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AROUND THE COUNTY.

EAST RAISIN.

Orange Blossoms and Happy New Year

New Year's day was rendered memorable at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Holdridge by the marriage of their daughter Ella to Mr. Archie Boyd. At about noon the guests began to assemble and at 12:30 the house was well filled with about one hundred persons. The rooms were darkened and the lighted lamps, together with the profuse floral decorations, gave them an exceedingly neat and tasty appearance. At the appointed hour the wedding march was struck up and the party marched into the room taking their position under a large wedding bell composed of evergreens and flowers. After the ceremony was completed, and the couple had received the kind wishes and congratulations of their numerous friends, the guests were served with refreshments; after which the bridal pair, amid a host of "good-bye's", left to take the afternoon train for the east. After a short visit at Rochester and vicinity they will return and take up their permanent residence on the old farm where twenty-one years ago this date Mr. and Mrs. Holdridge were united in marriage. To-day they celebrate that event in a manner well fitting the occasion, and henceforth New Year's day will possess a new and rare significance.

LIST OF PRESENTS.

China tea set, Robert, James and Jennie Boyd; stand scarf, Mr and Mrs. T. J. Tobey; Bible, Grandma Holdridge; silver cake basket, Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Harris; glass water pitcher and tumblers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bidwell; satin broom and duster pockets, Willet and Anna Brown; Meredith's Poems, Regina and Mary Billmeyer; china fruit dish, Mr. and Mrs. and Aggie Thompson; French flute mirror, Mary Deser; panel picture, Mr. and Mrs. Green; chair tidy, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holloway; panel picture, Mrs. David Edmundson; set silver fruit knives, Mrs. A. and Libbie Richard; Lucelle, Lucile Berger; silver knife-rest, Carrie Doty; chair tidy, Mrs. William Richard; pillow shams, Mrs. Ann Holloway; perfumery bottle and silver stand-by, Bert and Ben Garlinghouse; Tennyson's Poems, Frank Rogers; set china fruit plates, Mr. and Mrs. and George Camburn; set silver fruit knives, Mr. and Mrs. John McConnell and daughter; boquet holder, Lizzie Thompson; silver cake basket, Byron Reid; dozen napkins and table-cloth, Mr. Web Anderson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and Richard Anderson; silver pickle castor, Fulton McLain and sisters; pair trackel ornaments, Dora and Jennie Anthony; lace bed-spread and pillow shams, Mr. and Mrs. S. Anderson; silver fruit knives, Clara and Lizzie Hayden; Havergal's poems, Mr. and Mrs. John Pease; cabinet pictures, Willie and Charlie Bidwell; silver fruit dish, Mrs. Abigail Holloway; silver pickle castor, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Wyman; bed-spread, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd; hand mirror, Miss Maggie Welliver; Byron's Works, Mr. and Mrs. Stone, Morrison, Ill.; set silver spoons, Andrew Boyd and family, N. Y.; napkin ring, Myron Billmeyer; parlor lamp, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Holdridge; silver butter dish, John Holloway; handkerchief pocket, A. L. Arner and brothers; dressing case, Mr. and Mrs. Eleazer Holdridge; case silver fruit knives, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. and Hella Doty.

HOLLOWAY.

The literary society met as usual on Saturday evening, but the holiday season has presented too many attractions for the members and the attendance was very small. The new president, Frank Rogers, was inaugurated and new committees were appointed. The next meeting will possess several new and interesting features and will merit a larger attendance.

Rev. Mr. Hunt has tendered his resignation as the pastor of our church. He and his family will leave for Fenton this week, where his services have been engaged for the present year.

Tom Bennett has resigned his position as telegraph operator and goes into Canada. Phon Sutton, of Ridgeway takes his place.

Hoxie & Co. did their first casting in their new shop on last Thursday.

Prof. Billmeyer and wife of Ann Arbor are spending the holidays among their friends here.

C. W. Arner returned to Toledo on Monday to take up his new position in C. H. Howard & Co's. commission house.

Mr. Jerome Green, who has been quite sick for several weeks past is around again.

Some musical angel has sounded his trump and the resurrection of the Rabin cornet band will unmercifully take place.

On New Year's eve, the Sunday school gave a concert and cantata, consisting of recitations by the children and music by the school. Mr. Frank Rogers delivered an oration on the History of the Reformation which was finely rendered and well received. Mr. Hunt, and others, also made some suitable remarks, at the close of which the Superintendent dismissed the school with a Happy New Year's wish.

ADDISON.

Christmas, New Year, all the long pleasant holidays, have come and passed on to history, and this little dot of a country ville, with just as much dramatic interest as did those the novelist has so many times tried to describe. Yes, the last oyster has disappeared, the last much prized gift carefully put away, and the mind turns again to the music and the [illegible] other year. In doing so let us—. Well, we were about to suggest resolutions, purposes, etc., as applying to the future, but the thought of past inconsistences on our own part suggest something like modesty, hence we desist.

The present prospects for future prosperity appear good at this place.—The new machinery for manufacturing patent flour at the grist mill is nearly ready to be put in operation.

Messrs. Younglove & LaBarr's steam saw mill is now fully equipped for work, while Mr. E. M. Wilson's poultry shipping establishment has handled over six thousand dollars worth of fowls this season, and affords employment for a large number of persons. These recently established industries in connection with the impetus the proposed railroad will naturally impart to the place, suffice to revive the long latent hope that Addison might yet be able to cope with other of her more favored sisters whose location and natural surroundings are less favored than are hers.

Applicants to labor on the new road are arriving daily, and much interest is evinced by our citizens in the enterprise. Dirt will begin to fly at an early date.

WEST TECUMSEH.

By Local Telegraph Line:

Father time has doffed his old suit, procured a new one and starts out again for another year's journey.

Mrs. Kate Torbon, of Madison, is visiting in the neighborhood.

A candidate for dress goods arrived last week at John Carson's. She will board there for the present.

Mr. Myron Bowen, of Menton, Wexford county, a resident of this vicinity 36 years ago, is visiting at his brother's, N. K. Bowen, and nephews', R. J. W. & J. F. N. Bowen.

Manager Bowen, of the local telegraph line, is busy now days putting in new instruments and giving lessons to new students. The company is doing well under his management.

Mr. Asa Crane and Myron Pierce, of Adrian, were running foxes hereabouts yesterday.

EAST TECUMSEH.

The Literaries are getting to be so interesting as to draw crowded houses. The one last Saturday evening was the best of the season. A good programme was carried out, and the debate on the question of "Foreign Emigration" was hotly contested on both sides. The negative won the question by a decided majority. The following is a list of the officers for the next quarter: Pres., A. G. Hall; Vice President, Jas. H. Aten; Sec'y, Miranda Robertson; Treasurer, Mrs. J. T. Boyce; Chairman Executive Committee, E. E. Hall. Programme for next meeting: Music, by Choir; Rec., Florence Merritt; Select Reading, Grant Garlinghouse; Dec., Harry Hendershot; Music, Misses, Miranda Robertson and Nellie Boyce; Rec., Rinda Benedict; Reading, Nellie Boyce; Dec., Albert Boyce; Splinters and Chips, J. H. Aten; Music, by the Choir; Question—Resolved, that the pulpit has done more to enlighten mankind than the press; affirmative—C. W. Culbertson, B. F. DePuy, A. S. Murphy; negative—Philip Kehoe, R. R. Hall, J. T. Boyce.

Mrs. Fannie Weed, nee Culbertson, and husband are spending a few days with friends in this vicinity.

Roswell Raymond and wife, formerly of Raisin, but now of Romulus, Wayne county, are visiting friends in Raisin and vicinity.

Philip DePuy, who has been on the sick list for some time, has so far recovered as to be able to ride to Clinton and pay his taxes.

CLINTON.

Charles Everts has just completed valuable improvements on his house.

Miss Lou Howland, of Albion, is spending a few days in Clinton, the guest of her cousin, Estella Lawrence.

We understand she goes from here to the young ladies' Seminary, at Monroe.

The programme at the Blue Ribbon meeting, last Sabbath, was a good one, and was attentively listened to by a large audience.

The Episcopal social, Monday evening, was held at the residence of Jacob Smith, two miles west of the village, and proved a large and happy New Year's gathering.

Mrs. S. E. Clark's health is such as to make it impossible for her to attend to the millinery business, in consequence of which that establishment is closed, awaiting a successor. A grand chance for some good milliner.

Every New Year brings Mrs. Felton $140 in gold, to help her on in the happiness of the occasion.

Carpenter Brewster again greets us with those genial smiles, after having paid his friends in Northern Michigan a short visit.

Ed. Clark has been quite busy for a few days, shipping apples to Chicago.

D. H. Silvers closes his clothing store in Clinton on Saturday next, and moves the remaining goods to Manchester.

S. W. Demuth and wife spent New Year's at the lakes. It is reported that Sell took his gun with him. Did he? *Perhaps* he shot those counts he turned in on the big hunt.

Manchester celebrated New Year's with a masquerade ball, and several young men from this village attended. Rumor says Clinton should keep quiet hereafter about the Tecumseh novelty company.

Dr. Strong was here for a few days last week, shaking hands with old friends, and speaking good-bye, preparatory to going to Cairo, Southern Illinois.

Dr. Burroughs is moving into the house formerly occupied by William Fleming, belonging to E. W. Freese.

Rev. O. W. Winton, of Milan, was in town one day last week, having made a flying visit to the home of Mrs. Winton, (Uncle Robert McCollins), west of this place.

Kelsey, the spring-tooth man, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday. He reports spring-drag business dull, and chickens on the rise.

Miss Mary Rich has returned from her visit north.

We are glad to see our old friend Roswell Randall out again, after his severe illness.

"That Boy," at Town Hall, Tuesday evening, was a real jovial chap, and produced a volume of interest for a large and appreciative audience. The verdict, as far as we could learn, was, may he come again and tell us of "That Boy's Sister."

The roads are splendid hereabouts, and this accounts for the large gatherings at the socials that are held in the country now. The M. E. social at Van Howell's, Wednesday evening, was a success in every particular.

C. P. Bancroft and wife, of Napoleon, are the guest of Don Palmer.

Dr. W. B. Banks and wife returned yesterday from Detroit.

Dame Rumor says that blossoms are almost in full bloom in this village. Perhaps it is not so. We saw her anxiously drinking down "That Boy's" past, present and future, Tuesday evening, and she may have changed her mind. If not, we will speak again next week. K.

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 28, 1882.

I subscribe to the efficiency of Downs' Elixir. It has been a standard remedy for coughs and colds in my family for years. J. A. ARTHUR, Deputy Customs Collector.

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 26, 1882.

I have used Downs' Elixir for forty years, and consider it a safe and valuable medicine in all cases of coughs, colds, and for any pulmonary trouble. I always fall back on this old remedy when the symptoms are alarming, and it has never disappointed me.

IRA SHATTUCK.

THE following are the officers of Clinton Lodge, No. 175, F. & A. M., for the ensuing year:

W. M.—D. Woodward.
S. W.—George DePuy.
J. W.—J. E. Woodward.
Treas.—George Runyan.
Sec.—S. F. Marsteller.
S. D.—Wm. Dorr.
J. D.—Henry Palmer.
Stewards—E. Sherwood, [illegible]
Tyler—John Martiny.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Dec. 30, 1882:

Estate of Lewis E. Maynard, minor; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Eliza C. Lewis, deceased; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Samuel Lewis, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's first account; hearing January 22, 1883.

Estate of William Dorr, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $14,000; renunciation of one of the executor's filed.

Estate of Jane Lewis and David Liston, minors; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond, $600.

Estate of Willis Knifen, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond, $400.

Estate of Daniel Ferris, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Edward Drouillard, deceased; affidavit of publication; will; proof and probate; executrix's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Isaac L. Knimn; deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until January 9, 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of William Taylor, an insane person; appraiser's warrant and inventory.

Estate of Peter Davidson, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's fourth account allowed.

Estate of Theodore S. Faxon, an incompetent person; affidavit of service; former guardian's account filed; order appointing guardian; bond, $[illegible].

Estate of John Glenn, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing January 22, 1883.

Estate of Barzillai W. Arnold, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond, $500.

Estate of Orville A. Loomis, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of appointment of administratrix; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Joseph Stewart, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioner's notice; commissioner's warrant and report.

Estate of Abner Stanley, deceased; administrator's bond on sale of real estate; report of sale; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Henry Inglehart, deceased; application for extension of time to pay debts; order extending time six months from December 27, 1882.

Estate of Warner M. Comstock, deceased; appraiser's warrant and inventory.

In the matter of Rosa A. Camp, a dependent and neglected child; application for admission to the state public school; order for admission.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Below is a list of transfers of Real Estate in Lenawee County for the week ending Dec. 30, 1882:

ADRIAN.

F. R. Stebbins to Henry J. Brown; land in city. $276.

J. M. Randall to Jonathan Howland; land in city. $1,800.

Jonathan Howland, Jr., to J. M. Randall; land on section 10. $1,600.

CAMBRIDGE.

Stephen Shugare to L. Z. Rose; land on section 21. $40.

George Parker to Henry Wiggins; land on sec. 18. $1,000.

DEERFIELD.

E. W. Burnham to E. S. Burnham; land on sec. 12. $2,100.

CLAYTON.

Lavina Parker to Noble R. Bellus; land in village. $2,000.

FAIRFIELD.

Melinda Lane to Sarah J. Russell; land in Jasper village. $210.

L. J. Dunbar to M. J. Goodale; land on sec. 25. $4,200.

RAISIN.

W. J. Holdridge to Edward Broadbent; land on sec. 23. $[illegible].

RIGA.

J. A. Atwell to Amba Atwell; land on sec. 6. $750.

ROME.

Lucy Rose to Lafayette Rider; land on sec. 15. $300.

A new idea embraced in Ely's Cream Balm. Catarrh is cured by causing discharge and cleansing, not by drying up. The application is easy and agreeable. Price 50 cents. Apply into nostrils with little finger.

From B. F. Lispenard, A. M., [illegible] Bank, N. J.: I have been troubled with Catarrh so badly for several years that it seriously affected my voice. I tried Dr. ——'s remedy without the slightest relief. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm did the work. My voice is fully restored and my head feels better than for years. B. F. LISPENARD.

Ely's Cream Balm has given perfect satisfaction. I would recommend it to every one suffering from Catarrh, Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, and as being one of the best medicines I have ever dealt or sold.

E. J. WEEKS & CO.
Druggists, Jackson, Mich.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD and Michigan Farmer, $2.60.

Tom-Cats and Mashers.

A tom-cat sat on a back-yard fence
With an aching heart and a soul intense,
Rigged out in a style in every sense
Immense.

He sat alone in his faultless attire,
And his bosom burned with a sacred fire
As he warbled out an [illegible] lonely desire—
Maria.

He was musing upon his lonely lot,
And he said to himself, "She cometh not,
What a terrible heartache I have got—
Great Scott!

"How terribly lonesome I feel! How queer
To be sitting alone with nobody near—
Oh! how much I wish Maria was here—
Mon Dieu!

"The thought of it fills me with horrible dismay—
I should smile, I should blush, I should wait,
I should shout,
Just suppose some fellow had cut me out—
Me-out!

"Ah, there she comes now soft as a rat,"
But alas, he'd mistaken the soft pit-a-pat,
His Maria was only a brother tom-cat—
"How's that?"

Thought Tom No. 1 of Tom No. 2,
But No. 2 bounced him without mon-ceado,
And suddenly both departed from view—
Now mew.

Oh, ill fared it then for Tom No 1,
For as soon as the enemy's work was done,
Of all his fine raiment he left him none—
Such fun!

Now all you young mashers who dress with such care,
The hearts of the guileless to slave and ensnare,
You'd better remember this tale and beware—
Take care.

—By One of 'Em.

JOY AT LAST.

"My darling—my little Pansy, the time has come."

"Oh, John, you must not go! I cannot let you; I cannot bear it," sobbed Pansy, with heart-breaking violence, and clinging to him in an agony of grief. "Oh, do not go—do not go!"

"Why, Pansy, my darling, my brave little wife, what has come over you?" he exclaimed, much touched and impressed with the violence of her grief. "It is so short a time—only six months. And think——"

"But I do not care for the money," she interrupted, lifting her face, that each moment grew more drawn and pallid in its misery. "My soul is filled with some horrible foreboding. Oh, John, do not leave me. We are happy, and have more than enough to live on; leave this old uncle to dispose of his money elsewhere. Oh, John——"

"Pansy," he exclaimed almost sternly, "you do wrong to talk so. I go to win the money for you and baby. It is my love for you that takes me on this dreary voyage, and makes me willing to spend six drearier months with a sick whimsical old man. My darling, I will suffer more than you; but when I come back I place you in the luxury you left to become my wife. Be brave and cheerful, darling; kiss me good-bye with your own sweet smile, and do not let me see tears at the last."

She said no more. A dumb despair seemed to have taken possession of her, and in their parting caress she only clung to him for a brief moment as if soul and body would be rent asunder the next moment. Then someone—she did not know who—guided her over the gang-plank and placed her baby in her arms.

Quickly her eyes, dry now, and strained in their misery, sought out one dear face among the many thronging the deck. She saw his eyes glistening with tears and his lips moving; but in the shouts and ringing of bells, the groans of the huge ship, dashing great waves in its efforts to start, she could hear nothing.

Slowly it moved out and away. A wide seething gulf lay between them, and he could only see her start to her feet and hold the baby out. Then, as the distance increased, he saw a man step to her side, and apparently support her.

"Lend me your glass—just a moment—for God's sake!" he exclaimed to some one near. Then, lifting it and drawing that beloved face and form nearer, he saw that she was leaning back against some boxes, with her sweet face colorless, and with closed eyes, supported by a grey-haired gentleman of familiar aspect. Several were around her, and some woman held little Lillian; and just as he noticed this, the grey-haired man lifted and turned his face toward the retreating steamer. It was Gordon Leslie, his millionaire employer.

A few days later the *Herald* contained this brief dispatch:

"Ocean steamer Adelaide, bound for Liverpool, five days out, wrecked. All on board supposed lost. Particulars tomorrow."

And to-morrow had confirmed the report.

Pansy was a widow—baby Lillian was fatherless.

A month before, John Eldridge had received, from a wealthy eccentric old uncle in England, the following letter:

"JOHN.—I am lonely—I am going to die. I have no heir. Come and [illegible] six months—though I think I will die before that time—and I will leave my money to you. You by rights ought to have it. Your father was my favorite brother, and was with me when I made much of it. If you are married, leave your wife at home. It would not be pleasant for her here; besides, I want all your time to do my reading and writing, in payment for which I will give you two hundred a month to send her, or to keep yourself if you are still single. Answer at once.—Your uncle,

"RANDOLPH ELDRIDGE."

And for Pansy's sake John had written back,

"I will come."

He was proud, and sensitive, and poor, and when Pansy became his wife she renounced a home and life of luxury.

Now he could give it all back to her, could see her freed from the cares and worries of a poor man's wife, could see her lovely, radiant, and happy, in the joys and pleasures that once had been hers. And would he not do it?

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Night was coming slowly on. A bitterly cold wind swept round every corner and found a thousand ways of creeping into a poor rickety tenement-room where, on the floor beside a straw pallet, a frail girlish figure crouched, her arms encircling something, and one pitiful moan after another crossing her pallid lips.

"Oh God, do not take her! Leave her to me, or let me die with her. Oh, I am too weak to pray, the words choke me. Oh, my baby, my baby; do not die and leave me all alone!"

The pinched little face on her arm lighted with no response. The dear baby's eyes did not open, and as her cry had sunk with a despairing cry, a loud knock almost demolished the shattery door, which was speedily pushed open, admitting a man and a woman.

"This is Mrs. Eldridge, sir," the latter said.

"Mrs. Eldridge—good God, you are mistaken!" exclaimed the gentleman, falling back a step and taking in, with one glance, the small room, fireless, bare, and windy, the pallet and the kneeling figure.

"Yes, it is; and she's fainted or something!" cried the woman, hurrying by him, and touching Pansy's shoulder.

She had indeed fainted, and with one lift of her strong arms Mrs. Ross laid her on the pallet, with her pale pinched face upturned, and proceeded to vigorously rub the lifeless hands.

"You say you are a friend of the lady's sir?" she said, turning to the stranger, who stood apparently stupefied. "So I'll make bold to tell you the truth. She's a-dyin' out of pure hunger, weakness, and a-grievin' for the little sick baby. I'm going to fetch a doctor and get some wine and things, I'll have 'em carried down to my room, third floor front, where it's warm."

"Yes, I will at once—dying of hunger—my God!" exclaimed the stranger, disappearing as if no haste could be great enough.

So it was that when Pansy awakened, her first thought was that God had heard her prayer and taken both herself and baby to heaven.

Certain it was that she was warm, oh, so warm. Kind faces bent over her, her hands were in some one's tender clasp, and there was a little gurgling sound like baby's precious laugh.

For one wild, delicious moment she thought they were in heaven. It was John who held her hands, it was baby's laugh she heard. They were together, never, never to be again separated.

Then reason slowly came to banish the delirious joy. One face after another became familiar. The room found its place in her memory. Then she saw another face, and with a startled flash of recognition spoke his name:

"Mr. Leslie!"

"Mrs. Eldridge," he answered.

"Oh," she exclaimed, seizing the hand he held out. "How good it seems to see you; how it makes me think——"

But there she broke into choking sobs and buried her face in the pillow.

"Don't cry, dear; just see here," exclaimed Mrs. Ross, and with the quick instinct of one who knows mother-love, she held to Pansy little Lillian, who in truth was laughing—warmth and food had driven death away from his coveted prey. And as Pansy snatched her baby, with her grief turned to joy, Mrs. Ross hurried into the next room, so that the friends might have a chance to talk to each other.

"Why did you run away?" were Gordon Leslie's words.

"I did not run away," answered Pansy in some surprise. "I simply went because I had to. When—when everything was changed so, I could not afford to live there. I had to work."

"You work!" he exclaimed. "And your father worth thousands!"

"My father cast me off," she said simply. "I loved and married a poor man, and I have never been sorry."

"But your husband earned a good salary in my bank; he must have left you something when he left."

"Excuse my asking—I want to be your friend—what has brought you to this strait?" exclaimed Mr. Leslie, rising and walking about the room in great agitation.

"One misfortune after another," she answered sadly.

"A week after I first moved the house was burned, and Lillian and I lost everything, besides some money I had just drawn from the bank.

"It was a severe loss, and ate deeply into my small account.

"Then, when I found work, I suppose I worked too hard, for I fell very ill, and for three months had to be nursed, besides paying the doctor, and having some one to take care of Lillian.

"After that I was so long weak I could not work, and it takes money to live, you know."

There she broke down, sobbing pitifully, and coming to the lounge he laid his hand on her sunny head, over which so many clouds had passed, and tenderly said:

"Poor child! poor child!"

Coming from him, gray haired and nearly twice her years, it seemed fatherly loving, and was inexpressibly comforting to Pansy's aching heart.

She did not dream of the love and longing in his heart to take her in his arms, to comfort and protect her, to tell her never to worry or grieve again, but be his wife, give him the right to love and shield her, and to learn to love him if she could.

No, she did not guess, nor did he speak it then.

But two months later, when, through his influence, she [illegible] paying work, and her frail strength again rebelled, he went to her, resolved that he would save her precious life and make her his own.

"Be my wife," he said, stretching out his arms to her with a praverful vehemence. "Let me save you. Give me the right to love and care for you, for you are dearer to me than my own life."

"I—I your wife?" she cried, shrinking back in her chair and putting out one hand as if to ward him off. "Oh no, Mr. Leslie, you do not mean it—you do not love me—you do not——"

"But I do," he interrupted vehemently. "When that love was wrong, I knew that it was in my heart. Since I have felt the right to cherish it, it has filled my whole life. Listen to me. Oh, Pansy——"

"Hush!" she cried, starting up with a cry of pain. "That was his name to me. No one else ever called me so. Oh, Mr. Leslie, say no more to me. My heart, my life—aye, all but what I live for, my child—is buried in the ocean with my husband. But for my child I would pray to die; for her I must live."

"Yes, for her you must live," he interrupted her. "And for her sake listen to me. I do not expect you to love me—I know too well how you love, once given, is deathless. But you do not hate me. Give me liking, respect, and esteem, and the right to love you and save your life for your child's sake and mine, and I will be content.

"If you refuse, think of the wrong you do her. But a few weeks more of this life and your frail strength will be gone. Your child will be fatherless, motherless, homeless, and in her babyhood.

"Can you view that picture, knowing its certainty, and consent to it?"

With a shuddering moan she sank back in her chair.

How well she knew the bitter truth of what he said.

A gurgling laugh from Lillian, in the next room, started her to her feet again as if in wild desperation.

"But it would not be right," she wailed suddenly. "I do not love you—I can never love you. Oh, Mr. Leslie, in mercy's name take back what you have said."

He understood her. Knew how love for her child was urging her to accept a love she could never return.

For answer he held out his arms and only repeated:

"For her sake."

"Go away," cried Pansy suddenly, almost fiercely. "Give me time—a week—and perhaps Heaven will tell me what to do. Don't come until I send for you—promise me."

"I promise," he said, and, taking her hands, kissed each, and said once more:

"Be merciful to us both."

Then after he was gone, Pansy sank down on her knees with her hands lifted and agonisingly prayed:

"Help me, guide me, oh, Father in heaven. I am as one blind; lead me, have mercy on me!"

Even as she prayed her answer came. Lillian pushed open the door, and, with her pretty toddling tumbling walk, reached her kneeling mother, and over her bowed head flapped a paper.

"Mamma, tut; mamma, tut," she cooed.

"God help me, this must be my answer." Pansy moaned, rising and taking the child in her feeble arms.

"Mamma, tut; mamma tut," persisted Lillian, flapping the paper.

"Yes, darling, yes," answered Pansy, reaching for the scissors. "Mamma will cut pretty kitty for Lillian—see!"

But what Lillian saw was something startling indeed! The scissors paused in the first slash, and in a moment, fell nerveless, then a scream thrillingly clear echoed through the house, as Pansy started to her feet, made one tottering step and fell, one name having echoed across her lips: "John! John!"

For in the very paper Lillian brought was the following:

"PANSY,—God grant that this may meet your eye. Where are you? My escape was miraculous. I have written, searched, and advertised, and am almost wild with despair. I try this in a frenzy of failing hope. I have been in New York over two months. Am at our old address. JOHN ELDRIDGE."

Before life returned to Pansy, her husband did. She was in his arms when she awakened, and, with a faint, joyous cry, she swooned again.

But joy seldom kills, nor can such sacred joy be described. So we will only listen to his story, told some hours after, in the presence of Mr. Leslie.

"The storm came in the night," he said. "It was as brief as destructive. I saw that everything was going to be lost, and lashed myself to a table. I was carried off by the waves and remained conscious for three days; then hunger and exhaustion overcome me.

"An outward bound vessel saw and hauled me in, as good as dead, when I next knew anything I was helpless in a seaport town and strangers. They said I had been there over a week.

"I telegraphed at once to you and Uncle Randolph, receiving an immediate reply from him, but nothing from you. I tried again and again, and then alarm threw me into a terrible relapse.

"I was ill three months; then Uncle Randolph sent on two physicians and had me removed to his house. The journey gave me another relapse, and another fever followed. I hung on the very verge of death for two months, then began to mend, and at the end of two more started to come home. I fainted before reaching the steamer, and was taken back.

"When at last I was strong enough to come, I could find no trace or clue of you. I went to Buffalo and saw your parents, and, Pansy darling, they are wild with grief, and have retracted all their bitter words.

"I spoke of going at once to Mr. Leslie, but our landlady at once said that she knew nothing of you, and had called repeatedly to know if she had learned anything. I intended to go and see him any way on his own account, but kept putting it off, as heart and brain were so full of other things.

"To-day I put in the personal, and this afternoon went round to see him. You may imagine our meeting. He has told me everything, darling, and——"

There he paused, choked with emotion, and Mr. Leslie, hurriedly rising, took a hand of each, and said agitatedly:

"From the bottom of my heart I say, 'God bless you both.' Think of me sometimes in your joy——"

But there he also broke down, and with a hurried pressure to each hand, went away; and John Eldridge, gathering his child and his wife, so frail and feeble, into his arms, kissed them repeatedly, with the fervent exclamation:

"Please God, you will never know want again. I have come back a rich man, and all that love and money can do to win roses and health back will be done, my darling."

The Persian Rose.

Pyrethrum rose, the insecticide plant, is perfectly hardy in this climate, and may be raised as easily as the conflower or mayweed. The value of the powder made from the flower as an insecticide can hardly be estimated, since it is sure death to many of our most destructive pests, and yet utterly harmless to human beings and the larger animals.

"I believe that mine will be the [illegible] of Abel," said a devoted wife to her husband one day. "How so?" inquired the husband. "Because Abel was killed by a club, and your club will kill me if you continue to go to it every night."

Placing the adjective: Clara (looking at the bonnets, etc.): "Don't you think they are very handsome?" Amy (whose thoughts are on the other side of the street); "Very, 'specially the one with the black mustache."

Scientific Notes.

Pure thorium, so far as M. Nelson's experiments go, shows a specific gravity very nearly 11.00 and an atomic volume of 21.1.

Typhoid fever in Paris seems to bear a pretty constant relation to the sanitary conditions of the dwellings occupied by the afflicted.

Honey, after it is clarified, Herr E. Myhus has discovered, can be kept from fermenting or losing its flavor by adding to it about 1 per cent. of formic acid.

Wines made from the wild oranges of Florida are alleged to have greatly prized therapeutic properties. The manufacture of these beverages is very simple.

As to the convulsing nature of curare M. County states that it is not only a paralyzing but also primarily a convulsing poison. Nor is it merely a peripheric poison: it to a certain degree affects also the nerve centers.

Ether spray, in the practice of Dr. McColgannan, has not only immediately relieved facial neuralgia, but has effected a permanent cure. The intense cold produced is considered to have acted on the affected nerve so as to have produced a complete change in the nutrition and its action.

Dugong-oil, which is yielded by an herbivorous cetacean of the waters of Australia and the Eastern Archipelago, has all the medical qualities of cod-liver oil, without the repulsive taste and odor and the tendency to decay. The dose is the same in quantity as cod-liver-oil.

According to Mr. H. C. Hovey, each female oyster is estimated to contain from 1,000,000 to 10,000,000 eggs, of which not a tenth can be said to be vitalized in the course of nature. But he is of opinion that by a proper system of oyster-farming fully one-half of the young may be matured to that stage when they can take care of themselves. "Seed oysters" are between 1 and 2 years old, and those known as "saddle rocks" require four years to attain their high commercial value.

Feats of an Athlete.

Abner C. McIlrath, who kept a famous hotel for thirty-six years six miles from Cleveland on Euclid avenue, has been gathered to his stalwart fathers. He was a mighty fex hunter and a remarkable athlete. Six feet six inches and a half tall, his average weight was about 264 pounds, but yet he is said to have frequently on foot run down foxes. He once lifted with his hands from the ground an iron slaft weighing 1,700 pounds, which would be equal to lifting double that weight were he harnessed with straps to weights and allowed to lift under the best advantage. Two men would hold a string two inches above his head, and he would step back two or three steps and jump over it without touching it, making the leap about six feet nine inches in height. He has been known, rather than to lead his horses around to the other side of the barn, to put his long arms under a horse and lift it up to the floor of the barn, which happened to be three or four feet above the ground. In Buffalo he once wrestled with and threw with ease Charlie Freenan, the "American giant," who afterward in England defeated the "Tipton Slasher" in a prize fight. Another feat of the old tavern-keeper was his chase on horseback of a fox one December over frozen Lake Erie far from sight of land. He lived to the age of seventy years, having been a paralytic for the last four years of life as a result of exposure during a fox hunt. He was borne to his grave Saturday by six of his tall sons, four of whom are six feet four and a half inches high and the other two just six feet, and whose combined weight is 1,305 pounds.

An Intoxicating Fur Cloak.

A French lady, calling herself the Baroness de Saint Estrapade, who lately appeared before the Correctional Tribunal of the Seine on a charge of *ivresse manifeste*—in brutal English drunk and disorderly—succeeded in convincing the President of that court that the wearing of a fur cloak may produce an eccentricity of behavior as deceptive in its way as that produced by too liberal a consumption of salmon. Some time ago, she informed the court, she read in a journal that the surest way of preserving furs from the ravages of moths was to stow them away in an empty spirit-cask. She accordingly bought one a month or two ago, and to its safe keeping she confided her fur cloak. A week ago, having to breakfast at Noel's, and the day being very cold, she put on this garment; when, as she declares, once out of doors, the combined effect of the cold and the alcoholic fumes emanating from the cloak made her giddy, and produced all the appearances of intoxication. The "agent" who took her [illegible] proved that "she smelt of alcohol at fifteen paces"—a piece of testimony rather in her favor than otherwise; and her bonne deposed to the purchase of the cask and its employment as a wardrobe. The Judge, after remarking that if every lady adopted this line of defense to the particular charge brought against the Baroness, conviction would be impossible, acquitted her.—*St. James's Gazette.*

The Comet and the Pah-Utes.

Chief Winnemucca, of the Nevada Piutes, is dead. He was a great personage among the Indians, and the medicine men of his tribe say that devils made uncommonly persistent and clever efforts to capture his soul. They were seen sneaking about the neighborhood, assuming the forms of various beasts, and trying to get inside the mystic circle which was drawn around the dying man's couch, and they might have succeeded had not the comet been sent to light up and frustrate their evil designs. Winnemucca died when the comet was at its brightest, and it is now bearing away his soul to the realms of bliss.

A carpenter in Newport, R. I., who had put on a pair of house doors with the glass portion at the bottom, said to the indignant and protesting wife of the owner: "That is the very latest Queen Ann style, ma'am."

A Police Court at Cairo.

The prefect and his deputy were arrayed in black coats and trousers, white waistcoats, and patent boots. But they sat, as their predecessors sat a thousand years ago, cross-legged on the divan. Litigants came up without formality, kissed their knees or their hands, according to rank or favor, bent, with hands folded in their sleeves, to declare the grievance volubly, answered a brief, harsh question, and took the verdict helplessly. Cases lasted on an average two minutes each, as near as I could time it. And all the while men came and went in the little room, talking mostly in high, quarrelsome tones. Coffee passed about. If anyone present was struck with an observation he offered it casually, and his worship listened. After delivering judgment, always preceded by a grunt of general dissatisfaction, he clapped his hand, and a soldier rushed in at full gallop, holding up his sword. Forthwith the parties retired to discuss matters warmly outside in full hearing of the court. A matrimonial difficulty referred to the authorities lasted but four minutes by the watch. A thin, peaking man looked the husband, while the wife, so far as one could judge by eyes and nose, was very pretty. The gentleman told his tale, the purport of which I could not gather. The lady turned red to the tip of her little nose and her eyes flashed. She took up her parable vehemently and sternly. The prefect asked further explanations of the husband, who turned very pale. He found nothing effective to reply; his worship pronounced in a single phrase, the galloping soldier appeared, and off went the pair. I asked of an official who spoke English if the man was going to prison. "No," said he, "he go home." It must be admitted there is something to be urged for a system which can deal with domestic troubles in his superior way.—*London Standard.*

Disappointed in the Governor.

Soon after the entrance of the train containing the great commoner a countryman was sighted on the rear end of the back car, prominently perched on top of the bumper gazing with a look of mingled admiration and awe into the face of Henry Grady, who was making his exit through the doorway. After a minute and gratifying survey of the noble physique of the Apollo of the local press, he lost all consciousness of his humble station and gave way to the heroic promptings of a patriotic spirit. He ventured: "Governor, can I have the honor of shakin' hands with you, seein' as I've come a good ways to do it and might not never have the chance of approachin you agin?" "Certainly, sir; but I am not the Governor—here he comes, now." "Is that him?" "That is Governor Stephens." "Well, I'll be derned." "What did you remark?" "I'd hearn he was a prodigy; but if that's the biggest man they could trump up for Governor of Georgy, I think we'd better leave the State, for the country's doggeneratin'." "We don't estimate a statesman by his physical development; it's the brain. The Governor has the greatest brain in Georgia." "I don't care nothin' about brain. But the idea of a man bein' Governor that's got to be carried around like a bundle o' clothes."

Tame Sheep.

One of the prime secrets of success in sheep breeding is to have quiet, tame animals. This is true in all branches of breeding, and no truer of any than in sheep breeding. A wild flock of sheep will not be as profitable as a tame flock of the same natural quality. In order to have the sheep tame they should always be treated in the kindest manner, and considerably petted when that is practical. If a flockmaster begins early with the lambs, handling them often, and be particularly careful never to scare them, he will stand a pretty good chance of having a tame flock; but it is scarcely necessary to say that he must see to it that they are not harassed by anybody or anything. If there is a dog on the premises, keep him from interfering with the sheep, if you have to kill him. The flock is worth much more than the dog. Hired help must be taught to go among the sheep gently.—Give them good care, kind treatment, and protect them from annoyances of the character we have named, and the result will be a tame and quiet flock, if it has any natural merit in it.

How to be Beautiful.

A celebrated beauty, whose complexion at 60 was rather fresher than that of our women at 30, told a New York correspondent of *The Washington Critic* her secret this summer, and it was divided into two parts. First, she never used a washrag or towel on her face, but washed it with her hands, rinsing it off with a soft sponge. She used clear water in the morning, but white castile soap or very warm water at night, and after wiping it on a soft towel she would take a flesh-brush and rub her cheeks, chin, and forehead. Second, if she was going to be up late at night she always slept as many hours in the day as she expected to be awake beyond her usual time. She finished her little sermon on beauty preservation by saying: "Soft water and sound sleep keep off wrinkles and spots, and girls should give more attention to this than they do, for

"With the coming of the crows' feet
Is the going of the beaux's feet."

A Roguish Bird.

The blue jay is the boldest and most mischievous of wild birds. Near Knoxville, Tenn., recently, one was seen to fly a number of times to a high picket fence to attract a pair of kittens playing on the lawn. The kittens finally mounted the fence and began a cautious approach from picket to picket. The jay let the first get to within eighteen inches, then hopped over between the two. The second kitten approached; the bird hopped over it. It turned, and the jay hopped back and between. The first kitten approached, and the jay hopped back over it, and so kept it up till one kitten got disgusted and left, and the other followed soon after. Once or twice after the jay tried to inveigle the kittens to another frolic, but failed.

"Why did you hide, Johnny?" said one boy to another. "I hide to save my hide," replied the other, as he hiced away to a secure spot.

I. Ship Speaks of His Wife.

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WIT AND HUMOR.

The girl who is caught by a masher loves not wisely but too swell.

Dogs are more hardy than men. They can go without their pants in Winter.

In spite of protests the waltz still holds its own. Love rules the whirled.

The first big fish story—That of Jonah.

Bugle trimmings are recommended for a windy day.

"How are you?" asked a New Yorker. "Bene!" replied the Bostonian.

The first "wail of despair" must have been when Jonah was swallowed.

The man who travels under an alias may boast that he has made a name for himself.

Nothing can now prevent the Indians from breaking out. They have learned how to make buckwheat cakes.

A bonnet this season, in order to be of any account, must have five contrasting colors to correspond with the changing colors on the face of the man who foots the bill.

She went into a shop to buy some toilet soap, and while the shopman was expatiating on its merits about made up her mind to purchase, but when he said it would keep off chaps she said she didn't want that kind.

The colored preacher who was shot at Chattanooga, the other night, while stealing potatoes, had been trying to live on a salary of two dollars per week. A preacher can't stand an empty stomach any better than other folks.

First young man—"Well, did you make the acquaintance of that strange girl you were raving over?" Second ditto—"Yes, followed her home." First young man—"How did she strike you?" Second ditto—"She didn't at all she got her big brother to do it."

A well-proportioned woman should have a body six times as long as her feet. This, according to a Detroit architect who claims to know, was the old Grecian rule, and, as no man can out with a tape-line and measure away, the women are safe.

A Philadelphia man who lost his left thumb and forefinger in a planing mill has had very good substitutes for them made of rubber. There is a fortune in his misfortune. All he need do to get rich is to hire himself out to tack down carpets.

"Have you ever before been punished by the law?" asked an Austin justice of a colored culprit. "Yes, I called a man a liar, and I had to pay a fine." "Is that the only time you have come in conflict with the law?" "Now dat yer speaks ob hit, judge, I bleeves I was in de penitentiary for ten yeahs, if I disremember myself.

It was election time, and little Glynn heard much talk about men who were running for office. One day, his mother noticing him run from one place to another, asked, "What are you playing now, Glynn?" He replied, "Oh, I am not playing at all, I am running for office."

"Howdy, Sam, how is you?" "Midlin, midlin, Jerry, how is it with you?" "Similarity; thank you Sam." "Similarity! dat is a new word broke out in our neighborhood dis morning, and it is ketching; everybody got it. Take dat word 'similarity' home and have her stuffed."

"Protoplasm," remarked the professor, "is composed of carbonic acid, water and ammonia, in which compound the water largely predominates. To what conclusion does this lead?" The pupil was a boy, and not easily staggered. He answered: "It leads to the conclusion that dad never takes any protoplasm in his'n."

A good and sufficient reason is what every man ought to have for his conduct. If we cannot have quite that, then let us have the next thing to it, namely, a reason which is perfectly satisfactory to ourselves. For instance, "Close up, boys; close up!" said a colonel to his regiment. "If the enemy were to fire on you when you are straggling along that way, they wouldn't kill a single man of you. Close up!"

"For what are we created?" cried a female lecturer on beginning her speech. "For what are we created?" in a louder key. Then, third and last call, "For what are we created?" she fairly shrieked, and she was just on the point of explaining the matter, when a voice in a far-off corner shouted: "I give up."

A little Alabama girl, three years old, on going to the window early on a very foggy morning, cried out. "Oh, come here and look, mamma! The sky is all crammed down to the ground." Again when watching the cook skinning some squirrels, her mother called to know what she was doing, she replied, "I am seeing cook peel these cats!"

"I hope you will excuse my stupidity, doctor," said a woman to an Arkansas physician whose professional skill had been visited on the husband, and who had called again to investigate the condition of the patient, "but I really didn't think——" "Your husband is much better this morning, madam." "I say doctor," continued the confused woman, "that I don't know how to excuse my stupidity. I gave him the wrong medicine."

A little girl came very near to her mother one morning, saying, "Which is the worst, mamma, to tell a lie or steal?" The mother, taken by surprise, replied that both were so bad she couldn't tell which was the worse. "Well," said the little one, "I've been thinking a good deal about it, and I've concluded it's worse to lie than to steal. If you steal a thing you can take it back less you've eaten it; and if you've eaten it you can pay for it. But"—and there was a look of awe in the little face—"a lie is forever."

Sir Andrew Agnew having for some time been pestered by an impertinent intruder, it was one day remarked to the baronet that this man no longer appeared in his company, and he was asked how he contrived to get rid of him. "In truth," said the baronet, "I was obliged to give the chiel a broad hint." "A broad hint!" replied the friend. "I thought he was one of those who could not take a hint." "By my faith! but he was forced to take it," answered Sir Andrew; "for as the fellow would not go out by the door, I threw him out of the window."

It is related that the president of a bank in the Gunnison country had occasion to visit Denver and on his return met the porter of the bank at the depot and asked: "Well, James, has the cashier absconded?" "No, sir." "Burglars broken in?" "No, sir." "Bookkeeper been charged with embezzlement?" "No, sir." "Been a run on the bank?" "No, sir." "Then everything is all right, eh?" "Yes, sir, except a rumor around town that you had robbed the bank of $50,000 and sailed for Europe."

"How shall the American savage be civilized?" is a question asked by a writer in the *Atlantic Monthly*. There are many ways. Teach him that it is improper to eat with his knife, and that colored napkins should be used at the fruit end of the meal, and not during the opening chorus. Teach him not to arrive at a reception until 9 o'clock, and never to appear in a swallow-tail during the afternoon. Tell him that it is bad form to drink beer before and absinthe after dinner. Also send him to dancing-school, compel him to avoid pie, and have him instructed in the art of walking in the English style. Then bang his hair, and put a pair of eyeglasses and a white silk hat on him, and you have your Indian as thoroughly civilized as is the average white man. —*Puck.*

Too much pepper: One of the most prominent preachers tells the following anecdote as a fact whenever he hears a story too incredible for belief: "A very wicked man became converted, and in course of time it came his turn to pray in class meeting. Not being used to speaking in public, of course he was very much embarrassed. This is the subject of his prayer: 'Oh, Lord, Thou Giver of all good things, look down with pity on poor people. You are rich and can spare them plenty to eat while on earth. Send every one of them a full barrel of flour, plenty of lard and a side of bacon, a ham or so and a pound of butter. Send each one of your starving, hungry creatures a barrel of sugar, a barrel of salt, a barrel of pepper—oh, hell, that's too much pepper. Amen.'" —*Centerville (Md.) Record.*

Courtship Among the Zunis.

Writing of life among the Zuni Indians, Frank H. Cushing, of the Smithsonian institute, says:—There were two unmarried members of the house; a nephew and an adopted girl. The nephew was an over-grown, heavy-faced, thick-lipped, yellow-haired, blue-eyed blonde,—a specimen of the tribal albinism, a dandy and the darling of the white-haired "Old Ten." One day, after I had presented the latter with a pane of ruined negative glass, she ventured to compare her favorite with me. My flattering acknowledgments of this compliment made decided winnings of the old woman's hitherto restrained affections. The governor spared this youth no more than the others. With characteristic irony, he called him "The Family Milkman," or "The Night Bird," the latter term referring to his eyes, "which," the governor usually addded, "wiggled like those of an owl in strong sunlight." The maiden was jolly, pretty, and coquettish—the belle of "Riverside street." Her lovers were many, but soon, of the long row who waited under the moonlit eaves, only one was admitted—the governor's younger brother, my sympathetic friend. There was but one room in the house in which the two could hope to be left to themselves—mine. Here they came night after night. They paid no attention to the onely Me-lik in his hammock, but sat opposite in the darkness on the low adobe bench, hour after hour, stroking each other's hands, giggling and cooing in low tones, just like so many of my own people of the same age, only in a different language. An occasional smack, followed by feminine indignation, taught me the meaning of "Stop that!" in Zuni, and the peculiarities of the Pueblo kiss. If the blissful pair remained too late, the slab-door would rumble on its wooden hinges, and the governor, preceded by a lighted torch of cedar splints, would stalk in, and, as near as I could make out, rate the young man soundly for his want of respect to the *Washingtona Me-li-kana*, whereupon the pair would vanish, the maiden giggling and the young man cursing.

Sounds Like Old Times.

A seedy-looking fellow dropped into the city editor's room, and, failing to borrow a half-dollar, he begged to narrate his experience. "I used to be an officer of the State, I did. I was sheriff, and member of the Legislature, and constable, and clerk of the courts, and judge, and a candidate time and again, and had a high old frolic, I did." "I don't believe it," said the city editor. "Why don't you?" "Because I have a letter here which says you are a thief and a liar, and a scoundrel and a villain, and a traducer, and a perjurer, and a defaulter and a bowdlerer, and a brawler, and a lover of all that is vile and wicked, and dishonest, and abhorrent to decent people, and a—" "Ah, ha! stranger, go on and read that all over again, and read it loud. It sounds like old times. It brings back the days when I ran for office. It reads like an editorial in an opposition paper, and brings again to my memory that blessed period when I felt like I was somebody and life was worth living. O, glorious hours of the past, will ye ever come back to me?" and the tears rolled down his cheeks as the city editor pronounced again the magic words, and then gave him a quarter to sober up with.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

Dr. Little, of the Jefferson Medical College at Philadelphia, has performed the wonderful operation of grafting a rabbit's eye upon the eye of a man. The patient had his eyes scalded by accident two winters ago, blinding both. The operation was intended to ease the lids of the least injured eye from the ball, to which it had become fastened by the burn. The rabbit and the man were both chloroformed, the fastened eyelid of the patient was soon loosened and the needed part of the rabbit's eye taken from the animal and placed under the eyelid of the man. When the rabbit's eye has duly made itself at home in its new location, it is expected that another operation will restore sight to the amended orb.

Household Decoration.

Cut glass again figures prominently in attractive table ware.

Slender chains are now employed to loop back window draperies.

Satin lamp-shades are adorned with dragons and other hideous beasts.

Fringed napkins are preferred for the tea service, instead of a salver, at tea.

Floral decorations for the table are rapidly going out of style for dinner parties.

Mirrors are entirely out of date in a drawing room, unless they act as the background of a cabinet.

Chiffoniers are not as high as formerly, and are made in woods to correspond with the usual furniture.

There is a great fancy at present for wicker-work chairs, which are either gilt, red, blue or tan color.

New upholstery for drawing-rooms shows very little, wood-work, the chairs and lounges being entirely covered with upholstery.

Tidies are to be superseded by small squares of lace or muslin, or even darker material, securely fastened into the back of the chair.

Little crochet boats, with silken sails, have taken the place of the little fluted paper dishes in which fruits were formerly served at fashionable luncheons.

The most stylish carpets and those for which there is the greatest demand are in dark shades and have small figures, and the more intricate the design the better.

Very pretty small screens for tables have panels of white silk, with a wreath of flowers done in colored silks on one side and a moonlight scene painted on the other.

For a useful home rug, purchase a sheepskin and wash it thoroughly in boiling soap-suds, and when dry comb carefully, and an excellent rug is made for the foot of the stairs, the fireplace, etc.

Large rooms, so fashion decrees, shall no longer be lighted with center chandeliers, but by means of upright pillars placed in the corners of the room, from which innumerable gas lights gleam.

A "handy" for a gentleman's room, which is intended for brushes, combs, razors, etc., has the foundation of ecru or light-blue kid, embroidered in outline with some humorous design and the straps of contrasting color so arranged as to form special places for the article to be put in it. Perfumery bottles and medicine flasks may also be kept in the "handy."

Pretty baskets, which are nice for serving large fruit at dinner or luncheon, are easily made. Take four pieces of card-board and cover with any material preferred, and on each piece work or paint the flower of the fruit which the basket will contain. Fasten the pieces together by a knotted cord so arranged as to look like tiny twigs. Over the fruit throw a square of delicate macrame lace.

Life in the Army.

It is mere holiday work in the service of the European nations compared with ours; they have long periods of rest, with large bodies of their troops of all arms quartered in fine cities, in splendid barracks, where they are almost in as full enjoyment of all the good things of life as the citizens, while with us our lives, in a measure, are passed cut off from almost everything that enhances life to the most humble. In my personal experience I have been eleven years straight without a single day from active duty. I have not been in New York city for twenty years, and not further East than Washington since 1866. I have been stationed at posts where we were from 250 to 400 miles from a railroad, and at one of which we did not taste even so common a vegetable as potatoes for six months, beef, bacon, bread, coffee and tea being our constant diet from Christmas to Christmas. My Captain and myself once paid $15 for one barrel of potatoes, and divided them for our family use, all of us being absolutely starved for a potato. Eggs are $1 a dozen. Butter not to be had at even $1 a pound, and everything else in the same ratio. I could give you many such incidents regarding the social life of our army officers on the "frontier," and the official life was one everlasting go scouting—scouting—scouting — Winter and Summer, Spring and Fall. My dear sir, there is not one person in ten thousand of our population knows anything about the hardships and self-denials which our little army undergoes, and many think it is all holiday work, wearing fine clothes and living on the fat of the land. The life of a line officer on the frontier is enough to wear out any man in twenty years' active and continuous service. Yet the country needs it, and patriots do it—for, after all, what is the reward? I am sure it is not a big thing financially, and it does seem hard that we have to pray and beseech so hard for what we do get. Look at what Congress did last session in the face of a prayer sent them by three-fourths of the army officers asking for a little relief—and very little at that? We are worse off than we were before. Retirement at the age of 64, with a limited retired list, is no boon at all, and the very branch of the service that needs it most gets the least. I mean the "line."—*Cor. Army and Navy Journal.*

A few months ago the discovery by Koch that tubercles were caused by a living parasite called a bacillus was confidently announced. Now comes the Chicago *Medical Journal* with the statement that it will soon publish an article by H. D. Schmidt, a distinguished microscopist of New Orleans, who claims that the bacillus is not an organized body, but a fat crystal. Dr. Schmidt declares that he can produce artificially every form of Koch's bacillus. He reached his conclusions by employing the so-called Baum[illegible] process of soaking sections of [illegible]culous lung in a 30 per cent. solution of caustic potash. This produced minute deposits of red in tissue and sputa, thus facilitating the work of observation.

Governor Stephens, of Georgia, has made one of his nieces mistress of the executive mansion in Atlanta. Two other nieces make their homes with him.

The giraffe was introduced into England in 1827.

Cast Away in the Pacific.

The Adventures of a Bark's Crew Who Passed Twenty-Five days in Open Boats.

The latest report of a marine disaster is that gathered from the surveyors of the abandoned British bark Brookville, brought to this port by the steamer Mexico, which arrived from Mazatlan. The castaways consisted of John Long, the master; Robert Thomas the first officer; and fifteen hands. They were taken in at Cape Lucas, which they reached on the 26th of September, after having been twenty-five days at sea in two open boats. From James Wilson, able-seaman, who formed one of the crew of the mate's boat, the following story of the adventures after the crew had left the bark has been obtained:

"I got into the longboat with First Officer Brown. The boats kept together till we arrived at Santa Rosa Island. All we had was a biscuit and a half, and a pint of water each. On the island we found plenty of water, and we drank so much of it that it made us sick. There were no animals there; only a thick growth of prickly pears. In the night large turtles came up on the beach, and we caught these and got eggs, and boiled the prickly pears. There was plenty of fish and birds, which we also captured and ate. We boiled the turtle meat and eggs and put them in the boat, and on the 13th, I think it was, sir, we started for the mainland. The turtle eggs and meat kept for three or four days without salt. After we were out two days we parted from the captain's boat, as she sailed faster than ours, and 'pon my word we felt lonesome, as you understand, sir. We thought, because she was an old boat, that she was gone to Davy Jones' locker. The mate, after the turtle meat gave out, only allowed us a biscuit and a half a day. We had to pull during the twelve days' trip a good deal, and it was dreary work, lad, on an empty stomach. I was sick a good deal o' the time, and many times when the night was dark I gave up the whole of us as lost. I almost wished myself back with the two cats we had left on Santa Rosa Island, or rather who had left us there to take after the birds.

"On the day after we sighted land we were completely out of provisions, I think, when the mate sighted a big turtle lying asleep on the top of the water. He ordered the boat steered right toward him, and Peter Williams the sailmaker, stood in the bow and caught him very handily and landed him in the boat. Then there was nothing to cook him in; but hungry men, sir, soon find a way. We just cut him up and cooked him in his own shell. Very handy, eh? That's the kind of game to catch—the sort that brings a stove on its back." And for the first time during the recital the shipwrecked sailor laughed immoderately at his own joke. "A little while after, in the night time I think, we sighted a steamer and made signals with rockets, but she put out her lights and left us. The next afternoon we sighted the schooner. Lotus to the leeward of us. We boarded her. The captain, a man with a big beard, treated us very kindly and gave us provisions. Before we left the schooner a boat came out full of Mexicans from the Custom House, and we went ashore with them."

For the Family Scrap Book.

Ripe tomatoes will remove ink or other stains from the hands.

Kerosene will soften leather hardened by water, and render it as pliable as new.

To heal cut fingers with rapidity wrap them in a cloth saturated with alum-water.

To keep tinware nice and bright scour it every two or three weeks with finely-sifted coal ashes.

To clean willow furniture use salt and water, and apply with a coarse brush, and dry thoroughly.

Machine grease may be removed from wash goods by dipping the fabric in cold rain-water and soda.

To remove tar rub thoroughly with clean lard, and then wash with soap and warm water. This may be applied to either the hands or clothing.

Kitchen tables may be made as white as snow if washed with hard soap and wood ashes. Floors look best scrubbed with cold water, soap and wood ashes.

Tea stains and many fruit stains may be removed with boiling water; pour the water through the stain in order to prevent it from spreading through the material.

To make good starch, mix with cold water and add boiling water until it thickens; then add a dessert spoon of sugar and a small piece of butter. This makes a stiff and glossy finish equal to new.

A few drops of hartshorn put into a little water will clean a hair brush nicely. If very dirty, use a little soap also. After cleaning rinse in clear water, tie a string around the handle, and hang it up to dry.

To remove the stains of French shoe-polish, either from woolen or cotton goods, wash the spot with tallow soap and let it stand an hour or so then wash in clean water and afterward proceed as with any soiled article.

Eggs may be kept in good order for six months by dipping them into warm tallow, and after they cool packing them in saw dust; cover with sawdust and make as nearly air-tight as possible, and put away in a dry, cool place.

The people of Knoxville, Tennessee, have set a good example to Southern communities which have long been cursed by the spirit which holds human life cheap. They have organized a Law and Order Society for the special purpose of enforcing the law against murder, and have appealed to the local authorities for their active and moral support. Just in proportion as the determination thus evinced becomes general throughout the South will that part of the country lose the disgraceful notoriety which crimes against life have given it.

A Hartford clergyman, the Rev. M. D. Buell, has been preaching against the evils of cigarette smoking. He took for his text the passage, "Behold how great a matter a little fire kindleth," and, to illustrate his discourse, exhibited and dissected a mammoth cigarette.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 4, 1883.

Why wouldn't Jonathan J. Woodman, of Van Buren county, represent this state with credit in the U. S. Senate? He would certainly be a great improvement upon the present incumbent who hails from Lake Michigan's shore.

The Commercial and Gazette newspapers of Cincinnati have been consolidated. Deacon Richard Smith and Field Marshal Halstead have both been provided for in the new combination, but what will become of Deacon Smith's wicked partners? Is it possible that this plan has been adopted as a last resort to lay the wicked partners on the shelf?

Print the pension list. The names of all pensioners should be published in the county of their residence. No honest pensioner can object to this, and the practice would soon eliminate bogus pensioners from the rolls. Uncle Sam must do full justice to the deserving soldier, but he should not be robbed by imposters. Print the pension list.

In a resume of the senatorial candidates, with their prospects, the Evening News says of Mr. Willetts:

The candidacy of Hon. Edwin Willitts, without being championed by any particular clique or locality, is in perhaps the best shape of any of the dark horses. He has friends who are for him first, last and all the time, but like himself they are too modest to rush him to the front. In all the senatorial talk and clatter, however, Mr. Willitts invariably turns up as the second choice of legislators generally, and he is the one candidate against whom nothing is urged as to character, ability, location or alliances.

The opposition to the re-election of Senator Ferry is assuming alarming and dangerous proportions. When the contest appeared to rest between Ferry and Hubbell public sentiment undoubtedly favored the former, not so much on account of Ferry's qualifications as the fact that he was vastly superior to Hubbell. Latterly, however, the sentiment has been growing among the best Republican leaders and newspapers that Michigan has within her borders many far better men then either Ferry or Hubbell to represent her in the U. S. Senate.—Should a caucus be held early in the session Ferry will probably carry off the prize. Otherwise his chances for succeeding himself seem very slim.

Gambetta, the distinguished French statesman is no more. On the 27th of November last he received a wound while carelessly handling a revolver, from which it was not dreamed that any serious results could follow. He soon became worse, blood poisoning finally set in and he died in the last hour of the closing year. His sudden death created intense excitement throughout the city of Paris. Already the deceased statesman is spoken of as a great leader, the dictator of France, and the coming president. Although Gambetta's illness has been prolonged and his condition daily watched in deep suspense by despairing friends, few even of his most intimate friends anticipated so sudden an end. His career was a brilliant and striking one, in a country noted for brilliant careers. What effect his death will have on the future destiny of France time alone can determine.

The Pendleton civil service bill passed the Senate last week with only five opposing votes. This bill provides for the appointment of a commission of three, who shall assist the president in preparing and carrying into effect suitable rules for the enforcement of the provisions of the act. It aims to place, to the farthest degree, civil service appointments on a thorough basis of competency as may be established by examining boards; it prohibits any employe of the government directly or indirectly soliciting, receiving, or handling political assessments; and inhibits persons using intoxicating beverages from governmental employ. There is a disposition manifested in some quarters to belittle the bill and treat it as a sham because it does not accomplish enough. The bill is not perfect, certainly, but it is a step in the right direction, and after it has received a fair trial its defects can be easily remedied. Political reforms are generally accomplished by gradual approach, and the Senate, in this instance at least, has shown a disposition to heed the lesson of the late elections.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

DECEMBER 26.—The Board of Supervisors met, according to adjournment, at 2 p. m., at Dean's Opera House, Adrian.

The board was called to order by Chairman Lowe, and upon roll call by County Clerk Hunter, all were found to be present except Messrs. Bixby, Dreher and James.

On motion of Sup. Pratt, the members of the board of election canvassers were allowed the same mileage per diem as is received by the supervisors.

Supervisor Hill stated that drain No. 234, Palmyra, was completed, and as there was enough money on hand to pay for the job, moved to refer the matter to the committee on drains. Carried.

On motion of Sup. Dewey the chair was authorized to appoint a committee to canvass the vote on the court house question.

The bonds of Thomas M. Hunter, as register in chancery and county clerk, were referred to the judiciary committee.

County Surveyor Blair was authorized to purchase a suitable book in which to keep a record of the county surveys.

All claims now in the hands of the county clerk were referred to the committee on claims.

The board then adjourned until 9 a. m., 27th.

DECEMBER 27—MORNING SESSION.

The board met pursuant to adjournment. All the members present except Supt. Bixby. The session was short, and the time was mostly occupied in discussing drain matters and county orders.

The chair appointed a commi[illegible] canvass the court house vote, c[illegible]ing of Sups. Bradner, Hill, Hark[illegible] Burger and Parsons.

Sup. Shepherd presented the usual resolutions in regard to allowing the deputy county clerk's salary, which was passed by a unanimous vote.

Sup. Hill offered a resolution empowering the county to select a suitable person to act as watchman at the county buildings, at a salary not to exceed $40 per month. Passed.

The bond of the county treasurer-elect being presented, on motion, was referred to the judiciary committee.

The regular order was here completed and a motion to adjourn was offered, but before it was acted upon, Mr. Joseph Bennett, township drain commissioner of Seneca, asked permission to lay before the board a grievance in regard to county drain No. 80, which was granted.

After a short discussion, the grievance was referred to the committee on drains.

Sup. Love offered a resolution that the clerk be directed to draw an order on the treasurer for $67.13, payable to the township treasurer of Franklin, to be paid out of money belonging to drains Nos. 237 and 238, of Franklin. The resolution was passed, and the board then adjourned until afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met at 2 o'clock. All the members present except Sup. Burger.

The business of the meeting was commenced by the grievance of Drain Commissioner Bragg, of Deerfield, being heard, which was that he was unable to get his orders honored, and thus could not proceed with the work of digging and repairing drains. Referred to the drain committee.

A resolution was offered and passed that the treasurer-elect execute a bond to the county in the sum of $100,000, for the faithful performance of the duties of his office.

Sup. Parsons, from the judiciary committee, reported back that the bonds of County Clerk Hunter and Treasurer-elect Hoag were executed in due form, and moved their acceptance. The motion prevailed.

Dr. E. Mann, of Ohio, appeared before the board and made a statement in regard to a bill which he had presented at the last session for medical attendance to a woman in Fairfield, some time in March last. It appears the woman was a township charge, and it was impossible at the time for the township physician to attend her. He (Dr. Mann) had been called, and had cared for her to the best of his ability, bringing her safely through her illness, and he thought his bill, which was about $27, ought to be allowed. Sup. Pratt, of Fairfield, corroborated the statement of Dr. Mann, and moved that the vote by which the bill had been rejected should be rescinded. The motion prevailed, and another motion that the bill be allowed was tabled until the morning session.

The chairman of the committee on claims and accounts reported favorably on a number of claims for juror and witness services, and other services, which were allowed.

A report from the drain committee in regard to the payment of amounts owing different parties for work on drains Nos. 234, 238, 13, 140, and 227, was accepted. And that completed the work of the afternoon session, the board adjourning.

DECEMBER 28—MORNING SESSION.

The roll call showed but three or four members present.

The reading of the journal for the two preceding days occupied some time, and after the completion of the journal, the special order of yesterday, the allowance of Dr. Mann's bill for medical attendance to a pauper in Fairfield, was taken up. This bill proved to be a bone of contention, over which the board wrangled for a considerable length of time, and finally, after motions for its allowance, amendments to said motions, counter motions, and sundry recommendations, the claim was referred to the township superintendent of Fairfield.

Sup. Dewey offered a resolution authorizing the county treasurer to draw $1,000 from the contingent fund of the county to meet current expenses. The resolution was carried.

The committee on sheriff's accounts reported that they had examined, and found correct, the sheriff's claims, and recommended their allowance. The report was accepted and adopted.

The committee on claims and accounts reported a large number of claims for sundry services, and the report was accepted and adopted.

The chairman of the committee appointed to canvass the vote on the question relative to the court house tax, reported the official figures of the vote, which gives a majority of 2,609 for the tax.

Various printing bills were reported, and referred to the proper committee, which completed the work of the morning session.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The board reassembled promptly at 2 o'clock, with every supervisor in attendance.

Supervisor Holdridge offered the following preamble and resolution:

WHEREAS, By the provisions of act No. 186, session laws of 1879, a two-thirds vote of all the members of the supervisors-elect is necessary to authorize the appointment of a probate register; and

WHEREAS, The appointment of probate register for Lenawee county has never been authorized by the board of supervisors of Lenawee county:

Resolved, That the increase of salary from $600 to $900 is illegal and unauthorized.

Resolved, That the county treasurer be and hereby is instructed to pay to the probate register henceforth at the rate of $600 per year, and no more.

On motion of Sup. Wagener, the matter was made a special order for 9 o'clock a. m. to-morrow.

A number of accounts, reported by the committee of claims were allowed.

Mr. Luke, from the committee on drains, reported that the complaint of the drain commissioner of Seneca had been taken under consideration, and they would refer him to a resolution passed by this board authorizing township drain commissioners to complete unfinished portions of county drains. Also, that the county treasurer be authorized to pay all outstanding drain orders.

The last clause of this report was made the subject of a lengthy discussion, some of the members taking the ground that the payment of these drain orders from the county contingent fund would be utterly illegal, and others affirming that the best way to dispose of them was to have the orders paid by the treasurer.

On motion of Sup. Pratt, that portion of the report pertaining to drain orders was stricken from the report by a vote of 13 to 12.

The rest of the report was adopted, and the board adjourned.

DECEMBER 29—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session of the board proved to be fully as interesting as that of the morning. A full board was present, and the session opened with a motion from Sup. Bixby, that the resolution in regard to probate register's salary, which had been tabled, be taken up.

Sup. Swaney thought such a course was a trifle premature, but the motion receiving the requisite support, was carried.

Sup. Pratt offered a resolution, which was passed, that the subject matter be postponed until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock, and that Judge Geddes be invited to appear before the board, and make some statement in regard to the necessary work to be done in his office, the amount of help required, and the amount of work each officer is required to perform.

After a few claims were allowed, and some routine business transacted, the board adjourned until 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

DECEMBER 30—MORNING SESSION.

The board assembled promptly at 8½ o'clock a. m.

The first matter disposed of was a resolution that when the board adjourn it be until the 19th of March next.

Sup. Harknesss offered the following:

WHEREAS, in the opinion of this board, a probate register is required in this county.

Resolved, That the judge of probate be and is hereby empowered to appoint such register as provided for by Act 186 of the Session Laws of 1879.

The tenor of this resolution was discussed by several supervisors, and when finally put to the vote, it failed to receive the requisite two-thirds vote.

The committee on treasurer's accounts reported that they had examined such accounts and found them correct. The report was accepted and adopted.

The clerk was instructed to draw up a few drain orders, and, the hour of nine having arrived, the board took a recess to await the appearance of Judge Geddes before taking up the special order. In a few minutes the board resumed its sitting, and Sup. Dewey moved the adoption of the report of the judiciary committee in regard to the matter of probate register.

The board continued to talk on this matter for two or three hours, without eliciting any new points, although considerable feeling was manifested by one or two of the members. The final outcome of the matter was that a resolution by Sup. Bixby, which, after being served as almost every resolution presented on this subject for the last two days had been treated, by being amended, counter amended, certain portions stricken out, and other conditions inserted, was passed. The resolution, as passed, provides that the board of supervisors shall authorize the judge of probate to employ a probate register, and that his salary shall be $750 per year; also that the judge be allowed a clerk who shall receive compensation at the rate of twenty cents per folio for copying done.

The passage of this bill completed the work of the session, and the board adjourned.

WE feel that we are doing our readers a personal favor in calling their attention to the advertisement of the American Peerless Dictionary, which will be found elsewhere in this paper. The very high price of Webster's Dictionary, heretofore from $12 to $15, has prevented many from possessing a copy, although there is nothing so useful to any one who reads, as a Dictionary. This is the age, however, in which the purchasing power of a dollar is magnified to an extent little dreamed of by our forefathers, or even Webster, during the thirty years in which he was engaged in compiling his Dictionary, and the result is to be seen in the announcement to which we call attention. We have only to add that the firm of H. C. Wilkinson & Co. have the very best reputation among publishers, and the mercantile agencies quote them as being among the most enterprising, honest and solid business men of New York.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Kalamazoo citizens are still agitating the street railway question.

West Bay City is to invest not to exceed $25,000 in water works.

E. Gordon, a Brockway Center merchant, is reported to have mysteriously disappeared.

Herbert Aulls, formerly of St. Clair, has been appointed assistant city engineer at Denver, Col.

Eight degrees above zero is the lowest notch the mercury has reached in bleak Petoskey this winter.

Mrs. Margaret Payton, a widow who lived alone at Muskegon, was found dead in bed Sunday. Heart disease.

The financial interest of the cause of religion is strengthened at Ionia, by means of "candy pulling parties."

George Irwin, of near Niles, found four of his fat hogs drowned in a lake a few days ago.

A young boy and girl have been arrested at Bay City charged with robbing stores.

The Cheboygan salt well is down 800 feet. Lots of good indications have been found but no salt yet.

Moses Moran, an old resident of Jackson, dropped dead at the supper table of a hotel in that city last week.

One W. T. Robb, of Benton Harbor, was arrested last week on a charge of larceny alleged to have been committed four years ago.

Figures given by the Ann Arbor Register show that there were $294,542 worth of building improvements made in that city last year.

Again the deadly frog. Geo. Shafer a brakeman caught his foot in one of those terrible traps at Cheboygan and was badly mangled, but not killed.

The state teachers' association meeting at Lansing was well attended and the exercises very interesting. The work took a directly practical course.

Four Grand Rapids lady school teachers have been married since the holiday vacation began, and a dozen or two more are open to conviction on the subject.

The U. S. authorities are prosecuting, or getting ready to prosecute, trespassers on U. S. pine lands in Cheboygan county. Most of the cases are against homesteaders.

A German family at Jackson is suffering from trichinoses arising from eating bologna sausage. The sausage was home made and contained meat from hogs raised by the family.

A Kalamazoo minister made the grand rounds of the saloons and bar rooms of that place a few nights ago, and Sunday night told a huge congregation what he saw and what he thought about it.

The meanest thief of the month is the conscienceless cuss who, while an East Saginaw minister was engaged in his Sunday school Christmas festivities, entered the pastor's house and stole $70 therefrom.

Bay City people are signing a petition for the pardon of Horace Becker, formerly an officer of the law in that city, but who was convicted of robbery and sent up for 15 years. He has served two years now.

Five prisoners at the Jackson county jail leaked out through the slush-room ventilator last week. They were Noah Phelps, Joe Davis, Frank Artis, Charles Blackman, and Minnie Freeman. Blackman was subsequently rearrested.

Inquiry is made for the whereabouts of Wm. Rockwell and Henry Rockwell, brothers, who left their home in Oakland county 16 years ago. Their mother left them money, and they must show up before April 1, 1883, or it will be divided among other heirs.

On Christmas, as Simon Langley, of Huron township, Huron county, was carelessly driving a cartridge into a revolver it exploded and the shell striking him in the eye knocked the optic out of its socket and threw it down at his feet. It is feared some portion of the shell is still in the wound beyond the reach of the surgeon's probe.

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JOHN R. CLARK'S lecture last Monday evening was well attended. Mirth and pathos, song and story, were skillfully woven together, and the whole made a fine entertainment. Tecumseh has reason to be proud of her temperance lecturer.

Quite a number of friends assembled this morning at the invitation of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. S. Spafford at their residence to witness the marriage of their daughter, Anna E. to Will C. Blood. The event was an enjoyable one to all present as well as the happy couple. The bride was well remembered by her friends as will be seen by the list of gifts which follow. The bride and groom have our congratulations and best wishes.

LIST OF PRESENTS.

Table spread, Mr. & Mrs. C. H. Blood; linen table spread, Mr. & Mrs E. F. Blood; bed spread, Miss Hessie Cupples; towel and napkins, bed spread and pair of blankets, P. King, Laporte, Ind.; silver castor, and small clock, Mrs. Leroy Blood; gold bracelets, Will C. Blood; hand lamp, May L. Blood; $50 in gold, L. C. Blood; $12 50 in cash, Mrs. H. W. Conkling; silver cake dish, Mrs. L. King and Mrs. Hattie Parker; half dozen nut picks, T. W. Hibbard, Jr., Lansing; card case, Mr. & Mrs. Austin Herrick, Bangor, Mich.; 2 silver spoons, Mrs. Jacob Tallman, Mt. Morris, N. Y.; toilet set, Mrs. J. Van Ness; glass pitcher, Miss Vesta Freeman; china cup and saucer and vaces, Mr. & Mrs. W. Bresie; set butter plates, Mrs. Robert Crosby; imported photograph, Matt D. Blosser, Manchester; butter knife, Mrs C. M. Burlingame; tin water set, J. B. VanNess; full chamber set, H. W. Conkling; sugar spoon; Jessie spafford; satin circular, fur trimmed, F. King, Laporte, Ind.; beaver hat, Miss Mary Lester, Chicago; $25.00 cash, Geo. Spafford and family; vase and boquet, Burt and Ina Blood; silk handkerchief, L. Loana Stacy; plates, Geo. N. Stacy.

Marriage Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Easlick celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of their marriage on the 30th of December last. Mr. Easlick started his matrimonial voyage thirty years ago, in humble circumstances, but with a stout heart, a willing heart, and an industrious companion. He now rejoices in the farm, a pleasant home, and a candid family. About sixty guests assembled to pay their respects on the occasion, who were well entertained. Music and mirth, with a long list of gifts and a table loaded with dainties, made up a programme of festivities which was enjoyed by all present. Below we append a list of presents: Mr. and Mrs. L. Osgood, silver butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. David Coryell, picture and frame; Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart, counterpain; Mother Easlick, glass set, six pieces, pair tidies and pair towels; Joseph Spencer, L. Manning and L. B. Spencer, hanging lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Karcher, wash bowl and pitcher, toilet set; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Easlick, fruit dish and pitcher, majolica; Mrs. Sarah Miller, smoking stand and pair of vases; Mr. and Mrs. C. Eddy, picture frame; Nathan and Dewitt Bowen, silver spoons, napkin ring; Julia Rose, Schuyler Dick and Ida, Easlick, china cup and saucer and silver pickle castor; Ina and Wm. Spalding, pair match vases; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Easlick, silver pickle castor; Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Yates, tea pot; Mr. and Mrs. B. DePuy and family, silver butter dish.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH. JAN. 4, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

MISS JENNIE FRAZER is home.

MR. AND MRS. W. F. BAXTER at home over New Years.

MISS COTTMAN, of Cincinnati, is visiting Miss Elida James.

DID you pay your taxes last week and thereby save 5 per cent?

MISS JENNIE STEVENS, of Ypsilanti, is visiting friends in town.

Two steam pile-drivers have arrived at Marshall for work on the T. & M. road.

WE shall be able to give the readers of the HERALD the Governor's message next week.

THE ladies of St. Peter's Church will repeat the operetta "Fairy of the Fountain," at the Opera House, Tecumseh, on Friday evening, Jan. 5th. Admission 15 cents.

THE records of prosecuting attorney Watts shows that during the past year there have been 347 prosecutions in this county, 270 convictions, 71 discharges and 9 acquittals.

OUR new type, which was ordered several days ago, did not arrive until last Monday, too late to use in this week's paper. The new suit will certainly be put on next week.

The Blissfield Advance says that the probabilities are that the Bartholomew Bros. have sold out to Dr. Peters and son, of Tecumseh. The bargain is made, but as yet only verbally.

THIS is the season when the union prayer meetings occur in which the average preacher speaks from twenty to thirty minutes in exhorting his people "to speak," but "to be short."

FRANK SMALLIDGE, of Detroit, spent New Year's with his brother Wm. Smallidge, of this village. Frank runs a drug store on Jefferson Ave., and is prospering finely in his business.

THE insurance office of J. R. Gilkey has been moved over Parks' dry goods store, No. 4 East Maumee street, Adrian, where he will be pleased to meet all his friends. He has telephone connection.

THE Morenci Observer says that a citizen of northeast Medina claims that he raised 128 kinds of vegetables in his garden last year; but then it was a cold day for Ananias when he told the story.

THE winter term of the public schools will commence next Monday morning. An extra room has been finished and seated in the Central Building, and the 5th grade, which was crowded to overflowing, has been divided.

It is now said that the Detroit, Lansing & Northern and the Michigan Central are the only railways in the state that will forward passes to the members of the legislature unless requested by the members in writing.—The companies named wait for no request.

"FENCE-board advertisements," observed an old farmer, "are well enough as landscape adornments, but if you are desirous of purchasing an article it is easier and more convenient to look through the columns of a newspaper to see who has it for sale, than to hook up a team and drive around the country and read fences."

FOR the benefit of the ladies we would say that if you wish your silver or silver plate to remain to an indefinite time as bright as new, put a lump of camphor gum done up in a paper in the case where you keep your silver. Where this is done, time or the atmosphere will not cause it to become dim. The same is true in regard to jewelry of every kind.

Hudson Gazette: Oscar Clarke, of Rollin, came to town with his three-legged sheep and established a museum in front of the Gazette office, where many curious eyes scanned his living curiosity. The sheep is nearly three years old, is as sound as can be, and despite his limited understanding, can get along as lively as any of the wooly quadrupeds he associates with on Mr. Clark's farm.

Now, as the New Year is upon us, would it not be a good idea to "turn over a new leaf" and try to live a life in the future of which we and our friends need not be ashamed? Nearly, if not wholly, every person has one or more blemishes upon his or her character, and would it not be better, as we begin the new year, to completely clear ourselves, as far as possible, of all faults and vices? Let us all in the future, try hard to lead exemplary and true lives.

Clinton News: That the Masonic fraternity of Clinton know how to entertain their friends with true Masonic hospitality will be attested by all who were present at their festival Wednesday evening. The attendance was large, the commodious and pleasant lodge room being well filled with Masons, their wives and children and many others, and all seemed to greatly enjoy the occasion. Over 150 persons partook of the supper. Truly, it is a pleasant thing for brothers to dwell together in harmony.

SEE our three big offers for subscriptions for 1883.

HON. B. KEYES of Clinton gave the HERALD a call last Tuesday.

MR. AND MRS. ARCHIE BOYD have placed the HERALD boys under obligations for favors.

MRS. M. A. FREEMAN requests all persons who are indebted to her to call and settle immediately.

THE Brownville Social Club spent last evening at the residence of Mr. Henry Smith, in their usual jolly manner.

THE "Week of Prayer" will be observed at the M. E. church next week. A brief lecture will be given each evening.

THE ladies social of the Universalist church will meet at E. D. Burlingame's residence on Friday afternoon and evening of next week.

OLD Lake Ridge loomed up as usual last Monday night; 124 couples at hand. Pat and Dan made the music, and everybody had a good time.

MRS. JOHN MCGILVREA *nee* Nancy Hand, of Humboldt, Nebraska, arrived in Tecumseh on Saturday last on a visit to her old home and parents.

THE dance at Pennington's Corners, Monday evening, was a decided success. Jo and Johnny were well pleased on account of the sixty couples present, and everybody had a good time.

ARTHUR R. PARMINGTON returned home on Wednesday from Rushford, Minn. He is not decided yet whether he will remain in Tecumseh. He is full of admiration for the west.

THE annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the Methodist church on Friday afternoon, Jan. 5, at 3 o'clock. Let there be a full attendance of the temperance workers.

MRS. N. R. MERRITT, Pres.
MRS. J. N. OSBORN, Sec.

THE Adrian Times has a law suit on its hands. Willis Merritt has begun an action of libel against that paper for the article which appeared Dec. 16th reflecting upon his professional management of the Lowe insurance matter.

WE received an invitation to be present at the marriage of Alice K. Fairfield to Edwin L. Hough, at Muskegon, on the 3rd inst. In lieu of a personal visit we extend our hearty congratulations. Ed's business success is a guarantee that his matrimonial venture will prove equally successful.

A DELIGHTED reception was tendered to Dr. J. H. Vincent and son last Thursday at the M. E. parsonage, by the C. L. S. C. and invited friends. Hand shaking and well wishing abounded. Dr. Vincent expressed himself as greatly pleased with the large "circle" and delighted with our beautiful city and its people.

LAST Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. James Cairnes gave a party to a few of their friends in Adrian and Tecumseh. It would be useless for us to attempt to give the names of all the guests present, but suffice it to say that "a great time was at hand." The supper was A No. 1, every one enjoyed themselves as they would like to, and the clock went round many times before all went home.

Removal.

On Friday, Jan. 5th, Dr. and Mrs. Peters will remove to Blissfield. The Doctor has purchased the drug business of Bartholomew Bros., at Blissfield, and will move his family to Blissfield. Dr. Peters has lived in Tecumseh for the last eighteen years, has built up a good practice here, built a nice property on Pottawatamie street, and been in many ways a great help to the town. Last year he was in New York city, graduated at the Medical College there, and spent much of his time in the various hospitals. We regret very much to have the Doctor leave our town, but wish him success in his new enterprise, and congratulate the people of Blissfield. His son, Wallace, who has been for some time at Cleveland, Ohio, will go with him and be employed in the store. The Doctor will practice, as well as attend to the drug business.

A New Year's Visit.

One of the pleasantest New Year's visits we ever enjoyed was at the residence of Washington Jackson, in the village of Ridgeway, this county. The company consisted of father, mother, brothers, sisters and friends, who came from Macon to give him a happy surprise. As we arrived there, we found large, warm hearts to greet us, and pleasant words to cheer us. After meeting with friends, new and old, and spending some hours in pleasant and profitable conversation, we partook of a bountiful dinner, prepared by Mrs. J. Having retired again to the parlor, Mr. Jackson, in behalf of his brothers and sisters, presented to the aged parents some fine tokens of love and respect. The gratitude of the parents was beyond expression. A few verses of the fifth chapter of St. Matthew were then read and prayer offered, after which we all joined in singing "Shall we Meet Beyond the River?" and the company separated, returning to their several homes with happy hearts.
W. K. J.

MISS ANNIE COTTRELL, a former teacher in our public schools, made a short call on some of her old friends last Thursday evening. During the past two years she has been in the Battle Creek schools, under Prof. Spencer. She stopped here while on her way to Panesville, Ohio, where she takes a position as superintendent of the schools. Her friends here will no doubt be pleased to learn of her success.

Adrian Record: Queer eccentricities sometimes take possession of legal minds. Yesterday, while meditating on a Supreme court decision, Seth Bean, Esq., was led to contemplate a new devise for a mouse trap and his success was marvelous. The attorney placed some large horse chestnuts in his pockets to do duty as bait and soon caught a mouse when it had accomplished about two-thirds of the journey up his pantaloons leg. Seth is enthusiastic over the success of his device, but thinks the sport is a little too exciting for a man of his temperment. Patent applied for.

Adrian Press: Sunday morning Jake Lonaburger, switchman, met his death in a most shocking manner. He was missed soon after drawing a car up from the water tanks, and on going back, he was found dead, his body being severed entirely, just across the abdomen. It is thought that he must have in some way slipped and fell, and the car passed directly over him. He has for three years been day switchman, and Saturday night for the first time went on as night switchman.—He is a German about 27 years of age, and leaves a wife and two children in deepest grief and sorrow.

THE fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob McNeil was celebrated at their home, in the township of Clinton, on Dec. 27th. A goodly number of friends and relatives were present to make glad the event. Altogether, the occasion was a very enjoyable one. The tokens of friendship and good will were numerous and valuable. The company, having passed a very pleasant afternoon and evening and partaken of the good cheer provided for the occasion, took their departure, each feeling better for the good time and things enjoyed, and hoping, no doubt, that the anniversaries of their marriage may be thus happily kept in remembrance for many years to come.

Ypsilanti Sentinel: The Supreme Court of this State has sustained the Sunday saloon closing law to its fullest extent. In the case of Weislegel, of Albion, it was not pretended that liquor was sold, nor is it necessary to prove this! The opening of the door of a saloon, on Sunday, if nothing more than cleaning the floor, is held to be a violation of the law. It is hard to see how an enactment can be made more stringent, and yet we venture to say there will be very few convictions under it. Side doors, back doors, and intricate passages will still afford opportunities for Sunday drinking, and more liquor will be consumed than those dark ways were prohibited and saloons were required to stand wide open, so that every body might see who drank.

There are two much needed amendments to the State Drain Law. The first requiring that the necessity for the construction of any and all drains under the law shall be determined by a jury the same as in the case of establishing or discontinuing of highways, instead of leaving it to the drain commissioner, who has a direct bribe of two or three dollars a day before him to influence his judgment in deciding on the application for a drain. The second requiring the owner or owners of land through which a township or county drain runs, and the overseer of highways in each road district where such drain runs in or along the highway, between the first day of August and the first day of October in each and every year, to cut or cause to be be cut and removed from such ditch or drain, all grass, weeds, brush or other obstruction. So long as such ditch is recognized and maintained as a public water course, with proper penalties for neglect or refusal so to do.

THREE GREAT OFFERS.

For the benefit of our subscribers, we have succeeded in making arrangements with the Detroit Free Press, Michigan Farmer, and Detroit Post and Tribune, and will offer the HERALD in connection with these papers at the following rates:

Herald & Weekly Free Press.....$2.25
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We have special rates from these papers, and have made a special rate on the HERALD to give our subscribers a chance to get the papers most needed in this vicinity at a reasonable rate, and hence concluded to make the cash reduction rather than give a premium, as heretofore. These rates are better than can be obtained from any subscription agent, and gives you the HERALD for less money than you can get any other paper published in Lenawee county. We also give special rates on all other newspapers published, and it will be to the advantage of any person to see us before subscribing for their newspapers for 1883.

THE ECHO.

The Echo is the weekly edition of the Detroit Evening News. It has just entered upon its fifth year, and both in popularity and circulation has been a decided success. It is of the same size as the News, contains little or no advertising, and is filled from the first column to the last with the very choicest matter that can be procured. All the best items, paragraphs and articles are culled from the daily; a synopsis of each week's news is carefully prepared for it; its market reports, while brief, are very complete and reliable, and nearly a whole page of each issue is devoted to choice original or selected stories—something superior, on the average, to the ordinary newspaper tales. Altogether it is a little gem of a paper, and at the price is without question the cheapest of the kind in the country. Single copies, 75 cents; 3 copies for $2, 6 for $3.

The Toledo & Ann Arbor R. R.

Governor Ashley told a Detroit Evening News reporter last week that the intention of his company was to extend the road from South Lyon via Durand, Corunna, Owosso or Ovid to Alma or St. Louis, a distance of 150 miles from Toledo. The ultimate destination of the road is Frankfort, on Lake Michigan, which would make its total length 285 miles, but the management are concentrating their efforts for the present upon the extension to Alma or St. Louis, where they will take a rest and deliberate upon the line northwest from that point. President Ashley is of the opinion that when his road reaches St. Louis or Alma, whichever point is decided upon as the temporary northern terminus, it cannot fail to be of vast importance to Detroit, as it will connect at Durand or Owosso with the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee and become a feeder for that line, contributing the business of the section it traverses, which is naturally tributary to Detroit.

M. C. R. R.—Appointments.

A circular signed by H. B. Ledyard, general manager of the Michigan Central railroad, has just been issued, which says:

This company having assumed the management of the Canada Southern railway, the jurisdiction of the heads of the different departments is extended over that road. The following appointments have been made, taking effect this date:

E. C. Brown, general superintendent of the line west of Detroit river. Office, Detroit, Mich.

W. P. Taylor, general superintendent of the line east of Detroit river, including the Michigan, Midland and Canada railroad. Office, Buffalo, N. Y.

Wm. H. Perry, general eastern freight agent, in charge of the local traffic of the Canada Southern railway, with such other duties as may be assigned to him by the general freight agent. Office, Buffalo, N. Y.

W. H. Hurlburt, eastern passenger agent. Office, Buffalo, N. Y.

R. J. Pelton, assistant auditor and assistant cashier. Office, St. Thomas, Ontario.

A. F. Howland, assistant to the purchasing agent. Office, St. Thomas, Ontario.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Dec. 29th the Farmer's Social Club met at John Schreder's. The attendance was very large, showing that the interest in the meetings is good. The program was finely arranged and well carried out. The declamation by Joe Platt was good, and the recitation by Ida Rector was finely recited. The song by F. V. Horton carried the older members, in memory, back to days of "Auld Lang Syne."

The discussion upon the road question was very animated. Some very ably advocated that each township should comprise but one road district under the control of one commissioner. Others as ably advocated the present system, and thought the greatest trouble was that men did not work upon the road with the same interest that they did on the farm, but sat in the shade too much and loafed around. They were so equally divided it was impossible to tell which side had the most adherents until a vote was taken which resulted in a majority [illegible] in favor of the change.

The Club adjourned to meet at the Hon. Edwin Morris's, Esq., inviting the Commissioner of Highways there to send us venerable seeds. The Club received two large packages which were distributed among the members last evening.

The next meeting will be held Friday evening, Jan. 12th, at Uncle John Rector's.

PROGRAMME.

Singing.
Essay—Mrs. H. O. Hall.
Dec.—George Henderson.
Select Reading—Nellie Rogers.
Dec.—Charles Macham.
Instrumental Music—W. Schreder and H. Horton.
Question—Resolved, that a farmer's wife's rights should be equal with her husband's, and that the proceeds of the dairy and poultry should belong to the wife and daughters. Led by Mrs. R. R. Hall.

MRS. F. C. RECTOR, Sec'y.

Women may save themselves years of poor health and suffering by using Zoa-Phora. (the health-bringer) at needed periods.

As a sandy hill is to the feet of the aged, so is a woman of many words to a quiet man.

Another Card to the People of Tecumseh and Vicinity about Sewing Machines.

Mr. Coller says I have not been in the sewing machine business 12 years, which is a fact beyond controversy.—Nevertheless I am in it now and come to stay, and don't scare worth a cent. It appeared to the public doubtless that Mr. Coller's offer to give away machines is a bit of liberality not to be surpassed. I will say right here, however, that to every one presented with a New Home machine by Mr. Coller, I will follow suit and present his next customer, (upon satisfactory evidence that Mr. Coller carried out his promise in good faith,) with a New Home, and throw in a series of elegant cards representing 5 acts in a French juvenile comic opera, gotten up regardless of expense, or will make a discount of $4.00 on his lowest cash price. Mr. Coller says I insinuate that he is out of his territory. I affirm it on authority of a letter of the 21st ult., received from E. W. Trout, general agent representing the New Home company, in which he says "I wrote Mr. Coller not to offer for sale any New Homes in the territory formerly occupied by Mr. Landgraf."—The letter is too long for publication but can be seen at my office. One of the 27 late sales paraded in two issues of the HERALD, I learn from good authority, was an exchange made for two old machines about a year ago, and declined at this office. How many more of the 27 are like unto it none but Mr. Coller knows. If you want a machine, call at my rooms and examine or drop me a card and I will send you a New Home, Domestic, White, Crown, Victor, American, Singer or Wilson on trial. All machines warranted for five years. Buy a machine where you do your trading, for in case anything should get out of repair you can report at the office and have it attended to. I can make it to your advantage to buy of me rather than of outside parties.

G. P. SPARKS.

LIST of officers elected and installed Jan. 2d, 1883, at Tecumseh Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 14:

N. G.—C. A. McNeil.
V. G.—J. M. Hibbard.
Sec'y—Thos. Cummins.
Treas.—I. P. Keyser.
Representative to Grand Lodge—C. E. Williamson.
Warden—E. A. Hodges.
Con.—J. W. Wooden.
O. G.—L. A. Chapman.
I. G.—C. E. Williamson.
R. S. N. G.—R. Holdway.
L. S. N. G.—P. M. Stevenson.
R. S. V. G.—H. H. Atwell.
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Parties in this state who are interested in the Green patent drive well suits are advised that the United States supreme court has reaffirmed the validity of the patents, on an appeal case from the United States court at Indianapolis. The state grange is, however, still fighting the patent in the United States court for the western district of Michigan.

Hudson Post: "Two young fellows got into a fight the other day over a clay pipe. When young men get so they have to fight over a one cent affair it is time they packed up and pulled out.

—Wilkes Barre Hard Coal at
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People can get pictures at my gallery in Clinton now any day in the week. I shall remove it to Brooklyn, Mich., very soon.

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Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 42 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 35 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	.....
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
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Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	.....
Adrian	11 40 a m	9 20 "	5 10 a m
Tecumseh	12 14 p m	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 [illegible]	10 0[illegible] "	[illegible]
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
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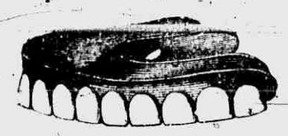

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Detecting Counterfeits.

It is a good rule in receiving bank notes to carefully examine the general appearance of the note, the geometrical lathe work, shading of the letters, ruling engine work, vignettes, and solid print, carefully noting whether they compare with standard work. The ink, printing and paper must be considered. The charter number appears on all bank notes issued since 1875. All national bank notes are signed by F. E. Spinner, Treasurer, prior to 1875. All genuine notes of the United States Treasury bear check letters, A, B, C, or D, and are numbered consecutively, commencing with 1, thus: A is 1; B is 2; C 3 and D 4; or a number, which is divided by 4, will show the number to be even.

Genuine bank notes are usually printed on paper of good quality, though varying much in thickness—some being quite thin. It is not impossible for counterfeiters to procure a good quality of paper, yet counterfeits usually have a smooth greasy touch, while the genuine note has not, but will cleave to the fingers. The paper, though important in question, is not infallible, and it will not do to rely too much upon the quality. All notes in the United States are now printed on fibre paper, the fibre consisting of silk threads which are in and form a part of the substance. The government are now also manufacturing the note paper, having two silk threads which extend the whole length of the note, one a red, the other blue, which are discernible by holding the note to the light. These the counterfeiter has endeavored to imitate by drawing two parallel lines on the surface. This will be found in the counterfeit United States silver certificates.

Water and sky, when done with the ruling engine, cannot be successfully imitated. It is rare to see fine vignettes on counterfeit notes, yet many very dangerous imitations have been produced. But, however perfect, a counterfeit cannot be the same as the original or genuine.

Then there is the geometrical lathe work. All designs, such as circles, ovals, squares, etc., and upon which the denomination is usually placed, composed of a net-work of fine lines crossing each other at such angles and distances as to produce the desired effect is called the geometrical lathe, a wonderful as well as beautiful machine. The patterns produced by the lathe are of every conceivable variety of form and shape. The fine lines is the characteristic of this description of engraving and in the genuine note can be traced throughout the design, never breaking or losing itself in another line, or having any irregularity whatever. The line is usually white, on black or green ground, or sometimes red, but may be a black, green or red on white. In the counterfeit engraving the design is engraved upon the plate and fails in various ways. First, it is impossible to produce the perfect line as in the genuine, and the effect to the eye will be more or less dull or sunken in appearance as well as having a scratchy look. The design will also be darker or light in spots, as the lines are sometimes heavier and sometimes lighter, as well as the spaces between are sometimes wide and again near together, being irregular in size and sometimes broken. Second, it is impossible for the counterfeiter to produce 2 designs exactly alike. As the counterfeit is engraved by hand and separately it is impossible to produce 2 exactly alike. On examinaton of the genuine bill the designs of the geometrical lathe work will show the beautiful clear raised impression produced by the correct and regular lines in the engraving. Sometimes the whole face of a note except the vignettes and dies will be tinted. The tint is composed of fine curved or looped lines running across the whole face of the bill.

Genuine bank notes are always printed with great care. The plate is covered with ink, which is then carefully wiped off, except what remains in the lines of the engraving. The engraving is then taken with a powerful press.—Should any irregularity appear on the note it is immediately canceled, and not issued. Thus all genuine notes have a clear and beautiful impression, which is very unusual for a counterfeit. The ink used in bank-note printing gives a clear impression, without any smutty appearance. The green ink and also that used for the numbering of United States notes, is with great difficulty produced by the counterfeiters. The ink usually used by them for printing counterfeits has a heavy, dull look; while the numbering has a bricky appearance.—*Milwaukee Wisconsin.*

A Great City's Growth.

Last year 26,170 new houses, covering a length of eighty-six miles, were built in the metropolitan police area of London, which now contains 4,788,657 persons, the largest number, probably, ever packed within fifteen miles of a common center. Out of this multitude twenty-three children and 154 adults were entirely lost. Their disappearance [illegible] of London, upon which but little light is thrown by the fact that fifty-four bodies of persons found dead and unknown were buried before identification. There were three times as many people killed in the streets of London in 1881 as it cost to storm Arabi's position at Tel-el-Kebir, and ten times as many wounded, the figures being, killed 252, wounded 3,400. There were 800 fires, 274 suicides, 11 murders, and only three convictions; 470 burglaries and only 91 convictions.

Herr von Gessler, Prussian Minister of Education, has issued a circular ordering that all the boys in the higher schools of the country shall be made to play games. For some time public opinion in Germany has been much exercised about the physical condition of the boys; they were good scholars, but listless, inactive, unenterprising, often appalingly short-sighted. A remedy is to be sought, not only in gymnastics, but in cricket and football and other outdoor games requiring skill and agility. It is a wise ruling.

When you see two women slowly meandering up the street talking attentively to each other, you can make up your mind there's something mighty important about to be developed. Just as like as not they are going to buy a yard and a half of ribbon to "match" a new

She Concluded That He Was too Young For Her.

"But, George, we might try light housekeeping."

A very pretty picture they made, George Smith and Jane Brown, as they sat upon the front step that beautiful moonlit night waiting for the 4:15 a. m. up comet.

He was only nineteen, and over her fair young bangs but seventeen Summers had passed, and yet these two, so fair, so young, were trying to lift the veil from the impenetrable future and establish themselves in happy union securely there.

He felt that he could not, in the very near future, afford to rent and handsomely furnish a beautiful home, for he was only getting four dollars a week; nor could they even board at a first-class hotel, and as he broke these sad facts to Jane, great scalding, manly tears rolled down his cheeks and on to his roundabout.

'Twas then that, woman-like, and in gentle, soothing accents, she came to his rescue:

"But, George, we might try light housekeeping," and as she spoke a glad light, born of the happy suggestion, illumined the trusting eyes into whose calm depths George had been fondly gazing for four hours and twenty minutes. George pondered long and deeply.

Turning at length to the fair being of his heart's choice, he said, "Jane, it would be sweet, indeed, to dwell with you in blissful solitude upon some rock-bound coast; to wander hand in hand upon the seashore all day long, and light the storm-tossed mariner's way at night; but it takes political influence to get a lighthouse, and I, alas! haven't even got a note. No, Jane; I am afraid we cannot go to lighthouse keeping, but I will save my money, go to a commercial college and learn bookkeeping."

And when Jane had heard the words that were spoken by George she marveled greatly, and she said: "Henceforth, George I can but love you with a mother's love. You're too young for me," and she went into the house.—*Cin. Sat. Night.*

Artemus Ward to the Young Ladies at the Seminary.

Artemus Ward after delivering a lecture once in New London, Conn., was asked by the principal of a young ladies' high school in the place to pay a visit to her institution the next day. He went away like "an amoosin cuss," and made the girls a speech. While walking to the academy a street runaway occurred. A terrified horse went tearing over the pavement, with what Artemus called "the fore quarters" of a wagon clattering at his heels. This incident Artemus ingeniously utilized in his address. Said he:

"The vehicular elopement which has just taken place, young ladies, has furnished us with a timely topic of discourse. Young ladies' seminaries are ever exposed to run-aways. Once, when traveling with my show, I came upon a female institute. There were ladders, and lads too, as to that, at every window. Manly perpendiculars carrying fainting horizontals to the ground.—"Fire!" I shouted. "None of that," replied a solemn voice from the orchard. "There ain't no fire; these are only young fellows running off with their sweethearts." There is a moral entertainment for man and beast in this runaway. No horse, if attached to a wagon, that is, if sincerely attached to it, will run away with it; but the more a young man is attached to a young woman, the more he will run away with her, leaving no trace, in fact none of the harness, behind. Young ladies, since I have stood before your beautiful faces I have lost something, and if you or the boy that sweeps out should find a red object looking like a coral breast-pin that has been stepped on, you may know it is my poor, busted heart.

The Original Judge Lynch.

Who the original Judge Lynch was if such a personage ever really existed—is a mystery. The earliest date assigned to this exhibition of a developed "iron conscience" is, according to the "Galway Council Book," the year 149[illegible] when an Irishman in municipal authority in the county of Galway, and named James Lynch, hanged his own son out of a window for despoiling and murdering strangers, "without martial or common law, to show a good example to posterity." Another ancestral derivation is to be found in one Lynch, who, about 1687, was sent to Ann[illegible] to suppress piracy. As justice was not administered with much rigor or formality in the colonies, "owing to the difficulty of adhering to the usual forms of law in the newly-fashioned territories," it is presumed that this Judge Lynch was empowered to proceed summarily against the pirates, and thus originated the term. The opinion which traces the expression to a Mr. Lynch, founder of the town of Lynchburg, in Virginia, is entirely unsupported by any authority beyond identity of name; but it is curious to remember that so long ago as the reign of Richard II. there was a current doggerel distich. "First hang and draw; then hear the cause by Lydford law." This may have been akin to the historic "gibbet law of Halifax," which was in practice down to the protectorate, but which, summary as was the operation, was carried out by regularly-appointed magistrates.

Among the crowd watching the seals at a zoological garden were a newly-married couple on a bridal tour. They gave all the rest of the animals the go-by to observe the seals in the stone basin, and it was a full hour before they grew weary. Chilled by the raw air and impatient over the waiting, the husband said: "Come, darling, let's go'n see the hyenas. The feller who said them seals would fly around and sing at 4 o'clock either lied to us or else this 'ere watch has gone ahead on me agin."

There is a six-year-old boy in Auburn who is wonderful on spelling and definition. The other day his teacher asked him to spell matrimony. "M-a-t-r-i-m-o-n-y," said the youngster promptly. "Now define it," said the teacher. "Well," replied the boy, "I don't exactly know what it means, but I know my mother has got enough of it."

Pretty Things.

After the Parisians abandoned the "pig," which was for some time a favorite mantel ornament and a much worn article of bijouterie, and was thought to carry luck to its owner, they substituted with the same view, a repulsive looking miniature hunchback; for some time that was the rage, and dainty ladies did not hesitate to wear the ungainly little object, suspended from their chatelaines and bracelet-chains, but that, too, has been discarded now, for a new porte-bonheur that comes straight from Vienna; it is a mushroom. When made in silver, the mushroom is so designed as to be really very pretty, and more than all, it is said, to be marvelously lucky. In a short time we may expect to see mushrooms the favorite feminine ornament.

Gallants are sending their inamoratas long, bisque baskets, in imitation of plaited straw. The partly raised lid reveals the forms of a little boy and girl at one end; the remainder of the basket is filled with a loose cluster of roses and violets. The little girl has her pretty head bent as if in the act of smelling one of the roses.

Novelty game counters are in the shape of blocks about an inch and a half square; diamonds, clubs, spades and hearts are represented in gilt on the four sides, the two ends are indicators, one for number of points, the other for number of games. A set consists of counters nearly arranged in a box; one covered with red kid, the other with yellow.—*Progress.*

A Mutual Snub.

Some twelve or fifteen years ago, ere the Royal Academy of Arts had migrated from the National Gallery to Burlington House, there was a certain pompous and pragmatical R. A. who was anything but popular as a visitor with the students. He once rebuked a young gentleman in the painting school for not using "a gentlemanly palette," whatever that might mean. It is related, however, that he on one occasion met with his match. He had been making himself especially disagreeable to the majority of the students, when it came to pass that a young Scotchman fell under his admonitory eye. After examining this student's work with severe attention, he turned to him, and, in a voice of depressing solemnity, said: "Have you any private means?" "I beg your pardon, sir?" replied the youth, literally in the Scotch manner. "Is it your intention to make painting your profession?" "It is," rejoined the Scot. "I am sorry to hear you say so," pursued Mr. R. A., with augmenting austerity, "for you will never make a living as a painter." "I am not sure about that," observed the student; "you seem to have made a pretty good thing out of it." Tableau!—*London Society.*

A Grand Duchess' Offending.

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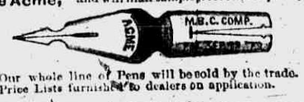

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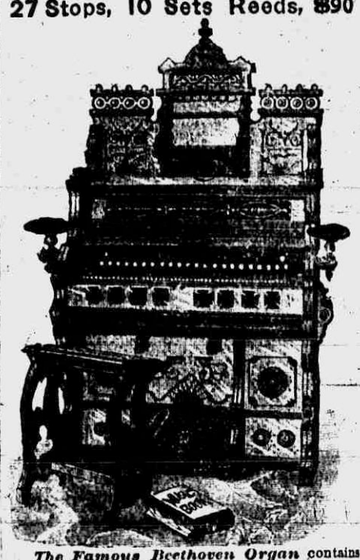

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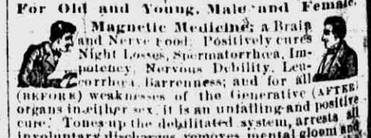

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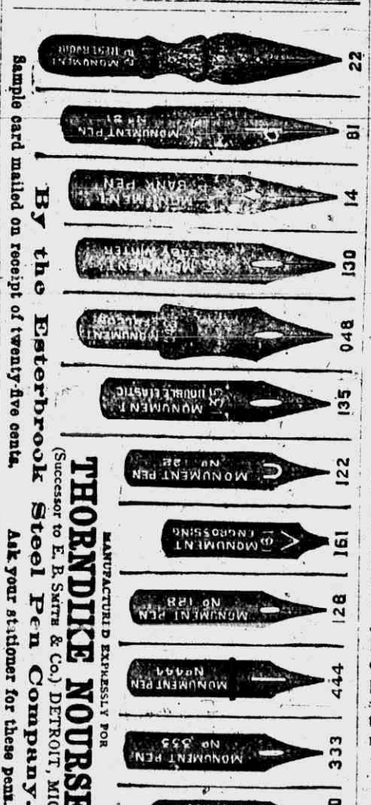

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"'Scuze me sah, 'scuze me. I thought dat when a man comes inter dis chamber ob guberment, it is pliteness fur him ter take off his hat an' offer it ter de ruled. I don't intend ter gin it ter yer, sah. Ef I has tramped on yer rights an' privileges, sah, by spittin 'on de flo' I axes yer pardon. I'se in de habit of spittin,' sah. I'se been spittin' eber since I was a chile."

"What is your business with me?"

"Wall, sir, 'fore I makes application I will sorter hab ter splain mysef. Some time ago I married mighty likely yaller 'oman. I had made two hundred dollars an' was able ter take care ob a extravagant 'oman. Wall, 'bout a week ago, a yaller preacher, brudder Josh we called him, come ter my house an' was monstrous anxious ter pray fur me an my wife. I was glad he come, fur I was mighty firm in my ligion an wanted somebody ter talk wid. Ebery time I'de go ter de house, I'd find him sittin thar singin'. One time I seed him wid his arm roun' my wife, but he 'gunter sing soon as I seed him. I wouldn't charge him no board, fur he was a monstrous help ter us vid his prars an' songs. My wife got ter singin an prayin, too, an' we had a fine time. Yesterday, de preacher says ter me, says he, 'go inter de closet an' pray fur de salvation of de hosts.' I went inter de closet an' prayed, an' prayed. Arter awhile I wanted ter come out but found de doo' locked. 'Lemme outer heah brudder Josh,' I says, says I, but de brudder didn't make no responsement. Arter a while I busted de doo' open. Brudder Josh an my wife had dun tuck all my money an run away."

"Well, what have I to do with it?" asked the governor.

"De business I'se got wid you is dis: Jos come out ter de insane asylum wid me an' pick me out a cell what yer own jedgment tells yer is de fitten place fur de biggest fool yerself eber seed."

"Get out of here."

"Ain't yer gwine wid me?"

"Mosey, or I'll darken your light."

"I goes, but not because I'se a feared ter stay. I goes, an' wid de remembrance ob de wust man an most obnoxious commodatin' gubner I eber seed.—*Ark. Traveler.*

Bill Nye's Engagement Broken.

"I have just received a letter from my friend Bill Nye, of the Laramie City *Boomerang*, wherein he informs me that he is engaged to the beautiful and accomplished Lydia E. Pinkham, of "Vegetable Compound" fame, and that the wedding will take place on next Christmas. To be sure I am expected at the wedding, and I'll be on hand if I can secure a clean shirt by that time, and the roads ain't too bad. But I am somewhat at a loss what to get as a suitable present, as Bill informs me in a postscript to his letter, that gifts of bibles, albums, nickel-plated pickle dishes, chromos with frames, and the like, will not be in order, as it is utterly impossible to pawn articles of this kind in Laramie City.—*The Bohemian.*"

We are sorry that the above letter, which we dashed off in a careless moment, has been placed before the public, as later developments have entirely changed the aspect of the matter, the engagement between ourself and Lydia having been rudely broken by the young lady herself. She has returned the solitaire filled ring, and henceforth we can be nothing more to each other than friends. The promise which bade fair to yield so much joy in the future, has been ruthlessly yanked asunder, and two young hearts must bleed through the coming years. Far be it from us to say aught that would reflect upon the record of Miss Pinkham. It would only imperil her chances in the future and deny her the sweet satisfaction of gathering in another guileless sucker like us. The truth, however, can not be evaded that Lyda is no longer young. She is now in the sere and sallow leaf. The gurgle of girlhood and the romping, careless grace of her childhood are matters of ancient history alone.

We might go on and tell how one thing brought on another till the quarrel occurred, and hot words and an assault and battery led to this estrangement, but we will not do it. It would be wrong for a great, strong man to take advantage of his strength and the public press to speak disparagingly of a young thing like Lyd. No matter how unreasonably she may have treated us, we are dumb and silent on this point. Journalists who have been invited and have purchased costly wedding presents may ship the presents by express prepaid, and we will accept them, and struggle along with our first great heart trouble, while Lydia goes on in her mad career.—*Laramie Boomerang.*

A Recipe for Beauty.

A celebrated beauty, says a New York writer for the Washington *Critic*, whose complexion at sixty was fresher than that of our women at thirty, told me her secret this summer, and it was divided into two parts: First—She never used washrag or towel on her face, but washed it with her hands, rinsing it off with a soft sponge. She used clear water in the morning, but white castile soap or very warm water at night and after drying it on a soft towel she would take a flesh brush and rub her cheeks, chin and forehead. Second—If she was going to be up late at night she always slept as many hours in the day as she expected to be awake beyond her usual time. She finished her little sermon on beauty preservation by saying: "Soft water and sound sleep keep off wrinkles and spots, and girls should give more attention to this than they do, for 'with the coming of the crow's feet is the going of the beaux feet.'"

According to Mr. Charles Wyndham, the well-known actor, the tapestries at the New York Union League Club are the handsomest he has ever seen, and finer in every respect than can be seen at any club-house in all London.

A Greek Wedding in London.

Last week I was present at an interesting ceremony in the beautiful Greek church at Bayswater, which in itself is a study of Byzantine architecture and elaborate decoration. A Greek maiden was to wed one of her own nation, and to make her future home in classic Athens among his people. But very few young women, excepting the bridesmaids, were present, and I noticed that the men and women sat on different sides of the church, as in our own very high churches. As the bridal party walked up the center of the church, two golden doors above the altar steps were thrown open, and two priests appeared, gorgeously robed, wearing curious hat-like coverings to their heads, much like those worn by Jewish rabbis. One of these, the Archimandrite, is a handsome man. They descended, each holding a cross in his hands, and proceeded with the ceremony in a language quite unknown to me, and I found it was equally unintelligible to a distinguished Greek scholar who was with me, who explained that the pronunciation of modern Greek differed so much from that of the ancient Greek of the university schools, that though he could read it tolerably, he could in no way understand or converse in it. It was noticeable that no instrumental music enters into the service of the Greek Church, but the voice alone chanting or intoning the prayers and responses, conducts the whole service.

I was curious to know why I had seen two wreaths on the table, thinking perhaps that two birds were expected, but I found that in this very symbolical ceremony the bridegroom is crowned with flowers as well as the bride. This is solemnly done by the priest, and the wreaths are crossed and exchanged above the heads of the pair in a wonderful way, until, with them supported as well as possible in position by an attendant groomsman, the bridegroom is led by the priest, intoning as he walks, still holding his bride by the hand, in a sort of procession round the center table of the church, followed by the bridesmaids and the assistant matron, and by two young men of the party, each holding a large wax candle, about six feet high, lighted, and wreathed with white flowers and satin ribbon. It must have been a trying position for the young man, and certainly neither a dignified nor solemn one to an outsider, looking more like the performance in a cotillon than a religious service, but I was told that in the Greek Church much is symbolical, and appeals only to those who can estimate the significance of each little ceremony. This processional march indicated joy and rejoicing, as by a dance.

The sign of the cross was very constantly made by the congregation, as in a Roman Catholic service, and the thick gold wedding ring was used for that purpose by the priest on the forehead of both bride and bridegroom before it was placed on the lady's finger. The pair partook of the bread and wine under the same symbol. Of course, the marriage was really and legally effected by the registrar at an early period of the day, and a Greek lady told me that the ceremony we witnessed included both betrothal and marriage, hence its length and variety.

In such classic society as this we scarcely expected ordinary food, but I found that good English roast beef agreed admirably with preserved rose leaves and delicious honey from Mount Hymettus, where the bees of to-day still extract luscious fragrance from luxuriant and perfumed flowers, under the sunny skies of Attica, as they did in the ancient times of classic story. The honey cakes we had for lunch on this occasion I shall not soon forget. They were a dream of flowers and ambrosial sweetness, and were washed down by a rich wine which tasted to me like nectar.—*Liverpool Courier.*

Proper Quantity of Food.

Animals living in a state of nature do not overeat, but stop when they have got enough. All animals which are expected to work are carefully fed as to quality and quantity. Men, however, overfeed themselves, and the results are unfitness for work and the pains of a diseased stomach. Dr. Nicholls asks and answers, in *The Food Reform Magazine*, the question: How are we to get at the proper quantity of food? He replies:

When our food is simple and natural in kind and quality and mode of preparation, there is little danger of eating too much. There is little danger, for example, of eating too many grapes, apples, pears, or bananas. Salt, sugar, spices and luxurious cookery tempt to excess.

With men, as with animals, a natural diet is self-limiting, and we are disposed to stop when we have got enough.

The more artificial the food, the more elaborate and luxurious the feast, the more the liability to overload the stomach, overtask the digestive power, and overweight the forces of life.

Simplicity of food is a condition of health, and promotes longevity. The quantity of food which enables a man to do his daily work without loss of weight is precisely what he requires. He supplies the daily waste no more and no less.

This quantity may vary a little with each individual, but every one can easily ascertain his own measure of requirement by reducing the quantity of daily food until he finds a balance of force and weight.

It is my opinion that the average quantity of water-free aliment required, say by business and literary men, is twelve ounces. Men of vigor at muscular activity may require sixteen to twenty ounces. I have found myself in very good condition for sedentary work on eight or ten ounces.

When any one is in good condition for his work and keeps his normal weight, he has food enough. Dr. Nicholls's advice is, find this quantity by experiment, and then habitually keep to it.

A young gentleman home for the holidays was talking with an old laborer at work in his father's grounds, when the old man said: "Ay, ay, sir, 'tis a fine thing is larnin'. There was no such when I was a boy; I was a big fellow, helpin' the family, when all at once school broke out."

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Office of Osgoodby's Improved Safes, 17 South Broad Street, ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 17th, 1881.
Dr. Rush's Medical Association:
Dear Doctors—The three bottles of Dr. Rush's Elixir I ordered were received by express last week. I have taken nearly one bottle, and am highly satisfied with the result. For over two years I have been troubled with sharp pain at my heart. My physician, upon examination, pronounced it enlargement of the heart, and was unable to give me any relief. The trouble grew worse, and I had become convinced that I could not be cured. While in New York City, last week, I called on one of the most prominent physicians there, who charged me $25 for an examination and then recommended your "Regulator." Knowing you to be a regular Medical Association, and not a patent medicine scheme, I ordered the three bottles. I have not been troubled since I commenced taking it, but shall continue and take the entire three bottles so as to obtain a permanent cure. You have my sincere thanks. I am, gentlemen, Very respectfully, WM. G. OSGOODBY.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 11th day of December, A.D., 1882 authorizing the same, as guardian of William Taylor, an insane person, I shall on the 27th day of January, 1883, at the office of E. B. Wood, Tecumseh, Michigan, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, offer for and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder those parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee Co. Mich. known and described as follows: The east half of the northwest quarter of section eight, and also, that parcel in said township bounded by commencing at a stake in the prairie set up in the center point in the north line of the southwest quarter of said section eight, from thence south along the line between the east and west halves of said south west quarter of said section, one degree and thirty minutes (1°—30') east eight chains to a stake in the prairie, thence eastward nine chains and eighty-three links to a leaning white oak corner, thence along the margin of the low ground south thirty-four degrees and fifty minutes (34°—50') east six chains and forty-seven links to a stake, thence along the margin of the low ground south sixty-two degrees and fifty minutes (62°—50') east seven chains and eleven links to a stake between the east and west halves of said section to a white oak tree about sixteen inches in diameter, blazed and notched near the ground, bears south seventy-three and one-half degrees west ninety-six links, thence along the line between the east and west halves of said section north one degree and twenty minutes (1°—20') west sixteen chains and forty-two links to a stake at the center of said section, thence along the line between the north and south halves of said section north eighty-nine degrees and thirty minutes (89°—30') west nineteen chains and fifty-two links to the place of commencement. All in Town six south, of Range four east, and containing one hundred acres of land more or less, subject to a certain indenture of mortgage made by said insane person to one Joseph Taylor, of England, and recorded in Register of Deed's office for said county in liber 52 of mortgages at page 379, upon which there is due the sum of about five hundred and fifty-three and 43-100 dollars. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated December 4th, 1882.
CHARLES C. TEFFT, Guardian.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

ESTATE of Esther Jones, deceased. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a license granted to us, as executors of last will of said deceased by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1882, therefore, we will sell on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the dwelling houses upon the premises respectively to be sold, the estate, title and interest of said deceased in and to those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County and State of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west two-thirds of lot fifteen of the original recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh, bounded west by Oneida street, north by George Wilson's land, east by the J. Plank lot, and south by Chicago street, being six rods north and south and four rods east and west. Lot No. twenty-eight of the original recorded plat of said village, being six rods by twelve rods. Also the north three-fourths of lot twenty-seven of the original recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh, being six rods by nine rods. Said lot twenty-seven is sold subject to a mortgage made by deceased for $110.00, dated September 9th, 1881, with interest thereon from September 9th, 1882, at eight per cent.

Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated December 14th, 1882.
BENJAMIN L. BAXTER, EDWIN B. WOOD, Executors.

ESTATE OF CHARLES H. MAHAR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Monday, the 4th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Mahar, minor.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Patrick Kehoe, guardian of said minor, asking for the allowance of his guardian's account and rendering his resignation as such guardian.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. dec14

ESTATE OF JOHN GLENN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 26th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Glenn, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Robert Glenn, a half-brother of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Newton L. Bryant, the named executor in said last will.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 22d day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, MICH., Council Room, Jan. 1, 1883.

Regular session. Present, the entire Council, except Mr. Smith.

The minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

The committee reported favorably upon the bill of P. S. McKinnon ($50.00), for revision of by-laws and ordinances.

Report accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn for the amount.

On streets:

The committee asked further time in regard to matter of street signs. Granted.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of W. and S. W. Anderson and 50 others was presented, asking the Council to make an appropriation double the present amount for the purpose of employing two night watchmen.

On motion, it was resolved, that an appropriation of $400.00 yearly be made to secure the services of two night watchmen, upon the condition that the citizens of the village do contribute $600.00 yearly for the same purpose, that such subscriptions of the citizens be paid into the contingent fund yearly, in advance, and that the Council shall have the appointment of and full control over such watchmen. By the unanimous vote of the Council.

Petition of W. Anderson and twelve others was presented, requesting the Council to enforce an ordinance passed Jan. 14, 1868, and it amendments, (relative to licenses).

The Recorder stated that section 5 of a subsequent ordinance, one passed Aug. 7, 1871, as amended July 3, 1876, and under which most cases came, allowed licenses referred to in the petition to be granted for $1.00 per day. On motion, the matter was referred to the Committee on Ordinaces,

A request that the Council pass a resolution offering a reward for information of violations of the State liquor law was presented, and tabled for the reason that the request was made anonymously.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to Finance Committee:

W. E. Gray, making street lamp-wicks, $6.19.

H. W. Stevens, Marshal's services, $11.00.3

E. M. Gray, work on fire engine, $3.00.

John Smyth, Deputy Marshal, services, $7.00.

Tecumseh Lumber Co., bill rendered, $46.30.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co., bill rendered, $48 31.

On motion Council then adjourned.

FREDERICK B. WOODS, Recorder.

On the Complexion.

Without going into any aesthetic raptures in regard to personal beauty, it must be admitted by all, that a pure and clear complexion often makes up for plain features, while a rough and sallow skin, or freckly face mars the most perfect Grecian profile that was ever moulded from Nature's art gallery; but when a fresh, clear, transparent, and brilliant complexion is combined with a pleasing countenance, lustrous eye, and graceful form, the mind becomes enraptured with the beautiful association, and "how lovely" is the involuntary exclamation made by all who gaze upon this rare combination of nature's choicest gifts to the human family. A clear complexion is a living evidence of pure blood and sound health; and although there are many who try to improve the complexion by extraneous means, it is of little or no use, unless the seat of life has been reached, and the blood purified; in fact, art must be abandoned, and nature resorted to. All, therefore, who are anxious to possess a white, soft and smooth skin, with that peachy bloom so much admired, must not depend upon cosmetics, powders, or paints, their object should be to get the blood purified, which can be done easily, speedily, and safely by Nature's own restorative, Burdock Blood Bitters, which gives a healthy tone to the system, and a fair complexion to the countenance.

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A Statement from the Mayor.

Moline, Ill., July 14, 1881.

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S. W. WHEELOCK.

Manistee is to have a street car line.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Congressman John P. Leedom, of Ohio, has announced himself as a candidate for Sergeant-at-Arms next session.

General Hazen has in preparation a report protesting against the transferance of the Signal Service Corps from the army.

Rumors are floating about Washington that within sixty days Secretary Lincoln will be appointed minister to England, Gen. Hartranft be made secretary of war, and Attorney General Brewster be given Justice Bradley's seat on the supreme bench.

Having ascertained that the Oregon Central road has constructed but a few miles of track, and controls upward of 1,500,000 acres of land between Portland and Astoria, Representative Payson, of Illinois, has prepared a resolution for the forfeiture of the land grant.

General Canedo has been appointed by the Mexican government to act with Minister Romero in negotiating a commercial treaty with the United States, and will sail next Tuesday from Vera Cruz. He was educated in France and the United States, and is serving his seventh term in congress.

A special agent of the treasury department discovered that a New York importer received an excessive rebate of $8,[illegible] on damaged goods for which he paid $400 to the examiners, who for years have been in the government service. The merchant has made a full confession to Commissioner Shields, and the offenders have been arrested.

THE TOBACCO TAX.

The agitation of the question of reducing the tobacco tax has had a very marked effect upon the revenue. It is stated at the office of the commissioner of internal revenue that, while the tobacco tax this year until near the meeting of congress yielded very considerably more than during the same period last year, the falling off lately has been so great that the revenue from the tobacco tax for the year will be nearly $2,000,000 less than it was last year. This falling off in this branch of the internal revenue shows how great the stagnation in the tobacco trade is.

NOXIOUS WINES AND BRANDIES.

George W. Roosevelt, United States consul at Bordeaux, in a recent communication to the state department, referring to the adulteration of French wines and brandies sent to this country, says: "As regards the injury effected by the use of these liquids being sufficient cause to justify their prohibition as a sanitary measure, I am of the opinion that if, by a given test, a noxious element was found in goods actually arrived from France for consumption in the United States, there would be better grounds for prohibiting the entry of French wines and brandies in the United States than there was for putting an embargo on American pork coming into France.

GUENTHER AND THE IMMIGRANTS.

Representative Guenther, of Wisconsin, has been over to New York looking into the condition of affairs at Castle Garden, where all immigrants are landed. Under the law, each steamship line landing immigrants at Castle Garden must pay a per capita tax of 50 cents in order to keep the place in proper condition. Guenther finds affairs at the Garden in very bad condition. He says the place is filthy and disease is up on every hand, while men and women are herded together like so many cattle. Ordinary sanitary precautions that would require an expenditure of only a few hundred dollars per annum have been entirely neglected. Guenther has reported what he has observed to Secretary Folger, who says he will have the matter investigated.

PINING FOR FLORIDA.

It is reported at the treasury department that United States Treasurer Gilfillan intends at no late day to resign his position. He is now in Florida, where, representing a Washington company, he has purchased an immense tract of orange-growing land. It is said he will remove his family to that state and locate there permanently. Florida seems to have a peculiar attraction for United States treasurers. Gen. Spinner, whose chirography once ornamented our legal tenders, now makes Florida his home. John C. New, who was Gilfillan's predecessor, also has interests there. Mr. Gilfillan would have resigned his position as treasurer when Garfield came in had it not been for the personal request of the latter that he remain. Gilfillan and Garfield were classmates at Williams college.

WORKING OF THE ANTI-CHINESE LAW.

The high officials of the treasury find, in the late Chinese bill, ample grounds for cudgeling their brains on nice questions of law. Last week, after long deliberation, they came to the conclusion that, under the terms of the bill, a Chinaman, who has gained a residence, has no right to go home, marry, and then bring his wife to this country, but if married before gaining a residence the wife may come. The collector at San Francisco now comes to the front with another conundrum. It seems that a Chinese lady, with rights under the treaty, desired to join her husband here, and bring with her the useful accompaniment of a wet-nurse. Whether the latter should be allowed to land was the mooted question, and, after due consideration the department answers that a wet-nurse is legally a laborer, and therefore debarred from our shores, so carefully does the Chinese treaty act discriminate between laborers and people of leisure.

DISTRIBUTION OF SEEDS.

The commissioner of agriculture, in his report to congress relative to the work of his department, makes a formidable exhibit of the distribution of seeds alone. Under the special appropriation by congress of $20,000 for seeds to the southern flooded districts, 508,958 packages were sent, divided as follows: Vegetables, 414,886; field corn, 48,644; field peas, 26,957; field beans, 3,964; field millet, 14,348; field cotton, 159. The whole number of seeds sent out by the bureau during the year was, by packages, 2,396,476. Of these packages 1,058,479 were sent out through members of congress and senators, 7,588 through agricultural societies 269,177 through statistical correspondents, 508,958 as above mentioned by special appropriation, and the remainder 552,274 packages, to miscellaneous applicants. Of the total number of packages 30,773 were cotton seeds, 97,951 wheat, 75,254 oats, 92,897 corn, 50,300 turnips, 179,452 flowers, 1,051,704 vegetables, [illegible] 22,977 peas, and 15,835 strawberry. These are the principal items. There were 107 kinds of vegetables, 15 kinds of wheat, 86 kinds of flowers, 13 kinds of corn and 19 kinds of sorghum. The proportion of flower over grain packages is three to one.

THE WHISKY BILL.

It is now certain that the whisky bill can not be passed until after the holidays, and it is about as certain that it can not be passed in time to save the payment of a very large amount of whisky tax. On the 5th of January, for instance, the tax on 542,948 gallons of 1879 whisky must be paid. The amount of the tax will be $488,671.22. The greater part of this 1879 whisky is held by dealers in Cincinnati. One firm alone in that city holds 30,000 barrels. The amount of tax to be paid increased each month except from August to October. On the 6th of February the tax on 857,067 gallons is due, and in March on more than 1,000,000 gallons. In December the tax on more than 2,000,000 gallons will be due. From this statement it will be seen that if this congress fails to pass the whisky bill the tax on over 17,000,000 gallons of whisky will have to be paid by the time the new congress meets. The whisky men have not a very pleasing prospect before them. The 1879 and 1880 whisky is quoted at less than its cost of production, and holders would be ruined if forced to put it on the market now. If the whisky bill fails to pass, a great deal of this whisky must be sold at such a sacrifice that a number of heavy whisky-dealers will have to liquidate. The actual amount of whisky now in bond is 84,626,331 gallons. This represents a tax of $75,000,000. The whisky bill seems like a small affair, but taken all in all it is the biggest thing that has been before congress for some time.

PENSIONS.

Commissioner Dudley has made his reply to the Senate in the matter of the resolution asking the number of persons that would be affected by the passage of House bill 1,410, for maimed soldiers. The total net annual increase if the House bill should become a law, allowing $40 per month to each person, would be $2,021,944. The Commissioner thinks that this number will diminish from year to year, as it is rare that a new pension is now allowed for amputation. There are now of this class, amputations, 9,182 persons. The following table gives the statistics as to these maimed soldiers:

	Number.	Proposed increase per month.	Annual net increase.
Loss of one hand, now receiving $18.00 per month	1,108	$22.00	$292,512
Loss of one arm, now receiving $24.00 per month	3,504	16.00	684,288
Loss of one foot, now receiving $30.00 per month	2,723	22.00	668,072
Loss of one leg, now receiving $24.00 per month	1,320	16.00	377,472
Loss of one hand and foot, now receiving $36 per month	15	6	720
Loss of one leg at hip, now receiving $37.50 per month	6	2.50	180
Total annual net increase between present rate and $40 per month			$2,021,944

ETHNOLOGICAL DISCOVERIES.

Col. James Stephenson, of the bureau of ethnology, has returned from New Mexico, where he has been making some further explorations of the ancient cliff towns. He has made an important discovery which is believed to definitely fix the cave dwellers at a much later period than has been supposed by archæologists. It has been thought heretofore that these cave dwellers lived far back in the distant past, measured by a hundred ages. Col. Stephenson's discoveries indicate that not more than three centuries ago they were living in these habitations carved out of the face of the cliffs, and that the race is of a comparatively recent time. This conclusion is arrived at by the finding of a lot of mummies, well preserved, found in position in a cyst, incased in a fabric woven from a material resembling cotton. Upon close examination, however, it is found that the cloth, instead of cotton, is made from the fiber of a seed similar to flax. Specimens of the seed, with its roots and stalk still preserved, were found in the remains of a house, which opens the way to a definite ascertainment of the actual material used. An ancient Spanish writer, who visited this country not over three centuries ago, gives an account of these people, with a description of the cloth of which they made their garments, and other particulars about the customs of the natives, which are substantiated by Col. Stephenson's recent find. The mummies are also clothed in a kind of neatly-made sandals, which afford another point of identification. Besides the mummies Col. Stephenson brought 15,000 pounds of pottery.

PROSPECT OF THE TWO-CENT BILL.

The postoffice appropriation bill will be considered in the senate about the 10th of January. When it is brought up for consideration Senator Plumb will endeavor to have the reduction of postage from 3 cents to 2 cents go into effect July 1, 1883, instead of January 1, 1884, as provided for by the house. In referring to the matter, Third Assistant Postmaster General Hazen said the other day that it would be impracticable to make the change as early as July.—He claims there would be a surplus of 3-cent stamps on hand at that time; that trouble would arise in adjusting the accounts with postmasters, and that commissions for fourth-class postmasters on the sales of stamps would not be settled. In reply to these objections Senator Plumb says he does not believe there will be a surplus of stamps on July 1, as the postmasters will have nearly six months after the passage of the bill for disposing of their supply. If there is a surplus, he says the 3-cent stamps can be used for mail matter requiring more than 2 cents. In regard to the trouble that may arise in adjusting accounts, Mr. Plumb says that difficulty will be encountered anyhow, and might as well come first as last. Concerning the plea in regard to the payment of fourth-class postmasters, the senator thinks the people and not the officials should be considered. These commissions, however, can be determined upon before the 1st of July. The bill will pass the senate before the 1st of February, thus giving the country five months to prepare for the reduction. Senator Plumb feels confident that the amendment changing the time for the reduction will pass in the senate.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

DEC. 23.—The senate passed a bill to hold a term of the United States district court at Wichita, Kansas. Mr. Vest presented petitions for the repeal of the tax on tobacco. Mr. Walker gave notice that on Jan. 12 he would call up the bill to quiet title to certain lands in the upper peninsula of Michigan. The civil-service bill came up, the question being on Mr. Pugh's amendment that the present force of the departments be subjected to competitive examinations, which was advocated by Messrs. Morgan and Garland. Mr. Brown favored a fair division of patronage among the taxpayers before civil-service rule is adopted. Mr. Pugh's amendment was rejected by 18 to 23. An adjournment was effected about midnight, the bill going over.

DEC. 27.—Forty-three senators were present at the opening of business. The customary bunch of petitions for an increase of pensions and rebate on tobacco was presented, and Mr. Pendleton offered another for the extension of Summit street, Cleveland. A resolution was adopted that the postmaster general report the annual cost of carrying foreign mails since 1840. Debate then recommenced on the civil-service bill. Mr. Beck said he would sooner see any son of his breaking stone on the roadside than seeking a department office. Mr. Hawley's amendment to prohibit the solicitation of political contributions by one government officer from another was rejected by 18 to 27. A new section was adopted, forbidding the retention in office of any person habitually using liquor to excess. The bill then passed by 39 to 5.

DEC. 28.—The senate took up the bill to prevent government officers or employes collecting from or paying to each other money for political purposes. Mr. Beck offered a substitute to prohibit federal officers or employes from contributing money to any person for political uses. The latter proposition was voted down, and the former was passed. The bill for the relief of Fitz John Porter was taken up, and Mr. Sewell addressed the senate until the executive session.

DEC. 29.—The senate passed a bill appropriating $10,000 for a monument to Baron De Kalb at Annapolis. Mr. Pendleton presented a petition that Cincinnati be made the seat of the proposed court of appeals.—Mr. Logan consumed the afternoon in an earnest argument against the bill for the relief of Fitz John Porter.

HOUSE.

DEC. 23.—Without transacting any business the house at 12:50, adjourned until Wednesday. During the roll-call on adjournment, Mr. White, of Kentucky, repeatedly interrupted with points of order, and the speaker pro tempore (Page) finally refused to recognize him, causing much merriment.

DEC. 27.—Speaker Keifer called the house of representatives to order, but there was no quorum present. Several private bills were passed, when an adjournment to Saturday was taken.

Christmas night as the methodist church at Petoskey was crowded by a large audience, the center sill of the floor gave away and the floor settled until it reached and rested upon the furnace in the basement. A panic ensued, but no one was injured, though there was considerable damage done.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Henry C. Keisel, city treasurer of Tucson, became a defaulter for $3,000 and fled to Mexico.

Henry Villard has borrowed for three years, on real estate in New York, the sum of $240,000.

Colonel G. W. Perkins, president of the Mercantile bank of New York, died Wednesday.

An invoice of tomatoes from Florida sold in the Chicago market Wednesday at $3 to $4 per bushel box.

Mayor Grace has concluded not to license the production of the "Passion Play" in New York.

Tom Allen, the battered pugilist, has gone to St. Louis to operate a gin-mill and revel in pleasant society.

Charles Banks, of Laona, New York, was killed by the falling of a large icicle, which pierced his brain.

Russia has concentrated along the Kars frontier a force of seventy thousand men and eighty guns.

A resident of Salt Lake, named Sullivan, carried a broken neck for a week, but grew weary and died.

The Galveston and Houston railway will next month be operated as part of the Gould system, furnishing an outlet to the gulf.

Senator Lapham has received from New York a memorial from 1,280 firms and individuals, protesting against the passage of bankrupt laws.

Frightened depositors at Rochester drew $75,000 from the Monroe County Savings bank and $41,000 from the East Side Saving bank.

Arabi Pasha and his fellow-exiles sailed from Suez Wednesday for Ceylon, no demonstration being made by the people.

Dr. Maron, of Berlin, a well-known writer on political economy, shot his wife and himself, by mutual agreement.

The six hundredth anniversary of the founding of the house of Hapsburg was celebrated enthusiastically throughout Austria, Wednesday.

In consequence of defalcations committed by the cashier and his assistant, the Second National bank of Jefferson, Ohio, will go into liquidation.

J. M. Sturtevant, who for thirty years has been superintendent of the Tennessee blind school at Nashville, died of paralysis.

Jem Mace, the pugilist, has arrived at San Francisco from Australia, bringing a half-breed Maori to fight Sullivan.

The treasury department publishes a decision that a Chinese wet-nurse is a laborer, and can not be admitted to the United States.

The federal grand jury at Madison, Wisconsin, indicted General Thomas Reynolds, late pension agent, for forging receipts and affidavits.

The general hospital of Montreal is to receive $100,000 from the estate of the late Hugh Allan, and there are several other generous bequests.

The widow of Colonel Slayback, of St. Louis, after an expenditure of $2,000, has withdrawn her suit for damages against John A. Cockerill.

The Indian agent at Fort Peck, Montana, reports that white hunters are slaughtering buffalo by the thousands in the Milk river country.

A band of Indians recently surprised a surveying camp on the Eureka and Colorado River railroad and carried off $600 in currency.

In the United States court at Omaha, F. E. Clary, formerly postmaster at Sidney, was convicted of making false returns as to the arrival of mails, and fined $300.

The explosion of a boiler in the sawmill of F. B. Payne, at Black River Falls, Wisconsin, killed Thomas Bemer, the engineer, and seriously injured four others.

Jared B. Flagg, of New York, paid $850,000 for twelve lots on Fifth avenue plaza, near Central Park, and will erect the finest apartment-house in that city.

The citizens of Prineville, Oregon, searched out the members of a gang of horse-thieves, shooting John Thorp and John Weston, and hanging Sid Houston and Charles Lester.

In the new oil-field in Forest county, Pennsylvania, wells have been sunk two-thirds of the way around the Anchor, Reno, and Grandin, and each proved practically dry.

James Clark, a dissolute member of a respectable family in Pittsburgh, went to a house of ill-fame and killed with a revolver a woman who was still his wife. He has not been captured.

The Bank of Montreal has sold all the land-grant bonds of the Canadian Pacific railway, and stock of the road to the amount of $15,000,000 will be placed on the European and American markets.

Lady McNaghten, a daughter of "Bull Run" Russell, has eloped from Coleraine, Ireland, with the agent of the MacArtney estates, leaving several children behind.

A charter has been issued at Harrisburg to the Clearfield Bituminous Coal company, with a capital of $5,000,000, in which W. H. and C Vanderbilt are the chief stockholders.

The district court at Cincinnatti has decided that the telephone company was justified in cutting out the instrument of A. H. Hugh for using the word "damn" over the wires.

Z. Chafee, trustee of the Sprague estate, has petitioned the supreme court of Rhode Island for leave to disburse $500,000 to holders of trust mortgage notes.

Rufus Somerby, a sergeant in the 6th cavalry, who had lost his lieutenant's commission through drunkenness, killed himself with a carbine at Fort Lowell in presence of his company.

N. L. Dukes, who killed Captain Nutt at Uniontown, Pennsylvania, was released on $12,000 bail, Judge Wilson deciding that it was not a case of premeditated murder.

A fatal disease, believed to be a brain trouble, has broken out among the horses at Oskaloosa, Iowa. The attack usually causes death in from twelve to thirty hours.

W. C. Anderson, a young telegraph operator at Lachute, Quebec, who recently fell heir to $750,000, has received notice of the death of another uncle in Scotland, leaving him $100,000.

Christian Tinman, who recently rescued two girls from a burning building in Providence, was called to the mayor's office on Christmas and presented with $875 and a suit of clothes.

Westgate, who implicated himself in the murder of Cavendish and Burke, and received free transportation from South America to Ireland, has been released.

The first-class hotels of San Francisco announce their ability to accommodate five thousand persons at the Knights Templars' conclave next August.

Professor Tice, the distinguished Meteorologist and Weather Prophet, of St. Louis, has issued his ANNUAL NATIONAL WEATHER FORECASTS for 1883, in which, besides foretelling the weather for every day in the year and clearly explaining the theory on which his predictions are based, he gives much other information concerning atmospheric phenomenon—the whole designed not only to give the facts as to the weather, but to teach the masses the facts determining the weather changes. In the present number the Professor has a timely article on "Comets," and also on Electricity as "The Fuel of the Future." In view of the terrible storms of last summer, his "Notions about Tornadoes" are specially interesting, and his directions for guarding against their destructive effects possesses rare practical value. The pages of the Almanac for 1883 are further enriched by a variety of fresh, popular and instructive matter, relating to the fascinating science of Meteorology—the whole making the most complete and useful annual for the farm, the household and the shop ever published. For sample copy and terms to the trade and to agents, send 20 cents to Thompson, Tice & Lillingston, of St. Louis, Mo.

THE new post-office building at Ann Arbor has been occupied. It makes one of the finest post-offices in the State.

MARRIED.

LOCKWOOD—HIBBARD—On the 1st inst, by Rev. C. E. Conley, at the residence of Mr. Jacob Mitchell of Tecumseh, Mr. Walter Lockwood of Tecumseh and Miss Sarah A. Hibbard of Dundee.

BLOOD—SPAFFORD—At the residence of the bride's parents in Tecumseh, Jan. 4, 1883, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Mr. Will C. Blood and Miss Annie daughter of Geo S. Spafford.

LETTER LISTS

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Post-Office at Tecumseh, Jan. 3, 1883.

Dugalle, Mr. P.	Poucher, Geo.
Dawning, Chas.	Scott, Evart H.
Lazelere, Mrs. Wm.	Schoch, William
Nixon, Mr. James	Warner, J. J.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P.M.

Ridgeway.

Remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Mich., Jan. 1, 1883.

Dulgear, Mrs. Glow	Mayher, R H
Haakans, Henry	Reed, D L
Lemna, Mrs. Susan	Weier, John
Marth, Conrad	Witback, Miss Nattie

Persons calling for the above letters will please say "advertised."

PETER SHARP, P.M.

GENERAL MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

WHEAT.—Higher; December, 92⅝@94⅛c; January, 92¾@94c; Feb., 93⅝@94¾c.

CORN.—Lower; December, 49⅝@50⅛c; Jan., 49¼@49⅞c; Feb., 49⅛@50⅛c.

OATS.—Higher; December, 39¾@42⅛c; Jan., 35⅝@36c; Feb., 35¼@35⅝c.

RYE.—Firm; December 57@57½c; Jan., 57½c.

PROVISIONS.—Mess Pork lower; Dec., $16.95@17.07½; Jan., $17.00@17.12½; February, $17.15@17.32½. Lard—Steady; Dec., sold at $10.20@10.37½; January, $10.32½@10.40; Feb., $10.42½@10.50.

CATTLE—Market firm. We quote:

Fancy heavy export steers	$6.30@6.60
Choice fat steers	5.85@6.20
Good do.	5.00@5.75
Medium grade steers	4.00@4.75
Fair to medium steers	3.75@4.30

Hogs.—Market firm. Sales ranged from $5.65@6.05 for light packing and shipping; $6.15@6.50 for heavy packing, and from $6.25@6.60 for fair to choice smooth heavy shipping lots.

BUTTER.—Steady and firm. We quote: Choice to Fancy Creamery at 37a41c ₱ lb; ordinary to good do. 28a35c; good to fancy Dairy at 28a35c; common to fair do. 20a25c; Ladle-packed, 15a16c; packing stock at 18 13½c; Grease, 9a11c.

NEW YORK.

WHEAT.—Higher; No. 2 Dec., $1.08⅝@1.09; January, $1.09@1.09¼; February, $1.11¼@1.11½. CORN.—Quiet; Mixed Western Spot, 53@57c.

CINCINNATI.

FLOUR.—Market quiet; Family, $4.10@4.30. WHEAT—Firm; No. 2 Red Winter, 95@96c. CORN.—Lower; No. 2 Mixed, 49½c. OATS.—Higher; No. 2 Mixed, 39c. RYE.—Quiet; No. 2 Fall, 61½c. PROVISIONS—Pork dull at $17.25. Lard quiet at $10.25.—Bulk Meats firm: Clear sides $6.50@8.87½. Bacon dull; Clear sides $10.75.

MILWAUKEE.

WHEAT.—Lower; December, 94c; January, 94c; February, 95c; No. 3, 79c.—CORN.—Lower at 49½c for No. 2. OATS.—Firm; No. 2 White, 35¼c. RYE.—Higher; 57c No. 1. BARLEY.—Lower at 74c for No. 2.

ST. LOUIS.

WHEAT.—Lower; No. 2 Red Dec., 95½@96c; January, 96⅜@96¾c; Feb., 98½.—CORN.—Lower; Dec., 44½@44¼c; January, 44½@44¾c; Feb., 45½@46c. OATS—Lower; Dec., 35⅝@36c; Jan., 35⅜@35⅝c. RYE—Lower at 55½c. BARLEY.—Steady at 60@85c. PROVISIONS.—Pork dull; $17.00.—Dry Salt Meats quiet at $8.00, 8.70, 8.95.—Bacon steady at $8.25, 10.25, 10.50. Lard lower; $10.25. HOGS—Lower; Yorkers, $5.50@5.65; butchers' to best heavy, $6.20@6.35.

BALTIMORE

FLOUR—Quiet; Western Superfine, $3.15@3.65; do. extra, $3.75@4.50; Family, $4.75@5.75. WHEAT—Western higher; No. 2 Winter Red Spot and Dec., $1.07½@1.07¾; January, $1.07⅞@1.08; February, $1.09¾@1.09⅞. CORN.—Western higher; Mixed Spot and December, 62⅝@62¾c; January, 61⅞@61¾c. OATS.—Higher; Western White, 46@48c; Mixed do. 44@46. RYE—Higher at 65@68c.

BOSTON.

WOOL.—Quiet; Ohio and Pennsylvania extras 38a4[illegible]c; Michigan extra fleeces, 37a38c; other grades unchanged.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 75	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb		@	[illegible]
Butter ₱ lb	20	@	25
Barley, ₱ bushel	60	@	72
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 75	@	2 25
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	60	@	65
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred		@	1 50
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf skins, ₱ lb	8	@	10
Corn in ear	58	@	60
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	60	@	65
Clover seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	26
Flour ₱ barrel	5 50	@	6 25
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 75
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	10 00	@	12 00
Honey ₱ lb		@	15
Ham, ₱ lb	1	@	14
Lard, ₱ lb		@	13
Oats, ₱ bushel	33	@	40
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	40	@	45
Salt ₱ barrel		@	1 20
Shoulders	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	2 50
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	94	@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	95	@	1 00
Wool	30	@	33

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ESTATE OF ANDREW J. BURTLESS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew J. Burtless, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Electus B. Randell, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the widow and heirs-at-law of said deceased and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered. That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JAMES WHEELER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Tuesday, the 2d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Wheeler, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for the allowance of his account as such executor, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 29th day of January 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden, at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

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ESTATE OF McCOLLUM MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 2d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Florence E. Smith formerly Florence E. McCollum, now deceased. Lillie T. McCollum, Mertice A. McCollum, and Aline K. McCollum, minors

Elmira McCollum, guardian of said minors, having this day filed her account in this court as such guardian and made application for the allowance of the same.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of January A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF ABNER STANLEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 3d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Abner Stanley, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of [illegible] D. Perry, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of January, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said state, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden, at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Woodchucks in this town amounted to about $200.00 last year.

Mr. E. T. DeLapp has been visiting schools during the past week.

The East Franklin Literary Society is in a flourishing condition and they make it lively too.

Herbert E. Belden is home from visit for a few weeks.

The funeral services of Mrs. Allen Beebe were held at the Congregational church last Wednesday.

Dr. Perkins has moved from the Center to his farm in West Franklin.

Sidney Kimball and Will Camburn have gone to Grand Rapids to attend Commercial college at that place.

A special meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 2, Franklin, will be held at the school house on Thursday, the 18th day of January, 1883, at seven o'clock P. M., for the purpose of appointing a building committee and perfecting plans for the erection of the new school house.

The annual meeting of the Franklin Sheep Breeders and Wool Growers' Association will be held at Tuttle's hall, on Friday, January 19th, 1883, at 6:30 o'clock P. M., to elect officers for the ensuing year, and transact such other business as properly comes before said meeting. All are invited.

E. L. MILLS, Sec.

MACON MURMURS.

Surprise parties are all the rage among the young people.

Miss Hattie Osgood left her home last week for St. Johns, where she will attend school during the winter term.

Miss Elva Richards, who is attending the State Normal, was at home to spend the holidays.

Paris Mills, Abner Ellis and Mrs. Isaac Pennington are on the sick list.

John Pennington, one of our first settlers, and a highly esteemed neighbor and citizen, departed this life last Saturday evening, January 6. The funeral services, conducted by Rev. J. A. DeSpelder, were held at the family residence, Jan. 9. Mr. Pennington was one of the pioneers of Macon, having emigrated to that town in 1829 at 16 years of age, and having resided on the tract of land, then taken up, ever since. He cut the first tree and assisted in clearing the first acre of land and building the first shanty in that township. In 1836 he married Miss Mary A. Harriott, by whom he had twelve children, six of whom are still living.

The week of prayer is being observed in the different churches.

Representative Howell left home last week for Lansing.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Mercury down to 2° below zero at this writing, Tuesday.

The village schools opened yesterday for the winter term with Prof. E. A. Woodward as principal and Miss Mary E. Somers, teacher in the primary department. Both are experienced teachers, and indications suggest a very successful term.

A somewhat protracted series of religious revival meetings were conducted at the Friends' church north of town in the earlier part of winter, and the church officers report nearly thirty additions to their membership.

At a regular communication of Addison Division No. 182 S. of T., held Friday evening, Jan. 5, Division Deputy G. W. P. Kempton assisted by G. C. Elmore installed the following named officers for the ensuing quarter:

W. P. - Miss Franc M. Whitely
W. A. - Lucy A. Elmore
R. S. - Wm. N. Kline.
A. R. S. - Cora D. Williams
F. S. - Wm. Fry.
F. - Sarah Whiteley.
Chap. - N. Underwood
Con. - Ed. Underwood
A. Con. - Geo. Craft.
I. S. - R. A. Hewett.
O. S. - P. B. Gunn.

This institution, organized nearly a year ago, maintains its regular weekly meetings with good interest and we trust, is generating good.

Concerts are all the rage here this winter.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

Mrs. Wm. Bartlett, who has been sick for a long time, died on Friday last. Mrs. Bartlett was an old resident of this place, and had many very warm friends among the people of Clinton who turned out in large numbers to attend the funeral obsequies, which took place at the M. E. church, on Monday last, Rev. J. A. McIlwain officiating.

Last Saturday the house of Gillen caught fire from a defective stovepipe and the fire created considerable panic, but had so much as did the fire company in endeavoring to get at the flames. Doors, windows, ceiling, in fact almost everything gave way to the axes wielded by the honest yeomanry until that house presented an appearance but very little better than it would had it been left to the ravaging flames.

The marriage of Chas. Johnson and Miss Carrie Muir took place at the residence of the bride's father, Frank Muir, in this village, Thursday, Jan. 4. Many fine presents, including $100 in gold from Father Muir, were received by the happy couple. They bade adieu to their numerous friends here and started for Detroit, where Mr. Johnson is employed as telegraph operator, Tuesday last.

Rev. Joseph St. John returned from a week's visit to Orion, Mich. his former field of labor, on Saturday last, and again gladdened the parish of the little church "around the corner" with happy efforts both morning and evening last Sabbath.

The M. E. social will be held at the residence of Allen Dillingham in Bridgewater Jan. 17. All are cordially invited.

Miss Josie Woodard, who has been on the sick list for some time, is reported on the gain.

Mrs. Rich and daughters have gone to housekeeping in part of J. S. Gilman's house.

Miss Josie Graham of Norvell spent Sunday at the home of Don Palmer in this village.

The merry tinkling of the school bell calls ye juvenile seekers of knowledge together again Monday morning for the winter's voyage.

Heman Brown returned to his studies at Ann Arbor last Monday.

Harry Snell of Greenville was in town Tuesday last.

Kate Millspaugh, who has been on the sick list for a long time is improving.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

John R. Clark gave us a good entertainment last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Bristol failed to materialize last Friday evening. Cause unknown. There was a good house.

Prof. Steele of Ann Arbor will deliver the third lecture of the course next Wednesday evening Jan. 17. See posters.

Frank Gilmore, our town treasurer, reports about $1000 of tax yet to collect. He and a chum had a lively time on the road Tuesday by their horses becoming frightened at the crack of a parlor match—they were going to smoke. They brought up against a wood pile with no damage except a broken dash.

The Red Ribbon club gave an oyster supper Wednesday evening.

BRITTON BUBBLES.

George W. Smith is to have a new house next summer.

Dick Rixom turned the new saw mill into a gymnasium Monday by turning a double somersault out of the west door to the ground, a distance of twelve feet.

The local telegraph line is kept busy now since Brown, Frank Allen and Warren Parks have put in loops. We shall be able to turn out something like a half dozen operators next spring.

RIDGEWAY RUMORS.

Alphonzo Sutton has moved his family to Holloway.

Dr. R. H. Nelson received a dispatch Monday announcing the death of his grandfather, James Nelson of Monroe. He was in attendance at the funeral Tuesday.

R. S. Van Vleet and wife are visiting friends in this vicinity. He and Peter J. still carry that twin resemblance.

Frank Pocklington and family went to Perrysburg, Ohio, to spend the holidays, and have not yet returned.

Special meetings are being held at the Christian church, the Methodist church, the new church near Joseph Mellon's, the Caswell school house and here at the village. Everybody will have a chance to attend somewhere. Presiding Elder Campbell dropped in unexpectedly at the meeting Tuesday evening. He will be present part of the week, preaching each evening.

B. F. Reed has moved his family down near his mill for the winter.

The Adrian Times' exposition of the action of Willis Merritt, in connection with the payment of a certain insurance policy, and his suit for libel is the principal topic of conversation.

The death of Merritt Cox, which had been expected for some time, occurred last week Monday night. He had gradually declined with consumption during the past six months. He was an unusually good boy and though only 18 years of age he began to be a man and assume management of the farm on which his now bereaved mother lives.

A Press Trade Convention is holding to-day in Detroit. A state league will probably be organized.

SPRINGVILLE SALT.

William Sugars has moved into Charley Smith's house, in the village.

Samuel Kirby was home this week, on a visit. He is attending school at Evans' Business College, Adrian.

There is some talk of a saw mill being started here by parties from Adrian township.

Owing to the removal of the Band to Grand Rapids, and other members from town, the Band have disbanded and sold their instruments and hall fixtures at auction.

E. H. Barrows, the traveling artist, is doing a good business here in the way of pictures. He has some fine specimens of India ink and water color pictures from the Auburn Copying Company, of which he has the agency.

The long looked for T. & M. R. R. has finally commenced operations in this town. On Tuesday morning, mercury standing at 15 degrees below zero, Contractor Fleming, with forty men and six teams, broke the first soil on Henry Reade's farm, the ground being covered with snow and frozen very little. Mr. Fleming was in town Tuesday, securing board for men and teams. He expects another lot of men and teams on this week.

Our citizens were somewhat aroused last Saturday morning at the report that T. H. Mosher's store had been broken into by burglars, but it was soon discovered that they were probably molested in their work, as they did not go into the store. They tried first to gain an entrance by boring out a panel in one of the doors, with an augur they got at Mason's blacksmith shop, but did not make it work very well, and then they pried the blinds open and raised a window. The same morning a team and sleigh were stolen from Galusha Case's barn, which probably was done by the same parties.

Thursday night some persons stayed in the new school house. They left a plenty of cigar stubs and tobacco juice on the floor. The house was securely locked next morning, which shows they were prepared with keys. On Friday morning, early, three strangers, young men, passed through town; one of them returned and got breakfast at the hotel, then went on after his partners. The same fellows were seen during the day in different parts of the township. X.

ROME RUMBLES.

Rome, the city of all cities, has a being, a pretty lively one just at present, as all of her inhabitants are excited because of a family named Landon having malignant diphtheria, three children having it, and one case proving fatal. The school has been closed for an indefinite time and every precaution is being taken to confine it to its present limits. The people feel a little indignant over the way in which it was brought here and the course Mr. Landon took, which was as follows: Mr. Landon and wife went to her sister's whose three children were afflicted with diphtheria, two of whom died. They took no precaution whatever; or, when the people told them to be careful, they laughed at them and said there was no danger as diphtheria is not contagious, and also no contagion can be carried in the clothing. They also went around the village until compelled to stay in. Such a course is the result of ignorance. No new cases as yet.

Very cold weather here and splendid sleighing. Mercury 10° below zero yesterday morning.

The new blacksmith shop is in full blast.

Geo. Spencer has rented the wagon shop. He is in with Jim Seger.

AUCTION SALE.

Fred. F. Spiegel, having sold his farm, will sell at auction, on the premises, one 1/2 miles north of Weidsville on Friday, Jan. 12th, 1883, at 12 o'clock m., the following property: 1 good work horse, 1 four year old colt, well broken single or double, 2 two year old colts, 3 cows, 2 calves, 1 two-year old steer, 93 sheep, 8 shoats, 1 lumber wagon, 1 set double harness, 1 single harness, pair of bob sleighs, 1 single buggy, one Triumph Reaper, 1 Mower, third interest in a Stevens Separator, and 12 horse power, with belting all in good shape, 1 wheel cultivator, 1 single cultivator, 3 plows, 1 drag, 1 board scraper, corn sheller, fanning mill, 1300 bushels of corn in the ear, a quantity of hay, corn fodder, household furniture, &c. Terms as usual. E. G. Wilson, auctioneer.

We print this week new time tables of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Gd. Trunk, and Wabash railways. Our numerous patrons in Raisin, Ridgeway, Madon, Dundee and Milan will no doubt appreciate this new departure.

Brown, the Photographer, has moved his Clinton gallery to Brooklyn.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Morenci Stave mills have closed business for the season.

Revival meetings are in progress at the County line church in Medina.

E. Ford, of Monroe, is buying large quantities of hides, its at Deerfield.

Prof. Weldes, formerly of this village, died in Canton on Sunday last.

M. P. Brown has discontinued the Clinton end of his photograph gallery.

The Deerfield Record took a vacation of one week during the holidays.

Samuel Collins, now of Detroit, ate Christmas turkey at his old Macon home.

The Grand Army boys of Blissfield are to have an oyster supper on Washington's birthday.

E. J. Smith, of Adrian, is certainly booked for the State Oil Inspectorship. A good selection.

Isaac Pennington, of Macon, is confined to his bed with an illness which is thought to be his last.

Prosecuting Attorney Salisbury has got settled down to business. He fills his new chair admirably.

The plastering in the Hudson school house gets loose and tumbles down on the heads of the children.

The Blissfield Advance says: "Why not arrest the town "drunks" as well as those from the country?"

Brother Allen, of Morenci, has a new heart to his paper and the name is changed to the "Morenci Observer."

Miss Aggie and Lucy Bilven, of Blissfield, were thrown from a wagon on New Year's day and quite seriously injured.

Lieut. Danenhower will give his experience on the celebrated Arctic expedition of the Jeanette, at Adrian, this evening.

A farmer near Deerfield has a two year's old swine weighing only thirty three pounds. He doesn't know whether to call it a pig or a pea.

The News is fearful that the Clinton lecture course will not prove a success. The remaining three pictures must be better patronized or the course will prove a failure.

Prosecuting Attorney Salisbury has rented the office formerly occupied by Willis Merritt. J. L. O'Mealey, who has been with Judge Stacy the past year, will act as his assistant.

Homer Swaney, of Hudson, is postal clerk on one of the twelve longest routes in the United States, that from San Francisco, Cal., to Deming, New Mexico, a distance of 1,200 miles.

Granger was all ablaze with excitement last week Wednesday evening as friends from all the adjoining country were at the hospitable mansion of G. B. Horton in observance of the anniversary of his marriage.

A Hudson girl accepted invitations from three different gentlemen to the New Year's ball. She never was so happy in her life until the time came to choose partners to attend the ball, and then but we came away just then.

Deerfield Record: Ye editor visited a session of the Board of Supervisors, through the courtesy of Supervisor Manning, while at the county seat one day last week. We were highly entertained by the wondrous wisdom, soul-stirring speeches and modest manners of the patriarchs of the county, as well as the munificent willingness which a motion to adjourn was acted upon.

Hudson Post: Angie Murray, aged Mrs. G. J. Perkins, who not long ago literally turned the contents of the coffee pot into her shoe instead of carrying it up to the locality, has been confined to the house some days with an affection of the eyes, and angry looking foot. There was no "light fantastic toe" for her during the holidays, but with present fair indications she thinks she will be ready for fourth of July.

Adrian Press: O. Kelley, Esq., of Kelley's Corners, had ten bushels of buckwheat stolen from his barn one night last week, and he says it beats the old Scratch to account for it. He hurried up to Brooklyn, and on pretense of getting some bills printed, squinted all round the Exponent office, but saw neither bran, bag nor flour, while Clough was so gaunt and thin there was no fit whatever to his clothes.

The county superintendents of the poor have let the following contracts for the ensuing year to the following physicians for medical attendance and medicine, at the prices set opposite their names: At the county jail, Dr. Hull, $100; the city poor, Dr. Allen, $200; poor of Blissfield township, Dr. Jones, $55; of Seneca, Dr. Wyman, $40; Tecumseh, Dr. Catlin, $19.50; Raisin, Dr. Catlin, $30; Hudson, Dr. Chapman, $70.

An Irish Summer.

Wandering steps have brought me hither
from my Ireland on the shamrocks,
To this larger home of freedom, where her sun
shines on the land;
But my thoughts will wander ever back to
where the Fergus looks on
Smiling valleys lit with glory, flowers and waves
and emerald strand,
Shapes of beauty robed in virgin and immaculate demeanor.
Hill and vineyard, grove delicious, pour their
incense on my soul;
Yet, still, there are visions whose spotless seraph splendor
Puts to shame those bright rich treasures—
Irish hill, and vale and knoll!

'Tis summer in old Ireland, blushing tender
like a maiden,
When love first opens her heart in the morning
of her years,
And tree and flower and streamlet, with her
smiles and glory laden,
Greet her raptured eye and fancy, through the
springtide's falling tears!
Now my heart is full of holy calm, and sweet
emotions,
Thrilling my bosom ever like the cadence of a
song,
Once heard within the pillars of a church's
mute devotions,
Full of love and peace and glory, as it swayed
the praying throng.

Blue Mount Callin, in her vestments, looking
up with hands extended,
'Neath the star-enameled footstool of the God
of our fathers,
And the fir-clad hills of Burren robed in hues
so sweetly blended,
Loom now upon my vision and salute me from
their shores!
Oh! God be praised forever, for having given
to our island
Hill and vale so richly woven and a stream so full
of song,
To soothe our troubled bosoms when far from
holy Ireland,
We pine in exile's durance and are oppressed
by tyrant wrong!

But we've hope in God's ordainings for the
righteous and the holy,
And the summer tide in Erin shadows forth our
faith and love;
For, nor vineyard nor Sierra, nor Campagna
scenic glory,
Can rival in their beauty Irish vale, and hill,
and grove.
Oh, beauteous, holy Ireland! land of song and
bardic glory,
What vistas of rare beauty in the summer ope
in thee;
When the forest aisles are throbbing, and the
raths of olden story,
With the hymn of God's creation and the Te
Deum of the sea!

O my Ireland of thy shamrocks, kneeling fair
as vestal virgin
At the shrine of loving nature, with the sum-
mer on thy brow,
What land in God's creation—thou crownless,
friendless nation—
Can bear the palm of beauty from thee as thou
lookest now!
No! thy loveliness is rarest, darling of my
hopes and passion,
Wearing ever in our sorrow the smiles of God
above!
For, as the summer beameth on thee now, a
shackled nation,
A crown is weaving for thee in land of right
and love!

—[Boston Transcript.

MY SISTER'S LOVER.

The month was, May, and through my half-open window came, stealing a soft wind, filled with Summer warmth and Summer fragrance. The trees in the garden were full of blossoms. The early roses were in bloom, but of all this I saw nothing. My gaze was fixed upon two figures slowly walking down the garden-path—a man and a woman.

The man was tall, and strong, and masterful, yet tender as a mother with her first-born, gentle as a girl in all the little acts and courtesies of life. The woman was young and very beautiful, with a figure slender and swaying like a reed as she walked, and dark, lustrous eyes, which brought to many a man his heart's undoing.

I fancied the light in them now, as she lifted them to Geoffry Branscombe's face. He was her guardian, and he loved her. She was but my half-sister, five years my senior, and so I was not entitled to her confidence. Indeed, only a little month ago I had returned from school, with my education completed, in the fashionable sense of the term, and since then I had been very ill. Over-study, the doctor had said, but I knew better. To my own soul I could whisper the humiliating truth, could pour out the cruel confession, with a sort of savage pleasure at the self-inflicted torture.

It was my heart, not the body, that suffered—the heart that had for ever passed into Geoffry Branscombe's unconscious keeping. I loved him—he who was to be my sister's husband. If I had never suspected it before, I should have known it by the new light in her eyes, the new radiance of her beauty as it burst upon me on the day of my return.

And what could be more natural than that things should be as they were? Did not guardians always love their wards, and wards their guardians?

I had never read a book which treated of such a relationship in which such was not the sequel of the tale. And yet—and yet, did it make it easier for me to bear?

I turned my gaze away from that other picture, and lifted myself up from the depths of the great chair in which I lay, until I could catch a glimpse of my own face in the mirror opposite.

What a contrast! My eyes, the only beauty I possessed, looked many times too large for the thin, dark face; and my hair, which had been the rival beauty to my eyes, was close cropped to my head.

They had cut it off as I lay delirious with fever, and crying that its weight hurt me.

I sank back, with a groan. At that instant my sister, returning, entered the room.

"Mabel," she cried—"Mabel, darling, I am so happy!"

And rapidly crossing the floor, she sank down on her knees beside my chair.

The contrast was too great. Never had I seen her half so beautiful.

"Don't tell me—don't!" I hastily exclaimed, and lifted up my hand, as if to ward off a blow. "I know," I continued. "I congratulate you; but don't say any more."

"You know, dear?" she answered, a look of surprise sweeping over her face. "How is that possible?"

"Don't ask me. Only, I know. I ——"

But I could say no more. My weakness conquered my strength, and I burst into bitter weeping.

"Poor child! Dear little Mabel!" she whispered, tenderly. "Do you love me so well that you hate to lose me? But you will not really lose me, dear. When I am married——"

"Hush!" I interrupted. "I won't hear any more," and, sobbing bitterly, buried my face in my hands.

Of course no heroine would have done such a thing; but I was no heroine. I was only foolish child, who had lived out eighteen years, and who could look forward to a long, long life of misery—for I loved Geoffry.

He had not meant to make me love him—I know that; but when he came home for my Christmas home Alice had been away on a visit, and I had seen him every day. We had ridden, and driven, and walked together, and, as I have said, his manner was that unconscious and inherent tenderness toward things weaker than himself which had charmed my heart into recklessness pouring forth its unheeded treasures at his feet.

My excitement in repressing all this, and seeing the seal set upon my misery, brought its own punishment. For a week my life was again despaired of.

Then, because I did not wish the boon, strength came slowly back. Everyday he came; everyday he sent me flowers, or fruit, or some sweet message; but it was all an added torture.

At last, when I grew better, the physicians said I must have change, and so they sent me to the sea-side, to visit an aunt who had a house at Worthing.

I was glad to go. Had I stayed at home, I should have gone mad. Alice and Mr. Branscombe went with me to the train. I had bade her good-bye, and the train was just about to start, when he put his head in through the window.

"You will let me come and see you," he said, and I had only time to answer.

"No, no; you must not come!"

Only time for this, and to note the swift look, so like pain, which swept over his face, ere he moved away, and my last glimpse was of them both standing side by side, as they should henceforth stand through life.

Notwithstanding my injunction to the contrary, he came. I had been in my new home a fortnight, and some of the color was stealing back into my cheeks, when one afternoon, as I sat alone, dreaming, as I dreamed all my idle hours away, I saw the face which a moment before had floated in my fancy.

For a moment I was happy—supremely, ecstatically happy, and, springing up, I held out both hands with a rapturous cry of welcome, then I sank back cold and stern again.

But that cry had brought him close beside me, and my hands were so tightly held in his strong clasp, while his great brown eyes looked into the very depths of mine, that I trembled and was still.

Merciful Heaven! what was it that I read there? Could it be that he loved me, and that he had wooed and won Alice for her gold?

I should have said before that my sister was an heiress. I had no dower—not even that of beauty; but Geoffry Branscombe, I would have sworn, was not a man to be bought or sold, to buy and sell; and yet, if not, his eyes had lied, for they had told me that it was me he loved.

I don't know just what came to me in that hour, that moment, but though I realized, or thought I realized, his baseness, yet I could not snatch from my lips the cup whose sweetness slaked their thirst. I held it there and drank.

We spoke no word of love, but every day found him by my side. I was no longer listless; I was brilliant, even merry. I laughed and sang, as one might laugh and sing at the feast of death.

And so a fortnight passed, and still he lingered; but his return was fixed for the morrow. On that last evening we wandered down upon the beach, silvered by the moonlight. Standing in its rays, he turned and faced me, clasping his hand over mine as it lay upon his arm.

"Mabel, he said, "I love you, child? You are but a child, and I a man who has outstripped you in the race of life by twenty years. But will you give yourself to me, dear? Has it been my own blind fancy which has given birth to the sweet hope that I alone might make your happiness?"

He paused then, waiting for my answer. Only a minute passed, but I had wakened from my dream. I had not thought his baseness ever could find words; had not thought my sister would know his perjury.

Only a minute, but I had torn out my heart and trampled it beneath my feet. I turned upon the man with hot, fierce passion; I forgot that I had led him on; I forgot my own baseness, my own love. What burning, scathing words I used I know not, but when I had finished he offered me again his arm, from which I had withdrawn my clasp, and we walked back in silence to the house. Yet, as he left me, still without a word, I felt, strange to say, only my own guilt. He had not borne himself like one convicted of a wrong.

The next week I went home. Alice was the first to meet me, and that night she crept into my room, and knelt down beside me as she had done once before.

"Darling!" she whispered, "next month I am to be married, and you are to be my only bridesmaid."

"I cannot!" I answered. "Don't ask me, Alice! It would kill me!"

"Do you really love me so well, dear? But you will not refuse me this? It would mar all my happiness, Mabel, and I am so happy. When you have seen Harry—when you learn to know and love him for himself—you will understand."

"Harry!" I gasped. "Who is he?"

"Harry—Harry Stretton; the man I am to marry. Why, Mabel, you told me you knew it all. Is it possible you did not know?"

And then she told me of the engagement which had been entered into during her Christmas visit—an engagement finally ratified and approved by her guardian whilst I was so ill.

It had been this she had been about to tell me—this I had refused to hear.

Oh, the burning shame with which I listened at last! And then a wild impulse seized me to tell her all the truth. She should know how mean, how pitiable I had been, even though I bought her hate and contempt, as doubtless I had bought Geoffry's.

I did not spare myself as I told the story. In silence she heard it through, and then she sealed my lips with the kiss of love and pardon.

All night I battled with my misery and remorse. Alice expected her lover the next day. I felt I dare not meet him.

In the afternoon she came into my room.

"Someone wishes to see you in the library, dear," she said. "Will you go down?"

She spoke so quietly that I suspected nothing, and asking no questions went downstairs, and crossed the hall to the room designated.

I thought it empty for a moment as I closed the door behind me, but at the sound someone stepped from the window recess — someone who advanced one step and then stood with wide-open arms waiting to close about me.

No need for me to tell the story, as I hid my face upon his breast, and felt his kisses rain upon my hair. Alice, my noble, darling sister, had told it all.

Did I deserve my happiness? Perhaps not, but it was mine—mine at last, as was the great, noble heart of my sister's guardian.

Alice had her wish—I was her only bridesmaid; but after the ceremony was ended which made her Harry Stretton's beloved wife, I took her place beside the altar, no longer bridesmaid but bride. Henceforth my sister's guardian was mine.

The Aesthetics of Dress.

Men may be divided in several classes: Those who dress well by instinct, those who are dressed well by their tailors, and those who ignore taste and tailor. It is a fine art worthy of the consideration it has received at the hands of Mr. Elihu Vedder, the artist, who discourses wisely and pleasantly after this manner:

"For centuries we have cut and snipped and spoiled good cloth, and will for centuries to come. I don't see but what we do it as well now as ever. I will admit though that a man's dress is hopeless. I never feel well dressed except in fancy dress—then I suit myself—and when I am in swimming. Then I feel like a man. Look at this Turkish garment; it makes a fine bathing dress, and in Turkish toweling it would be stunning." (The garment in question was a plain white tunic, not unlike some of Mr. Millet's costumes.) "It is cut in only two places—those for the hands to pass through. See what a fine thing it is when I put it on. What folds! A man is dressed in it. Now nothing could be better, but it doesn't suit our climate.

"To dress suitably one must take into the account all the conditions. Each person should consider first his needs, then his individuality. One must study one's self, and then dress as one thinks best. That is the way to be picturesque. The Contadini don't know why they are 'paintable.' And, by the way, we should always want picturesqueness in another country than our own. Look at a railway train in this country emptying itself of people. They are not picturesque, but the Contadini would say, 'Where are all the poor?'"

"In dress you want specially to contrast breadth with small lines, and there should always be some spot on which to rest the eye; just as in the face we have the cheek. In the draperies of my figures, which are, heaven knows! in little relation to fashionable dress, that is the theory of their construction. This same balancing of lines, which makes Greek dress or any loose drapery beautiful, is just as necessary in tighter draperies. There was a tight dress worn by women not long ago, which was excellent." (Mr. Vedder's knowledge of dress does not seem to include technicalities, but this pantomime evidently referred to the princesse dress, which, it seems, commends itself to all artists.) "Anything which suggests the beauty of the form is commendable. Who knew there were so many finely-rounded arms until women took to tight sleeves? Even if the arm is thin it still shows character, and that gives it value. The same is true of knee breeches. I admire them. If a man has a good leg, how fine they are! If he hasn't, all the same they are attractive, because they discover the form, and that shows the man. You have probably noticed, since young fellows have taken to knickerbockers and Scotch caps, how much more interesting illustration has become, in Black's novels for example. All this individuality in dress is a great help to artists, but we can't push things. To be well dressed is to be in harmony with one's surroundings and with one's self.

"Take natural grace, for example, which is the most exquisite thing in the world. A woman who has this supreme gift can put a handkerchief around her neck and knot it on her breast, with a rose in the knot, and nothing can be more lovely. But every woman can't do this, for natural grace is something which cannot be acquired. Every woman must study her own style. The trouble is that this requires thought. People conform to and follow the fashions because they are too lazy to think.

"The general artistic progress of this country—that which has given new interest to our homes, is seen in the colors which are now used in dress. As an artist I approve of the tints and the harmonies which we now see in the shop windows. Nobody can object to them. I don't see but that the whole matter is going on all right, provided only that women forswear hoops. If they go back to crinoline then the case is indeed hopeless."

A Kind Old Poet.

Victor Hugo's real kindness of heart is illustrated in a story told of Pierre Dupont, the poet. When the latter arrived in Paris, poor and half-starved, he applied for assistance to Hugo and was repulsed at the door by a stern servant. Taking a card and a pencil from his pocket he wrote a little poem in which he compared himself to flower perishing with thirst and asking for water, and a starving swallow beating his wings against the window. This poem he asked the servant to deliver to Hugo, and was walking away when the elder poet sent a messenger to bring him back. He stammered his apologies, but was gently interrupted with the remark, "You are one of us and you may look on me as an elder brother." And straightway Hugo found employment for the young writer. It is kindlinesss such as this that endears Hugo to his guild.

"Blood will tell;" so be careful how you make confidants of your relations.

The Evolution of Bread.

Persons of extreme views are apt to maintain that all mankind, being normally savages, were as normally cannibals; but, leaving that moot question altogether on one side, it seems probable that humanity ate acorns long before they ate cereals or learned the art of making bread, and that the veneration entertained by the Druids of Gaul and Britain for the oak was due to the circumstance that its glands were the staple food of the people. Bread, properly so called, was transmitted by the Greeks to the Romans; and either the latter or the Phœnicians may have introduced the cultivation of corn into Gaul. While, however, the land was mainly covered with immense forests, a long time must have elapsed before the practice of eating acorns, chestnuts and beech mast was abandoned, and even when corn was regularly grown, ripened, and harvested, the grains were merely plucked from the ear and eaten raw or slightly parched. The next step was to infuse the grains in hot water for the making of a species of gruel or porridge, and a long time afterwards it may have occurred to some bright genius to pound the corn in a mortar or rub it to a powder between two stones. Subsequently came the handmill; but it was not until after the First Crusade that the windmill was introduced from the East, whither it had probably found its way from China. The first bread was evidently baked on the ashes and unleavened, and the intolerable pangs of indigestion brought on by a continual course of "galette" or "damper" may have suggested the use of a fermenting agent, which in the first instance was probably stale bread turned sour. Pliny has distinctly told us in his "Natural History" that the Gauls leavened their bread with yeast made from the lye of beer; yet, strangely enough, they abandoned the use of beer yeast, and did not resume it until the middle of the seventeenth century. Its revival in France made the fortune of many bakers; then the medical faculty sounded an alarm, declaring that yeast made from beer was poisonous. Its employment was prohibited by law in 1660, but the outcry raised by the bakers and the public was so vehement that in the following year the decree of prohibition was concealed, with proviso that the yeast was to be procured only from beer freshly brewed in Paris or the immediate neighborhood. Some form of fermenting bread, however, the French had been eating for 1,600 years in contradistinction to the gruel and pulse-eating Italians and Levantines and the purely vegetarian Hindus.

The Career of "Ed" Stokes.

The career of Edward S. Stokes is startling. I was at Gabe Case's roadhouse yesterday when he drove up with his beautiful team of flyers, and springing lightly to the ground, stepped into the bar-room. On every side he was saluted with "Hulloo Ed," and hands were stretched out to grasp his as he moved along. Merchants, bankers, brokers, lawyers, millionaires, men about town, gentlemen of leisure, and men of the highest social standing all greeted him warmly, and he was asked by half a dozen men at once to drink with them. Could anything be more extraordinary? He, as everyone knows, is the man who deliberately killed Col. Jim Fisk in the Grand Central hotel, was tried for murder, and spent several years in a murderer's cell at Sing Sing. When he came out nothing was heard of him for some time until he suddenly splurged out as the proprietor of a swell up-town hotel which is now famous because it has the most gorgeous bar-room in the world. Stokes has filled this superb drinking saloon with a collection of statuary and pictures—all studies in the nude—which is, perhaps, unrivalled in this country. He next appeared as the bosom friend of John W. Mackey, the bonanza king, who always stops at Stokes's hotel when in New York. After this he took to theatrical ventures by loaning capital to actors ambitious to build theaters. Lately he has begun to erect a theater himself, though his name is carefully kept in the background for fear of the prejudice which still exists in the minds of many good citizens against the man who killed the genial and generous Jim Fisk. His very last move, however, has been in the direction of trotting horses. He splurged out in this direction very suddenly. He jogged up to the Fleetwood park one day behind a pair of keen-looking horses named Lyman and Bell Flower. He bragged rather loudly of their speed, and a match was arranged between them and another team, which Stokes won easily, and scooped in more thousand dollars than he had fingers, in half an hour. Since then he has been very solid with turfmen, who always admire a man of that kind. Stokes is still a handsome man, though his face is deeply lined and his hair gray. He is as vain as when he held ladies' receptions in the Tombs, and dresses with an extravagance unequalled by many millionaires of New York. He is popular among men here, which is a curious thing, I'll be bound. One question constantly presents itself: Would he have attained his present position of influence and wealth if he had not killed Jim Fisk?—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

The electric light is not the only rival which mother invention has raised up against coal gas. A company, with $2,000,000 capital, has just been organized to make gas by the decomposition of steam and liquid hydro-carbon on highly heated lime. The operation produces almost pure hydrogen, which being carbureted, results in a gas of between thirty and forty candle power. The process, which was discovered by a French chemist and improved by a Polish one, is said to be economical, and it is hoped that the new gas will supersede coal for running engines, and possibly in domestic heating and cookery. It is made without coal-oil being used in its preparation. Some New York gas companies are proposing to substitute it for the ordinary article, and if half that is told of it proves true, it is destined to work great modifications in various operations connected with light and heat.

It is always "put up or shut up" with the umbrella.

A STRANGE REMINISCENCE.

The Escape of a Well Known ex-Army Surgeon from an Unforeseen Danger.

[Baltimore American.]

MESSRS. EDITORS:—I seldom appear publicly in print, but the facts connected with my experience which follow are so striking, and bear so closely upon the experience of others, that I venture to produce them entire:

In the month of September, 1879, I was practicing medicine in New Orleans. The summer had been excessively hot and everybody was complaining of being exhausted and feeling tired. It was not an unfrequent occurrence to have patients ask for something to relieve this weary sensation, and that I should also partake of the same universal lassitude or weakness, did not alarm me. I supposed that over-work and exposure had produced a temporary physical prostration; therefore I made a trip to St. Paul, Minn., thinking that a rest of a few weeks in a cooler climate would soon reinvigorate me. Little did I dream, however, what was in store for me. After getting settled in my new quarters I took a short walk every day, and patiently awaited a return of strength, but in spite of all my efforts I seemed to be losing strength; and even any slight exercise became laborious and tiresome. During this time I had frequent dull aching pains in my head, and through my back and hips, occasional shooting pains in various parts of the body, with soreness, shortness of breath, and palpitation of the heart. My feet and hands would be like ice one day, and burn with heat the next. I had no desire for food, and what I did eat distressed me; my sleep became disturbed with the frequent desire to urinate. The quantity of fluid passed would at one time be small and at another time quite profuse. Then for days I would be perfectly free from this desire, and nothing seemed to be the matter; nevertheless my debility gradually increased. My eyelids were puffed out; my bowels were alternately torpid and too active, the urine would be clear some days, on others it would be of high color and deposit a brick-dust sediment, and at still others there would be a whitish appearance and a thin greasy scum would rise to the top. The pains in my head, back, chest, joints, bowels and bones were horrible in the extreme. I went in vain from place to place and consulted the best medical authorities the country affords; I would have a chill one day and a burning fever the next. I suffered excruciatingly with a numbness of my feet and hands, and at the base of the brain and between my shoulders; at times my limbs and body would bloat and physicians said I was suffering from the dropsy and could not recover.

How I could be so blind to the terrible trouble that was devouring me, I do not know; but there are thousands to-day who are suffering from the same cause and are as ignorant of its nature as I was. My skin was the color of marble at one time, and then again it would be like saffron, and this terrible restlessness, and I might say wildness, was followed by a dull, heavy, drowsy sensation. I was wasted to a mere skeleton except when the dropsical bloat occurred. I tried all the celebrated mineral waters of this country and Europe; all kinds of medicine and all kinds of doctors. Still no help came. I lay at my hotel in Philadelphia, where I was temporarily sojourning, given up to die by friends and physicians alike, when there providentially came into my hands a little pamphlet, which I carefully read and from which I got a view of my real condition, which no other agency had revealed. Acting on its advice, I had my water analyzed at once, and to my surprise, albumen and tube casts were found in large quantities. A skillful physician was sent for and apprised of the fact. He said I had Bright's Disease, and that death was certain. My friends importuned me to take a remedy which had won a great reputation for the cure of all forms of kidney diseases, and I therefore laid aside my prejudice and commenced its use. At first my stomach rejected it and I had to use small quantities; but after the first five days my stomach retained full doses. This was one year ago last October, and my improvement was rapid and permanent. I have regained 50 of the 65 pounds of flesh I lost during my illness, and I feel as well to-day as I ever did, and I can unreservedly state that my life was saved by Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, the remedy I used.

It may seem strange that I, being a physician and an ex-army surgeon, did not have the water analyzed before; but such is the fact. I had the symptoms of every other disease, and I did not suspect that my kidneys were in the least particular out of order; and here is just where I was in the greatest danger, and where most people who read this article are in danger. I find that I am only one of thousands who are suffering from kidney disorders, which, neglected, surely terminate in Bright's disease. I also know that physicians may treat these disorders for months without knowing clearly what the trouble is, and even after ascertaining the cause, be unable to prevent it. When death, however, finally overtakes the helpless victim, they disguise its real cause, attributing it to heart disease, convulsions, apoplexy, vertigo, paralysis, spinal meningitis, blood and uremic poisoning, etc., etc.

Words, of course, fail, to express my thanks to H. H. Warner & Co., of Rochester, N. Y., for giving the world such a needed and certain specific as the Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, but such as they are I gladly give them; while to the thousands to whom I have lectured upon the laws of health and hygiene I commend this letter most cordially and warn them to be aware of the insidious nature of a disease over which physicians confess they have no control, and which in one form or another is carrying more people to untimely graves than any other malady.

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If many American ladies took more out-door exercise on foot a great many doctors would have the blues.

Sardines and toast are said to have been Herbert Spencer's chief food while in the United States.

The King of Spain is reported to have relieved his mother's heavy embarrassments only on condition that she will not return to Paris.

Gov. Blackburn, of Kentucky, has thus far, it is said, pardoned every man convicted in that state for carrying concealed weapons.

Building operations in St. Augustine, Fla., are unaccountably active, nearly everyone being engaged in putting up new houses or altering old ones.

The new Boy of Tunis is described "a short-legged, obese, little man, near-sighted and deaf," who, when he desires to review the troops on horseback, must be lifted into the saddle.

In Naples are dug annually 800 burial pits, one for each day in the year.—Daily the pauper dead are gathered by the city authorities and thrown into the pit opened for the day's use.

The London *Lancet* says that people who sneeze often are the healthiest.—A sneeze sets the blood circulating, and throws off a cold which is trying to settle.

Two years ago Wesson, Miss., was a pine forest. It now has 2,500 inhabitants, a cotton-mill which employs one thousand hands, and several smaller factories.

The London Drapers' *Journal* says that there is scarcely a better market for lace, rich silks, etc., than Greece; but some economical Athenian ladies have now formed a league to wear woolens instead of silks.

While plowing near Montgomery, Ala., a negro unearthed a pot containing several hundred dollars in gold.—Such occurrences are calculated to encourage the habit of industry in the colored race.

The Texas and Pacific machine-shops at Marshall, Tex., contain a working force of about six hundred men—the largest it is said, of any similar institution in the south. The monthly pay-roll is nearly $60,000.

Ostriches are worth $1,400 each, and there is a duty of 20 per cent. on their feathers. A man from Buenos Ayres has just brought twenty-two of the birds to this country and will establish a farm in the south.

A Charlottesville, Va., printer has accomplished the feat of putting 2,452 legible words on a postal-card with a lead pencil, reserving in the center of the card a circle the size of a gold dollar, in which is inscribed the Lord's prayer.

The recent fashion among surgeons of employing kangaroo tendons for ligatures is said to be giving way to the superior excellence of the sciatic nerve of the calf which is now used for that purpose.

A little girl of Glendale, Mo., has received a pass good for life on the Missouri Pacific Railroad. Seeing two trains approaching each other on a curve, she stopped one by frantically waving her apron, thus averting a disaster.

To many Americans the magic word "imported" coming from a salesman's mouth is sufficient to cause them to choose the foreign article in preference to an American article of equal merit which could be obtained for two-thirds the price.

A work on the diseases of elephants is being written. Their more prominent affections are stated to be meningitis, apoplexy, vomiting, colic, enteritis, hæmaturia, tetanus or lockjaw, pneumonia, anthrax, and "foot and mouth disease."

It is rather worthy of note that a London paper applauds the plain speaking of American critics about Mrs. Langtry and complains of English timidity in dealing with the subject. It is a confession of snobbery on the part of the English press that ought to be good for somebody's soul.

Ten days were spent in a San Francisco court in obtaining a jury to try two Chinamen indicted for murderous assault. In addition to the regular panel 500 jurors were summoned. Two hundred were examined before the 12th man was selected. The difficulty was to obtain men who would believe a Chinaman under oath.

A Boston man was so pleased with a pair of boots that "exactly suited" him that he gave the maker an order for enough boots, shoes, slippers, overshoes, rubbers, etc., to last him through the remainder of his natural life. The order embraced 256 pair of coverings for the feet, and was guaranteed by a deposit of $100 in cash.

Procter Knott is said to be one of the most convivial spirits in Kentucky, and is described as a florid, portly Southern man, with a stubbly gray mustache, a hat pushed knowingly over his left eye, with a comical look, mingled with such shrewdness as tells the poorest reader of character that he is a born wit.

A Parisian physician declares the following a certain cure for small-pox and scarlet fever: Sulphate of zinc, one grain; foxglove (digitalis), one grain; half a teaspoonful of sugar. Mix with two tablespoonsful of water. Take a spoonful every hour. He declares the remedy untiring. Its very simplicity has caused it to be overlooked.

The English public is beginning to learn something about this country. A recent number of the London *Times* contains a quarter of a column of fine type devoted to facts and figures indicating the extent of the Mississippi River and its tributaries. But it places Pittsburg on a branch of the Mississippi in Philadelphia.

Miss Catherine L. Wolfe, the maiden millionaire of Gotham, is noted for her eccentricities and her odd methods of charity. She lives alone in a great stone house on Madison avenue, with her maid and half a dozen servants, and receives few visitors. She is a very devout Episcopalian, and no matter what the weather may be on Sunday is as regular in church as the rector in the pulpit.

Peaceful Rivalry on the Pacific Coast.

In his speech at the civic banquet tendered him in Victoria, the Marquis of Lorne, Governor General of Canada, said: "Pride in national feeling has made the country strain every nerve to bind still further with the sentiment of confidence the unity of the Confederation. Where is now the old talk we used to hear from a few of the faint-hearted of a change in destiny or of annexation? It does not exist. To be sure, here I have heard some vague terror expressed, but it is a terror which I have heard expressed among our friends on the American Pacific slope also, and it is to the effect that annexation must soon take place to the Celestial Empire. [Great laughter.] Well, gentlemen, I fully sympathize with this fear. None of us like to die before our time, but I will suggest to you, from the healthy signs and vitality I see around me, that your time has not yet come. Your object now is to live, and for that purpose to get your enterprises and railways as part of your assets. [Applause.] The rest will follow in time, but at the present moment we must concern ourselves with political politics. Let us look beyond this island, and beyond even the most difficult mountains, and see what our neighbors and friends to the south are about. An army of workmen—exactly double that now employed in this Province—are driving with a speed that seems wonderful a railway through to the coast. In another year or two a large traffic, encouraged by the competition in freights between it, the Central and Southern Pacific will have been acquired. You are, by the very nature of things, heavily handicapped here, and a trade, as you know, once established is not easily rivaled. Take care that you are in the market for this competition at as early a date as possible. When you are as rich as California, and have as many public works as Queensland, it may be time to consider your position.

In a cave at the summit of a high bluff near Gridley, Cal., a colony of bees had been secreting honey for fifteen years. The only access to their treasure was an almost perpendicular wall of rock, and the difficulty of securing it had always been a sufficient protection until about a month ago, when a party of invaders determined upon an assault. They reached the cave, and, after a three-hours battle with the bees, came off victorious, though they all felt that another such victory would have been the ruin of them. In the cave was found a solid mass of honey in the comb two and a half feet thick.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 11, 1883

Acklen is contesting Kellogg's seat from one of the Louisiana districts. In other words the pot and kettle have fallen out, and the blackest man will probably win.

The State senate contains a White and a Whiting. The House contains a Black and a Blacker. Where are the Green and Grey families? They certainly ought to be represented in the legislature.

The House Ways and Means committee have begun the work of tariff reform by striking quinine from the free list, and restoring the former duty. Query: If the whole tariff shall be revised in this manner where will reform come in?

The Adrian Times prophesies that Ferry will be re-elected on the first ballot. With all due regard for the facilities of the Times to obtain "inside" intelligence, still we think it safe to hold our bets until after the first ballot shall be taken.

The Pendleton civil service bill passed the House last week with a whirl, the vote in its favor being 155 to 47.—It will undoubtedly be approved by the President. What a potent effect a few election figures exert upon the views of some congressmen.

The last day of the old year was signalized at San Francisco by a snow storm. Three inches fell in five hours. Only two snow storms have occurred in that city since 1850 until the one on Dec. 31st. The fact is, San Francisco is'nt much of a town after all.

It is said that Hubbell threatens to join the Democrats in case Ferry shall be elected. The Democrats have many political sins to answer for, but what under the sun have they done to merit such an infliction as that? The better way for Hubbell is to retire to the wilds of the upper peninsula.

The Senatorial situation is becoming interesting. The call for a caucus was signed by fifty-four members, nineteen members signed a resolution refusing to enter a caucus, and eight members refused to sign either document. If the men who bolted the caucus stand unitedly against Ferry his election will be impossible.

The McDonald presidential boom was formally started at Indianapolis on the 5th inst. At a large gathering of Democratic editors, Dr. Sherrod formally nominated McDonald for the presidency, and the latter made a speech accepting amid tumultuous applause. McDonald will be Indiana's candidate at the next national convention.

A dispatch from Lansing, under date of Jan. 5th says: "The Democratic and Greenback members of both houses of the legislature convened at noon to-day and formed a regular organization, offensive and defensive, electing Senator Richmond as chairman. They resolved to drop the name caucus and call their meetings conferences. The party was officially named "The Union party," and is to be so known hereafter.

The Adrian Times says:

The Times takes no stock in the pleas of some republican journals for the retention in place of certain republican officeholders, under the new state administration. If the republicans had succeeded the democrats in power, we should urge a clean sweep. We do not object to it now.

We honor the Times for its consistency. Having committed itself to the spoils system it seems to be willing that the "good old rule" should work both ways.

This winter seems to be rather a cold one for Jay Gould. The New York courts have decided that his stock watering job in connection with the Western Union was null and void, and the injunction issued at his instance against the Mutual Union pool has been dissolved. Now the legislature of New York has elected Chapin for speaker, the very man whom Gould didn't want, as he will make up the committees in the interest of reduced fare on the street car lines and of forcing the telegraph companies to lay their wires under the streets. The thermometer in Jay Gould's latitude is dropping every day.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

The Present Fashion.

Detroit Evening News, Ind.: These are times when no man need be afraid of bolting. It has become more fashionable than standing by the caucus.

What Keeps the President Busy.

Washington Post, Dem: The manufacture and rehabilitation of postmasters is now the leading industrial pursuit at the Executive Mansion.

The Golden Rule.

Chicago Times, Ind.: The tariff commission has done far better than the most hopeful tariff reformer expected it would. It appears to have kept in sight the golden rule: Duty others as you would that others should duty you.

A Pinch of Star Route Wisdom.

Cincinnati Times: One hundred dollars a day for over a year has been paid to George Bliss for his services in the Star Route cases, besides fifty dollars a day each to two other attorneys. And still a man can get all the bets he wants that the principal defendants will never be convicted.

Gambetta's Alliterative Malady.

St. Louis Republican, Dem.: No wonder poor Gambetta died. He had "pepityphilite pesicalite." There is a crushing awfulness in that alliterative malady we couldn't expect any man to hold up under. No wonder the doctors were careful to conceal the nature of his trouble from him. He couldn't have survived five minutes after the naming of the disease.

Hard to Please.

Norristown Herald: A Kansas man upon being roused from his bed at 6 a. m. to split some kindlings, indulged in heathen language and wished something wuold come along and convert everthing combustible into kindling wood. Next day a cyclone came howling along and knocked his house into kindlings, and yet he was not satisfied. It is impossible to please some men.

Cold Facts from Col. Sanford.

Lansing Journal, Dem.: Those Democrats who think that there is only one opposition party in Michigan and the democratic party is that one, will certainly discover their mistake in due time. In the late combination movement, the Greenback party was not invited to crawl into the breeches pocket of the Democratic party, and it has not done so. Don't forget to remember that fact.

Voting as they Shot.

Philadelphia Record, Dem.: During the two campaigns in which General Grant was elected President there were many appeals to Republican soldiers to "vote as they shot." Who could then have anticipated that within a few years the leading shooters on Grant's side would be Democrats, or that his chief business in going to Washington would be to do justice to General Porter and get an office for Guerrilla Mosby?

A Paradise for Servant Girls.

Denver Tribune, Rep.: As a rule, the servant girls of Denver are rapidly becoming the owners of houses and lots. They get good pay, don't have to spend it for dress, and consequently have a surplus to invest. An industrious girl can save enough in a year to buy a lot near a street car line. Fortune hunters are getting hold of this state of facts, and are sometimes found paying their addresses to the kitchen rather than to the parlor.

The Bee in Butler's Bonnet.

Toledo Bee, Gb.: The indications are that Governor-General Butler, of Massachusetts, has been seriously attacked by the Presidential bug. He is reported as recently saying to a friend who expressed wonder at his accepting the Governorship of that State; "You know very well what I want, and am looking forward to, and you know that it is useless for any man to go before a National Convention unless he can make it clear that he can command the vote of his State. The last campaign has removed any obstacle which might block me in that direction."

Making the Dry-Bones Rattle.

Philadelphia Times, Ind.: The State of Massachusetts, which long prided itself on its great men, though for many years given over to mediocres, will be rudely awakened from its peaceful slumbers by Butler's ringing words. They have ideas behind them, and they are urged by the vigorous personality of a man who has friends to reward and enemies to punish, and whose life has been passed in a continual contest with forces which have finally succumbed to him. Whatever else may be expected, the coming year will be made politically picturesque for at least one State, and Benjamin F. Butler will be the artist.

Will It Be Enforced?

New York Journal, Rep.: The Civil Service Bill having passed the House, may now be regarded as certain to become a law. Will there be greater efficiency and more honesty in public offices under its provisions than at present? Let us wait and see. Under the law enacted there will be fewer removals in the departments, and faithful and capable employes who desire to retain their positions will be secure against removal. The abuses of political assessments, it is to be hoped, will be modified if not wholly removed. If properly enforced, therefore, the new law may do some good. But will it be enforced?

GOVERNOR BEGOLE'S MESSAGE.

The message of the incoming Governor is a business-like document, and is confined wholly to State affairs. The following abstract, from the Detroit Evening News, gives the salient points of the message:

HUMANE INSTITUTIONS.

Of the school for the blind, at Lansing, and the institution for the deaf and dumb, at Flint, Gov. Begole says they compare favorably with those of any other State, and hopes they will be liberally dealt with by the Legislature.

The State public school, at Coldwater, has received 1,231 children since its opening in 1874, and, of these 811 are still in the school, the other having been provided with homes in private families. As most of these would otherwise have become inmates of poor-houses or jails, the institution should be maintained as an economy, if not a charity, on the part of the State.

While endorsing the present management of the State reform school at Lansing, the Governor believes that better provision should be made for teaching the boys common and useful trades. He also suggests that the name of the institution be changed to the "State Industrial School for Boys," while the reform school for girls, at Adrian, in like manner be called the "State Industrial School for Girls." His reason is that the name "reform school" is associated in the popular mind with crime and disgrace, and that it would be a point gained to prevent any stigma attaching itself to graduates on account of their former residence in a "reform" school.

THE INSANE.

The Governor commends highly the work done by the asylums at Kalamazoo and Pontiac, and recommends the necessary legislation for the purchase of the site selected for the northern asylum at Traverse City, but calls attention to the fact that the commissioners should be restricted to their appropriation of $400,000 and not be allowed to duplicate the asylum at Pontiac regardless of cost, as appears to be their present purpose. He also recommends that a special asylum be provided for insane criminals. These consist of two classes, those who are acquitted of crime on the plea of insanity and are generally turned loose on society, and those who become insane after conviction, several of whom are now confined at the Jackson prison, where there is no suitable provision for their treatment. The safety of society and wants of the insane require that both classes be committed to an asylum, and their release might be left to a board consisting of the Governor, Attorney General and Superintendent of the several State asylums for the insane.

THE HIGH SCHOOL QUESTION.

In reference to taxation for educational purposes, Gov. Begole says: "If the expensive graded schools of our cities and villages, with their advanced and advancing, high school courses of instruction are necessary for the safety of the commonwealth, they should at once be established by law in the rural districts of the State. Intelligent voting and good citizenship should not be confined to cities and villages. If, on the other hand, the ordinary common school education afforded by the district school is sufficient to meet the demands which may justly be made upon the State, the taxpayers of our cities and villages should be relieved of a heavy burden of taxation, which, in that case, would be mere robbery under color of law. I believe our educational system could not have attained its present form and dimensions had not intelligent men been deterred from expressing their views by the charge, so sure to be made, that they are opposed to education and desire to break down the schools. I believe the time for a calm and intelligent discussion of the question in all its bearings has arrived, and commend it to your consideration.

EDUCATIONAL.

The Governor calls attention to the evils arising from the multiplicity and frequent changing of text books in the public schools, and says if the Legislature will devise some radical remedy for these evils, it shall have his hearty approval. He speaks a good word each for Orchard Lake military academy, the State normal school, the agricultural college and the university, and thinks a considerable sum will soon have to be expended in the purchase of books for the university. He recommends that $6,000 be appropriated for the purchase of books for the state library during the next two years.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS.

The Governor reiterates his sentiments about submitting proposed constitutional amendments to the popular vote whenever asked for by a considerable number of voters, and he suggests that more stringent legislation is needed for the protection of railroad employes from accident. During the year 1881 the number of employes in Michigan killed was one to every 286, and of injured one to every 71.

The fees for the inspection of oil should be reduced to the actual cost of inspection, and the advertising of tax sales should be given to the lowest bidder.

Convicts in the State prisons should be employed under the prison management, and the goods manufactured should be sold to the trade at fair market rates. Convict labor should not be sold to contractors and brought into competition with honest labor.

If the State must continue to supply subjects for dissection the selection should be made on other grounds than that of poverty.

A LABOR BUREAU.

The Governor recommends the appointment of three persons to be known as the Commissioners of Labor, whose duty it shall be to investigate the condition of the industrial classes, collect statistics and make suggestions which shall form a basis for intelligent legislation. Massachusetts has established such a bureau with good results, and Governor Begole is convinced that it would be an important step in this State toward determining questions as to the rights of labor which must ere long be settled by legislation.

The message closes with expressions of good will toward the party in majority in the Legislature, and the writer's trust in divine guidance in the discharge of his responsible duties.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Potatoes 35 cents a bushel at Berrien Springs.

Port Huron issued 195 burial permits in 1882.

Battle Creek put $150,000 into new buildings last year.

Rev. M. V. Rork's college at Sherwood has 150 students.

Rev. T. B. Gregory, Universalist, Lapeer, goes to Belfast, Me.

Meeting of Flint river Baptist association at Lapeer on the 16th.

Everett Hall, of Battle Creek, had his arm broken by a vicious horse.

New post-office at Kimball, St. Clair Co., with David Page as postmaster.

The dwelling of Mr. McDonald, at Manistee, burned Friday last; insurance $500.

Washtenaw county recorded the largest number of marriage certificates in 1882.

The Owosso baptist church raised $425, and starts the new year wholly out of debt.

Sick horses are said to be numerous along the shore between Bay City and Alpena.

Geo. Putnam, of Jackson, had a hand mashed and then amputated at Battle Creek last week.

The Benton Harbor Expositor was sold last week to Larder & Herns, formerly of Niles.

The saloon keepers of Saginaw county paid $68,665 county taxes during 1882.

Over 900,000,000 pounds of local and transferred freight were handled by the railroad at Monroe in 1882.

A lumberman on the Manistee met a panther recently, and came very near having an introduction.

D. J. McCarger, of Roxana, Eaton county, has bought and shipped 1,100 rabbits to New York this season.

W. E. Wiley, of Port Huron, becomes city passenger agent of the Michigan Central road at Milwaukee.

A. Gage, brakesman on the G. R. & I. road, had his leg badly injured by a train at Howard City last week.

J. M. Strong & Son, 16 years in business at Charlotte, will establish a bank at Bancroft, Shiawasse county.

J. E. Hall, of Battle Creek, had an arm broken last week by being crowded against a stall by a horse.

The North Felch iron company was organized at Ontonagon, December 29, with a capital stock of $500,000.

The saw and shingle mill of Charles Bunton, of Bear Lake, Manistee county, burned last week; loss $8,000; insurance $4,000.

Ground has been broken on the first ten-mile section of the L'Anse and Houghton branch of the Marquette, Houghton and Ontonagon railroad.

The house of Aaron Ernest, of Grant, St. Clair county, burned last week, the family losing the most of their clothing and furniture; insurance $250.

There were 79 deaths in Niles in 1882 of which six were the result of accident: four of the deceased were over eighty years of age and 13 between 70 and 80.

Chas. Upright, driver of the stage between Gaines and Byron, was so badly chilled on a trip last week that he died in 20 minutes after reaching Gaines.

Two convicts died at Jackson last week: Frank Hill, colored, sent from Berrien county in 1880 for three years, and Edward Bangor from Detroit in 1879 for 15 years.

The prevalence of scarlet fever at Grant, St. Clair county, and diphtheria at Ridgeway, Macomb county, has necessitated the closing of the public schools at those places.

The Michigan & Ohio railroad company have stored at Grand Haven for the construction of their road, 150,000 white cedar ties, 112 carloads of spikes and 17 carloads of plates and bolts.

It is thought an active industry will start up on Isle Royale next spring for the purpose of quarrying and preparing paving stones for the streets of Chicago and other cities.

Bert Williams, an Allegan boy 16 years old, had his right arm broken four times between the shoulder and elbow while tending machinery at the paper mill last week.

Fred Drury, one of Reading's young men, had a inamed toe amputated at Ann Arbor recently, took cold in it and then came very near going where toes are not necessary to beauty.

David Robeson, of Port Huron, has received from Liverpool a patent three-inch steel hawser, 90 fathoms long, and its strength is said to be greater than that of an eight-inch manilla line.

It is now stated that the Brule & Ontonagon land grant matter will be amicably settled by the parties interested, and that the pending bill to perfect the titles, etc., will be withdrawn from Congress.

The steam-heat evaporator company, of Charlotte, has just completed a new machine for drying straw, leather board, etc., the machine consisting of a succession of flat steam chambers placed one above another, with room between for the introduction of the articles to be dried.

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SAW FILING done promptly and with care by H. H. Wood at P. J. Welling's shop, R.R.St.

MISS THOMPSON, DRESSMAKER, has moved to the residence of Mrs. Wm. Richards, corner Ottawa and Logan Sts. Rooms on north side of building.

LOST—A MINK BOA—ONE OF THE TIPS lost off. Any one finding the same will be rewarded by leaving it at the Herald Office. SUSAN LANGAN.

There will be a special meeting of the Tecumseh Local Telephone Co. held on Monday evening, Jan. 15, at 7 o'clock, in the office of Drs. House & Jones. It is earnestly requested that all the stockholders be present, as some important business will be presented. A cordial invitation is also extended to any person who is not a stockholder, but who feels an interest in the prosperity of the company, or who may like to take stock.

R. B. HOUSE, Pres't.

A large fire occurred in Detroit last Monday night in the Telegraph block, one of the best business blocks in the city. The fire started near the foot of the elevator and shot up through the elevator shaft to the upper story before the alarm could be given. A large number of telegraph operators were at work in the fourth story and it was feared at one time that their escape would be impossible, but the ladders finally arrived in time to rescue them. Twenty-five workmen escaped by one frail ladder a horrible death. This event proves the absolute necessity of having fire escapes on all buildings of this character.

SOCIETY ELECTIONS.

We present below the lists of new officers chosen at the regular annual elections lately held by the different Lodges, Societies and Sunday Schools of this village:

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

P. D.—C. A. Slayton.
Dic.—M. P. Brown.
V. D.—A. W. Armstrong.
A. D.—C. H. Gainsley.
R.—D. T. Hall.
F. R.—L. G. North.
T.—D. McNair.
C.—P. B. Swick.
Ge.—H. W. Stevens.
Gu.—W. C. Jordan.
Sen.—F. Chiveral.
Med. Ex.—Dr. L. G. North.
Del. G. L.—C. A. Slayton.
Alternate—E. Hause.

ROYAL TEMPLARS.

S. C.—M. P. Brown.
V. C.—L. Albaugh.
Rec. Sec.—B. F. Steinhoff.
Fin. Sec.—G. W. Marsden.
Treas.—E. Williamson.
Chap.—G. S. Wilson.
Herald—A. Hyde, Jr.
Guard—L. M. Mooney.
Sentinel—G. S. VanTyne.
Med. Ex.—J. F. Jenkins.
Rep. to G. C.—M. P. Brown.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Supt.—L. G. North.
Asst. Supt.—J. W. DePuy.
Sec.—O. B. Finch.
Treasurer—Oscar Heck.
Librarian—John Fisher.
Asst. Librarian—I. C. Wolcott.
Chorister—B. F. Steinhoff.
Organist—Mrs. W. C. Fisher.

PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Supt.—C. A. Slayton.
Asst. Supt.—P. S. McKinnon.
Lady Asst. Supt.—Hattie B. Strong.
Sec. and Treas.—Harry Spaulding.
Librarian—William Hastings.
Chorister—J. S. Strong.

REFORM CLUB.

Pres.—P. C. Snell.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. N. R. Merritt.
Rec. Sec'y—James McKinney.
Financial Sec'y—Lydia Burton.
Treasurer—Jerome Cleveland.
Sergeant-at-arms—Robert Moir.

WOMAN'S C. T. U.

Pres.—Mrs. N. R. Merritt.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. H. Shepard.
Rec. Sec'y—Mrs. J. H. Osborn.
Cor. Sec'y—Mrs. E. B. Wood.
Treasurer—Mrs. E. M. Sutton.

COMPANY C. M. S. T.

Captain—A. D. Lawrence.
First Lieut.—James McKinney.
Second Lieut.—F. B. Wood.
Sergeants—1st, A. E. Kennedy; 2d, Thos. Kyle; 3d, Will C. Blood; 4th, Wm. Ross; 5th, Jas. B. Kennedy.
Corporals—1st, W. T. Eccles; 2d, Chas. Heck; 3d, S. Babcock; 4th, Chas. Crossman; 5th, John Mahaney; 6th, Geo. Adams; 7th, Chas. Bell; 8th, Chas. Patterson.
Privates—E. A. Armstrong, Merritt Aten, Wm. Aten, John M. Aten, Chas. H. Aten, W. F. Baxter, Fred. Berger, Clark Beebe, Elmer Blessing, George Blessing, Frank Crosman, John C. Clark, T. C. Cummins, Finlay Deuel, W. W. Frasier, D. Grandy, R. B. House, C. A. Haines, Grant Hanford, Elmer Hendershot, Ed. P. Hand, S. A. James, J. E. Kimball, Fred. E. Kilburn, Fred. Knight, Wm. Moir, Ed. McKinney, Wm. McClenahan, Peter Phelps, Robert Quackenbush, Fred. Quinn, H. Stout, A. J. Sherrard, Jas. Stevens, John Saxton, John T. Tansley, John Thurlby, E. Vescelius, Wm. Whiting, Wm. Wilbur, Geo. Zimmerman.

There were seventeen discharges granted last quarter ending Dec. 31, 1882. The company had an attendance last evening of 24 men and three officers, and were pleasantly surprised by a visit from the members of Co. B., of Adrian.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 11, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

HERALD and Free Press for $2.25.

HERALD and Post and Tribune for $2.25.

HERALD and Michigan Farmer for $2.60.

Four below zero last Tuesday morning. How is that for low?

H. W. Stevens has received the appointment of Deputy Sheriff.

Thanks to Tom Adamson for late copies of San Francisco papers.

The ice crop is ripe now, and the harvest is progressing favorably.

Jim Cole, with a large force of men yesterday, put in about 150 tons of splendid ice.

We regret to learn that Mrs. J. D. Sholes is very sick. She is little easier this morning.

Muskegon now has 426 telephones, the number having increased 150 during the past year.

We are under obligations to Hon. Edwin Willets for a copy of the Tariff Commission Report.

Fred. B. Wood returned to Ann Arbor yesterday, to attend lectures in the law department.

The week of prayer is being appropriately observed this week by the churches of this village.

D. C. LeBaron, of Toledo, gave us a call Tuesday. He is still on duty in the corps of commercial drummers.

Bert Catlin has been chosen member of the executive committee of his class in the Detroit Medical College.

Mrs. E. C. Smith, of Toledo, was in town yesterday, having come up to attend the funeral of Martin Everett.

The examination of Frank Taylor, of Ridgeway, which was set down for Monday last, was adjourned till Feb. 19th.

Read our club offers elsewhere and then call at the HERALD office and subscribe for your newspapers for 1883.

Wm. Smith has accepted a position at Kies Bros'., in place of Frank Warner, who has taken a position on the road.

Ladies and gents, don't fail to go and see the Indian show and hear the lecture at the Opera House to-night, Jan. 11th.

Gov. Begole has decided to appoint Dr. Sawyer, of Monroe, regent of the University in place of Hon. B. M. Cutchen resigned.

Fred Eccles has taken a position in the HERALD office as clerk. We commend him to the good wishes of our patrons, and feel confident that he will "fill the bill."

Mr. A. L. Arner, of Raisin, received an offer last week of a position on the Mississippi Survey at a good monthly salary, and he accepted at once. He left for St. Louis on Monday.

We send out a large number of sample copies of the HERALD this week. Persons receiving a copy are invited to examine the paper and then favor us with their subscription for 1883.

Lieutenant Danenhower, one of the Jeannette survivors, will lecture at the Adrian Opera House this evening, upon his Arctic experiences. He draws crowded houses everywhere. We presume a number of Tecumseh people will attend the lecture.

Representative Howell, of this district, has a place on two committees. He is chairman of the committee on Northern Insane Asylum, and second member on the Health committee.—We predict that he will make a valuable man in both places.

Martin Everett, who departed this life last Monday, in Raisin, had run the Comfort saw-mill for twenty-seven years. He was a quiet, modest man, but a faithful employe, a good neighbor and an upright citizen. He will be missed by those who knew him best.

An error crept into our account of the Archie Boyd wedding last week which made it read that Mr. and Mrs. Holdridge were married on the old farm and that Mr. and Mrs. Boyd will take up their residence there. The former is not the fact. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd will have their home on the James Boyd farm.

The HERALD job rooms are well equipped for all kinds of job printing. Among the jobs turned out in 1882 was a large edition of the Proceedings of the State Sunday School Convention, held in this village last June; a new edition of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Odd Fellows Lodge; an elegant business pamplet for H. Brewer & Co., and several smaller jobs of a similar character.

In accordance with the requirements of the constitution and by-laws of the Lenawee Co. Branch of the Michigan State Temperance Alliance, we hereby call the annual meeting of all its stockholders to be held January 17th, 1883, at 11 o'clock A. M., in Workingmen's hall, in the city of Adrian.—Every member is entitled to a vote in this convention, and all are earnestly requested to be present. At least we hope to see good strong delegations from all the township branches.

J. L. HUDSON, Pres.
A. P. Coddington, Sec.

Rev. Pardington will preach Sunday evening on "No Neutrality."

Tom Brangan of Denver, Colo. is spending a few days with his friends here.

Row Vescelius and party have been up in the North Woods most of the winter, shooting deer and having a good time generally.

Miss Mettie Carter of Bryan, O. is in Tecumseh visiting her uncle, Rev. R. S. Pardington. She is delighted with the place and the people.

The Exchange Bank of N. G. Kig & Co., of Brooklyn, has been reorganized, and will hereafter be known as the Farmer's Bank of Brooklyn.

Rev. Pardington will speak in the Red Ribbon Club hall next Sabbath at 3 P. M. on "Natural and Acquired Appetites, and how to correct them."

Dr. Jenkins of Addison, came to Franklin to visit his brother, Dr. Jenkins, of Franklin, and the two were in Tecumseh last Saturday and made the HERALD a friendly call.

Meetings at the Baptist church each evening next week. Rev. J. S. Bryden of Kalamazoo is expected to preach Sunday morning and evening, and to remain for a few days.

During the past year sixteen telephone exchanges have been put in at the following places: Battle Creek, Coldwater, Houghton, Hillsdale, Marquette, Ishpeming, Negaunee, Hancock, Calumet, Montague, Whitehall, Menominee, Niles, Pontiac, Tecumseh, Three Rivers and Monroe. The number of exchanges in the State is 13, and 20 or 25 new exchanges will be established the coming year, and a large number of towns will be connected to systems already in operation. The total number of subscribers in the State is 5,620, representing an aggregate of about 6,000 instruments in use. To make the required connections 20 miles of wire are used.

RAILROAD NOTES.

How the Work is Progressing on the Michigan and Ohio Road.

The Allegan Gazette says: "It is said that the Seney syndicate, owners of the new T. & M. railway, control 1,500 feet of dockage at Grand Haven, and may make that point their terminus. Of material now on hand here for the construction of the road, there are 170,000 white cedar ties, 112 car-loads of steel rails, 40 car-loads of spikes, and 17 car-loads of plates and bolts.

Battle Creek Republican: Engineer Boeh, of the M. & O., is in the city, and reports that that corporation is now in full possession of the track from Allegan to Monteith, the G.R. & I. having withdrawn all trains from the branch last Saturday evening.

The T. & M. company took possession of the Allegan branch on Saturday, Dec. 30. The laying of iron will begin this month.

The Marshall Statesman says: It is now discovered that many of the deeds for the right of way on the old road-bed between Battle Creek and Augusta were either never obtained or lost. Mr. E. P. Lacey, on last Tuesday, was intending to set up a steam pile driver near Augusta and begin work on the bridges, when a farmer requested him to clear out, as the company had not purchased the right of way. Mr. S. Lamb informs us that the Pennsylvania R. R. Co. foreclosed a mortgage some years ago and took possession of the entire road-bed. The T. & M. company purchased it of the Pennsylvania company and have a deed of the line from Beadle Lake to Monteith. No serious difficulty is anticipated.

The Homer Index says: At last reports the Albion folks were still soliciting aid for the T. & M. R. R. There is no great loss but what there is some gain, and those obligations can be retained to remind the committee of the amount of shoe leather and brains wasted in boning the people of Kalamazoo flats and College Hill.

There seems to be a scarcity of men and teams at Battle Creek. The T. & M. contractor would employ many more than are now at work, could he secure them.

Pile drivers for building the bridges have been received at Marshall.

The Marshall notes for the T. & I. were burned in the big Toledo fire, and the soliciting committee have been put to work "to gather them in" for the third time. They are meeting with no trouble however, as the givers of the notes are renewing the same promptly.

Three gangs of men have been at work in the town of Franklin for the past few days, and the grading in that town is being prosecuted vigorously.

Last Tuesday gravel was thrown in Cambridge, on Reade's farm, and contractor Fleming will push the work daily in that township.

In Tecumseh considerable grading has been done on the farms of Peter R. Adams, Frank Davidson and Ela Sanford east of the Raisin, on Zeiner's land just west of the Raisin, in the east part of the corporation, and on Tom. Boyd's farm west of the village. The work on the big bridge across the Raisin is going along finely. About one third of the piles have been driven and some of the square timber is already on the ground.

Harry Root is home from Muskegon, and will stay a few days.

The most exacting critic ought to be satisfied with this winter weather.

O. C. Kneale has purchased the Gilchrist property, on Railroad street, and will put a livery barn there in the spring.

Wolcott, Temple, & Co. are building a new lumber office, and when it is completed, will have one of the neatest offices in town.

The Chicago Times publishes a list over five hundred congressmen, ministers, editors, lawyers and others who have sold their railroad passes during the past year. Several Michigan editors are in the list.

The merchants of Tecumseh, having enjoyed the heaviest holiday trade ever known, are now posting their books and settling accounts of the past years business, preparatory to the opening of the spring trade.

The Newhall House, in Milwaukee, burned early yesterday morning, with a terrible loss of life. Fifty-six persons known to have been in the hotel are still unaccounted for, nearly all of whom must have perished in the flames.

Representative Howell, Monday, offered a resolution that was intended to bind the legislature to its work. The resolution provided that no adjournment exceeding one day in each calendar month should be allowed during the present session, except for the usual recess. But the resolution was tabled. The fact is there are a number of members who never drew so much as $3 per day before, and they want to hang on.

We dropped into Brown's New Phograph Gallery and Spark's Sewing Machine Rooms this morning to see what kind of a place they had and how everything looked since the work was all completed and the two gentlemen fairly settled in their new quarters. Their rooms are very nicely fitted up, and we can safely say that the establishment is an ornament to the town. Mr. Brown has spared no pains or expense to fit his gallery to do the best of work, and for the convenience of his patrons, and Mr. Sparks has as nice a room and as good an assortment of machines as can be found in the county.

The Spanish Students' Concert Company will give an entertainment at the Adrian Opera House, on Monday evening, Jan. 15th. This troupe is one of the best musical novelties on the road, containing thirteen genuine artists. Here are two press notices, taken from a large number:

Thomas' Orchestra, at its best, cannot excel the Spanish Students in accuracy of tempo, and the effect of the strings, as handled by them, is something indescribable. The first selection brought down the house, and it seemed as though the audience would not consent to let them go.—[Brooklyn Eagle.

Curiosity gaves place to unqualified admiration when they touched the strings of the mandolin and guitar, and the weird Spanish music fell upon the ear. Late as it was, the audience was spellbound, and when the first number was concluded, another and another was demanded with enthusiasm.—[Philadelphia Times.

BUSINESS PROSPECTS.

As the work is progressing on our new railroad, our town already seems to feel its influence and begins to boom. We are going to have a new drug store; rumor says also a new hardware store. Property is held a little firmer, and every merchant on the street seems to feel encouraged; a good many of our little industries are picking up, increasing their force of help and making preparations for a better trade the coming year. With all the faults our town people have, there is one thing Tecumseh is noted for, viz: patronizing her own stores and business places. We have two good cigar manufactories here; we now smoke Tecumseh cigars, and it is impossible for any outsider to sell a bill of any amount in town. We have good dry goods, hardware, grocery, clothing and dry goods stores here, well supported by our people. We also have a newspaper in Tecumseh, very well sustained, and every one who does not now take it intends to the coming year.

We now have in town another industry—Marsteller's Marble Works—which concern is doing a good business and turning out some of the finest work made in Michigan. While in Clinton, the other day, we saw some of the finest granite work put up by this concern that could possibly be found. Lately a good deal of this granite work erected in our beautiful cemetery has been purchased abroad, and without any regard for outside prices. Would it not be a good plan for people contemplating the purchase of monuments to see our own marble works, look at their samples and prices and see if the same work could not be obtained at home at a less cost, and perhaps obtain a better article in the bargain, thus keeping the money at home, and helping a fellow business man. This idea of patronizing home institutions is the secret of success of all communities, and let us all at least go and see what we can do at home, before placing an order for anything with outside parties.

OUR CLUB OFFERS.

In lieu of the premiums heretofore offered to the patrons of the HERALD, we have concluded this year to give them the benefit directly of the money formerly expended in that direction. We have arranged special club rates with the three best newspapers of Michigan, and can offer better terms on these three papers than was ever before offered in this county. We will furnish them at these rates:

HERALD and Detroit Free Press... $2.25
HERALD and Post and Tribune... 2.25
HERALD and Michigan Farmer... 2.60

In addition to these special offers, we can take subscriptions for all publications in connection with the HERALD at reduced rates. Call at the HERALD counting room before sending for your papers for 1883.

BURGLARY AT BLISSFIELD.

Last Monday night Blissfield was visited by burglars who succeeded in putting through a pretty good job. The post office building, which is located on the flats midway between the east and west sides, was chosen as the scene of operations. The post office safe was blown open with powder from which they obtained $112.00 in stamps and $8.00 in small change, the property of postmaster Stearns. The adjoining store in the same block is occupied by Doan Bros. Their safe was opened by knocking off the combination lock. Jewelry and gold pens were extracted to the amount of $1200. The burglars having secured their booty went to Robert Pollard's barn, at the east end of the village, and harnessing his team to a sleigh started for Toledo. Mr. Pollard was the first man to discover the mischief the next morning, and officers were at once put upon the track of the thieves.

DEATH OF PROF. WEDELES.

Adolf Wedeles, who had been sick for several weeks, at Adrian, died last Sunday morning. He lived in Tecumseh for nearly a year before going to Adrian, and took a position at once as one of the most accomplished pianists who ever resided among us. He had no relatives in the State and only two in the United States—two brothers, who are doing business at Santa Fe, N. M. They were notified of his illness and telegraphed instructions to take the best care of Adolf, at their expense. A few days prior to his death, when no one was in his room, he arose, and partially dressing, crawled feebly to his piano, which stood in an adjoining room, and for twenty minutes played, his auditors say, as he never played before. Finally, giving the keys one last sweep, he said: "Good-bye! good-bye! this is the last time old Wedeles will ever put his hands on you." He then slowly crawled back to the bed, from which he never again arose. The Knights of Pythias took charge of his funeral.

MARRIAGE OF MR. E. L. HOUGH.

In the Muskegon Daily Chronicle, of the 5th inst., we find an elaborate account of the wedding festivities connected with the marriage of our young townsman, Mr. E. L. Hough. The bride was Miss Alice K. Fairfield, daughter of the pastor of the Congregational church of that city.

The service was held at the Church, which was filled with friends and well-wishers of the young couple. Carpets were laid from the street to the Church, and the interior of the building was appropriately decorated by the young lady friends of the bride, with the valuable assistance of Mrs. W. S. Wood. The bridal party stood under a double arch of evergreen, from the center of which hung a large floral horseshoe; vases filled with cut flowers were placed near, and on the organ stood a magnificent floral offering containing the letters H. F., in a monogram of contrasting colors. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. M. W. Fairfield, father of the bride, assisted by her uncle, Rev. Dr. E. B. Fairfield, of Manistee.

After the ceremony at the Church, a reception was held at the house of Rev. M. W. Fairfield. The bridal party stood in a large bay window beautifully draped in evergreens and flowers, and there received the congratulations of the hosts of friends with whom the parsonage was filled to overflowing. A room on the upper floor contained the presents, and these were of unusual value and number. We should be glad to print this list, but lack of space prevents.

The bride, during her residence in Muskegon, has, by her charming manners and joyous disposition, made hosts of friends, both among those of her own age and elder people, and will be greatly missed, both in her home and in society.

The groom is well known here in Tecumseh, and needs no introduction to our people. Mr. and Mrs. Hough will be welcomed to the social circles of this village with cordiality. They start their matrimonial voyage under the brightest auspices.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Holderman and family wish to thank their friends for their kindness during the sickness and at the death of their husband and father, and wish especially to note their obligations to Dr. North, Mr. Holderman's physician, for his close attention and care during the whole of Mr. Holderman's sickness.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Senawee county, for the week ending January 6, 1883:

ADRIAN.

Geo. R. Cochrane to Chas. D. Sword. Lot 281, old plat. $1,600.

CAMBRIDGE.

Nathaniel S. Wheeler to Albert T. Gilbert. Land in sec. 35. $4,000.

DOVER.

Ezra Abbott to Clark Hanlan. Land in sec. 23. $310.

James Curry to Joseph Hynes. Land in sec. 8. $2,000.

FAIRFIELD.

Perry Jackson to John Bennett. Land in sec. 13. $1,709.

Elisha Barnaby to Albert DeLand. Land in sec. 16. $350.

FRANKLIN.

Jacob Slater to Chas. H. Hardy. Land in sec. 34. $1,832.50.

HUDSON.

A. E. Lason to A. W. Cooper. Lot 13 blk 10 and lot 12 blk 10 Wirt's add. $1,000.

George Deline to James Curry. Land on sec. 21 (50 a.) $2,500.

MADISON.

O. J. Avery to Jacob Rapp. Land on sec. 35. $2,500.

MEDINA.

Solomon Roosa to Wm. Barley. Land in sec. 15. $2,050.

Levi Blanchard to V. B. Rice. Lot 10 Munson vil.

OGDEN.

Eunice A. Wilbur to Nathan Shumway. Land on sec. 8. $300.

Nelson & Willet R. Fisher to Daniel McAdam. Land on sec. 8. $2,200.

PALMYRA.

Julius Keeber to Wm. S. Keeber. Land on sec. 25. $600.

RAISIN.

Wm. A. Lowe to Milan Wheeler. Land on sec. 29. $40.

RIGA.

E. D. Russell to C. R. Gilbert. Land on sec. 34. $1,500.

TECUMSEH.

Geo. Curtis to Geo. S. Tiffany. Land in village. $2,000.

WOODSTOCK.

Jas. H. Rogers to John DeRay. Land on sec. 19. $200.

A. W. Slayton started yesterday for Lansing, to attend the Undertakers' Convention, which is in session at that place. Before returning he will go up north, stop off at Cadillac, to see C. T. Chapin, and combine business with pleasure generally.

—Go to Temple's for the best coal.

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DIED.

EVERETT.—At his son-in-law's, John Millholland's residence in Raisin, on the morning of the 8th inst., Martin Everett, in the 74th year of his age.

Thus has passed away an indulgent husband and father, a kind neighbor and friend. Not possessed of much of this world's goods, but of a crown of glory eternal in the heavens. The writer called to see him but a few hours before he died, when he expressed to him that it was his last sickness, but he said, "All looks bright as the noonday sun. Tell my friends to trust in Jesus." What precious words, better than fine gold. "All looks bright as the noonday sun. Tell my friends to trust in Jesus." W. C.

HOLDERMAN.—At his residence in Tecumseh, Dec. 29, 1882, John Henry Holderman, aged 42 years, 8 months and 20 days.

Mr. Holderman was born in Baden, Germany, came to America at the age of 18, alone, and located at Petersburg, this State. His first work here was in a flouring mill. He then worked in various places until April 7, 1872, when he moved to Tecumseh and went into business. Feb. 22, 1869, he married Rosa Kenk, who survives him. He leaves a wife and two children, well provided for. Henry Holderman has been known in Tecumseh for the last eleven years, and with his death our town sustains the loss of an honest, industrious man—a man who was generous to his friends, upright in his dealings, a kind father and a loving husband. He has always been feeble in health, and was confined to his room for some months before his death. During this time his sufferings, though at times terrible, were borne with patience and fortitude. By industry and economy he has left to the wife and children, who have so carefully cared for and watched over him, a sufficiency. All who knew him will receive with sorrow the news of the death of Henry Holderman.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 19. Accom.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Jackson	6 50	2 40	1 10
Napoleon	7 10	3 05	2 30
Norvell	7 16	3 13	3 00
Manchester	7 30	3 30	3 30
Clinton	7 45	3 48	4 10
Tecumseh	7 55	4 00	4 30
Adrian	8 30	4 37	5 35
Detroit	10 50	7 10	
Toledo	9 50	5 25	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 18. Accom.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Detroit	9 20	6 40	
Toledo	10 35	8 25	
Adrian	11 40	9 20	5 10
Tecumseh	12 14	9 57	6 25
Clinton	12 22	10 07	7 30
Manchester	12 40	10 20	8 25
Norvell	12 56	10 45	9 05
Napoleon	1 18	10 55	9 25
Jackson	1 30	11 20	10 20

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GOING NORTH. | STATIONS. | GOING SOUTH.

No. 2 Express	No. 4 Mail	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	No. 1 Express	No. 3 Mail
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
9 20	3 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 25	5 10
9 12	3 27	" Manhattan "	9 32	5 21
9 03	3 17	" Alexis "	9 41	5 32
8 57	3 12	" Monroe "	9 48	5 41
8 42	3 00	" Dundee "	9 62	6 02
8 27	2 51	" Vesta "	9 65	6 13
8 21	2 46	" Milan "	9 72	6 20
8 10	2 35	" Petersburg "	9 82	6 30
8 00	2 25	" Ypsilanti "	9 90	6 40
7 50	2 15	" Ann Arbor Lv.	10 00	6 50
P.M.			A.M.	A.M.
		Lv. Jackson Ar.		
	2 32	" Battle Creek "	9 40	7 58
	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	9 10	7 11
			P.M.	
	4 50	" Grand Rapids "	12 30	6 20
			A.M.	
	10 25	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	12 25	5 25
			A.M.	
	11 20	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	11 25	4 30
			P.M.	
	12 02	" Howell "	10 42	3 48
	1 21	" Lansing "	9 15	1 10
				A.M.
	3 00	" Ionia "		11 10
	5 00	" Edmore "		9 10
	6 30	" Big Rapids "		7 35
	7 45	" Howard City "		6 20
	A.M.			P.M.
	9 15	" Petoskey "		3 05
	10	" Mackinaw City "		5 25

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail. A.M.	Exp's P.M.	Acc'n P.M.	W. ft A.M.
DETROIT	‡ 6 10	‡ 9 10	‡ 4 45	‡ 6 00
Hand	‡ 7 30	*10 21	5 57	7 30
Romulous	7 44	10 41	5 52	8 20
Belleville	7 53	*10 49	6 02	8 57
Willis	‡ 8 03	*10 58	6 12	9 25
Whittaker	‡ 8 07	*11 03	6 20	9 35
Milan	8 20	11 13	6 32	10 55
Cone	‡ 8 27	*11 20	6 43	11 15
Britton	‡ 8 37	*11 29	6 54	11 35
Holloway	‡ 8 47	*11 38	7 06	11 55
Adrian	9 02	11 50	7 24	12 55
Sand Creek	‡ 9 16	*11 01	7 39	1 50
North Morenci	9 32	*12 15	7 57	2 10
North Fayette	‡ 9 47	*12 25	8 11	2 45
Alvordton	‡10 03	*12 36	8 25	3 20
Montpelier	10 24	‡12 54	8 50	4 25
Blakesley	10 39	‡ 1 07	9 07	5 00
BUTLER	11 00	1 25	9 30	5 40
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's A.M.	Mail. P.M.	Acc'n A.M.	W. ft A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 12	‡ 3 48	‡ 5 30	‡ 5 30
Blakesley	* 8 41	‡ 4 10	5 51	6 20
Montpelier	‡ 8 53	4 25	6 08	7 00
Alvordton	* 9 11	‡ 4 47	6 30	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 23	‡ 5 01	6 46	8 45
North Morenci	9 32	‡ 5 14	7 00	9 32
Sand Creek	* 9 45	‡ 5 30	7 16	10 20
Adrian	9 58	5 47	7 32	12 25
Holloway	*10 08	‡ 6 01	7 46	12 55
Britton	*10 17	‡ 6 13	7 59	1 20
Cone	*10 22	‡ 6 20	8 08	1 35
Milan	10 33	6 33	8 20	2 00
Whittaker	*10 41	‡ 6 40	8 30	2 30
Willis	*10 50	‡ 6 47	8 45	2 45
Belleville	*10 58	6 56	8 57	3 15
Romulous	11 06	7 05	9 08	3 40
Hand	*11 17	‡ 7 19	9 25	4 20
DETROIT	12 05	8 10	10 20	5 50
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

‡ Except Sunday. † Except Saturday. § Stop on signal. * Trains do not stop for passengers.

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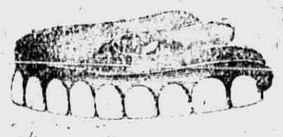

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Experimenting With a Cat.

A few years ago a man registered at an Oshkosh hotel, and was assigned a room and everybody noticed that he was a most mournful-looking man. He never said a word, but there was that about his face and actions that showed he was laboring under some great sorrow. He had his supper taken to his room, and the waiter said the man never spoke, and seemed to be the saddest-looking man he ever saw. The guests all talked the matter over, and they decided that the man was going to commit suicide. A traveling man who had a room next door to the solemn man, and who had previously occupied adjoining rooms in different hotels to three men who had committed suicide, felt that he was about to experience a fourth shock of the same kind, and he laid in his bed all night and never slept a wink, believing that the next moment he should hear a revolver shot or the death-struggle of his neighbor from poison. He never heard a sound all night, and when he got up in the morning he told the clerk that he was sure the man was dead. They passed the room and listened, but could hear no noise, and it was decided to look over the transom to see if the man was dead. It is not a pleasant thing to look over a transom into a man's room, not knowing whether your eye will fall on a corpse or a live man with a revolver pointed at you, so nobody seemed to yearn to be the first to climb the step ladder. Finally it was decided to throw a cat over the transom onto the bed, and if they did not hear any noise it would be certain that the man was dead and they could go on with the funeral. A cat was procured, and the porter, who knew just where the bed was located, was detailed to toss the cat over. He went up the ladder a few steps—not enough to look over, because he was not prepared to look suddenly upon a corpse, and taking the cat in both hands, by the legs, he gently tossed her, or him over the transom on the bed occupied by the mournful looking man. The cat was heard to fall with a dull thud, there was a sound of scratching and ripping, a heavy form was heard to strike the floor, the cat "spermeoned" and "spit," and the half-dozen people out in the hall looked at each other wonderfully, when suddenly the door opened and the maddest man that was ever seen in Oshkosh came out in the hall in his night-shirt, his arm and face bleeding on to the white night-shirt. He had the cat by the hind legs in one hand and a revolver in the other, and, as he struck at the assembled multitude right and left with the cat, there was the worst getting down stairs that ever was, and the cat was thrown at the last person who went down stairs, and the man returned to his room. He dressed himself, went down to the office and paid his bill, and took the first train south, never having spoken a word while in Oshkosh, and the people are to this day wondering whether he was a prohibition speaker, a traveling man for a corset factory, or an agent for a deaf and dumb asylum. The traveling man who was so nervous for fear his neighbor was going to commit suicide, wishes he had; the landlord fears that he has displeased a guest who might have remained longer, and the porter who threw the cat says that it is the last time that he will ever try to find a corpse by the aid of a cat.—*Peck's Sun.*

The Destructive Custom of the Bannock Indian Tribe.

A Bannock Indian boy, about twelve years of age, met with a horrible death at the flouring-mill at Fort Hall Indian agency, Idaho Territory, recently. The boy was idling around the mill at the time, and happened to get in the machinery, and was badly crushed and mangled before he could be taken from the gearing. He died soon afterward. It is the custom of Indians to burn or destroy all things connected with the death of one of their tribe. For instance, if one meets death by being kicked by a horse, the animal is killed; and if from disease an Indian dies in a wickup or lodge, it is burned. The mill in which this accident occurred was built by the government at a cost of $7,000, or $8,000, and was worth that amount of money. Between 6 and 7 o'clock on the morning of the 6th this mill was discovered to be on fire, and was soon entirely consumed, with a large amount of wheat and flour belonging to the Indians. This grain and flour was worth from $2,000 to $3,000. At the agency there are two tribes of Indians, the Bannocks and Shoshones, and the grain and flour belonged mostly to the latter. From the well-known [illegible] of Indians which the [illegible] to avenge the death of one of their tribe by burning [illegible] to place the destruction of [illegible] hands of the Bannocks [illegible] their property [illegible] spoiled [illegible] Times.

[illegible] Young Man.

It is [illegible] that we [illegible] philanthropist who has been [illegible] years that a young man came to [illegible] and asked him to stop him in business.

"Do you chew?" asked the philanthropist.

"Occasionally."

"Stop it! Stop for a year, and then come and see me."

The young man went off and cut loose from the habit, and after worrying through another 12 months once more faced the philanthropist.

"Do you chew?"

"Yes."

"Stop it! Stop it for a year and then come and see me."

But the young man never called again. When some one asked why he didn't make one more effort he replied: "Didn't I know what he was driving at? He'd have told me that as I had stopped chewing, drinking and smoking, I must have saved enough money to start myself."—*Wall Street News.*

Heap Gone.

"Gone" is the classic and unique language in which Bill Nye, the Boomerang man, paralyzes a dead-beat.

"Another land mark of Laramie has gone. Another wreck has been strewn upon the sands of time. Another gay bark has gone to pieces upon the cruel rocks, and above the broken spars and jib boom and foretop gallant royal main-brace and spanker boom euchre deck the cold, damp tide is moaning.

We refer to L. W. Shroeder, who recently left this place incog., also in debt largely to various people of this gay and festive metropolis.

Laramie has been the home at various times of some of the most classeat dead beats of modern times, but Shroeder was the noblest, the most grand and colossal of dead beats that has ever visited our shores. Born with unusual abilities in this direction, he early learned how to enlarge and improve upon the talents thus bestowed upon him, and hence in Laramie he soon won a place at the front as a man who purchased everything and paid for nothing. He had a way of approaching the grocer and the merchant that was well calculated to deceive, and he did in several instances make representations which we now learn were false.

He was by profession a carpenter and joiner, having learned the art while cutting cordwood on the Missouri bottoms near Omaha for the Collins Brothers. Here he rapidly won this way to the front rank by erecting some of the most commanding architectural ruins of which modern wood assassination can boast. He would take a hatchet and a buck saw, and carve out his fortune anywhere in the world, and it wouldn't cost him a cent. He filled his whole trans-Missouri country with his frames and his promissory notes and then skipped out and left us here to mourn.

Good bye, Shroeder. Wherever you go, we will remember you and hope that you may succeed in piling up a monument of indebtedness as you did here. You were industrious and unwiring in efforts to become a great financial wreck and success has crowned your efforts. We will not grudge you the glory that coagulates about your massive brow."

Discoveries in Germany.

An interesting account of the discovery of valuable manuscripts at Ravenna is given in the *Riga Zeitung*. It was proposed to refit an apartment on the ground-floor of the Hotel de Ville, to serve as an additional receptacle for the city archives. But on examination it was found to be filled almost to the ceiling with manuscripts and books, the bulk of which belonged to the eighteenth and seventeenth centuries, while some thousands of them dated from the sixteenth, very many from the fifteenth, century. The most valuable, among them was perhaps a collection of municipal account books and similar documents. Hitherto only a few of the old city books of this once famous Hanse town were believed to exist; but about forty of them, of all kinds, ranging from the fourteenth to the sixteenth century, have here been brought to light. Books of all kinds, such as were kept probably only in the middle ages, are here represented,—accounts of the municipal lime-kilns, mills, exchange of coins, exchequer receipts, beginning with the year 1432, registers of incoming ships, with abstracts of their bills of lading (from the beginning of the fifteenth century), port dues, lists of citizens, records of inheritances, ledger of receipts from succession duties, record of letters of convoy, several letter-books (one of which ranges from 1383 to 1425), and others, for the end of the fifteenth and beginning of the sixteenth century. Among the other treasures here discovered is the chronicles of Dunamunde, long believed to be lost, and a manuscript belonging to the municipal archives of Lubeck.

A Princess' Domestic Life.

Princess Louise started in married life, says the London *Truth*, with the determination not to be the rival, on their own ground, of plutocrats' wives. There was to be comfort as well as elegance in her establishment, but no ostentation. At Rideau hall, her Canadian official abode, she affects more state. Once a week, when the legislature is in session, she gives a formal banquet. A day or two after there is an informal dinner, which Canadians term "the scrap feast." To be asked to it is thought a marked favor. A piper dressed in Campbell plaid is in attendance, and performs at dessert on his noisy instrument. On Sunday English visitors to Ottawa are asked in case an inference this way to partake of a family dinner, which is snug and well served, and enlivened by the cheery humor and raillery of Lady Sophia McNamara, who is more reserved when Canadians are present. The marquis shines to the [illegible]. It was a disadvantage to him to arrive at Ottawa immediately [illegible] Lord Dufferin had gone away. The presence of [illegible] was generally felt. The marquis is highly cultivated, but the product of a poor soil. He is at times [illegible] too much of the prince consort.

George W. Childs, the munificent millionaire editor of the Philadelphia *Ledger*, says: "For a reliable and faithful employe I would do anything. I have had men with me fifteen and twenty years and over, who, when they retired, not only received a full salary as before, but had a good sum of money to fall back on. My old city editor, retired with between $100,000 and $200,000, which he had been able to save while with me, and several other *Ledger* men have retired with scarcely less. I always liked to see a man who would put by money for a rainy day, and I think journalists should do so more, if anything, than any other people."

A Mexican Father.

An incident illustrating Mexican character is related by an exchange. It appears that a Senator of one of the Mexican states, a stock raiser, in the prime of life, sold his sheep and gone away. Away the proceeds of the sale before he returned to his home, and in addition gambled himself into a debt to the amount of $20,000. Like a dutiful son he confessed his guilt to his old father, who promptly gave him a sound thrashing and afterward went to the town and paid the $20,000 obligation.

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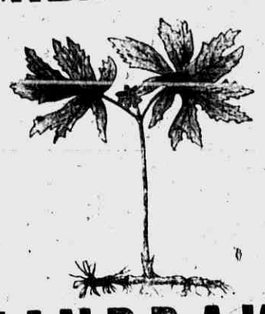

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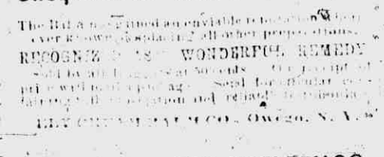

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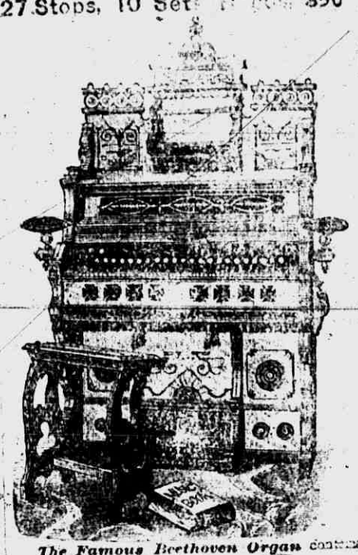

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Ben Butler's Bridge.

How Massachusetts' New Governor Made the Most Narrow Escape of His Life.

The recent triumph of Ben Butler and the clever devices with which he neutralized the effects of the "splits" in his own ranks, says Derrick Dodd in the San Francisco *Post*, recalls an incident of the General's early career, and which is interesting as showing that even in his youth Ben displayed those strategic abilities which have since done so much for his military and political career.

It appears that young Butler was much enamored of a pretty girl who lived on a farm about six miles from that of the Butler family in the western part of Massachusetts. The country beauty was a coquette, however, and kept quite a large train of admirers in suspense, each rival doing his best to gain the advantage of the others. At last matters were brought to a climax, and the damsel appointed a certain night when she would render her final decision as to which suitor she preferred.

It goes without saying that they were all better looking than Ben, but the latter determined to put the inside of his head against the outside of those of his opponents. The nearest way to the farmer's house, and the one taken by all her eager followers, was over a bridge formed by a single and somewhat slippery log placed across a deep brook in the rear of the house. Young Butler repaired to this bridge an hour earlier than the accustomed "courtin' time," bagging a pail of lard with which he carefully anointed the log by the mellow moonlight, locking himself across it at leisure.

As he afterwards sat with his sweetheart, waiting for the other suitors to appear, a loud splash came from the direction of the brook. Ben's game eye twinkled, and in imagination he could see one of his gorgeously gotten up fellow candidates climbing up the opposite bank with his teeth chattering and hemming for home across lots, but the conspirator looked as innocent as a cat in the dairy, and said nothing.

Pretty soon there came another souse, and after awhile another. The beauty began to look at the clock and show evidences of a decided pique at the negligence of her other admirers—a circumstance Ben did not fail to turn to his own profit.

Presently he could faintly hear voices in the distance, and he knew that the last two swains were approaching together. Pretty soon came a tremendous double splash.

"Dear me," said the young lady, "how the fish are jumping to-night!"

The upshot of it was that when the future governor rose to go the slighted beauty gave him her hand. Sealing the bargain with an old-fashioned husking bee kiss, Butler left his prize in such a state of exultation that he forgot all about the greased log, and the first thing he knew both legs had slain in the back of his head and he took a header down below, just as his victims had done. He climbed up the already well-clawed bank and made six miles to home, uttering Kearneyisms unfit for publication. He was taken with chills and fever as a result, and, when he got well, found his fiancee had eloped with a hired man. Butler tells this as the narrowest escape of his life, as he says the girl began eating onions the very next day after she became engaged. The General has been lucky ever since.

Sleeping With Serpents.

Professor Bell, the Smithsonian Institution's agent, shipped his last collection of snakes to the North two weeks ago, and already has his museum full again. It is surprising how rapidly they become domesticated under his treatment. During the recent cold snap some of them that had taken lodging in his room at night climbed on the bed-posts and coiled themselves up in the blankets. He felt them hunting for cozy spots about his legs, and knew that he might to get up and provide them with some other lodging, but a sleepy man in a warm bed of a cold night is not over obliging, and the Professor stayed on mission, as is his custom. The reptiles crawled upon him and nestled, but the Professor had to stay now and then to kick and cry out softly, "Woof, boys! be easy, boys!"

At last a big rattlesnake found an opening near the foot of the blankets, and slowly glided in. There was a gentle swaying up and down of the bed-clothes as the big clay-bank serpent moved about, getting himself comfortable, when suddenly he slapped about two-thirds of his frigid length against the warm legs of the dozing proprietor.

The proprietor made a violent remark. He sat up in bed, gathered a handful of snakes in each hand, depositing them carefully on the floor; then, throwing back the bed clothes, administered a kick that sent the coachwhip flying through the dark to the further end of the room, encountering the lamp in its aerial flight, and knocking from its bracket on the wall the fragile skull of an ancient Florida mound-builder.

"Freeze and be hanged," exclaimed the irate Professor; "I'll share my bed with you, but you shan't drive me out." He drew the blankets over him. A few moments later several pair of little red eyes moved up the bed-posts on either side, and soon snake-herder and snakes, in one couch, were lost in peaceful sleep.

Justifiable Homicide.

An Arkansaw editor was arraigned before a court on a charge of killing a reporter. The judge who was formerly a newspaper man, but who had been proved guilty of political fraud and consequently elected to office, was very much interested in the case. "I acknowledge that I killed him" said the editor. "One morning when I took up my paper I saw the following, which the reporter had written 'An unknown stranger, whose name we failed to learn, committed fatal suicide yesterday.'" "Your defense is sufficient," said the judge, "and I have the pleasure of discharging you."

"I guess the goose has the advantage of you," said a lady to an inexpert boarder who was carving. "Guess it has bound in age," was the withering retort.

Easily Satisfied.

"I am going fishing."

The August sun was beating down in pitiless fury upon the brown bosom of the parched earth, and up from the meadows that lay to the westward of Dappleville the hum of insects and the noisy notes of the grasshoppers came with wonderful distinctness to Beryl McCloskey, as she stood in the doorway of a modest little cottage, over whose front the honey-suckles and morning-glories were climbing, their vivid hues bringing out in all its beauty the pale glow of the girl's complexion, while the little shafts of sunlight that found their way here and there through the vines overhead were not more rich in coloring than the mass of golden hair that fell over Beryl's shoulders.

They had been married nearly a week, Beryl and George W. Simpson, and as the girl nestled close to her husband she felt an unspeakable joy, a sense of sweet content that could never fade away or die so long as he was by her side—his strong arm around her, and yet on this Sunday afternoon a little feeling of disappointment—a sort of I-am-not-as-happy-as-I-was-a-week-ago Saturday sensation—had thrilled her soul for an instant as the man whom she had vowed to love, honor, and possibly break, spoke the words with which this chapter opens.

"I had been hoping you would go with me to Sunday-school this afternoon, darling," Beryl said, "you are such a favorite with the children and can manage them so well."

"Yes," he replied, "that is very true, sweetheart, but I am also tolerably handy with a fish-pole, and you know the fish always bite best on Sundays."

"Do they?" she asked, looking up to him with her pure young face grown funny."

"It is indeed lutiferous," George replied, speaking with a grave tenderness that shadowed what a lovely liar he was, "but we cannot fathom the mysterious laws of Nature. We can only accept them."

Suddenly George changed the subject of conversation. "I shall come through the village on my way home," he said. "Is there anything I can get for you?"—and he stooped and kissed the rose-bud mouth of the one woman in the world who had ever won his love.

The little head fell on his shoulder.—There was a long, sweet pause, and then Beryl, as if fearful that the ecstacy which was thrilling through her would suddenly change to pain if she dared look up or move, said softly:

"Caramels."

That was all. No need of explanation between them, and, as George W. Simpson walked swiftly away with a light heart and a pocket full of bait, he felt the one cloud in the rose-tinted horizon of his life was liable to stay there.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Not The Same Sullivan.

A New York letter to the Detroit *Free Press* says: Alexander M. Sullivan, the Irish journalist and member of Parliament, departed homeward a few days ago. He returned from New Orleans last week. A pretty fair story is told about his advent there. Having a good many friends in the Crescent City, preparations were made to give him a public reception. Pretty much everyone, including the street boys, got hold of his name. It was Sullivan here, there and everywhere. He is a small man, standing about five feet six, weighing probably 150 pounds, and in delicate health. The boys got enough somehow, that he was another Sullivan, whose nature is of a different kind. A crowd gathered in front of the house in which he was staying, [illegible] out and did not know [illegible]

[illegible]

"N-a-w, that ain't Sullivan. I seen Sullivan when he licked Ryan. That ain't him. I could lick that feller myself!"

It may be a great thing to be a journalist and a member of Parliament, but there is fame for a first-class "slugger," too.

Raised But One.

"I raised seven boys," said an Arkansaw man, "and all but one was killed. Tom was killed by his uncle, Ned was stabbed by Ike, Ike was horned to death by a cow, Jake was blowed up, Sim was killed by a wild hog, and Nat was hung by a horse and killed."

"What was your other son's name?"

"Lige, and he was as good a boy as ever lived, and smart! That boy could write his name anywhar, and he could read this big show printin'."

"And so they were all killed but Lige?"

"Yes," said the old man, with a sorrowful sigh.

"And what became of Lige?"

"Why, sir, the Governor took a foolish notion and wouldn't pardon him, and he was hung."

According to the newspapers of Rio Janeiro, writing on the twenty-fourth anniversary of the passing of the law of emancipation in Brazil, the effect of that measure has been singularly beneficial to the material and moral development of the country. In those years more than 60,000 slaves have been spontaneously freed by their masters without compensation, while the State has given liberty to more than 11,000. During the same period 250,000 children of slaves have been born free, and the cost to the state of emancipation up to the present time has been nearly $7,000,000.

John Howard Payne in Georgia.

I was once acquainted with a Swede who had been adopted by the Osage Indians. He was a friend of John Ross, the celebrated chief of the Cherokees, and his name in the Cherokee language—it was written J Q & J Q, pronounced Coh-wen--koh-web, and means swamp sparrow. His brother, Lewis Ross, was named Te-talk-te, which means spoon. My informant was himself called by the Cherokee Te-kaw-wha-hee-ky, which signifies "The man who writes orders for flour."

John Howard Payne, author of "Home Sweet Home," was a warm, personal friend of John Ross, who will be remembered as the celebrated chief of the Cherokees. At the time the Cherokees were removed from their homes in Georgia to their present home west of the Mississippi river, Payne was spending a few weeks in Georgia, with Ross, who was occupying a miserable cabin, having been forcibly ejected from his former home.

A number of prominent Cherokees were in prison, and that portion of Georgia in which the tribe was located, was [illegible] armed squads of the Georgia militia, who had orders to arrest all who refused to leave the country.

While Ross and Payne were seated before the fire in the chief's hut, the door was suddenly burst open and six or eight militiamen sprang into the room. Ross's wife was seated on a trunk containing many valuable papers and a small amount of money, and at the unexpected intrusion she sprang up and screamed wildly. Ross spoke to her in the Cherokee language, telling her to be seated, as she would save the contents of the trunk, and as she thus sat down again, the intruders told Ross that he and Payne were under arrest and must prepare to accompany the squad to Milledgeville where they were to be imprisoned. The soldiers lost no time in taking their prisoner away. Ross was permitted to ride his own horse, while Payne was mounted on one led by a soldier. As the little party left the hovel, rain began falling and continued until every man was drenched thoroughly. Toward midnight, Payne's escort, in order to keep himself awake, began humming "Home, home, sweet, sweet Home," when Payne remarked:

"Little did I expect to hear that song under such circumstances and at such a time. Do you know the author?"

"No," said the soldier, "do you?"

"Yes," answered Payne, "I composed it."

"The devil you did." "You can tell that to some fellows, but not to me.—Look here you made that song you say; if you did—and I know you didn't—you can say it all without stopping." It has something in it about pleasures and palaces. Now pitch in and reel it off, and if you can't I'll bounce you from your horse and lead you instead of it."

The threat was answered by Payne, who repeated the song in a slow, subdued tone, and then sang it making the old woods ring with the tender melody and pathos of the words. It touched the heart of the rough soldier, who was not only captivated but convinced, and who said that the composer of such a song should never go to prison if he could help it. And when the party reached Milledgeville, they were, after a preliminary examination, discharged much to their surprise. Payne insisted it was because the leader of the squad had been under the magnetic influence of Ross's conversation, and Ross insisted that they had been saved from insult and imprisonment by the power of the "Home Sweet Home," sung as only those who feel can sing it.

The friendship existing between Ross and Payne endured until the grave closed over the mortal remains of the latter.—*Southern World.*

Business Was Too Dull to Be Religious.

"I was just talking to Philip Friedlander a little while ago, Mister Hoffenstein," said Herman, as he entered the store, "and dey say he don't care, dey say more mount to do—"

"Well, yes, I guess dat business was pretty dull. He vas a fine religious, yes, I don't [illegible] and [illegible] I [illegible] from [illegible] Ebery time I feel a little [illegible] Max Berlinger, [illegible] vat is so fine close-shaven [illegible] at seventy-five cents, ven dey dist not ven [illegible] the depot down. He vas [illegible] the trade away, and I don't vaste no time, yet I know, Herman, at de same time, My gr-a-cious, dis vould be a nice world if you vouldn't always haf something [illegible] vat gifs you [illegible] If dere is any truth in dis business about de dram shop of souls, den I vant to go into a billy-goat ven I die."

"Vy, Misder Hoffenstein?"

"Because, Herman, a billy-goat leads de most economicalist und de happiest life of any animal in the verld. He don't haf anything to do but eat baper und butt. My old frent Bill Jackson, vot used to lif in Vicksburg, said dot ven he died he vanted to be a mule, und haf a chance to kick de stuffing oud of some people vot he knows. If I vas a mule alder I die, den Herman you can shust bet I vill fix Max Hornberger."—*N. O. Times-Democrat.*

Dr. Schliemann has returned to his home at Athens, and writes to a friend: "Thanks to the Greek gods, our beautiful Attic Spring weather, the daily rides to the sea, and the sea baths, I am quite recovered." He has not yet been able to obtain permission to make the elaborate plans of Troy he has in contemplation, owing to an inhibition from the Grand Master of artillery at Constantinople, but he hopes to overcome this difficulty through diplomatic intervention. A French version of his "Ilios," with the addition of a narrative of this year's exploration, is now in the press.

Shiawassee county, Michigan, has a coal-bearing territory of about 25,000 acres, and veins ranging from three to six feet in thickness are found all through the central, northern and eastern part of the county. Large fortunes, evidently, await the people who will go there and pick up the claims.

Going to His Grave.

There he goes again direct to a saloon and pours down another heavy draught of strong drink, not so much because his appetite demands it, but for the artificial buoyancy it produces, the after effect of which leaves him more miserable than before; it is this dreadful practice that is daily sending thousands to their graves. A remedy for all this is found in the true friend of temperance, the best, purest of all medicines, Electric Bitters.

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ESTATE OF CYRUS SAYERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Cyrus Sayers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Gideon D. Perry administrator of said estate alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of his time, and for an discharge as administrator, and for the widow and heirs-at-law of said deceased and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF McCOLLUM MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Tuesday, the 24 day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ann E. Stanley, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Lewis B. Wood executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for the allowance of his account as such executor, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 20th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Thursday, the 4th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate John Henry Holderman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Rosina Holderman, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Henry Smith of the village of Tecumseh in said county, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. 3m11

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 11th day of December, A.D., 1882 authorizing the same as guardian of William Taylor, an insane person I shall on the 27th day of January, 1883, at the office of E. B. Wood, Tecumseh, Michigan, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, offer for and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder those parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee Co., Mich., known and described as follows: The east half of the northwest quarter of section eight, and also that parcel in said township bounded by commencing at a stake in the prairie set up in the center point in the north line of the southwest quarter of said section eight, from thence south along the line between the east and west halves of said southwest quarter of said section, one degree and thirty minutes (1°—30') east eight chains to a stake in the prairie, thence eastward nine chains and eighty-three links to a leaning white oak cornered, thence along the margin of the low ground south thirty-four degrees and fifty minutes (34°—50') east six chains and forty-seven links to a stake, thence along the margin of the low ground south sixty-two degrees and fifty minutes (62°—50') east seven chains and eleven links to a stake between the east and west halves of said section, to a white oak sapling about six inches in diameter, blazed and notched near the ground, bears south twenty-eight and one-half degrees west ninety-six links, thence along the line between the east and west halves of said section, south one degree and twenty minutes (1°—20') west sixteen chains and forty-two links to a stake at the center of said section, thence along the line between the north and south halves of said section, north eighty-nine degrees and thirty minutes (89°—30') west twenty-five chains and fifty links to the place of commencement, containing one hundred and [illegible] acres more or less, excepting the [illegible] conveyed by mortgage made by said William Taylor to [illegible] and recorded in Liber [illegible] of Deeds, page [illegible] in said county of Lenawee, [illegible] mortgages at page [illegible] the sum of [illegible] dollars [illegible] and interest [illegible] and taxes [illegible] and costs of sale.

Dated, Dec. 31, 1882.

JAMES S. GEDDES, Guardian.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

ESTATE of Lucy Jones, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executors of said estate, have been appointed executors of said estate by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 27th day of November, A.D. 1882. Therefore we will sell on the 26th day of January, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the dwelling house upon the premises formerly belonging to the estate, the real estate and interest of said deceased in and to the premises of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, State of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of lot number two (2) and the south half of lot number three (3) and lot number four (4) in block number fifteen (15) of the original recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh, bounded by Chicago street on the north, by George Wilson's land east, by Pearl street, and south by Chicago street, being six rods north and south and four rods east and west. Let November eight of the original recorded plat of said village being six rods by twelve rods. Also all the three-fourths of lot twenty-seven in the original recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh, being six rods by nine rods. Said lot twenty-seven is subject to a mortgage made by deceased for $1400 dated September 7th, 1881, with interest thereon from September 7th, 1882, at eight per cent.

Terms of sale published at time of sale.

Dated December 11th, 1882.

BENJAMIN L. RAXTER,
EDWIN B. WOOD,
Executors.

ESTATE OF JAMES WHEELER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, held in the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 2d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Wheeler, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Lewis B. Wood executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for the allowance of his account as such executor, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 29th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. 3m4

ESTATE OF JOHN GLENN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, held at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 9th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew J. Burtless, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Lewis B. Wood, administrator of said estate, praying that he may be allowed to make a final settlement of said estate, and for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the widow and heirs-at-law of said deceased and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ALMOST AS BAD.

What the Perplexed Physicians do in Cases of Emergency.

"I'll tell you the honest truth," answered the doctor. "Bright's Disease bothers the medical men almost as badly as cancer does. Having passed a certain stage, both point straight to eternity. It may be unprofessional to let out the secret, but whenever a patient comes to me with Bright's Disease, or any kidney trouble acting like it, I tell him to put on BENSON'S CAPCINE PORO PLASTER without delay."

The doctor spoke by the card. The Capcine put right to the spot. Health can be helped, and the Capcine will do it. Look out for frauds. In the Capcine cut to the middle of the plaster. Price 25 cents. Seabury & Johnson, Chemists New York. Highest award.

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

The treasury reserve has fallen below $112,000,000, and bond redemptions bid fair to reduce it below $90,000,000, when the issue of gold certificates must stop.

The house committee on war claims has resolved to make a favorable report on Rosecrans' bill to allow California $250,000 for suppressing Indian outbreaks.

Three of the richest planters of Louisiana are besieging congress for a heavier duty on low-grade sugar than is recommended by the tariff commission.

A committee of the house of representatives has ascertained that the clerk of the supreme court had a net income of $29,000 last year. A recommendation for a reasonable salary will be made.

It is probable that the senate will pass the bill reported from the judiciary committee to cancel grants of land to railroad companies which have made little effort to complete their tracks within the time specified.

B. H. Campbell, of Chicago, representing local capitalists, has offered the secretary of the interior an annual rental of $50,000 for a tract of land in Indian Territory thirty miles square, on which to raise cattle [illegible] the right to cut timber for wire fences.

Several companies of union volunteers from Rhode Island were only mustered out last month, and an officer of the command claims pay from the war department to the date of discharge. A Vermont regiment was similarly forgotten at the close of the late unpleasantness.

Secretary Teller would like to see a new Indian commissioner in place of Hiram Price. Edward Fenlon, of Leavenworth, [illegible] congresses having cleared $50,000 on a contract to deliver 50,000 pounds of tripe at Los Pa[illegible] agency. Mr. Price refused to accept [illegible] per hundred for supplying beef [illegible] unable to make purchases at [illegible]

PUTNAM'S SERVICES.

[illegible] at Pennsylvania, comes [illegible] proposition which appears [illegible] to grant the heirs of Count Pulaski, who lost his life in the American cause at the siege before Savannah in 1779. He held the rank of brigadier general at the time of his death. It is proposed to grant his heirs in full payment for the eminent services of the distinguished foreigner $2,000. The matter is being considered by the house committee on war claims.

THE EYE OF THE SPEAKER.

[illegible] in congress fare no better than the poor. The speaker's eye is controlled by a member's political influence, and not by speech. For nearly two years the other day millionaire Brewer, of New York, has kept himself hoarse by trying to catch the attention of the speaker. Keifer could not see him, though he had seen all the members on his own party. Just before adjournment, however, Keifer did pitch on Brewer. [illegible] was happy.

[illegible]

THE MOVING VACATION POSTALS.

[illegible] has contracted [illegible] of the new style [illegible] letter and envelope [illegible] called. Years have [illegible] in some postal circuits that [illegible] the revenue [illegible] connection [illegible] but those in favor of the new cards reply that the same was claimed when the postal cards were first proposed, and that as now letter postage was reduced. Should a reduction be made a finer sheet and envelope combined with a 2-cent stamp upon it would be among the things to follow.

INCULPATIVE CLEMENCY REFUSED.

The president has decided not to interfere in the case of Jack Liddle, now in jail at Huntsville, Texas, charged with robbing a United States paymaster at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, in the spring of 1881. Application for a pardon of Liddle was made by Governor [illegible] of Alabama, and other high officials, including the chief of police in Kansas [illegible] found that the parties who [illegible] in the conviction of Frank James, now awaiting trial at Independence, Mo., [illegible] the president's action is based on the report from the attorney general, who made adverse report on the petition for pardon on the ground that nothing would be gained by such action as Liddle's was as much deserving of punishment as James.

THE PRESIDENT THE FOE OF OFFICE.

President Arthur is looking as well as he did a year ago. During the reception at the white house New Year's day he was cordial and polite as usual, but his manner seemed forced. It is said he is already tired of his presidential responsibilities, and would not accept the renomination if it were offered him. Color is given to this idea by the following incident: When the secretary of the senate presented his compliments to the president Friday, the latter exclaimed: "How [illegible] Sabbath! I'm so [illegible] to see [illegible] those meaning [illegible] I wish I were back with you all again. It was a good deal easier there than here."

DOING GOOD WORK.

Congress is more advanced in its business by nearly a month than it ever was before at this date within the memory of the oldest member. The house has passed nearly all the appropriation bills, and the senate has passed the agricultural, Indian, consular and diplomatic and military academy appropriation bills. The postoffice bill is in the hands of the committee, and the army bill has just reached the committee. As for general legislation both houses have passed the civil-service reform bill, and the senate has passed the bill extending the bonded period for whiskey, and has spent some time in debating two measures of first-class importance, the presidential succession bill and the bill to organize all the judiciary [illegible] before congress and the departments to the court of claims for investigation.

REFUNDING TAXES.

A communication from the secretary of the treasury has been laid before congress [illegible] estimate of the commissioner of internal revenue of the amount of money required to refund taxes on cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, distilled spirits, and fermented liquors, the difficulty of arriving at an accurate estimate being recognized, [illegible] distilled spirits, $[illegible] fermented liquors, $[illegible] tobacco, $[illegible] cigarettes, and $[illegible] cigars. The [illegible] tax paid on distilled spirits [illegible] tax paid on fermented liquors [illegible] tax paid on tobacco [illegible] tax paid on cigarettes [illegible] tax paid on cigars [illegible] dealers, $[illegible] manufacturers [illegible] be refunded [illegible] now in broken packages.

CHANGES IN THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

The passage by the senate of the civil-service reform bill has inspired Secretary Lincoln to carry out a plan which he had under consideration for some time past to promote the efficiency of the clerical force in the war department. Hitherto the branch of the service [illegible] been a Mecca for [illegible] many clerks discharged from other departments, have turned longing eyes, as the duties required were light and the hours regarded as sure for life. Under such a state of affairs numerous abuses crept in, and the privileges accorded the employes were far in excess of those in any other public office. Now it is proposed to run the department on the same principle that the treasury is conducted, and, when the clerks return to their desks on Tuesday morning they will probably be confronted with an order prohibiting smoking, social visits during office hours, and other restrictions more in their habits. A half hour at noon will be allowed for lunch, and such as fail to conform to the new rules will be dismissed summarily. It is proposed to make this a model department, and Secretary Lincoln has established the reputation of being master of his own house, so that no delinquency will be permitted.

THE CATTLE DISEASE.

The treasury cattle commission estimate that the sum of $200,000 will be required to stamp out the lung plague among the animals in this country, and recommend the requisite legislation.

In discussing the question of the admission of American store cattle to Great Britain, the report concludes:

It is vain to hope that England will remove the restrictions as long as we fail to show that the last vestige of infection has been wiped out from our land, and nothing short of the absolute and undeniable extinction of this disease in the United States will reopen the British market to our live cattle, and save us those millions we are now every year prodigally, we might say insanely, throwing away.

The report estimates the yearly losses from the lung plague in the United States at from two to three million dollars, and the prospective loss fifty million. The capital represented by the present yearly losses at 5 per cent. would be from forty to sixty million dollars, and that represented by prospective losses at the same rate $1,000,000,000. The governing principle in all these recommendations is that the federal government shall forbid the movement of store cattle out of every infected state, territory or district, except after a quarantine such as is now imposed on cattle imported from infected foreign countries. The report recommends that the secretary of the treasury be empowered to order the instant destruction of all cattle or other animals which in quarantine give evidence of dangerous contagious disease.

OUR FOREIGN COMMERCE.

The annual report of the Bureau of Statistics in the foreign commerce of the United States for the fiscal year 1882 has been printed. No official document ever published by the Government in times of peace and plenty contains a more humiliating array of facts and figures than those compiled by Mr. Hinino in this report. In 1882 the total tonnage of sail and steam vessels entered at seaports of the United States from foreign countries was 4,464,638 tons. In 1881 it was 4,066,400 tons. The tonnage of American steam and sailing vessels entered at ports of the United States from foreign countries in 1882 was 3,194,275 tons. The tonnage of foreign vessels entered at our ports during that year was 1,270,363. The tonnage of American steam and sailing vessels entered at our ports from foreign countries in 1882 was 2,968,280 tons, while the foreign tonnage entered during this year was 11,696,[illegible]. The tonnage of vessels entered of every [illegible] save the United States, exhibits an increase [illegible] in British tonnage entered since 1876 among 100,000 tons, while the decrease in American tonnage has been 225,985 tons. In 1876 vessels of this country carried 35.7 per cent of the total value of imports and exports. In 1882 we carried 15.5 per cent of such merchandise. The total value of merchandise and gold and silver imported into and exported from the United States during each of the years 1881 and 1882 was $[illegible]. In 1882 the total in [illegible] such imports and exports was $[illegible]

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

JAN. 2.—[illegible] the senate listened to petitions for the passage of the bonded whisky bill, for a reduction of the duty on sugar, and for an increase in the pensions of one-armed soldiers. Mr. Logan continued the argument in an arraignment of Fitz John Porter.

JAN. 3.—In the senate a number of petitions were presented for a constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors. A statement from the commissioner of internal revenue estimated the amount required to refund taxes on tobacco and matches at $6,000,000. Mr. Logan finished his argument on the case of Fitz John Porter. A motion for an indefinite postponement of the bill was lost.

JAN. 4.—In the senate, Mr. Morrill reported the house bill to reduce internal revenue taxation. With an amendment for an entire revision of the tariff and of the machinery for its collection. The West Point appropriation bill was passed. It was agreed that a vote be taken next Thursday on the Fitz John Porter bill. The bonded whisky bill was taken up and passed, after several amendments had been rejected. It grants an extension for two years, with interest at 5 per cent.

JAN. 5.—In the senate, Mr. Ingalls presented a petition for the admission of Dakota as a state. Mr. Vest submitted a report in relation to Yellowstone park. Debate on the presidential succession bill consumed the remainder of the session.

JAN. 6.—In the senate, petitions from Wisconsin were presented for a constitutional amendment to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors, as also a memorial from Oregon for the improvement of Columbia river. A house bill was passed to permit the free exportation of tobacco and cigars. A bill was reported to grant right of way through public lands in Alabama to the Rome and Decatur railroad.

HOUSE.

DEC. 29.—In the house, bills were passed to extend for one year the time for filing claims for horses or equipments lost by officers or soldiers; to pay the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern road $6,570 for carrying mails, and to appropriate $75,000 to reimburse the states of Oregon and California for expenses incurred in suppressing Indian hostilities.

JAN. 2.—In the house, bills were introduced to transfer the revenue cutter service to the navy department, and to limit to one year the presentation of claims by states for money expended in suppressing Indian hostilities. Bills were passed, to place tobacco exported by rail on the same footing as that sent to Europe by sea, and to permit Canadian farmers to have grain ground at mills on this side of the border.

JAN. 3.—In the house, a telegram was presented from the St. Louis merchants' exchange, asking the immediate passage of the bonded whisky bill. The army appropriation bill was taken up in committee of the whole, and Mr. Browne's amendment to the general provision of the law giving a soldier who served three years the preference was rejected. A short debate took place over the 3 cent clause, Mr. Hiscock [illegible] the members at the last session had decided against the appropriation amounting to $75,000. [illegible]

JAN. 4.—The house took up the District of Columbia appropriation bill, which appropriates $[illegible]. In the course of the debate on lighting the city, Mr. [illegible] charged that the Washington gas company had a ring in the empire of the house who gave information of the introduction of measures affecting the gas interests. The price was fixed at $2 per 1000, and the bill passed.

JAN. 5.—The house listened to a communication from the president recommending an appropriation of $[illegible] to complete the census. Mr. White, of Kentucky, offered a resolution as to the necessity for the presence of Commissioner Raum in Illinois where enormous quantities of distilled spirits are in bonded warehouses, and whose owners are petitioning for extension of the bonded period.

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The Southeastern Michigan Bee-Keepers' Association, comprising the counties of Monroe, Hillsdale, Lenawee, Washtenaw, Jackson, Oakland and Livingston, will hold its annual meeting in the Court House at Ann Arbor, Mich., on Jan. 2, 3, 1883. All are invited to be present.

G. J. Pease, Sec., Ann Arbor.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A package from Arizona, containing over one hundred loaded cartridges, was found in a mail-bag in the New York post-office.

Vignaux, the French billiard champion, has been offered $5,000 and his traveling expenses to come to New York for six months.

A. W. Oppmann, a leading brewer of Cleveland, was convicted of resisting a police officer, and was fined $100 and sentenced to ten days in the workhouse.

The central tower of the ancient cathedral at Peterborough, England, is to be demolished because of gaps in the walls.

A delegate convention is to be held at Pittsburgh in May, to organize a federation of the coal-miners of the United States, who number 152,000.

The reported discovery in Siberia of the bodies of Lieutenant Chipp's party proves to be a hoax, concocted in Boston.

William A. Seaver, editor of "The Drawer" in *Harper's Magazine*, died from acute pneumonia at Mt. Vernon, New York.

The condition of "Lucky" Baldwin, of San Francisco, grows serious. He is liable to lose his arm from blood-poisoning.

The latest railway rumor is to the effect that the Union Pacific seeks control of the Wabash road, to obtain an outlet to the Mississippi and the lakes.

Rev. Titus Coan, who has done missionary work in the Sandwich islands for over half a century, died last month at Hilo.

The widow of D. A. Goddard, of the Boston *Advertiser*, declined a purse of $25,000 contributed by friends of her husband.

While cutting through high land to open a street at Auburn, New York, three laborers were killed by the caving in of earth.

The public debt decreased $15,413,223 during the month of December. Deducting cash in the treasury, the total debt is $1,607,543,676.

General Joseph Wheeler has been elected to congress from the Eighth Alabama district, over McClellan, by 2,900 majority.

Dr. B. S. Thompson, of Salisbury, Connecticut, took his life with morphine in a hotel at Cincinnati, leaving a gold watch and $150 in money.

At Two Rivers, Wisconsin, Joseph Sauville and Miss Raullier were drowned while attempting to cross on the ice.

C. T. Van Vliet, a member of an awning manufacturing firm of Denver, has been arrested for embezzling $10,000 and falsifying the books.

J. H. Winterbotham, of Michigan City, states that he will not push his contest for the seat of Congressman Calkins.

E. J. Knecht, a leading brewer of St. Joseph, Missouri, has made an assignment, with liabilities $[illegible] in excess of assets.

The railway survey from Buffalo to Cleveland, which has been nicknamed the gilt-edge, is believed to be backed by the Erie road.

The municipal bank of Sapojok, Russia, has suspended payment, having only 29 rubles in its vaults. The liabilities are well up into the millions.

The treasury cattle commission asks for $200,000 to stamp out the lung plague and reopen the British markets to American beeves.

General Ceanzy, a life senator of France, formerly governor general of Algeria, died very suddenly in Chalons, aged 60 years.

The American expedition sent to the Cape of Good Hope to take observations of the transit of Venus has arrived in England with 236 photographs.

In the United States court at Omaha, F. E. Clary, formerly postmaster at Sidney, was convicted of making false returns as to the arrival of mails, and fined $300.

Twenty colored convicts of North Carolina, who were engaged in excavating a railway tunnel in Jackson county, were drowned while attempting to cross a river in a leaky flat.

At Cocoatze, New Mexico, S. M. Phillips, justice of the peace, whose life had been threatened by a desperado named Jesse Brown, got the drop on his adversary and ended his career.

Well-known capitalists have subscribed $2,000,000 to build a railway from New York to Hartford, to afford the New England road connection with the metropolis.

About a month hence, Simon Cameron and Charles A. Dana will leave New York in a palace-car for San Francisco, to spend two months in search of something new.

Mann, who butchered the Cooke family at Little Rideau, Ontario, was captured thirty miles from Montreal. He is of English birth, and not yet 20 years of age.

P. Rueisheff, a delegate of the Russian department of agriculture, has appeared at Springfield, Illinois, to solicit information as to the method of breeding cattle.

Work by special counsel in the star-route cases [illegible] last year, in which period George Bliss has drawn $30,000 from the federal treasury, Mr. Ker $23,000, and B. F. Merrick $10,000.

Prince Kropotkine will be tried in the French courts for being a communist. He will act as his own counsel, and three judges will hear the case without a jury.

In a cave two miles from Lancaster, Ohio, was found a notorious sneak-thief, with a wagon-load of plunder, an armory of weapons, and a complement of burglars' tools.

Mr. Senecal, a Montreal financier, reports having formed a syndicate in Europe, with a capital of $5,000,000, and made a contract for a cable from Queenstown to Halifax.

Officer Delaney, of New York, who killed a desperate bartender named McGowan, was given exoneration and a gold watch and chain by the coroner's jury.

The directors of the Boston, Hoosac Tunnel and Western road have resolved to cease work west of Syracuse and sell their interest beyond that city to the West Shore company.

George R. McConkey, county treasurer at Hamilton, Nevada, was found dead on the floor of his office, a pistol lying beside him and the safe door open.

At Grand Lake, Colorado, County Commissioner Waldron was engaged in beating his wife, when a miner named Plummer remonstrated, for which he was shot dead.

Jay Gould has been chosen a director in the Des Moines and Northwestern road, and is expected to make it broad gauge and connect it with the Northern Pacific.

Red Cloud is spending the holidays with his grandchildren in the Indian schools at Hampton, Virginia.

B. P. Shillaber, better known as Mrs. Partington, lies ill of pneumonia at Chelsea, Massachusetts.

The prevalence of street robberies in Cleveland caused the police to be ordered out in citizens dress.

Jane White, a Boston negress, has sued D. M. Safford, a plain citizen, for $500 for breach of promise of marriage.

Biggar, of the British parliament, has been held to bail in Ireland for treasonable sentiments in a recent speech.

Rev. J. C. Smith, famous in early days as a revivalist in southern Indiana, died at Terre Haute Thursday.

Three veterinary surgeons, after a post-mortem examination of four victims of the horse disease now raging in Oskaloosa, Iowa, found the cause of death to be cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Mortgages for $17,000,000 are being recorded in South Carolina by the Carolina, Cumberland Gap and Chicago road, formed by the consolidation of six roads, which is intended to complete a track from Aiken northward into Kentucky.

Governor Foster, of Ohio, recommends that the proposed constitutional amendment, leaving the liquor question to legislation be submitted to the people, and that the whiskey traffic be taxed at a uniform rate throughout the state.

L. M. Sage, in Faribault, Minnesota, fatally shot Chief of Police Shipley for trying to arrest him. The murderer escaped, but the members of the Faribault guards have turned out in search of him.

Miss Josephine C. Mecker, who was for some days a prisoner among the Utes in Colorado, died of pneumonia, at Washington, where she was employed in the office of the secretary of the interior.

In announcing an increase of 1,645 failures in '82, over 1881, *Bradstreet's* calls attention to the fact that they largely occurred since September, while trade was being readjusted to a lower range of prices.

The connection of the Southern Pacific and Sunset roads will be made at San Antonio about the end of this week. The schedule time between New Orleans and San Francisco is to be five days.

The principal naval powers will have war ships at Honolulu at the time of King Kalakaua's coronation, rumors having got afloat of the danger of an uprising of the people against the extravagance of the government.

Rupert Spencer, a young politician of Baltimore, who killed Robert Brenser last September, for which he was sentenced to thirteen years in the penitentiary, flung himself from the fifth tier to the basement of that institution, and received fatal injuries.

The stockholders of the Philadelphia Centennial exposition are behind to the amount of $1,500,000. On the ground of general benefit to the country, New York bankers and merchants have forwarded to congress a memorial for an appropriation to cover the deficit.

Alfred Vandecar, of Ocogomowoc, is the man arrested on charge of connection with the murder of H. C. Mead, the Waupaca banker. Sheriff Briggs is on his way from the lumber camps with another accomplice, and a third remains to be captured.

The cashier of a national bank at Muncie, Indiana, received a package from an Indianapolis bank by express, supposed to be $5,000 in currency. It was found to contain slips of muslin and five $1 bills, the seals being in good order.

PROBATE COURT

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan 6, 1882:

Estate of Mahlon D. Ferris, et al., minors: nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond $500.

Estate of Pluma C. Fox, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing January 29, 1883.

Estate of Andrew J. Burtless, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing January 29, 1883.

Estate of Calista E. Dodge, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing January 22, 1883.

Estate of Barzillai W. Arnold, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order of appointment of appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of William Dorr, deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order of appointment of appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Willie Kniffin, minor; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of George A. Hathaway, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing January 29, 1883.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell et al., minors; guardian's account; order of allowance.

Estate of Jeptha Fleming, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Louisa K. Choate, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Betsey Westcott, deceased; order of continuance until January 9, 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Florence E. Smith et al., minors; application for the allowance of guardian's account; hearing January 29, 1883.

Estate of Martin J. Thomson, minor; release of guardian; order of discharge.

Estate of Charles R. Underwood, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Peter Boonman, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing January 29, 1883.

Estate of Rolph Mills, deceased; stipulation filed; executor's account allowed; distribution.

Estate of Rolph A. Mills, et al., minors; resignation of guardian; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; account of former guardian allowed; order discharging former guardian.

Estate of Abner Stanley, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing January 29, 1883.

Estate of William Ash, deceased; appointment of guardian ad litem; executor's final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Francis H. Bailey; an alleged insane person; petition for the appointment of guardian; hearing January 29, 1883.

Estate of John Henry Hoffman, deceased; petition for the appointment of an administrator; hearing January [illegible]

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unvalued for in the postoffice at Tecumseh, January 6, 1883.

Costigon, Jno.	Hills, A. W.
Dascats, Mary	Hosig, Mr. L. E.
Gray, Miss M.	Graw, Jas.

Mrs. Mary Wheeler, package.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED. BOS[illegible], P. M.

GENERAL MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

WHEAT.—Higher; January, 95½@96c; February, [illegible]; May, $1.02½@1.03. CORN.—Higher; January, 51½@52½c; Feb., 50½@51½c; May, 53½@53¾c. OATS.—Higher; January, 35½@35¾c; Feb., 35½@35¾c; May, 36⅞@37½c. RYE.—Firm; January, [illegible]; Feb., 58c.

PROVISIONS.—Mess Pork higher; January, $16.95@16.97½; February, $17.05@17.10; March, $17.22½@17.25. Lard—Steady; January, sold at $10.35@10.37½; February, $10.40@10.42½; March, $10.50@10.52½. We quote:

CATTLE.—Market firm. We quote:

Fancy heavy steers	6.90@6.95
Choice fat steers	6.85@6.95
Good do.	5.00@5.75
Medium grade steers	4.00@4.75
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NEW YORK.

WHEAT.—Higher; No. 2 Jan., $1.11@1.11½; February, $1.13½@1.13¾; March, $1.15@1.15⅛. CORN.—Quiet; Mixed Western Spot, 55@63½c.

CINCINNATI.

FLOUR.—Market quiet; Family, $4.10@4.40. WHEAT—Firm; No. 2 Red Winter, 85c. CORN.—Lower; No. 2 Mixed, 50½c. OATS.—Higher; No. 2 Mixed, 39c. RYE.—Quiet; No. 2 Fall, 62½c. PROVISIONS—Pork dull at $17.25. Lard quiet at $10.25.—Bulk Meats firm; Clear sides $6.50@6.75.—Bacon firm; Clear sides $6.75.

MILWAUKEE.

WHEAT.—Lower; January, 95½c; February, 95½c; March, 97½c; No. 3, 80c. CORN.—Lower at 51½c for No. 2. OATS.—Firm; No. 2 White, 35½c. RYE.—Higher; 56½c for No. 1. BARLEY.—Lower at 72c for No. 2.

ST. LOUIS.

WHEAT.—Lower; No. 2 Red January, 98½@[illegible]; February, $1.0[illegible]. CORN.—Lower; January, 46½@46¾c; February, [illegible]@37c. RYE—Steady at 60c. OATS—Lower; [illegible]. PORK—Dull; $16.90.—Lard—Nominal; $9.50, 9.70, 9.00.—Bulk Meats—Nominal; [illegible]@10.25. Lard—Lower; Yorkers, [illegible]. Hams—Lower; Sugar-cured Hams, [illegible] Heavy, $6.30@[illegible]

TOLEDO.

FLOUR—Quiet; Superfine, $3.15@3.65; do. Extra Family, $4.75@5.75. WHEAT—Higher; No. 2 White Red January, $1.09@[illegible]; February, $1.11. CORN—Higher; No. 2 Mixed January, [illegible]; February, [illegible]. OATS—Western White, 46@[illegible]; No. 2 Mixed do. [illegible]. RYE—Higher at [illegible]

BOSTON.

WOOL—Demand active; Ohio extras 40@41c; combing delaines, 42@47c; Michigan fleeces, [illegible]; unwashed wools, 19@[illegible]; pulled [illegible]

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Apples, dried	[illegible]
Apples, green	[illegible]
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Beans ⅌ bushel	1 75@2 25
Beeswax	25
Buckwheat	1 50
Barkwheat Flour	5 00@5 50
Beef, dressed	5@6
Beef Hides	8@10
Calf Skins	10@30
Corn	60@65
Corn, shelled	25@30
Clover Seed	10@12
Chickens, dressed	25
Eggs ⅌ doz	20@25
Flour ⅌ barrel	6 00@6 75
Hogs, dressed	4 75@5 50
Hogs, live ⅌ cwt	10 00@12 00
Hay ⅌ ton	15
Honey ⅌ lb	14
Ham ⅌ lb	13
Lard ⅌ lb	11@12
Oats ⅌ bushel	60
Onions ⅌ bushel	40@45
Potatoes ⅌ bushel	1 20
Salt, per barrel	1 00
Sheep, Pelts	2 50
Timothy Seed ⅌ bushel	1 10
Tallow ⅌ lb	4@5
Wood, per cord	4 00
Wheat, White Winter	1 00
Wheat, Red Winter	1 00

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RIDGEWAY RUMORS.

Frank Pocklington and family returned from Perrysburg, Ohio, Saturday.

David Harrison is still quite sick, so that he gets out but little.

Frank Temple, who went to Milwaukee about ten days since, returned this week quite indisposed, but will likely be out again in a few days.

Miss Ella Jackson expects to become a student of the Normal at Ypsilanti in a short time.

H. N. King, of Adrian, called on some of his friends last Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Jacklin, of Monroe, preached Sabbath morning, after which he presented the present condition of the Monroe M. E. church and solicited aid to help clear the indebtedness.—The church here had given something over $70 three years ago for the same purpose and now have subscribed an additional $35.

EAST TECUMSEH TOPICS.

We understand that our much esteemed friend John Benedict made a hasty trip to town recently to get a new coat. Cause, he got too near the feed mill. By-the-way, Frank is doing good work grinding feed for the farmers, and they get what belongs to them.

Henry Horton, of Clinton township, son of F. V. Horton, met with a painful accident recently while getting off a sleigh while the team was moving. No bones were broken but one of his limbs was badly wrenched, which will confine him to the house for some time.

A large amount of dressed pork has been marketed from this neighborhood within the last few days at prices that were satisfactory even to the "greedy farmer."

The social at J. V. Goheen's under the direction of the Literary was a grand success.

The people in the vicinity of Tecumseh are getting wide-awake to the importance of holding a fair at Tecumseh next fall. All that is now necessary is for some one to set the ball rolling by calling a meeting through the columns of the HERALD, and we think it would be well attended. We would suggest some Saturday. Let us hear from the rest.

The next meeting of the Literary will be held Jan. 28th. Question for discussion: Resolved, That the Indian has suffered more at the hands of the whites than the Negroes.

Affirmative—B. F. DePuy, A. G. Hall.

Negative—R. R. Hall, Philip Kehoe.

Essay on the Affirmative—Nellie Boyce.

Essay on the Negative—Mrs. J. T. Boyce.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Fire broke out in a dwelling house situated about two miles west of this place on the night of Friday, the 12th inst., at about 8 o'clock. The house was occupied by Mr. Chas. Voorhes and family. Mr. Voorhes was in town at the time and Mrs. V. discovering the flames well underway was only able to give the alarm and repair with her four little ones to a place of safety in the yard. The night was exceedingly cold and windy and great credit is due the neighbors who succeeded in rescuing nearly all the furniture and household goods from the burning wreck, only the contents of the cellar and a few dishes being lost. It is thought the fire originated about the chimney. The building was the property of Mr. J. W. Voorhes, of Somerset, Hillsdale county, and is a total loss, not being covered by any insurance whatever.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

Mrs. Geo. Miles, of Petoskey, was in town Friday visiting her many friends. She reports George doing well and enjoying his new field of labor. George was formerly foreman of the News office, and has many friends in Clinton who unite in wishing him success.

Mrs. Norman P. Watson died on Friday last. She has been a long sufferer. The funeral took place on Sunday from N. F. Watson's residence at Bridgewater, and was attended by a large gathering of friends and neighbors to pay a last tribute of respect to the departed. Rev. E. W. Miller of the Congregational church officiated.

The week of prayer was observed by the Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches, who held union meetings each evening during the week.

We understand the musical society is to give another public rehearsal soon.

A young man by the name of Kudder, together with a companion, tipped over and were thrown from a cutter last Thursday. The horse was secured in the village. No damage.

The Manchester M. E. Sunday school enjoyed a sleigh ride to Clinton on Saturday last. They came in large numbers and enjoyed a pic-nic dinner in the basement of the M. E. church.

A number of our citizens went to Adrian Monday evening to hear the Spanish Students.

A happy little surprise was palmed off on Gracie Spafford last Saturday, when her former teacher, Mrs. Forrestall, from the M. E. Sunday school of Tecumseh, presented herself and class, to wit: Adah Potter, Jennie Heck, Nellie Lawrence, Ida Sutfin, Lena Ford, Stella Cleveland, unannounced at Gracie's home. However a pleasant social time was enjoyed by all present.

Henry Luteman of Ohio, is shipping three car loads of tight barrel staves from this depot. Geo. Pinkbiner is delivering them here and draws 1000 at a load.

James Hogan shipped a car load of sheep to Buffalo last Saturday.

John Fabrique went to Cleveland Monday last.

Slade Lazelle returned home Tuesday last from Hillsdale, where he has been to attend the annual meeting of the Hillsdale Life Ins. Co.

Regular communication of Clinton Lodge 148, F. & A. M. next Saturday evening.

W. V. Fisk took his departure for Adrian on Tuesday, whither he has gone as juryman.

Mr. & Mrs. Wilder Bancroft, Mr. & Mrs. Charles Garrington, of Norvell; Mrs. L. I. Bidwell and Miss Ellen Wimple, of Tecumseh, attended the funeral of Mrs. N. P. Watson, Sunday last.

Rev. Jacklin, of Monroe, occupied the pulpit of the M. E. church last Sabbath evening.

C. H. Parker left Clinton Monday upon the "go west." He has gone to labor in the woolen mills at Hanover, Ill.

Oysters, dance, Cole's full band—at the Sand Lake Hotel, to-morrow (Friday) evening.

L. A. Dudley was in town over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Wilkerson, of Dundee, were the guests of Peter Kishpaugh and family last Sunday.

David Woodward and David Brooks went to Detroit to take in the meeting of the Grand Chapter.

The St. John's church social at the residence of E. R. Smith, Tuesday evening was largely attended, and all seemed to enjoy themselves. In fact, it would seem difficult to do otherwise at Ed's.

"The Popular Science Monthly" for January offers a goodly collection of articles which merit attention for their interesting character or their practical adaptability. Of the first kind is the opening article on "The Great Comet of 1882," by Professor Young, of Princeton, one of the very few American writers who are capable at once of discussing the subject fully from the scientific point of view, and of answering the questions the public asks in a way it wants them answered. Of the second kind is M. Foulillee's "Scientific Philanthropy," in which the expediency of public charity and its ultimate bearing on the future of the race are ably and candidly discussed in the light of the views of the Darwinian school of philosophers and of a critical examination of them. Dr. C. C. Abbott's "Traces of a Pre-Indian People" is another scientific and popular discussion of a subject on which curiosity is awake by an author most competent to treat it. Dr. Roberts's "Bodily Deformities in Girlhood" commends itself by its very title to parents and teachers as a subject of the first importance. D. Appleton & Company, Publishers, New York. Fifty cents per number, $5 per year.

Marshall Statesman: It is now positively asserted that iron will be laid on the T. & M. next week. The delay has been occasioned by the work in preparing a construction and boarding train to accommodate the ironing gang. This is being done at Allegan. A locomotive has arrived at Monteith to prosecute the work. Mr. P. E. Lacey came from Monteith this morning and states that there are eight gangs on the old grade engaged in preparing it for the iron. The bridge, three and one-half miles this side of Monteith, is nearly completed, a few stringers only remaining to be laid. The bridge builders anticipate no difficulty in keeping in advance of the ironers.

Farmers complain that rabbits are too plenty for comfort. They damage the orchards by gnawing the bark off young trees and by cutting off small twigs with their sharp teeth as smoothly as could be done with a knife.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

HERALD and Free Press for $2.25.

Hudson has a case of scarlet fever.

Morenci has four churches and 300 church members.

An amateur musical company has been organized at Addison.

G. W. Westerman officiates as Deputy Treasurer for Jay Hoag.

The Blissfield G. A. R. Post has a stock of eight muskets on hand.

Dave Silvers of Clinton has moved his clothing stock to Manchester.

The Rollin amateur theatricals were "Among the Breakers" last week.

Col. Sanford gives the next lecture in the Clinton course this evening.

Deerfield will have a grand masquerade ball on the evening of Feb. 1st.

Hon. J. K. Boies, of Hudson, is sojourning in Washington for a few days.

Several farmers in Seneca refuse to pay their ditch taxes and threaten litigation.

Morenci claims to be the banner town in the county for graduating printers.

Geo. Hall delivered one log at Hathaway's mill in Blissfield that scaled 1,450 feet.

There is a prospect now that Adrian will put in a system of water works in the spring.

Ex-county clerk Church is now in the employ of a large commercial house of Detroit.

John O'Harrow, of Hudson, bought three white wood trees for $80 which scaled 12,000 feet.

R. H. Armstrong, of Hudson, has invented a seamless halter which is said to be a big thing.

James Cook, of Raisin, installed the officers of Medina Grange on Wednesday evening of last week.

Hudson has five barber shops and five butcher shops, and they are not run in partnership either.

Thirteen thousand pieces of baggage were handled by the Hudson baggage-smasher last year.

Young's mill yard in Morenci is full of logs and so the teamsters use the surplus stock to adorn the city park.

The dressing and finishing rooms at the Clinton factory are working over hours in order to catch up with their work.

Rev. J. A. DeSpelder received a Christmas present of an easy chair and foot rest from his Macon Center Sunday School.

Two Deerfield citizens paid $7.60 for fast driving in Dundee last week.—Next time they go to Dundee they had better foot it.

Dan. Eldredge, of Adrian, son of Col. Eldredge, has been promoted to the place of cashier of the Lake Shore ticket office at Buffalo.

The Free Methodists of Blissfield hold their revival meetings in a bakery. A conversion by such a combination ought to be a lasting one.

Prof. Nichols, principal of the Cass school in Detroit who died recently in Ann Arbor began his career as a school teacher in Detroit in the year 1846.

The engine at the depot pumping house in Hudson will be lowered 12 feet to the bottom of the well, which it is expected will make the supply of water inexhaustable.

The horses of Robert Pollard stolen by the Blissfield burglars last week, were found the next day near the wagon works in Toledo. The thieves have not been captured.

Morenci Observer: Our people were surprised to hear last week from the Adrian Press, that the mayor and alderman of Morenci had all been paid off for the season. The fact that there are no such officers here, and no one has been paid off, is where the smile comes in.

Deerfield Record: Prof. Edgecumbe passed through a four days' examination while in attendance at the State teachers' institute at Lansing a few days ago, and Tuesday received official notification that he was successful and had been awarded a State certificate. This certificate is good for ten years, and is awarded only after a thorough examination and evidence that the applicant is a first-class teacher.

Hudson Gazette: The "pleasures of the chase" were indulged in a little by Fred Tesman and Henry Dickerson, of the Comstock House, last Friday afternoon. One of those deers managed to get out of the barn, and took its fleet career north of town, leading the boys a lively race for a while till finally captured in the vicinity of Maple Grove cemetery. Deer hunting has lost its charms for the boys now.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Ben Butler and his staff have accepted an invitation to attend the ice carnival at Montreal.

S. H. Calloway, general manager of the Grand Trunk road, has been elected president of the Western Indiana company.

The democratic state committee of Maine met Thursday evening and resolved to make straight party nominations hereafter.

The last spike in the track connecting San Antonio road with the Southern Pacific was driven Friday by Colonel S. W. Pierce.

M. T. Polk arrived in Nashville Saturday morning, in charge of officers. The grand jury indicted him for the embezzlement of $480,000.

A bill to prohibit the sale of liquors is before the senate of Texas, and will probably pass, although influential whisky-dealers are lobbying against it.

During a performance at a circus in Russian Poland, Saturday, the structure took fire, and three hundred persons lost their lives.

William Bucknell, of Philadelphia, has given $100,000 to the trustees of the Baptist seminary at Lewisburg, Pennsylvania.

It is generally thought in Washington that ex-Governor Tom Young will be appointed collector of internal revenue at Cincinnati.

Michael Davitt, in a speech at Birkenhead, declared that the people of Ireland had enough of futile agitation, and were going to fight it out this time.

Charles Loose, a farmer near Monroe, Michigan, who has been regarded as one of the wealthiest men in the county, has failed, with debts of $50,000.

General Devaldan, who led a leading part in the siege of Paris, died from apoplexy on learning of the demise of General Chanzy.

Patrick O'Reilly is in jail at Albion, New York, for confessing his participation in the murder of Cavendish and Burke in Dublin.

The City bank of Jersey City has suspended, on account of overdrafts, by the president, cashier, and bookkeeper, to the amount of the capital stock.

Two electric light companies are soon to have a competitive exhibition at Louisville, the loser to pay $1,000 for expenses and give $4,000 to the Polytechnic society of Kentucky.

Governor Stoneman, of California, urges that railroad corporations be compelled to bear their share of taxation and submit to the regulation of fares and freight.

In the United States court at Omaha, F. E. Clary, formerly postmaster at Sidney, was convicted of making false returns as to the arrival of mails, and fined $300.

James Cronkhite, a freight conductor on the Wisconsin Central road, was arrested at Phillips for complicity in the murder of C. Mead, the Waupaca banker.

The police at Reading Pennsylvania, have arrested two country butchers for selling the meat of three hogs which were bitten by mad dogs and died of hydrophobia.

The surviving sons of Israel Washburn, of Maine, have resolved to erect a memorial granite building at the homestead in Livermore, for use as a public library.

A broken rail threw a Wabash train down an embankment near Olmstead, Illinois. Five passengers were fatally injured and nine others seriously. Two coaches were consumed by fire.

The comptroller of the currency has authorized the commencement of business by the Drovers' National bank at the Union stockyards, with a capital of $100,000.

The New York and Western press associations are hereafter to be managed by William Henry Smith, who will make his headquarters in the former city.

A severe shock of earthquake, lasting about thirty seconds, was experienced early Friday morning in Missouri, Kentucky, and southern Illinois, rousing people from their sleep.

The wife of Engineer Melville testified in a Pennsylvania court that her husband was the first to place a glass of liquor in her father's hand and to teach her to drink.

The leading rubber factories of the country are earnestly considering the propriety of making a $25,000,000 consolidation, to handle the entire crop of Brazil.

The National Tobacco association has passed resolutions favoring a tax of 8 cents per pound on tobacco and $2 per thousand on cigars, with a rebate equal to the reduction to take effect May 1.

The bonanza mine-owners in Nevada are securing abstracts of title of all mines on the lode from Potosi to Belcher, evidently with a view to working them under one management.

A petition with six thousand signatures has been presented in the German parliament, asking the passage of a law to close all commercial and industrial establishments on Sunday.

At 4 o'clock Sunday morning flames broke out at Neenah, Wisconsin, and raged until they destroyed eight business houses, including a national bank and the postoffice. Loss, $100,000.

L. T. Maddox, an attendant in a lunatic asylum at Anchorage, Kentucky ducked a refractory inmate with fatal effect, for which he will spend four months in jail and pay a fine of $100.

A body of snow nearly a quarter mile long, one hundred yards wide, and fifteen feet deep swept down the side of Mosquito mountain, near Leadville, and carried away two miners.

Senator Pond has ready for introduction in the Ohio legislature a bill for a tax of $250 on each saloon in the state, the amount to constitute a lien on the stock and the real estate.

Edwin Booth had a crowded house in Berlin Thursday evening, and was repeatedly called before the curtain. Prince Frederick William was delighted with the impersonation of Hamlet.

In the Chicago gambling cases, Judge Rogers has decided that gambling implements can not be summarily destroyed by officers seizing them, and that the police force can not serve warrants issued to a sheriff or a constable.

Things in the Bottom Drawer.

There are wraps and tops and pieces of strings,
There are shoes which no little feet wear;
There are bits of ribbon and broken rings,
And tresses of golden hair;
There are little dresses faded away
Out of the light of the sunny day

There are dainty jackets that never are worn,
There are caps and mufflers of satin
There are books and pictures all faded and torn,
And marked by the finger tips
Of dimpled hands that have fallen to dust,
Yet I strive to think that the Lord is just.

But a feeling of bitterness fills my soul
Sometimes when I try to pray,
That the Reaper has spared so many souls
And taken mine away;
And I almost doubt that the Lord can know
That a mother's heart can love them so.

Then I think of the weary eyes
Of those who are waiting and watching for me,
Of those who have passed from the earthly conflict
Where darkness and sin are rife,
Where the flowers of the spirit have withered
and died.

Then I wonder if in distant climes,
Amongst those who are waiting for me,
And those hands are linked with the dear
[illegible]
[illegible] my wayward child
Let a number of long years pass by
Ere they [illegible] them to my heart,
Ere they kissed them [illegible] my
trouser.

And then I think of my children three,
My babes that never grew old,
And know that they are waiting and watching for me;
In the city with streets of gold,
Safe out from the curse of this weary years,
Free from sorrow and sin and fear
And I thank my God with fervent tears,
For the things in the bottom drawer.

PANSY.

Pansy's home was half way up the mountain side, just above the glimmer and bustle of the valley and just from "the highway of dust" of the mountain-road—a quiet home, truly, for a quiet life. The gray stone cottage seemed to nate for all over itself a mood and look of rest, and Pansy said the ledges bordered with her name-flowers, on the balconies of her room were the two relently creeping from its face, rows of her favorite flowers bordered the terrace and zoomed in the urns during all the warm summery days.

Her father loved the flower as much as she did, it had been her mother's name, and they had seemed to bloom in the midnight darkness of her eyes, and when the little daughter came and the mother's eyes opened, only to open on the brightness of another world than [illegible] seemed to pass to the little fair bloom that now had budded into womanhood.

How strangely like, and yet how unlike her mother Pansy was. The features, the expression, the small dainty figure, were all repeated, but instead of the rich chestnut hair, resembling combination and the velvet eyes, were soft black curls, pale, dusky skin and luminous gray eyes.

Then, too, the bright gayety of her mother was not there. The quiet days the life apart had fostered the shy temperament of her father. Mr. Merton seemed to have lost himself in his books through these years that Pansy was passing from childhood.

It was only the other day when he saw her coming through the grounds from a ramble in the woods, that he realized that she was leaving childhood behind, and then he thought how completely she had usurped old Jeanette's place in waiting upon him.

He remembered, too, with a laugh and a sigh, of the quiet mischief which had prompted her to put on his library table, her last birthday, a week since, a basket of pansies with "16" marked in white flowers. He had noticed then that the white hand that swept over them had looked "wondrous soft and small," and almost transparent in its delicacy. Was not his flower well?

Pansy had kept her life quietly folded in her heart. She had always loved this lovely home, she never grew tired of looking over to the rim of the distant hills across the valley, of seeing the landscape glow in the light of widening morn," in the golden haze of a summer's noonday, the starry brilliancy of a winter's night, or soften in the moonlight, when the frame shows of clouds were tossed by the light breath of the wind, swept onward till the dim valley was disclosed sleeping beneath with the river winding through it like a silver, unbounded ribbon.

Mr. Merton entertained very few guests, but a year ago into their seclusion had appeared an old-time friend, a friend of happier days.

Mrs. Ashleigh had come to pass the summer in the valley below, had taken a quaint old manor house and was going to lead the most tranquil of lives a woman of society could.

She had met and known the Mertons, when they were spending a winter in Rome, immediately after their marriage. In the passing years she had not lost all knowledge of, nor interest in, the father and child.

Soon after her arrival in the neighborhood, she called upon them, bringing with her her son. A handsome man of twenty-seven or eight, he came into Pansy's life like a bright dream. Dear heart, she had known so little of young life and the intercourse it brings, and Earle Ashleigh was attractive. The stately figure, the clear-cut face, the frank blue eyes, the rich voice that could be very low and earnest, had each its charm to please.

The first glimpse of Pansy, Earle would never forget. She was stepping out from one of the long windows on the terrace and seemed framed in ivy. Her soft, violet dress floated around her like the mist of her own hills, her pure face was like a fair child; on one shoulder nestled a pet bird seemingly caught in her floating hair, and pecking at a trailing spray of blossoms she held up in one dainty hand.

Those summer days were very fair to little Pansy. There dwelt in them such a subtle charm. It was not often she could be lured to spend many hours away from home, but there were chance meetings, when she would be driving her ponies to and from the village, where she was quite a Lady Bountiful among the poorer ones with her gifts of fruit, flowers and bundles of needful things. She would often be overtaken by a cavalier figure returning from a day in the woods or tramping off fresh for a day's outing. Then there were frequent stops at Pansywold to leave a cluster of mountain blossoms, a bright bird's wing, a rare fern, and yet again an evening call, to bring some new song or only to see if the heat of the valley had risen to their height.

Into Pansy's cheek came a rich glow never seen before; some bright flower, Earle said was made for such pure pale faces, would be twisted with the knot of pansies now. Unconsciously, but surely, the untried girlish heart was learning a sweet new lesson.

Earle hardly realized her deepening interest, for he had been so accustomed to girls, and seeing sweet, winsome faces and ways. In the late summer, among his mother's few guests, there came one to whom his heart owed much allegiance. First at church Pansy saw the exquisite face, and that glance struck her as if a perfume was blown from some flower heavy with sweetness, such rare beauty in this, and she had almost thought her face was fair, to him. Mrs. Ashleigh, calling, spoke of her tender interest in this beautiful, delicate child, of her hope of calling her by a sweet and dear name. She did not see the pallor of the child's face, the look of [illegible] in the great starry eyes.

Pansy's feeling [illegible] made she decided for not receiving Earle, when he came, either of whom he and his fair beauty would stop after a gay gallop over the mountain for a word with Mr. Merton and sweet little Miss Pansy.

The autumn time were deepening, the summer birds were all flitting and Earle's last memory of Pansy, was as he saw her standing in the village church one late afternoon. There was a baptism of one of Pansy's proteges, and her father had brought her there. How from the little figure looked above the dark velvet of her dress. Her pale face seemed like a snow-drop in purity. As she stood by the font, a passing ray of evening light" stole through the stained window, and the long golden gleam touched the bowed head and dazed the dark curls with sifted gold.

Two days later, after an autumn storm had abated, Earle went for a farewell call to Pansywold, and was informed by the gray-haired servant that Miss Pansy and Mr. Merton had left for New York and were to sail in a week for Europe.

Was her father taking her away "to brighter light and softer airs" for pleasure or health?

He thought, as he drove slowly down the mountain, of how people had spoken of the girl as fading like a flower. His mother too had mentioned lately, the frail delicacy of Pansy's beauty. He thought of the winsome face with a pang. It seemed to have gathered all its glory in the large eyes, and how pathetic their glance had grown of late.

"Could it be—? but no, he had been, in letter and in spirit, true to Geraldine.

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Eight years had gone by. They had mostly been spent in the far East by Earle and his fair wife. He had received an important appointment there soon after his marriage. Only a month ago they had returned to America, and business taking him to the vicinity of N———, he resolved to pass the night there, for the place brought back old memories of the sweet life he had once known in those surroundings.

During the second year of his residence abroad, he had seen, in a Paris paper, the notice of the death of Miss Merton, a young American, the age just Pansy's. The short obituary was replete with significance that hers was the short life ended.

Knowing her to be living in France at that time, he did not doubt the little tired heart was at rest.

Just before sunset he found himself on the well-remembered grounds. He must see the familiar scene that held at its happiest hour the gentle life.

Passing through the shrubbery by an unfrequented path, he came suddenly upon a low grave covered with ivy. Under the shadow of the leaning cross above rested a basket of fresh pansies.

His heart beat thick. He could not think of her here. He must see the place where he remembered her.

A few more steps and he stopped suddenly. Sheltered by a mass of greenery, on the borders of the terrace, there where the slanting shadows were falling and the long lances of light were glancing under the trees, were seated in quiet conversation, two gentlemen. One whose familiar face he knew as Mr. Merton, the other, a dark-haired man of noble presence, a stranger to him, but evidently on most enviable terms with the owner of the estate.

Just then a sweet ringing voice called out, "no trespass allowed on the children's hour, you must know," and there appeared to Earle's dazzled eyes—a vision, it seemed to him.

Crossing the terrace, a lovely golden-haired child clinging to her hand, was Pansy, blossomed into a fairer beauty than his thoughts could have pictured.

Her supple figure had gained height and kept its grace, the flower-like face was flushed with a rosy glow, and the [illegible] eyes flashed with joy and happiness, as the wee maiden at her side sprang with a cry of "Papa" into the outstretched arms of the younger man who, tossing the precious burden, turned with a gay laugh to Pansy, "Eh, bien, little wife, which child is to be granted most of the privileges of this favored hour?"

So Earle knew, now, that in no dark grave was lying the little form, but Pansy was reigning a happy daughter, wife and mother.

He would not intrude where such complete happiness would ill compare with his childless home, desolate in all its splendor, but turning, he sought the little ivy-covered mound again to learn who was the quiet sleeper he had fancied that he knew.

Bending to the cross he read—Florence Merton, died in Paris, 188—, aged 17 years—.

It was the grave of a young cousin of whom Pansy had told him in the bygone time, she was hoping to have reside with her after her education was finished abroad.

It was at Florence's bedside during the long weeks of her illness, that Pansy met the noble physician and man, who later taught her the meaning, in all its fullness and completeness, of a love that knew no "unfaith," that trusted "all in all."

The mouthpiece of the telephone may be perfectly respectable, but there are a great many things said against it.

An Inland Sea of Considerable Magnitude Far to the West of Albert Nyanza.

The existence of another equatorial lake in central Africa, far to the west of Albert Nyanza, rumors of which have reached Europe from time to time since Sir Samuel Baker's first journey, is again reported. Mr. F. Lupton, governor of the Egyptian province of Bahr-el-Ghazel, writes from his station, Deboh Silen, on the 27th of July, to the effect that Rafai Aga, a servant of his, on his return from an expedition toward the Welle told him that he and some of the members of the expedition had seen a great lake in the country of the Barboa, a powerful armed tribe, clothed with a coarse grass cloth, of which Mr. Lupton sends a specimen in his letter. Mr. Lupton gathered that the position of the lake was to about [illegible] degrees of latitude north and longitude 29 degrees east, and that it was quite as large as Victoria Nyanza—[illegible] across the lake is large open boats, usually [illegible] three days, and they obtain from the people living on the western side (their own country), being east of the lake, articles of European manufacture, such as blue beads and brass wire. Mr. Lupton adds Rafai Aga's own account of his route to the lake. Started from Deboh Bekeer, marched six days southwest to Zerinda Doulen, then four days south-southwest to Bengler; four days southwest to Zerina Wurrundema; six days southwest by west to the Bahr-Makwar, which he crossed, after waiting several very large islands inhabited by a people who call themselves Bazango. The Makwar is called by the Arabs Bahr-el-Warshal, and joins the Welle, but is a much larger stream, both flow in a west-southwest direction. After crossing the Makwar Rafai marched ten days south-southwest and reached the house of the sultan of Barboa, by whom he was well received. The lake is situated four days march to the southwest of the sultan's residence. Mr. Lupton concludes by saying: "I feel I should not be doing right in keeping dark this information, which, when looked into by competent persons, may throw some light on the famous Congo and Welle rivers. I believe that the Welle flows into the lake discovered by Rafai Aga and that the stream which is said to flow out of the lake probably joins the Congo." Mr. Lupton is engaged in preparing a map of his province and was about to start in a few days on a journey to a country called Umbangh, some fifteen days' march to the west of Deboh Silen.

For the Family Scrap Book.

A little borax in the water cleanses ivory and celluloid hair brushes.

In washing muslins and lawns, put a little pulverized borax into the water, and use but little soap.

A tough piece of meat can be made tender by letting it cook for several hours in water at simmering heat.

The quality and juices of meats are far better preserved if the meat is wiped with a towel instead of washed.

In purchasing honey avoid that which has dark specks, as they destroy the flavor of any comb in which they are found.

To clean diamonds nicely, wash in soap-suds, rinse in alcohol and dry in sawdust; then brush with a soft brush, and polish with fine tissue paper.

An excellent shampoo is made of salts of tartar, white castile soap, bay rum and lukewarm water. The salts will remove all dandruff, the soap will soften the hair and clean it thoroughly, and bay rum will prevent taking cold.

To wash white flannels without shrinking them, make a good suds of boiling water, and add a tablespoonful of aqua ammonia, and when scalding hot pour over the flannel. Do not rub on a board, but if convenient use a pounder. Rinse in hot water and wring as dry as possible and hang in the hot sun to dry.

To extract ink from cotton, silk or woolen goods, dip the spots in spirits of turpentine, and let it remain for several hours; then rub thoroughly between the hands, and it will all disappear without changing either the color or texture of the fabric.

To wash lace make a soap-suds of white castile soap and soft water, and while cold dip the lace in and put on the stove to boil. Let it remain until the lace looks clean. Do not rub. After boiling sufficiently rinse thoroughly in clear, cold water and then dry. When perfectly dry, wet it in milk and let it dry again; then dampen and stitch it on a flannel cloth, and put over it a piece of damp flannel. Steam dry with a hot flat-iron and then pull out.

Palace Car Porters' Earnings.

A Pullman car porter has been telling a St. Louis reporter about the earnings of the employes on those cars. Drummers are liberal, young married men are good, women are very bad, millionaires worst. "I had a sad illustration of that a couple of weeks ago. Mr. Gillette, a millionaire mine owner (traveling with Bonanza Mackey), gave me $1. He said, with a terrible stutter, 'It was all the ch-ch-ange he had.' It was a terrible blow, but I went in and got Mr. Mackey out for his brush. He fumbled around among a lot of keys and finally fished out 50 cents! By jinks! I was mad, but I couldn't say anything. It's so with most rich men. There's Governor Tabor; he's about as good as most of 'em, but he never gives me more than $1. There's Senator Jones; he went to Deming once with me and gave me $5. On the other hand, Senator Fair, who is fifty times richer than Jones, they say, came up once, and he gave me $1. He was nice about it, though—spoke so kind, and told me not to spend my money foolishly. Politicians, when they get money, are mighty good. There's Dorsey, the star route man. When he goes down to his ranch he always gives me a handful of silver—don't stop to count it." The worst of all are old ladies who want bags and parcels carried, but never give aught but thanks; in those, however, they are usually generous.

Josh Billings says: "Whenever I find a real handsome woman engaged in the wimmin's right bizziness, then I am goin' to take mi hat under mi arm and jine the procession."

The Age of the Earth.

"Am Brudder Steph'n Johnson in de hall dis evenin'?" asked the President as he arose and looked up and down the aisles.

"Yes, Sah."

"Den he will please step to the front."

Brother Johnson appeared to labor under the impression that a medal was about to be presented to him for having the longest beds of any colored man in America, and his face wore a broad grin as he stood at the desk.

"Stepp'd Johnson!" said Brother Gardner in his most solemn tones. "I was in the back room of a grocery the other night to bargain for ten bushels of taters, an' I heard your voice as you came in to order 10 pounds of buckwheat flour, an' to remark that rough-de woman was ravin' crazy wid de hoodoo."

"Yes, sah, dat was me."

"De man Cincinnati hole dropped in an' it were five minutes fo' your [illegible] of the age of the earth."

"He doesn't know nuffin, sah!"

"You called him a fool."

"An' he called me a liar."

"You said he was a [illegible]."

"An' he said I was a [illegible]."

"I heard it all, Brudder Johnson, an' now I want to talk to you a little. In de fust place, what do you know 'bout the age of de world?"

"I—I—well, sah, what does the old man Climax know 'bout it?"

"Dat's it—what do enther one of you know 'bout it? Nuffin—nuffin' tall. Dat's where de trubble comes in. Two men will dispute harder over what dey doan' know dan ober sciens facks. De worst enemy I eber had was a man who got mad at me bekase I wouldn't believe in ghosts. What we doan' know we often try to make up for in argyment. What we lack in argyment we try to make up for in hoss. It am easier to call a man a fool dan to produce facks and figures to convince him that he am in de wrong. It am safer to call an old man a liar dan to wink at a young man's wife. Let me say to you:

"What you believe in wid all yer heart may, arter all, be wrong.

"De man who draps argyment for epithet has no case.

"It am only de fairest-minded men who admit their ignorance of what dey doan' know.

"Abuse may silence a man, but it won't convince him.

"It am only de bigot who prides himself on his cast-iron opinyuns.

"It am only de fool who believes his sermons am true bekase he asserts em.

"Now, Brudder Johnson, you drap back to yer bench an' sot down an' stay sot, an' de nex' time you h'ar somebody boldly announce dat dis world am fifty millions y'ars old you pick up your buckwheat flour an' walk home wid de reflekshun dat it wouldn't establish de facks in de case if you and him war' to gouge an' bite an' chaw till dey wasn't a rod of sidewalk left in Gardnerville."

Why He Paid.

A certain Michigander says the *Free Press* who had long succeeded in dodging a certain creditor, was a few weeks ago cornered in the office of a mutual friend, and the creditor began:

"Sir! you have owed me $25 for a year past, and now I want to know what you are going to do about it?"

"Well, I'll think it over."

"There will be no thinking it over, my friend. If you don't pay me I'll sue you."

"You will?"

"I will, sir!"

"Then you'll be certain to get a judgment. The party which brings the suit always gets the verdict before a justice. Knowing this, you will take advantage of me?"

"I will."

"Very well. Now, then, I deny that I owe you a dollar."

"You do?"

"I do, sir, but in case you want to borrow $25 of me for a week here it is."

"I don't care whether you call it paying or lending, so long as I get my money," replied the creditor, and he made out a receipt in full and took the money.

At the end of the week he was asked to return the loan, but laughed at the absurdity of the request. Suit was begun to recover it, the mutual friend used as a witness, and the plaintiff received judgment in his favor and had a clean receipt to show for the debt.

An Aboriginal Toilet.

There was a little game picture in aboriginal colors on the sidewalk of C street this afternoon, says the Virginia *Chronicle*, that nobody but a reporter noticed. An Indian mother, in her dirty red and black shoulder-shawl and calico dress, was kneeling on the planks buttoning a pair of cast-off blue overalls on her ten-year-old son. She smiled with maternal pride at the improvement in the appearance of the youngster as the buttons were put in place. The old paternal buck, in the remains of a black dress coat, and sporting a plug hat with a feather in it, stood off and surveyed the effect critically, with head one side and eyes half closed. The boy grinned with sheepish embarrassment at being the object of so much attention, but as he lolled his head he took gratified downward observations of the blue overalls—which some laborer had thrown away, and which had been brought to the proper length for the new wearer by the easy means of chopping off the legs at the knees.

Dogs, under favorable conditions, live to an age much beyond that which is usually assigned to them. Mr. R. Cordiner, of Oxford, England, knows a black retriever aged 31, and there is no doubt that others are acquainted, with like aged individuals of the canine species.

The growers of the fine flowers which stock the New York Winter market are most of them well-educated Scotchmen or Englishmen, many of whom have brought their business to a success financially.

The tight-trousers era has developed such a tremendous crop of thin-legged young men that it is almost impossible to believe that any other kind is raised in this country.

Left to His Conscience

During the past summer a number of Baptists in a certain village in New York state entered upon the work of erecting a church edifice. One day when old farmer Gibby was in town he was informed of the project and asked to come down with a handsome subscription. "How much do you expect me to sign?" he asked as he looked over the subscription papers. "We will leave it entirely to your conscience," was the reply. The old gentleman wiped off his specs, put on his spectacles, and having borrowed a pencil, pulled down for 50 cents. Many people observed the man who had put down the paper. "Well, brother Gibby, I must say that you have a mighty easy conscience," [illegible] said one of his [illegible] friends. "It may look that way to you," calmly replied the man, "but when I can give 50 cents and keep in the Master's service by doing so, I am not the man to risk the risk of being called a [illegible]."

I Ship Speaks of His [illegible].

Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. A. Kiefer—Dear Sir: My wife has for several years been a great sufferer from periodical attacks of Neuralgia in the head. Several of the most eminent physicians had been called upon to treat her but they could only give temporary relief.

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GLEANINGS.

It is noted as a rare occurrence that robins have remained all winter in Pittsfield, Mass.

Much attention is being given on the Florida reefs to the cultivation of cocoanut groves.

Lord Houghton has bought sixty thousand acres of land in southern Florida, and means to invest $1,000,000 in a sugar business there.

A man in Thomaston, Me., put an owl in his cellar to kill the rats. The next morning the man found the owl dead and half eaten. This was rough on the owl.

Mr. Jay Gould's son George, having been accused of bestowing diamonds upon Mrs. Langtry, not only denies it, but declares he knows a dozen American ladies who are fairer to see than the British beauty.

They have at one of the leading restaurants in Paris a Chinese cook whose sole and exclusive duty it is to cook rice. It is claimed that he can prepare and serve it in two or three dozen different styles.

Senator-elect Colquitt, of Georgia, is a smooth-faced man, whose hair is brushed behind his ears, while his head is held back somewhat in the manner of Sankey's when the latter is giving out the number of the hymn.

A man named Watson was recently lynched at American Falls, Washington territory, for murder. In the absence of trees and telegraph poles, the vigilantes used two two-wheeled road-scrapers for a gallows.

During the past year only 103 persons joined, by confession of faith, the Protestant churches of Springfield, Mass. The churches are eleven in number, and the city contains 35,000 inhabitants.

Mahone wears an immense white sombrero and an immaculate white shirt. He wears no vest, and has an enormous gold chain wandering all over his shirt front. So there is no reason why he shouldn't be mistaken for an Indian doctor.

A man at Elmwood, Ill., "covered" an enemy with a revolver while his wife plied a cow-hide. The entertainment lasted until the woman's arm grew aweary. The said enemy had cheated at cards and robbed the said man of about $40.

The London correspondent of the Manchester *Guardian* says that Herbert Spencer looks well, but protests that his bronzed look is only a temporary consequence of the sea voyage, and that he feels in reality the reverse of benefited by his trip.

A beverage that is said to have taken the place of absinthe to a considerable extent in France has been introduced in New Orleans. It called amel-picon, and is believed to assist digestion, to be aperient and febrifuge, to stimulate agreeably, and to kill with certainty if afforded a full opportunity.

The wife of the late Judge Hardin, one of the foremost men of Kentucky, has been discovered living in hunger and destitution in a room on the fourth floor of an unoccupied rookery in Louisville. Her descent from dignity and affluence to beggary and destitution is full of sad incidents.

A burglar entered the bed-room of Miss Linda Gilbert in New York. She watched him searching the bureau drawers and finally spoke to him. When he was told that the person whom he was about to rob had done so much for prison reform he begged her pardon and would have sneaked away, but Miss Linda detained him, talked to him, and finally sent him home with a big basket of food for his hungry wife and gaunt children.

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(New York Sun.

According to the Yale *Record*, the two hours' session in German optional produces the following—with the exercise of a little patience:

Zwanzig liebskrank Mach ich wir,
Lieb-krank alle ganz und gar,
Zwanzin Yahre, werden wir
Zwanzig liebskrank Medicher sein.

The two-headed monstrosity known as Millie Christmas has brought a libel suit at Fort Wayne against the business department of Adam Forepaugh's circus. The allegation is that when Millie was exhibiting herself there the Forepaugh people distributed handbills calling her a "revolting and horrid monstrosity."

The farmers of Arkansas are awakening to the advantage of co-operation. One thousand of them living in the region round about Des Arc have formed a co-operative organization and are advertising for bids for their undivided trade.

A building near the Postoffice in Phœnix, A. T., has been injured in a singular way. A gopher, in tunneling, ran his tunnel into the ditch. The water running through this, under the house, caused the foundation to settle several inches, and had not the cause been discovered the house would shortly have tumbled into the street.

Twenty-three years ago Stillman Pond, of Intavia, N. Y., sold a horse to a farmer in a neighboring town for $125. The farmer did not pay, and the law was resorted to. The case was settled a few days ago, the original amount having became swollen to over $500 by the accumulation of interest and the costs.

A down town East paper says that a hotel porter in Portland, Me., "who invariably gets 25 cents for blacking a pair of boots," answered a request for a "shine" the other afternoon with: "Well, I guess to-morrow morning I'll black them; I've blacked enough boots to-day." There would seem to be a good opportunity for creating a vacancy in that hotel.

The prominent and law-abiding citizens of Denver, tired of the looseness of the laws of the Centennial State, have organized a law and order society, for the purpose of ascertaining if there are any laws in the state; if there are laws, to have them enforced; and, if there are no laws, to bring the State Legislature to a point where it will enact laws.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 18, 1883.

Where was Mrs. Langtry when the Newhall House took fire?

The Star route trial keeps the wind moving, but its rate is about that of a funeral procession.

As matters now stand Senator Ferry's election is about as uncertain as next summer's peach crop.

Jay Gould keeps on adding to his railroads. His last acquisition is a line in the Illinois Central.

Will Tom Ferry get there? This is the absorbing question now, and it is something which no fellow can find out.

Representative Kirby of this county has introduced a bill in the legislature to prohibit members from receiving of railroad companies from civil passes.

No disinterested person can read over the list of the Governor's appointments without coming to the conclusion that he has a clear head and a steady hand.

It is better to be born lucky than rich. Even Tom Thumb was a guest at the Newhall House on the evening of the fire, but he was rescued by a policeman unharmed.

"Hubbell" is making trouble. Although his own district is burst he proposes to get over the Ferry in some way even if he has to mount a wheelbarrow of water through on foot.

Some of the urchins do not take kindly to Santa Claus. Those who expected him to get an office and have failed to get it are inclined to criticise the appointing power.

More stringent laws than those now in force should be enacted by the legislature to compel owners of hotels or public halls and other buildings of a similar character to render escape from them more easy in case of fire.

Venders of patent fire escapes ought to reap a harvest now. The awful holocaust in Milwaukee and the narrow escape from a similar fate of the Planters Hotel in St. Louis is directing attention to the dangerous condition of many large hotels and factories.

News of another terrible fire fatality comes from Berdyschefl, Russia—A circus building burned in that town last Saturday and over 150 persons perished. The fire broke out on the stage. The audience of about 800 rushed to the front door which was pushed shut as it opened inwards. A rush was made for two side doors both of which were nailed up.

The first ballot for U. S. Senator, which was taken last Tuesday resulted as follows: T. W. Ferry received 43 votes, Byron M. Stout received 10 votes and 19 votes were scattered among fourteen different candidates. The 22 scattering votes were cast by anti Ferry Republicans. It is claimed that all of them have pledged themselves never to vote for Ferry under any circumstances.

The post office department is now self-sustaining, the receipts being equal to the expenditures. Next year it is the opinion of the department that the two cent letter postage will be reduced. The experiment of postal cards proved so satisfactory that their use will probably be abandoned and the cost rate for sealed letters would be entirely prohibitory. In fact it is a question whether the revenue under a two cent rate will not be greater than it is now.

Dr. Geo. Hoover of this representative district, has introduced a bill in the House providing that from and after July 1, 1886, all practitioners of medicine in this state shall be either graduates of some regulary established college of medicine or a student practicing under the guidance of a preceptor, or that such physician shall have practiced medicine for ten years. His bill is entitled "A bill to promote the public health," and it includes a provision for a return of births and deaths and of dangerous diseases. This bill will be considered by the joint committee on public health, and it is likely that it will be consolidated with one now in the senate, and be backed by the state board of health.

STATE FREE TRADE LEAGUE.

On Thursday last a meeting was held in Detroit under the auspices of the Detroit Free Trade League, for the purpose of forming a state organization. Wm. G. Brownlee, of Detroit was elected President, and E. D. Mann of Adrian was chosen Secretary. Thos. G. Sherman of Brooklyn, N. Y., delivered a lengthy and exhaustive address, and the meeting adopted the following declaration of principles:

The Free Traders of Michigan in convention assembled, declare the following to be their articles of belief and the purposes at which they aim.

1. A protective tariff, like slavery, is a relic of a barbarous age. To buy in the cheapest and sell in the dearest market is the inalienable right of every man. The only tariff tax imposts which should ever be tolerated by a free people, is a tariff for revenue.

2. The enormous burden now borne by the American people is the direct, unequal and iniquitous system of taxation called a protective tariff. It is nothing more nor less than a bonus given to a privileged class of manufacturers, to pay which bonus the food, clothing and shelter of the vast majority are unjustly taxed.

3. An intelligent revenue reform in the direction of free trade would actually benefit a large majority of manufacturers by widening the markets and reducing the cost of materials.

4. The protective tax oppresses the farmer and laborer, destroys our merchant marine, breeds and enriches monopolies and impoverishes the poor. Our present tariff, leading as it does to lobbying and extravagance, is one great cause of official corruption. While we are earnestly in favor of a radical reform of the civil service, we believe that the abolition of the protective features of our tariff will work a great practical improvement in that direction.

We therefore demand that every impediment to American commerce shall be removed, and that the reduction of existing import duties shall be immediately commenced and steadily continued until every so-called protective feature is eliminated.

THE GIGANTIC PENSION SWINDLE.

Cincinnati News Washington special: It is rumored to-night that commissioner of pensions Dudley will soon be made to walk back to the banks of the Wabash with his check to date for valuable services rendered in his pocket. The Board of Managers of the National Home, that meet here on the 9th, are understood to be opposed to the further continuance in office of a man who is not bold enough to say in his report what everybody knows to be the truth, that the pension list no longer represents those who were disabled in the service, but is made the basis upon which electioneering funds are raised to carry doubtful states. The fact that the pension list grows larger as we leave the period of war behind us is the cause of just alarm, and the determination of the board seems to be to ask congress to protect the soldiers against the rapacity of the claim agent. It is urged against further appropriation for pensions, bills for which are now pending, that there is a ring of pension agents, whose business it is to create one-armed and one-legged soldiers sufficient to defend the country against invasion if they had two arms and two legs. The vision of the average citizen is beginning to perceive that the Pension Bureau is a gigantic swindle, and has been used in the past, by collusion between commissioners and pension agents, as an instrument to elect favorites to congress upon the subsidies given under false oaths to men who never smelled the battle, even from afar. It is a larger steal than the star route plunder, but is protected by laws that enable the false pensioner, as well as the false pension commissioner and pension agents, to shield crime against the people under the cloak of official duty.

THE GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS.

Quartermaster General—William Shakespeare of Kalamazoo.

Inspector General—Frederick S. Hutchinson, of Ionia.

Trustee of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb—Jerome Eddy of Flint.

Commissioner of Insurance—Eugene Pringle, of Jackson.

Warden Jackson State Prison—E. B. Pond, of Ann Arbor.

Warden of Ionia State House of Correction—C. W. Watkins, of Grand Rapids.

Member of State Board of Charities—Rev. L. Barbour, of Detroit.

Inspectors of State Prison—Edward Kanter, of Detroit; Foster Pratt, of Kalamazoo.

Members of the State Board of Health—Prof. Victor C. Vaughan, of Ann Arbor; Dr. C. V. Tyler, of Bay City.

Members of State Board of Agriculture—Elijah W. Rising of Genesee, and Wm. L. Walters, of Macomb.

Member of Board of Reform Schools for Boys—Edward F. Uhl, of Grand Rapids.

Member of Board of State Public School at Coldwater—Richmond F. Case, of Three Rivers.

Members of Board of Control of Reform School for Girls at Adrian—Mrs. Anthoinette S. Fuller, of Grand Rapids; Wm. Corbin, of Adrian.

Trustees Kalamazoo Asylum for Insane—T. R. Sherwood, of Kalamazoo; Dr. Ara W. Nichols, of Greenville.

Trustees of Pontiac Asylum for Insane—Moses W. Field and Jacob S. Farrand of Detroit.

State Librarian—Harriet A. Tenney, of Lansing.

Adjutant General—John Robertson, of Detroit.

The nominations of Wm. P. Innes, of Grand Rapids, for commissioner of railroads, and of A. P. Swineford, of Marquette, for commissioner of mineral statistics were held for further consideration.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Big Rapids is to have electric lights.

Ice bridge across the Sault Ste. Marie river.

The Niles butter plate works turn out 300,000 plates a day.

There is a shortage of $800 in the out of the Cass county treasury.

Jackson has suits for $8,500 against it to recover for injuries from defective walks.

An ice bridge has formed on Lake Huron, from the lighthouse to Point Edward.

A Clarendon, Calhoun county, boy earns $35 a year killing woodchucks at 50 cents apiece.

Mrs. Eugene Hefner, aged 38, of Saline, died suddenly while sleigh-riding Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. D. Cunningham, of Marshall claims heirship to a Philadelphia estate worth $30,000,000.

Charles Wilkinson, a resident of Venice, Shiawassee county, since 1840 died last week, aged 70.

Dundee merchants have organized a protective association and now give dead-beats just 30 days to settle up in.

The Lansing hack line has 17 horses laid up with the pinkeye, or something similar.

New boiler works are to be built at Battle Creek, the citizens generously donating the land.

The temporary Sisters of Mercy hospital at Big Rapids will soon be ready to receive patients.

Louis F. Boos and Miss Addie Bassett, both champion cornetists, were married at Jackson last week.

A gentleman at Bay City has had his telephone burned out twice by the influence of the electric light wires.

Ross, Oakland county, is the only township in the state that has no church.

A Stanton woman in dressing a spring chicken a few days ago found in its crop a gold ring lost five years ago.

Geo. Campbell, of Chester, Eaton county, was severely cut in the head by a falling limb while cutting down a tree a day or two ago.

An entire hunting party of eight men, including George Gilbert, of Portland, was recently murdered by the Apache Indians in Arizona.

Frank Pixley, aged 36, of Rochester, was kicked in the head last week by a young horse he was breaking, and died in 12 hours; he leaves a family.

Alongon Byers, of Manistique, was so badly frozen that the doctors have taken off three fingers from one hand and the toes and a part of one foot.

Jackson has about $40,000 in its treasury, and the citizens require about 1,000,000 gallons of water daily not all for drinking purposes, however.

The women at Battle Creek are circulating a petition to the legislature asking for the privilege of voting at school elections and also holding certain offices.

John Wrench, a brother-in-law of Capt. John Blythe, of the Quincy mine, was killed by falling from a platform in the Keystone iron mine a week ago.

Clark Joslin's son, near Vassar, will not clean his revolver again soon, the bullet in his leg received last Sunday giving him something else to think about.

Simeon Livingston, of Ontonagon, lost his house and most of his furniture by fire last week, and the people are so sorry that they have raised some $300 for him.

The Deer Lake branch of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad has been extended from Luther to Cary's mill, a distance of three miles, and regular daily trains are now run.

Mr. Hoskex, of Dover township, Lake county, died suddenly a few days ago from the effects of a gunshot wound below the left knee, caused by stumbling while chasing a deer two months ago.

Wm. Brown, merchant of Prairie-ville, Barry county, was thrown from his sleigh last week and jammed against a stump breaking two ribs and his jaw in two places, and otherwise injuring him severely and fatally.

A Cass county dealer has 5,000 lbs. of butter on hand which cost him 15 cents, and which he is holding for more than 16 cents a pound profit. He had better look out, for an oleomargarine factory has started in Detroit.

Joseph Rhodes, a farmer living two miles east of Horton, Jackson county, was killed at Jackson last Thursday by being struck by a freight train, which also killed one of his horses, seriously injured the other and destroyed the sleigh.

The body of Mrs. Henry Cody, of St. Charles, Saginaw county, was found frozen in the ice last Thursday morning. She evidently had cut a hole in the ice and got in with suicidal intent, and then repented and tried to get out as her arms were extended on the ice. Domestic trouble is supposed to have been the cause; her husband is a drinking man, and when intoxicated abused her, though some think she has been insane for a time. Her husband says she was all right at 8 o'clock A. M.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending January 13, 1883:

ADRIAN.

W. W. Bruce to Charles G. Grego. Land in city. $500.

Edwin A. Knowles to Oscar Smith. Land in sec. 6. $800.

David A. Galloway to G. A. Dibble. Land in sec. 13. $5,688.

Leonard Shiebel to Frank Schiebel. Land in sec. 10. $1,600.

Alonzo and W. Welch to A. A. Ladd. Land on sec. 11. $8,270.

BLISSFIELD.

Benjamin Miller to R. B. Cassady. Land on sec. 22. $2,500.

DEERFIELD.

A. W. Rice to Albert G. and Alice J. Reed. Land on sec. 2. $2,300.

DOVER.

Charlotte and Amy Wilson to Phebe A. Canfield. Land on sec. 17. $2,400.

FAIRFIELD.

Phebe J. Camp to Jerome Camp.—Land on sec. 6. $500.

HIDDON.

R. F. White to B. J. and J. Clark. Land on sec. 16. $3,300.

OGDEN.

David Brown to Geo. F. Worling.—Land on sec. 36. $650.

L. F. Davell to M. P. Davell. Land on sec. 1. $1,650.

PALMYRA.

Elijah and Hearietta D. King to Priscilla Little. Land on sec. 32. $5,000.

Priscilla D. Little to Elijah King.—Land on sec. 32. $5,000.

H. B. Cassady to Wm. Harrand.—Land on sec. 36. $1,100.

John H. Teller to George Jones.—Land on sec. 2. $1,700.

RAISIN.

J. Reg. Swan to Orman B. Finch.—Land on sec. 3 and 4. $6,000.

Chauncey Vedder to Thomas Lowrey. Land in sec. 6. $4,500.

ROLLIN.

J. A. Stafford to D. D. McLouth.—Land on sec. 36. $4,000.

ROME.

A. and E. H. Snead to Levi and Marian Hawley. Land on sec. 25.—$3,800.

RIGA.

C. B. Bothum to R. C. Carter. Land on sec. 8. $800.

TECUMSEH.

John Gilchrist to Oran C. Keale.—Land in village. $2,000.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee in favor of Levi L. Barbour, against the goods and chattles and real estate of Chandler D. Bills in said county, and to me directed and delivered, I did on the 10th day of January, A.D., 1883, levy upon, seize, and take all the right, title and interest of the said Chandler D. Bills, at the time of this levy in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, all that certain property known and described as follows, to wit: The east half (½) of the northwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-two, (22) and the northeast quarter (¼) of the southwest quarter (¼) of section fifteen, (15) town six, (6) South of range five (5) east, same being in the township of Ridgeway; and the southwest quarter (¼) of section thirty-four, (34) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, being in the township of Tecumseh. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of Dean's opera house, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee, on the 10th day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 10th day of January, A.D., 1883.

C. A. STACY, Plaintiff's Attorney. CHARLES HIDWELL, Sheriff.

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ESTATE OF NOYES A. DARLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present: Norman Geiles, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Noyes A. Darling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Taylor, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, and pray for the allowance of his final account, now on file in this court, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEILES, Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.
A. H. Bristol, Probate Register. 3w18

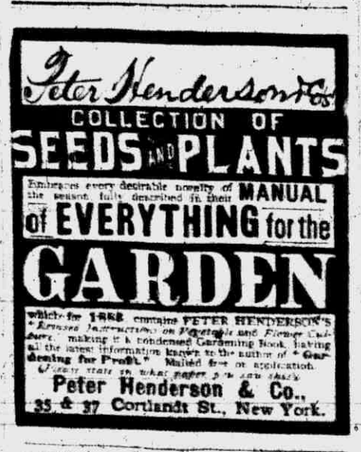

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He will be in Clinton at the hotel Tuesday.

TESTIMONIALS.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of B. Mincer, the optician, for the past 3 months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of good glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.

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THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 18, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Alf. James was in town over Sunday.

HERALD and Michigan Farmer for $2.60.

The Educational News for January has arrived.

Thos. Brangan returned last Monday to Denver, Colo.

Woolston Comfort went to Lansing last Tuesday to attend the Millers' convention.

Fred Aten returned last Tuesday from a trip to Kansas and other parts in the west.

Prof. E. G. Walker, recently engaged in his profession in California, has returned to Adrian.

The Lenawee County Branch of the State Temperance Alliance met yesterday at Adrian.

The Adrian Press says that Franklin has a swearing school teacher. Give us his name, please.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M., to-morrow evening. Work in 3rd degree.

The accident insurance companies are meeting with heavy losses now, and accident policies are in corresponding demand.

R. S. Pardington will preach next Sabbath in the morning on "The Wages of Sin," and in the evening on "Eternal Life."

Do not fail to attend the Boston Ideal Juvenile Opera Company's entertainment at the Opera House next Wednesday evening.

Will D. Robbins has taken the road for the firm of Sigler Bros., of Cleveland, while Leon Dutton takes his place as book-keeper.

At the Grand Chapter masonic meeting held at Detroit, David Woodward, of Clinton, was chosen Grand Conductor for the ensuing year.

The N. R. & A. A. will soon occupy a commodious office in Richard's block, which will be open every day in the week during business hours.

The last number of Our Continent has pictorial representations of Petoskey and Mackinac, with portraits of Ignatius Petoskey and Margaret Boyd.

The special revival meetings at the Methodist church are attended with considerable interest and they will be continued through this week and next.

E. J. Smith has received his commission as State oil inspector. Will plumbago and oil mix readily? Perhaps Philander proposes to test that question.

Rumor says that the T. & M. depot has been definitely located. That may be true, but we have received no intelligence to that effect from headquarters.

We are sorry to learn that James Cole, our popular butcher, has been confined to his house for the past week by sickness. He is now reported on the gain.

The Tweedle Hall block in Albany, N. Y., containing the opera house, the Albany county bank and a large number of stores was destroyed by fire last Tuesday night.

Adrian Times: A business prospectus for the coming year, printed in the HERALD last week, promises a year of unprecedented prosperity for the town. It is based on facts, too.

We acknowledge the receipt of a unique card announcing the marriage of Mr. Erastus H. Hull and Miss Lydia K. Mortimer, which took place at Toledo, Ohio, on the 10th inst.

T. C. Payne will sell at auction, on the Joseph Slater farm, 4 miles west of Tecumseh, on Saturday, Jan. 20th, at 1 o'clock, P. M., three acres of standing timber. Ben. Reynolds, auc.

Orrin Terry, Esq., of Clinton, N. Y., made his Tecumseh friends a flying visit yesterday. He returns to Toledo to-morrow, where he has relatives living and will go home in a few days.

The eastern press speak in the highest terms of the entertainment given by the Boston Ideal Juvenile Opera Company which is to appear at our Opera House on Wednesday evening, Jan. 24th.

Woolston Comfort makes the prime buckwheat flour. He buys the best eastern buckwheat, grinds it by the roller process and takes the "scratch" out by a patent method before it leaves the mill.

A Blissfield boy broke a clavicle while "catching on" to a sleigh. It is a wonder that some of them do not break their necks, and we expect every day to hear of some serious accident from the same cause.

A movement is on foot to induce the legislature to draft a law allowing women to vote at school meetings.—Women who own taxable property in their own name already have that privilege in this state.

Secure your seats early at Kiel's for the Boston Ideal Juvenile Opera Company's entertainment which is to take place at the Opera House next Wednesday evening. You will miss a rare treat if you fail to attend.

Crowded and interesting meetings are in progress this week at the Baptist church.

A social party will be held at Lake Ridge Hotel, Thursday, Eve., Jan. 25th. Music by Keyser & Macham's band. Let all turn out.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Bass, of Lawrence, VanBuren County, are the guests of C. C. Tefft this week. They are enjoying their wedding tour. They will proceed to Lansing to visit friends there before their return home.

Marks & Russell will soon open a drug store in the Hewitt block. Both are well known young men in this community, and have had experience in the drug business. We wish them success in their new venture.

Several Tecumseh ladies have lost their house plants by freezing this winter. There is no excuse for such negligence. Three tons of coal at $6 per ton, will carry one dollar's worth of house plants through the winter safely.

The Albion Recorder says: "The benefits of railroads to a town are shown in the city of Battle Creek, which has nearly doubled in population the past five years, owing principally to the attraction of manufacturers by the city's excelent shipping advantages.

Gainsley & Co., announce in this weeks paper their second annual clearing Sale. This enterprising Dry Goods firm has become one of the business fixtures of Tecumseh, and their trade is having a healthy growth. Read our eighth page and note the bargains there offered.

A large wolf was killed in Duplain township, Clinton county, Jan. 10, by Lorenzo Chambers. The Clinton Independent says that it weighed 82 pounds. The animal had been feasting on live mutton in the vicinity of St. Johns for some time but no one had been able to capture him.

The local telegraph company held a meeting last Monday evening at Dr. House's office. Considerable business was transacted; among other things it was decided to take the necessary steps to incorporate the company. A committee was appointed to attend to this matter and institute the proper legal measures for that purpose.

The latest in the social line is to weigh the representatives of the fair sex present, mark the weight and name on a card, putting all the cards in a box, and then allow the gentlemen to draw for their partners. Each gentleman is obliged to pay one-half a cent per pound for the privilege of taking the one he has drawn to supper. At a recent drawing one person trod bravely up, drew a card and gazed at it in a dazed sort of way.—His friends looked over his shoulder and read in large figures, "Mrs. ——, 200 pounds." He isn't going to another.

Israel Pennington of Macon, one of the oldest settlers of that township died yesterday afternoon. He has been in feeble health for some two or three years, during which time he has been gradually failing, until finally the death summons has been answered. The deceased came to Michigan in 1830 and located 240 acres in the town of Dover. He afterwards moved to Macon, where he has since resided. He leaves a handsome property as the result of a life of industry and economy, also a widow and four children to mourn his departure. The funeral services will be held to-morrow, Friday, at eleven o'clock A. M. A fitting obituary notice will appear in these columns next week.

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING.

The best and most successful mills now days are the Roller Mills. The corrugated rolls make a whiter and a stronger flour than the mill stone. The rolls granulate the flour evenly and do not salve and destroy the life of portion of it as is done by the old system. Hundreds have found this to be true by using Comfort's Roller Flour. Farmers go twenty, and even twenty-five miles to Comfort's Roller Mills to exchange their good wheat for Comfort's Roller Flour. Comfort pays the very highest market price for good sound wheat. Green and unsound wheat he does not want at any price. Cannot use it. The careful selection of sound wheat and the roller system of milling, with many other improvements which he has adopted, is what makes Comfort's flour so popular.

FRAMERS' CLUB.

The next meeting of the Farmer's Club will be held at J. Benedict's on Friday evening, Jan. 26th.

PROGRAMME.

Inst Music—Frank and Rhoda Benedict.
Vocal Music—Mrs. W. Waldron and Kittie Griswold.
Inst Duett—Ellen Fisher and Lizzie Henderson.
Vocal Music—Minnie Rector.
Inst Music—Annie Everhart.
Vocal Music—Geo. and Lizzie Henderson.
Singing by the Choir.
Question.—Would an agricultural fair held at Tecumseh next fall be of advantage to the farmers of this community.
Led by R. B. Gillespie.

Let the farmers turn out and talk about this matter and find out the general feeling.

MRS. F. C. RECTOR, Secretary.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Agricultural Society of Lenawee county will be held, according to the constitution, on the last Friday of January, which will be this year the 26th.

The society was fairly successful at its last fair, and there will be some funds left after all demands are paid. This meeting will be a very important one, aside from the election of officers for 1883. It is earnestly hoped that every person who is a member will be present and take part in the meeting. Every one who was an exhibitor and bought a membership ticket last fall, is entitled to a vote at the annual meeting, and should be present. The meeting will convene at 10 A. M.—There is a large amount of work to do, and promptness in attendance is important.

S. H. MANN, Sec.

THE NEXT COUNTY FAIR.

A meeting will be held at the Opera House in this village to-morrow evening, Jan. 19th, at seven o'clock, sharp, to canvass the fair question and to take the necessary steps to secure the holding of the Lenawee County Fair in Tecumseh the coming season. The lease of Lawrence Park in Adrian, where the County Fair has been held since the re-organization of the society, has expired, and new grounds must be leased or purchased if the fair shall be held at Adrian. We have a fine race track now just outside of the corporation where suitable buildings could be erected at a moderate expense that would accommodate both exhibitors and the public generally. The new railroad will be in full running order before the time for holding the fair, which will place us within easy reach of all parts of the county. There is no reason why Tecumseh could not sustain a splendid fair, and with proper concert of action on the part of the village and the farmers of adjoining towns the desired object can certainly be accomplished. We hope to see a good attendance at the meeting to-morrow evening and the matter given in charge of men who mean business.

A SCRAP OF HISTORY.

Under the "State Items" in the Post and Tribune of Jan. 4th, we find the following:

The Early Survey of Michigan.

TO THE ED. OF POST & TRIB.:

In a recent number of your paper Mr. Geo. S. Frost, in his historical address, is represented as saying that Mr. Trowbridge copied a list of the names of the white inhabitants of the territory for the census of 1820, and after recounting the places of settlement which were then over that vast country says: "The public surveys had not yet extended even into this peninsula." This is an error, as the linear surveys of that date had occupied a large area of the southern portion of the territory: parts of Oakland and Macomb counties having been surveyed as early as 1817 and 1818.

GEO. H. CANNON,
Dept. Surveyor U. S. Lands.
Washington, D. C. Dec. 25th, '82.

Mr. Chas. Culbertson, stepped into our sanctum last Tuesday, pointed out the above extract in the Post and Tribune, and informed us that he could relate a circumstance which corroborated fully the statement of Geo. H. Cannon. Of course we invited Mr. Culbertson to be seated and relate his story:

"About thirty years ago when I was working out my road tax one spring, in company with Olmstead Hough, once sheriff of this county, he pointed out to me the stump of a tree, which stood near the corner of section 23, which had been blazed by the surveyors, and had the date 1817 cut in the bark. Mr. Hough had lived on that farm from the earliest settlement, knew the whole section of country, and his memory could not be questioned on a matter of that kind. I never saw the tree myself, as it had been burned or cut up for fuel before this conversation took place, but the stump stood there at the time and stands there to-day in a fence corner, as a witness to the truth of Sheriff Hough's statement. Upon seeing this item in the Post and Tribune, the entire circumstance and talk came back to my mind as distinctly as though it had occurred only yesterday. There can be no doubt whatever of the fact that the U. S. surveyors made their notes in this township in the year 1817."

As a matter of general rather than local interest Mr. Culbertson further showed us an extract from the history of Livingston county, N. Y., written by L. L. Doty who was private secretary to Gov. Seymour, and an acquaintance of Mr. Culbertson's. In this history is recorded the fact that one Oliver Phelps opened at Canandaigua in 1789, the first regular land office for the sale of unoccupied lands to settlers ever established in America, and the system he adopted for the survey of his lands by townships and ranges, was, with slight modifications, adopted by the government for the survey of all the new lands in the U. S. These ranges were six miles in width, running north and south. The ranges in turn were subdivided by parallel lines six miles apart, running east and west, denominated townships, which were numbered from south to north. The latter were subdivided into lots of 160 acres each for actual settlers. And thus is shown the origin of the present system of U. S. surveys.

OLD SAM MOVES ON.

Upon a dull, gloomy morning in the first week of November last, a tramp printer meandered into the HERALD office and asked for work. As we happened to be rushed with job work at the time, a newspaper case was assigned to him, and within five minutes after he made known his wishes he was sticking type. The man was about six feet tall, near sixty years of age and would tip the scales, at fully two hundred pounds. We called him "Old Sam." He probably had a surname, but we never heard it, and during his ten week's sojourn in the office that was the only name applied to him. The boys greeted him with "Old Sam," the girls referred to him as "Old Sam," his name was entered upon the time book and ledger as "Old Sam," and our business patrons who knew him at all, knew him simply as "Old Sam." He was a quiet man of good habits and could do about two-thirds of an ordinary day's work at plain composition, and his wages were gauged accordingly.

During his brief term of service with the HERALD we learned something of his history. He had worked at the case over forty years and had been a tramp printer all his life. He had visited every state in the Union and a portion of the western territories. He had worked in Chicago when that city was a frontier village. He had stuck type in the "Hub of the universe" in Gotham, in the city of brotherly love, and in the National Capital. He had seen service in the largest Eastern printing offices and also in pioneer offices on the Western prairies, in which the entire outfit consisted of two cases of long primer and a Washington hand press. He had breathed the zero air of the Penobscot, and wrestled with malaria amid the alligator swamps of Louisiana. Old Virginia tobacco was a familiar sight to his eyes, he had viewed the gigantic wheat fields of Minnesota and heard the click of the type within a stone's throw of the El Dorado mines in California. He called no place his home and had no family friends that we could learn, but he stuck to his case, set clean proof, ate big dinners, drank no whiskey, smoked a cob pipe, and earned his wages faithfully.

"Yes," said old Sam one day after dinner, while enjoying his pipe, "I have hooked considerable copy in my day. The clips and manuscripts which have run through my fingers would make a big cyclopædia, and a better one than most of the trash now sold under that name. My takes have taken in almost everything within the range of human knowledge. I set the account of the first railroad excursion from Albany to Schenectady. Old Cornelius Vanderbilt was a young man in the ferry business when I served as office devil, and A. T. Stewart was selling kid gloves in a room about ten by twenty on Broadway. Many is the item I have put in type about both of these old coons. I have set up the details of brilliant weddings in high life, and have pulled proofs of the most mournful deaths and appalling accidents. Astronomy, arithmetic, all the natural sciences, these fingers have dabbled with. I have been on paper, with the old "forty-niners" of California, and witnessed, in my mind's eye, Sam Patch's last leap. Jingle for the little folks, base ball and boating for the boys, gossip for the old maids, fashion notes for the maidens, recipes for the cook, heavy politics for the small politician, stocks and bonds for the wall street banker, peas and potatoes for the farmer, butter and eggs for the housewife—all these I have strung into line by the click, click of the type. But I must move on soon. This world is a fleeting show. Every man has a destiny to fulfill, and Old Sam must meet his."

Last Monday morning he came to the office at the usual hour and informed the foreman that he wished to hang out part of the forenoon. He has not been seen since. Upon inquiry at his boarding place we learned that he set out that morning with three shirts on, two pairs of stockings, two vests and two coats. "I never carry a bundle," said he, "for people will think I am a tramp." Ten weeks was a lengthy term of service for Old Sam in one office. But he has only a few more years to tramp. His eye is already growing dim and his hand begins to tremble. He will soon set his last take, the clods of the valley will cover his form, and Old Sam's soul will move on.

The following petition to the legislature is being extensively circulated throughout the State. It ought to find plenty of signers:

Believing that prevention through education of the people, is the anti dote for the vice of intemperance, we the undersigned citizens respectfully petition our legislature now in session to enact laws requiring instruction in the nature of alcohol, and its effects upon the human tissue, brain and character, to be given in all schools supported by public money, or under state control.

We have received a copy of the American Newspaper Annual for 1882, published by N. W. Ayer & Son, of Philadelphia. This is certainly the best catalogue of newspapers ever published in this country, and reflects great credit upon the enterprising firm who compiled the work.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The January term of the Circuit Court convened at Adrian last Tuesday, Judge Howell presiding. The call of the calendar was proceeded with in the forenoon, several persons were arraigned and pleaded, and some cases set down for trial.

C. A. Stacy asked that there be no peremptory call of civil cases until next week. After conference with the attorneys, the court granted Mr. Stacy's request and fixed the 24th inst, as the first date on which a peremptory call for civil cases would be made.

The criminal calendar was then passed to, and the case of Wm. Beach, for incest, was called. Beach had already been arraigned, and the prosecuting attorney announced himself as ready for trial to-morrow. Westermann Bros., for the defense, wanted an immediate trial.

In the case of Carrie July, for incest, the prosecution was ready for trial at once, and Westerman Bros., for the defense, were not quite ready.

The case of Wm. Smith, for the larceny of a watch at the Central hotel was met by the prosecuting attorney with the statement that he believed Smith intended to plead guilty. Jas. Helme, Jr., explained that he appeared for the prisoner and that he would not plead guilty.

In the case of Wm. Ross, who it will be remembered, is accused of the larceny of a horse from W. S. Wilson, of Adrian, the prosecuting attorney made a statement asking the discharge of the prisoner. He said that the more guilty offender in taking the horse from Wilson had escaped, that Ross had agreed to pay all costs, and had already returned the horse in question to Mr. Wilson, that he had carefully investigated the case, and thought that the nature of the circumstances, and the condition of the prisoner's family, would fully extenuate a release. The court, after considering the matter, allowed the prisoner's discharge, and after Mr. Bean, counsel for the defense, had paid the costs, a nolle pros. was entered.

Two charges of false pretenses against Samuel Nichols, were agreed not to be taken up before Jan. 30.

The case against Clement C. Cole for false pretenses, was allowed to stand until the 30th.

The case of the people against George Gareis, the murderer of Thomas O'Connelly, was then taken up, the prisoner being arraigned, and George Wagner interpreting the charge to him. Before he was allowed to plead, the court assigned Judge Stacy as counsel for the prisoner, and the case was put over till afternoon, in order to allow him to confer with his newly acquired client.

The case of the people vs. Chas. Hess, the Woodstock man who is accused of assault and battery, was also passed until afternoon.

The Western Farmers' Almanac published by John P. Morton & Co., of Louisville, Ky., has arrived. It is the best almanac for the farmer within our knowledge. The weather tables are something new and are as accurate as such tables can be made.—They would be a great help to any man in forecasting the weather. The almanac also contains many valuable articles pertaining to farm topics.

We have received an anonymous communication covering some obituary poetry. Our friends will please bear in mind that we print no anonymous letters and that our charge for obituary poetry is five cents a line.

Battle Creek Republican: Attorney Lamb of the M. & O. returned to Marshall Thursday, having secured duplicates of important papers given in this locality in aid of the new road, the originals of which were destroyed in the recent fire at Toledo.

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A Husband and a Mule.

Not long since Wakefield Starkey, of Austin, while crossing the track of the International and Great Northern Railroad on a valuable mule, was struck by a locomotive and killed. The mule was also hurled into eternity. Wakefield Starkey, although a perfect gentleman on the street, was a perfect tyrant of the deepest dye. Without any provocation whatever he used to beat his wife and lock her up in the wardrobe; hence, when she heard of his death, it was not so much a cask of heavy bereavement as it was of mitigated affection. As the engineer of the locomotive was clearly to blame for the accident it was suggested to the widow that she bring suit for damages. She resolved to do so, and called at the office of the railway company. The proper official happened to be in. The widow had such a clear case against the company that it was deemed advisable to compromise the suit.

"Now, madam," said the official, after the widow had "brown back her veil" and stated her business, "we are willing to do what is fair in this matter. There is really no occasion to go to law. It is a delicate subject to discuss, so I think, without going into the merits of it, I will tender you a check for $5,000, and you will sign a paper releasing the company from all further demands."

The widow started, and asked: "How much?"

"I am authorized to pay you $5,000."

"I accept it," she said, very much agitated.

The check was handed over, the papers signed, and the widow walked out into the street in a bewildered frame of mind. As she cashed the check she said to herself, confidentially: "I didn't expect to get more than $500. I reckon that railroad fellow didn't know how old that mule was."

It never occurred to her that she had sustained any loss in the death of her husband. On the other hand, the railroad official said to one of the clerks: "The company was getting off dirt cheap. We usually have to pay $5,000 for running over husbands."

It did not occur to him that the widow had sustained any loss whatever in the death of the valuable mule.

What a striking illustration of the fact that different people look at the same thing in a different light.—*Siftings.*

How She Loved Him.

"How she must have loved him!"

As Myrtle Redingote spoke these words softly to George W. Simpson a blush of maiden modesty flamed for an instant across her pure young face, and disappeared silently behind the tiny pink ears, that stood like pygmy sentinels on a battlement of rose-tinted flesh, soft and warm, and with beautiful curves whose dimpled outlines would have made even an anchorite resign. George had been telling her that beautiful story of the Princess of olden times who, when her lover was stricken down by a poisoned arrow, knelt by his side, and with her own ruby lips drew from the wound the fatal element. When he had finished, the girl gave utterance to the words with which this chapter opens. And then, for an instant, silence fell between them.

George was the first to speak. "If I were wounded by a poisoned arrow, darling, would you emulate the example of the Princess?"

The girl's form shook with a sudden tremor, and her head fell upon his shirt front.

"I could not do it!" she sobbed through her tears.

"Why not?" asked George.

"Do not press me for an answer," replied the girl.

"But I must know," he says, in low, agonized tones.

"There," she murmurs, pressing him still more closely to her, "you are from Kentucky, and I do not care to catch the fever and ague."—*Texas Siftings.*

Small Affair.

A [illegible] of a [illegible] Chatham street grew [illegible] and said he would [illegible]

"[illegible] and wanted to go [illegible] would you send your father and [illegible] the interest of would [illegible] the second-hand clothing [illegible]

"[illegible] with a [illegible] I make [illegible] I haven't [illegible] exclaimed the [illegible] dropped the bundle [illegible]

"[illegible] Moses as he looked after him [illegible] I tell dat you I love money and every time I [illegible] can an [illegible] New York."—*Merchant Traveler.*

American Courtesy.

[illegible] American courtesy [illegible] in Boston.

CAUSE FOR APPREHENSION.

Why Mysterious Physical Troubles Arouse Special Dread—A Professional Experience.

Few things give more pain than dread or apprehension. Most people are able to face apparent danger heroically, but the sudden and unexpected coming of some indefinite calamity very naturally strikes terror to even the bravest. For this reason lightning and tornadoes are considered terrible, their coming and going are so sudden, unannounced and unknown. For this same reason an unknown disease, some poison in the blood, some malady that is gradually undermining the life, is specially dreaded by all thinking people. And, indeed, there are good reasons for such dread, for modern science has discovered that some virulent disorders show the least signs in their beginnings, while they have the worst possible symptoms. We know of many persons who have dull and uncertain pains in various portions of the body, who are unnaturally tired one day, and apparently well the next, who have an enormous appetite at times, and a loathing of food soon thereafter. Such persons are really in a dangerous condition even though they may not realize it. The following statement of a most prominent physician, who has had unusual opportunities for investigation, is of so striking and important a nature that it will be read with interest by all:

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MESSRS. EDITORS: I have, during my professional career of many years practice, treated a large number of various disorders, of which, perhaps, none have given me more trouble than the mysterious disease known as acute nephritis, and while it may seem strange, it is, nevertheless, true, that the physician is generally greatly annoyed by this mysterious trouble, especially when the case is of hereditary origin. It is, doubtless, the first stage of the well-known, but terrible, Bright's disease, as the kidneys contain large quantities of albumen, and while children and young people are especially liable to its attacks, it is prevalent with all classes, and usually continue until, late in life.

One obstinate case which came under my observation was that of a fireman of this city who applied to me for treatment. The case was diagnosed parenchymatous nephritis. The man was twenty-four years of age, plethoric, and light-complected. He stated that he had suffered from urinary troubles from childhood, and that he had "doctored" a hundred times, each time improving some, after which, in a short while, he would relapse into his former state of misery. I prescribed the usual therapeutics known to the profession with the same result that my colleagues had obtained. He got better for a while, and then worse again; in fact, so bad that he had to lay off for some time. He suffered intense pain; so much so that I confess I had to resort to hypodermic injections of morphia. My druggist, who knew how disgusted I was with the case, although not willing to desert the man, advised me to try a remedy from which he (the druggist) had derived great benefit. As a drowning man catches at a straw, I prescribed this remedy, not letting my patient, however, know what I was giving him; and, although not a believer in nor a patron of "patent medicines," I must confess that after my fireman had taken one bottle he grew much better. I made him continue its use for a period of two months, with the most gratifying results; it really worked wonders, and he owes his cure and present perfect health solely to the remarkable power of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, the remedy which I prescribed, and he used.

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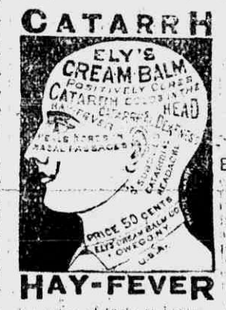

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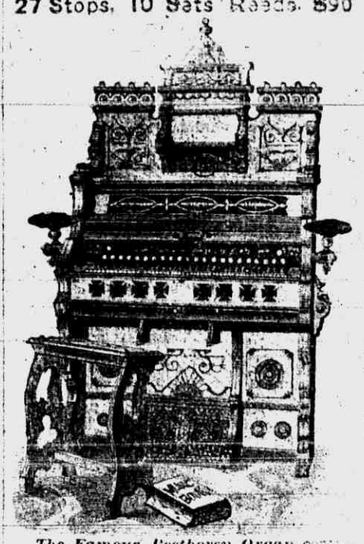

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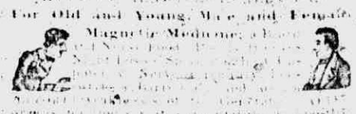

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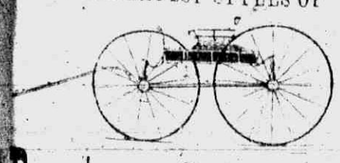

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Nor ripples breaking on the river's brim,
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High thoughts in happy hearts, and erking cares beguile.

But even as the swallows skim and skate
Skimmed the wake of the [illegible] ark,
So shall one sound the sleeping spirit wake
To leave the danger, and to fear the harm—
A low and gentle voice—dear woman's chiefest charm.

An excellent thing it is! and ever just,
A refreshing balm above, and blest success, they who own.
The gifts by the wise authors bestowed,
Given by God to Eve and Smile are known;
Blessed are those that have kind hearts that have [illegible]

All excellent thing it is when first in gladness
A mother looks into the infant's face,
Smiles to its smiles, and so begins to instil
Her [illegible] sorrows at its cries,
Its food and sleep, with smiles and little toys—
And [illegible] with [illegible] love to [illegible]

An excellent thing it is when life is leaving—
Leaving with [illegible] and [illegible], joys and [illegible]
The strong heart failing, and the high soul [illegible]
With [illegible] thoughts, and wild unwonted fears,
Then the woman's hand, soft sympathy [illegible]
[illegible] to teach us how to [illegible]

But a most excellent thing it is in youth,
When the fond lover hears the loved one's [illegible]
Dear fears, but longs to sylllabe the truth—
How their two hearts are [illegible] and she his own;
It makes sweet human music—oh! the spells
That haunt the trembling tale a bright-eyed maiden tells.

—Edwin Arnold.

RUNNING THE TOLL.

"Just hint at 'running the toll,' and grandma will tell a story," said Lily Weatherbee, demure as a little Quaker and sweet as a wild rose, looking up from her Kensington stitch.

Grandma overheard her and answered with a smile that made her piercing black eyes sparkle like diamonds.

"I don't think *you* will ever run the toll, Peace and Plenty," she said. That was the name she had given Lily when she was a baby.

"No, indeed; one in the family of that sort is quite enough," laughed the girl; "but here is Hattie waiting to be amused, and you must tell her about it."

"Well, 'now shall I begin, chatterbox?'"

"Why, tell her about the old house with the gray moss clinging to the rafters, and the haunted window and the great barn, first."

"The haunting was easily enough accounted for," said grandma, rolling up the stockings she had been mending and taking off her spectacles; "that was the tapping of the old horse-chestnut when the wind blew, but it was a long time before I found out the meaning of the three mysterious knocks always three and when I did, what fun I had at the expense of Miss Silena Cross, our dressmaker, who had taken infinite pains to prove that I was favored with spiritual visits! Poor Miss Silena! I never saw a creature more disappointed. As for the barn, it had originally been built for a meeting-house, but never having been finished on account of lack of funds, my grandfather took it for debt and turned it to very good account. That old barn was a great institution, and was regularly turned out during winters for revival meetings, dances, husking frolics and sundry other things. One night we let a tramp sleep there, and the consequence was that by noon next day there was nothing left of the barn but smoke and ashes. Poor father! It had been a source of income, and nothing could take its place. Everybody mourned the destruction of Uncle Hiram's barn, but nobody offered to rebuild it.

"We were poor, not that we suffered for the necessaries of life. The farm kept our table, but my father worked too hard for an old man, and his boys were all girls. The fact of our poverty never troubled me, however, I was too happy. Only give me plenty of fun, plenty of sunshine and nothing second hand to me. My genius at improvising all sorts of amusements made me a general favorite in society. Nobody looked down upon me because I wore calico and worked from morning till night. In fact, 'Jack' was always in requisition at 'Jack' was the soul of our merry gatherings, who filled the gap with some audacious gossip when nobody knew what to say, who was afraid of nothing—who was, I am rather sorry to add, careless of consequences, so that she had a good time.

"But I was happy; nobody can never take that consolation from me. I never sighed for what was unattainable. Fair weather or foul, washing or baking, at home or at the country-side parties, I was always at peace with the world, though my one best muslin gown had done duty for several years."

"Oh, grandma! what would you have thought then of a pink satin reception dress, and everything to match like the one I am having make?" exclaimed Lily.

"Shouldn't I been a bit happier, my dear, couldn't I' been," was the calm response. "Besides, young girls never wore satin in those days, bless you! plain white muslin was considered dressy enough, with lowers which to my taste, are prettier than jewels any day. And now I am coming to how I ran the toll. Ned Hamilton was considerdsome of the best young men in town. He would'a' been handsome but his nose was too thin and his eyes were too close together, though they were fine eyes. At all events, he was a great favorite, and the girl who secured him for a partner considered herself fortunate? Nobody treated him just exactly as I did, for I would tell him to his face that he was conceited, though secretly I did feel flattered by his attention. I suppose the great Rosedale farm had something to do with it, and the two grays and the handsome carryall. Perhaps I was ambitious and didn't exactly know it for to tell the truth, when I did think of him at all seriously it was the big farm that loomed up, not my liking for him. To be Mrs. Hamilton—the name was a good one—to step from our homely one-story house into a grand old mansion, where the furniture had stood for a hundred years—that was something for a poor man's child to achieve. I was very proud and happy when he showed me any unusual attention. It did stir what vanity I had to see his team at our cottage door, to pass our acquaintances [illegible] or sometimes in dressing out at parties—me in my plain dress, with perhaps only a rose at my throat and another in my hair.'

"Now confess that you were handsome, grandma," said Lily.

"That's not for me to say, my dear, though I believe they did call me rather pretty. One day Ned Hamilton invited me to go with him to Silver Spring, a beautiful waterfall, six miles away. I was particularly pleased with the invitation just at that time, for matters at home were complicated, and the atmosphere was not agreeable. Father had been paying money on a mortgage, and that always made him cross—not cross exactly, but very, very disagreeable. The sight of his gray hair and his anxious spirit depressed poor timid me, so I felt like a bird let loose.

"That morning the team came for me, early, at the house of Deacon Mills, where I was visiting Mary Mills, my intimate friend. Mary gave one of her parties on the morrow of my birthday, Poor Mary! A honeymoon has never been her lot, poor girl! Ned Hamilton, who never lacked for a lady partner, was there, and she was [illegible] jealous, so perhaps she never realized how very plain she was. I had been busy over my only white dress, basting a tuck out here and adding a bit there, wishing, for a wonder, that I could have something new to wear. At sight of Ned and the team, [illegible] all my troubles vanished into air, and I ran down stairs laughing.

"'I do wish you'd be a little sober-minded,' said my father, in his frosty way. 'It seems kinder heartless to be laughing when there ain't a cent in the house, and nobody knows when there will be.'

"'Why, father, there's potatoes and meal,' was my merry rejoinder.

"'Yes, and there's always shoes and trousers,' he answered figuratively. 'I don't seem to get ahead like other folks, and I've pretty much about given up trying. If you girls was only boys—now.'

"'Think what you'd have to lay up in boots alone,' I said, laughing, at which he frowned and turned, impatiently away, while I ran out to be helped into the hands one carriage.

"What a glorious day! was! The vines lining each side of the road all seemed dripping with sunshine. The shaded valleys, the dancing brooks and the highways bordered with maples and elms—and then my companion! The hour with odd and [illegible] fancies, talked about his farm, his orchards, his aspirations, and I had not skillfully turned the subject once or twice, said the pretty old lady, with a prim little gesture, 'I think he might have proposed. But I wasn't ready for that yet. In the quiet of the homecoming, I said to myself, 'I will listen to no [illegible]'

"'[illegible] the waterfall, which, with its accompanying heights and charming scenery, repaid us for the long ride. It was hard to tear ourselves away, and when we did turn the heads of the spirited horses in the direction of home it was very late.

"'We shall never run this time for the party,' I said, as the twilight deepened into dusk. 'Must you pay at the toll-gate? The old man is blind, and it will take him an hour to make up change. Run the toll just for the fun of it, you can pay him afterwards.'

"'That won't do,' said Ned. 'I have to get a bill changed though. Just take the reins a second. By the way—' I never heard the end of the sentence. At that moment the spirit of mischief seized me. I snatched the whip and touched the near horse. Then I only heard the thunder of hoofs and the whirr of wheels, saw Ned's eyes flash fire in the semi-darkness and his face grow pale. Before he could take the reins from my inexperienced hands, we had run the toll in good earnest, and the horses were flying over the bridge as only frightened horses can. It was as much as Ned could do to guide them, and twice we were in deadly peril.

"On they sped, young Hamilton standing without a hat, his teeth set, lips white, his frame rigid, while the veins of his forehead stood out like whipcord. I just sat back and held my breath, too frightened to try out, and catching at whatever was nearest to steady myself as they raced down the long hill, street to the village, at the foot of which they slacked their speed and were soon under control.

"'That was a mad freak of yours,' was all the young man said, as he helped me out at the door, and I knew by the expression of his countenance that I never should be asked to ride behind his grays again.

"I went to the party, seemingly as gay and light-hearted as ever. If any feeling of regret mixed under my careless speech and manner, Ned should never know it. In the midst of the fun, when I was holding my little court, and the laugh and the jest were ringing round, who should appear upon the scene but my father, in his homely, patched clothes, quite regardless of the figure he cut in the midst of that brilliant company. He walked straight up to me, his hair in disorder, his face as pale as death.

"'Jack,' says he, 'did you run the toll to-day?'

"'The horses ran,' I said, with a touch of levity, though I trembled from head to foot. 'What did they know about toll?'

"'Well, the lodge-keeper has been to the house, Jack. He told me the young man was getting the money when you caught up the whip and set the horses to running. Now, there's a fine for that, an' I've got to give him five dollars. He won't let me off—and I ain't got five cents to my name.' Tears stood in his poor, weak eyes, and, regardless of the surroundings, he took out his handkerchief and wiped them away. Imagine, if you can, how I felt.

"'Allow me to pay, sir,' said Ned, coming forward, and that capped the climax. I could have screamed with mortification. I just ran out of that room without waiting for wraps or anything else, and flew home so shamed that I think I hardly knew what I was doing. As you may suppose, I cried pretty much all night, and it was a long time before I recovered my spirits.

"'I have no doubt it lost me Ned Hamilton, too,' said the old lady, with a queer little toss of the head; but that didn't matter much. He left me and took Mary Bean, old Deacon Bean's daughter—the pink of propriety, and, who would no more have dared to say her soul was her own than she would have dared to ride wild horses. It was a little mortifying at first, but after his marriage folks said that he was miserly almost beyond belief, and I am positive Molly Hamilton only has one new bonnet a year, poor soul!—though by this time she may have gone where they don't need bonnets.

"'However, I was cured from that time of my thoughtless pranks. I went to work and soon paid back the five dollars, and more than that, I paid off the mortgage on our little home, in time.

"'And then you married grandpa?' said Lily.

"'Yes, dear, he was worth a thousand Ned Hamiltons—but poor father! how often I have heard him say that I was just as good as a boy!'—*Mary A. Denison in Year Companion.*

McClellan's Perilous Ride.

Lewis E. Dyson, the big policeman who stands at Eighth and Arch streets, claims the honor of having taken Gen. McClellan safely through, he rather over one of the greatest dangers of his life. It was the time he retreated from Yorktown, a little before the seven days' fight in the peninsula. I was then driving McClellan's private ambulance, a sort of Germantown wagon that he had fitted up for his own use. It would carry four persons comfortably, and I had a team of four spirited horses to draw it. Well, the rebels skipped out of Yorktown one Saturday night, but before they went they filled all the roads in around the town with torpedoes—buried 'em under a thin scum of earth, you know, so that you couldn't see the blamed things till you stepped on 'em, and then after that you never say anything else. The Sunday after the evacuation was a beautiful day, but that night it rained as it just knew how to rain—down on the peninsula, and the mud well, it knew how to make mud, too. It was about a foot deep, I reckon, when I started on Monday morning for McClellan's headquarters, four miles out, to drive to Yorktown. There were four officers in the ambulance, Gen. McClellan, Col. Colburn, his chief of staff, Gen. Franklin, and Gen. Fitz John Porter. It was still raining, and the ambulance curtains were closed. We got along all right till we came to the entrance to the Yorktown fortifications, and there right in the narrowest part of the way, was an ambulance wagon, broken down in the mud, and beside it was a stick, planted in the mud, with a little red flag hanging from it. I knew what it was as soon as I saw it: the rain had washed the dirt off one of them bloody torpedoes, and the soldiers had found it and marked it, you bet they wasn't going to dig it up without positive orders.

"Well, I stopped my team and Gen. McClellan stuck his head through the curtains and looked about him. There were some soldiers standing around, and among them was a lieutenant. McClellan called him up and said:

"'Don't let our men take up any of these torpedoes. Make the prisoners do it.'

"Then he looked at the wagon and asked me: 'Do you think you can get past?'

"'Yes,' I said, 'I guess I can, if I straddle that torpedo.'

"'Well,' said he, 'go ahead. I expect we'll all be blown to thunder together.' Those were the very words he used. So I threw my long whip down between the horses to keep them apart as far as possible, and drove ahead, and we got into Yorktown without touching the torpedo.'

"And what did McClellan say then?"

"'He never said a word. When we got into Yorktown he left the ambulance and went into a house, and presently he sent an orderly out to tell me to go back to head-quarters. I had no sooner reached there than I received orders to turn around, return to Yorktown, and follow the army, so I had to drive over that blamed torpedo three times. I got kinder used to it at last, and was ready to bet that I could do it every time.'—*Philadelphia Times.*

Setting Their Caps for Whittier.

The letters of Mrs. Lydia Maria Child have recently been published with a sketch of her by Mr. Whittier, of a visit to whom in 1868 she writes: "Whittier made piteous complaints of time wasted and strength exhausted by the numerous visitors who came to see him out of mere idle curiosity, or to put up with him to save a penny. I was amused to hear his sister describe some of these irruptions in her slow, Quakerly fashion. 'Thee has no idea,' she said, 'how much time Greenleaf spends trying to lose these people in the streets. Sometimes he comes home and says: Well, sister, I had hard work to lose him, but I have lost him.' 'But I can never lose her,' said Whittier; 'the women are more pertinacious than the men, don't thee find him so, Marie?' I told him I did.—'How does thee manage to get time to do anything?' said he. I told him I took care to live away from the railroad and kept a bull-dog and a pitchfork and advised him to do the same. It is a fact that the life of the gentle poet has been much pestered by women. At least one wealthy widow actually proposed to him, and other women have made violent love to him without avail.

Four graduate Harvard professors and students formed a co-operative society nine months ago, and opened a store, where books, sporting articles, stationery, fish, pictures and everything were either kept in stock or sold by sample. The price for everything was 5 per cent. above wholesale cost, and members only could buy, but on no other terms than cash down. They also paid a year. The experiment has thus far been highly satisfactory, and no reason for failure in the future is apparent. There is no capital at risk, the 5 per cent. and yearly dues cover the expenses, and the members, now increased to 636, get their goods at an average of 20 per cent. less than they would have to pay elsewhere. A novel branch of business is the sale of second-hand books and furniture, by which students get pay for their discarded things, instead of throwing them away.

A certain Irish M. P. had been describing his travels in the far west and the virgin forests. "There," said he, "what is a virgin forest?" asked an auditor. "What is a virgin forest, sorr? is one where the hand o' man has niver set foot."

Going to His Grave.

There he goes again direct to the saloon and pours down another heavy draught of strong drink, not so much because his appetite demands it, but for the artificial buoyancy it produces, the after effect of which leaves him more miserable than before. It is this dreadful practice that is daily sending thousands to their graves. A remedy for all this is found in the true friend of temperance,—the best and purest of all medicines, Electric Bitters.

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ESTATE OF ALLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. [illegible]

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register.

ESTATE OF McCOLLUM MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday, the [illegible] day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Florence L. McCollum, Lillie T. McCollum, Maurice A. McCollum and Alice K. McCollum, minors.

Elmira McCollum, guardian of said minors, having this day filed her account in this court as guardian and administrator of the estate of said minors.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF CYRUS SAVIERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Wednesday, the [illegible] day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Cyrus Saviers, late [illegible]

On reading and filing the petition of Oliver D. Perry, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for the allowance of said account and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF ABNER STANLEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. [illegible]

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register.

ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. [illegible]

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
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FITS
A Leading London Physician establishes an Office in New York for the Cure of EPILEPTIC FITS.
From Am. Journal of Medicine.
Dr. Ab. Meserole (late of London), who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years' standing successfully cured by him. He has published a work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his wonderful cure free to any sufferer who may send their express and P. O. address. We sincerely advise suffering humanity to avail themselves of this opportunity.
Dr. AB. MESEROLE, No. 96 John St., New York.

GUARDIAN SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, made on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1882, authorizing the undersigned, as guardian of William Taylor, an insane person, I shall sell at public vendue, on the 7th day of January, 1883, at the office of E. B. Wood, Tecumseh, Michigan, at one o'clock in the forenoon, offer for and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder those parcels of land situated in the township of Raisin, Lenawee Co., Mich., known and described as follows: The east half of the north west quarter of section eight, and also that parcel in said township bounded by commencing at a stake in the western line of the north west quarter of said section eight, [illegible] north line of the south west quarter of said section eight, from thence south along the line between the east and west halves of said south west quarter of said section, one degree and thirty minutes west eight chains to a stake in the prairie, thence eastward three chains, and sixty-three links to a stake which was referred to in the bounding the north, of the low ground south of the prairie, thence [illegible] degrees, fifty minutes east [illegible] chains and forty-[illegible] links to a stake in the north line of the south west quarter of said section eight, thence west [illegible] chains and sixty-six links to the place of beginning, containing [illegible] acres of land, more or less, subject to a mortgage of [illegible] dollars, and also that parcel of land being the south half of the south east quarter of section seven, in said township, containing one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, subject to a mortgage of about [illegible] dollars.

BENJAMIN F. BAXTER,
EDWIN B. WOOD,
Guardians.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

Estate of Luther Jones, deceased. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a license granted to us as executors of said will of said deceased by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the [illegible] day of November, A. D. 1882, we will sell on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the dwelling house on the premises, subject to the dower right of the widow, all the interest of said deceased in and to the following described land, situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee County, Michigan, viz: [illegible] acres, being the south two-thirds of the original [illegible] of the village of Tecumseh, [illegible] Chicago street, being a [illegible] south and four rods east and west. Lot No. [illegible] in the original plat of said village, [illegible] south side of Tecumseh [illegible] road, said lot being [illegible] feet on said road and [illegible] feet deep, at eight [illegible]

BENJAMIN F. BAXTER,
EDWIN B. WOOD,
Executors.

ESTATE OF JAMES WHEELER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. [illegible]

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOHN GLENN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 26th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Glenn, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Robert Glenn, a half-brother of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Newton L. Reynolds, the executor named in said last will.

It is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF ANDREW J. BURTLESS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. [illegible]

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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What the Peoples Have Had to Do in Cases of Emergency.
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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

Episcopal social next Monday at Peter Kislingbury's.

Rite of baptism at St. John's church next Sunday morning.

The next lecture of the course next Tuesday evening by Geo. W. Bain of Kentucky.

Factory shut down last Friday for repairs.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a box social in the basement of their church on Wednesday evening, Jan 31. Ladies prepare box of edibles which are sold to gentlemen, and gents look up the lady, whose name occupies the inside of box and partake of the contents together.

J. I. Clark & Son have disposed of their entire herd of Holstein cattle to parties in Ohio.

Col. Sanford's lecture at Town Hall, Thursday evening last was simply excellent, and the lecture committee certainly deserve much credit for the course they have presented thus far. It is an abominable shame that they are not better rewarded for their efforts. It looks as though Clinton did not desire another course next season. Bain's subject for next Tuesday evening will be "My Trip to the Golden Gate."

Pop-corn social by the Congregational Sunday school Saturday afternoon at A. P. Halladay's.

16° below, Monday morning.

Carl Burton is home from Chicago.

Geo. W. Lewis, of South Bend, was in town last Thursday.

John H. Miller took the morning train for the "Great West" last Thursday.

Rev. J. W. Payne returned from a flying visit to Morenci, last Saturday.

Della Bartlett, *nee* Sawyer, had a narrow escape from serious injury, on Friday last. She was coming from Tecumseh, when her horse took fright from some bells coming up behind them, and ran, throwing her from the cutter and dragging her by the reins for some distance.

L. J. Esslinger, of the Newburg mill, has opened a flour and feed store in the Reynolds block.

The M. E. social at Allen Dillingham's last Wednesday was a success, netting $10.06.

N. M. Holbrook, of Augusta, Minn., was in town last week.

Daniel O'Reilly and family went off on a visit Sunday, and when they returned they found a space about four feet square burned in the carpet near the stove.

Maggie Spafford of Tecumseh, was the guest of her cousin Grace over Sunday.

Clark Sutton, a hermit living east of this place, and well known as an old settler, died on Monday morning.

The Baptist church had a narrow escape from destruction by fire on Sunday evening, but the injectors were on hand to save it without much damage.

WEST TECUMSEH TIDBITS.

Local Telegraph Line.

Benjamin Dove lost a horse last week.

The mill yards at Newburg are rapidly filling up with saw logs.

Four meadow larks were seen hereabouts just before the cold snap: something unusual.

We do not know what effect the late cold wave will have on next season's fruit crop, but it is abundant now on our table sauce too much frost in the cellar.

There is much interest manifested in the fair question. Most parties however favor holding a fair at Tecumseh, but would prefer a new organization, to the old one at Adrian.

We hope before another year rolls around to have a telegraph column in the HERALD filled with news from Britton, Ridgeway, West Tecumseh, Tipton and Sand Lake.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

The oyster supper, social of the Red Ribbon Club was a fair success, over $12 receipts.

Mrs. Bristol's failure to fill her appointments on the lecture course was occasioned from her being called home to attend the funeral of her husband, who died very suddenly.

There was an oyster supper in connection with the installation of the officers of the Grange last Friday evening. In connection with the program of next regular meeting there will be a discussion of "Women's Rights" and the "Merits of the Grange."

A full house greeted Prof. Steele, of Ann Arbor, last Wednesday evening, the second lecture of the course. The lecture was well received.

Geo. W. Bain, of Kentucky, will deliver the third lecture of the course next Monday evening, Jan. 29th. No words of ours can add to the fame of Mr. Bain. Come early to secure a seat. See posters.

The change in location of Lake Ridge post office has nearly doubled the receipts. The patrons of the office, both old, and new, will bear in mind that the success of the office will depend on the amount of stamps cancelled, therefore post your mail at the office, and in turn the postmaster will assist you in obtaining your reading matter at club rates.

Mrs. L. Osgood is very sick with bilious fever.

Mrs. S. Stewart is afflicted with sciatic rheumatism, but is slowly improving.

We have had a slight touch of chicken pox hereabouts.

Many farmers are preparing to renew and enlarge their buildings the coming season.

Mill yards are filling up with logs.

Mrs. T. C. Garner, State Financial Sec. of the W. C. T. U., will address the people of Macon, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Jan. 31, and Feb. 1. Her subject will be the work done by the W. C. T. U. in its various departments. Mrs. Garner has been highly complimented by Dr. Durgin, of Hillsdale, and other well known lecturers in the state, and it is hoped that all will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing a good lecture.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The Sheep Breeders of Franklin elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Pres.—F. E. Bradley.
Vice Pres.—Burt Crittenden.
Sec.—E. L. Mills.
Treas.—W. S. Osborne.
Ex. Com.—Henry Wilson, William Osborn, A. W. Simmons, Otis Whelan, E. L. Mills.

It was resolved to hold the Annual Public Shearing on the 27th of April, 1883.

At a special meeting of School District No. 2, the following building committee was chosen: E. L. Mills, B. Hurry, W. S. Osborn, and these persons together with C. W. Luce, G. Poucher, Wm. Osborn, A. Wilson, Jr., B. VanNess, Daniel Preston, Wm. Fisher, David Burroughs and Wm. Herbison volunteered to haul each 1000 brick from Adrian free gratis.

THE FAIR MEETING.

Pursuant to call a meeting assembled at the Opera House on Friday evening last to consider the expediency of making an effort to hold the County Fair at Tecumseh next fall.—A goodly number was present. N. M. Sutton was called to the chair and L. P. Tribou was chosen secretary.

On motion a committee of six was chosen to canvas the matter in this section of the county and also to visit Adrian at the annual meeting of the County Agricultural Society to be held at Adrian on Friday the 26th.—This committee consisted of C. D. Bills, D. P. Anthony, James B. Colvin, Minor Davidson, A. D. Hall and W. B. Keyser.

Remarks were made by Messrs. Hall, Anthony, Bills and others. Mr. Bills made a statement of the terms on which he would lease his race track and grounds and construct the necessary buildings and grand stands.

The universal sentiment expressed was that Tecumseh must have a fair next fall. A letter was received by us on Friday from C. H. Dewey, Esq., of Cambridge, saying that the farmers of that town would join heartily in the movement. Upon conferring with farmers from other towns it was ascertained that they were uniformly in favor of the project.

The committee of six will visit Adrian to-morrow On Saturday, Feb. 3rd, at two o'clock in the afternoon, an adjourned meeting will be held at the Opera House in this village, at which time the committee will submit a report and such action will be taken as shall seem necessary. A special invitation is extended to the farmers of Northern Lenawee to attend the meeting.

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THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan 19, 1883.

Estate of Noyes A Darling deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing February 12, 1883.

Estate of Edmund S. Garner, deceased; executor's Bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John Gould, deceased; order to file testimony.

Estate of Isaac N. Camp, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order allowing time to pay debts.

Estate of Angeline Clark, deceased; appraisers' warrant and inventory.

Estate of Isaac L. Kniffin, deceased; order of continuance until January 29, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing February 15, 1883.

Estate of Betsey Westcott, deceased; order of continuance until January 29, 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Samuel J. Heath and Minnie S. Heath, minors; affidavit of publication; order for certified letters of guardianship; certified letters.

Estate of Maria E. Orcutt, deceased; affidavit of publication; petition for the appointment of commissioners; order for commission; order for continuance until January 29, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Erastus Brockway, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing February 12, 1883.

Estate of Mahlon Schomp, deceased; appraiser's warrant and inventory.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending January 20, 1883.

ADRIAN.

J D Kaiser and Johanna D Nufer to Jos. Nagle, land in city. $200.

C A Ackley to Joseph Hudson, land in city. $425.

BLISSFIELD.

Lydia L. Hawes to Jane M Slater. Land on sec. 32. $500.

DEERFIELD.

Philander Munson to Wm. Kedzie. Land on sec. 32. $1,100.

M. P. Henry to Frank Deitz. Land in village. $250.

DOVER.

Benj. M. Bording to John Forbes. Land on sec. 5. $4500.

FAIRFIELD.

Geo. C. Everett to M. Smith and N. Vanderwerker. Land on sec. 14. $5000.

Jerome Camp to David M. Holden. Land on sec. 6. $630.

HUDSON.

Geo. Deline to Frederick and Elizabeth Henning. Land on sec. 11. $2500.

MADISON.

Arthur R. Childs to Samuel L Gander. Land on sec. 14. $1800.

Joshua W. Thurber to Chas. D. Hinkley. Land on sec 31. $100.

OGDEN.

S. Z. Foster to Alonzo Brown.—Land on sec. 36. $400.

Alonzo Brown to David Brown. Land on sec. 36. $500.

PALMYRA.

Wm. H. Ranck to Jacob M. Dershaw. Land on sec. 12. $5000.

ROLLIN.

James Sanders to Jerry Harkness. Land on secs. 2 and 35. $1000.

Joseph H. Marks to Emmons H. Sluyter. Land on sec. 11. $300.

ROME.

John Forbes to Benj. M. Bordine. Land on secs. 31 and 32. $4200.

TECUMSEH.

E. D. Strang to Edmund Williamson. Land in village. $265.50.

John H. Dunbar to Francis P. Clough. Land in village. $375.

Thos. T. Kneeland to David H. Zeluff. Land in village. $1300.

WOODSTOCK.

J. V. Harkness to James Sanders. Land on sec. 36. $1,400

A $20.00 Biblical Reward

The publishers of Rutledge's Monthly offer twelve valuable rewards in their Monthly for February, among which is the following

We will give $20.00 in gold to the person telling us the middle verse in the Old Testament Scriptures by February 10th, 1883. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner February 15th, 1883. Parties trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the March Monthly, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published. This may be worth $20.00 to you; cut it out. Address Rutledge Publishing Company, Easton, Penna.

A few days ago word came to the justice of the peace at Sylvester, Mecosta county, that a woman had died under circumstances that called for an inquest. He thereupon summoned a jury of chief citizens and proceeded to the house. Arriving there he duly, solemnly and pompously called their names, administered the oath, etc., and then took up the line of march for the silent room. At the door the sister of the "deceased" met them with the remark, "She isn't dead yet!" A put up job by the boys with the sister's strange connivance.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

A $50,000 hotel is being finished at Alma, Gratiot county.

Ashland, Newago county, is shipping over 100 cords of tanbark daily.

A new banking institution is to be opened shortly at Charlotte, with Rudolph Buck at its head.

A man was found drunk at Manistique a few days ago, with eight bottles of whiskey in his pockets.

The Central company will build a depot at Niles in the spring similar to the one just built at Michigan City.

Rev. A. G. Hibbard becomes pastor of the congregational church at Stanton.

It is confidently asserted that a street railway will be built at Big Rapids in the spring.

A convention of the probate judges of the state will be held at Lansing February 8th and 9th.

John W. Clark, of Michigan, has been confirmed agent for the Indians of Colorado river agency, Arizona.

Rev. F. M. Elliot, of Indiana, has accepted the call of the Montague presbyterians at $1,000 salary and parsonage.

Aaron White's house burned at Birch Run, Saginaw county, a few days ago—the third time he has been burned out in 15 years.

New postoffices: Fergus, Saginaw county, John A. Spenger, postmaster; Rustic, Clinton county, Jerome Jenkins postmaster.

The lumbermen are now said to be wishing for less instead of more snow, a steady fall of 48 hours proving a little too much of a good thing.

The Holcombe saw and planing mill owned by James Henry, burned at St. Louis last Friday; loss $6,000, no insurance.

Of over 100 persons who organized the old settlers' association of the Gd. River valley 25 years ago, only 19 are now living.

Cadillac people report that the Cadillac & Evart railroad is a certainty, surveyors having been at work nearly all winter and decided on the best route.

Wm. Briggs, of Vermontville, while cutting logs in the woods seven miles north of Charlotte, Thursday, was struck by a falling limb and instantly killed.

A box marked T.P. Francis, Adrian, Mich., which had been at the depot at Buffalo, N. Y., some weeks was opened Friday and found to contain a human skeleton with dry flesh adhering to it.

It cost the Eaton and Barry county mutual insurance company $1,000 to attempt by lawsuit to avoid the payment of insurance due Oscar Cramptton, a member in Eaton county, but they had to pay it after all.

A seven-years-old son of Geo. Kirby broke through the ice at St. Ignace and was heroically rescued by one of his playmates named Fauts, who laid flat on the ice in several inches of water and pulled him out.

It's hard work for the saloons of Battle Creek to obey the law and close up at 9 o'clock, but as the city has a temperance mayor the law is strictly enforced and the justice's docket kept filled with cases against the liquor men.

The national furniture makers association, which closed its annual meeting at St. Louis on Thursday, changed its name to the western furniture manufacturers' association, and decided to hold the next convention at Grand Rapids in July.

It is expected that the new Grand Trunk shops at Battle Creek will be occupied some time next month. The buildings are all up and work about the yard, including the laying of 30,000 feet of side track, is nearly completed. A steam pile driver is now there at work on the new turn table.

Four masked robbers entered the house of a Mr. Smith, at Mosherville, Hillsdale county, last week, bound him, and robbed him of $200. They then stole his team and started for Albion, compelled a man named Woolson to change horses with them on the way, finally abandoned the team in Albion, and evidently skipped out on an early train.

Two or three nights ago a Bay City physician was called at midnight to go to Melbourne, eight miles distant. He promptly obeyed the summons, and having met the necessities of the case started on the return trip. After two or three hours' hard driving he found himself at the precise spot in Melbourne whence he started. A blinding snow storm, and the strange tendency of lost humanity to travel in a circle, caused the mishap.

Winter's Advent.

"Winter is coming," says the city belle,
As by the merry fire she sits to hear
The wind, that such a story seems to tell
Of woe and sadness with its moanings drear.
But little recks she; Winter only brings
To her new pleasures, balls and parties gay,
Velvets and furs, and other pretty things
On her his fairy hand to strew by the way.

"Winter is coming," says the poor old man,
As on his cane he leans, and sighs the while
Thro, as he walks, lays many a fertile plan
About his prosperous coaling-house or farm.
To make it more, lest he should chance to lose
Are large already, still he wishes more,
And of the paupers of the town he muses
While sitting idly by his shop door.

"Winter is coming," shouts the rosy child,
As the last leaf, the latest, leaves the trees wave
Its tinted form sparkling in the bright, frosty air.
[illegible]

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"Winter is coming," says the lonely man
Returning from the grave of one he loved
Looks on his world [illegible]
[illegible]
He has [illegible]
[illegible]
At [illegible]
Winter is coming, and the old man sighs
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A RED VELVET CAP.

[illegible] Maud snapped [illegible] Lester [illegible] Have [illegible] Paul Marshall [illegible]

"I have a night [illegible]" said Grey Lester [illegible] Have [illegible] Paul Marshall [illegible] I want [illegible]

"Maud!" said Grey, [illegible] as he was [illegible]

"Why, I never [illegible]

Maud [illegible] Grey [illegible] against the window [illegible] the earth, the cold air [illegible] the red velvet cap and brightened the brown eyes, dainty overflowing with wonder.

To be sure, what Grey Lester had said was true. She had loved her since she was a little child, but Maud was Judge Lee's eldest daughter, and Grey only a twenty-year-old lawyer of but three years' practice, under his father's kind help. They could never be more than friends, though Grey knew how dear the judge's child was to him, but Maud was a [illegible] soul and looked higher than Grey Lester.

"Well, I never," [illegible] slowly. "The same [illegible] made with Philip Marshall [illegible] to take from Lester [illegible] Well, if he [illegible] I wasn't going with Paul [illegible] to defy him! But [illegible] Grey. I guess I [illegible] right [illegible] Have [illegible] Maud [illegible] Paul Marshall is an [illegible] good [illegible]

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[illegible]

Paul Marshall [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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WIT AND HUMOR.

"I like your new hat very much," he said; "that feather's real chic." "No such thing," exclaimed she; "It's a real ostrich feather."

"Yes," said the father, "I like to have my daughter have a beau, on the score of economy. If she didn't, some of the other members of the family would occupy the parlor and burn gas."

"If," says the *Phrenological Journal*, "whistling will drive away the blues, why shouldn't the girls whistle?" Pshaw! if they did, the puppies would run after them more than ever.

Peter Baumgartner, a St. Louis saloonist, makes oath that he is a son-in-law of Napoleon Bonaparte. Does anybody remember of any of the Bonaparte girls marrying Baumgartner?

Greek recitation—Embarrassed professor (prompting)—"Now, then, Elpas—" Somnolent soph (remembering last night's studies)—"I make it next." He goes it alone before the faculty.

Professor Tyndall asserts that if a player on an accordeon happens to strike the right chord, he can render a listener temporarily insane. Tyndall didn't need to be a great scientist in order to know that.

A great Irish orator and wit was asked what an Irish friend of his, who had just arrived in London, could mean by perpetually putting out his tongue. "I suppose he's trying to catch the English accent," said the wit.

Elizabeth Cady Stanton advises billiards for girls of the period. If a girl handles a billiard cue as dextrously as she throws a stone, the man four feet to the left of her is likely to have an eye poked out.

A Florida man killed a rattlesnake by throwing a glass of whisky in its face. It wasn't the effect of the liquor that caused the reptile's death, but it was the horror of the man's reckless extravagance.

The owner of a small dry-goods store in St. Louis says that the amount of his annual sales has not varied 75 cents in thirteen years. A stranger ought to drop in and buy a bale of cotton and scare him to death.

"Detrain" is a new word in use in England. When a body of soldiers alight from railway cars they "detrain." Pretty soon the papers will room with "tidenessses," "decumbituses," "detracks," "deanatomies" and so forth.

The girls have discovered that the vitiated breaths of habitual cigarette smokers prevent them from waltzing well.—*Atlanta Constitution.* In this part of the country the girls waltz on their own legs and are not dependent upon the attenuated extremities of smokers of any kind.

An aged peasant learns that the village doctor, to whom he had advanced some small sums, has just passed away leaving nothing but debts. "There!" said he to his wife, with a delightful chuckle, "if I hadn't had the good luck to have that fit of rheumatism two months ago, where would my money be?"

They had met "by chance" on a railroad train. "Oh, how I wish I knew you in the summer, when I had my yacht," he murmured, looking seaward. And the fair being at his side felt drawn toward him, she little knowing that he worked in a drug store at $7 per week, and that he still owed a quarter for the use of a row-boat at the beach.

A young author was telling of his woes with regard to a book. Said he: "I gave it to one publisher to read, and he accepted it and said he would publish it. But three days later he committed suicide. Then I showed it to another publisher. He agreed to publish it, and the next week took all his partner's money and fled to Europe. And then—what the blazes are you laughing at?"

A witty nobleman once asked a clerical gentleman at the bottom of the table why the goose, when there was one, was always placed next to the parson. "Really, my lord," said the clergyman, "your question is somewhat difficult to answer, and so remarkably odd, that I vow I shall never see a goose again without being reminded of your lordship."

A Harlem small boy, whose soul was filled with visions of future greatness and whose memory was stored with scenes in which dogs had gone mad from the addition of artificial extensions to their tails, tried the experiment of tying a tin can to the most subsequent department of a goat. The animal looked gratefully upon the eager lad, and then slowly and solemnly devoured the can. The boy will henceforth lead a blighted life.

"Then you are thinking of building a residence next season?" suggested Flub to one of our heavy pockets. "Yes, I thought I should get up something in that line." "What style of architecture—Gothic, or Doric, or Corinthian, or——?" "Oh, a little of everything. My wife inclines to the Mary Ann style; but I guess I'll put up a genuine Betsy Jane cottage, with a pizarro all around it. That'll suit me well enough."

"Why didn't you deliver that message as I gave it to you?" asked a gentleman of his stupid servant. "I did the best I could, boss." "You did the best you could, did you?" imitating his voice and look. "So you did the best you could. If I had known that I was sending a donkey I would have gone myself."

It was but a simple pin, *Puck* says, on a chair, and the little boy did grin like a bear when the teacher took a seat, and in a manner very fleet flew a half a hundred feet in the air. This the teacher doth annoy, and he chants, and no pardon to the boy quick he grants. But he grabs the indiscreet little boy and him doth beat till he rather spoils the seat of his "pants."

A martinet of a sergeant turns up unexpectedly to call out a fatigue party. Only one soldier answers to the summons with promptitude. "Confound it all to confusion!" yells the irritated officer. "What in the name of a hundred thousand devils do you mean by turning out alone, sir, when I called out the whole squad? Forty-eight hours in the black hole! That'll teach you to be the only man to turn out!"

SORGHUM SUGAR AT LAST.

Colman's Rural World, which has so long advocated a sorghum culture as an industry with a great future, grows thus exuberant in its remarks on the manufacture of sugar from sorghum in Campaign, Ill.

"The problem whether sugar can be made from sorghum remuneratively has been solved. It is no longer a debatable question. The Campaign (Ill.) Sugar Works answer the question every day, every hour. They turn out batch after batch of sugar from sorghum with precisely the same certainty that the Southern planter does from the ribbon cane. If any one is at all skeptical in regard to this statement, he has only to visit Campaign, Ill., to have that skepticism removed. He will see some thirty barrels of nice sugar turned out daily, fully equal to the New Orleans, selling by the barrel at the sugar works at 8½ cents per pound. There is no sorghum flavor nor gummy character about the sugar. It will sell in any market with the New Orleans sugar, bringing the same price and giving the same satisfaction. And all this success has been obtained in the most unfavorable season that we have had for cane for many years.

"This industry will be of great national advantage. It will make our own sugar and keep our money at home, instead of sending it abroad to the amount of about one hundred millions annually. Our farmers are running too much to wheat. There is a need of some other crop to occupy their attention, the product of which can be shipped abroad, and sugar will be that product. It is not an exhaustive crop to land, like wheat; but draws its substance largely from the atmosphere—the ashy portion of its constituents being exceedingly light. It puts the soil in excellent condition for other crops, and if fertilizers are to be used at all on the farm, they can on no other crop be used to as great advantage—especially the phosphates, as they not only largely increase the yield of cane, but hasten its early maturity wonderfully, and yet consume but little, leaving it in the soil for other crops."

Col. Norman J. Colman, president of the Mississippi Valley Cane-Growers' Association, has just returned from Campaign, Ill., enthusiastic over successful results in sugar-making from the sorghum. He exhibited specimens of the sugar to a Globe-Democrat reporter and said:

"The Campaign institution is turning out thirty barrels of sugar a day, which sells at eight and one-half cents a pound at the works. And all this success has been obtained in the most unfavorable season that we have had for cane for many years. Indeed so unpropitious was the season that Profs. Weber and Scovell did not expect to make sugar at all and told the stockholders of the company so. They knew they could make syrup; but the juice fell so much below that of last year in sucrose that they had no expectation of obtaining sugar in paying quantities. The first batch that was made the stockholders were present and wore long faces. It was at night and there was but little expectation of any sugar being made. The result was awaited with great anxiety. At length the test came, and to the astonishment of all, out came the crystalized fluid even before cooling. There was then a regular jubilee. Here were new works, costing $25,000, that had not been erected without considerable difficulty. It was an experiment to settle the question whether sugar could be made in the North, as well as in the South, in such quantity as to make it pay. The season had been exceedingly unpropitious for the growth of cane. The latitude was Northern Illinois and the planting was on the level prairie. The spring had been very cold and wet and seed lay in the ground a month or more without germinating. Seed planted on the 22d of June matured its cane as early as that planted a month or six weeks before. The rainfall throughout the three summer months in the vicinity of Campaign was eighteen inches, while in usual seasons it has not been half that, and the sorgo crop needs but little rain and revels in drought. The mean temperature during the same months was six to eight degrees lower than usual, while hot weather is needed to develop the greatest amount of saccharine. And yet, notwithstanding all these unfavorable circumstances, on the very first trial, before the seed was fairly ripe, the company were in possession of several thousand pounds of most excellent sugar, and from that time to this there has not been a single failure in obtaining sugar, at least 40 per cent. of the entire amount of syrup crystallizing, and the balance, of course, making a number one article of molasses, commanding fully the prices of the New Orleans commodity."

"To what do you attribute the success, after so many failures to produce sugar in profitable quantities?"

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New Illuminating Gases.

The *Iron Age* gives a brief sketch of the newly-invented illuminating gas, which is now being made in Liverpool and called metallic gas. It is estimated that the labor of three men will by this process produce as much gas as the labor of one thousand men by the old methods and the new gas when produced has six times the luminosity of the old, present, sort. The new gas is dry, odorless, and not affected by cold.—It can be carried any distance in pipes without condensing, and is as good months after it is made as when it is fresh. The light is white, like the electric light. In this connection may be mentioned a new gas whose company in New York state, has been organized to manufacture. The New York company's product is the result of the decomposition of lime. The operation, it is said, produces almost pure hydrogen, which, being carbureted, results in a gas of between thirty and fifty candle-power. The process, which was discovered by a French chemist, and improved by a Tonsh one, is said to be economical, and it is expected that the gas will supersede coal for running engines, and possibly in domestic heating and cookery. It is made without coal oil being used in its preparation.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN 25, 1883.

Ferry stock has taken a tumble.

This is a ferry cold week in Thomas W's neighborhood.

Vennor is putting in some of his best licks this week.

Blizzard is no name for it. It was a genuine Arctic cyclone.

The mercury in Ferry's thermometer has struck zero and the tendency is still downward.

Dr. Howell, of this district, an original Ferry man, has deserted the Ferry standard. A wise decision.

A meeting was held at Jackson last evening to organize a free trade league. Every county in the state will have such a league within six months.

The theological controversy has received a new twist in Boston, as the ministers no longer take their texts from the Bible, but from Gov. Butler's message.

Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska and Colorado are all enjoying the luxury of a legislative dead-lock on the senatorial question. Bitter and lengthy contests may result in all four of these states.

The cold wave which struck this latitude Sunday last extended over the entire north and northwest. It was particularly severe in all the states bordering on the great lakes, and the lake cities were frozen up worse than at any previous time this winter. It was probably the back-bone of the present winter.

The Western Union Telegraph Company with a great flourish reduces its rates in the New England states from 40 and 50 cents per message to 25 cts. In other words it confesses that the former rates have been exorbitant, and it will now do the public the favor of charging only twice what the service is worth instead of four times as formerly.

The Evening News has been keeping pretty close track and finds "that as Gov. Begole's suggestion that the executive of the state be called "principal servant," the Boston Herald thinks "first hired man" would be better, and the New York Evening Post proposes "principal help." How would "foreman of the ranch" sound, or "chief cook and bottle washer"?

The Chicago Tribune gives a little homely truth on the protection question in these sensible words:

To take off the tax on delirium tremens and put an extra duty on farmers' plows; to put nicotine on the free list and take quinine off, to make cigarettes cheap for school boys and girls and books dear for scholars; to "protect" distilleries and destroy shipyards—that is what Pennsylvania offers us as the protection of American industry and revenue reform.

January, 1883, will be memorable as a month of disasters. Scarcely a day has passed since New Years that has not chronicled some awful calamity by fire or flood on land or sea. Fires, explosions, railroad smash-ups, steamship collisions, storms and floods have followed each other in daily succession until one almost holds his breath as he reads the daily tale of horror and asks "Will my turn come next?"

Legislative proceedings are becoming rather stale. Nothing is doing save the introduction of a few bills or resolutions each day and the daily repetition of the senatorial farce. The Republican majority owe it to their own party, to say nothing about the public welfare, to cease their quarrels and unite on a good man. If they have no one in their own ranks in whom they have any confidence, then let them vote for Byron G. Stout, and make his election unanimous.

Sour grapes. The Democratic organ of Adrian is "all torn up" over Gov. Begole's appointments. Adrian has secured two appointments—Mayor Corbin as Trustee of the Reform School and E. J. Smith as Oil Inspector. Could either of them be bettered? Every man who is not an office-seeker will answer "No." And upon looking over the entire list of appointments, throughout the state, we find them all equally fitting and unexceptionable. Democrats, Greenbackers and Republicans are all represented in the list, and every appointee is well fitted for the place assigned him.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

A Two-Line Sermon of The Day.

Cincinnati Enquirer: Always pray before retiring, particularly in a hotel.

The Irish Question Boiled Down.

Boston Star: England's Irish policy—Crowd 'em down. Ireland's English policy—Blow 'em up.

Congressional Comfort.

Philadelphia Times, Ind.: What grim comfort it would be to about half the Republican members of Congress if they had dead-locked the organization of the House and lost the key. Anything would have been better than Keifer.

A Bee Line for Tall Timber.

Mobile Register, Dem.: Ben Butler want to be President. If Butler runs as the candidate of one party and Sheridan of the other the voters of the country won't care about traveling miles and pointed out to them but will feel like taking to the woods.

Just What Suits Us.

New York World, Dem.: The Republicans are hilarious over the economical disposition of Governors Butler and Pattison. So are the people who pay the taxes. Governors and officials who hesitate to spend the public money without good reason shown are exactly what these United States have for some time been in need of, and for cause.

Not an Unnatural Mistake.

Texas Siftings: An Austin gentleman who travels a great deal, recently brought home as a simple sample of the hard, black biscuits that are put on the tables at the eating stations along the railroads. The morning after his return he heard a great bullabaloo in the yard. He went out and discovered that his children had put a live coal on its back. They thought it was a turtle.

Oh, How Gushing.

Cincinnati Star: How forcibly do the illustrations which now decorate shop windows impress upon the mind of the young, and of the tender, and of the spooney, that St. Valentine's Day is rolling around! Punctured hearts, from which trickles blood as red as lithographer's ink can make it; cupids as reckless in respect to costume as the pickaninnies of Florida, and the same old billing doves that have inspired the soft hearts of lovers for years and years. Art may suggest improvements in the printing of valentines, but art can not give us anything new in the way of love-sick sentiments or tender designs.

The Size of Stalwart Statesmanship.

Philadelphia Times, Ind.: The National Republican Committee succeeded admirably in getting out at the same hole they went in. After delaying the report and decision they were required to make more than a year beyond the time allotted by the convention of 1880, they have at last met and decided that the world hasn't moved and that all things remain as they were. Territories which can't furnish a single electoral vote are to be represented according to population, and states hopelessly Democratic are to be allowed sufficient representation to nominate a candidate entirely unacceptable to the Republicans of the states which must furnish the votes if he is elected at all.

The Machine Still Hangs On.

Cincinnati Commercial, Rep.: The Republican National Committee, assembled at Washington yesterday resolved to do nothing to change the basis of representation for the next Presidential Convention. The country should make no mistake as to the meaning of this. It is the opening of a new campaign by the aggressive minority, that has for some years assumed to have the exclusive right to speak for the Republicanism of the nation. It means that this minority hold that, having command of the solid southern, and the greater part of the Territorial vote, they can obtain enough Northern votes from Democratic cities and states to make the next Presidential nomination irrespective of the voting millions of Republicans. Of course the scheme will fail. The great Republican states must make the nomination or it will not be worth making. The sooner this is thoroughly understood the better.

Eighteen Karat Bliss.

Chicago Tribune: "Florence, darling, there is one more question I would like to ask you."

The speaker was Reginald Shafton McCafferty, and he adored Florence with the fierce ardor of the tramp for a lime-kiln.

"Say on," she replied, "the feverish rapture of my love for you makes me as clay in your hands."

He called her his dear gazelle, revived the memory of the rapturous moment when they first met beneath the eaves of her father's woodshed, and then rapidly making a biographical sketch that brought their mutual history down to the present moment said:

On the last anniversary of your birthday your father made you a present of a new set of false teeth."

The fair girl turned to his a face, in which the spirit of candor shown like the rays of the rising sun on a ripened pumpkin, and answered:

"It is even so."

"Then," he continued, with increasing pathos, "tell me truly, was the plate made of eighteen karat gold or only twelve karat?"

"Eighteen," she exclaimed, opening her mouth wide enough for him to look in, "Eighteen, I swear it."

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It permits the manufacturer to go to Canada and Europe for cheap labor but refuses to allow the laborer to go to the same countries for cheap clothes.

It is the most iniquitous system of wholesale robbery ever devised by human ingenuity.

THE MAGAZINE OF AMERICAN HISTORY for January opens with a table of contents, brighter and fresher than ever before, presenting an answer through that learned scholar and antiquary, Dr. John Gilmary Shea, to what might appear at first as a singular question, "Where are the remains of Columbus?" A painstaking and diligent Virginia writer, Alexander Brown, sketches the noble career of Lord De La Warr, and exhibits in his true relation to Virginia, of which he was the founder. Prof. Adams concludes his bright, strong and original discussion, "Plymouth Rock Restored," in which the founders of Plym'th appear in a new, fresh and true light. An examination of this number will convince the most critical that the Magazine is able to meet the demands of historical and general readers of the day; and all persons who desire to see important historical questions treated with candor, ability and fullness of knowledge, should make the Magazine a part of their literary furnishings. The Magazine is conducted in a broad, national spirit, aiming to do justice to all parts of the country, and now begins afresh with the hearty endorsement of many of the best scholars and students of American History. A. S. Barnes & Co., of New York are the publishers.

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SOME BAD EFFECTS OF OVERWORK.

What I have seen and heard during my stay among you has forced on me the belief that this slow change from habitual inertness to persistent activity has reached an extreme from which there must begin a counter-change—a reaction. Everywhere I have been struck with the number of faces which told in strong lines of the burdens that had to be borne. I have been struck, too, with the large proportion of gray-haired men; and inquiries have brought out the fact that with you the hair commonly begins to turn some ten years earlier than with us. Moreover, in every circle I have met men who had themselves suffered from nervous collapse due to stress of business, or named friends who had either killed themselves by overwork, or had been permanently incapacitated, or had wasted long periods in endeavors to recover health. I do but echo the opinion of all the observant persons I have spoken to, that immense injury is being done by this high-pressure life—the physique is being undermined. That subtle thinker and poet whome you have lately had to mourn, Emerson, says, in his essay on the gentleman, that the first requisite is that he shall be a good animal. The requisite is a general one—it extends to the man, to the father, to the citizen. We hear a great deal about "the vile body," and many are encouraged by the phrase to transgress the laws of health. But Nature quietly suppresses those who treat thus disrespectfully one of her highest products, and leaves the world to be peopled by the descendants of those who are not so foolish.—From "The Gospel of Recreation," by Herbert Spencer, in Popular Science Monthly for January.

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ESTATE OF JAMES EAST.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 18th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James East, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred J. Lewis, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jan25

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HOWELL, MICH.

Monday night the freight train was stuck here in the village for some two hours before being able to pull out.

Miss Lelia McIntire, of Toledo, who is visiting friends in town, narrowly escaped an accident by a cutter last Saturday.

Miss White, of Hancock, this state, is visiting Miss Jennie Root for a few days, and Miss Root gives a party for her this evening.

Prof. B. Mincer, the celebrated optician, will be at Sink's Hotel on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, and at Clinton on the following Thursday. Read his announcement on the second page.

The gospel meetings at the Methodist church, in spite of the cold weather, have been largely attended, and with considerable interest, and will be continued next week. Rev. A. W. Wilson of Franklin, will preach on Tuesday evening.

The Seventh Grade having organized themselves into a society, the object of which is social improvement and refurnishing their schoolroom, request the presence of your company at a phantom auction social at the residence of Mr. J. Potter, Sr., Saturday, Jan. 27, at 7 o'clock. Refreshments 10:30, tickets 15 cts. Fish ponds, fortune telling and confectionery stands in charge of com. All ladies are invited to mask as phantoms. Auction promptly at eight. Entertainment closes at 10:30.

Dr. B. F. Snyder has bought out Dr. Stewart, and taken possession of his dental rooms over Strong & McNair's store. Dr. Snyder has resided in Hillsdale for several years past where he has enjoyed a good practice. The Standard of last week in commenting on his departure, says:

Dr. B. F. Snyder, of this city, departed for Tecumseh on Monday last, where he succeeds to the dental practice of Dr. H. L. Stewart, of that place. Frank is a thorough gentleman and a skillful operator, and while we regret that a larger field of practice lures him from our city, still we wish for him that unbounded success of which he is so eminently deserving.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 25, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

HERALD and Michigan Farmer for $2.60.

Shall Tecumseh have the fair next fall?

Frozen ears and noses are at a premium this week.

This weather is a little tough on the railroad graders.

Mr. Clark, of Monroeville, paid us a visit on Saturday last.

Joe Wooden's thermometer stood 30° below zero last Monday morning.

A committee of Homer business men is travelling about the country soliciting new manufactories.

The saw log business is booming along smartly in all directions. Lumber ought to be cheap next summer.

A card from Lavern Ide, dated at Ludington, on the 19th, says that the snow was three feet deep on the level there.

Carl Burton, of Chicago, gave us a call last Friday. He is looking well and reports everything lively in the big city.

We are indebted to Mr. John Richard, of Raisin, for the article on Sorghum Sugar Making that appears in another column.

The Brownville Social Club spent last Saturday evening at the residence of Wm. Bresie. It is useless to say they had a good time.

The Blissfield Advance man calls for "that wood on subscription." Yes, wood is a good thing to have in the house this kind of weather.

N. M. Sutton left to-day for his annual trip to Florida. He is accompanied by F. R. Stebbins, of Adrian, and S. D. Moore, of Raisin.

Wm. A. Parsons, of Connecticut, one of Tecumseh's former hardware merchants, is spending a few weeks among his Tecumseh friends.

The "Compound Oxygen" treatment is a new cure invented by Drs. Starkey & Palen, of Philadelphia. Its merits are set forth elsewhere.

Michigan will attain a population of two million before the close of the present year.—Adrian Record. That oil inspectorship is beginning to take hold, already.

Monday morning last Whitenack's thermometer stood at 17 degrees below zero. The general average was from 12 to 15 degrees below by most thermometers about the village.

Chas. S. Crane, of St. Louis, arrived home last Saturday, having been called here by the illness of his mother, Mrs. S. Crane. Charley is now chief clerk in the Wabash ticket department, at St. Louis.

On Tuesday, Feb. 6th, Messrs. Reynolds & Wilson will ship 3,000 head of ewes for Taylor, Williamson County, Texas. Having seen most of them we can safely say they are by far the finest lot of ewes ever shipped to the west from this place.

The china tea set which Mr. D. W. Clark offered to one of the purchasers of baking powder, was awarded last week to Mrs. Clinton Kelly, of Macon, she having drawn the lucky number which took the prize. The set is a valuable one, consisting of fifty pieces.

While in Detroit last week we called on Frank Smallidge and mother at 702 Jefferson Ave. Frank is very pleasantly situated, has got one of the best drug stores in Detroit, and with each and every day enjoys life and makes it pleasant for his mother and those who are around him.

The Ann Arbor Register comes to us this week enlarged to a six column quarto eight page sheet, cut and pasted, in genuine metropolitan style.—The paper is now owned wholly by Prof. Frothingham, and his determination seems to be to make the Register the best paper in Washtenaw county for the price. Success to him.

Tuesday night Co. C faced the cold weather and took a sleigh ride over to make Co. B. of Adrian, a visit, and the boys at this writing report a good time. They were splendidly received and entertained "as the kings" by the Adrian boys, enjoyed a good drill, partook of a good supper and only left for home fearing it would soon be to-morrow.

Last Saturday John Smyth received a postal card wishing information about one Dr. R. C. Pinkham, of Ionia county, who was roaming around the country in a semi-crazy condition. On Sunday Smyth found the chap, shadowed him, and on Monday his wife arrived in answer to Smyth's telegram to take him home. Pretty quick work.

We saw in a last week's Adrian Times a note in the Hudson items, that the L. S. & M. S. baggageman at that place handled during the year 1882 43,000 pieces of baggage. The figures looked a little large to us, and we found that at Tecumseh the baggageman handled 8,584 pieces during the year. By reference we find that the freight, passenger and telegraph business at our place is nearly one third greater during the year than those of Hudson, and it looks a little queer that the baggage handled there should be nearly five times greater.

Roller skating at the Opera House Saturday evening.

Dr. H. Peters, of Blissfield, is in town for a few days.

John G. Mason, of Adrian, gave us a flying call this morning.

No change in the senatorial situation at Lansing up to this morning.

Look out for fire. That is, keep a good fire in the stove but don't let it spread.

MRS. CAPT. METTLER and Miss Mattie Haight are visiting Mrs. A. L. Lawrence.

Miss Sadie Vennesdale, of Cheboygan, Mich., is visiting Miss Jennie Whitenack.

Rev. R. S. Pardington will preach next Sabbath evening on "The Things we cannot undo."

Elvin Hammons [illegible] day for school at Sandwich, Canada, where he will remain for some time.

Miss Mary Beihl and Miss Hannah Adler, of Adrian, were the guests of the Misses Smith a few days last week.

See notice of W. & S. W. Anderson in special column. They have an important announcement to their customers.

Rev. R. S. Pardington will deliver a lecture next Tuesday evening at Tipton before the literary society of that place.

THE ROLLER skating rink thus far has been a success, the more people skate the more they enjoy it. See the announcement elsewhere about the meetings and prices.

WE noticed a very nice piece of machine work, in shape of a Domestic Sewing Machine sign, in Spark's show window. It is machine braid work, old gold back ground, and red satin letters.

The Misses Hayden gave a pleasant party Tuesday evening to the younger married people of this place. A very pleasant time was enjoyed, which is a characteristic of the receptions in their spacious parlors.

H. BREWER & Co., have recently put in three new iron lathes of the improved pattern. The concern is now running full time by lighting up their shop with a new vapor torch procured expressly for the purpose.

The morning passenger train going west was thrown from the track yesterday morning at the Adrian depot, by a misplaced switch, the baggage car and two coaches being derailed. The cars were damaged somewhat, but fortunately no one was hurt.

SEND postal card, with name and address plainly written, to H. C. DAVIS, Ass't General Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manatoba R. R., St. Paul Minn., for full particulars and sectional map of North Dakota Country. See advertisement headed "320 Acres Free."

We gave Dr. Snyder, the dentist, a call this morning at his office over Strong & McNair's store. He has his rooms very nicely fitted up, repapered &c., and we trust our people will give him a call. The Doctor comes to our town well recommended as a workman and a gentleman.

E. G. Cook received a car load of horses from southern Ohio, near the Kentucky line, yesterday, and as near as we can judge, the stock is as fine as ever has been shipped to Lenawee co. Lon Mills, who always drives a good team, drove away one span yesterday afternoon. Mr. Cook has everything fitted up about his place to facilitate the dealing in horses, and he intends shipping in a number of car loads this season.

"Patience," at the opera house last evening was very fair. The young people rendered their parts as well as could be expected, and the audience was well pleased with the entertainment. The operetta in itself is not calculated to mean anything, but some of the airs are pretty and entertaining. "Over the Garden Wall," by T. H. Robie, was immense. To-night the company will play Olivette, and we understood this is the opera they are best in. Let our people give them a good house and they will be well entertained. The play is full of fun and sweet music.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Court convened yesterday morning, Judge Howell presiding.

The case of Russell, & Co. vs. Mary A. Klink was tried in the forenoon.

The case of Thos. Knight vs. Harry Whiting was stricken from the calendar.

In the afternoon the case of The Village of Tecumseh vs. Peter J. Van Fleet came on for trial. This case involves the title to the old cemetery lot in this village. The testimony of the plaintiff has been taken in part, and shows use of the premises by the village from an early day, and that since 1837 when the village was first incorporated, the land had been used and controlled by the corporation, and all its expenses paid by the village up to 1880, when it was taken possession of by the defendant. The case is one of much interest to our citizens, involving, as it does, the question whether an individual can take possession of one of the public squares of the village after 30 year's use, and after large expense has been incurred in fencing and ornamenting the grounds, and the village be remediless in the matter.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Sleighing is good all over the county.

There are now 109 telephones in the Adrian local exchange.

The Morenci chair factory has just put in a new lathe worth $800.

But little business was transacted in the Circuit Court last week.

Hudson will soon start a telephone exchange with about twenty subscribers.

Whitney & Co., of Hudson, have a wheelbarrow patent suit on their hands.

The plow shaft manufacturing company is to be removed from Hudson to Homer, Mich.

Ex-Sheriff Mason, of Adrian, has sold his [illegible] and Miles Wheeler.

Dave Silvers' corner store in Clinton looks desolate enough with the signs all taken down.

The saw mill at Deerfield has been compelled to shut down, caused by a break in the water wheel.

A forty acre timber lot located only three and one-half miles east of Adrian city is being cleared this winter.

Prof. Estabrook, of Olivet, has been presented with a purse of $25.00 for his labors in the late revival at Hudson.

C. F. Blivin, of Deerfield, has returned from a trip to Grayling. Snow was two and a half feet deep up there.

Young men hang around the hall of the Clinton school house and smoke during the sessions of the musical society.

The Hudson amateurs have been playing the "Ticket of Leave Man." They talk of visiting Tecumseh and Jonesville.

Additional machinery is being placed in Clark's brick and tile yards at Morenci, which will double its capacity next season.

The Adrian Record has secured a telegraph franchise and hereafter it will contain all the latest telegraphic news each day.

Morenci Observer: Failing to get office, we notice that our old friend Stearns has gone to braying and kicking at Gov. Begole with all the persistence of a Jerusalem mule.

Fitts Bros. established a fruit-drying factory at Blissfield last spring.—Factory ran 73 days, using 7,300 bushels of apples, the average price paid being 25 cents a bushel. Thirty-four operators were employed, and the cost of running the establishment reached $3,300.

Hudson Post: The Morenci stage took a sudden start Saturday afternoon at the depot while the driver was a moment away. They took in several streets north of the railroad, and unloaded the main part of the vehicle near the Comstock house ere their progress was stayed.

The Lenawee County Temperance Alliance, which met last week in Adrian, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: C. Quick, president; J. B. Tenbrook, secretary; J. C. Rowley, treasurer. The report also favored keeping the present vice-presidents in office for the following year.

Adrian will probably have an adequate water supply system at an early day. There are two plans proposed: One to let a private corporation put in the works under contract, the city to pay a yearly rental, and the other to have the city itself construct the works. The contract plan will probably be adopted.

Morenci Observer: The loss occasioned by the burning of Peleg Lee's cheese factory last week was probably not far from $3,000, and falls heavily on a very worthy and industrious citizen. It would be doing just the right thing if the patrons, who have been so greatly benefited by the concern, would put their hands in their pockets and aid Peleg in replacing the factory.

Hudson Post: A sleigh load of towns-people returning from a country dance one morning last week, in the wee sma' hours, were overturned at the corner of West Main and Grove sts.—Inhabitants thereabouts thought there had been an earthquake, or the injunction had been taken off the pavement and the whole thing had flew up, but the inevitable female scream reassured them and they settled back to slumbers sweet.

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING.

The best and most successful mills now days are the Roller Mills. The corrugated rolls make a whiter and a stronger flour than the mill stone. The rolls granulate the flour evenly and do not salve and destroy the life of a portion of it as is done by the old system. Hundreds have found this to be true by using Comfort's Roller Flour. Farmers go twenty, and even twenty five miles to Comfort's Roller Mills to exchange their good wheat for Comfort's Roller Flour. Comfort pays the very highest market price for good sound wheat. Grown and unsound wheat he does not want at any price. Cannot use it. The careful selection of sound wheat and the roller system of milling, with many other improvements which he has adopted, is what makes Comfort's flour so popular."

ANOTHER YEAR.

BY GEO. HENRY HOPKINS.

The embers are dying one by one
On the cold hearth-stone,
The last song has been sung,
The last prayer wrung
From the aching heart,
And we must part.

And as the scroll of '82
Glideth softly through
Our hands, we read its tale
With many a wail;
We only read,
Nor change a word.

It tells of pleasures forever gone
From the heart's hearthstone,
Of wrongs we've done or met,
Of many a regret
That came too late
To make things straight.

It tells of joys whose beginnings were
During one brief year,
And short-lived joys they too;
For scarcely one fresh dew
Lingered in their bloom
Ere they were dead.

There are faces bright we'll meet no more
Save on the shining shore;
And gentle fingers brushed away pain
That never will again;
There are loss to mourn,
When we are gone.

But still God's blessings crown the year
With their sweet cheer;
And the hand that divideth the day
Shall guide all the way
Up through the gloom,
To the shining home.

Tecumseh is bound to have a fair next fall, and don't you forget it.

The Hudson Gazette says that a gentle racket in that town costs fifty dollars or ninety days. No postponement on account of the weather.

John Ed. McCollum, formerly with Dave Silvers at Clinton, has opened a clothing store at Mason in company with C. J. Robison, of Manchester.

The "Robbers' Roost" Association of Adrian held their annual banquet last Thursday evening. Ex-Mayor Navin was not present, either in person or by proxy.

We desire to call attention to the advertisement in another column of D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich., the great seedsmen, whose mammoth establishment is one of the sights of the chief city of Michigan. They do the largest business in their trade in the United States, reaching even across the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.—Their annual Seed Catalogue just issued for 1883, replete with information and beautifully illustrated, will be sent free on application.

OUR CLUB OFFERS.

In lieu of the premiums heretofore offered to the patrons of the HERALD, we have concluded this year to give them the benefit directly of the money formerly expended in that direction. We have arranged special club rates with the three best newspapers of Michigan, and can offer better terms on these three papers than was ever before offered in this county. We will furnish them at these rates:

HERALD and Detroit Free Press...$2.25
HERALD and Post and Tribune... 2.25
HERALD and Michigan Farmer... 2.60

In addition to these special offers, we can take subscriptions for all publications in connection with the HERALD at reduced rates. Call at the HERALD counting room before sending for your papers for 1883.

The North American Review for February opens with a symposium in which six prominent theologians, representing as many religious denominations, give expression to their views upon the question of the "Revision of Creeds." Prof. Alexander Winchell, in an article entitled "The Experiment of Universal Suffrage," institutes a profound inquiry into the essential conditions of stable popular government, which he finds to be substantially virtue and intelligence; but these conditions, he maintains, are absolutely unattainable under our existing political system, where an electorate, either ignorant or vicious, or both, by the mere force of superior numbers, practically nullifies the suffrages of the better and wiser portion of the people, whose right to control the government of the commonwealth is grounded in the very nature of things. Bishop McQuaid writes of "The Decay of Protestantism," and in essaying to prove his thesis, makes a very adroit use of the admissions of protestant writers. "The Political Situation" is the joint title of two articles; the one by Horatio Seymour, the other by Geo. S. Boutwell, who offer their respective views upon the causes of the recent overthrow of the Republican party. An article by Dr. D. A. Sargent, on "Physical Education in Colleges," treats a subject of prime importance to the welfare of the youths in our higher educational institutions. Finally, there are two articles on "The Standard Oil Company," Senator Camden of West Virginia defending that corporation against its assailants, and John C. Welch setting forth the reasons for condemning it as a dangerous monopoly. Published at 30 Layfayette Place, New York.

DIED.

STOCKING—In Tecumseh, Sunday morning, Dec. 24th, 1882, Mrs. Chas. Stocking, sister of James McGillvrae, late of this place.

She was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church; faithful in discharging all the duties of her daily life. Tender and thoughtful in caring for her husband through the failing health and increasing feebleness that came upon him with declining years. Of her it is truly said: "She hath done what she could."

Jackson papers please copy.

PENNINGTON—In Macon, on Saturday Evening, January 6th, 1883, Mr. John Pennington, aged 69 years, 9 months and 3 days.

The deceased was a native of Perinton, Monroe County, N. Y. He was born on the 3d, of April, 1813. At the age of sixteen he left his native town, and came with his father's family to what was then the Territory of Michigan. The family located in the township of Raisin in 1829, but in the fall of the same year they took up their abode in the township of Macon, being the first settlers in that township. Mr. Pennington assisted to make the first clearing and to raise the first crops in Macon. Often in later life his mind would dwell with satisfaction on the experiences of these early days. The sharing of a log in "the forest primeval" were a frequent topic of conversation.

Ten years after taking up his residence here he was united in marriage to Mary Auletta Herriott, who was a faithful and affectionate companion and helpmeet to him until nearly three years ago, when "death did them part." The deep, deep sorrow caused by her loss and the pathetic yearning of the bereft husband for a re-union in another and better world—a sorrow and a yearning which time did not diminish, but increase—will not soon be forgotten by his acquaintances and friends.

During many years Mr. Pennington led a consistent Christian Life. On Feb. 9th, 1867, he became a member of the Reformed church of Macon village, and at the time of his death he had for some years held the office of Elder in said church. He also donated the land on which the house of worship belonging to the Reformed church, is built.

His last illness was attended with much suffering, which he bore with patience and resignation. The end was peace: God gave his beloved sleep.

Two sons and four daughters, together with a large circle of relatives, are left behind to mourn his departure and to profit by his counsels and example.

The funeral services on the 9th inst., at the family residence were attended by a large number of people. The pastor of the deceased, Rev. J. A. De Spelder, preached the funeral discourse from Heb. 11:13,14.

PENNINGTON—On Wednesday, the 17th of January, 1883, Israel Pennington died at his home in Macon, being exactly of the age of 74 years and 2 months.

Like his brother, mentioned in the obituary notice above, the deceased was born in Perinton, Monroe County, N. Y. He also accompanied his father to Michigan in 1829, sharing the hard labor which, after a brief sojourn in Raisin, procured for the family the first home and the first farm ever settled in Macon township. The next year he bought 240 acres of land (of which however he did not long retain possession) in Dover, which is said to have been the first land taken up in that township. The "History of Lenawee County" states that three years after settling in Michigan Mr. Pennington returned to visit his former New York home, taking passage at Detroit in the steamer "Washington." They encountered a severe storm which wrecked the boat on the Canada shore, but the lives of all the passengers but one were saved. Three years later he again visited the east, stopping at all the prominent cities and remaining for some time at Washington, where he attended daily the sessions of both houses of Congress, and where he saw President Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay, Daniel Webster and other noted men.

Israel Pennington was the first postmaster of Macon, being appointed in 1837, and holding the office twenty five years. In other relations he has also faithfully served his fellowmen and gained their high esteem. He was a delegate to the first Free Soil convention and also to the first Republican convention held in Lenawee County. At many subsequent County conventions and at the State conventions of 1878 and 1880 he was present as a delegate.

He was a benevolent man; a desire to befriend his fellow men or to help them on toward better and happier lives, was a marked element in his character. His benefactions to the poor are held in grateful remembrance. He was a friend of the slave, pleading his cause during the days of oppression and tyranny; and when in recent years the refugees to Kansas were reported to be in distress, the spirit of former days awoke within him, and caused him to arouse the whole community to the relief of those destitute exiles from the South. From first to last he was a thorough temperance man, becoming a member of the first temperance organization in the county; and he also strove to enjoin temperance on others, as well by precept as example.

In 1841 he helped to organize a local society, of which it was a "fundamental principal," (as the records of that year declare) "that all its members shall entirely abstain from the use of intoxicating liquors." As chairman of the executive committee of this society, appears the name of Israel Pennington. Besides he was an ardent lover of nature. The first nursery of the county was set out by him, and to this it was his delight to give attention and labor. During fifteen years he was a director of the County Agricultural Society, and in 1879 attended the American Pomological Convention at Rochester, N. Y., as a delegate. Best of all he was a christian. A devoted member of the Society of Friends, he was also in full sympathy of all true children of God, of whatever ecclesiastical name.

On June 26, 1844, he was married to Mrs. Hannah Dennis, who after many years of pleasant companionship, survives him. Four children of his own, together with Hamilton and Frank Dennis, to whom he has been as a father, live to cherish his memory, grateful amid their sadness.

For the touch of a vanished hand
And a sound of a voice that is still.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church. At the request of the deceased, Rev. Richard Harkness, of Raisin, and Rev. J. A. De Spelder, of Macon, conducted the exercises. Rev. Jos. Stanley, of Ohio, who was present, also took part in the services.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD

TRAINS GOING SOUTH

STATIONS	No. 19 Mail	No. 21 Express	No. 23 Mail	No. 25 Express
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	8 [illegible] A.M.	[illegible] P.M.	[illegible] P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	9 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Norvell	7 16 "	9 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Moscow	7 30 "	9 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Clinton	7 47 "	9 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	9 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Adrian	8 30 "	10 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Deerfield	10 50 "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Weston	9 50 "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "

TRAINS GOING NORTH

STATIONS	No. 18 Mail	No. 20 Express	No. 22 Mail	No. 24 Express
Toledo	8 20 A.M.	8 [illegible] A.M.	[illegible] P.M.	[illegible] P.M.
Deerfield	10 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Adrian	11 40 "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Weston	11 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Tecumseh	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Clinton	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Macon	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Norvell	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Napoleon	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "
Jackson	1 [illegible] "	2 [illegible] "	[illegible] "	[illegible] "

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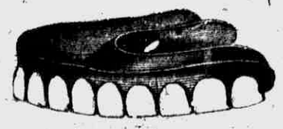

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Shelby M. Cullom was elected senator from Illinois by 12 majority over John M. Palmer.

J. M. House, a Chicago newsdealer, was sent to the county jail for six months for selling obscene photographs.

Lady Dixie declines a testimonial in acknowledgment of her services in relieving distress in Ireland.

George Darwin, a son of the evolutionist, has been elected professor of astronomy at Cambridge university.

Over $30,000 has been subscribed at Providence for an equestrian statue of General Burnside.

The legislature of North Carolina elected Matt W. Ransom United states senator.

Herr Most had an audience of less than two hundred workingmen in Cleveland, and breathed no fire from his nostrils.

The West Shore railroad has finished the long tunnel under the track of the Erie road at Newburgh.

A Toronto dispatch reports that influenza.

George Lorillard, of New York, and Miss La Farge were married at St. Augustine, Florida.

In the Illinois house, Thursday, a resolution was adopted that the railroad and warehouse commissioners inquire into the complaints in regard to the inspection of corn at Chicago.

A fire in Tweddle hall block in Albany, which contained an opera-house, a bank, and ten stores, caused a loss of $300,000. Erastus Corning's residence was saved by the determined efforts of citizens.

A number of St. Louis merchants formally presented Fire marshal Sexton with a handsome driving-whip, to replace one worn out on a fellow who insulted ladies in the street.

There were eleven shocks of earthquake Tuesday in the town of Archena, Spain, and mass was said in the fields because the church was considered unsafe.

Miss Isherwood, whose father is chief engineer of the United States navy, was thrown to the ground in the Murray hill quarter of New York, in daylight, and robbed of a pocket-book and earrings.

Under the provisions of an old treaty with the Miami tribe, the commissioner of the land-office has issued a patent to the heirs of an Indian for 3,200 acres of valuable land located twenty miles west of Fort Wayne.

The children and grandchildren of the late Humphrey Griffith, of Indianapolis, are the only heirs to the fortune of Hugh M. Griffith, who died in London last week, leaving an estate valued at $2,000,000.

The New York court of appeals has affirmed the conviction of Joseph Bork, formerly city treasurer of Buffalo, who embezzled nearly $100,000. He has been rearrested, and sentence will be asked at the next term of court.

The Quincy house, one of the largest hotels in Quincy, Illinois, took fire at breakfast time Friday, and the upper stories were burned away. Over one hundred persons were hurried out of the building. The loss is about $45,000.

The stock of goods belonging to the Cooperative Dress association, of New York, was sold to a mercantile firm for $[illegible], that being 55 per cent. of the cost. The receiver expects to declare a dividend of 50 per cent.

In the suit brought in a Chicago court by John D. Weber to recover $25,000 damages from Colonel Abner Taylor for the seduction of his wife, the jury assessed the damages at one cent.

Trains at nine hundred stations in Iowa will be affected by a decision of the railway commissioners of that state against discrimination in favor of Webster City on lumber freights by the Illinois Central road.

The machine-shop and pattern-rooms of the Great Western Manufacturing company at Leavenworth were burned Saturday, causing a loss of $75,000. The workmen thrown out of employment number 300.

John M. Forbes, of New York, for the past twenty-two years treasurer of the artists' fund, is a defaulter for $5,000. As he is 60 years of age and has two maiden sisters to support, he will not be prosecuted.

The death is announced of Prince Frederick Charles Alexander, a brother of the emperor of Germany, at the age of 82. The silver wedding festivities of the crown prince have in consequence been abandoned.

Thomas Waldron, of Buffalo, director of the Brothers' college, has been indicted for violating the person of a girl of 7 years, named Hattie Carr. The friends of the accused claim that for some time his mind has been affected.

Elihu Palmer, a St. Louis printer, having met his wife on Tenth street, dragged her into an alley, shot her in the neck, and then killed himself. He claimed that she had become an inmate of a brothel. He was a nephew of General John M. Palmer.

Reports from the agricultural regions of Nebraska are to the effect that the corn bins are loaded and the farmers are mortgaging their lands to carry the crop to 30 cents per bushel, paying 2 to 4 per cent. per month interest at the banks.

The Milwaukee chamber of commerce on Friday presented Herman E. Strauss, the hero of the Newhall house fire, a watch and chain valued at $350, and the ladies whom he rescued gave him a locket with pictures of eleven women and one child.

Nicholas Felix, an inmate of a charitable institution at Allegheny City, commenced last July to starve to death, and completed his labors Tuesday. Small quantities of milk and whisky have been regularly forced down his throat.

Zerelda Garrison has been taken east by her uncle, to be treated at an asylum for nervous diseases. Two physicians of St. Louis publish a card stating that defects in the development of her faculties make her at all times irresponsible for her actions.

At Brooklyn, Missouri, Mike Vanderberg and Mat Woodstock settled a quarrel by a duel with shot guns, at twenty paces. The former lost both eyes and received fatal injuries; the latter was quite well perforated in the breast, cheek, and neck.

It is said that H. B. Payne and Amasa Stone, of Cleveland, resigned from the directory of the Lake Shore road because Vanderbilt forced the issue of about $7,000,000 in bonds to pay for the Nickel-Plate stock he purchased.

The supreme court of Iowa has declared invalid the prohibitory amendment to the constitution, on the ground that the journal of the house does not show that the amendment was passed, and also that it varied in form and substance from the measure adopted in the senate.

Clay Sexton, chief of the fire department of St. Louis, detected a fellow insulting ladies on Olive street, Monday evening. He sprang from his buggy and belabored the masher for ten minutes with a heavy whip, attracting an immense crowd.

Bishop Talbot, of the Episcopal diocese of Indiana, died of paralysis, at Indianapolis, Monday night. He was forced to give up active work last October. He was a native of Virginia, and for several years was a banker and merchant at Louisville.

Something of a boom in wheat and corn has been started on the Chicago board of trade, due to manipulation. Corn is said to be under the control of a strong bull clique, which is likely to extend its operations to wheat. The advance in these cereals Wednesday was quite different.

The supreme court of Rhode Island has ordered Trustee Chaffee to divide among the holders of trust notes of the Sprague estate the funds now on hand, and is the first payment for eight years. C. B. Farnsworth has been appointed receiver of the Quidneck company.

The old officers of the Tidewater pipeline at Titusville, Pennsylvania, backed by James Keene, held the fort by barricading the doors. Judge Church, at Meadville, temporarily enjoined the new board from assuming control. The fight involves about $500,000.

The steamship Cimbria, which was run down by the Sultan off the island of Borkum, had 23 cabin passengers, 362 steerage passengers, and a crew of 92. One small boat landed at Cuxhaven with 20 persons and 17 others reached Weser light-house. Six steamers are out in search of the missing boats.

In the suit brought by Chief Engineer Melville for the custody of his children a trial has for some days been in progress at Meadville, Pennsylvania. The judge gave the two younger children to their mother, and directed that the two elder be sent to college at the expense of the father.

The wife of a wealthy resident of Lexington avenue, New York, named Edward J. Woolsey, is about to ask for divorce. She was recently forced by a black eye to postpone a reception to her lady friends, and a severe beating last Monday caused her to consult an attorney.

Frank Rose, a river pilot of Louisville, died at Mobile, whose his remains were placed in a costly casket and shipped home by express, with a C. O. D. bill of $131. A relative sued out a writ of delivery, armed with which a constable took the corpse from its elaborate receptacle and gave it to friends for burial, leaving the express company to return the casket.

The republican national committee met in Washington Wednesday. John A. Martin, of Kansas, was elected secretary in place of S. W. Dorsey. After prolonged debate it was resolved that the basis of representation in national conventions be two delegates for each senator, the same for every member of congress, and two for each territory and the District of Columbia.

The New York and Boston Inland railway, which has obtained a charter in Massachusetts, intends to build a double track of steel in an air-line, thirty-five miles shorter than by any other route, at a cost of $25,000,000, and run trains in four hours. It is positively stated that $18,000,000 in English capital is behind the scheme, and that work will be speedily commenced.

A. B. Cunningham, a St. Louis journalist, having been called a liar by Freddie Gebhard, sent a challenge to the latter to fight him in Indian Territory. Gebhard had written an acceptance when Mrs. Langtry came upon the scene and induced her friend to halt. Cunningham was a cavalryman in the confederate service, and is a dead-shot with the pistol.

George Schelier, proprietor of the bar in the Newhall house, has been arrested on a warrant for firing that building, and was placed in jail for fear of lynching. The chief engineer of the hotel, William Linehan, has located the source of the fire close to the bar-room. Schelier was removed from the jail to the house of correction Tuesday night, and then taken by special train to Waukesha to avert a lynching.

Nelson Ludington, a venerable citizen of Chicago, passed away Monday morning. He was a native of New York, but in 1814 went to Milwaukee and founded a mercantile house and a lumber company. For the past thirty years he has resided in Chicago, having of late been president of the Fifth National bank, and ranked among the millionaires. He leaves a widow and two married daughters.

A manifesto issued by Prince Jerome Napoleon was placarded in several quarters of Paris. He claims the throne, and dwells on the impotence of the government and the decadence of the army and of the public credit. The prince was arrested Tuesday afternoon, and the manifesto was torn down by the police. The matter was discussed with spirit in the chamber of deputies, where the arrest was approved by a large majority.

In the police court at Dublin, twenty-one persons were arraigned on charge of conspiracy to murder officials. One man swore that Carey, a member of the municipality, was present at a Fenian meeting held to arrange for assassinations. A man named Farrell testified that he was given a revolver to stop Secretary Forster's carriage, others being assigned to do the remainder of the work. The court held all the prisoners for a week.

Nobody will be surprised to learn that a railway blockade exists over a large portion of the northwest, but the statement that all trains entering Houston, Texas, are covered with snow gives some idea of the magnitude of the storm. An Italian was frozen to death in attempting to walk a few miles to a station near Victoria, and it is feared that large numbers of Texas cattle will perish for lack of food. The ponds in Nevada are frozen solid, and live stock have no place to quench their thirst.

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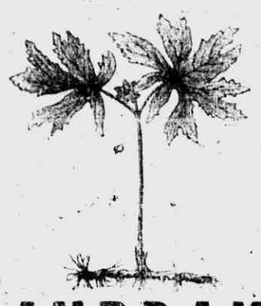

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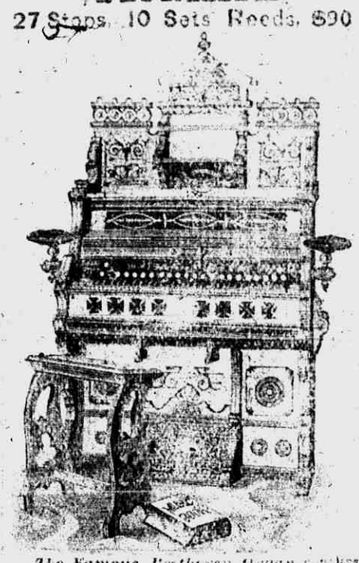

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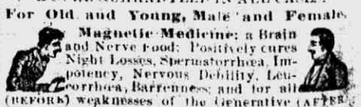

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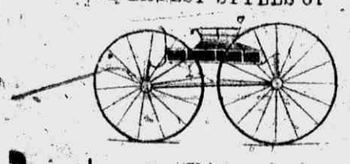

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

There is a flock of capitalists in Washington seeking to lease Indian lands for pasturage purposes.

The star route trial drags its weary length along, and no end of general interest has been disclosed for many days.

Among the nominations sent to the senate by President Arthur was that of George D. Perkins, of the Sioux City Journal, to be marshal of the Northern district of Iowa.

Wells, Fargo & Co. partial guaranteed the safe delivery of the key containing $50,000, and which was stolen, will have to make good that amount to the government.

In the police court, [illegible] were imposed upon [illegible] for neglecting to remove the snow around their sidewalks after a Christmas was noticed for the arrest of Attorney General Brewster.

The national board of trade, composed of representatives from [illegible] and the manufacturers of American [illegible] and access to the [illegible] Washington [illegible].

Senator Beck says that if he [illegible] in his reelection [illegible] he will not accept this having sent to Boston a dispatch which caused his friends to support Hoar although he requested no transfer of votes. Ben Butler has attached his signature to the credentials of Senator Hoar.

The house committee on elections, not having time to settle the legal way the contest against Shelley, of Alabama, will report in favor of sending to that state a commission to take testimony. The Iowa case of Cook against Cutts, which has been under consideration for two years, has been greatly complicated by the alleged mutilation by Cutts of books brought from Iowa on the order of the elections committee.

Ricardo Orozco, chief engineer of Grant's Mexican Southern railway, has arrived in Washington. He states that an extension of six months in constructing the track has been granted by the government. The purpose of his visit is the securing of capital to drain the valley in which the City of Mexico is located, toward which work the government will contribute money and lands. Two companies have been organized in the United States to undertake the work, which is expected to cost $12,000,000.

ARTHUR'S DISAPPROVAL.

The senate bill directing the secretary of the treasury to redeem five bonds stolen from Robert Stodart Wild and destroyed by thieves, having become a law by lapse of time, the president improves the opportunity to express to the senate his disapproval of this class of legislation in the following words: "I have carefully considered the provisions of senate bill No. 561, entitled, 'A bill for the relief of Robert Stodart Wild.' I am of opinion the general statute is sufficiently liberal to provide relief in all proper cases of destroyed United States bonds, and I believe the act above referred to constitutes an evil precedent. It is not however, so objectionable as to call for my formal disapproval, and I have allowed it to become a law under the constitutional provision; contenting myself with communicating to the senate, in which the bill originated, my disapproval of special legislation of this character."

CHICAGO'S RIVAL.

Michigan City harbor was one of the objects provided for in the last river and harbor bill, of which Secretary Lincoln recently reported that the appropriation was not in the interest of commerce and did not benefit navigation. At this Michigan City is wroth. Haryey R. Harris, the mayor of the said-hill town, has written a very fresh letter to Representative Calkins, protesting against the reflection on Michigan City, and presenting the fact that 856 vessels arrived at that port last year, bringing more than 100,000,000 feet of lumber, besides many thousand tons of coal, iron-ore, pig-iron and other commodities, nearly the whole of which trade has been built up within two years. Michigan City is described as a distributing point for six states, and the appropriation of $20,000 for the inner and $60,000 for the outer harbor is cordially approved. Mr. Harris complains that Chicago is jealous of Michigan City; that the lumber interests of the former city have tried to get the railroads to discriminate against the latter; that a congressman from Chicago voted against the appropriation for Michigan City, and, in short, it is the mean envy of the small Illinois town that led to the depreciatory comments of the secretary of war, himself from Chicago, regarding the great metropolis in Indiana. The city clerk certifies that the mayor's letter was read to and approved by the city council.

THE PORTER BILL IN THE HOUSE.

The friends of Gen. Porter are quite hopeful of action in the house this session on the senate bill, and they derive much encouragement from the fact that Gen. Grant is showing a personal interest in the measure, and has carried it so far as to go to the house and personally talk with members and urge them not only to support the measure, but to aid in securing early action. He has seen many members, and this fact has greatly encouraged Gen. Porter's friends, and caused others to entertain strong hopes that the house will pass the bill early this session. On the other hand, opponents of the bill are very active and determined to defeat the bill. Fifteen of the members of the house have formed themselves into what they call a "Porter vigilance committee" to secure the defeat of the bill.—The members of this committee have pledged themselves that one or more of them will be present at all times when the house is in session, and object to the bill being taken up out of its order, unanimous consent being necessary in order to have it done. In this way these members expect to defeat the bill. If these members persist in their course, the only way which the bill can be reached is for the military committee to come in on "suspension day" with a motion to pass the bill, but this will require a two-thirds vote.

PENSIONS.

The house has fixed a day for the consideration of the bill that provides for giving pensions to all surviving soldiers and widows of soldiers who served in the Mexican and Indian wars. This bill includes soldiers of the Mexican war who afterward engaged in the rebellion against the union, and embraces every survivor of the Mexican war, without regard to whether he was wounded or disabled or is now poverty stricken or rolling in wealth. In these respects it gives him a great advantage over the soldiers who suppressed the rebellion, for none of the latter are allowed to be put on the pension rolls unless they suffered some disability in the service of their country. Some of these facts have been pointed out but quite a number of representatives thought it would only be fair to the really meritorious claimants among the Mexican war veterans to give them a chance to be heard. When the bill comes up for consideration it will either be amended so as to exclude ex-confederates and include destitute and disabled veterans, or it will be defeated. Similar bills have been defeated in the senate or house by tacking on an amendment providing that all union soldiers of the war of the rebellion be put upon the pension roll.

A COUNTY'S REMARKABLE PLEA.

Thursday afternoon Mr. C. C. Bonney argued before the supreme court the case of Chapman and others against the county of Douglas, Nebraska. The county bought land for a poor farm and gave certain notes and mortgages for it. Subsequently these were declared invalid and the county would neither pay the price in money nor return the property. This suit was to compel the county to do one or the other. There is no dispute about the facts. Counsel for the county admitted that the county was in possession of the farm and meant to stay in possession, and had never paid for it. The coolness of this proposition nearly took away the breath of some of the members of the court. It goes several degrees below what is called readjustment in the southern states. The only plea made for the county was that the legislature had repealed the venders' lien law, and that the state statute of limitations barred the proceedings. The way a court looks at a case can generally be inferred from the remarks made by the justices, or the questions asked by them. Justice Miller, before whom the case was argued in the circuit court, admitted that the case was not exactly what he supposed it to be. Justice Bradly said that if the county admitted that it had taken the farm and had not paid for it, he should think that disposed of the whole case.—Justice Matthews said he proposed to be very astute, if it were necessary, in order to find some way of giving the former owner of that farm his money or his land. Douglas county is the one in which Omaha is situated. It will have to pay or get out.

TINKERING THE CONSTITUTION.

Representative Moore of Tennessee has prepared a joint resolution which he thinks will give him some reputation and which he proposes to introduce in the house. The pith of the matter is that Mr. Moore proposes to add a new article to the constitution of the United States, the first section of which repeals article X of the constitution and the second section of which gives congress the power to provide by appropriate legislation for the enforcement of the obligation of contracts entered into by every state. Mr. Moore says that he is satisfied that his joint resolution will meet with the approval of congress. He believes that the great majority of the people of the country, of both political parties, concur in the strongest terms the spirit of repudiation which is abroad in a number of the states. The damage, he says, which the effort to repudiate the public debt of his own state has done to Tennessee is beyond calculation. If states refuse to pay their debts, they ought, in Mr. Moore's opinion, to be made to pay. He wants to get his resolution adopted before the supreme court decides the case of New Hampshire vs. Louisiana. If the supreme court holds in that case that one state can sue another, the vitals will be taken out of his resolution. It is hardly possible, however, that Mr. Moore's resolution will meet the sanction of congress.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

JAN. 15.—In the senate, remonstrances were presented against a reduction of the duty on tin plate, against an increase of the duty on china, and against the interference with the duty on cotton-seed oil. Mr. Voorhees offered a petition from Indiana favoring legislation to end the monopoly of the regular school in medical service under the government. Some work was done on the tariff bill.

JAN. 16.—In the senate, Mr. Logan reported favorably the bill to authorize the sale of the Baton Rouge arsenal and grounds. Mr. Dawes reported a measure for the allotment of lands in severalty to the Ottawa Indians. Mr. Hill made a favorable report on the house bill to modify the postal money-order system. The tariff bill was considered at great length.

JAN. 17.—In the senate, Mr. Edmunds introduced a bill to provide for a commission to investigate railroad transportation. The postoffice appropriation bill having been taken up, Mr. Plumb, explained how $185,000 had been expended in fast-mail facilities. The tariff bill consumed the remainder of the session.

JAN. 17.—In the senate, an amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill was agreed to, setting aside $185,000 for fast-mail service. Some items in the tariff bill were considered.

JAN. 18.—In the senate, Mr. Harrison reported a bill authorizing the county of Yankton, Dakota, to issue bonds, but Mr. Garland gave notice that the scheme would be fought by three members of the committee on territories. An adverse report was made on the bill to establish in Kansas a home for indigent soldiers and sailors. A joint resolution was passed for the purchase of steam launches for use in the harbors of Mobile and Galveston.

JAN. 20.—The senate passed the postoffice appropriation bill, after refusing to strike out the provision for a reduction of letter postage to 2 cents, to take effect July 1. Mr. Sherman took occasion to urge the construction of a postal telegraph system, but opposed the purchase of existing lines.

HOUSE.

JAN. 13.—The house passed the pension appropriation bill, which sets aside $86,575,000 besides an unexpended balance of $15,800,000, and the fortification appropriation bill, which covers $825,000. The speaker laid before the house a letter from the clerk, calling attention to the necessity of making some provision for the increased representation in the next congress.

JAN. 15.—In the house Joseph Wheeler was sworn in for the Eighth district of Alabama. A petition was presented from stockholders in the Centennial exposition, asking for an appropriation to pay the deficit. A bill was introduced to convene the next congress on the first Monday of March. Mr. Belmont offered a resolution asking the ways and means committee to report forthwith whether any class of industry requires support from the federal government, in the form of bounty, subsidy, or charity. Mr. Geddes introduced a bill allowing newspapers to be sent free to actual subscribers.—The speaker presented the report of a naval advisory board in favor of completing four iron-clads.

JAN. 16.—The house passed the bill for the removal of causes from state to federal courts. A joint resolution was adopted authorizing the loan of one hundred tents for the competitive drill at Nashville. A bill to pay the state of Massachusetts $239,100 for expenditures for coast defense during the war was defeated. The judiciary committee reported that Thomas H. Majors, the contingent member for Nebraska, gave false information, in which he was aided by state officials. Joseph E. Taylor was sworn in from the Sixteenth district of Ohio. A bill was reported for the erection of a library building on any of the government reservations, to be selected by a commission, the entire cost not to exceed $1,500,000.

JAN. 17.—In the house, Mr. Belford presented a memorial for the establishment of railway communication with Central and South America. Charles T. Doxey was sworn in for the Ninth Indiana district and J. T. Caine as delegate from Utah. A joint resolution was passed for a new mixed commission on Venezuela claims, to sit at Washington. A memorial was presented for the retention of high duties on tin plate.

JAN. 17.—In the house, Mr. Anderson reported back the resolution calling on the secretary of war for certain information in regard to telegraph lines built by the army. Mr. Robeson explained the provisions of the naval appropriation bill. The death of Hon. J. W. Schackleford, of North Carolina, was announced and the house adjourned out of respect to his memory.

JAN. 20.—In the house, consideration of the naval appropriation bill was resumed. Mr. Calkins said he was tired as an American of seeing his country snubbed, laughed at and derided by other nations on account of its weak navy. Mr. Whitthorne attacked the retirement clause and various other provisions. The bill seemed to appropriate $15,000,000, but really it appropriated over $22,000,000, and the next congress must appropriate the deficiency. He mentioned the appropriation of $450,000 for the completion of one monitor by contract, and the provision that no contract shall be entered into for the completion of any of these vessels until the terms thereof are approved by a board as being the best for the government, at a total cost not exceeding the amounts estimated by the advisory board. He believed this clause intended to confer the authority on the secretary of the navy to complete these monitors at a cost of $4,000,000 to $6,000,000.

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Dated this 6th day of January, A.D. 1883.
CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff.

ESTATE OF ELLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, held at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Stocking, husband of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Samuel Haight or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF CYRUS SAVIERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Cyrus Saviers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Gideon D. Perry, administrator of said estate alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the widow and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

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ESTATE OF McCOLLUM MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 2d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Florence E. Smith, formerly Florence E. McCollum, now deceased, Lillie T. McCollum, Mertice A. McCollum, and Aline K. McCollum, minors.

Elmira McCollum, guardian of said minors, having this day filed her account in this court as such guardian and made application for the allowance of the same.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of January A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF ABNER STANLEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 3d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Abner Stanley, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Gideon D. Perry, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Thursday, the 4th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate John Henry Holderman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Regina Holderman, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Henry Smith of the village of Tecumseh in said county or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the fifth day of December, A.D., 1882 authorizing the same, as guardian of William Taylor, an insane person, I shall on the 27th day of January, 1883, at the office of E. B. Wood, Tecumseh, Michigan, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, offer for and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder those parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee Co., Mich., known and described as follows: The east half of the northwest quarter of section eight, and also, that parcel in said township bounded by commencing at a stake in the prairie set up in the center point in the north line of the southwest quarter of said section eight, from thence south along the line between the east and west halves of said southwest quarter of said section, one degree and thirty minutes (1°30') east eight chains to a stake in the prairie, thence eastward nine chains and eighty three links to a hickory white oak corner, thence along the margin of the low ground south thirty-four degrees and forty minutes (34°40') east six chains and forty-seven links to a stake, hence along the margin of the low ground south twenty-two degrees and fifty minutes (22°50') east [illegible] chains and eleven links to a stake in the west and east halves of said section, a white oak corner, thence south sixteen degrees in diameter, blazed and scribed, near the ground, bears south, eighty-three and one-half degrees west, ninety-six links, thence along the line between the east and west halves of said section north one degree and twenty minutes (1°20') west sixteen chains and twenty [illegible] thence along the line between the north and south halves of said section north eighty-nine degrees and thirty minutes (89°30') west nineteen chains and fifty-two links to the place of commencement, all in Town six south, of Range four east, and containing one hundred acres of land more or less subject to a certain mortgage made by said insane person to one Joseph Taylor of England, and recorded in Register of Deed's office for said county in liber 52 of mortgages at page 539, upon which there is due the sum of about five hundred and fifty-three and 43-100 dollars. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated December 24th, 1882.
CHARLES C. TEFFT, Guardian.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

ESTATE of Esther Jones, deceased. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a license granted to us, as executors of last will of said deceased by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 27th day of November, A.D. 1882, therefore, we will sell on the 26th day of January, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the dwelling houses upon the premises respectively to be sold, the estate, title and interest of said deceased in and to those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County and State of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west two-thirds of lot fifteen of the original recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh, bounded west by Oneida street, north by George Wilson's land, east by the J. Plank lot, and south by Chicago street, being six rods north and south and four rods east and west. Lot No. twenty-eight of the original recorded plat of said village, being six rods by twelve rods. Also the north three-fourths of lot twenty-seven of the original recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh, being six rods by nine rods. Said lot twenty-seven is sold subject to a mortgage made by deceased for $140.00, dated September 9th, 1881, with interest thereon from September 9th, 1882, at eight per cent.

Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated December 18th, 1882.
BENJAMIN L. BAXTER,
EDWIN B. WOOD,
Executors.

ESTATE OF JAMES WHEELER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 2d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Wheeler, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for the allowance of his account as such executor, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 29th day of January, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jan4

ESTATE OF NOYES A. DARLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Noyes A. Darling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Darling, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account, (now on file in this court) for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the party or parties entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF ANDREW J. BURTLESS

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew J. Burtless, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hiram B. Burtless, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account and an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the widow and heirs-at-law of said deceased and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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FRANKLIN FACTS.

Work on the new railroad is progressing slowly here on account of the severity of the weather.

Rell Wilson is learning telegraphy at Toledo.

Mr. & Mrs. Lell Love, who have been visiting friends here for a few weeks past returned last week to their home in Montcalm county.

Lou Peters has sold his interest in the blacksmith shop to his partner, H. E. Mudge, who will carry on the business on his own account henceforth.

Mrs. Dibble has rented her farm to John Burtless for one year.

The first term of the singing school closed with a concert on Thursday evening, Jan. 25th. The concert was well attended and all present appeared well pleased with the entertainment. A successful effort has been made to secure the services of Prof. Gordon for another term of twelve nights to commence on Tuesday eve., Feb. 6th. Thirty-six names have already been enrolled, to which many more will doubtless be added.

MACON MURMURS.

A donation visit for the benefit of Rev. John McIlwain was held at the residence of Edwin Howell last Thursday afternoon and evening. It was enjoyed by many, both old and young. The proceeds amounted to the neat sum of $42.

Our representative spent last Sunday with his family. It seems like old times to have the Dr. with us, if only for a day.

Frank Dennis is suffering from a severe shock of paralysis.

Macon was well represented at Geo. Bain's lecture last Monday evening.—Every one who attended was much pleased with both lecture and lecturer. We will endeavor to aid our friends at Macon Center in their lecture course by our presence as often as possible.

Remember the lectures, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week, at the Baptist church. Mrs. T. C. Garner is the speaker.

Mrs. Geo. Howell spent a few days at Lansing last week.

EAST TECUMSEH TATTLE

The meeting of the East Tecumseh literary society held Jan. 27 was greeted with a crowded house, and a good program carried out. The following will be presented Feb. 10.

Inst. Music—Frank and Rhoda Benedict.
Dec.—Harry Hendershot.
Rec.—Mamie Gallatin.
Music—Choir.
Select Reading—Fred Gobleen.
Rec.—Florence Merritt.
Song—Misses Benedict, Hendershott and Gallatin.
Dec.—Albert Boyce.
Chip basket—J. L. Van Doren.
Inst. music—Lillie Gobleen.
Subject for debate—*Resolved*, That local aid should be rendered in the construction of railroads.
Aff.—C. W. Culbertson, Philip Kehoe, R. R. Hall.
Neg.—A. G. Hall, B. F. De Puy, J. W. Benedict.

M. ROBERTSON, Sec.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

Two dogs belonging to B. Barnes and T. Murphy slaughtered 26 sheep for Stephen Martin last Thursday night, Jan. 25th, by killing 9 outright and mangling 17 others so that 16 were immediately killed and one left to recover, has since died. A settlement was effected by Barnes and Murphy killing their dogs and paying Martin $100.

The Red Ribbon Club has suspended operations for want of funds to pay expenses. The club has been running three or four years and should be reorganized.

Mrs. Frank Davenport died on the 24th of heart disease.

Edmund Hand is not expected to live many days from tumor in the stomach.

Paris Mills, son of I. C. Mills, has been very sick for a number of weeks, and his chances of recovery are about even.

Lafayette Gregory came down with diphtheria at school last Friday. The health officer was notified and school closed.

Hon. Geo. W. Bain lectured to a crowded house Monday evening. At the close it was announced that he could be procured to deliver his temperance lecture next Tuesday evening, Feb. 6, and upon a vote of the house every person arose to their feet. The enthusiasm was unbounded. So Mr. Bain will deliver the fourth lecture of the course next Tuesday evening, Feb. 6th.

Prof. Beal, of the Agricultural College, will deliver the fifth lecture of the course, Wednesday evening, Feb. 14th. See posters.

Mrs. L. Osgood and Mrs. S. Stewart are convalescing.

One of the topics of conversation hereabouts is the contemplated Fair at Tecumseh. There are several ways of establishing a Fair.

1. By a stock company.
2. By voluntary subscriptions.
3. By villagers.
4. By farmers.
5. By a combination of both.

The experience of this county for the past decade is to the effect that the only direct financial benefit from a fair is in entertaining the crowd, by way of supplying their temporal wants, and the additional trade from such gatherings. Therefore the most feasible plan would seem to be for the leading business men of the village to organize a stock company, purchase and prepare grounds, with necessary buildings, &c. In the mean time soliciting subscriptions of other villagers and the farmers around about, to be paid when the grounds are thus purchased and prepared, and applied in dividends on stock to replace money expended in purchasing and preparing grounds. Nearly every person would give something for the privilege of attending a fair at Tecumseh, and those interested in a business way should give liberally. But neither will give without hope of success; it would be too much like former railroad schemes.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The sixty inch circular saw in Youngloye and La Barre's steam saw mill was broken while in operation last Friday. No one injured however.

Mr. E. S. Harrington has closed his entire meat business here, Mr. W. A. Wilcox purchasing the principal effects. Mr. W. has been in the business here for some years, and with this increase to his facilities the public will find him prepared to accommodate them.

J. H. Underwood, the obliging township clerk is again grinding out the staff of life at the mills here. The new rollers will be put in operation at an early date.

Several gangs of workmen are engaged culling timber and clearing obstruction from the line of the railroad here. The work extends for several miles both ways from town.

Sleighing was never better in this section of country, considering the small amount of snow which has fallen during the winter.

The meeting of the Farmers' Institute of Lenawee and Hillsdale Co's. held at Rollin Center on Tuesday, was well attended by parties from this section.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Dr. Nelson has a case of diphtheria in the family of David H. Gregory.

Lorain Remington is visiting his sister in the village.

Delos Harrison and wife are out for a short stay.

Sam. Hehn has rented Phon Sutton's house and has taken possession.

Jeff. Pilbeam is drawing 3 cords of cord wood to a load from his place to Tecumseh.

Sylvester Clark and a Miss Russell, step daughter of Frank Dibble, were married by Rev. J. Kilpatrick, Wednesday evening.

L. Waring made a short visit home last week.

SUICIDE OF JOHN WELLMAN

The sad news has been received at Adrian of the suicide of John Wellman, formerly of that city. On the morning of Jan. 26, a German, named Frederick Wahn living a few miles up the river from Pueblo, Colo., started out in search of some stray cows. In a thicket of bushes and willows he found the body of a dead man. The coroner was notified and an inquest held. The corpse was that of a well dressed young man who had evidently committed suicide. A bullet hole was plain to be seen in front of the head on the right side, just above the temple. There was no beard. The body is thought to have been lying there for five or six weeks. The flesh from the hands had been eaten by the birds. The man was dressed in a suit of navy blue clothes and a light overcoat of good material, white shirt, gold studs, and the head rested on a battered plug hat. In the fleshless fingers of the right hand was clasped a revolver of forty five calibre of the English bull dog pattern. The clothing had to be cut off. In the various pockets were found numerous papers and trinkets. Among other things a lady's gold watch of beautiful pattern, thirty five cents in money, a gold ring, with brilliant missing, and other things. He had many papers and letters in his pockets, but they were only glanced at. The address on most of the letters was "John Wellman, Denver, Colorado." The memorandum book contained a package of cards, on which were printed these words: John H. Wellman, attorney at law, room No. 3, King's block, Denver, Colorado. Among the papers were found several having connection with the Wild West, and other mining properties, and some shares in the Moqui Cinco tunnel, made out to John H. Wellman. The deceased had been a Justice of the Peace of Adrian and at one time was looked upon as a man of much promise. Dissipation was probably the cause of his downfall.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan 27, 1883.

Estate of Daniel Ferris, deceased; petition for order of sale of personal property; order of sale.

Estate of James East, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing February 19, 1883.

Estate of John J. Allen, deceased, administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

In the matter of John S. Hanchett, an alleged indigent insane person; petition for admission to asylum; hearing January 24, 1883, at 10 o'clock A.M.

Estate of Martin Cure, deceased; petition for allowance of executrix's final account; hearing February 19, 1883.

Estate of Orville A. Loomis, deceased; warrant and inventory.

Estate of William Dorr, deceased; warrant and inventory.

Estate of Minnie M. Leach, minor; guardian's bond on sale of real estate.

Estate of Charles H. Mahar, minor; order of continuance until February 20, 1883 at 10 o'clock A.M.

Estate of Michael Moran, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of guardian ad litem; account allowed; assignment.

Estate of Conrad Ickler, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing February 19, 1883.

Estate of Francis H. Bailey, an insane person; affidavit of service, order of appointment of guardian; bond $600.

Estate of William Taylor, an insane person; guardian's bond on sale of real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of John Pennington, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing February 19, 1883.

Estate of David Berdan, deceased; order of continuance until February 6, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

In the matter of John T. Hanchett, an indigent insane person; certificate for admission to Eastern Michigan asylum at Pontiac.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending January 27, 1883.

ADRIAN.

Mary C. Russell et al to A. N. Foote. Land in city. $1400.

BLISSFIELD.

A. C. and F. D. Bartholomew to Harrison Peters. Land in village. $2500.

John DePuy et al., to Alma Willett. Land in village. $84.00.

MADISON.

O. J. Avery to A. G. Grandy. Land on sec 35. $2187.50.

O. J. Avery to Jacob Rapp. Land on sec. 25. $187.50.

MEDINA.

Levi Blanchard to Juliaette Williams. Land in Munson village. $715.

PALMYRA.

Jas Molloy to Christopher Lehman. Land on sec. 8. $1900.

ROLLIN.

Sarah M. Chandler to Ruben Chandler. Land on sec 10. $1000.

ROME.

Perry Babcock to Morgan Robinson. Land on sec. 19. $200.

FARMERS' CLUB.

The meeting of the Farmers' Club, held at J. W. Benedict's Jan. 26, was a very large one. The musical program was well selected and carried out in full. A number of visitors also favored the audience with fine music.

The question relating to holding a fair at Tecumseh the coming fall was generally discussed. The farmers of northern Tecumseh and southern Clinton were pretty well represented, also of Macon. The general feeling was in favor of holding a fair. A preference was given in regard to organization, but it was decided to await the report of the committee sent to Adrian, and also to find out the feeling of the meeting to be held at Tecumseh Feb. 3d.

The next meeting will be held Friday evening, Feb. 2d, at George Griswold's.

PROGRAM.

Singing by the choir.
Rec.—Minnie Rector.
Select Reading—Will Fisher.
Inst. Music—Eva Rector.
Essay—Mr. I. H. Schreder.
Music—Mrs. W. Waldron and Kittie Griswold.
Dec.—Grant Schreder.
Singing—Choir.
Question—Which are the most profitable varieties of potatoes to raise and keep. Led by Uncle John Rector.

MRS. F. C. RECTOR, Sec'y.

The ice in the Straits of Mackinac is said to be a beautiful sight, being piled in huge blocks as far as the eye can reach.

THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting—Report of the President and Election of Officers—Looking for a Home.

The Agricultural Society of Lenawee county, held its annual meeting at Adrian on Friday last. President Horton submitted a lengthy report of the condition of the society, from which we gather a few items. After speaking of the organization of the society, he says:

Owing to favorable circumstances we were able to make satisfactory terms of lease of what is now called "Lawrence Park." The amount of rent paid, and the enterprise and interest manifested by Mr. Lawrence, in arranging and fitting the grounds, proved this in many particulars, to be about as well for us as though we owned the grounds. The life of this lease was five years. That checkered period of existence has now expired. A new home must be secured, and taking all things into account, the present is a very important period of our life as a society. We have no home, no place for holding the next fair. The best terms offered by Mr. Lawrence are, perhaps, as low as he can afford. They are certainly more than we can afford to pay. They would, under the most favorable circumstances, leave us at the close of each exhibition, with nothing left, and in case of bad weather, or other contending difficulties, we should fall short of paying expenses and obligations. We cannot buy for we have not the money, and it would be unwise to assume much debt, if our by-laws permit. But two ways present themselves, as calculated to perpetuate the life of the society. First that grounds and buildings can be rented at rates the society can afford to pay, and that with an opportunity to save something under favorable circumstances, and to tide over seasons when the elements are against us, and for the purpose of some day being free from rent. Second, that the society get such aid from some source, as will enable them at once to have a home of their own. With the first arrangement we can live and do much good for the purpose we organized. But we can never be so efficient and aggressive in good works as if we owned our own exhibition grounds. Other ways have been mentioned, but none seem so practical to me as to secure for ourselves a permanent home at once, if it is possible. If only the ground could be secured, the society could safely manage the rest. One of the other ways mentioned is for the society to move about the county, after the plan of the state fair. But few counties are so well calculated for such a method. Blissfield, Tecumseh, Morenci and Hudson are all towns of sufficient importance to entertain the county fair, and probably would give liberally for such visits. I think such propositions have been made. Our by-laws permit us to meet anywhere in the county. Still another plan is that the city, or some company of men, lease to the society on easy terms and long time, suitable ground and the society improve them and put on the permanent fixtures. In such case to use temporary halls and stock sheds, until they could gradually be replaced by substantial structures. To bring nearer the time of building, the county might grant what the state allows. A fortieth or twentieth of a mill tax. If ever assistance was needed it is now, and we must have it if the society ever takes its place among like institutions of the state, where it justly belongs. These are the circumstances. What is to be done? The incoming committee will have these facts to meet.

The election of officers for the coming year was then proceeded with, when the following named persons were chosen:

President—Geo. B. Horton.
Secretary—S. B. Mann.
Treasurer—T. J. Tobey.
Board of Directors—Arthur Bingwood, Woodstock; C. A. Blackman, Cambridge; E. L. Mills, Franklin; W. B. Keyser, Tecumseh; David Woodward, Clinton; Humbolt Pennington, Macon; I. N. Pilbeam, Ridgeway; Jas Cook, Raisin; Cornelius Knapp, Rome; William H. Wiggins, Adrian; John F. Harkness, Rollin; Geo. D. Moore, Hudson; Edward Beals, Dover; H. C. Brattish, Madison; M. H. Cogswell, Blissfield; Geo. V. Sisson, Deerfield; M. T. Cole, Palmyra; J. A. Towler, Riga; Geo. P. Robertson, Ogden; J. H. Cole, Fairfield; Caspar Rorick, Seneca; E. H. Hume, Medina; Calvin Crane, first ward; Andrew Burger, second ward; Dr. Owen, third ward; Joseph R. Bennett, fourth ward.

Under the head of miscellaneous business, J. R. Bennett offered the following resolution which was adopted.

Resolved, That steps be taken by this society to procure the passage of a law by the legislature, authorizing the board of supervisors of this county, to purchase lands on which to establish permanent fair grounds.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer, which, with the exception of a few minor details, agreed fully, showed the finances of the society for the past year to have stood about as follows:

Cash on hand January 27, 1882	$ 688 68
Admission receipts at last fair	2619 41
Cash received from grand stand	55 15
" " " school tickets	95 75
" " " rent	248 00
" " " dinner tickets	60
Total Receipts for fair of 1882	$3707 87
Cash paid on Secretary's orders	2919 25
Cash on hand	$ 788 63

The Tecumseh committee appointed for that purpose were present and held an informal conference with the members of the county society. They will submit their report at the opera house meeting next Saturday afternoon.

PACIFIC SLOPE NABOBS.

How Fortunes Were Made and How They are Being Scattered.

[illegible]

[illegible] I can peddle it out for [illegible]" said Mr. [illegible] with a laugh. "Whatever it costs you" [illegible] walked to the tinker. "Can you [illegible]" said the one. "I'll give you [illegible]" said Fair. "I'll take it" said Sharon. "Give me your choice." "Come [illegible]" and in [illegible] the party [illegible] Mr. [illegible] five thousand shares [illegible] Fair [illegible] Sharon [illegible] Fair [illegible] Sharon [illegible] Fair [illegible] Sharon

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WHAT LIFE HATH.

[Evangelical Magazine.]

Life hath its morn of years,
When blossoms fall unkindly down
When ripened treasures fade to crown
The summer toil, with children's frown
Looks coldly on our tears.

Life hath its fairless days:
The golden prime [illegible]
That seemed for hopes and pleasures born,
Meant only noon-tide, where and morn
Hushed hary [illegible] of praise.

Life hath its noiseless nighttime;
Its ghost fruitions, its soul-starved prayer,
Sweet for waiting long, whose long care
Drawn [illegible] breathing forth its rare,
Grand speech by love distilled.

Life hath its harvest months,
Its tasselled corn and purpled vine,
Its gathered wheat, [illegible]
Of plenteous repose, broad and sure, rich kine
Full barns for harvest times.

SENATOR JONES' POKER GAME.

How he Lost $70,000 and How he Had his Revenge on the District Club.

George F. Waters, the colored janitor of the city hall, related an incident to-day to a Mail reporter concerning a big poker game in which Senator Jones of Nevada was a player. Waters had been in the employ of certain congressmen around the capitol at Washington for many years, and his statement may be accepted as true. It was several years ago, before the millionaire had become thoroughly posted in the ways of Washington society. Almost before he had comfortably settled in his seat in the senate he was introduced into the District club, of which Boss Shepherd was a prominent member. Poker at that time was the prominent recreation of the club, and Jones was induced to take a hand. Although a good poker player, he retired from the game a loser to the amount of $70,000. The senator, having a few silver mines at his back for pocket money, was game, and did not allow the least expression of chagrin or distrust to escape him.

The next morning he telegraphed to one of the most expert card sharps in Virginia City. Eight days thereafter the gambler arrived in Washington dressed in a very expensive suit of clothes and sporting a small fortune in the way of diamonds. Jones introduced him to the club as a mining millionaire from Nevada, and the star-route frauds and navy thieves immediately made arrangements to pluck him. He accepted the invitation to play. The stakes ran high and the spurious millionaire was well supplied with Jones' money. At the end of the tournament the stranger rose from the table the winner of $80,000 of the clubs. It was a severe blow to the gamesters, but they made the people of the United States pay it back to them indirectly and in short order. Jones did kill the swag with his friend, and never was not in the chair once again.

Nat Goodwin's Notions.

Spirit of The Times.

"I have had no time," writes Nat Goodwin, "to struggle with grammar and join McCullough and the other great tragedians in The North American Review in publishing my views on the subject of 'Success of the Stage.' Besides, I prefer another medium of communicating the thoughts which are too much for me in the world at large. To a beginner, I should advise one of two things. First, he may join a good old stock company, if he can find one in the woods anywhere, and remain a member of it for about forty years. By that time he will have so worked himself up as to receive a living salary, support stars and be prepared for a testimonial on the fiftieth anniversary, whacking up with the manager, of course. This reward of merit virtually amounts to a half clear benefit every thirty years. If very healthy and successful the actor may catch two of them and die. Second, if the beginner does not fancy that way, he can join some variety show; purchase a sparkling comic song from some good writer; have it set to music; get W. Carleton, Charles Gayler, McDonald or McCloskey to write a plot around the song, and he will be engaged for a forty weeks season, and may be long on, at a high salary. But if the beginner takes the second way, he must never own that success was easy. I find that all the really great actors, who have been boosted to the top of the tree by chance, notoriety or money, are very fond of referring to their days and nights of toil and struggle, and of hinting how very hard they work now. I have had toils and struggles and hard work myself; but it was generally after the performance was over, and I might better have been at home in bed. The midnight oil theory is beautiful; but I never saw it in practice, did you? It is so easy to study and struggle when you feel the Bank of California at your back. I believe than an actor should study acting; attend to his business like other people, and, when he draws a prize in the lottery of the profession, thank heaven for it; endeavor to deserve it, and keep quiet about the price of midnight oil, and his wrestles with the wick. The Review may copy."

The Grand Divisions of a Newspaper.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

If you look at a newspaper you will observe that it is divided into a few departments, broadly distinguished from each other. These departments are: First, the record of cases at law, usually embraced under the head of court news. Second, the list of prices—that is, the page of financial and commercial matter, and whatever pertains to trade throughout the paper. Third, the leader, that is, the expression of opinion on political affairs which the editor of the paper makes, whether he chooses to make it in long-winded essays or in short, crisp paragraphs. Fourth, the general news, which modern convenience has divided into local, telegraphic, correspondence and miscellany—that is, selections from other newspapers, but which in point of origin are practically identical. Cincinnati news written for a Cincinnati paper is local; telegraphed to Chicago it becomes a dispatch; rehashed in a letter to New York it becomes correspondence; clipped and credited, or uncredited, in a London paper, it becomes miscellany. Births, deaths and marriage notices were of old considered very important events, and they form a distinct and very prominent feature of the modern newspaper, but journalistic law now places them among those matters of purely personal interest, which should be paid for by the people who insert them.

It's Natural.

Chicago News.

The west side is bending forward in an attitude of intense listening. A scandal, partly smothered but threatening to break forth fiercely, is reported in one of the churches, and expectation is on tip-toe.

"What a shame," said one good brother to another yesterday, "what a shame that such a thing should get into the newspapers. I never could understand this disgusting curiosity."

"Nor I," returned the other. "What's the latest about the matter?"

And then these two old coons fell into discussing the case and to expressing opinions like a couple of ancient women at a tea party.

The Montreal Man's Experience.

A Montreal man sent several barrels of Canadian apples to Queen Victoria, Gladstone, Lord Dufferin and Gen. Wolseley. He received letters of acceptance from all except the queen, whose secretary wrote: "Her majesty commands me to say that she fully appreciates your kindness in sending the apples, but it is a rule that favors of this nature shall not be accepted. However, on account of their perishable nature, the apples cannot be returned." What became of them was not explained.

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In the Summer Time.

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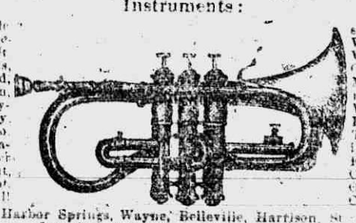

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Nothing new has transpired in the Senatorial contest at Lansing. Perry's chances seem to be growing no better every day.

No railroad horror has been recorded in the newspapers for three days. If this thing keeps on the coroners will soon be out of business.

The Senatorial dead lock in Colorado has been broken. The members of the legislature can now spend their time eating peanuts and enjoying their railroad passes.

The real effect of a protective tariff is to take money from one man's pocket by act of law and put it into another man's pocket. Free trade says: A fair field and no favor and let the best man win.

The Morenci Observer asks: "What is the great lever that shoves the newspaper forward?" Well, in our case it is the dollar and a half a year in advance." Bro. Allen's head is level and no mistake.

Prof. Ewing, of Ionia, has issued an order that no teacher in the city schools shall become a member of any whist club. The next thing will be a decree excluding them from the privilege of attending protracted meetings.

Adrian is agitated over a remarkable prayer cure in the case of Miss Lottie Holmes. The remarkable feature of the case is that for one week prior to her alleged recovery she has taken regular doses of Warner's Kidney and Liver Cure.

The fact is elicited by the coroner's inquest that the telegraph wires strung around the Newhall House prevented the use of firemen's ladders. Could the ladders have been used many more lives would have been saved. Put the telegraph wires under ground.

The combat deepens; on ye brave. The champions of Senator Ferry having been refused the use of the Republican newspaper, have started a paper of their own called the "Daily Observer." It is unnecessary to state that the observations of the new organ indicate the election of Ferry.

Let Congress revise the tariff and internal revenue laws to bring about an equitable and just reduction of the revenue to the extent of one hundred millions annually. This of itself will end river and harbor steals, check outrageous appropriations, kill off the lobby, and send adrift an army of useless office holders.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., has improved on the prevailing system of hotel, railroad and steamboat accidents. That city is located over a coal mine. The earth caved in the other day, precipitating several blocks of buildings down into the mine. Thus the good people of that city are sent to purgatory while quietly sitting at their own firesides.

The constitution guarantees to every man the enjoyment of "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." One of the essentials of liberty is the privilege of selling one's property at the highest price and buying one's goods at the lowest price. This is the essence of free trade. Any infringement of this liberty, except for extraordinary reasons, is tyranny.

As an illustration of the manner in which the lobby interests log roll their pet projects through Congress this little bit of congressional history from the Evening News hits the mark exactly:

Miller's frankness was the result of a direct bargain between himself and Representative Russell, of Massachusetts, and Senator Sherman, of Ohio. Russell is interested in the manufacture of a certain kind of cotton goods on which the Senate bill reduced the tariff. Miller's wood pulp had been put on the free list in the house bill. Sherman was anxious to have the whisky bill passed. The result of the agreement was that Russell, a member of the ways and means committee of the house, had wood pulp restored to the tariff list in the house bill; Miller secured the increase of the tariff on Russell's cotton goods in the senate bill, Sherman voting for it; Sherman secured miller's vote in the senate for his whisky bill, and expects Russell to aid it by his vote and influence in the house. It was this bargain that wood pulp Miller had in mind when he practically said to the protectionists of the senate: "We know our bargain and we must now stand together."

THE WAGES OF WORKINGMEN.

The following facts demonstrate that the wages of workingmen are not increased by a protective tariff. In England, where the policy of free trade has been adopted, the wages of laborers have been higher than where the system of protection prevailed. In Germany, where there is a protective tariff, wages are lower than in countries without a tariff or with a tariff for revenue only. The average wages of American laborers since the adoption of the present tariff have, for the ten years past, been less, allowing for the difference in currency, than under the revenue tariff for the ten years preceding 1860.

THE RESULTS OF PROTECTION.

The effect of "protection" upon trade and manufactures can be predicted. It may bring large profits to those engaged in manufacturing that which is assumed to be protected, it soon, by these very profits, invites many persons into the business, from which result over production, overstocking the market, low prices, reduction of hours of labor, shutting down, at least temporarily, all workshops, embarrassment of proprietors, and in many instances final bankruptcy, in which the large profits made at first are swallowed up, and the large wages at first paid workingmen, if saved up at all, are consumed in waiting for a business revival, which, if it does come, will ever be attended by the same consequences.

THE QUESTION OF TAX-REFORM.

Commenting on the action of the protectionists in opposing reform and fighting it off, the New York Herald says:

If the present tax system is right, let its friends defend it, and prove to the country that it should not be changed. If it is wrong, as so large a part of the country has come to feel, then it is the immediate and imperative duty of Congress to amend it. But what the advocates of the present system are doing is to smother and crush discussion even of the evils which the taxpayers feel. "Not only will we not allow reform," they say, "we will use our superiority in votes even to prevent you from discussing reform, or the evils which make reform necessary. You shall not tell the country that we are wrong," they add; "we will keep you silent on this subject, and meantime we will go on and distribute the surplus, wrung from the people, to subsidy mongers and jobbers of all kinds, and when it is all given out there will be no surplus revenue for you to talk about."

There is the attitude of the extreme protectionists in the House; and they will not change it unless the people demand it. Of course these cormorants are unwise. That kind always are short sighted. They do not see that to resist all reform is to dam up the demand for reform for a while, only that it may by and by break down all obstructions and sweep away good and bad legislation together. Sensible protectionists ought to welcome and demand discussion, and action as well, now, at once; for just now the public mind will be content with moderate reform. By and by it will demand more, and sweep away, indignantly, the whole system which is so misused to the public injury.

HOW HE VOTED FOR THOMAS W.

Dundee last fall contributed to the legislature a young but shrewd and spirited member named French. In that body he proved one of the implacable anti-Ferry men who for a long time firmly held out against the persuasions of the taffy gang of Ferry's band and even resisted like a Spartan, the bamboozling and bluster of "Boss Beal." On Tuesday of last week, however, French, after having been labored with a couple of hours by "Boss Beal" in the latter's peculiarly effective way, and hearing described the awful consequences of opposing Thomas W. Ferry, seemed to weaken, and finally told Beal that the next day he would vote for Thomas W.

"God bless you, my boy, shake!" said Beal extending his hand. "Now you will stick to that will you?"

"Stick!" said French, "of course I will, I have given you my word to vote for Thomas W. to-morrow, and I keep my word."

Beal gratefully wrung the representative's hand once more and withdrew to acquaint the Ferry crowd of French's change of heart.

"The break is coming," said Beal gleefully. "It will begin to-morrow. French has caved and will be with us on the next ballot."

There were sounds of a carousal and Bacchanalian revelry heard from the Ferry headquarters that night, and a better feeling lot of fellows could not have been found in Lansing. Some of the anti-Ferry men heard about it and they hurried in alarm to French, who quietly told them to keep on their small clothes.

Next day when the ballot was being taken Beal edged up near to his convert, to brace up his strength and spur him on to an open profession of his new faith.

At last the clerk called, "Mr. French."

That gentleman rose and slowly, distinctly articulated his choice.

"Thomas W.," and then gazing all around the gallery, "*Palmer!*" concluded the representative from Dundee.

The galleries rang with applause and something like a rat-trap was heard to snap.

It was Beal's jaw that had fallen. And yet French had kept his promise.

THE NEW NORTH-WEST.

The Holiday Season and Other Notes from Oregon.

GERVAIS, OR., Jan. 2, 1888.

ED. HERALD:

So many friends from the old home have expressed a desire to hear something about the Holiday season in the far northwest that it seems impossible to gratify all, save through the columns of your widely read paper.

Here, as elsewhere, Christmas is a time of happy home gatherings, with joyous preparation and delightful secrecy. Not less than the citizens of the eastern town, does the Portlander loiter before the splendid display of jewels or millinery, with thoughts intent on the ladies of his household, see him himself irresistibly attracted by the cheerful din of the toy shops. The small boy goes wild over the automatic toys and seductive bicycles, while rosy little girls gaze in ecstacy over the most charmingly dressed dolls. If anyone fails to recognize these signs of the times, he cannot mistake the meaning of the continuous procession of fir trees traversing the streets to their destination, some in church basements, many to decorate spacious bow windows, and some even crowded into the small windows of the tiniest homes. The pretty, straight young firs; not an Oregonian, native or naturalized, but loves them, unless it be the discontented individual whom I once heard remark that the *fur*ther he was from them the better. In the course of time these transplanted trees blossom with pop corn, and bear wonderful fruit very similar to that of Michigan evergreens, except that here the gorgeous sleds and bright skates are conspicuous by their absense.

Probably not many people living above the 46th degree of latitude saw a Christmas day so pleasant that the peppermints were springing up, and the sunny atmosphere was like a day in spring. But we have had that experience in the Willamette Valley. One could not but think of the old hymn which makes December as pleasant as May. The green grass, growing grain and singing birds made it hard to recognize old Father Christmas, *sans* fur, bells and icicled crown. But the New Year comes on with a thin coat of ice and a chilly breath. It is with a good deal of complacency that the people of Oregon review the events of the past year and note the good prospects for the future. The great enterprises that have been undertaken have made very satisfactory progress. The gap in the line of the Northern Pacific railroad is rapidly closing. From the western end the work is pushing well into the limits of the Territory of Montana, and we are given to understand that the road will be completed in about eight months.

Another road called the Oregon Short Line is hastening to completion with the N. P., via the Baker City branch, and thus constitutes another direct route to the east. Besides these, early in 1884, we may expect connection with California by extension of the Oregon & California line, or what is commonly termed the Valley road, running south. And by the way, not the least confusing thing to the newcomer here are such local expressions as "down the road," meaning north, and "up south." At the completion of the roads above mentioned, we shall have three connections by rail with the wide world. The construction of branches will no doubt go on rapidly, developing many fine sections of country. This complete system of railroads, supplemented with our facilities for navigation, promises a wonderfu future to a land of great natural resources.

The little town of Gervais, near where we are located is an enterprising place, distant about forty miles from Portland on the O. & C. R. R. It is an excellent market, and supports three dealers in general merchandise, each of whom owns a large grain warehouse, three hotels, two meat markets, and all the enterprises usual in such a place. It has rather a peculiar history, being a compound of the villages of St. Louis, Belpassar and Euconda, the orthography of the latter somewhat doubtful, as it is usually pronounced with a broad O-conda. When the road was surveyed through this place, the three towns simply moved their respective houses across the prairie to the more favorite site. It is favored, certainly, with a fine view. Westward the course of the Willamette is outlined for many miles by the hills of Yamhill Co., green or bright, golden with grain throughout the summer and autumn. To the east beyond the heavy fir timber, rise the Cascade Mts.; north and south the Valley opens, revealing miles of fertile cultivated prairie dotted with towns. All this in summer: during the winter months, we have some pleasant weeks, but for the most part a gray mist curtains the hills and peaks, and overhangs the plains below; ready at a moment's notice to send sharp sprinkles of rain dashed through with sunshine, or to sustain a monotonous drip playfully called "Oregon mist."

Appropos of the rain, I read an item not long since in an eastern paper, which stated that Portland, Or., has the greatest wealth in proportion to its size of any city in the United States, supposedly because it rained so much that the women could not get out to spend the money. The theory is ingenious, but unfortunately its author was too far from the scene of action. The truth is, the streets never seem more lively than on a rainy afternoon when ladies and children encased in gossamer cloaks, peer with bright contented faces from underneath huge umbrellas. C. J. H.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

A new school house will be built at Big Rapids.

Grand Ledge barbers have decided to do no more work on Sunday.

Mrs. Minerva Hawkins, of South Haven, died suddenly of apoplexy, last Thursday, aged 76.

The university Y. M. C. A. will celebrate its quarter-centennial in the chapel February 3.

The new Alpha Delta Phi chapter house at Ann Arbor will cost $25,000, architect's estimate.

M. Carman, of Eaton county, has just patented a new grain reaper which is said to be a novelty.

P. B. Smith's house at Saginaw City burned last week; insurance, $3,500, which covers all loss.

The contract for the erection of a tower and steeple on the catholic church at Monroe has been let for $5,440.

Not only the peach buds but the trees themselves in the vicinity of Battle Creek were killed by the recent cold snap.

Rev. Fr. Dempsey, from Ludington, has been assigned to duty as pastor of St. Mary's catholic church at St. Clair.

Battle Creek business men complain that a great amount of counterfeit money, both paper and silver, is in circulation there.

Lyman D. Norris, the newly appointed regent, was one of the first, if not the first, student to apply for entrance to the university.

Samuel Lavery, the young man who shot himself at Jackson a few days ago, is still alive, but the question of life and death is a very uncertain one.

C. F. R. Bellows, the new grand master of Michigan grand lodge of masons, is professor of mathematics in the state normal school at Ypsilanti.

The Sunday school lessons by Mrs. J. T. Sunderland, of Ann Arbor, on "Heroes and Heroism" are so good that they are being republished in England.

The Northwestern Lumberman publishes a list of all the saw mills in the United States and Canada, the whole number being 15,677. Of these 933 are in Michigan.

While coasting near Battle Creek, a few days ago, Emma, a nine-years old daughter of John F. Hollister was run into by another sled and had both bones of her right leg broken.

K. E. Foss, harness maker at Fenton, dropped dead in the Lansing house, in that village, last Thursday, aged 50; he leaves a wife and three children.

Mrs. O. G. Chamberlain, of Reed City, and Mrs. E. G. Wright, of Ionia, are on their way to England to prove their heirship to an estate worth $200,000,000.

Ira F. Scudder, of Ovid, last week recovered a judgment of $220.55 ag'st John I. Sharer, of the same place, for selling him a pair of glandered horses and warranting them to be sound.

Fourteen miles north of Charlotte is situated the only hardwood lumber camp in that section of Michigan, and teams are hauling from it at the rate of 50,000 feet per day to a single mill.

The citizens of Marshall have been notified that for $40,000 bonus the Grand Trunk extension will be run through their city, and they have gone to work with a will to secure both money and road.

J. D. Pulman, of Whitehall, lost his way in the drifts last Wednesday night, and being unwilling to leave his team rolled himself up in blankets and went to sleep. The morning light found him all right, but both horses were frozen to death.

Of the graduates of the literary department of the university from 1844 to 1875, 157 entered the ministry as follows: Baptist, 17; Episcopal, 21; Congregational, 27; Methodist, 28; Presbyterian, 61. The denominations of the remaining four are not known.

David Hoyt last week secured a judgment of $194.90 against the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee railroad company. A defective gate of the company's near Ovid allowed two colts of the plaintiff's to get on the track, and they were killed by a passing train.

Rev. H. A. Conrad, pastor of the baptist church at Cheboygan, died last Sunday, after an illness of a week brought on by missionary labor in the lumber camps. He was a zealous worker, the church at Cheboygan being organized two or three years ago through his efforts.

The new salt well near Jackson is down 2,169 feet, and last week brine was found of strength sufficient to pay for evaporation, and a salt block will at once be erected, which is to be hoped will develop into a prominent interest of the city and a source of wealth to its projectors.

At a convention of county superintendents of the poor at Lansing last week, Bishop Gillespie advocated the building of an institute for feeble-minded children. The superintendents cordially endorsed the idea, and will memoralize the legislature to take action upon it at the present session.

MARRIED.

SEAS—SAFE—At Manchester, by Rev. A. J. Comits, Mr. C. A. Seas of Denver, Col., and Miss Louise E. Safe of Manchester.

CARTER—AVERY—In the village of Macon, Jan. 7, by Rev. J. A. De Spelder, Mr. Clark J. Carter, of Saline, formerly of Macon, and Miss Nettie Avery, of Saline.

LILLIE—PRICHARD—In this village, Jan. 31st, by Rev. J. Phelps, Mr. David W. Lillie, of Winchester, Kansas, and Miss Nellie Elizabeth Prichard, of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, January 31, 1888.

Hall, Mr. James	Nicholson, Miss Katey
Branch, Mrs. Jennie	Taylor, Mrs. Frank
Bramble, C. B.	Thomas, Lyman
Shamber, Miss Jennie	Thatcher, Will P.
Miller, Dr.	Welch, Miss Ella
Pomeroy, Geo.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $4.04.
CORN—55c in the ear.
OATS—43c.
APPLES—$3.00 to $3.25 per bbl.
POTATOES—65c to 70c.
DRESSED HOGS—$7.25.
CLOVER SEED—$7.50.

TOLEDO MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 2, red, $1.05.
CORN—55c, shelled.
OATS—40c.
DRESSED HOGS—$7.30.
CLOVER SEED—$7.80.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 75	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb		@	08
Butter, ₱ lb	20	@	25
Barley, ₱ bushel	60	@	72
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 75	@	2 25
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	60	@	65
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred		@	4 50
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8	@	10
Corn in ear	28	@	30
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	60	@	65
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	22
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 50	@	6 25
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 75
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	10 00	@	12 00
Honey, ₱ lb		@	15
Ham, ₱ lb		@	14
Lard, ₱ lb		@	13
Oats, ₱ bushel	33	@	40
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	40	@	45
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 20
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	2 50
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	94	@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	95	@	1 00

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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Helen M. Pennington, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 6th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. feb1

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

DOG LOST. Strayed or stolen last Thursday, a black and white spotted dog. Any information which will lead to recovery will be liberally rewarded. JEHIEL DAVIDSON.

LOST. A Scotch terrier dog, yellow tanned. Finder will receive reward by leaving at EXCHANGE HOTEL.

FOUND. A lady's black wool mitten, now at the HERALD OFFICE.

NOTICE. On account of a change in our business, it will be necessary to close our old books. Our customers having accounts will confer a favor by calling and settling same with us little delay as possible. Yours Truly,
W. & S. W. ANDERSON.

DRESSMAKING. Miss L. H. Dunbar, formerly of New York city, would announce to the ladies of Tecumseh that she is now prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking in the latest styles. Prices low. Rooms in Richard's block, South side Chicago St.

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THE VILLAGE VS. VAN VLEET.

This case, which was on trial last week when the HERALD went to press, was brought to a close on Tuesday afternoon. The suit was closely and thoroughly contested at every point, and resulted in a verdict for the village, the jury only being out a few minutes, a result that must be gratifying to this community. A large number of our citizens attended the trial as witnesses, and several were in Adrian a day or two simply by reason of the interest they felt in the result.

The suit developed many incidents connected with the early history of the village which were of much interest. The testimony brought out upon the trial showed that the remains of at least one hundred and fifty of the early pioneers and their families still rest in this park, known as the "old cemetery," the exact location of whose bodies cannot now be marked. John McConnell, who has officiated as village sexton for the past forty-four years, testified that the following names are among those buried there, nearly all of whom he buried, and over whose grave no stone or monument has ever been erected:

Dr. Stowell, Amos Winard, Philip Gilman, Samuel Willard, Sr., Samuel Willard, Jr., sister-in-law of Timothy Mitchell, infant child of Judge Stacy, two children of Luke Pennock, two children of E. Wilson, a stranger who died at Mrs. Thorp's, David Orr, died at A. Sherman's, wife of James Murter, Mrs. Grow, Mrs. Hannah Butler, Black David, Wm. Boulton, a boy died at starch factory, a boy called DeShay, Geo. Springer, Mrs. Harrison, Thomas Fleming, Ralph Stocking, Wm Balton, Jerry Bowen, two children of P. Van Ness, two children of John Traynor, two children of John Farleman, a man who hung himself in Brownville, boy named Moore, Joseph Harris, child of A. Stearns.

In the year 1857 Gen. Brown gave a deed of the old cemetery ground to the village of Tecumseh. The consideration for the same was that the village should set apart a lot in the new cemetery to each of the families of Gen. Brown and Musgrove Evans and remove the deceased members of those families from the old cemetery to the new lots at the expense of the village. This consideration was faithfully carried out on the part of the village. It was on this deed chiefly that the village claimed title to the old cemetery park. There appear to be abundant reasons why the village authorities should defend their title to this property against individual claimants, and we think the general verdict will be that the council have done no more than their official duty required of them in this matter.

The charge of Judge Howell to the jury is highly spoken of by all who heard it, not only for the legal learning displayed in his discussion of the legal points involved, but for its clearness and judicial fairness in their presentation to the jury. Judge Howell is gaining a fine reputation among the members of the bar as an able and impartial judge. A few years' experience will place him among the most eminent of our circuit judges.

The verdict of the jury appears to give very general satisfaction to our citizens although it was generally expected that the result would be as it has been. We have not learned whether Mr. Van Vleet intends to carry the case to a higher court.

Metcalf Bros'. store in Detroit is now lighted by the Edison incandescent electric light. The store has 116 lights of sixteen candle power each.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 1, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Fair Meeting

At the Opera House.

Next Saturday afternoon

At two o'clock precisely.

Let everybody be on hand.

For Tecumseh is bound to have a fair next fall.

Harry Snell was at home to spend last Sabbath.

Abner Wilson has hitched on to the local telegraph line.

The trees were as handsomely frosted last Monday morning as a wedding cake.

Ben Reynolds will leave next week for Texas.

Mrs. J. P. Slayton had a fall on the ice the other day and severely sprained her wrist.

The Baptist and M. E. churches are holding revivals meetings here with good success.

Chickens are going up. Yes, several of ours went up during the late zero weather.

Prof. Hammond's residence has been connected with the local telephone exchange.

The Lenawee County Grange will meet at Workingmen's Hall, in Adrian, Thursday evening, February 8th.

The Brownville Social Club spent two pleasant evenings during the past week at the residences of E. Ames and E. Hand.

Gainsley & Co., change their big card on the eighth page this week. Read it again carefully and note the bargains therein contained.

C. A. Sharp, of Ridgeway, has taken a position in Clark's grocery store. We believe he will prove to be the right man in the right place.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. have a new card this week on the first page. This institution is extending its lines and increasing its trade in a marked degree.

The Horticulturists of Lenawee Co. will hold a meeting at Adrian, Feb. 10th. An address is expected from Chas. W. Garfield, secretary of the State Horticultural Society.

Allie Stevens, who is now in the employ of Sigler & Co., of Cleveland, was in town over Sunday. He returned Tuesday. The Sigler firm, of Cleveland, is picking away some of our best Tecumseh boys.

Vernor Crane is at home, called here by the severe illness of his mother. We are gratified to know that Mrs. Crane is very much better to-day, and her friends now have hopes of her ultimate recovery.

E. H. Hyde has received the appointment of Under Sheriff. This promotion has been earned by faithful service, and could not be improved upon. Sheriff Bidwell evidently believes in civil service reform.

The township directors of the county Agricultural Society will meet at Adrian on Saturday, February 10th, at 10 A. M. An executive committee will be chosen and very likely some action will be taken in regard to the location of the next fair.

The Fair committee which was appointed to visit the County Agricultural Society will meet at Bills' bank next Saturday forenoon at 10 o'clock, to prepare their report. The public meeting will take place at the Opera House at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Morning prayer and the Litany will be said in St. Peter's church each Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock during the season of Lent. Evening prayer every Friday night at 7 o'clock, when a course of lectures will be delivered by the Rector. Subject: "Egypt and the Egyptian Bondage."

The Cook House at Ann Arbor has gained the reputation of being one of the best-kept hotels in the state. The house is over run with patronage, both local and transient. The proprietor, Mr. E. H. Hudson, has the satisfaction of knowing that he is keeping the best hotel Ann Arbor has ever been able to boast of.

Last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, in this village, occurred the marriage of Mr. D. W. Lillie and Miss Nelie M. Prichard. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few family friends and intimate acquaintances. That their life's voyage may be a happy one is the sincere wish of many friends.

The New Orleans Picayune says:

W. A. Mestayer, the jolly genius of comedy, appeared at the Academy of Music last night, surrounded by a jolly company, in the entertainment called "Tourists in the Pullman Car," for want of a better name for something that is not an opera, comedy, burlesque, tragedy, or anything else in particular, and which has one act in Newport, and another act somewhere else on the road. The idea of the "Tourists" is to make as much fun for a dollar as any one person can take during an evening. The "Tourists" in short, present the best organization of the kind that has ever been seen here. It captured the audience last night, and went well throughout.

This celebrated troupe will appear at Adrian, Saturday evening next, Feb. 3rd.

The local telegraph company will meet at the office of Drs. House & Jones next Monday evening at seven o'clock.

The revival meetings at the Methodist church are very full of interest and will be continued through this week and next.

Miles Smith was arrested at Hudson Tuesday, charged with appropriating $175, the savings of years of Betsy Byers, a crippled woman; he was released on bail.

Yesterday's balloting at Lansing showed Ferry and Stony to be neck and neck in the race, each receiving 47 votes. "Up a stump" expresses the present situation.

A straw stack belonging to F. A. Dewey, in Cambridge, tipped over last Sunday burying a valuable cow [illegible] men dug her out alive in half an hour.

A large number of Tecumseh people have been sojourning at Adrian for the past few days engaged as interested parties or witnesses in the suit of the Village against Peter J. VanVleet.

Charles Bloomshire, of Clinton, died on Monday at the advanced age of 92. He was a soldier under the first Napoleon and was engaged all through the great three days' battle at Leipsic. He loved to recount the scenes of his early life and was a great admirer of Napoleon.

This morning about 6 o'clock Michael Wilson found a beautiful large white owl on his barn, and captured it. A steel trap was attached to its leg and one wing was broken. It measured four feet from tip to tip and is one of the finest specimens we ever saw. Mr. Wilson brought it into our office this forenoon and Will Eccles purchased the bird.

The Orthodox Friends are holding a series of meetings at the Universalist church for a week or more. Joseph Wakefield and Joseph Stanley, from Ohio, Alexandria M. Purdy, of Rochester, William Allen, of Canada, S. Adelbert Wood and Mary Hammond, of Hanover, are ministers with us. "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, let the whole earth be filled with thy glory." Come one, come all.

We understand that the Heck Bros. have for some time been contemplating the erection of a grain elevator in the vicinity of their mill. The mill itself is inadequate to hold the grain which they could and should have on hand at certain seasons of the year, while by having a large storage warehouse they could put additional machinery into their mill and thus increase its capacity. They have finally determined to construct an elevator in the spring with a capacity of 50,000 bushels of wheat.

Tuesday afternoon about 4 o'clock while two men were carrying a ladle of molten iron from one building to another, at the Peninsular car works at Adrian, they slipped and the iron was spilled on the icy pavement. It instantly exploded with terrible force, throwing one of them, John Ray, a young unmarried man, through a window 10 feet from the ground, laying bare his backbone and badly burning him about the breast and abdomen. The other man, Adelbert Smith, is horribly and perhaps fatally burned, while a third man was badly burned about the head. The building was set on fire, and the department was called out, but the flames were soon extinguished.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The large square timber for the new railroad bridge across the Raisin in this village is partly delivered, and will all be on the ground within a few days. The piles for the bridge are mostly driven.

The severe weather of the past few days has interfered considerably with the progress of grading. But little was done in that direction last week.

Gangs of men have started work in the vicinity of Addison, and the timber is being cleared from the land on those farms where the line runs through timbered lots.

The company advertise for 100,000 ties to be delivered at points in this county. People having ties to sell will call for particulars on E. C. Baird, Ass't Engineer, at Tecumseh.

It is rumored that not a depot on the line will be located until the iron shall be laid.

The construction gang at Montieth are using a brand new 40-ton engine.

Iron was laid on a section of the road near Monteith belonging to John Monteith on Sunday of last week. The company purchased the old Coldwater and Mansfield roadbed of the Pennsylvania Central company, which foreclosed a mortgage on it some time ago. Mr. Monteith claimed that he had never been paid for the right of way, and to avoid an injunction the T. & M. put the iron down Sunday, finishing at 3:30 P.M. The injunction was served Monday morning. Mr. Monteith owns another piece of land three and a-half miles this side of the village, at Gun River, and may make another effort to stop the work of ironing at that place. An injunction can have no effect on the running of trains if the iron is once laid. The difficulty is to avoid an injunction served on the gang stopping the work of ironing.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Deerfield has a bal masque to-night.

The Clinton Woolen Factory shut down two days last week.

Ogden is exporting large quantities of ship timber this winter.

A. G. Miller's troupe is giving entertainments around the county.

The masquerade ball at Hudson last week was a grand success.

Morenci is stricken with another severe attack of the Dakota fever.

Hon. John K. Boies, of Hudson, has returned from his Washington trip.

The T. & A. A. railway bridge at Dundee is being strengthened and repaired.

The Petersburg School building was damaged by fire last week to the amount of $200.

Weaver, of Hudson, is buying timber to weave out 5,000 new wheelbarrows next season.

Clinton is having a series of temperance meetings this week addressed by Mrs. T. C. Garner.

South Riga is putting on airs. They want a post office planted there by the name of Jumbo.

The fortunate proximity of a barrel of water saved Deerfield from an extensive fire last week.

Two more cottages will be erected on the Reform School grounds at Adrian during the coming summer.

The Hudson amateurs have invaded Ohio and will play the "Ticket of Leave Man" at Fayette this evening.

The tower of the Hudson congregational church is like the leaning tower of Pisa. It seems to nod to passers by.

H. D. Cutting, of Clinton, has been re-elected President of the Southeastern Michigan Bee-keepers' Association.

R. H. Rogers, of Medina, has been chosen President of the Lenawee and Hillsdale Farmers' Union for another year.

Slim Jim Rogers is the name of a Hudson man, and he has lost a certificate of deposit for $800. He will feel slimmer than ever if he don't find it.

The Adrian Common Council have closed a contract with the Holly company for the establishment of the Holly system of water works in that city.

The editor of the Deerfield Record froze his ears last week while cutting stove wood. Listen: Make your office devil cut the wood hereafter or burn coal.

The congregational Sunday school of Clinton plant missionary pop corn in the spring, and when that pop corn is dry enough to pop they get up pop corn socials and pop the same pop corn.

An enthusiastic Hudson youth attired himself in women's clothes and slipped into the ladies' dressing room when the ladies attending the masquerade dance came to unmask.—What was his name?

Lew Wilson, a Hudson grocer, went down cellar to draw a gallon of molasses for a customer. As the molasses tap failed to shut itself he found the contents of the barrel on the cellar bottom an hour or so afterwards.

Hudson Post: Mr. Patterson, on the VanAuken farm, lost his horse in a singular manner. He had hitched up his team, when a big dog suddenly jumped over the fence in front of them, and one of the horses became so frightened that it dropped down dead in its tracks.

Steps having been taken to open the Big Ravine drain through Riga and Ogden, a meeting of citizens was called to protest against the job. The constitution was quoted from, the 'old flag' unfurled, the citizens resolved to die in the ditch before paying any more ditch taxes.

The Morenci Observer says: Mr. S. B. Mann, secretary of the County Agricultural Society, was in town yesterday. He reports a general unwillingness on the part of the leading members of the society to again rent Lawrence Park at Adrian for fair purposes, at the extortionate figure at which it is held.

Clinton News: Tuesday afternoon, while J. Nase was ripping up some lumber at his planing mill, the saw threw a piece of edging about four feet long, and struck him over the eye. After picking up his hat and finishing the job, he felt a peculiar sensation in his throat, and upon examination found a sliver about two inches long sticking in his throat half or three-quarters of an inch.

Last Tuesday Alton Dakin, of Palmyra, met with an accident which suddenly terminated his life. He was at the home of his grandfather, Henry Brockway, who lives north-east of the village. He was very fond of hunting and kept a good gun. That morning as he started out he grasped his gun by the muzzle, which was leaning on a chair, and drew it towards him. The hammer caught on the chair, and the gun discharged its load into the young man's face, killing him almost instantly. Dakin was a young man of industrious habits and had been employed in the Palmyra paper mill. The accident caused great excitement in Palmyra.

A DAY'S TRIP TO ANN ARBOR.

Last Friday morning we took the 8 A.M. train at Chicago st., sped to the Junction in good time, changed to the Monroe train and alighted at the T. & A. A. crossing. After half an hour's halt at this point, the Ann Arbor train arrived and we took that train for the University city. The "Toledo, Ann Arbor & Grand Trunk" as the road is now called, is rapidly taking a position as one of the leading railroads of Michigan. Two passenger trains each day run between Toledo and South Lyons, which are all well patronized, and the road is gaining a large and lucrative freight traffic. The politeness and attention to the comfort of the passengers shown by the train officials makes one feel at home at once. After a man has enjoyed one ride on the road he looks forward to the next route again at the first opportunity.

Arriving at Ann Arbor at 10:30 A.M., we proceeded directly to Prof. Frothingham's office and transacted our business there before noon. In addition to his professional cases the Doctor now has the Register newspaper on his hands, having purchased the entire property, of which he formerly owned only a share, consequently he has plenty of work to keep him busy. And, by the way, the Register has improved very decidedly under his management. It is without doubt the best newspaper published at Ann Arbor to-day.

We then made Judge N. W. Cheever a call. Judge Cheever prepared for the University at our High school during Prof. Lawton's administration, went through college, studied law, acquired a lucrative practice, and has been Judge of Probate of Washtenaw county for four years. He is the author of a work on Probate Practice, which is extensively used in this state. The Judge has a beautiful home in the Southern part of the city, distant about two blocks from the University campus, where we enjoyed his hospitality at dinner.

We next called at Fred Wood's boarding place, expecting to have a chat with him, but he was attending lectures and hence that visit was cut short. After taking a stroll through the new museum building and down State and Huron streets to the Cook House, we took the 3:30 train on the T. & A. A. road and came down to Milan. Getting off at the Wabash Junction, the first man we met was Albert Hayden, and we accompanied him over to the stave factory. They have been putting in full time at the factory since Jan. 1st, except on Monday and Tuesday of last week when they shut down to keep from freezing. They are now finishing up about ten cords of heading and twenty-one cords of bolts per day. The heading is mostly sold in New York and the staves in St. Louis. The factory is located but a few rods from the Wabash depot, and convenient to both railroads. A. S. Hayden's family occupy a fine house in the northern portion of the village. He seems to like the location and business, and is evidently prospering. Joe Turner, who is one of the main spokes in the wheel at the factory, occupies a nice little house but a few rods from the railroad junction, and his folks seem to be well satisfied with their new home. At 6:30 the Wabash train came along on which we rode to Britton, where we were met by "Jap" with the horse and cutter, and we had a jolly sleigh ride home. A cup of tea and a quarter section of gingerbread put us in trim for a good night's rest.

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING

The best and most successful mills now days are the Roller Mills. The corrugated rolls make a whiter and a stronger flour than the mill stone. The rolls granulate the flour evenly and do not salve and destroy the life of a portion of it as is done by the old system. Hundreds have found this to be true by using Comfort's Roller Flour. Farmers go twenty and even twenty-five miles to Comfort's Roller Mills to exchange their good wheat for Comfort's Roller Flour. Comfort pays the very highest market price for good sound wheat. Grown mud unsound wheat he does not want at any price. Cannot use it. The careful selection of sound wheat and the roller system of milling, with many other improvements which he has adopted, is what makes Comfort's flour so popular."

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In lieu of the premiums heretofore offered to the patrons of the HERALD, we have concluded this year to give them the benefit directly of the money formerly expended in that direction. We have arranged special club rates with the three best newspapers out of Michigan, and can offer better terms on these three papers than was ever before offered in this county. We will furnish them at these rates:

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HERALD and Post and Tribune	2.25
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To Whom It May Concern.

Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 30, 1883.

Received of The National Relief and Accident Association one hundred dollars to apply on a certificate held by me on the life of Esther Westgate, my mother. This claim is not due for 90 days according to their contract. The payment of the one hundred dollars being voluntary on the part of the officers. I am pleased with the promptness the company manifests in behalf of its members.

WILLIAM WESTGATE.

Received from the National Relief and Accident Association my full claim for an injury I received some time ago, but failed to file my claim. Was pleased with the way the company received the claim and the promptness in settling the same.

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New Drug Store.

Last Tuesday we dropped into Marks & Russell's new drug store in the Hewitt block to see what was going on in improvement there, and what kind of a place they had. The gentlemen have a very neat store, one side devoted to drugs and the other to groceries, and with their experience in business we have no doubt of their success. The store is newly painted, refitted and clean, and makes one of the best business places in town.

To the Citizens of Tecumseh

EDITOR HERALD:

I feel that the citizens of Tecumseh are under great obligations to village attorney E. B. Wood and to Judge C. A. Stacy for the very able manner in which they managed our case in court. I overheard lawyers commenting upon it and all agreed that the suit was conducted on our part in a thoroughly systematic and efficient manner throughout.

A. W. MILLS.

On Thursday evening of last week a pleasant party was given by Miss Jennie Root, at her father's residence on Chicago street, to the young people of the village. On Monday evening the entertainment was repeated with young married people as the guests. About fifty were present at each gathering, and both may be set down as among the pleasantest social parties of the winter. They were given in honor of Miss White, of Hancock, a guest of Miss Root, whose father is superintendent of the copper mine at Hancock.

Joe Wooden has filled his big ice houses with a splendid lot of ice. He intends to be prepared for a hot summer.

Alf. W. James spent last Sunday in Tecumseh.

Did you ever see better sleighing?

Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Tin ware cheap at the Novelty Store, Hewitt's Block.

Loff Wool Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

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Call on Dr. B. F. Snyder for your dental work.

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Call on E. R. Crossman, at Steam Mill Foundry, for sleigh shoes.

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Gent's Trunks, at A. B. Cotton's.

Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

DRAKE. At Cambridge, Mich., Jan. 27, Mr. John B. Drake, one of the early pioneers of Lenawee Co.

Mr. Drake was borne May 3d, 1812, in Allamuchy township, Warren Co., N. J. In his native state he learned the trade of a stone mason, which was a special benefit to him in this county. Nov. 26, 1836, he was married to Miss Clarissa Sheeler; and in the year 1837 moved with his wife to Cambridge. Here he bought of the writer of this sketch 40 acres of land, and erected a log house on the bank of Dewey's lake. At that time he had but one neighbor within a mile, and it was over a mile to the nearest laid out road from his land. Mr. Drake has always been a very industrious citizen, adding 120 acres of land to his first purchase, with large improvements and good farm buildings. After over a year's illness, to which he seemed composedly resigned, he leaves his home of 45 years and six grown up children, and a dutiful wife to mourn the loss of a good husband. A citizen has gone who has been a great help in the improvement of the town.

F. D.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH

STATIONS.	No. 16 Mail.	No. 18 Express	No. 14 Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	8 P.M.
Napoleon	7 19	2 38	8 40
Tecumseh	7 35	2 52	8 56
Ridgeway	7 50	3 05	9 06
Clinton	8 05	3 15	9 16
Tecumseh	8 20	3 27	9 30
Adrian	8 50	3 57	10 00
Petersburg	9 10	4 17	10 20
Toledo	10 50	5 55	12 05 A.M.
Detroit	10 50	6 00	12 05 A.M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15 Mail.	No. 17 Express	No. 13 Accom.
Detroit	9 30 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	
Toledo	10 50	4 25	
Adrian	11 40	5 10	7 15 A.M.
Petersburg	12 04 P.M.	5 34	7 39
Clinton	12 25	5 54	7 57
Ridgeway	12 40	6 06	8 08
Tecumseh	12 55	6 19	8 22
Napoleon	1 05	6 29	8 32
Jackson	1 35	6 57	9 00

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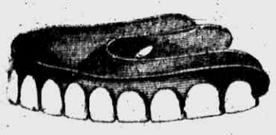

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Dr. Howard, Professor of Anatomy, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Buffalo, N. Y., says:

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Doctors—The three bottles of Dr. Rush's Regulator I ordered were received by express last week. I have taken nearly one bottle, and am truly satisfied with the result. For over two years I have been troubled with sharp pain at my heart. My physician, upon examination, pronounced enlargement of the heart, and was unable to say how soon it would be all over with me. The trouble grew worse, and became convinced that I could not live. While in New York City last week, I called on one of the most prominent physicians there, who charged me $5 for an examination, and then recommended your "Regulator." Knowing you to be a regular Medical Association, and not a patent medicine scheme, I ordered the three bottles. I have not been troubled since I commenced taking it, but shall continue and take the entire three bottles, so as to obtain a permanent cure. You have my sincere thanks. I am, gentlemen, Very respectfully,

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Walter P. Flanders, an old resident of Milwaukee, is dead.

The Mercantile bank of the City of Mexico has within its nine months of existence paid dividends of [illegible] per cent.

The brewers of Dubuque have been forced to restore the price of beer to $8 per barrel.

Anna Brown, a negro woman of Louisville, 101 years of age, deaf, and almost blind, was burned to death at an open fire.

Edwin Booth appeared in Berlin Tuesday night as King Lear, and was called before the curtain eighteen times.

A cablegram from Wiesbaden announces the death of Flotow, the composer.

Rioting has been renewed in Alabama, and the Mississippi militia are under marching orders.

The democrats of the New Jersey legislature have nominated John R. McPherson for senator.

John Ohors, well known in Baltimore, [illegible] with a revolver.

Trustee Chaffee will pay a dividend of 10 per cent on the Springs' mortgage [illegible]

R. K. Springer, a venerable citizen of Cincinnati, is seriously ill with catarrhal pneumonia.

John E. Kenna was elected Senator from West Virginia and Richard Coke from Texas, the latter by the unanimous vote of the legislature.

George B. Judd, the oldest practicing lawyer in Wisconsin, died at Racine of pneumonia.

The latest complication of the Reading road is a suit by the federal government for $500,000 due as a tax on scrip issued.

The grand jury at Washington refused to indict William Dickson, foreman of the first star-route jury, for soliciting a bribe.

A bill to re-establish the penalty of death for murder will soon be reported in the Maine house by the judiciary committee.

The legislature of Colorado has elected Thomas M. Bowen senator for the full term and H. A. W. Tabor to fill the Teller vacancy.

Eighteen students of the senior class at Hillsdale college have been suspended for sleigh-riding after permission had been refused by the president.

Elizabeth Wessels, a handsome Boston girl of 14 years, killed a troublesome and brutal brother-in-law who assaulted her brother.

At Pine Hill, Kentucky, [illegible] men attempted to dry Henry's pound cartridges, the result being the loss of three lives.

Minister Sargent reports that strong opposition has developed in Germany to the proposed exclusion of American pork.

Should Davitt, Healy and Quinn persist in their refusal to give bail, they will be sentenced to solitary confinement at hard labor in Kilmainham jail.

The grand jury at Washington has indicted William Dickson for endeavor to influence the vote of trebly low jurors in the late star-route trial.

The judiciary committee of the Maine legislature will report bills prohibiting the use of toy pistols and to compel the erection of fire-escapes in hotels.

John C. Downing, a soldier of the 15th infantry, was killed in cold blood at Fort Stanton by cowboys, who narrowly escaped lynching.

A charter has been issued in Pennsylvania for a Vanderbilt road 300 miles long, from Harrisburg into Allegheny county, with a capital of $18,000,000.

A boiler in the paper-mill at Elkton, Maryland, exploded with such force as to nearly wreck the building, killing two men and injuring eight others.

A murderous Rensselaer, said to have fought at Waterloo under Napoleon, died on a farm in Fairfield county, Ohio.

In the court of queen's bench at Dublin, Davitt, Healy and Quinn were ordered to give bonds for good behavior or go to prison for six months.

Among the passengers who lost their lives in the Cimbria was Miss Dora Henninges, of Cleveland, who made her debut in opera in Chicago.

The leading rubber factories of the country are earnestly considering the propriety of making a $25,000,000 consolidation, to handle the entire crop of Brazil.

At Amite City, Louisiana, Taylor Ard and William Lowry hunted the streets for each other with shot-guns. Ard got the drop, and the pall-bearers will assemble at Lowry's.

Marcellus Keene, the keeper of a leading gambling-house in Baltimore, was sentenced to jail for six months, and all the dens in that city closed their doors Wednesday night.

Vanderbilt's family and friends arrived at Montreal in five palace-cars to attend the carnival. For the ball Friday, one thousand persons paid $10 each for tickets.

A Long Islander, named Henry Edgerton, on a wager ate thirty-seven hard-boiled eggs and two mince pies in ninety minutes, washing it down with two quarts of ale.

Dr. Peterhausen, of Detroit, suddenly became insane. He made two efforts to kill his sister, and when placed in the police station cut seven serious gashes in his own body with a lancet.

J. G. Addo, a jeweler at Sedalia, Missouri, found on returning from supper that his store had been entered at the rear and robbed of $500 in cash and eighteen watches.

Near Fowling Station, Texas, on the International road, an American robber Sunday stopped two Mexicans, killed one and severely injured the other, and took their horses and arms.

For the past two years David Clark and wife, residing near St. John's, Michigan, have lived very unhappily together, and on Friday night she shot him dead at the bedside of a dying child.

De Roulade, founder of the patriotic league of Paris, who had scarcely recovered from a wound received in a duel, was seriously injured Sunday in an affair of honor with a journalist.

The East side school building at Independence, Iowa, took fire Monday noon, with three hundred children within its walls, and was totally destroyed. The pupils lost their wraps.

J. W. Wilson, a St. Louis crank, who had been fasting for seventeen days, was arrested by the police, forced to resume his meals, and sent to the city hospital.

Paul Gustave Dore, the famous French artist, died Tuesday in Paris, aged 51 years. He was born in Strasburg. Recently he has been engaged on illustrations of Shakspeare.

Fred Gebhard can not be found in New York by the reporters. He has given up his apartments in a high-toned hotel, and the landlord ordered his personal effects stored away.

A portion of Ju's band of Apaches is committing depredations near Del Rio, 150 miles west of San Antonio, and Indians in large numbers are reported on the Mexican side.

There are indications that the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago road will [illegible] into the control of the Drew-Gould syndicate which built the Indianapolis Air line.

The Panama Railroad company has offered a reward of $10,000 for the recovery of the stolen money belonging to the United States government, and the capture of the thieves.

In New York yesterday, Judge Gildersleeve advised the grand jury to indict cops for manslaughter unless the evidence should be before a conviction for murder.

Advices from the cattle ranches in Wyoming are to the effect that the winter range grass was not covered with snow during the storm, and that the loss of stock has been insignificant.

[illegible] connected with the Mexican railway, died at San Antonio under mysterious circumstances, the question being whether he committed suicide or was [illegible] by the enemy.

Car-loads of machinery have been shipped from Chicago to Victoria, Texas, where a company is about to commence the slaughter of cattle and sheep, to be sent in refrigerator cars to New Orleans and the northern cities.

In an investigation at Washington John Harmon, a lobbyist, testified that he had been paid $5,000 by John Bailey, a clerk of the house of representatives, for defeating legislation adverse to the gas company.

Mrs. Gendrick, of Milwaukee, while suffering from insanity induced by religious excitement, killed her three children and cut them into pieces with a knife. She then attempted to hang herself. She was saved by the neighbors.

Mrs. Corbett, a widow of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, deserted her three small children to elope with a fellow named Lane, and the little ones almost perished with cold before being discovered by neighbors.

W. H. Vanderbilt states that he is not going to start for San Francisco next Wednesday. He claims that he can traverse the country in any direction with Chauncey Depew's blessing of his government officers in advance.

The [illegible] of the French ministry seem [illegible] appears to have been [illegible] of all the other members of the cabinet, and Pelletan and Lockroy [illegible] in conference with President Grevy.

On a plantation in Lawrence county, Southern Arkansas, some negroes raised an idea they [illegible] had been bitten by a mad dog. Two of the family have died, and others were in convulsions at the time of the last report.

A [illegible] fell in the streets of New York [illegible] exploded last week at two [illegible] corner of Broadway and Maiden lane, Sunday morn, two men were seriously injured, and pieces [illegible] down into third-floor windows.

Vice-Ordinary of the orphans' court of Pennsylvania, [illegible] by Judge J. S. Black, have [illegible] an act which proposes to abolish [illegible] taxation except on [illegible] property in that state, and the imposition of a tax of five mills on each [illegible] annum.

A [illegible] Des Moines, Iowa, has recovered judgment against a [illegible] with which to pay for the city buildings on the ground that the city debt of $700,000 already exceeds the constitutional limit of 5 per cent on the taxable property.

There is now before the Nebraska house of [illegible] which has already passed [illegible] legislatures of Kansas, Iowa, Colorado and Wyoming, asking congress to provide means of protection against the introduction of contagious diseases among the herds.

A bill has been introduced in the senate of Minnesota to force the submission to the railroad commissioner of all arrangements for pooling or dividing traffic and giving him power to pass upon schedules before they are thrown open to the public.

The execution of George W. Traughber at Taylorville, Illinois, is claimed to have been one of the quickest on record, the murderer being dead in nine minutes from the time he climbed the scaffold stairs in his velvet slippers.

Ex-Empress Eugenie has arrived in Paris. The government will adhere to its [illegible] directed against the royalists. On the [illegible] or expulsion of Prince Jerome, three Bonapartist members of the chamber of deputies will resign, to allow the prince to contest a seat.

Montreal is overcrowded with visitors to the carnival, which opened with a cavalcade of 150 sleighs. In the afternoon there was a curling contest on the St. Lawrence, and the coasting track was inaugurated by five thousand young people.

A space of nearly forty acres above the Delaware and Hudson mine at Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania, caved in Wednesday morning, the dwellings sinking from six inches to two feet. The cause is believed to be the decay of the props.

Slugger Sullivan demands of Jem Mace and Slade an increase of the stake money for a fight, claiming that he will not enter the ring for less than $10,000. Mace is anxious to arrange a match and then go to Europe with Slade. Henry Bergh has appealed to Mayor Edson to enforce the law against the brutal business.

Detectives from Massachusetts were hunting for Kate Judd, a domestic who has frequently robbed her employers and fired their homes, when they noticed in the dispatches the burning of J. G. Weaver's villa at Newport. They readily found the criminal, and she made a clean breast of her work.

A cry of distress comes from a band of eight hundred Piutes in the vicinity of Winnemucca, Nevada. The intense cold prevents them from hunting, and citizens are contributing toward their support. They receive no annuities, and are tempted to kill stock to keep from starving.

The grand jury of the criminal court of St. Louis, after investigating the dram-shops, reports that 80 per cent. of the crime and pauperism emanates from them, and therefore recommends a maximum license of $1,000 for liquor saloons, and $500 for places which sell only wine and beer.

It is announced from Kansas City that a colony of thirty families will leave Monday for Indian Territory, led by Captain B. S. Walden, the last man of Payne's party to leave when driven out by federal troops two years ago. It is said that five colonies will be met at Coffeyville, and that a march will be made 120 miles into the territory.

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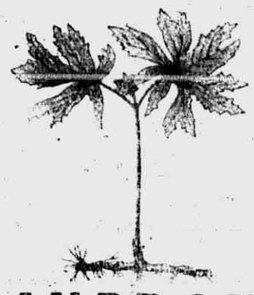

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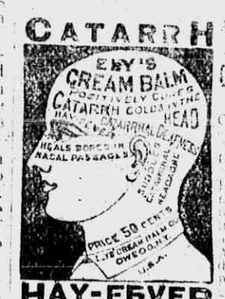

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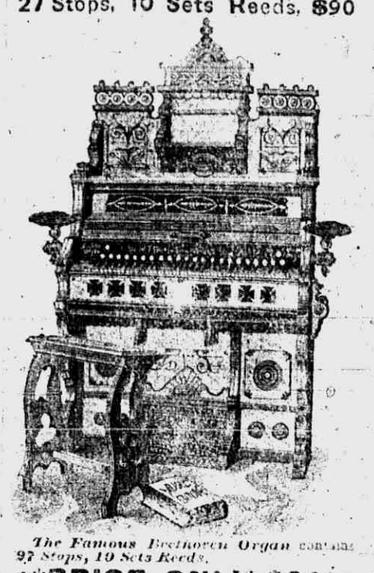

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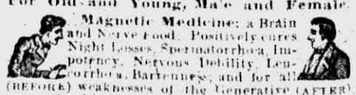

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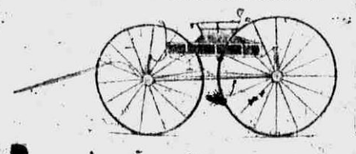

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

President Arthur openly declares that unless the revenue from the tariff is largely reduced he will call another session of congress.

A deed recorded Thursday conveyed to Theodore N. Valle the house and lots of Thomas J. Brady and wife, near Farragut square, the alleged consideration being $12,000.

Secretary Teller has concluded not to permit the ratification of leases of lands in Indian Territory to cattle men, whether made by individual Indians or by the councils.—Pasturage privileges from season to season can still be granted.

General Grant is said to have been surprised at the opposition of congressmen to the clauses of the proposed commercial treaty with Mexico. It seems certain that no further concessions can be obtained from that country, and that the scheme will fail.

Twenty Republican members held a conference Thursday and agreed upon a course of proceeding calculated to further the passage of the tariff bill. Twenty democratic senators gathered and resolved to avoid the appearance of obstructing legislation. The measure

The house agricultural committee at Washington has agreed to report favorably a bill to create nine commissioners to investigate the movement of products to market, the cost of their transportation to the carrier, and the charges made to the shipper.

The marquis of Lorne on Saturday occupied a seat in the members' gallery of the house with Speaker Keifer while Mr. McKinley spoke on the degradation of labor in England. An introduction to members followed, when the visitor was conducted to the senate chamber and presented to leading senators.

Red Cloud claims that Gen. Crook seized and sold for $5,000 a large number of Indian ponies, the agreement being that the money was to be expended for cows for his tribe, which was not done. A search of the records of the Indian bureau proved fruitless, and an explanation will be asked from those who made the sale. A similar transaction at Cheyenne agency was faithfully carried out.

THE NEXT HOUSE.

Clerk McPherson has made up the roll of the next house. All the districts are represented except the Sixth Louisiana, Second Mississippi and Third North Carolina. The Louisiana and North Carolina representatives have died since the elections last fall. In the Mississippi case Mr. Manning, who holds the certificate, has asked that his name be not put on the roll until it is determined whether Chalmers or he is to represent the district.

THE NAVY.

All of the general legislation introduced in the naval appropriation bill was stricken out by the house, except that relating to commodores. The naval officers and their sisters, cousins, and aunts, who were in the galleries were delighted with the outcome of the controversy, and immediately deserted the capitol. The bill as it stands now abolishes the rank of commodore and paymaster by prohibiting promotions or appointments to these grades, and providing that both grades shall cease to exist when the present incumbents die or resign or are retired.

A RAILROAD BILL.

The subcommittee of the senate committee on railways, appointed a month ago to consider and report upon Senator Miller's bill to consolidate certain lines of railway with the Southern Pacific railway, so that the roads leading from New Orleans to the Pacific coast should constitute one line, met for the first time Tuesday. The committee discussed the bill at considerable length; and, while no action was taken the unanimous opinion of the committee appeared to be that no consolidation should be permitted unless the roads agreed to accept a freight and passenger rate that would be satisfactory to the people along the lines of the road. If congress ever intends to control interstate commerce, this bill of Senator Miller's presents a good opportunity to make a beginning. The roads interested are asking a favor, and, if they get what they want, ought to be ready to give something in return.

THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

A great many anxious inquiries are heard here about the president's purpose in regard to the civil-service commissioners whom he is called upon to appoint, under the Pendleton bill, recently signed. There are many gentlemen in Washington ready, and even eager, to serve on this commission, and it is an interesting fact that one of them, an intelligent literary man, with a good knowledge of government affairs, has talked with his friends about the expediency of securing signatures to a letter to the president urging him to appoint his servant to a place. The [illegible] a letter was dropped when the [illegible] was pointed out [illegible] taking place under the Pendleton bill, which directly [illegible] "influence" in obtaining appointments. The president, it is said, has considered the subject of the nomination [illegible] upon anyone, and does not [illegible] upon him [illegible] commission [illegible] important a work.

AGITATION OF LAWS ON THE TARIFF.

The session is expected to members of congress the interest he feels in the pending propositions to reduce internal and custom revenues. He says, in terms, that he deems it very important that such reductions as he mentioned in his message should be made. He regards it as essential that there shall be a sharp reduction in internal taxes and a considerable revision of the tariff. In the matter of internal revenue, it will be remembered that in his annual message he recommended the abolition of all taxes of this class, "except those upon tobacco in its various forms, and upon distilled spirits and fermented liquors, and except, also, the special tax upon the manufacturers and dealers in such articles." In the matter of the tariff, he still urges, as then: "An enlargement of the free list, so as to include within it the numerous articles which yield inconsiderable revenue; a simplification of the complex and inconsistent schedules of duties upon certain manufactures, particularly those of cotton, iron and steel, and a substantial reduction upon those articles, and upon sugar and molasses and silk, wool, and woolen goods. If a general revision of the tariff shall be found to be impracticable at this session, I express the hope that at least some of the more conspicuous inequalities of the present law may be corrected before your final adjournment." Some of those who have heard the president talk express the opinion that, if congress adjourned without acting on the directions indicated by the president, he will call an extra session very soon after the 4th of March.

AMERICAN PORK.

Mr. Sargent, United States minister to Germany, has made to the state department an official report with regard to the threatened exclusion from that country of American products. Sargent says:

I have the honor to report that a very strong feeling of opposition has been aroused in Berlin and other German cities, as well as in the manufacturing districts generally, against the threatened exclusion of American pork products. Strong protests are being sent in to the bundesrath, and committees of merchants and others have visited the capital to protest against the measure. Editorials in leading papers have fully exposed the falsity of the excuses for the exclusion. If this were strictly a government of public opinion in the American sense, these general public appeals, backed as they are by solid reasoning upon indisputable facts would prevent the project would be abandoned. [illegible] ght by all apt means to oppose [illegible] and have lost no opportunity to [illegible] true character and to show that [illegible] of American swine is unimpaired and American swine products entirely wholesome. I do not think these latter propositions are now seriously disputed by people of intelligence. The movement is purely sectional and in disregard of the interests of the United States. The only argument which would be effective would be the fear of reprisals. We could not insist upon any people receiving from us articles deleterious to health, but we can as little submit to the exclusion of our products upon false pretenses—pretenses so obviously false as in this instance.

A CONGRESSIONAL PLAN.

The latest plan proposed for remedying the inconvenience of the dates fixed by the present law for the beginning of the sessions of congress is advanced by Representative Blanchard, of Louisiana. Under his plan the sessions of the forty-eighth congress would begin on the 4th of March and the first Monday in December as provided by the present law, leaving that congress having been elected, however not much, it would be wise to place any change in its sessions. The session of the forty-ninth congress would begin on the 4th of March succeeding the March session of the forty-eighth congress, and that session would begin the first Monday in January, 1885, and end on or before the 1st day of December in the same year. The terms of members elected to the fifth congress he proposes should begin [illegible] December, 1886, and last at most until the first Monday in December, 1887, and that the term of each succeeding congress thereafter shall begin on the first Monday of December after its election and on the first day of the second December following the beginning of its term. The first regular session of the fifth congress under this plan would begin on the first Monday of December, 1886, and the second session on the first Monday of December, 1887. The principal objects of this change of time of the meeting of the first session of a congress are to avoid the election of congressmen a twelve months in advance of the first regular meeting of the congress to which they were elected, and to provide for the presidential succession for then there would be a speaker of the house to succeed to the presidency in case of the president and vice president dying or becoming disabled within the meaning of the constitution. It does not avoid the loss of time that results from the nearness of the Christmas date to the beginning of the sessions, but it does away with an enforced short session and leaves congress free to sit during the whole year if the interests of public necessity should require it.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

JAN. 22.—In the senate Mr. Bayard presented a petition for a law to prevent discrimination by railways. Mr. Logan introduced a bill regulating telegraph companies to receive and transmit dispatches from any other line without favor. Mr. Platt submitted an act for the extension of the free delivery system in postoffices. The tariff bill consumed the remainder of the session, the chief debate being on the lumber duty.

JAN. 23. In the senate, Mr. Voorhees presented a memorial from Gen. Herman Sturm of Indiana, setting forth his claim against Mexico for aid in the expulsion of the French forces. A resolution was offered that hereafter no treaty treaties be considered only in open session. The tariff bill was taken up. A motion by Mr. Sherman to make the duty on pig and scrap iron three-tenths of a cent per pound was rejected. The rate on steel rails was fixed at seventenths of a cent per pound.

JAN. 24. When David Davis called the senate to order, the only senator present was Mr. Butler. With the gravity the acting vice president called out: "The senator from South Carolina will [illegible] to order." The senate, when enough members were present, proceeded to the consideration of the tariff. The metals schedule was debated by Sherman, Beck, Malone and Bayard. Motions to make the duty on iron $2, $1, 50 cents and 75 cents were lost in succession and without further action the senate adjourned.

JAN. 25. To-day having been set apart for services in honor of the late Senator Hill, of Georgia, on motion of Senator Brown, immediately after the reading of the journal, remarks eulogistic of the deceased were begun. At the conclusion thereof the senate adjourned and the republicans resumed their caucus on the tariff.

JAN. 26. In the senate, an adverse report was made on the bill to increase the pensions of one-armed and one-legged soldiers. Mr. Platt introduced a bill to add $6 per month each to all pensions of $24 or $30.—The committee on agriculture reported in favor of holding a world's centennial cotton exposition in 1884. Consideration of the tariff bill was resumed. The duty on flat bar iron was reduced to $18 per ton, and on round or square bar iron to $20 per ton. On iron or steel rails the rate was made eight-tenths of a cent per pound and on tin plates 1 cent.

JAN. 27.—In the senate, a petition was received from the council of Six Nations of Indians, asking a recognition of their interest in certain lands in Kansas. Some work was done on the tariff bill.

HOUSE.

JAN. 22.—In the house, Mr. Rosecrans introduced a bill empowering journalistic writers to procure copyrights and receive protection after the publication of articles. A joint resolution was passed appropriating $200,000 for the work of the census bureau. Mr. Luna introduced a bill to grant pensions to the children of Kit Carson, now living in poverty at Las Vegas.

JAN. 23.—In the house, Mr. Butterworth introduced a bill for the appointment of seven commissioners to investigate questions relating to railroad or steamboat tariffs for passengers or freight. Bills were reported to retire Rufus Ingalls with the rank of major general; to place Representative Smalls on the retired list of the navy, and to send a special committee of three members to take testimony in the election contest in the Fourth Alabama district. In committee of the whole on the naval bill an amendment was adopted for the gradual abolition of the pay corps of the navy.

JAN. 24.—The house went into committee of the whole on the naval appropriation bill. A paragraph was adopted to provide for the completion of one of the double-turreted monitors, either in a navy-yard or on proposals from ship-builders. The bill was reported to the house, and the amendments were adopted in bulk, except the one providing that chiefs of bureaus shall receive no additional pay.

JAN. 25.—The house passed the naval appropriation bill, after rejecting an amendment to provide that chiefs of bureaus shall receive no additional pay and adopting a clause to give Asa Weeks $50,000 for the use of his torpedo invention. Tributes to the memory of Senator Hill were offered by Messrs. Hammond, House, Hooker, and Cox, when an adjournment was taken.

JAN. 26.—In the house, three members presented petitions against the transfer of the revenue marine, lifesaving, marine hospital, and signal service. A bill was reported granting the right of way for a railroad through the Fort Smith military reservation. The tariff bill was taken up in committee of the whole and Mr. Kelley declared it the best ever submitted to congress. It was agreed that general debate on the measure shall close at 5 o'clock today.

JAN. 27.—The house spent the day in committee of the whole on the tariff bill.—Mr. Bland charged the republicans with endeavoring to choke the pending measure through congress under threats by the president of calling an extra session. Mr. Kelley asked the authority for such a statement, and Mr. Reagan said it came from a senator who had discussed the matter with the president. Useless debate consumed the remainder of the session.

Thomas Delaney, who was night clerk of the ill-starred Newhall house, testified Wednesday that he could have awakened the guests on the north side of the hotel, but was engaged in business he considered of more importance. It is believed that John F. Antisdel will be arrested for criminal negligence in management.

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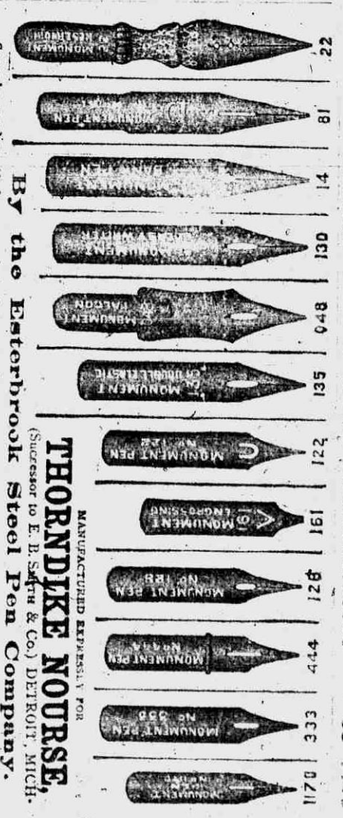

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ESTATE OF CYRUS SAVIERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Cyrus Saviers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Gideon D. Perry, administrator of said estate alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the widow and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be held at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register.

ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Thursday, the 4th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate John H. Holderman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Reshia Holderman, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Henry Smith of the village of Tecumseh, in said county, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF NOYES A. DARLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Noyes A. Darling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Darling, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thereof, incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account, now on file in this court, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF ELLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Stocking, husband of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Samuel Hardy or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee in favor of [illegible] Barbour, against the goods and chattels of the estate of Chandler D. Bills in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on the [illegible] day of January, A.D., 1883, levy upon, seize and take all the right, title and interest of the said Chandler D. Bills, at the time of this levy, in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, all that certain property situate and described as follows, to wit: The east half and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-two, and the northeast quarter and the southwest quarter of section thirteen, all in town six, south of range five east, said being in the township of Ridgeway, and the southwest quarter of section thirty-four, in town six south, range five east, being in the township of Cambridge. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of Dennis's opera house, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee, on the ten day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 10th day of January, A.D., 1883.

C. A. STACY, Sheriff.
CHARLES BIDWELL, Deputy.
Plaintiff's Attorney.

ESTATE OF JAMES EAST.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on the 9th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James East, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Wright, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Thomas East or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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A skating park everywhere and no danger of drowning.

A rare thing but we have it. Everybody has the skating fever. Some could not wait until Monday morning.

People get tired very easy this week. Almost any time some one can be seen lying or sitting down on the crust; we suppose to rest.

We tried to say last week that Miss Lorane Remington was visiting her sister in the village, but was made to say quite a different thing.

Quite a number of our people availed themselves of the chance to hear Geo. W. Bain, at Grange Hall, and were delighted with his lecture.

Chas. Gove, who purchased George Dibble's farm, has taken possession. George will move to a farm recently purchased near Adrian.

Jonathan Hall met with a painful accident last week. While out in the yard he slipped, falling heavily upon the ice, causing a fracture of the thigh, which, considering his age, will probably render his limb useless even if he should rally from the shock and continue in good health. His condition however is considered very critical.

The annual M. E. church donation will occur next week Thursday evening. Everybody and their friends and neighbors are invited to attend. The ladies, of course, understand that they will be expected to furnish the table.

A mistake in the names of the contracting parties occurred in the marriage notice which appeared in these items last week. The parties were Henry Clark and Miss Ella Dibble.—The wedding was largely attended and the gifts were numerous, a list of which is given below.

Mr. & Mrs. Jno. P. Whitt, knives and forks; Mr. & Mrs. Frank Smith, lamp; Geo. T. Clark of Toledo, silver table spoons; Mrs. A.W. Smith, towel; Amelia, Mary and George Whitt, Fred Kammerer, extension table; Mr. & Mrs. Pattison, wash-bowl and pitcher; Ada Dibble, brush holder; Mr. & Mrs. Nathan Dibble, glass tea set; Mr. & Mrs. Chauncy Dibble, bed spread; Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Gove, glass sauce dish; Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Dibble, lamp; Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Dibble, glass pitcher; Ella Pattison, set goblets; Edd. Clark, lamp; Mr. & Mrs. Francis Dibble, three table spreads; Emma Dibble, silver teaspoons; Chas. Dibble, towel; Mr. & Mrs. Frank Dibble, large glass sauce dish and set small ones; Bertie Anderson, three cakes toilet soap; Chauncy J. Dibble, butter knife; Mrs. G. Russel, silver piece; Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Getty, clock; Henry Clark, set chairs; Miss Tilley Getty, set goblets; Mrs. Clark, Sylvester Clark, Isabella Clark, Waller Clark, set dishes; Mr. & Mrs. Henry Dibble, tureen.

WEST TECUMSEH TIDBITS.

Commercial Telegraph Line.

Have you been skating yet?

Dewitt Bowen and Atwater Mangus skated to Adrian and back last Monday.

Much anxiety is felt in regard to the crop of wheat under the ice crust.

Twenty six years ago in this vicinity the fields were one vast skating rink as to-day.

Mrs. E. C. Coryell is on the sick list; also Jacob McNeil is confined to the house by sickness.

Henry Lancaster, of Evans lake, had a stack of straw tip over one day last week; burying three horses beneath it. Two were rescued alive and one was found smothered to death.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

Miss Flora Parker, of Ypsilanti, is spending a few days with Miss Fullerton, at Dave Woodward's.

Gracie Spafford is on the sick list.

Herbie, David Silvers' little boy, fell down stairs a few days ago, and is threatened with a serious run of sickness in consequence.

Mrs. George Kies was in town Monday.

Chas. Burroughs and Chas. Johnston and wife, of Detroit, spent last Sabbath in Clinton.

Several young fellows skipped the crystal 'beautiful' from Manchester to Tecumseh on skates Tuesday, stopping in Clinton only for a short rest.

Married, in Clinton, on Sunday, Feb. 4, by Rev. E. W. Miller, Mr. Geo. Mead and Miss Mary Osborn; both of Macon.

A livery-man from Tecumseh started to take a load from that place to Manchester last Saturday, and after reaching Clinton was obliged to turn it over to Ed. Clark who finished the journey, but not without considerable damage to his team.

Clinton is to have a milk wag a about the first of March.

Dr. Burchard visits his patients on skates.

The Congregational society will hold a social to-morrow Friday, evening, at the residence of Jas. B. Hause.

Dr. Adams horse took exception to the crystal carpeting upon being hitched in Wednesday, and quickly spilled the doctor and Rev. J. W. Payne out in the snow. The cutter was somewhat demoralized.

The great temperance lecturer spoke to a fair audience at Town Hall last evening.

Rev. E. W. Miller has as guests at his residence, mother-in-law, brother, wife and two children, and a sister.

Surprise party at Katie Millspaugh's last Saturday.

Happy little gathering at Miss Ella Bartlett's Monday evening last.

THE DIAMOND MORNING.

You saw the diamond morning,
And you know what I mean,
When I say that every tree top
Was crowned like a queen;
That every branch and every shrub, and every drooping vine,
With diamonds gleamed, with diamonds hung, with diamonds were enshrined.

You saw the king of daylight
Coming forth in royal sheen,
With a crown of peerless jewels
For the brow of his queen;
And the crowns upon the tree-tops
Caught the glory of the glow,
And reflected it in colors
To the whitened earth below;
And enraptured with the radiance of the day thus proudly born,
Said you not: "O! king of daylight, tis thy diamond wedding morn."

Oh! diamond spangled branch and vine,
Ye have a maxim choice, I ween,
'Tis where thy jeweled pendants hang,
A blossom lies between;
But the jewels, ah the jewels, they must vanish from our view
By the magic art of nature be distilled in gentle dew;
And when the springtime wakes the buds, the dew from off the plain
Will kiss those buds in blossom
With the sunshine and the rain.

And that's not all, oh jewels,
That now ye brightly glow;
When those blossoms bright are withered,
There is left a germ, I know.
That will ripen into richness
By the summer's lengthened days,
And with plenty fill our baskets,
In those bright autumnal days;
We will feast on fruitful plenty, and with grateful hearts will bless
Thou who camest to us with beauty in thy gem-bespangled dress.

Would you e'er behold this radiance
That endureth but a night,
You must seek it in the splendor
Of the city out of sight;
Whose bright walls are all of jaspar, clear as crystal and as pure
As the fountains of the river, that shall ever more endure;
Ye are clothed, therefore, with purity, and when the bridegroom comes,
He will take thee at his bidding to those jaspar palace domes,
Oh! the rapture and the radiance of the ransomed who shall rest
In the city called "celestial," in the regions called the "blest."

You saw the diamond morning,
And you know what I mean,
When I say that every tree-top
Was crowned like a queen,
That every branch, and every shrub, and every drooping vine,
With diamonds gleamed, with diamonds hung, with diamonds were enshrined.

TECUMSEH, Feb. 5, 1883. E.A.D.

IMPROVE THE RURAL SCHOOLS.

The Educational News for February has these sensible words to say on the effort which is making in certain quarters to break down our graded schools. The true solution of the school problem is to make the country schools better, not to make the village schools worse:

Our common schools are greatly in need of a system of grading which will do away with the present custom of beginning at the beginning of each study every term. Since the introduction of the union school system in cities and larger villages, great progress has been made, and we may justly be proud of this class of schools.—On the other hand little or no effort has been made to grade what may properly be called the rural schools. This has led to an unequal development, and is the basis for the cry that too much time is given to develop the graded schools, while the rural schools are allowed to retain about their normal condition. From the nature of the rural schools, they never can attain that degree of perfection in grading that is secured in larger schools; but what we need is legislation which shall allow and require the rural districts to have as good schools as their nature will permit. It is not less perfection and less system in the graded schools that we need, but more system and more perfection in the common schools.

Prof. Tice's weather predictions for February: 1-2, clear and fair; 2-6, clouding and threatening weather, with heavy storms about the 6th; 7-8, clear or fair; 9-13, cloudy with heavy storms about the 13th; 14-15, clear or fair; 16-19, cloudy, threatening and heavy storms; 22-25, cloudy weather and local storms; 26, clear and fair; 27-28, cloudy weather and very heavy storms. The warmer days will be about the 5, 12, 18, 23 and 28, and the cooler days about the 2, 7, 14, 21, 25.

The National Relief and Accident Association will occupy their new office at an early day.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Feb. 4, 1883.

In the matter of Mary Elliott, an alleged inelligent insane person; application for admission to the asylum; order of hearing Jan. 27, 1883.

sane person; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Theodore S. Faxon, an incompetent person; release of late guardian.

Estate of Sarah Reed, deceased, warrant and inventory.

Estate of Elvira Taylor, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Feb. 26, 1883.

Estate of Edmund S. Garnsey, deceased; warrant and inventory; order of an allowance for support of widow and family for one year.

Estate of Etta F. Tunison, minor; release of guardian; order of discharge.

In the matter of Anna Elliott, an insane person, affidavit of service filed; testimony taken; order for admission to asylum.

Estate of Abner Stanley, deceased; affidavit of publication; assignment; distribution; discharge.

Estate of James Wheeler, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's annual account allowed.

Estate of Forence E. McCollum et at., minors; affidavit of publication; guardian's account allowed.

Estate of George A. Hathaway, deceased; affidavit of publication; will; proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Samuel J. Heath, deceased; receipts filed; order of discharge administrator.

Estate of Peter Bookman, deceased; affidavit of publication; account allowed; appointment; discharge.

Estate of Maria E. Orcutt, deceased; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Andrew J. Burtless, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioner's notice; commissioner's warrant and report; affidavit of publication; account allowed; discharge.

Estate of John Glenn, deceased; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of William Taylor, an insane person; affidavit of publishing and posting notice of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Plumb C. Fox, deceased; affidavit of publication; account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Isaac L. Kniffin, deceased; order of continuance until February 12, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Betsy Westcott, deceased; order of continuance until February 12, 1883, at ten o'clock.

Estate of Caleb M. Roosa, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of George R. Powers, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Parley J. Spaulding, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioner's notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of William A. Beach, an incompetent person; petition for the appointment of a guardian; hearing February 16, 1883.

Estate of James Neeley, deceased; receipts; discharge.

Estate of Samuel Arner, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioner's notice; commissioner's warrant and report.

Estate of Wilhelm Grennenwald, minor; release of guardian; order of discharge.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending February 3, 1883:

ADRIAN.

James Berry to John Gorman. Land in city. $450.

Charles Wakefield to L. P. Wing. Land in city. $700.

M. P. Halstead to C. C. Van Doren. Land on sec. 23. $1000.

BLISSFIELD.

Edmund Mallory to Milliman Brown. Land in village. $3,200.

CAMBRIDGE.

Albert Howard to Rufus C. Payne. Land on sec. 33. $1,200.

Albert F. Howard to Hiley Onsted. Land on sec. 33. $425.

DEERFIELD.

E. S. Crane to Joseph Stoll. Land on sec. 23. $1200.

DOVER.

Francis A. Grant to Sarah A. Carroll. Land on sec. 17. $720.

FRANKLIN.

C. W. Luce to Herman Bailey. Land on sec. 26. $228.80

OGDEN.

E. S. Garnsey to Hannah Garnsey. Land on sec. 25. $2000.

Sarah McCarey to C. F. Mason. Land on sec 13. $2400.

RIDGEWAY.

Rufus Raymond to S. H. Satterthwaite and T. G. Mead. Land on sec. 30. $5550

RIGA.

C. F. Mason to Edwin Mason. Land on sec. 8. $700.

E. S. Garnsey to J. S. Garnsey. Land on sec. 19. $1600.

ROME.

Eliza M. Griffin to Stephen Bugbee. Land on sec 25. $1600.

TECUMSEH.

Maria M. Stacy to Nehemiah Sutton. Land on sec 33. $361.50.

WOODSTOCK.

Benj. VanCamp to Joseph L. Drake. Land on sec. 10. $9600.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Scarlet fever is prevailing at Kalamazoo.

Manistee decides to buy a hand fire engine.

Battle Creek merchants are organizing against slandering.

The spring fair of the Schoolcraft agricultural society will be held May 23-5.

The president has nominated C. Walbridge to be postmaster at Manchester.

Willitts and Lacy were the only two Michigan congressmen who voted for free quinine.

Rev. John Hughes accepts invitation to the universalist pastorate at Muskegon for one year.

Scarlet fever is prevailing in portions of Eaton county but no cases have appeared at Charlotte.

Geo. K. Brown, of Michigan, gets a $1,200 clerkship in the war department at Washington.

Marcus C. Palmer, of Pittsford, Hillsdale county, who came to Michigan in 1831, is dead; aged 78.

Johnston's mills at Columbianville, Lapeer county, are filling an eastern order for 4,000 doors.

Remus, Mecosta county has bonus advantages to offer a furniture dealer who will locate there.

James S. Rollins, of the university of Missouri, has sent for 100 copies of ex-Governor Jerome's retiring message.

A valuable black horse belonging to the hearse team of undertaker Robinson, of Charlotte, dropped dead on Tuesday while being driven.

Nothing has yet been heard from Willie Fletcher, the nine years old Muskegon boy who so mysteriously disappeared from his home Jan. 19.

James Richards, of Florence, St. Joseph county, for 40 years a resident of the county and one of its most respected citizens, died last week.

Three new churches are being erected in Eaton county, one at Charlotte; one at Chester and one at Carmel.

Bellevue fire department has a novel way of preventing the engine freezing. They put a lighted lamp inside the engine.

Rev. D. E. Owen, for 13 years pastor at Norwalk, Ohio, began his pastorate with the Benton Harbor baptist church last Sunday.

A young man named John Ryan was killed Thursday at M. Brennan's camp near Harrison, Clare county, by a rolling log.

Grass Lake has organized a lecture course, M. H. Raymond president and a course of five lectures will begin with Mrs. Ann Eliza Young on the 10th inst.

During January 119 prisoners were received at the Jackson prison, 12 were discharged, one escaped, one transferred, two died and three pardoned; present number 636.

Miss Lotta Manguse, a young lady teaching school near Coldwater, walked a mile and a half to her school with the mercury 16 degrees below zero the other morning.

John Drake, bus man at Corunna, bought a horse at auction last summer for $250 that now proves to be a 2:30 trotter, and parties want to give him $1,000 for the beast.

Dr. Brainard, of the Fenton baptist seminary, dissected a human heart, before his class in physiology last Monday. Shades of Hillsdale college, what are we coming to?

At the annual meeting of the Central Michigan agricultural society at Lansing last week, O. M. Barnes was elected president; the fair will be held in Lansing the first week in October.

Louis Sinn, of Royalton township Berrien county, died of small pox last week; his father died of the same disease, contracted in Chicago, Jan. 7th, and two other children who are sick are getting well.

Mrs. Corey, the gypsy arrested for swindling a Calhoun county man out of $2,000, bailed herself out of the jail at Marshall by depositing $2,000 in bonds in the First national bank of that city.

A young man named Garrant was brought 15 miles to Alpena last Monday for medical treatment, but died in the sleigh at the doctor's door while his attendant was gone in to see if the doctor was at home.

Elba, Lapeer county, is without a school inspector, the former one having moved away and his successor not having been appointed, and the way the six schoolma'ams are taking the conceit out of the Elba kids is a caution.

Ted's Account of New Year's.

"By the way," said Mr. Samuel Gloss, "I've a letter from Ted. It's quite a heavy one, you see for a chap of 16, but I can't make out such a mass of scrawl. Here, children, suppose you read it."

Before Mrs. Gloss could [illegible] her hand Uncle Joe, Mr. Gloss' bachelor brother, interfered pro. "Let me have the boy at first; I always did like that sunny sparkling of yours."

After glancing at the down-all prodigality of the superscription, Uncle Joe's face [illegible] over the pages, and, being an early riser, retired to enjoy the rich treat alone in the library of Elmwood.

The Gloss family, tired out after the holiday season, were having a leisurely evening in the drawing-room. The library, being an old-fashioned place, and supposed to be out of daily use, was appropriated for use as a great trouble emporium—the vast receptacle of the conventional New York parlor was to be like a mammoth and splendid coffin to permit of even its proprietors feeling at ease.

Aunt Ted Papa and Mamma [illegible] Mr. Maxe Lot and Rosie Gloss. Mr. Newcomb, a profusion of many smiles and compliments, of many yards of fine clothing, of a very rare and a very fine generous, and [illegible] charitable, crusty and rich. There was also a young fellow called Fred Torrance, but he was only a clerk in papa's office at a small salary. Though he had a good deal of the quizzing gold [illegible] was very modest. "And I wonder," he [illegible] "if Uncle Joe ought to be. Twelve hundred a year indeed!"

Newcomb remarked in his sweetest way, "How [illegible] a poor fellow like me has the chance of supporting a large family [illegible]!"

A [illegible] carefully [illegible] for only Rosie to hear, was a crowning [illegible] of his [illegible] with a [illegible] existence.

Maxe [illegible] Rosie [illegible] "No [illegible] A [illegible] Mr. Newcomb was an approved candidate for the position of son-in-law!

Rosie, who was clever and [illegible] a marvellous [illegible] of [illegible] and [illegible] forehead, could appreciate and [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] Newcomb, and [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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THE LIME-KILN CLUB.

Brother Gardner Delivers an Oration on Lawyers.

Detroit Free Press.

"Each day as I look ober my paper," said the old man as the lights were turned up, "I see a case of embezzlement, wholesale robbery, breach of trust or misuse of odder people's money. One day it am de cashier of a bank, de nes' day it am a city or county treasurer, de nex' it am some confidential clerk or a bank president, or de treasurer of some corporation. It is an era of 'stealin' an' embezzlin' an' trade. No man who has money in de hand of a friend or employe feels safe. No man who depends upon another man knows what a day may bring forth.

"What being dat dis state of affairs? Who prodds dem? What makes de lawyers so active?

"There was silence throughout the hall as the president paused and looked up and down. Sandy Pole was about to rise up and explain that he hadn't made a dollar out of lawyer, and didn't expect to, when Pickles Smith hit him.

Gardner continued:

"I arraign de lay of de kentry an' charge de lawyers, big an' little, wid bein' de direct cause of dis reign of knavery. Three men outer five am honest only until der am a chance to make a haul by bein' dishonest. One man outer three will be dishonest on all occashuns whar dar am a chance to escape consequences. If dar was no law to punish dishonesty, we wouldn't find one man in twenty doin' de honest thing fur' principles' sake. It am de fear of consequences which keeps thousands of clerks an' cashiers, an' treasurers honest.

"An' what do de lawyers say to ebery man who's fingers itch to make a haul? Dey might as well advertise at reg'lar rates-dat dey will guarantee to clear 'em of de law fur a sartin sum. Let me steal $75,000 in cash an' nine-tenths of the lawyers of Detroit will be eager to defend me—to effect a compromise—to hush it up—to clear me of punishment. About de best legal talent in America makes a spec'alty of defendin' criminals. Any lawyer am looked upon as good 'nuff fur prosecutin' attorney, while de werry keenest talent am reserved fur defense of thieves, burglars and odder law-breakers.

"Time after time men have stolen or embezzled, an' de lawyers have taken a shear of de plunder to clear 'em. We've had half a dozen cases right yere widin two y'ars, an' we am sartin to have mo'. Let me steal a ton of coal, an' up I go. Let me get my claws on $50,000 an' I doan' go up for shucks. I may be 'rested an' toted off to jail, but inside of a week de case am settled up, an' I walk de streets a hero. De lawyers return $40,000 of de money, pocket $9,950 an' han' me fifty as a reward fur bringin' 'em a fat case.

"Suppose it war' known dat ebery burglar dat is convicted would receive twenty years in prison, and no possibility of pardon, would we have one burglary whar' we now have two? Who makes burglary a payin' purfeshun? De lawyer.

"If a clerk who embezzled was sartin to receive a five or ten y'ar sentence, how many cases of embezzlement would you h'ar of in a year? An' who makes embezzlement a payin' bizness? De lawyer.

"If dat Rochester bank president am sent to state prison for twenty years, what will be de effeck on odder Rochester bank presidents? But he won't be. De lawyers have gathered to his aid, an' will defeat justice.

"I am spokin' what I believe to be de solemn truf, when I say to you dat law has become a farce, an' lawyers de middle-men between robbers an' de robbed. De question am how to break de law—not how to enforce it. It am not how to put a thief into prison, but how to keep him out. It am not how to punish dishonest officials, but how to gently squeeze out as much as dey kin restore, an' forgive the remainder. Let us purceed to bizness, feelin' dat whatever crimes we commit we stan' two chances of gom' clear to one of punishment."

Fishing on Florida Keys.

American Angler.

I need not mention what you are to take in the way of comforts, luxuries and knick-knacks, but you will want plenty of guns and fishing tackle, not spoons, flies, etc., as used in the little streams through the interior, but genuine hooks and lines—not pin hooks and spool thread lines, but steel hooks from one-eighth to one-half inch in thickness, with always a small chain of five to six feet in length, which is to be fast to the hook, in case, as is often true, a shark should take hold. The bait generally used here is mullet; these fish do not readily bite at the hook, but may be had by casting the net which your boatman or guide will be sure to take along. Now, so far as fishing is concerned, you have but to wait for the flood tide, and be located at or near some "pass," and your fun begins.

Look out, now! See that large red fish making for the bait—your blood may curdle and hair stand on end for now you are "into business." We will say that you have been fishing two hours and have some twenty-five of the finest fish in the world, these ranging in weight from five to twenty-five pounds, and embracing many varieties, such as sheepshead, trout, pompano, red fish, and two or three small sharks, called cubs, shovel-nosed, etc. But as the fun is yet in store, you must clean these fish when they are caught, while the tide is ebb, that the blood and offal may be washed into the gulf.

As the tide begins to flow prepare for one of the greatest events of a fisherman's career. Bring the ax, cut a solid stake four to six inches in diameter and five to six feet long, sharpen and drill it into the ground two-thirds or three-quarters of its length; now get out the "business" line and the devil fishes, put on five or six pounds of this red fish, and all hands "stand by."

There! there! he's on, hold fast—keep the line from slipping or working up and let one man hold the top of the stake—let him worry a little—all hands now for a pull.

His head being out, the ax will be serviceable. This is a shark—a whale—the lion of the deep! One feels that he never wants to bathe in the surf again. We will take this fellow's jaw bone and dry it for a trophy—a keepsake, a frightful curiosity, plenty large for a small man to crawl through when open.

An Editor Holds a Brother Editor Up to Scorn.

Index, Orange City, Iowa.

An apology is due our subscribers for the omission of the regular appearance of our paper last week. We foolishly yielded to a weakness which we would make any sacrifice to be rid of—a appetite for that which stands to-day the world's greatest curse—and, as we have always openly criticised the faults of others, thus plainly do we acknowledge our own.—Carroll (Iowa) Sentinel.

What a
Poor,
Pitiful
Pusillanimous
Thing it is! It loves whisky well, but it loves popularity better, and will make any sacrifice of self-respect to keep on the good side of the good!

It criticises other men for drinking, it stultifies itself by taking its dram, and then falls flat on its bloated belly and
Whi-i-i-mpers and
Whim-pe-rs
For pardon!
Ugh!
Take it away!

We say it—for the thing who will thus surrender pride by publicly explaining and apologizing for its private habits is not a man.

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A Hero.

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Member of Congress from Philadelphia.

T. S. ARTHUR,
Editor and Publisher "Arthur's Home Magazine," Philadelphia.

V. L. CONRAD,
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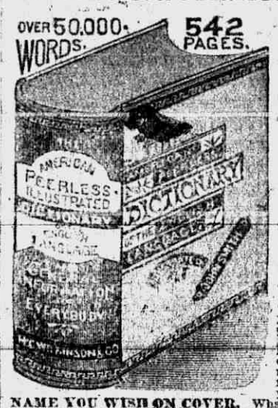

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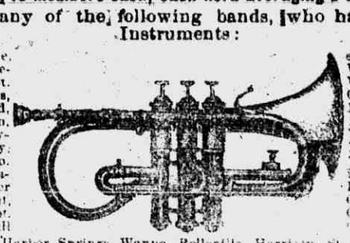

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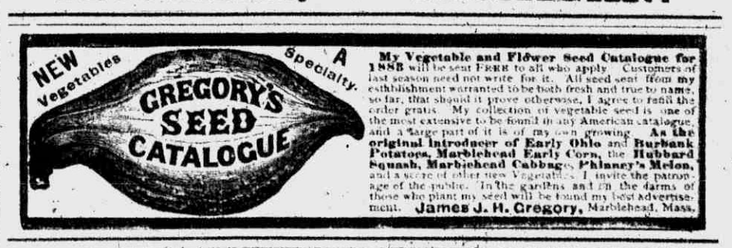

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The prospects for the passage of a tariff bill are improving every day. The bill will be tacked to death.

It will be Edwin Willetts or, Perry Hannah. Wait and see whether our prediction amounts to anything.

The Union renegades who voted for Tom Ferry in the Legislature should be presented with a leather medal by their constituents.

Treasurer Park of Tennessee and Treasurer Vincent of Alabama should organize a new firm and start a bucket shop in Chicago.

The Ferry boom is shaky and in need of repair. A new man will be taken up during the recess, and Ferry will quietly drop out of sight.

Persons owning mill property should take extra measures to avert the effects of a flood. A big freshet now would carry off a good many mill dams.

Ferry has the sympathy of a good many friends in his financial and political misfortunes. His creditors especially will weep tears over his downfall.

Hubbell has packed his grip sack and left Lansing for the more congenial clime of Washington. The good man has gone but he will not soon be forgotten.

At the revival in progress at Hudson, several converts were baptised by immersion through holes cut in the ice. This is taking religion, rather coldly we should say.

The girls in Iowa are taught to cook and do general housework. This is the right kind of woman's rights. And it is gospel. Democracy, also. Give the girls a chance.

The heavy sleet storm of last Saturday has never been equalled before in this section but once, that is, since the first settlement in 1824. That occurred in the neighborhood of thirty years ago.

The Cincinnati Times says: "Perhaps the Michigan Legislature in a lucid interval will adopt our suggestion and elect Thomas M. Cooley." The Michigan Legislature does not seem to be troubled with any lucid intervals this winter.

Jay Gould weighs one hundred and ten pounds. His usual dinner is a bit of steak about as large as his finger, and a cup of black coffee. He started business with a capital of fifty cents, and is now, at the age of forty-six, the richest man in America, with one exception.

The scientific savants of Adrian are greatly agitated in their search for a water supply for the new water works. A big mud puddle in the northwestern quarter that is dignified by the name of Springbrook pond will probably be chosen. At least this puddle is the favorite in the pool sales.

After a breathing spell of a few days, why not turn in, all hands, vote for Judge Cooley for U. S. Senator and make it unanimous? The people of Michigan would be pleased to see a representative in the Senate once more who could reflect the same honor upon the state which it enjoyed in the days of Gen. Cass and Jacob M. Howard.

The failure of Ferry Brothers of Grand Haven will put a quietus upon the Senator's campaign for re-election. The liabilities of the firm will exceed $500,000, and about $300,000 will cover all assets, and these have been secured to creditors in Chicago, Grand Haven and Grand Rapids. Creditors who are not secured will probably not get a cent.

A crisis arrived in the senatorial contest last Saturday. An effort was made to elect Ferry by the aid of democratic and greenback votes, but enough Republicans deserted his standard to leave him a few votes short. Representative Harkness of this county cast a vote for Willetts. Four ballots were taken amid intense excitement. Thus the last desperate game of the Ferry managers has miscarried.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5th, 1883.

The re-interment of the great Archbishop Hughes in the crypt of the new Cathedral last week, was one of the most solemn and impressive funeral pageants ever witnessed in this city. When at the conclusion of the services the choir of nearly three hundred voices thundered out Beethoven's grand Miserere the effect was absolutely thrilling. One poor servant girl was so overcome by it that her mind became unbalanced. She laughed and cried hysterically and had to be carried out of the church and conveyed home in a cab. The next day the poor lass became entirely and was sent to an insane asylum.

The solemnity recalls to mind the celebrated religious controversy the Brooks some twenty five years ago. Erastus and James W. Brooks at that time owned and conducted the Express which in those days had both a morning and an evening edition. James was the active man of the concern, the fighter, the writer of vigorous, pungent, short editorials, while Erastus was more the scholar and the student. He was well versed in religious matters, and for a layman had a remarkable knowledge of theology. The public school system was at that time in its infancy and the discussion arose whether the Bible should be read to the children. Mr. Erastus Brooks wrote some articles on the subject not favorable to Catholicism, which attracted so much attention and aroused so much comment that the Archbishop replied in a "letter to the editor." This brought out further remarks, and in a few days all of New York was interested in the controversial duel between these two brilliant men. Bishop Hughes then proposed that the discussion, which now had assumed large proportions and wandered from its original field to an argument as to the truth of the Catholic religion—should be conducted in another paper. He thought it would be fairer than if Mr. Brooks would have his say in the Express and the Archbishop his reply in his own organ, the Freeman's Journal.

About this time the only paper which was really making money was the Express and some of the great dailies of the present had indeed a hard time of it. The Brookses advanced them all money, and this was quite a power in the fraternity itself. Among their heaviest debtors was Webb's Courier-Enquirer, a paper long since extinct. Despite all assistance and all coddling the paper continued to retrograde, and for a while it looked as if the Messrs. Brooks would never be able to get back their money. Then when the Archbishop proposed to have the discussion in some independent paper the Brookses suggested the Courier-Enquirer.—Bishop Hughes was satisfied, and then the circulation of the paper went up with a bound, advertisements began to pour in, and in less than no time the paper was able to pay its debts. The discussion lasted for quite a while. As an old New Yorker expressed it, "it was a beautiful race, neck and neck." Towards the end Bishop Hughes seemed to be winning, but in an unfortunate moment he lost his temper and made use of an ugly expression against his antagonist. As one of the conditions of the controversy was that it was to be conducted in a purely objective manner, Brooks stopped at once, claiming that if a man was compelled to leave argument for vituperation he had lost his case, and public opinion awarded him the victory.

The Archbishop afterwards was very sorry for his words, and I believe the quarrel between the two men was made up. He was a warm-hearted, impulsive man and was frequently led into words and acts which he afterwards repented. The Irish people in the city were intensely bitter against Brooks and the Express, and it was frequently necessary for him and the employees of the paper to leave through back doors to escape violence, but Bishop Hughes rebuked them severely for it. Mr. Brooks however had the Americans proper with him, and they elected him to the Senate with an overwhelming vote. The Courier-Enquirer after the discussion ended rapidly retrograded again and soon after expired; but the Brookses had their money and did not complain.—This is a bit of secret journalistic history which I think has never been written before.

It strikes me that nowhere else in the country are the authorities so ready to make spasmodic efforts to satisfy a momentary craze or demand as in this blessed Gotham of ours. The case of Mace and Slade is an instance. These two distinguished gentlemen of bruising proclivities proposed to give an exhibition of "science" at Madison Square Garden. There was to be no knocking out. They were simply going to put on soft gloves and show what sparring was when reduced to a fine art. Then a number of goody-goody people wrote to the Mayor declaiming against this "brutal exhibition. The Mayor sent for the Police and the police to show how eager they are to make New York a sort of New Jerusalem stopped the performance and arrested Mace and Slade.

THE LAST UNIVERSITY TROUBLE.

The Regents or Faculties of the University seem destined to have some trouble on their hands most of the time, and in most cases it is occasioned by the meddlesome efforts of outside parties to shape the policy of the institution in educational matters, or to control its officials and professors for some sectarian or partisan purpose.

The latest muddle is a move against Prof. Frothingham for daring, as is alleged, to lead infidelity to the medical students. This attack is instigated by the same old ring that drove Prof. Watson out of the University, and has deprived the institution of some of its ablest instructors during the past 15 years. The inception of the trouble was given publicity last November in the following item which appeared in the papers:

"The Medical Faculty of the University of Michigan have just considered the charges made by student Morgan against Prof. Frothingham, of attacking the Christian religion, and the counter-charges of falsehood by Prof. Frothingham against Morgan. The Faculty on Nov. 24th decided that as to Prof. Frothingham they had no jurisdiction, but that the charges of the latter against Morgan were not sustained. This is claimed to be a victory for Morgan against Prof. Frothingham, and it is stated that the matter may now be taken into consideration by the Board of Regents as against the Professor."

This action was taken by a hostile minority at a partial meeting of the medical faculty, and was reversed at a full meeting the next day. Strange to say, the associated Press agent never learned of the action taken by the entire faculty, which sustained Prof. Frothingham, and that action was not generally known until recently. The Detroit Ministerial Union having published a series of resolutions reflecting upon Prof. Frothingham, the actual facts in the case are now made public. In last Friday's Post and Tribune appears a communication signed by nearly one hundred Medical students exonorating Prof. Frothingham fully from the charges made by the Ministerial Union. It is astonishing that a worthy body of men like the Ministerial Union should allow themselves to be imposed upon so egregiously as to pass a series of resolutions attacking the University and one of its ablest professors, on the supposed existence of certain facts which have no existence at all.

The open letter of Prof. Frothingham given below sets forth the position occupied by him in this controversy:

To the People of the State of Michigan: In the Detroit Evening News of the 29th inst. there was published a copy of a petition purported to have been adopted by the Detroit Ministerial Union, and designed by them to be circulated for signatures with a view of presenting it to the Board of Regents. It is difficult to conceive how a body of men, laying any claim to respectability, could have adopted this petition, founded as it is upon falsehoods, and falsehoods that have so lately been corrected by the almost unanimous voice of the medical class. But reasonable time having elapsed and no disclaimer having been published by any member of the Union, it is fair to infer that the paper was prepared and adopted by them as published. It therefore becomes my duty to state to the people of this commonwealth, that this petition, so cunningly worded, is a covert, false, and malicious personal attack upon me, and the Detroit Ministerial Union has allowed itself to be used through the influence of some personal enemies of mine, for that purpose.

So far as I know, I am the only teacher at present in the Medical Department of the University against whom such charges have lately been made, and I desire to say that they are false. I have never assailed true Christianity, as I understand it, nor have I gone out of my way to attack the ministerial profession, nor have I ever referred to them in the lecture room except in the legitimate discussion of the subject which I teach in the University. The charges lately made by one Rev. G. F. G. Morgan have been proved false by the overwhelming testimony of the medical class.

Some extracts of a lecture delivered by me in 1875 have been published, giving a garbled and false impression as to the whole tenor of the discourse. I have to say that that lecture was not delivered in my capacity of teacher in the University, but by invitation before the Senior Medical Lyceum, at a time when numerous clergymen were making a most unjust and abusive attack upon the reputation and character of Prof. Tyndall, for some of his scientific views, and when in the University the professor of physiology had been assailed and ultimately refused re-appointment largely because he had expressed views favoring Darwinism, and was therefore charged with atheism.

The lecture delivered by me was a criticism of the blind zeal that has led the majority of clergymen to oppose scientific discoveries, but true Christianity was spoken of with a reverence, and commendation that ought to satisfy the most devout. In conclusion I will say that I have no desire to retain my position in the University against the wish of a majority of the people who support it, but I feel it my duty under these aggravating circumstances to announce to the people of the state that since I have been in it attempts have been made to intimidate me in the honest and dignified discharge of my duty as a teacher. Men whose views accord with the commonly accepted theological dogmas have full liberty in the class-room and out of it to express their views, but upon all others a restraint is imposed. Those who dissent from the popular creeds have no rights or feelings that are considered worthy of respect.

In my opinion it would be wiser for the people to petition the Regents to eliminate all sectarianism from the University, than to invite them to persecute an individual member of the medical faculty for daring to express his honest and well-founded convictions upon subjects connected with his profession.

I have no appeal to make for myself, but I call upon all lovers of truth and fair play to investigate thoroughly the workings of the University and see whether the views of a majority of the tax payers are respected, or only the views of a fanatical minority. The people who own the University have a right to decide this question and to them I leave it.

G. E. FROTHINGHAM.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 31, 1883.

ACCIDENT ON THE T. & A. A. ROAD.

Last Friday while going to Ann Arbor on the morning train over this road, we passed the wreck of a passenger coach about a mile south of the morning train going south on the same day, a broken rail having thrown the rear coach from the track and turned it over into the ditch.

The train was in charge of Conductor McDowell who, the instant the train struck the rail, which was afterwards found broken in three pieces, pulled the bell cord and rushed to the rescue of the passengers in the coach. Engineer Rigg Spokes at once reversed the engine and stopped the train as quickly as possible, all the employes being promptly on hand to assist in the work of attending to the passengers in the coach, which was seen to careen over the bank, going down about 15 feet and turning almost bottom side up. The rest of the train was backed to the spot where the coach went down, and all on board at once proceeded to do what they could to extricate the imprisoned occupants of the coach who were found in a state of confusion and terror. Mr. A. W. Hamilton and wife, of Ann Arbor, Miss Mary Berringer, of Raisinville, Mich., a little girl named Edith Phillips, a daughter of the newly appointed agent of the road at Ann Arbor, G. W. Halford, publisher of the Ann Arbor News, Mason Brown, brakeman, residing in East Toledo, were all found quite badly hurt. Mrs. Hamilton was transferred to the first train returning to Ann Arbor, and was suffering severely from the tremendous shock she received, besides injury to her spine. Miss Berringer was left at Dundee and said she escaped with a few bruises outwardly, but felt that she was badly hurt internally. The rest of the passengers were brought to this city and are doing well although terribly shaken up. In the coach was John R. Rosenburg, of the university hospital, at Ann Arbor, who escaped unharmed.

It is wonderful that some of the passengers were not killed outright, but at last accounts they were all recovering from the slight injuries received.

A Correction.

ED. HERALD:

I noticed in last week's HERALD that in the notice of John Pennington's death etc., that the writer of the notice was silent in regard to how the deceased had stood in regard to the temperance and anti-slavery causes, while just and honorable mention was made in the notice of his brother Israel's death in regard to these causes. From that silence on these grand subjects, the public would naturally infer that the deceased was neither a friend of temperance nor a friend of the slave, but from early manhood he was a strong temperance man, and a staunch friend of the slave, ever voting, as well as talking, on the side of freedom and equal rights.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, February 7, 1883.

Allen, A. Marcer M.D. — Ellipess, E. D.
Bollinger, Henry — Holmes, Mrs. James
Colter, Rebecca C. — St. John, Mr. Jay B.
Christian, Miss Bertha

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROMAGANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Feb. 1, 1883.

Allison, Daniel A. — Hugo, Enos
Brigham, T. N. — Silvern, Miss Jennie
Miller, Della — Smith, Annie T. 2d.
Riley, Catharine

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say advertised. PETER SHARP, P. M.

DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $1.07.
CORN—white in the ear.
OATS—43c.
APPLES—$3.00 to $3.25 per bbl.
POTATOES—65c per bu.
DRESSED HOGS—$7.25.
CLOVER SEED—$7.90.

TOLEDO MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 2, red, $1.09.
CORN—57c, shelled.
OATS—42c.
DRESSED HOGS—$7.20.
CLOVER SEED—$7.80.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	1 75 @	2 00
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔	@	06
Butter, ₩ ℔	20 @	22
Barley, ₩ bushel	60 @	72
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75 @	2 25
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	60 @	65
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@	4 50
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @	7 00
Beef Hides	5 @	6
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear	28 @	30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	60 @	65
Clover Seed	7 00 @	7 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	22
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 50 @	6 25
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 00 @	7 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	10 00 @	12 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@	10
Ham, ₩ ℔	@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@	15
Oats, ₩ bushel	33 @	40
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	40 @	45
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 20
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	2 50
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	94 @	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	95 @	1 00

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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH BAFFETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Baffett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin E. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his final account, for his assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. febs

ESTATE OF WILLIAM RICHARD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Richard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Sarah L. Richard, and William A. Richard, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that they have paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for such other and further order in the premises deemed necessary and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Fred Rosacrans and John L. Anderson. The business will be continued under the firm name of W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

BUILDING NOTICE. The undersigned wishes to receive proposals for the mason and carpentry work on his livery stable soon to be built. Full specifications for use of contractors. O. C. KNEALE.
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COOK HOUSE—ANN ARBOR, MICH. E. H. Hudson, Proprietor. This house has been refitted and refurnished, is heated by steam and has all the modern conveniences. Special accommodations for commercial travelers. Terms reasonable.

IF you are going to want any grape vines this spring, leave orders at Slayton's Furniture store. SLAYTON & KINNEY.

GENERAL REPAIR SHOP. Having leased the building owned by R. Morrison, I am now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood, iron or steel. Pattern making a specialty. Clocks cleaned and repaired, saws straightened, gummed, filed and set. All work warranted.
TECUMSEH, Mich., Feb. 5, 1883. FRED P. DEUEL.
Shop opposite Hayden's Warehouse.

DOG LOST. Strayed or stolen last Thursday, a black and white setter dog. Anyone giving information which will lead to recovery will be liberally rewarded. JEHIEL DAVIDSON.

FOR SALE. One Saw Mill and Engine in first-class running order. Capacity 10,000 feet hard wood lumber per day. C. BILLS.

The snow of Tuesday greased up the sleighing splendidly.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The Gareis murder case has occupied most of the time in court during the past week. This case was called last Friday morning, and the entire day was consumed in getting a jury. Saturday the evidence was begun, which was continued on Monday and Tuesday. Yesterday was taken up with the argument of requests, and the pleas of the opposing counsel, and the case was given to the jury late in the afternoon.

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING.

The best and most successful mills now days are the Roller Mills. The corrugated rolls make a whiter and a stronger flour than the mill stone. The rolls granulate the flour evenly and do not salve and destroy the life of a portion of it as is done by the old system. Hundreds have found this to be true by using Comfort's Roller Flour. Farmers go twenty, and even twenty-five miles to Comfort's Roller Mills to exchange their good wheat for Comfort's Roller Flour. Comfort pays the very highest market price for good sound wheat. Grown and unsound wheat he does not want at any price. Cannot use it. The careful selection of sound wheat and the roller system of milling, with many other improvements which he has adopted, is what makes Comfort's flour so popular."

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In lieu of the premiums heretofore offered to the patrons of the HERALD, we have concluded this year to give them the benefit directly of the money formerly expended in that direction. We have arranged special club rates with the three best newspapers of Michigan, and can offer better terms on these three papers than was ever before offered in this county. We will furnish them at these rates:

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HERALD and Michigan Farmer... 2.60

In addition to these special offers, we can take subscriptions for all publications in connection with the HERALD at reduced rates. Call at the HERALD counting room before sending for your papers for 1883.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Hanover Times: A gang of shovelers are at work in the big marsh looking for a bottom on which to build a railroad. The manner of their daily forthgoing reminds one forcibly of the flight of the festive cygnet.

The January report of the civil engineer and contractors on the new railroad will show numerous patches of greater or less length graded between Tecumseh and Marshall. They have a certain method of coloring by which it can be told at a glance at just what time the work was performed.

Marshall Statesman: The driving of piles for the bridge at the mill pond commenced the first of the week and has attracted a large crowd of visitors. The hammer is an immense one and weighs 1,800 pounds. Twenty-five piles have been driven, averaging between 50 and 75 feet in length, and about 60 remain to be driven at the pond and 82 at the stone mill. Mr. P. E. Lacey estimates that there are only 400 piles to be driven on the Marshall division and thinks that it will be done by next week.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 8, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Fair Meeting

At the Opera House,

Next Saturday afternoon

At two o'clock precisely,

Let everybody be on hand.

For Tecumseh is bound to have a fair next fall.

Henry Ward Beecher was lecturing through the state last week.

Remember the adjourned fair meeting next Saturday afternoon.

The weather prophets say that an early spring may be looked for.

Grand skating carnival at the Opera House next Tuesday evening.

This is a hard winter on bees. They miss the customary January thaw.

The two cent letter postage law will go into effect the first of next July.

The Educational News for February is at hand. It is an extra good number.

It is hardly safe to travel about town now without having a pair of skates on.

Mrs. M. A. Miller, of Detroit, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. V. DePuy, of this village.

Ed. Clark, of Clinton, has bought Gregory's Livery stock and takes immediate possession.

Wolcott & Temple's planing mill is running this week, after a rest of a few days for repairs.

Mrs. John McGilvrae *nee* Nancy Hand, left Tecumseh on Tuesday for her home in Nebraska.

The Brownville Social Club spent last evening very pleasantly at the residence of Henry Brown.

Query: Will this icy crust, if it remains on the fields a week or two, smother the wheat and kill it?

The late storm seriously interfered with telegraphic and telephonic communication all over the country.

Prof. Beal of the Agricultural College will deliver the next lecture of the Macon course on the 14th inst.

The big telephone pole on Keil's corner which was cracked during the sleet storm was repaired yesterday.

A delegation of Petersburg business men, to the number of thirteen cutter loads, paid Deerfield a visit last week.

The aggregate vote poled in Lenawee county last fall was only exceeded by that of Wayne and Kent counties.

We have been very fortunate this winter in the long continued course of excellent sleighing, coasting and skating.

Our subscribers, who have been waiting for wheat to reach one dollar a bushel before paying for their HERALD can now sell some wheat and pay up.

Fred Deuel has opened a general repair shop in Morrison's building, on Railroad street, where he will do all kinds of repairing in wood and iron work.

The night train on the Jackson Branch last Tuesday arrived in Tecumseh about midnight and got to Jackson at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning.

We refer to the card, in another column, setting forth the merits of the "Taylor" system for cutting and fitting ladies' clothing. It is worth the price charged.

The skating carnival at the Opera House next Tuesday evening ought to be well patronized, as the projectors have been to considerable expense to get up a fine entertainment.

Hand in your local items, friends.—The editor cannot be everywhere at the same time, and many little matters escape his attention which he would gladly record if the facts were handed in.

Woolston Comfort knows the value of advertising. He has a local notice of his celebrated roller flour in all the newspapers in this section of the state. We predict that he will find it a good investment.

A telephone line will be constructed in the spring from Adrian to Toledo direct, which will give Tecumseh a short line to the latter city. Blissfield can have a local office by giving $800 of guarantee script.

The Philadelphia Times' Almanac for 1883 is at hand. It is the best annual of a statistical character that comes to our table, containing as it does very full election returns and much other valuable information both political and general.

A few ladies of Tecumseh blessed with a literary taste and the requisite amount of grit propose starting a public library here. Go ahead, ladies. All it needs to make such an enterprise a success is that a few good workers shall take the lead, and point out the way.

The terrible storm of last Saturday rendered it necessary to postpone the Fair meeting. The committee met however and talked over plans and adjourned the public meeting till next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Opera House. Those interested will please make a note of the time.

Did you ever see the like?

Lavern Ide spent last Sabbath in Tecumseh.

Yesterday was Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

John Trapp skated to Adrian last Tuesday in one hour and ten minutes.

Several Adrian boys took a trip over to Tecumseh last Saturday on skates.

Butter and eggs are going up. Eggs in our household have gone up out of sight.

The Jackson branch train this morning southward bound was an hour late.

Thomas Alderdyce, of Ambridge, has obtained a patent on a new trolling reel invented by him.

Rev. J. Smith, of Deerfield, slipped and fell on the ice and received some injuries, which it is feared may prove fatal.

The revival meetings at the Universalist church, conducted by the Friends, are continued this week with increased interest.

We connect Slayton & Son with the telephone exchange to-day. This makes us thirty-nine subscribers; who will be the fortieth?

Z. Cook, of Raisin, will start next Saturday for Smirna, Florida, on a business trip. He will be gone from home about a month.

The "breaking out" with which the Albion college girls are affected is not confined to their little rosebud mouths. They've got the measles.

James McNeil, the Jackson weather prophet, says that Michigan will soon be visited by a heavy thaw, worse than has been known for years.

Kennedy & Co., are shipping the last lot of 4,500 barrels of apples to New York and Philadelphia. W. M. Snedecor will accompany them.

The Farmers' Club will hold the next meeting Friday evening, Feb. 16 at John Garlinghouse's.
MRS. F. C. RECTOR, Sec.

Mrs. J. P. Slayton, instead of spraining her wrist, as stated in last week's paper, broke her arm at the wrist very severely. She is now improving however.

James A. Smyth has left Slayton's furniture store and gone to Grand Rapids. Jim is a good fellow and we wish him success. Sam Smyth takes his place in Slayton's.

The Republican State Convention will meet at East Saginaw on Wednesday, Feb. 28th. The Unionists will hold their convention one week later at Lansing, on March 7th.

There will be a Washington ball and oyster supper at Lake Ridge hotel Feb. 22. As this will be the last dance of the season, a large crowd, and a big time in general is looked for.

Under the present law no child under sixteen years of age can be convicted of any charge by a magistrate without the aid and advice of the county agent of the State board.

Thirty-two extra jurors will be summoned in the Dr. Hall murder case, transferred from Oakland county, and Cook & Duboll, lawyers of St. Johns, have been retained for the defense.

Mr. & Mrs. Granville Mills of Macon, celebrated the 20th anniversary of their wedding, Jan 29. A large number of guests were present and they received some very nice presents.

When they build a railroad the first thing they do is to break the ground. This is often done with great ceremony. Then they break the shareholders. This is done without ceremony.

The waste way in Hayden's mill race was broken last week by the ice accumulated upon it, and the pond was drained in a few hours. The damage has been repaired and the mill will be running again now.

The following puzzle seems to annoy people as much as the 13, 14, 15 puzzle: A man fattened twenty hogs, and was five days in butchering them, killing an odd number each day. How many did he kill each day?

Preaching to-night and Friday night in the M. E. church by Rev. W. H. Poole, L.L. D., of Detroit. The revival meetings are full of interest, large congregations attending nightly, and the meetings will be continued next week.

Mrs. Alonzo Murray died last Sunday morning. She has been in poor health for a long time although her final illness was only brief in duration. The funeral was held from the family residence of Mrs. Wm. C. Fisher on Wednesday last.

The Tecumseh Local Telegraph Co. met last Monday evening, formed a new charter, adopted articles for incorporation under the name of the Commercial Telegraph Co., and are now prepared to do business in an improved way. Substantially the same officers are in control as before.

We call attention to the business card of the Cook House at Ann Arbor. Mr. E. H. Hudson, the proprietor, will soon vacate the St. James hotel and give his entire attention to the Cook House, which will be conducted in the same excellent manner that it has been since he assumed the control. Persons visiting the University City will find it to their advantage to patronize the Cook House.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Clinton methodists have "box socials."

The Grangers of Morenci are fitting up a new hall.

Manchester is talking of buying a $4,000 fire engine.

The first methodist class meeting was held in Hudson 47 years ago.

John R. Clark is one of the lecturers in the Canandaigua lecture course.

The Lenawee Baptist Association held a mission meeting at Clayton last week.

Morenci turns off have slaughtered twelve foxes in the valley of the Bean this winter.

The bad boys of Hudson disturb the revival meetings there. There is talk of a rope there.

Persons who were assessed for the "Wilson" drain in Seneca back up and refuse to pay their ditch tax.

Landlord Snow of the Morenci Exchange has been "up north" and returned last week with a billy goat among the trophies of his visit.

The farm house of Charles Hamlin, in the town of Hudson, was destroyed by fire last week. A portion of the contents was saved. Loss $2,000.

The board of control of the Reform School, at Adrian, have elected Miss Ripley, of Lansing, book keeper and clerk at a salary of $300 per annum.

Wm. Shaw, of Adrian, stole a saw last week, pleaded guilty before Justice Long, paid the costs, and was then ready to steal another saw. Oh, shaw.

St. John's church in Clinton is in a very flourishing condition. At the close of the morning service a week ago Sunday seventeen persons were baptized.

The balance sheet of the Clinton lecture course shows a deficiency.—Geo. W. Bain gave a second lecture there last evening to help raise funds to meet the shortage.

It was a printer's blunder after all. The baggage handled by the Hudson baggage smasher last year was 18,000 pieces instead of 43,000 as previously stated. Put a 1 in place of the 4 and you have it.

Hudson Post: Martin Shields received a blow in the face from a stick of wood which flew from the machine at which he was at work in the spoke factory, a few days since, and has been laying off since, doctoring up.

Week before last the editor of the Deerfield Record froze his ears. Last week he took a census of the widows living in that town and found nine on one street. He will petition the Council to change the name of that street to "Widow Avenue."

Morenci Observer: Old Gov. Begole having been reared in the woods, can tell hickory from bass wood at sight, and will never use the latter where the former is needed. So it is a dead sure fact that Stearns will get no office during the present State administration.

The counties of Lenawee and Monroe comprise the district over which Dept. Oil Inspector James Cook has held the reins. Last year he inspected 4,412 barrels of oil, only five of which were rejected. It cost last year one fourth of a cent a gallon to inspect the oil of the state.

The firm of F. T. Clark & Co., proprietors of the Central Hotel, at Adrian, have dissolved partnership. Fred Clark will continue the business and Ralph Jewell retires. It is rumored that Jewell has caught the western fever and will go out on the Northern Pacific in the spring.

Adrian Times: Jennie DeLisle, one of the girls who escaped from the reform school for girls some time since, died at the institution last week. The cause of her death was a complication of disorders, aggravated by her exposure on the night of her escape. Her home was at Flint, and her remains were shipped there by express.

Blissfield Advance: "S. B. M., in a communication elsewhere favors the purchase by the county of grounds for holding annual county fairs, and thinks Adrian the most central point, of course.—We think, with the new court house to be built, the people have a debt heavy enough saddled upon them for the present." We second the motion. Bro. Samsen.

Morenci Observer: "The fact that Uncle Stephen Spear who went out a soldiering in the Black Hawk war near fifty years ago, and never mustered out of the service, leads to the impression that he has been technically a soldier ever since and entitled to back pay for the entire time." Fifty years back pay would give the old gentleman a pretty good second start in life.

The Dundee Ledger says: It is rumored that the new railroad is controlled by Vanderbilt, and that it will stop at Tecumseh, and go from there on the Lake Shore road, in which case Dundee will get the go by.

The silliness of this rumor is demonstrated by the fact that thousands of dollars are being expended by the T. & M. in constructing a big bridge over the Raisin, east of the village.—The piles are nearly all driven and the timber for the bridge all contracted for.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Jan. 29, 1883.

At this special session the Council convened at one o'clock, P. M.

Present, the President and Messrs. Burridge, Heesen, Root, and Steinhoff.

On motion, Mr. Burridge was chosen Recorder, pro tem.

On motion, the subject of properly heating the water tank was taken up and discussed by the Council, and on motion, the committee on Public Grounds and Buildings were instructed to examine the heating apparatus of said water tank and make all needful alterations and improvements therein.

The druggist bond of Marks & Bossell, druggists of this village, was then presented to the Council for approval and on motion, such bond was approved as required by law.

On further motion the Council adjourned.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Recorder pro tem.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Feb. 5th, 1883.

At this regular session the Council convened at 7 o'clock p. m.

Present the President and Messrs. Burridge, Heesen, Smith, Steinhoff, and Root.

On motion Mr. Burridge was chosen Recorder, pro tem.

On motion the report of the committee on finance was deferred until later in the session.

The following claims were presented, and on motion referred to committee on finance, viz:

A. M. Fisher, $15; Jerry Root, $1,80; I. M. Wilcox, $25,95; A. W. Mills, $65,10; Joseph Fuller, $9.00; Baker & Hall, ——

On motion, the Recorder pro tem., was instructed to draw on treasurer in favor of James Moir for services as night-watch for month ending Jan. 19, 1883, and also for month ending Feb. 18, 1883, at expiration of that month; also in favor of W. E. Gray for month ending Jan. 31, 1883, and also a further order in favor of Mr. Gray for month ending Feb. 28, 1883, at expiration of that month.

The committee on finance reported favorably of the following claims, viz:

E. M. Gray, for cleaning engine	$ 2 00
W. E. Gray, for lamps, wicks and duster	6 19
Tecumseh Lumber Co., bal. acc., lumber	46 30
John Smyth, services as Dep. Vil. Marshall	7 00
H. W. Stevens, services as Vil. Marshall	11 00
Whitenack, Bordine & Co., hardware	48 21
Stacy Bros., printing	38 77
Joseph Fuller, services at water tank	9 00
M. I. Wilcox, kerosene	25 95
Jerry Root, cash for freight	1 80

On motion the report of the committee on finance was accepted and adopted and the Recorder pro tem. directed to draw orders on treasurer for the respective amounts in favor of the claimants.

The special committee on old cemetery ground composed of Messrs. Mills, Burridge, and Heesen, made the following report:

To the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh:—The special committee on Public Grounds, assigned the duty of employing counsel and prosecuting trespassers upon the public ground at corner of Kilbuck and Ottawa streets in this village, known as the old Cemetery Grounds, would respectfully report that the Hon. C. A. Stacy was some months ago retained in connection with E. B. Wood, the village attorney, and a suit commenced in ejectment against Peter J. Van Vleet for the recovery of said grounds.

The committee further report that such suit was brought on for trial in the Circuit Court for this county on the 24th day of January ult., before a jury and his honor Judge Howell, Circuit Judge, presiding. That the suit at the trial was warmly contested by Mr. VanVleet by able counsel, and that three days were consumed in that part of the trial in taking the testimony, and a portion of two days more was involved in the arguments on request of the court to charge, and still another day in arguments to the jury and charge of the court. The jury retired at 4 o'clock p. m. on the 31st ult. and after twenty minutes returned their verdict in favor of the village.—The village authorities therefore are sustained in its claim of title to and control over such ground.

All of which is respectfully submitted for your consideration.

Dated, Feb. 5, 1883.

A. W. MILLS,
CHARLES BURRIDGE, } Committee.
GEORGE HEESEN,

The special committee on public grounds having made report of its proceedings and the prosecution of a suit in ejectment against Peter J. Van Vleet in Circuit Court for recovery of such public grounds with successful result in favor of the village as appears by such report, was received.

On motion such report was accepted and adopted and ordered to be spread upon the record of the Council in the proceedings of the present meeting.

The committee on finance to whom had been referred the claim of H. W. Stevens for serving subpoenas on witnesses in suit of ejectment vs. Peter J. Van Vleet for the sum of $10.72; and also claim of A. W. Mills for cash paid witnesses in said suit against Peter J. Van Vleet as follows:

To P. S. McKinnon, 3 days	$4 10
" C. Burridge, 2 days	3 10
" Jno. McConnell, 3 days	4 10
" Morris Hyde, 3 days	4 10
" Shubel Mosher, 3 days	4 10
" E. Pope, 3 days	4 10
" W. C. Jordan, 2 days	3 10
" B. F. Anderson, 2 days	3 10
" Mrs. W. Tilton, 2 days	3 10
" R. Pritchard, 2 days	3 10
" T. F. Kneeland, 3 days	4 10
" H. W. Stevens, 3 days	4 10
" Wm. Hayden, 3 days	4 10
" George Heesen, 3 days	4 10
" A. James, 3 days	4 10
" A. W. Mills, 3 days	4 10
" M. Briggs, ½ day	50
" A. A. Dolbear, 1 day	1 00
" Paid jury fees	3 00
Total	$65 10

reported favorably thereto and recommended that such claims be allowed, and on further motion, the report of the committee was accepted and adopted and the Recorder, pro tem., directed to draw orders for same.

On motion, Messrs. Heesen, Smith and the Recorder were appointed Board of Registration for election of 1883.

On further motion Messrs. Mills, Burridge and the Recorder were appointed judges of the election to be holden March 5, 1883.

On further motion the Council adjourned.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Recorder pro tem.

HERALD and Michigan Farmer for $2.60.

W. & S. W. Anderson have admitted as partners Fred Rosacrans and John L. Anderson.

The icy condition of the streets on Monday got the "drop" on many an unwary pedestrian. It was funny to see a dignified old party suddenly come down with what the western papers would call a sickening thud.

Rev. Robert W. Landis, pastor of the Ionia presbyterian church before the war, died recently at Danville, Ky. It is said that at the south he lived like a hermit, cooking his own meals and sleeping on a rough plank in a shed.

The next Moreville Universalist social will be at Jesse Warner's in the afternoon and in the evening at R. Westfall's hall, on Friday, Feb. 16th. A cordial invitation is extended.—Seventy-five cents pays the entire bill in the evening.

Several of the telephone wires in our local exchange were rendered useless by the breaking of the big pole on the corner. They were all repaired yesterday, and both local and state lines are now in good working order. Manager Mason, of Adrian, rendered some valuable aid in the work.

A Roscommon doctor is chased all around by the ghost of a patient whom he had hastened to depart for the other world by his method of treatment. If the ghosts of all who are thus hustled out of the world should appear, the poor doctors would have a bad time of it dodging around.

In the Tecumseh letter to the Clinton News last week "Pearl Diamond" says: "The habit so universal among the boys and girls of catching on to sleighs and cutters has become such a nuisance that nothing less than an act of the city fathers will insure safety to all parties concerned, horses and vehicles included. There are many teamsters who are perfectly willing to give the children a ride, but decline because of the risk it involves. If the council do not take active measures in the matter all drivers will be compell to adopt the plan of prohibition.

Auction Sale.

John W. Cook having sold his farm will sell at auction, on the premises, 3-4 mile north-east of West Milan P. O., on Thursday, Feb. 15, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following property: Span work horses, 1 horse, 3 cows, 1 heifer, calf, 8 pigs, 57 sheep, 2 lumber wagons, buggy, 3 plows, drag, sulky hay rake, seed drill, 4 cultivators, fanning mill, grindstone, corn sheller, 3 log chains, bob-sleighs, &c. Usual terms of sale. H. W. Stevens, auctioneer.

—Bargains in Tin, Crockery and Glass Ware at the Novelty Store; also Lamps, Mirrors, Vases, Albums, Books and Stationary and Baskets. 5c. and 10c. counters a specialty.

—Dr. B. F. Snyder takes pains in filling and preserving the natural teeth. Give him a call at his Dental Rooms and be convinced of the fact.

—Valentines at the Novelty Store, Hewitt's Block.

—Did you ever see better sleighing?

—Ladies' Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Tin ware cheap at the Novelty Store, Hewitt's Block.

—¼ off Wool Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Rapid sale of dress goods, Cotton.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—Clearing out underwear at Cotton's.

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—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's.

—5c. and 10c. goods at the Novelty Store, Hewitt's Block.

—Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

EDDY.—Dec. 9th, 1882, at Canton, Fulton Co., Ill., Levi, eldest brother of the late J. C. Eddy, of this place.

EDDY.—Dec. 19, 1882, at Cleveland, Ohio, Franklin, youngest brother of J. C. Eddy.

They have met, that band of brothers,
They have met to part no more;
Hand, clasped in loving greeting
On that bright and shining shore.

SHOLES.—In Tecumseh, on Friday, Feb. 2, 1883, Mrs. Elizabeth G., wife of J. D. Sholes, Esq., after a long and painful illness.

She was a great and patient sufferer. Her faith in her Savior sustained her amid it all, and she died in the triumph of the Christian faith, and gave the fullest assurance to loved ones that their loss would be infinite gain to her. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. R. S. Pardington of the M. E. church in the presence of a large deeply affected company. P.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 13 Mail.	No. 1 Express.	No. 21 Accom.
Adrian	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Napoleon	7 10	[illegible]	[illegible]
Norvell	7 16	[illegible]	[illegible]
Manchester	7 30	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clinton	7 45	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tecumseh	7 55	[illegible]	[illegible]
Adrian	8 30	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	10 15	[illegible]	[illegible]
Toledo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 14 Mail.	No. 2 Express.	No. 22 Accom.
Toledo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Adrian	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tecumseh	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clinton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Manchester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Norvell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Napoleon	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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What we object to most in the stage bald-head and the average stage wig is that it is usually put on the actor's head in a manner that leaves the impression that it is a wig. The bald-head is usually put on the actor's head in such a manner that it leaves the impression that it is a wig. The bald-head is usually put on the actor's head in such a manner that it leaves the impression that it is a wig. We do not know whether it is the carried idea, but we think that the bald-head is put on

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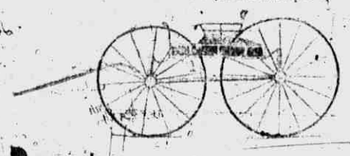

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How Candor Pays.

Atlanta Constitution.

"We had better understand each other," he said deprecatingly, as he sauntered into the editorial room, "before we begin. I'm a book-agent."

Unmindful of the groans that met this statement, he went on:

"I'm not a white-haired philanthropist from New Haven, who has come south through sympathy for your stricken people. I'm a fair, square, bald-headed book-agent."

Encouraged by the reception of this frank avowal he took a seat, and dropping his feet in a waste-basket, said:

"I'm not a retired clergyman, who seeks to scatter religious instruction while he binds up his worn out frame in your balmy clime. I'm not an apostle of art who has consented to seek your benighted region and educate your people by parting with a few picture books in parts. I'm not a temperance lecturer from Bangor who pays expenses by dispensing of literature on vivisection while modified book-agent, with none of the corners rounded, running on check in pursuit of fame."

"Here's candor at least," remarked the young man who writes the puffs of hardware stores.

"Yes; candor at best. I'm not a gilded sham. You don't pick me up for a prince in disguise or art or morality going incog. I do not fly the skull and crossbones hid behind a holiday flag till I've grappled and boarded you. I've got the regular old death's-head nailed to the mast, and I'm a pirate from keel to centerboard, and if you don't want that sort of company blow me out of the water."

He had the whole force on deck at this point.

"I've got no off-hand preamble to my bloody work. I do not lead you through the flowery paths of ease to where I've got the trap sprung. I do not beguile with anecdote, inspire with eloquence, soothe with persuasion, or pique with local gossip. I was not directed to you as a leader of culture or a person who'd be likely to buy. I won't show you a list of high-toned decoys who have put their names down to get rid of me and to draw you in. I don't show the work I'm selling, and I've never been able to learn the idiot's soliloquy that explains the pictures."

Here he paused while the manager called for the cash-boy.

"That's about the size of me and my business. The book's right here—fifty parts, fifty cents a part, plenty o' pictures and big type for the reading, written by somebody or other and means $10 clear money to me every time I work one off. Do you take or do I go?"

By this time eleven copies of the first part were ordered, and the "eleven able" resumed their work, while the office boy indites this tribute to a man who ain't ashamed of his little racket.

The Era of Rapid and Cheap Communication Near at Hand.

Irish World.

It has remained, however, for Prof. Albert L. Parcelle, a talented inventor, to produce a mechanism by which the barriers to rapid and cheap telegraphy are swept down, and which by simple applications of known principles, promise to entirely revolutionize the telegraphy of the world. His system is called "Harmonic Automatic Telegraphy," and differs from that in use by the Rapid Telegraph company in two important points. The first is an improved and abbreviated construction of the alphabet, in which position is used to the great saving of characters and consequent saving of time in preparing the copy in the perforator. The second is the employment of a system of a sympathetic resonance by which, with the use of a single wire and unskilled operatives, the same amount of work which is now done by ten wires and skilled labor can be accomplished.

Thus, for the first time in the history of telegraphy, the Morse alphabet and system are done away with, as are also the translating and transcribing by receivers. Instead of requiring the ordinary handling and delay, the message, be it long or short, is rapidly prepared in a perforating machine fed into the transmitter, and is instantly reproduced in clear Roman letters on sheets of paper ready to be sent by messenger to the party addressed. The actual number of words sent on an average, by the American rapid is from 600 to 700 per minute, while the lowest computations, made from results obtained from an instrument only partially completed, show a speed by the new method of 5,000 words per minute. A great advantage, too, is that, being sent over a single wire, the matter comes consecutively, and is, therefore, free from liability to error, as is often the case where several wires are used for the sending of a single dispatch. For press work the new method will prove of inestimable value, as by the use of this device a message of 2,000 words, occupying about one column of a closely printed newspaper, can be perforated, sent over the wires, and given to a messenger at the other end of the line for delivery, and all ready for the type setter, in three and a half minutes.

Inviting Fields for New Inventions.

Hon. John D. Caton, in an address delivered in Chicago some months ago, stated that in his opinion the only thing about a railroad that had come to stay was the arrangement of two inflexible bars of iron placed in a parallel position. He questioned if they would long remain on the surface of the ground. As to the motor and the carriage, they would all be changed. Another force would most likely be substituted for that of steam. Greater speed, more security and less cost were all desired, and would all be obtained in a near future. The improvement of country roads presents an inviting field for original inventors. A durable, cheap, and easily made pavement for the streets of large towns and cities is yet to be invented. There is an opportunity for great improvement in the construction of vehicles that move over roads of any kind. Even the saddle is far from being what it should be.

The machines now employed for making paper, weaving cloth, printing, sewing, shaping brick and working in lumber will soon be displaced. A very valuable invention is seldom very valuable in itself beyond the term for which it is patented. It is improved to such an extent that only a single principle remains to be kept in operation.

The Boston Journal of Chemistry says there is need at the present time of some electrical devices by which easy communication can be had between houses, manufacturing establishments, stores and offices; between dwellings and stables, conservatories, libraries, etc. It is not necessary that words should be transmitted, but signals representing words or specific wants, suited to the needs of parties as they are found in all neighborhoods and towns. What is wanted is something that may be a substitute for the telephone, something which any one can use, but it may be much less extensive in its capabilities. It would seem to be easy to devise appliances suited to this want, but it needs the aid of the exercise of a considerable degree of ingenuity. If this need can be satisfactorily met, it will serve an important end, and do much to break down the oppressive and outrageous monopolies connected with telegraphy and telephony. The latter as a monopoly is fast becoming more intolerable in its exactions than the telegraph has ever been.

A Deserving Class.

Boston Globe.

General Grant says: "No pension can compensate the men who have lost one or more limbs, and I should have been glad to see that class of pensioners provided for, instead of the indiscriminate pensioners, some of which are physically as good as they would have been if the war had never been fought."

A Nice Distinction.

Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle.

A little Augusta three year old girl rebuked her mother for alluding to a black cat. She said it was a "colored" cat.

How the Senses Are Fooled.

Immerse the forefinger of one hand in water at 104 degrees Fahrenheit, and then plunge the whole of the other hand into the water with a temperature of 102 degrees Fahrenheit. The latter, although two degrees cooler, will be judged to be the warmer of the two, from which it appears that the intensity of the sensation of temperature depends not only upon the relative degree of heat to which the parts are exposed, but also upon the extent of surface over which it is applied. From this cause a bath which is not uncomfortably warm, when a few fingers are dipped in it, appears scalding hot when the whole body is immersed. The sense of temperature is likewise entirely at fault when required to determine which is the warmer of two substances, say a piece of iron and a piece of wood, for if they both have the same temperature, the iron will feel the hotter of the two, because of its being a better conductor. A slight difference of temperature, however, between two substances of like nature is easily discerned, and we may here describe a simple but highly-entertaining trick which is founded on this fact.

The performer, having placed his hat behind him, requests the people present to place in it three or four pennies. He shakes it up behind him, and then asks some person to take out a penny and closely examine it. He has then to pass it to the others for examination, the last one pitching it back into the hat again. The pennies are then reshaken up, and the performer now, placing one hand behind him, picks out the penny which has been examined, although throughout the whole operation he has never seen it. When the experiment has been done some two or three times successfully, all sorts of unlikely suggestions are made as to the way in which the feat has been performed, but very seldom the right one, which is exceedingly simple. The people, in handling the penny which was selected from the others, make it warm. It is, therefore, easy to pick it out from the others when it has been pitched into the hat again. This sufficiently demonstrates the fact that at ordinary temperature the sense of temperature as localized in the fingers is sufficiently sensitive to discriminate between several pieces of metal so as to say which is the warmest.

But for the extremes of hot and cold, touch is thoroughly deceived, a piece of frozen mercury giving a burning sensation like a red-hot bar of metal. The touch which attains to such perfection in persons afflicted with blindness is readily deceived. This is shown forcibly by the experiment of Aristotle. Cross the index and middle fingers and run them over a marble placed on the table with the eyes shut. Under such circumstances one has difficulty in avoiding the belief that he is dealing with two marbles instead of one. The idea of roundness which has been obtained by a complex judgment, founded on the coalescence of several sensations, is here appealed to, but the usual conditions being reversed, we draw a wrong conclusion. The sense of taste may be likewise confounded by altering the conditions under which the gustatory operation is always carried on. Thus, if the nostrils be held firmly, it is impossible to distinguish between applying an onion or an apple to the tongue.—*Science for All.*

A Curious Clock.

A jeweler and watchmaker of Middlebury, Conn., has recently constructed a curious clock, which acts out to perfection the assassination of President Garfield. The machine is a common cuckoo clock; under which is a miniature depot. At one window is a ticket agent dealing out tickets, while at another a telegraph operator is seen busy at his work, and truckmen, porters, train dispatchers, etc., are all flying around as natural as life. All of the figures are of wool, about two inches long. At the end of each hour the cuckoo announces the fact, and immediately Garfield appears on the platform on which the scene is enacted, accompanied by Mr. Blaine. Guiteau is seen to follow him, having just alighted from a truck-wagon, and as he fires at the President the latter falls. Just then a train of cars comes dashing in, and in the confusion all the principal actors are carried into the depot out of sight. After the train-dispatcher has given the signal and the train has gone, a small door at the left opens and a priest appears, book in hand, in the act of reading a funeral service, while at the same time another door at the right opens and Guiteau appears on the gallows. The priest retires, and shortly after the gallows disappear with Guiteau, and the doors close. This is acted out at the end of each hour and takes about three minutes.

Fish in the Great Lakes.

The whitefish in Lake Erie average three and a half pounds, but occasionally one or more are taken weighing ten to eighteen pounds. I speared one in 1844, at Copper Harbor, Lake Superior, that weighed twenty-five pounds. On the north side of Isle Royale, Lake Superior, the whitefish average fourteen pounds. The lake herring are the most uniform in size of all our fishes, averaging less than a pound in weight, and this average will hold good if you count them by millions; but, nevertheless, I have had brought to me specimens that would weigh three, four, and even six pounds. The whitefish of the Yonkon River, Alaska—so say the Government reports—weigh as high as forty pounds. The sturgeon of the "Great Lakes" average fifty pounds, but now and then one is taken that weighs 100 pounds and over. I saw myself, at the Sault Ste. Marie, one taken that weighed 125 pounds. The catfish of our lakes are of the most superior quality, bringing in the Southern markets a better price than any of our lake fishes, whether fresh, salted, or smoked. The average size is twelve pounds, but I saw a specimen taken with a hook and line that weighed fifty pounds. In the waters of the Mississippi valley it often attains double that weight.—*American Angler.*

"In this state, you know, education is compulsory," remarked the teacher. "All children must learn to read." The visitor listened to the only one in class murdering their reading lesson for a few minutes, and then replied: "Yes, but why don't they?"

ELDER MOSE KITE.

His Hair Breadth Escapes from Seen and Unseen Foes.

Troy, Kansas, Chief, Jan. 18, 1883.

Most of our citizens well remember Mose Kite, (who lived in Petersburg Bottom) the hero of our state's early political history, who was of stalwart build and powerful physique; who in 1858 led a colony of our people to Pike's Peak, who fought the Indians on the plains and was shot through the body; who on his return here after the rebellion was converted and baptized by Elder Benshall, of the Christian church at Petersburg Bottom, and became a revival preacher of celebrity all through this section. They will also recall the fact that, attacked with consumption and reduced to a skeleton, he was obliged to remove to the Rockies in hope of saving his life. None thought he would succeed. But still, however, the editor of this paper met him at the head of the Republican river, bigger and more robust than ever. "Why, I thought you had died of consumption long, long ago, Elder?"

"Me? I never had consumption, man! though people thought that was what ailed me, and I thought so myself. But the doctors had sent me on a wild-goose chase after a dozen other diseases, just as fatal, and this was the wildest one or all."

The good Elder then recounted to us, in a charming vein, his many adventures in the rough and ready life he had led; "but," he said, remarkable as you may think my warlike life has been, I have a much more interesting story to tell you."

"You know what a rough, noisy fellow I used to be; and I could stand any hardship. Why, on a wager, I have knocked down an ox and a mule with my fist. I have fought ruffians, border outlaws and Indians; but I was

DOGGED FOR YEARS

by a more dangerous unseen enemy that was ever getting me more completely in his clutches. I was shot at by an Indian in a fight on the plains, but the wound healed readily and gave me but little trouble. After I returned to Kansas and commenced preaching, I first began to give way. I had a dull feeling, accompanied with a pain in the right side. Dr. Butler, our family physician, said my liver was out of order, caused by the malaria of the bottoms. I had always had an appetite like an ostrich, but my digestion became seriously impaired. While on the circuit preaching, I consulted a doctor, who said I had dyspepsia. After that distressing palpitation of the heart followed, and the physician said this was caused by my indigestion and diseased liver which would probably terminate fatally. Sometimes I had a ravenous appetite, at others none at all. I was feverish and then chilly. My food seemed to do me no good. A specialist told me I had a tape worm! Then I was troubled with unusual quantities of water and a frequent desire to urinate which was done with difficulty and great pain. The specialist said I had a touch of the gravel, caused by use of the alkaline water of the plains. I then began to suffer severe pains in the loins and the small of the back, accompanied with sudden attacks of dizziness, during which I had to sit or lie down to avoid falling. I was forced to abandon

TRAVELING AND PREACHING

because I could no longer ride on horseback, or trust myself out alone. I began to be seriously alarmed, and sought the advice of the most noted physician within reach. He said that my frequent horseback riding had jolted and jarred me until the old indian wound, which had injured my kidneys, had become inflamed. He treated me with medicines and electricity also, but gave me no permanent benefit. My painful symptoms all returned. I began to cough, got very thin and my legs were disagreeably numb. I began to despair. At each attempt to cure, my ailments became worse, with new symptoms. I next consulted a celebrated physician from the east, who, after thumping and examining me, stated that I was in an advanced stage of consumption and threatened with diabetes and paralysis! He thought I might possibly prolong my life for a year or two, by seeking a higher and dryer climate. This was my condition when the people in your part of the country last saw me.

Then I started for the Rockies but liked this country and settled here. At first the change helped me, but about three years ago the benefit ceased. Then I failed so rapidly that I could be out of bed only a part of each day. All my old symptoms returned. At this crisis, a party of Eastern gentleman,

ON A BUFFALO HUNT,

made my house their headquarters. In the party was a Dr. Wakefield, who informed me that I had a bad case of incurable Bright's Disease, and gave me a preparation which might, he said, ease me for a few weeks or months, but that was the best that could be done. Around the bottle was a newspaper. Now a newspaper was a rarity in our home, and I sat in my chair looking it over when my eye providentially fell upon an article relating a most wonderful cure of Bright's disease—the very malady that was killing me—by the use of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, (of Rochester, N. Y.). Convinced that further delay would be fatal, and everything else failing, the next morning, I dispatched one of my boys to the nearest railroad station, many miles distant, to obtain a bottle of the Safe Cure. The druggist said the demand for the Cure was so great he could not keep it in stock, and he had to send to Kansas City for more. It was more than a week before it arrived, and I was daily getting weaker. But it came at last, and I at once began to take it. When I told Dr. Wakefield what I was was taking, he gave me a look, half of scorn, half of pity, as much as to say,

'POOR FELLOW!

He is putting his trust in a humbug.' Nevertheless I persevered and for the past year and a half I have been as strong and rugged as I ever was in my life. After escaping the attacks of Indians and half a dozen doctors, I was lying at the mercy of a still more dreadful foe that was about giving me the finishing blow, when that great remedy stepped in, slew my adversary, and placed me firmly on my feet once more. I have commenced preaching again, for I look upon the circumstances and manner of my cure as a direct interposition of Providence, and to Providence are my services due. That is my story. I think it is as good as a romance—and much better, for it is true."

Such is the substance, and very near the language of Elder Kite's narrative. Those who read it, and are suffering, may benefit by his experience, if they will, follow his example.

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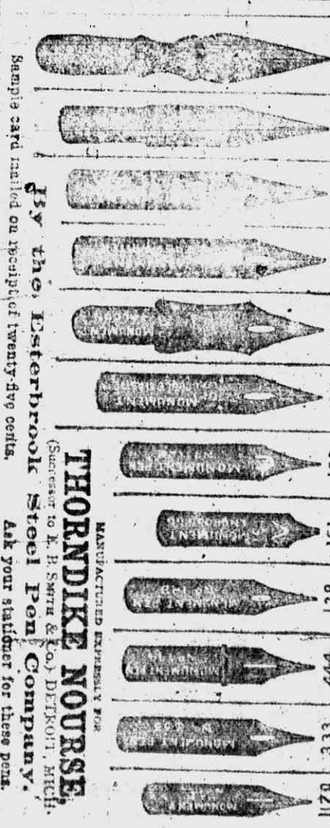

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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 24th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John M. Pennington, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 5th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. 6w1

ESTATE OF NOYES A. DARLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Noyes A. Darling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Darling, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account, now on file in this court, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the party or parties entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. Jan 18

ESTATE OF ELLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Stocking, husband of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Samuel Haight or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the husband of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. Jan18

ESTATE OF JAMES EAST.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday the 18th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James East, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred J. Lewis, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN, SR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Allen, Jr., praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

A model winter this.

John Larkins is raising the house near G. W. Jackson's shop for a washing machine factory.

A sister of John W. Cook of Milan was buried last week.

Adelbert Smith, the victim of the terrible accident at the Adrian car works, was a relative of Mrs. Emelius Smith.

Mrs. Kilpatrick fell Monday evening breaking her right arm above the wrist. She had called in at a neighbor's to see another victim of the slippery crust, who had received slight injuries from a fall and on her return home met with the serious accident above mentioned.

A 7-yr-old:—Papa, are all sycamore trees hollow?

Papa:—Most always hollow or shaky at the butt? Why do you ask, son?

Son:—Why the preacher said Sunday night some men were like sycamore trees.

Two Tecumsehites, lonely and tired of their own company, and having no faith that their own sex would allay their eagerness for a social flip, caught sight of a star in the East last Friday evening, and each provided with a horse and cutter started this way to look for a Mate and her sister who had strayed from home. A farmer's residence, just north of the village, over which the star rested, was where the halt was made. A Minnie-ha-ha inside fell upon their ears, which thrilled those lonely mortals until their chests heaved like a blacksmith's bellows. One anchored his horse to a post as Tit-us tight could be; the other forget to do it and left it to stay or flee. The "Yes, we'll be ready in a minute," soon followed the pounding of the door-bell; and then followed the good night to the cousins who were to be left behind. The kids, elated by their good luck, thought nothing now was in their way. But it was not to be so. Only one horse and cutter could be found. The quartette dropped their heads in disappointment and meditation. During the silence bells were heard toward the village which were at once recognized to be those which were to chime in with the wooing. The girls were asked to wait and the boys started in pursuit. They drove like sixty without avail. When near home they were full of confidence that the runaway would be in the yard. Disappointed again they took a back track, after taking a fresh horse. Fourteen miles drive brought them to where the first halt was made. Another consultation was had, during which a familiar sound greeted every ear. "Where are those bells? Can it be that the horse went through the gate into the yard? Let's see." There was a Russell of excitement, and sure enough there was the rig not five rods from where it was left. The joke began to dawn on the minds of the Tecumsehites, and although they perhaps will never forgive that cousin yet it was purely an accident of course. It was agreed not to tell.

EAST TECUMSEH TATTLE.

The literary society met pursuant to adjournment Saturday evening, Feb. 10th. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the attendance was not as large as usual, and all could be comfortably seated. With few exceptions the program was carried out. The piece of music entitled "Bird in the Hand," rendered by Misses Rhoda Benedict, Mamie Galatin and Flora Hendershot, with Miss Robertson's piano accompaniment, was received with loud and continuous applause. Two of the speakers on the negative side of the debate being absent, Mr. R. R. Hall was transferred to that side. The question, Resolved, That local aid should be rendered in the construction of railroads, was discussed with the usual degree of animation. Affirmative—C. W. Culbertson, Phillip Kehoe. Negative—B. F. DePuy, R. R. Hall. Resulting in favor of the negative. The following will be the program for Saturday evening, February 24th:

Music by the choir.
Rec.—Effa Hendershot.
Select Reading—J. H. Aten.
Dec.—Artie Hall.
Music—J. T. Boyce.
Rec.—Florence Merritt.
Dec.—B. J. Garlinghouse.
Chip Basket—Geo. Benedict.
Recess.
Inst. Music—Lillie Gohean.
Dialogue.
Essay—Grant Garlinghouse.
To answer questions—B. F. DePuy and R. R. Hall.

ROME RIPPLES.

Mr. Barrows is here with his picture gallery on wheels and is doing considerable work which proves very satisfactory. Romans who wish a good picture should call before he moves.

The snow crust has been productive of much sport and also some injuries, two broken arms, Colles' fracture, being the more serious ones, occurring to Widow Norman Baker and Mrs. Jock Teachout. The necessary surgical attendance in both cases being rendered by Dr. Ross, of this place.

Most of the Romans are preparing for the mask ball which occurs the 16th inst. at the hotel. A large crowd is expected.

The ladies of this place have started a scheme which deserves support, raising funds for the purpose of establishing a public library and by paying one dollar one becomes a member, and is entitled to draw books every so often for a year.

It is rumored that Albert Codner has sold his farm and thinks of going out near Grand Rapids. Hope not, but if so we wish him the best.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

'Tis beautiful weather.

What for?

For the ground hog to come out. If he don't he will be obliged to swim, sure.

Clinton Chapter No. 40, R. A. M. Tuesday evening next.

Council No. 26, R. & S. M. Wednesday evening Feb. 21.

James B. Hause and Anson Reif, together with their wives, enjoyed a sleigh ride and visit with their friends at Manchester, Tuesday.

Ed. R. Smith visited Detroit the first of the week.

Sunday school concert at Congregational church last Sabbath evening.

Although the weather was very inclement, the M. E. social at Wm. Godd's Wednesday evening was far from being a failure. There was a fair turnout and a good time as usual.

The musical society have decided to give another public rehearsal four weeks from to-morrow evening.

An Angell at town hall to-morrow evening—President of Mich. University. Subject: China and the Chinese.

Mrs. Jas. DePuy of Tecumseh was the guest of Peter Kishpaugh and family since Saturday last.

E. G. Cook and Frank Silvers of Tecumseh were in town Tuesday.

Ed. Clark shipped a car load of apples to Chicago Tuesday.

56 loads of wheat were deposited at the Clinton depot yesterday.

Elmer Halliday has gone north. Something is to happen, the cards are out, particulars next week.

S. C. Stacy, of Tecumseh, was in town last Saturday.

Delos Cutting was at Adrian, last week, putting in shafting, &c., to run Foster's job printing office.

Rev. Joseph St. John returned from a short visit to his old home last Friday, and left Clinton again for Orion, Wednesday, to unite a couple in marriage.

The Red Ribbon club will meet at town hall next Monday evening. A general attendance is solicited, which means "business or no business."

A donation will be be given Rev. J. W. Payne at town hall Tuesday evening next.

W. V. Fisk was at home over Sunday, but left for the circuit court again on Tuesday.

C. F. Field is out of town on a flying visit to Grand Rapids, Allegan, &c.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed at a party given by Miss Lina Jones at her place of boarding, Dave Woodward's, last Thursday evening.

J. S. Kies left Clinton for the West last Monday.

Lair Hall bid adieu to his many friends in Clinton and proceeded to take Greely's advice, last Tuesday.

Van Gieson Bros. sold some very choice sheep to Macon parties last Friday.

Wm. Richmond took his leave for Texas last Wednesday with some sheep for other parties.

The Baptists of the village are putting a new baptistery in their church. They have no idea of trying the Hudson plan of ice water with the thermometer 16 below.

Between thirty and forty Clintonites, among whom were the "go ahead a tives," visited the masquerade skating festival at Tecumseh, Tuesday evening.

Special Announcement.

We take pleasure in announcing that we have made arrangements with the publishers of the American Farmer which enable us to furnish that magazine as a Premium to our subscribers. The American Farmer, a sixteen page monthly Farm Magazine will be sent free for one year to all our subscribers who will pay their subscriptions to the HERALD one year in advance. This means just what it says—the American Farmer one year for nothing.

Pink Reception of Tecumseh High School, on Thursday evening, Feb. 22, at the Opera House.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Clinton boys and girls go to church on skates.

Hudson has a library association containing 300 members.

Morenci will hold a pioneer meeting on Saturday next, Feb. 17.

Adrian is threatened with an attack of the spelling match mania.

Prof. Gordon will give another term of twelve singing lessons at Franklin.

It costs the people of Morenci and vicinity $600 a month for pills and physic.

Lewis Smith of Deerfield steps into James Cook's shoes as deputy oil inspector.

The horticultural meeting at Adrian last Saturday was largely attended and very interesting.

Hudson has a school district called Egypt, and the Egyptians are holding revival meetings there.

Adrian old folks go to Fairfield in sleighs, take an orchestra along, and enjoy an old fashioned dance.

Hudson parties are looking over the ground at Morenci with a view of starting a creamery there.

The cheese factory of Medina will pay its patrons this year $10.09 per 1000 lbs of milk, the largest dividend since war times.

Dr. Owen, of Adrian, exhibited some Isabella grapes which he had preserved from last fall at the pomological meeting last week.

L. C. Drake, of Fairfield, lately drew to the saw mill, a distance of 3 miles, a white oak log four feet in diameter and 18 feet long.

Gen. Innes, railroad commissioner, has been to Adrian to see what shall be done about stationing flag men at various street crossings in that city.

The Osgood Bros. of Morenci have received 500 cords of broom handle bolts this winter. The ladies of that town use up piles of broom handles.

Young roughs who disturb religious meetings in Blissfield are yanked up and fined $2.00 each. This is mixing religion and law in a practical manner.

Log stories take the place of fish stories this winter. The last log story comes from Hudson. Mose Bryant cut a bass wood tree the other day that scaled 2700 feet.

Last Friday, Feb. 9th, was the anniversary of Mayor Navin's sudden departure from Adrian. We regret to state that this historical event was not properly celebrated in that city. Verily, Republics are ungrateful.

Hudson Gazette: Mose Bryant of Pittsford, sold to the tub factory a basswood log which scaled 3¼ feet on the stump and cut four twelve foot logs, which scaled 2785 feet, or an average of about 700 to the log. Who can beat it?

The agitation relative to the baptism of people through holes cut in the ice, at Hudson, has resulted in having nearly a whole issue of the Hudson Baptist devoted to a defense of the rite as administered. The ice was 18 inches thick and neither of the two people baptized took cold.

The Hudson Gazette, in commenting on the late case of prayer cure in Adrian, remarks that Prof. Estabrook, who recently led the great revival at the Cong'l church, claims to have been relieved in fact cured of a dangerous cancer entirely through the efficacy of fervent, confident supplication to that end. His case had been pronounced beyond the help of human skill.

Evening News: Garcia, the lunatic who killed baggageman Connelly, of Blissfield, on the 24th of November last, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. He was and is as crazy as a bed bug, but being a poor devil without money, friends or influence, there has been no difficulty in convicting him. He certainly is not fit to be at large, but his conviction, when compared with certain acquittals down in Lenawee Co. makes one wonder if he would have been sent up under other circumstances.

The Morenci Fair Association held its annual meeting last week. They have a stock company organization. The association is now out of debt and has $600 in the treasury. Milo Allen, of the Morenci Observer, talks good sense as usual on the Fair question. He says: "We think the board of Supervisors will do no such thing. We have $50,000 or over to raise for a new court house, which is all the tax payers of the county will be willing to assume for some time to come. If the farmers in the central portion of the county want fair grounds let them do as the people of Morenci and vicinity have done—buy the ground and go to work and pay for it."

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record in business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Feb. 10, 1883:

Estate of Hamlin P. Cowell, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing February 20, 1883.

Estate of Andrew J. Miller, deceased; [illegible] March 5, 1883.

Estate of Deborah Briggs, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioner's notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond $4000.

Estate of George W. Allen, Sen., deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing March 5, 1883.

Estate of Cyrus Saviers, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Charity Sweeny, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $1000.

Estate of James H. Sweeney, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator with the will annexed, upon the estate not already administered; bond $1000.

Estate of Walter Whipple, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $500.

Estate of Oscar Smith, et al., minors; affidavit of publication; nomination of guardian; order appointing guardian.

Estate of Edward Lewis Frensdorf, minor; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $800.

Estate of John B. Drake; deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing March 5, 1883.

Estate of Joseph Ely, deceased; receipts; discharge.

Estate of John J. Fulton, deceased; order of continuance until March 5, 1883, at ten o'clock A. M.

Estate of Hannah T. Hawkins, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Frederick E. Chesley, et al., minors; affidavit of service; order of removal of guardian; nomination of new guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Russell Clark, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing March 5, 1883.

Estate of David Berdan, deceased; order of continuance until February 13, 1883.

Estate of Elizabeth Barrett, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing March 5, 1883.

Estate of William Richard, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing March 5, 1883.

Estate of Barzillai W. Arnold, deceased; warrant and inventory.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending February 10, 1883:

ADRIAN.

S. E. Hart to Orange and Margaret Webster, land in city. $1200.

L. O. Goddard Esq., to Henry Chittenden and Daniel Ketchum. Land on secs. 14 and 23.

James R. Goddard to Henry Chittenden and Daniel Ketchum. Land on sec. 14.

BLISSFIELD.

Peter Peavey to A. D. and L. L. Hawes. Land in village. $200.

W. M. Leach and S. A. Drake to Lucy E. Moore. Land in village. $700.

Cornelius Randolph to Phebe Perry, Land on sec. 16. $1100.

DOVER.

A. H. and B. W. Graves to N. M. Hutchins. Land on sec. 18, and in village of Clayton. $2100.

RAISIN.

Wm. Spaul to Wm. E. Doty. Land on sec 27. $133.

TECUMSEH.

George Smith to Asahel Hubbard. Land in village. $500.

Auction Sale.

C. F. Collier having rented his farm, will sell at auction on the premises 2½ miles south of Ridgeway, on the Ridge road, on Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1883, at 12 o'clock M. the following property: One heavy farm team, 15 dairy cows, 8 yearling steers coming two, 8 calves coming 1 yr., 10 shoats, 1 set double harness, open buggy, cutter, 2 horse cultivator, two 1 horse cultivators, 2 harrows, pair bob sleighs, 2 lumber wagons, Thomas wheel rake, 1 horse hay fork, 2 plows, caldron kettle, road scraper, corn sheller, fanning mill, Standard mower nearly new, 2 grain cradles, large stack of straw, quantity hay, milk cans, oats, potatoes, buckwheat, large dining room stove & household furniture. Lunch before auction commences. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auc.

R. H. Hillman having sold his farm, will sell at auction on the premises, 2 miles N. W. of the village of Tecumseh, on Thursday, Feb. 22, at 12 o'clock M. the following property: Three heavy horses, 4 milch cows, 3 new milch, 2 calves, 65 fat weathers, 2 new lumber wagons, 1 top buggy, (Hialey's make) 1 two-seat democrat wagon, 1 set bob sleighs, cutter, hay rack, 6 fat hogs, straw stack, (new,) grain drill, Johnson reaper, land roller, sulky hay rake, corn sheller, Buckeye mower, spring tooth harrow, plows, cultivators, 2 bl. caldron kettle, quantity seed barley and oats, and many other things. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

LOVE'S VICTORY.

The clouds were massed in crimson glory in the west, and on them were all of the large, beautiful eyes of Lady Florence Hammersley, who stood looking from one of the many windows of her new house.

Twenty-five years before wedding-day, Square eight years previously she had sworn to love, honor, and obey Hugh Hammersley, [illegible] gentleman, worldwide the three part.

He [illegible] her [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] the glory of the dying day. [illegible] [illegible] of the bright sun [illegible] the [illegible] white horse, an emblem [illegible] the wonderful gray eyes, and a [illegible] smile [illegible] about the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] grasp.

A sound [illegible] her reverie. The [illegible] door of the room [illegible] opened, and the figure of a tall [illegible] man [illegible] the threshold.

"You had all [illegible] Lady Florence?" he asks [illegible] eyes [illegible] are [illegible] as he [illegible] the [illegible]

"A moment ago [illegible] replied. "I was [illegible]

"A storm [illegible] are [illegible]

"A storm, Hammersley? Is [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to you?"

[illegible] shrugged her shoulders, and turned her face once more toward the [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [

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JOURNALISM.

Dickens was Simply a First-class Reporter---The Absolutism of the Press.

George Alfred Townsend.

I will tell a story that Mr. Osgood, the Boston publisher, gave me during the week. He said when Mr. Dickens wanted to come to read in America, a few years before his death, he was very sensitive about the reception he would have after his lampooning the country in 1842. So he sent his agent, Dr. Dolby, ahead, who called on Fields & Osgood and asked them to take the agency in the newspaper offices in Boston and New York. Among other places he was carried to the office of James G. Bennett, the founder of The Herald. The Herald was pelted in the face for Dr. Dolby. Mr. Bennett was called a Chinese compositor on Ningpo, who, when [illegible] Bagdad. Now, the American people are great enough to overlook the errors or impudence of a young man who meant to sell his wares about as in England. After Dolby got through, he was [illegible] any way. He is nothing but a reporter. I have got four or five men in my office who are better reporters than Dickens." The old man was perfectly serious about it, too.

After Mr. Fields told this story a gentleman present said: "Do you remember that at the Dickens dinner George William Curtis, who made the best speech there, described Dickens as a reporter all the way through, and said that the reporter's faculty in all great literary men was the foundation of their power? Even in Hawthorne, who became a reporter in garrets and back-yards, among the bugs and cobwebs and rays of light, instead of out among the crowd."

"Well," said Mr. Osgood, "I could not help feeling that the strong points of Dickens were, as a reporter, closely observing the dialect and behavior of man. To me, the Pickwick Papers remain the most delightful things Dickens ever did, and they are reporting throughout."

"There are few men in this world fit for absolute power, and to control a newspaper is as near absolute power in this country as anything I know of. Not even an Indian chief or Jesse James can always have his own way with his band, but the newspaper publisher can. He is apt to live his philosophy, therefore, and to criticize opinions against contemporary men, and to emulate the eripping of his father by some charming Tom, or Dick, or Harry as magnetic influence. The publishing of a newspaper like the writing for them, is a matter of good hard sense and unremitting industry. There is a democracy in the newspaper business. Its weakness of men is soon found out. Their strength no man can take from them by lying or backbiting. To honest aspiration it is ever open.

"The only friend to rely upon, after all, in the newspaper art is that great general public which responds to the daily budget and season. This forming of little Masonic lodges among the newspapers to bolster up another up, and never mention another person's name, is all folly; and the idea of any newspaper editor or publisher dying without forgiving anything to any person who has been in the same business is to falsify the Lord's prayer, which says, "Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who have sinned against us;" and who that publishes a paper is not doing that all the time? There are some of the most arrant cowards in charge of newspapers. He who cannot receive a word back, who is perpetually exploding fire-crackers under other people, had better stop this game.

Gas and Electricity.

Demorest's Monthly.

When electricity was first successfully used for illuminating purposes there was a great fall in the price of gas stocks in all the large cities of the civilized world. There has been a recovery since then, and it really seems that Dr. Siemens was right when he claimed that the use of gas would increase, notwithstanding the employment of the electric light. He expressed the opinion that the latter can never be used economically in the household. But gas, he said, would take the place of coal for heating and cooking purposes, and this prediction is being partially verified. We are now promised a revolution by the use of petroleum to produce a gas which gives out an intense heat. A patent has been taken out in every civilized country for the production of a gas by some combination of petroleum with lime. The companies have been formed, and it is said that within a short time, and by the pipes used for carrying ordinary gas, that burning material will be introduced into our households which will heat our rooms and cook our food at one-third of the cost now necessitated by the use of coal or wood. The recent speculative excitement in petroleum is said to be due to the practical application of this patent by some of our gas companies. Petroleum has never commanded a fair price in view of its production in excess of the demands of the consumers. Our wells have pumped out about 27,000,000 barrels per annum, but heretofore the world has been searched in vain for a market for this ocean of mineral oil. Should we make use of it, however, for a heat-producing and cooking gas, there will be an abundant demand for all the petroleum we could produce. It would add marvelously to human comfort if so bulky a product as coal could be dispensed with, and our dwellings were warmed by a cleanly and comparatively inexpensive gas.

Killing Rats by Electricity.

West Chester Local.

Ralph Corbit, an ingenious 12-year-old boy of Honeybrook, Chester county, Pa., has devised a novel plan of getting rid of the rats which infest his father's cellar. He has constructed out of old fruit jars a battery of three Leyden jars, which he connects and places upon a large iron plate which touches the tinfoil on the outside. The bait is so arranged that when the rat steps upon the plate and seizes the bait he at once makes the connection between the outside and inside of the jars, and they are discharged through his body, killing him literally as quick as lightning. He charges the jars by means of an electric machine, also constructed by himself. He ran a couple of wires through the floor to the cellar from the room above, and as soon as he would hear a rat squeak he would immediately recharge the battery. The first time he put the machine in operation he slaughtered twenty-five rats in a space of three hours, and in two days the cellar was entirely cleared of the pests.

English Snobbery.

Harper's Bazar.

It would seem as if snobbery could not go much farther than in those English newspapers which tell of the "paroxysms of delight" manifested by the baby princess of Connaught on recognition of her father when he returned home from the war, as she was six months old when he left, and he was away twelve months.

Took It in Dead Earnest.

Harper's Weekly.

Students at Harvard printed a circular purporting to be issued by a "Society for the Reform of the Social Habits of Foreigners," and addressed especially to the consumption of Limburger cheese and sour kraut. The circular came into the hands of European journalists, and was severely and gravely commented upon by them.

Not Too Much Learning in a Judge.

New York Sun.

Chief Justice Sharwood of Pennsylvania said, in a speech at a Philadelphia banquet, given in honor of his retirement from the bench: "Indeed, it may be questioned whether great learning is a desirable quality in a judge. He is apt to wish to display it on all occasions, by elaborate and tedious opinions, and delivering charges unintelligible to juries."

THAT BAD BOY.

The Tricks He Played on His Pa in Chicago.

Peck's Sun

"When pa and I got to Chicago," said the bad boy, "we walked around town all day, and went to the stores, and at night pa was offul tired, and he put me to bed in the tavern and went out to walk around and get tired. I was tired, and I walked around the bed. I thought pa had gone to the theatre, and that made me mad, and I thought I would stay up for all I was worth. Our room was big, and the next room was big, and there was an old maid, with a switch and a right on her head. I saw her room and she left the door open, cause she thought I was a good boy. That made me mad, and I thought I would play a trick on the old maid, so I put the chairs in the middle of the room, and put the old maid's pumps on our door and our door knob, and then I went to bed. I tried to keep awake, so as to help pa if he had any difficulty, but I rather guess I got asleep, but I woke up when the dog barked. If the dog had not woke me up the woman's screams would, and if that hadn't pa would. You see, pa came home from the theatre about 12, and he had been drinking. He says everybody drinks when they go to Chicago, even the minister. Pa looked at the lounters on the doors all along the hall till he found 210, and walked right in and pulled off his coat and threw it on the lounge where the dog was. The old man was asleep, but the dog barked, and pa said, 'That cussed boy has bought a dog!' and he kicked the dog and the old maid woke up and said, 'What is the matter, pet?' Pa laffed and said, 'Nuthin' the mazzer with me, pet,' and then you ought to have heard the yelling. The old maid covered her head and kicked and yelled, and the dog snarled and bit pa on the pants, and pa had his vest off and his suspenders unbuttoned and he got scared and took his coat and vest and went out in the hall, and I opened our door and told pa he was in the wrong room and I knowed it, and he came in our room and I closed the door, and the bell-boy, and the porter and the clerk came to see what ailed the old maid, and she said a burglar got in her room, and they found pa's hat on the lounge, and they took it and told her to be quiet and they would find the burglar. Pa was so scared that he sweat like everything, and he was offul warm, and he pretended to go to sleep, but he was wondering how he could get his hat back. In the morning I told him it would be hard work to explain it to the law he happened to get into the wrong room, and he said it wasn't necessary to say anything about it to me. Then he gave me $5 to go out and buy him a new hat, and he said I might keep the change if I would not mention it when I got home, and I got him one for ten shillings, and we took the 8 o'clock train in the morning and came home, and I s'pose the Chicago detectives are trying to fit pa's hat onto a burglar. Pa seemed offullly relieved when we got across the state line into Wisconsin. But you'd a died to see him come out of that old lady's room, with his coat and vest on his arm, and his suspenders hanging down, looking scart. He dasent lick me any more or I'll tell ma where pa left his hat."

The Popularity of Novelists.

George Alfred Townsend.

Mr. Osgood, the publisher, remarked to me during the week that he rather though Walter Scott as a novelist would outlast Dickens. Scott kept nearly even with Dickens in sales at the present day, while Dickens' influence was yet recent, and it was therefore fair to conclude that when a few more years had passed Scott, rooted in romance and history, would continue to be the necessity of many and the delight of some. Mr. Osgood said that he thought Scott's poetry in the present period found more sale than that of Byron, who once outstripped Scott in contemporary popularity. The novels of Mr. Howells had a fair though not extraordinary sale of perhaps 15,000 copies each. Hawthorne had never sold extravagantly, and probably never would become the favorite of great masses of people, since he worked for too fine an element and rather wrote over the heads of the multitude. The two distinctive successes in fiction had been Mrs. Stowe with "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and Mr. Tourgée with "The Fool's Errand." Mrs. Stowe might have realized $75,000 in all from her books. Mrs. Burnett had not made much money from her tales and novels, but was reputed to have realized well from her play. Mr. Cable had a ready market for his wares, but was not a wealthy man, though he was a religious one, and a devout Presbyterian. Mr. Rice, of whom the literary public knew little, published a set of goody stories which had a very considerable sale.

Dealing With a Patient.

Dr. Boutelle, of Hampton, Va., writes: "One day, not long ago, I was called here, at Hampton, Va., to see an old colored woman of the 'fo-de-war' type, black as the ten of spades (which is ten times blacker than the ace), extremely voluble, and anxious to impress me with the importance of her 'simpsons,' of which she was determined I shall have a full and clear understanding before I prescribed. I produced pencil and paper, and told her to begin again, which she did with great gusto.

"My mis'ry, doctor, wuks right up from bofe my legs, an' up through my stummick, an' den crost my bowels, all a shaky an' a wig-waggy! Den my right shoulder, doctor. Law sakes!!! Dat yer mis'ry in my right shoulder pow'ful bad sometimes. Den I has shootin' pains all up an' down my spine, dreadful' an' jumps in my flanks, an' a burnin' all over my right side, an' a roarin'! yes, honey, an awful roarin' in my head, an' de bones all loose in my head. Den I has pains in bofe shoulders! an' I has a thraggin in my stummick an' my stummick very bad. Ef you b'lieve me, doctor, dar's a patch o' mis'ry in de small o' my back, an' when I stan' up 'pears like my insides dey stick to my spine! an' a wallowin in my head, and I don' got no appetite. I can't drink no fresh water, 'cause all my water dried! In de night you can hear my head roarin' an' a buzzin'. Den I has a hotness in de bone o' my neck, an' at times a pang riz up right across my neck, an' riz an' burst! I knowed it wasn't a blood vessel else I'd a died sure!"

Robert Collyer.

The Rev. Robert Collyer told a congregation at Springfield, Mass., how he had made his way from the anvil to the pulpit. Fifty years ago he was a child in England, with unlettered but industrious parents, who put him at the trade of blacksmithing. He worked eight years with an employer who died of drink, and he thinks it was only the love of reading which saved him from the same fate. His first preaching was as a Methodist exhorter, and for the first ten years of his ministration his income from that source averaged seventy-five cents a year, his living being earned as a blacksmith. He came to America with his bride in 1869, a stranger, & the panic of 1873 he earned a hard for awhile. Twenty years ago he became a salaried preacher, going over from the Methodists to the Unitarians, and has since been very successful.

The Order of Nature.

If you shake up a basket of truffles or gravel the smaller portions will go toward the bottom, the larger ones will come toward the top. This is the order of nature. There is no way of evading it. And the same order prevails in the basket of human life. The world's shaking will send the small characters downward and bring the larger ones toward the top. The larger ones are not to blame for this. The smaller ones have no right to complain of it. It is the shaking that does the business.

"Two-Ten."

The expression, "Two-ten," which was used in A. T. Stewart's house for years, cautioned the clerks to keep two eyes on ten fingers.

B. B. B.

What Is It?

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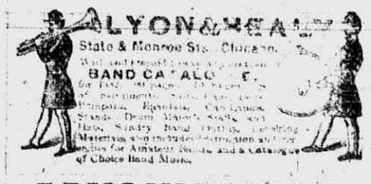

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This is a good winter for pump makers and plumbers.

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The week of truce having ended the Senatorial contest has broken out again at Lansing.

The Boston Herald aptly observes that any public officer who desires a future should let futures alone.

New York politicians are more numerous in Washington than formerly. They are crowding out the office men.

Senator Ferry and weather prophet Wiggins can mingle their tears. Both have suffered disappointment. Wiggins's storm didn't come, and Ferry did.

Floods are making sad havoc in the Ohio valley. Wait a few days until the thaw touches this latitude and we may be enjoying canoe navigation ourselves.

There was an earthquake at Cassopolis last week. Can this be intended as a Providential rebuke to Cass Co., for the large Union vote poured there last fall?

The Senate voted last week to put books on the free list. This is a move in the right direction. A tax on intelligence is one of the most oppressive of all taxes.

Hubbell lays his defeat to Ferry and Ferry attributes his position on the ragged edge to Hubbell. The Chicago Times thinks that the nation can spare them both.

Wiggins, the latest Canada weather prophet, predicted the worst storm of the season last Friday. Wiggins had better retire. Wiggins has wiggled around as a weather prophet about long enough.

Gov. Pattison, of Pennsylvania, has made a bold stroke for reform. His special message is creating as much consternation among the office holders as a bumble bees' nest in a camp meeting.

Tariff reform is gaining ground. Skeletons have been put on the free list, and hereafter, as Senator Vance remarks, every citizen of this great Republic can have a skeleton in his closet free of duty.

Adrian is still in search of a water supply. Why should the good people of that town wish to destroy one of their most promising industries? A good supply of wholesome water would knock the saloon business of that city higher than a kite.

The Adrian Times has been hauling the Detroit Post & Tribune over the coals for its opposition to Senator Ferry. The editor of the P. & T. must feel awfully about it, but we presume he will keep right on writing anti-Ferry editorials the same as before.

Treasurer Vincent, of Alabama, is missing. He has not been heard from in over two weeks. Perhaps he is looking for Navin, "Vincent & Navin, Brokers and Loan Agents," would make a handsome firm name painted in gold letters on a shingle.

An exchange says: "The extraordinary session of congress will give the Democrats extraordinary opportunities for blundering." Perhaps so, but present appearances indicate that the locomotive called "Political Blunders" is pretty securely hitched to the Republican train now.

The outcome of the litigation between the Western Union and the Mutual Union telegraph companies results in the Western Union lion swallowing the Mutual Union lamb, the former company having leased the latter on a perpetual lease. Another victory for monopoly. The telegraph problem is becoming a serious one.

The faith cure has reached its climax in Pennsylvania. A minister in West Middlesex owns a dog that had been paralyzed in its hind legs for three years. The other day a big strange dog chased a rabbit across the minister's lawn, and the invalid dog suddenly became whole, jumped through a window, joined the chase and caught the rabbit.

THE HIGHWAY TAXES.

A New Method of Making Good Roads by Using Wagons with Wide Rims on the Wheels.

The Free Press of January 10th contained an interesting communication on this subject, in which the writer says:

"I believe I am running no risk of successful contradiction when I say that we have no material in Michigan, excepting stone, of which to construct highways that will withstand the wear and tear of the wagon wheels now in almost universal use among the farmers of this state. These wheels are constructed with a narrow rim, the iron tire of which, when worn round, forms a round and almost sharp surface. In this condition, loaded down with a load of more weight and following in quick succession, sometimes hundreds of times daily, they become formidable instruments for the destruction of the road bed, and will, in a short time, pulverize any macadamized highways where the best gravel drawn from pits has been ground to dust in the short space of three years, and the beautiful road became a wreck.

"Suppose the rims of the wheels of our wagons for heavy drafts, denominated lumber wagons, were built with a four inch rim instead of a two inch rim. Every such loaded wagon drawn over our own highways, it matters not whether it be built of marl, clay or sand, would improve that highway. Instead of injuring it the rims will act like a succession of rollers upon soft land, each succeeding day, month and year, making the road bed more compact, its surface more and more level.

"In last week's Michigan Farmer a writer comments favorably upon the above plan and adds:

"Now, it seems to me that this is a move in the right direction. The cost of making and keeping our roads in a passable condition is a great item, which can be reduced from one-third to one-half in a space of three or four years, if we can have a uniformity of four inch rims on our lumber wagons. It must be conceded that a load can be drawn as easily, if not more so, on a wagon with such rims, where the roads are not rutted or cut up with a narrow tire, and since the cost of construction is the same at the factory, the durability of the wagon increased, and the weight no more, it seems very clear that for the best interests of the farming world, and to all concerned, a law prohibiting the use of lumber wagons, with a rim less than four inches wide, would be just and expedient, allowing sufficient time, say one or two years after passing the act, for the change. During such time all new wagons purchased would be wide rims, and all wagons repaired would be to the standard, consequently the law would fall heavily on but a few for the benefit of all. Now, it seems the proper thing to do would be to petition the Legislature from as many parts of the state, with as many names, as soon as possible, asking action on a matter that is of so much interest to the tax-payer, and the lover of good smooth highways.

"This is a question of much magnitude and certainly deserves careful investigation at the hands of the Legislature. The highway tax of this state amounts to more than two million dollars annually, and if the roads can be improved, and this tax materially reduced at the same time, there would seem to be good reason for some legislative action on the subject."

THE LAW AGAINST BRIBERY.

The law of Michigan against the use of corrupt means to influence a senatorial election, as found on page 206, acts of 1876, is full and properly severe. It reads thus:

"SECTION 8. Any person who shall directly or indirectly by himself or by any other person on his behalf, offer or promise any office, place or employment under the government of the United States, or promise to procure or to endeavor to procure any such office, place or employment to or for any member of the Legislature, or to or for any other person, in order to induce such member of the Legislature to vote or refrain from voting for any person for the office of United States Senator from this State, or shall corruptly do any such act as aforesaid, on account of any member of the Legislature having voted or refrain from voting as aforesaid shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for a period not exceeding five years, or by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars."

In commenting upon this law, the Ann Arbor Register says:

"This is the law which the News and the Post and Tribune charge that the Ferry managers have violated. The language of these papers clearly means that Rice A. Beal is the chief offender against this law. It has long been known to the Republicans of Washtenaw that such methods have been resorted to in local elections, and they also know who is responsible for putting them into operation. Even regents of the University have been approached by this man with similar offers if they would do his bidding, in persecuting members of the faculty for whom he entertained a dislike, or who stood in the way of the ambitious schemes of those who, through his instrumentality, hoped to gain control of the University and its treasury. It is through such trickery and meanness that so many Republicans have been driven from the ranks in this district and that Democratic representatives were elected last fall. It is time for all ambitious politicians to pause and consider whether as in everything else, in the long run, honesty is not the best policy."

The Kalamazoo Telegraph says: All or nearly all the peach buds in this vicinity are killed by the cold weather. An examination shows that some of the very hardiest sorts growing in the lower part of the trees may yet come forth. At South Haven and other points on the Lake Shore, however, the peach buds are untouched and a bountiful harvest and big prices are expected.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

More diphtheria reported at Red Jacket.

St. Mark's church, Grand Rapids, is to have a surpliced choir.

Polo and poker are now the favorite games at Grand Rapids.

A Grand Rapids barber has amassed $30,000. Next, gentlemen!

Charles A. Parent has been nominated for postmaster at Iron Mountain, Mich.

James McCormick's house at Big Rapids burned $900 worth last week, uninsured.

The heavy snow caved in the roof of the floral hall building on the fair grounds at Coldwater.

Luther is a large town, but it has two new saloons, which have been opened within the past few days.

Upper Peninsula folks have been suffering from long mail delays caused by the snow blockade.

Work was commenced last week on the water works for the new Grand Trunk shops at Battle Creek.

Emery Buffington, aged 27, suicided by hanging in Carlton township, Barry county, last Friday. He was deranged.

From 4,000 to 5,000 bushels of grain is bought daily at Ridgeway, Macomb county. Some of it is hauled from points over 30 miles away.

Four robbers visited the house of Wm. Parker, a railroad man at Jackson, and compelled his wife to give up all the money she had.

Among the losses by the floods at Cleveland it is said Monroe Bros., of Bay City, are sufferers to the tune of $20,000 or thereabouts.

A snow plow driven by three engines is at work trying to keep the track clear on the Mackinac division of the Michigan Central railroad.

Mrs. H. M. Conkling, a lady of some journalistic experience, has bought the remains of the St. Charles Reporter, and is about to revive that newspaper.

East Saginaw spent $52,000 for water works improvements last year, and now there is a call for $75,000 more with which to extend the mains. There is also a kick.

A gas vein has been struck in the salt well now being bored at Jackson. There is supposed to be gas enough to furnish fuel for making salt when they begin pumping brine.

Edward Reilly, of Ida, Monroe Co., banked his money under a lounge in his sitting room. Thieves made a raid on his bank, and he is out about $300.

The people of Monroe are wondering what will become of their bridges, etc., when the ice in the raging Raisin river breaks up. It is over two feet thick.

Efforts are being made to arrest McMillan, the absconding Wabash railroad agent who recently left Milan with some of the company's money in his pockets.

N. H. Walbridge, editor of the Michigan School Moderator, of Grand Rapids, is a candidate for the position of superintendent of public instruction vice Cochran, when the latter shall resign.

There comes from Roxand via Charlotte a story to the effect that a young man named Freeman was shot and dangerously wounded Thursday night by a man named Day, with whose daughter he was attempting to elope.

On Thursday Mrs. Upham, mother-in-law of Charles Upson, of Coldwater, fell while trying to arise from her chair and broke the neck of one of her thigh bones. She is a very old and feeble lady, and the accident may prove fatal.

James H. Spencer, of Richmond recently marketed a load of wheat containing 105 bags, weighing 230 bush., drawn by a small team weighing 2,200 pounds. It was purchased by N. McIntyre, proprietor of the steam elevator.

Mrs. Laura Allen, late wife of Asa Allen, a Muskegon lumberman, has been arrested at Ferrysburg on a charge of arson, alleged to have been committed in Dakota. The house she is charged with burning was Allen's and she claims she did not burn it. This is only one brief chapter in a very dirty family quarrel.

The skeletons of a man and a half-grown boy were discovered Sunday last under the floor of an old barn belonging to Thomas Carter, about four miles out of Bay City, on the old Cass road. The farmers who brought the news to the city stated that the skeletons bore the appearance of having laid there for several years.

At the meeting of probate judges held at Lansing last week committees were appointed on legislation and topics. The latter presented a series of 17 topics bearing upon the practice of probate courts, the general construction of the laws relating thereto, supreme court decisions, etc. These topics were discussed with a view to effecting a more uniform rule of practice in probate courts, and measures will be taken to secure amendments to the existing laws, and new legislation where it is deemed essential or desirable.

WHAT CONSTITUTES OVERWORK.

Mr. Seymour Haden, one of Mr. Spencer's countrymen, in a complimentary reception speech, expressed his quite emphatic disagreement with Spencer, and his admiration of the spirit of American enterprise and the splendid activity of the American people. As to the injury done by overwork, he did not believe in it, and the eminent physician, Sir William Gull, told him that he never knew a man who had died from it. It is worry, not work, which kills, said Mr. Haden.

Undoubtedly, but is not the healthy worry one of the inevitable accompaniments and consequences of the overwork under the conditions of competitive enterprise in this country? It is work carried to such extremes as to engender anxiety and harrassment under the pressure of multitudinous rivalries and the eagerness of unchecked ambition that is condemned. It is not claimed that the man who kills himself at fifty by unremitting labor has done it by too much physical exertion. He has done it by assiduous mental solicitudes without break or reaction, and the neglect of the conditions of health which that absorption of thought and strain of the feelings imply. Spencer's criticisms were leveled at the want of regulation and of a corrective in the shape of systematic relaxations that shall give more contrast in life, and greater freedom to the play of agreeable feeling, in place of the vexatious solicitudes which spring from devotion to work. To say that it is not overwork that kills, but the worry that is entailed, is merely to quibble with the subject. Sir William Gull might as well have declared that he had never known a case of death from cholera or consumption because it is the lack of power in the constitution to resist these diseases that is really the cause of death. It is only by such caviling that the notorious fact can be evaded, that thousands of men in this country sacrifice health and life to the passionate eagerness of business pursuits. Every observing person can give examples within the sphere of his own acquaintance of such premature break downs by the score.—Prof. E. L. Youmans, in Popular Science Monthly for January.

The Blissfield Advance, in speaking of the Senatorial situation says: "The Detroit Post and Tribune sent out circulars last week in order to ascertain the sentiments of the people of Michigan on the Senatorial question, and from nearly every county, reports are strongly against the return of Senator Ferry. Nobody seems to want him, except his small army of office-holders who are indebted to him for their places. We believe the Hon. Edwin Willits the most competent and able man for the place, and his election is strongly hoped for hereabouts, among Republicans and Democrats alike."

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AMUSEMENTS.

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TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 20th, 1883.

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Our enterprising dry goods merchant A. B. Cotton has some important news on the eighth page of this week's HERALD.

The ordinance of baptism was administered at the Baptist Church last Sunday evening, also one week ago last Sunday evening.

Rev. L. Kirtley of Jackson will occupy the Baptist pulpit, this village, next Sunday morning and evening in exchange with the pastor.

The National Relief and Accident Association are putting their furniture and fixtures into their new rooms and will have one of the finest offices in the county.

The lecture at the opera house next Tuesday evening, giving glimpses of the Arctic World and an account of the Jeanette expedition will be an entertainment well worth seeing.

A special train will start from here at 10 o'clock Saturday morning to attend Col. Griffith's funeral at Jackson for the accommodation of Co. C. The Adrian company will go upon the same train. Persons outside of the military company can go at reduced rates of fair.

M. E. Conklin is making his arrangements for a hot campaign in the Harvester and Mower business this season. He will sell the celebrated Walter A. Wood Machines which have taken the lead in this section for so many years. He will have something to say to the farmers on this subject next week.

D. P. Anthony & Co.

GENTS:—The Minneapolis Harvester and Twine Binder I bought of you last year, demonstrated completely its ability to cut and bind all sizes, kinds and conditions of grain in a more perfect and satisfactory manner than I could do it by hand, (and I have been considered an expert at such work,) and as fast as my team would take it to the grain to be cut. I harvested over one hundred acres of wheat and oats with it, about fifty of which were very tall and heavy and a part of the latter down and fearfully tangled.

A. D. HALL.
Tecumseh, Jan. 25th, 1883.

FAIR MEETING.

The fair meeting held at the opera house last Saturday P.M., was well attended. The farmers from all around the county were present and remarks were made by many, all being in favor of organizing a fair association at Tecumseh. Committees were appointed to solicit stock, and a committee of three was appointed to look up and negotiate about suitable grounds. The meeting adjourned to meet at the council building two weeks from Saturday P.M.

Interest is shown from all over the county towards organizing a good fair association at Tecumseh. We have a good locality and by next fall the town will be well supplied with railroad connections, north and south, east and west. The investment will pay good interest on the money as indeed has been shown by the success of every Agricultural society in this section, not excepting the organization at Adrian, and that has worked under every disadvantage possible. Now is the time for our capitalists to "show up" and do something to help the town and yet make a paying investment for themselves.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 15, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Adjourned

Fair Meeting

At the Council Room

On Saturday, February 24.

At two o'clock precisely,

Let everybody be on hand.

For Tecumseh is bound to have a fair next fall.

Zero weather is presenting very fashionable these days.

People are buying in a good supply of wood this winter.

Fred. Field, of the Clinton News, gave us a call last Monday.

The Seneca post office is supplied with a daily mail from the Wabash road.

Col. L. Saviers of St. Louis, Mich., has been spending a few days among his Tecumseh friends.

Attend the Pink Reception at the Opera House next Thursday evening, and "take the cake."

Miss Emma Hawke, of Adrian, spent last Sunday with Miss Eva Clement, in this village.

Judge Marston, of the Supreme Court, has resigned, his resignation to take effect on the 28th inst.

The A. O. Miller troupe of Blissfield have been starring about the towns in Southern Michigan lately.

The Universalist social will meet at the parsonage next week Friday afternoon and evening. All invited.

Have you taken any stock in the Fair Association? If not, do so at once, for now is the accepted time.

A new coal mine has been opened near Jackson which shows a four foot vein, only 33 feet below the surface.

Munger & Severance advertise a closing out sale for the next thirty days. A good chance for bargains.

During last week and this, Rev. C. E. Conley has been assisting the Baptist Pastor at Jackson in a series of meetings.

Railway time tables have been useless for the past two weeks, trains being all the way from one to six hours late.

Although the weather does not please Wiggins, we are happy to know that Vennor appears more than satisfied.

The new nickels are already in circulation. The first lot was issued at the Philadelphia mint on the 1st of February.

The Methodist Sunday School of Clinton visited Tecumseh last Saturday: There were several large sleigh loads of them.

L. L. Bates, wife and daughter, returned from their eastern trip on Saturday last. Their many friends were glad to welcome them back.

We find the new arrangement of the HERALD Counting Room a great convenience to us as well as an accommodation to our patrons.

We should like to hear from some of our readers on the growing of sorghum cane in this latitude. Can it be made to pay as a general crop?

Sage & Cary will give a Washington ball at their hall in Macon on Thursday evening, Feb. 22. Good music of course; a good time and bill only $1.25.

Jerry Allen, of Goshen, Ind., has been visiting his old Tecumseh friends for a few days. He came out to attend his mother's, Mrs. Murray's, funeral.

An Ann Arbor girl froze her ears the other day while going to church. She probably wore a fashionable butter-plate hat instead of a comfortable fur hood.

S. H. Merritt, of Cadillac, arrived in town last Tuesday and will remain a few days. He and his family are well pleased with his location and prospects at Cadillac. His wife and Miss Gussie Burlingame came with him.

The Brownville Social Club spent last evening very pleasantly at the residence of Ed. Rowland. They were a little off their beat, but then Ed. was born and bred a Brownvillite.

The B. & O. Red Book has arrived. This is an annual of statistics published by the Baltimore & Ohio railway company. It is very convenient to have around in a newspaper office.

E. G. Cook bought 75,000 bushels of wheat at Clinton last week. He has furnished the Tecumseh millers 75 cars of wheat since he took up his residence in this village last September.

G. T. Ketcham, proprietor of the Gilman House, Gaylord, Kansas, furnishes the supper for a grand masquerade party to be held on Thusday, Feb. 22. We have received an invitation to attend.

Last week Wednesday was the day set apart by the Canadian weather prophet for a blizzard, unprecedented in history, but he lost his guess. It was also Ash Wednesday and the Chinese New Year.

Squash or pumpkin? Who can define the difference? Joseph Harris, of the Moreton Farm, Rochester, N.Y., says that his Possum Nose Pumpkin has all the vigor and productiveness of the pumpkin, with all the sweetness and long-keeping qualities of the squash.

Revival meetings have struck Clayton.

How do you stand on the Fair question?

Look out for a big flood when the snow goes off.

Henry Lovejoy, of Adrian, gave us a call last Saturday.

Last Saturday was one of Tecumseh's old fashioned big days.

A printer in Battle Creek has invented a new bronzing machine.

Irving Arner, of Raisin, has obtained a patent on a new attachment for harvesting machines.

The committee for soliciting subscriptions for the Fair Association will meet at the Council Building, in this village, on Tuesday of next week, Feb. 20, at one o'clock P. M.

The Horticultural Society of this county offer a premium of $50 to the school district which shall make the most improvement by way of ornamenting its school grounds during the coming year.

"Thunder and lightning," exclaimed Billy Jordan, our popular street commissioner, last Sunday morning. This was his remark when he was told they were twins. We move that the street commissioner's salary be increased ten per cent. next year.

R. W. Hillman has sold his splendid farm in the Newburg neighborhood to Wesley Keyser, of this township.—If Mr. Hillman will take gratuitous advice kindly we would say to him: Now buy a handsome place in the village and move into town.

The annual meeting of the Lenawee county Mutual Protection Society was held last week. There were $115 in the treasury. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows:

President—John Mason.
Secretary—J. H. Warren.
Treasurer—W. S. Wilcox.

The Directors of the County Agricultural Society met last Saturday and elected the following committee for the year 1883:

Joseph R. Bennett, Adrian.
M. T. Cole, Palmyra.
James Cook, Raisin.
E. L. Mills, Franklin.
Edward Beals, Dover.

Adrian Press: Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Case, of Cambridge, on the 20th ult., celebrated their tin wedding, a large number of friends being present, who tendered fitting tokens of esteem and respect for the occasion. They've only 40 years more before they celebrate their golden wedding, and we hope to write it up.

We have lately built a separate room in the Counting Room of the HERALD office, in which is placed a telephone instrument. People wishing to transmit messages over any of the state lines are thus accommodated with a private room, easy of access on the ground floor of the office. Our patrons will doubtless appreciate this improvement.

Michigan Democrat: Did you ever notice that poor chap that stands in the first picture in the almanac, with the fish and sheep and scorpions and bulls and twins, etc., around him?—Did you ever notice that he was naked and had nothing in his stomach?—Well, that poor fellow used to edit a paper, and didn't exact pay in advance for subscription.

We have seen the plan of the new school house to be erected in the Mills district of Franklin. It will be a handsome brick structure with a tower large enough to contain a bell, a basement floor and all the other modern conveniences. The new building will be planted near the center of the school lot fronting towards the north. Work will be commenced upon it as soon as spring opens.

A pink reception will be given by the teachers and pupils of the Tecumseh Union School at the opera house on Thursday evening of next week, Feb. 22. Supper on the European plan served from 6 to 9 o'clock. Among the attractive features of the entertainment will be the presentation of an elegant cake to the handsomest man present. Let all come out and give the high school a benefit.

The Lenawee County Grange met last week and elected the following officers for the ensuing year. There was a large attendance and Master Luce, of the State Grange was present at the meeting:

Master—Ed. Beal.
Overseer—Wm. F. Howell.
Lecturer—Thos. F. Moore.
Steward—N. F. Nickerson.
Chaplain—J. L. Remington.
Treasurer—C. R. Axon.
Asst. Steward—Madison Graves.
Secretary—Geo. D. Moore.
Gatekeeper—H. S. Fisk.
Pomona—Mary Allis.
Flora—Hattie Morse.
Ceres—Ettie Howell.
Lady Asst. Steward—Hattie Moore.

A letter from O. H. Kellogg, of Otsego Lake, in which he encloses a subscription for another year, says: "We have plenty of snow in Otsego county. It is between three and four feet deep and still snowing. The weather is not very cold; the lowest point the mercury has reached is 26° below zero and only once at that point. Lumbering is brisk and the woods are full of men. A man in Fred. Smith's lumber camp was killed by a falling tree last week, which is the second accident of the kind in these woods this winter.

HERALD and Michigan Farmer for $2.00.

The revival meetings conducted by the Orthodox Friends continue this week with unabated interest.

The Ohio river yesterday was eight inches higher than the highest point marked in the great freshet of 1832.

Adrian is happy. Washington's Birthday and an Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe will strike that city on the same day.

We understand that the proceeds of the Pink Reception at the Opera House next Thursday evening will be for the benefit of the High School.

We are not posted as to the disposal of the cake business to the handsome man, at the Pink Reception, but suppose it will be properly and honestly managed.

The young people's society of the Baptist church will hold a social at Mr. Hess Scofield's, Friday evening, Feb. 16. Teams will be at the parsonage at 6:30.

The Commercial Telegraph Company are getting ready to transact business on a business scale. They are having a large invoice of printing done this week.

C. C. Tefft, guardian of Wm. Taylor, of Raisin, has procured an order from the Judge of Probate to place Taylor in the asylum at Pontiac. Mr. Tefft started for Pontiac with his ward this morning.

The new five cent nickel was issued Feb. 1st. Already counterfeit five dollar gold pieces have appeared, made by gold washing the new nickel coin, and the suspension of its coinage has been ordered.

The Evening News says: "A husband who is too cross to have in the house, and not cross enough to get a divorce from, is in prime condition to be whacked over the head with a poker." The editor talks just as though he had been there himself.

Wesley Keyser has bought R. W. Hillman's farm. Having a good farm of his own, an inquisitive person might naturally inquire what he wants of another one. Probably he thinks a good farm is the best investment for a little surplus capital.

Capt. Lawrence, of Co. C, received a letter last Tuesday from Capt. Miller, of Jackson, announcing the death of Col. Griffith, the preceding evening. He died at 10:30 on Monday night, being sick only ten minutes.—Apoplexy was probably the cause.—The funeral will be held at Jackson on Saturday, and will be under the auspices of the military. Co. C will attend the obsequies.

The floods on the lower Ohio river are causing immense destruction. The Southern freight and passenger depots at Cincinnati collapsed, carrying over a hundred people into the water, many of whom were drowned. At New Albany and Louisville hundreds of acres on the river bottoms are under water, and people are leaving their houses in all directions.

An old man would not believe he could hear his wife talk a distance of five miles by telephone. His better half was in a country store several miles away, where there was a telephone, and the sceptic was also in a place where there was a similar instrument, and on being told how to operate it he walked boldly up and shouted, "Hello, Sarah!" At that instant lightning struck the telephone wire and knocked the man down, and as he scrambled to his feet he excitedly cried, "that's Sarah, every time!"

THE SKATING CARNIVAL.

The roller skating masquerade at the Opera House last Tuesday evening was well attended. The fun began about eight o'clock with nearly forty skaters *en masque*, and a good audience of spectators both in the gallery and below. There were some very grotesque costumes, and taking them all together there was a good variety displayed. There were several gentlemen skaters present from Adrian, all of whom were experts, who added much to the entertainment of the evening. The skaters unmasked at 9 o'clock, after which others took part. The party broke up at eleven and every one who attended voted it to be a very pleasant evening's entertainment.

THE PINK RECEPTION.

Let all who would enjoy a social treat, a feast of good reason, a feast of good sense, and participator in the inner man, accept an invitation *en masse* to the Pink Reception at the Opera House, Feb. 22. The young ladies of our High School, pink-capped and pink aproned, the young gentlemen pink tied, will cater to the inner man. The bill of fare will be loaded with the delicacies of the season and served upon the European plan, each person ordering only the viands he wishes. Music will be discoursed by the orchestra and the prominent feature will be the "taking of the cake" by the handsomest man present, the person receiving the largest number of votes being the happy recipient.—The proceeds of the entertainment are to be devoted to the interests of the school in purchasing necessary apparatus for original investigations. Come one, come all.

SLIPPING UP.

Did you ever "slip up" on the ice?—If not, why not? And if you havn't slipped up during the past two weeks you are an exception to the rule which has but few exceptions in these parts. Since the sleet storm of ten days ago slipping up has almost developed into a fine art. The old and the young, men and women, short folks and long folks, little and big, homely and handsome, without distinction as to race, color or previous condition, have all engaged in this innocent pastime, and to watch the different styles shown by different people in slipping up is a study for the naturalist or artist.

The urchin of ten years old drops upon his crazy bone. Rys up again to be found in his last Sunday School lesson, and enjoys a laugh at the expense of the old man who slipped up the next moment, while sympathizing with the urchin's misfortune. The young lady losses her balance, comes down on her bustle, looks around sadly to see whether anyone witnessed the mishap, and quietly dodges into the nearest dry goods store to price the last invoice of calicos. The spruce young man of five and twenty meanders down the sidewalk as though he were walking on eggs, when one foot flies out on a tangent; in his effort to plant that foot, the other one flies out; to save himself he then spreads out both arms, his head gives a lurch forward and his heels backward and he comes down at full length on the walk. This exhibition is generally witnessed by the deputy sheriff, the reporter of the local paper and several pretty young ladies who are out on a promenade. The old lady of sixty comes puffing along, steps on an icicle, and settles down all in a heap like a pail of hot ashes in a snow drift. The old gentleman, who talks politics on the street corners and weighs two hundred and fifty pounds, steams up the street like a porpoise, turns round to poke fun at the young Apollo for slipping up, when both feet leave the ice simultaneously and he sits down on the walk with a crash that cracks the store windows and shivers the flag stone sidewalk. The pretty little school girl goes hippity-hopping along, gives a scream, rolls over half a dozen times, gets up and bawls. If you doubt the correctness of these observations, just station yourself in an easy chair, before a plate glass window, and gaze out into the zero weather an hour or so.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Marshall Statesman: The sub-contract for bridges and culverts on the Marshall and Homer divisions of the T. & M. has been let to Mr. Frank L. Sweet, of Cleveland, O. He is a bridge builder of many years experience and can be depended upon to do the work in a satisfactory manner. He commenced work this morning at the mill pond, cutting the piles and sawing the heavy timbers preparatory to placing them on the piles. The pile driver has been removed to the stone mill and when the piles there are driven, will be set to work at the Rice Creek near the hoe factory.

Sylvester Lamb is engaged in the vicinity of Homer closing up contracts on the right of way.

The sharp weather of the last few days has put an end to grading operations in these parts, but work on the big bridge, east of the village, still continues, a large force of men being employed upon it daily.

Yesterday, for the first time, we went down to take a look at the river bridge on the M. & O. railroad, and when the matter is summed up, we find down there the beginning of what will be quite a railroad bridge. When completed the structure will be 880 ft. long, contain 270 piles, 55 bents and 250,000 feet of pine timber, besides the oak braces and ties. The grade is over 50 ft. from the bed of the river, and there were some ties driven on which were put 90 blows. Mr. E. J. Tillotson dropped into the office yesterday and wanted to know if we did not want to go down and see the "boosters" at work on the bridge, and in accepting the invitation we were well repaid. "Floring's boosters," as they are called consist of fifteen Germans, Mr. Floring, foreman, and the work of this gang is simply wonderful. They lift those heavy timbers as one man. The gang has worked for Mr. Hamilton since '72. T. H. Hamilton, of Toledo, has the contract for all the bridge building on this end of the line, and the work in Tecumseh, Franklin and Cambridge is under the supervision of his superintendent, E. J. Tillotson, who informs us that if the weather is good, in three weeks time the timbers will all be up on the structure.

The Grand Rapids board of education referred the following to a committee at its last meeting: "Resolved, that there be immediately established five reading rooms, to be opened every evening except Sundays, three of which shall be on the east and two on the west side of the river, to be located in rooms of primary school buildings, and that the board provide suitable reading matter and for the necessary care of the rooms."

Wheat is still going up.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

Saint Valentine, who was a bishop at Rome in the reign of the emperor Claudius, and who was beheaded in the year 270, was early canonized. He was so famous for his love and charity that the custom of choosing valentines upon his festival took its rise from thence, and the custom in some modified form has been observed from that day to the present. In early times the manner of observing the day was by presenting gifts of gloves and jewelry to intimate friends. Of late years, its observance consists almost entirely in sending tender, mushy and caricatures through the mails. The day is looked upon by young masters and misses as an opportunity to reveal their affections or [illegible] be. The day was fitly observed in Tecumseh yesterday. Our postmaster was kept busy handing out huge letters in white envelopes, and from present indications he thinks the day will be extended through the week until about next Saturday.

Apollo has peeped through the shutter
And awakened the witty and fair,
The boarding school belle's in a flutter,
The two penny post's in despair;
The breath of the morning is flinging
A magic on blossom and spray,
And cocks and hens and sparrows are singing
In chorus on Valentine's day.

The Michigan Farmer says: "Mr. Daniel Root, of Hudson, Lenawee Co., sent us last week a sample of amber cane molasses of his own manufacture. It is excellent in every respect. He says he manufactured 10,000 gallons last fall, of which he has yet 2,000 gallons on hand. If as good molasses as this can be made in Michigan, the days of glucose are numbered. There are indications that a large amount of amber cane will be grown in this State next season. Those who doubt the quality of amber cane molasses can apply to Mr. Root for a sample and test it for themselves.

The revival meetings at the M. E. Church are still largely attended and will be continued next week. Pastor Pardington is better and will be at his post again and will still be assisted by Rev. Mr. Crozier of Adrian.

Lew Coller, a whilom resident of Tecumseh, and now a resident of Flint, has invented a fire escape which is said to be best thing out. We hope he has struck it rich.

The Jeanette Expedition at the opera house next Tuesday evening.

We are getting up some elegant *Menu* cards for the Pink Reception.

—The best Teas in the market at Hause's.

Dr. Hause receives Oysters direct from Baltimore three times a week.

—COAL! COAL!—Best hard and soft coal in town at S. W. Temple's.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—The best soft and hard coal in the market at S. W. Temple's coal yards.

—½ off Wool Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Rapid sale of dress goods, Cotton.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—Clearing out underwear at Cotton's

—Gloves & mittens reduced, Cotton.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood." Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom, Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's

Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, moulding, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

In this village, Feb. 4th, 1883, Mrs. Mary Murray, relict of the late Alonzo Murray.

She was born in Williston, Vt. March 9th, 1809. Her first marriage was with Russell Allen who died December 7th, 1826, leaving one son—Jessie Allen. Her marriage with Mr. Murray was in 1836, when they came to Michigan together and settled in Tecumseh. She was a widow over 10 years. She united with the Methodist Church in this place in 1837, and remained a consistent and valued member till her death. She was greatly beloved by all. While the memories of the past were precious to her yet she did not live in the past, but was cheerful and happy and enjoyed life greatly to the last. She was a great favorite with young people. She devoted much of her time to art, leaving among her friends and in her home some very exquisite specimens of her handiwork.

Her death, though not unexpected was sudden, without a word or a struggle she was free, her Lord had taken her. Her funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. R. S. Pardington, assisted by Rev. C. E. Conley, of the Baptist church. The floral decorations were beautiful. The singing was by the choir of the church, assisted by Messrs. J. S. Strong and J. D. DePuy. Her only surviving child, by her last marriage, Mrs. Dr. Fisher, feels very keenly her loss, but is assured that she has the sympathies of a large circle of friends.

I. C. P.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 18 Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 43 Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	11 10 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 00 "	12 20 "
Norvell	7 18 "	3 12 "	12 30 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	12 40 "
Tecumseh	7 45 "	3 48 "	1 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 20 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 35 "	5 25 "
Detroit	10 30 "	6 10 "	
Toledo	9 30 "	5 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16 Mail.	No. 18 Express	No. 42 Accom.
Toledo	8 00 A.M.	9 10 P.M.	
Detroit	10 50 "	9 55 "	
Adrian	12 10 "	10 50 "	6 50 A.M.
Clinton	12 34 "	11 20 "	7 20 "
Tecumseh	12 45 "	11 30 "	7 30 "
Tecumseh	1 00 P.M.	11 45 "	7 45 "
Manchester	1 10 "	11 55 "	8 05 "
Norvell	1 28 "	12 05 A.M.	8 15 "
Napoleon	1 40 "	12 20 "	8 25 "
Jackson	2 00 "	12 40 "	8 40 "

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	CHICAGO TIME.	
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7 00	Toledo	3 40
10 40	Manchester	9 20
11 05	Alexander	8 55
11 20	Morenci	8 40
11 35	Tecumseh	8 25
11 50	Clinton	8 10
12 05	Adrian	7 55
12 35	Hudson	7 25
1 30	Howell	6 30
2 15	Pinckney	5 45
2 40	Stockbridge	5 20
3 15	Chelsea	4 45
3 40	Grass Lake	4 20
4 00	Jackson	4 00
A.M.		P.M.

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Detroit	6 10	2 40	7 00	8 40
Hand	7 26	3 54	8 16	9 56
Ransom	7 41	4 07	8 32	10 12
Bellevue	8 00	4 25	8 52	10 32
Wales	8 11	4 36	9 03	10 43
Wight	8 17	4 42	9 09	10 49
Milan	8 35	4 59	9 27	11 07
Gale	8 42	5 06	9 34	11 14
Erie	8 47	5 11	9 39	11 19
Berlin	8 53	5 17	9 45	11 25
Adrian	9 15	5 38	10 07	11 46
Sand Creek	9 24	5 50	10 21	12 00
North Weston	9 30	5 59	10 30	12 09
North Fayette	9 36	6 05	10 36	12 15
Alvordton	9 45	6 15	10 45	12 25
Montpelier	10 00	6 30	11 00	12 40
Blakeslee	10 20	6 50	11 20	1 00
Butler	10 30	7 00	11 30	1 10
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Express.	Mail.	Accom.	Night Express.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Butler	3 50	8 20	3 20	3 20
Blakeslee	4 00	8 30	3 30	3 30
Montpelier	4 20	8 50	3 50	3 50
Alvordton	4 35	9 05	4 05	4 05
North Fayette	4 45	9 15	4 15	4 15
North Weston	4 52	9 22	4 22	4 22
Sand Creek	5 00	9 30	4 30	4 30
Adrian	5 15	9 45	4 45	4 45
Berlin	5 26	9 56	4 56	4 56
Erie	5 32	10 02	5 02	5 02
Gale	5 37	10 07	5 07	5 07
Milan	5 44	10 14	5 14	5 14
Wight	5 52	10 22	5 22	5 22
Wales	5 58	10 28	5 28	5 28
Bellevue	6 07	10 37	5 37	5 37
Ransom	6 22	10 52	5 52	5 52
Hand	6 35	11 05	6 05	6 05
Jackson	7 05	11 35	6 35	6 35
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[Lancaster Examiner.]

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And I see your fair tapestry growing
And spotless with blossoms and fruit.

And I know that my walls are disfigured,
With prints of small fingers and hands,
And that your own household move truly
In immaculate purity stands.

And I know that my parlor is littered
With many odd playthings and toys,
While your own is as tidy as order,
Undisturbed by the presence of boys!

And I know that my room is invaded
Quite fully all times of the day,
While you, all in silence sitting secluded
And dream the soft hours away!

Now I know there are times I am troubled
By your loneliness and lack of noise,
While with me, in my home, I am troubled
With the boisterous voices of boys.

Now I know I'm a sinner in wishing
Darkening hours should come to me,
And am half afraid I shall be punished
Yet would not change places with you.

No! keep your hand, sister, with pride on
Its place on the head of your boy,
And keep your own home quiet and orderly,
But give me my home and my boys!

Madame Dr. Pompadour's Career.

"H. B." in Youth's Companion.

Her name—Jeanne Antoinette Poisson—is known to every reader of history. She was a girl of remarkable wit and beauty, with dramatic power of a higher order, a brilliant musician and a lover of the fine arts. Many suitors sought her favor, and at an early age she married a wealthy man—Le Normant d'Etioles. He loved her devotedly, and was almost wholly for her happiness.

Fickle, unprincipled and eager for pleasure, Jeanne soon tired of her beautiful home and devoted husband, and resolved to possess and attract the attention of the king, who had already [illegible] the world, and rather, the Grand Monarque.

She placed herself in his pathway, dressed in most attractive manner, that she might be noticed and admired by her beauty, [illegible] with her rare charms, [illegible] the king's heart.

Her ambition was gratified. He became infatuated with her royal mien, became her admirer, made and dismissed ministers of state, created cardinals, declared war and arranged terms of peace. The court of France was [illegible] in her boudoir. She once declared that her lap-dog was wearied with the attentions of nobles. She virtually compelled Maria Theresa to address her as ma cousine, and jest at her expense is said to have been the origin of the seven years' war.

The age of 40 found her prematurely old, and with a corroding sense of unworthiness in her heart. She had lost her [illegible] what result? Listen to her own words:

"What a situation is that of the great! Only love in the future, and no room for hope! There is no peace in ambition. It is always gloomy; the kindness of the king, the regards of courtiers, the attachment of dignities, affect me no longer.

"I have no longer an inclination for all that once pleased me. My residence at Bellevue is charming, and I alone cannot endure it. I do not live; I am dead before my time. Yes, I do hate the hatred grievous me exceedingly. My life is a continued death."

She breathed her last amid the splendors of Versailles, at the age of 43.

The day of her burial was a pompous one. The king stood at the window of the palace as the funeral cortege moved away. He had long since tired of the woman who had violated conscience and God's law for his favor, and now he looked with silent indifference on her funeral car fading away in the storm. No love of husband or of child followed it, few tears were shed.

"The marchioness has a rather wet day to go out on her long journey," the footmen said.

"Long journey!" The pomps of the palace had faded; the illusion was done. She had sown to sin, had reaped its rewards, and in the pitiless rain the years swept away the form of Madame de Pompadour forever in a fashionable grave.

Various Hints.

Mirrors should not be hung where the sun shines directly upon them.

To relieve hiccough at once, take a lump of sugar saturated with vinegar.

Hemorrhage of the lungs or stomach may be quickly stopped by small doses of salt.

A broom may be kept in good condition for a long time if it is washed once a week in clean hot suds, and then hung up to dry.

An excellent shampoo is made of salts of tartar, white castile soap, tincture and luke-warm water. The salts will remove all dandruff, the soap will soften the hair and clean it thoroughly, and the bay rum will prevent taking cold.

To extract ink from cotton, silk or woolen goods, dip the spots in spirits of turpentine, and let it remain for several hours; then rub thoroughly between the hands, and it will all disappear without changing either the color or texture of the fabric.

Dried bark of sassafras root put around dried fruit will protect it from worms.

Raw starch, applied with a little water, as paste, will generally remove all stains from bed ticking.

To remove spots from furniture, take four ounces of vinegar, two ounces of sweet oil, one ounce of turpentine. Mix and apply with a flannel cloth.

Spirits of ammonia, dilluted with water, if applied with a sponge or flannel to discolored spots of the carpets or garments, will often restore the color.

Small holes in carpet from moth-chipping or cutting may be mended successfully, if the layer is "with all care be laid in without nipping to the carpet.

Unhappy Marriages.

Lord Byron, in one of his letters, had the following to say of unhappy marriages, and their causes: "A man should marry by all means, yet I am convinced the greater part of marriages are unhappy, and this is not an opinion I give as coming from myself, it is that of a very excellent, agreeable and sensible lady, who married the man of her choice, and has not encountered ostensible any extraordinary misfortune, as a loss of health, riches, children, or [illegible]. She told me this more seriously, and I never had any reason to doubt her sincerity. For all this, I am convinced a man can be happy [illegible] without a wife. It is a strange state, [illegible] we live in. A tendency so natural as that of the union of the sexes ought to lead only to the most harmonious results, yet the very reverse is the fact. There is certainly something radically wrong in the construction or society, the times are out of joint. It is strange, too, what little real liberty of choice we expect even from those who marry according to what others think their own inclinations. The decisions which the world plays off upon each other, the ways in which so many ill-sorted couples meet, don't meet, and by accident are coupled, are done by the contrary promptings of a legal match-maker. Many a man thinks he marries [illegible] who only succeeds by accident, in this respect not having the advantage of women than is generally supposed."

What is Due Our Children.

Demorest's Monthly.

Herbert Spencer would have been more nearly correct had he asserted that the Anglo-Saxon people the abundant of bequeathing their fortunes for their children to quarrel over after their death. All that any parent owes a child is a good education and a profession. Our offspring have a right to demand that they should be equipped for the battle of life, the only excuse for leaving superfluous wealth being in case any of the family are disqualified for work. The aged parents, the widow and the helpless child should have, at least, means enough to sustain them comfortably; but fortunes left to children have often wrought their ruin. The girl becomes the prey of the fortune hunter, while the young man but too often spends his father's hard earnings in riotous living. What a vast social change it would make in the United States if American parents generally realized that they owed nothing to their children but the best possible education and a profession or trade, which is the due of the daughter as well as the son.

Fair Speech and Fair Play for the Jersey Lily.

Joaquin Miller in Boston Globe.

The author of these poems and early poems is accused of [illegible] from the house on the shoulders of Tennyson, with an [illegible] to make an train high for an [illegible]. [illegible] Mr. [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] and

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The Career of Madame De Pompadour---American Home Manners.

The Editor and the Cook-Book.

The most painful malady which one pays for increased years and experience is the loss of illusion in the possessing of youthful illusions, the sad realization of the glamour and romance which surrounded all the commonplace objects that adorned the landscape of our innocent and artless childhood. Who cannot remember the pang of genuine pain he felt when Santa Claus resigned his high position as spirit in charge of government and vanished into the native atmosphere of smoke? How depressing it was to find that the terrible awe-inspiring policeman was in an earthy manner with a white-tipped nose and a strong predilection for making himself invisible at a moment's notice! But the greatest loss of all these juvenile delights was the obliteration of the editor of our childish conceptions. What a dazzling halo of immeasurable dimensions and unearthly glory wrapped him every from a those days! He moved up in the scene with gigantic proportions, seemed to occupy the entire firmament, and walked constantly on terms with his maker. Wise as Minerva, wisdom beamed from his brow—what unsounded depths of mystic love shone in his impenetrable, but penetrating eyes! It really seemed as if one ought to carry a pair of smoked glass about through which to safely gaze upon him. But this bubble, too, has been pierced by the cruel pin of fact, the opera-glass has been reversed, and the aforetime colossal editor has become a lessening speck. The veil has been lifted and the penetralia visited. Careful analysis has discovered the editor to be a base mixture, composed of three parts American Encyclopædia to one part of Lippincott's Gazetteer, and the chinks filled in with biographical dictionary, and almanac jokes. He is a being who lives merely to get his paper mixed; he would stand by, with a demoniacal glitter in his eye while his wife fell down the well, and would not fish her out until he had written up the item. It is believed that half the crimes and casualties which disgrace our country are the outcome of the enterprising editor's base suggestions thereto. To this inhuman being friendship is but a name, and the fond ties of domestic relationships but a tinkling cymbal. But the most outrageous crime in the catalogue of his enormities is his unpardonable and reckless treatment of the cook-book. When his wife refuses to fall into the well, or his infant son has failed to chop off the daily finger, or nobody's cow has gored anybody, and everybody has failed to commit suicide, does the editor weep despairing tears? Not a bit of; he has a refuge in every time of such distress; he hies him to the cook-book, and fills up the deficit in his columns with mangled recipes; some having heads and no tails; others in a reversed condition of melancholy dilapidation. Whole families have been mysteriously laid away after partaking of dishes concocted from newspaper recipes; then the unfeeling man writes up a column of mysterious suicides, with no cause assigned for the rash act. Aside from the crime connected with the editor's base use of the cook-book, it is a wicked infringement on the rights of woman which that oppressed class is called upon to resent with promptness. Let the whole race of editors be driven into the wilderness at the point of the carving-knife, and teach the world that this is not a country in which a man can safely crib his editorials from a cook-book. PENELOPE

Arsenic Eating for Beauty.

London World.

Another poison of late years has been steadily rising in the favor of ladies, and its consumption is now enormous. No doubt the doctors are primarily responsible for this fashionable vice. It is unquestionably a very efficacious one, and, when used discreetly, an excellent blood purifier. But no sooner does many a fair patient perceive that it makes the complexion very clear and white than it has a fatal fascination for her; and as a preparation of the drug is to be obtained of any chemist, she is not obliged to make the doctor a confidant of her weakness. It is in France, however, where this poison is chiefly in vogue; and we may be sure that, until our ideal of beauty greatly changes for the worse, the habitual arsenic-takers will remain in a very small minority in this country. The effects of the drug are twofold; it makes the skin of marble whiteness, but it also rapidly produces a form of obesity that comes into violent contact with the prevailing notions of feminine charms. Frenchmen and Mussulmans in thinking that the more closely the female form resembles that of a quadruped the more divine it is. We stand aloof from the wholesome compound, and have a little admiration for the fat kind as we have to the lean. Those who are familiar with French life know with what ardor a Frenchwoman cultivates a well-rounded form. With common sense management of padding and puffing the dressmaker may do a great deal to produce an outline of the desired outline of which the sadder leaner is the best excuse; but the result, after all, is only artistic, and in moments of the pitiless exposition must often make those who practice it, when the "fit star rages," exclaim inwardly, "Oh that this too solid pad would melt!" On the other hand, the enlargement which comes of arsenic is natural, and will easily pass as such. If this drug is not the elixir of perpetual youth, it is at all events, the constructive elixir of beauty of the contemporary French type, and the name of its devotees across the channel is legion.

African Decorative Fashion.

"Niger Exploration."

A West African explorer records the following sample of the universal female passion for ornament, as displayed at Gandiko in the province of Nigritia:

"The soft nose had a species of ornamentation which was quite novel to me, and not captivating. Enough, perhaps, amongst men of artistic taste in their country, it might be styled delectable if there were such a word in the Gandiko language. It consisted of a brass nail in the nose.

"At about a quarter of an inch above the edge of the nostril, outside, the bright brass head glistened on the black skin. Its stem perforated the outer gristle of the nostril to the inside, and was then brought out with a curve towards the ear. The heads of the nails were flatter than our tack-heads, nails, the stems longer, square and more obtuse. They were evidently of native fabrication.

"As soon as we had completed dealings with a lady for a pair of these articles, which she exchanged with us for a small looking-glass, there was a regular discussion of parts, with between many noses and brass nails. The mirrors were a decided novelty to them. They had never seen their black faces in a looking glass before."

Mistaken Education of Girls.

Rural New Yorker.

Many a good mother, looking back over the long road of the past, and gazing at her gray hands, resolved that her daughter shall have a better time. The mother is now no longer strong, and Miss Mary is a healthy young woman of 22. Yet the mother goes at the housework, including the sewing and mending for her daughter. The latter makes tatting and edging for her underclothing, and plays very fairly on the piano, which has been "squeezed in" somewhere, for the family is anything but rich. The mother goes without a new bonnet and fixes her dress over and over, in order that Jenny may appear as well dressed as the other girls of her set. When company comes, Jenny entertains them, and her mother goes on with her work in the kitchen. She waits on the table, and if anything is wanted during the meal, Jenny never rises to get it, but passes the empty dish to her mother for replenishment, and adjusts her pretty wristlets in happy ignorance of the thoughts of those looking on. Now this is all wrong. This girl is not naturally bad; her mother is solely to blame. I for one, do not believe in the plan of wearing out the oldest first. Let the younger ones have a good time; don't be so strict as our mothers were with their families, but live some respect for themselves and your health, or your children will doubtless have another you.

Artificial Child Incubation.

Sanitary News.

The report of some remarks by the experimenter called artificial child incubation comes from France. The Glasgow Mail says that the immense success which has attended the artificial incubation of children in France recently called a [illegible] attention of the [illegible] learned and ingenious physician. He was attached to a hospital for foundlings, and was annoyed at the large number of foundlings who died within the first six months of their life. The majority of those admitted to the hospital were weak and sickly, and he resolved to try what artificial incubation would accomplish if applied to infants. The doctor constructed a child incubator on precisely the model of the ordinary chicken-incubator. It was a box covered with a glass slide, furnished with a soft woolen bed, and kept at the temperature of eighty-six degrees Fahrenheit, by the aid of hot water. He selected as the subjects of his first experiment a miserably made infant, one that had come into the world at an injudiciously early period. This infant was placed in the incubator, provided with a nursing bottle, and kept in a dark room. To the surprise of the doctor, it ceased to cry on the second day it was placed in the incubator, and although it had previously been a preternaturally sleepless child, it sunk into a deep and quiet sleep. The child remained in the incubator for about eight weeks, during which time it never once cried, and never remained awake except when taking nourishment. It grew rapidly, and when, at the expiration of sixty days, it was removed from the incubator, it presented the appearance of a healthy infant of at least a year old. Delighted with the success of the experiment, Dr. Tavernier next selected an ordinary 6-months-old infant addicted to the usual pains and cries, and exhibiting the usual fretfulness of French infants. This child conducted itself while in the incubator precisely as its predecessor had done. It never cried; it spent its whole time in sleep, and it grew, as if it had made up its mind to embrace the career of a professional giant. After a six-weeks stay in the incubator it was removed and weighed. It had become so strong and healthy that it resembled a child 3 years old, and it could actually walk when holding on to a convenient piece of furniture. These two experiments satisfied Dr. Tavernier of the vast advantages of artificial child incubation. He immediately proceeded, with the permission of the authorities of the hospital, to construct an incubator of the capacity of 400 infants, and in this he placed every one of the 360 infants who were in the hospital on the 10th day of February last. With the exception of one who died of congenital hydrocephalus, and another who was claimed by its repentant parents, the infants were kept continuously in the incubator for six months, when they were removed in consequence of having outgrown their narrow bed. The result will seem almost incredible to persons who are unfamiliar with the reputation of Dr. Tavernier, and have not seen the report made to the French government on the subject by a select committee of twelve. The average age of the infants last February was 8 months and 3 days; the youngest being less than 12 hours old, and the eldest not more than 11 months. Their average weight was 16 pounds, only one of the entire 360 having attained a weight of 32 pounds. At the end of six months of artificial incubation the average weight of each infant was 24 pounds, and there was not one who would not have been supposed by a casual observer to be at least 3 years old. In other words, six months of artificial incubation did as much in the way of developing Dr. Tavernier's foundlings as three years of ordinary life would have done. The infants were strong and healthy as well as big; they walked within a week of leaving the incubator, and most of them have since learned to talk. These results surpassed Dr. Tavernier's most enthusiastic expectations, and there can be no doubt that his system of artificial child incubation will be adopted not only in every child's hospital in France, but in every private family throughout the civilized world.

Equal Rights in Washington.

"Mary Jane" in Courier-Journal.

"Dickey," said I, as we sallied forth to see the sights, "do you know why Washington suits me better than any city in the union?"

"No," said she, "unless it is that there are so many men here with wives at home that they will make a mash on any woman they see, regardless of age."

"Not at all," said I; "it is because in Washington all men are born free and equal, and the men have no more right to vote than the women have, and the women have none at all."

"Is that so?" said she, becoming interested.

"It is," said I, "or I should not have told you."

"I don't know about that," said she.

"Well, I do," said I, and I rejoice to think that here, in the capital city of this great republic, a woman as big a man as old Grant, and the ballot boxes of no more significance than the hand box—not so much, in fact, for we can stuff our hand boxes, and the men can't do that with their ballot boxes in the district of Columbia."

"Don't any of the men vote?" said she.

"Not a one of them," said I, "nor would they any place else, if I had the disposal of the remains. It is a glorious thought that in all the millions of miles of territory in the United States, there are ten square miles at least."

"Would women make it any better if they voted?" said she.

"They couldn't make it any worse," said I, and the conversation took a rest.

American Home Manners.

American men respect women in the highest sense, and treat them with all the chivalry possible, so far as immunity from insult is concerned. The national character of the American man in this respect is above reproach. But are they at home amiable and polite? Do they treat their wives and daughters at their fireplaces with constant and daily and proper politeness? Are American women modest in their respect? Do they remember to be grateful and polite in little matters of attentions and of compliment? Are they careful to consume their own smoke, and to bring only an amiable face to the dinner table?

We are afraid not. The national home manners need improving. The amenities of home can alone make up for the national disavowals. It is at the home dinner table by the hearth stone, the evening fireside, in the nursery, the bedroom and the sick room, that manners must be taught. We cannot count upon outside influences for our children.

In the Hall Corner.

New York Truth.

A pretty hall corner is easily made by the help of a carpenter. Corner shelves may be fitted into either side opposite the entrance, and serve, school-as an ornamental pot with creeping plants or a bowl with goldfish. Such a niche, if prettily draped, could be a very great help in brightening up a halfway, which is apt, in small houses, to be gloomy and depressing in effect.

STARTLING STATISTICS.

The Shadow Hanging Over New York City and the Entire Country—A Tribune Opinion.

The nation has been horrified at the burning of the Milwaukee hotel, whereby over seventy lives were lost. This event carried terror because it was sudden and appalling; but had the same disastrous results to life and limb come silently they would have been unnoticed, not only by the people of this land but also by the very community in which they occurred. Fatal events of a far worse nature have taken place in this very city, but they have attracted no attention, nor would they now did not the Bureau of Vital Statistics bring them to our notice. "Figures do not lie," whatever else may be uncertain and the reports on the deaths of this city is a startling comment on its life. During the past year the enormous increase of certain maladies is simply appalling. While the total number of deaths has diminished and the death rate on most diseases has decreased, still it is far greater in one or two serious disorders than ever before. More people died in the city of New York in 1882 from Bright's disease of the kidneys than from diphtheria, small-pox and typhoid fever all combined. This scarcely seems possible but it is true and when it is remembered that less than one-third the actual deaths from Bright's disease are really reported as such, the ravages of the malady can be partially understood.

The immediate query which every reader will make upon such a revelation of facts, is: What causes this increase? This is a difficult question to answer. The nature of the climate, the habits of life, the adulteration of foods and liquors, all undoubtedly contribute; but no immediate cause can be certainly assigned. Often before the victim knows it, the disease has begun. Its approaches are so stealthy and its symptoms so obscure that they cannot be definitely foreseen and are only known by their effects. Any kidney disorder, however slight, is the first stage of Bright's disease. But it is seldom kidney disorders can be detected. They do not have any certain symptoms. Mysterious weariness; an unusual appetite; periodical headache; occasional nausea; uncertain pains; loss of vigor; lack of nerve power; irregularity of the heart; disordered daily habits; imperfect digestion—all these and many other symptoms are the indications of kidney disorder even though there may be no pain in the region of the kidneys or in that portion of the body. The serious nature of these troubles may be understood from the fact that Bright's disease is as certain to follow diseased kidneys as decomposition follows death.

It is high time the Doctors in this land who have been unable to control kidney troubles should be aroused and compelled to find some remedy, or acknowledge one already found. The suffering public needs help and cannot await the tardy action of any hair splitting code or incorrectly formulated theories. If the medical world has no certain remedy for this terrible disease let them acknowledge it and seek for one outside the pale of their profession. For the discovery of this remedy and for its application to this disease, the people of the city; the people of the whole land; not only those who are suffering, but those who have friends in danger are earnestly and longingly looking.

The above quotation from the New York Tribune is causing considerable commotion, as it seems to lift the cover from a subject that has become of National importance. The alarming increase of kidney diseases, their insiduous beginnings and frightful endings and the acknowledged inability of physicians to successfully cope with them may well awaken the greatest dread of every one who has the slightest symptoms. It is fortunate however, that the surest relief is often found where, possibly least expected, and there is a specific for the evils above described we have come to fully believe. Within the past two years we have frequently seen statements of parties claiming to have been cured of serious kidney troubles even after hope had been abandoned; but in common with most people we have discredited them. Quite recently, however, a number of prominent and well known men have come out voluntarily and stated over their signature that they were completely cured by the use of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. Most people have been aware that this medicine has an unusual standing and one entitling it to be classed above proprietary articles generally; but that it had accomplished so much in checking the ravages of kidney disease is not so generally known. Its great worth has been shown not only by the cures it has effected, but also because a number of base imitations have appeared in the market, fraudulently claiming the valuable qualities of the Safe Cure. If it were not valuable it would not be imitated.

The above may seem like an ultra indorsement of a popular remedy but it is not one whit stronger than the facts admit. Whatever assists the world toward health and consequent happiness, should receive the hearty endorsement of the press and all friends of humanity. It is on precisely this principle that the foregoing statement is made and it merits the careful consideration of every thinking reader.

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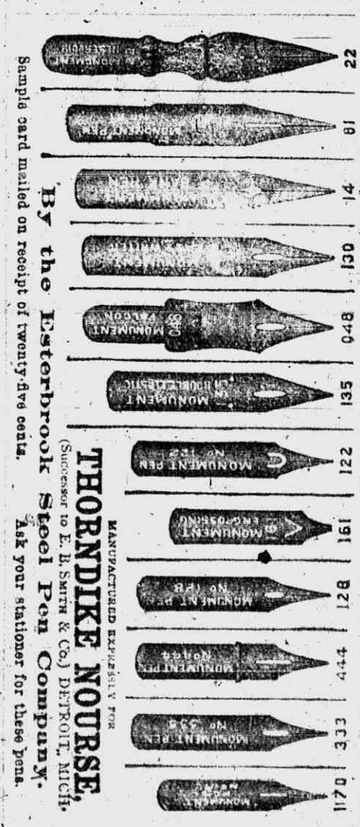

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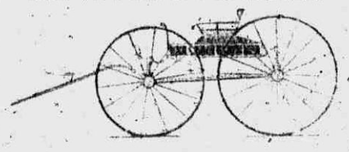
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ESTATE OF WILLIAM RICHARD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Richard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Sarah L. Richard, and William A. Richard, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying, among other things, that they have paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for such notice and further order in the premises deemed necessary, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH BARRETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Barrett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 24th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John M. Pennington, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the [illegible] day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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ESTATE OF JAMES EAST.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 15th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James East, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred J. Lewis, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN, SR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the [illegible] day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of [illegible] praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

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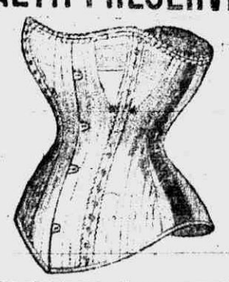

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CHICAGO, June 12th, 1882.

MR. SCHILLING:

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CHICAGO, June 23d, 1882.

I fully endorse the opinion expressed by Dr. Hubbard.

P. M. MANNHEIMER.

CHICAGO, July 24, 1882.

MR. SCHILLING.—Dear Sir:

I am no friend of Corsets for ladies, but as long as they wear them, they should get the best and the best I have yet seen is the "SCHILLING HEALTH PRESERVING CORSET."

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At the residence of the bride's father in Franklin on Thursday, Feb. 8, by Rev. Mr. Wilson, Mr. George L. Smith, of Tecumseh, and Miss Jennie P. Fielder.

LETTER LIST.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Post office at Tecumseh, February 15, 1883.

Grantly, John S. Trumble, Mrs. Lucy

The Price Manufacturing Co.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say they are advertised.

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DETROIT MARKET

Corrected to Wednesday Morning

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $1.07
CORN—55c in the ear
OATS—43c
APPLES—$3.00 to $3.25 per bbl
POTATOES—70c to 75c
DRESSED HOGS—$7.50
CLOVER SEED—$7.90

TOLEDO MARKET

Corrected to Wednesday Morning

WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.14
CORN—50c shelled
OATS—43c
DRESSED HOGS—$7.20
CLOVER SEED—$7.50

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Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples per bushel		25 @ 2 00
Apples dried per lb		3 @ 4
Butter	20	@ 25
Barley per bushel	75	@ 80
Beans	1	@ 1 50
Eggs per dozen	12	@ 15
Beef—dressed per hundred	6	@ 7
Beef Hides	5	@ 6
Calf Skins	8	@ 10
Corn in ear	50	@ 50
Corn—shelled	55	@ 65
Clover seed	6 00	@ 7 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@ 12
Eggs	12	@ 15
Flour per barrel	5 50	@ 6 50
Hogs—dressed	7 00	@ 7 50
Hogs—live	5 75	@ 6 25
Hay per ton	10 00	@ 12 00
Honey	12	@ 15
Ham	12	@ 14
Lard	10	@ 12
Oats per bushel	40	@ 40
Onions per bushel	75	@ 80
Potatoes per bushel	70	@ 75
Pork per cwt	6	@ 6 50
Sheepskins	75	@ 1 00
Tallow per lb	6	@ 7
Turkeys per lb	10	@ 12
Wood hard per cord	4 00	@ 4 50
Wood soft per cord	3 50	@ 4 00
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry Holderman, late of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that the statutory purpose of the said deceased, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on Friday, the 30th day of March and on Friday, the 30th day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 30th day of February, 1883, are allowed by the said Court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February 12th, 1883.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. MCKINNON,
Commissioners.

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Scientific Optician,

Mr. B. Mincer, Optician, of New York, who has been staying in this town at Adrian for a number of weeks, have testimonials from the best citizens will bear.

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B. Mincer has made the Eye its special study, and for the years has paid his entire attention to the adaption of spectacles to the same. Having a thorough experience in making and adapting spectacles to the eye, he is enabled to fit accurately in every case of abnormal vision, known as Presbyopia, Myopia, and Hypermetropia, as well as weak eyes requiring various tinted glasses. His improved spectacles are of a perfect construction which assists and preserves the sight, rendering frequent changes quite unnecessary. They confer a brilliancy and distinctness of vision with an amount of ease and comfort not generally enjoyed by persons using spectacles. His lenses are ground on the most scientific principles rendering them as clear as when in the full strength of youth.

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ADRIAN, Dec. 8, 1882.—To whom it may concern: Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily attaining the object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examination, and its application in selecting glasses to the special organ to which it must be adapted, evinces experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes, with which she is well pleased. I recommend all who need glasses and spectacles to their wants. Poor glasses are an abomination.

A. A. BAKER, M. D.

ADRIAN, Dec. 8, 1882.—I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adapts his glasses on scientific principles.

C. BYND, M. D.

ADRIAN, Dec. 15, 1882.—I take pleasure in recommending Mr. Mincer's glasses as being of a very superior quality, and his method of fitting them to the eyes as the very best.

S. A. POWERS.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend them to any one in need of good glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the selection of glasses to adjust properly to the eyes.

DANIEL TODD, M. D.

We subscribe the following testimonials from the Boards of Trustees relative to the merits of B. Mincer's glasses, who has sold a large number of spectacles in this vicinity, and in every instance has given satisfaction:

ANGOLA, Ind., Dec. 18, 1882.

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L. S. B. WILLIAMS, M. D.

MORENCI, Dec. 9, 1882.

I take pleasure in recommending all persons who need glasses to call upon the kind furnished by Mr. Mincer, who is capable of fitting the eye with the best quality.

REV. J. CRABBS.

FAIRFIELD, Mich., Dec. 7, 1882.

Mr. B. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, has occasionally visited this country, and has fitted me with a pair of glasses for myself; also my wife, with which we are much pleased, and would not part with them, and we take pleasure in recommending him to the public as a thorough optician and skillful surgeon.

J. H. LAVERTY, M. D.

DELTA, Ohio, April 29, 1882.

I take pleasure in recommending all persons who are compelled to use glasses for weak eyes or any other affected by age, or by the use of poor glasses, to try B. Mincer, optician. I have purchased of him a pair of glasses which are the best I ever used.

S. T. WOODES, M. D.

For the benefit of those who may need glasses, I would beg leave to append the following names for reference:

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Mr. & Mrs. K. M. Hewitt,	Mrs. E. F. Smith,
Amott Washburn,	G. W. Marsden,
W. I. Knapp,	Mrs. M. P. Henry,
Miss Hattie Porter,	W. J. Knapp,
Mrs. Myron Baily,	S. E. Bladesly, Attorney,
Mrs. M. W. Sweet,	Miss C. I. Thomas,
Mr. Clark—Centre Hotel, Adrian,	A. P. Grisley,
Justice Hale,	Mrs. Van Buskirk,
Mrs. Hagaman,	A. J. Morvin,
Dr. Laverty,	Mrs. S. Norton,
John Crabbs,	Mrs. Poucher,
Mr. & Mrs. R. Charles Maddison,	Mr. Bush,
Mrs. H. J. Burnham,	E. W. Miser,
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Mrs. M. A. Winter,	Miss Tressie Pett,
William Webster,	Mrs. M. J. Maxwell,
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Mrs. Martha J. Clark,	Mrs. Mary J. Bush,
Mrs. Kelly Beals,	J. H. Adams,
Dr. J. W. Finch,	Mrs. Dr. Hopkins,
Mr. & Mrs. G. D. Perry,	Miss Hattie Hoskins,
Capt. C. H. Miller,	Mrs. R. Donaldson,
Jacob Reed,	Mrs. Daniel Weber,
W. Stearns,	W. A. Stowe,
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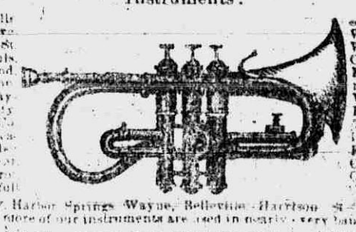

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MACON CENTER CUTS.

We won't say anything about slipping up or slipping down to the foot of the hill and calling for some one to chop a road back—or boys skating to Adrian and Jackson and physicians practicing medicine on skates, or the whole country being a grand skating park, and everybody on skates for the past three weeks—no: that's too common.

A son of Andrew Bain, formerly of this township, met with quite a mishap while shooting a squirrel in front of T. B. Gould's last Saturday. The breech pin gave way and a sliver from the stock cut a deep gash in the side of his nose, requiring seven stitches to close the wound. He killed the squirrel.

No new cases of diphtheria, and Lafayette Gregory is convalescing.

Wilbur Greenfield went to Morgan, Barry Co., Monday morning, in response to a telegram announcing the criticle condition of his mother from a stroke of palsy.

Mrs. Calvin Davenport is very sick with typhoid fever. A grandchild of the same house is also very sick.

Edmund Hand still lives, but the end is nigh.

The inclement weather last Wednesday evening prevented a number from hearing the able lecture of Prof. Beal, of the agricultural college.

Geo. W. Bain stated when here that he had never lectured but once before outside of a village or city, and then not in a course. We thought all the while that Macon was ahead. Who ever heard of a lecture course in the country before? All of our lectures thus far have been splendid. But we are keeping the best of the wine for the last of the feast.

Now all you that have been aching to hear Jesse Harper of Illinois, will please take notice that Monday evening Feb. 26, he will deliver the sixth lecture of the course. Subject, Decline of Civilization.

Wednesday evening, Feb. 28, the Hon. J. J. Woodman, of Paw Paw, Mich., will deliver the 7th lecture of the course. Now the grangers will shout. Yes, but the great granger and master of the national grange, the great sympathizer with the agricultural and laboring classes, in fact the great statesman who has 25 votes now in the legislature for U. S. Senator, and would be the choice of the farmers of this state for that position, will not lecture on the grange this time. The subject will be his "Observations while Attending the Paris Exposition as Agricultural Commissioner under Pres. Hayes." Well, you say that is a grand subject, and I bet there'l be some grange about it. All right, everybody come and hear Woodman, whom to see is to admire. A. E.

MACON MURMURS

Mum Social at the residence of H. Niblack last Tuesday evening. A goodly number were present, and many succeeded in keeping mum the hour. The proceeds were to help to cancel the indebtedness on the church bell.

A large congregation listened to the memorial services for the Pennington Brothers last Sunday, at the Reformed church. Sermon was preached by Rev. J. A. De Sighler.

Skating and coasting are the order of the day.

Will Morgan is our champion skater.

Quarterly meeting at the M. E. church next Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Frane Richart closes her third term of school in Dist. No. 8 Friday, Feb. 23.

Several are on the sick list.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

The Baptist Sunday school of Tecumseh enjoyed a sleigh ride to this place last Saturday.

Visitors:—Miss Louise Hinley, of Tecumseh, guest of Ella Bartlett; May Woodard of Tecumseh, at Gracie Spafford's, Wednesday and Thursday; Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Wyrill and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McNeil of Tecumseh, last Saturday, to attend the funeral of young Ray S. McNeil. Mr. & Mrs. Ruel Mills of Saline, and Mr. & Mrs. Hendershot of Fargo, Da., at E. R. Smith's the first of the week. Henry Stevens, John Smith, James Eccles, Carl Burger of Tecumseh, Tuesday. Misses Clark and Cadmus, Ridgeway, last Tuesday at Alonzo Clark's.

M. E. social in the basement of their church next Wednesday.

Mrs. L. Blakeman missed some pork from her cellar lately. Look out for sneak theives.

Elmer Halladay was married to Miss Lillie Crane at Napoleon last Wednesday. There were a great many guests present and about thirty relatives put up for the night with Mr. Halladay of that place.

The donation given Rev. J. W. Payne of the Barnes church at Town Hall, Tuesday evening netted $70.

Van Riper Bros. have sold some fine wool sheep to parties in Ionia co.

Ray S. McNeil's body, expected here last Saturday for burial, did not come until Monday, when it was deposited in the vault.

65 loads of wheat were delivered at the depot last Thursday.

The Musical Society will meet at 7 o'clock Friday eve. to give a chance to attend the exercises of the Blue Ribbon club at Town Hall.

Parties from Tecumseh attended Masonic Lodge in Clinton Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Services will be held at St. John's church every Wednesday evening during Lent.

Mrs. Geo. Kies of Tecumseh, is in town for a week's visit. It is needless to say that Mrs. C. T. Cummins of the same place, is expected soon.

"Vet," the landlord of the Silvers House, is making extensive repairs on the barn, which will greatly improve the same.

B. J. Bond has resigned his position at the factory as night watch, and is going to work N. S. Watson's farm in Bridgewater.

We are glad to see Clinton Rowland, engineer at the factory, once more on the streets. He has been very ill.

That roller skate business at the Town Hall last evening was a grand affair, both numerically and financially. But, oh ye wise ones, where and what would it have been, had it not been for much despised Tecumseh? Did you know, Mr. Editor, that it was not safe for a man to run for office north of your place who had dared to buy a flannel shirt at Tecumseh?

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Quarterly meeting next Saturday and Sunday. The Elder will not be present.

Chas. Foot and Miss Mary Temple became united in matrimony Wednesday afternoon at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. J. Kilpatrick officiating.

Mrs. George Getty and her daughter have been very low with consumption for some time, and their friends were unable to tell which would first yield to that dreaded disease. The funeral services of the mother was observed last Friday, and the last sad rites of her daughter, Matilda, aged 18, followed on Wednesday of this week. Mr. Getty and the remainder of the family have the sympathy of the community.

Church Anniversary.

Wednesday, Feb. 28, commencing at 10:30 A.M., will occur the 34th anniversary of the organization of the First Church of Christ in East Ridgeway, (Britton) Lenawee Co., Mich. In connection with said meeting will be held a quarterly session of the Southeastern Michigan Christian Conference. These meetings will continue daily, over the following Sunday, two services each day, 10:30 A.M., and 7:30 P.M.; and will close Sunday evening with the Lord's supper. All persons who can conveniently do so, are cordially invited to worship with us in the above meetings. B. F. RAPP, Pastor.

Thos. Wilson, having rented his farm, and wishing to pay his debts, will sell at auction on Wednesday, March 7, '83, at 12 o'clock, noon, on the premises 1 mile south of Franklin Center, the following property: Two work teams, 4 young cows from 3 to 7 yrs. old, 2 heifers coming 2 yrs., 1 year and a half steer, yearling bull, 3 yearling heifers, 85 good breeding ewes, 1 stock buck, 10 2 yr. old weathers, 45 lambs, Buckeye combined machine nearly new, Superior drill, wheel cultivator, 2 hand cultivators, harrow, land roller, horse rake, fanning mill nearly new, 2 plows, 1 three horse Wyard, double and single harnesses, lumber wagon, pair bob-sleighs, stone boat, corn sheller, hay rack, corn sheller, Argyl press, stock wooden pump, quantity hay and corn, sitting room stove, household furniture, set Fairbank scales, crosscut saw, and other things. Lunch before auction commences. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auc.

The East Tecumseh Amateurs will give one of their old time exhibitions, at Sage & Carey's hall, Pennington's Corners, Thursday evening, March 1. A good program will be provided, consisting of farces, recitations, declamations, etc. Music by the East Tecumseh orchestra. Admission twenty cents.

We are happy to record the fact that Tecumseh is once more to be favored with that high moral drama "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Draper's troupe will appear at the Opera House tomorrow evening.

COL GRIFFITH'S FUNERAL.

The funeral obsequies of Col. Griffith, late Reg. M. S. T., were held at Jackson last Saturday. A special train went over on the Branch, in the forenoon to accommodate Co. B. of Adrian and Co. C. of Tecumseh. About thirty men from each company attended. The Patriot gives this account of the services:

At the appointed hour the military companies and veterans met at the corner of Francis and Mill streets, and forming in column marched up Main street, preceded by Boos' band. In the column were Companies, A of Ann Arbor, B of Adrian, C of Tecumseh, F of Ypsilanti, G of Jackson, H of Lansing, K of Mason (M.S.T.) Jackson Guard and Emmet Rifles, all in full uniform; also Gen. Withington and staff, and veteran soldiers and sailors. The military marched to the church which they entered and which in a short time was filled with a large concourse of people.

The religious rites were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Pitkin. After appropriate music the funeral service of the Episcopal church was read, and Dr. Pitkin then made some pertinent remarks concerning the life and character of the deceased. At the close the remains were borne to the hearse by the following members of the original company G, of which Col. Griffith was captain: Capt. G. R. Holden, Lieut. W. J. Heyser, W. E. Buddington, W. B. Harris, A. C. Sweezy, John Alden, A. C. Smead and G. E. Hollombe. The funeral cortege then formed and headed by Boos' band moved up Jackson street toward Mt. Evergreen cemetery. A dirge was played as the procession entered the cemetery, and upon the hearse reaching the vicinity of the vault, the casket was taken out at the top of the rising ground opposite, where the beautiful funeral service of the Episcopal church was read. Salutes were then fired by a detail of soldiers, after which the casket was carried down and placed in the vault, where a cast of the face was taken by Mr. A. Chappelle, of Adrian. The cortege then returned, and the military broke ranks near Francis street.

DOWN THE MISSISSIPPI

A short letter from A. L. Arner, who now has a position on the Mississippi river commission gives a few items of interest in regard to their work. We take the liberty of giving our readers an extract therefrom:

We are located for the present at Baton Rouge; our party numbers about fifty men, ten engineers and forty rod men and boatmen etc. The work is under charge of Mr. C. M. Winchell, an Ann Arbor graduate, and a brother of Prof. Winchell there. The work we are engaged upon is that of making a map of the river channel and a narrow strip of adjoining country. Two other parties doing similar work are located between here and Vicksburg.

The country from here to New Orleans is the finest in the state. It is all laid out in sugar plantations, the cotton region is further north. The planters are now engaged in putting the cane seed into the ground and are ploughing the old fields to start the new shoots. Gardening has also begun. The weather here is decidedly pleasant in comparison with that you have been having in Tecumseh during the past month. The weather here now is much like our Michigan weather in May. The violets are in bloom and many of the trees are quite green. The mercury to-day marked 76° in the shade, but it is usually 10° colder than that. At this season of the year it is very healthy here, but last October was the sickliest season ever known. During that month twenty five men in this party were obliged to stop work and return home; and some of the oldest settlers who had never experienced any trouble, were sick with the dreaded malaria and swamp fever.

Baton Rouge is now again the capitol of the state. It has about 11,000 population and two thirds are negros. This enterprising city is about one hundred years behind Tecumseh, really there is no comparison whatever. It sustains two newspapers, one of which I enclose, as it is a remarkable curiosity and characteristic of every institution of the kind in the entire region.

The newspaper alluded to is called "The Weekly News-Letter." It is a three column folio sheet, ten by fourteen inches in size. Subscription $1 per year. The entire sheet contains 108 inches of printed matter, reading and advertising, which is less than one page of the HERALD.

THE DRIVE WELL PATENT

Parties in this state who are interested, in the Green patent drive well suits are advised that the United States court has reaffirmed the validity of the patents, on an appeal case from the United State court at Indianapolis. The state grange is, however, still fighting the patent in the United States court for the western district of Michigan.

BURLINGTON, KANSAS,
February 4, 1883.

MR. EDITOR:

Noticing the above clipping in your paper, I thought I would inform you of the fact that drive wells have been in use in the state of Vermont since 1865 to my certain knowledge, and I can furnish plenty of proof to substantiate the above statement. Should you deem this to be valuable information to the State Grange you can inform them of it if you choose to do so.

Yours Respectfully,

E. A. DAVIS.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Feb. 17, 1883.

Estate of John Collins, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing March 12, 1883.

Estate of Plumer C. Fox, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John P. Silvers, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

In the matter of Lewis Hinds, an alleged indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum; hearing February 14, 1883.

Estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond $1,000.

Estate of Noyes A. Darling, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment.

Estate of Erastus Brockway, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's final account allowed; assignment; distribution;

Estate of Isaac L. Kniffin, deceased; order of continuance until Feb. 26, 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of David Berdan, deceased; order of continuance until Feb. 21, 8883, at ten o'clock, a. m.

Estate of Francis H. Bailey, an insane person; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of William H. Goodyear et al., minors; petition for license to mortgage real estate; hearing March 19, 1883.

Estate of George A. Hathaway, deceased; warrant and inventory.

Estate of Frederick Gippert, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing March 12, 1883.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending February 17, 1883:

ADRIAN.

P. C. Parker to H. E. Knight.—Land on sec. 16. $2,200.

BLISSFIELD.

Charles Rynd to E. D. Mallory.—Land on sec. 24. $1,800.

Sarah B. Crane et al., to J. W. Brown.—Land on sec. 28. $6,100.

D. S. Mead to E. D. Mallory.—Land on sec. 29. $800.

DEERFIELD.

Wm. Kedzie to Huldah E. Orsborn.—Land on sec. 23. $1,200.

FAIRFIELD.

G. W. Swick to Judson Schoonover.—Land on sec. 21. $100.

MADISON.

R. B. Packard estate, by heirs, to Milton Hood.—Land on sec. 11. $900.

PALMYRA.

Frank Lewis to A. H. Bennett.—Land on sec. 20. $800.

J. H. Wotring to Mary A. Floyd.—Land on sec. 35. $600.

Oscar Jones to Charles Eckert.—Land on sec. 1. $2,200.

Peter Cassman to D. A. Galloway.—Land on sec. 6. $6,200.

TAMS.

J. S. Hollister to F. A. Briggs.—Land on sec. 3. $300.

RIGA.

Peter Quinlan to Chas. Nobles.—Land on sec. 1. $600.

C. W. Heiser to G. M. Deer.—Land on sec. 3. $1,100.

G. M. Deer to Hedwig L. Hiser.—Land on sec. 3. $300.

ROLLIN.

J. W. Crandall to Mary A. Lapenain.—Land on sec. 5. $3,700.

SENECA.

J. L. Covell to Benjamin Pollard.—Land on sec. 3. $1,200.

WHAT IS A CREAMERY.

An exchange thus describes this modern institution. The object of a creamery is to produce a high quality of butter. It requires from $1,000 to $1,300 to build and equip a creamery for 500 cows, with an engine, boiler, churns, cold storage, and a building 30 by 40 feet. There are three different plans by which the business is conducted. One is the formation of a stock company, each patron taking shares, and becoming responsible for expenses, and sharing losses and gains. In some instances the creamery is erected by an individual, who gathers the cream, buying it at a price agreed upon for the season, or a scale of prices somewhat in accord with the market rates for butter. The milk is sent in cans alike, and cared for upon an agreed plan. In some instances the owner is paid so much per pound for gathering the cream, making the butter, and preparing it for market, the patrons themselves selecting a salesman. The Elgin, Ill., creamery company equip the factory, furnish cans, and collect the cream, and pay for it, one inch of cream being rated as a pound of butter, and is worth the average price of a pound of butter for one month. It is stated that at the Elgin creamery the average price of a pound of butter for one month is paid for an inch of cream minus five cents. This gives the maker a margin for making and shipping, and yet protects both parties. The skim milk is available for pigs and calves.

Wheat is still going up.

Rube Jones.

P. Deming in Atlantic Monthly.

He was a fine farmerman, with wavy white hair and blue eyes. I thought I had never seen a better specimen of genuine white oak. It was a winter evening in January, 1864, and we were at Widow Morgan's on Chapel street, Albany. [illegible] We were sitting with Mrs. Morgan in the cozy front parlor before an open-grate fire.

"Fact is," said Jones, continuing the conversation, "this is not my first visit to Albany. I was here when I was 16 years old; I came down from my home in New Hampshire to find work. There were [illegible] the [illegible] Albany. [illegible] cabbages on the stand [illegible] the river. Everything was [illegible] and pretty as a picture on a [illegible] of china.

"Well, the way all this came to [illegible] Jones, go ahead." It was a warm, pretty road [illegible] laughing. [illegible] things happened to me that [illegible] which I have never felt quite [illegible] and I [illegible] say, 'Do come back to Albany.' [illegible] I have been to Africa [illegible] Utah for and [illegible] perhaps it will be as well for me to tell you all about it.

"We do not urge it," said Mrs. Morgan.

"Well, I see [illegible] I am anxious to tell it you want to," said the narrator, sharply. "Fact is, it was [illegible] Harry. I was [illegible] Harry was [illegible] Jones was [illegible] New Hampshire. When I [illegible] the place, [illegible] around the Catskills and in the hollows, were [illegible] and [illegible] was [illegible] Hudson, [illegible] required was previously [illegible] to [illegible] well."

"Please [illegible] Mr. Jones," said Mrs. Morgan, [illegible] with a slow [illegible] afternoon.

"I will try to speed it by [illegible] interrupted Mr. Jones, "but I wish [illegible] you to understand how [illegible] was. As I [illegible] never we certainly [illegible] and there was the green grass in the [illegible] There were no railroads, or excavations or [illegible] cabbages on the stand [illegible] the river. Everything was [illegible] and pretty as a picture on a [illegible] of china way.

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The black engraved portrait of the undersigned appears on the fac-simile of the red wrapper.

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If your druggist does not happen to have it on hand, remember that he can easily procure it for you, and will be pleased to do so, if you insist on his doing so. Don't let him put off with something else he may have on hand, because it pays him better to make a profit than it does you to get what you want. Remember that it is your health that is to be restored, and that you are the sufferer in case of failure to obtain the proper remedy. Ask your druggist about it, and if he says it is the best blood purifier and the best medicine he ever sold, and that it is the best seller of any, you will be sure to be benefited by its use. Ask your druggist for it, and if he says he has not got it, or cannot get it, or that he does not keep it, or that he does not want to get it, or that he does not care what you take, it may be for his interest to do so, but it is not for your interest to be deceived in this way. Insist on your druggist giving you what you call for

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TECUMSEH WITH THE WORLD.

The Ferry forces have fairly fled.

Charlevoix now claims to be the highest in America.

The Ferry injunction at Lansing is growing small by degrees and beautifully less.

Judge Newton still leads the list at Lansing. He is now receiving the entire Union vote.

How much longer will the Michigan legislature play shuttle-cock and battle-door with the senatorial question?

We are entirely satisfied with our part of the freshet. We have no desire to hold it over our neighbors.

The prosecution in the Star Route trial have at last got a twist on the defendants which seems likely to count.

Wiggins should not be frowned upon too severely. His storm was pleasantly postponed on account of the weather.

Have the farmers anything to do with the fact of water that has prevailed on both sides of the Atlantic this winter?

Ferry has been withdrawn and it is now a "free-for-all" race. May the best man win. But whether he will win is very doubtful.

The Detroit Knocker observes: Had Wyatt predicted water instead of wind he would have moved in the right direction.

The Ferry investigation at Lansing will, it is to be feared, the occasion of the revival of politics that a dirty and disgraceful resolution.

The Detroit News thinks that the Lansing gorge will come down on Thomas W. Palmer but the Detroit Times asserts that the News is off its base in this prophecy.

There is no great loss without some small gain. It is generally believed that a good slice of Hubbell's two per cent. assessment fund has been used to compass Ferry's defeat.

The flood of 1882 at Cincinnati reached a point eighteen inches higher than the great flood of 1832 but the Commercial says that the water of '32 was much wetter than the water of '82.

The foreign free trade market fixes the price of an staple crops which the farmer has to sell. The home protected market fixes the price of tools, clothing, salt, lumber, etc., which the farmer has to buy.

Yesterday was the last day for the introduction of bills in the legislature. It is to be hoped that the honorable members will now elect a Senator and then go to work at the legitimate business of the session.

The February record of horrors bids fair to eclipse that of January. After the great floods in the Ohio valley the news comes of the caving in of a coal mine at Braidwood, Ill., smothering between sixty and seventy persons.

Judge Howell is favorably spoken of in some quarters as a candidate on the Republican state ticket for one of the Supreme Court Justices. He would be a strong candidate and if elected, would be an honor to the Supreme Bench.

A movement is on foot to secure the pardon of Wm. M. Godley who was sentenced to the state prison for life a few years ago for throwing his mother-in-law down stairs at Adrian. Godley has been shut up long enough. Let up on him.

The era of floods seems to have arrived. While charitable contributions are still going forward to aid the sufferers from the great floods in Continental Europe, a deluge of rain pours into the Ohio valley, and the worst freshet of the present century ensues.

Henry Ward Beecher is sound on some things anyway. He says the great political question of the day is whether under the false pretense of a tariff the people should continue to pour millions of dollars annually into the hands of a few gigantic monopolies.

THE TOLEDO FLOOD.

The fears that Toledo might catch the freshet have been more than realized. The rain and thaw of last Friday flooded the upper Maumee and on Saturday Toledo caught the entire force of the freshet. At nine o'clock Saturday evening this was the situation:

Since the last report at noon the water has raised steadily and at 8 P. M. marks twenty inches higher than the highest point of 1883 and is rising at the rate of three inches per hour. The gorge below the city extends for two miles below the Union depot railroad bridge, and is piled up to a height of twelve to eighteen feet, preventing the escape of the water. The gorge is strongest directly in front of the city, and is still firm. In addition to the westerly span of the Union depot bridge, the entire system of the Wabash, Toledo & Detroit Railway yesterday, two central spans of the Pennsylvania Railroad bridge were carried away together with a portion of the new draw and two temporary spans of the Union railroad bridge. The water is above the floor of the Lake Shore Railroad bridge, but the structure stands firm. The Middle Ground from the Union depot to the Lake Shore bridge is covered with water to the depth of six to eight feet, resting upon which, and extending across the river, is a vast field of broken ice. There are several feet of water on the floor of the Island House and Union depot. Most of the rolling stock has been removed from the depot and the Middle Ground.

Later news discloses the fact that the water was twenty-six inches higher than in 1883. A reporter of the Adrian Record visited the scene of devastation on Monday, and gives a graphic account of the same.

The entire flooded district, which included all the railroad grounds, Water street, a portion of Summit, Monroe and Sinclair streets, and all that part of the city known as the flats, presented a desolate and discouraging appearance. On Monroe street at the junction of Sinclair, the water was two feet deep, and of course all the cellars and basements in that vicinity were flooded. On Water street the water was eight or ten feet deep. In the Island house it was over ten feet deep and on the middle ground freight cars were entirely submerged.

When we arrived there yesterday, about eleven o'clock, the water had subsided, half gone down about eight or nine feet, the highest point being reached between 12 and 1 o'clock Saturday night when the ice gorge below the city gave way. With the giving way of the gorge there was a terrible rushing of the water, carrying the bridges and all before it. The Cherry street bridge was almost entirely swept away, next came the Pennsylvania bridge, which with the exception of the draw, is almost totally wrecked. Below this was the Western & Lake Erie bridge a fine structure erected last August, and thought to be the best on the river. All of the spans are still standing, one being ill-placed, and that only about 18 inches out of line. But the approaches or trestle work at either end was carried away and there is now but one bridge standing that can be crossed—the Lake Shore—which seems to be entirely uninjured and trains crossed it yesterday.

Many of the printing offices, hotels and breweries sustained losses and inconvenience. In yesterday morning's Telegram the superintendent of the gas works published the following:

"The fires at gas works are extinguished. Have gas enough for tonight, but not enough to supply through to-morrow Sunday night."

The Blade press room was flooded to the depth of four and a half feet, and the new Webb press and engine were almost entirely submerged. This was on Saturday afternoon, and an attempt was made to print an edition on a Blade Printing company press, but when the fires at the gas works went out the gas engine stopped and all work was suspended.

The Bee succeeded in getting out two editions before the water reached them.

The Telegram was the only paper above the water-line, and had it not been for the great misfortune of "piling" one side of the paper as it was going to press, everything would have been regular with it. As it was it issued half its regular morning size. Both the Sunday Morning Journal and the Democrat were printed on the Telegram press.

St. Nicholas for March

Has a notable list of contributors. Archibald Forbes, the distinguished war correspondent furnishes a vividly interesting story of the Turco-Russian war, entitled "Where was Villiers?" which has the additional attraction of being illustrated by the well-known battle-painter, W. H. Overend, of the Illustrated London News, himself a personal friend of both Forbes and Villiers. In the "Letter-box" is a pen and ink sketch of Mr. Forbes by Hubert Herkomer, from the portrait of him by that artist. Besides the foregoing, there are stories, sketches, poems, and pictures by Charles Barnard, Sarah Winter Kellogg, Joel Stacy, Palmer Cox, Reginald B. Birch, H. P. Share, W. L. Sheppard, Dexter Smith and many others.

Special Announcement.

We take pleasure in announcing that we have made arrangements with the publishers of the American Farmer which enable us to furnish that magazine as a Premium to our subscribers. The American Farmer, a sixteen page monthly Farm Magazine will be sent free for one year to all our subscribers who will pay their subscriptions to the HERALD one year in advance. This means just what it says—the American Farmer one year for nothing.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17th, 1883.

One or two minor city journals have joined hands with a young man named Britton, in the office of Anthony Comstock, the Agent of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, for the purpose of giving us a sensation. Britton, or as he loves to hear himself called, "Detective" Britton, is a short person already inclined to stoutness, with fair blonde hair, watery blue eyes, a lisp which will make anything but a good impression on a prejudiced person, and an idea that he is a smart man. He has made himself generally useful for months with the high-priced detectives connected with the post and police department, and he seems to have gained them

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LOST. A large beaver glove. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

FOR SALE. An elegant counter and good show case will be sold cheap for cash. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

LOST. Last Sunday evening, a mink boa, near the Presbyterian church. Finder will confer a favor by leaving at this office.

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Shop opposite Hayden's warehouse.

FOUND. A sum of money, which can be obtained by the proper party calling at W. & S. W. ANDERSON & CO'S STORE.

VILLAGE CAUCUS. The electors of the Village of Tecumseh will meet at the Council Building in said village, on Saturday, March 3d, 1883, at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating candidates for Village office to be supported at the annual election of said village, to be holden therein March 5th, 1883.
Dated Feb. 21, 1883.
FRED B. WOOD, Recorder.

CORPORATION ELECTION. The annual election of officers for the Corporation of the Village of Tecumseh, will be holden at the Council Building in said Village on Monday, March 5th, 1883.
Dated Feb. 21, 1883.
FRED B. WOOD, Recorder.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.
The Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh will meet at the Council Building in the Village of Tecumseh, on Saturday, March 3d, 1883, for the purpose of completing the registration of the electors of said Village.
Dated Feb. 21, 1883.
GEORGE HEESEN,
HENRY SMITH,
FRED B. WOOD,
Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh.

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Enquire at the

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One of the finest residences in Tecumseh will be sold at reasonable terms. New two-story house finished in the latest style, with "dado" paper throughout. Large lot. This place will be sold with

House Furnished or Unfurnished,

to suit purchaser.

The place is all in splendid condition, new house, barn, outbuildings, &c., and is one of the finest residences in Tecumseh.

Mr. & Mrs. A. W. Mills go to Napoleon this noon to attend the wedding of Miss Nellie Blair, their niece, this evening.

The Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle will hold its monthly meeting in Drs. House and Jones' office on Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.
R. B. HOUSE, Sec.

The meeting of the social club last Thursday evening at Mrs. C. A. Keil's was a very pleasant one. Everyone had a pleasant time. The next meeting will be held at the De Wolf residence next Thursday evening.

Engineer Stout and his two assistants made quite a discovery last Thursday. The drain between Keil's and James' corners was frozen solid. In about an hour the boys thawed it out with the steamer, notwithstanding all the old heads said it could not be done.

FREIGHT STATISTICS.

We are indebted to station agent Hughes for the following table showing the shipments from this station during 1882. The comparative figures for '81 and '82 show a healthy increase of business, for the past year. With the additional railroad facilities which will soon be at our command we shall be disappointed if 1883 does not show by far the heaviest freight business this village has ever known.

1882.

Flour, bbls	86,191
Apples, "	5,259
Eggs, "	2,071
" crates	680
Dressed poultry, lbs	203,008
" hogs, lbs	249,207
Butter, lbs	101,792
Wrapping paper, lbs	887,750
Grain, cars	31
Mill feed, cars	152
Lumber, "	18
Staves, "	5
Stock, "	103
Brick and Tile machines	89

Comparative statement of tonnage and revenue on freight forwarded and received 1881 and 1882.

	Tons.	Rev.
Freight forwarded 1881	11,233	$20,195
" " 1882	15,491	30,939
" received 1881	13,068	18,933
" " 1882	15,357	21,190

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 22, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Adjourned

Fair Meeting

At the Council Room.

On Saturday, February 24.

At two o'clock precisely.

Let everybody be on hand.

For Tecumseh is bound to have a fair next fall.

This is Burlingame's Washday.

The saloons and banks are closed today.

To-day, Feb. 22, is now a legal holiday.

Commercial drummers complain of a dull trade this winter.

The State Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. meets at Flint this week.

The Branch county Republicans all favor Willitts for Senator.

Go and see Uncle Tom at the Opera House to-morrow evening.

We understand that there is some talk of a new armory for Co. C.

Remember the "Pink Reception" at the Opera House this evening.

The business men of Blissfield have organized a protective association.

The Fairfield Masons give a Washington Ball at Baker's Corners tonight.

Draper's Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe has two Topseys, two Marks, and two educated Donkeys.

James W. Patterson rejoices in a bright addition to his family, who will be a voter if he lives long enough.

Horses should be sharp shod this weather. We have heard of many accidents to horses from slipping on the ice.

Mrs. Dr. Gordon and sister, Miss Mary E. Bost, of Sandusky, Ohio, are visiting at Mrs. Jno. Heck's in this village.

Dundee boasts of a citizen who is six feet and seven inches tall. They use him for temporary bridge purposes during a freshet.

We received a letter from Dr. Howell last week in which he spoke very encouragingly of Edwin Willetts' senatorial prospects.

Mrs. A. Blackman, *nee* Stella Hanford, has arrived from Colorado and will remain as a guest in her father's family for a few weeks.

Evans creek and the Raisin got rather high and noisy last Saturday and Sunday, but no damage has been sustained by the high water, that we can learn.

The next Moorville Universalist Social will be held at R. Westfall's hall on Friday eve., March 2nd. A cordial invitation is extended. Bill, including supper, 75 cents.

A careless Dundee man lost a pocket book containing $300 the other day, and accused a neighbor of stealing it. Now he has a slander suit on his hands and no money to pay his lawers' bills.

In last week's issue we stated that Mr. T. H. Hamilton had the contract for the bridge work on this end of the M. & O. road, which was an error. He has the contract for all the bridge work on the line.

The Dundee Reporter has bought the Ledger, and henceforth there will be but one paper in that town. A good move. One good paper, well sustained, is better for any town than two poor ones.

Mr. John Benedict who has had charge of the St. James Hotel at Ann Arbor, in the employ of E. H. Hudson, will take a position in Sink's Hotel on the first of March. He will be a valuable acquisition.

The subscribers to the HERALD who receive their papers at Balch had not received last week's paper on Monday. We will look this matter up, ascertain where the fault lies, and endeavor to prevent its occurrence again.

John T. Hicks is at home on a business respite and visit this week, and is kept busy shaking hands with his friends. He will scale it again the coming summer, having secured a portion of Ohio and Kentucky to work in. He still sells the celebrated Howe scale.

J. C. McAdam and Willet S. Brown, who have been engaged as clerks in the dry goods trade here in Tecumseh, have decided to embark in business for themselves. They will soon open a stock of dry goods, fancy goods and notions in the Odd Fellow's block at Cadillac, Michigan. They are both temperate, industrious young men, well posted in their business. We bespeak for them success in their new field of labor.

The Evening Star, of Philadelphia, says: "The rush to witness the Double Uncle Tom's Cabin, at Haverly's Theatre, seems to have no end, as the passage ways, doors, steps and every other available space is filled every night, and many turned away unable to gain admission. The two Marks, two Topseys, and other novelties, such as genuine colored minstrels, make a very pleasing performance, which will have a much longer run than it was first looked for.

Present indications favor a heavy spring trade.

The public schools of this village are closed to-day.

Business men should sow their spring advertisements.

To-day is the 57th day of sleighing, but it is about used up now.

The snow packs good these sunny days and the kids seem to know it.

The Fair Association has got a good start. Let the ball be kept rolling.

Several members of C. O. O. will attend the Light Guard ball at Adrian this evening.

The Brownville Social had a good time at the residence of Mrs. Howe last evening.

The Baptist Sunday School of this village took a sleigh ride last Saturday to Clinton.

Reynolds & Wilson will in a few days ship 3,000 sheep to Texas over the Wabash road.

Five hundred residences were wholly or partially destroyed by the flood at New Albany, Ind.

Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Sias, of Colorado, have been visiting Mr. & Mrs. W. T. Eccles for a few days.

Lads and lasses must improve these moonlight nights. The sleighing for this winter is about over.

A movement has been started to erect a regimental monument in memory of the late Col. Griffith.

Representative Gregory of Washtenaw has introduced a bill in the legislature to regulate the width of wagon tires.

We received a call yesterday from Mr. L. R. Gainsley, of Kalamazoo, a nephew of Mr. C. H. Gainsley of this place.

Thos. Wilson, of Franklin, has purchased the Smith residence in town, and will move here April 1st, he having rented his farm.

Revival meetings at the M. E. church are still held nightly, and are largely attended and full of interest and will probably be continued next week.

Quarterly meeting services at the M. E. church next Saturday and Sunday. Rev. W. J. Campbell, P. E., will be present and conduct all the services.

The revival meetings conducted by the Friends are continued this week with a large attendance and increasing interest. They will probably close this week.

Fred Hillman and Bert Waring have accepted positions in the Post Office. As soon as the young men get used to the business the post office will be run by Miss Jennie Rosacrans, and the postmaster will resume his position at Anderson's store, he having taken a partnership with that concern.

HEADQUARTERS CO. C, 1st REG'T M. S. T.
TECUMSEH, Feb. 22d, 1883.

GENERAL ORDER No. 8.

Every member of this company having a uniform or equipments or state property of any kind, will return the same to the armory by Wednesday, March 1st, 1883. There will be an inspection of the company the same evening. By order of

A. D. LAWRENCE,
Cap't Com'g Co

Last evening a meeting was called by some of our ladies for the purpose of taking steps towards organizing a Library Association. At the appointed time a good number presented themselves at the office of Drs. House & Jones, and committees were appointed and arrangements made which mean business. Our town should have a library; much smaller places have good circulating libraries, and we trust the people will not give this movement the cold shoulder.

The new rooms of the National Relief and Accident Association are completed and the furniture has been put in. They have an elegant Detroit safe and a beautiful blackwalnut counter with screen to separate the outer apartment from the business quarter proper. The floors are carpeted and the walls ornamented with elegant dado paper. The office will compare favorably in appearance with any banking office in the county. A few jealous souls have attempted to injure the company by false reports, but their efforts will prove fruitless.

In answer to a call in last week's paper the Fair Association soliciting committee met at the Council building. The matter was noised around somewhat, and there was quite a turnout of business men and others beside the committee. More interest was manifested at this meeting than at any previous one. The paper for taking stock was made out and $1,350 pledged within an hour. The simple fact of Tecumseh having a fair will not enrich any one or more of our business men, nor make any great difference with the value of any one or more farms in this vicinity, but all such enterprises help the town and increase the price of property in the vicinity. As a whole it helps to say whether Tecumseh is a dead or live town, and whether our people are in for enterprise or not. A little help from each quarter will insure success, and besides the investment will pay good interest on the money.

A pink reception will be given by the teachers and pupils of the Tecumseh High School this evening.

E. L. Mills, of Franklin, entertained a large party of Adrianites at his hospitable residence last Monday.

Mrs. Spaulding has some strawberry plants in bloom at her green house. The crop will soon be ready to pick.

That interesting and thrilling serial, the "Legislative Journal" arrives at our sanctum with commendable regularity.

S. H. Merritt returned to his home in Cadillac last Monday. Mrs. Merritt and Miss Burlingame will remain in town a few days longer.

A business man in this village says patent medicines are all rosinums. This must be the man that contemplates building an octagon house in the spring.

The quickest trip ever made across the ocean was made last week by the steamer Alaska, from New York to Liverpool in six days and twenty, and one-half hours.

The "white mill" bridge on North Main street, at Adrian, was so seriously injured by the high water last week that it has been condemned by the authorities as unsafe.

John R. Clark is in Batavia, N. Y., this week, and will go from there to Rochester, Palmyra and Lyons. He will commence a three nights' engagement in Buffalo on March 4th.

Farmers, look out for $5 bills, one half of which are $1 bills. The mode of the swindle is this: a $1 bill and a $5 bill are torn in two and one half of each pasted to the other, making two $5 bills. The swindlers are generally in the guise of peddlers and have taken in a goodly number of victims around in the country, and it is believed they are in the village.

The Toledo Blade figures the loss by last Saturday's flood as follows: "It will cost $80,000 to repair the bridges, $25,000 to put the middle ground in as good shape as before the flood, and about $100,000 to repair the dock. The losses of merchandise including logs and lumber, are relatively small, and will not exceed, it is thought, $15,000. The expense of moving the goods to places of safety is the next most serious item, and will aggregate $4000 or $5000.

The Lansing Journal has been purchased by Rowley of the Ionia Standard. Under Col. Sanford's management the Journal has been one of the best newspapers in the state, and in his retirement the union party will lose an able champion, and journalism a worthy representative. Col. Sanford's health has become impaired during the past year which is his reason for selling. Mr. Rowley, his successor, is well known throughout the state and will hold the Journal to the position it has hitherto enjoyed.

The North American Review for March opens with an article on "Money in Elections," by Henry George, who brings to the discussion of that hackneyed subject a contribution full of originality, freshness and keen insight; he points out with admirable clearness one source of our political ills, and proposes a remedy that seems both eminently practicable and efficient. Robert S. Taylor writes of the "Subjugation of the Mississippi," a work which, in his opinion, and in that of the Mississippi Commission, of which he is a member, can be accomplished only by employing, for the purpose of deepening and straightening the channel, the forces developed by the river itself.—Moncure D. Conway contributes a very striking study of Gladstone as a man and a statesman, showing how even the more or less sinister moral and intellectual traits of his nature, quite as much as his pre-eminent native force and elevation of character, conspire to make him the foremost Englishman of his time. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, N. Y., and for sale by booksellers generally.

THE NEXT COUNTY FAIR.

In a communication to the Adrian Times the Secretary of the County Society, Mr. S. B. Mann, has a few words to say about the location of the next fair:

"There was a meeting of the newly-elected executive committee for the county agricultural society held in Adrian, on Saturday last, the 17th.

"It was decided that no definite action could be taken at that meeting as to locating the next fair, but the matter is to be held in obeyance for a month at least.

"The proposition of Mr. Lawrence, made to the old committee, and what he claimed to be his best and only offer, renders it a certainty that the society cannot hold the next fair on his grounds.

"According to the constitution, the executive committee may locate the fair anywhere in the county. The secretary read to the committee a communication from the secretary of the Morenci society, asking a committee to confer with a like committee from that society, looking towards the holding of the next fair at Morenci.

"There was also talk that other localities were desirous to make proposals, hence the deferring of the matter, that all may have an opportunity why may choose to make their propositions.

"All such should be addressed to S. B. Mann, secretary, Lenawee Junction, (now his post office address,) and they will have the consideration of the next meeting of the committee."

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Clinton News sighs for a roller skating carnival.

The Clinton Baptists are holding revival meetings this week.

Seneca township has two cases of small pox, both in the same family.

Several loads of Clintonites took in the skating carnival at Tecumseh last week.

Scipio Stewart, of Deerfield, owns a live coon that weighs over twenty-one pounds.

The final lecture of the Clinton course was delivered by President Angell last week.

Blissfield will have its charter amended during the present session of the legislature.

[illegible] took a trip out on the Grand Rapids & Indiana road last week.

Morenci has gone into the Liniment business. The Japanese Liniment Co. is the name of the new enterprise.

Lou J. Beauchamp, Grand Lecturer of the Sons of Temperance of Ohio, will speak at Morenci, March 8 and 9.

Morenci will vote on a proposition, at the March election, to raise $8,000 to build a new village hall and Council room.

The Republican county convention will be held on Monday, Feb. 26. The Democratic convention will take place on Friday, March 2.

Dr. H. Peters, formerly of Tecumseh, has formed a copartnership with Dr. Parker. The firm will be known as Parker & Peters.

When Clinton sleighing parties start out they overload the sleigh to such an extent as to crowd the young ladies out of the rear end of the load.

The Recorder of Hudson has advertized several parcels of village property for sale to collect paving taxes that remain unpaid. The end is not yet.

Addison is receiving a big business boom by reason of the new Michigan & Ohio railroad. Landlord Turpenny is spending several hundred dollars on hotel improvements.

The bottom has dropped out of the Clinton flouring mill sale. One of the parties who was negotiating to buy changed his mind. The bonus of $500 had been nearly all raised.

The Deerfield Record remarks:—"The good book says the wicked stand in slippery places. There must be a great many wicked people now-a-days." Judged by that rule the people of Tecumseh are about all saints.

Clinton News: Would it not be a good plan for the fruit growers in this vicinity to organize a branch of the state horticultural society, at this place? There are a good many large fruit growers near or in Clinton and such an organization could be made very beneficial.

Camp No. 1 of the "Sons of Veterans" has been organized at Blissfield, and the following officers chosen:

Capt.—E. W. Scott.
1st Lieut.—Chas. Howland.
2d Lieut.—Alfred Crane.
Chap.—Adam Butts.
Q. M. Sergt.—Edmund Crane.
Sergt. Guard—Geo. Brockway.
Corp. Guard—Wm. Harrington.

Morenci Observer: Our leading farmers are reporting that but very little of the corn raised last year is fit for seed, the damp condition in which it was gathered with the extreme cold weather having nearly destroyed its germinating qualities. Farmers who have old sound corn are saving it carefully for planting purposes.

Hudson Gazette: One who has seen for himself, informs us that the apples stored in Ames' preserving house have kept in fine style and are as nice and fresh as when taken from the trees. As to the profits of the establishment, fruit that commanded $2.50 per barrel last fall Mr. A. can sell now at $4.00.

Adrian Record: A most horrible accident occurred Sunday morning to an old gentleman named Russel Wells, who resides with his daughter near the Raisin Valley seminary. It is supposed he got up before daylight, and while in the act of lighting a lamp, dropped it and set fire to the house. The daughter was aroused by hearing a fall, and upon going to his room, found it on fire and filled with smoke. She succeeded in putting out the fire, which had burned the carpet, the base boards and considerable of the bedding, and her father terribly burned nearly all over his body. The Morden was called, who found the poor old man beyond all help but made him as comfortable as possible until his death, which occurred about nine o'clock Monday morning. We understand Mr. Wells was a pensioner of the war of 1812.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Some of the spiles for the M. & O. railroad bridge across the tamarack swamp near Cement, Calhoun county, were driven fifty-five feet before reaching bottom. Over 125 were driven and a bridge 500 feet long will be built on them.

The big bridge which spans the Raisin east of this village now being built by the Mich. & Ohio railroad, will cost over one hundred thousand dollars.

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING.

The best and most successful mills now days are the Roller Mills. The corrugated rolls make a whiter and a stronger flour than the mill stone. The rolls granulate the flour evenly and do not calve and destroy the life of a portion of it as is done by the old system. Hundreds have found this to be true by using Comfort's Roller Flour. Farmers go twenty, and even twenty five miles to Comfort's Roller Mills to exchange their good wheat for Comfort's Roller Flour. Comfort pays the very highest market price for good wheat, screen and unsound wheat he does not want at any price. Cannot use it. The careful selection of sound wheat and the roller system of milling, with many other improvements which he has adopted, is what makes Comfort's flour so popular.

In Demorest's Monthly Magazine for March we find a great variety of interesting articles. Among these are "Life in the Black Forrest," "Henri Regnault," "Gastronomic Gossip," "Antique Gems," "Traveling and Other Matters," and "The Grodner Valley." Jenny June continues her pleasant articles, "How We Live in New York," and Carlotta Perry furnishes an excellent story, "How I Found My Freedom." Mrs. Alexander's serial, "The Admiral's Ward," keeps up its interest, and "Current Topics" is both entertaining and instructive. Every department is replete with useful and entertaining reading, and the illustrations are remarkably good, the frontispiece being a fine steel engraving after the much-admired painting, "Willing," by the artist, Metzmacher. As a family magazine, Demorest's fulfils every requirement.

—Munger & Severance's new boot & shoe and harness store open this week.

—An elegant office counter and good show case can be purchased on very favorable terms at the HERALD office.

—Go to P. J. Welling's to get your cross-cut saws filed.

—Before it is too late have your natural teeth that are commencing to decay filled at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—A fresh stock of Boots and Shoes at Munger & Severance's.

—All saws warranted to run either right or left, by P. J. Welling.

—Give Munger and Severance a call at their new Boot & Shoe store.

—COAL! COAL!—Best hard and soft coal in town at S. W. Temple's.

—You can have your teeth extracted without pain at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms, by taking Vitalized Air.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—The best soft and hard coal in the market at S. W. Temple's coal yards.

—½ off Wool Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—P. J. Welling's shop is the place to get your saws filed, and don't you forget it.

—Rapid sale of dress goods, Cotton.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—Clearing out underwear at Cotton's.

—Gloves & mittens reduced, Cotton.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's.

—Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Clocks at half price at Cotton's.

—Call at the yard and inspect the Tecumseh Lumber Co. and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

McCONNELL.—At Tecumseh, Mich., Feb. 21st, Elizabeth McConnell, wife of John McConnell, in the 73d year of her age. Funeral from the residence Friday afternoon, Feb. 23d, at 2 o'clock.

CRANE.—At Tecumseh, Mich., on Monday, Feb. 12, 1883, Mrs. Harriet M. Crane, wife of Simon Crane, in the 66th year of her age.

Mrs. Crane, formerly Miss Harriet M. Flagler, was born at Watertown, Jefferson Co., N. Y., Sept. 10, 1817. In Sept., 1836, her family removed and took up their permanent residence in Tecumseh. In 1841 she was married to Mr. Simeon Crane, a respected citizen of this place, who survives the loss of his loved companion of 42 years. Of the seven children of Mr. and Mrs. Crane four sons remain, who mourn to-day "As one that mourneth for his mother." The death of Mrs. Crane is one that is felt beyond the limits of the home circle. The Presbyterian church mourns in her departure the loss of a valued member, and society at large misses one whose attractive manners and genuine kindness of heart gave her warm welcome wherever she went.

W. H. B.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD

TRAINS GOING SOUTH

STATIONS.	No. 13. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 41. Accom.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Napoleon	7 10	3 55	2 30
Norvell	7 40	4 18	3 00
Manchester	7 50	4 30	3 30
Clinton	7 45	4 48	4 10
Tecumseh	8 00	5 00	4 30
Adrian	8 30	5 37	5 35
Deroit	9 50	7 10	
Toledo	9 00	8 25	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 14. Mail.	No. 16. Express.	No. 42. Accom.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Toledo	10 00	3 00	9 00
Deroit	11 00	4 25	10 30
Tecumseh	10 15	5 25	12 25
Clinton	10 32	5 42	1 00
Manchester	10 45	5 55	1 20
Norvell	10 55	6 05	1 40
Napoleon	11 05	6 15	2 00
Jackson	12 30	7 40	4 30

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TOLEDO ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO

ON AND AFTER [illegible] THE FOLLOWING TABLE IS ESTIMATED TO RUN.

GOING NORTH.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH.
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WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC R. R.

DETROIT & BUTLER DIVISION.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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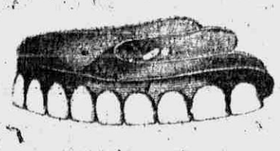

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For Bleeding at the Lungs, Cold Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Influenza, Asthma and all affections of the Lungs it has no equal.

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Price: Large Size, $1.00. Small " .50

Sold by Druggists everywhere.

Dr. Willoughby, the attending physician at the Sisters' Hospital and one of Buffalo's most prominent members of the profession, has used it for years and says:

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Dear Doctors—I unhesitatingly add my name to the long list of regular practitioners who have recorded their testimony for Consumption. I have used it for many years in my practice for scrofulous affections, and have always been more than satisfied with the results. I consider it the best compound known for all lung diseases.

Yours, M. WILLOUGHBY, M. D.

Dr. Howard, Professor of Anatomy, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Buffalo, N. Y., says:

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Rush's Medical Association:

Doctors—The three bottles of Dr. Rush's Regulator received by express last week, I have taken nearly one bottle, and am highly satisfied with the result. For over two years I have been troubled with sharp pain at my heart. My physician, upon examination, pronounced enlargement of the heart, and was unable to give me any relief. The trouble grew worse, and I became convinced that I could not live long. While in New York City, last week, I called on one of the most prominent physicians there, who charged me $5 for an examination and then prescribed your "Regulator." Knowing you to be a regular Medical Association, and not a patent medicine scheme, I ordered the three bottles. I have not been troubled since I commenced taking your medicine, and take the entire three bottles to be sure of a permanent cure. You have my hearty endorsement.

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BUFFALO, N. Y., May 2, 1882.

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Marriage in some of its aspects is doubtless the source of an immense amount of unhappiness, crime, injustice, illegal and disheartening, one of the [illegible] society has to deal with. Only the blindest sentimentalist will deny that. On the other hand, however—and this is not mere sentiment, but sober fact—of all the evidences of God's goodness to be found in this lower world, all the proofs that He cares for us, not only with the wisdom of a Creator, but with the interest and love of a father, there is none quite equal to His sending human beings into the arena of life, not to fight its battles, win its victories, and endure its sorrows alone, but giving them as they go forth out of their childhood's home, a relation in which each two of them are bound together with the closest of all ties, live together under the same roof, have their labors, their property, their interests, their parental all in common, and are moved to stand by each other, hand to hand and heart to heart, in every sorrow, misfortune, trial and stormy day that earth may bring. It is an ideal, if not always realized in full, which is tasted even now, amid all that is said about the marriage miseries, more widely, perhaps, than any other happiness.

Like Master Like Man.

Some years ago the University of St. Andrews, one of the most famous in Scotland, having rather a "lean" treasury, determined to replenish it by a new branch of commerce, and announced that it would sell its doctor's degrees at four pounds each. Many took advantage of this liberal offer, and among the rest, a certain minister, who thought his services would be more acceptable to his flock were he possessed of a handle to his name. He put the required sum in his purse and went up to St. Andrews to purchase the coveted honor. A man servant accompanied him, and was present when his master paid the fees and was formally presented with the official parchment. On his return home the doctor sent for his servant and addressed him as follows: "Noo, Sandy, ye'll aye be sure to ca' me the doctor; and, gin onybody speers at ye about me, ye'll aye be sure to say, 'the doctor is in his study;' or 'the doctor's engaged;' or 'the doctor you'll see in a crack,' as the case may be." "That a' depends," replies Sandy, "on whether ye ca' me the doctor, too." The reverend doctor stared. "Aye, it's just sae," continued the other; "for, when I found it cost sae little, I e'en got a diploma myse'f. Sae ye'll just be good enough to say 'docor, put on some coals;' or 'doctor, bring me the whisky.' An, gin onybody speers at ye about me, ye'll aye be sure to say, 'The doctor's in the pantry;' or the doctor's digging potatoes, as the case may be."

Found at Last.

Some years ago, as a Mississippi river steamboat came to a river landing, a tall, ungainly, gawkish looking fellow leaning against a woodpile attracted the attention of the passengers, one of whom, a talkative and conspicuous person, remarked to his friends that he was going to have some fun out of that fellow. So he jumped ashore when the boat landed, and with a great show of fierceness approached the fellow. Drawing a savage-looking bowie-knife he said:

"Stand to blow, I've found you at last. You're the man that stole a dog of mine, and I've sworn to get square with you. I've been looking for you for a year."

The gawky lazy opened his eyes in wondering amazement at first, as though he didn't understand it. Then catching sight of the laughing passengers looking off from the deck he took in the situation. By the time Smarty had finished telling him how long he had been looking for him he had taken out of his pocket a fist like a sledge hammer on the end of the arm of a windmill. He swung it once and knocked the man who had been looking for him plump into the river. Then resuming his place against the woodpile he raised his eyes to the deck and with a very lazy drawl inquired:

"Is there anybody else on this boat looking for me?"

A Valuable Insect.

In a little-known district of Yucatan bordering on British Honduras, a valuable insect has recently been discovered, which possesses properties that ought to make it a rival of the cochineal and shellac producing insects. This is the neen, or nim, a species of coccus, which feeds on the mango tree and similar plants, and exists in enormous quantities in Central America. It is of considerable size, of a yellowish brown color, and emits a peculiar oily odor, containing as it does a large quanty of fatty oil, or grease. This grease is used by the natives for various purposes, being highly prized as a medicinal oil for external application, and it is also employed for mixing paints. It can be made to change its condition very considerably by different processes. When exposed to great heat, the lighter oils evaporate, leaving a tough flexible mass, resembling half softened wax, but unaffected by heat or cold, which may be used as a lacquer or varnish. When burned, this material produces a thick semi-fluid mass, somewhat resembling a solution of India rubber, which after a few days becomes hard and solid. As a cement this substance is considered valuable, and it might also be used for waterproofing purposes.

When butter will not all "come" at the same time, the fault is in the cream. Scientists tell us that it is owing to sweet and sour cream being placed in the churn together. See that all the cream has attained the same degree of acidity before churning, and the butter will all appear at the same time. Cream when churned at a temperature of 62° is too warm, and part of the butter is destroyed.

How to Preserve Eggs.

Oftentimes it is a matter of importance to keep eggs for some time. When prices are low they may be preserved in comparative freshness for several weeks, even in July and August, if care be taken to place them on end as soon as brought in from the nest. One not accustomed to the handling of eggs can form no idea of the shortness of time required for the yolk to settle on one side, where it adheres to the shell and quickly spoils in warm weather. Always place the egg on the big end. I have tried both ends, and decide in favor of the former position. Eggs should be gathered from the nest every day and, where there are many hens kept, twice a day. It matters not for what purpose we desire eggs, the hen that produces them should always be young and healthy. Eggs that are to be kept for any length of time should always be chosen from young hens, or if two years old, only from those in perfect health. If this rule is more closely observed by breeders who export eggs for hatching many miles, locally, to another, there will be better satisfaction given. It is of much importance that the eggs have perfect shells, and a hen not in perfect health may drop her eggs regularly, yet the shells may possess imperfections that render them unfit either for keeping or hatching.

The Queen of All.

Honor the dear old mother. Time has scattered the snowy flakes on her brow, plowed deep furrows on her cheeks, but is she not sweet and beautiful now? The lips are thin and shrunken, but those are the lips which have kissed many a hot tear from the childish cheeks, and they are the sweetest lips in all the world. The eye is dim, yet it glows with the soft radiance of holy love which can never fade. Ah, yes, she is a dear old mother. The sands of life are nearly run out, but feeble as she is, she will go further and reach down lower for you than any other upon earth. You cannot walk into a midnight where she cannot see you; you cannot enter a prison whose bars will keep her out; you can never mount a scaffold too high for her to reach that she may kiss and bless you in evidence of her deathless love. When the world shall despise and forsake you, when it leaves you by the wayside to die unnoticed, the dear old mother will gather you in her feeble arms, and carry you home and tell you of all your virtues until you almost forget that your soul is disfigured by vices. Love her tenderly, and cheer her declining years with holy devotion.

Hard vs. Soft Water.

It may be pleasant to those who live in a region of country where nothing but hard water is to be had, to be informed by so good authority as Dr. Tyng, the well known chemist, of the result of his observations on the use of hard water for culinary and domestic purposes:

Hard water is best dietetically because of the lime.

It makes better tea, although not so dark colored, owing to the fact that soft water dissolves the bitter extractive matters which color the tea, but ruin the aroma.

It relieves thirst, which soft water does not.

It does not dissolve lead or organic matter, which soft water does.

It is generally good colored, soft water being as a rule dark colored and unpleasant looking; hence, in places like Manchester supplied with soft water, they are export it (in casks) in dark bottles, to hide the color. Soft water, however, is a better detergent, and requires less soap. For a residential town, a water which has over ten degrees of hardness would be best. For manufacturing towns, a soft water would be the most advisable, for commercial considerations only.

How One Phrase Originated.

The phrase "acknowledge the corn" is variously accounted for, but the following is a true history of its origin:

In 1858, Andrew Stewart, M. C., said in a speech, that Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana sent their hay-stacks, corn-fields and pickles to New York and Philadelphia for sale. Wickliffe, of Kentucky, called him to order, declaring those States did not send hay-stacks or cornfields to New York for sale.

"Well, what do you send?" asked Stewart.

"Why, horses, mules, cattle and hogs."

"Well, what makes your horses, mules, cattle and hogs? You feed a hundred dollars worth of hay to a horse; you just animate and get upon the top of your hay stack and ride off to market. How is it with your cattle? You make one of them carry fifty dollars' worth of hay and grass to the Eastern market; how much corn does it take at thirty-three cents a bushel to fatten a hog?"

"Why, thirty bushels."

"Then you put that thirty bushels into the shape of a hog and make it walk off to the Eastern market."

Then Mr. Wickliffe jumped up and said: "Mr. Speaker, I acknowledge the corn."

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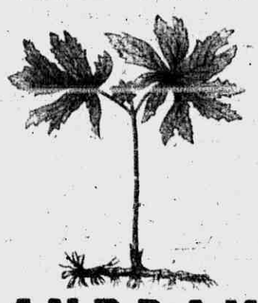

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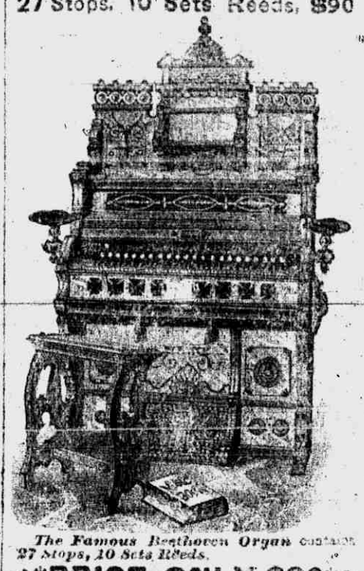

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The Destruction of our Forests.

Of a desolation which is recorded far back of the days of Roman or even of Grecian glory, we read that "a man was famous according as he had lifted up axes upon the thick trees." In the days when American forests were considered practically limitless, our fathers were far too famous for lifting up axes upon the thick trees, and the relentless destruction is even now upon us, like the Philistines upon Samson. This destruction comes upon us in many forms, most of which are, in fact, rapidly and terribly cumulative. Here is a beautiful stream of water, for instance, which was a great element of wealth to the country through which it flowed. It might not only have continued to be so, but to have gained in usefulness instead of being dead or surely but swiftly passing away. The numberless little hollows on the hills, where were the springs that grew into rivulets to feed it, have been stripped of the most economizing verdure with which the Creator clothed them, and so the springs are dry, and the rills no longer murmur their once glad songs of labor, as they hastened down the valleys to turn the mill-wheels of mechanical industry. In this one matter of destruction of hydraulic power, with which we have already been smitten, hundreds of millions of dollars of annual damage has been and is the actual result. That this drying up of the streams is attributable not only chiefly to deforesting, but almost solely to it, common sense—which is, in fact, the very essence of both fact and philosophy—must make it plain to every candid mind. Rain feeds the springs. To feed them economically, it should be gentle and frequent, not violent and at long intervals. Intelligent forest engineering would require that such portion of hills be clothed with a mantle of green trees, as by its cooling influence it would more frequently so contract the aerial sponge as to give us showers at short intervals. This is the case in forest-clothed, beautiful Britain. The reverse is true in tree-stripped Spain, whose people have become as proverbial for their hatred of trees, as their country has for sterility of soil and sleeping streams. There, and on eastward all through the Orient, a relentlessly brilliant sky and an appalling absence of verdue will teach us as nothing else can how beautiful clouds are that weep, and, in its proper time, how delicious a drizzling rainy day. These deforested eastern lands are as famous for seasons of blinding storms, and valleys torn by terrible tornadoes, as they are for the reverse. They will soon find their counterpart in all these characteristics in America, unless we rouse ourselves with a will to understand and master these evils. Forests promote streams available for our precious manufacturing interests, also, by furnishing vast and almost innumerable beds of fallen leaves and of moss, which act on the earth like a huge, overlying sponge, to check the sudden rush of the rain-fall into the valleys and down into the streams. Very rapidly, in recent years, are mournful instances multiplying in which these manufacturing streams are transformed, by freshets, from spirits of blessing—to give homes and food and clothing to thousands who live in the hamlets, by turning their machinery which helps them by their labor to help themselves—to demons of destruction. Forests also promote such steadiness of flow of the streams as to make them sources of national wealth in giving employment to skilled labor, by preventing the rapid evaporation of moisture. Probably more than half the water that falls on a deforested region in a dry season is whisked off by evaporation just at the time when it is most needed to strengthen the depleted mill-streams. The steam-engine, to be of any practical value as a motor-power, must have its action controlled by the conservative influence of the balance-wheel. Otherwise its wheels would whirl one time with a fury which would result only in destruction, and then would move too slowly to be of service. Thus the forest, by increasing the frequency of gentle rains, and so decreasing the volume and the length of intervals between showers, also by regulating their too sudden plunge into the streams, is the great regulator provided by nature for their control in the service of man. All over the manufacturing portions of our country we may find instances where large amounts of capital have been invested to make available and develop our once magnificent and almost numberless hydraulic powers. Trusting to what seemed a certainty of employment for themselves and their families, thousands of skilled laborers have, in many instances, confidingly made their homes at a point where the stream seemed abundantly powerful and permanent. Then, as the summers came and went, the river seemed to sicken, and grow more and more feeble, till there would be a week or two each year in which the spindles and the looms would be silent. As time went on these periods of idleness have lengthened into months, in which the laborer struggles for bread and clothing, for means to pay for the humble little home, or debts incurred in sickness, was compelled to be suspended. The cause of all this was that the source of the river's life had been destroyed or injured by the ignorance, cupidity, or recklessness of men who "lifted up axes on the trees" far up the mountains, where the mill-streams had their birth.

Beef Tea.—A cheap and useful drink in colds, fevers, and restlessness from pain. Put a handful of hay in a pint and a half of water, let it boil rather more than half an hour, then strain it, and, if desired, flavor with sugar and lemon; but it is a pleasant drink without any addition.

Porridge.—When children are delicate, porridge is often preferable to bread and milk. Put two tablespoonfuls of groats or oatmeal in the milk saucepan, wet to a smooth paste with half a pint of milk; let it boil ten minutes keeping it well stirred, add a small piece of butter and a little sugar, and it is ready for use.

Irish Stew.—Cut up about two pounds of the neck of mutton into small cutlets, put a layer into a proper sized stewpan with some of the fat of the mutton, season it with half a tablespoonful of salt, a quarter of an ounce of pepper, the same of sugar, six medium sized onions, a quart of water, set them to boil and simmer for half an hour, then add six middling sized potatoes, cut them in halves or quarters, stir it together, and let it stew gently for about one hour longer; if too fat, remove it from the top, but if well done the potatoes will absorb all of it, and be very delicious; any other part of the mutton may be served in the same way.

About Poisons.

"Poison: A substance which, when taken into the stomach, mixed with the blood, or applied to the skin or flesh, proves fatal or deleterious; any thing infectious or malignant." Our scissors make the first clip out of Webster for a definition of the greatest evil as well as the greatest good in the medical world. For after the fashion of the old saying, "It takes a thief to catch a thief," in public systems, so in the individual system, if one poison has stolen away into the network of veins by fair means or foul, there is small hope of recovering one's own, save another poison be sent after it.

All medicines seem to be more or less poisonous; but owing to the infinitesimal doses they require to produce death or even deleterious effects, they are by the mass of people regarded as harmless; for arsenic, strychnine, opium, chloroform, mercury, and perhaps a dozen more prominent poisons cover nine to them, dangerous poisons. Yet we read in a daily paper of a child suddenly attacked by severe vomiting, which the usual remedies failed to check, ending in exhaustion and death; and the cause is laid anywhere but at the confectioner's counter where the boy bought his candies and cakes flavored with bitter almond.

"The bitter almond is a powerful poison." A single drop of the essential oil on a cat's tongue made a dead pussy of a living one in just five minutes by experiment. Some delicate organizations, especially among children, can bear but little of this essence, the smallest quantity producing an eruption like nettle rash, if nothing worse, and yet macaroons are eaten and given to children to eat with impunity, which owners are often, now-a-days, using bitter almond but the essence for their flavoring. There is a "family relation" between the bitter and sweet almond, how close is not easily defined, but sufficient to show that on some persons the sweet nut on our tables if eaten produces an effect similar to that caused by the bitter almond.

"Fish poison is one of the most singular in all the range of toxicology." Certain kinds of fish in hot countries are looked upon as always poisonous to peculiar constitutions, and perhaps depending somewhat on the climate. The richer sort of vertebrate fish, though actually eaten with perfect safety by mankind in general, are nevertheless poisonous, either at all times or occasionally to peculiar individuals. This fact is self-evident to many of us who have experienced nausea after eating white fish, salmon, lobster, etc., at one time or another, and instinct is wise when it heeds the hint and declines the poison in the future.

Lead poisoning we are more familiar with, as some members of our household are more susceptible than others to the injurious effects of water run through lead pipes. But the poison in this case, acting slowly and subtly, is usually classed "malaria." Those who work in lead mines or in any way with lead and absorb its fine dust into their system, except by the greatest care, sooner or later have what in general phraseology is called printers' or painters' palsy. The habits of children to bite and wet their lead pencils is often followed by serious results, which are more likely to be traced to a close school-room and hard study, than to the lead pencils, slate pencils and chalk they have munched on at short intervals five days out of the seven.

Another of the every-day poisons is found in the syrup which is a leading feature of the American breakfast table. "The use of chloride of tin in glucose syrups has been proved by numerous analyses." Think of that, oh you who indulge in "golden drip" and "maple syrup" on cold, wintry mornings on your hot cakes. Beware of any syrup that leaves a metallic taste in the mouth lest by means of the sweet liquid your stomach gets a tin lining, and you, wondering why on earth you have developed dyspepsia, conclude it must be hot cakes disagree with you. And if the said cakes are made of the raising—easy stuff called baking-powder—very likely the disagreement can, in part, be laid to them, for analysis has also shown that baking-powder contains a large proportion of dessicated alum.

Women Eyeing Women.

The eyeing of women by women is one of the most offensive manifestations of superciliousness now to be met with in society. Few observant persons can have failed to notice the manner in which one woman not perfectly well-bred or perfectly kind-hearted will eye another woman who she thinks is not in such good society, and dressed all out at the time in so costly a dress as she herself is in. It is done everywhere—at parties, at church, in the street. It is done by women in all conditions in life. The servant girls learn it of their mistresses. It is done in an instant. Who cannot recall hundreds of instances of that sweep of the eye which takes in at a glance the whole woman and what she has on, from top-knot to shoe tie? Men are never guilty of it, or, with such extreme rarity, and then in such feeble and small-souled specimens of their sex, that it may be set down as a sin not masculine, or at least not epicene. But women of sense, of some breeding, and even of some kindliness of nature will thus endeavor to assert superiority upon the meanest of all pretenses and inflict a wound in a manner most cowardly, because it cannot be resented, and admits of no retort. If they but only knew how unlovely, how positively offensive they made themselves in so doing, not only to their silent victims, but to every generous-hearted man who observes their manœuvres, they would give up a triumph at once so mean and cruel which is obtained at such a sacrifice on their part. No other evidence than this eyeing is needed that a woman, whatever be her birth and breeding, has a small and vulgar soul.

Getting Eggs in Winter.

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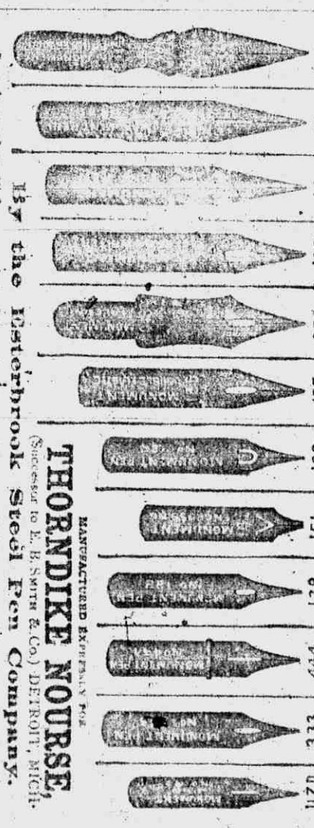

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM RICHARD

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Richard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Sarah L. Richard and William A. Richard, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that they have paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioners should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH BARRETT

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Barrett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 24th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John M. Pennington, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 20th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN, SR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, Sen., deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of George W. Allen, Jr., praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 6th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of John Boyer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Boyer, late of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Peter Cartridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on Friday, the 6th day of March and on Friday, the 10th day of [illegible] at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each day, and that six months from the 10th day of February, 1883, are allowed by the said judge to the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

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ON THE SEA ISLANDS.

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Frank Wilkeson in New York Sun.

Gradually, so slowly as to be almost imperceptible these people began to rise. They had nothing—no stock, no tools, no store of food, no cotton seed of the best quality. They had a [illegible] idleness and great hope for the future. They worked, they fished in the lagoons, they hunted for oysters, and they loafed. Contrary to the general expectation of the white men, they saved their money, and when they had accumulated enough they invested it in stock. If they had money they bought a single ox. That was used for enough work. They bought cheap mules and horses, old, worn out animals, possessing enough strength to pull the smallest load they could have through the light sandy soil. Many of these animals died. It was discouraging. The accumulation of property proved to be up hill work. They were so [illegible] they could get ahead. The educated whites, who really wished for the betterment of these people in common, brought from Edisto Island the seed of the improved cotton raised there which is the best in the world. The bringing in of this seed was, in my opinion, the first step taken toward the material advancement of these negroes. With the new seed they produced a finer quality of cotton and one that yielded about eight pounds more of lint to the hundred weight of seed cotton. The prices obtained for the improved more than the best in the market. Though the negroes were working remarkably well, the land area they cultivated per family were so small that it seemed to be impossible for them to accumulate property. The people seemed to [illegible] progress, coming [illegible] and [illegible] hand. The rest of country as downcast. The whites who had [illegible] for the advancement of the negroes [illegible] The outlook in the Sea Islands was exceedingly gloomy when [illegible] value of the negro was [illegible] among the English capitalists who invested in the business. [illegible] than half the people on St. Helena [illegible] steady.

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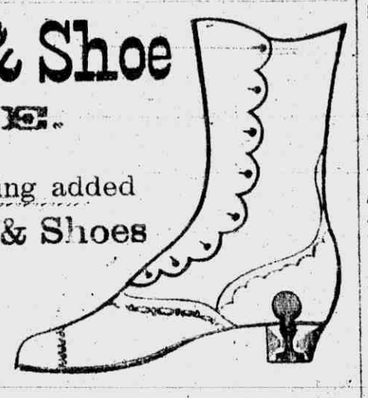

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

EAST TECUMSEH TATTLE.

Our crop among the farmers is will there be any wheat to harvest this year, on account of the fly.

If our wheat is a failure what are we going to get to pay our fund help in payment of price.

Answer—Sell out to them and hire out the next year to them by the month, and then we shall be able to buy the farm back again.

Tally one at Burt Morley's. Almost a second Geo Washington. All doing well.

There was no literary last Saturday night on account of the storm. The same program will be carried out at the next meeting, March 10th. The question for discussion will be, Resolved That Labor is Wealth. A number of foreign speakers will be present and a lively discussion is expected.

The amateurs are making great preparations for their exhibition. May success attend them is the wish of all their friends.

C. W. Culbertson, Jr., has rented the widow McCaughn farm and is soon to take possession.

W. H. Barry moves this week to Ridgeway.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

John H. Miller leaves Clinton for Manchester or Detroit the first of April sure. So says report.

A son of Delos Cutting, who has been laid up for some weeks with an ailment in one of his legs, for turning over or some other movement broke his leg just above the knee.

Mrs. C. K. Spafford will furnish her old customers and as many new ones as wish it, with good home made bread again from this day, March 1st. Please call at the News office until further notice.

John S. Clark was taken very ill Tuesday, but we are glad to learn that he is improving.

James McDermott takes the position of night watch at the factory.

Arrangements have been made for another skate at the hall next Wednesday evening. We understand they are talking of a dance also.

J. W. Cowling and wife, of Manchester, were the guests of C. F. Field Saturday.

Nathan S. Greene, an old settler of this place, father of Mrs. L. Drew, died very suddenly of heart disease last Tuesday morning.

The second roller skating party was given at town hall Monday evening, and like its predecessor was a success.

The meetings at the Baptist church continue, and much interest is manifested in them.

The M. E social in the basement of the church last evening was well patronized.

Bert Tate has made an engagement with Mack and Shmidt of Manchester and takes a place behind their counter soon.

Merritt Martin had his right hand badly mutilated by a power straw cutter Thursday last.

Peter Jacobs was injured by a brick falling on his head while firing at the woolen mill, Friday last.

The Blue Ribbon entertainment at town hall last Friday evening was a decided success, netting $28.

School was dismissed early Thursday, and the scholars took a Washington's birthday skate.

E. G. Cook of Tecumseh has created quite an excitement in the wheat market here within the past few weeks.

Boys were skating yesterday morning, but before night the thaw was too much for them.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Mrs. Wm. Mesler, of Clinton county, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

John Emans and family moved this week to Kalamazoo county, where they intend becoming permanent residents.

The surprise party fever is raging in this section. The families of Morgan Florence, Richard Clarkson and Joseph Billmeyer have been the victims recently.

BRITTON BUZZINGS.

The donation last week amounted to about $412.

Will Britton and G. P. Waring are in attendance at the State Republican convention at East Saginaw this week.

The annual meeting of the Sheep Breeders and Wool Growers of this township will take place here Saturday evening of this week. The election of officers for the ensuing year is part of the business to be transacted.

Considerable money has been paid parties about here for right of way for the M. & O. road within a few days, which removes the doubt in the minds of some that the road would not be built through this place.

The saw and grist mills are now putting in the rest of their machinery, including a dry kiln. They will soon have a full stock of pine, and facilities for dressing, matching &c.

WEST TECUMSEH TIDBITS.

Commercial Telegraph Line.

Do not fail to take stock in the Fair Association.

A large crowd was in attendance at R. W. Hillman's auction last Thursday.

Mrs. Rufus Keysor, of Ypsilanti, is visiting in this her old neighborhood.

Newberry Satterthwaite last Sunday drove near Jim Wood's to upset. Cigars if you please.

Alonzo Welch has commenced building a house on the place he bought of W. R. Keysor. Henry Mensin, of Springville, does the job.

Chas. Graves has purchased a farm near Napoleon, and has commenced moving his personal effects thereto.

BIRTHDAY ENTERTAINMENT.

At the house of Francis A. Dewey, Cambridge, Mich., His children and grandchildren were at home to the number of twenty-two, it being the anniversary of his birthday, seventy-two years of age. A social and cheerful time was passed, with a sumptuous table spread with admired refreshments of Michigan, not omitting many varieties of the southern clime. These annual reunions have made a cheerful holiday for the last twenty years. One of the pleasant features of the party a large salver is passed around covered with silver dollars, each and every one takes a share.

In the province of Lower Canada, at a small shipping town called by the French Le trois Rivers, near the banks of the noble St. Lawrence, a cottage was built over one hundred years ago. At this pioneer home of Simeon Dewey a new boarder was admitted to the family Feb. 25th, 1811. Before the youngster was a year old he was transported with his parents to Hanover, N. H. There, within eighty rods of Dartmouth College, learned to read and write. After the age of thirteen attended Moors Academy, Preceptor Kimball, two years. In March, 1826, was twenty days traveling on the road from Hanover to Buffalo, N. Y. For one season was drummer in Capt. McKay's Military Academy, Buffalo. Here he often visited the noted Indian Chief, Red Jacket, at his forest wigwam, and learned the art of sailing on Lake Erie. Was one season on the U. S. Revenue Cutter Alexander J. Dallas, Capt. Kieth. In the summer of 1827 came to Tecumseh, Mich., there learned the benefit of handling the axe and driving oxen to plough. In 1832 was Drum Major in the army of the Black Hawk war. Previous to the year 1840 bought eight lots of land for $1.25 an acre. In the year 1836 he was married, and we are pleased to say for fifty-three years and six months has had a pleasant home in Lenawee county.

Auction Sale.

John Stewart, having rented his farm, will sell at auction on the premises, two miles west of Ridgeway, on the Ridge road, Friday, March 9, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Three cows, 5 yearlings, 3 yr. old colt well broke, 2 yr. old colt, both Clydesdale; 4 yr. old mare, 30 good breeding ewes, 30 lambs, lumber wagon, hay rack, fanning mill, corn sheller, stone boat, pair bob sleighs, pair Scotch harrows, Triumph reaper nearly new, Warrior mower nearly new, plows, and other farm implements. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auc.

Louis Miller, having rented his farm, will sell at auction on the premises, 2 miles north and 1 mile east of Ridgeway, on Tuesday, March 6, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following property: Span work horses, cow, 2 lumber wagons, single and double buggy, set double and single harnesses, plow, 6 good shoats, set of harrows, revolving rake, 2 cultivators, 50 bush. corn in ear, corn sheller, and other articles. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auc.

James B. Amsden, a wealthy and respected farmer, living just out of Grand Rapids, suicided with strychnine last week. He leaves a wife and daughter, who are prominent in the social circles of the city. In a letter left to his wife Mr. Amsden said he had once been afflicted with softening of the brain, and that he had symptoms of a return of the malady, to which may be attributed the sad affair.

Morenci Observer: Quite a number of the farmers in western Chesterfield and Medina who have cows are investing in the Cooley creamery; as many who tried that method last season are reporting very profitable results.

THE PROBATE COURT.

The following is the report of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Feb. 24, 1883.

Estate of Edward E. French, et al, minors; petition for release of guardian; order of discharge.

Estate of Ellsworth Gale, et al, minors; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing.

Estate of John J. Allen, deceased; warrant and inventory.

In the matter of L. W. Black, an indigent insane person; application for admission; affidavit of service; order for admission to asylum.

Estate of William H. Beach, an incompetent person; affidavit of service; order appointing guardian.

Estate of Henry Hazzard, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of William Geddes, deceased; petition of administrator to be discharged; hearing, March 19, 1883.

Estate of Martin Cure, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

In the matter of adoption and change of name of Alta L. Simmons to Alta L. Kinney; declaration of intention; order of adoption and change of name.

Estate of Eugene Hayward, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Mary Ann Hastings, et al, minors; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Jessie A. Quaife, minor; nomination of guardian; order appointing guardian, bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased; affidavits of publication and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report; petition for an allowance for support of widow and family; order of an allowance.

Estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Conrad Ickler, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of James East, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Betsey Westcott, deceased; executor's final account allowed; order of discharge.

Estate of Michael Underwood, deceased; administrator's report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; bond of indemnity; order confirming sale.

Estate of Esther Jones, deceased; executor's report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notice of sale; bond of indemnity; order confirming sale.

Estate of Catharine E. Hornby, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing March 26, 1883.

In the matter of the appointment of special drain commissioner for township of Riga; application filed; order of appointment of a special commissioner.

Estate of Charles H. Mahar, minor; order of continuance until March 6, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Oscar Smith, et al., minors; guardian's bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Francis H. Bailey, an insane person; appraiser's warrant and inventory.

Estate of David Berdan, deceased; order of continuance until March 13, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Elijah Barber, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing, March 19, 1883.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending February 24, 1883:

ADRIAN.

Ezra Shaw to Nelson D. Wilson, Land on sec. 10. $250.

BLISSFIELD.

Martha C. Moore to Nathan Gannon, Land on sec. 31. $1,800.

DOVER.

Daniel Mullikin estate, by heirs, to G. P. and M. J. Fuller, Land on sec. 18. $900.

FRANKLIN.

Harrison Daniels to H. C. Daniels, Land on sec. 18. $600.

MEDINA.

J. R. Fellows to M. V. Palmer, Land on sec. 9. $2,000.

OGDEN.

Luther E. Fry to Franklin Wotring, Land on sec. 18. $300.

S. P. Kletz to Perry McKinney, Land on sec. 27. $2,120.

PALMYRA.

Lewis Hiler to Francis Millins, Land on sec. 20. $400.

Almyra A. Clark to Evaline Brown, Land on sec. 33. $675.

RAISIN.

Kingman Hann to Rachel Wilson, Land on sec. 33. $2,200.

RIDGEWAY.

Chandler D. Bills to S. Underwood, Land on sec. 15. $400.

Wm. Hintz to Wm. J. McMullen, Land on sec. 29. $1,600.

RIGA.

Mary Eyster to N. C. Bennett, Land on sec. 36. $1,600.

J. E. Allering to J. M. Bennett, Land on sec. 36. $1,000.

John Dings to J. W. Garliss, Land on sec. 32. $1,800.

ROME.

D. V. Clark to J. E. and J. Sayre, Land on sec. 10. $4,800.

Albert Codnar to Geo. and J. Rigdon, Land on sec. 5. $5,200.

ROLLIN.

Isaac Lamb to Wm. D. Scarlhas, Land on sec. 7. $3300.

[illegible] to Geo. W. and H. J. Rider, Land on sec. 8. $[illegible].

WOODSTOCK.

Town Lot to John J. [illegible], Land in village. $1,000.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

[illegible] Lovell, has resigned.

Adrian telephone exchange now has over 40 subscribers.

The erection of a $[illegible] house at Grayling has begun.

Wood in the wooded country of Cadillac sells for $2.50 and $3 a cord.

Buchanan citizens are arranging for a free ferry across the St. Joseph river at that place.

A drunken fellow quite stirred up things at the Fenton baptist church last Sunday.

The largest barn in Michigan is said to be in Gladwin county: 50x156 feet and 75 feet from base to apex.

A herd of 28 deer was recently discovered in its winter quarters near Alpena.

Thos. J. Hawd, baptist pastor at Walled Lake, Oakland county, resigned after three years of service.

All the mills at East Tawas are being repaired preparatory to an unusually large summer's work.

The state convention of the German workingmen's society will be held in Lansing on June 13-14.

The new congregational church at Muskegon will cost $10,000 over $8,[illegible] of which has been subscribed.

Dr. C. Pearsall, of Birmingham, took three pounds of tallow from a live cow, sewed up the rent and let the milker go free.

Phil. Hamilton, of Seney, Lake Superior, will pay $100 and board at his inn 90 days for violating the liquor selling law a second time.

Edward Henry was fined $15 last week at Battle Creek for beating his horse so severely that the animal fell down in sheer weakness.

A pickle factory at Highland station, on the F. & P. M. road, used up 900 bushels of cucumbers last season, producing 8,000 barrels of pickles.

Harvey Burton, one of the oldest residents of Portland, a member of the bar, and an extensive real estate dealer, died last week.

Members of the Southern Washtenaw fire insurance company have not been assessed for a loss in six years, and only three times in 11 years.

Chas. Wakeman, of Reed City, who, while drunk, lay on the track at Luther last week and had a leg taken off, died a few days after, aged 37.

John S. Gifford, one of the oldest residents of Calhoun county, died last Friday, aged 84 years. He resided in the town of Penfield, near Battle Creek.

The residence of Mr. Blakesley, of Lowell, burned last week in the absence of the family. The neighbors saved part of the furniture. Loss $600, insurance $300.

Last Friday Geo. Davidson, living about three miles from Roscommon, was instantly killed at Steckert's camp by a falling tree. He leaves a wife and three children.

An old man was arrested at Kalamazoo last week with three overcoats on and one tied up in a bundle, all stolen, two of them from Charles S. May and son.

Albert Fairchild, who two years ago was convicted of arson, and after serving 15 months at Jackson was granted a new trial, was acquitted at Big Rapids last week, after an 8 days' trial.

The building boom has already begun at Mackinac City, giving indications of a rapid growth the coming season. The presbyterians are building a church, while several dwellings and stores are also under way.

Ketcham's large saw mill, which burned at Chester, Eaton county, last fall, has been rebuilt and will be moved to Harbor Springs this week to saw a large track of birdseye maple near that place.

Prof. Kingman, principal of Corunna union school, left last week for the Bahama Isles, hoping a few weeks there may restore his health. On bidding his school farewell he was presented with an elegant gold-headed cane and a purse of $50.

Uncle George Long, who lived alone at Indian town about 10 miles from Au Sable, was found a week ago frozen to death on his cabin floor. He had not been seen for several weeks and had evidently been dead for some time. He was 80 years old, and had lived there for many years, supporting himself by cultivating a little patch of ground.

AFTER MARRIAGE.

[illegible]

WHO TOOK IT?

"Will you take charge of [illegible] to-morrow morning, Marian?"

"Take charge of £20, Harold?" echoed my wife in amazement. "What do you mean?"

I settled myself down to an explanation. Explanations are things I hate—everything—as they are necessary sometimes. One was due on this occasion.

"[illegible] my dear Marian," I began, with a business-like air, "that the failure of Hardinge Brother threw scores of men, women and children in this city out of work in the very hardest part of a very bad year. This evening a meeting was held with a view of enlisting the sympathy of the public. A subscription list was got up, and a collection was made then and there to the tune of £20. As nothing else could be done with the money to-night, I was, as treasurer, obliged to bring it home; and my instructions I felt, I can assure you, at coming along these lonely roads, with such a sum. However, I reached home safely in spite of my fears, and now I hand it over to you until I can get rid of it."

"And so free your mind from all responsibility," [illegible] with a smile. "She knows that one of my chief pleasures is a dread of responsibility."

As far as possible, I replied.

We went immediately into a consultation as to where the money should be put. I suggested the meat-safe, as a place where thieves would never think of going for money; but my wife pooh-poohed the idea, as well as several other suggestions of mine, which I thought valuable. At last an idea struck her—a shape of the wine-draw in the bottom of the side-board. By this means the money would be doubly safe, she argued, for the draw might first be locked, in addition to locking the door. I looked rather contemptuously on the plan, for, if it must be told, I felt a little envious of myself to do so, and my wife yielded, every suggestion I make in a similar manner.

Both of us failing to hit upon anything better, the wine-draw was agreed upon; and as I looked over my evening paper, I watched her place the black-japanned box in the drawer, lock it, take the key and place the key in her own purse.

"There!" she exclaimed, triumphantly; "I shouldn't think any one would get at that before to-morrow morning, for this purse goes into the well of my dressing-table drawer, so we are doubly and trebly secure."

In spite of these precautions there was a load on my mind, that I felt would only be removed when the money was safe in the bank. I envied my wife her happy insensibility, for in less than half an hour she was quietly sleeping, while I tossed restlessly to and fro, thinking about the money, and wondering whether any one could get at it. At last a grand idea struck me, which was to put it inside the piano. Who would dream of searching for treasures in such a place? whereas, what robber coming into a house would not go to a side-board? and the very fact of finding it doubly locked would make him suspect that something was hidden there. Plainly enough Mistress Marian, with all her cleverness, had chosen the very worst place possible. Should I go down and remove it? I knew where the keys were to be found. I had half a mind to do so, if only for the sake of quieting my fears and getting a little sleep. No doubt I should have done so, had not a circumstance intervened—I fell asleep.

It seemed scarcely an hour afterwards that I awoke and heard sounds of life in the street below. Well, so far all was safe enough; no robbers had molested us, and I felt so comfortable and easy now that all danger was over that I began to laugh at my nervous fears. How [illegible] I thank goodness I had been too strong-minded for that. I fell off into another doze, and as a natural consequence was late for breakfast. That meal was a hurried one, and when it was over, and I had my coat and hat on, ready to start off to an important case, I reminded Marian of the money, and begged her to get it out quickly.

"I had quite forgotten it," she exclaimed. "Here, Martha, run up-stairs and fetch me my purse out of the dressing-case; the keys are in my dressing-table drawer."

Martha flew up stairs to do her mistress' bidding, while I stood and chafed in the hall and submitted to have my coat brushed. In a moment she returned, bringing the purse, and Marian ran into the dining-room. Two or three minutes passed, and Marian was still handling at the side-board. I entered the room impatiently. Marian looked at me reproachfully.

"This is quite too bad, Harold. What have you done with the box?"

"Done with the box?" I exclaimed; "what do you mean, Marian?"

"I won't stand this trifling any longer," replied my wife. "'Tis a shame to give me the responsibility of that money and then tease me like this."

"What on earth is the woman talking about?" I cried, bewildered. "Say what you mean in plain words, I beg."

"*The money's not here.* Its gone, box and all," Marian replied, with a white face.

"Gone!" I cried, "gone! Where's it gone, how's it gone, or who has taken it, I should like to know? You must be raving. Let me come and look."

Marian moved aside and I knelt down to the drawer. No sign of a box was there. As my wife had said, the money was gone.

But how, when or where? The drawer was locked, the dressing-case was locked, the purse was inside it, the keys in the dressing-table drawer. These things my wife and Martha were sure of. A man in such a position is bound to have an idea on the subject, and to assert it, so I suggested that Martha must be the culprit.

"No, no, don't say that," cried my wife excitedly. "It has been before me that I was the thief as she. I've known her all my life. No, no, it isn't Martha."

"You talk like a child," I replied with an air of superiority, for really women have no reasoning powers whatever—we have to reason for them. "Do you suppose any one else who by any possibility could have taken the money?"

"Indeed I cannot," Marian replied. "It could not have been housebreaker, for the locks were just as I left them; nothing had been touched apparently."

"You admit that it could not be any one outside the house, so it must be Martha; that is plain logic," I said, with as much evenness of temper as I could command at the moment.

"It isn't Martha," replied my wife stubbornly. "I never believe it."

For my part I felt sure that it was Martha. And it was quite impossible that she could have got rid of it yet, I hoped I should easily discover it.

But she denied the charge so emphatically that it was with a very anxious heart I betook myself to the bedside of my patient. The case was a complicated and peculiar one, and my mind became so interested in the progress of the various symptoms that my own cares became as things of naught. And paying one or two minor visits I returned home. Martha opened the door, and immediately retired to the kitchen without a word. Marian was nowhere to be found. I went up stairs in search of her, she was there but a little table in the corner covered with writing materials betrayed her recent presence. An open letter in a hand writing that I knew and detested attracted my attention. Husbands have certain prerogatives. I asserted one at that moment. If you care to do the same, here it is; if not, skip it.

"Dear May.—If you don't contrive to send it before this day week it will be ruination for me. If you send it you will enable me to retrieve my former position, and become a credit to my family. Yours affectionately,

FRANK."

"The young rascal! what fresh mess has he been getting into?" I exclaimed angrily. This same Frank had been the source of untold squabbles between myself and Marian, holding a fairly good position in the city, for an unmarried man, and yet always getting into debt.

Presently I heard Marian enter the house. With the letter in my hand I confronted her. She turned first white, and then red, and asked me by what right a gentleman entered a lady's private room and read her correspondence.

I paid no attention to this high-flown language, but replied by asking her whether she had been out to post a letter. She admitted she had.

"To Frank?" I enquired.

"I decline to answer," she replied stiffly.

"Contained money?" I asked.

"That I also decline to answer," she replied.

Here was a pretty pass things had come to—my own wife openly refusing to answer my questions! What was I to think? I think any one else in my place would have come to the same conclusion as I did—namely, that the letter was to Frank, and that it contained money. A few inquiries at the post-office confirmed my supposition. From the time of this discovery a cloud seemed to have settled over our usually happy household. Marian was sullen and angry, and sat at the head of the table without speaking a word. Between meals I scarcely ever saw her. Martha sided with her mistress, and always looked at me reproachfully.

In the meantime other cares were pressing hard upon me. In spite of a rigid examination I could discover no clue to the lost money. Of course I had been obliged to make it good; and, in order to do this, had drained myself of every available sixpence.

These events happened at a time of year when it was impossible to call in many outstanding debts; so that, after a week of desperate struggle against our unfortunate circumstances, I was compelled sorely against my will, to appeal to my father. All this while I had been silent about the lost money, but had held several discussions with a detective. A fear of incurring additional expense had deterred me from setting him to work, but as he seemed to think that to trace the money would be the easiest thing in the world, I at last gave him authority to commence a strict investigation.

From the detective's, I went to my father, and, plainly stating the facts, asked him if he would lend me the sum I had lost. This he agreed to do; and the conversation turned on family matters generally. The unhappy coolness which had arisen between myself and Marian was presently discussed; and when my father taxed me with unkindness toward her, I felt bound to explain to him Frank's demand, and her resentment of my interference.

My mother started up suddenly from a long thinking and startled me with a question.

"Was Marian the only person who had access to the side-board?"

"As far as I know, the only person," I replied.

"And did her letter to her brother contain money?"

"Yes—a P. O. O. for £10."

"Had she £10 of her own?"

"Not that I knew of."

"Was she likely to have saved it from her allowance for housekeeping or private purposes?"

"Very unlikely, indeed."

"Then," my mother continued, "it seems to me that the nearer home you look for your money, the sooner you will find it."

When I arrived home, my mind was torn and distracted by conflicting opinions. I felt very anxious to discover some assurance of innocence, or maybe of guilt.

"Marian," I said, as gently as I could, "where did you get the money from that you sent to Frank?"

She started, and turned quickly round upon me.

"How did you know I sent money to Frank?"

"Never mind how I knew it," I replied. "Where did you obtain it? You must answer me that question, before you leave this room," I added, more sternly, for her evasion of my question displeased me.

She looked me steadily in the face for a minute, then dropping her eyes and clasping her hands tightly together, she exclaimed:

"I see now the drift of your question. The money was lost at the same time that I sent some to Frank. Harold, you suspect me—your own wife—of being the thief, and you have sent that man (I see he was a detective now) to track me out and prove the crime on me. Do you intend to send me to prison?"

"Marian," I answered coldly, "when I send time-worn men to watch a gentleman I had ever counted my friend, and now that I must confess it has one word from you will disprove it, my wife, be clear with me, here I extended my hand to her, but she [illegible] from me, [illegible] only to acknowledge it, to obtain my free forgiveness."

"Your forgiveness," she cried hopelessly, "I do not need it," and without another word she left me.

For some minutes I remained stunned at this new aspect of affairs. Is it possible that my Marian was guilty? I could never believe it. And yet she had not attempted to deny it. Again, the anxious face she had lately worn, together with the other circumstances of the case, served only to confirm the idea. Would that it had not been so, or even being so, that she would come to me for the reconciliation I was longing for, and the forgiveness I was only too anxious to bestow!

A day or two after this, I found a note awaiting me when I returned home to dinner. The hand-writing was Marian's, and my delight at seeing it was so great that I kissed it again and again. Hastily I opened and read it. It ran as follows:

"The society of a child I cannot be unsensial. For that reason I have kept out of your way till I had made up my mind what to do. I leave this and intend for any more. Baby and I have gone to my father. I know you can claim baby if you like to do so, but I think you will see that it is better for him to be with me. Do not ask me to come back, I never can. The miserable life I have been leading lately would soon have killed me, and my life is precious to my child.

"Your unhappy wife, MARIAN."

That was all, except a few words at the end that had been hastily scrawled out, of which I could distinguish only, "Oh, Harold!"

Strange as it may seem, this note did not shock me as the discovery of Marian's guilt had done. I felt so angry with her for her unreasonable conduct that my tenderer feelings remained almost untouched. My love for the Marian of former days had not decreased one whit, but my anger with the present Marian was for the moment paramount. The child was better with her, and, for the present she should keep him. I had no idea of fetching her back. She had left me through no unkindness of my own, and no wife could be justified in leaving her husband in the way Marian had left me.

I was beginning to get a little accustomed to my renewed bachelorhood, when one night, very late, a telegram was brought me worded thus:

"Come at once to baby."

The night train would leave in about an hour's time. I packed a few things and started to catch it. In about three hours more I was conducted to the room where Marian was sitting with our little one lying in her lap, struggling hard for life. Some medical man was already there, bending over the child and anxiously gazing at its contorted and livid features, but, as far as I could see, doing but little to assist in the battle against death. He left at once, and Marian looked up into my face and said:

"Thank God, you have come! He was doing no good. Oh, 'Harold' save my baby; save my child."

"I will do what I can to save our child," I answered.

I called a servant and gave my instructions. In a few minutes the room was filled with vapor, every vent being carefully guarded. The cloud of vapor kept on steadily increasing, till drops of water began to trickle down the walls. Still the child on Marian's lap lay almost choked, its struggles growing fainter each succeeding time. The cloud was still pouring out into the room, and nothing more could be done, so I stood at Marian's knee, watching for the approach of some favorable symptom. Only once Marian spoke, and then it was to ask me with blanched face and faltering lips if there was any hope.

"To the last moment, yes," I answered, and she was relieved at once, hardly comprehending from my words how faint that hope was.

Presently the struggles grew more frequent; gradually the almost sightless limbs became imbued with fresh vigor, the heavy eyelids relaxed, the gasps for breath became more effectual, and with a mighty effort nature asserted her sway. In a short time baby was nestling in Marian's arms, wrapped in a sweet life-giving slumber."

When he was laid in his cot, his mother turned to me and said pathetically, "Oh, Harold! when baby was so near death, and you far away, I could not help seeing how wicked I had been to leave you as I did. Will you forgive me, dear, and take me back, for baby's sake?"

I could only kiss her, and press her to my heart. After a while I said, "It was only those words, 'Will you forgive me?' that I wanted. If you had spoken them sooner, we need not have parted."

"Oh, Harold! how can [illegible] I was not *that* I was asking you to forgive me, but my folly in leaving you. I am as innocent of taking that wretched money as my own child. Won't you believe me?"

"I do, my darling, I do," I replied with genuine delight. "I would have believed you then if you had said this to me; but you know you never deigned me a word, and what was I to think?"

"I was horrified at your even *suspecting* me, and I fancied it was beneath me to deny it. I cannot now understand what could have prompted you to think such a dreadful thing of me. It is very hard to bear."

I was beginning to wonder, too, how I could have suspected my own Marian. Circumstances, and my mother, were more to blame than I, however.

In answer, I murmured something about Frank.

"Ah, that letter to Frank; I remember it. You were always so hard upon him that I didn't like to tell you about it. He really had been trying to keep on steadily of the past year. Kindness had obtained him one of, debts were constantly coming in, and his limited salary would not meet them and keep him as well. There was one man who pressed him hard for pay. He had spent his last quarter's salary within a pound or two, and more could not be coming for some time. He was in a fix, and he must draw on his sister, but I urged him not to do so, so soon. I was sure my own eyes would shame a man. The man threatened to expose his former, but I spoke to the firm, and we soon knew that there was an end of them. I resolved to help him with them. I resolved to help him through, and proposed to do so, and my husband, poor, thinking, generous fellow, could scarcely find words to express his gratitude. I got the money for him, and sent him notes to that amount—he little guessed at what cost.

"My poor, persecuted, self-sacrificing little woman; why did you not tell me all this? Why could you not trust me?"

"Why could you not trust me?" Marian reiterated, half playfully, half pathetically. Then she added earnestly, "I have been very much to blame. I was proud and self-willed and all sort of bad things, and in leaving you was worse than all. Harold, dear, I am so ashamed of myself for that. No woman is justified in leaving her husband on such a pretext as I had."

"I thought so too. She was becoming the most sensible little woman in the world, but I had been to blame too, and I was not going to let all the censure rest on her side.

"We were both to blame," I replied. "I am not going to exonerate you quite, little woman, but I am going to own to my fault. I was a brute to doubt you. Marian, you must forget it, dear."

"Oh, Harold! we shall be so happy again now, shall we?" the little woman replied, and then she wound up her resolution in a truly womanly style with tears and smiles and kisses.

But the mystery of the money was still more dark after Marian's explanation, and it was many weeks before we penetrated it. We did so at last, however.

The piano being sadly in want of repair, I sent for a professional man to come and "regulate" it. I was in the room when he proceeded to take it to pieces. As soon as the front was removed I perceived a little black box, snugly tucked inside, which I immediately recognized. My grand idea now flashed into my mind. Here, then, was the clue to the mystery. *I was the thief.* In my anxiety I had placed the money in the piano, while still under the influence of sleep.

Marian was delighted. She actually shed tears of joy when I told her of my discovery.

"Oh, you abandoned man," she said, shaking her head at me, "to suspect me when all the time you had stolen your own money."

Swimming.

The editor of the London *Truth*, after observing that probably not one in twenty of the persons who indulge in boating on a holiday can swim, proceeds to tell his readers how to acquire this accomplishment. "Nothing," he says, "is more easy. When the airlin out of the body, its owner sinks; when the air is in the body, its owner floats. Let anyone slowly draw in his breath as he draws back his legs and pushes forward his arms, retain it while he is preparing the stroke which is to propel him, and slowly allow it go through his lips as his arms are passed back from before his head to his sides and his legs are stretched out. The action of the stroke should not be quite horizontal, but should be made on a slight incline downwards. The real reason why people take weeks to learn how to swim is because swimming professors either do not know or do not choose to teach the philosophy of breathing, so as to render the body buoyant. I would engage to make anyone a tolerable swimmer in an hour, unless he be a congenital idiot."

An Important Date for Englishmen.

A story comes to us, says the Boston *Transcript*, of an incident in a school in Southampton, England, some years ago. The boys were being examined in the history of England, and the answers were mainly dates of events more or less important in the history of the British Empire. Among the pupils was a son of an American sea-captain, a bright specimen of young America. Being questioned concerning dates in English history, he manifested an ignorance bordering on stupidity. The teacher whose patience was exhausted, exclaimed: "What! Don't you remember a single date that marks an important event in the history of England?" "Why, yes, sir," answered the boy, "I do know one." "Well, out with it," said the teacher. "The Fourth of July, 1776."

Infinitessimal.

A drop of water seen with a microscope, of which 27,000,000 would only equal a mite. Insects of various kinds may be seen in the cavities of a grain of sand. Mold is a forest of beautiful trees, with branches, leaves and fruit. Butterflies are fully feathered. Hairs are hollow tubes. The surfaces of our bodies is covered with scales like a fish; a single grain of sand would cover 150 of these scales, and yet each scale covers 500 pores. Through these narrow openings the perspiration forces itself like water through a seive. The mites take 500 steps a second. Each drop of stagnant water contains a world of animated animals, swimming with as much liberty as whales in the sea. Each leaf has a colony of insects grazing on it like cows in a meadow.

Experiments in a deep lake near Berlin have shown the practicability of an ingenious plan for raising sunken vessels and other heavy objects lost in the water. The invention is that of an Austrian engineer, and consists of an uninflated balloon, containing a bottle of sulphuric acid packed in salt, which, when exposed to the action of the acid, generates carbonic acid gas. The balloon is taken under water by a diver and fastened to the object that is to be raised. Then a screw is turned that liberates the acid, gas is formed, the balloon expands and rises, and it is only a question of the size of the balloon, the strength of the tackle, and the weight of the object raised, whether it shall be raised or not. The experiments near Berlin were successful.

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Guard well thy lips—none can know
What evils from the tongue may flow: Prov. xiii. 3.

What guilt, what grief may be incurred, James iii. 5, 6.
By one unwatchful hasty word, Judges xi. 35.

Be slow to speak, nor speak well within
[illegible] Mark v. 37.

[illegible] Prov. [illegible]

And pray unceasingly for aid, James [illegible]

Lest unaware, thou be betrayed. [illegible]

Condemned, [illegible] to man [illegible]

To give his brother's faults to name. [illegible]

The tongue is [illegible] Mark [illegible]

To search out and judge their own. [illegible]

Judging in unfamiliar [illegible] James [illegible]

Hope [illegible] to stumble, [illegible]

And if they can in number [illegible] Prov. [illegible]

Or one day [illegible] the amount, [illegible]

[illegible] Psalm [illegible]

Dwell not on earthly hopes and schemes, [illegible]

Let words of wisdom, meekness, love, James iii. 13.

Be seen a true renovation prove. Luke vi. 45.

Set God before thee; every word [illegible]

Thy life pronounce by Him is heard; Prov. xxiv. 1.

Oh, couldst thou realize this thought Mark [illegible]

What care, what caution would be taught! Luke xii. [illegible]

"The time is short," this day may be [illegible] 1 Cor. vii. [illegible]

The very last assigned to thee. Eph. [illegible]

So speak, that should thou never speak more, [illegible]

Thou may'st not this day's words deplore. Rom. xiv. 12.

Always best when rare—family bro...

"They fired two shots at him," wrote an Irish reporter; "the first shot killed him, but the second shot was not fatal."

A sociable man is one who, when he has ten minutes to spare, goes and bothers somebody who hasn't.

Etiquette says a call should not be less than fifteen minutes in length. Book agents have been known to remain longer.

A fly never appears to such disadvantage as when he is mounted on his head in the center of your squash pie, rubbing his hind feet together in the air.

A New Orleans paper says that a young widow in that city who writes well, "is training herself for an editor." Who is the editor she is training for?

A sharp thirsty man now walks into a bar-room and asks if he can "put up" his silk umbrella for a drink. The bartender acquiesces, the chap gets a drink, raises his umbrella and walks out.

"See, mamma!" exclaimed a little one, as puss, with arching spine and elevated rudder, strutted around the table; "see, Kitty's cat so much she can't shut her tail down."

A school-marm who was recently kissed by mistake in the dark, explains her omission to use any light for nearly a month afterward, on the ground of hard times.

A Canadian couple, on their way to Dakota to settle, weigh 614 pounds; the man 310 pounds, and the wife 304 pounds. Let us hope that they will be careful what they settle on.

Two friends were passing a church one evening when a strong smell of burning leather pervaded the air. "I wonder if that is the odor of sanctity?" said one. "I think it must be," was the quick reply, "for it smells of soles."

Small gentleman appears in a huge hat which engulfs him to his shoulders. His wife—"But that doesn't fit you, my love." He—"That's what I told the man, but he showed me his gold medal, the only one awarded for hats, and what could I do?"

A sharp little girl in Chicago got out of patience with her bashful lover's backwardness, and so she brought matters to a favorable climax by saying to him, "I really believe you are afraid to ask me to marry you, for you know I would say yes."

They were fishing off the coast, when the fair one of the party pointed to a sail in the distance, and asked, "George, what kind of a vessel is that?" He canted over, stole a kiss from her lips, and answered calmly, "That's a fishing smack."

Luck is a good thing, but one can not always afford to wait for it. Pluck is a better thing, because it is always ready to begin.

The chief secret of comfort lies in not allowing trifles to vex one, and in prudently cultivating an undergrowth of small pleasures, since very great ones are let on long leases.

Garments that have one rent in them are subject to be torn on every nail, and glasses that are once cracked are soon broken; such is a person's good name once tainted with reproach.

The best religion is that which will make a colored man sit down content to eat corn bread for supper, knowing at the same time that a neighbor has fat chickens and no dog in the yard.

A valuable dog belonged to a gentleman, who intrusted one of his farm servants with the key of the barn, from whence he occasionally brought sacks of flour to the house for the use of the family. One night this man wickedly stole a sack of corn for the use of his own household, little thinking that the dog, which knew him so well, and watched and followed him so quietly, would interfere with his guilty plan.

All went smoothly until the thief, leaving his master's premises, turned into the road that led to the village, when the shrewd animal, suspecting that all was not right, seized him by the leg, and, without hurting him in the least, held him tightly till the morning. Unable to account for his awkward position, the culprit was obliged to confess his crime.

Plenty of Barley meal, grass and water are the requisites in raising and fattening geese. If they cannot have a range in the fields, let the floor of the house where they are confined be liberally supplied with litter. They should be fed cut grass, cabbage, lettuce, etc., and not be deprived of a washing-pan in which they may plunge every day.

They were courting. "What makes the stars so dim to-night," she said softly. "Your eyes are so much brighter," he whispered, pressing her hand. They are married now. "I wonder how many telegraph-poles it would take to reach to the stars from here," she said musingly. "One, if it was long enough," he growled. "Why don't you talk common sense?"

The Medici Family.

From the bosom of commerce sprung the illustrious family of Medici, which in celebrity has eclipsed those of almost all the sovereigns of Europe. John de Medici, whose influence and ascendancy in the councils of the commonwealth arose not more from their vast possessions than from his virtue and [illegible] merchant of Italy, cardinal Golonn, after his elevation to the chair of St. Peter, by Martin the Fifth, when reduced to apply to him for pecuniary assistance, scrupled not to pledge to him the pontifical crown, and afterward created him Duke of Montevarchi.

At his death, notwithstanding the immense treasures which he bequeathed to his family, yet so boundless had been his largesses and donations to the necessitous among his fellow-citizens, that he was attended to the grave by a prodigious concourse of his whilom countrymen and honored with the title of "Father of the Poor."

Cosmo, the eldest, son succeeded to his virtues and [illegible] of genius, power and reputation. Banished from Florence by a triumphant faction, he was recalled only to enjoy an augmented degree of public confidence. His influence, always exerted to produce the most beneficial and laudable effects, attained a strength and solidity which no despotism could have conferred. Constantly engaged in commerce, he employed and enriched a multitude of persons, who in return sustained his own greatness. His vessels traded at every port, and his factors at Constantinople, Cairo, and along the coast of Lesser Asia, enjoyed the most distinguished consideration.

The sultans of Egypt, the emirs of Babylon, and the Turkish emperors were all connected with him by commercial ties.

The Palæologi, in whose family expired the empire of Constantinople, sold him the jewels and splendid furniture of the imperial palaces, during the state of depression to which they were reduced previous to their final destruction by Mahomet the Second. To the claims to the admiration of his contemporaries and of posterity which commerce and riches could confer, Cosmo added another by his princely protection of letters.

The memorable era, distinguished by the name of "the age of Medici," commenced with Cosmo, and forms an epoch in the annals of literature. His house was the asylum of genius and talent from every part of Italy and Greece. The most precious manuscripts, preserved by his care from the barbarous rage of the Turks, and purchased by his order, were transmitted to future times. Numbers of learned men, driven by Turkish sultans to take refuge in Florence and other Italian states, received from his bounty a liberal provision, and repaid him by their grateful eulogiums.

More fortunate in the close of his life than Pericles, Cosmo, after presiding during thirty years over the republic, during which time he embellished the capital with monuments of utility and magnificence, expired at a very advanced age, free from the infirmities by which it is usually accompanied. His memory was inexpressibly dear to his countrymen, who, by a public decree, inscribed on his tomb the glorious title of "Father of his Country."

There are many moral people whose virtues somehow seem to be a misfit.

A kid-napper—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

"Oh, mamma!" exclaimed a bright little boy yesterday, "there goes an editor." Hush my child," said the kind-hearted lady, "hush, the poor unfortunate man may hear you."

An inquisitive young lady asks: "What is the most popular color for the bride?" The New York Star answers: "If we were going to marry, we should prefer a white one."

A bright little three-year-old, while her mother was trying to get her to sleep, became interested in some outside noise. She was told that it was caused by a cricket, when she sagely observed: "Mamma, I think he ought to be oiled."

A bald-headed professor, reproving a youth for the exercise of his fists, said: "We fight with our heads at this college." The youth reflected a moment, and then replied: "Ah, I see, and you have butted all your hair off."

He was told to remain after school, when the teacher, trying to impress upon the youthful mind the sinfulness of not speaking the truth, asked him if they did not tell him, in Sunday-school, where bad boys went who told falsehoods. Choking with sobs, he said: "Yes, ma'am; its a place where there is fire, but I don't just remember the name of the town."

A young man who went to the circus, and stepped too near a monkey's cage, had his arm seized and savagely jerked by one of the monkeys. He would have escaped safely if he had not said, "It is merely a monkey wrench," but when they heard that, the infuriated crowd threw him to the lion's cage.

Yesterday afternoon a young gentleman from the Flint river district came to town with a jag of wood and a pair oxen, and in the course of his wanderings he came across a fire-hydrant that had been opened to clean out the pipes. He stared at the gushing water in dead silence for a moment, and then gave the alarm by shrieking: "Gosh all hemlock! Here's a hitching-post sprung a leak worse than a sugar maple!"

A filial rebuke. Squire Quiverful, who has a large family, to his eldest son:—"These are uncommonly good cigars of yours, Fred; what do they cost you?" Fred—"Sixty shillings a hundred." Squire Quiverful—"Good heavens! what extravagance! Do you know, sir, that I never give more than threepence for a cigar?" Fred—"And a very good price, too, I'm George, Governor, if I had as many children to provide for as you have, I wouldn't smoke at all."

The Use of a Broom.—As simple as the advice may seem, but very few people handle a broom properly, although they are accustomed to sweep more or less every day of their lives. There is science in handling a broom, as well as in many other kinds of labor. Always draw your broom, by leaning the handle forward, because the position of the broom will take the dirt along more gently; it will sweep cleaner; it will not wear out the carpet so fast. Your broom will be kept in proper shape and not half so much dust will be raised to be afterward wiped from your furniture. Most careless sweepers throw their broom forward of them in a sort of digging way, with the handle inclining towards them. This way you will find breaks your broom, flirts up more dust, and makes the process of sweeping much more laborious.

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The Republican State Convention [illegible] Saginaw yesterday. There [illegible] delegates and [illegible] of the nominations to [illegible] Austin [illegible] Thomas J. O'Brien were [illegible] Supreme Court Justice [illegible] Henry B. Hutchins and Jo[illegible] Regents. The tick[illegible] throughout was [illegible] made. No [illegible] was adopted.

WILL CONGRESS DO NOTHING

New York Sun: This states the present situation in a nutshell:

The most important duty of the present Congress is to take the crushing burden of taxation off from the shoulders of the people.

It is plain that the tariff bill [illegible] brought in in the few days that remained of the session. Before it can be passed it must be amended. No such bill can be enacted without adequate discussion. The tariff [illegible] exactly as it is.

But what can this Congress do? Can it pass a short bill repealing all internal revenue taxes, [illegible] on kindred articles. This is what the President commended in his message. It will answer the purpose of relieving the long suffering taxpayers. Such a bill [illegible] can easily be enacted. The Republicans should at once bring it forward. It needs no discussion. Everybody understands it. The Democrats [illegible] oppose it. By taking this course the present Congress can adjourn without leaving upon the Republican party the reproach of having done nothing for the country when the power was in its hands.

THE TAX ON COAL.

The Jackson Patriot points out the beauties of the coal tax and the action of Congress thereon:

Workingmen and others who are finding out that it costs a great deal more to live [illegible] enough to keep warm, this long and cold winter should remember that the Senate of the [illegible] States has just voted to keep up a tax of 75 cents a ton. The capitalists [illegible] Senate who are interested in the profits of coal mining insisted upon having this tax, although the tariff commission and the finance committee of the Senate had recommended that the tax be reduced to 50 cents a ton, in order to prevent possible competition and cheaper prices from the introduction of coal not mined in the United States. As a matter of course, the capitalists wanting the tax fixed at 75 cents a ton for their benefit, a majority of the senators voted for it. Now if they could pass a law that would make the winters several weeks longer and several degrees colder, they would add very much to the value of the tariff legislation in their behalf. A tariff that would protect them against competition with warm weather which reduces the demand for coal would do them a power of good, and would be in the same line as their present tariff enactment.

THE ONE THING NECESSARY

The New York Independent, which cannot certainly be accused of heterodoxy in politics, reads the Republican Congress a [illegible] in these words:

The people at the last election [illegible] declared in the most emphatic manner that they wanted an immediate reduction of taxes. President Arthur so understood them, and earnestly recommended Congress to respond to this demand. The present session of Congress is almost exhausted, and as yet no law has been passed and it is much to be feared that none will be passed. Let us, then, say to the Republican members of both houses of Congress, who form the majority in both, that if they fail to pass a law revising and reducing tariff taxation and repealing all internal revenue taxes with the exception of those on distilled spirits, beer and tobacco, thereby taking off at least $60,000,000 of unnecessary taxes from the shoulders of the people, the Republican party at the next presidential election is in peril. Gentlemen, please to understand that in earnest. The people hold you responsible to pass such a law. They demand that you shall do it. They said so at the last election and they say so now. They will not excuse your failure on any pretense that you can frame. You can do the thing, if you will; and if you will not, then they will put the power into other hands. The country needs the relief and it needs it now, and the party in power is the party to give that relief. If it will not do so, then let the party go out of power. We earnestly advise Republican members of both houses of Congress to come to an immediate agreement as to tax reform, and to shift all other measures through, whatever may be the attitude of the Democrats. This is the one thing that must be done, if the Republican party is saved from an overwhelming defeat in 1884. If it be not done the Democrats will elect the next President. Let every subscriber to the Independent immediately write a letter to his Congressman enforcing this matter.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

Drifting Away.

Chicago Times: Mr. Ferry appears to have been swept away by financial and political floods. It is a bad time for ferries.

Flying in Another Way.

Report of the Ohio Floods: Angels [illegible] near the river. It consisted of [illegible] combined together.

A Woman Suffrage Conundrum.

Philadelphia Chronicle: Miss Lathrop asks: "Is it a crime to be a woman?" It certainly is when a person is guilty of the misdemeanor of being a [illegible].

His Maiden Speech.

Philadelphia Times: Senator Pugh [illegible] his maiden speech the other day said: "Mr. President, I am pained with the gentleman from Hampton, Mr. South Carolina."

A Surprising Admission.

[illegible] Joseph Cook [illegible] does not know how long after death the soul leaves the body. It will surprise Mr. Cook's acquaintances to learn that there is any thing he does not know.

One Effect of the Flood.

Detroit Free Press: Chesapeake Creek, New Jersey, has risen two inches during these terrible spring floods, and the appropriation for improving it has, in consequence, been raised to $7,000 in the River and Harbor bill.

The Congressional Dog Show.

Philadelphia Times: Congressman Cook, of Georgia, went to a dog show in Washington the other night. It reminds me of Congress," he said, "because the little dogs make all the fuss and the larger they are the more fuss they make.

What Jay Gould Needs.

Philadelphia Times: If Jay Gould had as good newspaper sense as he has telegraph sense, he would consolidate some of his newspapers. They don't pay and probably wouldn't pay if consolidated, but there wouldn't be so much annual waste of capital.

Desecrating Monday.

Texas Siftings: "Now, Sam," said an Austin millionaire and a prominent church member, to his colored porter, "this getting drunk on Sunday must cease. Why beat that you desecrate Sunday, continually, by becoming intoxicated?" "Be-kase, boss, whisky costs so much I hasn't got any money left ober to get drunk wid on Monday. If I had de money I would desecrate Monday, too."

A Lover in Distress.

Toledo Times: "How can I leave you, my darling?" murmured a Toledo lover in tones of distressing tenderness, as he observed both hands of the clock approach a perpendicular on the dial. "Well, John," responded the girl with wicked innocence, "you can take your choice. If you go through the hall you will be liable to wake up father, and if you leave by way of the back shed you'll be likely to wake up the dog."

Should Make Haste Slowly.

New York World: The Senate will do well to put on its thinking cap before it hastily concurs in General McCook's amendment adopted by the House, which puts the Yellowstone Park under the control of the military. The Yellowstone Park has been under control of the military for ten years past, and according to the most authentic information on the subject the military have used it chiefly for cavalry picnics at the expense of the Government.

A Truly Great Newspaper.

The Sun is sometimes called a great Republican newspaper, and sometimes a great Democratic newspaper. But however its politics may appear to the special observer, the quality of greatness rarely fails to be noticed.—True greatness, like true goodness, cannot be covered up nor disguised by accidental surroundings. So, with the assurance that their essential characteristics will always be recognized The Sun and our honored friend Deacon Richard Smith can continue to be what they are, the one truly great and the other truly good.

Encouraging Each Other.

New York Sun: In default of other support, the weather prophets encourage one another. Even Wiggins is to come in for his share. Vennor announces that Wiggins' great March storm is to occur between the tenth and twelth days of that month, is to be felt on the land more than the sea, and is to take the form of heavy snow falls and cold weather. After all Vennor is king among the prophets. How much wiser and safer it is to predict snow falls in March than to announce such an unheard-of visitation as Wiggins' storm was to be.

Advice to Young Men.

Philadelphia Press: What our young men of "pluck and brains" need more than anything else is stability and patience that will enable them to take root in the communities in which they live. By this means their capabilities will become known and estimated at their true worth. But this cannot be done in twenty-four hours. What they do not need is advice that will lead them into a nomadic habit of life, ever moving on and ready with gripsack in hand at any moment to fly to fresh fields and pastures new, in case they do not instantly have fortunes thrust upon them.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER

NEW YORK, Feb. 24th, 1883.

Rumors have been prevalent for several days that William H. Vanderbilt has been seriously ill, and that he is threatened with paralysis of the death-dealing kind. It is expected, however, the rumor is unfounded. The family deny the reports, which, it is stated, originated for the sake of influencing the stock market. Mr. Vanderbilt has been confined to his room with a severe cold, and has been compelled to forego his customary drive on the road-bed, several afternoons. His ailment, it is alleged, has been aggravated by excessive anxiety of his father's business. Although William is [illegible] Chauncey, William K. is perhaps more brilliant of the two. He has more dash and quick energy, but he lacks balance. Even on the turf, where he had a sort of meteoric career, racing in the name of his trainer, his capacity, or rather absence of it, was frequently noted and commented on, particularly on betting transactions.

The fishermen on both the New York and New Jersey side of the Hudson River are getting ready for the shad fishing season, which beginning on March 15th, lasts until May, and if history, according to the time-honored custom, there will soon be the annual war between the Pilot Commissioners and the fishers. Shad fishing in these waters is done by means of immense nets fastened to poles in the river. By law nets and poles are allowed to be placed on the New Jersey side of the Hudson to the middle of the stream, so as not to interfere with navigation which of course is very heavy on the New York side. Now this middle of the stream is always the bone of contention. The Pilot Commissioners fix it, but the fishermen have never been known to keep to it. If they can only set their poles a few inches further they are happy. There are a number of ancient mariners among them, who can remember when there were no docks on the New York side; when what is now West Washington and Greenwich Street was part of the river and Canal Street was really a canal. Now they wish the middle of the river to be determined by the old shores. Every year it is determined anew that these marine lawyers are wrong, but nevertheless they go beyond their limits. The result is that a couple of boats are injured by the poles. The owners complain to the Pilot Commissioners, and they issue an order to the delinquent fishermen to remove the delinquent poles, of course. It is not done. Then the Pilot Commissioners quietly fit out a tug and start out on a raid and pull up every pole that is beyond the line. The howls, the protests, the prayers and the threats that then ensue from the mariners are simply awe inspiring, but the Vikings of the Pilot Board do not mind them. It adds a sort of zest to their work and man always is at least a cruel animal. I took part in one of these expeditions and confess it was quite an enjoyment. You felt like a buchaneer of the nineteenth century, and gloried in possession of might and right too. The sense of cruelty was lessened by the fact that the fishing season was nearly over, and that of course the fishermen were thereby saved the expense of removing their paraphernalia.

Evangelist Barnes, the mountain apostle, as he loved to hear himself called, has left us to go to Europe.—He was a flat failure here, whatever he may have been in the West, and as he is a very plain spoken man, much more vigorous in his language than the apostles were in their time, he has no hesitation in expressing his disgust. Brooklyn particularly displeased him, and he said it was a place where wickedness and sin literally dropped off the trees. I confess I do not see how Barnes ever expected to make a success here. His style of oratory and gross familiarity with Christ, and his hearers was positively repulsive, but it seems that the revivalists invariably drop into this style. I remember the Widow Van Cott when she commenced her career as a missionary. She was a strong, earnest speaker, and if at times she transgressed the bounds of enthusiasm it was pardonable. Now however she has dropped down to the level of all sensational religionists. She conducted revival services recently at a nice Methodist Church, and her manner grew so offensive that the minister of the church felt ashamed over his mistake in inviting her and almost stayed away from church.

The terrible disaster in the parochial school of the Catholic Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, by which twenty children were killed, and as many more maimed and wounded, still fills the minds of everybody with horror. The Building Department has been making such a fuss of forcing owners of hotels and theatres to make means of escape in case of fire easy. They seem to have forgotten that churches and schools stand fully as much, if not more in need of proper arrangements. Now probably something will be done, but of course it always requires a horror of some kind to sharpen the wits and arouse the activity of public authorities.

A PERTINENT PROTEST

The Rural New Yorker thus illustrates the different manner in which Congress treats the farming community and the whiskey ring in the matter of reducing taxation:

The agricultural interest does well to be angry, and the few dollars it may realize upon their impoverished crops will be [illegible]. All their remonstrances, petitions and demands made to Congress have been treated with as great contempt and their industry, upon which the weal of the world depends, as if it were a mere [illegible] and no heed is given. But when the whiskey distillers, whose profits have been very well and continue to have their taxes reduced to [illegible] cent, are at odds with Congress, for no other reason than that they have foolishly and recklessly, for the purpose of speculation, made more whiskey than they can sell for several years, a bill is hurried through Congress and finally passes the Senate without delay to relieve these people from their just taxes. And yet farmers constitute fully one-half of the population, while the whiskey distillers are but a few score.

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OPERA HOUSE, TECUMSEH.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

CANVASSING to sell the best selling [illegible] in the world. Address for agencies, or for the work, at

MRS. H. E. STOUTS.

WANTED. [illegible] some seasoned wood.

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FOR SALE. 8 acres of first-class land with good buildings suitable for two families if desired. Located one mile south of Pennington's corners.

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Macon, Mich.

LOST. A large beaver glove. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

FOR SALE. An elegant counter and good show case will be sold cheap for cash. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED, TO BUY. A good atlas of Lenawee Co. for cash. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

LOST. Last sunday evening, a mink boa, near the Presbyterian church. Finder will receive a favor by leaving at this office.

GENERAL REPAIR SHOP. I am now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Cloaks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

FRED P. DEUEL.

Shop opposite Hayden's warehouse.

VILLAGE CAUCUS. The electors of the Village of Tecumseh will meet at the Council Building in said village, on Saturday, March 3d, 1883, at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating candidates for Village office to be supported at the annual election of said village, to be holden therein March 5th, 1883.

Dated Feb. 21, 1883.

FRED B. WOOD, Recorder.

CORPORATION ELECTION. The annual election of officers for the Corporation of the Village of Tecumseh, will be holden at the Council Building in said Village on Monday, March 5th, 1883.

Dated Feb. 21, 1883.

FRED B. WOOD, Recorder.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

The Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh will meet at the Council Building, in the Village of Tecumseh, on Saturday, March 3d, 1883, for the purpose of completing the registration of the electors of said Village.

Dated Feb. 21, 1883.

GEORGE HEESEN,
HENRY SMITH,
FRED B. WOOD,
Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh.

FOR SALE.

A SPLENDID RESIDENCE

IN THE VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH—lot 12 rods square, good house, barn, and everything in good condition. One of the finest homes in Tecumseh.

ABUNDANCE OF FRUIT.

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TERMS TO SUIT PURCHASER.

Enquire at the

HERALD OFFICE.

AN ELEGANT RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

One of the finest residences in Tecumseh will be sold at reasonable terms. New two-story house finished in the latest style, with "dado" paper throughout. Large lot. This place will be sold with

House Furnished or Unfurnished,

to suit purchaser.

The place is all in splendid condition, new house, barn, outbuildings, &c., and is one of the finest residences in Tecumseh.

Hugh Richard, of Jackson, gave us a call on Friday last. He came down to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. John McConnell.

Last Wednesday morning Richard Hoskins, of Saginaw Town, while crossing a bridge stepped to one side to let a street car pass, but stepped too far and fell to the ice below. He broke his arm and injured his spine and received internal injuries which are feared to be very serious.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Marshall Statesman: The Michigan Central and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroads are evidently jealous of the new Michigan & Ohio road. They have recently informed the company that the rights given them by their charters, that of preventing railroads from crossing their line, will be strictly enforced. A most determined effort will without doubt be made by them to prevent this road from effecting a crossing. Judge Ingersoll and several other gentlemen this week made a journey to Lansing on business connected with this phase of affairs. He had in his possession a bill amending the charters of the two old companies in such a manner that, should it pass, the crossing of their lines by the Michigan & Ohio would be a comparatively easy matter. The amendment was drafted by one of the best railroad lawyers in Michigan and evidently hits the case exactly. It was introduced into the senate on Tuesday by Senator Austin and referred to the committee on railroads. Judge Ingersoll conversed with individual members of the committee and they were favorable to the bill. A large number of senators and representatives promised to use their best efforts to secure its passage. The railroads will probably fight the amendment to the best of their ability.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 1, 1883

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Hail, gentle spring.

Village election next Monday.

Village caucus next Saturday afternoon.

Miss Fannie Tindall is home visiting Mrs. Powers.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Anna Brewer is quite ill.

The temperance County convention of Adrian is tomorrow.

Stormy Saturdays have been the rule since New Years.

Who would suppose that to-day was the first day of spring.

Miss May Hunt, of Manchester, is visiting the Misses Heesen.

Miss Robinson, of Ohio, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Ada Chadwick.

Kies Brothers have their first spring announcement in this week's paper.

Wm. Bresie has been spending the past week with friends in Cleveland.

The senatorial contest at Lansing is becoming decidedly tame and disgusting.

Frank Johnson, of Toledo, spent last Sabbath with his friends in Tecumseh.

Now watch for Wiggins' big Storm which has been booked for the tenth of March.

U. S. Grant, Jr. and wife have been in Adrian for a few days as the guest of A. H. Wood.

The Brownville Social Club had a very pleasant time last evening at the residence of Homer Everhart.

Miss Anna Anthony, of Detroit, and Miss Jessie McLeod, of Leadville, are the guests of Miss Carrie Osborn.

The Lake Ridge dance on the 22d was well attended. Pat and Dave made the music, and all had a good time.

Miss Lizzie Moser, of Toledo, has been visiting for the past week in Tecumseh, as the guest of her brother William.

The dance at Sage & Carey's hall, Macon, the 23d ult., was a success in every way, as to numbers, cash and enjoyment.

Our old typo friend Charlie McConnell, of Grand Rapids, gave us a call on Saturday last. He is now engaged as bookkeeper for a wholesale grocery firm in that city, and is well pleased with his position.

There will be a change in superintendent and matron of Ralph Valley Seminary at the beginning of the spring term. Thomas E. Eddy and wife, of Ohio, will then take charge. A class of eleven will graduate in June.

The HERALD job rooms turn out this week a neat business pamphlet for D. P. Anthony & Co. They will keep on hand a full line of agricultural implements, wagons and carriages, their specialty being the Minneapolis Harvester.

The reception at the opera house given by the young ladies of the High School proved to be a success. The proceeds, net, amounted to little over fifty dollars. The cake business was a source of personal enrichment, and was awarded without doubt to the handsomest man in the opera house.

The fifteenth annual commencement of the Detroit Medical College took place last evening. Burt Catlin of this village was a member of the graduating class. Dr. S. Catlin attended the graduating exercises. Burt is expected to come home at once and go into practice in company with his father.

A little before seven o'clock on Friday evening last, while Prof. Louis Swift, director of the Warner observatory, Rochester, N. Y., was scanning the western sky, he discovered a brilliant comet, located in the constellation of Pegasus near the star Beta. The new comet is moving eastward, and is very bright. This is the first discovered during the present year.

T. T. Kneeland of this village has been at work for several months upon a wheat purifier, which he has obtained a patent on. This machine takes the outside skin from the kernel of wheat and leaves the berry as clean and white as candy, and the berry is not broken or cracked in the process. The invention seems to meet a long felt want in the milling business, and the inventor is likely to get rich out of it. We shall have more to say of this machine when we see it in operation.

L. F. Wheeler will return to this vicinity early in March, when it is proposed that he give his illustrated lecture on Capri, Sicily and Rome, in the opera house. This lecture was got up, "composed" when he gave his course of entertainments here last fall, and it is spoken of by Michigan and Indiana papers as being very fine and the best of its class. Since his opening season Mr. Wheeler has made many improvements and additions to his machinery for illustrating his pictures, and has received many flattering notices, and not one adverse criticism to any of the papers in the towns he has visited.

Miss Frank Tindall is at home visiting her sister, Mrs. Powers.

Don't remove any of your under clothing even if spring is here.

Wm. H. Mather and Loss Parsons are drawn on the U. S. jury, and will go to Detroit next Friday.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Wm. Hayden has been confined to his house, sick, for several days.

Mr. A. H. Sutton, of Deerfield, was in town yesterday looking up the affairs of the Deering village binder.

Rev. R. S. Partridge will preach next Sabbath morning, for some reasons for not being ordained of the gospel.

Mrs. Wm. Severance and daughter move to Manchester to-morrow. Uncle Bill has been in the hotel there about a year.

Officers Stevens and Smith took one Alfred Tansey to the county house yesterday. He has been at work for Mr. Morrison as a job painter, but has taken to whiskey so vigorously lately that it brought on an attack of the jim jams, and it became necessary to shut him up for a while.

TECUMSEH, FEB. 1, 1883.

D. P. Anthony & Co.:

GENTLEMEN—The Minneapolis Binder I bought of you last season has done all and more than you represented it to do. I run it one-half day without missing a single bundle from any cause. It works complete in every respect, the only improvement I can suggest would be a good umbrella over the seat, and we could take solid comfort harvesting. It beats anything in the way of a self binder that I have ever seen, and I can heartily recommend it to any farmer in need of a self binder. GEO. GRISWOLD.

The fair association committee will meet at the council building Saturday P.M. at 2 o'clock, and others are invited to meet with them, especially those who have not as yet subscribed any stock. It is not yet known how much stock has been subscribed, as reports have not been received from all the soliciting committees. But the work is in good progress, and if our men of capital half do their duty, the sum will be raised without delay. If there is anyone that has not been called upon, they can find a paper on on which to put their name at the council room Saturday, or at Lilley, Bidwell & Co's. bank at any time.

FARMERS' CLUB.

The Farmer's Club held a very pleasant meeting Friday evening, Feb. 23d, at John Garlinghouse's. The program was well carried out. The essay of Mr. Schroder's upon superstitions, contained some excellent points. The next meeting will be held Friday evening, March 23d, at George Griswold's.

PROGRAM.

Music—Choir.
Select Reading—Will Fisher.
Inst. Music—Eva Rector.
Recitation—Anna Everhart.
Essay—John Fisher.
Music—Mrs. W. Wadron and Kittie Griswold.
Question—Which is the most profitable crop to raise, barley, oats or corn; taking into consideration the expense of raising.
Led by A. G. Hall.

MRS. F. C. RECTOR, Sec.

A SAD ACCIDENT.

Last Monday evening just as the hands working on the M. & O. railroad bridge were about to quit work a sad accident occurred, killing one man, and injuring four others. The gang were in the act of putting a 3x14 plank on the piles at the west end of the bridge and sawing off one of the long piles, when the irons holding the scaffolding broke, letting the timbers down. The one man on top with wonderful presence of mind caught on the pile, saving his life, or at least a fall of 25 feet. It would be impossible to give the exact position of timbers &c., but it is sufficient to say that the men were simply crushed by the timbers falling from the top of the piles to the ground. The irons broken have been used by the company four or five years, and have at many different times held up scaffolding twice the weight of this one, and do not now show any flaw other than a square, fresh break.

Chas. Floring, killed.

Fritz Rinker, leg broken and wrist sprained.

Chas. Kruzer, broken leg near hip.

Fred Tinnot, split shoulder.

Wm. Serlean, back injured.

Floring leaves a wife and three children. His remains were sent to his late home Tuesday.

The wounded men are doing as well as can be expected we learn from the doctors and will probably all recover. Every care has been taken of the wounded men, and Mr. Tillotson has worked almost night and day to do everything that could be done. The coroner's jury called the next morning over the body of Floring, gave a verdict of "death by an unforeseen accident." No one can be blamed for the accident, but this does not help the sadness of it. The men were all strangers in our community, but were hard working and industrious laborers, attending well to their work, and seemingly doing it well. The whole community were shocked at the news, which struck terror to the hearts of these poor but honest laborers.

Mrs. C. A. Tefft and daughter Ettie arrived home yesterday from a lengthy visit to their old home at Hamilton, N. Y. Wm. Bass of Lawrence, Van Buren Co., accompanied them and he will remain in town some days before returning home.

We have received a circular and pamphlet description of the St. Clair Mineral Spring and The Oakland hotel. The waters of this spring are becoming famous for their healing properties and The Oakland is a first class hotel, appointments, and the pleasant surroundings will be found pleasant for the invalid or pleasure seeker. For the asking information can address The Oakland, St. Clair, Michigan.

SOCIALITY.

In Raisin on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 27, the friends of Joseph Billmeyer and family to the number of 120 or more came in upon them by surprise, and after a good shake with each other all around, proceeded without ceremony to make themselves at home. Mr. B. has a spacious and beautiful farm house. It is the home of a wise father, a fervent mother, most lovely and charming girls who are ladies indeed, and sons, of whom both parents and daughters may well be proud. Every greeting, every grasp of the hand and every smile gave evidence of how agreeable was the surprise, and how pleasant was the occasion on the part of every one present. Friendships renewed, social chat, and preparations for tea occupied the time for an hour, when the hymn, Jesus, Lover of My Soul, was sung and prayer was offered by the Rev. Jesse Kilpatrick. After four tables twice filled, had been relieved of their burden, the company sat down to one of the very best old time visits it has ever been our pleasure to participate in, and eleven o'clock struck before a score, save the minister and his estimable wife, had left our upon the icy road for home. D. W. L.

Last week was an eventful one for the town of Tecumseh in many ways, but the one special feature of the whole week, and in fact of the late operatic season, which is now closed in Tecumseh, was the Uncle Tom's Cabin company which made a season of one night at the opera house last Friday. The first winter that our opera house was built, much against the wishes of the citizens a few plays, and others, were put on the boards of our commodious little place of amusement but since that time the managers of the house have tried to do their duty, and the event of Uncle Tom's Cabin each winter is looked for by our people with great anticipation and interest. There is not a boy ten years old in the town but what has become an expert critic of this grand old play. He can tell the exact weight of every blood hound, the age of every donkey, and the drinking propensities of every Marks that ever visited the town with a Tom's Cabin party. But the object of this article is to notify the people of Tecumseh and vicinity that the Tom's Cabin show is passed, and that in all probability no one will be allowed to see the inside of the opera house again until next season when the management, we understand have made arrangements, or attempting to form a quadruple Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., consisting of four characters of each kind, and a whole herd of donkeys and bloodhounds. Look out for it next winter, and do not make any engagement that cannot be put off from November to February. We have been also informed that if the weather is good, and some one can be induced to donate the use thereof, a piano will be furnished for the occasion and a general good time will be indulged in.

Resolutions passed by the Adrian Horticultural Society at its meeting held at Adrian Feb. 9, 1883, in regard to the late Israel Pennington.

Believing as we do that had fewer miles intervened between the home of the late Israel Pennington and this city, that he would from its first organization have been an earnest worker in our society, and knowing that he has long been one of the chief supports of the horticultural department of our County Agricultural Society, by annual and frequently very fine pomological displays, also by a willingness to labor from year to year on committees, thus bringing his ripe judgment, extensive and accurate knowledge of fruit to bear where it would render the greatest service.

Therefore be it Resolved, That in his death we realize that we have suffered a most serious loss, and that there is a gap left in our ranks that will be very difficult to fill.

2. *Resolved*, That as a nurseryman of over fifty years standing he has been the means of great good in widely disseminating most of the fine varieties of fruit in cultivation.

3. *Resolved*, That in the various relations of life he was a true type of the Christian gentleman, scrupulously honest in all his dealings, an earnest advocate and supporter of every genuine reform, and deeply in the spread and progress of Christianity.

4. *Resolved*, That in ordering a copy of these resolutions sent to the family, this society tenders them its sincere sympathy in this their great sorrow and bereavement.

5. *Resolved*, That our papers are hereby requested to publish the above resolutions, and the secretary of the State Horticultural Society to incorporate them in his report for 1883.

Other papers please copy.

WOODLAND QUEEN,
Sec. Adrian Hor. Soc.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The roller skating fever has struck Clinton at last.

A Good Templar's Lodge has been organized at Deerfield.

Morenci is bound to have a new public hall during the coming summer.

Net Erskine is making extensive improvements on his hotel barn in Clinton.

The Hillsdale band went to Round Lake to be at Stickney Washington's birthday.

The Bean exhibition at Morenci week before last, $74 for the gentlemen, $72 for Mr. Wayne.

Miss Flora Jipson, of Blissfield has returned home from a six months visit.

Dr. Todd of Adrian, pronounces the Seneca small pox cases to be nothing but chicken pox.

The bridge over the Bean at Morenci was badly demoralized by the breaking up of the ice last week.

The Dakota fever is again taking hold at Morenci. Some of the old folks are going west in the spring.

The Methodists of Hudson hold "tray" socials. Wonder if they have anything to do with poor dog Tray.

Bro. Aden, of the Morenci Observer, has bought a new mailing machine. He is always making improvements.

S. B. Rose of Clinton gave an interesting account in last week's News, of the railroad celebration held there 20 years ago.

Hudson Post: H. E. Palmer, the village lamp lighter, had to light out one night this week to find a door. One mouth more to feed.

The 50th anniversary of the settlement of Seneca occurs this summer, and the occasion is to be appropriately observed by a great gathering of pioneers some time in the month of June.

Blissfield Advance: Ferry out of the way, the Adrian Times now supports Willits for the U. S. Senator. Had the Times done this from the first, it would have correctly represented the Republicans of Lenawee Co.

Deerfield Record: Riley Carman and Ed. Osterhout have gone into partnership in the business of burning charcoal and intend to operate on an extensive scale the coming season. The scene of their operations is three miles northeast of this village. They shipped a car load of 2000 bushels last week, to the Lake Shore railway company, which has contracted for all they burn.

The Clinton News says: Although the profits of the lecture course this year was represented by the minus sign, yet the committee may console themselves with the reflection that they have furnished the best lecture course ever given in Clinton. And yet, we, for our part, have had enough humor in this direction and feel perfectly willing to give up our position another year to some one else who thirsts for honor.

One of Adrian's dead beats recently "bought" a load of wood, which was promptly delivered, when the d. b. confessed his inability to pay. The farmer was enraged, and prepared to load up his wood, but the beat objected. He said the wood was his, he had bought it, but had not yet paid for it, it was delivered on his property, he would not allow it to be taken away, he would pay for it when he could, and he ended by ordering the farmer off his premises. And the latter left, moneyless, woodless, but wiser.

Morenci Observer: Our readers have heard doubtless of the project of constructing a railway from Bloomington to Fayette, but latterly the scheme had come to be regarded as a mere rumor designed for a purpose, and that we should hear no more of it. A letter, however, from a gentleman in railway circles at Indianapolis informs us that the articles of association had been filed in that city for the enterprise, and that the road will be surely constructed at an early date, the project being to build the road from Bloomington to Fayette, thence using the old Canada Southern track to Detroit, making what will be known as the Detroit, Indiana & Bloomington Railway, the new enterprise being under the auspices of the Chicago, Alton & St. Louis Railway. Thus we may hope at an early day to be on one of the great thoroughfares of the nation.

Adrian Times: Isaac Lesh formerly a deputy sheriff in this county, and a resident of the town of Cambridge, was instantly killed at Whitehouse, Ohio, on Saturday. Mr. Lesh since leaving this county has been in the employ of the Wabash road, and has lived for some time in Toledo. Later he moved to Whitehouse, a small station west of Toledo, where he met his death on Saturday. He had just completed a coupling on a freight train, and stepped back when he was hit by the lightning express train, which goes through that station without a stop. His only child, a daughter, is Mrs. Elmer Howard, of Cambridge. He was a member of Addison lodge, F. & A. M., as well as the Adrian R. T. commandery.

THE REV. WM. GRANDY.

A late number of the Sioux City Times in reporting a sermon by the above reverend gentleman says:

Judged from either numerical or intellectual standpoint, the Rev. Wm. Grandy can congratulate himself in bringing out the largest and most attentive audience that has ever crowded the interior of a Sioux City church edifice, especially drawn there to listen to Sunday evening's sermon. In these waning days of Dralay church attendance it is a blessed boast of which both pastor and congregation should alike be proudly grateful that such numbers of the very best minds in Sioux City church pews should be so unmistakably interested in Presbyterian church society last night. The capacious church was crowded to full capacity.

Mr. Grandy was formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church at this village, and was greatly beloved by his congregation, and all who had the pleasure to come in social relations with him. His many friends here will be glad to learn of the appreciation of his ministerial services in the far west.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican county convention convened at Adrian on Monday last with a full attendance of delegates. Hon. John K. Boies, of Hudson, was chosen chairman, and A. W. Mills, of Tecumseh, secretary. A resolution reported by W. A. Underwood was unanimously adopted as follows:

Resolved, That the Republicans of Lenawee county, fully recognizing the high character maintained by the supreme court of this state ever since its present organization, and earnestly desiring the maintenance of that character, and fully realizing the abilities and attainments of Hon. Andrew Howell, do hereby request our delegates to the state convention to use all honorable means to secure his nomination as one of the justices of the supreme court.

The following delegates were then chosen:

J. R. Bennett, H. C. Conkling, C. P. Bills, G. P. Waring, A. D. Gilmore, A. W. Mills, Wm. Britton, Jas. Cook, Jay Hoag, E. F. Graves, T. M. Hunter, T. S. Applegate, Chas. Rynd, W. A. Underwood, John E. Knapp, John K. Boies, Edwin Eaton, J. C. Sawyer, J. W. Norton, W. C. Moreland, Charles Brown, R. A. Watts.

The revival meetings at the Methodist church continue with unabated interest. Thirty four have already united with the church since the meetings began by letter and on profession of faith. The pastor will speak to-night on "Quench not the Spirit."

The following delegates were chosen from Tecumseh to attend the Democratic County Convention, to be held to-morrow. J. Davidson, H. H. Keyser, Alfred Sane, Horatio Kesler, James Hunt, W. R. Worden.

$300 stock have already been subscribed towards the Ladies' Library Association fund, and the remainder will soon be raised.

The general opinion among farmers is that the ice on the ground will seriously injure the wheat.

Go to P. J. Welling's to get your cross-cut saws filed.

All saws warranted to run, either right or left, by P. J. Welling.

P. J. Welling's shop is the place to get your saws filed, and don't you forget it.

An elegant office counter and good show case can be purchased on very favorable terms at the HERALD office.

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Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

The best soft and hard coal in the market at S. W. Temple's coal yards.

Off Wood Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

Rapid sale of dress goods, Cotton.

New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

Clearing out underwear at Cotton's.

Gloves & mittens reduced, Cotton.

One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's.

Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

BROWNELL.—At Dowagiac, Mich., on Thursday, Feb. 22, John C. Brownell, of pneumonia, in the 47th year of his age.

The deceased was a former resident of this place and leaves one child, Mrs. Wm. Richart of South Bend Ind. The body will lie in the vault at Manchester for six weeks, after which it will be buried here.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD

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Wm. G. Osborne, the well-known safe manufacturer of Buffalo, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Newark, and Atlanta, says:

Office of Wm. G. Osborne, Manufacturer of Improved Safes, No. 108 Broad Street. ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 17th 1881.

Dr. Rush's Medical Association: Dear Sirs: In the bottle of Dr. Rush's Consumption Specific received by express yesterday I have used nearly one bottle, and am delighted with the result. For over two years I have been troubled with sharp pain at my left side, and, upon examination, pronounced enlargement of the heart, and was unable to get any relief. The trouble grew worse, and became convinced that I could not live. While in New York City last week, I called on one of the most prominent physicians there, who put me through for an examination and then recommended your Regulator. Knowing your standing in Medical Association, and not a patent medicine scheme, I ordered the three bottles. I have not been troubled since I commenced taking the first bottle, and take the entire three bottles to make a permanent cure. You have my thanks, I am, gentlemen,

WM. G. OSBORNE.

Dr. Howard, Professor of Anatomy, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Buffalo, N. Y., says:

Dr. Rush's Medical Association: Dear Sirs: I have had your Specific for Consumption, with the results, and have found it a very valuable remedy. Yours truly, F. H. HOWARD, M. D.

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HOW LISTZ BECAME A SUITOR.

The following story of the marriage of Liszt, the pianist, is, if true, certainly very remarkably romantic:

Listz was at Prague in the autumn of 1846. The day after his arrival a stranger called upon him and represented himself as a brother artist in distress. Having expended all his means in an unsuccessful last appeal, and solicited his aid to enable him to return to his native Sweden, Listz gave him a purse, and, [illegible] the stranger found the jeweler's shop.

"Well, I suppose you are grateful," said the jeweler, "that I have enabled you to return to your native country."

"Indeed I am, sir," said the stranger, "and I am ready to repay the money as soon as I arrive at my native city."

"Well, I suppose you will be able to do something for your benefactor, too, when you get home?"

"Oh, yes, sir; I am a jeweler myself, and I can make a good piece of jewelry."

"Indeed! Let me see what you can do," said the jeweler, and he produced a piece of jewelry and told him that he was interested in it, and that he had promised to make a present of it to a young lady.

"Very good, sir," said the jeweler; "I think I can do it."

"Very possible," said Listz.

"But do you know what these diamonds are worth, and how they are mounted?"

"Such is the letter of the law to which I agree then."

"Why, [illegible] I can give you a receipt."

"My word is sufficient," said Listz.

"Then take a seat," said the jeweler.

"No," said Listz, "I have only to [illegible] my fingers to get as much money as I want."

"Then you are a sorcerer!" said the jeweler.

"I will show you the kind of sorcery that I employ," said Listz.

Seeing a piano in the back parlor of the jeweler's shop, the eccentric artist sat down to it and began to improvise a ravishing air. A beautiful young lady made her appearance, and at the close of the performance exclaimed, "Bravo, Listz!"

"You know him, then?" said the jeweler to his daughter.

"I have never seen him before," she said; "but there is no one in the world but Listz who can produce such sounds from the piano."

The jeweler was satisfied, the stranger was released and relieved, the report of Listz being in the city flew, and he was waited on and feted by the nobles, who besought him to give a concert in their city. The jeweler, seeing the homage that was paid to the man of genius, was anxious to form an alliance with him, and said to him:

"How do you find my daughter?"

"Adorable!" was the reply.

"What do you think of marriage?" continued the jeweler.

"Well enough to try it," said Listz.

"What do you say to a dowery of three million francs?" he was next asked.

"I will accept it, and thank you too," was the reply.

"Well, my daughter likes you and you like her, the dowery is ready. Will you be my son-in-law?" said the jeweler.

"Gladly," replied Listz, and the marriage was celebrated the following week.

From Cause to Effect.

The rational look of the world is denied by no one. Eyes look as if they were made to see with. Ears as if they were made to hear with. Legs look as if they were made to walk with. The nutritive apparatus looks as if it were made to keep the body in repair. The lungs look as if they were made to aerate the blood; and the blood-vessels as if made with an eye to their actual functions. And in general, science everywhere assumes that nature is rational, and that everything is adapted to everything else. We must remember that science is and regards observation; but is it right to draw conclusions from the observations? Science aims by the aid of reasoning to pass behind the phenomena and form some conception of the supersensible realities upon which appearances are based. But it enters into this hidden world only by thought; and it implicitly assumes, therefore, that the laws of thought are valid for all being. Science, then, is built upon the notion that the real is rational and intelligible; and it aims to grasp the rational system which is in things. If we should assume that the real is irrational, and mutinous, all our science would perish. What would become of astronomy if we assume that the flying planet is governed by irrational principles of motion? The atomic theory and other theory are no facts of observation, but only rational inferences from phenomena. But if the real is not rational, of course these and all other scientific theories fail to be grounded. We conclude, then, that there is a kind look of nature which realizes in nature its long conceived plans and purposes.

A Woman's Glove.

A woman's glove is to her what a vest pocket is to a man. But it is more capacious, and, in the case of ten it is much better regulated. A man will carry $20 in small change, four matches, half a dozen toothpicks, a short pencil, and other things, and yet not be able to find a nickel, or a match, or a toothpick or a pencil or a card when he wants it. Not so with a woman. She has the least bit of a glove, and in that she carries the tiniest hand, and a wad of bills, and the memorandum for her intended purchase of dry goods, and her tickets, and mainee checks, and maybe a diminutive powder-bag. We have no idea how she does it—how she manages to squeeze those thousand and one things into that wee space. But she does it every time, and the glove never looks the least distended or ruffled. And when a woman wants any article concealed about that glove, she doesn't seem to have the least trouble in the world getting at it. All required is a simple turn of the wrist, the disappearance of fairy fingers, and the desired article is brought to light. It is a wonderful *manual* we can explain.

The industrious bee does not stop to complain that there are so many poisonous flowers and thorny branches in the road, but buzzes on, selecting the honey where she can find it and passing by the place where it is not.

Position of the Body in Sleeping.

Position affects sleep. A constrained or uncomfortable posture will often prevent repose. Lying flat on one's back with the limbs relaxed would seem to secure the greatest amount of rest to the muscular system. This is the position assumed in the most exhausting diseases, and it is generally indicative of a token of revival when a patient voluntarily changes the posture, [illegible] which implies an endurance sleep. [illegible] the head and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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The twilight shadows are falling now
Why does he stay away?
Jamie is handsome and manly too,
And he will be good and great;
But, father, why is our darling boy
Staying away so late?

Our Jamie boy is a child no more
He has grown to man's estate;
He has gone a-courting Minnie Gray
The reason he stays so late;
For her golden hair and eyes of blue
Have stolen his heart away;
And he goes in the twilight to meet his love
A-[illegible] Minnie Gray.

Why does the shadow save has gone
Night is fast growing on;
And we cannot find Minnie Gray
Our boy has never gone yet
The good lad never have spent a night
Have loved him all his years;
Who traveled him along the path of life
Starting his mother night tears.

But, Minnie, [illegible]
And you a maiden fair and sweet
That you stole my heart away
I had a father old and gray,
And a mother kind and true.
When I saw the fondly all by the
But my heart went out to you.

A blush crept o'er her wilfered cheek,
Her eyes shone clear and mild;
No longer she chided the lovely maiden
For wooing away her child.
She thought of the long ago, when she
Stood close by her lover's side,
In the little church, and the man of God
Made her a happy bride.

A NIGHT OF PERIL.

THRILLING STORY OF PIONEER LIFE.

It was my fortune, some time since, to take a trip in one of the splendid floating palaces which wind their way daily up and down the Ohio river, and carry their living and commercial freight so safely and speedily, in comfort and pleasure, to their destination.

That it was not always so, I was reminded by a story which I heard from an old gentleman who was a fellow-passenger, and whose acquaintance I pleasantly formed on deck; and, finding him to be a relative of a Kentucky family with whom I was on intimate terms, I accepted his story as entirely reliable, and will give it, as nearly as I can, in his own words:

"It must have been nearly a hundred years ago, not later anyhow than 1800," said Mr. Hobart, "that my grandfather, Horace Hobart, settled, where the city of Frankfort now lies—it was a mere hamlet then. He was the owner of a flat boat, so the settlers called him Cap'n Hobart, and used to hire him to make trips down the river, for supplies for the settlement. He sometimes used, to go as far as Pittsburg, and bring powder, lead and groceries, very often stock or a small company of emigrants and their plunder, to points along the shore.

One trip he made—if I remember rightly it was about 1803 or 1804, in the fall of the year—of which he carried the marks to his grave. His cargo that time was mostly of powder, lead for bullets, and cured bacon—a very desirable prize to the Indians who were lurking up and down the shore. At Pittsburgh he met a party of half a dozen emigrants for Central Kentucky, who gladly availed themselves of the opportunity to go as far as Frankfort on Captain Hobart's flat-boat.

Well laden, the little party, among whom were two women, sat out on the return voyage, going on prosperously a great part of the way. Capt. Hobart knew that the danger lay between the Big Sandy and Kentucky rivers.

After passing the mouth of the Big Sandy, it would be necessary to proceed cautiously until they left the Indiana shore and turned into the Kentucky river, where they would be comparatively safe.

Nothing occurred, however, for some days. The weather was glorious, the river smooth, and they were enjoying the trip very much, when, one morning, two men hailed them from the shore.

'What's wanted?' demanded Capt. Hobart.

'Want to go down the river. Land, and take us on board,' was the answer.

'Are there only two of you?' shouted Capt. Hobart.

'That's all. We'll be no trouble. Pull in, and get us!' the men shouted back, evidently growing impatient.

'But Capt. Hobart knew where he was and meant to be careful. He turned to one of his boatmen, an old fellow called Osage Jo, who had spent his life in that region, and was thoroughly trusty.

'What say, Jo?' asked Captain Hobart.

'Don't like it Cap'n,' said Jo, leaning on his paddle. 'Nothin' but a decoy, to my notion.'

'To mine, too,' said Capt. Hobart. 'I'd hate to leave them, if I thought they were honest'—

'They look like rascals from here, Cap'n, says Jo. 'Them woods, liker'n not, are full o' Indians, and we've got weemin aboard. Won't do, Cap'n.'

'No, Jo, we won't risk it.' Capt. Hobart then shouted to the men:

'You'll have to wait for the next boat. We're full.'

The flat-boat passed on, leaving the men making profane exhibition of anger on the shore—a proof that they were not what they claimed to be.

The travelers proceeded very watchfully and cautiously down the river, but saw no signs of trouble until near sunset.

They were passing a very thickly wooded spot when two men, carrying a third between them, came down to the shore and hailed the boat.

'Haloo!' answered Capt. Hobart.

'Come in and take us on board!' was the next call.

'What is the matter?' shouted the Captain.

'Got a man hurt here. Want to get him up to the Forks. Come and help us.'

Capt. Hobart took out his pocket telescope, hauled it up to his eye, and took a look through.

'It's the two we met this morning,' he cried.

'I thought so!' chuckled Jo, close beside him.

'Well, they won't trap me,' said Capt. Hobart, and then he shouted lustily, 'Can't stop for you!' and ordered his men to help the drift all they could with their paddles.

'Cap'n,' says Jo, take a look through your glasses at that clump o' beeches. What's under 'em?'

The Captain looked, as directed, where the trees hung far over, and the bank was in deep shadow.

'What dy'e make?' eagerly asked Jo.

'It looks like an old flat-boat, but I can't surely make out. So, if they've got a boat, we'er in a bad fix.'

'Fact, Cap'n! An its goin' to be a moonlight night, full moon, an' coming up airly. Weemin aboard too.'

'Well, Jo, we'll prepare for 'em, and then run our best. It's all we can do.'

As if to prove that their suspicions were correct, an arrow was hurled, at them from the shore, falling short of its mark, which was, probably, the tall form of Capt. Hobart, as he stood boldly up in his boat.

This decided him. He called together the men—including the emigrants, there were only eight men, all told—directed the women to lie flat down in the bottom of the boat, and made all the preparations he could for a fight, in case it came.

Night did not need to wait very long. Even before the moon was fully risen, they could see that the woods were full of moving, painted, half-naked forms, and heard yells which could come from none but an Indian throat.

Keeping a careful watch, they could see [illegible] moving upon the water, and, as it drew nearer, they saw that it was a flat-boat filled with Indians.

'It must be the old thing that used to tie up at Port Mason,' (a little station on the coast) says Jo. 'If it is we kin sink 'em!'

'Wait till they get near, men,' said the Captain, 'and then aim low, and give them the first fire.'

Breathlessly the men crouched in the end of the boat, near which the Indians were rapidly drawing. As soon as they came within rifle-range, eight bullets sped at the word of command, and made havoc among the pursuers.

Shouts and groans followed, and the savages poured forth a fierce volley into the little group. One of the three horses was killed—there were three on the boat—but not a man fell.

'Load! quick!' ordered the Captain.

Swiftly and silently his order was obeyed; not too swift, for the Indian boat was steadily drawing nearer and nearer.

Another volley, and three of the pursuers tumbled overboard, but as they returned the fire one of the emigrants dropped, groaning, at his post.

'Steady! and quick! Fire in succession!' ordered the captain. 'They aim too low! Disable 'em before they can board us!'

The bows of the two boats almost grated together, and one daring savage sprang upon the flat-boat's gunwale.

Capt. Hobart sprung forward, but before he could raise his rifle, a shot went through his shoulder.

He staggered, but, with desperate courage, rallied and fired, his adversary falling backward and over into the river.

Maddened at this, for the assailing Indian was their leader, the Indians made a rush to the craft. In the impetuosity of their onset, the old, unseaworthy thing capsized, and the swift current of the Ohio was full of struggling, screaming, wounded and drowning savages.

The violence of the shock gave the other boat a sheer which sent it off directly into the middle of the river, and drifted it rapidly down, too far from the shore for any danger from lurkers on the bank, and safe from its terrible pursuers.

A great shout of joy at their deliverance rose up from the little crew, at least from all who were able to shout. Capt. Hobart lay senseless in the bottom of the boat, one man was dead, and three others badly wounded, leaving but three unhurt, to care for the rest.

With the help of the two brave women, who had not uttered one cry during the fight, they did this, and, after their arrival at home, the three men recovered, as did Capt. Hobart.

But Capt. Hobart carried to his grave a shoulder scarred with the bullet received in that fierce fight on the Ohio."

Loving Home.

Nothing to us appears so beautiful in human experience as the reciprocal affection of parents and children, especially after the latter have attained maturity, and, it may be, formed new relations in life. We love even the loving and lovely daughter, or she had become a wife and mother, seize every opportunity of visiting the parental home, to lavish her affectionate attention upon her parents, and, by a thousand graceful and tender kindnesses, assure them that though she was an idolized wife and happy mother, her heart still clave with ever strengthening fervor to father and mother who watched over her infancy and guided her youth. It has been our privilege to know such, and as we have witnessed the outpourings of love and happiness between these devoted and glowing hearts, we have felt that surely much of heaven might be enjoyed here if all families were equally attached. And would that every daughter knew what pure joy she might create in the parental bosom by a constant keeping alive of the spirit of filial devotion, and seizing frequent opportunities to make it manifest in little acts of gentleness and love, notwithstanding the child may have become a parent. It is always the same dear child, and never so dear as when it keeps up the childish confidence and love of its earliest youth.

Breaking off Bad Habits.

To break off bad habits, understand the reason and all the reasons why the habit is injurious. Study the subject until there is no lingering doubt in your mind. Avoid the places, the persons and the thoughts that lead to the temptation. Frequent the place, associate with the persons, indulge in thoughts that lead away from the temptation. Keep busy; idleness is the strength of bad habits. Do not give up the struggle when you have broken your resolution once, twice, a thousand times. That only shows how much need there is for you to strive. When you have broken your resolution, just think the matter over and endeavor to understand why it is you failed, so that you may be on your guard against a recurrence of the same circumstances. Do not think that it is an easy thing that you have undertaken. It is folly to expect to break off a bad habit in a day which may have been gathering for long years.

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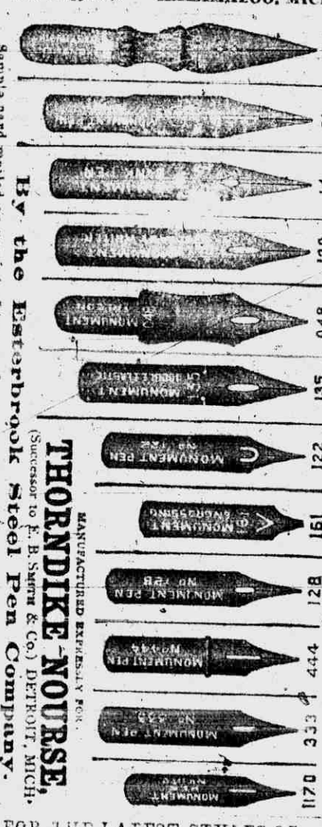

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM RICHARD

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Richard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Sarah L. Richard, and William A. Richard, executors of said will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for such other and further orders in the premises deemed necessary, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 6th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register.

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH BARRETT

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Barrett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF ESTHER JONES.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Esther Jones, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin L. Baxter and Edwin B. Wood, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging among other things, that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN, SR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Allen, Jr., praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 5th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry Hodgeman, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry Hodgeman, late of the village of Tecumseh, in said county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Barnes Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, Michigan, on Friday, the 10th day of March, and on Friday, the 10th day of June, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 10th day of February, 1883, are allowed by us for creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment, from the date hereof.

Dated February 7th, 1883.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. McKINNON,
Commissioners.

FLOWERS.

At Mrs. [illegible] Green house may be found a large variety of plants and flowers for the decoration of the tables, dinner and supper tables, and sick rooms. Especial attention given to floral designs for weddings, funerals, etc. We are prepared to furnish flowers for every kind of floral decorations with the choicest and freshest of flowers, in the up to date style, orders on short notice, and at reasonable prices. The green house is open daily. [illegible] grocery will receive [illegible]

Miscellaneous Recipes.

Peach Cake.—Bake three layers of sponge cake, cut ripe peaches into very thin slices; prepare some sweet cream by whipping, sweetening and flavoring it; spread the peaches, with the cream poured over, between each layer, as also over the top of the cake.

Johnny Cake.—To half a pint of meal add warm water enough to make a thin batter, half a teaspoonful of melted butter, half a teaspoonful of cream of tartar, a little soda and salt. If convenient, add an egg. This makes an excellent cake, and to those who have more than allowance of milk and cream it will prove a great help.

Meat Pie for Tea.—Given a dish of a baking dish, with dry bread crumbs, then alternate layers of cold sliced roast or boiled mutton and sliced tomatoes, with a thin sprinkling of bread crumbs. Season each layer of tomatoes with pepper, salt, and bits of butter. Let the tomatoes and bread crumbs be last. Three quarters of an hour.

Tomato Sauce.—Twelve large ripe tomatoes, four ripe or three green peppers, [illegible] tablespoonfuls of salt, two of sugar, one of cinnamon, and three cups of vinegar. Peel tomatoes and onions, chop all fine, and boil one and a half hours. Bottle, and it will keep any length of time. One quart of canned tomatoes may be used instead of the ripe ones.

Sponge Cake.—This is the most perfect of sponge cakes when properly made. Ingredients: Ten eggs, one pound of *pulverized* sugar, half a pound of flour, juice of half a large lemon, with the rind grated. After all the ingredients are quite ready—*i. e.*, the flour and sugar sifted, the lemon-peel grated, the half-lemon squeezed and the tins buttered—the success of the cake is the beating of the eggs. Two persons should beat them at least half an hour, one beating the whites, and the other the yolks and half of the sugar together. Next put the yolks into the whites, then stir in lightly the remainder of the sugar, then the flour and lemon by degrees. The oven heat should be rather *moderate* at first. Much of the success depends upon this, as the batter should be evenly heated throughout before it begins to rise. When baked, spread over the cake a wafer thickness of icing, slightly flavored with vanilla. Do not try to make half the quantity of cake.

Fried Chicken.—Prepare your chicken by cutting it in small pieces, have ready frying-pan with a few slices of salt fat pork, frying until the fat is extracted, but not brown; have your chicken rolled in fine cracker crumbs, lay them in the frying pan, keeping your pan covered to keep the steam close. When tender let them brown nicely, then take them from the pan and put them upon the platter. Pour into the gravy left in the frying pan a cup of milk, (cream is better,) thicken with a spoonful of flour, boil up and pour over the chicken; add salt and pepper.

Popular Education.

Accepting this as a fundamental maxim, that "Whatever should enter into the life of a nation should be taught in the public schools," let us consider some "things that enter into the life of a prosperous people.

Man lives not by bread alone; and the culture of the heart only ensures a perfect life, either of an individual or of a nation. Hence, the schools of a country should not be irreligious or godless. Both by precept and example the principles of religion should be taught. The highest standard of morals should be enforced. None but men and women of the noblest character and purest life should be allowed to teach the youth. If religion and morality are to enter into the complex life of the nation, they must not be banished from the public schools.

If a nation prospers, industry, frugality and economy must enter into its life. Hence, these old-fashioned virtues should have a place in the schools. The young should be taught that an education fits them for work, not to live without work. In school, the young man should learn the value of time, and should be taught how to fill up the days and the years, as they pass, with profitable industry or substantial enjoyment; for true living is what is enjoyed, whether it be in the gratification of the present, or for that in the future which promises an enjoyment that more than counterbalances the self-denial of the present. Let the youth in our schools be taught that labor is Heaven's great ordinance for human improvement, and the prosperity of the nation cannot be checked by senseless theories of finance. Frugality, as opposed to useless expenditure of money, should be inculcated. This must be mainly done by the state, in its expenditure of money for the erection of school buildings, in the cost of text-books, and in the general management of the schools. This should not descend to a niggard parsimony; but when, with borrowed money, school-houses are erected and furnished with an elegance far beyond that which is found in the homes of the people, is it not an encouragement to the young men of the state to go beyond their own means to build homes for themselves, provided they have a little credit?

Hints About Water.

No water that has stood in open vessels during the night should be used for drinking or cooking. By exposure to the air it has lost its "aeration," and has absorbed many of the dust germs floating in the apartment. If convenience requires water to be kept in vessels for several hours before use, it should be covered, unless the vessels are tight. Wherever it is practicable, all distributing reservoirs should be covered. Filtering adds to the purity of water. Drinking water should never be taken from lakes or rivers on a low level. Surface water, or water in lakes, pools or rivers, which receive the surface wash, should be avoided as much as possible. Do not drink much water at a time. More than two tumblerfuls should not be taken at a meal. Do not drink between meals unless to quench thirst, as excess of water weakens the gastric juice and overworks the kidneys. Excessive potations, whether of water or other fluid, relax the stomach, impair its secretions and paralyze its movements. By drinking a little at a time all injury is avoided.

The Sandwich Island alphabet has 12 letters; the Burmese, 15; the Italian, 20; the Bengalese, 21; the Hebrew, Syriac, Chaldee and Samaritan, 22 each; the French, 23; the Greek, 24; the Latin, 25; the German, Dutch and English 26 each; the Spanish 27; the Arabic, 28; the Persian, 31; the Russian, 41; the Sanscript, 50; the Ethiopic, 202.

Libraries.

Everything considered, the newspaper is the best and most available of libraries. The one fact of *cheapness* is so strongly in its favor as to overbalance the majority of arguments that can be advanced upon the opposite side. It is within the reach of every one, no matter how poor, and finds an entrance where books (as a rule) never can; it comes weekly, and is read and loaned until actually worn out; can be caught up if one has but a moment of time, and some knowledge can be gained. A single, brief item frequently gives what pages of book-bound matter would have to be waded through to learn; for the newspaper is the chronicle of the entire world. In the brief space of a column space all that is necessary to the correct understanding is given—to such perfection has the art of condensation been brought.

The newspaper with the present facilities for almost learning what is transpiring in every portion of the habitable globe, is the reflection of the heart, busy as it is with all [illegible] and the South, the East, and the West are brought together. We grow giddy in the whirling of the tide and the chilling heat of the sun; we are with the daring explorers seeking for the north pole; travel through the jungles of Africa; have a bird's eye view of great battles; sail over every sea, dive with the whale to its fabulous depths; are present in the parliament of nations; listen to the last words of an expiring pope, and take by the hand his successor.

A wonderful, concise, most skilfully painted panorama of the affairs of the world is the newspaper; a map of its busy life; a faithful reproduction of all its lights and shadows, and at the most nominal cost; at the merest bagatelle to books, even in these days of exceptional cheapness. Week after week the paper comes filled with all that is rare, new, interesting and instructive. It is a history of nations in fifty-two volumes; an ever continued encyclopedia of trade, science, biography, agriculture and the arts; is the "boiling down" of all books in so minute a form that the mind can grasp at a single glance, and be saved the wading through ponderous volumes of uninteresting detail—to the great saving of time. It is, in fact, the grandest of all circulating libraries, at only a penny fee; the throwing open to the public of all the costly and exclusive archives of the world.

The newspaper of to-day is a perfect *omnium gatherum*. Nothing escapes its notice. Every event of importance is instantly photographed upon its pages. The whispers breathed in every clime are caught and fixed. It is a marvel of intelligence; is the stereotype of every mind. We look back in wonder at the days when it was not, and human intelligence shudders to think of the barbarism and ignorance and superstition that would follow the blotting out of this the sun of the solar system.

Not a single word would we say against books. Multiply them as much as possible; there can never be too many; the world can never have too much of light; but as the grandest, and cheapest, and widest circulating medium of intelligence—as libraries for mankind, they never can compare with newspapers.

What the Farm Should Be.

The farm should be not merely a place where men subsist and rear families, says the *Connecticut Farmer*, in the strictest economy, starving the soul to add a few more acres to the eighty or hundred already owned, and which, too, may be, are not thoroughly cultivated—but a home speaking of plenty, a home rich in attractions, buildings well kept, shade and ornamental trees, lawns with walks and flowering shrubs, not forgetting the furnished parlor and library. The newspaper, magazine, pictures and music, poets and history should be here. True, the farmer's home is of necessity a busy place, but it should not be all kitchen and dairy, not all scythe and plow, not all an endless routine of treadmill duties, but where the farmer and his wife could find some time each day to mingle with books and in conversation. Away from the bustle and the clatter of the town, it should be the place to grow large in judgment and fine in taste. One of the most hopeful indications of progress is the position occupied by farmers, and the growing respect manifest toward them. For practical, moral and æsthetical culture, farmers' children have superior advantages.

The hills and forests, with their brooks and rocks, afford ample facilities for the study of botany, geology and natural history. Nowhere do the heavens appear so broad, or do the constellations offer greater attractions to the would-be astronomer than upon the hill-tops in summer, or when under the beautiful snow the earth lies buried at our feet. That these opportunities are appreciated, is seen in the demand for agricultural colleges in all our states.

It is not to be lamented that all of the graduates of these colleges do not go back to the farm upon which they were reared. Many of them become manufacturers, merchants, lawyers, journalists, doctors and ministers, carrying into the town the practical good sense and thrift that purifies, and into rural districts, with professional or mercantile business, inspiration to active social intercourse that overcomes reserve.

So each year the distance between town and rural life is lessening, the one getting more the scent of the clover, the fields, and the free, pure air which plays around the mountain top, the other more the culture and refinement of the city.

Moral and Religious

There can be no better help against our own sins, than to help our neighbor in the encounter with his.

There shall be no night there in that beautiful land. While many of us are now looking out of our western windows toward the setting sun, it is eventide, and the soft clouds throw their thin shadows now and then over the face of the sky as day drops slowly out of sight and only twilight remains. The sun of life is going down. But see, to-morrow the sun will rise on a new scene. That is not the scene of a sunset but a glorious rising of a heavenly morning. Afflicted, tired, aged pilgrim, looking at the setting sun, just turn your eyes of faith. See what scenes of beauty shine through the new east window. If the shadows are a little dark along the river, the angel of hope holds its lamp and lights up our pathway. Yes, blessed be God! we have the promise that "at evening time it shall be light."

Dean Swift is responsible for this: "When men grow virtuous in their old age, they are merely making a sacrifice to God of the de[illegible] savings."

Chloroforming Animals.

In all operations, lasting any length of time, humanity demands the use of an anæsthetic, not only in the case of the horse, but in all our domestic animals. Besides, many delicate operations can be easily and securely performed when perfect quiet is demanded of the patient, as for instance, in operations upon the eye, within the mouth, gullet, windpipe, or other parts of the head, as well as the body and limbs. The safe administration of chloroform to the lower animals lies in allowing an equal proportion of atmospheric air with the vapor of the anæsthetic. If this is forced in the process, death ensues either from paralysis of the heart, coma, or apoplexy. Operations of the glottis by mechanical means, Anæsthetics should not be used in cases where disease of the lungs and pleura is known to exist, or to animals affected with degeneration of the lungs. As most animals become completely wild, when the effects of the inhalation commences to let upon the brain, it will become necessary, or the act, to first have them secured, and preferably in a recumbent position, so that they can not get loose. A convenient and inexpensive mode of administering chloroform to the horse or other animals consists in holding a sponge saturated with the fluid to one of the nostrils. Care should be taken to guard the skin of the nose and lips from its irritating properties, by smearing these parts with oil or glycerine. At the commencement, the sponge should be held at a small distance from the nose. As the animal gets more and more under the influence, it should be approached to the nose, but it is imperatively necessary that there should be a free admission of atmospheric air. In order to confine the vapors, a light cloth should be thrown loosely over the hands of the operator at the beginning. From two to four ounces of chloroform are generally sufficient, unless the operation to be performed is of a protracted nature. The size of sponge to be used for the larger animals should not be smaller than two closed fists. It should be soft and slightly moist from being squeezed with clean cold water, and it will be sufficient to pour about two ounces of chloroform on it to begin with. As soon as the animal allows a finger to be placed upon the eyelids, the operation is to be proceeded with as dexterously as possible, during which an assistant should hold the sponge, and only apply it from time to time, to keep up the required insensibility. Really, the administration of the anæsthetic should form the whole duty of one person, who must also carefully watch the respiration. If the breathing becomes feeble, and particularly the inspirations loud, or there are premonitory signs of suffocation, etc., the sponge must be quickly withdrawn.—*Prairie Farmer.*

Health Hints.

A Frenchman has discovered that the severest attack of neuralgia can be relieved by directing a stream of water from a force-pump against the part affected.

To cure a felon, as soon as the parts begin to swell, wrap the part affected with a cloth thoroughly saturated with tincture of lobelia, and the felon is dead. An old physician says he knows it to have cured scores of cases, and it never fails if applied in season.

Diphtheria has been very prevalent in Australia, and one of the most successful remedies said to have been a few drops of sulphuric acid in a tumblerful of water. The result of this mixture is said to be a coagulation of the diphtheritic membrane and its ready removal by coughing.

When the voice is lost, as is sometimes the case, from the effects of cold, a simple, pleasant remedy is furnished by beating up the white of one egg, adding to it the juice of one lemon, and sweetening with white sugar to taste. Take a teaspoonful from time to time. It has been known to effectually cure the ailment.

To cure a cough, roast a lemon very carefully without burning it; when it is thoroughly hot, cut and squeeze into a cup upon three ounces of sugar, finely powdered. Take a spoonful whenever your cough troubles you. It is as good as it is agreeable to the taste. Rarely has it been known to fail of giving relief.

A sure cure for soft corns is to dip a bit of soft linen rag into turpentine and wrap it around the soft corn; wet the corn in it night and morning, and in a few days the corn will have disappeared. But the relief to the throbbing, burning pain comes almost immediately after the first or second application. Wear cotton between the toes, and the corns will not reappear.

The *Gazette Medicale* of France says that by an accident charcoal has been discovered to be a cure for burns. By laying a piece of cold charcoal upon a burn, the pain subsides immediately. By leaving the charcoal on one hour, the wound is healed, as has been demonstrated on several occasions. The remedy is cheap and simple, and certainly deserves a trial.

We have tried many experiments to induce sleep. The very best method we have yet discovered is that of counting. Breathe deeply and slowly (without any straining effort,) and with every respiration count one, two, three, etc., up to a hundred. Some persons will be asleep before they count fifty in this manner. Others will count ten, twenty, or thirty, and then forget themselves and cease counting. Very few persons can count a hundred and find themselves awake; but should this happen, repeat the dose until cured.

A lady who has been spending the summer at Lake Chautauqua says that on one of the steamers that pass Fair Point, at the time when the great Sabbath-school convention was in progress, were three women, rather gaudily dressed and wearing diamonds enough to indicate they had plenty of money. Their conversation was carried on in a loud voice, and attracted considerable attention. In front of Fair Point stands a statue of Faith. "See that piece of statoowary," said number one. "I wonder who it is. It must be Jupiter." "No" said number two, "it looks more like Venus." "Well," said number three, "anyway it's one of those people in the Bible."

To destroy the vitality of weed seeds in soil by baking will in a great measure destroy the fertility of the soil. A better way is to spread the soil out thinly in a warm place and keep it moist. In a few days most of the seeds will germinate, after which the soil should be stirred and allowed to become dry.

Setting Out Strawberries.

The best time for setting out strawberries is the last of August, or early September. Currants, gooseberries and raspberries are best planted in the spring. The most popular strawberries are Wilson's Albany, Triomphe de Gand, Seconds, Monarch of the West, Champion, Sciopline, Crescent, Sharpless and Cumberland. The four last mentioned are new, but very promising, and all will do to try. The best currant is Versailles, the old red. Dutch with good cultivation is excellent; the white grape is a good variety; the cherry is a great bearer, but a poor cooker; there is no good cherry which will stand out the summers without mildewing. The English varieties are the worst in this respect. A good American variety is Lucas's Seedling. Of raspberries, the Philadelphia, Clark, Antwerp and Highland Hardy, all American varieties are good, but need laying down in the winter for protection.

Madagascar.

Although Madagascar is known to be the third largest island in the world its actual size and extent is not generally understood. It is easy to see how misconception on this point arises, for in maps the island is usually seen only in connection with Africa, and that great continent is so large that it dwarfs by comparison with itself everything in its near neighborhood, so that the really large island sheltering under its south-eastern side appears but an inconsiderable appendage to its vast neighbor. If, however, we take a good-sized map of Madagascar, and put by its side the outline, to the same scale, of another country with whose dimensions we are familiar, such, for instance, as England we begin to realize how important an island it is as regards size, being nearly 1,000 miles long by about 250 in average breadth, so that it is nearly four times as large as England and Wales.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, February 27, 1883.

Brigham, Alis	Snell, William
Brown, Bert	Stevens, Jacob
Lovell, Mr.	Tate, William
McMeekin's, Maggie	Thorn, Mrs.
Mills, Lida	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

MARRIED.

HORTON—LONG—In Eaton Rapids, Feb. 21, 1883, at the residence of the bride's father, Seymour A. Long, Fredrick A. Horton, of Tecumseh, and Miss Hattie L. Long of Eaton Rapids, Rev. Ira D. Hill officiating.

YOUNG—LOWRY—At the residence of James Lowry at Tecumseh, Feb. 22, by Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, David Young and Anna J. Lowry, all of Tecumseh.

SPAFFORD—VAN ANTWERP—At the residence of the bride's father, Feb. 15, by Rev. Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Albert Spafford and Miss Etta May Van Antwerp all of this village.

ALEXANDER—BAKER—In Holt, Ingham, Co., Mich., Feb. 22, 1883, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Mr. Sateh, Chester D. Alexander, formerly of Franklin, to Miss Etta Baker of Holt.

DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $1.10.
CORN—60c in the ear.
OATS—45.
APPLES—$3.00 to $3.25 per bbl.
POTATOES—70c to 75c.
DRESSED HOGS—$7.60.
CLOVER SEED—$7.45.

TOLEDO MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 2, red, $1.14
CORN—59c. shelled
OATS, 42c.
DRESSED HOGS $7.20
CLOVER SEED $7.50

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	1 75	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔		@	05
Butter ₩ ℔	20	@	22
Barley ₩ bushel	60	@	72
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75	@	2 25
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	50	@	55
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@	1 50
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00	@	7 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf-skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	28	@	30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	60	@	65
Clover Seed	7 00	@	7 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs ₩ doz		@	22
Flour ₩ barrel	5 50	@	6 25
Hog—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 00	@	7 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	5	@	5 50
Hay ₩ ton	10 00	@	12 00
Honey ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	13
Oats ₩ bushel	35	@	40
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	40	@	45
Salt ₩ barrel		@	1 20
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 50
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	4 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	94	@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	95	@	1 00

ESTATE OF MICHAEL UNDERWOOD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Michael Underwood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Isaac N. Pitman, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his final account, for a distribution of the residue of said estate according to law, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. Bugbee, Probate Register. mw1

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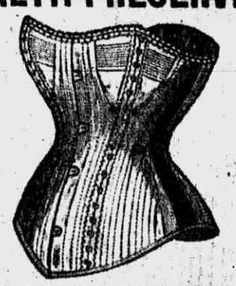

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CHICAGO, June 13th, 1882.

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I have examined your "CORSET" and think it possesses all the advantages you claim for it, over any other one of which I have any knowledge.

W. C. RUSH.

CHICAGO, June 22d, 1882.

I fully endorse the opinion expressed by Dr. Hurlbut.

D. M. MANNHEIMER.

CHICAGO, July 3d, 1882.

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DAN. T. NELSON, M. D.

The Tecumseh Herald.

VOL. XXXIII.--NO 41 TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 8, 1883. WHOLE NO. 1681.

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ADDISON ATOMS.

As the weather is now on the March, we hope old winter will Marchee, and that in double quick time.

Business of all kinds is unusually brisk at present, at this place.

Since the new roller machine has been in operation at the grist mill here, our people have enjoyed as good flour as do their neighbors of the Comfort mill territory.

La Barre Morley's log yard is well filled this spring. The mill gives excellent satisfaction.

A new pile driver was put to work on the T. & M. R. R. at the mill pond Saturday afternoon, and is making excellent progress with the work. The scene is thronged by citizens at nearly all hours of the day, so anxious are they to see the project advance. The line road has been cleared of underbrush for some miles each way from town, and grading men are at work west of here with wheel barrows and teams, while many of the farmers are busily engaged preparing and hauling ties and piles.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

What a refreshing rest. The ice gorge has melted, Congress expired, and the Senatorial contest ended. It looks as though the Ferry element had prevailed, but Palmer is so favorably unknown that everybody is mum.

Horace Hand has taken possession of the John Emans farm.

L. B. Stewart, who has been teaching in dist. No. 4, closed school last Friday, packed his goods and the next day moved back to Ypsilanti, from whence he came about one year ago to take care of his father, Ira Stewart, in his last sickness. The farm has been in the continued possession of the family for 50 years. Ira Stewart was one of the first settlers in this township. But now the home is gone, or rather the family have gone from the home.

Joseph Daiken has taken possession of the Ira Stewart farm.

Lewis Miller has rented his farm of 40 acres to John Steel for five years. Miller has bought a house and lot at Britton Station where he will engage in the mechanic art.

Parties at Cole station who are building six coal pits, have purchased 200 loads of sand of J. G. Bailey, on the Ridge road five miles west of the station. They employ two men at the sand bank in sifting the sand and loading the teams.

The church social at R. Westfall's yielded 90 couple, $50 net cash and a pleasant time.

Jesse Harper failed to appear at the lecture course last Monday night, cause disconnection of trains at Toledo. He will appear on Thursday, March 15th, at 2 o'clock P.M., on the subject of temperance, and at 7:30 on The Decline of Civilization.

John Stewart demands the cake on the greatest number of mice in one nest. He killed 20. The rest got away.

J. J. Woodman gave us a very instructive lecture on European Agriculture, last Wednesday evening. His peroration on the grange was grand. Everybody was suited.

Mrs. Calvin Davenport is convalescing.

Mrs. John Steel, who has been quite poorly for a year or more, is in a critical condition.

Sam Craig died Monday afternoon.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Frank Pocklington has moved on West Street in the Santus house.

Lafayette Rappleye, Jr. is home for a short visit. He is employed as clerk in a general store at Pompei, Gratiot county.

Robert Houseman and Miss Kittie Clark have been seriously sick during the past week. Misses Barlow and Hattie Wiggins are also on the sick list.

Dr. Nelson is to have an addition to his house this spring, a part of which will be made into an office.

Charles Underwood and Richard Cadmus are each preparing for a new barn this season.

The condition of Jonathan Hall, who is prostrated on account of a broken hip is very favorable.

An infant of Bert Robinson was buried last week.

Mrs. John Eubly, of Raisin, died very suddenly last week.

Samuel Craig, of Macon, who had not been well for a long time, died last Monday. The funeral services were held Wednesday at the house.

Ed. Millyard met with a serious accident last week while cutting ties in the woods, by which he sustained a fracture of the left leg below the knee.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

Houses to rent are in good demand now.

Our thaw has caught cold.

David Swift is quite sick at John Wallace's.

John Brinley cut his foot quite bad last Saturday while chopping wood.

Frank Louden is in town visiting parents and friends.

Mrs. Norman Hubbard has moved into the upper rooms in H. Smith's house.

T. H. Mosher contemplates making extensive repairs on his grist mill for flouring purposes.

Delos Lewis has started his saw mill with a good supply of logs on hand.

John Hand intends doing a good business making brick and tile the coming season.

M. A. Ladd was in Detroit last week taking necessary steps to secure a patent on an article which he has invented that will be very useful to blacksmiths.

Universalist services were held at the hall last Sabbath afternoon and evening, conducted by Rev. Mr. Shepard, of Tecumseh.

Trade among the dealers since the commencement of the railroad is good and a good prospect for spring trade.

Quite a number of cottages will be built around Sand Lake this spring.

Mr. Putnam has the wall laid for a large hotel on Sand lake beach. He is now drawing material for the building.

The grading in the big cut in the east part of the township is progressing finely. About 130 men and 35 teams are at work there. They are moving from 1,200 to 1,500 loads of dirt per day, drawing some of it about 80 rods. The piles for the piling are nearly all on the ground. There will be between 200 and 300 rods of piling in the township. Driving on Edwards' and Maxwell's farms at present. The square timber for tresseling is being drawn from Brooklyn.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

Chas. Clark, son of John S. Clark, is at home from Orchard Lake, because of his father's sickness.

Ralph Hillman has gone up north prospecting.

Mont Hendershot, of the Brooklyn Exponent composing staff, spent Saturday and Sunday with his Clinton friends.

Angelo Palmer and sister were in town Monday.

Village council met on Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Chas. Clark of Elkhart, Ind., was the guest of his uncle, Alonzo Clark, Tuesday.

Bear in mind all ye who would vote on Monday that the Board of Registration meet Saturday.

Wheat is thought not to be injured much hereabouts.

Maple sugar at the basement of the M. E. church Wednesday evening, March 14.

Persons wishing a loaf of that good home made bread are glad to learn that they can obtain it by calling at the News office.

The protracted meetings continue to hold forth at the Baptist church.

Geo. Woodward of Rome, and Geo. Marshall of Tecumseh, were in town Monday.

John Ed. McCollum is seen again on our streets, but we have been unable to learn whether he has come to stay or not.

Burt Tate went to Manchester—so did Dave Woodward (?) Burt Tate is back in Miller's store, after one-half day's counter jumping in a dry goods store up there. Who knows which of the two stayed the longest? We don't.

Robbin Red Breast is here for sure.

Geo. P. Wright of Bridgewater, formerly of Tecumseh, is laid up with rheumatism.

Frank Lancaster is on the sick list.

Mrs. Pomeroy, who has been very sick, is on the gain.

Mrs. O'Brien, sister of Dr. A. F. Tuttle, is at the residence of Dr. John Tuttle very low.

Minnie Pomeroy, formerly of Tecumseh, has been quite sick, but we are glad to learn is on the gain.

W. W. Fraser of Tecumseh, was registered at the Silvers House Tuesday.

John S. Clark died on Tuesday night. Mr. Clark was one of the oldest settlers of Clinton, a much respected citizen, a kind husband and father, a generous friend to the poor, and will be very much missed. He was a brother of Mrs. Dr. A. F. Tuttle of Clinton, and Mrs. E. G. Cook of Tecumseh, who, together with his wife and three children, two sons and one daughter, and friends unnumbered, are left to mourn his sudden departure. Although not a communicant, we believe him to have been one that never wearied in well doing, and it will be his to reap the reward promised to those that faint not.

Rev. J. Smith, of Deerfield, the venerable father of E. J. Smith, of the Adrian Record, died last week.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending March 3, 1883.

ADRIAN.

Isabella T. Clark to Thomas Small, $2000, Ladies' City. $900.

E. L. Clark to Orinda Lewis and Mary J. Sherman. Land in city. $4,000.

Silas Holloway to Wm. A. Holloway. Land on sec. 31. $4,000.

ELISSFIELD.

T. C. Swif to J. A. Lefever. Land on sec 5. $2400.

H. D. Ellis to Christopher Miller. Land in village. $75.

W. H. Ostrander to Christopher Miller. Land in village. $400.

Charles W. Knapp to O. H. Alger. Land on sec. 7. $1400.

CAMBRIDGE.

Frank A. Groger to Wm. Alderdyce. Land on sec. 17. $225.

A. F. Dewey to F. A. Groger. Land on sec. 17. $160.

Wm. H. Pitcher to Wm. L. Pitcher. Land on sec. 18. $1000.

CLINTON.

Franklin Demuth, Esq., by heirs to Christian Shneirla. Land on sec. 2. $3400.

FAIRFIELD.

W. H. McGraw to Marium F. Partridge. Land on sec. 18. $675.

Laban Purdue to E. J. Schomp. Land on sec 34. $2,000.

FRANKLIN.

D. S. Wilson to J. G. Wilson. Land on sec. 36. $2554.75.

James Ming to William Derby. Land on sec. 23. $475.

G. W. Allen, Sr., to G. W. Allen. Land on sec. 10. $500.

HUDSON.

Sarah A. Williams to Charles M. Lewis. Land on sec 19. $700.

George G. Williams to Charles M. Lewis. Land in village. $900.

MADISON.

D. L. Moris to Wm. H. Stumbaugh. Land in Thurber vil. $55.

Phineas Price to Riley Smith. Land on sec. 8. $7,000.

MEDINA.

Ida A. Mallorp to Milton McClure. Land in Canandaigua vil. $40.

TECUMSEH.

Cunningham Patterson to Susan Patterson. Land in village. $310.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 3, 1883.

Estate of Josiah Love, deceased; petition for the appointment of an administrator; hearing March 19, 1883.

Estate of Henry Hazard, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Esther Jones, deceased; petition for the allowance of executors' final account; hearing March 26, 1883.

Estate of Michael Underwood, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing March 26, 1883.

Estate of Edward L. Frensdorf, minor; guardian's bond filed; letters of guardianship filed.

Estate of John Pennington, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $5000.

Estate of Elvira Taylor, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $4500.

Estate of Minnie M. Leach, minor; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Diantha P. Cowell, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Isaac L. Kniffin, deceased; order of continuance until March 12, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Francis M. Bailey, an insane person; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing April 9, 1883.

Estate of Conrad Ickler, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Louisa K. Choate, deceased, petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing March 26, 1883.

Estate of Julia E. Baker, deceased; petition for the appointment of an administrator; hearing March 26, 1883.

Estate of John Glenn, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

THE RAISIN SCHOOLS.

In a letter from Raisin the Educational News has these items about the schools of that township:

Schools in Raisin are jogging on about as usual, being necessarily small during the cold wave. Miss McMeekin, in district No. 6, reported six on Monday and eight on Tuesday, January 22d and 23d. Miss Gertie Roath, of Raisin, who is teaching at Adrian Center, had only two on each of those days. Miss Clara Kinney is still teaching in the Lovett district with great success, also Miss Willitts, from Hillsdale, who is teaching in fractional district at the Valley. We wish all of our schools had so good a reputation, and it seems as if it were optional with the teachers to have them so.

Miss Celia Jones is still teaching in the Comfort district and is another of our faithful and worthy teachers.

The Valley sends out another teacher this winter, Miss Kate Southworth, who is teaching in the Kinney district in Madison.

The school in district No. 6, has changed text books this term, and are now using Harper's series.

Evening News: It has cost the state of Michigan about $20,000 to elect a senator. It has also cost private individuals many thousands of dollars. These things sound high, but we must have our

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Mar. 6, 1883.

At this session the Council convened at 9:45 in the forenoon.

Present, the President, Messrs. Heesen, Steinhoff, Burridge, Smith and the Recorder.

The minutes of the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Board of Registration of said village, the certified statement of the Judges of the annual election thereof, and the minutes of the last regular meeting of the Council read and approved.

The Council then proceeded to canvass the returns of the annual election of the village of Tecumseh holden in the council building in said village, on the 5th day of March, 1883, from the certified statement of the judges of such election here on file. After a full canvass the Common Council, on motion, declared the result of said election, and that the following named persons had been duly elected to the offices written opposite their respective names, viz:

Adelbert W. Mills, President.
Peter S. McKinnon, Recorder.
David McNair, Treasurer.
George Heesen, William Bresle, George P. Sparks — Trustees for two years.
Alfred James, Jehiel Davidson — Assessors.

On motion, the Recorder was directed to draw an order for $25.00 in favor of David McNair, his salary for 1882 as village treasurer.

On motion, the President was instructed to settle with James Ming at the end of his contract year, and with full authority to secure the services of another man for the ensuing year at his discretion.

On further motion the council adjourned.

FREDERICK B. WOOD, Recorder.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, MICH.,
COUNCIL ROOM, March 5th, 1883.

Regular session. Present, the entire council except Messrs. Stout and Steinhoff.

The minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report deferred until later in session.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following claims were presented and referred to Finance Committee:

E. B. Wood, services in suit vs. P. J. Van Vleet, and salary one year as Village Attorney	$150 00
C. A. Stacy, services on suit vs. P. J. Van Vleet	145 00
Fred B. Wood, salary 1 year as Village Recorder, and services on Board of Registration and Election	54 00
Slayton & Son, bill rendered, (grain)	14 08
H. E. Anderson, " "	15 65
W. S. Comfort, " " (brick)	4 80
Stacy Bros., " " (printing)	5 50
W. C. Jordan, Sr. Cont. services and cash paid out	37 90
W. C. Jordan, special services at water tank	5 00

On motion, the Council passed the following resolution, viz:

Resolved, That $389.20 of the loan made from the contingent fund to the cemetery fund by resolution passed by this Council Oct. 13, 1882, be returned from said cemetery fund to the contingent fund.

On motion, the Recorder was directed to draw an order for $50 in favor of Mr. Jno. McConnell, being his salary for 1882 as Sexton.

The following preambles and resolution were presented, and on motion adopted by the Council:

WHEREAS, By resolution of the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh, Michigan, passed at a session holden in the Council room on the 1st day of March, 1881, said Council did authorize and empower the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company to locate and construct its railway through said Village upon the line of the south half of Cummins street in said Village, and upon that line produced west to Adrian street, and eastward on that line produced 410 feet east of the east line of Maumee street, thence curving northeasterly at the rate of two degrees (2°) per 100 feet for 300 feet to a point, thence in a straight line, again for 1933 feet, more or less, to a point in the east line of said corporation.

AND WHEREAS, Said Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company desire to construct the said Railway along the line of the south half of Cummins street, and on that line produced westward to Adrian street and eastward to corporation line.

Therefore be it Resolved by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh, Michigan, that said Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company be, and are hereby authorized and empowered to locate, construct, operate and maintain their said railway along the line of the south half of Cummins street, and on that line produced westward to Adrian street, and eastward on that line to the east line of said corporation, upon some terms contained in said resolution, provided, that the extensions of said Cummins street west to said Adrian street, and eastward to Division street produced south, be of the full width of four rods.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The finance committee reported favorably upon the following claims:

Baker & Hall	$ 8 90
Abbie M. Lester, as janitress	13 00
E. B. Wood,	54 00
Wm. C. Jordan	42 90

Report accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn for the same.

On motion, the Council adjourned until 9 o'clock A.M., March 6, 1883.

FREDERICK B. WOOD, Recorder.

The March number of Harper's Magazine is a beautiful and entertaining number. The frontispiece engraving is from George H. Boughton's picture, "The Burgomaster's Daughter." William Henry Bishop contributes a paper entitled, "Across Arizona," which is attractively illustrated. Geo. H. Boughton continues his Holland papers with a fresh and quaint description of Friesland, illustrated by his own drawings and those of F. A. Abbey.

About Poisons.

"Poison. A substance which, when taken into the stomach, mixed with the blood, or applied to the skin or flesh, proves fatal or deleterious; any thing infectious or malignant." Our scissors make the first clip out of Webster for a definition of the greatest evil as well as the greatest good in the material world. For after the fashion of the old saying, "It takes a thief to catch a thief," in physic science, as in the mightiest system, if one poison has stolen away into the network of veins by fair means or foul, there is small hope of recovering one's own, save another poison be sent after it.

All medicines seem to be more or less poisonous, owing to the large dose of those classed under the head of poisons, death or even deleterious effects may accrue to the most of people, apparently harmless; for example, saltpetre, opium, chloroform, mercury, and perhaps a few other popular remedies cover all, to them, dangerous poisons. Yet we read in a daily paper of a child which the usual remedies failed to check, ending in exhaustion and death; and the cause is laid to a few lumps of saltpetre in the grocer's counter where the boy bought his candies and cakes flavored with bitter almond.

"The bitter almond is a powerful poison." A single drop of the essential oil on a cat's tongue made a dead pussy of a living one in just five minutes by experiment. Some delicate organizations, especially among children, can bear but little of this essence, the smallest quantity producing an eruption like nettle rash, if nothing worse, and yet macaroons are eaten and given to children to eat with impunity, while confectioners use it every washday, using not the bitter almond, but the essential oil for their flavoring. There is a "family connection" between the bitter and sweet almond, how close is not easily defined, but sufficient to show that to some persons the sweet not on our tables is often productive of the effect similar to that caused by the bitter almond.

"Fish poison is one of the most singular in all the range of toxicology." Certain kinds of fish in hot countries are looked upon as always poisonous to peculiar constitutions, and perhaps depending somewhat on the climate. The richer sort of vertebrate fish, though usually eaten with perfect safety by mankind in general, are nevertheless poisonous, either at all times or occasionally to peculiar individuals. This fact is self-evident to many of us who have experienced nausea after eating white fish, salmon, lobster, etc., at one time or another, and instinct is wise when it heeds the hint and declines the poison in the future.

Lead poisoning we are more familiar with, as some members of our household are more susceptible than others to the injurious effects of water run through lead pipes. But the poison in this case, acting slowly and safely, is usually classed "malaria." Those who work in lead mines or in any way with lead and absorb its fine dust into their system, except by the greatest care, sooner or later have what in general phraseology is called printers' or painters' palsy. The habits of children to bite and wet their lead pencils is often followed by serious results, which are more likely to be traced to a close school room and hard study, than to the lead pencils, slate pencils and chalk they have munched on at short intervals five days out of the seven.

Another of the every-day poisons is found in the syrup which is a leading feature of our American tea table.

"The use of chloride of tin in glucose syrups has been proved by numerous analyses." Think of that, oh you who indulge in "golden drip" and "maple syrup" on cold, wintry mornings on your hot cakes. Beware of any syrup that leaves a metallic taste in the mouth lest by means of the sweet liquid your stomach gets a tin lining, and you wondering why on earth you have developed dyspepsia, conclude it must be hot cakes disagree with you. And if the said cakes are made of the raising—easy stuff called baking-powder—very likely the disagreement can, in part, be laid to them, for analysis has also shown that baking-powder contains a large proportion of desiccated alum.

Women Eyeing Women.

The eyeing of women by women is one of the most offensive manifestations of superfiluousness now to be met with in society. Few observant persons can have failed to notice the manner in which one woman not perfectly well-bred or perfectly kind-hearted will eye another woman who she thinks is not in such good society, and, above all, not at the time in so costly a dress as she herself is in. It is done everywhere—at parties, at church, in the street. It is done by women in all conditions in life. The servant girls learn it of their mistresses. It is done in an instant. Who cannot recall hundreds of instances of that sweep of the eye which takes in at a glance the whole woman and what she has on, from top-knot to shoe tie? Men are never guilty of it, or, with such extreme rarity, and then in such feeble and small-souled specimens of their sex, that it may be set down as a sin not masculine, or at least not epicene. But women of sense, of some breeding, and even of some kindliness of nature will thus endeavor to assert superiority upon the meanest of all pretenses and inflict a wound in a manner most cowardly, because it cannot be resented, and admits of no retort. If they but only knew how unlovely how positively offensive they made themselves in so doing, not only to their silent victims, but to every generous-hearted man who observes their manœuvres, they would give up a triumph at once so mean and cruel which is obtained at such a sacrifice on their part. No other evidence than this eyeing is needed that a woman, whatever be her birth and breeding, has a small and vulgar soul.

Getting Eggs in Winter.

First procure a good breed for laying. White Leghorns are the best; light Brahmas come next. Then provide a warm house; one sunk three feet below the ground, and covered with earth, and having a few hot-bed sashes in front in the south side, will scarcely freeze in the coldest weather. Then feed warm food; boiled potatoes, mixed while hot with barley meal, or wheat bran, with a little salt and plenty of pepper, should be the staple food. Wheat, barley, oats, chopped turnips, cabbage and onions should be added, not forgetting plenty of pure water.

The Destruction of our Forests.

Of a desolation which is recorded far back of the days of Roman or even of Grecian glory, we read that "a man was famous according as he had lifted up axes upon the thick trees." In the days when American forests were considered practically limitless, our fathers were famous for lifting up axes upon the thick trees, and the relentless destruction is even now upon us, like the Philistines upon Israel. This destruction comes upon us in many forms, most of which are in fact rapidly and terribly cumulative. Here is a beautiful stream of water, the instinct which was a most element of wealth to the country through which it flowed. Thinkers not only have contributed to such, but to more efficient in usefulness by reason of being dressed not by but rather passing on. The noiseless treadbellows on the hills, where water-power is expensive, the shingle of the mill-economizing verdure with which the Creator vail hillsides, and of the springs and rivulets, which, in days long gone by, ran as they listed down the valleys to turn the mill-wheel, are in danger of destruction by hydraulic power, with which we have already been smitten, hundreds of millions of dollars of annual damage has been and is the result. That this drying up of the streams is attributable not only directly to deforesting, but almost solely to it, common sense—which is, in fact, the only essence of both fact and philosophy—must make it plain to every candid mind. Rain feeds the springs. To feed them economically, it should be gentle and frequent, not violent and at long intervals. Intelligent forest culture would require that such portions of mountains as are clothed with a mantle of green trees, so by its cooling influence it would more frequently condensate the moist sponge-air so as to give us showers at short intervals. This is the case in forest-clothed, beautiful Britain. The reverse is true in tree-stripped Spain, whose people have become as proverbial for their hatred of trees, as their country has for scarcity of soil and sleeping streams. Here, and on eastward all through the tropical, a relentlessly brilliant sky and an appalling absence of verdure will teach us as nothing else can that a beautiful cloud is one that weeps, and, in its proper time, how delicious a drizzling rainy day. Those deforested eastern lands are as famous for seasons of bleeding storms, and valleys torn by terrible torrents, as they are for the reverse. They will soon find their counterpart in all these characteristics in America, unless we rouse ourselves with a will to understand and master these evils. Forests promote streams available for our precious manufacturing interests, also, by furnishing vast and almost innumerable beds of fallen leaves and of moss, which act on the earth like a huge, overlying sponge, to check the sudden rush of the rain-fall into the valleys and down into the streams. Very rapidly, in recent years, are mournful instances multiplying in which these manufacturing streams are transformed, by freshets, from spirits of blessing—to give homes and food and clothing to thousands who live in the hamlets, by turning their machinery which helps them by their labor to help themselves—to demons of destruction. Forests also promote such steadiness of flow of the streams as to make them sources of national wealth in giving employment to skilled labor, by preventing the rapid evaporation of moisture. Probably more than half the water that falls on a deforested region in a dry season is whisked off by evaporation just at the time when it is most needed to strengthen the depleted mill-streams. The steam-engine, to be of any practical value as a motor-power, must have its action controlled by the conservative influence of the balance-wheel. Otherwise its wheels would whirl one time with a fury which would result only in destruction, and then would move too slowly to be of service. Thus the forest, by increasing the frequency of gentle rains, and so decreasing the volume and the length of intervals between showers, also by regulating their too sudden plunge into the streams, is the great regulator provided by nature for their control in the service of man. All over the manufacturing portions of our country we may find instances where large amounts of capital have been invested to make available and develop our once magnificent and almost numberless hydraulic powers. Trusting to what seemed a certainty of employment for themselves and their families, thousands of skilled laborers have, in many instances, confidingly made their homes at a point where the stream seemed abundantly powerful and permanent. Then, as the summers came and went, the river seemed to sicken, and grow more and more feeble, till there would be a week or two each year in which the spindles and the looms would be silent. As time went on these periods of idleness have lengthened into months, in which the laborer struggles for bread and clothing, for means to pay for the humble little home, or debts incurred in sickness, was compelled to be suspended. The cause of all this was that the source of the river's life had been destroyed or injured by the ignorance, cupidity, or recklessness of men who "lifted up axes on the trees" far up the mountains, where the mill-streams had their birth.

NEW FRUIT.—Experiments made with this tropical fruit proves it to possess the property when boiled with tough meat, of rendering it juicy and tender. If the unripe fruit be placed in the water in which the toughest meat is to be cooked, it is found to tenderly often it and render it perfectly digestible; and the same good results are observed if the meat be merely washed with the juice of the fruit. The thick, white, milky juice, when extracted from the unripe pawpaw, in fact, contains properties similar to those of pepsine. In appearance, the fruit resembles a citron or lemon.

DEAR "PLAIN LIVING."—What is called plain living is often the most expensive. Roasted meats and poultry served every day for dinner, and no re-serving of the same in any other form, and unvarying steak or mutton chops for breakfast, make anything but cheap diet. Besides being expensive, such a bill of fare lacks a variety, and is for that very reason less healthful than a table supplied with a greater variety. Many portions of beef, for example, that are quite unsuitable for roasting can be cooked in other ways, and be as palatable, perhaps more so, than the porterhouse or sirloin roast, and equally nutritious.

How Candor Pays.

Atlanta Constitution.

"We had better understand each other," he said deprecatingly as he sauntered into the editorial room, "before we begin. I'm a book-agent."

Unmindful of the groans that met this statement he went on:

"I'm not a white-haired philanthropist from New Haven, who has come south through pity for your orphan asylum. I'm a fast square, hard-headed book agent."

Encouraged by the reception of this frank avowal he took a seat and dropped his feet in a easy fashion and:

"I'm not a venal clergyman who seeks to swindle ignorant Georgians while he pulls on his white cravat in your lofty dome. I'm not an ex-convict, escaped from the chain gang, who pays expense bills in payment of his crime on commission when he represents the rum seller. I'm not an unlicensed book agent, with nine of the comets blanketed, running on check in pursuit of his [illegible] I'm not the [illegible] young man who writes the poetic love-letters and sonnets.

"You don't pick up up for a prince in disguise or art or morality going incog. I do not fly the skull and crossbones tied behind a holiday flag till I've grappled and boarded you. I've got the regular old death's head nailed to the mast, and I'm a pirate from keel to quarter-board, and if you don't want that sort of company blow me out of the water."

He had the whole force on deck at this point.

"I've got no off hand preamble to my little story. I doesn't lead you through the flowery paths of ease to where I've got the trap sprung. I do not beguile with anecdote, inspire with eloquence, soothe with persuasion, or jaggle with local gossip. I was not directed to you as a leader of culture, or a person who'd be likely to buy. I won't show you a list of high-toned decoys who have put their names down to get rid of me and to draw you in. I don't show the work I'm selling, and I've never been able to learn the idiot's solo-logy that explains the pictures."

Here he paused while the manager called for the cash-boy.

"That's about the size of me and my business. The book's right here—fifty parts, three cents a part, plenty of pictures and leg type [illegible] and means $2½ clear money to me every time I work one off. Do you take or do I go?"

By this time eleven copies of the first part were ordered, and the "eleven able" began at their work, while the office boy induced this tribute to a man who ain't ashamed of his little racket.

The Era of Rapid and Cheap Communication Near at Hand.

Irish World.

It has remained, however, for Prof. Albert E. Forstie, a talented inventor, to produce a mechanism by which the barriers to rapid and cheap telegraphy are swept down, and which by simple applications of known principles, promises to entirely revolutionize the telegraphy of the world. His system is called "Harmonic Automatic Telegraphy," and differs from that in use by the Rapid Telegraph company in two important points. The first is an improved and abbreviated construction of the alphabet, in which position is used to the great saving of characters and consequent saving of time in preparing the copy to the perforator. The second is the employment of a system of a sympathetic resonance, by which, with the use of a single wire and unskilled operatives the same amount of work which is now done by ten wires and skilled labor can be accomplished.

Thus, for the first time in the history of telegraphy, the Morse alphabet and system are done away with, as are also the translating and transcribing by receivers. Instead of requiring the ordinary handling and delay, the message, be it long or short, is rapidly prepared in a perforating machine fed into the transmitter, and is instantly reproduced in clear Roman letters on sheets of paper ready to be sent by messenger to the party addressed. The actual number of words sent on an average by the American rapid is from 600 to 700 per minute, while the lowest computations, made from results obtained from an instrument only partially completed, show a speed by the new method of 5,000 words per minute. A great advantage, too, is that, being sent over a single wire, the matter comes consecutively, and is, therefore, free from liability to error, as is often the case where several wires are used for the sending of a single dispatch. For press work the new method will prove of inestimable value, as by the use of this device a message of 2,000 words, occupying about one column of a closely printed newspaper, can be perforated, sent over the wires, and given to a messenger at the other end of the line for delivery, and all ready for the type-setter, in three and a half minutes.

Inviting Fields for New Inventions.

Hon. John D. Caton, in an address delivered in Chicago some months ago, stated that in his opinion the only thing about a railroad that had come to stay was the arrangement of two inflexible bars of iron placed in a parallel position. He questioned if they would long remain on the surface of the ground. As to the motor and the carriage, they would all be changed. Another force would most likely be substituted for that of steam. Greater speed, more security and less cost were all desired, and would all be obtained in a near future. The improvement of country roads presents an inviting field for original inventors. A durable, cheap, and easily made pavement for the streets of large towns and cities is yet to be invented. There is an opportunity for great improvement in the construction of vehicles that move over roads of any kind. Even the saddle is far from being what it should be.

The machines now employed for making paper, weaving cloth, printing, sewing, shaping brick and working up lumber will soon be displaced. A very valuable invention is seldom very valuable in itself beyond the term for which it is patented. It is improved to such an extent that only a single principle remains to be kept in operation.

The Boston Journal of Chemistry says there is need at the present time of some electrical devices by which easy communication can be had between houses, manufacturing establishments, stores and offices; between dwellings and stables, conservatories, libraries, etc. It is not necessary that words should be transmitted, but signals representing words or specific wants, suited to the needs of parties as they are found in all neighborhoods and towns. What is wanted is something that may be a substitute for the telephone—something which any one can use; but it may be much less extensive in its capabilities. It would seem to be easy to devise apparatus suited to this want, but it needs thought and the exercise of a considerable degree of ingenuity. If this need can be satisfactorily met, it will serve an important end, and do much to break down the oppressive and outrageous monopolies connected with telegraphy and telephony. The latter as a monopoly is fast becoming more unbearable in its rapacious exactions than the telegraph has ever been.

A Deserving Class.

Boston Globe.

General Grant says: "No pension can compensate the men who have lost one or more limbs, and I should have been glad to see that class of pensioners well provided for, instead of the indiscriminate pensioners, some of whom are physically as good as they would have been if the war had never been fought."

A Nice Distinction.

Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle.

A little Augusta three-year old girl rebuked her mother for alluding to a black cat. She said it was a "colored" cat!

Present American Literature.

Boston Transcript.

It seems as if we, in New England, were repeating the old story of the blossom, fruitage and decline of authorship. Nor need we confine the statement to New England, for we may look with strained vision over the whole field of American talent for a single powerful above [illegible] except the coarse, compacted genius of Whitman. We are doing much in the process of [illegible] and [illegible] and amassing statistics, but we are not producing enough of national work. One of the largest literary accumulations of the day is the American [illegible] and [illegible] but [illegible] is not [illegible]

[illegible] Bryant, Longfellow, Emerson and Lowell's [illegible] James, [illegible] whom we can point to as [illegible] We [illegible] will disprove, praise [illegible] but they too may [illegible] But the great number of hopeless poets and [illegible] as The Century and The Atlantic are a weak fraternity. Truly, very humanly, the magazines are stretching their hands toward England or reaching back into the past. If any principle of protection could be applied here it is certainly to be prayed for. But our literary talent of good class is so well paid that no reason can be found here.

One undoubted cause of the dearth is the prevailing restlessness and lack of seriousness in the present American nature. Moreover, our political life of the past twenty years has not favored mental repose. The civil war created and left for us a legacy of hot emotions which are but just dying away. Social and economical problems have acquired complexity and have absorbed energy. We are still in the turmoil of these large, immediate questions, and art and literature can scarcely flourish in a soil that is being continually ploughed by antagonisms or debates. Also now so vital matters lie fair to make a large demand upon our best minds for a period while to come. But we can hardly make full excuse for ourselves in this way, since England notwithstanding has developed in a corresponding time, and yet has given life to the rich and deep compositions of Tennyson, Browning and George Eliot, in the very heat of such upheavals. After all, we can only say that we have somehow missed the gold in conditions which give life to great literary art; and it is doubtful if any studied observance of conditions will give us what we have missed. One thing is plain, however; that earnestness of life and a fine moral rectitude are ingredients of a worthy literature. The numerous mediocrity of American literature is but a sorry compensation for its lowered quality. There are those who doubt if the materials for a great poem or romance can be found in the United States. Drama and fiction, it is said, express the tragedy and suffering of humanity, and the study of modern civilization is to eliminate suffering. There is truth in this; but without being pessimists we can see that some struggling and suffering are inevitable. Moreover, the drama of personal development always offers alluring material to the artist of human nature. It is not believable that a dearth of material can explain the dearth of writers. It is more credible that the spread of the materialistic spirit which brings all the phenomena of life within the region of law may have indisposed the strong minds to poetize human experience. That such poetization is compatible with keen psychological analysis we have demonstration in Thackeray and George Eliot. But whatever the causes of the lowered quality of American authorship, it is impossible not to feel a regret at the undeniable fact.

How Garibaldi Wooed Anita.

Guerzoni's "Garibaldi."

One evening Garibaldi stood on deck occupied with thought, looking upon the shore, when he saw on a mole a group of women and girls. At first their forms passed unnoticed before him, but by degrees his eye, and perhaps his heart, fixed upon one, and he stopped to contemplate her. She was a young woman in the bloom of health and strength [illegible] with a sort of irregular masculine beauty. She was the ideal woman that Garibaldi was in search of. Before he had spoken to her or heard her speak, by some invisible and magic spark which kindles love, the Mizzardo loved her. She also had remarked the blonde, leonine head of the foreign sailor who watched her day after day. She felt the fascination of that glance, the touch of the magic spark, and secretly gave her heart to him who offered his.

One evening Garibaldi resolved to delay no longer, and went to the girl's home. His heart beat violently, but held a firm resolution. At the door he met a man, who, perhaps, knowing something of the gallant Italian, or in obedience to a custom of the country, invited him in to take a cup of coffee. Garibaldi said he would have entered even without an invitation, but it rendered his design more easy. He took an opportunity of whispering to the object of his devotion, "Maiden, will you be mine?" to which she replied only a look, which contained the promise of unutterable love. Some evenings after he returned and carried her off, put her on board the safe refuge of his Rio Pardo, under the formidable protection of his cannon and his sailors, and swore before heaven to make her his wife. They were legally married at Montevideo soon after. She was called Anita Ribeiras, and was a native of Merinos, in that district of Laguna. The man that Garibaldi met at the door was her father, and those that said it was her husband erred. Anita, however, was promised by her father to a man she did not love; but she was not married, as has been believed. Yielding to her love she tore her father's heart, but did not break faith with any other man. "If there was guilt," exclaimed Garibaldi, "it was all mine. If an innocent person has suffered, I only have to answer for it, and I have answered. She is dead, and her father is avenged. There, at the mouth of the Eridano, the day on which I hoped to fight death for her, as I pressed convulsively her pulse to count its last throbs, as I received upon my lips her parting sigh and held a corpse in my arms—on that day I recognized the greatness of my fault."

A Square Failure.

The agent of a New York clothing house, who was sent to Atlanta to settle up the business of a retail house, made a few inquiries of the man next door.

"I relief it vhas a square failure" exclaimed the man.

"What makes you think so?"

"Vhell, he didn't drink, nor smoke, nor gamble, nor drive a fast horses; and ash for his vife, she never buys nothings and keeps no help."

"Then you lay it on the stagnant condition of trade?"

"Vhell, trade was purty dull, but you see he vhas not der right sort of a man. When a man shtops to buy a vest for two dollars he doesn' make him pelieve dat he wants an offerfoat for fifteen, and when a man stops to buy an offerfoat for fifteen he doesn' convince him dot he needs a second-hand suit for twenty. He may do in the grocery business, but he can't run some clothing store without argument."

A "Judicious" Mind.

Texas Siftings.

A gentleman of our acquaintance tells us the following good story, which goes to show that the average Austin boy has what Mrs. Partington would call a "judicious" mind. He, the boy, wanted to go in swimming.

"But, my son," rejoined the anxious parent, "it was only this morning that you were complaining of a pain in your stomach."

"That's so, pa; but I know how to swim on my back."

The Sexton Writes Us.

Fountaintown, Shelby Co., Ind.

"Mr. A. Kiefer—Sir: For some years past I have been afflicted with Liver Complaint. I have had several physicians treating my case, but they all failed to reach the seat of disease. During the past year I got much worse, and became so weak and feeble as to be unable to do any work. I had a great deal of headache, and at times became so dizzy that I had to lay down. About six weeks ago I commenced using your Taraxine, and after taking the third dose I felt that the dizziness and headache were leaving me. I continued the use of it till I had taken three bottles, and I am now as well than, and am able to do a day's work on the farm. Yours truly, etc.,

David Sexton.

For sale by all druggists. Taraxine Memorandum Books free.

HERALD and Post and Tribune for [illegible]

What the Minister Says.

Homer, Ill.

Mr. A. Kiefer—My Dear Sir:—I have been afflicted for the last four years with derangement of the Liver, causing Dyspepsia, Headache, Nausea, and general derangement of the whole system. I have tried a great many preparations, but found no relief until I tried one bottle of your Taraxine, which has perfectly cured me. I also found it to be good for the Ague. I commend it to all who suffer with derangement of the liver. Very truly yours,

Rev. Thomas Whitlock.

For sale by all druggists.

Taraxine Memorandum Books free.

In France the public school is made a great in developing and strengthening the virtue of economy. An annual premium of 100 to 150 francs is given to the most diligent and well-behaved child of every hundred in the public schools. This money is placed in a savings' bank. The child is furnished with a bank-book. He can add to the sum deposited, but he cannot draw it out until he attains his majority, when the whole sum is his own. Children are encouraged to save their money. They are allowed to place the smallest sums, even to a sou, in the hands of their teachers, who have to keep an account with each child. When the sum amounts to a franc, it is deposited in the savings' bank. Thus thousands of children are laying up small sums of money; and, at the same time they are acquiring those habits of economy which have so long characterized the French people.—*Prof. Wood.*

Free to Everyone.

A free sample of Hill's Peerless Cough Syrup. We also sell the large bottles on an absolute guarantee. If not satisfied after using, return the empty bottle and we will refund your money. We also sell the Peerless Worm Specific on the same terms. No cure, no pay. Cobbs' Little Podophyllin Pills will cure headache, biliousness and constipation. No pay. One pill a dose.

C. A. Wright & Co.

The New Discovery.

Dr. Deming's Pile Ointment, the discovery of a physician of wide reputation, who has achieved the greatest success, the most conspicuous distinction, and the highest honors in his profession, is a sure cure for blind, bleeding, itching and ulcerated piles. A single box has frequently been known to cure the most obstinate case, and thousands who have used this great remedy attest its efficacy.—For sale by all druggists.

SEE our three big offers for subscriptions for 1883.

A World Wants Proof.

"The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof," and not in chewing the string which tied the bag. Therefore, take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic. It cures all blood disorders, torpid liver, sick headache, costiveness, and all diseases of the urinary organs. The best appetizer and tonic known. Sold by Baker & Hall. Fifty cents per bottle.

TO REMOVE RUST FROM STEEL.—First, the steel to be cleaned should be washed with a solution composed of one half ounce of cyanide of potassium in two ounces of water; then brush with the following recipe: cyanide of potassium, one-half ounce; castile soap, one ounce; whiting and water sufficient to form a paste. Cyanide of potassium is a most violent poison, and persons using it should be particularly careful.

The Keystone of Health.

How can you expect to feel well, or even enjoy life, when you go about with a hacking cough? The fool, in his wisdom, says there is no cure for it, but the wise man hies him to Baker & Hall's drug store and gets a bottle of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, and at once gets well. A trial bottle costs nothing.

When a woman devours a novel it generally becomes a novelette.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

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Can you find a case of Bright's Disease of the Kidneys, Diabetes, Urinary or Liver Complaints that is curable that Hop Bitters has not or cannot cure? Ask your neighbors if they can.

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Who has been doing business in Adrian for a number of years, and testimonials from the best citizens will prove

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B. Mincer has made the Eye his special study, and in late years has paid his entire attention to the adaptation of Spectacles to the same. Having a thorough experience in making and adapting spectacles to the eye, he is enabled to fit accurately in every case of abnormal vision, known as Presbyopia, Myopia, and Hypermetropia, as well as weak sight, requiring various tinted glasses. His improved Spectacles are a perfect restoration which assists and preserves the sight, rendering frequent changes quite unnecessary. They confer a brilliancy and distinctness of vision with an amount of ease and comfort not generally enjoyed by persons using spectacles. His lenses are ground on the most scientific principles, rendering them as clear as when in the full strength of youth.

B. Mincer has some flattering testimonials of some of the leading citizens and oculists in the state, as to ability in fitting spectacles.

ADRIAN, Dec. 5, 1881.—To Whom it may concern: Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily attaining the desired result, I was recommended by Mr. Mincer, optician, of this place, who carefully examined my eyes, and fitted me with a pair of glasses, which have given me perfect satisfaction. The method of examining the eyes and its application in selecting glasses to the eye, can only be appreciated by a thinking mind that fully understands the subject, and adds to a large experience. He has now supplied glasses to Mrs. Bower's family, with whom he spends a well place, and I recommend him to all who need glasses, just as he has done for me. [illegible]

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ADRIAN, Dec. 12, 1882.—I take pleasure in recommending Mr. Mincer's glasses as being of a very superior quality, and his method of fitting them to the eyes the best.

S. A. POWERS.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of good glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.

DANIEL TODD, M.D.

We clip the following testimonials from the Daily Press relative to the merits of B. Mincer's glasses, who has sold a large number of spectacles in this vicinity, and in every instance has given entire satisfaction:

ANGOLA, Ind., Dec. 13, 1878.

This will recommend to you Mr. B. Mincer, who has made this place a point for sale of glasses; from his long practice in this particular business he has perfected himself so as to readily adapt glasses to any condition of the eyes, and I recommend him as a first-class, thorough optician.

L. S. B. WILLIAMS, M.D.

MORENCI, Dec. 2, 1881.

I take pleasure in recommending all persons who need glasses to aid the eye, to use the kind furnished by Mr. Mincer, who is capable of fitting the eye with the very best quality.

REV. J. CRABBS.

FAIRFIELD, Mich., Dec. 10, 1881.

Mr. B. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, has occasionally visited this county, and has fitted me with a pair of glasses for myself; also my wife, with which we are much pleased, and would not part with them, and we take pleasure in recommending him to the public as a thorough optician and will fit any eye.

J. H. LAVERTY, M.D.

DELTA, Ohio, April 26, 1882.

I take pleasure in recommending all persons who are compelled to use glasses for weak eyes or any other affected by age, or by the use of poor glasses, to try B. Mincer, optician. I have purchased of him a pair of glasses which are the best I ever used.

S. T. WORMER, M.D.

For the benefit of those who may need glasses, I would beg leave to append the following names for reference:

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Mr. & Mrs. K. M. Hewitt,	Mrs. C. F. Smith,
Amos Wattler,	G. W. Marsden,
W. I. Knapp,	Mrs. M. P. Henry,
Miss Hattie Porter,	W. I. Knapp,
Mrs. Myron Baily,	S. E. Blakesly, Attorney,
Mrs. M. W. Swett,	Miss C. I. Thomas,
Mr. Clark—Central Hotel, Adrian,	A. P. Grister,
	Mrs. Van Busker,
Justice Hale,	A. J. Marvin,
Mrs. Hagaman,	Mrs. S. Norton,
Dr. Laverty,	Mrs. Poucher,
Joan Crabbs,	Mr. Bush,
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Diphtheria.

Quite a discovery in the treatment of diphtheria has been made. A young man whose arm had been amputated, was poisoned by diphtheria before healing took place, and instead of the matter from that disease being deposited in the throat, the greater portion appeared on the wounded arm, and the disease was very light and easily managed. Dr. Davis, of Mankato, profited by this, and in his next case of diphtheria blistered his patient's chest, and on the blistered part the chief deposits appeared. This was also an easy case. The theory of Dr. Davis is that diphtheria usually appears in the throat because of the thinness of the lining of the throat. Hence, when the blister breaks the skin upon any other part of the body, the disease appears there.

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"I have no time to de[illegible] children," says the busine[illegible] with a sigh; for he really feels [illegible] ation of their society keenly. But the excuse is an insufficient one; he should make time—let other duties go, for no duty is more important than that he owes his offspring. Parents should never fail to give the child such sympathy in its little matters of life as will produce in its confiding mind that trust and faith which is a necessary element in paternal influence. Filial affection is a great safeguard against evil influences, as well as a great civilizer to its possessor. Do not forget, too, that the childish mind, in process of development, absolutely needs the cheerful and happy influences which are produced by amusements, as sure as the plant needs sun and light for its proper growth.

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Philadelphia pays over $80,000 a day for oysters, and New York almost $200,000 every twenty-four hours. Boston and Baltimore together eat more oysters than New York. There are 3,000 acres occupied by oyster beds in Chesapeake Bay alone, while for 2,500 miles along the Atlantic coast oyster beds can be found. The Chesapeake beds turn out 25,000,000 bushels of oysters annually. Baltimore cans 20,000,000 bushels of oysters every year and has $15,000,000 invested in the business. American oysters are exported to Germany, France, England and other foreign countries. The Philadelphia Times estimates that the foreign and domestic oyster trade of this country exceeds $300,000,000 annually, and that we ship abroad 50,000,000 oysters every year.

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Bran Tea.—A cheap and useful drink in colds, fevers, and restlessness from pain. Put a handful of bran in a pint and a half of water, let it boil rather more than half an hour, then strain it, and, if desired, flavor with sugar and lemon; but it is a pleasant drink without any addition.

Porridge.—When children are delicate, porridge is often preferable to bread and milk. Put two tablespoonfuls of grits or oat meal in the milk saucepan, wet to moisten with half a pint of milk; let it boil ten minutes keeping it well stirred, add a small piece of butter and a little sugar, and it is ready for use.

Irish Stew.—Cut up about two pounds of the neck of mutton into small cutlets, which put into a proper sized stewpan with some of the fat of the mutton, season it with half a tablespoonful of salt, a quarter of an ounce of pepper, the same of sugar, six medium sized onions, a quart of water; set them to boil and simmer for half an hour, then add six middling sized potatoes, cut them in halves or quarters, stir it together, and let it stew gently for about one hour longer; if too fat, remove it from the top, but if well done the potatoes will absorb all of it, and be very delicate; any other part of the mutton may be served in the same way.

To Stain Wood Brown.—Get an ounce of catechu and bichromate of potash. Then carefully break the catechu which is a blackish gum-like substance into small fragments, place it in a glass or earthenware vessel, with a piece of washing soda as large as a walnut, and pour upon it a pint of boiling water, and stir until dissolved. Put the bichromate in a bottle with a pint of cold water, and dissolve with occasional shaking. Paint over the wood-work to be stained, first with the catechu solution, and let it dry; it will be of a dull, dirty brown. When dry go over it with the solution of bichromate, and it will turn to a very rich chestnut brown. By varying the strength of the solutions, the depth of color will be varied. When quite dry, apply shellac, or other varnish. Very cheap, easily applied and satisfactory.

A lady of experience observes that a good way to pick out a husband is to see how patiently he waits for his dinner when it is behind time. Her husband remarks that a good way to pick out a wife is to see whether the woman has dinner ready in time.

Popular Education.

Accepting this as a fundamental maxim, that "Whatever should enter into the life of a nation should be taught in the public schools," let us consider some things that enter into the life of a prosperous people.

Man lives not by bread alone; and the culture of the heart only ensures a perfect life, either of an individual or of a nation. Hence, the schools of a country should not be irreligious or godless. Both by precept and example, the precepts of religion should be taught. The highest standard of morals should be enforced. None but men and women of the noblest character and purest life should be allowed to teach the youth; if religion and morality are to enter into the complex life of the nation, they must not be banished from the public schools.

If a nation prospers, industry, frugality and economy must enter into its life. Hence, these old-fashioned virtues should have a place in the schools. The young should be taught that an education fits them for work, not to live without work. In school, the young man should learn the value of time, and should be taught how to fill up the days and the years, as they pass, with profitable industry or substantial enjoyment; for true living is what is enjoyed, whether it be in the gratification of the present, or for that in the future which promises an enjoyment that more than counterbalances the self-denial of the present. Let the youth in our schools be taught that labor is Heaven's great ordinance for human improvement, and the prosperity of the nation cannot be checked by senseless theories of finance. Frugality, as opposed to a useless expenditure of money, should be inculcated. This must be mainly done by the state, in its expenditure of money for the erection of school buildings, in the cost of text-books, and in the general management of the schools. This should not descend to a niggard parsimony; but when, with borrowed money, school-houses are erected and furnished with an elegance far beyond that which is found in the homes of the people, is it not an encouragement to the young men of the state to go beyond their own means to build homes for themselves, provided they have a little credit?

The Queen of All.

Honor the dear old mother. Time has scattered the snowy flakes on her brow, plowed deep furrows on her cheeks, but is she not sweet and beautiful now? The lips are thin and shrunken, but those are the lips which have kissed many a hot tear from the childish cheeks, and they are the sweetest lips in all the world. The eye is dim, yet it glows with the soft radiance of holy love which can never fade. Ah, yes, she is a dear old mother. The sands of life are nearly run out, but feeble as she is, she will go further and reach down lower for you than any other upon earth. You cannot walk into a midnight where she cannot see you; you cannot enter a prison whose bars will keep her out; you can never mount a scaffold too high for her to reach that she may kiss and bless you in evidence of her deathless love. When the world shall despise and forsake you, when it leaves you by the wayside to die unnoticed, the dear old mother will gather you in her feeble arms, and carry you home and tell you of all your virtues until you almost forget that your soul is disfigured by vices. Love her tenderly, and cheer her declining years with holy devotion.

A Woman's Glove.

A woman's glove is to her what a vest pocket is to a man. But it is more capacious, and in nine cases out of ten it is much better regulated. A man will carry $200 in small change, four matches, half a dozen toothpicks, a short pencil, and other things, and yet not be able to find a nickel, or a match, or a toothpick or a pencil or a card when he wants it. Not so with a woman. She has the least bit of a glove, and in that she carries the tiniest hand, and a wad of bills, and the memorandum for her intended purchase of dry goods, and car tickets, and matinee checks, and may be a diminutive powder-bag. We have no idea how she does it—how she manages to squeeze these thousand and one things into that wee space. But she does it every time, and the glove never looks the least distended or ruffled. And when a woman wants any article concealed about that glove, she doesn't seem to have the least trouble in the world getting at it. All required is a simple turn of the wrist, the disappearance of fairy fingers, and the desired article is brought to light. It is a wonder that no *savant* can explain.

Madagascar.

Although Madagascar is known to be the third largest island in the world, its actual size and extent is not generally understood. It is easy to see how misconception on this point arises, for in maps the island is usually seen only in connection with Africa, and that great continent is so large that it dwarfs by comparison with itself everything in its near neighborhood, so that the really large island sheltering under its southeastern side appears but an inconsiderable appendage to its vast neighbor. If, however, we take a good-sized map of Madagascar, and put by its side the outline, to the same scale, of another country with whose dimensions we are familiar, such, for instance, as England, we begin to realize how important an island it is as regards size, being nearly 1,000 miles long by about 250 in average breadth, so that it is nearly four times as large as England and Wales.

A lady who has been spending the summer at Lake Chautauqua says that on one of the steamers that pass Fair Point, at the time when the great Sabbath-school convention was in progress, were three women, rather gaudily dressed and wearing diamonds enough to indicate they had plenty of money. Their conversation was carried on in a loud voice, and attracted considerable attention. In front of Fair Point stands a statue of Faith. "See that piece of statooway," said number one. "I wonder who it is. It must be Jupiter." "No" said number two, "it looks more like Venus.' "Well," said number three, 'anyway it's one of those people in the Bible."

To destroy the vitality of weed seeds in soil by baking will in a great measure destroy the fertility of the soil. A better way is to spread the soil out thinly in a warm place and keep it moist. In a few days most of the seeds will germinate, after which the soil should be stirred and allowed to become dry.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 8, 1888.

The Educational News for March is at hand. It improves with every number.

A State Convention of Michigan cheese makers will be held at Adrian on the 13th and 14th of March.

The final solution of the Senatorial contest at Lansing seems to be generally satisfactory to all parties.

Jackson Patriot: Engineer Potter of the projected Toledo & Milwaukee railroad was in the city yesterday. He asserted that the name of the company had been changed to Michigan & Ohio, and that in a few days a working force of five hundred men would be employed on the road-bed in this state.

Dundee Reporter: An agricultural society has been organized at Tecumseh, and a fair will be held there this fall. A stock company was organized with a capital of $10,000, 30 acres of land has been purchased, and as soon as the frost is out of the ground a half mile track will be constructed and buildings erected. The fair will be a success, for Tecumseh don't do things by halves. Dundee must do the same thing before Monroe county will ever have a fair worthy of the name.

Adrian Record, March 1st, 1888: Frederick Avery, of this city, was installed as fireman on the old locomotive "Toledo," Israel Scrantom, engineer, which then run on the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad, between Toledo and Adrian. Ever since that time Mr. Avery has been railroading on the same line and extensions, and yesterday completed his 20th year of service. He served as fireman and engineer until 1861, since which time he has been conductor.

MICHIGAN'S NEW SENATOR.

We are indebted to the Free Press for the following biographical sketch of the Hon. Thomas W. Palmer.

Thomas W. Palmer was born in Detroit January 27, 1830. He was a son of Thomas Palmer, one of the pioneers of Detroit, who came here in 1812 and who was present at Hull's surrender of the city. His mother was a daughter of Judge James Witherell and a sister of Judge Benjamin F. Witherell. Mr. Palmer and Miss Witherell were passengers on the Walk-in-the-Water, the first steamboat on the lakes, on her first trip and also made their bridal trip on the same vessel.

At an early age Thomas W. entered the freshman class of the Michigan University, where he remained one year, but was compelled to abandon his studies owing to an affection of the eyes. He went to Lake Superior in the hope of restoring his sight, and was so far benefited as to be able to resume his studies, but was again compelled to leave, when, with five others, he left Ann Arbor in the fall of 1848 for a voyage to Spain. He traveled on foot throughout that country for some months, then visited South America, and came home by way of New Orleans. He engaged in business in Wisconsin in 1850-51. In 1852 he returned to Detroit and engaged in the real estate business. In 1855 he married Miss Lucia P., daughter of Chas. P. Merrill, one of the most prominent lumbermen of Michigan. From 1855 until Mr. Merrill's death, Mr. Palmer was engaged with him in the lumber and real estate business, and Mr. Palmer is still engaged therein in connection with several firms located at different points in the State.

Mr. Palmer, for a score of years, has been looked upon by his party as an available candidate for political office, but, while taking an interest in politics in general, did not, until within the past ten years, actively identify himself with them, having theretofore declined all suggestions that he be a candidate for office. In 1873 he was elected a member of the Board of Estimates of the city of Detroit; in 1876 he was an unsuccessful candidate for the nomination for congress in this district; but in 1878 declined the nomination, which was urgently pressed upon him. The same year he consented to be a candidate for the State Senate, and was elected. His career in the Senate made him many friends throughout the State. He was one of the leading candidates for the republican nomination for Governor in 1880, but last year in deference to the party usage which gave an Executive two terms, he persistently declined to be a candidate, although there was a very strong pressure brought to bear upon him and a decided disposition on the part of republicans throughout the State to break away from the custom and give him the nomination.

Mr. Palmer is one of the most finished orators of the republican party in this State. He is a man of scholarly tastes, extensive reading, and wide attainments. His courtesy and hospitality are proverbial throughout the State, and have contributed in no small degree to the wide-spread popularity which has made him Senator.

SORGHUM SUGAR.

Mr. John Richard, of Raisin, has furnished us a letter from a relative of his, John Heaney, of Burkley, Ill., which gives some valuable suggestions in regard to the manufacture of sorghum sugar.

I am in due receipt of your note speaking concerning the making of sugar at the Champaign sugar works. All that is told about it in newspapers as in general think is true. I have been at the works and saw the sugar swung out by the centrifugal, saw the lime put into the cold juice to defecate. After defecation I have seen the juice drawn off to the evaporator, where it is evaporated to a syrup, then pumped into a settling tank to be left until it settles, through bone black filters, bone charcoal, the bone charcoal is burned in a small furnace on the premises, then, after filtration, pumped or sucked into the vacuum pan or boiler, a large circular boiler about 10 feet high and nine feet in diameter, where the sugar boils as a fondant at from 100 to 120 according to the perfection of the vacuum. Of course boiling in a vacuum takes far less fuel than open pans or steam train, but as a good many now are able to use the bagasse as fuel it makes but little difference. The vacuum pan process makes much more sugar as boiling at so low a temperature prevents much of the crystallizable sugar from becoming converted into glucose or grape sugar. In the vacuum pan at Champaign they boil down 45 degrees Reaumur, making a very thick mush or melado. It is then taken out into pans, or what they call melado wagons, and left standing in a warm room for all the sugar crystals to form that possibly will, after which the mush is put into the centrifugal and swung out, or rather the syrup is swung out and the sugar crystals being too large to pass through the holes of the screen, are left in the centrifugal. *That is all there is of it.* The cane must be nearly ripe to get the most sugar out of it. Early Amber or early Orange are the best varieties. The early Amber cane comes in very early, after about ten days the early Orange ripens, and the season can thus be lengthened for the manufacture, from forty to sixty days.

I attended the convention of the Mississippi Valley cane growers at St. Louis. It was very interesting, and I learned much. Of course there is a good deal to learn. I am convinced that the present process of extracting the juice by rollers is wasteful. In the majority of cases there is not fifty per cent. of the weight of the cane extracted in juice. There should be at least twenty-five per cent. obtained. There were some parties at the convention who reported very large profits. One man from Fall River, Wis., reported and gave all the details, everything done. He made clear profit on 60 acres of $4500. Hon. Seth H. Kenney, of Morristown, Minn., reported about $4300 from 90 acres. Kenney is the originator of the Amber cane. A man from Hudson, Mich., was there named Dan Root. He said he knew you well. He also had samples of sugar made by a hand centrifugal just as good, as far as I could see, as any from Champaign. At Champaign they use no sulphur fumes, or fumes of burning sulphur, at all. The sulphurous fumes are used in case there has been too much lime used in defecation. Lime darkens the syrup but takes nearly all the acidity out of it. In the making of sugar the color of molasses does not make much difference. In this connection I should say that the bone coal filter takes any excess of lime out of the syrup at Champaign, and besides neutralizing any excess of lime, the filter cleans and clears the syrup of all impurities. The Champaign Co. got 8½ cents per pound for all the sugar they were able to make. I think at the convention they reported that the yield of sugar from 250 acres would be about 144,000 pounds. They never failed in any instance to make sugar, about 43 per cent of the melado crystalizing the first time. I presume you have also saw the report of the sorghum works at or near Rio Grande, New Jersey. They had one thousand acres of cane. They did not use the bone coal filter, but in place used the sulphur fumes, and all their works were on the pattern of works for the reduction of ribbon cane in Louisana. They were very successful last season. If anything they were more so than the Champaign works. There was also a Dr. Wilflelm from Kansas at the convention, who read a very interesting paper on sugar culture and manufacture. He has two large factories in Kansas now, and expects next season to start three more, making five. In these places he expects to raise 5000 acres of cane, and at these outside factories the cane will be made into syrup. He then will have a large refinery, central to the five factories, in which he will separate the sugar from the syrup. The cost of the whole arrangement will be $500,000. There were parties in Kansas, who, last season, had 1000 acres of cane, and from that down to 100 acres.

Kansas is a fine state for the business. The season is somewhat longer than here and land is cheaper. However, I think the parties at the convention from the farther north could show better results. What they in more southern clime made in length of season they lost in energy compared with those in more northern latitude. Thus probably making the matter even. Prof. Kedzie from Lansing, Mich., was also at the convention. He did not say much, but listened a good deal. I heard him tell Daniel Root, of Hudson, that he did not believe sugar could be made to pay only in large central factories. Mr. Root said in answer that he knew it could be made to pay on a smaller scale than Kedzie thought. A man by name of Ames is going in with Root next season and going to run on a larger scale. What little I did this season showed me that if rightly handled and carefully attended to there was considerable to be made at making syrup and sugar from sorghum. The hay company, of which I am one, have bought a building, with two boilers and an engine of 15 horse power, which we intend to use as a sorghum factory next season. We expect to raise about 50 acres of cane next summer, and farmers will raise, maybe, 100 acres more around here. We have not decided yet, if we will make sugar or not. The United States Commissioner of Agriculture was at the convention.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Four students of the university died during February.

A. H. Bradley, an old resident of Battle Creek, died last week.

The Dakota fever is carrying away a good many Washtenaw county people at present.

Petoskey has voted at special election to build a steamboat pier by tax, and the work will proceed at once.

The Eureka car coupler company, with $100,000 capital, has just been organized at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Jerome Tenyck, the wife of a prominent Cheboygan businessman, dropped dead of heart disease on the 1st.

H. W. Stearns alias Henry, received a four years' sentence to state prison at Kalamazoo the other day for perjury.

B. P. Wright, of railroad fame, has just given $23,500 for a farm of 201 acres, just outside the limits of Coldwater.

Ex-Sheriff Jeans and John H. East, both of Cassopolis, will go to Dakota this spring, taking the one a house and the other a barn.

Several thousand names have been signed to a petition in Grand Rapids, praying for the abolition of the police and fire commissioners' boards.

Capt. Bontecou, of Ypsilanti, and for several years prominent in state alliance temperance work, has bought the Petoskey Record.

The barn and two horses of S. E. Brown, of Muskegon, were burned last week; loss $700. Evidentally the work of an incendiary.

S. N. Vincent, postmaster of Lapeer 22 consecutive years having been appointed by President Lincoln—gave place last Saturday to John Abbott.

The steamers Wisconsin and Michigan, which are still stuck in the ice off Grand Haven, seem to be hooked to remain so until warm weather enough arrives to thaw the ice.

The old episcopal house of worship at St. Louis has been purchased by the catholics who will organize a church, while the episcopalians will build a new house.

A Mrs. Neuman, of Port Hope, Huron county, recently died and the usual funeral arrangements were made, but before they could be carried out the deceased awoke.

Frank Cox, of St. Clair, lost a cow a few days since, and on making an examination to ascertain the cause of death, found a common darning needle in the heart.

Mr. Nelson, of Eaton county, has just imported from Vermont 50 sheep, said to be the finest lot ever brought into Michigan. For one of the bucks $500 were paid.

Alfred Palmer, aged 29, dropped dead in Bryant's billiard hall, Eaton Rapids, last Thursday. He had been playing a short time before and seemed in perfect health.

Howell has raised the necessary $1,200 bonus in aid of the Detroit and Lansing telephone line, and will soon have all the benefits of telephonic communication.

A. T. Burgess, of Maple, Ionia county, has made himself a corn sheller that will shell as fast as two men can shovel into it, and it shovels so clean that a chicken could not live on what is left on the cobs.

A pair of American bald eagles have made their home near Stony Point, Monroe county, on the margin of Lake Erie, for many years, and it is believed they are nearly if not quite 75 years old.

Huron and Sanilac counties' sportsmen are finding a great deal of fault because the law in relation to the shooting of elk is not enforced. The only specimens of this noble game left in the state are said to be in those counties.

Near Coldwater a citizen lost a valuable hog, which was found drowned in a neighbor's cistern. Now he proposes to prosecute for the value of the swine, while the owner of the cistern will sue for damage to his rain water, and for the owner allowing the hog to run at large contrary to law.

The Reed City M. E. choir has a large organ, chime of bells, three cornets, one clarionet, one double base viol and a chorus of 12 voices, under the direction of Prof. Hovey, editor of the Reed City News, who was formerly with Theodore Thomas' orchestra.

The body of an unknown man about 45 years old, was found Friday afternoon by two young men who were hunting near the news cemetery grounds just east of Ionia. He had evidently been lying in the snow for three or four weeks, was poorly dressed and had probably frozen to death.

A tramp, having the appearance of an outlaw, with a blue shirt on and pants in his boots, entered several houses on Maple street, Battle Creek's tony avenue, and after assuring himself that the man of the house was not present, bulldozed the ladies into "lending" him money and valuable jewels.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Friday evening, March 2nd, the Farmers' Club met at George Griswold's. The roads were very disagreeable, but there was a good house and a very interesting meeting was held. The music and select reading was enjoyed, and the gentlemen became quite earnest in the discussion of the question—"Which is the most profitable crop to raise, barley, oats or corn?"

Mr. J. M. Schroter thinks if the properties put on the market as soon as harvested, barley would prove the most profitable, as the expense of raising was not great, was but little trouble and was a sure crop.

Mr. Horton considers corn decided the most profitable.

Mr. Griswold thinks, taking one year with another, barley would only pay expenses, but corn is a profitable crop.

Mr. J. Benedict says, if oats were given as good a chance in soil, preparing the ground, and using fertilizers, as corn, oats and barley would be more profitable crops than corn.

Mr. A. G. Hall had raised barley but did not consider it profitable for him. He raises a few oats every year for his horses, but when he looks for profits he considers corn the crop to raise, although it is expensive.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie considers corn the most profitable, and thinks the failure of the corn crop nearly as great a misfortune as the failure of wheat.

Mr. J. Rector thinks barley and oats could be dispensed with, but that there would be great distress without corn. He considers corn as profitable a crop as farmers can raise.

The last meeting of the winter will be held Friday evening, March 16th, at John Fisher's.

PROGRAM.

Music—Choir.
Rec.—Ellen Fisher.
Song—Rhoda Benedict.
Country and city cousins—Henry Horton and Minnie Rector.
Essay—Mrs. John Gillespie.
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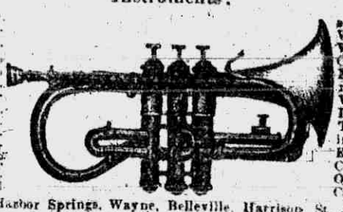

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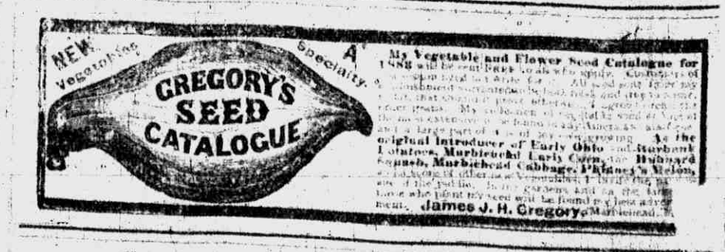

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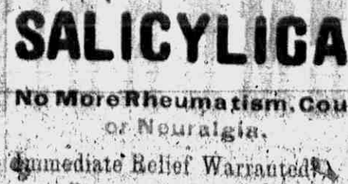

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Detroit Free Press.

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"Who brings dese things to pass? Who profits by it? Who kills de offenders to escape?

"There was a single thought in the hall as the president paused a'ter locking up the clock. Samuel Slim was about to rise up and explain that he didn't mean to, when Pickles Smith hit him with the big end of a potato and Brother Gardner continued:

"I arraign de law of de country an' charge de lawyers, big an' little, wid bein' de direct cause of dis reign of knavery. Three men outer five ain't honest only unto der am a chance to make a haul by bein' dishonest. One man outer three will be dishonest on all occasions when dat am a chance to escape consequences. If dar was no law to punish dishonesty, we wouldn't find one man in twenty doin' de honest thing for principles' sake. It am de fear of consequences which keeps thousands of clerks an' cashiers an' treasurers honest.

"An' what do de lawyers say to ebery man who's fingers itch to make a haul? Dey might as well advertise at reg'lar rates dat dey will guarantee to clear 'em of de law for a certain sum. Let me steal $75,000 in cash an' nine-tenths of the lawyers of Detroit will be eager to defend me—to effect a compromise—to hush it up—to clear me of punishment. About de best legal talent in America makes a spec'alty of defendin' criminals. Any lawyer ain't looked upon as good just for prosecutin' attorney, while de werry keenest talent am reserved fur defense of thieves, burglars and odder law-breakers.

"Time after time men have stolen or embezzled, an' de lawyers have taken a sheer of de plunder to clear 'em. We've had half a dozen cases right yere within two y'ars, an' we am sartin to have mo'. Let me steal a ton of coal, an' up I go. Let me get my claws on $50,000 an' I doan' go up for shucks. I may be 'rested an' toted off to jail, but inside of a week de case am settled up, an' I walk de streets a hero. De lawyers return $10,000 of de money, pocket $9,000 an' han' me fifty as a reward fur bringin' 'em a fat case.

"Suppose it war' known dat ebery burglar fa'rly convicted would receive twenty years in prison, wid no possibility of pardon, would we have one burglary war' we now have two? Who makes burglary a payin' purfeshun? De lawyer.

"If a clerk who embezzled was sartin to receive a five or ten y'ar sentence, how many cases of embezzlement would you h'ar of in a year? An' who makes embezzlement a payin' bizness? De lawyer.

"If dat Rochester bank president ain sent to state prison for twenty years, what will be de effeck on older Rochester bank presidents? But he won't be. De lawyers have gathered to his aid, an' will defeat justice.

"I am spokin' what I believe to be de solemn truf, when I say to you dat law has become a farce, an' lawyers de middle-men between robbers an' de robbed. De question am how to break de law—not how to enforce it. It am not how to put a thief into prison, but how to keep him out. It am not how to punish dishonest officials, but how to gently squeeze out as much as dey kin restore, an' forgive the remainder. Let us 'rected to bizness, feelin' dat whatever crimes we commit we stan' two chances of goin' clear to one of punishment."

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There! there! he's on, hold fast—keep the line from slipping or working up and let one man hold the top of the stake—let him worry a little—all hands now for a pull.

His head being out, the ax will be serviceable. This is a shark—a whale—the lion of the deep! One feels that he never wants to bathe in the surf again. We will take this fellow's jaw bone and dry it for a trophy—a keepsake, a frightful curiosity, plenty large for a small man to crawl through when open.

An Editor Holds a Brother Editor Up to Scorn.

Index, Orange City, Iowa.

An apology is due our subscribers for the omission of the regular appearance of our paper last week. We foolishly yielded to a weakness which we would make any sacrifice to be rid of—a appetite for that which stands to-day the world's great curse—and, as we have always openly criticised the faults of others, thus plainly do we acknowledge our own.—(Carroll (Iowa) Sentinel.

What a
Poor,
Pitiful
Pusillanimous
Thing it is! It loves whisky well. But it loves popularity better, and will make any sacrifice of self respect to keep on the good side of the good fellows.

It criticises other men for drinking, it stultifies itself by taking its drink, and then falls flat on its bloated face and
Whimpers
Whimpers
For pardon.
Ugh!
Take it away!

We say it—for the thing who will thus surrender pride by publicly explaining and apologizing for its private habits is not a man.

It's a thing.

A Hero.

Dr. J. H. Hanaford.

He is a hero, an illustrious conqueror, who assails and conquers his prejudices, charges upon and routes his youthful errors and unfortunate tendencies, is brave in the great conflict between the animal propensities and the higher nature, restoring harmony by bringing the whole body-realm into subjection to the mind and conscience. No man ever waged a fiercer warfare than this, demanding the struggles of a life time.

WHAT LIFE HATH.

[Evangelical Magazine.]

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SENATOR JONES' POKER GAME.

How he Won $75,000 at Cards in Half an Hour.

Stockton (Mo.)

George L. Waters, the colored janitor of the city hall, related an incident to stay to a Mail reporter concerning a big poker game in which Senator Jones of Nevada was a player. Waters had been in the employ of certain congressmen around the capitol at Washington for many years, and his statement may be accepted as true. It was several years ago, before the millionaire had become thoroughly posted in the ways of Washington society. Almost before he had comfortably settled in his seat in the senate he was introduced into the District club, of which Boss Shepherd was a prominent member. Poker at that time was the prominent recreation of the club, and Jones was induced to take a hand. Although a novice at the game, he retired from the game losser to the amount of $70,000. The senator, having a few silver mines at his back, pocket money was gone, and did not evince the least hesitation in checking or signing for the money. The next morning he telegraphed to one of the most expert card sharps in Virginia. Eight days afterward the gambler arrived in Washington, dressed in a very expensive suit of clothes and sporting a small fortune in the way of diamonds. Jones introduced the gambler to the club as a mining millionaire from Nevada, and the star-route frauds and navy thieves immediately made arrangements to pluck him. He accepted the invitation to play. The stakes ran high and the sharper's millions were well supplied with Jones' money. After the close of the tournament, the stranger rose from the table the winner of $300,000 at the game. It was a severe blow to the ringsters, but they saw the people of the United States pay it back to them indirectly and in short order they divided the swag with his friend and never set foot in the club-rooms again.

Nat Goodwin's Notions.

Spirit of The Times.

"I have had no time," writes Nat Goodwin, "to struggle with grammar and join McCullough and the other great tragedians in The North American Review in publishing my views on the subject of Success on the Stage. Besides, I prefer another medium of communicating the thoughts which dance too much for me in the world at large. To a beginner, I should advise one of two things. First, he may join a good old stock company, if he can find one in the woods anywhere, and remain a member of it for about forty years. By that time he will have so worked himself up as to receive a living salary, support stars and be prepared for a testimonial on the fiftieth anniversary, whacking up with the manager, of course. This reward of merit virtually amounts to a half clear benefit every fifty years. If very healthy and successful the actor may catch two of them and die. Second, if the beginner does not fancy that way, he can hire some variety show, purchase a sparkling comic song from some good writer; have it set to music; get W. Carleton, Charles Gayler, McDonald or McCaskey to write a plot around the song and he will be engaged for a forty week's season, and may be longer, at a high salary. But if the beginner takes the second way, he must never own that success was easy. I find that all the really great actors who have been boosted to the top of the tree by chance, notoriety or money, are very fond of referring to their days and nights of toil and struggle and of proving how very hard they work now. I have had toils and struggles and hard work myself; but it was generally after the performance was over, and I might better have been at home in bed. The midnight oil theory is beautiful; but I never saw it in practice, did you? It is so easy to study and struggle when you feel the Bank of California at your back. I believe than an actor should study acting; attend to his business like other people, and, when he draws a prize in the lottery of the profession, thank heaven for it, endeavor to deserve it, and keep quiet about the price of midnight oil, and his wrestles with the wick. The Review may copy."

The Grand Divisions of a Newspaper

Cincinnati Enquirer.

If you look at a newspaper you will observe that it is divided into a few departments, broadly distinguished from each other. These departments are: First, the record of events, as law, usually embracing and at the head of every news. Second, the list of prices current, or page of financial and commercial matter, or whatever pertains to trade throughout the paper. Third, the leader, that is, the expression of opinion on political affairs which the editor of the paper makes, whether he chooses to make it in long winded essays or in short, crisp paragraphs. Fourth, the general news, which modern convenience has divided into local, telegraphic, correspondence and miscellany—that is, selections from other newspapers, but which in point of origin are practically identical. Cincinnati news written for a Cincinnati paper is local; telegraphed to Chicago it becomes a dispatch; related in a letter to New York it becomes correspondence; clipped and credited, or unpedigreed, in a London paper, it becomes miscellany. Births, deaths and marriage notices were of old considered very important events, and they form a distinct and very prominent feature of the modern newspaper; but journalistic law now places them among those matters of purely personal interest, which should be paid for by the people who use them.

It's Natural.

Chicago News.

The west side is howling forward in an attitude of intense listening. A scandal, partly smothered, but threatening to break forth fiercely, is reported, in one of the churches, and expectation is on tip toe.

"What a shame," said one good brother to another yesterday, "what a shame that such a thing should get into the newspapers. I never could understand this disgusting curiosity."

"Neither," returned the other. "What's the row about the matter?"

And then these two old coons fell into the gossiping the case and to expressing opinions like a couple of ancient women at a tea party.

The Montreal Man's Experience.

A Montreal man sent several barrels of Canadian apples to Queen Victoria, Gladstone, Lord Dufferin and Gen. Wolseley. He received letters of acknowledgment from all except the Queen, whose secretary wrote: "Her Majesty commands me to say that she fully appreciates your kindness. In sending the apples, but it is a rule that favors of this nature cannot be accepted. However, on account of their perishable nature, the apples cannot be returned." What became of them was not explained.

Idleness.

Many young people think that an idle life must be a pleasant one; but there are none who enjoy so little, and are such burdens to themselves, as those who have nothing to do. Those who are obliged to work hard all day enjoy their short periods of rest and recreation so much that they are apt to think if their whole lives were spent in rest and recreation, it would be the most pleasant of all. But this is a mistake, as they would soon find out if they made a trial of life very irksome. One who never knew how to enjoy rest, for it implies a relief from previous labor, if his whole time were spent in idleness, we should find it more tiresome than the hardest day's work. Recreation is only valuable as it relends to the idle can know nothing of it. Many people, tired of business and idle, desirous of a life of enjoyment, find they generally find that they are not merry or happy as they were before they left their occupation to escape the miseries of indolence.

Beware of Them.

A good article that has achieved success, and attained a world-wide reputation by its merits and wonderful results, is always imitated. Such is the case with Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Already unprincipled parties are endeavoring to delude an unsuspecting public by offering imitations of this most fortunate discovery. Do not be deceived, but insist on having the true remedy, and take no other. Trial bottle free. Large size $1.

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Charcoal for Fowls.

The following experiment, given in the *American Cultivator*, will bring fresh to mind what many know as to the value of charcoal, not only when fattening turkeys but other fowls: It will also be found a good corrective when used occasionally in winter when the fowls are confined to their quarters.

"Four turkeys were confined in a pen, and fed on meal, boiled potatoes and oats. Four others of the same brood were also at the same time confined in another pen, and fed daily on the same articles, but with a pint of very finely pulverized charcoal mixed with their food. They also had a plentiful supply of broken charcoal in their pen. The eight were killed on the same day, and there was a difference of a pound and a half each in favor of the fowls which had been supplied with charcoal, the being much the fattest, and the meat being greatly superior in point of flavor and tenderness."

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Fifty cents a bottle.

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OBSTINACY AND IGNORANCE.—The obstinate man is generally an ignorant one, and a slave to his own opinions. His belief is proof against his reason. The slighter and more inconsistant his opinions are the faster he holds them, otherwise they would fall asunder of themselves; for opinions that are false ought to be held with more strictness and assurance than those that are true, otherwise they are apt to betray their owner before they are aware. He delights most of all to differ in things indifferent, no matter how frivolous they are, they are weighty enough in proportion to his weak judgment; and he will rather suffer self-martyrdom than part with the least scruple of his free-hold; for it is impossible to dye his dark ignorance into a lighter color. He is resolved to understand no man's reason but his own, because he finds no man can understand his but himself. To try to reason with such a man is labor wasted.

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ESTATE OF MICHAEL UNDERWOOD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Michael Underwood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Isaac N. Pibeson, administrator of the estate of said deceased, praying that he may be licensed to sell the interest of said deceased and the expense of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his final account, for a distribution of the residue of said estate according to law, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register.

ESTATE OF ESTHER JONES.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, held at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Esther Jones, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin L. Baxter and Edwin R. Wood, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry Holderman, late of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on Friday, the 26th day of March, and on Friday, the 26th day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of February, 1883, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February 12th, 1883.

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A COMPARISON.

During the past fiscal year of the village, from March 1st, '82, to March 1st, '83, a new plan was adopted in working out the street tax, the village keeping a team of its own to work on the streets. The comparative expense of keeping the streets in repair under the old plan and the new one, can now be arrived at exactly. The following figures are obtained from official sources and can be relied upon as correct.

1881.

Village tax to be collected—one day for every $100 of $1.25 per day amount	$125 00
Cash paid for labor during 1881	284 23
Total expenditures	$409 23

1882.

Team keeping and man hire for the year	$[illegible] 81
Cash paid for labor	156 71
	$1045 52
Less	[illegible]
	1245 52
Balance to rec	[illegible]

Hudson is figuring for a new railroad too. The Gazette of last week has this to say on the subject: A gentleman just returned from a trip thro' Canada, where he met a number of the higher officials of the Grand Trunk system, is the authority for the following statement: The Grand Trunk are looking for Southern business and have a great desire for Cincinnati connections. The scheme that they have dimly outlined is a line from Jackson, Mich., south through Somerset, Hudson, Fayette and so on to Cincinnati. The country through which the line would pass is a good one and capable of furnishing local traffic to a paying extent. A new route between Detroit and Cincinnati would then be opened, trains being run via South Lyon, Stockbridge and Jackson. It may be some little time before this line will be built, but it has been talked of, and very seriously too.

Auction Sale.

Mary C. Bryan, having rented her farm, will sell at auction on the premises, one and one quarter miles southwest of Tecumseh, on the Adrian road, Thursday, March 15, at 12 o'clock, the following property: 1 horse 8 years old, first-class cows, 1 new milch, two 2 yr. old heifers, 1 yr. old heifer, 1 yr. old steer, calf, 25 hogs, lumber wagon, two-horse open buggy, light cutter, pair bob sleighs, seed drill, wheel cultivator, spring tooth harrow, combined mower and reaper, three-spring buggy, quantity corn in the ear, plows, rings, cultivators, and other farming implements. Usual terms of sale. Alex Hanford, auc.

Tecumseh, Mich., March 1, 1883.

Received of the National Relief and Accident Association my claim in full according to the contract in my certificate on the life of my father Enoch Sperry. I had all my assessments returned according to contract, which made my claim cost me the exact sum of twenty one dollars. I find the officers of the N. R. & A. A. to be gentlemen, and believe them to be doing a square and legitimate business.

FRANK W. SPERRY.

Clinton News: Merritt Martin, who works the old Halladay place, just north of town, met with a terrible accident last Thursday afternoon, the result of which will affect his whole future life. He was cutting feed with a power straw cutter. Something was going into the machine which he did not wish to and in endeavoring to take it out, his mitten caught in the knives which drew his right hand in and cut and mashed it in a horrible manner.

Morenci Observer: The present indications are that the county agricultural society cannot, for the lack of proper grounds, hold its next fair at Adrian, and that either Tecumseh or Morenci will be the place chosen for the purpose. As Morenci has the best fair ground in southern Michigan, the county fair can unquestionably be best accommodated here, but whether satisfactory arrangements can be made for the purpose is another question.

MARRIED.

SCHREDER—PATTERSON—On Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1883, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. J. A. Benedict, Mr. Willis G. Schreder, of Clinton, and Miss Martha Patterson of Macon.

OGLE—FOWLER—On the 5th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. E. S. Pardington, John J. Ogle and Miss Elsie Fowler, all of Tecumseh.

WEBNER—TERRY—In Tecumseh, on Tuesday evening, March 6, by Rev. R. S. Talmington, Mr. Alonzo Webner and Mrs. Frank Terry, all of this village.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, March 7, 1883.

Fuller, Miss Clara	Sisson, Mr. Philip
Leonard, Miss Lizzie	Sly, M. Matthew
Moll, Mrs. Paul	Wixon, Brant
Robinson, Mrs. Wm. H.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

CURED ROSA RANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Mar. 1, 1883.

Allen, Miss Mary L.	Lutes, John
Ayers, John V.	Linn, Miss Mollie
Burn, Robert	Park, Miss Elbeline
Crawford, O. H.	Pierce, Miss Nettie
Carter, Miss Alba	Springborn, Miss Jane (2)
Dorning, Mrs. Chas. J.	Stewart, Chas. D.
Gower, George	Whiting, Will
Hicks, Mrs. Addie	Wayne, Miss Emma

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

[illegible], P. M.

DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $1.19.
CORN—60c in the ear.
OATS—44c.
APPLES—$3.00 to $3.25 per bbl.
POTATOES—70c to 75c.
DRESSED HOGS—$7.60.
CLOVER SEED—$7.45.

TOLEDO MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 2, red, $1.14.
CORN—59c, shelled.
OATS—42c.
DRESSED HOGS—$7.[illegible].
CLOVER SEED—$7.50.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	75	@ 3 50
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔	10	@ 08
Butter, ₩ ℔	25	@ 22
Barley, ₩ bushel	60	@ 75
Beans, ₩ bushel		
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	60	@ 65
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@ 1 50
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6	@ 7
Beef Hides	5	@ 6
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8	@ 10
Corn in ear	28	@ 30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	60	@ 65
Clover Seed	7 00	@ 7 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz.		@ 22
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 50	@ 6 25
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 00	@ 7 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@ 5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	10 00	@ 12 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@ 15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@ 14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@ 12
Oats, ₩ bushel	35	@ 40
Onions, ₩ bushel		@ 60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	40	@ 45
Salt, ₩ barrel		@ 1 20
Sheep Pelts	50	@ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@ 1 50
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@ 12
Wood, ₩ cord	4 00	@ 4 50
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	91	@ 1 00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	95	@ 1 00

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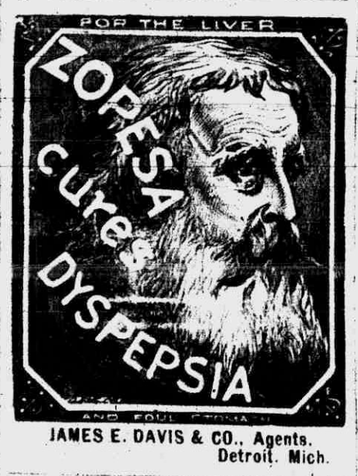

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ESTATE OF JOB BURLESON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Job Burleson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Isaac Noble, administrator, with the will annexed of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration, the tax incurred, and is now ready to file his final account, and praying that said account may be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned and distributed unto the persons entitled thereto.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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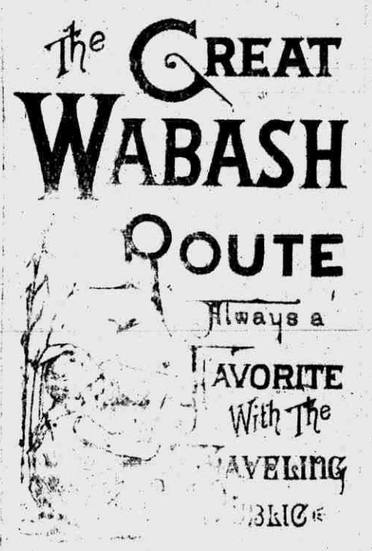

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The Tecumseh Herald.

VOL. XXXIII.—NO. 42 TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 15, 1883. —WHOLE NO. 1682.

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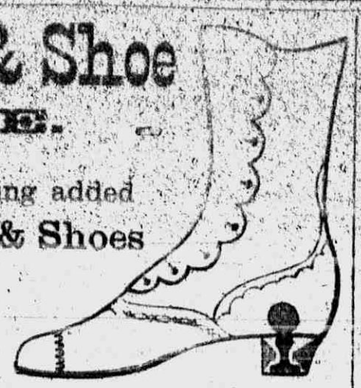

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

MACON MURMURS.

Wm. Boyd, of Albion, is visiting his brother, John Boyd.

Lyman Davenport will leave the Lake Ridge House and move to Fowlerville about the first of April.

The young people had a very enjoyable time at I. S. Osborn's last Friday evening, it being the occasion of his retiring from housekeeping.

The farmers and their wives to the number of 24 filed in at J. W. Sherman's last week Wednesday afternoon in the form of a surprise picnic. You can guess at the rest.

The Wiggins' storm did not appear in all of its predicted severity hereabouts. It is barely possible that the "faith cure" had something to do in warding it off.

Edmund Hand died the 7th inst., after a lingering illness of over a year. A post mortem revealed cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. John Steele, one of our most respected and congenial citizens, died the 10th inst.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

The Free Will Baptists will hold an oyster supper at Mrs. Jane Collins' next Friday evening.

Miss Altie Thomas who has been confined to the house for some time with a lame foot is once more able to go out.

Several of our teachers, and some of the village pupils attended the examination last Saturday to find out the extent of their knowledge.

Elder Whitmore occupied the M. E. pulpit last Sunday afternoon.

Amandrus Heifu having purchased a farm near Caro, Tuscola county, will move his family to their new home this week.

Considerable shifting about among the villagers this spring

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The East Franklin literary adjourned without date on Friday evening last.

School dist No 1. has engaged the services of Miss Hattie Irish, of Adrian, for the spring term. Miss Lelia Van Valkenburg teaches Dist No. 9, and Geo. J. Tripp is retained in Dist No. 4

The second term of singing school closed on Thursday evening of last week. We understand Mr. Gordon intends to organize a class in Tecumseh.

Mr. Electus Rundell is recovering from a sickness which has confined him to his bed for several weeks past.

Rev. Mr. Cowan closed his labors with us last Sabbath. Mr. Cowan has made many friends here during his stay with us, and we regret that he is unable to remain longer.

The pulpit of the Congregational church was occupied last Sunday morning by Prof. Williams of Olivet college. The Prof. is working in the interest of the college and gave a glowing description of the founding, growth and condition of that institution. While many of the people of Franklin are desirous of obtaining an education yet few allow their ambition to carry them through a college course. In view of this fact we think a graded school at the Center would be a great benefit to the community, and think a movement in that direction would meet the approval and support of many of our citizens.

EAST TECUMSEH TATTLE.

School closed last Friday with an examination of the scholars in some of the branches they had been pursuing during the term; they did credit to themselves and showed to their friends that they had not been idle this winter.

If the Tecumseh correspondents of the Clinton News would take a little more pains to post themselves, they could report the items of East Tecumseh a little more correct, as the Literary Society nor any other society is not going to give a "Dramatic Entertainment at their School House on Monday eve next," but the scholars are to have an Exhibition on Tuesday eve. The Literary has nothing to do with it.

There was a good attendance at the Literary last Saturday evening, and a very good program was carried out. The following question will be discussed at the next meeting:

Resolved, That the U. S. senator should be elected by the people.

Affirmative—J. T. Boyce, Grant Garlinghouse, B. A. Garlinghouse.

Negative—A. S. Murphy, B. J. Garlinghouse, Sam Boyce.

The following questions are to be answered at the next meeting:

What voting rights do territorial representatives have in Congress?

What is the age of the world?

Was England ever a Republic, if so at what period?

Answered by Philip Kehoe.

Has Ireland the same privileges to the British government as Scotland?

Answered by B. F. DePuy.

What occupation had the Savior previous to entering the ministry?

Answered by Willie Boyce.

LATER.

The exhibition given by the scholars of East Tecumseh was a complete success. A small admission of 10 cts. was charged, which netted them $7.90 with which they purpose to purchase a good eight day clock.

A NEW BOOK.

"Bullet and Shell" is the title of a new war book published by C. G. G. Paine, of Detroit, Mich. It is written by Geo. F. Williams and gives a soldier's experience in the army of the Potomac. An agent will canvass this section at an early day for subscribers and he ought to secure many names for the work. The following extracts will give some idea of the character of the book:

A Bivouac in the Shenandoah.—The scene in the Valley at that moment was a very beautiful one. The sun had just dropped behind the hill-tops, and the air was cool, while a delicious breeze sprang up and came to us laden with the perfume of the fields and woods. The scattered fires among the camps were beginning to burn brighter as the shades of evening grew darker, and the warlike appearance of the landscape assumed a softer beauty. The tents, the fires, the shrill neighing of the cavalry horses, the hoarse challenges of the sentinels, and the occasional dropping shots on the distant picket-lines, gave active life to the picture.

A Confederate Field-Hospital.—During the afternoon we were gladdened by the appearance of Surgeon Donovan of the Pennsylvania Reserves, he having voluntarily come through the lines under a flag of truce to look after us. The doctor was a character. Short in stature, his red hair cropped close to his head, while his fiery beard was allowed to grow luxuriantly, he looked like any thing but a skillful surgeon. His uniform consisted of a velvet peajacket, and a pair of corduroy pantaloons, which fitted his well-formed legs and permitted his wearing a huge pair of tan-colored boots reaching to his waist. Making his rounds in a cheerful way that was very engaging, the doctor soon ascertained our condition, and selected those who must undergo immediate amputation.

LIST OF JURORS.

The following is a list of the jury for the April term of the Circuit Court. The term commences April 3, at 10 a. m.; the jury is summoned to be in attendance April 4.

Tecumseh—Lucius L. Bates, Francis Hillman.
Woodstock—Geo. W. Cooley, John H. Taylor.
Adrian town—Granville Knight.
Blissfield—I. S. Hodges.
Cambridge—Chauncey Cooper.
Clinton—Wm. C. Rodgers.
Deerfield—John Scully, Jr.
Dover—Burkley Griffin.
Fairfield—Albert G. Baker.
Franklin—Levi Bowen.
Hudson—Stephen W. Curtis.
Macon—Richard Cadmus.
Madison—Philip T. Tunison.
Medina—John Christopher.
Ogden—David H. French.
Palmyra—Wm. H. Moore.
Raisin—E. L. Russell.
Ridgeway—Henry F. Coats.
Riga—Porter A. Bellman.
Rollin—Edgar S. Brown.
Rome—Andrew Hood.
Seneca—Wallace Bryant.

Auction Sale.

W. E. Bowen will sell at auction on the premises, 1½ miles east of Holloway station, on Wednesday, March 21st, 1883, at 12 o'clock, m., the following property: Span of mares, 4 cows, 3 steers, 2 heifers, 9 calves, 6 shoats, 60 chickens, 12 acres of wheat on the ground, 2 lumber wagons, single buggy, double buggy, single harness, 2 sets double harness, 1 wheel cultivator, drags, plows, &c. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

John H. Waring having sold his farm will sell at auction on the premises, two miles east of Tecumseh village, on Thursday, March 22d, at 12 o'clock M., the following property:—Horse, 4 cows, breeding sow, lumber wagon, two-horse open buggy, quantity of corn in the ear, top buggy, two horse cutter, seed drill, cultivators, drag, 2 plows, plaster sower, corn sheller, double harness, single harness, 12 to 15 tons hay, 2 stacks of stalks, cider mill, tables, chairs, stoves, rubber bath tub, 2 hay forks, ropes and pulleys, household furniture, span of mules, wagon and harness, hay rack, cultivator, &c. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auc.

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Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, of those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

L. P. Wheeler is in Hudson this week with his "Rambles."

Ann Eliza Young held forth at Morenci last Tuesday evening.

Adrianites complain that their saloons are not closed on Sundays.

A number of Blissfield people contemplate a trip to Dakota this spring.

Will Schermerhorn, of Hudson, started for Council Bluffs, Iowa, last week.

Hudson is soon to have an amateur Operetta under the direction of Dr. Smart.

A Fairfield man estimates that at the current price of milk last season, it cost 27 cents a pound to make butter.

At the village election at Morenci last week it was decided by a large majority to build a $8,000 city hall.

Twenty persons, mostly young people, joined the Congregational church at Hudson one week ago last Sunday.

Adrian seems to have much trouble with the water works business. The "wire pullers" are again at work; this time in the shape of a local company. May the Lord have mercy on them.

The Seneca postoffice is in a dilema from the fact that the Wabash authoritives refuse longer to deliver mails there, so that at present the office is not connected with the outer world by any route.

As is illustrated by the loss of the Adrian Brick and Tile Machine Co. at Adrian last week, insurance pays good interest on the investment, as fire is likely to occur at any moment, no matter how great care is taken to prevent it.

Morenci Observer: Thirty-one years ago the Lenawee court house at Adrian was destroyed by fire.

You have a good memory, Bro. Allen but we doubt at the present outlook should you live thirty-one years longer that you could remember the building of another one.

Adrian Times:—John Kirchner, the Blissfield man who was arrested for not supporting his wife, was discharged to-day by Justice Turner, on his payment of all costs, and his solemn hope-to-die promise that he will attend strictly to his family duties in the future.

Morenci Observer. The remains of poor old Daniel Butts, a long time resident of Medina township, who died last week in the county poor house, not being claimed by any relative or friend, were sent to the dissecting room of the university at Ann Arbor.

Morenci Observer: Dr. Stevenson, who is quite extensively engaged in the honey business, reports that of the 72 swarms of bees with which he entered the winter he has 66 that come out in first-rate order, the loss being less than the average during the winter months.

The Post and Gazette, at Hudson, seem to feel edgewise towards each other. They are gradually paving the way for trouble, at least the articles in either paper have done nothing towards making peace in the village council, or to help the tax-payers of the village of Hudson.

Hudson Post: Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury has convicted Patrick Riley and his bar-tender, John Kernan, for selling liquor on Sunday. They have appealed to the Circuit Court. Salsbury has proved an able prosecutor, and his friends hereabout are much pleased with his record.

Hudson Gazette:—We hear it said some of the county supervisors do not take kindly to the proposition of the city of Adrian to be rigged up with a full complement of city offices in the new court-house by paying $15,000 towards the construction of the building. They seem to think Adrian will be getting to many oats for a shilling.

Blissfield Advance: There is some talk that the next Supervisor should be a resident of the village, and that village property should be assessed in proportion to farm property. It is claimed that farms which are now being held and sold at $100 and over per acre, are assessed at only about one-third that amount, while village property is assessed nearly its full value.—A change in the order of things is demanded.

Blissfield Advance:—Nine dollars and a half was paid Uncle Robert Pollard last Friday by the Lenawee County Mutual Protection Society, it being the amount of expenses incurred by Mr. Pollard for recovery of his team stolen by the thieves who went through the Post-office and Doan's jewelry store some time ago. Mr. Pollard has belonged to the association for thirty years and feels that it is a good institution and every farmer should be a member of it.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending March 10, 1883.

ADRIAN.

Wm. S. Wilson to Walter Clement. Land on sec. 34.

Walter Clement to Wm. S. Wilson. Land in city. $500.

Walter Clement to Wm. S. and E. M. Wilson. Land in city. $500.

J. W. English to A. R. and M. M. Overton. Land on sec. 26. $3300.

D. R. Waterman to Charles Hill. Land on sec. 27. $3000.

BLISSFIELD.

M. S. Worth to Clara C. Carpenter. Land in village. $525.

J. J. Rhoades to Chas. Moll. Land on sec. 30. $300.

C. F. Taylor to J. J. Rhoades. Land on sec. 30. $350.

D. C. Partlow to Christopher Miller. Land in village. $60.

CAMBRIDGE.

J. O. Sheeler to Lewis Onsted. Land on secs. 32 and 29. $8800.

Lewis P. Onsted to T. J. Tobey. Land on secs. 32 and 29. $4000.

DEERFIELD.

Robert McWilliams to Frank Theal. Land on sec. 28. $180.

Thomas Carroll to Garrat Burke. Land on sec. 12. $450.

DOVER.

C. J. Falkinburg to Ira D. Waterman. Land on sec. 11. $300.

Ira D. Waterman to Eliza J. Parish. Land on sec. 11. $500.

Geo. W. Kuney to W. H. and M. A. Sheradin. Land on sec. 1. $3500.

MADISON.

Perry Kuney to Edward and Louisa Reed. Land on sec. 6. $6000.

OGDEN.

A. A. Barnes to J. K. Nichols. Land on sec 24. $600.

RAISIN.

Alfred Mann to J. W. English. Land on sec 32. $1,900.

RIGA.

D. A. Myers to Jacob Schweyn. Land on sec. 21. $700.

Michael Mack to Philip Karner. Land on sec. 15. $1600.

John Garmer to Geo. W. Kading. Land on sec. 24. $400.

ROLLIN.

Wm. Weaver to Robert P. Horton. Land on sec. 4. $750.

Benajah C. Baker to Robert Horton. Land on sec. 4. $50.

SENECA.

D. S. Salisbury to Calvin Shaw.—Land in Morenci. $350.

Wm. L. Rorick to Mark C. Rorick. Land on sec. 4. $1,000.

TECUMSEH.

S. H. and E. C. Smith to Thomas Wilson. Land in village. $1,200.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 10, 1883.

Estate of Juvenella M. Kime, minor, release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Samuel Williams, deceased; petition for assignment of dower, hearing March 26, 1883.

Estate of Diantha P. Cowell, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Allen Metcalf, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing April 9, 1883.

Estate of Job Burleson, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing April 9, 1883.

Estate of George W. Allen, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until March 12, 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Elvira Taylor, deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of William Richard, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's account allowed.

Estate of Russell Clark, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Andrew J. Miller, deceased; affidavit of publication; will proof and probate; bond, $300.

Estate of Walter Whipple, deceased; executrix's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John B. Drake, deceased; affidavit of publication; testimony of one witness will be taken and filed; order of continuance until March 14, 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Elizabeth Barrett, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until March 12, 1883; at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Wing Haviland, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing April 9, 1883.

Estate of John Hoag, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing April 9, 1883.

Estate of John I. Fulton, deceased; order of continuance until April 9, 1883, at ten o'clock a. m.

The latest thing in railroading is a grain elevator on wheels. It is a patent car about twice as large as ordinary freight cars, constructed with an apparatus that transfers its contents to cars on an adjoining track in short order. At a recent exhibition with these cars, four carloads of corn were transferred in 10 minutes, without wasting a handful of the grain. Railroad men and grain shippers are of the opinion that these transfer cars will come into general use, and prove a great convenience to both railroads and shippers.

LIFE.

The following remarkable compilation is a contribution to the *San Francisco Times* from the pen of Mrs. H. A. Deming. The reader will notice that each line is a quotation from some of the standard authors of England and America. This is the result of a year's laborious search among the leading poets of the past and present time:

Try all this life for triumphs of an hour. *Young.*

By force we catch the vital breath and die. *Pope.*

The cradle and the tomb, alas so nigh. *Prior.*

To live is better far than not to be. *Sewell.*

Though all men's life may seem a tragedy. *Spenser.*

But light care goes where adding griefs are heaped. *Landell.*

The poison is in the chalice, and we must drink it. *Bulwer.*

Your life is not your culture, for it is hard. *Longfellow.*

Contentedness is rest, and is the proper spirit. *Cowper.*

Fortune shapes fully her peculiar care. *Churchill.*

Keeps from a great danger to escape. *Rochester.*

And throws a crust sometimes to a dog. *Rosscommon.*

Live well; how long or short, permit to heaven. *Milton.*

They who forgive most shall be most forgiven. *Bailey.*

Sin may be hunted so close, we cannot see its face. *Prentiss.*

[illegible] *Southey.*

Then keep each passion down, however dear: *Thomson.*

Thou pleasing dream, farewell! a smile and tear. *Byron.*

[illegible] *Scott.*

With craft and skill to ruin and betray. *Crabbe.*

Soar not too high to fall, but stoop to rise. *Massinger.*

We masters grow of all that we despise. *Cowley.*

O, thou! I remember that thy self must rise. *Broome.*

Riches have wings, and grandeur is a dream. *Cowper.*

Think not ambition wise because it's brave. *Dermont.*

The paths of glory lead but to the grave. *Gray.*

What is ambition? 'tis a glorious cheat. *Willis.*

Only destructive to the brave and great. *Addison.*

What shall the gaudy glitter of a crown? *Dryden.*

The way to bliss lies not on beds of down. *Quarles.*

How long we live, not years but actions tell. *Watts.*

That man lives twice who lives the first life well. *Herrick.*

Make then, while yet we may, your God your friend. *Mason.*

Whom Christians worship, yet not comprehend. *Hill.*

The trust that's given guard, and to yourself be just. *Dennis.*

For, live we how we can, yet die we must. *Shakespeare.*

A NIGHT WITH WOLVES.

It was about thirty-five years ago that my father, then a noted civil engineer, was chosen to survey a road between Detroit and Lansing. It was literally work in the wilderness. My father, who was a domestic man, became tired after a few months of his loneliness, and resolved to have his wife and children with him.

He took a furlough, came on to Baltimore, and started back with us in two days, giving my mother but little time for preparation. But he was a driving, hot-tempered, as well as an affectionate man, and never felt that any obstacle was of sufficient importance to stand in the way of any whim or wish of his own.

Such fiery energy is a useful quality, no doubt, but when carried to the extreme, as in my father's case, is likely to bring discomfort, and possibly misery, into business relations and the home circle.

It was early in December when we approached the end of our journey, having but thirty miles to make before reaching Lansing.

The weather was bitterly cold, and the snow lay deep upon the ground. At the last village in which we stopped my mother desired to remain a day or two, that the children might rest. There was three of us. Mary aged nine, myself, a big boy of six, and the baby, scarcely two months old.

But my father conscious of no fatigue himself, could not enter into the feelings of weak children.

Nonsense, Jane! he said; after this long journey to stop just at the door of home! I have a cosy little house for you. We will push on and reach Lansing by nightfall. Think how pleasant it will be to rest in your own house with bright fires and a good supper to welcome you.

My mother made no further objection, and we continued our journey. The stage lumbered heavily through the snow, and it was nealy dark when we stopped for supper at an inn, still nearly fifteen miles distant from Lansing.

When supper was over, my mother seated herself with the children at the blazing fire, when my father's voice was heard outside blustering angrily.

Why have the horses been put away? he shouted to the landlord.

I did not suppose it possible for you to go on to-night, Col. McLure.

What business had you to suppose anything about it? What should hinder me from going on? cried my father.

Save your anger for your slaves, Colonel, said the landlord, coolly. There is nothing to hinder you, but there is much to hinder a delicate woman and children. It's not likely you'll reach Lansing until morning, the snow is so deep, and the track is hard to find.

My mother went out and called, softly, Charles, let me speak to you a moment! She was a gentle, weak little woman. Charles, cannot we stay here all night? I am so tired, and the children—let us stay; and her eyes filled with tears.

You always were a lazy little thing, pulling her playfully by the ear, Go; bundle up! We'll be off in ten minutes, and be at home before nine o'clock.

Colonel! The landlord beckoned him aside. I did not wish to speak of it before Mrs. McLure, but the roads between here and Lansing have been infested with wolves all winter.

Bah! wretched little cayotes! You know there's no more danger in them than in so many rats. It's only a poor trick to bring custom to your tavern, Joe.

Stop there, colonel; not another word, sir!

The landlord turned away. He was a man of much rectitude and good sense, and he was justly offended.

Put the horses to the coach? said the hostler. Does the Colonel know?

He does not choose to listen, said the landlord; but he'll be wiser before morning. Hitch up the horses.

You must not think my father intentionally hard or cruel; but he was an old army officer, used to having his own way, and to disciplining weaker people than himself.

We drove on slowly. The night was dark and cold, but my mother wrapped Mary and me up in cloaks and buffalo skins, and held the baby close to her breast, and we were comfortable enough.

Snug?—little man? called my father from time to time. Feet warm, Jane? Little Mary's sound asleep, God bless her! It's not such a frightful journey after all, eh? I don't want you to think I am too hard on you.

You hard, Charles! said my mother, who could not bear that he should blame himself. You are always right, dear.

My father after that soon went to sleep. He did not waken for a couple of hours, and then only because the stage coach stopped.

Lansing, eh! Here we are? Why, this is the middle of the woods! he cried, jumping out. What ails you, Sam? What are you stopping here for? he said to the driver.

Well, to tell the truth, stammered Sam, I've lost the way. I don't get the bearings just right.

I'll soon find it for you.

No, you'll not, Colonel, said Sam, decisively. You never were in these woods before. Just you keep inside, and mind your own business. This is my business.

My father was too good a disciplinarian not to understand the force of the statement. He sat still, though impatient and scolding, while Sam got down and tramped through the intermiddle rows of black pillared trunks, seeking vainly for some landmark.

They're all as confounding alike as—he muttered, scrambling into his seat. If only the stars would out!

How far have you come?

Ten mile—or meble five. This hyar snow [illegible] hesitated Sam. Gee up up now! whipping up his four horses with a faint show of energy.

They made a start and then stopped, the leaders giving a neigh of terror.

Heaven help us! cried Sam. A far-off cry, like shrill yelps, was heard. My father started up.

Don't be uneasy, Jane, he said quietly I am going out on the box with Sam. Keep the children quiet, if possible. Don't let the baby cry.

What is it, Charles?

Oh, no matter! Lynxes catamounts some miserable wood vermin.

The next moment he was beside Sam. Drive for your life. They are no cayotes—they are the great gray wolves!

I know it; they have been in the woods all winter.

That's what Joe meant?

Yes, when you wouldn't listen.

But it was no time for recrimination. The horses, urged by terror, needed no whipping. They dashed forward. The coach, racking to and fro, dashed violently at times against the trees. The cries of the wolves drew nearer. They were upon us! They leaped upon the coach, hung upon the boot, ran yelping alongside.

My father had placed a pair of pistols in Sam's hands. Both men fired alternately. But they had to stop to load, for it was before the day of revolvers.

One fierce red-eyed brute sprang upon the window, from which little Mary, escaping from my mother had thrust out her head. My father fired, and he fell back on the yelling pack below. They stopped a moment to tear him to pieces, and for that moment the coast was clear.

Then they came back with fresh fury. One of the horses gave a yell, human in agony.

It's Susy! cried Sam. They've torn her throat. The mare was one of the leaders. My father drew his knife, and with great risk, crept along the pole between the running wheel-horses, and cut the traces and reins of the two leaders. The dying horse dropped on one side of the vehicle, and the other leader broke from him and fled through the woods.

These two'll not take us in, said Sam.

No. But we'll fight every inch.

The wolves had gathered about the fallen mare. The moon began to rise, and showed their number. My mother declared there were thousands of them. But she was not in a condition to count very accurately.

The two wheel-horses dragged the coach about half a mile. Then the pack came up again, leaped on their haunches, and tore the poor brutes so that the flesh hung in great strips.

Cut down another horse. That will keep them back ten minutes, said Sam, with white lips and staring eyes. He had fought silently and bravely. But he was thinking now of his wife and baby.

That would be to burn our ship with a vengeance, said my father. What would we do then?

Bring the women and children to the top of the stage and fight until our ammunition's gone.

I have two charges left.

Then we are lost!

At that moment my mother, who had not uttered a sound before, cried out. A wolf had leaped half into the window, and was scratching to get into the coach. My father shot him dead. He was not likely to miss his mark with that shot.

And now the black swarming beasts sprang headlong on the horses. They staggered and fell.

It is all over, muttered my father.

But my mother, who had been praying inside, was not so sure of that. Just then came a frightful noise of shouts, horns, guns firing, dogs barking. The wolves paused, pricked their ears—turned, and suddenly scattered through the woods.

The freed leader had fortunately outrun the wolves, and had reached Lansing and coming to the hotel, his bloody sides and cut traces had told the story. In five minutes, every man and boy in town was out to hunt wolves.

We were but two miles from the village, so that we slept in our own house that night after all, and from every other house in the town some little token of good-will was sent to make our sleep the happier.

My father was a changed man from that day—a tender, considerate husband and father. So that the night with the wolves brought a blessing in the morning, as the dark hours in life often do.

Curious Bibles.

Certain editions of the Bible, owing to the errors they contained, have received many odd names. What is known as the "Breeches Bible" (Geneva 1560), was so called because Genesis iii., 7, was translated: "They sewed fig leaves together and made breeches," instead of "aprons" as in the English version now used. In the Treacle Bible (1568), Jeremiah viii., 22, was made to read: "Is there no treacle in Gilead," instead of "balm," and in 1609 the word was changd to "rosin;" "balm" was first used in 1161. The "Vinegar Bible," printed in Oxford in 1717 by John Basket, derives its name from the heading of Luke xx., which was made to read: "The parable of the vinegar." The book had many other errors from which it has also been called, after the printer's name, "A Basket of errors." In 1631 a Bible was printed in England, and in 1632 another appeared in Germany, both of which made the seventh commandment read: "Thou shalt commit adultery," the word "not" being omitted. It has very appropriately been called the "Wicked Bible."

Celluloid.

Celluloid is a composition of fine tissue paper and camphor, treated with chemicals by a patented process. A rather common impression that it contains gun-cotton is a mistake, which arises from confounding it with collodion. Celluloid, it is said, is entirely non-explosive, and burns only when in direct contact with flame. When crude it looks like transparent gum, and its color is a light yellow-brown. It can be made as hard as ivory, but is always flexible, and can be moulded into any conceivable form. With equal ease it can be colored in any hue desired, the color running through the entire substance and being therefore indelicable. Celluloid has made great inroads on the business of the ivory manufacturers, it makes a strong claim, that in durability it is much superior to ivory, as it sustains hard knocks without injury and is not discolored by age or use. Great quantities are used for piano and organ keys. Billiard balls are made of celluloid at half the price of ivory, and are more durable and true in shape.

Large amounts are used for combs of every variety, for the backs of brushes and hand mirrors, and for all kinds of toilet articles for which ivory has been employed. Among many other articles in which celluloid takes the place of ivory or india rubber, are whip, cane and umbrella handles, every kind of harness trimmings, foot rules, chessmen, and the handles of knives and forks.

The freedom of celluloid from sulphur, and the natural flesh color which can be imparted to it, have caused it to be extensively substituted for india rubber in the manufacture of dental blanks, or the gums and other attachments of artificial teeth, and is superior for pencil cases, jewelry, etc., where gold mountings are used, as it does not tarnish the metal.

Celluloid can be mottled so as to imitate the finest tortoise-shell, and in this form it is used for combs, card cases, cigar cases, match boxes, pocket books, napkin rings, jewelry, and all kinds of fancy articles. Instead of amber it is made into mouth-pieces for pipes, cigar holders and musical instruments, and is so much like the material of flutes, hageolets and clarionets. For drumheads it is said to be superior to parchment, as it is not affected by moisture in the atmosphere. As a substitute for porcelain, celluloid is used for dolls' heads, which can be hammered on the floor without danger of fracture. Beautiful jewelry is made of it in imitation of the most elaborately carved coral, reproducing all the shades of the genuine article.

One large establishment is employed exclusively in making optical goods, using celluloid in black of tortoise-shell, etc., etc., for frames of spectacles, eye glasses and opera glasses. It is also extensively used for shoe tips instead of metal tips, having the appearance of patent leather, is also used for insoles. Large quantities of thimbles are made from it, and it is said to be the best material known for emery wheels and knife sharpeners.

Another branch of celluloid manufacture has been developed which promises to reach enormous proportions. This is the use of celluloid as a substitute for linen or paper shirt cuffs, collars, etc. It has the appearance of well starched linen, is sufficiently light and flexible, does not wrinkle, is not affected by perspiration, and can be worn for months without injury, and is easily cleaned with soap and water. From six to twelve thousand dozen collars and cuffs are made each week, and orders are coming in from all parts of the country. It has been lately used for watch cases, and there seems to be no limit to uses of this most wonderful product.

Raisins, Foreign and Domestic.

The United States is the greatest raisin consuming country in the world, and uses annually more raisins than the whole of Europe. This market is only supplied from Spain, the raisins known as the "Malagas" being considered the best. They come from a comparatively narrow strip of country in the south of Spain, which has hitherto been regarded as surpassing all other regions for raising raisins of that character. The annual yield of Malaga grapes averages 2,250,000 boxes of twenty pounds each. It sometimes reaches 2,500,000 boxes, and last season 2,000,000 were marketed. Of this enormous yield the United States takes fully one-half, on which it pays a duty of 2½ cents per pound. The American raisins are made from a white grape, the "Muscat of Alexandria," to the raising of which the soil and climate of a large portion of California are so well adapted. The vine begins to bear somewhat in the second year, although the full bearing is not developed until it is five years old, and continues to bear for half a century, and sometimes for seventy-five years. In the cultivation of raisin grapes, American grape-growers have little to learn of Spain, but in the curing and packing of grapes a lack of experience is still felt. The raisins are not cured by any artificial process, however, but in a comparatively simple manner. The grapes are laid on gravel beds, and are exposed to the sun for ten or twelve days in August or September, when they are ready for packing, having turned from white to brown, and gradually changed to their familiar dark color of the raisins of commerce. The white sugar which is generally found attached to the raisins sold in the market is entirely a natural product of the grape, and comes on with age—first appearing, as a rule, when the raisins are about two years old.

Society and Solitude.

A correspondent writes that she thinks her health would be much better if she did not get so lonesome, and asks if lonesomeness is not the cause of a morbid condition bordering on disease? To which we answer, that man naturally seeks society and also solitude. A harmonious change from one to the other is essential to the best health. Where there is too much society he is apt to wear out prematurely. It is not easy to arrange life so as to have just enough of each. If every hour brings a swarm of company, the result upon the moral nature is unfavorable. If, on the other hand, man is too much isolated from his fellow men, his social nature suffers, and the mental faculties are not properly developed. Lonesome people who live in the country should make friends of nature; animals, plants, and trees. These become to them, in a certain sense, society. A horse and dog make very good friends indeed, and rarely give offense.

There is one curious featnre about the many attempts to assassinate royal dignitaries in Europe, and that is that the men selected to do it were all such poor shooters.

A Shiftless Farmer.

So long as it pays to have a suit of clothes to wear or a meal of victuals to eat, farming pays; and when I hear so many farmers (if they deserve the name of farmers) complain that it does not pay, I think there is something wrong somewhere.

Not long since I called upon a gentleman who claims to be a farmer. As he has lived on the same farm for over forty years, he ought to be one if he is not. On going into his barn, I found half a dozen native cows. I asked him how his crops thrived.

Oh! very well; they are all I have to depend on, and if it was not for them I could not get a cent from my farm. I asked him why he did not keep more cows. He said that was all he could keep with what other stock he had. So, of course, I wished to see his other stock, supposing he had some young stock; instead of that I found three old horses, and a yoke of oxen. There was evidently something wrong here, and I could not help remarking to him that, as his farm was suitable for a horse team, if he could dispose of the lot, and get two good cows, they would do all of his work, and he would save enough for four more cows than he was now keeping, thereby adding over $200 yearly to his income.

Then we looked into the barn cellar where he kept his hogs. There were two of them about fifteen months old, and they would dress about two hundred and fifty pounds each. He said it did not pay to raise pork.

"Confound hogs!" said he "they root so they can't grow any," and so saying he threw a stick at one of them that was in the act of rooting up a large stone from the bottom of the cellar. I suggested to him to put fifty loads of muck into the cellar, and the manure, as fast as it accumulated, for the hogs to work over; but he said he had no time, and could not get money to pay a hired man. That was enough to satisfy me that it did not pay him to farm.

It is just such men as this who always complain that farming does not pay. But why don't they give up the farm and engage in some other business, if it pays so poorly? The fact is they would make a failure of any thing they undertook, no matter what, for a man who is successful in one business will be in another if he understands it, and a man should never take the management of a farm unless he understands it in all of its branches and one that understands and likes it, you will never hear say it does not pay. I have heard men say, "I would not give my farm for a whole city, if I had to live there, for you cannot breathe anything but coal gas, or see anything but brick walls." Such men will always make farming pay; and have no difficulty in raising steers that will dress from five to seven hundred at two years old, or pigs that will dress three hundred at six months old.

What Every House Needs.

One of the worst faults of our very faulty modern achitecture, as applied to houses, is found in the fact that our architects do not take into their plan the possibilities of sickness in the family. Now no house is properly constructed that has not in it a room or rooms expressly designed for the accommodation of the sick and infirm. This room should, in the first place, have a warm, sunny exposure. The window light should be ample, and command the widest possible view. The first essential in a sick room is a good, liberal fireplace. Through it, and by means of the warmth which it generates, the whole room is kept in its athospheric conditions wholesome and pure. Not only so, but a slow, burning fire, with its lights and shades, its rising sparks and glowing brands, its curling and many colored smoke, and its changeful embers, furnishes ceaseless diversion to the sick one who lies watching it. Nothing is more soothing and quieting than the influence which subtly steals into the senses of him who gazes dreamily into the gentle flame. It is a companionship itself. The walls, too, should have their proper adornments. Pictures that suggest quiet and peace, and the free fresh life of nature outside, should be on them. A bracket, with its vases of flowers; a green clambering vine, clinging ambitiously to the ceiling; a library case filled with familiar books; curtains that soften the light while admitting it—all these are helpful to one who lies in weakness, and can take no more of life than what a little room reveals. The object of the construction and location of a sick-room should be to give perfect accommodation and protection to the invalid, while at the same time it suggests the beauty and freedom of being unconfined—the life and animation of the great out-door world beyond.

Respect Your Mother.

Despise not your mother when she is old. Age may wear and waste a mother's beauty, senses, strength and estate but her relation as a mother is as the sun when it goes forth in its might, always in the meridian, and knoweth no evening. The person may be gray-haired and wrinkled, but motherly devotion is always in its bloom. It may be autumn—aye, winter—but with the mother it is always spring. Alas! how little do we appreciate a mother's tenderness while living. How heedless are we in youth of all her anxiety and kindness. But when she is dead and gone, when the cares and coldness of this world come withering to our heart, then it is that we think, with bitter tears and unavailing regret, of the mother we have lost.

Gold is a good conductor of electricity, has a higher fusing point than silver, requiring very nearly 2,300° Fah. to melt it, while it is not acted upon by mineral acids, such as nitric, which dissolves silver. It is however attacked by any of the halogens, such as fluorin, chlorin, bromin and iodin, or the acids of any of these elements. The most ready and usual solvent is a mixture of nitric with two parts of hydrochloric acid, which by reason of its capacity to attack the king of metals, is called aqua regia, or royal water.

Muller tells us in the fourth book of his "Dorians," that in Lesbos, and some other parts of Greece, each under the lead of some woman of distinguished genius for the cultivation of poesy, music refinement, and grace of manners, and the other elegant arts, girls were sent from distant cities, and even from foreign lands, to be educated in these societies. Sappho was the head of one of them. She calls her house "The House of the Servant of the Muses."

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"Full many a rose is born to blush unseen, and waste its sweetness on the desert air," full many a pound of butter that seems clean is but a hiding-place for yellow grain.

A little boy was asked if he could tell the length of a whale, and replied that the whales he caught at home sometimes seemed more than an hour long.

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Love rules the court, the camp, the grove, the earth below and heaven above, but it never sewed a gray patch in the seat of your husband's black trowsers. That isn't love—it's revenge.

William Augustus to sleepy room-mate: Come, John Henry, why don't you get up with the lark, as I do?" John Henry, grimly: "Been up with him all night. Smell'y my breath."

Before marriage a man is generally greeted by his sweetheart with "My darling, is it you?" But after marriage she generally rushes to the door and shouts: "John Henry, wipe your boots!"

"What are you about?" angrily said a country editor to his wife, who was touching up her complexion before the mirror. "Only getting up my patent outside, dear, was the reply.

There is nothing that so takes the starch out of a young man, who has been wedded about a year, as to have to go to a store where there is a girl clerk that he used to keep company with, and enquire for those large sized safety-pins.

A Boston paper says: "A butterfly was caught at the South End yesterday." It may be safe enough to catch a butterfly at the south end, but when you go to grasp a wasp, you want to catch it at the northeasterly end.

As two newly arrived Irishmen were walking up street in San Francisco, a pavement trap door opened suddenly, and a Chinese store-porter emerged. "Be jora!" said one of them, "if the haythens haven't got a tunnel clane through from China, bad luck to them!"

A country editor says it has agitated his curiosity to find out why a woman will spend six weeks putting scollops on the bottom of her dress, that nobody but herself will ever get a glimpse of, and then run about the neighborhood in an old dirty wrapper without any belt, and every other button burst off.

An unknown but evidently married paragrapher says that when a woman combs her back hair into two ropes, holds one in her mouth until she winds the other on her tuck comb, and then finds that she has lost her last hair-pin she feels that her sex need two months—one to hold hair in, and one to make remarks with.

Henry Smith did his California gold mining in a peculiar way. He was a watchman in the Government Mint. At the close of each day's work, the employees were thoroughly searched before going out of the building, and all of the precious metal on the premises was carefully locked up. Then Smith went on guard for the night. In one of the rooms under his charge was a strong iron tank, in which granules of gold were placed to be washed. An iron cover was securely locked on, but through a small hole ran a rubber tube to cary a stream of water. Smith unscrewed the tube every night, and, with a narrow spoon, removed a small quantity of gold. The loss was so small in each instance as to be undiscovered, and it was only when the thief was caught selling the metal that he was suspected. He confesses that he has made $20,000 in two years by his operations.

You Must Pay.

Those who subscribe to a church building fund can be compelled to pay. A case has been decided in the Court of Appeals. To the claim of the church, the delinquent offered certain technical objections, founded on an alleged lack of organization, proper appointment of treasurer, and defective wording in the subscription paper—objections which at first were sustained by the lower courts, but on being taken to the Court of Appeals the judgment was reversed, and a verdict found for the church for the entire amount, with interest and costs. The case is an important one, as showing that our highest courts are disposed to uphold the rights of churches against refractory subscribers who make large promises and then refuse to keep them, hiding under some petty technicality to escape their just obligations.

It is to be presumed that subscriptions towards a pastor's salary would come under the same ruling.

London.

London is spread over about seven thousand square miles. There is one death there every six minutes, and one birth every four. The growth of the population is at the rate of seventy-five thousand a year, or two hundred and five each day. The total length of streets in London is about seven thousand miles; there are built every year about nine thousand new houses, by which the length of the streets is increased by twenty-eight miles. In the jails there is an average of seventy-five thousand prisoners. The foreign-born residents of London number about one hundred thousand; but 34 per cent. of the whole population were born out of the city.

A SHORT SERMON.—The ascent of Jack and Jill to fetch the water from its fountain head leads us to consider: 1. The attraction of the heights. 2. The upward impulse of the sense of want. 3. The profit of pursuit. 4. Misdirected efforts. 5. By this memorable catastrophe, we are led to consider—the penalty of overloading. In conclusion, this authentic history indicates that no man rises or falls in the world by himself. When Jack fell down, Jill came tumbling after. Momentous issues hang on every step we take in life. The false step by which we fall is certain to involve some one else in our disaster. Therefore ought we to be ever mindful of our goings, that our footsteps may not slip like those of Jack and Jill.

WHY?

Why does the bud that is fair to its breaking
Wake sweeter smiles than the fully blown rose?
Why does the dream on the verge of awaking
Stir deeper truths than a deeper repose?

Why does the love that is broken with parting
Lift itself higher by the fullness of pain?
Why is the incomplete rapture of starting
More an ecstasy than the ecstasy attain?

Why? For a boundless, unsatisfied longing
Lies deep down in a warm human heart,
Ever with this are the spirit-tides thronging,
Ever by these the heaven-tones impart.

Grow with our spring—we can follow you wholly
Only as far as our instincts are lent;
Slumber as fast that is hidden and holy,
We have not seen it—we are not content.

A STEP TOWARD FORTUNE.—About forty years ago, a poor woman living in Philadelphia, managed to eke out a miserable existence by selling molasses candy. One day, her candy was scorched. The woman was in despair. The loss was a serious one in a trade whose profits were counted by pennies. She was quick-witted, however, and ready with expedients. She cracked some walnuts, mixed the kernels with the candy, and wrote a placard, "The new nut candy, one cent a cake." The children dropped in on their way to school. The candy was liked. They came back for more the next day. The fame of the cheap confection spread from one school to another. The maker shrewdly confined herself to making that. Presently she took a larger shop in the alley. In a year or two she moved again, but this time it was into one of the principal streets. Now, her walnut candy is sold all over the country. Some years ago, she sold out her business, and retired with a handsome fortune. Now she lives in a stately house which stands in a grove of walnut trees; carved panels representing walnut boughs decorate the dining room; and on her carriage, instead of a coat of arms, is a bunch of walnuts just bursting from the husks.

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The preaching that draws more attention to itself than to the truth is always bad. The pernicious sensationalism is that which makes a congregation think more of the speaker's peculiarities of style and eccentricities of manner than of the religion he sets forth. When a congregation praise the preacher more than they praise God, they have been poisoned instead of fed on the Bread of Life.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 13, 1883.

The little end of Wiggins's storm undoubtedly struck this latitude last Sunday.

The Michigan legislature ought to settle down to work now. They have squandered about enough valuable time.

Detroit is now happy. The Langtry has invaded that city, broke the usual number of gentlemen's hearts, and gracefully retired.

The new tariff bill seems to be a big swindle. Many luxuries are placed on the free list, while the tariff is increased on many necessities.

The Providence Star says: Not a single state legislature has yet struggled with the toy pistol. Has the Star not heard of the Ferry boom rang in this state?

The flood reached the lower Mississippi valley last week and the mighty river was ten miles wide at Hickman, Miss. It was feared that the overflow would exceed that of last year.

Some of the Republican organs profess to be dissatisfied with the Union state ticket. They will discover however when the votes are counted that it possesses good running qualities.

Judge Kelley and the Pennsylvania manufacturers are said to be very happy over the new tariff. A good many people however are not so happy. When the next congress meets the people will have their innings.

With the exception of Gov. Blair for the Judgeship, the Republican State ticket seems to give general satisfaction. Austin Blair is a man of ability but he is not fitted for a Judge either by natural qualifications or by previous training. His nomination for that place was a blunder.

The death of Gov. Stephens, of Georgia, removes from the arena of politics one of the ablest men of the entire South. He literally died in the harness. Although on the wrong side of the rebellion—as nearly all the southern leaders were—still he has been eminent in his public services, and will rank in future history among the foremost of American statesmen.

The new senator, Thomas W. Palmer, is well spoken of by men of all parties who have a personal acquaintance with him, and he will undoubtedly fill his new position with credit to himself and with honor to the state. Although he is a high tariff man, still he is a great improvement upon Ferry. It was evident from the outset that no free trade Republican could be elected.

It is expected that the reductions in internal taxation that have been made will cut off about $6,000,000 between now and the 30th of June next, which will be the end of the fiscal year, and the reduction of revenue from internal taxation for the ensuing fiscal year will be about $40,000,000, over one-half of which, or $22,000,000, will be on tobacco and cigars. The banks and the tobacco smokers and chewers are the chief beneficiaries of congressional action.

The more the new tariff bill is examined the more it becomes apparent what a piece of patch work it is. A correspondent says: Had not the conference committee adjusted the sugar scale so as to please Louisiana Congress would have adjourned with nothing done. But when the bill was sweetened with what is practically a prohibitory rate on sugar of the grade Louisiana produces, the scene shifted. Senator Kellogg reversed himself and his vote carried the day in the senate.

The way protection protects labor is illustrated in this little telegram which appeared in the Evening News of the 8th inst:

A queer meeting of manufacturers and workingmen to organize for "protection" of American industries against pauper made goods or pauper labor was held at Jefferson hall, Brooklyn, last night. So wide a diversity of opinion was shown that it was impossible to tell whether the sentiments of the majority were for "protection" or free trade. The final speech was made by a cigarmaker, who said his trade is the best "protected" in the world, and men earn an average of $7 a week, while bricklayers, who are not "protected," earn $4 a day.

OUR TEXAS LETTER.

GREENVILLE, TEXAS,
March 7th, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:—*Tempus Fugit.* Some time has fled since I last wrote you a letter. No doubt my neglect to do so has been a relief to yourself and your readers, but as I am feeling just now vexed with the "whole world" and needs a humor to enter into "amicable relations with the rest of mankind" I made up my mind to afflict you with a letter. Firstly, it will not be very long, secondly, it will not be at all interesting, thirdly and lastly, you'll be glad when you've read it through—if indeed you proceed to such an extremity.

As the weather always furnishes a people to talk about when one has nothing else, I will launch my conversational boat upon that sea and tell you that the part of the "Sunny South" has not been so sunny since last fall, as you might suppose. In all my time here I have not experienced such a cold, wet and disagreeable winter as this. We have had three falls of the "beautiful" this winter. The time of falling was short—only a few hours; the time it remained was the same. Its arrival and departure were very much the same as the coming and going of a poor relation or a mother-in-law; we regretted to see the arrival, and rejoiced at the departure. Very little has been done yet in this section in the planting line. On account of so much rain and cold very few planters have corn planted. As a general thing corn planting is finished before this time. We will have a few days of balmy weather, and we think that spring has come to remain, that no more Northers will visit us, when all of a sudden a blizzard will come sweeping down on us that seems to almost freeze the marrow in our bones. Yes, it *may* truthfully be said that "Winter still lingers in the lap of Spring." I'll tell you what I would do if I was spring, before old winter should linger so long in my lap, if there was no other way to make him get off, I'd try that trick that most school boys are familiar with. I'd slip a bent pin under him. I think he'd arise to explain."

To-night as I was perusing the HERALD I fell into a revery as to the time fled since I last set foot upon the streets of Tecumseh, since I last met and greeted any of its citizens. Years have come and gone, have rolled away from the shores of time and mingled with the vast ocean of eternity. The memory of the time fled alone remains—the time fled is gone from us forever. Among all the papers received by me, and they are numerous, no one of them comes to hand more regularly or meets with a heartier reception than the Tecumseh Herald. I scan its well filled pages closely. Often names familiar meet my gaze calling up memories of the past, of which some are pleasant, some otherwise. I like to read the correspondence from different parts of the county. In reading them I am often carried back by memory to places familiar, brought in contact with persons whom I knew in former times.

On the fourth page of your issue of Feb. 22, I notice a paragraph which says that a movement is on foot to secure the pardon of Wm. M. Godley who was sentenced to the state prison for life a few years ago for throwing his mother-in-law down stairs at Adrian." Now I am not so much astonished that Godley (Godless would be a more appropriate name perhaps) should have thrown his mother-in-law down stairs—it is very probable there were mitigating circumstances which prompted him to the act, but why he should have thrown her at Adrian is not so clear to my mind. The fact that such deep, bitter, venemous feelings wrankled in his heart toward Adrian as to prompt him to throw his mother-in-law at her is a good and sufficient reason why the citizens of that place should have had him safely lodged within the walls of the state prison.

In the local column of the same issue mentioned above, is an item which says: "Evans creek and the Raisin got rather high and noisy last Saturday." Well if Evans Creek and the Raisin were alone engaged in the "high" and "noisy," Tecumseh certainly does not present the appearance especially on Saturdays—which I have witnessed there in times past. Evans creek and the Raisin were not the only ones engaged in a "high" and "noisy" many times, and their mouths did not emit such nauseous smells as mouths of persons engaged in a "high" and "noisy."

But I must close my letter or my Firstly will not hold good; my secondly, I claim to have fully established; my Thirdly I leave with you. My kind regards to all, and especially to the Farmers' Club.

TEXAS.

N. B.—In the 22d. Feb. issue, bottom first page you say: "Wheat is still going up." You fail to inform your readers where wheat is going up to. During my residence in Tecumseh, often I visited the flouring mills in that vicinity, especially the Globe Mill, and one thing I noticed particularly: the more wheat went up, or perhaps more properly speaking, was elevated, the more flour came down.

THE UNION STATE TICKET.

The Democratic State Convention met at Lansing last week Wednesday, and the Greenbackers met on Thursday in the same city. The Democrats nominated John W. Champlin, of Grand Rapids, for Judge, and Arthur M. Clark, of Saginaw, for Regent, and adopted the following platform:

The Democracy of Michigan, assembled in convention, although believing that a canvass for the election of Judges of the Supreme Court and Regents of the University does not necessarily involve the discussion of political subjects, yet deem this to be an opportune occasion for affirming their renewed devotion to the principles which are the traditional doctrines of the Democratic faith.

Therefore, it is resolved:

1. That we congratulate the people of this State that in the last political campaign the conservative electors, constituting the Union party, were enabled by the assertion and advocacy of sound principles, to achieve a notable and decisive political triumph in the election of a Governor and six members of Congress in this State in which the Republican party has so long held complete power.

2. That we affirm anew our unalterable adherance to the Democratic principles of home rule, a tariff for revenue only, civil service reform, purity in the administration of the government, economy in public expenditure, opposition to monopolies and exclusive privileges, opposition to political assessments, and to the interference of the Federal Government in the elections or local affairs of the States.

3. That we ask the attention of the people of this State to the unwarranted expenditure of the time of the Legislature and the money of the people in the prolongation of the recent contest for the election of a United States Senator, and invoke the public reprobation upon the scandals connected with that contest, exposed by the evidence given before the investigating committee of the Legislature. For these we hold the Republican party of this State responsible.

4. That we feel an assured confidence, that by united and faithful political work, and by renewed advocacy of the principals hereinbefore referred to, a new victory, worthy the last, can be achieved by the Union party in the coming campaign in the election of their candidates for Judges of the Supreme Court and Regents of the University.

5. That the action of the Republican majority in Congress in defying the popular demand for a reduction of oppressive taxation and for the removal of the burdens of the tariff, so decisively expressed in the last election throughout the country, deserves our condemnation, and we extend to the Democratic Senators and Representatives in Congress who have faithfully labored for these purposes our hearty thanks for their efforts to accomplish these aims against the powerful influences of monopolies and the protected and priveleged classes.

The Nationals placed in nomination John R. Sherwood, of Kalamazoo, for Judge, and Charles J. Willett, of Gratiot county, for Regent. The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That we reaffirm the National platform adopted in Chicago in 1880 and the resolutions of the National Greenback State Convention that convened in Grand Rapids last year.

2. That when a party becomes so much rent by feuds and torn by factions that its majority voice is disregarded at the dictation of a notorious corruptionist and spends two months at enormous expense to the people in the election of a United States Senator, it is evidence that it has passed the days of its usefullness, and should be laid aside as an engine of mischief.

3. That we denounce as the crowning infamy of the last Congress its act relating to revenue, the plain design of which is to relieve monopolies and banking capital of taxation, stop the payment of the bonded debt and perpetuate the burdens of labor.

4. That as the best possible reform of the civil service we favor the choice by direct vote of the people of all Federal offices possible of election especially President and Vice President, Senators and postmasters.

5. That we are in sympathy with all movements against monopolies, and keeping in view the preservation of our own party organization we would advise a full representation from Michigan at the convention called to meet in Chicago July 4 next.

Peterson's Magazine for April is already on our table, as welcome as the flowers of Spring, and quite as fresh and beautiful. The embellishments, as usual, are very fine, particularly the steel-plate, "A Modern Cindrella"; the colored steel fashion plate; and the colored pattern in crewels—a bunch of dog-daisies. But the specialty of the number is its stories, which, though always superior in "Peterson," are better this month than ever.

The 46th annual meeting of the Michigan Press Association will be held in the city of Detroit on March 29th and 30th inst. The session will be called to order on Thursday evening, March 29, at 8 o'clock, when after appropriate opening exercises, the annual address will be delivered by Melville E. Stone, editor of the Chicago Daily News and one of the leading journalists of the west of the younger and more modern school.

The Detroit Free Press, of to-day, prefaces its storm notes with a display heading as follows: "In Canada there Dwells a Man, who is Most Wondrous Wise; The Weather he Can Spre Fore-tell by Gazing at the Skies; Quoth He—Beware, ye Mariners, and ye that on Land Dwell; For the Wildest Gale that ever Blew, will Soon Come Fierce and Fell; But alack and alas, for the Weather Prophet's Trade; The Greatest Blow We've Felt was the Blow by Wiggins Made."

Spring is billed to begin next Tuesday at 6 o'clock P.M.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Lumber camps are beginning to break up.

Alpena is now lighted by electricity in street lamps.

E. G. Walker of Adrian college becomes superintendent of the Jonesville schools.

McMorran & Co., of Port Huron, daily ship large quantities of flour to Liverpool and Glasgow.

Michigan Central surveyors are near Alpena, surveying the route from Beaver lake.

The Battle Creek machinery company has shipped a mile line to Jerusalem.

Marshall has turned out the first locomotive made in western Michigan at a cost of $13,000.

A Bay City paper says that [illegible] freight cars of stuff and stock started from Greenville last week.

The First national bank of Saginaw was organized last week with a capital stock of $50,000.

It is thought the inland route from Cheboygan to Petoskey will not be used this year on account of the jams of logs in the rivers.

Mrs. D. Springett, of Port Huron, receives $89 from the city for injuries received from being run over by a hose cart last July.

The Reading buffalo robe company is beginning to receive hides from Dakota for next year's tanning, and the institution is brim full of business.

A barn containing six horses and several hogs, belonging to J. Bryant, 20 miles from Alpena, burned last week.

The plow sulky company of Hudson has sold out to Homer parties. E. M. Carroll, the patentee, has sold the right for four states for $7,000.

A Hudson farmer thinks that the wheat on the low land will hardly be worth harvesting, and that on the upland the yield will be from two-thirds to three-quarters of a crop.

In changing a $5 bill one L'Anse man gave another a $100 bill for a $1, and only after a good deal of objecting on t'other fellow's part did he get his big bill back.

The shutting down of mines in the neighborhood of Ishpeming throws 200 men out of employment, and creates a good deal of disturbance of minds among merchants.

Mr. Rowley, the new editor of the Lansing Journal, takes hold of his work vigorously, and shows a laudable ambition to boom the paper in a business like manner.

A western Michigan farmer has been feeding grown wheat to sheep, but only a part would eat it; consequently the flock fattened unevenly. When ground with corn, and fed to other stock the effect was excellent.

A. F. Bull, assistant general manager mechanic of the Michigan Central at Jackson Junction, has been promoted to master mechanic of the Canada division of the road, with headquarters at St. Thomas.

For several weeks past Niles has been troubled with pickpockets. Last week two young men were caught in the act of snatching a young lady's purse, but while being taken to the police office the greater criminal of the two escaped.

Lapeer veteran soldiers had a highly indignant meeting last week over the change in postmasters; Congressmen John T. Rich was denounced as a traitor for his conduct in the case, and the veterans say they will never support him again.

About 20 years ago, when citizens of Jackson were endeavoring to assist in the construction of the Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw railroad, prominent and wealthy Michigan men argued that north and south lines of railroad would never pay in this state.

The Ishpeming Agitator says that never in the history of Lake Superior has there been a more favorable winter for lumbermen than the present. Since the early fall of snow, sleighing has been continuous the winter thro', and a great number of logs have been cut.

Bay City is reported full of confidence men and bad men generally waiting for the lumbermen to come out of the woods with their winter's earnings; which suggests that the Bay City authorities should put on extra policemen, post up bills of warning, etc.

The Mason News says J. W. Chapin has left at this office a piece of the press which Wilbur F. Story, present publisher of the Chicago Times, brought to Mason to print the tax sales with something over 40 years ago. The law abiding citizens of Mason thought the printing of the tax sales belonged to John Child, then publishing a paper here, and not to Mr. Story, who was running a bookstore in Jackson, so they pied Story's type and broke his press.

RAISIN, March 10th, 1883.

We desire to express to our friends and neighbors our appreciation of their kindness and sympathy to us in our late bereavement.

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Dated March 12th, 1883.
M. V. SICKLEY.
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FRED P. DEUEL.
Shop opposite Hayden's warehouse.

We issued at this office last week a code of abbreviations for the use of telegraph operators, students and others, edited by R. J. W. Bowen. The code is very complete, and can be ordered of him by mail for 15 cts., or can be obtained of J. N. Satterthwaite at O. P. Bills & Co's. bank.

Messrs. Trann & Hough have leased the corner store in the James block, and intend putting in a full line of wall paper, paints, oils and artists' supplies. The store will be opened April 1st, and as our town has never had a store of this kind, we trust the enterprise will secure good support.

We have before us a copy of Green's Hints on Fruit Culture and catalogue of plants, vines and trees. It contains a beautiful colored plate and over 30 illustrations of fruit, etc., including a full page view of a New York fruit farm of 134 acres, showing how one may be laid out. It describes the valuable new fruits, and tells how to plant and cultivate them. It is sent free on application to Green's Nurseries, box 562, Rochester, N. Y.

Exchanges report this style of swindling now being successfully worked on the unsuspecting grangers: "A farmer receives a circular through the mails stating that a new and improved variety of winter wheat has been discovered and that the seed will be furnished him free of charge until a full crop is raised, on condition that he sends one dollar to pay for postage and packing. After the farmer sends his dollar he hears nothing further from the money or wheat."

The telephone poles for the Hudson extension have already been shipped and work has already been started on this line. The poles for the direct line from Adrian to Toledo are already to ship, and will be sent out as soon as Blissfield either comes to the front with her bonus or fails. But whether it will go through Blissfield must be determined by the amount of script raised there. The work of the telephone company in this state during the coming season will more than double what has already been done, and it is not at all improbable that during the coming year, through lines will be constructed between N.Y. city and Chicago. We clip the following from the Evening News of March 13:

NEW YORK March 13. Cleveland & New York were yesterday afternoon connected by telephone wire. For several hours gentlemen in the office of the postal telegraph co. in this city spoke and sang before an improved telephone of the Baxter patent, and a party in Cleveland did the same, and their voices were more distinctly heard in New York than is usually the case between connected telephones in the city. Prof. Elisha Gray, inventor of the telephone, conducted the experiments. He said their success was due to the superior conductivity of the compound wire in use, composed of a steel core surrounded by copper. Jas. R. Keene was one of the party and conversed with friends who had been called to meet him.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 15, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bad roads will soon be upon us.

It looks like no more sleigh rides.

Next Saturday will be St. Patrick's day.

The oyster season will soon take a vacation.

Select your candidates for the coming town election.

The spring election will take place on the 2d of April.

It has snowed every Saturday of the present year.

L. M. Ide spent Sabbath with his Tecumseh friends.

Mr. [illegible] has been [illegible] atical diseases during the past week.

Large numbers of wild geese have been seen winging their way northward.

E. W. Rappleye, of Dundee, was in town this morning and gave the HERALD a call.

S. C. Sharp, of Chicago, is spending a few days here and at Ridgeway with his relatives.

Hordes of traveling men have kept our merchants busy this week, examining samples.

It is expected that matches will be cheaper when the new tariff law goes into operation.

The doctors say they never knew people to be so sick with colds as they are this winter.

The muddy season has now arrived, and the small boy can now be seen playing marbles.

It has been too cold this winter for traveling shows. People give them the cold shoulder.

There will be more dwelling houses put up in Tecumseh this year than in any year previous.

Auctions are becoming quite common, and as a rule, prices have been high on articles sold.

The Hillsdale Leader has been enlarged to a six-column quarto and otherwise improved.

"March came in like a lamb," appears as an original item in about a score of our exchanges.

It will be well enough for those who are old enough to vote, to see that their names are registered.

Services at the Baptist church next Sunday evening as usual. Theme—"The story of a great sinner's conversion."

March has already given several exhibitions of its disagreeable nature, and there are still left 16 days of the month.

There is the annual spring stir about the village, in looking for tenements, and some slight movement in real estate.

The Dundee Reporter has been changed from a folio to an eight column quarto and makes a much better appearance.

The only first-class pilgrims through this vale of tears, are the bummers. They are the fellows that take a "saloon passage."

The Michigan Farmer claims to be the first to mention the name of Palmer for Senator. Original Palmer men are plenty now.

Incendiaries are at work in Dundee. A barn and dwelling recently destroyed are supposed to have been fired in that way.

Seed men and dealers in all manner of agricultural implements are preparing for the season when the tilling of soil shall begin.

We noticed in last week's Blissfield Advance a good advertisement of H. Peters & Son, druggists. We are glad to see the firm prosper.

The Rev. C. C. Sink, of Memphis, has been the guest of his brother, W. H. Sink, for the past week, but is in poor health. He will, if able, fill the desk at Ridgeway next Sunday, and intends to take the morning train at Britton station on Monday for home.

Now is your time to buy a Domestic or White Sewing Machine. Both companies have notified me that an advance of $5 will be required next order. The few I have in stock will be sold at present prices.
G. P. SPARKS.

Saline Observer: From that gloriously lively and fun loving quarter of this prosperous and social section of enlightened Washtenaw down on the Ridge comes the pleasant news that 91 couple were present at the social and dance given by Mr. Jesse Warner on Friday evening last and a truly gay and merry time was invariably the experience of each attendant. The dance was held at Mr. Westfall's. The receipts were about $70.

We make notice in another column of the marriage of Miss Emma Smith and Mr. Jas. A. Smyth of Grand Rapids. We wish the couple much joy but at the same time it seems almost a pity that in marriage of the numerous Smith family, a name should not be changed in some way. Both parties are well known in Tecumseh, and the only regret is that the affair did not happen here, so we all could have gone to the wedding.

Easter one week from next Sunday.

There will be preaching at the M. E. church this evening by the pastor.

The Brick and Tile Convention which is in session this week at Adrian is largely attended.

Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mrs. Curtis D. Meserve, of Toledo, are visiting Grandpa and Grandma Rodgers.

Though the weather may seem a little previous for such things, the grocers can now supply you with your stock of garden seeds.

In spite of the long and severe winter, Lenawee county's horses, cattle, sheep and hogs were seldom in better condition than at present.

The spring supply of potatoes will soon appear on the market. It is expected to equal and perhaps exceed [illegible]

Mrs. William H. Payne and her two sons, Frederick and Joseph, of Chicago, arrived at Tecumseh March 13, to be the guest of Mr & Mrs. Aaron Aten.

B. Mincer, the optician, gives notice that he has no authorized agents, and parties representing themselves as such will be dealt with according to law.

Don't blame the weather prophets, for guessing wild. The weather changes too fast for them to keep up with it. They had better take a rest until it settles.

Pork has taken a jump upwards again, and eight and a half has been paid. At this rate Bismark need not forbid his Prussians from eating it. They can't get it.

There are indications of approaching spring. "Surely winter's spite is vain; summer sweets will bloom again." Very few will regret to part with winter this year.

The annual examination of the Tecumseh Public Schools will occur week after next. Visiting committees will be appointed, notice of which will be given next week.

Rev. J. B. Little, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Adrian will speak at the lecture room of the Presbyterian church in this place to night, Mar. 15, at 7:15. All are invited.

Adrian Record: The Clinton News man is rich enough to give to the poor. He advertises: "If you wish a loaf of home-made bread, call at the News office." Sorry the walking is bad.

James E. Colvin, of Raisin, has a quantity of the large yellow dent seed corn for sale. It was carefully selected and husked in October and kiln dried. He has sprouted it lately and knows it will grow.

A donation visit will be tendered Rev. R. S. Pardington and family at the M. E. church in this village, on Friday evening, March 16th. Refreshments will be served during the evening. You are cordially invited to attend.

The first lesson to Henry Gordon's class in singing will be given on Saturday evening, Mar. 17th, at Heesen's hall. Special attention will be given to the needs of beginners, and to the cultivation and development of the voice.

Last week in the Macon correspondence appeared a notice about John Stewart and the mice. Our friend John struck a bonanza in the mice business, and says that in the nest in the hay mow there were at least a pail full of solid mice. He killed twenty of them and only wished he could have got the whole lot.

The Dundee Reporter complains that the papers of neighboring cities and villages give that place credit for more scarlet fever than it really has, as it has but two families so affected. The Dundee papers advertised their affliction a short time since, giving this as a reason for closing the public schools. Who is to blame for this unenviable notoriety.

Miss Anna Brewer is still very ill with fever, but is doing as well as could be expected as long as the fever lasts. C. J. Brewer was taken very ill a few nights since with the same disease, but we are informed this morning that great hopes are entertained that the fever is broken. Mr. A. L. Brewer has been confined to his bed for a few days, caused by over work.

It is refreshing in these cheap days of postage, with a prospect of still cheaper rates, to look over a lot of old relics in the shape of letters written fifty or sixty years ago, before envelopes were thought of, and when the postage on half a dozen letters, was enough to bring visions of bankruptcy to a man of modern income, and yet often hear people sigh for the good old days of yore.

Some genius cut out, year by year, the quaint and curious phrases and the result was very amusing on reading them: "Wanted—A house by a family in good repair." "Two young women want washing." "A room wanted by a young man 12 by 14." "A large blue gentleman's cloak lost in the vicinity of the market." "Rooms wanted by a lady with modern improvements." "Piano for sale with carved mahogany legs." "Black walnut child's crib for sale."

Willis Merritt, Esq., arrived here Tuesday evening from Washington, where he has spent the winter. Mr. Merritt is on the sick list, being confined to the house with severe chronic bronchitis and lung troubles.

Dr. Samuel Catlin has removed his office to rooms over Gainsley's store in the Patterson block. He will have an elegant suit of office rooms. He will move into his own dwelling, corner of Pearl and Pottawatamie streets, on the first of April.

Soldiers, Attention.—Mile B. Stevens & Co., the well known War Claim Attorneys will be represented at Adrian, Wednesday and Thursday, March 28th and 29th by their special agent. Soldiers and others interested in claims for Pension, Increase of Pension, Arrears of Pay and Bounty of those charged with desertion, or other claims, it is hoped will give him a call. His whereabouts may be ascertained at the office of the county clerk.

The fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of H. T. Luce and wife was celebrated in a quiet way at their residence on the 13th inst. One of the items of peculiar interest was the attendance of every member of their family—six children and ten grandchildren, all of whom are living, death having never visited any of their families during all of these fifty years. Other relatives and friends were present enjoying and rejoicing with them on the occasion. An original poem read by one of the daughters, recalling some of the incidents of the past, was evidently enjoyed by all; touching in tenderest sympathy the hearts of those more closely related.

WIGGINS' STORM.

Every paper in the country that we have picked up during the last week, from the Chicago Times to the Adrian Record, has contained an editorial about Wiggins and his storm, which did not come to pass, and it is with a trembling hand and faltering heart that we attempt to do our duty in regard to this matter, giving the necessary details to this great event which, in substance, did not happen, and besides this, try and stand by Wiggins a little in his recent sad affliction and bereavement. It must be a hard trial for a man who has set his heart on seeing all the property in this great and beautiful country destroyed by a storm, to sit still and see everything move on just as peacefully as ever. He must feel just as the angry citizen does who jumps out of bed at two o'clock in the morning when the fire bells ring, rushes to town thinking, of course, his place of business is on fire, and then feels almost mad at himself and all who are near him to find it nothing but John Brown's old cow shed that is on fire. But we have a word of consolation for Wiggins, and although the fact brings tears to our eyes, and means hard work for days to come. There has been a deluge, and on March 9, 10 and 11, A.D. 1883, the HERALD received more spring poetry than was ever known before in its history, and the worst of it is the pretty verses still continue to come. We have been obliged to rent an extra box in the postoffice, and bring our mail over in a push cart, and if this fair weather continues, let the Lord have mercy on us, or there will be a double suicide and the parties will be Wiggins and the editor of this paper, but it is against the principles of the HERALD to shirk any duty that can be fulfilled by hard labor, and we have carefully read the contents of all the communications and at the close of this article take the liberty of printing a specimen, just to show you kind readers, what the festive newspaper man sometimes has to contend with. Do not be imprudent, but take one verse a day, and by the fifth day you will be able to stand the shock of the last verse.

Under the Snow.

Under the snow,
The decoy snow,
And hidden down deep,
Where the little grasses sleep,
And quietude doth keep
Her solemn watch,
A wee a tiny little plant,

Under the snow,
The icy snow,
It lifted its head;
It awoke to life from the dead,
And daintily tho' fed,
It sweetly bloomed,
A pansy 'neath the snow.

Under the snow,
The pure white snow,
It coiled and it grew;
And its purple, deep and new,
With center spots the hue
Of yellow gold,
So richly blended with the white,

Under the snow,
The silver snow,
Earth's modest screen,
And unnoticed and unseen
By all, in rich green
And purple deep,
And yellow gold, it clothed itself

Under the snow
Of many years,
And hidden down deep
Where the memories may sleep,
Where angels vigil keep
Immortal youth
Reviving in the bloom of spring.

Under the snow,
The silver snow,
Think not there is death,
Tho' the years may pass in a breath,
Yet an immortal wreath
Entwines the heart,
Tho it may sleep, it cannot die.

A BIG BLAZE AT ADRIAN.

Last Friday afternoon a fire broke out in the Adrian Brick and Tile Machine shop which resulted in the total loss of the building and contents. The following details of the fire are taken from the Record:

The scenes at the fire were of the most exciting nature, for although the fire department responded promptly, Hook and Ladder company arriving at the scene even before the alarm was heard. The buildings were large and constructed of wood, and the great danger was in the firemen being unable to control the flames and keep them from communicating with the valuable adjacent property.

At one time, when it was found that one of the steamers refused to work, the excitement became intense, for it seemed certain that the Metcalf block would burn, as the cornice and roof was already on fire. The firemen and citizens put forth every effort to stay the ravages of the flames; a lead of hose was carried to the top of the Metcalf building, and when at half-past four the steamer commenced work, there was a feeling of relief for at that time, all the exposed points were well guarded, and by the excellent management and indomitable courage of the firemen, it was soon evident that the fire would be confined to the foundry.

Sickles' livery stable, a large wooden building standing in the rear of the foundry, and only a few feet away, did not burn, although all the stock, carriages, and everything of any value was removed.

When the Metcalf block took fire, work was immediately commenced to remove the goods, and trucks and wagons were employed to draw them away. They were mostly stored at the opera house and Dean's opera house, and a very large portion of the immense stock was taken out. The goods in Pennock Bros'. Novelty store were also removed to a very large extent, and of course all more or less damaged.

Metcalf's loss from damage to building and goods could not be accurately estimated this morning, but it was thought that it will run anywhere from $6,000 to $10,000, while Pennock Bros'. loss will probably reach $500. There was no insurance on the foundry buildings or any of the machinery or patterns, and of course they are a total loss to the company. The buildings and most of the machinery and patterns was the property of James Farrar, who leased to the company. About $3,000 worth of new machinery has lately been put into the shop by the company. The total loss to the company will not fall much short of $20,000, at least $12,000, of which will be sustained by Mr. Farrar, who, although he has been in active business here for thirty years, can illy afford to lose such an amount, and has the sympathy of the community. The Adrian Brick and Tile Machine Company was in a most prosperous and flourishing condition and by the fire yesterday afternoon thirty-three men are thrown out of employment, twenty-eight of whom are heads of families, which is serious to the men as well as the city at large. Mr. Farrar told us this morning that he could not say what would be done about rebuilding, as all of the other members of the company were out of the city on business, but it seems to be the belief that the shops will be immediately rebuilt, at least it is generally hoped that such will be the case.

OUR FAIR.

In answer to a call in last week's HERALD the stockholders of the Fair Association assembled at the Council Building last Wednesday afternoon. Nearly all who subscribed to the stock were present, and the following business was transacted: Meeting called to order by A. D. Hall, chairman, and report of soliciting committee called for. The report showed that about $5,000 in stock had been subscribed. Motion was made to organize a stock company, and the motion was unanimously carried. At this period of the meeting many remarks were made which showed that the enterprise was very favorably received.

The committee on constitution reported and their constitution was adopted with a few amendments. Under the constitution the following nine directors were duly elected to serve one year:

Rollin—I. N. Hathaway.
Washtenaw Co.—J. M. Cress
Franklin—W. S. Osborn.
Macon—J. W. Baker.
Raisin—D. P. Anthony.
Clinton—F. C. Rector.
Tecumseh—Minor Davidson.
" Village—A. W. Mill, J. F. Hiskey.

The same committee who are now soliciting stock were instructed to keep on in the good work. The meeting then adjourned.

Immediately on the adjournment of the stockholders, the directors of the Farmers' Association of Southern Michigan held a meeting, and elected officers of the association to serve till the 3d Tuesday in Jan., '84:

President—I. N. Hathaway, Rollin.
Vice President—A. W. Mills, Tecumseh.

Secretary and Treasurer will be appointed at a future meeting.

The business is now fairly started and all it needs is a little good earnest work to sell all the required stock, and make one of the best fair associations in Michigan. In looking over the subscriptions we see that Tecumseh village is represented to the amount of $2,300, and the work here is not nearly completed yet. Let all who have capital help a little and the amount will soon be raised.

The town has been quite dull since last Saturday, from various causes, but mainly on account of the absence of five of Tecumseh's fairest young ladies, who started on the aforesaid day to take in the village of Toledo. At latest accounts only one of them have returned and there is a good deal of anxiety about them. Also we fear for Toledo, less this little town, not being used to their ways, may suffer the loss of many a young man's heart, taking in earnest what of course is only a mild flirtation on the part of the young ladies, however we hope for the best and trust the quartette will soon return to reclaim their native town.

This bit of good advice from the Ann Arbor Argus is applicable to other towns as well: The practice of smoking cigars for drinks and cigars in saloons, and apples candies, &c., in other places, is becoming altogether to prevalent, and ought to be suppressed, more especially where boys are permitted to congregate. It is a habit very likely to grow, and, in the end, make gamblers of those who indulge in it originally as a harmless amusement. The law is plain on this subject, and is violated daily in very many places in this city as an inducement to sell goods.

Being out late at night with no restraint sends boys to the penitentiary and girls to hasty marriages and dens of infamy. Know where your boys and girls are.

B. Mincer, the optician, will be in Tecumseh, Tuesday, March 20th. Orders left at Sink's hotel will receive prompt attention.

Rev. R. S. Pardington will preach next Sunday evening on "Treasures."

—The Land Roller Company of Franklin Center have under way of construction four hundred of their new improved Double Log Land Rollers. They will have one hundred and fifty ready for the market by the first of April. The price brings them within the reach of all. Rollers shipped to any part of the country. Write for terms and prices to
Slater Bros.,
Lenawee co., Tipton, Mich.

An elegant office counter and good show case can be purchased on very favorable terms at the HERALD Office.

Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Fresh lot of Land Plaster at
S. W. Temple's.

Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

½ off Wool Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

Rapid sale of dress goods. Cotton.

New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

Clearing out underwear at Cotton's

Gloves & mittens reduced, Cotton.

One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's

Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

Vitalized Air can be taken and your teeth all extracted without pain at Dr. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

CARDER.—At Denver, Col., on the 11th day of February, 1883, of pneumonia, Mrs. Harriot M. Carder, aged 41 years, 7 months and 22 days.

The deceased was born in Denver, Madison Co., N. Y., and was a daughter of Rufus Ransom, a grand daughter of "Uncle Robert" Ransom, and a neice of the late Dr. David Ransom, of Buffalo, N. Y. She was a noble woman and a loving wife. Her lot in life, during her early years was somewhat checquered, as she experienced many trials incident to human life, but since her marriage with the husband who now survives her, her life has been exceedingly happy. She lived for several years in Chicago and for the past few months in Denver, Col. Those who knew her best loved her most, and many an eye will moisten with grief upon learning of her demise.

GETTY.—In Ridgeway, Feb. 6th, of consumption, Mrs. Naomi A. Getty, wife of G. K. Getty, aged 34 years, 9 months and 21 days.

GETTY.—On Feb. 19th, of consumption, Miss Matilda A., daughter of G. K. and N. A. Russel Getty, aged 16 years and 2 days.

Their funeral services were held in the First Church of Christ, in East Ridgeway, on the 16th and 21st days of February, 1883. Funeral services by Rev. B. F. Rapp.

BROWN.—At Dowagiac, Mich., on Thursday, Feb. 22, John C. Brown, of pneumonia, in the 47th year of his age.

The deceased was a former resident of this place. The body will lie in the vault at Manchester for six weeks, after which it will be buried here.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS	No. 15 Mail	No. 17 Express	No. 19 Accom.
Jackson	6 50 a. m.	2 40 p. m.	1 30 p. m.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 00 "	4 30 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	4 40 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	5 00 "
Clarion	7 45 "	3 48 "	5 25 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	5 40 "
Clinton	8 08 "	4 15 "	
Macon	8 30 "	4 40 "	
Adrian	9 00 "	5 20 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS	No. 16 Mail	No. 18 Express	No. 20 Accom.
Adrian	5 20 p. m.	9 00 a. m.	8 30 a. m.
Clinton	5 50 "	9 30 "	9 00 "
Macon	6 07 "	9 52 "	
Clarion	6 40 "	10 20 "	10 40 "
Manchester	6 55 "	10 35 "	10 55 "
Norvell	7 07 "	10 47 "	11 05 "
Napoleon	7 15 "	10 55 "	11 15 "
Jackson	7 40 "	11 25 "	11 50 "

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Arrangements can now be made for the transportation of Emigrant Household Goods, Stock, Implements, etc., on this line, to all points on the C. L. S. & M. S. R. R.

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TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS	No. 4 Express	No. 6 Mail	No. 8 Express
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Toledo	1 45	5 35	12 05
Manhattan	2 00	5 50	12 20
Alexis Jct.	2 05	5 55	12 25
Monroe Jct.	2 20	6 10	12 40
Dundee	2 40	6 30	1 00
Ayers	2 53	6 43	1 13
Tecumseh	3 00	6 50	1 20
Clinton	3 08	6 58	1 28
Macon	3 20	7 10	1 40
Saline	3 30	7 20	1 50
Ann Arbor Ar.	3 45	7 35	2 05
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Ann Arbor Lv.	3 55	7 45	2 15
Dexter	4 15	8 05	2 35
Chelsea	4 25	8 15	2 45
Gregory	4 35	8 25	2 55
Howell	4 55	8 45	3 15
Howell	5 15	9 05	3 35
Brighton	5 50	9 40	4 10
Milford	6 05	9 55	4 25
Wixom	6 15	10 05	4 35
Walled Lake	6 25	10 15	4 45
Novi	6 35	10 25	4 55
Lyons	6 45	10 35	5 05
Ashley	6 55	10 45	5 15
Owosso	7 20	11 10	5 40
Corunna	7 35	11 25	5 55
Vernon	7 50	11 40	6 10
Durand	8 00	11 50	6 20
Ionia	8 40	12 30	7 00
Lowell	8 55	12 45	7 15
Alaska	9 05	12 55	7 25
Grand Rapids	9 15	1 05	7 35

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS	No. 5 Express	No. 7 Mail	No. 9 Express
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Grand Rapids	1 00	8 00	1 00
Alaska	1 10	8 10	1 10
Lowell	1 20	8 20	1 20
Ionia	1 30	8 30	1 30
Durand	2 05	9 05	2 05
Vernon	2 15	9 15	2 15
Corunna	2 25	9 25	2 25
Owosso	2 40	9 40	2 40
Ashley	3 05	10 05	3 05
Lyons	3 15	10 15	3 15
Novi	3 25	10 25	3 25
Walled Lake	3 35	10 35	3 35
Wixom	3 45	10 45	3 45
Milford	3 55	10 55	3 55
Brighton	4 05	11 05	4 05
Howell	4 40	11 40	4 40
Howell	5 00	12 00	5 00
Gregory	5 15	12 15	5 15
Chelsea	5 25	12 25	5 25
Dexter	5 35	12 35	5 35
Ann Arbor Ar.	5 55	12 55	5 55
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Ann Arbor Lv.	6 05	1 05	6 05
Saline	6 15	1 15	6 15
Macon	6 25	1 25	6 25
Clinton	6 37	1 37	6 37
Tecumseh	6 45	1 45	6 45
Ayers	6 52	1 52	6 52
Dundee	7 00	2 00	7 00
Monroe Jct.	7 20	2 20	7 20
Alexis Jct.	7 35	2 35	7 35
Manhattan	7 40	2 40	7 40
Toledo	7 55	2 55	7 55

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STATIONS	No. 1 Express	No. 3 Mail	No. 5 Express
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	5 00	10 00	3 00
Wayne Jct.	5 30	10 30	3 30
Ypsilanti	6 00	11 00	4 00
Ann Arbor	6 20	11 20	4 20
Chelsea	6 40	11 40	4 40
Grass Lake	6 55	11 55	4 55
Jackson	7 15	12 15	5 15
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Jackson	7 00	12 00	5 00
Parma	7 35	12 35	5 35
Albion	7 50	12 50	5 50
Marshall	8 05	1 05	6 05
Battle Creek	8 25	1 25	6 25
Kalamazoo	8 45	1 45	6 45
Otsego	8 55	1 55	6 55
Plainwell	9 05	2 05	7 05
Otsego Jct.	9 15	2 15	7 15
Gobles	9 35	2 35	7 35
Lawrence	9 45	2 45	7 45
Hartford	9 55	2 55	7 55
Watson	10 05	3 05	8 05
Decatur	10 15	3 15	8 15
Cassopolis	10 35	3 35	8 35
Vandalia	10 45	3 45	8 45
Union	10 55	3 55	8 55
Bunker Hill	11 05	4 05	9 05
Denver	11 15	4 15	9 15
Mexico	11 25	4 25	9 25
Peru	11 40	4 40	9 40
Miami	11 50	4 50	9 50
Converse	12 00	5 00	10 00
Marion	12 15	5 15	10 15
Upland	12 30	5 30	10 30
Gas City	12 40	5 40	10 40
Summitville	12 50	5 50	10 50
Anderson	1 00	6 00	11 00
Elwood	1 15	6 15	11 15
Tipton	1 25	6 25	11 25
Sharpsville	1 35	6 35	11 35
Kokomo	1 45	6 45	11 45
Greentown	1 55	6 55	11 55
Russiaville	2 05	7 05	12 05
Jerome	2 15	7 15	12 15
Tipton	2 25	7 25	12 25
Atlantic	2 35	7 35	12 35
Cicero	2 45	7 45	12 45
Arcadia	2 55	7 55	1 55
Noblesville	3 05	8 05	2 05
Cicero Jct.	3 15	8 15	2 15
Atlanta	3 25	8 25	2 25
Strawtown	3 35	8 35	2 35
Pleasant View	3 45	8 45	2 45
Zionsville	3 55	8 55	2 55
Whitestown	4 05	9 05	3 05
Boone	4 15	9 15	3 15
Lebanon	4 25	9 25	3 25
Colfax	4 35	9 35	3 35
Stockwell	4 45	9 45	3 45
Crawfordsville	5 00	10 00	4 00
Wallace	5 15	10 15	4 15
Darlington	5 25	10 25	4 25
Ladoga	5 35	10 35	4 35
Linden	5 45	10 45	4 45
Crawfordsville Jct.	5 55	10 55	4 55
Ridge	6 05	11 05	5 05
Waveland	6 15	11 15	5 15
Clinton	6 25	11 25	5 25
Montezuma	6 35	11 35	5 35
Coxs	6 45	11 45	5 45
Perrysville	6 55	11 55	5 55
Newport	7 05	12 05	6 05
Dana	7 15	12 15	6 15
Hillsdale	7 25	12 25	6 25
Covington	7 35	12 35	6 35
Veedersburg	7 45	12 45	6 45
Attica	7 55	12 55	6 55
Kingman	8 05	1 05	7 05
Hillsdale	8 15	1 15	7 15
Stilesville	8 25	1 25	7 25
Danville Jct.	8 35	1 35	7 35
Danville	8 45	1 45	7 45
Amo	8 55	1 55	7 55
Cloverdale	9 05	2 05	8 05
Roachdale	9 15	2 15	8 15
Big Box	9 25	2 25	8 25
Manhattan	9 35	2 35	8 35
Plainfield	9 45	2 45	8 45
Clermont	9 55	2 55	8 55
Indianapolis Ar.	10 15	3 15	9 15
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis Lv.	10 20	3 20	9 20
Morris	10 40	3 40	9 40
Shelbyville	11 00	4 00	10 00
Strand	11 10	4 10	10 10
Moscow	11 20	4 20	10 20
Rushville	11 35	4 35	10 35
Glenwood	11 45	4 45	10 45
Mays	11 55	4 55	10 55
Knightstown	12 05	5 05	11 05
Carthage	12 15	5 15	11 15
Mt. Comfort	12 25	5 25	11 25
Greenfield	12 35	5 35	11 35
Maxwell	12 45	5 45	11 45
Mt. Jackson	12 55	5 55	11 55
Fortville	1 05	6 05	12 05
Vinton	1 15	6 15	12 15
Pendleton	1 25	6 25	12 25
Ingalls	1 35	6 35	12 35
Fishers	1 45	6 45	12 45
Lawrie	1 55	6 55	12 55
Fall Creek	2 05	7 05	1 05
Indianapolis Ar.	2 15	7 15	1 15

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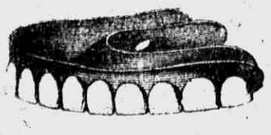

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Miscellaneous Recipes.

Vinegar Candy.—One cup of vinegar, two cups of white sugar and nuts. Boil the vinegar and sugar until it will break brittle when dropped in cold water. When done add the nuts. Pour in a buttered dish and cut before it hardens.

Blackberry Jam.—Take one pint of water to prevent burning, then wash and strain, to every pound of pulp add half a pound of clean brown sugar; cook as you would jam, stirring to prevent it burning. It can be six or eight hours in the fire. It is a nice addition for lunch.

Pickled Pigs' Feet.—Don't cry them make the pickle sweet will come too porky. Just add a little lump of butter in the pickle keep it hot. Wash them nice in the first place and put in a kettle of water, put in salt and let them cook until soft, enough salt in the water to bear the spider on with one, then take off the cover and let them dry down they begin to brown.

Pudding Sauce.—Three pints milk boiling, thickened with two tablespoonfuls of flour, two eggs, salt, butter, sugar well together, stirring all the time in a vessel set in boiling water. When it thickens, pour into a dish and cover with the whites of the eggs, beaten to a stiff froth, and a little more sugar added of powdered sugar. Brown in the oven; flavor with lemon or anything you choose. To be eaten cold.

To Keep Milk from Turning.—In Swedenborg, in Saxony, where the cold water system is carried out in large dairies, an apparently effectual plan has been hit upon for preventing their milk "turning" in tempestuous weather. A thin iron wire chain is passed through the milk pans, the ends of which are kept constantly in cold water. Dr. Fleischmann of Baden, testifies to the practicability of this method, for, he observes, authorities on this subject maintain that milk is less sensitive to the electricity of the air than to the temperature that surrounds it more immediately. The fact that milk kept in enameled or tin vessels is less liable to turn sour in hot weather speaks well for this new theory.

An Awkward Messenger.

Once, when Mme. Rentz and her female minstrels were performing in San Francisco, a well-known Front street merchant—one of the front orchestra-seat brigade, whose head was more clear than level—waited around the stage entrance to the Standard Theatre after the performance, trying to conceal a handsome bonpoint under his ulster.

For a long time he kept peering at the different specimens of Mme. Rentz's sex, as they came out of their dressing rooms, as they put on their rubbers and trotted away in the rain. After waiting patiently for about an hour, he approached an individual with a red scarf and a shawl to match, who stood smoking a cigar at the entrance, and said:

"Can you tell me, sir, if Miss Osborne has gone home yet?"

"Oh, yes; been gone half an hour," replied the sought-for party cheerfully. "Some shows for her?"

"Well—er—mum—yes."

"I'll give you to her—give her later," said the obliging man.

"Will you? That's very kind, surely."

"Oh, not at all," said the man, smelling the bouquet with the air of a connoisseur. "Anything else?"

"Well—ahem!—yes. Just give her this pair of earrings."

"Certainly. What name shall I say?"

"Just say that 'Baby Mine'—she'll understand—sends love, and says 2.30, at the same place to-morrow."

"I'll just make a memo. of that," said the red-tie man, writing on his shirt-cuff. "2.30, same place, to-morrow. All right. Anything else?"

"No, that's all. Sure you'll see her this evening?"

"Oh, certain."

"And you'll get a chance to speak to her when there is no one around?"

"Oh, dead sure! You see, I'm her husband!"

'Baby Mine' fainted, and was sent to his home in a hack.

The Apple Tree Borer.

This pest has proven a rather formidable one in some parts of the country, but formidable as it is, there seems to be remedies and preventatives for its ravages. A writer in the *Country Gentleman* gives his remedies as follows:

"Carefully remove all sprouts, suckers and grass from the roots of the tree. Keep the bark near the surface smooth and clean by frequent scouring and rubbing with the naked hands. Do this at least once a week in May and June. This will brush off the eggs and destroy them. Another method is to take a pint of sulphur, a gallon of soft soap, and enough tobacco water to make the mixture of the consistency of paint. Apply this with a brush, in May or June, on the body of the trees at the surface and two or three inches below. It will be a good thing for our farmer friends who are contemplating setting orchards, to bear these facts in mind at the proper time. The borer is the larvae of a beetle called by naturalists *Saperda Vitata*. It deposits its eggs on the body of the tree at the surface, the heat of the sun hatches the egg, and the little grub works its way into the tree, making a crooked passage way and sapping its very life. The chips ejected by these grubs may often be found at the spot where the grub entered the tree, and sometimes a few drops of dark, discolored sap may be seen oozing from the orifice. Once in the tree the grub soon kills it, and thus it would seem that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

Consumption of Coffee.

America is fast becoming, if she is not already, the greatest coffee-consuming country on the globe. Coffee is no longer a luxury, but a necessity of the humble home as well as the abode of the rich. We import annually, in round numbers, 300,000,000 pounds of coffee, the value of which is $25,000,000. This is every year increasing, in a greater ratio than that of any nation on the globe. Our increase during the last twenty-five years has been 8½ per cent., against 2½ per cent. for Europe. The substitutes for coffee which have met with such favor in other countries are not popular in America. We can hardly understand now how the world got along before the days of coffee. The Greeks and Romans never got a scent at this glorious beverage for even centuries after it was used in Ethiopia and Abyssinia. During the sixteenth century it was carried down to Egypt from Arabia, and about the same time it was introduced over Europe.

A Pleasing Woman.

What is more charming than an agreeable, graceful woman? Here and there we meet one possessing the fairy-like power of enchanting all about her; sometimes she is ignorant herself of the magical influence, which is, however, for that reason only the more perfect. Her presence lights up the home; her approach is like a cheering warmth; she passes by and we are content; she stays a while and we are happy. To behold her is to love; she is the aurora with a human face. She has no need to do more than simply to be; she makes an Eden of the home; paradise breathes from her; and she communicates this delight to all without taking any greater trouble than that of existing be her there. It is not here an inestimable gift?

SECOND CHILDHOOD.—The hardest thing in life is to grow old gracefully. We fight the battle of time inch by inch, and try to smother out the crows' feet and wrinkles; and yet there is no period of life more enjoyable or more revered than a kind-hearted and light-hearted old age. What more disgusting sight is there than that of an old man who is so patched up by art that if he should give himself a good shake he would fly all to pieces, trying to play the Romeo, and what more appalling sight than that of an old lady trying to cheat her years by means of rouge, powder and various other chemicals which a good bath would quickly dispose of and trying to play the coy Juliet? Ten second childhood is vastly more foolish than our first.

The disagreeable operation of snuffing [illegible] into the head, and the use of gushing snuffs are rendered superfluous by Ely's Cream Balm. Cures Catarrh. Colds in the Head and Hay Fever. Price 50 cent. Apply one [illegible] with the little finger.

[illegible] Lozier was entirely cured of catarrh [illegible] coming to my head which had become so much more than a [illegible] Paterson, N. J.

[illegible] Hay Fever [illegible] are all [illegible] Respectfully [illegible]

SALTPETER FOR SQUASH BUGS.—To destroy bugs on squash and cucumber vines, dissolve a tablespoonful of saltpeter in a pailful of water, put a pint of this around each hill, shaking the earth, so that it will not spread much, and the thing is done. The more saltpeter the better for vegetables, but the sooner death to insect life. The bugs burrow in the earth at night, but fail to rise in the morning. No danger of killing any vegetable with this, a too enfeebled solution applied to weeds makes them grow wonderfully.

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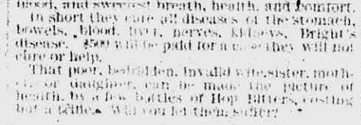

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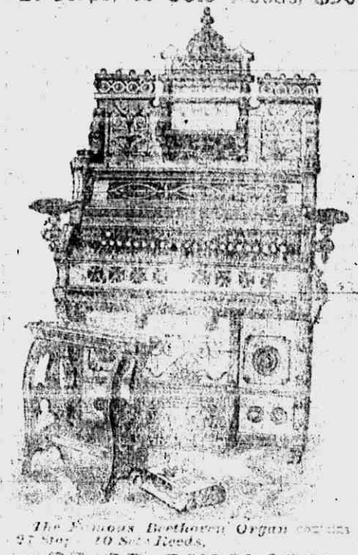

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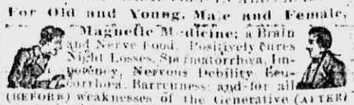

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Indian Trappers, Hudson Bay.

About the first of November, when the animals have got their winter coats, and fur is "in season," the Indian trapper lays out his trapping walk for the winter, along which he places a line of traps from ten to fifteen miles in length. Once or twice a week he makes the round of this walk, and gathers such furs as may be caught. Most of the finer furs are taken by means of the wooden dead-fall and steel traps of various sizes, the larger fur-bearing animals being either shot, caught in snares, or killed by the poisoned bait.

Toward the latter end of March the Indian trappers leave their hunting grounds, and make a journey to the forts with the produce of their winter's toil. Here they come, moving through the forest, a motley throng. The braves march in front, too proud and lazy to carry anything but their guns, and not always doing even that. After them come the squaws, bending under loads, driving dogs, or hauling hand-sleds laden with meat, furs, tanned deer-skins, and infants. The puppy dog and inevitable baby never fail in Indian lodge or procession. The cheerful spectacle of the two packed together upon the back of a woman is not of infrequent occurence. Day after day the mongrel party journeys on, until the fort is reached. Then comes the trade. The trader separates the furs into lots, placing the standard valuation upon each. Then he adds the amounts together, and informs the trapper that he has got sixty or seventy "skins." At the same time he hands his customer sixty or seventy little bits of wood, so that the latter may know, by returning these in payment for the goods for which he really barters his furs, just how fast his funds decrease. The first act of the Indian is to cancel the debt contracted for advances at the beginning of the season; then he looks round upon the bales of cloth, blankets, etc., and after a long while concludes to have a small white capote for his toddling boy. The price is told him, and he hands back ten of his little pieces of wood, then looks about him for something else. Everything is carefully examined, and with each purchase there is a contest over the apparent inequality between the amount received and that given. In the Indian's opinion, one skin should pay for one article of merchandise, no matter what the value of the latter may be. And he insists, too, upon selecting the skin. The steelyard and weighing balances are his especial objects of dislike. He does not know what medicine that is. That his tea and sugar should be balanced against a bit of iron, conveys no idea of the relative values of peltries and merchandise to him. He insists upon making the balance swing even between the trader's goods and his own furs, until a new light is thrown upon the question of steelyards and scales by the acceptance of his proposition. Then, when he finds his fine furs balanced against heavy blankets, he concludes to abide by the old method of letting the white trader decide the weight in his own way; for it is clear that the steelyard is a very great medicine, which no brave can understand.

When the trapper has spent all his little pieces of wood, and asks for further advances, he is allowed to draw any reasonable amount; for contrary to the rule in civilized life, a debt is seldom lost save by the death of the Indian. He may change his place of abode hundreds of miles, but he still has only a Company's post at which to trade. The Company has always been a cold friend to him and his, and he pays when he can. He knows that when he liquidates his old debt, he can contract a new one just as big. No attempt was ever made to cheat him, and there never will be. When he is ill he goes to the nearest fort, and is cared for and attended until he recovers. When he does his duty well he gets a present, and he never performs any labor without receiving fair compensation. Such humane treatment strongly binds the Indian and half-breed to the Company.—*Harper's Magazine.*

Formation of Dew.

Dew is a sign of fine weather, and is never seen except under a cloudless sky. Wind and clouds are sure preventatives of dew, from the simple reason that clouds are able to retain some of the solar heat; and, as they can give forth warmth, the radiation from the earth is checked, and a warmer temperature preserved. Wind evaporates the moisture as fast as it appears; and if the wind is westerly, there is little dew or cloud to be seen. The contrary is observed with an easterly wind, but a west wind blows over a vast expanse of land, and having lost its vapor, dries up any moisture it may come across; whereas an east wind crossing the Atlantic, is full of vapor and sheds dew on all sides. These remarks, of course, apply chiefly to particular localities, but the influence of a west wind may be seen in the Spring. Dew is more copiously deposited in Spring and Autumn than in Summer, as there is usually a greater difference in those seasons between the temperature of day and night; in Spring, however, there is a small deposit of dew when a west wind prevails; but in Autumn, during the soft influences of south and east winds, the earth is covered with moisture. It has also been observed that there is a greater formation of dew between sunset and midnight.

Mr. George Dines, who has made extensive experiments and observations on the formation of dew, finds that the depth of deposit in England in an evening rarely exceeds a hundreth part of an inch; and that the average annual depth of the deposit upon the surface of the earth does not exceed an inch and a half.

About Water.

No water that has stood in open vessels during the night should be used for drinking or cooking. By exposure to the air it has lost its "aeration," and has absorbed the dust-germs floating in the apartment. If convenience requires water to be kept in vessels for several hours before use, it should be covered, unless the vessels are tight. Wherever practical, all distributing reservoirs should be covered. Filtering always adds to the purity of water. Drinking water should not be taken from lakes or rivers on a low level. Surface water, or water in lakes, pools, or rivers which receive the surface wash, should be avoided as much as possible. Do not drink much water at a time. More than two tumblerfuls should not be taken at a meal. Do not drink between meals unless to quench thirst, as excess of water weakens the gastric juice and overworks the kidneys. Excessive potations, whether of water or other fluid, relax the stomach, impair its secretions, and paralyze its movements. By drinking a little at a time the injury is avoided.

He Heard Too Much.

Lewis Gaylord Clark, the editor of the Knickerbocker Magazine used to tell the following story with great delight:

Some two miles up the river from St Johnsbury, Vt., is a primitive sort of village called "The Center." Here, not long since, the rustic youth of the vicinity congregated for a dance. "And dance they did," said our informant "with an action unknown to your city beaux and belles. One interesting man having imbibed too freely, became "fatigued" in the course of the evening and wisely concluded to retire for a short rest.

A door ajar near the dancing hall revealed invitingly a glimpse of a comfortable bed, of which he took possession with the prospect of an undisturbed snooze.

It happened, howbeit, that this was the ladies' withdrawing room, and no sooner had he closed his eyes than in came two blooming damsels and began arranging their disordered ringlets, the dim light of the tallow candle not disclosing the tenant of the bed. The girls had tongues, like the rest of their sex, which began running in this wise:

"What a nice dance we're having! Have you heard anybody say anything 'bout me, Jane?"

"About you! Why, Sarah, I heard Joe Flint tell Sam Jones that you was the prettiest girl in the room."

Whereupon the dear things chuckled and fixed up a little more, and made off to the ball room. They had hardly reached the door when our half-conscious friend raised himself on his elbow, and, quite intelligibly, though slowly, inquired:

"Have you heard anyone say anythin' 'bout me, gals?"

Fancy their feelings at this juncture.

Do the Dying Suffer Pain?

People do not like to think of death. It is an unpleasant subject; but it constantly obtrudes itself, and there has been much speculation as to whether mental or physical pain attend the final act. Observation teaches us that there is little pain of either kind in dying. Experience will come to us all one of these days, but it will come too late to benefit those who remain. It seems to be a kind provision of nature that, as we approach the dreaded event, our terrors dimmish, and the coward and hero die alike—fearless, indifferent or resigned. As to physical pain, Dr. Edward H. Clarke, in "Visions," says: "The rule is that unconsciousness, not pain, attends the final act. To the subject of it, death is no more painful than birth. Painlessly we came; whence we know not. Painlessly we go; whither we know not. Nature kindly provides an anæsthetic for the body when the spirit leaves it. Previous to that moment, and in preparation for it, respiration becomes feeble, generally slow and short often accompanied by long inspirations, and short expirations, so that the blood supply is less and less oxygenated. At the same time the heart acts with corresponding lethargy, producing a slow, feeble and often irregular pulse. As this process goes on, the blood is not only driven to the head with diminished force and in less quantity, but what flows there is loaded more and more with carbonic acid gas, a powerful anæsthetic, the same as that derived from charcoal. Subject to its influence the nerve-centers lose consciousness and sensibility, apparent sleep creeps over the system; then comes stupor, and the end."—*New York Express.*

Old Books and Ozone.

It is known that ozone, when properly applied, is a most effective and convenient agent for restoring books or prints which have become brown with age, or been smeared or soiled with coloring matter—only a short time being required to render them perfectly white, as if just from the press, and this without injuring in the least the blackness of the ink. An example given of the result produced in this way is that of a book of the sixteenth century, upon a page of which several sentences had been painted over, by the monks of that day, with a black shining coloring matter, in order to make them illegible, and of which no trace of a line could be detected. After thirty-six hours' treatment with ozone, the coloring matter was entirely destroyed, the most careful scrutiny of the page failing to disclose the fact that any of the lines had once been painted over. Writing ink may readily be discharged with ozone, especially if the paper be subsequently treated with dilute chlorhydric acid to remove the oxide of iron.

A Few Don'ts.

When you are out to dinner, or tea, and the hostess invites you to the table, don't wait for the invitation to be repeated, as it is not only impolite on the part of the guests but many of the tempting dishes lose their relish. I had company a few days since, and they were called three times before they made their appearance in the dining room.

When you are out calling with one of your thirsty children—and this is their usual condition—your friend kindly offers to get you a glass, don't say "the dipper is good enough, don't trouble yourself." This is no trouble to the neat housekeeper, for she has a strong preference that you use the glass, for various reasons.

When you have spent a day with a friend who does her own work, and she has exerted every nerve for your pleasure, after she has washed her china, and her work done up, don't expect her to sit at the piano or organ all the evening and play until she is ready to fall from the stool. And during the day (unless invited by her) don't go into her kitchen and ask a hundred questions. There are very few whom we welcome in our kitchen. Old-fashioned housekeepers seldom do this. Only those who devoted upon girls know not the annoyance of this terrible intrusion.

Randolph on the Bible.

The following is the language of John Randolph concerning the Bible: "I was raised by a pious mother (God bless her memory,) who taught me the Christian religion in all its requirements. But alas! I grew up an infidel; if not an infidel complete, yet a decided deist. But when I became a man, in this as well as in political and all other matters, I resolved to examine for myself, and never coin my faith to another man's sleeve. So I bought that Bible; I pored over it; I examined it carefully; I sought and procured those books for and against; and when my labors were ended I came to this irresistible conclusion: The Bible is true. It would have been as easy for a man to have written Sir Isaac Newton's treatise on optics as for uninspired men to have written the Bible."

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ESTATE OF MICHAEL UNDERWOOD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Michael Underwood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Isaac N. Peabeam, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his final account, for distribution of the residue of said estate according to law, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of March next, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar1

ESTATE OF ESTHER JONES.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Esther Jones, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin L. Baxter and Edwin B. Wood, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry Holderman, late of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on Friday, the 9th day of March, and on Friday, the 10th day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 10th day of February, 1883, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February 12th, 1883.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. McKINNON,
Commissioners.
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ESTATE OF JOB BURLESON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Job Burleson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Isaac C. Mills, administrator with the will annexed of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration, thus far ready to render his final account, and praying that said account may be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned and distributed to the persons entitled thereto.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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S. S. SPARGO,
Editor and Publisher "Spargo's Home Magazine," Philadelphia.
W. A. CONRAD,
Editor "Lutheran Observer," Philadelphia.
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RAILROAD NOTES

The M & O. bridges between Monteith and Augusta are all ready for the iron. Workmen are now building these at the Wheatfield swale. Ce[illegible] had at the mill pond in Marshall.

Battle Creek Republican. The frost and high water have brought the [illegible] of this division of the M. & O. railroad nearly to a standstill just at present. The piles are being gotten [illegible] bridges west of here, and the [illegible] work for crossing Harper Creek is progressing. There is double [illegible] earth work done [illegible] of the ground [illegible] division is avoided which [illegible] about five miles [illegible] Augusta.

St. Johns Sun-Gleam. The surveying [illegible] the M. & O. have this week [illegible] cross sectioning off the ground [illegible] between the river and the Michigan Central track. There [illegible] that would likely be [illegible] the plat, as it would [illegible] the depot were located [illegible] This is only a guess, but it [illegible] to show which end of town [illegible] their eyes on.

Battle Reporter. The [illegible] for the new [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] the [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] the

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Old winter has evidently procured an extension of time this year, judging from the new stock of snow sent us recently.

We should like much to learn thro' the HERALD what fate has been pleased to do with "Pearlie" the fair Brooklynitish pencil pusher of "days agone". Has some grander commission been presented as her mortal dowry, or has her excellency "gone up higher," that her sircastic cuts and round retorts are seen no more in the columns to which we contribute?

Since our last communication a temperance boom has struck our R. R. pregnant little villa and abolished the whiskey traffic for the present at least. Let the good work go on.

Mrs. J. H. Underwood and Mrs. Edward Cleveland are each in a critical state of health at this writing. Consumption is the plague. Numerous other of our citizens, including the writer, have been afflicted by severe colds attended with a somewhat complex trouble in the throat and lungs.

Mr. A. W. LaBarre, of the firm of LeBarre, Younglove & Morley, went to Toledo Friday of last week to procure a new saw for their mill at this place. They will resume sawing this week.

E. M. Wilson has a new creamery building in process of construction near the Lewis ashery, and expects to do a largely increased business in that line this season.

A Mr. Terrill, of Somerset, is putting a new and complete stock of hardware goods in the Swartout building west of the creek, while the firm of Eaton Bros., of Hudson, are making preparations to open a furniture store just across the street in the Lewis block.

A new building for drug store purposes is also in prospect on the same side of the creek. As to the other side the recent arrival of a tin type shadow shop constitutes about all which we can chronicle by way of change at present.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

No more "murmurs" at the head of our column, and we presume Macon wants no more "center cuts," as per last week.

Samuel T. Stewart has moved into the Lewis Miller house.

Two small boys of Geo. Sisson's were splitting wood. A miss blow from one struck the other on the foot, severing three toes.

Roy Mead is in a very critical condition from a paralytic stroke and mental prostration. His recovery is doubtful.

Paris Mills, son of Isaac C. Mills, who has been a great sufferer during the past three months, died the 13th inst., aged 25 years.

Mrs Arthur Anderson, an aged lady, and much esteemed, died on the 12th.

Frank P. Wintersteen, late of New York, and Miss Mary Smith of Macon were married at the home of the bride's parents the 14th inst. The usual presents and congratulations.

Mr. Russell of the Weston glee club and a Mr. Anderson are looking up dairy cows in this section. They in connection with others favored us with a call last Friday evening. It is strange how half a dozen good singers, an organ, piano and violin, will boost a clock ahead.

Jesse Harper is a host. His two lectures Thursday afternoon and evening, occupying over two hours each, awakened unbounded enthusiasm, and the oyster supper between just fitted.

Irve Osborn is keeping bachelor's hall. One month ago his family consisted of himself, four young men and a maiden lady, neither two of kin. Since then the latter five have taken to themselves consorts and floated away, leaving Irve alone and without hope in the world. Five marriages in a family of six within a month. Next.

The lecture course has closed and the citizens may be interested in learning the financial result which we condense from the report as follows. The lecture course association, consisting of nine persons, met at the hall Saturday evening, and on adjusting accounts found that the expenses exceeded receipts by $32.65, which divided among the members gives 455 each per lecture more than those having season tickets (or 54c per lecture, which is better than to have traveled eight or ten miles to a village and paid half that amount. When we take into consideration the extreme low price of season tickets, 75c for eight lectures, so that all might attend, the inclement winter, the high price paid most of the speakers, and the lack of harmony in the community on domestic matters, tending to wet blanket everything going on at the hall, the association is well satisfied with the result, and thank the public for their generous support, good behavior, and manifest approval.

A son of W. D. Easlick poisoned himself with sumach on the face and hands so that he was in a critical condition [illegible] days. He is out again but quite swollen and sore.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

C. L. Waring home.

Mrs. Salome Clark has returned from Grand Rapids.

Nathan Spencer, of Holloway, is working up the fire insurance business in this locality.

Libbie Pilbeam was given a surprise last week at the home of Mrs. Sarah Rappleye. About twenty-five young people were present. Miss Pilbeam has made many friends during her stay here this winter.

The new time card which went into effect last Sunday gives notice that trains will arrive and leave Detroit at the new union depot at the foot of 12th street, a few blocks west of the Central depot.

DeWitt Arner, the great surpriser, was treated likewise last week, when about seventy-five of all ages gathered in upon him and the rest of the family.

As the time for the township election draws near it would be well for all those who were not registered last fall to remember that they will have to do so yet if they vote this spring.

Joshua Waring a pioneer resident of this township died at midnight Saturday night. The funeral services were held Tuesday at the church. Obituary notice next week.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The Marshall Statesman of the 16th has this important and encouraging news:

Judge Ingersoll spent a portion of the week at Lansing on business connected with the amendments of the charters of the Michigan Central and the Michigan Southern railroads. A joint session of the railroad committees of both houses, to which the proposed amendments were referred, was held on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The attorneys and some of the high officials of both roads were present and decided opposition was made to the passage of the bills. Among some of the statements made by Ashley Pond, of Detroit, was that the Michigan Central had never sought to exercise the prerogative given it by the charter, namely that of preventing other roads from running parallel to their line nearer than a distance of 20 miles, and prohibiting the crossing of their line by other railroads. Mr. Ingersoll pointed out the fact that last spring the Michigan Central had served notices on the Toledo, and Milwaukee company that any crossing of its line would be resisted to the extent of its power, and also that the same notices had been served on the M. & O. These notices had the effect of preventing the building of the road last spring. After some of these discrepancies had been shown up the companies withdrew their opposition and the bill passed the senate committee yesterday and is expected to pass the house committee to day, when they will be reported to both houses and will go through with a rush. That the Mansfield, Coldwater and Michigan road will be ironed north from this city is now practically assured.

Kalamazoo Gazette. The Lake Shore road yesterday took a party of 55 choppers and other laborers from Grand Rapids to Somerset, where the M. & O. is to cross the Lake Shore Ypsilanti branch. Another force will go soon to the same destination. The party yesterday was in charge of Mr McBride.

Things are just a booming at Addison. The piles are being driven to cross the mill pond, and the town is full of R. R. hands. The number of hands between Tecumseh and Jerome is about 2,000. It is calculated that the road will be in operation by the middle of July. A number of new firms are starting in business among them M. F. Turrell hardware, Dr Powers drugs, and R. J. Eaton branch furniture. Real estate is held at pretty high figures which may elevate to regard the beam least we have seen such policy prevent the growth of other towns. We know of corner lots that would have been built upon ten years ago but for a dog in the manger principle. Let Addison be reasonable and welcome and encourage capital and enterprise.

A neighboring exchange gives this wholesome advice to the public in general, and which it will be well to heed. "Take your county paper first and add to it as many metropolitan papers as you are able to take, but do not subscribe for the city weekly and depend on borrowing the county paper of your neighbor. And we might add here. The metropolitan paper must invariably be paid for in advance and the county paper which is more especially devoted to your local interests is entitled to as much respect.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The "Kids" elected their village ticket in Deerfield.

The Japanese Liniment Company of Morenci is booming.

It takes sixteen men to turn out subs at the Hudson tub factory.

Clinton will have another roller skating masquerade this evening.

The Hudson Congregational church held a Longfellow social last week.

Dr. Nix the newly elected President of Hudson, declines the honor.

L. F. Wheeler will soon be "rambling around" Clinton and Manchester.

The new bridge across the Raisin, two miles north of Clinton, is completed.

The temperance ticket was chosen at the Clinton charter election last week.

The Deerfield metal cover company have added a new machine to their factory.

The next regular examination of teachers will take place at Adrian on the 30th inst.

A G. A. R. post has been organized at Hudson to be known as DeGolyer Post, No. 110.

Hudson was stirred up for two days last week over a hog case in Justice Hiller's court.

Mrs. Laura E. Dainty, the celebrated elocutionist will lecture in Clinton this evening.

There is talk of running a union non-partisan ticket in Adrian at the coming city election.

John R. Clark will lecture at Canandaigua to-morrow evening on 'Blunders, Big and Little.'

Vet Erskine, of the Clinton Exchange, attended the hotel-keepers' convention at Lansing.

Gilbert Warner, an old resident of Adrian, dropped dead on the sidewalk last Monday afternoon.

Addison is putting on airs since the new railroad has become a fixed fact. Drunken rows are becoming frequent in that village.

Miss Lulu Monaghan of this village has been engaged to teach the spring term of school at Weston at a salary of $40 a month.

The Deerfield Record is in favor of suppressing the bad small boy. There are a good many other towns infested with the same evil.

Adrian Record: A Hudson man with a grudge against an Addison man, went all the way to Addison to get licked—the obliging fellow.

Morenci is nothing if not up with the times. At the last charter election it was voted by a large majority to build a new town hall worth $8,000.

Clinton News: We have made inquiries of a number of our leading fruit growers and they all report their peach buds killed and a good many trees besides, except D. Woodward who says most of his trees are all right so far. His orchard is situated on high ground, which probably accounts for his good fortune.

The Adrian Record sums it up: "Dr. Nix at the Hudson corporation election, took the scalp of Dr. Smart, and was elected by 10 majority. When one doctor doctors another the patient is just as likely to be laid out stark and stiff as though he were any other man. Paregorically speaking, Nix knocked Smart's brains out with a paving cobble stone."

Adrian Record: There was a meeting of the officers and directors of the Lenawee County Agricultural Society Saturday afternoon at Smith & Tobey's bank, to hear the reports of various committees and to give an opportunity to bid for the fair next fall. Tecumseh and Morenci were represented and want the fair badly, but neither would make any definite proposition, and it was finally moved that the committee hold itself open for proposals from all parts of the county for three weeks and at the next meeting agree to accept the most favorable one. The meeting adjourned until April 7, 1883.

Morenci Observer: A party representing the county agricultural society was in town last Monday to confer with a committee appointed by our village association in reference to holding a union fair of the two societies here next autumn. On looking over the situation it was decided that a thousand dollars would be needed for additional buildings and facilities to accommodate a combined exhibition of the two societies, and W. A. Mace was appointed a committee to solicit the requisite amount of our citizens. A meeting of the citizens is called for Monday evening to take the project into consideration. Let there be a general turn out.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending March 17, 1883:

ADRIAN.

John Griewahn to August Lau. Land in city. $300.

E. W. Beers to E. S. Beers. Land on sec. 19.

BLISSFIELD.

Carlisle B. Soper to James H. Soper. Land on sec. 7. $1300.

Nathaniel Stoner to John D. Smead and Sarah B. Crane. Land in village. $650.

John Mitchell to Caroline Lamb. Land in village. $500.

Mary C. Clark to Peter W. Hland. Land in village. $210.

DEERFIELD.

Samuel Beverly to Wm. Griswold. Land in village. $200.

FAIRFIELD.

Garrat Burke to Thomas J. Wyman. Land on sec. 30. $2450.

Mary Drake to Robert Carpenter. Land on sec. 14. $500.

FRANKLIN.

John A. Smith to Joseph L. White. Land on sec. 20. $500.

HUDSON.

James S. Smalley to Arden H. Camp. Land in village. $900.

Newton M. Perkins to Henry and Louisa Clark. Land in village. $600.

Mabel Abbott to Elora E. and Nora M. Peck. Land on sec. 13. $400.

MADISON.

Chas. D. Hinkley to Alanson Horsley. Land on sec. 31. $300.

Wm. H. Loss to Thomas Savage. Land on sec. 12. $2400.

Geo. W. Hill to Harvey G. Losey. Land on sec. 18. $840.

MEDINA.

Christina Ray to Edward F. Demerritt. Land on sec. 14. $2200.

OGDEN.

Sally Vrooman to Frank H. Vrooman. Land on sec. 1. $1500.

B. F. Cunningham to Edwin Youngs. Land on sec. 7. $2000.

PALMYRA.

F. Shultz to B. Brockway. Land on sec. 36. $2000.

F. Shultz to Drusilla Brockway. Land on sec 36. $2,000.

RAISIN.

Wing and Betsey Haviland to F. E. and C. Smith. Land on sec 29. $2400.

Franklin E. Smith to Robt. Farrah. Land on sec. 32. $2000.

ROLLIN.

Lewis Beach to John Huff. Land on sec. 35. $3000.

E. S. Lapham to J. W. Crandell. Land in village. $800.

ROME.

Ruth J. Bonney to William Haynes. Land on sec. 19. $2000.

Edward and Frances C. Knight to J. C. Winne. Land on sec. 35. $1000.

J. C. Winnie to Frances C. Knight. Land on sec. 35. $1,000.

Elias E. Grattan to John Huff. Land on sec 31. $3100.

Emmons H. Marks to Chas. Seames. Land on secs. 18, 19 and 20. $6600.

Chas. Seames to Henry H. Ferguson. Land on sec. 20. $5000.

Henry H. Ferguson to Cornelius Knapp. Land on sec. 1. $2500.

Bathsheba McRobert to Luthe McRobert. Land on sec. 27. $4000.

RIGA.

Mark Turner to Manuel McCormick. Land on sec. 33. $640.

John D. Fetzer to Valentine Klumpp. Land on sec. 9. $1550.

SENECA.

Harrietta Dodge to Frederick Sims. Land in Morenci village.

Levi Henderson to M. Berry. Land in village. $325.

TECUMSEH.

Augusta P. Lee to Helen M. Forest. Land in village. $350.

The value of an article is almost always indicated by its price, and for years the people were content to pay $3 for a genuine Livermore Stylographic Pen, and the same pens are yet doing good service. The success of these pens led unscrupulous persons to get up inferior imitations, which they offered at such low prices that many persons, not understanding the difference were induced to buy them. The Livermore Company therefore cut down the price of their short plain Pens to $2, and short gold mounted to $2.50 each, to give everybody a chance to have the best article of the kind. You can buy them for that money by remitting the amount to Louis E. Dunlap, Manager Stylographic Pen Co., 200 Washington St., Boston, the pen together with a package of superior ink will be sent by return mail, and the money will be at once refunded if they do not prove to be perfect and satisfactory in every respect. The Stylographic Pen Co., who manufacture the Livermore Pen, is the largest concern of the kind in the world, with branches at New York, Chicago and London, Eng. The Livermore Stylographic Pen is a pencil which writes ink, never needs sharpening and never wears out, and has been adopted by over 500,000 knights of the quill in this country and abroad. The Stylographic Pen Co. have recently been making great improvements in their famous pen. Full particulars can be obtained by sending for circular.

The High School literary society of Deerfield will exhibit "The Last Loaf" in that village to-morrow evening.

BEFORE AND AFTER MARRIAGE.

BEFORE.

My Maggie! my beautiful darling!
Creep into my arms, my sweet!
Let me fold you again to my bosom—
So close I can hear your heart beat.
What! those little fingers been sewing
One's pricked by the needle, I see!
These hands shall be kept from such labor
When once they are given to me.

Ah! mine, little pet, I will shield you
From trouble, and labor, and care;
I will robe you like some fairy princess,
And jewels shall gleam in your hair.
These slippers you gave me are perfect!
That dressing-gown fits to a T!
My darling! I wonder that heaven
Should give such a treasure to me.

Eight—quarter to—eleven! My precious
Put this when I was with you!
It seems but a moment I've been here
And now—must I go to "Allen's!"

AFTER.

Oh, Meg, you are heavy! I'm tired!
Go sit in the rocker, I pray;
Your weight seems a hundred-fold heavier
Every time I step down in the story of a way.
You had better be mending my coat-sleeve—
That spot you chose it before—
And I want to finish this novel,
And look over those bills from the store.

This dressing-gown sets like the d——l,
Those slippers run down at the heel!
Strange nothing can ever look decent,
Wish you could know how they feel.
What's this bill from Green? Why surely
It's not another new dress!
Look here, I'll be bankrupt before New Year,
Or your store bill will have to grow less.

Eight o'clock! Meg, sew on this button
As soon as you finish the sleeve.
Heigh-ho! I'm so deuced sleepy—
I'll pile off to bed, I believe.

LIFE CLOUDS.

Our path through life is clouded oft
By many a storm severe;
With trembling heart we view the cloud,
We wait, we hope, we fear.

Our spirits shrink before the blast
We feel its icy chill;
The soul in waiting sorrow bows
Yet faith would say "Thy will!"

It nearer comes: soon, soon 'twill fall
Where shall we shelter find?
Where for protection shall we flee
For rest to heart and mind?

'Tis past—and leaves a quiet calm;
Whence comes this cooing dove,
Into the heart late tempest-tossed,
With songs of peace and love?

A still, small voice has been our stay
The "silver lining" shed
A radiance bright, as dread clouds burst
In blessings on our head.

The Brakeman's Story.

HOW A PASSENGER TRAIN WAS SAVED.

"Yes, sir," said the brakeman, as he stood by the stove warming his numbed hands after coming in from braking, "people think, as they sit here in their warm seats and only hear us call out the different stations, that we have a nice, soft, easy, time. But we know better. Imagine yourself on a flat-car all night with the snow dashing into your face, your hands on a cold iron brake, and think if that's easy; or, up on top of a freight car, running along, the wind cutting like a knife, dark as pitch, and watching for fear you may rush suddenly under a bridge and be swept off, and perhaps left to die in the snow. Is that easy? Does that look like a soft job. To be sure, when we are transferred to passenger cars the work is nice enough, but the dangers we have to go through (for generally we have to go on freight cars first) entitle us for something better on a passenger car, and we ain't sorry when we get orders to take the head end of such a regular train.

There are very few brakemen who can't tell some never-to-be-forgotten incident connected with their life on the rail. To explain, let me tell you a story of my own experience.

I remember one night, it was fearfully cold, right in the middle of winter, and snowing hard; I was brakeman in the middle of a freight train. It was running along on slow time that night, and we were two or three miles from the station. I was standing by the brake of a flat-car trying to get warm by stamping, wishing we were at the depot, so that I could go back to the caboose out of the bitter cold, when suddenly I felt the train bumping and jumping as if a wheel had broken, and I knew something was wrong. The whistle blew for brakes, and in a mighty short time we had the train stopped.

With the rest of the men I went back to see what was the matter, thinking that I might get a chance at the stove, for I was nearly frozen. Going back about three hundred feet, we found that one of the rails had got loose and was out of place, but, as we had been going slowly, we had run over the spot safely. Our conductor looked up, and seeing me said hurriedly:

"Jim, get back and signal the passenger train. She will be along in a short time now; and take this," he said, handing me a red light lantern; "we'll go on. You can come with the other train."

With that all hands got on board, and soon there was nothing but myself and the lantern left. A cold gust brought me to myself with a quick turn, and then I remembered what I had to do. Holding the lantern up, I saw the light flickering, and shaking it found it almost empty.

Then I began to feel the responsibility of my position. A lamp without oil in it, the train due in ten minutes, with the chances of its being thrown off the track, and no telling how many people killed or wounded! In a case of this kind, sir, every brakeman will do his best to save human life, although he sometimes loses his own in the attempt, and all he gets for it is having his name in the paper and being a brave fellow.

Quicker than I tell it, I made up my mind that the train must be signaled, lamp or no lamp. But how to do it was the question. If I ran ahead without a light, the engineer might think I wanted to stop the train for robbery—for such things have often been done, you know—and would not only dash right on faster than ever, but maybe try to scald me as the locomotive rushed by.

I tell you I felt like praying just then, but brakemen are not selected for their religious feelings, so I didn't pray much, but looked around and saw a light shining in a window, some distance off. I laid down my lantern carefully on the track, made a bee line for the house, and soon my knock brought a woman to the door, who looked more frightened than I was at my excited appearance. It was useless, to ask for sperm oil—the only sort we use—I cried out—

"For God's sake give me some straw."

She seemed to realize the position, and quickly brought a bundle. Feeling in my pocket, I found three matches, and grabbing the straw, I made my way back to the track.

Laying the straw between the rails, I struck a match and shoved it into the bundle. It flickered an instant and then went out. I felt and found the straw damp. Just then a dull, faint, rumbling sound came down the wind, and I knew she was coming. The train would soon be there.

I struck the second match and it touched off the straw. A blaze, a little smoke, and it was dark again, and, raising my eyes I saw the headlight of the approaching train away in the distance. But trains don't crawl, and the buzzing along the rails told me to be lively. The red light was burning but faintly; five minutes more and it would go out. For an instant I stood paralyzed, when a shrill scream from the engine brought me to my senses, and I saw that in two minutes more she would be on the spot.

Seizing the lantern with one hand, I struck the last match, and bending down, held it carefully inside the straw, and then dashed forward, waving the red light. The glare from the headlight shone down the track, and the engineer saw me, but did not notice the red light—the sudden waving had put it out—only screeching, he came straight on. When the train was almost on me, I jumped one side, and, slinging the lantern over my head, dashed it into the cab. The engineer saw the lamp as it broke on the floor, and seeing the red glass and battered lantern, whistled the danger signal and tried to check up.

Looking down the track, I almost screamed from excitement. The last match had found a dry spot, and the straw was blazing up brightly. The train came to a stand still. She was saved; that's all I remember.

The next I knew I was in the baggage car. They said they had found me lying by the train, in a dead faint, and—excuse me, we are going to stop now. Stamford!" he sung out.

The train stopped, and the writer went home, satisfied that a brakeman's life is an exciting one.

How Old is the World?

Geologists, astronomers and physicists alike have hitherto been baffled in their attempts to set up any satisfactory kind of chronometer which will approximately measure geological time, and thus give us some clue to the antiquity of our globe. It is therefore worth noting that Mr. Mellard Reade, of Liverpool, has contributed to the Royal Society a very suggestive paper, in which he endeavors to grapple with the question by employing the limestone rocks of the earth's crust as an index of geological time. Limestones have been in course of formation from the earliest known geological periods, but it would appear that the later found strata are more calcareous than the earlier, and that there has in fact been a gradually progressive increase of calcareous matter. The very extensive deposition of carbonate of lime over wide areas of the ocean-bottom at the present day is sufficiently attested by the careful soundings of the Challenger. According to the author's estimate, the sedimentary crust of the earth is at least one mile in average actual thickness, of which probably one-tenth consists of calcareous matter. In seeking the origin of this calcareous matter, it is assumed that the primitive rocks of the original crust were of the nature of gigantic or basaltic rocks. By the disintegration of such rocks, calcareous and sedimentary deposits have been formed. The amount of lime salts in waters which drain districts made up of granites and basalts is found, by a comparison of analysis, to be on an average about 3.73 parts in 100,000 parts of water. It is further assumed that the excessed areas of igneous rocks, taking an average throughout all geological time, will bear to the exposure of sedimentary rocks a ratio of about one to nine. From these and other data Mr. Reade concludes that the elimination of the calcareous matter now found in all sedimentary strata must have occupied at least 600,000,000 of years. This, therefore, represents about the minimum age of the world. The author infers that the formation of the Laurentian, Cambrian and Silurian strata must have occupied about 200,000,000 of years; the old red sandstone, the carboniferous, and the poikilitic systems, another 200,000,000; and all the other strata, the remaining 200,000,000. Mr. Reade is, therefore, led to believe that geological time has been enormously in excess of the limits urged by certain physicists; that it has been ample to allow for all the changes which, on the hypothesis of evolution, have occurred in the organic world.

The Future of Religion.

Mr. Froude, in the International Review, refers, in the following extract, to the final and full development of religious truth:

"Man's nature is the same it always was. Science has much to teach us, but its message is not the last nor the highest. If we may infer the future from the past, a time will come when we shall cease to be dazzled with the thing which we call progress, when increasing wealth will cease to satisfy—nay, may be found incapable of being produced or preserved except when relegated to a secondary place—when the allusions which have strangled religion shall be burnt away, and the immortal part of it restored to its rightful sovereignty. A long weary road may be before us. Not easily will an inviolable atmosphere of reverence form around spiritual faith to warn off the insolent intruder. Piety, reverence, humble adoration of the great Maker of the world, are in themselves so beautiful that religious faith might have remained forever behind that enchanted shield, if imaginative devotion could have kept within bounds its wild demands upon reason. Not till Catholics had piled superstition on superstition, not till Protestants had elaborated a speculative theology which conscience as well as intellect at length flung from it as incredible, did the angels which guarded the shrine fold their wings and fly. The Garden of Eden is desecrated not by the trampling of controversy, and no ingenious reconciliations of religion and science, no rivers of caustic holy water, can restore the ruined loveliness of traditionary faith. But the truth which is in religion will assert itself again as it asserted itself before. A society without God in the heart of it is not permitted to exist; and when once more a spiritual creed has established itself which men can act on in their lives, and believe with their whole souls, it is hoped that they will have grown wiser by experience, and will not again leave the most precious of their possessions to be ruined by the extravagance of exaggerating credulity."

Pins and Needles.

THEIR ANCIENT ORIGIN.—WHEN FIRST MADE IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA, ETC.

Pins were made and used by the ancient Egyptians, many being found in tombs and in the pyramids. Needles are also of ancient origin. The first pins manufactured in England were made in 1626; Birmingham is now the headquarters of the pin trade of Great Britain. When pins were first made in England the raw material passed through fourteen different processes before completion, and each of these processes employed a separate operative. The operations consisted of straightening the wire, pointing, cutting into pin length, twisting wire for heads, annealing heads, stamping heads, cleaning, polishing, winnowing, paper pricking and putting in papers.

The business of pin-making was established in this country in 1812, when in consequence of the war with Great Britain, the price rose from 6 cents to $1 per paper. Discontinuation soon consequently stimulated, and pins were manufactured at Greenwich, N. Y. At the close of hostilities the effort was abandoned, as we could no longer compete with English cheap labor and low rates of interest. In 1821, Lemuel Wright, of Massachusetts, invented and patented in England the first machine that made solid-headed pins, but the enterprise lacked encouragement, and it was nearly ten years subsequent before pins of his make were sold in London. Perfect pins by this process were manufactured during the revolution on a single wheel, and this machine, since considerably improved, is the one used at present in the largest manufactories in Birmingham.

Since 1824 several Americans have patented machines for making pins, but the most successful invention was the work of a Mr. Fowler. But the entire process is a mystery to the uninitiated, and the secret is carefully kept hidden from curious eyes. Most of the best American pins are made in Connecticut after Fowler's process. In one establishment are 85 machines, which consume annually many tons of brass or iron wire, and turn out millions of pins. Brass pins are whitened by long boiling in copper vessels containing block tin. The process of making white iron pins is still a secret. There are eight pin factories in the United States, with an annual product of abnut 7,000,000,000 pins.

Pin-papers are marked by the use of a molded piece of wood, which corresponds to those portions represented by the small folds, through which the holes are made for the pins to be secured. The pin-sticker, usually a girl, gathers two of the folds together, and places these between the jaws of a vise having grooves to serve as a guide for the entry of the pins. When filled the paper is released, and held up so that the eye of an expert at once detects every defective pin, and causes its removal.

The first needles made in England were manufactured at London by a negro who came there from Spain during the reign of Queen Mary. He died without imparting the secret of his art; but it was subsequently recovered in 1565 by one Elias Growse. A century later, one Christopher Greening was instrumental in establishing a pin factory at Long Creadon, in Buckinghamshire. English needles of the best makes are very elastic, the metal being suitably tempered, and the eyes all finely finished and burnished, so as not to cut the thread. A great many needles are spoiled while in the process of tempering, as the steel of which they are made is apt to be so variable in quality, and in a heated state, while undergoing chemical action, they are easily injured. Scorching is also a delicate operation, and needles when not properly hardened and polished are always of inferior strength, and quickly accumulate rust.

Strict Vegetarianism.

A man wandering down the street, and approaching a grocery store, asked of the proprietor:

"You got some greens, don't it?"

"Greens? Yes, sir."

"You got rooting bakers?"

"Rutabagas? Yes, sir." How many will you have?"

"Got some little red plates, mit green tops?"

"Red plates, with green tops? Well, no, sir. I suppose you will find them at the china store up town."

"Don't got no little red plates? Guess it was better if you got some. Guess you vos a liar. Vot you call dose?

"Those? Why, those are radishes."

"Red dishes—dot's what I said. Say, maybe I got me some leiters of you tomorrow. You got dot?"

"Letters? There are no letters here for you; you must inquire at the postoffice."

"Ankwire mit the postoffice for letters? Dose vos a fine skeems. I vos up town and auf a bake-shop and want me some buns, and de man said, 'Got out, you old bum, or I'll fire you troo the door.'"

"You should have said buns. He, no doubt.—

"Bums? Dot's vot I said— bums; and den I comes and wants some red dishes, and you say to go auf der china store; I want some letters to ead and you say go mit der postoffice. I egspect of I want me some beets you tole me to go mit de station-house. I tell you vot I do, you can go to the tyfel. Of you vos a nice man, I vant some injins, und cowcumbers, und blendy dings, but I guess I go mit the drug store und buy a brick und beddles rat pizen."

The Society of Women.

One of the great benefits a young man may derive from woman's society is that he is bound to be respectful to them. The habit is of great good to moral young men, depend upon it. Our education makes of us the most eminently selfish men in the world. We fight for ourselves; we cut the best slice out of the joint at the club dinners for ourselves; we yawn for ourselves, and light our pipes, and say we won't go out; we prefer ourselves and our ease; and the greatest good that comes to a man from woman's society is that he has to think of somebody besides himself—somebody to whom he is bound to be constantly attentive and respectful.

I don't want my dear Bob to associate with those of the other sex whom he does not and cannot respect; that is worse than billiards, worse than smoking selfishly at home, but I vow I would rather see you turning over the leaves of Miss Middlecomb's music book all night than at billiards, or smoking, or brandy and water.

How Grapes Feed.

We had planted a row of Delaware vines, one of which was about three feet from a hole in which a quantity of bones had been buried. The vines all made healthy growth, but the one referred to was specially vigorous. This, however, we attributed to its general vigor, and not to any special influence, having forgotten all about the buried bones. But one day, after digging near this hole, we noticed that our healthy, vigorous vine was wilting, and in a few hours it was as completely wilted as if it had been pulled up by the roots and exposed to a hot sun. Unable to account for this strange circumstance, and suspecting some new enemy, we dug it up, carefully following all the shoots to their extremities.

To our surprise, however there was only one root of any consequence, and this led directly to the bones in the hole. Following it up, we came to where we had cut it, and there taking up the severed end, and following that we found that the parent root was one mass of roots. It was evident, therefore, that when first set out, one root had set off in the direction of the bones, and on reaching them, had found such a supply of nutriment that it alone was competent to carry to the vine all the food it wanted. The other root therefore dwindled away, or, at least, made but a trifling growth, and the vine, depending wholely upon the single root just described, perished when it was cut off.

We may add that the root was almost bare of fibrils, or branches, in its course from the vine to the bones, but once there, it divided and branched in every direction, running into the interior of the hollow bones, and clasping about internal and external surface with a perfect network of fibrils. To us it showed several points. Bones are evidently one of the best manures for the vine, and as we wish them to last for years they need not be broken up. As it is well to have the roots extend over a considerable space, bones or any other very rich manure should not be placed in holes, but distributed through the soil.

Advice to Young Ladies.

Ladies—caged birds of beautiful plumage, but sickly looks—pale pets of the parlor, who vegetate in an unhealthy atmosphere, like the potato germinating in a dark cellar, why do you not go into the open air and warm sunshine, and add lustre to your eyes, bloom to your cheeks, elasticity to your steps, and vigor to your frames? Take exercise; run up the hill on a wager, and down again for fun; roam the fields, climb the fences, leap over the ditches, wade the brooks, and, after a day of exhilerating exercise and unrestrained liberty, go home with an appetite acquired by healthy enjoyment. The beautiful blooming young lady—rosy cheeked and bright-eyed—who can darn a stocking, mend her own frock, command a regiment of pots and kettles, and be a lady when required, is a girl that young men are in quest of for a wife. But you pining, screwed up, wasp-wasted, doll-dressed, consumption-mortgaged, music-murdering, novel-devouring daughters of fashion and idleness, are no more fit for matrimony than a pullet is to look after a brood of fourteen chickens. The truth is, dear girls, that you want less fashionable restraint and more liberty of action; more kitchen and less parlor; more leg exercise and less sofa; more frankness and less mock modesty. Loosen your waist-strings, and breathe pure atmosphere, and become something as good and beautiful as nature desiged.

The English girl rides, walks, drives, rows upon the water, runs, dances, plays, sings, jumps the rope, throws the ball, hurls the quoit, draws the bow, keeps up the shuttlecock—and all this without having it forever upon her mind that she is thereby wasting her time. She does it every day until it becomes a habit which she will follow up through life. Her frame, as a natural consequence, is large, her muscular system in better subordination, her strength more enduring, and the whole tone of her mind healthier.

Care of Flowers in Winter.

A writer for Vick's Magazine says:—We have a good many things that one cannot find room for in the house during winter, and I wish to tell you my plans. Of course, things that are quite tender cannot be saved, but there are a few things that are not quite hardy at the North that, with very little trouble, may be saved as well as not. I dig a pit, say two feet in depth, and look well to the drainage, so that water will not settle into it during winter thaws, or in the spring. In the bottom of this I plant tritamas, carnations, and things that will bear a good deal of frost but are not quite able to stand our severe northern winters. I find it a good place to keep over young hollyhock plants and sometimes make a little bed of pansies in one corner. As soon as I have everything planted I cover the pit with boards loosely, leaving spaces between each for air. Over the boards I throw some straw or corn stalks, and when there happens to be a few fine days I remove a good part of the covering, and give the pit a regular airing, always taking advantage of a January thaw for this purpose. If I have an old sash or two I use them instead of the boards, for the sake of light. I have no trouble in keeping plants in such a pit, and I can pick pansy flowers from it nearly half the winter, and tritoma flowers may sometimes be had. Having derived so much benefit from a pit of this kind, I am very anxious that all lovers of flowers should enjoy its advantages.

However fond one may be of flowers, there will be days during the winter when the care of them will be irksome, as, with their rapid evaporation, they need unremitting care in our warm, dry rooms. For this reason, as well as for their more sightly appearance, we have preferred for some years to use window boxes for the major part of our plants, using pots only for specimen plants, or such as require some special care. Window boxes have the advantage of not only appearing well to our neighbors from the exterior, but also "furnish," as ladies would say. If properly started, with good porous earth, well mixed with sand or sawdust, they require but little attention, and will contain an astonishing number of plants.

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ADRIAN, Dec. 8, 1882.—To whom interested: Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examination, and its application in selecting glasses to fit the eye, can only be acquired by a knowledge of that useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes, with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants. Poor glasses are an abomination.

V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Dec. 21, 1882.—I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles.

C. BYNE, M.D.

ADRIAN, Dec. 15, 1882.—I take pleasure in recommending Mr. Mincer's glasses as being of a very superior quality, and his method of fitting them to the eyes as the very best.

S. A. FOWERS.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of good glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.

DANIEL TODD, M.D.

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I. S. B. WILLIAMS, M.D.

NORENCI, Dec. 2, 1881.

I take pleasure in recommending all persons who need glasses to aid the eye, to use the kind furnished by Mr. Mincer, who is capable of fitting the eye with the very best quality.

REV. J. CRABBS.

LAKEFIELD, Mich., Dec. 10, 1881.

Mr. B. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, has occasionally visited this county, and has fitted me with a pair of glasses for myself; also my wife, with which we are much pleased, and would not part with them, and we take pleasure in recommending him to the public as a thorough optician and will fit any eye.

J. H. LAVERTY, M.D.

DELTA, Ohio, April 26, 1882.

I take pleasure in recommending all persons who are compelled to use glasses for weak eyes or any other affected by age, or by the use of poor glasses, to try B. Mincer, optician. I have purchased of him a pair of glasses which are the best I ever used.

S. T. WORDEN, M.D.

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Anton Wattler	G. W. Marsden,
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Miss Hattie Porter,	W. I. Knapp,
Mrs. Myron Bally,	S. E. Blakesly, Attorney,
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THE LOST CHILD.

A FATE WORSE THAN ABDUCTION.

How Parents, by a Lack of Precaution and Care, are Responsible for the Death of Their Children.

(Camden, Me., Herald.)

The moral and legal responsibility of parents in the care of their children is, fortunately, attracting the serious attention of the better portion of the entire country. The many instances of child beating, oppression, and other forms of cruelty which come to light, demand that something be done, and it is gratifying to know that the people are becoming thoroughly aroused.—Whether the cruelty be in the form of physical violence or physical neglect matters not — the principal in both cases is the same. The man or woman who neglects his or her own health may be pardoned, as the consequences fall upon the individual alone; but the inroads of disease upon the innocent ones dependent upon him for protection, is criminally liable in the sight of God, however he may appear in the eyes of men. There are, however, parents that intend to care for their children, but who through carelessness or the urgency of other duties, permit them to become the innocent victims of disease. Such parents may be guiltless of intentional wrong, but the disastrous results upon their children are just as great.

These are truths which must be manifest to every worthy parent and especially in a vicinity where the unknown effects of the atmosphere, the water and the general tendency to malaria are so great. There are many families in this locality who have been called upon to mourn untimely losses, even when the greatest care was exercised; but the experience of one only will be given: It is that of the late W. O. Thomas. The children were all most promising, but for some unexplained reason their health and strength seemed to gradually lessen until their friends feared they were the victims of consumption. One by one, they sickened and died until three had departed and two of the surviving brothers were also taken ill. Their names were Hermon and Edward. Hermon, however, seemed the stronger of the two; and, while his younger brother was confined to the house constantly, and to his bed much of the time, Hermon was able to be about but in so weak a condition that he had no desire to play. Eddie's symptoms were terrible! He found difficulty in retaining food upon his stomach, was restless and irritable, and out of his head frequently. At various times three different physicians visited him; each one told his friends he could not live. He finally got so low that death was only considered a matter of a few days. At that critical time his elder brothers, aroused almost to the pitch of desperation by the three deaths that had so recently occurred, and the other one staring them in the face, resolved to take the case into their own hands. They accordingly did so, and secured a remedy that was then being universally used, and began giving it to him. Its effect at first was slight, but any improvement was considered a good symptom. By degrees his strength returned; he was able to eat with a relish, then walk about the house; and finally he regained complete health and strength. The boy was so rejoiced over his recovery that, accompanied by the editor of this paper, he went before Justice Charles K. Miller and made oath to the facts of his sickness as above related, and that he was restored to perfect health by the use of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure.

Now, Edward Thomas's parents, while they lived, undoubtedly, provided faithfully for the wants of all their children; and yet the seed of disease had taken deep root. Their care in one direction had been counteracted by unknown carelessness in another. Their love was sincere, but wholly misdirected. They should have known that children are just as liable to kidney and liver diseases as grown up people; and that the fatality of Bright's disease of the kidneys is just as great among little children as with adults. This is a serious subject. Hereditary traits: the after consequences of measles and scarlet fever, diphtheria and the passing troubles which so easily become chronic, all the greatest care and caution. No case of cholera infantum, measles, scarletina or diphtheria was ever virulent while the child's kidneys were healthy. Would simply be an impossibility. These important organs of the body are just forming within the child and growing with its growth; and they can be trained to strength and health as readily as the little mind can be trained to truth and uprightness.

The importance of carefully watching the slightest troubles of the child, and especially those effecting the kidneys and liver, cannot be too strongly emphasized. Children respond so readily to the proper remedies and are so sensitive to disease, that it is a sin to deprive them of one at the risk of incurring the other. By a judicious treatment these essential organs can be developed so that a strong constitution, able to resist the inroads of disease through coming years, shall be the result.

YOUR ATTENTION!—We hope our readers will not skip the advertisements, but peruse them carefully. It will be found in all cases that those advertising mean business. They are not content to stand by the wayside and spend all their time, which should be devoted to selling and buying, in merely making known to passers-by what they have to sell, but instead of using their own lungs they make use of the inexhaustable lungs of the Press.

A Free Acknowledgement.

I hereby certify that I habitually use Dr. Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" in my family in all those cases in which a domestic medicine is needed, and that it has never yet failed to accomplish the purpose desired. We look upon it as an anchor to windward that is sure to hold in every instance mentioned on the Doctor's bill of particulars. I make this acknowledgement freely, in the hope of doing good to others, feeling that a medicine that is near at hand and to be implicitly trusted is worth more than it costs. Rev. G. C. Estay,
Formerly Associate Editor Roundout Freeman.

POPULAR SONGS.

Origin and Authorship of Some of the Most Famous.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

"The Old Oaken Bucket" was written by Woodworth in New York city during the hot summer of 1817. He came into the house and drank a glass of water, and then said, "How much more refreshing it would be to take a good long drink from the old oaken bucket that used to hang in my father's well." His wife heard the remark, and suggested that it was a happy thought for a poem. He went and wrote the song as we have it. "Woodman, Spare That Tree," was the result of an incident that happened to George P. Morris. A friend's mother had given a little place in the country which she was obliged, from poverty, to sell. On the place grew a huge oak which had been planted by his grandfather. The purchaser of the house and land proposed to cut down the tree, and Morris' friend paid him $10 for a bond that the oak should be spared. Morris heard the story and [illegible] the song [illegible] "Old Dog Tray," of which 125,000 copies were sold in the first eighteen months after its publication, was written by Foster on a piece of brown wrapping paper in the back room of a grocery store, where he was fond of lounging. Poor Foster's last days were extremely unhappy. He lived in New York, personally a stranger, but known to, every one through his songs.

Foster's "Old Folks at Home" was the best song he ever wrote. Over 400,000 copies were sold by the firm that first published it, and the author is said to have received $15,000 for his share of the sale. The idea of writing negro melodies occurred to Foster from seeing what pleasure was given by the crude absurdities presented in his time by the minstrels. He thought he could do better. "Kathleen Mavourneen" was sold by Crouch, the author, for $25, and brought the publishers as many thousands. Crouch was hopelessly improvident, and in his latter days became a tramp. When Mad. Titiens was in this country a number of years ago she sung "Kathleen Mavourneen," in New York, when a dirty tramp introduced himself as Crouch, was recognized, and thanked her for singing the song so well. "Bonnie Doon" was the only English song that the Emperor Napoleon liked. He detested all the music of Britain, and at St. Helena said that it was the only tolerable composition the English had ever produced. "I'll Hang My Harp on a Willow Tree," is said to have been the composition of a young English nobleman who had fallen hopelessly in love with the Princess Victoria. When she succeeded to the throne he gave up in despair and wrote this famous ballad. "Annie Laurie" is 200 years old, and was the production of a man named Douglass to celebrate the praise of a girl named Laurie. The lady afterward, with true feminine inconstancy, deserted the man who made her famous and married another man named Ferguson.

The Mining Prospector.

The genus prospector, a man of medium height, a rather lightly, but firmly knit frame, age anywhere between 25 and 35, a fine face, gentle but firm, bronzed with exposure to many a fierce storm, stamped with that unmistakable expression impressed on the features of those who, day after day, stand face to face with danger and death, a face that a girl in distress will turn to without hesitation; that a rowdy will turn from with fear and hatred. His first movement betrays the frontiersman. A rapid piercing glance around the park; neither human foe nor edible game being in sight, his next glance is to the sky. Apparently satisfied with the inspection, his first care is to attend to his jack, or "burro," to use the mountain phrase; then, having liberated the burro with a drag on the end of his rope which will effectually prevent his straying from that park, he turns to his fire, blows it into a blaze, puts on his coffee-pot to boil, and then to his toilet. Three inches of comb, two square inches of looking glass, a coarse towel, a piece of yellow soap, a tooth brush and the toilet table is furnished. Now follow him to the dressing-room; a dozen steps down the creek takes him to where a little dam has formed a crystal pool. Down on the moss-covered rocks goes the broad, white hat, the collar of the blue flannel shirt is rolled back disclosing the neck and chest of an athlete. Oh how cold, how refreshing, how invigorating that water is fresh from the snow above. The toilet finished, breakfast is the next consideration. The coffee having boiled is placed on one side to settle, the bacon fried, the batter for a pile of "slap-jacks" beaten up, he fries one of the abominations, throwing it into the air and catching it on the reversed side with the precision of an old timer, and now he plunges into the tent and emerges with the "chuck box," or in English, "mess chest," into the inmost recesses of which he dives, and from conglomeration of cartridges, buckskin thongs, steel traps, needles and thread, sailor's palm, mineral specimens, three or four letters, a Seaside Library book very torn and dirty, a pair of Mexican spurs, odds and ends of strings, etc., produces a small canvas sack of salt, ditto of sugar, half a gallon can of syrup, and breakfast is ready and the table is set. To dispatch the meal takes but a little while. Short as the time is, however, it is not wasted, for observe the upturned face, the eager searching glance, peak after peak is scanned, formation, color noted, until apparently satisfied with the inspection. The meal is finished, plate and cup washed and put away; the morning pipe is lit and smoked while he goes through his pockets to see if his outfit is complete, matches, compass, knife, magnifying glass, all safe. Catching up the burro and picketing him on fresh grass finishes the morning chores and we are ready for the day's work.

An Iron Watch.

S. A. Lettimore in The Continent.

At a recent fair held in Worcestershire, Messrs. Crowther Brothers & Co. exhibited a watch, in perfect running order, constructed wholly of iron. The object of this curiosity was to illustrate the malleability of iron and its consequent adaptation to a wide variety of novel uses, especially as an advantageous substitute for glass in a number of domestic articles. Such articles when made of thin iron plate possess the two desirable properties of strength and lightness, while elegance of form is far more easily attained. Such articles may be easily electro-plated with silver, gold, nickel, platinum, or adorned with all the beauty of the enameler's art.

Rest, Sleep, Worry and Work.

Philadelphia Press.

Over-work will shorten life at any period. Children should be brought up to play, not to work. Work should begin only when all the faculties, mental and physical, are developed. Brain work will kill more quickly than manual labor. Three hours of brain work are equal to seven hours of manual labor, in the consumption of vital tissues. Men should work six days and rest one. Sleep is necessary to all persons. We can scarcely sleep too much. Grown people should sleep seven or eight hours in every twenty four. Children should sleep so long as they want to, ten hours at least. Worry kills more people than work.

Nearly a Terrible Loss.

It was at the shore, and a gentleman was chatting on his cottage porch with two or three guests. His pretty daughter came up from the beach, just out of the surf. "O papa," she exclaimed, "only think; I was nearly drowned." Papa, pathetically to his friends, "Gentlemen, do you hear that? I have spent more than five thousand dollars on that girl's education, and to-day she was nearly drowned."

Valley Developments.

Sandersville (Ga.) Mercury.

An old lady from one of the rural districts astonished a clerk in one of the stores by inquiring if he had any "valley developments such as they did up letters in."

Keep Busy.

In no place in our columns can we better give this advice than here. Men, says Dr. Hall, who have half a dozen irons in the fire, are not the ones who go crazy. It is the man of voluntary or compelled leisure who mopes, and pines, and thinks himself into the mad-house or the grave. Motion is all nature's law. Action is man's salvation, physical and mental. And yet, nine of ten are wistfully looking forward to the coveted hour when they shall have leisure to do nothing or something only if they feel like it—the very siren that has lured to death many a [illegible] man. Rarely is truly wise who lays himself out to work till life's latest hour, and that is the man who will live the longest, and will live to the most purpose.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CASE.

[illegible] Feb. 20th, 1880.

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A Forlorn Hope.

Otto J. Doesburg, proprietor Holland City News, Mich., writes: "A bad cold settled on my side and back, kidney trouble, liver and rheumatism combined; I suffered terribly, though was obliged to move about and attend to business. I tried local doctors, but receiv'd no relief, and as a forlorn hope tried your Thomas' Eclectric Oil; have only used half a fifty cent bottle, and feel as well as I ever did in my life.

The other day, on a railroad car, a conductor had a smile for the little children, offered kindly to help the feeble women, and benefitted all by the clear tones in which he called out the names of the stations. A stupid man got on the wrong train, and a stupid woman neglected to get off at the right time; but for both this conductor stopped the cars with an unruffled face and no act of petulant insult. The day before he had taken his part in the prayers and songs of the little church where he lived, and there was where his strength came from. Nowhere is christianity more needed than in the steamboat or railroad car, and nowhere, therefore, is Christ more ready to help us.

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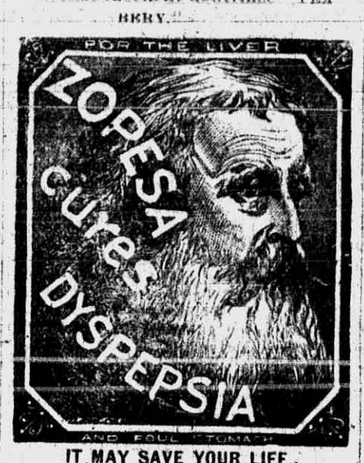

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 22, 1883.

Autumn, winter and spring were all represented in last Sunday's weather.

Wiggins storm got side-tracked somewhere and was delayed a week. That's all.

It will now be in order for Mr. Wiggins to predict a hot spell of weather about next harvest time.

David Davis has got married at last. It will now be in order for some one to nominate him for the presidency in 1884.

Divorces in America and dynamite in Europe are stirring up society and politics. One is about as damaging as the other.

Fifteen years ago this month a big snow fall of four feet occurred. The temperature however was not as low as on last Monday and Tuesday.

The oldest inhabitant is again put to his trumps to remember the time when ten below zero weather has struck this latitude on the 20th day of March.

For diversified industry these United States take the cake. The ice is twenty feet thick at Macinaw, and corn is two feet high in Southern Texas.

Adrian having decided to establish water works is now in search of a water supply. If this weather continues they could melt snow for this season's supply.

The late Gov. Stephens, of Georgia, occupied for years the same rooms in Washington at the National Hotel, the identical rooms which were used by Henry Clay.

Congressman Flower, of New York, has covered $400 of his salary into the U. S. treasury, being the proportion for thirty days absence from duty. Flowers of this kind are exceedingly rare at Washington.

There is a good deal of pointer to the square inch down in Rhode Island now. Ex Gov. Sprague has been nominated by the Independents and endorsed by the Democrats and "Little Rhody" is being stirred up clear to the bottom.

The Maclean libel suit against the Evening News was called last Monday. Owing to the sudden death of Dr. Farrand, one of Maclean's witnesses, and sickness in Col. Atkinson's family, of counsel for the defense, the case was postponed by mutual consent for one week.

Prof. Beal, of Lansing, advocates the collection of road taxes in money. This is the Ohio system, and many counties in that state have excellent gravel roads. The present hap-hazard system of "road work" now in vogue in this state, should certainly be reformed in some way.

Gov. Butler's veto message shows a peculiar state affairs in Massachusetts. In the reformatory prison for women the salaries are over 91 per cent of the total appropriation for carrying on the institution. Of the amount appropriated for the Reform School for Boys, $20,000 is for salaries and $15,000 for other expenses.

The Lansing Journal in speaking of Mr. O'Brien, one of the candidates for Judge on the Republican ticket, says. "Mr. O'Brien's nomination is the reverse of that of Governor Blair. He is young in years and professional service, unknown to the masses of the people of the state, is distant and aristocratic in manner and feeling, and is the servile tool of a great railroad corporation. We fervently hope that no such calamity awaits the people of Michigan as the election of this railroad attorney to the supreme court."

The system of building levees on the banks of the Mississippi is all wrong. The great river cannot be penned in nor dammed up. On this subject the Memphis Avalanche wisely says:

"The Mississippi at flood tide is a power that cannot be controlled by mud banks, and we must accept the situation and regulate it as we may. Instead of closing up the outlets, they should be opened out in every direction wherever there is a chance to let out some of the superabundant water. Sooner or later experience will teach that the theory of confining the flood waters to one channel must be abandoned.

A PROGRESSIVE PLATFORM.

A friend of ours has handed us the following platform of principles which he thinks the honest men of both parties could stand upon. Although we could criticise one or two planks in this platform, still as a whole, it is a good one; and if the people are ever to secure their rights, political parties must be reorganized at an early day on a platform similar to this one.

PREAMBLE.

WHEREAS, The alarming tendency of the co-operative centralization of capital for political power, the increase of departments and official positions, augmenting salaries, and a system to this end, requiring a high tariff internal revenue and general taxation, the tying up of material wealth from its legitimate channels of promoting health, intelligence, general prosperity and bliss, thereby oppressing the productive industries.

AND WHEREAS, The leading political parties are under the control of this money power and are becoming oppressive monopolies.

Therefore, To meet the demands of the times, it becomes the duty of the masses to renew their declarations of principles, and be ever cautious in the selection of public servants, remembering that eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.

DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES.

1st. An amendment to the national constitution, providing for the election of President, Vice President and United States Senators by direct vote of the people. In the national canvass for President and Vice President each state to be counted according to its representatives in Congress. Also fixing the salaries of each of the above, including representatives in Congress, Judges of the Supreme Court and heads of all government departments.

2d. A practical tariff, being prejudicial to the world's progress, and from the great expense attending collections, mainly renumerative to capitalists, therefore a gradual approach to free trade is desirable.

3d. Equal and exact justice demands an amendment to the national constitution, granting equal suffrage and eligibility to office without distinction of race, property or sex.

4th. The gradual increase of crime, enlargement of prisons, poorhouses and asylums are evidence of defective organic law, therefore an amendment to the national constitution, prohibiting the manufacture, sale, importation and exportation of all alcoholic beverages is desirable, with a view of raising the moral and intellectual standard, lessening the incentives to crime and diminishing the great expense of our judicial system, which is mainly conspicuous for keeping humanity in a perpetual broil.

5th. High official salaries having a tendency to corrupt the entire political fabric, a reduction is seemingly indispensable, so that the net earnings, rank for rank, shall not exceed those of other industries; it requiring no greater skill or intelligence in discharging official duties, than extending the arts and sciences and manipulating the varied mechanical and agricultural machinery.

6th. National banks being untaxed, and their issues not a legal tender, and having the power of controlling the circulating medium, therefore an amendment is desirable, abolishing the national banking system and all individual or co-operative banking, except exchange brokers, and fixing the amount of circulating medium in time of peace at twenty dollars per capita, the same to consist of the free coinage of gold and silver and legal tender treasury notes.

7th. The payment of the national debt as fast as it becomes due, instead of building vaults to hold the specie that is flowing into the treasury, and no issuing of bonds or refunding.

8th. The regulation of internal commerce by Congress so as to prevent unjust carrying rates and exorbitant discrimination in local freights.

9th. The adjustment of the patent laws so as to protect the innocent purchaser against prosecution.

10th. Sectarian control in matters of government being dangerous to liberty and scientific research, therefore mormonism or polygamy should be forever prohibited.

11th. The establishment of a system of free schools for the universal education of all the youth of the land between the ages of six and fourteen years. Protection against subjecting children under fourteen years of age to manual labor, except sufficient to promote physical and mental growth.

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Two prominent citizens of Adrian who used coal out of the same bin got into a law suit and one of them obtained a judgment against the other for 182 pounds of coal. Another effect of the severe winter.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, March 20th, 1883.

Any one living outside of New York have no idea how the boxing mania has seized upon the popular fancy. Young men and old men, laborers and professional men are all able to discuss the merits of the gladiators, and the number of these trying to fit themselves for the art of handling their "dukes" by a course of boxing lessons is legion. Women and girls too have caught the fever. In a quiet side street just off Sixth Avenue one of the professional female boxers who used to display her science at Harry Hill's so-called sporting theatre has opened a gymnasium for ladies. She is an Englishwoman of about 35 years, massive in proportions, a hard hitter, and despite her weight agile as a cat. I believe she was born near a colliery in the north of England and learned the "noble art" in many a hard fought battle with the semi-brutal roughs that can always be found in the vicinity of mines. Her gymnasium has not been open very long, but she already boasts of a renumerative number of pupils. Do not suppose that the ladies who take lessons from her come from her own walk of life. On the contrary, they're nearly all rich and cultured young women, who in their idleness have ruminated upon the conversations of their brothers, husbands and perhaps fathers, on the prowess of the Slades, the Maces, the Sullivans, the Edwards, and the lesser lights of the P. R., and then seized with a desire of going and doing likewise.

Sahni Morse is untertrified. He was discharged on the complaint that he had given a public performance without having secured a license. Now he says that he will produce his "service" in his "church" without a license. He declares it an outrage that he should be compelled to obtain a license when Dr. Talmage, Brother Barnes and other sensationalists are free to do as they please. "But don't you see," he exclaimed excitedly in a manner which was intended to be humorous however, "how heaven visits those who have persecuted me? There Ex-Mayor Grace falls from his carriage; Wm. E. Dodge dies suddenly; what next? I am going to produce the Passion, and all the cant in the world shall not stop me."

There is every indication that the summer exodus to Europe will be very large, fully as heavy as last year, and that was enormous. The Cunard, White Star, Inman and other favorite lines have been doing advance booking for weeks past. Most of the berths are engaged for May and June, and so far as the fashionable steamers are concerned, such as the Arizona, the Gallia, the Germanic, etc. I do not think that they have a stateroom unengaged for those two months. It strikes me that something ought to be done to provide a proper means of escape in case of any kind of accident. I am assured by people in a position to know, at all events not one Trans-Atlantic steamer carries a sufficient number of life boats to accommodate the entire crew and the enormous number of passengers usually carried, should it be necessary for them to leave the vessel simultaneously. Of course sailors are always capable of rigging up something in case of emergency, but it is not comforting to know that at a critical moment one's life may have to be trusted to a makeshift.

For the last three days we have had the most charming spring weather imaginable. The sparrows, who seem to have been reinforced by emigration from Massachusetts where they have been outlawed, are superabundant, and nearly every morning I have been awakened by their vociferous chirping on the trees in front of my window. The tramps too have reappeared from their winter lurking places, and bask themselves on the benches in the public parks. The former German professor with blue spectacles, who addresses you in a half dozen different languages, the ex-army officer, and the thoroughbred degraded bum, who seems not to have been born, but to have grown up on some heap of refuse. Soon they will leave town and go on their usual summer pilgrimage through the country, working when they must, and begging when they can, but enjoying themselves thoroughly. For business people this mild weather is a godsend. The spring trade in fancy goods, millinery, dressmaking, etc., has been wretchedly bad thus far. The prolonged cold and wet has made the warmest kind of wraps indispensable, and as to looking nice, as all ladies like to do, it was impossible when rain and slush ruined everything except rubber cloaks. The fear now is, however, that the weather will grow so warm at once that there will be no time for the shop-keepers to dispose of their stock. It's an ill wind that blows nobody any good, for should the warmth maintain itself, there will be no need of investing in a new eight dollar silk hat. The shapes are excruciating and calculated to break the hearts of modest young men. All that is wanting is that the hatters put huge silver buckles on the band, and then we will have a perfect fac simile of the style in vogue in the *Incroyable* days in the early part of the century.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

State teachers' institute for Kent county at Rockford, April 2-6.

Manistee M. E. church now out of debt, with $190 surplus.

Dr. Henry Edwards, 12 years a resident of Flint, died last week.

Several cases of cerebro-spinal meningitis have appeared at Charlotte.

About 50,000,000 feet of logs have been banked near Republic, I. S.

Battle Creek has 12,000 inhabitants, and only four deaths occurred there during February.

The erection of the Roscommon water works is being arranged for, cost, $7,000.

Some of the fishermen on the ice at Marquette take 150 pounds of white fish a day.

A free trade league was organized at Jackson last week; president Judge L. M. Powell.

The G. R. & I. railroad company will build a new passenger depot at Petoskey the coming season.

An edge tool and cutlery factory will probably be Battle Creek's next enterprise.

Prof. Fallas resigns the principalship of Cedar Springs' union school, on account of ill health.

Patrons of the Olivet cheese factory received an average of $10.35 net for each 1,000 pounds of milk during the past year.

The Brooklyn Light Guards have received their guns, and are now as happy as home guards of 20 years ago.

Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. is in a wonderfully prosperous condition; its new building and property will cost $40,000.

Hathaway, the last of the Coldwater fire bugs of two years ago was last week sentenced to one year at Ionia.

Articles of association of the St. Louis manufacturing company are being drawn up, $11,250 having been subscribed.

A Muskegon lumberman thinks the lumber business is largely overdone, and will be satisfied if he can hold his own for five years.

Students in art at Grand Rapids have formed a society, will secure models, etc., and hope for a loan exhibition in the early future.

Several new brick business blocks and a large number of residences are to be built at Owosso as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

The secretary of the bureau of immigration has received applications for information from an Ohio and a Canadian colony who wish to settle in Presque Isle county.

Geo. A. Miles, of Casenovia, Muskegon county, dropped dead of heart disease while attending to stock in his barn a few days ago. He was an old resident.

A drug store, feed store and three general merchandise stores burned at Freeport, Muskegon county last week Thursday; loss $15,000, insurance $10,000.

Last December Jacob Otto, of Grand Rapids, disappeared; last week his body was found in Plaster creek. He had been slightly demented on religious matters.

A proposed spelling match at Battle Creek, between the lawyers and editors on one side and the school teachers on the other, has been declared off, the teachers having backed out.

The L. S. & M. S. depot at Monroe was damaged by fire $500 worth last week. The building was saved only by the efficiency of the company's water works.

The new shingle mill of the Grand Haven lumber company is completed and will soon be turning out 1,000,000 roof plasters per day, employing 200 hands. It is said to be the largest mill of its kind.

Charlotte still proposes to have an artesian well which shall supply the city with water for fire purposes. Last fall they sunk one but water did not come, and now they propose to continue the search.

John C. Clermont, of Schoolcraft, Kalamazoo county, has lived in Michigan nearly 73 years, having been born on Mackinaw island in June 1810. He now carries the mail at Schoolcraft between the office and depot.

Last week R. G. Peters, of Manistee, attempted to cross Manistee lake with a boiler weighing five tons, when the ice gave way and the boiler, worth $1,100, went down in thirty feet of water. The sleigh and one horse was also lost.

James Atherton, treasurer of Oscoda county, on reaching East Saginaw one day last week from Detroit, found himself minus $1,800. The money was in a large pocket-book in his overcoat pocket, and whether lost or stolen he cannot tell, but thinks some thief got it.

A colored horse thief in Calhoun county jail is a terror to all the other prisoners. A bully who was jailed a few days ago immediately wanted to see the "nigger," and in less than ten minutes had received from the "nigger" such a thrashing as made him as gentle as a lamb.

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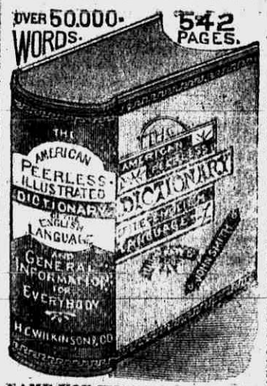

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Macon, March 20, 1883.

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John Cook has purchased the Timothy Mills property, on Logan street, and will make Tecumseh his home again.

Soldiers, Attention! Milo B. Stevens & Co., the well known War Claim Attorneys will be represented at Adrian, Wednesday and Thursday, March 28th and 29th by their special agent. Soldiers and others interested in claims for Pension, Increase of Pension, Arrears of Pay and Bounty of those charged with desertion, or other claims, is hoped will give him a call. His whereabouts may be ascertained at the office of the county clerk.

The Battle Creek Journal says: Families contemplating removing to Dakota are advised to consult their home carpenters for prices of a cottage to be built here and shipped to their proposed destination. The business of furnishing ready-made houses for Dakota is made a specialty in some localities, and an order to furnish a whole village like the following is often received: "What are your lowest figures for two stores, two wagon and two blacksmith shops, one Methodist and one Presbyterian church, twenty-five cottages, a town hall, and a lock up, to be delivered within sixty days?"

AUCTION SALES.

J. DeWitt Tallman having rented his farm will sell at auction on the premises, 2 miles west and ½ mile north of Tecumseh, on Wednesday, March 28th, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Two mares, 4 colts, 3 cows, 3 heifers, 3 yearlings, 9 bucks, Wood twine binder, Wood wire binder, Johnson self-rake reaper, 2 drags, 5 cultivators, horse power cutting box, Buckeye grain drill, set of trucks, corn sheller, lumber wagon, hay rack, two seated rockaway, top buggy, land rollers, hay fork with ropes and pulleys, 2 double harness, single harness, box scraper, &c. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

Neely & Clauherty will sell at auction on the premises 2 miles south of Tecumseh, on Tuesday, March 27th, at 1 P. M., the following property: 3 horses, 14 cows, 26 ewes, 12 lambs, 2 steers, 3 calves, 17 shoats, 8 young sows, Poland boar, Cotswold buck, 2 lumber wagons, bobs, single buggy, democrat wagon, Johnson reaper & mower, Royce reaper, land roller, wheel cultivator, 4 horse power, feed cutter, feed steamer, 2 bbl. vinegar, oil stove, parlor cook stove, wardrobe, 500 bush. corn, 600 bundles of rye, grindstone, Gimlet feed mill, 30 hens, Scotch harrow, square drag, Oliver plow, corn plow, corn cultivator, 3 single harness, 3 heavy harness, doz. cow chains, quantity of hay and corn stalks, &c. Usual terms of sale. Abe. Hanford, auctioneer.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 22, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Did you ever see the like?

The thaw has caught cold.

Wheat is going down again.

Preaching at the M. E. church this evening.

Better not plant early peas for a week or so yet.

The Governor's levee will take place at Detroit, March 29th.

The big snow storm has put a veto on railroad work this week.

The M. E. church of Monroe is around begging for help again.

Many a promising house plant was nipped in the bud last Tuesday morning.

Considerable real estate is changing hands in and around Tecumseh this spring.

Mrs. Geo. Smith and Mrs. E. Kurz, of Toledo, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

The Detroit Evening News is appreciated in this town. 170 copies are sold here daily.

The issue at the Battle Creek charter election this spring will be water works or no water works.

Gen. Jas. B. Weaver addresses the people of Hillsdale this Thursday, evening, on political topics.

The last work of Randolph Rogers, the well-known sculptor, was a bust of the late Prof. Williams, of Ann Arbor.

The thermometer of Milan Wheeler, whose farm is in the valley in Raisin, marked ten below zero last Tuesday morning.

John R. Clark will deliver his new lecture on "Blunders, Big and Little," at the Opera House, in Tecumseh, on Friday evening of next week, March 30th.

Friends, please accept our most hearty thanks for the liberal donation you made us last Friday, March 16th, 1883.

R. S. PARDINGTON & FAMILY.

It is reported that a vein of very fine glass sand has been discovered on the Southwick farm, near Ida. The discovery creates considerable excitement in the vicinity, as it is a large and valuable one.

The Republican caucus of Raisin will be held at the Town House, on Tuesday next, March 27th, at 2 o'clock P. M. The Raisin Union Caucus will be held at the same place and hour on Wednesday, March 28th.

Easter services will be observed next Sabbath at the M. E. church. In the morning the pastor will preach on "The Resurrection of Christ." In the evening a "Praise Service" interspersed with addresses and recitations will be held.

The surveyors on the M. & O. road finished last week the notes on a line from Britton to Petersburg. A line to Dundee was run the week before. It is not known yet which line will be adopted, and it is doubtful whether the company themselves have yet decided.

The St. Ignace Free Press says: The people at the "Soo" want some benevolent person to build them a grist mill and an opera house. They will donate a polar bear and a sufficient amount of ice to keep him on through the summer to the man who will build the latter.

The house of representatives has passed a bill reducing the inspection fee on illuminating oils from 16 cents to 12½ cents per barrel. State Oil Inspector S. J. Smith, gives some figures showing the fee to be too low. He thinks 13 cents is the lowest fee that can safely be charged.

Mrs. H. E. Stout has re-arranged her store and placed a new counter and show case therein which adds much to the convenience and elegance of the rooms. She has also added a new department to her business, that of art needle work, and will keep on hand a full line of choice material for doing that kind of work.

The Monroe Commercial says: Before returning home from the east Edwin Willits will visit several of the leading educational institutions with a view of learning the different methods pursued. Knowledge thus acquired will be used for the benefit of the state normal school, of which Mr. Willits takes charge as principal, next July.

A. W. Mills and W. B. Keyser were present at the meeting of the Ex. Committee of the County Agricultural Society last Saturday, and had a conference with the committee with reference to holding the County Fair next fall with our new society. The meeting adjourned till April 7th, at which time the location of the county fair will be definitely decided upon.

The National Relief and Accident Association are now occupying their new office rooms in the Richard block. They have procured the services of Mr. G. B. McIntosh of Flint, as ass't Sec'y, who will have general charge of the office business hereafter. Mr. McIntosh is a first-class book-keeper and penman, and will doubtless be a valuable acquisition to the association.

How is this for sugar weather?

John R. Clark will soon be home again.

Public examination in the public schools next week.

Read our "Real Estate for Sale" notices on the eight page.

The thermometer went down last Sunday 39° in six hours.

Kalamazoo has one hundred telephones in its local exchange.

Rev. Ira C. Billman is making free trade speeches about the state.

The March meeting of the Board of Supervisors is in session this week at Adrian.

Two newspaper men were chosen assessors at the Jonesville charter election.

M. V. Sickley is about opening a millinery store at Manchester.

The roads leading out of the city were getting to be in good condition before the last heavy snow fall.

Haverly's celebrated minstrels will give one of their entertainments at Adrian, on Saturday evening next, March 24.

J. H. Tatem, of Greenville, the nominee of the Prohibitionists for Judge of the Supreme Court, was a pump peddler in this county in 1866.

Miss Emma Salsbury who has been visiting the Misses Smith and Miss Allie Warren for the past few days returned to her home in Addison yesterday.

People having farms or village property to sell should advertise the same in the HERALD. We have calls almost daily from parties who wish to purchase.

We acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the Chicago Daily News' newsboy. He is a true type of the newsboy the world over. A nook in our sanctum has been accorded to him.

Persons wishing to buy village property should call at the HERALD office before purchasing. We have in charge several village houses and lots which can be bought cheap and on easy terms.

An enterprising Adrian grocer gives every man who visits his store a pail of saurkraut and one cent besides for his trouble. That grocer will have to do a big business to make anything on that plan.

We are pleased to hear that Chas. A. Thatcher, of Tiffin, O., will be in Tecumseh during the coming week delivering and receiving orders for ink and crayon portraits. The popularity of his work is constantly increasing among our people.

Now is your time to buy a Domestic or White Sewing Machine. Both companies have notified me that an advance of $5 will be required next order. The few I have in stock will be sold at present prices.

G. P. SPARKS.

A most dangerous counterfeit of the standard silver dollar has made its appearance in Ohio and Indiana; the exact weight, ring and appearance of the genuine, and resists the acid test unless the outer coating of silver is penetrated; would readily be accepted as genuine by merchants.

The Adrian Record says:

What has become of the Citizens' Association organized to look after the best interests of the city? Are they going to let the county fair go away without an effort to save it? The villages of Tecumseh and Morenci are alive over the prospect of securing it.

Respectfully referred to Ex-Mayor Navin.

The Ladies' Floral Cabinet for March, is on our table. This magazine is a favorite in our sanctum, as each number contains a large amount of matter both useful and entertaining to the ladies of the household. The price is only $1.25 per year and it is worth more than many of the high priced magazines. Published at 22 Vesey St., New York city.

The Manchester Enterprise says:

The canning of vegetables and fruits has become quite a paying business, and factories are established at various places. Why would it not be a good plan for some of our capitalists to invest a little of their surplus cash in a factory here?

Respectfully referred to some of the farmers about Tecumseh who are so anxious to place their surplus funds in seven per cent. mortgages.

Morenci Observer: The new co-operative insurance company, "The National Relief and Accident Association" of Tecumseh, has been doing an extensive business in our neighboring town of Fairfield. The active agents there are W. B. Warren and J. H. May who in addition to the local work, have done a good business for the company in other portions of the state.

The Tecumseh Fair is a fixed fact. There is considerable more work to be done to place the association in running order, but it will be smooth sailing hereafter. The officers already chosen, I. N. Hathaway, of Addison, for President, and A. W. Mills, of Tecumseh, for Vice President are admirable selections. This movement has been very wisely managed thus far, and it is in the hands of men who are bound to make it a success.

"Calvin" Stevens is home for a few days.

Rev. C. E. Conley went to Charlotte to-day to address the Foreign Mission conference of the Jackson association.

Gov. Begole Tuesday afternoon signed the bill making the Howell compilation of the laws evidence in the courts.

Rev. J. W. Payne, of Clinton, will occupy the Baptist pulpit of this village next Sunday evening in exchange with the pastor.

The river Raisin reached its highest point of the season at Monroe Tuesday. Shops, mills and lumber yards near the river were all flooded.

The young peoples society of the Baptist church will give a maple sugar festival in the chapel of the church, Thursday evening, March 29.

Those who failed to register last fall should see that their names are on the registration lists this spring. They must register or lose their votes.

An eight-years-old son of John Schley near Saline, Washtenaw co., was caught on the shaft of a sawing machine and twisted around several times before the machine could be stopped.

While the time-lock clock of the safe in the bank at Pentwater was being cleaned, some one thoughtlessly closed the door of the safe, and a man had to come all the way from Cincinnati to open it.

There is one disgusted man at Petoskey. He dug a hole in a hill, moved in some provisions, and lived in the hole himself during the three days and nights that Wiggins' storm was to have scattered things generally.

We received a letter from B. F. Reynolds this morning stating that Reynolds & Wilson had sold their sheep and would be home forthwith. We conclude the gentlemen have made good bargains as the letter was very good natured, and Ben says he will be on hand for all business in his line next week.

S. C. Stacy went to New York last week and took Dr. R. B. House with him to consult Dr. Roosa, an eminent aurist of that city. They had two lengthy interviews with Dr. Roosa which were entirely satisfactory. The weather was delightful during their stay in New York and the trip was a very pleasant one throughout. They left on Monday afternoon and arrived home safe and sound on Saturday noon.

Miss Anna Brewer, whose serious illness was announced last week, passed on to the better land last Friday. Her untimely death will be a severe blow to the widowed mother, who needed the consolation and help of a faithful daughter. The deceased was an ornament to society and among the most highly esteemed young ladies of our village. She will not only be missed in the family circle but will be sincerely mourned by the entire community. The funeral services were held at Mrs. Brewer's family residence on Monday afternoon last and were attended by a large and sympathetic concourse of friends.

OUR PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The HERALD in a recent issue called attention to the fact that a project was under way to establish a public library in the village of Tecumseh.

The committee to solicit subscriptions to the capital stock, which was divided into shares of five dollars each, have succeeded so well that the establishment of a good library is beyond question. Already 120 shares have been taken, and the committee have decided to call the subscribers together to effect a permanent organization, elect officers &c. A meeting for this purpose will be held one week from to-night, on Thursday, March 29, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., at Dr. House & Jones' office. Every subscriber to stock will be entitled to one vote for each share, and are eligible to office.

The committee propose to increase the number of shares to 200 if possible before the meeting, and they earnestly solicit any person who is interested in the matter of providing healthy and instructive reading for our people, young and old, to help forward this enterprise by subscribing for stock. You can find a subscription paper at the postoffice where Miss Jennie Rosecrans will be pleased to receive your name for one or more shares. All subscribers taking five shares become life members. Below we publish a list of subscribers for the shares already taken.

LIFE MEMBERS, 5 SHARES $25 EACH.

O. P. Bliss, R. B. House, V. M. Mills, Wm. De Mott, Mrs. S. M. Hayden, A. L. Brewer, O. B. De Witt, J. B. Swan.

ONE SHARE, $5 EACH.

S. W. Anderson, Mrs. S. W. Anderson, Chas. H. Hayden, Lizzie F. Hayden, Stacy Bros., Jas. M. Bowen, P. S. McKinnon, J. Sutherland, O. G. Jones, Kate Anderson, C. A. Wright, G. W. Marsden, Hodgh & Hosmer, Fred C. Doty, E. A. Wing, H. F. Jenkins, C. E. Smith, L. G. Noble, D. C. Hall, A. W. Stanton, H. S. Stevens, Mrs. A. P. Lee, W. H. Sink, Chas. A. Kelly, Geo. K. Adamson, J. P. Shayton, A. Anderson, L. D. Mack, Wm. C. Jordan, Jno. S. Temple, Henry McGuire, E. P. Anderson, Jno. J. Ott, C. A. Shayton, Mrs. C. A. Shayton, A. James, J. H. Osborn, L. E. Fulton, J. W. Patterson, E. M. Conley, H. Baker, E. R. Wood, Wm. H. Babbitt, Mrs. Geo. A. Kles, George Hessen, A. D. Lawshe, Henry Smith, C. J. Beyer, S. Catlin & Son, Louisa Kahler, Mrs. Fred Rosecrans, Mrs. De Fisher, Mrs. M. E. Geer, [illegible], H. V. Wormley, Mrs. N. M. Sutton, A. E. Kendall, Ed. C. Koch, James Boyd, Jennie Boyd, C. E. Conley, C. E. Morley, Prof. D. A. Hammond, Mary Clemons, Mary E. Palmer, James Colvin, Cora DeFuy, Mrs. S. S. Dunn, Miss Jennie Rosecrans, Wm. H. Osborn, I. Wolcott, R. T. Steinhoff, S. W. Temple, Mrs. G. Merritt, Livie A. Bidwell, Helen A. Quine, A. Hardenburg, Dr. Woodward, P. Ryan, Mrs. N. M. Sutton.

Mrs. L. P. Tribou is visiting relatives in Cleveland, O.

Vincent Chapman returned from a visit to Indianapolis last Saturday.

We are glad to learn that C. J. Brewer is happoving rapidly and will soon be out again.

Rev. H. Shepard was called yesterday by telegram to attend the funeral of Dr. Kent, of Bryan, Ohio.

The well known dry goods firm of Cesup, Morrill, & Camp, "the old firm" of Jackson, have made an assignment. Extent of embarrassment not known.

The social club will be held at the residence of Mrs. E. A. Tribou next Monday evening. The last meeting was held at the residence of Mrs. W. T. Eccles, and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The Board of Supervisors is engaged in allowing claims and settling up the year's business. Nothing is likely to be done regarding the building of the court house, but there seems to be a disposition to levy a tax and raise some funds before the work is undertaken.

Zacharias Cook, of Raisin, is very seriously ill at Chicago, whither he went early this month to visit friends. A letter received yesterday from his son, James Cook says there is no special change in his condition, but the physicians are hopeful of his recovery.

Adrian Times: Some wag of the city justice courts has fixed up the following *noms de plume* for officers Johnson, Jibb and Hyde respectfully, according to the particular direction in which each has developed the most professional ability: "Section 53, compiled laws," "session laws of '81," and "section 153, compiled laws." The curious can "look it up."

Henry Gordon,

Teacher of singing, offers his services to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity. Those wishing to be able to sing intelligently in church and public gatherings can obtain the needed instruction in the public singing class just organized. Those wishing special advancement can receive it in private lessons, the same instruction given in our best musical conservatories. Instruction also given in piano, organ and harmony. We refer to Rev. R. S. Pardington, Rev. Jesse Kilpatrick, Ridgeway; Rev. A. W. Wilson, Franklin.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF TECUMSEH PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The annual examination of the Tecumseh public schools will be held on Thursday and Friday of next week, March 29th and 30th. The following committees have been appointed to visit the various grades and departments, for the purpose of examining into the work that is being done.

HIGH SCHOOL, A DIVISION.

Mrs. Wm. Hayden, Mrs. D. McNair, Mr. W. and Miss Kate Anderson, Mr. & Mrs. A. W. Mills, Mr. & Mrs. A. Hanford, Rev. & Mrs. Pardington, Rev. and Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. E. B. Wood.

HIGH SCHOOL, B DIVISION.

Rev. & Mrs. Conley, Rev. & Mrs. Phelps, Mr. & Mrs. Burridge, Mr. & Mrs. Slayton, Mrs. Powers, Mrs. Quinn, P. S. McKinnon, Mr. & Mrs. E. Pendershot.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. Hardenburg, Mr. & Mrs. Ames, Mr. & Mrs. A. Rice, Mr. & Mrs. O. Bean, Mr. & Mrs. Jno. Orr, Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. A. F. Church, Mrs. Babcock, Miss Mary Palmer.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. Cotton, Mr. & Mrs. H. Keyser, Mr. & Mrs. Fowler, Mr. & Mrs. Heck, Mr. & Mrs. Jones, Mr. & Mrs. Sanford, Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Wilson, Mr. & Mrs. H. Westcott, Miss Josie Schreder.

SIXTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. H. Stevens, Mr. & Mrs. D. W. Clark, Mr. & Mrs. S. W. Temple, Mr. & Mrs. Abner Wilson, Mrs. De Wolf, Mrs. Jno. R. Clark, Mr. & Mrs. Morrison, Dr. & Mrs. Stewart.

FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES.

Mr. & Mrs. Hosmer, Mr. & Mrs. Welling, Mr. & Mrs. Swick, Mr. & Mrs. Whittier, Mr. & Mrs. Snedecor, Mr. & Mrs. Haight, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Heck, Miss Hattie Montgomery.

FIFTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. Woodston Comfort, Dr. & Mrs. Jenkins, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Jordan, Mr. & Mrs. Lincoln, Mr. & Mrs. A. A. Kennedy, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Clifton, Dr. R. B. House, Miss Hester Cupples.

FOURTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Wright, Mr. & Mrs. A. Hyde, Mr. & Mrs. E. R. Crossman, Mr. & Mrs. Grimsley, Mr. & Mrs. Coddington, Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Hisley, Mrs. Abbie Fisher, Dr. & Mrs. Woodward.

EAST PRIMARY.

Mr. & Mrs. M. Hall, Dr. & Mrs. O. Q. Jones, Mr. & Mrs. G. P. Sparks, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Fillmore, Mr. & Mrs. Cannon, Rev. & Mrs. Babbitt, Mr. & Mrs. G. Van Tyne, Mr. & Mrs. Avery.

WEST BRANCH.

Mr. & Mrs. Darlinganne, Mr. & Mrs. A. Willis, Mr. & Mrs. Charles A. McNeil, Mr. & Mrs. Marks, Mr. & Mrs. Van Antwerp, Mr. & Mrs. A. Sherrard, Mr. & Mrs. J. Temple, Mr. & Mrs. C. Lawrence.

NORTH BRANCH.

Mr. & Mrs. James Heck, Mr. & Mrs. J. Kippen, Mr. & Mrs. J. Glasgow, Mr. & Mrs. A. D. Hall, Mr. & Mrs. M. Conklin, Mr. & Mrs. H. Heesen, Mr. & Mrs. J. Hogus, Miss Kate Royce.

We trust that all persons, whose names appear upon the foregoing committees will feel it their duty to attend the examinations. And we hope also that no person will remain away because his name does not appear on the list. All patrons and friends of the schools are earnestly requested to be present.

Michael Wilson brought in a sample of the best maple sugar we have struck in some time. His syrup is also good.

N. M. Sutton returned from his Florida trip, yesterday, feeling in good health and spirits. Had he expected to strike such weather, he would have probably prolonged his stay a month or so.

Adrian Record: Representative Bixby's bill to regulate the liability of employers to their workmen was before the house yesterday for the third time, and after discussion was laid by for future consideration. It may be of interest to state that recently Wendell Phillips went before the Massachusetts Legislature in advocacy of some measure that should embody essentially the very provisions of Mr. Bixby's bill. The recklessness of railroad companies concerning the lives of their employers, and their readiness to award damages sustained in pursuance of their duties doubtless suggested the Bixby bill.

SPECIAL TO ALL.

Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, or those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

Vitalized Air can be taken and your teeth all extracted without pain at Dr. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

See those wire rope seeders at W. N. Snedecor & Co's., formerly Kennedy & Co.

The Kalamazoo spring tooth harrow and the Dowagiac wheel harrow or their sections at Slayton & Son's.

An elegant office counter and good show case can be purchased on very favorable terms at the HERALD Office.

Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. R. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

The best line of Feed Cutters at W. N. Snedecor & Co's. Kennedy & Co's old stand.

Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Fresh lot of Land Plaster at

S. W. Temple's.

Slayton & Son sell the Cassady Sulky Plow, so if you want to do good plowing and do it easy, get one.

Cut Wool Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

Rapid sale of dress goods, Cotton.

The Osborne Improved Twine Binder best in the market — at W. N. Snedecor's. Kennedy & Co's old stand.

New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

Clearing out underwear at Cotton's.

Gloves & mittens reduced, Cotton.

Now when you want a good plow, remember that Slayton & Son have the South Bend Chilled Plow.

New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's.

Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

MILLS. At Macon, Mich., March 14, 1883, Mr. Charles Eugene Mills in the 25th year of his age.

His life was spent chiefly on the farm at home, or with his uncle, Granville Mills. He was industrious, persevering, honest, kind hearted and generous to a fault. His sickness for three months was of a painful and trying nature, and yet he bore up with fortitude and without a utterance of complaint. It is no disparagement to a large circle of young men of Macon, to say that he will be missed as much as any. But our loss is his gain and by this comfortable and rational assurance, his family and the large concourse of friends who thus testified the hold our brother had on them, are comforted. The funeral was held at the home of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Isaac C. Mills, on Friday, the 16th inst., with appropriate services by Rev. Mr. Shepard, of Tecumseh. "Rest brother in peace."

H. S.

WESTCOTT. In Tecumseh, Sunday night, the 18th inst., Mr. Hiram Westcott, in the 63d year of his age.

Mr. Westcott was born in Perry, Pennsylvania, the 5th day of March, 1820, came to Tecumseh in 1837, and hence his resided here since he was seventeen years of age, or nearly 46 years. He was an industrious, hard working man, faithful to his convictions, and to friends honest and ready always to lend a helping hand. He was married Feb. 6th, 1842 to Miss Minerva Simmons. Six children have grown up in the family to manhood and womanhood's estate, and one of them has preceded him to the better land. He will be missed at home and among a circle of friends. But his sufferings are ended, his toils are over, and all tears shall be wiped from off all faces, and there shall be no more pain."

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS	No. 13. Mail.	No. 15. Express	No. 19. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A. M.	2 10 P. M.	4 40 P. M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 07 "	5 30 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	5 40 "
Hanchett	7 28 "	3 20 "	5 50 "
Blissfield	7 45 "	3 48 "	6 10 "
Deerfield	7 55 "	4 00 "	6 20 "
Adrian	8 20 "	4 37 "	7 05 "
Seymour	10 20 "	6 10 "	
Toledo	2 40 "	7 55 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS	No. 20. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 18. Accom.
Toledo	9 20 A. M.	3 00 P. M.	
Adrian	10 20 "	4 25 "	
Deerfield	10 40 "	4 40 "	10 45 A. M.
Seymour	10 50 "	4 50 "	11 00 "
Blissfield	11 00 "	5 00 "	11 20 "
Hanchett	11 20 "	5 20 "	11 40 "
Norvell	11 35 "	5 35 "	11 55 "
Napoleon	11 45 "	5 45 "	12 05 P. M.
Jackson	12 40 P. M.	6 40 "	1 00 "

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Sleeping cars will now be provided at this station for the best routes to all principal cities in the United States.

A. S. CUTTER, Agent.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

ON AND AFTER JAN. 27, 1884, TRAINS WILL GO AS FOLLOWS:

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS	No. 1 Mail.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Accom.	No. 7 Night Ex.
Toledo	7 00 A. M.	3 00 P. M.	5 00 P. M.	10 00 P. M.
Monroe Jct.	8 05 "	4 05 "	6 05 "	11 05 "
Monroe	8 15 "	4 15 "	6 15 "	11 15 "
Dundee	8 40 "	4 40 "	6 40 "	11 40 "
Ayers	8 50 "	4 50 "	6 50 "	11 50 "
Milan	9 00 "	5 00 "	7 00 "	12 00 A. M.
Dexter	9 15 "	5 15 "	7 15 "	12 15 "
Chelsea	9 25 "	5 25 "	7 25 "	12 25 "
Gregory	9 35 "	5 35 "	7 35 "	12 35 "
Pinckney	9 45 "	5 45 "	7 45 "	12 45 "
Stockbridge	10 05 "	6 05 "	8 05 "	1 05 "
Munith	10 15 "	6 15 "	8 15 "	1 15 "
Webberville	10 30 "	6 30 "	8 30 "	1 30 "
Williamston	10 40 "	6 40 "	8 40 "	1 40 "
Leslie	10 55 "	6 55 "	8 55 "	1 55 "
Mason	11 05 "	7 05 "	9 05 "	2 05 "
Dansville	11 15 "	7 15 "	9 15 "	2 15 "
Stoneton	11 25 "	7 25 "	9 25 "	2 25 "
Okemos	11 35 "	7 35 "	9 35 "	2 35 "
Lansing	11 45 "	7 45 "	9 45 "	2 45 "
Delhi	11 55 "	7 55 "	9 55 "	2 55 "
Dexter Jct.	12 05 P. M.	8 05 "	10 05 "	3 05 "
Ann Arbor	12 20 "	8 20 "	10 20 "	3 20 "
Ypsilanti	12 35 "	8 35 "	10 35 "	3 35 "
Detroit	1 05 "	9 05 "	11 05 "	4 05 "

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS	No. 2 Mail.	No. 4 Express.	No. 6 Accom.	No. 8 Night Ex.
Detroit	7 00 A. M.	3 00 P. M.	5 00 P. M.	10 00 P. M.
Ypsilanti	7 35 "	3 35 "	5 35 "	10 35 "
Ann Arbor	7 50 "	3 50 "	5 50 "	10 50 "
Dexter Jct.	8 05 "	4 05 "	6 05 "	11 05 "
Delhi	8 15 "	4 15 "	6 15 "	11 15 "
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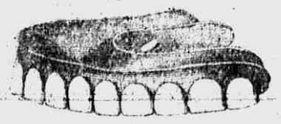

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Dickens as a Pedestrian.

"Are you a good walker?" inquired the English friend who drove me to the station from which I was to start for Gad's Hill, on my first visit to Charles Dickens. "Pretty fair," I replied, with that American confidence in the ability to do anything which has made my country famous. "All right," responded my friend, with a quizzical glance at the thin-soled gaiters affected by New Yorkers in 1886—a glance that I did not thoroughly appreciate until forty-eight hours afterwards, in my room at Gad's Hill place, when I painfully peeled those very gaiters off from my swollen, burning and painful feet. During that interval I had met Charles Dickens, and we had taken one of his famous walks. Professional pedestrians, then, may be a more enthusiastic, indefatigable tribe than Dickens. He loved walking for its own sake, he practiced it for its beneficial effects upon his health, he utilized it as a means of observation, he preferred it to any other method of locomotion, he found in it rest, recreation, and intellectual enjoyment. To ask you to walk with him, in town or country, was the highest compliment that he could pay to any man who paid so few compliments. And those walks! Many are the happy hours along London streets and Rochester roads, that memory now tenderly recalls; but these pleasures do not obliterate the recollection of the exquisite pedestrian pains that followed my first walk with Dickens. There was nothing, except my friend's tentative question at the station, to prepare me for the sacrifice. A basket-carriage was waiting at Gad's Hill station to drive me to the Dickens' mansion in time for dinner. Next day the host himself drove me about Cobham park. It was not until the evening, when we had become better acquainted, that he proposed that we walk to Rochester, around the Roman road, through the marshes, to see a quaint old church, that sent me back to bread and roots and exercise but with food and light from the genial and wise gossip of the great novelist. "Not quite forty miles out and back," said Dickens, as we reached Gad's Hill once, "strolling for five hours and a half, and seeing the country." Considering too, he might have added, the stoppages for hearty laughter, the episodes of open-gathering and stare-fashioning the visits to roadside hostelries, the legends, yarns and curious rumors at the talks with tramps, with children, and with inquisitive dogs, and the merry accompaniment of anecdote, reminiscence and remark, that made each mile a miracle of delight to one who was, for the time, as delightful with the Dickens of his books and his youthful dreams.

Every May His Own Doctor.

To keep things cool, Cain put them on the ice, but put the ice upon the things. This piece of wisdom was imparted to us by our grandmother, and, judging from the traditional ignorance displayed around us upon the subject, we should say that the penultimate generation generally was not sound upon the great questions of summer. The ancient ice-box was a humbug—a delusion to victuals and a snare for nasty smells. The modern refrigerator is built upon the proper principle—that cold air descends and hot air goes up, but it still has many imperfections in scant packing and complicated drainage. The best possible refrigerator would be constructed on the "Nyce Fruit House" plan, and be protected on all sides as well as top and bottom with a non-conductor of heat, which in the order of perfection is as follows: "Wool, cotton-seed, planing-mill shavings, charcoal and saw-dust. The space occupied by this non-conductor should be from six inches to a foot in width. The outside case may be made of wood, the inside should be of galvanized iron, with a partition of the same dividing it into two compartments; one-fourth of the space in the upper, which is to contain the ice, and three-fourths below, in which the things to be kept cool are put. A drain-pipe is put into the ice apartment, and the doors and lids are made air-tight. All of which requires a mechanic, of course, to construct; but for many purposes, almost any one can make an excellent refrigerator on the same principle in the following manner: Take two dry-goods boxes, one six inches smaller in each direction than the other. Put one inside the other, and pack the space with any of the material named. Put slats across the inside box near the top on which to rest the ice, and use a bag of sawdust or any other non-conducting matter for a lid. This is the only way an amateur is likely to make it air-tight. The whole affair will cost a dollar or two, and for many purposes far surpasses many of the most costly forms of refrigerators. No one has tasted a cold sodon until he has tried one that has been six or eight hours in such a box. There is no arrangement here made for drainage and materials spoilable by water will of course be put in water-tight vessels.

To keep milk cool at night for children, put a few "loose" drain bottles in one crock, on top of this put another rock of a size to pass over each, or so into the other, fill with ice water, wooden bottle in one hand, and cork the other [illegible]

Hence the old investigators intended to spect some popular notions. It has long been supposed that early cut hay is more valuable than that cut later. If the experiments of cows were a test [illegible] and peas [illegible] is about it. They will have free upper hay, and even in [illegible] at all, if they can procure that [illegible] has been cut earlier. In the writer's dairy, the milk falls off more than ten per cent, when the young hay is changed for that cut two weeks later. There is sufficient to support the general opinion in spite of the chemical analysis, which goes to show that ripe hay is heavier, more bulky, and contains more nutritious substance, than that cut earlier. Perhaps the operation of the stomach can extract more nutriment from ripe hay than can the cow's stomach, but as young hay feeds more profitably, it seems best to cut early.

Curing hay in the cocks is preferable to sun drying. The sweating and fermentation improve and prevent heating in the hay or stack. The writer prefers to put up hay, after the dew is off, in moderately large cocks—four feet wide and high—after it has lain spread in the sun one full day. It may thus stay safely for a week, if necessary, and a hay cap will protect it from a 24 hours' rain. The day it is drawn in, a man should start early and open the cocks, to get a final airing for two or three hours before it is taken up.

Dippers.

THE SOLE STAR—ITS USEFULNESS TO NAVIGATORS.—THE GREAT AND LITTLE BEAR.

There are three groups of stars which form a fancied resemblance to that utensil commonly known as the dipper. One of these is in the constellation of the Little Bear, another in the Great Bear, and the third, in Sagittarius, called from its situation on the Milky Way the Lower Bear has attracted more than ordinary attention from the fact that the Pole Star, or star nearest to the stationary point in the northern sky, is the last in the handle of the dipper.

The dipper of the Great Bear is composed of seven bright stars. As the pointers, the last two stars in the bowl of the dipper in this constellation, point nearly through the North Star, these two stars have received the name of "the Pointers." As the Pole Star is the guide of the mariner on the trackless ocean, and the forlorn hope of the bewildered traveler on the limitless prairie, these stars possess an interest which attaches to no other of the suns which night reveals to the heavens. The Great and Little Dippers are visible every clear night in this latitude, sometimes above the pole, and at other periods below it, but never sinking below the horizon.

The Milk Dipper in Sagittarius, like other constellations of the Zodiac, is visible only a part of the year, being most conspicuous during the summer months. The sun enters this constellation in December. The early navigators directed their course by the Pleiades, or Seven Stars, probably from their being easily recognized. But as they were visible only at certain seasons of the year, they were abandoned for the more reliable guide of the Pole Star when observation had pointed it out as the centre about which the stars appeared to revolve.

That the group of stars in the Great Bear has always attracted attention is shown by the names which it has received at different times, and by different nations. By the Romans it was called the Septentrio, Seven Working Oxen; by the Arabians, the Bier and Mourners; in the Middle Ages, Charles' Wain and the Plough; in more recent times, the Butcher's Cleaver, and at the present is best known by the name of the Dipper.

Besides its usefulness, and beauty as seen by the naked eye the constellation of the Great Bear, Ursa Major, presents many objects of interest when viewed through the telescope. The middle star in the handle of the Dipper, called by the Arabian astronomers, Mizar, is a double star, the two having a period of revolution about the common centre of both of about sixty years. This star can be observed to be double by a common spy glass. A small star, called Alcor, near Mizar, will the naked eye, is not physically connected with the stars in the Great Bear. The inhabitants of the earth, familiar only with the phenomenon presented by one sun, can have but a faint idea of the appearance presented by two suns, as in the case with Mizar, rising and setting, both appearing in the sky at the same time, one the cause of day and the other below the horizon.

In the Great Bear there are two singular nebulæ or cloud-like patches of light, one of them with two bright spots in the centre, the other of an oval form, with a white nucleus. Although so interesting to the inhabitants of the northern latitudes, both from its usefulness and its being always visible, yet it is never seen by those residing south of the equator, and although they rejoice in beholding the constellation of the Cross, even it has contributed less to the safety of navigation and the extension of commerce and civilization than the Great and Little Bear, which constantly adorn the northern sky.

Two Ways of Looking at a Thing.

Two boys went to hunt grapes. One was happy because they found grapes. The other was unhappy because the grapes had seeds in them.

Two men, being convalescent, were asked how they were. One said: "I am better to-day." The other said, "I was worse yesterday."

When it rains, one man says: "This will make hay." Another: "This will lay the dust."

Two children looking through colored glasses, one said: "The world is blue." And the other said, "It is bright."

Two boys eating their dinner, one said: "I would rather have something better than this." The other said: "This is better than nothing."

A servant thinks a man's house is a beautiy kitchen. A guest thinks it is a beautiy parlor.

"I am glad that I live," says one man. "I am sorry that I must die," says another.

"I am glad," says one, "that it is no worse." "I am sorry says another, "that it is no better."

One man counts everything that he has gain. Another counts everything else that he conceives a loss.

One man spoils a good repast by thinking of a better repast of another. Another enjoys a poor repast by contrasting it with none at all.

One man is thankful for his blessings. Another is meager for his misfortunes.

One man thinks he is entitled to better world and dissatisfied because he hasn't got it. Another thinks he is not justly entitled to any, and is satisfied with this.

One man makes up his accounts from his wants. Another from his assets.

Courting in Church.

A young mechanic happening to sit at church in a pew adjoining one in which there was a young lady for whom he conceived a sudden and violent passion, felt desirous of entering into a courtship on the spot, but the place not suiting a formal declaration the exigency suggested the following plan. He politely handed his neighbor a bible, open, with a pin stuck at the following verse: Second Epistle of St. John, verse 5. "And now I beseech thee, lady, not as though I wrote a new commandment unto thee, but which we had from the beginning, that we love one another." She returned it with the following Second chapter of Ruth, 10th verse. "Then she fell on her face and bowed herself to the ground and said unto him, Why have I found grace in thine eyes, and that thou should take knowledge of me, seeing I am a stranger." He returned the book, pointing to the 13th verse of the Second Epistle of St. John, "Having many things to write unto you, I would not with paper and ink, but I trust to come to you, and speak face to face." From the above interview the marriage took place the following week.

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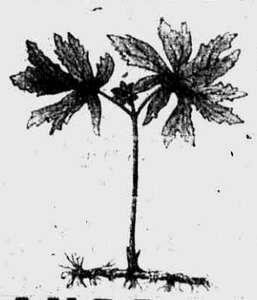

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CIVIL-SERVICE REFORM

Mental Panic Among the Letter Carriers.

Trying to Bridge the Gulf Between Mathematics and Mail Delivery.

[illegible] paper publishes a list of questions said to have been propounded to applicants for letter carriers' places a few days ago, and the distracted candidates are trying to find out if they have passed the ordeal satisfactorily. One of the questions, it is said, was a problem in fractions, the question being, "Mr. Bergholz, Mr. Dwyer and Mr. Lynch, three letter carriers, have a number of new shirts to be divided among them. Bergholz receives a few greenbacks and one shirt, Dwyer receives one shirt and one-half of the remaining shirts, and Lynch receives one of The Sun's angels and wares, which is a matter of civil service reform, and one of the letter carriers who has been [illegible] years and never missed a [illegible] The remainder of a dozen shirts was divided as follows: A received as much as A, C 4 times as much as B, D 1-6 as much as C, and E as all the rest. What was the share of each?" Now that is one of the questions we have got to answer before we can be accepted as letter carriers. By jingo, I don't know any more about a vessel than a Hindoo. I might take a slate and pencil and figure until Cheyenne froze over, and I couldn't tell how much was the share of each one of those shirt owners. My idea would be for the owners to play a game of seven-up to see who got the whole craft. A school boy that is studying vulgar fractions might figure it out and become out of my position, but what would he know about delivering letters down in the Norwegian language, with no street, and fool me on any letter that he might carry in our district. I can tell every man, woman and child, and when they move I get the news. I know where they go, and they get their letters before they get the carpets down, but dividing a schooner up into sixteenths is ahead of my time. Well, if they put a vessel ashore in my place I can take in washing. "Effie, have you take off your hats and sit close together," said a letter carrier, the elbow of whose gray pants had been torn out by a wire fence as he was coming out of a yard, to a friend on this conundrum. "A gold-[illegible] weighs together 19 ounces of gold 22 karats fine, 10 ounces 20 karats fine, and 24 ounces 23 karats fine. He sold it at the rate of [illegible] ounces of pure gold 24 karats fine. What was its fineness and what was the [illegible] received?" There's one that will make you sweat. What has a letter carrier to do with [illegible] gold and making it pure? I don't believe [illegible] in this town that would give [illegible] for it. If the question was of a letter carrier receiving $20 a month [illegible] and half the [illegible] dollars and have some [illegible] I'd know how to work it. I would [illegible] a week in advance. I would [illegible] to buy [illegible] and [illegible] I'd have [illegible] to a stump and [illegible] a quarter on it, and then I'd [illegible] it. But [illegible] I'm a letter carrier. [illegible] I'm a letter carrier, I'm a letter carrier, and I'm a letter carrier, and I'm a letter carrier, and

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New York Millinery Store

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A BRANCH STORE IN TECUMSEH,

Next Door to the HERALD OFFICE, and will carry a large stock of

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Ladies can have their hats made over in all the New Shapes to look equal to new. A fine line of FANCY GOODS. Also a large stock of IMPORTED HAIR GOODS. JET ORNAMENTS for the hair. HAIR NETS, BANDS, &c.

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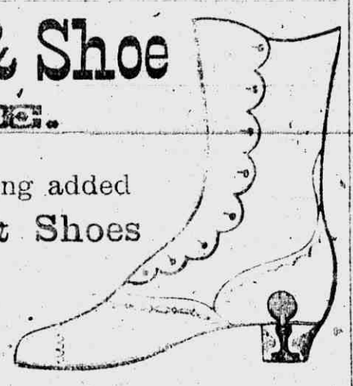

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To their stock of

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

FRANKLIN FACTS.

One evening last week after Wiggins' big storm had settled down like a pall on our quiet little burg, a few of the villagers who were blessed with rubber boots congregated at Jerry Tuttle's store, to read the last HERALD, talk over the prospects of the spring sugar crop, eat peanuts and harass the postmaster. Within an hour after supper time a goodly company had assembled, and the warm glow of lively chat in doors contrasted strongly with the Nor'wester outside, which came whirling around the Pitcher mansion and down the Chicago pike. The conversation was just turning on the last snow storm and whether Michigan had ever seen its equal in the month of March, when the door suddenly flew open and two dilapidated looking females as black as the ace of spades marched in. They were evidently sable tramps. One of them carried a baby in her arms and the other a huge bundle. They complained of the cold, said they had got lost, and asked for supper and lodging. It was a case of deserved charity sure enough. So a committee was appointed to interview Mrs. Pitcher and ascertain whether she could entertain the strangers over night. Mrs. Pitcher kindly consented to do so but she thought it no more than fair that a purse should be made up to compensate her. Accordingly the hat was passed and the following persons shelled out: George Camburn, John Dunn, Robert Smith, J. A. Tuttle, Henry Tripp, Herbert Mudge, Thos. Conlin, Hiram Learnard and Mrs. Pitcher. Upon examining the contribution box it was found to contain $1,25 in silver, seventeen cents in coppers, an overcoat button, an old jack knife, three ten penny nails, a stick of gum and a ten cent postage stamp. Mrs. Pitcher agreed to accept the entire contents of the box and keep the strangers over night, and they were politely escorted across the road to the Pitcher mansion. When the women began to arrange their toilet for supper, lo and behold! the black washed off, and the discovery was then made that one of the sable females was a tall beautiful young man residing near the corners, and the other was a Tipton blacksmith. The baby was a huge rag doll, which had been extemporized for the occasion. Rather [illegible] of course and the sold acknowledged the corn. The two men who threw in a bogus quarter and a twenty cent piece with a hole in it had their contributions returned, and the balance of the purse went for peanuts and cigars, and every man present took a vow, with his right hand on the new testament and his left hand on his tobacco box, to keep forever *mum*. It so happened, however, that a HERALD reporter was concealed in a closet under the stairs and witnessed the entire proceedings through a gimlet hole in the wall. And hence these facts.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Both caucuses Saturday afternoon.

We now have bad roads, but the turnpike will be good in a day or two.

Ella Jackson and Jennie Kilpatrick are home from the Normal for the spring vacation.

At the church social to be held at the residence of Dr. D. W. Lorge next Friday evening, an extended literary program will be presented, which will add a new feature to the entertainment.

There are peculiar complications which cluster around the spring election in this township this spring. Most any result can be expected. There is a strong opposition to the town paying the ditch tax of certain individuals.

John R. Clark will address the citizens of Ridgeway, in the M. E. church, Sunday evening, on the subject of Temperance.

Henry Gordon,

Teacher of singing, offers his services to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity. Those wishing to be able to sing intelligently in church and public gatherings can obtain the needed instruction in the public singing class just organized. Those wishing special advancement can receive it in private lessons, the same instruction given in our best musical conservatories. Instruction also given in piano, organ and harmony. We refer to Rev. R. S. Pardington, Rev. Jesse Kilpatrick, Ridgeway; Rev. A. W. Wilson, Franklin.

I. F. Wheeler will give his illustrated lecture on Capri, Sicily and Rome in the M. E. church at Macon Center next Tuesday evening, April 3, and in the Baptist Church at Pennington's Corners on Wednesday evening, April 4.

WHY GO TO DAKOTA?

The gilded stories told of the rich fields and golden advantages which are possessed by the Far West, are just now having a telling effect upon a large number of people in different parts of this county, and from our exchanges we see that their effects are being felt to a marked extent throughout the entire state. Though many [illegible] parts of that country are said to afford fortunes at almost the asking, Dakota seems to stand preeminent among her sister states, as the big bonanza; and, thrilled by the idea of accumulating fortunes set forth in profusely printed and illustrated pamphlets and glaring hand-bills circulated by railroad companies and cunning speculators, hundreds of people from all parts of Michigan and not a few in our own county, are leaving for that country of great promise.

There is not a doubt but that there are some advantages to be had in some of those countries that we do not enjoy here, but after all, when you pause to think of it, does not Michigan possess many advantages that the inhabitants there are necessarily deprived of? We think she does, and when a fair comparison is made it is by no means a difficult thing to see that people of the peninsular state, all things considered, are as highly favored with natural advantages as they would be in Dakota or any other of the western states.

Michigan has her fertile farming lands, rich forests and valuable mining possessions, is a peer of any state in the Union, and all classes of her people are prosperous where they are industrious. Many will argue that they have accumulated nothing here, and if they are disappointed in the end, they will have nothing to lose. This is very true—nothing from nothing and nothing remains; but, at the same time, there are those joining this exodus who are disposing of beautiful farms and comfortable homes to raise money with which to reach that land and make investments, where they are led to believe all will be sunshine.

We hope their expectations may be fully realized, but fear that in many instances they will realize to their sorrow that the apparently plausible inducements that prompted them to leave their homes in Michigan were but empty baubles, and we are confident that in all cases they will find that wealth does not come by merely the asking, but that it will be there as here, industry will receive its just reward and no more. Our advice to those who are comfortably situated in Lenawee county is to be contented and stay where you are, and we candidly believe that the time will come when you will have reason to be exceedingly glad that you obeyed this injunction.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The Lenawee County Board of Supervisors held their March meeting last week. But little business was transacted except the allowance of the usual accounts. No action was taken in regard to the new Court House. In regard to the alleged defalcation of Ex-County Clerk Church, a special committee was appointed to investigate it and their report was adopted.

REPORT.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors: Your special committee to whom was entrusted the investigation of the facts in regard to certain rumored defalcations in the accounts of an ex-official of this county, would respectfully report that on the 1st day of January, 1877, William L. Church entered into the duties of county clerk of this county by virtue of his election to the same, and continued to exercise the duties of said office for four consecutive years thereafter, and that during the time of his several terms of office there was paid to him according to the best of our information and belief, entry fees to the amount of four hundred dollars or more, which has never been paid over to the treasurer of the county as the law directs.

Your committee further find that the bondsman of said Church for the first term of two years was V. R. J. Osborn. But for the last term of two years which he occupied this office no bonds are on file in the treasurer's office, nor can your committee definitely ascertain whether any bond was given at the time by him the said Church.

Your committee, in the limited time allowed them, do not pretend to have learned all the facts in the case, but believe that enough is known to warrant the board in referring the whole matter to the prosecuting attorney for further investigation, with instructions to take prompt action in the matter in case the conclusions of your committee (in his judgment) should prove to be correct.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. C. PRATT,
CHAS. H. DEWEY,
C. C. BRADISH.

Marshall will have a telephone exchange soon.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending March 23, 1883:

ADRIAN.

Wm. B. Vannatter to Wm. Hoag. Land in city. $2400.

Amanda F. Bowerman to Martha Hause. Land in city. $200.

BLISSFIELD.

Prudence E. Clement to Julia E. Collins. Land in village. $410.

Prudence Clement to L. and H. L. Westfall. Land on Adrian st. $90.

DEERFIELD.

Caroline Bills et al. to E. L. Beach. Land on sec. 35. $600.

C. C. Waggoner to Jacob Herborn. Land on sec. 10. $4500.

Eliza Kenyon to G. R. Olmsted. Land on sec. 4. $200.

FAIRFIELD.

W. H. Brower to Cornelius Quick. Land on sec. 7. $3200.

N. R. Brown to J. J. Auchampaugh. Land in Weston village. $50.

N. R. Brown to Levi Auchampaugh. Land in Weston village. $50.

O. J. Avery to Orrin White. Land in Fairfield vil. $250.

HUDSON.

D. H. Bodley to D. R. Waldrman. Land on sec. 5. $2600.

TECUMSEH.

Wm. Hoag to W. B. and A. Vannatter. Land on sec. 8. $5200.

Geo. L. Bailey to J. C. Fogelsong. Land on sec. 4. $130.

Moses Palmer to George C. Daft. Land on sec. 2. $600.

Samuel Haas to William Slack. Land on sec 1. $1,600.

PALMYRA.

H. Brockway to Frederick Shultz. Land on sec. 35. $13800.

RIGA.

Jacob Schwyn to D. A. Myers. Land on sec. 29. $700.

RIDGEWAY.

John Britton to Lewis Miller. Land on sec. 3. $550.

ROME.

James Segar to D. P. Bates. Land on sec. 15. $200.

SENECA.

Heirs of Franklin Cawley to Frank E. Cawley. Land on sec. 6. $5000.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 24, 1883.

In the matter of the appointment of three special drain commissioners for the towns. of Palmyra and Blissfield; petition filed; order for citation.

Estate of Willim H. Goodyear, et al, minors; affidavit of publication; license to mortgage real estate; bond, $900.

Estate of Nathan S. Greene, deceased; petition for proof of will, hearing April 13, 1883.

Estate of William Geddes, deceased, affidavit of publication; order of discharge of administrator.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell, et al, minors; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Andrew J. Miller, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of George W. Allen, Sen., deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Isaac L. Knillin, deceased; petition for partition of real estate; order of appointment of commissioners.

Estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased, executor files his first annual account and asks for its allowance; hearing April 16, 1883.

Estate of Elijah Barber, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Thomas C. Pennell, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing April 16, 1883.

Estate of Frank E. Pope, et al., minors; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Margaret Hanley, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing April 16, 1883.

Estate of John B. Drake, deceased; testimony taken and filed; order of continuance until March 22, 1883, at 9 o'clock A.M.

A $20.00 Biblical Reward.

The publishers of Rutledge's Monthly offer, twelve valuable rewards in their Monthly for April, among which is the following:

We will give $20 in gold to the person telling us how many verses there are in the Old Testament Scriptures by April 10th, 1883. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner April 16th, 1883. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the May Monthly, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address Rutledge Publishing Co., Easton, Pa.

Morenci Observer: The thermometer in the south part of the village marked 19° below zero last Tuesday morning, and the old citizens say that 40 years ago the snow was over a foot deep all through the month of March with no sign of thawing until April 1st, and the people went to town meeting that year in sleighs.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The home of S. W. Beverly of Deerfield, was burned last Friday (?)

Three workmen in the Clinton Factory were injured by accidents last week.

Nearly fifty persons have recently united with the Baptist church of Hudson.

The next regular examination of teachers will take place at Adrian on the 30th inst.

The Fairfield cheese factory will commence business for the season on the 2d of April.

Bishop Harris will visit Clinton to administer the rite of confirmation on the 30th of April.

The new Good Templars' Lodge, of Deerfield, start out with a maple sugar festival this week.

The New England supper last week for the benefit of the Clinton M. E. church was very successful.

M. Robb, of Jasper, cut down a large elm tree last week and found two bullets imbedded over six inches in the solid timber.

M. H. Cogswell and A. C. Bartholomew, of Blissfield, have purchased a fruit evaporator and will go into the fruit drying business next fall.

The Baptists of Clinton will build an addition to their church this season. The contract has been already let, and the work will begin at once.

J. J. Rhoades was defeated by one vote for Marshal of Blissfield. He claims that his opponent was illegally elected and will contest the case.

Blissfield has a man who gets insane occasionally from the use of morphine, gets delirium tremens occasionally, and has sold his body to the medical authorities of the Ann Arbor university.

Morenci voted $8,000 to build a city hall. But upon examining the village charter it was discovered that the village had no legal authority to issue bonds for such a purpose. Hence the hall will not be built.

The oldest inhabitant has again been heard from. Amos Kinney, of North Seneca, says that during his residence of 46 years in that town he never knew so much snow to fall in the same time as on Sunday night the 18th.

The salvation army invades Adrian, and Sergeant Bailey has explained that the army does not want any good people at its meetings; it has no use at all for christians; instead, unbelievers, roughs, toughs, and sots are called for.

Blissfield Advance: Petitions are being circulated and numerously signed, requesting the village council to raise the liquor bonds to $6,000 and that bondsmen shall reside within the village. It is said, if this is done, it will have the effect of closing up the saloons.

Morenci Observer: Our townsman, L. E. Phelps, says that fifty years ago he tended bar in his father's hotel, and that the minister of the church of which his father was a member, almost invariably came over on Sunday morning and got his potations of brandy before preaching services commenced. Things have changed slightly since then.

Hudson Gazette: They had a good joke on the deputy oil inspector at Jonesville, accusing him of testing lard oil and molasses. That deputy ought to attend his chief's lectures before the Adrian scientific society. However, it is better that all the lard oil and molasses in Hillsdale county should be inspected than that one barrel of contraband kerosene should escape.

Hudson Post: The other day a number of our Oscar wild girls went into Hall's grocery and bought a pound of taffy, when one of the number grabbed the parcel and lit out for down street, with the whole gang in pursuit, trying to regain possession of the package, whereupon an old farmer was heard to remark: "Well, they are lively 'uns, but playin tag's er good exercise, fur it brings out their muscle."

Hudson Post: The night train due in Hudson at 10:30 made a halt at the farm of widow Dibble, four and a half miles east of town and took on board the widow, in the raging northeaster of Sunday night last, and carried her to her sons in Elkhart. It was a big undertaking to transport a four hundred pound invalid out from her own home into the wintry night storm, and safely land her on board a Pullman, but filial love and affection were sufficient for the occasion, and it was tenderly accomplished through the influence of her sons, who are railroad men and reside at Elkhart.

A [illegible] Mortgage.

[illegible] would [illegible]

[illegible] was before I had entered the [illegible] Hill mansion, the scene of [illegible] wife. That [illegible] was the [illegible] presence [illegible] although as I said, I was prejudiced against the [illegible]

[illegible] myself of the [illegible] occasion [illegible] Hall's [illegible] and my wife [illegible] money. Indeed, we had been expected [illegible] result in [illegible] niece was John Harrington's [illegible] sole [illegible] or me she [illegible] But she [illegible] her [illegible] our [illegible] more and more pleased [illegible] loan had [illegible] to be a [illegible] an interest in those [illegible] that I should [illegible] from the same [illegible] place [illegible] fortune [illegible] grieved to think that the old man would soon die. We [illegible] for years, [illegible] would [illegible] scattered with the [illegible] made. [illegible] gold [illegible] minded reader. For a few minutes [illegible] self in my place.

[illegible] my place on that pleasant piazza [illegible] for as I stood [illegible] touch in my shoulder. I [illegible] was at hand [illegible] ing which indicated that the [illegible] had apparently [illegible] sure [illegible] saw standing [illegible] uniform of a Russian officer. I [illegible] put made no sound. I knew what the future was. It was a spectre—a veritable ghost.

Some years before this there had been hauntedness. I know the word for I had seen the ghost myself. But before my marriage the spectre had disappeared, and had not been seen since, and I had almost [illegible] when Grenshaw [illegible] mortgage or encumbrance, was [illegible] used to haunt the house had now departed.

But here he was again. Although in different form and guise, I knew him. It was the same ghost.

"Do you remember me?" said the figure.

"Yes," I answered, "I remember you in the form in which you appeared to me some time ago. Although your aspect is entirely changed, I feel you to be the same ghost that I have met before."

"You are right," said the spectre. "I am glad to see you so well, and apparently in [illegible] But John H[illegible] low state of health."

"Yes," I said, "he is very old and [illegible] But I hope," I continued, [illegible] to rise within me, "that his expected decease has no connection with any prospects or plans of your own."

"No," said the ghost. "I am perfectly satisfied with my present position. I am not only during the day and the difference in time between this country and Russia gives me opportunities of being home in your early evening, and of visiting scenes and localities which are familiar and agreeable to me."

"Which fact, perhaps, you had counted upon when you first put this uniform on," I remarked.

The ghost smiled.

"I must admit, however," he said, "that I am seeking this position for a friend of mine, and I have reason to believe that he will obtain it."

"Good heaven!" I exclaimed. "Is it possible that this house is to be haunted by a ghost as soon as the old gent's man expires. Why should this family be [illegible] in a horrible way. Everyone who does not have a ghost walking [illegible]

"Oh, no," said the spectre. "There are thousands of positions of the kind which are never applied for, but the ghostship here is a very desirable one, and there are many applicants for it. I think you will like my friend, if he gets it."

"Like him!" I groaned.

The idea was horrible to me.

The ghost [illegible] how deeply I was affected [illegible] said, for there was a compassionate expression on his countenance. As I [illegible] sick at me. If I were [illegible] ghost at all about the house. I wished [illegible] one. Could there be such things as double ghostships? Since it was daylight when I was night in Russia, why could not this spectre serve in both places? [illegible] for a person to [illegible] seemed feasible [illegible]

"Thank you," said the spectre. "But the matter cannot be arranged in that way. Night and day are not quickly divided between here and Russia, and, besides, it is necessary for the incumbent of this place to be on duty at all hours. You remember that I came to you by day as well as at night."

Oh, yes; I remember that. It was additionally unfortunate that the ghostship should not be one of the limited kind.

"Why is it," I asked, "that a man's own spirit does not attend to these matters? I always thought that was the way the thing was managed."

The ghost shook his head.

"Consider for a moment," he replied, "what chance a man's own spirit, without experience and without influence, would have in a crowd of importunate applicants, versed in all the arts, and backed by influence necessary in such a contest. Of course there are cases in which a person becomes his own ghost but this is because the position is undesirable and there is no competition."

"And this new comer," I exclaimed, "what trouble, "will he take the form of Mr. Hinckman? If my wife should see such an apparition it would kill her."

"The ghost who will haunt this place," said my companion, "will not appear in the form of John Hinckman. I am glad that is so, if it will please you; for you are the only man with whom I have ever had such unrestrained and pleasant intercourse. Good by."

And with those words no figure of a Russian officer stood before me.

For some minutes I remained motionless, with downcast eyes, a very different man from the one who had just gazed out with such delight over the beautiful landscape. A shadow, not that of night, had fallen over everything. This fine estate was not to come to us clear and unencumbered, as we thought. It was to be saddled with a horrible lien, a spectral mortgage.

Madeline had gone up-stairs to Pegram. Pegram was our baby. I disliked his appellation with all my heart, but Pegram was a family name of Madeline's side of the house, and she insisted that our babe should bear it. Madeline was very much wrapped up in Peg-

[illegible] thought too [illegible] there [illegible] where I should have been [illegible] my wife's [illegible] "about it, beside." He was [illegible] with Pegram [illegible]

[illegible] I answered, with considerable [illegible] "What would you have done if [illegible] and [illegible] ance to speak, and at the breakfast table I said to her:

"I suppose you heard the disturbance last night?"

"Yes," she said quietly. "Did you [illegible] the [illegible]

"I [illegible] answered, with considerable [illegible] "What would you have done if [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] would [illegible] answer my purpose as well."

[illegible] Fourth night after I had [illegible] grounds, I encountered, on a path not very far from the house, the young fellow who had given us so much trouble. My indignation at his impudent reappearance knew no bounds. The moon was somewhat obscured by downy clouds but I could see that he wore the same jaunty air, his hat was cocked a little more on one side, he stood with his feet quite wide apart, and in his hands, clasped behind him, he held his riding whip. I stepped quickly toward him.

"Well, sir," I exclaimed.

He did not seem at all startled.

"How d'ye do," he said, with a little nod.

"How dare you, sir," I cried, "intrude yourself on my premises. This is the second time I have found you here, and now I want you to understand that you are to get away from here just as fast as you can, and if you are ever caught again anywhere on this estate, I'll have you treated as a trespasser."

"Indeed," said he, "I would be sorry to put you to so much trouble. And now, if one may ask, what I have done to incur your wrath, but since you have proved so determined to make my acquaintance, I thought I might as well come forward and do the sociable."

"None of your impertinence," I cried. "What brings you here, anyway?"

"Well," said he, with a little laugh, "if you want to know I don't mind telling you I came to see Miss Belle."

"You unfounded rascal!" I cried, raising my heavy stick. "Get out of my sight, or I will break your head."

"All right," said he, "break away!"

And drawing himself up, he gave his right boot a slap with his whip.

The whip went entirely through both legs! It was the ghost!

Utterly astounded I started back, and sat down upon a raised flower-bed, against which I had stumbled. I had no strength, nor power to speak. I had seen a ghost before, but I was entirely overcome by this amazing development.

"And now I suppose you know who I am," said the spectre, approaching, and standing in front of me. "The one who was here before told me that your lady didn't fancy ghosts, and that I had better keep out of sight of both of you; but he didn't say anything about Miss Belle, and by George! sir, it wouldn't have mattered if he had; for if it hadn't been for that charming young lady I shouldn't have been here at all. I am the ghost of Buck Edwards, who was pretty well known in the lower part of this county about seventy years ago. I always had a great eye for the ladies, sir, and when I got a chance to court one I didn't miss it. I did too much courting, however, for I roused up a jealous fellow, named Ruggles, and he shot me in a duel early one September morning. Since then I have haunted from time to time, more than a dozen houses where there were pretty girls.

"Do you mean to say," I asked, now finding strength, "that a spirit would care to come back to this earth to court a girl?"

"Why, what are you thinking of?" exclaimed the phantom of Buck Edwards. "Do you suppose that only old misers and love-lorn maidens want to come back and have a good time? No sir! Every one of us, who is worth anything, comes if he can get a chance. By George, sir! do you know I courted Miss Belle's grandmother? And a couple of gay young ones we were too! Nobody ever knew anything of it, and that made it all the livelier."

"Do you intend to stay here and pay attention to my sister-in-law?" I asked, anxiously.

"Certainly I do," was the reply. "Didn't I say that is what I came for?"

"Don't you see the mischief you will do?" I asked. "You will probably break off a match between her and a most excellent gentleman whom we all desire."

"Break off the match!" exclaimed the ghost of Buck Edwards, with a satisfied grin. "How many matches I have broken off! The last thing I ever did, before I went away, was of that sort. She wouldn't marry the gentleman who shot me." There was evidently no consequence to this spectre.

"And if you do not care for that," I said, in considerable anger, "I can tell you that you are causing ill-feeling between the young lady and the best friends she has in the world, which may end very disastrously."

"Now, look here, my man," said the ghost; "if you and her wife are really her friends you won't act like fools and make trouble."

I made no answer to this remark, but asserted, with much warmth, that I intended to tell Miss Belle exactly what he was, and so break off the engagement at once.

"If you tell her that she's been walking and talking with the ghost of the fellow who courted her grandmother—I reckon she could find some of my letters among the old lady's papers, if she looked for them—you'd frighten the wits out of her. She'd go crazy. I know girls' natures, sir."

"So do I," I groaned.

"Don't get excited," he said. "Let the girl alone, and everything will be comfortable and pleasant. Good night."

I went to bed, but not to sleep. Here was a terrible situation. A sister-in-law courted by a ghost! Was ever a man called upon to sustain such a trial? And I must sustain it alone. There was no one with whom I could share the secret.

Several times after this I saw this baleful spectre of a young buck of the olden time. He would nod to me with a jocular air, but I did not care to speak to him. One afternoon I went into the house to look for my wife, and, very naturally, I entered the room where Pegram lay in his little bed. The child was asleep, and no one was with him. I stood and gazed contemplatively upon my son. He was a handsome child, and apparently full of noble instincts, and yet I could not help wishing that he were older, or that in some way his condition were such that it should not be necessary, or, more strictly speaking, that his mother should [illegible] about him. If she could [illegible] with a little [illegible] of Pegram and a little more of me, my anticipations of a matrimonial career would be more fully [illegible]

As I [illegible] thoughts were passing through my mind I saw, with my eyes, another side of the [illegible] I saw [illegible] Hannah [illegible] I rather live with [illegible] there was one [illegible] the gloom [illegible] was [illegible] and his hands, holding [illegible] and rather [illegible] rested carelessly on [illegible]

"Bless [illegible]" he exclaimed. "[illegible] I did [illegible] been that girl's [illegible] This has made me smile.

[illegible] can be remedied now. [illegible] a mark to make at a [illegible] proaching [illegible]

THE ORIGINAL COL. SELLERS.

The Operations of Old Bill Muldrow in the Wilds of Missouri.

[illegible] New York Sun.

[illegible] has seen a very [illegible] Bill Muldrow [illegible] Wars. He [illegible] the house of Representatives [illegible] incredulous laughter [illegible] the aforesaid [illegible] has never [illegible] Bill Muldrow, commonly known [illegible] He was a farmer and [illegible] near Philadelphia, Mo. Philadelphia was then a village of [illegible] inhabitants, and is still a [illegible]

Bill Muldrow was the first man who conceived the idea of a railroad connecting the Mississippi with the Pacific.

By every course of reasoning known only to himself, he reached the conclusion that Philadelphia could be made the future great city of the West, if not of the world, and with this end in view he projected his plans for the building of a road that was to have San Francisco for its Western terminus and for its eastern terminus Marion City, a boat landing on the Mississippi, about a mile east of Philadelphia. Firmly persuaded that there were "fortunes in it," he went east and confided his plans and aspirations to capitalists by the aid and selling at $[illegible] per foot in connection with his railroad [illegible]

What sort of a talk he was, and how well he succeeded in inducing these capitalists with his own enthusiasm, may be imagined when we state that the sound of the hammer was heard and the steady tramp of the hod carrier in the streets of Philadelphia soon succeeded the [illegible] silence of the sleepy town. A four story hotel opened story by story toward the clouds. Blocks of buildings rose faster than men could or would look to occupy them. A wharf was erected at Marion City, and the embankment that was to reach from the Mississippi west to the great city of Philadelphia, and still west to the golden gate of the Pacific, was begun. Things were booming, but it was a surface boom. Deeper down there was a heavy undertow.

Large sums of money were required. Muldrow's backers, beginning to mistrust the financial success of the scheme, became more niggardly in their advances. As the expenses grew heavier the money with which to meet them grew less, and, as with by now they left behind, the army of hewers, the horde of laborers on the embankment and the pile drivers and bridge builders of Marion City, for like Venice it was on the water, became more clamorous for their pay.

The crash came, as in such cases it inevitably must come. Bill Muldrow was ruined financially, but, as he soon had occasion to demonstrate, not intellectually. The sheriff, preparatory to making a levy, called on him for an inventory of his real estate. Bill was equal to the occasion. He gave in not only his own land, but interspersed between tracts much that was not his own. Now, Muldrow, like many other unfortunate men, was blessed with some in-law, and to these he confided his scheme and asked their assistance. Hurriedly the in-law's own land minutely and instructed them when to bid.

The sale came off. The first tract offered did not belong to Bill, and this soon became whispered around. The result was that the bidding was very slow, and the sale was almost paralyzed. The some-in-law scooped in the bona fide tract for a paltry sum.

Having saved his farm, Bill went to California, where he engaged in some kind of a land speculation, and where his fondness for lawsuits soon became proverbial. A ten-minutes' conversation with him invariably resulted in a suit at law. Failing to retrieve his fortunes in the west, he returned in his old age to the scene of his former triumph, and his ashes now rest in the country church-yard near his old home.

Philadelphia still [illegible] a relic, yet [illegible] what was, but of what might have been. The hotel looms up, gray and grand in its utter desolation. The window-glass is broken, the walls are cracked, the ceilings are mildewed, and the very bricks seem crumbling back to the dust from whence they came.

Marion City found a grave 'mid the swirling waters of the Mississippi in the great flood of [illegible] but the [illegible] and the old rock bridge still fight their share of the battle that always ends in ruin.

Telephoning to Ireland.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

During the dull hours of noonday the Broadway horse-dealers while away the time by practical joking. Yesterday one of the funniest jokes was perpetrated on an unsuspecting Irishman who sauntered into John P. Mullally's stable. After a desultory talk he was drawn into giving a history of himself. He said he was from the McNeal's, Bally James Duff, county Kavan, Ireland, and his daughter Kate and brother Jerry lived on the land that he first saw the light on. McNeal rented the land adjoining his, and lived there with his wife, son and daughter. He gave many other facts about his family. A few moments later Mr. Mullally withdrew and went to Tom Maxwell's stable. McNeal was asked if he wouldn't like to hear from Ireland by telephone. He was delighted with the project, and put his ear to the trumpet, asking "Who's there?"

From Maxwell's stable, which in the meantime had been conveyed over to Mullally's, Mullally replied in a voice as nearly like McNeal's as he could. "This is Kate O'Neal, Bally James Duff, Ireland."

"Mocha Machree," exclaimed Mike dropping the trumpet and rubbing his hands in [illegible] "I recognize her voice." Continuing the trumpet he put his nose against the mouthpiece and yelled out: "I'm your own Patrick, Kate Luce, Missouri. Until a score of Americans [illegible] "Uncle Jerry is well," replied the voice. "He went to town to day. I got your message. Uncle Jerry is going to take Patty McCleland. Give me have to message." The man was silent, and McNeal hung up the trumpet saying, "Howay Mike, what an accent she has!" He then set out to find the woman to come down to Stalls to listen from Mullally's stable.

Gambetta as a Writer.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

Gambetta was not a brilliant writer, and he never knew where to stop. He is related that he would enter his sanctum upon any [illegible] want about half a newspaper to night. Sitting down, he would [illegible] page with his characteristic [illegible] half-finished [illegible] hand, and, [illegible] his fingers [illegible] motion was [illegible] could never be sure of him that he [illegible] any of his effusions, he rather jerked them [illegible]

The Courage of Conviction.

Good Cheer.

If you think it right to differ from the times and to make a stand for any vital point of morals, do it, however rustic, however antiquated, however [illegible] it may [illegible] not for meanness, but [illegible] and [illegible] as a man who wore a wind of his own in his bosom, and did not wait until it was breathed into him by the breath of fashion.

Joe Murphy on Charity.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

Joe Murphy, being accused on one occasion of stinginess in connection with a charitable object, replied: "Other gentlemen puts down on the list what they thinks proper, and so does I. Charity is a private concern, and with I gives it nothing to nobody." And Joe is about right, too.

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S. S. [illegible]

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

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J. S. B. WILLIAMS, M.D.

[illegible] 1882.

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[illegible] SKATES.

[illegible], Ohio, April 18, 1882.

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THE FIRE ESCAPE.

Dismissed by Daylight and Destruction by Night.

Philadelphia Press.

The so called fire escape may answer for the deliverance of a few out of the hundreds in a hotel or factory, but as to its utility as a safety for the many, proof is easily made. Let the proprietor of a hotel, for instance, select a fair and sunshiny day, and marshal his guests for a parade out of the windows and down to the street by the way of the alleged fire escape. Let him allow them ample time to dress, and to descend without crowding on one another. The result will be that many of the inhabitants of the upper floors will be so dizzy on reaching the ladders that they will shrink back with fright and refuse to be allowed to go down by the way of the elevator. Presently the "escape" will be blocked by reason of some scared to death person who clings in desperation to a ladder, refusing to go up or down, or sideways or in any other direction. The others, who would descend, can neither go around the person or climb over him. Their only way to clear the passage is to push him off into the street, or, if more mercifully disposed, to carry him down to the next landing and leave him there.

Now, instead of the trial of the "escape" taking place in the daytime and under the most favorable auspices imagine it at night, with rooms and corridors full of smoke, with the roof ablaze and the flames every moment rolling nearer to those who would flee. The lodgers are in their night clothes, and without their boots. Not one in ten of them has thought of placing garments where they can be grasped and put on in a moment. The decision must be made in a moment between instant flight and terrible destruction. Rheumatic old ladies, corpulent gentlemen, frightened mothers with babies in their arms, young ladies who never climbed a ladder in their lives, and all manner of other inexperienced persons must rush for the "escape" or die. The possibilities of such a descent as they must make are nothing short of awful. Some hotels have recently supplied each room with a long knotted rope, down which the guest is expected to climb, in case of need. The spectacle of two or three hundred half-clad lodgers descending at night from upper windows by means of these knotted ropes will be second in interest only to that which is afforded by a troop of monkeys in a tropical jungle, swinging from trees by loosely hanging vines.

Inventors and law-makers may tinker as they please with devices which they call fire escapes. The only really safe way to get out of a burning building is to go down an enclosed stairway made of brick and iron. Hotels and factories which have this may talk about safety in case of fire. Those who venture their lives in others do so at the risk of being offered up as sacrifices.

American Fables.

Dear Free Press.

One day two Foxes who were journeying together came across a Track in the dust which astonished them.

"I believe it is the Track of a Rhinoceros," observed one.

"I think it is that of an Elephant," replied the other.

"I say Rhinoceros!"

"And I say Elephant."

"Then I travel no longer with such an Idiot!"

"Then you can travel alone with a Fool!"

They were cuffing each other about in a lively manner, when along came a Wolf and asked the cause of the trouble.

"Why, that Bigot sticks to it that this is not the track of a Rhinoceros!" shouted one.

"And I say, the Narrow minded Muldoon, won't admit that it is the Track of an Elephant," added the other.

"Go at them," said the Wolf, as he examined the spot, "this is simply the place where a fat man struck a Banana Peel and sat down to Reflect. You are both wrong and both Fools."

Moral.—Men are ever willing to fight in defense of what they don't know.

THE HEN AND THE FARMER.

A Hen having laid an Egg set up such a Cackle that presently the whole Barn-yard was in confusion, and the Farmer came running out to see what was going on.

"What is it?" he demanded, as the Hen cackled louder than ever.

"Why, I've laid an Egg!"

"An Egg! Why, a single Egg isn't worth but two cents at the present market price."

"Yes, I know, but if I didn't do two shillings worth of cackling over every two cents worth of egg, the world would soon forget me."

Moral.—Send a bundle of old clothes to an Orphan Asylum and then interview a reporter.

THE OLD MAN WITH THE ACCORDION.

A Peasant having saved up a sum of Money by hard work and peeling his Potatoes close, went to the nearest Village and invested in an Accordion. On his way home he began playing the air of "My Grandfather's Clock," but scarcely had the echoes reached the Forest when out came a Chopper, who cried out:

"Man! Man! for Heaven's sake hang up that! You will kill us all with your Racket."

"Can't help that," replied the Peasant as he pulled away harder than ever. "If what tickles me all over is Death to you that is not my lookout. I will now give you 'The Empty Cradle,' with variations."

Moral.—If our neighbor doesn't want our smoke let him move away.

Last Year's Patents.

Scientific American.

The total number of applications during the year 1881 relating to patents was 31,522; of these 30,270 were for inventions, 948 for designs, and 304 for reissues. The number of patents granted and reissues issued was 20,515. Six thousand and ninety nine patents expired during the year, and 1,798 were withheld for non-payment of final fee.

Any coward can fight a battle when he is sure of winning it; but give me the man who has the pluck to fight when he is not sure of winning.

How many people would be mute if they were forbidden to speak well of themselves and evil of others!

"NIGGER MIGHTY HAPPY."

[H. A. Macon in The Century.]

Hog starts ramblin' when de moon-rise callin';
Whippoorwill holler when de sycamore fallin';
Duck lie quiet in de water, partaken po'rin;
Crows doze peaceful when de young corn showin';
Pig squeal right when de pail mah churnin';
Nigger mighty happy when de blackberries turnin'.

Sun'flow'r go to industrious when de early-barley comin';
Bee martin set off when de honeybee hummin';
Lean Low nickel when de pumpkin-vine spreadin';
Rabbit back his ear when de cabbage-stalk headin';
Rooster start a crowin' when de broad day breakin';
Nigger mighty happy when de hoe-cake bakin'.

Big fish flutter when he done cotch de cricket;
Bullfrog libely when he singin' in de thicket;
Mule get slicker when de plantin'-time over;
Colt mighty gay when you turn him in de clover;
An' it come mighty handy to de nigger mah mater
When he roppin' in de gravy wid a big yam 'tater.

Black-snake waitin' while de old hen hatchin';
Sparrow-hawk lookin' while de little chicken scratchin';
Big owl jolly when de little bird singin';
Possum grinnin' when he think what de pipe summons swingin';
Nigger mighty happy—of he aint wuf a dollar—
When he startin' out co'tin' wid a tall stan'in collar!

A WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

What a Lady of Great Prominence has to Say About Her Sex.

(Boston Globe.)

On a recent trip by a representative of this paper to the city of Haverhill, Mass., a most important incident occurred which cannot fail to be of the greatest interest to all, and especially to our lady readers. The newspaper man met a lady a trifle past middle age with luxurious white hair that contrasted strikingly with piercing black eyes. She possessed a straight, full habit, womanly but commanding, combined with manner wholly ladylike and yet pronounced. Any acute judge of human nature could see at once that he was in the presence of an unusual personage, one destined to accomplish more than most of her sex and to exert an influence far reaching in its power. This lady was Mrs. M. W. Wingate. Almost from childhood she has taken a special interest in the bodily troubles of her sex, and has probably been more successful in relieving suffering and saving lives than any other woman in America. Indeed she seems to have been to women what Florence Nightingale and Dorothy Dix were to the suffering soldiers. The instances of woman who were in the greatest agony and apparently beyond the reach of human aid, that she has restored to health and happiness, are almost innumerable, and it was only natural that the scribe should become specially interested and wish to converse with her more in detail.

"How long have you been engaged in the practice of medicine, Mrs. Wingate?"

"For more than 25 years."

"A long time certainly. How did you happen to enter the field at that early day when women in the professions were specially frowned down upon?"

"I think I must inherited a taste from my father, Professor J. C. Wood, of Harvard college. He was eminent in the profession, a hard worker and equally earnest in his recreations. He hunted considerably and I remember when only nine years old I used to dissect the birds and animals he had killed. I felt infatuated with medical science even then, and the infatuation has continued up to the present time."

"And did you begin your studies so early in life?"

"I can hardly say when I began, for I can not remember when I did not read medical literature. You would scarcely believe it, but I was a slender girl and did not weigh over 120 pounds, but I used to sit up night after night until 2 o'clock in the morning, poring over my studies and never dreaming of the flight of time. It seemed as though calls for my attendance on the sick always came unsolicited. I certainly cannot fix the date when I first began practicing. Of course most of my patients were women, and the natural sympathy I felt for my sex has increased during all these years where I have been brought so closely in contact with them and have learned to anticipate their needs and sympathize with their sufferings. After the opening of the Boston Medical College I appeared before the faculty, passed examination and received a diploma. I had practiced for years previous to that time but thought it desirable to receive another diploma, which I did without any effort."

"Your experience with the many and serious diseases of women having been so extensive must also be valuable. Can you give us some facts regarding them?"

"I find that woman seems born to suffering, and where she avoids it, it is by reason of some care on her part or some [illegible] power. It is true since women go through life without unusual suffering, but they are none the less in danger, for there are critical periods all along their pathway when the utmost precaution is required. The innumerable complaints, called female weaknesses, the irregularities of life and changes of the system all indicate the perils which hang over every woman's career, and which unless attended to, may result disastrously.

"But is there no way by which these terrible troubles can be avoided?"

"That has been the problem for years. The twists of life and the demands of fashion age sharply at war with the health of women. I have been, perhaps, unusually successful in my treatment of their troubles, but there have been many cases that seemed specially stubborn. I recall one in particular. I had exhausted all the usual expedients and the results were not satisfactory. I became worried over the case and really did not know what to do, but finally thought I would try something out of the usual line. I had heard a certain remedy recommended very highly and so I procured some and made a chemical analysis of it. I found it was perfectly pure, and that the ingredients were unusually valuable. So I began giving it to my patient, changing it however into a bottle of my own. To my great joy it seemed to have an almost immediate effect, and a complete cure was the result. Since then I have used it constantly in my practice and have cured every form of female weakness, as well as displacements, dropsical tumors, cellulitis, and all such troubles. I have also used it with the best of results in cases of pregnancy and gestation. Indeed I have found it of untold value and benefit."

"Have you any objection to giving us the name of this remedy of which you speak?"

"None whatever. It is Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure."

"Why, this is a proprietary medicine?"

"Certainly, but what of that? I have but one end in view in the treatment of my patients, namely, their restoration to health. In the accomplishment of this end I prescribe what I believe to be beneficial, no matter what the professional consequences may be."

"I notice in the New York papers that Doctors Hammond, Agnew and other prominent physicians are taking a similar stand, Mrs. Wingate."

"Yes, and all independent thinkers in the profession are bound to do so. I am, however, on the best of terms with my professional brethren as you can see," and the lady produced a beautiful gold medal mounted in the form of a badge which had been presented her by the medical society, known as the Ensign of the Humble Family, of which she is a prominent member. After examining it closely, the reporter remarked that the medical profession evidently were proud of what she had done, as she might well be in the possession of such a medal.

"I am proud of that," she replied, "and I was also pleased a short time since to receive an offer at a large salary to take the professorship in the medical college at Walla Walla, on the Pacific coast. I do not know how they heard of me out there, but I was obliged to decline their offer."

"And so, in your experience with the diseases of women, you have found success and that Warner's Safe Cure has been a most efficient remedy."

"Yes I have had unusual success and the remedy of which you speak has been proven of great benefit. There are, however, some base imitations of it to be found in the market, these are bad and should be avoided, but the genuine remedy is one of the very best."

"And has not the practice of your profession injured your health?"

"No. I am better now than ever before in my life. A frost froze my limbs last winter, while riding on a cold night to see a patient and was obliged to remain indoors for over two months. Otherwise I am healthy, as you can see by looking at me."

"And may I publish this interview, Mrs. Wingate?"

"Yes. If what I have told you should be the means of assisting any women who may be suffering, I shall be perfectly willing to have it published."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 29, 1883.

Two weeks ago last Monday Wiggins was the hero of the hour and now he is deader than Guiteau.

This is the season of "etherial mildness." But we have failed to discover any of the e. m. in ours, as yet.

Something is the matter across the water. Queen Victoria slipped down and sprained her knee, and the English government has not hanged an Irishman for over a month.

Representative Bixby's bill forbidding members of the Legislature, state officers and judges of the supreme and circuit courts from accepting or using railroad passes was killed in the House by having all after the enacting clause stricken out. The vote stood 23 in favor of the bill to 29 against.

The death of Postmaster General Timothy O. Howe removes one of the ablest and most distinguished men of the Northwest. He entered public life at an early age and by honorable effort worked his way up, step by step, to a high position. He was prominent and influential in the U. S. Senate during the war. Mr. Howe rose far above the small tricks of the average politician and throughout his whole career was eminently candid and courageous. Among the matters with which his name will be conspicuously connected by the historian is the reduction of letter postage from three to two cents, which would probably not have been accomplished at the last session of Congress but for his strong recommendation. Mr. Howe's strict personal integrity and entire honesty of purpose have never been questioned. He leaves a stainless record.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend the banquet to be given by the press of Detroit to the Michigan Press Association tomorrow evening. It would give us much pleasure to attend this banquet, to taste the editorial turkey and drink the editorial lager on that occasion.—As we havn't enjoyed a good square meal since last Christmas we flatter ourselves that we could do justice to this banquet. But the spring election is approaching. We shall have tickets to print by the hundred, and pasters "till you can't rest." Election day is the rural editor's harvest time, which is equalled only on circus day and holiday week. The banqueters, therefore, will have to struggle along without our presence. If the committee in charge however could set a plate for us, fill it with a full course, carefully place the contents in a band-box and express the same C.O. D. to our address, this act of courtesy would be gratefully appreciated. We can probably raise funds enough to take the band-box from the express office, and we pledge ourselves that the contents shall be placed where they will do the most good.

Speaking of the union ticket, the Agricultural World, an independent agricultural paper, printed at Grand Rapids, says: "The combination is not the direct outgrowth of the result of the election last fall; but from the anti-monopoly sentiment that to a great extent controls the two parties in Michigan. The announcement in the national convention, by J. I. Mead, one of the leading citizens in Lansing, that $10,000 had been subscribed by the railroads of the state to elect one of the republican candidates for justice of the supreme court, fell like a thunderbolt on the convention, and had the effect of bringing into line, for union, many who had before honestly opposed a union of the two organizations. The outcome of the combination will again put to test the powers of organized capital over the people. One thing is certain: the people, regardless of party, are beginning to think and act for themselves. Railroad syndicates for the election of a favored one to the position of justice of the supreme court of Michigan, and free tickets to legislators and judges means "black mail" upon the producing interests and cannot be too speedily denounced by the people by electing to positions of honor and trust men who are not willing to make paupers of a thousand human beings in order that one hundred may be made rich through the operation of unjust laws."

DON'T SPECULATE.

We have lately had a flood of embezzlements and other forms of theft, and it has been the same story in every case. Trusted cashiers and others charged with the money of their neighbors, speculated and lost.

In nineteen cases out of twenty, no crime was intended. Had the thought of theft occurred to the parties who proved to be criminals, they would have shuddered and recoiled from themselves; but they lost their own money; they borrowed without leave to make new ventures, and ended as embezzlers and thieves.

Most of the scores of men who have lately startled the country by their embezzling, were citizens of unblemished reputations, commanding the unbounded confidence of their respective communities; but the inordinate ambition to get rich, to live in style, to give their children the hollow respectability of fortune, and to gain the mocking homage of fools and hypocrites, made them venture step by step until detected crime and inefaceable shame logically followed.

Don't speculate. Not one in a thousand of those who attempt to win fortune by speculative gambling has profited by it; and many who have not been broken in fortune, have wasted what is of greater value than gold—honest industry. The only wealth that lasts and that is full of comfort, is that gained by industry and enterprise, and every departure from legitimate pursuits to gain riches is crowded with peril at every step. Don't speculate.—N. Y. Sun.

SEED CORN.

The following we take from the Michigan Farmer:

TECUMSEH, March, 15, '83.

I saw in my Farmer of this week an article on testing seed corn, and as I have just been attending to that very thing, I thought I would give my plan.

Last fall I husked my corn in October, and before there was any freezing weather I picked out eighty bushels of ears and kiln dried it around and over my house furnace. I have been sprouting it, and I find every kernel sprouts vigorously.

Thinking there might be trouble about seed on account of the corn going into the cribs so soft, is why I saved so much. Should any one want I will have some to spare. The variety is the large yellow dent. I have invariably made a practice of drying over a kitchen stove or about a chimney or some such place, but being always sure to have it perfectly dry before freezing weather. I have never had a bad stand since I practiced this method. No matter how dry you get it; I think the drier the safer.

Seed corn should never be picked out of the crib in the spring. It may grow, but can never make a rapid strong growth that corn will that is treated as I have described.

I wish to relate a circumstance that occurred in this neighborhood a few years ago. A farmer fitted a field alongside the highway, and it was as near as possible in the same tilth and condition in every way. He had saved about half seed enough the fall before to plant the field, and took the other half from a neighbor's crib to finish with. That taken from the crib all sprouted and came up, but about a week later than the seed that he prepared. It came up spindling and yellow, and was behind the other all summer, and was just as far behind when husked in the fall in regard to yield. I once knew a lot of corn that had laid over a cook-stove for four years, taken down and planted, and it all grew splendidly. It had been dried to a crisp. I say again, never pick your seed corn out of a crib in the spring, and confidently expect a good crop.

J. B. COLVIN.

The contents of "The Popular Science Monthly" for April, besides being well varied, are all of a character to command attention and stimulate thought. The leading place is given to an essay by Professor Sheldon Amos on the "Nature and Limits of the Science of Politics." In "The Economical Function of Vice" Mr. John McElroy takes the novel ground that men's vicious propensities play an important part in natural selection and the improvement of mankind, eliminating by a self-chosen process its worst and most worthless elements, and making more room for the play of the better factors of society. New York: D. Appleton & Co. 50 cents per number. $5 per year.

The latest fashion from Paris is a poodle with a handle. The Parisian ladies are wild on dogs for pets. The brute is led by a string, and grabbed up at each crossing to be carried over the pavement. When shaggy dogs were in vogue the habit was to pick them up by the hair and they were trained not to yelp. Pugs as smooth as new born pigs are now the favorites, and of course they have no hair to be lifted by. But a clever surgeon cut the end from a little dog's tail, made an incision in the middle of his back, stuck in the tail tip, let it heal fast, and there was as handy a handle as could be wished for.

Read our real estate notices on the eighth page.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, March 27th, 1883.

The shooting of broker Haverstick by the brother of Mrs. Uhler, the woman whom he led astray, is still the all absorbing topic of conversation in all circles, and the progress of the inquest on the case is watched with the most curious interest. There is something very mysterious about the whole case. Why for instance was the divorce suit not pushed? Why does Mrs. Uhler not even appear on the scene, but run away to another state where he is out of reach of the coroner? Why did Mrs Uhler plead to her brother to take her away from that man? and why did she tell him afterwards that that man would not allow her to leave. These and other questions are yet to be solved in order to make this Zolaic drama from real life intelligible, and with the natural curiosity that people possess to become acquainted with the affairs of others, coroner, police and reporters are anxious to unravel the mystery. As regards Haverstick, I have spoken to numbers of men who have met him socially and in business, but I have yet to find one who does not conclude his estimate of the man with the remark: "Conkling served him right. It is a good thing that he is gone." He was essentially cold, hard and at the same time a shrewd man. Though nominally solely a mining broker, he dabbled in other securities and valuables and recently made a snug haul in petroleum. Liberal with his money when he expected to reap a profit of a hundred per cent. at some future time; no one remembers a single kindly act of his which shows that the man possessed a heart. Bound to enjoy himself, or rather to taste every pleasure, he was yet equally determined to do so at the least possible expense to himself. He was one of that class of modern rakes, copied after the depraved specimens of the European continent to whom nothing is sacred, who take satisfaction in robbing others of their all, even of the affection of their wives, if it does not cost them too much. His punishment was severe, but I think that young Conkling did the cause of morality a genuine service by proving to the world that no matter how prosperous may be the path of villians of this kind, there is yet a day of reckoning. Conkling will of course be discharged as he ought to be.

Meanwhile we are all praying for fine weather for Easter Sunday, in order that our ladies may not be deprived of the glory of coming out in their "loves" of Easter bonnets. Milliners in all parts of the city, fashionable and otherwise have been busy this whole week in filling orders. In some establishment the poor working girls have been kept busy as late as eleven and twelve o'clock at night. The florists too have been rushed with orders. A leading dealer in Flora's products told me that not in all his experience were churches and private individuals doing so much in the way of decoration as this year. Floral ornamentation has come to be as much an adjunct of Easter as holly and mistletoe of Christmas, and he estimated that this year close on $100,000 would be spent for this purpose. Jewelers and other dealers in fancy goods and knick-knacks are also forcing the fashion of making Easter presents on us, and their labor is not so difficult, as they are encouraged in their enterprises by the gentle sex. Verily the career of the young man who would flutter about the fair ones is getting more and more difficult. What with Easter presents, Christmas presents, New Year offerings, Valentines, balls, the opera, theatre, his pockets will soon cease to be a necessary part of his clothing.

A forthcoming literary novelty which will make its appearance in a month or so, is a social novel which has for its author one of the brightest and cleverest women in society. There is a flutter in Murray Hill over the event, for the lady, while still young, handsome and of course fond of being appreciated at her worth, is the dead enemy of hypocrisy which is the cement of modern society. It is understood in this work of hers, she rubs off some of the tinsel, and paint with which this cement is covered, and and draws some characters so life like that their real identity cannot be mistaken. For this reason everybody looks guilty and fearful, and the belles and beaux await the forthcoming book with as much eagerness as pater familias awaits the newspapers the morning after he has had a box at the French ball.

The honors, which ought to have been paid long ago to Barney, the eminent German tragedian, by the members of his own profession are at last forthcoming. He was breakfasted the other afternoon by the leading members of the dramatic fraternity, and the following day he returned the compliment by giving a professional matinee. The house was packed with actors and actresses, Barrett and Lester Wallack occupying the two proscenium boxes. He appeared in a light farce from the French entitled "From the Opera Comique," and in two acts from King Lear, and in [illegible] scenes from Julius Cæsar.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

A silk hat factory has been started at Battle Creek.

The wife of Prof. Vrooman, of the normal school, Ypsilanti, died last week.

The Charlotte baptists are making extensive improvements to their church edifice.

A reliable builder estimates that 300 new buildings will go up at Battle Creek the coming season.

Jon. Richie, of Bay City, has a violin the body of which is the highly polished horn of a Texan steer.

An armory and drill hall will be built at Bay City by a stock company now forming, with $10,000 capital.

The Grand Trunk railway company will build an elegant passenger depot at Charlotte the coming summer.

Unionville school teacher fined $25 and costs for flogging a scholar too severely.

A Jackson prisoner, named Webster, caught in machinery and leg badly broken.

Manistee is to have a new baptist church 30x40 feet, and a Polish church costing $25,000.

J. L. Stone, of Manchester, has taken possession of the St. James hotel, Ann Arbor.

The opinion is expressed that Gladwin county will be the grazing and dairy county of the state at no distant day.

The liabilities of Camp, Morrill & Camp, of Jackson, are placed at $65,000, with nominal assets of similar amount.

R. G. Peters' new hall at Manistee will cost $40,000; Seymour Bros.' brick block, $12,000; Scandinavian hall, $10,000.

Ravenna offers a bonus of $15,000 for a railroad from Muskegon to Gd. Rapids that shall cross its corporation limits.

The new Michigan & Ohio road, from Toledo, via Marshall, to Allegan, 154½ miles, will be in operation by June 15.

The state meeting of the Michigan I. and M. (seventh-day adventists) society will be held at Battle Creek, April 21-24.

A newly invented Battle Creek sawing machine sawed 50½ cords of wood in four hours, one cord of it in 11 minutes.

The methodists of Boyne City and Boyne Falls, Charlevoix county, contemplate building a new house of worship at each place.

Four high school students at Battle Creek suspended for stopping the school bell's clanging by stuffing it with rags.

A calf story: It was born on the farm of Duane Whitney, Litchfield, Hillsdale county, and three hours later weighed 129 pounds and girted 39 inches.

Mischievous boys locked the Owosso baptist church from the inside last Sunday evening, and a large portion of the intending worshipers remained on the outside.

The C. & G. T. company will lower the grade of its road at Charlotte, in order that it may pass under the Central track instead of crossing it as at present.

Capt. Crath, who supervised the execution of the Lincoln conspirators at Washington in 1865, is now postal route agent between Jackson and Grand Rapids.

The Port Huron W. C. T. U. ladies petition the city council to enforce the law against billiard, pool and card tables in places where liquor is sold, referred to mayor and city attorney.

The Bay City Tribune says that probably every other man in that place, church members included, carries concealed weapons. In the same issue it also says: "The church life of Bay City is a healthy one."

A stock company is organizing at Ypsilanti to utilize the mineral water recently discovered there, and which has already performed wonderful cures, as rheumatism, paralysis, cancer and dyspepsia.

The "noisiest" wedding on record occurred in Jackson county on Wednesday. Irving Miller and Miss Emma A. Treffrey; the ceremony witnessed by a delegation from the Central city, bride, groom and delegation all deaf-mutes.

John Mahoney, who has been reported as skipping from Roscommon leaving $15,000 to $30,000 debts unprovided for, has more recently gone from Muskegon with $5,000 which he was to pay over as contractor, to those employed under him.

Of the 360 baptist churches in Michigan 28 per cent. are pastorless, 56 have been without additions by baptism for a year, 22 per cent. do not contribute to either of the five objects of denominational benevolence, and only nine per cent. contribute to them all.

Dr. Hurd, of the Pontiac insane asylum thinks employment of some sort should be made obligatory on all able-bodied patients. He would not have the labor compulsory, as in penal institutions, but would have the patients understand it is expected, and encourage them to it by the bestowment of gifts.

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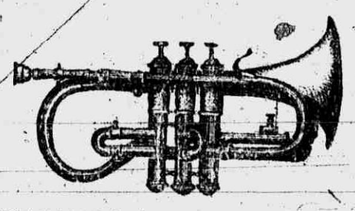

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

CAUCUS. An Anti-Monopoly Caucus will be held at Grange hall in Macon, on Saturday, March 31st, 1883, at 1 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of nominating township officers to be supported at the coming election. All who are independent enough to think for themselves, instead of allowing office seekers to think for them are invited to attend.

CAUCUS. The Republicans of Macon will meet in caucus at the Mills School House, Dist. No. 3,) on Friday, the 30th inst, at 2 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of nominating town officers to be supported at the coming town election.

Macon, March 23, 1883.

BY ORDER OF TOWN COM.

PURE BLOOD COTSWOLD BUCK for sale cheap. Call at my residence and examine him. N. C. STACY.

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DEERING BINDERS. To all persons who purchased Deering Binders in summer of 1882. If any of your machines need adjusting or repairing, we will have it done this spring free of cost to you, if you notify us at once.

CAIRNS & CO., Agents,
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FOR SALE. A good house and lot in village for $350. A bargain. For particulars enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

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Shop opposite Hayden's warehouse.

Albert Arner, of Raisin, is home for a few days.

Miss Jennie Frazer is home from her school at Concord for the vacation.

The new creamery, at Adrian, of which Benson & Knapp are proprietors will commence business on Monday next.

B. Mincer, the optician, will be in town Tuesday of next week, and will remain here several days. All orders left at Sink's Hotel will be promptly attended to.

"Blunders, Big and Little," next Friday evening, is under the auspices and in the interest of the Reform Club. John R. Clark will sing the Scotch descriptive song of "Bairnies Cuddle Doon," and other dialect songs.

American Newspapers in 1883.

From the new edition of Messrs. Geo. P. Rowell & Co's American Newspaper Directory, which is now in press, it appears that the newspapers and periodicals of all kinds issued in the United States and Territories now reach the imposing total of 11,196. This is an increase of 585 in twelve months. Taking the states one by one, the newspaper growth in some is very considerable. The present total in New York state for instance is 1,399—a gain of 80 in the past year. The increase in Pennsylvania is 48, the existing number being 943. Nebraska's total grew from 175 to 201, and Illinois from 890 to 904. A year ago Massachusetts had 420 papers; now the number is 438. In Texas the new papers outnumbered the suspensions by 8, and Ohio now has 738 papers instead of 692. The most remarkable change has occurred in the Territories, in which the daily papers have grown from 43 to 63, and the weeklies from 169 to 243 Dakota being the chief area of activity. The number of monthlies throughout the country grew from 976 to 1,034, while the dailies leaped from 996 to 1,062. The figures given above are exclusively of Canada which possesses a total of 606. It is interesting to note that the newly settled regions of the Canadian North-West are productive of newspapers as well as of wheat, for the number of journals issued in Manitoba was nearly doubled during the year.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 29, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Are you registered?

The blue birds came too soon.

Township election next Monday.

Candidates for township offices are growing numerous.

Get your election tickets printed at the HERALD office.

J. R. Morrison and daughter of Toledo, were in town yesterday.

Remember to register next Saturday, if you want to vote next Monday.

The HERALD Job Rooms have turned out a large number of auction bills lately.

Adrian and Hudson will be connected by telephone, probably before the first of May.

Hudson people will witness the great drama of "Hazel Kirke" next Saturday evening.

James DePuy, Esq., of New York, spent last Sabbath with his nephew, Frank DePuy, of Macon.

Mrs. C. M. Burlingame left Tecumseh on Monday for a two week's visit with relatives at Coldwater.

It is hoped that at some period, however remote, real genuine spring weather will arrive this way.

Miss Mollie Weisinger, of Deerfield, will accept a position as clerk in Anderson's dry goods store of this village.

Ben. Reynolds returned from his Texas trip last Saturday. He made a good sale, and naturally feels in good humor.

The telephone line from Adrian to Toledo will be constructed at an early day. Blissfield can secure a connection for $800.

L. F. Wheeler has arrived home with his "Rambles" and takes a few weeks' rest preparatory to starting out on a summer's campaign.

Next Saturday Jim Cole, the live market man, will have a full assortment of early vegetables, such as lettuce, radishes, pie-plant, &c.

What year was it that the voters of Tecumseh went to town meeting in sleighs? Some say it was forty years ago and some say it was in 1840.

The peach crop in this section is gone up. There is no doubt about that. Owners of peach orchards are fearful that a large proportion of the trees are killed also.

A large whale is ashore near Baltimore, and the Courier-Journal maliciously remarks that Providence always sends the Baltimore editors some brain food every spring.

It is generally believed that the snow will be of great benefit to the growing wheat crop, as it will protect it from the alternate freezing and thawing common at this season of the year.

A good many Michigan girls are going to Dakota and taking up homesteads. That's all right, girls. 160 acres of land is worth more than half a dozen of the average young men of the day.

The Jonesville Independent has bought the Litchfield Gazette and will continue to publish it, doing the printing at Jonesville and having a resident editor at Litchfield. I. E. Frankhouser.

Easter on the 25th of March is a coincidence that no man living has seen. It was as far back as 1668, 1674, 1731 and 1742 that Easter came on the 25th of March. This coincidence is the first of its kind in our century, and will not take place again till 1894.

We understand that Rev. H. Shepard has received a call from one of the best Universalist parishes in Iowa. Mr. Shepard has done a good, noble work in Tecumseh, and should he accept the call we can but congratulate the parish that shall receive his labors.

We have heard a great deal said about the new fangled five-cent piece, and how people palmed it off for five dollars in gold. Great heavens, but wouldn't we like to have one of 'em, even if we couldn't pass it for more than five cents! Say, will subscriber—but never mind, it is asking too much.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad has issued a neat pamphlet called "The Heart of the Continent," being a historical and descriptive treatise of those parts of the western states traversed by that railroad. It contains a large amount of statistical information, and will be mailed to any address for two 3 cent stamps by Percival Lowell, Gen. Pas. Agent, Chicago, Ill.

A citizen would like to know where the marshal and his assistant keep themselves on Saturday evening after 9 o'clock. Their services were needed last Saturday night near the post office where the sidewalk was crowded with a motley crowd, some of whom had been drinking and were swearing and threatening each other. This is not the first time that an officer was not in sight when greatly needed to preserve order. Too many drunken men are permitted to prowl the streets, especially on Saturday nights.

John R. Clark is home again.

Henry Smith, Jr., of Toledo, was in town Monday.

Jas. H. Tribou was home last Sunday and Monday.

Slayton & Son are soon to build an addition to their warehouse.

Chas Parkell made his Tecumseh friends a short call last Monday.

A gang of depot builders will commence work on the M. & O. road next month.

Mr. Sparks is putting a mortlock on his block on Chicago street, and will soon make other improvements.

The West side school at Blissfield will give a box reception at Carpenter's hall on Saturday evening next.

Miss Niles, of London, Canada, a neice of Mrs. Tiffany's, is spending a few days with the latter in Tecumseh.

The Tecumseh postoffice was closed between the hours of two and five yesterday afternoon out of respect to the memory of the late Postmaster General.

The meeting of the social club at Mrs. E. A. Tribou's last Monday eve. was a pleasant one. The club will be entertained next Thursday evening by Miss Elida James.

B. F. Reynolds, E. G. Wilson, Carl Berger, Ed. Learnard, Peleg Chase and Peleg Bowerman all came home from Texas last week safe and sound and report a good time.

If you wish to buy a farm or a village house and lot, call at the HERALD office and learn of the places we have to sell. We can accommodate any taste, and both flush and lean purses.

Up to the present time the groundhog is the most successful weather prophet of the year. The goose-bone ranks second, and it is nip and tuck between Wiggins, Vennor and the musk-rat for third place.

Rev. Joseph Cook will lecture in Adrian, on Thursday evening, April 5th, 1883, under the auspices of the Broad St. M. E. Sunday school. Subject of the lecture will be "Probation after death." Arrangements will be made to hold the train till after the lecture.

The Tecumseh Bible Society auxiliary to the American Bible Society will hold a union service in the Presbyterian church of this village on Sabbath evening, April 1. Addresses of ten minutes each will be delivered on the following subjects:

"The effects of the bible on individual and national prosperity." Rev. W. H. Babbit.

"The bible in the home."

"What the bible does for people as citizens." P. S. McKinnon.

"The right of the people to the Holy Scriptures." Rev. R. S. Pardington.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend this service.

The annual election of officers of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school occurred on Monday evening, March 26, 1883, with the following result:

Superintendent—R. B. House, M. D.
Assistant—B. Hurry.
Secretary—Leila Doty.
Treasurer—Bert Hause.
Librarians—Elsworth Russell, Frank Potter, Viola Zeluff.
Organist—Eunice Davidson.

The school is in a highly prosperous condition in all its departments. The average attendance during the year has been a trifle less than 200. The preliminary steps are being taken toward getting a new library. One of the marked features of the school is the Pastor's Bible Class which has an average attendance of 40.

Duprez & Benedict's minstrels will be at the opera house April 10. Read what the Daily Evening Post of Salem, Mass., says of the company:

Duprez & Benedict's gigantic minstrels appeared at Mechanic Hall last evening. The hall was filled, for an entertainment so early in the season, the audience being composed of the best class of play-going people. The entertainment was first-class in every particular, the company being a strong one. The olio business was excellent, nearly every point being encored by the audience. The local bits were numerous and were well received. The Cottonfield Belles and Silver-Shower Cloggists were equal to anything in this line ever produced in Salem. The discipline of the company was excellent, the members playing together well, and, as this is their fourth appearance this season, their success with the public argues well for their enthusiastic reception wherever they may go during the season.

The new postal note which congress authorized at its last session will be ready for issue in September next. The note is to be bought like a postage stamp, payable to bearer in any amount from three cents to $5. It will be about the size of the ordinary greenback. The model proposed by the Postoffice Department, which was submitted to the Postal Committee of the House, had at the right hand two columns giving the month of the year and the dates of twelve years, beginning with 1883. At the left hand are three columns of figures, one representing dollars numbered up to four; a second, representing dimes numbered up to nine; a third, representing cents numbered up to nine, each series ending with a cipher. The postmaster at the office issuing the note will punch the month and the year, the number of dollars, dimes, and cents in their respective columns, thus preventing any alteration of the amounts or date.

The fishing season has opened at St. Joseph.

A. A. Kennedy returned from Minnesota yesterday.

Chet Brownson has tested his lease of David Service's farm, and will stay four years more.

Leroy Mead, of Macon, recently deceased, was one of the few remaining veterans of the "Old Fourth."

The measles have got into the west side Blissfield school and it raises hob with the per cent. of attendance.

The Democratic caucus of Tecumseh will be held at the Council Building next Saturday afternoon, at two o'clock.

Dr. Catlin has placed a fine new matting upon his office floor, and will soon ornament the rooms further with a lot of new furniture.

The Governor has designated Thursday the 26th day of April as "Arbor Day" and recommends its general observance throughout the state.

Miss Hayden and Mr. F. Hillman, of the Tecumseh instrumental quartette, will furnish music on the occasion of the "Blunder" lecture to-morrow eve.

Be sure and read the millinery advertisement of Mrs. A. E. Ure on our first page. She has a large stock of goods and is selling them at very low prices.

Rev. C. E. Conley goes to Manchester this afternoon to address the Washtenaw Foreign Missionary conference which begins this evening and lasts over to-morrow.

Hause will serve up warm biscuit and hot maple sugar on Monday eve. next, April 2. Be sure that you call with your girl and pull maple wax.—Room for all, both old and young.

Peter Kishpaugh, of Clinton, has returned from Ohio lately and brought with him a car load of fine young farm horses, and it will pay men who take an interest in such stock to visit his stables and inspect the lot.

Willis Merritt is still confined to the house with a serious bronchial trouble. We made him a call last evening and found him about the house and feeling encouraged. His physicians have no doubt of his full recovery with the return of warm weather.

Adrian Record: The Tecumseh HERALD thinks the Adrian grocer, who gives a pail of sauer kraut to each customer and a cent besides, will have to do a big business to make anything. The HERALD should know that the scent is in the kraut. It is if the kraut is good.

The Dakota fever seems to be raging in and about Lapeer City. Judging from incidents of the past, there are now well to do farmers about to join this exodus, who will, when too late, cry out: "Oh! why were my eyes blinded by the vain delusions of untold wealth in foreign lands?" There is wholesome advice in that old song, "Stay at home, Johnny, don't go."

Dr. Myatt Keyan, of Rangoon, Burmah, is expected to occupy the Baptist pulpit in this village next Sunday evening. This gentleman is a converted Koren. He came to this country and to Michigan about thirteen years ago. During this entire period he has been fitting himself by study to return to his people as a medical missionary, spending the first nine years at Kalamazoo college, and the last four in the medical department of our state university. When he arrived on our shores he was penniless. Notwithstanding this he has prosecuted his studies to his graduation, relying entirely upon his own energy. As in his student life, so in his missionary life, he proposes to pay his own way. He returns to his native land this spring or in early summer. The lecture will be on the customs, habits and needs of his people. A cordial invitation is given.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The stations and distances on the new M. & O. road are as follows, as we learn from the Marshall Statesman:

0	Toledo	154.5
31.2	Britton	123.3
33.1	Ridgeway	121.4
37.4	Tecumseh	117.1
44.7	Tipton	109.8
49.2	Springville	105.3
55.5	Devils Lake	99.0
58.7	Addison	95.8
65.9	Jerome	88.6
68.5	Moscow	86.0
72.9	Hanover	81.6
77.8	Pulaski	76.7
86.5	Homer	68.8
93.4	Marshall	56.1
103.3	Ceresco	59.0
112.5	Battle Creek	42.0
117.5	Bedford	37.0
121.3	Augusta	33.2
124.7	Yorkville	29.8
127.3	Richland	27.2
143.0	Monteith	11.5
154.5	Allegan	0

The route is as yet undetermined between Toledo and Britt[illegible] it is probable that when it is th[illegible] will be at least two stations between these points. There will doubtless be a stop between Marshall and Homer in Eckford, but it is not yet decided.

Marshall Statesman: The Kalamazoo Telegraph's Allegan correspondent reports facts showing the great enhancement of real estate values, caused by the advent of the new railroad. The growth of the place in business, population and wealth has taken a new impetus, one that will endure. The effect at Marshall has been of a similar character, and if anything, still more extensive. The real estate market has been more active here than in any other like town in Michigan.

DIED.

BREWER—Friday evening, March 16th, of typhoid fever, Miss Anna Brewer, only daughter of Horace Brewer, late of this place.

Thus suddenly has closed a beautiful life which, from its dawn to its ending, was passed in our midst. None anlong us held in a higher degree the love and esteem of our people. In every relation of life she met its responsibilities with courage and gentleness. At the end of her student's course in our high school she pursued her studies for a few terms in the young ladies seminary at Kalamazoo. She possessed an ardent love for music, vocal and instrumental, and her labors in attaining greater proficiency in these were evidence of her remarkable perseverance. She was identified with our Presbyterian church as a beloved member, as a teacher for some years in our Sunday school and in the choir, leading us with the melody of her voice in the service of song. Endowed with great sweetness of disposition, she had sympathies ever ready and warm and a most lovely and unassuming character. At home she was untiring in her ministrations of love; especially was this manifested during the long illness of her beloved father, which proved to be his last, and in the loving care and consistent thoughtfulness with which she soothed away her mother's grief. Those who knew her most intimately and had the privilege of calling her friend will miss her sorely, and will grieve long, even though they feel the assurance that through Christ she has been admitted to a place in one of the many Mansions, and is rejoicing in that life which is so much "more wonderful than all the golden fancies of all our golden dreams." Long shall we remember the sorrowful scene in church the Sunday following her death—the tear-filled eyes of many friends, her vacant chair draped with mourning in the choir, and the hymns sung commemorative of our loss.

And now, while we extend our deepest sympathy to those she loved so well, shall not they and we be comforted in the remembrance that this lovely and completed life is safe forevermore in our Father's house.

WARING—At Ridgeway, on Saturday evening, March 17, 1883, Joshua Waring, aged 75 years.

The birthplace of the deceased was Ulster county, New York, where a greater part of his minority was passed. In the spring of 1832 he married Ruth Ann Lockwood. Two years later they came west, first settling in Raisin township, this county, but a few months later purchased and took possession of a tract of land, in what was better known in the past as the English settlement, Ridgeway township, which could only be reached by an Indian trail after several miles of travel through the wilderness. Thirty-two years of industry and economy made an enviable home around which are still entwined many pleasant remembrances. In 1866 the deceased changed his residence to the village of Ridgeway where the remainder of the family still reside. In his 23d year he professed faith in Christ and became a member of the M. E. church which continued to be his home throughout his life, being an official member for fifty years. Of the class he first joined in Michigan, which was quite large, there are but three surviving members. The faithful exercise of his talent for sacred song was a power in religious service—cheering many a heart. His last song at family worship, the morning of the last day, was "All hail the power of Jesus name." Much that would be highly commendable might be said of his characteristics and qualities, but his many friends and acquaintances understand this much better than the words at our command could express. Although confined to an invalid's chair for many months his suffering was not severe until the last twelve hours, when it became intense thro' inflammation. He had long wished for the hour of dissolution, and when the messenger came it was received by him as a friend rather than an enemy. The widow and two sons are all that remain of the immediate family, and they have the sympathy and prayers of many friends.

COM.

HAND—In Macon, March 7th, 1883, of cancer in the stomach, Mr. Edmund Hand, in the 70th year of his age.

The deceased was born in Hancock, Berk Co., Mass., where the most of his early life was spent. On the 3d of March, 1836, he was united in marriage to Harriet N. Smith and emigrated immediately to Michigan, which was then an almost unbroken wilderness. He purchased a farm in the town of Macon, there building up a home, at which himself or some member of his family has since resided. There together with his wife he bore the trials and privations incident to pioneer life. In this home they reared their children—three sons and three daughters, all of whom with the mother followed him to his last resting place. In 1838 Mr. Hand made a profession of religion and joined the M. E. church, where he has since remained an acceptable member. His illness was a long and painful one, which he bore with Christian patience and fortitude. But his last hours were peaceful; truly "He giveth his beloved sleep." He was buried from his home on Saturday, March 10. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. A. De Spelder.

H. N. H.

MEAD—At his home in Macon, Mr. Leroy Mead, on the 21st of March, 1883. He had reached his fifty-first year in January last.

His birthplace was North Salem, Westchester Co., New York. In the autumn of 1860 he came to this state. The next year, at the outbreak of the rebellion, he responded to the call for volunteers, being one of the first who went from Macon township. He enlisted in the 4th Reg't Mich. Infantry. His record as a soldier has often been spoken of with praise by his companions in arms. Being of a jovial disposition, he did much to enliven the spirits of others, which of itself was good soldierly service in those trying days, and which his fellow soldiers have never ceased to appreciate. His conduct on the battle field as a soldier and lieutenant has also received honorable mention. In one of the battles he was severely wounded. After the war he returned to Macon, where he has since followed the occupation of a farmer. He has shown himself to be a good citizen and was highly esteemed by his neighbors and friends. On the 20th of February, 1867, he was joined in marriage to Josephine Clark son, who, together with two children survives him. Two other children his oldest and his youngest, he had been called upon to lay in the grave within the last three years. On Friday, March 23, the funeral took place. As was appropriate, it was largely in charge of former soldiers. Capt. H. W. Stevens, of Co. I, 18th Mich. Inf. superintended. The pall bearers were Capt. A. D. Lawrence, of the 9th Mich. Cav.; J. W. Cook, of the 18th Mich. Inf.; Wm. C. Jordan, also of the 18th; Frank Gilmore and James Lang, both of Mr. Mead's Reg't, the 4th, and Jehiel Davidson, of the 26th. The services were held at the late home of the deceased and were conducted by Rev. J. A. De Spelder of the Reformed church.

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Jas. C. Eward in Phrenological Journal.

The first attempt made at writing was [illegible] rude representation of the subject meant to be depicted. Thus a figure of the sun was made to denote that luminary. A figure of a [illegible] of a dog meant the animal represented. In process of time, when knowledge increased, the attempt was made to express in this manner abstract ideas, as well as [illegible] ... These delineations were more [illegible] ... Right, the figure of the sun, because the original [illegible] ... a hoe, courage of a lion, cunning of a fox, fidelity and so on. Ingratitude was denoted by a viper; impudence by a fly; wisdom by an ant; victory by a crane; a man universally shunned was an eel, which was supposed to be never found in company with any other fish. A still farther advance took place in knowledge caused these delineations to become too voluminous, every new object or thing requiring a new picture. This induced the delineator to abridge the representation, retaining only so much of each thing as would express the idea intended. Thus, instead of an accurate drawing of a lion, or a slight sketch or more general figure of that animal was made, and for a serpent merely a crooked line like the letter S.

As writing advanced from pictures of visible objects to symbolical hieroglyphs of things invisible from this latter it advanced to arbitrary marks which stood for objects and ideas which bore no resemblance or analogy to the thing signified. Of this nature are the characters now in use in China and Japan. In these countries they have no alphabet of letters to represent sounds of simple sounds, but the characters used stand for things, actions, or ideas. The number of these characters must be equal to correspond to the whole number of words employed in speech. It is a language difficult to write, and it is the work of years to learn them all. Very few of the learned men know the half of them, and it is thus that great progress has been made when after forty or fifty years of hard study one has mastered 15,000 or 20,000 of them. The Chinese, Japanese, Tonquinese, and Corean, though each speak a different tongue, use the same written characters.

They are thus able to correspond with each other, though one nation is ignorant of the spoken language of the others. This is comparable evidence that the characters they use stand for things rather than for words, the same as the figures 1, 2, 3 represent quantities in numbers of the same kind, but these quantities are expressed in the same different methods, and which, on being presented to the eye, are understood by those who have agreed upon the signification of them, and the value attached to each, whether English, French, German or Spanish, but each the speech of each of these people may differ from that of the others.

The Bedstead of an East Indian Prince

St. James Gazette.

There is on view in Paris at the present time a bedstead of rare and singular construction, which has been made to the order of an Indian prince, and is about to be sent out to him. The bedstead, which is of rosewood, with large plates of silver repoussé work, is very beautifully carved, and has cost upward of £1,000. The most original part of this bedstead is the mechanism which has to be put together when it is used. Gounod's opera.

At the four corners of the bed are four statues, representing, respectively, a Spaniard, Italian, and Frenchman, the only ornament being a gold snake, which is twisted round the posts which hold the [illegible] they are working are [illegible] By an ingenious [illegible] employed [illegible] workmanship.

Important Move of Russian Officers.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

[illegible]

War and Education Compared.

Boston Transcript.

A Belgian [illegible] published [illegible] ... per cavalry [illegible] ... and for old [illegible] ... $15 and [illegible] ... $15 and [illegible] ... $15 and

The Tecumseh Herald.

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'83 MILLINERY '83

Mrs. A. E. Ure,

—OF THE—

New York Millinery Store

In Adrian,

HAS OPENED

A BRANCH STORE IN TECUMSEH,

Next Door to the HERALD OFFICE, and will carry a large stock of

Millinery, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats.

Ladies can have their hats made over in all the New Shapes to look equal to new. A fine line of FANCY GOODS. Also a large stock of IMPORTED HAIR GOODS, JET ORNAMENTS for the hair. HAIR NETS, BANDS, &c.

I would be pleased to have the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity call and look over my goods as I will carry as large and fine a stock as you can find in any large city, and will sell at the very lowest prices.

Chicago St. TECUMSEH. **A. E. URE.** Maumee St., ADRIAN.

New Boot & Shoe STORE.

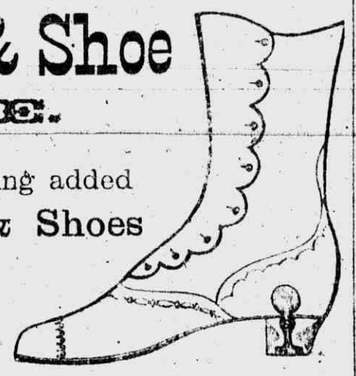

The undersigned having added

A Stock of Boots & Shoes

To their stock of

Harness, Etc.,

Solicit a share of the patronage of the people of Tecumseh and vicinity, assuring them that they will sell them anything in their line at as low prices as can be found in the county, and as good a stock to select from. All goods warranted.

A lot of Gloves to be closed out at COST.

Store 1 door west of Anderson's Dry Goods Store.

GIVE US A CALL.

Munger & Severance.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors,

BLINDS & MOULDINGS

of all kinds.

PLANING, SAWING AND MATCHING DONE TO ORDER.

Mill corner Pearl and Shawnee streets,

Office, Yard and Storerooms, corner R. R. and Shawnee streets.

EDWARD E. KOCH,

MANAGER.

New Clothing,

New Cloths,

New Hats & Caps.

We are in daily receipt of new and seasonable goods, and can now show the most complete line in every department to be found in the market.

Our facilities for furnishing anything needed by boy or man are unequaled, and our prices are acknowledged on all hands to be the lowest. We invite an early inspection.

STRONG & McNAIR.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

On the afternoon of Friday, March 30th, the citizens of western Cambridge and eastern Woolstock were shocked by the report that one of their neighbors, Mr. John Dowling had committed suicide by hanging, and hastily repairing to his place of residence the statements were proven to be only too true. The following particulars were obtained by a HERALD reporter from parties first at the scene of the tragedy. Mr. Dowling was a man about 30 years of age and worked a farm near Prospect Hill. He had shown slight signs of insanity at times, especially concerning himself, evinced much dissatisfaction with his condition, and several times during the winter became so despondent as to intimate suicidal intentions to his wife. She thinking it best to keep the matter secret however, allowed them to pass as quietly as possible, until the date above mentioned, when he accomplished his purpose. He took luncheon at 10½ o'clock A.M., and shortly after left the house as if to resume work, but not putting in an appearance at 5 P.M., his wife went to the barn to call him, but what was her horror on entering the dimly lighted basement to see the partially exposed body of her husband hanging by a cord from a beam above, and cold in death. The screams of the terrified woman were heard for miles, and neighbors hastening to learn the cause, soon found her statements only too well substantiated. Funeral services were performed over the remains on Sunday at Norvell, and kind friends are doing all in their power for the grief stricken wife and two little ones. The shock received by Mrs. Dowling was so severe as to greatly prostrate her nervous faculties. Physicians report her case as not dangerous however.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

On the evening of March 24, a number of friends and relatives assembled at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. D. Seaman of Franklin to surprise them and celebrate their daughter Alice's birthday. We took possession of the parlor at 8 o'clock, bringing with us our games, and all were enjoying the same when it was announced by one of the party, that while we had enjoyed ourselves thus far, we thought we would increase the pleasure of the occasion by presenting Miss Alice with a gift, consisting of a beautiful photograph album, and wished her to keep it as a remembrance and token of our friendship. At the same time Mr. Anson Ayres was happily surprised (as it was his birthday) with a gift consisting of a cup and saucer. Hoping he would enjoy his coffee and tea, and not desire anything more stimulating. Supper was then announced, which to say the least was heartily enjoyed. After supper was over music was the principle source of pleasure for a short time. Suddenly we bethought ourselves it was Sunday, and we ought to be at home, that mirth could not last forever. Bidding our friends good-night, and many happy birthdays, we were soon speeding homeward. A glorious full moon and the snow creaking under the wheels betokening a still cold night.

ARTEST.

FIRE AT DEERFIELD.

A disastrous fire occurred at Deerfield last Friday night which swept away eight buildings in the business portion of the town, and caused a loss of about $14,000. The buildings burned were all wooden structures on the west side of the main street, from the brick block south to River street. A portion of the loss is covered by insurance, but the loss will still be heavy. The following named parties sustain losses:

G. V. Bailey & Co., general store
L. Ormsby, two buildings.
E. A. Burton, building.
Miss McLaughlin, confectionery and postoffice.
Odd Fellows Lodge, furniture
W. F. Hood & Co., drug store
D. F. Griswold, two buildings
J. Manning, grocery store.
S. Bloomfield, building.
E. A. Burton, meat market
R. Diver, building.
Diver & McWilliams, hardware store.
Miss E. C. Henica, building and millinery stock.
Dr. Wood, office furniture.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, but those who gave the alarm claim to have heard an explosion loud enough to be heard two squares away, which might have been the bursting of an oil tank.

The wool growers of Franklin will meet at Tuttle's hall to transact important business on Saturday eve., April 7th. All are invited.

E. L. MILLS, Sec.

THE ELECTIONS IN THE COUNTY

TECUMSEH.

The result in detail, for Tecumseh township will be found in another column.

MACON.

The election in this town passed off quietly and resulted in the election of the entire Republican ticket. We give the names of the persons elected with the majority received by each.

Supervisor—George Howell, 21.
Township Clerk—Spencer C. Morgan, 8.
Township Treasurer—James F. Gilmore, 36.
Justice of the Peace—George V. Osgood, 24.
Commissioner of Highways—Lewis S. Camburn, 52.
School Inspector—William Richart, 15.
Drain Commissioner—John Oven, 30.
Constables—Wilber Greenfield, 256; John Gibson, 38; Elisha Davis, 32; John W. Sherman, 38.

On the state ticket the Republican candidates received 116 votes, the Union ticket 100 votes and the Prohibitionists polled 4 votes.

FRANKLIN.

The entire Republican ticket is chosen in this town by majorities ranging from 25 to 100, D. W. Love being re-elected supervisor

RIDGEWAY.

The election was hotly contested in this town and resulted in the election of a Republican Supervisor, Inspector and Clerk, the latter by a tie vote. The men elected with their majority are as follows

Supervisor—L. S. Palmer, 23.
Clerk—S. J. Winney, Tie.
Treasurer—J. W. Houseman, 11.
Justice—C. L. Lowe, 10.
Com.—E. R. Wells, 13.
Inspector—R. H. Nelson, 21.
The constables are all Democratic.

CLINTON.

The entire Democratic ticket was elected in this town except Supervisor. Below are the names of those chosen and their majorities:

Supervisor—E. W. Freese, 18.
Clerk—C. F. Field, 25.
Treasurer—J. B. McAdam, 70.
Com.—J. A. Gregg, 72.
Justice—S. Brown, 71.
Inspector—D. Keyes, 59.
Constables—J. C. Burroughs, D. O'Reilly, P. B. Sutfin, D. S. Goodrich.

NEW BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The next board of supervisors will stand 12 democrats, 13 republicans and one prohibitionist:

Adrian—
1st ward—L. A. C. Wagener, D.
2d ward—Edwin Crane, D.
3d ward—D. A. Bixby, D.
4th ward—Jesse H. Warren, R.
Township—Lewis C. Baker, D.
Blissfield—Wm. Corbett, D.
Cambridge—John Hand, Pro.
Clinton—E. W. Freeze, R.
Deerfield—Dale Munson, D.
Dover—J. H. Shepherd, R.
Fairfield—Peter Wyman, D.
Franklin—D. W. Love, R.
Hudson—Ira Swaney, R.
Macon—Geo. Howell, R.
Madison—C. C. Bradish, R.
Medina—John W. Woodruff, D.
Ogden—Thos. McComb, R.
Palmyra—George Humphrey, R.
Raisin—Horace Holdredge, D.
Ridgeway—Leonidas S. Palmer, R.
Riga—Henry Finger, R.
Rollin—Selah H. Raymond, R.
Rome—George W. Fleming, R.
Seneca—George W. Wilson, D.
Tecumseh—Alfred James, D.
Woodstock—A. M. Pickley, D.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending March 31, 1883:

PALMYRA.

Elizabeth Baker to Alzadia Stiles, Land on sec. 7.

Thomas Isley to Charles F. Isley, Land on sec. 13. $825.

RAISIN.

J. H. Welch to Joseph Campbell, Land on sec. 26. $2000.

Joseph Campbell to J. W. Welch, Land on sec. 35. $850.

RIDGEWAY.

John Britton to Lewis Miller, Land on sec. 3. $550.

ROME.

Riley B. Smith to B. F. Rockwell, Land on sec. 35. $5000.

TECUMSEH.

D. D. Meeker to Wm. and M. Anderson, Land on secs. 27 and 14. $5500.

The Gardener's Monthly for April is "on time" as usual. The subject of steam heating for greenhouses receives some attention. Forests succeeding fires and the future wood supply are timely articles, and there are lots of other useful items too numerous to particularize. Send for a copy to Chas. H. Marot, 814 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

The practical Farmer of Philadelphia, makes a very liberal offer in our columns this week. The paper is an old, well established Agricultural paper, and well worth the subscription price, aside from the opportunity given to obtain an improved farm, or an elegant engraving. We would advise our readers to send for a sample copy and see the list of farms.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

A counterfeiting school in the town of Ogden has been broken up by the itch.

Rev. Joseph Cook lectures at Adrian this evening on "Repentance after Death."

Rev. Mr. Haynes will remain another year with the Baptist church at Medina.

A. O. Miller's troupe of Blissfield have in rehearsal a new comedy called "The Lime Kiln Club."

A number of young people from Tecumseh attended the skating carnival at Clinton last week.

The Democrats of Ridgeway ran a lady for School Inspector on their ticket—Miss Julia Freer.

The old Canada Southern road to Fayette, Ohio, will be extended this summer to Bloomington, Ill.

Blissfield had four tickets in the field last Monday. You pays your money and takes your choice.

Four births last week in Clinton—three boys and one girl. Who says that Clinton is not prospering?

The Salvation Army has struck Adrian, and Gen. Bailey is making it lively for the sinners of that city.

The High School students of Deerfield played "The Last Loaf" to a large audience last Friday evening.

The young hoodlums of Adrian treated the Salvation army to a shower of snow balls on their first parade.

A. E. Hewitt, of Manchester, has decided to change his residence, and will make his home hereafter at Jackson.

Ed. Learnard, of Franklin, has returned from a trip to Texas and likes the country so well that he talks of going there to live.

Preparations are going on for the big Pioneer meeting at Morenci in June. Ex-Gov. Croswell and Col. Eldredge will be the orators.

Bro. Samsen, of the Blissfield Advance, declines to publish lengthy letters, written expressly to advertise Dakota lands, without charge. A sensible idea.

Deerfield Record: The Easter Sunday offering in W. F. Hood's household, was a nine pound baby girl.—Her birthday will not occur on Easter Sunday again, although she lives to be a centenarian.

Higgins, of Hudson, has got into trouble for soliciting guests on the R. R. grounds in that village. He had two trials and was convicted the last time, and was compelled to "anti-up" to the tune of $10 fine and $40 costs.

Adrian Press: Ogden Center yearns for a good shoemaker; two cobblers have become rich land owners, and have left the bench for a seat on sulky plows and mowing machines. Now they want a man who will peg away to save soles, and stick to the last. That's awl.

Morenci Observer: Last week a little eight year old son of Fletcher Bishop of Chesterfield, had one of his legs broken just below the thigh by the kick of a horse. It seems that he went into the stable and somehow the horse became scared and commenced kicking in the most violent manner, and it was almost a miracle that the little fellow was not instantly killed.

Morenci Observer: Last Tuesday the farewell words were spoken to numerous friends who took their departure for Dakota. Seven cars loaded to their utmost capacity, bore the household goods, farming utensils, and the thousand and one articles needed by the emigrants to their destination in the new Eldorado of the West.

The Hudson Post gives some figures on the "going to town meeting in cutters" controversy. "Forty years ago next Monday town meeting was held at the barn of Uncle John Colwell. The snow was over two feet deep and so hard that people could travel over it across the lots and through the woods to the polls. Some changes since then—the snow has gone, and the old settlers too.

On Saturday afternoon, March 34th, about 25 sheep breeders of Lenawee, Jackson and Washtenaw counties assembled in the directors' room of the Peoples' Bank, Manchester, according to adjournment and organized a Southern Michigan Sheep Breeders' Association, and elected the following officers: President, James M. Kress, Bridgewater; Vice President, Henry C. Calhoun, Bridgewater; Secretary, Charles M. Fellows, Sharon; Treasurer, Thomas VanGieson, Bridgewater; Directors, J. M. Horning, Norvell; C. C. Dorr, Sharon, and J. M. Moore, Manchester. The first annual sheep shearing festival will be held in Manchester on Saturday, April 21.

ARBOR DAY, 1883.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN:

At a session of the Legislature for the year 1881 the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be and is hereby requested to call attention of the people of the State to the importance of planting trees for ornament, protection and shade, by naming a day upon which this work shall be given special prominence, to be known and designated as "Arbor Day."

While, in view of the economic and climatic advantages, the importance of tree planting can hardly be over estimated, Arbor Day would seem more especially designed for such planting as will lend to make our home surroundings more comfortable and pleasing.

The attractiveness it adds to the home is no small argument in its favor, indeed, the difference between a home shaded by trees, furnishing delicious fruits in their season, and whose branches echo the songs of birds, and one where scarcely a tree softens the surroundings, may be the influence which shall attract the young to home enjoyments, and thus save them from perilous temptation.

In passing through the State I have observed with great regret that but little attention is given to the planting of trees in school grounds, indeed, the absence of trees is one of the surest indications that a building is used for school purposes. Let me therefore ask that in this year 1883, especial attention may be paid to the planting of trees near the school buildings. The school and the home, where the characters of the young are so largely molded, should in this respect receive equal care and attention.

Now therefore, pursuant to the foregoing resolution, I do hereby designate Thursday, the 26th day of April 1883, to be known as "Arbor Day," and recommend the general observance of the same throughout the State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereunto affixed at Lansing, this 22d day of March, 1883.

(L. S.) JOSIAH W. BEGOLE.

By the Governor:

HARRY A. CONANT,
Secretary of State.

PECK'S BAD BOY AND HIS PA.

BY GEORGE W. PECK, author of "Peck's Fun," "Peck's Sunshine," etc., etc. Illustrated with twenty full-page illustrations by Dean Smith. Cloth, black and gold, $1; paper covers, 50 cents.

George W. Peck is admitted, by common consent, to be one of America's Greatest Humorists. His former books, "Fun" and "Sunshine," have won for him a continental renown. But his last book is undoubtedly his masterpiece. Peck's Bad Boy is a "holy terror." He is full from top to toe of pure, unadulterated cussedness. He hungers and thirsts after mischief. He lies awake nights inventing schemes of deviltry, and rises with the lark to put them into execution. The sight of him makes the grocery man tired every time. He leads his poor Pa the life of a dog one day and of a martyr the next. He makes his Pa a nuisance in church, a fool at home, and a laughing stock to the world. Nothing escapes his attention; nothing is too commonplace and nothing too sacred for him to make the occasion of some diabolical joke. Fishing, skating, making New Year's calls, or rambling in the woods in summer, it is all the same. He is evidently possessed of a whole legion of devils. He is without doubt the very worst boy ever born in America. And yet he is the most popular boy in America today. The boys read of his escapades and regard him as a greater hero than George Washington. The girls read this book and think the way the Bad Boy got even with his sister was just splendid. Fathers read it and sigh. Old bachelors read it and thank heaven they have no boys. Ministers smuggle them into their studies and nearly choke themselves with vain attempts to suppress their merriment. Aged spinsters read it and, unaccustomed to the laughter it compels, begin at once to grow fat. Everybody reads it. It is the most popular book of the age. The illustrations are most graphic and suggestive. The artist, who is one of the "Old Masters" of Chicago, has caught the author's humor, and his sketches greatly enhance the value of the book. The picture of the Bad Boy's Pa fighting the hornets, or descending by his patent fire-escape, or receiving the salute of the Royal Bomper, reveal the very heart of the author's humor. The book, which is just out, is for sale by all book sellers, or mailed post paid, on receipt of price, by Belford, Clark & Co., Publishers, Chicago.

Thomas Clarkson, a brakeman for Conductor Matt Loop, on the Lake Shore, met with a most serious accident last night at Blissfield. He fell between the cars and his right leg was crushed below the knee, and his left foot was quite badly injured. Dr. Rynd, of this city, was at once notified, who met the train at the depot here and proceeded to Clayton, the home of Clarkson, where assisted by Dr. Eaton and Frank Wood of this city, he amputated the leg and left the sufferer as comfortable as possible. We understand that Clarkson owns a farm in Dover and is a married man.—Adrian Record.

The old established jewelry house of H. T. Cook & Co., 137 Summit St., Toledo, have an advertisement in this week's HERALD. It will pay any of our readers to give them a call when they visit the city.

Helen Preston.

"Are there no underwriters for human hopes? for the most precious of interests is there no insurance?"

I had been tempted all day, tempted by fate and the devil. All summer long I had been trying to clasp hands for a life journey with a man I did not love; a man noble of soul and born to the purple, who set up his high disdain against my poor gifts of beauty and song. He threw some love into the scales, too, but I, God help me, had none to give in return. I had barbaric eyes, pile my whole possessions for a long glance of a dark eye, and my pride had some to protest.

Could I—could I? It kept wallowing me about with fateful persistency, for, to night I was to give my answer to my high-born lover.

I tried to look things in the face, so solemn the test.

Money was a good thing; it insured once warmth in winter and delicious coolness in summer, and preciousness and daintiness, and the entrance into good society. Yes, money was a good thing, and position and power, and houses and lands. So far good; but my soul hungered and thirsted for a love commensurate with my own, which this man, who offered me purple and gold, had it not in his power to give, or let me qualify that, had it not in his nature to give.

The stars came out golden and soft, and the fragrant summer dusk crept around me as I sat inhaling the scent of the roses. Ambition and love tore my heart by turn, and weariness, too, put in a poor pitiful plea, for I was so tired.

It was a brilliant future that Reginald Dacre offered me, wherein toil and weariness could never come. I thought of the purple and fine linen; the luxurious rest; the entertainment. Then my dainty life passed in review before me—that of a companion to a haughty dowager, and a regular singer in a fashionable church, among fashionable saints and sinners. I began to croon over the old satire:

In a church which is garnished with niche and gable,
With altar and retables, with gargoyle and groin,
The penitents' dresses are sealskin and sable,
The odor of sanctity's cent de cologne.
But surely if Lucifer, flying from Hades,
Could gaze at this crowd, with its paniers and paints,
He would say, looking round at the lords and the ladies,
"O where is All Sinners if this is All Saints?"

I had cutered upon this life from an unloved and unloving home, a home doled out to me by the tardy justice of a granduncle who had robbed me of my inheritance. I thought at first I might find the sangreal somewhere in this new country, which seemed so fair, but alas! I had not even heard the swish of wings.

I thought of it all—the fervor and the fret; the petty jars; the misunderstandings; the pain of incomprehension; the unguerdoned toil; the lagging hours; the awful pauses.

This or marriage; this or marriage. It seemed written like a placard on earth and sky. I seemed bound like phylactery upon the brows of the people as they passed to and fro; and soon the word marriage lost all its significance for me, as words do after oft repeating. Did it mean misery or happiness, bliss or woe? This marriage that rang its changes through my brain—was it God-appointed? Did it mean God's blessing or His curse?

You know I did not love this man who offered me rest from my labors. He had not power to evoke one thrill at his call. But then love is only one reason why one should marry a man. There might be love and plenty of money, and yet one go hungry all one's life. I have known such things.

I had tried to make my life straight and fair. I had tried to keep clean hands and a pure heart; tried—God, who knows the secrets of all hearts, knows this—to fight despair.

Long green days,
Worn bare of grass and sunshine, long calm nights
From which the sikon sleeps were freted out—
Be witness for me.

We see through shadows all our life long. We come into this world without our being given a choice as to our advent, and go out of it in the same manner.

We have not been consulted as to birth or death. More and more the prayer of Epictetus haunts me: "Lead me, Zeus and Destiny, whithersoever I am appointed to go, I will follow without wavering, even though I turn coward and shrink, I shall have to follow all the same."

Should I marry Mr. Dacre? Was he a good man? As the world said, "Too good for me, as my lady elegantly phrased it.

I had been born into the world amid fierce throes of mental anguish. Through the pain of her travail my mother's heart was rent with the greater pain of my father's sudden death—drowned off the Cornish coast, for I was born at sea. She lived until I was 10 years old, a life of sorrow, and poverty, and renunciation. Then she died, leaving me to a compassionate world and my uncle.

My life dragged, on the clogged wheels. I was always at war with my surroundings. Though too proud to express it, I had never realized my ideal of womanhood, or in any way grown up to my aspirations and dreams. If I had grown at all it had been through pain and repression—a fatal thing always for a warm-hearted, earnest woman.

My uncle, Edward Earl, had procured me the friendship of the lady in whose house I had passed a twelvemonth—Mrs. Lucien Granger, a distant cousin of her own. I was an unsalaried governess or companion, our remote consanguinity being always made available by my uncle. It was during my residence with that lady that my fate came to me. A young nephew of Mrs. Granger's came to the hall. He was an artist, young and handsome, and fresh from a four year's sojourn in Rome.

I need not worry you with the prologue or the epilogue of our love, for words are so poor to express the heart's utterance. O golden day! O tender, passionate nights! O princely heart, come back to me!

Alan Leighton was the last son of a high-born family, and he counted the blue blood—the united blood of all the Howards—flowing in his veins. Mrs. Granger interposed her veto against our love, dreading, doubtless, the plebeian admixture of mine.

It is a pity that blood does not always tell. It was an ignoble triumph to me—to still a triumph—to bare my white arms to the shoulder during our gala nights—to which my voice was always invited—contrasting their satiny smoothness and perfect contour with the dark brown appendages of Mrs. Granger folded over her aristocratic heart.

But a cloud crept into the sky, and its shadow fellow across our path.

Alan was called suddenly by telegram to England, where his grandfather lay dying. We had but a moment for our farewells, for Alan's heart was rent with sorrow, and I helped to expedite his departure.

But one letter ever reached me. His father was dead, and he was Sir Alan now.

My Precious Helen: My father, whom I loved and respected above all men, died yesterday. I need not tell you how desolate we feel, and how the light seems to have died out of every nook and corner. My dear mother is prostrated with the blow which has taken away the lover of her youth, and I shall not be able to return to you for some weeks. Announce our betrothal, dearest to my aunt and uncle, which you know was my intention the very night I was called away. Be true to me, my darling Helen, as I shall be true to you. Good-night, dear love, I shall write at length as soon as mother and I have matured our plans for her lonely future. Good-night, good-night. May angels guard you, and may the good Father fold about you his everlasting arms. Your friend and lover, Alan Leighton.

Two years had dragged their slow length about since that letter came, and I had never heard from Alan, though craving his presence as the prisoner craves the sunshine. I had written him once, and I had regretted even that. "He was soon to be wedded to an earl's handsome daughter," Mrs. Granger read aloud from an open letter in her hand; "in fact, it was an old affair, prior to his visit to the hall," etc., etc.

How I regretted I had written, though the words had been few, merely asking if he had been enabled to procure me a certain book we had made mention of together, and the time was more than a year ago when I had the right thus to address him. And now, O pitiful Christ! another woman was to be his wife, and I must never think of the old days, or the old dreams, or look into his dark eyes or feel his kisses upon my mouth. Never, and I might live fifty years.

And O the pity of it out of all this world's million possibilities I had only the chance of two—either to wed Reginald Dacre, a man old enough to be my father, or to be a companion to some haughty woman. I had blunded upon accepting Mr. Dacre. The day some days barely two days I had stood below the window of a book it was an highly enlightened creed.

But alas! but alas! I had thought him so true, so noble. I had called him "my prince," "my king," alone in the warm dusk under the stars.

"I will not call thy purple with my rags," I had whispered in my heart. "Nor breathe my prayer on thy Venice glass." I went down to the sea to listen to its sullen roar, lest it tell its tale of human misery, of hearts dead under its waves, of souls and bodies wrecked on ghastly beds of moss; of kisses gone down, with a wail, in human misery that I longed. I tried to remember all this, so that mine might not seem such a great thing amid a world of sobbing and tears. It was a good thing to think of the sufferings of others, and try to ignore your own. A good thing. But my misery! the misery of the girl called Helen Preston!

This girl was somewhat of a genius, the people said. She possessed the gift of song, and she was handsome, the men said. And she had to sell her birthright for a mess of pottage. Had money enough to have utilized her gift of song she might have had three.

But she had sacrificed her soul, for, all her beauty and gifts, had been false to herself, to God and humanity, yes, too, to Reginald Dacre, for she kept her love for Alan locked in her heart.

"I have sold my soul for houses and lands," she said, "and I am wretched. Mea culpa! Mea culpa!"

"I have sold myself with open eyes," she said, "knowingly, with malice prepense. I have no one to blame. That Alan forgot his vows did not make it right that I should forswear myself."

But the sea with its fuss and fret, made my heart ache, and the turbulent water seemed wooing me thitherward. The chimes of our quaint old church, playing an old song, echoed echoed in my throat. I would go and invoke grand airs from the organ, and maybe I should forget the sea's roar.

It was my wont to go there to practice, and I knew the service would not be held for a half hour. The lights were turned down to a semi-darkness, and the old sexton, with whom I was a favorite, had left the key in the door for me. The moon shone across the organ keys and across my face, and the trailing folds of my white dress looked almost ghastly in its light. O quaint old church! O quaint old chimes! Too soon I would be far away from you, over the sea to my sailor's lordly home, carrying with me a heavier heart than my years should warrant.

But it was too late to look back; and the fault was mine. I had ruined my own life, and must pay the price. Because I had been forbidden the desire of mine eyes, I had sealed my fate. I had bound my hands, and had intoned Phoebe Cary's wailing words:

I have turned from the good gifts Thy bounty supplied me,
Because of the one which Thy wisdom denied me;
I have bandaged mine eyes—yes, mine own hands have bound me;
I have made me a darkness when light was around me.
Now I cry by the wayside, O Lord, that I might receive back my sight.

"Peccavi," I cried, and my head sank upon the organ and tears stained the red roses at my throat.

"Helen!" and my head was lifted gently and Alan Leighton's tender eyes met mine. "Alan!" was all my astonishment could utter.

"My girl, you have suffered," he ejaculated, in a tone of exquisite tenderness. "Helen, my first and only love, how we have been wronged. I only learned, an hour before I embarked, that you were not the false woman you had been painted to me. Mrs. Granger wrote me eighteen months ago that you had married Mr. Dacre, and left with him for Cuba. A subsequent letter, without date or signature, inclosing the tiny pearl pin I had given you, left me no room for doubt. I left England forever, and have been on the wing ever since, finding no rest for my heart on sea or shore. Helen, I suffered as few men suffer because of losing you, and because of your apparent falseness. But I could not waste my whole life because of a woman's untruth, so I tied up the broken threads and tried not to look back. It was by chance I met Egerman Sloan, and in the midst of mutual confidences he asked me why I had never returned to America and to the beautiful Helen Preston, who had declined all suiters, and was still unwed. Helen, I embarked that afternoon, and I am here, never to be parted from my darling. When will we be married, sweet?"

"Married! Alan," and the dreary present recurring to me, I withdrew myself from his arms, and almost unconsciously my lips framed the words:

I had died for this last year to know
You had loved me. Who shall turn on fate?
I care not if love come or go
Now; though your love seek mine for mate,
It is too late.

"Too late! Helen, my only love, explain your meaning for God's sake."

Then came a broken disjointed tale of my sorrow and temptation when I heard of his handsome and high-born bride; of my weariness of the hall; of Mrs. Granger; of myself, of Mr. Dacre's constant wooing, and at last of the little note only this night thrust between the leaves of his book, making Alan's coming forever too late for my happiness.

Rapid hoof-beats along the road, and my courtly lover came in sight.

"Saved! Alan," and my words came thick and fast.

"Engage him in conversation, Alan, regarding the hall, Mrs. Granger, the weather, stocks, etc., etc. I will escape by the vestry door, fly to the hall! secure the note! and then, O, Alan!"

"My darling, my bright darling!" but I broke from his clasp and sped away like a chamois to the hall. I did not heed that the roses fell from my throat, that a portion of my lace flounce graced a thornbush, or that my hair, unloosed from its fastenings, hung about my shoulders. I think if I had possessed a piece of paper I should have held it aloft, and shouted "a reprieve! a reprieve!"

Shall I try to tell of how I secured the note, and hid it in my bosom, of how I ran up-stairs and peeped for one moment into the mirror, twisting up my shining hair and trying to hush the loud beating of my heart, of how I rapidly traversed the path leading to the church, dodging behind an osage hedge to escape meeting Mr. Dacre, hurrying on as soon as I was free, to be folded close to Alan's heart?

"And you will not laugh at me, Alan?"

"Laugh at you, my darling, and wherefore?"

"Oh, for my mad flight, for the red roses scattered all along the road; for my unbounded joy at your return; for proposing to run and steal the note, and, and—things."

For answer came tender kisses pressed upon brow and lips, and closed eyes, and Mr. Lord Lovel (Mr. Dacre) rode forth from the castle gates alone.

A Sudden Overturn.

Youth's Companion.

In one of our small New England cities a rustic entered a church one Sunday evening, and took a seat near the pulpit. He was a tall, slouching, loose-jointed person, who found it as difficult to sit still as a restless child. He twisted about first one way, then another, stretched his long limbs at full length beneath the seats and then drew them up under his chin, until the audience became more interested in his contortions than in the minister's discourse.

The clergyman was at his wit's end. He could not turn the man out, and yet he saw that the sermon he had hoped to make impressive was falling upon deaf ears.

But worse was to follow.

The stranger, seeing an empty chair, rose, walked slowly over to it, seated himself and tilted it back with a deep sigh of satisfaction.

His enjoyment was short-lived. Directly behind him a narrow door opened into a dark ante-room. The tilting brought him against this door. Suddenly it flew open, and man and chair disappeared in the blackness, with the exception of two long legs waving wildly in the air.

The sudden overturn and the waving legs were too much even for the minister's dignity. He joined in the general laughter of the good deacons helped up the late astonished man.

JOAQUIN MILLER

Tells the Story of His Frontier Life on the Miami Reserve.

But my quiet, Quaker-like father did not seem destined to prosper in this world's wars, always loser or in anything at all, and, after vibrating between Cincinnati and the little village on the Ohio and Indiana line for three or four years, during which I and my two brothers were born, he set out, with his wife and three infant children, to push his way still further into the wilderness. He settled in a dense forest in what was then called the Miami Reserve, near the Mississinewa river, Marion, Grant county, Indiana. He alone and with his own hands, quite unused then to such toil, he with the help of my mother, built a little log cabin and cleared off a little patch of ground. The first recollection of my life is that of waking up suddenly one night, and looking out of the door upon wind-swept fire burning brush heaps, where my parents, side by side, were still toiling away, while the world rested. And from that time forth I search my memory in vain for one day of rest from hard manual toil for these two patient and uncomplaining people, outside of the Sabbath, which, of course, they always kept sacred. How snowy white was that cabin floor, hewn out of the forest by my father's hand; how clean and bright the blazing hearth; how cheery the few flowers that struggled up out of the strange wild soil about this lonely little cabin door.

But the fever and ague fell almost continually upon us all, and we did not get on. My poor parents gradually became discouraged, and a gloom and sadness settled down upon them forever, but I never heard one word of impatience or complaint. Never was one unkind word spoken in that cabin. I never knew that there was such a thing as tobacco, or whisky, or oaths, or cross words until years afterward, when we fell in with the great caravans crossing the plains; but I can see now that my parents were sadly, hopelessly discouraged. They never spoke of the past or their people at all; and, as I grew older, seeing tears in their eyes, as I one day asked them about these things, I never asked them any more and to this day I do not even know the Christian name of my father's father.

As the county slowly settled about us my father again taught school; but his three little boys he kept quite exclusive and all to himself. Sometimes, it is true, we were allowed to go with him to school, along the path through the thick woods; but it was a long walk and we did not go often. He taught us to read by our cabin fire and he read to us all the spare time he had. He never allowed us to mix with other children, and, indeed, I think we did not care for other company than ourselves. He put us to work, as soon as we were able, to pick up brush or pull weeds, and we never knew what it was to play. For my own part, I know I never had a top, or marble, or toy of any kind in my life, and never knew any of the games familiar to children.

My mother spun and wove our spare clothing out of flax which she grew in a corner of the little clearing, and I remember it seemed to me the grandest day of my life when the shoemaker came late one fall to measure me for my first pair of shoes.

But all this time my poor father seemed to grow more sad, silent, and thoughtful each year. By and by there was talk of the land coming into market, and, as we had no money yet to pay for it, he went out to work by the day at a mill which was being built over the river, three miles away. It was a lonesome time through the woods, and my father would have to set out before daylight and return from his work after dark. A day's work then meant the whole day. One night, as he neared home, the wolves chased him, and he had to take shelter in a tree. Mother heard his cries for help, and she took a hickory bark torch out and frightened away the wolves and brought him safely to the cabin. His wages were fifty cents a day, a small sum; but he counted it a great favor to get the job, for it enabled him finally to secure one hundred acres of land. Oh! how happy he was to have this his first home for his little family!

He Was The Fellow.

Sol. Miller is responsible for the following:

A good thing is related as having occurred in a barber shop in a certain town in this county recently, on the occasion of a too-too wedding.

"Well," said the barber to the usual crowd of loungers about such a place, "I guess the monkey show will come off this evening."

"What kind of a show is that?" inquired a stranger in the chair.

"Oh, there's to be a wedding in town," replied the barber.

"Who is to be married?"

"Well, some traveling man out west is going to marry old Mrs. Horusweggle's daughter. They would have been married a year ago if it had not been for the old woman."

"What was wrong with her?"

"Oh, she's a regular tom-cat with goggles on. She's too pious to blow her nose, and the fellow is an out-and-out infidel."

"And how have they fixed it, that the marriage is to take place now?"

"Well, he's worth about $40,000, and she hadn't enough religion to buck against that. But it's lucky for him that he lives a good way from the old woman."

The stranger was shaved, and as the barber was brushing his coat he inquired:

"Do you live in this neighborhood?"

"No," replied the stranger; "I'm from the west. I'm the fellow that is to be married this evening."

Wouldn't Run the Risk.

Burlington Hawkeye.

Rev. Dr. Henson, of the First Baptist church, Chicago, says that when he broke off the filthy habit of smoking he had "a sort of chimera bombinans in vacuo." Gee-o-roo-sa lem! Here, Malvoine, quick; take this 5 cents and run out and buy six imported Havana cigars; we haven't had a smoke since breakfast. By St. George, we wouldn't run the risk of having such a thing as that, not for the purest breath in all America! Shrine of the martyrs, how he must have suffered.

Matrimony and Finance.

Detroit Free Press.

"In our country," said the Englishman, as he leaned back in the chair, "before we marry we arrange to settle a certain sum upon th wife." "Yes, I know," replied the American, "but with us it is different. It is after we are married that we settle everything on the wife and arrange to beat our creditors." "Haw! I see. And how do the creditors take it?" "They never find anything to take."

Not Necessary to Study.

No, my son, don't think it necessary to study for the stage. Nobody does that nowadays. While you are wasting your time in study another man with nice fitting pantaloons, an obfurate facial development, and an energetic advance agent with a talent for puffing will rush forward and usurp the highest place in the profession.

Death Sentence In Kansas.

According to Kansas law, a murderer sentenced to death remains imprisoned for a year, and then, if the governor signs the death warrant, the felon is hanged. During the eleven years that the capital punishment law has been in force, nobody has been hanged except by lynchers.

THE TRAVELED TRAMP

Commences by Ringing the Changes on the "Zero Racket,"

Then Magnifies Our Country's Resources, and Talks of France's Future.

Brooklyn Eagle.

"This is pretty lively weather we are having," said a battered specimen of humanity, lounging into the political editor's room, and taking the easiest chair. "It is what we might call downright willing."

"Yes," said the editor, not looking up from his writing.

"Seems to me an iceberg must have floated down near our coast," said the battered party, pulling his coat together and turning up his collar. "I tell you this is the sort of weather to season a man for a trip to the North Pole, but it ain't nothin' to what we are having down in Boston."

"No," said the editor absently, as his pen flew over the paper before him.

"Now, in Boston, its pretty cold right along, but when you want to strike the every day below zero racket you have to drop in upon Canada. That's where you strike it lively for cold weather. Why, I've seen horses stuck fast in the street; every hoof frozen to the ground, and they just had to jump in and thaw them out before any travel could be done except on foot. I've seen the breath just frozen up solid right out from a fellow's mouth, and it was nothing for boiling water to freeze inside of two minutes. That's what I call weather what is weather."

"How can all this interest me?" asked the editor. "Do you take this for the signal service office?"

"No," said the battered party, "you must not complain of this sort of weather. Its simply summer compared with Alaska. Ever in Alaska?"

"No," said the editor, "and I don't see how it can interest you to know where I have or have not been."

"You should take a little trip through Alaska," said the battered visitor. "Great country. Lots of things in that country you never dreamed of, and cold! well, the weather down there would turn a red-hot bar of iron ice cold inside of three minutes. Tell you it takes a tough man to live in that country."

"Don't you think you have bored me long enough?" asked the editor, leaning back in his chair and glaring at the tramp.

"Now, Alaska is a part of our country we should take more interest in," said the tramp, settling lower in his chair and acting as though he had come to stay. "You wouldn't think it, but this country is just immense now that Alaska is added to the rest of our territory. Why, you draw a line somewhere about San Francisco and you cut the country square in half. Think for a moment what it means to live in such a country."

"How long do you propose to keep this very senseless conversation up?" asked the editor, bringing his hand down with a bang upon his desk. "Do you suppose I receive a salary for listening to every—"

"Think of our wealth," said the tramp. "Why, sir, we are the richest nation on the globe today. Almost twice as rich as Russia, and we can go a billion or so ahead of England herself. There is something for a true American to be crowing over. Ever been west? You can never properly appreciate this glorious country until you take a trip through the western states. What do you think of traveling a whole day through a single field of grain? That is the backbone of our nation, sir,—grain. Now I have an idea that you do not properly appreciate the land you live in. You do not appear to be interested in my conversation. Your eyes have an absent look about—"

"I'll give you just two minutes to get out of this building," shouted the editor, jumping to his feet.

"Then there are the territories," said the tramp, diving into his pocket and pulling out a stump of a cigar, which he proceeded to light. "There is Washington territory, for instance. Takes you thirty days to get there from here, going by steamer to—"

"You have two minutes left," cried the editor, picking up a heavy paper weight.

"That territory is just the best in all the land. Right on the Pacific coast, and a climate like Florida, only more to be depended upon for good, steady weather all the year round. Lots of enterprise down there, too. Think nothing of raising up a town of six or seven thousand souls. Speaking of souls, there is one thing I am sorry to see developing in our land, and that is the tendency to doubt religion. Now, I don't believe in crank preachers of the gospel, but we do not want to let go our faith altogether. That is sure to lead to the French revolution sort of thing. That was the turning point in the world's history though, that same revolution in France. Do you think the present republic in France will last? I do not. I'll bet you—"

"One minute," howled the editor, jumping back and raising the paper weight.

"I'll bet you a box of imported cigars that the party favoring the empire will be in power in France inside of—" Whiz! went the paper weight, but the tramp dodged it cleverly, and smiled sadly as he continued: "In France inside of six months. France is just ready to follow a bold man whenever he comes to—ever been to France? Don't you imagine that Paris is France any more than New York is the—" but here the patent double back action, however, caught the poor creature, and the editor was free.

The Missing Link.

Demorest's Monthly.

There is on exhibition at the Royal aquarium, Westminster, a little girl, seven years old, who it is claimed, is a specimen of the missing link between man and the anthropoid apes. This little waif came from Borneo, and belongs to the Lao country; she is called Krao. The body of this child is completely covered with a coating of dense black hair, a quarter of an inch long; the skin, such of it as is seen, is of a dark olive brown. Krao has many traits of the monkey, she has the full pouched cheeks, into which she stuffs her food, monkey fashion. Like the anthropoids her feet are prehensile, and the hands so flexible that they bend back over the wrists; the lips protude, so as to give her a chimpanzee look; there are some symptoms of an aborted tail in the elongation of the spinal column. Yet this monkey-like creature appears to be as intelligent as a European child of her own age. She is playful and gentle, and can articulate many English words which she uses intelligently. It seems there are numerous specimens of the tribe to which she belongs in Borneo. They are a hairy race, and when they reach adult life are of a low order of intelligence. Little Krao was a great favorite at the Aquarium, and the Darwinians, of course, claim that she and her kindred establish the probability of the theory that the human race did descend from some extinct species of anthropoid apes.

Recalls The Incident.

A bark that arrived in New York a few days ago reported that three of the sailors were washed overboard one day by a heavy sea, and the return swell swept them back onto the vessel again. That might have easily occurred. It recalls the incident of a girl who fell out of a fourth-story window, and, alighting on her patent india rubber bustle, was bounced back into the window uninjured.

Shabbiness of St. James.

The London Truth says of the recent embellishment of St. James's palace: "Anything more shabby and sawdry and utterly incongruous than the decorations and furnishings of the state rooms and the approaches thereto it would be difficult to imagine. The palace is really quite perfect in its own bad, poor way."

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Joaquin Miller.

Excuse me if I view the iron plate set up for the immolation of pirate's heads. I venture to note some reflections about the coming play.

The carpenter, who now possesses the stage with his scenic effects is not the enemy of the playwright, as so many say, he is our auxiliary and the scene painter, he is our brother. We need and must have them both when the great play is written. Let us only do our work as well as they do theirs, and the public is ours.

As for this "great American play," some one of us will write it soon. And it will not only be the great play of America, but the great play of the age, the world. Far out yonder in the middle of America, beyond where the stormy sea of tradition from Europe rolls over us, I think we have the new, strong and sufficient motive to fashion it from.

The heroes of Homer shock their shields and recited the deeds of their fathers and grandfathers, even back to the gods. All Greek tragedy is in the same strain. St. Paul found the Greeks great talkers. Civilization in its march west around the world has been faithful to the Greek drama. Words! words! words! But out yonder in the far west this is all changed. The American pure and simple does not talk. He adds. And this grand, silent, massive American is to be the central figure for the American, the entirely new play. Whether this dignity of soul is born of the sublimity about him, the eternal peaks of snow above him, and the vast tranquility of the plain below him, I do not say. But I do say that this grand, unspeaking, acting man exists—a new man, a silent man in a noisy world.

And I should say he is peculiarly the growth of the land. For who ever saw an Indian whom wrong or pain or pity could move to words or tears? What man his ever heard an Indian baby cry? It took Gen. Grant twenty years to learn to talk after he left us in the far west. He used but two words in all the grand drama of the seizure of Vicksburg, "Unconditional surrender!" I admit that along the Atlantic seabank there seems to be a noisy brood; abroad, too, and in congress, for the old bible fool, known by his "multitude of words," is alike in all lands. And the fool has his uses, even in the drama. But this silent man, with his silent woman, at his side, this man of action and not of words, from middle America, as the central figure, is to mark and distinguish the new world play from the old.

I have had a glimpse of my silent man in Joe Jefferson! Only for a moment, however, for a drunken Knickerbocker is very remote from the hero I have in mind. But surely Jefferson has met and observed my silent man in the farthest west. Davy Crockett, however, in more than one sense, discovered this character almost entirely. Yet this may be accounted for by the fact that Mayo, the most studious of men, spent his youth on the Pacific, where he must have met and understood this silent man of deeds. There is a little scene at the well; the old mother comes to draw water. Davy drops everything, tenderly takes the bucket, draws, fills it, bears it away for his mother without letting the frail trembling old hand touch it, and hands it through the door after her. I do not remember that one word is spoken here. But I do know that more tears have been shed over that one silent and really insignificant scene than would fill that bucket. Oh, the tender manhood that is in it!

Another quaint bit from the west, which stands out like a star to me, is found in "My Partner." Gentle old Joe Saunders is going to divide the gold and go away, for there is bitter trouble. He digs up the gold from the hearth and pours it out on the table, where his silent partner sits with bowed face. He divides the gold with his knife. "Is that about right, pardner?"

"Yes, yes," answer the other, still looking away. And then Joe, and all the time without a word being spoken, pushes over more gold to his partner's heap. Seeing he is not observed, he cautiously slips over another nugget. Then he picks out at last the largest of his little heap, and unseen adds it to his successful rival's fortune. What a profanity words would be at such a time!

At West Point you read on a little monument that a portion of our army being ambushed in one of our Indian wars, every man stood his ground, fighting till only three survived, when help came. Grand! Immortal! But what moved me and seems most truly American is the fact, as told to me by a survivor, that not a word of command was given after the first order. Every officer silently drew his sword, became a common soldier, and so fought on to the end. There was no need of command; only the low prayer of the dying, the message to the loved ones at home, and all day the deadly fight went on. That is America, that is American character emptied of the froth of Fourth of July and foreign tradition. And that is the germ of the great American play.

Years ago I crossed over the Sierras into the new mines of Nevada, then a part of California. I found an old friend standing at the mouth of his mine, shouting out his commands in monosyllables down the shaft. New cities gleamed below; mines opened above; progress thundered through the land. "What are you doing here?" I cried. He took in the horizon under his hat, bit off the end of his cigar, looked at the new cities below, the tremendous mining engines all about the tunnels piercing the mountains above, but did not speak. "Why, what on earth are you all doing here in Nevada?" I again shouted. "World-hunting." And that was all that this silent man, now a United States senator, answered. It was enough. He made that word then and there, I think. He coined it as from his new silver.

Bub's Apostrophe to the Rabbit.

Rome Sentinel.

The rabbit winks with his noze an' sumtimes he diz it with such effek that the ekko agertates wat little talo heze got lef. Rabbits haz got other funny trates besides, because heze got knoze on his hind legs that reatch from his toze to his elboze an' he sets on 'em more n he diz on the furtherest end of 'em. His ears iz stiffycats of his belongin' to the jackass family an' wen he sticks 'em up the stars begin to get nervus an' move out ther way. Rabbits wares furs all the hull yeer an' wen they walk yude think the behind part ov im wuz leader to lift an a burrow, but when you tetch 'em off a liteun' bug coodent ketch 'im if yude giv 'im tu daze start. Rabbits is good to eat only if thares wimmin round youmustn't mention shim emythin' bout cats wile the baukwet is goin' on.

The Pleasure of Forgetfulness.

Pittsburg Sunday Traveler.

The books we read and the stories we hear, if they could be forgotten as soon as read or heard, think of the inexhaustible riches of literature and conversation. Now, half that we read, and more than half which we hear is stale, flat and unprofitable, simply because of memory's ungrateful service. Memory has its bright side, but forgetfulness is a golden sphere; it is bright all over. Forgetfulness is pleasure, and pleasure is forgetfulness.

Mistook the Words.

New York Sun.

At a recent dinner at the Mansion house in London three foreign consuls were present, whom the lord mayor wished to honor by drinking their healths. He accordingly directed the toastmaster to announce the health of the present consuls. He, however, mistaking the words, gave out the following: "The lord mayor drinks the health of the three per cent consols."

But Never, Sir, Renders.

One defaulting bank cashier, after having taken everything, then took his own life because asked to explain matters. Your cashier dies, but never sir, renders an account of the stealings.

BACON AND SHAKESPEARE.

A Contrast of their Characteristics and Literary Methods.

Richard Grant White in Atlantic Monthly.

And now we are face to face with what is, always, the great miracle in connexion with, as distinguished from evidence and external conditions, of this fact—that notion—the multiformity of Bacon's mind and of his style to fit each of the writer of the plays. Among all the men of that brilliant period who stood forth in the blaze of its light with sufficient distinction for us, at this time, to know only three of them, no two were so different as, unlike in their genius and moral traits and, in their literary habits, are Bacon and William Shakespeare. A study of them stamped the individuality of each ineffaceably upon his work. Both were thinkers of the highest order; both, what we somewhat loosely call philosophers; but how different their philosophy, how divergent their ways of thought, and how notably unlike the modes of expression! Bacon, a cautious observer and investigator, ever looking at men and things through the dry light of cool reason. Shakespeare, glowing with instant inspiration, seeing by intuition the thing before him, outside and inside, body and spirit, as it was, yet moulding it as it was to his immediate need—finding in it merely an occasion of present thought, and regardless of it, except as a stimulus to his fancy and his imagination; Bacon, a logician; Shakespeare, one who set logic at naught, and soared upon wings, compared with which syllogisms are crutches! Bacon, who sought, in the phrase of Saul of Tarsus—that Shakespeare of charity—to prove all things, and to hold fast that which is good; Shakespeare, one who, like Saul, loosed upon the world winged phrases, but who reeked not his own rede, proved nothing, and held fast both to good and evil, delighting in his Falstaff as much as he delighted in his Imogen; Bacon, in his writing, the most self-asserting of men; Shakespeare, one who, when he wrote, did not seem to have a self; Bacon, the most cautious and pains-taking, the most consistent and exact, of writers; Shakespeare, the most heedless, the most inconsistent, the most inexact, of all writers who have risen to fame. Bacon, sweet sometimes, sound always, but dry, stiff, and formal; Shakespeare, unsavory sometimes, but oftenest breathing perfume from Paradise, grand, large, free, flowing, flexible, unconscious, and incapable of formality; Bacon, precise and reserved in expression; Shakespeare, a player and quibbler with words, and swept away by his own verbal conceits into intellectual paradox, and almost into moral obliquity; Bacon without humor; Shakespeare's smiling lips the mouthpiece of humor for all human kind. Bacon, looking at the world before him and at the teaching of past ages with a single eye to his theories and his individual purposes; Shakespeare finding in the wisdom and the folly, the woes and the pleasures, of the past and the present only the means of giving pleasure to others and getting money for himself, and rising to his height as a poet and a moral teacher only by his sensitive intellectual sympathy with all the needs and joys and sorrows of humanity; Bacon, shrinking from a generalization even in morals; Shakespeare, ever moralizing, and dealing even with individual men and particular things in their general relations; both worldly-wise, both men of the world, and both these master intellects of the Christian era were worldly-men in the thorough Bunyan sense of the term; but the one using his knowledge of men and things critically in philosophy and in affairs; the other, his synthetically, as a creative artist. Bacon, a highly trained mind, and showing his training at every step of his cautious, steady march; Shakespeare, wholly untrained, and showing his want of training even in the highest reach of his soaring flight; Bacon, utterly without the poetic faculty even in a secondary degree, as is most apparent when he desires to show the contrary; Shakespeare, rising with unconscious effort to the highest heaven of poetry ever reached by the human mind. To suppose that one of these men did his own work and also the work of the other is to assume two miracles for the sake of proving one absurdity.

Chinese Actors and Theatres.

New York Journal.

A reporter asked the Mongolian Booth if he had come to New York to start a Chinese theatre, as was currently reported here among theatrical managers.

"I shall see what we may do," he replied in English spoken with a slight Coreun accent. "New York ought to have a Chinese theatre. It is large enough to support one. There are 7,000 Chinamen in the city and Americans might come to our plays with a Chinese libretto. I would get my stock company from San Francisco and perhaps send for a leading man to China. A very respectable orchestra could be obtained from the Mott street brass band. We would play light Chinese comedy."

"How long are Chinese plays?"

"Ours are the shortest in the world. The longest one I ever saw lasted twenty-five minutes. At every performance a Chinese theatre company gives a dozen or fifteen plays. They are entirely independent of, and different from each other. The programmes are unusually long, being somewhat like those of your old Bowery theatre. It is this fact that has given foreigners an idea that Chinese plays run several months."

"Does it require much capital to run a Chinese theatre?"

"A great deal. The Chinese in New York could demand a first-class company. Good actors in Shanghai, Pekin or Canton get two hundred and fifty dollars a week. The costumes of the players are of the most elaborate and expensive kind. The wardrobe of the theatre at Canton cost $[illegible]. A great Chinese star will have $[illegible] worth of stage clothes and gems. They do not wear paste jewels in plays as here, but real precious stones and ornaments of the finest gold. When an actor plays an emperor or a princess he dresses up to the part, though it costs him nearly a fortune. The best theatre in China is that of Canton. It will hold about fifteen thousand people.

"Who is the greatest actor now in China?"

"Ah Poo Choo is the John McCullough of China. Ah Tack is the Joe Jefferson. The excellences demanded of players there are higher than here. There are no women on the stage in that country. A great actor in China must be a tragedian, a comedian and a female impersonator. The Chinese player is prepared for his profession by a four years' course of study at a school of dramatic art at Canton. Strolling companies travel on canal boats. Turkey actors make about $2.50 a week, and get engagements during the Festival of the Dragon."

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New York Letter.

It is reported that a Chinese tragedian, who has been employed at San Francisco at a salary that most "leading gentlemen" dare aspire to, is on his way to New York to open a new theatre. One Chinaman remarked of the new actor: "Him makee McCully takee a back seatee belly quickee, you bet. Me see McCully," continued the merchant, "him no good; him yelled muchee, and say takee him hangee him up to dry on muchee nearee tree, cutee him throat; that fellee Roman cutthroatee." The tea merchant speaking was one Lung Lop, who claims to speak English perfectly, and will not speak his native tongue.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 5, 1883.

The almanacs all call it spring, but the robins tell a different story.

The election in Tecumseh last Monday was a remarkably quiet one.

The "independent scratcher" is becoming more numerous with every election.

The entire Union state ticket was chosen Monday by majorities ranging from 3000 to 8000.

The lying in the star-route trial is only excelled by that of the Canadian weather prophets.

Chicago was buried beneath a Democratic avalanche Monday, Mayor Harrison being re-elected by a majority of over ten thousand.

Politics seem to be turning "t'other end to." For the first time in several years the Democratic state ticket received a majority in Tecumseh.

The Jackson Patriot says: Having assisted at the birth of the Republican party in this State, it is mete and proper that Gov. Blair should officiate as high priest at its funeral obsequies.

A St. Louis paper wickedly observes: Ohio has done so much for the people at large by furnishing material to plug up official holes with that there is a general willingness to refrain from draining her any more.

The annual spring difficulty has passed and the country is again saved. The "outs" will resume their customary avocations, the "ins will breathe easier, and all good citizens will settle down and be satisfied.

Ex-Mayor Oakey Hall, of New York, has purchased the Truth newspaper for $100,000 and taken possession of the property. He is a man of versatility and accomplishments and will undoubtedly make the paper a success.

"Never mind the fall. That soul is only two hours old, and it's a little weak yet," were the words with which a salvation army officer at Adrian excused the mis-step of a convert who recently failed to retire from the stage in a perpendicular position.

The N. Y. Sun gives the following as the best Democratic platform for 1884:

1—A tariff for revenue only.

2—The tariff, the only source of revenue.

The Sun is level headed this time as usual.

Vanderbilt's fancy ball is said to have cost $50,000. That is a good deal of money to fool away for music and lights and evergreens and ice cream. But then, Vanderbilt can afford it. In proportion to his financial ability to pay the bills, it was a very modest ball.

The spring elections in Ohio were rather mixed. Taken altogether the Democrats have the advantage. They carry the entire city ticket in Cleveland and elect a mayor by 3000 majority. Cincinnati also elects a Democratic mayor and a majority of the city ticket.

The result of the election in this state is somewhat of a surprise. It shows that the Union of the opposition forces last fall was a cordial and healthy one, and can be relied upon hereafter. The Republican leaders of Michigan may as well understand that henceforth they will have to meet a united opposition.

So far, 1883 has been very prolific of disasters, and startling events of different kinds, fearful floods and calamitous flames have broken all bounds and rioted in the destruction of property and human life. While the crime calendar throughout the world has swelled its proportions to frightful dimensions in the past three months.

The Reading Telephone says, that a kerosene lamp exploded in that town a few evenings ago. This is the first instance of the kind we have heard of in some time, and the question naturally arises, was the oil up to the required standard? The people of the state put up with an oil of poor illuminating property for the supposed consideration of safety.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, March 31st, 1883.

The Vanderbilt ball is an event of the past, but what a subject for gossip it has been for those who were there and those who were absent.—That it was a success cannot be said. In fact, how could such barefaced worship of the golden calf be an occasion for entertaining people. Now to begin at the beginning. The floral decorations and the other ornamentations were not nearly so elaborate as represented in the papers, and the fabulous figures which were mentioned as having been expended may be safely discounted sixty per cent, and still leave a margin. Of the twelve hundred invited guests about five hundred did not come. Our real "society" declined to be present to help swell the Vanderbilt pride. Of those that did come, a great many ladies dressed very plainly. It seems that a number of them had got artists to design costumes for them. These designs however were indiscreetly communicated by the *modistes* to other ladies, and thus in several instances they were copied. The originators thereupon declined to appear in their selected costumes and put on some simple makeshift. But the worst disappointment of all was that about one o'clock the champagne gave out. Most of the gentlemen were unable to get anything to eat and therefore tried to drown their sorrow with the cup that cheereth. When the calamity occurred the hat was quietly passed around and some one then went to a drug store not far off, and purchased his entire stock of Appolinaris water. So much for this much talked about social event.

The weather has been extremely raw and changeable during the past week. As the result the mortality from lung and bronchial diseases is very heavy. Last week there were 166 fatal cases, the heaviest mortality for thirteen years for the corresponding weeks. This week the indications are that this number will be largely increased. What has saved us thus far is the humidity of the atmosphere which has been so great as to make our climate closely resemble that of Colorado, which is now a favorite resort for those suffering from affections of the respiratory organs. Yet in spite of this, physicians with any sort of clientage are kept almost constantly on the go. Business too languishes under this weather. When ladies find comfort beneath fur-lined circulars and seal skin coats they are not going to imperil their health by changing them for the light Spring fabrics.—The weather may be delightful enough for an hour or two after noon, but chances are five to one every time that a raw breeze will spring up and cut through one's clothes like a knife, and then there is pneumonia in less than no time.

The nine days wonder, the shooting of Haverstick, the betrayer of Mrs. Uhler, by her brother his ended. Conkling has been discharged by Police Justice Smith and gone back to Nevada with his sister. The justice rightly held that the shooting was done in self defence. And now the papers that had been shrieking that the young man had done well when he tried to rescue the family honor, denounce Justice Smith for doing the common sense act. Such is consistency. When Haverstick was dead, everybody who knew him said, "It is a good thing that we are rid of him."—Now that he has left what little property remained after his extravagant life to his mother, these same weathercocks say "Well, he was not such a bad fellow after all. He was treated rather too harshly," but no one says anything about the wretched woman who was the cause of it all.

I don't know whether the sparrows have emigrated from Massachusetts since they were outlawed there, but at all events in no previous Spring do I remember seeing so many of them as this year. The little fellows in certain portions of the city are as thick as flies, and they have appetites like steerage passengers after a voyage across the Atlantic. A week ago we feed a delegation of them with crumbs from a window of our house. Since then they are steady pensioners appearing regularly every morning, and even fighting the cat who came to the front in the hope of getting a game lunch. At the city hall they have invested a spare room on the top floor and formed an encampment, and at the Toombs Prison they are so numerous that they organize regular attacks on Warden Finn's pet pigeons, and the pigeons get the worst of it.—They literally own City Hall Park, and get along famously with the bootblacks and gamins that abound there. Almost every morning two or three pairs of gentlemen sparrows have a pitched battle on the lawn on the Broadway side of the Hall. A crowd gathers at once, but it is hard to say whether they are more interested in the tiny gladiators than the members of their own families who perched upon the branches of the trees look on like connoisseurs, and occasionally turn round to chatter as if they were wagering seeds on the result. It struck me that perhaps Darwin got his idea of evolution from a scene like this.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Muskegon's mayor gets $500 salary.

Jackson Guard cadets elect E. C. Lumbard captain.

Sheridan is now connected with Greenville by telephone.

West Point cadetship examination at Manistee April 13.

The Homer Index passes from the care of Wm. C. Walker to that of W. A. Lane.

The Avon, Oakland county, agricultural fair will hold its annual fair at Rochester Sept. 26-8.

Wm. Snyder was killed last week at Scotts, Kalamazoo county, by being caught in a belt of the grist mill.

A number of Charlotte men are engaged in buying and shipping sheep to Texas.

Dan Fisher, 42 years a resident of Kalamazoo, died at his home in that city last week, aged 70.

The new M. & O. depots at Marshall and Battle Creek will be 22x60 feet, of brick, with slate roofs.

Leon Pinent, 16 years old had his arm cut off by a saw in his father's mill near Cedar Springs on Thursday.

A Bay City boy, 12 years old, goes to the reform school until he is 18 for maliciously injuring school property.

Over $17,000 have been subscribed at Grand Rapids toward a $20,000 union benevolent association hospital.

D. D. Wheeler, a farmer living near Charlotte, was arrested and fined for maltreating an orphan boy living with him.

Enos Palmiter, for 37 years a resident of Convis, Calhoun county, died suddenly while washing himself Sunday morning, aged 89.

A young son of Judge Golden, of West Bay City, took a toy pistol to school, and while fooling with it there shot himself in the hand.

Cutting & Damon's shingle mill, six miles north of Beaver Lake, Ogemaw county, burned last week, with 100,000 shingles.

A Grand Rapids youth, 18 years old goes to jail for 30 days for inciting several small boys to damage a residence; the boys were let off on paying costs.

Toney Smith, a farmer near Dexter, shook hands with a buzz saw on Thursday, and left all the fingers of his left hand as a memento of the event.

The Munson mineral spring at Charlotte has already attained a wonderful local reputation for its curative properties, and a water cure is talked of.

Michael Marion, while drunk at Battle Creek, attempted to kiss a young lady on the street. She secured his arrest, but failed to appear against him.

Within a few days a family at Byron, Kent county, has lost its entire six children, another family its entire four, and another two—all by scarlet fever.

"The big village" no longer: A citizens' meeting at Kalamazoo last week voted that the time had come to incorporate "under a carefully prepared city charter."

Philip H. Nonsinger, a quarter-century resident of Watrousville, Tuscola county, was found dead in bed Sunday morning; aged 75. He was seven feet tall and weighed 400 pounds.

In the circuit court at Mason last week, Batterson, a freight brakeman on the G. T. road secured a verdict of $9,500 from the company for a crushed hand; he secured $5,000 on a former trial.

The engine house, tool house, large wood shed and an old engine, all belonging to the D., G. H. & M. road, burned at Holly Friday; supposed to have been fired by tramps. A strong wind carried burning shingles a mile or two.

The Marsh company at Monroe will make extensive improvements in their sporting grounds (or water) this season, including the erection of a building 40x60 feet for hotel and general rendezvous purposes; entire expenditure about $10,000.

Dr. I. N. Smith, a resident of Saginaw City for 30 years, dropped dead of heart disease in the street near his residence last Thurday; aged 61. He was for years a member of the board of education and on the board of health.

Rev. Daniel W. Lathrop died in Jackson last week, aged 85. He was the first pastor of the presbyterian church at Elyria, Ohio, the pastorate continuing from 1823 to 1849, when failing health obliged him to relinquish the ministry. He had lived with his son George H. in Jackson seven years.

Custer, Mason county, has just shipped its first car load of clothes pins.—Aldrich & Brayman are turning out 45,000 pins a day, each of which travels 150 feet and through over $3,000 worth of machinery in the process of making. The boy who feeds the machine pokes them in at the rate of 100 a minute, and his stipulation is one-fifteenth of a cent a dozen. The price paid for packing is four and a half cents per box. When packed, each pin is worth one-twelfth of a cent.

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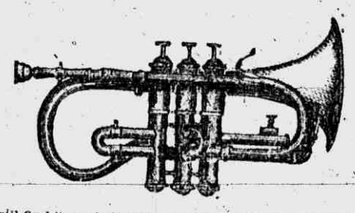

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Newly reorganized on a grand scale. Original in conception and stupendous in magnitude. An incomparable list of some of our winning new features.

2 Burlesque Prima Donnas, 14 Brilliant End-men, 10 Silver-Shower Cloggists, 15 Artists in the Polar Bear Farce, 12 Cabin Banjo Players, 14 Florida Plantation Investigators, 16 Performers in the Burlesque Opera A La Sarrah Burntheart, 10 Genteel Song and Dance Men, 14 Shouting Coteonfield Belles, 16 Jolly Commedians, 18 Comic and Sentimental Vocalists, 25 Celebrated Musicians, 28 people appearing in the new First Part Finale, entitled Burlesque Barnum's Greatest Show on Earth, 34 in Military Uniformed Brass Band on a Parade, and 100 other features of merit. The age of new events on a grand scale. Costly and beautiful, elegant, rich, and extravagant brilliant costume wardrobe is used by the above announced company. Grand, diversified, refined musical entertainment.

ADMISSION, - - - 25, 35 & 50 cts.

Reserved Seats at Keil's Jewelry Store.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED, TO BUY—A good house and lot in village immediately. HECK BROS.

CARPET WEAVING. Mrs. Wm. B. Ransom, of Ridgeway, is now prepared to do all manner of carpet weaving. Give her a call.

FOR SALE. A bay stallion, sired by Regulator. Enquire at the premises of Jacob McNell, Newburg, or address box 187, Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE. A few tons of choice hay and a quantity of seed oats. J. F. N. BOWEN.

PURE BLOOD COTSWOLD BUCK for sale cheap. Call at my residence and examine him. S. C. STACY.

TO RENT. A large village lot, twelve rods square, with good house and barn and garden spot. Enquire of DR. R. B. HOUSE.

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for setting from the Philander Williams and Jones stock will be furnished for 50 cts per 13 by F. A. Horton, postoffice address, Tecumseh, Mich. Orders left at Waldo & Doty's will receive prompt attention.

DEERING BINDERS. To all persons who purchased Deering Binders in summer of 1882. If any of your machines need adjusting or repairing, we will have it done this spring free of cost to you, if you notify us at once.

CAIRNS & CO., Agents,
Chicago St., Tecumseh.

FOR SALE. A good house and lot on Chicago st., on reasonable terms. Enquire of W. B. KEYSER, H. H. KEYSER.

WANTED. To buy some seasoned wood. R. B. HOUSE.

FOR SALE. An elegant counter and good show case will be sold cheap for cash. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

GENERAL REPAIR SHOP. I am now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

FRED P. DEUEL.

Shop opposite Hayden's warehouse.

DRS. S. & H. W. CATLIN, Physicians and Surgeons. Office in Patterson block, over Gainsley & Co's store. Samuel Catlin, M.D., residence corner Pearl and Pottawatamie sts. H. W. Catlin, M.D., residence at office in Patterson blk. All calls promptly attended day and night.

AUCTION SALES.

The Michigan & Ohio Railway Co. will sell at auction on Saturday, April 7, 1882, the house known as the Frederick Zimmerman house, situated on Ottawa st., as the right of way must be cleared on or before May 20. Also at the same time on Chicago st., there will be sold one work horse, new milch cow 3 yrs. old, and calf, phaeton, lumber wagon, 3 new top buggies, one 3 section iron drag, 2 plows, 2 cultivators, double and single harness, and other articles. Terms made known on day of sale. H. W. Stevens, auc.

Maria DePuy will sell at Auction on the premises, 3 miles northeast of Tecumseh, Tuesday, April 10, 1883, at 12 M., the following property: One sorrel mare 10 years old, sorrel mare 9 years old, single harness, top buggy, Baker drill, plaster sower, self-dump hay rake, hand-dump hay rake, two South Bend sulky plows, 2 South Bend steel plows, 1 South Bend No. 10, three 2 horse cultivators, 4 sulky plow holders, 1 McCormick wire binder, 2 Challenge wind mills, wagon seat, 3 harvester and binder covers, cutting box, 8 No. 10 plow beams, No. 4 plow beam, 6 woods for double shovel cultivator, five-tooth cultivator, 4 wing shovel plows, 3 Vibrator harrows, 2 Dowagiac seeders, empire state mower, 8 corn planters, 12 single handles for plows, 2 iron pump tops, deep well pump, 600 lb. Victor scales, quantity of plow points, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben. Reynolds, auc. Most of the above property is new.

Alexander Easlick, having rented his farm, will sell at public auction on the premises 2½ miles northeast of Ridgeway on the Ridge road, Thursday, April 12, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: Three work horses, 3 milch cows, 3 two yr. olds, 5 yearlings, new Triumph reaper, old Kirby reaper, Wood mower, new Buckeye spring tooth drill, horse rake, wheel cultivator, cutting box, corn sheller, 10 tons hay, fanning mill, 4 row corn marker, steel plow, side plow, 2 Curtis plows, 2 drags, 3 single cultivators, 100 bu. oats, 2 hay rakes, lumber wagon, bob-sleighs, swell box cutter, top buggy, 2 horse forks, road scrapers, four stoves, rag carpet, quantity furniture. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 5, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Where is the street sprinkler?

Alf James was home over Sunday.

O. C. Kneale went to Indianapolis Tuesday.

The month of showers is now on the calender.

P. S. McKinnon went to Coldwater last Tuesday.

The state fair will be held at Detroit this year.

S. W. Temple was in Toledo on business Tuesday.

Lute Bates moved out on to his farm last Tuesday.

The fishing season in the inland lakes will soon open.

Supervisor Alfred James made another home run last Monday.

Remember the Minstrels at the Opera House next Tuesday evening.

Mayor Corbin of Adrian was re-elected by a handsome majority.

Quarterly Sunday school concert at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

The spring term of the Tecumseh public schools will open on Monday next.

President Stevens has secured an additional endowment of $9,000 for Adrian college.

President Arthur will take a two weeks vacation on a trip to Florida and up the St. John.

P. J. Welling made a phenomenal run for treasurer, and it was no more than he deserved either.

Dr. Myatt Keyan, of Rangoon, Burmah, serves an East India supper at Baptist chapel this evening.

Remenyi, the celebrated violinist, will give a concert at Goodyear's hall, in Manchester, next Saturday evening, April 7th.

The meeting of the Club has been postponed from this Thursday evening till to-morrow evening at the residence of Miss Elida James.

The Chicago Times observes that almost every man who can lick a postage stamp is applying for the position of the late Postmaster General.

John S. Hollister, of Adrian, gave us a flying call last Tuesday. He is the same "Happy John" that he used to be when he lived in Tecumseh.

The new Universalist church of Marshall having been entirely paid for will be dedicated on the 18th inst. Sermon by Dr. Rexford, of Detroit.

Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Gridley, who have been visiting friends in the village for the past month, departed for their home in Orwell, Penn., this morning.

Tecumseh will celebrate Decoration Day this year in a becoming manner. A committee was appointed last year to have charge of the necessary preparations.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Richard and H. E. Anderson were in Adrian Tuesday.

Prof. B. Mincer, the optician, will close his visits in Tecumseh on the 16th of April. All orders left at Sink's Hotel before that time will receive prompt attention.

There will be a maple sugar party at Sage & Carey's hall in Macon, on Friday evening, April 13th. Bill only $1,00. Let everybody turn out and have a good time.

James Cook, of Raisin, has returned from Chicago and reports that his father, Zacharias Cook, is still very sick, although his friends are hopeful of his final recovery.

The great play entitled "Squatter Sovereignty" will be given at the Adrian opera house on Saturday eve., April 7th. The company is from Harrigan & Hart's theatre.

If you wish to buy a farm or a village house and lot, call at the HERALD office and learn of the places we have to sell. We can accommodate any taste, and both flush and lean purses.

Adrian Record: The Morenci Observer editor proclaims to his patrons that he will be around this week, making collections. From other sources we learn that he purchased a shot gun last week. Put this and that together.

The April term of the Circuit Court convened at Adrian last Tuesday.—The calendar contains seven criminal cases, twenty-seven issues of fact, for jury trial; four issues of fact, trial by court; twelve chancery cases, first class and nine chancery cases fourth class.

Henrietta and Frank S. Chanfrau will appear at Adrian on Monday and Tuesday evenings next. "Kit, the Arkansaw Traveler," will be presented on the first evening, and "Isabel Vane" on Tuesday evening. The Chanfraus are among the best stars now on the road.

Articles incorporating the Dundee Horse Breeding Association, were filed with the county clerk last week. The association is composed of twenty-two of the leading farmers of Dundee and vicinity, with A. J. Wilkerson, as President, and John H. Owen, as Secretary.

Ell Hand moves on to his new farm near Deerfield to-morrow.

Miss Alma Cogswell, of Blissfield, arrived in town yesterday.

Hough & Trann have struck luck with their horseshoe sign.

A great deal of sympathy is expressed on the street lately, for Heck Bros.

Geo. Masden, our popular boot and shoe dealer, has a new card in this week's HERALD.

Miss Helene Soby, of Toledo has been visiting her cousin, Miss Leonore Packer, for some days.

We noticed a very handsome and intricate piece of penmanship executed by D. McIntosh at the insurance office.

Philip Kehoe has purchased Austin G. Hall's farm, and takes immediate possession. Austin says he is not going to Dakota.

News was received yesterday of the death of Miss Addie Wimple, at Jackson. Her many friends will sincerely regret to hear this sad news.

Attention is called to the advertisement, on 4th page, of J. A. Merritt, of Adrian, who keeps one of the finest wall paper stores in the county.

Rev. R. S. Pardington will deliver by special request, next Saturday eve. the lecture he gave before the Adrian District Meeting a few weeks ago. Subject, "Defence of the Faith."

Heck Bros. have let the contract to John T. Noyes & Co., Buffalo, N. Y., to put into their mill the latest and most complete roller system of milling with a capacity of 250 bbls. per day. The work will be commenced May 1st and completed May 20th.

Corn is ten inches high in southwest Georgia, and snow is three feet deep in northern Maine and Vermont. This is a great country. They will be selling Texas wheat in St. Louis next month, before they are done planting spring wheat in Iowa and Minnesota.

At the late election of St. Peter's church the following officers were chosen:

Wardens—D. VanTyne, Wm. Hayden.

Vestrymen—E. A. Tribou, Dr. C. M. Woodward, J. F. Hicks, L. P. Tribou, A. James, J. Everhart, C. A. Wright, J. W. Patterson.

We call the attention of those interested to the advertisement in another column of the very extensive carpet house of V. B. Snyder & Co., of Toledo. They carry one of the finest assortments of goods in the west, and they make prices away down to bed rock.

The Adrian water works company has been organized with the following officers:

President—T. T. Flagler.
Secretary—E. D. Hollister.
Treasurer—S. B. Smith.
Directors—D. M. Baker, Maj. Howell, J. A. Norton, S. L. Wiley, T. J. Flagler.

Hough & Trann have their paper and paint supply store opened ready for business. A large line of decorations are already in stock, and more coming every day. They have secured the services of a decorator from Toledo, who will commence work next week.

Company C was never in a more prospering condition than at present. Their weekly drills are well attended which shows that the boys are alive to the best interests of the company. We understand they have received an invitation to visit Toledo on the approaching Fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hayden start this week for a trip to California. They go from here to Chicago where they will join the Raymond excursion party, and go almost all over the west.—The trip will occupy some sixty days' time, and we wish for Mr. and Mrs. Hayden a pleasant journey and that they may return well pleased with their trip.

There has been quite an amount of talk about another hotel in town. Several parties have been here to try different schemes, but now we hear of another hotel man in town. He arrived at Sink's house last Sunday just too late to register, and intends to stay. He has gone into partnership with Wm. H. Sink, and will soon be able to take charge of his part of the house. Sink says the boy will vote a straight Democratic ticket.

Hiram Reynolds, of Clinton, father of our townsman, B. F. Reynolds, died last week at an advanced age. He had been in feeble health for several months. The deceased was one of the pioneers of Franklin and for many years managed one of the largest farms in that township. His funeral was held at Clinton on Sunday last and was attended by a large gathering of old residents and sympathizing friends.

The ladies of the Methodist church will give a literary and social entertainment at the church next Monday evening, April 9, 1883. Some entertaining recitations will be given and some select music, following which refreshments will be served. 25 cts will be charged adults, and 15 cents for children. No fee at the door, but all who attend will be expected to give this amount, as the proceeds will go to purchase a new carpet for the parlor.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

"Cleanliness is indeed next to Godliness."—Wesley.

Tuesday, business called us to our neighboring city of Adrian, and after doing a little in the line of business, our attention was called to a long banner strung out on North Main st., on which was painted "Grand Salvation Army of America." We concluded to spend a little time seeing the sights of the city and commence then and there with the "salvation army." We ascended a long flight of very dirty narrow stairs turned twice to the left, once to the right and brought up in front of a door at the end of a long, dark, narrow hall, together with several other people who seemed to be headed for the same place we were. Without a light it was hard to tell what kind of people they were, but one thing we noticed was that each one carried a little pail or basket, and that the smell in that place was anything but heavenly. After a few minutes reflection a young man wearing a uniform came and let us in, and we were ushered into a room perhaps 40 feet square, which contained a few seats and quite a number of 2 inch pine planks, which served as a resting place for the sinners who would rather run slivers into their pants behind, than shingle nails in front. The room also contained a stove surrounded by a sand box, which served the double purpose of spit box and zinc, a few banners and notions, and last but not least, a cupboard built under one corner of the dilapitated old gallery, into which "Johnny," the young man in charge, speedily put all the little pails and baskets brought in by the people. Now, "Johnny" was a bright young boy about 19; to be sure his neck and wrists were plainly marked with a high tide mark of some days standing; he was also a little careless about the use of his handkerchief, which fact gave his right coat sleeve more the appearance of a traveling spittoon than of a covering naturally intended for the arm; and as the young man borrowed a match of us to start the fire, he informed us firmly but gently that the afternoon's meeting was only intended for christians, and that as the fire was now started and the crowd was beginning to arrive, we had better retire. The HERALD man was first mad, then abashed, and for a long time we could not decipher how he found out the fact that we were not a christian, till we remembered having stumbled on the 98th stair coming up, and at that time could not give our oath that we had not used a word stronger than gosh, but something had to be done, we wanted to stay and issuing ten cents, purchased a songster, and in less than a minute was a full fledged christian, occupying a prominent seat in the hollow square, and praying that operations might soon commence, or that the man who had been eating onions might be removed to the other side of the building.

After a few moments the other charter members of the army arrived, viz: the Mayor, a man of prepossessing appearance,—with a large nose and long beard; his Captain, a man who had evidently seen much war, as he had but one eye and limped in both coat tails, in fact, he reminded us of the lean Marks in the last Tom's Cabin party or of Dick Deadeye in Pinafore, (perhaps we could give a better comparison had we ever seen more than these shows in our own town,) and last the two Corporals, one a woman who would weigh about 200 lbs., Tecumseh weight, and who had a voice like a lion, and the other a woman who would weigh about 200 lbs. Adrian weight, and resembled Mrs. Tom Thumb in many particulars. In less than a minute after the party arrived and "Johnny" had swallowed the last mouthful of biscuit the performance commenced, and now all we can do is to confess our inability to describe on paper what followed. As the Mayor raised his hands and gave the signal, the lameness all went from Deadeye's coat tails, Johny flew around like a deacon in a "Gin Mill," Mrs. Tom Thumb seemed to grow larger than a Giant, and when old heavy weight opened her mouth, we vanished; have no idea how we got out of the place nor by what road, but luck was on our side and as we brought up on the sidewalk with hat in one hand and songster in the other, it was a great pleasure to find ourselves in a crowd of Rynd men from the fourth ward who gave us any amount of consolation. It is needless to say that we did not attend the evening service.

This account may seem a little overdrawn to persons who have never visited these people who call themselves the Salvation Army, but the account cannot but have a strong semblance of truth to any one who has witnessed their performances. We would wish to be the last to ridicule anything which could possibly tend to elevate mankind, no matter how ignorant or lowly was the project, but in looking into the ways of this organization no one can see anything intended to do mankind any good. The whole plan seems to be founded in filth and ignorance. It is sustained simply by the excitement of a class of people who could not influence themselves, let alone guiding the steps of fellow mortals. Good christianity cannot exist amongst filth: our Maker has furnished for us plenty of pure water, with which all may become clean, and we not only claim, that "cleanliness is indeed next to Godliness," but also that without it christian Godliness cannot exist.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The election last Monday was a very quiet one. Three tickets were in the field, as follows:

REPUBLICAN.

For Supervisor—Abner Wilson.
" Township Clerk—J. Newton Satterthwaite.
For Township Treasurer—Asahel Stevens.
For Justice of the Peace—Gideon D. Perry.
For Commissioner of Highways—Merritt E. Conklin.
For School Inspector—Abner Wilson.
For Constables—George Buck, Jas. Moir, William H. Waring, James W. Cole.

DEMOCRATIC.

For Supervisor—Alfred James.
" Township Clerk—Elmer Hause.
" Township Treasurer—Peleg J. Welling.
For Justice of the Peace—Otis W. Bean.
For Commissioner of Highways—Wesley B. Keyser.
For School Inspector—Henry Wilson.
For Constables—Thomas Kyle, Arthur E. Kennedy, James Moir, James W. Cole.

PROHIBITION.

For Supervisor—John S. Kinney.
" Township Clerk—Elmer Hause.
" Township Treasurer—Benjamin F. Steinhoff.
For Justice of the Peace—Walter V. Wimple.
For School Inspector—Charles E. Conley.
For Commissioner of Highways—James H. Heck.
For Constables—John K. Boland, James Moir, William Kyle, Daniel M. Zellars.

Below we give the votes cast for each candidate as taken from the clerk's tally sheet.

Supervisor—	
Alfred James	307
Abner Wilson	186
John S. Kinney	24
Clerk—	
Elmer Hause	257
J. Newton Satterthwaite	259
Treasurer—	
Peleg J. Welling	312
Asahel Stevens	185
Benj. F. Steinhoff	19
Justice—	
Otis W. Bean	224
Gideon D. Perry	247
Walter V. Wimple	32
Com. of Highways—	
Wesley B. Keyser	253
Merritt E. Conklin	235
James H. Heck	31
School Inspector—	
Henry Wilson	247
Abner Wilson	238
Charles E. Conley	35
Constables—	
Thomas Kyle	258
James Moir	511
Arthur E. Kennedy	261
James W. Cole	461
George Buck	234
Wm. H. Waring	212
John K. Boland	33
Wm. Kyle	36
Daniel M. Zellars	32

THE STATE TICKET.

Below is the result on the State ticket:

Supreme Court Justices—	
John W. Champlin, U.	228
Thomas R. Sherwood, U.	229
Austin Blair, R.	197
Thos. J. O'Brien, R.	198
John H. Tatem, P.	40
Daniel P. Sagendorph, P.	40
Regents—	
Arthur M. Clark, U.	230
Charles J. Willett, U.	231
Harry B. Hutchins, R.	198
Joseph C. Jones, R.	198
Joseph W. Ewing, P.	39
George S. Hickey, P.	38

RAILROAD NOTES.

Two factions of Marshall citizens are quarreling over the location of the new M. & O. depot.

The line through the village of Homer has not been as yet decided upon.

Asst. Eng. Baird and his gang of surveyors ran a new line last week from Britton to Dundee, striking the T. & A. A. road about sixty rods north of the Dundee depot. No decision has been made yet as to whether the road will be built to Dundee or directly from Britton to Toledo.

Thirteen gangs of graders are at work on the Addison section of eighteen miles.

The big bridge over the Raisin, east of this village, is rapidly approaching completion. It vill be ready for the ties in a few days

The road is ironed from Allegan to a point eight miles east of Monteith.

The HERALD is very welcome to us and we would not do without it for many times its cost. It has seemed to me an exceptionaly well conducted paper during the last few years, but we prize it especially for the news it brings us from our old home. My wife was a Tecumseh girl, and Macon Center, as it is now called, is where I spent my early years. We came here last summer, as you may know, from Detroit, are pleasantly situated and like our new home, but yet must say that Detroit as a city and Michigan as a state hold the uppermost place in our esteem, as compared with St. Paul and Minnesota. Best wishes for success of HERALD. J. H. DARLING.

A few weeks since a gentleman came to Paw Paw, calling himself a United States detective, an ex-United States marshal, etc. He wooed and won one of Paw Paw's fairest daughters. After living a happy married life for forty-eight hours, he packed his satchel, folded his tent, and silently stole away to distant climes. The wife has returned to her ma, and the next time she marries she will probably learn, at least, the pedigree of her husband.

Clinton and Ridgeway flopped on Supervisor. Both towns elected a Republican last Monday.

"Hail auspicious day! The Homer Index office has invested in a clean towel. We still wipe on our exchanges."—Tekonsha News. Now the Register office has a towel (fact) which has done good service for the last decade. Contrary to the general rule of inability, it has not grown gray by our service, but black, and as it is quite capable of supporting itself, unaided, we are entertaining serious thoughts of granting it an honorable discharge from further active duty, and shall allow it to retire to the superannuated list.—Union City Register. The Journal office also can boast of a new towel. We did think we could get along with our old one for a year longer, but since a couple of our boys died from the effects of hog cholera by wiping on it, we concluded we would "blow in" ten cents on a new one. Our old one we have stood up in a dark and secluded corner and is numbered as one of the past.—Cronson Journal.

Well, if you fellows can afford clean and new towels, we shall have to invest, for we are bound not to be behind the times.

Lowell, Mass., Mail in speaking of Duprez & Benedict's Minstrels which are to be at the Opera House on Tuesday evening next says: In fact, every feature on the programme was well performed, and we think the general verdict of the audience would be that Mr. Duprez' claim that he has "the strongest company he has ever managed," is not an extravagant one.

Col. Sumner Spafford and wife of Des Moines, Iowa, have arrived in town and will remain here a few weeks.

Geo. J. Keyser has gone to Detroit to buy goods.

SPECIAL TO ALL.

Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, or those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

—To owners of Dowagiac Harrows: We have made arrangements to replace, free of charge, all teeth broken on harrows purchased from E. V. DePuy last year, if teeth are returned at once. Slayton & Son.

—Farmers should examine the McCormick Harvester and Binder for 1883 before placing their order.

E. V. DePuy, Agent.

Also the Michigan Manufacturing Co.'s Platform Wagons and Buggies.

—Wheat! Wheat!! Slayton & Son want to buy your good red wheat at the top price. Call on them.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—The Kalamazoo spring tooth harrow and the Dowagiac wheel harrow in three sections at Slayton & Son's.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.

I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.

WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—The Thompson Wheelbarrow Seeders take the lead. Any one can sow grass seed accurately with them For sale by Slayton & Son.

—You can find Gaskell's Compendium of forms at Morley's Candy Store.

—Vitalized Air can be taken and your teeth all extracted without pain at Dr. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

An elegant office counter and good show case can be purchased on very favorable terms at the HERALD Office.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at S. W. Temple's.

—Slayton & Son sell the Cassady Sulky Plow, so if you want to do good plowing and do it easy, get one.

—⅓ off Wool Hose at A. B. Cotton's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Rapid sale of dress goods, Cotton.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—Clearing out underwear at Cotton's

—Gloves & mittens reduced, Cotton.

—Now when you want a good plow, remember that Slayton & Son have the South Bend Chilled Plow.

—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's

—Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

U. S. M. S. RAILROAD

GOING SOUTH

STATIONS	No. 18 Mail	No. 14 Express	No. 10 Accom.
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Saginaw	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nayoosh	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Newell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Winchester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ionia	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lowell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alpine	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sparta	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kent City	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

GOING NORTH

STATIONS	No. 19 Mail	No. 15 Express	No. 13 Accom.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Connections at Saginaw with Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway for all points East and West.

N. SANFORD, Supt.
T. M. CHEVERS, Gen'l Pass. & Ticket Agent.

TOLEDO ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 22, 1883.

GOING NORTH — STATIONS — GOING SOUTH

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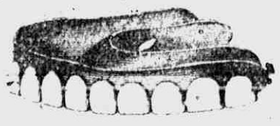

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A LYCEUM LECTURE.

How Walnutville Received Mrs. Brown's Lecture on the Parthenon.

Harper's Magazine.

Reader, didst ever deliver a lecture at a country lyceum? If so, read the following. It is good. "We have been there."

Mrs. Brown, having a lecture upon the Parthenon, was invited to deliver it before the lyceum of Walnutville. Knowing of Walnutville only that it was twelve miles from a railroad, Mrs. Brown suggested a more popular subject. No, Walnutville wanted the Parthenon. At the station named in the letter of direction Mrs. Brown saw a stage, and soon its driver said:

"Be you the lecturer for Walnutville?"

"Yes."

"Wa'al, git right in; and you ain't no need to pay no fare neither, for I'm the committee that wrote you."

Mrs. Brown was the only passenger, and the driver chewed the long and lonely way by telling her, "folks was thinkin a sight about seein' on her, lots on 'em remembrin' her grandfather." They were only four hours on the road, and when the time for the lecture came Mrs. Brown was escorted to the hall by a gentleman. On the way he exhorted her to speak up, and not be like "them Methodist women, who mumbled so folks did not know when to say 'Hallelujah.'"

The hall, an unpainted building, consisted of a great room with an cognate outside door opening directly into it. There were seats against the wall upon two sides, which the stage-driver explained as being the place where "the old men set town meetin' day." The people who were in their seats turned round and gazed at Mrs. Brown while she took off her wraps and put on her gloves. Telling her escort she was ready, he said he "warn't agoin' upon that roostrum to make a fool of himself; the minister had got to do that."

While waiting for the minister, and enduring the staring of the audience, Mrs. Brown diverted her mind by wondering why a row of nails were settled at the back of the platform. Finally curiosity conquered.

"What are those men up there for?"

"Them? Why, they're the Walnutville brass band, and they're goin' to play. Don't they have no bands where you come from?"

Fortunately, Mr. Snow, the minister, appeared then, and Mrs. Brown trailed meekly up the aisle after him. Obedient to his gesture, she sat down, and he said, "We will unite in prayer."

That exercise, disposed of, Mr. Snow proceeded: "The Walnutville brass band will favor us with 'Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean.'"

The performance was stunning, deafening; but before breath or hearing could be regained the agile clergyman was again on his feet.

"The chorister of the Baptist church will now delight the audience with a song—'There's a good time coming, boys; wait a little longer.'"

The chorister walked slowly to the steps of the platform, and waited, looking severely at Mr. Snow.

"I forgot to say," shouted that much-afflicted man, "that he will be accompanied by his daughter on a Mason & Hamlin instrument."

Then the father and daughter mounted the stage, the organ was wheeled into its place, and the performers had a good time, if nobody else did.

The audience was indifferent to an alarming degree, looking to Mrs. Brown like scores of duplicates of the goddess Pasht who sits and glares at people in the British museum.

Again Mr. Snow: "Mrs. Brown will now read us a piece on the Parthenon."

Mrs. Brown stepped to the front, and, amid stillness so profound that she could hear the breathing of persons near her, read her piece. It took an hour, and during all that time the death like quiet was broken but once, and then a boy who had climbed up on the outside, and peeped in at a window, informed his companions in a hoarse whisper that "she warn't no great to look at, anyhow." Not a hand stirred nor even an eyelid moved when the Parthenon was ended; for Mr. Snow allowed no time for embarrassment, for he was at once on his feet.

"The chorister of the Methodist church will sing 'Rocked in the cradle of the deep.' He will accompany himself."

The same masterly indifference while the Methodist chorister rocked herself violently backward and forward, and while he was wiping his heated brow after he had returned to his seat. But indefatigable Mr Snow knew no weariness.

"The band will again delight us with 'Marching Through Georgia.'"

"Hark! from the tombs," would have suited the temper of the audience equally as well—to all appearance, no better. Finally the minister concluded:

"These exercises will close with a benediction."

He had hardly spoken its last words when the stage driver shouted:

"Here, marm, is the money we've took. You can take your pay out on it."

Mrs. Brown, not accustomed to approving herself, declares she rose to that occasion, for she turned all the money into her pocket handkerchief, and told the driver she would settle on her way to the train. One or two people walked solemnly up to her, many shook her hand, and said plaintively, "We have enjoyed all your lecture," but with those exceptions the solemn silence was not disturbed. To this day Mrs. Brown is in doubt as to whether they think the Parthenon an improved sewing-machine or a new kind of boys' spreader.

Surprising Mechanical Accuracy.

San Francisco Chronicle.

The famous Strasburg clock, which is really one of the modern wonders of the world, exhibited the transit of Venus at precisely the right time and in the right way. On the On the "planetarium" attached to this remarkable piece of mechanism it was noticed a few days before December 6th that the small ball representing Venus was area had a moving toward a point between the sun and the earth and on the day of the transit it stood exactly between them. This, of course, could not have happened had not the clockmaker' ever closed remarkable skill. Perhaps it is hardly fair, however, to call the clock a modern wonder, inasmuch as it is three centuries old.

A "Sheep-Horse."

Detroit Free Press.

A Philadelphia man bought a "sheep horse" of another man, who declared that he had captured it with a lasso in Dakota. He told him also that the sheep horse would produce four crops of wool a year, which sold for $6 a pound, and was used in the manufacture of couple hour shawls. It was performed thus. He offered to sell it for $[illegible] and the man paid $[illegible] to pay $[illegible] in [illegible] of sixty days. But before the time which had the wool dried up and the wool fell off. The purchaser sued the seller for his money.

Level-Headed Lillian.

Lillian Whiting spoke to the Boston Woman's Rights association on women in American journalism, and made the point especially strong that anybody who thought of writing for newspapers merely as a preparation for magazine book work might well give up the idea. The remains of the leading journals are crowded in those of the magazines, magazine have the literary style of the writer, most popular, and the general knowledge magazine. There is no dignity of any work so long as it is for the daily newspaper. As for reputation, the journalist is by far the best paid man in literature.

Arthur Helps: It is better in some respects to be admired by those with whom you live, than to be loved by them. And this not on account of any gratification or vanity, but because admiration is so much more tolerant than love.

POETIC JUSTICE.

John C. Calhoun's Grandson and the Colored People.

There is a pleasant sort of poetic justice in the fact that a grandson and namesake of John C. Calhoun has led off in a movement for improving the condition of the southern negroes and bettering the labor system of that section under the new rules of freedom. Mr. Calhoun, who is a thoroughbred southern gentleman, bought a cotton plantation on the Mississippi bottom lands in Arkansas in 1870. "Determined to interest the negro, to try to have him stick, sticking to the same land, year after year, he adopted an enlightened policy," writes the correspondent of The Sun. He sold goods to the new hands at a fair profit, gave free advice, encouraged purchases to the necessities of life. He asked no hands, explaining the conditions of life and the habits essential to success. Under this policy the negroes have prospered, and on this planter has made money. The land, meanwhile, has increased from 300 to 1,000 acres. The negroes' houses are clean and comfortable, surrounded by well kept gardens and fences. The fields are well tilled and fully produced. All the improvements have been paid for out of the profits. Mr. Calhoun employs 1,[illegible] hands, and no "runner" for other plantations can entice one of them away. The secret of this is that "every tenant shall get a share of the profits." Every encouragement is held out to them to work with their hearts backing their hands. Land is rented to the men for cotton rent, as the negro takes more interest in the crop if he is to have a portion of it. Many of the tenants have large crops, sixty, seventy, or eighty acres, and owning mules enough to cultivate the land hire other negroes by the month. The shiftless, drunken, gambling, lazy negroes have found out that on the Calhoun plantations the man who earns a good living, save money, and accumulates property, while the planter never suffers loss for want of timely help. And the happy result is an example to the policy of fair play—to aiding the negroes like human beings, and giving them a chance to better their condition. The scheme has worked so well that Mr. Calhoun has formed a company to buy other plantations and extend its operations. The correspondent believes that the grandson of the original secessionist has solved the problem how to advance the material prosperity of the negroes of the southern states, and thereby that prosperity to elevate and civilize them into voters of fair intelligence."

President Arthur as a Vocalist.

Washington Critic.

In the departing shadow of Patti's last engagement in this city The Critic, who listened to her dulcet strains and bird-like warbling, was treated to a national opera, which was nothing more or less than a presidential solo. While promenadating through the carpeted halls and rooms of the executive mansion yesterday The Critic had its attention attracted by a series of rich baritone vocalisms proceeding from the private apartments up stairs, and as the last notes of "Way Down Upon the Cloonie Bell By" were wafted out upon the hushed air he halted in front of the parlor door.

"Who was that singing?" he inquired of a menagerie of a swallow-tailed attendant who stood by.

"Sh!" replied the attendant; "that's the president." He sings nearly every evening for his daughter, Miss Nellie."

Just then the watery notes on an accompaniment to an the female grand were borne to the listener's ears and a childish voice pleaded

"Oh, papa please sing again."

And almost instantly the presidential throat was cleared, as a preliminary measure, and the clouds began to roll by again in a clear barytone way, accompanied by Miss Nellie's most exquisite accompaniment.

That time was paralyzed with delight and stood motely drinking in the vajory notes of cirrus, cumulus, silver streaked cirrus and golden stratus clouds as they floated out into the hallway in great bursts of presidential melody. The air trembled, Miss Nellie gave a final flourish over the ivory keys and the listener imagined that he could see the great chief step back and make one of his dignified bows to an imaginary audience.

The Life of a Carmelite Nun.

A subject of conversation here, says a Montreal letter to The Detroit News, is the leaking out of certain facts connected with the establishment of Carmelite nuns at Hochelaga. There has been a little Carmelite colony in our adjacent suburb for several years, but never has ever heard much of them. The nuns are subjected to the severest discipline of all the orders. They wear but one garment summer and winter, a coarse serge gown reaching to the feet, with a hood almost completely covering the face. Their feet are shod with sandals and they are not permitted to wear hosiery. As a special favor they have been allowed, in our severe winters, to wrap pieces of serge around their feet and ankles. They never touch meat, poultry, fish, butter or eggs, and eat only one meal a day of bread and boiled vegetables. Their couches are bare planks with a piece of wood for a pillow and they sleep with one arm covering their their daily dress. Their doors are jealously closed even to women, the presence of the doctor. They pass their lives in silence, even their prayers being said under breath. Their singing of the church service is conducted in a whispered monotone. Such an observance of the vows of poverty, chastity and obedience has proved occasion too severe for the constitution of the nuns, and several of them have died. Others are at the point of death, yet the rule is severe and the nuns resolutely refuse to make any changes in their method of living, declaring that all is in God's hands.

Doctors Must Not Tell.

The Missouri supreme court has decided that information obtained by a physician in a patient must not be disclosed on the witness stand, though the physician declares that the information was acquired while acting in a professional capacity and was necessary to enable him to prescribe as a physician or operate as a surgeon. The court held that it would not do, while the mouth of a physician is closed as to the talk of a patient, to open it as to knowledge acquired from his own diagnosis of the case.

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DIEFFENBACHER—AWLSHOUSE—At the M. E. parsonage, on Thursday, March 20, '83, by Rev. R. S. Pardington, Mr. C. H. Dieffenbacher and Miss Julia Awlshouse, both of Adrian.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 4, 1883.

Cochrane, Libbie	Hagen, Martin
Dunn, James	Ingersoll, Ezra
Hunter, Mary E.	Millard, Rose,

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., April 1, 1883.

Bullard, Mrs. L.	Goodwin, Riley
Brumer, Phillius D.	Goldstein, Miss Fannie
Crawford, O. H.	Hamilton, James
Carr, C. Esq.	Lovejoy, A. R.
Clark, Mrs. Ella	Latler, A. T.
Clark, Mrs. S. M.	Lynch, Mrs. Catharine

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say advertised. PETER SHARP P.M

DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $1.07.
CORN—55c. shelled.
OATS—47c.
APPLES—$3.25 to $3.75 per bbl.
POTATOES—70c to 75c.
CLOVER SEED—$8.30.

TOLEDO MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 2, red, $1.09.
CORN—53c, shelled.
OATS—44c.
CLOVER SEED—$8.30

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	2 50 @	2 75
Apples, dried, ₩ lb	@	06
Butter ₩ lb	16 @	18
Barley, ₩ bushel	60 @	22
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75 @	2 65
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	50 @	55
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@	1 60
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00 @	7 0
Beef Hides	@	07
Calf Skins, ₩ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	30 @	35
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	60 @	65
Clover Seed	7 90 @	8 05
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	13
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 50 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 25 @	7 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay ₩ ton	10 00 @	12 00
Honey ₩ lb	@	15
Ham ₩ lb	@	14
Lard, ₩ lb	@	13
Oats, ₩ bushel	@	45
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	50 @	55
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	95 @	1 00
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ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 31 day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the state of LeRoy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Josephine Mead, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cyrus Mead or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 30th day of April A.D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said state, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said action and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDES, Judge of Probate.

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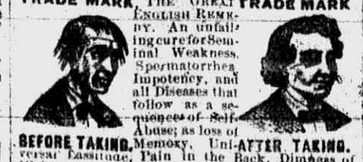

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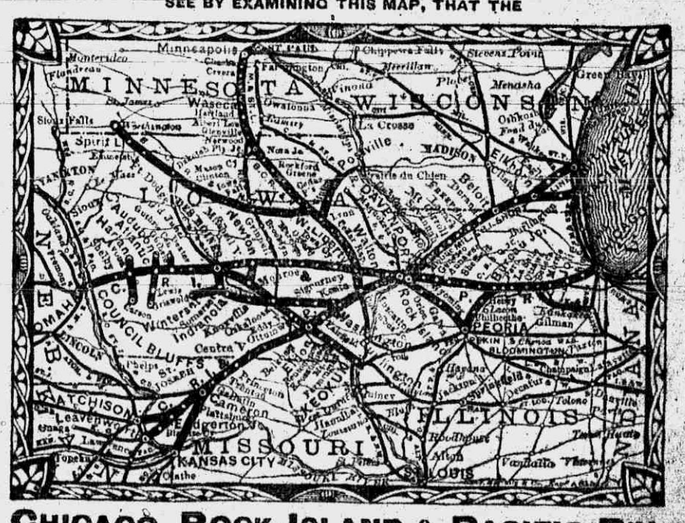

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CHICAGO.

The Tecumseh Herald.

VOL. XXXIII.—NO 46 TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 12, 1883. WHOLE NO. 1686.

Gainsley & Co.

Announce a

Second Grand Opening

---OF---

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.

We have purchased an immense stock on very favorable terms.

The large trade enjoyed in the last six months, which has been eminently satisfactory, encourages us to still greater efforts to please in the present and future, and to continue toward our customers in the same fair, uniform and liberal spirit.

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MACON MUSIC

The want of anything of sufficient interest to report from quiet, unassuming Make-on is one reason why the readers of the HERALD have not heard from us. After the Cuttings from the Center cut out the Murmurs our worthy scribbler concluded to wait for old Time to heal the flowing wounds.

Miss Bertie Sage, who has been visiting in Iowa during the winter, is home again.

Rev. Wellington DePuy, of Grand Ledge, preached in the Reformed church last Sunday. He and the pastor having exchanged pulpits.

The union Sunday school was reorganized April 8, and the following officers elected for the season:

Supt.—George Howell.
Asst.—Spencer Morgan.
Sec. and Treas.—Estelle Miller.
Librarian—Addie Crittenden.
Chorister—Isaiah Hendershot.

No service next Sunday morning in any of the churches.

Williard Gay and family start for Gratiot county this week, where they intend to make their home in the future.

Miss Hilda Pennington has gone to Dakota in hopes of improving her health, which has been very poor for some time past. If her hopes are realized she thinks of taking up land.—It would be a good idea for some of the young ladies to follow in her footprints. Go west, sensible girl, go west.

Grandma Britton, who has been living with her daughter near Grand Rapids, is very sick with a severe shock of paralysis. For many years she has been a resident of our vicinity, and we regret to hear of her sickness.

Last Saturday four of our enterprising young men went to the big prairie a duck hunting. Their shooting efforts were crowned with success.—One duck fell a victim to their well directed aim. If they had made known their intentions before deciding on the place of sacrifice, we could have directed them to hunting grounds nearer home, where they would have found better game of both "ducks" and "dears."

ADDISON ATOMS.

The long desired spring has sprung at last.

Considerable sickness is reported by physicians here.

Mrs. Ed. Cleveland is very low with consumptive troubles.

Two saloons are soon to be opened on the west side.

The saw mill has resumed work in earnest this time.

E. S. Harrington has just put a glass front in the old Birdsell building, recently purchased by him, and otherwise fitted it up for shop purposes.

Our village is literally filled with foreign-bred railroad hands at present, indeed a stranger on visiting the place could hardly judge from the language spoken whether he was in western Lenawee or in some chance peopled hamlet of the "auld country."

Nearly forty Prohibition votes were polled in Woodstock this spring, and considering this is the first effort made by the party in the township the result is indeed gratifying.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Keep the old plank road well scraped and you will have a good road this summer.

A. B. Clark is away for a new stock of goods.

Cornelius Exelby has a child very low with consumption.

Chas. Pocklington (Esquire till you find out which), is building an addition to his barn.

E. C. VanVleet has moved his barns off the M. & O. line of railroad.

Work on the new road has begun again in good earnest. Work in the township will be begun very soon.

Church social at the home of G. W. Jackson next Friday evening. The literary part will be similar to that of two weeks since.

Jas. Dubois is perhaps the best building mover in the county. He moved the cottage on North street in a day and a half without dropping any plastering.

Election—yes, we had one, but do not know yet who is elected as far as town clerk is concerned. Each candidate was declared elected election night by the board of inspectors.—Both have qualified and both are still contending for that wonderful honorous and lucrative office. The latest is that the court is to settle the question, and that right away. We hope they will both get it.

Our last week's letter, concerning our great election was miscarried by a democrat, at least he brought it back to us and said he forgot to leave it at the printing office.

FIRST REGIMENT ELECTION.

About twenty-seven officers of the First Regiment M. S. T. met at the armory of Company G in Jackson, last Tuesday, for the purpose of electing a colonel in place of Col. E. B. Griffith, deceased. The meeting organized by selecting Captain Bowen of Ypsilanti, chairman, and Adjutant Devlin of Jackson, secretary.

On motion a vote was taken for colonel, and D. H. McComas of Lansing, the major of the regiment was chosen on the first ballot.

The meeting then proceeded to fill the vacancy occasioned by the promotion of Major McComas, and after several ballotings Capt. E. W. Bowen of Ypsilanti was elected. Captains Manly and Lawrence and Adjutant Delvin also received support for the office. After the dead-lock for this position had exhausted twenty-six ballots, Capt. Lawrence requested his friends to support Capt. Bowen, his old army comrade, and the next ballot resulted in the choice as above. After completing their work the meeting adjourned *sine die*.

In the evening in response to an invitation, the officers visited Gen. Withington's residence in a body, where they were sumptuously entertained and passed several hours delightfully.

CIRCUIT COURT.

APRIL 10.—Circuit court convened this morning at 10 o'clock, as per adjournment.

After spending some time in fixing the dates at which cases should be called, Geo. Powell, the Tecumseh young man who is charged with beating Zebina Taylor, of Tecumseh, out of a horse, was arraigned, and pleaded guilty.

Edward Franklin, of Tecumseh, was also arraigned for receiving stolen goods in September last. He pleaded guilty.

Sentence on the Tecumseh people was deferred until some future date.

Lewis Conrad, the fellow who pleaded guilty to beating J. S. Peck out of a board bill by false pretences, was sentenced to ninety days in jail.

A. Bowen, charged with embezzlement from Pratt Bros., at Morenci, was sentenced to 90 days in jail.

Chas. Jacobs, the fellow who skipped town to avoid arrest on a warrant, and who afterward's was arrested and pleaded guilty to obtaining $2 of a Morenci man by false pretences, was sentenced to stay in the county jail for 90 days.

Prof. Cocker, of the University, died at his home in Ann Arbor last Sunday evening. Dr. Cocker was born in Yorkshire, England, in 1821. When a young man he left England and spent several years as a missionary in the islands of the Pacific Ocean. In the Fiji Islands he, with several others, was captured by the cannibals, and while the death song was being sung around them, they succeeded in breaking through the line and made their escape. He was engaged in business successively in New Zealand, Australia and Peru. In 1857 he came to Michigan and entered the Detroit Conference of the Methodist church. In 1869 he was appointed to the pastorate of the Central Church at Detroit, but resigned to take the position he occupied at the time of his death. His death is a great loss to the University. The students regarded him with a respect akin to reverence, and it will be difficult to find anyone that can fill his place in the hearts of the students.

The South Eastern Michigan Bee Keepers Association willl hold their spring meeting in Adrian, at Plymouth church chapel, Wednesday April 18. This association comprises the counties of Monroe, Lenawee, Hillsdale, Jackson, Washtenaw, Wayne, Livingston and Oakland. It only costs 25c (ladies free) to become a member, but all are invited to meet with us, as a large number of important questions will come up for discussion. Anyone having anything new of benefit to bee keepers are requested to bring it. Ample room will be furnished to exhibit. Reduced rates have been secured at the hotel. Please come and bring friends with you, and let us have a good meeting.

H. D. CUTTING, Pres.,
H. C. MARKHAM, Sec., Clinton.
Ann Arbor.

Dupuez & Benedict's Minstrels appeared to a good audience last Tuesday evening at the Opera House. All seemed well pleased with the entertainment.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending April 7, 1883:

Estate of Abbie L. Matthews, minor; contract for right of way for railroad; order of confirmation.

Estate of Adelaide Smith, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing April 23, 1883.

Estate of Julia E. Baker, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Addie E. Rice, minor; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing, April 30, 1883.

Estate of Samuel P. Glenn, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing, April 23, 1883.

Estate of Susannah Warner, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing, April 23, 1883.

Estate of Thomas O'Connelly, deceased; petition for the appointment of an administrator; hearing, April 30, 1883.

Estate of Jeptha Fleming, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrater's final account; hearing, April 30, 1883.

Estate of William H. Goodyear, et. al., minors; guardian's report of mortgaging real estate; order of confirmation.

In the matter of the appointment of three special drain commissioners for the township of Ogden; petition filed; order for citation; hearing, May 1, 1883.

Estate of George W. Allen, Sr., deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing, April 30, 1883.

Estate of Lorenzo Tabor, deceased; order appointing commissioners.

Estate of John B. Drake, deceased; will; proof and probate; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Melinda J. Ferguson, minor; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing, May 7, 1883.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending April 7, 1883:

FRANKLIN.

E. C. Norcross to Benj. F. Norcross. Land on sec. 21. $2,782.50.

Benj. F. Norcross to E. C. Norcross. Land on sec. 21. $4300.

Robert Russell to Thomas Russell. Land on sec. 24. $1200.

L. O. Peebles to Albert Daniels.—Land on sec. 31. $2,000.

RAISIN.

Francis Earll to J. M. Bowerman. Land on sec. 27. $3000.

RIDGEWAY.

J. A. Pocklington to Emiline Pocklington. Land on sec. 12. $1,500.

ROME.

Levi Hawley to George Wairad.—Land on secs. 13 and 24. $4,575.

Horace Adams to Riley B. Smith.—Land on sec. 25. $10,200.

TECUMSEH.

Caroline A. Mitchell to Emily J. Darling. Land in village. $500.

VENNOR'S PREDICTIONS.

April 5th and 6th will likely prove stormy in lake regions and lower provinces. Newfoundland probably coming in for heavy gales.

The 10th to 12th are probably dates for severe frosts. These were experienced in 1882.

The 20th and 21st stormy and wet in majority of sections.

The month will end cold and stormy and May day may be ushered in with snow and sleet in northern and western sections, and cold rains at others.

There will be some unusual terms of warmth during this month, but altogether it will partake of its average character and be of a favorable description.

Casting a glance into the future through our old weather glass we note as follows, written just as the ideas strike us, without regard to order:

Continued precipitation and cold weather generally for the summer, with continuous high waters and floods.

A windy summer full of storms.

An open autumn with little or no snow at end of year, even in northern sections.

A cold, stormy and wet October.

An open winter for 1884, very little snow and a backward spring.

An unfavaroble year for agriculturists and much sickness.

Such are some of the notes entered in our weather book, and we publish them merely to have them on record for comparisons in the future.

Adrian Times: It is rumored in railroad circles that trains on the Fayette and Chandler branches will soon run direct from Fayette to Trenton, thus utilizing that portion of the old Canada Southern lying between Grosvenor and Deerfield, which has for some time lain idle. This, of course, will leave Adrian off the line of those branches. The cause for this resumption of the old line is said to be a lawsuit which a Deerfield farmer has brought to recover that portion of his farm occupied by the track not in use. We understand that trackmen have received orders to place the necessary frogs in position, so that the line can be used as above mentioned.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, April 6, 1883.

Regular session.

Council convened at the usual hour with President Mills in the chair.

Present, the entire council except Mr. Breesie.

The minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Recommending the payment of the following claims, as presented:

E. B. Wood	$150 00
C. A. Stacy	145 00
Stacy Bros	5 50
Wm. S. Comfort	4 80
H. E. Anderson	15 45
Slayton & Son	14 08

On motion the report was adopted, the bills placed on file and orders directed to be drawn for the several amounts.

REPORT OF OFFICERS.

The Treasurer presents his annual report with vouchers, which on motion is referred to a special committee for examination.

Messrs. Heesen, Burridge and the Recorder are appointed as such committee.

The President reported that according to instructions given at last session, he had settled with James Ming, but did not as yet secure the services of another man, as he wished first to confer with the council on the subject. After such conference the President was instructed to secure the services of John Mesler for one month with a view of retaining him, if found to be a suitable person, for one year at a salary of $400.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Of Slayton & Son, Chas. Teachout & Son, Gainsley & Co. and others, asking for the repeal of the resolution of council passed May 3, 1880 and amended Oct. 5, 1881. The prayer of said petitioners is granted, and by resolution of council the resolution aforesaid as amended is abrogated, annulled and repealed.

NEW BUSINESS.

The President announced the standing committees for the year as follows:

On Streets:
Messrs. Heesen, Bresie and Sparks.

On Finance:
Mckinnon, Heesen, Steinhoff.

On Cemetery:
Steinhoff, Burridge, Bresie.

On Public Health:
Burridge, Steinhoff, Heesen.

On Public Grounds and Buildings:
Smith, Sparks, McKinnon.

On Fire and Fire Limits:
Bresie, Smith, Burridge.

On Ordinances:
Sparks, McKinnon, Smith.

Council proceeded to the appointment by ballot of a street commissioner, marshall, attorney, and physician to the Board of Health.

The following are the appointments:

W. C. Jordan—Street Commissioner.
Henry W. Stevens—Village Marshall.
Edwin B. Wood—Village Attorney.
Chas. M. Woodward—Physician.

Officers' and other bonds were fixed by the council for the ensuing year as follows:

Village Marshall's bond, $5000.
" Treasurer's " $8000.

And the bonds required by law to be filed by retail dealers in intoxicating liquors, $4500.

On motion, a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Burridge and the President was appointed to review and examine the new compilation of the village by-laws and ordinances and report as soon as convenient such corrections and additions as they shall deem desirable.

It being reported to the council that the money in the contingent fund was exhausted, and that it will be necessary to loan $500 for contingent expenses until the collection of taxes, it was *Resolved* that the sum of $500 be loaned for the augmentation of the contingent fund of the village, and that an order be drawn for such sum with interest payable June 1, 1883, such order to be made payable to the person loaning said sum.

The Cemetery Committee is requested to take into consideration the rates charged for use of vault and report an amended schedule of rates at next meeting.

The following claims were presented and referred to Finance Committee:

P. J. Farley, for oak lumber	$47 63
J. M. Wilcox, 5 bbls oil	21 10
L. S. & M. S. R. R. Co., freight	1 80
S. W. Temple, lumber	3 13
S. Catlin, services as physician	15 00
T. C. Cummins and T. D. McKinney, services as assistant engineers	35 00
H. Brewer & Co., as per bill	71 70
R. Cairns, hay and straw	11 00
W. C. Jordan, as per bill	16 50

The President made the following recommendations to the council:

That the members consider carefully the subject of paving the business portion of Chicago st.; also the necessity of purchasing a safe for the safe keeping of the village books, papers and records; and that before expending any more money on water supply or fire protection, they thoroughly investigate the Holly system of water works.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. MCKINNON,
Recorder.

AUCTION SALES.

J. D. Arner and Mrs. Elizabeth Arner having sold their farm, will sell at auction on the premises 2½ miles south of Ridgeway on the Ridge road, on Tuesday, April 17, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: 11 good sheep, cow, yearling steer, double buggy, lumber wagon, square box cutter, hay rack, fanning mill, quantity seed buckwheat, grain cradle, 11 shoats, hand cultivator, cider barrel, molasses barrel, and other articles. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, Auc.

TOBOGGANNING.

The Peculiar Winter Sport of the Canadians.

Ottawa Letter in Detroit Free Press.

It was announced that the usual afternoon toboggan slide party at Rideau hall from 3 to 5 10 would be held instead in the evening from 8 to 11 [illegible] This change of hour necessarily changed the whole programme and was death to the [illegible] and his daughter the Canadian pastime of tobogganning in all its glory.

You say this is not to tempt you if you have never experienced and therefore cannot recall the exhilaration of a Canadian winter night. This means that there is snow three or three feet deep, hard as pebbles, clean, white—of course you know it is white, but such a white! There is a tang in the air, with every star sparkling; it is cold, but without wind.

On such a night as this don your warmest wraps, take your skates or your toboggan and go out of the house, out over the snow, tramping until you are tired. But the spectacle at Rideau on these occasions is no ordinary one. Lord Lorne and his popular staff spare neither expense nor trouble to render it a scene never to be forgotten. You say, "Oh doubtless very pretty; lots of snow and gay dresses about and a lantern or two."

Is that all? Ah, if you could [illegible] along Sussex street with me by the bank of the frozen river. Now we have quickly left the [illegible] Parliament hall behind Ottawa in the distance; this is the suburb of New Edinburg.

What is this strange red light there in over the approaching pines and brings out the turrets of the Government House? And now you see, coming apparently from nowhere and ascending into the sky, two gigantic waving ribbons of fire! Here is another, there a fourth, streaming and darting, but now you lose sight of them. We have passed the ridge and are now in the grounds of the Government House. On the left a break in the cedars and the pines shows you a charming bit of the river and distant hills, called the "Princess Vista." The drive to the house is a short one, and now we alight at the side where numerous other sleighs have already deposited their more punctual occupants. Looking down into a kind of ravine immediately below, you get your first glimpse of the bewildering scene. Huge bonfires crackle and glow and illuminate in every direction. The fiery ribbons are parallel rows of Chinese lanterns suspended from poles that edge each toboggan slide. More Chinese lanterns are fastened to the tall, dark pines that cover much of the ground. The vastness surprises as well as the coloring. They appear to stretch away into the infinite, those beautiful floating lamps.

Torches are also fixed in the snow. What a glare, yet what an indescribable softness from the blended lights! And the strange figures, clad in some unearthly fashion—there is not one hat among them; they number five hundred.

Down some wooden steps we go until we find ourselves in a small room with a large stove, around which are gathered so many people resting a moment from snow-shoeing, skating or tobogganning that you are obliged to wait, and so you have a moment to examine the costumes.

Nearly all are clad in blankets, that is in blanket suits for the gentlemen and outer wraps of many different styles for the ladies. The favorite color is white, with a red woolen sash, but many pale blue, navy blue and crimson ones are seen. They were once ordinary blankets, but, dyed at the request of the wearer and trimmed with light colors, they present a most novel and striking appearance. The long hood at the back is often drawn up over the fur cap or "tuque" which covers the head. The "tuque" is a knitted cap of red and blue, with the point and tassel hanging over one side. The effect on a young and pretty face is magical. These coats suit the need of the moment admirably for nothing warms quicker than the motion of tobogganing, and no garment is more graceful when one is seated. Some of the young men have adopted the Canadian toque, and it is a question how long the fur cap will stand against it.

Leaving the warm room and the band overhead playing waltzes for the benefit of three in the rink, we will emerge again into the cool air. Stop! Look out! A slide crosses here. You may be run over by a toboggan, and that, I may tell you, is pretty certain to end in but one way. Coming to the edge of the slide you can look up and you wish to watch for a moment before committing yourself to my charge, for I intend to take you down. The slide is first an artificial one of wood about as wide as an ordinary dinner table, and it is about as perpendicular as it can be. Suddenly a whiz and something has passed you.

"Was that a toboggan?"

"Of course."

"And people on it?"

"Of course; you don't suppose the fun consists in sending down an empty toboggan, the bundreary's solitary bird, do you?"

Watch for the next one. Up at the top a kind of bar is drawn aside, and you see one load prepare to start. Now, once again the curious whiz and they have passed us, shot down into the place and darkness at the bottom with lightning rapidity. But they arrive for the most part safely and toil up the steep again eager for another go. Now is our chance. Here is the toboggan. It is, you see, made of wood, a little over a foot and a half wide and about five feet and a half long. The curved end protects your feet. And you must hold on well by the sides. You will sit down, please—it is not uncomfortable; don't look at it like that—see the thick cushion I have provided for you, and I kneeling behind you will steer. Now we are ready to start; look for a moment down the long, narrow white road we have to travel bordered with torches. And now—we are off!

Crunch! whiz! two lines of fire; your breath blown out of your body, and here we are out on the soft level snow, not a whit the worse for something that was half flying, half dying. You want to go again? I thought so. There is the fascination of the pastime about it.

One thing is certain, our Canadian girls do not lose, but rather gain by such an exhibition. They are at least natural and unrestrained, and no thought of their appearance mars their girlish and enthusiastic enjoyment. At the first sleighs are called, and after good exercise, good fun and good champagne, everyone returns warm, radiant and happy.

Dickens Immortalized.

Detroit Free Press.

Dickens is to be immortalized by the Boston & Providence railroad in the names of its switch and pony engines. Among them are the "Dick Swiveller," "Sam Weller," "Micawber," and "Pancks." The newest switcher, just received from the locomotive works, is called "Jack Bunsby." How will Howells feel now about Dickens not being as renowned as he was once.

She Silenced Him.

She said she wanted a ticket "to Wyandotte and return," and the pale gentlemanly agent, with dark moustache, asked, as he took up the pasteboards, "Single?" "It ain't any of your business as I know," she replied tartly. "I might have been married a dozen times if I'd felt like providin' for some poor, shiftless wreck of a man." He doesn't ask ladies if they want "single" tickets any more.

Plantation Philosophy.

Arkansaw Traveler.

De wind whipsin' dat a feller gits is from the man what doan' wan' her fight. De wasp is mighty quiet, but his sting is awfu.

It is impossible fur man or be successful and git certain de friendship ob his neighbors, 'cause every move toward success is regarded by de public as dishonest.

A Man who Stole Six Locomotives.

Middleton Argus.

Six locomotives awaiting repairs, have stood for some time at the Erie Railroad car houses at West End. Recently Charles Doering, who has been out of work for a month, discovered them and began stripping them of their journals and all their trappings. He was at work for two weeks without detection and during part of the time by a man whom he employed and paid by the day. Thursday of this week the railroad officers discovered the mischief and put the case in the hands of the police. Doering and his assistant had left nothing of the engines save the smokestacks, boilers and trucks. He had sold the greater part of his plunder to a Hoboken Junkman, who, it is charged, supplied him with the tools to assist him in his depredations. Doering was arrested next day and is held for trial. The junkman was also taken into custody.

BROOKLYN.

One of the Phenomenal Suburbs of the Earth.

George Alfred Townsend.

Brooklyn is one of the phenomenal suburbs of the earth. It is one of the youngest cities in all the east. The younger great city in the east after the revolutionary war was Baltimore, which cut off a large part of Philadelphia's trade. Then New York shot ahead of Philadelphia. Finally Brooklyn was shaken off the frances of New York and in the year 1850 the whole county in which it is contained had under 50,000 inhabitants, of whom nearly 2,000 were slaves. In that early day the Brooklyn villages meditated a bridge over to New York which they were just three-quarters of a century in advance of. In 1824 all the real and personal estate in Brooklyn was assessed at $2,000,000, and the share taxes were about $6,500 a year. In 1849 Brooklyn had 100,000 inhabitants. In 1870 it had nearly [illegible] of whom only [illegible] It is the sea-side city of New York, New York itself being inshore and up a bay, while Brooklyn has its back on the bay and its true front on the ocean. It is also becoming an enormous manufacturing city. By the last census it had nearly $22,000,000 invested in manufactories and 5,200 establishments, employing 18,000 operatives and turning out $[illegible],000,000 worth of goods. The use of steam has made it possible to have manufactures anywhere where physical labor can be commanded and the raw materials can be brought cheaply.

Brooklyn has an elaborate water front, not only on the East river, but on several other bays which make up from New York bay, from the ocean, and towards Long Island sound. It has such room to spread over and such generally level surface that ground and habitations command no fancy prices, as in New York, and still the city is dependent on New York for nearly all its institutions. That is a provincial society after all which has to depend on the pulpits for its great sensations. Mr. Beecher, with his volubility, transparency, sympathy and pigment, would have been a very great man in New York, while in Brooklyn he is too great a man, and therefore browses over the surrounding population. He is like a Russian bloodhound one of my friends once brought into a small village. He went to his business the next morning in the city, and when he got home that night he found all the people in the town living in the second story, being afraid to come down for fear of the dog, and the dog himself had gone almost wild at being treated so strangely.

A Georgia Bridegroom's Misadventures.

Atlanta Constitution.

A young gentleman of Lowndes county "met his fate" in the person of one of Lowndes county's fair daughters, and every arrangement had been made, the time appointed, the guests invited for a consummation of the interesting event. The time came for him to come over to claim his bride. He got in his buggy and drove to the new bridge at Rocky Ford, but the swollen current had been too much for the bridge, and it was impassable. He hastily retraced his steps a mile or two and then drove rapidly down to Startling's ferry, thinking that the high water would not prevent his crossing on a flat, and, perchance, by hard driving, he could make the time. He put whip and made as fast time as possible over a wet and bad road. Arriving at the ferry he was greatly troubled at finding that he could not cross. He next thought of the Belleville ferry, eight or ten miles lower down the river. At once he made for that place, but before he reached the flat he got into a lagoon of water, and after driving some distance into it he saw that he could not cross.

He turned his horse to retrace his steps, and as soon as the animal got out of the road it commenced to bog and plunge in wild distress. The young man hastily displaced his clothing preparatory to getting out to cut the horse loose, and in doing so he lost a valuable pistol and some gold coin which was laying loose in his pockets. After some considerable difficulty he got the horse out of the bog and rolled the buggy out by hand. His only alternative now was to travel up the river twenty-five or thirty miles to Quitman, take the cars for Valdosta and hire a conveyance, which he did. When he arrived at the place where he was to claim his bride he was nearly two days behind time, and he, of course, found the family and friends in a disturbed state of mind, for they did not know that the river was impassable, and could not account for his failure to come to time. A few words explained the trouble, and the next day they were made happy in each other's love.

The Wrong Bounce.

Detroit Free Press.

"Suppose," began a little red-headed man with a wild look in his eyes as he halted a policeman on Porter street the other day—"suppose my mother-in-law drops down upon me in October and remains right along until now occupying the best room, fretting at the children, putting my wife up to be cranky, and greeting me daily with such epithets as brute, hyena and miser."

"Yes, suppose she does?"

"Suppose that I finally cease to endure and bounce her out?" "Can she have me arrested?"

"If you assault her she can."

"Would I be fined over $10?"

"I think not—not for carrying her out-doors in your arms."

"Thanks. Between this and 4 o'clock some one will get bounced. In other words I shall pass the Rubicon."

At 10 o'clock that night the same officer found the man in a drunken sleep in a lumber yard four blocks from his house. As he hauled him out into the light he found one eye closed, his face scratched, his collar torn off and his vest so split up the back that it would button twice around him.

"Here—wake up—wake up! You are drunk!" shouted the officer.

"Yesh, I'm drunk," was the thick reply.

"You are the man who was going to bounce his mother-in-law?"

"Yesh, shame man—shame man."

"Well, where did she go?"

"Where'd she go? Oh, yes, I 'member now, Shay?"

"Yes."

"When 'er man bounces his mother-in-law which of 'em goes?"

"She does, of course."

"Then (hic) then it sheems that (hic) somebody has made thumping big mistake, for I'm the party lef' on outside of shouse!"

When Saloon Became Salvation.

New York World.

A young Swede had an order to paint a sign "Saloon" for a saloon keeper at Trenton, N. J., and got as far as "S a l" when he went to a salvation army meeting and became so enthusiastic that he believed it would be wicked to finish the sign for its original purpose. He therefore completed it "Salvation" and hung it over his bed and the saloon keeper had to order his sign elsewhere.

The Reason Why.

"No kiss," he said, pleadingly, "no kiss from my darling to night?" "No!" she said emphatically; "no kiss—I hear there's mumps in your family."

Bric-a-Brac a Nuisance.

"No, sir," said the practical man, "no bric-a-brac on the mantel for me. It's a nuisance. Where's a man to put his feet?"

An International Question.

Washington Critic.

It is very evident that our Madagascar neighbors are not well acquainted with the history of our country. On Thursday afternoon, while standing at the tomb of Washington, at Mount Vernon, the venerable Secretary Frelinghuysen was bending low, apparently in a deep study, when one of the envoys turned to the interpreter and asked what inspired the secretary. The interpreter explained that it was customary in the United States for great men to weep when in the presence of departed greatness, and that Secretary Frelinghuysen was, no doubt, thinking of the glorious deeds of the great Washington, and it made him sad.

"Who was this Washington?" asked the envoy.

The interpreter briefly stated that Geo. Washington was one of the first to take up arms in defense of the colonies, and that he was the first president of the United States, and was customarily called the Father of his Country.

The envoy in a few minutes walked over to where Mr. Frelinghuysen stood, and looking up into his sad face, said, in a sorrowful tone, "Old man, why wasn't you the father of your country? Ain't you old enough?"

When this little speech was translated to the secretary, he walked off, and did not shake the rest of the day appear friendly with the inquisitive envoy.

FIREWORKS OUT WEST.

How Mr. Exbeadle Saved His Own Life.

Laramie Boomerang.

Many years ago, when Denver didn't have any opera houses, and the Rocky Mountain country was terra incognita of the world, there wandered out to the region of Fort Benton a man named Exbeadle, who made himself unpopular among the Shoshones by killing some of their most prominent men whenever he could catch them away from home.

As a result of this course of procedure Mr. Exbeadle had a large private cemetery, and hostilities were declared by the tribe.

Mr. Exbeadle was a speculator, and one day fortune threw in his way a lot of fireworks that didn't meet with a ready sale and he purchased them, more for his own amusement than anything else. These he put to one side, and didn't think of them again until one day there was a council of war in the Shoshone tribe, at which it was resolved to extinguish the light of Mr. Exbeadle and send him across the mysterious river.

They notified him that the intention was to make him climb the golden stair in about fifteen minutes, western time. It looked pretty dubious for a moment, and he didn't know exactly what to do, not having time to consult counsel.

It was a dark night in autumn, and Mr. Exbeadle felt that the morrow would be of very little interest to him.

Like an inspiration, however, came the recollection of his fireworks. He rose and said:

"Gentlemen of the forest, you apparently have the bulge on me, and I admit you are largely in the majority, but you do not know me. I am a medicine man from Michigan, and I can make it mighty interesting for you, if you carry this thing too far. I just say this for your own good, and more in sorrow than in anger. If you take out my vitals and feed them to the vultures, I will linger near you in the spirit, and I will annoy you pretty plenty. I am aware that I have plunted some of your leading men in the cold, cold ground; but that isn't a marker to what I will perform when I get out of the flesh, where I won't be delayed by the inclemency of the weather.

"I will now proceed to show you a few little amateur efforts of mine as a medicine man from away back."

Mr. Exbeadle then let off a new style of sea serpent from a slight elevation.—It was the biggest thing in the line of pyrotechnics that was ever turned loose west of the Missouri. It shot out into the dark about nine feet like a car-load of delirium tremens, and squirmed through the inky bosom of night like an uneasy lemon in his sleep. The gathering warriors of the tribe took one horrified look at the hissing emissary and lit out. They left all their baggage that didn't happen to be tied to them; and there hasn't been a Shoshone Indian seen there since.

Mr. Exbeadle picked out the best ponies belonging to the tribe, loaded up the rest of the fireworks, and went home. He lived many years after, and became one of the most trusted Indian peace commissioners known in Western history.

Romantic Marriages, Happy and Unhappy.

The son of a leading lawyer in New York, about thirty years ago, was attracted by the innocent face and quick wit of a Welsh chambermaid in his father's house, and declared that he preferred her to all the fashionable beauties who had courted his notice.

His family protested, but to no purpose. The only concession he would make was to consent to go to Europe for three years before marrying the girl. In the meantime, having an independent fortune, the lover placed her at one of the best schools in New York.

The girl was ambitious, and devoted in her affection to the man who had chosen her. He returned, found her more lovely than ever. They were married, and the lady is one of the leaders of society in the city where they live—a noble, refined, charming woman.

An eminent jurist, well known in Pennsylvania in the early part of this century, was "making the circuit" on horse-back, and stopped for dinner at the house of a farmer. The daughter of the farmer waited on them, and the judge—who had been a cynic about women—observed the peculiar gentleness of her voice and a certain sweet candor in her face. After dinner the farmer said,

"Mary, bring the judge's horse."

Mary started to the field, which was inclosed by a barred fence. Laying her hand on the topmost rail, she vaulted lightly over.

"I saw," said the judge afterwards, "for the first time, a woman with the mind and body I should require in my wife. I called again and again at Farmer C's. At last I sent Mary to school for a couple of years, and here she is," nodding to the stately matron who presided at his table.

The sons of the judge and this real Maud Muller all attained distinction; one, like his father, at the bar, another was an eminent divine, and a third was a southern candidate for the presidency. All were noted for their fiery eloquence, and their high sense of honor, and a certain exquisite for fighting which was well sustained by strong physical health. The judge had not been mistaken in Mary's qualities of mind or body.

It must be acknowledged, however, that where one hasty, romantic marriage proves happy, ninety-nine such marriages end in misery. A sudden passionate predilection, or love, will not long bridge over a great disparity of social condition, of manners, tastes and habits of thought. The love fades, dies out, and the antagonistic couple are left irrevocably bound by a hated tie.

How many boys attracted by rosy cheek or bright eye, fancy themselves yoked to women whom they soon outgrow and who hang ever after like dead weights on them, crippling and lowering their whole lives.

How many girls grateful to the first man who chooses them from out of the world of women, mistake gratitude for love and marry a tyrant or a boor.

The Dignity of the House of Representatives.

Daniel Dougherty, of Philadelphia, commenting on the undignified behavior of the house of representatives, said to a friend that, when Mr. Clay was speaker, if he saw a member of the house reading a newspaper while the house was in session, he would send a page to him with instructions to say: "The speaker presents his compliments, and wishes to call your attention to the fact that the house is in session."

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But if I had passed to another shore,
This world would not care to know.

Let the world go on its way
The sun, and the wind, and sea,
There are those whose love is my sun and life,
Who are all the world to me.

Let the millions come and go,
Wherever their way may be;
But the chosen few that my heart enshrines
Are world enough for me.

POOR RACHEL!

A Great Actress Consumed at Last by the Intoxication of Success.

Youth's Companion.

Born of poor parents, and leading a wandering life in early years, she had a joyless childhood, with few advantages of education or of society. Coming to Paris at 12 years of age, she sang in the cafes to add a few sous to the family income. Her voice was thin, and she was not an effective singer, but her acting won attention and she was placed under eminent masters.

Under their training she appeared on the stage and won great applause when only fifteen years of age. At eighteen she had taken Paris by storm and was earning a thousand dollars a night, which was more than the whole income of her family during any year since her birth. The sudden influx of wealth was of small value to her. Her greedy father took it all, and allowed her scarcely enough to purchase suitable dresses for the stage. The family life was still pinched and unsympathetic. But Rachel cared little at this time for wealth or sympathy. She was devoted to her art, and ambitious to attain perfection in it.

At twenty she was without a rival on the French stage. At twenty one London was at her feet, and she bore herself with dignity in the saloons of, nobles and in court circles. Even the duke of Wellington paid her honor.

But her fall began in the very intoxication of success. The moral purity, hitherto guarded with sacredness, was surrendered to the flattery of false friends, and society closed its doors to her blighted womanhood. She grew reckless of public opinion, lost her ambition to excel in her art, and cared only to use her great powers to win money. With loss of character and lofty aims, came also loss of health, and before she was thirty her power over an audience had waned, and ere she reached her fortieth year she was in her grave.

Pauvre Rachel! Who can envy such a creature? Her own sad words reveal a weary heart. "It seems to me that death were preferable to this life, which I drag along as a convict drags his chain." "I have had great success, but how? At the expense of my health, of my life! The intoxication with which an admiring public inspires me, "passes into my veins and burns them up."

A Widow With a Glass Eye.

The prettiest widow in all this great metropolis, says a New York correspondent, is a lemon-and-lily blonde, ranging only from five to eight inches in thickness, and proportionately small in width, with no more than 18 years to her age, and enough of a fortune to allow of doing just as she pleases about marrying again. I was in her party at the Madison Square theatre the other night, and we were weeping more or less over the sorrows of the play. Allowing for the hearty dinner which I knew she had eaten, there couldn't have been room in her thin figure for a great amount of emotion; and when I saw that tears were welling up in one of her eyes and not in the other I surmised that the dinner had got entirely on one side of her midriff and the sympathy all on t'other. But I was wrong; and this is how I found out. The widow's escort was a sappy young fellow, whose love was as profound as his shallowness permitted. After puzzling himself awhile over the dryness of one of her eyes, while its mate was brimmier, he asked for an explanation of the phenomenon.

"And which eye do you admire most?" she said.

"H-h-hard to tell," he stammered. "The one w-w-with the tears sort of melts a fellow, d-d-don't you know, and the one without the tears sets h-h-him ablaze with its flashes."

"On the whole, now, which one do you prefer?"

"Wa-wa-well, I think the d-d-dry one."

"I'm so glad, Dolphy, to hear you say that," and the widow beamed rapturously into his face, "because the eye is a glass one, and I'm sometimes afraid it disfigures me."

This revelation lost her a lover, and I don't suppose she will miss him from the gang, and she certainly had fun with him while he lasted.

They Kept the Door Shut After That.

Stage drivers among the Rockies and Sierras learn to be as peremptory as they are daring, and probably from the same necessity. They will have their orders obeyed. This saying that in the instance here told might not have built his scarecrow story some bit of fact.

A correspondent of The San Francisco Post relates the following incident of a stage ride through the mountains: We were going to say that on this particular trip we passengers were exceedingly annoyed by the persistence with which young Foss (the driver) demanded that stage doors be kept closed, particularly when their being opened caused an appreciable circulation of air.

Just as we were rounding a particularly narrow turn in the face of the cliff, Foss noticed that the inside door, so to speak, was again being held ajar. Promptly putting on the brakes and bringing his horses to a halt, he descended.

"Do you see that rock?" he said, pointing to a huge bowlder ahead that barely left room for the stage to pass.

"What of it?"

"Only this. Last season a stage was passing that rock when somebody opened the door. The door caught on the rock, and as it opened further just pried the whole business over the cliff. That little creek way down there is one of the hind wheels caught on a tree. Now will you keep that door shut?"

It took half an hour to get that door opened when we got to Calistoga, every individual on board having separately tied it shut with his handkerchief.

Tom Ochiltree's Joke.

A story is going the rounds at the expense of Congressman-elect "Tom" Ochiltree, which, The Boston Traveler says, is vouched for as entirely correct by that distinguished Texas statesman. Once when he and Mace were both staying at the St. Charles hotel, New Orleans, he remarked to a friend that the "slugger" did not look to be a very quick man, and finally made a bet of a basket of wine that he could give him a blow and escape punishment by instantly apologizing, before the fighter had time to put up his fists. Accordingly Ochiltree approached the champion of the ring, and without a word struck him on the nose with his open hand. But before he could open his mouth to utter the apology, the bystanders saw a vision of a fiery red beard and mustache, and a nice new dress suit presumed to inclose the figure of a man, knocked from the end of the bar through the sliding doors out on the sidewalk. Ochiltree was at once picked up and repaired by his friends. Then they assisted him into Mace's presence, and he explained that he had tapped that worthy's nose, merely to carry out a wager, and said he was sorry—which was quite evident. "Then that's all right," quoth Mace, turning to the crowd; "and I'm glad H' didn't 'it 'im 'ard."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL, 27, 1882.

Spring is certainly coming for the [illegible]

Wiggins has favored us with a little respectable weather this week. Let [illegible]

Dr. Sauer of Perry, of this state will [illegible] for Eur[illegible] for the benefit of his health. He will be absent about a year.

In the Marshall (Mich.) Evening News the jury returned a verdict [illegible] the [illegible] to pay 100.

A colored man has recently been admitted to practice law in Alexandria, Virginia. And so the world keeps moving.

Blaine's new book is in the hands of the printer and will be published at an early day. There is a great deal of public curiosity to read it.

The New York World proposes to raise a relief fund for the benefit of the Republican officers who have been overwhelmed by the Democratic floods in the west.

The new Postmaster-General is well spoken of by the newspapers. He [illegible] of a business man and less of a politician than most of the President's appointees.

A committee of [illegible] engaged in auditing the claims in Uncle Sam's treasury. A surplus of [illegible] has been discovered there, one account calling for five cents and another showing an excess of six cents.

The New York Legislature have [illegible] the salaries of the Legislature [illegible] and added a [illegible] prohibiting the issuing of free railroad passes to [illegible]. How much easier it is to preach than to practice.

Wiggins has a defender in the Saginaw Courier. It says:

Meteorological people are satisfied that Wiggins storm was not a mere zephyr. They credit him with being a true prophet as they felt the full force of the tempest on Monday last in the shape of a Democratic cyclone.

The canvass for the next speakership is quietly progressing. The last candidate who has shed his castor into the ring is S. S. Cox of New York. It is said that he can control the united delegation from New York to start with.

It is claimed that the new two cent postage law will occasion a large deficit in the department. The same claim was made when the three cent postage went into effect, but experience proved that it increased the postal revenue.

A novel mode of advertising for a wife has been adopted by an inhabitant of an English town. A photograph of the gentleman is placed in the window of a shop keeper and underneath is the following notice: "Wanted, a female companion to the above. Apply at this office."

A gay Canadian seventy-six years old, named Robinson, advertised for a wife. By his good graces and the exhibition of a bogus check for $100,000 he inveigled a Toronto lady into the bonds of matrimony. As soon as the ceremony was performed he stole $75, a gold headed cane and overcoat belonging to the officiating clergyman and skipped. The old rascal has since been arrested. They have peculiar views on matrimony over in the Dominion.

The death of Peter Cooper of New York City was a national loss. The Evening Post, in a sketch of his long and useful life says:

Mr. Cooper was saving, without being parsimonious; shrewd, without being sharp, careful, without being timid. He had acquisitiveness strongly developed, but what he acquired he put to good use. Honest and open in all his dealings, just and tolerant in his judgments, courteous and considerate in his conversation, he was a man respected by all the world. His religious views were never thrust upon anyone, and his philanthropic works were never confined to aiding the believers of any particular doctrine. The Sermon on the Mount would have always been sufficient to cover his religious beliefs. Such a man and such a life belong not alone to one city nor to one state; he is a representative of civilization. It is such men as he whose lives and whose influence build up the strength of the land.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, April 6th, 1882.

If ever a theatre seems to rest under an unlucky star it is the Cosmopolitan. On the first night that it was opened the curtain was accidentally set on fire. Not long after a part of the gallery gave way, a panic followed and it is [illegible] that no lives were lost. Not long after [illegible] some more but quietly was righted and the entertainment finished before much harm had been done. On Wednesday night a panic followed an alarm that the house was afire. Not one was killed, though the scene was [illegible] the exploits of some but few days which [illegible] the position of the management. Most of all—the theatre is not paying, and they say that Manager Hooley is seriously thinking of abandoning the project of running it all summer. Among actors who are looking upon superstitious, the house is gradually getting the name of marked, and a number of men and women in the profession have openly announced their intention of never [illegible] Some have suggested that Kate Claxton play a month's engagement there. If during that time nothing shall come wrong, then it might be taken for granted that the spell had been broken.

On Monday the new Fulton Market was opened and a noble structure it is throughout, with its hard wood and marble fittings, bright, cheerful well ventilated interior and attractive exterior. The occasion was further enlivened by the exhibition of trout, the season for which commences on April first in this State. Such a crowd of people as thronged the market from six o'clock in the morning till ten in the evening I have never seen. The throng was in fact so great that one could scarcely get a glimpse at the fish much less obtain a full view of the rich and rare specimens to which every state in the Union, Canada, England, Scotland and Germany had contributed. Of course one must eat trout on that day in order to preserve one's reputation for observing the proprieties. I was much amused however, to see a couple of very knowing youths at an uptown restaurant in the evening, discussing the finely trimmed pieces of shad and asserting that after all trout were the only fish fit for a gentleman to eat. Another folly that the first of April brings with it is that every dude about town feels in honor bound to arm himself with a rod and fly hook and sally forth to a Long Island preserve, pay a hotel proprietor a round sum for the privilege of fishing, and stop at the Fulton market in the evening and purchase two or three fine specimens to take home with him. His fish cost him from ten to twelve dollars a pound, but the owners of the preserves and the dealers in fishing tackle do not mind this in the least. The former get the money and lose no fish, while the latter are enabled to make sales which otherwise they could never accomplish.

Peter Cooper is to be buried to-morrow and with him goes the last of a generation which lived without grinding those possessed of less wealth or standing than themselves into the dust. He was a good man if ever there was one. I think I wrote you some months ago that a movement was on foot to raise a monument to him in Central Park. Nothing came of it because the venerable philanthropist strongly expressed himself as opposed to it. I am told however that the matter is to be taken up again. A committee is to be formed, subscriptions are to be received at a number of places, and what is best of all, the donations of large amounts is to be discouraged. The gentlemen who will probably take hold of the movement would be in favor of having nothing but penny contributions so as to make the movement as popular as possible and therefore as worthy as possible of the memory of the grand old man.

There will be less moving this month and on the first of May than there has been for many years. Rents, it seems, have as a rule reached their high water mark, and although in some cases landlords did succeed in raising tenants a trifle, they have in a majority of instances wisely decided to leave well enough alone, and even to yield a little in the case of desirable tenants. Owners of the huge caravansaries called apartment houses are feeling not a little uneasy over the prospect of their investments.—The recent fires of these vast structures have thoroughly alarmed people, and as they pass the vast six, seven, eight and nine story houses, they say to themselves "how ever will we escape from these in case of fire," and prefer to remain in the smaller houses. The first apartment houses paid all the way from ten to twenty per cent. interest on the capital invested in them. In a few years, people who are now building flats will be glad to get their money back, minus the interest.

A queer character was buried Thursday, this was Prof. Felix Simon, the composer and music teacher. For 40 years he was a famous singing master, and there are few singers of to-day who are not acquainted with him.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

The ice went out of Cheboygan harbor last Thursday.

The S. V. & St. L. road will build a new depot at St. Louis next summer.

D. R. Spellman, for 13 years a prominent merchant at Vermontville is [illegible]

New post office [illegible] Hodgman, [illegible] postmaster.

A strange Marquette lady is the cause of [illegible] and only 18 months old, she is also married.

Mrs. Wm. Speed, a resident of Saginaw City, died [illegible] last week.

The bridges built by the Manistique railroad company several years ago are to be [illegible]

Eighteen cars of stock and household goods left Eaton Rapids for Dakota last week, and more will follow [illegible]

Upwards of 30,000 cars of lumber and merchandise are shipped annually from Muskegon [illegible] the [illegible] lake trade.

During March 57,694 barrels of salt were inspected in Saginaw county, 50,402 in Bay county, and 9,401 in Huron county.

Rev. Franklin Noble of Boston is called to the pastorate of the congregational church, East Saginaw, salary, $2,500.

The straits of Mackinaw are frozen solid from the Manitous to Thunder bay, and navigation is not expected to open before May 1.

A post mortem examination on the body of a Miss Shoemaker, 30 years of age, recently deceased at Charlotte, revealed a tumor weighing 40 pounds.

It is stated that on his return from the Pacific coast, ex-Congressman Hubbell will go into private business and henceforth keep out of politics.

A new passenger propeller is being built at Saugatuck, which is to run this season between Holland and Macatawa park summer resort, at the mouth of Black Lake.

Three men and their families have arrived at Battle Creek from North Carolina, to settle in the fertile state of Michigan, whose fame has attracted them from afar.

Muskegon go-aheads are trying to induce the L. S. & M. S. company to extend its Kalamazoo division from Grand Rapids to their saw dust cots beside the sea.

At Elk Rapids, Antrim county, work has been resumed on the new episcopal church and the $5,000 town hall is being finished, the frescoing being especially fine.

After 125 days of consecutive sleighing, bare ground appears again at Cadillac, and the streets are full of returning lumbermen, who make the air ring with their drunken cries.

A Bay City man tried to shoot a rat but the ball got mixed up with the little finger of his wife's right hand, and now she uses her left hand when she wants to count five.

A 12-years-old son of G. E. Waldrof was instantly killed at Hemlock, Saginaw county, last week by being struck on the head by a loose swinging door on a passing freight car.

Rev. A. E. Berry, formerly pastor of the Pontiac congregational church, resigns his professorship at Orchard Lake military academy to become president of the Somerville school at St. Clair.

Allen Morse is mayor of Ionia, and Allen Morse is marshal of Battle Creek, but fortunately the cities named are so far apart that cases of mistaken identity or conflict of authority are not likely to occur.

E. B. Morey, sentenced from Battle Creek in June 1880, to ten years in Jackson prison for forgery of $100,000 on the Clark estate, has been assured by Gov. Begole that he will be pardoned this month.

Mrs. B. F. Smith died at her home in Kalamazoo last week, aged 74.—In 1823 she headed the procession of school girls at Worcester, Mass., who scattered flowers in the pathway of Lafayette, during his visit to this country.

Jackson prison report for March:—in prison at beginning of month 628, received by sentence 7, recaptured 1, total 636; decrease by discharge 21, by pardon 2, total 23, total remaining March 31, 613; crimes of those received, murder, perjury, arson, forgery, breaking and entering 1 each, larceny 2.

A project is on foot to secure an appropriation for the purpose of cutting a channel from Traverse bay into Bass lake and thence into Elk river, for the purpose of giving Elk Rapids a fine harbor. This could be done at comparatively small expense, and would give Elk Rapids as good a harbor as Charlevoix.

A. P. Swineford, commissioner of mineral statistics, has made arrangements for an exhibit of Lake Superior minerals at the great exhibition at Chicago June 25th. He has also arranged for the free transportation of all specimens delivered at the nearest railroad station previous to the 10th of that month.

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The following letters tell their own story.

VALDOSTA, Georgia, July 30, 1882.

I said one of your Patent Dust Proof Cases about ten [illegible] ago and the other day it came back to me with the request to make it wind easier. On examination I found that the stem was rusty and I inquired into the cause of it. The gentleman stated to me that he was starting some saw logs that had lodged in the bend of the river when his chain caught in a bush and threw his watch into about twelve feet of water, and he was about two hours finding it. When he got it out it was running and he thought all right. In about three months he found that the stem was hard to turn and sent it to me.

I can say that the watch is all that the company claims for it and recommend it to all railroad and mill men.

B. W. BENTLEY.

CLINTON, Iowa, April 29, 1881.

I wish you would send me a spring for the Wm. Ellery Watch. By the way this Ellery is a watch I sold in your Screw Bezel Case to a farmer last fall. The first of January he lost the watch in the woods and found it this week in about one foot of water. It had lain three months and over in snow and water, with but slight injury to the watch—only a hair-spring.

C. S. RAYMOND.

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ED. ROWLAND.

ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 3rd day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, a lunatic.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson, guardian of said lunatic, praying for the allowance of his fifth account as such guardian, which account it is this day filed in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A true Copy:

A. H. Ballard, Probate Register. 3w12

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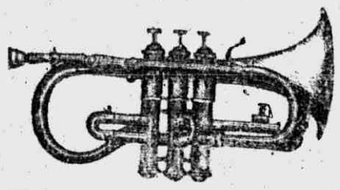

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HOUSE AND ROOMS TO RENT. For particulars enquire of JERRY ROOT. At Globe Mill.

FOR SALE. A bay stallion, sired by Regulator. Enquire at the premises of Jacob Meyer, Newburg, or address box 167, Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE. A few tons of choice hay and a quantity of seed oats. J. E. N. BOWEN.

PURE BLOOD COTSWOLD BUCK for sale cheap. Call at my residence and examine him. S. C. STACY.

NOTICE. Farmers having cans belonging to us will oblige by returning at once. BAKER & HALL.

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for setting from the Philadelphia Williams and Jones stock will be furnished the eggs per 13 by F. A. Horton, postoffice address, Tecumseh, Mich. Orders left at Waldo & Doty's will receive prompt attention.

DEERING BINDERS. To all persons who purchased Deering Binders in summer of 1882 if your machines need adjusting or repairing, we will have it done the ensuing season at our cost to you, if you notify us at once. CAIRNS & CO., Agents, Chicago St., Tecumseh.

WANTED. To buy some seasoned wood. R. B. HOUSE.

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We understand that a large number of new dwellings will be erected in Tecumseh the coming summer.

A FESTIVE HORSE TRADER.

Geo. Powell is his name, and he lives hereabouts when he is at home. Powell deals in horse-flesh, in other words in the parlance of the day, a horse jockey. Last week he sold a horse to Zebina Taylor for $25 which was worth about twenty-five cents.—Then he induced Mr. Taylor to let him take the horse to sell to some one else at a profit. He made a second sale for $6,00, of which he collected $5,00 cash down, and by some slip of the memory forgot to turn the money over to Mr. Taylor. Officer Smyth arrested Powell last Saturday and took him to jail, where his horse trading propensities will be checked for a few days at least.

SHORT HORN SALES.

Mr. B. J. Bidwell, of Tecumseh, has recently sold to A. W. Ingerson, of Cooper, Kalamazoo Co., one red heifer calf, Duchess 40th, got by Breadalbane 2d out of Duchess 6th by Noble Duke 2d, 15,005, out of Duchess 1st, by Airdrie 2478.

To Geo. C. Watson, Okemos, Ingham Co., Mich., one short horn bull, Mazurka's Oxford 22d, 39,940, got by Mazurka's Oxford, 12,428 out of Lilla 2d, by Burlington, 13,574. To same Redbud 2d, got by Mazurka's Oxford 12,428, out of Redbud.

To T. J. Wildy, Leslie, Ingham Co., Mich., one red short horn cow, Nell 4th, got by Mazurka's Oxford, 12,428, out of Nell, by Burlington 13,574.

To Franklin Bender, Ceresco, Calhoun Co., Mich., one young bull, Mazurka's Oxford 29th, 39,946, got by Mazurka's Oxford, 12,428, out of Cherry by Duke of Hillsdale. To same one cow, Red Rose 6th, got by Mazurka's Oxford, 12,428, out of Red Rose by Burlington, 13,574.

To Christopher Makrle, Marshall, Mich., one red roan bull, Breadalbane 3d, 42,959, got by Breadalbane 2d, 37,792, out of Queen 2d, by Mazurka's Oxford, 12,428.

To A. Vandeventer, Macon, one short horn bull, Breadalbane 40th, 45,515, got by Breadalbane 2d, 37,792, out of Minnie 2d, by Burlington, 13,574.

Six high bred one and two year old short horn bulls for sale.

RAILROAD NOTES.

32 shovels were at work in Pulaski last week.

The contracts for grading all expire on June 1, but there is doubt of their being completed by that time.

The bridge over the big marsh west of Ceresco is completed and ready for the ties. It is 528 feet in length.

Allegan Gazette: The M. & O. R. R. runs within a few feet of the head of Devils Lake, Lenawee Co., and the proprietor of the hotel and grounds at Birdsall's Landing gives the road $500 to establish a flag station there. He will go into the summer boarder business.

Homer Index: The firm of Decrect & Eckerman, who built the depots on the Nickle Plate, has the contract to construct the water tanks and depots on the M. & O. The building gang on the former road will finish work this month, and will then be transferred to this. The depots will be larger and finer than on the Nickle Plate; Marshall and Battle Creek getting the finest two on the line, 60x22, of brick, with slate roofs. The estimated cost of depot, baggage-room and water-tank is $5000. The building will be ready for use before the completion of the road from the west, if the people can fix up their quarrel and other matters pertaining to the choice of sight.

Battle Creek Republican: The gang of hands on the M. & O. R. R. are working about two miles west of the city. The road will be first finished from the west to this city, and as soon as finished to this point a train will be put on and run for general traffic.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 12, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Jackson boasts of a cooking club.

John F. Hicks was at home over last Sunday.

The bonds of local liquor dealers in Adrian have been fixed at $3,000.

Subject at the Baptist church Sunday evening, "The Bursting Seed."

Mrs. Eva Hause Satterlee, of Kansas City, arrived in town last week.

Miss Clara Saulsbury, of Deerfield, is in town visiting Miss Molly Weisinger.

Nearly one-half of the supervisors on the new board will be new members.

Thanks to Mrs. Spaulding for a beautiful bouquet, the "first of the season."

Lavern M. Ide is home on the sick list. We hope he will be able to attend to duty soon.

The street sprihkler with Lyman Thorp at the throttle, commenced business yesterday.

Billy Jordan, our village street commissioner has been doing some good work this week on Chicago street.

Mrs. Gridley, a former resident of Tecumseh, spent last Saturday and Sunday with her brother J. D. Sholes.

Lookout for the Hillsdale shirt man, for he will be here this week taking orders. A perfect fit and a good shirt is his motto.

M. W. Goodrich is at work in Detroit for Prouty & Glass, carriage manufacturers, and has charge of the machine work.

Mr. & Miss Reenif, of Rochester, N. Y., relatives of C. M. Minor, have been visiting in town, and returned home last Saturday.

Sam. G. Smyth has accepted a position with the Adrian pearl button company, and will travel for that concern during the coming year.

Peter Sharp has been postmaster at Ridgeway for thirty years. When he was installed in office he received one mail a week. Now he gets twelve per week.

M. E. Conklin is getting ready for a big business in the line of Wood's Harvesting Machinery this season.—Read his announcement in another column.

Prof. B. Mincer, the optician, will close his visits in Tecumseh on the 16th of April. All orders left at Sink's Hotel before that time will receive prompt attention.

The Duprez minstrel band favored the HERALD with a serenade Tuesday evening before their entertainment began, and it was the finest serenade we have enjoyed in many a day.

The club meeting at Miss Elida James' last Friday evening, was well attended, and every one had a good time. Next meeting at Miss Julia Snell's, to-morrow, Friday evening.

Mrs. Caroline Hand left Tecumseh on Monday last for Rome, N. Y., where she will spend part of the summer in visiting relatives and friends.—We wish her a pleasant journey and a safe return.

Wm. C. Heck has bought the house of Wesley Keyser on the corner of Chicago and VanBuren street, and will soon move his family there. Mr. Heck will make another good neighbor in a good neighborhood.

The regular meeting of the Royal Arcanum will be held at the law office of W. R. Wooden, on Monday eve., April 16. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will be brought before the council.

A late copy of the Black Hills Times contains the announcement that L. C. Miller, an old Tecumseh boy, and at present owner of the Livingston County Republican, in this state, has lately bought a large tract of land near Deadwood.

Emma Abbott's English Opera Co. will appear at Adrian next Tuesday evening in "Chimes of Normandy." Tickets will be placed on sale at Tecumseh and arrangements will be made to hold the train. Everyone knows what this company is, and all who lose the opportunity to hear them, will miss the rarest treat of the season.

By general order from the post office department it is provided that postal cards and prepaid letters on which one full rate has been paid may be forwarded without extra charge, from the office to which they are addressed to any other office at the request of the sender or the person addressed, such forwarding to be continued till the party addressed is reached.

American Sport: The bicycle clubs of Chicago and the western part of Michigan will rendezvous at Ann Arbor June 30, and wheel to Detroit on the following Sunday. The next day the entire party, increased by the clubs of the eastern part of the State, will cross into Canada and ride to Niagara Falls and Buffalo. The return will be by way of Cleveland. The wheelmen expect to do the entire distance in twelve days.

Circuit Court has adjourned until Monday next.

Vacant houses are very scarce in Tecumseh this spring.

S. W. Anderson started for N. Y. last Monday for a large stock of spring goods.

Remember the Emma Abbott Grand English Opera Co will be at Adrian on Tuesday evening next.

The dwelling house of Winslow Bates, of Rome, burned to the ground yesterday afternoon. Insured in the Farmers' Mutual.

Our friend Jim Hough is a happy man, caused by the appearance, last week of Reuben J. Hough, a young man; weight 8¼ lbs. All doing well.

Lute Bates, one of the jurors drawn for the present session of the circuit court, got excused till next Tuesday, when he is to put in an appearance.

Joe Wooden commenced this morning to move his market building to the lot north of P. J. Welling's shop, which is necessitated by the enlargement of Slayton & Son's warehouse.

The Clinton News this week issues the first number of its fifth volume.—The News is one of the best weeklies in Lenawee county and deserves the prosperity which it is evidently enjoying.

The train will be held next Tuesday night to accommodate those who may wish to attend the Emma Abbott entertainment at Adrian providing 40 persons from this vicinity attend. Leave orders for tickets at the HERALD office.

One cannot help but think that spring has come to stay when they see the display of early vegetables at the market of Jim Cole. There you will find lettuce, radishes, celery, pie plant &c. Call and see how cheap they are sold.

Ed. Hollister complains that he will be compelled to quit work in the garden, or move his quarters, for shooting around the pond has several times this spring sent bullets flying around his ears a little too close for comfort. Shooters beware.

All persons holding subscription papers for Library Association stock are requested to return the same to Miss Jennie Rosacrans at the postoffice, at once. Also if there are any persons who have not subscribed for stock, and wish to do so, they can be accommodated at the same place.

J. B. Swan has sold his interest in the hardware business to Newton and Newbold Satterthwaite, and the firm name will hereafter read N. M. Sutton & Co. Both of the new members are young, energetic and go-ahead young men, well known by our entire community and we bespeak for them a cordial reception to the ranks of Tecumseh's business men.

A TRIP TO HOLLOWAY.

An Enterprising Village on the Wabash—What is Doing There.

This pleasant April weather is serving to draw us out of our winter shell, and we shall endeavor hereafter to enjoy an occasional day among our friends in the country. Yesterday afternoon we took a trip to Holloway. Going down by the Globe Mill, Peter R. Adams' farm, and the old Kennedy neighborhood, we passed over good roads and by splendid farms and soon found ourselves at the growing little hamlet of Holloway "on the Wabash." The village has grown up entirely within the past two years, and since the new Wabash road was opened between Detroit and Adrian. There are now about a dozen dwelling houses in the village, and more in the process of construction. Kedsie's foundry is running regularly, and seems to be doing a good business. A general store conducted by B. Kelly & Co., the postoffice and the depot make up the business portion of the village. We were considerably surprised to see the amount of business transacted by this enterprising firm. Mr. Kelly, the senior partner is an old cattle shipper, and he has charge of that branch of the business. They ship a carload of stock to Buffalo every few days. Mr. Wilson, the junior partner, has charge of Uncle Sam's mail and the general charge of the store. The building occupied by them is a two story double store, one portion of which is used for groceries, hardware, boots, etc., and the other for dry goods, books and stationery, fine shoes and other light goods. Eight hundred dollars worth of goods were placed on the dry goods shelves a few days ago. The firm are now building a commodious wagon shed 90 feet long, in the rear of the store to accommodate their customers' teams in unpleasant weather. The firm is evidently prospering in business and they deserve their success. Our trip was a very pleasant one, and we hope to be more neighborly with our Holloway friends hereafter. The residents of the village are an enterprising and intelligent class of people, well up with the times. They have politics enough to make election interesting, but not so much as to stir up enmity among neighbors. They have good schools and churches near by, and an excellent society of both married and young people. And last but not least, the people evidently believe in "destiny," and have a firm faith in the future prosperity of Holloway.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Morenci enjoyed a pugilistic set-to on election day.

Four secret societies meet in one hall at Deerfield.

The city clerk of Blissfield receives a salary of $30 per year.

The last issue of the Clinton News completed its fourth volume.

David Carpenter, of Blissfield, who has been sick for some weeks is convalescing.

Parties from abroad are negotiating for the purchase of the Clinton Flouring mill.

The roller skating season at Clinton closed with a grand masquerade last week.

The Free Methodists are soliciting subscriptions to build a church at Blissfield.

Prof. Waterman, of Hudson, has been presented with a willow chair by his pupils.

Rev. N. A. Saxton will remain with the Universalist church of Manchester another year.

Blissfield elected a Democratic supervisor at the last town meeting for the first time in 22 years.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Clinton Woolen Factory took place last month.

John Miller has decided to remove from Clinton and locate at Manchester. Clinton loses a good citizen.

Blissfield had five tickets in the field at the town election. The good people of that town remember the printer.

Deerfield, during a few years past, has been a singularly unfortunate town in the number of fires which have visited it.

Devil's Lake is to have railway communication by means of the new M. & O. road, which will run near the head of that far-famed lake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Ormsby, formerly of Tecumseh, and now of Emmetsburg, Iowa, made Deerfield a short visit last week on returning from a trip to Florida.

Two girls of the State reform school, watching a favorable opportunity, ran away the other night; but after wandering until toward morning, they concluded that theirs was a foolish escape, and so, heartsick and tired, they went back.

A Lansin cor. of the Evening News says: "By the way, Mr. Harkness, who has been absent for several days on account of sickness in his family, has returned to his post, and reports all doing well, and it is a girl, a neat little quakeress.

Bessie Boies, a little 3-years-old Hudson lady, gave a birth-day party last week. It was very amusing to see the display of high chairs at the table. There was probably more happiness at this party than at many a social gathering of older people.

Morenci Observer: A rejected swain of Adrian sued the girl "who went back on him" for the value of the presents which he had given her when his love was fervent and obtained a judgment of over $18. The girl don't propose to be beaten that way, and has appealed the case to the circuit court.

The board of county canvassers met at Dean's opera house, Tuesday afternoon, to canvass the vote of the county for justices of the supreme court and regents of the university. We give the total vote received in the county by each candidate: Blair 3,344; O'Brien, 3,747; Champlin, 4,382, Sherwood, 4,201; Tatem, 713; Sagendorph, 713; Andrew Howell, 1; A. L. Millard, 1; Thos. Crawford, 1. For regents, Hutchins, 3,820; Jones, 3,840; Clark, 4,137; Willett, 4,128; Ewing, 712; Geo. S. Hickey, 712.

Adrian Press: At a law suit in Blissfield, last week, two Riga men were prosecuted for drunkenness on the complaint of Adam Dreher, the supervisor. Barrister Winne, of this city, defended, and in order to cast a bit of reflection upon Dreher's testimony, he cross-examined him upon some of his past deeds and past history. He asked about an assault and battery case in Toledo, and finally he wished to know if "you didn't put poultices on your back to make it sore, so you wouldn't have to go into the army during the late war?" To which Adam replied hotly, "No, I didn't; I put on some Croton oil though." This settled the point in Winne's favor, for the jury acquitted the defendants.

Hudson Post: Mr. Geo. Coppins, one of the pioneers of Ransom, was in town on Wednesday. He said it was just forty-two years that day that he done his last day's work (sowing barley) in old England before he sailed for this country, which he did four days later, landing in New York on May 22, 1840. He spent seventeen months in Oneida county, New York, and then came to Michigan, arriving in Hudson in October, 1842, and going thence to the Burt neighborhood in Ransom where he has since cleared up and brought to a high state of cultivation a beautiful farm. He is now engaged in bringing over from England fourteen men and eight women to engage as farm laborers and domestic help in this section.

While the Duprez minstrel band was serenading the HERALD office Tuesday evening they stood in the street but a few feet from the telephone pole in front of our building. The music was carried over the wires and was distinctly heard at Clinton, Ann Arbor and Adrian.

The law requiring the banks of Michigan to file with the county clerk on the second Monday of April a statement of all real estate held by the same, and its value, a list of the names of stockholders, the amount of stock held by each, and their respective residences, takes effect this year having been passed in 1882. The law also requires that the county clerk immediately after the filing of these statements shall notify the supervisor of each township of the number of bank stockholders residing in their townships, and the amount of their stock.

Adrian Times: Deputies Jibb and Smith reached the city this morning with Oscar B. Hurlburt as a prisoner. Hurlburt, it will be remembered, was connected with one Wm. Ross, last November, in what looked a great deal like horse stealing from W. S. Wilson, who lives just north of the city. Ross was captured at the time, but Hulbert made good his escape. Word was received Saturday evening that Hulbert had been in Hudson that day, and the two officers at once took the night train for that villiage. At that place they secured a team and started, being out nearly all night, and all of yesterday. In their search, which was blind of necessity at first, they scoured a good share of eastern Hillsdale as well as of western Lenawee. Finally the proper scent was found, and Sunday afternoon, at almost nightfall, the man was seen approaching on horseback. Deputy Jibb alighted from the buggy, and was very industriously engaged in fixing the harness, with his back turned to the approaching horseman until just the proper moment arrived, when he quietly turned around and "nipped" him. The prisoner was taken to Hudson and bro't to this city this morning. Hurlburt was astonished. He said he understood the matter had been all fixed up.

DIED.

WIMPLE—On Wednesday, April 4th, 1883, Addie L., third daughter of Walter V. and Sarah Wimple.

Thus closed prematurely, as it seems to us in looking from a human standpoint, a life of unusual promise. Miss Wimple was one of those bright and active persons, of whom we are wont to feel that they cannot be spared. They are so willing to work and so much is entrusted to them that, when removed, they are sorely missed. The desire for life in these active ones is always strong. But it is a generous one. They wish to live that they may be of service, not that they may be served. And yet in the mystery of divine providence, it not unseldom happens that these capable and willing workers are early taken. They are called in the beginning of their work, when what they have already done, though valuable, is yet more precious as a prophecy of what, if spared, they will in future do. When the question of submission to the divine will in reference to her recovery came before Miss Wimple, the struggle was severe. But faith conquered, and from the heart she was able to say, "As Thou wilt." Though a murmur had never previously escaped her lips, from that hour her soul dwelt in an atmosphere serene almost as heaven itself. She was able to keep up and move about to the very last, though at what an expense of effort none knew but herself. The call to depart was a sudden one, but clear testimony came from her lips that Christ was with her, and the manner of her death bore close resemblance to translation. W. H. B.

OSBORN—At his home in Adrian, on Monday, April 9, James Osborn, aged 73 years.

Mr. Osborn was born in Duchess Co., N. Y., Feb. 11, 1810. He lived with his father until 24 years of age. He came to Michigan from Seneca Co., N. Y., in 1832, and located on the farm section 1, Adrian, where he has lived ever since. His first purchase was 166½ acres of land, which he improved from the wilderness and built on this high spot overlooking a vast expanse of country. He also purchased and improved 80 acres in Franklin, 80 acres in Rome and had an interest in one near Tecumseh. Rising by his industry and tact he was able to raise a large family, and amass a considerable estate. Living all this time on a conspicuous theater, he not only benefitted the community, but no one could say he ever willfully wronged anyone. His last sickness was very painful and trying, yet he bore up with fortitude and almost without complaint. A large concourse of people assembled on Wednesday, the 10th at 10 o'clock, testifying by their presence their respect for the genial, practical good man who has left us. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. Shepard, of Tecumseh. While vigor was in his frame, he was in the midst of the fray. When force spent itself, he retired from the field, and his weapons passed into other hands more eager, "but he rests from his labors and his works do follow him."

GLENN—On Monday, March 5, 1883, Mr. Samuel P. Glenn, aged 79 years, 4 months and 8 days.

Mr. Glenn was originally from Montour county, Penn., but had long lived at the home, five miles from Tecumseh, where he died. He made a profession of religion at the age of 25. His life thereafter was one of rare christian consistency. The grace of charity was very sweetly exemplified in his life. After years of patiently borne infirmity, he entered into rest, with not a shadow resting on the good name he had always borne among his neighbors and all who knew him. W. H. B.

WHEAT HULLER AND PURIFIER.

T. T. Kneeland's New Patent in Successful Operation—What the Machine Can Do

A few weeks ago we stated in the HERALD that T. T. Kneeland, of this village had procured a patent on a new invention, which he calls a wheat huller and purifier. He has been at work for several weeks perfecting his machine and constructing one for a test trial. A machine has been made and put up in Wilson's steam mill, and on Tuesday afternoon last the trial was made with the most satisfactory results. We called at the mill while the machine was at work and saw it in operation. It takes all impurities and dirt from the berry and also the outside hull or skin, leaving the wheat berry clean and white, but entirely unbruised. Several bushels of wheat were run though the machine while we were there, and it seemed to do its alloted work to perfection. From the manner in which the machine did its work last Tuesday afternoon we can confidently predict that it will work successfully and will come into general use in all the best mills in the country. The inventor claims that as a dry scourer it beats any machine now in use. This machine, which will probably be the smallest size made, is a three horse power, and twenty bushels of wheat were run through it in just one hour. Mr. Kneeland expects to perfect arrangements at an early day to manufacture the machines and place them on the market.

SPECIAL TO ALL.

Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, or those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

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—To owners of Dowagiac Harrows. We have made arrangements to replace, free of charge, all teeth broken on harrows purchased from E. V. DePuy last year, if teeth are returned at once. Slayton & Son.

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—Wheat! Wheat!! Slayton & Son want to buy your good red wheat at the top price. Call on them.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—The Kalamazoo spring tooth harrow and the Dowagiac wheel harrow in three sections at Slayton & Son's.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15 Mail	No. 17 Express	No. 19 Accom.
Jackson	6 N'T A.M.	2 30 P.M.	1 10 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	2 30 "
Norvell	7 25 "	3 15 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 40 "	3 32 "	3 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 38 "	3 40 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	3 50 "	3 50 "
Adrian	8 50 "	4 45 "	[illegible]
Petersburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	[illegible]
Toledo	9 30 "	5 45 "	[illegible]

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16 Mail	No. 18 Express	No. 20 Accom.
Toledo	9 30 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	[illegible]
Detroit	10 50 "	7 20 "	[illegible]
Petersburg	11 45 "	8 05 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 15 P.M.	8 35 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 22 "	8 42 "	6 30 "
Manchester	12 30 "	8 50 "	6 40 "
Norvell	12 38 "	8 55 "	6 55 "
Napoleon	12 54 "	9 05 "	7 05 "
Jackson	1 10 "	9 35 "	7 35 "
Arrive	1 20 "	9 20 "	10 20 "

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A.M.		A.M.	P.M.
7 00	Lv. Toledo Ar.	11 40	5 10
7 15	Manhattan	11 25	4 55
7 27	Monroe Jct.	11 13	4 43
7 41	Dundee	10 59	4 29
8 00	Azalia	10 40	4 11
8 07	Milan	10 33	4 04
8 17	Urania	10 23	3 54
8 30	Pittsfield	10 10	3 41
8 40	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	10 00	3 31
	Jackson Div.		
	Ar. Grand Rapids Lv.		
	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.		
	Ar. Detroit Lv.		
	Kalamazoo Div.		
	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.		
	Ypsilanti		
	Wayne		
	Jackson		
	Lv. Grand Rapids Ar.		
	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.		
	Detroit		
	Chicago Div.		
	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.		
	Ypsilanti		
	Wayne		
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	Morenci		
	Adrian		
	Tecumseh		
	Ar. Jackson Lv.		
	Lv. Jackson Ar.		
	Battle Creek		
	Kalamazoo		
	Ar. Grand Rapids Lv.		
	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.		
	Ypsilanti		
	Wayne		
	Ar. Detroit Lv.		
	Lv. Detroit Ar.		
	Ypsilanti		
	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.		
	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.		
	Chelsea		
	Gregory		
	Howell		
	Brighton		
	Ar. Milford Lv.		
	Lv. Milford Ar.		
	Ar. Brighton Lv.		
	Lv. Brighton Ar.		
	Ar. Howell Lv.		
	Lv. Howell Ar.		
	Ar. Gregory Lv.		
	Lv. Gregory Ar.		
	Ar. Chelsea Lv.		
	Lv. Chelsea Ar.		
	Ar. Dexter Lv.		
	Lv. Dexter Ar.		
	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.		
	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.		
	Ar. Toledo Lv.		

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 12 Express	No. 14 Mixed	No. 16 Express	No. 18 Mixed
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Detroit	7 00	4 00	11 00	7 00
Springwells	7 15	4 15	11 15	7 15
Junction	7 25	4 25	11 25	7 25
Ecorse	7 30	4 30	11 30	7 30
Flat Rock	7 45	4 45	11 45	7 45
Gibraltar	7 50	4 50	11 50	7 50
Trenton	7 55	4 55	11 55	7 55
Grosse Isle	8 05	5 05	12 05	8 05
Wyandotte	8 15	5 15	12 15	8 15
Amherstburg	9 00	6 00	1 00	9 00
Grand Junction	9 20	6 20	1 20	9 20
Butler	9 40	6 40	1 40	9 40

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 11 Express	No. 13 Mixed	No. 15 Express	No. 17 Mixed
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Butler	7 00	4 00	11 00	7 00
Grand Junction	7 20	4 20	11 20	7 20
Amherstburg	7 40	4 40	11 40	7 40
Wyandotte	8 00	5 00	12 00	8 00
Grosse Isle	8 10	5 10	12 10	8 10
Trenton	8 20	5 20	12 20	8 20
Gibraltar	8 25	5 25	12 25	8 25
Flat Rock	8 30	5 30	12 30	8 30
Ecorse	8 45	5 45	12 45	8 45
Junction	8 55	5 55	12 55	8 55
Springwells	9 05	6 05	1 05	9 05
Detroit	9 15	6 15	1 15	9 15

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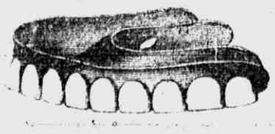

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O'Connell and the Slave-Holders.

"Broadway Lounger" in New York Tribune.

August Belmont in his recent lawsuit with an Irish editor only imitated the example of his father-in-law, Commodore Matthew Perry, who was presented in the house of representatives in 1839 by John Quincy Adams for assisting to bring on a duel between Daniel O'Connell, the Irish liberator, and Andrew Stevenson, of Virginia, the American minister from Perry was in some way married to Rutledge and other plantation families [illegible] the wrong of slavery, and [illegible] O'Connell [illegible] against American slave-holders. [illegible] Being in England he indorsed [illegible] O'Connell [illegible] against American slave-holders. [illegible] Stevenson [illegible] to little hymn-singing [illegible] Perry [illegible] O'Connell [illegible] a duel [illegible] the slave-holders [illegible] accommodate these American gentlemen, however, that they received the hostile O'Connell after [illegible] parliament [illegible] Brazeau, free state [illegible] Louisiana [illegible] connected with runaway slaves from the United States. He would not take any subscriptions raised by slave-masters for Ireland. His attitude on the subject shows what slavish prejudice is now trading on his name in the [illegible]

MARRIAGE IS A TONIC.

A Tar Heel Statesman on the Wedding of Davy Davy.

Gustave Alfred Townsend.

"Marriage is a fine tonic," said the Tar Heel statesman to me as he contemplated the pretty eyes on Broadway. "There is Sprague again in the holy bonds, and the first thing you hyar he's nominated for governor. My opinion is that shot gun'll elect him. Thar's Don Cameron, he gits married and gits up nerve for a surgical operation he couldn't stan' befo' no how, and it saves him fur repentance, I hope. Now Davy Davy gits a wife down at Fayetteville an' he starts right away for California. Another great citizen bound for California!" Jess think of a man at sixty-eight having a bran new honeymoon. It's up to the geniuses of our institutions; it shows that, after all, you can depend upon the people."

Said I to the Tar Heel statesman: "What made him go and do it? 'Hain't Davy Davy?" asked the old man I mournfully. "Way, to form a more perfect union, to insure justice—he was a justice you know, an' to promote the domestic tranquility. He had the constitution for his helpmum every time. He has got the geniality of Lincoln. It'll exercise a powerful mollifying sentiment down out way. If thar's any more vacancies on the Supreme Bench, give 'em to the women. They always act by-gones for by-gones. That's the record of Mrs. Davy Davy Number Two." "How come he to go there?" "Bless your soul! she went an' found him at Bloomington, Illinoy. Davy Davy married a Massachusetts lady! she was true blue, but she died. Davy Davy says, out of his wilderness misery, 'Is thar any lady of eyes partickler to whom as sympathize with my state of mind?' 'Yes,' he answers rackit-yeart, thar's a young lady from North Carlina I see once at Bloomington, Illinoy. Same stock as my wife, too. What's Fayetteville?' He touched down the map, and thar he found Miss Davy Davy, as he knowed by a warm place on the map that kind of burned his bosom. He felt he was on the right track and digested."

A Cruel Joke.

Chicago Herald.

There is a certain prominent man in a California city whom it is not safe to joke with just now. The other night, so the story is related, while he was loafing in his favorite bar room, a small boy came in and handed him a note. He opened it, and his face was perfectly ghastly as he devoured its contents. Then he held a consultation with two of his friends, borrowed a revolver, and left the room with his chums. When the party reached the man's house he let them in at the back door, and they shoes being removed, the stocking-footed trio stole noiselessly through the house. The dull, red glow of the hall lamp threw the man's determined features into strong relief as he paused at his room door and caught the murmur of a voice in caressing tones saying: "There, darling, you and I are all alone in the house, so don't be scared. Now let me put on this nice new collar and pretty coat. Oh, you pet, you little darling," and through a crack in the door came a perfect fusilade of kisses. The enraged husband took off his coat, signaled his body guard, and charged into the room with his revolver at full cock. One look was enough. There was his wife cuddling and petting an English terrier dog. Neither the man nor his companions have much to say about what followed. They want to find the man who wrote that note.

The Herald's Flood Fund.

New York Letter.

There is a report that The Herald has offered to take the pecuniary subscription off his hands and raise the money itself, but it is hardly in shape to be vouched for. If The Herald did take the subscription in hand it would probably do better than Mr. Evarts and his committee have done, anyway. Raising money by popular subscription is a specialty in which that journal has achieved considerable success. Its present fund for the relief of the sufferers by the Western floods already amounts to nearly $40,000. Its Irish famine fund, three years ago, run up to some $300,000. I do not remember how much it raised for the victims of the Michigan forest fires, but the sum was a very liberal one, anyway. This mention of The Herald reminds me of the very general satisfaction felt over the setting aside of the $250,000 verdict rendered against it by a chuckle-headed in the libel suit brought by a South Carolinian, whom one of its correspondents accused of arson, but to whom it made an amends honorable when he denied the charge. It was generally felt that a more outrageous verdict never was rendered, for The Herald withdraw the charge editorially, and offered its columns for any statement the aggrieved party wished to make. He saw fit to sue, and $250,000 he lost, and now the chances are that he will get very little of it, if any.

No More Refreshments.

Mayor Pálmer has caused a great deal of anger and delight in Boston by his refusal to audit the bills of the aldermen for refreshments. They have been accustomed to call every supper after every evening meeting, and some of them, it is hinted with what truth I do not know, at the close, carried home large quantities of wine and cigars. An attempt was made to compromise with the mayor, but he refused to allow a dollar of the claim to be paid. The accounts of two leading hotels amount to over $5,000 for the first six months of this year. The Boston Herald has taken pains to get reports from the principal cities of the country on the subject, and it appears that it is fast falling into almost complete disuse out of fashion.

How to Make an Artificial Aurora Borealis.

St. Louis Gazette.

Prof. Forster, the Berlin astronomer, gave an account at a meeting on Tuesday of the experiments made at the north of Lapland by Prof. Lemstrom, of Helsingfors.

"At about 67 degrees north, Prof. Lemstrom placed a network of copper wire, terminating in many pointed metal points on the tops of two candelabra, one of which was 60 feet high. This network of wire he connected with the earth at the bottom of each hill, in the usual manner. The astonishing result, as foreseen, was the formation of an aurora borealis, rising above the mountain top to an elevation estimated at 300 feet. The atmospheric electricity attracted to the earth by the copper [illegible] this interesting phenomenon."

THE LIME-KILN CLUB.

An Oration on Science by Prof. Holdback Remington, of Ohio.

Detroit Free Press.

"My frens," he began, "I has been invited to speak to you on de subject of science. I has no doubt dat some of you has heard de word spoken, or seen it in print at sometime, but how little do majority of you has either realized de beauties, de extent an' de power of science. Science has had a hard struggle, but she can now look down on de heap an' kin reward her frens an' forgive her enemies. How do we know dat de earth revolves on her axis from east to west? Science tells us so. How do we know dat de earth revolves on her axis from west to east? Science tells us so. How do we know dat de great desert of Sahara was once an ocean? Science has dug way down amongst clam shells and sharks' jaw bones. Without science we should be a world without overcoats in winter or sodywater in summer. We would fall from harvest apples, trees an' pick ourselves up without knowin' whether grass, sahsim or agittashun made us cum down instead of goin' up. We should see de moon same as now, but some would say it was inhabitated by monkeys an' green cheese. I am an humble man, but I was a splendiferous locality for a persimmon grove. De sun would rise an' set an' warp de shingles on de roofs, but men would go roundbluffin' fur bets dat she wasn't fifty miles away an' was held in place by wires."

Here the orator paused to scratch his back and take another drink of cider, and amidst a stillness almost solemn he continued.

"Science has done much, but it hasn't done 'nuff. It has giben us de mariner's compass, but we have no mashees shops whar bowlegged men kin drap in on deir way up home an' git de crook straightened while dey wait. It has giben us steam, but we still crawl under de house to thaw out frozen water-pipes de same as de Roman senators did 2,000 years ago. It has giben us grand suspenshun bridges, but whar' am de gas-meter which registers in favor ob de consumer? It has giben us de telegraf, but what man among you ever set eyes on a boot-jack which wouldn't miss a cog fust when you war pullin' on a wet boot de hardest? It has tunneled frew mountains, but we hab found no better way ob making de baby swallow castor ile dan by holdin' its nose, sange as Eve held Cain's and Abel's in de beginnin'.

"My frens, I did not come here to expector aze you wid a tiresome infatuation. Heed well what I have said. Sung up to science. She will keep you cool in summer an' prevent de shrinkin of your winter garments. It is a deep subject for research an' incomprehensibility, an' tru-tin' dat each one of you may abbreate de reflexion of de consequential, I will draw my brilliant climax to a career."

The speaker was in a profuse perspiration as he descended from the platform, and Nelson Smith and Star Route Johnson were appointed a committee to take him down into the alley and rub his spine with an icicle wrapped in a red woolen rag.

Thompson Tells the Old, Old Story.

Max Aiden in Indianapolis Herald.

So I sidled up to Rachel and joined in conversation with her, and we had lots of fun after that. She seemed to kind o' like me from the start. When the time come for us to go away, I asked if I might come to see her Sunday night. She said I might, provided I'd promise to leave at 10 o'clock. Well, I went to see her that night and the next Sunday night, too, stayin' a little late, 'cause we hadn't said anything about the 10 o'clock business. I got to goin' purty often, sometimes twice a week. I was just the deadest gone feller you ever saw. I would dream about her. Every time I picked up a pencil or pen I found myself unconsciously writin' her name. All went well for a time. But one day a little thing happened that made me lose favor in Brown's sight, and he ordered me never to come into his house again. The reason of this was because I sold a black cat's skin for a mink's. He was buyin' furs then and give me five dollars for it, thinkin' all the time the skin was a fine mink's. But when he went to sell it he soon found out different, and if you ever saw a man rave, he did then. I give him back his five dollars, but he swore if he'd ever catch me around his house again, he'd skin me alive. Well, I didn't want to get skinned, so I respected his orders and stayed away. But yet I loved Rachel, and I knowed she loved me. I was in a pickle now, sure.

One day I made up my mind to go and see her, anyhow. So I saddled up one of pap's old gray mares and started off. When I got to her house she was in the yard, and I called to her to come outside, for I wanted to see her. She was barefooted, but she came anyhow. I put the question right square at her. Says I: "Rachel, I want to know if you are goin' to be my wife, or whether you are goin' to do as your father says. I want to have this thing settled right here and now." Well, she hung her head and stood there makin' marks in the dust with her toe, pictures of log cabins and such. Presently she slapped her foot right flat down on the dust, and I saw her two front teeth open and shut, and open and shut. Then I knowed I had her. She was my wife. And so, whether you believe it or not, I walked forty miles to get my license. This is the whole story of my courtship and marriage.

The Pardon Was Granted.

New Orleans Picayune.

A clerk on Canal street, who is standing in the door of his establishment witnessing the parting interview between a fellow clerk and the fellow clerk's sister. The young lady started away, but forgetting something, turned back. Both young gentlemen had turned around, and were about proceeding to business, when the sister-in-law clerk felt a pair of arms thrown around his neck, and his face pressed lovingly by two rose-bud lips.

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"So you did": replied the blushing recipient.

"Oh!" screamed the lady.

"Oh!" aspirated the clerk.

The young lady begged pardon. It is needless to say the pardon was granted.

A Judge's Brevity.

New York Hour.

There were many stories current in illustration of Baron Martin's love of brevity. "Gentlemen of the jury," he is reported to have said, "you have heard the evidence and the speeches of the learned counsel. If you believe the old woman in red, you will find the prisoner guilty; if you do not believe her, you will find him not guilty." Another story is as to Baron Martin's deforming sentence on a peculiarly heinous criminal. The court next day was crowded with people expectant of such an elaborate and eloquent speech to the prisoner as some judges would not have lost the chance of making. Ah, according to the story, that Baron Martin said was: "Prisoner at the bar, you're a very bad man. You'll have ten years of it."

Mexico's Proposed Canal.

San Francisco Chronicle.

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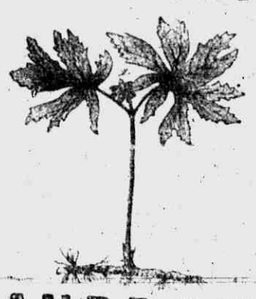

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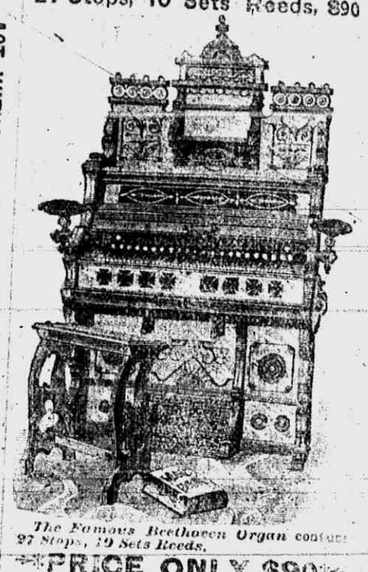

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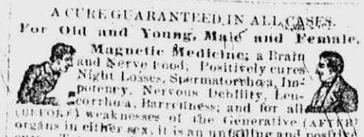

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[illegible]
Your hair, my pet.
[illegible]
Your hair, my pet.
[illegible]
When the spring is young, and the roses are wet
With the dew of morn, I will beg and get
And they entwined your [illegible] hair, my pet.

Oh, you angered my [illegible] your hair, Jeanette,
'Twas a ribbon and [illegible] care, my pet.
But so gentle the bondage, my soul did implore
The right to continue your slave evermore,
With my fingers entwined in your hair, my pet.

Thus ever I dream what you were, Jeanette,
With your lips and your eyes and your hair, my pet,
In the darkness of decades of years I mean,
And my tears fall bitterly on the stone
That covers your golden hair, my pet.

What is Your Hoodoo?

Derrick Dool

Every person, we repeat, has his individual hoodoo. Some high-foreheaded philosopher has said that this life is like a game of cards, success in which lay not so much in winning the game as in playing a poor hand well. But like the rich [illegible] of this philosophy advances, and the thoughtful student of natural effects has at length duly learned to suspect that success in anything, namely speaking, is only to be really obtained by escaping from one's hoodoo. This fact has been virtually admitted, though in a blind dumb way, by all peoples and all classes since the existence of the world. Whether it presents itself in the fetish of the savages, the incantation of the gypsy or the restless promptings of fatality that impel the Caucasian gambler to destroy the precise pack of cards with which his losses have been made, the primary cause remains the same, and at the bottom lies that most windrawn of nature's secrets—the hoodoo.

The sailor's abhorrence of sailing on a Friday; the housewife's caution about getting out of the wrong side of the bed; the old country distaste for meeting a black cat; the world-wide avoidance of spilling the salt at the table—may be lightly put down as "superstition," "relics of barbarism," and all that, but yet that great regulator and originator of all theories—experience, the slow acquired certainty of consequences—remains unchanged and unaffected, as did natural results will be to all time. The cold fact is that all these so-called "superstitions" are but the outcropping of that great, mysterious force of negation in nature, which, always for want of a better word, be it understood, we shall call the "hoodoo."

We have known men to be hoodooed by a pair of boots, a watch, a cane, a horse—anything, in fact, may be the medium for the transmission of this contrary current of negation from the great outside reservoir where it is stored by nature, so to speak. The great art, therefore, is to discover one's hoodoo, and remove or destroy it, and a most important part of the writer's patent hoodoo theory is that all persons can so discover their hoodoos if they will.

The writer remembers a man in the southern part of the state who was hoodooed by his revolver, a certain ornate weapon presented him by a friend in the east. The scrapes and troubles that pistol got its actually well-meaning owner into were something incredible. Finally, by an inscrutable inspiration he recognized his hoodoo, and wrote to his friend, its giver, that he would return the weapon by the same mail, of course recognizing the fact that the hoodoo of one person was not necessarily that of another. Before packing the pistol he withdrew the cartridges and placed it upon the mantel piece. While momentarily absent from the room the thrifty China boy entered and replaced the loads. His employer returned, and picking up the revolver, playfully pointed it at his own temple and pulled the trigger. His hoodoo was buried with him by order of the coroner.

Barnum's Wild Man.

"Uncle Bill" in Chicago Herald.

While on the subject of gating let me tell how, by special favor, I have witnessed a rehearsal of a meal. "Mum, the Hermit" was in this city on Monday. He is the Kentucky wild man, whom Barnum is going to exhibit. I was informed in confidence by his two employes—that is to say the two men who figure as his keepers—that he has been five years preparing himself for a public career. His hair was already long when the ambition to become a curiosity took possession of him, and nature had given him such a hideous face and ungainly form that his fitness for success was evident. Some men, through vanity, overestimate their qualifications for publicity, but it was not so with this chap. His ugliness was transcendant. His training consisted in letting his hair and nails grow immensely, in learning to utter an unintelligible jargon, and in posing and gesticulating like a monkey. But, on being subjected to critical examination by a showman in this city it was found that he lacked one desirable accomplishment.

"A wild man ought not to eat in a civilized manner," said this expert. "You say that you are going to show yourself in a cage, pawing and growling around like a brute. Very well. Now, what is it in a menagerie that catches a crowd more than anything else? The feeding of the animals—ain't it? That's my experience. When you sling a chunk of raw meat to the lion, and he fiercely devours it, the spectators just shudder and shrink back and enjoy themselves. Now, there's the hint for you racket. You must devour raw meat."

"Darned if I kin do that," said the Kentuckian. "I have lived on fried bacon and hominy too long to take to raw meat at the time of life. I swar I couldn't swallow it."

"But it needn't be raw as a fact," said the showman. "It can be cooked beef, faked up to look raw."

The counsel was heeded, and the wild man was instructed from a lion in the beastly art of eating. At this first private rehearsal he tore a piece beef which was blood red, but only partly raw, with fingers and teeth in quite a fierce ravenous way. The performance was crude, but will doubtless become sufficiently startling when perfected by repetition. I am to attend a full dress rehearsal by the wild man in a few days.

Not Proper to Finish.

Literary Manager—"What does Shakespeare mean by his frequent use of the phrase 'Go to?'"

Matter of fact Host and—"Well, per'aps he thought it wouldn't be polite or proper to finish the sentence."

[illegible] I know not whether the dictionary [illegible] spoils better than he that said, "three pins pinning two and two together, and making it five."

New Gospel of Rest.

Hubert Spencer's new gospel of rest is thus expounded: Three weeks' vacation with four weeks' pay!

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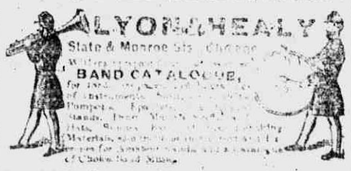

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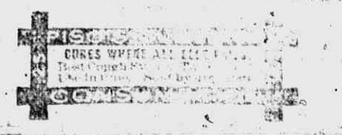

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ESTATE OF JOB BURLESON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 6th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Job Burleson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Isaac C. Mills, administrator, with the will annexed, of said estate, praying that he may pay the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thereto incurred, and be now ready to render his final account, and praying that said administrator may be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned and distributed unto the persons entitled thereto.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 4th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. mar8

ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Josephine Mead, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cyrus Mead or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of April, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license to me by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, dated March 12, A.D. 1883, as the guardian of Isaiah Worth Odell and Ida M. Hastings, formerly Ida M. Odell, minors, I will on the 8th day of May, A.D. 1883, at the dwelling house of the premises hereinafter described, in said county, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, all the interest and title of said minors, [illegible] the undivided two-thirds of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven, containing forty acres more and more or less, subject to the dower and homestead rights of Lucy M. Higbee, widow of George Odell, deceased. Terms of sale payment of cash before such sale.

Dated March 26, 1883.

MOSES E. DEVO, Guardian.
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ESTATE OF EDMUND HAND.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edmund Hand, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Hubert E. Hand, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to William W. Ormsby or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23rd day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF ERASTUS N. NICHOLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 19th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased.

Lucius Lilley, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, having rendered to this court his first annual account, and praying for the allowance thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 16th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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ESTATE OF HIRAM SHERMAN

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, held at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Sherman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harriet Sherman, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Hiram Sherman or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23rd day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

[illegible] appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of [illegible] late of Madison, in said County, deceased, hereby give notice that [illegible] months from date are allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate, and that they will meet at the house of the deceased in said township of Madison, on the 26th day of May, 1883, and on the 26th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining claims and adjusting the same.

Dated March 26, 1883.

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THE TICONDEROGA GHOST.

A Story and an Odd Coincidence.

[illegible] Pearl Stanley was in this city [illegible] Bishop Williams [illegible] the French and Indian war [illegible] Highlander [illegible] Campbell [illegible] Duncan Campbell [illegible] Ticonderoga. The Highlander [illegible] was a word he had never heard and which he [illegible] the spirit referred to [illegible] the other world or was inventing [illegible] to scare him he neither knew nor cared.

[illegible] by and at length Duncan Campbell found himself a major in the Scotch Fencibles, under Abercrombie in the expedition against the French on Lake Ontario. [illegible] America up to that time, had [illegible] in a thousand boats and landed on the outlet of the Salmon river [illegible] against which the expedition was directed. [illegible] with an awful and ominous name. The [illegible] Campbell [illegible] Highlander [illegible] Campbell [illegible] Duncan Campbell [illegible] Ticonderoga. [illegible] Campbell [illegible] Highlander [illegible] Campbell [illegible] Duncan Campbell [illegible] Ticonderoga. [illegible] July [illegible] Campbell [illegible] Highlander [illegible] Campbell [illegible] Duncan Campbell [illegible] Ticonderoga.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

A sad and fatal accident occurred Saturday afternoon at Moore, Burrs & Morley's steam saw mill, this place, killing a man named John Bench, who had been taken into employ at the mill only the day previous, and seriously injuring Mr. Norman Parker who was looking on. The facts connected with the accident were gleaned from a reliable source as follows: A heavy oak slab had just been taken from a log when Mr. Bench attempted to remove it by carrying instead of running it back on the car provided for the purpose, and it is thought swing one end of it upon the saw, when it was caught by the teeth and instantly hurled with its bearer directly upon the saw and to the other end of the mill where Mr. Parker stood viewing the work.—When picked up by the hands Mr. Bench's face and neck were found to be literally torn in shreds, the right arm was completely severed below the elbow, while his breast and other portions of the body were mutilated in a terrible manner. He was immediately taken to his residence on Church street, and put under the influence of chloroform, while Drs. Powers and Steward dressed the wounds in the best manner possible, but to no avail, as death soon relieved him of his sufferings. Funeral services were performed over the remains on Monday at the M. E. church. Deceased was formerly a citizen of Jackson, was about thirty years of age, and leaves a young wife and two little ones.—They are the recipients of untold sympathy. Mr. Parker received a severe flesh wound in the leg, besides some injuries about the head and shoulders. The doctors report his case as not dangerous.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Wheat on the ground has been suffering severely from the cold weather, but is much improved by the recent showers.

Mrs. H. J. Burnham, who has been visiting in this vicinity, expects to go to California soon.

B. Kelly & Co. shipped one car load of stock Saturday and one Monday.

The house of Wm. Fowler is rapidly approaching completion, and will be ready for occupation in a few weeks.

Work has been commenced on the house of Ezra Hoxie.

Dr. Begle has the frame up to his new house.

B. Kelly & Co. have just completed a row of sheds for the accommodation of their patron's horses.

Mr. F. W. Wickwire who has for some time been confined to his bed with paralysis, had a severe relapse last Thursday, but is now improving.

WHEELER'S RAMBLES.

On Tuesday night next L. F. Wheeler will give his Art Entertainment in the Opera House, carrying his audience through Capri, Sicily and Rome. The views of the principal cities of Sicily are very fine, and make an interesting prelude to the series of scenes in and around Rome. The Vatican has the largest collection of statuary in the world and during the evening many beautiful specimens will be shown. The entertainment will conclude with the Lewis' collection of statuary from Lewis' Gallery in Coldwater, never shown before, and a fine new lot of art gems and dissolving views.

Hillsdale Standard: Prof. L. F. Wheeler's lectures: "Illuminated Rambles in Foreign Lands, or an Illustrated trip through Europe," at Hillsdale College, last week, was a success.

Dowagiac Republican: The lectures delivered here on Monday and Tuesday nights of this week, were exceedingly fine. Mr. Wheeler, is evidently a gentleman of fine artistic tastes.—The lecture of Tuesday night, on Sicily and Rome, was particularly fine. We had seen the Coliseum, St. Peters and the Vatican, so many times, that we did not look for much that was new, but Mr. Wheeler realized these "wonders of the world" to us, as all our former studies of them had never done. His descriptive delineation and selected illustrations being arranged in every case to produce the effect upon the mind, which genuine art never fails to do."

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[Official.]

Tecumseh, April 9, 1883.

At this regular session council met pursuant to the call of the mayor.

Present, the entire council except Dr. Steinhoff.

The minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

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The special committee appointed to examine the treasurer's annual report, report that the same is found correct and recommended that the same be adopted.

Adopted.

On Finance:

Recommending the payment of the following claims, as presented:

P. J. Farley	$17 63
M. L. Wilcox	24 10
L. S. & M. S. R. R. Co.	1 80
S. W. Temple	3 75
S. Cable	15 00
T. C. Cummins and T. D. McKinney	32 00
H. Brewer & co	71 70
Robt. Caine	11 00
W. C. Jordan	18 50

The following claims received by the committee since last session are also recommended to be paid:

Thos. M. Hadley, fees in 5 ill	2 50
Wm. Brown, labor	6 50
Abijah Packard, labor	6 50

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

The committee on streets is instructed to secure what teams and men may be found necessary to do the street work and regulate the price paid for the same.

The chairman of the street committee introduced the subject of opening or extending Union street southward until it intersects Cummins street.

On motion the matter is referred to the committee on streets to be reported on at next meeting.

On Cemetery:

Ask for more time to report on the matter referred at last session.

On motion the time is extended.

NEW BUSINESS.

The bond required to be filed under section 259 of the Public Acts of 1881 was presented for approval by the following persons:

Isaac P. Keyser, James Montague & Albert J. Usborne, John Suffin & Frank W. Darling, and also the drug gist bonds of Marks & Russell.

On motion the foregoing bonds with their sureties were respectively approved by council.

The subject of paving Chicago st. was referred to the committee on streets with instructions to canvass the matter among the business men of the village and report at next meeting of council.

The marshall is requested to report to the council as soon as possible the names of all property owners in front of whose property a sidewalk needs to be repaired or rebuilt.

The marshall is also requested to see that all proper steps are taken to enforce all laws that will promote quiet and order throughout the corporation, especially on Sunday. And particularly is his attention called to the unlawful shooting of guns on that day.

The following claims were presented and referred to Finance Committee:

Sutton & Swan, hardware	$17 23
Geo. F. Payne, assessment rolls	6 44
Wm. C. Jordan	12 00
H. W. Stevens, for oats and corn	26 62

The claim of H. W. Stevens was taken out of the hands of the committee and allowed as presented.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON, Recorder.

AUCTION SALES.

B. C. Knapp, having rented his farm, will sell at auction on the premises, 3½ miles west and 1 mile north of Tecumseh, on the Sand Lake road, on Tuesday, April 24, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: Four good work horses, 3 new milch cows, 2 two year old heifers, 2 one year old heifers, 60 thoroughbred breeding ewes, 20 yearling ewes, 80 yearling bucks, 8 shoats, breeding sow, 500 bu. white oats, 500 bu. corn in ear, 50 bu. potatoes, new Deering twine binder, Wood self rake reaper nearly new, Kirby mower, Buckeye grain drill, horse rake, 2 lumber wagons, platform spring buggy, 15 tons timothy hay, single buggy, 2 sets double harness, household goods, plows, drags, corn shellers, fanning mills, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben Reynolds, auctioneer.

Adrian Record: Railroad Commissioner Innes has spent considerable time inspecting and thoroughly testing the automatic safety switch that has been adopted by the commission er of Ohio, and we understand that Gen. Innes will recommend the adoption of the switch by all Michigan roads. It is said to make railroad crossings absolutely safe without the necessity of stopping trains, thereby saving much time and great expense. By the adoption of the switch by the Lake Shore road it is thought the time for passenger trains between Toledo and Chicago could be shortened at least an hour.

Opinions of Great People.

"I missed the Presidency but my next greatest ambition is to see Wheeler's art entertainment. I shall not die happy 'Till den."—SAMMY J.

"I have seen a great many fine pictures, but I must see L. F. Wheeler's collection, and I don't Cary darn how far I go to see 'em."—ANNA LOUISE.

"I shall have Bis mark a date for Wheeler to show his pictures."—EMPEROR WILLIAM.

IN PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted in the probate court for the week ending April 14, 1883:

Estate of Charles A. Jewell, deceased, petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing May 7, 1883.

Estate of Harry Cook, minor; resignation of guardian filed; petition for the appointment of guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters of guardianship filed; order of allowance of account and discharge of late guardian.

Estate of Lizzie M. Van Wert, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge of guardian.

In the matter of the appointment of three special drain commissioners; application filed; order for citation, hearing April 21, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Helen H. Hubbard, deceased; administrator's oath before sale of real estate.

Estate of Norman C. Baker, deceased; petition for the allowance of executrix's final account; hearing May 7, 1883.

Estate of John Pennington, deceased; warrant and inventory.

Estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased; warrant and inventory.

Estate of Katharina Hauck, deceased, petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing May 7, 1883.

Estate of Hattie Force, et al., minors; petition for the appointment of guardian; order of appointment; bond $1000.

Estate of Ira Stewart, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners's notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of John Hoag, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond $500.

Estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing May 14, 1883.

Estate of Milburn Keyser, minor; affidavit of publication; guardian's first annual account allowed.

Estate of Charles F. Patterson, minor; petition for the allowance of guardian's fifth account; hearing May 7, 1883.

Estate of Eleazer G. Scofield, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing May 7, 1883.

Estate of Francis H. Bailey, an insane person; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; bond $700.

Estate of Allen Metcalf, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until May 14, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Thomas Day, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment, distribution, and discharge.

Estate of Job Burleson, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until April 16, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Abram W. Brittain, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administratrix; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Wing Haviland, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Mary A. Thompson, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond $1000.

Estate of Peter Onsted, deceased; affidavit of publication; renunciation of executor filed; will, proof and probate; appointment of administrator, with the will annexed; bond $15,000.

Estate of Cassius Davison, minor; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Magdalina Davison, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment, distribution; discharge.

Estate of Levi Parker, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance, until April 16, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of John J. Fulton, deceased; receipts, discharge.

In the matter of the appointment of three special drain commissioners for Blissfield and Palmyra; order of appointment.

Estate of Samuel Williams, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing May 7, 1883.

Estate of George W. Allen, deceased; appointment of appraisers in Saginaw and Oakland counties.

Estate of Hattie L. Gallup, minor; release of guardian, order of discharge.

Estate of Frederick Gippert, deceased, warrant and inventory.

Estate of George W. Carpenter, minor, release of guardian filed, order of discharge.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending April 14, 1883:

RAISIN.

Stephen Galloway to Geo. Kishpaugh. Land on sec 33. $20.

J. J. Neeley to Charles Waldron. Land on sec. 4. $4,500.

RIPLEY WAY.

Philip Steger to Charles Brosamer. Land on sec. 20. $2250.

TECUMSEH.

A. G. Hall to Philip Kehoe. Land on sec. 24. $6,800.

Richard Goodall to Thos. Wyrill. Land in village. $1150.

Wesley R. Keyser to W. C. Heck. Land in village. 1300.

Jehiel Davidson to John Margeson. Land on sec. 25. $945.

SPECIAL TO ALL.

Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, or those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Post offices established at Twin, Schoolcraft county.

Congressman Burrows resumes the practice of law at Kalamazoo.

Gov. J. B. Lindley, of the Lapeer Democrat, receives a call to Marquette, Schoolcraft county.

An otter was caught near Charlotte recently, the first seen in that neighborhood for years; its skin brought $8.

Six bridges have been swept away in Tuscola county this spring by the high water in the Cass and its tributaries.

The new Album company at Battle Creek has received a $12,000 order, and the employes are working day and night to fill it.

The adventists of Battle Creek are seeking to heal the differences of opinion which have kept their college at that place closed for a year, and reopen the same next fall.

A large public hall is about to be built at East Tawas, while a number of citizens are putting up residences. No ice can now be seen from that point, save a small strip in the bay.

W. H. Jones has accepted the principalship of the school at Luther, Lake county, and, in connection with W. V. Morrison, of the Reed City Gleaner, is arranged to start the Luther Lance.

A frog market and packing house is being established at Battle Creek. Only the hind legs are used for food which are cooked and packed in cans, the rest of the frog is used for soap grease.

The Kalamazoo buggy company is about beginning business in that village with a capital of $75,000, and a capacity of 5,000 to 6,000 buggies and cutters a year; M. H. Lane, president and manager.

The wool-growers association of south western Michigan has been organized; president, S. B. Hammond. The meetings are to be held at Kalamazoo, and the first annual shearing will occur May 2.

Battle Creek authorities give Mr Parker $10 for searching last winter for the body of Annie Prosser, and for his services in finding it this spring, as he could not claim anything under the terms of the reward offered.

A number of the citizens of Hanover, Jackson county, who went to Dakota a year ago, have returned, fully satisfied that Michigan people should think twice before leaving it for Dakota. The emigration from that section has stopped.

M. V. B. Curtis, of Lyons, was found drowned in the mill race at that place last week, having evidently fallen in while intoxicated the night before; aged 50 years. He leaves a widow and two children in destitute circumstances.

The Christian church at Marshall having "lifted" its indebtedness, all the churches of that city are now free from debt—something which can be said of but very few places of its size in the state. The secret societies and the city itself are also entirely out of debt.

Two boys of Lapeer, about 14 years old, have constructed a large clock, modeled somewhat after the Columbus clock, that performs wonders in the way of moving characters, among which is a line of the different presidents of the United States who make their appearance at the proper time.

Levi Ellis and William Sherman, farmers of Sodus, Berrien county, blew out the gas at the Commercial hotel, Jackson, Wednesday night, and in consequence came very near sleeping the sleep that knows no waking. Ellis, who did the blowing out, says he never heard of gas before. Why then, did he not snuff it out with his fingers?

While digging a 40 foot well in Johnstown, Barry county, on Tuesday, John Cashmore saw it was about to cave in, and called to the man at the windlass to haul him up, which was accordingly done; but Cashmore had scarcely reached the surface before the entire well caved in and filled up to within five feet of the top. He is now glad he quit work when he did.

The Michigan state horticultural society has for some years been awakening sentiments looking toward the ornamentation of the country school premises in this state. The following is the exact wording of an offer as it will soon appear in the premium list of the society: "For the largest and best collection of cut flowers grown by pupils in school grounds of any school house in any district in this state: first premium, $15; second premium, $10, third premium, $5; fourth premium, $3." "A word to the wise is sufficient."

MRS. SMITHER'S INFATUATION.

NOT A LOVE STORY.

To make home beautiful is a duty. Mr. Smithers had always felt it to be so. She had, therefore, knit tidies, embroidered lamp-rugs, worked paper-racks and table-[illegible] and hung the house with [illegible] and scarcely ever opened any book, except perhaps the Bible of a Sunday afternoon. It was an old habit his mother had taught him, and he generally got half through the psalm he selected before he fell asleep. She could not have told you the difference between the masterpiece of a great artist and an oyster "pot-boiler;" but he had, from dealing in goods for a long while, acquired a certain appreciation of color in upholstery and carpets, and he liked to see things handsome about him. The house [illegible] and sofas, with comfortable, low seats; there were beds into which one sank as into a downy paradise, a splendid steam heater kept up a summer-like temperature all winter. The dining room table, with its big claw feet, was hospitality personified; the side-board, with curly carvings, held nice, round, silver water pitchers, tea-pots and [illegible] the mantel-pieces were the orthodox clocks, vases and bronzes. There were heavy cornices above the window-curtains, and they were looped back with massive cords and tassels. All was perfection—at least its owner believed it to be so; certainly, it was comfortable and costly, and very showy.

"I like to come home to a home like this," Mr. Smithers used to say, rubbing his hands as he stood before the fire. "There is no nonsense about it."

So Mrs. Smithers thought herself, until she went one morning to an amateur lecture "On Taste in Furnishing." When the speaker, a red-haired young lady in a purple dress, without a wrinkle, like a pre-Raphaelite figure, had finished her lecture of which not one word was original, poor Mrs. Smithers was in despair. Taste was evidently something she knew nothing about. She had been proud of her home; now she felt that she should be ashamed to let this purple young lady enter its doors.

How many things were wrong there—her carpets, her curtains, her doors, her mantel-pieces, her very chairs. Oh! if Mr. Smithers had but been there! What would he have said? But Mr. Smithers was away traveling on business. He would be gone a long while; would he learn while away that his house was all wrong? He might. Then it came like an inspiration to poor Mrs. Smithers that, as her dear Smithers never was "mean about money," she might make his house right before he returned home.

Mrs. Smithers, though she prided herself on her good taste, was not a literary woman, and fancied that the Terence Shook so often alluded to in the lecture was some upholsterer. Probably the purple young lady had her own house furnished and arranged by him.

Mrs. Smithers, on going home, looked in vain for this famous upholsterer in the directory. Finally, she ventured to ask a better informed friend, who Terence Shook was and where his "Earthly Paradise," that the purple young lady had spoken of, could be found.

Having received the revelation that the "Earthly Paradise" was a book, and in this the sayings so often quoted were to be found, Mrs. Smithers at once procured it from a bookseller and sat down to study it.

The result was such a house-cleaning as the world never saw before. Various strange men and women, all the servants, and Mrs. Smithers herself, toiled from morning until night for six weeks, and at length, on the very eve of her husband's return, Mrs. Smither's, de[illegible]ted with her success, went through her home and declared it perfect.

And now a carriage drives up to the door, Mrs. Smithers flies down stairs and in a moment quite vanishes in the recesses of an enormous ulster. A trunk is bumped into the hall, a portmanteau follows; the door bangs, and Mr. Smithers looks about for his hat-rack with big mirror, round knobs, and solid umbrella stand. A long thin table, with a rail at either end, meets the eye instead, flanked on either side by a rigid chair with a marble seat and marble slabs into the bottom. The whole aspect of the house is altered. The heavy carpets and broad, silvered rods are taken up from hall and staircase. There is no sign of the register in the polished oaken floor. The heavy walnut banisters are gone, and replaced by spindly oak rails, each one conspiciously fastened by a brass rivet.

"What's the matter? Had a fire?" asked the bewildered gentleman. He doesn't look very much pleased; but Mrs. Smithers is very confident of the effect of the parlors. She glides forward and draws back the *portiers*. There is no door now.

"You didn't tell me anything had been done," says Mr. Smithers. "Well, you shall have it all fixed up nicely again. What was it? Furnace flues evidently—the furnace isn't going. All your pretty carpets, too!" and he glanced down at the expanse of polished oak, relieved by Turkish rugs, and stops before the mantle-piece. When he last saw it, it was of marble, carved elaborately. Now it was replaced by one of oak, which ran up to the ceiling in a series of shelves interspersed with small looking-glasses.

The portraits of Mr. Smither's jolly old papa and prim-looking mamma, which, in massive gold frames, had filled either recess had been banished. The portraits of the king and queen of the Storks, on long panels, in inch-wide frames of oak and gold, filled their places. This was too much for Mr. Smithers. He fell into a long-legged Eastlake chair, which stood before a small wood-fire, perched upon a pair of tall brass andirons, and took out his pocket handkerchief.

"I wouldn't have parted with pa and ma's pictures, now they are getting so old, for any money," said he. "Tell me all about it, sis."

"Oh, the pictures are quite safe, Jeremiah," said Mrs. Smithers. "They're in the bed-room. There hasn't been any fire, but I found out that we were furnished all wrong—no taste shown at all, you know—and I went to a lecture, and I really felt ashamed; and how I've worked to get things perfect before you came. Don't you think the dado is elegant?"

"What's that?" asked Mr. Smithers, in a queer tone, speaking softly, as he might to a baby.

"The border around the room you know," said Mrs. Smithers.

"Um!" groaned Mr. Smithers. "I'd have thought it was a dado. Well, where's the mantel-pieces?"

"Down cellar," replied Mrs. Smithers, "with the doors."

"Oh!" groaned Mr. Smithers, "how hard those chairs are! I must walk about to rest myself a little. Are the chairs and sofa down cellar too?"

"No, I stored them," said Mrs. Smithers.

After that the married pair walked about the house and looked at the improvements; but Mr. Smithers never smiled.

"Shall I take off the portiers?" asked Mrs. Smithers, trembling.

"Very nice, very nice," said Mr. Smithers, in a soothing tone.

"I'm sure I'm sorry for poor Terence Shook's advice all the while."

"Eh?" cried Mr. Smithers sharply. Then he added, "Don't get excited, my dear. Go to bed quietly and take a good rest, and you'll feel better to-morrow."

"I'm sure I'm very weak indeed, Jeremiah," said Mrs. Smithers.

"But you are tired, you know—tired," said Mr. Smithers. "Go to bed—there's a dear. I'll send Fanny up with you."

"What's the fuss?" cried Mrs. Smithers, beginning to feel mysteriously terrified.

"She shan't, then," said Mr. Smithers. "Go she shan't, Kitty."

Then he himself accompanied Mrs. Smithers to her apartment; saw that she retired, tied a handkerchief, wet with spirits of camphor, about her head and left her to fancies. Poor Mrs. Smithers was afraid to resist, fearing that her husband might be insane enough to be dangerous. She lay staring into the darkness, in the greatest misery of mind, not knowing what her husband might take into his head next. Meanwhile that gentleman had rushed in haste to the family doctor.

"Doctor," he said, sitting down in the physician's study, "I've got a terrible thing to tell you. When I went away from home I left my dear little wife as well as I could wish, in as snug a home as a woman need to have—but you know my house, Doctor. I came home to-night and find the poor soul quite out of her mind—quite out of her little mind, Doctor. She's packed off all the comfortable things, I don't know where; had the doors and mantel-pieces taken down cellar, and hung up horse-blankets on rods and rings; sent away the carpets and rubbed up the floors and scattered about a few fuzzy rugs. She won't have the heater or the gas; and there's a log of wood on some of my grandmother's old brass andirons, and a few candles perched here and there. And she's taken down the family portraits and hung up pictures of long-legged birds; and she's stuck plates, and bowls and cups and saucers all over the wall somehow; and the place is full of the queerest old spindle-legged things, chairs that make you say Ouch! when you sit down on 'em and tables you can't get your legs under. The place is like a charnel-house; but I wouldn't mind that if she was all right in her mind. Doctor, what do you think of her saying she did it by the advice of some fellow or other? I don't remember his name. That's a mental delusion, ain't it?"

The doctor looked at his friend with a solemn countenance, but his soul was full of fun. He knew very well what little Mrs. Smithers had been doing to her house, and why she did it; and he quite understood the effect it had produced on her spouse.

"Smithers, my dear friend," he said, solemnly, "don't be alarmed. It is an epidemic; half the women in the city have it. Your wife will recover. Take my advice: Send her into the country for a week, and put your old things back into the house. You can sell the new ones at auction very readily. Let Mrs. S., as I have said, visit your mother the while. When she comes back she'll see everything all right again, and all will be well. Don't talk to her about it. There'll be no relapse."

"Yes, yes," said Mr. Smithers. "I hope you are right. And you'll go over and see Kitty? I've put her to bed and tied her head up." "You'll go this evening, doctor?"

"At once," said the doctor.

He went. Poor Mrs. Smithers lay sobbing in her spindle-legged bed, with the handkerchief still about her brows.

"Oh, doctor," she sobbed, "I am so thankful you've come. Jeremiah has returned home in such a strange condition. I am afraid his mind is affected. He would have me go to bed at once, as you see. Did he send for you? There was nothing the matter with me until he nearly frightened me to death."

"I've seen your husband, ma'am," said the doctor, solemnly. "He'll be all right in a few days. It was the shock of seeing things so changed about him—that was all. Do exactly as he bids you, and everything will be well again."

Mrs. Smithers promised and obeyed, and went mildly away to visit Jeremiah's mother in the country on the following day. As soon as she was gone, the anxious husband packed off all the expensive purchases to the auction-rooms, where they created quite a *furore*, and brought more than they cost, restored his doors and mantel-pieces, hunted up his old furniture, refitted his gas-fixtures and set his heater to work, and then went to bring his wife home.

He watched the effect of her entrance into her home with anxiety, but all Mrs. Smithers said was:

"How comfortable!"

"I thought you'd think so," sighed he, wonderfully relieved.

He has never quite understood the matter yet; but Mrs. Smithers does.

How to Cure a Cold.

A medical journal tells of how one man was cured of a cold: "He boiled a little wormwood and hoarhound together and drank freely of the tea before going to bed. The next day he took five pills, put one kind of plaster on his breast, another under his arm, and still another on his back. Under advice from an experienced old lady he took all of these off with an oyster knife in the afternoon, and slapped on a mustard plaster instead. Then he put some hot bricks to his feet and went to bed. Next morning another old lady came in with a bottle of goose oil, and gave him a dose of it on a quill, and an aunt arrived about the same time with a bundle of sweet fern, which she made into a tea and gave him every half hour until noon, when he took a dose of salts. After dinner his wife, who had seen a fine old lady of great experience on doctoring, in High street, gave him two pills of her own make, about the size of a walnut and of similar shape, and two teaspoonfuls of home-made balsam, to keep them down. Then he took a half pint of hot rum, at the suggestion of an old sea captain visiting in the next house, and steamed his legs with an alcohol bath. At this crisis two of his neighbors arrived, who saw at once that his blood was out of order, and gave him a half gallon of spearmint tea and a dose of castor oil. Before going to bed he took eight of a new kind of pills, wrapped about his neck a flannel soaked in hot vinegar and salt, and had feathers burned on a shovel in his room. He is now cured and full of gratitude."

Work in a Great Kitchen.

No; it was not hushed, for there was a simmering and sizzling and subdued sound of frying, like the attunement of an orchestra. They were notes of preparation. Occasionally a lad would dump a scuttle of coke on the floor, and a white-capped man would fill a large vessel with water, and make a metallic sound, like a boy with a stick on a paling. All the time however, as a bass, there was the rustle of steam, as it pulsated and throbbed through the copper tubes. There were a hundred odors in the air. Here was the faint smell of parsley, of thyme, whiffs of cloves, fragrance of mace, specks of onions, slight reeks of garlic, with additions of lemons, all tempered, blended, and commingled into one general savory whole. It was as a Flemish picture of abundance, when one gets sight of the provender, for an epicure, as each receptacle is opened, for an inquisitive woman. Here lay blonde chickens, with legs of pure white veal, and ruddy tenderloins, [illegible] of mutton, all garnished with their lace-work of fat. In this one there is fish; and green, blue-fish, and redsnapper, with vermiculated makerel, and cardinal-colored lobsters,—for they are boiled—with lordly striped bass, complete the ichthyological tableau. And here is the bread batch—all apart in another room—far piled up to the ceiling stand on layers the brown-crusted loaves and the white crisp rolls. Then there is fragrance again; for the inquisitive woman is led by her nose to where the pastry cooks—there are six of them—are compounding their cakes. Could a whole generation of pie-eaters ever get through these innumerable rounds of pumpkin, apple, mince, and custard pies? There is a great seething and tumultuousness about that huge iron drum, and the steam bursts forth now and then as if from a Hecla. But it is not mud which comes to the surface. There tumbles up in the most jolly and inviting way, done up in a linen cloth, vast quantities of dumplings! How they bob up and down in the scalding fluid! How much indigestion is there? I repress the thought, amazed at the man who patiently turns the handle of something which looks like a churn. "What might that be?" I asked. "Hard sauce," is the reply. "Fifty pounds of the best fresh butter, about the same of sugar, and a pound of nutmegs, with four quarts of lemon juice; it takes three hours hard working; the boss do say he is going to run her by machinery, and I wish he would," and the hard sauce compounder wipes his forehead. Just beyond, at a separate table, a Frenchman was making eclairs. The crust had been already turned out, and from a huge bowl, with a brush, he was giving his eclairs a glaze of chocolate. To the main kitchen the visitor returned, attracted by a new odor. Here was the roasting going on. Six, eight, ten separate ribs of beef were slowly turning, with five haunches of mutton, but mutton and beef were not commingled; they were ten feet apart. "Never would do, ma'am," said the roaster; "them two things—beef and mutton—has to be kept apart—the odors of one is agin the other. And taking a winch from a nail, he wound up a jack which was four feet high. Then, the whole machinery, which had been going round in a slow, majestic way quickened its pace. "It's the touchoff at the end that does the business." Then this really great roaster took a basting-spoon that would hold a quart, and slowly trickled the gravy over the revolving beef.

"Billy, show madam the fish-bilers." Billy took off a cover neatly balanced by a chain pulley and weight, and showed in a huge copper kettle, divided into various compartments, the salmon and striped bass which were boiling. Steam pipes gave the necessary heat. During the short interval the visitor had spent in examining the other portions of the kitchen, the scene in this particular locality had changed. Now there was a row of voices, a din of feet, and great odors of cooking meat. Beefsteaks were spluttering; flares of fire from gushing fat waffled up along a vista of broilers; waiters came rushing in with bowls; plates clattered, and spoons were beaten, tattoo-like, on the china. People were so busy roasting, broiling, stewing, that it was no time to ask questions. Where was this? Where was it all happening? Why, in the largest luncheon and dinner restaurant in the great metropolis of New York.—*New York Times.*

Visiting Schools.

Mr. A. Bayliss, who conducts the educational department of the *Sterling* (Ill.) *Gazette*, has the following on this subject:

"The writer occasionally meets a teacher who is frank enough to say that he regards "visitors" as a nuisance to a well-regulated school. This feeling is doubtless cherished by more teachers than care to acknowledge it. It arises from the fact that what seems to be the established form of visiting is necessarily more or less an interruption. Most people desiring to see a school knock at the door before entering, wait to be received, seated, and expect to take a formal leave at the end of their visit. Some expect more or less attention from the teacher in other ways during their stay. Certainly no one person can be made responsible for this evidently wrong way of doing a right thing. It is the custom, and while it remains so a great many of the best friends of the schools will never see them, and a great many of the very best teachers will be glad of it. But suppose it to be understood that visitors were requested to visit the school to suit their own convenience; to enter the room without knocking; to occupy any vacant seat; to retire at any time, to report to the superintendent any discourtesy shown them; and suppose it to be understood that the teacher was expected to go on with the work exactly as though no one had entered or left the room, how long would it be before the teachers, at least, would be reconciled to this kind of an interruption? This is certainly the rational, if not the fashionable way, and no teacher is justifiable in soliciting visits to his school on any other plan."

A Perpetual Skating Pond.

There is a lake on the Saw Tooth Mountains that has probably no equal in the United States. It is about sixty or sixty-five miles from Bonanza, and at an altitude of nearly twelve thousand feet. The lake lies in a basin among the sharp crags of the sudsy Saw Tooth, and is a sheet of perpetual ice. It was discovered only a few years since by a party of prospectors, and named the Ice Lake. The sun seemed to have no effect upon it except in places adjoining the shore. It is simply a great bowl in the hard mountain rock, brimful of solid ice, upon which the rays of the sun descend with no power to penetrate.

An exchange says the weekly newspaper costs less each week than a glass of beer, yet there are men who can't lay drink three to ten glasses that are too poor to take a paper.

The Sexton Writes Us.

Fountaintown, Shelby Co., Ind.

Mr. A. Kiefer—Sir: For some years past I have been afflicted with Liver Complaint. I have had several physicians treating my case, but they all failed to reach the seat of disease. During the past year I got much worse, and became so weak and feeble as to be unable to do any work. I had a great deal of headache, and at times became so dizzy that I had to lay down. About six weeks ago I commenced using your Taraxine, and after taking the third dose I felt that dizziness and headache were leaving me. I continued the use of it till I had taken three bottles, and I am now as well man, and am able to do a day's work on the farm. Yours truly etc.,

David Sexton.

For sale by all druggists. Taraxine Memorandum Books free.

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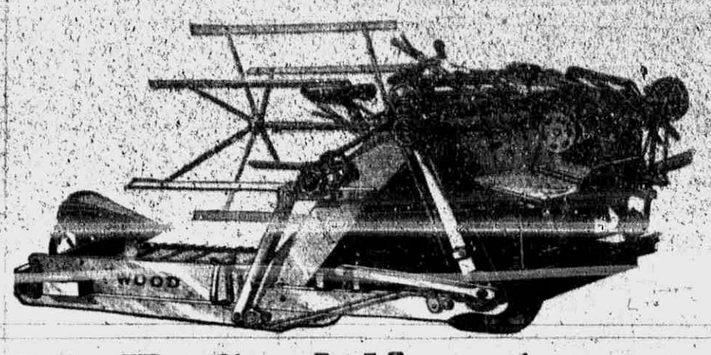

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The Home Atmosphere.

The atmosphere of the household—which either converts to Christ or perverts to fashion, folly and impiety—is commonly created by the parents. They are responsible for it. If the whole trend of household talk and thought and ambition runs toward money-making, or social conviviality, or general godliness of any kind, it is the father and mother who give the pattern. Nowhere is it so difficult to make the best preaching or the best Sunday-school teaching effective on character as in the malarious air of such a home. As soon expect to see oranges in England or grow sugar-cane in Labrador as to rear plants of grace in so godless an atmosphere. The parental influence penetrates through the house with as subtile poison as escaping gas from an ill-built tenement. As Dr. Bushnell has pithily said, in his incomparable book on "Christian Nurture": "Whatever fire the parents kindle, the children are found gathering the wood. They help as either apprentices or accessories." If the father begins the Sabbath with some secular Sunday newspaper, the family will help him [illegible] God's house, the children will hardly care to go at all. "If the mother is a scandalmonger, she will make her children tattlers and eavesdroppers. If she directs her servants to say at the door that she is 'not at home,' the children will learn to be polite liars." If the father puts a decanter on his table, the boys will soon begin to practice with the fatal glass. That rich father who disinherited a son for drunkenness, and in the same will bequeathed his wine-cellar to certain heirs, gave a very palpable proof of the home atmosphere which had poisoned the poor boy. Parental provocations and ill-temper sour the very air of many households, so that the children can hardly escape being cross, snappish and irritable. How can piety breathe in such an air? How can a family be trained up in the knowledge of God's word, when the book of books is seldom opened and the spirit of its instructions is no more known than in the house of a Mussulman? Even in the families of many professors of religion I do not look for any conversions, for I know that the influence of the most faithful discourses will be destroyed by the malaria of the home. It was the atmosphere of Elkanah's and Hannah's Godly house that produced a Samuel. It was the wretched air of Eli's house which ruined Hophni and Phineas.

This subject has a wide sweep. There are sudden changes in the circumstances that affect character as powerfully as changes in climate affect bodily health. The rapid accumulation of wealth is carrying some Christians now up into a rarefied atmosphere, where it is very hard to maintain their humility, their spiritual-mindedness and self-denial. Their new associations endanger their piety; but they need not destroy it. Some Christians grow rich and grow in grace at the same time.

Some civillians go into the foul atmosphere of politics, and preserve their Christian purity. Good men ought to go into political stations and make themselves felt in all our civil affairs. They ought to purify unclean atmospheres. Daniel was Prime Minister in idolatrous and voluptuous Babylon. Prayer was his protector. So may a pure child go into the heated atmosphere of trade, or the highly rarefied air of wealth, or the sin-polluted air of city life, or anywhere else, safely, if he only carry Christ in his heart and keep the honor of Christ ever before his eyes. Jesus does not mean to take his disciples out of the world; but he is able to keep them from the world's contamination.—*New York Independent.*

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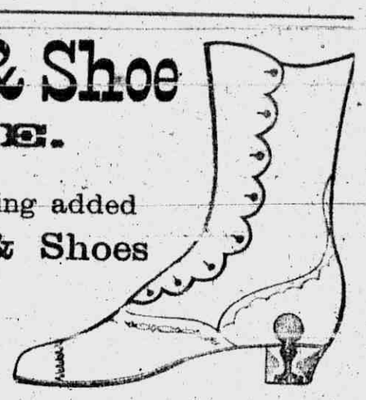

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 19, 1883.

It seems as though this weather ought to thaw out the Michigan Legislature.

The present indications are that the star route trial will end sometime before next Christmas.

The emigration from Ireland to this country is likely to be heavier than ever before this season.

The young man who stole a chunk of dynamite and put it in his pocket to experiment with, got a lift he had not counted on.

Johnny Bull has stirred up a hornets nest. His activity in hunting down the Irish reminds one of a man who has turned over a bee hive and can't run away.

Wm. E. Chandler is visiting his old stamping ground down in Florida. An exchange observes that he probably went down there to see that there was a fair count of the President's catch of fish.

Prof. Maclean, upon his return to Ann Arbor, at the close of his libel suit, was accorded an ovation such as probably no resident of Ann Arbor ever received before. Speeches of congratulation were made by Prof Frothingham and others.

President Arthur went to Florida on a fishing excursion. Well, what harm is there in a President fishing if he does not fish on Sunday. And the telegraph informs us that the President observed the Sabbath by going to church and remaining in his room.

The Detroit Free Press appeared last Tuesday in a new spring suit, purchased at the type foundry of Farmer, Little & Co. We receive no paper at our sanctum which better deserves a new spring suit. The Free Press is an honor to the state and a credit to western journalism. May its shadow never grow less.

What ails the politicians? Noty of them want to be a candidate for the Presidency. Like Cæsar, they are all refusing the crown. Senator Edmunds declines, Gen. Butler declines, Tilden has retired from politics, Conkling won't have it. David Davis has got married, and President Arthur has gone a fishing.

A monster meteor fell in Texas on the 14th inst. It was embedded in the earth probably one hundred feet, towers above the ground about seventy feet, and will cover an acre of ground. The shock resembled that of an earthquake. Several head of cattle were killed and the dwelling house of a Mexican herdsman with his entire family was buried in the ruins.

The New York Herald says that the prospect of the utter defeat and overthrow of the Republican party in the near future is not regretted by thoughtful men who have generally acted with it, and that there is a widespread feeling that a complete change in national affairs would be beneficial. The conviction is taking deep root, from the history and experience of the tariff and tax legislation extending over two years, of the total incapacity of the party to deal with such business questions in a fair and impartial manner.

The Quincy Herald in speaking of the Dakota craze which has struck some portions of Michigan says: "To leave Michigan and seek Dakota as a home, is to the man of moderate means far from a positive proof of wisdom. The "boom" is now in its glory. A very few years and the bubble will burst, scattering showers of disaster over a large population.—Michigan as a timber, mineral and agricultural state affords opportunities and advantages that no western state possess. Dakota is simply a wheat growing state. Corn cannot be raised there to any advantage, consequently stock raising will prove unprofitable, even if stock could endure the severe winter. In short, there is nothing, in fact, in the depicted beauties of Dakota, save that the Northern Pacific railroad crosses it from east to west and speculators have land to sell. If our people of southern Michigan have a moving disposition, let them look at the northern part of their own state before exhausting their means in following the Dakota "craze."

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, April 16th, 1883.

A physician who has a large clientage in the upper classes tells me that the opium habit is growing frightfully among the women of the so-called best society! [illegible] and the habit was confined more to the *bohemiennes*, who picked it up thro their associations with foreigners, but now it has spread [illegible] an alarming extent as, almost to frighten one when considering the future of American womanhood. I can name you a score of women, or rather ladies, prominent in society, the church and charitable work, who are slaves to this pernicious habit. I was recently called to a villainous looking den down town where a woman lay dying, ostensibly from the effects of the drug. She had regained consciousness enough to have the people send for her family physician. Beside her on the divan lay a young unmarried lady, more expert at the pipe than her married friend, my patient. She was unconscious, sleeping off her opium drunk. It is a terrible habit and if the police were only willing they could easily stop it by removing the facilities of indulging in it. It is an open secret that they levy tribute on all drinking places which keep open on Sunday, and on all low resorts, but to allow those places to remain open simply that they may increase their shameful gains is villany.

Speaking of the police, reminds me of the fact that they are now enacting a grand farce by making a so-called effort to close the gambling houses. The joke culminated in the statement of the different police captains that it was impossible to make away with them. These worthy officials have been at work now for three weeks to "obtain evidence" as they call it, and the singular unanimity with which they acknowledge themselves baffled is marvellous. The inside history of the fever to close these places is simply that they wanted to checkmate Anthony Comstock, the apostle of virtue. Don't think I mean to puff Comstock. People familiar with his work say that he is no better than the police, and that he is a humbug who is kept up by his nerve and cheek. He is on the warpath however, and all through Captain Williams. Some months ago Comstock proposed to make a raid on a certain gambling house, and called at the Twenty-ninth Precinct Station House for police aid. When he got it the gamblers had fled. He claimed that the police had given them the tip and made a charge against the sergeant in command before the Police Commissioners.

In a short time a divorce suit will come up in the courts which will give New York something to talk about, and which will cast a queer light on certain phases of metropolitan life. The man in the case is the second son of one of the wealthiest and most prominent importers of wines, and was a junior partner in his father's business in this city. About two years ago he became infatuated with a young woman who was what is euphoniously termed fast. She lived only a block away from his father's house, and his liking for her soon ripened into the most intense affection.

He quietly took her out to a fashionable church one evening and married her. After that he literally loaded her with gifts of all kinds, opened accounts at various dry goods and fancy goods establishments, and had the goods sent to Mrs. ——. Then the whole story leaked out. There were tears and a scene at home, but as the young man said that it was nothing serious he was forgiven. Not long after his elder brother who knew something of the young man's fondness for the woman met her in the street and upbraided her for leading his brother astray. Some remark nettled her and she exclaimed: "Sir, I wish you to understand that you are addressing your brother's wife."—"When were you married?" he asked, but this she would not answer.

He quietly went to the Register of Vital Statistics and there found the evidence. He told his father. There was a terrible scene. The young man was offered the choice of either getting a divorce or being discarded. He declined to do the former and was ejected from home and business. He has several times obtained positions in various commercial houses, but as soon as his father heard of it he got him ejected. For six months he has been doing nothing and living on nothing but borrowed money and the sales of his jewelry. The woman who was faithful to him is getting tired of this kind of life. His father has been hard at work for months to get her to consent to a divorce, although the young husband is more in love than ever. She is gradually coming to the old gentleman's view. As the young man will not consent to a quiet retirement she is going to make the whole matter public, and then the whole story will come out. Such are some of the skeletons in the closets of people we know.

A Manchester woman has been coughing for 19 years. Recently she fell down stairs and coughed upon a shirt button. Relief followed. She expects to be completely cured as soon as she can raise the shirt.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Trains are now running on the M. & O. road to within 16 miles of Battle Creek. If the bridge over the Michigan Central near Augusta were completed the trains would be in Battle Creek within three weeks.

Battle Creek Republican: The timbers for the Kalamazoo river bridge on the M. & O. railroad are nearly ready and will be placed in position and the bridge made ready for the iron within a day or two. Next week the bridge across the river will also be finished.

Battle Creek Republican: A side track is to be put in at the junction to connect it with the M. & O. railroad which runs close at hand. This will give it connection with all the other roads and prevent the large amount of teaming now necessary in moving the material.

The contractors on the M. & O. railroad advertise for teams at $3.50 per day to work between Battle Creek and Yorkville.

Mian Leader: A man calling himself C. A. Williams visited our village last Tuesday with orders on several merchants here, purporting to have been given by Horace Allen, a well-known farmer living near this place. The orders proved to be forgeries, or what were intended to be, for they were poor imitations of the genuine. It is generally supposed that a [illegible] show to spell his own name. [illegible] signature to these orders was "Allen." C. Gauntlett is out $5.; J. M. Ford $8.50, and A. W. Hardy $9.50. Search for the culprit was instituted Wednesday morning, but as yet he is at-large.

More logs have been banked along the Cass river, in Tuscola county, this season than in any one season for several years. There are at least 10,000,000 logs yet to run down, aside from a great quantity of cedar belonging to A. C. Young, of Caro.

It will now require a strong-minded woman to pass a millinery shop without pausing long enough to look over the spring styles.

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I can say that the watch is all that the company claims for it and recommend it to all railroad and mill men.

B. W. BENTLEY.

CLINTON, Iowa, April 29, 1881.

"I wish you would send me a spring for the Wm. Ellery Watch * * * By the way this Ellery is a watch I sold in your Screw Bezel Case to a farmer last fall. The first of January he lost the watch in the woods, and found it this week in about one foot of water. It had lain three months and over in snow and water, with but slight injury to the watch—only a hair-spring.

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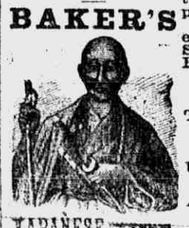

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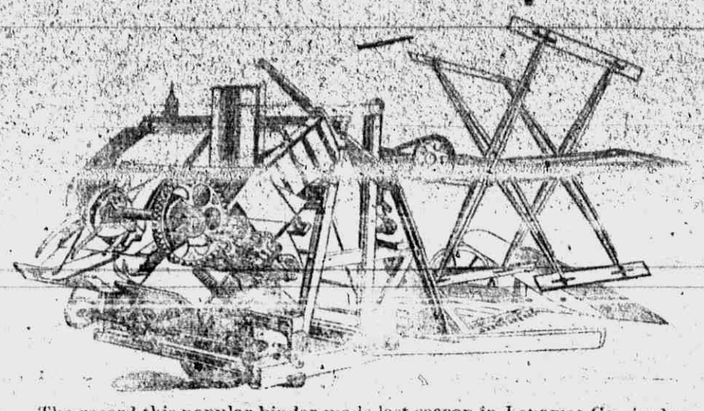

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The machine has all the valuable points that any other has and many very vital points that no other machine has. Last season we sold 32 of these machines to some of the best farmers in this vicinity and we have a good testimonial from every one of them, besides others that own other binders that have seen the superior working of the Minneapolis acknowledge its superiority over all others. No other Binders ever sold in Lenawee Co. can produce such a record.

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Shop opposite Hayden's warehouse.

Rev. R. S. Pardington being about to remove to Hartford, Conn., will sell at auction on Saturday next at 1 o'clock P. M., at the M. E. parsonage, his entire household furniture, horse, phaeton, &c.

Since giving his course of entertainments in the Opera House, last Fall, L. F. Wheeler has improved his lighting apparatus by the addition of a pair of high pressure gas cylinders, increasing the brilliancy of the pictures 50 per cent.

It is amazing what an amount of filth accumulates during a winter. The past winter there has been no thaw, and the whole season's accumulation is now being piled up and drawn from the streets. The amount exceeds all calculation.

There will be a stockholders' meeting of the Library Association at Heesen's Hall next Thursday evening, April 26th, at 7.30 P. M. A full attendance of the members is desired as an organization will be completed, officers elected, etc., at that time.

If the state law were enforced which declares that no one shall "swear, curse or profanely damn" on the streets or in any place of public resort, it would require a jail big enough to cover a ten-acre lot to hold the violators. If there is anything which will lower a man in the estimation of respectable people it is an outburst of vulgarity and profanity. The young man who flatters himself that it is smart is woefully mistaken. It is an evidence of ill breeding and want of self respect.

The Brearley White Mountain excursions which have given so many persons a chance to see the beautiful scenery of eastern America every summer for the past seven years offers this year a "side trip" to Europe. Two years ago Mr. Brearley, the able and gentlemanly manager of these excursions, offered free tickets on these trips to 100 Michigan editors, last year the Ohio editors received the benefit of this generous offer, and this year Indiana editors are invited to get their dusters and Panamas in readiness for a similar pleasure. Every one who has been on these excursions speaks highly of the pleasure of the trip and the excellant manner in which the excursions are managed.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 19, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The song of the plowman is heard in the land.

Decoration Day will be duly observed at Hudson.

"Around the World," at the Opera House to-morrow evening.

Jim Cole had ripe strawberries at his market on Saturday last.

Ex-Gov. Greenly is confined to his house in Adrian with illness.

The prohibition vote of the state at the late election was about 15,000.

Theme at the Baptist church Sunday evening, "The Name, Christian."

The wind and the weather have put the roads again in a fair condition.

Many farmers in this vicinity are this week plowing their ground for oats.

Some of the new spring bonnets for ladies are too utterly utter for anything.

Chas. Humphrey Esq., of Adrian, was in town last Friday and gave the HERALD a call.

It is quite likely that Scripps will appeal the Maclean libel suit to the Supreme Court.

The air is now freighted with the odor of burning rubbish from the lawn and door yard.

Spring awnings are beginning to be elevated, and look quite genial as a reminder of summer.

Rev. Mr. Shepard preaches next Sunday, morning and evening, at the Universalist Church, Moreville.

Rev. Dr. Geo. B. McElroy, of Adrian college, has been invited to the presidency of La Harpe, Illinois, seminary.

Slayton & Son have broken ground for the erection of a brick block 70x40 feet, adjoining their warehouse on Railroad st.

Large Baptist S. S. convention at Adrian next week, commencing Thursday evening, and continuing over Friday.

By a vote of the Hillsdale city council, liquor dealers will be required to give $6,000 bonds for the sale of liquor the coming year.

Toledo is already beginning preparations for a big Fourth of July celebration, and has invited our military company to be present.

Dr. Peters, of Blissfield tackled last Friday's storm and came to Tecumseh. He speaks in glowing terms of his success in Blissfield.

Wm. C. Heck is building a barn upon the premises lately purchased by him on Chicago street, and otherwise improving the property.

Wm. Hayden and wife have arrived safely at Denver on their western trip. We acknowledge the receipt of late Denver papers from Mr. Hayden.

W. H. Hendershot, of Leslie, Mich., gave us a call last Saturday. Will says he likes his new home, and invites his friends to come up and see him.

Mrs. Spaulding left at our office yesterday a potted strawberry plant of the Wilson Albany variety containing several ripe berries. It was taken from her hot house.

The Hillsdale common council decided that they had power to elect a mayor, vice Waldron declined, and at a meeting on the 12th elected Hon. H. Rowlson to that office.

John R. Clark delivers this week to the newsboys and boot blacks of Chicago his lecture on "Street Life in London." He is on his way to Peoria, Ill., for a week's campaign.

Read our real estate notices on the eighth page. Some good bargains can be found there. People desiring to buy real estate should call at the HERALD office and examine our list.

It is a well known fact that the great majority of the successful business men of our cities and towns were brought up in the country, but they did not go from the crowd that work one day and loaf two.

A bill has passed the legislature and been approved by the Governor, providing that a man may prove his will during his lifetime on giving notice to his heirs-at-law, and that it shall thereafter be unassailable.

Every effort should be made to assist the street commissioner to clean up the streets, alleys, etc., before warm weather comes. Unless there is a general cleaning up, serious sickness and epidemics are likely to occur.

Ann Arbor Argus: One of the handsomest and best dressed young ladies in the county applied to the probate court for the appointment of a guardian and was obliged to make her mark, not being able to write her name.

Leland Stanford, the California millionaire, once kept a small store in that state, where he retailed picks, pans, shovels, provisions and clothing to the miners. He has recently left his million dollar residence in San Francisco because of its gloomy extent and lonesomeness, and has gone to reside in New York.

Wheat is looking well in this vicinity.

There are at present 109 girls in the Reform School at Adrian.

There is talk of establishing a creamery near Lenawee Junction.

Frank Packard arrived home from Cherokee, Iowa, last Saturday.

Fred Zimmerman, of Owosso, is visiting at his old Tecumseh home.

Wedding bells and orange blossoms this evening. We'll take an A6.

Eli Gray returned from Ireland last evening looking hale and hearty.

The M. & O. road is completed to within seven miles of Battle Creek to-day.

Frank Crossman returned home from South Bend, Ind., last Monday on a short visit.

[illegible] opened the spring campaign on gasoline stoves. Full particulars next week.

The foundation walls for L. I. Bidwell's new residence are now laid and the carpenters will soon commence work.

Allen & Redfield are to commence the publication of a paper in Adrian to be known as the Adrian Sunday Herald.

Sew the buttons on well before attending the "Around the World" entertainment at the Opera House to-morrow evening.

Geo. Powell, whose horse transactions we noticed last week, on Monday received a sentence of 14 months in the prison at Ionia.

A. R. Cotton, the live merchant has hit on a new plan of having special sales on certain days. To-morrow will be embroidery day.

Tecumseh has only two meat markets, yet they have no trouble in supplying all the meat our citizens can afford to buy at the present high prices.

D. P. Anthony & Co. intend to crowd the sale of the Minneapolis Binder this season, and they have a preliminary talk with their customers in this week's paper.

Gainsley & Co. give their customers a spring greeting through the columns of the HERALD this week. This enterprising firm are preparing for an unusually heavy spring trade.

E. H. Barrows, the traveling artist, has arrived in town with his car and is located opposite the opera house. He would be pleased to see all his old friends and as many others as see fit to call.

A large number of Tecumseh people attended the Emma Abbott entertainment at Adrian last Tuesday evening. It was generally conceded to have been the finest concert ever given in Adrian.

Strong & McNair are exhibiting as elegant a line of goods in their merchant tailoring department as can be shown in many of the larger cities at prices surprisingly low. Now is the time to have a summer suit made.

John H. Osborn has painted over his dwelling house on Chicago street, removed the old door yard fence, taken out some half dead cherry trees, and now boasts of one of the handsomest corners west of Union street.

We have received a copy of the catalogue of the University for the current year. The institution now has 1440 students, divided as follows:—Literary, 524; Medicine and Surgery, 369; Law, 333; Pharmacy, 87; Homoeopathic College, 58; Dental College, 69.

We have received a copy of "Signal Service Notes No. 1", issued by Gen. Hazen, chief signal officer of the U. S. army. It contains a report on the Michigan forest fires of 1881, giving a map of the burned district, and many valuable statistics in regard to the origin of the fires and the loses occasioned thereby.

The people down in Raisin are complaining about the stuff that is thrown in the river near Tecumseh, such as dead hogs, refuse from slaughter houses, old truck from grocery stores, &c. This garbage floats down the river and lodges along the banks, making not a very nice state of affairs for people who live along the river. Something should be done to put a stop to it.

E. G. Cook's residence was burglarized Tuesday night, and a gold watch and $4.00 in money were taken. Mr. Cook had received a large amount of money that day and some one probably anticipated a haul. But Cook is too good a business man to carry his money in his boot legs or stow it away in an old stocking in the bureau drawer. His money was in the bank.

Francis Voorhees, of Adrian, who died at his home in Adrian on Tuesday last, was 72 years old. He came to Michigan in 1837, locating first in Clinton, where he began the hat business, and he is thought to have been the first silk hat manufacturer in the state. In 1843 he removed to Adrian, where he has since lived. He was frequently an alderman, and at one time justice of the peace. During all his years in Michigan he was prominently identified with the M. E. church. He was the father of Dr. George V. Voorhees, of Coldwater, and Ellis D. Voorhees, a business man of Ionia.

The Free Press is authority for the statement that the Maclean-Scripps libel suit cost the defense $6,000.

The United States express Co. recently forwarded from Rochester N. Y., without charge, a donation of Hiram Sibley & Co. of 30,000 packages of selected garden seeds to the sufferers by the tornado, at Grinnell, Iowa.

We acknowledge gratefully the receipt from Geo. W. Yost, Life Insurance Co., a 20x30 inch engraving, the "Origin of the Stars and Stripes," depicting interesting facts concerning the genealogy of George Washington. The historical interest clustering around this picture makes it a valuable adornment in any home.

Dr. O. Q. Jones has moved into one of J. R. Hall's houses on Oneida st., second block south of Chicago st., where people wishing to test on his residence will find him. Dr. Jones occupies the second house from the corner of Oneida and Pottawatamie streets.

Sunday shooting and fishing within the corporation limits have become so much of a nuisance that the Common Council have instructed the Marshall to enforce the law. Transgressors are respectfully referred to his official notice in another column. This action is a move in the right direction.

Mr. McIntosh, the assistant secretary of the N. R. & A. A. showed us a curiosity the other day. It was a postal card on which were written 5512 words. The writing was done by him with a small steel pen, and the words can be read by a person of perfect eyesight with the naked eye.

There will be a meeting of the old soldiers at the Opera House, Friday evening, April 27, to organize a Post of the Grand Army of the Republic. All old soldiers are respectfully invited to be present at that time.

H. W. STEVENS,
A. D. LAWRENCE, Committee.
J. DAVIDSON,

A Sabbath School Conference will be held by the Friends at the Raisin meeting house on the 29th inst. The following program will be presented:

Reading minutes of preceding meeting.
Penny collections.
Discussion opened by H. H. Townsend.
Essay—"George Fox"—Celia Jones.
Singing.
How to study the Bible.
Discussion opened by Jane C. Satterthwaite.
Recitation—Clara Haviland.
Question Box.
Closing hymn.

The Dakota fever has grown to mammoth dimensions all over the State of Michigan, and right here we are not exempt from emigrants, who are looking toward the West. Even in southern Michigan, where there are as fine farms as anywhere in the world, men are giving them up and starting West. A good farm in southern or northern Michigan is good enough, if the people would but realize it. There will be lots of sick, poor people walking back from Dakota in the course of a couple of years.

Hillsdale Standard: "Colonel," the old army horse owned by the soldiers association of Hillsdale county and cared for by Wm. A. Petrie of Cambria, was in the city Wednesday, looking hale and hearty, coming through the winter in good order, appearing many years younger than last fall. The old fellow is the pride of every soldier in the county, as well as those who give him kind care, as is evidenced by his coltish pranks during the past winter and spring. His age being nearly thirty years, he bids fair to stay with his comrades many years more.

L. C. Miller, of Howell, was in town three or four days last week on business. He returned about the first of the month from Dakota where he invested in a tract of land containing a large marble quarry. He and a business partner purchased about five hundred acres of land. (The statement in last week's HERALD being somewhat incorrect.) Mr. Miller was feeling quite elated over his purchase as he feels very sanguine that he has "struck it rich." We congratulate him upon his good fortune, and hope that his expectations may be fully realized.

A MINISTERIAL PROMOTION.

Rev. R. S. Pardington has been transferred to the East New York Conference, and assigned to the first M. E. church of Hartford, Conn. Bro. Pardington has labored in the Detroit Conference just twenty-five years, and this is the third year of his connection with the Tecumseh church. It is no disparagement to his predecessors in the Methodist church in this village to say that in pastoral fidelity, pulpit ability and general adaptedness to his sacred calling, he surpasses them all. His success in Tecumseh has been marked and enduring. We regret exceedingly to lose him as a resident, but at the same time heartily congratulate him upon his deserved promotion. We can commend him to the Hartford church as a minister eminently qualified to acceptably fill any position to which the church authorities may assign him. He will hold his farewell services in the church here next Sunday, and will take his departure early next week to his new field of labor.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Hudson has 48 pathmasters.

The county jail has been repainted.

Next examination of teachers will be in Morenci, April 21.

More men and teams are wanted on the line of the M. & O. railroad.

E. M. Wilson's creamery is opening up for a big business this season.

Wheeler's Rambles failed to draw a paying house at Clinton last week.

Fred Sherwood has been appointed marshal of Clinton for the coming year.

The wheelbarrow works at Hudson shipped 600 wheelbarrows to Lansing last week.

Blissfield like Tecumseh polled exactly 40 prohibition votes at the late election.

The South Eastern Michigan Beekeepers' Association met at Adrian yesterday.

Adrian brick and tile machine company are looking for a new site on which to rebuild their works.

W. F. Hood & Co., of Deerfield, who were burned out recently, are again in the field with a fresh stock.

Joe Grandy lately returned to Fairfield and made a present of the measles to twenty-two of his friends.

It is reported that the farmers of Medina are paying their hands from $18 to $25 per month this season.

The township of Clinton offers a bounty of ten cents per head for woodchucks killed in said township.

Jacob Rorick of Seneca, last year received for the milk of six cows $431.30 in cash, beside what his family used.

Mrs. Garrett F. Harris, of Woodstock, aged 63 years, has just completed a rug which contains 8760 different pieces.

One hundred and forty cars loads of freight have been shipped by W. H. Higby from Ogden station during the past six months.

Mrs. Powell, of Seneca, now 103 yrs. of age, is in quite feeble health, and fears are entertained that she may yet pass away of old age.

The annual election of officers of the Clinton Woolen Manufacturing Co. took place last week and resulted in the re-election of the old board.

Adrian Press: James Moir was on all three of the tickets for the office of constable in Tecumseh. That's Moir endorsement than usually falls to a constable.

There is not a well defined temperance society in the town of Fairfield, and the town has gone Democratic.—Something out to be done immediately about it.

W. A. Whitney, formerly of the Adrian Press, but lately of Detroit, has again located at Adrian being installed as principal clerk at the Lawrence house, in place of his son Dwight who goes to Detroit.

Hudson Gazette: The committee of the Agricultural society are greatly inclined to hold the next county fair at either Tecumseh or Morenci; but have resolved to give Adrian another chance to bid for the show.

Mrs. Minnie Munster, of Riga, was arrested for assault and battery on the 5th inst., upon the person of her mother-in-law. Before Justice McCann she pleaded guilty and was fined $10 and costs, which she paid.

Adrian Record: Fourteen Morenci girls attended the teachers' examination at Adrian, and only three got certificates. The eleven "foolish virgins," are now talking of sewing the inspectors up in a sheet, and whipping them to death.

A bill to amend sections six and seven of Act No. 279, session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Blissfield, Lenawee county, Michigan," was passed by the Senate last week. The bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Hudson Gazette: "We hear a report that Clayton people are moving for a new town, to comprise the east half of Hudson and two miles off of Dover. That would give the new town a central village, Clayton, *a la* the new towns of Clinton and Deerfield. It is a question for the board of supervisors.

Hudson Post: A twelve-year-old boy in Wheatland was taken violently ill with the stomach-ache one day last week. Remedies were at once applied, and when the patient was partially relieved he was asked what the cause of the difficulty was. He said he had been trying to eat enough to make himself pussy, so that when he grew up to be a man he might be township treasurer like Uncle Jim Dillon.

Clinton News: Clarence Smith, a nephew of A. G. Burton of this place, was killed in Chicago by an engine last Monday. He was fireman on an engine belonging to the Michigan Central railroad at work in the yard at Chicago and left his engine a moment and went into a passenger car to get a drink of water. On stepping from the car he was struck by a passing engine which he did not see, and both legs were cut off. He lived but a short time.

The Cleveland Plaindealer says of the John Thompson entertainment which is to be given at the Opera House to-morrow evening the following: "The doctors say a hearty laugh is more desirable for mental health than any exercise of the reasoning faculties, and if a joyous smile adds an hour to one's life, a heartfelt laugh should add a day. To witness John Thompson, the comedian, in his fabulous moreau, entitled "Around the World," caught, surely to prolong one's life a year. His wit, humor and comicalities have the same effect upon a melancholy person that fire has in a damp house, dispersing chills and drying molds and making all hospitable and cheerful. We don't remember of seeing a comedian of the Thompson type, so grotesque, so ridiculous, and yet so finished. In "Around the World" there is no murder, robbery, abduction, villians or villainy; no love making or sickly emotional scenes—it is pure, wholesome, unadulterated fun; it is just the kind of an entertainment a man can take his family to and enjoy."

The next meeting of the Lenawee Co. Teachers' Association will be held at Adrian on Saturday, April 28th, inst. The program will be announced at an early day. An interesting session is anticipated. All the live teachers in the county are earnestly requested to be present.

Frank Darling has been in Woodstock and Cambridge two days this week, and while there he took a large number of additional shares in our Fair Association.

There is no use of tramping now—plenty of work for every one.

—Adams' Novelty Store, Hewitt's Block, Tecumseh, Mich., is headquarters for Pictures and Frames. Frames made to order very cheap and a large stock to select from. Genuine Oil Paintings, 24x36 inches, heavy 4 inch gilt frame, only $3.50. Large Chromos, walnut frame, only $1.00 and $1.25.—Bargains on our 5c. and 10c. counters for every one. Tin Ware, Crockery and Glass Ware cheap. Call and see the Bargains.

Adams' Novelty Store
Tecumseh, Mich.

—Wall Paper at cost at Kiel's, and Hough & Trann are selling at living prices.

—A. W. Slayton is agent for the Racine School Furniture Co., the manufacturers of the perforated school desks. School directors needing anything in this line will do well to see these desks, a sample of which he keeps at his furniture store.

—Points and repairs for the Gale Syracuse, Dodge, Bryan and South Bend Plows, at Snedicor's.

—Coates' thread, four cents at Cotton's.

—Farmers should examine the McCormick Harvester and Binder for 1883 before placing their order.
E. V. DePuy, Agent.
Also the Michigan Manufacturing Co.'s Platform Wagons and Buggies.

—Wheat! Wheat!! Slayton & Son want to buy your good red wheat at the top price. Call on them.

—Keystone horse corn planter at Snedicor's.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 21. Accom.
Jackson	6 00 A. M.	2 40 P. M.	1 20 P. M.
Napoleon	7 19 "	3 05 "	2 21 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	2 36 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 40 "	3 40 "	3 00 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	3 30 "
Adrian	8 20 "	4 30 "	5 35 "
Deseth	9 20 "	5 10 "	
Toledo	9 50 "	5 40 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 18. Accom.
Detroit	6 40 A. M.	5 00 P. M.	
Toledo	10 25 "	9 05 "	
Adrian	11 10 "	10 00 "	10 15 A. M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P. M.	9 35 "	8 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 05 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
Napoleon	1 05 "	10 55 "	9 25 "
Jackson	1 50 "	11 20 "	10 20 "

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GOING NORTH

No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Mail.	STATIONS.	No. 6 Accom.	No. 8 Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
6 10	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	8 35	5 10
6 18	8 40	" Manhattan "	8 32	5 03
6 25	8 47	" Alexis "	8 27	5 23
7 05	9 29	" Monroe Jct. "	8 11	4 51
7 36	9 46	" Dundee "	8 32	4 12
7 46	9 56	" Ocalia "	8 20	4 27
7 49	9 58	" Milan "	8 17	4 10
7 59	10 19	" Petersburg "	7 53	3 37
8 07	10 25	" Pittsfield "	7 42	"
8 20	10 35	" Ann Arbor "	7 27	"
P. M.				A. M.
6 20	12 32	" Jackson "	7 00	9 50
A. M.				
7 25	2 35	" Battle Creek "	5 10	7 38
8 25	3 36	" Kalamazoo "	3 50	6 10
			P. M.	
1 20		" Grand Rapids "	12 35	1 20
			A. M.	P. M.
10 35		Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.		9 35
			P. M.	
11 00		Ar. South Lyon Lv.		8
P. M.				
12 02		" Howell "		7 18
1 20		" Fenton "		6 00
				A. M.
1 40		" Holly "		11 45
2 01		" Birmingham "		9 10
2 30		" Detroit Ar.		8 30
3 15		" Detroit Lv.		7 45
A. M.				
4 15		" Windsor "		6 25
				P. M.
7 00		" Buffalo Ar.		1 05
				P. M.
7 40		" New York "		9 00

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DETROIT & BUTLER DIVISION.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom.	Accom.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	7 00	3 00	5 15	10 00
Hand	7 20	3 20	5 40	10 30
Romeo	8 11	4 10	6 32	11 25
Bellevue	8 37	4 36	6 57	12 23
Willis	8 49	4 48	7 12	12 37
Whittaker	8 57	4 56	7 20	12 45
Milan	9 20	5 20	7 50	1 10
Cone	9 27	5 27	8 00	1 20
Britton	9 37	5 37	8 10	1 35
Holloway	9 47	5 47	8 20	1 50
Adrian	9 02	5 11	7 21	12 55
Sand Creek	9 16	5 25	7 36	1 30
North Moscow	9 22	5 31	7 47	1 45
North Fayette	9 35	5 40	7 57	2 15
Alvordton	9 40	5 45	8 05	2 30
Montpelier	10 21	6 25	8 50	4 25
Blakesley	10 30	6 35	9 05	5 00
BUTLER	11 00	7 05	9 30	5 40
	A.M.	A.M	P.M	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS	Exp's.	Mail.	Accom.	Accom.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	8 22	2 18	7 30	5 00
Blakesley	8 34	2 31	7 51	5 51
Montpelier	9 11	3 25	8 08	6 45
Alvordton	9 30	3 47	8 30	8 00
North Fayette	9 45	3 59	8 46	8 45
North Moscow	9 55	4 08	9 00	9 32
Sand Creek	10 05	4 20	9 16	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 35	9 32	12 25
Holloway	10 35	4 55	9 46	12 55
Britton	10 45	5 15	9 56	1 00
Cone	10 54	5 29	9 58	1 25
Milan	11 00	5 35	10 03	2 00
Whittaker	11 17	5 50	8 30	2 20
Willis	11 25	6 07	8 45	2 45
Bellevue	11 38	6 20	8 57	3 15
Romeo	11 56	7 05	9 45	3 40
Hand	12 39	7 49	9 25	4 25
DETROIT	12 55	7 50	10 00	5 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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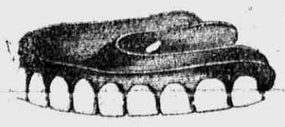

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Dear Doctors—The three bottles of Dr. Rush's Regulator I ordered were received by express last week. I have taken nearly one bottle, and am highly satisfied with the result. For over two years I have been troubled with sharp pain at my left side, which, upon examination, proved to be an enlargement of the heart, and was unable to give me any relief. The trouble grew worse, and I became convinced that I could not live. While in New York City, last week, I called on one of the most prominent physicians there, who charged me $25 for an examination and then recommended your "Regulator." Knowing you to be a regular Medical Association, and not a patent medicine scheme, I ordered the three bottles. I have not been troubled since I commenced taking it, but shall continue and take the entire three bottles so as to obtain a permanent cure. You have my sincere thanks. I am, gentlemen,

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Rheumatism.

Common rheumatism is a disease which affects the joints, the hinges of the body, in such a way that the slightest motion of the ailing part gives pain. A creaking hinge is dry and turns hard. A single drop of oil to moisten it makes a wonderful change, and it instantly moves on itself with the utmost ease. All kinds of rheumatism are an inflammation of the surface of the joints. Inflammation is heat; this heat dries their surfaces; hence the very slightest effort at motion gives piercing pain. In a healthy condition of the parts nature is constantly throwing out lubricating oil which keeps the joints in a perfectly smooth and easy working condition. Rheumatism is almost always caused by cold. It may be laid down as a general fact that it is always the result of a cold dampness. A dry cold or warm dampness does not induce rheumatism.

A garment, wetted by perspiration or rain, or water in any form, about the joints and allowed to dry while the person is in a state of rest, is the most common way of causing rheumatism. A partially wetting is as bad if the entire clothing were wetted, because in the latter case it would be certainly and speedily exchanged for dry garments. There are two very certain methods of preventing rheumatism. The moment a garment is wetted, in whole or in part, change it or keep in motion sufficient to maintain a very slight perspiration until the clothing is perfectly dry.

The failure to wear woolen flannel next the skin is the most frequent cause of rheumatism; for a common muslin or linen or silk shirt by perspiration becomes damp and cold the instant a puff of air strikes it, even in mid-summer. This is not the case where woolen flannel is worn next the skin.

The easiest, most certain and least hurtful way of curing this troublesome affection is first, to keep the joint affected wound around with several folds of woolen flannel; live entirely on the lightest kind of food, such as coarse breads, ripe fruits, berries, boiled turnips, stewed apples and the like. If such things were taken to the extent of keeping the system freely open, and exercise was taken, so that a slight moisture should be on the skin all the time, or if in bed the same thing were accomplished by hot teas and plenty of bed-clothing, a grateful relief and an ultimate cure will very certainly result in a very short time. Without this soft and moist condition of the skin and an open state of the system, the disease will continue to torture for weeks and months and years. Inflammatory rheumatism may, for all practical purposes, be regarded as an aggravated form of a common kind, extending to all joints of the body instead of implicating only one or two. For all kinds, time, flannel and warmth, with a light and cooling diet, are the great remedies.—*Hall's Journal of Health.*

"Pure Mocha."

A DELUDED PUBLIC [illegible] OF COFFEE WILL DO NOT [illegible].

If the official reports of the coffee trade are to be trusted [illegible] probably it may not greatly interest the coffee consumer of this country has been for long time past very much [illegible]. There are a multitude of people in this part of the world who are laboring under the belief that the beverage which they drink at breakfast, and, possibly at dinner, is Mocha coffee. Their grocer tells them that the article he sells is "pure Mocha," and they have no means of knowing that he is [illegible] them, if [illegible], he has not been deceive himself. Some, with a peculiar distinctiveness, insist upon having a mixture, and want one-half or one-third of Mocha and the remainder of Java coffee—a request which the grocer seemingly complies with; that is, he takes the coffee from two separate compartments. Now, the last completed returns of the coffee production of the world are made up to the year 18[illegible] in that year the estimated growth was [illegible] 2,112,000 pounds of which Brazil produced [illegible] 107,127,300 pounds, or nearly one-half. Next came the Dutch East Indian possessions, where the crop amounted to 2[illegible] 200 pounds; while Ceylon, South America and the West Indies furnished nearly [illegible] of the rest. Arabia, it is true, appears [illegible] the list, but its total growth, the Mocha [illegible] and the rest of the country combined, was only about 1,500,000 pounds—[illegible] less than a quarter of 1 per cent. of the crop of the world.

When it is considered [illegible] extensively used in Arabia, and [illegible] within the possessions [illegible] peopled with [illegible] have no direct commerce [illegible] one may well [illegible] the current Mocha [illegible] It is highly probable [illegible] of this article are [illegible] in the course of a [illegible] would not further [illegible] inhabitants of the [illegible] know the flavor of [illegible] can not be deceived [illegible] probably not one in [illegible] tasted it.—*N. Y. [illegible]*

The Ram at Church.

Mollie had a little ram, fleece black as rubber shoe, and everywhere that Mollie went he congregated to.

He went with her to church one day—the folks in it rose to greet him as he walked testatorily into Deacon Allen's pew!

The worthy deacon quickly [illegible] his angry passions rose, and gave it an unchristian kick between the sad brown eyes.

This kind Providence in the form of the deacon's flowed fast, and raised his foot again, but didn't that ram kick warm his fleece!

For Mr. [illegible] slow back about [illegible] the sermon could [illegible] it stood him on his head.

Congregation [illegible] and went to [illegible] sheep, but several were directed [illegible] pitched them in a heap.

[illegible] rushed the straightway for the [illegible] with curses long and loud, while ram [illegible] struck the hindmost man and shothim through the crowd.

The minister had often heard that kindness would subdue the fiercest beast—"Ah!" then he said, "I'll try that game on you."

He led so he kindly, mildly called, "Come [illegible], rammy, ram; to see the folks abuse you so, I grieved and sorry am."

With kind and gentle words he came too—that tall pulpit down, saying rammy, rammy, ram; ram, rammy, rammy, rammy, ram—best sheep in the town.

The ram looked meek, and on he came, with "rammy, rammy, ram; ram, rammy, rammy, rammy, ram, the meekest ram."

The ram quite dropped its humble air, and rose from off his feet, and when the person hit he lay beneath the hindmost seat.

As he shot out the open door, and closed it with a slam, he named a California town, I think 'twas "Yuba Dam!"—*Modern Argosy.*

Tom Hughes on American Tree-Cutting.

There are few more interesting experiences than a ride through these Southern forests. The scrub is so low and thin that you can almost see away for long distances amongst pine, white oak, and chestnut trees, and every now and then at ridges where the timber is thin, or where a clump of trees has been ruthlessly "girdled," and the bare gaunt skeletons only remain standing, you may catch glimpses of mountain ranges of different shades of blue and green, stretching far away to the horizon. You can travel many days up there without getting to love the trees as friends, I think, that we do in well-kept England, and this outrage of girdling, as every yeoman knows, by stripping the bark from the lower part of the trunk, so that the trees wither and die as they stand, strikes one as a kind of household cruelty, as if a man could cut off or destroy all his wife's hair. If he wants a tree for timber or firewood, very good. He should have it. But he should cut it down like a man and take it clean away for some reasonable use, not leave it [illegible] and [illegible]. Happily, not much [illegible] of this kind has been done yet in the neighborhood of Rugby, and a stop will now be put to the wretched practice.

There is another, too, almost as ghastly, but which, no doubt, has more to be said for it. At least half the largest pines alongside of the sandy tracts which do duty for roads have a long, gaping wound in their sides, about a yard from the ground. This was the native way of collecting turpentine, which oozed down and accumulated at the bottom of the gash; but I rejoice to say it no longer pays, and the custom is in disuse. It must be suppressed altogether, but carefully and gently. It seems that if not persisted in too long, the poor, dear long-suffering trees will close up their wounds, and not be much the worse; so I trust that many of the scored pines springing forty or fifty feet in the air before throwing out a branch, which I passed in sorrow and anger on my first long ride, may yet outlive those who outraged them. Having got rid of my spleen, excited by these two diabolic customs, I can return to our ride, which had otherwise nothing but delight in it.—*London Spectator.*

From a telegram to your shoemaker—Make me another pair exactly like my last.

What is that which flies high, flies low, has no feet, cannot walk, and yet wears shoes?—Dust.

Why may a tipsy man fall into the river with impunity?—Because he won't drown as long as his head swims.

Any man who wants a partner with cash capital says there is money in the business. The trouble is to get it out.

Every maiden can have a 'feller if she has money enough to buy a sewing machine with all the modern attachments.

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A domestic named Angelica Jordan has passed over her last name and became a portion of her first name. She attempted to kindle a fire with coal oil.

Venice is the richest city in Italy—it is almost free from debt. And with all those canals, too! The Venetian aldermen and State legislators are fearfully behind the age.

"What decoration is that you are wearing?" said an Austrian sergeant to a new recruit. The man blushed deeply and responded: "It is a medal our cow won at the cattle show."

Eccentric old officer to new footman—"Now, then, Patrick call me a cab." Pat, who thinks this is a dodge to try his sincerity: "Och, no, yer honor! It's not meself that'll be calling ye names, at all!"

The other day a mild little man, with an invalid wife and seven children, won a big black bear in a raffle in Memphis. The bear was raffled off because it ate up its last owner, and the little man who made the lucky throw is just wild to know what to do with it.

She was a charming girl, and her method of explaining what she had heard at scientific meetings was irresistible. Discoursing upon the photophone, she said, lucidly, "You see by the means of a lens they condense a ray of space—" The rest of her remark was lost in the laughter of the company.

"Seventy-five cents per gal!" exclaimed Mrs. Partington, on looking over the price current. "Why, bless me, what is the world comming to, when gals are valued at seventy-five cents!" The old lady pulled off her spectacles, threw down her paper, and went into a brown study on the want of a proper appreciation of the feminine gender.

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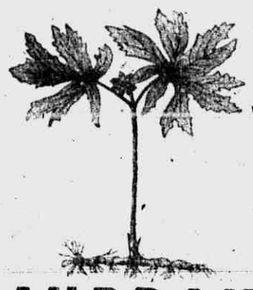

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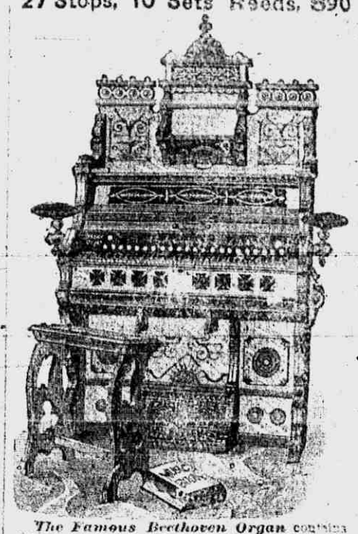

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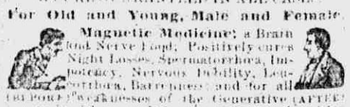

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The Old Blue Chest.

One day recently five or six women with serious faces were gathered in a room in a house on Front street east. For two years a poor old woman had lived there, not exactly a beggar nor an object of charity, but certainly in want. She had a husband when she first moved there, a poor old man whose days could not be long; but one day he was missing. He may have fallen into the river, or he may have wandered out into the country and died. This left the old woman alone, and there were days and days in which no one went near her or addressed her. When she felt the chill of death approaching she wanted some one with her. She had lived alone, but she could not die that way. She went where tender hands clasped hers and kind voices addressed her. Death had already placed its mark on her face, and the women could do nothing. While their tears fell upon her wrinkled hands she passed away in a child's sleep.

There was not little in the room beyond an old blue chest—battered and bruised and splintered, but yet holding together. It had seen strange times, that old blue chest. It had held silks and broadcloths perhaps—it had surely held rags. It had been moved from house to house and from town to town. It had listened to laughter and had heard sobs and moans. It grew old no faster than the old woman whose hands had so often lifted its lid. It had doubtless kept the company of good carpets and furniture and crockery, and laughing romping children had climbed over it or hidden in it. It had faded, and its hinges were rusty and weak, but it had outlived its owner.

The women looked about for garments in which to enshroud the dead. Nothing was in sight. One of them lifted the lid of the old blue chest, and called the other to help her drag it from the corner. It held treasure—such treasure as men could not buy nor poverty steal away. There was a dress of fine material, cut after a fashion of long ago. For twenty years the chest had been its guardian. It would have sold for a few dollars, but though the gnawings of hunger had come often and the cold had fought its way to her marrow, that poor old woman could not part with that relic of better days. It may have been a link to connect her with love and wealth. Beneath it was a relic still more priceless. Carefully wraped in a piece of paper was a silver dime more than fifty years old. A child, dead in its young years, had worn that dime around its neck as a gift or talisman. There was a child's mitten, stained and worn, but a mitten knit by a proud young mother for her child. It could not speak to tell the dim past, but it had power. As the women saw it they covered their faces with their aprons and wept.

There was a boy's cap and a girl's hat, both so faded and time-eaten that they had to be tenderly handled. The women looked from them to the poor old white face on the bed and whispered;

"None but a good mother would have treasured these relics. She was old and poor, but her heart was pure."

Deeper down as if to battle the search of Time itself, was a familiar toy—a child's dumb watch. Hands were broken and gone, face scratched and case battered, but the woman handled it as if a touch would shatter it. There was a doll's head, a boy's fish-line, some toy chairs, a yarn ball, and other things to show that in the long ago that dead woman had felt the kisses of children, heard their "good-night," and thanked God that she was blessed. Each relic was wept over—each was replaced with fresh tear-stains. They asked the old blue chest no questions. Its relics might have been voiceless to a man, but to a woman and mother each one had a tale in words as plain as print. They shed more tears as they again bent over the poor old dead, and they said to each other:

"If she had only told us, how we would have loved her and sought to lighten her sorrows."

But she had gone as she had come, a mystery, and but for the old blue chest in the corner few would have cared, and none would have sorrowed.—*Detroit Free Press.*

The "Jim-Jams."

Delirium tremens! Snakes! Jim-Jams! Yes I've had touches of them. You want to know how it feels? I'll tell you. You have drank maybe a week, maybe more. At last liquor ceases to excite, brace, up or tranquillize. You drink half a pint of brandy and it has no more effect then so much water. Then you are close to the horrors. Food won't help you. Your stomach rejects it. Now your punishment commences. You can't sleep. You [illegible] so wear, but there is no rest. You are tired of thinking, yet the tired brain will think. You lie down, drop into a doze for a moment and wake up with a shock as if touched with an electric wire. You are covered with perspiration. You get up and walk the room, walk the streets—walk, walk, walk, and then fling yourself down, praying for ever so few minutes sleep. All this for days with people about you, and through nights. But no Chinese torturer employed in keeping some miserable criminal awake till he dies was ever more full of relentless vigilance than your abused nerves. Dreads indescribable seize upon you. Your hands have a sensation of being of enormous size. They do not look it. They feel it. Your head in the manner feels as if enormously puffed out. Then your breath comes spasmodically, hot flushes strike the heart, all the blood seems at times to rush in that direction, and you fight aimlessly for life and expect to fall dead. This is the commencement of the horrors. Now you are fixed for seeing rats and snakes and vermin.

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There is no part of the human body that needs more attention than the feet. They may be neglected or even abused without any bad consequences being immediately felt; they will to a certainty be eventually felt, and felt very sorely too. An excessive flow of blood to the head, extreme liability to cold, disordered digestion and other numerous evils are the results of inattention to the feet. The feet should be regularly washed and wiped every day. Stockings should not be put on while there is the slightest moisture on the feet. The stockings absorb the moisture, and gradually return it to the feet, thereby causing them to feel cold and uncomfortable, and what is worse, when the feet are cold, the circulation is interfered with, and the whole system, especially the brain, is thrown into an abnormal state. Keep the feet clean and warm, the head cool and the bowels open. If you wish to preserve your whole system in good working order, be sure and preserve your feet. Let all our readers profit by these remarks, and they will soon feel by experience that we are not exagerating the consequences of proper attention to the feet.

THE AMERICAN IRON TRADE.—According to the report of the secretary of the Iron and Steel Association, the American iron trade for the year 1880 was quite active and satisfactory. The United States made in that year, 3,900,000 gross tons of pig iron, as against 2,741,853 tons in 1879. These figures indicate a consumption of about 4,000,000 tons in 1880. The production of rails is estimated at 1,200,000 gross tons as against 866,964 tons in 1879. Of the total for 1880, 775,000 tons were steel rails and 425,000 iron. The consumption was approximately 1,617,000 tons.

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ESTATE OF HIRAM SHERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Sherman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Loder a Sherman executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that she has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of her final account now on file in this court and for assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will and for her discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday the 23d day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. Bruce, Probate Register. apr19

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Carlos B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, Michigan, on the 3d day of May next, and on the 18th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of February, 1883, were allowed by the said court for creditors to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 18, 1883.

PETER S. McKINNON,
FREDERICK E. WOOD,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., late of the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the house of George W. Allen, Jr., in the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 9th day of May, 1883, and on the 9th day of August, 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of March, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 28th, 1883.

ALVAH WHELAN,
DANIEL A. LOVE,
Commissioners.

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ESTATE OF ELEAZER G. SCOFIELD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Eleazer G. Scofield, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hessel Scofield, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, and all specific legacies and expenses of administration on said estate thus far incurred, and is ready to file his final account and ask for the allowance of said account, and for a distribution of the residue of the assets of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, a minor.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson guardian of said minor, praying for the allowance of his fifth account as such guardian, which account is this day filed in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of LeRoy Mead deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Josephine Mead, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cyrus Mead or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of April A.D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license to me by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, dated March 19, A.D. 1883, as the guardian of Ellsworth Odell and Ida M. Hastings, formerly Ida M. Odell, minors, I will on the 5th day of May, A.D. 1883, at the dwelling house on the premises herein described, sell at public vendue at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, all the interest and title of said minors, viz: The undivided two-thirds of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Raisin in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven, containing forty acres of land more or less, subject to the dower and homestead rights of Lana M. Bly, late widow of George Odell, deceased. Terms of sale published at or before such sale.

Dated March 22d, 1883.

MOSES L. DEAN,
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ESTATE OF EDMUND HAND.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian on Monday, the 26th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edmund Hand, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Hyman L. Hand, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to William W. Osgood or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Joseph Lamberg, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased, as in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Bruce, Probate Register. apr12

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Pennington, deceased, notice is hereby given that we will meet for that purpose at the late dwelling house of said deceased in Macon in said county, on the 9th day of May, 1883, and on the 9th day of August next at Petersburg in the township of Raisin in said county, on the last mentioned day, and that six months from the 9th day of March, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 28, 1883.

GRANVILLE MILES,
ELIJAH OVEN,
Commissioners.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 17, 1883.

Cornelius, Miss Allie — Davenport, Abbie
Hepler, Sally — Spoark, Mrs. Sarah J.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say 'Advertised.'

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $1.07.
[illegible] 85c, shelled.
OATS—47c.
APPLES—$2.25 to $2.50 per bbl.
POTATOES—70c to 75c.
CLOVER SEED—$5.00.

TOLEDO MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 2, red, $1.08.
CORN—50c, shelled.
OATS—46c.

TECUMSEH MARKET

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, [illegible]	[illegible]
Apples, dried, [illegible]	[illegible]
Butter, [illegible]	[illegible]
Eggs, [illegible]	[illegible]
Beans, [illegible]	[illegible]
Potatoes, [illegible]	[illegible]
Onions, [illegible]	[illegible]
Beef, [illegible]	[illegible]
Beef Hides	[illegible]
Veal, [illegible]	[illegible]
Pork, [illegible]	[illegible]
Lard, [illegible]	[illegible]
Tallow, [illegible]	[illegible]
Wool, [illegible]	[illegible]
Chickens, [illegible]	[illegible]
Turkeys, [illegible]	[illegible]
Ducks, [illegible]	[illegible]
Geese, [illegible]	[illegible]
Hay, [illegible]	[illegible]
Straw, [illegible]	[illegible]
Hides, [illegible]	[illegible]
Calfskins, [illegible]	[illegible]
Pelts, [illegible]	[illegible]
Tallow, [illegible]	[illegible]
Shoulders, [illegible]	[illegible]
Hams, [illegible]	[illegible]
Shoulders, smoked	[illegible]
Hams, smoked	[illegible]
Chickens, dressed	[illegible]
Ducks, dressed	[illegible]
Geese, dressed	[illegible]
Turkeys, dressed	[illegible]
Wheat, White, [illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat, Red, [illegible]	[illegible]

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NOTICE. I am requested by the Commissioner of the Village of Tecumseh to have posted the state law and the corporation law relative to special school districts, showing on the last, inside the corporation, and upon which officers are committed to enforce the law for the suppression of the same.

H. W. STEVENS,
Marshall.

Following is the law of State and Corporation.

[No. 166.]

AN ACT to prevent hunting for game with firearms, dogs, or otherwise on any enclosed lands or premises of another in this state without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SECTION 1. The People of the State of Michigan enact, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to hunt for game with firearms, dogs, or otherwise, on any inclosed lands or premises of another in any county of this State without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of the foregoing section of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court, and costs of prosecution. And in case the fine imposed and the costs of prosecution shall not be paid, the defendant shall be confined in the county jail of the county not less than five nor more than thirty days. Provided, however, That no complaint shall be entertained against any person for the violation of any of the provisions of this act unless the same shall be made by the owner or lessee of the land or premises so trespassed against upon.

Approved May 23, 1877.

CHAPTER VII.

SEC. 7. No person shall fire any gun, pistol, or cannon, within the business portion of said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon in or across any street, alley or lot in said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon in any portion of said village calculated, or having a tendency to endanger, injure or put persons in fear, without the consent of the council, under a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court; but nothing in this section contained shall be construed to prohibit any military company, existing under provisions of law, from firing any gun or cannon when authorized by their commanding officer.

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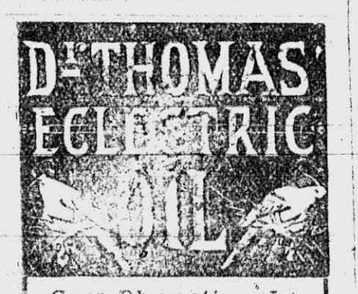

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Personally appeared before me Peter Phillips, who, being sworn according to law, deposes and says: That he has been afflicted with Rheumatism, more or less, for the past four or five years. That last winter he had a very severe attack, and that the pain was excruciating, and he could only move about in his own room by taking hold of something for support. When the disease was in its most acute form, and the pain almost unbearable, he took a dose of Wilson's Lightning Remedy, which caused immediate relief, and the second dose, taken five hours after, made a perfect and permanent cure, and that since taking the two doses he has been free from the disease, or any symptoms thereof.

PETER PHILLIPS.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 9th day of July, A.D. 1880. JOHN O'NEILL, Notary Public.

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VOL. XXXIII. NO 48 TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 26, 1883. WHOLE NO. 1688

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No greasy wall or furniture, no danger of being blown up by the stove or the lady of the house, if you buy a FRONT RANK VAPOR STOVE, and

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Supervisor Palmer has his assessment nearly made.

Charles Underwood raised a barn last Saturday.

Social next Friday evening at Mr. [illegible]'s.

D. M. Heath now occupies part of Loren Allen's house.

Harry Smith has moved in with Aunt Lydia.

Jonathan Hall died early Monday morning, aged 82 years. He was one of the earliest residents of this township, having lived here over fifty years. The funeral services were held at the house on Wednesday, at one o'clock, after which the remains were interred in the Kelly cemetery in Raisin.

John Exelby's meat market opened Monday. He runs Joe Wooden's wagon and promises to make the village every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. All right John.

Mrs. Sam. Fletcher died suddenly last week, only being sick a day or two. The funeral services were held on Friday afternoon.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Orange blossoms April 17. At the residence of the bride's parents at Deerfield, Mr. R. Dibble of Ridgeway, and Miss Clara Bragg, of Deerfield.

Last Saturday the people of Holloway were startled by the alarm of fire, which was discovered to be issuing from the roof of the molding room of the foundry. But through the efforts of the employees it was soon extinguished. We hope it will be a warning to the proprietors to be more careful in the future.

Last Friday a little three year old child of Dan Coffin's drank some strong lye, but fortunately drank only enough to make his mouth and tong badly inflamed and swollen.

Mr. Wm. Doty, who has been seriously ill, is rapidly improving under the care of Dr. Begle.

B. Kelly & Co., shipped a car load of hogs and cattle Monday.

Mrs. M. J. Satterthwaite, who for some time has been suffering from heart disease, had a relapse Sunday. At latest reports she is improving.

Tally one for Jacob Wright—a boy.

Mr. Allen Hoxie, of the firm of B. Kelly & Co., started Tuesday for Battle Creek on a business trip.

Mr. Floyd Florence expects soon to move on a farm near Ridgeway village.

RAILROAD WAR.

A Hot Time at Addison—The Laborers on the M. & O. Road Strike and Will Not Permit New Men To Work.

Last week a company of Polack laborers to the number of over one hundred, who had been working for the M. & O. road near Addison struck for higher wages. New hands were hired and when they attempted to work last Saturday the strikers would interfere and prevent. "John, No. 28," the leader of the gang, was arrested, and upon learning of this the Polacks were furious and threatened to march on Adrian and clean out the jail. Sheriff Bidwell went to Adrian Saturday afternoon, and the Adrian military company were called together on Sunday evening expecting an order at any moment to march to Addison. Their services however were not called for.

C. A. King & Co. of Toledo have received over 1,300 reports covering every important wheat growing county in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Kansas, and Missouri. One quarter report the present condition very favorable, one-quarter fair, one third poor, one sixth very poor. One quarter report the present condition as much better than two weeks ago, one half report it slightly better, one sixth about the same, one twelfth worse, one sixth say better than a year ago, one quarter say as good, nearly half report is worse, and one sixth say much worse than a year ago. The season is backward, acreage and reserves about the same as the corresponding last year.

Geo. W. Smith and Frank Tucker of Mt. Clemens, shot a beautiful white swan last week. It weighed 15 pounds and measured seven feet six inches from tip to tip of wings and five feet from head to tail. It will be fitted up by a taxidermist and placed in the rooms of the Audubon club.

Maple sugar weighted with plaster has again made its appearance in some portions of the state. In St. Joseph a table-spoonful of plaster was taken from a saucer full of maple syrup. There is a penalty attached to such business and the man who sold the sugar may be made to suffer for it.

LOCAL ADVERTISING.

The value of advertising is of more consequence in a general ways than it is often credited with. A too contracted view is so frequently thrown around its salutary influences, that those who read a business card, seem to think that it is upon it of the largest consequence to any one but the advertiser. This however is a great mistake, for the community at large is benefited, according to our way of thinking, by every business card of a town store appearing in the town papers. It needs no very skillful reasoning to elucidate the proposition, for there can be no better method adopted to improve a village, town or city, than that which keeps the bulk of trade at home. By so doing, the results of industry are widely diffused in the expenditures made, society becomes co-operative to a considerable extent, material improvements are encouraged and pride of place is fostered. Our live store keepers are beginning to understand the value of advertising, and our residents fail not to reward them for their enterprise. A contemporary puts the matter in this wise:

"When the business men of a town fail to advertise extensively they diminish the importance and trade of the place, and permit more enterprising localities to take the latter from them. Although done for their individual interests, advertisers should be looked on by citizens of the town where they reside, as in some sense public benefactors, and they should be encouraged accordingly. One merchant who advertises extensively is worth to his own town and its people more than forty that never show themselves in print, and should be, for this reason, alone preferred, assuming that he is of course, a fair business man."

A touching incident is related of Prof. Cocker, of Michigan university, whose decease was noticed in the News of last Monday. Shortly before his death, he called the attention of his pastor to a worn and faded shawl, spread on his bed, and requested to have it wrapped around his body and buried with him. He had made it himself when a young man in England, had worn it in all his journeyings to and fro over the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans; when residing in Australia; when he escaped from the Fiji islanders as they were preparing to kill and roast him, and when he was shipwrecked. It accompanied him when he landed in the United States, and even clad the remains of his dead child, when penniless and disheartened, he first arrived in Adrian. No wonder he desired it should enshroud his inanimate body and accompany him into the quiet grave. His wish was gratified.—Detroit News.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending April 21, 1883:

FRANKLIN.

B. C. Knapp to A. D. Hunt, land in Franklin. $8500.

David Neeley to Matthew Morgan, Land on sec. 35 and 36. $5500.

MACON.

J. R. Miller to N. C. Miller. Land on sec. 30. $7,200.

Zoe Pennington to Beecher Lightfall. Land on sec 5.

John Winchell to Beecher Lightfall, Land on sec. 5. $300.

RAISIN.

J. B. Garlinghouse to C. V. and M. C. Cook.

TECUMSEH.

Lucius L. Bates to Mary L. Clemens. Land on sec. 27. $3500.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Battle Creek Republican: Mr. Howard, of the construction firm of Brown, Howard & Co., J. A. Latcha, chief engineer; Col. Neal and Sylvester Lamb, have been on a tour of inspection over the M. & O. They went over the line on their own train from Allegan to Yorkville, and from thence to Battle Creek by wagon. Their object was to ascertain just what had been done, and how to organize forces to hurry up the work.

The Cadillac News says: The Dakota fever has grown to mammoth dimensions all over the state of Michigan, and right here we are not exempt from emigrants who are looking toward the west. Even in southern Michigan, where there are as fine farms as anywhere in the world, men are giving them up and starting west. A good farm in southern or northern Michigan is good enough, if the people would but realize it. There will be lots of sick, poor people walking back from Dakota in the course of a couple of years.

The third annual shearing of the Ridgeway sheep breeders and wool growers will be held at the residence of J. Britton, Britton station, Wednesday, May 2d. You are respectfully invited to attend.

WM. BRITTON, Sec'y.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

E. D. Silvers, of Clinton, has moved to Pittsford.

A new grange has been organized at Ogden Center.

Jasper has a new doctor and he has lots of business.

The Hudson Sanitarium is in a prosperous condition.

The Clinton Baptist church holds mush and milk socials.

Baker's cheese factory at Fairfield is now in running order.

Adrian has a new Sunday paper called the "Sunday Herald."

There are 70 cases of measles in Fairfield and more in prospect.

Ridgeway is putting on city airs. The town has two township clerks.

The Franklin sheep shearing festival will be held to-morrow, April 27.

The Addison creamery has got started and is doing a good business.

The village authorities of Morenci have invested in a new road scraper.

The Lake Shore water tank west of Dundee burned down a few days ago.

Cambridge pays 20 cents each for woodchuck scalps taken in that town.

The Cambridge sheep shearing festival will be held on Wednesday, May 2nd.

The main street of Blissfield is in bad condition from lack of proper drainage.

The common council of Deerfield will probably establish fire limits in that village.

E. A. Burton and D. F. Griswold will erect a new brick block in Deerfield this summer.

Prof. E. G. Walker, of the Board of Examiners for this county, is quite sick with gastric fever.

The county fair will remain in Adrian and will be held on Lawrence Park, upon Sept. 25, 26, 27 and 28.

The Adrian water works have been located in the southern part of the city. Wells will be sunk to furnish a water supply.

A Dover plow team ran away in the field the other day, but when one stumbled and broke his neck the runaway fun was spoiled.

Theron Fisk, of Clinton, returned from Dakota last week. He says the mud there is ten feet deep, to say nothing of other attractions, for new settlers.

Morenci Observer: The old pioneer "Uncle Bill" Sutton says that some of the Dakota emigrants from this vicinity took more things with them then was possessed by all the settlers of Seneca, when he came here in 1835.

Adrian Press: College students complain of the bad sidewalks between the college and the city. The walks are pretty tolerably well busted, but not so bad that the Ohio and Pennsylvania youth couldn't hobble over them to the polls and put in an illegal ballot, just as well as not.

Blissfield Advance: A young son of Conrad Ackley was arrested Tuesday evening by Constable Harrington charged with stealing a watch from the shop of Williams & Bacon. He staid in the "cooler" until Wednesday morning, when 'Squire McCann fined him $5 and costs, which his father paid. The watch was also recovered.

Morenci Observer: Hon. A. L. Millard, of Adrian, and our village attorney, Mr. Morgan, both concur in their opinion that under our village charter it would be illegal to issue bonds for the purpose of building a village hall; nevertheless it is thought by those competent to judge, that sufficient can be raised for the purpose if our board of trustees chose to use the maximum of money raising power granted in the charter. Whether they will do it or not remains to be seen.

Hudson Gazette: Lenawee representatives have not been idle at Lansing. Mr. Bixby has endeavored to break up the system of free R. R. tickets to members of the legislature, State officers and judges, and also introduced a joint resolution giving power to the Governor to object to particular items of appropriations in any bill. Mr. Howell is the author of a bill to prevent the practice of medicine or surgery by incompetent persons. Mr. Harkness is to be credited with a measure making it unlawful for the authorities of one town or city to shift paupers or destitute persons upon another town or city for their care and protection. Mr. Harkness has rather outstripped his colleagues by being able to report to the legislature an increase in the census of his own household. Altogether the Lenawee members are an active lot.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Oakland county will hold sheep shearing and exhibit at Milford, May 1.

Henry Tool, of Fernwell, Calhoun co., broke his leg by falling from a wagon.

John J. Snodgrass, one of the oldest pioneers of Wheatland, Hillsdale co., is dead aged 89.

Annual session of the state medical society will be held at Kalamazoo, May 8.

Julia A. Moore, the sweet singer of Michigan, owns stock in a Grand Rapids national bank.

Belleville, Wayne Co., will be connected with Ypsilanti by telephone this week.

The United States express company's safe at Ida was cracked last week, and $40 secured.

M. Hinckley & Co's stave and heading mill burned last Saturday; loss $3,000 to $5,000, no insurance.

John H. Robinson, proprietor of the flouring mill at Pewamo, Ionia co., fell from a load of wheat, last Thursday and was severely hurt.

Mrs. R. Emerson, living four miles north of Big Rapids, committed suicide last Thursday by shooting herself through the head. Age 52 years.

Work on the new court house at Charlotte will be commenced this week, and under the contract every thing must be completed by October, 1884.

Every brakeman on the Grand Trunk road is now furnished a stick from the general office at Battle Creek with which to couple cars, the sticks being made expressly for that purpose.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Davis, of Birmingham, celebrated the 60th anniversary of their wedding on Sunday, of last week. They came to Michigan from Cortland county, N. Y., 57 years ago.

Joe Youngs, of Bedford, Calhoun county, was caught by a revolving shaft in his saw mill, but rescued just as one of his arms was seized by a cog. The shock to his nervous system, however, completely prostrated him.

Daniel Ferguson, an old resident of Jackson, was struck by a train in that city, last Wednesday, badly bruised about the face and breast, and thrown down an embankment, where he lay insensible until found and cared for.

James Trombley, of West Bay City, lifted a pond net last week Tuesday morning and found in it 1,800 pounds of pickerel, which at four cents per pound, make $72—a very respectable night's work, the owner being asleep meanwhile.

The Tamarack mining company, Calumet, Houghton county, expects soon to strike the Allonez belt, and indications are that it will be rich, in which event the company will commence active operations and at the same time continue jinking for the Calumet lode.

When Ulum, the life Convict, was recently pardoned, the Jackson Patriot made certain statements which so excited the ire of Landlord Stillwell, of the tavern near Leonidas, St. Joseph county, where Estabrook, the murdered man, stopped, that he threatens a libel suit.

The projected building for the Y. M. C. A. at Grand Rapids is taking shape, negotiations having been commenced for suitable grounds. The proposed structure is a brick building 66x120 feet in size, four stories high and covered with a mansard roof. Its estimated cost is $40,000 and the grounds $10,000.

Work on the Battle Creek street railroad will be commenced at once, and completed within 60 days. The line will be two miles long. Next year it will be extended to Goguac lake, where a stock company is expected to build a hotel. The road cost $15,000, of which the citizens donated $3,000.

It is said that the largest fleece ever recorded in the United States at a public shearing was taken last Thursday at Lansing, at the meeting of the Michigan merino sheep breeders' association. It was from a two year old ram, "Diamond," owned by A. T. Short, of Coldwater, was grown in 363 days and weighed 41 pounds and three ounces.

Wesley Caster, an old and most respected resident of Rose, Oakland co., was instantly killed last Thursday. While riding with his wife and son he saw some game by the roadside, and attempted to take the gun from the wagon when the team started and the gun was discharged, the entire load passing through his heart. He was some 60 years, was a brother of Rev. E. E. Caster, formerly of the Fenton M. E. church, and leaves a large family.

THE LAND OF NOD.

Far away in the land of Nod,
Where only in dreams man's foot has trod,
Dwells the slumber king on his shadow throne
Where he patiently sits till day is done.
Where he rises and puts his nightcap on.
Now as he thinks he doth offer smile,
And he hastily sends his boys the while
Then the elves of sleep, as he sees them come,
Quietly bow to him, one by one,
Then fly to the homes of earth, he said
Where they place a poppy each poor head
Till the eyes can no longer keep open wide
The good, with the weight, nod from side to side
And take by force doth on them creep
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AFTER ALL.

[illegible]
After all—after all
Though the face be not the fairest,
After all—after all
When the fever heat is highest
In the chilling tide is highest
Over all there comes a reaching
Of a friendship whose sweet teaching
[illegible]
For the weary and the frail,
After all—after all.

[illegible]
After all—after all.
There are joys deep in life's ocean,
After all—after all!
Beyond the reach we have pursued,
And the sunbeams [illegible]
As our feet pass by the dawn
[illegible]
There our weary souls are rest
After all—after all.

IT NEVER PAYS.

It never pays to feel and grieve
When fortune seems our foe;
The better bred will look ahead
And strike the braver blow
[illegible]
Should not hinder their doing
But mind the play
And clear the way
That better may the morrow.

It never pays to shock the health
In drudging after gold
And he is sold who thinks that good
Is cheapest bought with care
As humble as it
A city out
[illegible] even kings
For [illegible] high,
The wealth will [illegible]
[illegible]

It never pays. A hoard refrain
With worldly of a song
For age and youth must learn the truth
That nothing pays like a [illegible]
The gold and pearls
Alone are [illegible]
[illegible]
While we are [illegible]
In heaven's sight
[illegible]

Three Gallant Dogs.

THEIR EFFORTS TO RESCUE AN IRISH ONE FROM A WATERY GRAVE.

The South Bend (Ind.) Tribune relates the following instance of dog fidelity: All day Monday four dogs were playing on the shore ice which runs out into the river from the Singer factory dock. At least three of the dogs were of the breed known as setters. Between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon some of the Singer employes, who work in the building along the river, and who had noticed the dogs at different times during the day, were attracted by a great commotion among them. Three of them were running up and down the river along the edge of the ice, but the fourth one was missing. Directly one of the dogs was seen to reach his head in the water over the edge of the ice and grasp some object in his teeth and try to pull it out of the water. The object was the dog who had fallen or jumped into the river and was unable to get upon the ice again. The efforts of the dog on the ice was also unsuccessful, and he released his hold, while all three of the dogs set up a brisk barking, varied occasionally by dismal howls. Finally another effort was made to rescue their companion, all the dogs joining in it, but the slippery ice allowed him no a good foothold, and the distance from the ice down to the water was so far that, after three or four trials, they gave it up. They then held consultation with heads close together, and two of them started off up town, apparently to get help, while the third one laid himself down on the ice close to the edge, as if to keep guard over their companion, who was paddling in the current for dear life, and could just manage to keep his nose above the water. At this stage of the proceedings two men came to the rescue of the dogs. They procured long boards and running it a short distance beyond the ice out on them stepped upon it and together they pulled the dog in. He was almost dead with exhaustion and many cuts with cold. The dog who had remained a watcher made every possible demonstration of joy when his companion was safely landed, and was soon after joined by the other two in like expressions, they having returned from an unsuccessful hunt for help a short time after the dog was rescued. The record of this is one of the most remarkable instances of dog sagacity we have ever heard, and its truth is vouched for by [illegible]

To Be Patient.

[illegible] who, owing to their worldly comfort, have nothing to do but to be [illegible] patient, [illegible] than working for wife or work on a wounded dog or cat. Amanda has no time to think of her sons or nieces. Most young men are forced to get their living whether they like it or not, but a large number of young ladies in a family have nothing to do. They are above the necessity of following any occupation; they are often too many in a family to assist in domestic duties; they have returned home from school with some very poor accomplishments; their knowledge of French and German is not sufficient to allow them to converse in those languages; and just enough music to indulge in a doleful song or lively play on the piano. They dawdle through the day in a listless way, and fall victims to a thousand little ailments which the doctor is supposed to put right by physic. And the most curious thing is that, should the instincts of the girl force her to put some of her energies into use, she is as likely as not to be thwarted by the mother, who insists upon it that her darling is overtasking herself.

Fruit Canning

It is not many years since every good housewife felt called upon at least once a year to take a great deal of trouble in preserving a supply of fruit for use during the winter months. The purchase of fruit, jars, the picking, or purchase, and sorting of fruit, the purchase of sugar, the boiling and preparation of the syrup, oftentimes in the hottest weather, was a task which many a good housewife looked forward to with some trepidation while the uncertainties attending the keeping qualities of the preserves, after they were manufactured, made this a rather undesirable feature in housekeeping.

Within a few years, however, all this has become unnecessary, the manufacture of preserves on a large scale with skilled labor and improved appliances has proven, as in many other branches of manufacture, a great advance, and while there are some thrifty housewives who still think their "home-made" preserves are better than the "store" article, it is undoubtedly true that the canned preserves are decidedly finer, and in a number of cases are more appetizing and delicate than the home-made article. I say this with all due respect for the skill shown by many careful, conscientious housewives throughout the land, but in this case the doctrine "survival of the fittest," I think, is quite applicable. Too many people are apt to sit down, fold their hands, and declaim against anything not made at home, at least as far as preserves and candied fruits are concerned. The sword, I must admit, cuts both ways. While I have wrestled carefully and conscientiously at many houses with *alleged* preserves made at home, I have suffered the "pangs of Tantalus" from atrocious compounds put on the market by conscienceless manufacturers. For the benefit of those who desire to "do up" their own fruits I append a few trustworthy receipts:

Fill the jar with the desired fruit while cold. Make a syrup of sugar (quantity as given below) by boiling well to prevent fermentation, or it can be put on fruit dry. Fill jar with fruit, pour sugar over it until jar is full half-way up the neck; screw on covers of jars without rubber rings; put a board indented with holes in bottom of wash-boiler and stand jars on it; fill boiler with cold water up to neck of jars; boil (time necessary for different fruits is given below) then remove jars one by one, take off covers, fill with boiling water, put on rubber rings and screw covers on tightly as possible. The same process is used in preserving all kinds of fruits.

PREPARING FRUITS FOR PRESERVING.

Boil Cherries moderately	5	minutes
" Raspberries moderately	6	"
" Blackberries moderately	6	"
" Plums moderately	10	"
" Strawberries moderately	8	"
" Whortleberries	5	"
" Pie-Plant sliced	10	"
" Small sour Pears, whole	30	"
" Bartlett Pears in halves	20	"
" Peaches, in halves	8	"
" Peaches, whole	15	"
" Pineapple, sliced ½ in. thick	15	"
" Siberian Crab apple, whole	25	"
" Sour Apples, quartered	10	"
" Ripe Currants	6	"
" Wild Grapes	10	"
" Tomatoes	90	"

Pour into warm jars.

The amount of sugar to a quart jar should be:

Cherries	6	ounces
Raspberries	4	"
Lawton Blackberries	6	"
Field Blackberries	6	"
Strawberries	8	"
Whortleberries	4	"
Quince	10	"
Small sour Pears, whole	8	"
Wild Grapes	8	"
Peaches	4	"
Bartlett Pears	6	"
Pineapples	6	"
Siberian or Crab Apples	8	"
Plums	8	"
Pie-Plant	10	"
Sour Apples, quartered	6	"
Ripe Currants	8	"

Habit.

How little the importance of this word strikes to many of us, although, as many examples are proof, the spirit is being wrought not only for the present time, but for all futurity. Is it not evidence, then that unless the example set is correct, the children will be afflicted with the bad habits and short reminds of to-day? Our jails, reform houses and penitentiaries are the outward results of kind. View the thing as you will, serious doubts must intrude from inattention to it.

From infancy up note the difference in individuals as they advance to womanhood or manhood, and you will be pained in many instances at the result which habit has wrought alone. The hopes and prospects of many a bright, intelligent youth and of many a well meaning man have been forever blasted through negligence to the subject matter.

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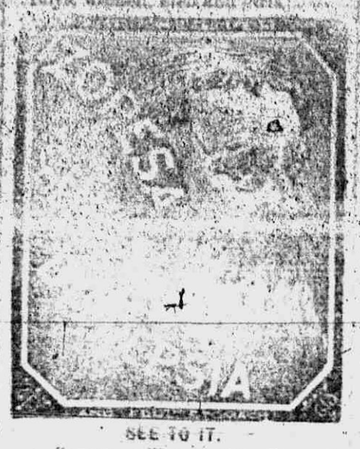

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COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, }

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H. V. GOETCHIUS.

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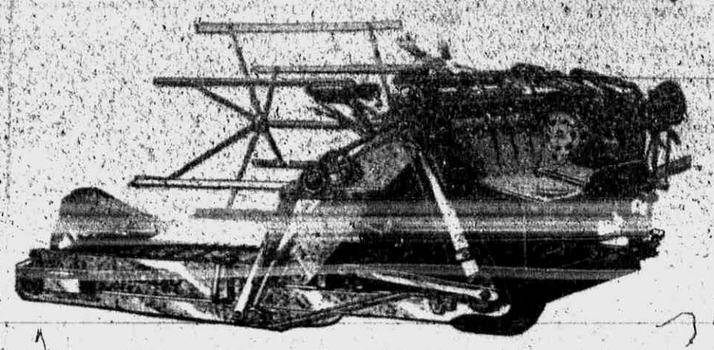

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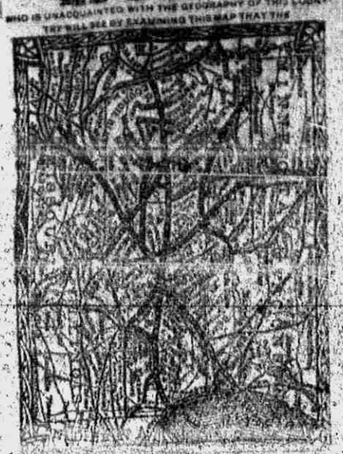

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If the Czar would escape trouble at his coronation let him trot out his last summer's straw hat.

And now it turns out that the Texas meteor story was a hoax. In other words it was a genuine unadulterated lie.

The nutmeg state is ahead yet. A genius down there has invented a fire escape which will not work until the dotted bill has been paid.

A new weather prophet has materialized down in Pennsylvania who predicts a long and severe drought during the coming summer.

Arthur is said to have caught more fish in Florida than he could eat. Now here is a president as is a president—a citizen who produces more than he consumes.

The Lansing Journal notes with some surprise that as yet no petition for the establishment of a prayer-cure department in the university has been received by the legislature.

Uncle Sam's money has been counted and the actual cash on hand exceeds the cash balance on the books to the amount of three cents. Where that three cents came from is a mystery.

Uncle Sam Tilden is again looming up as a possible Democratic candidate in 1884. The man who was elected to the Presidency once and cheated out of his office, could easily be elected again.

New York city has forty thousand women who support themselves. There is the place for some of our ambitious young men to go for a wife. A woman who has learned to support herself can easily support a husband also if necessary.

Gov. Stephens of Georgia left an estate valued at $12,000. The "Great Commoner" has literally been a servant to the people all his life. The accumulations of his life amount to less than most politicians in his circumstances would have laid aside in a single year.

Staid old Massachusetts is shaken from center to circumference over the revelation of the Tewksbury almshouse. Paupers were choked, kicked and beaten, tied to posts, chained in cellars and mangled by rats. Ben Butler has some failings, but letting the daylight into old abuses is not one of them.

The New York Sun announces its platform for 1884 as follows: Let the tariff be for revenue, let the tariff be the only source of revenue, let all internal taxes be abolished except the tax on spirits, let the fund from this latter source be retained only to meet the arrearages on pensions. This platform though not a perfect one will do very well.

The Civil Service Commissioners are greatly agitated over the inevitable female question, and know not whether to admit women on equal terms with men as competitors for appointment to subordinate public offices. This is not a question of female suffrage, or of the superiority of either sex. It is a simple matter of ability to do certain clerical work, and if the women are best fitted for such work the men will have to take a back seat.

The New York Herald, while warning the striking workmen in different sections of the country to abstain from all violence and lawlessness counsels them to bear in mind the fact:

"That so long as the present high tariff remains so long they will be exposed to having their wages cut down. High tariff means low wages, necessarily; because we can now manufacture more, in most of the great branches, than the country can consume, and manufacturers cannot sell their surplus in foreign markets because the high tariff makes raw materials too dear. They must either stop their mills and workshops, which many are doing, or cut down wages, which many others are doing. With low or no duties on raw materials any thoughtful workingman ought to see that wages could rise, because what would be saved by low or no duties on the raw materials could be safely added to wages. Whenever a manufacturing employer proposes to cut down wages let his workmen remember this truth, that high tariff makes low wages."

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, April 28th, 1883.

The sensation of the week has been the systematic raid on the gambling houses conducted by Inspector Byrnes, by special order of the Police Commissioners. The inside history of this spasmodic movement is simply that Commissioner French, whose term is expiring, wants to be reappointed, and a tremendous effort is being made to bloodwink the public into believing that the police are doing their utmost to clean the city of iniquity. Unfortunately for Mr. French everybody sees through the scheme, and his efforts will be defeated just on account of the exceptional rigor with which the matter is pushed. The manner in which Byrnes has been making his raids is further evidence of a peculiar one. He only seized the furniture, and all the property found in the gambling houses was confiscated. This represents something like fifty or sixty thousand dollars in value. The smaller fry were the first ones pulled. The better establishments were not visited until twenty-four hours later. During that time the astute proprietors, who can take a hint without exactly being knocked down with a barn door, removed their property, and when the vigilant police came there was no one in the houses except perhaps a colored servant, and certainly no suspicious furniture. Of course this excitement will not last long. Two weeks hence the houses will be going again. Everybody expects that.

Among the establishments visited and closed was the famous one at 818 Broadway. This is perhaps the most noted gaming house in the country, and among the victims of games of chance in Europe is as well known as the fashionable "clubs" in Paris. During the war and immediately after it, play used to be very high here. Even as late as six or seven years ago there was no limit to the stakes either at faro or roulette. It was no rare thing to see twenty and thirty thousand dollars change hands on the turn of a card. It was magnificently furnished. There was nothing gaudy about it; but every article in the rooms, down to the very cuspadores showed taste and refinement.

Policy raids are next in order, and then an effort is to be made to root out houses of ill fame. But how long will this last? It is really dreadful how low life is getting in this metropolis. Talk about Paris; the capitol on the Seine is quiet compared with the Empire City, and what does it all arise from? Nothing but the insane desire among all classes and both sexes to make money fast in order to spend it in luxurious living. The other day I met the manager of one of the most prominent and honorable private detective bureaus. "You don't know what a demand there is at present for so-called 'shadows,' men who follow people about and watch their movements. Husbands get them to follow their wives, and wives engage them to dog their husbands. It is perfectly nauseating. And the worst of it is that this demand has encouraged a class of idle sharpers to go in as shadows on their own hook. They frequent streets wherein reside gamblers and fast women, and visitors to them are watched and followed. Some fine day, after the history of the game has been fully acquired, the victim is presented with an account of his movements for months past. Money is asked for the suppression of the facts and generally given, for the victim in nine cases out of ten has no redress from the blackmailers. It is an awful state of affairs."

Central Park now blossoms out in all its Spring time loveliness, and as one sees the children scampering over the walks one gets himself to think that after all there may be some redeeming feature in this wicked world, and that there are some men and women at least who are not plotting how to get a divorce quickest. Apropos of children there is a movement on foot among a number of people devoted to educational interests to establish a large kindergarten, and connect it with a school to be modelled on the principle of the academies of German cities known as gymnasiums. The public school system as it is at present conducted in our city is not a good one. It crams the mind without developing it. The kindergarten for little children, and the gymnasium for grown up pupils remedies this, and will give us a rising generation of mental and physical strength, not the puny creatures which now fill our commercial and banking houses by day, and our theatres and billiard rooms at night.

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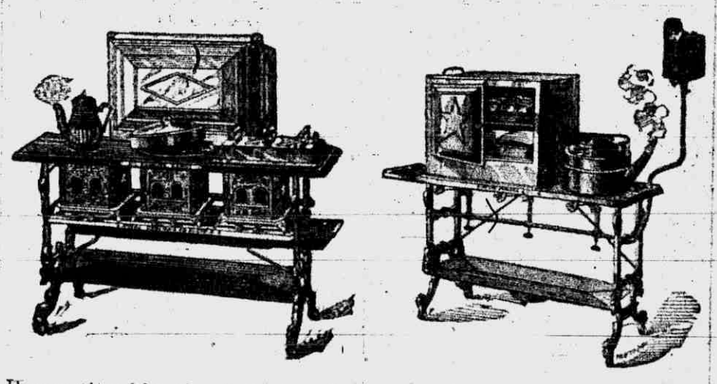

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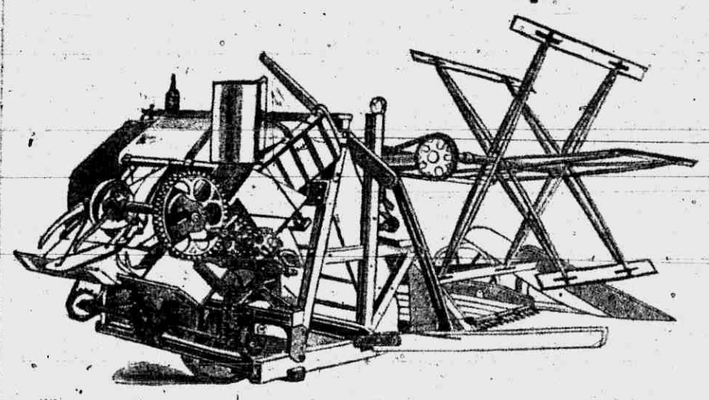

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SAMUEL FLETCHER.

The following we clip from an eastern paper, and leave our readers to guess who the poor boy is:

C. H. H. (Tecumseh) writes: "I, like a good many others, am in trouble, and come to you for advice. I am a young man, twenty two years of age, and keep company with a young lady three months my senior, who works out by the week. My folks are opposed to my keeping company with her, and say if I keep on they will disown me. Now, dear Editor, I love this girl dearly, and she has told me that my love was returned. Please inform me what to do?" Our advice to you is to marry the young lady as soon as possible.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 26, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Arbor Day.

Errors Chains.

Rain would be a good thing.

Errors Chains. Errors Chains.

Have you planted a tree to-day.

Winter clothing is still comfortable.

The grass is quite green in a favorable tint.

Franklin sheep shearing festival to-morrow.

Lots of new awnings are going up this spring.

Fairfield is enjoying an epidemic of measles.

Real estate in this town is rising in value quite rapidly.

Rev. W. P. Wastell, of Clinton, gave us a call last Tuesday.

Snow in the woods near Cadillac is still twenty inches deep.

Empty houses are hard to find in this village at present.

The Adrian common council has bought a plot of land for a market.

Shall Chicago street be paved? That will be the next question to be solved.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton and son are visiting friends in Jackson and Saginaw.

Wheat has improved wonderfully in this section during the past few days.

Another Arctic wave has delayed the planting of early peas and potatoes

The Salvation Army at Adrian will obtain new headquarters as soon as possible.

Wallie Gray received a paper the other day addressed to him at Pecumsa, Mich.

Addison is becoming quite a noted town since the inauguration of the railroad war.

"John, No. 28," the leader of the Addison strikers, has been arrested and lodged in jail.

Sarah Wright, a Battle Creek woman, has received a patent on a washing machine. That's right.

We are glad to state that Willis Merritt is improving in health with the approach of warm weather.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Roof, of La Grange, Ind., were the guests of Mrs. C. M. Burlingame on Monday last.

Spring, having suffered a relapse, is rallying again to-day and we are likely to have pleasant weather again.

The Evening News offers a thousand dollars reward for the discovery and conviction of the author of the Brenton letter.

The special sales of A. B. Cotton are meeting with the best of success. See what he has on the program in this week's paper.

From labor to refreshment. At high noon on the 23d inst. came to James Cook of Raisin a 12 pound boy. Let us shake.

Mrs. Dr. Peters, of Blissfield, and Mrs. Ida Peters Marks, of Cleveland, Ohio, were visiting among Tecumseh friends last week.

The next meeting of the Lenawee County Teacher's Association has been postponed two weeks from next Saturday, until May 12th.

The present is one of the slowest springs in our memory. It is coming though, and when it gets here will stay. So let us wait with patience.

Work on the telephone line from Adrian to Hudson began last Monday. When that is finished they will put up the line between Adrian and Toledo.

Harvey R. Rowlson could not accept the office of Mayor of Hillsdale, without losing that of Revenue Collector; therefore he did not accept it.

The Adrian Record suggests that the sheriff order out the Salvation Army in case of any further trouble with the railroad strikers at Addison.

Uncle John Schreder gave us a call last Saturday for the first time in three months. With the return of warm weather he expects to visit the village often.

Adams' Novelty Store has become a permanent fixture in Tecumseh, and is not only a fixture but a success. Read his list of novelties and bargains in another column.

We called in to see Drs. S. & H. W. Catlin, in their new office, yesterday. They occupy pleasant and commodious rooms, which make one of the most complete offices in the county.

Evening News: Sympathizers with Prof. Maclean in Adrian, headed by Dr. Rynd, will banquet him to-night. One of these sympathizers remarked, "We sort o' men must stand together."

Uncle Wm. Waring of this village has procured his arrears of pension, after a trial of several years. It will be a lift in the right time for him, as he is becoming too aged and feeble to do much work.

Dr. McIntosh, who was acting as the Asst. Sec'y of the N. R. & A. A., returned to Flint last week. During his short stay in Tecumseh he made many friends who will wish that he might have remained here permanently.

Supervisor James is making his official rounds now.

F. C. Barnes, of Coldwater, arrived in town yesterday.

The Adrian guards did not have to march to Addison, after all.

Meeting of the stockholders of the Library Association this evening at Heesen's Hall.

Ice Cream at Hause's, next Saturday sure. No postponement on account of the weather.

N. M. Sutton & Co. have a new ad this week setting forth the virtues of their oil and gasoline stoves.

Topic at the Baptist church next Sunday eve. "A sinner lost and saved, illustrated by Peter's imprisonment and rescue."

Our Gem Photograph Man, across the way, seems to be doing quite a trade. He does good work in his line, and has a very good gallery.

The front rank vapor stoves are having an extensive sale. Read what Whitenack, Bordine & Co. have to say of them in another column.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman has a new card in this week's HERALD. She has the latest novelties in spring goods and a perfect stock throughout. Give her a call.

Judge Stacy has been confined to his house in Adrian by illness since last Monday. He is getting better however, and will soon be able to attend to business again.

We understand that our friend, Wm. TeGrootenhuis, was married last week. We have been unable to find out the particulars, but wish the happy couple all joy and happiness.

Dr. B. F. Steinhoff has returned from his trip to Dakota. The Dr. was so favorably impressed with the country that he invested in a quarter-section of the treeless prairie.

Pat Murphy, of Clinton, gave us a call this morning. We are always glad to see Pat as he brings with him a smiling face and plenty of good nature to last a whole day.

Eugene Hodges had the thumb sawed off his right hand last Saturday while at work in the planing mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co. He will take a few days vacation.

The Ladies' Social of St. Peter's church will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Root next Wednesday evening, May 2. All are invited and a good musical program will be given.

L. A. Davis, who is located at Burlington, Kan., is well pleased with the country and writes that his expectations thus far, have been more than realized. He receives the HERALD regularly, and couldn't keep house without it.

On the 14th inst. Wm. Hayden was at Manitou Springs, in Colorado, and from there he went to Durango. We acknowledge the receipt of late Durango papers. Durango is one of the bonanza mining towns of the centennial state and is having a marvelous growth at present.

Adrian Record: A Hudson lady, being awakened a few nights ago, by a noise in the house, arose, stamped the floor and said sca-a-a-t! whereupon a big tramp scatted out of the pantry, through an open door and fled away in the darkness. The lady was too much frightened to pursue.

Shall Chicago street be paved? The Council have taken steps to ascertain the views of the business men and property owners on the subject. The paving of Chicago street from Pearl on the west to Ottawa on the East would not be a heavy expense, and it would be an important and permanent improvment.

S. W. Temple has broken ground for a new planing mill on the north line of his property on Shawnee street. The mill will be constructed entirely of brick and will be located just west of the depot grounds with a side track running within ten feet of the building. It will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

On Friday last the neighbors in Brownville got together and gave Miss Carrie Hand a surprise party—it being her birthday. A picnic supper was served to upwards of thirty and an evening was enjoyed by all present, but by no one better than Carrie herself. May she live to enjoy many more birthdays, and may they be as pleasant as the one just passed.

Sylvester Ellis, an old resident of Clinton township, living about two miles east of Clinton village, committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn Tuesday evening. He was not found until Wednesday morning. No particular cause assigned for the act. He was from 65 to 70 years old, and was unmarried. He was the owner of a fine farm and other valuable property.

On next Thursday evening, May 3d, the Presbyterian S. S. will give the "Jug breaking concert" at the church. The entertainment will consist of singing by the choir, led by J. S. Strong, which is an assurance of good music; also by the Sunday school. A novel temperance address by a new speaker, together with recitations, reading, jug breaking, etc. Admission, 10c. Let there be a good attendance.

Rev. R. S. Parthemore and family left this week for their new home in Hartford. They were accompanied by the prayers and good wishes of hosts of friends.

Miss Ida L. Davis, formerly of Clinton, is spending a few days visiting at her old home. She has been absent about two years and a half, most of the time having been spent in Colorado and Florida.

We have received the initial number of the Sunday Morning Herald, a new weekly issue by Allen & Redfield, at Adrian. It is an eight page seven column paper, well filled with reading matter, and if the first number be a criterion of what it will continue to be it certainly ought to prosper.

W. H. Brearley, of the Detroit Evening News, has made the first announcement of the seventh annual excursion. This time it will take people to and across the sea. The round trip to the sea will be $22. The round trip across the sea will be $150, from Detroit. Send three cents for a circular, or thirty cents for an illustrated guide book.

Sunday Morning Herald: A short time since a musical organization was formed in this city, styled the T. T. club, composed of ten of Adrian's fairest and youngest society daughters. From its inception it was a pronounced success, and to-day that band of music-loying young ladies, if allowed full scope, would occasion more suicides or murders, than any other one cause conceivable.

The base ball season is at hand, and the players are gathering for practice in their respective cities. Besides the Detroit league nine, there will be several nines in Michigan, which will be stronger than some of the league were last season. It is predicted that this will be a more brilliant season than any preceding one, both in the matter of finances, and for accurate and skillfull playing by the nines.

P. S. McKinnon has concluded to retire from the justice office, and has accepted a position in the counting room of H. Brewer & Co. While many of his friends will regret to lose him from the legal fraternity, they can but congratulate H. Brewer & Co. upon this acquisition to their office force. Mr. McKinnon's previous training in the justice office will be a valuable aid to him in his new location. We look upon this new arrangement as a very fitting one, and believe it will result in permanent benefit to all parties concerned.

"Errors Chains" is the title of a new book which gives a complete and graphic history of the many strange beliefs, superstitions, practices, sacred writings, system of philosophy, legend and traditions, customs and habits of mankind throughout the world, ancient and modern. It gives an account of heathen idolatry, the gods of Greece and Rome, Bramahism, Hindoo worship, the Karens, the fire-worshipers, Confucien temples, the Buddhist Bible, Mohammedanism and many other religious systems. It is probably the best work of the kind now in print.

A congratulatory banquet was given to Prof. Maclean at Adrian last Saturday evening, at the Central Hotel. There were 109 guests at the tables, many of the guests being ladies. Judge Howell presided over the gathering, and brief addresses were made by Prof. Frothingham, Dr. Rynd, Col. Eldridge, W. A. Underwood, A. L. Millard, F. R. Stebbins, Judge Geddes, L. H. Salsbury, C. R. Miller, C. E. Weaver, Seth Bean and Drs. Allen and Baker. Prof. Maclean was presented with a handsome silver water pitcher, and in response he spoke about half an hour in relation to his "celebrated case."

The Michigan crop report, April 1st, just received from the secretary of state, puts the condition of the winter wheat throughout the state at 85 per cent of the condition April 1st, 1882, owing to the ice fields which formed on the fields early in March. Apples will average about 90 per cent., and peaches about 60 per cent. of last year's crop. In Emmet county the live stock is reported as falling off from the condition April 1st, 1882, as follows: Horses 4 per cent., cattle 4 per cent., sheep 3 per cent., hogs 6 per cent. Our apples promise 100 per cent or no loss, while our chances on peaches are put down as being only 5 per cent. We wonder how near right these figures are.

Hudson Gazette: As long as the lamp of life holds out Brother Japheth Cross, of Adrian, is bound to cut a figure now and then as plaintiff or defendant in the courts. He has been much persecuted or prosecuted since we have known him, and is something of a prosecutor himself. His latest effort was to sue a colored tenant for back rent. Japheth managed his own case, and city attorney Smith appeared for the colored brother. Japheth either managed his case badly or court or jury got the relations of litigants transposed (in their minds), for they so far ignored the claim of the plaintiff as to bring in $25 damages for defendant. The Record says that is a sad case of a citizen starting out to shear wool and himself getting fearfully shorn.

"Shube" Mosher arrived home from Florida last Thursday, where he has a position with a firm in the taxidermist business. The firm sent him up north here to secure a collection of ducks.

The dates of the Ohio, Indiana and Michigan Agricultural and Mechanical Fair Circuit, are as follows: Ohio State Fair, at Columbus, O., September 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th. Tri-State Fair, at Toledo, O., September 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th. Michigan State Fair, at Detroit, Mich., Sept. 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st. Indiana State Fair, at Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29. N. E. Indiana Fair, at Waterloo, Ind. October 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th and 5th.

The theatre going people of Chattanooga were highly entertained last night with the excellent performance of Briggs Boston Minstrels. The house was well filled, and the performance, to speak of it in a general way, was simply grand. The audience was kept laughing throughout, and the decision was universally concurred in that it is the best minstrel show ever in the city. The music of the inimitable quartette was perfectly charming and the frequency of the encore showed how much it was appreciated. Briggs' Minstrels will hereafter be a favorite here.—Chattanooga, Tenn., Daily Democrat, March 3, 1883.

Hudson Post: About 2 o'clock last Monday morning Mrs. Montgomery Mackey, of South Pittsford, was awakened by a noise in the kitchen which she supposed was made by the cat. On being further disturbed by a repetition of the same, she arose with the intention of turning pussy out of doors. On entering the kitchen she was surprised at finding the door wide open. She stamped on the floor, at the same time employing the phraseology which people usually make use of on similar occasions. Her astonishment can be better imagined than described at perceiving not a cat's familiar form, but that of a man rushing from the pantry, through the kitchen and out on the public highway, along which he sped as fast as his legs could carry him. The unbidden guest was doubtless a tramp, who failing to obtain a hearty supper was endeavoring to obtain an early breakfast.

Our town has been visited by another show—Thompson's Comedy Co. We would like to write up an event like this, but are unable to do so, as shortly after the building of our new opera house, we were obliged to discharge our dramatic editor, because, as there was only an average of one entertainment each season, it would hardly pay to keep a man especially for this business. But we must not pass by an opening of the opera house, and hence give the job of writing it up to our man who reports the dog fights, street rows, and other things that would compare favorably with this show. The few people who attended seemed to feel good to be able to get into the opera house, and would sometimes even laugh at what Thompson termed a joke, because they were so pleased to be again allowed to view the inside of one of the prettiest opera houses in Michigan. Saturday night of this week we will listen to Briggs' Operatic Minstrels. The company is good, but does not compare with Callender's, the company that was here shortly after Briggs showed the first time, but still there is nothing bad about the show, and we must all go if nothing more than to improve the chance of seeing the inside of the opera house.

As many of our citizens are afflicted with the same disease as some of our Detroit friends, we publish an extract from the Evening News in reference to the telephone, trusting it may save many an angry turn at the crank and more fully explain the workings of this great invention: When some people wish to use the telephone and do not get attended to as promptly as they desire at the central office, they lose their temper and turn the crank furiously. It may be interesting to such people to know that one call for the central office is all that is required, and that any further ringing is useless. The operator attends to what is called a "switch-board." This board is the terminus of 50 wires. Each wire has a number, and a list is before the operator containing the name of each subscriber and the number assigned him. Above the switch board is another board called the annunciator, having 50 numbers, and over each number is a small brass plate, hinged at the lower side. When a subscriber rings his telephone once it releases an armature which allows the brass plate over his number to fall down thus exposing the number. The operator answers the call as soon as she can, and replaces the plate. No bell is rung at the central office at all and those who think they are making a good deal of noise may as well know that their noise is heard only by themselves, for after the plate is dropped the operator is in blissful ignorance of their worry. When a rush occurs the operator may make a mistake and put up a number without answering it, in which case a second call would be necessary.

J. R. Cairns, the agent for the Deering Binder has opened an office and store room across the way where he will keep a full supply of those celebrated machines on hand. He has a preliminary announcement in the HERALD this week.

There will be a meeting of the old soldiers at the Opera House, Friday evening, April 27, to organize a Post of the Grand Army of the Republic. All old soldiers are respectfully invited to be present at that time.

H. W. STEVENS,
A. D. LAWRENCE, } Committee.
J. DAVIDSON,

Col. Sumner Spofford has left at our office a copy of a business pamphlet issued by the Iowa Loan and Trust Co., located at Des Moines. Des Moines is rapidly becoming one of the best towns in the west. It has a population of over thirty thousand and has thirteen railroads centering there.

On going through the extensive warerooms of Wm. McCowen, our live furniture dealer, yesterday, we were greatly surprised at the large and varied stock now on hand, comprising the finest of goods in all departments. Mr. McCowen knows the wants of the community, and parties purchasing of him will find their purchases just as recommended. He has something to say in our advertising columns this week. Read and profit thereby.

L. F. Wheeler gave his rambles at the Opera House Tuesday evening. The subject of the entertainment was Rome, Capri and Sicily, and he took his audience among the principle attractions of these ancient cities. Since leaving home last fall Mr. Wheeler had added many new scenes to his large collection and his series of entertainments are unquestionably among the best now traveling. He had a fair audience and they were more than pleased with the entertainment.

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—Errors Chains. Errors Chains.

—Points and repairs for the Gale Syracuse, Dodge, Bryan and South Bend Plows, at Snedicor's.

—Errors Chains. Errors Chains.

—Coates' thread, four cents at Cotton's.

—Farmers should examine the McCormick Harvester and Binder for 1883 before placing their order.

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Also the Michigan Manufacturing Co.'s Platform Wagons and Buggies.

—Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's

—Errors Chains. Errors Chains.

—Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

Keystone horse corn planter at Snedicor's.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Errors Chains. Errors Chains.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 19. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A M	2 10 P M	7 10 P M
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	8 30 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	8 40 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	9 20 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	9 40 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	9 50 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	[illegible]
Petrel	10 30 "	7 10 "	
Tiffin	9 25 "	5 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 14. Mail.	No. 16. Express.	No. 18. Accom.
Tiffin	7 35 A M	3 00 P M	
Petrel	10 50 "	7 25 "	
Adrian	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Tecumseh	12 51 P M	9 51 "	9 [illegible] "
Clinton	12 [illegible] "	10 07 "	9 [illegible] "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 20 "	9 [illegible] "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 35 "	10 [illegible] "
Napoleon	1 06 "	10 55 "	8 [illegible] "
Jackson	1 30 "	11 20 "	10 20 "

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"If you please, sir," said the young lady timidly, as the exchange editor handed her a chair, "I have composed a few verses, or partially composed them, and I thought you might help me finish them and then print them." She says that they are real nice as far as they go, and pa takes the Eagle every day.

She was a handsome creature, with beautiful blue eyes, and a crowning glory as yellow as golden rods. There was an expression of pathos on her face, a hopelessness that appealed to the holiest emotions, and the exchange editor made up his mind not to crush the longing of that pure heart if he never struck another lick.

"May I show you the poetry?" continued the ripe, red mouth. "You will see that I couldn't get the last lines of the verses, and if you would please be so kind as to help me—"

Help her! Though he had never even read a line of poetry, the exchange editor felt the spirit of the divine art flood his soul as he yielded to the bewildering music. Help her! Well, he should smile.

"The first verse runs like this," she went on, taking courage from his eyes:

"How softly sweet the Autumn air
The dying woodland fills
And Nature turns from restful care—"

"To anti-bilious pills," added the exchange editor with a jerk. "Just the thing. It rhymes, and it's so. You take anybody now. Half the people you meet are——"

"I suppose you know best," interrupted the young girl. "I hadn't thought of it in that way, but you have a better idea of such things. Now the second verse is like this:"

"The dove-eyed kine upon the moor
Look tender, meek and sad;
While from the valley comes the roar—"

"Of the matchless liver-pad! roared the exchange editor. "There you get it. That finishes the second so as to match the first. It combines the fashions with poetry, and carries the right idea right home to the fireside. If I only had your ability in starting a verse, and my genius in winding it up, I'd quit the shears and open in the poetry business to-morrow."

"Think so?" asked the fair young lady. "It don't strike me as keeping up the theme."

"You don't want to. You want to break the theme here and there. The reader likes it better. O yes! were you to keep up the theme it gets monotonous."

"Perhaps that's so," rejoined the beauty, brightening up. "I didn't think of that. Now I'll read the third verse:"

"How sadly droops the dying day
As night springs from the glen,
And moaning twilight seems to say—"

"The old man's drunk again, wouldn't do would it?" asked the exchange editor. "Somebody else wrote that, and we might be accused of plagiarism. We must have this thing original. Suppose we say—now just suppose we say, 'Why did I spout my pen?'"

"Is that new?" inquired the sweet, rosy lips. "At least I never heard it before. I don't know what it means."

"New? Indeed its new. Ben is the Presbyterian name for overcoat, and spout means to hock. 'Why did I spout my ben?' means: 'Why did I shove my topper? That's just what twilight would think of first, you know. O don't be afraid, that's just immense."

"Well I'll leave it to you," said the glorious girl with a smile that pinned the exchange editor's heart to his spine. This is the fourth verse:"

"The merry milkmaid's sombre song,
Re-echoes from the rocks,
As silently she trips along—"

"With holes in both her socks, by Jove!" cried the delighted exchange editor. "You see——"

"O, no, no!" remonstrated the blushing maiden. "Not that."

"Certainly," protested the exchange editor, warming up. "Nine to four she's got 'em, and you get fidelity to fact with wealth of poetical expression. The worst of poetry generally is, you can't state things as they are. It ain't like prose. But here we've busted all the established notions, and put up an actual existence with a veil of genuine poetry over it. I think that's the best idea we've struck yet."

"I don't seem to look at it as you do, but of course you are the best judge. Pa thought I ought to say:

"As silently she trips along,
In Autumn's yellow tracks."

Wouldn't that do?"

"Do! Just look at it. Does tracks rhyme to rocks? Not in the Brooklyn Eagle it don't. Besides when you say 'tracks' and 'rocks,' you give the impression of some fellow who's scratching for safety. 'Socks' on the other hand, rhymes with the 'rocks' and beautifies them, while it touches up the milkmaid, and by describing her condition shows her to be a child of the very nature you are showing up."

"I think you're right," said the sweet angel. "I'll tell pa where he was wrong. This is the way the fifth verse runs:"

"And close behind the farmer's boy
Trills forth a lusty tune,
And slips beside the outside boy—"

"And splits his pantaloons! Done it myself; know just exactly how it is. Why, bless your heart, you—"

Snip, snip, snip. Paste, paste, paste. But it is with the saddest heart that the snips and pastes among his exchanges now. The beautiful vision that for a moment dawned upon him has left but the recollection in his heart of one sunbeam in his life quenched by the shower of tears with which she denounced him as a "nasty, brute," and went out from him forever.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

Language of the Mouth.

"The latest language is the "language of the mouth." Imagine the fascination of reading a woman's character by her mouth, without any reference to what comes out of it. It can be done, however, according to a modern wiseacre, and here are the rules to be observed. If her mouth is very small, there is not much mind, but overmuch shallow sentiment. If she has a very large mouth she will possess a good brain, but the trouble is in kissing it. Large mouths put a man to an artistic test; he will be driven to his wits' end and will thus to begin at one corner and conclude on the other, or to make a heroic dash at the middle and endeavor to reach both ends. But if you are a kissing artist it can be covered nicely enough. If your sweetheart has a coarsely formed mouth she will be sensual and full of strong, coarse points of character, and will make a row in the family. If she has a delicately formed mouth, with rounded lips and of a velvety color, she will have much sensibility and perfection of character, but will not astonish by her brilliancy of conception or execution. If it is a good mouth because it is kissable and submissive. Shun blue-lipped or thin-lipped women; they will bore you to death with literature or women's rights, theorize while you want your dinner, or spoil your temper by their red-hot scolding tongues.

A Yankee in England.

At Liverpool, when I landed, I wanted to get on to Cardiff, so I asked my way of a gentleman in the street, and he says, "By Birkenhead;" but another comes up and he says, "That track is blocked with snow, and he gives me another direction, and in a civil, nice way, I shall have some funny things to tell them home. I see a notice about tickets, and I ask for one to Cardiff, and he says, "It's a pound and two." I give him two and he hands me the change. I get into the depot and says, "Where the trains?" "Here," says a sort of police officer. "The cars, I mean." "Answers, yell he says. "Them's them." "So I say, "Which for Cardiff?" and he says, "Who are you looked?" And I says, "No." "Then you can't go in unless you're booked," he says, and I began to think I had unlocked something in the way of papers, and would have to go to the American consul about it. "That be very sad, sah," said he. "It would be sad being booked," he answered in a way that made me feel timid, and I began to think of the high-handed style Britishers have of dealing with foreigners, and so I thought I would make a clean breast of the affair and tell him I didn't know what he meant; and he says: "Come this way and I'll show yer," which, holding a big fellow and me a little one, and a stranger, rather increases my trepidation, and the weather so bad and all; but he only took me to the place where I had bought my ticket, and he says, "There, that's the booking office," and I says, "What shall I do?" "Why, take your ticket," he says; and I answered that I had bought a ticket, "Why didn't you say so afore?" he says; and I said, "Why didn't you say so before?" and he says, "I did ask you if you was booked and you said no;" and then I laughed and told him I was an American and didn't understand, and then he laughed, and we had a drink.—[Correspondence New York Times.

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Following is the law of State and Corporation.

NO. 199.

SEC. 1. Any person hunting for game with firearms, traps or otherwise on any enclosed lands of another, without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of the foregoing section of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in the discretion of the court, not exceeding fifty dollars, and in case the fine imposed and the costs of prosecuting such offenders shall not be paid, he shall be confined in the county jail of the county not less than [illegible] days, for every such offense, provided, however, that no [illegible] shall be construed to prevent the owner or lessee of such premises from shooting on his premises at any time he may deem it necessary for the protection of his crops.

Approved [illegible]

CHAPTER [illegible].

SEC. 1. No person shall carry a gun, pistol, or [illegible] in any portion of said village, nor shall any person discharge any gun, pistol or firearm in said village, nor shall any person discharge any gun in any portion of said village, [illegible] a forfeiture of not less than two dollars nor more than ten dollars, to be recovered before any justice of the peace in said county, or not more than [illegible] days in the county jail, in the discretion of the court, but no person or persons so fined shall be confined in default of payment of fine, except in the cases provided by law, from which any fine is collected shall be paid into the village treasury, to be used for such purposes as may be authorized by the village council.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Tiporge W. Allen Sr., deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., late of the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the house of George W. Allen, Jr., in the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 9th day of May, 1883, and on the 9th day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of February, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 7th, 1883.

PETER S. McKINNEY, FREDERICK B. WOOD, Commissioners.

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ESTATE OF ELEAZER G. SCOFIELD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Eleazer G. Scofield, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hiram Scofield, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, and all specific legacies and expenses of administration on said estate that have accrued, and is ready to render final account and take for the allowance of said account and for a distribution of the residue of the estate of said deceased to the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr12

ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, a minor.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson, guardian of said minor, praying for the allowance of his fifth account as such guardian, which account is this day filed in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Leroy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Josephine Mead, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cyrus Mead or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of April A.D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. apr5

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license to me by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, dated March 19, A.D. 1883, as the guardian of Ellsworth Odell and Ida M. Hastings, formerly Ida M. Odell, minors, I will on the 5th day of May, A.D. 1883, at the dwelling house on the premises herein described, sell at public vendue at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, all the interest and title of said minors, viz: The undivided two-thirds of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Raisin in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven, containing forty acres of land more or less, subject to the dower and homestead rights of Lany M. Blyate widow of George Odell, deceased. Terms of sale published at or before such sale.

Dated March 22d, 1883.

MOSES L. DEAN, Guardian.

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ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Joseph Lanning, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased, in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr5

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Pennington, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late dwelling house of said deceased in Macon, in said county, on the 16th day of May, 1883, and on the 16th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 16th day of March, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated March 28, 1883.

GRANVILLE MILLS, JOHN OWEN, Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Edwin H. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 23d day of May, 1883, and on the 18th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of February, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 7th, 1883.

PETER S. McKINNEY, FREDERICK B. WOOD, Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of George W. Allen Sr., deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., late of the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the house of George W. Allen, Jr., in the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 9th day of May, 1883, and on the 9th day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of March, 1883, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 28th, 1883.

ALVINZIE WHELAN, DANIEL W. LOVE, Commissioners.

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MARRIED.

FREEMAN—WILSON—In Tecumseh, by Rev. W H. Babbitt, on Thursday, April 12, '83, Mr J J Freeman, of Tecumseh, and Miss Ella Wilson of Franklin.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining unclaimed in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 15, 1883.

Crawdhas, Miss Alice — Davenport, Abbie
Hanley, Sally — Spring, Mrs. Sarah J

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSAR SANDS, P. M.

DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning

WHEAT—No 1 white $1.07
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POTATOES—[illegible]
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TOLEDO MARKET.

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Our Goods are Sure to Please.

With confidence in the continued patronage of our citizens and with hopeful anticipations of increased sales, that we here call your attention to our new and large stock of well assorted and judiciously selected goods, purchased with a special view to the wants of this locality. Our stock will be found as complete as ever opened in this market, and certainly as fully adapted to the wants of the public. Call and examine our stock, and it shall at all times be our endeavor, by our courteous manners as well as by the polite attentions of our experienced employees, to convert the trouble of shopping into the pleasure of buying.

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Tecumseh, April 18, 1883.

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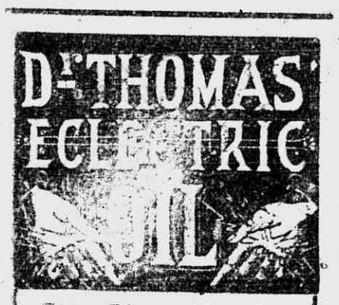

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House Furnished or Unfurnished,

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GENERAL REPAIR SHOP. I am now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

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J. R. CAIRNS, Agent.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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No greasy wall or furniture, no danger of being blown up by the stove or the lady of the house, if you buy a FRONT RANK VAPOR STOVE, and

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We are constantly receiving large additions to our stock of Clothing for men, boys, and children, selected with the utmost care and attention, making our assortment the

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Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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Special attention given to the taking of children's pictures.

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Special attention given to furnishing meals at wedding parties.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

FRANKLIN TACTS.

Last Friday occurred the annual festival of the Sheep Breeders and Wool Growers Association of Franklin. The day was fine but the meeting was hardly a success, as most of the sheep were sheared by capital shearers late in the day, and then left their sheep at home. The sheep shown were all good ones and probably the best that could be found in Franklin.

Henry Wilson, Tecumseh, one 3 yr. old ram, 4 yearling rams.

Osborn Bros., Franklin, 3 ram lambs, two 3 yr. old ewes, 6 ewe lambs.

A. J. Sayers, Franklin, one 4 yr. old ram, 3 yearling rams, two 2 yr. old rams, 3 yearling ewes.

W. C. Witherall, Franklin, 3 yearling rams, three 5 yr. old ewes, 2 yearling ewes.

Wm. Britton, Ridgeway, 3 yr. old ram, 2 yr. old ram, 3 ewe lambs.

S. J. Smith, Ridgeway, one 3 yr. old ram.

John Horning, Norvell, 10 yearling ewes.

Hiram Leonard, Franklin, one 2 yr. old ram.

Following is the table of shearing.

Name and P. O. Address of Exhibitor.	Sex.	Age.	Girth of fleece.	Weight of fleece.	Carcass.	Weight of carcass.	Fleece.	Register No.
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Henry Wilson, Tecumseh	R	1	3 5	11	18	3		48
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Osborn Bros.	R	4	3 10	8 8	15	5		46
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O. H. Remington, Clinton	R	3	3 4	11	3	12		
Johnson Park	R	2	3 12	13 8	27	11		pg
Chas. Sayers	R	1	3 11	9 8	28			
W. Witherall, Franklin	R	1	3 8	8	16			
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Barnum Bros.	R	1	3 6	7	14			
" "	R	1	3 7	7	14			
W. Witherall, Franklin	R	1	3 6	7	14			
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AN EXCITING RIDE.

When blasting was discontinued at the Wistar mine (on the Zintop Mountain, Idaho,) the writer was for the time left in charge of the mill, containing the engine, stamps, battery, etc. With the exception of Print Eberson, the "powder boy," all the other workmen were discharged.

Print remained to keep me company. The foreman and chemist in charge of the amalgamating process also left. But it was necessary that some one should stay to guard the property until it should be relieved; and as I had been engineer, I was asked to do so through the winter.

This was in November, 1874. The open sheds and bunkers of the mill were boarded up, and everything made as snug as possible, to keep out the rain and snow. Thus it happened that Print and I lived there week after week, keeping a sort of "bachelor's hall."

That is to say we done our own cooking over a small stove in the mill, and boarded ourselves. Having plenty of time, we [illegible] vines and along the mountain-sides to the north of the ridge, where the mine was located; and Print began trapping martens, the sharp squeaks of which we now heard early every morning around the mill.

As powder-boy, it had been Print's business to carry the cans of powder and nitro glycerine in and out of the "drift." The latter explosive was purchased and received there, made up in cartridges, put in long tin cases, containing each a safety fuse and a small charge of gunpowder for firing the mightier *rock-render*.

From the mine down to the stage-house, or station, the distance was five miles, over a bare stony slope, in some places somewhat steep, in others nearly level, and too barren for trees and bushes. Nothing, in fact, grew on it save tufts of wire-grass.

The station building with its sheds was in plain sight, seemingly far below us. The mine was said to be thirteen hundred feet above Nimm's Creek, along which the stage road runs. We were in the habit of going to the station every second or third day after such supplies as we needed.

With a glass however, objects at the station and along the road would be plainly observed. In our idle moments we used to sit and watch the teams coming and going.

Snow fell at times during November and December, and on the 3d or 4th of January there came a prodigious storm. For thirty-six hours the wind blew terrifically, and the whirling clouds of fine snow blew in at every crack and chink of the mill.

The only place into which it did not drift was the engine-room, and into this we moved our stove; but even here had no easy task to keep warm. Luckily, we had dry pine wood enough left from the fuel for the engine, else we should assuredly have frozen to death.

The gale did not fairly abate till the third day, when the whole country looked white and wintry indeed. Not less than four feet of snow had come. Down in the valley there seemed to be even more of it than on the mountain.

The station and its sheds looked as though they were nearly buried. A great many teams had put in there for shelter, and we could see a number of snow-laden wagons standing outside, for which there was no room in the sheds. The teamsters were shoveling paths for taking the mules down to the creek to water.

Meantime, the stock of provisions which we had brought up on our backs five days before, was exhausted; we had only a dozen frozen potatoes left in the mill.

Some snow-shoes were hastily rigged from strips of thin cottonwood boards, with bands of leather nailed on for the straps, with bands of leather nailed on for the straps, and we were about setting off to go down to the station, when Print, who had been outside the mill, came excitedly back, exclaiming:—

"The redskins have come down on the stage-house! There's an awful battle! I can hear the guns goin' *pop—pop—pop!*"

I seized the glass and ran out of the mill. Plainly enough I could hear the distant crack of rifles, and even see a faint blue wreath of powder-smoke hanging over the station. With the glass I counted seventeen or eighteen Indians, who could be seen dodging about the bluffs on the opposite side of the creek on snow-shoes.

We had heard a rumor of hostile Indians several weeks before, when "Gray Eagle's band was said to be on a marauding expedition. Such reports, in fact, are always going at frontier settlements. The plunder of so many teams, snow-bound there at the stage-house, was probably the object the savages had in view.

For us this, of course was a most alarming matter. We knew not how soon the redskins might see our smoke and come up to the mine. There was nothing to prevent their seeing it; indeed, we had no doubt they had seen it all the morning.

Setting Print to watch their movements, I fell to work and barricaded the entrances to the mill as effectively as possible, with logs and uncrushed lumps of ore.

In the course of an hour, Print called out that the Indians had drawn off from the station and gone up to the timber, at the "bend" of the creek. Here they camped.

The teamsters and Hawkins at the station had given them so hot a reception that they had given up the attack, it seemed, but had camped near by, to be on the lookout for the teams. We could see their smoke. The bend was nearly a mile nearer the mine than the stage-house. The creek there bent back to the northwest; while the stage-house lay down a little south of east from the mine.

We had proof, only a little after noon, that the savages knew of our being at the mine. I was cleaning out one of two old carbines, when Print rushed in, saying that three Indians were coming up the mountain.

These were, however, merely scouts, who had come out to reconnoitre us. They walked entirely round the the crest of the ledges where the mine was located, but kept at a respectful distance. I sent two balls whizzing past their heads, to let them know we were ready for them; and Print had a nitro-glycerine cartridge ready to sling at them, if they ventured near. After peeping at the mills from all sides, they went away.

Meantime, the sky had darkened again. The weather was moderating, and by four o'clock rain was falling. We made a very thin soup of the shakings of a meal-bag and boiled and ate a few of our frozen potatoes; not very nourishing fare. I kept watch through the night, but let Print sleep a part of the time.

About midnight the sky cleared and the air became colder, with the wind from the north. By sunrise it was freezing sharply. The whole slope to the east and far onward over the bare peaks, beyond the creek, shone like ice.

A sharp crust had formed over the deep snow, not hard or thick enough to bear up a man, though a cayote might have run on it. There was no stirring out from the station; and, the Indians were still up at their camp in the timber, as we saw by their smoke.

By this time we were both getting hungry enough. We were actually suffering for want of food, and should the savages remain there, long we should be starved out. Had the nights been dark, I should have been hopeful of reaching the station under cover of the darkness; but there was a nearly full moon at the time, which on that snow crust, would render all objects plainly visible.

The savages were beyond doubt keeping a close watch, and it would be almost certain [illegible] than three fourths of a mile to run to our door. Yet in the famishing condition in which we were, and growing hungrier every hour, I had about concluded that we must both risk endeavoring to get to the stage-house, when Print suggested sliding down to the station on a hand-sled.

"But where's your hand-sled?" I asked.

"I can make one he said. "It will be a fearfully long slide, but I believe we can do it."

"Well, but won't the redskins head us off all the same?" said I.

"They'll have hard work to do it, when once we get a goin'," cried Print so confidently that I began to enter into his scheme.

Print, in fact, was from one of the Eastern states, where the boys are used to coasting. For myself, it was a matter I knew next to nothing of, snow being a rarity, indeed, in my native state of Louisiana.

So Print set to work to make a hand-sled—after a plan of his own. The "runners," as he called them, were fashioned from two wide pieces of ash plank, shaved off to a point at the front ends. While he was chamfering these, he bade me take off two hoops of broad sheet-iron from an empty tierce that stood in the store-room.

The hoops he straightened, smoothed and nailed to the bottoms of his runners, for shoes. So broad were the pieces of plank that the runners stood nearly a foot high, and they were coupled together with four or five stout ash cross-pieces, or bars.

A wide bit of board was nailed top of these to sit on; and this, with two or three cleats to hold on by, completed the vehicle. It was eight feet long by two and a half feet wide.

I advised putting up side-pieces to hold us on; but Print said no, we must cling by the cleats. He explained that he had made it longer than ordinary coasting sleds, in order that it might be sure not to cut into the snow-crust. In short, Print seemed to understand the business so well that I had merely to keep quiet and let him go ahead his own way.

I should say he was from three to four hours making his sled, with what aid I could give him; and the moment it was done he was for starting off. My own faith was not so strong as was his, and for some minutes I hesitated.

"Get on!" exclaimed Print. "We'll be there in ten minutes, or less time."

The sun was sinking low; but the whole broad, snowy slope shone and glistened like glass. From the north a cold wind blew in long, heavy gusts. It seemed a fearful ride and a fearful risk. I went back to get one of the carbines.

"Better leave it," Print said. "You'll have all you can do to hold on, without shutin'! Get pretty well forward and hang to them cleats like a sheep-tick. I'll ride behind and steer her down."

He pushed the sled along to the verge of the slope—and an instant later, we were gliding down the first of the steep inclines.

Faster—faster—faster!

How the cold wind cut our faces. The tears flew into my eyes. Jump—jump—jump we went, over hummocks and hollows.

Then came a wide level stretch across which the sled darted like a shuttle, bouncing from knoll to knoll; and ere I had hardly time to catch my breath, we were shooting down another steep ridge-side, fairly throwing up a spray from the icy snow-crust.

"Hold fast!" Print yelled; and next instant we were *ricochetting* over a frightfully rough place, where the snow scarcely filled the hollows betwixt the rocks. *Bound—thump—grind!* and we were capsized and went headlong.

But Print was up again in a moment—dragging the sled along to the crest of another steep descent. Save for a few bruises, we were uninjured.

"It's all plain sailing now," cried Print. "The roughest is past. But hold on tight! For we shall go like a lightning express down here!"

Already we were half way down to the station, with no Indians in sight. But we had hardly shoved off when a distant yell came to our ears, from up towards the timber-belt.

"There they are! They've seen us!" exclaimed Print. "Quick now!"

But before we had got well going, we saw three—*four*—FIVE redskins skimming along the crust on their *raquettes*, far down [illegible]

The sled gathered headway and shot down the long, glistering incline, Print keeping it headed straight for the station with an occasional jab of his heel. But those redskins were skating along on their raquettes as fast as a man could run; and they had but a comparatively short distance to go.

One was some distance in advance of the other four. I saw he had a gun. He intended to get very near us before we passed. I honestly think we were going a mile a minute. I could scarcely draw breath. The Indians raised a yell and rushed forward.

We were close on them now. The forward one stopped. I saw him cocking his gun—to let us have it when we dashed past. But he didn't get the chance for that. "*Hang!*" Print shouted to me, and gave a hard kick to the right, sending the sled straight on to the savage.

It was all done in a second of time, and my eyes were nearly blinded with the icy spray; but I felt a shock and indistinctly saw that Indian going heels over head—over and over.

Bang—bang—bang! went three or four guns at close quarters, but fortunately they all missed us.

Next moment we dashed up a big drift clean over the roof of one of the stage sheds—struck whack in the crust of the other side, bounded on twice or three times more, and brought up down in the bed of the creek.

The teamsters gave a "hurrah," and running out picked us up and helped us in.

We saw the redskin we had run down crawling slowly away; and presently the others carried him off to their camp.

We were blockaded there at the stage-house for over a fortnight, before a thaw came, when a company of cavalry arrived from the fort below, and cleared the road of Indians.—*Youth's Companion.*

Whalebone Now and Formerly.

Whalebone once brought a very high price, especially when hoopskirts were more in fashion than they are to-day. The Dutch formerly paid $3,500 for a ton of whalebone, but since 1763 it has never brought anything like that price. In 1818 it brought $450 a ton, in 1824 from $530 to $545; and in 1844 it varied from $1,080 for southern to $1,500 for northern bone. As the whale becomes scarce, of course whalebone will rise in the market, and at present the Dutch and the Scotch whalers are doing a very poor business. The Americans also complain, and now that this is the case, the inventive genius of man is trying hard to find a substitute for whalebone, and so far they have met with some success. Leather has given great satisfaction, and there is quite a similarity between the two substances. The horns, after undergoing a special process, are cut into strips which are compressed and straightened and rendered suitable for any purpose by the dressmaker. Compressed cane has also been adopted to act as a substitute for whalebone, but does not answer the purpose as well as buffalo horn. In France whalebone is 15 francs the kilogram; that it to say, it has tripled in price during the last quarter of a century. In 1853 the quantity of bone brought into the United States was 6,652,300 pounds; in 1873 it was 190,000 pounds; in 1880, 100,000 pounds. In 1853 whalebone was worth 35 cents a pound; in 1876, $2.50; and at the present time it is said to be selling at $2 per pound. In 1857, 143 vessels comprised the Greenland fleet, and in 1877 only sixteen were sent out. It will be observed that the business varies considerably from time to time, and it seems pretty certain that the best days of whaling are over for the present. It is said that nearly one-half of our whalebone is exported to France and Germany. There is no doubt that there is more whalebone consumed in Paris than in any other city in the world, for Paris carries off the palm in the manufacture of parasols and articles in the making of which whalebone forms a very material part. Then there are walking sticks and riding and driving whips, canes, corset bones, corset clasps, busks, hat bone, suspender bone, fishing rods and tips, landing rods for nets, drill bones, ferules, splints, probangs, paper cutters and folders, graining combs, boot shanks, shoe horns, policemen's loaded clubs, that require whalebone in their composition.

The best whalebone is obtained from the Greenland whale. From the mouth of one of those monsters from 2,000 to 3,000 pounds are often taken. The manufacture of whalebone into articles of use and ornament is not so extensive as one might imagine. It is principally confined to New York and Boston, four manufactories being in the former and three in the latter. When the raw whalebone is first received at the factory the hair is cut off in slabs. They are then soaked in water until they are soft, after which they are scraped of all the gum that adheres to them. They are next put in a steam-box, where a workman straightens them with a knife; they are finally polished, and are then ready to be made use of for any purpose that the dresser may see fit. Whalebone is principally used, nowadays, in the manufacture of whips and corsets. Umbrella frames used to be made altogether of whalebone, but since its scarcity and high price, steel is mostly used for this purpose. Whalebone hats and whalebone ribbon have just come into vogue. The former look very beautiful and are very comfortable on the head.—*Boston Transcript.*

Words of Wisdom.

Whatever is obtained by deceit cheats no man as much as the getter.

We lose the peace of years when we hunt after the rapture of moments.

An elevated purpose is a good and ennobling thing, but we cannot begin at the top of it.

If you would keep a book and daily put down the things that worry you and see what becomes of them they would be of a benefit to you.

It is not well to give up the battle after a single defeat. Some people are totally discouraged by a disappointment, while others are so enraged by it that their strength and persistency are doubled.

The liberal reward of labor, as it is the necessary effect, so it is the natural symptom of increasing national wealth. The scanty maintenance of the laboring class on the other hand is the natural symptom that things are at a stand or going backwards.—[Adam Smith.

Nothing so assuages our feelings, even in the bitterness of parting by death, as the consciousness of having left nothing undone, little or great that lay in our power to bring a smile to the face or a cheerful feeling to the heart of those who have gone before us.

Though it be but a trifle—even a flower by the wayside, if it have beauty and fragrance—pluck it and hand it to your fellow-traveler, for if you wait to do great things for him the may have fallen from your side and disappeared forever before you have done aught to gladden his heart.

What are all regrets compared with the anguish of having parted from a friend—perhaps from our best beloved—with unkind and cruel words? It may have been those words were uttered carelessly, lightly, as the wild and wanton breezes weeps by; but they leave a pain, as the breeze leaves some scattered rose-leaves to mark its track.

Grasshoppers as Food.

In the Sierra and Martis valleys Indian huts can be seen, and in and around them are congregated the warriors and squaws of the tribe, their sisters, cousins and their aunts, all intent upon the accomplishment of the grand result. As usual, the squaws do the work while the noble lords loll upon the green sward, smoke their pipes and dreamily and lazily gaze upon the countless myriads of buzzing hoppers that fill the air and devour the vegetation. The squaws, carrying queer cone-shaped baskets of great capacity, scoop the grasshoppers with a fan-shaped implement into their large baskets, and when loaded carry the wiggling mass of insects to camp and then prepare them for food. The grasshoppers, killed and subsequently dried, are mixed with mashed pine nuts and cracked wheat, and make into bread, most delicious to the palate of the Washoe. Visitors at the camp are always invited, in accordance with Indian hospitality to partake of the compound, and great is the astonishment of poor Lo at the disgust expressed by the white man for food of this kind. To the limited mind of the Indian, it is incomprehensible that any one should reject food which in his vernacular is defined as being "muchee good."

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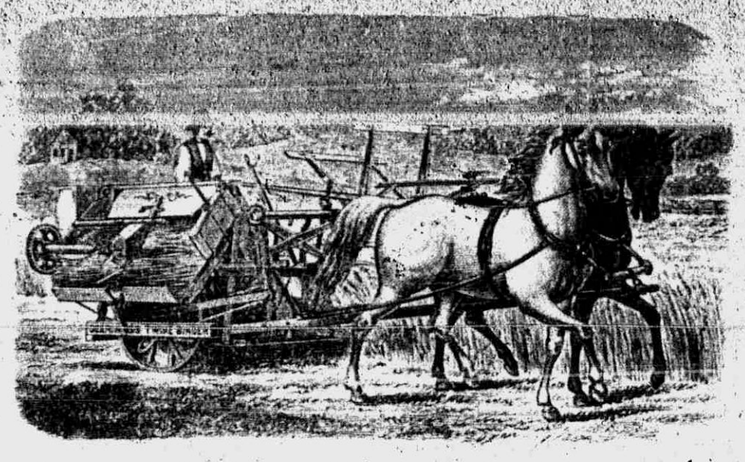

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2d. The season of 1882 was one Grand Triumph for the Deering. In spite of the tangled and fallen condition of the grain, it picked up and bound it cleaner and more perfectly than could have been done by hand.

3d. In field trials and at fairs it has been universally successful, carrying off more prizes than any other machine made.

4th. It was the ONLY Binder last Harvest that separated every sheaf in the worst tangled grain.

5th. The binding is entirely automatic, requiring no attention for operation, no foot trip to operate, no moving the binder backward and forward to find the grain, no movable disc to hunt for the bundles to be tied, but all the grain goes to its proper place and is bound in neat round sheafs of exactly the same size.

6th. Every sheaf is tightly compressed first, and then tied in a firm unyielding band of twine.

7th. There is no strain whatever on the twine in tying.

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13th. The Deering has been often tried, never denied, and ready and willing to be tried again.

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GENTLEMEN—Replying to your favor of 28th inst., permit me to say that I am surprised that you or any intelligent men whatever, would notice for a moment the story told by your competitors that all the Deering Binders sent into Michigan this year were 1882 machines painted over. Surely your competing Binders must be without any substantial merits to recommend them to the farmers of Lenawee county, if their agents are obliged to resort to such dirty work as this in order to make their sales.

You are hereby authorized to use my name at any and all times to pronounce such statements as wilfull and deliberate falsehoods, told by men who know they are lying when they peddle such stuff.

So far from this being the case, Mr. Deering is now running his shops on his twelvth thousand for 1883, double the number of any other manufacturer. Is it likely or probable that he would build so many if he had been forced to carry over the amount stated by your competing friends, or even one-half, or one-fourth as many.

The truth of the matter is, Mr. Deering has not been able to fill all his orders at any time since he has commenced building his prevent perfect binder; and now with his force turning out 300 of those new knotters every day, he can't begin to fill his orders. I am waiting now for machines for Michigan, where orders were sent in three weeks ago.

As to our new knotter being an experiment, I ask you as a candid man, if it is at all reasonable, or to be thought of for a moment, that Mr. Deering, knowing that he had already the best binder in the world, would invest $150,000 in putting this knotter on 15,000 binders if it was only an experiment. No, indeed it has been thoroughly tested in every possible condition of grain in the heavy straw of 1882, and the green wheat in Texas in 1883.

We warrant it the best knot-tyer for Binders now known.

Now in conclusion, allow me to suggest that you will not under any circumstances, and I know you are too far above such, resort to the dirty, slimy work, by which some machines are forced on the market. Mr. Deering has, by twenty five years of straightforward, honorable conduct, built up one of the finest industries in the United States, and cannot afford to wreck it by conducting his business in an unbusiness-like manner such as you speak of. He can, and will meet all honorable competition, but when it becomes necessary to resort to trickery and very questionable methods, to sell his machines, he will withdraw them from the market and retire from their manufacture.

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The Pleasures of Business.

No human mind is contented without occupation. No human soul is satisfied without an aim or purpose in life. The greatest success in life consists not in the mere accumulation of riches, but in being able to acquire wealth with a disposition to apply it in such a manner that it shall be a blessing and comfort to others—not in the mere giving away of money, but in putting people in a way to labor and help themselves. There is no pleasure in oppression. There is no joy in grinding and exacting gold from the poor; but there is a great deal of genuine satisfaction in being able to offer steady and honorable employment to the many willing hands that have nothing to do. One of the greatest enjoyments of the prosperous business man [illegible] to concerningly provide for the many employes in his house or manufactory. In doing this he is fulfilling his obligations to society; he becomes a useful and honored citizen; business to him is a real pleasure; he enjoys his successes, when they are fairly won, because he feels that he deserves them.

When a business man has the right kind [illegible] tion, he feels a just and worthy pride in his prosperity, he is pleased with the respect and gratitude of those whom he directs and controls in the management of his affairs, and he feels that in benefitting himself he is conferring a favor upon others. —*Criterian.*

Exterminating Vermin.

A correspondent of the American Agriculturist says, regarding the best means of exterminating vermin on poultry and hogs: Kerosene and lard are as essential in the poultry house as soap and water in the nursery, and I would as soon think of going without the latter as the former. I never see the sign of a louse unless we are careless and neglect the remedy, or rather the preventive. I do not wait until the chicks are ten or twelve days old, for by that time the mischief would be done; but I begin the fall before, and all through the winter, once in two or three weeks, rub the roosting poles with a mixture of lard and kerosene, half and half, and put it on the corners of the nest boxes. When I set a hen I use new, soft, clean hay, and on each corner of the box pour clear kerosene; it must not touch the eggs. If very late in the season, it will be best to repeat this a few days before hatching. I take the chicks out as fast as they are dry, and keep by the kitchen stove in a basket under a woolen blanket one or two days. Then each chick's head is rubbed with the anti-louse mixture, and any stray insect that may have lain in wait in some unguarded spot will never obtain a meal from that chick. Care must be taken not to put on too much, or it will run into the eyes.

New Ballot-Box.

It is said a man in Newton, Mass., has invented and patented a ballot-box that he claims is fraud-proof. If this is the case he has struck a valuable thing, that as the ancients used to say, "will fill a long felt want." The box is a very simple one, and works as follows: The ballot is put in at the top, through a small slit, and then passes between two rollers, on the largest of which is a canceling stamp. After the ballot is canceled it falls into the bottom of the box, the receptacle for the ballots. The ballot is drawn between the rollers by the turning of a crank, and when it is turned a bell rings to call attention to the fact that the box is in operation. A register is attached, which shows correctly the number of ballots that have passed into the box. The ballots can be removed from the box at any time while voting is in progress, and be counted; but when they are taken out the canceling stamp is changed, so that every lot removed from the box will bear a different stamp. If two or more ballots are put in at once, only one is canceled, and the register will indicate that only one ballot has been cast. The number of votes must agree with the number indicated by the register, and, if they do not agree, it shows that fraudulent votes have been cast.—*Detroit Free Press.*

The accidents that arise to ordinary balloons almost always occur in the descent, which, if the wind is high, requires great care and skillful management. In this case the propelling power would be most especially useful; the aeronaut could choose his place of landing with precision, and, by turning his head to the wind, he could avoid the dragging which is so dangerous, and which has so often brought a fatal termination to balloon voyagers. The worst conjecture conceivable would be a breakdown of the propelling machinery at a time when it was wanted to aid the descent in a gale. But the risk of such a break-down could be made very slight by ordinary mechanical precautions.

On the whole, there can be no good reason to believe that the dangers would be more formidable with this than with other kinds of locomotion, and when we remember the frightful casualties that so frequently now occur in land, river and sea traffic, and consider how many of their causes would be absent in the free paths of the air, we may probably even venture to assert that balloons would be the safest as well as the pleasantest mode of traveling.

As a set-off against all this, however, there is one great objection to aerial locomotion, namely, the uncertainty it must always be liable to in consequence of the effect of the wind. We must not ignore this; on the contrary, we will endeavor to estimate its exact value. We will assume that we can steam through the air in any direction at the rate of thirty miles an hour; but this will only count for useful locomotion in a dead calm; if there is any wind, by carrying the balloon along with it, it will clearly influence both the effective direction and the effective speed.—*Dr. Wm. Pole, in Fortnightly Review.*

Laughing off a Duel.

"Speaking of the Cash-Shannon duel," said the exchange fiend, putting his feet in the waste-basket, "we need a few men like Judge Dooley. He laughed out of duels with an audacious wit that compelled even the admiration of his enemies. You remember he said, when they threatened that if he didn't fight his name would fill the columns of a newspaper, that he would rather fill ten newspapers than one coffin. Once he went on the field with a man who had St. Vitus's dance. His opponent, was standing at his post, his whole frame jerking nervously from his malady. Dooley in the soberest manner, left his post and cutting a forked stick stuck it in the ground in front of his opponent.

"What does this mean?" asked his opponent.

"Why," says Dooley, "I want you to rest your pistol in that fork, so that you can steady your aim. If you shoot at me with that hand jerking so, you'll pepper me full of holes at the first fire."

"Then there was a laugh all around, and the duel was put off without a day."

Founder.

Founder may be caused by sudden changes of temperature, over-exertion on hard roads, over feeding, large draughts of cold water, standing in snow or ice-water while warm; or it may be due to rheumatism, or a sequel to strangles, influenza, etc. If the horse is shod, remove the shoes. Cut down the rim of the hoof all around to such an extent that only the sole and the frog touches the ground. Do not pare away anything from the sole or frog. Then place him on an earthen floor and not on a plank floor unless it is kept well littered. Envelop the feet in large, soft, cold poultices of equal parts of bran and linseed meal. If raised tenderness give also scarify the skin above the hoof and place the feet in warm water to stimulate bleeding. [illegible] each of sodophyline and capsicum, made in to a ball. Give every hour from the beginning of the attack [illegible] drops tincture of aconite root, until six doses are given. If after two or three days, the fever and pain in the feet do not decrease, thin down the sole at the toe and make an incision sufficiently deep to start bleeding, and encourage the same by immersing the feet in warm water. [illegible] round the pasture. Give loosening food. Subsequently give liberty outdoors when weather permits, during daytime.—*Western Rural.*

Paying for his Whistle.

Not many years ago, when a lofty building was on the point of completion, the mason was in the habit of whistling to the laborer who attended him whenever he wanted a fresh supply of mortar and, as the scaffold on which he wrought was rather small, this occurred very often during a day's job. A joiner, who was fitting in a window immediately underneath, noticing Pat answer dutifully to every call from the mason, thought of playing a trick on him by imitating the whistle, and thus brought him up with a hodful of mortar when there was no room for it. The mason told Pat that he had not whistled, so he had no other alternative than to trudge back with his load. This having occured the third time during the day, Pat thought he would watch to hear where the whistle came from.

He had not watched long with the hod on his shoulder when he heard the identical whistle underneath where he stood, and, leaning over, he saw the head of the joiner protruding out of the window immediately below. Pat, without more ado, emptied the hod right over the whistler's head. The joiner yelled and sputtered while attempting to clear himself from the adhesive mass; and, in the midst of his confusion, heard Pat above shouting at the top of his voice: "Whistle when you want some, more mortar."

How to Keep Healthy.

Do not neglect ventilating your bedrooms when the weather becomes cold. In the morning hoist the windows, take off the bed-clothes, shake and stir the ticks, turn the upper one over the footroll. This will prevent the impure odors penetrating further, and they will escape faster while the bed is warm, and you will not have to wait for the beds to air when you are ready to make them.

In hot weather we sleep with all the windows open, but do not allow the wind to blow directly upon us. In the coldest nights of winter we only leave the doors open connecting with other rooms. On no account sleep in tight rooms without at least a crack to admit of pure air. Plenty of fresh air gives health, strength and elasticity to the lungs and body.

Keep the pores of the skin open, to let the impurities pass out freely, by washing the body once a week in winter and oftener in summer. Have the room warm, bathe quickly and wipe dry, and you will not feel chilly if it has been done properly. If all the clothing worn by day were aired while we sleep in other garments, much health and comfort would be added to life. One-third of our lives is spent in our sleeping-rooms. Do be particular about them. Let them be large, dry and pleasant.

A Boy Again.

Sometimes an old man becomes a boy again, though too smart to drop into his second childhood. An illustration of this pleasant tendency was given, not many months since, by an old man worth several millions.

He was in the habit of prowling around the office of the insurance company in which he was a director. One morning, as he was thus investigating, he happened to come across the dinner-pail of the office-boy. His curiosity led him to take off the cover. A slice of home-made bread, two doughnuts, and a piece of apple-pie tempted the millionaire's appetite. He became a boy again, and the dinner-pail seemed the one he had carried sixty years ago.

Just then the office boy came in and surprised the old man eating the pie—he had finished the bread and the doughnuts.

"This is my dinner you're eating!" exclaimed the boy, indignantly.

"Yes, sonny, I suspect it may be—it's a mighty long, long, for all that, I've not eaten so good a one for sixty years."

"There," he added, as he finished the pie, "take that and go out and buy yourself a dinner, but you won't get as good a one." And he handed the boy a five dollar bill.

For days the old man kept [illegible] the glass dinner he had eaten from the boy's pail.

There are two pairs of eyes in man; and it is requisite that the pair which is beneath should be closed when the pair which is above them perceive; and that when the pair above is closed, that which is beneath is opened. The lower eyes see only surfaces and effects, the upper eyes behold causes and the connection of things. And when we go alone, or come into the house of thought and worship, we come with purpose to be disabused of appearances, to see realities, the great lines of our destiny, to see that life has no caprice or fortune, is no hopping squib, but a growth after immutable laws under beneficent influences the most immense. The church is open to great and small in all nations; and how rare and lofty, how unattainable, are the aims it labors to set before men! We come to educate, come to isolate, to be abstractionists; in fine to open the upper eyes to the deep mystery of cause and effect, to know that though ministers of justice and power fail, Justice and Power fail never. The open secret of the world is the art of subliming a private soul with inspirations from the great and public and divine Soul from which we live.—[Emerson.

Did you ever notice a poor chap that stands in the first picture in the almanac, with the fish and sheep and scorpions and bulls and twins, etc., around him? Did you ever notice that he was naked and had nothing in his stomach? Well, that poor fellow used to edit a paper, and didn't exact pay in advance for subscriptions.

"The Trapper's Last Shot."

He was probably christened James, but is always Jim now, and, along with the greater part of his christened name, he has almost entirely lost his surname. If he had been a few shades lighter, he might have been "Colored Jim," but black being the absorption of all colors, this name would not fit him, so he is known, wherever known at all, as "Nigger Jim." He is an expert trapper and fisherman, but, rather oddly, considering these gifts, a poor marksman. For years he lugged about a carried in his soul an ancient flint-lock Queen's arm, so cloudy in its action that it would kill quicker with only a charge of powder, so fine and yet so nearly brought home any spoils of shot or ball. [illegible] however, he made a very telling shot. It was on an October morning, and he was paddling his light, trapping skiff up the channel for Wonakakatuk's lake as silently as any Indian could, when, as he rounded a bend, he saw through the tall stalks of the wild rice at least a dozen ducks sitting among the lily-pads in the edge of the channel, not six rods from him. Here was his long-desired chance, and no sooner did he descry them than a backward stroke of his paddle stopped the headway of the craft just before she poked her sharp nose in sight of the unsuspecting foul. Then he laid the paddle in the boat without the slightest noise, and as silently lifted from her resting-place his old gun whose true inwardness at that moment consisted of all the powder in her owner's possession and a handful of B B shot, both wadded with a half-pound or so of waspnest. He cautiously thrust her muzzle through the rice stalks, cocked her without a tell-tale click of the ponderous lock, set the breech-plate firmly against his shoulder, laid his cheek to the stock, took such long and deliberate aim that a spider, setting his snare among the rusty barrel before Jim, shutting both eyes, set his teeth, and with a sturdy pull unhitched. There was a dazzling flash in the pan, as if a kettle full of lard had caught fire, and then the noble weapon belched forth a horizontal column of flame and smoke, kicked Jim and his skiff half the boat's length astern, and gave a roar that went bellowing down the creek, across the lake, and was tossed back and forth from Split Rock Mountain to Shellhouse for five minutes before it lost its voice. When Jim got his eyes opened and his wits gathered, he peered through the eddying smoke and saw—not a feather raised, not one wounded duck fluttering its last, but some riding unconcernedly with their heads knocked off and some keel up in a quarter-acre of fine splinters. Then up rose two Boston men from among the rushes, and the fire and smoke and uproar and vicious recoil of Jim's gun were as nothing to the vials of wrath which they poured out upon his early, devoted head. Never was such paddling done on these waters as Jim did till he put half a mile of Wonakakatuk's channel seething with his rapid strokes, between himself and the scene of bloodless slaughter. Then he shoved his boat into the rushes and skulked ashore. Next day he offered his gun for sale, giving as a reason that she burned so much powder no poor man could afford to keep her. He effected a sale at $1.50, and has done no duck-shooting since. He says, with emphatic shakes of the head, "Any man that'll try to fool ducks with them wooden images will steal sheep! Yes sir, 'course he will!"—*Forest and Stream.*

Out-Door Air and Exercise.

The surest of all natural prophylactics is active exercise in the open air. Air is a part of our daily food, and by far the most important part. A man can live on seven meals a week, and survive the warmest summer day with seven draughts of fresh water, but his supply of gaseous nourishment has to be renewed at least fourteen thousand times in the twenty-four hours. Every breath we draw is a draught of fresh oxygen, every emission of breath is in evacuation of gaseous recrements. The purity of our blood depends chiefly on the purity of the air we breathe, for in the laboratory of the lungs the atmospheric air is brought into contact at each respiration with the bloods of the venous and arterial systems, which absorb it and circulate it through the whole body; in other words, if a man breathes the vitiated atmosphere of a factory all day and of a close bedroom all night, his life blood is tainted 14,000 times in the course of the twenty four with foul vapors, dust, and noxious exhalations. We need not wonder, then, that ill-ventilated dwellings aggravate the evils of so many diseases, nor that pure air should be almost a panacea.

Out-door life is both a remedy and a preventive of all known disorders of the respiratory organs; consumption, in all but the last stage of the *deliquium*, can be conquered by transferring the battle-ground from the sick-room to the wilderness of the next mountain range.

Asthma, catarrh, and tubercular phthisis are unknown among the nomads of the intertropical deserts, as well as among the homeless hunters of our Northwestern Territories. Hunters and herders, who breathe the pure air of the South American pampas, subsist for years on a diet that would endanger the life of a city dweller in a single month. It has been repeatedly observed that individuals who attained to an extreme old age were generally poor peasants whose vocations required daily labor in the open air, though their habits differ in almost every other respect; also that the average duration of life in various countries of the Old World depends not so much on climatic peculiarities or their respective degree of culture as on the chief occupation of the inhabitants; the starved Hindoo outlives the well-fed Parsee merchant, the unkempt Bulgarian enjoys an average longevity of forty-two years to the West Austrian citizen's thirty-five.—*Dr. Felix L. Oswald.*

Russian History in Brief.

The area of the Russian Empire is 8,331,004 square miles. The population, including Poles, Finns, Caucasians and Asiatics, is 85,685,945. The area of Russia proper is 1,881,216 miles, and its population 65,704,559. No other country in Europe has as large territory or as many inhabitants. The late Czar ascended the throne March 2, 1855, after the battle of Balaklava and Inkerman, and in the midst of the siege of Sebastopol. His reign was exactly twenty-six years and eleven days in duration. His father, Nicholas, reigned thirty years (1825-1855), and his great-uncle, Alexander I., twenty-four years (1801-1825). There have been but three Czars of Russia in this century. Alexander III. was born, 1845. The last Czar of Russia who met his death at the hands of an assassin previous to the late Emperor, was Paul, the son of the famous Catharine (1796-1801.) Spite of the repeated attempts upon the lives of the rulers of Russia, the average length of reigns in that Kingdom has been greater than in most other countries of Europe.

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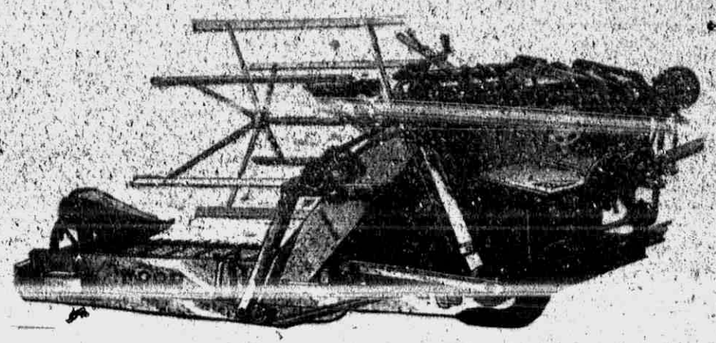

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The manufacturers have followed up the new binder, during the progress of the harvest of 1882, through grain fields without number, from one end of the United States to the other, from Texas to Dakota, from Virginia to Vermont, and even as far north as Prince Edward Island in the British Dominions—where the latest growing grain crops are to be found—and the results of this close and protracted inspection have fully warranted the representations made, strong though they be.

There has been various improvements of importance in the details of both the Harvester and Binder for 1883. All we ask is for the farmers of this vicinity to examine the Walter A. Wood Machines before placing their order, and we have no fear as to the result, as it is conceded by all that it is the most perfect machine in all its details, manufactured.

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AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

Jack Frost in the Lap of Spring.

Cincinnati Enquirer: We stop the press to announce that the late warm weather has been frost-bitten.

The Tariff Will Not Down.

Boston Post, Dem.: The party that wins in 1884 will be the party that vigorously fights against excessive taxation.

Not Free Trade, But Freer Trade.

Boston Herald, Ind.: Tax trade-goods as heavily, and say protection means tariff protection. Not free trade, but lessened duties, greater revenue.

Don't All Do It.

Lafayette Star: It is [illegible] work [illegible] their government positions [illegible] questions before they have ascertained the [illegible] of [illegible]

Shut Down For Repairs.

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A Good Selection Out in Left.

N. Y. World: The [illegible] for the customers of the Civil Service [illegible] of Mr. Keiper, any office for Ulysses Grant, a wire puller for Don Cameron and the nominee of Judge A. Legendre is an excellent one. It has [illegible] the advantage of disabusing at the earliest possible moment the simple souls who might [illegible] expecting place [illegible] from Mr. Dorman B. Eaton [illegible] Presidential election was over, and the comments upon the appointments have [illegible] that the press is as wide awake to the importance of the great [illegible] service [illegible] was. This is a great [illegible] between those [illegible] suggested as candidates, [illegible] that Mr. Dorman will make the best, while Mr. Eaton holds the [illegible]

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST. A yellow tanned shepard dog, of medium size and a little shabby. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving same at the Exchange Hotel.

WANTED. I want to buy a light horse for family use. E. S. AVERY.
TECUMSEH, MAY 3d, 1883.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE. Bidwell and Kentucky strawberry plants, from T. S. Lyon's stock. $1.00 per hundred. Larger lots at a discount. S. C. STACY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioner of Highways of the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, will on the 10th day of May A. D., 1883, at the place of building the bridge hereafter described, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, offer at public auction to the lowest bidder the contract for the removing and rebuilding of a bridge in said township of Tecumseh, over Bidwell's Creek, on the road known as the Bidwell road, near the residence of Mr. Bidwell, said bridge to be of thirty foot span, sixteen feet wide.
W. R. NEYSEN,
Commissioner of Highways.
Dated, May 1, 1883.

TO RENT. Furnished or unfurnished rooms, with board, to gentleman or lady. Apply at residence of H. S. LEE, Chicago St.

NOTICE. Day boarders, or nice sober gentlemen lodgers, can get good board by the week, by calling at the first door north of Steam Mills, or enquiring at the HERALD OFFICE.

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PURE BLOOD COTSWOLD BUCK for sale cheap. Call at my residence and examine him. S. C. STACY.

NOTICE. Farmers having cans belonging to us will oblige by returning at once.
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FOR SALE. An elegant counter and good show case will be sold cheap for cash. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

DISSOLUTION.—The undersigned would hereby give notice that they have this day dissolved partnership, and that the business formerly carried on under the firm name of Hough & Trann will hereafter be conducted by Mr. Hough, who will settle all accounts due to or against the firm. J. B. HOUGH,
TECUMSEH, April 25, '83. J. L. TRANN.

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AN HOUR AT ADRIAN.

During a short trip to Adrian last week, we called on B. S. Barnes at his furniture works, and found him prospering. He is constantly extending and enlarging his business, and seems to have struck a field of labor for which he is admirably adapted.

W. B. Mumford was selling books as usual. He is enjoying the boom which the new Wabash line gave all Adrian business men, and is well pleased with the present outlook.

James A. Eaton was found at his accustomed place behind the cashier's desk, and he too was well satisfied with the outlook for a good season's trade. Our old friend, Wm. Van Camp is now clerking at Eaton's, and we enjoyed a pleasant chat with him.

We spent a few moments at the Court House, before Court adjourned for the day. The business of the term is being expedited satisfactorily. With Judge Howell on the bench, T. M. Hunter at the clerk's desk, Sheriff Bidwell guarding the criminals, and Attorney Salsbury representing the people, the circuit court was never better officered than at present.

THE ADDISON RUCTION.

The Hudson Gazette gives the other side of the railroad war last week at Addison. Our account in last week's HERALD was somewhat overdrawn.

There were startling rumors of strikes and riots on Saturday on the part of Polack hands working on the new R. R. at Addison. One John Wynd said to be a dangerous leader was captured and conveyed to Adrian, and nearly the whole police force of the county was beseeched to go to the scene of war and bloodshed, the Adrian military being ordered to get ready to march even. Nothing like it since the frogs of old so scared the brave people of Windham. Come to get at the facts it appears that a contractor named Carrigan proposed to settle with his gang at $1.25 a day, whereas he had agreed to pay $1.50 as the men claim. He had gouged them in other ways, overcharging for board, speculating on orders. The Polacks, under the advise and lead of Wynd, who was the only one among them who could understand or speak English, determined not to settle in that way, and furthermore resolved to have nothing to do with Carrigan—hence these fears or, fears. It is said that a thief sees an officer in every bush—certainly Carrigan was scared at Wynd, and made the sheriff, prosecutor, and all the deputy sheriffs (not to say constables) in Lenawee believe for a time that Addison was to be sacked and given over to desperadoes. Wynd has been released, Carrigan has cleared and peace prevails. Moral: Do not be too quick to condemn the stranger who is within thy gates.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 3, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Battle Creek is to have a daily morning paper.

The mayoralty of Hillsdale still goes a begging.

Did you attend the Briggs' show last Saturday evening?

Arbor Day was observed quite extensively in Tecumseh.

Snedicor has a stock of Gale plows that he will sell cheap. See him.

One spring day makes us all forget what a cold and miserable winter it has been.

The present season is likely to be an extra good one for agricultural implements.

Miss Minnie Lehn, of Manchester, spent last Thursday with her friends in Tecumseh.

The annual meeting of the state pioneer society will be held at Lansing, June 6th and 7th.

The State W. C. T. U. will be held at Adrian, commencing on May 24th, and lasting four days.

Jacob Tolton has returned to Tecumseh and once more occupies his old home on Brown st.

The state convention of homoeopathic physicians will be held at Lansing May 15th and 16th.

When a Hudson man gets so drunk that he falls down on the sidewalk, they call him a paving contract.

The musical "honk" of wild geese is now heard quite frequently, as they fly northward to their breeding grounds.

Don't pack away your winter clothing until spring gets a firmer grip than she seems to have now. It will not be wise.

Hon. O. M. Barnes, of Lansing, gave a reception to the members of the legislature last week Wednesday evening. It was an elegant affair.

The runaways were so numerous last week that should we attempt to give any kind of a description of them it would take the whole paper.

We have received from Wm. Hayden copies of Sante Fe papers of April 22d, so he must have been in that old Spanish town on that day.

J. R. Cairns has a three column ad. this week on the 2d page, setting forth the merits of the celebrated Deering binder. Read it carefully and act accordingly.

All parties holding subscription lists of stock sold for Fair Association, will please hand them to the Secretary, W. B. Keyser, or leave them with A. W. Mills.

Philo C. Mills, of Adrian, dropped into our sanctum last Monday. He spent Sunday with his son, A. W. Mills, and returned to his home in Adrian on Monday.

Dr. Hamilton is painting his dwelling house, trimming out the trees and otherwise improving his premises. He seeks to have one of the finest residences on Chicago or Union streets.

Thomas H. Mosher, of Springville, gave us a call last Monday. He went to Detroit on the afternoon train to remain a few days for the purpose of buying a new stock of spring goods.

Weather wise people predict an abundance of fruit this year. The cold has kept back the buds and preserved them from being killed by the frost. We trust their predictions may be true.

A police judge at St. Joseph remarked, in dismissing a case the other day: "I shall dismiss every case of woman insulting where it can be shown that the woman first flirted with the accused."

Take the hoe and garden rake from their resting places and prepare your door yards for the vegetation of flowers, for nothing gives the air of refinement, and does so much towards beautifying a home as a profusion of flowers.

The business men of Jackson will unite in the purchase of a new street sweeper, worked by horses. The streets will then be swept daily instead of once a week as now, and merchants and clerks will be saved this exercise.

The North American Review for May contains nine articles, nearly every one of which discusses some topic or problem at the present moment prominent in the public mind. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York, and for sale by booksellers generally.

Our "Little Ones," published by the Russell Pub. Co., Broomfield St., Boston, for May has arrived. It is one of the finest publications on the face of the globe for the little ones. If you have a little one be sure and send for a copy, and you will be sure to send for it a year.

A Caro chap named Eve had a splendid time going to Dakota, but when he reached the land of no fences and of no better soil than is found in Michigan, and began paying a dollar for each meal, he sighed for Tuscola county again, and succeeded in getting back only $60 out of pocket.

Cass Miller, of Howell, was in town over Sunday.

Tecumseh will celebrate Decoration Day this year.

Our old friend Jas. C. Wheeler visited L. F. Wheeler, last Sunday.

Hear the novel temperance address at the Jug Breaking Concert, to-night.

"Boone" the celebrated piano-player at the Opera House, on the 18th inst.

Remember the Jug Breaking Concert at the Presbyterian church this evening.

John Smyth has been appointed deputy sheriff in addition to M. W. Stevens.

Be sure and attend the Jug Breaking Concert to-night. Admission only ten cents.

G. D. Perry and J. H. Osborn are the first to build a [illegible] this spring. Let others follow.

John R. Clark addressed a large audience last Sunday at Peoria, Ill., and received a hearty welcome.

F. B. Wood was elected 1st Lieutenant at Co. C's election last evening, in place of Jas. McKinney resigned.

We attended the Ridgeway sheep shearing yesterday and will give our readers a full report next week. We are unable to complete it in time for to-day's paper.

Vote Marsh has taken a position in Jim Cole's market, and now, with Charlie Kilburn will cater to the wants of all. Two better carvers cannot be found in the county.

The increasing business of Billie Moser, the barber, has obliged him to place another chair in his shop, which will be presided over by Frank Snedicor, who is learning to handle the razor and brush.

Adrian Record: A little child of Dan Coffin, of Ridgeway, lately drank so much lye, that it was feared they would have to coffin the little Coffin, but after coffin' a while, the little Coffin confessed the lye, and threw it up.

Dr. House has recently procured about 600 geological specimens, which are mostly from Ohio, Indiana and Michigan. He is having a case prepared for their reception, and his office will soon be adorned with a fine geological cabinet.

Dr. R. R. House received a telegram this morning stating that Rev. Geo. W. Hudson had been transferred from the Maine Conference to this state, and will be in Tecumseh to take his position as pastor of the M. E. church next Sunday.

A youth, just launching out in trade,
Unto a wealthy merchant said:
"Pray tell me, sir, what you profess
To call the secret of success."
The nabob's eyes with pleasure shone,
As he replied in earnest tone:
"The secret simple is I think;
You'll find it, sir, in printer's ink."

Last week we went down to Holloway to see about running a telephone line to that place, and made quite a little visit. We found every one at home and especially Erskine Wilson, leader of the Holloway band, who gave us a hearty reception, good music and plenty to eat.

The committee appointed last year to have charge of the celebration of Decoration Day, have the matter in consideration, and our people can prepare for an old fashioned celebration. Steps will be taken at an early day to appoint the necessary committees and have the work started in good season.

The law has stopped Chinese immigration, but it can do no more. As a result the San Francisco people are now paying $30 and $40 a month to Chinese servants, because even at that price they are better and cheaper than some other kinds at $8. If that is the way it works, good enough for them—both people and servants.

The Directors of the Fair Association held a meeting last Saturday. They elected E. G. Price of Ridgeway to the Directorship in place of J. M. Cross resigned. Also W. B. Keyser, Secretary, and Minor Davison, Treasurer. We will publish next week a full list of the Subscription to stock.

The scaffolding has been taken down from the tower of the Presbyterian church and the "unveiling" process has revealed a very beautiful church front, which will be an ornament to the village. The grounds are being carefully cleaned and the corner will soon harmonize with the building itself.

Abner Wilson is preparing to supply all the country round about with early garden plants this spring. He has several hot beds filled with cabbage, celery, tomato and other plants and has several hundred large enough to transplant. He has already set out 300 early cabbages himself. His plant beds will be a sight in two or three weeks.

The M. E. minister at Brooklyn, Jackson county, had last Sunday morning's sermon punctured with a pistol shot, that stirred up the hysterical sisters and set the trustees to estimating the cost of a bullet hole in the ceiling. And all because a young chap named Ernest Knight was so benighted as to take a revolver to church and fool with it when he ought to have been listening to the gospel.

Arrangements have been completed for a course of Sunday evening lectures at the Baptist church on Sacred Biography during the month of May and early summer. The first lecture of the course will be given next Sunday evening. Subject—"The Life of Adam."

Kalamazoo Telegraph: How the contractors are pushing the work on the M. & O. railroad is shown in the following from the Augusta Review: "Trees were felled in the morning, the logs taken to mill in Barry county and sawed into ties and these hauled to the road and laid on the M. & O. railroad near Augusta, and the iron was spiked on them ready for the construction train, which passed over them at night. All this was completed the other day inside of 10 hours."

[illegible] forent papers throughout the state we think our citizens lost nothing by the non-arrival of the Briggs' minstrels which were advertised to appear here on Saturday last. The following from the Marshall Statesman is a sample notice:

Briggs' operatic minstrels gave a most nauseating performance at the opera house on Wednesday evening. The audience that were obliged to sit and listen to the worn-out jokes and stale witticisms had but one consolation, that the season is nearly over and the individual members of the company will soon be forced to go in to private life.

We are informed that arrangements have been made to have that rising genius and musical wonder Blind Boone make us a call on his introductory tour. He is to begin his concerting in this state at Adrian on the 11th of this month. The parties having charge of this queer "freak of nature" and world's wonder, have already made a run through six or seven states, and everywhere the press and musicians declare him great, and say that no conception can be formed of his truly marvelous performance on the piano without actually hearing him. If but half be true that is said of him we can count on a grand musical treat. The world has never known but one other blind colored prodigy, and it is said that Boone is equal to the other as an imitator, and superior in many respects, he being a composer and a classic player.

Adrian Record: The Evening News takes occasion to educate its readers in the matter of ringing up the central telephone office, and notifies them that it don't pay to ring more than once to attract attention, as with the first jerk the brass plait with the subscriber's number flies open and after that no bell is heard at the central office. But for all the News may say, a crotchety subscriber will just the same, ring his bell, and if he don't get a prompt response, he will fly at the machine, swear, get red in the face and wind up the crank in the most savage manner, and then back up a step, with look of vicious satisfaction, as much as to say, "There, dang you! did you hear that?" But the girl at Central didn't and perhaps the war-dance is repeated, till the irate subscriber finally catches the sound of a sweet "hallo" and feels that he triumphed only by working himself into a fine fury. But there is where he made a fool of himself. He had his rage all to himself.

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CONSUMPTION!

CATARRH, THROAT DISEASES, BRONCHITIS AND ASTHMA

Monroe Democrat: An agent for the Michigan & Ohio railroad is obtaining contracts for the right of way through the township of Dundee. The people of that place, however, are not sure of the road, as the Petersburg route is being worked in the same way and with results more favorable to the company. It is the intention to have the road completed by August first.

Ironing on the M. & O. is temporarily at a standstill. The crossing of the M. C. R. R. between Augusta and Bedford is unfinished and will not be completed until about the middle of next month. The force is at present ballasting the track already laid.

A report is circulating in the Battle Creek papers to the effect that the name of the M. & O. railroad has been changed back to T. & M. An inquiry at the office in Marshall shows that nothing has been learned there of the change, and it is doubtless without foundation.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Hudson street sprinkler has got under motion.

The Hudson Odd Fellows observed the 64th. anniversary of the order.

The Free Will Baptist church of Fairfield have bought a parsonage.

Adrian people are calling for the suppression of the bicycle nuisance.

The Fairfield measles epidemic has traveled over the line into Madison.

Weston has a new brick yard which will commence operations this week.

Hudson will soon be connected with Adrian and Tecumseh by telephone.

Mrs. W. S. Wilcox, of Adrian, is at the Hot Springs, Ark., for her health.

A new bridge will be built over the Raisin near the White Mill at Adrian.

Bishop Harris conducted confirmation services in Clinton last Monday evening.

C. T. Watson has put a new engine and boiler into his tray factory at Deerfield.

A Sunday school conference was held at the Baptist church in Adrian last Friday.

Some of Clinton's young people are rehearsing for an amateur dramatic entertainment.

Wm. Wilbur of Jaspar, who is now in his 94th year had an attack of paralysis last week.

The Clinton News man rubs the dirt out of his eyes and sighs for a street sprinkler.

The farmers in the vicinity of Morenci use nitro-glycerine to clear their fields of stumps.

Ogden has got some measle seed from Fairfield, and is now planting a big crop of her own.

The Hudson Gazette says: Tecumseh prohibits fishing and hunting.—No place for Chester.

The Hudson band will give a series of line concerts to raise money to pay a leader this season.

Blissfield will celebrate Decoration Day and committees have already been appointed to have charge of the work.

The business part of Deerfield having been converted into an ash heap, the council now propose to buy a fire engine.

Ed. Van DeMark, of Clinton, has bought a village lot of W. V. Fisk and will soon put up a new dwelling thereon.

Clinton News: Clinton has a boy choir a double quartet—who give evening serenades, and all the able-bodied felines are migrating to Tecumseh.

The Blissfield Advance observes: The Dakota craze is abating considerably, and we now hear "the other side" of the question, discussed, as freely and earnestly as the former desire to "get there."

Chas. Humphrey has retired from the management of the Adrian Opera House, after having filled that position to good acceptance for twelve years. It will be difficult to find a man who can wholly fill his place.

Deerfield Record: A sneak thief stole a smoked ham from the pantry at M. H. Burnham's, one night recently. Marsh thinks the thief acted rather hoggish in taking the whole ham when he had eaten only one meal off of it.

Hudson Post: Clayton people are anxious to have a new township.—The idea is to take one mile from the western part of Dover township, and two miles from the eastern part of Hudson. A petition to the legislature has been circulated.

Adrian Press: Shall the city purchase Lawrence Park? This question is being agitated a good deal by business men. A prominent merchant says he will give $100 towards it, others have offered $50, and we think $5,000 could be raised.

Adrian Record: Tecumseh is getting mighty partjeular. No one is now allowed to fish inside its corporation limits.

That is overdrawn, neighbor. Boys and women, men and ministers are all allowed to fish in the corporation, but they mus'nt fish on Sunday—that is, unless they catch enough for breakfast the next morning.

Adrian Record: A farmer residing a short distance west of the city, has four seasons' crop of wheat on hand. The same man sold last week, a quantity of wood, the chips of four seasons, for which he will receive 32 cents per pound. He could have taken 39 cents at one time, but held on for a rise. How much has he made in holding? The barn of this man is filled with a variety of hoarded crops, all waiting for a rise probably.

Morenci Observer: Three more cases of fraudulent paint contracts heard from last Monday. One man paid $175 for what he supposed he was to get for $28; another $103 for which he was led to believe would cost him $5, and the other man was so badly fleeced that he declined to give particulars. The rascals have been operating in Chesterfield during the week, but up to this writing none of the intelligent farmers who read the OBSERVER have bit at their gilded hooks.

Buy no other plow but the Syracuse, if you want the best.
Snedicor.

—I would respectfully call the attention of all who are needing anything in the Wall Paper line to my complete assortment. I have been constantly adding all the latest designs, and I can now exhibit the best selected stock in Lenawee county. Having secured the services of two first-class hangers, I am prepared to contract the finest jobs known to the trade and challenge comparison. Art Decoration a specialty. C. A. KIRK.

The best Tables made anywhere in the market is for sale and kept only by Mrs. R. Ford, of this village. Ladies should call on her and see this new household device before purchasing other and inferior ones.

—See Slayton's 99c glass comb case and matchsafe combined.

—Pictures copied and enlarged in India Ink, Ink and colors, Crayon and Oil. Opposite Opera House.

—Points and repairs for the Gale, Syracuse, Dodge, Bryan and South Bend Plows, at Snedicor's.

—Coates' thread, four cents at Cotton's.

—Fourteen years a tin typer. 6 for 75 cts. Opposite Opera House.

—Farmers should examine the McCormick Harvester and Binder for 1883 before placing their order.
E. V. DePuy, Agent.
Also the Michigan Manufacturing Co.'s Platform Wagons and Buggies.

—Carpet Sweepers and good ones too, at $1.50 at Slayton's.

—Barrow's tin types are durable. 4 for 50 cts. Opposite Opera House.

—Cloaks at half price, at Cotton's.

Gent's Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. F. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
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The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—Tin Types will always be popular with those who wish to spend from 50 cents to $1.00. See Gallery opposite the Opera House.

—Slayton is selling all kinds of Furniture at rock bottom prices this spring.

—Vitalized Air can be taken and your teeth all extracted without pain at Dr. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

An elegant office counter and good show case can be purchased on very favorable terms at the HERALD Office.

Baby Cabs $3.50 at Slayton's. Come quick.

Iron Axel Wagons only $1.50 at Slayton's.

Fresh lot of Land Plaster at S. W. Temple's.

New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

Rapid sale of dress goods, Cotton.

New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—Now when you want a good plow, remember that Slayton & Son have the South Bend Chilled Plow.

—Hard wood Bureaus, walnut trimmed and drop handles, $4, at Slayton's.

New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Go to Slayton's Furniture Store for Grape Vines and Baled Hay.

—Having suffered for more than thirty years from piles, and fearing they were going to kill me, as I could get very little rest by night or day, I was persuaded to call on Dr. Cloyne. He gave me one day's treatment and since have had no more trouble with the disease. I am entirely cured. The doctor's office and residence is at 230 Lafayette street, Toledo, Ohio. His specialties are piles, rheumatism and cancer. He advertises to give $1,000 for a case of disease of the rectum that he cannot cure in from four to six days. No pay required until cured. For particulars enquire of or address L. H. Sweet, Dundee, Mich.

DIED.

SMITH.—In this village, at the residence of her son, Henry Smith, on Wednesday, May 2, 1883, Mrs. Eva Smith, at the ripe old age of 87 yrs., 1 month and 17 days.

SNAUBLE.—At his home in Saline, April 21, 1883, Mr. J. B. Snauble, aged 63 years. He peacefully passed away to his rest.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

S. M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	1 40 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	2 30 "
Morrell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 30 "
Tipton	7 45 "	3 43 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 53 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 35 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Toledo	9 20 A.M.	5 40 P.M.	
Detroit	10 50 "	8 05 "	
Adrian	11 40 "	6 40 "	7 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P.M.	6 57 "	7 55 "
Milan	12 22 "	7 05 "	8 05 "
Carleton	12 30 "	7 13 "	8 20 "
Napoleon	12 46 "	7 29 "	8 40 "
Jackson	1 20 "	7 40 "	10 20 "

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GOING NORTH. No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.
P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.
6 30	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 35	5 40
6 18	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc. "	9 32	5 30
6 25	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 23	5 22
7 00	9 29	" Monroe Jct. "	8 41	4 51
7 06	9 40	" Dundee "	8 32	4 42
7 18	9 51	" Azalia "	8 20	4 27
7 40	10 06	" Milan "	8 05	4 10
7 50	10 12	" Urania "	7 52	3 57
8 05	10 25	" Pittsfield "	7 42	3 44
8 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 30	3 35
P.M.				A.M.
1 30	10 20	" Jackson "	8 30	9 20
A.M.				
2 15	2 15	" Battle Creek "	1 40	7 55
2 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	2 50	7 10
			P.M.	
4 50	1 50	" Grd Rapids "	10 40	6 20
A.M.				P.M.
10 35	[illegible]	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.		[illegible]
				A.M.
11 00	11 00	Ar. South Lyon Lv.		3 00
P.M.				
12 02	12 02	" Howell "		2 18
1 20	1 20	" Lansing " Lv.		1 00
				A.M.
3 00	3 00	" Ionia "		11 15
5 04	5 04	" Edmore "		9 10
6 10	6 10	" Big Rapids "		7 20
7 45	7 45	" Howard City "		6 25
A.M.				
1 15	1 15	" Grand Rapids "		1 05
				P.M.
7 00	7 00	" Mackinaw City "		9 50

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WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC R. R.

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp'ss.	Acc'm	Ex'pr.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Toledo	7 00	4 00	5 05	10 20
Island	7 20	4 10	5 20	7 30
Romulus	7 44	4 24	5 52	8 20
Belleville	7 53	4 33	6 02	8 37
Willis	8 03	4 42	6 12	9 45
Wayne	8 07	4 47	6 20	9 50
Milan	8 20	10 59	6 33	10 55
Dundee	8 27	11 05	6 43	11 15
Britton	8 35	11 16	6 54	11 33
Holloway	8 47	11 25	7 06	11 55
Adrian	9 02	11 40	7 24	12 55
Sand Creek	9 16	11 53	7 39	1 20
North Morenci	9 32	12 08	7 57	2 10
North Fayette	9 45	12 20	8 11	2 45
Alvordton	10 00	12 33	8 25	3 20
Montpelier	10 24	12 52	8 50	4 25
Bakersfield	10 39	1 06	9 05	5 00
Junction	11 00	1 25	9 30	5 40
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's.	Mail.	Acc'm	W. Pt.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Junction	8 35	3 48	5 30	5 00
Bakersfield	8 57	4 10	5 51	5 51
Montpelier	9 11	4 25	6 08	6 45
Alvordton	9 30	4 47	6 30	8 00
North Fayette	9 45	5 01	6 46	8 45
North Morenci	9 57	5 14	7 00	9 32
Sand Creek	10 07	5 30	7 16	10 20
Adrian	10 20	5 47	7 32	12 25
Holloway	10 30	6 01	7 46	12 55
Britton	10 39	6 13	7 59	1 20
Dundee	10 44	6 20	8 06	1 35
Milan	10 55	6 35	8 20	2 00
Whittaker	11 00	6 40	8 30	2 30
Willis	11 10	6 47	8 45	2 45
Belleville	11 18	6 56	8 57	3 15
Romulus	11 26	7 05	9 08	3 40
Island	11 39	7 19	9 25	4 25
Toledo	12 05	7 50	10 00	5 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

† Except Sunday. ‡ Except Saturday. ‖ Stop on signal. * Trains do not stop for passengers.

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Eastern and Detroit	3 30 P.M.

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Ridgeway, daily	1 30 "
Lake Ridge, daily	1 30 "
Macon, daily	12 00 M.

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Eastern Mail	12 10 P.M.
"	9 30 "

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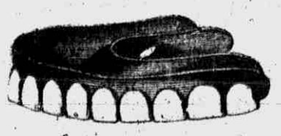

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A German's Experience in Getting a Registered Letter.

New York Sun.

A few days ago a registered letter was received at postoffice station A, addressed to an aged German living in the neighborhood, and was given to the letter carrier for delivery but was returned to the station because its owner was not at home, and there was no one on the premises authorized to sign the required receipt. After several other efforts to deliver it it was sent to the general post-office, and the German on calling at the station and making inquiry about it, was informed of the facts and furnished with a slip of paper [illegible] that would enable him to obtain the letter on application at the general postoffice.

Armed with this document, he made his way to the big Federal building and was soon wandering through its mazes seeking for the "Registered Letter Department." Observing on the gallery a line of citizens standing [illegible] closed door of an office, each provided with a slip of paper similar in appearance to the slip he held, he fell in at the foot of the line, which was rather a long one. At intervals of 10 or 15 minutes the office door opened, a man emerged and departed, a voice called "Next" The man at the head of the line entered, and the door closed behind him. In about an hour and a half the patient German's turn arrived, and, entering the room, he found himself alone with a gentleman of professional aspect who, giving a hasty glance at the slip of paper, said

"That's all right—take off your coat."

"Take off mine coat?" Vot you think I come for? To get skated? I vant—

"Oh, that's all right—take off your coat; I can't examine you unless you do."

"Den I vos got to be examined? So? Dot's all right, I s'pose," and off came the coat.

"Well, take off your waistcoat and shirt; do you think I can examine you with your clothes on?"

"Look here, my vriend, you think I vas a thief?" You vant to search me? Vell, dot's all right. I peen an honest man, by gracious, and you don't find no shtolen property my clothes inside. I vas [illegible] search before already—"

"I don't want to search you; I want to examine you. Don't you understood?"

"No, I don'd understand him at all—but dot's all right—dere's my shirt off, and if I a cold catch dot vill your fault peen."

The professional looking gentleman placed his hand affectionately on the visitor's shoulder blade and applied his ear to his chest, listening intently; then tapped him on the breast bone and punched him in the small of the back, inquiring if it hurt.

"Hurt? No, dot don'd hurt; but maybe if dose foolishness don't stop somebody ellis gits pretty soon hurt."

"Does that hurt?" was the next question, accompanied by a gentle thrust among the ribs.

"No, dot don't hurt, but py gracious, if—"

"Oh, be quiet, I'm in a hurry, and have got a dozen more to attend to. Now, can you read this card when I hold it out so?"

"No."

"Can you read it now?" bringing it a few inches nearer.

"No, but you choost pring me out mine shag-dagles by my goat bocket, und I read him."

"Oh, that won't do; your eyesight is defective, I'm sorry to say, and you're rejected. Put on your clothes again, quick, please."

"Dot's all right. So I vos rejected, eh? vell, dot vos unnecessary, I sulppose; but it's very funny, choost the same. I ad now I've been rechected und examined, and all dose dings vot you do mit me maybe you don't some questions got to gif me dot rechistered letter?"

"What registered letter?"

"Dot rechistered letter vot vos shoken about on dis biece of paper from station A."

"The dickens! who sent you to me with that? I thought you had come to be examined. Didn't you apply for appointment as a letter carrier?"

"As a letter garrier? No. I don't vant to be a letter garrier. I haf good pusiness got by mine own self; but py gracious, I vants mine rechistered letter from Germany vat mite bruder sents me by Station A."

"Here," said the professional gentleman, opening the door and calling a messenger from the lobby; "show this gentleman to the registered letter department," and the bewildered foreigner was conducted to the proper window.

It happened to be the day for the examination, by the postoffice medical officer, of candidates for appointment as letter carriers.

Went to the Wrong Spot.

"What's the matter, Invalid?" inquired Patience, alarmed, as she hurriedly awoke him.

"A ball had me in the corner of the fence," groaned he.

He was in great suffering and she opened the medicine chest, got out materials for a mustard plaster, and the little spirit lamp to heat it with and went to the end of the car to prepare it.

"Make it hot and streng," muttered he, with great restraint preventing himself from crying out with pain.

His wife with the plaster all ready, soon came back softly, so as to not awaken anyone. The car was darkened, and all the sections looked alike, and, for a moment she was confused, but a smothered snore, which sounded just like a groan, near at hand assured her. She quickly drew aside the curtain and clapped the poultice "on the spot it would do the most good." The invalid just then poked his head out a little farther down the aisle, and in smothered tones, called, "Quick, 'Patience,' quick!"

She gave only one leap, like a shot fawn, into his section, drew the curtain, and almost swooned away.

"Great Scott! what's the matter?" whispered he.

She managed somehow to gasp out what she had done, and, presto, the invalid was cured for he shook up his whole inferior organization so hard in the effort to restrain a big guffaw, that he actually scared the pain away.

"That man, whoever he is, will be boilin' piping hot pretty soon," was his sole comment.

In about fifteen minutes the stillness of the car was broken by a volley of shrieks that raised the hair on the head of every one.

"Blank! blank! blankety of the b—k! Blank the blank! b—k of hell—k!" Hotspur Jerusha! blank! blank! Blank!"

The whole atmosphere seemed to glow lurid blue color with expletives.

An Important Discovery.

New York Tribune.

Much interest has lately been aroused in Denver, Col., and its vicinity by the accidental production of an artesian well at North Denver, a region greatly in need of an abundant supply of pure water. In order to decide whether or not a bed of coal underlies the city a boring was made, and a depth of 37 feet had been reached when, to the great surprise of everybody concerned, a great flow of water stopped the work. A two-inch pipe was inserted and now for nearly three weeks a steadily increasing volume of water has been discharged. Further experiments will be made in the neighborhood, and sanguine persons already behold, in imagination, the surface of the country transformed by irrigation.

Lincoln's "Stove-Pipe" Hat.

New York Tribune.

Captain O. H. Oldroyd, of Springfield, Ill., offers to give that state his great collection of relics of Lincoln, as soon as the state will provide a suitable building for its reception, and the legislature now proposes to purchase Lincoln's former home in Springfield for that purpose. The Oldroyd collection consists of more than 2,000 articles, ranging from autograph letters to cooking-stoves. It includes the "stove-pipe" hat worn by Lincoln on the first day of his nomination for the presidency. As is well known, when he saw the tide of the convention was turning in his favor, he hastened to Springfield. The next forenoon he was out on the common, playing a game of base ball with the boys—a game of which he was very fond—and in making a hard run to catch a ball he pitched headforemost into one of the players and shot his hat down over his ears, completely ruining it. From the ball grounds he went to his law office and from there around to the office of The State Journal, and while sitting in the latter place the dispatch was received announcing his nomination. When he was about to start home, the editor suggested that it would never do for the young Republican party's candidate for the presidency to go on the street with such a hat, and accordingly he sent out and bought a new one, leaving the old one at The Journal office. There it was picked up and went into Oldroyd's collection. The chair in which he was sitting when the news of his nomination was received is also in the collection.

BIG DINING ROOMS.

The Protruding Stomachs of New York Dining Rooms.

Cicero Hill in Chicago Herald.

Breakfast is a simple affair that requires little room, but the dinners of late in New York are altogether a vast and costly affair, so that the fact that new houses have had to build to the requirements of the era that Carlyle called "the age of the belly." Dining rooms may have always had conspicuous attention in the plans [illegible] were they made to impose upon observation, and to distend the wall lines of otherwise rectangular buildings, exactly after the fashion of that humanippoo, or high regard for good living, as is typified in the aldermen of tradition. The famed mansions that have lately arisen along the fashionable thoroughfare seem all to be alike in that one respect. So much extra space has been required for ample and luxurious dining halls that the houses seem to present fat paunches to the public gaze. Starting down from the Central Park, the first new mansion is that of Mr. Frederick W. Stevens, the millionaire lawyer, on the corner of Forty-seventh street. The dining-room extends beyond the great brown-stone palace in an annex almost as long and tall as the main building. It is equipped with a rare treasury of heavy plate, delicate china and filmy glass, and the carved hardwood furniture and row of old candelabra are not surpassed elsewhere, but the main feature of the room is the collection of Moorish saddle bags of embossed leather that pad the walls. They are the millionaire's pride. He collected them in long journeyings through Spain and Morocco. The dining-room in the new house of Mr. Kemp, the man who made millions in Florida water, is an exception to the rule as far as the manner of its construction goes, for it is like ordinary ones—a made room in the house. But it is the costliest and biggest of all the rooms. Its ceiling is made of sheets of lustrous stamped brass. All three of the new Vanderbilt houses expose their dining-rooms after the abdominal fashion. It will not be deemed an oversight if the opportunity for the thousandth description of these gorgeous apartments is not here embraced. Perhaps the best examples of the new protruberant order of dining-room construction are seen in the grand houses that the sons of the old Huguenot land monopolist, Peter Goelet, have just moved into on the corner of Forty-ninth street and the corner of Forty-eighth street. These houses are exceedingly quiet in outward effect, but as markedly rich within. In each the dining room is extended into a conservatory projection beyond the house. The dining rooms proper are finished in the French style, in white, paneled with gilt molding, inclosing oil paintings on canvas, ordered from the most conspicuous artists in Paris and in London. The effect of leaving one end of these rooms open so as to allow the tropical display of huge leaved plants and gaudy flowers in the glass-roofed conservatories to form an indefinite fourth wall, and permitting the concealment of an orchestra on great occasions, is exceedingly pleasing.

The Novel of To-Day.

Charles Dudley Warner in Atlantic Monthly.

I confess that I am harrassed with the incomplete romances, that leave me, when the book is closed, as one might be on a waste plain at midnight, abandoned by his conductor and without a lantern. I am tired of accompanying people for hours through disaster and perplexity and misunderstanding, only to see them lost in a thick mist at last. I am weary of going to funerals, which are not my funerals, however natty and amusing the undertaker may be. I confess that I should like to see again the lovely heroine, the sweet woman, capable of a great passion and a great sacrifice; and I do not object if the novelist tries her to the verge of endurance, in agonies of mind and in perils, subjecting her to wasting sicknesses even if he only brings her out at the end in a blissful compensation of her troubles, and ended with a new and sweeter charm. No doubt it is better for us all, and better for art, that in the novel of society the density should be decided by character. What an artistic and righteous consummation it is when we meet the shrewd and wicked Baroness Bernstein at Continental gaming-tables, and feel that there was no other logical end for the wordly and fascinating Beatrix of Henry [illegible]

his [illegible] was polite, when being helped at dinner, to say to the host "Half that, if you please." It so happened that, at the first dinner to which he was invited a sucking pig was one of the dishes. The host pointing with his knife to the pig, asked, "Well, Mr. Hodge, will you have this, our favorite dish, or haunch of mutton?" Upon which, recollecting his first lesson, he replied, "Half that, if you please," to the consternation of all present.

A Great Timber Industry.

New York Commercial Advertiser.

Washington territory seems to be the great timber region of this country at present. Thirty years ago the first saw mill was erected. Now there are numerous towns in which lumber sawing is the main industry. In 1881 175,000,000 cubic feet of lumber were exported, and the amount sawed in 1882 is estimated at over 300,000,000 feet.

Bernhardt as a Manide.

New York Tribune.

Sarah Bernhardt's latest advertisement takes the form of a visit to a lunatic asylum, where she studied the manners and customs of the inmates, with a view to reproducing them on the stage. She had herself locked up in one of the cells where violent maniacs are confined, and then went through a rehearsal of gymnastics such as mad people are wont to indulge in.

Our Foreign Population.

According to the census of 1880, there were at that time 6,677,360 persons of foreign birth in the United States. The number given by the census of 1870 was 5,567,229. We gained about eleven hundred thousand foreigners during the decade.

The place of birth of the population was given for the first time in the census of 1850. Let us, therefore, follow the progress of foreign immigration and its increase due to it since that time.

The last thirty years, indeed, have been the great years for immigration. During the whole period from 1790 to 1850 we received from abroad only about as many people as came over in the decade between 1870 and 1880. The immigration for the sixty years was in round numbers 2,700,000, and in the ten years it was 2,000,000. Between 1860 and 1870 (the period of the civil war) there was a small falling off as compared with the decade previous, and the total reached only about 2,300,000. Since 1880 however, immigration has been even more extensive than it was between 1850 and 1860, though from 1875 to 1879, which the country was struggling with long continued business depression, it was at a low ebb. The total for the decade was about 3,000,000.

We have, therefore, received since 1790 the great aggregate of over 10,750,000 foreign immigrants, and more than eight millions of them have landed on our shores since 1850, in the last thirty years. It is accordingly easy to account for the 7,667,360 foreign born inhabitants found in the country by the census of 1880.

When we remember that these eight millions of foreigners who have come to us since 1850 are more prolific than the old native population, and that emigration is not usually undertaken except during the most active years of maturity, we must attribute to them a large part of our natural increase in population. Of our fifty millions of inhabitants they and their descendants make up a fraction which we cannot yet determine from the census, but it is unquestionably a great one—above one-fifth, probably. These immigrants of thirty years have modified our national characteristics affected our religious thought and practice, and changed many of our social customs.

And they will go on increasing, both by births and by new and still greater accessions from abroad. 1880 showed a larger aggregate immigration than we had before witnessed. If the prosperity upon which we have entered continues, we shall probably receive between 1880 and 1890 from four to five million settlers from abroad, and then at least one-third of the population of the United States will be composed of the foreign born and the descendants of the immigrants who landed here during the forty years from 1850 to 1890.—*N. Y. Sun.*

The Care of the Matches.

In nothing about the household does the injunction to have "a place for everything" require more strict enforcement than in the care of matches. What are known as "parlor matches" light the most readily, and are as much more dangerous than the common matches as they are more convenient. The general stock should be kept in a tin box, which is not to be opened or taken from except by the master or mistress of the house. For each room where matches are used there should be a metal match safe of some kind, and the matches are to be kept in that and nowhere else. It should be regarded as a serious offense for a match to be anywhere or for ever so short a time found "lying around loose."

In the kitchen and the bedroom, or wherever else matches are in frequent use, it is better to have the match safe fixed and always in the same place, so that it can be found, if need be in the dark. In taking matches from the larger box to replenish the safes, let that always be done by one person, and it will pay for that person to look over the matches at the time, throwing away all broken ones, and where, as is often the case, two or more are stuck together by the explosive mixture, these should be carefully broken apart, and unless two good matches are the result, rather than to put into the safe one with too little and the other with a ragged excess of the mixture, throw both away. Also throw into the fire those matches that have two or three times as much of the mixture on the ends as they should have.

These, lighting often explode and scatter burning particles in a dangerous manner. If, in lighting a match, day or night, it breaks or the explosive end comes off without lighting, do nothing else until that end is found, and put into the fire, or where it can do no harm. In fact treat matches every match, as it were, as it really is, a fire-arm, capable of dangerous mischief to person and property. Teach the children to carefully observe the same caution.

Sleep After Dinner.

It is one of the annoying idiosyncrasies of human nature to make especial war on everything that is especially agreeable. The annual jeremiades against drinking ice-water that appear in the newspapers as regularly as dog-days are very good illustrations of this, and another is the popular impression that it is very unhealthy to sleep after meals. There is nothing more luxuriously comfortable than "forty winks" after dinner; but all the old women of the world and half the doctors, those being the classes who assume to know all about what is and what is not unhealthy, wage unnecessary war against the after dinner nap. It doesn't matter that the whole of the brute creation, which is not affected with any crusading reason, offers a proof that sleep after eating is the order of nature. So it is with pleasure we read of recent experiments made by French savans which bring the cold logic of science to reinforce the teachings of the animal life around us. Two learned French professors have been prying into the stomachs of a couple of dogs, who were subjected to different treatment after a hearty meal. One was made to take active exercise, and his stomach showed that only half the meal was digested an hour after it was eaten, while in the stomach of the other, which was allowed to lie down and sleep after he had his meal, the contents was found to be in an advanced stage of digestion one hour after they had been swallowed. The moral is plain: Eat, sleep, and be happy.

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Whimsical Nomenclature.

THE FUNNY NAMES OF AMERICAN POST OFFICES.

There are more than 43,000 post-offices in the United States, and the whimsicalities of the American people are nowhere more strongly illustrated than in their selection of names therefor. The Southern and Western states especially furnish many ridiculous instances of absurd mental freaks in this regard. The following names, taken from the "United States Official Postal Guide" for January, 1881, display at least a remarkable variety of taste:

In Alabama we find Blowhard, Buckeye, Gil, Quintville, Hubbub, Odd Name, Rowdyville and Slimbone. In Arizona, Bone Orchard, Snow Town, Tip Top and Tombstone. In Arkansas, Oil Trough, Sub Rosa and Tomahawk. In California, Bogus, Cache Gab, Yankee Jim's and Zen Zen. Colorado boasts of Greenhorn, O. Z., You Bet and Troublesome. Baby Mine and Tenderfoot are in Dakota. Florida rejoices in Cudjoe, Scrub and Tupenhoppy. Georgia has in her borders Alligators, Cheap, Chickadee, Crackling, Crane Eater, Dark Corner, Dirt Town, Dobey, Hot House, Iceberg, Persimmon, Pistol, Rook Pile and Ty Ty. Illinois turns out with Fish Hook, Half Day, Preemption, School and Zif. Indiana adorns the list with Bean Blossom, Lickskillet, Buckskin, Dice Nogo, Folk Patch, Frog Bush, Goonover and Zulu. Odd, Unique, What Cheer, Yankee and Zero are in Iowa. Kansas furnishes Free Will, Happhazard, Og, Rattlesnake, Terrapin and Zenith. Kentucky produces Eighty-eight, Seventy-six, Backbone, Marrowbone, Devils-heel, Headquarters, Humpty, Jamboree, Nobob, Pig, Scrabble, Smfletown, Sickaway and Tiptop. Louisiana contributes Happy Jack and Jump. Pattagumpus is in Maine. T. R. and Gunpowder in Maryland. In Tennessee are A. B. C., Dabbs, Forty-eight, Hot, Zed, Zero, Skull Bone, and Calf Killer. In Texas Blowout, Gunsight, J. Bob, Jehoy, Jimtown, Nameless, Straddle, and Vox Populi. Pennsylvania donates Nine Points, Seven Points, Six Points, Seventy-six, Sabbath Rest, Scalp Level, and Shick-shinny. Nine Times and Ninety-six are in South Carolina; Seventy-six in Missouri, and

The fly eats dirt, and makes dirt, but his personal habits are cleanly. You may see him in moments of leisure, when hunger is satisfied and there is no sport forward, sitting by himself brushing and pluming his wings, with his flexible hinder feet with as much ease and assiduity as a dandy combs his locks! He is terribly distressed when he gets into the molasses or butter or tar. That he hates to get his plumage wet is evidenced by the unerring instinct which sends him driving into the house when barometrical changes in the atmosphere indicate the approach of a shower. Flies like good living; they hum when the meals are served as well as the summer boarder, and they flock to the dining-room at meal hours without the summons of gong or bell. It is useless to "shoo!" them away. Driven from one end of the table they swarm to the other. The best way to be freed from their annoyance at the table is to feed them. Arrange a sideboard for them, on which a little moist sugar is spread, and leave them to their meal undisturbed, and they will cease to disturb you, in unmanageable droves at least.

Wisconsin has been slighted in the above list. Some of her post-offices flourish like a *Green Bay* tree under such names as Oconomowoc, Sheboygan, Schleisingerville, Baraboo, Nepeuskun, Waukau, Waupun, Avalanche, and Bem. Bear's Eddy can put on his Red Buttes and hunt a Bear in Bear Valley, through which runs Bear Creek, and if he puts his ball in the Bear's Mouth he will probably bring Bruin to Black Earth. Boaz can Romeo with Aurora in Arcadia, or stay at Home, as he prefers. Angelica can be found in Shawano county. Buttes des Morts (Hills of the Dead) is quite a distance from Death's Door and also from Kinnick-Kinnick. Zavis and Zoar end the list.

The Intensity of Arctic Cold.

The chronicler of Lieut. Schwatka's expedition in search of the remains of Sir John Franklin records some interesting facts regarding the great cold of Arctic regions. The lowest temperature met with by the company was 103 degrees below the freezing point, or seventy-one degrees below zero Fahrenheit, a degree of cold almost impossible to imagine by the people of more temperate climes. The effects of such intense cold upon the human system were not so marked in the case of the lieutenant and his companions as might be supposed, and even during the month in which the average temperature was sixty-five degrees below zero, the health of the party remained unimpaired. The men adapted themselves as much as possible to the habits of the natives, feeding largely upon blubber and fat meat, by which the vital heat was sustained. Plenty of game was found by the adventurers who were able to secure with their repeating rifles enough reindeer at one time to last them for several days. The difficulty of approaching these animals was very great, for in the still cold air the step of a man upon the snow could be heard two miles away, and the grating of sledge runners resounded like the clothing of tempered steel. It was not an easy matter to keep guns in working order in this climate, for at sixty and seventy degrees below zero, strong oak and hickory would break like icicles, and all lubricants hardened and interfere with the working of the locks. When the guns were brought into the warm atmosphere of the huts to be cleaned, they would at once become coated with moisture, and every part had to be carefully dried and wiped, lest the hunter, on stepping into the cold air again, would find a useless block of ice in his hands. A bottle of whisky which was in the stores was congealed to the consistency of thick syrup by the intense cold, and the cup from which one of the travelers essayed to drink, actually froze to his lips. The low temperature of this latitude permitted some of the Esquimaux to practice a terrible revenge upon some wolves which had attacked them. They set upright in the ice several keen, knife-blades, and covered them with blood. These the wolves licked, slicing their tongues, but being prevented by the cold from feeling the wounds at the time, and their own warm blood tempted them to continue until their tongues were so scarified that death was inevitable.

A New York clergyman in a lecture on "Modern Courtship," told his audience that young ladies and gentlemen should be entirely frank in their courtship; they should describe to each other their weak points. Many of the young people of his audience concluded to take his advice, and the result was that twenty-two engagements were broken between the young men and women of that neighborhood.

Dishonest Men Value Honesty.

A young man came one day with a case of conscience. He was corresponding clerk in a flourishing house of business. His employers had begun to direct him to write letters to customers containing statements which he and they knew to be false. He had objected and they said; "We are responsible for these statements; it is nothing to you whether they are true or false." I said to him, "Do they sign the letters, or ask you to write them in your name?" As soon as the question had left my lips I saw that, if there were a difference, both would be wrong, and I hastened to tell him so. He said, "I have to sign them with my name, pro. Messrs. Blank." I said, "Your case is perfectly clear; you must decline to do it." He said, "Then I shall be dismissed," and after a pause, "I have a wife and family." I replied, "My dear friend, this is a trial of faith and principle; you must do right and trust to God to take care of you and your family." I met him some days after. "Well, Mr. ———," said I, "how are you getting on?" He replied, "I am still in my situation; I had an interview with the partners, and told them I could not write letters I knew to be untrue. They were very angry; and I expected to receive notice, but I have not received it yet." Months passed, and he remained in his situation. After awhile he called on me, and I saw in his face something had happened. "Well, Mr. ———," I said, "have you had your dismissal?" "No," he said, "I have not," and smiled. "What then?" "A very confidential post in their service, with a higher salary, has fallen vacant, and they have put me into it!" On second thoughts these unprincipal men had come to the conclusion that a clerk who would not deceive a customer would not deceive them, and was too valuable to lose.

In a School in Germany.

We were of all ages, ranging from four or five to sixteen or seventeen years. The school was divided into three classes. The first class comprised fifty, the second forty, and the lowest thirty girls. We all met together at ten o'clock, for the quarter of an hour allotted to play. The school was kept by an old lady superintendent, under whose management were three other ladies—governesses. Two of them were French, the other German; but none of these took any part in the teaching; they remained in the different rooms for supervision only. Once a day at least, during some class, never at any fixed hour, the lady superintendent would herself come into each room, and inquire of the master how things were going on, and if any pupil was either careless or refractory, she was there and then reprimanded in presence of us all. I am afraid none of us cared very much for the old lady, one reason for our dislike being the fact of her having very long fingers, with which she was in the habit of tapping rather feelingly upon the shoulder of any one of us who might be stooping over or sitting carelessly at her desk. It was the rule of the school that each pupil should bring her desk with her. They were all regulation size, large enough to contain the books, paper, and other things which we might at any time require, and they were carefully locked in the evening, each girl taking her key away with her. We had a professor for every separate subject, and I must say they did their best to interest us in our work. The religious teaching in the school took up one hour every morning, a Lutheran minister and a Roman Catholic priest attending the pupils of the two denominations. There was a professor for history, another for geography, a third for arithmetic, a fourth for astronomy, a fifth for chemistry, a sixth for writing, a seventh for the German language only, two for French—the one for correction and conversation, the other for preparation—a master for drawing, and another for class-singing.

The Goat.

The goat is a native of the vacant lots about the city, and there are lots of them.

The goat is omnivorous. He will goat anything that he sees, and will seize anything he may goat.

His principal food, however, is play bill. He is very fond of letters.

Let us honor him for his love of bill letters.

The gentleman goat is called Billy, but he is a Billy that no policeman can handle.

The lady goats are called Nanny. This is their ewe-Nanny-mous name.

The young goat is called a kid. Kids are on hand the year round.

The goat is generous to a faun. He presents a couple of horns to everybody he sees.

In the matter of mere cash, the Cashmere goat is the most famous.

Goats are fond of the outskirts of large cities, and long skirts.

The goat wears a beard. It is called a goatee though not confined to the goat.

The goat is noted for his butting, but he never flags.

The goat is one of the signs of the zodiac signifying that he has a propensity to knock things sky-high.

He never gets high himself. That is to say, never gets over the Alpaca.

Shakespeare understood the spontaneity of the goat when he said, "Stand not upon the order of your going, but goat at once."

The goat is a wide-awake animal. He never caught napping, notwithstanding the many cases of kid-napping you may have read about.

For many years the goat was the only butter known.

Goats love to get on a high rock and sun themselves. Give them a chance and they will always seek a sunny climb.

The goat (if it was a son of Ballou) all goats do not pay out as well as he did. Bagatelle. *Boston Post.*

Uses of the Potato.

In France the farina is largely used for culinary purposes. The famous gravies, sauces and soups of France are largely indebted for their excellence to that source, and the bread and pastry equally so, while a large quantity of the so-called cognac imported into England and America from France is distilled from the potato. Throughout Germany the same uses are common. In Poland the manufacture of spirits from the potato is a most extensive trade. 'Stettin brandy," well known in commerce, is largely imported into England, and is sent from thence to many of the British possessions as the produce of the grape, and is placed on many a table of England as such, while the fair ladies of America perfume themselves with the spirits of the potato under the designation of eau de cologne. But there are other uses to which it is applied. After extracting the farina the pulp is manufactured into ornamental articles, such as picture frames, snuff boxes, and several descriptions of toys, and the water which runs from it in the process of manufacture is a most valuable scourer.

Sampson brought down the house, but nobody called for an encore.

"I should re-mark," said the merchant when goods went up.

A western editor says one hug is worth a dozen love-letters, and cannot be introduced in a breach of promise suit either.

The world is always interested to know the last words of a man. It doesn't care so much about those of a woman, for she has had her last word all through life.

A clock having struck the hour of one, a tender-hearted woman exclaimed "Oh, what a cruel clock." "Why so?" asked a friend. "Because it strikes its little one."

"Can there be happiness where there is no love?" queries an author in a book on marriage. Not much happiness, perhaps, but if the girl is awfully rich there can be lots of fun.

Did you ever notice how formal a man becomes after he has held a situation for a year or so? Still, it is but natural that a fellow should get stiff after being in one position a long while.

A lecturer was explaining to a little girl how a lobster cast his shell when he had outgrown it. Said he: "What do you do when you have outgrown your dresses? You cast them aside, do you not?" "Oh, no, we let out the tucks," replied the little one, with promptness.

A traveler out west stopped at a farmer's well to get a drink of water. It was warm and brackish, and the wayfarer remarked to the farmer that the well was not a very good one. "It's well enough for me," said the granger gruffly. "Then I guess I'll let well enough alone hereafter," was the traveler's rejoinder.

CURE FOR NIGHT SWEATS.—A powder known as streupulver, composed of three parts salicylic acid and eighty-seven parts silicate of magnesia, is used in the German army as a remedy for sweating of the feet. A Belgian physician, Dr. Kohnhorn, tried it efficiently in several cases of night sweating by consumptives. The beneficial effect was immediate and permanent. The powder was rubbed over the whole body. To prevent any breathing of the dust and consequent coughing, a handkerchief must be tied over the patient's mouth and nose while the powder is being applied.

The number of cows in the United States is over 13,000,000, which is six times the number in great Britian, over twice the number in France, two and a half times more than Prussia and more than there are in the countries of England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Russia, Finland, Australia, Hungary and Switzerland combined, although these countries contain four times the population of the United States. The proportion of cows to the inhabitants in the United States is twenty-three to each one hundred persons.

Travelers in Egypt are surprised at the large amount of opathalmia and blindness prevalent among the inhabitants. Want of cleanliness is the cause. An Egyptian mother, under the influence of a widely prevalent superstition, does not wash her child's eyes until eight days after birth. By that time the organ is frequently ruined. The teachers in the American and British mission schools of Cairo say that Egyptian mothers become invariably angry when urged to wash the eyes of their newly-born infants, and can rarely be persuaded to comply with a request of the kind.

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HONEY AND THE PHYSICIAN.—I had taken to Edinburg, there to consult a doctor, having at last reduced my complexities to a single question: Is this disease curable by medicine, or is it chronic, incurable except by regimen, if even so? This question I earnestly put; got the response: "It is all tobacco, sir; give up tobacco." Gave it instantly and strictly up. Found, after long months, that I might as well have ridden sixty miles in the opposite direction, and poured my sorrows into the long haired ear of the first jackass I came upon as into the selected medical man's, whose name I will not mention.—*Cornhill's Reminiscences.*

LET THE CHILDREN EARN MONEY.—It is right that children should have their own pocket money, a certain allowance over which they should have complete control; but if they can earn what they spend by some employment brought forward for the purpose, so much the better. It is the misfortune of children brought up by rich parents that they have no sort of conception of the value of money. Its want does not teach them foresight, sagacity, forbearance, or self-denial. The child has a piece of money, and his only idea is to spend it promptly, but if he had earned that money he would not be in such a hurry to rid himself of it.

An Englishman traveling in the East, not being quite satisfied with the appearance of the mare he rode, asked his Arab servant if he was sure she got her allowance. "Oh, yes," he replied; "my countrymen often steal from one another, and rob their friends' horses; but I can always find it out if your mare has been cheated. I put seven or eight pebbles with the barley, counting the number exactly. The mare never eats the pebbles, and if any one steals from the barley he is sure to take two or three pebbles with it. If I find the pebbles short in the morning I have hard words, and they can not tell how I know, and so they give up cheating her.

What the Minister Says.

Homer, Ill.

Mr. A. Kiefer—My Dear Sir:—I have been afflicted for the last four years with derangement of the Liver, causing Dyspepsia, Headache, Nausea, and general derangement of the whole system. I have tried a great many preparations, but found no relief until I tried one bottle of your Taraxine, which has permanently cured me. I also found it to be good for the Agne. I commend it to all who suffer with derangement of the liver. Very truly yours, Rev. Thomas Whitlock.

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STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } ss.
COUNTY OF CRAWFORD. }

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, came H. V. Goetchius, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a resident of the city of Titusville, and says that he has suffered severely with rheumatism and was confined to his bed three days, and was under the treatment of a physician and was not relieved, and that he experienced great relief from one dose of Wilson's Lightning Remedy, and that one bottle effected a cure, and that he believes that Wilson's Lightning Remedy will do all that the proprietors claim for it.

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NOTICE. I am requested by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh to have printed the state law and the corporation law relative to sportsmen or others shooting on Sunday, inside the corporation, and that such offenses are committed to enforce the law for the suppression of the same.

H. W. STEVENS.
Marshall.

Following is the law of State and Corporation.

[No. 199.]

AN ACT to prevent hunting for game with firearms, dogs, or otherwise on any enclosed lands or premises of another in this state without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SECTION 1. The People of the State of Michigan enact, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to hunt for game with fire-arms, dogs, or otherwise on any inclosed lands or premises of another in any county of this State without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of the foregoing section of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court, and costs of prosecution. And in case the fine imposed and the costs of prosecution shall not be paid, the defendant shall be confined in the county jail of the county not less than five nor more than thirty days: Provided, however, That no complaint shall be made or entertained against any person for the violation of any of the provisions of this act unless the same shall be made by the owner or lessee of the land or premises so trespassed against upon.

Approved May 23, 1877.

CHAPTER VII.

SEC. 7. No person shall fire any gun, pistol, or cannon within the business portion of said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon in or across any streets anywhere in said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon in any portion of said village calculated, or having a tendency to endanger, injure or put persons in fear, without the consent of the council, under a penalty not to exceed twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court; but nothing in this section contained shall be construed to prohibit any military company, existing under provisions of law, from firing any gun or cannon when authorized by their commanding officer.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of George W. Allen Sr., deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., late of the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the house of George W. Allen, Jr., in the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 9th day of May, 1883, and on the 9th day of August 1883, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of March, 1883, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 28th, 1883.

ALVINZIE WHELAN,
DANIEL W. LOVE,
mar29 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF ELEAZER G. SCOFIELD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Eleazer G. Scofield, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hester Scofield, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, and all specific legacies and expenses of administration on said estate then chargeable, and is ready to file his final account, and asks for the allowance of said account, and for a distribution of the residue of the assets of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
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ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, a minor.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson, guardian of said minor, praying for the allowance of his fifth account as such guardian, which account is this day filed in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Josephine Mead, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cyrus Mead or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of April A. D., 1883 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license to me by the Judge of Probate for Lenawee County, Michigan, dated March 19, A. D. 1883, as the guardian of Ellsworth Odell and Ida M. Hastings, formerly Ida M. Odell, minors, I will on the 5th day of May, A.D. 1883, at the dwelling house on the premises herein described, sell at public vendue at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, all the interest and title of said minors, viz: The undivided two-thirds of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Raisin in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven, containing forty acres of land more or less, subject to the dower and homestead rights of Lucy M. Ely, late widow of George Odell, deceased. Terms of sale published at or before such sale.

Dated March 22d, 1883.

MOSES L. DEAN,
mar22 Guardian.

ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Joseph Lanning, administrator of said estate praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased, in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. april2

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Pennington, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late dwelling house of said deceased in Macon, in said county, on the 10th day of May 1883, and on the 10th day of September next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 12th day of March, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated March 28, 1883.

GRANVILLE MILLS,
JOHN OVEN,
mar29 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Eliza M. Stocking, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ellen Ma Stocking, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Edwin B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 3d day of May, 1883, and on the 18th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of February, 1883, have been allowed by the said court, for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 7th, 1883.

PETER S. McKINNEY,
FREDERICK B. WOOD,
apr12 Commissioners.

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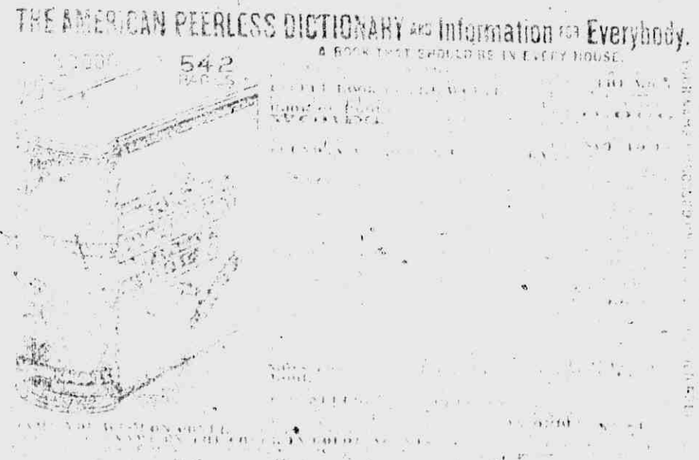

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

We have quite been for a few weeks for something to turn up, but everything seems downward. The weather is cold and backward. Wheat looks thin and spotted and all vegetation sports slow.

Hershel Miller and Ray Wiggins were struck by a falling limb while scoring timber in the woods last Friday, and quite badly injured about the head and shoulders.

Robert Orr has moved to Ann Arbor.

L. C. Davenport has moved from the Lake Ridge house onto a farm in West Milan.

Mrs. L. Osgood is visiting at St. Johns.

Mrs. J. Boland and daughter Eva are visiting at Saginaw.

A chimney burning out at John Linton's last week caused quite an excitement and considerable scratching around to keep the sparks from firing the roof.

Our school in Dist. No. 5 commenced last Monday, with Miss Louisa Hinley, of Tecumseh, in the chair.

Martin Bailey while digging a grave in Lake Ridge cemetery last Friday found some ancient pottery three feet below the surface. The shovel broke the vessel, which on uniting the pieces, was found to have been 8 or 10 inches in diameter, of peculiar design and material. Pieces will be distributed for scientific investigation. The question is now how it came there, as that ground was laid out some 40 or 50 years ago, when a wilderness, for a cemetery, and has been used for nothing else.

Trot out your big calves. Frank Beckwith has one that weighed 409 pounds at six hours old, a nice male Durham & Alderney, deep red, without a single white hair, and he will take $50 for it. Business.

THE RIDGEWAY SHEARING.

The Ridgeway annual sheep shearing was held at Britton on Wednesday of last week, the "festivities" being carried on in the barn of John Britton, where they were last year. The attendance was good although it was probably reduced some on account of the threatening aspect of the weather, and some very fine sheep were on exhibition. As they were all good we refrain from making any comparisons. Some good shearing was done, the entire program was carried out harmoniously and satisfactorily, and the crowd departed for home in good season. We give below the entries, taken from the secretary's official record, and also the record of the fleeces shorn.

I. N. Pilbeam, 3 ewes, 5 yearling ewes, 1 three year old ram, "Vick," 3 yearling rams.

A. Lijin, 2 ewes, 8 yearling ewes, 2 yearling rams, 1 three year old ram.

G. L. Oliver, 1 two year old ram.

C. E. Dubois, 2 yearling ewes, 2 two year old rams.

J. Britton & Son, 1 yearling rams, 5 yearling ewes, 2 three year old ewes, 1 two year old ram, "Young Rip."

Britton & Smith, 1 three year old ram, "Champion."

S. Smith, 1 three year old ram.

C. L. Lowe, 1 three year old ram.

Albert Holmes, 2 ewes, 2 yearling ewes, 1 yearling ram.

W. Coughlett, 1 yearling ram.

Below is a table showing the weight of the shearing.

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HOLLOWAY HICKUPS

Dr. Bogel has his new house nearly ready for occupancy.

The young men of Lenawee county have organized a base ball club.

Mrs. N. Spencer who has been out of health for some time was last week further afflicted by a severe attack of pleurisy, but is improving.

Almost another conflagration at Holloway. One evening last week one of the lamps in the dry goods department of B. Kelley & Co.'s was carelessly placed so as to come in contact with several boxes of goods, which were much damaged. The fire was fortunately soon discovered and extinguished.

A [illegible] election at this place for conductor by M. Sharpe. Wheat at Holloway is not growing.

Mr. H. L. Wilson has been practicing in a game of cards, having expectations of a fifteen pin of lost stone which he caught in his eye. Now he looks as tired as he has been on the war path.

Wednesday C. C. Clark and a lady returning from Blissfield were the recipients of a lively runaway. When near the blacksmith shop of Haywood's corners the horse became frightened, overturning and demolishing the wagon, but fortunately without serious injury to the occupants.

New arrangements took effect on the Wabash road last Monday. The accommodation or what is known as the "Paiz train" has been taken off, and the 11 o'clock express now is a flag train.

Mrs. M. Hoyle is daily expected from her trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas, where she has been for some time for her health.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS

Alden Wickham preached at the Christian church last Sabbath morning and here in the evening.

Rev. O. Whitmore occupied the pulpit here Sunday morning, and presented a scheme for raising money to build churches in the northern part of the state, and especially in the region of the burnt district.

The only child of Corpenius Eveleth was buried last Sunday, aged eight months.

Wm. F. Pocklington thinks he understands now the folly of hiring tramps. The one he hired a few days ago has disappeared with his little boy's penny bank containing several dollars.

We are ready and anxious to take back what we said two weeks ago about John Eveleth's meat market, which has now "gone busted." At the same time we are pleased to announce that a market will be opened next week in the old Exchange by Silas Danley and Henry Pocklington.—More about it in the near future if they stick.

Now it looks as if we were to have a railroad, sure. About a dozen teams, and twice as many men, are at work cutting through the Ridge road and grading each way therefrom. The railroad whoop can be heard for miles around every evening. This summer is likely to be a lively one for an old stand town like this.

COUNTY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.

The next meeting of the L. C. T. A. will be held at the Central school building in the city of Adrian, on Saturday next, May 12th. The following is the program for the day.

9:00 Organize.

10:00 Paper by Prof. Smith, of Clinton, entitled, "The teacher's position and some things that should be expected of him." Prof. Edgecombe, of Deerfield, will lead in the discussion of this paper.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:00 Music—Quartette—"Come where the Lilies."

2:15 Language Talks. Prof. Weydell, of Hudson. The discussion of this paper will be led by Prof. Wilson, of Blissfield.

2:45 Arithmetical Language. Prof. Condit, of Morenci. Prof. Whitmore will lead in the discussion of this paper.

3:15 Reading. Prof. Wickham, of Jonesville.

This exercise is followed by a recess of ten minutes. The teaching will be varied with music, a short entertainment, etc.

We hope that every wide awake teacher in the county will be present and that each one will take part in the discussions, thereby helping in making the meeting a good time and interesting one.

Santa Fe, the capital of New Mexico, will hold a unique celebration this month commencing the 4th day of July and closing the 30th day of August. It is in commemoration of the 333d Anniversary of the settlement of Santa Fe by Europeans and is to be called the "Tertio Millenni Anniversary." It will consist of a grand mining and industrial exposition of and for the Rocky mountain region. A special program has been arranged for each of the thirty days covered by the exposition. We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket addressed to the Editor and Lady. If our business and our lady will permit we shall be pleased to accept the same.

A nut for the lawyers to crack. A boy called at the house of the town clerk in a neighboring township with five woodchuck scalps demanding bounty not only for them but for seven unborn ones. Now that clerk is tearing his hair to know what is best to do about it.

BRITTON ON THE WABASH

[illegible] Britton last Wednesday afternoon and evening improved ourselves of the opportunity to look over the place and take a few notes. The depot and postoffice of course are first. They are always to be found [illegible] But here we found many other business establishments. New sidewalks are being constructed on the north side of Chicago street both east and west of the depot, and other improvements are in contemplation.

The store of Edward C. Rauch, is pleasantly located west of the railroad and contains the postoffice. John Britton is postmaster and Mr. Rauch is agent who performs the work of the office. He carries a general stock of goods suitable for a country store, comprising dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, crockery, notions, tin ware and everything else a man needs to furnish forth with. He opened his store on the first September, 81, and is now well satisfied with his past trade and the outlook for the future, but he has no notion of going west. The Dakota fever has no show on him. He also keeps in stock an assortment of ready made clothing, hats and caps, and his goods are [illegible]. Mr. Rauch is well satisfied with the outlook for a good year's trade.

Abel Parker keeps the store east of the railroad. He has a large and varied assortment of goods, such as is generally displayed on the shelves of a country store, consisting of dry goods and staple groceries, a small line of hardware, boots and shoes, hats and caps. In addition to these he caters to the inner man by a lunch department, where meals can be prepared on all extra occasions. He also keeps a look out for the health of the people by keeping a good line of drugs, which is appreciated by the residents of Britton and vicinity. Mr. Parker was originally in business at Blissfield, and came to Britton and opened his store there in September, 1881. He is evidently well pleased with his present trade and the outlook for the coming season.

The people of Britton now feel certain of securing the M. & O. road and feel equally certain that the second tourist will give their town an additional business boom, which will greatly augment its business prosperity.

The stave factory located here has been doing quite a business during the past winter. The new M. & O. road runs directly through the shop and it is doubtful whether it will be started again.

The heaviest establishment in the village is the saw and planing mill of Waring & Knight. Their main building is 26 by 90 feet with engine and boiler rooms in addition. The saw mill proper is located on the second floor and the planer, matcher, sliding saws and dry kiln below. The capacity of the saw mill is 15,000 feet in ten hours and the firm employ ten men. At the close of winter their yard contained two million feet of lumber, largely white oak and hickory, and about [illegible] of all the logs on the yard belong to the firm. They make a specialty of hard wood finishing lumber, whitewood and [illegible] and [illegible] lumber, and of [illegible] they can sell to customers cheaper than plain. They also keep on hand and for sale a well assorted stock of pine finishing and other lumber. They are now [illegible] a contract [illegible] the M. & O. railroad [illegible] ready [illegible] contract.

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Monroe Star Saturday Morning [illegible] Medical Star Society [illegible] Association [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] Rev. W. H. Ross [illegible] Rev. P. S. Henson [illegible] Rev. F. P. Jacobs [illegible] with the [illegible] Rev. Phelps will be the [illegible] Call all points of the state [illegible] represented by delegates. Elect your delegates at once and report their names and address to Rev. D. F. Bradley, Eaton Rapids, Mich. Programme will be ready soon.

J. W. McKEEVER, Pres.

A. H. Gillet, Sec.

Monroe Democrat. Considerable excitement was caused at the depot on Tuesday by the announcement that there was a dude on the train bound for Detroit. We understand that it is to take charge of the Post & Tribune.

TOO UTTALY UTTA.

I'm called an æsthetic young man,
And wude people say I am silly;
I carway a wose and a fan
And dine on the scent of a lily;
I'm touched with the bwic-a-bwac craze,
A plaque sets my heart in a flutter;
I'm sweet and wefined in my ways—
In fact I'm decidedly utta.
Yes, utta,
In fact I'm decidedly utta.

I dress in a picturesque style,
My costume is simple and soulful;
My face wears an æsthetic smile;
That's most photo, half doleful;
I've nothing in common with those
Wude people who spring from the gutter
But pwaps too absurd to suppose—
I'm quite too decidedly utta.
Yes, utta,
I'm quite too decidedly utta.

In doing I practice a little
In front of my mirror each morning
To catch the expression and smile
That signify a people are scorning.
And when through the city I pass
I get the girls pwetty in a flutter;
Though some of them call me an ass,
What mattaks it while I am utta?
Yes, utta,
What mattaks it while I am utta?

A SUNDAY WITH THE SHAKERS.

Some of our readers have seen the Shaker service. Many have not. For the benefit of both we give a report of a Shaker meeting. Shaker Village is perched on one of the most arduous hills of Androscoggin county, Me. Miles away you can see the large stone fortress-like building where one of the two Shaker families composing the community lives. The second family's home is in a weather-stained, old-fashioned building, almost 100 years of age. It was built in 1795, and the elder said, after service last Sunday: "It's not fit for a Christian to live in. We're making preparations now to build a new one." The Shakers, in their dignified drab coat-tails, and Shakeresses in their neat, plain gowns, glistening white-pointed kerchiefs, and their scrupulously-starched bonnets, were marching from the house to the chapel when the reporter arrived. In the church the Shakers formed, standing in two squares, the males in one and the females in the other. The two divisions stood facing each other, with their hands clasped in front of them. In the rear ranks of each body stood the young wards of the community. There were three little boys of 8 to 10 years old, and half a dozen girls, apparently 4 to 14 years, whose long braided hair formed a marked contrast with the closely concealed locks of the Shaker women. The little boys' crowns were closely shaven, while the locks at the base of the head had been allowed to grow down their necks in imitation of the flowing, patriarchal hair of the aged Shakers.

Standing in this position, one voice commenced a strain of quaint song, which all took up. It was something between a hymn and a chant. The melody was strange but pleasing, and was sung by all the voices, male and female, in unison. An impressive effect was given the last chord by all the singers gradually softening the tone and ending the diminuendo in barely a murmur, at the same time lowering their hands from the clasped position to their sides in perfect harmony with the movement of the music. The elder then stepped forward to the space between the two sections of Shakers. The lines of his face indicate a man of remarkable firmness of character. The high sloping forehead, the prominent Roman nose, the unrelaxed facial muscles, his stately demeanor, and the distinct, solemn utterances of a deep musical voice, all pointed to a mind of the most positive convictions and ability of no mean order. The elder read the fourth chapter of St. John. The women and children then sang spiritedly a beautiful hymn. This and all the following hymns were given the same tremulous diminuendo, ending as before.

In the next song one common spirit seemed to move the worshipers in a stately march backward and forward across the floor of the chapel. They kept perfect time with the tune they sang, and marched with the regularity of militia, making square heels, and accompanying their march with a swinging motion of the arms and hands, palms backward. There were several fine singers among the men, and all the women had excellent voices. The juvenile Shakers seemed to enter into the services with the same enthusiasm as the veterans. It was amusing to a spectator to watch the solemn faces and attitudes of the little fellows. Not a suggestion of a smile came over their features, and, to our mind, the staidest Shaker of them all was a lad of perhaps 10 summers. He wore a loose, cherry-colored sacque and a high-buttoned velveteen waist coat. He had a fair, untanned face, and pale blue eyes. The blue veins were seen through the delicate skin covering his temples, and he had a dreamy far away look. The netlocks of light hair fell over his coat collar. He seemed possessed of a most intense spirituality, and was as deeply absorbed in his devotions as the elder himself. Some of the Shakeresses once in a while allowed a sly smile to interrupt the continuous solemnity. The Shakers take these children by adoption, and have more requests to take and bring up orphan and uncared-for children than they can comply with. The wards are indentured to them until they are 21. Then they are at liberty to leave the community and go in-into the world if they wish. The Shakers educate them and give them the best of home training.

After several marching songs, the Shakers took seats. We had noticed among them one sandy-haired young man, apparently of not more than 25 years, who wore a plum-colored coat and who sang with much unction. The young man stepped forward nervously, drank a little water from a glass, opened a Bible which lay on a window shelf, and, after a nervous twitching of the shoulders and compression of the lips, read a text from the eighth verse of the third chapter of Second Peter: "But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day." He then spoke earnestly for about fifteen minutes without notes, in a measured, distinct and cultured voice. The speaker's words were listened to with the most profound attention by the audience. He was William Paul, the eloquent young preacher of the Shakers. Mr. Paul has been with them about four years. He is older than he looks, having reached the age of 35 years. He was born in Scotland, and educated in Glasgow. There are few pulpit orators who have the power of clothing their ideas in such chaste and eloquent language, or addressing themselves directly to the hearts of their hearers to a greater degree than this young Shaker Scotchman. After he concluded, another song was sung. The preacher then arose again and said: "If any of our visiting friends desire to say a few words they have perfect liberty."

One of the strangers present arose and explained the recently inaugurated custom of passing the contribution box. He said that it had not been originated by the Shakers themselves, but by the outsiders who desired to see the chapel enlarged, in order that they might be accommodated more conveniently. He then passed the hat and got a liberal collection.

The elder arose and said quietly: "Let us lay aside our seats and form a circle." The settees were placed beside the walls. A small circle of singers formed in the center of the chapel. Around this inner circle the other worshipers formed in double file and marched, while all joined in the Shaker hymns and kept up constantly a swinging motion of their arms and hands in concert with the rhythm. They took a very graceful, promenade step, the women leading, and the small boys bringing up the rear. The queenly form and bearing of one woman, apparently one of the elderesses of the community, was noticed by every beholder. A handsome white silk handkerchief and the regal grace exhibited in her walk distinguished her from her sister Shakers. The sightless eyes of one very aged and infirm Shaker who took part in the other exercises, prohibited him from participating in this. Four or five songs were sung and accompanied by this strange, sober walk-around. One of the scalp-locked lads was in the file with the elder, and the little fellow both lengthened his stride and drew down his face to equal proportions with the elder.

The marching ceased, and the elder, after a few remarks, read an article from a publication called "The Shaker Manifesto," published by the united societies. The reading was followed by testimonies by the brothers and sisters. One aged, gray-haired brother said: "I'm not ashamed of the Shaker life. I'm glad I have given up the life of self and given my life to God. I want to be a better Shaker." A sister said: "I think the angels have come near unto us in our devotions. I am glad I am a Shaker. At the age of 16 I said to myself: 'Shall I serve myself or the Lord?' Shall I live a life of pleasure or a godly life?' I said I would serve God, and I feel that I have done it. It has been a satisfaction to me to escape many trials, get out of the world, assume the plain dress and language, and live a life of purity. I'm glad I did so. I know I would have been as liable as any woman in this world to succumb to temptations of the world, if I hadn't placed myself beyond them." After more marching the venerable blind Shaker closed the exercises by speaking a few words and requesting the audience to remain seated while they passed out. This was done. The Shaker service was over, when the patriarch was reverently led out of the door by a young brother.—*Lewiston (Me.) Journal.*

Nebraska as it Was and Is.

It is believed that over all this vast region once rested an immense lake, compared to which Lake Superior is a mere pond. Over the bottom of this lake were spread through the ages lacustrine deposits of soil from five to two hundred feet deep. A small area on the north side of the state seems to have emerged first, for the soil is entirely gone from it. But it must have been at one time a tropic isle of marvelous luxuriance of vegetable and animal life.

In the hardened clay of its low hills are to be found vast numbers of fossil animals that have no existence outside the tropics. Here were immense numbers of rhinoceri, horned and hornless, some with two horns, some with one, and others with none. Here ranged the hippopotami and vast herds of carnivorous animals; here are found petrified turtles, one specimen, perfectly preserved, being seven feet across. There are several species of fossil monkeys. "It requires but little imagination," says Bishop Warren, "to cover the region of the mouth of the Niobrara with abundant forests, through which meandered great rivers, full of the hugest animals, while above them chattered the monkey, and flew the gorgeous bird of paradise."

Afterward the surrounding country, covered with the richest soil, arose above the waters; the climate grew more severe, and the tropical animals and birds gave place to those of a colder clime.

One race of men lived here and disappeared; another took their place, but have passed away, leaving but little trace; a third, now known as Indians, luxuriated in the abundant meat of the buffalo, but they are nearly as extinct as the two races that have sunk beneath those waves of land, "unwept, unhonored and unsung."

It seems to be a hard matter for men to conquer this continent. Whether the fourth race has gathered strength enough from allying all kindreds and bloods under the whole heavens for its conquest, is yet to be seen in the coming centuries.

The part now called Nebraska is two hundred by four hundred miles in extent, and contains forty-eight million acres. On the east flows the Missouri River; irregularly, through its whole length, flows the Platte, receiving all its tributaries on the north side.

The state has a slightly undulating surface, and has so rich a soil that after crops have been removed for thirty years from some places. It shows no sign of needing fertilization, nor will it show such need till the one hundred and fifty feet of soil has been turned into wheat or other crops. The soil most nearly resembles that of the Nile Valley, in Egypt. It is perfectly prodigal in the production of fruit. The state has twice been awarded the highest premium of the United States Pomological Society, and thereby been debarred from competing again. One apple has been grown that weighed twenty-nine and a half ounces, and one man raised in a year 14,000 bushels of peaches.

The state was admitted into the Union in 1867. All the early inhabitants came into Nebraska in the so-called prairie-schooners—a covered wagon containing all the family and their earthly effects. Finding land to suit, they first erected a house of sods, with places cut for a door and window, which made them a comfortable abode. Many happy homes were hung with tapestry of figured muslin, and whitewashed on the outside for a very trifling cost.—*Phila. Sat. Night.*

That the Mississippi may deservedly be called the "Father of Waters" the following data will show: The quantity of water discharged by the river annually, 14,880,360,256,800 cubic feet; quantity of sediment discharged annually, 28,188,083,892 cubic feet; area of the delta of the river, according to Lyell's estimate, 13,000 square miles, and depth of the same, as calculated by Prof. Riddell, 1,056 feet. The delta, consequently, as appears from these figures, contains 400,378,429,440,000 cubic feet, or 2,720 cubic miles; and it would require for the formation, therefore, of one cubic mile of delta five years and eighty-one days; for the formation of one square mile, of the depth of 1,056 feet, one year sixteen and one-fifth days, and for the formation of the whole 14,208,045 years.

The House Fly.

ITS CAREER AND USES—A GOOD WORD FOR A NUISANCE.

The house fly is one of the most useful of domestic appendages in the hot season, and, at the same time, one of the most annoying. Where there is the most of dirt, there it is that the flies do most thickly congregate, and thus they vindicate, to the philosophic observer, their true character as scavengers, and therefore benefactors to human kind. The amount of disease-breeding filth destroyed by the myriad armies of summer *musca* and more than compensates for the mischief they do, the uneasiness they occasion, or the torture they inflict in the animal kingdom. We sometimes wish the Creator in His wisdom had invented some other mode of cleaning the world than the instrumentality of these pesky little pests. Perhaps that expression, also his convenience, was the primal cause of their position in one of the links of the chain of creation. There is no doubt that meditative flies complain, and have a right to complain, of divine providence for attaching such brutal appendages as switches to the caudal vertebræ of cows and horses to interfere so seriously with their pasture privileges on the hides of these animals. To the insect world, fly, mosquito, louse, bedbug, man's body is a vast continent, fertile in good things; to the fly especially it offers a paradise of enjoyment. The unsophisticated musca doubtless wonders why, when he settles to regale himself on the sweets that exhale from the animal surface, like the odors of frying steak from a cook-shop, he is rudely jostled from his expected repast by an earthquake shake, or a resounding whack that would annihilate dozens of the fly family, if they do not skip aside, lightning-like, on the wind of the descending blow.

Thanks to his 4,000 telescopic eyes, the house fly cannot be approached from any direction without his perceiving it. To him, as well as to many other tribes of fellow-insects, light and warmth are irresistible attractions, and to each and all glass is a wonderful puzzle. The persistency with which winged insects, flies, butterflies, bees and other tribes will butt themselves, again and again, against a window pane in their mad efforts to escape the house, proves that, while they have power of perception, they possess very little reason. The window and the ceiling are favorite resorts of the fly, where he promenades at pleasure in defiance of the laws of gravitation. Microscopists give various reasons, drawn from the structure of the fly's foot, why he is thus able to cling securely to the surface with his body hanging downward. It is one of those things of which a man or an elephant can form no conception, any more than why a fish can live under water, or why an insect can dash himself over and over against a wall or a crystal pane unharmed.

Darkening a house to rid it of flies is only getting quit of one evil by adopting another, shutting out the pleasant, life-giving light. Netting and wire screens over windows and doors are tolerably effective guards, particularly to the sick room. The bed of a well man needs no such protection. When the flies begin to tickle his nose, it is light and time to get up. For the head of a bald man, the sides of a cow, or the legs of a horse, there are no human protectives against the well-nigh purgatorial torments of hungry flies. It has been recommended to bathe the bare scalp in camphor spirits, penny-royal water, or some decoction that is offensive to flies, for they have their antipathies in the herbal kingdom as well as man. The relief is only temporary. The fluid quickly evaporates, and the indefatigable battalions return with redoubled zest to the charge. Water in which walnut leaves have been steeped has been recommended as an anti-fly wash for the legs of a horse, but this also, on account of rapid evaporation, requires constant application, so that anything of the kind, however effective for the moment, becomes impracticable in use. There is no remedy but nature's, to stamp and flirt the switch, sometimes bobbed in obedience to what suffering horses must regard as a cruel fashion. To suffering woman the filth of the fly is more annoying than his stings and suction, vulgarly called "bites." He loves white paper, a white cloth, a white ceiling, and, above all things, to bask in the sun on a window pane. He leaves none of these things as white and clean as he finds them. Bunches of asparagus hung up about an infested kithchen or dinning-room become favorite roosting-places of these house plagues, especially in the fall of the year, when the cold begins to chill them and their brief summer reign is over. One of the advantages of the north temperate zone is that there are eight months in the year in which we do not have to fight flies. In summer it is good exercise for those who are too lazy to take any other. Nothing is so ridiculously helpless as a public speaker, a preacher, for instance, in the most passionate or pathetic periods, pawing the air as a mad bull paws the dirt, in the vain effort to rid his countenance of a bothersome fly.

Lawrence Sterne, destring to exhibit a perfect specimen of patience and kindness, pictures Uncle Toby catching a great bottle fly that had buzzed about his nose all dinner-time, taking the captive insect to a window, raising the sash and gently setting him free: "Go, poor devil—I will not harm thee; the world is wide enough for thee and me.' That will do for an isolated case, but what has a hungry diner to do when his hands, fettered to knife and fork, want their freedom to battle against a dozen blue-bottles? If Satan had been shrewd, and the season of the year had allowed, he would have substituted flies for boils in Job's case, when he was urging the man of Ur to forfeit his membership in the anti-swearing society by blaspheming a little. If the devil had let loose a host of hungry flies on the bald map of Job's phrenological propensities, his arms would have played wind-mill for a patient hour or so, and then he would have been more than human if he hadn't lost his temper and swore!—*Troy Times.*

HEADACHE.—One principal reason why women suffer more than men with headache is the fact that their life is largely in-doors, and they are not able to take so much physical exercise. There is very little complaint at summer resorts, where the windows are always open and games and excursions constantly tempt people into the open air. Girls who ride, row, sail and shoot seldom have headaches, and the same is true of those who work in the fields, as women in many countries do. Headaches might be almost banished from civilized society by a wise and careful system of physical training, and rational system of diet. We ought to be as ashamed of having a headache as being unable to read or write, or speak our language correctly.

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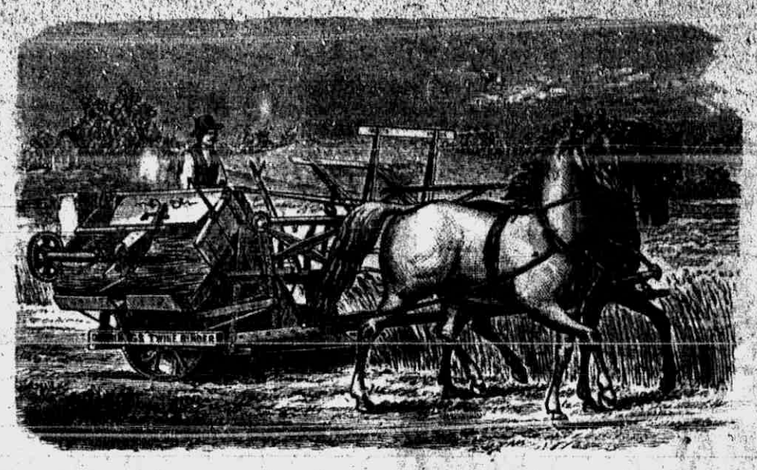

Probably no harvesting machine has stood so confessedly at the head of its class as the Deering Twine Binder stands to-day. Acknowledgements of its supremacy have come from all quarters, not merely from those who use them, but even competing agents and manufacturers are forced by their own convictions to confess its admirable qualities.

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3d. In field trials and at fairs it has been universally successful, carrying off more prizes than any other machine made.

4th. It was the ONLY Binder last Harvest that separated every sheaf in the worst tangled grain.

5th. The binding is entirely automatic, requiring no attention for operation, no foot-trip to operate, no moving the binder backward and forward to find the grain, no movable disc to hunt for the bundles to be tied, but all the grain goes to its proper place and is bound in neat round sheafs of exactly the same size.

6th. Every sheaf is tightly compressed first, and then tied in a firm unyielding band of twine.

7th. There is no strain whatever on the twine in tying.

8th. ITS NEW KNOT-TYER CONTAINS LESS PIECES OF CLOCK-WORK THAN ANY OTHER SERVICEABLE BINDER MADE, thus enabling a farmer's daughter of 12 years to operate the Harvester and Binder as readily as she could a skipping-rope.

9th. There is no reel made that has so wide a scope of adjustment as the Deering Binder Reel. It can be placed in over one hundred different positions while in operation.

10th. The Deering Binder is the most durable and at the same time the lightest draft.

11th. In its manufacture only the best materials are used and the most skilled workmen are employed, therefore it does not get out of repair.

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13th. The Deering has been often tried, never denied, and ready and willing to be tried again.

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GENTLEMEN—Replying to your favor of 28th inst., permit me to say that I am surprised that you or any intelligent men whatever, would notice for a moment the story told by your competitors that all the Deering Binders sent into Michigan this year were 1882 machines painted over. Surely your competing Binders must be without any substantial merits to recommend them to the farmers of Lenawee county, if their agents are obliged to resort to such dirty work as this in order to make their sales.

You are hereby authorized to use my name at any and all times to pronounce such statements as wilfull and deliberate falshoods, told by men who know they are lying when they peddle such stuff.

So far from this being the case, Mr. Deering is now running his shops on his twelvth thousand for 1883, double the number of any other manufacturer. Is it likely or probable that he would build so many if he had been forced to carry over the amount stated by your competing friends, or even one-half, or one-fourth as many.

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Now in conclusion, allow me to suggest that you will not under any circumstances, and I know you are too far above such, resort to the dirty, slimy work, by which some machines are forced on the market. Mr. Deering has, by twenty-five years of straightforward, honorable conduct, built up one of the finest industries in the United States, and cannot afford to wreck it by conducting his business in an unbusiness-like manner such as you speak of. He can, and will meet all honorable competition, but when it becomes necessary to resort to trickery and very questionable methods, to sell his machines, he will withdraw them from the market and retire from their manufacture.

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Trinity church is a Gothic edifice, about two hundred feet long by about eighty feet wide, with a spire 284 feet high. This church was endowed by Queen Anne. It is considered the mother of Episcopal churches in America. A Dutch woman named Annetje Jans owned a farm on this island, now covered with costly buildings, which was conveyed to this church, and is the source of its riches. About eleven years ago the value of Trinity real estate was considered [illegible] and many of our steeples required for rectors and vestrymen of the Trinity corporation. From Trinity have emanated such later churches as St. Paul's half a mile further up, which was dedicated in 1766; St. John's, erected in 1807, the square before which was bought by Vanderbilt for $1,000,000, and St. George's, dedicated in 1752, all three of which were in the Trinty parish. Later Episcopal churches here have followed the nomenclature adopted in England, and we have the Church of the Holy Apostles, of the Holy Innocents, of the Holy Communion, of the Holy Martyrs, of St. Albans, St. Ambrose, St. Andrew, etc. Since 1822 no burials have been allowed in Trinity graveyard.

The Trinity church farm lay north of Fulton street, on the west side of Broadway, and was cut into lots about the year 1760. This farm extended to Duane street, and had been the property of the Dutch West India company. The famous Lord Cornberry—a man who used to dress in woman's clothes, and who inflicted fine and imprisonment on a poor Presbyterian preacher who ventured to preach in his private house—being very zealous for the Established church, gave this confiscated farm in 1705 to the Trinity corporation. The old farm-house stood where the Astor House now stands. Trinity began to lease the lots in 1760, at £8 a year. With the growth of this city the Trinity church property has become an enormous bonanza. No wonder that it has turned the head of a young priest, whose father spent his entire life holding office, and finally got to consider himself as a privileged office-holder.

There is a very small congregation at Trinity, it being a show church, having a connection with many of the old families, and it supports parish schools and other things on which it can draw with almost military discipline or a congregation. In the church-yard are buried Alexander Hamilton, Robert Fulton, the Livingston family, Lawrence, some of the Astors and many of the old English merchants here.

A Negro Duke.

New York Tribune

M. Toussaint-La-Ourille, a full-blooded negro, once the "Duc de la Grand-Terre," and financial agent in France of the Emperor Soulouque, has just died in Paris. He was successful in securing a considerable loan for the black Caesar, by promising to pay the most incredible percentage—according to one account even going so far as 2,000 per cent. He also bought up an enormous quantity of old military uniforms of all European nationalities, second-hand generals' hats, and adornments, for the decoration of Soulouque's soldiers, generals, and officers of state. He did not forget to procure, also, a considerable quantity of French brandy. Soulouque was so delighted with the success of his agent that he sent word to him that he had elevated him to the dignity of a duke. This made the man a butt for French wit, and ruined his credit. Then Soulouque became angry at the decrease of supplies, and fancying that his agent was growing careless, he degraded him into a marquis, then to a count, next to a baron, afterward to a mere chevalier, and ultimately deprived him even of that remnant of aristocratic distinction. Meanwhile M. Toussaint-Lagorille had also lost faith in his imperial master, and began to carry on his business on his own account. When the emperor was dethroned and fled to Paris, he summoned the ex-duke to appear before him; but Lagorille refused to obey the summons. He had managed to build up for himself a property of some 60,000 francs, upon the interest of which he lived with comfort and great self-complacency to extreme old age.

A Statesman's Stratagem.

Chicago Tribune.

While David Davis was dining one day at Wormley's with some friends, among whom was the slim Mr. Evarts, the conversation drifted to athletic sports and foot-races. Mr. Evarts, with a view to one of his sarcastic jests, turned to the great trunk alongside of him, from which he himself may be supposed to have been whittled off as a sliver, and suggested that such sports were something entirely out of his line. "Well, Evarts," replied Judge Davis, "perhaps you think I can't run? Now, look here. I'll bet you a case of wine I can beat you a hundred yards if you will let me choose my ground and will give me five yards start. I'm heavy, you know, and I want solid footing." Mr. Evarts was satisfied that he "had a dead sure thing," and as the evening had advanced the dignified company resolved to unbend itself still further for the sport. "Come on, then," shouted the senator, "follow me!" So away they went, down a narrow alley that runs between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets. Marching into it for a distance of five yards, while his arms touched the brick work on each side, he quietly observed: "Now, Evarts, get in behind me, and take your time. I am going to take mine."

Col. Bumgardner's Portrait.

Georgia Major.

There was an alarm of fire turned in from an Atlanta artist's studio Wednesday morning, but by the time the department got there the conflagration had been subdued.

"What was it afire?" asked Chief Ryan.

"Col. Bumgardner's portrait!"

"How did it catch?"

"I had it nearly all finished—all except the nose—and when I laid the the proper color on it she blazed up like a political bonefire!"

"And what put him out?"

"Water! water will put the colonel out at any time!"

Discretion.

When he gets a letter for his wife out of the postoffice and he forgets to give it to her for a week or so, the safest way of letting her have it is to tie it on the end of a long fishing-pole and poke it through a window to her.

Mrs. Garfield Aging.

Mrs. Garfield looks ten years older now and more care-worn than when the late president was removed to Long Branch. Her hair is sprinkled with gray.

THE SEVEN STAGES.

Only a baby,
Kissed and caressed,
Gently held to a mother's breast.

Only a child,
Toddling alone,
Brightening now its happy home

Only a boy,
Trudging to school,
Governed now by a sterner rule.

Only a youth,
Living in dreams,
Full of promise life now seems.

Only a father,
Burdened with care,
Silver threads in the brown hair

Only a graybeard,
Toddling again,
Growing old and full of pain.

Only a mound,
O'ergrown with grass,
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I can say that the watch is all that the company claims for it and recommend it to all railroad and mill men.

B. W. BENTLEY."

CLINTON, Iowa, April 29, 1881.

"I wish you would send me a spring for the Wm. Ellery Watch * * * By the way this Ellery is a watch I sold in your Screw Bezel Case to a farmer last fall. The first of January he lost the watch in the woods, and found it this week in about one foot of water. It had lain three months and over in snow and water, with but slight injury to the watch—only a hair-spring.

C. S. RAYMOND."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 10, 1883.

Gov. Butler is still stirring up the fossils in the old Bay state.

If Dr. Rynd had closed with editor Stearns, wouldn't it have been a jolly jamboree, though?

Adrian is putting on airs. Having established water works, she now aspires to a belt railroad and a duel.

Dr. Rynd will see Stearns again.—We have not learned who the seconds are nor when the "affair" will be settled.

Will Dr. Rynd commence a libel suit against Stearns? That question now agitates the newspaper fraternity of this county.

A Cincinnati barber committed suicide the other day by cutting his throat with a razor. He took his own medicine like a man.

Jumbo will visit Adrian June 20th. But when will the meeting take place between Dr. Rynd and editor Stearns? That is what "the boys" want to know now.

Prof. Donald Maclean has received the appointment of General Surgeon of the Michigan Central railway system to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Farrand.

The city of Adrian has the purchase of Lawrence Park in contemplation. A wise move. It would furnish a handy location for the Salvation Army, duels and dog-fights.

Herbert Spencer, in speaking of the chronic habit which Americans have of always being in a hurry, says that every American appears to have been born half an hour late and to be trying to make up for lost time.

To Dr. Rynd and Editor Stearns.—Gentlemen: When the details of that meeting shall be definitely arranged will you kindly inform us the when and the where. It will afford us much pleasure to have our shorthand reporter "on the spot."

The motion made by James E. Scripps' counsel to set aside the Maclean verdict and order a new trial has been denied. The Evening News in commenting upon the denial says:

The case will now go the supreme court, and will be fought as long as there is a court in the state of Michigan before which it can be tried.—The fight, so far from being over, is only just begun.

An exchange says that Ex Senator Thurman is preparing for the presidency by reading French novels in the original. It is said that he spends his leisure hours after dinner by taking Homer and Horace and the German philosophers in the original. But he is not an adept in packing conventions and hence his nomination is doubtful.

No wonder so many of our young men have caught the Dakota fever. This is the way that climate effects the editor of the Bismark Tribune:

The night was calm and still and the song of the red-breasted warbler came bourne upon the air with a beautiful distinctness. It sang forfully an hour, its half-plaintive, half-joyous melody coming to us as we sat in our south window in a weird and entrancing volume of harmonious beauty.

The Detroit Post and Tribune, referring to the Lansing Legislature says:

Many of the bills introduced at Lansing are of doubtful value and some are positively bad, but there is one that must commend itself to every lover of his state. It is a bill to provide for the organization of base ball clubs. If there is anything that Michigan needs for the development of her resources it is a few base ball clubs, and if the members of the legislature have to stay in Lansing till the 1st of August they should not adjourn without giving some encouragement to this important industry.

The Governor has signed the Howell compilation bill and it thus becomes a law. In giving his reasons therefore, he says:

The great merit of the work being conceded even by the enemies of this bill, I have considered only the matter of its cost to the state. After a careful examination of the facts and alleged facts, as well as a comparison with similar compilations of other states, taking into account the amount of matter, quality of paper and character of binding, I am satisfied that no state in the Union has been able to secure a cheaper compilation and publication of the laws than will Michigan by the purchase of the Howell compilation.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, May 5th,

Did you ever hear of a printer who was a miser? Scarcely, nature has a fashion of making them all after the fast come, fast go pattern, so that one scarcely believes that there is material enough left for a specimen of the opposite style. Yet a white raven of this stripe has actually been found. A few days ago an old man of sixty who gave the name of John Russell was received in Bellevue Hospital suffering from Bright's disease of the kidneys. He said he had neither friends nor money and he was accordingly placed in one of the hospital wards. When his clothes were examined however a surprise was in store for the officials. Sewed in his sleeves were twelve bank books, showing that he had altogether about $40,000 in deposit, and in the recess of one of his pockets sixty dollars in cash was found buried beneath a lot of rubbish. The man died on Wednesday morning, asserting until the last moment that he had not a friend or relative in the world. He said he had been a printer, and had worked on several local daily papers, and had once been a member of Typographical Union No. 6, from which he had been ejected for non-payment of dues. His money was turned over to the public administrator, and it will go to swell the resources of the county treasurer. Is a life such as Russell lived, full of misery, starving and exposure really worth living when the fruits are such?

The Yachting season this year will be an exceptionally brilliant one. Last year distanced all records, but this year will leave the past season behind in the annals of amateur sailing. At least three score of new vessels will be added to the lists of the clubs. Most of these are small craft built for the pleasure of their owners solely, but a few large schooners have been launched during the past few days, which are destined to show such boats as the Montauk, the Vixon and Fanita their heels no matter what weather. Notable among these are Ex Commodore Fish's Grayling, which will be enrolled on the list of the Atlantic Yacht Club, and Mr. Hovey's Fortuna. The Grayling is one of the most beautiful vessels that ever dipped her nose in blue water, her lines are the perfection of speed producing symmetry, and her cabin is fitted up with a magnificence worthy an Eastern palace. Cherry, mahogany and maple are the woods principally used. Fancy carving, elaborate brass work, mirrors, stained glass, painting, and rich Axminster carpets together make up an interior in which an æsthete might willingly breathe his so-called soul away. It is only the rich however who can enjoy the charms of yachting.

The Grayling, I suppose, cost Commodore Fish between sixty and seventy thousand dollars as she stands.—Her captain and crew will cost him $500 a month, and the cost of the pantry, kitchen and wine cellar may be safely estimated at $2,000 a month more. No yachting man would dream of going out alone, and he can always find plenty of friends willing to give him their society. Now custom demands that entertainment on board a yacht should be lavish, and such entertainments costs a great deal of money. A number of professional men have recently gone into the pastime of owning small yachts, but somehow they are all anxious that the fact should not become public. Only a short time ago, a distinguished architect with whom I am acquainted, had a sloop launched. Before the customary bottle of champagne was broken over her bow, he came to me and said, "won't you please ask the newspaper men not to mention me as owning the yacht? If the matter became generally known it would hurt my business, for people would say 'he' is one of those yachting fellows now, and hence will not have time to attend to his profession."

The arrangements for the opening of the Brooklyn bridge are all but complete, and the hotels, particularly those near the East River shore are making extensive preparations to take care of the influx of visitors which will undoubtedly come to town for the occasion. In the evening a reception is to be given to President Arthur and Governor Cleveland at the Academy of Music. There will be a grand illumination of the two cities, and fireworks will be set off from the bridge and other places. The finishing touches are now being put to the structure, and an army of painters is at work painting the bars. Seen from below they look like so many crows circling about iron posts.

Unknown to the world at large there is a mart here for the disposal of babies as well as in Paris. There are about four so-called first-class houses conducted by doctresses who studied in Europe, where infants from a week to three or four years old may be disposed of or obtained. They obtain their supply (how heartless the word sounds,) from girls who have been unfortunate, but are yet human enough not to destroy the results of unwise love. The mothers are well taken care of and the infants are given for adoption only to families of undoubted respectability.

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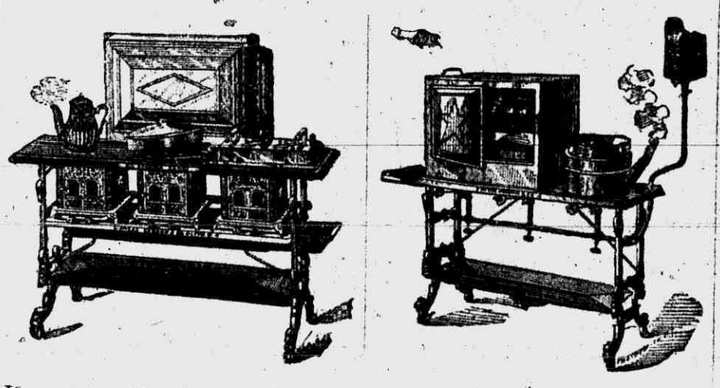

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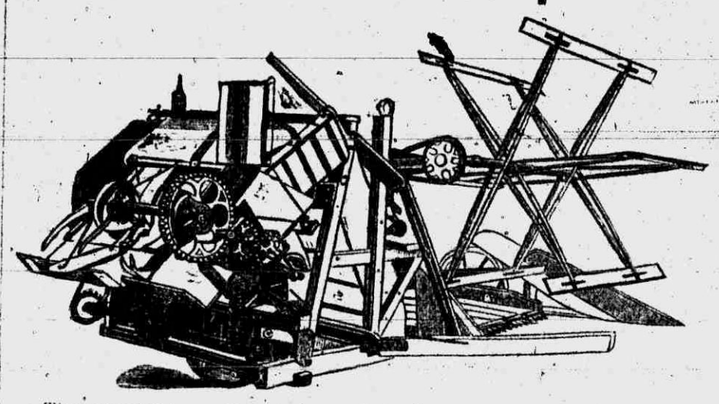

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TECUMSEH, May 8th, 1883.

NOTICE. The person who stole that oil painting and frame from my gallery on Friday, April 28, will save themselves arrest and exposure by returning the same at once.
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H. Brewer & Co. have lately purchased for their office an Amberg Cabinet File Case containing eighteen drawers. They find it a great convenience in filing away letters and important papers.

Ell Gray will return to Ireland again soon. He only remains here about two weeks this visit. He is still selling flour on the "ould sod" and he says that Michigan millers get their full share of trade.

The Library Association has been formally organized and the following officers chosen:

President—P. S. McKinnon.
Vice Pres.—Miss Louise Kahler.
Collector—Miss Jennie Rosacrans.

There will be a citizens meeting at the Council Building on Friday, May 11th, at 7:30 P. M., to make arrangements for Decoration Day. Let everybody come that we may arrange to properly honor our fallen heroes.
By order of Com.

The old Globe Mills have been undergoing quite extensive repairs for the past few days. A new roof has been put on, new windows put in, and the entire building is to be sided anew and painted over. It will look like a new building when completed.

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59 & 61 Lake St., Chicago.

Rev. J. A. De Spelder, of Macon, has been elected president of the Northwestern Classical Academy at Orange City.—Mr. De Spelder has been very successful in his Macon charge and people will regret exceedingly to have him leave. We have not learned whether he decides to accept or not.

Hudson Post: Last Sunday afternoon the house of Allen Ball on Grove street, caught fire about the chimney of the kitchen, and but for prompt action on first discovery his residence might have been cremated. The immediate neighbors were promptly on hand, and without a general alarm the fire was quenched.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 10, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Adrian pines for a base ball club.

Tecumseh will celebrate Decoration Day.

Fruit growers prophesy a good apple year.

We May get a little warm weather this month.

Jim Cole had cucumbers on sale at his market last week.

Supervisor Jones sits about completed his assessment.

The M. & O. has two locomotives and 50 cars at Allegan.

The Marshall contractor finds it difficult to obtain teams.

The farmers are busily engaged this week plowing for corn.

The best ice cream at Hause's from $1.00 to $1.50 a gallon.

Snedicor has a stock of Gale plows that he will sell cheap. See him.

Thanks to "Aunt Samantha" for late copies of Rome, N. Y. papers.

O. P. Bills returned last week from a trip to the Arkansas Hot Springs.

Dept. Sheriff Elbridge Hyde, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh on Saturday last.

Fred Everett, of Toledo, spent a few hours with his Tecumseh friends last week.

The new window awnings on Sink's Hotel add much to the appearance of the block.

Baker & Hall have just received two beautiful new show cases for their drug store.

Jim Cole started his ice wagon yesterday morning for the summer campaign.

This rainy weather bothers some about plowing for corn, but it is needed, after all.

Col. Geo. P. Sanford, formerly editor of the Lansing Journal, will emigrate to Dakota.

Mrs. Spaulding's green house is crowded daily with people purchasing house plants.

Capt. C. R. Miller, of Adrian, was in town last Monday on business and favored us with a call.

Mrs. Geo. Everitt and "Little Joe" left town on Friday last for a few week's visit at Lafayette, Ind.

Memorial services will be generally held throughout the churches on the Sunday previous to Decoration Day.

Good judges estimate that the wheat crop this season will be from one-quarter to one-third less than last year.

Thos. H. Mosher, of Springville, has been in business continuously longer than any other merchant in Lenawee county.

Nearly everybody in Tecumseh, men, women and children, took a walk down to the new railroad bridge last Sunday.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson will deliver a temperance lecture at the Reform Club hall Sunday P. M. at 3 o'clock.—All are invited.

Dr. R. B. House will attend the meeting of the State Homoeopathic Medical Association to be held at Lansing next week.

Subject at Baptist church Sunday evening, "The Life of Eve,"—the second in the course of lectures on Sacred Biography.

The spring fair of the Central Michigan Agricultural Society will be held at Lansing on the 29, 30 and 31st of May and June 1st.

Chel Bronson, of Clinton, rejoices over an addition to his family. It weighs ten pounds and will vote when it gets old enough.

The "run" among the wall paper dealers of this village during the past three weeks has been a bonanza to buyers of that article.

The jug breaking concert at the Presbyterian church last Thursday evening was largely attended and netted the society about $200.

Miss Mertie Packer, of Morenci, is called an extra good schoolma'm. She ought to be for she has seven elder sisters who set her the example.

De Witt Tallman, who moved over to Adrian last month, was in town yesterday on business. It seems like old times to see his smiling countenance occasionally.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will hold an ice cream festival at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Corey next Wednesday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

M. C. Miller, of New York city was the guest of Henry Smith, his uncle, a few days last week. He was called here to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Eva Smith.

Willis Merritt started last week for Galveston, Texas, for a health trip, and his friends expect that the journey will restore him to his former health. Dr. Catlin accompanied him.

Kies Bros. have a change of ad. this week. Call at their establishment and guess on the beans. The stock is now complete, and they are offering rare inducements to buyers of clothing.

Mrs. H. E. Stout does oil stamping each day in the week.

Hause is now ready to fill all orders for ice cream.

The Exchange Hotel is receiving a new coat of paint.

Ed. VanDeMark, of Clinton, gave us a call this morning.

Barnum's paste brigade are billing the county this week.

Go to Hause's for crystal flake ice cream, the best made.

Boone, the celebrated piano player at the Opera House, on the 18th inst.

L. S. M. & O. has bought two acres of ground for a depot at Battle Creek.

Manager Whitney, of Detroit, will run fifteen opera houses next season.

Mr. Watt Wesley, of Elkhart, Ind., was in town last week Wednesday visiting friends.

Albert Hyde and Elmer Hause have been appointed assessment reviewers for this village.

John Hicks is home for a few days, and is getting his new house started on Union street.

Lt. Col. B. F. Wheeler, of Adrian, was in town Monday and made Capt. Lawrence and our Co. a visit.

L. I. Bidwell's new house on Pearl street is growing rapidly and will be one of the finest dwellings in town.

Willis Merritt and Dr. Catlin arrived in Galveston, Texas, Tuesday last.—Willis endured the journey nicely.

At Cotton's sale Friday and Saturday, the gentlemen have a chance of buying shirts at very low prices. See his advertisement.

Ira C. Billman, formerly pastor of the Congregational church at Adrian, has been admitted to the bar and began the practice of law at Sullivan, Indiana.

Adrian Record: In Tecumseh they have "jug breaking" concerts, right in the Presbyterian church. As fast as the jugs are emptied they are thrown out on the pavement and broken. We may be wrong in our conclusions, but this is the way we understand it.

The Biograper Illustrated is the title of a new monthly to be published at 23 Park Row, N. Y. The design of the publication is to furnish a trustworthy work of reference giving short biographical sketches of the "men of the day." Each sketch will be accompanied with a portrait. This monthly will supply a long felt need and it ought to obtain an extensive circulation from the first number.

Time brings greater men upon the stage of action than those who have gone before. It was once thought "Blind Tom" would never have his equal as a musical wonder, but now uprises "Boone," who is also a colored boy, and who has never seen the light of day, who is a greater musician, a greater prodigy, and more of a wonder than Tom. Boone is but 19 years old yet he plays several thousand pieces, and a great many composed by himself. "Blind Boone" will give an entertainment at the opera house on Friday evening, May 18.

Dr. E. Test, who is widely known in this vicinity, having been a popular and successful principal of Raisin Valley Seminary for five years, is associated with Prof. Cyrus W. Hodgin, for many years a leading professor in the Indiana State Normal school at Terre Haute, in starting a Normal school in Richmond, Indiana, to aid which the citizens have contributed $5,000. With these men at the head the enterprise will certainly be a success, and Richmond is to be congratulated.

The election of W. B. Keyser as Secretary, and Minor Davidson as Treasurer of the Fair Association are two excellent selections. Mr. Keyser is one of the rising young farmers of northern Lenawee, is in good circumstances and hence will have sufficient leisure time to devote to the work.—Mr. Davidson is well known as one of our "solid" farmers and the finances of the Association will be safe in his hands. The Association expect to get to work at an early day.

THE TECUMSEH SCHOOLS.

The following complimentary notice of our public schools is clipped from the May number of the Educational News. It is but simple justice to Prof. Hammond to state that our schools have been in a very flourishing condition during the past year under his superintendency.

The schools of Tecumseh continue in a flourishing condition. The enrolment the present term is quite as large as during the two preceding terms. This is something unusual, as the attendance is commonly much smaller during the spring term than during the fall and winter terms. The total enrolment for the year will reach about six hundred. The schools occupy four buildings and employ twelve teachers—one additional teacher having been added to the corps since the beginning of the year. There is an excellent library of 630 volumes, from which pupils are permitted to draw one book per week. The high school is furnished with cyclopædias, histories and books of reference, which are always at the pupils' service. It is also well supplied with philosophical and chemical apparatus. The vacancy in the sixth grade caused by the resignation of Miss Etta Wilson, is filled by Miss Nellie Clark, of Ridgeway. The graduating class this year will be quite small—there being but three members of the class, all young ladies. The present term continues eight weeks longer.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Addison has a new livery stable.

Deerfield will celebrate Decoration Day.

There are some cases of scarlet fever in Franklin.

Morenci is talking about a 4th of July celebration.

The good people of Blissfield go fishing on Sunday.

Clinton proposes to have a base ball club this season.

There were 60 cases of the measles at Fairfield during April.

The Chaffee-Hudson's base ball club have reorganized for 1883.

Morenci has a suburb called Sugartown. It must be a sweet place.

The Educational News for May is at hand. It is an extra good number.

A. M. Sickley, of Woodstock, is the agent for Fairbank's standard scales.

The W. C. T. U. of Morenci has been revived and will go to work again.

Barnum and Jumbo are coming.—They will be at Adrian on Wednesday June 20th.

The Odd Fellows of Jasper celebrated the anniversary of the order with a grand ball.

The state fish commissioners have planted fifty million young white fish in the river Raisin near Monroe.

The Detroit and Indianapolis base ball clubs will play a match game at Adrian on Wednesday, May 23d.

A portion of the burnt district of Deerfield will be covered with good brick blocks before the season closes.

Nine hundred and forty-seven pounds of butter were taken from the Hudson creamery one day last week.

The Adrian Record is favored with serenades from the salvation army.—How happy the Record man must be.

Quoth Willard to Rynd,
"You're nothing but wind."
Quoth the Doctor to Stearns,
"You're troubled with worms."

The Sunday School apartments of the M. E. church at Adrian have been remodelled, and were dedicated last Sunday.

Clinton is to have a clothing store again. John Ed McCollum will soon open a stock of goods at the old Silvers' stand.

Monday evening of last week Bishop Harris administered the rite of confirmation to a class of 38 persons at St. John's church in Clinton.

One of the Blissfield hotels has been closed. The proprietor cannot give the required liquor bonds, and he claims that he cannot keep hotel without a bar.

The Salvation Army of Adrian have taken up new quarters on the Fair grounds. Plenty of fresh air will do them good. Now let them take an occasional dose of clean water and soft soap.

Blissfield Advance: The subject of cleaning out the river Raisin from its head to mouth, is being again revived. It is said there is a new process of having the work accomplished. The benefit, in a sanitary point of view, would be incalculable.

The next meeting of the Lenawee county Teacher's Association will be held in the high school room in Adrian on Saturday, May 12. Prof. Wendell, of Hudson, Prof. Smith, of Clinton, and others, are expected to present papers. Miss Stella Mason has the music in charge, and this will no doubt be an interesting feature.

Adrian Record: The Press explains all about the bloodless war in the editorial room between the editor and Dr. Rynd. So glad it wasn't a real deadly fight. Corpses are likely to smell in warm weather. Any time either gent wants to match himself against our 107 pounds, we can be found, ready to emulate the poor widder and cast in all our might.

Adrian Record: The explosion of a fire-cracker during the salvation services at Floral hall, Thursday evening sounded like the 'crack of doom' to many who were 'out of the ark' and consternation prevailed. The best use the Salvation drummer could make of his club, would be to beat a dead-march on the "gourd" of the miserable rowdy who threw the fire-cracker.

The Clinton News says:

By order of Judge Harriman, Crowell Eddy, of Lenawee county, has paid into the county treasury $6,550.66 which belongs to the unknown heirs of Thomas Harvey, who died in Manchester in 1879.—Register.

Mr. Eddy was in our office a few days ago and informed us that these figures were incorrect. He says he paid $4,556.66, instead of $6,550.66, as above stated.

The Hudson Gazette says: "Dar." Allen of the Morenci Observer, having severed his connection with the M. E. church, there is almost as much comment as when the great Brooklyn divine left the Cong'l association. It is understood that Bro. Allen is either a little out of accord with the faith of his early years, or that, as the Post and Tribune has it: "As the season for publishing fish stories, snake stories, and egg stories, is at hand, he has sawed the 'Rev.' off his name."—This last imputation we resent.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The grading on this end of the line is progressing rapidly. The road bed is about completed from Ridgeway to the big bridge across the Raisin. The grading on Cummins street and its extension is pushed entirely through the corporation limits. About half the grade is done on Judge Stacy's farm, and west of Howard's farm to the Franklin town line the bed is ready for the ties. In the towns of Franklin and Cambridge the road bed is nearly all done. By the first of June the road bed will be ready for the ties from Addison to Britton. East of Britton the work is not so far advanced, as the exact location of the line from that point has been uncertain. In fact we are not aware that the line east of Britton has been positively decided upon as yet.

The Pulaski contractor has been bringing teams from Indiana.

The west line, so-called, has been adopted through the village of Homer by the M. & O. railroad.

The old grade from Marshall north, about 100 miles of which is completed, is being taken in hand by the Ohio Central parties who are building the Toledo & Milwaukee and will have it organized before long, preparatory to its completion. The project is being handled quietly, but will probably be included in the new constructions of the current year.

Jackson Patriot: A car load of German emigrants from New York city passed through town Monday en route for Hanover, where they will work on the new M. & O. Ry. They were a muscular looking crowd and will do excellent work with the pick and shovel. Others of the same nationality are expected in a few days and will be given work by the same contractor.

Hanover Times: The work here will soon be finished. There are a few cuts to be made, the deepest less than ten feet. It is thought that the railroad movement will arouse to activity the comparatively dead town, making business brisk, and adding to the value of real estate.

Marshall Statesman: Messrs. J. A. Latcha, J. E. Neale and S. Lamb, of the M. & O., were in the city this week, sounding the people on the depot question. No conclusion was arrived at and a second visit will be necessary. Representatives of the different factions gained the ears of the officials at various times, but when asked to express their own opinions, were decidedly non-committal. Mr. Latcha stated that the engine of the construction train will probably reach Marshall the middle of next month.

A correspondent of the Battle Creek Journal writes as follows: "On reaching the grade of the new railroad about one-half mile north of Augusta, your correspondent proceeded in a northwesterly direction to the eastern terminus of the track, on which were standing seven new flat cars marked 'Michigan & Ohio Ry.,' which contained about 2,000 cedar ties. Here he had the pleasure of meeting the assistant superintendent, who had just arrived from Allegan. The road is being laid with steel rails weighing 250 pounds to the rail, and there have already been laid 22 miles of new track from Monteith east, which is being ballasted at the present time and put in good shape. The iron on the old road from Allegan to Monteith is being replaced with steel. The bridge over the Kalamazoo this side of Augusta is 435 feet long, and will be completed in a few days.

Detroit Evening News: A Niles farmer was told by a stranger that he, the stranger, had dreamed that money was buried on the farmer's land. They went together and dug up 3,000 shining dollars. The stranger couldn't carry away his 1,500; therefore the farmer gave the stranger $500 in greenbacks and his note for $1,000, and lugged the entire 3,000 pieces home. After three weeks of hard-to-be-contained enjoyment and fearful anxieties because of so much money in the house, the farmer thought to astonish the bank officials by making a big deposit. But on interviewing them, the astonishment was of an agricultural species—the 3,000 shining dollars were counterfeit. But the $1,000 note must be paid all the same.

—The Celebrated Ohio Land Plaster, $6 per ton at S. W. Temple's.

Buy no other plow but the Syracuse, if you want the best.
Snedicor.

—Syracuse Plows and Points for sale by Slayton & Son.

—I would respectfully call the attention of all who are needing anything in the Wall Paper line to my complete assortment. I have been constantly adding all the latest designs, and I can now exhibit the best selected stock in Lenawee county. Having secured the services of two first-class hangers I am prepared to contract the finest jobs known to the trade, and challenge comparison. Art Decoration a specialty. C. A. KIRL.

—The Farmers' Friend Horse Corn Planter takes the lead. Call on Slayton & Son's and examine it. Hand Planters there too.

—R. C. VanAntwerp will open his Ice Cream parlors Saturday next, over G. W. Marsden's shoe store.—Cream delivered to any part of the city for one dollar per gallon. Cream by the quart or pint for dinner or tea.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—The best Pillow Sham Lifter in the market is for sale and kept only by Mrs. R. Ford, of this village. Ladies should call on her and see this new household device before purchasing other and inferior ones.

—See Slayton's 50c glass comb case and match safe combined.

—Pictures copied and enlarged in India Ink, Ink and colors, Crayon and Oil. Opposite Opera House.

—Spring Tooth Harrows and Cultivators of all styles at Slayton & Son's.

—Points and repairs for the Gale, Syracuse, Dodge, Bryan and South Bend Plows, at Snedicor's.

—Fourteen years a tin typer. 6 for 75 cts. Opposite Opera House.

—Carpet Sweepers and good ones too, at $1.50 at Slayton's.

—Barrow's tin types are durable.—4 for 50 cts. Opposite Opera House.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
WELCOME SHERMAN.
The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—Tin Types will always be popular with those who wish to spend from 50 cents to $1.00. See Gallery opposite the Opera House.

—Slayton is selling all kinds of Furniture at rock bottom prices this spring.

—Vitalized Air can be taken and your teeth all extracted without pain at Dr. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Land Fertilizing Salt, only $6 a ton, at S. W. Temple's.

—Baby Cabs $3.50 at Slayton's. Come quick.

—Iron Axel Wagons only $1.50 at Slayton's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at S. W. Temple's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—The Champion Barbed Fence Wire is the best, and Slayton & Son have it.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—Now when you want a good plow, remember that Slayton & Son have the South Bend Chilled Plow.

—Hard wood Bureaus, walnut trimmed and drop handles, $4, at Slayton's.

—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Go to Slayton's Furniture Store for Grape Vines and Baled Hay.

—Having suffered for more than thirty years from piles, and fearing they were going to kill me, as I could get very little rest by night or day, I was persuaded to call on Dr. Cloyne. He gave me one day's treatment and since have had no more trouble with the disease. I am entirely cured.—The doctor's office and residence is at 230 Lafayette street, Toledo, Ohio.—His specialties are piles, rheumatism and cancer. He advertises to give $1,000 for a case of disease of the rectum that he cannot cure in from four to six days. No pay required until cured. For particulars enquire of or address L. L. Sweet, Dundee, Mich.

DIED.

SMITH—In this village at the residence of her son Henry Smith, on Wednesday, May 2d, 1883, Mrs. Eva Smith, at the ripe old age of 87 years, 1 month and 17 days.

The deceased was born in Ronelstorf, Bavaria, Germany, in the year 1796. In 1837 she lost her husband, and in 1847 she emigrated to this country, a widow with a family of children. Five sons survive her, all of whom have grown to man's estate, and who are prominent and respected citizens in the communities where they live. Michael Smith of Lake Ridge, Henry Smith of Tecumseh, Geo. Smith of Toledo, Ohio, John W. Smith, of Youngstown, Ohio, and Adam Smith, of Sterling, Ill. The deceased had been a member of the evangelical Lutheran church since her childhood, was a kind mother and an exemplary christian. She was buried in the Lake Ridge cemetery on Friday last, the services being held at the church there, and conducted by the Rev. M. Doerfler. All her sons and a large concourse of friends were present at the funeral. A "mother in Israel" has gone to her final reward.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Necessitating a Surgical Operation—Loving Mother Attempts to Take a Pair of Shears from Her Child.

PARENTS BE CAREFUL.

Domestic accidents are common to women, and some of them are very serious. Mrs. Warner, of South Rondout, Ulster Co., N. Y., some weeks ago attempted to take from her child a pair of shears with which it was playing. A sight ensued, in which the point of the shears entered Mrs. Warner's left eye, entirely destroying the sight. Her family physician did what he could, but intensely painful inflammation ensued, [illegible] other eye. Total blindness in a woman having the care of a household is an irreparable misfortune. Despairing, Mrs. W. applied to the well-known and skillful surgeon, Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who removed the injured eye by a very successful operation, saving little all danger of further harm to the sight of the other eye. Not owing to pain and the great distress, her system needed a tonic and restorative medicine. To do this were the doctor prescribed Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, with a surprising results. Her recovery was rapid, her system soon regained its lost equilibrium, and laid a sure foundation of health.

Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy removes all impurities from the blood, regulates the liver and kidneys. Cures constipation, and all diseases and weaknesses peculiar to females. It is for sale by our druggists at one dollar a bottle.

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For years established and now known to fail in a single case in the worst form of Rheumatism, Gout and Neuralgia, prescribed by all physicians and pronounced by them a specific.

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It has been recognized by eminent scientists that such any applications, such as rubbing with oils, liniments, blisters and soothing lotions, will not relieve these diseases, which are the result of an impure condition of the blood, and nothing but SALICYLICA will reach the root of the trouble.

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$1 a Box, 6 Boxes for $5.

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Beware of imitations or something recommended as just as good. Insist on having SALICYLICA. [illegible] name of Wood [illegible] on the wrapper. [illegible] Address all orders to

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I have a positive remedy for the above disease; by its use thousands of cases of the worst kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed, so strong is my faith in its efficacy, that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE, together with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease, to any sufferer. Give Express and P. O. address.

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In every parting there is an image of death.
Opportunity sooner or later, comes to all who work and wait.
Intemperance is the bane of happiness and the root of all evil.
Half the ills we hoard in our hearts are ills because we hoard them.
We lose the peace of years when we hunt after the rapture of moments.
The qualities we possess never make us so ridiculous as those we pretend to have.
A man's good breeding is the best security against the people's ill manners.
Nothing will so increase and strengthen the virtues as practice and experience in them.
When you give to others give cheerfully. There is no blessing from an unwilling offering.
The firmest friendships have been formed in mutual adversity; as iron is most strongly united by the fiercest flame.
Good temper, like a summer day, sheds a brightness over everything. It is the sweetener of toil and the soother of disquitude.
Reflect upon your present blessings, of which every man has many—not upon your past misfortunes, of which all men have some.

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They are composed of Roots, Herbs and Gums of the most healing and beneficial kind.

As a family Medicine they are unrivalled, curing Headache, Constipation, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia—cleansing the blood of all impurities—acting on the Liver, Kidneys and other important organs, restoring the waste tissue, and adding years to the lives of all who use them.

For fifty years they have been used by the American public, and their constantly increasing sales show how they are appreciated.

A Perfect Remedy in 50 Diseases.

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I am verging on eighty years, and deem it my duty to suffering humanity to say that my long life is due to Brandreth's Pills which have been my sole medicine for half a century. I know the last forty-three years of my life is owing solely to their use. Your Pills saved me many times after the best medical skill in several States had given me up as hopeless. I have had many converts to purgation with Brandreth's Pills, and have seen them perform almost miracles of cure. For children, a few doses have cured measles, scarlet fever, and whooping cough.

In all female troubles and weaknesses I have never known them to fail. In adult males I have known them to cure worst cases of dyspepsia, rheumatism, kidney diseases, dysentery and diarrhœa, even dropsy, paralysis, and apoplexy have yielded to a persistent course of Brandreth's Pills. In fact I have found them the Life Elixir. They act as a continual preventives against the effects of time, disease, and labor.

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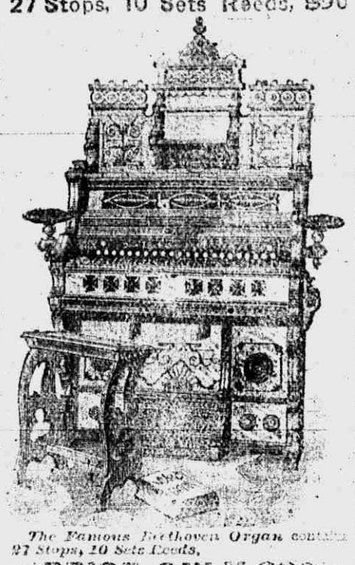

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Nothing is more painful to one who knows what mothers may do for their children, or wives for their husbands, than to see the idleness of young women who are not compelled to work for a living, and to find how empty-headed they are. This may seem a small matter in itself, but the moment a woman is married she has to learn how to be interesting in her home to her husband, and as soon as she is a mother, the training of her children is the foremost duty of the hour. In these two spheres of life, which are essentially the goal of woman's existence, everything depends upon what the wife and mother brings to her several positions, everything for her own, her husband's and her children's happiness. Women are perpetually losing their husbands because they rely upon evanescent personal charms to uphold affection, but the surest way to provide against the decay of the enthusiasm of the early married life is to cultivate those mental and moral qualities which make women always charming and attractive.

Nothing is any surer to do this, aside from personal manners, than the improvement of one's mind, the growth of literary tastes, the interest of what imports new and wholesome attractions into one's home. It may be the microscope, or French or German translation, or botany or English literature, or history, or music, but whatever it is, the stimulus of knowing one thing thoroughly is worth immensely more than the knowledge itself, because it gives one the power to know more and to enjoy more. These studies, even in themselves, are refining, but pursued in the genial atmosphere of home, they are more than simply refining; they are agencies by which the spirit of the home is chastened, made moral, even made religious. Religion in one's home is the best when it is the least insisted upon, when its life is the unconscious poetry of the household, when it seems to be the natural culmination of the amenities of life; and religion and culture go together in the well-ordered life of every woman. But it is when the wife becomes a mother, when the religion and culture find a congenial sphere for development within the sanctities of home, when among children and among friends and neighbors the tone is always uplifting and inspiring, that literary culture and the genial development of a woman's mind and heart seem to make life sweetest and best. Fortunate is the boy or girl who has such a home. It is from such quarters, be they the log cabin or the house with brown stone front, that men and women go forth with the idea that conquers the world. Every leading person has had a start somewhere, and usually it is traced to one of these mothers whose native or acquired culture has been imparted to her bright children. Here is the true importance of literature at home. It pays for itself hundreds of times over in its influence upon parents, and in the early direction it gives to their children.

The Passion for Diamonds.

"Are there more diamonds worn now than ever before in this country?"

"I should say so, most decidely. I have been in the business over thirty years, and I never knew such a rage for the stone as exists to-day. Recently I attended a garden party at the Grand Union hotel at Saratoga and I saw bushels of them. This is the only way to describe the number of valuable diamonds worn there, and most of them were fine stones. Nearly every woman there had big solitaires in rings or ear-rings. You see the finest diamonds are worn solitaire in studs, rings and earrings, while for bracelets and hair-pins an inferior stone may be used, as they are not so conspicuous. I noticed one thing, however, at the Grand Union—nine-tenths of the diamonds were not clean. Dust settles on everything, and it is astonishing how little care a woman will give to her diamonds. They carefully inspect their gloves and shoes before completing their toilets, but their diamonds, worth often thousands of dollars, receive no attention, become dirty, and are sometimes lost. A lady customer of mine lost a very valuable diamond after possessing it years. If she had been in the habit of giving the gem any attention, she would have noticed that a setting of eighteen carat gold will wear out in time and lose its grip on the stone. The large solitaire diamond is now preferred to the cluster. Few diamonds are worn by gentlemen except in the case of young men anxious for display. Here and there a gentleman will wear solitaires on his shirt bosom, but if he has good taste he will be careful that they are small or he may be taken for a gambler. It is astonishing how much money is sometimes represented in the diamonds worn by ladies on a "swell" occasion. It is a common thing in New York society to see $10,000 or $20,000 in diamonds on a lady's person. Mrs. John Jacob Astor has been known to wear $50,000 worth of diamonds at an evening reception, and I should say that the diamonds worn by Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt at the garden party I spoke of were very fully that amount of money. Mrs. Mackay, wife of the "bonanza king," once offered to buy the famous "Regent" diamond, the most valuable in the world. It is valued at a mere million, but the French government wouldn't sell it."—*New York Tribune.*

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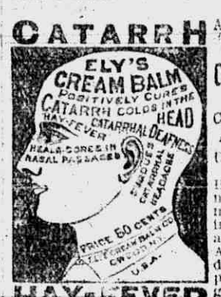

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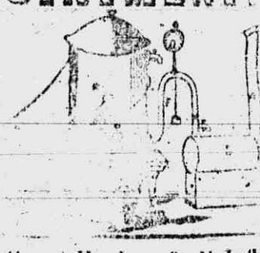

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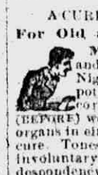

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Wholesome Food.

The earliest agitator in the matter, a writer in the *Nineteenth Century*, observes when traveling in Sicily, that the laboring classes there live healthily and work well upon a vegetable diet, the staple article of which bread is made of well ground wheat meal. Nor are the Sicilians by any means the only people so supported. The Hindoos of the Northwestern Provinces can walk fifty or sixty miles a day with no other food than "chapatties" made of the whole meal, with a little "ghee," or Golam butter. Turkish and Arab porters capable of carrying burdens of from 400 to 600 pounds, live on bread only, with the occasional addition of fruit and vegetables. The Spartans and Romans of the olden time lived their vigorous lives on bread made of wheaten meal. In Northern as well as Southern climates, we find the same thing. In Russia, Sweden, Scotland, and elsewhere, the poor live chiefly on bread always made from some whole meal—wheat, oats, or rye—and the peasantry, of whatever climate, so fed, always compare favorably with our South English poor, who, in conditions of indigence precluding them from obtaining sufficient meat food, starve, if not to death, at least into sickliness, on the white bread it is our modern English habit to prefer. White bread alone will not support animal life. Bread made of whole grain will. The experiment has been tried in France by Magendie. Dogs were the subjects of the trial, and every care was taken to equalize all the conditions—to proportion the quantity of food given in each case to the weight of the animal experimented upon, and so forth. The result was sufficiently marked. At the end of forty days the dogs fed soley on white bread died. The dogs fed on bread made of the whole grain remained vigorous, healthy and well nourished. Whether an originally healthy human being, if fed solely on white bread for forty days, would likewise die at the end of that time, remains, of course a question. The tenacity of life exhibited by Magendie's dogs will not evidently bear comparison with that of the scarcely yet forgotten forty days wonder—Dr. Tanner. Nor is it by any means asserted that any given man or any given child would certainly remain in vigorous health for an indefinite length of time if fed solely on wheat-meal bread. Not a single piece of strong evidence has been produced, however, to show that he would not; and in the only case in which whole-meal bread has been tried with any persistency or on any considerable scale among us—to wit, in jails—facts go to show such bread to be an excellent and wholesome substitute for more costly forms of nutritious food.

Changes in Men's Clothing.

It is curious to note how great are the changes in men's costume. Looking only at one detail, the waistcoat, which, last century, was the cause of endless extravagance, we find that it is now of the utmost simplicity, and is for the most part, hidden by the coat. But the waistcoat had its day. There was a time when dandies made it a matter of pride to have dozens—nay, scores—of waistcoats. In Germany, during the last century, the luxury was considerable, and the love of display incalculable. One of the Ministers under Frederick the Great used to boast that he had 300 waistcoats and 300 wigs. "So many wigs and so little head," said Frederick the Great, speaking of him. Men of position were required to have a positive museum of waistcoats in cloth of gold. The waistcoat was a work of art, a painter's canvas filled with subjects. It was covered with admirable representations of hunting episodes, of court scenes, of famous fables, of village festivals. The waistcoat of the gallant of the period was enlivened with the pictorial history of the loves of Mars and Venus the Marshall' waistcoat was embroidered with military scenes, while one of the court dandies acquired fame (which he would not have otherwise enjoyed) by reason of the illustrations of popular plays to be seen on his manly breast. The rage for these illuminated waistcoats lasted till the end of Louis XVI.'s reign. The buttons to which these garments were fastened were not less worthy of notice. They were for the most part, of about the size of our silver dollars, and were in steel, in silver, in precious stones, sometimes even in diamonds. The Count-d'Artois, afterwards Charles X., was celebrated for the magnificence of his buttons, some of which were in enamel, and embellished with miniatures of the celebrated beauties, of classic heads of the gods and goddesses. Some men of the lower type wore on their buttons the portraits and initials of the queens of their hearts. The revolution brought about some changes. The waistcoat was shortened, and its buttons bore the portrait of Robespierre, who was known among the dandies as the man with the best powdered hair in France! or of Saint Just, or Fouquier-Tinville, or others. But this fashion soon disappeared, and the waistcoat has gradually lost its importance as an article of masculine apparel, and is now considered useful as a depot for the watch, but as an ornament is nothing.

Entertaining Company.

The whole philosophy of hospitality is summed up by Emerson in the following: "I pray you, O excellent wife, not to cumber yourself and me to get a rich dinner for this man or this woman who has alighted at our gate, nor a bed-chamber made ready at too great a cost. These things, if they are curious in, they can get for a dollar at the village. But let this stranger see, if he will, in your looks, in your accent and behavior, your heart and earnestness, your thought and will, what he cannot buy at any price, at any village or city, and which he may well travel fifty miles and dine sparingly and sleep hard, in order to behold. Certainly, let the board be spread and the bed be dressed for the traveler, but let not the emphasis of hospitality be in these things. Honor to the house where they are simple to the verge of hardship so that the intellect is awake and sees the laws of the universe, the soul worships truth and love, and honor and courtesy flow into all deeds." One of the greatest comforts of having a home should be that in it we have a place for friends and even strangers—rooms, more than supply the needs of the family, and extra "leaves" to the extension table. The secret of true hospitality, as Emerson has stated, is in its coming from the heart.

EARACHE.—This painful and troublesome disease in pathological terms means acute inflammation of the membrana tympani. The inflammation may be quickly subdued, the patient relieved from excruciating pain, and saved, perhaps, from subsequent confirmed deafness, by the following treatment which is similar to that so beneficial in analogous cases of disease of the eye, viz: leeches behind the ear, hydrarg. c. creta and belladonna powders, with warm fomentation.

Consumption

A REMEDY SUGGESTED BY A MINNESOTA PHYSICIAN.

In a letter from Minneapolis, Minn., to the Chicago *Tribune*, in which he declares that no cough mixture can reach the lungs, Dr. D Unger says:

I need not describe the symptoms of consumption, as they are so well known and frequently beheld that even the most unintelligent can diagnose the disease from the hectic spots in the cheeks, the terrible exhausting cough, the purulent expectoration, and wasting body; nor will I here pre[illegible] the thousand and one opinions already printed as to its causation. It will [illegible] seated, strenuous efforts to check its progress must be made. Nature herself always tries to do this, and with slight aid, she usually succeeds. Be hopeful, then, ye afflicted ones.

Let us compare life to a burning lamp. If we supply oil as rapidly as the flame consumes it, the wick remains unburnt, and the lamp throws out its given light; but if we fail to supply the oil needed to produce the flame, it is a foregone conclusion; the wick becomes consumed, the light grows dim, flickers, and finally goes out altogether. In other words, the light dies because there is too much oxygen and not enough carbon. So it is with a consumptive's life. The disease he suffers from is a wasting one, an internal fever which consumes the carbon in his blood more rapidly than the food he eats can supply it. If carbon was furnished as fast as the disease exhausted it, the body would not waste; if it was put into the blood in excess of what the disease required, there would be an increase in the strength and bulk of the body, instead of a decrease. Like the lamp, the supply of oil in the body must be equivalent to the demand or in excess of it. If this be not so, the life, like the wick, will be consumed.

Some months ago the little daughter (aged fourteen), of a trunk-maker in this city, one Mr. Garden—I am permitted to use his name—was pronounced a hopeless consumptive; and to have seen her at that time one would have supposed there was good ground for the decision, as she was a mere skeleton, had a terrible cough, expectorated over half a pint a day of greenish, blood-streaked tuberculous matter, and was so exceedingly nervous that she could scarcely sleep at all, night or day. She had been doctored a long time with cough and consumption specifics, and one or two physicians had tried their skill on her, but without avail, her life gradually drawing to its close. Meeting her father—who was almost heart-broken at the thought of soon losing her—one day, I gave him this prescription:

One half pound finely cut up beef steak (fresh.)
One drachm pulverized charcoal.
Four ounces pulverized sugar.
Four ounces rye whisky.
One pint boiling water.

Mix all together, let it stand in a cool place over night, and give from one to two teaspoonfuls liquid and meat—before each meal.

This was tried, and in four or five weeks this little girl was so rosy and healthy, free from all cough and other symptoms of disease, that it was considered almost a miracle in the neighborhood in which she lived.

What caused this great change? Simply the supplying of her system with more carbon than the disease could exhaust, thereby giving nature the upper hand in the conflict.

I have used this preparation very frequently, and have never found it to act otherwise than beneficially. The dose should be small at first, until the stomach becomes used to it, and then gradually increased.

Let all consumptives try it who read this, weighing themselves before they commence, and again after they have taken it for a week or ten days. To their astonishment they will discover that, instead of their wasting away, they will gain in strength and flesh.

Bill Nye Talks to Young Men in Regard to a Career.

Young man, what are you living for? Have you an object dear to you as life, and without the attainment of which you feel that your life will have been a wide, shoreless waste, peopled by the specters of dead ambitions? You can take your choice in the great battle of life, whether you will bristle up and win a deathless name, and owe everybody, or be satisfied with scabs and mediocrity. Many of those who now stand at the head of the nation as statesmen and logicians were once unknown, unhonored and unsung. Now they saw the air in the halls of Congress, and their names are plastered on the temple of fame.

You can win some laurels, too, if you will brace up and secure them when they are ripe. Daniel Webster, and President Garfield and Dr. Tanner and George Elliott were all, at one time, poor boys. They struggled against poverty and public opinion bravely on till they won a name in the annals of history, and secured to their loved ones palatial homes, with lightning rods and mortgages on them. So may you, if you make the effort.

All these things are within your reach. Live temperately on $9 a month. That's the way we got our start. Burn the midnight oil if necessary. Get some true, noble-minded young lady of your acquaintance to assist you. Tell her of your troubles and she will tell you what to do. She will gladly advise you. Then you can marry her, and she will advise you some more. After that she will lay aside her work any time to advise you. You needn't be out of advice at all unless your want to. She, too, will tell you when you have made a mistake. She will come to you frankly and acknowledge that you have made a jackass of yourself.

As she gets more acquainted with you she will be more candid with you, and in her unstudied girlish way, she will point out errors, and gradually convince you with an old chair-leg and other arguments, that you were wrong, and your past life will come up before you like a panorama, and you will tell her so, and she will let you up again. Life is indeed a mighty struggle. It is business. We can't all be editors and lounge around all the time, and wear good clothes, and have our names in the papers, and draw a princely salary. Some one must do the work and drudgery of life, or it won't be done.

The quinine production of the world is estimated at from 250,000 to 260,000 lbs per year, as follows: Germany, 56,000 lbs; Italy, 45,000 lbs; France, 45,000 lbs; England, 27,000 lbs; America, 63,000 lbs; India, 19,000. Efforts are being made to acclimatise the cinchona in Italy. Its successful culture in India and Ceylon encourages the belief that it will grow wherever the soil is dry, the rainfall large, and the climate temperate.

Miscellaneous Recipes.

Harvest Soup.—Cut in small pieces one pound of good beef, cover with cold water, and boil gently for three hours; let it stand over night; remove all the fat; bring to a boil and add a can of lobster, cut fine; prepare one cauliflower sliced, cut the corn from one dozen ears, break in small pieces one quart of butter-beans, slice one onion, cut fine three or four radishes, add all to the soup, with one whole green bull-pepper, one teaspoonful black pepper, one teaspoonful salt; in one hour add one quart of tomatoes sliced; when tender, carefully remove without breaking on the skimmer the bull pepper; simmer the rest four hours longer; add no more water before [illegible] keep from burning; after they are in none will be needed. Half the above quantities can be used. Some like potato with the other vegetables. Add salt to taste before dishing. A little rice can be used, if liked, in the soup.

Chicken with Okra.—Singe and draw a large, tender chicken, cut in small pieces, put in a saucepan with two ounces of butter, two ounces of lean ham, and an onion cut in squares; stir on the fire until the moisture is evaporated, drain the butter off, wet with two quarts of beef broth, add a quart of peeled and seedless tomatoes (cut in small pieces,) half a green pepper, (cut small,) four ounces of rice, and about 50 tender okras, (pared at both ends and cut in rounds;) season with salt, pepper, nutmeg, a bunch of parsley with aromats, also a leek, and celery, pour it into a soup-tureen and serve.

Muffins.—One quart sifted flour, two eggs one tablespoonful melted butter, one tablespoonful sugar, one teaspoonful salt, (not heaped,) quarter yeast-cake dissolved in a little water; mix with sufficient sweet milk to make a medium stiff batter; beat the eggs very light, stir all together, set to rise over night, add one small teaspoonful soda just before baking; bake in gem-pans on top of stove to set the bottom, finish in quick oven; not to be turned over.

Quickly-Made Beef Tea.—Take any desired quantity of steak from the top part of the round, as this has less fat and more juice than any other part; remove all the fat and divide the meat into small pieces, cutting across the grain; put the meat in a dry saucepan and allow it to sweat for five minutes over a slow fire, stirring occasionally to prevent sticking. After sweating for five minutes, you will find the meat white in color, and surrounded by a rich, nourishing gravy, which, in case of great exhaustion, may be given in this form. But ordinarily we next pour over the meat its weight in cold water, allowing a pint of water to a pound of beef. Stir until the water boils; it must not boil again, but simmer gently for five or ten minutes until the sauce is drawn out, then strain carefully into a bowl, and if there is a particle of fat on the top, remove it with a piece of brown, unsized paper. By this method you may take off every star of fat without wasting any of the beef tea, as is done when using a ladle or spoon. Salt according to taste, but always lightly.

Horse-Radish Vinegar (English.)—Quarter of a pound of scraped horse-radish, one ounce minced chalot, one drachm cayenne, one quart vinegar; put all in a bottle, shake well every day for two weeks; when thoroughly steeped, strain and bottle, and it is ready for use. This is made best in September or October, as horse-radish is best then, and it is a nice relish for meat.

On Piling Wood.

Many people who handle wood do not know that if they wish the bark to come off they should pile it bark down; if they wish to retain the bark the opposite course should be taken. A correspondent writes to the Detroit *Post and Tribune*, giving his experience, as follows: "I have sold wood for over forty years in Michigan and I find that when wood is corded bark up the bark remains on until I sell and measure up the wood, and all that is piled bark down, the bark falls off and measures nothing; besides, there is more heat in the bark than in the sap of the log. The most and best ashes are also in the bark. I have on my place now some maple wood that was chopped nine years ago and corded bark up and the bark would hold on if I would draw the wood to Saginaw (18 miles) and cord up and measure; besides, the bark is lighter to draw. Where the bark is piled down the water runs in around the wood and makes it dozy, wet and heavy. Tell your neighbors to try it. Railroad companies would save thousands of dollars by piling their wood bark up.

What the Minister Says.

Homer, Ill.

Mr. A. Kiefer—My Dear Sir:—I have been afflicted for the last four years with derangement of the Liver, causing Dyspepsia, Headache, Nausea, and general derangement of the whole system. I have tried a great many preparations, but found no relief until I tried one bottle of your Taraxine, which has permanently cured me. I also found it to be good for the Ague. I commend it to all who suffer with derangement of the liver. Very truly yours. Rev. Thomas Whitlock.

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GRAFTING WAX. The following is a recipe for making grafting wax that will not melt in summer nor crack in winter: Three parts resin, three parts beeswax and two parts tallow will make a good grafting wax. A cheaper wax that has given us satisfaction, is made by melting together four parts good, clear resin, two parts beeswax and one part tallow. When the ingredients all are melted and mixed, pour into a pail of cold water, when the wax will harden sufficiently to be worked and pulled, as in working molasses candy. If used in cold weather it will be necessary to keep it in warm water, and in hot weather cold water will be needed. For using grafting wax is sometimes cut into strips, spread on narrow strips of cloth, which are wound around the graft.

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Our Daughters.

The foe of American social life is the tendency of luxury and effeminacy among the well-to-do young women of our American cities and large towns. They do not realize how this dreadful mania for expensive pleasures and a life of alternate idleness and amusement is destroying their health, abolishing true marriage, feeding the flames of gross sensuality and intemperance among young men, and saddening the hopes of the best parents of the land. Some of them will never know it in this world. But most of them have no real purpose to waste their lives in this wretched way. And it is a high crime in mothers, teachers, ministers of religion, and the public press to pander to this insanity. [illegible] girls are sacrificed every year, when a little wise and prudent guidance would save them. But we feel that they should be told that unless they change this life they will pass away like the flowers of June, and a more hardy and resolute class occupy their places.

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ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Josephine Mead, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cyrus Mead or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April A. D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. apr12

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, late of said county deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Edwin B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan on the 23d day of May, 1883, and on the 18th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of February, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 7th, 1883.

PETER S. McKINNON,
FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Commissioners.

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NOTICE. I am requested by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh to have printed the state law and the corporation law relative to sportsmen or others shooting on Sunday, inside the corporation, and if such offenses are committed to enforce the law for the suppression of the same. H. W. STEVENS, Marshall.

Following is the law of State and Corporation.

[No. 199.]

AN ACT to prevent hunting for game with fire-arms, dogs, or otherwise on any enclosed lands or premises of another in this state without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SECTION 1. The People of the State of Michigan enact, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to hunt for game with fire-arms, dogs, or otherwise on any inclosed lands or premises of another in any county of this State without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of the foregoing section of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court, and costs of prosecution. And in case the fine imposed and the costs of prosecution shall not be paid, the defendant shall be confined in the county jail of the county not less than five nor more than thirty days: Provided, however, That no complaint shall be made or entertained against any person for the violation of any of the provisions of this act unless the same shall be made by the owner or lessee of the land or premises so trespassed against (upon).

Approved May 23, 1877.

CHAPTER VII.

SEC. 7. No person shall fire any gun, pistol, or cannon within the business portion of said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon in or across any streets anywhere in said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon in any portion of said village calculated, or having a tendency to endanger, injure or put persons in fear, without the consent of the council; under a penalty not to exceed twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court; but nothing in this section contained shall be construed to prohibit any military company existing under provisions of law, from firing any gun or cannon when authorized by their commanding officer.

ESTATE OF SYLVESTER ELLIS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 30th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sylvester Ellis, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of [illegible] praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Sylvanus Howden or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Joseph Lanning, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased, in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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ESTATE OF STEPHEN M. MUDGETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 26th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen M. Mudgett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Margaret A. Mudgett, administratrix of said estate, alleging that she has paid the debts of said deceased, and his funeral expenses, and the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of her final account, for assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, if any, among the persons entitled thereto, and for her discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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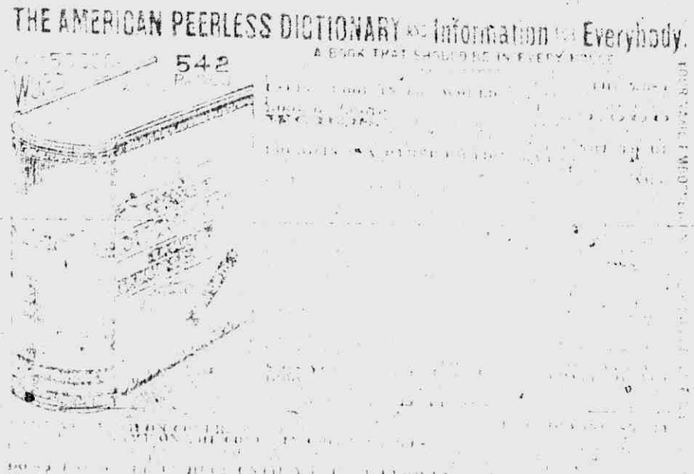

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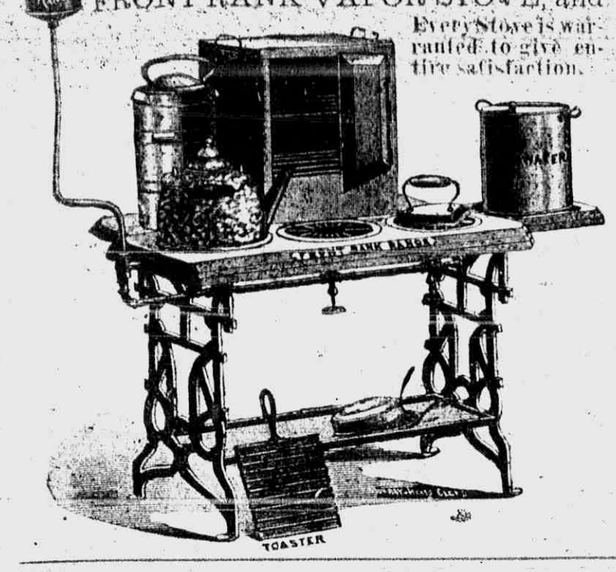

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THE VILLAGE OF MADISON

[illegible] to Madison Junction. The prospects is generally called, [illegible] the business of the village, and while there we took occasion to interview the business men of the place and learn something of their past achievements and future prospects. We were somewhat surprised to find so much of a village there. It is a prosperous little hamlet and their business seems to be having a healthy growth.

In the first place they have three churches two of which are well supported and sustain regular services. They also have a good school which is the pride of the neighborhood. In the matter of business establishments there are two blacksmith shops, one wagon shop, two general stores, one public hall, one brick and tile shop, one saw mill and the old nursery established by Israel Pennington.

Our first business took us to the nursery where we had an interview with Humboldt Pennington and purchased some sets of white grapevine plants. He now manages the old homestead farm and the nursery in connection therewith. He is selling a good many fruit and evergreen trees this spring. We partook of his hospitality during the dinner hour and found that we had struck the right place to dine.

The old blacksmith shop on the corners is run by John Frost, who has been in business there for so many years, and his son.

The shop west of the corners is run by Mr. E. Carter.

Mr. Wm. Richart, who is a brother of I. B. Richart, of this village, conducts the wagon shop and seems to be doing a good business.

W. P. Cotton, who has been located at the corners for fourteen years, keeps a full line of staple goods such as are generally kept for sale in a country store, consisting of dry goods, hats and caps, drugs and groceries, garden seeds, etc. He also buys butter and eggs. In the future as in the past he intends to keep in stock good goods and sell them at as cheap a figure as they can be bought anywhere. He is well satisfied with his past trade and considers the prospects good for the coming season. Being an old resident of the corners he has the advantage of a personal acquaintance with everyone which he finds to be a decided benefit to him in his business.

The other store is run by Spencer Morgan. Mr. Morgan is the postmaster, and the post office is in his building. He keeps a retail stock of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, books and stationery and other similar goods. This firm has for some time been Sackley & Morgan, but Mr. Sackley has lately disposed of his interest to Mr. Morgan. Mr. S will devote his attention this season to the sales, having the agency of the state of Michigan of the Fairbanks scales. He expects to work mostly in northern counties. Mr. Morgan will continue the retail business of the store at the old stand, and his trade is now so well established that it will increase prosperously as heretofore.

The saw mill owned by Sage & Gary, which makes a convenient place for dances and such amusements, is not alive to [illegible] at present. Mr. Sage [illegible] the Board of Managers [illegible] Saturday [illegible] nothing [illegible] keep anything [illegible] instead [illegible] building [illegible] purposes with belts and [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] Mr. Sage [illegible] Friday of [illegible] which is a great convenience to the people [illegible] Hence has a good [illegible] [illegible] a steam heated during the season [illegible] having been in use about two months last fall. The saw mill has a capacity of about 10,000 feet per day, and has a good regular run of custom. Mr. Sage had a contract with the M. & O. road for 75,000 feet of timber [illegible] of which [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

ENGLAND'S UNREST.

London Has Been the Greatest Civilizing Force on the Earth,

But the End Cometh Surely.—The Handwriting is on the Wall.

E. V. Tousley in Minneapolis Tribune.

London will satisfy anybody's conception of a big city. No matter whence you came, there is a sense of vastness experienced which bewilders and oppresses. You meet an acquaintance on the thoroughfares always with surprise, and you part with no expectation of ever seeing him again. Take up this name of six letters and follow it through a year, in the greenland are strictly free millions of human beings, a net work of infinite activities and the profoundest social problems pushing towards solution. There are the great centers from which everything radiates—government, jurisprudence, industry, religion, literature, education and art. These are the busy looms out of which is woven that mysterious product which we denominate the social fabric—here London life.

Beyond is antiquity which stretches back and back, until it melts away in the twilight of fable. By all odds London has been the greatest civilizing force on the earth since the invention of printing, and to-day it is the very axle of the commercial world. Within twenty years it has increased in population 47 per cent, and if the Irish trouble doesn't prove deeper than agitation, it bids fair to keep on improving.

In conversation with intelligent Englishmen no one will fail to discover a certain unrest over the present political situation; an apprehension that something is working at the bottom, which sooner or latter will show a very angry appearance on the surface, if it does not upset altogether the existing order of things.

And why not? Starting with the fundamental truth that nothing is safe which is not just, let us see how the matter stands. After a few hundred years of robbery, nicknamed policy, it has come about that 12,000 people possess the land of England. But what of the 30,000,000 people who inhabit these islands? How has this transfer affected them? It's a long story of wrong and conflict, but the pith of it can be told in a few words. Subtracting the capitalists, the toiling millions are either wage-earners on the farm, or, driven into the cities, they are, under the increasing power of steam, mere wage-earners to the factory lords and shop keepers, the sole owners of the means of production. Through colonization and her ability to hold unchallenged the markets of the world, England has managed to keep down or turn aside the awful pressure, which has threatened her very life within the century just passed, and has held on to the old regime.

But the end cometh surely; the handwriting is on the wall in plain type. Not only he who runs may read, but he who reads may run. Queerly enough a rival has appeared who is disputing with her the empire of trade. The United States is producing one-fourth of the world's crop, one-fourth of its iron and one-fifth of its steel. Recent figures, summing up the year, furnish some striking contrasts, as follows:

	United States.	Great Britain.
Manufactures....	4,440,000,000	3,790,000,000
Mining.....	360,000,000	325,000,000
Agriculture.....	3,000,000,000	1,200,000,000
Carrying trade...	830,000,000	805,000,000

What is the lesson? Simply this: Our cheap meat and bread render English farming unprofitable; yea, ruinous at the present land rental; and though the landlords have scored heavy reductions in rent, the figure has not yet been reached which insures successful competition with American tillage. Our manufacturers are spreading with surprising rapidity, commending themselves alike by cheapness and quality. These are pregnant facts; food enough for the English gentleman (a term applied in England to the possessor of land) and for everybody who has a dollar in an English mill. Unless some conuteracting agency shows itself which cannot now be guessed, great distress will be experienced in Great Britain, and out of this, revolution, peaceable or otherwise; and this at no distant day. Some instrument will be raised up or pushed up as the mountains are by internal heat; and as the mountains lift the valleys, so will this instrument, crystallizing the thought of the hour, raise humanity to a higher level of justice.

Now I firmly believe this: Every honest man or woman, who desires to make an honest living, ought to have a place somewhere to make it; has a right to it—that is, in this sense the world owes him a living, and capital has no right to wrest from him the means of subsistence. The government that permits it is everlastingly in jeopardy. There are several corollaries which come from this that might be expounded. Let me leave them for another occasion. I remarked that America was a rival of England. This is putting the thing too mildly and too narrowly.

America is a spectre of awful portent to the ruling power of this whole continent. Truly the Mayflower took over with her the seed wheat of the centuries. Truly that little pilgrim ship was the speck no bigger than a man's hand, was the leaven which the woman hid, the stone which the builder rejected.

Journalistic Perpetual Motion.

Detroit Free Press.

"Oh, I don't think that perpetual motion is an impossibility at all," said a well-known London publisher the other day. "In fact I knew a case of it. Brentwood's Lady's Magazine was at one time a very good property in London. It sold for half a crown and it had a good clientage of advertisers who stuck to it year in and year out. At last it came into the hands of a rich grocer who used to puff his own business to such an extent that subscribers got disgusted and the magazine ran down to less than 200. Still the grocer-editor had a good old fogy advertising patronage, the class that held on and did not patronize anything new, so the journal would have been profitable had it not been for one thing which the grocer always had looked on as an unnecessary expense—namely, the payment of authors. So he hit on a happy scheme. He began with the January number and printed the number for the January twenty years before. He argued that very few that had seen the magazine then would remember it now and he resolved to pay for no more articles but reprint the magazine like the two acts of Rip Van Winkle with a twenty years interval between the old and the new number. Unfortunately the grocer died and shortly after the magazine did the same, otherwise we would have had a sort of journalistic perpetual motion."

Light From a Congressman.

Congressional Record.

Mr. Horr—"Do you go abroad for your authors as well as for your facts?"

Mr. Cox, of New York—"I go wherever there is sunlight; wherever I can find a tallow dip or ray, in Michigan or anywhere, I will go there or elsewhere. I go anywhere for my light. If I could get my friend from Michigan (Mr. Horr) in some sort of a condition where I could put a wick into him I would illuminate this great country from Maine to the gulf. [Great laughter and applause.]

Actors as Church-Goers.

New York Letter.

As a rule actors are not church-goers, and, considering how some preachers talk about them, their neglect of church-going can hardly be wondered at. I do not mean that all actors stay away from church, but a large number, if not the majority, certainly do. It is rarely that a man or woman of prominence on the stage is seen in a place of worship. Even the Little Church Around the Corner, which the profession regards with more favor than any other, for reasons very well known, has very few theatrical people in its congregation. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Houghton, has a friendly feeling toward actors in general, yet they do not go to his church except on some special occasion, such as a wedding or a funeral. From what I have observed, I should say that the Catholics in the profession attend church more regularly than any others, and next those who nominally belong to the Episcopal church. But the attendance all told is small, and though the number of people in the profession is continually increasing, the proportion of church goers does not increase. It does not follow, however, that people of the stage show any marked contrast to their neighbors in respect of morals and so on. Those who come in contact with them off the stage find them very much like other people in general character. They conduct themselves as decently, live as respectably, and show themselves entitled to as much regard every way as people of the same means in other callings. This may seem unnecessary to say, but having spoken of actors as not church goers it is proper to present the other side to prevent a wrong impression as to motive.

GAMBETTA'S MOTHER.

How She Made the Money to Give Him a Lawyer's Education.

An old acquaintance of Gambetta contributes a paper to The Century, containing the following account of a ruse by which Gambetta's mother got the means to send her son to the law school in Paris:

As the "Bazar Genois" was in the market-place its business lay in a great degree with rustics. Leon got sick of dealing with haggling rustics, and prayed to be removed from behind the counter to the desk. As he was a quick accountant, and wrote in a neat, legible, and flowing hand, this was granted. He did his best to give his mind to the business, but failed, and his health sank under the tedium of uncongenial pursuits. No device to which the watchful and tender mother resorted could get the better of his splenetic state. He had a fixed ambition which, as it appeared to him a chimerical one, made him restless, discontented and miserable; it was to study law, and become a teacher to a legal faculty in a provincial city. One day his mother called him to her. She said she had been unhappy in witnessing his growing depression, and she handed him a bag of money which she had saved unknown to anybody—enough to defray the cost of his journey to Paris and enable him to study law there for some time. A trunk full of clothing had been prepared, and was at the office of the stage-coach, where a place was booked for him to the nearest railway. Madame Gambetta instructed him to slip quietly away, in order to avoid a painful scene with his father, who was determined that his son should succeed him in the business. This communication was so unexpected and delightful that for the rest of the day Leon was was in a state of bewilderment. He rose betimes next morning, and stole off as instructed. Before Madame Gambetta had instructed her son to follow his vocation she had taken steps to keep him out of misery when the hoard placed in his hands should be exhausted. In 1856, the year in which Gambetta left Cahors, M. Emile Menier went there on a business tour. He had just opened the chocolate factory at Noisiel, and traded in medicated biscuits and sweet stuffs. Calling at the "Bazar Genois," he was received by Madame Gambetta. In answer to his proposal to sell his goods on commisssion, she, with tears in her eyes, met it with another. It was in the nature of the one enunciated by the unjust steward. "I have a son of great promise," she said, "whom I want to send to Paris, against his father's will, to study law. He is a good lad and no fool. But my husband, who wants him to continue his business here will, I know try to starve him into submission. What I am about to propose is that if I buy your chocolate at the rate you offer it, and buy it outright instead of taking it to sell on commission, you will say nothing if I enter it at a higher price, and you will pay the difference to my son?" M. Menier, from whose lips I had this anecdote, agreed, and for some years carried out the arrangement.

How Macklin, the Memorizer, was Stumped.

"Gaskell's Compendium" relates that Macklin used to lecture on "Aids to Memory," claiming that with his system he could repeat any paragraph of moderate length after once reading. Foote, the comedian, who was present at one of the lectures, wrote a nonsensical paragraph, which he challenged Macklin to repeat after one or more perusals. The paragraph ran as follows: "So she went into the garden to cut a cabbage leaf to make an apple pie, and at the same time a great she bear, coming up the street, popped its head into the shop, cried: 'What! no soap?' So he died, and she married the barber, and there were present the Picalilies, the Joblilies, the Gayrunes, and the Grand Panjandrum himself, with the little round button at top; and they all fell to playing a game of catch-as-catch-can till the gunpowder ran out at the heels of their boots." Macklin declined the challenge.

IN THE CATACOMBS.

[H. H. Ballard.]

Never lived a Yankee yet,
But was ready to bet
On the U. S. A.
If you speak of Italy's sunny clime,
"Maine kin beat it every time!"
If you tell of Ætna's fount of fire,
You rouse his ire.
In an injured way
He'll probably say,
"I don't think much of a smokin' hill,
We've got a moderate little still
Kin make your old volcaner still;
Pour old Niagery down the crater,
'N' I guess 'twill cool her fiery nater."

You have doubtless heard of those ancient lies,
Manufactured for a prize;
The reputation of each rose higher,
As he proved himself the biggest liar.

Said an Englishman—"Only t'other day,
Sailing from Dover to Calais,
I saw a man without f[illegible] or oar
Swimming across from English shore,
Manfuly breasting the angry sea—"
"Friend," said the Yankee, "that was me!"

Mindful of all these thrice-told tales,
Whenever a Yankee to Europe sails,
The boys try every sort of plan
To rouse his astonishment if they can.

Sam Brown was a fellow from way down east,
Who never was staggered in the least.
No tale of marvelous beast or bird,
Could match the stories he had heard.
No curious place or wondrous view
"Was ekal to Podunk, I tell yu."
They showed him a room where the queen had slept;
'Twant "up to the tavern daddy kept."
They showed him Lucerne. But he had drunk
From the beauuiful Mollichunkamunk.
They took him at last to ancient Rome,
And inveigled him into a catacomb.

Here they plied him with draughts of wine,
(Though he vowed old cider was twice as fine),
Till the fumes of Falernian filled his head,
And he slept as sound as the silent dead.
They removed a mummy to make him room,
And laid him at length in the rocky tomb.

They piled old skeletons round the stone,
Set a "dip" in a candlestick of bone,
And left him to slumber there alone,
Then watched from a distance the taper's gleam,
Waiting to jeer at his frightened scream,
When he should awake from his drunken dream.

After a time the Yankee awoke,
But instantly saw through the flimsy joke;
So never a shout or a cry he uttered;
But solemnly rose and slowly muttered:
"I see how it is. It's the judgment day,
We've all been dead and stowed away;
All these stone furriners sleepin' yet,
An' I'm the first one up, you bet!
Can't none of you Romans start, I wonder?
United States is ahead, by thunder!"

Glycerine.

The name is derived from a Greek word signifying "sweet," and has reference to taste. As oil consists of acids and glycerine, the latter is obtained by separating the oil—the same is true of fat—into its component parts.

The uses of glycerine are becoming more and more extended and valuable. There is no application that is better than a few drops rubbed daily over the hands, to keep them moist and smooth. The hands should be first moistened with water, as the glycerine otherwise absorbs moisture from the skin.

Glycerine and carbolic acid—three ounces of the former to fifteen grains of the latter—are among the most effective applications for chapped hands, and equally for a scurfy skin. It may be used two or three times a day.

Glycerine is is also said to be exceedingly effective in some cases of piles. A gentleman who had suffered from them for years, and whose case appeared to defy medical treatment, was cured by taking it daily with his food. A dose would be from a half to a whole tablespoonful.

Writers in the London *Lancet* strongly recommend it for acidity of stomach. Its use for this trouble was first discovered by a private gentleman, who had long been a sufferer from it. Having read in the paper that glycerine kept milk from souring, he said to himself, "Why won't it keep me?"

He tried it with complete success, and was able thenceforth to take food from which he had been forced to abstain. It was subsequently employed by physicians with like results.

It does not remove acidity; it only prevents its occurrence. Take from a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful immediately after eating, or take it in the tea in place of sugar.

About Style.

Perhaps even more women might rise to positions of distinction in many occupations suitable for them were it not for the tax on their time and strength consequent on the demands of dress and fashion. With many women dress in all its details and necessities of shopping, fitting, etc., is a business requiring an average of three or four hours daily. Subtract this from the hours of a working-day and it involves a great loss of valuable time and strength. A woman thoroughly devoted to any art cannot dress after the regulation style and pattern. If the man desires to step out on the street for any purpose he puts on his coat and goes. If the woman so goes out it involves an outlay of at least fifteen or twenty minutes time to "fix up." There are exceptions, but this is the rule. Dress and the requirements and encumbrances of fashion prove a constant draught, impediment and encumbrance on the woman's time and strength—the young and pretty woman being here referred to. In this age of competition success in any occupation must be gained at the cost of constant, unintermitting attention and perseverance. The working editor, merchant, lawyer or artist cannot go with gloved hands, and he often gains time at the expense of a well-worn coat in the public thoroughfare. Almost without being aware of the motive, man's garb has, during the last hundred years, more and more adapted itself to the practical needs of business. Even the dandy of to-day copies the general style of the worker. How much business of any description would a man now accomplish if clad in the ribbons, frills and ruffles of the court popinjays of Charles the Second's time? Yet, relative to her own peculiar fashion, the woman retains all the encumbrances of that era.

An advertisement in a country paper commenced thus: "To be let immediately, or sooner, if necessary—"

A young lady who had ordered a pair of unusually high-heeled boots was flushed by the announcement by Bridget, fresh from answering the door bell: "If ye plaze, miss, there's a man in the hall below wid a pair of sthilts for yez."

Johnny kissed me when we met,
Jumping from the car he sat in;
Mrs. Grundy—you who get
Gossip in your list—put that in,
Say I'm Tomboy—say I'm mad—
Say that modesty has left me;
Say—but don't forget to add—
Johnny kissed me!

Mother of esthetic young lady at Long Branch—"Julia, you haven't been in bathing yet?" Julia—"No, mamma." Mother—"What is the reason?" Julia—"I don't like to tell, mamma." Mother—"Stuff! let me know at once." Julia (blushing)—"Because Mr. DeLacy's dog comes down to look at me every time I go to the bath-house, and I know Mr. DeLacy sends him."

"That is the smartest dog that ever walked on four legs," exclaimed the deacon enthusiastically. His visitor whistled for the animal to draw near, and when it approached stroked it affectionately, and asked for some proof of his intelligence. "It's a secret," returned the deacon, "but I'm willing to tell you in confidence. Whenever the parson calls while I am out, that dog sits close to the parlor door and never takes its eye from the key-hole."

Curious Habits.

Great men often fall into curious habits, which they find it impossible to conquer. Augustus Hare, one of the ripest scholars in the English pulpit, and a refined gentleman, when he had ended a train of hard thinking, would spin around on his heel a few seconds and then resume work again. Neandor, the famous church historian, could not lecture to his students unless he had a goose-quill to pull to pieces as he talked, and it was necessary to supply a second goose-quill when the first was completely stripped. William Wilberforce became so absorbed in conversation in evening companies as to forget himself. He would lift himself from his chair in his earnestness, move forward a little, and gradually approach perilously near to the edge. It was a tradition in fashionable English circles that he had fallen several times to the floor. But in families where he was loved it was the custom to station one of the older children behind his chair to move it forward as he moved, and guard him against peril. Some who afterward became leaders in English society retained among the pleasant memories of childhood recollection of the services rendered to the brilliant and eloquent converser.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

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Views with pleasure the efforts of its children to emulate the virtues of their progenitor.

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No competition fearing;
We rest our cause entirely upon
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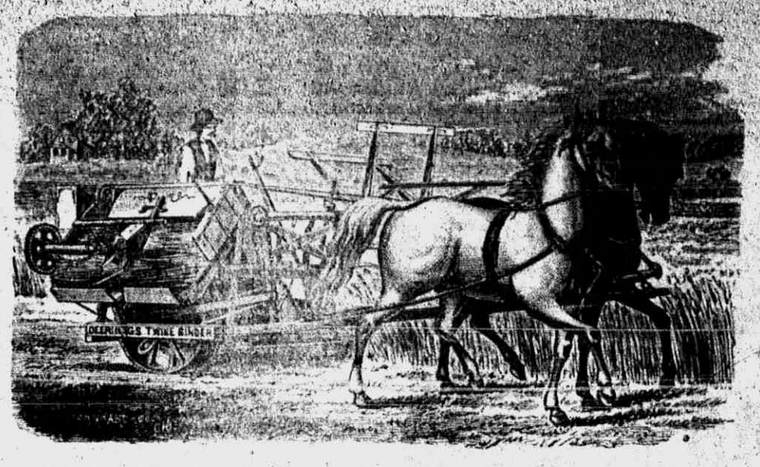

We were the first to bind with twine,
Perfection ever nearing;
Old fogy machines got left behind
When farmers saw the Deering.

Probably no harvesting machine has [illegible] so widely at the head of its class as the Deering Twine Binder stands to-day. Acknowledgements of its superiority come from all quarters, not merely from those who use them, but even competing agents and manufacturers are forced by their own convictions to confess its admirable qualities.

The many reasons why a sensible, economical farmer selects the DEERING in preference to all others:

1st. Because in the field no Binder has been so reliable, so free from breakages.

2d. The season of 1882 was one Grand Triumph for the Deering. In spite of the tangled and fallen condition of the grain, it picked up and bound it cleaner and more perfectly than could have been done by hand.

3d. In field trials and at fairs it has been universally successful, carrying off more prizes than any other machine made,

4th. It was the ONLY Binder last Harvest that separated every sheaf in the worst tangled grain.

5th. The binding is entirely automatic, requiring no attention for operation, no foot-trip to operate, no moving the binder backward and forward to find the grain, no movable disc to hunt for the bundles to be tied, but all the grain goes to its proper place and is bound in neat round sheafs of exactly the same size.

6th. Every sheaf is tightly compressed first, and then tied in a firm unyielding band of twine.

7th. There is no strain whatever on the twine in tying.

8th. ITS NEW KNOT-TYER CONTAINS LESS PIECES OF CLOCK-WORK THAN ANY OTHER SERVICEABLE BINDER MADE, thus enabling a farmer's daughter of 12 years to operate the Harvester and Binder as readily as she could a skipping-rope.

9th. There is no reel made that has so wide a scope of adjustment as the Deering Binder Reel. It can be placed in over one hundred different positions while in operation.

10th. The Deering Binder is the most durable and at the same time the lightest draft.

11th. In its manufacture only the best materials are used and the most skilled workmen are employed, therefore it does not get out of repair.

12th. The Harvester can be raised and lowered and tilted on the main and grain wheel in a greater distance than any other in the field.

13th. The Deering has been often tried, never denied, and ready and willing to be tried again.

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GENTLEMEN—Replying to your favor of 28th inst., permit me to say that I am surprised that you or any intelligent men whatever, would notice for a moment the story told by your competitors that all the Deering Binders sent into Michigan this year were 1882 machines painted over. Surely your competing Binders must be without any substantial merits to recommend them to the farmers of Lenawee county, if their agents are obliged to resort to such dirty work as this in order to make their sales.

You are hereby authorized to use my name at any and all times to pronounce such statements as wilfull and deliberate falsehoods, told by men who know they are lying when they peddle such stuff.

So far from this being the case, Mr. Deering is now running his shops on his twelvth thousand for 1883, double the number of any other manufacturer. Is it likely or probable that he would build so many if he had been forced to carry over the amount stated by your competing friends, or even one-half, or one-fourth as many.

The truth of the matter is, Mr. Deering has not been able to fill all his orders at any time since he has commenced building his present perfect binder; and now with his force turning out 300 of those new knotters every day, he can't begin to fill his orders. I am waiting now for machines for Michigan, where orders were sent in three weeks ago.

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Now in conclusion, allow me to suggest that you will not under any circumstances, and I know you are too far above such, resort to the dirty, slimy work, by which some machines are forced on the market. Mr. Deering has, by twenty-five years of straightforward, honorable conduct, built up one of the finest industries in the United States, and cannot afford to wreck it by conducting his business in an unbusiness-like manner such as you speak of." He can, and will meet all honorable competition, but when it becomes necessary to resort to trickery and very questionable methods, to sell his machines, he will withdraw them from the market and retire from their manufacture.

Very Truly Yours,

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To Cook a White fish—Choose one that weighs about seven or eight pounds, boil it until it is done, then take out all the bones; take a quart of sweet milk, two onions, and a little summer savory; boil until the milk is thoroughly seasoned, thicken it with flour, using enough to make a thin paste, add butter, pepper and salt to suit your taste. Then put in a pudding dish a layer of fish and a layer of dressing; cover the top with rolled cracker, as you do escalloped oysters, bake for three quarters of an hour, or until the top is a golden brown. Serve with mashed potatoes, spiced currants and the vegetables of the season.

Cream to Use with Layer Cake.—Take one pound of blanched almonds, pound to a paste, one coffee cup of thick sour cream, two tablespoonfuls of corn starch scalded in a little sweet milk, beat all together and spread between the layers of cake; flavor with a little almond extract. This is very rich, and is suitable for the nicest kinds of cake. For more common use an inviting cream may be made in this way: Take a pint of sweet milk, thicken it with half a cup of corn starch, add half a cup of sugar, and boil until the cream or custard is of the consistency of starch. When almost cool add one tablespoonful of lemon and vanilla and spread between the layers of cake.

Pancakes for Luncheon.—These are made of eggs, flour and milk. The just proportions are one tablespoonful of flour to each egg. To make small pancakes, beat two eggs thoroughly and add sweet milk. Then take two tablespoonfuls of flour, work into a thin paste and double batter by adding the milk and eggs and a little salt. Grease the pan with a piece of sweet lard or butter and stir briskly to prevent adhering to the bottom. When the under side is sufficiently browned, turn it. Leave the cakes folded, with sugar or honey and butter between the folds, or sugar alone. If this be too solid, add more eggs and use less flour. A slight sprinkle of grated nutmeg will be an addition.

Plain Duff.—You may call it steam pudding. You can make it in a jiffy, and the only time it takes is the boiling of it. You are caught sometimes, and if pudding is the word this is the way to get out of it. One quart of flour, sifted, a teacupful of currants and a tablespoonful of baking powder, and a pint of suet; mix them well first, and then add enough cold water to make a stiff batter; put her in a pudding tin cover her with a cloth, and let her go in a steam boiler for one hour and a half. If you want a richer duff, just go through the same thing, adding the yolks of five eggs and a tablespoonful of butter. The Sauce—You see you ain't got no sugar in them. This here sauce is quick, too. You want two tablespoonfuls of butter, and just a trifle less of sifted flour, and you grate a quarter of a nutmeg into it, and you add a teaspoonful of vanilla extract, or half a teaspoonful of lemon essence, and a whole teacupful of granulated sugar. Now smooth it all together, adding teaspoonfuls of warm water from time to time as you boil it until you get it to the thickness you want; but after all, I've seen many a nice lady take that sauce and then dash molasses on the whole thing and say molasses was the best.

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Dampness and dew are fatal to young turkeys. Therefore they should be kept in coops until the dew is off the grass. A great many young turkeys die from this cause, while breeders wrongly ascribe their death to improper food.

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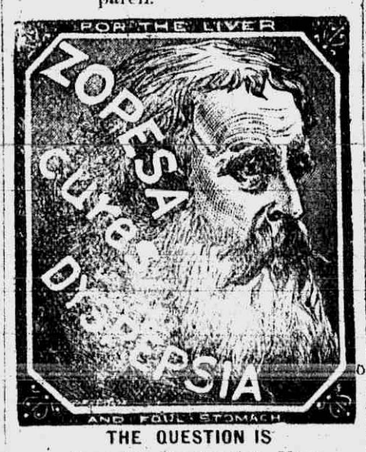

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 17, 1883.

Why didn't Wiggins prophesy a lot of tornadoes and cyclones for the month of May?

Samuel J. Tilden is recovering again. The last interviewers report him enjoying "capital health."

The Civil Service commission should have a fair show. The old spoils system cannot be abolished in a day. It will take time. Give the commission a chance.

Colorado is judged in the east by her bonanza senators? But a Denver paper says they are thought so little of at home that they are exiled to the U. S. Senate.

The population of New York city has doubled six times within a century, or once every seventeen years, and its growth is more rapid now than ever before.

Chas. A. Dana, the veteran editor of the New York Sun, is mentioned as a possible Democratic candidate for the presidency. The party could go farther and fare much worse.

"My Lord Roscoe" thinks the country was set back ten years by the defeat of the third term scheme at Chicago. But there are a great many good people in this country who will disagree with him.

Joe Brady was hanged last Monday in Dublin for complicity in the Phœnix Park murders. Johnny Bull still keeps a weather eye on the family however, for Brady has twenty-four brothers and sisters still unhung.

Vanderbilt and Gould have both retired from Wall street, and it is fancied in many quarters that the little fish will stand a little better show now. Some prophets of evil are predicting a big financial crash in consequence of their withdrawal.

Mrs. Theresa Fair, the wife of Senator Fair, of Nevada, has just obtained a divorce from her husband with four million dollars alimony thrown in. That's a pretty fair allowance for the fair Mrs. Fair, but it seems hardly fair on Mr. Fair to make him swallow that kind of fare.

Michigan has hitherto been almost entirely exempt from the disastrous cyclones that sweep over the western prairies and the low land of the South. But last Monday St. Joseph and Branch counties were visited by a hurricane which destroyed a large amount of property and injured many persons.

The Singer Sewing Machine company is about to close its immense works, employing about 3,000 men, at Elizabeth, New Jersey. The company is building a large factory at Kilbowie, Scotland, and the machines for the European trade, now made at Elizabeth will be manufactured in that country. This shows how a protective tariff builds up manufactures in this country. When the home demand is supplied they go abroad, where trade is free, to make goods for foreign markets.

The New York World has been purchased by Joseph Pulitzer, the brilliant newspaper man who has lately managed the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. The first issue under his management which appeared last Friday, was a marked improvement. Jay Gould has sold his entire interest in the paper, and Pulitzer will conduct it as an independent Democratic sheet. It will belong to no stock jobber or monopolist, and will be the organ of none of the city factions. The change is a good omen for Democratic harmony and supremacy in New York.

The Savannah News puts the matter of a tariff for revenue with incidental protection clearly when it says:

"The purpose of a protective tariff is to prevent importation, and the moment that the tariff begins to have this effect it prevents revenue. Hence where protection begins there revenue ends. There is no such thing as a tariff for revenue with incidental protection. When it begins to have a protective influence it ceases to be a revenue tariff. The talk of high tariffites about 'incidental protection' is a jugglery of words to make their monstrosity seem partially plausible. Congressman McKinley, of Ohio, fully expressed the protective idea when he said he was 'in favor of a tariff for protection with incidental revenue.'"

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Jackson's liquor tax has so far this season amounted to nearly $18,000.

A Chinese laundryman at Negaunee has taken out naturalization papers.

Annual convention of Michigan Ar boriculturist at Lansing, June 12 14.

Annual meeting of Berrien county old settlers' society at Berrien Springs June 6.

The activity of Huron county land agents this year has rarely been equaled in Michigan.

The contract for paving the main street at Midland has been let, the work to be finished by October 1.

W. E. Bellows resigns the principalship of the Midland schools, and is succeeded by Miss Moore, of Adrian.

The bees in and about Reed City nearly all died this past winter of bee cholera, one man saving only 10 hives out of 67.

Spring fair of the Schoolcraft, Kalamazoo county, agricultural society and driving park association May 23, 24 and 25.

The powers that be of the M. & O. road state confidently that the iron horse will be in Battle Creek by June first.

A sheep belonging to John P. Anderson, near Saranac, has just given birth to four lambs, and every one of them gives promise of long life, etc.

Jeremiah Marr's large cooper shops on Twelfth street, Detroit, were destroyed by fire last week. Loss, $10,000; no insurance.

Henry Ward Beecher and Thos. G. Shearman are the Brooklyn delegates of the New York free trade club to the Detroit conference and convention.

During a thunder storm at Stanton last week, lightning set fire to the telephone exchange office, but fortunately the conflagration was checked in time.

Prof. Foster, who has been superintendent of the public schools of Ludington for eight years, has accepted the position of superintendent of the state public school at Coldwater.

A new brick yard has commenced operation at Charlotte, with a capacity of 35,000 brick a day, and will furnish the brick for the new court house.

Repairs on the Allegan dam which broke April 1 are completed, at a cost to the company of $3,000; the loss to business has been about $10,000, and to private parties $3,000.

A wagon loaded with gravel and three or four agricultural students went through a bridge near Lansing a few days ago. One of the horses was drowned and the students were pretty badly pounded up.

A. N. Hutchison, G. R. & I. station agent at Tustin, Osceola county, was knocked down by two men with a sand bag and robbed of $300, last week. It was very dark and raining, and the men escaped.

A little child of Alvin Fuller, of Verona, Huron county, was terribly lacerated upon the head and face last week by falling from the doorstep upon the fragments of a broken pitcher.

Anson B. Bartlett, of Grand Rapids, "the blind peddler," who became blind by service in the war, has just received $4,500 back pension and will have $72 a month hereafter. Government money thus spent is well spent.

The Monroe Democrat says: A couple of cloth peddlers are "doing" the county in about the same fashion that it was worked several years ago. The people will remember the affair and be careful how they deal with strangers.

Ionia County Agricultural society will have a "children's day" during the fair next October; meantime, the boys and girls will be getting their calves, sheep, chickens, butter, fancy work, etc., ready for competition. Splendid idea.

The immigration into Huron peninsula is very large this spring; all the new comers seem to have plenty of means and the most of them are successful farmers, mostly from Ohio, Ontario and the southern part of the state.

The Central Michigan agricultural society has decided to hold a second spring fair for the exhibition and sale of all kinds of farm implements and machinery, May 29 to June 1. There will be speed trials each day, 13 premiums ranging from $100 to $500 being offered. Address Ben. B. Baker, secretary, Lansing.

Muskegon is reminded of the blood plague that troubled one Pharoah of Egypt, some centuries ago. The water from many of the wells in that city is apparently A 1 on being pumped, but turns red when boiled, and black when tea is put into it. Black tea is one answer to the mystery.

Mrs. Minnie Beaty, of Saginaw City, is suing Frank Swartout's father for $35 damages for being knocked down by Frank's velocipede and receiving injuries which confined her to the bed five days. The collision occurred on a sidewalk; and it is claim- Mrs. Beaty dodged in front of the velocipede, making the accident unavoidable.

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COUNTY OF CRAWFORD. }
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H. V. GOETCHIUS.
Sworn and subscribed to this 30th day of November, 1880. JOSEPH J. HOLDEN, Notary Public.
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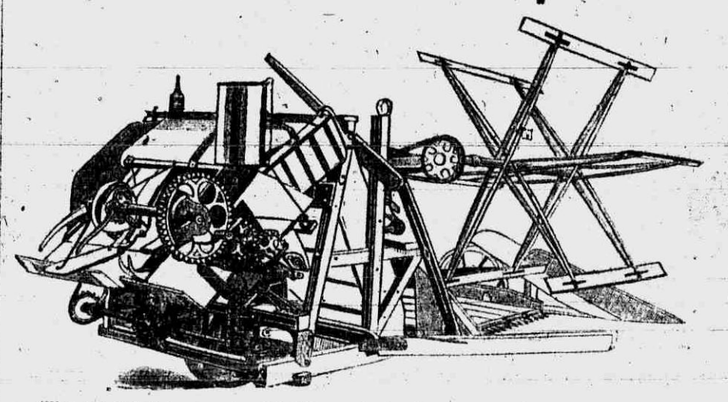

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Tecumseh, May 8th, 1883.

NOTICE. The person who stole that oil painting and frame from my gallery on Friday, April 28, will save themselves arrest and exposure by returning the same at once.
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DISSOLUTION NOTICE. The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Sutton & Swan is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued as heretofore under the firm name of Sutton & Satterthwaite Bros., with whom the accounts of the old firm are left for settlement, the prompt attention of which is respectfully requested.
N. M. SUTTON.
J. B. SWAN.
Dated TECUMSEH, Mich., May 15th, 1883.

NOTICE. By the mutual consent of both parties the firm of Munger & Severance is this day dissolved, Mr. J. A. Munger continuing on with the harness business. All accounts of the firm will be settled with J. A. Munger.
MUNGER & SEVERANCE.

Three or four railroad men spent last night in the "cooler" for creating a disturbance on the streets.

Three inmates of the Girls' Industrial Home at Adrian made their escape last Saturday and footed it to Tecumseh. Their absence was discovered within half an hour after they left. Sheriff Bidwell was at once notified by telephone, and he started with a deputy or two in pursuit. The girls were verhauled in Tecumseh immediately after their arrival here, and were at once returned to the Home. They had a pretty good tramp and learned a good lesson.

P. W. Adams and his daughter, Mrs. Emmet, are in town for a few days.—Mr. Adams is now located on a fine fruit farm in Delaware, which is conducted by himself and Mr. Emmet.—He has two thousand peach trees on the place and a large quantity of small fruit of different kinds. The farm is only two hours ride by boat from Philadelphia, where most of his marketing is done. They expect to remain here two or three weeks.

Mr. O. Emlay, of Oakland, Cal., arrived in town last week accompanied by his wife and two children. Mr. Emlay left Tecumseh for California ten years ago next month, and this is his first visit to his old home. He will make Tecumseh his headquarters for a few weeks, shooting out to Jackson, Detroit and Canada to visit friends in those places, and will return to the Pacific in July next. He is engaged in the harness business at Oakland and is enjoying life and a lucrative trade.

MORE NEW CARDS.

Eight more new patrons have their say,
And swing out their new "ads" to-day:
Go—first and foremost on the list—
To Wilson Brothers with your grist.
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To Bidwell's go for livery rigs;
All staple groceries, we'd remark,
Can be procured of Mr. Clark;
To get your horses shod tip-top,
Just call at Elliott's blacksmith shop;
While Sparks' machine rooms are a sight,
Stacked with Domestic and with White.

Installation Services.

A large congregation assembled at the Presbyterian church last evening to witness the installation services of Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt as pastor of the church. Rev. A. W. Sanford of Erie, presided and put the constitutional questions. Rev. G. H. Wallace of Manchester preached the sermon. Rev. W. W. Macomber, of Monroe, gave the charge to the pastor and Rev. I. H. Barkley of Hillsdale, the charge to the people. The choir, under the leadership of Mr. Strong furnished excellent music for the occasion. The ladies had tastefully decorated the platform with flowers and plants, and the services throughout were greatly enjoyed by those who were present.

A New Race Circuit.

A meeting of the horsemen of this section was held at Hudson on Tuesday last and a circuit for a series of races established for the towns of Hudson, Adrian, Morenci, Tecumseh and Brooklyn. Five meetings, of three days each, one meeting in each town will be held, and will directly involve about $4,500. The meetings have been scheduled as follows:

Hudson, second week in June; Morenci, third week; Adrian, fourth week; Tecumseh, first week in July; Brooklyn, second week.

Lawrence park in Adrian, has been leased for the races, in that city, and $150 has been raised to put the track in condition.

Mr. Bills has put his track in prime condition, and our horseman can expect to see some good racing at the July meeting.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 17, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

This is nice weather.

Everybody busy these days.

Don't forget Blind Boone's concert to-morrow evening.

The late rains have been a fine thing for the wheat crop.

The telephone line from Adrian west has reached Hudson.

Col. Drew is making extensive repairs on his hotel at Blissfield.

A local telephone exchange will be organized very soon at Hudson.

Theme at Baptist church next Sunday evening—"The Life of Cain."

Mrs. F. C. Stoepel is spending a few days at her old home in Tecumseh.

T. S. Applegate of the Adrian Times has returned from his Washington trip.

Chas. Lawrence has taken a clerkship in Henry McClure's grocery store.

Mr. E. Hand spent last Sunday with his son, "Ell", on his farm near Deerfield.

Mr. & Mrs. Bump, of Milwaukee, Wis., are visiting Mrs. H. E. Stout for a few days.

B. F. Reynolds and Ed. Wilson started yesterday for Texas with several more cars of sheep.

A. H. French, traveler for Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., paid the HERALD his compliments yesterday.

Mrs. Ed. Leaur, of Monroe, is spending a few days in Tecumseh as the guest of the Misses Smith.

John S. Kinney is in Muskegon looking after a fruit farm owned by himself and Gus Slayton.

The reaping machine and binder agents of Tecumseh are having a red hot campaign this season.

Dr. Stewart and A. W. Slayton are looking up the hard wood timber land in the vicinity of Petoskey.

Seth Sheldon of Wayne Co., N. Y., has purchased the Widow Clark's farm in Newburg, and is now taking possession.

Col. Eldredge and wife have gone on a trip to Washington and other eastern cities. They expect to remain for some time.

A daughter of H. S. Bowen, of Rollin, had a brass button removed from her ear last week, which had been there thirty years.

A little circus in the street last Friday when Burt Crittenden's horse jumped over another one and smashed things up generally.

Peter Sharp, of Ridgeway, was seventy-three years old last Monday.—He is still hale and hearty and attends to his business cares as well as ever.

An exchange rather sarcastically remarks that a "dude" is, compared with a man of brains, what a tea store chromo is to a $50,000 painting by an old master.

The new liquor tax law of Ohio went into force last week and it is said that many of the smaller saloons will be obliged to close up from inability to pay the tax.

E. C. Coryell is making improvments on his farm this spring in the shape of a new barn, and many other things that will make his property one of the finest farms in the county.

Geo. P. Sparks has removed his sewing machine rooms to the store lately occupied by the insurance company. This room will make an elegant office for him. See his new ad.

Ed. Clark and Frank Bird have purchased Dexter's livery stable, and take possession at once. It is their intention to add several new rigs and run one of the best equipped liveries in the county.

Eight of John T. Noyes & Co's. men of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived and commenced work on Heck Bros'. mill yesterday. We understand that the work will be pushed with all possible speed and will soon be completed.

Last Thursday we rode home from Clinton with E. G. Cook down around the west side of the river to take a look at his farm, and we saw one of the nicest farms in the county. He is building new fences and making other necessary improvements, and in his fashion does nothing by halves.

HEADQUARTERS CO. C.,
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TECUMSEH, May 17, 1883.

CIRCULAR NO. 1:

All the members of this company are requested to be present at our next drill, May 23d, 1883, to complete arrangements for decoration day.

A. D. LAWRENCE,
Capt. Comdg. Co.

A. E. Kennedy,
1st Sergeant.

Another little industry has sprung up in Tecumseh which bids fair to be quite a concern and employ quite a number of men,—the broom factory of Claflin & Ralph, on Pearl St. The firm employs three hands, have a capacity of fifty dozen brooms per week and by making a superior broom have sold for all they can manufacture. Mr. Claflin has had many years experience in the business and we wish the concern the success it deserves.

Just the weather for planting corn.

A "phone" has been placed in the Clinton depot.

The Adrian papers are enthusiastic in praise of Blind Boone's concert.

Tornadoes and cyclones are becoming decidedly fashionable in the west and south.

A street railway is talked of at Adrian, and subscription books for stock have been opened.

Deerfield will have two saloons the coming year, E. H. Plunkett and F. Timmins having again taken out licenses.

The county treasurer has received from the state the primary school money belonging to Lenawee county, amounting to $30,022.05.

"Let the nimble little lambkins, prepare to skip o'er hillsides green," is the original and delicate strain uttered by the Saline Observer.

Dudes stand on Adrian street corners evenings and cover the walks with tobacco juice to the ruin of ladies' dresses. The Record manfully protests.

Several Hillsdale saloonists mistook May 1st for the first Monday in May (at which time their last year's bonds expired) and closed their doors during the balance of the week, thus losing 5 days business.

The village business is moving along quite smoothly, and it is pleasant to note the confidence reposed in the present administration. We know the business of the village will be transacted intelligently and honestly.

A blanket matinee will be held on Bills' track on Thursday of next week, May 24th, to commence at 2 P. M., sharp. Green race, three minute, and free for all; also a running race. This will be the first race of the season and horsemen should be on hand.

Hudson Gazette: Some heartless wretch caught two cats, tied them by the tails, and flung them into the celler of a church. The residents in the vicinity heard the noise the animals made, but supposed it was the choir rehearsing!

Manchester people are rejoicing over the discovery of several pieces of coal found at a depth of 32 feet while workmen were digging a well in that village. The Enterprise says that there is no doubt that a vain of coal underlies the village.

Oh! the skeeter, the beautiful skeeter, filing the air with beautiful meter: under our hat and tickling our nose, taking a bite through a hole in our clothes; in through the window, opening the door; filing our chamber, and singing the sweeter, ever is found the untiring muskeeter.

Something has been said we believe about its being very dry. Well, just let that subject drop for a few days. You've got all you can attend to now, setting out tubs, patching eave-troughs, hunting up missing conductors, etc. Rain!—yes, we should say it did. Good time for grass and grain and young ducks and such.

We acknowledge the receipt from H. C. Miller, of Conway, Emmet Co., Mich., of a fine lot of evergreen trees, just the right size for transplanting. They were hemlock, pine and arbor vitae. Mr. Miller deals very largely in evergreen trees of all kinds, and people wishing to purchase such trees in large quantities will find it to their advantage to correspond with him.—For further particulars address the postmaster at Conway, Emmet Co., Mich.

Dr. S. Catlin got home from Texas last Sunday, whither he went in company with Willis Merritt. The doctor was agreeably disappointed at the way Mr. Merritt endured the journey. They went via Toledo, St. Louis, Little Rock, Texarkana and Houston to Galveston. Willis will not remain there, however. He will go to San Antonio for a few days and thence into the north part of the state where the atmosphere is drier. The doctor is sanguine that a few months sojourn in Texas will wholly restore Mr. Merritt's health.

At Blind Boone's Concert given in Adrian a committee of twenty-five musicians were chosen to criticise the entertainment; and at its close they gave their report as follows:

The committee selected to report as to the claims made in behalf of Blind Boone, would report that in every respect the claims were upheld, and further, that we have not heard his equal, Blind Tom not being excepted. The conclusions of the committee were reached after a second hearing of Boone, upon the retirement of the audience, when the capabilities of the player were subject to further and exceedingly difficult tests, equally as to originality, imitation and power of execution.

Decoration Day is one of the best features of life in the United States. Because flowers are so fair and perishable they are the tenderest offering to both the living and dead. At the time when the garden is covered with sweet spring blossoms, and flowers are everywhere plentiful, it is delightful to see them distributed over the mounds to simply say, "You are not forgotten." It is to be hoped the custom of making one day memorable with flowers will never die, but will flourish as a faithful reminder of those whose heroic deeds should be sweetly and touchingly remembered.

Mr. Fred Curtis, of Wheatland, the well-known cattle breeder will soon open a banking house at Addison.

About twenty Morencites will go to Washington territory Aug. 1st, on the opening of the Northern Pacific railway.

Blind Boone's concert at Adrian last Friday evening was a great success. He is certainly a musical wonder, fully equal and by many thought to be superior to Blind Tom.

W. R. Wooden has gone into the raising of garden plants, etc., on his place in Brownville, and is making a success of it. His present location will be a very favorable one for that line of business.

"Cucumber green is the new and popular shade for ties," says a fashion exchange. Nothing could be more appropriate. Cucumber green and anything that can be tied in at least a double-bow knot will go well together.

Dealers in tobacco had their stock invoiced on May 1st. On old packages unbroken on that date, dealers are entitled to a rebate, they having purchased goods stamped under the old law, the law reducing the tax going into effect on the 1st inst.

For some reason there has been an exodus of sparrows from the city of Jackson. It is suggested that the intention of the glass ball club to use the little nuisances, instead of balls, at their contest, may have been brought to their attention and induced them to forsake the town.

The season has come again when the small boy needs reminding that the penalty for killing or robbing the nests of any of our song birds, is five dollars fine or ten days in the county jail. It is as well to say also, that this class of birds includes all our common sorts except blackbirds, bluejays and a few others.

This is the season of the year when the prudent man takes his little hatchet and goes out into the woods to gather sassafras roots, black cherry bark, etc. He will put a handfull of "roots and yarbs" in a half gallon of whisky and in about three days begin doctoring for the blood. Oh its clear ahead of Hostetter's.

But little building, but heaps of cleaning and changing and repairing. And the boys are all busy, from the boss carpenter down to the artiste with his brush and pail. If we can't build new castles and paint and gild like Gould & Co., we can remodel the old home and cover the plaster with alabaster, and make old wall figures yield to dado, frieze and field.

The cigar manufacturers claim they derive no benefit whatever from the reduction of the tax, the amount being divided between the makers and dealers. The result is the manufacturer pays more for having them made and gets less for them, while the smoker pays the same prices for the same cigars now that he did before the new law went into effect. Cigar-makers' wages have advanced from fifty cents to two dollars per thousand.

Press: The Salvation Army has for a week or more been praying in front of the Record counting room. Of course, the brace of sinners they are after are tough, and hardened, but there has been a visible change for the better, as they don't steal over a third of their items now. Still, so long as they give credit, with a "d—n it" in mental reservation, it is safe for the Salvation army to keep up the attack; it won't do to raise the siege before next Christmas, on that office.

A very agreeable party assembled at the residence of Judge S. C. Le Baron last week Tuesday evening to celebrate the marriage of his daughter Inez and Chas. F. Morley, and the evening was passed most pleasantly by the favored guests. There were many handsome presents, accompanied by the good wishes of the givers. Prominent among these was to be noticed a gift of silver and china from members of the Presbyterian church, in recognition of the services of Miss Le Baron as a member of the choir.

It is notorious that chronic jokers are always the most sensitive to jokes, when they themselves are the subjects. It is equally the case that those persons who busy themselves with abuse of better people, and think they inherit the privilege of coarsely criticising and snapping at the heels of the whole community, are the thinnest skinned and the readiest to dive into their kennel when their hides are tickled with a touch of retaliation. The immunity such mongrels enjoy comes from the fact that decent men and women do not think them worth the waste of a little ammunition.

A sensible young lady made the following request to her friends: "Do not lay me down by the rippling brook's side lest babbling lovers wake me from my dreams, nor in the beautiful cemeteries in the valleys, lest sight-seers, conning over with epitahs, distract me; but let my sleep be under the counter of the merchant and the business men generally who never advertise. There is the peace which passeth all understanding, and a deep sleep on which neither the buoyant footfall of youth nor the weary shuffle and drag of old age will ever intrude."

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Clinton Congregational choir have added a cornet and violin.

Porter C. Smith has purchased the Clinton livery stable.

The youngsters of Fairfield continue to come down with the measles.

The new Ogden grange is in a flourishing condition.

The Clinton town board will pay a bounty of ten cents for woodchuck scalps.

B. G. Randall, of Clinton, has gone to Detroit to receive treatment for rheumatism.

The Morenci Observer has sworn off on fish stories; that is, unless the fishermen divide.

A meeting will be held May 19, at Morenci to make arrangements for the big pioneer celebration.

The measles invaded the workmen in Stoners' saw mill, at Blissfield, and the mill was shut down for repairs.

J. C. Burroughs, of Clinton, found a piece of gold ore in a sand pile the other day. He sold it in Tecumseh for $2.75.

A sneak thief broke into Mr. Rowley's book store at Morenci while he was at dinner and jugged off $8.00 in silver.

The young ladies of the Congregational church at Morenci are getting up an autograph quilt. Every man in town is called upon for his name.

The barn of E. A. Perry, of Seneca, was struck by lightning last week, and both building and contents were entirely destroyed.

Scofield has been in business continuously in Morenci for 34 years, and he is said to be the only one of the original Morencites who have not retired or "busted."

The throttle valve of the engine at the stave mill at Deerfield got out of "kilter" one day last week, and the machinery ran away with itself. Considerable damage was done.

A legal controversy has arisen between the Clinton Woolen Co., and E. R. Smith, owner of the flouring mill, in regard to laying a water pipe from the race to the woolen mill.

Clinton News: If any of our exchanges which printed the Electric Light notices have got their portable electric light yet, we would like to borrow it, as ours hasn't come yet. What we most desire is "more light."

Blissfield Advance: The east side school closed last Friday for the season. If the school cannot be kept up any better than it has been for the past two years, it would be policy to close it up entirely. A little more interest manifested at the annual school meetings would perhaps remedy the matter some.

Morenci Observer: The veteran settler, Cyrenus Wheeley, of North Seneca, having cleared up one magnificent farm, has concluded to "clear up" another, and commenced operations on a wood lot opposite his old place this week. He thinks the job will last him just about two years, when he and his wife will celebrate their golden wedding.

Charles Lewis of Deerfield met with a fatal accident on the 5th inst. He was selling Hood's metal covers about the country and started that morning from Ypsilanti on his return trip home. While going down a steep hill, with gullys on each side, one of the irons fastening the tongue to the axle broke, which swung the wagon sideways, and Lewis was thrown to the bottom of the ditch. He struck upon his back with a box upon him, and received such injuries that he died in a few moments.

Clinton News: Uncle John Smalley had a narrow escape from drowning a few days ago. He went out in a boat on a lake on his farm and in some way lost his balance and fell partly in the water. In falling he caught hold of the seat with both hands and his feet remaining in the boat, so that all of his body was in the water but his feet, hands and head. Doubled up in this manner he was unable to extricate himself and lay in the water for nearly an hour before his cries brought the neighbors to his rescue. When found he was nearly exhausted and would have drowned in a few minutes longer.

Deerfield Record: On Monday evening, while Mr. and Mrs. L. Haviland, who live four miles south-west of this village, in Palmyra township, were away from home, their house caught fire and with contents was destroyed. They left their three children at home, and about 10 o'clock the oldest girl, Ollie, aged 13 years, fell asleep while reading a newspaper at the table, and in some way her clothing took fire from the lamp. She awoke, ran screaming out of the house and threw herself on the ground, but was seriously burned and has since died of her injuries. Freddie aged nine years, carried the eighteen month's old baby out of the house and both escaped unhurt. Mr. Haviland saw the fire, and hastening home, ran into the burning building to save his children, receiving severe injuries, before he knew they had been rescued.

AUCTION SALE.

W. W. Osgood, administrator, will sell at auction, on the premises of the late Edmund Hand, deceased, in Macon, on Tuesday, May 22, 1883, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property:—Horse, 2 cows, yearling heifer, 100 sheep with 16 lambs, 3 hogs, 5 pigs, lumber wagon, buggy, bob-sleighs, cutter, hay-rack, horse-rake, plows, Buckeye mower, harrow, wheel cultivator, 3 single cultivators, corn sheller, cutting box, log boat, 2 grind stones, chains, saws, harness, blacksmith tools, forks, grain cradle &c. Usual terms. Abe Hanford, Auct.

The new postal law now makes the taking of a newspaper and the refusal to pay for the same, theft, and any person guilty of such an action is liable to criminal proceedings, the same as if he had stolen goods to the amount of his subscription.

The following good goods are to be had at these very low figures of A. W. Slayton, Tecumseh:

Carpet Sweeper, $1.50.
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—Pictures copied and enlarged in India Ink, Ink and colors, Crayon and Oil. Opposite Opera House.

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DIED.

RANDALL.—On the morning of May 7, of chronic gastritis and kidney disease, Capt. A. L. Randall, in the 41st year of his age.

A. L. Randall will be remembered as the brother of Mrs. S. W. Anderson, and Mrs. Morris Primrose of this place. The deceased was buried from the residence of Mr. Morris Primrose of this place last Sunday, many ex-soldiers and friends being present to render him the last earthly tribute. The bearers were all boys from the old 4th Michigan.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Necessitating a Surgical Operation—Loving Mother Attempts to Take a Pair of Shears from Her Child.
PARENTS BE CAREFUL.

Domestic accidents are common to women, and some of them are very serious. Mrs. Warner, of South Roundout, Ulster Co., N. Y., some weeks ago attempted to take from her child a pair of shears, which [illegible] A severe struggle ensued, in which the point of the shears entered Mrs. Warner's left eye, entirely destroying its sight. Her family physician did what he could, but intensely painful inflammation arose, which, by sympathy, threatened the loss of the other eye. Upon inquiry to a woman having the care of a household in an irreservable condition, in this town Mrs. W. applied to the well-known and skillful surgeon, Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., [illegible] was by a very successful operation, setting aside all danger of further harm to the sister of the injured eye. But owing to pain and mental distress, her system needed a tonic and restorative medicine. To do this work the doctor prescribed "Kennedy's Favorite Remedy," which sustained its reputation and laid a sure foundation for health.

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Every Day Thoughts.

It is the sunlight from the human heart or from the world that renders our lives happy? What suffices wealth, ease and daily intercourse with friends if we are dissatisfied and discontented? Can we glean peace from anger or joy from bitterness of spirit?

God sends us ten thousand joys, but we will not stretch out our hands to grasp them; and yet we grieve that our days are so [illegible] ly going in and out, as it were, of eclipses. Yesterday jostles to-day and to-morrow carries them both away captive. Our mornings are spent in anticipating the afternoons, and our afternoons are spent in regretting our mornings. May God make us more patient to live. More patience is what we need to advance our happiness and the happiness of those around us. We all [illegible] depend upon each other for our happiness. Tenderness and attention to the outbreak of a pained heart will clear our way more fully, and the feeling of wrong, desperation and disquietude would be abated. Nothing draws us so fully and tenderly toward a person as their inquiries after our welfare and our enjoyments. To know that our happiness is studied by some unselfish creature brings exquisite pleasure—if we are not deformed by an ungrateful selfishness.

This is not a mere subject to dream and write about; as our actions here fix the nature of our enjoyment hereafter.

It is the sunlight from the human heart that renders true happiness—it is kind words and pleasant deeds that make the world bright and glorious.

From the open portals of Heaven come charity, love and faith; with these in our hearts we can diffuse kind words and do noble deeds, and from them glean pure happiness.

Books.

It is chiefly through books that we enjoy intercourse with superior minds, and these invaluable means of communication are within the reach of all. In the best books men talk to us, give us their most precious thoughts and pour their soul into ours.

God be thanked for books. They are voices of the distant, and the dead, and make us heirs of the spiritual life of past ages.

Books are the true levelers. They give to all who will faithfully use them, the society, the spiritual presence of the best and the greatest of our race. No matter how poor I am—no matter though the prosperous of my own time will not enter my obscure dwelling, if the sacred writers will enter and take up their abode under my roof, if Milton will cross my threshold and sing to me of Paradise, and Shakspere will open to me the world of imagination and the workings of the human heart, and Franklin enrich me with his practical wisdom, I shall not pine for want of intellectual companionship, and I may become a cultivated man though excluded from what is called the best society in the place where I live.—[Channing.

THE UNDERGROUND WORLD OF ENGLAND.—The proposed tunnel between England and France under the Channel has suggested the preparation of some interesting statistics in regard to what may be called the underground world of England. According to these figures the number of persons employed in English mines, many of whom live in them constantly, is more than three hundred and seventy thousand; in other words, there are men, women and children below the British soil sufficient to form one of the largest cities of second rank. The length of tunnelling in which they labor is set down at the extraordinary figure of nearly fifty nine thousand miles. The deepest gallery is at the level of twenty-eight hundred feet. These facts and figures are adduced in the support of the practicability of constructing and operating the Channel tunnel. The depth of the Channel, it seems, is nowhere more than one hundred and eighty feet, and taking this as a basis it is estimated that the lowest part of the tunnel would not be more than two hundred feet from the surface. If the engineers' figures and theories be correct the project is not only practicable but simple.—*N. Y. Herald.*

REVISED.

"Twinkle, twinkle, little star," the nursery rhyme so familiar to everybody, has been revised by a committee of eminent scholars, with the following result:

Shine with irregular, intermitted light* sparkle at intervals diminutive, luminous, heavenly body.†

How I conjecture, with surprise, not unmixed with uncertainty ‡ what you are.

Located, apparently, at such a remote distance§ from and at a height so vastly superior to this earth, the planet we inhabit.

Similar in general appearance and refractory powers to the precious primitive octahedron crystals of pure carbon ‖ set in the aerial region surrounding [illegible]

*Or, Swad ow with the nitro crisp ness.
† See Hesio. Pro mea beneficently. Act. Mediav. Pp. 302. Quoted in Roman Sciv. Vol. II. chap. 20.
‡ XIV. Ass. Hy Diction. Elucidation of Hidal. ¶ Bl. Pp. 67, 19.
§ Not found in the MSS. of the 20th century. Hunc Dunc. V. Hugo Dasonpuy's Sno venire, *Pack. Vol.* HF pp 92—87, objected to by the English committee.
‖ This is may be rendered "in long ways." In the Vulgate, "like a diamond."

In winter there is a novel method of capturing herring. Like mackerel, they go in schools, and for some reason they will always follow a light. Two or three fishermen provide themselves with torches made of birch bark or cotton batting saturated with kerosene oil, and on dark nights row along the shores with a torch in the bow of the boat. The boat is rowed as swiftly as possible, and when a "school" is struck the chase begins. The herring dart after the boat, coming close up to it in swarms, and while one of the men rows the other dips up the herring with a dip net.

Another Life Saved.

Mrs Harriett Cummings, of Cincinnati, Ohio, writes:—Early last winter my daughter was attacked with a severe cold which settled on her lungs. We tried several medicines, none of which seemed to do her any good, but she continued to get worse, and finally raised large amounts of blood from her lungs. We called in a family physician, but he failed to do her any good. We then [illegible] in a physician, a most skillful professor in one of our colleges—he said that she could not get well. At this time a friend who had been cured by Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, advised me to give it a trial. We then got a bottle, and before she had used it all up she began to improve, and by the use of three bottles was entirely cured.

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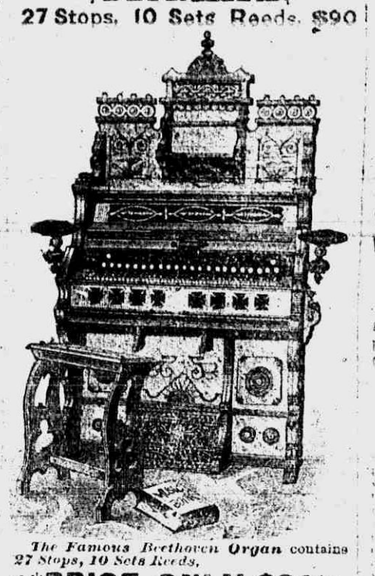

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Capt. Marryatt states that his sensations at one time when nearly drowned were rather pleasant than otherwise. "The first struggle for life once over, the water closing around me assumed the appearance of waving green fields. * * * It is not a feeling of pain, but seems like sinking down, overpowered by sleep, in the long, soft grass of the cool meadow."

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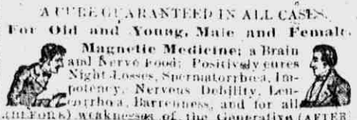

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MICROSCOPIC MARVELS

How the Microscope is Producing a Revolution in the Practice of Dentistry

Chestnut in Lawson's Physiology.

Forty-eight microscopes were on the tables at the exhibition of Thursday evening at Lyceum hall, and a magnificent show they made. I will spare you a discussion of the various objects but will merely give the momentary impressions of a novice.

A section of human tooth stood, as large as a pie-plate, like a pillar of the Corinthian order, the intervening canals being filled and a little pus stood up on a tooth-like mass and disappeared in the clouds. This, the exhibitor said, was a hair.

The bacillus tuberculosis, the microbe that lurks in the lungs and causes consumption, was said to be 1-25,000 of an inch long. It looked like the air-cushion that Peter Cooper sits down on.

The Lord's prayer was exhibited photographed on a space smaller than a pin-head (1-200 of an inch). It looked about as large as a pie-plate.

The file of a cutpick looked like a saw-mill saw geared into a threshing-machine, and looked as if it would cut a log in two at a chip.

Prof. H. Hitchcock exhibited a fly within a trout's egg and formed ova. The latter, the ooze taken from a depth of two miles and a half in the South Atlantic ocean had somewhat the appearance of four-leafed clover; while the former arranged itself symmetrically, like pancakes or ginger-snaps waiting to be eaten.

Trichinæ in pork, resembled gold knot-holes in the side of a cedar barn; but the more aged specimens looked like those iron rings that are used for quoits, with holes to put your thumb through.

A bit of quartz crystal looked like an exhibition of fireworks on Staten Island—pettified pyrotechnics, as it were.

Dr. F. Y. Clark exhibited curious dentine—the micro-organisms in decayed human teeth. These minute fellows looked like ——. I'll tell you below what they looked like, for I sought out and inspected the interesting creatures the next day.

At the exhibition I saw our best-known dealer in microscopes, who is also a careful experimenter and a member of the society, and asked him if there was anything new in microscopy.

"New?" he repeated, "nothing absolutely new, perhaps, except the enormous progress that is being made in the science. Interest is extending among all classes of people, and we sell three times as many microscopes as we did five or six years ago. Great advancement is being made in these directions which affect human health—for instance, in dentistry. The microscope reveals the cause of the decayed teeth, and there are half a dozen of the pioneers of the movement in this country who will assure you that a real revolution is being effected. I might mention Dr. Miller, of Berlin, Prussia; Prof Mayr and Dr Stockwell, of Springfield, Mass.; Dr. Barrett, of Buffalo; or Dr. Clark, of this city. These men talk very earnestly and confidently concerning their success in preventing decay of the teeth. Clark was one of the first innovators here, but a good many who came to scoff remain to practice on his theory—the germ theory, as they call it.

The next day I hunted up Dr. Clark, and found him alone, and the microscope of high power, which had attracted my attention the previous night, on his table. In reply to my question he said: "Yes, but of all men we dentists need no stirring up. We are more alive to anything new than any others can be, and any new idea or mode of treatment, when once alluded to in our journals, stirs us up quite enough without the stimulus of the daily press. There are two theories as to the decay of teeth—the acid and the germ theory. I believe in and practise on the latter."

I inquired what facts the given theorists had discovered to justify their mode of practice. "We have advanced thus far," he said, "we have discovered bacteria of various species in carious dentine—that is, in decayed teeth. They are the smallest living organisms, but the microscope of high power reveals them. This much is a demonstration. But as this is a scientific controversy, I do not see the probableness of carrying it on in newspapers."

In response to further questions he said: "It has always been believed and taught in our schools, and colleges, and books that decay of the teeth was produced by acids. A great majority of dentists still practice on this belief. We believe this is entirely erroneous. We can not discover any acid in carious dentine, but we discover bacteria in all carious structures. These little things are found in abundance wherever decay is going on, and as they do not naturally belong there and are known to be agents of fermentation and decomposition, we hold they are the prime cause of the decay."

"In what way do bacteria attack teeth?"

"They get into the tubes, and, by absorbing the life-matter or bioplasm, the bony structure of the tooth becomes disintegrated, which is decay."

"Can you kill them?"

"Yes; without this ability our knowledge of their existence, appearance and function would be of little value. By the proper use of various antiseptics or disinfectors we claim to be able to destroy them and prevent their increase, and if our instructions are obeyed we ought to be able in most cases to prevent decay."

"Will this theory, when practically carried out, remove the necessity of extracting teeth?"

"This is the aim of all the wise and all good dentists, but we germ men believe that, knowing the actual cause of decay, we can more effectually and unerringly apply the remedy, and that the time will come when young people's teeth will be so cared for that all decay, as the Irishman would remark, will be arrested before it starts."

"Then what will become of the dentists?"

"By that time people may become fastidious about the arrangement and shape of their teeth, and that would keep an army of dentists busy. Or perhaps by that time," he continued, with a laugh, "folks will want their teeth painted black, like the Chinese mothers, or blue, like some of the Polynesians, and we shall all turn out decorative artists. How came you to call here?"

I told him, and asked the privilege of seeing some bacteria. He hesitated, and said he had talked too much already. In the interest of science I stepped to the microscope he had left and looked in. I saw a placid mill pond with a few stray bubbles on its surface. By straining my eyes for five minutes I discovered beneath the surface white specks, quite thick together. They might be little jelly-fish, I thought. Most of them were still, but now and then one gave a little shiver and moved on with a pitch.

"Are these bacteria?"

"Yes, there are a multitude of one or two species there."

"Can you see others?"

"Yes, in this slide you will be apt to find a variety. The other contained a bit of salva with carious dentine. This is the same, mixed with putrid water," and he substituted another slide.

I looked in, and gazing attentively, saw a rather complicated wilderness. "I see," said I, "a field as big as an Indian reservation. The Indians are off on the warpath. The field is about ten rods distant; I can see as much as fifty hogs rushing around in it; they are all white; each one whirls around and then dives ahead two or three steps—they are apparently dancing a schottische. I can see one reach for a bunch of grapes in a tree overhead, and another stick his snout under a log and try to get an acorn that it lies on. They have black spots on them—a sort of spotted Berkshire, I think."

"Those are infusoria," said the doctor; "about the smallest of animals."

"Ah! infusoria," said I, quoting from Chambers' Encyclopædia, which I had just read, "are very minute. It is estimated that a single drop of putrid water may contain more of those little fellows than there are human beings on the globe."

"Well, I don't know about that," said the doctor. "I rather doubt it. Perhaps they meant bacteria, which are much smaller. I don't wish to say exactly how small bacteria are, but it would certainly take a good many of them to fill a hogshead."

I took a mental note of the statistic and went on: "I see a turtle climbing up on to a ship. He stops to look closely down, and stands a moment some time on the shaft chain, going around in a leisurely manner along the white swing. The hogs are all excited, squealing, turning somersaults, butting into everything, but the mice are calm and serene. The mice may be the same (the fellows I saw before)."

"Yes, they are bacteria. I infer that the microscope showed that the bacteria, at any rate, have some large inside stockholder, struggling to get out. Infusoria are scavengers, able to eat anything, even the parts of a living body."

I took another look at the microscope. I saw a double cuticle rolling down across the lot, apparently either a peanut or a dumb bell. The mice were dancing their familiar jig, and there were bits of log chain scattered here and there over the field, and a good many of the mice were shivering as if they had fallen into the lowest part of the Kingsley flats. Other animals also bounded into the hold now and then. "This would be a better place for hunting than the Adirondacks," said I. And as my eyes ached, I thanked him, and came away.

YELLOWSTONE PARK.

The Monuments Upon the Great National Park.

Murat Halstead.

There is a public sensibility about the Yellowstone park that honors the people, and is gratifying, because it proves that they feel that the park is their property. Intense feeling has been aroused about the issues that have been granted to Uncle Rufus Hatch, and threats have been made that Uncle Rufus should suffer for his temerity, and General Brisbin, who has a fancy that he was foreordained to be the great and only admiral of Yellowstone lake, and who thinks that his sternwheel steamboat should paddle the golden waters and hear no sound save her own dashings, and witness no rival smoke from a competing chimney of galvanized iron in all her journeyings, has contributed to the public perplexity some literary efforts that need explanation.

I am enabled to contribute a fact or two to the Yellowstone controversy that may have general application. There is to be a rush of visitors to the national park this year. The Northern Pacific railroad runs fifty-six miles north of the northern boundary of the park, and a branch line will be built to the park itself as soon as possible. The Northern Pacific is finished to a point opposite the park, and the whole line will be completed by August 1.

Now, Uncle Rufus Hatch has leased a few ten-acre fields, to erect hotels for the accommodation of travelers. Without the leases there could not be hotels, without hotels the visitors would have to carry camp equipage, and that would give a monopoly (visiting to those prepared to expend large sums in providing a suitable outfit for their shelter and protection. Uncle Rufus means to keep a few good hotels.

The members of the Western associated press who are to visit Yellowstone park this summer, at such time as they may appoint, as guests of the Northern Pacific railroad, should not be severe beyond the dictates of conscience on an arrangement that will provide them with hotel accommodations, and all citizens should be grateful if, at the same time, provision is made for the protection of the wonders of nature in the park from those barbarians, whose peculiar degradation has already been illustrated by setting fire to venerable forests, hacking and mutilating picturesque objects, and spoiling the magnificent geysers with stones and logs. In comparison with the hideous product of recklessness and wantonness capable of such acts of destruction and desecration, the wild Indian, though called a savage, is to be esteemed a gentleman.

Pa and the Hot Maple Syrup.

Peck's Sun.

Last night we had hot maple syrup and biscuit for supper, and pa had a saucer full in front of him, just a steaming. I could see he was thinking too much about his mining stock, and I thought if there was anything I could do to take his mind off of it, and place it on something else, I would be doing a kindness that would be appreciated. I sat on the right of pa, and when he wasn't looking I pulled the table cloth so the saucer of real hot maple syrup dropped off in his lap. Well, you'd a died to see how quick his thoughts turned from his financial troubles to his physical misfortunes. There was about a pint of hot syrup, and it went all over his lap, and you know how hot melted maple sugar is, and how it sort of clings to anything. Pa jumped up and grabbed hold of his pants legs to pull them away from himself, and he danced around and told ma to turn the hose on him, and then he took a pitcher of ice water and poured it down his pants, and he said the condemned old table was getting so rickety that a saucer wouldn't stay on it, and I told pa if he would put some tar on his legs, the same kind that he told me to put on my lip to make my moustache grow, the syrup wouldn't burn so, and then he cuffed me, and I think he felt better. It is a great thing to get a man's mind off of his trouble, but where a man hasn't got any mind, like you, for instance—"

At this point the grocery man picked up a five pole, and the boy went out in a hurry and hung up a sign in front of the grocery, "Cash paid for fat Dogs."

Sarah Bernhardt's Bankruptcy.

A formidable struggle is going on among the creditors of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt for the possession of the 7,000 and odd dollars realized by the sale of her jewelry. M. Bloch, the diamond expert, appears to have a prior claim upon the money, as he advanced upon the jewelry a sum superior to the total amount realized. Mr. Worth and another dressmaker claim more than $2,000 for the costumes worn by Mme. Bernhardt at the Vaudeville theatre, while a host of other creditors demand various sums for "value received" in the shape of cash or goods. The affair is being examined by a court of law, and a decision will be arrived at next week.

Complicated Breach of Promise.

A Philadelphia case goes to prove that women, as well as men who live in glass houses, should not throw stones. Miss Susan Benisch of that town, sued William Craig for breach of promise, and got $7,000. Whereupon James Johnson came forward and sued Susan for breach of promise, showing that she was engaged to him at the time. It was proven that William jilted her. The court set aside the verdict against Craig, and Susan is forlorn.

Alcohol in the Hospitals.

New York Sun.

A return laid before the Melbourne hospital committee lately, being the result of non-alcoholic as opposed to alcoholic treatment, by various hospital surgeons (whose names in these reports are only represented by letters), is decidedly in favor of non-use of stimulants in sickness—the death rate being much heavier among those who had a generous allowance of them.

It was a Cold Day, and He Got Left.

A tramp looked at the jail at Malvern, Iowa, on a cold day. Smoke was coming from the chimney, and as he shivered in his ragged clothes, he longed for the comfortable warmth inside the building. As a means of getting in, he threw a brick through a church window. Bitter was his disappointment. The magistrate gave him fourteen days' labor on the streets.

A lady of experience observes that a good way to pick out a husband is to see how patiently the husband waits for dinner when it is behind time. Her husband remarks that a good way to pick out a wife is see whether the woman has dinner ready in time.

Need of Higher Culture in Home Life.

Nothing is more painful to one who knows what mothers may do for their children, or wives for their husbands, than to see the idleness of young women who are not compelled to work for a living, and to find how empty headed they are. This is only a small matter in itself, but the moment a woman is married she has to learn how to be interesting in her home to her husband, and as soon as she is a mother, the training of her children is the foremost duty of her life. In these two spheres of life, which are essentially the good of woman's existence, everything depends upon what the wife and mother brings to the several positions, everything for her own, her husband's and her children's happiness. Were it not perpetually losing their husbands' hearts, they rely upon transient personal charms to uphold affection, but the surest way to provide against the decay of the enthusiasm of the early married life is to cultivate those mental and moral qualities which make women always charming and attractive.

It is not easier to do this, aside from some high matters than the improvement of one's mind, the growth of literary tastes, the intellectual, what imports new and wise conversation into one's home. It may be the science, or French or German translation, or history or English literature, or biology, or music, but whatever it is, the habit of knowing one thing deeply, is worth immensely more than the knowledge itself, because it gives a taste for more and to enjoy more. These studies, even in themselves, are refining, but pursued in the general atmosphere of home, they are more than simply refining; they are agencies by which the spirit of the home is chastened, made moral, even made religious. Religion in one's home is the best when it is the least insisted upon, when its law is the simple, unobvious poetry of the household, when it seems to be the natural outgrowth of the amenities of life, and religion and culture go together in the well ordered life of every woman. But it is when the wife becomes a mother, when the religion and culture find a congenial sphere for development within the sanctities of home, when among children and among friends and neighbors the tone is always inspiring and inspiring, that literary culture and the genial development of a woman's mind and heart seem to make life sweetest and best. Fortunate is the boy or girl who has such a home. It is from such homes, be they the log cabin or the house with brown stone front, that men and women go forth with the idea that conquers the world. Every leading person has had a start somewhere, and usually it is traced to one of these mothers whose native or acquired culture has been imparted to her children. Here is the true import of all literature at home. It pays itself back hundreds of times over in its influence upon parents, and in the early direction it gives to their children.

The Passion for Diamonds.

"Are there more diamonds worn now than ever before in this country?"

"I should say so, most decidedly. I have been in the business over thirty years, and I never knew such a rage for the stone as exists to-day. Recently I attended a garden party at the Grand Union hotel at Saratoga and I saw bushels of them. This is the only way to describe the number of valuable diamonds worn there, and most of them were fine stones. Nearly every woman there had big solitaires in rings or ear-rings. You see the finest diamonds are worn solitaire in studs, rings and earrings, while for bracelets and hair-pins an inferior stone may be used, as they are not so conspicuous. I noticed one thing, however, at the Grand Union—nine-tenths of the diamonds were not clean. Dust settles on everything, and it is astonishing how little care a woman will give to her diamonds. They carefully inspect their gloves and shoes before completing their toilets, but their diamonds, worth often thousands of dollars, receive no attention, become dirty, and are sometimes lost. A lady customer of mine lost a very valuable diamond after possessing it years. If she had been in the habit of giving the gem any attention, she would have noticed that a setting of eighteen carat gold will wear out in time and lose its grip on the stone. The large solitaire diamond is now preferred to the cluster. Few diamonds are worn by gentlemen except in the case of young men anxious for display. Here and there a gentleman will wear solitaires on his shirt bosom, but if he has good taste he will be careful that they are small or he may be taken for a gambler. It is astonishing how much money is sometimes represented in the diamonds worn by ladies on a "swell" occasion. It is a common thing in New York society to see $10,000 or $20,000 in diamonds on a lady's person. Mrs. John Jacob Astor has been known to wear $50,000 worth of diamonds at an evening reception, and I should say that the diamonds worn by Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt at the garden party I spoke of were easily that amount of money. Mrs. [illegible] Kay, wife of the "bonanza king," once offered to buy the famous "Regent" diamond, the most valuable in the world. It is valued at a mere million, but the French government wouldn't sell it."—*New York Tribune.*

She is Going to Try It.

A correspondent writes from way down East, in Lubec, Me. to Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N.Y.: "I called on you about six weeks ago, sick with Bilious Disease. I bought a bottle of 'Favorite Remedy', and it cured me. What I want is some more of your medicine. My daughter is going to try it." Sensible men. He will not regret it, and when his daughter has tried it she will be satisfied too. "Favorite Remedy" is just the thing for the ills that afflict womankind.

THE Tecumseh HERALD and Michigan Farmer, $2.60.

Beds of Down Feel Hard.

All beds seem hard to the rheumatic. Then hearken ye peevish sufferers Apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil to your aching joints and muscles. Rely upon it that you will experience speedy relief. Such, at least, is the testimony of those who have used it. The remedy is likewise successfully resorted to for throat and lung diseases, sprains, bruises, etc.

The woman caught in a shower with her best bonnet on and with no umbrella, can never be persuaded that the rain was needed.

"I'd sooner be cursed than kissed," said Tennyson in his latest volume, which leads us to think that there are a great many homely women in his neighborhood.

Gems of Thought.

The evil cannot brook delay.
The good can well afford to wait.
Justice delayed is justice denied.
What frenzy dictates jealousy believes.
Indulge no doubts—they are traitors.
Beauty is the mark God sets upon virtue.
A virtuous man is ever in union with nature's works.
In every parting there is an image of death.
Opportunity, sooner or later, comes to all who work and wish.
Idleness is the key of beggary and the devil's all.
Half the ills we hoard in our hearts are ills because we hoard them.
We lose the peace of years when we hunt after the rapture of moments.
The qualities we possess never make us so ridiculous as those we pretend to have.
A man's good breeding is the best security against the people's ill manners.
Nothing will so increase and strengthen the virtues as practice and experience in them.
When you give to others give cheerfully. There is no blessing from an unwilling offering.
The firmest friendships have been formed in mutual adversity; as iron is most strongly united by the fiercest flame.
Good temper, like a summer day, sheds a brightness over everything. It is the sweetener of toil and the soother of disquitude.
Reflect upon your present blessings, of which every man has many—not upon your past misfortunes, of which all men have some.

Doing a Great Deal of Good.

Mrs. J. Berry, of Portland, Me., writes—Your Henry's Carbolic Salve is doing a great deal of good. Some of my friends have been greatly benefitted by its use. I think it is the best salve I have ever used. Beware of counterfeits.

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How to be Beautiful.

To be beautiful we must cultivate the mind and develop the heart in the highest degree.

We must feed the mind by reading and meditation until the intellectual fire burns with a steady flame, irradiating the face with its pure brilliancy and suffusing the countenance with a calm and holy light; we must fill the brain with holy thoughts, and live, as it were, in an atmosphere of grand ideas which will lift us up above the belittling cares of earth.

We must cherish every kind impulse and generous disposition, making love the ruling passion of the heart, the ordering principle and inspiring motive of life. The more kindness the more beauty; the more love the more loveliness.

We must put a great organizing and ennobling purpose into the will, and concentrate our thoughts and affections upon the accomplishment of it, until enthusiasm wells up in the heart, suffusing the countenance and rebuilding the body on its own divine plan.

And this is the beauty that is abiding. Here physical good looks fade with the years, bleach out with sickness, and yield to the slow decay of mortality. But the beauty that has its origin in kind dispositions and noble purposes and great thoughts outlasts youth and maturity, and increases with age, and like the lucious peach that comes to us in autumn ripeness, covered with the delicate flush of purple and crimson, is never so beautiful as when waiting to be plucked by the gardener's hand, silently witnessing to the full, rich perfection time works out.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Edmund Hand, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the residence of S. W. Osgood in the township of Macon, in said county, on the 15th day of June 1883, and on the 30th day of October next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 30 day of May, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated May 15, 1883.

GRANVILLE MILLS,
EDWIN CAMERON,
may10 Commissioners

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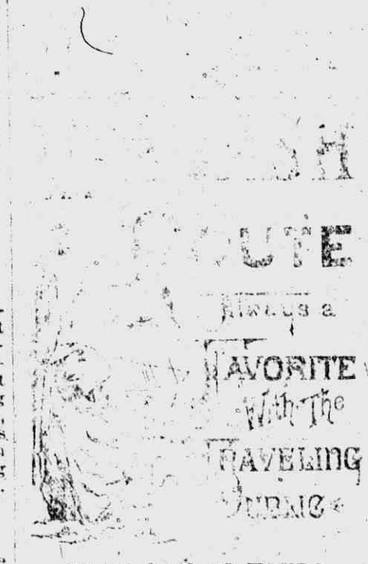

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Edwin B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 22d day of May, 1883, and on the 16th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 16th day of February, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 16, 1883.

PETER S. McKINNON,
FREDERICK HOWGATE,
Commissioners.

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NOTICE. I am requested by the Commander of the Village of Tecumseh to have printed the state law and the corporation law relative to sportsmen or others shooting on Sunday, make the corporation, and if such offenses are committed to enforce the law for the suppression of the same.

H. W. STEVENS,
Marshall.

Following is the law of State and Corporation.

[No. 106.]

AN ACT to prevent hunting for game with fire-arms, dogs, or otherwise on any enclosed lands or premises of another in this state without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SECTION 1. The People of the State of Michigan enact, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to hunt for game with fire-arms, dogs, or otherwise on any inclosed lands or premises of another in any county of this State without the consent of the owner or lessee of such lands or premises.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of the foregoing section of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court, and costs of prosecution. And in case the fine imposed and the costs of prosecution shall not be paid, the defendant shall be confined in the county jail of the county not less than five nor more than thirty days: Provided, however, That no complaint shall be made or entertained against any person for the violation of any of the provisions of this act unless the same shall be made by the owner or lessee of the land or premises so trespassed against.

Approved May 26, 1867.

CHAPTER VII.

SEC. 7. No person shall fire any gun, pistol or cannon within the business portion of said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon across any streets anywhere in said village, nor fire any gun, pistol or cannon in any portion of said village calculated, or having a tendency to endanger, injure or put persons in fear, without the consent of the council, under a penalty not to exceed twenty dollars, in the discretion of the court; but nothing in this section contained shall be construed to prohibit any military company existing under provisions of law, from firing any gun or cannon when authorized by their commanding officer.

ESTATE OF SYLVESTER ELLIS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 30th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sylvester Ellis, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Abram W. Ellis, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Sylvanus Howell, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. may3

ESTATE OF STEPHEN M. MUDGETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 30th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen M. Mudgett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Margaret A. Mudgett, administratrix of said estate, alleging that she has paid the debts of said deceased and his funeral expenses and the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of her final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for her discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday the 28th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF HIRAM REYNOLDS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 7th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Reynolds, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Benjamin F. Reynolds, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Charles Dawson, executors in said will named.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 4th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of LeRoy Mead, late of Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 14th day of June, A. D., 1883, and on the 14th day of November, A. D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of May, A. D., 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 5, 1883.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
WILLIAM HOWLETT,
may10 Commissioners.

PLAY-WRITERS.

Extraordinary Profits in Successful Play-Writing.

Bartley Campbell is Successful But Not Happy.

Talking to a theatrical man to-day I picked up these items: current gossip. "Theatres on the road are doing well, and yet, said he, "a man writes a play, for instance, in the United States, and his charges are very small for handling it. Example: A literary man of very respectable standing in New York not long ago produced a play which received universal commendation and a crowd playwright who bears a reputation for literary work gave his personal promise to the composition upon that it should be thoroughly read, and promptly too. The writer was overjoyed, and carried his own piece to the theatre and saw it laid in the manager's hands. Months passed by, and no word was received. At the expiration of six months he sent for his piece, and it was not till one year had passed that he got it back, and then only after getting drunk and going to the theatre with a club and behaving in a most horizontal manner, falling through doors, box offices, screens and others things. If he had not really scared the house his manuscript might never have been returned. They sent it back with great thanks. When he came to look at it he found that some gum had been spilt over the leaves, which had been stuck together from the time he sent it, and this gum was clear proof the leaves had never been opened."

"Well," said I to my acquaintance, who is a pretty deep man in theatricals, "is that the glorious way managers conduct themselves?"

"There is one theatre in New York," said he, "which has employed a man and pays him a salary to read plays. That theatre, though it was started by persons new to theatricals, has made more money than any concern in New York. The money really lies in original pieces, but our managers are often dull, imitative men, who pay enormous royalties for the current stuff from London, and sometimes from Paris, putting no other value on their fellow citizens than a foreign seal. Here, for instance, is the "Silver King" running at Wallack's. It owes its entire strength to a few strong melodramatic situations. It has neither comedy nor character nor poetry. They have to pay for it well."

"How much do they pay?" said I.

"Well, it has been bought by a speculator who farms it out. I think he gets about 10 per cent of the gross receipts at every performance. The theater contains, perhaps, $1,500 seven times a week, on which the speculator will receive $700. Now, that sum of money would procure the writing by a respectable man in this country of a play."

"Are there many plays written by Americans?"

"Oh, yes; the production has been very large for some time past. The Madison Square theater has been paying good prices for plays, and has made money all the time, both in New York and on the road. Mrs. Burnett has concluded a contract for another play with them. Howard probably has made a contract for another one. They look ahead, and do not play the Bohemian like most of our managers, who seem to have neither bow nor helm, nor center board."

"What do you suppose a woman like Mrs. Burnett would get for her play?"

"I merely guess when I say that they pay her $1,000 on signing the agreement, give her $1,000 to each act as it is produced, and then pay her from 10 to 20 per cent of the gross receipts after the play begins. That is way to bring out the quality of anybody who has got it, to put them under the highest pressure of competition."

"How does Bartley Campbell do with his pieces?"

"Campbell is now worth about $50,000. He drinks champagne where he used to drink beer. I said to him the other day, seeing him before a bottle of yellow label. 'Hello! Have you already come to this?' 'Now,' said he, 'I am not half as happy as when I drank beer. My happiest days are over. There was a time when I could not pay my printing bills, take my company out of town without owing part of my board bill, and could not buy railroad tickets for them to the next point, but said to the conductor, 'Jim, you must let me slide on half the money and take the rest out in tickets.' Ah,' said Campbell, 'those were golden days. Now I can draw a check for my company and am no longer cahoots with the conductor, and drink champagne; but I am comparatively miserable. Success does not succeed.'"

"How does Campbell make his money?"

"Why, he hires his manager as well as his company. He procures a man acquainted with the profession to get him up a company to suit his price, and, therefore, need have nothing to say except to object to such a part being imperfectly represented. While he is not a man of strictly literary capacity, he is a man of very good dramatic capacity, and having lost money by writing over the heads of his audience, now writes toward the hearts and seldom misses it."

"Do you think that the New York theaters draw the money they ought to?"

"No. Their ignorance, laziness, prejudice and superstition keep from their doors thousands of people who would cultivate a native drama which would arouse the literary instinct. In France the best patrons of the play are people who either think they could write one or who regard the support of the original drama as a part of patriotism. The stage has become in France the indication of a nation's mental resources and love of country. In New York we play British pieces, French pieces and German pieces, and even the Italian drama is creeping in here; but a man writes pieces about his own country at his peril. The New York press, indeed, is a foreign press. It affects to treat matters from all sections of the United States like the London Times treats the operations of French men, Socialists and Nihilists. The tone of this press is given to it by a set of emigrants, who appear not liable to arouse the jealousy of its obscure native managers. We have a few play-writers whose pieces draw money on the other side of the water, but they are hardly noticed in the New York newspapers. Here are McKee Rankin's two plays, each of which has run in London a whole season, and you would find in London that they were by an American author, and his name exploited, but in New York you would have to go into some actor's chop house to inquire who wrote the pieces, and then you would hear that the actor did it himself—so great is conceit. Most of our actors, after they get a piece a few weeks, go around with a swagger and call the author a great villain. 'I got the piece from him,' says Strutt, 'and it wasn't worth a damn. I built it up—it's mine.' In short, the New York stage to-day has some of the most provincial attributes on the earth. They will buy failures from London, and have lawsuits over failures from Paris, because they really do not know anything about theatrical work. Lester Wallack said but yesterday that he knew nothing about plays; that unexpected successes were made in his house by things he had never admired."

Economical Explorer.

Joe Murphy, being accused on one occasion of stinginess in connection with a charitable object, replied: "Other gentlemen puts down on the list what they thinks proper, and so does I. Charity is a private concern, and what I gives is nothing to nobody." And Joe is about right, too.

Who Would Have Dreamed It?

A girl just returned to Hannibal, Mo., from a Boston high school said upon seeing a fire engine at work: "Who would evah have dreamed such a vewy diminutive looking apawatus would hold so much wattah!"

Dramatic.

Drummer.

When the little short man bagged the big tall woman for a kiss, she stooped to concur.

Every Day Thoughts.

It is the sunlight from the human heart or from the world that renders our lives happy? What suffices wealth, ease and daily intercourse with friends if we are dissatisfied and discontented? Can we glean peace from anger, or joy from bitterness of spirit?

God sends us ten thousand joys, but we will not stretch out our hands to grasp them; and yet we grieve that our days are so inharmonious, our hearts are continually going in and out, as it were, of eclipses. Yesterday jostles to-day and to-morrow carries them both away captive. Our mornings are spent in anticipating the afternoons, and our afternoons are spent in regretting our mornings. May God make us wise, that we may learn what we need to advance our happiness and the happiness of those around us. We all in a sense depend upon each other for our happiness. Tenderness and attention to the outbreak of a pained heart will clear our way more fully, and the feeling of wrong, desperation and disquietude would be abated. Nothing draws us so fully and tenderly toward a person as their inquiries after our welfare and our enjoyments. To know that our happiness is studied by some unselfish creature brings exquisite pleasure—if we are not deformed by an ungrateful selfishness.

This is not a mere subject to dream and write about; as our actions here fix the nature of our enjoyment hereafter.

It is the sunlight from the human heart that renders true happiness—it is kind words and pleasant deeds that make the world bright and glorious.

From the open portals of Heaven come charity, love and faith; with these in our hearts we can diffuse kind words and do noble deeds, and from them glean pure happiness.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unvalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 15, 1883.

Berr, Y.	Hanna I, William F.
Bacon, A. H.	Webster, Mrs. Marta
Conley, Omey	Wakefield, C. C. & Co.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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DETROIT MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 1 white $1.09.
CORN—58c, shelled.
OATS—47c.
APPLES—$3.25 to $4.00 per bbl.
POTATOES—35c to 50c.
CLOVER SEED—$7.00.

TOLEDO MARKET.

Corrected to Wednesday Morning.

WHEAT—No. 2, red, $1.16.
CORN—53c, shelled.
OATS—44c.
CLOVER SEED—$6.75.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	2 50	@	2 75
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔		@	06
Butter, ₩ ℔	16	@	18
Barley, ₩ bushel	60	@	2
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75	@	1 85
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	50	@	55
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@	1 85
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00	@	7 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	55	@	58
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	60	@	65
Clover Seed	7 00	@	8 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	13
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 25	@	7 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	11 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	12
Oats, ₩ bushel	12	@	17
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35	@	40
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys, dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	5 00	@	6 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	1 00	@	1 05
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	1 07	@	1 10

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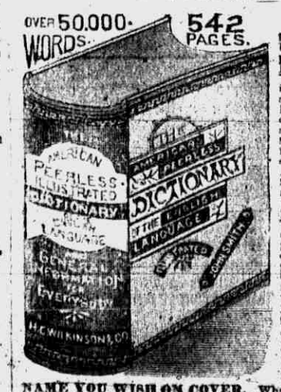

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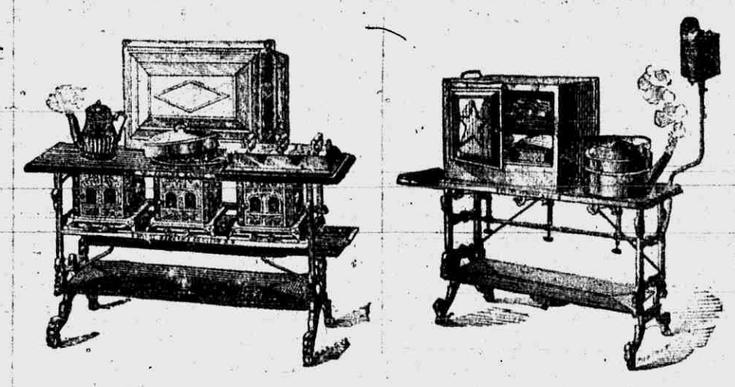

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Mr. Frank Butler has returned to his home in Pennsylvania, owing to the severe illness of his father.

Mrs. Lex Kirkpatrick is home at her father's on a visit.

Frank Rogers is home from Lansing where he has been attending college, being out of health.

Al. Hoxie has gone to Auburn, N.Y., in the interests of Hoxie & Son.

F. H. Holdridge, who has been spending the winter in Kansas, returned last week, and thinks Michigan the best place yet.

C. W. Arner, of Toledo, spent last Sunday with his relatives near Holloway.

Ben. Kelley has began work on his house.

A new line of business at Holloway. A cobbler.

Our meat market is in full blast.

W. E. Doty had the misfortune to lose a valuable breeding mare last Saturday.

Mrs. M. Spencer is somewhat improved.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Was Monday and Tuesday what is sometimes called squaw winter?

Quarterly meeting last Sunday. Rev. Mr. McElwain, of Clinton, officiated.

Uncle Tommy Lupton surprised many of his friends by his presence at church last Sunday morning. He has been in feeble health for a long time, and now is in his seventy-sixth year.

John Larkin now has a green house in the rear of his dwelling. There is a prospect for orange blossoms, may be. Those two new grape arbors so near alike must mean something.

Samuel Fletcher has been laid up for a few days by a kick from his horse that made a wound in his right leg below the knee which required thirteen stitches to sew up.

S. P. Smith has a new kitchen. Dr. Nelson has his addition nearly done, and Wm. Ransom has a new barn in place of the one recently burned.

An ice cream social will be held at the residence of Wm. R. Wilson next Friday evening. It is hoped it will taste better than it would last Monday and Tuesday.

Perhaps one-third of the corn was planted before the late cold storm. It is generally the opinion that the most of it will have to be replanted.

Montie Pocklington has had his money bank stolen, containing two dollars and a quarter.

Moral.—What farmers get for hiring tramps. W. F. POCKLINGTON.

The above note was received by your correspondent in a lady's handwriting just before our last letter was fixed, and he supposed it was all right, coming as it did through a member of Mr. Pocklington's family. The reference made to it however called forth the indignation of a certain young gentleman who is neither a tramp or guilty of taking anybody's money bank, and he desires us to straighten the matter for him.

Noticing that in some of the public schools of the State the pamphlet entitled "Michigan and its Resources" is being used as a text book, the Adrian Times remarks: "This is a good departure from the old routine. There must be some fault somewhere in a system of education that turns the child out after years of study as ignorant of his own country or state, as of countries on the other side of the globe. The pamphlet in question was prepared for use in Europe, to give people there intending to emigrate information that would induce them to come to Michigan. It contains a fund of most valuable facts that every school boy and girl ought to be familiar with. How many men in this state are prepared to answer intelligently and correctly the questions that people whom they meet in other states, or in other countries, are sure to ask about the state, particularly if thinking of selecting a home? Not very many. There is no place where such information could be acquired so easily as in the school room, and while the child is learning about articulation, inflection and accent he would also be learning about the extent, character and advantages of his state as a place for men and women to live."

An attempt was made on the evening of the 7th inst. to assassinate the editor of the Schoolcraft County Pioneer, at Manistique. The pistol ball struck under his hand as he sat writing at his office table, about 10 p. m., and glanced upward into the ceiling. He pursued his supposed assailants and fired at them twice in the darkness, but they have not been discovered. He cannot account for the attempt.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending May 19, 1883.

Estate of Leroy Mead, deceased; warrant and inventory.

Estate of Katharina Hauck, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order allowing time to pay debts.

Estate of Blanche Mead, et al., minors; petition for appointment of guardian; order of appointment; bond $2500.

Estate of Abram Ayres, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Conrad Ickler, deceased; petition for partition of real estate; order appointing commissioners.

Estate of Walter F. Tidswell, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Sarah Jane Patterson, deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of John Wilson, deceased; after taking testimony an order of continuance was made until May 23, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock, A.M.

Estate of Allie May Rood, minor; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing June 4, 1883.

Estate of Joel Briggs, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing June 18, 1883.

Estate of Herman N. Prichard, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Frank N. Packard, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Delia J. O'Brien, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $8000.

Estate of Asa Gilmore, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Stephen Scofield, et al., minors; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate of John S. Fleming, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Abigail D. Hathaway, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until June 5, A.D., 1883, at ten o'clock, A.M.

Estate of John Wilson, deceased; affidavit of publication; testimony taken and filed; order of continuance until May 15, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Catharine E. Hornby, deceased; bond on sale of real estate filed.

Estate of James Osburn, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

In the matter of Arnold C. King, an alleged incompetent person; petition for the appointment of a guardian; hearing May 29, 1883.

Estate of Eleazer G. Scofield, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; executor's final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Henry Hazart, deceased; petition for the allowance of administratrix's final account; hearing June 11, 1883.

Estate of Nathan S. Green, deceased; will, proof and probate.

Estate of Edmund Hand, deceased, warrant and inventory filed; petition for order to sell personal property; order for sale.

Estate of Renselaer A. Baker, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing June 11, 1883.

Estate of Nora B. Hoag, et al., minors; petition for license to sell real estate, hearing June 18, 1883.

Estate of Jonathan G. Douglas, deceased; petition for the allowance of administratrix's final account; hearing June 11, 1883.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending May 19, 1883:

CAMBRIDGE.

Wm. Aldrich to Milo O. Aldrich.—Land on sec. 32. $1000.

Wm. Gillett to Geo. C. Randolph.—Land on sec. 17. $1500.

RAISIN.

Abraham Hanford to Sidney Hathaway. Land on secs. 1 and 12. $13,500.

Ellen C. Lowe to Laney M. Bly.—Land on sec. 20. $1100.

RIDGEWAY.

Sidney Hathaway to Abraham Hanford. Land on secs. 12 and 31. $8500.

TECUMSEH.

A. J. Gillet to H. E. Anderson.—Land in village. $1750.

Albert Waring to Orrin Hiscock.—Land on sec. 35. $200.

The Inter Ocean of May 17th editorially says:

It has often been remarked that the Inter Ocean finds friends everywhere in suburban cities and in the country press. One reason for this is that it has never adopted the policy to pull anybody down for a stepping-stone to power and influence. It has honestly asked every subscriber to consider his first duty to his home paper, and make that as good as possible, and then the Inter Ocean has asked a consideration upon its merits. It is in the power of the intelligent people to make every home paper, when wisely established, good by proper patronage and encouragement. No man who owns a house or a farm, or who claims a residence in any locality, but is peculiarly benefitted by having a well conducted home paper, giving all the local news. It is entirely safe to say no man gets so much of real value for the same amount of money as he gets in his paper, costing less than the price of a single cigar or a mug of beer.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Forty houses have been built in Cadillac this spring.

A railroad from Stanton to St. Louis is being agitated.

A few days ago lightning killed 19 sheep for Charles Wiltz, of Carlotte.

Owosso episcopal church calls Rev. W. C. Sherman, of Cannon Falls, Minn.

The mineral bath house at Midland has been extensively repaired, and is again open to the public.

George Fritz, a boy 14 years old, had a hand badly demoralized by a saw at Grand Ledge last week.

Subscriptions are being circulated at Cadillac for a telephone line from that place to Lake City, Missaukee county.

Deuber & Voorheis purchased and took possession of the Warner flouring mill at Belleville, Wayne county, last week.

A Kalamazoo grain merchant received an order last week for two cars of Michigan wheat, to be shipped to western Iowa.

Railroad officials met at Flint a few days ago and examined sites for a union depot. Crapo's lumber yard will probably be selected.

An eel three feet and four inches long, and weighing five pounds and three ounces, was recently caught in Fawn river, St. Joseph county.

Dedication of German Lutheran church at Cheboygan last Sunday. The pastor, Chas. Otto, has three other preaching stations in charge.

A Saginaw man backed his dumping cart a little too far on Tuesday, thereby dumping into the river and drowning a $200 horse. The wagon was fished out.

Abram Hopper, a resident of Alpena since 1858, when there was only 6 buildings in the place, is dead. He was the first city recorder, and at one time county clerk.

Alfred Jackson, a farmer of Van Buren township, Wayne county, had both bones of his right leg broken just above the ankle at a barn raising for J. R. Brayton, last week.

The ninth annual meeting of the convention of the Protestant Episcopal church in the diocese of western Michigan, will be held in St. Mark's church, Grand Rapids, on the 30th.

G. W. Lowe, M. E. pastor at Plymouth resigns and will take a three months' rest in the north woods, having been in consecutive ministerial work, without a vacation, for 25 yrs.

William Bolster, of Sturgis, 16 yrs old, has been arrested, charged with malicious hitting an 8 years old son of Adam Wagoner in the back with a large stone, seriously injuring the little fellow.

Frederick Stuba, a German living in Sherman, St. Joseph county, was brought to Sturgis last week on a warrant sworn out by his wife, charging him with threatening to kill the whole family.

The surveys are about finished for extending the Saginaw, Tuscola & Huron road 10 miles farther, so as to reach the stone quarries of Huron co., which will be a great advantage to the Saginaws and other places needing building stone.

John Whittekind, of New Baltimore, Macomb county, was drowned at that place last week. It is feared he committed suicide, as he had only returned from the Pontiac asylum. He was discovered struggling in the water, but could not be rescued in time to save his life.

The state homeopathic society closed its annual meeting at Lansing last week, electing as officers: President, R. B. House, of Tecumseh; vice presidents, Phil. Porter, of Detroit, and A. A. Allen, of Ann Arbor; secretary, J. G. Gilchrist, of Detroit; treasurer, G. A. Robertson, of Battle Creek.

The Grand Rapids Times says something of a sensation in school circles has been caused recently by the rumor that Bishop Richter has issued a general order to the effect that the children of all catholic families shall be withdrawn from the public schools and sent to the catholic schools exclusively.

Last week Mrs. Thomas Wildsmith, of Kalamazoo, missed her little four-years-old Bertie, and among other places went to the cistern in search of him. Looking in she could see nothing, but a strange impulse bade her search it with the pole used in drawing water. She did so, and in a moment brought the apparently dead body of her darling boy to the surface whence, with rare presence of mind, she drew him to her arms. Medical aid finally succeeded in restoring the child to consciousnes

MY UNCLE'S STORY; OR HOW TO CONQUER PREJUDICE.

BY QUIZ, BRONSON, MICH.

"I will give you," said my uncle, as we were leisurely riding along in our carriage one day, "an infallible recipe for conquering prejudice."

Having felt and observed much of the evil attendant upon this state of mental progress, [illegible] as a remedy [illegible] prohibited from [illegible] who sat by my side.

Being assured that he would [illegible] the degree a child's [illegible] proceeded as follows:

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[illegible] Pennsylvania [illegible] after by some [illegible] people with an uncouth race whose manners were the antipodes of society, which I had heard my father speak about from the [illegible].

My views of this people having received this unfavorable turn, I was prepared to [illegible] everything of a disparaging nature which might be said or written about them, and my first impression was by no means [illegible] confirmed by subsequent contact with people from the state whose very [illegible] had [illegible] me [illegible] found.

Two men, who were traveling from Pittsburg to Cleveland put up at my father's house one night. This was before the days of rail roads, and they drove a team of four horses [illegible] to one of those [illegible] wagons which to the dwellers in the Western reserve a generation ago were no unusual sight. These men were rough, uncouth specimens of humanity, dirty looking and profane. One of them used some of his profanity in hearing of my father, and was kindly reprimanded therefor, which was meant as a rebuke was very ungracefully received and sneeringly commented upon in my hearing but behind my father's back.

The conduct of these men from Pennsylvania only confirmed my dislike for the class to which they belonged and which, as I supposed, included the entire population of that state.

I have noted, continued my uncle, that a prejudice once conceived is very much like a snowball rolling down a mountain side increasing in bulk and momentum as it advances. So it was with me. My dislike for those people continued and increased until finally it became chronic. Every additional meeting with these men only deepened and strengthened the impression first made on the play ground. Only uncouth specimens presented themselves, and I judged all the rest by these. First impressions, though false, are liable to be most lasting. So I found it to be here. Even after I had grown to manhood Pennimite was a distasteful word and the home of this class of men a region of shadows. But while this convictions had been growing upon me, my mind had been gradually enlarging and my stock of knowledge increasing, and the time had now fully come when I must make choice of some employment for a life work. A revival wave had swept over the community where I had been brought up, and I, along with others had, as I trusted, become a willing subject of the Kingdom. My eyes were now opened to see the world's needs. My heart was, I thought, in full sympathy with my misguided fellow men. My whole soul yearned over erring mortals, and I longed to be doing something for their rescue. But I was sorely perplexed about my field of labor. Where should it be? While I was revolving this question in my mind, and praying God to open for me a door and prepare a way for my feet, a call, clear as a bugle note came from out of the darkness of the coal regions. "Come over and help us." Could the call be divine? Was it possible? My whole soul revolted at the thought of laboring in such a place and among such a people. But I was soon convinced that the call came from Him who has a perfect right to command and I might stand and argue with infinite wisdom on a question of duty; so my mind was soon made up. Go I must. So having provided myself with a trusty horse, a saddle and a port manteau, the journey was commenced. I soon found myself in my new field of labor, but everything looked so dark and forbidding that I inwardly resolved to avail myself of the first decent excuse that presented itself to quit my field and cast my lot with a people whose tastes were more congenial with my own.

Through repeated opportunity I was finally induced to enter into an engagement with the people for the ensuing period of six months. Only [illegible] experience of about such [illegible] people, whom other Christians, but I soon had to be more [illegible] [illegible] with equal [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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Bobolink, Panther, Dragon-fly, Snail
Crocodile, Monkey, Buffalo, Hare,
Dromedary, Leopard, Mud-turtle, Bear,
Elephant, Badger, Pelican, Ox,
Flying-fish, Reindeer, Anaconda, Fox,
Guinea-pig, Dolphin, Antelope, Goose,
Humming-bird, Weasel, Pickerel, Moose,
Ibex, Rhinoceros, Owl, Kangaroo,
Jackal, Opossum, Toad, Cockatoo,
Kingfisher, Peacock, Ant-eater, Bat,
Lizard, Ichneumon, Honey-bee, Rat,
Mocking-bird, Camel, Grasshopper, Mouse,
Nightingale, Spider, Cuttlefish, Grouse,
Ocelot, Pheasant, Wolverine, Auk,
Periwinkle, Ermine, Katydid, Hawk,
Quail, Hippopotamus, Armadillo, Moth,
Rattlesnake, Lion, Woodpecker, Sloth,
Salamander, Goldfinch, Angleworm, Dog,
Tiger, Flamingo, Scorpion, Frog,
Unicorn, Ostrich, Nautilus, Mole,
Viper, Gorilla, Basilisk, Sole,
Whippoorwill, Beaver, Centipede, Fawn,
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What the Minister Says.

Homer, Ill.

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Henry Ward Beecher, in a sermon on "A Day of Rest," said: "Sunday ought to be the pleasantest day of the week to the children. It wasn't to me. I was lively and mercurial, laughing at everything. I went to church and heard a sermon I did not understand, was waked up with a snap on the head when I went to sleep, and when I got home I was set down to learn the catechism. My heart sank within me, for I never could memorize sentences, and without it I could have no dinner. I have given many hard knocks at Calvinism and catechism since, and the origin of them all was the deprivation of those Sunday dinners."

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B. W. BENTLEY."

CLINTON, Iowa, April 29, 1881.

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We have it upon common report that chewing gum is a substance well known to the youthful part of the community. The qualities which it possesses at the time it comes from the confectioner are all familiar to the youngest of us. One easily comprehends the main ingredients of candy; but who, without being told, would suspect that chewing gum is often only a refined product of petroleum? The time was when the fragrant spruce furnished the most common material for the purpose. But this is no longer the case. The reader, familiar with the processes of refining coal oil, is aware that the thick, brown liquid which comes from the earth, at one stage of its manufacture, is strained through heavy linen cloths. The residuum left after this operation is a dirty, brownish-yellow wax that smells abominably. That unpromising substance, melted, bleached, deodorized and prepared for commerce, appears in masses that weigh about one hundred pounds, resembling oblong blocks of clouded ice. It has no odor and no taste, except what belongs to any wax in its purest state. It may be used for many purposes that it is not necessary to describe now. The manufacturer of chewing-gum purchases these blocks ready made to his hand, and at once melts them down. To two hundred pounds of wax he adds about thirty pounds of sugar, and gives the mixture a flavor by the use of some essential oil, such as lemon or vanilla, and perhaps adds some coloring matter. The melted mass is poured out upon a clean marble slab, and cut in the various shapes known to masticators.

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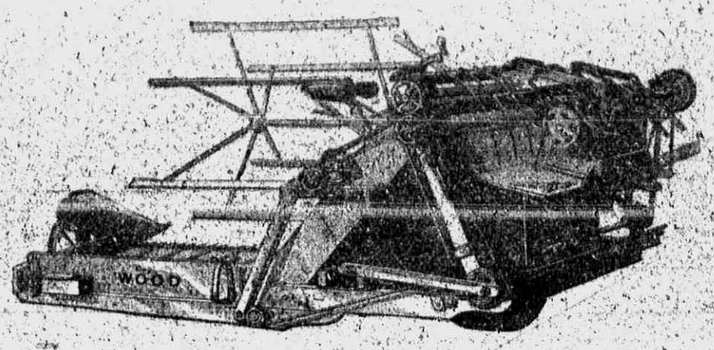

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 24, 1883.

Beautiful snow on the 23d of May. Where is Wiggins now?

The big Brooklyn bridge will be formally opened to the public to day.

The wind and the water seem to be having a race for the mastery out west.

Politics are beginning to warm up in Ohio as the time approaches for the two state conventions.

The star route trial is drawing to a close. Some of the jurymen have grown gray-headed since it began.

The cable informs us that a diabolical attempt was made yesterday to blow up the wash stand in the Czar's bed room.

Bob Ingersoll has commenced his plea in the star route trial. He will probably reach the peroration by the Fourth of July.

A convention of watermelon growers was recently held down in Georgia. Such a meeting might be aptly called "congregated colic."

The Michigan Manual for 1883 is at hand. It contains a large amount of valuable statistics, and will be a very handy volume for reference.

The Czar is in trouble again. As the day for his coronation approaches he has discovered a conspiracy in his own body guard to take his life.

It is said that Gen. Butler can go to sleep at once whenever he chooses.—This is accounted for by the fact that he served on the night police force in his younger days.

Economical boys are now saving up their pennies to go and see Jumbo. It will be a good time to tap the missionary boxes which have caught the stray pennies to educate the heathen.

One Mrs. Jones of Kalamazoo, has started on a walking trip to San Francisco. She carries a big hickory cane and will deliver a lecture at convenient points on the route upon the "Modesty of American Women."

There is likely to be some fun at the big bridge opening in Brooklyn today. Eleven thousand tickets have been issued for the Academy of Music ceremonies and the hall itself will accommodate two thousand people by crowding.

A woman lawyer in Milwaukee got into difficulty with a judge before whom she was trying a law suit and threw a glass of water in his face.—She was sent to jail for contempt of court as freely as a man lawyer would have been.

The approaching commencements will shell out a big crop of young lawyers and doctors. While the supply of doctors and lawyers is increasing beyond any proper demand, scores of churches are becoming rusty and dusty from misuse and crying in vain for ministers. A share of the young legal and medical sprigs should turn their attention to theology.

There was a hot fight over the election of President of the Army of the Potomac at its last reunion. The Grant faction ran the "silent man" himself, while the McClellan faction ran Gen. John Newton, and Grant was left out in the cold. The esteem felt for "Little Mac" by his old comrades in arms seems to increase rather than diminish as the years roll round.

The state public school at Coldwater costs the people from $110 to $120 per year for each inmate, while the Adrian Reform School costs about $400 per inmate. The extravagance of the latter institution produced a sharp discussion in the legislature when the subject of an appropriation came up, but the sum called for was finally voted.

The Cincinnati Enquirer is responsible for this thrilling account of a pet dog funeral:

A Washington lady whose home was however in Ohio, set the fashion for that city in regard to the death of pet dogs. The suit was of broadcloth, the necktie was white, the coffin was of rosewood and the trimmings were silver-plated. The pet was buried near his western home, and the lady put on deep mourning. Although he was from Ohio, he never sought or held office.

Several of the pictorial features of the June Century are of uncommon interest, like the frontispiece portrait of Tennyson after Woolner's bust, and the other full-page pictures in this profusely illustrated number. Most readers will probably turn with a lively interest to the three or four papers by authoritative writers on subjects which now lead in the current of public discussion. The Century is truly one of the leading magazines of the day.

An exchange says: If people would purchase green coffee and brown it in their homes there would be fewer cases of diphtheria, scarlet and typhoid fever. The aroma arising from the browning berry is one of the best agents to disinfecting dwellings of impure air. It is easier to buy coffee already browned than to prepare it, but the preparation once a week saves health and doctor bills. The doors should be left open and let the aroma pervade every room.

The Popular Science Monthly for June opens with a timely article on "Medical Quacks and Quackeries," by Dr. F. J. Shepherd, whose views concerning the origin of quacks, and the conditions which enables them to flourish, with accounts of a few of the more famous historical specimens, will be found lively and instructive reading. The June number of this valuable magazine is full of excellent articles. Published by D. Appleton & Co., N. Y. Fifty cents per number $5 per year.

St. Nicholas for June is now upon our table and is always a welcome visitor, being well filled with instructive and entertaining reading. The present number is crowded with pictures, and appropriately ushers in the summer with an interesting article, by I. N. Ford, on the Tribune "Fresh-air Fund, through which so many thousands of poor city children have been enabled to taste the pleasures of a two weeks' vacation in the country. Humor and pathos are delightfully blended throughout the whole number.

PROSPERITY AND PROTECTION.

The Jackson Patriot indulges in these sensible sentiments.

When protectionists talk about the great prosperity that high taxation brings they should be reminded that the most general, lasting, severe and deep-seated distress from which this country ever suffered—when thousands upon thousands of laborers could not get work and became tramps—prevailed from 1873 to 1879, under the highest protective tariff ever enacted. During this high tariff distress no business interests were more deeply involved, and had more trouble to recover from its effects, than the manufacturers that enjoyed the greatest protection, of which class the iron industry was a notable example. The panic of 1873 demonstrated that high taxation does not insure prosperity.

TAX THE TELEGRAPH.

The Adrian Times, speaking about the taxation of the telegraph monopoly says:

In Wilmington, Deleware, the telegraph company is compelled to pay the city a tax of one dollar for each of its poles set within the city limits. There is no justice in such a requirement as that. Take it in cities and towns where, for instance, the telegraph company owns no building, it sets its poles along the most frequented streets, forming obstructions that are unsightly and oftentimes serious impediments, particularly in cases of fire. Why a company that asks and receives so much in the way of accommodations, and is better able to bear its portion of the local taxes than many individuals and interests that are taxed, should get its accommodations and protection without paying for them as others do, nobody can tell. The telegraph monopoly in this country has become so powerful that its prices for service are in no sense regulated as are prices among corresponding interests, for it occupies the whole field and permits no competition. It puts its prices as high as it thinks the business interests of the country will stand without rebelling. To say that such a monopoly as that is wronged by taxation is nonsense, the people are wronged wherever and whenever it is not compelled to pay its just part of the burden of taxation.

CHECKING PROSPERITY:

Speaking of the deleterious effect of a protective tariff upon the prosperity of Canada the London Weekly Advertiser says:

"In the United States the extent of their population, the diversity of soil and climate reduces the evils of protection to a minimum. Here our want of compactness, our isolation from each other, and our similarity of circumstances and pursuits aggravates the evils of the system, which demagogues have initiated, and which short sighted, timid men uphold. The Province of Ontario has suffered perhaps beyond any other by the immense drain upon her population, and upon her wealth. In some parts of the country there has been a perceptible diminution of the population, and a marked depreciation in the value of real estate. Previously to 1878 the annual gain in population was about 40,000 a year. In 1880 there was a decrease of nearly 10,000, and last year there was an increase of but 2,000. This is the condition of things brought about mainly by the folly of excessive taxation. That system which was to have built up towns and cities, and turned farms into gardens, has driven from some of our northern villages half their population, depreciated the value of real estate, has diminished rents, and seriously checked the growth of the population."

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, May 18th.

I think it would have required a very extraordinary inducement to have made me sail for Europe on the Williams & Guion line's steamer Alaska last Tuesday. She and her sister ship the Arizona are known as the greyhounds of the ocean, and the speed with which they travel is marvelous. It is of course needless to say that they are the crack vessels of the transatlantic fleet, and the wealthy which used to fight its way to the ticket office of the Cunard line to secure berths in one of their steamers, now would travel by no other vessel than either of these. Well, long before last Tuesday every berth on the Alaska had been engaged. Three or four days before the date of her sailing a party of gentlemen who were determined to sail by her. The captain and five of the officers let them have their staterooms for a heavy consideration of course. Then, on Sunday night a party of Englishmen came from the West. They had travelled post haste in order to get back to England in time to see the Derby run. This great race comes off next Wednesday. It was impossible to give them cabin accommodations so they went to the steerage, making arrangements at the same time to eat in the saloon. Now if that vessel is to make port in time to enable her passengers to get to the Epsom downs in time for the race, you may imagine at what rate of speed she must travel, something of the style in which the hero of Jules Vernes "Around the World in Eighty Days" went. This may be exciting, but to the average man a little less haste would be much more comfortable.

The fate of Commodore Fish's magnificent new schooner Yacht Grayling will be apt to confirm the belief of the average "sailor man" in omens, if it needs confirmation at all. When she was launched the Commodore's little daughter Julia was selected to break the traditionary bottle of champagne on her bow, and to pronounce the formula: "I name thee Grayling." The little thing, supported by her father, tried three times to break the bottle but in vain. Finally with main might she succeeded in smashing it, but it was done so awkwardly that her dress got more of the "fizz" than the schooner's side. "That's bad, very bad," remarked an old tar, and the rest of the forcastle took up the ancient mariner's rhyme and answered in chorus "very bad." Last Sunday the Commodore took her out for her trial trip, and the owner of the famous Montauk took out his schooner to enable Mr. Fish to test his boats speed. It soon became evident that the Montauk had the foot of the Grayling, and this nettled Mr. Fish. Sending his sailing master below he took the wheel himself. Awkward flaws of wind were coming up and the Montauk got ready for them. Not so with the Commodore. He kept right on, straining every nerve to get ahead.—Suddenly there came a squall, and before the crew and the company on board had time to catch their breath the vessel lay on her beam ends. The Montauk's people promptly came to the rescue, and thus no lives were lost. Otherwise the fate of those on board would have been as sad as that on the unfortunate Mohawk some years ago. The yacht finally sunk, and although she was secured and her place marked, she was twice run into by passing vessels. One of them carried off her boom, and the other broke off her mainmast. Yesterday they succeeded in raising her, and she is now being thoroughly overhauled at Poillon's ship yard. Her beautiful interior which was composed of a most artistic blending of imported woods, brass plate, plate glass, bronzes, bric-a-brac, etc., is utterly ruined.—Her hull is perfectly sound, but despite night and day work she will hardly be got ready for the opening sail of the Atlantic Yacht Club on the 30th inst.

One of the most amusing features of metropolitan life now that the police have placed an effective check on gambling, policy and lottery playing, is to watch the anetics of the members of the negro colony. Indeed, their occupation in life seems to be gone, and the heart of "little Africa" is sad. The dusky gentlemen, who for years wielded the whitewash brush and served as porters, that they might indulge in the luxury of purchasing "gigs," "stradles," "horses" and such like mysterious commodities, stand about idly, for they seemingly have nothing to live for. The typos in the newspaper offices are just as badly off and if the police were to close the drinking places, all the printing fraternity would become millionaires in a few years despite themselves. Of course lottery and policy slips are still sold, but the business is conducted under such difficulties and with such risks that none but the most insane players care to indulge in it.—The sellers carry their slips about in their pockets, and dispose of their wares in the street, in the vicinity of where they once had their offices, but as the agents of the Society for the Prevention of Crime haunt these places, the dealers are harassed out of their wits almost.

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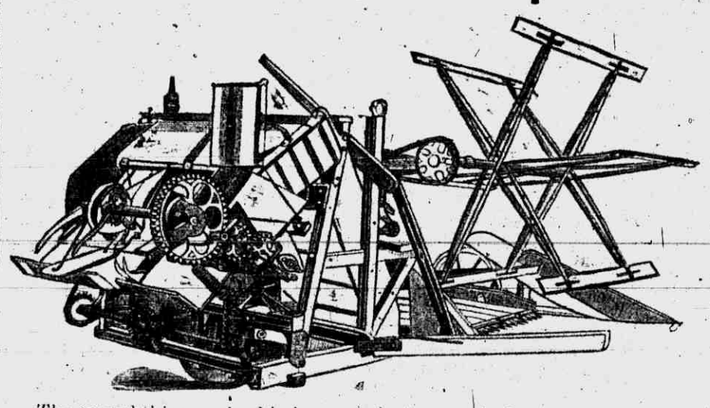

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TECUMSEH, May 8th, 1883.

PLANTS! PLANTS! All the best varieties of early cabbage and tomato plants now ready. Late cabbage, sweet potato, celery, pepper and egg plants ready in their season. ABNER WILSON.

NOTICE. By the mutual consent of both parties the firm of Munger & Severance is this day dissolved, Mr. J. A. Munger continuing on with the harness business. All accounts of the firm will be settled with J. A. Munger.

MUNGER & SEVERANCE.

FOR SALE. Blacksmith Shop. The shop, property and business owned and ran by W. D. Wells in the village of Ridgeway, for sale cheap, if sold at once. For particulars and terms inquire of W. D. Wells on the premises.

WANTED. Information wanted of the whereabouts of Oramell Hall, who left his home in Milan on Sunday, May 20th. He is 14 years old, has dark hair, blue eyes, and had on, when he left, a dark colored thick cotton coat, and brown checkered pants. Any information in regard to said Oramell will be thankfully received by addressing his father,

PERRY HALL,
Cone, Mich.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Sutton & Swan is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued as heretofore under the firm name of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros., with whom the accounts of the old firm are left for settlement, the prompt attention of which is respectfully requested.

N. M. SUTTON.
J. B. SWAN.

Dated TECUMSEH, Mich., May 15th, 1883.

FOR SALE. House and lot situated on Logan street. Good barn, fruit, etc. Terms easy. For particulars inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Mrs. H. A. Forsyth, *nee* Mary Eccles arrived home from Dakota yesterday, and will remain during the summer.

Senator Palmer was invited to address the western Michigan farmer's club at Grand Rapids, in June, and also his terms for the service. To the latter he replied: "I shall be very glad to meet your people at my usual terms, viz. If you will stand the address I will stand the rest."

A RUNAWAY.

Just before the hour of high noon yesterday a double team hauling a covered peddler's wagon was seen streaking it up railroad street from Raisin. They kept on in the middle of the street until they reached the Exchange hotel when they kept on the left of the railroad track and ran into a big shade tree near the sidewalk. The concussion broke the whiffletrees from the wagon and the team went on toward Newburg.—When the wagon stopped, two boxes of eggs jumped out the forward end upon the sidewalk, and about fifty tin pails keeled out the rear end into the ditch. The owner arrived in due time and finally gathered together the horses and baggage. He will probably hitch his team hereafter when he goes into a farm house to hunt hen's eggs.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Marshall Statesman: The iron thus far used on the M. & O. was purchased of the Chicago iron and steel works. This firm suspended a few weeks ago, and all further supplies will come from the Edgar Thompson steel works, Johnstown, Pa. This change of base delayed matters somewhat, but the iron is now on the ground and Assistant Chief Engineer Boch telegraphed them to commence at once. Mr. Thos. Hamilton, the bridge contractor, states that the crossing of the Michigan Central will probably be completed by next Friday. It will then take about 20 days for the ironing gang to reach Battle Creek, and in two weeks thereafter the engine of the construction train will stand in Marshall. Water tanks are being put up along the line to supply the engines. This week one was put up at Gun river, four miles from Montieth.

Coldwater Republican: Mr. J. H. McLane, who is employed in construction work on the Toledo & Michigan R. R. near Marshall, informs us that Judge Ingersoll of that city, has just received word from the builders of the T. & M. that they may proceed to work up local aid from Marshall north sufficient to put the roadbed in condition for track laying and that the road will be built. From indications the men who laid out the contributed money in this county propose to do nothing toward securing the construction to this point or further south. If anything is to be done it must be done by others making the move.

The Allegan Journal contains the following: "J. A. Latcha of the M. & O. road, says trains will be run from Allegan to Marshall by the middle of June, and the road quickly completed beyond that point. A new gang of men yesterday took the place of the strikers. No more rails will be laid till the middle of the month because the mills cannot furnish them sooner."

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 24, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Farmers are shearing.

The straw hat season is still in the distance.

No entertainment booked for the opera house.

Wheat in the vicinity of Tecumseh is looking well.

This would be a good time for quarter-off sales on straw hats.

The business man who does not advertise is getting to be a curiosity.

It is expected that the weather will warm up to business before fall.

Put it down in your diary that we had a snow storm on the 21st day of May, 1883.

Thermometer at freezing on May 21st. Let the oldest inhabitant stick a pin here.

Stove wood is a scarce commodity now, and dealers are charging gilt-edged prices.

The young people enjoyed a pleasant dance at Bidwell's hall last Thursday evening.

Milan Wheeler, of Raisin, has sold his farm and intends to move back into the village.

Miss Kate McDowell, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting her cousin, Miss Eva Clement, in this village.

Mr. R. P. Clement and son, of Fredonia, N. Y., were the guests of Mrs. M. P. Bigelow last week.

Miss Anna Smith, of Sterling, Ill., is visiting at the residence of Henry Smith, her uncle, for a short time.

Comfort's tulips are in all their glory now. We paid Woolston a visit Saturday and brought home a beautiful bouquet.

Friends of the soldiers will please contribute flowers. They may be left at Council Building on the morning of May 30th.

C. H. Adam, proprietor of the Sand Lake hotel, has commenced the season at his house, and is now prepared to accomodate all who come.

Our people will be content this year without any fiz-fuz, feathers or flags. At least we haven't heard that we are likely to celebrate the Fourth.

Michigan is a good state for a farmer to stay in, although it takes about six months in some of the western territories to convince them of the fact.

The state convention of the W. C. T. U. is in session this week at Adrian. The meetings began last evening and will continue through the remainder of the week.

Woolston Comfort is building an addition to his house which will be used for a kitchen. When completed his dwelling will be an unusually convenient one.

Messrs. J. C. Ayer & Co., of Lowell, Mass., have issued a neat series of album cards, which collectors will treasure. Send them a 3 ct. stamp for a full set.

There is a rosy flush of expectation and heaven-lighted radiance on the faces of the girls of the period. The spruce gum crop in Maine promises to be larger this year than ever before.

The Deerfield Record began its sixth volume last week. The Record has made a successful trip of five years on the journalistic sea. May favorable winds continue to waft its course onward.

S. B. Wakefield of Monroe, has taken the contract to put in a Y on the M. & O. road at Britton. The work will be done at once and track laying will commence at that point at an early day.

Will Robbins, of Cleveland, was in town last Saturday and Sunday, and his many friends here were glad to see him. Will is on the road now traveling for the same firm he has been with since he went to Cleveland.

Dr. I. S. Hamilton, of this village was chosen one of the vice presidents of the State Medical Society. As the Doctor is one of the oldest and most successful practitioners in Southern Michigan, it was a compliment well deserved.

Lovers of the beautiful in nature should visit Mrs. Spaulding's greenhouse on Mill street. We were agreeably surprised a short time since on strolling through this floral retreat to find so large and varied an assortment of plants and flowers.

James Moir has opened a shoe shop in Sholes' harness store, and would be pleased to receive orders from his friends who desire boots and shoes made to order. All work guaranteed. Repairing neatly and promptly attended to at reasonable rates.

Dr. R. B. House was chosen President of the State Homœopathic Medical Association at their session in Lansing last week. The rules were suspended and he was elected by acclamation, which was the first time in the history of the society that the President has been chosen in that manner. The flattering manner in which the position was given to him shows the esteem entertained for him among his professional brethren.

Mrs. Jas. A. Smyth, of Grand Rapids, is visiting friends in town.

Theme at the Baptist Church next Sunday evening—"The Life of Abel."

We understand that Slayton & Son have some good seed corn just received from Toledo.

Will. M. Osborn, of Franklin, is making some extensive improvements on his place in way of new barns, fences, etc.

Miss Franc Bryan started for Dakota last Monday. She expects to meet her brother there and look up some land claims.

I. P. Keyser started last Monday for Cincinnati to attend the U. S. Grand Supreme Lodge of K. of P. We wish him a pleasant trip.

Tecumseh is now connected with the state telephone system and we enjoyed a very pleasant chat with Will Schermerhorn the other day.

The new livery firm, Clark & Bird, have an announcement in this week's paper. They intend to have one of the best establishments of the kind ever started in Tecumseh. Give the boys a call.

An old lady of Paw Paw ordered down a telegraph pole which had been placed in her back yard, as she didn't propose to have "that paragraph pole in her yard to paragraph everything she said all over town."

Archie Richard has resigned his place as bookkeeper at M. W. Robinson's, Jackson, and gone to Wisconsin. He will run a supply store in that state in connection with the big railroad contract of Danby & Richard.

We are pleased to notice that the Singer Manufacturing Co., have established an agency for the sale of their celebrated machines in Tecumseh. Mr. M. P. Brown will act as their agent, in the rooms formerly occupied by F. J. Landgraf.

Commencing May 29, the L. S. & M. S. R'y will sell at this station tickets for one fare for the round trip for National Exposition of Railway Appliances, at Chicago. Tickets good going Tuesday and Wednesday and returning good up to and including the following Monday. Sale continuing until June 23.

'Tis pleasant to be remembered, especially by old friends. A surprise was given Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Bigelow at Birmingham, this state, on the event of the tenth anniversary of their marriage, Monday evening. Some of their Tecumseh friends hearing of it sent them a set of solid silver spoons and other tokens of not-forgetful friendship.

LADIES' WATERPROOFS.

Ladies' gossamer waterproofs are a great institution. When a lady dons a waterproof, all buttoned down before, with the hood attachment drawn over her head and fastened under her chin with a big pin, she is certainly an object of envy to the male portion of creation. Last Tuesday, as our readers will doubtless remember, was a rainy day. Perhaps that is drawing it too mild. It was a down-easter blizzard of rain, sleet and snow. The rain beat upon the window panes, the Angel of Darkness cast a gloomy pall over the earth, and every female resident of the village, clad in a waterproof, was out shopping. The little rosy-cheeked school girls, and the sedate school ma'am were all arrayed in waterproofs. The village belle of sweet sixteen, the motherly matron of forty, the genial grandmother of seventy, the sewing girl from the shop, the kitchen girl from the household were all out on a parade, and they all looked exactly alike, resembling each other as closely as so many black beans. As we sat staring out of our sanctum window at four o'clock in the afternoon, and beheld the waterproofs sailing down the sidewalk, singly, in pairs, in threes and four abreast, it reminded us of what might have been when the waters overtook Noah in the olden time. Everybody was on a level then. Mrs. Smith, the wife of our leading merchant, and Patsy Jones, a waiter girl in the Nabob House, and Mrs. Brown, the minister's lady, and Aunt Sally, the editress of Mrs. Grundy's club, and Jemima Jenkins, the renowned female temperance advocate, and Bridget O'Flanagan, the washerwoman of the west end, were as indistinguishable as one rain drop from another. Even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.

And what a blessing it is to the ladies themselves to be able to go out shopping on a rainy day. No thought for the proper cut of walking dress, or the right shade of neck ribbon, or the latest style of spring hat. The morning gown and sun-bonnet, and a handkerchief about the throat to ward off the cold, answer every purpose, and the charitable waterproof covers them all, like a multitude of sins. Sancho Panza said, "Blessed be the man who first invented sleep."—The woman of to-day can wash the breakfast dishes, start Jimmy and Mary off to school, spank the baby and leave it in the care of the hired girl, slip on her gossamer and start for the store, exclaiming with all the sincerity of a woman's heart, "Blessed be the Yankee genius who first invented the waterproof."

Hillsdale is talking up the water works question.

About six inches of snow fell in Toledo on Tuesday.

A large skating party from Adrian will attend the opening at Devil's lake on June 6th.

Horatio Keyser and Jehiel Davidson have been appointed Reviewers of the township assessment roll.

The Ladies' Social of St. Peter's church will be held at the residence of Geo. Wilson, Wednesday evening of next week. Ice cream will be served.

B. Mincer, the celebrated optician, will be at the Central Hotel, Adrian, May 28; Sink's Hotel, Tecumseh, May 29; Hudson, May 31, and Watseon, O., June 2.

There was a lively row at the Salvation Army barracks in Adrian last Sunday evening, when one of the outside heathens struck out from the shoulder and laid low a soldier of the cross. The soldiers then rallied and kicked a lot of the rowdies out doors. Officers finally quelled the disturbance.

Dudine is another name applied to the female dude. The dudine wears a mashed gooseberry colored hat and a high collar, and her clothes are made to fit tight. She carries a sharp pointed parasol in lieu of the dude cane, and is often accompanied by an English pug terrier.

C. D. Bills is fencing his race track with a good permanent board fence, and making other improvements thereon, and there is some talk of holding our first fair on those grounds this year, although that matter has not as yet been definitely settled.—The July races will take place on this track.

The Central Michigan Agricultural Society hold their Spring Fair at Lansing, May 29th to June 1. A very attractive grogram is presented. There will be an exhibition and sale of farm implements, wagons, machinery, besides of all kinds of live stock, and racing as well. The speed premiums amount to $3,500.

A sad accident occurred this morning by which little Fred Johnson got his leg broken and shoulder fractured. He was riding with Bob Owen on Bill's race track in Lowry's delivery wagon, when the horse got frightened at a scraper, overturned the wagon, and dragged the boy some distance. Fred is a good boy and we are sorry to see him laid up in this way.

W. H. Brearley of the Detroit Evening News who has personally conducted $22 round trip excursions "From Detroit to the Sea," every year for the past seven years, and who is to take three more this year in June and July, has made the ascension of Mt. Washington nine times, and this year proposes to make it an even dozen.

The people of Dundee had so little use for their town pump that the old man with a scythe cut it down. Now the Reporter notifies the village council that a considerable portion of the business men of that place have use for water. This will prove a genuine surprise to the daddies, and as the charge is of a very serious nature they will probably investigate it.

Blind Boone gave two entertainments here on Friday and Saturday evenings last, and it is no flattery to say that the notices about his performances previously published are not in the least overdrawn. He is the greatest musical prodigy that has been produced in this generation.—He was greeted with two full houses, and the people will repeat the treatment whenever he should decide to visit us again.

A GRAND ARMY POST.

A post of the Grand Army of the Republic was organized here last Friday evening. Delegates were present from the G. A. R. Posts of Adrian, Ogden and Dundee, who assisted in the institution ceremonies, and our post begins work with 33 members.—The following officers were chosen:

Commander—James R. Cairns.
S. V. C.—S. P. Hosmer.
J. V. C.—Edwin B. Coffin.
Quartermaster—Henry W. Stevens.
Surgeon—C. M. Woodward.
Chaplain—G. W. Marsden.
O. of D.—James Wood.
O. of G.—John W. Cook.
Adjutant—Jehiel Davidson.
Sergeant Major—A. D. Lawrence.
D. S.—Eugene Hodges.

A DISCOVERY.

While Israel Schreder's son and his hired man were going through a piece of woods in Clinton township one afternoon last week they found a satchel which had apparently been lying there for some time. Upon examining the contents it was found to contain a certificate of deposit in favor of Sylvester Ellis for $400, given by Clark's bank, of Clinton, and several notes amounting in all to the sum of $1310 payable to Ellis. Last December Ellis' house was entered and a lot of money and property was stolen, among which were the articles found as above stated. Ellis was much depressed over his loss and became so effected that in April last he committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn. It is possible that the discovery of the satchel may lead to the arrest of the thief and it may throw some light upon the suicide.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Clinton has a case of diphtheria.

The salvation army talk of erecting barracks at Adrian.

The new telephone line to Toledo has reached Blissfield.

The Tecumseh races will come off the first week in July.

John Ed. McCollum has opened a new clothing store in Clinton.

Col. Watts, of Adrian, will orate at Blissfield on Decoration Day.

A new boiler has been put in Watson's tray factory at Deerfield.

Deerfield is talking up the celebration of the coming fourth of July.

Dr. Chapman is erecting a fountain in front of the Hudson sanitarium.

C. F. Field of the Clinton News is rebuilding and improving his dwelling house.

L. Ormsby, of Deerfield, has decided to erect a brick block on his lot in the burnt district.

The Morenci Observer charges ten cents a line for notices of Sunday temperance meetings.

Charley Ingals, of Morenci, has been blowing the big stumps off his farm with giant powder.

The A. O. Miller troupe of Blissfield have in rehearsal a new play, called "The Lime Kiln Club."

The school in the Rorick district of Seneca takes a vacation of two weeks on account of scarlet fever.

The regular spring donations of rheubarb have put in their appearance at the Hudson Gazette office.

An effort will be made to organize a brass band at Clinton, with Alf. Jaynes, formerly of Manchester, as leader.

Col. Eldredge, of Adrian, attended the great reunion of the Army of the Potomac at Washington last week.

The Chesterfield martial band will make the music and Capt. Miller, of Adrian, will make the talk on Decoration Day at Morenci.

Landlord Snow, of Morenci, went "up north" to locate, and after an absense of six weeks returned perfectly satisfied to stay at home.

Rev. Mr. Hayne of the Medina Baptist church received 26 accessions to his church last Sunday, the result of the winter's meetings.

Clinton News: A little four year old girl of James Martin, living in Manchester township, fell off from a bed last Saturday, and broke her arm.

Hudson Gazette: Pshaw! What do we want of a new railroad, or a manufacturing boom—we had a big dog fight, and show band playing at the same time, Wednesday. The dogs drew the crowd.

One Mrs. Wirth, of Adrian, horsewhipped C. E. Rogers, a next door neighbor, one day last week for insulting her. She is a handsome brunette about 25 years of age and handles the horsewhip handsomely.

Morenci Observer: Wilbur Page, a Morenci student in the agricultural college at Lansing, came near being drowned last week by the giving way of a bridge over Cedar river, by which he and three of his companions with the team and wagon were plunged into ten feet of water. Wilber came nearest being strangled but finally got out alive. One of the horses, a valuable one, was drowned.

The Tecumseh HERALD says "the good people of Blissfield go fishing on Sunday"—the adjective coming in through force of habit only, of course. Now at Tecumseh the good people are prohibted from either fishing or hunting, and so says the HERALD nearly everybody—men, women and children—go down on Sunday to view the railroad work. The "good people" everywhere, it seems, must have a little diversion between regular devotional exercises of the Sabbath.—Hudson Gazette.

Morenci Observer: Last Friday two little boys, one about six years old and the other three, were seen entering the woods near Mr. Fisk's in the extreme north part of the township, and their toddling steps indicated that they were lost, weary and discouraged. A neighbor, Mr. Knox, took up the little wanderers, and on closely interviewing them, found that they had strayed seven miles from their home near North Morenci. Later in the evening they were taken back to their parents, who were on the hunt for the lost ones.

Clinton News: The rock blasting which was going on here last week set the boys to trying it too. Last Friday a number of little fellows bought a few cents' worth of powder, procured an old can of some kind and proceeded to business. For a wonder they exploded two or three charges without any damage to themselves, but finally they got reckless. Their manner of exploding was to drop the can into a kettle of hot coals. But the last time they tried it, the thing didn't go off. So little Rollie Woodward thought he would help it along by blowing the coals. The result was a badly singed boy, minus eyebrows and eyelashes, and with a blistered face and nose. Luckily his eyes escaped injury.

Prof. Cordley, the piano tuner, of Jackson is in town for a few days.

It has finally been definitely decided to run the M. & O. road from Britton directly to Dundee.

The second day of the present week was a genuine blue Monday, if there ever was one.

The operators of the Commercial telegraph line utilize the line to play checkers with, especially on rainy days.

Beers' Post, No. 140, G. A. R.
Tecumseh, Mich., May 22.

A special meeting of the G. A. R. will meet on Friday evening, May 25, at their room to perfect the full organization and to transact such other business as may properly come before the Post. All members are requested to be present. By order

J. R. CAIRNS, Comd.
J. Davidson, Adj.

Another change has taken place in the old house of Sutton & Swan. Mr. Sutton now retires and the business has been bought by Swan & Satterthwaite Bros., who will hereafter carry it on. Mr. Sutton's extensive business interests elsewhere, we suppose, impel him to retire. The new firm is a strong one and will be a worthy successor to the old familiar names of Sutton & Swan.

Coldwater Republican, May 22.—Speaking of snow, Mr. C. D. Randall remembers of plowing corn in Bronson on the 27th of May, 28 years ago in a snow storm. Mr. H. C. Lewis remembers of seeing snow two feet deep on the 4th of June, 50 years ago, in Genesee county, N. Y. Comment is unnecessary.

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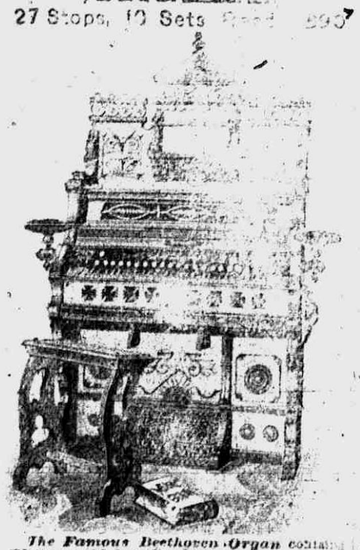

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Arkansas	802,564
California	864,694
Colorado	194,327
Connecticut	622,700
Delaware	146,608
Florida	267,351
Georgia	1,542,180
Illinois	3,077,871
Indiana	1,978,301
Iowa	1,624,615
Kansas	996,096
Kentucky	1,648,690
Louisiana	939,946
Maine	648,936
Maryland	934,943
Massachusetts	1,783,085
Michigan	1,636,937
Minnesota	780,773
Mississippi	1,131,597
Missouri	2,168,380
Nebraska	452,402
Nevada	62,266
New Hampshire	346,991
New Jersey	1,131,116
New York	5,082,871
North Carolina	1,399,750
Ohio	3,198,062
Oregon	174,768
Pennsylvania	4,282,891
Rhode Island	276,531
South Carolina	995,577
Tennessee	1,542,463
Texas	1,591,749
Vermont	332,286
Virginia	1,512,565
West Virginia	618,457
Wisconsin	1,315,497
Total	50,155,783
Arizona	40,441
Dakota	135,177
Idaho	32,610
Montana	39,159
New Mexico	119,565
Utah	143,963
Washington	75,116
Wyoming	20,789
Total	606,805
District of Columbia	177,624
Grand Total	50,152,983

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A minister settled in one of our Western villages, in which the primitive manners of pioneer life had not been smoothed by refinement and cultivation, was seated in his study one day, endeavoring to arrange the heads of tomorrow's discourse, when his attention was called by a loud knock at the front door. The visitor proved to be a tall, gawky, shambling countryman, evidently arrayed in his Sunday suit, and a poor girl, attired in a dress of red calico, which, from the frequent and complacent glances bestowed on it by the wearer, was considered quite a magnificent affair.

'Want you walk in?' asked the minister, politely.

'Kind obliged, Squire; I don't know but we will. I say, you're the minister, aren't you?'

'I [illegible] minister.'

'Jest so. I reckoned as how. Jim Bolter [illegible] Jim expected Mary Jane would be [illegible] of such tackle and so many [illegible] do it.'

'You will to get married?'

'Yes, I believe that's what they call it. I say, though, mister, before we go [illegible] reckon it isn't best to go blind.'

'Oh, I never set my price. I take what they give me.'

'Well, that's all. Go ahead, minister, if you please; we're in a hurry, as Joe's got to finish a plantin' the taterpatch afore night, and Betsy, she's got to fetch the butter.'

Thus adjured, the minister commenced the ceremony, which occupied but a few minutes.

'Kiss me, Betsy,' said the delighted bridegroom. 'You are my old woman now. Ain't it nice?'

'First-rate,' was the satisfactory reply.

'Hold on a jerk,' said Jonathan, as he left his wife abruptly and darted out at the gate to where the wagon was left.

'What's your husband gone for?' asked the minister, somewhat surprised.

'I expect it's for the sausages,' was the confused reply.

Just then Jonathan made his appearance, dangling in his hand a pailful of sausages.

'Mam made them,' said he, 'and I reckon they are good. If they ain't, just you send them back and we'll send you some more.'

Early Map of Illinois.

Hon. Elihu B. Washburne presented to the city of Galena, Illinois, two old and curious maps, which were picked up by him while in Paris. The first one is a map of "Canada or New France," and was published in Paris in 1703, thirty years after the discovery of the Mississippi river at the mouth of the Wisconsin, 1672, by Joliet and Marquette. On this map both the Galena and Dubuque lead mines are put down. Mine de Plomb and they are among the first lead mines discovered by white men in the North American continent. A river is marked on this map which answers to the Galena river, but no name is given to it. The Mine de Plomb, lead mine, is located on the river. What is now Lake Michigan is put down as "Lac des Illinois," the original name of the lake. The second map was published in 1744, and is called the "Mississippi, Louisiana, the Course of the Mississippi, and the Neighboring Country." The "Mine de Plomb" is put down on this map the same as the map of 1702, but the river to which no name was then applied is given the name of "Riviere a la Mine." What is now Wisconsin is designated on this map as the "Country of the Renards" of the northern part of Illinois, the "Country of the Maroumenes," of the central and southern part of Illinois, as the "Country of Illinois;" Rock river as the "Riviere aux Bœufs ou Riviere a la Roche;" the Illinois river, as "Riviere des Illinois;" the Ohio river, as "Troyo, or La Belle Riviere;" the Wabash, as the "Riviere Ouabache, or de St. Jerome." On both maps Chicago, written "Checagou," is correctly located.

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Messrs. Sargent Bros., druggists, Delta, Ohio, in ordering a quantity of Thomas' Electric Oil, write that they never sold anything that gave such universal satisfaction in curing coughs, colds, bronchitis, rheumatism, neuralgia, etc.

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Buffalo, N. Y., April 11, 1882

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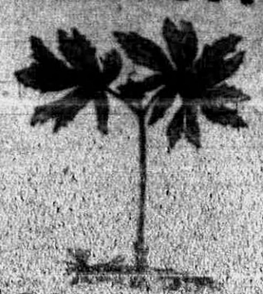

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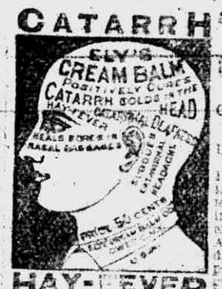

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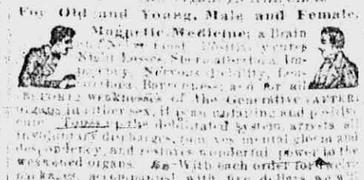

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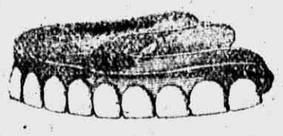

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Hindoo Farmers.

As the agriculturists are pure Hindoos so are they generally the highest caste of Hindoos—Brahmins. They never eat meat, nor anything that grows under ground. The *ryttos* are the poorest of the poor; large families will live for a month on a dollar. They take but one meal per diem, and that is at twelve o'clock mid-day. The women prepare for the day's consumption coarse wheat cakes called *chappatis*. Their thickness depends upon the purse; the richer the family the thicker the *chappatis*. A few garlics, a cup of milk or draught of water completes the meal, although sometimes the richer classes cook a curry of vegetables. The delightful taste that this cake must have can only be relished by the mild Hindoo. Before the *ryot* even thinks of eating he must bathe. He draws in a *lota*, a brass vessel the water necessary for his ablutions, and throws it over his back. If he desires to enjoy a thorough bath he washes himself with a peculiar earthy loam which lathers like soap. This is highly esteemed on account of its cleansing properties. Whilst he bathes himself he washes his clothes; and this he manages cleverly without stripping. His only garment is called a *dhuti*, which twists round his waist. He first unbinds and washes one half; then undoes and washes the remaining half. He squeezes it nearly dry, but though still damp, he dresses himself, leaving the powerful sun to do the ironing and bleaching. The middle of his head, from the crown downward, as well as his face, is clean shaved. A long tuft of hair is however, permitted to grow at the back of his head, which he leaves for the good spirits to catch in order to drag him when dead to the abodes of bliss. Directly his ablutions are over, he prays reverently to the idol, which is always placed near a tree or well. In fact, the Hindoos consider every well sacred; and a man who digs a well or plants a tree insures for himself and his descendants Heaven's pleasures. He never omits to offer *puia* or a thank-offering at the shrine of this particular temple; and never is he permitted to forget that the priests, who keep in repair and officiate at these holy places, require some portion of the yearly crop to keep soul and body together. Taken all in all, no better man exists than the poor Hindoo *ryot*. He is a mild, forgiving creature; and where he quietly sorrows, other people would commit suicide. Never in his life does he see more than four rupees, or two dollars, at one time together; and that is when his ground is lying fallow he travels for miles to some European station, and gains this fortune either by pulling punks or selling some small trifle worked by the dexterous fingers of his ignorant and wretched wife. His life is one round of never ceasing toil, and his ceaseless care is to meet the dire land tax. He has ever been a slave to the soil. Nor will the lapse of years better his condition. With child-like simplicity he firmly believes all that his *gorn*, or priest tells him; and is ever ready, even when his means are most limited, to assist the needy supplicants who demand his help on account of their character as *religieux*. He begins no journey, undertakes no business, plants no seed, without first asking from his god blessing upon the enterprise. No strong drinks ever pass his lips; he is content to work and be cheerful. In no country in the world are the peasantry poorer, than in India. In China a husbandman lives sumptuously compared to the Indian *ryiat*. The latter, by his religion, is forbidden to eat meat of any kind whatever, and even if he were permitted, his means, which just allow of his making bread from the coarsest cereal that grows, world certainly bar him from eating flesh.

Lamp Explosions.

All explosions of petroleum lamps are caused by the vapor of gas that collects above the oil. Of course a lamp contains no gas, but immediately on lighting the lamp consumption of oil begins, soon leaving a space for gas, which commences to form as the lamp warms up, and after burning a short time sufficient gas will accumulate to form an explosion. The gas in a lamp will only explode when ignited. In this respect it is like gunpowder. Cheap or inferior oil is always the most dangerous. The flame is communicated to the gas in the following manner: The wick tube in the lamp burner is made larger than the wick which is to pass through it. It would not do to have the wick work tightly in the burner; on the contrary, it is essential that it move up and down with perfect ease. In this way it is unavoidable that space in the tube is left along the side of the wick sufficient for the flame from the burner to pass down into the lamp and explode the gas. Many things occur to cause the flame to pass down the wick and explode the lamp. 1. A lamp may be standing on the table or mantle, and a slight puff of air from the open window or door may cause an explosion. 2. A lamp may be taken up quickly from a table and explode instantly. 3. A lamp is taken into the entry where there is a draught, or out of doors, and an explosion ensues. 4. A lighted lamp is taken up a flight of stairs, or is raised quickly to place it on the mantle, resulting in an explosion. In these instances the mischief is done by the air movement, either by suddenly checking the draught or forcing air down the chimney against the flame. 5. Blowing down the chimney to extinguish the flame is a frequent cause of explosion. 6. Lamp explosions have been caused by using a chimney broken off at the top or that has a piece broken out of the side, whereby the draught is variable and the flame unsteady. 7. Sometimes a thoughtless person puts a small wick into a large burner, thus leaving considerable space along the edges of the wick. 8. An old burner, with its air-draughts closed up, which rightfully should be thrown away, is sometimes continued in use and the final result is an explosion.

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Mr. A. Kiefer—Sir: For some years past I have been afflicted with Liver Complaint. I have had several physicians treating my case, but they all failed to reach the seat of disease. During the past year I got much worse, and became so weak and feeble as to be unable to do any work. I had a great deal of headache, and at times became so dizzy that I had to lay down. About six weeks ago I commenced using your Taraxine, and after taking the third dose I felt that dizziness and headache were leaving me. I continued the use of it till I had taken three bottles, and I am now a well man, and am able to do a day's work on the farm. Yours truly, etc.,
David Sexton.

For sale by all druggists. Taraxine Memorandum Books free.

Female Thumbs.

The female thumb is said to be an important index to the female character. Women with large thumbs are held by phrenologists, physiognomists, etc., to be more than ordinarily intelligent—what are called sensible women; while women with small thumbs are regarded as romantic. According to certain authors, who profess to have been observers, a woman's hand is more indicative of a woman's character than her face, as the latter is, to a certain extent, under the control of temporary emotions, or of the will, whereas, the former is a fact which exists for any one who understands it to profit by. Women with square hands and small thumbs are said to make good housewives and gentle wives. This sort of women will make any man happy who is fortunate enough to win them. They are not at all romantic, but they are what is better, thoroughly domestic. Women with long thumbs have temperers of their own, and generally a long tongue. There is a kind of this to a lover. Let him, the first time he sees hold of his mistress' hand, examine, under some pretext or another, her thumb, and if it be large, let him make up his mind that as soon as she becomes a married man, he will have a young man and that his lady-love has a large palm, with cone-shaped fingers and a small thumb, let him thank his stars—for, in that case, she is susceptible to tenderness, easily flattered, very easily talked into or out of anything, and readily managed. But if she is a woman with a square hand, well-proportioned, and only a tolerably developed thumb, then she is either one of two distinct classes of women—a practical female who will stand no nonsense, or she is a designing female—a woman who cannot be duped, or a woman who will dupe him.

Pickle for Curing Meat.

A large amount of beef, pork and mutton is lost to farmers every season by not being perfectly cured. Every year a large number of recipes are published in agricultural papers for curing meat, some of which are valuable. Some thirty years ago the Germantown (Pa.) *Telegraph* published a recipe that was tried by a large number of people and highly commended. The next year it was republished with like results, whereupon the paper fell into the habit of publishing it every season, and it claims that no person has ever tried it for curing beef, pork, mutton, tongue, or hams and ever afterward cured meat in any other manner with satisfaction to himself. The following is a reprint of the famous recipe:

To one gallon of water take one and a half pounds of salt, one-half pound of sugar, one-half ounce saltpetre, one-half ounce potash. Use only a pure article of potash; if this cannot be obtained, omit it altogether. In this ratio the pickle can be increased to any quantity desired. Let these be boiled together until all the dirt from the sugar rises to the top and is skimmed off. Then throw it into a tub to cool, and when cold, pour it over your beef or pork. The meat must be well covered with pickle, and should not be put down for at least two days after killing, during which time it should be slightly sprinkled with powdered saltpetre which removes all surface blood, etc., leaving the meat fresh and clean. Some omit boiling the pickle, and find it to answer well, though the operation of boiling purifies the pickle by throwing off the dirt always to be found in salt and sugar. If this recipe is strictly followed, it will require a single trial to prove its superiority over the common way, or most ways, of putting down meat, and will not soon be abandoned for any other. The meat is unsurpassed for sweetness, delicacy and freshness of color.

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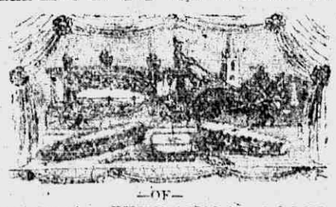

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, late of said county deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Edwin B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan on the 2d day of May, 1883, and on the 18th day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of February, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 7th 1883.
PETER S. McKINNON,
FREDERICK B. WOOD,
April 7 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Edward Hood, deceased, notice is hereby given that we will meet for that purpose at the office of A. & C. Comstock in the village of Blissfield, on the 19th day of June, 1883, and on the 19th day of September next, and that six months from the 19th day of May, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims for examination and allowance.

Dated May 19, 1883.
[illegible] Commissioners.

ESTATE OF SYLVESTER ELLIS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Monday, the 30th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sylvester Ellis, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Abram W. Ellis, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Sylvanus Howell or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. may3

ESTATE OF STEPHEN M. MUDGETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 30th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen M. Mudgett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Margaret A. Mudgett, administratrix of said estate alleging that she has paid the debts of said deceased, and his funeral expenses and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred and praying for the allowance of her final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for her discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 28th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF HIRAM REYNOLDS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 7th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Reynolds, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Benjamin F. Reynolds, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Charles Pawson, executors in said will named.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 4th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. may16

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of LeRoy Mead, late of Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of June, A.D. 1883, and on the 24 day of November, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 24 day of May, A.D. 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 7, 1883.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
GEORGE HOWELL,
may10 Commissioners.

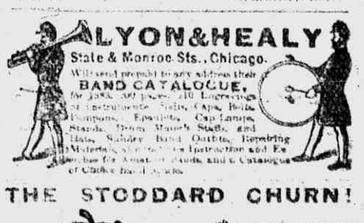

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, May 21, 1883.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, the entire council except Mr. Bresle.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Recommending the payment of the following claims, to wit:

[illegible]

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Streets:

[illegible]

On motion the report is accepted.

And on further motion the Marshal [illegible] removal of refuse to be removed all fences erected by him along the east side of Union street aforesaid to the [illegible] thereof within fifteen days from this date.

It was on motion *Resolved*, That the gutters on the north side of Chicago street be paved with cobble stone, from the west line of the opera house lot, eastward to the west line of Ottawa street, and on the south side thereof from the east line of M. P. Brown's lot, westward to the place of beginning, on the north side, that each property shall extend out from the sidewalk the distance of seven feet, and that the same be paid for out of the contingent fund.

The street committee are hereby instructed to cause careful and correct estimates of the cost of grading, providing material, and doing all necessary work and report at next meeting.

The committee on public grounds and buildings are instructed to secure a suitable pound for the use of the Village.

On motion, the Marshal and his deputies are requested to see that all horses, cows and other animals are kept out of the streets in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance which prohibits the grazing of animals in the public streets.

The Recorder is instructed, inquire and ascertain the cost of a suitable safe for the use of the village.

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P. S. M. KINNON,
Recorder.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

[illegible]

FRED ROSACHANS, P. M.

DETROIT MARKET

Corrected to Wednesday Morning

WHEAT—No. 1 white $1.00.
CORN—58c. shelled.
OATS—47c.
APPLES—$3.25 to $4.00 per bbl.
Potatoes—25c to 30c.
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WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.16.
CORN—53c. shelled.
OATS—44c.
CLOVER SEED—$6.77.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	2 50	@	2 75
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔		@	07
Butter, ₩ ℔	16	@	18
Barley, ₩ bushel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75	@	2 00
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	50	@	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@	1 75
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00	@	7 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf skins, ₩ ℔	[illegible]	@	10
Corn in ear	45	@	50
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	60	@	65
Clover Seed	5 00	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	14
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ ℔	7 25	@	7 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	11 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	14
Oats, ₩ bushel	42	@	47
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35	@	40
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	[illegible]	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	1 02	@	1 07
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	1 05	@	1 10

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Sharp, deceased.

By virtue of a license granted to me in said estate by the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1883, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, that being the late residence of said deceased in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1883, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all that parcel of land situate in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) of town five, (5) South, of range [illegible] East, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street, so called, in the Village of Tecumseh in said county at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running East and Westerly through said section [illegible] and opposite the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 1° and 6' West along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section, about fifteen (15) rods, twenty-two links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day, as is supposed, thence East on South line of said Day's said lane, eleven chains and 19 links, thence south 1° and 6' East fifteen chains and nineteen (19) links, parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running easterly and Westerly through said section, thence Westerly along the center of said last named road eleven chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half acres sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler, also excepting a lot numbered on the recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as lot 261, sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton, also a further parcel of land sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler, adjoining said Saddler's said lot on its North side; also excepting therefrom that part thereof conveyed by William Teachout to Elizabeth Jordan by deed, bearing date November 19, 1867, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County, in Liber 87, of deeds, pages 183, &c., leaving 28 acres of land above described, subject to the lien of a mortgage made by said deceased to William Richard, bearing date February 15th, 1881, for $1100.00 and interest thereon from the 15th day of February 1882, and subject also to dower and homestead rights of Delia Sharp, widow of said deceased therein.

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Dated May 15th, 1883.

JOSEPH LANSING,
Administrator.

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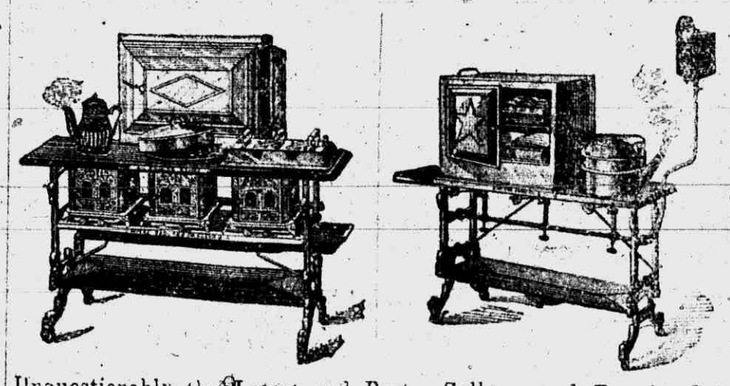

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Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.

Cleanliness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Corn and other spring crops are but a small per cent of them planted as yet in this section, a general distrust of the weather on the part of the farmers will [illegible] however.

Mrs. Sarah Cleveland, wife of Edward Cleveland, of this place, died of consumption last week. She leaves an infant child and a little two years old girl behind.

Mrs. Lucy Tuttle, of Rollin, died Sunday morning. She was the widow of the late David Tuttle, and leaves a large circle of mourning friends.

Children's day will be fitly observed at the M. E. church here.

Rumors are extant that Addison may become an incorporated village at no very distant period, and whether well founded or not such a result would certainly not be without its advantages to our town's people and farmers as well who make this their trading point.

The two saloonists on the west side evidently have a large demand for bad budge judging from the number of intoxicated railroad hands which infest the streets and fill the fence corners every day when they are not engaged on the works.

Several new business places are being fitted for use in town, and many more would be occupied at once if we had them. In fact the business outlook was never better here.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Tally one for Henry Graham—a boy.

Frank Butler has returned to Holloway, leaving his father much improved.

Frank Rogers returned to college on Monday.

P. E. Arner and Caleb Satterthwaite started Tuesday for Chicago to visit the R. R. Exposition.

Last Sunday afternoon a young man named Wm. Cramer was drowned in the river Raisin a short distance east of the Raisin town house. He went to the river in company with some young ladies, among whom was his sister, and handing her his hat and watch he got into a small row boat saying he was going to take a boat ride. When the boat reached the middle of the stream it upset and Cramer was thrown into the rapid current and drawn down stream. As there was no other man on hand to help it was impossible to rescue him. The theory has been urged that he upset the boat purposely intending to commit suicide but there can be no positive proof of this. The deceased was a German, about twenty-five years old, and had been in this country two years. He had recently been in the employ of Moses Bowerman, Jr. in his stave and saw mill in Raisin.

WAS IT A SUICIDE?

The Clinton News, in commenting upon the finding of the satchel in Clinton township supposed to belong to Sylvester Ellis, thus comments on the circumstances of Ellis' suicide:

Since reading the above paragraph, we have interviewed Dr. J. W. Burchard, who was called to view the remains of Ellis, and whose testimony ought to be of considerable value. Strange to say the coroner's jury did not call on Dr. Burchard for his testimony at all. We gathered the following facts from the doctor: The old man was found sitting on a beam, a large rope (which the doctor himself removed) fastened loosely around his neck and around the beam above, the end merely tucked under and not tied. The body did not seem to hang upon the rope but was supported, apparently by the beam. The head was erect, the tongue drawn back into the mouth, the mouth and eyes closed, the pupils contracted, the face livid. The countenance was not distorted nor were the capillaries enlarged as is usual in cases of strangulation. The neck was not discolored and not the least scratch was found on the neck or side of the face where the knot came. We think all these circumstances give strong grounds for the suspicion that Sylvester Ellis came to his death from some other cause than suicide by hanging, and the matter ought to be thoroughly investigated.

Hudson Post: A horse was stolen on the night of the 16th inst., from Graham Bros., in Allen, described as dark bay or brown gelding, ten years old, a few white hairs on forehead, white collar mark, sixteen hands high, has large round feet, no shoes. Graham Bros. offer $50 reward and Sheriff Miner offers $25 for the thief.

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W. V. Fisk, of Clinton, is going into the poultry business.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Work is being pushed upon the new waste gates in Clinton.

Miss Alice Snow is about organizing a music class at Morenci.

The business men of Hudson take [illegible]

The W. C. T. U. of Blissfield are fitting up an eating and reading room.

Lightning shattered several state line telephone poles near Hudson last week.

Alonzo Clark, of Clinton has sold out his entire stock of boots and shoes.

The Morenci schools closed last Friday. Their school year is only eight months.

A thousand pounds of butter turned out at the Hudson creamery one day last week.

Gov. Croswell will deliver the address at the pioneer meeting in Morenci in June.

The big semi-centennial pioneer meeting at Morenci, will be held on Saturday, the 16th of June.

Morenci's taxes have doubled up this year, and some of the heavy tax payers kick over the traces.

Freeman Gardner, of Hudson, has taken a contract for grading on the M. & O. road in the town of Ridgeway.

Dunham's safe at Hudson got fast one day last week and a man was sent out from the Detroit safe company to open it.

Clinton and Clayton are the only villages in the county which come under the provisions of the new local option law.

The Peninsula car works of Adrian will exhibit one of their box cars built for the Northern Pacific R. R., at the Chicago exhibition.

A. O. Miller's troupe played the Lime Kiln Club at Blissfield last evening, for the first time. Miller has bought the copyright of this play from M. Quad.

Hudson Gazette: Those denizens who dismissed their coal stoves the first of the month in anticipation of the balmy May days, have probably discovered, by this time, where they May day great mistake.

Adrian Press: We shall in the future decline to publish lists of presents, made at weddings, birthday parties and the like. The custom has grown to such proportions, that we find it impossible to publish the lists, without infringing upon our space.

Morenci Observer: Mr. G. D. Brown, our wide awake merchant of Phillip's Corners, was in town last Wednesday and purchased the presses connected with the old Morenci cheese factory. Mr. B. has charge of three factories, the Amboy, Ogden and Ridge, and is manufacturing over three hundred boxes of cheese per week.

Blissfield Advance: C. Fall, of Deerfield, who left here with his family and car of goods about three weeks ago for Dickinson county, Kansas, came back last Sunday fully satisfied with the advice of America's philosopher—"Go west, young man, go west." Mr. Fall says that with the prevailing drouth now pending in the vicinity of Abilene, Kansas, and the close call of the late Kansas cyclone, he thinks Michigan is about as good a country to live in as he has found. His experience was gained at a cost of about $500.

Hudson Gazette: Hudson's 2d edition of George Washington was in conversation with a trio of friends the other day, when the wonders of the telephone was under discussion. "Isn't it remarkable?" said one: "I was talking with a friend at Adrian, eighteen miles away, and could recognize his voice as easily as if he stood by my side." "Yes, gentlemen, it is indeed strange," ventured our man of the tortured truth, "but what do you think? only last night I telephoned an acquaintance in Detroit, and could not only distinguish his voice perfectly, but also smelt his breath—he had had onions for supper."

A bill has passed the legislature, through the efforts of Representative Howell, making it a misdemeanor for riding, or driving on the side of country roads (next the fence) where used for the purpose of a sidewalk by pedestrians. The township road commissioner has power to establish or discontinue such walks wherever so petitioned. The passage of the bill is a measure much to be desired by country people, as in muddy roads it is common for people to ride or drive on the sward on the side of the road, cutting it up and making it as muddy as the road itself, to the great inconvenience of foot passengers. The penalty for violation of the law, is a fine not to exceed $5 for every offense.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

D. C. Oaks of Lyons, will open a bank at Shelby, Oceana county, on July 1.

Genessee county agricultural fair at Flint, October 2-5; speed premiums, $1,000.

McCarvie & Cavanaugh will begin the publication of a semi-weekly paper at St. Ignace, June 5.

Annual exercises of the Delta Kappa Phi secret society of Albion college, evenings of June 1 and 2.

The heavy frosts of last week played havoc with small fruits around St. Joseph and Benton Harbor.

Annual session of the state eclectic, medical and surgical association was held in Kalamazoo last week.

The Albion college Light Guards number about 50 men, make business of drilling, and have applied for guns.

Kalamazoo sheep killing dogs are still getting in lively work, and the appraisers are busy footing up the damages.

The seal of the City of St. Ignace will have in its centre a fac simile of the monument over Father Marquette's grave.

Thysa Tierveder, a boy 10 years old while playing horse at Grand Rapids with another boy last week, fell and broke his neck.

Wm. Schmidt, aged 16, of Amelith, Saginaw county, fell from a swing, and broke his neck at his home last week.

Chas. Williams, who with his parents settled in Washtenaw county, in 1827, and has lived there ever since died last week; aged 70.

Among 54 graduates from West Point military academy this spring, Robert J. Duff, of Michigan, stands twentieth on the list.

The Vulcan furnace, recently completed at Newberry, Chippewa county, at a cost of $300,000, began making pig iron last week.

The passenger depot of the M. & O. road at Battle Creek has been located on Jefferson street, and will be 47x87 feet in size.

Albion college students will lay the corner stone of President Fiske's new residence, each class being represented by a speaker.

The logging train on Cummer's road ran over a two-year old child, near Cadillac last week, breaking its legs and bruising it seriously. Its recovery is hoped for.

A Three Rivers boy threw a club through a passenger coach window last week, whereupon the train was stopped and the boy captured and turned over to the authorities.

After a school house war, running back over two years and which has once or twice been in the courts, Bellevue has the foundation completed for a $6,000 school house.

Eugene B. Wood, late city treasurer of Lansing, was arrested last week on a charge of embezzlement. The complaint was made by Prosecuting Attorney Nichols.

A kettle of hot molasses recently exploded in a Gladwin county lumber camp, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Grant were badly burned, the former on the hands and the latter in the face.

Miss Frank St. John, who has been principal of the Reading school the past four years, is obliged to retire on account of ill-health, and will be succeeded next fall by A. E. Masters.

A new Grand Rapids burglar alarm starts a gong which will ring eight hours and can be heard half a block away. What a nice thing for the head of the family to lift his sleeping family with.

J. K. Taylor will soon begin work on his new hotel at Bellevue, the citizens having raised a bonus of $1,000 last winter for him, he agreeing to erect a brick building to cost not less than $6,000.

Dr. Kedzie of the agricultural college, says the amber cane or sorghum can be grown to its greatest advantage on the extensive sandy soils of Michigan, and that the climate of the state is peculiarly adapted to it.

Flint Union Blues vote $30 for three gold badges, to be given to the best drilled non-commissioned officer, best drilled private, and the member making the most improvement in drilling. Contest Tuesday evening preceding annual encampment next August.

A large black bear was shot near Hydes lake, some five miles north of Bellevue, last week, by Philip and Jefferson Rolfe, while out squirrel hunting. Bears in Eaton county are extremely scarce, and this is probably the first one shot there in a generation.

SHUT THE DOOR!

Were you brought up in a mill?
Stop as a boatie before?
Did you work about a brick kiln
In the blessed days of yore?
Did you tend shears with mill
Upon some rocky shore?
Or toil upon a farm
Where the wind could always rake,
And thrash upon a permanent
Its unceasing harvesting?
In any case, the threatening ills
Of your youth I pass from gone.
And ask a man who I freely will
Whether you sit in the door.
And break your heart and bend your will,
Speculation on your head
And cloud of every shape and
Cold, and chill and dread
Confront you with a power
And bid you take up the fight
Against the world, against sin
Against the flesh, against
Against the devil, against
Against the world, against
Against the devil, against
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V. L. CONRAD, Editor "Lutheran Observer," Philadelphia.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., June 1, 1882.

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Having the utmost confidence in its superiority over all others, and after thousands of tests of the most complicated and severest cases we could find, we feel justified in offering to forfeit one thousand dollars for any cases of coughs, colds, sore throat, influenza, hoarseness, bronchitis, consumption in its early stages, whooping cough, and all diseases of the throat and lungs, except Asthma, for which we only claim relief, that we cannot cure with West's Cough Syrup. When taken according to directions. Sample bottles 25 to 50 cents; large bottles one dollar. Genuine wrappers only in blue. Sold by all druggists or sent by express on receipt of price. John C. West & Co., sole proprietors, 181 & 183 W. Madison St. Chicago, Ill. Sold by all druggists in Tecumseh.

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WAITING FOR MOTHER.

BY MARY B. BRIND.

The old man sits in his easy chair,
Slumbering the moments away,
Dreaming a dream that is all his own,
On this gladsome, peaceful day.
His children have gathered from far and near,
His children's children beside—
And merry voices are echoing through
The "Homestead" hall so wide.

But far away in the years long flown
Old Father lives again;
And his heart forgets that it ever knew
A shadow of grief and pain,
For he sees his wife as he saw her then—
A matron comely and fair,
With her children gathered around his board,
And never a vacant chair.

Oh happy the dream of the "Auld Lang Syne"
Of the years long slipped away,
And the old man's lips have gathered a smile,
And his heart grows young and gay.
But a kiss gently glows his brow
From his daughter's lips so true;
"Dinner is ready; and, Father, dear,
We are only waiting for you."

The old man wakes at his daughter's call,
And he looks at the table near—
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There are tears in the eyes of his children, then,
As they gaze on an empty chair,
For many a lonely year has passed
Since "Mother" sat with them there.

But the old man pleads still wistfully;
"We must wait for mother, you know!"
And they let him rest in his old arm chair
Till the sun at last sinks low.
Then, leaving a smile for the children here,
He turns from the earth away,
And had gone to "Mother," beyond the skies,
With the close of the quiet day.

A Scathing Denunciation.

Judge Johnson, of California, in passing sentence upon a murderer who was drunk when the deed was commited, gave his opinion of dram-selling in the following vigorous language:

"Nor shall the place be forgotten in which occured this shedding of blood. It was in one of the thousand ante-chambers of hell, which mar, like plague spots, the fair face of our state. You need not be told that I mean a tippling shop, the meeting place of Satan's minions, and the foul cess-pool, which by spontaneous generation, breeds and nurtures all that is loathsome and disgusting in profanity and babbling, and vulgarity and Sabbath-breaking. I would not be the owner of a groggery for the price of this globe converted into precious ore. For the pitiful sum of a dime he furnished that poison which made the deceased a fool, and this trembling culprit a demon. How paltry the price of two human lives! This traffic is tolerated by law, and therefore the vendor has committed an offence not cognizable by earthly tribunals. But in the sight of God, he who deliberately furnishes the draught which inflames men to anger and bloodshed is *particeps criminis* in the turpitude of the deed. Is it not high time that the sinks of vice and crime should be rigidly accountable to the law of the land, and placed under the bar of an enlightened and virtuous public opinion?

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In all female troubles and weakness I have never known them to fail. In adult males I have known them to cure worst cases of dyspepsia, rheumatism, kidney diseases, dysentery and diarrhoea; even dropsy, paralysis, and apoplexy have yielded to a persistent course of Brandreth's Pills. In fact I have found them the Life Elixir. They act as continual preventives against the effects of time, disease, and labor.

JOHN H. MANN.

Three fifths of the 2,200 convicts in the Texas penitentiary are negroes and Mexicans.

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If a man is hungry within an hour more or less after a meal he is a dyspeptic, it shows his stomach is not able to dispose of what he has eaten, but to eat again, and thus impose more work, is absurdity. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malaria diseases. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

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I can say that the watch is all that the company claim for it and recommend it to all railroad and mill men.

B. W. BENTLEY."

CLINTON, Iowa, April 29, 1881.

"I wish you would send me a spring for the Wm. Ellery Watch * * * By the way this Ellery is a watch I sold in your Screw Bezel Case to a farmer last fall. The first of January he lost the watch in the woods, and found it this week in about one foot of water. It had lain three months and over in snow and water, with but slight injury to the watch—only a hair-spring.

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A Dog Story.

A lady in Lowell owns a very intellectual dog, of which she desired much to have a picture. She accordingly took him to a photographic gallery, and with the assistence of the artist endeavored to make her pet take and keep a suitable position before the camera. But the spoiled dog was in an unaccomodating mood that morning, and after repeated trials the attempt to conquer him was given up in despair.

"Go home," the lady said at last, pointing to the door, "you are a bad, naughty, naughty dog." The culprit changed in [illegible] dropping his tail between his legs, slunk away in confusion. All the rest of the day he seemed to realize that he was in disgrace, crouching in corners and wearing a shame-faced air. The next morning he was missing, and all search failed to discover him. About noon he reappeared, much elated, and having fastened to his neck an excellent tin tape of himself.

Inquiry disclosed the fact that when the photographer went down in the morning the dog was there at the door of the [illegible] door was opened Carlo ran joyously up stairs and leaped into the chair on which his mistress had poised him the day previous. Seizing the situation the artist made his preparations with all possible speed, and the result was the delightful picture which the four-footed penitent had taken home as a peace-offering to his mistress.

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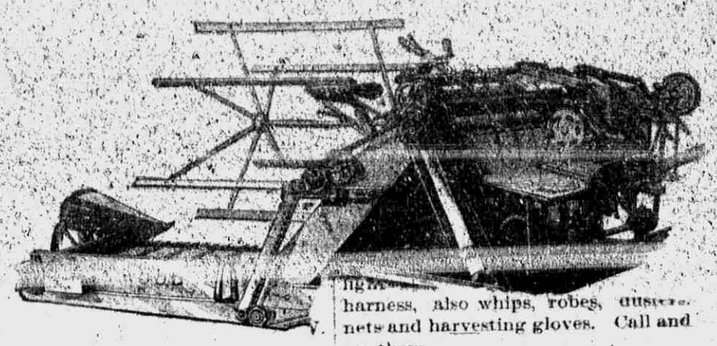

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1883. FOR TH[illegible]

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The manufacturers have follo[illegible] of the harvest of 1882, through [illegible] the United States to the other, from Texas to Dakota, from Virginia to Vermont, and even as far north as Prince Edward Island in the British Dominions—where the latest growing grain crops are to be found—and the results of this close and protracted inspection have fully warranted the representations made, strong though they be.

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OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, May 25th, 1883.

Thank God it is over, this "wedding of the cities," as the ceremony of opening the East river bridge has been termed. Weddings are nice enough things to look forward to by the guests, but when the excitement is all over the next day, how tired everybody feels. The particular wedding on Thursday did not differ in the least from usual affairs of this kind. The bride Brooklyn, the groom, Gotham, her and, moreover, [illegible] was arrayed in all the splendor she commanded by the [illegible] and every [illegible] on the contrary [illegible] clothing had to make the best he could of the situation. I have been serving charming friends from the country for the last sixteen hours. I have shown them Brooklyn from end to end, and as a result I am rewarded with the cheering information that Brooklyn is a very nice place because one feels so glad when getting away from it. It is singular that with its close proximity to New York Brooklyn remains more provincial than the veriest country town in interior.

The manners of the people, the little peculiarities in the dress of the men, the peculiar tinge of verdant green in the appearance of the young, the dangerous dignity of the elderly, men all combined make up an exhibition which you can find in no other city in the world. The population is divided and subdivided into little associations, coteries, etc., where the young men and young women congregate, but it has not a first-class rather club-house for men. The good people of Brooklyn believe that the bridge will materially increase the prosperity of the place. I believe, on the contrary, it will diminish it. I think it is the first step that that city has taken toward losing its identity. It will certainly be absorbed by the Empire city which is steadily but surely extending its limits. It has already absorbed a good portion of Westchester county. One need not be surprised to see it extend to Spuyten Duyvil Creek within the next twenty years. Brooklyn is bound to follow. It is a law of nature that large bodies should absorb lesser ones.

Of the growing need of more room to accommodate the armies of people that come here to settle down, let me give you the proof by producing some statistics. New York Island contains 12,500 acres, less 1000 acres which are used for public parks. 8,500 acres are covered with houses, hence there are but 3,000 vacant acres. Now, during the last ten years 2000 acres were absorbed, and of these 250 were built up within the last year. It is an easy matter to figure up how long it will take to consume the surplus. At present we are counteracting this rapid consumption by erecting tall structures from six to ten and eleven stories high, but a couple of disastrous fires will soon frighten people out of their liking for them, and then they will resume spreading over the surface of the island.

For the venders of small wares "Bridge Day" was a perfect bonanza. Everything possible was sold in the shape of souvenirs, medals, pictures, wooden and metal models of the structure, cakes and candy made to resemble the form of the bridge and the usual knick-knacks in the shape of surprises. One vender told me that he had earned nearly seven dollars on Thursday, and he sold a five cent article on which his commission was two cents. Out-of-town visitors were of course the heaviest buyers.

The most curious phase of life in the city at present is the influx of Western men to the city. The wise men used to come from the east, but it seems reserved for the year of our Lord 1883 to prove the reverse. They come here to go into finance, some take up newspapers, while others have politics in view, and most of them succeed. They have pluck and energy and if they are not always provided with capital they can always induce some capitalist to lend them a helping hand. Of course their methods and ways of thought, expression and action jar at first, but at the same time they rouse. Looking at the way the newspaper press is controlled now, it seems very much as if it were to be treated to an entire revulsion of thinking and writing. But then we may wake up something and find that mustangs lead us too hot a pace, and that driving in a comfortable carriage is a much more pleasant mode of progress.

Sahal Morse is being heartily laughed at for his new play, "Bustle among the Petticoats," which is utter audacious rot, still it pays, for everybody goes to see how bad it is and laugh at it. "When you write a play, once said a leading and now successful dramatist to me, "you must produce either a first-class one or an utterly bad one. In either case you will win money, and the chances are that the bad one, if it is without any redeeming feature will pay you better than the good one." Perhaps Mr. Morse got the same "tip" and is now following it out.

THE PROBATE COURT

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending May 26, 1883.

Estate of DeWitt H. Erskine, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing June 18, 1883.

Estate of Norman C. Baker, deceased; order of continuance until June 4, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Eleazer G. Scofield, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Sarah D. Ludlow, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

In the matter of the application for the appointment of three special drain commissioners for Palmyra township; affidavit of service of citation; order appointing.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell, an alleged incompetent person; petition for the appointment of a guardian; hearing June 17, 1883.

Estate of [illegible] deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $1,500.

Estate of Loren Downer, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrators account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Elias C. Pifer, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of William Wilkinson, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's final account; hearing June 18, 1883.

Estate of Mary Stephenson, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's final account; hearing June 18, 1883.

Estate of Robert Brockway, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Morris Sage, deceased; petition for the allowance of executrix's final account; hearing June 25, 1883.

Estate of John Wilson, deceased; after taking testimony an order of continuance was made until June 26, 1883, at 10 o'clock, A.M.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending May 26, 1883:

FRANKLIN.

Wm. A. Marshall to R. N. McCollum, Land on sec. 12. $2500.

TECUMSEH.

James Montague to Florence L. Jones. Land in village. $2100.

J. B. Swan to N. M. Sutton. Land in village. $400.

N. M. Sutton to J. B. Swan. Land in village. $2,750.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our heartfelt thanks to the ladies of the M. E. church who so kindly remembered us on the tenth anniversary of our marriage. Truly, Tecumseh will always be kindly remembered by us for its many tokens of regard.

REV. & MRS. A. J. BIGELOW.

The Manufacturer's Insurance association finished its organization at Grand Rapids last week. Gov. Begole is one of the directors at large.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 29, 1883.

Bowers, Mrs. Mary C.	Locke, Fred
Benglestorp, Ernest	Lockwood, Nora A.
Dell, Lida	Mitchell, Mrs. Emma B.
Gridley, Miss Fannie B.	Molosh, Addie
Hall, W. E.	Wood, Ashley S.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Mexia, Texas, June 17, 1882.

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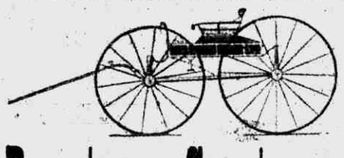

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V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.

DANIEL TODD, M.D.

I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles.

C. RYND, M.D.

Dr. B. Mincer and part of his family will visit Devils lake, upper landing, June 5th, and remain a few days. Parties desiring his services should remember the date.

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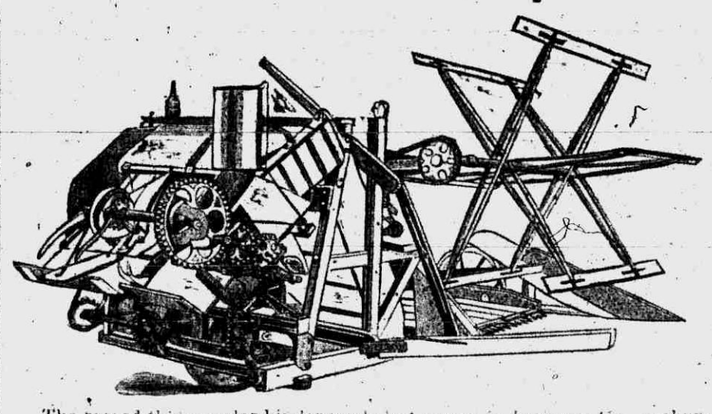

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THE WOOL PROSPECTS.

The Adrian Record says: "Several lots of unwashed wool have already been marketed here at from 16 to 20 cents per pound. Washed wool will probably sell this season in the vicinity of 30 cents a pound."

The last Michigan Farmer says:

The prospects for the wool clip are not very bright at present, and that prices will rule lower than a year ago is a certainty. This is simply the result of the very unsettled condition of the woolen goods market, which appears to be in a demoralized condition. The spring trade was of very light proportions, the unseasonable weather compelling the use of winter clothing until the present time. Goods for the spring trade therefore, remained unsold, and now it looks as if overcoats will be seasonable all summer. With manufacturers loaded up with goods they cannot dispose of, it is not very likely they will be eager buyers of wool. In fact many of them are shutting down until the market recovers from its present state of depression and inactivity.

A new and dangerous explosive material has been found. A Michigan man was making maple molasses, when the kettle of hot fluid exploded with great force, seriously scalding himself, wife and others. Some of these winter mornings when the Czar of all the Russias goes down stairs to the kitchen to help his wife bake the cakes for breakfast, and when she stirs the hot syrup to keep it from burning it will explode and then the world will be horrified by reports of a dynamite explosion, and more of the Rushers will be annihilated.

A fundamental error of the theory of the protectionists is that taxation is a productive force. Taxation creates nothing. It merely transfers wealth. In the case of protective taxation it takes money from those who have earned it by a productive labor and transfers it to the beneficiaries of the system—those for whose benefit the taxation is levied—the manufacturing capitalists.

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PLANTS! PLANTS! All the best varieties of early cabbage and tomato plants now ready. Late cabbage, sweet potato, celery, pepper and egg plants ready in their season. ABNER WILSON.

NOTICE. By the mutual consent of both parties the firm of Munger & Severance is this day dissolved, Mr. J. A. Munger continuing on with the harness business. All accounts of the firm will be settled with J. A. Munger. MUNGER & SEVERANCE.

FOR SALE. Blacksmith Shop. The shop, property and business owned and ran by W. D. Wells, in the village of Ridgeway, for sale cheap, if sold at once. For particulars and terms inquire of W. D. Wells on the premises.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Sutton & Swan is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued as heretofore under the firm name of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros., with whom the accounts of the old firm are left for settlement, the prompt attention of which is respectfully requested.
N. M. SUTTON.
J. B. SWAN.
Dated TECUMSEH, Mich., May 15th, 1883.

FOR SALE. House and lot situated on Logan street. Good barn, fruit, etc. Terms easy. For particulars inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

STRAYED. Into my enclosure one bay horse. The owner can obtain the same by proving property and paying charges. THEODORE S. SMITH.

EVERGREENS. Parties wishing to purchase evergreen trees in large or small quantities will find it to their advantage to correspond with the undersigned. All kinds of evergreens suitable for Michigan. Address H. C. MILLER, Conway, Emmet Co., Mich.

PEACOCKS. Wanted to buy, twenty peacocks, for which I will pay a good cash price. W. T. MOSHER.

No, Jane, you must not be so rude
As to pronounce it simply dude:
If in the height of style you'd be
Pronounce it as if spelt du-dee.
—Evansville Argus.

The party who stole the flowers from Grandpa Hendryx's yard last Tuesday night had better keep it quiet. Mr. Hendryx had a nice lot of flowers saved on purpose for Decoration day and they were all stolen Tuesday night by some sneak thief.

An inquiry as to the exact time and place of the reunion of the old Fourth Michigan Inf., brought forth the following:

HILLSDALE, Mich., May 15, 1883.
DEAR COMRADE—The annual reunion of the members of the Old Fourth Michigan Volunteer Infantry will occur at Sturgis, Mich., on the 20th day of June next. A cordial invitation is extended to all the comrades to be present. The citizens of Sturgis will give the old boys a warm welcome.
A. B. LAFLEUR, Secretary. H. W. MAGEE, President.

Elkhart Daily Journal: A good audience assembled last evening at the opera house to witness the drama of Shiel Agar as presented by the Sullivans. The play is a most popular one, and the plot is of thrilling interest, intermixed with comic and ludicrous scenes, which keeps one in readiness continually for a good hearty laugh. Miss Josie, as the fun loving Irish girl, and beautiful songstress, is unsurpassed, being all vivaciousness and life, while Dan is a true fitting representative of the big-hearted, rollicking, brave Irishman, ever ready for a fight when it is for the protection of woman and honor. They will always be welcomed by those who were fortunate enough to hear him last night.

A REMINISCENCE.

We are always glad to get hold of historical reminiscences which throw any light upon the early history of southern Michigan. The following item clipped from an exchange shows that Senator Lapham, of New York, was in early times a resident of Tecumseh for a few days and passed through quite a thrilling experience here:

Senator Lapham says he once, and once only, got real satisfaction out of Michigan. Forty-five years ago he was tramping through that State, carrying one end of a surveyor's chain, when he was taken sick with bilious fever at Tecumseh. A doctor, whose name he has forgotten, dosed him with calomel until he was nearly dead, so that another physician had to be called in to save him. The first doctor presented a bill for $69 for nine visits, and Mr. Lapham paid him in money on a Clinton wild-cat bank. The next day the bank burst, which was the satisfaction.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 31, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Geo. Smith, of Toledo, was in town last Tuesday.

Rather catching weather along back for planting corn.

New spring hats are beginning to make their appearance.

A portion of the street work at Cadillac consists of clearing the streets of stumps.

Carpenters are finding plenty of work in the country this season, many of the farmers in this vicinity are having buildings of different kinds put up.

Mrs. D. Bruner and Miss Hattie Bruner, of Springfield, O., mother and sister of our former townsman, Johnny Bruner, and Mrs. D. Zollars, are visiting at the home of the latter in this village.

The annual meeting of the State Pioneer Society has been postponed from June 6th and 7th to June 13th and 14th. This action has been taken by reason of the adjournment of the legislature on the 6th of June.

The schedule of the races on the new circuit is as follows. They will open at Brooklyn next week. Brooklyn, June 6, 7 and 8; Hudson, June 13, 14 and 15; Morenci, June 20, 21 and 22; Adrian, June 27, 28 and 29; Tecumseh, July 4, 5 and 6.

Mrs. C. T. Chapin, of Cadillac, was in town the first of the week. She only remained one day however, which her friends considered rather a short visit. Mr. Chapin is in good health and is now foreman in the Cadillac News office.

Mr. W. H. Brearly of the Detroit (Mich.) Evening News, who has personally conducted $22 round trip excursions "From Detroit to the Sea," every year for the past seven years, and who is to take three more this year in June and July, has made the ascension of Mt. Washington nine times, and this year proposes to make it an even dozen.

The next quarterly meeting of the Washtenaw County Pioneer society will be held in Manchester on Wednesday, June 6th. At the last annual meeting of the Society a large handsome photograph album was presented them. Pioneers are requested to send their photos to be inserted for the inspection of the present and future generation.

Reported from Washington that no further changes will be made in Michigan internal revenue collectorships until after the question of consolidating the districts shall have been finally settled; but it is not improbable that two new districts will be made out of the existing districts, with the collector for one stationed in Detroit and for the other in Grand Rapids.

Brooklyn Exponent: On Sunday evening last while out driving with his wife and daughter, Philip Howland met with a runaway accident. One of the wheels happening to run into a rut caused the horse to take fright, and throwing out the occupants of the vehicle, although without seriously injuring them. The horse ran for a short distance and succeeded in making a wreck of the buggy.

Mr. John L. Schoolcraft, of Adrian, who has recently been admitted to the bar, has opened a law office in the rooms over Munger's store, in front of Burridge's justice office. Mr. Schoolcraft was deputy sheriff under Sheriff Cairnes and hence had considerable experience before studying law in a beneficial direction. He will have pleasant office rooms and hopes to secure his share of the public patronage.

We have received from county clerk Hunter a copy of the pamphlet containing the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors for the past year. It also contains the election returns as reported by the county canvassers, and a list of all county and township officers now in office. Mr. Hunter is deserving of credit for the accurate manner in which he has performed the work of compilation. The printing was done at the Press office.

The summer running meeting of the Chicago Driving Park will begin June 23d and continue until July 4th. We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the show, for which we take off our hat and make our politest bow. It grieves us to the core to be unable to accept the invitation, but we must do so, as there would be no one at home—in our absence—to keep track of the runaways, dog fights and read proof of the obituary poetry.

A party of relatives and friends convened by special invitation on May 23rd, at the house of Charles Wells, in Franklin, which for rare good cheer, and unassuming display, vividly brought to mind the days of long ago when in "ye olden time" grand parents, children, grand-children, neighbors and friends gathered and separated, without the withering forms of modern conventionalism, which too often are suffered to mar the occasion. The day was fine, and the repast would have done honor to a court.

S. A. James was home to spend Sunday.

A post of the Sons of Veterans has been organized at Adrian.

One of Barnum's advance advertising agents was in town yesterday.

A large tomato crop will be grown in the vicinity of Adrian this season.

Chas. Eldredge and wife, of Dundee, spent last Sunday with their Tecumseh friends.

Co. "C" turned out 34 men strong to attend the funeral of their old comrade Lafayette Rowland last Sunday.

The addition to Slayton & Son's warehouse is growing daily. The walls will soon be ready for the roof.

John Chrysler, the advance agent of Dan Morris Sullivan's Combination was in town Tuesday arranging a date for his troupe.

S. V. R. Ely, a whilom resident of Macon, is visiting among old friends in the Clarkson neighborhood. He is now living in Elmira, N. Y.

Wm. Hanke, the miller of River Raisin, Washtenaw county, smokes a meerschaum pipe over eighty years old, which his father and grandfather smoked before him.

Thanks to Mr. Elliott Gray for late copies of the Sligo Independent. Mr. Gray starts on his return trip to Sligo next Monday and will probably remain across the big water all summer.

The members of the Tecumseh Foot Ball Club do protest against parties playing base ball upon their grounds, and they are hereby forbidden to trespass upon said grounds.

WILL HAYDEN.

Miss Ida Davis, who has been visiting friends at Adrian, Tecumseh and Clinton during the past few weeks, left yesterday for Middlesex, Penn., where she will make her home this summer.

Our old friend John Stewart, of Macon, has a mare, 17 years old, who has raised for him $1,500 worth of colts and last week she showed up another as fine a colt as ever. John wants to know if there is anything in the state to beat this.

The Library Association is now fully organized, have the books all selected, and are ready to send for them as soon as the subscriptions are paid in. Subscribers for stock who have not paid for the same will please call on Miss Jennie Rosacrans at the Post Office, and get their stock as soon as possible and thus prevent any further unnecessary delay.

The Pontiac Bill Poster tells how George Vaughan, a farmer of Bloomington, was induced by the representations of a firm known as Smith R. Clark & Co., to put an organ in his house for the neighbors "to look at" and sign a contract to the effect that when he had sold two organs he should have one free. It was the same old story, the contract turned up as a promissory note for one hundred and eighty dollars, and the men skipped.

W. T. Mosher, of this village has become a proficient taxidermist. He mounts animals of all kinds, birds, reptiles and fishes in the latest and most durable style. He also deals in hat birds, feather ornaments and bird skins. He gathers curiosities in natural history and all collections furnished by him will be accurately named. Tecumseh has long needed a business of this kind and we believe Mr. Mosher will succeed here.

Willis Merritt is stopping for a while at Boerne, Texas. The last number of the Register has this notice of his arrival there:

Willis Merritt, Esq., of Tecumseh, Mich., an attorney at law, took rooms at the American House yesterday. Mr. Merritt is in very poor health. He comes here from Galveston where he has been in attendance upon the Supreme Lodge Knights of Honor as representative from his state. He was one of the clerks in the House of Representatives during the last Congress.

Don't be in a hurry to buy a Piano or Organ. G. P. Sparks will soon open a general music store in connection with his large stock of Sewing Machines. Pianos and organs will be kept in stock on sale and to rent, and arrangements perfected by which any make of Pianos or Organs can be obtained at lowest rates; also any piece of music published in America or Europe. A few Domestic and White Sewing Machines left at old prices, soon to be advanced $5 on each style. Don't miss this opportunity to make $5. Second hand machines $8 and $10.

We judge from the following letter that E. Hause is determined to have the best tea that he can get. After buying the best grades he could find in Detroit and Toledo and not being satisfied that the best and purest teas could be had in those cities he tries buying direct from Chinamen of San Francisco who deal in purest teas especially for the China trade of that city and surrounding country. Here is the letter:

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23, 1883.
E. Hause, Esq., Dear Sir: Your favor of the 15th inst. received. It gives us much pleasure to open a trade with you, but I am sorry to say that $1.00 tea still in the custom house not got through the examination. It has been there a week; it will be up a day or two, but as soon as it comes up then I will ship them all together. Please be patient it will be there very soon. We are gentlemen,
Yours very respectfully,
QUONG CHUNG SHING & CO.

Zack Cook was in town Monday.—He still bears the scars of his severe illness but is rapidly gaining in health and strength.

We have received from Wm. Hayden late copies of the Boston Transcript containing an interesting sketch of the excursion of which he is a member.

Preparations for the art loan exhibition to be held next September and October are speedily assuming definite proportions. The bids for the new building will be opened at the office of Gen. R. A. Alger next Saturday, at 10 a. m. The building is to be one story high, with brick walls and brick partitions and asbestos roof, and making it practically fire proof. The building is also to be located not less than 25 feet away from every other structure.

Evening News: Before it knocked off work the 24th inst., the senate took up Dr. Howell's house bill to prevent malicious annoyance by writing, etc., and passed it; and when it gets the governor's signature the Lenawee county authorities will have in hand a scourge to lay on the back of a dirty old cuss down in Palmyra, who has long been annoying his neighbors in a beastly manner, but in such a way that the United States laws did not reach his case. An Adrian individual may also get a dose of the same medicine mixed for the Palmyra chap.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Homer Index: The common council, at its last session by resolution instructed the street committee to require the approaches to the M. & O. railroad on Hillsdale street to be graded the full width of the street, and in such a manner as not to endanger the travelling public.

Marshall Statesman: There are 23 miles of iron laid on the M. & O. at the present time, which brings it up to the bridge crossing the Michigan Central. The workmen are to-day laying the ties on the bridge and the iron will be laid across it to-morrow or Sunday. The grade between this city and there is nearly ready for the iron, with the exception of one piece in Battle Creek, over which there is some dispute.

Marshall Statesman: Attorneys Lamb and Neale, of the M. & O., have tried a number of times to purchase the right of way across six pieces of property in the vicinity of Homer.—All the deeds are in with the exception of these pieces. The price asked by the owners, in one case $1,000 per acre, was manifestly so much in excess of the real value that the company commenced condemnation suits against the various pieces in the probate court yesterday. All the Homer parties were on hand and W. D. Adams argued their case, while James E. Neale and W. H. Porter appeared for the company. The contest was decidedly hot and dinner was dispensed with by all parties. At the conclusion Judge Ingersoll decided that in two cases the services of a jury would be needful in determining the value of the property, and in the other four three commissioners will apprize the land. The judge appointed as such commissioners Rudolph Sanderson, Abram Minges and Peter Mulvaney. The commissioners meet in Homer on Tuesday to perform their duty, while the jury meets on Thursday.

BLANKET MATINEE.

Last Thursday afternoon occurred the first trot of any kind we have had this season. Owing to the great amount of rain the track was in very bad condition making it impossible to try a running race, and almost impossible to speed horses at all. However three races were started, and resulted in lots of fun if no very good time was made. In the green race only two entries were made: George Kies's "Rock" horse and a sorrel owned by Henry Westfall, of Macon. Westfall's horse took the two first heats, but Kies got the blanket, as it was found that the Westfall horse was not "green" into about seven races.

Bills entered "Laura Keene," Elliott his sorrel mare, and Howard Sickles, Joe Emery and an old man named Mace, their black gelding, "Paul Revere," for the three minute races. Laura had no business in this class but was put in to fill up, and all supposed that the race would be between the black horse and the Elliott mare, but at the end of the first quarter old angle legs gave out and the Keene mare took both heats, just about a length ahead of the Elliott mare. As Laura had no business in the 3 minute class Elliott's mare took the blankets.

Bills entered his black horse "Green Charlie" and Howard Sickles, the pacer, "Gray Benny" for the free for all. This was a fair race and simply wonderful for the condition of the track. Charlie took both heats.

It is in justice to Mr. Bills to say that he has his track in good shape for driving, and plenty of work was done to put it in splendid condition for that day had the weather been anything that could naturally be expected. Several horses were here that did not trot at all on account of the heaviness of the track.

DECORATION DAY.

The observance of Decoration Day here yesterday, although a quiet and informal one, was appropriate and impressive. Our fallen heroes were fitly remembered, and the slight tribute to their memory of covering o'er their graves with beautiful flowers was performed by tender hearts and willing hands. The morning air was calm and cool, with a refreshing breeze, and when ten o'clock arrived, the hour for the procession to form, a large crowd had gathered on the streets to witness the ceremonies. The procession was formed at the corner of Chicago and Evans streets, headed by Cp. C. followed by members of Lyons Post G. A. R. and the old soldiers, and marched to the cemetery. Here brief exercises were held in the following order:

1—Vocal music by the Glee Club.
2—Prayer by Rev. W. H. Babbitt.
3—Music.
4—Music by the Glee Club.
5—Benediction by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.

The address was delivered by Rev. C. E. Conley, pastor of the Baptist church. Our space will allow but the merest outline of his remarks.

After remarking upon the importance of the observance of National Holidays and upon the beautiful design and grateful spirit of Decoration Day, he brought out the fact that the struggle which ended 1865 did not begin with the firing upon Fort Sumter. It began more than two centuries ago; it was the inevitable conflict between two distinct types of civilization, which existed in the United States up to the time of the triumph of the Union armies, viz: that of New England puritanism and that of Southern chivalry. They could not exist together. When they met in the civil war one or the other must be annihilated. Looking back upon the conflict, after a lapse of twenty years, we now can see that both "the blue and the gray" were sincere. Indeed, so sincere were they that neither party could believe in the sincerity of the other. In the spirit of charity a thoughtful nation decorate the graves of the "blue and the gray" without discrimination. The Puritan type of civilization triumphed, because it was the strongest. The elements of its strength are three fold. New England, and the north believe in labor; they believe in its dignity, in its value as an agency for the development of character. The manhood it gives is hardy both in body and mind. They also believe in education; the mind of the average citizen is intelligent, cultured, disciplined. They also believe profoundly in a religious conscience, in its supremacy, its sacredness, in its inalienable right to freedom. In other words they believe in the supremacy of the individual. These elements of strength were lacking in the southern character. The southern people despised labor, frowned upon general intelligence, and their religious sentiments were warped by their overmastering desire to perpetuate the institution of slavery. In short they believed in the supremacy, not of the individual, but of the aristocratic few. When the representatives of these two civilizations met on the field of battle, but one result could follow.—New England and the north were the iron which was to crush southern effeminacy. Our victory was the triumph of cultured and righteous strength.

We would not shut our eyes to the fact that the Republic is yet menaced by formidable dangers. It is endangered by the encroachments of capital, whose tendency is to oppress the masses. It is endangered by the fury of intemperance, which slays more men each year than did rebel bullets. It is endangered by the growing power of Rome, whose spirit is antagonistic to free institutions. But the Republic is safe so long as we adhere closely to the principles which gave the men of '61 the strength to annihilate the collossal power of Southern chivalry.

As we stand to-day by the side of the graves of the heroic dead, let us reconsecrate ourselves to the principles, which have made us conquering champions of right, and put our trust in the God of battles, who also is the God of human freedom and human right.

The graves of the fallen comrades were then decorated by squads of surviving comrades and Co. C.

We give below the names of the soldiers whose graves were honored, the list embracing those who had fought in 1812, in the Black Hawk war and in the Rebellion. The graves were looked up yesterday, and each one marked with a small flag, so that the ceremony of decoration was very expeditiously done.

In this connection we would state that Perry Hosmer, who had charge of this part of the work, desires that any names which may have been omitted from this list should be handed to him. As the old list has been lost it is quite possible that some may have been overlooked. Mr. Hosmer also wishes to get a list of all the old soldiers of Macon, Ridgeway, Raisin and Clinton.

WAR OF 1812.

John F. Brown, Abijah Russell, Thos. Griswold, R. B. Gillespie.

BLACK HAWK WAR.

Gen. J. W. Brown, Milton Wood, Henry Hewitt, Wm. McNair, Wm. H. Patchen, Uri Carter, James Hampton, James Stitts, Asa Gilmore, Samuel L. Spafford.

WAR OF THE REBELLION.

Faron Anderson, F. M. Roberts, James McNair, Alanson Conklin, John Culbertson, James R. Wheeler, Martin B. Pennock, Wm. McCaughn, John Gilbert, Samuel D. Southworth, Charles Doke, Stephen Mosher, Emory Waller, Theodore Lareau, Wm. Boster, Alvin Tripp, W. H. Stout, Ladd, W. Warren Estes, Alfred Durling, N. Jones, John Durling, James Morseman, Albert Randall, H. G. House, Abel Harding, Wm. Johnson.

The cemetery never looked more beautiful, and the exercises were sincere and impressive. When the day can be observed with so little outlay of time and money for preparation, it seems almost akin to sacrilege to pass it by unnoticed. Let us cheerfully devote one day of the three hundred and sixty-five in recalling the heroic deeds of our fallen soldiers, and bestowing a floral tribute to their memory.

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—Yard Wide Lonsdale finish Bleached 8c. A. B. Cotton.

—300 vols. new and handsomely bound books to be sold at nearly one-half publisher's price. Call and secure the bargains at Adams' Novelty Store, Tecumseh.

—J. D. Sholes has a fine showing of light and heavy, double and single harness, also whips, robes, blankets, nets and harvesting gloves. Call and see them.

—Do you see this. Pictures for frames only 50 cts. each at Barrows' gallery, opposite opera house.

—The following good goods are to be had at these very low figures of A. W. Slayton, Tecumseh:
Carpet Sweeper, $1.50.
Iron Axle Wagon; $1.50.
Child's Toy Cart, 25c.
Large (pipe box) Boys Wagon, $2.00.
A splendid pair of pillows, $3.75.
Six good strong chairs, $3.50.
Hat rack, iron hook, 50c.
Fine bed, with castors, $3.00.
Lovely comb case with glass, 99c.
All at A. W. Slayton's.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Lydia Pinkham is dead. But Barrow still lives. Get 4 pictures for 50 cents. Opposite opera house.

—Points and repairs for the Gale, Syracuse, Dodge, Bryan and South Bend Plows, at Snedicor's.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
WELCOME SHERMAN.
The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—Barrows' tin types seem to be popular. No wonder. 6 for 75 cts., and 2 for nothing. Opposite opera house.

—Vitalized Air can be taken and your teeth all extracted without pain at Dr. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Land Fertilizing Salt, only $6 a ton, at S. W. Temple's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at S. W. Temple's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Yard Wide Fine Muslin 5 and 6c. A. B. Cotton.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—The Celebrated Ohio Land Plaster, $6 per ton at S. W. Temple's.

Buy no other plow but the Syracuse, if you want the best.
Snedicor.

—Syracuse Plows and Points for sale by Slayton & Son.

—Having suffered for more than 30 years from piles, and fearing they were going to kill me, as I could get very little rest by night or day, I was persuaded to call on Dr. Cloyne. He gave me one day's treatment, and since have had no more trouble with the disease. I am entirely cured. The doctor's office and residence is at 280 Lafayette street, Toledo, Ohio. His specialties are piles, rheumatism, and cancer. He advertises to give $1,000 for a case of disease of the rectum that he cannot cure in from four to six days. No pay required until cured. For particulars enquire of or address L. H. Sweet, Dundee, Mich.

DIED.

ROWLAND—At his residence on Logan street, on Friday, May 25, 1883, Lafayette Rowland, of consumption, aged 34 yrs. and 17 days.

Lafayette Rowland was a young man well known to all in this community. He has always lived in this community. Sept. 11, '72, he married Miss Emma Hawker. August 7, 1876, his wife died of consumption. Two children blessed their home, but both are now with their mother, and it is now that we note the death of the last one of a family of four, the memory of whom can never die. Lafe was an honest man, a true friend, generous to a fault, and lived for his friends rather than for himself. Nothing more need be said of any man. He had no enemies and was as a brother to all who associated with him. The little family are all together now and their happiness is our sorrow. His funeral was conducted by the state troops at his residence Sunday afternoon, a large number of friends being present.

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You may feel free to use my name.

Very truly yours,
H. H. KANE, M.D.
Physician-in-Chief of the De Quincy Home.

Price of the CAPSINE 25 cents.
Seabury & Johnson, Chemists, New York.

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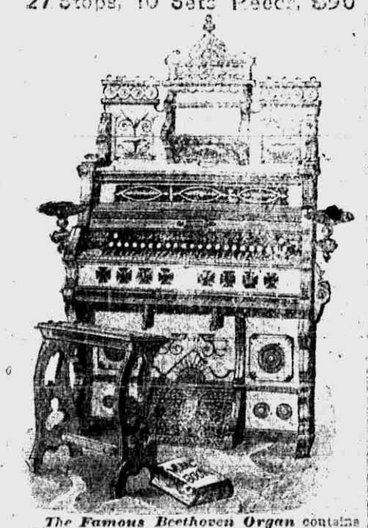

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Miss Mary Flynn was studying medicine and being courted at the same time. Mr. William Budd was attending to the latter part of the business. One evening, while they were sitting together in the front parlor, Mr. Budd was thinking how he should manage to propose. Miss Flynn was explaining certain physiological facts to him.

"Do you know," she said, "that thousands of people are actually ignorant that they smell with their olfactory pedunculi?"

"Millions of 'em," replied Mr. Budd.

"And Aunt Mary wouldn't believe me when I told her she couldn't wink without a sphincter muscle!"

"How unreasonable!"

"Why, a person cannot even kiss without a sphincter!"

"Impossible!"

"I hope I may die if I can!"

"Oh, Mr. Budd, it is too bad of you to make light of such a sufferer!"

Mr. Budd seized her hand and kissed it. She permitted it to remain in his grasp.

"I didn't notice if the sphincter helped me then or not. Let me try again."

Then he tried again, and while he held her hand she explained to him about the muscles of that portion of the human body.

"It is remarkable how much you know about such things," said Mr. Budd—"really wonderful. Now, for example, what is the bone at the back of the head called?"

"Why, the occipital bone, of course."

"And what are the names of the muscles of the arm?"

"The spiralis and infra-spiralis, among others."

"Well, now, let me show you what I mean. When I put my infra-spiralis around your waist, so, is it your occipital bone that rests upon my shoulder-blade, in this way?"

"My back hair, primarily, but the occipital bone, of course, afterwards. But, oh, Mr. Budd, suppose pa should come in and see us?"

"Let him come! Who cares?" said Mr. Budd boldly. "I think I'll exercise a sphincter again and take a kiss."

"Mr. Budd, how can you?" said Miss Flynn, after he had performed the feat.

"Don't call me Mr. Budd; call me Willie," he said, drawing her closer. "You accept me, don't you? I know you do, darling."

"Willie," whispered Miss Flynn, faintly.

"What, darling?"

"I can hear your heart beat."

"It beats only for you, my angel."

"And it sounds to me out of order. The ventricular contraction is not uniform."

"Small wonder for that when its bursting for joy."

"You must put yourself under treatment for it. I will give you some medicine."

"It's your own property, darling, do what you please with it. But somehow the sphincter operation is the one that strikes me most favorably. Let me see how it works again?"

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"Why Does Papa Sleep So Cold?" asks a sentimental song. Probably because mamma ties herself up in the bed-clothes, and then rolls over to the wall with them.—*Chicago Tribune.*

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"I'm a constable," said Tom. "I've got the papers here, and you can't fool around me."

"Darn the papers," said Poll. "Police! police!"

Tom made another grab, and this time he caught Poll by the tail and carried her over to Mrs. Morton's. When he got there he put her in a basket. As soon as Poll's throat was free again she opened another tirade on Tom. She called him all manner of names, and ended each sentence with "You can go to Chicago, you're no gentleman."

Poll had begun to give the court, as Tom said, the constable, a piece of her mind when Mrs. Morton came in and paid the $20 sued for. She said she would sooner pay $40 than lose her Poll. Then she picked Poll up and kissed her and carried her away; and as they went out of court Poll cried with a loud voice, "O, the loafers; O, the dirty loafers!" Constable Carroll, his deputy and all the other officers of the court say that Mrs. Morton's parrot can "cuss" louder and more to the point than any man they ever saw.

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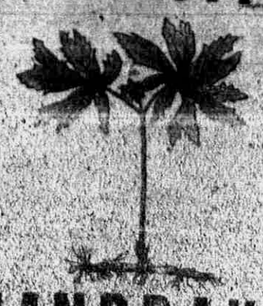

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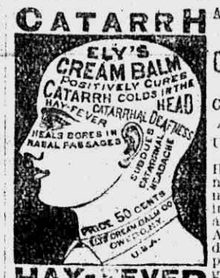

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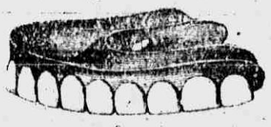

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No.	Cities and Towns.	Population.
1.	New York	1,206,590
2.	Philadelphia, Pa	846,984
3.	Brooklyn, N. Y	566,689
4.	Chicago, Ill	503,304
5.	Boston, Mass	362,535
6.	St. Louis, Mo	350,522
7.	Baltimore, Md	332,190
8.	Cincinnati, Ohio	255,708
9.	San Francisco, Cal	232,976
10.	New Orleans, La	216,140
11.	Cleveland, Ohio	160,142
12.	Pittsburg, Pa	156,381
13.	Buffalo, N. Y	155,137
14.	Washington, D. C	147,307
15.	Newark, N. J	136,400
16.	Louisville, Ky	123,645
17.	Jersey City, N. J	120,728
18.	Detroit, Mich	116,342
19.	Milwaukee, Wis	115,578
20.	Providence, R. I	104,850
21.	Albany, N. Y	90,903
22.	Rochester, N. Y	89,366
23.	Allegheny, Pa	78,681
24.	Indianapolis, Ind	75,074
25.	Richmond, Va	63,803
26.	New Haven, Conn	62,882
27.	Lowell, Mass	59,485
28.	Worcester, Mass	58,295
29.	Troy, N. Y	56,747
30.	Kansas City, Mo	55,813
31.	Cambridge, Mass	52,740
32.	Syracuse, N. Y	51,791
33.	Columbus, Ohio	51,665
34.	Paterson, N. J	50,887
35.	Toledo, Ohio	50,137
36.	Charleston, S. C	49,999
37.	Fall River, Mass	49,006
38.	Minneapolis, Minn	46,887
39.	Scranton, Pa	45,850
40.	Nashville, Tenn	43,461
41.	Reading, Pa	43,280
42.	Hartford, Conn	42,553
43.	Wilmington, Del	42,499
44.	Camden, N. J	41,659
45.	St. Paul, Minn	41,498
46.	Lawrence, Mass	39,178
47.	Dayton, Ohio	38,677
48.	Lynn, Mass	38,284
49.	Denver, Col	35,630
50.	Oakland, Cal	34,556
51.	Atlanta, Ga	34,398
52.	Utica, N. Y	33,913
53.	Portland, Me	33,810
54.	Memphis, Tenn	33,593
55.	Springfield, Mass	33,340
56.	Manchester, N. H	32,630
57.	St. Joseph, Mo	32,484
58.	Grand Rapids Mich	32,015
59.	Wheeling, W. Va	31,266
60.	Mobile, Ala	31,205
61.	Hoboken, N. J	38,999
62.	Harrisburg, Pa	30,762
63.	Savannah, Ga	30,681
64.	Omaha, Neb	30,518
65.	Trenton, N. J	29,910
66.	Covington, Ky	29,720
67.	Peoria, Ill	29,315
68.	Evansville, Ind	29,280
69.	Bridgeport, Conn	29,148
70.	Elizabeth, N. J	28,229
71.	Erie, Pa	27,730
72.	Salem, Mass	27,598
73.	Quincy, Ill	27,275
74.	Fort Wayne, Ind	26,880
75.	New Bedford, Mass	26,875
76.	Terre Haute, Ind	26,040
77.	Lancaster, Pa	25,769
78.	Somerville, Mass	24,985
79.	Wilkesbarre, Pa	23,339
80.	Augusta, Ga	23,023
81.	Des Moines, Iowa	22,408
82.	Dubuque, Iowa	22,254
83.	Galveston, Texas	22,253
84.	Watervliet, N. Y	22,220
85.	Norfolk, Va	21,966
86.	Auburn, N. Y	21,924
87.	Holyoke, Mass	21,851
88.	Davenport, Iowa	21,834
89.	Chelsea, Mass	21,785
90.	Petersburg, Va	21,656
91.	Sacramento, Cal	21,420
92.	Taunton, Mass	21,213
93.	Norwich, Conn	21,141
94.	Oswego, N. Y	21,117
95.	Salt Lake City	20,768
96.	Springfield, Ohio	20,729
97.	Bay City, Mich	20,693
98.	San Antonio, Texas	20,561
99.	Elmira, N. Y	20,541
100.	Newport, Ky	20,433
101.	Waterbury, Conn	20,269
102.	Poughkeepsie, N. Y	20,207
103.	Springfield, Ill	19,746
104.	Altoona, Pa	19,716
105.	Burlington, Iowa	19,450
106.	Cohoes, N. Y	19,417
107.	Gloucester, Mass	19,329
108.	Lewiston, Maine	19,083
109.	Pawtucket, R. I	19,030
110.	East Saginaw, Mich	19,016
111.	Williamsport Pa	18,934
112.	Yonkers, N. Y	18,892
113.	Houston, Texas	18,646
114.	Haverhill, Mass	18,475
115.	Lake Township, Ill	18,396
116.	Kingston, N. Y	18,342
117.	Meriden, Conn	18,340
118.	Hempstead, N. Y	18,160
119.	Zanesville, Ohio	18,420
120.	Allentown, Pa	18,063
121.	Council Bluffs, Iowa	18,059
122.	Newburgh, N. Y	18,050
123.	Wilmington, N. C	17,361
124.	Binghamtown, N. Y	17,315
125.	Bloomington, Ill	17,184
126.	New Brunswick, N. J	17,167
127.	Long Island City, N. Y	17,117
128.	Newton, Mass	16,995
129.	Bangor, Maine	16,857
130.	Montgomery, Ala	16,714
131.	Lexington, Ky	16,656
132.	Johnstown, N. Y	16,626
133.	Leavenworth, Kan	16,550
134.	Akron, Ohio	16,512
135.	New Albany, Ind	16,422
136.	Joliet, Ill	16,145
137.	Jackson, Mich	16,105
138.	Woonsocket, R. I	16,053
139.	Racine, Wis	16,031
140.	Lynchburg, Va	15,999
141.	Flushing, N. Y	15,919
142.	Sandusky, Ohio	15,838
143.	Oshkosh, Wis	15,749
144.	Hyde Park, Ill	[illegible]
145.	Newport, R. I	[illegible]
146.	Topeka, Kas	15,451
147.	Youngstown, Ohio	15,431
148.	Atchison, Kas	15,406
149.	Chester, Pa	14,996
150.	Lafayette, Ind	14,860
151.	Leadville, Col	14,820
152.	La Crosse, Wis	14,505
153.	New Britain, Conn	13,978
154.	Norwalk, Conn	13,956
155.	York Pa	13,940
156.	Concord, N. H	13,838
157.	Lincoln, R. I	13,765
158.	Virginia City, Nev	13,705
159.	New Lots N. Y	13,681
160.	Schenectady, N. Y	13,675
161.	Alexandria, Va	13,658
162.	Brockton, Mass	13,608
163.	Newburyport, Mass	13,537
164.	Lockport, N. Y	13,522
165.	Nashua, N. H	13,397
166.	Pittsfield, Mass	13,367
167.	South Bend, Ind	13,279
168.	Pottsville, Pa	13,253
169.	Orange, N. J	13,206
170.	Little Rock, Ark	13,185
171.	Rockford, Ill	13,136
172.	Fond du Lac, Wis	13,091
173.	Norristown, Pa	13,064
174.	Lincoln, Neb	13,004
175.	Chattanooga, Tenn	12,892
176.	Macon, Ga	12,748
177.	Richmond, Ind	12,743
178.	Gardner, N. Y	12,637
179.	Cortland, N. Y	12,664
180.	Biddeford, Me	12,652
181.	Georgetown, N. C	12,576
182.	San Jose, Cal	12,561
183.	Fitchburg, Mass	12,405
184.	Canton, O	12,258
185.	Northampton, Mass	12,172
186.	Norwick, R. I	12,163
187.	Rutland, Vt	12,140
188.	Hamilton, O	12,122
189.	Keokuk, Ia	12,117
190.	Steubenville, O	12,093
191.	Rome, N. Y	12,045
192.	Malden, Mass	12,017
193.	Kalamazoo, Mich	11,937
194.	Easton, Pa	11,924
195.	Norristown, Pa	11,922
196.	Aurora, Ill	11,825
197.	Vicksburg, Miss	11,814
198.	Middletown, Conn	11,731
199.	Amsterdam, N. Y	11,711
200.	Waltham, Mass	11,711
201.	Dover, N. H	11,687
202.	Danbury, Conn	11,669
203.	Rock Island, Ill	11,660
204.	Derby, Conn	11,649
205.	Brookhaven, N. Y	11,544
206.	Wallkill, N. Y	11,483
207.	Galesburg, Ill	11,446
208.	Portsmouth, Va	11,388
209.	Burlington, Vt	11,364
210.	Chicopee, Mass	11,325
211.	Portsmouth, Ohio	11,314
212.	Los Angeles, Cal	11,311
213.	Stamford, Conn	11,298
214.	Muskegon, Mich	11,262
215.	Logansport, Ind	11,198
216.	Attleborough, Mass	11,111
217.	Hannibal, Mo	11,074
218.	Shreveport, La	11,017
219.	Austin, Texas	10,960
220.	Chillicothe, Ohio	10,938
221.	Woburn, Mass	10,929
222.	Jacksonville, Ill	10,927
223.	Saratoga Springs, N. Y	10,822
224.	Fishkill, N. Y	10,732
225.	Watertown, N. Y	10,697
226.	Belleville, Ill	10,682
227.	Weymouth, Mass	10,571
228.	Quincy, Mass	10,529
229.	New London, Conn	10,529
230.	Saginaw, Mich	10,525
231.	Jeffersonville, Ind	10,442
232.	Saugerties, N. Y	10,375
233.	Dallas, Texas	10,358
234.	Ogdensburg, N. Y	10,340
235.	Madison, Wis	10,325
236.	Stockton, Cal	10,287
237.	Lenox, N. Y	10,249
238.	Winona, Minn	10,208
239.	North Adams, Mass	10,192
240.	Shenandoah, Pa	10,148
241.	Marlborough, Mass	10,126
242.	Eau Claire, Wis	10,118
243.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	10,104
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ESTATE OF HIRAM REYNOLDS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, &c.
At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 7th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.
Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Hiram Reynolds, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin F. Reynolds, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Charles Lawson, executors in said will named.
Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 4th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published, in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. may10

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Le Roy Mead, late of Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of June, A.D., 1883, and on the 3d day of November, A.D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of May, A.D., 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated May 5, 1883.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
GEORGE HOWELL,
may10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Edmund Hand, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the residence of W. W. Osgood in the township of Macon, in said county, on the 15th day of June, 1883 and on the 26th day of October next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of May, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.
Dated May 19, 1883.
GRANVILLE MILLS,
ELWIN CAMBURN,
may10 Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shortz, deceased.
By virtue of a license granted to me in said estate by the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, on the 14th day of May, A.D. 1883, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, that being the late residence of said deceased in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county Michigan, on the 6th day of July, A.D., 1883, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all that parcel of land situate in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) of town five, (5) South, of range four (4) East, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the Village of Tecumseh in said county at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road leading Easterly and Westerly through said section twenty-seven, and opposite the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 1° and 6' west along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section, about fifteen rods, twenty-two links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day as is supposed, thence East on South line of said Day's said land eleven chains and 19 links, thence South 1° and 6' East fifteen chains and nineteen (19) links, parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running Easterly and Westerly through said section; thence Westerly along the center of said last named road eleven chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half acres sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler, also excepting a lot numbered on the recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as lot 294, sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton, also a further parcel of land sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler, adjoining said Saddler's said lot on its North side; also excepting therefrom that part thereof conveyed by William Teachout to Elizabeth Jordan by deed, bearing date November 19, 1867, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, in Liber 87, of deeds, pages 195, &c., leaving ten acres of land above described, subject to the lien of a mortgage made by said deceased to William Richard, bearing date February 15th, 1881, for $1100.60 and interest thereon from the 15th day of February, 1882, and subject also to dower and homestead rights of Delia Shortz widow of said deceased therein.
Terms of sale published at or before the sale.
Dated May 19th, 1883. JOSEPH LANNING, Administrator.
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From 3c Prints to the finest Silks. We intend to make this the most remarkable

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as regards style and low prices that we have ever inaugurated since our very pleasant and encouraging business relations in Tecumseh.

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Gainsley & Co.

Tecumseh, June 1, 1883.

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Would announce to the public that they are now engaged in the livery business at the Lee barn on Ottawa street, and respectfully solicit your patronage.

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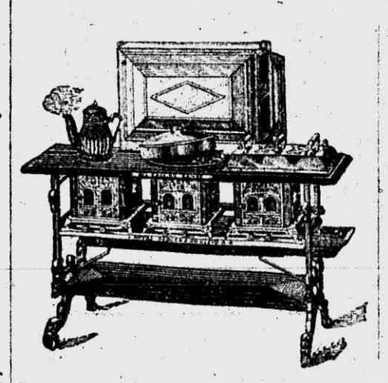

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I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.

Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $9.00 to $65.00.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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Every Stove is warranted to give entire satisfaction.

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We are constantly receiving large additions to our stock of Clothing for men, boys, and children, selected with the utmost care and attention, making our assortment the

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I am now prepared to show the largest and best stock of goods in my line ever shown in this county. I invite close buyers to examine my stock and compare prices with Detroit, Toledo or Adrian. My light expenses compared with theirs enables me to undersell them every time. No old shop keepers in my store.

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Charges reasonable.

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Ladies can have their hats made over in all the New Shapes to look equal to new. A fine line of FANCY GOODS. Also a large stock of IMPORTED HAIR GOODS. JET ORNAMENTS for the hair. HAIR NETS, BANDS, &c.

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Fresh Bread, Rusks, Cakes, Pies, etc., Constantly on hand.

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The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.

Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.

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Is now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

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These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated

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Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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The PHOTOGRAPHER

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Having decided to devote my whole time to my Tecumseh gallery in the future, I am better prepared than ever to take all sizes of Photographs, etc., in the best style of the art.

Special attention given to the taking of children's pictures.

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WM. LEIGH,

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Tecumseh Bakery!

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Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c., and everything belonging to a first-class Bakery.

Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.

Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.

Lee's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh,
Council Room, June 4, 1883.

Regular session.

Present, the entire council, except Mr. Spencer.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Recommending the payment of the

Stacy Bros. printing, etc	$18 25
Fred Chiveral, painting signs	2 40
Wm. Brown, labor on streets	6 00
W. C. Jordan, services as Street Com	34 00
John McConnell, labor in cemetery	35 26

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Streets:

Make verbal report that the estimated cost of paving Chicago street as proposed at last session would be $1,800.

The matter was still left in the hands of the street committee.

The committee on public grounds and buildings report that they have been unable to secure a suitable place for a pound and recommend that the village purchase a lot suitable for that purpose.

On motion the matter was referred back to the committee for further consideration.

On Cemetery:

Make verbal report recommending that Mr. J. S. Hendryx be permitted to remove two trees from his lot in the cemetery, as they are withering and no longer of any value.

The same committee also report that certain parties without consent of the council, or the committee, have cut down and removed trees from the cemetery grounds, contrary to the rules and regulations governing the same.

On motion the recommendation of the committee pertaining to the trees on Mr. Hendryx's lot is adopted and the rest of the report referred back to the committee for investigation, the same to be reported to next meeting of council, with recommendations from the committee.

The President asks for more time in which to report on the cost of a suitable safe, which is granted.

NEW BUSINESS.

On motion it is *Resolved*, That at the first regular meeting of each month the Marshall and Street Commissioner shall hereafter present to council a written statement of all services rendered by each of them and all persons acting under them during the previous month.

The following claims were presented and referred to Finance Committee:

A. James, services as assessor and on Board of Review	$52 00
Jehiel Davidson, same	27 00
A. W. Mills, services on Board of Electors	2 00
E. Hause, services on Board of Review	12 00

The assessors presented the asssessment roll as corrected and approved by the Board of Review, which shows the aggregate valuation of the real estate of the village to be $960,750
Personal property. - - 431,150

Total, - - $1,391,900

On motion the roll as presented was adopted as the assessment roll of the village for the current year.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON, Recorder.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Allegan Journal: Stone are being drawn to-day for the piers of the T. & M. depot in this city. The building will be of wood, is all framed and, as an interested party said, "will go up like a mushroom, being built by experienced carpenters who have erected its duplicate in several places before and thoroughly understand every move to shorten time.

Battle Creek Journal: The trestle work on the T. & M. railroad at the crossing of the Michigan Central near Augusta was completed on Saturday. The heavy grading at that point is also completed. The iron is now laid across the trestlework to this side of the Central railroad. There is now no hindrance to the laying of the track to this city, as the roadbed is made and the material for the track is at hand. The large gang of hands that have been working at the crossing has been transferred along the line, to prepare the roadbed through the city for the iron. In a few days we may expect to see the construction train within the city limits.

Marshall Statesman: J. H. McLane, the contractor on the M. & O. states that work the entire length of the line is progressing finely. One gang is at Ceresco still, but it is simply dressing up the top of the grade and its work will be done in two days.—The ironing force is to-day within a mile of Battle Creek and will be in there to-morrow. The crossing of the C. & G. T. line will doubtless be effected Sunday while there are but few trains running, and Monday night will see them this side of the city limits. The ironing goes on at the rate of a mile per day, and should no unforseen delay prevent we may expect that the track will be laid into this city one week from next Saturday.—It is expected that ironing will soon commence on the southeastern end of the line and come this way, so that the work will be accomplished sooner, and when the two gangs meet the ironing will be finished.

THE DRIVEN WELL PATENT.

The following article clipped from the Michigan Farmer should be cut out and preserved for reference:

Many of our readers will be interested in learning that the celebrated "Driven Well patent" owned by Col. Nelson W. Green, has been held null and void by the United States Circuit Court for the District of Iowa. The opinion in full has not yet been received, having been only very recently delivered; but it is understood that the grounds for the decision are: 1st, abandonment to the public for several years before the patent was applied for; 2nd, priority of use, and 3rd, the want of novelty. The court holds the reissue of the patent is void because it grants more and broader claims than the original patent covered. This is a very sweeping decision. It may be the beginning of the end of a very long and hotly contested litegation. Suits have been begun against hundreds of alleged infringers all over the country. The patent has been sustained in several cases. An appeal from a decision of the United States Circuit Court for the District of Indiana to the Supreme Court resulted in an equal division of that court, which under the law sustained the decision of the lower court. This cannot happen again, as the Supreme Court cannot be equally divided, it now having nine members.

The driven well patent was granted to Col. Nelson W. Green, of Boston, in 1868, and reissued in 1871. It claims the process of constructing a well by driving or forcing an instrument into the ground until it reaches water, without removing the earth upward as in boring. It also claims the right to the pump and pipe constituting an air-tight well. The patent has been sustained on the ground that although tubes were driven into the ground to reach water, long before the Green patent was issued, still the principle of the vacuum, as claimed in the patent, was not known; and the chance application of a principle by one who does not know of it, or the ignorant use of a devise which by chance utilizes a principle, will not prevent one from obtaining a patent on a devise which for the first time makes intelligent use of a principle, and renders it valuable to mankind.

On the other hand it is claimed that the operation of the principle of the vacuum is largely a myth, that the driven well will work just as well if another tube is driven down alongside of it, thus letting the air into it and defeating the alleged action of the vacuum. Indeed, this ingenius method of seeking to evade the patent has often been made use of.

The writer has always maintained that when all the facts in the case are made known the patent will be found to be invalid. This recent decision in Iowa, and a still more recent one at Indianapolis by Justice Harlem of the U. S. Supreme Court, denying an injunction, go to show that this belief is well founded. There are many suits now pending in the State for infringement of this patent. The defendants have wisely formed an association for mutual defence, and this State Grange has kindly rendered assistance in the matter. These suits may never be pushed any further; but if they should, or if there should be any further attempts on the part of agents of the alleged patent to bulldoze farmers into "settling" more claims for infringement of it, the above facts should be borne in mind.

H. A. H.

DON'T BE TOO HARD ON THEM.

The Adrian Record, in commenting upon the arduous labors of the Michigan legislature, says:

The Jackson Patriot ironically remarks in speaking of the legislature: "The members are in excellent health and spirits. Five months' rest and recreation and social enjoyment in Lansing and vicinity, has been productive of the best results, in a physical sense." After all, the Patriot should be candid, and admit that there has been some work as well as play. The members of the legislature are sometimes obliged to go way off to Detroit to attend receptions, and many is the time they are up all night *pouring* over "measures", considering joint resolutions—to all take another drink together and passing (by) private bills, unreceipted. Often members come into the halls of legislation in the morning, looking haggard and all worn out, and thirsty and feverish, from overwork. Don't be too hard on the legislature.

We heartily concur in the following taken from our Oregon exchange:—"Those who write for sample copies will please send stamps, not for publication, but as an evidence that they don't take us for a bald-headed philanthropist, with a gold-headed cane and an income of $700,000 a year, who is printing a paper for amusement, and paying the postage on it for fun."

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Onion socials are held in Hudson.

The Hudson Council rooms is being repaired.

Adrian celebrated Decoration Day in the rain.

The Hudson band is giving strawberry and ice cream socials.

The Adrian Union School Board have voted $1,500 for a town hall.

The monthly meeting of the Adrian Horticultural Society was held last Monday.

A Council of the Royal Templars of Temperance has been instituted at Clinton.

Jas. H. Fountain and family of California are visiting at their old home in Manchester.

Clinton Crabbs, of Morenci, will soon pack up his variety works and crab out of town.

B. O. Randall, of Clinton, has returned from Mt. Clemens greatly improved in health.

Miss Avery, of Tecumseh, has been engaged to teach in the Dewey district in Bridgewater.

Deerfield has got a first-class hand fire engine with 100 feet of hose for the small sum of $200.

The Record claims that some boys saw an alligator three feet long in the river Raisin at Adrian.

Hudson Gazette: Tecumseh may make a clean sweep of the county now—she's got a new broom factory.

The Madison grange will try for the premium for best display by societies at the next fair, offered by the county agricultural society.

As the graduating class of the Clinton High School is small this year an address will be delivered by J. W. Dowd, Supt. of the Toledo city schools. Subject, "The Trinity of Success."

Observer: Gov. Croswell will deliver the oration on the occasion of the great semi-centennial celebration of the first settlement of the Bean Creek country, to be held in Morenci in June.

Mr. Sherlock, of Clinton, lost seventeen chickens which were devoured by a neighboring cat. He loaded up his shot gun to demolish that cat, but the gun overshot the mark and demolished Coffin's rooster.

Observer: The scarlet fever which produced quite a scare in North Seneca, has pretty much subsided. There were six cases in all, three of which proved fatal, and the balance are convalescent, and our township health officer, Dr. Stevenson, is hopeful that the worst is over.

Tunis Osgood, of Adrian, has patented an improvement on the railroad car brake which promises to prove a very bonanza for him. His invention is in the nature of a valve, which releases the brake, which sometimes causes accidents by clinging to the car wheel longer than desired.

Morenci Observer: A worthy couple in North Seneca are the happy parents of three children with exactly two years difference in their ages, their birth days occurring on the same day of the month. Nothing but close attention to business could produce such mathematically fine results.

Clinton News: A novel feature has been introduced in a class in composition in Miss Haggart's grade. The class are furnished with blank books containing outlines for a serial story, and the class are to fill them in according to their own notions, thus developing their inventive powers and at the same time acquiring the ability to express their thoughts in good language.

Adrian Press: A peddling fakir lighted his lamp, mounted a box by Metcalf's store Tuesday evening, took his banjo and drew a crowd. Pretty soon the Salvation army got around to their praying ground in front of the Record office, directly across the way from the "fake." The Salvationists sung and prayed and the fake talked loud and fast in selling his wares. The scene was laughable, and the fake found he had his match.

Hudson Gazette: That rain on Wednesday just raised Old Nick. It put a stop to planting and interfered with other farm work, to the general disgust of the sturdy yoemanry. In Hudson it spoiled the docoration day exercises toward which our people had been looking with such great expectations. It also prevented the base-ball contest and chagrined our lovers of the national game. And lastly, it put a damper on the festivities of the band entertainment in the evening, and indeed caused a very general disappointment all around. It was a very wet day.

THE MUSTARD PLASTER

When my good man is sick,
He thinks to scape disaster
By having on his quick
A red-hot mustard plaster.
La, sakes, I mind it well
What happened from his notion
'Twas in a big hotel
Off somewhere by the ocean.

Whereof, the dead of night
John groans so diabolic
A-waked me with fright;
I knew it was the colonic.
Quick, Sary, bring I cry—
Get me a mustard plaster—
The kitchen—fly, do fly—
And save my husband master.

I know not how I found
The kitchen, but returning
The place seemed turned around,
Or else a spell was burning.
At last I reached my room
[illegible] my husband
Bedstead [illegible] the floor
[illegible] the flooring.

The plaster, how I groped
Performed [illegible] it.
The other, guess I hurried
And put it [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] quick to the room came rushing
Where I arrayed in again.
I had hard work to stop my thinking
But when the gas was turned—
[illegible]
For [illegible]
[illegible] that [illegible] man.

FATHER OR SON?

"Who is that, deacon?"

Mrs. La Rose, seated in the Jersey "carryall," that belonged to the "Deacon Harland Place," looked across the fertile fields of her old friend's farm, and fixed her eyes with a certain interest on the tall, well-developed young man who was coming down the lane, leading a handsome colt by the forelock, while the colt rubbed his velvety nose affectionately against his master's shoulder, and nuzzled his hand.

"That is my son Joe, Mrs. La Rose—my only child," replied the farmer.

"How much he is like you, as you were in your 18th year, when I came from teaching school to visit your sister Hetty, at the old place in New Hampshire," said the widow, speaking for once without affectation, and ending the sentence with a sigh.

The deacon looked uneasily at her and then at her lovely 16-year-old daughter, who sat on the front seat beside the hired man, who was driving the party home from the railway station at Ellintown.

In his 18th year, a poor farmer's son, he had been this woman's lover.

Now, in his 55th year, the wealthy proprietor of a most valuable and extensive fruit farm in New Jersey, he was betrothed to his old love's beautiful daughter, and she was coming with her mother to pay her first visit to her future home.

The worthy man was not deceived. He knew that this lovely child did not love him. He fully understood that she was about to wed him at the entreaty of her mother and in the hope of securing for that mother the wealth, the freedom from all pecuniary care, and the luxurious life and home, which she had never yet enjoyed.

All these things he meant to secure to her. In return, he hoped and believed that she would learn to love him. Gratitude would surely teach her that lesson, since as her mother declared, she loved no one else.

But it would be fatal to her hopes to let her guess the least knowledge of the early love that had existed between her mother and himself.

And he blessed his lucky stars, when his startled chestnuts, scenting their stable, and seeing Joe's bay colt prancing beside his master in the lane, broke into a run that tested the strength and skill of Mike, the driver, and frightened the widow entirely out of all her reminiscences by the time they condescended to pause before the verandah steps.

Joe Harland viewed the arrival with profound disapproval from afar.

He had loved his mother tenderly. He resented what he considered a slight to her memory. He was wrong there, however. The deacon had been a widower for more than five years, and all the widows and old maids in Ellintown had long since given up in despair trying to keep house for, and to sympathize with him.

A maiden sister of the deacon's had managed the affairs of the household since the wife's death. She, as well as Joseph, had been greatly surprised when the farmer had announced the speedy coming of the lady guests from New York. And she, as well as Joseph, had supposed the elegant widow to be the bride-elect.

In the old days on the home-farm in New Hampshire, this sister had been the Hetty, whom Julia Carlyon had visited. And, knowing so much of the early love affair, she naturally supposed that it was now about to be renewed.

Mistress Hetty welcomed the mother and the daughter very cordially to Harland's, deeming it well that she should keep on the best terms with its future mistress.

Joseph did not appear until the late tea—which was ordered in compliment to the travelers—was on the table. Then he came forward at his father's request, was introduced to the guests, made two sulky bows, and studied his future step-mother's face during the whole meal, from under a pair of heavy black eye-brows, with a pair of deep blue eyes. He scarcely looked at little Esther, who sat beside him.

But she stole many a side-long glance at him—wondering why he looked so stern—wondering why he was so silent—wondering if his father really *had* been so handsome at 18 years of age. Trying to imagine the gray-headed deacon a tall, erect figure, with dark-blue eyes, and jet-black hair, and a frank, handsome face, with sun-burned, crimson cheeks, and a forehead white as snow—trying, but failing miserably! And, then wondering again whether the deacon at 18 had not been more agreeable as a lover than he was now at 55.

"If only—" thought little Esther, glancing once more, musingly, at the young man and the old.

And then she blushed hotly all over her beautiful face. For the young man had turned toward her to offer her a slice of golden honey-comb and his dark blue eyes seemed to read the thought of which she was but half-conscious herself, until he looked at her.

"Why did she blush like that?" was Joe's first thought. And his second was, "What a lovely little creature she is! I must try and make this place endurable to her, while our elders are making ~~fools~~ of themselves by fancying that, at *their age*, they can fall in love!"

From that very evening, the funniest kind of a "Comedy of Errors began in the Harland house.

The deacon was forever finding Joe in his way when he wished to say sweet things to his prospective bride.

Sister Hetty wondered why her brother took such pains—unheard-of-pains—to please his future daughter-in-law, when her approval was of no consequence whatever.

"I wonder Julia stands it! I wouldn't, if I was in her place," she continually murmured to herself, as she noted the daily increasing attentions that the poor man tried his best to pay.

While the widow looked on in sore dismay, and finally (being urged thereto by the deacon) gave her daughter so severe a training to accept what she termed the distinguished country that Esther's heart was nearly broken.

[illegible] saw her, that very evening, as he was coming home from the village with [illegible]

[illegible] mistress's lessons was not yet one hour old, and Esther was crying quietly under the maple trees in the lane, so that she did not see Joe, till he had fastened the colt to the nearest tree, and was kneeling down beside her, asking in the kindest of voices what had gone wrong.

[illegible] and sprang to her feet when she saw him there, and so very near.

"Oh, go away please, and never let me see you again," she sobbed. "Mamma says that I have been so very wrong and immodest too—oh, dear, oh dear!—because I have talked so much to you. Oh won't you go and be somewhere else, please, where I never shall see you? I'm sure I never can marry your father, Joe, if you stay here."

"What?" shouted Joe so loudly that the bay colt gave a tremendous jump and almost broke his bridle.

In two minutes he had coaxed the whole story from the weeping girl.

"Well, of all the—. However I won't swear about my own father!" he exclaimed. "Now, Esther, this mustn't go on another hour you know. It is abominable nonsense."

"But it, Joe?" she sighed. "Only think of my being your mother-in-law."

"Wait a little, darling, if you will be guided by me," said Joe, as his arm stole around her waist, and his bearded cheek nestled against her smooth one.

They talked long and earnestly in that shaded lane, while the young moon rose, and the bay colt listened with his head over Joe's shoulder, and looked remarkably wise.

Finally, the colt and the buck-board were turned toward Ellintown once more, and the eight-day clock in the deacon's hall was on the stroke of 9 when they returned.

In the lane they met the deacon, driving the widow in his one-horse chaise, drawn by the sorrel mare.

They had missed Father and Joe at last, and were just setting out to search for them.

"Esther, leave that disgraceful carriage at once, and come home with us!" cried the widow, as she caught sight of the buck-board and its double freight. "How dare you? As for you, Mr. Joe—"

"As for me, Mrs. La Rose, Esther is my wife, and you must not speak to her unless you speak kindly," said Joe. "We were married by Parson Willis, at his house, at 7:30 this evening."

Joe drove on toward home without another word.

The widow gasped for breath; the deacon turned pale, then grew red with anger.

"Oh, hush!" cried the widow, as "unparliamentary" words poured by the dozen from his lips. "Perhaps he was only joking. You might go to Parson Willis and see."

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"William, do you know why you are like a donkey?" "Like a donkey!" echoed William, opening his eyes wide. "No, I don't." "Do you give it up?" "Yes." "Because your better half is stubbornness itself." "That's not bad. Ha! ha! I'll give that to my wife when I get home." "My dear," he asked, as he sat down to supper, "do you know why I am like a donkey?" He waited a moment, expecting his wife to give it up, but she didn't. She looked at him somewhat commiseratingly, as she answered: "I suppose because you were born so."

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Hunting Wild Hogs in Tennessee.

The early settlers brought hogs with them into the country, and having little or no food for them, suffered them to stray off among the hills to root for their own living. The mast, which is very abundant in these hills, consists of hickory, beech and chestnuts, as well as acrons, so that hogs, deer and turkey grow fat on it in the fall and winter. Hogs stray off miles away from their owners, and become as wild as deer, and it requires as much skill and cunning to capture the one as the other, and in course of time their whole nature is entirely changed. Instead of the fat, lazy inhabitants that we see on the farms, or in a house yard in any frontier shanty, they become fierce and wild beasts. Tusks grow tall and slender. Their ears stand up straight, their hair grows long and wiry, and in short they are a different animal in habits, nature and appearance.

Sometimes whole droves are plenty in some hills, but they seldom attempt to capture a hog from a drove, for which they are likely to be captured themselves.

The people who live in the hills depend almost entirely upon game for their supply of meat. The wild hog is not fit for food in summer, but grows fat in the late fall and early winter on the great abundance of mast in these great forests. The hog here is not considered the property of any one settler, but is looked upon as common stock property for all who may choose to pursue and capture him.

After a hard night's rest on a blanket before a log fire, we are up by daylight to find about three inches of snow on the ground, just what we wanted. Even the long Kentucky rifle is left hanging in the rack in the cabin. Our outfit consists of a stout hickory club and a butcher knife, the latter tightly belted around the waist in a leathern scabbard. These are the only sporting tools used for hunting wild hogs in these hills, and they are very effective, as we shall presently see.

Some seven or eight of us, with as many stout dogs, set out that morning, and after a tramp of three miles or more we began to discover signs of game. We now halt and hold council of war. Our old bush-whacker, Judge Newland, is chosen captain of the party, and the plans of the hunt chalked out by him.

"You see, boys," said Captain Jack, "here is the range of a drove, and you see by the signs and fresh beds, as well as the tracks in the snow, that there is about twenty hogs in the drove, big and little. Most on 'em is big fellows, and will give a hard fight. Now, Jim and Ned, take two of the dogs and go round that pint of hill over thar. Sam, you and Bob just kinder crawl around over that ar' nob and lay low. The rest of us will follow on the trail. When I see the hogs I'll holler like an owl. Then you answer. Hoo! hoo! hoo! same as me, case I see the hogs a rootin'. Then pitch in and head 'em off till the dogs come up.

The snow gave us a good chance to see the hogs a good way off, and we had not proceeded far before we sighted them a few hundred yards away busily turning up the leaves in search of food. Here we halted behind trees, and Captain Jack gave the call in imitation of the big-horned owl, which was answered by the two other parties. This was the signal for attack. We started in on a run to surprise the game, and soon the dogs had brought the hogs to bay. The rest of the hunters now arrived with all the dogs, and the fight commenced, each one urging his dog to seize a hog by the ear, and watching his chance would jump astride of him and holding on with one hand would put in his deadly blows over the head with his club, and as soon as down, out with his butcher-knife and plunge it up to the hilt in the hog's throat then off for another. The chase and slaughter are thus kept up for a mile or more, or until the dogs and men are tired out or all the hogs are killed, when we retrace our steps and make arrangements for gathering in our game.

We have seen a stout hog bound off through the woods with his rider while the dog was fast to his ears, and carry both a considerable distance before being killed. The sport is ludicrous in the extremic, as well as being attended with considerable danger, and unless one is familiar with it he is pretty apt to get severely hurt by the side slaps of the hog's long tusks. When we charged this drove the fight was exciting and furious. As for ourself, though not a coward, we must confess that we often preferred to take refuge up a sapling and watch the fight than participate in it. The day was far advanced when the sport ended. We all assembled and built a large fire, and proceeded to drag the slaughtered hogs into camp, which provided a very laborious job. When all the killed had been brought in we counted eleven large fat porkers. It was now near dark, and we concluded to camp there for the night, returning to where we had left our provisions in the morning. On first discovering the game and bringing it into camp we hung up the hogs, to have them ready for transportation. We cut out tenderloins and broiled them on the live coals, and enjoyed a hearty supper and breakfast. During the night we were awakened by a pack of wolves which had assembled on a neighboring hill to give us a grand serenade. We could not see them, but should judge from the great noise they made there were fifty at least, and had we not eight or ten stout dogs and a large fire they would doubtless have made an attempt to capture and carry off our game.

Women's Rights in Africa.

The Bolanda negroes in Africa believe in the supremacy of woman. It is with them the law that women shall sit in the councils of the nation; that a young man, entering upon the matrimonial state shall remove from his own village to that of his wife, and, in forming this relation, he shall bind himself to provide his mother with food so long as she shall live. Here, too, the wife alone can divorce the husband, and the children, in that event, become the property of the mother. The men cannot enter into the most ordinary contract without the permission of the lady superior of the domestic circle. In the very heart of central Africa is the paradise that many women are vainly striving for in America, and the rights she clamors for here are already granted in this far off country to women, and by what we call an "uncivilized people." A few delegates from Bolonda might be of good to the cause, for they at least can speak from experience of what, to us, are yet untried laws.

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In 1879 I moved from Canton, St. Lawrence country, N. Y., to Florida, which state I intended to make my future residence. I purchased a home on the banks of the St. Johns river and settled down, as I thought for life. The climate following the first winter, a series of most peculiar sensations came which proved to be the precursor of a change of climate. I felt a sinking at the pit of my stomach, accompanied by a dull dizziness and nausea. My head seemed [illegible] with a peculiar feeling of weariness. I had a thirst for acids and my appetite was weak and uncertain. My digestion was impaired and my food did not assimilate. At first I imagined it was the effort of nature to become acclimated and I thought little of it. But my troubles increased until I became restless and feverish and the physicians informed me I was suffering from malarial fever. This continued in spite of all the best physicians could do and I kept growing worse. In the year 1880 my physicians informed me a change of climate was absolutely necessary that I could not survive another summer in the south. I determined to return north, but not to the extreme portion, and so I took up my residence at Upper Sandusky in Central Ohio. The change did not work the desired cure and I again consulted physicians. I found they were unable to effect a permanent cure, and when the extreme warm weather of summer came on I grew so much worse that I gave up all hope. At that time I was suffering terribly. How badly, only those can appreciate who have contracted malarial disease in tropical regions. It seemed as if death would be a relief greater than any other blessing. But notwithstanding all this, I am happy to state that I am today a perfectly well and healthy man.—How I came to recover so remarkably can be understood from the following card voluntarily published by me in the Sandusky, O. Republican, entitled:

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ALFRED DAY,
Pastor Universalist Church.
Woodstock, Ont., May 10, 1882.

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Oldfield tells us in his expedition into the Interior of Africa by the Niger that at Iddah, "placing a naked sword or knife to the throat is looked upon as the strongest proof of innocence and the most solemn form of oath they can administer. In this manner the king is sworn, or sometimes at the point of a poisoned arrow."

In Egypt in an early time the goose was considered in high veneration, and the custom which prevailed at Crete of swearing by the goose was supposed to have originated from such veneration.

Of the Mennonites, we learn from Henderson's Biblical Researches in Russia, that they refuse to conform their testimony by an oath, regarding this mandate to the old Testament dispensation; yet these people will affirm the same as the Quakers.

In Canton, "when they wish to swear a witness a live cock and a knife are presented to him, and is obliged to cut off the cock's head at the moment he takes the oath."

In Madagascar the people swear neither by God nor by their idols, but chiefly by their mother or their sovereign, and the act witnessing it is given us as being of two forms: one to "strike the water" and the other to "spear the calf." A further consideration is made that the one sworn by must be alive, for upon a Kaffir swearing by a deceased relative, his oath was deemed insufficient, as invofable.

Another form as being in use in Abyssinia, we obtain from Bruce's Travels, that "they took the two fore fingers of my right hand and, one after the other, then kissed them—a form of swearing used there, at least among those that call themselves Christians."

A few more illustrations upon this point. We find that the Athenians administered oaths in the names of Jupiter, Minerva and Neptune, also Themis, Ceres and Helois. The Romans to Fides, the Germans to the God and by their swords or beards; the Scandinavians besides in the name of God, touched a bloody ring in the hands of a priest. Roman Catholics swear also by the saints as well as God. The Jews swore by Jerusalem as well as upon the broken glass. By the temple was another form, also the God of Israel. The Hindoo swears by the Veda, which is his bible; the Chinese at times upon a saucer; a Christian takes off his hat, and in the United States raises his right arm; while the Jew keeps his head covered.

Many other quotations could be given, but enough are given to show conclusively the nature of the form of an act witnessing an oath and of the presumed veneration exercised at the time, that the thoughts of the person making would be carried to a higher plane than in the ordinary walks of life by referring to some person or thing deemed superior. And all these considered in accordance with the belief of the people and times, made by custom, became law.

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Contoocook, N. H.
March 3, 1880.

I have been greatly troubled with Rheumatism and Weak Kidneys. I was advised to try Allcock's Porous Plasters (had used two other kinds of so-called Porous Plaster, which did me no good), but one of yours has worked like a charm, giving me complete relief, and I have not been troubled with Rheumatism and Kidney Complaint since using them, and I consider myself cured.

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The combined force of the steam engines of the world is estimated at over 46,000,000 horse power. This is considered equal to about twice the available working power of the human population of the globe.

The New Discovery.

Dr. Deming's Pile Ointment, the discovery of a physician of wide reputation, who has achieved the greatest success, the most conspicuous distinction, and the highest honors in his profession, is a sure cure for blind, bleeding, itching and ulcerated piles. A single box has frequently been known to cure the most obstinate case, and thousands who have used this great remedy attest its efficacy.—For sale by all druggists.

A bashful young man, while out driving with his girl, had to get out to buckle the crupper, and hesitatingly explained that the "animal's bustle had got unfastened."

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Italian Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty, druggists.

One difference between a sailor and a showman is that a sailor likes a light house and the showman does not.

"We are selling at the rate of three doz. bottles of Baker's Japanese Liniment a week." Pegg & Wilson, Druggists, Morenci, Mich.

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This case is formed in one solid piece without joint or seam, opening in front only, thus avoiding the usual gap, and securing greater strength and durability.

These watches are all open face. The bezel, into which an extra strong crystal is fitted with an specially prepared water proof cement, is attached to the case by screwing it thereon, and thus forms an air tight junction with the body of the case, which is [illegible] moisture.

To railroad men, travelers, miners, lumbermen and others who are almost constantly exposed and who have to make frequent reference to the watch, these qualities are of the [illegible] importance.

The following letters tell their own story.

VALDOSTA, Georgia, July 20, 1882.

"I sold one of your Patent Dust Proof Cases about ten months ago, and the other day it came back to me with the request to make it wind easier. On examination I found that the stem was rusty, and I inquired into the cause of it. The gentleman stated to me that he was starting some sawlogs that had lodged in the bend of the river, when his chain caught in a bush and threw his watch into about twelve feet of water, and he was about two hours finding it. When he got it out it was running and he thought all right. In about three months he found that the stem was hard to turn and sent it to me.

I can say that the watch is all that the company claims for it and recommend it to all railroad and mill men.

B. W. BENTLEY."

CLINTON, Iowa, April 20, 1881.

"I wish you would send me a spring for the Wm. Ellery Watch * * * By the way this Ellery is a watch I sold in your Screw Bezel Case to a farmer last fall. The first of January he lost the watch in the woods, and found it this week in about one foot of water. It had lain three months and over in snow and water, with but slight injury to the watch—only a hair-spring.

C. S. RAYMOND."

The above were very severe tests, and demonstrate beyond doubt, that for any reasonable length of time during which a watch might be under water it would receive no injury whatever.

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Horse Shoeing a Specialty.

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Light houses—Tents.
A good prophet—100 per cent.
Well posted—A telegraph line.
Made of the mist—A drizzling rain.
Maid of the mister—His sweetheart.
Made of the mystery—Hotel hash.
Always in working order—Yeast.
A calico wrapper—A dry goods clerk.
The rows that all are praising—Hanlon's.
There is no Christmas in Ingersoll's calendar.
An animal that is always in the pound—An ounce.
The Hubbies don't like Bernhardt because she has no hubby—that's the hubbub.
A cook stove may be converted into a base burner by sitting on it while it is hot.
Large mouths are now fashionable among women. They are worn open as heretofore.
It is not necessary for a man to keep his rung at the barbers shop, but he must take it home in his hands.
A Baltimore clergyman recently preached on the subject, "Why was Lazarus a beggar?" We suppose because he didn't advertise.

On one of the postal cars near Washington a letter was found directed to "Hand Over Cart House." It was sent to Hanover Court House.

"I declare," exclaimed a slovenly writer, "I wish I could find a pen that would just suit me." And instantly came a chorus, "Try a pig pen."

"Why are we here?" was the subject of a St. Louis clergyman's sermon one Sunday morning. This is indeed a hard question, with the fare to Chicago down so low.

The Boston *Courier* gives the following wise piece of advice to its bachelor readers: "Never marry a girl unless you have known her at least three days and a picnic."

A Russian claims to have found a new substitute for rubber. It is strongly suspected that while traveling in this country recently he tackled a ham sandwich at a railway restaurant.

Wishing to pay his friend a compliment, a gentleman remarked: "I hear you have a very industrious wife,' "Yes," replied the friend with a melancholy smile, "she's never idle. She always finds something for me to do."

While the very young daughter of a country clergyman was playing in the garden one day, a stranger came along and inquired if her father was at home. "No," she replied, "but, my mother is in the house, and she will pray with you, you poor miserable sinner."

This is the way the editor of one of our New England cotemporaries gets even with a rival: "A dispatch informs us that the latest style of gentlemen's shirts are of black cambric, with small white spots. All that our editor friend will have to do to be in the fashion, will be simply to take a piece of chalk and make spots on his shirt."

"Your visits remind me of the growth of a successful newspaper," said Uncle Jabez, leaning his chin on his cane and glancing on William Henry, who was sweet on Angelica.

"Why so?" inquired William Henry.

"Well, they commenced as a weekly, grew to be a tri-wrekly, and have now become daily, with a Sunday supplement."

"Yes," said William Henry, bracing up, "and after we are married we will issue an extra——."

"Sh-h," said Angelica, and then they went out for a stroll.

"Brevity is the Soul of Wit."

The following amusing story, which was told by Franklin, ought to be read and acted upon by all correspondents communicating their thoughts to the newspaper press: A young man, on commencing business, proposed to paint over his shop window, "John Thompson, hatter, makes and sells hats for ready money," to which was added the sign of a hat. One friend suggested that, as he made and sold hats, the word "hatter" was unnecessary. It was therefore struck out and the sign remained, "John Thompson, makes and sells hats for ready money." Another friend advised him to omit the phrase "for ready money," as there would occur occasions for selling on credit; and so the sign read: "John Thompson makes and sells hats." It was then hinted that the buyer of the hat did not care who made it, and that the sign would be better if it read: "John Thompson sells hats." But another amputation was in store still, for a critic pointed out the uselessness of the phrase "sells hats," for, said he, "no one would ever suppose that the hats were to be given away for nothing." Thus at last this aspiring tradesman commenced business, like many worthy successors, under the modest sign of "John Thompson."

Is Fun Better than Physic?

Fun is excellent; a hearty laugh is known the whole world over to be a health promoter; but fun does not fill the bill when a man needs physic, on the other hand people take too much physic. They would be more healthy, live longer and enjoy life thoroughly if they used Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which cures all blood disorders, indigestion, kidney and liver troubles, removes pimples, and is a perfect tonic. Can be taken by the most delicate. Only 50c a bottle, of Baker & Hall.

Why is a sloop emblematic of the past and future? Because she's a fore-and-after.

Grave Robbers.

Of all classes of people the professional grave robbers are the most despised. He robs us of our dear friends for a few dollars. How different is this new grave robber, Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which robs graves of thousands of consumptives. This unequalled remedy for coughs, colds and consumption, whooping cough, croup and all throat and lung diseases, subdues and conquers these troubles speedily, safely and thoroughly. Trial bottles free, of Baker & Hall.

A female correspondent complains that her husband eats onions and snores. Now, a man who would snore with an onion-flavored breath should go somewhere and start a desert.—*Wheeling Leader.*

Why They Call Him "Old Man."

"Yes, that's sadly so," said Jenkins, "my hair is turning gray and falling out before its time. Use something? I would, but most hair restorers are dangerous." "True," answered his friend, "but Parker's Hair Balsam is as harmless as it is effective. I've tried it, and know. Give the Balsam a show and the boys will soon stop calling you 'Old Man Jenkins.' It never fails to restore the original color to gray or faded hair. Richly perfumed, an elegant dressing.

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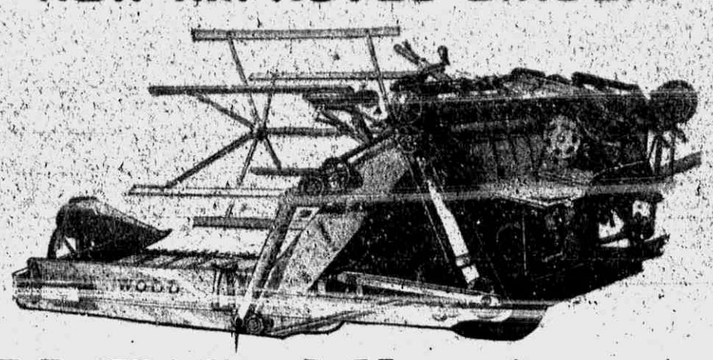

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There has been already sold 439,554 of these Machines.

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The evidence of the success of our machines, and of their unrivalled superiority in merit and public favor, does not rest upon any bare assertion of ours, but upon facts, and these facts are uncontrovertible. We have always maintained, and do still maintain, that the best possible test of merit in Harvesting Machines is their long-continued success in practical use, and upon this standard we have ever been and still are content to rest our claims to public favor.

It is a well attested fact by all who use them, that the Wood Machines require far less repair than any other machine in use. No other Binder or Mower is as durable and free from breakages.

The Wood Twine Binder as now made retains those meritorious features which have rendered it UNAPPROACHABLE BY RIVALS in the past, and which are already familiar to the farming public, and also contains such RADICAL IMPROVEMENTS as will certainly place it ANOTHER LONG STEP IN ADVANCE of all competition. In the family war of the different machine manufacturers the Wood has come off victorious and remains master of the field.

The manufacturers have followed up the new binder, during the progress of the harvest of 1882, through grain fields without number, from one end of the United States to the other, from Texas to Dakota, from Virginia to Vermont, and even as far north as Prince Edward Island in the British Dominions—where the latest growing grain crops are to be found—and the results of this close and protracted inspection have fully warranted the representations made, strong though they be.

There has been various improvements of importance in the details of both the Harvester and Binder for 1883. All we ask is for the farmers of this vicinity to examine the Walter A. Wood Machines before placing their order, and we have no fear as to the result, as it is conceded by all that it is the most perfect machine in all its details, manufactured.

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An infallible Remedy for all diseases of the Skin and Blood, such as Tetter, Ringworm, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, Scrofula, Pimples, Blotches, etc.

It restores the deceased Liver and Kidneys to healthy action, and dissolves and expels from the blood all the acrid poison, or "urate of Lime" contained therein, which is the sole cause of all Rheumatic and Neuralgic Pains. Manufactured by RHEUMATIC SYRUP CO., Rochester, N. Y. For sale everywhere. Send for circular.

Rheumatic Syrup Co.: BUTLER, March 10, 1882.

GENTS—I take this opportunity to express my gratitude for what your Rheumatic Syrup has done for me. After suffering over one year with the rheumatism in my shoulders, so I could hardly get my coat on without help, a friend induced me to try one bottle of Rheumatic Syrup. After taking it I could see such a decided change that I continued its use a short time and it cured me. DANIEL ROE.

TRADE MARK.

Dr. CLARK JOHNSON'S Indian Blood Syrup

Cures all diseases of the Stomach, Liver, Bowels, Kidneys, Skin and Blood. *Millions* testify to its efficacy in healing the above named diseases, and pronounce it to be the BEST REMEDY KNOWN TO MAN.

Guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia.

AGENTS WANTED.

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MAKE NEW RICH BLOOD,

And will completely change the blood in the entire system in three months. Any person who will take 1 Pill each night from 1 to 12 weeks, may be restored to sound health, if such a thing be possible. For curing Female Complaints these Pills have no equal. Physicians use them in their practice. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail for eight letter-stamps. Send for circular. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

DIPHTHERIA CROUP, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT will instantaneously relieve these terrible diseases, and will positively cure nine cases out of ten. Information that will save many lives sent free by mail. Don't delay a moment. Prevention is better than cure.

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An English Veterinary Surgeon and Chemist, now traveling in this country, says that most of the Horse and Cattle Powders sold here are worthless trash. He says that Sheridan's Condition Powders are absolutely pure and immensely valuable. Nothing on earth will make hens lay like Sheridan's Condition Powders. Dose, 1 teaspoonful to 1 pint food. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail for 8 letter-stamps. L. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

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Correspondence matter are invariably solicited, but inadmissable for publication, will be returned at their risk. Abusive or improper communications will not be inserted.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 7 1883.

[illegible] which Tilden was elected to the presidency, are the following statements concerning the tariff. This was democratic doctrine then and is today.

We denounce the present tariff, levied in nearly 4000 articles, as a masterpiece of injustice, inequality and false pretense.

It yields a swindling, not a yearly living revenue.

It has impoverished many industries to enrich a few.

It prevents imports that might purchase the products of American labor.

It has degraded American commerce from the first to an inferior rank on the high seas.

It has cut down the sale of American manufactures at home and abroad and depleted the returns of American agriculture—an industry followed by half our people.

It costs the people five times more than it produces to the treasury, obstructs the process of production and wastes the fruits of labor.

It promotes fraud, fosters smuggling, enriches officials and bankrupts honest merchants.

We demand that all custom house taxation shall be only for revenue."

THINK OF IT.

The Jackson Patriot calls the attention of farmers to a few things worth thinking of.

Let the farmers in this wheat growing section, as he sells his grain and buys implements and other articles for his farm, reflect that his hoe costs him 20 per cent. more than it should, his plow 30 per cent., the pine lumber for fencing and building two dollars a thousand feet, the paint for his house twenty-five per cent., the clothing for himself and family forty per cent. more than he would have to pay if he was not taxed to increase the profits of those who make these necessary articles, while the wheat which he sells is not advanced in price a single penny. His wheat is not and cannot be protected. The price he gets for it is determined by what it brings in Liverpool. Taxation of home products cannot regulate their price abroad.—Wheat is an exportable commodity and it can only bring the price fixed in the markets of the world. The price is not affected by the tariff in this country. Hence, plainly, whoever may be benefited by taxes levied on commodities the wheat grower is not benefitted. He is taxed that others may grow rich. He buys many articles that are advanced in price by taxation while the wheat he sells is not increased in price a penny by taxation. This is worth thinking of.

REFORM MUST BE GRADUAL

The Savannah News, which is one of the best papers in the South speaks these words on the subject of tariff reform.

Mr. David A. Wells, in the Princeton Review, recently examined the tariff question with the view of determining the probable effect of the repeal of the tariff on iron and iron manufactures, and showed that while temporary disorder would result from its removal, the consequence of this would be the transfer of the iron markets of the world from England. Commenting on Mr. Wells' paper, Bradstreet's, an eminently conservative journal, whose editor, William F. Ford, is one of the best posted journalists on the subject of finance and trade, remarks:

"We believe it to be certain that ultimately the United States will attain to industrial independence, but this should be brought about through gradual reductions rather than by a sudden transition to free trade. It is plain that there is growing up in the country a stronger and more widespread belief that a day not far distant the United States will be prepared to assert their industrial independence. It is to this growing force that we have sought to direct the attention of manufacturers to the end that it might be recognized rather than ignored."

This presents the question in a nutshell. Protection has long since been put on the defensive, and has been driven to call the lobby to its aid. Frantic appeals are made to the ignorant, but every new exposure of the inequalities of the protective system weakens it. There is not and will not be any disposition to overthrow the system at one blow. That cannot be done, but it can be undermined gradually till the fabric of injustice falls.—Then with a fair field and no favor the industrial supremacy of the United States will begin.

As it is, manufacturing industry in this country is in much the same position as the land was in feudal times. The manufacturing barons of our day are as much the masters of the people as the lords of the manors were of their serfs.

Reform is necessary and will be had, but, like all healthy reforms, it must be gradual and carefully studied. The people are being educated and that is half the battle.

The recent rains have been favorable for wheat and oats on high ground, but corn and potatoes are none the better for it.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Albion college art excursion to Coldwater, June 13.

The fruit prospect is favorable around Charlotte.

Diphtheria is quite prevalent a few miles south of Charlotte.

Bay View is vigorously preparing for the big camp meeting in August.

The Charlotte adventists will erect a church edifice the present season.

Postoffice ordered established at East Lake, Manistee county.

Albion college commencement exercises begin on the 21st inst.

Dr. Watson, of Saline, sold recently 18 hot sheets, averaging 13.800 lbs for dressing.

Charles Wolf, a middle aged German, committed by hanging, near St. Johns last week.

According to the new local option law in Ontario, the people will not adopt prohibition.

An attempt will be made to light Huronia beach with natural gas from a well to be drilled on the premises.

Competitive examination at Jackson, June 21, for a naval cadetship at the disposal of Congressman Lacey.

Henry Safford will soon assume the rectorship of Lyndon episcopal church.

The ladies' band of St. Johns has received its new uniforms and presents a fine appearance.

In a wrestling contest at Bellevue, the other night, John Allen, of Charlotte, had his arm broken.

Homer, Calhoun county, presbyterians vote to improve their house at a cost of $2,000 to $4,000.

Lowell citizens decide for water works, and will ask authority to bond the village in $30,000 in order to get them.

Calhoun county farmers' insurance company elected officers at Marshall last week. President, Abram Minges, of Battle Creek.

The mills at Manistique, Schoolcraft county, are running full-handed night and day. Everything in lumber is on the boom up there.

John Chappell, of Cambria, Hillsdale county, takes a 27½ pound fleece from a fine wool lamb. The fleece was grown in just a year.

Dr. R. C. Kedzie, of the Agricultural college, says sorghum sugar can be raised in Michigan at a cost of 3 cents a pound.

The sanitary condition of the Ionia prison is unusually good at present.—A week ago, aside from two or three rheumatics, every man was at work.

A man giving his name as Charles Sterling has been arrested at Cheboygan on charge of being one of the parties who burned the depot at Sterling.

Abraham Hoogerhyde, a Grand Rapids boy, is nursing a game leg, into which a toy pistol ball was fired by a companion. The ball was extracted.

Col. Wm. B. McCreery has been appointed commissioner to represent Michigan at the national exhibition of inlings, to be held in Denver this summer.

The St. Johns knights templar, having spent $1,500 on refitting and refurnishing their lodge room, now think they have the pleasantest room of the kind in the State.

Mrs. Wilkins, of Northville, who recently left home with $1,500 of her husband's money, was arrested at Ann Arbor last week. She had got away with $734 of the cash.

Ed. Dickey, who stabbed his friend Chas. Foss at Romeo a few days ago, has been sent to the house of correction for six months. Foss is recovering.

Annual meeting of the Ingham county pioneer society at Mason, June 12. Free dinner to all pioneers. Rev. Miss Augusta J. Chapin, of Ann Arbor, will be one of the speakers.

Ypsilanti's new sanitarium, for which the cellar is now being dug, will be a large building with 55 baths, reception and waiting rooms and all modern conveniences. The water will come in pipes a distance of half a mile.

Ezra McCoy, of Pontiac, was found dead, standing on his feet and leaning against the bed last week. A coroner's verdict said he died from drink. He lives alone, and leaves a widow and children from whom he had been for some time separated. His age was about 50.

At the celebration of the 86th birthday of Lankford Burdick, of Galesburg, Kalamazoo county, last week, there were present nine pioneers whose ages aggregated 834 years, an average of over 92 years each. One woman present, 81 years old, has made 26 bed quilts in two years.—Young folks will take off their hats for once.

Burglars entered Chas. Andrews' house at Midland last week in search of money that Andrews had received the day before. The money had been hidden by Andrews in one of his boots which a burglar happened to kick; the money rattled, the secret was out, and so were both money and thieves inside of one minute; amount, $520.

Rev. Father Wilds' EXPERIENCE.

The Rev. Z. P. Wilds, well-known city missionary in New York, and brother of the late eminent Judge Wilds, of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, writes as follows:

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The above instance of [illegible] constantly coming to our notice, which prove the perfect adaptability of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA to the cure of all diseases arising from impure or impoverished blood, and a weakened vitality.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

cleanses, vitalizes, and invigorates the blood, stimulates the action of the stomach and bowels, and thereby enables the system to resist and overcome the attacks of all scrofulous *Diseases, Eruptions of the Skin, Rheumatism, Catarrh, General Debility*, and all disorders resulting from impure or corrupted blood and a low state of the system.

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The Dr. S. A. Richmond Med. Co., Proprietors. St. Joseph, Mo. (11)

Correspondence freely answered by Physicians.

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SONGS NEVER SUNG.

"How does that verse run? Something like this isn't it?

There are who touch the music string,
And noisy fame is proud to win them:
After a fashion they do sing,
But die with all their music in them."

"Yes, that's beautiful, perfectly and true," said your representative. The poet alludes to people who are somehow suppressed and never get their full allowance of joy and air. Which reminds me of a letter shown me the other day by Hiscox & Co., of New York, signed by Mr. E. L. Williams, of Chapman, Snyder Co., Pa., a prominent businessman of that place. He writes:

"I have suffered with asthma for over forty years, and had a terrible attack in December and January, 1882. I hardly know what prompted me to take PARKER'S TONIC. I did so, and the first day I took four doses. The effect astonished me. That night I slept as if nothing was the matter with me, and have ever since. I have had colds since, but no asthma. My breathing is now as perfect as if I had never known that disease. If you know of anyone that has asthma, tell him in my name that PARKER'S TONIC will cure it—even after forty years." There was a man who escaped the fate of those whom the poet laments.

This preparation, which has heretofore been known as PARKER'S GINGER TONIC, will hereafter be advertised and sold under the name of PARKER'S TONIC. Inasmuch as ginger is really an unimportant ingredient, and unprincipled dealers are constantly deceiving their customers by substituting inferior preparations under the name of ginger, we drop the misleading word.

There is no change, however, in the preparation itself, and all bottles remaining in the hands of dealers, wrapped under the name of PARKER'S GINGER TONIC contain the genuine medicine if the fac simile signature of Hiscox & Co. is at the bottom of the outside wrapper.

ESTATE OF ARNER MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 1st day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinsie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner and Ambrose C. Arner, minors.

On reading and filing the petition of J. De Witt Arner, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 24 day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. june7

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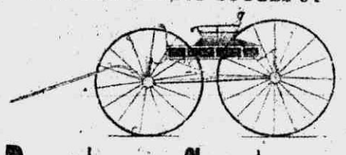

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I have devoted 25 years wholly to a study of the eye, and how to aid vision properly, and I make a specialty of fitting glasses to the eyes that have been injured by cheap, inferior glasses. I manufacture every kind of glasses, and guarantee satisfaction. Read what prominent physicians of Adrian say:

Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased, that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examining, and its application in selecting glasses to fit the eye can only be acquired by a knowledge of the useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes, with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants; poor glasses are an abomination.
V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.
DANIEL TODD, M.D.

I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles.
C. RYND, M.D.

Dr. B. Mincer and part of his family will visit Devils lake, upper landing, June 5th, and remain a few days. Parties desiring his services should remember the date.

For Sale Cheap,
And on easy terms, A FARM OF 120 ACRES, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles from the village of Brooklyn and ¼ mile from district schools. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. For further particulars call at the
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E. M. Conklin,	.25 Cuffs.
J. R. Freeman,	.20 Collar.
Al. Aten,	.10 Box Collars.
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Everybody happy that buy their CLOTHING of Kies Bros. The most complete stock in Southern Michigan.

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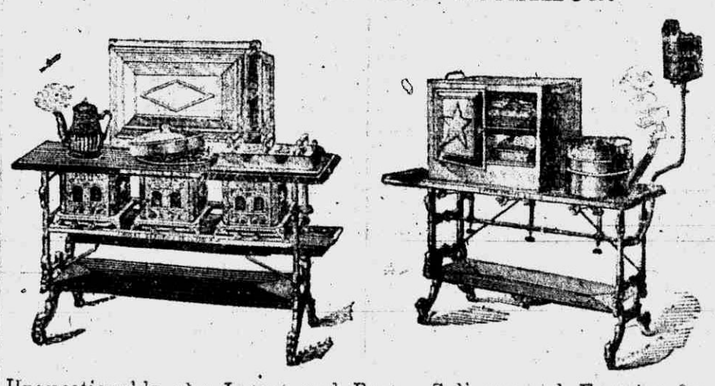

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Call and see those nicely trimmed hats for
$1.50 and $2.00
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MISS M. C. DINGMAN'S.
Rooms over Anderson's dry goods store.

Tecumseh Sewing Machine Agency!
G. P. Sparks, Proprietor.
The DOMESTIC AND WHITE stand at the head.
If you want a machine, buy the best. Call and see me or send a postal before buying. I will make it to your interest to do so.
I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.
Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $8.00 to $65.00.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STRAYED. One black breeding sow and eight black shoats. The finder will confer a favor by reporting their whereabouts at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A new lumber wagon, (of selected material) with either a patent hay or stock rack or box and seat, or both. I. B. RICHART.

WANTED. Dry or medium dry basswood at once. GEO. S. STACY.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse; this a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE. Sidwell and Kentucky strawberry plants, from S. T. Lyon's stock. $1.00 per hundred. Larger lots at a discount. S. C. STACY.

PURE BLOOD COTSWOLD BUCK for sale cheap. Call at my residence and examine him. S. C. STACY.

WANTED at once, a House and lot, worth from $1200 to $1500. All cash paid if wanted. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

100,000 LATE CABBAGE PLANTS. Special prices on quantities of 300 and upwards. Also potato, tomato, celery, pepper and egg plants. ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE. Blacksmith Shop. The shop, property and business owned and ran by W. O. Wells, in the village of Ridgeway, for sale cheap, if sold at once. For particulars and terms inquire of W. D. Wells on the premises.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Sutton & Swan is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued as heretofore under the firm name of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros., with whom the accounts of the old firm are left for settlement, the prompt attention of which is respectfully requested.
N. M. SUTTON,
J. B. SWAN.
Dated TECUMSEH, Mich., May 15th, 1883.

FOR SALE. House and lot situated on Logan street. Good barn, fruit, etc. Terms easy. For particulars inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

STRAYED. Into my enclosure one bay horse. The owner can obtain the same by proving property and paying charges. THEODORE S. SMITH.

EVERGREENS. Parties wishing to purchase evergreen trees in large or small quantities will find it to their advantage to correspond with the undersigned. All kinds of evergreens suitable for Michigan. Address
H. C. MILLER,
Conway,
Emmet Co., Mich.

Baker & Hall's soda fountain is now in full blast.

Alanson B. Miller, of Charlotte, an old-time resident of Tecumseh, has been shaking hands with friends here for the past few days. He looks hale and hearty.

The bridge work on the M. & O. goes on rapidly and forces are scattered all along the line. The work from Allegan to Battle Creek is completed with the exception of a part of the trestle work on the M. C. R. R. crossing, which can be completed after the trains are running.

Dr. C. M. Woodward received his commission last week as surgeon of 1st Mich. State Troops. He has served as assistant surgeon faithfully since 1879, and we are glad to see him get the promotion. The doctor served as surgeon five years during the war. Served faithfully and we congratulate him on his promotion.

A Hudson grocer read in an eastern paper that for $1.00 the advertiser would send a sewing machine charges paid and warranted perfect in every respect; the price was low, in order to introduce them. Hudson's sugar seller sent his dollar, and received a very fine polished needle, all threaded for use.

ORIGIN OF MEMORIAL DAY.

The Iowa State Register gives this version of the origin of Memorial Day, from which it appears that the custom was originated by Michigan women: In the course of an oration delivered at Des Moines on Memorial day, the orator said: "At Arlington Heights on the 13th of April, 1862, just one year after the fall of Sumter, Mrs. George B. Evans, of the Second Michigan, Mrs. Marcia May, wife of the chaplain of the same regiment, and her two daughters, Josie and Ella, gathered wild flowers and strewed them upon the graves of seventeen of the Fifth Michigan, one of the Seventh, and several unknown graves of other soldiers in the woods adjoining. In May, 1863, this same little band of ladies decked the graves of the dead at Arlington, and again in May, 1864, at Fredericksburg. * * * Of that little company of four ladies, two remain, Mrs. Evans, of Des Moines, and Miss Ella May, of Michigan.

THE WOOL PROSPECTS.

During the last month we have made steady and persistent efforts to develop the condition of the wool market of the country, in order to place the facts before the readers of the HERALD, believing that a large number of our readers have a very considerable pecuniary interest in the situation. We have dozens of letters from manufacturers, merchants, wool commission merchants and parties who have made it a business for years to handle wool. We intended to give a synopsis of them this week, but have been unable through press of other work to do so. From all we can gather, however, we conclude that the market will be a dragging one.—Farmers will not sell at the prices buyers will offer; at least they will not do so early in the season, and we predict, as the result, that it will take several months this year to market the clip which has usually been disposed of in as many weeks. Many dealers will not come into the market this year at its opening, and those who do show up will try and buy the best clips at from 28c. to 30c. per lb., and from present outlook, this is, perhaps all the market will warrant them in paying. All we can say is that at present we would not sell, but wait a little for further developements. The situation is liable to change, and that too, suddenly.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 7, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The lawn mowers are all kept busy now days.

Slayton & Son's warehouse is ready for the roof.

"Calvin" Stevens is now working for Wm. DeMott again.

Barnum and Jumbo at Adrian on Wednesday, June 20th.

We want all burglars to understand that we sleep in our best pants.

Spring has come sure. The small boy is paddling around barefoot.

The Baptist society of Morenci are building a new parsonage this summer.

Painters are busy improving the looks of Monroe street this season. Good work.

Sullivan's troupe played "Shiel Agar" at the opera house last Tuesday evening.

Good fishing now in the ponds, and many nice pickerel and bass are being captured.

See the bargains that Gainsley & Co. are offering in their advertisement on 8th page.

What has become of all of our base ball players. Can't you get up a game among yourselves.

The young folks had another hop in Bidwell's hall last Thursday evening. A good time reported.

A letter lately received from Rev. W. G. Puddefoot conveys the intelligence that he has settled at St. Ignace.

Deacon O. S. Stevens has been visiting his son, Dept. Sheriff Stevens, for a few days. He is now 86 years old and enjoys robust health and looks as though he was good for twenty years more. He expects to return to his home in Memphis, Mich., to-morrow.

Last week Wednesday Mr. R. F. Harriott, who lives near Penningtons Corners, was missed from his home, and his family searched two days for him in vain. On Friday his dead body was found lying in one of the fields on his own farm. It is supposed that he must have been stricken with an attack of heart disease.

In the list of decorated graves that of Lieut. Sam. M. Kneeland was inadvertently omitted. Perry Hosmer, who marked the graves, had no personal acquaintance with Lieut. Kneeland, and no one else happened to notice the omission until afterwards.—Mr. Hosmer wishes to make all the amends in his power by thus publicly apologizing for the occurrence of the accident.

Rev. Geo. Price and Mrs. John Perrin, of Tecumseh, and Nicholas Willis, and Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Yates, of Ridgeway, started last Tuesday for a trip across the big water. They will be gone several weeks, most of the summer probably, and hope to pass many pleasant days among the scenes of long ago. May favorable winds waft them over and bring them safely home again.

Geo. L. Graves, Esq., of Milwaukee, arrived in town last Saturday and remained until Monday evening. Miss Anna Powers, his niece, who has been residing in his family for the past four months, returned home with him, and she will remain here for the present. Mr. Graves seems to be enjoying excellent health and fortune has smiled upon him in his business ventures. He was kept busy shaking hands while here and his friends only regretted that he could not prolong his stay.

Adrian Press: Gil Osmun, of the Evening News, has been elected chaplain of the "third house" at Lansing. His devotional exercises are marked with great simplicity. The brothers are assembled, (at the bar), ready for the opening exercises, and in a sweet, yet solemn voice, Gil impressively says: "Turn, sinners, turn; wine is a mocker and strong drink is raging; be not giving to mockery, nor let your hearts be filled with rage, but that you may properly legislate, conform yourselves to law-ger." Each sinner "turns" and drinks. These exercises are always well attended, and like those of the W. C. T. U., open and close every session.

Dr. S. Catlin is absent from home this week in attendance upon the annual convention of the American Medical Association, which meets at Cleveland on the 5th inst., and continues in session four days. The Doctor is a permanent member of the association, having joined the same on May 5th, 1853, just thirty years ago last month. He was then a delegate from Litchfield county, Conn., at the session of the Association held in New York city. This was only a few months before he came to Tecumseh to reside. He returned home one hour in advance of the fatal train which met with an accident at Norwalk, Conn., by which several members of the Association lost their lives. We saw the Doctor's card of membership and also a bill of fare, printed on silk, of a banquet given to the Medical Association at Metropolitan Hall in New York city.

This is a nice day.

Reduced railroad rates on the day of Barnum's show at Adrian.

Ed. Leaur, of Monroe, was the guest of Henry Smith last Sunday.

Mr. Sam'l C. Sharp, of Chicago, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Wm. H. Mather has gone to Constantine to attend the funeral of his mother.

Delos LeBaron, of Toledo, spent Tuesday night among his old Tecumseh friends.

The annual rope-walker gave an exhibition on Chicago street last Saturday evening.

Next week we will publish a full list of the books selected by the Library Association.

Jas. B. Kennedy is now 2d lieutenant of Co. C, and we extend to him our congratulations.

The Morenci Company have received new caps and jackets, which gives them a nobby appearance.

The Morenci Observer is one county exchange short. It does not receive the Adrian Press any more.

The races at Brooklyn began yesterday, and a number of our horsemen have gone over to see the fun.

The temperance people of southwestern Lenawee contemplate a grand rally at Morenci some time in June.

Hannibal Osborn has been in Toledo lately in the commission business. In six weeks he handled 10,500 crates of eggs.

Rev. H. F. Cochrane, of Rome, will occupy the Baptist pulpit in this village, next Sunday, in exchange with the pastor.

It is requested that those persons subscribing stock to the Library Association should pay the same as soon as possible.

John and Horace Eddy and their wives, of Vinton, Iowa, sons of Crowell Eddy, of Clinton, are at home making a visit.

Generally at this time the first strawberries are being picked, but this year the plants have hardly begun to set their fruit.

P. W. Adams left Tecumseh yesterday morning for his home in Delaware. Come again, Waller, we are always glad to see you.

An amatuer poetess anxiously wails: "Oh, where can I find rest?" Get a position as saleswoman in a store that doesn't advertise, darling.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Hayden returned to their home in this village yesterday noon from their extended western trip. They report having had a good time.

Swick & Munger is the name of the new firm; they having consolidated their stocks. Both are good workmen and we bespeak for them a liberal patronage.

Dr. D. F. Murray, the dentist who has been operating here for the past week, has left his preparation at Wright's drug store where all who desire can obtain it.

An old wool buyer informs us that salt and water is the best preparation known for washing wool tags. It is used in the proportion of one quart of common salt to half a barrel of water. Of course more salt would do no harm.

Two o'clock Tuesday morning at Chicago Barnum's circus tent caught fire and was entirely consumed. The loss is estimated at $16,000. The management had a duplicate tent on hand and the show went on as usual the next evening.

Shall we celebrate the Fourth? is now the question which agitates some of our patriotic citizens. Every village and cross-roads in the country proposes to celebrate, and why should we stand idly by and keep our enthusiasm bottled up.

Coal dealers are already purchasing their stock for the next campaign and say that prices range higher than last season. This is well calculated to make consumers whose base burners are still in operation turn blue about the gills, but thank heaven the next will probably be an open winter.

Saturday night as Michigan Central laborers were engaged in laying a side track across the T. & M. railroad at Marshall, a portion of the Marshall fire department turned out with an engine and turned a stream on the laborers, causing them to surrender. The T. & M. road was watched all day Sunday to prevent the Central crossing.

Postmaster General Gresham has issued orders that postmasters of first and second-class offices must personally attend to their duties, and must not absent themselves without permission from Washington. Violation of this rule renders them liable to removal. A number of applications for leave of absence are already received at the department.

Monroe Democrat: The Reporter tells of a Dundee man who while fishing in the mill pond one day last week caught an eel measuring twenty-eight inches in length, and affects to think it something strange, but we have heard of Dundee men seeing eels by scores at dead of night miles from any water. Nothing strange about that, Carr, in the least. You are a new comer and are not yet acclimated.

TELEPHONE TALK

The state telephone line was opened for business in this village one year ago the 29th day of this month, and the local exchange was in running order early in July. The latter began business with 27 instruments and there are now 46 in the exchange, and the prospects are favorable for adding ten or fifteen more within the next few weeks. The telephone is no longer an experiment. It has become an established institution, as much so as the telegraph, and will be used for short lines of communication as generally as the telegraph is for long distance, within a very few months at the outside. New state lines are in process of construction and new local exchanges are being put in all over the state. These two branches of the service stimulate and aid each other. The more towns are connected by the telephone the more valuable is the service of a local instrument. A new directory was issued on June 1st, which will soon be distributed to our patrons, from which appear that the following Michigan towns are now connected in the different state circuits:

MICHIGAN CITIES.

Adrian,	Leslie,
Almont,	Lexington,
Ann Arbor,	Mason,
Base Lake,	Manchester,
Bellville,	Marine City,
Birmingham,	Marysville,
Blissfield,	Milan,
Brighton,	Monroe,
Carsonville,	Moorville,
Chelsea,	Mt. Clemens,
Clarkston,	Novi,
Clinton,	Northville,
Clayton,	Pinckney,
Croswell,	Pontiac,
Delhi Mills,	Port Huron,
Detroit,	Plymouth,
Dexter,	Richmond,
Drayton Plains,	Ridgeway Station,
Farmington,	Roseville,
Flat Rock,	Romeo,
Flint,	Royal Oak,
Flushing,	St. Clair,
Fowlerville,	Saline,
Grass Lake,	Sandusky, Mich.
Hudson,	Tecumseh,
Holly,	Toledo, Ohio.
Howell,	Wayne,
Imlay City,	Waterford,
Jackson,	Williamston,
Lansing,	Ypsilanti.

CANADIAN TOWNS.

Amherstburg,	Cottam,
Essex Centre,	Kingsville,
Leamington,	Maidstone Cross,
Ruthven,	Windsor.

ADRIAN EXCHANGE.

Adrian Brick and Tile Manufacturing Co.
Adrian College.
Anglim, Edward, grocer.
Applegate, T. S., residence.
Austin, Goodsell & Rose, planing mill,
Bachtell & Todd, livery.
Baker, D. M., lumber office.
Baker, D. M., residence.
Baker, D. M., up-town office.
Beals & Colvin, grocers.
Bean & Underwood, lawyers.
Bean, Seth, residence.
Bennett, J. R. & Co., drug store.
Bennett, J. R., residence.
Berry, Jas., lumber office.
Bliss, A. L., examiner of titles.
Bowerfind, Chas., bakery.
Boyd, R. W., meat market.
Bruce & Hamilton, hardware.
Bury, R. A., lumber agt. office.
Bury, R. A., residence.
Central Hotel.
Central School.
Chaloner, C. A., Public Telephone Station and Cigar store.
Chittenden, M. E. & Co., tobacco and oil.
Clark, Baker & Co., wholesale cheese dealers.
Cleveland, W. H., grocer.
Comstock Bros., planning mill.
Consolidated Granite Works.
Corbin, Wm., residence.
County Clerk's office.
Council Room.
Crane, Will H., residence.
Cutler, W. H., residence.
Dean, A. J., residence.
Deaninger Bros., mill.
Draa, S. P., residence.
Engine No. 1,
Engine No. 2.
Everiss, M. & Co., undertakers.
Fee, J. H., residence.
Foster, H. F., printing office.
Fox, Valentine E., confectioner and caterer.
Fulton Bros., meat market.
Gas Works, office.
Gilkey, E. C., grocer.
Gilkey, J. R., insurance.
Gilliland, Robt., residence.
Gimbert, Thomas, Lime Warehouse.
Hand, W. H., residence.
Hardy, C. D., residence.
Hart, H. V. C., residence.
Hart & Shaw, drug store.
Harrison, W. H., residence.
Hayden, C. J., residence.
Hock, F. & C., drugs and groceries.
Howell, Seymour, residence.
Hough, F. J., insurance office.
Hough, F. J., residence.
Hull, Dr. H. D., office.
Hull, Dr. H. D., residence.
Humphrey, Chas., book store.
Hunter, Thos. M., residence.
Jail, Sheriff's office.
Jermain, T. D., residence.
Jewett, Dr. W. E., physician.
Johnson & Wheeler, drugs and groceries.
Kaiser, R. A., brewery.
Kimball, Dr. N. H., residence.
Kimball, W. E. & Son, factory.
Kimball, W. E. & Son, furniture store.
Kimball, W. E. & Son, residence.
King, A. C., residence.
King, H. N., residence.
Ladd & Clement, Jelly Mfrs.
L. S. & M. S. R. R., telegraph office.
L. S. & M. S. R. R., frieght office.
L. S. & M. S. R. R., car shops.
L. S. & M. S. R. R., pump house.
Lambie & Corbin, Adrian Packing Co.
Lawrence Hotel.
Long, M. P., residence.
Mason, J. G. residence.
Merritt, J. A., residence.
Metcalf, Ira A. & Co., dry goods.
Metcalf, David, residence.
Millard, Weaver & Weaver, law office.
Miller, C., law office.
Miller, C., residence.
Moreland Bros. & Crane, tobacco.
Mumford, W. B., books, stationery.
North branch school.
Peninsular car shops.
Post office.
Reed, P. A., drugs.
Reform school.
Roller Mills, flour, etc.
Rose Mfg. Co., mill office.
Rynd, Dr. Chas., residence.
Secord, A. P., residence.
Sickles, Howard, livery.
Smith, S. B., residence.
Smith & Tobey, bankers.
Stacy, C. A., law office.
Stephenson, Dr. R., residence and office.
Stevenson, A. & Son, lumber yard.
Stevenson, A. & Son, lumber office.
Stowers & Fitzgerald, grocers.
Sword, C. D., residence.
Sword, P. L., residence.
Times & Expositor, office.
Underwood, W. A., residence.
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, freight office.
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, telegraph.
Warner & Doolittle, feed store.
Watts, R. A., law office.
Weaver, C. E., residence.
Westerman & Westerman, law office.
West Branch School.
Western Union Telegraph Office.
Wetmore & Belding, hardware.
Wetmore, C. I., residence.
Whitney, Mrs. R. H.
Whitney & Wilcox, corn exchange bank.
Weaver, Chas. M., residence.
Weisinger, G. & Son., drugs.
Williams, Jewett, residence.
Williams, Jewett; store,
Wilcox Bros., hardware.
Young, Chas. & Son, grocers.

TECUMSEH EXCHANGE.

Anderson, W. & S. W. & Co., dry goods.	Kennedy, A. E. cigar store
Anderson, S. W. res.	Lilley, Bidwell & Co., bankers.
Brewer, H. & Co. foundry	Lowry, James, groceries.
Bidwell, L. I., livery.	L. S. & M. S. R'y, freight office.
Bills, O. P. & Co., bank.	McClure, H. groceries.
Brewer, A. L., res.	Mills, A. W., office.
Comfort, W., flour mills.	Mills, A. W., res.
Cole, J. W., meat market.	Marstellar, S. F., office.
Common Council, Engineer's res.	Slayton & Son, office.
Central school.	Snedicor, W. N. & Co.
Clark & Bird, livery.	Stacy Bros., HERALD office.
East branch school.	Stacy Bros., res.
Hayden, Wm., Globe Mills.	Stacy, G. N., cigar box factory.
Hayden, Wm., res.	Sink, W. H.
Heck Bros., flour mills.	Temple, S. W., lumber office.
House & James, office.	U. S. Express Co.,
House, Dr. R. B. res.	Wood, E. B., law office.
Hammond, Prof., res.	W. U. Telegraph Co.
Jones, Dr. O. Q. res.	
Kies Bros., clothing.	

CLINTON EXCHANGE.

Erskine, Vet, Hotel.	Smith, Ind & Son, dry goods store.
Freese, E. W., clothing store.	Smith, Ed. R., res.
Kies, J. S. res.	Smith & Schreder, farm house.
Marstellar, S. F. res.	Van Demark, Ed., res.
Randall, B. O. & Co., drug store.	

Residents of Tecumseh who have an idea of taking a local instrument will find it to their advantage to commence the first of July. They will then have the advantage of the summer and fall business. We expect to see the Tecumseh list of subscribers largely increased before the first of next August.

HOUSE BREAKING.

Last Tuesday morning about three o'clock Dr. R. B. House was aroused by a slight rustling at his window, but supposing it was the wind blowing the shade, thought nothing of it. A little later he heard another noise and getting up discovered that his pantaloons were missing. He then put on his other pants and started in pursuit. Deputy Sheriff Stevens was notified and the two gentlemen scoured the neighborhood, but found no trace of anyone. The doctor returned home and went to bed, but after a little while made up his mind to look around a little more. He found a suspicious looking character, and after some positive persuasion took said man to the lockup. The chap would not give his name and was consequently arrested for house breaking as a man whose name is unknown and who refuses to give his name, and described as a man about 23 years old, about 5 ft. 8 inches high, wearing a No. 9 shoe and No. 4 hat, with light complexion and holes in the heels of his stockings. The chap was found under suspicious circumstances and has been seen here before some weeks since. The officers think that they have sufficient evidence to convict him.

Since writing the above, we have found out that his name is John Durhine. He is brother of Chas. Durhine, city recorder of Ann Arbor, and he also has a brother in the cigar business in Ann Arbor.

A number of houses have been broken into here this winter and spring, and it is about time something was done to find out and convict the parties. The Doctor lost nothing and held the chap up in good shape, and we hope that if he is found guilty no pains will be spared to give him all the law allows.

Every day adds to the popularity of Wm. McCowen's furniture establishment, and it is a generally conceded fact that first-class furniture can be purchased cheaper there than at any other establishment in Lenawee county. Every day he ships load after load to the different townships and when a person buys once of him they are sure to go there the second time. His stock is full and he respectfully invites all to call and examine his goods and learn prices before purchasing elsewhere.

R. C. VanAntwerp has his ice cream parlors over Marsden's shoe store again this summer, and he makes just as good cream as ever. If you don't believe it give him a call and see for yourself.

A. E. Kennedy's cigar store and news depot was connected by telephone yesterday. "Chuck" proposes to keep posted about base ball.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. have the contract for furnishing all the building material for several depots on the M. & O. railroad.

The annual pic-nic of the Farmer's Social Club of Clinton and Tecumseh will be held at Putnam's landing, Sand Lake, Thursday, June 21.

An exchange says: "Every man carrying a pistol ought to be obliged by law to wear it in a belt at his side and have it labeled "emotional insanity."

The streets of Tecumseh were so crowded with horses and people last Saturday afternoon and evening that it was almost impossible to pass or repass.

An exchange quotes the following old couplet, and if the prediction proves true there will be an abundant harvest:

"A dry April and a wet May
Fills the barns with corn and hay."

Thos. Lee, of Macon, took a splendid span of matched geldings to Detroit last week Tuesday and sold them to Wm. A. Butler, the banker for $700 cash down. It was a good sale, yet the team was well worth the money. Mr. Butler tried them all day and had them thoroughly examined by competent horsemen.

The Universalist society of York will hold their annual Lawn Social at the residence of Mrs. Mary Phillips, in York, Friday afternoon and evening, June 15, 1883. In the afternoon there will be a diversity of pleasant amusements, such as glass ball shooting, base ball, croquet, etc. In the evening there will be a dance. Bill only 50 cents.

—Do not fail to examine those Golden Star gasoline stoves as they have decided improvements as regards points of safety that are invaluable to all practical housekeepers at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Sewing Machines to rent, or sell on the installment plan by the agent of the Singer Co., Landgraf block.

—Have you seen the new Buckeye Spring Tooth Cultivator. The finest tool ever offered to the farmer for corn and equally good for fallow. Call at once on Slayton & Son and look it over.

—The Golden Star Oil Range is the latest success in summer stoves at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Low rents and light expenses makes low prices at Barrows' gallery opposite opera house.

—Call on the agent of the "Genuine Singer" in the Landgraf block, for sewing machines, needles, oils, and attachments.

—Yard Wide Lonsdale finish Bleached 8c. A. B. Cotton.

—300 vols. new and handsomely bound books to be sold at nearly one-half publisher's price. Call and secure the bargains at Adams' Novelty Store, Tecumseh.

—Do you see this. Pictures for frames only 50 cts. each at Barrows' gallery, opposite opera house.

—The following good goods are to be had at these very low figures of A. W. Slayton, Tecumseh:
Carpet Sweeper, $1.50.
Iron Axle Wagon, $1.50.
Child's Toy Cart, 25c.
Large pipe box Boys Wagon, $2.00.
A splendid pair of pillows, $3.75.
Six good strong chairs, $3.50.
Hat rack, iron hook, 50c.
Fine bed, with castors, $3.00.
Lovely comb case with glass, 99c.
All at A. W. Slayton's.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

—Lydia Pinkham is dead. But Barrow still lives. Get 4 pictures for 50 cents. Opposite opera house.

—Special pains taken in filling and preserving the natural teeth at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
WELCOME SHERMAN.
The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—Barrows' tin types seem to be popular. No wonder. 6 for 75 cts. and 2 for nothing. Opposite opera house.

Vitalized Air can be taken and your teeth all extracted without pain at Dr. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Land Fertilizing Salt, only $6 a ton, at S. W. Temple's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at S. W. Temple's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Yard Wide Fine Muslin 5 and 6c. A. B. Cotton.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

The Celebrated Ohio Land Plaster, $6 per ton at S. W. Temple's.

THE DEERING!

First Born of all the Twine Binders,

Views with pleasure the efforts of its children to emulate the virtues of their progenitor.

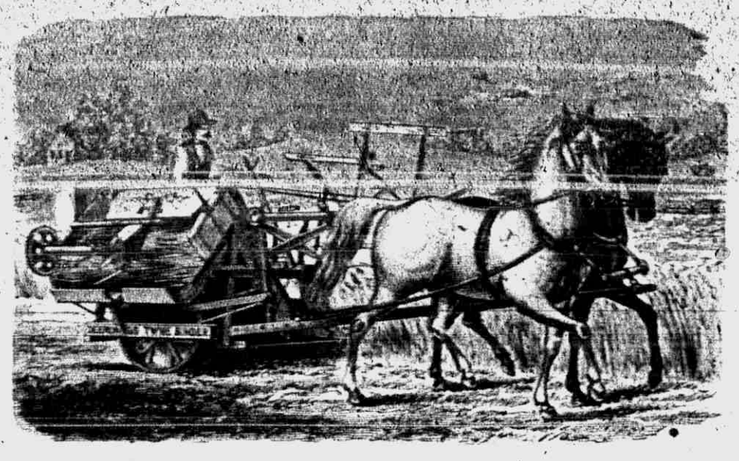

We were the first to blind with the [illegible]
Perfection ever [illegible]
Old fogy machines got left behind
When farmers saw the [illegible]

We work farther into the [illegible]
No competition [illegible]
We test and [illegible]
The morals of the [illegible]

[illegible] at the head of [illegible] as the Deering Twine Binder [illegible] not merely from those who use [illegible] to confess its admirable qualities.

The many reasons why a sensible, economical farmer selects the DEERING in preference to all others:

1st. Because in the field no Binder has been so reliable, so free from breakages.

2d. The season of 1882 was one Grand Triumph for the Deering. In spite of the tangled and fallen condition of the grain, it picked up and bound it cleaner and more perfectly than could have been done by hand.

3d. In field trials and at fairs it has been universally successful, carrying off more prizes than any other machine made.

4th. It was the ONLY Binder last Harvest that separated every sheaf in the worst tangled grain.

5th. The binding [illegible] attention for operation, no lost trip to operate, no moving the binder backward, [illegible] to bind the grain, no [illegible] for the bundles to be tied, but all the grain goes into the [illegible] and is bound in neat, [illegible] sheaves of exactly the same size.

6th. Every sheaf is firmly and symmetrically compressed, and then tied with a firm, unyielding band of twine.

7th. There is no equal to the Deering in twine.

8th. ITS NEW KNOTTYER CONTAINS LESS PIECES OF CLOCK WORK THAN ANY OTHER SERVICEABLE BINDER MADE. [illegible] Harvester and Binder as readily [illegible] and stopping.

9th. There is no [illegible] adjustment as the Deering Binder Reel. It can be placed in every [illegible] in operation.

10th. The Deering [illegible] at the same time the lightest draft.

11th. It is many [illegible] only the best materials are used and the most skilled workmen are employed, therefore it [illegible] and get out of repair.

12th. The Deering [illegible] and grain wheel in a greater distance than any other. [illegible]

13th. The Deering has been often tried, never denied, and ready and willing to be tried again.

It has GRAY [illegible] and is in all edds the best finished machine in the market. It is sold exactly [illegible] and its agents do not resort to [illegible] acts to make sales.

J. R. CAIRNS & SON, TECUMSEH, Mich. JACKSON, Mich., April 30, 1883.

GENTLEMEN—Replying to your favor of 24th inst., permit me to say that I am surprised that you or any intelligent man whatever, would notice for a moment the story told by your competitors that all the Deering Binders sent into Michigan this year were 1882 machines painted over. Surely your competing Binders must be without any substantial merits to recommend them to the farmers of Lenawee county, if their agents are obliged to resort to such dirty work as this in order to make their sales.

You are hereby authorized to use my name at any and all times to pronounce such statements as wilfull and deliberate falsehoods, told by men who know they are [illegible] when they peddle such stuff.

So far from this being the case, Mr. Deering is now running his shops on his twelvth thousand for 1883, double the number of any other manufacturer. Is it likely or probable that he would build so many if he had been forced to carry over the amount stated by your competing friends, or even one-half, or one-fourth as many.

The truth of the matter is, Mr. Deering has not been able to fill all his orders at any time since he has commenced building his present perfect binder, and now with his force turning out 300 of those new knotters every day, he can't begin to fill his orders. I am waiting now for machines for Michigan, where orders were sent in three weeks ago.

As to our new knotter being an experiment, I ask you as a candid man, if it is at all reasonable, or to be thought of for a moment, that Mr. Deering, knowing that he had already the best binder in the world, would invest $150,000 in putting this knotter on 15,000 binders if it was only an experiment. No, indeed it has been thoroughly tested in every possible condition of grain in the heavy straw of 1882, and the green wheat in Texas in 1883.

We warrant it the best knot-tyer for Binders now known.

Now in conclusion, allow me to suggest that you will not under any circumstances, and I know you are too far above such, resort to the dirty, slimy work by which some machines are forced on the market. Mr. Deering has, by twenty-five years of straightforward, honorable conduct, built up one of the finest industries in the United States, and cannot afford to wreck it by conducting his business in an unbusiness like manner such as you speak of. He can, and will meet all honorable competition, but when it becomes necessary to resort to trickery and very questionable methods, to sell his machines, he will withdraw them from the market and retire from their manufacture.

Very Truly Yours,

JESSE L. BERCH,
GENERAL AGENT.

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Office and Warerooms opposite Opera House,

Tecumseh, - - Michigan.

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A Positive Cure for Consumption In All Stages.

For Bleeding of the Lungs, Night Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Influenza, Asthma, and all affections of the Lungs it has no equal.

Dr. Rush's Specific for Consumption is recommended by all the leading physicians who are acquainted with its virtues.

Price, Large Size, $1.00. Small Size, 50 cts.

Sold by Druggists everywhere.

Dr. Willoughby, the attending physician at the Sisters' Hospital and one of Buffalo's most prominent members of the medical profession, has used it in his practice and says:

BUFFALO, Aug. 17, 1882.

Dr. Rush's Medical Association:

Dear Doctors—I unhesitatingly add my name to the list of regular practitioners who have recommended your "Specific for Consumption." I have used it for many years in my practice for all pulmonary affections, and have always been more than satisfied with the results. I consider it the best compound known for all lung diseases.

Yours, M. WILLOUGHBY, M. D.

Dr. Howard, Professor of Anatomy, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Buffalo, N. Y., says:

Dr. Rush's Medical Association:

Dear Doctors—I have used your Specific for Consumption in my practice for years, with the best results. I consider it a sure cure for consumption, if taken according to directions.

Yours, truly, C. F. HOWARD, M. D.

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A SURE CURE FOR ALL DISEASES OF THE HEART.

Dr. Rush's "Regulator" has never failed to give relief. It has been used successfully for years, in subduing the most stubborn cases of heart difficulties.

Large Size, - - $1.00
Small Size, - - .50

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Wm. G. Osgoodby, the well-known safe manufacturer of Buffalo, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Newark, and Atlanta, Ga., says:

Office of Osgoodby's Improved Safes, 17 South Broad Street, ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 17th, 1881.

Dr. Rush's Medical Association:

Dear Doctors—The three bottles of Dr. Rush's Regulator I ordered were received by express last week. I have taken nearly one bottle and am highly satisfied with the result. For over two years I have been troubled with sharp pain at my heart. My physician, upon examination, pronounced it an enlargement of the heart, and was unable to give me any relief. The trouble grew worse, until I had become convinced that I could not live. While in New York City, last week, I called on one of the most prominent physicians there, who charged me $25 for an examination and then recommended your "Regulator." Knowing you to be a regular Medical Association, and not a patent medicine scheme, I ordered the three bottles. I have not been troubled since I commenced taking it, but shall continue and take the entire three bottles to make a permanent cure. You have my sincere thanks. I am, gentlemen,

Very respectfully, WM. G. OSGOODBY.

DR. RUSH'S BLOOD ROOT OIL

Gives immediate relief in all cases of

RHEUMATISM

Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quincy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns, and Scalds. General Bodily Pains, Teeth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

Dr. Rush's Blood Root Oil has no equal in the world as a liniment or oil. It is a *cheap, safe, simple and sure* external remedy for man or beast. It is put up in two sizes. Price 25 & 50 cts. Sold by druggists everywhere.

Cured of Rheumatism in Two Hours.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 2, 1882.

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Gentlemen—I have been troubled with rheumatism for two years. I tried all the best advertised oils and liniments and many eminent physicians without relief. The last Doctor I visited recommended "Dr. Rush's Blood Root Oil." I purchased a large bottle for fifty cents and applied it. In two hours I was relieved, and now am entirely well. Its effects are wonderful, and I believe it the only thing in the world which will cure rheumatism.

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PREVENT & CURE Constipation and Piles. A sure remedy for Biliousness, Torpidity of the Liver, Jaundice and all Liver Complaints. It gives immediate Relief in Sick and Nervous Headache. They cleanse the stomach and thus remove all bad tastes from the mouth and make the breath pure and sweet. Remove all Impurities and Sallowness from the complexion.—Pleasant to take and agreeable in their action. Entirely unlike other Pills. Purely vegetable. Price 25 cents.

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The above preparations are prepared by Dr. Rush's Medical Association, in which Dr. Rush is associated with the most prominent specialists of both Europe and America. Special treatment can be obtained for any disease. These medicines are the regular prescriptions for the diseases mentioned, and never fail to give relief. They can be obtained in Detroit, Mich., at wholesale of FARRAND, WILLIAMS & CO., and any druggist will gladly obtain them for you upon application, or they can be obtained of us direct. Address

DR. RUSH'S *Medical Association,* Buffalo, N. Y., U.S.A.

A Liberal Translation.

A young lady, moving in the most excellent society circles of Galveston, after much toil and practice at the piano, learned to play with considerable dexterity a piece entitled "Picnic Polka." It is something after the style of the celebrated "Battle of Prague," in which the listener can readily distinguish the roar of artillery, the rattle of musketry, the shouts of the soldiers, and the groans of the dying. In the "Picnic Polka" the moan of the wind among the trees and the joyous carols of the birds are reproduced, the finale being a thunder-shower which disturbs the sylvan revelers. It happens that a country cousin is in town just now, and the young lady thought she would play the piece to him and hear his comment. He is a plain, simple-minded youth, and although not very bright, is very appreciative. She told him what the piece was and then proceeded to give him the "Picnic Polka." The first notes were military and imitating, the audacious sought to be overcome by the sudden solitude of the place, upon which the gentle zephyr (not better sight). After she got through the prelude, she asked him if he did not almost imagine himself in a lodge in some vast wilderness. He replied that he thought [illegible] of getting off. Said he, "There is always some darned fellow who oversleeps himself and keeps everybody else waiting."

She did not care to discuss the point with the ignorant fellow, so, to conceal her emotions, she once more let herself out on the piano. The woods were filled with music. The mocking-bird whistled as if his throat would split, the cuckoo filled the sylvan bowers with his repeated cry, while ever and anon the mournful cooing of the dove interrupted the matin song of the lark.

"There, now, I guess you know what that sounds like," she said, as she paused.

"You mean that tootle, tootle, chug, chug, chug? You just bet I understand that. Many is the time at picnics I've heard it from the mouth of a demijohn or the bunghole of a beer keg."

Her first impulse was to hurl the piano stool at him, but it passed off, and once more she went at the piano as if it were the young man's head and was insured for double its value. The thunder growled, the lightning flashed from her eyes, and the first heavy drops are heard upon the leaves. She banged and mauled the keys at a fearful rate; peal after peal of deafening thunder perturbed the atmosphere and re-echoed in still louder reverberations until it wound up in one appalling clap as a grand finale. Then, turning to the awe-struck youth, she said:

"I suppose you have heard something like that before?"

"Yes, that's what the fellow with linen pants said when he set down on the custard pie."

The audience found himself alone, but he picked up his hat and sauntered out into the street, densely unconscious that he had said anything out of the way.

Daughters, Wives and Mothers.

We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a Female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflamation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhea, besides many weaknesses springing from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Prices $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

Every man shall assuredly meet with an hour of temptation, a certain critical hour, which will especially try him.

Bilious Colic Cured by Rheumatic Syrup.

Wolcott, N. Y., June 18, '82.

Rheumatic Syrup Co.:—Gents—A few weeks since, while suffering with bilious colic, which rendered me unfit for business, I was advised to try a bottle of your Syrup. I had no faith in it at all, at that time, for the reason that I had tried so many things in years past without receiving any relief, but before the first bottle was emptied I was feeling better than I had for many years. I know now that I have tried it that it is the greatest remedy that exists in the world, and I feel proud to recommend the Rheumatic Syrup to all sufferers from bilious colic, for I am satisfied it has cured me. Wishing you every success with your most wonderful Syrup I am sincerely yours,

Walter W. White.

The outside fiber of the cocoanut is now used for shoe heels, and is said to be a good substitute for leather.

The Conflict

Between disease and health, is often brief and fatal. It is better to be provided with cheap and simple remedies for such common disorders as coughs, colds, &c., than to run the risk of contracting a fatal disease through neglect. Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam is a sure and safe remedy for all diseases of the lungs and chest. If taken in season it is certain to cure and may save you from that terrible disease consumption. It has been known and used for many years in America and it is no exaggeration to say that it is the best remedy in the world for Coughs, &c. Ask for Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, and take no other. Sold by all Druggists.

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Though, originally, a New England medicine, has acquired an almost world-wide reputation, solely through its intrinsic merit as the best remedy for all disorders of the Stomach, such as Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Costiveness, &c., &c.

It is said that fully one-third of the Roman Catholics of St. Louis are believers in spiritualism.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

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CURE Sick-Headache, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Indigestion, Constipation, and PURIFY THE BLOOD.

NOTICE.—Without a particle of doubt Kermott's Pills are the most popular of any one [illegible] Having been before the public for a quarter of a century, and having always performed more than promised for them, they merit the success they have attained. Price, 25c. per box. For sale by all druggists.

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If you are sick Hop Bitters will surely aid Nature in making you well when all else fails.

If you are costive or dyspeptic, or are suffering from any other of the numerous diseases of the stomach or bowels, it is your own fault if you remain ill, for Hop Bitters are a sovereign remedy in all such complaints.

If you are wasting away with any form of Kidney Disease, stop tempting death this moment and turn for a cure to Hop Bitters.

If you are sick with that terrible sickness, Nervousness, you will find a "Balm in Gilead" in the use of Hop Bitters.

If you are a frequenter, or a resident of a malarious district, barricade your system against the poisons of all countries—malarial, endemic, bilious and intermittent fevers—by the use of Hop Bitters.

If you have a rough, pimply or sallow skin, bad breath, pains and aches, and feel miserable generally, Hop Bitters will give you fair skin, rich blood, and sweetest breath, health, and comfort.

In short they cure all diseases of the stomach, bowels, blood, liver, nerves, kidneys, Bright's disease. $500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help.

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The most incredulous are convinced, and the most skeptical are compelled to believe in the power of this great remedy.

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All Sores, Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Burns, Sore Throat, Lameness, Rheumatism, Piles, Inflammation of Lungs and Bowels, Bronchitis, Croup, Salt Rheum, Chilblains, Affection of the Spine, Erysipelas, Nervous Irritation, and all disorders attendant with Inflammation.

It never fails to restore the natural functions of the skin, and equalize the circulation of the blood by this means a controlling power is gained over the most malignant forms of disease. It penetrates to every portion of the human frame; every bone, muscle, vein, nerve and ligament is searched out and made sensible to its soothing and healing influence. Hence it copes readily with internal as well as external diseases.

Over 40 Years.

This ointment has been used by the people throughout the United States, and our confidence in its qualities is such that as we have no space here to insert any of the numerous certificates of cures which we have from all parts of the country, we simply ask those readers of this notice who have ever used this ointment, to frankly state their experience with it to inquiring friends. If but one in a hundred would do this we should be perfectly satisfied with the result. Full directions for use will be found on pamphlet around each bottle.

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A CURE GUARANTEED IN ALL CASES.

For Old and Young, Male and Female.

Magnetic Medicine; a Brain and Nerve Food. Positively cures Night Losses, Spermatorrhœa, Impotency, Nervous Debility, Leucorrhœa, Barrenness, and for all (BEFORE) weaknesses of the Generative (AFTER) organs in either sex, it is an unfailing and positive cure. Tones up the debilitated system, arrests all involuntary discharges, removes mental gloom and despondency, and restores wonderful power to the weakened organs. With each order for twelve packages, accompanied with five dollars, we will send our guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. It is the Cheapest and Best Medicine in the market. Full particulars in Pamphlet, which we mail free to any address. Sold by all druggists, one package $1 cts., Six for $2.50, or sent by mail on receipt of price by addressing the MAGNETIC MEDICINE CO., DETROIT, MICH. Guarantees issued in Tecumseh by Waldo & Doty.

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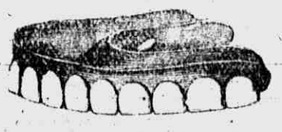
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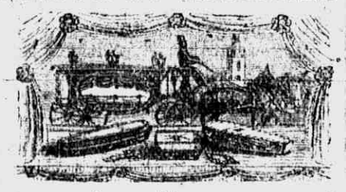
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A worthy miller—as the story is told in the Rev. Duncan Dunbar's memoir—was once pained by hearing that the minister was going away for want of support, the church having declared that they could no longer raise his salary. He called a meeting and addressed his brethren very modestly, for he was one of the poorest among the comfortable farmers. He asked if the want of money was the only reason for this change, and if all were united in desiring the services of the pastor, could they still keep him? There was but one voice in reply. The pastor was useful and beloved; but the flock was poor!

"Well," replied the miller, "I have a plan by which I can raise his salary without asking one of you for one dollar, if you will allow me to take my own way to do it. I will engage to pay the salary myself. Have I your consent?"

Of course, they could not refuse this; although they expressed surprise, knowing the miller to be but a poor man.

The year drew to a close. The minister had been blessed in his labors, and no one had called in for money. When they came together, the miller asked the pastor if his wants had been supplied, and his salary promptly met? He replied in the affirmative. When the brethren were asked if they were any poorer than at the beginning of the year, each one replied, 'No,' and asked how they had paid nothing? He asked again, "Is any man here any poorer for keeping the minister?" and the reply was the same as before. "Then," he said, "brethren I have only to tell you that you have paid the salary the same as you always did, only more of it, and with greater promptness. You remember you told me to take my own way in this matter, and I have done so. As each of you brought his grist to mill, I took out as much grain as I thought your proportion, and laid it away for the salary. When harvest was over I sold it, and have paid the minister regularly from the proceeds. You confess that you are no poorer, so you never missed it, and therefore made no sacrifice. Now, I propose that we stop talking about poverty, and about letting our minister go, and add enough to his salary to make us feel that we are doing something." Mr. Dunbar used to say: "O, for a miller in every church!"

Some Old American Laws.

There is a long list of these quaint laws a few of which will suffice to exhibit the condition of the society in which they existed.

No Quaker or dissenter from the established worship of the Dominion shall be allowed to give a vote for the election of magistrate or any other officer.

No one shall run on the Sabbath day, or walk in his garden or elsewhere, except reverently to and from meeting.

No one shall travel, cook victuals, make beds, sweep houses, cut hair, or shave on the Sabbath day.

No woman shall kiss her children on the Sabbath day or on a fasting day.

No minister shall keep a school.

To pick an ear of corn from a neighbor's garden shall be deemed theft.

The selectmen, on finding children ignorant, may take them away from their parents, and put them in better hands at the expense of the parents.

A man that strikes his wife shall be fined ten pounds.

Married persons shall live together or be imprisoned.

A drunkard shall have a master appointed by the selectmen, who are to debar him from the liberty of buying and selling.

Whoever shall publish a lie to the prejudice of his neighbor shall be set in the stocks or be whipped ten stripes.

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ANYWHERE BUT IN NEW JERSEY.—A young man whose mind was wandering, was placed in the care of Dr. ——, of the town of ——, in the State of New Jersey, in the hope that he might under his judicious treatment, soon be restored to health. He was however, very discontented with the place, and with the restraint on his movements that was felt needful; and the doctor, more than once, in kind and friendly conversation, endeavored to make him feel reconciled to his situation. And as the young man was of a religious turn of mind, and a constant reader of his Bible, the doctor one day, when talking with him, said, "You ought to remember, my friend, that the apostle has taught us that in whatsoever state we are, we should therewith be content."

"Yes, yes," replied the other. "I know Paul says that; but I don't think Paul ever was *in the State of New Jersey.*"

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of LeRoy Mead, late of Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of June, A.D., 1883, and on the 3d day of November, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of May, A.D. 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated May 8, 1883.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
GEORGE HOWELL,
may10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ransom Hawks, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the residence of A. W. Osgood in the township of Macon, in said county, on the 14th day of June, 1883, and on the 20th day of October next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of May, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.
Dated May 19, 1883.
GRANVILLE MILLS,
ELWIN CAMBURN,
may19 Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.
By virtue of a license granted to me in said estate by the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, on the 14th day of May, A.D. 1883, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, that being the late residence of said deceased in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County Michigan, on the 6th day of July, A.D. 1883, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all that parcel of land situate in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) of town five, (5) South, of range four, (4) East, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street, (so called) in the Village of Tecumseh in said county at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road leading East and Westerly through said section twenty-seven, and opposite the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 1° and 6' west along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section about fifteen chains, twenty-one links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day, as is supposed; thence East on South line of said Day's said land eleven chains and 19 links; thence South 1° and 6' East fifteen chains and nineteen (19) links, parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running Easterly and Westerly through said section; thence Westerly along the center of said last named road eleven chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half acres sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler, also excepting a lot numbered on the recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as lot 261, sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton, also a further parcel of land sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler, adjoining said Saddler's said lot on its North side; also excepting therefrom that part thereof conveyed by William Teachout to Elizabeth Jordan by deed, bearing date November 19, 1867, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County, in Liber 87, of deeds, pages 153, 154, containing [illegible] acres of land above described, subject to the lien of a mortgage made by said deceased to William Richard, bearing date February 15th, 1881, for $1100.00 and interest thereon from the 15th day of February, 1882, and subject also to dower and homestead rights of Delia Shurtz, widow of said deceased therein.
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JOSEPH LANNING,
may24 Administrator.

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Larsen, P. S. — Camp, Miss E. E.
Harper, David — Healy, Mr. Lord.

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Ridgeway.

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Gates, Mrs. Grace — Hunger, Miss [illegible]
[illegible] — McCoy, John
[illegible] — Richardson, W. H.
Campbell, N. M. — Robbins, Miss M.
Moon, Charles — Scanlon, Philip
Gribble, F. M. — Weber, Miss Esther

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The new second lot and building formerly occupied by L. A. Davis' Marble Works. Just the place for some

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50 Acres Wheat in the Ground

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H. SUTLIFF.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 21st day of [illegible], A.D. 1881.

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One of the LARGEST and BEST FARMS in Lenawee Co.,

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A GOOD VILLAGE HOUSE,

Almost new, well painted and furnished throughout, within five minutes walk of the post office. Must be sold as the owner's business is out of town.

Price Down to Hard-pan.

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The place can be cut up to make two good lots, each with a barn.

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One of the finest residences in Tecumseh will be sold at reasonable terms. New Two-story house finished in the latest style, with shades, paper throughout. Large lot. This place will be sold with

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The place is all in splendid condition, new house, barn, outbuildings, &c., and is one of the finest residences in Tecumseh.

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50 pieces Gingham at 6 1-2c a yd., good value 8c
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Reversible Suitings.

25 pieces beautiful styles at 10c a yard.
Would be very cheap at 12 1-2c a yard.

Imperial Plaid Suitings.

25 pieces make very durable and stylish suits at 12 1-2c a yard, worth 20c a yard.

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15 pieces in lovely tints and shades. These goods sold quick at 30c early in the season, now down to 20c a yard.

Lace-striped and checked Buntings remarkable cheap. Brocades, Alpacas, and Twilled Cashmeres at 8, 10 and 12½c a yard. Rare Bargains. All wool double chain Cashmeres, in black and all the new shades much below former prices.

All wool Buntings, Ottoman Cords, Marl Suitings, Silk Warp and all wool Henrietta cloths, Crapes, English Brocades &c. Very choice assortment.

Summer Silks, mauncy and plain, black and colored Rhadenas, Gros Grains, Brocaded, striped and plaid Silks. A beautiful collection. Special attention is called to these goods, being anxious to reduce stock. We shall make prices much below actual value.

Hosiery, Gloves, Parasols, Corsets, Handkerchiefs and fancy goods. An endless and select variety and low prices.

Ladies' and Childrens' Underwear at actual cost to reduce stock. Hamburgs and Queen Mary Trimmings and Ruffings at lower prices than have ever been made on the same quality of goods.

We place on sale this week the finest variety of

Domestic Dry Goods

That we ever displayed to the trade.

Sheetings, Shirtings, Denims, Jeans, Cloths, Crashes, Bleached Muslins, Cottonades, &c.

We show the largest and finest stock of general Dry Goods we ever placed on sale, and at much lower prices.

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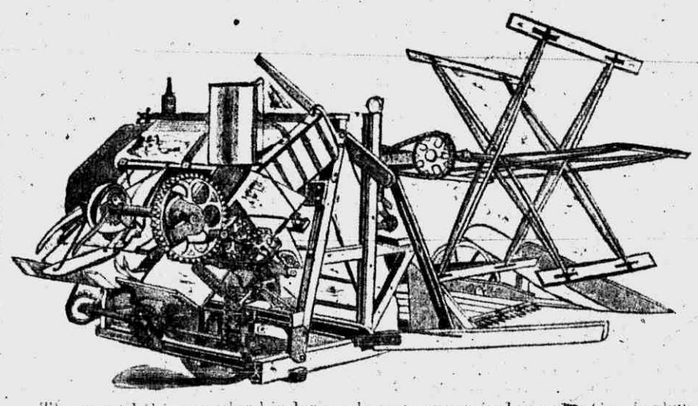

The record this popular binder made last season in Lenawee Co., is abundantly ample evidence to convince any farmer that this is the latest improved, easiest handled and by far the most perfect working Harvester and Binder in the market. Mr. J. F. Appleby, the inventor of the Appleby Binder superintends the construction of the Minneapolis, and with the improvements of 1883, especially the double packer trip, it is thoroughly adapted to the wants of the Michigan farmer, as there is a great variation in the size and condition of our grain the Binder can be moved instantly and easily, also the raising and lowering of the whole machine by the driver in his seat.

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This Binder with a full line of other first-class

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Wagons & Carriages,

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With a complete line of extras for all. For sale by

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No greasy wall or furniture, no danger of being blown up by the stove or the lady of the house, if you buy a FRONT RANK VAPOR STOVE, and

Every Stove is warranted to give entire satisfaction.

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We are constantly receiving large additions to our stock of Clothing for men, boys, and children, selected with the utmost care and attention, making our assortment the

Largest and most Complete of the Choicest Goods, of the most reliable makes the market affords.

HATS AND CAPS,

FINE WOOL and STRAW in endless variety. An immense assortment of CLOTHS, from which we can make suits cheaper than ever. Our prices are the lowest. We invite an examination.

STRONG & McNAIR.

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I am now prepared to show the largest and best stock of goods in my line ever shown in this county. I invite close buyers to examine my stock and compare prices with Detroit, Toledo or Adrian. My light expenses compared with theirs enables me to undersell them every time. No old shop keepers in my store.

Remember that in

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I take no back seat, you all know. Satisfaction guaranteed,

Charges reasonable.

WM. McCOWEN.

'83 MILLINERY '83

Mrs. A. E. Ure,

—OF THE—

New York Millinery Store

In Adrian,

HAS OPENED

A BRANCH STORE IN TECUMSEH,

Next Door to the HERALD OFFICE, and will carry a large stock of

Millinery, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats.

Ladies can have their hats made over in all the New Shapes to look equal to new. A fine line of FANCY GOODS. Also a large stock of IMPORTED HAIR GOODS. JET ORNAMENTS for the hair. HAIR NETS, BANDS, &c.

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Highest Cash Price paid for BUTTER, EGGS, ETC.

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Nuts and Fruits of all kinds in their season.

Give me a call.

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Ice Cream, Confectionery and Cigars.

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Fresh Bread, Rusks, Cakes, Pies, etc., Constantly on hand.

Farmers and others can procure a first-class Lunch at their rooms at all hours.

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JOE WILSON

Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated

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Boots and Shoes.

The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.

Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.

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General Repair Shop!

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Opposite Hayden's Warehouse.

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Is now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

THE OLD RELIABLE

GLOBE MILLS!

WM. HAYDEN, PROPRIETOR.

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These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated

ROLLER PROCESS.

Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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The PHOTOGRAPHER

Of Tecumseh.

Having decided to devote my whole time to my Tecumseh gallery in the future, I am better prepared than ever to take all sizes of Photographs, etc., in the best style of the art.

Special attention given to the taking of children's pictures.

Remember the New Ground Floor Gallery on South side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

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And Dealer in

Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c., and everything belonging to a first-class Bakery.

Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.

Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.

Lee's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

It's rain, rain, rain.
On Saint and sage and sot.
Until Cook & Town farmers begin to quake.

At a flood and judgment, too hot.

Farmers of western Lenawee will probably finish planting by the first of July if the rain lets up.

A barn belonging to Mr. Ward Sanford, Jr., of Woodstock, was burned with its contents last week. When first discovered the fire had not made much headway, but being started in several places it was impossible to save the property. The work is clearly that of an incendiary.

The work of grading on the M. & O. R. R. has been seriously impeded of late at this point by the continued rain storms.

Barnum and Jumbo, more particularly the latter, will be interviewed by a goodly number of Addisonites when they visit Adrian.

The fine dental rooms of Dr. C. S. Bullen in the Harrington block are thronged of late by tooth-achers of all classes.

Rumor says a new dry goods store will soon be added to the list of business houses on the west side.

Shall we celebrate the Fourth? is the question asked, but not answered as yet.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Wet, wetter, wettest.

The church steeple has undergone substantial repairs.

But little corn cultivated yet. In fact but a small portion of that planted has come up.

Children's day next Sunday. All who can are invited to come to the church Saturday afternoon to decorate the audience room.

Since our last, Alva Waring of New York and Geo. Shipman of Ridgeway Macomb Co., have made short visits with friends and relatives about here.

Mrs. H. B. Eaton and mother are visiting at Detroit this week.

Richard Cadmus has his new barn nearly completed. The next job is to repair the old one.

L. C. Miller, of Howell made a short call this week. He is overseeing some farm work done on the old homestead.

The turnpike below the Ridge has become almost unsafe because of the monstrous holes which have been dug out by travel during the recent wet weather.

Mrs. Wm. Swick, of Macon, died last week. The funeral services were held Saturday.

The youngest daughter of S. V. R. Ely died at her sister's, Mrs. Wm. Clarkson's, last week of consumption. The funeral services were held at the house Sunday forenoon.

Railroad work moves slowly on account of the extreme wet weather. 57 car loads of ties have been received at Britton. Iron will be laid from that point west soon.

Something like a half-dozen Bunnell instruments have been added to our local telegraph line recently.

There is quite an epidemic among horses about here and our local veterinarian calls it *Pink high*. No serious results yet but some very serious cases.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Commencement exercises begin at 10 A. M., on the 22d of this month.—The graduating class numbers twelve, nine girls and three boys. Miss Marianna Brown, the assistant principal, addresses the class. Miss Brown has held her present position for the past six years, and has been very successful in her work. She has accepted a place as teacher, the coming year, at Earlham college, her *alma mater*.—Miss Maggie A. Newson, a graduate of Earlham, has been chosen to succeed Miss Brown. Mr. Townsend, professor of mathematics for two years past, returns to his home, in Iowa, at the close of this term, and J. H. Douglas, jr., who graduated this year at Wilmington college, has been chosen his successor. Miss Celia B. Jones, a graduate of the Seminary, and known in this community as a very successful teacher, will be the fourth teacher for next year. The managers have decided to remodel and repaper the students' rooms, repair other parts of the building, and put in new heating apparatus during the coming vacation.

Many of the old hotels in New York preserve their registers, and have accumulated large quantities of them, preserving thus the autographs of generations of eminent men. Other hotels destroy their registers because the landlords cannot afford to be summoned into court to testify that Richard Roe staid over night in such a hotel at such a date.

BARNUM AND JUMBO

Everybody knows that Barnum's Great and Only is to be at Adrian next Wednesday, June 20. Read what the N. Y. Daily Tribune has to say:

The first performance of the season of Barnum's "greatest possible show on earth" was given yesterday afternoon at the Madison Square Garden. The attendance on the first day is usually less than later in Barnum's seasons, but the crowd yesterday proved an exception to that rule. The Garden was packed from the rings to the roof. What the modest handbill describes as a "simultaneous presentation of professional, arenic and caravan splendors," commonly known as "the grand entree," opened the entertainment. There was a wonderful array of elephants, giraffes, and zebras, sacred cattle, Zulus and trick mules, imperial cavalcades and Oriental spectacles—and all in gilt, tinsel, beads and gew-gaws. Nearly all that glittered was really gold. After this procession had wrought up the spectators to a high pitch of enthusiasm, women in August costumes rode untamed steeds and turned sumersaults through their hoops, did queer acts on flying trapezes, stood on their heads and spun like tops. One ambitious young creature tied herself up in a double bow-knot, almost turned inside out, and retired amid a tumult of applause. Lovely young men in tights, jumped vaulted, and turned sumersaults over all the elephants that could be found in the neighborhood, and only stopped when the elephants gave out. Small children on bicycles performed marvelous antics on those peculiar machines. Then the trained stallions pranced about on each other's backs, and danced to slow music. Not to be outdone by the stallions, the elephants took a hand in the performance, did things that no grown man would ever think of doing. There were juggling and plate spinning, balancing and tight-rope walking, things done in mid air and things on the ground, until everybody felt he ought to go out and pay another price of admission or feel he had cheated the proprietors. The feeling was not general, but might have been if there had been time enough. When the performance in the rings had been concluded there was a rush for the menagerie to see Jumbo and the baby elephant. There was no dissenting voice in the opinion that the show was the best which Barnum had ever given in New York.

In the evening the crowd was even larger than in the afternoon. P. T. Barnum and the Rev. Robert Collyer viewed the "triumphal pageant" and the circus from Mr. Barnum's private box. When the curfew tolled the knell of parting day the lowing crowd wound slowly o'er the lea, and in a few minutes the Garden was as quiet and as peaceful as the most unassuming cemetery.

A NEW BOOK.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, pastor of the M. E. church of this village, has just published a book for general circulation, entitled "The Marriage Guide." The first edition of the book has been issued and is now ready for sale. The table of contents, which we give below, will indicate the general character of the work:

Chap. 1.—To marry or not to marry.
Chap. 2.—Man's duty to woman and to himself.
Chap. 3.—When to marry.
Chap. 4.—The first step in courtship.
Chap. 5.—How to find the right one.
Chap. 6.—How to win her.
Chap. 7.—Conduct during courtship.
Chap. 8.—Marriage.
Chap. 9.—Married life, its duties and privileges.
Chap. 10.—Married life, its dangers.
Chap. 11.—Married life, its objects.
Chap. 12.—The home.
Chap. 13.—Marriage and phrenology.
Chap. 14.—The marriage relation, its nature.
Chap. 15.—The marriage relation, its history.

From a somewhat cursory examination of the book, we consider that it fills a long felt want in the community. It is couched in the choicest language, high minded in tone, and yet full of good practical advice on a subject in which all young people are interested. The book will be sold thro' subscription agents and we prophesy for it an extensive sale.

THE MORENCI PIONEER MEETING.

The Observer gives the following program of the meeting.

The old settlers of the Bean Creek country will observe the 50th anniversary of the first settlement of this region on the fair grounds in this village on Saturday, June 16th. The committee has mapped out a general program after the following order. There are to be two sessions, the forenoon to be devoted to the experiences and narrations of the early settlers, to be followed by a general picnic dinner. In the afternoon Gov. Croswell's great oration will undoubtedly attract a large audience of all classes of our people. The Weston Grange glee club, which has a State reputation for its masterly rendition of farm and other ballads will sandwich the exercises by their best music. If the clerk of the weather shall vouchsafe to us pleasant skies the occasion will be one long to be remembered.

It is rumored that weddings will make sad havoc in the ranks of Adrian school ma'ams during the summer.

Barnum at Adrian next Wednesday.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Charlotte is making preparations to celebrate the 4th.

The Eaton county fair will be held at Charlotte, Sept. 25, 26, 27 and 28.

The Battle Creek street railway will be extended to Cognac lake next year.

The Gratiot county Agricultural fair will be held at Caro, Oct. 2 to 5, inclusive.

Henry F. Magoon has been commissioned postmaster at Eastlake, Manistee county.

Coldwater's assessed valuation this year is $8,823,030 or about $125,000 less than last year.

Harry Barber's body found in a little lake by Cressep's Corners, near Kalamazoo. Supposed to be suicide.

Telephonic communication is to be established between Mason and Dansville.

There are 196 Wellen electric lights in use at Grand Rapids, with orders booked for 30 more.

A Muskegon exchange says Samuel G. Gilbert, of Milwaukee, has been appointed trustee of much of the Ferry property.

About half a crew has gone to work on the Tittabawassee boom, a few of the men being strikers, but the most of them new men.

C. Church, a boy of 15, was so stunned by lightning at Marshall during a storm that fatal results are feared.

The Elk Rapids school board voted to retain Prof. C. W. Pickee and wife as principal and assistant for another year, at increased salary.

Ex-City Treasurer Eugene B. Wood, of Lansing, has been held in $5,000 bail for trial in the Ingham county circuit court on a charge of embezzlement.

Nels Peterson, a Manistee carpenter, sustained probably fatal injuries last week by falling 40 feet from a scaffolding while at work on the new Union hall.

A little son of William Markell, of Forestville, was fishing from the wharf there last week when a storm came up and he was blown into the water and drowned.

A new summer resort has been opened at Park Lake, near Bath, Clinton county. There is good fishing, boating facilities, etc., there, and good hunting grounds thereabouts.

A large and but partly tamed bear escaped from his keeper at Bad Axe Sunday night, and was fought and caught by a big bull dog. The battle took place in a minister's door yard.

T. B. Hurst, of Cadillac, charged with sending obscene matter through the mails, pleaded guilty and was fined $100. He sent naughty letters to another man's wife.

Ex-Gov. St. John, of Kansas, will deliver a temperance lecture at Ann Arbor, June 22; and Rev. W. W. Washburn, of Detroit, will deliver the oration before the society of the alumni of the university, June 27.

George Bentley, colored, janitor of the old Fourth national bank of Gd. Rapids for 20 years, has been arrested for stealing $1,500 in coin from the bank, which had been left out of the safe. He confesses the theft.

Dr. Charles Powels, who has been on trial at Manistee for a week, charged with manslaughter, has been found guilty. The charges set forth that he killed Augusta Gerd while attending her professionally during child birth. The jury was out five hours.

The team to represent Michigan at the fall meeting of the national association at Creedmoor will be selected at the fifth prize meeting of the Michigan military rifle association, to be held at Highland range, Jackson, on June 26 and 27, beginning at 9 a. m. each day.

Senator Norton presented Lieut. Gov. Crosby, a handsome cane just before the legislature adjourned, and friends of Representative Woodruff presented him an elegant gold-headed cane. Capt. Woodruff was the oldest member of the house, but was withal a stalwart in every sense of the word.

Adjutant General Robertson has issued an order for the annual encampment of the state troops, to be held at Island Lake, near Brighton, beginning August 7 and continuing to August 13, inclusive. Troops are to be there so as to report at reveille on the 9th. The rifle teams are to report to the inspector general at the camp on the evening of the 6th, and put in two full days' practice before the encampment begins. Gen. Withington will have command of the camp. No men will be admitted for duty in the companies for 30 days before August 7.

OUR PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following is the list selected by the board of directors as the first installment of books.

HISTORY.

Macaulay's England, 4 vols.
Hume's England, 6 vols.
Green's Short History of England.
Bancroft's United States, 6 vols.
Constitutional History of the U. S., by Von Hoist, 8 vols.
French Revolution by Carlyle, 2 vols.
Fifteen Decisive Battles of the World, by Creasy.
History of Greece, by Yonge.
" Rome
" Germany by
" France
Origin of Nations, by Rawlinson.
Constitutional History of England, by Hallam, 3 vols.
Middle Ages, by Hallam, 3 vols.
Introduction to Literature of Europe, by Hallam, 3 vols.
Nineteenth Century, by McKenzie.
Parkman's Complete Works, 8 vols.

BIOGRAPHY.

Irving's Life and Letters, P. Irving, 3 vols.
Johnson, by Boswell, 2 vols.
Female Sovereigns, by Jameson, 2 vols.
Your play with Authors, Fields.
New Plutarch Series, Besant, 3 vols.
Famous Americans, Parton.
Childhood of Celebrated Women, Jameson.
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"Yes, that's sadly so," said Jenkins, "my hair is turning gray and falling out before its time. Use samething? I would, but most hair restorers are dangerous." "True," answered his friend, "but Parker's Hair Balsam is as harmless as it is effective. I've tried it, and know. Give the Balsam a show and the boys will soon stop calling you "Old Man Jenkins." It never fails to restore the original color to gray or faded hair. Richly perfumed, an elegant dressing.

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South Carolina, without the aid of a "temperance party," passed a law which prohibits the sale of all kinds of intoxicating liquors, including malt liquors and wines, outside of the incorporated cities, towns and villages where such liquors may be sold under a license from the State. The price of the state license is $100, which must be paid into the county treasury for county purposes.

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B. W. BENTLEY."

CLINTON, Iowa, April 29, 1881.

"I wish you would send me a spring for the Wm. Ellery Watch * * * By the way this Ellery is a watch I sold in your Screw Bezel Case to a farmer last fall. The first of January he lost the watch in the woods, and found it this week in about one foot of water. It had lain three months and over in snow and water, with but slight injury to the watch—only a hair-spring.

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General Washington.

AN ENGLISHMAN'S SKETCH OF HIS LIFE AND CHARACTER.

The following, from an English paper printed during the Revolutionary War, (*London Chronicle* July 25, 1780) will be read with interest at the present day, as showing the estimation he was held in by his antagonists:

"As this gentleman always refused to accept any pecuniary appointment for his public services, no salary has been annexed by Congress to his important command, and he only draws weekly for the expenses of his public table and other necessary demands. General Washington having never been to Europe, could not possibly have seen much military service, when the armies of Britain were sent to subdue the Americans; yet, all, for a variety of reasons, he was by much the most capital man on the continent, and probably never has there been placed at the head of the American army. The very high estimation he stood in for integrity and honor, his engaging in the cause of his country from sentiment and conviction of her wrongs, his moderation in politics, his extensive property and his approved abilities as a commander, were motives which necessarily obliged the choice of America to fall upon him.

That nature has given General Washington extraordinary military talents will hardly be controverted by his most bitter enemies. Having been very early actuated with a warm passion to serve his country in the military line, he has greatly improved his talents by unwearied industry, close application to the best writers upon military tactics, and by a more than common method and exactness. In reality, when it comes to be considered that at first he only headed a body of men entirely unacquainted with military discipline or operations, somewhat ungovernable in temper, and who at best could only be styled an alert, good militia, acting under very short enlistments, unclothed, and at all times very ill supplied with ammunition and artillery, and that with such an army he withstood the ravages and progress of near 40,000 veteran troops, plentifully provided with every necessary article, commanded by the bravest officers in Europe and supported by a very powerful navy, which effectually prevented all movement by water—when all this comes to be considered, we may venture to pronounce that General Washington may be regarded as one of the greatest military ornaments of the present age.

General Washington is now in the forty-seventh year of his age; he is a tall and well-made man, rather large boned, and has a tolerably genteel address; his features are manly and bold, his eyes of a blue cast and very lively, his hair a deep brown, his face rather long and marked with the small-pox, his complexion sunburnt and without much color, and countenance sensible, composed and thoughtful. There is a remarkable air of dignity about him, with a striking degree of gracefulness; he has an excellent understanding, without much quickness; is strictly just, vigilant, and generous; an affectionate husband, a faithful friend, a father to the deserving soldier, gentle in his manners, in temper rather reserved; a total stranger to religious prejudices, which have so often excited Christians of one denomination to cut the throats of those of another; in his morals he is irreproachable, and was never known to exceed the bounds of the most rigid temperance. In a word, all his friends and acquaintances universally allow that no man ever united in his own person a more perfect alliance of the virtues of a philosopher, with the talents of a general; candor, sincerity, affability and simplicity seem to be the striking features of his character till an occasion offers of displaying the most determined bravery and independence of spirit."

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Italian Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty, druggists.

To burn away in mad haste the divine aromas and plainly celestial elements from our existence; to change our holy-of-holies into a place of riot; to make the soul itself hard, impious, barren! Surely a day is coming when it will be known again what virtue is in purity and continence of life; how divine is the blush of young human cheeks; how high, beneficent, sternly inexorable, if forgotten, is the duty laid, not on woman only, but on every creature, in regard to these particulars! Well, if such a day never comes again, then I perceive much else will never come again. Magnanimity and depth of insight will never come; heroic purity of heart and of eye; noble pious valour, to amend us and the age of bronze and lacquer, how can they ever come? The scandalous bronze-lacquer age of hungry animalisms, spiritual impotencies and mendacities, will have to run its course, till the pit follow it.—[Carlyle.

Testimony From the Press.

To those afflicted with lung trouble, hear what V. W. Wilson, of the Ottowa (Ill.) Times says: "After being disabled for three months with a cough, and lung trouble, often spitting up blood, can testify that I am cured permanently by the use of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure." A free trial bottle can be had at Baker and Hall's.

A census enumerator in a New Hampshire town found one family where the mother's age was twenty-six years, and that of her eldest son fourteen years. Inquiry revealed the fact that the mother was married when eleven years and six months old to a man twenty-three years old. She was a native of Rhode Island, and seems to have been the youngest mother in the State.

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Have not had a single complaint, but on the contrary have had many personal testimonials for Ely's Cream Balm in the treatment of Catarrh, Hay Fever &c., and I can confidently recommend it to all who are afflicted. Wm. B. Wilson, Druggist, Muskegon, Mich.

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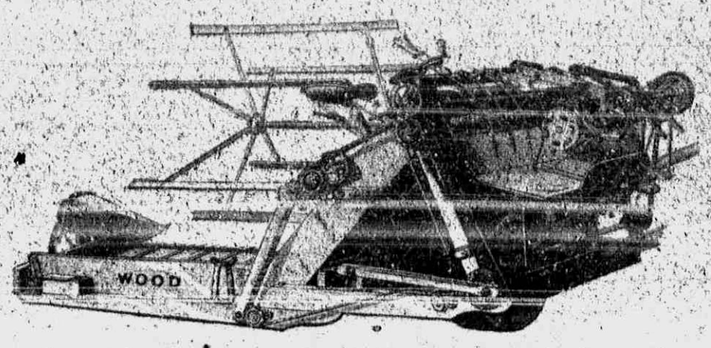

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The manufacturers have followed up the new binder, during the progress of the harvest of 1882, through grain fields without number, from one end of the United States to the other, from Texas to Dakota, from Virginia to Vermont, and even as far north as Prince Edward Island in the British Dominions—where the latest growing grain crops are to be found—and the results of this close and protracted inspection have fully warranted the representations made, strong though they be.

There has been various improvements of importance in the details of both the Harvester and Binder for 1883. All we ask is for the farmers of this vicinity to examine the Walter A. Wood Machines before placing their order, and we have no fear as to the result, as it is conceded by all that it is the most perfect machine in all its details, manufactured.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 14, 1883.

The cyclone season seems to have broken down very early. Now look out for the potato bug.

All things human have an end. The star route jury will soon hand in their verdict and vacate.

Next week the Democrats will hold their state convention in Ohio, and then look out for fun.

President Arthur is looming up as a possible nominee for the Presidency on the Republican ticket.

The Tilden literary bureau is again in an active state of eruption. This has a suspicious portent.

Hendricks of Indiana, in a published interview has expressed himself in favor of the old ticket, Tilden and Hendricks.

Merrick's closing plea in the star route trial was a model of eloquence and power. He effectually silenced Ingersoll.

The Philadelphia Telegraph correctly remarks that "Ohio is going to cut a broad swath in the next Presidential campaign."

Bismarck has been chosen as the capital of Dakota. The German premier should now relent and let up in his warfare on the American hog.

The fact that so many Republican newspapers are in favor of Sam Randall for the speakership has a very suspicious look, to say the least.

Ex-Secretary Blaine's new book is looked for with much interest. It is said that it will contain a critical and exhaustive chapter on sunstrokes.

The remains of John Howard Payne have been finally laid away to rest, and the bones of the poet now slumber in their own Home, Sweet Home.

The refusal of Harvard college to confer the degree of LL. D. on Gov. Butler is a pretty good illustration of biting one's nose off to spite one's face.

Many theories have been advanced as to the cause of the accident on the new Brooklyn bridge. None of them are wholly correct. If the bridge had never been built, the accident would never have occurred.

When the "leading University" of New England refuses an honorary degree to Gov. Butler which was willingly given to one R. B. Hayes, it places the "leading University" in rather a sorry situation.

The New York World, under the new management, is rapidly increasing its circulation. It is now a first-class independent Democratic newspaper, something the party has long needed in New York.

Henry Ward Beecher has been creating a sensation again, having preached a sermon in which he discards *in toto* the doctrine of vicarious atonement. Col. Bob Ingersoll must look to his laurels, or Beecher will soon catch up with him.

Many people complain at the growing influence of saloons and the decline of the churches. The churches are opened for business one day in the week. The saloons are in full blast six days, and their back doors are generally left unbolted on Sunday.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1883-4.

Bills appropriating money for the following objects and to the amounts stated, became laws at the recent session of the legislature:

State house of correction, overdrafts	$ 213 25
State public school	31,600 00
School for the blind	131,150 00
Commissioner of mineral statistics	5,050 00
Salaries, eastern asylum	16,881 00
Salaries, Michigan asylum	16,861 00
University	62,500 00
State normal school	57,805 00
Board of fish commissioners	30,000 00
Agricultural college	51,088 00
Institution for deaf and dumb	129,150 00
Michigan soldiers' and sailors' monument	550 00
Books for State library	6,000 00
Michigan asylum	12,325 51
Reform school	90,700 00
Eastern asylum	2,850 00
Pioneer society	5,000 00
State industrial school for girls	100,931 01
State house of correction	7,200 00
Indexing journals	1,100 00
Paving street in Jackson	3,300 00
Publishing proceedings superintendents poor	300 00
Police and fire department city of Lansing	1,500 00
Asylum for insane criminals	60,000 00
Total	$884,775 60

The total amount raised by direct taxation in 1881-2 was $2,163,825.78; while the amount for 1883-4 will reach $2,361,104.39.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, June 12, 1883.

Business called me to the office of the White Star Steamship Line one day last week. Clerks and messengers were perspiring as they rushed on with their work, while at the booking desk there was a line of people engaging passage for Europe. One gentleman was examining a diagram of staterooms on a certain vessel and finally selected two. "Will you reserve them for me fifteen minutes," he asked. "I want to ask my companion whether the location of the rooms suits him." "No sir," replied the clerk, "I couldn't hold them for you for ten seconds. Either you want them or you don't. If you please stand aside and let the next gentleman place a chance."

The rush to Europe is simply tremendous this spring, and now that the low weather has set in, it is almost trebled. Single men who can get off for a vacation of three weeks or a month, come to the conclusion that it is more pleasant and at the same time cheaper to take a trip over the Atlantic than to swelter away at some fashionable watering place or other summer resort. The Pavonia which left last week was full to overflowing, "and," said the agent of the Cunard Line, "we had enough applicants for berths to have filled and sent out another vessel of the same size. As it is I think we will have to put on extra vessels in a few weeks.—This is a thing which several lines have already done to meet the demand. As always, when the supply of a certain commodity is limited, the demand becomes greater and hence people who are anxious to be in the swim at present are ready to pay almost any price for a passage. The Duke of Athol, who sailed last week paid a man $500 for his ticket, which is a bonus of $400. There is not a passenger vessel leaving port now on which the rooms of the officers are not all let to passengers for good stiff figures. On one steamer all the bath tubs were fitted up as berths at night and rented out to people on condition that they would rise at 6 o'clock. It is not at all uncommon for people to go in the steerage, paying saloon prices, so that they really belong to the saloon list."

Everybody employed on the steamers of course make money, and now I find it quite intelligible how the saloon stewards so far from receiving a salary, pay the chief steward a bonus of $250 a season for the privilege of serving. The tipping system on board ship is carried on to a frightful extent. Down to the boots who gives your leathers a dull kind of polish everybody expects to be rewarded, and if you fail, woe betide you. Even the barkeeper beats you, for he never has any change when you purchase any refreshment. Said a gentleman to me the other day, "I bet you any amount that you want, that Jay Gould makes his trip around the world in his own yacht at less cost than Vanderbilt can travel to Europe in a passenger steamer and stay in Paris for a month." I replied that this was not a legitimate subject for a wager as he wanted to bet on a sure thing.

A comparatively large portion of travellers to Europe at present is made up of actors and actresses. I was speaking about this to a well known theatrical manager. Said he, "Although they all nominally go for rest, the truth is every mother's son and daughter of them is hopeful of making what they call a "London debut," and eventually getting an engagement there. The majority of them believe that it will help them here should they come back with a small sized English nimbus. Others again are finding that where they have been received as popular favorites, they are now losing their hold. Hence they expect to find pastures new, aided by their former reputations. Many too calculate on going to Australia. There is quite a number of American actors over there now, and they are doing well. Hence others mean to try it as well, and of course they all expect to come home laden with Australian gold."

William Ottmann, whose alleged theft of $47,005 worth of treasury notes, is again a topic for the Washington correspondents, has for two years been head bartender at one of the leading hotels up town. I saw him only last week and his face is growing more pinched and set from day to day. His hair is graying fast and his gray eye has that set expression which betokens that the man has been brought to bay and means to fight it out. His is another case of seeking to get rich too fast. He had one of the most prosperous bar-rooms in Washington. It was a little box of a place, but it was beautifully fitted up; the liquors were excellent and it was patronized by government officials and the best class of Washington male society. "Billy" kept a fast horse and had his daughter, a charming girl educated at a convent. Then he was seized with the desire of becoming rich, and becoming rich fast. The end of it was that his life was blighted.

Let them obey who know how to rule.

People wishing their teeth to look white,
Use "Teaberry" daily—at morning, at night:
It sweetens the breath and reddens the gums,
Enhances the beauty of daughters and sons.

CARRY THE NEWS.

NEAR TILSONBURG, Ont., Dec. 14, '81.

I have been ailing for years with Billiousness and Dyspepsia, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Last fall I weighed only 86 pounds. I was induced to try Zopesa by Mr. Thompson, of the firm of C. Thompson & Co., druggists, of this place and, many thanks to him, I am an entirely new woman and weigh 124 pounds through the use of this new compound.

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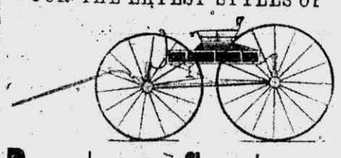

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Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased, that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examining and its application in selecting glasses to fit the eye can only be acquired by a knowledge of the useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants; poor glasses are an abomination.
V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.
DANIEL TODD, M.D.

I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles. C. RYND, M.D.

Dr. B. Mincer and part of his family will visit Devils lake, upper landing, June 5th, and remain a few days. Parties desiring his services should remember the date.

For Sale Cheap.
And on easy terms, A FARM OF 120 ACRES, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles from the village of Brooklyn and ¼ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. For further particulars call at the HERALD OFFICE.

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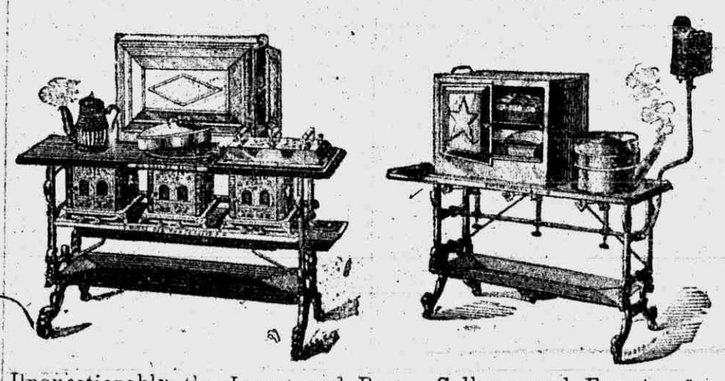

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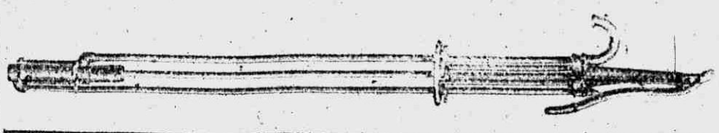

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Call and see those nicely trimmed hats for
$1.50 and $2.00
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MISS M. C. DINGMAN'S.
Rooms over Anderson's dry goods store.

Tecumseh Sewing Machine Agency!
G. P. Sparks, Proprietor.
The DOMESTIC AND WHITE stand at the head.
If you want a machine, buy the best. Call and see me or send a postal before buying. I will make it to your interest to do so.
I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.
Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $8.00 to $65.00

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED. Dry or medium dry basswood at once. GEO. N. STACY.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED at once, a House and lot worth from $1200 to $1500. All cash paid if wanted. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

100,000 DATE CABBAGE PLANTS. Special prices on quantities of 500 and upwards. Also sweet potato, tomato, celery, pepper and egg plants. ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE. Blacksmith Shop. The shop, property and business owned and run by W. Wells, in the village of Ridgeway, for sale cheap, if sold at once. For particulars and terms enquire of W. O. Wells during the premises.

FOR SALE. House and lot situated on Logan street. Good barn, fruit, etc. Terms easy. For particulars inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

STRAYED. Into my enclosure one bay horse. The owner can obtain the same by proving property and paying charges. THEODORE S. SWIFT.

EVERGREENS. Parties wishing to purchase evergreen trees in large or small quantities will find it to their advantage to correspond with the undersigned. All kinds of evergreens suitable for Michigan. Address H. C. MILLER, Conway, Emmet Co., Mich.

AGENTS WANTED to canvass for a new book, "The Marriage Guide." For terms, etc., address the author, REV. GEO. W. HUDSON, A. M., Tecumseh, Mich.

ODORLESS EXCAVATOR. I am prepared at all times to attend to orders for excavating vaults and sewers on the most Reasonable terms. Leave your orders at Sink's Hotel and they will receive prompt attention. J. W. AMES.

New cornices seem to be all the rage now.

The house-breaker will have his examination to-day at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Al. Dingman was visiting his sister and Tecumseh friends last Saturday and Sunday.

Card of Thanks.

To the many friends who so kindly administered to the wants my dear daughter, Lillian, during her sickness, I wish to return my sincere thanks.

S. V. R. ELY.

A DISTRESSING CASE.

The Adrian Times of Tuesday says: Mr. H. S. Russell, superintendent of the poor, was last Saturday apprised of what is probably the most distressing case ever brought to light in this city for years. He was informed that in the little house at No. 26, College avenue, a woman, who was already surrounded by eight children, had given birth to a child; that her husband, who had moved the family into the house about a month ago, had abandoned them and that they were in the most dire necessity, there not being a bed, or a morsel to eat in the house. The necessary steps for a speedy relief were at once taken, and the family are now comparatively comfortable, although a larger part of the children, the oldest of whom is but 13, have the measles. The wretch who thus abandoned his family when they were in the greatest need of care is Oscar Jones, and he is understood to have lived in the neighborhood of Wellsville before coming to the city. Provisions and clothing for their relief are being brought in by various prominent families about town, so that all their immediate necessities are supplied. As soon as the children recover from their sickness, the older ones will be provided with suitable homes, and Mrs. Jones placed in a position to support herself.

A DAY AT CLEVELAND.

Business having called us to Cleveland last week we had the pleasure of a day's sojourn in that beautiful city during the session of the American Medical Association. One thousand doctors were domiciled within the city limits for four days, and to say that the hotels were crowded would be drawing it very mildly. We arrived there about ten o'clock on Tuesday evening, proceeded to the Kennard House, and by dint of much coaxing engaged a cot for the night. The next forenoon we transacted our business and in the afternoon proceeded to the Case hall, where the sessions of the convention were held, to see what we could see. The first thing that attracted our attention was the unexpected harmony of the proceedings. One expects to see some fun at a medical convention: The next thing we saw was Dr. S. Catlin, of this village, who was on the anxious seat earnestly taking in the address which was then being delivered. We angled our way down from the gallery and through the crowd to the row of chairs in which the doctor sat, and finding a vacant seat enjoyed the scene and a palm leaf fan for an hour or so to our entire satisfaction. We then went with him to another hall where another section of the convention was in session. Owing to the large attendance and the length of the program each afternoon session of the convention was held in sections at five different halls. By this arrangement the necessary business was expeditiously dispatched. Dr. Vaughn, of Springville, and Dr. Peters, of Blissfield, were also in attendance at the convention, but we did not meet either of them. Excepting the inconvenience occasioned by the crowded condition of the hotels the strangers in the city were well entertained, and the session of the convention was generally regarded as a very successful one.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 14, 1888.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Hudson races are running this week.

There are 140 posts of the G. A. R. in Michigan now.

The roof is going on Slayton's new addition this week.

E. G. Cook purchased a clip of wool yesterday at 30 cents.

Dundee has voted to build a new $10,000 school house.

Mrs. P. C. Goodrich, of Coldwater, is the guest of Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

Prof. Gardner, of Detroit, will soon return to his first love, the Flint city band.

Mr. & Mrs. Peter Sharp spent last Sunday in Tecumseh with their children.

Mrs. Wm. Richard starts to-morrow for Lima, N. Y., to spend the summer.

Fifty-five cents pays the railroad fare to Adrian and return on the day of Barnum's show.

The first message by telephone from Adrian to Toledo was sent over the wire Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ione Frazier, of Washington, Iowa, is visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Anderson for a few days.

We understand that Wallace Tilden and Miss Etta Boyd are to be married to-day. We are not posted about particulars but wish them all joy.

Uncle Joe Condict called upon us yesterday. He is as good natured as ever although he has been laid up with rheumatism for several weeks.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, pastor of the M. E. church of this village, was made happy last Tuesday by the arrival of two beautiful twin girls at his home.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold an ice cream and strawberry festival on Thursday evening, June 14, at the chapel parlor. Supper, 25 cents.

Mrs. George W. Stacy, of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived at the old farm in Clinton last Thursday and expects to remain a few weeks with her Clinton and Tecumseh friends.

Frank Shufflebotham, the boy who drives H. E. Anderson's delivery wagon, was kicked by the horse on Monday. He sustained no serious injuries and was able to be about Tuesday.

Mrs. Dr. Reuch, of Adrian, will visit Tecumseh, Thursday of each week for a short time. Persons wishing to consult her can leave word at Sink's Hotel, or call at her rooms there on Thursday.

Barnum's big tent burned down at Chicago entailing a loss of $15,000, and the newspapers advertised the show gratuitously to probably double that amount had it been charged up at regular rates.

Fred Rosacrans' little boy was badly scalded last Monday, and it was feared for a time that the child was seriously injured. With the best of care however he is getting along nicely at present.

John A. Merritt, of Lockport, New York spent last Sunday in Tecumseh. Mr. Merritt is prospering in his Eastern home, as he is now filling the responsible position of county clerk of Niagara county, New York.

So much new furniture is being taken out of McCowen's establishment that it became necessary to change the entrance to the large double doors on the west side of the store. Good goods and low prices tell the story.

The Gardner's Monthly for June is another good number. Every grower of small fruits and garden truck or professional florist should take it. A sample copy can be obtained of the publisher, C. H. Marot, 814 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

Jay Bigelow, of Howell, Mich., is calling upon his friends for a day or so. Jay holds the position of assistant bookkeeper in McPherson bank, in Howell, and reports everything lively in the capitol of Livingston Co. We are glad to see him and trust that he may stay for several days.

The many friends of Charles Fulton here will be glad to read the following which we clip from the Norwich, Conn., Post: "Charles A. Fulton, son of Dr. S. J. Fulton, has received the second honor of his class at Madison University. He will pronounce the salutatory on commencement day."

The Niles public schools have adopted a system of "honorary promotion," by which those pupils who have done the best and most faithful work are excused from all examinations and passed to the next higher grade on their record. The system promises to work well and be an additional incentive to study.

Having arranged with C. J. Whitney, of Detroit, for a piano tuner, all orders left with me will be attended to by F. M. Currier, a thoroughly competent tuner and repairer. Mr. Currier will be here Tuesday, June 19. 100 select songs and instrumental pieces of music just in. Price from 10c to 20c. G. P. SPARKS.

Prof. E. G. Walker, who has been seriously ill at Jonesville is convalescing.

E. G. Cook and H. W. Stevens will purchase wool at Tecumseh this season.

The M. & O. railway company is spending $600,000 in Toledo in terminals.

Read what the Deering Binder has to say in the new advertisement this week.

Theme at the Baptist church next Sunday evening "Noah and the Flood."

Gov. Begole will deliver the oration at the Jackson Fourth of July celebration.

The Educational News for June is at hand. It improves with every number.

The farmers of Medina township find it difficult to procure help for their farm work.

Prof. D. A. Hammond has been invited to remain as superintendent of our schools for another year.

Joseph Bunnell hanged himself in a barn on the farm of Joseph Jackson, of Wayland, on the 6th. Crazy.

Miss Florence Shepard of this village is taking a course of lessons on the pipe organ of Prof. Rupp, of Adrian.

Senator Brackley Shaw, of this county, has been superintendent of a Sabbath school in his township for 28 years.

Miss Emma Smith, daughter of Mr. Henry Smith, of this village, started Tuesday last on a trip through the eastern states.

While Mrs. John Campbell was engaged in cleaning house last Friday she fell from a step ladder and broke one of her wrists.

Capt. Thos. J. Sullivan, of Ann Arbor, 1st Reg. M. S. T., was the guest of Major C. M. Woodward, Surgeon 1st Reg. on Tuesday last.

E. A. Tribou, Dr. Woodward and J. W. Patterson attended the Episcopal Convention at Detroit last week as delegates from Tecumseh.

The commencement exercises of the Tecumseh High School will take place on the last week in June. The graduating class and Alumni programs will be given next week.

Any person wishing employment in their own vicinity will do well to call on Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, the notice of whose new book on courtship and marriage appears in another column. The work is to be sold through agents.

There will be an immense Fourth of July celebration at Toledo this year, and nearly all our citizens will make arrangements to be present. A grand military display will be made, and Gen. Gibson will do the orating.

W. R. Wooden, of this village, has been appointed agent of the Accident Insurance Company of North America. The home office is at Montreal, Canada, and the entire capital of the company is devoted to an exclusive accident business. Its rates compare favorably with those of other accident companies.

Norman B. Carter, one of the pioneer settlers of Ogden, died last Saturday in Adrian at the residence of his son-in-law, John G. Mason. The funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at Mr. Mason's residence, being conducted by Rev. J. S. Holmes. The remains were interred in the cemetery at Madison Center.

Saturday night as Michigan Central laborers were engaged in laying a side track across the T. & M. railroad at Marshall, a portion of the Marshall fire department turned out with an engine and turned a stream on the laborers, causing them to surrender. The T. & M. road was watched all day Sunday to prevent the Central crossing.

Pontiac Bill Poster: Allowing the little members of the Pontiac Band of Hope to march through the mud and rain Decoration day was, in our opinion, about as foolish as anything could be, and comes under the head of cruelty to children. To see big, healthy men riding along in carriages and these little boys and girls tramping through the mud, was enough to disgust the average spectator.

Educational News: Our attention has been called to certain vulgar language made use of by the teacher of a neighboring school, and to the use of objectionable modes of punishment. It is to be regretted that the present system of school supervision is so imperfect as to allow teachers to continue teaching year after year, whose manners are so rude, and whose moral tone is so degraded as to make them unfit to stand before their pupils as examples worthy of imitation.

A person who will drop a piece of poisoned meat in a door-yard, for the purpose of killing a dog is a coward, and would not stoop to any mean act. There are people of this description in this village, and they have already commenced their spring work. If a neighbor's dog troubles you make your complaint to him, and then if he fails to take care of it complain of him for keeping a nuisance, and if this fails, walk up like a man and shoot it and suffer the consequences.

The State Pioneer Meeting is in session at Lansing this week.

R. C. VanAntwerp has leased the James' store on the corner and is fitting it up in splendid shape for an ice cream room, and will open the same to the public next week. Van is the boss cream maker, and we predict he will have a good patronage in his new quarters.

On the second page of this week's paper we print a list of the books which have been selected for our public library. The committee wish to send for the books immediately and request those who have not paid their subscription to call on Miss Jennie Rosacrans, at the post office, and do so at once.

We have heard a good deal lately about the new roller system which Heck Bros. are putting in their mill, and yesterday we drove out to see what was going on and how soon the work would be completed. The system used is the most complete and also all roller process, doing away with the stones entirely, and is manufactured by John T. Noyes & Co., of Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Wentworth, the mill-wright, informs us that the work will be completed week after next, and that the mill will be the most complete now in Michigan.

WOOL PROSPECTS.

Prices for wool are expected to rule lower this season than last, and will open at from 33 to 35 cents. None has been brought into our market, the season being unfavorable for washing and shearing.

A small clip of wool was brought into Hudson last week and sold for thirty cents.

The last Michigan Farmer closes a lengthy review of the wool market as follows: "So far as Michigan is concerned, no washed wools are yet ready for the market, many flock-masters having only washed their sheep the past week. The wools of thoroughbred flocks are generally in first hands, and are likely to stay there until manufacturers and dealers are willing to pay something like a fair price for them. While undoubtedly manufacturers have been severely tried by the depressed state of trade owing to the tariff agitation and an unfavorable season, they know quite well that it is only temporary without Congress should repeat its folly of last winter, and that is not likely. It is therefore folly for them to attempt to bulldoze wool growers, who are quite as able to hold their wool as dealers and manufacturers are to do without it. As it looks at present the market is likely to be a very quiet one this season, with buyers offering prices far below the true value of wool. In such circumstances a little backbone among wool-growers will act as a tonic. It will not be wise to rush your wool into market until you know something about what you are going to get for it. Any anxiety to sell will give buyers a big advantage, and when once your wools are in the hands of the dealer and manufacturer the depression will have passed away."

CONNUBIAL CHAINS.

Marriage of Thomas Taber, of West Bay City, to Miss Rose De Puy.

Prominent among the social events of the week is the marriage of Mr. Thomas Taber, of West Bay City, and Miss Rose De Puy, of Tecumseh, which occurred last evening at the residence of the bride's father. At an early hour about forty invited relatives and friends assembled in the brilliantly illuminated rooms, which were decorated with a profusion of flowers, smilax and rare exotics, and at seven o'clock the bridal couple entered the parlors and took a position beneath a beautiful floral arch, from which was suspended a floral horseshoe. The bride was attired in rich stem green silk, with an elaborate garniture of oriental lace and natural flowers. The groom wore the conventional black. There were no bridesmaids. President Durgin, of Hillsdale college performed the ceremony in a solemn and impressive manner, after which a delicious collation, including coffee, cake, fruits and confectionery was served. The scene was brilliant as well as pleasing, and amidst a shower of congratulations and good wishes, the happy couple left on the evening train for West Bay City, their future home. Among the many useful and appropriate presents were the following:

Mr. Jay Thompson, West Bay City, plush toilet set; Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Haviland, Fairbairn, Conn., case nut picks; George H. Taber, Fairbairn, Conn., pair vases; "E. T. T.," set of solid silver teaspoons; Mr. & Mrs. U. N. Lockwood, Manchester, Mich., volume of poems; Mrs. J. S. Pittinger, Wellsville, N. Y., elegant hand decorated pin cushion; W. E. Pittenger, Hornellsville, N. Y., Russia leather toilet case; Mrs. W. E. Pittenger, Hornellsville, N. Y., chair tidy; Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Hendershot, oil painting; Miss Edna Hendershot, picture in velvet frame; Mrs. Ezra De Puy, pair of towels; Mr. & Mrs. E. V. De Puy, pair vase mats; Mr. & Mrs. Jehiel Davidson, elegant toilet bottle in silver holder; Rev. Wellington De Puy and E. Cora De Puy, elegant silver cake basket; Mr. & Mrs. B. F. De Puy, silver butter dish; Mrs. Phillip De Puy, bed spread, tidy and set silver knives; Mr. Philip De Puy, $50 cash; Mr. & Mrs. F. W. De Puy, elegant embroidered towel and hassock; J. W. De Puy, pair damask towels.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Hudson Sanitarium is being well patronized.

Nearly every boy in Clinton has got the base-ball fever.

The prospects are that Clinton will soon have a brass band.

Both of the Hudson hotels are undergoing extensive repairs.

A new grand stand has been erected on the Madson driving park.

The telephone line from Adrian to Toledo was opened last Saturday.

Seven tons of milk are received daily at the Grainger milk factory.

The Good Templars of Medina will [illegible]

Children's day was observed at the Clinton Congregational church last Sunday.

Edison has presented the Adrian Scientific Society with four of his electric lamps.

Mrs. Edwin R. Smith, of Clinton, has gone to Fargo, Dakota, to spend the summer.

Having procured a new fire engine Deerfield now proposes to build an engine house.

Adrian is having an unusual number of weddings during this flowery month of June.

The class day exercises of the Hudson High School will take place to-morrow evening.

The Adrian Record sternly remarks there is "too much yawp" at the city council meetings.

The boys of Clinton had captured 37 woodchuck scalps up to last week Monday evening.

The annual inventory of all the rolling stock on the Wabash road was taken last Sunday.

Ex-Gov. St. Johns, of Kansas, will speak at Morenci on the 26th inst. on the subject of temperance.

The Lenawee Baptist Association held a two days' meeting at Flat Rock, Monroe county, last week.

Two young men living near Wamplers Lake set two old straw stacks on fire and paid $25 for the sport.

An Adrian fireman has been captured by the salvation army. This speaks well for the prowess of the army.

Mrs. Betsey Dakin, of Palmyra, has just received $2,066 back pension, on account of the death of her son in the war.

Gilmore & Ellis, bankers, of Blissfield, have dissolved partnership, and Mr. A. D. Gilmore will continue the business in person.

Mr. Frank Bumann, of Tecumseh, has bought a fine lot on Broad street in Adrian, and expects to erect a fine residence thereon at an early day.

Prof. Maclean, of Ann Arbor, was called to see Mrs. James Cook, of Raisin, last week. He considers the prospects favorable for her recovery.

Deerfield Record: A colored boy was perambulating the streets yesterday. Nothing remarkable about it only that he wore a foot six inches wide and fourteen long, and weighing sixteen pounds.

The editor of the Deerfield Record has been taking an extended trip "out west." The trip covered six states and 2,800 miles of railway. He believes that all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy.

Deerfield Record: C. Fall and son-in-law, E. Fitch, who with their families went to Kansas a couple of months ago, have returned and say that Michigan and Lenawee county is good enough for them to pitch their tents in.

Hudson Gazette: Wm. Cooley, the Medina lad who assaulted his aged father because he would rouse him from a late morning slumber with a cool glass of water, was fined $30 and costs for the disrespectful treatment. He paid it in preference to going to jail.

Hudson Gazette: The grounds about Mallory lake are being put in shape for the reception of picnic and private pleasure parties that may visit the shores of this historic lake this summer. New boats will be built and other improvements made to increase the popularity of the resort.

Morenci Observer: Pastor McLean of the Baptist church, in closing the associational year, congratulated his people on the generous liberality. They have raised the past year the handsome sum of $1,430 exclusive of the repairs now being put on the parsonage, which when completed will be one of the pleasant homes of the village.

Marshall Statesman, 8th: The track of the M. & O. is laid as far as Jefferson street in Battle Creek, and the filling is done by a gravel train that follows up. They expect to be out of the city to-night. They were delayed some days in Battle Creek.

Marshall Statesman, 8th: The laborers on the M. & O. are still working between here and Homer. The sub-contractor Mr Z. Hakes thinks the grade to the latter place will be ready for the iron by the 20th or 25th.

Gainsley's west show window is one of the neatest one fitted up in town. Look at it.

—In Sewing Machines like anything else the best is always the cheapest in the end. The Domestic and White stand at the head. Call at Sparks', next door to the Novelty store, and inform yourself before purchasing. Attachments and the very best needles and oils constantly on hand. You can buy an organ or piano of me as low as the lowest. Special inducements offered to cash customers. G. P. SPARKS.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. Snyder's.

—Coal! Coal!! Slayton & Son still handle the celebrated Scranton Coal, the best in the market, and are prepared to make prices. It is a good time to buy. Call and see us.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms.

—160 doz. tin types made in Tecumseh in seven weeks. Low prices and good work is what tells these days. Barrows, opposite Opera House.

—WOOL! WOOL!! WOOL!!! F. H. Brown & Co., and C. L. Beagle, of Blissfield, will buy wool this season. See them.

—As my prices are low I must be kept reasonably busy, and I don't ask you to take the pictures unless they suit. Barrows, opposite the Opera House.

—Do not fail to examine those Golden Star gasoline stoves as they have decided improvements as regards points of safety that are invaluable to all practical housekeepers at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Sewing Machines to rent, or sell on the installment plan by the agent of the Singer Co., Landgraf block.

—Get your pictures the coming week, as I am liable to leave town you know. Barrows, opposite the Opera House.

—Have you seen the new Buckeye Spring Tooth Cultivator. The finest tool ever offered to the farmer for corn and equally good for fallow. Call at once on Slayton & Son and look it over.

—The Golden Star Oil Range is the latest success in summer stoves at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Call on the agent of the "Genuine Singer" in the Landgraf block, for sewing machines, needles, oils, and attachments.

—Yard Wide Lonsdale finish Bleached 8c. A. B. Cotton.

—300 vols. new and handsomely bound books to be sold at nearly one-half publisher's price. Call and secure the bargains at Adams' Novelty Store, Tecumseh.

—The following good goods are to be had at these very low figures of A. W. Slayton, Tecumseh:

Carpet Sweeper, $1.50.
Iron Axle Wagon, $1.50.
Child's Toy Cart, 25c.
Large (pipe box) Boys Wagon, $2.00.
A splendid pair of pillows, $3.75.
Six good strong chairs, $3.50.
Hat rack, iron hook, 50c.
Fine bed, with castors, $3.00.
Lovely comb case with glass, 50c.
All at A. W. Slayton's.

—Ladies' Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me. WELCOME SHERMAN.
The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's

—Land Fertilizing Salt, only $6 a ton, at S. W. Temple's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at S. W. Temple's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Yard Wide Fine Muslin 5 and 6c A. B. Cotton.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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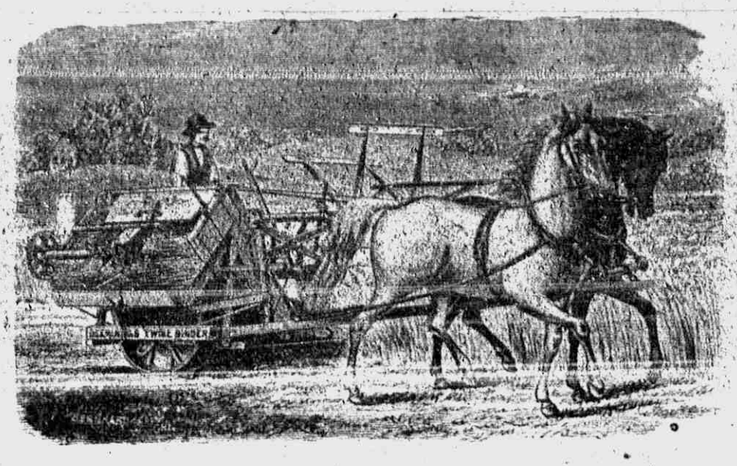

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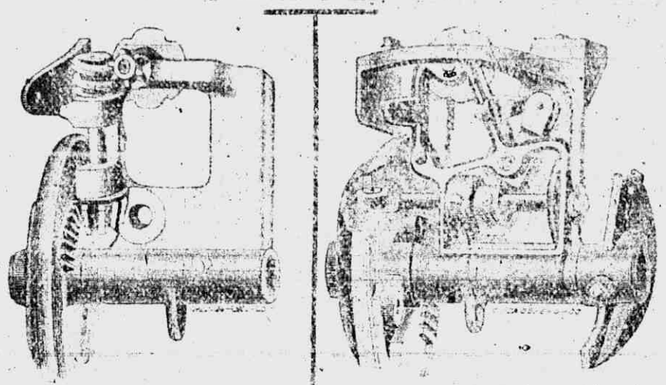

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Third—That the pin be one inch above the clay.

Fourth—That all measurements shall be taken from any visible part of the pin to the nearest visible part of the quoit. No clay or quoit to be disturbed.

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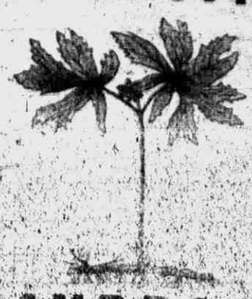

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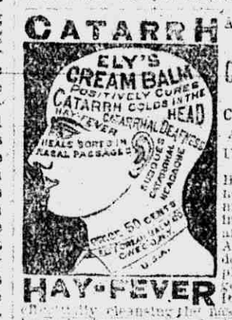

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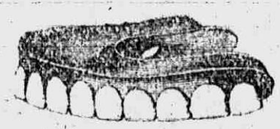
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Medicinal Qualities of Buttermilk.

For a summer beverage, there can be nothing more healthy and strengthing than buttermilk. It is excellent for weak or delicate stomachs, and far better as a dinner drink than coffee, tea, or water, and unlike them does not retard, but rather aids digestion.

A celebrated physician once said that if every one knew the value of buttermilk as a drink, it would be more freely partaken of by persons who drink so excessively of other beverages; and further compared its effects upon the system to the cleaning out of a rusty stove that has been clogged up with ashes that have sifted through, filling up every crevice and crack, saying, that the human system is like the stove, and collects and gathers refuse matter that can in no way be exterminated from the system so effectually as by drinking buttermilk. It is also a specific remedy for dyspepsia and indigestion, soothes and quiets the nerves, and is very soporific to those who are troubled with sleeplessness.

There is something strange in the fact that persons who never tire of singing its praises, while those who are not fond of it never weary of wondering how some people can drink it. So far as is possible, persons should overcome their aversion to it, and learn to drink it for health's sake. One gentleman of our acquaintance is so extremely fond of it that we knew him one time to drink about three glasses, then set his glass down with a thud, exclaiming earnestly as he smacked his lips: "That's food and raiment both." While another buttermilk enthusiast made the statement once that where the liver has become lifeless from torpidity and inaction, and is too dead to perform its functions, buttermilk will cause a new one to grow in. Whatever exaggerated statements may have been made concerning buttermilk, its medicinal properties cannot be overrated, and it should be more freely used by all who can get it. Every one who values good health should drink buttermilk every day in warm weather, and drink as much of it as they can comfortably, and let tea, coffee and water alone.

For the benefit of those who are not already aware of it, I may add, that in the churning the first process of digestion is gone through, making it one of the easiest and quickest of all things to digest.

It makes gastric juice and contains properties that readily assimilate with it, with little or no wear upon the digestive organs.

Replacing a Horse's Shoe.

In the busy season on the farm there is often much time lost and work delayed by frequent journeys to the blacksmith shop. Many of these visits are unavoidable; but when made for the simple resetting of a single horseshoe, it is expensive. A job like the replacing of a "thrown" shoe should be done at home. It is not a difficult one, and the needed tools are few and inexpensive. A light hammer, a pair of pincers, a punch, all of which every farmer's work shop should contain for other uses, and a few horseshoe nails are all that is necessary. It might be well to add to this a blacksmith's plane to smooth down the face of the foot, but for the simple resetting of the shoe this is not required. If the shoe is only loose, it may be tightened by driving up the old nails and clinching them anew, but if quite loose it had better be taken off, which can be done with the pincers, care being taken not to break the hoof. All the old nails should be removed by using the punch. The most difficult matter is the driving of the new nails, which must be so "pointed" as the end that they may not go into the "quick" but come to the upper surface of the hoof an inch or so above the sole. This can be learned by watching a blacksmith, and if he is a good-natured one he will willingly show how it is done. A little practice will render it an easy matter to drive the nails in the proper manner. As the nails are driven through, they should be turned down, and afterwards nipped off with the pincers and carved in to hold firmly. The work of resetting a shoe can be quickly done, and at a time when no loss is incurred. The morning before work, or the hour of rest at noon, may be so employed, and a journey saved, of miles it may be, to the nearest blacksmith. The shoe may come off at a time when replacing it at once will save the labor of the team and hands for a half day or more, in which case the ability to reset the shoe is a very labor-saving accomplishment, and should be possessed by every economic and energetic farmer throughout the country.

Home-Made Feather Duster.

A feather duster is an article the convenience of which every housewife appreciates, but it is often too expensive for many farmers to buy. For all such, some hints as to how a duster of equal utility and durability to a store one may be made at home from the feathers that would otherwise go to waste, may be useful. If beauty is not sought, any round stick of the proper size, such as the end of a broom handle, will serve for the handle of the orush; if one happens to have an old duster handle that can be used once more. With a saw make a series of grooves or notches in the lower end of the handle. By the aid of a hammer the lower portion of each quill should be so flattened as to pass into the grooves. As fast as the feathers are put in they should be tied with strong twine; and as the work proceeds glue should be added, that the feathers may be more firmly fastened. In this way new rows of feathers, followed by the twine and glue, may be added until the end is completely covered and the duster is of sufficient size, after which the finishing row of large feathers, selected for the purpose, is placed around the whole, and tightly bound with twine. Outside of the base of this last row of feathers, a neat strip of leather may be gilded to both improve the appearance and render the feathers more secure. A brush thus made will serve all the purposes of a purchased one, and if the work is carefully and thoroughly done, it is neat in appearance.

Havesville, Ohio, Feb 11, 1880.
I am very glad to say I have tried Hop Bitters, and never took anything that did me as much good. I only took two bottles and I would not take $100 for the good they did me, I recommend them to my patients, and get the best results from their use.
C. B. MERCER, M. D.

During 1879, 20,059 applications for patents were presented in the United States patent office, 12,735 of which were granted. The total receipts of the office were $703,921.47; total expenditures $529,027.97, leaving net surplus of $174,893.50. On January 1, 1880, there was a balance to the credit of the patent office fund of $1,820,806.56.

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Consumption.

Physicians used to hold that a fatal issue must follow the formation of tubercles on the lungs. So long as tubercular formations could be arrested, there was hope of a patient's recovery; but when these had planted themselves in the lungs, their growth was inevitable and fatal. But nature is wiser than physicians and teaches those who study her ways rather than books. Careful dissection in recent years has brought to light many curious facts. Foremost among these is the certainty that consumption in its tubercular form, is often cured. A series of post mortem examinations, in an Edinburgh hospital, disclosed the fact that the lungs of one-third of the persons who died after 30 years of age bore marks of tubercles whose growth had been checked, and in many cases the disease wholly cured. Part of the lungs have even been destroyed, and the cavities filled by the contraction and adhesion of the walls. In some cases tissue had completely inclosed the parts disintegrated by the disease. If consumption is curable, as these facts seem to indicate, invalids will never rest till they have ascertained the most effective methods of treatment.

Not one person in a hundred, at the age of sixty, can say that they are free from Rheumatic pains. All can be cured of this most dreadful disease by the use of Rheumatic Syrup.

To whom it may concern: Wolcott, N. Y., April 11, 1882.—This is to certify that I am an engineer by trade, and for the last five years have been troubled more or less with rheumatism, and for the last five weeks before this date I have been entirely unable to work, and when I commenced using the Rheumatic Syrup I could hardly leave my chair. After using one-half of a bottle of the Syrup I began to grow better, and am now at work as usual. Having been cured with three bottles I should advise any one troubled with Rheumatism to use Rheumatic Syrup. Enough cannot be said in its praise.

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A Specific for Change of Life.

We are in receipt of a letter from J. T. Hamby, Esq., of Floral, Ark., in which the writer says: Samaritan Nervine cures female decline, and during the change of life it is a specific." Suggestive facts, truly. $1.50

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Mr. Patterson meant what he said.

Lyman Dorman, of Huntington, Conn., August 29, 1866, writes: My boy, ten years of age, was taken sick with congestion of the lungs. An eminent physician of this place stated the boy would run down with Quick Consumption. A Mr. Patterson told me that Coe's Cough Balsam was curing similar cases, and advised me to try it. My wife laughed at me but I knew that Mr. Patterson meant just what he said, and I determined to try it. Two bottles cured him, and he is as healthy as any body.

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ESTATE OF IRA STEWART.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.
Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Ira Stewart, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Charles D. Stewart and Hannah L. Stewart, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts and funeral expenses of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred and praying for the allowance of their first account, now on file in this court, and for such other order in the premises as may be necessary in accordance with the provisions of said will.
Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 9th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. (w14)

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Le Roy Mead, late of Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of June, A.D., 1883, and on the 3d day of November, A.D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each day.
Dated this 7th day of March, A.D., 1883.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
ALBERT MOCKS,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Mary Ann Gardner, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Chas. Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of June, A.D., 1883, and on the 3d day of November, A.D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each day.
Dated this 7th day of March, A.D., 1883.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
ALBERT MOCKS,
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ira H. Sherritt, deceased.
By virtue of a license granted to the undersigned, the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, on the 14th day of May, A.D. 1883, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house in the land and premises hereinafter described, that being the last residence of said deceased, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 9th day of July, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all that parcel of land situated in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: The south half of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) in town five south, of range one East, excepting a strip of land off the east side thereof, bounded on the west by the center of Maumee street in said Village of Tecumseh, in said county, at the point of intersection thereof by the center of a road leading East and Westerly through said section twenty-seven, to the opposite side, dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 17 and ½ west along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section, about fifteen chains, twenty-two links to land sold by Roberts Gardner son to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day as he supposes; thence East on said line of said Day's said land eleven chains and 10 link; thence south 17 and ½ degrees, fifteen chains and ninety-five links, parallel with said Maumee street to the center of the road running Easterly and Westerly through said section; thence Westerly along the center of said last named road or 11 chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half rods sold by and Bidwell to Wright Seed on the east side and bounded on per recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as 1.230, sold by and Bidwell to John Saxton, also a further rood of land sold and conveyed by said Gardner son to and Gardner, Sanford and Sadler, and for all its right, title and interest therein, and part thereof conveyed by William Tadhom to Elizabeth Jane Wyckoff, bearing date November 15, 1866, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County in Liber 57 of deeds, page 1[illegible], excepting therefrom and also excepting the amount of a mortgage made by said deceased to William Tadhom, bearing date February 1st, 1882, for $[illegible] and interest thereon from the 15th day of February, 1882, and excepting also to the dower rights of Delia Gardner, widow of said deceased, the right of Delia Terms of sale cash down on confirmation.
Dated May 19th, 1883.
JOSEPH LANNING,
Administrator.
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ESTATE OF ARNER MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 1st day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.
Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Jerome A. Arner, Lucius M. Arner and Augustus C. Arner, minors.
On reading and filing the petition of Abe Wise, Administrator of said minors, praying for license to sell the interest of said minors in certain real estate therein described, that being the last residence of said deceased, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, in the county of Lucy, A.D. 1882, at Lucia to the minors, all that parcel of land situated in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: The south half of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) town five south, of range one East, excepting a strip of land off the east side thereof, bounded on the west by the center of Maumee street in said Village of Tecumseh, in said county, at the point of intersection thereof by the center of a road leading East and Westerly through said section twenty-seven, to the opposite side, dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 17 and ½ west along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section about fifteen chains, twenty-two links to land sold by Roberts Gardner son to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day as he supposes; thence East on said line of said Day's said land eleven chains and 10 link; thence south 17 and ½ degrees, fifteen chains and ninety-five links, parallel with said Maumee street to the center of the road running Easterly and Westerly through said section; thence Westerly along the center of said last named road or 11 chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half rods sold by and Bidwell to Wright Seed on the east side and bounded on per recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as 1.230, sold by and Bidwell to John Saxton, also a further rood of land sold and conveyed by said Gardner son to and Gardner, Sanford and Sadler, and for all its right, title and interest therein, and part thereof conveyed by William Tadhom to Elizabeth Jane Wyckoff, bearing date November 15, 1866, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County in Liber 57 of deeds, page 1[illegible], excepting therefrom and also excepting the amount of a mortgage made by said deceased to William Tadhom, bearing date February 1st, 1882, for $[illegible] and interest thereon from the 15th day of February, 1882, and excepting also to the dower rights of Delia Gardner, widow of said deceased, the right of Delia Terms of sale cash down on confirmation.
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Prof. Doremus on Porous Plasters.

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I find in Benson's Capsicum Plasters valuable medicinal ingredients, which do not exist in Allcock's Porous Plasters; hence in my opinion they are superior to those of Allcock's.
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Adrian Record: Mr. P. W. Morse who recently sold a farm in East Raisin, and went to Vermont with the intention of residing there, returned [illegible] Saturday last and yesterday purchased and took possession of another farm in Raisin, less than two miles from the Wabash depot in this city. Mr. Morse says [illegible] he saw no country that equalled this, and that he has come back to stay.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning

Apples, ₩ barrel	2 50	@	2 75
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔		@	06
Butter, ₩ ℔	10	@	14
Barley, ₩ bushel	60	@	72
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75	@	2 65
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@	4 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00	@	7 50
Beef, Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Tallow	05	@	08
Wool—clothing	30	@	[illegible]
Wool—combing	30	@	[illegible]
Clover seed	5 00	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	10	@	15
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 50	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 25	@	7 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@	5 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	11 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	13
Oats, ₩ bushel	40	@	45
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	30	@	40
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, hard	3 75	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	1 02	@	1 [illegible]
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	1 05	@	1 [illegible]

COAL.

The prices for SUMMER DELIVERY of HARD and SOFT COAL are now established, and are lower than will be made later in the season. An advance is expected July 1st. Money can be saved and cleaner and better Coal secured by placing orders now, for delivery at any time previous to September 1st. Parties desiring to make contracts will consult their own interests by getting prices from

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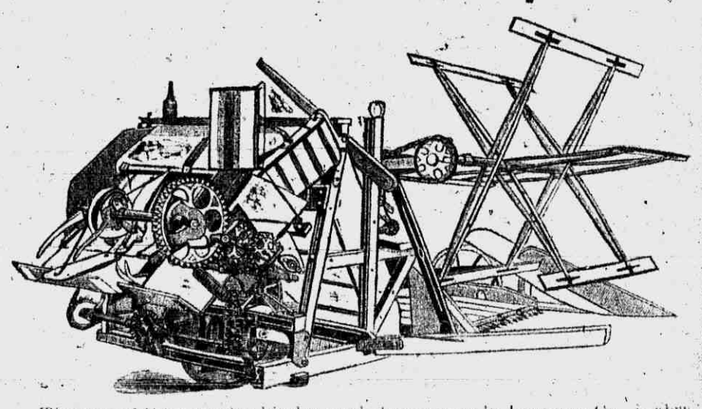

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HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Wm. Howler is about to move his barn near his new residence.

Geo. Riley is building a new barn.

Al. Hoxie and wife are keeping house over the store at Holloway.

Corn planting is still in fashion in this vicinity between the showers.

Tom Hoxie has the new house painted.

Two little children of Wm. Calhoun have been very sick of diphtheria, but are improving. Dr. S. Catlin, of Tecumseh, attending physician.

Last Sabbath Mr. Leonard Carlton had a horse severely injured by a kick from another horse while in the pasture.

The Rev. Mr. Vincent is established as pastor of the Presbyterian church here.

B. Kelly & Co. shipped a car load of hogs last week.

THE MORENCI PIONEER MEETING.

The celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of Bean Creek valley took place at Morenci on Saturday last. A large gathering assembled early in the day. A double program was presented sandwiched with a picnic dinner.

After a little preliminary visiting and handshaking the meeting organized by electing John C. Porter president, E. D. Allen, secretary, and O. E. Green treasurer. The forenoon was largely given up to an experience meeting, at which several of the old settlers recounted the trials and privations incident to their early pioneer life. The speeches were interpersed with music by the Lyons cornet band and the Weston glee club. After a concluding song by the Glee club, the president announced that they would adjourn for dinner, and in a short time the pioneers were attacking the eatables with the same vigor and earnestness that characterized their attacks on the virgin forests years ago.

The exercises for the afternoon were opened by music by the band, and a song by the glee club, after which the president introduced Judge Stacy, of Adrian, who delivered the address of the afternoon.

The Judge briefly spoke of the early history of the county, the growth of its schools and churches, and the improvement of its farms. The first land entered in the county was located at Tecumseh in 1823. The first 4th of July celebration was held at Tecumseh in 1825, at which forty-seven persons met to keep in remembrance the anniversary of our independence. The Judge's first visit to this section was made in 1844, when in company with Judge Beaman, he stumped the country for the democratic candidates for president and vice president. The speaker closed with a few remarks to the old settlers who were grouped in front of him, reminding them that their ranks were gradually thinning and that ere long the farms they had helped to clear, and the familiar places they were wont to visit, would know them no more.

At the conclusion of his remarks, Hon. Geo. W. Moore, of Medina, gave a historical sketch of Bean Creek settlement, which extended 50 miles north and south, by 20 miles east and west. Of those who helped to make that settlement, only a few are left to celebrate this, its fiftieth anniversary.

After music by the band, Hon. T. F. Moore, of Madison, delivered an earnest and eloquent address.

The appropriate song, "One Day Nearer Home," was then sung by the glee club, after which T. S. Baker recited the poem, "Fifty Years Ago."

The exercises were concluded by a song by the glee club, entitled "The Jolly Old Tanner," and the giving of three cheers for the speakers, the band and the glee club. It was estimated that fully one thousand people were present to witness the exercises.

The Sea Serpent's Rival.

This from the Virginia City Enterprise: The big fish of Lake Tahoe again made his appearance day before yesterday. He suddenly rose in front of the steamer, Governor Sanford, and disputed her passage. There was quite a rough tussle for about ten minutes, when the fish leaped upward and snapping off the bowsprit, went away with it in his mouth. As the fish is making so much trouble, the owners of the steamers will send below for a harpoon to be fired from a cannon, and will try to kill it. Heretofore the fish has only been seen two or three times in the past twenty-five years. In 1868 he attacked a large boat and drowned four Canadians, since which time he has not been seen till this year.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending June 16, 1883.

In the matter of Lovina A. Corbett, an indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum hearing June 9, 1883.

In the matter of Ralph Henning, a dependent and neglected child; application to send said child to state public school; order for admission to school.

Estate of Frank W. Pratt, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Abram Ayres, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Josiah Love, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Edward A. Jordan, deceased; petition for the appointment of an administrator; hearing July 9, 1883.

Estate of Geo. W. Allen, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of Lovina A. Corbett, an alleged indigent insane person; affidavit of service filed; after taking testimony of witnesses an order of dismissal of application was made.

Estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; petition for allowance for support of family; order of an allowance for one year from December 29, 1882.

Estate of Ira Stewart, deceased, petition for the allowance of executor's first account; hearing July 9, 1883.

Estate of Henry Hazard, deceased; affidavit of publication; administratrix's final account allowed; order of discharge on filing receipt.

Estate of Renselaer A. Baker, deceased; affidavit of publication filed, and the order not having been published as directed by the court, a new order was made for hearing petition July 9, 1883.

Estate of Kate E. Hart, minor; release of guardian; order of discharge.

Estate of Herbert L. Baker, minor; petition for guardian; order of appointment.

Estate of John Kipp, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until June 23th, 1883, at 9 o'clock A.M.

Estate of Jonathan G. Douglas, deceased; order appointing a guardian ad litem; affidavit of publication; administratrix's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Joseph Fletcher, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing July 9, 1883.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell, a minor; incompetent person; affidavit of service; order appointing a guardian.

Estate of Ida M. Hastings, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment.

Estate of Oren Knowlan, an alleged incompetent person; petition for the appointment of a guardian; hearing July 10, 1883.

Estate of Susannah Warner, deceased; an order of continuance entered until Wednesday morning, June 13, 1883, at nine o'clock A.M., and on that morning after taking testimony of witnesses, an order of further continuance was made until July 10, 1883, at ten o'clock A.M.

Estate of Sylvester Ellis, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Loren Downer, deceased; receipts filed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending June 16, 1883:

CAMBRIDGE.

Emma Springer to J. B. Dowling, Land on sec. 25. $45.

Andrew J. Ayres to Wm. B. White, Land on sec. 9. $3600.

FRANKLIN.

A. R. Crane to J. B. Dowling. Land on sec 19. $1,700.

MACON.

S. V. Miller to B. B. and F. Morley, Land on sec. 29. $4500.

RAISIN.

C. E. Bowerman to D. H. and A. A. Morse. Land on sec. 33. $2300.

TECUMSEH.

Augusta P. Lee to Sylvester Erskine, Land in village. $300.

Peterson's Magazine for July is on our table, ahead of all others, and even more brilliant than usual. The leading illustrated article is entitled "Where Colonel Newcome Died," and will be read, with the greatest interest, by every admirer of Thackeray. The principal story is "A Fifth Avenue Romance," a novelet of which the first four chapters are given, and which, besides being written with great spirit, is evidently from the pen of one entirely at home in the society she describes. The other stories however, are all exceptionally good. We really do not see how any lady can do without this magazine. It combines more, and of a better quality, at a less price than any other. The terms are but $2 a year, with great deductions to clubs, and handsome premiums to persons getting up clubs. Specimens are sent gratis, if written for, to those wishing to get up clubs. Address Peterson's Magazine, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The June number of the Grand Army Magazine contains a very interesting article on the Toledo War from the pen of Geo. C. Bates, who now resides at Denver, Colo. We shall endeavor to give the article to our readers before long.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

A masonic lodge is to be formed at St. Ignace.

Bay City will celebrate the Fourth of July.

The great camp of the Knights of the Macabees meets at Detroit in August.

Frank Granples' boarding house at Manistique burned last Wednesday loss $2,500; insured for $1,700.

The warden of the house of correction advertises the labor of 100 convicts as being to let to the highest bidder for a term of five years.

By the new Washtenaw county directory Ann Arbor is credited with 10,455 inhabitants, exclusive of 1,440 students.

A Boston paper says a favorite ballad in the Michigan woods is called, "He monkeyed with a buzz saw, and look at him now."

The iron fire proof book rooms of the library building in Ann Arbor will have a capacity of 108,000 volumes. The present library contains only 36,000 volumes.

The recent rains flooded the shops of the St. Johns manufacturing company so that work had to be suspended for a day or two and the city fire engine engaged to pump out the water.

George Kittridge was run over by the cars near Ogemaw, and received injuries that will probably prove fatal. One leg was taken off, and he was hurt internally. His home was near Lapeer.

The state teachers' institute will be held at Lansing, beginning Tuesday, July 10, at 8:45 A.M. and will continue in session four days, under the direction of the superintendent of public instruction.

Prof. James F. Jordan, superintendent of the Buchanan public schools for the past three years, will immediately assume the co-editorship of the Paw Paw "Freepress and Courier," a journal in which he has owned a half interest some time.

The third annual reunion of the Michigan prisoners of war association was held at Greenville last Thursday with a large number of "the boys" present. They had a jolly good time and were royally entertaned by the citizens of Greenville.

The Grand Rapids furniture men have been denied space in which to exhibit their goods at the Louisville exhibition, and are exceedingly wroth. They allege that the managers are furniture men and are afraid of the Grand Rapids exhibit.

Sylvester Hobson, of Hobson Bros. circus, is a fugitive from justice. The officers are after him for intimidating the baggage master of the G. R. & I. depot at Sturgis with a revolver. He compelled the baggage-man to allow him to open his baggage without surrendering the check.

Edwin Willits takes charge of the state normal school at Ypsilanti July 1st, and will of course make his home at Ypsilanti. The commencement week exercises begin Sunday June 24, and close on the 27th. Mr. Willits makes his inaugural address at 11 A.M. of the latter date.

A Kalamazoo clothier advertises by sending up toy balloons, to which are attached cards stating that whoever finds the balloons can, on presentation of the cards obtain certain articles of clothing. And now all the urchins in Kalamazoo county are gazing skywards, watching for descending balloons.

Muskegon has a livery stable owned by a lady and personally managed by herself and daughter—and well managed, too. The lady's husband died and left her the property, which she believed she could manage better than she could sell it. Her success has been sure, and she is making money.

The Port Huron hotel keepers, liquor dealers, etc., are trying to arrange matters so that the local celebration will take place on the 3d instead of the 4th of July. This is their nice little idea for having the blowout on a day when they will not be compelled by law to close up their bar rooms. Great scheme.

In Eaton county a number of farmers living northwest of Bellevue have made a practice of late of coming to town Saturday afternoons and filling up with "that liquid that kills grief," and having a regular picnic. Last Saturday was no exception, and Monday morning the village marshal swore out warrants for half a dozen or more, who were brought before the justice and fined $3 apiece and costs, and warned that the fine would be doubled for each subsequent offense. Most of the parties are well-to-do farmers.

JENNIE'S GRADUATION DRESS.

"Now go on with your studying, Jennie. It's useless to discuss the matter.

"But, mother, I don't see——

"Of course you don't see, dear, but when your father has decided, *he has decided*, you know. Don't think any more about it. Come, I can't spare you but fifteen minutes more. You must help me on Johnny's jacket—just the button-holes, my eyes are so poor.

"Why don't you get Miss Stitchson to make the button-holes?"

"Don't ask me. What did your father say yesterday noon, and again just at supper time? If you will make them I can get the jacket finished to-night. He needs it bad enough.

"Now, mother Mayberry, it's too bad! Tom's suit is shabby, but I don't believe that he cares. One day more won't make much difference, anyway; and I will help on the button-holes to-morrow afternoon. If Prudie don't come for me to practice that duet with her."

"No, no, dear. 'Never put off till to-morrow what can be done to-day'—Grandma's motto, you know. I wish you would bear it in mind more, but you do. There—now [illegible] mother would keep your thoughts on your lesson. I shan't speak for fifteen minutes."

At this Jennie resumed her studying, for she was as desirous as her mother was for her to be correct in recitations. She had been dreading this last review in history, which was to determine her rank in scholarship. And her father was anxious that she should stand high at graduation—only three weeks hence. He had even taken pains to go over with her all the battles of our civil struggle and the events of the Franco-German war, the dates were such a trouble to her; and taught her an old method of his own [illegible] memorizing such things accurately.

She went on patiently with the words of the book. But I am sorry to say her thoughts wandered to Prudence Winn's new dress, and to a small package in her pocket which she had not yet had the courage—opportunity, she would have said—to show her mother; yet, which she must see this very evening if her long-cherished hopes were to be fulfilled.

A pencil was needed to mark the battle of the Wilderness for her memorizing method, and in taking it from her pocket out came the package also. Her pink cheeks took on a deeper hue as she hastily snatched at it before it fell to the floor, and there was a confused droop of her quivering eyelids before her mother's questioning glance. Not a word was said, but Mrs. Mayberry extended her hand, and Jennie dared not ignore the unspoken request.

"What does this mean, daughter? Jordan & Marsh's shop bill—black silk samples! —said Mrs. Mayberry, slowly, as she unfolded the little package.

"I wanted to know what it would cost," came the reluctant words, as the girl's nervous fingers turned and re-turned the pages of her history. "Other girls, lots of them, do."

"Do what?"

"Send for samples."

"Without consulting their parents? I hope not, Jennie. How could you?"

There was no answer, and the question was repeated. But before she had time to reply, Mr. Mayberry and Tommy, who had been busy over an hour in the barn looking after the comfort of the little heifer and Nan, her mother, and seeing that Jinks, the old roan, and Daisy, the pony, were all right, and everything about the premises snug and orderly, came hurrying in.

Mr. Mayberry, quick to read faces, saw that something unpleasant was under consideration. Presuming [illegible] was the same subject—graduation and its expenses—which had been talked over at tea time, he said: "I've been thinking it all over, Jennie. I can't bear to have you feel unhappy and dissatisfied, and instead of giving money for hiring music that day and evening I'll let the class have the use of our piano, you and Prudence Winn can play well enough for anybody who'll be there. How do you like that? I'll take it to the schoolhouse, and back again, too.

Jennie did not answer. She had not recovered her confusion, and only a sickly smile showed that she understood his suggestion.

"A good idea—don't you think so, mother?" he added, with a little chirrupy laugh, which Mrs. Mayberry answered with another—but hers was forced and hollow.

Tommy saw the samples of silk, still in his mother's hand. "Something for my new jacket trimmings, is it?" he asked.

"Oh, no. Jennie, you might as well tell your father all about it," was the response, in low sad tones.

Jennie began to cry.

"Hi! hi!" said her father, cheerily. "This won't do for a seventeen-year-old young lady. What's up? I don't see anything to cry about. You're getting nervous, sis. Too much study I'm afraid. I shall be glad when you get through this terrible last term. But you're coming out well—that's not the trouble, I hope? Let's run over the battles again, so as to be sure of them." And he took up the book she had pushed aside.

Mrs. Mayberry laid the strips of silk upon the book. "What do you think of those?" she said, gently.

"Those?" he asked. "Why, what are they? How came you by them?"

"Is it best for Jennie to have a graduation suit like either of them?"

"Our Jennie? Our little Jennie rigged out like a fifty-year-old? You're joking, wife!"

Jennie had ceased crying, and now looked up anxiously.

"Never was I more in earnest, John."

"Well, I don't pretend to know about these things. But you don't really want it, do you, child? Such a gloomy thing. Why, you ought to have something bright and cheerful then, it seems to me.

"It would be very serviceable," said Jennie, meekly.

"Serviceable—how?" queried her father. "Your mother's dresses are always serviceable, and they are not silk. And then look at the cost of it! Ten—fifteen dollars I suppose."

"More than double that," returned Mrs. Mayberry.

"That settles the question. No, it will not be serviceable for my daughter—not at that price."

"But if I get the school at Stapleton?" asked Jennie.

"Oh! If! Time enough to talk about silk dresses when you've money that you don't know what to do with. If you do teach you shan't begin for over a year."

"More than half the girls in our class will have silks for graduation, Trudie says, and—"

"I suppose she will; she looks like that kind of a girl. And, as usual, her father is going to borrow my mowing machine next summer, and the new plow, that I must buy in April. No, no, daughter—no black silk for you yet. However—let me see. I have it now! One of my happy thoughts—just in the nick of time, I declare!"

He drew out his pocketbook, and from its folds took several bank-bills. "Mr. Simonds paid for his hay this afternoon. I'm right glad to get the money just now—was intending it for a certain purpose, a plan your mother and I made a while ago. But I've changed my mind within an hour, and, Jennie, if you'll wear the same dress you have on now—this neat gray flannel, with the pretty pink neck-tie—at the graduation, you shall have every cent he paid me, to spend as you choose."

Jennie looked troubled.

"I'll be there to see," he added. "Moreover and furthermore," he continued, merrily, "Tommy and I will get as many spruce trees and as much evergreen to trim the school-room as you will accept. And mother'll lend all her plants, every flower-pot, I've no doubt."

"Certainly, with pleasure," responded Mrs. Mayberry.

"The graduation, or commencement, rather—for then you will really begin your life as a woman," said Mr. Mayberry, "ought to be a joyful occasion, and yet a serious and thoughtful one, as you then lay aside childish things and take the first step toward the sober realities of life. And I want you to know, Jennie, that the decision you will have much to do in determining your future course. Don't begin with show and extravagance, then, even if you—that is—can afford it; it would not be right or becoming."

"Mike Brady hasn't any overcoat, father, because Mary's got to to have a new gown to graduate in," said Tommy.

"And Mrs. Drayton told me a fortnight ago that Hannah had left the High School on account of the expense of graduation," said his mother.

"Well, I suppose there are others 'in the same box,' as Uncle Russel expressed it. He said to me the other day that he shouldn't be able to take up his note as soon as he expected, next month, his two boy's school expenses are so great this last term."

"All the girls are telling what they shall wear, and I thought—I expected—" began Jennie, in a trembling voice.

"Think of it over night, dear. You have had good teachers, and you are fond of them, I know, and are attached to your mates. You have had many happy hours in the old school-room, and will wish to look back on the last days spent there with pleasant memories. Spend the money—it is yours now—in a way that will give you the most delightful recollection."

"Now, please, let us drop the subject," said her mother, laying the samples on her work-stand, and taking up Tommy's jacket. "Am I to have your help on the button-holes, dear?", she added, quietly.

Jennie gave her a bright smile, gathered up the bits of silk, went directly to the stove and threw them in the fire.

"Button-holes, buttons—anything you say," was her answer, as she seated herself on a stool at her mother's side, that both might sew at the same time.

"How about your battles? Dates all right?" asked her father. "Let me hear them."

She recited them slowly and correctly, ending with a gay laugh, and saying: "I was determined to have them right."

"And you have succeeded. Add another—a victory for General Goodsense, at Mayberry Point. What's the date?"

"Never mind. Graduation day we'll call it, perhaps," and having clasped her purse with a vigorous snap, there was a tinkle of its steel rings as she slipped it into her pocket; and then her skillful fingers ran rapidly through the mazes of button-hole stitch. So Tommy's jacket was completed, and he was glad enough to have it ready to wear the next day.

Graduation day was remarkably fair for March. The school-room was crowded with the parents and friends of the pupils. Everybody admired the decorations of the evergreens and flowering plants, which Mr. Mayberry not only provided, but assisted in arranging.

Not one of the pupils passed more creditably through the exercises than Jennie Mayberry, and certainly not one looked prettier than she in her modest gray dress, with a pink bow at her throat. More than one among the gentlemen visitors inquired who that handsome girl in gray was—"And such easy, charming manners," added some, "And such a fine scholar," said others.

The music—only "Jennie Mayberry's piano, and singing by the pupils"—was liked so well that a persistent *encore* of the last song brought its repetition; during which Mr. Mayberry, bearing a large package, passed slowly up one of the crowded aisles to the teachers' platform. When the singing ceased, all eyes turned in expectation towards him as he carefully unfolded a large picture from its wrappings.

It was a fine engraving in a beautiful frame. "My daughter's gift to the school, in memory of pleasant hours here passed," said Mr. Mayberry to the Principal.

A complete surprise was this, and everybody seemed astonished at the generous gift. In a few words Mr. Mayberry told the story of its purchase. Then it was hung on the wall back of the teachers' desks.

And that is the way that the change in the graduation exercises of the High School at Mayberry Point was brought about; and why the pupils wear their everyday dresses, and furnish their own music, and make the decorations themselves for that occasion. The reason, too, that there is always such a large class to graduate; and that there is less love of dress and finery among the young people of the place; and such good books in its school library; and so many nice pictures on the school-room walls; and those two Rogers' groups in the corners.

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Does Might Make Right?

THE TABLES TURNED.—A HACKMAN WHO UNDERSTANDS THE RULES OF RAILROAD TARIFFS.

A communistic person identified with the dangerous classes of the Comstock and notorious for his disregard of truth and contempt for vested rights, has just returned from a visit to San Francisco. This morning he endangered the good name of the *Chronicle* by entering its editoral room. The nihilist declared that he had "a good thing on Stanford and Steve Gage," but he supposed the *Chronicle*, like the rest of the corrupt and time-serving press, would be afraid to publish it.

"Tell your story," said the editor with dignity, gazing inquiringly at the boot of the socialist, which was resting upon the editoral table. The boot remained there, however, while the following ridiculous narrative was delivered:

"Its fine weather at the bay, and everybody who can afford it takes a spin occasionally out of the dust and heat. Last Saturday Stanford and Gage were walking along Kearny Street, and when they got to the corner of Bush the Governor took off his hat, wiped his brow and remarked:

"Steve, it's too hot for anything. What do you say to a breath of fresh air?"

"Have we time?" inquired Mr. Gage, pulling out his watch. So did the Governor, who replied:

"There isn't anything very pressing for a couple of hours, I guess, and we may as well take a spin out to the park. It isn't worth while to have out my horses. Let's take a hack, and then we can enjoy a walk when we get there. It'll be better than riding around the drives."

So they got into a coupe and were driven out to Golden Gate Park. At the entrance the governor and Gage alighted.

"What's the fare?" asked the governor.

"On'y $15, guv'nur."

"What!" yelled Stanford and Gage in the same breath.

"Fifteen dollars," repeated cabby, unbuttoning his coat and spitting on his hands.

"But my good man," protested the governor, "such a charge is exorbitant. The law confines you to a reasonable price for your services, and you can be arrested and punished for such a violation of the ordinance.

"Hang the law!" growled cabby. "My money bought and paid for this hack an' hosses, an' as Guv'nor Stanford said in his letter to the New York Chamber of Commerce, '*the essence of ownership is control.*'"

"Hem!" coughed the governor, looking slyly at Steve, who began to grin. "That's all well enough when applied to my railroads, but—but—er, now if you charge us fifteen dollars to bring us to the park, what on earth would you charge us to take us to the Cliff House?"

"Five dollars."

"From here?"

"No: from the city."

"But it's twice the distance!"

"Yes, but it's a *competitive point*. Fifteen to the park, five to the Cliff. No hoggin' about it. '*Through rates to the Cliff, local rates back to the park added*'—just as you fellers do when you charge $300 for drawing a carload of stuff from New York to 'Frisco, and make it $800 if you drop the car at Elko, about 500 miles nearer New York."

It was Steve's turn to cough and the governor's to grin.

"Well, said the governor with a sigh, "take us to the Cliff."

At the Cliff House the governor and Stephen drank their beer and smoked a cigar, and listened to the barking of the seals, and filled their lungs with the sea-breeze. Suddenly Steve clapped himself on the leg and cried out:

"By jove, governor! I forgot that lot of coal of Smith's that the sheriff is to sell at 3 o'clock. It's 2 now. If we miss that, a chance to save at least a thousand dollars will be gone."

"Good heavens!" cried the governor snatching out his watch, "let's hurry back at once. Driver! Oh, driver!"

"Here, sir," answered cabby, who had been leaning over the balcony parapet within ear-shot, "here, sir."

"We want to return to town immediately," cried Mr. Gage.

"Ya-as, I s'pose so," said cabby, slowly chewing a straw, "but I'll take my pay in advance, if it's all the same to you gents."

The governor growled somewhat between his teeth and tendered him $5.

"Taint enough," said cabby contemptuously.

"In heaven's name, how far will your extortion go?" snorted the governor. "How much more do you want?"

"Five hundred more," calmly replied the hackman.

"Hey?" shrieked Steve and the governor.

"Five hundred, an' not a cent less," replied cabby.

"How sir—er—damme, sir! how do you dare ask such a price for driving two gentlemen four or five miles?" spurted the governor.

"I base my charge on '*what the traffic will bear*,' same as the railroad does," replied the hackman, with a grin. "If taters is sellin' in Los Angelos for fifty cents a bushel and at $3 a bushel at Tucson, you fellers charge the poor devil of a rancher $2.50 a bushel to haul his taters to Tucson and gobble all the profit. Now, I ain't a hoggish as that. I heered Mr. Gage say if he could get into town by 3 o'clock he could make a thousand dollars. As there ain't no other hack here, I'm as good as monopoly for this wunst as any blasted railroad on earth; but ain't so greedy. I dont want nil you can make by usin' my hack. I'm willin' to get along with *half*.

With a dismal groan the Governor and Steve emptied their pockets and counted out the money.

"Now, see here," said cabby, as he closed the door of the hack on his victims, "I've done for wunst what you roosters day in an day out have been doin' for years, an' made your millions by it. I happened to be able to give you a small dose of yer own medicine for wunst, an' I don't want you to do no kickin. I know you kin send me to jail for runnin' my business on your principles, but if you jails me I'll have to have your blood when I get out, an' don't you forget it."

Hereupon the hackman clapped the door to with a bang, and climbing to his seat drove at a rattling pace to the place where the sheriff was about to sell out poor Smith.

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When the nihilist had finished this absurd and libelous tale he took his foot off the editoral desk, laughed hoarsely and departed for the nearest saloon.

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We are pained to see this. Instead of studying and becoming wise and great men like we are, they will go the other way and eventually get to be nothing more than mere politicians and members of the legislature. Turn back, before it is everlastingly too late.

We once knew a little boy who wouldn't go to school. He monkeyed around town peddling bills for the shows, ringing bells for auctions, etc., anything under the shining sun to stay out of school. Well, he didn't amount to much as a scholar, but he could swear just like a grown person, chew dog-leg tobacco, and lie like a stump speaker.

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A Dozen Waterspouts.

A reliable traveler tells the following about waterspouts:

We left Aspinwall on the 11th of May for New York. The weather was good until the 17th. At or about half-past two o'clock in the afternoon of that day Captain Williams and a number of the officers, crew and passengers were astonished by the appearance of a large waterspout. I have seen this remarkable phenomena before, but never on such a gigantic scale. The first one was seen about six miles away. A stream of water seemed to rise from the level of the ocean, and at the same time another stream descended from the heavens and depended from a dark rain-cloud like a great rope. The two streams met about midway between sky and water, and then began to move rapidly to the eastward. The base of the waterspout appeared to be nearly a quarter of a mile wide, and then it tapered toward the middle into an almost imperceptible line. Suddenly it broke, and there was a mighty hissing and commotion about of the waters in the vicinity. We saw twelve spouts that afternoon during some heavy rain squalls. At one time I saw four of them at once. They looked like lofty spires of a cathedral. Through our glasses we could see that the tops of the spouts were lost in the clouds. It is a scientific fact that the discharge of a cannon in the neighborhood will always cause these water-columns to break. The passengers insisted that the discharge of a pistol would create sufficient vibration in the air to destroy a spout which was a mile away. I loaded my revolver and fired twice at the spout. At the second shot it broke. I don't know whether it was the result of the firing or not, but the thing happened just as I tell you, and at least it was a remarkable coincidence. Every time a spout burst, the top part of it seemed to vanish into vapor, but the under part would rock the sea for miles, and our vessel experienced the violent effects. In [illegible] that afternoon the water was [illegible] several times it was thought [illegible] have to change our course, but [illegible] not approach too near for s[illegible]

Why They Call Him "Old Man."

"Yes, that's sadly so," said Jenkins, "my hair is turning gray and falling out before its time. Use something, I would, but most hair restorers are dangerous." "True," answered his friend, "but Parker's Hair Balsam is as harmless as it is effective. I've tried it, and know. Give the Balsam a show and the boys will soon stop calling you "Old Man Jenkins." It never fails to restore the original color to gray or faded hair. Richly perfumed, an elegant dressing.

Flocking to the Cities.

The tendency of population to towns and cities has been made the subject of much study and comment of late years. It has been often deprecated as inimical to the general welfare of society. Fruit-growing and gardening is to be commended because of its independence, its healthfulness and its almost invariable remunerativeness.

Very few farmers ever "fail in business," while in mercantile pursuits ninety-five out of every hundred fail. Despite these startling figures, there is a tendency, that verges upon a mania, to seek business and social life in cities and villages. There are many legitimate and natural reasons for this. Not all men are adapted to farming and kindred vocations. Men who have a natural genius for mechanism will succeed better as artisans than agriculturists. Men with the appetite for merchandise will not hardly be content with the culture of the soil. And so with all callings and professions; men should follow the line of business for which they are naturally qualified.

Social, educational, religious and esthetic reasons also obtain. The advantages of the city, in all these requisitions, are apparent, and not to be denied. It is true that, in their enjoyment, we lose many advantages that pertain to rural life; but, with a large number of people, the attractions of city life outweigh all country attractions. It is well that is should be so. The country without villages and cities would be a very desirable one to emigrant from; and the city without its rural surroundings would indeed be very helpless, as well as undesirable place of abode,—in fact, an impossibility. It is obviously in the economy of nature that these two conditions of society should always exist.—*Howard Courant.*

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As a family Medicine they are unrivalled, curing Head-ache, Constipation, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia—clearing the blood of all impurities—acting on the Liver, Kidneys and other important organs, removing the waste tissue, and adding years to the lives of all who use them.

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I am verging on eighty years, and deem it my duty to suffering humanity to say that my long life is due to Brandreth's Pills which have been my sole medicine for half a century. I know the last forty-three years of my life is owing solely to their use. Your Pills saved me many times after the best medical skill in several States had given me up as hopeless. I have had many converts to purgation with Brandreth's Pills, and have seen them perform almost miracles of cure. For children, a few doses have cured measles, scarlet fever, and whooping cough.

In all female troubles and weakness I have never known them to fail. In adult males I have known them to cure worst cases of dyspepsia, rheumatism, kidney diseases, dysentery and diarrhoea; even dropsy, paralysis, and apoplexy have yielded to a persistent course of Brandreth's Pills. In fact I have found them the Life Elixir. They act as continual preventives against the effects of time, disease, and labor.

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

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These watches are all open face. The bezel, into which an extra strong crystal is fitted with our specially prepared water proof cement, is attached to the case by screwing it thereon, and thus forms an air tight joint to protect the body of the case, which is proof against dust and moisture.

[illegible] travelers, miners, lumbermen and others who are almost constantly exposed and who have to make frequent reference to the watch, these qualities are of the utmost importance.

The following letters tell their own story.

VALDOSTA, Georgia, July 20, 1882.

"I sold one of your Patent Dust Proof Cases about ten months ago, and the other day it came back to me with the request to make it wind easier. On examination I found that the stem was rusty, and I inquired into the cause of it. The gentleman stated to me that he was starting some sawlogs that had lodged in the bend of the river, when his chain caught in a bush and threw his watch into about twelve feet of water, and he was about two hours finding it. When he got it out it was running and he thought all right. In about three months he found that the stem was hard to turn and sent it to me.

I can say that the watch is all that the company claims for it and recommend it to all railroad and mill men.

B. W. BENTLEY."

CLINTON, Iowa, April 29, 1881.

"I wish you would send me a spring for the Wm. Ellery Watch * * * By the way this Ellery is a watch I sold in your Screw Bezel Case to a farmer last fall. The first of January he lost the watch in the woods, and found it this week in about one foot of water. It had lain three months and over in snow and water, with but slight injury to the watch—only a hair-spring.

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Saved by a Frog.

A gentleman from the country gives us the following as his experience with a rattlesnake: He says that the pigs had been getting into his garden, and he was looking around for the hole. In one corner the weeds and grass had not been cut down, and as he went up close to see if the hole was there, he heard a noise, and then the warning his snakeship gave out. He turned as I saw a large snake coiled and darting his tongue, while his tail quivered and shook until the little shells on the end seemed to him as loud as the twin organs. The little shining eyes of the animal were brilliant with fury and seemed to dart forth rays of burning poison that filled his soul that made him shiver from head to foot. The fence was high and solid plank; there was no stile near, and the snake was not seven feet off, and right where, in trying to get out, he would have to pass nearer and he knew if he moved the enraged thing would dart forward and strike its poisonous fangs into him. Most he could not; to call for assistance would only make matters worse. He tried to pray, but was so scared that he could only utter, "Now I lay me down to sleep—good Lord, he's going to bite—" and so on. He said that [illegible] and agonizing moment of his life, and he has charged many a time under the old "Stonewall" upon the Yankees. He thought that he had been in that fix for two hours, when he heard a slight rustle. The snake heard it too, and stopped its rattle; in a second or two a large toad was seen hopping toward me, and as it approached, the snake looked squarely into the man's eyes and seemed to say: "Keep quiet, and I'll get the toad and let you off." The frog got within about six feet of the snake, when the rattle, was again sprung, and the little terror-striken toad was seized before it knew where to look for its enemy. As soon as our friend saw the frog with its head down into the snake's throat, and his feet kicking in the air, he made a desperate spring and went to the house, procured a shotgun and proceeded to kill the snake, but he found it not. He looked high and low, but there was no snake and no sign, only where it had coiled. He says he owes his life to that frog.

No family can afford to be without the following remedies in the house to use in case of emergencies, before a physician can be called—oftentimes saving calling one, and also saving the lives of the little ones: A bottle of Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup, which cures coughs, colds, croup, &c.; a bottle of Home Relief for sudden attacks of colic, cramps, cuts, bruises, sprains, etc.; a box of A. H. Davis' Family Pills, for constipation, torpid liver, kidney difficulties, headache, bones ache and fever symptoms. 25c sizes will cost only 75 cents for the outfit.

Very Sensible Views.

There is much growling lately about newspapers. A man who will denounce a newspaper as indecent and yet will always subscribe for it, had better close his mouth on the subject of higher journalism. A man who takes a paper and is weak enough to fear its gun, and wishes to spike it by secretly supporting the very form of journalism he pretends to despise, is a very poor creature. The press owes much to the public, and yet that part of the public that deems themselves representative of advanced thought and intelligence, who are in favor of nobler manners and purer laws, owe something to the press and to themselves. They owe it to the press when they ask with owlish solemnity, "Why is not the press loftier in its aim and more decent in its conduct?" to stop supporting papers whose spirit they pretend to spurn. Does any man suppose a newspaper will rise above the dialect of the ditch, the gossip of the gutter, the politics of a police gazette, when it finds that these things tickle and please those who think they stand at the top of society just as keenly as those whom we know wallowed at the bottom! The public that clamors for a purer press can always make the press what it chooses—can always make its choice between journals of good and evil report. The honest man who can not afford to be abused by a disreputable newspaper had best review his honesty, for his action casts suspicion on his conscience. No honest man need pay moral blackmail, by subscribing for an immoral paper.—*Marshall Statesman.*

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To be lucky only wants a beginning.
Nothing is cheaper than civil words.
Bread is a relief for all kinds of grief.
Let us make hay while the sun shines.
Hell is said to be full of the ungrateful.
A bad cloak often covers a good drinker.
Money, you know, will hide away faults.
Where one door is shut, another is opened.
When God sends His light, He sends it to all.
Great and mighty is the force of rejected love.
Make yourself honey and the flies will eat you.
Alas! all music jars when the soul is out of tune.
Better shame on the face than sorrow in the heart.
Some people go out for wool and come home shorn.

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Italian Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty, druggists.

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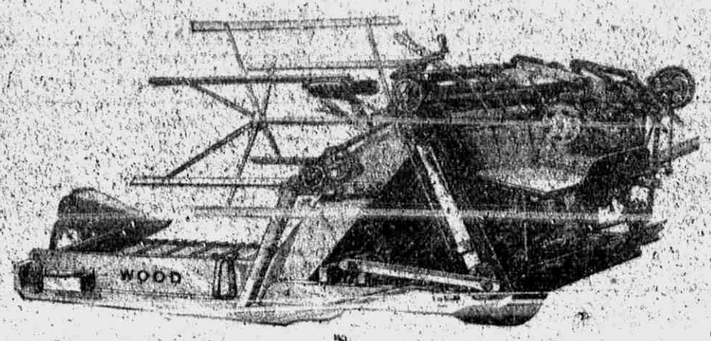

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TECUMSEH, MICH.

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This record, more than anything we can assert or claim for the merits of the WALTER A. WOOD HARVESTING MACHINES, should commend them to the favor of the Farmer.

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The Wood Twine Binder as now made retains those meritorious features which have rendered it UNAPPROACHABLE BY RIVALS in the past, and which are already familiar to the farming public, and also contains such RADICAL IMPROVEMENTS as will certainly place it ANOTHER LONG STEP IN ADVANCE of all competition. In the family war of the different machine manufacturers the Wood has come off victorious and remains master of the field.

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There has been various improvements of importance in the details of both the Harvester and Binder for 1883. All we ask is for the farmers of this vicinity to examine the Walter A. Wood Machines before placing their orders, and we have no fear as to the result, as it is conceded by all that it is the most perfect machine in all its details, manufactured.

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Mr. Philip Moore, of West Webster, Monroe Co., N. Y., says: "My daughter, now eighteen years old, has for the past eighteen months, been afflicted with Rheumatism in a very severe form. One year ago it settled in the knee, since which time she has been unable to touch her foot to the floor or move her limb without suffering the most excruciating pain. Her limb was fast growing out of shape, although we were doing for her all we could, having used all the remedies we could here of and that were recommended for rheumatism, none of which benefited her in the least. Her case was pronounced incurable by the physician and our neighbors, and all believed that she would be a cripple all her days, and that her limb would never be restored to its original shape. But I am happy to say that to day my daughter is entirely free from all Rheumatic pains, and that she can walk with perfect ease, having thrown aside her crutches, and her limb seems as strong and perfect as ever; all from the use of your wonderful medicine, "Rheumatic Syrup" which we consider one of the best medicines ever introduced for purifying the blood, and I only regret that all others who are afflicted with rheumatism cannot know of its superior merits. You are at liberty to use my name if it will do you any good, and I shall be only too glad to tell any and every one what it has done for my daughter. I am gratefully yours,

PHILIP MOORE.

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And will completely change the blood in the entire system in three months. Any person who will take 1 Pill each night from 1 to 12 weeks, may be restored to sound health, if such a thing be possible. For curing Female Complaints these Pills have no equal. Physicians use them in their practice. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail for eight letter-stamps. Send for circular. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

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An English Veterinary Surgeon and Chemist, now traveling in this country, says that most of the Horse and Cattle Powders sold here are worthless trash. He says that Sheridan's Condition Powders are absolutely pure and immensely valuable. Nothing on earth will make hens lay like Sheridan's Condition Powders. Dose, 1 teaspoonful to 1 pint food. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail for 8 letter-stamps. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS. MAKE HENS LAY

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 21, 1883.

The edict of extermination has gone forth. The English sparrow must go.

The acquital of the Star route conspirators is a sorry travesty on justice.

The acquital of Dorsey and Brady has been aptly termed "the jim-jam verdict."

"Ohio is the nursery of great men" observes a Cincinnati paper; and it might have added, of office-holders.

It is reasonable to suppose that Col. Rob Ingersoll will believe in something now, viz: a Washington jury.

Dorsey and Brady have been acquitted by the jury, but they have been condemned at the bar of public opinion.

The court room lobby seemed to be immensely tickled over the star route verdict. But people in general are not so easily edified.

Col. Eldredge, congressman elect from this district, has our thanks for a copy of the last report from the Consuls of the United States.

The Farmers Mutual Hail Insurance Company is the name of a new institution out in Colorado. Cyclone insurance companies will come next.

There is one consolation in the outcome of the star route trial. The expenses must have taken a big slice from the defendants' ill gotton gains.

President Arthur regards the miscarriage of justice in the Star route trial as "a very serious blow." This is an encouraging sign to say the least.

The Albany Argus favors the pioneer ticket of twenty years ago: McClellan and Pendleton. This would be a much stronger ticket to-day than it was then.

Jug Tavern is the name of a town in Georgia, and yet the inhabitants thereof petition the Legislature to prohibit the sale of liquor within 3 miles of the town.

The star route verdict reminds one of the decision of a jury foreman out west on a trial of a man for stealing sheep. "Not guilty, your Honor, but he must not do it again."

This is the opinion of the St. Louis Republican on a very important question. There never was anything prettier than a plump pretty young woman in short sleeves and a Bertha waist.

The editor of the Pioneer-Magnet at Big Rapids, who has spent 50 years in investigating the ways of the world, reads his young men subscribers a useful lesson in money matters. He figures out the cost of billiards, cigars, treats, candies, etc., with mathematical nicety, and shows that those who avoid those constant drains upon their earnings are the ones that get on the best in the world.

The prospective school fund of Texas is something wonderful to think of. By Constitutional provision the proceeds of her sales of public lands go to this fund, and there are already $2,000,000 in the Treasury and 10,000,000 acres of land to sell. The proceeds at a very moderate estimate, will amount to $100,000,000, which is an amount equal to the aggregate school funds of all the other states.

The citizens of Grand Haven have organized an Improvement Association, the objects of which are those stated in the call for the meeting. An organization of this kind would be an admirable institution for Tecumseh.

The object of the Association, will be to advance the material interests of Grand Haven in every way possible, but principally

By increasing the manufacturing interests by inducing the building of factories here;

By increasing the size of the assessment roll by inducing capital to locate here;

By preventing the assessment roll's decrease by preventing the removal of capital from the city;

By increasing the shipping facilities by inducing the construction of railroads here, and

By doing any and everything possible to help the city.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, June 19, 1883.

There ought to be a law passed, it seems to me, protecting people who live beyond the age of sixty, for rich or poor they seem to be legitimate game for their descendants. If they are poor they are ill treated and neglected. If they are rich, life is made miserable by the schemes of the heirs for their property. The Gill affair which has aroused the attention of the public this week is a case in point. Hereis an old man over eighty years of age. He has four children all of them married and well advanced in age. I presume they led him such a dance, one trying to cut the other out that he thought it best to live alone. So he got two sisters as house keepers and seems to live in peace and quiet. But no sooner did these women have him in their control than they began [illegible] on his property. The upshot of the matter is that the old man has now been spirited away by his children who will probably keep him safe against any "undue influence."

I know of another case where an old lady has been in a private asylum for some two or three years, simply because she favored one child more than her three others. She is nearly ninety years old, and although naturally of course, childish she is not insane. True, she is pretty well taken care of, but it is indeed hard on the poor old lady, that the last few years of her life must be passed under restraint. There are scores of similar cases, I have no doubt, and any student of the vice of filial ingratitude may find plenty of material by spending a day among the records of a court. Most of these commitment cases are transacted quietly before a referee, and thus very few of the circumstances get into the public prints. This is done "to spare the feelings of the family of the unfortunate man or woman."

I was at the Navy Yard a few days ago to witness the departure of the United States steam corvette Yantic. She is the convey of the steamer Proteus, commanded by Lieutenant E. A. Garlingten, of the Greely Relief Expedition for the North Pole. As the vessel glided into the stream, there was much feeling among the Naval officers and others who were assembled to bid the venturesome voyagers Godspeed. "Poor fellows," said a retired officer to me, "God knows whether they will ever return. I for my part would never sail in such a vessel. She is totally unfit for Polar service. If she should ever be caught in pack ice, good bye to her. Moreover the men aboard of her, though all brave fellows, are nearly all inexperienced in the work and the hardships they will have to endure before they become familiar with the dangers and terrors will come near breaking many a poor fellow's heart."

Society at present is nothing if not sporting, and what with racing, yachting, boating regattas, base ball, cricket and lawn tennis, the fair sex is occupied as much as their sterner brethren. In connection with racing quite a new business has sprung up, and that is the selling of "tips," as to the probable winners of the different events on the card. The traveller on a race who is not entirely taken up with "picking winners" for himself will be much amused by the shouts and antics of the different tipsters.—First comes "the celebrated Mr. Goodrich, who has nothing to do with the big firm of Goodwin Bros. who have a flash office in Broadway and charge six dollars a week for information," "Gentlemen," he says: "I glory in the fact that I am a poor man, and that I do not charge fancy prices. I charge you but twenty-five cents, and guarantee you at least two winners, otherwise I will refund the money."

In fun perhaps, you spend twenty-five cents and you are handed a little slip on which are printed the names of the horses which the tipster thinks will come in first or second. Mr. Goodrich's yell is still ringing in your ears, when you are greeted with "Jack's selections! The phenomenally successful Jack! Gave fifteen winners and seven seconds at Jerome Park, including the winner of the Westchester Cup, and the great short horse the Cyclone colt paid 10 to 1. Only twenty-five cents! I've got a good thing for the Coney Island Stakes to-day and you'll regret it if you don't buy Jack's selections!" "Jack passes on," and up comes a little fellow who looks as if he had once been a Jockey.—"Andrew's selections! Andrews! The old reliable Sheepshead Bay trot!—Never left yet! Don't waste your money on bogus tips. Here's the genuine article. Twenty years experience in the business!"

These people simply guess at the winners. They have no means of securing information from stables, and if they do now and then strike a short horse, it is pure chance. If they knew all the good things they promise to be certainties they would be fools to tell other people about them because they could in a short time become Crœsuses. As it is they make a good thing out of selling their little slips.

A stock company has been formed at Marshall to engage in carriage manufacturing.

People wishing their teeth to look white,
Use "Teaberry" daily—at morning, at night;
It sweetens the breath and reddens the gums,
Enhances the beauty of daughters and sons.

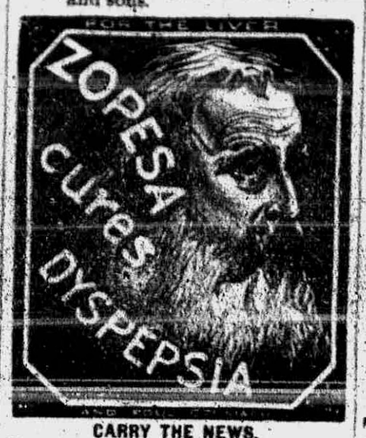

CARRY THE NEWS.

NEAR TILSONBURG, Ont., Dec. 14, '81.

I have been ailing for years with Billiousness and Dyspepsia, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Last fall I weighed only 86 pounds. I was induced to try Zopesa by Mr. Thompson, (of the firm of C. Thompson & Co., druggists, of this place) and, many thanks to him, I am an entirely new woman and weigh 124 pounds through the use of this new compound.

MRS. CAROLINE FORBES,
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HORACE FAIRBROTHER."

Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

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"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,

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Byhalia, Miss., April 5, 1882.

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Palestine, Texas, April 22, 1882.

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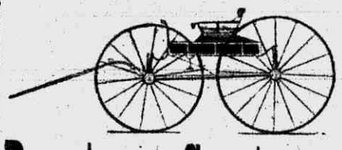

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Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes with which I am so well pleased, that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examining and its application in selecting glasses to fit the eye can only be acquired by a knowledge of the useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants; poor glasses are an abomination.

V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.

DANIEL TODD, M.D.

I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles. C. RYND, M.D.

Dr. B. Mincer and part of his family will visit Devils lake, upper landing, June 5th, and remain a few days. Parties desiring his services should remember the date.

For Sale Cheap,

And on easy terms, A FARM OF 120 ACRES, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles from the village of Brooklyn and, ½ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. For further particulars call at the

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The DOMESTIC AND WHITE stand at the head.

If you want a machine, buy the best. Call and see me or send a postal before buying. I will make it to your interest to do so.

I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.

Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $8.00 to $65.00

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Still at the front with the largest stock of Furniture at the lowest prices.

2 Door Commodes,	$4.00.
Bureaus,	4.00.
Carpet Sweepers,	1.50.
Iron Axle Wagons,	1.50.

Pillows, Chairs, Carts, Tables, Beds, and in fact everything marked way down. Call and see our goods before buying.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED. Dry or medium dry basswood at once. GEO. N. STACY.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED at once, a House and lot worth from $300 to $500. Cash paid if wanted. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

100,000 LATE CABBAGE PLANTS. Special prices on quantities of 500 and upwards. Also sweet potato, tomato, celery, pepper and egg plants. ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE. House and lot situated on Logan street. Good barn, fruit, etc. Terms easy. For particulars inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

STRAYED, into my enclosure one bay horse. The owner can obtain the same by proving property and paying charges. THEODORICK S. SMITH.

AGENTS WANTED to canvass for a new book, "The Marriage Guide." For terms, etc., address the author, REV. GEO. W. HUBSON, A.M., Detroit, Mich.

FOR SALE. A good house and four acres of land, situated within ten minute's walk of the P. O. in the village of Ridgeway. Terms to suit purchaser, and for sale cheap. For particulars enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED. Young girl to do light housework in a small family. Enquire at Slayton's furniture store.

CAUTION. All persons are cautioned against making or using the short arm and brace as supports to shelvings in hay and stock racks in the townships of Macon, Ridgeway, Clinton, Tecumseh, Raisin and Franklin without my consent, as I own the exclusive right to that improvement in those towns. It is the principle that is patented and not any particular form, therefore any use of them is an infringement. My racks are made of good material, well put up, and are complete in every particular. Call and see them. I. B. RICHART.

The spring term of our public schools will close next week.

A grand Fourth of July celebration will take place at Beardsell's landing, devils lake. Oration by L. H. Salsbury. Music and mirth, dancing and fireworks, boat riding, etc.

We notice that Brant Roberts has treated himself to one of those elegant Surrey carriages built by the Columbus Buggy Co., and sold here by Slayton & Son. It is a beauty and he may well be proud of it.

The statement in the HERALD of the 7th inst., to the effect that Mr. R. F. Herriott died suddenly while in the act of crossing a field, does not apply to said gentleman, but to his brother, John A. Herriott. The death of both brothers was sudden, and within nine days of each other, but that of R. Finley Herriott occurred at home.

Another soap man did a limited amount of "advertising" on the streets last week. He was surrounded by quite a crowd, many of whom, at his request just for fun, picked out the packages containing the 10 and 20 dollar bills. They knew they could do it every time, and were only prevented from blowing in their money by the immorality of the game. Some of them will probably try it, should an opportunity offer, when they are away from home, and will know more then than they do now. The amount of business transacted was not large; but it is surprising that any can be found who will invest when they know it is a skin game, and only pay their money because they regard themselves as sharp enough to beat it. The experience of others will never do this class any good; they will have to see for themselves how it works.

THE TECUMSEH SCHOOLS.

The graduating exercises and other exercises incidental thereto will take place next week. Our high school has always borne a high reputation among similar institutions. The policy of employing good instructors and paying them well for their work has proved a good one and it is to be hoped it may be kept up in the future. The graduating class in the high school this year is smaller than usual, consisting of three young ladies. Two new features have been inaugurated this year which will undoubtedly meet the approval of all. One is a program of promotion exercises connected with the promotions from lower to higher classes. The other is the delivering of an annual sermon to the graduating class, with members of the high school department present. Rev. W. H. Babbitt has been invited to deliver the first sermon this year. It will be a union service, the other pastors in the village joining.

We herewith give a general outline of the week's program.

Sunday evening, June 24th—Annual sermon by Rev. W. H. Babbitt at the Presbyterian church. There will be no services in the other churches that evening.

Wednesday evening, June 27th—Promotion exercises at the opera house. All the departments below the high school will be represented in these exercises. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged to defray expenses.

Thursday evening, June 28th—Commencement exercises of the graduating class at the opera house, consisting of essays by the graduates, an address to the class, music, etc.

Friday evening, June 29th—Alumni reunion. The orator and poet have both failed to respond, but a history and essay will be presented, and a banquet will be given. It is expected that the latter will be on a more elaborate scale than usual and that the reunion as a whole will be fully equal to former ones.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 21, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Commencement next week.

The Morenci pioneer meeting last Saturday was a big success.

An effort is making in Adrian to raise funds to pay a good band leader.

El Hand and wife, of Deerfield, spent last Sunday with friends in this village.

A large number of our citizens went over to Adrian yesterday to see the great Barnum show.

Joe Keeler, of Detroit, brother-in-law of Wm. Smallidge, is in town visiting for a few days.

Miss Jennie Morton, of Toledo, is spending a few days visiting Mrs. Roth, Logan street.

The Lake Shore road will sell half fare tickets on the 2d, 3d, and 4th of July, good to return on the 5th.

The late continued rains have made the grass grow so rank, that farmers think the hay crop will be materially injured.

The Schermerhorn Bros. issued a daily paper during the Hudson races last week. It was a neat little sheet called the Daily Program.

Web Anderson and his son, R. E. Anderson, started for the west yesterday. Web will visit friends in Kansas, and R. E. will go to Colorado.

There are many receipts for getting rid of mosquitoes, but there is nothing so sure in its results as to blindfold him and back him under a pile-driver.

The diphtheria cases at Mr. Calhoun's in Raisin are much improved. There were some hopes of the little girl's recovery but she died yesterday. All other patients in the family doing well.

"The Popular Science Monthly" for July is a strong number in its variety of instructive reading, and contains several striking articles. Various contributions make the number a peculiarly attractive one. New York: D. Appleton & Co., 50c per number, $5 per year.

The July number of Demorest's monthly Magazine is certainly one of the most attractive issues of this interesting periodical and should be in the possession of every one, the beautiful illustrations alone making it well worth possessing, to say nothing of the advantage it is to the household in the way of select reading and useful information.

An exchange thus moralizes on the June commencements "This is the month of commencements. The old bachelors who this year look upon the sweet girl graduates, without sighing over their condition deserve to sew on buttons and live on hash the balance of their days. Boys, it was not so when your fathers were young. No pretty girl was allowed to escape in those days."

Free Press: The M. & O., it is reported, is about to expend a large sum of money for terminal facilities at Toledo. In regard to its progress through Michigan it is estimated that the grading in Calhoun and Lenawee counties as far west as Battle Creek, will be completed by the first of August. The rails are expected to be laid to Homer by July 15. A freight depot is being built at Battle Creek and a stone water-tank at Gun Marsh. A ballasting train is at work near Yorkville.

Once upon a time an editor looking for food was compelled to pawn his diamond shirt-studs for a loaf of bread. While conveying the humble meal to his castle a hungry dog ran off with it, and a few moments later robbers deprived the editor of his watch. Instead of being rattled by these incidents, the editor smilingly remarked: "I thank the gods that I still have my appetite left." We are taught by this little fable that true contentment is the greatest of all journalistic boons.

A clerk of an eminently respectable house, the head of which is a deacon, was instructed to prepare an advertisement and have it inserted in the papers. He prepared one which read: "The pot scooped! We hold four aces to the bob-tail flush of any other house in town on fine table cloths."—When the deacon saw that ad. it positively made him dizzy, and the fact that he was called upon by the church to explain it, didn't make the clerk's act of resignation any more pleasant for him to go through.

The building boom for this season is now fairly opened and the Tecumseh Lumber Co. are taking advantage of it. Among other jobs they will furnish the material for Mrs. Freeman's two story house on Pottawatomie st., Mrs. Forestall's house, Mrs. H. S. Lee's new house, also new window frames and sash for Bidwell's block. They furnish the sash and frames and interior work for Mr. A. W. Mill's residence, for G. P. Waring's new house at Ridgeway, Geo. Smith's new house at Britton and Al. Hoxie's new house at Holloway. They also have the contract for all the flooring, siding, sash and doors, ornaments and mouldings for all the passenger and freight depot buildings on the M. & O. road between Dundee and Marshall.

The farmer's club go to the lakes today.

To-day is the longest day of the year.

The mercury went up to 90° last Tuesday.

Home grown strawberries are coming into market this week.

Will English, of Cleveland, is visiting his friends in Tecumseh for a few days.

Miss Florence Shepard has accepted a position in the Grand Haven city schools, at a salary of $360.

C. J. Brewer has been very sick for several days, but we are pleased to say that this morning he is much better.

The HERALD boys all went to see Jumbo yesterday. They are unanimous in the opinion that Jumbo is a "big thing."

Miss Minnie Sutton, daughter of N. M. Sutton, of Tecumseh, graduated at the Detroit Seminary on Thursday of last week.

Wilson & Co's. mill is now running to its full capacity. The two burrs and one set of rollers are kept constantly on the move.

Manager Bowen of the C. T. line returned from Chicago last Monday, where he has been in attendance to the railway exposition.

Heck Bros. expect to start their mill next Monday or Tuesday and then we can see what kind of flour the new rolls will make.

James P. Keyser, brother of Geo. and I. P. Keyser, came home from California Monday. He has been away from Tecumseh 24 years.

C. C. Tefft started last week for an overland trip to Ionia, to visit relatives and friends residing there. His daughter, Ettie, accompanied him.

E. Hause has just received his new teas from San Francisco, Cal. Now if you wish to enjoy a cup of pure tea call and get a sample of the choicest tea ever offered in this market.

Detroit Evening News: The salvation army at Adrian has received several illustrious recruits. Stearns, of the Press, and Applegate, of the Times, are reported as thinking about enlisting—if bounties are offered.

The C. T. company completed the extension of their line west to George Knapp's to-day, thus making about seven miles of line in operation. They expect to push it to Franklin Centre and Sand Lake on the west and to Ridgeway on the east.

W. Comfort is going to put in a new flume and water wheel in his mill next month, and ye farmers that want to exchange their good wheat for some of Comfort's good flour to last them till after harvest had better do so between now and the 4th of July.

Ann Arbor Register: The scholars of the Clinton schools write novels and serial stories as a part of their regular exercises. The school board will probably have the productions published under the title of the "Climbing Candaverous Caitiffs of the Clinton Cliffs; or, the Lank and Languid Lackeys of Lone Lenawee."

The following gentlemen compose the newly organized Clinton cornet band:

E flat cornet, Alf. Jaynes.
" " Fred Allen.
B flat cornet, Del Goodrich.
" " Dr. Burchard.
" " Dr. Banks.
Solo alto, David Haggart.
Baritone, S. W. Demuth.
Tenor, Porter C. Smith.
" Frank Wallinger.
Tuba, Bel. Mills.
Bass drum, E. R. Vest.
Snare drum, L. K. Davis.

Adrian Press: In an old scrap book that we were looking over the other day we find the following: "Twenty years ago to-day, W. H. Wiggins, township clerk of Adrian township, (he wasn't married then,) wrapped up the "School-marm" in buffalo robes, put a warm brick to her feet and drove with her in a cutter to the school house; the snow was nearly a foot deep. How was that for the 8th of May?"

Preparations for the Detroit art loan exhibition, to be held at Detroit next September and October, are speedily assuming definite proportions. The dimensions of the main building are 135x135 feet and is to be one story high, with brick walls and brick partitions and asbestos roof, thus making it practically fire proof. No signs or advertisements are to be allowed in any room, and the only designation of credit will be mention of the names of contributors in the catalogue.

There will be a grand temperance mass meeting on the Morenci fair grounds next Tuesday, June 26. Ex-Gov. St. John, of Kansas and other temperance workers will address the meeting. Good music by Lyons' band. Stirring songs by Weston grange and Wauseon glee clubs. The two railroads will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates. The train going east on the Lake Shore road will be held at Morenci till 4 P.M. Everybody invited, take your baskets for a picnic dinner. Our friends on the Jackson branch can attend the meeting and get back the same day. Meeting to begin at 11 o'clock sharp. A small fee of 10c will be charged at the gate to pay expenses.

WOOL PROSPECTS.

H. W. Stevens has shown us a wool circular issued by W. C. Houston & Co., of Philadelphia, from which we clip the following:

"The fleeces from New York, Michigan, Wisconsin and Indiana rank next after Ohio; for while the choice clips are often equal to average Ohio the former states do produce some heavy and poorly grown wools, and the best of them are rarely equal to Ohio wools. In speaking of Michigan we refer also to kindred washed fleeces such as those from Indiana, Illinois and the best section of Wisconsin. It is our object to show that wool should be sold on its real merits and intrinsic value, not according to the state where it is grown; for in many cases as good wools are grown in sections against which a prejudice exists as are raised in sections which are supposed to always produce the best wools. There has always been a prejudice among eastern manufacturers and dealers against Michigan fleeces as compared with Ohio which of late years is to a great extent unwarranted by the condition of the Michigan wools. To the growers we would say that stuffing fleeces with unwashed tags is not only dishonest but poor policy on their part for it is largely owing to this that manufacturers insist on buying Michigan fleeces at prices below what their general character and outward appearance would seem to warrant."

The preference of our wool buyers in regard to tags, whether washed or unwashed, is that they should be kept out of the fleece and sold on their merits the same as other wool.

Hudson Gazette: The Hudson market is hardly established, as yet. The staple is rather dull at 28c. and 30c.—Mr. Frensdorf has bought one or two lots at the higher figure.

Hillsdale Standard: The first purchase of wool at this market was bought by B. F. Ellis at thirty cents. It was washed wool and good quality.

Hudson Gazette: Ohio wool brings a few cents more than the Michigan article, and consequently Ohio buyers are rambling through the southern tier of counties in Michigan buying wool, sending it over the line, and getting Ohio prices therefor. Michigan farmers should make these sharp Buckeyes whack up on that racket.

We copy the following from a circular of Messrs. Hallowell & Coburn, wool men of Boston Mass., sent to their buyers in Michigan:

BOSTON, Saturday, June 9, 1883.

There is no improvement in the wool market since our last issue, and a customer wishing to purchase more than a few thousand pounds just to supply immediate wants would be a curiosity.

Among manufacturers there is a feeling that wools are higher than they will be later. There will be on the 10th of the present month in the state of Rhode Island alone one hundred and ninety set of machinery lying idle: therefore, no anxiety is being felt as to any scarcity of wool in market to supply all requirements.

The backwardness of the season has prevented shearing in Ohio, Pennsylvania and Michigan, and it now looks as if we should there see a late slow market. Buyers say they cannot pay over 28 to 30c in Michigan and 30 to 32c in Ohio for best wools. If they persist in this, they will get the wool at just the price they *should* get for it with the present outlook.

It is useless to cover up the situation. Many foreign wools are in bond already, to come out July 1st. Goods are fast accumulating in the hands of the Commission Houses; when a sale is made, it is at so low a figure that a loss is incurred by the manufacturer. Clothing houses are carrying over large stocks of manufactured goods, and their Spring trade has not come up to that of former years. With all these facts before us, we cannot look for high prices in wool in the near future.

We copy the foregoing for the benefit of our readers in order that they may see and understand the instructions of wool merchants in their buyers in the country, believing that in this way farmers will obtain a clearer, better view of the real situation than in any other manner. There seems to be a determined disposition among manufacturers to buy wool at less price than heretofore, or else not to buy at all. What the outcome will be we are not wise enough to predict. The United States furnishes comparatively only a very small portion of the annual wool clip of the world, and among those in a position to judge well, the opinion appears general that the change in the tariff will effect the price of wool to the extent of at least two or three cents per pound less, which would be quite a serious loss to the farmer if there were no other depressing causes.

To Europe and Return for 30 Cents.

If you can't afford to pay $22 for one of W. H. Brearley's round trip excursion tickets "From Detroit to the Sea," with which you could leave Detroit June 27th, July 11th or July 25th, for a 2,200 mile pleasure tour to the White Mts. and Sea Shore, the *next* best thing would be to send ten 3 cent stamps to W. H. Brearley of the Detroit (Mich.) Evening News, for a copy of his new 68-page illustrated excursion guide book. It also contains particulars of three cheap excursions "From Detroit across the Sea" to Liverpool. The book is graphic in its descriptions, and affords for thirty cents an excellent substitute for an excursion to Europe, with the advantage that calm weather and exemption from sea sickness may be relied upon. One of these guide books has been received at the office of this paper, where it may be examined by any one interested.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Deerfield is in want of a first-class harness maker.

Clinton is talking up a Fourth of July celebration.

The village of Canandaigua will celebrate the Fourth.

Tagberg's jewelry store at Morenci has a new burglar proof safe.

A detachment of the Adrian salvation army has invaded Blissfield.

A few purchases of wool have been made in Morenci at 30c. per pound.

Blissfield has been connected with the Adrian and Toledo telephone line.

All of our local exchanges remark on the largeness of the mosquito crop.

The Episcopal Sunday school of Clinton have added 100 books to their library.

Morenci will hold her big temperance meeting on the 26th of this month.

Granger has given up its Fourth of July celebration and will join hands with Weston.

Col. Drew, the popular Blissfield landlord, has been making more improvements in his hotel.

Deerfield will celebrate the Fourth of July. Committees have been appointed and the work progresses.

Half the residents of Tecumseh with their uncles, cousins and aunts, went to see Barnum and Jumbo yesterday.

The Clinton cornet band has been organized and they will toot for practice on Monday and Tuesday evenings of each week.

Elder McLean, of Morenci, preaches to his flock on Sunday and on week days takes off his coat and helps drive nails in the new parsonage.

The editor of the Clinton News has bought a new tape line with which to measure big strawberries. A gentle hint to his patrons to pass in some of the fruit.

The salvation army of Adrian have issued a paper called "The War Cry." In typographical slouchiness and literary gush it is about on a par with the other accoutrements of the army.

Blissfield Advance: F. H. Brown & Co. purchased on Monday the first clip of wool. It was unwashed and brought 25c. per pound. It is not expected more than 30c. will be paid for combing or delaine, except for choice lots.

Morenci Observer: It is said that some of the wealthy farmers of Fairfield, who have been constant patrons of the wide-known Horton cheese factory, have received more money from that concern than their farms are worth to-day.

Deerfield Record: S. W. Beverly and J. Heminway jr., have bought a lot of L. Ormsby, next to Burton's lot, and will erect a two-story brick block upon it. They have begun work and will push it to an early completion.

Morenci Observer: There are said to be only five farmers in the township of Medina who are now living on the farms they originally purchased of the government. These are G. W. Moore, Amasa and Benjamin Converse, Justus Cooley and John L. Hall.

The Adrian street railway company has been organized with the following board of directors and officers:

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Morenci Observer: The complete drainage of the fair grounds made some ten years since having become obstructed and otherwise out of repair, a considerable force of men have been at work there the present week, putting things in complete order in respect to the surplus water which has fallen in such profusion for the last month or so. It is said that the track is in splendid condition for the races which commence next week.

Adrian Press: Editor Smith, of the Record, has grown so wealthy that he gives public notice to everybody to trust no one on his account. He is the only newspaper man in the county from whom such a notice is necessary. The rest of them can't get trusted on their own application, let alone other people running them in debt. Business men don't need to be warned not to trust newspaper men. They refuse from force of habit, on general principles.

Henry Smith, of Raisin was beautifully "taken in" by a number of horse traders this week. On Tuesday he traded horses and gave $20 "to boot." The animal was almost worthless and on Wednesday he came back to effect another trade. The traders in the meantime had dyed the hair on different parts of the horse he had traded the day before and on taking a fancy to the animal traded and gave $5 "to boot." It was not until yesterday morning that he learned that he got his own horse back and that he was $25 out. The traders had gone for other "pastures green."—Blissfield Advance.

Blissfield Advance: The largest house that has yet turned out to a theatrical performance greeted A. O. Miller last Saturday evening, upon the production of his new play, the Lime Kiln Club. The play was pronounced a success, but yet there were a number of crudities, which will be given the necessary 'pruning' before it will again be placed upon the boards. In the play Mr. Miller has a bonanza, as nearly every one has heard and read of "Bro. Gardner," and all are anxious to see it. We predict, for it's a good run.

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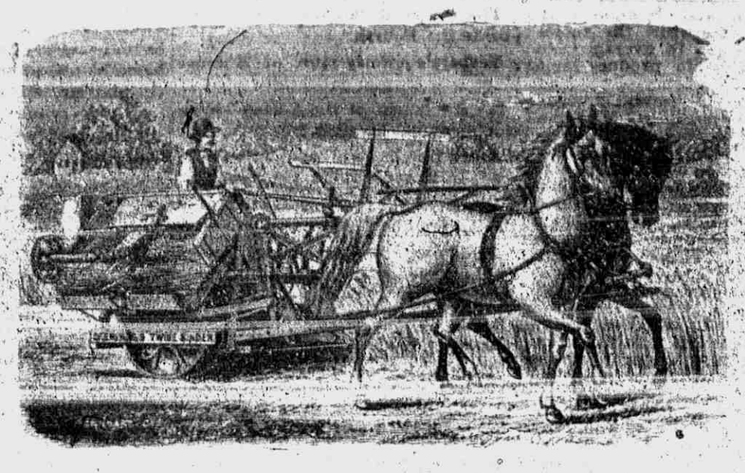

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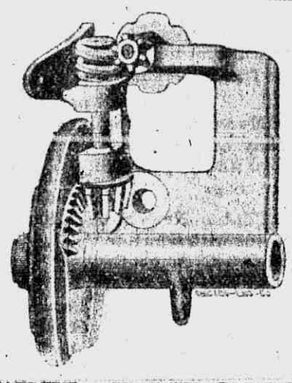

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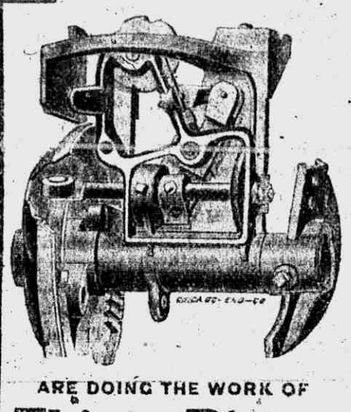

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Consumption.

Physicians used to hold that a fatal issue must follow the formation of tubercles on the lungs. So long as tubercular formations could be arrested, there was hope of a patient's recovery; but when these had planted themselves in the lungs, their growth was inevitable and fatal. But nature is wiser than physicians, and teaches those who study her ways valuable lessons. Careful dissection in recent years has brough to light many curious facts. Foremost among these is the certainty that consumption, in its tubercular form, is often cured. A series of post mortem examinations, in an Edinburgh hospital, disclosed the fact that the lungs of one-third of the persons who died after 30 years of age bore marks of tubercles whose growth had been checked, and in many cases the disease wholly cured. Part of the lungs have even been destroyed, and the cavities filled by the contraction and adhesion of the walls. In some cases brous tissue had completely inclosed the parts disintegrated by the disease. If consumption is curable, as these facts seem to indicate, scientific physicians will never rest till they have ascertained the most effective methods of treatment.

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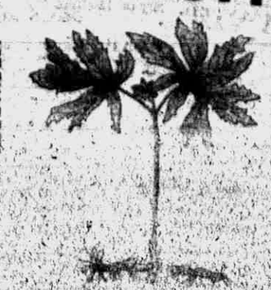

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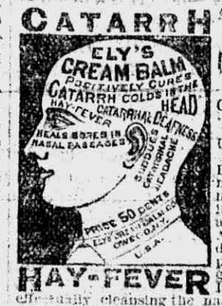

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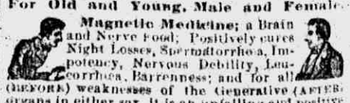

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STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 19. Accom.
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Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	8 20 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	8 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	8 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	8 40 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	8 50 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	9 35 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	.....
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	.....
Adrian	11 40 "	9 30 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 11 P.M.	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
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"Yes, that's beautiful, pathetic and true," said your representative. The poet alludes to people who are somehow suppressed and never get their full allowance of pro and air. Which reminds me of a letter shown me the other day by Hiscox & Co., of New York, signed by Mr. E. C. Williams, of Chapman, Snyder Co., Pa., a prominent business man of that place. He writes:

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Personally appeared before me Holland Sutliff, who, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says: That he resides in the Village of Enterprise, Warren Co., Pa. That for the space of six weeks or more he was bed-fast, he endured terrible suffering from rheumatism; and during this time he could get no rest or sleep, and was not able to do any work. He had tried all and every remedy he could hear of, and had a doctor attending him all this time, and was growing worse all the time until he was recommended by a friend to take Wilson's Lightning Remedy for Rheumatism. This medicine gave him immediate relief and performed a perfect cure in forty-eight hours, and that he is now perfectly free from the disease. H. SUTLIFF.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 2nd day of June, A.D. 1880. M. I. DIBBLE, Justice of the Peace.

FARRAND, WILLIAMS & CO., Agents, Detroit.

New Ideas About Corn.

We have learned much that is new about corn during the past few years, and much that we have learned has been taught us by boys. The report of the corn crops grown by Vermont boys given in these columns recently is an extraordinary lesson for old farmers, and one of the greatest value. A few years ago it would have been received with incredulity, but the new ideas which now prevail in regard to corn render that surprising statement perfectly credible. What farmer after reading the account given can doubt the possibility of himself reaching the yield of 100 bushels of corn per acre. This record is but one of many that have been given in these columns during the past three or four years, and in each case the conditions of success appear to be the same. This uniformity of result is sufficient to amount to a law, and its requirements may be taken as including everything that is needed for one to reach the same ends. These requirements are very simple and but few in number. They are: The selection of good seed of some established variety; ing or fertilizing, and the best cultivation frequently given and long continued, and in many cases it has been shown that level cultivation is most effective. Now these requirements are nothing new. Every farmer knows that they are needed for any and every crop and that, when they are provided, the soil responds with alacrity and liberality, and the corps reach the maximum. It is simply doing the best for the soil, always generous and ready to repay back with interest what is given to it. It is the true principle of economy, which is, to use the means we have so as to produce the very best results, knowing that every surplus bushel produced by the addition of fertilizers and cultivation adds to the profit in a larger ratio, because the fixed charges for land, for plowing, for the seed, for planting, for the greater part of the cultivation, for the cutting, handling and hauling are the same for ten bushels per acre grown on poor soil as 100 bushels per acre grown on the richest land.

Air and water are food for plants; they not only contribute to their sustenance, but they assist proportionately in reducing organic matter to its mineral elements and to a soluble condition, and to effect a disintegrating and solvent action of the mineral particles of the soil. The more the surface of the soil is stirred and loosened the more moisture is absorbed and reaches the roots; and as the circulation of moisture and the changes of temperature consequent upon it are necessarily followed by circulation of air, both water and air are, therefore, encouraged to circulate in the soil by frequent cultivation, and thus the desired and necessary effects are produced. One of the largest crops of corn that has been grown, viz., 160 bushels per acre, was cultivated once a week up to the time when the ears were forming, and when the silk had been fertilized; and at this late period a dressing of special corn fertilizer was cultivated into the soil. It is one of the points to be aimed at that the growth of ears and grain should be encouraged rather than that of stalk and leaf, excepting up to a certain size. A stalk nine or ten feet in length is large enough for the purpose of fodder, and if it is not more than one and one-half inches in thickness at the base it is enough. Plenty of leaf growth is desirable because the grain cannot be matured without this; but beyond the requirements of the grain, excessive leaf growth is not of importance.

Now it seems to be proved that frequent cultivation of the soil helps the plant to produce more grain, increase its sexual fertility and prevents abortive ears or vacant spaces in the ears, and this is precisely what we should aim at in growing corn, because we can grow large enough stalks, but we do not very often bring anywhere near maturity the numerous small ears or nubbins, or fill with ears the many husks which appear at the sheaths. If we can succeed in doing this, as has been very successfully attempted by Professor Blount, we cannot tell what the limit of the possible product of corn may be up to 200 or 300 bushels per acre. For if we can produce eight or ten good ears on every stalk upon an acre of ground—and this has been done upon some stalks—we need not stop short of 600 or 800 bushels of grain per acre. Whether we may ever reach the half or the quarter of this no one can tell, but when we consider what has been done it may not be very rash to hint at what may yet be done when we shall have learned the whole secrets of corn-growing. The necessity for thorough cultivation of the soil and the absence of weeds among the plants—frequent and clean cultivation, in fact, is the fourth new idea that we have learned in regard to corn-growing.—*New York Times.*

These are Solid Facts.

The best blood purifier and system regulator ever placed within the reach of suffering humanity, truly is Electric Bitters. Inactivity of the liver, billiousness, jaundice, constipation, weak kidneys, or any disease of the urinary organs, or whoever requires an appetizer, tonic or mild stimulant, will always find Electric Bitters the best and only certain cure known. They act surely and quickly, every bottle guaranteed to give entire satisfaction or money refunded. Sold at 50c a bottle.

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An old tin kettle may not point a moral, but we have frequently known it to adorn a tail.

"The press is mighty and will prevail," said the susceptible maiden when she was hugged by her stalwart lover.

The reason why American men became bald-headed at an early age has been explained. They wear their straw hats until the early frosts strike in and kill the roots of thei hair.

It seems impossible that a remedy made of such common, simple plants as Hops, Buchu, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., should make so many and such great cures as Hop Bitters do; but when old and young, rich and poor, pastor and doctor, lawyer and editor, all testify to having been cured by them, you must believe and try them yourself, and doubt no longer.

HICKORY-NUT MACAROONS.—Make frosting as for cake; stir in enough pounded hickory-nut meats, with mixed ground spice to taste, to make convenient to handle. Flour the hands and form the mixture into little balls. Place on buttered tins, allowing room to spread, and bake in a quick oven.

"A Celebrated Case."

It seems probable that Michael O'Connor, of Galesburg, Ill., is not related to the celebrated, Charles O'Connor. He says: "Samaritan Nervine cured me of dyspepsia and general debility."

Not long since a young lady, who has been engaged to a fine young man for some time, met a richer person, and soon put off the old love for the new. She wrote to her old lover requesting him to return her photograph. Here was a chance for revenge, which he took by sending the following note: "I would gladly comply with your request, but if I do it will spoil my euchre deck. I have a collection of photographs which I use for playing cards, and I do not want to break it by giving away the queen of diamonds."

Boats, Bicycles and Hay Fever.

Nature has resolved that all the people shall not enjoy themselves at once. With the opening of the season of outdoor sports comes the time of trouble for the poor victims of hay fever. For them flowers have no odor, and the summer little or no beauty. To sniff, sneeze and wipe their weeping eyes for three or four successive months—this is their pitable portion. Whether this form of catarrh is called hay fever, hay-cold, rose-cold or rose fever, makes no difference; they suffer just the same. There is no help in sea voyages, there is no help in high mountain air. Those only lighten the pocket and leave the disease unabated. But there is a positive cure in Ely's Cream Balm. We could cram these columns with grateful letters of the rescued. Try it and join them. If you continue to suffer it is because you neglect a remedy as sure as it is cheap and pleasant.

The Bostonians on a certain memorable occasion, when they disguised themselves as Indians, were only indulging in a rural recreation. They were taking tea in the arbor.

Butler, N.Y., Sept. 1, 1882.
Rheumatic Syrup Co.:

Gents—Feeling grateful for what your medicine has done for me, I desire to make the following statement: For two years or more I have suffered from rheumatism. Much of the time I could not dress myself nor put food to my mouth, and suffered the most intense pain all the while. Some five weeks since I was persuaded to try your Rheumatic Syrup. Before I had used two bottles the pain had all left, so that I slept soundly nights; I can now dress myself and need no one to feed me, and in fact, feel as well as ever I did in my life, all from the use of the best medicine in the world—Rheumatic Syrup. Jno. Wicks.

In the editorial rooms of *Le Figaro*, in Paris, a fencing and boxing apartment has been set apart. The editors find invigorating exercise with rapier and gloves, and the men who demand explanations or retractions will become more and more rare as the staff become more or less manly.

Pure Blood.

Many families pride themselves on their noble ancestry; but here, in this democratic country we do not care so much about our pedigree as our health; or, at least, that ought to be the principle object of our solicitude. We cannot have good health without pure, rich blood. When the blood is out of order, disease manifests itself in the skin and flesh, and in fact, all parts of the body. To be restored to health take Scovill's Sarsaparilla or Blood and Liver Syrup. Physicians speak in the highest terms of this medicine.

Dr. Everett, Cooper Plains, Steuben Co., N. Y., mentions two cases of scrofula and erysipelas in which Scovill's Sarsaparilla or Blood and Liver Sprup effected a cure, and says, "I think it one of the best purifiers of the day. It has met with perfect success in every case where I have used it."

Entomologists use a mixture of sour beer and molasses, spread on the trunks of trees or on boards in the evening, to attract moths. It has been suggested that it would be a good way to destroy the moths of worms destructive to fruit by poisoning the liquid applied.

Palpitation of the Heart.

J. M. Might, Syracuse, N.Y., writes: "When I first commenced using your Burdock Blood Bitters I was troubled with fluttering and palpitation of the heart. I felt weak and languid, with a numbness of the limbs; since using, my heart has not troubled me, and the numbing sensation is all gone." Price $1.

Prof. Packard, of Bowdoin college, who has been connected with it since 1812, gave a lecture on his reminiscences of the college, in which he said the first commencement was held in an unfinished church during a severe rain storm, and the president presided, holding an umbrella over his head.

Magic in the Nineteenth Century.

N. McRae, Wyebridge, Ontario, writes: "I have sold large quantities of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil; it is used for colds, sore throat, croup, etc., and in fact, for any affection of the throat it works like magic. It is a sure cure for burns, wounds and bruises."

A base-ball boy tripped, fell, and tore his clothes while chasing a stray chicken in a neighbor's lot. He told his mother he had been sent to grass by a foul. She reached for home base, and the youth went on a strike, howling for the old man to act as referee.

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By the unthinking, Burdock has been considered a weed, and its luxuriant growth, unpleasant smell, etc., has rendered it, to those "not knowing its virtues," a nuisance, and yet the root has long been acknowledged by savants as most invaluable as a diuretic, aperient and blood purifier. Burdock Blood Bitters embodiy all its good qualities. Price $1.

A Galveston school teacher had a great deal of trouble making a boy understand his lesson. Finally, however, he succeeded, and, drawing a long breath, he remarked to the boy: "If it wasn't for me you would be the biggest donkey on Galveston island."—*Galveston News.*

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

IN the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Le Roy Mead, late of, Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 15th day of June, A.D., 1883, and on the [illegible] preceeding days, and that six months from the 24 day of May, A.D., 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 5, 1883.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
GEORGE HOWELL,
may10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lucinda Williams, late of Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the dwelling house on the premises hereinafter described, in said county, on the 6th day of June, A.D., 1883, and on the [illegible] days next preceding, at 10 o'clock A.M. of each day, and that six months from the 3d day of May, A.D., 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 19, 1883.

GRANVILLE MILES,
ELWIN CAMERON,
may10 Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shultz deceased.

By virtue of a license granted to me in said estate by the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, on the 14th day of May, A.D. 1883, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, that being the late residence of said deceased in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County Michigan, on the 6th day of July, A.D. 1883, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all that parcel of land situate in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) of town five, (5) South, of range four (4) East, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the Village of Tecumseh in said county at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road leading Easterly and Westerly through said section twenty-seven, and opposite the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 1° and 6' west along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section, about fifteen chains, twenty-two links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day, as is supposed; thence East on South line of said D[illegible]'s said land eleven chains and 19 links; thence South 1° and 6' East fifteen chains and fifteen (.9) links, parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running Easterly and Westerly through said section; thence Westerly along the center of said last named road eleven chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half acres sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler, also excepting a lot numbered on the recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as lot 261, sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton, also a further parcel of land sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler, adjoining said Saddler's said lot on its North side; also excepting therefrom that part thereof conveyed by William Teachout to Elizabeth Jordan by deed, bearing date November 19, 1867, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County, in Liber 87, of deeds, pages 183, &c., leaving ten acres of land above described, subject to the lien of a mortgage made by said deceased to William Richard, bearing date February 15th, 1881, for $100.00 and interest thereon from the 18th day of February, 1882, and subject also to dower and homestead rights of Delia Shultz, widow of said deceased therein.

Terms of sale published at or before the sale.

Dated May 18th, 1883.

JOSEPH LANNING,
may24 Administrator.

ESTATE OF ARNER MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 1st day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinate R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner and Ambrose C. Arner, minors.

On reading and filing the petition of Le Roy Arner guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 2d day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. may24

ESTATE OF IRA STEWART.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ira Stewart, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles D. Stewart and Hannah I. Stewart, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts and funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred and praying for the allowance of their first account, now on file in this court and for such other order in the premises as may be necessary in accordance with the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 9th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Star of Bethlehem.

London Telegraph: The reappearance of the star of Bethlehem is predicted by astronomers for this year or the next. On Nov. 11, 1572, Tycho de Brahe discovered a star in Cassiopea which equalled Sirius, and even Venus, in brightness for a month, and then fell back into its former insignificance. Conjecture has sought to establish a connection between this phenomenal phenomenon and two similar apparitions in 1264 and 945. A not unnatural inference was that the same increase in volume of this remarkable star occurred before 945, which would bring us to about 960 and 979, and to the date of the Nativity. The star is now again due.

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Barbers in many places are now charging extra prices for Sunday work. This will tend to induce customers to have their work done on week days and give the barbers a rest on Sundays like other folks.

DIED.

HERRIOTT—At his home in Macon village, on Monday May 21, 1883, Mr. Robert Finlay Herriott, having arrived within one day of his 59th birthday.

The deceased was born near Farmer Village, Seneca county, N. Y., May 22nd, 1824. In that delightful region between Seneca and Cayuga lakes, the first thirteen years of his life were spent. In the fall of 1837 he came with his parents to this State, the family being among the earliest settlers in the township of Macon. In January, 1851, he was united in marriage to Martha E. Richart, who with an only daughter survives him. Married life was begun on their own farm, opposite the old homestead, and there the greater part of the active life of the deceased was spent. During a short period he was a resident of Newton, Calhoun county, and during the last years he lived in Macon village. His was an exemplary life. In his home and public relationships he was beloved and respected. Jovial, kind, upright, he gained very many friends. The children of the neighborhood in which he lived were ever among these friends—for them he ever had a kind word, and their interests he always sought to advance. Hence it was that during the days of his health his energies were so largely devoted to the cause of education, both secular and religious. Especially in the Sunday School he has done much good work. His name is found among the members of the earliest local temperance society, organized in 1841. To the principles avowed by becoming a member of said society, he remained true till the last. While in Calhoun county he made public profession of religion, and in 1870 became a member of the First Reformed Church of Macon. In this church he has for several years held the office of deacon. And now he rests from his labors, and his works do follow him. His last illness, though painful, was very brief. At midnight the summons came, "Come up higher." He was ready. The funeral services were held at the family residence and were conducted by Revs. W. H. Babbitt and J. A. De Spelder, and were largely attended.

MARRIED.

MEGILL—LEIGH—On Monday, May 28, 1883, by Rev. W. H. Babbitt, Mr. Robert Megill and Mrs. Fanny A. Leigh, all of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, June 2d, 1883.

Atkinson, J. W.	Longthorne, Mrs. Laura
Davis, Mrs. Geo. T.	Poucher, Geo.
Kellog, O. W.	Wright, Mrs. G. N.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples, Dried, ₩ lb	@	06
Butter, ₩ lb	16 @	18
Barley, ₩ bushel	60 @	2
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75 @	2 65
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@	1 60
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00 @	7 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₩ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	35 @	38
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	50 @	65
Clover Seed	5 50 @	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	15
Flour ₩ barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 25 @	7 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @	11 00
Honey, ₩ lb	@	15
Ham, ₩ lb	@	14
Lard, ₩ lb	@	13
Oats, ₩ bushel	40 @	43
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	30 @	40
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	1 02 @	1 07
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	1 05 @	1 10

COAL.

The prices for SUMMER DELIVERY of HARD and SOFT COAL are now established, and are lower than will be made later in the season. An advance is expected July 1st. Money can be saved and cleaner and better Coal secured by placing orders now, for delivery at any time previous to September 1st. Parties desiring to make contracts will consult their own interests by getting prices from

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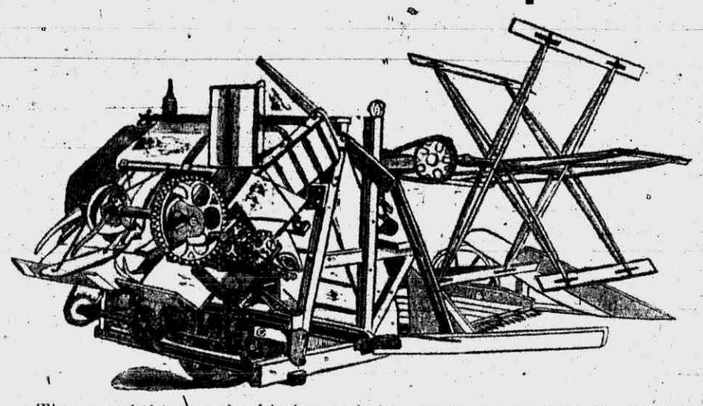

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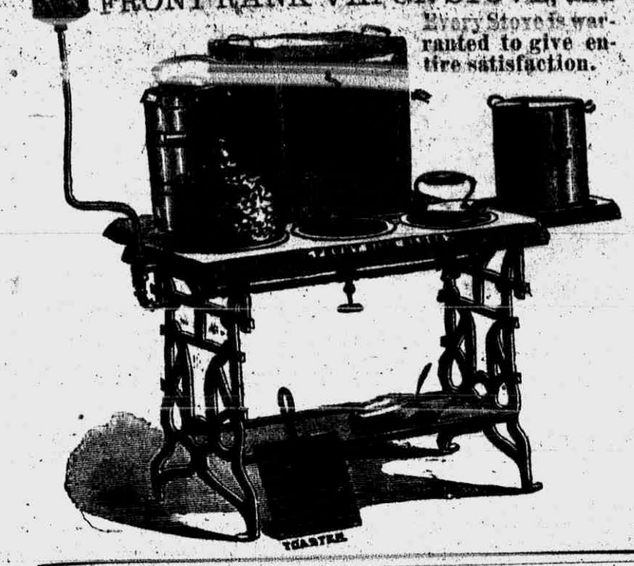

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

The talk is that we are to have another hotel, grocery store and drug store soon.

Some are rusticating among the mosquitoes and picturesque scenery of Sand Lake this week.

[illegible] tival, Tuesday evening, for the benefit of St. John's church, was a pleasant affair as well as a financial success.

Miss Hess Cupples, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. McCollum last Sunday.

A gang of boys ranging from 6 to 14 years old barricade the sidewalk on Main street every evening and make the very air ring with their oaths and obscenity.

What Clinton most needs just now is a good wide-awake wool and wheat buyer, one with character and cash. There is a fertile field open here for the right man.

The Clinton News of last week contained a card signed J. W. Payne, wherein he applies the ecclesiastical title of "Bishop" in referring to a Mr. Smith, a Baptist preacher of Saline, who once preached in the Baptist church at this place. We were not aware that Clinton had been the "see" of a Bishop. But possibly J. W. P. made a mistake and the title should have been spelled with a small "b."

MACON MUSIC.

George Frost and Harrison Crittenden are erecting new houses.

Rev. J. A. De Spelder goes to Holland City, this week to attend commencement exercises.

Mrs. Anna Harring, who has been sick for a long time, is very low, there being no hopes of her recovery.

The schools at the village closed last week with literary exercises. The exercises were excellent, and the pupils did credit to themselves and teacher. Many of the patrons of the school are anxious to secure the services of the present teachers for the coming year.

Elmer Hendershot is at home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Horace Brown *nee* Cora Smith, of Grand Ledge, is visiting her old home and friends.

The young and old will hie away to Ann Arbor, June 30, to see his lordship, Jumbo.

The farmers have succeded at last in "muddling in" their corn between showers.

The Union Sunday School will have a picnic to celebrate the Fourth. The school at the Center has been invited. Several committees have been appointed and a grand good time is anticipated by the school. Do not think we are boasting when we say the people of Macon village have sufficient enterprise and go-ahead to make anything of this nature a brilliant success. Your worthy reporter is not a resident of said village at present writing.

The members of Macon Grange will have a Strawberry Social at Grange Hall, on Tuesday, July 3d, at 6 P. M., sharp. Special meeting at 7:30. A full attendance is requested, as there is important business to be transacted. By order of Com.

J. W. BAKER, M.

THE RACES NEXT WEEK.

Mr. C. D. Bills, secretary of the Southern Michigan Circuit has a fine program of races arranged for next week. They will take place on his new track in the eastern part of the village which has been put in fine condition for that purpose. The entire program will consume three days commencing on Wednesday, July 4th, and closing on Friday, July 6th. All indications point to a large crowd and an interesting meeting. They will be the best races that Tecumseh has seen in several years and we hope the men who have labored to make them a success will receive substantial encouragement. Below we give the program for each day:

FIRST DAY.

1. $150. Three minute class.—1st, $75; second, $37.50; 3rd, $22.50; 4th, $15.
2. $150. 2:35 class.—1st $75; 2d, $37.50; 3rd, $22.50; 4th, $15.

SECOND DAY.

3. $150. Pacing Class.—1st, $75; 2d, $37.50; 3rd, $22.59; 4th, $15.
4. $150. 2:45 class.—1st, $75; 2d, $37.50; 3rd, $22.50; 4th, $15.

THIRD DAY.

5. $50. Four year olds, 2 in 3.—1st, $25; 2d, $12,50; 3rd, $7,50; 4th, $5.
6. $150. Free for all.—1st, $75; 2d, $37.50; 3rd, $22.50; 4th, $15.
7. $100. Running race.—1st, $60; 2d, $30; 3rd, $10.

Deerfield Record: Sunday morning last, as the congregation were quietly filing out of the M. E. church, somewhat of a sensation was caused by the breaking of a sleeper and settling of the floor in the vestibule.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Wools is bringing from 30 to 32 cents in Sturgis.

S. B. Daboll, of St. Johns, will orate at Ovid July Fourth.

Clover and barley crops very heavy in Kalamazoo county.

Martin Dorlin, accidentally shot at Grand Rapids last week.

A stock company has been formed at Millington to bore for brine.

Telephone connection has been made between Lansing and Detroit.

An Ingham doctor recently reported a death by "scrawfully."

Muskegon proposes to make its own brick hereafter.

Talk of setting the state clocks at the capitol by Detroit standard time.

A state sanitary convention is to be held at Muskegon August 23 and 24.

Prof. Sprout teaches the school at Litchfield. The name is suggestive at least.

John Reindeer had his left arm cut off by a saw in Wait's mill at Grand Haven last week.

Rev. Judson Swift was installed pastor of the 1st presbyterian church at Allegan last week.

A Saginaw woman put $145 in her pocket and went to see the circus—and had her pocket picked.

A Jonesville firm has taken a contract for furnishing 500 car loads of cobble stones for Detroit parties.

Marvin's new opera house at Ovid is nearly completed, and much taste is displayed in its management.

W. C. Heath, the defaulting station agent at Maybee, pleaded guilty and goes up for one year.

The Cheboygan artesian well is completed and throws 179 gallons of excellent water per minute.

George Feige, of East Saginaw, has the contract for making the furniture for the new capitol of Colorado.

Clinton county farmers, whose corn did not do well, have planted peas where the corn failed to show up.

A man living near Lapeer washed 70 sheep in one day. The sheep stood it nobly, but the man hasn't been out of bed since.

Five tons of whitefish arrived at Bay City by boat one day last week, all captured at Point Lookout within a few hours before their arrival.

A Grand Rapids paper says a member of the legislature from over on the Lake Michigan shore "raked in over $1,000 at poker while at Lansing."

A painter named Albert Stacy, of Grand Blanc, fell 30 feet at Pontiac and was seriously but probably not fatally injured.

The Detroit, Lansing & Northern railroad company has broken up a gang of thieves that has long been pilfering property on the line.

The G. R. & I. railroad company sent about 100 of the employes at and about Grand Rapids to Chicago to see the exposition, paving all expenses.

A Bay City man, who was going to Fenton to be married, tarried a minute too long to adjust his necktie and missed the train.

Twenty year ago Mr. Bailey, now one of the partners in the great circus firm of Barnum, Bailey & Hutchinson, was a bell boy at the Hodges house at Pontiac.

Fred Watson, of North Lansing, constructed a toy engine, and with it he and his brother Albert were having heaps of fun, when the boiler exploded, scalding both lads severely.—Fred may lose one eye.

A Port Huron wife-beater is now at the house of correction, and a chronic drunk of the same place is in jail. One draws $12 a month pension and the other $40, and yet, says the Port Huron Telegraph, widows with large families to fight the battles of life for, get but $8 per month.

Fred Sleet, of Bay City, arrested for burglary committed at Bridgeport.—He had also piled railroad ties on the F. & P. M. track, for pure deviltry.—He is but 18 years old, but appears to have some of the qualifications for becoming a first-class devil.

Circulars have been strewn about Ann Arbor purporting to come from the W. C. T. U., in which a fierce attack is made upon the bondsmen of the many liquor dealers in that city. Among the assertions made is one as follows: "To say that Ann Arbor has no use for any of these men is to say but half the truth. Ann Arbor would be better off morally, socially, intellectually, and in every other way, if this disgustingly long list of men would every one of them die with the small-pox within the next week." Then it was resolved to boycott them all.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, June 18, 1883.

Regular session.

Present, the entire council except Mr. Burridge.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Recommending the payment of the following claims, to wit:

E. Hause	$12 00
A. James	52 80
A. W. Mills	2 00
H. Smith	2 00
Jehiel Davidson	27 50
A. Hyde	14 00
E. Humphrey	5 70
Byron Snell	6 00
Len Ross	5 00
Milan Wheeler	17 00
Thos. Bangs	6 50
William Brown	14 25
John Cannon	9 75
Wm. Bresie	3 00

On Cemetery:

Ask for more time in which to report on the matter referred to at last meeting.

On motion the time is extended.

On Public Grounds:

Report that they have negotiated with Mr. A. A. Kennedy for a piece of land to be used as a pound, the purchase price thereof $100.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted and the committee further instructed to complete the bargain with Mr. Kennedy and obtain a deed of the land thus purchased and pay him the price agreed upon when the committee are satisfied with the boundaries and title.

The same committee is further instructed to have a good and substantial tight board fence seven feet high erected around the land thus purchased without any unnecessary delay.

The President reported that he would recommend the purchase of a safe, No. 7, of the Detroit Safe Co., as the cheapest and best in every respect. The matter was still left with the President, with directions to use his judgment and select such safe as he deemed most desirable.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Of Slayton & Son, asking that there be a crossing laid across Evans street in front of the new hall being built by them.

Referred to committee on streets.

NEW BUSINESS.

Mr. Heesen, on behalf of the night watch association asked the council to make an appropriation of $200 for the payment of the night watchman's annual salary. After some discussion on the subject it was decided not to make the appropriation asked for until the association make a report in writing to council setting forth the amount contributed by the association during the past year, and the amount paid the night watchman, the officers of the association, and the rules by which it is governed.

In order, however, that this action may cause no embarrassment to the association in its relations to the present watchman, on motion, the Recorder is directed to draw an order on the Treasurer for $16.67 to be paid such watchman at this date and an order for a like sum to be paid on the 18th day of July next, thus giving the association ample time to prepare and present the report asked for.

On the recommendation of the marshall, John Hibbard is appointed a deputy marshall for the village.

The council then took into consideration the amount of money necessary to be raised for contingent expenses for the current year. After a submission of the various estimates it was on motion,

Resolved, That a levy of 3½ mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property of the village be made for the augmentation of the contingent fund for the current year, and the Recorder was instructed to spread such tax.

The street committee were instructed to procure the services of the county surveyor for the purpose of determining the lines on Union and Brown streets in this village.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON,
Recorder.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending June 23, 1883:

CAMBRIDGE.

Isaac Dowling to W. L. Hand.—Land on secs. 23 and 24. $350.

W. L. Hand to S. and S. H. Russ.—Land on sec. 23. $400.

MACON.

Daniel Sones to James Hatch.—Land on sec. 18. $2400.

TECUMSEH.

Wm. A. Richard to Rosey Young.—Land in village. $650.

Hudson Post: A lady has been stopping in this village for a few weeks, whose husband owns a meat market. Some two weeks ago one of our merchants was at Adrian, where said meat market is kept, and the husband said he would like to send some meat to the folks. Ever willing to oblige, our merchant said he would be pleased to do the errand, and put the meat in his grip. Last Monday morning, wishing to get something from his satchel, he opened it in his office, and in less than a minute that store smelled like a limberger cheese factory, filled with dead cats. He did not deliver the meat.

The old ball room of the Morenci Exchange is being partitioned off into sleeping apartments.

DISCONTENT.

In a lonely bog
Lives a polliwog,
Wishing he's a frog.

Comes a hungry snake
Polliwog to take
For his stomach's sake.

[illegible]

Snake knows a dodge
Slips into the lodge
Where the polliwog
Is going to dine.

[illegible]

Snake says, "Oh, my!
Now or can I wait
Till you outgrow
Your tail and get fat?"

Polliwog looks to see if the coast is clear, and finding that the way is clear, he doesn't make the polite thing he might, and invite the snake to come in, but says, "Why, Mr. Snake, I'm very much obliged to you for your kind intention, but I don't care to be eaten just now. Will you please come back in two weeks and make the offer?"

And now

Lives a polliwog

—Frank M. Dixon, in Dixie.

THE RESCUE.

A REVOLUTIONARY ROMANCE.

It was an autumnal evening—the forests had begun to den their mantles of gorgeous colors. The fields, shorn of their harvest treasures, lay like golden lakelets in the rich and mellow sunset. The noble Highlands, like giant warriors clothed in their panoply of rock and foliage, threw sullen shadows far out upon the bosom of the glorious Hudson, which, rolling on in its path of beauty, gleamed like a fallen rainbow in the innumerable tints of occidental glory. Far in the distance towered the venerable Cro'nest, begirt with a diadem of purple and gold. The first star was twinkling on the brow of twilight; dark clouds were encircling the zone of creation, rock and mountain, tree and shrub, hill, dale, valley and rivulet, all commingled in one hazy softness, rendering it a scene of indescribable loveliness, beautiful as in those days of primitive innocence ere sin was known, or desolation and the curse had fallen upon blossoms of our earthly Eden. Such was the evening when a barge was seen to leave the promontory of West Point, in the neighborhood of which we locate our narrative, in the year 1782. In it were several persons attired in the military costumes of that period, who, with well-measured strokes of their oars, made it dance over the golden waters like a ray of light. In the stern was seated a man about 50 years of age. His head was uncovered, and revealed to view a wide and capacious brow; his features were marked and masculine; his mouth, which was peculiarly characterized by a closeness of the lips, gave to him a look of determination, yet which in no way impaired the mild and merciful expression which reigned over his general aspect. Like the others in the boat, he wore a dark-blue coat, with broad buff facings, closely buttoned to the throat; corded hat, close fitting buckskin small-clothes, high military boots, with spurs of steel, with a belt of buff encircling his waist, in which was fixed a straight sword. Such was the costume of the personage who was destined to achieve the liberty of his country, and to burst the fetters of oppression. Reader, need you ask who was? In your minds eye does he not stand before you? Is not his name the watch-word of your independence, and a memory cherished in the heart of every son of freedom? It was George Washington!

As the barge gained the opposite bank, one of the rowers leaped ashore, and made fast to the root of a willow which hung its broad thick branches over the river. The rest of the party then landed, and uncovering saluted their commander, who respectfully returned their courtesy.

"By 10 o'clock you may expect me," said Washington. "Be cautious—look well that you are not surprised. These are no times for trifling."

"Depend upon us," replied one of the party.

"I do," he responded, and bidding them farewell, departed along the bank of the river.

That night a party was to be given at the house of one of his old and valued friends, to which he, with several other American officers, had been invited. It was seldom that he participated in festivity, more especially at that period when every moment was fraught with danger; nevertheless, in respect to an old acquaintance, backed by the solicitations of Ruby Rugsdale, the daughter of the host, he had consented to relax from the toils of military duty, and honor the party for a few hours, with his presence.

After continuing his path for some distance along the river's side, he struck off into a narrow road, bordered thickly with brush-wood, tinged with a thousand dyes of departed summer—here and there a gray crag peeped out from the foliage, over which the green ivy and the scarlet woodbine hung in wanton dalliance; at other places the arms of the chestnut and mountain ash met in leafy fondness and cast a gloom deep almost as night. Suddenly a crashing among the branches was heard, and, like a deer, a young Indian girl bounded into the path, and stood full in his presence. He started back with surprise, laid his hand upon his sword—but the Indian girl only fell upon her knee, placed her finger on her lips, and by a sign with her hand, forbade him to proceed.

"What seek you my wild-flower?" said the General. She started to her feet, drew a small tomahawk from her belt of wampum, and imitating the act of scalping an enemy—then again waving her hand, as if forbidding him to advance, she darted into the bushes, leaving him lost in amazement.

"There is danger," said he to himself, after a short pause, and recovering from his surprise. "That Indian's manner betokens me no good, but my trust is in God—he has never yet deserted me," and, resuming his path, he shortly reached the mansion of Rufus Rugsdale.

His appearance was the signal for joy among the party assembled, each of whom vied with the other to do him honor. Although grave in council and bold in war, yet in the bosom of domestic bliss no one knew better how to render himself agreeable. The old were cheered by his consolatory words, the young by his mirthful manner, nor even in gallantry was he wanting, when it added to the virtuous spirit of the hour. The protestations of friendship and welcome were warmly tendered to him by the host. Fast and thickly the guests were assembling—the smile, the laugh, and mingling music rose joyously around. The twilight was fast merging into night, but a thousand lamps of sparkling beauty gave a brilliancy of day to the scene—all was happiness—bright eyes and blooming faces where everywhere beaming, but, alas! a serpent was lurking among the flowers.

In the midst of the hilarity the sound of a cannon burst suddenly upon the ear startling the guests and suspending the dance. Washington and the officers looked at each other with surprise, but their fears were quickly dispelled by Rugsdale assuring them it was only a discharge of ordnance in honor of his distinguished visitors. The joy of the moment was again resumed, but the gloom of suspicion had fallen upon the spirit of Washington, who now sat in moody silence apart from the happy throng.

A slight tap upon his shoulder at length roused him from his reverie, and looking up, he perceived the person of the Indian standing at the bosom of the myrtle bush close to his side.

"He" again! he exclaimed in astonishment, but the interpreter bade him be silent, and kneeling at his feet, presented him with a bouquet of flowers. Washington received it, and was about to place it as his breast when one approached him quietly by the arm, and pointing to it, said in a whisper, "Look, look!" and the next moment mingled with the company, whom appeared to recognize her as one well-known and esteemed.

Washington regarded the bouquet with scrutiny, he saw nothing to excite suspicion, however, sunk deeply into his mind, and, looking closer upon the nosegay, to his surprise he saw a small piece of paper in the midst of the flowers. Hastily he drew it forth, and, confounded and horror-stricken, read: "Beware! you are betrayed!" It was now apparent that he was within the den of the tiger, but to quit it abruptly might only draw the consummation of treachery the speedier upon his head. He resolved, therefore, to disguise his feelings and trust to that Power which had never forsaken him. The festivities were again renewed, but almost in a moment interrupted by a second sound of the cannon. The guests now began to regard each other with distrust, while many and moody were the glances cast upon Rugsdale, whose countenance began to show symptoms of uneasiness, while ever and anon he looked from the window out upon the broad, green lawn which extended to the river's edge, as if in expectation of some one's arrival.

"What can detain them?" he muttered to himself. "Can they have deceived me? Why answer they not the signal?" At that moment a bright flame rose from the river, illuminating for a moment the surrounding scenery and showing a small boat, filled with persons, making rapidly toward the shore. "All's well, he continued; in three minutes I shall be the possessor of a coronet, and the cause of the Republic be no more." Then turning to Washington he said: "Come General, pledge me to the success of our arms." The eyes of Rugsdale at that moment encountered the scrutinizing look of Washington, and sunk to the ground; his hand trembled violently—even to so great a degree as to partly spill the contents of the goblet. With difficulty he conveyed it to his lips, then retiring to the window, he waved his hand, which action was immediately responded to by a third sound of the cannon, at the same moment the English anthem of "God Save the King," burst in full volume upon the ear, and a band of men attired in British uniforms with their faces hidden by masks, entered the apartment. The officers drew their swords; but Washington, cool and collected, stood with his arms folded upon his breast, quietly remarking to them: "Be calm gentlemen. Then turning to Rugsdale said: "Speak sir: what does this mean?"

"It means," replied the traitor, placing his hand upon the shoulder of Washington "that you are my prisoner; in the name of King George I arrest you."

"Never," exclaimed the General. "We may be cut to pieces, but surrender we will not. Therefore, give way," and he waved his sword to the guard who stood with their muskets leveled as if ready to fire should he attempt to escape. In an instant their weapons were reversed, and dropping their masks, to the horror of Rugsdale, and the agreeable surprise of Washington, his own brave party whom he had left in charge of the barge stood revealed before him.

"Seize that traitor!" exclaimed the commander. "In ten minutes from this moment let him be a spectacle between the heavens and the earth."

The wife and daughter sprang to his knees in supplication, but an irrevocable oath had passed his lips that never should treason again receive his forgiveness since that of the miscreant Arnold.

"For my own life" he said, while the tears rolled down his noble countenance at the agony of the wife and daughter, "for my own life I heed not, but the liberty of my native land—the welfare of millions demand this sacrifice—for the sake of humanity I pity him, but by my oath, and in the presence of Heaven, I swear that I will not forgive him."

Like a thunderbolt fell those words upon the hearts of the wife and daughter. They sank lifeless into the arms of the domestics, and when they had recovered, consciousness, Rugsdale had atoned for his treason by the sacrifice of his life.

It appeared that the Indian girl, who was an especial favorite and domesticated in the family, had overheard the intention of Rugsdale to betray the American general and other valuable officers that evening into the hands of the British, for which purpose they had been invited to this "Feast of Judas." Hating in her heart the enemies of America, who had driven her tribe from their native forests, she resolved to frustrate the design, and consequently waylaid the steps of Washington as we have described; but failing in her noble purpose, she had then recourse to the party, left in possession of the boat.

Scarcely had she imparted her information and the shadows of the night closed around, when a company of British soldiers were discovered making their way rapidly toward the banks of the Hudson, within a short distance of the spot where the American party was waiting the return of their commander. Bold in the cause of liberty, and knowing that immediate action could alone preserve him, they rushed upon and overpowered them, stripped them of their uniforms and arms, bound them hand and foot, placed them in their boat, and under charge of two of their companions sent them to the American camp at West Point. Having disguised themselves in the habiliments of the enemy, they proceeded to the house of Rugsdale, where, at the appointed time and sign, made known to them by the Indian girl, they opportunely arrived to the relief of Washington, and the confusion of the traitor.

Thus was the Father of his Country, by the interposition of Divine Providence, who, in his own words, "never deserted him," saved from captivity, and but for which America might to this day been pressed by the foot of oppression, and her children have bowed the knee to a foreign power.

In no other blood medicine have the results of scientific inquiry been so steadily utilized as in Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

A VETERAN BENEFACTOR.

His Past Life, Present Plans and what He Has to Say Upon a Subject that Astonished him.

(New York Times.)

Nearly forty years ago a young man, of unusual endowments, began to mould public opinion upon a subject of vital importance. Like all pioneers, his early efforts were unsuccessful, but his ability and the value of his work soon won public confidence, and to-day there is not a village or hamlet in the country that has not been influenced by Dr. Dio Lewis. When, therefore, it was learned yesterday that he contemplated the establishment of a large magazine in this city, the fact was deemed so important that a representative of this paper was commissioned to see him and ascertain the truth of the rumor.

Dr. Dio Lewis is a gentleman of sixty years and two hundred pounds, with snow-white hair and beard, but [illegible] perfect picture of health and vigor.

He is a living exponent of his teachings, and notwithstanding the amount of work he has already done, promises still greater activity for years to come. He received the interviewer most courteously, and in reply to a question said:

"It is true I have come to New York to establish a monthly magazine. I have come here for the same reason that I went to Boston 35 years ago. Then Boston was the best platform in the country from which to speak of education. New York has now become most hospitable to progressive thoughts, and especially so to movements on behalf of physical training.

"I have reason to know the great and abiding interest of the American people in this subject. They have come to realize that the future of our country pivots upon our physical vitality, and especially upon the vigor of our women. My new magazine will bear the title 'Dio Lewis' Monthly,' and be devoted to Sanitary and Social Science. I hope through its pages to inaugurate a new departure in hygiene."

"Have you not written several books on the subject?"

"Yes, nine volumes, and some of them like 'Our Girls,' published by the Harpers, have had an enormous circulation, but the best work of my life I shall give the world in the new magazine. Forty years of skirmishing out to conclude with ten years of organized warfare."

"Doctor, what is the occasion of this new interest in health questions?"

"It has come through suffering, which seems the only road to self knowledge. The stomach, heart, kidneys or liver fall into trouble, happiness is gone, and then people give attention to their health.

"Which of these organs is most frequently the victim of our errors?" asked the reporter.

"Within the last few years diseases of the kidneys have greatly multiplied. When I was engaged in practice, thirty-five and twenty years ago, serious disease of the kidneys was rare; but now distressingly frequent and fatal.

"To what do you attribute this great increase of kidney troubles?"

"To the use of stimulating drinks, adulterated food and irregular habits of life."

"Doctor, have you any confidence in the remedy of which we hear so much nowadays, 'Warner's Safe Cure?'"

"I believe in the ounce of prevention, rather than in a ton of cure."

"But have you noticed the remarkable testimonials of Warner's remedy?"

"I have and confess that they have puzzled and astonished me. The commendations of proprietary medicines usually come from unknown persons residing in back counties. But I see in our most reputable newspapers the warmest praise of Warner's Safe Cure from college professors, respectable physicians, and other persons of high intelligence and character. To thrust such testimony aside may be professional, but it is unmanly. No physician can forget that valuable additions to our Materia Medica have sprung from just such sources. I was so impressed with this cloud of witnesses that I purchased some bottles of Warner's Safe Cure at a neighboring drug store, and analyzed one of them to see if it contained anything poisonous. Then I took three of the prescribed doses at once, and found there was nothing injurious in it. I do not hesitate to say that if I found my kidneys in serious trouble, I should use this remedy, because of the hopelessness of all ordinary treatment, and because when a hundred intelligent and reputable persons unite in the statement that a certain remedy has cured them of a grave malady, I choose to believe that they speak the truth.

"But as you may know, my great interest in life lies in prevention. For forty years I have labored in this field. One of the phases of my work in New England was the establishment of the ladies' seminary at Lexington, Mass. My aim was to illustrate the possibilities in the physical training of girls during their school life. This institution became before I left it, the largest and most successful seminary for young women owned and managed by one person, in our country. I sat down to dinner every day with a family of two hundred persons. The remarkable results of this muscle training among girls, were given in my paper published in the North American Review of December, 1882.

"Besides, I established the Normal Institute for Physical Training in Boston, and for ten years was its president and manager. Dr. Walter Channing, Dr. Thomas Hoskins, Professor Leonard, and others were among its teachers, and more than four hundred persons took its diploma and went out into all parts of the land to teach the new school of gymnastics. And now the years left to me I propose to devote to my magazine which I have come here to establish. It will be the largest periodical ever devoted to this field of literature, and will present the hundred and one questions of hygiene with the simplicity of a child's talk. To this end all so-called learning will be subordinated. The magazine will be more or less illustrated, and will strive to reach a high place in the confidence and hearts of the people. In a few weeks our first number will appear, and we shall fondly hope for a hearty welcome."

The facts above narrated are indeed most important. It is gratifying to know that the life long experiences of a gentleman who stands without a peer in successfully demonstrating the principles of hygiene, whose heart has always been in sympathy with the afflicted, and whose brain has ever been active in planning for their relief, are to be given to the public through the pages of a magazine. And it is specially significant and proof positive of rare merit that a proprietary medicine, even with such high standing as Warner's Safe Cure is known to have, should be endorsed and recommended by a man so able, so reputable and of such national renown as Dr. Dio Lewis.

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 20	8 55	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	5 20
5 25	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc. "	9 54	5 13
5 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 41	5 04
6 06	9 29	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	4 26
6 21	9 40	" Dundee "	9 00	4 18
6 28	9 51	" Azalia "	8 50	4 05
6 44	10 06	" Milan "	8 34	3 50
6 55	10 19	" Urania "	8 20	3 38
7 05	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	3 28
7 17	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	3 15
	P. M.			A. M.
8 10	12 35	" Jackson M.C. "	6 10	9 50
A. M.				
1 08	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 37	7 58
2 05	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 52	7 10
			P. M.	
7 30	4 50	" Grd Rapids "	10 40	6 20
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 17	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	3 15
8 00	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	2 40
	A. M.		P. M.	
8 53	11 59	" Howll (G.L.&N.) "	7 22	
	P. M.			2 01
9 40	1 15	" Lansing Lv.	6 10	12 45
				A. M.
11 05	3 00	" Ionia "	4 30	11 00
A. M.				
12 30	5 04	" Edmore "	2 40	9 00
	6 40	" Big Rapids "	1 00	7 15
12 50	4 45	" Howard City "	2 55	9 20
			A. M.	
6 55		" P'tosk'y (G.R.&I)	8 30	
8 25		" Mackinack (C.&O.)	7 00	

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's	Acc'n	W. F't
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
DETROIT	‡7 00	‡9 40	‡5 05	‡6 30
Hand	‡7 50	*10 10	5 20	7 30
Romulus	7 44	10 24	5 52	8 20
Belleville	7 53	*10 33	6 02	8 57
Willis	‡8 02	*10 42	6 12	9 35
Whittaker	‡8 07	*10 47	6 20	9 50
Milan	8 27	10 59	6 33	10 55
Cone	‡8 27	*11 03	6 43	11 15
Britton	‡8 37	*11 16	6 54	11 35
Holloway	‡8 47	*11 25	7 06	11 55
Adrian	9 02	11 49	7 24	12 55
Sand Creek	‡9 16	*11 53	7 39	1 30
North Morenci	9 32	*12 08	7 57	2 10
North Fayette	‡9 45	*12 20	8 11	2 45
Alvordton	‡10 00	*12 33	8 25	3 20
Montpelier	10 21	12 52	8 50	4 25
Blakesley	10 39	* 1 06	9 07	5 00
BUTLER	11 00	1 25	9 30	5 40
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Acc'n	W. F't
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡8 35	‡3 48	‡5 30	5 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	‡4 10	5 51	5 51
Montpelier	‡9 11	‡4 25	6 08	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	‡4 47	6 20	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	‡5 03	6 46	‡8 45
North Morenci	9 55	‡5 14	7 00	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	‡5 30	7 16	10 30
Adrian	10 20	5 47	7 32	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	‡6 03	7 46	12 55
Britton	*10 39	‡6 13	7 59	1 20
Cone	*10 44	‡6 20	8 08	1 35
Milan	10 55	6 33	8 20	2 00
Whittaker	*11 00	‡6 40	8 30	2 26
Willis	*11 10	‡6 47	8 45	2 45
Belleville	*11 18	‡6 56	8 57	3 15
Romulus	11 36	7 05	9 08	3 40
Hand	*11 39	‡7 10	9 25	4 25
DETROIT	12 05	7 50	10 00	5 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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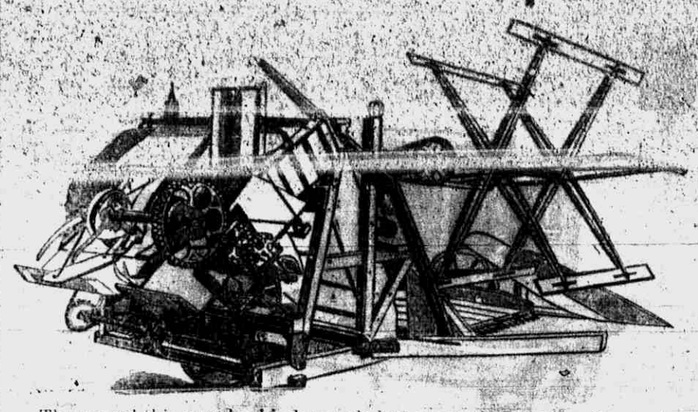

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Cold Winters.

There seems to be no such winters now as there were seventy or eighty years ago, owing, no doubt, to the cutting down in this country of the native forests, the planting and growth of the towns and cities, and the general development of the land. During the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, there were in the Old World some winters bitterly memorable. In Britain, in 1684, the Thames was frozen to the depth of [illegible] inches, and nearly all the birds in the United Kingdom perished. In 1692 the cold was so intense in Southern Europe, especially in Austria, that wolves were driven by hunger into Vienna, where they attacked beasts of burden and even human beings. Three years later many persons were frozen to death in various parts of Germany. The cold winter, as it was called for distinction, occurred in 1709, when all the rivers and lakes in Europe were completely frozen, and even the sea several miles from shore, and the earth itself from seven to eight feet deep. Birds and beasts fell dead, and thousands of men, women and children perished in their houses. In Southern [illegible] stroyed. The Adriatic was frozen, and much of the Mediterranean in the neighborhood of Genoa and Leghorn, and the lemon and orange groves were blighted in many parts of Italy. During 1716 persons crossed the straights from Copenhagen to the Province Senia (Luden) on the ice, and horses and wagons likewise. Snow lay ten feet deep in Spain and Portugal during '40, the Zeyder Zee was covered with ice thick enough to bear a multitude of people, and four years after snow measured on the level twenty-three feet in Portugal. In 1771 the Elbe was frozen to the bottom, and in 1776 the Danube showed ice below Vienna eight to ten feet thick. The winter of 1779-80 was very severe in this country. The bitter cold began in the middle of November, and lasted until the close of February. The sun's rays were not warm enough to melt the snow, which lay on the ground almost five months, so thick that it was very hard to get from place to place. All ordinary bodies of water were icebound. Domestic fowls and wild turkeys perished by the thousand, so did deer and buffalo, and wolves and panthers, mainly from lack of their natural food buried under the snow. The Northern and Western rivers were fettered by the frost, and the Cumberland was so firmly frozen, as far south as Nashville, that emigrant trains passed securely over the river. The Delaware opposite Philadelphia contained ice of three or four feet, and Long Island Sound and Chesapeake Bay were frozen over. Scientific persons have declared that hot and cold waves often recur every eleven years, as in 1846 and 1857 and 1868.

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I can say that the watch is all that the company claims for it and recommend it to all railroad and mill men.

B. W. BENTLEY."

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Each of the brakemen and conductors employed upon the steam railroads is supplied with a lamp, upon which his name is engraved. It is intended to be his companion and to be carried by him, not only on the train, but also to and from his home. It is mounted upon a shining brass base. All the metal work upon it is carefully rubbed, and not a speck of dust is permitted to be on the glass. Brakemen are supplied with red, or danger, lamps, and conductors with white, or starting, lamps. The value of these lamps is rarely appreciated, or even understood by travelers. Many lives have been saved and many lost through them alone. The number of lives that have been endangered by the mishaps of the lamps cannot be estimated. The loss of a red lamp, a missing wick, a wick that will not burn, causes grave alarm in the locomotive cab. A break in a train, the discovery of a blockade, a sudden stop, call for the instant use of the red lamp. If no red lamp is at hand, a pot of red paint or a piece of red flannel is used to cover a white one. The flannel is more in use, for it is easy to carry and easy used. A bit of fat can be used as well for five minutes. A fast train is easily divided by the breaking of a coupling-pin. The engineer may not be able to run back for the detached cars, and they must therefore, wait for the next train. If the weather is misty, the absence of a red lamp from the rear one of these cars is a terrible menace to life.

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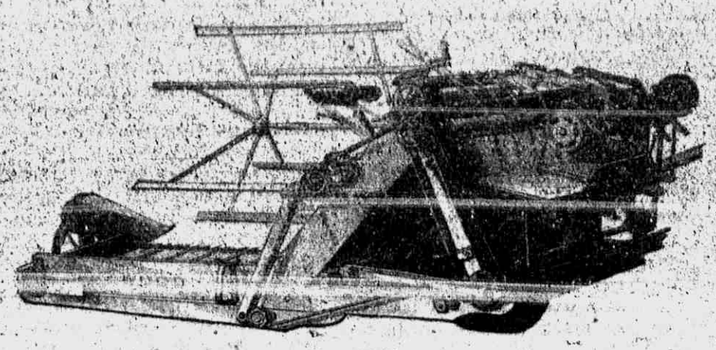

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 28, 1883.

Samuel J. Tilden's health is again the matter of much anxiety among the politicians.

Both state tickets are now in the field in Ohio, and a red hot campaign is sure to follow.

The two candidates for governor of Ohio reside in the same voting precinct in Cincinnati.

In choosing the Democratic ticket down in Ohio the "kids" got the upper hand in the fight.

We have not heard from Wiggins in some time. Has the poor man been carried away in some western cyclone?

Rumor says that Senator Conkling is soon to write a book. Will there be a chapter in it devoted to Mr. Blaine?

Should Judge Hoadly be elected governor of Ohio next October it will add his name to the list of presidential candidates.

Judging from the tally sheets, one would suppose that some of the professional ball clubs were filled mostly with amateur players.

The Ohio Democratic convention was held on the longest day of the year, and it sat for fifteen and one half hours without an adjournment.

The latest candidate on the Democratic side for president is Judge Jere. S. Black, of Pennsylvania. He would make a president of the Jackson type.

The Boston Post gives a better version of an old saw: "God reigns and justice still lives," says the Washington Chronicle with reference to Dorsey's acquittal. We think a more appropriate expression of piety would be: "God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform."

Geo. W. Childs, of the Philadelphia Ledger, has bought the Germantown Telegraph and presented it to the son of the late Henry J. Raymond, founder of the New York Times. Childs was a warm friend of Raymond and he displayed his friendship for the father by assisting the son.

The Chicago Times says: It is discouraging to find that Mr. Tilden will not accept the Presidency. After the present era of dyspepsia, mumps, croup, measles and other things with which Mr. Arthur has been afflicted, it would be pleasant to see a thoroughly robust and vigorous man in the White House.

Ferdinand Schumacher, the Prohibitionist candidate for Governor of Ohio, is the famous Oatmeal King of Akron. He not only refrains from the use of liquor and tobacco himself, but he compels his employees, when about the mills, to do the same. Mr. Schumacher is a Universalist by persuasion and is a liberal-minded, successful business man. He can be depended upon to put some money into the canvass.

The Ohio Democratic platform contains this tariff resolution:

We favor a tariff for revenue limited to the necessities of a government economically administered, and so adjusted in its application as to prevent unequal burdens, encourage productive interests at home and afford just compensation to labor, but not to create or foster monopolies.

This is the best statement of the position of the conservative tariff reformer which we have seen. The tariff should be so adjusted as to have for its primary object revenue and not protection.

It should only yield so much revenue as will meet the necessities of the government when economically administered.

It should be so arranged as to prevent unequal burdens.

It should encourage productive interests at home, not those naturally unproductive interests which can only be sustained by the hot bed stimulation of protection.

It should afford a just compensation to labor and thus do away with the labor strikes which have been so common.

It should neither create nor foster monopolies of any form or kind.

If any one can get up a better tariff platform than this we should like to see it.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, June 22, 1883.

Anybody who reads the Herald cannot fail to notice the remarkably small number of "personals" now printed as compared with former days, the circumspect manner in which they are composed and the total absence of such interesting items as "Will the young lady who sat in Broadway car and left at such and such a place, grant the favor of an interview to gentleman who sat opposite her." All the personals now left in the counting rooms of the Herald are edited by the managing editor, and if not entirely satisfactory to his sense of morality they are rejected and the money refunded. Since the commencement of the libel suit by Norman L. Munro, the well-known publisher, the people on the paper have grown even more careful, as it is feared that Mr. Munro will recover damages without a doubt. Mr. Munro claims that the publication of certain personals, inserted with malice prepense by an enemy of his, had the effect of driving his wife away from home and breaking up his household. Should he be able to prove this he will recover swinging damages.

The conviction of John Devoy, on the charge of having criminally libelled August Belmont, and his subsequent sentence to sixty days in the Penitentiary will be a warning to editors against making reckless statements. I have known John Devoy for a great many years, and personally he is as mild mannered and soft spoken a man as could be found anywhere. There is no self assertiveness about him, and he would not willingly injure anybody except "the tyrant," for he is as bitter and thoroughgoing an Irish Nationalist as ever breathed vengeance for "Ireland's wrongs." Put a pen in his hand, however, and get him to write about Irish affairs and he becomes absolutely uncontrolable. Mr. Belmont acted very decently towards him. He gave him a number of opportunities to retract, and when he was convicted, expressed through his counsel that sentence be suspended, as all that he wanted was a vindication of his character. Under the circumstances Devoy, if he is sensible, will be very careful about what he does after he leaves prison.

Jay Gould having found that it was impossible for him to gain admission to any of the recognized Yacht Clubs, is now making frantic efforts to push the new American Yacht Club, which is peculiarly his own success. Emissaries of his are hard at work among Wall Street men of yachting proclivities trying to get recruits. I was told by a broker, whose word I have no reason to doubt, that a number of leading yachting men on the streets have been made extraordinary inducements to join the American Club. "It will be worth so many shares a day if you come and join us," was the offer made to one of the leading members of the New York Yacht Club. The member did not join however, "for," said he, "I think that business and sport ought to be kept distinct, and a man like Gould, who has ruined thousands of men out to be made to feel that despit his illgotton millions there are some places for whose doors there is no golden key.

Poor Charley Backus. His infectious fun and rollicking humor has passed away, and the face which was once so mobile now lies settled and marbled in the coffin. Everybody knew Charley and liked him, not only theatrical people, but judges, professional men and merchants. Since yesterday morning when he died, crowds of people called at his residence on Forty-fourth street to pay their last respects to his memory. He was a man of thrifty habits, and an acquaintance tells that his estate will fall but little short of $500,000. What will now come of the San Francisco Minstrels is a question. Birch always seemed to be lost without Backus, as Backus was without Birch. As they used to say one could not be funny without the birch, while the other was sad unless he had backers. Birch may get a new partner but it will be difficult for him to work in with him at his time of life. Besides the fashion in minstrelsy has changed. Birch and Backus are relics of the old time when Dan Bryant, Neise Seymour, Christie and others were veritable black diamonds in their art for it was an art. The new generation of burnt cork performers can do all they can and more besides and thus were gradually getting the best of the veterans. True, they lack the art, the delicacy of humor with which the old timers invented even in their most rollicking farces, but they dazzle by the amount of things they can.

The old House of Detention for witnesses is now a relic of the past, for under the new law, witnesses of crimes can no longer be submitted to what after all was practical incarceration. It has often been a mystery to me how the old sergeant and the two or three aged policemen who were supposed to guard the inmates, prevented escapes, for after all some of the occupants found it greatly to their advantage to disappear. Yet they had few escapes and then they were always recaptured.

People wishing their teeth to look white,
Use "Teaberry" daily—at morning, at night;
It sweetens the breath, and reddens the gums,
Enhances the beauty of daughters and sons.

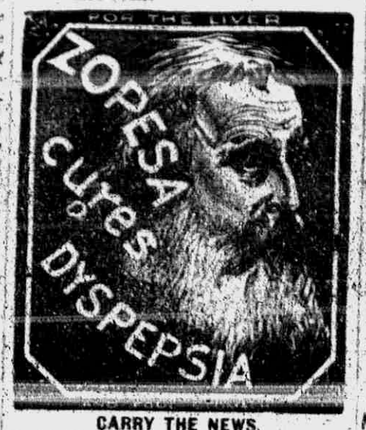

CARRY THE NEWS.

NEAR TILSONBURG, Ont., Dec. 14, '81.
I have been ailing for years with Billiousness and Dyspepsia, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Last fall I weighed only 86 pounds. I was induced to try Zopesa by Mr. Thompson, of the firm of C. Thompson & Co., druggists, of this place, and, many thanks to him, I am an entirely new woman and weigh 124 pounds through the use of this new compound.
MRS. CAROLINE FORBES,
Wife of Mr. R. G. Forbes.

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Ask for Henry's and take no other.
BEWARE OF COUNTERFITS.

HALL'S
Vegetable Sicilian
HAIR RENEWER
was the first preparation perfectly adapted to cure diseases of the scalp, and the first successful restorer of faded or gray hair to its natural color, growth, and youthful beauty. It has had many imitators, but none have fully met all the requirements needful for the proper treatment of the hair and scalp. HALL'S HAIR RENEWER has steadily grown in favor and spread its fame and usefulness to every quarter of the globe. Its unparalleled success can be attributed to but one cause. The entire judgment of its patrons.
The proprietors have often been surprised at the receipt of orders from remote countries, where they had never made an effort for its introduction.
The use for a short time of HALL'S HAIR RENEWER wonderfully improves the personal appearance. It cleanses the scalp from all impurities, cures all humors, fever, and dryness, and thus prevents baldness. It invigorates the weakened glands, and enables them to push forward a new and vigorous growth. The effects of this article are not transient, like those of alcoholic preparations, but remain a long time, which makes its use a matter of economy.

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE
FOR THE
WHISKERS
Will change the beard to a natural brown, or black, as desired. It produces a permanent color that will not wash away. Consisting of a single preparation, it is applied without trouble.
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Scrofulous, Mercurial, and Blood Disorders,
the best remedy, because the most searching and thorough blood-purifier, is
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Sold by all Druggists; $1, six bottles, $5.

DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL
Cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Lame Back, Sprains and Bruises, Asthma, Catarrh, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Diphtheria, Burns, Frost Bites, Tooth, Ear, and Headache, and all pains and aches.
The best internal and external remedy in the world. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold by medicine dealers everywhere. Directions in eight languages. Price 50 cents and $1.00.
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Horseshoeing a Specialty.
All work done promptly in a workmanlike manner and at reasonable rates.

J. D. SHOLES,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
LIGHT AND HEAVY HARNESS,
Whips, Nets, and all kinds of Horse Clothing.
By strict attention to your wants, and by selling cheap, I hope to receive a share of your patronage.
South Side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

L. L. RIDWELL,
Proprietor of the
Pearl St. Livery Stable!
Horses and carriages furnished at all hours of the day or night at liberal figures.
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GO TO
THOS. KYLE'S SHOP,
Sign of the big horseshoe on Logan street.
All work warranted to give satisfaction and prices reasonable.

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Richards' Block, Tecumseh, Mich.
Highest Cash Price Paid for Farmers' Produce.
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GO TO THE
LENAWEE CARRIAGE FACTORY
Satisfaction Guaranteed.
J. R. HIALEY.

DR. B. MINCER,
Scientific Optician!
I have devoted 25 years wholly to a study of the eye, and how to aid vision properly, and I make a specialty of fitting glasses to the eyes that have been injured by cheap, inferior glasses. I manufacture every kind of glasses, and guarantee satisfaction. Read what prominent physicians of Adrian say:
Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased, that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examining and its application in selecting glasses to fit the eye can only be acquired by a knowledge of the useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants; poor glasses are an abomination.
V. A. BAKER, M.D.
ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.
I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.
DANIEL TODD, M.D.
I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles.
C. RYND, M.D.
Dr. B. Mincer and part of his family will visit Devils lake, upper landing, June 5th, and remain a few days. Parties desiring his services should remember the date.

For Sale Cheap,
And on easy terms, A FARM OF 120 ACRES, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles from the village of Brooklyn and, ½ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. For further particulars call at the
HERALD OFFICE.

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STRAW HATS
GO TO
KIES BROS.

COLDEN STAR
Oil & Gasoline Stoves!
Perfection at last attained.

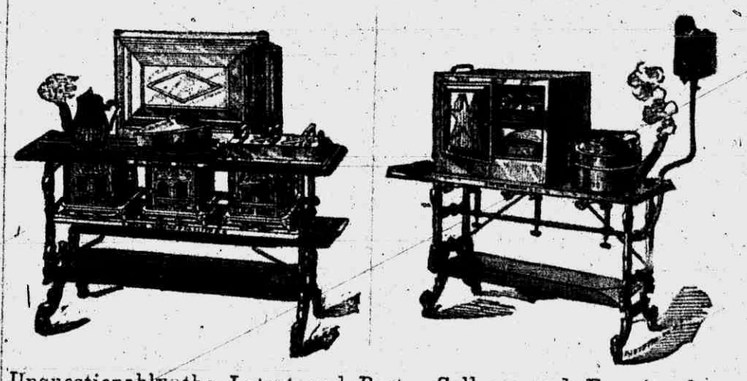

Unquestionably the Latest and Best. Call, see, and Examine for yourself. For sale by
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.
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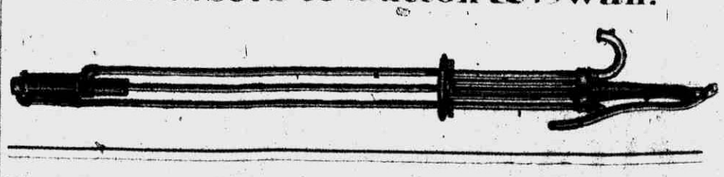

Tecumseh Sewing Machine Agency!
G. P. Sparks, Proprietor.
The DOMESTIC AND WHITE stand at the head.
If you want a machine, buy the best. Call and see me or send a postal before buying. I will make it to your interest to do so.
I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.
Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $8.00 to $65.00.

A. W. SLAYTON
Still at the front with the largest stock of Furniture at the lowest prices.

2 Door Commodes,	$4.00.
Bureaus,	4.00.
Carpet Sweepers,	1.50.
Iron Axle Wagons,	1.50.

Pillows, Chairs, Carts, Tables, Beds, and in fact everything marked way down. Call and see our goods before buying.
A. W. SLAYTON.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE. About six acres of good Timothy and Clover, on the ground, for sale very cheap. Inquire of WM. HARDING.

WANTED. A good country home for a bright, intelligent lad eight years old.—can be adopted or taken to raise, as may be desired. Apply at HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED. Dry or medium dry basswood at once. GEO. N. STACY.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED at once, a House and lot, worth from $300 to $500. All cash paid if wanted. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

100,000 LATE CABBAGE PLANTS. Special prices on quantities of 500 and upwards. Also sweet potato, tomato, celery, pepper and egg plants. ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE. House and lot situated on Logan street. Good barn, fruit, etc. Terms easy. For particulars inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

STRAY [illegible] horse. The owner can obtain the same by proving property and paying charges. THEODORE S. SMITH.

AGENTS WANTED to canvass for a new book, "The Marriage Guide." For terms, etc., address the author, REV. GEO. W. HUDSON, A.M., Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE. A good house and four acres of land, situated within ten minute's walk of the P. O. in the village of Ridgeway. Terms to suit purchaser, and for sale cheap. For particulars enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED. Young girl to do light housework in a small family. Enquire at Slayton's furniture store.

CAUTION. All persons are cautioned against making or using the short arm and brace as supports to shevings in hay and stock racks in the townships of Macon, Ridgeway, Clinton, Tecumseh, Raisin and Franklin without my consent, as I own the exclusive right to that improvement in those towns. It is the principle that is patented and not any particular form, therefore any use of them is an infringement. My racks are made of good material, well put up, and are complete in every particular. Call and see them. I. B. RICHART.

As we are about to rebuild and enlarge our green house, we will for a few days sell plants at a great reduction. Those wishing plants would do well to call now as we must get them out of our way.

MRS. D. P. SPALDING & SON.

W. Comfort is going to put in a new flume and water wheel in his mill next month, and ye farmers that want to exchange their good wheat for some of Comfort's good flour to last them till after harvest had better do so between now and the 4th of July.

Blissfield Advance: Application to the Probate Court of Monroe county is being made for the appointment of a special drain commissioner, to drain Ottawa Lake. It is claimed that ditching has been accomplished to such an extent that water flows into the lake so fast as to overflow the banks and inundate the land on its borders.

Deerfield Record: A grand national holiday ball will be given at Burnham's hall, on Wednesday evening, July 4th. It will be one of the most pleasant affairs of the kind ever held in this village, and a cordial invitation is extended to everybody. Music will be furnished by Prof. Seidles' full string band with piano accompaniment, of Adrian.

There is strong talk of extending the telephone line from Hudson to Addison, via. Rollin, Geneva and Devil's lake landings. One thousand dollars worth of business subscribed by parties at the proposed connecting points would insure the erection of the line. It has also been suggested that a line from Hudson to Morenci, via. Medina and Canandaigua, be built. The cost would be about $1,000. Of course the people interested in these projects have it in their power to see them practically carried out by subscribing the required amount of business.

PROMOTION EXERCISES.

The first annual promotion exercises of the public schools were held at the opera house last evening, and were listened to by a large and appreciative audience. This is a new departure, and consists of a rhetorical and musical program given by the classes in the primary and grammar grades and the presentation of promotion certificates. The interest attending the exercises last evening indicate that they will become a permanent feature of commencement week. Below is the program as given.

Music—Instrumental solo, — May Clark.
Prayer—Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.
Music—Chorus, Fifth Grade.
Speech of Welcome—Clarence Conklin.
The Old Birchen Switch that hung on the wall—Frank Swick.
The Little School Mistress—Florence Burlingame.
Music—Only a Violet—May Woodward.
Boy's Creed—Lonnie Jones.
The Philosopher—Charlie Burridge.
The Little Red Hen—Maggie Glasgow.
Music—Under the Linden Tree—Caddie Cotton. Minnie Cupples.
And then What?—Gracie Heesen.
Mark Antony's Original Oration—Geo. Schreder.
The Bald-headed Man—Roby Hosmer.
Story of the King—Bertha Ryan.
Music—The Silvery Bells—Lulu Jones.
The Earth, the Moon and the Comet—Willie Hicks.
The Truant—Gracie Jordan.
Pleasures of Farm Life—Alice Rice.
I Didn't Think—Jennie Sherrard, Jessie Millis, Bertie Marks and Eddie McClure.
Music—Duet, Come o'er the Moonlit Sea—Etta Coddington, Jennie Heck, Gracie Heck, Etta Thorp.
Grade Exercises and Presentation of Promotion Certificates.
Music—Solo, Aggie Woodward.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 28, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The wool market opens very slowly.

The click clack of the screen door is again heard.

Prepare to attend the Tecumseh races next week.

The new warehouse of Slayton & Son is nearly completed.

Many of our farmers have commenced cutting their hay.

Arrangements are making for a big time at the races here next week.

Tecumseh village never presented a more beautiful appearance than now.

Tecumseh will celebrate the Fourth by attending the Mich. Southern Circuit races.

We have a new time card of the Toledo and Ann Arbor R'y in the HERALD this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DePuy, of Reading, Mich., are visiting friends here for a few days.

The windows of dealers now display quantities of fireworks, in anticipation of the glorious Fourth.

Don P. Cushman has rented the St. James hotel at Coldwater and will take possession this week.

A. Taylor, of Hudson, has just received a lot of cherries and apricots all the way from California.

Mrs. Margaret Powell, of Seneca, died last week at the advanced age of 103 years, 8 months and 17 days.

R. H. Armstrong, of Hudson, has received a patent on a new halter made from a single piece of leather.

Dr. L. H. Goodrich, of Coldwater, spent last Sunday in Tecumseh visiting his sister, Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

The L. S. & M. S. railroad will sell half-fare tickets between all stations on July 3d and 4th, good to return on the 5th.

It is said that wild mint scattered about a house or barn will drive away rats and mice. This remedy is certainly worth trying.

Hon. E. Willits takes charge of the State Normal School at Ypsilanti, July 1. He will also deliver the oration at Saginaw, July 4.

The weather prophet business is about played, everybody in that line of business having been disgusted with the weather this spring.

Clubs will be trumps with the small boy in about two months as he sneaks into the back part of the farmer's orchard to get some early apples.

Deerfield is the only town in this section that will celebrate the Fourth. Tecumseh will celebrate by holding the races on the 4th, 5th and 6th.

It is said that the Michigan Central is about to issue a circular advising the traveling public to always leave cars by the front door and to enter from the rear.

The Presbyterian church was crowded last Sunday evening to listen to Rev. Mr. Babbitt's address to the graduating class. The discourse was a very fine effort.

The Kalamazoo Light Guards, while out practicing target shooting for the state encampment, shot a farm laborer named Hope through the head, killing him instantly.

The rush for good furniture at Wm. McCowen's establishment still continues and every day additions are made to his already large stock. Remember, low prices and good goods is his motto.

The man who predicted a dry spring because of a hard winter may be seen almost any day wading through the country in rubber boots and an oilcloth suit, muttering threats against the weather bureau.

When a person slaps himself severely on the side of his face, it is not because he is demented and has conceived a notion that he is somebody else that he wishes to punish, but because the festive mosquito has been seeking a supper in that vicinity.

Mrs. Spalding and her assistants have been very busy the past week at her green house in arranging flowers, in different shapes, for the school exercises. Her collection of flowers are large and all in want of any should give her their patronage.

David Jones has opened repairing and renovating rooms in the store just west of Anderson's dry goods store, where he will clean, mend and repair old clothes. An establishment of this kind has long been needed in Tecumseh and we believe it will be well patronized.

These are certainly prosperous times for farmers. Throughout the neigboring country, in all directions, workmen are engaged in building new farm houses, barns, graneries, fences, etc., and a general air of improvement is visible everywhere. Let the good work go on.

The season has come again when the small boy needs reminding that the penalty for killing or robbing the nests of any of our song birds, is five dollars fine or ten days in the county jail. It is well to say also that this class of birds includes all our common sort except blackbirds, bluejays and a few others.

Music Folios and latest sheet music at Sparks'.

Where are you going to celebrate next Wednesday.

The adventists are holding a camp-meeting at Flint.

Forty inmates of the reform school have broken out—with the measles.

The corporation pound is completed and ready for any animals that may be found running at large.

Mrs. M. L. Root, of Fargo, Dakota, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Root and will remain several weeks.

Messrs. Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. support a new sign. It is one of the finest in town, and was written by John Trann.

E. G. Cook returned yesterday from the east. He has been to the sea shore and down in Vermont, and says he had a good time.

Mrs. Seth Bullock and family, of Deadwood, Dakota, arrived in town last Saturday, and will remain here during the summer.

New plate glass fronts in the Novelty store and Marks & Russell's drug store, which makes thirty plate glass fronts in Tecumseh.

Lansing and Manchester are now added to the state telephone system, and messages to these places will receive prompt attention.

David T. Phelps returned to his home in this village from Marquette yesterday. He looks as if the air of the upper peninsular agreed with him

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold a Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival on Wednesday evening, July 4th, in the basement rooms of the church. All are invited.

Wolcott, Temple & Co., were added to the list of telephone subscribers yesterday. The instrument was put in their new office and their furniture, etc., will be moved there to-day.

Gus. Smith, who has been for the last few years in business in California, is visiting friends in this his old home this week. Gus has been doing well in his western home and we are glad to see him.

Yesterday was the fourth birthday of Miss Lina Boyd, and twenty-four of her little friends met at the residence of her grandfather, Jerome Cleveland, and celebrated the event in a happy manner.

The little song at the end of the program last evening, by Miss Aggie Woodward was very neatly rendered. The flute and piano accompaniment by Harry and Jennie Root added much, and we cannot but say that the little girl did splendidly.

Cards are out this morning for the marriage of Dr. E. M. Conklin, of Tecumseh, and Miss Kate Burton, of Clinton. We shall be glad to congratulate the happy couple, but still cannot help but think that "One by one the leaves are falling," and soon we shall be alone.

Assistant Engineer Baird and his surveyors have received orders from Toledo to survey a line from Brittons direct to Toledo through Deerfield.—They will commence work to-morrow morning and push it as rapidly as possible. This action indicates that the M. & O. officials have decided to give Dundee the go by, save three miles and control a line of their own to Toledo.

Many amusing scenes occured yesterday and day before, as the four hundred children were marshalled to and from the opera house to rehearsel for their parts last evening. It was the last day of school and Young America was let loose. As they went by our office we watched the face of each and everyone and not one expression save that of happiness and anticipation could be seen. Four hundred happy faces, four hundred light hearts and four hundred boys and girls who gave not a thought for to-morrow. Vacation and plenty of time to go fishing was at hand for the small boy, and each little girl had a new white or pink dress to wear at the opera house in the evening. Once in a while during the march from the east branch up town a little episode would occur caused by a dog fight, a stray paper wad or a little misunderstanding between some of the boys to destroy for a minute the line of march, but one of the "kid" captains would come at once to the rescue and the double file again be promptly formed. Yesterday was a great day for the children, and all we can wish is that they may always be as happy.

ALUMNI REUNION.

The reunion of the High School Alumni will take place to-morrow evening. The arrangements therefor are somewhat different than heretofore. A social will be held early in the evening at the Presbyterian church parlors to be followed by a supper given by the ladies of the church. After refreshments the history and essay will be presented and voluntary toasts given with responses. It is thought that this arrangement will be preferable to the usual one of having the literary exercises at one place and the supper at another. It is hoped that the members of the alumni will be generally present, for they will certainly enjoy a good time.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

THE GRADUATING EXERCISES HELD ON FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1883.

A Class of Twelve Receive Their Diplomas—A Large Crowd in Attendance, and a Fine Programme Presented.

The annual commencement exercises of the Raisin Valley Seminary were held last Friday. The weather could not have been more auspicious. A cloudless sky and a temperature of a mild June type drew out an unusually large attendance, and when the hour arrived to open the exercises the main hall of the seminary was filled to overflowing. The room had been elaborately decorated with festoons of evergreens arranged about the walls and suspended from the ceiling. The class motto, "He conquers who undares," appeared in evergreen letters upon the east wall, and the faithful old time observer, the sitting window was imbedded in evergreen and bouquets. The graduating class numbered twelve, all of whom reside in Lenawee county, and we venture to say that the Valley school never graduated a better class, and the old hall never contained a larger or more appreciative audience than on Friday last. The school is now in a very flourishing condition under the efficient superintendency of Prof. White and his able assistants, as the graduating exercises plainly showed. The music provided for the occasion was in keeping with the remainder of the program. Mrs. Winship presided at the organ and the vocal quartette was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Johnson, Mr. Bennett and Miss Mason, of Adrian. The duets were by Mrs. Johnson and Miss Mason. The floral offerings to the graduates were rich in profusion and sweetness, each young lady and gentleman being the recipient of more bouquets than they could well take care of.

At the appointed hour the company was called to order by Prof. White and the exercises were presented as follows:

Music—Quartette.
Devotional Exercises.
Music—Quartette.
The True Aim of Life—Fred. G. Briggs, Adrian.
Sometime—Satie S. Comfort, Tecumseh.
Extremes—Sarah L. Hunt, Ridgeway.
Change—Sylvia A. Maxwell, Springville.
Music—Duet.
Tricks in Trade—Arthur C. Green, Adrian.
Aladdin's Lamp—Ida A. Russell, Tecumseh.
To-morrow—Maud A. Simonds, Tecumseh.
An Ancient Shield—Libbie C. Stanley, Adrian.
Music—Trio.
The Panama Canal—Nathan E. Harkness, Adrian.
Thro' the Mist—Minnie L. Westgate, Raisin Center.
Driftwood—Eva A. Wilson, Tecumseh.
Harmony—Mary A. Cornelius, Adrian.
Presenting Diplomas.
Class Song.
Address—Marianna Brown.
Music—Quartette.

We noticed that many improvements had been made on the Seminary grounds during the past year. The old road fence has been removed and there is nothing now to mar the beauty of the lawn in front of the buildings which nature has made so beautiful. The buildings themselves have been renovated and repaired considerably, so that the school in external appearance corresponds with its internal management. The formative and experimental period of the Seminary has been passed successfully, and its future is now fully assured. The school is fully equipped for a good year's work during the coming twelve months, with the following corps of teachers:

Principal—William W. White, B. S.
Assist. Principal—Maggie A. Newsom, A. B.
Associate Teachers—J. H. Douglas, Jr., B. S., Celia B. Jones.
Superintendent—Thomas L. Eddy.
Matron—Elizabeth H. Eddy.

"How is your back?" "All O. K., why?" "Well, if your back is all right, couldn't I borrow your liver pad for a few days?" The above conversation occurred in this office one day last week and we wish to express ourselves on the subject in plain words at once. Let all men understand that this is going a little too far. We will lend almost anything we are lucky enough to have in our possession. A man could borrow our tooth-brush, our pocket-knife or our pocket-book if it would do him any good. We would gladly accommodate anyone for a few days with our bible, dictionary or paste pot; our best pants, last summer's hat, or circus ticket are all at the disposal of our friends, and welcome; but when a man deliberately and in cold blood steps into our office and wants to loan our last and only liver pad, an article that cannot be turned on advertising account or traded for waste papers, but has to be obtained with solid, cold, hard-earned cash, we kick, and in a loud voice say, "No, my friend, we will gladly see you on the south side of Adrian before we will pull the bow out of your legs with our liver pad."

When bitten by mosquitoes on the hands and arms rub on a moist cake of soap, and let the lather dry: it is said to be a very effectual remedy.—Simple, and liable to make you clean.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Morenci sold 250 tickets for the Jumbo show.

The Deerfield Record man has had a mess of new green peas.

It is estimated that 20,000 people saw Jumbo at Adrian last week.

The good people of Dundee are going a fishing on the 4th of July.

There is talk of organizing a High School Alumni Society at Clinton.

The Southern Michigan Circuit races are held in Adrian this week.

About 8,000 lbs. of wool have been purchased at Hudson at from 27 to 30c.

The Morenci chair factory closed to allow its workmen to attend the races.

Prof. Edgecumbe, of Deerfield, will teach at Benton Harbor the coming year.

The Blissfield M. E. church has been handsomely papered and carpeted.

The Blissfield salvation army is using rooms formerly occupied by the Advance.

The Morenci Observer man is receiving his strawberry donations very thankfully.

The Deerfield tray factory is way behind on its orders and is running to its full capacity.

Crows are bothering the farmers in the southern part of the county by pulling up their corn.

The two sons of Croel Eddy, living at Vincent, Iowa, have been visiting at the old home in Franklin township.

The addition and repairs having been completed to the Baptist church Clinton the building was rededicated last Sunday evening.

Blissfield Advance: Water pumped from the well at Fred Cannon's is strongly impregnated with petroleum and when allowed to stand for a time will gather at the top. A match applied will instantly ignite the stuff.

Clinton News: The first occasion we had to use our new tape measure was on one of J. J. White's strawberries, a Windsor Chief, which measured 4½ inches in circumference. Who is the next man with a big strawberry?

Morenci Observer: Charles Perry, Esq., one of the old, solid and reliable men of Medina township, was struck down with paralysis last Saturday, and has been in a helpless and speechless condition ever since. His life's work is probably finished.

The Clinton school board have engaged the following teachers for next year: Principal, Prof. A. G. Smith; assistant in High School, Miss Ida Fullerton; Intermediate department, Miss Laura Haggart; Second Primary, Miss Mary Sinclair; First Primary, Miss Ida McConnell.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Dundee Reporter: Agent Scoville, of the T. & M. railroad is engaged obtaining deeds for right of way from land owners through this township for the new railroad as per contracts recently made. He pays the cash to each party as soon as deed is delivered. He has already paid out several thousand dollars. A new feature in railroad building in this state—settling all claims for right of way before occupying the land.

Battle Creek Republican, 22d: The laying of iron on the T. & M. road was resumed this morning. For the past few days the men have been putting in side tracks at different points and repairing a washout of 60 feet at Spring Brook, Kalamazoo Co. They started laying iron eastward from the paper mill east of the city this morning.

Marshall Statesman, 22d: Ironing on the T. & M was recommenced on Wednesday morning on the arrival of 32 carloads of iron. It is going on rapidly and at last accounts were nearly to Beadle lake, three and one-half miles this side of Battle Creek.

The Toledo Telegram of last Tuesday, says:

The Seney syndicate are moving for an entrance into the city for the Toledo & Milwaukee. The talk now is to build an independent line from Toledo to Allegan, a distance of 130 miles, but of course if any one should step to the front with an offer to bring the cars of the T. & M. into the city at a good deal less than it would cost to build the independent branch from the city to the line some 15 or 20 miles out of Toledo, there is no telling what might happen. Gene Calvin Bruce, Col. Neal, and Chief Engineer Latcha of the Toledo & Milwaukee were in the city last night, in conference with a number of railway officials, or rather, perhaps to see what offers would be made them to come into the city over this or that route, as the case might be. Mr. Latcha stated to a reporter of the Telegram & Commercial last night that the syndicate had ordered two independent surveys made from the present terminus of the line, into the city and unless a pretty tolerable fat thing of it is offered by parties anxious to have the Toledo & Milwaukee come into the city over other routes, one of these two lines now being surveyed will be used. The calculation is to have the road opened up and in full blast by the first of September next. A mile or more of track is being laid daily, 50 miles or more being completed already. The Toledo & Milwaukee is a very important line, tapping as it does a large tract of country not traversed by any other road.

Minor Davidson is building the foundation for a new addition to his barns on the homestead farm. It will connect the north and south barns and be 92 feet in length, running north and south on the west line of the yard. Isaac Hendershot does the carpenter work, and the frame will be ready to raise in a few days.

The wet weather continues and has a very unfavorable effect upon corn. Some of the early planters have been obliged to plant the third time, and yet there are many places in their fields that lack corn, while some of those who were less impatient have very little missing after but a single planting. Wheat is well headed, and if it escapes the rust the yield will be good for the quantity of straw. The oat fields are looking well as also does hay, but both crops could get along nicely with less rain.

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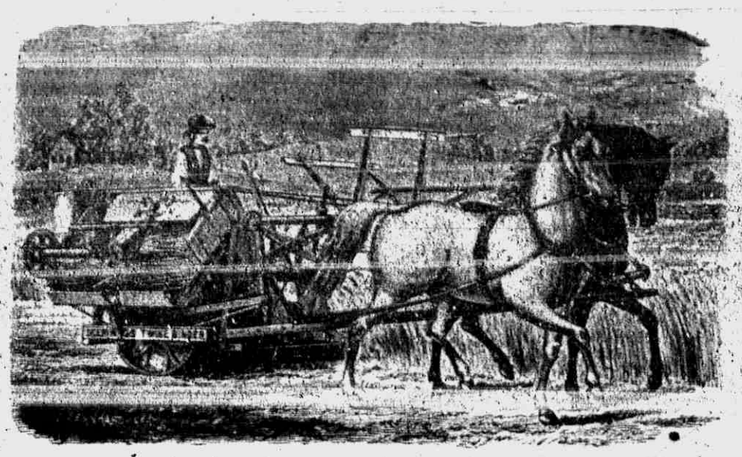

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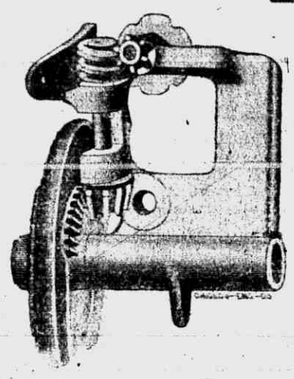

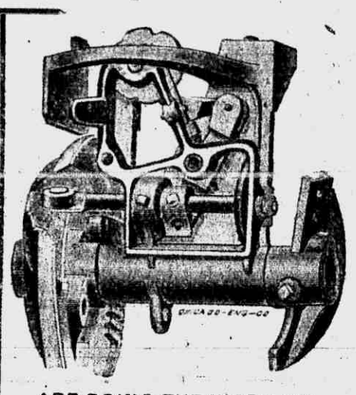

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Mr. Weedles and His Girl.

The dress circle was adorned by a dyspeptic-looking girl, with big feet, who had a brown wart on her face and a certain look about her which plainly told that she was fresh from a boarding-school. Beside her sat a long, gawky young man, who was from the country, and evidently smitten with the charms of the young lady by his side, upon whom he would ever and anon bestow the most tender glances. During an intermission in the play he turned to her, and, in a voice as tender as a sirloin steak, said:

"Don't yer think it's awful warm in this 'ere theater, Miss Mary?"

She let fall on him a languid, pitying glance, and then replied:

"Oh, yes, there exists a certain degree of coarseness which is deleterious to the comfort of one's physical being, but, my dear Mr. Weedles, you do no doubt perfectly aware of the fact that chemistry teaches us that the exhalation of so many individuals carbonizes the entire atmosphere, vitiating it to a degree which renders it poisonous to the respiratory organs, as well as to the corpuscles in the blood, producing nausea, and in some cases syncope. You is caused by the lack of oxygen."

"Yes, I know 'em, that is, I've read of 'em, but hain't never seen any yet, as I know on; but when Bill Wilkins, at their protracted meetings down on Goose Creek, said that the heart was a part of the stomach, I told him it was the derndest lie he ever spoke."

"O, dear! how absurd it was in him to make such a statement. Why, don't you know that the palpitation of the viscus generates a subtle electrical force which is the most mysterious, wonderful and startling power that propels the anatomy of the genus homo?"

"I—I have—yes, I've heern tell of it afore, but I don't stick myself up as knowing every thing. I ain't that kind of a man. The folks used to say—and was powerful proud of it—that I warn't no sloucher on grammar; but won't you have some peanuts, Miss Mary?" and he wiped the cold perspiration from his brow, and trembled with nervousness.

"None, thank you, Mr. Weedles; peanuts have a strange effect on my gastronomical organs."

"I didn't mean to hurt your feelings, Miss Mary, because you recollect before you went off to school that I used to bring you peanuts, and we used to sit astraddle the garden fence and eat them. Don't you remember how your old mother used to say that new peanuts were awful colicky? Them were happy days, Miss Mary," and the humble lover sighed as low as a note on a bass-fiddle.

"Oh, Mr. Weedles," she said, blushingly, "I want to ask you something. Did you not say on one occasion that I was possessed of a moiety of the divine afflatus, and that you thought I was a being entirely too seraphic and ethereal to exist in this mundane sphere?"

"Miss Mary," said the lover, and his pulsed and breast heaved, "its a mean, unchaind lie. I never said a word agin you as my life, and I'll just be eternally goldurned if I can't just naturally walk the hide of any man who tries to scandalize me behind my back. I always said Miss Mary Jones was the sweetest girl in the country, and—"

But the curtain went up, and the rest of the conversation was lost in the crash of the orchestra.

The Genius of Hawthorne.

The writings of Hawthorne are marked by subtle imagination, curious power of analysis, and exquisite purity of diction. He studied exceptional developments of character, and was fond of exploring secret crypts of emotion. His shorter stories are remarkable for originality and suggestiveness, and his larger ones are as absolute creations as "Hamlet" or "Undine." Lacking the accomplishment of verse, he was in the highest sense a poet. His work is pervaded by a manly personality and by an almost feminine delicacy and gentleness. He inherited the gravity of his Puritan ancestors without their superstition, and learned in his meditations a knowledge of the night side of life which would have filled them with suspicion. A profound anatomist of the heart, he was singularly free from morbidness, and, in his darkest speculations concerning evil, was robustly right-minded. He worshipped conscience with his intellectual as well as his moral nature; it is supreme in all he wrote. Besides these mental traits he possessed the literary quality of style—a grace, a charm, a perfection of language which no other American writer ever possessed in the same degree, and which places him among the great masters of English prose. —*R. H. Stoddard.*

Boats, Bicycles and Hay Fever.

Nature has resolved that all the people shall not enjoy themselves at once. With the opening of the season of outdoor sports comes the time of trouble for the poor victims of hay fever. For them flowers have no odor, and the summer little or no beauty. To snuff, sneeze and wipe their weeping eyes for three or four successive months:—this is their pitable portion. Whether this form of catarrh is called hay-fever, hay-cold, rose cold or rose fever, makes no difference; they suffer just the same. There is no help in sea-voyages, there is no help in high mountain air. Those only lighten the pocket and leave the disease unabated. But there is a positive cure in Ely's Cream Balm. We could cram these columns with grateful letters of the rescued. Try it and join them. If you continue to suffer it is because you neglect a remedy as sure as it is cheap and pleasant.

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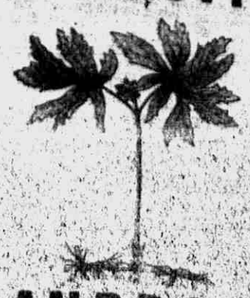

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Apply by the finger into the nostrils. It will be absorbed, effectually cleansing the nasal passages of catarrhal virus, creating healthy secretions. It allays inflammation, protects the membranal linings of the head from additional colds, completely heals the sores and restores the sense of taste and smell. Beneficial results are realized by a few applications.

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All Sores, Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Burns, Sore Throat, Lameness, Rheumatism, Piles, Inflammation of Lungs and Bowels, Bronchitis, Croup, Salt Rheum, Chilblains, Affection of the Spine, Erysipelas, Nervous Irritation, and all disorders attendant with Inflammation.

It never fails to restore the natural functions of the skin and equalize the circulation of the blood. By this means a controlling power is gained over the most malignant forms of disease. It penetrates to every portion of the human frame; every bone, muscle, vein, nerve and ligament is searched out and made sensible to its soothing and healing influence. Hence it copes readily with internal as well as external diseases.

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This Ointment has been used by the people throughout the United States, and our confidence in its qualities is such that as we have no space here to insert any of the numerous certificates of cures which we have from all parts of the country, we simply ask those readers of this notice who have ever used this Ointment, to frankly state their experience with it to inquiring friends. If but one in a hundred would do this we should be perfectly satisfied with the result. Full directions for use will be found on pamphlet around each bottle.

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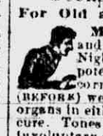

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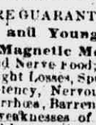

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	10 10 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	12 20 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 25 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P.M.	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
Napoleon	1 05 "	10 55 "	9 25 "
Jackson	1 30 "	11 20 "	10 30 "

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DENTIST. 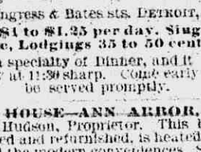 DENTIST.

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SONGS NEVER SUNG.

"How does that verse run? Something like this isn't it?

There are who touch the magic string,
And noisy fame is proud to win them;
Alas! for those who never sing,
But die with all their music in them."

"Yes, that's beautiful, pathetic and true," said our representative. The poet alludes to people who are somehow suppressed and never get their full allowance of joy and air. Which reminds me of a letter shown me the other day by Hiscox & Co., of New York, signed by Mr. E. C. Williams, of Chapman, Snyder Co., Pa., a prominent business man of that place. He writes:

"I have suffered with asthma for over forty years, and had a terrible attack in December and January, 1882. I hardly know what prompted me to take PARKER'S TONIC. I did so and the first day I took four doses. The effect astonished me. That night I slept as if nothing was the matter with me, and have ever since. I have had colds since, but no asthma. My breathing is now as perfect as if I had never known that disease. If you know of anyone that has asthma, tell him in my name that PARKER'S TONIC will cure it—even after forty years." There was a man who escaped the fate of those whom the poet laments.

This preparation, which has heretofore been known as PARKER'S GINGER TONIC, will hereafter be advertised and sold under the name of PARKER'S TONIC. Inasmuch as ginger is really an unimportant ingredient, and unprincipled dealers are constantly deceiving their customers by substituting inferior preparations under the name of ginger, we drop the misleading word.

There is no change, however, in the preparation itself, and all bottles remaining in the hands of dealers, wrapped under the name of PARKER'S GINGER TONIC contain the genuine medicine if the fac simile signature of HISCOX & Co is at the bottom of the outside wrapper.

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For many years I was induced to try AYER'S PILLS, as a remedy for **Indigestion, Constipation, and Headache**, from which I had long been a great sufferer. Commencing with a dose of five Pills, I found their action (as usual) produced prompt relief. In combination with other medicines, a single Pill taken after dinner, has been all the medicine I have required. AYER'S PILLS have kept me regular and my head clear, and I believe do more than all the medicines ever before tried. Every person similarly affected should know their value. 152 State St., Chicago, June 6, 1882.

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Repairing Neatly Done.

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Laws for Animals.

QUEER THINGS THAT WERE DONE IN ANCIENT TIMES.

At an early period in history animals became the subject of legal cognizance, and in various countries were both protected and punished in like form of law as human beings. Thus, the Levitical law contained elegant provisions for the protection of animals. The ass lying under the burden was to be helped, (Exod. xxiii., 5; Deut., xxii., 4.) Rest on the Sabbath was enjoined for cattle as well as man; and no work on that day was to be done by either, (Exod., xxiii., 12; Deut., v., 14.) The bird was not to be taken with its young (Deut., xxii., 6 and 7.) animals of unequal strength were not to be made to work together (Ibid. 10.) and the ox, when working, was not to be deprived of its proper food. (Deut., xxv., 4.) By the ancient law of Egypt, to kill a beast, willfully, was punished with death; accidentally it was liable. In India, where belief in metempsychosis prevails, the like consideration has been shown [illegible] Animals were prosecuted in courts of justice [illegible] teenth and seventeenth centuries for injuries by them to human beings or private property, and were subjected in due form of law to trial, judgment, and sentenced—the latter often that of death in a cruel manner. This singular practice arose partly from a desire to apply the *lex talionis* in judicial form to the offending animal, and partly from superstition. Where the animal was capable of physical seizure, it was formally arrested and brought before the court and then imprisoned in the ordinary prison of the place. The public prosecutor prepared a formal accusation. Witnesses were then examined and their depositions taken as to the truth of the charge. The judge thereupon rendered judgment and passed sentence of death, which was executed in public with great formality, the animal being dressed in the clothes of a man. The modes of death were by burning, hanging by the legs, mutilation or maiming, and varied according to the offense committed. Cases of the kind were frequent in France between A. D. 1296 and A. D. 1572. Hogs to the number of seventeen, as appears by the court records, were hung, drawn and quartered for mutilating and devouring infants in their cradles. Bulls were in like manner tried and condemned for goring human beings. In 1499 one was hung until dead "for having furiously killed a young lad of fifteen years." Horses also, in 1389, were condemned to death for having killed men. A case of this kind occurred at Dijon in that year. In Sardinia, in 1395, wild or domestic cattle taken damage feasant could be lawfully killen. Asses were treated with less severity. For the first offense of trespassing on a strange field one ear was cut off; for the second offense the other ear; for the third offense the animal was confiscated to the crown.—*Albany Law Journal.*

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

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There ought to be a thorough course of instruction in our public schools, in the art of shutting doors. The first lesson would inculcate the elemental and simple duty itself. Boys and girls should be kept passing a doorway, each one opening and closing the door for themselves, until not a mother's son or daughter of them could leave a door ajar. Then the finer features of the accomplishment might be introduced. There are people who always slam a door; there are others who hold it open, and close it so slowly that a whole procession of diseases, including colds in the head, catarrh, sore throat, diphtheria, inflammation of the lungs, and the epizootic can march through.

U. S. District Attorney Speaks.

Col. H. Walters, U. S. District Attorney, Kansas City, Mo., authorises the following statement: "Samaritan Nervine cured my niece of spasms." Get at druggists. $1.50.

Fifty-nine national banks were organized in 1880, eleven passed into voluntary liquidation, and three failed.

Is Your Blood Pure?

Now this is an important question, for without pure and wholesome blood there can be no perfect health, and without good health life is a mere burden and a waste. For impure blood the best medicine known is Scoville's Sasparilla or Blood and Liver Syrup may be implicitly relied on when everything else fails. Take it in the spring time especially, for the impure secretions of the blood incident to that season of the year; and take it at all times for Cancer, Scrofula; Liver Complaints, Weakness, Boils, Tumors, Swellings, Skin Diseases, Malaria and the thousand ills that come from impure blood.

Talking about the Liver, we presume that ill temper is more often caused by a disordered liver than anything else. To insure a cheerful disposition take Scovill's Blood and Liver Syrup which will remove the prime cause and restore the mind to its natural equilibrium.

No family can afford to be without the following remedies in the house to use in case of emergencies, before a physician can be called—oftentimes saving calling one, and also saving the lives of the little ones: A bottle of Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup, which cures coughs, colds, croup, &c.; a bottle of Home Relief for sudden attacks of colic, cramps, cuts, bruises, sprains, etc.; a box of A. H. Davis' Family Pills, for constipation, torpid liver, kidney difficulties, headache, bones ache and fever symptoms. 25c sizes will cost only 75 cents for the outfit.

DeWitt Clinton once resigned the U. S. Senatorship to be mayor of New York.

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When you visit or leave New York City, save Baggage, Expressage and Carriage hire, and stop at the **Grand Union Hotel** opposite Grand Central Depot.

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He Gave up his Crutches in Three Weeks.

Butler, N. Y., March 22, 1882.

Rheumatic Syrup Co.:—I wish to say to the public, I have had the rheumatism for fifteen years; some of the time had to use crutches to get around and the past winter could not get out of doors for weeks at a time. Have used all remedies I could hear of and doctored with different physicians to no purpose, and could get no relief until I commenced taking your Syrup. I had taken but two bottles before I could see a change. Continuing its use a few weeks find myself walking without crutch or cane. Any one troubled with rheumatism should take Rheumatic Syrup and be cured, for it is a positive cure. J. R. C. Atwell.

South Butler, March 19, 1882.

Rheumatic Syrup Co.:—Gentlemen: This is to certify that I have had rheumatism for several years, [illegible] so lame I could not raise my hand to my head, nor get my coat on without help. I commenced taking your Syrup and began to help me. I have taken two bottles and am as well as ever. I think it has no equal as a rheumatic cure. Israel J. Cooper.

Buckwheat may be made profitable upon a piece of rough or newly cleared ground. No other crop is effective in mellowing rough, cloddy land. The seed in northern localities should be sown before July 12; otherwise early fall frosts may catch the crops. Grass and clover may sometimes be sown successfully with buckwheat.

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Is the best Salve for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions, Freckles and Pimples. Get Henry's Carbolic Salve, as all others are counterfeits. Price 25 cents.

Soothing and Healing.

We might with truth add certainly curing in every case. No remedy known equals Coe's Cough Balsam for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Consumption. It is an old and tried friend and always proves true.

A doctor tries Coe's Dyspepsia Cure.

It is so seldom that physicians will admit being benefited by proprietary medicines that it affords us peculiar pleasure to publish the following:

E. Detchon, M. D., Pleasant Hill, Ind., writes: I have used five bottles of Coe's Dyspepsia Cure, and find it of great value. I have had dyspepsia for 22 years, and have found no one remedy so effectual in giving relief as Coe's Dyspepsia Cure. I have, as a physician, used it in my practice and have been satisfied with its effects.

NEURALGIA.—A very simple remedy for neuralgia is to boil a small handful of lobelia in a half-pint of water until the strength is out of the herb, then strain it off and add a teaspoonful of fine salt. Wring cloths out of the liquid as hot as possible, and spread over the affected parts. Change the cloths as soon as cold, till the pain is all gone. This treatment usually acts like a charm.

A Life Saving Present.

Mr. M. E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kan.: Saved his life by a simple Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, which caused him to procure a large bottle, that completely cured him, when Doctors, change of climate and everything else had failed. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, it is guaranteed to cure. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

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The cultured way to speak of a ballet dancer's dress is to say that the skirts are very decolette at the bottom.

A well-known preacher makes the recommendation of Ayer's Pills a matter of religious duty. When people are billious and dyspeptic what they need is the Gospel of Health. In such cases, the best creed to swallow consists of the thirty sugar-coated articles in a pill box.

There ain't but jest one thing I can stick a hankerchief into the best pokkit of their overcote without letting a little ov it hang out jest as by aksident.—J. Billings.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles; Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

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Shakespeare foresaw that oleomargarine would some day be used as a term of reproach, when he wrote: "O, thou mechanical salt butter man!"—*Puck.*

It is no Joke

To suffer constant headache, depression of spirits, longing for food and not being able to eat when put before you, gnawing pains in the stomach, lassitude and a general feeling of goneness; but a capital joke to find that Burdock Blood Bitters remove all these symptoms and only costs $1.00.

Mere bashfulness, without merit, is awkward; and merit without modesty is insolence. But modest merit has a double claim to acceptance, and generally meets with as many patrons as beholders.—Addison.

Liquid Gold.

Dan'l Plank, of Brooklyn, Tioga Co., Pa., describes it thus: "I rode thirty miles for a bottle of Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which effected the wonderful cure of a crooked limb in six applications; it proved worth more than gold to me."

A zealous minister in Cincinnati preached a missionary sermon a year ago, and placed at the doors of the church sealed contribution boxes for foreign and domestic work. During the first week of the following year the boxes were opened. The offerings amounted to a single penny!

Economy.

A fortune may be spent in using ineffectual medicines, when by applying Thomas' Eclectric Oil a speedy and economical cure can be effected. In cases of rheumatism, lame back, bodily ailments, or pains of every description, it affords instant relief.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Leroy Mead, late of Macon, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of June, A.D. 1883, and on the 3d day of November, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each day, and that six months from the 3d day of May, A.D. 1883, are allowed by the said Judge for the creditors of said estate to present and claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 5, 1883.

CHARLES BURRIDGE
GEORGE HOWELL,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Arner Minors, late of Deerfield, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Granville Mills, in said Deerfield, on the 4th day and 6th day of May, A.D. 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each day, and that six months from the 3d day of May, A.D. 1883, have been allowed by the said Court for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 19, 1883.

GRANVILLE MILLS,
EDWIN CAMPBELL,
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shattuck, deceased.

By virtue of a license granted to me in said estate by the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, on the 14th day of May, A.D. 1883, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, that being the late residence of said deceased in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of July, A.D. 1883, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all that parcel of land situate in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) of town five, (5) South, of range four, (4) East, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the Village of Tecumseh in said county at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road leading East and Westerly through said section twenty-seven, and opposite the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 1° and 6' west along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section, about fifteen chains, twenty-two links to land sold by Roberts Thompson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day, as is supposed, thence East on south line of said Day's said land eleven chains and 19 links, thence South 1° and 6' East fifteen chains and nineteen (19) links, parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running Easterly and Westerly through said section; thence Westerly along the center of said last named road eleven chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half acres, sold by R. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler, also excepting a lot numbered on the recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as lot 261, sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton, also a further parcel of land sold and conveyed by Samuel Colburtson to said Saddler, adjoining said Saddler's said lot on its North side, also excepting therefrom that part thereof conveyed by William Trachout to Elizabeth Jordan by deed, bearing date November 8, 1867, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County in Liber 87, of deeds, pages 282, subject to the lien of a mortgage made by said deceased of William Richard, bearing date February 17th, 1881, for $110.00 and interest thereon from the 15th day of February, 1882, and subject also to dower and homestead rights of Della Shattuck, widow of said deceased therein.

Terms of sale published at or before the sale.

Dated May 14th 1883.

JOSEPH LANNING,
Administrator.

ESTATE OF ARNER MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 1st day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinzie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner and Ambrose C. Arner minors.

On reading and filing the petition of Jane De Witt Arner, guardian of said minors, praying for licence to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reason therein set forth.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jun14

ESTATE OF IRA STEWART.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ira Stewart, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles D. Stewart and Hannah I. Stewart, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they have paid the debts and funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred and praying for the allowance of their first account, now on file in this court and for such other order in the premises as may be necessary in accordance with the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 9th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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WOOL PROSPECTS.

Michigan Farmer: The wool markets are generally quoted "about as last reported," and there is no increase in activity in the trade. It is a fact, however, that, while buyers at the East are holding off, and the markets [illegible] ness, many manufacturers have their representatives in the west ready to take all the new clip they can get at present valuation. In fact they will pay about as high prices in this State as some dealers are quoting in Boston and New York. There is a strong effort on the part of dealers, who undoubtedly lost considerable money last year, to manipulate the market so as to recoup their losses this season, and of course with the commercial press and the daily papers taking their cue from them, it is easy to see [illegible] influences they can wield in filling [illegible] to suit their own interests. But if wool-growers will only keep a stiff upper lip, and show no disposition to sacrifice their clips, they will soon change the situation. Wools are now selling below their intrinsic value—below what they can be imported for—and any change in rates must be upwards, not downwards, as many would have us believe.

From the June crop report of the Secretary of State, we get the following estimates in regard to the wool clip. "The first footings of the sheep and wool columns in the township reports received from the supervisors of 972 townships show that there were 2,079,488 sheep sheared in 1882, yield 11,805,576 pounds of wool, and that the number of sheep in the same townships the present year is 2,193,907, which is five per cent more than in 1882. If there has been a corresponding increase in the remaining townships there will be 2,353,343 sheep sheared in this State the present year and the total clip will be about 12,943,800 pounds."

The marriageable young ladies of a certain Ohio town recently held a convention and among the resolutions passed is the following: "That we will marry no young man, if he is not the patron of his neighborhood newspaper, for it is not only a strong evidence of his want of intelligence, but that he will be too stingy to provide for a family, educate his children, or encourage institutions of learning in this community." Girls, stick to it.

A man who was arrested and locked up at East Saginaw for using abusive language, had $850 in bank certificates and $22 in cash on his person.

A Charlotte officer gathered in eight tramps in a single night.

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Tecumseh,

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Eaton, Miss Ada — Wright, Mr. Wm.
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Apples, dried, ₩ ℔		@	04
Butter ₩ ℔	10	@	12
Barley, ₩ bushel	60	@	75
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75	@	2 00
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@	1 50
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00	@	8 00
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	35	@	40
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	60	@	65
Clover seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	13
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ ℔	7	@	7½
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	6 75	@	7 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	11 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	13
Oats, ₩ bushel	27	@	30
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel		@	40
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	4 00	@	4 50
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JOE WILSON

Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated

JOHN KELLY----ROCHESTER

Boots and Shoes.

The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.

Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.

No. 2, MILLS' BLOCK,

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General Repair Shop!

F. P. Deuel, Proprietor.

Opposite Hayden's Warehouse.

TECUMSEH, MICH.

Is now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

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GLOBE MILLS!

WM. HAYDEN, PROPRIETOR.

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These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated

ROLLER PROCESS,

Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

BROWN.

The PHTOGRAPHER

Of Tecumseh.

Having decided to devote my whole time to my Tecumseh gallery in the future, I am better prepared than ever to take all sizes of Photographs, etc., in the best style of the art.

Special attention given to the taking of children's pictures.

Remember the New Ground Floor Gallery on South side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

WM. LEIGH,

—PROPRIETOR OF THE—

Tecumseh Bakery!

And Dealer in

Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c., and everything belonging to a first-class Bakery.

Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.

Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.

Lee's Block, - Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

This town celebrated with a torrent of rain.

John Houseman, Sr., and James Campbell are out from Clinton county.

Mrs. Charles Clark, of Elkhart, will spend some time with friends here.

Burt Palmer and wife, of Reading, celebrated the Fourth with relatives in this vicinity.

West Britton is what some of the Brittonites want to call us.

A party of young people took in Sand lake last Saturday and report a pleasant time.

The lawn I scream social which was to take place on the evening of the 4th at G. W. Jackson's was adjourned to the church on account of the heavy dew which fell early in the afternoon.

The corners have been much improved by pathmasters VanVleet and Pocklington, having been leveled off after laying large tile sewers to carry away the water. When North street is put in shape our streets will bear inspection.

The terminus of the M. & O. railroad is still unsettled. Tuesday a new line of survey was started from Britton to Toledo and the work of grading east of Britton was ordered stopped.

A CORRECTION.

CLINTON, JULY 3d, 1883.

In last week's issue of your paper I looked in vain among the items from your Clinton correspondent for some mention of an interesting meeting held at the Baptist Church the Sunday night previous. The occasion was the dedication of an addition which we had just built on to our meeting-house. This addition consists of three rooms and is so arranged that the largest of the three opens into the main audience room when need calls for an increase of seating capacity. At the invitation of the pastor, the Methodist and the Congregational churches united with us in the services of the evening. The Episcopal friends were invited, but as their minister subsequently informed me, they found upon investigation that their "law and testimony" forbid their coming.

Now while your correspondent is studiedly silent regarding this dedication and the work which occasioned it, he aims his pointless wit at the terminology of a notice which I put in the Clinton News, in which I took occasion to speak of a Rev. Milo Smith as formerly bishop of the Clinton Baptist church. The would-be quill-driver attempts to be facetious over the capital B in the word "Bishop," as it appears in the notice, and suggests that a small b might better have been employed. Now, I ask, how does it effect the fact in the case or enhance the brilliancy of your correspondent's wit, whether the word in question is capitalized or not? It still remains true, as any Baptist who is acquainted with the polity of his church will affirm, that in the new testament sense, the Baptists have a multitude of bishops; and it is also true that Rev. Milo Smith was once Bishop of the Clinton Baptist church.

Truly,

JOHN W. PAYNE.

A Wild Cat Recollection.

A handsome bank note of the denomination of $5 upon "The Farmers' Bank of Sandstone," has been added to the museum of the central school building, district No. 1. The bank from which this note emanated was of the "wildcat" class, and was located in the township of Sandstone, this county. The bill bears date January 8, 1838, and is made payable to "S. Cobb, or bearer on demand." L. D. Smith was president of the bank, and H. N. Baldwin, cashier. An old citizen informs us that not many months after the opening of the institution, the officers learned one afternoon that the State inspector would be on hand next day to see whether they had in their vaults the amount of coin required by law. Thereupon they hurried over to the residence of a farmer who had a lively team, and offered him $100 if he would go to Clinton, in Lenawee Co., and bring from there a certain amount of specie, in order that their reserve fund might show up properly. He went and got his pay in good wild cat cash. This little scheme was in vogue among all these mushroom banks, one or two kegs of specie answering the purpose of all.—Jackson Patriot, 24.

Charley Van Antwerp and Eddie McClure, pupils of the west branch school, were not absent or tardy during the school year. Lulu Garlinghouse, May Westcott, Myrtie Dixon, Ollie Hodges and Geo. McNeil were not absent or tardy during the spring term.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Deerfield only had nine births and three deaths during the year 1882.

Deerfield had a big crowd at her celebration yesterday.

The editor of the Deerfield Record has purchased a bicycle.

The Adrian K. T. band wants a city license, bonus of $1,000 a year.

The Gazette man pines for gas light to illuminate for Hudsonites.

The Insurance agents of Blissfield have organized a local board.

Geo. W. Moore, Medina's big farmer has purchased a hay loader.

Morenci's big temperance meeting last week Tuesday was a decided success.

The annual school meetings of Morenci and Adrian will be held on the 9th of July.

The "soap-man" was present at the Morenci races and gathered in the shekels at a lively rate.

John Long, of Deerfield, longed for a fast hoss, bought a white trotter, and now he feels happy.

The annual meeting of the Southern Mich. Med. Society will be held at Hudson on Tuesday, July 10th.

C. F. Field, of the Clinton News, spent last week gathering notes at Sand Lake for big fish stories.

Rev. Mr. Miller, of Clinton, attended the State Sunday School convention at Eaton Rapids last week.

The Salvation Army has invaded Hudson. What has Schermerhorn been doing now that he needs such a visitation?

Mr. W. A. Whitney has been compelled by ill health to retire from his position as clerk of the Lawrence Hotel at Adrian.

A Dundee man lost $300 last winter. A Deerfield clairvoyant recently told him where his money was and he went right there and found it.

The high water of last week in the raging Bean at Canandaigua washed out the bank of the mill-race, so the "sound of the grinding" will be low for several days. The damage is not serious.

Adrian Press: Wool does not rush in very fast. Buyers are very calmly waiting, and farmers are very quietly holding. We advise them to hold, believing that wool must equal in price that paid for it last year.

Morenci Observer: Uncle Sam Anderson, of Jasper, is supposed to be the best-preserved old gentleman of 83 summers in Lenawee county. A clear conscience, good digestion, and taking his Democracy straight, is supposed to be the cause of this happy result.

Morenci Observer: Parties who claim to be posted on the subject are of the opinion that the prospects for an apple crop are about the same as last year, and dealers are already making arrangements to manufacture barrels for the anticipated fall trade in that line.

Morenci Observer: The Adrian Herald ardently advocates the idea of electing women as members of our public school boards of trustees. We suggested this a year ago, we believe, in respect of our own schools, and in the meantime have seen no cogent reason why the ladies shouldn't thus be honored.

Hudson Gazette: Not a pioneer would dug out that umbrella somebody left in floral hall, at Morenci, last Saturday. The Observer is actually advertising for the owner! That speaks well for the morals of the early fathers. We fear a crowd of their degenerate sons would have got away too quick with the stray cambric and whalebone.

Clinton News: One of our prominent citizens while fishing at Sand Lake last week, lost his balance and dropped gracefully over the side of the boat into the lake, where it was about 5 feet deep. The gentleman went clear to the bottom and gladly accepted an invitation to vacate his moist surroundings and be helped into the boat. Though very damp, he was Welcome.

Hudson Gazette: The Michigan & Ohio R. R. runs along the north end of Devil's lake for nearly half a mile on a high piece of country that will give the traveller an excellent view of the lake and beautiful groves that abound in large numbers on this side. The track crosses the highway where a neck of the lake extends right up to the roadside, and it is at this point, which is only a few rods from the station where the trains will stop for lake passengers, that the steamer will receive Lake Visitors and convey them to Beardsell landing. A large number of maple trees have been set out here, and other improvements will be made to beautify the landing.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

There are now 320 electric lights in use at Grand Rapids.

Now the graduate goeth forth to study up what the Latin motto of his class means.

C. W. Gauthier's fisheries, near Algonac, recently took in nearly 200 sturgeons in one day.

Ledge, burned last week. Loss, $8,000, insurance, $2,000.

Julius Cæsar Burrows is now at Bismarck and proposes to go to the Yosemite valley this summer.

Wm. Adams, the missing Battle Creek man, has been heard from. He is at Colorado Springs.

Henry Jacobs planted 9,000 silver eels in Long Lake and other waters in that vicinity last week.

Red ants are eating up the beans at Lansing. Fortunately there is no session of the Legislature next winter.

A Dewitt farmer put 140 grains of corn in his mouth at once, probably to show wherein he could get the start of a jackass.

Hosford, of the Grand Rapids Democrat, has returned home with his bride and settled down to housekeeping and business.

The faithfulness, business tact and old-time honesty of Warden Elihu B. Pond, of the State Prison, are the admiration of the inspectors.

The National furniture manufacturers association will meet at Grand Rapids, July 18, and hold a two days' session.

Lewis Potter, of Bay City, has purchased the Abram house, at Lapeer, for $20,000, and takes immediate possession.

The Battle Creek street railway has gone into commission, and passengers can ride from Nichols station to the sanitarium.

From all parts of southern and central Michigan comes stories of damage by the rains and the farmers and merchants are looking blue.

On Monday, July 16, the people of Owosso will vote on the question of investing $20,000 in the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern railroad scheme.

Oshtemo makes money out of frogs; 3,000 dozens caught and shipped from there thus far this season: thirty cents a dozen.

Congressman Horr is as versatile as Artemus Ward's Kangaroo. He has engaged to umpire a game of base ball between the grocers of Bay City and Saginaw.

Wm. Stagg, of Detroit, late cashier in the office of the state treasurer, at Lansing, has been appointed deputy treasurer; vice Judge Humphrey, resigned.

The recent murder at Owosso has given the ministers a chance to throw hot shot at the liquor sellers and the council that licensed them. It was a clear case of "whisky did it."

W. J. Peters, of Richfield, marketed in Flint last week, the wool from his flock of thirty-eight fine wool ewes, each of which raised a lamb this year, and the flock averaged six pounds of wool per head.

Sunday last Squire Mills, of Holton, tied the knot for a frolicsome couple whose combined age was 133 years. The festive bridegroom was a trifle over 70, and the giddy young bride was just sweet 63.

James Barrie, a moulder, was horribly burned at Bay City a few days ago. He was walking backward carrying his part of a ladle of melted iron when he let his handle drop and the iron ran into his shoes.

A man was stabbed in a Grand Rapids saloon a few nights ago, and was killed by the blow. Several men in the saloon at the time swear they did not see any stabbing done and don't know who did it.

The Western Historical society has published a history of St. Clair county. It contains 800 pages of matter, of which 130 are history of the state and the remainder is devoted to that of the county and to biographical sketches.

The Lowell Journal has a correspondent who has a family of seven to cook for, with five extra men part of the past week, the milk of six cows to turn into golden butter, six or more weekly letters to write, with the help of a small girls who attends school.

Such a rain as has prevailed in Eaton county almost continually passeth the remembrance of the oldest inhabitant. The damage to wheat and grass, by flattening it upon the ground will be great. Potatoes and corn are seriously injured by the flooding of the fields, and in a few instances small patches are entirely washed out.

OTHER FELLOWS THINK SO, TOO.

There's just one thing a man can have
In all this world of woe and strife
That makes the business not so bad,
And that one thing's an easy wife.
Dost fancy that I love my girl
For rosy cheeks or raven hair?
She holds my heart because she—in—
Because she laughs and doesn't care.

I put my boots just where it suits
And—[illegible]—where I put them.
That is a thing, you must know,
A chap can very seldom do.
I leave my papers on my desk,
She never dusts them in a heap,
Or takes to light the kitchen stove
The very one I want to keep.

[illegible]
Will warm her little toes on the sly;
She never scolds about the moles
Or wants the window crack'd high;
Quite unlike [illegible]
For what her children I may hug,
I'm letting pipe just where I please,
And spill the jelly on the rug.

The bed is never filled with shaving
A thing some women love to plan
To worry servants till to death,
And spoil the temper of a man.

Nor rose any ingrid cur
[illegible]
To be quite sure when I come in.

[illegible]
Just get a good [illegible]
She's keeper her temper like a saint.
A [illegible]
[illegible] for money [illegible]
[illegible] beauty ripe and rare,
Just take the [illegible]

We think, perhaps, our household ways
Are not perhaps a little unsteady
Or, which they call the world bad
We're absent and yet things exist
We're impersonal as a man
Who earns his bread yet thinks he's an aristocrat
If home's made a battle ground.
[illegible]

—*Hy. [illegible]*

The Parable of the Prodigal Son.

Now there was a certain man who had two sons.

And the younger of them said to his father, "Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me."

And he divided unto him his living, and the younger son purchased leaves, it an old cloth grip sack and got out of that country.

And it came to pass that he journeyed even unto Bickskin and the land that lieth over against Leadville.

And when he was come nigh unto the gates of the city he heard music and dancing.

And he got into that place and when he arose and went his way a hireling at the gates smote upon him with a slungshot of great potency, and the younger son wist not how it was.

And in the second watch of the night he arose and he was alone, and the pieces of gold and silver were gone.

And it was so.

And he arose and sat down and rent his clothes and threw ashes and dust upon himself.

And he went and joined himself unto a citizen of that country, and he sent him down in a prospect shaft to dig.

And he labored before day.

Wherefore when he spat upon his hands and lay hold of the long handled shovel, wherewith they are wont to shovel, he struck his elbow upon the ball of the shaft wherein he stood, and he poured the earth and rocks out against the back of his neck.

And he waxed exceeding wroth.

And he tried even yet again, and behold! the handle of the shovel became tangled between his legs, and filled his ear high full of decomposed slate and the perjury which is in that region round about.

And he wist not why it was so.

Now, after many days the shovelers with their shovels, and the packers with their picks, and the blasters with their blasts, and the hoisters with their hoists, banded themselves together, and each said to his fellow:

Go to! Let us strike. And they strike.

And they that stroke were as the sands of the sea for multitude, and they were as terrible as any army with banners.

And they blew upon the ram's horn and the cornet, and the sackbut, and the alto horn, and the flute, and the bass drum.

Now it come to pass that the younger son joined not with them that did strike, neither went he out to his work, nor on the highway lest at any time they that do strike should fall upon him and flatter him out, and even send him unto his home packed in ice, which is even after the fashion of that people.

And he began to be in want.

And he went out and joined himself unto a citizen of that country; and he sent him into the lunch room to find tourists.

And he would fain have filled himself up with the adamantine cookies and indestructible pie, and the vulcanized sandwiches which the tourists always did eat.

And no man gave unto him.

And when he came to himself he said: How many hired servants hath my father on the farm with bread enough and lots to spare, and I perish with hunger.

And he resigned his position in the lunch business and arose and went unto his father.

But when he was yet a great way off he telegraphed to his father to kill the old cow and make merry, for behold! he had struck it rich, and the old man paid for the telegram.

Now, the older son was in the north field plowing with a pair of balky mules, and when he came and drew nigh to the house he heard music and dancing.

And he couldn't seem to get his chickens straight.

And he took the blood girl by the ear and led her away, and asked her, whomsoever cometh this unseemly hilarity?

And she smote him with the palm of her hand, and said, This thy brother hath come, and was dead, and is alive again, and they began to have a high old time.

And the elder son kicked, even as the Government in the kicketh, and he was hot under the collar, and he gathered up an armful of profanity and flung it in among the guests, and set him up and quoted his.

It is difficult to realize the enormous power of the bright speck, Jupiter, shining so quietly in the sky. A writer has shown that the power which the sun has to put forth to hold Jupiter in his orbit is equal to the combined strength of 170,000,000 bars of solid steel, each one a mile in diameter. Jupiter's pull upon the earth, according to the same authority, is equal to the strength of 23,000,000,000 bars of steel, each of them one foot in diameter. So, if the mere power of gravity were all that was required to make Jupiter's approach dangerous to the earth, evidently he is lacking in the power. But no one believes that the sisterhood of worlds will acknowledge the dominion of the sun to prove equally destructive.

Reading in School.

HOW THEY USED TO DO IT WITH EFFECT.—PROGRESS BACKWARD IN AN IMPORTANT BRANCH OF LEARNING.

"Of all knowledge and mental training, however, reading is in our day the principal means, and reading aloud intelligently the unmistakable if not the only sign. Yet this, which was so common when the present generation of twenty, more or less, boys, is just what our highly and scientifically educational educators seem either most incapable or most neglectful of teaching. And yet the means by which children were made intelligent and intelligible readers 35 or 40 years ago were not so recondite as to be beyond attainment and use by a teacher of moderate abilities and acquirement who set himself earnestly to his work. As I remember it, this was the way in which we were taught to read with profit to ourselves and with at least satisfaction to our hearers. Boys of not more than 7 to 9 years old were exercised in defining words from an abridged dictionary. The word was spelled and the definition given from memory, and then the teachers asked questions which tested the pupil's [illegible] had given, and the members of the class, never more than a dozen or so in number, were encouraged to give in their own language their notion of the word and to distinguish it from so-called synonyms. As to the amount of knowledge that was thus gained it was very little—little, at least, in comparison with the value of this exercise as education, that is, of mental training, which was very great. This same class read aloud every day, and the books that they read were of sufficient interest to tempt boys to read them of themselves. The class was called up before the teacher, ranged in a "dressed," as the soldiers say—in a line. At a signal they all bowed together a prescribed bow, and if this was done awkwardly by the class as a whole, or by any individual, the process was repeated and instruction was given by the teacher, with example. No bobbing of heads was allowed, no awkward position of the arms and hands, or of the legs and feet was passed over unnoticed. A deference now from a boy to his master or his elder was a matter of minor morals. When the reading began all the class were [illegible] to follow the reader, each in his own book; for any pupil was liable to be called upon to take up the recitation, even at an unfinished sentence, and go on with it; and if he hesitated in such a manner as showed that his eye and mind were not with the reader's the effect upon his mark account was the same as if he himself had failed in reading. If the reading of any sentence did not show a just apprehension of its meaning the reader was stopped, and the sentence was passed through the class for a better expression of its sense. Whether this was obtained from the pupils or not, the teacher then explained the sense, or gave some information, the want of which had caused the failure, and by repetition of both reading—the bad and the good—showed by contrast and by comment why the one was bad and why the other good. Words were explained; if they were compound words they were analyzed, the different shades of meaning which words have in different connections were remarked upon, and the subject of the essay, the narration, or the poem which formed the lesson for the day was explained. The delivery of the voice was attended to, not in any pretentious, artificial, elocutionary way, but with such regard for good and pleasant speech as was dictated by common sense and good breeding. The young readers were not allowed to hang their heads either over their bosoms or over their shoulders, but were made to stand up straight, throw back their shoulders, and lift their heads well up, so that if their eyes were taken from their books they would look a man straight in the face. Only in this position can the voice be well delivered. The slightest mispronunciation was, of course, observed and corrected, and not only so, but bad annunciation was checked, and all slovenly mumbling was reprehended, and as far as possible reformed. Yet with all this there was constant caution against a prim, pedantic, and even a conscious mode of reading. The end sought was an intelligent, natural, and simple delivery of every sentence.—*Richard Grant White.*

Women as Pedestrians.

Walking long distances, even miles, is very common to English women and those in other parts of Europe, but it is almost unknown in America. In Europe large parties are made up to take their summer outings in this way, and it's not only the young people who go, but the husband and wife, parents and children, brothers and sisters, or a group of pleasant acquaintances. They make a pedestrian trip through some chosen bit of their own or some other country, stopping at wayside inns for a longer or shorter time, climbing hills and exploring valleys, mixing with the people through which their paths lie, and gathering at once fresh health, new life, keen perceptions and a knowledge of the names and customs of the country that they could not have possibly have gotten otherwise. Through Germany, France, Italy, England, Ireland and Scotland, one is constantly meeting those jolly and bright people. These parties equip themselves with no little expense and trouble. A stout knapsack is strapped upon each individual's back, whatever the sex, a heavy cane, strong shoes with thick soles, a short flannel costume, broad hat, and a cheerful merry disposition are the essentials; and though in our country a party like this might be looked upon as tramps, the country people would soon grow accustomed to the sight of these pilgrims, and the weak, slight Americans become as sturdy as their English brothers and sisters.

Words of Wisdom.

One act of charity is worth a century of complaint.

The use of character is to be a shield against ordinary.

Cherish your best hopes as faith, and abide by them in action.

Every flower, even the fairest, has its shadow beneath, as it swings in the sunlight.

The tie that binds the happy may be dear, but that which links the unfortunate is tenderness unutterable.

Passions are likened best to floods and streams. The shallow murmur, but the deep are dumb.

Better fall covered and scarred with the wounds of glory than to surrender through expediency to what is wrong.

How quietly flows the river toward the sea, yet it always reaches its destination. This is a point to remember when you are trying to "rush things."

Ayer's Ague Cure is warranted to cure all malarial disorders, when the directions are faithfully followed.

NO HOME EXEMPT.

The Sources of Those Mysterious Troubles That Come to Every Household Explained.

The following article from the Democrat and Chronicle, of Rochester, N. Y., is of so striking a nature and emanates from so reliable a source that it is herewith republished entire. In addition to the valuable matter it contains it will be found exceedingly interesting.

To the Editor of the Democrat and Chronicle:

SIR—My motives for the publication of the most unusual statements which follow are first, gratitude for the fact that I have been saved from a most terrible death, and secondly, a desire to warn others who read the statement against some of the most deceptive influences by which they have ever been surrounded. It is a fact that to-day thousands of people are within a foot of the grave and [illegible] caught away from just this position and to warn others against nearing it, are my objects in this communication.

On the first day of June, 1881, I lay at my residence in this city surrounded by my friends and waiting for death. Heaven only knows the agony I then endured, for words can never describe it. And yet, if a few years previous any one had told me that I was to be brought so low, and by so terrible a disease, I should have scoffed at the idea. I had always been uncommonly strong and healthy, had weighed over 200 pounds and hardly knew, in my own experience, what pain or sickness were. Very many people who will read this statement realize at times that they are unusually tired and cannot account for it. They feel dull and indefinite pains in various parts of the body and do not understand it. Or they are exceedingly hungry one day and entirely without appetite the next. This was just the way I felt when the relentless malady which had fastened itself upon me first began. Still I thought it was nothing; that probably I had taken a cold which would soon pass away. Shortly after this I noted a heavy, and at times a neuralgic pain in my head, but as it would come one day and be gone the next, I paid but little attention to it. However my stomach was out of order and my food often failed to digest, causing at times great inconvenience. Yet I had no idea, even as a physician, that these things meant anything serious or that a monstrous disease was becoming fixed upon me. Candidly, I thought I was suffering from malaria and so doctored myself accordingly. But I got no better. I next noticed a peculiar color and odor about the fluids I was passing—also that there were large quantities one day and very little the next, and that a persistent froth and scum appeared upon the surface, and a sediment settled in the bottom. And yet I did not realize my danger, for indeed, seeing these symptoms continually I finally became accustomed to them, and my suspicion was wholly disarmed by the fact that I had no pain in the affected organs or in their vicinity. Why I should have been so blind I cannot understand.

There is a terrible future for all physical neglect, and impending danger and impending danger always brings a person to his senses, even though it may then be too late. I realized at last my critical condition and aroused myself to overcome it. And, oh! how hard I tried! I consulted the best medical skill in the land. I visited all the prominent mineral springs in America and travelled from Maine to California. Still I grew worse. No two physicians agreed as to my malady. One said I was troubled with spinal irritation; another, nervous prostration; another malaria; another, dyspepsia; another, heart disease; another, general debility; another, congestion of the base of the brain; and so on through a long list of common diseases, the symptoms of all of which I really had. In this way several years passed, during all of which time I was steadily growing worse. My condition had really become pitiable. The slight symptoms at first experienced were developed into terrible and constant disorders—the little twigs of pain had grown to oaks of agony. My weight had been reduced from 207 to 130 pounds. My life was a torture to myself and friends. I could retain no food upon my stomach, and lived wholly by injections. I was a living mass of pain. My pulse was uncontrollable. In my agony I frequently fell upon the floor, convulsively clutched the carpet, and prayed for death. Morphine had little or no effect in deadening the pain. For six days and nights I had the death premonitory hiccoughs constantly. My urine was filled with tube casts and albumen. I was struggling with Bright's Disease of the kidneys in its last stages.

While suffering thus I received a call from my pastor, the Rev. Dr. Foote, rector of St. Paul's church of this city. I felt that it was our last interview, but in the course of conversation he mentioned a remedy of of which I had heard much, but never had used. Dr. Foote detailed to me the many remarkable cures which had come under his observation, by means of this remedy, and urged me to try it. As a practicing physician and a graduate of the schools, I cherished the prejudice both natural and common with all regular practitioners, and derided the idea of any medicine outside the regular channels being the least beneficial. So solicitous, however was Dr. Foote, that I finally promised I would waive my prejudice and try the remedy he so highly recommended. I began its use on the 1st day of June and took it according to directions. At first it sickened me, but this I thought was a good sign for in my debilitated condition. I continued to take it as the sickening sensation departed and I was able to retain food upon my stomach. In a few days I noticed a decided change for the better as also did my wife and friends. My hiccoughs ceased and I experienced less pain than for years. I was so rejoiced at this improved condition that, upon what I had believed but a few days before was my dying bed, I vowed, in the presence of my family and friends, if I recover I would both publicly and privately make known this remedy for the good of humanity, where and whenever I had an opportunity. I also determined that I would give a course of lectures in the Corinthian Academy of Music in this city, stating in full the symptoms and almost hopelessness of my disease and the remarkable means by which I have been saved. My improvement was constant from that time, and in less than three months I had gained 20 pounds in flesh, became entirely free from pain and I believe I owe my life and present condition to Warner's Safe Cure, the remedy which I used.

Since my recovery I have thoroughly re-investigated the subject of kidney difficulties and Bright's disease, and the truths developed are astounding. I therefore state deliberatively and as a physician, that I believe more than one half the deaths which occur in America are caused by Bright's disease of the kidneys. This may seem like a rash statement, but I am prepared to fully verify it. Bright's disease has no distinctive symptoms of its own, indeed it often develops without any pain whatever in the kidneys of their vicinity but has the symptoms of nearly every other kidney complaint. Hundreds of [illegible] whose certificates are authorized by a physician's certificate of "Heart Disease," "Appoplexy," "Paralysis," "Spinal Complaint," "Rheumatism," "Pneumonia," and other common diseases, when in reality it was Bright's disease of the kidneys. Few physicians and fewer people realize the extent of this disease or its dangerous and insidious nature. It steals into the system like a thief, manifests its presence by the commonest symptoms, and fastens itself upon the constition before the victim is aware. It is nearly as hereditary as consumption, quite as common and fully as fatal. Entire families, inheriting it from their ancestors, have died, and yet none of the number knew or realized the mysterious power which was removing them. Instead of common symptoms it often shows none whatever, but brings death suddenly, and as such is usually supposed to be heart disease. As one who has suffered, and knows by bitter experience what he says, I implore every one who reads these words not to neglect the slightest symptoms of kidney difficulty. Certain agony and possible death will be the sure result of such neglect, and no one can afford to hazard such changes.

I am aware that such an unqualified statement as this, coming from one known as I am, throughout the entire land as a practitioner and lecturer, will arouse the surprise and possible animosity of the medical profession and astonish all with whom I am acquainted, but I make the foregoing statements, based upon facts which I am prepared to produce, and truths which I can substantiate to the letter. The welfare of those who may possibly be sufferers such as I was, is an ample inducement for me to take the step I have, and if I can successfully warn others from the dangerous path in which I once walked, I am willing to endure all professional and personal consequences.

J. B. HEXTON, M.D.

Source of Personal Beauty.

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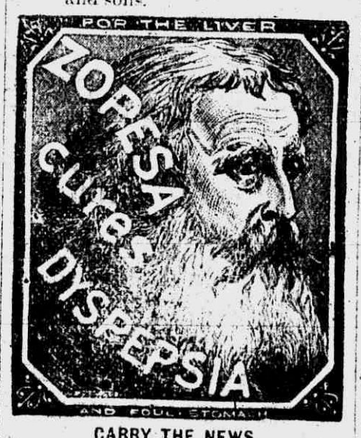

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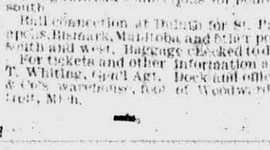

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A Fashonable Woman's Prayer.

Strengthen my husband, and may his faith and his money hold out to the end.

Draw the lamb's wool of unsuspicious twilight over his eyes, that flirtation may look to him like victories, and that my bills may strengthen his pride in me.

Bless, oh future! my crimps, rats and frizzes, and let thy glory shine on my paint and powder.

Enable the poor to shift for themselves, and save me from all missionary beggars.

Shed the light of thy countenance on my camel's hair shawl, my lavender silk, my point lace and my necklace of diamonds, and keep the moth out of my sables, I beseech thee, oh fortune!

When I walk out before the gaze of vulgar men, regulate my wiggle and add new grace to my gait.

When I bow myself to worship, grant that I may do it with ravishing elegance, and preserve until the last the lily white of my flesh and the taper of my fingers.

Destroy mine enemies with the gall of jealousy, and eat up with the teeth of envy all those who gaze at my style.

Save me from wrinkles, and foster my plumpers.

Fill both my eyes, oh fortune! with the plaintive poison of infatuation, that I may lay out my victims—the men—as numb as images graven.

Let the lily and the rose strive together on my cheek, and may my neck swim like a goose on the bosom of crystal water.

Enable me, oh fortune! to wear shoes still a little smaller, and save me from corns and bunions.

Bless Fanny, my lap dog, and rain down hailstones of destruction on those who shall hurt a hair of Hector, my kitten.

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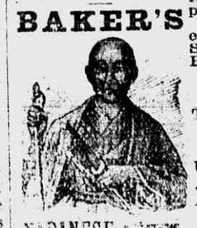
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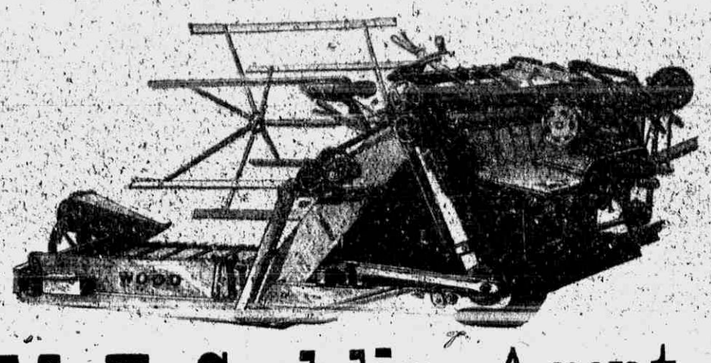

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N. Y. Herald: In the far west they have a way of arguing which is thoroughly convincing. When a gentleman remarked, "Them hosses is a fine pair," a grammarian corrected him, telling him that a more correct way of speaking would be to say, "Them hosses are a fine pair." The first speaker quietly pulled out a huge navy revolver, cocked it, and then said, "Mister, it is perfectly correct to say, 'Them hosses is a fine pair.' Just you think the matter over and I'll give you two minutes or thereabouts to agree with me." Then the second speaker recalled the time when he kept a "deestrict" school and boarded round, and long before the two minutes were up he said: "My friend, my deliberate opinion is that I was laboring under temporary insanity when I contradicted you. There ain't no finer specimen of pure English language than the expression 'Them hosses is a fine pair.'" The gentleman with the revolver put up his weapon and blandly remarked: "I knowed you'd come to your senses when you took in all the circumstances."

WOOL PROSPECTS.

Wool comes in very slowly and continues to sell at from 28 to 31c. The Boston Commercial Bulletin says:

"The dull condition of affairs continues, and the reported closing down of a large number of woolen mills cannot but have some effect upon the market. Goods are moving off very slowly and the manufacturers state that they are forced to take this step. With this fact in view, wool buyers will be still less inclined to pay the prices demanded by the farmers, and many buyers expect lower prices. In Ohio the market is quiet, as the farmers are asking from 32 to 35c and buyers will not pay higher than 30c.

The N. Y. Bulletin says:

"The few who talk and write as though all hope must be abandoned, draw upon a somewhat limited imagination in the effort to entertain the small circle cognizant of their utterances. In fact, while several hundred sets of machinery have been reported as stopped, there are many still running, and manufacturers can be found picking around occasionally for supplies, with a noticeable supplement to all purchasers in the orders for prompt shipment, indicating that supplies at the mills are low. Of course, the stand-off, on the part of the manufacturers, is likely to continue until goods improve, but when wants do increase there is little doubt they will be full and anxious."

The editor of the Michigan Farmer is in receipt of a letter from the wool editor of the U. S. Economist from which the following quotation is made:

"Your farmers will have a hard time I fear, selling their wool this year, and no matter how they may growl about it they will be obliged to accept much lower prices unless by a united action they with one accord withdraw the clip entirely and store it, which of course they will not do. If the farmers accept from 27½ to 32½ cents, they possibly may be able to market the clip now, but if they hold above these figures they will be obliged to carry the clip themselves, as 1,060 sets of cards will be shut down before the *Ides*, or as we learn before the 1st proximo."

The Farmer says editorially:

There is one thing certain, any rush on the part of farmers to market their wool will only tend to further demoralize the market, and enable buyers to obtain a still greater advantage. From the east the reports are unfavorable, as they are likely to be until after the wool has passed into the hands of the dealers, when we will be apt to hear a very different song from them. A number of mills have closed down owing to the dullness in woolen goods, and this of course must effect values. * * * At the London wool sales fine are firm and steady, coarse wools are dull and weaker. The demand for the fine wools of Australia keeps up well, and it is said a number of American manufacturers have been quite large purchasers. If so, they will not have made anything by their investment taking the present price of such wools in this country into account.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

New York, June 29, 1888.

Unless the weather should change decidedly and a prolonged spell of heat with sultry evenings make its appearance the hotel proprietors at the seaside resorts will have a hard time of it. Coney Island has thus far been quite a sufferer from the pleasant days and cool nights. At the Manhattan Beach hotel, Mr. Breslip, who is the lessee this year says: "We are doing splendidly," but one of his lieutenants told me in confidence the other evening that the hotel was losing money. "But," added he, "we are not the only ones, all the other hotels are just as badly off." The result is that a goodly number of waiters have been discharged. The natural consequence of this is that, when you do sit down to table you have to wait a long time before you are waited upon, and then you are hurriedly served. I have eaten three or four times at the Manhattan Beech Hotel, and the simple fare of soup, a roast, some vegetables and a small cup of coffee never occupied me less than an hour and a half. This is too long.

You feel inclined to indulge in strong language, but when you see the flushed, perspiring face of the poor waiter, and listen to his breathless apologies for the long waits you say nothing, but make up your mind that in the future you will eat somewhere else.—The hotel in consequence is steadily and fast running down. The bathing facilities, and the provisions against accidents are likewise poor. The only thing that maintains itself is the music under the indefatigable Gilmore's care. They may tell as they will that Gilmore is a charlatan as far as music is concerned. As a caterer of musical entertainment at the sea shore he has not his equal. The railroad facilities to the beach are likewise very bad, and on account of the quarrel between the Long Island railroad company and Mr. Starin who owns the boat line between Bay Ridge and New York, passengers by that route are subjected to the most vexatious delays. The entire trip from New York to Bay Ridge and thence by rail to the beach can be made in 40 minutes. On race days and other occasions when there is a great mass of people to cross, the railway people somehow manage to spend an hour and a half in making the trip. They want to wean people from that route. The Long Island railroad people wanted to beat Starin, and establish a boat line of their own. They were unable to get a suitable pier however. In the eleventh hour they had to appeal to Starin, and he seeing his opportunity put the screws on. An excursion ticket to and from Manhattan Beach costs fifty cents. I am told Starin gets about forty cents of that. The ordinary trip to Bay Ridge costs ten cents.

Mrs. Langtry will spend the early part of July at Long Branch, where Mr. Gebhard has leased Lester Wallack's cottage for her. The reason why she does not go to Newport is because Mr. Gebhard does not care to go. His horses will take part in the race meeting at Monmouth Park, and for that reason he wants to stay at the seashore. It is quite amusing to see Freddie and the Lily, walking together. They walk beside each other as demurely and as silent as if they had been pulling the matrimonial cart for twenty years.

The fight against the Trade Dollar has broken out again, and wholesale dealers are determined to force it out of circulation. Grocers and other retail dealers will be the heaviest sufferers from this at first, because the middle and lower classes with whom they deal as a rule pay with trade dollars. Factories and other large concerns which employ great numbers of men as a rule pay with trade dollars which they frequently buy at a discount and thus make money. Now however working men are growing alive to their interests and declare that they will not in future accept trade dollars in payment for their wages. The hands of two leading cigar making firms notified their employers on Thursday of this intention, and at other large places the men will follow suit before the end of the week.

Francis Murphy, the temperance preacher goes to Europe in September for rest. He has already engaged a stateroom on the steamer City of Rome.

A private letter to Theodore Thomas states that he will in future give up handling large choruses on account of the fact that so many dead-head tickets have to be issued to the escorts of the singers. This is the reason why the concerts of the Chorus and Oratoria Societies in this city seldom paid though always well attended.

The exodus of ministers to Europe has begun. Every steamer that sails has from ten to twenty on board.—The devil will have a practical walk over in this country this summer if this rushing across the Atlantic does not soon cease.

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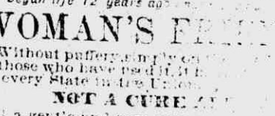

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ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

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I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles. C. RYND, M.D.

Dr. B. Mincer and part of his family will visit Devils lake, upper landing, June 5th, and remain a few days. Parties desiring his services should remember the date.

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And on easy terms, **A FARM OF 120 ACRES**, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles from the village of Brooklyn and, ½ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young plum orchard, and lots of small fruits. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. For further particulars call at the

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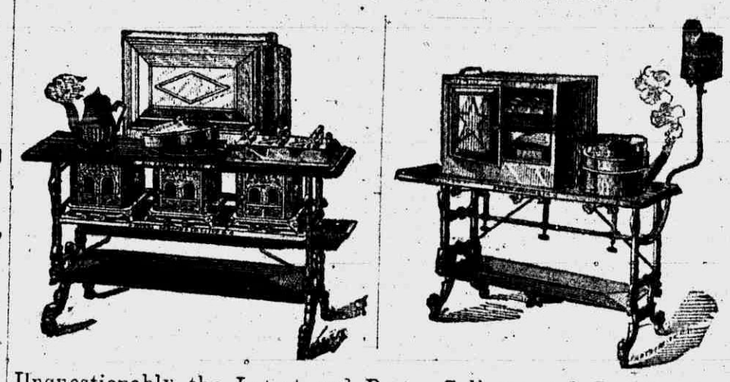

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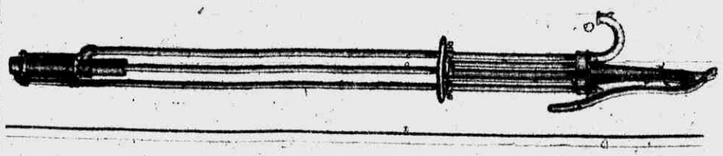

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A BARGAIN. A splendid farm of 160 acres, situated only one mile from the village of Morenci. In high state of cultivation. Will be sold at a bargain, as the owner has large property interests in Dakota which need his attention. For full particulars address HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. 3 cows and pigs. Enquire of John Beckley, three miles north of Ridgeway.

WANTED. A good country home for a bright, intelligent lad eight years old, who can be adopted or taken to raise, as may be desired. Apply at HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. An organ which cost $175. As good as new. For sale for $75. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOUND. A pocketbook containing some jewelry and other small articles. The owner can get the same by calling at the HERALD office and proving property.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED at once, a House and lot, worth [illegible] Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

100,000 LATE CABBAGE PLANTS. Special prices on quantities of 500 and upwards. Also sweet potato, tomato, celery, pepper and egg plants. ABNER WILSON.

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FOR SALE. A good house and four acres of land, situated within ten minute's walk of the P. O. in the village of Ridgeway. Terms to suit purchaser, and for sale cheap. For particulars enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

CAUTION. All persons are cautioned against making or using the short arm and brace as supports to shelvings in hay and stock racks in the townships of Macon, Ridgeway, Clinton, Tecumseh, Ralsin and Franklin without my consent, as I own the exclusive right to that improvement in those towns. It is the principle that is patented and not any particular form, therefore any use of them is an infringement. My racks are made of good material, well put up, and are complete in every particular. Call and see them. I. B. RICHART.

County Clerk Hunter took his 4th of July shower at Tecumseh.

Miss Elouise Putnam, of Hudson, is the guest of Miss May Wood this week.

Mr. & Mrs. Philip De Puy, of Reading, Hillsdale Co., have been sojourning a few days with Frank and other scions of the De Puy family. They returned home last Monday via. Saline.

At the last election of the Reform Club the following officers were elected:

President—P. C. Snell.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. Jas. McKinney.
2d " " —Mrs. J. Cleveland.
3d " " —Miss Nellie Clark.
Rec. Sec.—Jas. McKinney.
Finan. Sec.—Miss Lydia Burton.
Treas.—Jerome Cleveland.
Steward—Robt. Quackenbush.
1st Marshall—David Branagan.
2d " —Robert Moir.
Sergeant—Wm. Brown.

James S. Hunt began to fix up this morning after breakfast to take the train and could not find his vest. He searched high and low, from cellar to garret, under the evergreens in the front yard and among the early peas in the garden, but all to no purpose. He cannot remember where he last wore the vest or where he took it off, but he knows there were three dollars in money and a $125 watch in the pockets when the jacket last came under his observation. There were no signs of burglars about the house and there was no disturbance last night. He is not disturbed about the jacket but feels a little uneasy in mind in regard to the whereabouts of the watch.

BASE BALL AT CLINTON.

Quite a game and many Tallies for the Tecumseh Boys.

Last Friday a picked nine of this place took a trip to Clinton to play one of the Clinton nines a game of Base Ball. The weather was good, everybody seemed to have a good time, and our boys came away with a great many tallies. At 3:30 o'clock the game was called with Tecumseh to bat. Bostwick was put out on first, Baird made a good hit and then the fun commenced. Chapman, Root, McKinney, and all the rest to bat till 14 men had earned 12 tallies and all in so short a space that mist came into our reporter's eyes, the Clinton News man's score-sheet looked like a liver pad, our scorer was wild and called for time to put down runs, while about a cord of valuable fence timber was used up by private scorers who were using their "jack-knives." The last half of the first innings resulted in a goose-egg for Clinton and our boys went to bat again. It would be useless to give the figures of the game all through as we could not spare the space and no one would read it. Errors were made on both sides, our boys were green, this being their first game this season. Heinrick our catcher never stood behind the bat before but did splendidly, having only three pass balls. After the first innings the Clinton boys played a pretty fair game, but they need practice, and do very ordinary field work.

The Clinton News man sat on the same plank we did, and was shaded by the same tree, but he seemed to feel uneasy and almost as nervous as our scorer. He was absent minded and wanted to go home any time, he seemed to have lost all interest in Base Ball on general principles and thought the whole thing foolishness. 'Tis funny how the same thing looks to different people.

At the close of the game the score stood, Clinton 8, Tecumseh 26.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 5, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

How Hot.

Farmers all busy in their corn and hay.

This kind of weather will make the corn jump.

Barrows, the picture man, leaves town next Monday.

The front door of the saloons were closed yesterday.

Not much excitement in the streets of Tecumseh yesterday.

Harvest will be several days later than usual in this county this year.

F. D. Hillman picked fifty bushels of strawberries from his patch last Monday.

Six car loads of pleasure seekers were on the train going south yesterday morning.

It keeps Hubbard busy to supply customers with ice from Jim Cole's ice house these days.

A. E. Kennedy has received a large invoice of Buckeye chewing tobacco. It takes the cake. Try it.

Mrs. Eva Hause Satterlee who has been spending a few weeks at Tecumseh returned to her home in Kansas City on Monday last.

Wool comes in rather slowly. E. G. Cook and H. W. Stevens are buying at this market, the price paid ranging from 28 to 30 cents.

We learn that Jacob Thompson, formerly of this place, now residing at Kalamazoo, is rapidly failing with cancer of the lip, and is now speechless.

Adrian has been overrun with horse jockeys for the past few days. Let the Salvation Army tackle 'em. The S. A. ought to accomplish some good work.

A. A. Kennedy is now traveling salesman and agent for the Esterly twine binder, a new machine manufactured by Geo. Esterly & Son, of Whitewater, Wis.

Yesterday Co. C went up and drilled before Willis Merritt at his residence on Logan street. Mr. Merritt is getting along nicely and we hope to see him on our streets again before long.

Evening News: The daughter of one of the most prominent farmers of Lenawee county, and wife of a well known Adrian business man, has been detected in shop lifting, and her father paid $50 to settle the affair and prevent her being arrested.

On and after the second day of July a single domestic money order may be issued for any amount from one cent up to one hundred dollars inclusive. The fee for an order of ten dollars or less will be eight cents instead of ten as now, while the fees for orders up to $50 will remain the same as they are now.

Evening News: Homer came nearer being a temperance town last week than ever before in 25 years. The rain drove the T. & M. R. R. laborers into the village, and they drained the saloons and almost created a panic among the regular customers, who looked on aghast and saw the budge supply run low.

Hudson Post: Last Monday as Miss Myrtie Peck was riding a running horse from the track, she turned too suddenly when under full speed to go into Kellogg's yard, and the result was the capsizing of horse and rider. The little woman was on her feet in a moment, and asked if the horse was hurt, she being all right herself.

Last week Mamie Duncan and Emma Sanger, two young girls of St. Joseph, each took a large dose of arsenic, evidently with the idea of improving their complexion. Mamie Duncan died from the effects of the poison, but the other girl was saved. Mamie was 16 years old and Emma 14. Both belonged to very respectable families.

S. C. Stacy closed a bargain on Tuesday last with J. B. Swan for the purchase of the HERALD building and adjoining property. The lot is 22 feet front by 11 rods deep, together with the joint use of the ten foot alley between the building and the Opera House. We now have—what we have never had the privilege of enjoying before—a business home of our own.

We count it in place to utter a note of warning to parents against the dangerous and now illegal toy pistol. We have not the recently enacted law before us, and can only report our recollections of the fact that its sale and use are prohibited. The experience last year fully warrants the law. A citizen has just handed in some alarming statistics of last year's fatalities. Cincinnati, New York, St. Louis, and Chicago had each ten to forty deaths; Rochester six; Dayton 2; Baltimore 13. These boys were not shot dead, but the injury given to the nervous system through the abrasion of the skin by a spark of fulminating powder brought on that fearful disease, tetanus, or lockjaw, issuing in one of the most terrible forms of death. Not only forbid this fatal pistol to your children, but forbid them playing with boys who have toy pistols. A watchful firmness will save great grief.

How it did rain!

Where did you celebrate?

Where did you spend the Fourth?

Try the Buckeye chewing tobacco for sale by A. E. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith, of Toledo, spent last Sunday with their Tecumseh friends.

We have sampled a package of Dr. Hause's tea, received from a Chinese firm of San Francisco. It was prime.

The long pending legation between Mrs. C. A. Barrington, of Napoleon, and Mr. C. Monroe, of Hillsdale is now settled by the parties.

C. V. Hicks, formerly of Tecumseh, dropped in upon us early yesterday morning. He is now living at Oscoda, Mich., and is well pleased with his location.

The [illegible] church last evening netted $40, and the Ladies' Aid Society gave $11, making in all $51 for the benefit of the pastor and family.

BASE BALL.

Hudson vs. Tecumseh—A Fair Game and Our Boys Defeated by Three Tallies.

At promptly half past ten yesterday morning the game was called on Bills' diamond, the Hudson boys going to bat. Randall was put out at first, Temple followed in the same way. King took first on called balls; Crocker was also given first, while King made second. Gainer made a small hit and was third man out, giving Hudson the first goose egg. Bostwick was out on a fly, Freeman struck out, Chapman made a good one bagger and came home by errors and bad throwing all around the diamond. Baird struck out and wound up the innings with one tally by Chapman.

Second innings—Dacon out at first, Wagner out by catcher, Cone struck out. Another 0 for Hudson. McKinney out on 3 strikes, Heinrich a good one base hit, but Root and Anderson struck out making first goose egg for Tecumseh, winding up second innings.

Third innings.—Knapp out on fly, Randall was given first base on balls, and then by bad throwing and catching Randall scored the first run for Hudson. Temple struck out, Crocker given first on balls, passed ball by Heinrich gave Temple a score. Gainer to bat, and made first, and by error of Root, Crocker scored the third run for Hudson. Dacon batted a fly which was nicely taken in by Root. Snell struck out, Bostwick made a one bagger, Freeman out on fly, Chapman a good first base hit, which with bad fielding let Bostwick and Chapman home. Baird out at 1st. Score 3 and 3 at the end of the third.

Fourth innings.—Wagner out at 1st, Cone to first on balls, Knapp one base hit, Cone second, Randall out at first, Temple got to 1st and Knapp scored; King out at 1st. McKinney out on fly, Heinrich 1 base hit, Root out at 1st. Anderson to 1st while Heinrich stole a run. Score at end of 4th, Hudson 5, Tecumseh 4.

Fifth innings.—Crocker to 1st on balls, Gainer out on fly, Crocker scored. Dacon to 1st, Wagner out on 1st, Cone out at 1st, leaving Dacon dead on 3d. Snell to 1st, Bostwick out at 1st, Freeman to first on balls, Chapman and Baird struck out leaving Snell and Freeman on 3d and 2d.

Sixth innings.—Knapp struck out, Randall to first on balls, Temple to 1st, passed ball by Heinrich, and Randall in, King out on fly caught by Baird, Crocker struck out, McKinney to 1st, Heinrich out at 1st, Root to 1st, McKinney out at 3d, Anderson out at 1st.

Seventh innings.—Gainer strikes out, Dacon out on foul, Wagner one base hit, Cone to 1st, Knapp two base hit, Wagner scored, Randall struck out leaving Knapp, dd. on 2d, and Cone dd. on 3d. Snell a good hit, Bostwick to 1st, passed ball by King, and Snell scored, Freeman to 1st, Chapman to 1st. Baird out on fly, Freeman, Chapman, and Bostwick second, McKinney struck out, Heinrich to 1st, Root out on fly, Heinrich dd. on 2d. Score 8 to 8.

Eighth innings.—Temple out on fly; King to 1st, Crocker to base on balls, Gainer to 1st, Kings and Crocker scored, Dacon out on fly, Wagner to 1st, score for Gainer. Cone to 1st, Knapp out on foul, leaving Cone dd. on 1st and Wagner on 2d. Three tallies for Hudson. Anderson out at 1st, Snell out on foul, Bostwick out at 1st.

Ninth innings.—Randall to 1st, Temple out at first, when Baird, Bostwick, and Freeman made a fine double play, dropping Randall on 2d. King struck out. Freeman struck out, Chapman and Baird out at first. Score 11 to 8 in favor of Hudson.

Our boys did better work in the field than Hudson, but they did not seem to bat Dacon in very good shape, McKinney's arm was lame and he let too many men to bases on balls. Chapman pitched very well. Heinrich did splendid work behind the bat and will make a rattling good catcher. The Hudson boys seemed to be well pleased with the game. The Hudson scorer seemed to know very little about base ball and good manners and several times got so excited that it was impossible for him to keep track of the score, but we hope as he grows older that he may improve, so lay no nothing against him.

No more stamps on bank checks and drafts.

The strawberry crop has been both large and plentiful this year.

Woolston Comfort is going to raise 100,000 cabbage heads this season, that is if they all grow.

We have received the premium list of the next Michigan State Fair. It will be held in Detroit Sept. 17th to 21st inclusive.

We can now talk with Manchester by telephone, but the route is some like that by Robbin Hood's barn via Ann Arbor.

Thanks to Mrs. Spalding for lovely bouquets. She is about enlarging her green house and our citizens should give her their patronage instead of sending their orders to outside parties. Patronize home trade.

A splendid farm of 160 acres only one mile from Morenci will be sold at a bargain. Possession given immediately with all the crops on. The owner wishes to remove to Dakota at once. Enquire at this office.

Oliver Emlay and family started for their California home yesterday. The excursion train with which he came leaves Chicago today. He enjoyed his visit at Tecumseh very much and we hope to see him again before many years.

F. C. Stoepel, Esq., of Detroit, is spending the present week rusticating with his Tecumseh friends. Mrs. Stoepel has been sojourning at her father's, N. M. Sutton's, for a few weeks and will remain here during the hot weather.

We understand that Charles A. Thatcher, of Tiffin, O., is in Adrian to-day delivering crayon and ink portraits and will visit Tecumseh this week. As his work has given the greatest satisfaction to our people in the past we gladly welcome him again.

If you don't think something is being done hereaway, just take a ride out through the country, in any direction, and you will find the farmers are all making improvements. A new dwelling here, a new barn there, or out-buildings, fences, etc., that gives the whole country an air of prosperity and progress.

C. A. Blackmar, of Cambridge, has bought the Tecumseh and Cambridge mail route, and made his first trip last Monday. A first-class stage with sufficient team will be used on each trip, and every attention possible will be given to the comfort of passengers, and the prompt performing of errands. Mr. Blackmar is just the man for this place, and we believe he will make a model stage proprietor.

The consolidation of the revenue districts of Michigan will relieve the new United States Senator of the annoyance of making one or two appointments. Alexander Hamilton Morrison, of St. Joseph, and Schuyler S. Olds, of Lansing, who were looking for Rowlson's place will now retire, while John C. Sharp, of Jackson, who had a finger on the same internal revenue place, and one on the Jackson Post office, will now take hold of the latter with both hands.

THE ALUMNI REUNION.

The regular annual reunion of the High School Alumni Society was held last Friday evening at the Presbyterian church parlors. Although the attendance was not as large as on some former occasions, still a very enjoyable evening was passed by those who were present. After an hour spent in social converse, the company repaired to the tables and partook of refreshments suitable to the season. The strawberries and ice cream having been properly passed upon, the literary part of the entertainment was introduced. In the absence of the president, the first vice, Chas. Waldron, officiated in that capacity, who announced this program.

Music—High School Orchestra.
Welcome to the class of '83 by Chas. Waldron.
Response—Miss Ida Taylor.
Music—Orchestra.
History—Miss Luella Waring.
Essay—Miss Jennie Frazer.
Music—Orchestra.

The following toasts and responses were next given.

The Union School—Response by Prof. Hammond.
The Alumni Society—Response by P. S. McKinnon.
The class of '83—Response by Miss May Wood.
The Clergy—Response by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.
The village of Tecumseh—Response by Dr. R. B. House.

The business meeting was next in order and the committee previously appointed reported a list of officers for the ensuing year, who were duly elected by the meeting.

Pres.—Abner Wilson.
1st Vice Pres.—S. W. Anderson.
2d " " —Jennie Root.
3d " " —Grace De Wolf.
Sec'y—Alice Wimple.
Treas.—J. Newton Satterthwaite.
Orator—P. S. McKinnon.
Alternate—Sumner Collins.
Poet—Leila Doty.
Alternate—Eunice Davidson.
Historian—Frank Osborn.
Alternate—Julia Snell.
Essayist—Libbie Satterthwaite.
Alternate—Clara A. Waldron.
Toast Master—Lester P. Tribou.
Ex. Com.—S. W. Anderson, A. W. Mills, J. W. Patterson, Allie McCowen, Mary Anderson.

The history will appear in full in next week's issue of the HERALD.

THE GRADUATING EXERCISES.

A Class of Three Receive Their Diplomas and Launch Their Bark on Life's Voyage.

The High School graduating class was small this year, only three in number, all of them young ladies, but they were none the less ambitious, and the program of graduation was carried out in a manner which reflected credit upon Prof. Hammond and the class. The exercises were held at the Opera House as usual. The class motto, "Learn to labor and to wait," was displayed in large gilt letters upon the rear scene, and the stage was neatly set with flowers, house plants, etc. The exercises began shortly after eight o'clock and the following program was presented:

Music, Overture—High School Orchestra.
Prayer—Rev. C. E. Conley.
Music, Overture—High School Orchestra.
Essay, The True and the False—Mary L. Wood.
Music, "Come where the lillies bloom"—Mrs. Bidwell, and Mrs. Morley, Messrs. Strong and Conkling.
Essay, One Evening—Ida M. Taylor.
Music, "The way through the wood"—Mrs. Bidwell.
Essay, Dew Drops—Adah Waldron.
Music, The Mascotte,—High School Orchestra.
Address in behalf of the class—S. C. Stacy.
Address to class and presentation of diplomas—E. B. Wood.
Music, Inst. Duet—Misses Wood and Taylor.
Benediction—Rev. C. E. Conley.

The music was unusually fine, the High School orchestra giving some fine selections, and the vocal music was good of course. The closing duet was a fitting finale to the program. In the matter of floral gifts this class certainly carried off the palm over any of their predecessors, each young lady receiving two or three dozen bouquets and a number of elegant and elaborate floral pieces. As our space will not permit the publication of the essays in full we give a brief synopsis of them which will indicate their character.

The True and the False.

BY MARY L. WOOD.

There is a standard by which everything in this world must be tested.—Trace the history of a tree. From the beginning unperceived influences are at work. The seed, the soil, the climate, the after culture, the breeze that blows, the sun's rays, the falling rain all have an influence upon its growth. Can we not trace the development of human character with like changes from the cradle to the grave. The home forms the most lasting impression on the youthful mind and hence a child brought up under the guidance of proper home influences gives promise of a better and nobler future than one reared in a home of poverty—and yet it sometime happens that all early influences seem to have no effect. To what are these unlooked for results due? Evil companionship will often counteract the effects of a good home. Every child must learn for himself to decide between the right and the wrong, to test the true and the false. The boy who learns to resist temptation himself, notwithstanding his surroundings is the one who succeeds. This test, "The true and the false," can be applied to nations as well as to individuals. That nation will advance most rapidly in civilization and progress which observes the "True" in government. Let us so strive to shape our actions in this life that we may not be weighed in the balance and found wanting.

One Evening.

BY IDA M. TAYLOR.

A few evenings ago as I was gazing blankly from the window and trying to think of the most agreeable way to dispose of a disagreeable duty, I heard some one say inquiringly, "A lunatic," and then another voice reply: "Hush, its only one of the graduates waiting for an inspiration." I willingly acknowledge the truth of the last that I was waiting for an inspiration and had been during most of the last school year. It had been raining during the afternoon, one of those sudden showers which mar a perfect day, but make the sunshine that follows the brighter. It was a delight to walk.—The essayist here gave an account of her walk, the air castles built, and the mental reflections enjoyed. The essay was imaginative, but displayed much thought and was finely written. In conclusion she said: "If I did not find that for which I sought, I found something much better, a realization that even genius is after all as some one has said, only a great capacity to work, and inspiration or any real good does not come to those who seek for it aimlessly, but to those who learn to labor and to wait."

Dewdrops.

BY ADA WALDRON.

Miss Waldron began with a quotation of three verses from Gray's Elegy, and then proceeded.

Let us continue this picture. Dew drops may be likened to those imperishable thoughts commonly known as quotations. Age, education, character, thought and genius combine to produce them. To those by whom they were written, they may have been nothing more than the tiny drop of water to the cloud of mist. Our whole store of literature is made brilliant and beautiful by these literary dew drops. Our best authors have written from various motives. Shakespeare, Dryden, Johnson and Goldsmith wrote for a livelihood. Scott and Hood to pay off business debts. Milton, Pope and Byron for renown. Spencer and Burns for enjoyment. Bacon, Locke, Addison and Words worth for the good of their fellow men. We cannot tell when quotations were first used, but they were found in the earliest English literary works. Wit or humor in a quotation makes it more prominent, but not more beautiful. The choicest quotations are sometimes taken from unknown authors, although our favorite poets are more largely drawn upon than others for this purpose.—Again the habit of cultivating a love for the choicest thoughts of others will enable us to think deeply ourselves. What our thoughts are our writings must be. May we never say with Thomas Paine, "I would give worlds, had I them at command, if what I had written had not been published." May we rather say with Wordsworth "Nothing I have written contains a line I would wish to blot out."

SPEIAL TO ALL.

Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, or those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

To kill the striped bugs which eat melon, squash or cucumber vines, use [illegible] and touch each leaf in the morning when the dew is on the plants.—Should the beetles leave the plants and go into the ground, use it around the stems of the plants.

Opinion of Dr. Mott, late Government Chemist, on Allcock's Porous Plaster.

My investigation of Allcock's Porous Plaster shows it to contain valuable and essential ingredients not found in any other plaster. These ingredients are so proportioned that the Allcock's Porous Plaster will not cause blisters or excessive irritation, and I find it superior to and more efficient than any other plaster.

HENRY A. MOTT, Jr., Ph.D., F.C.S.
Prof. of Chemistry, N. Y. Medical College, etc., No. 61 Broadway, N.Y., May 23, 1883.

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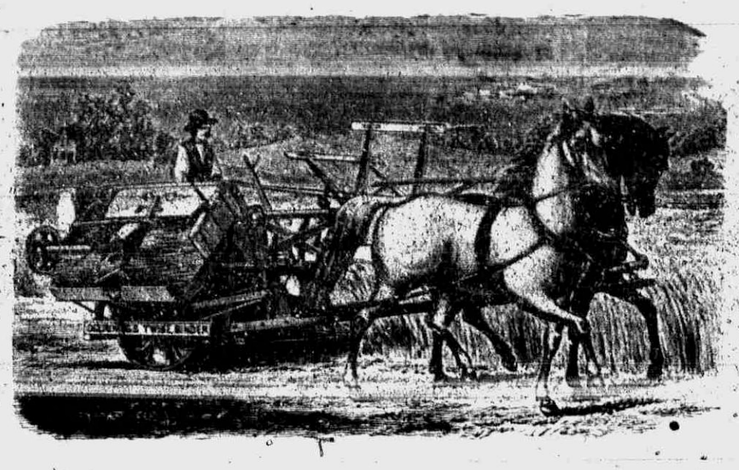

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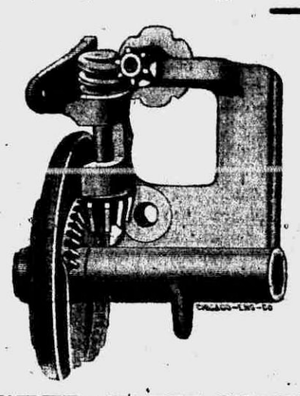

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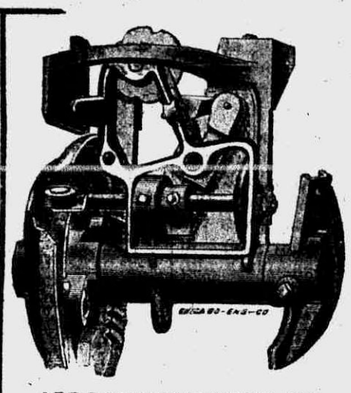

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Guns of the Brazilian Indians.

While visiting Brazil, I saw for the first time the blow gun of the Indians of the country, called by the Spaniards *cerbatana*, by the Portuguese *guaratana*, and by the Indians *pecuna*. It is made of any long, straight piece of wood of which bows, clubs and spears are usually made. The poll or staff is about eight feet in length and two inches in diameter near the mouth, and tapering down to half an inch at the extremity; it is divided longitudinally; a canal is hollowed out along the centre of each part, which is well smoothed and polished by rubbing with fine sand and wood. The two parts are then brought together, nicely molded with a resin of the forest to make it hard. A couple of boar's teeth are fitted to each side of the mouth end, and one of the curved teeth of a small animal—resembling a cross between a squirrel and a hare—is placed on the top for a sight. The arrow is made of any kind of light wood, mostly of the wild cane, or the middle fibre of a species of palm leaf, which is about a foot in length, and the thickness of a match. The end of the arrow, which is placed next the mouth, is wrapped with a very light kind of cotton, which grows in a pod upon quite a large tree, and is called by the natives *huimba*; and the other end, very sharply pointed, is dipped in a vegitable poison prepared from the juice of a beautiful creeper called *bejuco de ambihuasca*, mixed with *aji*, or a strong red pepper, or whatever substance the Indians know to be deleterious.

The marksman, when using his *pecuna*, instead of stretching out the left hand along the body of the tube, places it to his mouth, by grasping it with both hands together close to the mouth-piece, in such a manner that it requires great strength of the arms to hold it out at all, much more to hold it steadily. If a professional marksman, he will kill a bird at thirty or forty paces.

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Sound vs. Spelling.

The little little boy, the son of a grate kernel, with a tough about his neck, flue up the rode swift as ch dear. After sum thyme he stopped at a fine gau house and wrung the belle. His tow hurt him, and he kneaded wrest. He was to tired too raze his fare pail face. A feint mown of pane rose from his lips. The made who herd the belle was about to pair a pare, but she through it down and ran with all her mite, for fear that her guessed wood knot weight. But when she saw the little wonters stood in her eyes at the site.

"Ewe poor dear! Why do yew lye hear? Air you dyeing?"

"Know, I am feint to the corps," said he.

She boar hymn into her arms, as she aught, to a room where he mite be quiet, and gave him bred and meet, held sent under his knows, tide his choier, tapped him warmly, gave him eh suite drachm from a viol, till at last he went fourth hail as a young steer. His eyes shown, his cheeks were as read as a flour, and he gambled by the weighside a hole our or mower.

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Petrified While Alive.

"One of the most heart-rending cases that ever came under my notice," said a well-known physician, "was that of a man whose death could not affect his relations, because he had none; but the manner of his dying was so awful that it was a call upon common humanity for sorrow. He was a young fellow who, at the breaking out of the war, when he was twenty years old, enlisted and fought with courage under Confederate banners. His gallantry was so marked that he was promoted from the ranks and became a captain, with the prospect of further advancement as the war progressed. In the terrible warfare about Nashville in the winter of 186– he was exposed to the rains and colds, and contracted inflammatory rheumatism, from which he never recovered, and which caused his resignation. He returned to his home a miserable cripple, and never was able afterward to work. For three long years he was dying as slowly and surely, and with as much torture, as the most refined cruelties of human invention might have produced.

Do you know what inflammatory rheumatism is? No? Well, imagine that you were lying perfectly still, with not a muscle in play, and the most excruciating pains shooting like barbed hooks through every limb and joint. You try in the delirium of agony to assume another position.

The mere movement of a joint is such an awful cruelty that the rack is an infant horror by the side of it. The inflammation seems to have turned every nerve and muscle to the most delicate pitch of sensibility, and if each nerve in the body were bared and torn simultaneously, the pain could not be greater. Moments become hours, and hours become ages of suffering. Imagine these tortures prolonged through fifteen years of time, every year dragging out like a century, and you can picture to yourself what his life was. Opiates? Of course opiates were administered but what of the moments, when the influence had waned, and when, rushing upon him like wolves of torture made ravenous by hunger, the pains broke through the veil of insensibility and tugged at his frame with teeth of cruelty? The very immunity which opium gave added another horror when it was withdrawn. He was kept under its influence as much as possible. In nine years he had lost every power of muscular effort, and set in his chair a living corpse, only to be moved to his bed, where he became a mummy with the spark of life still glowing

The time shortly came when he no longer lay in his bed, but, sitting in his invalid chair, became the enthroned embodiment of a soul too miserable for life, too sacred to be freed by other hands. If there were in the Sphinx of Egypt an immortal soul and a human intelligence, can you fancy its torture? Day after day looking upon the same hot waste for centuries; day after day with a fixed gazing upon a molten horror of sun, and not blind; year after pitiless year smothered in an awful silence which makes every pain so exquisite that it almost becomes audible to a living persecutor. So he sat, year after year with his muscles fixed in iron, his eyes looking upon a world as dreary as misery could paint it; his voice sinking in his throat, only to be expelled by hunted nature in wild and piteous cries when the pain racked into hopeless cowardice the strong heart that had led his men up to the dreadful caverns of cannons' mouths without a flinch. But there came a time when the restless days and nights of active torture became to him as a delightful reminiscence. The time came slowly and like eternity. If you were to confine a man and let one drop of water fall on his head every five minutes, it would kill. But, before death, would come years of suspense that would move like the change of fixed stars. There would come that awful suspense of time when the pitiless drop would fall like the crash of a universe upon the doomed head.

The time when the very life stood still, and the soul was imprisoned in a mausoleum. Fixed and rigid, the poor boy was a sphynx, endowed with life and deprived of movement. Every joint in his body became ossified by the chalky deposits, and not even a movement that provoked deathless agony became possible. Even the joints of his neck became rigid, the fingers stiff and the limbs petrified. He was a stone frame, with a covering of flesh and the soul of a living man. The muscles of the eye even failed, and the lids, falling upon the weary balls, shut in forever the darkness that hung about him like the gloom of the grave. Then, came, with the same steps of measured eternity, the ossification of the joints of the jaw, and he was fed between the rigid teeth. How slowly death moved cannot be described, but when the inflammation had seized his heart in that last prolonged spasm, nature could no longer give warning of its agony. What tortures took place under the drawn curtain of that human mystery can no more be told than the secrets of those horrors in the lowest dungeons of the Inquisition. Death came, but it was like the fading of the mist-line into the clouds, and as we stood about that chair no one dared to utter his thought—no one could tell whether the soul still lurked in its prison, or whether death was life, or life was death.

When he was buried his fixed limbs were broken with hammers, in order that he might be placed in a coffin."—*Louisville Courier Journal.*

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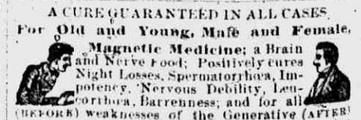

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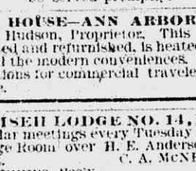

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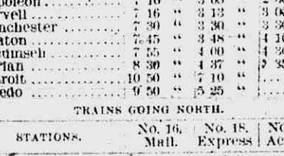

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The Tarantula Spider.

This name is given to a large spider, observed at first in the neighborhood of Tarentum, in Italy, and for the bite of which, considered poisonous, music and dancing were said to be the only remedy. Certain songs and airs were solemnly used for the occasion, and the tarantula itself danced to the air of the "tarantella." The truth is that the bite produced disorders of the nervous system, with strong convulsive movements, which was exaggerated into dancing. This disorder seems to have occurred frequently in the kingdom of Naples during the sixteenth century, to have been nearly similar in its character to the disease which was originally called "St. Vitus' Dance," and to that which has occasionally prevailed in parts of Scotland, and has been called the "leaping ague."

The patients, nearly all of whom were women, soon after being bitten, as it was supposed, used to fall into a stupor, from which nothing revived them but the sound of such music as pleased them, on hearing which they had an irresistible desire to [illegible] the music continued, and was in tune and sufficiently lively, they would go on jumping and dancing till they fell exhausted, and all the time some used to shriek, some to laugh and sing, some to weep. When, after a short rest, they had recovered from their fatigue, they would again begin to dance with as much vigor as before, unless the music were played slowly or confusedly, when they would stop and grow anxious or melancholy; or even, if the music were not soon made agreeable to them, would fall into a dangerous state of stupor. The disease used to last about four days, and seemed to be cured by the profuse perspiration brought on by the active exercise; but it often returned at the same time in the following year, or even for a succession of years, and on every occasion required the same treatment. The nervous affection was called the Tarantismus. Since it has been found that the bite of the tarantula can produce no such strange effects as these, many have suspected that the disease ascribed to it never really existed, but was feigned for the purpose of exciting pity, or for the pleasure of dancing. There is good reason to believe that in most instances it was merely counterfeited; but there can be no doubt that such a disease has occurred, and has given occasion to the practice of the fraud.

The habits of the tarantula are very curious. Its jaws and feet are large and strong; its legs and feet are furnished with long stiff spurs, with which the animal seizes its prey; and its foremost two pair of feet are furnished with a down, like a brush, which the tarantula employs in making its toilette, and in crawling on smooth surfaces; the feet are terminated by two strong nails. When full grown, it inhabits its underground passages, forming a burrow sunk to the depth of a foot beneath the surface; and this burrow not only protects the animal from the pursuits of its enemies, but serves it as an observatory, whence it may dart on its prey. At first the hole sinks perpendicularly, then bends and forms an almost horizontal elbow, after which it resumes its direction downwards. At this elbow the tarantula stands sentry, never losing sight of the door of its dwelling; and here the creature's eyes glitter like diamonds, rendered bright like those of a cat, by darkness. Externally, the opening of the tarantula's burrow is surmounted by a funnel, constructed of pieces of dry wood, united by clay, and lined with a web spun by the spider, which is continued through the whole interior of the burrow. This prevents the fall of earth, and enables the tarantula by its claws quickly to ascend or scale its fortress.

M. Leon Dufour has described the mode of hunting the tarantula, mostly in May and June, at Valencia, in Spain. The Apuhan peasants imitate at the month of the hole the humming of an insect by means of an oaten stalk, and so lure the tarantula to the mouth of the burrow, and capture him. It is easily tamed. M. Dufour put two full-grown and very vigorous male tarantulas together in a glass vase, and then witnessed a combat fought with wonderful strategy, until the ferocious vanquisher mortally wounded his enemy in the head, and then devoured him.

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Preserving Autumn Leaves.

In Appleton's "Summer Book" we find some directions for preserving autumn leaves, written by a lady whose success in the preservation of such leaves has given her quite a local reputation. "From her own observation," she says, "I think it is a mistaken idea that frosts are needed to brighten and deepen the tints of autumn leaves. 'Leaves have their time to fall' is as certain as any of Nature's marvels, and they do it much more gracefully in the mellowing sunshine, ripening day by day, every day showing new tints and beauties, until they fall, their mission accomplished. To preserve their coloring, they should be gathered from the trees before frosts (getting all the shades and tints possible, of course,) sought, and in sprays suitably for pressing, and in once place between the leaves (not too near together) of books or newspapers, and several pounds weight laid upon them. They should be kept, while pressing, in a cool place, and as often as every other day (every day is better during the first week) changed into new books. This is important, because the paper absorbs dampness from the leaves, and they soon get discolored if allowed to remain.

They should be kept in press until thoroughly dry—between two and three weeks; otherwise they shrivel. They are then ready for a coating of oil or varnish. I find a mixture of three ounces of spirits of turpentine, two ounces of boiled linseed oil, and half an ounce of white varnish preferable to either alone. Get a perfectly smooth board, large enough to lay a spray upon, with no reaching of the leaves beyond the outer edges, or in an unlucky moment comes the wail: 'How could I be so careless as to break off the very loveliest leaf!' I have done it more than once, and have thereby learned that autumn leaves are brittle things and require tender handling. Take a piece of soft cloth to apply the dressing. A brush does not do it as evenly and there must be no streaks left. They are a blemish when dry.

After the application, the leaves must be laid carefully on boards or papers (not over-lapping each other) until dry, and then disposed of as taste suggests, avoiding as much as possible a stiff, unnatural arrangement. They charm me most in sprays and groups on curtains and walls with or without ferns; but they can be arranged very artistically on the panels of doors, using starch for holding them in place. I have seen them used with evergreens in winter decorations with great effect. The stem can be broken off, and a fine wire attached in its place, which makes them a little more yielding to handle. There is beauty for some in a wreath, so called, of autumn leaves; but I have always failed to see it, more especially if under glass. They have such a helpless, imprisoned look—the beauty all flattened out of them.

Not long since I read the maledictions of an individual on a newspaper. He had read in it: 'To preserve autumn leaves, put a little white wax on the surface and pass a warm iron over them.' He said he sat up till after midnight ruining a bushel of the loveliest leaves he ever saw. 'It left them the color of an old felt hat.' I have had some experience in the ironing process, and can truthfully say it spoils both leaves and temper. The leaves of sumach and the Virginia creeper, or five-fingered ivy, will retain their beauty for a time if pressed, and can be used to advantage with other leaves; but after drying they have not much substance, and soon 'the grace of the fashion of them perisheth,' as do so many other beautiful things."

Human and Animal Bones.

It is remarkable how frequently the bones of horses, cows dogs, and sheep are mistaken for those of human beings. "In an antiquarian collection of relics obtained from a neighboring Roman castrum, I saw (says Dr Alfred Taylor) the tibia of a dog carefully labelled and religiously preserved as the bones of an ancient Roman. The same collection contained fragments of bones of various animals—carnivorous and herbivorous—all marked as human relics. This collection belonged to an antiquary who preferred adopting his own view of the nature of the relics to taking the opinion of any one acquainted with anatomy. Even well-informed men may be easily mistaken on such subjects. Belzoni, the celebrated traveler, brought from Egypt, with his sarcophagi, a number of bones taken from the interior of the Pyramids, which he pronounced to be the bones of King Cephrenes, and of some of the Shepherd Kings. The late Mr. Clift, of the Royal College of Surgeons, by the request of a friend, went down to examine them after they had been submitted to public exhibition, and he found that they were nothing more than the bones of oxen. The osseous relics of saints, as they are collected and preserved in glass and crystal cases in Roman Catholic countries, often present anomalies which would surprise an anatomist. Supernumerary ribs and vertebræ are not uncommon, and intermixed with them I have seen bones which certainly never appertained to a human being.

These facts show the importance of entrusting the examination of bones, in all judicial inquiries, to well-educated medical men. The lamentable effects of popular ignorance were displayed in a case that occurred at Damascus in 1840, which at the time excited great public notice. A Roman Catholic priest and a boy suddenly disappeared in the early part of that year, and a strong suspicion arose that they had been murdered. Certain Jews were charged with having murdered them. The sewer in the quarter of the town in which they lived was examined, and some bones were found. These were pronounced by the persons who discovered them to be human bones, and the discovery was considered sufficient to confirm the suspicion of murder which had arisen. Some persons who inspected the bones pronounced that they must have been lying in the sewer for a great length of time, and that they were those of an animal. A proposition was then made that the bones should be packed in a box and forwarded to the Parisian Academy of Medicine for their decision. I believe it was subsequently clearly proven that they were animal remains."

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5 10	8 35	Lv. Toledo	Ar.	10 00	5 00
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5 39	8 47	" Alexis Jct.	"	9 44	4 04
6 00	9 00	" Monroe Jct.	"	9 30	3 30
6 14	9 13	" Dundee	"	9 00	3 18
6 28	9 24	" Azalia	"	[illegible]	3 06
6 44	9 36	" Milan	"	8 37	2 55
6 55	10 19	" Urania	"	8 [illegible]	2 26
7 05	10 25	" Pittsfield	"	8 00	2 16
7 17	10 40	Ar. Ann Arbor	Lv.	7 45	2 12
	7 30				A.M.
8 10	12 [illegible]	Jackson	"	5 10	9 50
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8 [illegible]	1 15	Battle Creek	"	4 [illegible]	8 [illegible]
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6 [illegible]	7 00	Grand Rapids	"	9 00	6 30
P.M.	A.M.				P.M.
1 15	10 25	Lv. Ann Arbor	Ar.	7 00	1 15
3 10	2 20	Ar. South Lyon	Lv.	5 20	11 10
					A.M.
3 30	2 35	Lansing	Lv.	5 10	10 15
					A.M.
11 05	7 00	Ionia	"	1 00	11 00
A.M.					
12 20	8 [illegible]	Saginaw	"	2 10	9 00
	6 30	Bay City	"	1 00	7 [illegible]
12 [illegible]	7 25	Bay City	"	2 55	5 [illegible]
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	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
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Hand	‡ 7 30	*10 10	5 20	7 30
Romulus	7 44	10 24	5 32*	8 20
Belleville	7 53	*10 33	6 02	8 57
Willis	‡ 8 03	*10 42	6 12	9 05
Whittaker	‡ 8 07	*10 47	6 20	9 50
Milan	‡ 8 20	10 59	6 33	10 55
Cone	‡ 8 47	*11 05	6 43	11 25
Britton	‡ 8 57	*11 16	6 51	11 35
Holloway	‡ 8 47	*11 25	7 06	11 45
Adrian	9 02	11 49	7 24	12 55
Sand Creek	‡ 9 16	*11 53	7 39	1 30
North Morenci	9 32	*12 08	7 57	2 10
North Fayette	‡ 9 45	*12 20	8 11	2 35
Alvordton	‡10 00	*12 32	8 25	2 20
Montpelier	10 24	12 52	8 50	4 25
Blakesley	10 39	* 1 06	9 07	5 00
BUTLER	11 00	1 25	9 30	5 40
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Acc'n	W. Pt
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 25	‡ 3 18	‡ 5 30	‡ 7 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	‡ 4 10	5 51	7 51
Montpelier	‡ 9 11	‡ 4 25	6 08	8 45
Alvordton	‡ 9 30	‡ 4 47	6 30	9 10
North Fayette	* 9 45	‡ 5 03	6 46	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	‡ 5 14	7 00	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	‡ 5 30	7 16	10 30
Adrian	10 30	5 47	7 32	12 25
Holloway	*10 50	‡ 6 03	7 46	12 55
Britton	*10 59	‡ 6 13	7 56	1 [illegible]
Cone	*10 44	‡ 6 24	8 [illegible]	1 [illegible]
Milan	10 55	‡ 6 33	8 20	2 00
Whittaker	*11 00	‡ 6 40	8 30	2 45
Willis	*11 10	‡ 6 47	8 40	2 [illegible]
Belleville	*11 18	‡ 6 56	8 57	3 [illegible]
Romulus	11 26	‡ 7 05	9 08	4 44
Hand	*11 39	‡ 7 19	9 22	4 [illegible]
DETROIT	12 05	‡ 7 50	10 00	5 20
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN pursuance of the estate of Reuben H. Shafer, deceased.

By virtue of a license granted to the undersigned, administrator of said estate by the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, on the 24th day of May, A.D. 1883, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the premises hereinafter described, that being the last residence of said deceased in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of July, A.D. 1883, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all that parcel of land situate in the Village and Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, (27) of town five, (5) south of range four (4) East, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street so called in the Village of Tecumseh in said county at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road leading Easterly and Westerly through said section twenty-seven, and opposite the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running North 18° and 0' west along the center of Maumee street and the line between the East and West halves of said Northwest quarter of said section, about fifteen (15) chains, twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day as he supposed, thence East on South line of said Day's said land seven chains and 19 links; thence South 1° and 0' East fifteen chains and nineteen (19) links parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running Easterly and Westerly through said section, thence Westerly along the center of said last named road eleven chains and twenty-eight links to place of beginning—excepting therefrom about one and one-half acres sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler, also excepting a lot numbered on the recorded plat of said Village of Tecumseh as lot 261, sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton, also another parcel of land sold and conveyed by said Bidwell to said Saddler, adjoining said Saddler's said lot, on No. 1 side, also excepting therefrom that parcel conveyed by William Treadwell to Elizabeth Jordan by deed bearing date November 19, 1883, of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County in Liber 87 of deeds, page 1[illegible], leaving ten acres of land above described subject to the lien of a mortgage made by said deceased to William Richard, bearing date December 1[illegible], 1881, for $100.00 and interest thereon from the 24th day of February, 1882, and subject to the dower and homestead rights of Diana Shafer, widow of said deceased therein.

Terms of sale published at or before the sale. Dated May 24th, 1883.

JOSEPH L. NEWING, Administrator.

ESTATE OF IRA STEWART.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, [illegible]

At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 4th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ira Stewart, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles Stewart and Hannah P. Stewart, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that a time and place be assigned for examining and allowing the account of said executors of said estate, and that they may be allowed the expenses of administration, and such other and further relief as may be necessary, according to the prayer of said petition.

It is ordered that Monday, the 9th day of July next, be assigned for examining and allowing said account, when all persons interested in said estate are to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the DEMOCRATIC HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. Salmon, Probate Register. [illegible]

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There personally appeared George Netcher, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is a resident of the Windsor House, Titusville, that he is fifty-eight years of age, and that he has been afflicted painfully severe, more especially in the right shoulder, so as to be unable to lift my arm without the aid of the other. After taking the second dose of Wilson's Lightning Remedy for Rheumatism, the pain left my arm and I could hand it with ease as if it had not been affected. Now I am relieved entirely after taking seventeen doses. GEO. NETCHER.

Sworn and subscribed before me, April 19th, 1883. J. D. B. CLARK, Justice of the Peace.

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RAILROAD NOTES.

We learn from Ass't Engineer Baird that two new lines are being surveyed by the M. & O road from Britton. One runs from Britton in almost an air line to Alexis above Toledo, crossing the Lake Shore at Deerfield. The other [illegible] Britton direct to Fedeciman, the T. & A. A. crossing with the Monroe branch and then parallel with the T. & A. A. to Toledo. From all the information we can now gather, it is more than probable that one of these two lines will be adopted.

Deerfield Record: A surveyor of the new Toledo & Milwaukee railway appeared in town on Wednesday and yesterday with a gang of men, began surveying a new line for that road. The start was made from Corbus, and the line will run in a southeasterly direction with the intention of striking [illegible] near Toledo, where it is said [illegible] have probably failed in their arrangements with the Toledo & Ann Arbor road, and will build an independent line of their own into Toledo. And as the line by way of Dundee would be several miles out of the way, the company propose to run the road in a direct line from Britton on the Wabash through this village to Toledo. Perhaps after all the talk indulged in by Petersburg and Dundee, Deerfield will get the Toledo & Milwaukee road.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unclaimed for in the Post Office at Tecumseh, July 1, 1883.

Allen, Frank	Clarkin, Cory
Brown, Alice	Lubbis, N. M.
Falck, Rudolf	Smiley

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., July 1, 1883.

Frantz, Miss Carrie	McBeth, Miss Smyrthia
Hawkins, Miss Anna	Phelps, Angie
Hickeyn, Jacob	Rapelye, D. L.
Johnson, Willard	Sabin, Mary A.
Leach, T. L.	Smith, Mrs. Stella J.
Larose, T. L.	Schroeder, Charley
Mead, Curtis	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say advertised. PETER SHARP, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

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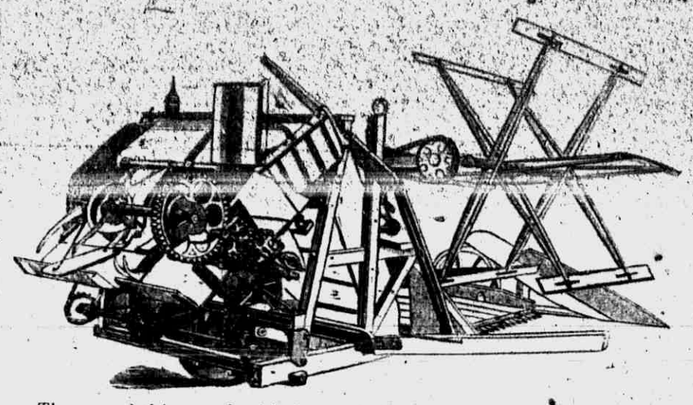

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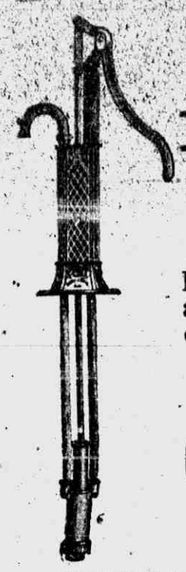

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Next Sunday evening there will be a Sunday school concert at the Methodist church.

Miss Bertie Sage has a friend from Vermontville spending a few days with her.

Owing to the heavy fall of rain last Wednesday, the pleasure seekers were obliged to leave the picnic grove and take shelter in the church, where the exercises were held and all present enjoyed a very substantial supper. The exercises consisted of music, recitations, essays and an address by the Rev. C. E. Conley. Great preparations had been made to have everything pass off pleasantly, and if the weather had only permitted, everyone would have been well pleased.

The sound of the mower is making "iron music" on the farm and the "perfume of the new mown hay" is wafted to us by the passing breeze. These poetic allusions are not appreciated by the farm boy, who wearily leaning on his fork, listens attentively to catch the welcome sound of the dinner bell.

A DISSOLUTION.

The Salvation Army of Adrian has been mustered out of service, that is, the old firm have dissolved partnership and the concern will be reorganized. The Record gives these interesting details.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between General Walter S. Bailey and Major Cole, under the firm name of The Grand Salvation Army of America, Bailey & Cole, proprietors and commanders, (copyright secured) was last evening dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the above firm will be collected, and all debts charged to the firm will be paid by the said Bailey who will continue the business under the old name with all the rights, titles and appurtenances thereunto. Several of the outlaying strongholds of the devil, including Toledo and Jackson will be stormed, and forts will be established therein.

Major Cole will still continue his work among the Phillistines, although he does not contemplate the organization of an army. Captain Shorter and Sister Carr are still fighting the good fight, and last evening they skirmished on the "hill."

Let the good (?) work go on!

A few more "split ups" and the army will be a thing of the past. Not content with fighting the "World, the Flesh and the Devil," they must needs, for the want of something to do, fight among themselves. Verily, what a wonderful thing is grace, where it moveth itself.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

A sad accident occurred at Hudson last Monday, the details of which we gather from the Adrian Times:

A terrible accident occurred here this afternoon, at the passage of the L. S. & M. S. train, at 12:35.

A team driven by a Rollin man, Henry Hord, who was accompanied by Lon Fitts, of the same place, were frightened by the escaping steam from the locomotive. The team was being driven into the village, on Railroad street and went down that street at a terrific pace. Near the Lane street crossing stood the horse and buggy of Dr. Chapman, the proprietor of the Zaube Wasser sanitarium. In the buggy sat Wesley Goty, who was in the employ of Dr. Chapman. The vehicle attached to the runaway team collided with the buggy of Dr. Chapman, throwing Goty to the pavement with great force, and killing him instantly.

The buggy of Dr. Chapman was badly smashed, and the Rollin vehicle was considerably demoralized.

Brooklyn Exponent: Mrs. Joseph Wright, over sixty years of age, met with a painful accident a few days ago. She had been sitting up the first half of the night with Mrs. Wm. H. Ambler and was relieved about midnight when she started as she supposed, to go up-stairs, but entered the cellar way by mistake and fell to the bottom of the stairs, sustaining severe bruises and internal injuries.—She is at present improving so that she is able to sit up.

Detroit News: Dr. Rynd, of Adrian, went to Pinckney on the Fourth to make an oration. He began and the seats fell down. He continued and the platform on which he was standing went down. He closed, and lightning tore the inwards out of the telegraph office. He started home, and a cyclone came up and the rain soaked up what was left of the celebration.—The doctor has a terribly strong voice.

George Osins, George Wahr and Chas. H. Ludlow have bought the stock of books and wall paper of Jno. Moore, an old established dealer at Ann Arbor. The firm name will be George Osins & Co.

WOOL PROSPECTS.

The last Michigan Farmer has this to say about the present wool prospects:

The wool market in this State has now been open for about three weeks, and we cannot as yet see that there has been any appreciation in values such as usually takes place after the season has fairly opened. There is no doubt but there is a firmer feeling among holders, and that the top price is more readily obtained by sellers than two weeks ago, but that is all that can be said. There is also more disposition apparent among manufacturers to lay in stocks at prevailing low rates than was apparent some weeks ago, they having arrived at the conclusion that a stock of wool laid in at present prices cannot, in the nature of things, prove a poor investment. Washed wool is selling in the interior at a range of 28a32c per lb., with 30c the average price. Now in Boston Michigan X is selling at 35c. per lb. As the cost of laying down wool in Boston is from 3a3½c per lb., even if Michigan fleeces were all to grade X wool, there would be a fair margin of profit for the dealers. But here is where the point comes in. A good fleece of wool, such as is produced on our best grade flocks, contains a certain amount of delaine wool which sells at 40 a 42 c per lb., and a certain amount of what is denominated No. 1 clothing wool, worth 39a41c. and the balance is classed as X. The stapler sorts these grades out, and they are sold to the manufacturer for just what they are, while the price received for the X grade is the ruling one in governing the price paid to the wool-grower. The fact is the grower should have his wool graded and sold in the market for just what it is. The more of the high priced grades it contained the more money he would receive, while the ill-conditioned fleeces of the careless wool-grower would only bring what they are worth. If a farmer is enterprising enough to grade up his sheep to a high standard, and grow a fine quality of wool, he should have the benefit of it. At present his wool only goes to help the general average of the purchases made by the wool-buyer. A proper method of buying wool on its merits would benefit the wool-grower and the manufacturer, and encourage farmers to grow a better quality of wool.

ELECTION OF COUNTY EXAMINERS.

The election of a county school examiner, to succeed Prof. Hammond, will take place August 7, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of the county clerk. The following are the names of the board who participate in the election:

Adrian—E. Montgomery.
Blissfield—W. W. Goff.
Cambridge—E. C. Keeny.
Clinton—C. F. Field.
Deerfield—R. E. Burnett.
Dover—Abram Lerch.
Fairfield—J. G. Patterson.
Franklin—Thos. Conlin.
Hudson—Abram Loyster.
Macon—Rachel M. Howell.
Madison—C. E. Mitchell.
Medina—S. K. Griffin.
Ogden—Samuel Young.
Palmyra—J. E. Jacklin.
Raisin—Cyrus Crandall.
Ridgeway—John Van Vleet.
Riga—W. H. Wise.
Rollin—Vincent Wood.
Rome—J. H. Combs.
Seneca—B. C. Franklin.
Tecumseh—L. M. Ide.
Woodstock—C. B. Heath.

The law provides that immediately after the annual election there shall be a joint meeting of the board of school examiners, and the chairmen of the boards of school inspectors in the several townships for the purpose of discussing matters of interest to the schools.

At a meeting of the Methodist ministers held in Chicago recently, Dr. Adam Miller read a paper on "The Prayer and Faith Cure." Referring to the case of Garfield, he said the doctors cut an artificial canal through the poor sufferer in trying to make out the course of the bullet—a hole that was a gold mine to them; the most expensive hole for its size any Government ever paid for; a horrible bore in a wrong direction; but the doctors worked it night and day, and finally made $20,000 out of this scientific blunder. Speaking of the prayer cure, he said the Apostle Paul could not remove his "thorn in the flesh" or bodily affliction, although he tried the prayer cure three times, and had finally to content himself with grace sufficient to bear his affliction. There was no objection to faithful and earnest prayer, and no one dared say that such was without effect, but the speaker questioned that it had any direct influence on the cure of disease.

The business of this office has largely increased since the opening of the direct telephone line between Adrian and Toledo.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

The Albion Methodists think of building a new parsonage.

The Richmond saloons were allowed to be kept open July 4.

Louis Dizel, of Posen, Presque Isle county, accidentally shot and killed himself last week.

[illegible] damage was done by the storm in Livingston and Clinton counties on the 4th.

The Jackson ladies have presented the local military company a handsome flag, costing $125.

Ontonagon is a much-heard-of place, but it hasn't yet a railroad outlet, a telegraph or a village charter.

James Perkins, of Quincy township, Branch county, was killed by lightning July 4, and his barn burned.

Over 800 ex-soldiers attended the Corunna reunion. Ex-Gov. Blair was the orator.

Edward Couper, the man charged with trying to assassinate Milton Waite, of East Milan, has been held for trial in $10,000 bail.

Dr. J. H. Kellogg, superintendent of the Battle Creek sanitarium, returned from his extended European trip last week.

Adam Frey, of the Coldbrook brewery, Grand Rapids, shot himself through the head. No cause for the suicide is assigned.

A new postoffice is to be established at Caskin, Clinton county, and the office at Point Richards, Montcalm county has been discontinued.

E. C. Adams, of Battle Creek, late of Homer won the two-mile bicycle race at Battle Creek, the 4th, and received a handsome $30 gold badge.

There has been 50,000 pounds of wool bought at Reading this season so far, at from 28 to 33 cents, but 30 cents is about the ruling price.

Robert Gilmer has been paid $1,044.42 by the city of Grand Rapids—a court judgment for damages received by falling through a rickety sidewalk.

George Stubbs, aged 74, was killed by the cars near St. Johns last Friday night. He was walking on the track and paid no heed to the engine signals.

A run of $350 against a Mt. Clemens faro bank, caused it to shut up shop, but there are plenty of other gaming places there to supply the local demand.

A branch of the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad is being extended from a point a little west of Farwell into the pine woods. It is aimed at a large quantity of pine lumber.

Up to June 27 there had been a falling off of 346,411 gross tons in the amount of iron ore shipped by water from the Lake Superior iron ports, as compared with the shipments for the season of last year. This is a drop of nearly 50 per cent.

The St. Johns Republican says:—"Gen. O. L. Spaulding is now in the Sandwich islands looking up the alleged fraudulent importation of sugar. Before leaving San Francisco he settled an intricate quarrel over the seizure, by the government, of $300,000 worth of opium."

The Flint & Pere Marquette railroad company is being importuned to extend their Ottar Lake branch from Fostoria via Mayville to Caro and thence on through Ellington, Elmwood, Cass City, Elkhart, North Burns and other points in Tuscola county to Bad Axe in Huron county, and from that point to Huron City on the shore of Lake Huron.

A mortgage on the Manistee Democrat was foreclosed last week, and the concern was bid in by Representative R. R. Blacker, for the mortgagees. A stock company is to be formed, new material purchased, and A. B. Carrier, of the Frankfort Express, has been engaged to manage the paper at a salary of $1,500 a year. There is no reason why the Democrat should not succeed.

For generations past it has been the custom of boys of Monroe to invade the railroad cars at that station with fruit for sale, and such fruit. Great ripe luscious grapes, noble apples, unapproachable peaches and pears that would melt in your mouth. The fruit boys have made Monroe's fruit famous, and the weary traveler always looked forward to the halt at Monroe with visions of a heap of good fruit for a small amount of money. But the monopoly that now controls the vending nuisance on the cars wanted protection, the free trade in fruit between the travelers and the Monroe boys has been throttled, the boys are no longer allowed to board the cars, and Monroe station is no longer more interesting to them than any other railroad station.—Evening News.

THAT AMATEUR FLUTE.

Hear the flutter with his flute—
silver flute!
Oh, what a world of wailing is awakened by his
lute!
How it drums and quavers
On the maddened ear of night!
To escape the sound of sight
Of the flute, flute, flute,
With its mouth, mouth, mouth—
With repeating to the stings of a suspended lute,
The long protracted tootlings of the flying lute,
Of the flute, flute, flute, etc.
Flute, flute, flute.
[illegible]
[illegible]
Hear the people call the performer a fool
As he plays on the flute
All the day!
How he blows on his wry mouth
With the pucker!
And the people do the pouting
That this blowing is the source
But that a Christian person
[illegible]
Is bewildering years, years, years,
In the service of vagrs,
And he thinks we ought to listen,
And express us to be mute,
While we would rather have the earache
Than the troubled in the flutes—
Of the flute, flute, flute.
And the tootings of the lute—
While fools will seem to be tooted to such silly tunes,
Of the flute, flute, flute,
Flute, flute, flute!
And the tootings [illegible]

—Eugene Field.

KINDNESS TO ANIMALS.

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MR. CHALKER'S RISE.

BY FRANK H. TAYLOR.

Every country boy in New England knows that the village school house is generally located at the top of the bleakest hill in the neighborhood, and is the sport of every eddying gust of wind that drives near, heaping the great drifts across the road and about the door for the children to break through, and then shake themselves free of the clinging snow like so many Newfoundlands.

And where by any chance, was there ever a school house containing a stove that didn't roast the scholars seated near it, and leave the others to freeze?

All wide-awake boys who know the pleasures of skating will agree with me that however cold and stormy it is upon the hill-tops, the mill-pond and what does a village amount to without a mill pond, indeed? is always down in the cosiest nook between the hills, where the wind can't come with more force than is needed to blow the falling flakes across its smooth surface, piling them in great heaps among the bordering willows, and leaving the ice in tempting order for "shinny."

In fact, upon this, the coldest morning of the winter the school house upon the hill-top is not to be mentioned or thought of in comparison with mill-ponds for comfort or attractiveness, and it is hardly surprising that Mr. Chalker, the school-master, walked to and fro in solitary state, surveying with vexed air an array of vacant desks.

He was not altogether alone, however, for three boys had fought bravely through the drifts, and now sat huddled by the red-hot stove, trying to look as though they, at least, didn't think the weather a good excuse for staying at home to hunt hens' nests in the depths of the hay mow.

Now schoolmaster Chalker was a shrewd observer, and loved a good joke as well as any one. He had adopted many original plans of instruction. He could see one end of the mill-pond, half a mile away from his window, and as he gazed out upon the bleak waste of snow-clad fields he saw a couple of small black figures gliding over its surface, and a trace of a smile those among his wrinkles as an idea seemed to strike him.

Perhaps he had recalled the time, ever so many years ago, when he too was a lad and the "wildest cub in the town," as his father often declared. Turning to one of the boys, he said, "Ben, it seems to me that the pond's a much nicer place for us to-day than the school house. Let's go fishing. I can't skate, but perhaps I can show you how we used to catch pickerel down there fifty years ago."

Ben and his two companions looked at Mr. Chalker with eyes widely opened, but they soon found that he was in earnest, and they agreed to the proposition joyfully.

"Now, said Mr. Chalker, "two of you get out the bob-sled, and heap on plenty of sticks from the wood pile. Be sure and get some big ones; and you, Benton, go down to Mampson, the miller, with this note: 'He will let you have some lines, and a few minnows for bait.'"

When the school house had been properly locked up and they had started, dragging the sled after them, it occurred to Ben to suggest a slide. So all three got upon the sled and slid away merrily toward the pond. The road was straight but steep, though near the bottom there was a sharp curve, where the wind had blown away the snow, leaving a crust of smooth ice. Over this they sped at a lively pace, Ben steering. Poor Ben couldn't turn the corner, and in another second the sled, schoolmaster, and all, plunged into the depths of a big drift. Nothing was to be seen of Mr Chalker for a moment but his heels, but he shortly emerged, puffing and laughing heartily, much to the boys' relief who had begun to think the fun was all over. But Mr. Chalker shook himself, and declared he enjoyed it, and was ready to try it over; in fact, he didn't act a bit like a schoolmaster, but just a boy let loose—a very old boy, to be sure, but a very hearty one for all that.

It only required a few minutes to cut a couple of round holes in the ice, and to build a roaring fire upon a platform of heavy sticks and flat stones—a fire that flung its forked tongues into the keen air in utter defiance of the Frost King and all his assaults.

The half-dozen boys already on the pond viewed their preparations with considerable wonder, but gathering courage, hastily skated up and warmed their fingers at the fire.

[illegible] more than a dozen other boys looked out from the windows of the [illegible] scattered along the hill-side, and said something like this. "Mother, I guess there isn't any school today. I don't see any smoke comin' out of the chimney. Can I go down to the pond?"

And an equal number of mothers replied, "Why, of course, not. It's much too cold for you to go out. You can't see yourself and besides, you don't feel well."

[illegible] of the boys, the good mothers, on the strength of their [illegible] feel so badly after all, "I don't care, mother, you know I think you might let—"

Upon which, all the mothers said in order, "Well, do go along, but mind you don't get into any air holes."

These, before an hour had passed, nearly [illegible] over the pond, as scattered in the group watching Mr Chalker and his fishing party.

Meanwhile the schoolmaster and Ben had enjoyed remarkable luck. Four or five [illegible] lay on the ice, and a fifth, much the biggest ever seen in the pond, of course, had just been hauled in by Ben to put the others up.

Now it occurred to Mr. Chalker that it would be much more of everybody had sport, so he suggested to the boys that they should bring some hook rods and set down a [illegible] beside him. This was done with a merry good-will, and Mr Chalker showed them with [illegible] patience how to bait hooks and how to fish [illegible] in this way.

"Now, said he, I see that this old pond is to hold a school, and I'm in that unfortunate situation of being in such weather suited, and so I propose to [illegible] these waters we meet here on the pond [illegible] I think we [illegible]

[illegible] by the fire, and though [illegible] his last to carry [illegible] boys, none of them dared to [illegible] for Mr Chalker [illegible] a very [illegible] and dignified pedagogue indeed, and Ben would scarcely [illegible] that he had seen him turn head over heels [illegible] first out a couple of hours before.

Without further ado the teacher pulled [illegible] of spellers from his several pockets and said: "The first class in spelling will take stations on this side."

There was a sudden dispersion of the boys, for they had been fairly tripped, and they hearily chorked with inward laughter as they went through with spelling, arithmetic and reading, taking turns at keeping [illegible]

When he thought that the real lesson of the day had been well impressed upon the scholars, Mr Chalker dismissed his school, and as he landed the last fish, and strung him through the gills with the others on a willow twig, he chuckled to himself, "I don't know who's has had the most fun to-day, the boys or the master, but I'll venture to say they'll be on hand, cold or no cold, after this.—*Harpers Young People.*

The Dismal Swamp.

The Dismal Swamp, says an exchange, is not a vast bog sunk low in the ground, into which the drainage of the surrounding country flows. On the contrary, it is above the level ground some, fifteen or twenty feet, as was demonstrated by actual surveys. Instead of being a receptacle into which rivers and streams enter and flow, it is in reality, an immense reservoir that, in its spongelike bulk, gathers the waters that fall from the heavens and pours them into five different rivers, which flow onward to the sea. Any one could imagine that the "Dismal" was a veritable charnel-house that spread its miasma throughout the country. On the contrary it is the healthiest place upon the American continent. The swamp is formed entirely of green timber. There is actually no decomposed wood; one sees large trees lying all around in the forests and swamps. The two principal woods that grow in the place are juniper and cypress, which never rot. They fall prone to the ground like other trees, but instead of the wood decomposing it turns into peat, and lies indissoluble by air and water for ages—perfectly sound. There is nothing in the swamp to create miasma; no rising of the tides and decomposition of rank vegetables; no marshes exposed to the burning rays of the sun. All is fresh and sweet, and the air is laden with as sweet odors as the fragrant woods in May, when the sweet odors of the flowers mingle with the pungent scent of the pine and logwood. In the antebellum days all the planters were anxious to hire their slaves to shingle-makers in the swamps on account of its health. Mr Reddick, a well-known contractor, says he worked a gang of fifty hands fifteen years in the Dismal getting shingles, and in all that time there was not a single case of fever and ague. I have seen numerous affidavits of overseers and contractors who have lived in the swamp their lifetime, and they have never known of a death caused by miasma, or a solitary instance of ague and fever. The air is pure and sweet, and the water, tinged to a faint white hue by the juniperas as potent a medical drink as are the famous watering places of the Virginia mountain passes. It is often used by naval vessels [illegible] on account of its healthful properties, and also because it keeps fresh and clear for years. It is strong and invigorating tonic with a very pleasant taste.

Lighting Stables.

Very little thought is usually given to the proper position of windows in horse stables, and yet a strong light which shines directly into the faces of horses has a tendency to weaken their sight. A common point for a window is, in front of horses and considerably higher than their heads. Numerous instances can be had of the injurious effects of such windows, among which is that of an officer in the British army, who had purchased a horse from a gentleman whose stable received all its light from windows situated at the rear of the stalls. The horse was sound, and the officer was perfectly satisfied with his bargain; but at the end of three months the animal became suddenly "ground shy." An examination of her eyes showed that they were directed upward, an explanation of which was had by the fact that the windows of her new owner's stable were above the head of the stall. A removal to a stable which admitted light on all sides, removed this difficulty.

Another proof of our assertion is given in the case of a farmer, who had some fine horses which he kept in a stable lighted only by a small window in one side. The stable was so imperfectly lighted by this window that the door was kept open nearly all the time, when work was being done. The consequence was that nearly all of his horses had eyes of unequal strength; and two of them became blind on the side which was toward the window.—*American Stockman.*

Miscellaneous Recipes.

Chocolate Caramels.—Take of grated chocolate, milk, molasses, and sugar, one cup each, piece of butter the size of an egg; boil until it will harden when dropped in cold water; add vanilla; put in a buttered pan, and before it cools mark off in square [illegible] pounds of light-brown sugar, two gills of cream, four ounces of butter, vanilla.

Preserved Grapes.—The fruit should be allspice, but not soft or broken. Our mamas Catawba, make a good preserve; seed and stem the grapes, pick carefully, rejecting the bad ones. To every pound of grapes take one-half pound of white sugar and six waters; put sugar first into a pan then a layer of sugar, then a layer of grapes, cook slowly on a slow fire; skim occasionally and when it begins to serve when they are of a light brown.

Tomato Pickles.—Peel your ripe tomatoes and take out the meat and salting it. Grate two ounces of bread crumbs and mix with them two hard boiled eggs chopped fine. Add a little to six ounces of the fish meat, make moist and rich with cream, clean the shells, fill them with the mixture, put some bread crumbs over the top and brown in hot oven.

Cocoa and Cream.—Heat a quart of milk until it is lukewarm. Put half a teaspoonful of sugar into a wine glass of brandy or sherry and stir till the sugar is dissolved; add this to the milk, put all into the dish in which it is to be served and stir in a tablespoonful of the prepared rennet. It will be firm in three or four hours. Serve with sugar and rich cream, and fresh pounded cinnamon.

Boiled Chocolate Custard.—Grate a quarter of a pound of chocolate, extract one pint and a half of milk, put the water on the stove to moderate, and let it not boil, but regulate occasional strength; beat up four eggs, yolks and whites together, with half a pound of pulverized sugar, and pour over it a quart of boiled milk; then stir the chocolate, strain the whole through a fine sieve, put back on the fire, and stir continually with a wooden spoon till it thickens, which it will do in about three to five minutes; when cool enough put in the bowl it is to be served in, and keep on ice till you are ready to use it.

Educational.

In Hungary it is said fully [illegible] children of school age do not go to school at all, while those who do go to school only stay only three or four years. In 1[illegible] there were 1[illegible] large parishes, each having a population exceeding 5,000 wholly without elementary schools. At least 3,000 new schools are needed. Worse than all, one-third, of the teachers in the existing schools are not qualified for their office.

That the public schools don't teach properly even the simplest branches is a fact which is constantly being proved and reproved to popular dissatisfaction. The Lansing *Republican* mentions that of the twenty-one applicants for the vacant cadetship at West Point, examined in that city, less than one-third were good penmen, a much less number good spellers, and scarcely a single applicant would have been called a proficient reader. In all the written examinations errors of punctuation and capitalization might be found, and it was by no means uncommon to find the most ordinary words misspelled. In one, "enny" was made to stand for "any," while in another the name of the martyred President was spelled "Linken."

A member of the Cleveland Board of Education said some reasonable and judicious things at a teacher's institute in that city. "Though the teacher," he said, "may be thoroughly equipped with reference to scholarship, although she may know all that is in the text-books, and although she may have an honest desire to teach, those things fall far short of the real necessities of the case. You are not teaching as you used to teach, one or two things as in Persia, two or three things as in Greece, and but one thing as in Sparta, which was a grand thing—obedience. Those things are well in their places, but you must go beyond them. To teach your pupils to repeat, as the parrot repeats, all that the text-books contain and which, you know, that is doing only what has been the curse of China for 2,000 years. The minds of pupils need to be led to self-development and self-culture; they need to be inspired with the ideas at the basis of facts; they need to be filled with that inspiration which creates a love for knowledge and independence of thought."

The Diet Fiend.

There is a man who has made up his mind to keep his health good by eating the right sort of food in proper quantities and with the right kind of mastication. Resolution sits upon his brow, his eyes turn scornfully upon his fellow men, and he deliberately and with malice afore thought sits with superbly folded arms in the restaurant, painfully working his mouth, as if he were a type of Samson's celebrated jawbone engaged in the duty of slaying a bit of brown bread. He becomes a nuisance to his landlady, or his wife; he buys fish, which he eats for his brains, and struggles in the morning with harsh oatmeal and sour baked apples, chewing, chewing, chewing, while casting contemptuous glances around upon the disgusted people who are not so good and are not going to be so healthy as he is to be. He even turns his toes out, abhors butter, and walks on the side of the street which is the healthiest. His children receive no candy, and his wife only receives a scolding because she does not live up to the laws of health. He becomes pale, fretful and morose, and says of a healthful man, "He lives for his stomach," while he is dying for his.—*New York Herald.*

Remedy for Lockjaw.

Dr. J. G. Hatch, an old physician of over forty years' practice, recommends the following treatment for lockjaw, having tried it successfully both on himself and others: If any person is threatened or taken with lockjaw, from injuries in the hands, feet, arms or legs, do not wait for a doctor, but put the part injured into the following preparation: Put hot wood ashes into water as warm as can be borne; if the injured part cannot be put into the water, then wet thick folded cloths in the water, and apply them to the part as soon as possible, and at the same time bathe the back bone from the neck down, with some powerful laxative stimulant, say cayenne pepper and water, or mustard and water, (good vinegar is better than water.) It should be as hot as the patient can bear it. Don't hesitate; go at work and do it, and don't stop until the jaws will come open. No person need die of lockjaw if these directions are followed.

Safe, swift, and sure to regulate the bowels, are Ayer's Cathartic Pills.—Recommended by eminent physicians.

Farm Notes.

The practice of feeding stock on the ground is not economical. If you feed outdoors, provide racks to hold the feed. The actual loss to the farmer, oftentimes in a single season, exceeds the cost of the necessary racks for effectually saving this waste. Any farmer with a little lumber, a saw, hammer, nails, and an axe and chisel can make one.

We know of a wealthy farmer, says a correspondent, who, up in a few years ago, failed to get good crops, though manure was liberally piled upon the land regardless of expense. Lime was suggested, and used to large quantities, and the best crops ever known in that farm have since been raised. The more manure the more lime, and the reverse is equally true.

Joshua King, of Otis county, Kansas, has sown thirteen barrels of salt on twenty acres seeded to wheat, and left strips in the middle of the field without salt. The ground on which he sowed the salt produced over eighteen bushels of wheat to the acre, while that where there was no salt was hardly worth cutting—the wheat being badly shrunken, injured by rust, chinch bugs, etc.

Cotton seed and linseed oil cakes are too much neglected as food for stock. When these are mixed with equal parts of corn, the food is perfectly adapted to the sustenance of animals, because there is a proper proportion of flesh and fat forming substances. Feed that is deficient in either of these elements is neither healthful nor profitable.

Fattening beef animals pays; but trying to fatten inferior animals is a waste of energy, time and labor. The animals should be selected with special reference to the capacity with which they will fatten, to the quality of the beef, fineness of bone, compactness of body, and the small amount of offal which the carcass will yield.

Speaking of what are called the "fancy prices" paid for stock the *National Live Stock Journal* says that to a man who is breeding pure-bred stock, of any kind it is impossible to measure the value of a single animal introduced into the herd. A single mistake may cost him thousands of dollars, and carry him back to such an extent that years cannot regain the lost ground. On the other hand, a fortunate selection—a lucky hit—may add enormously to the value of all the produce for many generations. The writer concludes, therefore, that it sometimes pays to give even a "fancy" price for a really valuable animal.

Household Notes.

To make corn starch cake, take 3 eggs, 1 cup of sugar, ½ cup of sweet milk, 1 cup of butter, ½ cup of flour, 1 cup of corn starch, 1 teaspoonful of baking-powder.

Tan may be removed from the face by mixing magnesia in soft water to the consistency of paste, which should then be spread on the face and allowed to remain a minute or two. Then wash off with castile soap suds, and rinse with soft water.

For sponge cake take 4 eggs, 2 cups of sugar; beat eggs and sugar well together; 2 coffee cups of flour, 1 heaping teaspoonful of baking-powder; stir in all the flour that the eggs and sugar will take up; then add ½ cup boiling water; bake in a quick oven.

To make fruit cake, 2 eggs (save the white of one for frosting,) ½ cup of brown sugar; fill the cup with molasses; ½ cup of butter, ½ cup sour milk, 2 cups flour, 1 tablespoon cinnamon, 1 teaspoon cloves, ½ nutmeg, 1 teaspoon soda, as many currants and raisins as you can afford.

A self-holder for a spoon, when temporarily filled with any liquid, or for dropping medicine may be made in the simplest manner possible, thrusting the handle between the leaves of a shut book lying on the table. If not high enough one book may be piled upon another. Both hands may then be used in dropping from a bottle, or for making any desired mixture.

For apple short-cake make a soft dough as of biscuit; roll out this and put a layer in a jelly-pan; over this spread a layer of stewed apples; sprinkle over sugar and spice; dot with small lumps of butter; then put on a layer of dough, another of apple sauce, a very thin layer of dough, and bake in a very quick oven. This is a most delicious dessert dish, and may be served with or without sauce.

Twelve eggs, the yolks and whites beaten well and separately, one pound of pounded and sifted loaf sugar, the grated peel of a large lemon, half a pound of sifted and dried flour, the same weight of sifted and dried ground rice, four ounces of sweet and one of bitter almonds, pounded in a mortar together, with a tablespoonful of orange-flower water. Mix all these ingredients gradually, and beat them well. Paper the pan, and bake the cake for one hour.

President Harrison's Death.

President Harrison, who was an early riser, used to go to market, and he invariably refused to wear an overcoat, although the spring was cold and stormy. One morning, having gone to the market thus thinly attired, he was overtaken by a slight shower, and got wet, but refused to change his clothes. The following day he felt symptoms of indisposition, which were followed by pneumonia. At his Ohio home he had lived plainly and enjoyed sleep, but at Washington he had, while rising early, rarely retired before one o'clock in the morning, and his physical powers, enfeebled by age, had been overtaxed.

At the same time the President's mental powers had undergone a severe strain, as was evident when he became somewhat delirious. Sometimes he would say, "My dear madam, I did not direct that your husband should be turned out. I did not know it. I tried to prevent it." On other occasions he would say in broken sentences, "It is wrong—I won't consent—'tis unjust." "These applications—will they never cease?" The last time that he spoke was about three hours before his death, when his physicians and attendants were standing over him, having just administered to his comfort. Clearing his throat, as if desiring to speak audibly, and as though he fancied himself addressing his successor, or some official associate in the government, he said: "Sir! I wish you to understand the true principles of the government. I wish them carried out. I ask nothing more."

General Harrison was removed from the conflict which had already become inevitable, before the storms had time to gather—before envy and destraction and sectional fury had begun to muster their stores of vengeance to pour without mercy upon his head. The opposition of the leaders of his own party had scarcely begun to make itself manifest before that venerable head, silvered with the frosts of age and of long and arduous devotion to his country's service, was gently laid on pillow of death.—*Atlantic.*

The pride of the farmer should be in his fields. In their beauty, in their order, in their product, he should place the gratification of his humble and honorable ambition, says a contemporary. This is all very well as far as it goes, but we would add, the pride of the farmer should be in his wife and children—in their health and culture, mental and social. A farmer with a family of seven, eight or ten children, well bred and trained up, has something to be proud of, and what should gratify an laudable ambition.

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Wolcott, N. Y., April 5, 1882.

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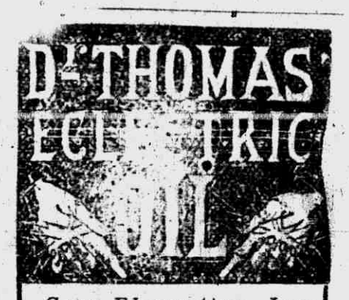

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Ice cream is said to contain trichinæ. Every young man should send a copy of this issue to his girl.

Generally speaking, outside of the legal fraternity, there is not a great deal of clothing in a law-suit.

Said Fitznoodle, "My wife is farily crazy over the spring fashions. She's got the delirium trimmins."

Time is money and money is time, for when you give twenty-five cents to a couple of tramps it is a quarter to two.

It is now believed that the oleomargarine factories put hair in their goods, thus rendering it more difficult of detection than ever.

He had been telling her stories of himself and had done a great amount of bragging. When he had finished she kissed him and murmured. "This is a kiss for a blow."

Perpetual motion is perhaps impossible to obtain; but you can approximate it by putting a boy on a chair at a funeral and telling him to be still.

An old lady with several unmarried daughters feeds them on fish diet, because it is rich in fosforus, and fosforus is the essential thing in making matches.

"Is that a funeral?" "Shure, sir, I'm thinking it is." "Anybody of distinction?" "I reckon it is sir." "Who is it that died?" "The jintleman in the coffin, sir."

A young man in Maryland started out with horse, lance and battle ax to champion damsels in distress. He had not gone five miles when a red-headed schoolma'am pulled him off his horse and rolled him in the mud.

Mrs. Smikes says that the reason that children are so bad in this generation is owing to the wearing of gaiter shoes instead of the old fashioned slippers. Mothers find it too much trouble to untie gaiters to whip children, so they go unpunished; but when she was a child the way the old slipper used to do its duty was a caution.

Meeting a newsboy whose face was scarred with scratches, a reporter asked him what the matter was: "Feller spoke against my sister. Said he'd bet she was cross-eyed, and I sailed in." "Is your sister cross-eyed?" inquired the reporter. "Hain't got no sister! was the reply; "it was the princerple of the thing what I got licked for."

A member of one of our learned clubs returned to the bosom of his family one night sadly "under the influence." As he cautiously steered himself up stairs he met his wife, who at once upbraided him with his condition, and declared that he exhaled a strong odor of spirits. "Taint that,' pleaded the sufferer. "Had my hair cut; it's bay rum you smell."

A charming widow owns a nice boy, and a man wants to be appointed deputy father to the lad. It was only last Sunday that while the St. Paul man was strolling with the lad, he asked—"Bub, does your mamma bang her hair?" and the fool answered: "Oh, no; but you ought to seen her bang dad's head. Guess the minister didn't know everything when he told pap to prepare to die. Prepare! why he was just aching to die."

"Your husband is sick a good deal of late, isn't he?" remarked a southern Illinois woman to another.

"Yes," answered the wife, "he's got tuk down mighty hard with them 'ere ague shakes agin."

"I shud think it wud be sorter distressing like to have him around the house," remarked the other, sympathizingly, "'specially when you're at house cleanin'."

"Well, so it would," replied the wife, in self-consoling tones, "but when he got into one of his chills, and I wanted the rag carpet shuk, you see he's a powerful smart hand to hitch on to it."

Then the other woman wended her way home, envying her neighbor the knack she had of utilizing her husband.

Slightly sarcastic was the clergyman who paused and addressed a man coming into church after a sermon had begun, with the remark: "Glad to see you, sir; come in; always glad to see those here late who can't come early." And decidedly self-possessed was the man thus addressed in the presence of an astonished congregation as he responded: "Thank you; would you favor me with the text?"

An old colored minister, in a sermon on hell, pictured it as a region of ice and snow, where the damned froze thoughout eternity. When privately asked what his object was in representing Gehenna in this way, he said, "I don't dare tell dem people nuffin else. Why, if I was to say hell was warm, some ob dem old rheumatic niggahs would be wanting to start down dar, de berry fust frost."

A Nevada paper wanted to describe the fury of the wind in a recent tordado, so it expressed itself as follows: "Yesterday, during the gale, while boulders as big as pumpkins were flying through the air, and water pipes were being ripped out of the ground, an old Chinaman, with spectacles on his nose, was observed in the gastern part of town seated on a knoll, calmly flying his kite—an iron shutter, with a log-chain for a tail."

Probably the worst telegraphic blunder ever made was one that occured in the case of a St. Louis merchant, who while in New York received a telegram informing him that his wife was ill. He sent a message to his family doctor, asking the nature of the sickness and if there was and danger, and received promptly the answer: "No danger. Your wife has had a child. If we can keep her from having another to-night, she will do well." The mystification of the agitated husband was not removed until a second inquiry revealed the fact that his indisposed lady had had a "chill."—*Ex.*

GLASS BEADS.—Among the most curious examples of persistence in art are the well-known Agatry beads, which occur everywhere in Africa and in many parts of Asia. Similar beads are still made for the purpose of barter by glass-makers in England and Italy, yet they appear among the oldest remains in many widely-separated places. Mr. Nesbitt considers them Phenician, and suppose they were made for the purposes of barter with uncivilized nations, such as the ancient Britons. Glass beads of extreme hardness have been found in British graves, and on analysis were found to be composed and colored in the same manner as those of undoubted Egyptian origin. The usual type is large—not round, but spindle-shaped, and marked with alternate indented bands of red and blue, the colors being separated by a narrow white line. These beads are found in England, on the Gold Coast, in India and Germany, in Italy and Egypt. They are particularly common in the cities along the coast of the Rhine. The oldest specimens must be Egyptian, but in all probability the pattern was continued in many distinct manufactories at many different periods.

How He Shocked His Dear Old Grandmother in Reading a Recipe.

Old Mrs. Jones borrowed Mrs. Brown's recipe for making watermelon pickle the other day, and, being hard of hearing, as she couldn't see to read very well, she got her grandson Jakie to read it for her. Jakie took the paper like a dutiful child, and, holding it upside down, commenced:

"Take a green watermelon—"

"Why, Jakie ain't you mistaken? I thought the melon must be ripe."

"Oh, what's the matter wid yew! Gew ever see a watermelon that wusn't green?"

"Cut the watermelon into four halves—"

"But there ain't only two halves to anything. I don't believe you are reading that, Jakie."

"Well, I don't have to anyhow that's what the resept says. Then soak it in a pint cup—"

"Oh, dear me! How in the world can you put a watermelon in a pint cup?"

"Well, I ain't here to tell the whereases and the howfores. I'm just reading the facts and you can put in the filosofee to suit your taste. After soakin' the melon, put in a skillet and fry it fur five days."

"I wonder if Mrs. Brown sent me such a recipe as that?" said the old lady; but Jakie kept on:

"Then put the watermelon in a quart bowl and pour over it a gallon of vinegar, taking care to not spill the vinegar—"

"I'd just like to how you can pour a gallon into a quart bowl without spilling my of it;" but Jakie continued:

"Then sift a peck of red pepper through a milk strainer over the melon, and to one cup of butter and the white and yolks and shells of three eggs, and throw in the old hen that laid them, and four sticks of cinnamon drops and two tablespoonfuls of quinine and run it through a coffee-mill and let it stand till it ferments, and then put it in a tin can and tie the can to a dog's tail—this will stir it up to the right consistency—and then you can turn it off in crocks and have it ready for use. Serve it cold and spread it on mince pie and it makes a capital dessert," and Jakie slid out of doors and left the old lady looking like a wrinkle on a monument.—*Free Press.*

Power of Example.

Example is power. It is alike so in the circles of wealth and and refinement and in the haunts of poverty and ignorance. It tells everywhere, and makes its mark for good or evil all over the world of men and thought. All history is but a reiteration of the power of example—power to bless and refine, or to blight and ruin humanity. Unless its teachings impress us with the truth, we are indeed poor students of human history. One has well said that "History is philosophy teaching by example."

Example is power of good. Every man has influence, more or less, in his sphere of life, and that influence, in the very nature of the case, must tell on his fellows. If he be a good man, his example must and will do good. It cannot be otherwise. A pure and virtuous life, like the sun in the heavens, must shine and bless, brighten and warm in the moral world. So it has ever been, and so it ever will be. Truth and purity, like so many gems in the life and example of the good man, cannot but shame and condemn error and vice in others.

A fault doth never with remorse
On mind so deeply move
As when another's guileless life
Our error doth reprove.

Example is also a power for evil. There is no estimating the extent of a bad man's influence in the world; its moral reach is indeed fearful. "One sinner destroyeth much good," is the testimony of the wise man, as well as the practical teaching of all experience. An instrument of incalculable harm in any community is the man who arrays his life and example against virtue and religion, and yet thousands of our fellow beings seem only to live that they may blight humanity with the influence of their wicked lives and evil example. Their work in the world is that of destruction, for they literally "destroy much good."

Cicero gave his followers the best of counsel when he said to them: "Be a pattern to others, then all will go well; for as a whole city is infected by the licentious passions and vices of men, so is it likewise reformed by their moderation."

For the Curious.

The Spanish Armada numbered 130 ships, to which the English could oppose but eighty vessels, and these so small that four of them only equaled in tonnage the smallest of the galleons. The Armada carried 8,000 seamen and 20,000 soldiers. The English fleet was manned by 8,000 sailors.

Nutmegs grow upon a tree from twenty-five to thirty feet high, which bears a fruit resembling in form and size the seckle pear. When ripe the outer shell of this fruit breaks, revealing an inner case of bright red, known to commerce as mace. This in its turn is removed, and the nutmeg is found inclosed in a third shell, harder than either of the others.

The Parsees of India are fire-worshippers, and reverence the sun, moon and stars. Upon the altars of their temples the priests keep fire continually burning, and declare that it has never been extinguished. When engaged in their duties these devotees wear masks over the lower part of their faces, lest their breath should pollute the sacred flame.

In one of his letters, Oliver Cromwell, speaking of the cost to him, personally, of his famous Ironsides, says: "The business hath had of me in money between £1,100 and £1,200, therefore my private estate can do little to help the public." The grim commander took much pride in the efficiency and discipline of his psalm-singing followers, calling them "a lovely company," and declaring that "not a man swears but he pays his 12 pence."

The system of conducting the British Government by a ministry chosen from the strongest party in the House of Commons dates from the time of William III. in 1689. Previous to that all the Ministers had been independent of each other and responsible to the sovereign alone, who might dismiss one great officer of State and retain the rest. The idea of homogeneous Ministry was first carried out by Robert, Earl of Sunderland, who successively held office under Charles II., James II. and William of Orange.

I would bid you stand up to your work whatever it may be, and not be afraid of it; not in sorrow or contradiction to yield but pushing on towards the goal. And don't suppose that people are hostile to you in the world. You will rarely find anybody designedly doing you ill. You may often feel as if the world is obstructing you, more or less; but you will find that to be because the world is traveling in a different way from you, and rushing on its own path. Each man has only an extremely good will to himself—and is moving on towards his object.—*Thomas Carlyle.*

Telling the Boys.

When you get two or three old fellows of sixty together, they are fond of telling stories about the pranks they played in their youthful days and laughing proudly over their misdeeds. But this is not always a safe thing to do. Old Judge Bees indulged in this recreation the other night, in the presence of his son, aged fourteen. The old man told a quantity of tricks he had played upon his father and chuckled gleefully over them. It roused young Bees' ambition; and the next night, when the judge went home, he had an awful time of it. There was a pail of water suspended over the front door that tipped as he opened the door and deluged him. He was both surprised and annoyed at that, and walked into the entry with oaths upon his lips, and immediately his feet caught a cord tied across the hall from the banisters to the hat-rack, and it tripped him up and pulled the hat-rack over on top of him. He was skinned in several places, and by the time he disentangled himself was awful mad. He started up stairs and part way up, a cord stretched at the right height caught him suddenly under the chin and threw him backwards down the stairs. Then he started to crawl up stairs and part way up discovered a rope lying on the stairs and coming from the top. He pulled it and hauled a barrel down upon himself that bounced him down stairs again. He was nearly delirious with rage as he rose to his feet that time, and utterly unable to understand the cause of all these contrivances being in his way. Once more he assayed to go up, and that time succeeded. On reaching the head of the stairs, he thought he heard a snicker, and investigation showed his son peeping from his chamber and laughing. On being taxed by the judge with fixing the traps, the boy owned up. "What in the name of Heaven have I done that made you do it?" yelled the judge aghast at the boy's wickedness and coolness. "Why, I heard you say you played these pranks on your father." "Yes, and he licked me like blazes for it, just as I'll lick you," roared the infuriated judge. "You didn't say anything about being licked when you told the stories," cried the now frightened boy. This was a strong argument, but the judge wasn't in a frame of mind to appreciate it. The boy's yells were heard in the next ward, and he has resolved, as soon as his raw spots get well, to run away to some place where they'll tell him the whole facts of a case. And the judge thinks he has learned to be careful what he says before that boy.

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A CAT STORY.—A man now living in Kingston emigrated to the West many years ago, and bought a house which had stood unoccupied for considerable time. The first night he heard sounds that convinced him that there were rats in the cellar and on investigating he found that hundreds of the creatures were disporting themselves there. Having eaten a quarter of beef down to the bone, they were playing tag among the shelves. He offered to introduce the family cat, but she declined to be presented. The next day she was missing, until the family thought they had lost her; but on the fourth day a familiar "meow" was heard, and there was tabby at the head of a column of three dozen cats in light marching order, their backs up and their tails rampart. The front door was opened and the detachment moved down the cellar stairs in good order. The next morning a flour barrel full of dead rats was buried behind the house, and the cats returned to their homes.

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ALL THE WAY FROM ENGLAND.

A Member of the English Farmers' Alliance in Tecumseh—An Interview With Him.

Mr. Albert Bath, of Colgate Farm, Sevenoaks, Kent, England, who is the guest for a few days of his uncle, Henry Haines, paid his respects at the HERALD office Tuesday, and we had the pleasure of a short interview with him. Mr. Bath is an extensive fruit and hop grower in Kent, and Honorary Secretary of an important branch in that county of the Farmers' Alliance, an organization similar to that of the Grange in this country. Mr. Bath, and his brother, who are partners, in addition to growing in an extensive way strawberries, currants, apples and plums, have 170 acres of raspberries, of the variety called Carter's Prolific. The greater part of the raspberries and strawberries, of which there are many thousand acres grown in Kent county, are made into jams by the well known firm of Cross & Blackwell, of London, and other large preservers, and sent to Covent Garden and other London markets. Mr. Bath is now making a protracted tour of the United States. After a brief visit with Mr. Haines he will proceed to Chicago and then through the western states and will take in San Francisco before his return to England.

We are permitted to take a few extracts from an interview with Mr. B. which appeared in a Toronto paper, giving an insight into the character and purposes of the Farmers' Alliance.

"The present position of the British tenant farmer," said Mr. Bath, "is neither conducive to his own self-respect, material welfare or the general prosperity of the nation, whose interests are largely bound up with the success of the farmers. The Alliance is the outgrowth of felt necessities, the pressure of which has of late years been especially felt through the succession of bad harvests. It has not yet fully accomplished any of the reforms that it has set itself to attain, though progress is being rapidly made in the directions where hopes are entertained of speedily obtaining some of the concessions demanded.

Mr. Bath then detailed some of the demands of the Alliance. As in Canada, and in the United States, the question of railway rates is an important one to the farmers.—Rates are charged for short distances out of all proportion to the rates for larger distances, and great anomalies exist in this respect. These discriminating rates, which made the long tariff pay exorbitant rates for the benefit of the long carriage, were unjust, and the Alliance had been successful in obtaining the appointment of a Parliamentary Commission, which it was hoped would secure remedial action.

The Alliance also urges readjustment of the ordinary tithes, and the abolition of the extraordinary. While the average rent of land is about $5 per acre, the ordinary tithes amount to about $1.50 per acre, and the extraordinary to from $2.50 in some parishes to $7.50 in others. The latter at least should be abolished, and both press unfairly upon farmers. The extraordinary tithe is a survival of the old times, and most prejudicial to the interests of the community. When a man, for instance, converts land used for grain growing into a hop yard or orchard, the extraordinary tithe is levied as a sort of reward for the farmer's industry. Tithes, poor rates, and other rates are collected from the tenant. It may be said that it amounts to the same thing whether he or the landowner pays it, but it is found in practical experience that a tenant could make better terms for rent if the tax-levying bodies had only the landlord to deal with, and the farmer could himself deal with the taxes as one lump sum.

Mr Bath does not take a despondent view of the prospects of the British farmer. He looks upon the succession of unfavorable years as an incident of the weather which may not be repeated to the same extent for a long time. Foreign competition he does not dread. The importation of foreign cattle he says, is not generally looked upon as an evil, but more stringent regulations are required to prevent the introduction of infected animals. Under the present land laws the condition of the farmer will go from bad to worse in the face of foreign competition. "But," says he, "if proper legislation is provided which will attract capital to the farm, and encourage increased production per acre, we can hold our own against all foreign competition. Staples may change, but farming will continue profitable. British farmers generally do their own business directly, and besides are near the markets. In the absence of middlemen and the neighborhood of markets, they have advantages which under improved land tenure, will offset the advantages foreign countries possess. The land of Britain is not by any means producing as much as it can produce; it only wants proper land laws to make it reach the highest production possible."

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, July 7, 1883.

Dueling, it seems, is becoming quite the fashion again. We have failed to revive the good old fashion of wearing knee breeches, but the custom of letting daylight thro' a man because he has offended you, or being prepared yourself to be shot at, dealt with, will soon be in vogue again. It is an agreeable mode of proceedure, and providing the business is done strictly according to the provisions of the code, no harm can come of it. In fact it will be of considerable advantage as it will bring about a more careful use of the English language. The latest occurrence in this city, however, is nothing but a farce. I allude to the rumored meeting between Col. Amory Knox, of Texas Siftings, and Sheahan the sculptor. Knox introduced in several issues of his paper in the interest of his papers, and as birds of a feather flock together, he fell in with some of the most experienced rounders at the Press Club, and in their company he had some "high old times." Among the shining lights of that ilk is Sheahan. I don't know anything about his work, having never been able to see any of it. I daresay he is like the greater portion of the Sun's editorial writers. Very little of their work ever reaches the dignity of printer's ink, but as John Swinton said, they write, Sheahan "sculpts" in his leisure moments when his friends are not with him. They had a dinner at Moritti's the other evening which lasted until ten o'clock, and of course they drank more than a single bottle each. Then they went to the Prospect Garden, a dash resort, and guzzled bier. The result may be easily imagined. While in this state they quarrelled about some silly billy business, the lie was given and a challenge issued. Then they told the whole story to the newspaper reporters, and strutted about like heroes, and on Thursday morning disappeared mysteriously. In the evening Sheahan reappeared on Union Square, drank his usual quantity of beer and dropped dark hints of a "meeting" at Rockaway, at which somebody was hurt, etc. The truth of the matter is that these two fools, under the combined influence of heat and beer, expected to make this an advertising scheme. Knox expected to get his little sheet talked about, and Sheahan expected to sell some things, which it is currently believed he sculpts. The scheme was a failure however, and about Union Square, where newspaper men, artists and actors congregate, both men are derisively laughed at.

Anything for style. At the Manhattan Beach hotel they have a little room which is known to the initiated as the Gold Room. It is provided with a magnificent buffet, tables and chairs, and here men may sit and worship at the shrine of Bacchus with more comfort and less publicity than at the public bar, besides having the satisfaction of paying twenty cents for the same whiskey which is dealt out at the bar for fifteen cents. The amount of business done in this Gold Room is incredible, and it is currently believed that it exceeds that done at the regular bar. It was so named because dutiful husbands who didn't care to let their wives see them at the bar, quietly slipped off to look at the stock exchange ticker placed in here. The discussions were generally treated for the faces of the aforesaid dutiful husbands were as a rule exceedingly flushed when they returned to the piazza.

A great many good and charitable people devote their time and money to praiseworthy efforts to reclaim fallen women. Now and then however, instances occur which would lead one to think that their labors after all were fruitless. A case of this kind came to my notice the other day. Some months ago the son of a well-to-do livery stable keeper, a young man twenty-five years old became infatuated with a woman of more than questionable reputation, and on her promise to turn over a new leaf married her. All went well for a couple of weeks. Then she grew tired of the humdrum of respectable life and pined for the excitement of her former career. One evening she went out, ostensibly for a walk and did not return that night. There was a scene. The escapade was repeated and finally her husband left her. She went back to her old companions and resumed her old habits. In a few weeks she had the effrontery to write to her husband and asked him to visit her. Of course he refused. Then she swore vengeance. Last Thursday afternoon while he was driving home in a light wagon she approached him with two male companions. They held the horse by the head while she jumped into the wagon and stabbed her husband in the face. She tried to escape but a policeman finally captured her, and after a desperate struggle made her a prisoner. She was arraigned in the Tombs Police Court yesterday morning and committed for trial. As she was led off she was heard to say that she would get even with him yet.

There is a rush in progress for the northern Michigan summer resorts.

EDUCATIONAL ITEMS.

The following notes are taken from the last number of the Educational News:

The exercises of commencement week at Tecumseh passed off pleasantly. A new departure was introduced by Prof. Hammond in the public promotion exercises, which was quite a success. A pleasant program was carried out in the presence of a large and enthusiastic audience, and the result will, no doubt, be seen in an increased interest in the schools. We are pleased to note that Supt. Hammond will remain in Tecumseh next year.

The school in district No. 1, Palmyra, closed on Friday, June 29. Mr. Dunbar is to be congratulated on completing a successful term.

Prof. A. M. Smith will remain at Clinton another year.

Prof. Wendell, of Hudson, is visiting in Chicago.

Miss Florence Shepard who has been employed in the Tecumseh schools the past year, has accepted a position in the public schools of Grand Haven, at an increased salary.

Prof. Edgcumbe, of Deerfield, has arranged to go to Benton Harbor next year.

There has been a large demand for the new edition of Prof. W. J. Cocker's Civil Government of Michigan, notwithstanding the fact that it was not ready at the opening of the spring term. It may not be out of place to say that Prof. Cocker has in preparation a text book on the civil government of the United States, and judging from what we know of the plan of work it will occupy a high place among the works of its class.

The New Route to Chicago.

The interest seems to be general in the opening of the new route to Chicago over the Wabash and the Baltimore & Ohio. Some of the interior newspapers — particularly those on the line of the Wabash—express much satisfaction at the opening of the route. Mention of it has only been made, as yet, as a passenger line. It will also be opened for freight, and the New York Central, the Erie and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western freight lines will be dispatched over it to Chicago. The new route will virtually make Chicago a terminal point on the Wabash, and it is the intention of the managers of that road to convey all their freight between Chicago and the seaboard cities over the line to Detroit and the Great Western Division of the Grand Trunk. It opens, of course, a new competing line for Detroit shippers.—Detroit Free Press.

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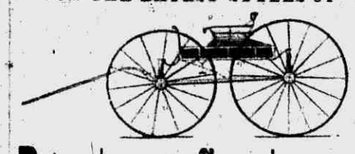

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Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased, that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examining and its application in selecting glasses to fit the eye can only be acquired by a knowledge of the useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants; poor glasses are an abomination. V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses. DANIEL TODD, M.D.

I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles. C. LYND, M.D.

DROWNED IN BEER.

Concerning this Popular Beverage Two Men Express their Minds.

"The fact is sir, and you may stick a pin there, that the people of this country are likely to be drowned in a flood of lager beer," shouted an enthusiastic teetotaler the other day into the ear of your cornered correspondent. "That German drink has struck us hard. It is the second deluge."

"Yes, and the worst of this beer drinking business is that it gets up kidney troubles, as a heavy wind raises the waves, added a city physician, who had a knowledge of the times and a tendency to metaphor. "The midnight 'schooner' leaves behind it a wake of furred tongues, headache, torpid livers, nausea, and all that, and lays the foundation of Bright's Disease."

This melancholy fact accounts in part for the increasing sales of Benson's Capcine Porous Plasters, which at once mitigates these symptoms. Price 25 cents. Ask your physician about them. Seabury & Johnson, Chemists, New York.

Down. Down. Down.

Down Go the Prices!

We have caught the Fever

AND WILL

SLAUGHTER CLOTHING

For for 10 Days.

DON'T BUY a SUIT

UNTIL YOU SEE

WHAT WE WILL DO.

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COLDEN STAR

Oil & Gasoline Stoves!

Perfection at last attained.

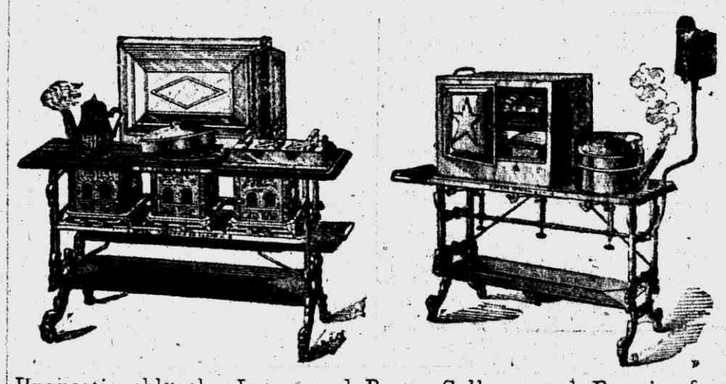

Unquestionably the Latest and Best. Call, see, and Examine for yourself. For sale by

Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

Successors to Sutton & Swan.

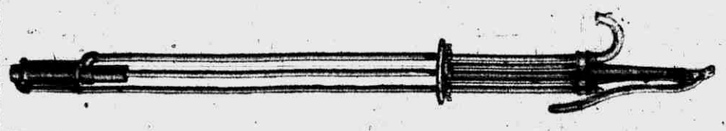

Tecumseh Sewing Machine Agency!

G. P. Sparks, Proprietor.

The DOMESTIC AND WHITE stand at the head.

If you want a machine, buy the best. Call and see me or send a postal before buying. I will make it to your interest to do so.

I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.

Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $8.00 to $65.00

A. W. SLAYTON

Still at the front with the largest stock of Furniture at the lowest prices.

2 Door Commodes,	$4.00.
Bureaus,	4.00.
Carpet Sweepers,	1.50.
Iron Axle Wagons,	1.50.

Pillows, Chairs, Carts, Tables, Beds, and in fact everything marked way down. Call and see our goods before buying.

A. W. SLAYTON.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE. All persons paying their corporation taxes during July are entitled to 2 per cent. reduction. Office open for collection of taxes on each Friday and Saturday during this month.
J. W. COLE, Marshal.

A BARGAIN. A splendid farm of 160 acres, situated only one mile from the village of Morenci. In high state of cultivation. Will be sold at a bargain, as the owner has large property interests in Dakota which need his attention. For full particulars address
HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. 2 sows and pigs. Enquire of John Beckley, three miles north of Ridgeway.

WANTED. A good country home for a bright, intelligent lad eight years old.—Can be adopted or taken to raise, as may be desired. Apply at
HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. An organ which cost $175. As good as new. For sale for $75. Enquire at
HERALD OFFICE.

FOUND. A pocketbook containing some jewelry and other small articles. The owner can get the same by calling at the HERALD office and proving property.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on [illegible] Has a dwelling house, [illegible] for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED at once, a house and lot worth from $200 to $1500. All cash paid if wanted. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

100,000 LATE CABBAGE PLANTS. Special prices on quantities of 500 and upwards. Also sweet potato, tomato, celery, pepper and egg plants.
ABNER WILSON.

AGENTS WANTED to canvass for a new book, "The Marriage Guide." For terms, etc., address the author,
REV. GEO. W. HUDSON, A.M.,
Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE. A good house and four acres of land, situated within ten minute's walk of the P. O. in the village of Ridgeway. Terms to suit purchaser, and for sale cheap. For particulars enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

CAUTION. All persons are cautioned against making or using the short arm and brace as supports to shelvings in hay and stock racks in the townships of Macon, Ridgeway, Clinton, Tecumseh, Raisin and Franklin without my consent, as I own the exclusive right to that improvement in those towns. It is the principle that is patented and not any particular form, therefore any use of them is an infringement. My racks are made of good material, well put up, and are complete in every particular. Call and see them.
I. B. RICHART.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway company that a meeting of said stockholders will be held in the city of Marshall, Michigan, on Sept. 11th, 1883, at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of considering and acting upon the agreement of the directors of each company to consolidate the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company and the Toledo & Michigan Railway Company, and to give said stockholders an opportunity to vote thereon.
July 9th, 1883.
JAMES E. NEAL,
Secretary Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Co.
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Miss Gertrude Bigelow returned to her home at Birmingham this morning.

Alf. James, Jules Veneir and Asa Stevens are spending their vacation in Tecumseh.

And still they come. Messrs. Anthony & Boyd and Drs. S. & H. W. Catlin were added to the list of telephone subscribers on Monday of this week. We expect to add several more subscribers during this month. The state line connections are now more complete. We have a direct line to Toledo and are doing a large amount of business each day with that place, and it is only a matter of short time when all our business places will be connected by telephone.

HECK BROS.' NEW ROLLER MILL,

One of the Most Complete in Michigan—Abundance of Water Power—New Machinery.

For some time workmen have been busy over at Heck Bros', mill. The mill has been shut down and we were aware that something was going on, but had no idea of the magnitude of operations until last Friday, Mr. Jno. Heck told us the mill was started and we went over to see what had been done. The mill has been overhauled from top to bottom, and in the place of milling stones and old machinery, have been placed

14 pair Stevens' patent rollers,
12 new reels,
2 certrifugal reels,
1 double purifier,
2 single purifiers,
2 brown dusters,
1 grain aspirator.

All this has been done at an expense of about $15,000. The roller process is complete, doing away entirely with the use of the old milling stones.

The work has been done from plans and specifications made by N. W. Holt, superintending millwright for the John T. Noyes Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y. The work has been executed by A. E. Wentworth, assisted by Joe Van Hatten, E. G. Scott, better known as "Scotty;" Jas. A. Lawrie, Henry Emmett, and Jake Muster, all of Buffalo, N. Y. The machinery has been well put in and the expert says he never started a mill of this size in so short a time. A. Gessl, the expert miller arrived Wednesday, and on Friday the mill was running full blast, and is now turning out flour hand over fist. Mr. Gessl informed us that the mill has a capacity of 250 barrels of flour per day, and that the rolls are of the latest and most improved pattern. The water power is sufficient to drive twice the amount of machinery now in use, and no pains or expense has been spared to make the mill a perfect one. Such improvements are not only a benefit to the property owners but to our town also. We have now the most complete mills in Tecumseh of any town near its size in the state. Our mills hold the town together, and brings farmers from all parts of the country. We congratulate Heck Bros. upon the success of their enterprise and are assured their new mill will turn out as fine quality of flour as any mill in the country.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 12, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Spot the trade dollar.

Fred Clark, of Adrian, gave us a call last Monday.

There are eleven telephone lines radiating from Ann Arbor.

John F. Hicks is at home for a few days haying and harvesting.

The state teachers institute is in session this week at Lansing.

H. C. LeHaron, of Toledo, spent a few days this week in Tecumseh.

Alf. W. James and H. H. Snell were home to spend the Fourth of July.

Miss Matie Jewett, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. John J. Orr this week.

Track laying has commenced on the M. & O. road at Britton and is coming this way.

George W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, spent the Fourth on the old farm in Newberg.

Dr. Geo. Howell will please accept our thanks for a copy of the Michigan Manual for 1883.

If old Probs will give us good weather the bulk of the hay crop will be secured this week.

Barrows, the picture man, has heard from home, and is to stay in Tecumseh another week.

A. E. Kennedy has received a large invoice of Buckeye chewing tobacco. It takes the cake. Try it.

Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury and Seth Bean of Adrian were in town yesterday attending the Cannon case.

The new pound of this village is now ready for occupancy. Stray cows and "sich" will please take notice.

Congressman elect Eldredge drove across Tuesday and paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum that afternoon.

The improvements on Bidwell's block and Whitemack's store, now started, will make the old corner a land-mark again.

C. C. Tefft returned last week from his overland trip to Ionia. He says that is the best way to go visiting at this season of the year.

Chief Engineer Boch, of the M. & O. road, arrived in town last Monday from Marshall, and started west on an inspection of the line between here and Addison.

A telephone line will be constructed soon between Manchester and Clinton which will be a convenience to those towns as well as Tecumseh, and which will shorten the distance from here to Jackson.

It is said that Brezee is to soon start a new evening daily in Detroit. A second evening daily cannot succeed in Detroit without plenty of ability, brass and hard cash. Can Brezee command all these three?

When a Lapeer man simply forgets himself to the extent of reversing the "Hello" shouted into the telephone, the cruel proprietors call it swearing, and deprive him of the use of the instrument.—Lapeer Democrat.

Robert Stretch was in town yesterday. He has a good position as inspector for the Hartford Steam Boiler Insurance Co. His headquarters are at 115 Monroe St., Chicago, although he is on the road most of the time.

The council proceedings this week are lengthy; they are interesting; they are peculiar; they are worth reading; they deserve candid consideration; they mean business; they show that the council understand their rights and propose to maintain them.

Vennor predicts a continuance of wet weather, with strong warm winds and thunder and hail-storms, continuing until the latter part of July. It's a comfort to know that the month will also terminate with rains in nearly every quarter and cool weather.

Last Friday week Abner Wilson had a pleasant family gathering at his house. About forty of his relatives were present including his sisters, cousins and aunts. The tables were spread under the old apple trees on the lawn, and the company enjoyed a delightful afternoon.

E. J. Smith has sold his interest in the Adrian Record to his partner, R. I. Bonner. Mr. Smith will give his principal attention hereafter to the duties of his oil inspectorship. He will not throw his plumbago away, but will occasionally write for the Record.

The annual school meeting was held at Adrian last Monday evening, and two ladies were elected trustees, Mrs. H. A. Colvin and Mrs. Charlotte Carey. An effort was made to lower the standard of the High School by abolishing a portion of the High School course, which resulted in a signal failure.

Pearl Diamond, in the last Clinton News, criticises our last Alumni Reunion exercises. To a certain extent the criticism is deserved. They were not what they should have been, but those who assumed the management were obliged to take hold at the eleventh hour, as the regular officers of the association were nearly all of them absent.

Harvesting has begun in Raisin township.

Dr. L. M. Jones, of Brooklyn, was in town yesterday.

Miss Edith Babcock, of Hastings, is visiting relatives here.

A very pleasant parlor concert at Miss Jennie Root's last evening.

Miss Libbie Satterthwaite has accepted a clerkship with A. B. Cotton.

The annual meeting of the Mich. Southern Medical Association was held in Hudson last Tuesday.

We regret to learn that L. A. Chapman is sick and confined to his house. We hope to see him outagain in a few days.

Miss Lena Knapp, of Jackson, and Miss Eva Payne, of Ann Arbor, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Orr this week.

Misses Florence and Mary Shepard started yesterday on a trip to western New York. They expect to remain about five weeks.

A movement is on foot to change the Tecumseh and Cambridge mail route from a tri-weekly to a daily.—This change ought to be made.

Hereafter every school teacher in Michigan receiving a certificate must pay a fee for the benefit of the State Institute fund. Ladies 50 cents, gentlemen one dollar.

We understand that arrangements are being made to have a game of base ball here each week, and that the club are now trying to complete arrangements with the Hillsdale club for a game next week Friday.

A Flint bookkeeper blew on the fuse of a mammoth firecracker to see if the fire had gone out. It hadn't, and when he gets out again he will not be so good looking as before, but will know better than to again blow on a firecracker fuse.

The base ball game between the Clinton and Tecumseh clubs Tuesday P.M., resulted in a score of 16 to 12 in favor of Tecumseh. The game all through was a poor one, errors without number on both sides, consequently we give no detailed report of the game.

Brooklyn ought to be connected with the rest of the world by telephone. What do you say?—Exponent. The business man should say yes, that is so, and we will have it too. A line could be built from Manchester to Brooklyn and be a paying investment for every subscriber.—Manchester Enterprise.

Arrangements have been made, and material is now being delivered, for the extension of the telephone line from Hudson to Hillsdale. When this link is completed, we shall have communication with Coldwater and all intervening towns, as the line between Hillsdale and Coldwater has been for some time in operation.

At the last regular meeting of Macon Grange it was resolved to adjourn until Friday, Aug. 17th, at which time the following program will be carried out: Address by Hon. Dr. Howell.—Subject—The tariff as it relates to the interest of farmers. Also a discussion on wheat and its culture, led by Cyrus Mead, besides other literary exercises.

An exchange says that it is becoming quite generally known that the common fertilizer phospate is a very dangerous article to handle by any one suffering from chapped or sore hands. It is partially composed of blood and bones of dead animals, which may have come to their death by disease, and if it accidentally comes in contact with a fresh wound may result in a severe case of blood poisoning.

The following resolution passed by the Common Council March 14, 1882, tells its own story:

Resolved, That this Council deems it to be its duty to hold the incumbents of the offices of Village Marshal and his deputies, and the Street Commissioner, accountable as well for lack of thorough acquaintance with their respective official duties as for neglect of prompt, faithful and impartial discharge thereof. That neglect of such duties will be considered valid cause for removal from such office.

Last Thursday evening our friend Dr. E. M. Conklin was united in marriage with Miss Kate Burton, at the residence of the bride's father in Clinton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. St. John, in the presence of a large company of friends, many of whom were from abroad. We congratulate the new couple upon the wisdom of their choice. The groom is one of our most promising young men, and the bride is one of Clinton's most accomplished daughters. May their future life be as happy and bright as their present prospects are is the desire of their numerous friends.

Deerfield Record: The second surveyor's corps, which surveyed the line of the Toledo & Milwaukee railroad from Britton to Corbus, arrived in town Sunday afternoon. From present appearances the line will run through the eastern part of the village, and about forty rods east of the Lake Shore depot. By taking this route the road will cross the river in the best place for building a bridge to be found in the whole length of the stream, and no piling will be necessary, as high bluffs on both banks nearly meet and but very little filling will be needed.

EXTRACTS FROM THE "BAPTIST ITEMS."

Our delegation to the Dundee council consisted of the pastor and Drs. Steinhoff and North.

The pastor has a cousin who is pastor of the Baptist church in Joliet, Ill. His name is John Wesley Conley.

All are glad to welcome Mr. J. Cook and family back to town again. Their seat in church is never empty on Sunday.

Our delegation to Kalamazoo college are all home again. It seems like old times to see Alva and the Clem's again.

Bro. Emory Doke has left the railroad and accepted a position in Brewer's Iron works. Glad that he can be at home again.

Miss Sarah Swartout has been appointed church agent for the K. L. H. A., in the place of Miss Henderson, resigned.

Hudson Baptist: Sister Heck, of Tecumseh, read an admirable paper before the Woman's Mission Society at the Association.

Bro. Albert Lovett is in Adrian selling agricultural implements. We hope he avails himself of the privileges of the Baptist church there.

The "Hudson Baptist" is the name of the church paper of the Baptist church in that place. It is an interesting sheet and ably edited.

The work of the K. L. H. A. is progressing finely. About $4000 are already subscribed. About $1100 have been actually paid in.

Hereafter the nominating committee in the Association is to consist of one delegate from each church. A very sensible arrangement.

At the last covenant meeting Dr. B. F. Steinhoff was elected a member of the pastoral committee, in the place of A. P. Coddington, resigned.

Our delegation to the association at Flat Rock was the pastor, Dea. Margeson and wife, Bro. Bramble and wife, Oscar Heck and Mrs. J. Heck.

The thanks of all are due to those who decorate the church with flowers each Lord's day. There is no more appropriate place for flowers than the Lord's house.

Sister Jennie Chase is at home again from Cairo, to spend her vacation.—She enjoys teaching in the South so well that she thinks some of going still farther South in the fall.

Sister I. S. Hamilton is still in feeble health, being confined to her bed most of the time. The doctor is far from being well, although he attends to the duties of his profession every day.

The S. S. picnic was so successful and pleasant last summer that everybody will probably want another this summer. It is hoped that arrangements will be made for it to occur in August.

Bro. C. Quick, of Fairfield, is moderator of the Lenawee Association this year. He has been bereaved recently in the death of his son. He has the sincere sympathy of all the churches in the Association.

The members of our choir are almost always in their places. This is a blessing indeed. They deserve our thanks. But few, if any, members of the church spend so much gratuitous time in its service as they.

One want supplied generally makes another want felt. The new church windows let in so much light that all the spots and blemishes upon the walls and ceiling are visible. It will be necessary to refresco soon.

Sister Marian Chase, instructor in history in Kalamazoo college, expects to spend some six weeks in Ann Arbor during the summer vacation, in order to avail herself of the University library. She is doing good work in the college.

Superintendent L. G. North thinks we are blessed with an unusually faithful corps of teachers. He is correct. The teachers think they are fortunate in having a superintendent who is scarcely ever absent from the school. They are correct too.

At the last meeting of the Board of Directors of the Ladies' Kalamazoo Hall Association, held at Kalamazoo, June 20th, they promoted their agent in this church, Miss May Henderson, to the office of State Secretary, in the place of Mrs. J. W. Ford, of Bay City, who was obliged to resign on account of failing health.

The sympathy of all will be extended to Sister Freeman Hicks, when they know of her deep sorrow. Her husband is dead. He died at Clifton, Kansas, on the 27th of May. As many will remember he had been in feeble health for more than a year. The severe climate of Minnesota, where he spent last winter, told heavily upon him. Early in the spring he went to Kansas in the hope of deriving benefit from its milder air. But his disease, consumption, always so deceptive, had become too deeply seated, and soon terminated fatally. Although our expression of sympathy to our sister is but feeble comfort in this dark hour, yet we wish to assure her that it is heartfelt and genuine. We sincerely wish that she might be in our midst; but in any event we commend her and her orphaned children to the God of all grace, who will never leave nor forsake them.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Capt. Case, of Cambridge, shears four hundred sheep this season.

John Ed. McCollum is building up a fine clothing trade at Clinton.

They tried to imprison a man in Adrian for trying to sell soap to 'em.

Prof. Estabrook has been spending a few days at his old home in Clinton.

A Jasper man disciplined his wife by shutting her up in the house for two days.

The next regular examination of teachers will be held at Adrian on the 18th of August.

A Morenci man raised eleven and one-half bushels of strawberries on one-twentieth of an acre of land.

During the celebration at Deerfield the grand stand broke down, injuring three women, but none of them seriously.

An enterprising firm of Morenci butchers shipped 700 pounds of bologna sausage to a neighboring town for a fourth of July celebration.

Detroit News: A church society sold beer freely at Adrian on the Fourth, but the ungodly saloonists had to shut up shop, and they feel bad about it.

Clinton News: The wool market opens up dull in this place. The Woolen Mill Co. are taking in a few clips. Some of the farmers are drawing to Tecumseh and Adrian, but comparatively little wool has yet been sold.

Blissfield Advance: As a matter of fact, we record that for three consecutive years, Rosie Rodgers, a pupil of the west side school, has not been absent or tardy in a single instance.—Truly, a remarkable record of attendance.

The christian people of Adrian congregated on the bluffs overlooking Lawrence Park on the days of the races and thus saved the twenty-five cents gate fee. This was too much for the Salvation Army; they closed their livery shop the next day and went into liquidation.

Clinton News: Fifty-one years ago Wednesday occurred the first Fourth of July celebration in Clinton, at which time a man named Reed lost both arms by the premature discharge of a cannon. But six persons who witnessed that celebration live in Clinton to-day.

Morenci Observer: Some one locked up the room in which the "Old Men's Christian Association" are wont to hold their daily sessions; but the veterans were not thus to be prevented from having their usual "worship." So they severally climbed up a ladder, got in through a window, and "service" was at once begun.

Hudson Gazette: To the Hudson Chaffs it was a glorious Fourth, indeed, for they went over and beat the Tecumseh big nine 11 to 8; and the Hudson boys were short 2 or 3 of their regular players at that. But Deacon (pitcher) and King (catcher) were in the best of trim and equal to any emergency. Bully for our boys.—Now, if we could only catch up with old Tecumseh town in the matter of railroad enterprise and sich!

THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:—We all regard the present season as unusually wet. Thinking some of your readers might wish to know just how wet, as compared with other years, I have compared the observations taken at this meteorological station with others taken at Lansing by Prof. R. C. Kedzie for 17 years, from 1864 to 1880 inclusive. As regards temperature I only compared the two months of May and June of the year 1883 with the same months of the 17 years mentioned.

	Average Temp. 1883.	Average Temp. for 17 years.
May,	54.72° F.	58.56° F.
June,	67.38° F.	68.23° F.

From the above it will be seen that our spring has not been "so remarkably" cold as some have supposed. The month of May had an unusual storm, viz: the snow storm of the 22d.

In the matter of rain fall the first six months of the year have been remarkable, the months of May and June being especially noticeable. The following is the comparison with the averages for the 17 years above mentioned.

	Rain Fall in inches 1883.	Average for same months, 17 yrs.
May,	6.49 in.	2.99 in.
June,	5.06 in.	3.88 in.
Total,	12.00 in.	6.87 in.

Thus we have nearly twice the usual amount of rain fall for the months of May and June. There was rain in May on 19 days, in June on 15 days. In the two months of 61 days, 24 were not clear of rainfall. This record is too much for the oldest inhabitant. The first six months of the year are also very noticeable for heavy rain fall as will be feen from the following:

Average annual rain fall, 17 years,	31.02 in.
Average from Jan. 1 to July 1, 17 years	15.63 in.
1880, " " " "	22.18 in.

Such an unusual precipitation of moisture can not fail to have an important bearing on growing crops and public health. All will hope that it will not be soon repeated.

Respectfully,
L. G. NORTH.

THE ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT.

The encampment of the first brigade will be held this year on the same grounds as last year at Island Lake. The following general orders have been issued by Capt. Lawrence, which will give all needed particulars of interest to Co. C:

HEADQUARTERS CO. C,
1st Reg. M. S. T.
Tecumseh, July 10, 1883.

General Order, No. 5.

The encampment of the First Brigade State Troops will be held at Island Lake, commencing Thursday, Aug. 9th. Every member of this company will report at the armory in uniform with knapsacks packed for five days' encampment on Wednesday, Aug. 8th, at six o'clock A. M. Transportation papers will then be made out, and to save time and avoid mistakes, men are requested to remain in the armory until the train moves.—The sergeants and corporals must be well posted in all their duties. Special care must be taken by the buglers [illegible] Lieut. J. B. Wood will instruct the company in guard duty and military courtesy. Sergeant A. E. Kennedy will have charge of the setting-up exercise. From this date regular company drills will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week, and all members are expected to be present. Every member must hereafter keep his uniform and equipments in the armory. Your number and key can be had of the Orderly, A. E. Kennedy.

BAPTIST ITEMS.

The Baptist Items is the name of a neat four page sheet published by the Baptist Church of this village. It will be published monthly at a subscription price of twenty-five cents per year. The July number has just been issued from the HERALD job rooms. The idea is a good one, and we have no doubt the Baptist church will receive substantial benefit as the result of their enterprise. The first number is a little late in going to press, owing to the extra work involved in "making-up" an entire new sheet, but hereafter the "Items" will appear promptly on the first of each month. J. O. Heck is subscription agent for the paper, and to whom all subscriptions will be paid. This new venture will doubtless meet with the success it deserves.

—In Sewing Machines like anything else the best is always the cheapest in the end. The Domestic and White stand at the head. Call at Sparks', next door to the Novelty store, and inform yourself before purchasing. Attachments and the very best needles and oils constantly on hand. You can buy an organ or piano of me as low as the lowest. Special inducements offered to cash customers.
G. P. SPARKS.

—Mechanics and laboring men save money by getting your clothes cleaned and renovated by D. Jones.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Young men get your clothes renovated and mended by D. Jones.

—Do not fail to examine those Golden Star gasoline stoves as they have decided improvements as regards points of safety that are invaluable to all practical housekeepers at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Sewing Machines to rent, or sell on the installment plan by the agent of the Singer Co., Landgraf block.

—Farmers call in and get your clothes renovated by David Jones.

—The Golden Star Oil Range is the latest success in summer stoves at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Call on the agent of the "Genuine Singer" in the Landgraf block, for sewing machines, needles, oils, and attachments.

—Yard Wide Lonsdale finish Bleached 8c.
A. B. Cotton.

—Ladies' Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
WELCOME SHERMAN.
The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's

—Land Fertilizing Salt, only $6 a ton, at S. W. Temple's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at
S. W. Temple's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

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Grass Lake
Jackson
Leoni
Hanover
Litchfield
Homer
Albion
Marshall
Ceresco
Battle Creek
Bellevue
Charlotte
Eaton Rapids
Delhi
Dimondale
Lansing
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Portland
Ionia
Lake Odessa
Sunfield
Vermontville
Charlotte
Nashville
Hastings
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Wayland
Leighton
Grandville
Wyoming
Kent City
Sparta
Cedar Springs
Rockford
Greenville
Lakeview
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Walton
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Gas City
Muncie
Dunkirk
Portland
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Parker
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Saratoga
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Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 25 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 30 P.M.	
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P.M.	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
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Men Who Dig Their Graves With Their Teeth.

A glutton is in many regards a monster, and, if possible, more repulsive than a drunkard. The glutton develops in his habits more of the animal than the man who drinks excessively, and may be said to dig his grave with his teeth. A glutton is as devoid of reason as animals of the lower order. In sight of food he disregards all laws relating to health; his voracity obscures his judgment, and he falls a victim to his inordinate and unrestrained appetite.

It is said that "a horse finding himself loose in his stable at night will seek out the meal barrel or bin—provided he belongs to an owner of the shiftless order, who leaves such things accessible—and gorge himself to death, and this will occur, without reference to the quality of the animal, whether he be aristocratic 'blood' or the meanest scrub. A herd of fine stock, being driven to pasture when the surfaces are covered with the earliest grass in its season, must be cared for by the watchful herdsman and guarded from [illegible] before it is finished to their satisfaction, or a few hours of time will witness the death agonies of the flower of the family, resulting from nothing but gluttony pure and simple.

Intelligent physicians say, and have always said, that the greater number of cases of midnight attacks of sickness, as well as the sudden deaths occurring between 'sun and sun,' and which seem so mysterious, are the result solely of imprudence and folly in eating and drinking during the hours of the day." Dr. Tanner's fast has shown men that by the exercise of the will total abstinence from food is possible for many days, and it teaches all that it is well for men not to live by "bread alone." In discussing abstemiousness as a cure-all, Dr. Berry, of Boston, is of the opinion that if a person would find out just what his system craves, and what his digestive organs can deal with profitably and successfully, and take that food never in excess of these conditions, the medical fraternity would find a great part of their occupation gone, and declares that nine-tenths of all the pains and aches, the disorders, uneasiness, cardiac affections, melancholies, irregularities—call them or classify them as one may—result from overloaded, overtaxed digestive organs.

A 200 pound man, doing a hard day's work, mental and physical, every day will find that, with a bit of steak the size of his two fingers, a single slice of toast, and one cup of coffee or tea at a meal, 'day in and day out'—reference is now made to quantity and not to kinds or qualities—he can do more work, keep up to the maximum his strength and general health, and actually increase constantly in buoyancy of spirits and freedom of bodily powers. The testimony is universal and absolutely uniform wherever this experiment is tried. Of course there must be a remedy for defective health, a foundation of soundness upon which to build the new structure of daily life; but these will be more readily attained in conjunction with the practice of abstemiousness, and the reform itself largely contains the condition of its own success.—*Indianapolis Sunday Sentinel.*

Miscellaneous Recipes.

Tea Cake.—One cup of sour cream, one cup of sugar, two eggs, two cups (full) of flour, teaspoonful of soda.

Fried Oysters.—Dip each oyster in beaten egg, then in rolled crackers or corn meal and fry quickly in hot butter or lard.

Puffs.—Two eggs, two cups of milk, two cups of flour and a little salt. Pour into hot roll pans, and bake in a quick oven. Fill the pans about half full.

Cocoanut Cookies.—Two cups sugar, one cup of butter, two eggs, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a tablespoonful of milk, one cocoanut and flour enough to roll.

French Loaf Cake.—Two cups sugar, half cup of butter, half cup of sweet milk, tea spoonful of soda, two of cream tartar, three eggs, three cups flour; flavor with lemon.

Lemon Flap-Jacks.—One pint of milk, four eggs, juice of one lemon, flour to make a light batter, pinch of soda. Fry in hot lard. Serve with sugar and nutmeg.

Fried Milk Toast.—Dip slices of bread in milk, wetting both sides; have some butter in a hot frying pan and fry the bread a delicate brown. Will relish for tea.

Puff Cake.—Two cups sugar, three eggs, one cup of butter, one cup of sweet milk, two teaspoonfuls cream tartar, one teaspoonful of soda, three cups flour. Bake in a quick oven.

Potato Puffs.—Two cups of cold, mashed potatoes; stir into this one tablespoonful of melted butter, two well-beaten eggs, and a cup of milk or cream. Pour into a deep dish and bake in a quick oven.

Cider Cake.—One cup of sugar, half cup of butter, one egg well beaten, one large cup of cider, one teaspoonful of soda, flour sufficient to make it as thick as pound cake. One cup of raisins can be added if desired.

Cream Cookies.—Two cups sugar, two eggs, one cup of cream, one cup butter, one teaspoonful soda, one teaspoonful lemon extract or one-half a nutmeg, grated; flour enough to make a dough as soft as it can be rolled. Delicious.

Layer Cream Cake.—Three eggs, one cup white sugar, four tablespoonfuls cold water, one teaspoon of cream, two spoonfuls of baking powder, half cup flour; for the cream, half cup of cream beaten to a stiff froth; add a little sugar; flavor to taste.

Washington Cake.—Two eggs, one cup of sugar, one-half cup of butter, one-half cup of milk, one and a half cups of flour, one small teaspoonful of saleratus, same quantity of cream of tartar. This will make three cakes. I use half butter and half lard.

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How Ghosts Are Made.

SOME STAGE ILLUSIONS WHICH ARE SHOWN TO BE VERY SIMPLE, AFTER ALL.

A reporter for the New York *Star* has investigated, in the workshop of Mr. Desmond, the maker, the method adopted to produce the illusion known as "The Ghost Show," which is to be seen in the various museums in that city. In this illusion the spectator sees on the stage a human figure which talks and moves, but which can appear and disappear with startling rapidity. The deception is accomplished by the following means:

The stage is set in the ordinary manner, with the exception of a large plate of glass, which is placed near the front at an angle of forty-five degrees, the top toward the audience. Of course the glass is invisible to the spectator. In front of the glass is a trap cut in the stage, just the length of the plate, and this trap is always open during the performance. At the top of the glass, two large square iron lanterns [illegible] ed so as to throw the light on the surface of the plate. Beneath the stage is a small square room, resembling a large dry goods box, about four feet high, whose entire interior is covered with black velvet. Raised about four inches from the bottom is a small stage, around which are arranged gas-lights about three feet above it. These lights are all under the control of one person, who stands at the prompter's box. When the illusion or "ghost" is wanted, a single movement turns down the head-light, thus giving the lights below the stage a chance to be thrown upon the performer, whose image is reflected on the surface of the plate glass. To make the "ghost" disappear he has simply to turn a thumb stopcock and the light from above falls over the glass and effaces the image.

The performer or "ghost" enters the apartment under the stage, and reclines at full length upon the raised stage in the center with his head toward the audience and slightly raised. When it is necessary to produce the illusion the operator simply turns the stop cock, thus reducing the volume of light at the top, and the figure appears to stand upon the stage, in plain sight of the audience, but is in reality only the image reflected on the plate glass.

"Two things," said Mr. Desmond, "are absolutely necessary to make the illusion successful; the man who works the lights must catch the "cue" at the proper time, and the performer must be well up in his part."

"Have you made many of the 'shows?'"

"Yes, quite a number. I made the one in Bunnell's Museum, on Broadway, and also for his Brooklyn show. Joe Barry, an Old Bowery actor, is running one of these illusions in Bridgeport. Would you like to see the show?"

The reporter confessed to a desire for such an exposition, and accompanied Mr. Desmond to a museum where one of the "ghost shows" is given seven times a day.

"I am the inventor of this illusion," said Prof. McGlennon, "and I have here a patent and a caveat."

"What suggested this illusion business to your mind, Professor?"

"Some years ago I was out West, and one day I saw a reflection in a locomotive lantern. That gave me the idea, and I never rested until I had solved the problem."

Following the Professor, the reporter found himself in a hall from which all light, save a small jet of gas, was excluded. Seated with the Professor on one side and the armless man on the other, the *Star* reporter waited to see the ghost. Presently the bell rang and the curtain went up on the drama of "Wild Bill, the Avenger; or The Wild Rose of the West." The first act consisted in the wholesale murder of a tribe of Indians by a bad white man, and the resolve of Wild Bill to avenge the wrong. During the act the figure of a young girl, with a very abbreviated skirt, kneeling over one of the Indians, appeared, having every semblance of being real. She appeared twice, and disappeared in the twinkling of an eye. The remaining acts, in which an Indian with a strong Milesian brogue took a prominent character, the same young lady appeared, both in a spiritelle and realistic character. At one period when her rival lovers were slashing away at each other with bowie knives, she suddenly appeared between the two, who regardless of her apparent presence, stabbed through her at each other. Of course it is needless to say it was merely the reflection which the audience saw, but so true was it to nature that several ladies screamed involuntarily.

The Cause of Diphtheria.

Dr. Emil Querner, of Philadelphia, who has made investigations into the cause of diphtheria, reaches the following conclusions:

"After a laborious and scrutinizing investigation into the cause of a large number of cases of diphtheria that have come under my care during several years past, I have almost arrived at the conclusion that the primary infection of an individual comes from the fungi which are found as spots of different colors on the exterior of fruits, particularly apples. As far as the power of my microscope has shown, these fungi seem identical with the fungi from a diphtheritic ulcer, and last autumn I traced a number of cases, at one time five together in one family, back to the eating of apples picked from the ground in orchards without previously cleaning the fruit by rubbing or washing. The prevalence of this dreadful disease in the last three decades may be well accounted for by the fact that the appearance and flourishing of lower animal and vegetable organisms is periodical, of which we have examples in the potato disease, the disease of the grape vine, and cholera, which latter has been ascribed to a fungus growing on the eaves of rice in East India and carried in the human body as a contagion."

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Ferocious Courage of the Afghan.

A correspondent of the Calcutta *Pioneer* contributes to that paper some "Reminiscences of the War in Afghanistan." Referring to the fighting qualities of the Afghan soldiery, he says: "An Afghan never thinks of asking for quarter, but fights with the ferocity of a tiger and clings to life until his eyes glaze and his hands refuse to pull a pistol-trigger or use a knife in a dying effort to maim or kill his enemy. The stern realities of war were more pronounced on the battle-fields in Afghanistan than perhaps they have ever been in India, if we except the retributive days of the mutiny. To spare a wounded man for a minute was probably to cause the death of the next soldier, who unsuspiciously walked past him. One thing our men certainly learned in Afghanistan, and that was to keep their wits about them when pursuing an enemy or passing over a hard-won field. There might be danger lurking in each seemingly inanimate form studding the ground, and under any condition were exercised the wounded Afghan would sleep his soul in bliss by killing a Kafir just when life was at its last ebb. This stubborn love of fighting *in extremis* is prompted doubtless by fanaticism, and we saw so much of it that our men at close quarters always drove their bayonets well home, so that there should be no mistake as to the deadliness of the wound. The physical courage which distinguished the untrained mobs who fought so resolutely against us was worthy of all admiration; the tenacity with which men, badly armed and lacking skilled leaders, clung to their positions was remarkable, to say nothing of the sullen doggedness they often showed when retiring. But when the tide of the fight set in fully against them and they saw that further resistance would involve them more deeply, there was so sudden a change always apparent that one could scarcely believe the fugitives hurrying over the hills were the same men who had resisted so desperately but a few minutes before. They acted wisely; they knew their powers in scaling steep hills, or in making their escape by fleetness of foot; and the host generally dissolved with a rapidity which no one but an eye-witness can appreciate. If cavalry overtook them, they turned like wolves and fought with desperation, selling their lives as dearly as men ever sold them; but there was no rally in the true sense of the word, and but faint attempts at aiding each other. Their regular troops were but little amenable to discipline by reason of deficient training, and they resorted to the tactics they had pursued as tribesmen, when once they were forced to retire."

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JOHN H. MANN.

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the second day of July, A.D. 1883 authorizing the undersigned guardian of Alvinzie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner and Ambrose L. Arner, minors, will on the 1st day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereinafter described offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder the undivided one-half of all those tracts or parcels of land situate in the township of Ridgeway, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: All that portion of the Northwest quarter of section eighteen, town six South of Range five East, lying West of the center line of the ridge road also called leading across said quarter section—excepting therefrom the North twenty acres thereof now owned by Morgan M. Florence; also all that part of the West half of said Northwest quarter of said section eighteen, town six South of Range five East, lying East of the center line of said Ridge road, bounded by commencing at the Southeast corner of said West half of said quarter section, running thence North on the dividing line of East and West halves of said quarter section about forty-five rods to the Southeast corner of a parcel of land sold and deeded by John Arner to said Morgan M. Florence, thence West on the South line of said parcel about twenty-two rods to the center line of said Ridge road, thence Southwesterly along the center line of said road to the South line of said quarter section, thence East along that line to the place of beginning, containing of the entire amount of land, forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Arner, widow of said John Arner, deceased, therein. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated July 2, 1883.

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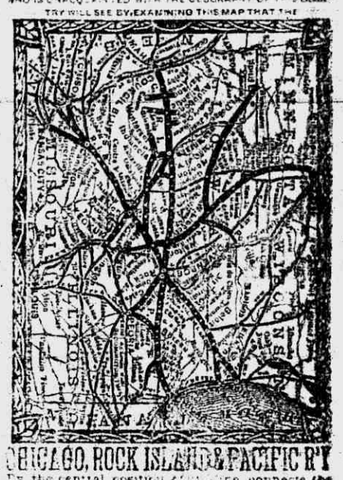

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There personally appeared George Nitcher, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is a resident at the Windsor House, Titusville; that he is fifty-eight years of age, and that he has been afflicted terribly severe, more especially in the right shoulder, so as to be unable to lift my arm without pain and of the other. After taking the second dose of Wilson's Infallible Remedy for Rheumatism, the pain left my arm, and I could handle it with ease as if it had not been afflicted. Now I am relieved entirely after taking seventeen doses. GEO. NITCHER.
Sworn and subscribed to before me April 15th, 1880. J. D. B. CLARK, Justice of the Peace.
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, July 7, 1883.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, the entire council except Messrs. Barridge and Steinhoff.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance.

Recording recommending the payment of the following claims presented against the corporation, viz:

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Report received and adopted.

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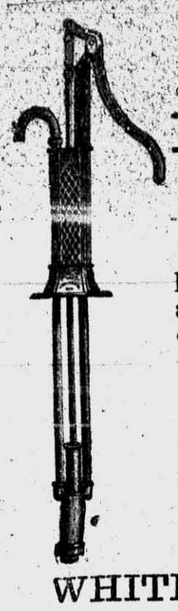

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

MACON MUSIC

Mrs. Warren, of Bedford, is paying a short visit to her brother, George Harlow.

The concert Sunday evening was largely attended, not only by the people of the village, but many from Macon. Center were present. The exercises although quite short, were unusually good.

Mrs. David Howell and son, Maurice, of Lansing, are stopping with their many friends in Macon.

George Cole, of Saline township, was buried last Friday, a victim to the dreadful disease consumption.

Geo. Herriott, of Saline, is at present very sick with typhoid fever.

Uncle Samuel Robinson is badly afflicted with a bleeding cancer in the throat.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

Clinton still pineth and prevaileth for a grain and produce buyer, and will not be comforted until she has one.

A good many went to Sand Lake, last Tuesday to enjoy a little rest and recreation at Lenawee's Long Branch.

The Episcopal social at Miss Reynolds last Tuesday evening was largely attended and well enjoyed.

Union services were held last Sunday evening in bishop Payne's church. The house was well filled.

Ed. Silvers, of Pittsford, is here this week harvesting his wheat. He has 80 acres to harvest on the old homestead.

Ed. A. Clark having sold out his livery in Tecumseh, started Saturday for Cadillac to look over the livery prospects in that lively town.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, July 16, 1883.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, the entire council except Mr. Burridge.

Minutes of last regular session of Council and of adjourned sessions held July 5 and July 9 were read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing, and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the cemetery fund.

John McConnell, services as sexton	$18 38
Chas. Stevenson, labor in cemetery	2 4 50
Byron Snell, " " "	3 00
Geo. Cole, " " "	2 25
Milan Wheeler, " " "	24 00
John Cannon, " " "	5 25
John Crowley, " " "	11 25
William Brown, " " "	12 00
Robert McGill, " " "	2 25

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Streets:

Report in writing, and in favor of granting the prayer of the petition of David Brengan, Chas. Kilburn and others referred at last meeting. On motion the report is adopted.

NEW BUSINESS.

A bill presented by H. W. Stevens for services as Marshal was presented and referred to committee on finance.

On the recommendation of the Marshal John M. Hibbard and Thomas Kyle are appointed deputy Marshals.

The following resolution is adopted by the Council.

Resolved, That a new plank sidewalk be built along the south side of Cummins st., from the east line of Pearl st., northward to the east line of lot number 3 of block number 3 of McCowen's addition to the said village of Tecumseh; that such walk be constructed four feet wide of pine plank 1½ inch thick and not more than six inches in width, to be laid lengthwise on good sound oak stringers not more than two feet apart from center to center, and well spiked down; such to be constructed and completed ready for the acceptance of the Street Commissioner within 30 days from the passing of this resolution.

The Marshal is hereby instructed to serve a notice of this resolution on all the property owners along the line of said walk within the time required by law.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON,
Recorder.

The North American Review for August opens with a very spirited discussion of "Moral Instruction in the Public Schools," by the Rev. Dr. R. Heber Newton, who offers a practical scheme for conveying ethical instruction without reference to religious tenets, and the Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, who maintains that the Bible must be made the base of all moral teaching. Published at 30 Lafayette Place New York, and for sale by booksellers generally.

Manchester Enterprise: We now expect the local telephone exchange will be put in here next week. The central office will be at the Enterprise office, and instruments will be put in for Wm. Burtless, Mack & Schmid, Kensler Bros., the People's Bank, Dr. Knapp and M. Dealey, also one at each of the depots. Mat D. Blosser is the manager of the exchange, and will be pleased to have those in business use the public telephone at the Enterprise office.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Edward Brighton, of Brooklyn, set out 200 shade trees on the highway last spring, and his road tax has been remitted this summer.

The premium list of the Morenci Fair is in the hands of the printer. By the way, where is the premium list of the Tecumseh Fair?

Morenci Observer: "Misfortunes come not singly." While lying in a very critical condition himself, a telegram was received on Tuesday for our townsman, J. Capp, conveying the sorrowful intelligence of the death of his father in Loraine county, O.

Record: A little son of Leander Emerson, of Blissfield, recently accomplished the exploit of swallowing a tin whistle, and the poor little lad nearly whistled himself to death before Dr. Parker shoved the whistle, tune and all down into his stomach.

Morenci Observer: We notice brisk times on the fair ground trotting course every morning, as Prof. Faling, of Tecumseh, is training four trotting horses there and Ernest Baker as many more. Horsemen say we have by far the best track in the county.

Adrian Times: The question now is: How deep do we dig to find the Adrian base ball club? They were beaten by the Blissfield club, the score standing 28 to 1, and yesterday the Blissfields were beaten by the Hudson Chaffs, with a score of 16 to 8.

Deerfield Record: J. M. Robertson, of Blissfield, has been appointed special drain commissioner to construct a water course for the purpose of draining Ottawa lake. The drain will commence on section 36, township of Riga and run south-east through the lake and empty into Ten-Mile creek.

Adrian Press: A Hudson youth who went to the lake the 4th, got very hungry, and snooping around found a well filled lunch basket which he proceeded to investigate. The owner came up before the investigation closed, and a horsewhip was made to do tolerably fair service in aiding digestion.

Morenci Observer: A correspondent writes us from Lyons that a young man in that vicinity addicted to his cups and who wanted to reform, was promptly rejected on making application to the Good Templars of that place for admission into the order. How is that, brethren? A little explanation might be in order.

Deerfield Record: On Wednesday, while cutting hay with a mowing machine, the team of John Clark, two miles west of the village, became frightened at a turkey flying over their heads, and started to run away. John was thrown out and in front of the knives, but clung to the team finally stopping them, and luckily escaped with only a few scratches, altho' his boot was torn from his foot and nearly cut in pieces by the knives.

Clinton News: C. F. Field hied himself to the hay field last Monday in search of a few hours' exercise. He got it—in installments. He also got warm, caught cold, took active part in a chill, wound up with a little fever and was confined to the house for a few days, during which period he had ample time to ruminate on the question of writing a treatise on scientific farming. We believe he has decided not to publish it just at present, but thinks himself better adapted by nature to handle a quill than a pitchfork, though very expert with a table fork.

Brooklyn Exponent: On last Sunday afternoon a little three-year-old daughter of Henry Mellinger, a farmer living south of this village, got hold of a box of Paris green, which had been purchased for use on potato vines, and began eating it. When discovered she had swallowed about a tablespoonful, but, as it acts as a slow poison it did not take immediate effect, and the hasty application of antidotes and emetics caused her to vomit most of it in a short time; but it is still uncertain as to her life being saved, as it is feared that part of the poison has worked into her system where it may yet result fatally.

Blissfield Advance: A Blissfield lady a few days ago, undertook to make ice cream, but when she came to flavor it, she found that her essence of lemon was short. Putting in what she had, she sent her little boy with a bottle to the drug store to get a fresh supply. By the time he got to the drug store he forgot the name of the article; but, judging from the color and the shape of the bottle and his familiarity with sewing machines, he asked for machine oil, which he received and carried home, and the lady dashed it into the ice cream before she discovered what it was. The family were not hungry for ice cream that day.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Ovid is being burglarized by home talent.

Ionia paid $8,654 25 for school teachers' salaries last year.

It takes 92 justices of the peace to keep things straight in St. Clair county.

Mr. Lemon, of Jackson, patented a new corset. Why not call it the Lemon squeezer?

The name of Geneva station on the South Haven & Kalamazoo railroad, has been changed to Lacota.

The Eaton Rapids band will toot to the First Regiment at the Brighton encampment.

Some of the Armada folks object to one of their pastors playing base ball. They think it is wicked.

It is stated that the new presbyterian society at Battle Creek is trying to engage Rev. Geo. Duffield.

An old Millerite plea has been revived in Kent county, and the earth is expected to take a tumble soon.

The Chelsea wool syndicate has bought over 225,000 pounds of wool this season thus far. One man sold his clip amounting to 3,488 pounds.

The St. Louis episcopalians have sold their church to the catholics for $1,500 spot cash, and have hired a hall until their new church is completed.

Prof. C. K. Adams, has been offered the chancellorship of the state university of Nebraska, and has been out there to look over the promised land.

Ned Kelly, aged 11, fell from a high balcony at Cadillac, last week, breaking both arms, dislocating his wrists, and sustaining numerous minor injuries.

A miner named John Adams was killed in the Chapin mine, near Norway, a few days ago, and on the 11th Frank James, fireman at the Perkins mine, was killed.

Dr. Armington, of Reading, tried and convicted on a charge of selling budge to a confirmed user thereof, was sentenced to 10 days in jail and a fine of $25 and costs.

Two Lansing business men with their families are journeying down Grand River by boat, bound to see Lake Michigan. They camp out o' nights and are having a jolly trip.

The farmers in the vicinity of Sturgis are crying aloud for hands to help them in the hay and harvest fields, and the answers are few and far between.

The Marshall broom brigade has made its first public appearance, and so well drilled is it that several brilliant engagements are expected to soon be precipitated.

Col. Benj. S. Compton died at Monroe last week. He commanded a regiment of sharpshooters during the war, and has since been an oil operator in West Virginia.

During a storm at Bellevue a few days ago, James Hamilton's barn was blown from its foundation and his orchard up-rooted. Bellevue appears to be right in the track of the cyclone.

The Battle Creek advent college, which has been closed two years on account of a disagreement of the faculty, will be opened again in September, with Prof. H. Veysey, just over from England, as head professor.

An upper peninsula man named Carlyon, who was blown up by nitroglycerine a few months ago, has scraped enough of himself together again to go about acting as chief engineer of wrestling matches.

Mr. L. Egleston, proprietor of the Kalamazoo spring works and one of the chief promoters of the driving park enterprise was stricken by paralysis last week, and his trouble has since been augmented to a serious degree.

As a member of the salvation army at Adrian was praying for a stalwart young sinner he grew personal, and used the young man's name very pointedly in his petition. Thereupon the unconverted youth fell upon the petitioner and smote him hip and thigh.

Mrs. Wm. Farr, of near Cannonsburg, was thrown from her buggy on the 9th and instantly killed. She was thrown upon a brush heap and one stick hit her head and another pierced her side. She had her baby in her arms, and it is thought she lost her life trying to shield her child.

Fred L. Drake, of Ovid, was drowned at the Pine Lake resort last week. He was a young man highly respected and was to have been married in about two weeks. The accident occurred while Drake was in bathing near the bath house, and is the first fatal accident that has occurred at that resort.

WHAT I LIVE FOR.

BY G. LINNÆUS BANKS.

I live for those who love me,
Whose hearts are kind and true;
For the heaven that smiles above me,
And awaits my spirit too;
For all human ties that bind me,
For the task by God assigned me,
For the bright hopes left behind me,
And the good that I can do.

I live to plant some gladness
Where I believe for my sake,
To remove a single sadness
And forever to efface
Every trace of care or sorrow
Left by Sin's ever-busy plough;
To help the poor, the friendless,
The outcast and the slave.

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For the bright hopes left behind me,
And the good that I can do.

I live to hold communion
With all that is divine,
To feel there is a union
Twixt Nature's heart and mine;
To profit by affliction,
Bear crosses, meet reverses,
Gain a victory from defeat,
And strive for the prize of peace.

Also with each good design,
To live as God intends,
Live by precept and example
To the end of life's long journey,
And then, when life's work is ended,
Be gathered to the dead,
As fitting a ripe harvest
Is gathered in its season.

I live for those who love me,
For those who know me true,
For heaven that smiles above me,
And awaits my spirit too;
For the cause that needs assistance,
For the wrongs that need resistance,
For the future in the distance,
And the good that I can do.

"OVER THE WIRES."

Perhaps I must tell you who I am, and how I came to be in the Baysville bank [illegible] years ago. Dryden was then quite a village, and I was fifteen years old that summer. I remember it was when Mrs. Hudson died. Dolly was not twelve yet, and we had a hard time indeed.

We were poor folks, though, for father died and left us very poor. Mother struggled on with a young family till I was sixteen, and then she had rented two rooms of Mrs. Knight, a widow with two children, one aged twenty and the other a daughter. Aunt Mary, mother and I were adopted by the Knights, and although I was earning a support as assistant teacher in the village academy, I was like one of the family when I was not my good, industrious self.

They were all in good positions, but by no means an aristocratic family. John, the eldest son, was in New York in a wholesale sugar house. Tom was the night watchman in the Baysville bank building, and grandpa—we all call him grandpa—was telegraph operator of the town, while Mary was a milliner and Dolly stayed at the office, sending and receiving messages.

The Baysville bank building was a large granite structure, containing the post-office and bank on the first floor, the telegraph office and a number of private law offices on the third floor. In the basement were post-office rooms for sorting the mail, and also the large bank vault.

I knew the building well, for I was fond of telegraphing and spent half my leisure time perched up beside grandpa while he sat peacefully or read the newspaper.

And that was the beginning of my amusement at Dryden, the next station. The operator at Dryden was a wag, and dashed nonsense to our office, but if I were there I sent back jest for jest, and sometimes an hour slipped by like a minute as we talked over the wires of every topic under the sun. He called himself "Lion," and I, for nonsense, signed myself "Elephant," laughing as I did so at the reflection of my tiny figure in the office mirror.

Beyond Dryden, and only five miles from Baysville, was C——, a large commercial town, the largest railway station where an office was always open for the accommodation of travelers.

As I have said, Tom Knight was the night watchman of Baysville bank building, and a lonely time he had of it. The last mail came by stage at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and the post office was vacated at six. The bank closed at three, and by six o'clock every office was deserted for the night.

At seven Tom was on duty, and grandpa, who was resting at night, was in the habit of taking down some coffee and luncheon, as the building was only a stone's throw from the house.

On the December night I have already mentioned, it had stormed heavily all day, and I had taken a new class at the academy, coming home later in the day than usual, and excited over my increase in salary.

Everybody else had gone to bed, and I was lingering over the kitchen fire with Mrs. Knight, dreading the plunge into my cold room, where I had allowed the fire to go out.

The clock struck twelve, and Mrs. Knight, lifting her face from over the fire, said:

"Do call grandpa, Olive; he's asleep on the sofa in the sitting room. I'll have Tom's basket ready by the time grandpa has his hat and coat on. I hate to call him, for he was complaining of rheumatism all day, and the ground is very wet, although the storm is over."

"Let him sleep, I said; "I'll run over with the basket. It is but a step."

"But it is so dark; are you not afraid?"

"Not a bit; I'll slip on my waterproof and rubbers, and draw the hood of my cloak over my head."

"Well, if you will, though I am afraid Tom will scold at my letting you go."

"I'll put down the basket and run, and he will never know who left it."

"Go into the rear basement door; he leaves that open for grandpa."

"I know."

I grasped the handle of the basket, and hurried across the space between the building and the house, and stole softly in at the basement door, in pursuance of my plan to drop the basket and run.

In my rubber shoes my steps were noiseless, and I had scarcely passed the threshold when I stood rooted to the floor in terrible amazement.

Somebody was talking.

I crept forward and listened. There was a man in the vault, and a light shone under the door.

While I listened somebody said:

"There is a confounded draft here; did you shut the door Smith?"

"Yes, but the wind might have blown it open."

I had just time to dart under the stairs and crouch down, when the door of the vault opened and a man came out.

He crossed the entry, drew two heavy noisy bolts, fastened the door by which he entered, and returned without closing the vault door.

I could look in by the dim light and see two men working at the safe locks by a strean of light thrown from a dark lantern.

There was the rustle of a man, bound and gagged upon the floor, and I could only conjecture that it was Tom, for I could not see distinctly.

Then I was nearly caged, for it would be impossible for me to draw those heavy bolts without attracting notice. And the bank was being robbed, that was evident. How could I prevent it? I could not reach Tom. Suddenly I remembered the telegraph office on the second floor. If I could [illegible] help [illegible] it was only five miles, and there was a long job for the burglars before they could open the safe.

I noiseless crept out [illegible] If one of these men turned his head I was lost. I softly crept out, up stairs, slowly, painfully and gained the office. By I darted, throwing my India rubber shoes, till I gained the door of the telegraph office. An [illegible] I dared not strike a match.

I listened, and then [illegible] the door, grasped my [illegible] well [illegible] and gave the signal for C——. I [illegible] my heart [illegible] to the sounder. It came [illegible] working.

[illegible] in the Baysville bank vault! Watchman gagged and bound! Can you not help.

[illegible] in listening, [illegible] Will [illegible] Tom to the [illegible] of his instrument [illegible] no response came to us. The [illegible] telegraph office [illegible] bolted [illegible] watch.

The [illegible] stroke on the deep [illegible] we were [illegible] road leading to C——. I was numb with cold, wishing heartily that I had not left Tom's basket under the stairs, thinking [illegible] of my [illegible] when I [illegible] on the solitary [illegible].

No sweet Anne in Bluebeard's tower was ever more [illegible] than I was then. Would the burglars take the alarm?

The building made a corner of two streets, and I saw eight [illegible] on the road separate and while four dismounted in front four went to the rear.

The burglars were unprepared for this flank movement, for while the police in front were thundering at the main entrance, the rear [illegible] to the rear basement door right into the arms of the police stationed there.

I could hear the [illegible] pistol shots fired, the scuffle of feet, curses, oaths and several [illegible] and I slipped down stairs and out of the now deserted main street and ran home.

Everybody was in bed, and I went to my room, had a crying spell, and comforted my half frozen body in double blankets, where I soon fell asleep.

All this was on Friday night, and I had [illegible] reading to do until Monday; so I slept late, but coming down I found all the family prepared to make a heroine of me.

"I never knew, until mother told me this morning," said Tom, "that it wasn't grandpa who sent the telegram to C——. By Jove, Olive, you're spunky, if you are little."

Tom then described in detail his experience, and added:

"I gave up when four of them pounced on me from one of the upper rooms. They must have got in during the day and hid."

I had to make the Knights promise not to tell my adventure, but could not. Before night all Baysville knew how Olive Hudson caught the burglars. I was in the office with grandpa, when over the wires came this message:

"What does Olive Hudson look like? Everybody in Dryden is talking about her great exploit."

I flashed back:

"What do you suppose such a woman would look like? She is nearly six feet tall, broad-shouldered and loud-voiced,—a perfect Elephant?"

"Was it really yourself, Elephant?"

"Dear Lion, it was!"

"Do you know I want to see you. I am going to New York to-day, but I'll be back next spring."

If he came to Baysville he did not see me. I ran away in a fit of shyness.

In March a wonderful thing happened. My mother's brother, who had been years—nearly all my lifetime—in [illegible], came out to New York, found me out, and took me into a life of ease and luxury, making me pet in his splendid house. He was a bachelor, over fifty years of age, handsome and well-informed, and with large wealth.

He introduced me to old friends of his, and my circle of acquaintances widened every day. I was entirely happy, for we loved each other well.

One day uncle George brought home to dinner a stranger, who he introduced as:

"The son of my old friend Olive, Mr. Roberts."

I made myself agreeable as in duty bound, to Mr. Roberts, a man of thirty, or thereabouts, with a face that was downright ugly, but pleasant from the expression of frank good humor and intelligence upon it. We talked of everything, and I was surprised at the congeniality of taste we soon discovered. In an animated discussion of heroines, Mr. Roberts, turning to uncle George, said:

"You were kindly inquiring this morning about my fortune since father died, but I did not tell you one little episode. Before I was fortunate enough to obtain my present lucrative position, I was for a time telegraph operator in a small place called Dryden, and there I heard of a real heroine, of whom the world will probably never hear."

I knew what was coming, but kept my face perfectly composed to listen. When the story was finished giving Uncle George a sly punch to keep him quiet, I said:

"What kind of a looking person was this wonderful heroine?"

"I never saw her; although Baysville was the next village to Dryden, I never went there. But she was described to me as tall, strong and masculine."

"In short, my dear Lion," I said gravely, "she was a perfect elephant."

Such a stare as greeted me I am certain never came upon Leo Roberts' face before or since that hour. His eyes dilated till I thought that they would pop out of his clear ugly face, and his mouth opened in utter amazement. Finally he remembered his manners, and gasped:

"Pardon me, I—was it really you?"

"Uncle George," I said, "will you be kind enough to introduce me properly to Mr. Roberts? I believe he thinks your niece must bear your name."

With a flourish, Uncle George arose and gravely introduced:

"Mr. Leo Roberts, Miss Olive Hudson; Miss Hudson, Mr. Roberts."

After that we could not certainly be strangers, and Mr. Roberts came often to dine with Uncle George.

[illegible] one day there was a [illegible] when the bride was very small, buried in lace and orange blossoms, and the bridegroom very ugly and good natured; but it was a [illegible] match, and finding for the [illegible] ation commenced at Dryden and Baysville.

"Over the Wires."

My First and Last.

A right molar had been aching [illegible] for [illegible] hours. I treated it, chloroformed it, tried hundreds of [illegible] of ginger, pepper, poultice, fomented and blistered, till that side of my face looked like a boiled beet, but all in vain.

I had exhausted the list of remedies known to me save one—the forceps—and was musing whether I should have [illegible] when an evil moment my [illegible] it was in my college days suggested it. Surely that would be something new to me. Excited on the battery, I announced, I put on my hat and made for the sign of the "Big Injun," on the next corner. [illegible] little sheepishness I entered, [illegible] on such a delicate errand, but put [illegible] face on, and asked for a [illegible] weed. The shopman handed them an [illegible] life to self cigars. I paid for them, slipped them into my deepest and darkest pocket, and started for home. It seemed as if the eyes of every person in the street were sent upon me, and every look seemed to say:

"That greeny has got six cigars in his pocket."

When I arrived home I solemnly prepared for the operation. I took off my coat and boots, put on my study-gown and slippers, tied a handkerchief in lieu of a smoking cap over my luxuriant hair, and then selecting the worst of the half-dozen I applied myself to one end, and a light to the other.

"Why, chum, what's the matter with the confounded thing? I can't get a whiff."

"Perhaps you would get more comfort out of it if you would bite off the little end. Smoke don't generally draw very well through a capped tube."

"Oh! ah! all right!"

Puff, puff!

"Beautiful! Chum, the machine runs!"

Then I settled back in my old rocker before the grate, put my feet on the fender and assumed the nonchalant air of an expert, and puffed away like a pair of bellows till the stub began to burn my fingers.

I had taken the remedy thoroughly. I aimed the fiery remnant at the grate, but singularly enough, it went wide of its mark, struck the mantlepiece, and came bounding back on the rug, scattering the sparks in every direction. I stooped to brush them up, when I suddenly found myself on all fours, and standing none too steady, even with this broadening of base. I tried to rise; the whole room seemed to have gone to sea, and the furniture was rocking at a fearful rate. I made at once for the bed-room doors. This dodged me, and the wall, about three feet to one side, rapped me in the face. My kind chum, seeing the state of my case, came promptly to my help, and after a very nice piece of civil engineering got me into bed. The relief was but momentary. Another wave came quickly, a sort of a subterranean commotion just below the diaphragm, I felt the crisis coming, and called:

"The bowl, the bowl. Quick, quick! I feel as if I was an Etna or Vesuvius; quick!"

After this development I fell back on the pillow, utterly resigned.

"How are you old boy?" inquired my chum, in a most consoling voice.

"Convalescent, thank'ee; guess I'll go to sleep."

After lingering half an hour in the borderland between thought and dream, I was fairly over the line. And a troubled realm it proved to be; blue with endless smoke. First, I was a chimney, with sixteen flues all centering in one at the top, and my nose served as a smoke-vane, keeping its long point to the wind, so that the gusts could not send the blue puffs the wrong way. Then I was the smoke-stack of some great steamer rolling in a heavy sea; in this capacity I took a very long voyage. Next I was converted into a railroad engine; not rolling on wheels, but swinging dizzily through the air as it seemed about fifty feet above the track, with the sparks from the fire flying out of my eyes, and all the flame and smoke streaming through my nostrils. At last the engine gave a sudden chuff, chuff, letting off the accumulated smoke, when I started up in a fright. My chum was exploding with laughter.

"Why, Bob, you snore like old Cyclops himself. You ought to have heard the three shores with which you came to! ha, ha, ha!"

I didn't join in the laugh.

The toothache had gone; but, oh, me, where? Into every fibre and particle of the brain. My pulses were trying to knock holes through my temples. My tongue was coated. My mouth tasted like an old smoke-house. My lips felt as if they had been exchanging with some horse, so swollen, and flabby and floppy they were. It was twenty-four hours before I was myself again. Then the old toothache came back as bad as ever, and I had to go and let the forceps do their work after all.

Thus ended my experience of my first and last cigar.

If any young man wants my advice about mastering the one art of self-fumigation with tobacco, it is that of the philosopher to the very young couple who wanted to get married—don't.

Charcoal.

Charcoal is valuable as fuel, but it has other uses, which make it one of the most serviceable of articles. When laid flat, while cold, on a burn, it causes the pain to abate; by leaving it on for an hour the burn seems almost healed, when the wound is superficial.

Tainted meat, covered with it, is sweet and sound. Strewn over heaps of decomposed pelts or over dead animals, charcoal prevents unpleasant odor. Foul water is purified by it. It is a great disinfectant, and sweetens offensive air if placed in shallow trays around apartments.

It is so very porous that it absorbs and condenses gases rapidly. One cubic inch of fresh charcoal will absorb nearly one hundred inches of gaseous ammonia. Charcoal forms an excellent poultice for malignant wounds and sores. In cases of what is called proud flesh it is invaluable.

It gives no disagreeable odor, corrodes no metal, hurts no texture, injures no colors, is a safe and simple disinfectant.

A teaspoonful of charcoal in half a glass of water often relieves a sick headache. It absorbs the gases and relieves the distended stomach pressing against the nerves that extend from the stomach to the head.

$2,500 versus $1.50.

"I spent $2,500 with other doctors," writes Mr. J. W. Thornton, of Claiborn, Miss., "Samaritan Nervine however alone cured my son of fits." This is on a par with hundreds of others, speedy but thorough.

A Word About Canning.

It is not alone the flies that the amateur never misses the points and tries to cut through the lattice work, that fill him with regret and his cup full of sage and onions. It is the horrible thought that the entire company is looking at him.

No matter how the perspiration may [illegible] down between his shoulder blades, however the hot flushes may chase the chill [illegible] the eyes may be strained to bursting, the rest of the company never allow interest to flag a moment.

We remember one time we were called [illegible] the mishap-niest of a lot for all [illegible] tournament of the home of a dove and stumping a hose and a gad we decided to catch on to as fast as possible.

[illegible] to us now the [illegible] of the guests, the rippling [illegible] the [illegible] as the blanks [illegible] merrily as a [illegible] bell.

[illegible] to mix the [illegible] laughter of [illegible] as she sat [illegible] left that day, scented cemented and [illegible] the gleaming steel, we felt buoyant and proud. Proud to think how we could slice the white, calm bosom of that deceased hen. Proud to think how, in our mind, we had laid out the different pregnable points about the cold cackler, and in the anticipation or applause, glad and free, when we had accomplished the warfare, and victory and stuffing had perched upon our banner.

We softly jabbed the shimmering fork a cradle of the breast-bone, tore off a few loose pimples from under the wings of the late lamented, gouged out a few shattered fragments from the neck, and to cut a sirloin steak on the back.

An oppressive gloom seemed to pervade the air. The old hen did'nt have her joints where we had them laid out in our mind. She was deformed. She seemed to be a freak of nature.

It unsettled and unnerved us.

We gouged wildly at the remains, squirting the gravy right and left, and filling the air with fragments of bread crumbs and sage.

By some kind of omission or miscalculation, we made a wild stab at the back of the late lamented hen, and with a frenzy born of repeated defeats and depressing failures, the knife struck the platter with a crash, and ceasing not in its untamed fury, glanced aside, and in an instant buried itself, with a sickening thud, in the corset of the hired girl.

With difficulty, we drew out the glittering blade, now sanguined with the gore of a fellow-creature, wiped it on the table cloth, and fled. Out into the cold, unsympathetic world, out into the crash and confusion of struggling humanity, to battle on through life under an assumed name.

That is why we tremble and turn pale when our past life is inquired into by biographers. That is why a baked fowl makes us quail.

That is why we always sign our nom de plume to a promissory note. That, too, is why we always travel incog. and without baggage.—*Bill Nye, in Boomerang.*

A Husband's Duty.

A very grave responsibility has the man assumed in his marriage. Doting parents have confided to his care the welfare of a loved daughter, and a trusting woman has risked all her future happiness in his keeping. Largely will it depend upon him whether her pathway shall be strewn with thorns or roses.

Let your wife fully understand your business. In nearly every case she will be found a most valuable adviser when she understands all your circumstances. If a dispute arises dismiss the subject with a kind word and do not seek to carry your point by discussion. It is a glorious achievement to master one's own temper. You may discover that you are in error, and if your wife is wrong she will gladly, in her cooler moments, acknowledge the fault.

Never neglect your wife for all the world besides. Never deceive; confidence once lost can never be wholly regained. Never give all your pleasant words and smiles to strangers—the kindest words and the sweetest smiles should be reserved for home. Home should be your heaven.

Never fail to tell your wife the truth; truthful you get your reward—you will get your punishment if you deceive. Never fail to say a kind, encouraging word to your wife; praise and encourage her. To keep her love, be kind and loving—always be a lover.

And last and above all, to keep your wife's love and respect, be a strictly temperate man. It would be difficult to love and honor a man whom she is compelled to look down upon, who would drag himself, wife and children down to poverty, shame and disgrace. One and all, turn from the inoxicating cup. That alone makes more misery, causes more unhappy homes and is the greatest curse on earth. God pity the poor wife with an intemperate man. Her life's happiness will be completely destroyed by such a union. Better a thousand times the single, free and independent maidenhood than married to a man addicted to dissipated habits. Don't go "down town" every night to see a man, and then expect your wife to be all smiles when you come home.

The Great Problem.

When we calmly ponder upon the subject it is amazing that at the end of many thousands of years of constant worship and constant inquiry, the human race should still possess so little information about its Maker. The soliloquy of Job that the footprints of God are in the sea, and are therefore easily erased and not to be followed by man as they could be were they made in the land or even in the perishable snow, is the soliloquy of even this far off period, and hearts the most devout often wish that the footprints of the Heavenly Father were made where the eye, even when blinded by tears, might discover them and run along that bright way with gladness. Books have appeared upon the "Footprints of a Creator," and yet after all such books have been published and read, the mind falls back again into its old longing for some more perfect evidence of the existence and presence and sympathy of God. The fact that our race has lived and inquired and struggle so long over the perfect solution of this problem, and stands to-day in the same cloud as that which lay around the mind and soul of antiquity, may well lead us to assume that there is something so unmeasurable in the Being of God that the human mind will always be kept away from a perfect solution of this mystery.—[David Swing.

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RE-INVESTIGATED.

A Remarkable Statement Fully Confirmed by Three Important Interviews.

An unusual article from the Rochester, N. Y., Democrat and Chronicle was published in this paper recently and has been the subject of much conversation both in professional circles and on the street. Apparently it caused more commotion in Rochester, as the following from the same paper shows.

Dr. J. B. Henion, who is well known not only in Rochester, but in nearly every part of America, sent the extended article to this paper a few days since, which was duly published, detailing his remarkable experience and escape from what seemed to be certain death. It would be impossible to enumerate the personal inquiries which have been made at our office as to the validity of the article, but they have been so numerous that further [illegible] an editorial necessity.

With this end in view a representative of this paper called on Dr. Henion at his residence, when the following interview occurred:

"That article of yours, doctor, has created quite a stir, what. Are the statements about the terrible condition you were in, and the way you were rescued such as you can sustain?"

"Every one of them and many additional ones. Few people ever get so near the grave as I did and then return, and I am not surprised that the public think it marvelous. It was marvelous."

"How in the world did you, a physician, come to be brought so low?"

"By neglecting the first and most simple symptoms. I did not think I was sick. It is true I had frequent headaches; felt tired most of the time; could eat nothing one day and was ravenous the next; felt dull, indefinite pains, and my stomach was out of order, but I did think it meant anything serious."

"But have these common ailments anything to do with the fearful Bright's disease which took so firm a hold on you?"

"Anything? Why, they are the sure indications of the first stages of that dreadful malady. The fact is, few people know or realize what ails them, and I am sorry to say that too few physicians do either."

"That is a strange statement, doctor."

"But it is a true one. The medical profession have been treating symptoms, instead of diseases for years, and it is high time it ceased. We doctors have been clipping off the twigs when we should strike at the root. The symptoms I have just mentioned or any unusual action or irritation of the water channels indicate the approach of Bright's disease even more than a cough announces the coming of consumption. We do not treat the cough, but try to help the lungs. We should not waste our time time trying to relieve the headache, stomach pains about the body or other symptoms, but go directly to the kidneys, the source of most of these ailments."

"This, then, is what you meant when you said more than one-half the deaths which occur arise from Bright's disease, is it doctor?"

"Precisely. Thousands of so-called diseases are torturing people to-day, when in reality it is Bright's disease in some one of its many forms. It is a Hydra headed monster and the slightest symptoms should strike terror to every one who has them. I can look back and recall hundreds of deaths which physicians declared at the time were caused by paralysis, apoplexy, heart disease, pneumonia, malarial fever and other common complaints which I see now were caused by Bright's disease."

"And did all these cases have symptoms at first?"

"Every one of them, and might have been cured as I was by the timely use of the same remedy—Warner's Safe Cure. I am getting my eyes thoroughly open in this matter and think I am helping others to see the facts and their possible danger also. Why, there are no end of truths bearing on this subject. If you want to know more about it go and see Mr. Warner himself. He was sick the same as I, and is the healthiest man in Rochester to-day. He has made a study of this subject and can give you more facts than I can. Go, too, and see Dr. Lattimore, the chemist, at the University. If you want facts there are any quantity of them showing the alarming increase of Bright's disease, its simple and deceptive symptoms, and there is but one way which it can be escaped."

Fully satisfied of the truth and force of the Doctor's words, the reporter bade him good day and called on Dr. Warner at his establishment on Exchange street. At first Mr. Warner was inclined to be reticent, but learning that the information desired was about the alarming increase of Bright's disease, his manner changed instantly and he spoke very earnestly:

"It is true that Bright's disease has increased wonderfully, and we find, by reliable statistics, that in the past ten years its growth has been 250 per cent. Look at the prominent men it has carried off: Everett, Sumner, Chase, Wilson, Carpenter, Bishops Haven and Peck, and others. This is terrible, and shows a greater growth than that of any other known complaint. It should be plain to every one that something must be done to check this increase, or there is no knowing where it may end."

"Do you think many people are afflicted with it to-day who do not realize it, Mr. Warner?"

"Hundreds of thousands. I have a striking example of this truth which has just come to my notice. A prominent professor in a New Orleans medical college was lecturing before his class on the subject of Bright's disease. He had various fluids under microscopic analysis, and was showing the students what the indications of this terrible malady were. In order to show the contrast between healthy and unhealthy fluids, he had provided a vial, the contents of which were drawn from his own person.—'And now, gentlemen,' he said, 'as we have seen the unhealthy indications, I will show you how it appears in a state of perfect health,' and he submitted his own fluid to the usual test. As he watched the results his countenance suddenly changed—his color and command both left him, and in a trembling voice he said: "Gentlemen, I have made a painful discovery; I have Bright's disease of the Kidneys," and in less than one year he was dead.

"You believe, then, that it has no symptoms of its own and is frequently unknown even by the person who is afflicted with it?"

"It has no symptoms of its own and very often none at all. Usually no two people have the same symptoms, and frequently death is the first symptom. The slightest indication of any kidney difficulty should be enough to strike terror to any one. I know what I am talking about, for I have been through all the stages of kidney disease."

"You know of Dr. Henion's case?"

"Yes, I have both read and heard of it."

"It is very wonderful, is it not?"

"A very prominent case but no more so than a great many others that have come to my notice as having been cured by the same means."

"You believe then that Bright's disease can be cured?"

"I know so from the experience of hundreds of prominent persons who were given up to die by both their physicians and friends."

"You speak of your own experience, what was it?"

"A fearful one. I had felt languid and unfitted for business for years, but I did not know what ailed me. When, however, I found it was kidney difficulty I thought there was little hope, and so did the doctors. I have since learned that one of the physicians of this city pointed me out to a gentleman on the street one day, saying, 'there goes a man who will be dead within a year.' I believe his words would have proven true if I had not fortunately secured and used the remedy now known as Warner's Safe Cure."

"And this caused you to manufacture it?"

"No it caused me to investigate. I went to the principal cities, saw physicians prescribing and using it and I therefore determined, as a duty I owed humanity and the suffering, to bring it within their reach and now it is known in every part of America, is sold in every drug store and has become a household necessity."

The reporter left Mr. Warner, much impressed with the earnestness and sincerity of his statements and next paid a visit to Dr. S. A. Lattimore at his residence on Prince street. Dr. Lattimore, although busily engaged upon some matters connected with the State Board of Health, of which he is one of the analysts, courteously answered the questions that were propounded him:

"Did you make a chemical analysis of the case of Mr. H. H. Warner some three years ago, Doctor?"

"Yes, sir."

"What did this analysis show you?"

"The presence of albumen and tube casts in great abundance."

"What did the symptoms indicate?"

"A serious disease of the kidneys."

"Did you think Mr. Warner could recover?"

"No, sir. I did not think it possible. It was seldom, indeed, that so pronounced a case had, up to that time, ever been cured."

"Do you know anything about the remedy which cured him?"

"Yes I have chemically analyzed it and upon critical examination find it entirely free from any poisonous or deleterious substances."

We publish the foregoing statements in view of the commotion which the publicity of Dr. Henion's article has caused and to meet the protestations which have been made. The standing of Dr. Henion, Mr. Warner and Dr. Lattimore in the community is beyond question and the statements they make cannot for a moment be doubted. They conclusively show that Bright's disease of the kidneys is one of the most deceptive and dangerous of all diseases, that it is exceedingly common, alarmingly increasing and that it can be cured.

A humorist, embittered by long and fiendish pursuit of puns, once impaled a baleful joke upon his wife at the close of a wash-day. She was preparing the frugal meal, whereupon she smote him [illegible] broad brow with a stewpan. The dying man cried out as he fell, with a gleam of immortal triumph in his eyes, "Stupendous joke!" and passed away to laughter land.

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An Illinois paper asserted that there was one jackass in the state legislature, and before noon of the day on which the item was published the editor received a note from every member of the house, including the speaker, telling him to retract or look out for a libel suit, each member regarding it as a personal hit.

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He held her in his strong right arm,
Close to his throbbing side;
They heard the music of the sea
The moaning of the tide.

Long years have passed, and often now,
The neighbors either side
Hear, when the family jars break out,
The moaning of the tied.

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SIGNS OF FOUL WEATHER.

BY DR. JENNER.

The hollow winds begin to blow;
The clouds look black, the glass is low;
The soot falls down, the spaniels sleep,
And spiders from their cobwebs peep.
Last night the sun went pale to bed;
The moon in halos hid her head.
The boding shepherd heaves a sigh,
For, see, a rainbow spans the sky.
The walls are damp, the ditches gurgling
And hark! how the chairs and tables crack;
Old Betty's joints are on the rack—
Her corns with shooting pains torment her,
And to her bed unkindly sent her.
Hark! how the ducks; the sea-fowl cry;
And yonder flits are looking high.
How restless are the sporting swine!
And hear they disturb the wine.
Look! o'er the grass the swallow wings;
The cricket, too, how sharp he sings!
Puss on the hearth, with velvet paws,
Sits washing o'er her whiskered jaws.
The smoke from chimneys right ascends,
Then, spreading, back to earth it bends.
The wind, unsteady, veers around,
Or settling in the south is found.
Through the clear stream the fishes rise,
And [illegible] the insect flies.
The glow worm lingers [illegible]
Illumed the dewy hills last night.
At dusk the squalid toad was seen,
Like quadruped, stalk o'er the green:
The whirling wind the dust obeys,
And in the rapid eddy plays.
The frog has changed his yellow vest
And in a russet coat is dressed.
The sky is green, the air is still,
The mellow blackbird's voice is shrill.
The dog, so altered in his taste,
Quits mutton bones on grass to feast,
Behold the rooks—how odd their flight!—
They imitate the gliding kite,
And seem precipitate to fall,
As if they felt the piercing ball.
The tender colts on back do lie,
Nor heed the traveler passing by.
In fiery red the sun doth rise,
Then wades through clouds to mount the skies.
'Twill surely rain, we see't with sorrow—
No working in the fields to-morrow.

"The line, "Hark! how the chairs and tables crack," is incorrect, as the cracking—that is, contraction—indicates fair weather, from the diminution of moisture.—*Steinmetz.*

The Boston *Commercial Bulletin* remarks: "It is a misnomer to call America a free country when a boy desiring to learn a trade which a master workman is willing to teach him, finds his way blocked by combinations that assume to refuse him the privilege he claims."

Susan B. Anthony said "It has been ascertained that when young men and young women are brought together in colleges, their conversation is no longer characterized by frivolity, but becomes elevated by the discussion of subjects suggested by their mutual studies."

"Tobias Hobson was the first man in England who let out hackney horses. When a man came for a horse he was led into the stable, where there was a great choice, but he was obliged to take the horse that stood next to the stable door, so that every customer was alike well served, according to his chance, hence it became a proverb, when what ought to be your selection was forced upon you, to say: "Hobson's choice."

At Tacoma, the western terminus of the Northern Pacific railway, on Puget's Sound, there is a singular church tower. The building is of the rudest material. The tower is composed of a fir tree seventy feet high, cut off forty feet from the ground, and surmounted with a bellcote, bell and cross. The annual rings of the tree indicate an age of 275 years. Within fifteen days the corner log was laid, the last nail driven and the first service held.

Girls ought to be able to talk well on current topics—books, new and old, all that interests their brothers. But do they show themselves competent to carry on a conversation that will stimulate and refresh those they meet? Good talkers never fail to interest and to charm; but a young woman whose ideas are only broad enough to be expressed in the words "awful," "horrid," and "perfectly lovely," will hardly be classed as one of them.—*Youth's Companion.*

One beautiful illusion has been rudely dispelled. It has been supposed that the custom of banging the hair originated in the United States the style coming from the unfettered North American Indian. We devise so few styles that we have rather prided ourselves upon this, hideous though it may be. But it now seems that the bang is quite common among the savages of New Zealand, and has been for years. The returned convicts brought it to England, and from there it has spread widely and wildly.

A little Oil City boy whose father gave him a printing press the other day, has already discovered the dangers and pitfalls which surround the path of the printer. He set up and printed a little gilt-edged card, with the warning phrase, "Paint! look out!" By some means this card became fastened to his sister's hat, and hung down just above her left ear, where he who ran could read, and when she went down street there was a grin extending clear from Pearl avenue to the Exchange; and that night the boy traded off his printing press for a yellow dog and a pop-gun.

WHY HE RAN.—Recorder—"You were seen last night about 12 o'clock under suspicious circumstances, trying to enter the door of De Smith's store, on Galveston avenue." Prisoner—"I noticed in passing that the door was open, and was just shutting it up—that's all." "What did you run for as soon as you saw the policeman?" "What did I run for when I saw the policeman? Well, that gets me! Why, I am a friend of De Smith, and as soon as I saw his store door was open, and a suspicious-looking policeman sneaking around, I ran as hard as I could to let De Smith know his store was in danger of being robbed. What did I run for? Well, that get's me; What do you suppose I ran for?"

CURE FOR SMALL-POX.—The following cure for this loathsome disease was furnished the Liverpool *Mercury* by a well known English physician:

"I am willing to risk my reputation as a public man if the worst case of small-pox cannot be cured in three days simply by cream of tartar. This is the sure and never failing remedy: One ounce of cream of tartar dissolved in a pint of boiling water. Drink when cold at short intervals. It can be taken at any time, and is a preventive as well as a curative. It is known to have cured thousands of cases without a failure. It never leaves a mark, never causes blindness, and always prevents tedious lingering."

Excited Thousands.

All over the land are going into ecstacy over Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Their unlooked for recovery by the untimely use of this great life Saving remedy, causes them to go nearly wild in its praise. It is guaranteed to positively cure Severe Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00

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Butter? You remember the story of the guest who was eating more butter than buscuit, while the landlady looked on, and fidgeted, and hinted, until she fairly went into a nervous fit. Finally she said: "Do you know that butter is up to 65 cents a pound?" The hungry guest reached out and took what there was left. "Well," he drawled, approvingly and reassuringly "good butter is worth it."

It may not be known, says London *Truth*, that a man wearing dark clothes is more liable to infection from contagious disease than he who wears light-colored garments. Because particles which emanate from diseased or decaying bodies are much more rapidly absorbed by dark than by light fabrics. This is easy of proof. Expose a light and dark coat, to the fumes of tobacco for five minutes, and it will be found that the dark one smells stronger than the other of tobacco smoke.

The distance required for stopping railroad trains increases very rapidly with the increase of speed. In experiments made in England, the Westinghouse brake stopped a train moving at the rate of 41 1-2 miles an hour at a point only 485 feet distant from the place where [illegible] applied; but when the speed was increased to 51 miles an hour the distance run after the application of the brake was 1185 feet, and at a speed of 67 miles an hour the train ran 2005 after the brake was applied.

A Mrs. Carr, of Pittsburgh, Pa., while asleep, was bitten by a spider or some other insect upon the arm, and the next day the limb began to swell, and from the wrist to the shoulder there appeared poisoned blotches, the whole arm and side having the appearance of being badly burned. The inflammation was reduced by medical treatment, but about four days after, either from the effects of the poison or the shock to her nervous system, the lady became raving crazy.

The needlegun is the invention of John Nicholas Dreyse, a Prussian locksmith. He was 19 years old when the battle of Jena was fought, and picked up a musket upon the field, an examination of which convinced him that his countrymen were the worst-armed soldiers in Europe. Dreyse made his way to Paris, and entered the employ of a Swiss gunmaker, whom Napoleon commissioned to make a breech-loading musket. The young apprentice took up the idea and worked at it for many years until, in 1835, he succeeded in making a breech-loading needlegun. The Prussian Government tried and adopted the weapon, and supplied the inventor with means for carrying on the manufacture of the gun now used in Kaiser Wilhelm's army.

STRENGTHENING THE VOICE.—For putting the voice in good order for singing or speaking, the following recipes have been given:

A teaspoonful of compound tincture of cinnamon beaten up with a raw egg. A raw egg beaten up with a large cup of black tea and good milk or cream.

For troublesome hoarseness, chew a piece of horseradish.

For hoarseness arising from over exertion of the voice, dissolve in the mouth a piece of gum catechu about the size of a pea.

To preserve the voice in good order, practice daily without fatigning the voice. Over exertion and want of practice are the chief causes of disorder in the voice. Rest cures the results of the former, and practice those of the latter.

OVER-CONFIDENCE.—Don't be over confident, young man. Don't carry your pet hobby too far. Take note of the legs and shoulders of a man before you "sass" him. Out here on West Hill there is a goat that for three long years has butted everything and everybody that the broad empire of Burlington could send against him. He ate the circus posters before the paste was dry, and when the advance agent remonstrated, the goat just stood up and crowded the man clear through the bill-stand. He once upset a hay wagon; jammed his head through the end of a wood-shed, and flattened officer Heefer up against a brick wall. And one day last week he wandered down into a saw-mill, and butted the fly-wheel. Only once. When he came down his neck was bent. He couldn't make a dent in a sack of meal now. Young man, be content with reasonable vicsories. Some day you too may run against a fly-wheel.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Weeds

The farmers should be deeply interested in the two leading points concerning weeds—how they get into the fields and garden, and how to get those out that are already in. Many of the seeds of weeds are sown with those of the crop. Especially is this the case with those that are nearly of a size, color, etc., of the grains and grass-seeds. Great care should be exercised in sowing only pure seeds. If the weeds are already in the soil, the quicker steps are taken to eradicate them the better. Let no weeds go to seed. This will end the annuals. With perennials the work is more difficult; but it should be remembered that they are much more easily destroyed when young. Cut frequently and dig out by the roots when possible.

Boys and Small Fruits.

Boys on farms, like boys in other places, want spending money, and are often sorely troubled to obtain it. They scarcely like to ask their parents for money to buy articles to please their fancy, and they have few opportunities to work out, for when neighboring farmers wish to hire extra help there is plenty of work on the farms where they belong. Their best chance to earn money appears to be in cultivating some crop at home that requires small capital to engage in, a small amount of land for its production, but which produces a considerable sum of money. The small fruits are excellent in these respects. They may be set out at times when the soil is too wet to be of good advantage, and may be cultivated at odd hours when there is little to do in the fields. They require but a small amount of land; and produce more money from an acre than any farm crop.

Eggsactly So.

Of real stalwart, healthy, vigorous liars, commend us to California editors. Here is one of their latest:

"A teamster brought in some wood last summer, which Mr. Slater had to split up to get in the stove. After splitting several pieces, he discovered that the axe had exposed a peculiar protuberance. An investigation showed that it was a perfectly formed egg imbedded in the wood. The egg had probably been laid in some depression in the tree, and the wood had grown around it. The wood kept the air from the egg, consequently it did not grow stale. How could it? Mr. Slater got the egg out and put it under a hen. It hatched out a curious bird, which proved to be a game cock of a breed heretofore unknown or considered extinct. It can whip a dog easily."

Daughters, Wives and Mothers.

We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a Female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflammation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhœa, besides many weaknesses springing from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Prices $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

THE SCIENCE OF COOKERY.—Ruskin thus discourses on cookery: What does "cookery" mean? It seems the knowledge of medea, and of Circe, and of Calypso, and of Helen, and of Rebekah, and of the Queen of Sheba. It means knowledge of all herbs and fruits, and balms and spices; and of all that is healing and sweet in fields and groves, and savory in meat; it means carefulness and inventiveness, watchfulness, willingness, and readiness of appliances; it means the economy of your great grandmothers, and the science of modern chemists; it means much tasting and no wasting; it means English thoroughness and French art, and Arabian hospitality; and it means, in fine, that you are to be perfectly and always "ladies," "loaf givers;" and as you are to see, imperatively, that everybody has something pretty to put on—so that you are to see, yet more imperatively, that everybody has something nice to eat.

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FLINT GLASS.—Glass is a double silicate of either potash or soda with either lead or lime. There are three kinds of glass: flint glass, crown or plate glass and bohemian glass. Take carbonate of potash, silica (or sand) and red lead and fuse them well together and a transparent and colorless mass of flint glass will be produced. Ordinary plate glass is made by using lime instead of lead. By adding the oxide of iron we get green glass; the oxide of manganese purple glass, and the addition of oxide of copper gives red glass.

Testimony From the Press.

To those afflicted with lung trouble, hear what V. W. Wilson, of the Ottowa (Ill.) Times says: "After being disabled for three months with a cough, and lung trouble, often spitting up blood, can testify that I am cured permanently by the use of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure." A free trial bottle can be had at Baker and Hall's.

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Love, forget that a gun is not so harmless as a walking-stick. Don't point it at yourself. Don't point it at any one else. Don't carry it so that its range includes all your hunting companions. Don't try to find out whether it is loaded or not by shutting one eye and looking down the barrel with the other. Don't use it for a walking-stick. Don't climb over a fence and pull it through muzzle foremost. Don't throw it into a boat so that the trigger will catch in the seat and the charge be deposited in your stomach. Don't use it for a sledge hammer. Don't carry it full cocked. Don't carry it with the hammer on.

All family medicine chests should contain, at least one 25 cent bottle of Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup, for sudden colds, croup and other lung difficulties.

In the performance in Paris of *Le Pied de Mouton*, a candlestick bearing two lighted candles is brought upon the stage. One of the characters in the play blows out the candles, but as he moves away one of them becomes relighted. The actor again blows out this light when the other one becomes kindled; and, becoming enraged, the man takes up the candlestick and blows furiously without being able to extinguish the light permanently. This effect, which creates considerable astonishment, is produced by means of an electric spark from an induction coil, which inflames the vapor from a mixture of ether and spirits of turpentine contained in the vessels representing the wax tapers.

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THE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES.

Arthur and Tilden Undeniedly in the Race

A New York special to the Chicago Tribune says: There is no longer any doubt that there are two citizens of New York who are presidential candidates. They are Chester A. Arthur and Samuel J. Tilden. There are a [illegible] Arthur has decided to permit himself to be a candidate before the Republican national convention. This he [illegible] Arthur has [illegible] but he leaves it to his friends to make out a ticket with which he can be most intimately at home. [illegible] plans which have [illegible] a broader acquaintance with the people. The prominent Republicans in different parts of the country who have been with him within two weeks have created the impression that he is in the lead. The Republican leaders who are for Arthur think that Arthur was a candidate after a prolonged interview with him some time since. He expressed himself as a very decided candidate. In New York friends of Arthur have [illegible] He [illegible] in New York [illegible] better upon the theory of his candidacy than on any other hypothesis. The details of the trip which this now accomplished [illegible] show the same thing. He has [illegible] the purpose of going to New York [illegible] fashionable watering places. He will go west and will start via Louisville. He has promised to be there early in August and will complete work. From there he will go to Chicago, where he will remain some days. He has [illegible] Sheridan the [illegible] trip. It is reported that [illegible] have already been [illegible] the Republican party [illegible] but six weeks.

Samuel J. Tilden is a candidate. Ar[illegible] Tilden campaigner said last week [illegible] Mr. Tilden is a candidate about [illegible] will [illegible] renewed vigor. You may make a report that he has taken a fine [illegible] horseback [illegible] the old gentleman will be [illegible] he is frisky. He is frisky. But [illegible] an intelligent candidate only—information received from New York makes it certain that the Saratoga interview in The New York Times and Chicago Tribune was an authorized declaration of the fact that Tilden is in the field. The manuscript of the interview, there is good reason to believe, was submitted to Mr. Tilden before it was published. If the name of the gentleman with whom the interview was had could be given it would carry conviction as to the accuracy of the statements to all New York politicians. Mr Dana in his Sun is evidently very much annoyed at the publication of this interview. He declares with impatient emphasis that the report is not true. Dana's theory is that Tilden ought not to permit it to be known so soon that he is a candidate that the announcement will hurt his chances; there may be stronger organizations to defeat him, and that the candidacy should be strong very much later. Dana is, of course, a good friend of Tilden, but he is not an active adviser in this matter. The announcement of Tilden's candidacy is authentic. There are no prominent Democrats here now. The few congressmen who are here think that the knowledge of Tilden's candidacy may have some influence upon the speakership campaign, but they are not able to define in what particular. Gen. Arthur's friends think that if Tilden should be nominated it would be very vital to the Republican party that the Republican candidate should also come from New York.

A farmer very truly says: Good roads are not a personal convenience, but no public improvement so enhances the value of real estate as a system of good roads kept in good repair. While we cannot really shorten the distance between our homes and the market town where we sell our produce, yet we can practically do it, by the construction of a good road, for by this means we can not only reduce the time necessary to travel the distance, but we are enabled to double the load, and to travel with more comfort to ourselves and more ease to our team.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, July 16, 1883.

Young America is fast outstripping old America. Never was this better shown than in the National Convention of the Amateur Press Association, which was held at the St. Nicholas [illegible] on Wednesday. [illegible] hundred boys, ranging in age from 12 to 20 years, congregated, discussed the merits and demerits [illegible] their institution, [illegible] and wrangled in a manner to make even the veteran [illegible] ward politicians green with envy. Undaunted by parliamentary warfare, elected officers, and in the evening [illegible] over town. They were not [illegible]. In the evening I happened to drop in at the hotel and noticed that the parlor room was almost filled with the youngsters. The [illegible] in which they kept [illegible] claret punches, sherry cobblers, gin fizzes and other soothing and capacity drinks disappeared as if soaked up by so many sponges. "Don't you think," said the bartender with a smile, "that these lads have the making of great journalists in them?" "Why," I asked. "Because they have successfully mastered the first requisite for writing well, which is maintaining your place at the bar." At the St. Nicholas they make a very seductive variety of gin fizz called a crushed strawberry fizz and it deserved as the name indicates with strawberry juice. This is [illegible] presentable to the boys. Two of them, each about fifteen years old, were fairly infatuated with it. They drank at least a half dozen of them between nine and ten o'clock. The other question may be imagined, as the gin went to their heads. One of them set a Massachusetts paper, while the other plugged a Pennsylvania organ. They grew very loving but after a while disagreed on some questions of policy in the manner of conducting the affairs of the association. The [illegible] grew heated, other editors joined in it. Finally the climax was reached by the Pennsylvania [illegible] jumping up, throwing his straw hat aside and exclaiming to the representative of the Buzzed Bean State, "I eat you up." There was no assertion about him. He was a disciple of the muscular western school and was willing to prove it. He was prevented however from doing so by the night clerk, who beckoned two sturdy porters and they each took up one of the combatants and carried him to his room.

While passing through the lower part of Greenwich street the other afternoon I dropped into one of the Italian emigrant boarding houses with which the lower end of the city is dotted. It was inhabited exclusively by Germans. In fact Germans, Swiss, Frenchmen and now and then a better class of Italians are the only ones that patronize these establishments. The Irish as a rule are taken care of by relatives. Boarders are charged at rates varying from fifty cents to a dollar a day, according to accommodations. The rooms are clean enough, but oh, so hot and stuffy. Through the wide open windows the heat and sweeps in with sickening effect. The smoke and cinders of the elevated road add their quota to the discomfort, and the noise from them must keep the poor people awake most of the night. In the doorway sat a family consisting of father, mother and seven children, ranging in age from fifteen to two years old. They were going west that night. Despite the intense heat they were dressed in thick, heavy woolens, and one of the boys wore a comforter around his throat. The perspiration streamed down their faces, and one of the little girl's faces was one mass of prickley heat. Yet they seemed perfectly contented. The only thing that seemed to displease poor familias was that the beer in America was so light—not at all like German beer.

One of the brightest and cleverest Bohemians died this week of apoplexy, and quite suddenly. This was Colonel John Keegan, who about a year ago was sentenced to imprisonment for criminally libelling Senator Winfield of New Jersey. In the latter years of his life Keegan was "run down" considerably. He got into bad odor in the Metropolitan newspaper offices, declined to do "slush" work, and under repeated rebuffs his spirit broke and he drank rather too freely. That is the misfortune of men who have seen better days. Such of their former acquaintances who wish to be kind to them invariably ask them to take a drink when they meet them. A poor fellow may be starving at the time, but he could not suggest to his host that a fifteen cent bowl of soup would do him more good than the 25 cent glass of whiskey to which he is invited. Thus they invariably end in becoming drunkards and then everybody avoids them. Keegan had not quite gone so far as this last stage, but he was rapidly approaching it. I remember him in his prime some seven or eight years ago. He was then a handsome dashing fellow a trifle above the medium height, of capital figure and a handsome genial face, which men liked and women fell in love with. He had black hair which he wore long, and as he affected a slouch hat and a military cut in his clothes, he looked every inch a dashing frontier officer come back to civilization for recreation.

Miscellaneous Recipes.

Tarragon Vinegar.—Tarragon leaves are brought to market. Put them in a pickle jar, cover with vinegar, keep in a warm place for two weeks, until the vinegar is flavored. Then steep it over the fire, strain out the leaves and bottle for flavoring soups and gravies.

Rye Toast.—To one quart rye flour add one even teaspoonful of salt and sufficient boiling water to make a stiff dough. Put it in a buttered pan, have a bright, clear fire, and the grate well raked; prop the pan in front of the grate, and as brown crust forms strip it off and keep it hot and dry. Repeat this till it is all brown, then break it up, pour hot cream over it and serve in a covered dish.

Huckleberry Pudding.—Take a five-cent stale loaf of bread, cut in thin slices and butter, and put a layer in the bottom of a pudding dish; strew in the huckleberries and a tablespoonful of sugar; go on this way until you come to the top, then pour in a cupful of water, and cover with bread on top, and bake until brown. [illegible] sweet enough, if not, add sugar. Must be eaten cold.

Squash Cakes.—Boil the squash thoroughly in salted water, and, with a masher, after the squash is strained, make as smooth as possible; half a pint sifted flour, pint of milk and two eggs, four tablespoonfuls white sugar, and a teaspoonful of salt; mix these all together, having first beaten up the eggs; add to this last two cupfuls of squash, beat it all up until it is smooth; half a teaspoonful of cream of tartar makes it lighter, but if the mixture is well fried in small, thin cakes it is light enough as it is. Eat with powdered sugar.

String Beans.—String beans if well cooked, is a delicious summer dish. In the first place, plant or buy the right kind of beans; down with improvements in vegetables, and keep on using the rank beans whose tough threads suggest "strings." Cut them in small pieces and cook until tender, giving ample time, say an hour; when done turn off all the water in which they are cooked; let the kettle remain on the stove while you allow a large lump of butter to melt, then stir it in and put a little cream and pepper and salt in it. String beans may also be used as pickles; steam till tender, not soft, then turn hot vinegar over them; they will be ready for use after a day and night. They will not keep well, but must be used soon after pickling.

Dutch Rolches.—Honey-comb tripe is eight cents a pound. Take fresh tripe, cut it into square pieces and also cut into small bits pieces of flank of beef large enough to fill the tripe. Add a little fat with the lean beef, season with salt and pepper and sweet herbs and sew up in the pieces of tripe in round little balls. Put them in a pot of boiling water and boil slowly till you can pierce them with a straw. Skim off the fat, put a press on them while in the water, and let them stand till the next morning. Make a mixture of half the pot-liquor and half vinegar, cover them with it, and put them away in a stone jar, and when needed take from the liquor and cut in slices for supper.

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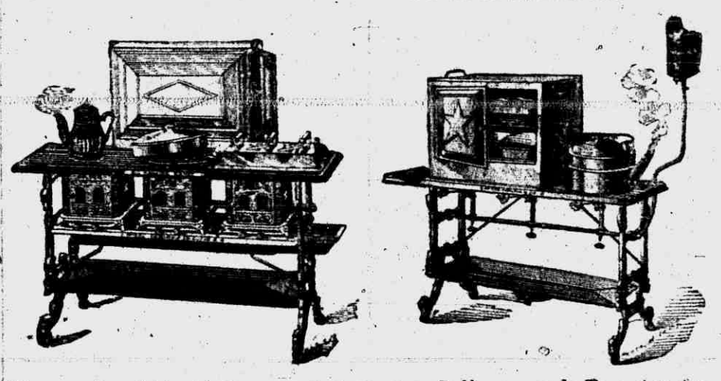

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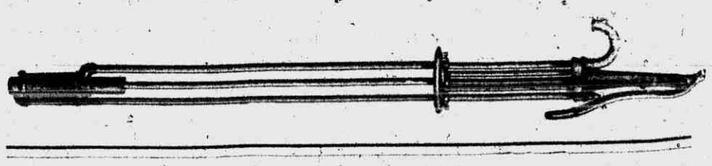

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Miss King, of Brooklyn, has been the guest of Drs. House and Jones for a few days.

A large number of our citizens witnessed the opening of a night blooming cereus at Spaulding's green house last Tuesday evening.

H. W. Stevens has left a communication with us for publication in regard to his controversy with the Council. On account of its length it is necessarily deferred until next week.

F. S. Dewey, Esq., of Alpena, has been visiting at the old home in Cambridge and with his friends about Tecumseh. We acknowledge the compliment of a call from him last Monday.

Let the people be as smart as the brokers, and refuse to take the trade dollars (they are not legal tenders), and leave them on the hands of the speculators. The government is not likely to ever redeem them at par.

There is a case of diphtheria in the family of Wm. McMullin, in Raisin.—The family were exposed from the cases in the Calhoun family, and we understand that they went to Calhoun's contrary to the advise of the physician, thinking they were better posted than the family physician as to what malady existed among the Calhoun children. The safe way in all such cases is to heed the doctors advice.

What is more delightful these beautiful summer mornings than to be up with the birds enjoying the rarest of nature's gifts—the balmy and healthful breezes. If you have a conveyance to take you for a sniff of the new mown hay, and a view in the morning dew, of the tall, ripening grain, you will find your early rise doubly pleasant, and will inwardly exclaim: "Oh! fields, Oh! woods, when, when, shall I be made the happy tenant of your shade."

Andrews' Bazar for August is by all odds the handsomest number ever published. It is evident that it has fallen into hands who know what the ladies want in a Fashion paper, and know how to publish it. Its low price (only $1 a year) places it within the reach of all, while its styles, stories and table of contents generally, compare very favorably with those of the high cost Foreign and American publications of its class. Published by the American Bazar Co., 202 Broadway, N. Y.

Just now, when southern military companies are returning to the northern troops who lost them, colors honorably captured on the battle field, as a token of the good feeling existing between the south and the north, wouldn't it be a graceful thing for northern holders of private property appropriated from southern homes to search out the rightful owners and make honest restitution. There are valuable books and family plate thus acquired, which might be returned in the same spirit as the southern boys in gray are returning to their northern brethren trophies of the late war for the union.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 19, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Harvesting began in this vicinity last Monday.

The hay crop in this section is unusually heavy, but a good deal of it is being wet down.

A large number of Tecumseh people have gone to Hudson to-day to witness the ball game.

The genuine Chinese tea at Haase's takes the cake, and it takes the old ladies who like tea also.

Next month the Lenawee county soldiers and sailors will hold their annual reunion at Blissfield.

Next Sunday the Pastor of the M. E. Church will preach on "Capital Punishment" at 7.30 p. m.

The toy pistol has been shelved and returns from the reaping machine are now respectfully solicited.

S. W. Temple's new planing mill is rapidly progressing. The walls are nearly ready for the roof.

The Hillsdale Agricultural society is building a new water tank and reservoir, to be known as "Jacob's well."

Ex-Congressman Willetts will receive a salary of $3,500 per year as principal of the State Normal School.

The drouth in northern Dakota still continues, and wheat and other crops there will be almost a total failure.

A young lady of Bath, Clinton county, has left home, just because her father horsewhipped her occasionally.

A furniture manufacturing company of Buchanan, at its annual meeting last week, declared a dividend of 20 per cent.

Farmers in the southern part af the county are buying hay loaders, as they find it impossible to hire help for the hay field.

Sixteen thousand of the twenty thousand telegraph operators in the United States belong to the Brotherhood of Telegraphers.

What is a "Mother Hubbard" wrapper? That is the question that agitates the ladies of this village now.—Can any one answer?

Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury and Seth Bean were in town yesterday and remain to-day attending the examination in the Cannon case.

The sheriff of Houghton county had five victims of the jim-jams in jail one night last week, and he said the scene was like hell let out for noon.

Miss Jennie Frazer gave a very pleasant reception last Friday in honor of her friend, Miss McGregor of Jackson, who has been visiting her for some days.

The machinery is being placed into Cogswell's fruit evaporating concern at Blissfield. The institution promises to be a paying one, under Mr. Cogswell's careful management.

Wolcott, Temple & Co. now have their office and finishing rooms in the new building across the corner from their planing mill. They now have a very neat and commodious office.

On Sunday July 29th the celebrated temperance speakers—Hughes and Ward—will be at the Opera House, Tecumseh, at 3 o'clock P. M. Let the "dear sweet choir" be in attendance.

The secretary of state has sent to physicians copies of the new law regulating the practice of medicine. Unless they have practiced medicine continuously for at least five years in this state they must be able to show a diploma from some legally authorized medical college.

The Detroit copper company has two smelters at Morenci. Only one furnace is running, but that consumes forty tons of ore per day, and turns out about 10,000 pounds of copper in the same time.—Lansing Republican. Our usually accurate contemporary is entirely "off," of course; there is no such establishment here. But if Morenci had Stearns, it might profitably run brass works.—Morenci Observer.

Adrian Record: The Hillsdale balloon ascension that was to be and failed to be, ascended not because Hogan said the gas company didn't furnish him gas enough. The gas company say Hogan was furnished with all the gas he called for, but the pesky balloon leaked. Whenever Hogan tries to go up he don't go. There is always something the matter. Did anybody ever see Hogan go up any way? The balloon wasn't tight, eh? How was it with Hogan?

The story of a man who went to town with his wife to do errands, and was sorely perplexed at missing something on his return, until he reached home and found he had forgotten his wife, reminds somebody of a woman in Philadelphia who gave her husband six commissions to execute in New York. He telegraphed back that he had executed five and forgotten the last. "It was an order for an illuminated sentence for a Sunday school room. He was a good deal astonished when he received the reply: "Unto us this day a child is born—two feet wide and nine feet long."

Clinton wants a grain and produce buyer.

The farmers are busy this week harvesting.

The Adrian bicycle club have ordered new suits.

Henry McClure now runs a nobby delivery wagon.

Pipe laying for the Negannee water works has begun.

The Battle Creek street railway is a paying investment.

A catholic academy is to be opened at Marshall, Sept. 4.

G. T. Hewitt, of Toledo, spent last Sabbath in Tecumseh.

The telephone line from Jackson to Marshall is now complete.

The Tecumseh base ball club will play the Chaffs in Hudson to-day.

Crushed mosquito is the new popular simile for flock and mild wine.

An office of the new postal telegraph company is to be opened at Adrian.

A number of Blissfield people have gone to Petoskey to spend a few weeks.

The raspberry crop will not be as plentiful this season as the strawberry crop was.

Miss Lulu Monaghan, of this village, has been engaged to teach the Weston school for the fall term.

The new Wabash short line between Detroit and Chicago was opened for passenger travel last Sunday.

This is the dull season in the village. The farmers are all busy, and villagers are off at the watering places.

One millions eels have been planted in the river Raisin at Dundee. Eels ought to be planted there next year.

There has been a large sale of hay tedders here this season. The demand exceeds the supply by a large majority.

We are happy to state that Willis Merritt's health is improving, and it is hoped he will soon be able to attend to business again.

Billy Burch has bought the Mineral Springs hotel at Adrian, will refit it throughout, and open it to the public under the name of the Commercial House.

The ninth in the course of lectures on Sacred Biography will be delivered at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. Subject: "Eliezer, The Pattern Servant."

S. J. Winney, the man who opposed Jay A. Santus for clerk of Ridgeway, and was defeated by one vote, has commenced legal proceedings to obtain the office.

Read our real estate notices on the eighth page. Some good bargains can be found there. People desiring to buy real estate should call at the HERALD office.

Parties wishing to use the state telephone exchange will find it to their advantage, when they can do so, to do their telephoning in the morning. The atmospheric conditions are more favorable in the early part of the day.

On Monday morning last while Mr. Joseph Russell was starting up his harvester and binder by some mishap got the little finger of the left hand caught in the gearing, badly crushing the same. Dr. Woodward amputated the unlucky member and Mr. Russell is now as comfortable as could be expected—minus a little finger.

Through the extension of the telephone lines of Ohio, our exchange has connections now with Fremont and Sandusky, and through these cities with Bellevue, Clyde, Fairfield, Fostoria, Genoa, Huron, Milan, Monroeville, Norwalk, Oberlin, Port Clinton, and Tiffin, with any of which towns our citizens may now communicate.

Persons patronizing papers, please pay promptly; the pecuniary prospects of the press possess peculiar power in pushing public prosperity. Pay the printer promptly; if promptly paying patrons his pocketbook plenish, printer puts pen to paper in peace, paints pictures of passing phases pleasantly, and people peruse his paper pleasantly. Paste this piece of proverbial philosophy in a place to be perceived by all people.

Last Friday while little Ferry Gillman was driving a team and wagon with a load of hay through a gate way for his grandfather, Mr. John Hayward, the front wheels ran into a furrow, throwing Perry off the front of the load on to the ground by the horses heels, and one of the wheels striking him in the back of the head cut an ugly gash several inches long, triangular in shape, and nearly peeling the scalp off his head. Dr. Woodward was called and dressed the wound and the boy is now doing well.

Adrian Press: One Deerfielder lately wagered another, that a gray mare formerly owned in Deerfield could trot from the Deerfield hotel to Main street in this city, in an hour and five minutes, any time within a week.—The stakes were $400, and were put up. Then the man who bet against the horse became alarmed, and the next day slipped quietly over to Dundee, found the owner of the fast stepper, and bought her, and of course expected in that way to win $200 by preventing the race. It is more likely that he simply saved the $200 he had put up, and still it was a pretty sharp trick.

BINDER CONTEST.

A Large Crowd of People Present—Machine Men without Numbers—Minneapolis Takes the "Cake."

Last Monday without any just cause or provocation we started on the morning train for Clayton to see the Self Binder work in all its glory, and if possible to strike a crowd of farmers and machine men whose minds were the same on all subjects.

The contest was to be held on the farm of Ed. Baker, about three quarters of a mile from Clayton village. The Minneapolis, Deering and Esterly machines were on hand early in the morning, but the Dennet and Reliance did not show up, so nothing commenced until afternoon. During this time the farmers began to congregate, and as the crowd grew larger the festive machine man could talk the louder. Just imagine five distinct and separate crowds of binder men all congregated on one high land given full sway with plenty of material to work on; even the newspaper men had to fall back and wait till the binder men got busy with their machines before they could get a chance to put in a word. At 2 o'clock P. M. everything was announced ready for a start, and the Minneapolis machine started to cut around the worst piece of wheat that could possibly be found in the township of Hudson. The straw was heavy and green, and in many places flat on the ground. After the Minneapolis came the Deering, then the Esterly, Dennet and Reliance, and to speak plainly all of them seemed to do poor enough work, but it was simply a miracle that any of them could pick the wheat up in that condition. The Dennet got stalled badly several times, and it was difficult for her to go at all on the lodged side. The Esterly did a little better, but the Reliance stalled and shipped her bundles on the home run. The Minneapolis tied a good bundle and cut a fairly close swath. The Deering made a trifle closer cut than the Minneapolis, but did not tie quite as good a bundle. Many farmers seemed to be great friends with the Deering while many seemed to hang close to the Minneapolis, and it is a mighty hard thing for a newspaper man to tell which machine did the best work. Both machines can do good work. We do not think a farmer came away from the trial prejudiced one way or the other. Mr. Baker decided to take the Minneapolis machine which gave the victory to the "Minnie," and we can heartily congratulate her, for she did the work splendidly. After the test was over the machines all moved across the lane and did splendid work in the straight, ripe grain, which seemed to ache to be cut. Towards evening the draughts of the machines were taken with the following results:

Minneapolis, 600 lbs.
Deering, 600 lbs.
Dennet, " "
Esterly, 626½ "
Reliance, 633½ "

It was our intention to return on the local freight to Adrian and then take the passenger for home, but Stearns, of the Adrian Press, begged to be allowed to turn over "just one more bundle," until said local whistled and we were left—to some other day to take that local, if we wished to ride on that particular train.

Through the kindness of Mr. Will Schermerhorn of the Hudson Gazette we caught a ride to Hudson and enjoyed a very pleasant evening by his entertainment.

A NEW DIRECTORY.

We began last week the enterprise of getting up a directory for Tecumseh. It is several years since a publication of this kind has been issued here, and we believe the times are ripe for one now. The book will be a handsome pamphlet bound in cloth covers and will contain the names and residence of every family in the corporation, together with a historical sketch of the village, advertising pages, etc. Our canvassers were at work upon it last week and thus far they have met with very flattering success. We expect to complete the canvassing next week and the book will then be put through the press as rapidly as possible. In case any residences in the village are passed by the persons omitted will confer a favor by handing their names into the HERALD Counting Room. Omissions of this kind may possibly occur. The business men who wish to be represented by an advertisement will please hand in their notices at an early day in case the canvassers should fail to give them a personal call.

To the Public.

Heck's new Roller Mill is in full blast. We are now running our complete roller mill on full time and are now prepared to furnish the public with the best of both straight and patent flour. The only roller patent ever made in this county, and this process is given up by experts, that middlings reduce on rolls is far superior to mill stones. Every one wishing to examine our mill and see what we are doing and how we do it are invited to come and see us. We will be glad to show you through the mill.
HECK BROS.

Pay your Corporation taxes.

TO SAND LAKE AND RETURN.

Last Tuesday was a model July day. Hitching up "Billy," before the family 'gig, we started out about nine o'clock A. M. in the direction of Sand Lake. The first halt was at Henry Haines', on the turnpike, where we found a double gang of hands haulting hay. Twenty-five loads were secured that day. The next stop was at L. E. Taylor's, in the Bridge Wells neighborhood, whom we found with his three boys making the best of time in the wheat field.

Noon found us at Electus Rundell's and as it would look impolite to refuse an invitation to dinner we were constrained to partake of Mrs. Rundell's prime graham bread and the other dishes of a substantial farmer's dinner. By the way, we believe the readers of the HERALD would like to see the receipt for that bread in these columns.

[illegible] day drawing in hay. Alden is at home this season. His time is mostly given to the celebrated trotter Seneca Chief.

Three miles more took us to Henry Lancaster. Henry is not running his hotel this summer, except when old acquaintances may request accommodations. He is taking life happily, having accumulated a competence from a successful business. We always enjoy a short visit at the Evans Lake house.

The Sand Lake House was next on the route, where we found the proprietor, C. H. Adam, at home, and the old air of cozy comfort about the house. Mr. Adam is now filling his large barn with hay, expecting to need it all during the summer. He has twenty good new boats on hand. The groves east and west of the house have been nicely cleared out for picnic parties, and he has all the room and accommodations necessary for entertaining all the guests that may come. This popular resort will be patronized more largely than ever this summer.

The next section of our journey extended from Adam's to Putnam's new hotel. On the road we overtook our friend Joe Kies, of Clinton, puffing along over the big hill east of Sand Lake. We took pity on him and took him to Putnam's also. He, with his family, are stopping a few days at their cottage on the north shore, near Adam's hotel. Of all the cottages on the lake we think his has the finest location. Arriving at Putnam's we found quite a company there, altho' not as large by any means as we expected to see on the big opening day. Adrian and Tecumseh were represented by good delegations from each town, but the farmers did not show up. It was too busy a time for them to go boating. The Adrian K. T. band furnished some of their choicest music at intervals during the day and the large collection of boats was well patronized. Mr. Putnam has a very convenient house, good stable accommodations and a nice grove handy by. He expects to receive his share of the patronage.

Our next mile post was at Richard Caldwell's, in Franklin, where we arrived just at tea time, and of course we couldn't refuse a cup of tea with our old neighbor. An excellent supper that just filled the place for it came very acceptable. Mr. Caldwell is nicely fixed, on a forty acre farm.—He enjoys raising wheat and turnips as well as he did making bureaus and chairs in the village. He has seventeen acres of beautiful wheat on the ground this year. The next section of the day's journey was the home stretch, where we arrived just at dark.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The ties were laid about half a mile west of Britton last Saturday, and a gang of Polanders is pushing the work of track laying this week.

Deerfield Record: A number of the directors and chief engineer of the Ohio & Michigan railway, were in town on Monday inspecting the different routes which have been surveyed from Britton to Toledo, by way of this village. The survey running by way of Corbus, appears to be the most favorable line, and will probably be adopted. The above route runs through the south western part of the corporation, and about one half mile from the business part of the village.

Toledo paper: Four Michigan & Ohio engineering forces are surveying different routes from Britton to Toledo. Two engineers from Marshall are in charge of two gangs. The company are anxious to get the route settled and commence the grading.

Last Saturday night about one hundred Italians were landed in Tecumseh to commence labor on the T. & M. railroad. Sunday afternoon thirty of them were taken to Britton to assist in the track laying, and the balance were taken Monday to a point about twenty miles west of the village.

Brooklyn Exponent: During the night preceding the 4th, some smart Alecks mixed machinery and agricultural tools belonging to different parties, hung a bunch of fence wire on the sign post in front of the Brooklyn House, and otherwise showed their superior wit and wisdom to the early riser of the next morning.

Grand Haven is to have a local improvement society.

Prof. Culver has been engaged as principal of the Teconsha schools.

Warren Ruhle had a hand mutilated by a buzz saw at Coldwater last week.

Alonzo Gillett, an old and respected citizen of Grass Lake died last week Friday.

The adventists have put up a tent at Ovid and are holding services at that point.

Tecumseh never looked more beautiful than at present, and to be appreciated should be seen in the lovely month of July. Just now it is at its best, and every day adds to its charms. Everybody appears to take more than usual interest in their surroundings, making them prettier than in former years; the streets are being improved in all parts of town, and we are already prude ourselves on the neatness and beauty of our little village; the lawns are clearly shaven, the houses neatly painted, and in fact everything wears an air of cleanliness and thrift, such as is seen in but few towns throughout the country.

On a warm day two townsmen meet upon the sidewalk and one remarks to the other, "It's hot." "Yes, terrible." Now supposing one of them had said instead, "This is Tecumseh," or, "this is Thursday," would it have been more ridiculous than the first remark? Both you see, are absurdly true. What can give a pleasanter impression of human nature than the men who pass each other in a drenching shower and remark pleasantly and simultaneously, "Wet?" But it is a habit of salutation that we all will continue to indulge. What, indeed, would loving but bashful swains do were not the weather a perennial subject for conversation?

—In Sewing Machines like anything else the best is always the cheapest in the end. The Domestic and White stand at the head. Call at Sparks', next door to the Novelty store, and inform yourself before purchasing. Attachments and the very best needles and oils constantly on hand. You can buy an organ or piano of me as low as the lowest. Special inducements offered to cash customers.
G. P. SPARKS.

—Mechanics and laboring men save money by getting your clothes cleaned and renovated by D. Jones.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—You can have your delayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Young men get your clothes renovated and mended by D. Jones.

—Do not fail to examine those Golden Star gasoline stoves as they have decided improvements as regards points of safety that are invaluable to all practical housekeepers at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Sewing Machines to rent, or sell on the installment plan by the agent of the Singer Co., Landgraf block.

—Farmers call in and get your clothes renovated by David Jones.

—The Golden Star Oil Range is the latest success in summer stoves at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Call on the agent of the "Genuine Singer" in the Landgraf block, for sewing machines, needles, oils, and attachments.

Yard Wide Lonsdale finish Bleached 8c.
A. B. Cotton.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—New Tatting & Towels at Cotton's.

—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's

—Land Fertilizing Salt, only $5 a ton, at S. W. Temple's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at
S. W. Temple's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Yard Wide Fine Muslin 5 and 6c.
A. B. Cotton.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—The Celebrated Ohio Land Plaster, $6 per ton at S. W. Temple's.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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THROUGH TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 7, 1883.

GOING NORTH. No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	5 20
5 39	8 51	" Manhattan Jc "	9 44	5 13
5 55	9 07	" Alexis Jct. "	9 27	4 57
6 08	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	4 38
6 14	9 40	" Dundee "	8 60	4 18
6 26	9 54	" Azalia "	8 50	4 05
6 44	10 06	" Milan "	8 34	3 50
6 55	10 12	" Vraula "	8 26	3 38
7 00	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	3 28
7 17	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	3 15
	P. M.			A. M.
3 15	12 35	" Jackson "	6 10	9 50
A. M.				
1 08	9 15	" Battle Creek "	4 37	7 58
2 05	9 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 30	7 00
			P. M.	
9 20	9 30	" Grand Rapids "	10 40	9 30
A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.
7 15	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	3 15
8 00	11 20	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	7 00	2 40
	A. M.		P. M.	
8 32	11 59	" Howell "	6 32	2 08
P. M.				
7 00	5 15	" Lansing " Lv.	9 10	12 15
A. M.				
12 30	5 04	" Edmore "	2 10	9 00
	6 10	" Big Rapids "	1 00	7 15
12 30	1 15	" Howard City "	2 55	9 20
			A. M.	
6 55		" Pioneer "	7 20	
8 25		" Mackinaw City "	5 00	

CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo with railroads diverging. At Alexis with Canada Southern, L. S. & M. S., and F. & P. M. Rys. At Manhattan Junction with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R.; at Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S.; at Dundee with L. S. & M. S.; at Milan with W., St. L. & P. Ry.; at Pittsfield with L. S. & M. S.; at Ann Arbor with M. C. R. R.; at South Lyon with D. L. & N. R. R.

W. H. BENNETT, Gen'l Pass'r Agt. H. W. ASHLEY, Supt.

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC R. R.

DETROIT & BUTLER DIVISION.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's	Acc'n	W. F.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Detroit	7 00	3 40	5 05	9 20
Hand	7 20	3 59	5 20	7 30
Romulus	7 44	4 24	5	8 20
Belleville	7 53	4 33	5	8 35
Willis	§ 8 03	4 42	6 12	9 45
Whittaker	§ 8 07	4 45	6 20	9 50
Milan	8 20	4 59	6 32	10 55
Stone	§ 8 27	5 08		11 12
Britton	§ 8 37	5 16	6 54	11 35
Holloway	§ 8 47	5 25	7 06	11 55
Adrian	9 02	5 40	7 24	12 35
Sand Creek	§ 9 16	5 54	7 39	1 20
North Manchester	9 32	6 08	7 57	2 10
North Fayette	§ 9 45	6 20	8 11	2 45
Alvordton	10 00	6 34	8 25	3 20
Montpelier	10 24	6 52	8 50	4 25
Blakesley	10 30	7 00	9 05	5 00
Butler	11 00	7 25	9 30	5 40

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Acc'n	W. F.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Butler	§ 8 35	§ 2 48	§ 5 20	§ 5 05
Blakesley	§ 8 57	§ 3 10	5 51	5 51
Montpelier	§ 9 11	§ 3 25	6 08	6 15
Alvordton	§ 9 30	§ 3 47	6 30	8 00
North Fayette	§ 9 45	§ 4 01	6 46	8 45
North Manchester	§ 9 55	§ 4 14	7 00	9 32
Sand Creek	§ 10 07	§ 4 30	7 16	10 30
Adrian	§ 10 20	§ 4 47	7 32	12 25
Holloway	§ 10 30	§ 4 61	7 46	12 55
Britton	§ 10 39	§ 5 13	7 59	1 20
Stone	§ 10 44	§ 5 20	8 08	1 35
Milan	10 55	§ 5 33	§ 8 20	2 00
Whittaker	§ 11 00	§ 5 40	§ 8 30	2 20
Willis	§ 11 10	§ 5 47	§ 8 45	2 45
Belleville	§ 11 18	§ 5 56	§ 8 57	3 13
Romulus	11 26	§ 6 05	§ 9 08	3 40
Hand	§ 11 39	§ 7 19	§ 9 25	4 25
Detroit	12 05	§ 7 50	10 00	5 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

§ Except Sunday. § Except Saturday. § Stop on signal. * Trains do not stop for passengers.

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The weakest women, smallest child, and sickest invalid can use hop bitters with safety and great good.

—Old men tottering around from Rheumatism, kidney trouble or any weakness will be almost new by using hop bitters.

My wife and daughter were made healthy by the use of hop bitters and I recommend them to my people.—Methodist Clergyman.

Ask any druggist if hop bitters are not the best family medicine on earth.

Malarial fever, Ague and Billiousness, will leave every neighborhood as soon as hop bitters arrive.

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—Keep the kidneys healthy with hop bitters and you need not fear sickness.

—Ice water is rendered harmless and more refreshing by drinking with hop bitters in each draught.

—The vigor of youth for the aged and infirm in hop bitters.

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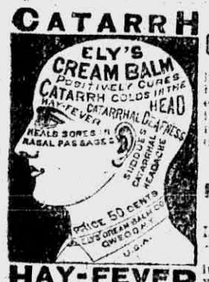

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ELY'S CREAM BALM has gained an unrivaled reputation wherever known, displacing all other preparations. An article of unusual merit.

CURES ROSE COLD IS NOT A LIQUID OR SNUFF.

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Until you set foot on Gibraltar you can form no idea of its impregnability. Very probably its real strength cannot be seen from a ship in the bay. Only when you land do you find that the sea wall bristles with heavy guns and groans beneath piles of ball; only as you traverse its flank do you see how formidable breech-loaders peep from every available chink, and powerful mortars lurk behind every convenient embankment. And not until you penetrate the body of the rock do you get any just notion of the marvelous piece of military engineering exhibited in its "galleries." These are tunnels excavated from the solid rock, parallel to its outer side, but some thirty feet therefrom, and large enough to drive a carriage through. They are in two tiers and comprise a total length of nearly three miles. At every thirty feet, or so, along the inner galleries embrasures are cut, shaped like the ancient incommoding portholes through which the archers used to shoot at the foe, and through which look the spectator outside the rock like swallows' nest holes in the sea-cliff. These embrasures contain heavy guns, always standing ready for action, with powder-magazines hard by. From the portholes [illegible] the bay and the Spanish country are obtained. Out of these, on the north side, you look down upon a half-sandy, half-grassy flat, perhaps half a mile long and as wide or wider, connecting the rock with the main land, and separating the bay from the Mediterranean. Two lines of sentry boxes, one at the rock end the other at the distant end, mark the boundaries of British and Spanish land, and between these lines in the "neutral ground." The guns of the quarried embrasures, and those hidden cannon that stud the western and southern slopes of the rock, cover the neighboring Spanish land, the whole of the bay and the straits, and the strengthening work is ever going on by the fortification of new points that from time to time appear vulnerable. The eastern side of the rock requires no protection; it is a forbidding wall, with a great sand slope in one place, but with no foothold for anything more than a few fishermen's huts near the water's edge.—*London Telegraph.*

Fashionable Calls.

(Callers seated in the parlors of an uptown mansion.)

"I've heard she gave $300 for that group. I'd just as soon have a chromo, would you?"

"H-u-s-h!"

"And just look at that center table—looks like a fancy fair, for all the world; one would think——"

"H-u-s-h, she's coming."

(Enter lady of the house.)

"Oh, you dear, darling creatures! What an age since I've seen you. Where have you been? Enjoying the holidays, no doubt. I'm so glad to see you both!"

(Together:) "And we are so glad to see you! How perfectly sweet you do look! What have you been doing to yourself? Oh, it's that lovely new dress! so becoming! but then you look well in every thing!"

"Oh! oh! Who's got a new sealskin cloak? Dear Mrs. Smith, I just envy you; it's a b-e-a-u-ti-ful thing!"

Mrs. Smith; "Well, it ought to be; James gave $125 for it."

"Yes! but that's nothing for Colonel Smith, you know! How is he? I do admire the colonel so much! But then he never looks at any one but you."

"Oh, yes! make me believe that! He is a regular old flirt! But I can easily forgive him for everything since he's got me this cloak. Well, we really must go—ever so many more calls to make. Now, return this soon; there's a darling. By-by, sweetness."

(Lady of the house to next caller:)

"Yes, that Mrs. Colonel Smith and her sister—what a dowdy that sister is!—did call here, and, do you believe, she had the impudence to tell me—me—that her husband gave $125 for that shabby old sealskin, as if I didn't know exactly what it was worth! He'd much better pay his debts," etc., etc.—*Detroit Free Opinion.*

The Newspaper Reporter.

The *Printer's Circular*, in an article upon newspapers and reporters, remarks:

"We owe not a little of the pleasures we derive from newspapers to the exertions of the reporters. The editor may elaborate and comment upon the news of the day, but the intelligent reader, if in possession of the same facts, is quite able to do this for himself. The most popular newspapers, other things being equal, are those which employ the best reporters, the largest number of them, and which allow them the largest liberty. It is a hard liberty. It is a hard life and full of real drudgery, yet there is a sort of liberty attached to it, which, combined as it is with the severest discipline, gives the business its attractions, while preparing the incumbents for higher positions. It is by this reportorial experience that the editor learns how to come near the public, and how to find just what is the opinion of the people and, if he is wise, he will bear in mind this part of his professional life. The reporter is often pointed in his observations, sharp, shrewd, and at times sarcastic. It could hardly be otherwise. No class of men come into such close contact with all other classes, and none see so clearly and near at hand the shams and follies of the times. None are therefore better able to hold the mirror up to nature. He is sometimes a little severe in noting the follies of the day; but does he not know, after all, that readers generally apply the sarcastic remarks to others, and rest content or touches for themselves?"

PERILOUS COMPLIMENT.—Edwin Booth says that the most genuine compliment he ever received was on the occasion of his playing Iago for the first time at Grass Valley, Cal., then a new mining camp. The audience, who had not seen a play for years, were so much incensed at his apparent villainy that they pulled out their "shooters" in the middle of the third act, and began blazing away at the stage. Othello had the tip of his nose shot off at the first volley, and Mr. Booth only escaped by rolling over and over up the stage and disappearing through a trap door. A speech from the manager somewhat calmed the house; but even then Mr. Booth thought it best to pass the night in the theater, as a number of the most elevated spectators were making strenuous efforts to induce the Vigilance Committee to lynch "the infernal sneaking cuss."

A World of Good.

One of the most popular medicines now before the American public is Hop Bitters. You see it everywhere. People take it with good effect. It builds them up. It is not as pleasant to the taste as some other Bitters, as it is not a whiskey drink. It is more like the old-fashioned bone-set tea that has done a world of good. If you don't feel just right, try Hop Bitters.—Nunda News.

A Wonderful Telescope.

The San Francisco *Call* tells an extraordinary story respecting a monster telescope made by Professors Lefevre and Longtour, French scientists, and erected at San Francisco. The lenses are twenty feet in diameter, and this is what happened when the astronomers and their friends turned the instrument to the heavens: "M. Dufrere was the first to apply his eye to the eyepiece of the telescope. For fully five minutes he looked on in speechless amazement, then, without a word, turned away to hide his emotion. One by one the gentlemen present tested the telescope, exhibiting their astonishment in various ways. The planet which happened to cast its beams upon the great speculum was Mars, and the revelation is too wonderful for credit. The eye-piece of the lowest magnifying power was first placed on, when the planet presented a most astounding sight. The powerful lens brought the surface of the planet nearer than that of the moon has ever been brought by the most powerful telescope. The green of the sea was brought out in unmistakable color, and one could almost imagine that he could see the waves upon the surface. There before the eye was spread out a splendid panorama of hill and dale, dark yellowish patches that looked like autumn fields, silvery threads that must be rivers, and unmistakable volcanoes in action.

How Life of German Girls.

Their life is far different from that of American girls, and we could hardly fancy anything more prosy than the home life of the high and well born German girl. They are educated precisely alike, the range of study being limited. The common branches, French, sometimes English, and a few small ornamental accomplishments, comprise the list. The statement that American girls study the the sciences and sometimes Greek and Latin causes from them manifestations of surprise. The traditions and prejudices of their class are carefully inculcated. Any woman who does not think or act in opposition to the conventional standard is looked upon with a distrust. But their domestic education is carefully attended to; whatever their rank they must master all branches and steps of housekeeping. Their wedding trousseau and outfit in bed and table linen is generous in quantity and beautiful in texture, and usually made up by their own willing hands. An engagement with them is as solemn and binding as a marriage contract, and unfaithfulness in either sex is an exception that meets hearty condemnation. Their simpleness and quietness of life is a reproach to the lives of most of the idle, ease-loving girls of many other countries.

Polishing Furniture.

To clean furniture, especially the surfaces of a finely-polished piano, we will give our lady friends a recipe better than any in the books. Take a wash-bowl half full of tepid water and a little fine toilet soap and a tablespoonful of sweet oil. Dip a piece of old flannel in this, and apply it to the furniture or piano, rubbing vigorously for a while; then exchange the flannel for a piece of old soft fine cotton, (not linen, as that leaves its fibers of lint) and rub with this a while, finishing with a fresh piece of the same rag, until the liquid application is thoroughly removed. All these successive applications to be made to one particular spot of the wood no larger than can be worked with a single stroke of the arm, and that to be finished before a fresh place is treated. When the whole piano has been gone over in this manner, (it should take two hours at least, to do it well,) it will look as good as new, and far better than if refinished by an ordinary workman. This is the best application for that purple cloud that comes on a polished wood surface in damp weather. Of course, a judicious person will be very sparing of the liquid, although she has a washbowl half full of it, and will not use enough to drip on the carpet, or penetrate to the interior of the piano.

An Old Maid's Consolation.

The writer rallied a young lady friend some time ago, and chaffed her upon being an "old maid." She replied: I am now past thirty: I have a good name. I have been bridesmaid a score of times. I ask myself with which one of the beautiful girls that I have seen take the marriage vow would I exchange lots to-day? Not one. Some are living apart from their husbands; some are divorced; some are now the wives of drunken men; some are hanging upon the ragged edge of society, endeavoring to keep up appearances; some are toiling to educate and support their children, and these are the least miserable; some tread the narrow line beyond the boundary of which lies the mysterious land, and some have gone out into its darkness and unknown horrors, and some are dead. A few there are who are loved and honored wives and mothers, with happy homes; but, alas! only a very few.—*The Parisian.*

You are to be pitied if you cannot find your first and greatest happiness at home. There is where you should find it. The independence that comes to a man when his day's work is over and he feels that he has run out of the storm into the quiet harbor of home, where he can rest in peace with his family, is something real. It does not make so much difference whether you own your house or whether you have one little room in that house; you can make that room a true home to you. You can people it with such sweet fancies that it will be fairly luminous with your presence, and it will be to you the very perfection of a home. Against this home none should ever transgress. It should be the place to find true love and courtesy.

Iowa heard from.

W. L. Rose, of Border Plains, Iowa, writes, Coe's Dyspepsia Cure cannot be recommended too highly. I have taken the medicine for a number of years at different times. My son-in-law has had very poor health for a long time, and this winter I persuaded him to try Coe's Dyspepsia Cure. He is now on the second bottle, and says it has done him more good than anything he has ever had before. Please let us know your lowest price by the dozen, as we use a good deal of it.

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Blotting Paper.

It may not be known that blotting paper is an important article of commerce. It is, and is called one of the staples of the paper trade. Large manufactories are devoted exclusively to its production. The demand is always good, and subject to little variation. When paper stock advanced under the influence of the boom, the price of blotting paper went up with the rest, that is, advanced about twenty per centum. Prices have declined little since, for, like the prices of other things, it was easy to get them up, but very difficult to get them down. The sale of blotters is very large, but it would be larger if insurance and other companies did not scatter so many advertising blotters. Blotting paper is of comparatively recent origin. It is not many years since blotting sand was an article of foreign export, and domestic use. Foreign sand came from the Mediterranean, but Block Island beaches supplied Rhode Island. Some of the merchants of to-day remember when, as clerks in stationery stores, they occupied leisure hours and rainy days in putting into convenient packages blotting sand that came over three thousand miles in the hold of sailing vessels, pointed shallops that plough the main very little now-a-days. The use of blotting sand led to the manufacture of sand-sifters, which in itself was an industry of some magnitude. A piece of paper has displaced them, sand and all.—*Providence (R. I.) Journal.*

Education in Prussia.

Education in Prussia is general and compulsory. Every town, or community in town or county, must maintain a school supported by the taxes, and administered by the local authorities, who are elected by the citizens. All parents are compelled to send their children to one of these elementary schools, whether they can pay the school fees or not. The cost per week in the country, five cents per month in town, is thus raised goes toward [illegible] the schools, and any deficiency made up from local taxes. No compulsion exists in reference to a higher educational institution than elementary schools, but parents who send more than one child to any school supported by the community have a reduction made in charge, and a limited number of pupils whose parents cannot afford to pay the full rate enjoy either this reduction or are admitted entirely free, at the discretion of the authorities. The whole of the educational establishments public and private, are under the direct control of the minister of public instruction and ecclesiastical affairs, with a local supervision in every province. They prescribe a general system of instruction and discipline, the proper selection of books, examinations, and appointment of teachers.

American Locomotives.

Mr. B. M. Brereton, an English engineer, draws the following comparison between American and English locomotives:

"I argue that the greater duty done by the American motor is due to the better design and the better system of working the locomotives. The American builder excels in the system of framing and counterbalancing, and in the designs of crank axles, etc., so that the engine may run remarkably easy and without jar round sharp curves, and work not only the light roads, but also diminish the wear and tear on the solid roads, and at the same time increase the effective tractive force. The English engine is a very heavy affair, and in running it not only wears and tears itself very rapidly, but also the roadway, and it greatly, by its unsteadiness and jar, fatigues the drivers and firemen. I have ridden hundreds of miles on engines in India, in England, in France, and in the United States, and I have always found the American engine most easy and comfortable, but I never did the English or the Continental engines. It is almost impossible to give these engines their full hauling power, simply because the greater portion of the weight cannot be thrown on the driving wheels."

A cotemporary says: "There is no reason why farming may not be made to pay much oftener than it does. Very few have learned to regard it as a business. It is a sort of chance work all round. Most men look on it as a sort of real estate transaction. They hope to sell out at a big figure; hence are afraid to improve their farms with a view to agricultural operations, for fear that whoever buys the land will not care for these little things. We have often heard some improving farmer ridiculed for his expenditures by knowing ones who were very sure so-and-so would get no more for his place than if he had burned his money.

A Virginian writes in praise of corn not only as the best food for laboring men, but for domestic animals of all kinds. He states that the usual ration for a negro laborer, for a week, is one and a half pecks of corn, three pounds of bacon, and a little molasses. They thrive on it and are healthy and strong. Southern horses and mules, as a rule, have only corn for grain, but they live longer and do more work than northern horses that feed on oats. In that part of the country dogs are fed almost exclusively on corn meal, and they not unfrequently eat corn in the ear, while wandering cows devour it on the stalk. Even cats eat corn meal stirred up with water, as is done in the case of chicken feed.

A Dead City.

St. Joseph, Fla., was at one time a busy seaport, had a railroad to Iola, on the Apalachicola, shipped cotton to the extent of hundreds of thousands of bales annually, and was the entrepot of supplies for western Florida, southern Georgia, and north-eastern Alabama. Railroads from the Mississippi to the Atlantic at length deprived it of its commerce and made its own railroad worthless. The track was taken up and used elsewhere. The inhabitants gradually abandoned their homes. Yellow fever visited those who remained, and the living were unable to bury the dead. What few escaped fled, and not a soul was left to claim property or home. A tornado completed the ruin. Every house was leveled to the ground, and to-day there is not a chimney to mark the spot where no long ago stood a busy little city.

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An old Latin manuscript of the times of Henry VIII. [illegible] an account of certain days allowed to be unlucky. It says, "These are evil days according to old philosophers amongst the Greeks.—For if on any of those days a child be born, it shall die soon; if any one falls ill, he shall never get well; if any one undertakes a long journey, he shall never return; if any one marry he shall soon be separated from his wife, or else they shall live together in the greatest misery; and if any one commence a great undertaking, he shall never attain the desired end." The unlucky days are then enumerated as follows: January, 1, 2, 4, 5, 9, 11 and 20. February 7. May 15 and 17. June 6. July 15 and 19. August 19 and 20. September 16 and 17. October 6. November 11 and 17. December 6, 7 and 9.

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Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 20 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 20 "
Adrian	8 20 "	4 37 "	5 25 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	.....
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 30 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	.....
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	7 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 11 P.M.	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
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For this reason it is true not only that one's body is wholly changed every year, but that it is not the same at two successive moments. Hence the importance of eliminating organs, to drain off this dead matter.

Arterial blood furnishes all the new material, while the old is carried away in the veins, from which, it having been eliminated, the residue returns to the heart purified for further use.

The eliminating organs are lungs, liver, kidneys and skin. The lungs eliminate carbonic acid, the most abundant of all the waste; the liver, cholestrine—waste of the brain and nerves; the kidneys, the waste of the muscles; the skin, more or less of the carbon, but especially the salts of the system.

If any eliminating organ is inactive or disordered so as to render it unable to perform its office properly, the effete matter is left in the blood, to accumulate in the circulation, except that some one or more of the other eliminating organs come to the help of the former.

The skin often does so much of this vicarious work that a single glance at the diseased man's face will sometimes enable the physician to know what eliminating organ is diseased or torpid.

Old Age.

The brain in old persons, at the age of 70, diminishes both in bulk and density, and thus becomes lighter. Its capacity for continuous hard work is thereby lessened as really as is that of the body for muscular labor.

As an old man, however, has the accumulated knowledge, skill and practical experience of almost a lifetime, and that wonderful facility which comes of habit, he may, with good health and care, do much of his best work in the neighborhood, say, of 80.

He cannot bear mental strain, and he must not attempt mental "spurts," but he can still show himself a "workman that needeth not to be ashamed."

Since, however, the brain is not so firmly supported by the skull, and is slighter in texture, the blood vessels are more easily dilated or ruptured. The danger of paralysis and apoplexy is still further increased, because the blood vessels become in old age more or less ossified and brittle, and thus unable to sustain a sudden rush of blood.

The aged should carefully abstain from every form of violent action, and, indeed, from every violent emotion. The full term of toil, whether in rearing and supporting children or in the service of the public earns a right to what is the normal physiological condition of age—freedom from all that annoys, perplexes, harasses, excites and burdens.—*Youth's Companion.*

A New Theory About Food.

A German physician maintains that both the vegetarians and the meat eaters are on the wrong track. Vegetables are not more wholesome than meat nor meat than vegetables, and nothing is gained by consuming a pound of both. Whatever nutritive qualities they may possess, he says, are destroyed in a great measure, and often, by the process of cooking. All food should be eaten raw. If this practice were adopted there would be little or no illness among human beings. They would live their apportioned time and simply fade away, like animals in a wild state, from old age. Let those affected with gout, rheumatism, and indigestion, try for a time the effect of a simple, uncooked diet, such as oysters and fruit for instance, and they will find all medicine unnecessary and such a rapid improvement of their health that they will forswear all cooked articles of food at once and forever. Intemperance would also, it is urged, no longer be the curse of civilized communities. The yearning for drink is caused by the unnatural abstraction from what are termed "solids" of the aqueous element they contain—uncooked beef, for example, containing from 70 to 80 per cent., and some vegetables even a larger proportion of water. There would be less thirst, and consequently less desire to drink if our food were consumed in its natural state without first being subjected to the action of fire.

Fill Out the Blanks.

To lose by one's own ignorance or carelessness is more mortifying than to lose by another's dishonesty. It is certainly aggravating enough to lose by both. To illustrate how little the law will help a person who does not know how to do business, and to show the importance of small details, a New York Journal cites an actual case:

"A man drew a note promising to pay one hundred dollars. He used a printed form, and did not close up the blank devoted to dollars, and after passing it as negotiable paper, somebody inserted 'and fifty' after the one hundred, and before the printed dollars.

The note, thus altered, got into the hands of an innocent party, who presented it to the drawer, and the Supreme Court decided the maker of the note was liable for its face, because through negligence he did not draw a line between the word 'hundred,' and the printed word 'dollars.'

Any testimony that the drawer might offer to establish the fact that he gave the note for one hundred dollars, must go for nothing, as there was nothing on the face of the note showing that it had been altered.

Evidence of any alteration on the face of the note, would have changed the case. Let this be a lesson to all drawers of promissory notes. No one can be too careful in such matters."

Seipio, N. Y., Dec. 1, 1879.
I am the pastor of the Baptist Church here, and an educated physician. I am not in practice, but am my sole family physician, and advise in many chronic cases. Over a year ago I recommended your Hop Bitters to my invalid wife, who has been under medical treatment of Albany's best physicians several years. She has become thoroughly cured of her various complicated diseases by their use. We both recommend them to our friends, many of whom have also been cured of their various ailments by them.
REV. E. R. WARREN.

"Well, miss, said a knight of the birch rod, "can you decline a kiss?" "Yes, sir," said the girl, dropping a perplexed courtesy, "I can, but I hate to."

The best thing for the complexion is Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It brings the bloom of health to the wan cheek.

Carolina's Sweet Sixteen.

A curious petition was that addressed in 1733 to the governor of South Carolina by sixteen maidens of Charleston. It ran thus: "The humble petition of all the maids whose names are underwritten. Whereas, we, the humble petitioners, are at present in a very melancholy disposition of mind, considering how all the bachelors are blindly captivated by widows, and our own youthful charms thereby neglected; in consequence of this, our request is that your excellency will for the future order that no widows presume to marry any young man till the maids are provided for; or else to pay each of them a fine for satisfaction for invading our liberties, and likewise a fine to be levied on all such bachelors as shall be married to widows.

The great disadvantage it is to us maids is that the widows, by their forward carriage, do snap up the young men, and have the vanity to think their merits beyond ours, which is a great imposition on us, who ought to have preference. This is humbly recommended to your excellency's consideration, and hope you will permit no further injury, and we good maids in duty bound, will ever pray." The forlorn sixteen would have approved the edict of the Portuguese king, which forbade widows more than fifty years old from remarrying, on the ground that experience taught that widows of that age commonly wedded young men of no property, who dissipated the fortunes such marriages brought them to the prejudice of children and other relatives.

How to Succeed.

The first requisite to success is not to undertake an unwise and impracticable thing. For this reason the advice often inculcated by wise and great men has been to give much time and reflection to the formation of plans. Be slow to decide; but, having resolved, be prompt to act.

It is not sufficient, by any means, to be prompt in beginning to act. This is easy to every one. It is the continued, persevering, unflagging activity which, alone, accomplishes great results.

The temptations which beset one's steps at every stage to deliver his attention from the main pursuit he has fixed on are almost innumerable, and to the irresolute and weak they are found irresistible. This accounts for numerous failures.

If a man has not attained to what he started for it will almost always be found that he has been attending to something else. The song of the bird by the wayside fell upon his ear and charmed his eye, and he lingered when his pace should have been onward and firm and quick.

If you would insure success in your undertaking, whatever it may be, let nothing divert your attention from it. Leave nothing undone, no matter how seemingly little and unimportant it may be, which is calculated to promote its accomplishment. There is no other way to make success certain. It is not luck. It depends on doing *doing*, DOING.

Yet simple as the lesson of success is—few as are its requisites—there is nothing that people are slower to learn.

Small Trees.

Nurserymen usually describe trees on their catalogues as "second class," "medium," "first class" and "extra." The difference in these classes is principally, if not wholly, in the size and height of the trees; and as most farmers desire the best, they suppose that the large "extra" trees merit that description, and hence order them. The fact is, however, that a small tree will grow faster and (if a fruit tree) come into bearing condition sooner than a large one; and, as the *New England Homestead* states, in half a dozen years the tree that was planted when small will be larger and finer than the other. The larger the tree, the larger the roots which it has, and the larger the roots, the less fibers there will be upon them. A tree that has plenty of fibrous roots will grow readily if proper care is used in it stransplantation; but no amount of skill can coax a tree to live and flourish which is destitute of these little fibers. The roots of large trees are always more or less mutilated in the process of taking up, while small trees sustain little injury from this source. Dealers in trees assert that experienced men buy small, thrifty trees, while those who are just starting are anxious for the largest to be had. Those who wish to set out trees will do well to learn from the experience of those who, at considerable loss to themselves, have demonstrated that small trees are the ones to buy.

Beecher's Bad Head.

For two months in the year Henry Ward Beecher can't preach. In August and September he takes his vacation and endures the onset of the hay fever. And it is, so he says, something terrible and tremendous. A man with hay fever isn't accountable for his actions. He is merely a wild beast—frantic with snuffing, sneezing and headache. His eyes are red and his nose. Every nerve in his skull thrills with distress and his head is a fountain of tears. He lives only to fly from seaside to mountaintop in search of relief.

And yet, whether we call this form of Catarrh hay-fever, rose fever, hay-cold or rose-cold, Ely's Cream Balm will cure it. This remedy is simple, pleasant and easy of application. Placed in the nostrils it penetrates and soothes the affected parts at once, restores the impaired senses and creates healthy secretions in cases of the longest standing. You cannot run away from hay fever, but you can drive it from you by using Ely's Cream Balm.

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Brockport, N. Y., Aug. 16, '82.
Rheumatic Syrup Co.:
Gents—For the benefit of those who may be suffering from rheumatism, I make the following statement in relation to your Rheumatic Syrup: I had been suffering severely for six weeks with rheumatism all through my whole body. Spent many sleepless nights, for I could not turn myself in bed, nor raise my hands to my head. My wrists were so swollen I could not bend them without causing terrible pain, when I was persuaded by a friend to try your Rheumatic Syrup. Have been taking it three weeks and find myself able to be up and around the house, and improving so rapidly that I feel as if I could safely recommend it to all those so afflicted.
Yours respectfully,
Miss A. E. Goodell.

A Lost Note.

In 1746, a director of the Bank of England lost a £30,000 bank note, which he was persuaded had fallen from the chimney piece of his room into the fire. The bank directors gave the loser a second bill, upon his agreement to restore the first bill should it ever be found, or pay the money if presented by any stranger. "About thirty years afterwards," says Mr. Francis, "the director having been long dead, and his heirs in possession of his fortune, an unknown person presented the lost bill at the bank, and demanded payment. It was in vain that they incitigated to this person the transaction by which that bill was annulled; he would not listen to it; he maintained that it had come to him from abroad, and insisted upon immediate payment. The note was payable to bearer and the £30,000 were paid him. The heirs of the director would not listen to demands for restitution; and the bank was obliged to sustain the loss. It was discovered afterward that an architect having purchased the director's house, had taken it down, in order to build another on the same spot, and found the note in the recess of the chimney, and had made his discovery an engine for robbing the bank."

How to Keep Your Friends

In the first place, don't be too exacting. If your friend doesn't come to see you as often as you wish, or if she is dilatory about answering your letters, don't make up your mind at once that she has grown cold or indifferent, and above all, don't overwhelm her with reproaches. Rest assured that there is no more certain way of killing a friendship than by exactions and upbraidings.

It is quite possible that you friend may have other duties and engagements whose performance employs the very time you would claim, and instead of being neglected you are only waiting your turn. Perhaps she comes to you in her rare intervals of leisure to be rested and cheered and helped by your affection and sympathy. But is she likely, to find cheer and comfort in your society if you meet her with doubt or coldness, or with a sense of injury, and insist on a full account of how she has spent her time, and whether she could not possibly have come before?

In nine cases out of ten she will go away feeling that she is injured by what you consider affection, and that your friendship is a trouble rather than a help.

Household Hints.

A clam shell is more convenient for scraping kettles and frying pans than a knife. It does the work in less time.

When washing fine laces do not use starch at all; in the last water in which they are rinsed, put a little fine white sugar, dissolve it thoroughly, and the result will be pleasing.

After the lamps are filled and the chimneys washed and put on the shelf, take pieces of newspaper and roll in the form of a chimney and slip over chimney and lamp; it will protect it from dust and flies, and when the lamps are lighted, one will be rewarded by seeing them as clear and bright as when first put in order.

A teaspoonful or more of powdered borax thrown into the bath-tub while bathing will communicate a velvety softness to the water, and at the same time invigorate and rest the bather. Persons troubled with nervousness or wakefulness at night will find this kind of bath a great benefit.

Bonaparte died in his military grade, his field-marshal's uniform and his boots, which he had ordered to be put on a short time previous to his dissolution. Augustus Cæsar chose to die in standing position, and was careful in arranging his person and dress for the occasion. Siward, Earl of Northumberland, when at the point of death, quitted his bed, put on his armour saying that "it became not a man to die like a beast." A more remarkable instance is that of Marie Theresa, of Austria, who, a short time before she breathed her last, having fallen into a slight slumber, one of the ladies in attendance remarked that her majesty seemed to be asleep. "No," said she, "I could sleep if I would indulge in repose, but I am sensible of the near approach of death, and I will not allow myself to be surprised by him in my sleep. I wish to meet my dissolution awake." Such are the efforts of poor expiring mortality—still clinging to earth—still laboring for the breath of prosperity, and endeavoring to cope with inexorable fate.

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the second day of July, A.D. 1883, authorizing the same, I, as guardian of Alvinzie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner, and Andrew C. Arner, minors, will, on the 22d day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereafter described offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the undivided one-half of all those tracts or parcels of land situate in the township of Ridgeway, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows to wit: All that portion of the Northwest quarter of section eighteen, town six south of Range five East, lying West of the center line of the ridge road (so called) leading across said quarter section—excepting therefrom the North twenty acres thereof now owned by Morgan McFlorence; also all that part of the West half of said Northwest quarter of said section eighteen, town six South of Range five East, lying East of the center line of said Ridge road, bounded by commencing at the Southeast corner of said West half of said quarter section, running thence North on the dividing line of East and West halves of said quarter section about forty-five rods to the Southeast corner of a parcel of land sold and deeded by John Arner to said Morgan M. Florence, thence West on the South line of said parcel about twenty-two rods to the center line of said Ridge road; thence Southwesterly along the center line of said road to the South line of said quarter section thence East along that line to the place of beginning, containing at the entire amount of land, forty acres, more or less subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Arner widow of said John Arner, deceased therein. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.
Dated July 2, 1883.
J. DE WITT ARNER, Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JONATHAN HALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 10th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.
Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Jonathan Hall, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lydia Hall, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named.
Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. B. BRIGGS, Probate Register. July 12

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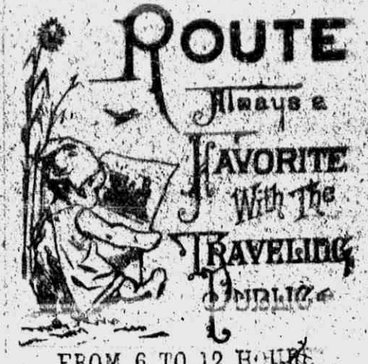
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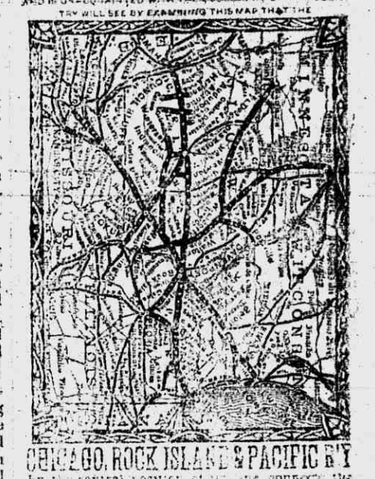
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THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 14, 1883.

Estate of Elias J. Baldwin, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Joel Briggs, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate, dismissed.

Estate of Samuel H. Glenn, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Thomas D. Keury, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; disc charge.

Estate of John A. Hazlett, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond fixed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Aymer R. Avery, deceased; affidavit of publication; petition to sell real estate; with letters; sell bond in suit.

Estate of Charles H. Bunce; affidavit of publication; order appointing guardian; bond filed; letters issued; testimony taken; and filed testimony taken; order of continuance until July 19, A. D. 1883, at nine o'clock p. m.

In the matter of Ida Hurst et al., three dependent and neglected children; application for admission to state public school; testimony taken; order for admission.

In the matter of Frank E. Norris, et al., two dependent and neglected children; application for admission to state public school; testimony taken; order for admission.

Estate of John Kapp, deceased; security bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Ben. Shain, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Miguel D. Herbamy, deceased; answers to interrogatories filed; order for continuance until July 19, A. D. 1883, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Henry Hazard, deceased; receipts; motion discharge.

Estate of Barzillas W. Arnold, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices.

Estate of Ira Stewart, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's first account allowed.

Estate of Rensselaer A. Shaver, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond $2,000.

Estate of Lorina Gould, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing August 6, 1883.

Estate of Elisha C. Lewis, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices.

Estate of Elizabeth A. Jordon, an alleged incompetent person; petition for the appointment of a guardian; hearing August 7, 1883.

Estate of Joseph Fletcher, deceased; affidavit of publication; with proof and probate.

Estate of Edward A. Jordan, deceased; affidavits of publication; appointment of administrator; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Francis E. Quick, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing an administrator.

In the matter of adoption and change of name of Artie Pearl Moore; declaration of intention; petition; order of adoption and change of name to Charles Elmer Moore.

Estate of Francis Voorhies, deceased; will; proof and probate; bond $10,000.

Estate of Catharine Noble, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing August 6, 1883.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased; petition for the appointment of a guardian; hearing July 2, 1883.

Estate of Jacob Hall, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing August 6, 1883.

Estate of Noah B. Lance, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing August 6, 1883.

Estate of Solomon Weaver, deceased; after hearing arguments of counsel, the further hearing of said petition was continued for consideration and judgment until July 24, A. D. 1883, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Agnosticism.

A correspondent writes entreating us to expose his name, but to let him know "what under the sun the agnosticism and the agnostics," so often mentioned in the debates of the Pan-Presbyterian Council in Philadelphia, really may be. Our correspondent need not be ashamed of his query. Prof. Huxley claims to have been the first to apply these terms, formerly used to designate a branch of the Deists or early times, to the doctrines and the "doctrinaries" now so designated. Agnostics are persons who refuse either to affirm or deny, or accept upon authority the doctrine of the existence of a God, the immortality of the soul, and in general, anything in the theology, psychology or metaphysics the existence of which cannot be scientifically proved or disproved. They are scientifically "know-nothings" in regard to such matters, and since they will neither affirm or deny, they are, or should be, insufferable to them. In practice, however, these anti-believers and anti-models are apt to be as hot as if they were baptised Christians or rank heathen.

[Agnosticism and agnostics are defined substantially as above in the supplement to the latest edition of Webster's Dictionary.—New York Times.

A Cure for Diphtheria

Among the ten thousand or more cures, for this dreaded disease, or supposed cures, the following is said to have been tested in many cases, and to have resulted well. It may be well to remember it. A mother of six children recommends this following remedy as an almost unfailing cure for that dreadful, malady, diphtheria. All of her children have been afflicted with the disease. She says: "Take a slice of fat pork,—side meat—the older the better; sew it on a soft piece of flannel; then saturate it with kerosene oil. Place it on the neck, having the meat reach from ear to ear. After pounding several raw onions into a poultice, place enough of the same into the patient's stockings to cover the soles of the feet, and have the patient put the stockings on. The poultice must be warm. In order not to chill the patient. The throat should then be gargled with some tomato catsup, strong with red pepper; salt and vinegar shaken well together, will do. If vomiting occurs, lime-water purchased at a drug store, with directions, should be given. Be sure to cause an irritation of the neck."

Don't Allow Talent to Rust.

As by constant friction steel is kept highly polished, so by constant exercise is talent ever at its brightest. All our powers grow by use. If we neglect to cultivate the habit of observation, we might as well walk through the world blindfolded.

We lose our faculty—what artists call our "touch"—by neglect of practice on other things besides the piano. The man who seldom reads read slowly; the woman whose writing is confined to an infrequent letter to some absent child, spends more time over that than does a practiced writer over a dozen pages of manuscript. Exercise of possessed talent is absolutely necessary, then, if we would retain our gifts.

For example: If our occupation is sedentary, we ought to plan for walks, rides and active games, to keep our muscles lithe and serviceable. But if our calling does give us enough muscular action, it is not one which lies in the path to our health is likely, that we should plan for mental exercise—intellectual enough of memory and our reasoning powers to keep them in the most healthy and unhealthy one that does not provide exercise for our spiritual faculties—for worship and charity and patience and magnanimity.

Exercise of soul, mind, and body can alone bring us to the stature of the perfect man.

In the reign of Edward III a knight held some land at Cukeney, in Nottinghamshire, free of rent during the reign of the king, on condition of his shoeing the king's pottingy or saddle horse, on each foot with the king's nails and materials; but if he lame it he was to give the king another one worth four marks. The Knight of Cukeney attended at the king's stables to perform his duty, when one of the monarch's farriers offered to instruct him how to do it; but in order to save his purse he declined the offer, consequently, by his ignorance he lamed the horse. This was repeated until he had to forfeit more marks than the value of the land, by which act of folly the word Cukeney became proverbial, even at court; and every stupid, ignorant citizen was called a Cukeney knight—afterwards changed to Cockney.

Since the introduction of the lawn mower the lawn has come to be regarded as the great feature of a garden. When it is well kept there is nothing more beautiful or pleasing than a broad, open space of turf and in the planting and arranging of trees it should be our endeavor to keep the lawn as open as possible. This can be accomplished by arranging the trees and shrubs in borders or belts around the margin, with a fine specimen tree occasionally standing alone in a prominent position, where its beauties can be seen to the best advantage.

A Splendid Remedy for Lung Diseases.

Dr. Robt. Newton, late President of the Eclectic College of the City of New York, and formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio, says of Wm. Ward's Balsam very extensively used in his practice, as many of his patients testify, and restored to health by the use of this invaluable medicine, as many testify. He always said that such a remedy ought not to be considered merely as a patent medicine, but that it ought to be prescribed by every physician as a therapeutic agent in all cases of Lung Disease. It is a sure cure for Consumption, and is prepared by a gentleman of great experience. See circular.

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A Newspaper Editor.

O. M. Hedstom, Bloomville, Ohio, writes to explain: "Had that terrible disease catarrh for twenty years; could hardly smell, and hearing was failing. Thomas' Eclectric Oil cured me. These facts are voluntarily given against a former prejudice of patent medicines."

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May 23, 1883.

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Eggs, fresh	
Lard, ℔	
Potatoes, ℔ bushel	
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SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

L. B. Stephenson has his store, Ayres Bros. old stand, open with a full line of goods usually kept in a general store, and is ready to attend to the wants of all customers with neutrality.

Everybody goes to Sand Lake this season to see the new hotel at Ingham's landing.

C. H. Adam also has various attractions, among which was the Manchester band on Sunday last, and are expected again on August 5th.

C. L. Vaughn contemplates a trip to the White Mountains.

The late rains may perhaps give many farmers the blues, but remember you can sympathize with one another.

Jackson Ayers has a horse that one week ago would have been given away, which now could not be bought for $100.

Springville band are again to be heard among the echoes of the evening.

Humphrey Egan, Sr., is to be one of the giddy boys no more; he and his new wife can be found at the old homestead, as happy as can be.

Miss R. S. Mosher has a cousin, Mr. Maynard, of Hudson, to entertain this week.

Wm. Hand is finally building the new upright to Wm. Stephenson's house.

The new railroad station of this town is to be located on Granville Lyman's place.

J. H. Smith is to build another new barn for Ace Cure.

During the storm of last Sunday evening the lightning struck James Brighton's house. Shingles flew, chickens died, but Jim and family were unmolested.

BRITTON BUZZINGS.

Wheat nearly all cut in this vicinity.

Bad weather for haying.

The Pilbeam Bros. are putting up, and have it nearly completed, one of the largest barns in the township of Ridgeway, for Edmund Smith, 40x60 with 20 feet posts.

One of Britton's merchants is putting up a residence on South street.

Business is lively in Britton now.—The Y and side track and about half a mile of the M. & O. railroad is now laid.

A few Sabbaths ago was Children's Day at the Christian church, and all enjoyed the day very much. A collection for the mission fund amounted to $26.17. The church was nicely decorated.

One week ago last Sabbath the following Sabbath school officers were elected:

Supt.—Geo. L. Oliver.
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. D. Coryell.
Secretary—Miss Olive Oliver.
Asst. Sec.—Miss Olive Cheever.
Treas.—Wm. Nickerson.
Organist—Miss Olive Dubois.
Asst. Organist—Addie Underwood.

Mrs. William Allen is on the sick list, and has been for some time.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Wheat is nearly all cut.

The continued rain causes much anxiety among the farmers for the safety of their wheat and hay.

Holloway still increasing in population; a boy for Dr. Begel and one for W. Sofer.

Ed. Arner starts in a few days for York state.

C. A. Satterthwaite met with a severe accident last week. He has been in the employ of D.P. Anthony & Co., and was at the time of the accident near Rome Center, where he had just started a binder. Seeing some straw which had got into the machinery he reached in to pull it out and in some way his hand came in contact with the needle, which passed through his hand, breaking the bone to his fore finger. He is doing as well as can be expected.

Al. Hoxie is still improving.

A. J. Sutton, the operator at Holloway, has moved his family into the depot.

Mrs. Chatfield fell and broke her arm one day last week.

The following is the great Sun cholera mixture, which has stood the test of 40 years. Says the N. Y. Journal of commerce, no one who has this by him and takes it in time will ever have the cholera. Even when no cholera is anticipated it is an excellent thing for ordinary summer complaints, dysentery, etc. Take equal parts of tincture of cayenne, tincture of opium, tincture of rhubarb, essence of peppermint, and spirits of camphor. Mix well. Dose, fifteen to thirty drops in a wineglass of water, according to age and violence of the attack. Repeat every fifteen minutes until relief is obtained.

A COMMUNICATION.

EDITOR HERALD:

Dear Sir.—If you will allow me space in your columns for a few lines I would like to set my side of the case of Marshalship before your many readers, for I see in your last issue in the report of the Common Council, that a discussion arose between the worthy members and myself.

They [illegible] that I did not intend to make any return of any services performed by me as Marshal either in making monthly reports or in filing copies of notices or other papers served by me. That statement I wish to say emphatically is false. If that honorable body will look back all through my past record, and even in the first part of their report of July 2d they will find an itemized bill of labor performed by their orders and according to their corporation law, a regular fee charged and the several amounts make $7.50. This bill and report went to the finance committee and was allowed, and an order drawn for the same. Further they say in their report that I presented a petition signed by 75 of our citizens. Now I was not present at the meeting of July 9th, but will say that on that evening, just as the honorable body was convening, I was presented with a paper containing something to the action they were to take, and requested to hand it to Mr. Bresie on the street, and he presented it to the Council.

As to my refusal to do what I considered dirty work that is all correct. For when you try to compel me to hunt up horses and cows that may be tied to a hitching post in front of their owner's own premises, and because there is a corporation law that, no horses or cattle shall be hitched on the streets for the purpose of feeding, for me to go and untie that horse or cow and lead or drive the same to the village pound, is what I call dirty work. Then on Sunday I must be on guard around the mill ponds to see who may fire a gun at some stray duck. That too I consider dirty work. Again I must be the sly detective, behind some old barn, shed or house to watch all day Sunday for some violation of the liquor law, and see if in any way we can raise a disturbance and have a liquor suit on hand and pay a reward of $25 for information that will convict. Nor do I consider myself competent to fulfill the requirements of your corporation laws, wherein it says, "No fire ball, gun, or pistol shall be fired inside the corporation;" and when the bright spark of your Council orders me to enforce this law on the 4th of July, I say, No, sir, that cannot be done.

Now, to the honorable members of the Common Council of Tecumseh, I tender you my heartfelt thanks for your action in my removal, for now I am out and free from all the harassing cares that crowd upon any one who tries to do his duty manfully.

H. W. STEVENS,
Ex-Marshall.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 18, 1883.

Estate of Thomas Schoonover, deceased; executrix's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of John Kipp, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; order appointing commissioners.

In the matter of adoption and change of name of Nellie May Smith, declaration of intention filed; order of adoption.

Estate of Louisa M. Hamilton, deceased, petition for proof will, hearing August 13, 1883.

Estate of Joseph Driggs, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing August 13, 1883.

Estate of Beedy Aten, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing August 13, 1883.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell and Ida M. Hastings, minors; late guardian's account filed; order of allowance of account.

Estate of Isaac Warren, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $2,500.

Estate of Mary A. Gotham, et al., minors; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Parley J. Spaulding, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's first account allowed.

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, an alleged incompetent person; petition for the appointment of guardian; hearing July 31, 1883.

Estate of Francis E. Quick, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order limiting time to pay debts.

Estate of Delilah Hazen, deceased; application for an appeal from decision of commissioners; bond on appeal; order of allowance of appeal.

Talk of establishing a hospital at Saginaw City.

A company has been organized to bore for salt at Jackson.

Warren Scranton, of Amboy, is 101 years old.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Oscar Preston, has been held for trial on a charge of burglary at Albion.

One Whitney contests the election of one Sketetee to a seat in the Grand Rapids council.

Dogs killed and wounded 27 sheep owned by G. Rittenberg, of near Lowell, a few days ago.

[illegible] has been struck by lightning twice already this month and is ready for more.

The Grand Rapids people did themselves proud in their reception of the western furniture manufacturers.

They still believe salt making can possibly become profitable at Grand Rapids.

A West Bay City family poisoned by eating poisonous mushrooms. All saved, however.

A Monroe farmer has just laid aside an Excelsior mowing machine that he has used for 17 years.

Ex-Congressman Willits distributed 2,100 pounds of "pub. docs" through the post office a few days ago.

A Hudson doctor has a telephone in his stables. Perhaps he is a man who enjoys "horse talk."

Radical and extensive improvements are being made in the interior of the "middle building" at Albion college.

"Idlewild," a summer camping ground on the St. Clair river, between St. Clair and Port Huron, is being occupied by campers again.

Work was commenced on the 17th on the extension of the Detroit, Mackinaw & Marquette road to the mines at Ishpeming and Negaunee.

At the last official roll call there were 157 posts of the Grand Army of the Republic in this state and 7,528 members.

It is whispered that some of the homeopaths of the state think that they will soon be given the medical control of the Pontiac insane asylum.

The Jackson people were so deceived by the hoax proclaiming the death of General Grant, that they set the flags at half mast and began to make lament.

Rev. Mr. Smith, of Portland, proposed to remove to Iowa, but the Portland people increased his salary, and Mr. Smith will stay. Level headed Mr. Smith.

Mrs. J. C. Ingram was thrown from her buggy at St. Joseph, last week, and killed. Another lady and a little girl, who were with her, were also hurt.

There is a superfluity of applicants for the chair of psychology and speculative philosophy at the University, made vacant by the death of Dr. Cocker.

On the 18th inst., Henry Striffler, a respected citizen of Cass City, Tuscola county, shot himself through the head with a rifle, causing almost instant death. Cause despondency.

Andrie Ker, of Grand Rapids, brings an action for $5,000 damages against the Chicago and West Michigan railway company, on account of the killing of his daughter on that road.

B. C. Berry, a hardware merchant of South Lyon, had a cancerous affliction on his right hand, which has been removed by the knife, and with it most of the hand—leaving only one finger and the thumb.

One night last week the Moody house at South Lyon, was entered by robbers, the safe broken open and about $500 in cash stolen. The most of the money belonged to an aged widow, who had put it there for safe keeping.

A man came out of the woods at Harrisville, a few days ago, nearly starved and almost crazy. He was given food and attention, and when he got so that he could talk intelligently, he said he had started from Oscoda to go to a camp on Pine river, lost his way and had been out a week

Further particulars of the storm in Huron county, last week, shows that the damage was very great. At Grindstone City, the presbyterian church, in process of construction, was leveled; two churches at Port Austin were damaged; several mills were almost demolished, and many houses and barns were unroofed.

A reward of $1,000 is offered by H. C. Lewis, of Coldwater, for the return of the jewelry stolen from the Coldwater National bank vault a few days ago, and for the capture of the thieves, and the sheriff offers $250 for the capture of the thieves. The fellows are being pursued, but their pursuers usually come up with their trail just as they have stolen a fresh team and gone on their way rejoicing.

OUR DAILY RECKONING.

If you sit down at set of sun
And count the acts that you have done,
And counting, find
One self-denying act, one word
That eased the heart of him who heard,
One glance most kind
That fell like sunshine where it went,
Then you may count that day well spent.

But if through all the livelong day
You've emitted no heart by yea or nay,
If through it all
You've nothing done that you can trace,
That brought thy sunshine to one face,
No act most small,
That helped some soul, and nothing cost,
Then count that day as worse than lost.

STAND LIKE THE ANVIL.

"Stand like the anvil," when the stress
Of stalwart blows fall fierce and fast,
Strong like a tower, the storm-tossed
While brawny arms outwield the lit
"Stand like the anvil," when the sparks
Fly far and wide, a fiery shower;
Vague and truth must still be marks
Where malice raves its worst of power.

"Stand like the anvil," when the bar
Jeers what it resists, groaning slat
Proud coils upon the forge its rest:
Stand like the anvil, close and fear
Are from of earth and the world
The [illegible] shall be
Stand from all [illegible] shine.

MRS. SMITHER'S INFATUATION.

NOT A LOVE STORY

To make home beautiful is a duty, Mrs. Smithers had always felt it to be so. She had, therefore, knit tidies, embroidered lamp-rugs, worked paper-racks and table-cloths, and filled the house with little womanly nick-nacks. Her husband, Mr. Smithers, was a solid, respectable man, who had made money in trade and could afford to spend it. He had no great artistic taste, and scarcely ever opened any book, except perhaps the Bible of a Sunday afternoon. It was an old habit his mother had taught him, and he generally got half through the psalm he selected before he fell asleep. He could not have told you the difference between the masterpiece of a great artist and an auction pot-boiler, but he had, from dealing in goods for a long while, acquired a certain appreciation of color in upholstery and carpets, and he liked to see things handsome about him. The house was full of soft, well-stuffed, puffy chairs and sofas, with comfortable, low seats; there were beds into which one sank as into a downy paradise; a splendid steam heater kept up a summer-like temperature all winter. The dining room table, with its big claw feet, was hospitality personified; the side-board, with curly carvings, held nice, round, silver water pitchers, tea-pots and jugs. On the mantel-pieces were the orthodox clocks, vases and bronzes. There were heavy cornices above the window-curtains, and they were looped back with massive cords and tassels. All was perfection—at least its owner believed it to be so; certainly it was comfortable and costly, and very showy.

"I like to come home to a home like this," Mr. Smithers used to say, rubbing his hands as he stood before the fire. "There is no nonsense about it."

So Mrs. Smithers thought herself, until she went one morning to an amateur lecture "On Taste in Furnishing." When the speaker, a red-haired young lady in a purple dress, without a wrinkle, like a pre-Raphaelite figure, had finished her lecture, of which not one word was original, poor Mrs. Smithers was in despair. Taste was evidently something she knew nothing about. She had been proud of her home; now she felt that she should be ashamed to let this purple young lady enter its doors.

How many things were wrong there—her carpets, her curtains, her doors, her mantel-pieces, her very chairs. Oh! if Mr. Smithers had but been there! What would he have said? But Mr. Smithers was away; he had gone a long while; would he learn while away that his house was all wrong? He might. Then it came like an inspiration to poor Mrs. Smithers that, as her dear Smithers never was "mean about money," she might make his house right before he returned home.

Mrs. Smithers, though she prided herself on her good taste, was not a literary woman, and fancied that the Terence Shook so often alluded to in the lecture was some upholsterer. Probably the purple young lady had her own house furnished and arranged by him.

Mrs. Smithers, on going home, looked in vain for this famous upholsterer in the directory. Finally, she ventured to ask a better informed friend, who Terence Shook was and where his "Earthly Paradise," that the purple young lady had spoken of, could be found.

Having received the revelation that the "Earthly Paradise" was a book, and in this the sayings so often quoted were to be found, Mrs. Smithers at once procured it from a bookseller and sat down to study it.

The result was such a house-cleaning as the world never saw before. Various strange men and women, all the servants, and Mrs. Smithers herself, toiled from morning until night for six weeks, and at length, on the very eve of her husband's return, Mrs. Smither's, delighted with her success, went through her home and declared it perfect.

And now a carriage drives up to the door, Mrs. Smithers flies down stairs and in a moment quite vanishes in the recesses of an enormous ulster. A trunk is bumped into the hall, a portmanteau follows; the door bangs, and Mr. Smithers looks about for his hat-rack with big mirror, round knobs, and solid umbrella stand. A long thin table, with a rail at either end meets the eye instead, flanked on either side by a rigid chair with a marble seat and marble slabs let into the bottom. The whole aspect of the house is altered: The heavy carpets and broad, silvered rods are taken up from hall and staircase. There is no sign of the register in the polished oaken floor. The heavy walnut banisters are gone, and replaced by spindly oak rails, each one conspicuously fastened by a brass rivet.

"What's the matter? Had a fire?" asks the bewildered gentleman. He doesn't look very much pleased; but Mrs. Smithers is confident of the effect of the parlors. She glides forward and draws back the *portiers*. There is no door now.

"You didn't tell me anything had happened," says Mr. Smithers. "Well, you shall have it all fixed up nicely again. What was it? Furnace flues evidently—the furnace isn't going. All your pretty carpets, too?" and he glances down at the expanse of polished oak, relieved by Turkish rugs, and stops before the mantel-piece. When he last saw it, it was of marble, carved elaborately. Now it was replaced by one of oak, which ran up to the ceiling in a series of shelves interspersed with small looking-glasses.

The place of Mr. Smither's jolly old naps and prim-looking mamma, which, in massive gold frames, had filled either recess had been banished. The portraits of the king and queen of the storks, on long panels, in inch-wide frames of oak and gold, filled their places. This was too much for Mr. Smithers. He fell into a long-legged Eastlake chair, which stood before a small wood-fire, perched upon a pair of tall brass andirons, and took his pocket handkerchief.

"I wouldn't have parted with pa and ma's pictures, now they are getting so old, for any money," said he, "tell me all about it, sis."

"Oh, the pictures are quite safe, Jeremiah," said Mrs. Smithers. "They're in the bed-room. There hasn't been any fire, but I thought our dear we were furnished all wrong, you taste shows it all, you know—and I went to a lecture, and I really felt ashamed," and here she paused to get things perfect, "there you cannot, don't you think I'm a dado is elegant."

"What's that?" asked Mr. Smithers, in a quiet tone, speaking soothingly, as he might to a baby.

"The border around the room you know," here Mrs. Smithers [illegible]

"Um," groaned Mr. Smithers, [illegible] thought it was a dado. We'll, where's the mantel-pieces?"

"Down cellar," replied Mrs. Smithers, with the dpors.

"Oh!" groaned Mr Smithers, "how hard those chairs are! I must walk about to rest myself a little. Are the chairs and sofa down cellar too?"

"No, I stored them," said Mrs Smithers.

After that the married pair walked about the house and looked at the improvements; but Mr Smithers never smiled.

"Don't you like it, my dear?" asked Mrs. Smithers, tenderingly.

"Very nice! very nice!" said Mr. Smithers, in a soothing tone.

"I'm sure it must be perfect," said Mrs. Smithers. "I've acted on Terence Shook's advice all the while."

"Eh?" cried Mr. Smithers, sharply. Then he added; "Don't get excited, my dear. Go to bed quietly and take a good rest, and you'll feel better to-morrow."

"I'm sure I'm very well, indeed, Jeremiah," said Mrs. Smithers.

"But you are tired, you know—tired," said Mr. Smithers. "Go to bed—there's a dear. I'll scold Fanny up with you."

"Why should the chambermaid go up stairs with me?" cried Mrs. Smithers, beginning to feel mysteriously terrified.

"She shan't, then!" said Mr. Smithers. "Go she shan't, Kitty."

Then he himself accompanied Mrs. Smithers to her apartment; saw that she retired, tied a handkerchief wet with spirits of camphor, about her head and left her to herself. Poor Mrs. Smithers was afraid to resist, fearing that her husband might be insane enough to be dangerous. She lay staring into the darkness, in the greatest misery of mind, not knowing what her husband might take into his head next. Meanwhile that gentleman had rushed in haste to the family doctor.

"Doctor," he said, sitting down in the physician's study, "I've got a terrible thing to tell you. When I went away from home I left my dear little wife as well as I could wish, in as snug a home as a woman need to have—but you know my house, Doctor. I came home to-night and find the poor soul quite out of her mind—quite out of her little mind, Doctor. She's packed off all the comfortable things, I don't know where; had the doors and mantel-pieces taken down cellar, and hung up horse-blankets on rods and rings; sent away the carpets and rubbed up the floors and scattered about a few fuzzy rugs. She won't have the heater or the gas; and there's a log of wood on some of my grandmother's old brass andirons, and a few candles perched here and there. And she's taken down the family portraits and hung up pictures of long-legged birds; and she's stuck plates and bowls and cups and saucers all over the wall somehow; and the place is full of the queerest old spindle-legged things, chairs that make you say Ouch! when you sit down on 'em, and tables you can't get your legs under. The place is like a charnel-house; but I wouldn't mind that if she was all right in her mind. Doctor, what do you think of her saying she did it by the advice of some fellow or other? I don't remember his name. That's a mental delusion, ain't it?"

The doctor looked at his friend with a solemn countenance, but his soul was full of fun. He knew very well what little Mrs. Smithers had been doing to her house, and why she did it; and he quite understood the effect it had produced on her spouse.

"Smithers, my dear friend," he said, solemnly, "don't be alarmed. It is an epidemic; half the women in the city have it. Your wife will recover. Take my advice; Send her into the country for a week, and put your old things back into the house. You can sell the new ones at auction very readily. Let Mrs. S. as I have said, visit your mother the while. When she comes back she'll see everything all right again, and all will be well. Don't talk to her about it. There'll be no relapse."

"Yes, yes," said Mr. Smithers, "I hope you are right. And you'll go over and see Kitty? I've put her to bed and tied her head up. You'll go this evening, doctor?"

"At once," said the doctor.

He went. Poor Mrs. Smithers lay sobbing in her spindle-legged bed, with the handkerchief still about her brows.

"Oh, doctor," she sobbed, "I am so thankful you've come. Jeremiah has returned home in such a strange condition. I am afraid his mind is affected. He would have me go to bed at once, as you see. Did he send for you? There was nothing the matter with me until he nearly frightened me to death."

"I've seen your husband, ma'am," said the doctor, solemnly. "He'll be all right in a few days. It was the shock of seeing things so changed about him—that was all. Do exactly as he bids you, and everything will be well again."

Mrs. Smithers promised and obeyed, and went mildly away to visit Jeremiah's mother in the country on the following day. As soon as she was gone, the anxious husband packed off all the expensive purchases to the auction-rooms, where they created quite a *furore*, and brought more than they cost, restored his doors and mantel-pieces, hunted up his old furniture, rehung his gas-fixtures and set his heater to work, and then went to bring his wife home.

He watched the effect of her entrance into her home with anxiety, but all Mrs. Smithers said was:

"How comfortable!"

"I thought you'd think so," sighed he, wonderfully relieved.

He has never quite understood the matter yet; but Mrs. Smithers does.

Pie-Plant Jelly.—Pick the pie-plant and wash, but do not peel it; cut in stripe put in the kettle, add enough water to cook until soft, strain the juice off and weigh, add sugar pound for pound; cook ten minutes, or until thick as you wish it

"The Trapper's Last Shot."

He was probably christened James, but is always Jim now, and, along with the greater part of his christened name, he has almost entirely lost his surname. If he had been a few shades lighter, he might have been "Colored Jim," but black being the absorption of all color, this name would not fit him. So he is known, wherever known at all, as "Nigger Jim." He is an expert trapper and fisherman, but, rather singularly, considering these gifts, a poor marksman. For years he lugged about a carried in his boat an ancient flint-lock Queen's arm, so deadly in its action that it would kill pickerel with only a charge of powder, so Jim said, yet he rarely brought home any spoils of field or flood but such as were gained by trap or hook. Once, however, by made a very telling shot. It was on an October morning, and he was adding his fall trapping skill up the channel of Wonakakatuk, as cleverly as any Indian could, when, as he rounded a bend, he saw through the tall stalks of the wild rice at least a dozen ducks sitting among the lily-pads in the edge of the channel, not six rods from him. Here was his long-sought opportunity, and no sooner did he [illegible] the stern of his canoe with the paddle stopped the headway of the craft just before she poked her sharp nose in sight of the unsuspecting foul. Then he laid the paddle in the boat without the slightest noise, and as silently lifted from her resting-place his old gun whose true inwardness at that moment consisted of all the powder in her owner's possession and a handful of B B shot, both wadded with a half-pound or so of waspnest. He cautiously thrust her muzzle through the rice stalks, cocked her without a tell-tale click of the ponderous lock, set the breech-plate firmly against his shoulder, laid his cheek to the stock, took such long and deliberate aim that a spider, setting his snare among the rushes, made fast an end of his web to the rusty barrel before Jim, shutting both eyes set his teeth, and with a sturdy pull unlimbered. There was a dazzling flash in the pan as if a kettle full of lard had caught fire, and then the noble weapon belched forth a horizontal column of flame and smoke, kicked Jim and his skiff half the boat's length astern, and gave a roar that went bellowing down the creek, across the lake, and was tossed back and forth from Split Rock Mountain to Shellhouse for five minutes before it lost its voice. When Jim got his eyes opened and his wits gathered, he peered through the eddying smoke and saw—not a feather raised, nor one wounded duck fluttering its last, but some riding unconcernedly with their heads knocked off and some keel up in a quarter-acre of fine splinters. Then up rose two Boston men from among the rushes, and the fire and smoke and uproar and vicious recoil of Jim's gun were as nothing to the vials of wrath which they poured out upon his curly, devoted head. Never was such paddling done on these waters as Jim did till he put half a mile of Wonakakatuk's channel seething with his rapid strokes, between himself and the scene of bloodless slaughter. Then he shoved his boat into the rushes and skulked ashore. Next day he offered his gun for sale, giving as a reason that she burned so much powder no poor man could afford to keep her. He effected a sale at $1.50, and has done no duck-shooting since. Always, with emphatic shakes of the head, "Any man that'll try to fool ducks with them wooden images will steal sheep! Yes, sir, 'course he will!"—*Forest and Stream.*

"Pure Mocha."

A DELUDED PUBLIC—THE KIND OF COFFEE WE DO NOT GET.

If the official returns of the coffee trade are to be trusted—and presumably they are not greatly in error—the coffee consuming public of this country has been for a long time past very much deluded. There are a multitude of people in this part of the world who are laboring under the belief that the beverage which they drink at breakfast, and, possibly after dinner, is Mocha coffee. Their grocer tells them that the article he sells is "pure Mocha," and they have no means of knowing that he is deceiving them, if, indeed, he has not been deceived himself. Some, with a peculiar fastidiousness, insist upon having a mixture, and want one-half or one-third of Mocha and the remainder of Java coffee—a request which the grocer seemingly complies with: that is, he takes the coffee from two separate compartments. Now, the last completed returns of the coffee production of the world are made up to the year 187[illegible]. In that year the estimated growth was [illegible]082,112,500 pounds of which Brazil produced 407,127,300 pounds, or nearly one-half. Next came the Dutch East Indian possessions, where the crop amounted to 201,500,000 pounds; while Ceylon, South Africa and the West Indies furnished nearly all of the rest. Arabia, it is true, appears on the list, but its total growth, the Mocha district and the rest of the country combined, was only about 4,500,000 pounds—this, not quite ½ of 1 per cent. of the growth of the world.

When it is considered that coffee is extensively used in Arabia, that Mocha comes within the possessions of Turkey, a country peopled with coffee-drinkers, and that we have no direct communication with Arabia, one may well hesitate [illegible] accepts the current Mocha fiction [illegible] grocers. It is highly probable that [illegible] pounds of this article are brought [illegible] country in the course of a year [illegible] that would not furnish a day [illegible] for the inhabitants of this city. [illegible] of course, know the flavor of Mocha, [illegible] and hence can not be deceived, though in reality probably not one in a thousand of us ever tasted it.—*N. Y. Times.*

Entertaining Company.

The whole philosophy of hospitality is summed up by Emerson in the following: "I pray you, O excellent wife, not to cumber yourself and me to get a rich dinner for this man or this woman who has alighted at our gate, nor a bed-chamber made ready at too great a cost. These things, if they are curious in, they can get for a dollar at the village. But let this stranger see, if he will, in your looks, in your accent and behavior, your heart and [illegible]nestness, your thought and will, what he cannot buy at any price, at any village or city, and which he may well travel fifty miles and dine sparingly and sleep hard, in order to behold. Certainly, let the board be spread and the bed be dressed for the traveler, but let not the emphasis of hospitality be in these things. Honor to the house where they are simple to the verge of hardship, so that the intellect is awake and sees into laws of the universe, the soul worships truth and love, and honor and courtesy flow into all deeds." One of the greatest comforts of having a home should be that in it we have a place for friends and even strangers—rooms, more than supply the needs of the family, and extra "leaves" to the extension table. The secret of true hospitality, as Emerson has stated, is in its coming from the heart.

The Intensity of Arctic Cold.

The chronicler of Lieut. Schwatka's expedition in search of the remains of Sir John Franklin records some interesting facts regarding the great cold of Arctic regions. The lowest temperature met with by the company was 103 degrees below the freezing point, or seventy-one degrees below zero Fahrenheit, a degree of cold almost impossible to imagine by the people of more temperate climes. The effects of such intense cold upon the human system were not so marked in the case of the lieutenant and his companions as might be supposed, and even during the month in which the average temperature was sixty-five degrees below zero, the health of the party remained unimpaired. The men adapted themselves as much as possible to the habits of the natives, feeding largely upon blubber and fat meat, by which the vital heat was sustained. Plenty of game was found by the adventurers, who were able to secure with their repeating rifles enough reindeer at the time to last them for several days. The difficulty of approaching these animals was very great, for in the still cold air the step of a man upon the snow could be heard two miles away, and the grating of [illegible] like the clothing of tempered steel. It was not an easy matter to keep guns in working order in this climate, for at sixty and seventy degrees below zero, strong oak and hickory would break like icicles, and all lubricants harden and interfere with the working of the locks. When the guns were brought into the warm atmosphere of the huts to be cleaned, they would at once become coated with moisture, and every part had to be carefully dried and wiped, lest the hunter, on stepping into the cold air again, would find a useless block of ice in his hands. A bottle of whisky which was in the stores was congealed to the consistency of thick syrup by the intense cold, and the cup from which one of the travelers essayed to drink, actually froze to his lips. The low temperature of this latitude permitted some of the Esquimaux to practice a terrible revenge upon some wolves which had attacked them. They set upright in the ice several keen knife-blades, and covered them with blood. These the wolves licked, slicing their tongues, but being prevented by the cold from feeling the wounds at the time, and their own warm blood tempted them to continue until their tongues were so scarified that death was inevitable.

Three Gallant Dogs.

THEIR EFFORTS TO RESCUE ANOTHER ONE FROM A WATERY GRAVE.

The South Bend (Ind.) *Tribune* relates the following instance of dog sense: "All day Monday four dogs were playing on the shore ice which runs out into the river from the Singer factory docking. At least three of the dogs were of the breed known as setters. Between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon some of the Singer employes, who work in the building facing the river, and who had noticed the dogs at different times during the day, were attracted by a great commotion among them. Three of them were running up and down the river along the edge of the ice, but the fourth one was missing. Directly one of the dogs was seen to reach his head in the water over the edge of the ice and grasp some object in his teeth and try to pull it out of the water. The object was the dog who had fallen or jumped into the river and was unable to get upon the ice again. The effort of the dog on the ice was also unsuccessful, and he released his hold, while all three of the dogs set up a brisk barking, varied occasionally by dismal howls; finally another effort was made to rescue their companion, all the dogs joining in it, but the slippery ice afforded them such poor foothold, and the distance from the ice down to the water was so far that, after three or four trials, they gave it up. They then held consultation with heads close together, and two of them started off up town, apparently to get help, while the third one laid himself down on the ice close to the edge, as if to keep guard over their companion, who was paddling in the current for dear life, and could just manage to keep his nose above the water. At this stage of the proceedings two men came to the rescue of the dog. They procured a long board and running it a short distance beyond the ice, one of them stepped upon it and together they pulled the dog out. He was almost dead with exhaustion and nearly stiff with cold. The dog who had remained as watcher made every possible canine demonstration of joy when his companion was safely landed, and was soon after joined by the other two in like expressions, they having returned from an unsuccessful hunt for help a short time after the dog was rescued. We record the case as one of the most remarkable in the line of dog stories we have ever heard of, and its truthfulness can be vouched for by several eye witnesses."

The Goat.

The goat is a native of the vacant lots about the city, and there are lots of them.

The goat is omnivorous. He will goat anything that he sees, and will seize anything he may goat.

His principal food, however, is play bill. He is very fond of letters.

Let us honor him for his love of bill letters.

The gentleman goat is called Billy, but he is a Billy that no policeman can handle.

The lady goats are called Nanny. This is their ewe-Nanny-mous name.

The young goat is called a kid. Kids are on hand the year round.

The goat is generous to a fault. He presents a couple of horns to everybody he sees.

In the matter of mere cash, the Cashmere goat is the most famous.

Goats are fond of the outskirts of large cities, also hoop skirts.

The goat wears a beard. It is called a goatee though not confined to the goat.

The goat is noted for his hunting, but he never flags.

The goat is one of the signs of the zodiac, signifying that he has a propensity to knock things sky-high.

He never gets high himself. That is to say, never gets over the ba-a-a.

Shakespeare understood the spontaniety of the goat when he said, "Stand not upon the order of your going, but goat at once."

The goat is a wide-awake animal. He is never caught napping, notwithstanding the many cases of kid-napping you may have read about.

For many years the goat was the only butter known.

Goats love to get on a high rock and sun themselves. Give them a chance and they will always seek a sunny climb.

The god Pan was a sort of half-goat, all goats do not pan out as well as he did.

Ba-a-a!—*Boston Post.*

An exchange says the weekly newspaper costs less each week than a glass of beer, yet there are men who each day drink three to ten glasses, that say, "I am too poor to take a paper."

Our Foreign Population.

According to the census of 1880, there were at that time 6,677,360 persons of foreign birth in the United States. The number given by the census of 1870 was 5,567,229. We gained about eleven hundred thousand foreigners during the decade.

The place of birth of the population was given for the first time in the census of 1850. Let us, therefore, follow the progress of foreign immigration and our increase due to it since that time.

The last thirty years, indeed, have been the great years for immigration. During the whole period from 1790 to 1850 we received from abroad only about as many people as came over in the decade between 1850 and 1860. The immigration for the sixty years was in round numbers 2,700,000, and of the ten years it was 2,000,000. Between 1860 and 1870, the period of the civil war, there was a small falling off as compared with the decade just previous and the total reached only about 2,500,000. Since 1870 however, immigration has been even more extensive than it was between 1850 and 1860, though from 1875 to 1879, when the country was struggling with hard times and business depression, it was at a low ebb. The total for the decade was about 3,000,000.

We have, therefore, received since 1790 the great aggregate of over 10,750,000 foreign immigrants, and more than eight millions of them have landed on our shores since 1850; in the last thirty years. It is accordingly easy to account for the 7,667,360 foreign born inhabitants found in the country by the census of 1880.

When we remember that these eight millions of foreigners who have come to us since 1850 are more prolific than the old native population, and that emigration is not usually undertaken except during the most active years of maturity, we must attribute to them a large part of our natural increase in population. Of our fifty millions of inhabitants they and their descendants make up a fraction which we cannot yet determine from the census, but it is unquestionably a great one—above one-fifth, probably. These immigrants of thirty years have modified our national characteristics, affected our religious thought and practice, and changed many of our social customs.

And they will go on increasing, both by births and by new and still greater accessions from abroad. 1880 showed a larger aggregate immigration than we had before witnessed. If the prosperity upon which we have entered continues, we shall probably receive between 1880 and 1890 from four to five million settlers from abroad, and then at least one-third of the population of the United States will be composed of the foreign born and the descendants of the immigrants who landed here during the forty years from 1850 to 1890.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Out-Door Air and Exercise.

The surest of all natural prophylactics is active exercise in the open air. Air is a part of our daily food, and by far the most important part. A man can live on seven meals a week, and survive the warmest summer day with seven draughts of fresh water, but his supply of gaseous nourishment has to be renewed at least fourteen thousand times in the twenty-four hours. Every breath we draw is a draught of fresh oxygen, every emission of breath is in evacuation of gaseous recrements. The purity of our blood depends chiefly on the purity of the air we breathe, for in the laboratory of the lungs the atmospheric air is brought into contact at each respiration with the fluids of the venous and arterial systems, which absorb it and circulate it through the whole body; in other words, if a man breathes the vitiated atmosphere of a factory all day and of a close bedroom all night, his life blood is tainted 14,000 times in the course of the twenty four with foul vapors, dust, and noxious exhalations. We need not wonder, then, that ill-ventilated dwellings aggravate the evils of so many diseases, nor that pure air should be almost a panacea.

Out-door life is both a remedy and a preventive of all known disorders of the respiratory organs; consumption, in all but the last stage of the *deliquium*, can be conquered by transferring the battle-ground from the sick-room to the wilderness of the next mountain range.

Asthma, catarrh and tubercular phthisis are unknown among the nomads of the intertropical deserts, as well as among the homeless hunters of our Northwestern Territories. Hunters and herders, who breathe the pure air of the South American pampas, subsist for years on a diet that would endanger the life of a city dweller in a single month. It has been repeatedly observed that individuals who attained to an extreme old age were generally poor peasants whose vocations required daily labor in the open air, though their habits differ in almost every other respect; also that the average duration of life in various countries of the Old World depends not so much on climatic peculiarities or their respective degree of culture as on the chief occupation of the inhabitants; the starved Hindoo outlives the well-fed Parsee merchant, the unkempt Bulgarian enjoys an average longevity of forty-two years to the West Austrian citizen's thirty-five.—*Dr. Felix L. Oswald.*

Founder.

Founder may be caused by sudden changes of temperature, over-exertion on hard roads, over-feeding, large draughts of cold water, standing in snow or ice-water while warm; or it may be due to rheumatism, or a sequel to strangles, influenza, etc. If the horse is shod, remove the shoes. Cut down the rim of the hoof all around to such an extent that only the sole and the frog touches the ground. Do not pare away anything from the sole or frog. Then place him on an earthen floor and not on a plank floor unless it is kept well littered. Envelop the feet in large, soft, cold poultices of equal parts of bran and linseed meal. If much tenderness prevails scarify the skin above the hoof and place the feet in warm water to stimulate bleeding. Give five drachms of aloes and a drachms each of podophyllin and capsicum, made into a ball. Give every hour from the beginning of the attack ten drops tincture of aconite root, until six doses are given. If after two or three days, the fever and pain in the feet do not decrease, thin down the sole at the toe and make an incision sufficiently deep to start bleeding, and encourage the same by immersing the feet in warm water. Thereafter apply blister round the pastern. Give loosening food. Subsequently give liberty outdoors when weather permits, during daytime.—*Western Rural.*

We can all do something for each other in this world if we only try. Do not let us forget what Wordsworth taught us, so long ago, "the primal duties shine aloft like stars," while "the charities that soothe and heal and bless are scattered at the feet of man like flowers."

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Firework-Making.

HOW ROMAN CANDLES AND SKY ROCKETS ARE MADE.

An article in the London *Daily News* on fireworks says:

A visitor to one of those case-making sheds in which a good fire may be roaring in an open fireplace will perhaps be rather startled to notice a number of barrels and jars, which he will be apt to assume are filled with firework-making materials of an explosive character, or they would not be in a building with a fire in it. These receptacles represent the most modern development of the pyrotechnic art. Just take a dip into this barrel and bring out a little of its contents on the point of a knife and hold it in the dark part of that gas flame. It is arsenite of copper and sal ammoniac, and instantly the broad light of noon-day is overpowered with a blue glare that would have fairly astounded Friar Bacon, or the Heathen Chinee, or John Babington, or any other artist in fire of ancient days. We make another dive and bring out a little chlorate of baryta, and a dazzling outburst of green is the result when placed in the flame. Here is a barrel of sal ammoniac which is combined with color-giving substances to give depth and intensity. Another receptacle holds chlorate of potash, a source of oxygen gas, without a good supply of which neither fireworks nor those for whose enjoyment they are made can be expected to be very bright. Some of the coloring substances are very perilous. If, for instance, a little of a compound of nitrate of strontia and sulphur and potash—the source of the most vivid red color known to chemists—if a little of this should be left after a display at the Crystal Palace, it is always either fired or buried. It is too dangerous to attempt to store. All this branch of pyrotechny is of quite recent development. Forty or fifty years ago colored fireworks were unknown, or nearly so.

Perhaps the most delicate and interesting feature of modern firework-making is the charging of Roman candles—those colored balls which are puffed out softly into the air one after the other without any report, and which always are recognized as such a pretty feature of the Sydenham displays. The public like to see these balls thrown out with exactly an equal force so as to play just within the same sphere. In order to secure this, very careful adjustment is necessary. The fiery balls of color are little lumps of composition filled into the case, and separated from each other by a layer or "dark fire," a little charge of gunpowder being just underneath. It is this little charge of powder which blows them into the air, and if all the charges were alike, every ball would be thrown out a little farther than its predecessor, because the deeper down in case an explosion takes place the more violent it is, the resistance being greater. To obviate this, the charge of powder is made to increase as the tube is filled up. The workman who fills a Roman candle, therefore, has before him a series of little scoops of different sizes for measuring the powder, and uses them in succession, the smallest being used for the first ball put in, and the largest one for the ball at the mouth of the tube. The "dark fire" is a composition which only smoulders, and which, therefore, does not burn down to a second ball until the first has performed its graceful progress through the air. Of all fireworks the rocket is perhaps the most beautiful, and it certainly is the most curious in its structure. Some of the best of them are said to rise to a height of more than a third of a mile, and this amazing power of flight is secured by running in very tightly into the rocket-case a composition which burns fiercely, and generates gas very rapidly when once lighted, but which has only a very small vent for its fury at the lower end of the case. The gas generated inside rushes out with such violence against the air outside that the rocket is driven upwards by it, the tail of the comet consisting of the sparks of the fire burning within. Rocket making of course forms a large part of the work of any fire-work factory. In one shed the cases are being made; in another building sticks are being split up and rounded at the head so as to fit into the rocket-case. In a third all sorts of curious burdens are being prepared for the fiery messengers whose heads are holding chambers capable of holding "tail stars," comets, colored stars, golden rain, floating lights, and a score of other surprises when the rocket can rise no higher.

A Case not Beyond Help.

Dr. M. H. Hinsdale, Kenawee, Ill., advises us of a remarkable cure of consumption. He says: "A neighbor's wife was attacked with violent lung disease, and pronounced beyond help from quick consumption. As a last resort the family was persuaded to try Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs. To the astonishment of all, by the time she had used one half dozen bottles she was about the house doing her own work. I saw her at her worst and had no idea she could recover.

Watson's Neuralgia King.

This is one of the best remedies for Neuralgia ever invented. It is not a liniment, but it is a medicine to be taken internally, and cures by going right to the root of the disease. A lady who had tried many other things, without relief, tried Neuralgia King, and was immediately cured. We guarantee it in all cases, when used according to directions.

The quinine production of the world is estimated at from 250,000 to 260,000 lbs per year, as follows: Germany, 56,000 lbs; Holland, 45,000 lbs; France, 45,000 lbs; England, 27,000 lbs; America, 63,000 lbs; India, 12,250. Efforts are being made to acclimatize the cinchona in Italy, but the successful culture in India and Ceylon encourages the belief that it will grow wherever the soil is dry, the rainfall large and the climate temperate.

From Cleveland, Ohio.

Comes a letter signed T. Walker, saying: "About six months ago commenced taking Burdock Blood Bitters for protracted case of lumbago and general debility, and am now pleased to state have recovered my appetite and wonted strength. Feel better altogether.

The true girl has to be sought for. She may be in the parlor hammering a waltz out of the suffering piano; she may be in front of the bureau-glass admiring her hair; perhaps she's swinging on the front gate with a young man with a tender mustache; if not there, she is promenading the streets and flirting with a masher. O, you'll have to seek her. And after you find her, just say that her mother is washing the dishes and needs her assistance.

The Fast Young Man.

There has been so much said about the fast young lady, that it is time the fast young man took his share of the blessings.

Go where you will, and you will see a specimen of fast Young America. Ride in the car or stage, and at the most fashionable street corner our fast young man will get in, and finding the most comfortable seat, ensconce himself therein, and then look around to see if his appearance has produced the awe he expected. If a fashionably dressed young lady enters, how quick he springs up to offer her a seat. But let a poorly dressed woman get in, and he is very intent on watching something out of the window, and, of course, does not see her; while if he would always be polite to rich and poor, old and young, he might sometime have a fortune left him by a poorly dressed man or woman, as that seems to be the way fortunes are left now-a-days—in the newspapers.

Walk in the streets, and on every corner, holding up the buildings and lamp-posts, you will see quite a number of the fast young men; some mooning idiots making remarks about every lady that passes by. "That's a beauty." "Isn't that a bully girl." "I think she's some." These and similar expressions may be heard at almost any time, and uttered by respectable young men—they call themselves.

Go to the theatre, and in the gallery, and even in the opera-box, you will find him. He is here, there, and everywhere. Now daintily holding his opera-glass, he looks around the house, and if he sees any modest, shy-looking girl, stares her out of countenance. He is on familiar terms with the actresses and ballet girls, and even boasts of his intimacy with them.

After the play is over, he lounges around town, stopping here and there, and finally brings up at home about "five o'clock in the morning," sometime too gloriously drunk to find his own room, and at others, "only drunk enough to make me jolly, upon my honor."

He sleeps next morning until nearly noon, and then after freshly perfuming his hair, brushing his somewhat seedy hat, and giving a peculiar twist to his new necktie, sallies out to repeat the performance of the day before, only varied by attending a race or church now and then.

After a while, when his landlady becomes impatient for her rent, due six months or so, and when creditors come thick and fast upon him, he looks around in search of a wife. Be she young or old, homely or handsome, it makes no difference to him, if she has abundance of the needful cash. It is not for love he wants her, but to pay his wine, carriage, and other bills.

He proposes in the latest style. Papa consents. A rich trousseau is ordered from Paris, and they are married in style in a fashionable church, without any love-making on his part, and on her side she does not care for any. After marriage, he goes his way, she goes hers, and no questions are asked on either side. He has some one to pay his bills, and she has a husband to redeem her from the odium of being called an old maid.

After a year or two, they disagree, find out their "incompatibilty of temper," and in nine cases out of ten they get a divorce; she goes back to papa, and he goes in search of new fields to conquer, or perhaps, to break some poor girl's heart and then say, "Poor thing, I really couldn't help it. How can a fellow help being good-looking." No wonder that divorces are so frequent, with such ill-assorted marriages:

Such is a fashionable marriage,
They are well mated in life,
She's got a fool for a husband,
He's got a fool for a wife.

Nothing To Do.

Boarding-house life is responsible for a great deal of illness among women. I was recently brought in contact with a young couple whom I will call Smith. The wife spends her time doing fancy work, reading novels and making calls. The husband is a clerk, on a salary of twelve hundred dollars a year. They live up to every cent, with apparently no thought of the future. Mrs. Smith said once that she supposed she spent over a hundred dollars a year in worsteds, patterns, fancy braids gimps and the like. And she buys all her underclothes ready made, while a dressmaker is employed to make her dresses. She has a sewing-machine, which was a wedding present from a sensible uncle, but she never uses it. She has a piano, but can play only the most simple tunes, and she has a box of oil paints and a dozen or more brushes, but she has painted only a few shells and a small panel.

She is irretrievably lazy, and calls herself delicate. She never gets up out of bed until half past eight in the morning, and lies on the sofa certainly half of every day. If a visitor comes in, she monopolizes the conversation and invariably manages to lead it to the subject of physical ills. Her personal ailments is a subject of which she never tires. I believe that in the few weeks I spent in that hotel with her, I heard the history of every pain and ache which had ever visited her body or her imagination since childhood. Not an ache could be mentioned by any one that she had not had, only in a more aggravated form.

When her husband comes home her method of entertaining him is to describe at length every particular pain she imagines she has felt during the day. He loves her now, and is very attentive and kind; but how much longer will his patience endure? How much longer will he submit quietly to hearing the tedious details of her headaches, backaches, neuralgia, sideaches, rheumatism, etc.? Even now he sometimes looks a little bored and weary as she begins the same old plaint as soon as he enters the room. He knows quite well—for he is a man of good common sense—that for the most part it is only in her imagination that she suffers. She forgets all her aches and pains very quickly if there is any project for amusement or fun.

As it is, she is a burden to herself and a bore to her acquaintances. Of real friends she has none; how can such a woman gain affection and esteem?

Called to Preach.

We feel called upon to preach a few gospel facts—facts that are worth knowing. We want everybody to enjoy all that is possible in this world. We want all those who are suffering from rheumatism, neuralgia and all aches, sprains and pains to know that Thomas' Eclectric Oil is an unfailing and splendid cure.

When a woman leaves a man who has not earned his salt for years, he advertises that he will pay no debts of her making.

It is unlawful in Massachusetts to keep a drinking bar in any place not visible from a public street, and screens and other obstructions to the view are prohibited, as well as any arrangement of bottles and casks to effect the same purpose. This law is strictly enforced in Boston, where in many instances the bars had to be removed to front rooms, and windows cut through the walls. One paper speaking of the liquor trade, says the law has not lessened the sales at all. At first there was a slight hesitancy on the part of some drinkers, but that passed away, and the general result was to make the traffic more open and respectable.

As when She was Young.

"I have used Parker's Hair Balsam and like it better than any similar preparation I know of," writes Mrs. Ellen Perry, of Goldbrook Springs, Mass. "My hair was almost entirely gray, but a dollar bottle of the Balsam has restored the softness, and the brown color it had when I was young—not a single gray hair left. Since I began applying the Balsam my hair has stopped falling out, and I find that it is a perfectly harmless and agreeable dressing."

It is said that Green Lake in Colorado has the highest elevation of any lake in the world. Its surface is 10,252 feet above the level of the sea. Pine forests surround it, and eternal snow decks the neighboring mountain tops. One of these, Gray's Peak, has an altitude of 14,341 feet. The water of Green Lake is clear as crystal, and very large rock masses and a petrified forest are distinctly to be seen at the bottom. The branches of the trees are of a dazzling whiteness as though cut in marble

Daughters, Wives and Mothers.

We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a Female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflamation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhœa, besides many weaknesses springing from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Prices $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

A straightforward boy returning from school at the end of the week handed to his father his weekly report. "So, my son, you stand number twenty-seven in your class. How many does your class contain?" "Twenty-seven, sir," was the son's reply, and the father admired his frankness. The following week the report placed the lad number twenty-nine. "How is this? I thought there were only twenty-seven in the class," inquired the father. "Ah, sir, two new boys came in this week."

We All Believe

That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

In 1565 there was buried at Bengal, India, a man named Cugua, who claimed to be 350 years of age. The oldest person who died during the present century was a Frenchman, in Paris, named Jean Golembeski, who was 126 years old. A man named David Kurnison died in Chicago in 1851, who claimed to be 116 years old.

We Know All

That water never runs up hill; that liars are not better than they look, and the better after dark; that it is better to be right than to be left; that those who take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic never have dyspepsia, costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples, ague and malarria diseases, poor appetite, low spirits, headache or diseases of Kidneys and Bladder. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

From London to Yokohama, Japan, via Suez canal, 11,509 miles; from London to Yokohama, via Pacific railroad, 10,000 miles; from London to Shanghae, via Suez canal, 10,469 miles; from London to Shanghae, via Pacific railroad, 11,005 miles; New York to Yokohama, via Suez canal, 13,959 miles; New York to Yokohama, via Pacific railroad, 7,520 miles; New York to Shanghae, via Suez canal, 12,919 miles; New York to Shanghae, via Pacific railroad, 8,555 miles; New York to Melbourne, via Suez canal, 13,200 miles; New York to Melbourne, via Pacific railroad, 10,300 miles.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

Very few men acquire wealth in such a manner as to receive substantial pleasure from it. Just as long as there is the enthusiasm of the chase, they enjoy it, but when they begin to look around and think of settling down, they find that that part by which joys enters is dead within them.

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Italian Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty, druggists.

There is a man in St. Louis who has a wonderful memory. It is thought the city will eventually employ him to remember the Sabbath.

All family medicine chests should contain, at least one 25 cent bottle of Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup, for sudden colds, croup and other lung difficulties.

The less a man thinks or knows about his virtues the better we like him

"We are selling at the rate of three doz. bottles of Baker's Japanese Liniment a week." Pegg & Wilson, Druggists, Morenci, Mich.

A PAPER FOR THE TIMES.

The CHICAGO DAILY NEWS is the pioneer of cheap journalism in the West.

It was founded Dec. 20, 1875, as an evening paper with editions at noon, 3 and 5 o'clock. A complete newspaper,—complete in the one essential feature of American journalism, *i. e.*, presenting *all the news*,—sold on the street at any price less than the conventional nickel, was an innovation in western journalism, and, like all new enterprises, the "cheap paper" had to contend with long established custom and even prejudice before securing the recognition it sought and deserved. At the end of the first year, 1876, it had achieved a daily sale ranging from 8,000 to 10,000 copies. From this time forward its progress was beyond all precedent in American journalism. In 1877 its average daily circulation was 22,037 copies; in 1878, 38,314 copies; in 1879, 45,194 copies; in 1880, 54,891 copies. On the morning of March 21, 1881, the CHICAGO MORNING NEWS made its first appearance. In September following, the *sixth* month of its publication, its circulation amounted to 490,019 copies, or a daily average of 18,846 copies,—a circulation never before attained by any daily paper in the United States, within a corresponding time.

The CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, therefore, as now published, consists of MORNING, NOON, and EVENING issues, known respectively as the MORNING NEWS, NOON NEWS, and EVENING NEWS. The average combined circulation of the three issues of the DAILY NEWS now exceeds 90,000 copies each day. To appreciate the exceptional extent of this vast circulation it is only necessary to state that it is over three times the circulation of *any other daily paper in Chicago or the West*, while its circulation *in the city of Chicago* is GREATER than ALL other Chicago daily papers COMBINED. Being an independent paper, the organ of no party, sect, or class, it is the one universally read Chicago paper. The subscription price of the DAILY NEWS, either MORNING or EVENING issue, is $6.00 per year, or $2.00 for four months, postage included.

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The phenomenal success of the CHICAGO NEWS in both its DAILY and WEEKLY ISSUES has been achieved by observing that fundamental principle of offering the best article of its kind in the market at the lowest cost to the purchaser. The CHICAGO NEWS is cheap only in price. The character of its news service is unsurpassed. It is a member of the Western Associated Press, and in addition to the unrivalled news service furnished by this Association, it enjoys the exceptional advantage of its own special telegraphic wire from Chicago to Washington and New York on the East, and to Milwaukee and St. Paul on the North. Giving all the news through reportorial and telegraphic facilities unsurpassed by those of any other Chicago paper, it commends itself to all classes in the community, to rich and poor alike, in that it offers an absolutely complete record of the news of the day in concise form, without the needless verbiage and amplification which render so many metropolitan journals "a weariness to the flesh," while its price brings it within the reach of all classes. It is a paper for the times.

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Mr. Philip Moore, of West Webster, Monroe Co., N. Y., says: "My daughter, now eighteen years old, has for the past eighteen months been afflicted with Rheumatism in a very severe form. One year ago it settled in the knee, since which time she has been unable to touch her foot to the floor or move her limb without suffering the most excruciating pain. Her limb was fast growing out of shape, although we were doing for her all we could, having used all the remedies we could here of and that were recommended for rheumatism, none of which benefited her in the least. Her case was pronounced incurable by the physician and our neighbors, and all believed that she would be a cripple all her days, and that her limb would never be restored to its original shape. But I am happy to say that to-day my daughter is entirely free from all Rheumatic pains, and that she can walk with perfect ease, having thrown aside her crutches, and her limb seems as strong and perfect as ever; all from the use of your wonderful medicine, "Rheumatic Syrup" which we consider one of the best medicines ever introduced for purifying the blood, and I only regret that all others who are afflicted with rheumatism cannot know of its superior merits. You are at liberty to use my name if it will do you any good, and I shall be only too glad to tell any and every one what it has done for my daughter. I am gratefully yours.

PHILLIP MOORE.

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all absorbing topic of interest. On the one side is arrayed one hundred million dollars capital, and on the other ten thousand intelligent men and women fighting for their rights. The public heart must sympathize with the strikers.

"Under a properly adjusted tariff," remarks the editor of a postoffice in Ohio, "we should not import a pound of wool." Quite likely, but the tariff would have to be prohibitory; and in that case, many branches of American manufacturers would have to be discontinued, for they require varieties of wool that are not and cannot be grown in this country.

Our inventors seem to have gone wild on the subject of electricity.—This is now the largest division in the Patent Office, and two thousand applications were entered there last year, about two-thirds of which were granted. There are but few of these patents, however, of much practical value, and the prospect of a cheaper light is not very encouraging.

Anything refreshing is peculiarly acceptable in this weather, and a young man from Kalamazoo has contributed a cooling breeze. He boarded a west-bound train on the Michigan Central in company with a buxom lass who blushed carmine and looked foolishly happy. Standing in the aisle the young man said, with a joyous pride that illuminated the darkest corner in the car: "Ladies and gentlemen, this is my wife, Mrs. Heuffer. Ain't she a daisy?" The delighted auditors heartily concurred, and the couple took a seat, sharing between them a smile that would have served for a calcium light. Mr. Heuffer believes in unbottled felicity, and the chances are that he will get through life without losing any flesh in apprehensive worry over the loyalty of his daisy.

One of the most glaring evils of the new tariff law is that the home manufacturer is still taxed and in some cases is compelled to pay an increase tax on his raw material. As is inevitable the tax clings to the commodity he produces through all the processes of manufacture, increasing the cost of production, and finally falling upon the consumer. The result is, as current experience demonstrates, when the home market is glutted the manufacturer is prevented by the tariff from disposing of his goods in foreign markets, and before he can resume production he is obliged to wait until the home demand exhausts the oversupply. To tax the raw material of the manufacturer is therefore the worst possible folly, and yet the new tariff law raised the tax on iron ore and bituminous coal about fifty per cent., and increased it on many other articles. In this regard the effect of the law is to cripple American manufacturers.

In these dull times platform making seems to be a favorite amusement with many of the newspapers. This from the Jackson Patriot is as good as any we have seen lately:

1. The strictest economy in the administration of the government.
2. The equal civil and political rights of all men.
3. No bounties, subsidies, or special privileges, shall be voted or granted to any interests.
4. A tariff for revenue in contradistinction to a tariff for protection.
5. A genuine reform of the civil service, whereby honesty, ability and faithfulness shall be the sole tests of continuance therein.
6. Opposition to all forms of monopoly.
7. Supervision of railroad tariffs and traffic by a national commission, to the end that unjust discrimination and extortions may be prevented.
8. No further grants of public lands to railroad or other corporations, and the absolute forfeiture by congress of all unearned grants as soon as possible.
9. Bribery in elections to be punished by the perpetual disfranchisement of both the buyers and sellers of votes.
10. Taxation so adjusted as to meet all requirements of the government, but not to leave a surplus for distribution among the states or to be squandered upon worthless objects.
11. Election of United States senators by the popular vote of the people of the several states.
12. Government of the people, by the people, for the people, as against government of the people by, and for the benefit of corporations.
13. The union of the states, inviolable and indissoluble forever.

ALUMNI HISTORY.

BY LUELLA WARING.

In preparing for your amusement and delectation this, the seventh paper of the Alumni History, I have labored under various difficulties; lack of a natural ability for historical writing; no acquaintance with the persons to be epitomized; insufficient time to devote to the matter; wherefore I beg that you will listen very leniently and I will make haste to find the end.

To those herein mentioned—I have no doubt omitted much that would be complimentary as well as entertaining. I regret exceedingly that I had no time to enter into a correspondence with each one.

John V. Voree after leaving Tecumseh went to Ann Arbor where he was graduated; thence he removed to Arlington, Va., at which place his father was living. His whereabouts at this time I have been unable to ascertain.

Isaac Adams was graduated from the literary department of our state university, and was then principal of the Bay City schools for one year; literary to his own advancement he spent fourteen months traveling in Germany, and a year in this country. He then studied law and was admitted to the bar, the firm of Sears & Adams, being known in Chicago for about two years. At present Mr. Adams is a teacher in the commercial department in the schools of Omaha, Neb., he also edits a paper, published in the interests of the school and has contributed a number of scholarly articles to it.

Wm. E. Burtless, upon leaving the Tecumseh schools, in 1870, went to Ann Arbor, where he was graduated from the medical college. He married a daughter of Dr. Hamilton, of this place. She died soon after. He married again and is now practicing medicine at Midland, Midland county, in the northern part of this state, where report says he is doing a thriving business.

Philander H. Adams was a member of the class of '71, under the professorship of H. M. Fish. He soon entered a business college, in Ohio, whence he was graduated. He is now in Topeka—he is the owner of a splendid farm which he manages in connection with the large landed estate left by his deceased brother.

Willis Merritt was born in this township in 1854. He entered the high school at the beginning of the fall term of 1865, and was graduated June 1871. Mr. Merritt was graduated from the Michigan university law school in March, 1874, and has been engaged in the law business in this village and at the city of Adrian ever since. He is now at home in this village, having returned recently from a trip to Texas.

A card addressed to Mrs. Libbie Spahr elicited the following: "Libbie L. Cook after graduating at Tecumseh spent one year at Adrian college. She was married June 10, 1875, to Rev. S. K. Spahr, of the Methodist Protestant church. She has presided over a manse at Mechanicsburg, Dayton and Springfield in Ohio, and Adrian in this state. She has been actively engaged in religious work all these years—especially identified with the woman's missionary work of the M. P. church. She was corresponding secretary of the Ohio conference branch of the W. F. M. S., for a term of years. She represented the branch in the general society which met in Pittsburg, Pa., 1881. She is now the president of the Michigan branch of the W. F. M. S. She is the mother of two children, a girl six years old and a boy of three months. She has many virtues among which is that of modesty, which made it necessary for me to write this history.—S. K. Spahr."

Miss Ella Fulton left our high school in 1871; she then went to Binghampton, N. Y., where she was graduated, and immediately commenced teaching in the school. After three years she removed to Norwich, N. Y., where she has since remained. She spends her summers at the Thousand Isles or at Brooklyn, N. Y. A large part of her time has been devoted to painting and music, in which she has made great proficiency. In the language of another, "A splendid girl if she is my niece."

J. Raynor Lilley after leaving school in 1872 became book-keeper in a crockery house at Toledo, and was there during a period of eight years. He was in New York City a year in the interests of the Fairbank's Scale Co., then at Adrian a year as manager of a paper mill, for which company he is now secretary at Cleveland, Ohio.—He was married to Miss Daniels, of Buffalo last October.

Elbert Tripp, after graduation was identified with the lumber interests of Franklin, he being manager of a saw mill in that place. He is married and is now engaged in teaching school winters and traveling for some agency summers.

After June, 1872, Leon J. Dutton was engaged for two or three years in Mr. Drew's hardware store; he then clerked a year in the dry goods house of A. Richard. In 1875 the Peoples' Bank was started and he at once assumed a position there which he retained till the failure in 1882. From here he went to Chicago, remaining a year, thence to Cleveland only staying there six weeks. At this time Maj. Fitzsimmons offered him the position of private secretary, which he accepted and is now in C. A.

In 1873 a class of five was graduated. Henry C. Wilson, of Ridgeway, is a member of this class. After leaving Tecumseh he taught a term in a district school at what is known as 'Pickerel Hill.' He then went to Ypsilanti, remaining there four years, and completing the Cl. course in 1878. He immediately began teaching in the vicinity of Ridgeway. He was afterwards principal in the school at Petersburg. Then following the advice of that sage, H. Greeley, he "went west," and was for a time superintendent of the schools at Osceola, Iowa. Finding, like many another, that Michigan was a very good state in which to live, he returned and is now located at Blissfield, teaching "the young idea how to shoot." From the Educational News I note the following:—"It is proper here to state that the "West side" school is in a flourishing condition, and that the average standing of the pupils is excellent, showing efficient work on the part of Prof. Wilson, and the faithful teachers in the several departments."—Blissfield Advance. While at Ypsilanti he was president of Michigan State Normal Lyceum one term.

Albertus E. Palmer is now a prosperous wholesale furniture dealer of Reading, Mich. Three of the ten years which have elapsed since he left Tecumseh were spent in the State Normal School, leaving there in 1876. He then assumed the charge of the Reading public schools, holding that position until 1879, when he resigned and devoted himself to his present business.

Miss Minnie Hunt, now Mrs. J. W. Robinson, since leaving school in 1873, has been engaged in teaching.—For the past 5 years she has been in Manchester in the grammer department. She was married last March to Prof. J. W. Robinson, of the Manchester school. She writes that much of her time outside of school has been spent in study and hopes that she has advanced not retrograded in scholarship. She also sends "grateful thanks to Alma Mater and kindest regards to Alumni." It is also proper to state that she holds the only first grade certificate granted to a lady in Washtenaw county.

THE BALL GAME AT HUDSON.

The Hudson papers speak thus of the base ball game between our club and the Chaffs at Hudson on Thursday of last week.

The Gazette says: "The Chaffs laid out the Blissfield nine last Friday 14 to 8. But they were fared to a reverse themselves yesterday, the Tecumseh coming over and waxing them, 17 to 8. This is the first defeat the Chaffs have sustained this season. The boys must learn to brook such. The matter is a tie now, the Chaffs having beaten the Tecumsehs on the Fourth. The decisive game is yet to be played between the two clubs."

The Post says: The Tecumseh people chartered a car (single decker) attached it to a freight train, and sent a base ball club (stuffed with professionals) to this place yesterday to play the "Chaffs." The car load arrived in good shape, with plenty of muscle, assurance and skill, and at one o'clock commenced to demolish the home club. Our boys were not feeling as well as usual, and only succeeded in making eight tallies to seventeen by the Tecumsehs. It was a difficult thing for the visitors to get into the car when ready to depart, they were so puffed up with the success of their day's sport. They were a gentlemanly lot of fellows, however, if they were too much for us.

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V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.

DANIEL TODD, M.D.

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"Yes, and the worst of this beer drinking business is that it gets up kidney troubles, as a heavy wind raises the waves, added a city physician, who had a knowledge of the times and a tendency to metaphor. "The midnight 'schooner' leaves behind it a wake of furred tongues, headache, torpid livers, nausea, and all that, and lays the foundation of Bright's Disease."

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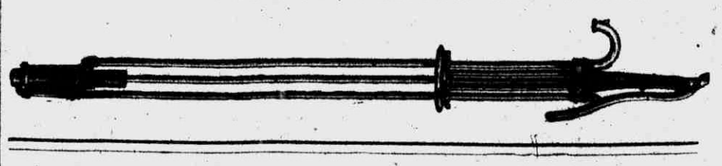

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway company that a meeting of said stockholders will be held in the city of Marshall, Michigan, on Sept. 11th, 1883, at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of considering and acting upon the agreement of the directors of each company to consolidate the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company and the Toledo & Michigan Railway Company, and to give said stockholders an opportunity to vote thereon.
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July 23d, 1883. **J. H. CLARK.**

It rained last Tuesday.

Miss Dora Keyser is visiting friends in Cleveland and Sandusky.

We are enabled to give our readers the alumni history this week.

Portland will soon have a telephone connection with Lansing.

Miss Jessie Van Court, of Detroit, is visiting the Misses De Wolf.

W. W. Frazier has purchased the law library formerly owned by W. R. Wooden.

Prof. Donald Maclean, of Ann Arbor, paid Tecumseh a brief business visit yesterday.

Sheriff Bidwell was shaking hands on the streets of Tecumseh yesterday between showers.

The canvassers are getting along finely with the Tecumseh directory. We expect to begin work upon it next week.

Five Mutual Union men have been arrested for cutting trees in the Hudson Cemetery while repairing the telegraph lines.

Prof. Wilson of the west side Blissfield school is spending his vacation at his old home in Ridgeway. He will return to Blissfield next September.

The Quaker church burned a few months ago at Hanover, Jackson Co., will be replaced by one of brick, the foundations of which are already lain.

The new addition to Slayton & Son's warehouse is now fully completed and occupied. It makes a very substantial addition to the business houses of the village.

S. H. Merritt, of Cadillac, arrived in town last week and remained until yesterday. He and his family are in good health and find Cadillac a congenial home.

A note from Elliott Gray says that he arrived at Sligo, after a fine run of seven days and four hours on the City Rome. Found all the folks well and lots of orders for flour on hand.

Eli Perkins and Sojourner Truth met, the other day, and the Troy Times cruelly remarks that "it is the first time that Eli and truth ever came so near each other."

The huckleberry and snake crop of the state are said to be remarkably large, and as the two generally go together the prospects for berrying parties this year are unusually exhilarating.

Last week an extra telephone line was strung between Tecumseh and Adrian, which will be used for our business to Adrian and Toledo. The increased business to Toledo made this second line a necessity.

Record: Glad to make a note of it. Ald. Stearns blossomed out this morning in a new full-dress salvation army blue suit. Yes, "while the lamp holds out to burn, the vilest sinner may return," or words to that effect.

We have recently noticed some crayon portraits, furnished by C. A. Thatcher, of Tiffin, O., of several of our citizens, and pronounce them the finest ever brought to Tecumseh. We cheerfully recommend his work.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 26, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Pay your taxes.

Ionia county is to have a new court house.

The pay car went over the branch last Tuesday.

Miss Stella Cleveland is visiting friends in Dundee.

Jim Cole is ready to receive your corporation taxes.

C. E. Field of the Clinton News paid us a visit Tuesday.

Hay fever victims will soon start for Northern Michigan.

The Ypsilanti club play our boys a game of ball this afternoon.

The chaps who broke out of the Cero jail evidently had outside help.

A. W. Smith, of Adrian, rained into our sanctum last Tuesday afternoon.

A new bridge over the Raisin at Deerfield is contemplated. It is needed.

C. A. Blackmar has put a bran new stage on the Tecumseh and Cambridge route.

Dr. Vaughn, of Springville, takes in the Evening News excursion this week.

The new steps add very much to the appearance of the Episcopal church.

Patrick Hastings, of Philadelphia, is visiting his brother John in this village.

The M. & O. depot in Cambridge has been located on the farm of Granville Lyman.

There will be a special examination of teachers at Dean's opera house in Adrian, Aug. 18th.

Hughes & Ward failed to appear in Tecumseh last Sunday, but will be here next Sunday sure.

Five more days remain in which you can save two per cent. by paying your corporation taxes.

Wm. Totten started last Monday for Petoskey. He was accompanied by his neice, Miss Etta Rowland.

Sylvester Smith, of Saginaw, who formerly resided here, is visiting his Tecumseh acquaintances this week.

Crowell Eddy, of Franklin, has a heifer which tipped the scales at 110 pounds when only two days old.

There will be an inspection of Co. C next Monday evening at the armory, at 7:30. All members are requested to be present.

The Arnold Bros. made 1700 loaves of bread last week, using Heck's new roller pastry flour. They pronounce the flour A. 1.

Mrs. Prichard and her daughter Fannie started last week for Lawrence, Kansas, for a few weeks visit at Charles Strongs.

Willis Merritt walked down town this morning. He has gained seven pounds in weight during the past few days and is gaining finely.

If anything will stimulate the small boy to a renewed attack upon the green apple it is the fact that the stamp has been taken off of paregoric.

We acknowledge the receipt from Col. Rogers of a catalogue of the Michigan Military Academy for 1883. The academy is in a flourishing condition.

J. A. Latcha, Chief Engineer of the M. & O. road was in Toledo on Monday. He went through to Marshall on Tuesday and is expected here the last of the week.

A loan and exchange office is talked of at Blissfield. Kind of a board of trade, where anything from a collar button to a bonanza mine may be loaned or swapped.

The Arnold Bros. took one barrel of cider, one hundred pounds of bologna and three hundred loaves of bread to the west railroad gang this morning. What under the sun do the men want of so much bread?

Deerfield Record: Deerfield takes the cake as the sporting town of the county. Class ball shoots and bowery dances every Saturday afternoon and night, with base ball games and horse races sandwiched in through the week, makes times lively.

John Miller, a former resident of Tecumseh, has been spending a few days among the old familiar scenes.—He settled in this township in 1830 on the farm now owned by F. C. Rector. He was town clerk fifteen years and afterwards county clerk.

Saline Observer: Perhaps very few citizens in the county are aware that there are twenty-eight postoffices in Washtenaw county. There are two postoffices in Saline township; two in Bridgewater; one in Pittsfield, and four in York, the banner township in the county as regards the number of postoffices.

Brooklyn Exponent: Norman Townsend being confronted with the idea that it was a pretty good law that gave a man 160 acres out in Dakota if he would live on it five years, replied: "No such thing. The government gets a man there, and then bets him a quarter section against nothing that he'll starve to death if he tries to live there five years. And Uncle Sam wins nine times in ten."

Lavern Ide returned home from Detroit last night on a short visit.

E. H. Merritt was shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends this week.

The telegraph strike will develop into a first-class nuisance if it lasts much longer.

There was a lively set-to at Addison last Monday in which three Italian laborers on the M. & O. road were stabbed.

The Ypsilanti base ball club play our team here at 4 o'clock to-day, and will play Clinton on our grounds to-morrow (Friday) at 4 o'clock P.M.

Over one hundred self-binders of the various makes have been sold by Tecumseh agents this season. It has been a good season for binders certainly.

Hughes and Ward will lecture at the opera house Sunday July 29, at three o'clock P.M. These gentlemen were announced for last Sunday, but could not meet the engagement.

About 80,000 pounds of wool have been purchased in this market this season by E. G. Cook and Hanford & Anthony. There is considerable wool unsold in the hands of the farmers.

The village Council have purchased a No. 7 Detroit safe for the use of the Recorder to keep the village papers and records. A very safe investment, and something the village has long needed.

The Bay City B. B. club will probably play the Tecumseh nine at Tecumseh, Aug. 8. The Bay City club belong to the Northwestern League, and James Tray, whom many of our people remember, is catching for them.

John W. Mason, the efficient manager of the Adrian telephone exchange has been promoted to district manager. He will have charge of all lines between Manchester and Adrian, and Coldwater and Blissfield. He deserves his promotion.

C. H. Adams, at the Sand Lake Hotel will entertain the Manchester brass band Aug. 5th, and will have sail boats and other accommodations for the entertainment of guests on that day. Why would it not be a good day to go to the lakes?

"A GREAT DEAL OF FUN FOR A DOLLAR."

Last Thursday our base ball team went to Hudson to play the return game with the Chaffs, of that place. As a number of our people wished to go over and see the game a special car was chartered and started out in the morning well filled with people who desired a day's pleasure and were interested in base ball. A pleasant day was enjoyed by everyone, and the party returned on the evening train well pleased with everything and particularly with the score which was 17 to 8 in favor of Tecumseh. Our boys played splendidly and were altogether too much for the Chaffs. For want of space we cannot give a detailed account of the game. Either Hudson does not take much interest in base ball, or something else was the matter, for very few Hudson people came out to see the game, and the gate receipts in all did not amount to ten dollars. Conductor Stevens and Brakeman Kennedy conducted the exercises in splendid shape. Each station was called promptly and distinctly and everybody had "a great deal of fun for a dollar."

DETROIT ART LOAN EXHIBITION.

In view of the fact that excursions at reduced rates are to be run from here to Detroit next fall, for the accommodation of those desiring to attend the Detroit Art Loan Exhibition, an outline of this ambitious enterprise will be apropos. Briefly stated, over two hundred of the leading citizens of that city, have for months been perfecting arrangements for the holding of a grand art exposition during the months of September and October of this year.

A temporary brick building (to be torn down as soon as the exhibition is over) containing 26 rooms and costing over $15,000, has been erected.—The structure contains over 2,400 running feet of wall room and is built upon the plan of the Centennial art annex. Each room has its own skylight and will be lighted at night by electricity. Over a thousand paintings of the highest artistic merit, together with an unusually large collection of other exhibits, selected because of their illustrating the artistic principle, will be displayed. Price of admission has been fixed at 25 cents, and the exhibition will be open from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. for 52 consecutive days beginning September 1st. It is proposed to run two excursions from every town of any size, upon each of the twelve lines of transportation centering in Detroit, one during September and another in October. A meeting of General Passenger Agents will arrange rates, which will probably be half rates for the round trip and include a coupon of admission to the Detroit Art Loan. It is intended to interest churches or societies in making up these excursions by offering them a margin upon tickets sold. Particulars can be learned by addressing, with stamp, Detroit Art Loan Association, room 46, Moffat Block, Detroit, Mich.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

A Two Weeks Session to be Held at Tecumseh, Aug. 6th to Aug. 17th.

The State Teachers' Institute for Lenawee County will be held this year at Tecumseh, commencing on Monday, Aug. 6th, and closing on Friday, Aug. 17th. The superintendent of public instruction has issued the following circular giving a few items of interest connected with the institute.

It is becoming a well established fact that an interchange of views such as is given in these Institutes, is of great practical benefit to those who attend them. The teachers that are found in the front ranks of their profession are generally those who take interest enough in their work to avail themselves of such means of improvement.

The institute law, as amended by the last Legislature, allows teachers, whose schools are in session at the time appointed for the County Institute, held under the direction of the State Superintendent to close their schools during the continuance of such Institute, without forfeiting their wages for as many half-days as they are in attendance at the Institute. This removes a cause that has prevented many teachers from attending these Institutes in the past; and in view of the inducements of self-improvement thus furnished by the law, County Examiners and School Boards will both exercise wisdom and practice by giving preference to those teachers, other things being equal, who seek all such means better to prepare themselves for the work of their profession.

It is designed to make the work in these institutes as practical as possible and thus meet the wants of the teachers of all grades in their every day work. At the same time it will be the purpose of every worker to raise the standard of the profession of teaching, and to gain for it that dignity to which it is entitled. Especial attention will be given to such subjects as have been recently added to the list of those in which teachers are required to pass examination before obtaining certificates. The exercises will be conducted by persons of extended experience, known ability, and eminent success.

The morning and afternoon sessions will be devoted to the discussion of topics of particular interest to teachers, while the evening lectures will be of a popular character.

There will be no tuition or enrollment fee. Full particulars in regard to board, etc., may be obtained upon application to the local committee.

Prof. Hammond of this village, Secretary of the county board of examiners has sent the following notification to the teachers of the county, which gives still further details in regard to the work to be done.

TECUMSEH, Mich., July 21, 1883.

To the Teachers of Lenawee Co:

Arrangements have been made for holding the Teacher's Institute for this county at Tecumseh, beginning August 6th, and continuing in session for to two weeks, or until the 17th inclusive, under the direction of Prof. I. N. Demmon of the University. Prof. Demmon will be assisted in the work by A. E. Curtis of Adrian High School, and D. A. Hammond of Tecumseh. The change from an institute of one week to one occupying two full weeks, will, we think, be greatly advantageous to all concerned. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of the teachers of the county, and that all will feel free to take part in the discussions. The institute will be divided into sections and as thorough review as possible will be made of all the common branches. Teachers will please bring any text books that they may have at hand. Lectures upon the professional work will be given by the conductor before the whole institute.

A certificate will be given every teacher attending the institute showing the number of half days attendance, and the Board of Examiners upon the presentation of the same, will allow a credit of one per cent. on the average, for every full days attendance.

Your attention is also called to Sec. 4; p. 5, of the amended school laws, which provides that teachers who close their schools to attend the institute shall not forfeit their wages during the time they are in attendance. In order that arrangements may be made for their accommodation, it is desired that all who can attend should notify the Secretary at Tecumseh on or before Aug. 1st.

Please remember that the institute will be organized on Monday, Aug. 6th, at 9 A.M., and that it will not close until Friday evening, Aug. 17th.

August 18th there will be a special public examination of teachers at Dean's Opera House, Adrian.

D. A. HAMMOND,
Secretary Board of Examiners.

We expect to be able to publish the program in full next week.

Adrian Record: The Tecumseh HERALD asks, "what is a Mother Hubbard wrapper?" We can't say exactly, but there is no harm in worshiping it; it isn't in the image of anything that was ever made, and therefore does not come within the scriptural prohibition. It looks like one of Hogan's balloons, after three-fourths of the gas has leaked out, and by careful poking around a woman may very often be found inside of it.

The new armory of Co. C, in Slayton & Son's building is a model of convenience. The main drill room is large enough, and the two ante-rooms for cupboards and other furniture are just what was needed. We doubt whether a company in the first regiment has a better armory.

Mr. Albert Bath, of England, during his recent visit here left for our perusal a copy of the Mark Lane Express, which is the highest authority in England upon the grain trade and agricultural topics. It is an immense paper in more senses than one.

Some farmers complain that their wheat is growing in the shock.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

This storm will make the farmers look blue.

Morenci is afflicted with the clearing out sale.

The Morenci Exchange has received a new coat of paint.

The threshing machine will now begin to put in its work.

Building is rapidly progressing in the burnt district of Deerfield.

Clinton is adopting the fashion of tearing away the door yard fences.

A movement is on foot at Adrian to give a benefit concert to Miss Della Parinton.

Port Smith, of Clinton, lost a valuable horse last week by the bursting of a blood vessel.

A public ball and festival will be held to-morrow evening for the benefit of the Adrian band.

John Smith & Son and B. O. Randall, of Clinton, import their crockery direct from England.

The Deerfield Record says the force of men who run the Monroe branch passenger train, are known as the linen duster gang.

The recent rains have softened the soil of wheat fields to such an extent that the cradle will take the place of the binder in many places.

The Carpenter family of Blissfield had a happy reunion in that village on Wednesday of last week, which was the 80th birthday of the reverend Joseph Carpenter. 'Tis a half century since he came to Blissfield.

Hudson Post: D. W. Kennedy went from Morenci to the eastern market with a shipment of hogs, from which he realized $905.45. On the way home he met a couple of three-card monte men, who scooped in his pile.

Morenci Observer: During the entire existence of the prohibitory law in this state, covering a period of 23 years, the little village of Canandaigua, had from two to four saloons, and none whatever since the enactment of the tax law.

Deerfield Record: Deerfield takes the cake as the sporting town of the county. Glass ball shoots and bowery dances every Saturday afternoon and night, with base ball games and horse races sandwiched in through the week, make lively times.

Adrian Times: There has now been received at the industrial home for girls, 134 candidates for reform, in all. Of these two have been returned as they were not sent under proper circumstances, two have died, eleven are on ticket of leave, and 119 are now in the institution.

Blissfield Advance: Frank Dent attempted to board the caboose of a moving train Sunday afternoon when he was swung around, his head striking the brake-rod and throwing him backward on the track. He was stunned by the fall, and lay unconscious until picked up by friends and carried into the station, where he soon revived. It was said too much tangle-leg was the cause of the young man's mishap.

Hudson Post: A wagon containing a historical load went from Hudson to Rollin a few days ago, it being nothing more or less than the safe which Billy Treadwell robbed many years ago when it was in the bank. When it was replaced at the bank with a better article, it was taken to the store of Eaton Bros., where it has been in use up to the present time, and has now been transferred to Rollin, where it has been placed in the store of Geo. Rice.

The Observer "puts it to 'em" on the telephone question as follows: When will Morenci be able to put its aggregated ear, as it were to a receiver and hear the subdued yet clear tones of the telephonically universal "hello?" Nearly every town in the county has readily accessible communication with all parts of the state. We would like to see a telephone agitation started at once—such as would result in the construction of a line. What say you, men of business?

Adrian Record: We have heard of two or three accidents from teams running away with reapers. One occurred Friday, the team becoming scared at the Wabash train, when the driver, a boy, was seriously injured. Another occurred Saturday near Holloway's. Wesley Smith, of this city, has an invention of his own, that if it was attached to reapers and mowers no such accidents could occur. The Smith attachment should be adopted by all reaper and mower manufacturers.

Degolyer Post G. A. R. of Hudson, will hold a picnic at Devils Lake on Wednesday, August 1st. Tecumseh, Adrian, Waldron, and Hillsdale posts will all be represented, and it is hoped each post will turn out in full numbers. A speaker will be selected from each post, and a general good time and grand basket picnic will be enjoyed. Degolyer post not only invites all the posts, but all old soldiers and their families and friends to participate and assist in making the occasion one of general pleasure and profit. It is expected that an organization will be formed and arrangements be made for holding annual picnics in the future.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Dundee Reporter: The line for the new railroad seems still to be an unsettled question. During the past week surveyors have been engaged in levelling and perfecting the line recently run passing just west of village limits. The line strikes the T. & A. A. road at Monroe Junction, running thence to Toledo beside that road. An agent of the company has also been here during the week endeavoring to effect the purchase of the three pieces of right of way upon the old line for which Agent Scovill failed to make satisfactory terms at time of making other purchases. Their purchase was not effected. We shall see what we shall see before long.

Battle Creek Republican: The gravel train on the T. & M. road now makes its headquarters at this city, and is at work in this vicinity levelling and grading the roadbed.

Homer Index: Laborers are at work sinking a large well near the crossing of Hillsdale and Fulton sts., for the M. & O.

Marshall Statesman: The ballasting gangs on the M. & O. are all at work and the track is being rapidly straightened up. Where the work is completed the road rides as smoothly as the best trunk line in the country, and the company may justly be proud of the line.

The water tank being built for the M. & O. railroad at Battle Creek is 16 feet high and 24 feet in diameter. Its capacity is 1600 barrels.

The Raisin Valley Reunion Association will hold its annual session on the Seminary grounds, on Friday, Aug. 10th, 1883. The exercises will begin at 2:30 P.M. Oration by Philip Hathaway, poem by Sarah Stanley, to be followed by supper in the grove.

The telegraph strike is proving a great benefit to the telephone service. Business over the state lines has doubled at the Detroit office during the past week, and has largely increased at all offices throughout the state.

Frank Silvers will take in the Central Michigan Trotting Circuit, commencing next week at Marshall, with his horse, Banker Rothchilds.

W. R. Wooden has accepted a position as collector and bookkeeper for a large firm at Battle Creek.

This is a poor season for fruit, but an extra good one for garden truck.

—In Sewing Machines like anything else the best is always the cheapest in the end. The Domestic and White stand at the head. Call at Sparks', next door to the Novelty store, and inform yourself before purchasing. Attachments and the very best needles and oils constantly on hand. You can buy an organ or piano of me as low as the lowest. Special inducements offered to cash customers.
G. P. SPARKS.

—See those Watertown Spring Wagons at Snedicor's. Cheap.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Get the Gale plow and Reapers of Snedicor if you want them cheap.

—Do not fail to examine those Golden Star gasoline stoves as they have decided improvements as regards points of safety that are invaluable to all practical housekeepers at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Buy the Syracuse plow of
Snedicor.

—Sewing Machines to rent, or sell on the installment plan by the agent of the Singer Co., Landgraf block.

—The Golden Star Oil Range is the latest success in summer stoves at
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Call on the agent of the "Genuine Singer" in the Landgraf block, for sewing machines, needles, oils, and attachments.

—Yard Wide Lonsdale finish Bleached 8c. A. B. Cotton.

—Ladies Trunks at A. B. Cotton's.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
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The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—New Tabling & Towels at Cotton's.

—New Embroideries at A. B. Cotton's

—Land Fertilizing Salt, only $6 a ton, at S. W. Temple's.

—Fresh lot of Land Plaster at
S. W. Temple's.

—New & Nobby Hats at Cotton's.

—Yard Wide Fine Muslin 5 and 6c.
A. B. Cotton.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Embroidered underwear, Cotton's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—The Celebrated Ohio Land Plaster, $6 per ton at S. W. Temple's.

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THROUGH TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 27, 1883.

GOING NORTH No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 00	8 45	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 [illegible]	3 30
5 26	9 40	" Manhattan Jc. "	9 31	2 [illegible]
5 33	9 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 24	2 [illegible]
5 40	9 54	" Monroe Jct. "	9 17	2 [illegible]
5 45	9 59	" Dundee "	9 12	2 18
6 20	10 34	" Azalia "	8 50	1 45
6 44	10 58	" Milan "	8 31	1 20
6 55	11 10	" Ewalds "	8 20	1 08
7 05	11 23	" Plymouth "	8 07	1 [illegible]
7 17	11 35	" Ann Arbor "	7 55	12 [illegible]
	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
9 10	12 40	" Jackson "	6 40	9 50
A. M.				
1 05	4 15	" Battle Creek "	3 45	6 [illegible]
2 05	5 25	" Kalamazoo "	2 35	5 [illegible]
3 20	6 40	" Gr. Rapids "	1 20	4 [illegible]
3 30	6 50	" Allegan "	1 10	4 [illegible]
4 [illegible]	7 [illegible]	" Saugatuck "	12 [illegible]	3 [illegible]
7 11	11 [illegible]	Ar. Chicago Lv.	8 [illegible]	7 [illegible]
4 00	11 25	Lv. Saugatuck Ar.	12 [illegible]	3 [illegible]
8 30	12 30	" Holland "	11 [illegible]	2 [illegible]
	P. M.			A. M.
11 00	3 00	" Grand Haven "	9 [illegible]	9 [illegible]
12 30	4 15	" Muskegon "	8 [illegible]	8 [illegible]
				A. M.
6 00		" Traverse City "	7 [illegible]	
8 25		" Mackinaw City "	5 [illegible]	

CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo with railroads diverging. At Alexis with Canada Southern, L. S. & M. S., and L. E. & M. R.R. At Manhattan Junction with Wheeling & Lake Erie R.R. At Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S. At Dundee with L. S. & M. S. At Milan with W., St. L. & P. R.R. at Junction with L. S. & M. S. At Ann Arbor with M. C. R.R. At Seotland with T. A. & N. R.R.

W. H. BENNETT, Gen'l Pass. Agt. H. W. ASHLEY, Supt.

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC R. R.

DETROIT & BUTLER DIVISION.

TRAINS GOING WEST

STATIONS.	No. 2 Express.	No. 4 Express.	No. 6 Express.	No. 8 Express.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hamtramck	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ronchester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bellevue	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wells	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Willis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Milan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clare	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Britton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Holloway	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Adrian	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sand Creek	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Manchester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Webster	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Akron	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mooresburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Blakesley	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Butler	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST

STATIONS.	No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.	No. 7 Express.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Butler	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Blakesley	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mooresburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Akron	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Webster	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Manchester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sand Creek	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Adrian	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Holloway	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Britton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clare	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Milan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Whittaker	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Willis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bellevue	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ronchester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hamtramck	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Pork packers is rendered harmless and more profitable by treating with hop bitters in each draught.

—The vigor of youth for the aged and infirm in hop bitters.

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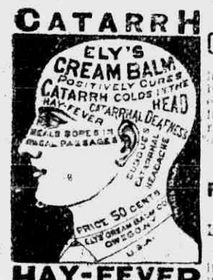

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HOPE.

Men speak and dream with keen delight
Of some sure-coming better day;
To gain the happy golden height
All madly press the crowded way.
The world grows old and young by turns,
But human hope unchanging burns.

Hope leads the infant forth to life,
And gaily plumes the boyish head,
Her spell lures youth to manly strife,
Nor leaves the aspirant dying bed;
And when life's over, even from the tomb
Hope springs to shed her brightest bloom.

All is not vain illusion—say
Mere fancy, sprung from error's brain;
"You will not claim the life we know"
A darker life man shall attain;
And what those dwell in realms of bliss
Shall never the hope-born of hope.

Little Red Noses.

How, that night, I did wish I had taken the other day! It was the first night of a long drought in winter, and even men in overcoats turned sharply corners to get out of the biting blast. Two children, a boy and girl, neither over nine years old, stood [illegible] on Monroe avenue, wishing to go to their lonely home but dreading the wind. They crept closer and closer to each other, and their chins quivered and their noses grew red as they grew colder. Hundreds of men and women passed up and down without care but, by and by, along came a whistling jovial lad of fourteen, who was swinging his boot-black's kit by a strap and picking up the steps of some clog-dance. He saw the shivering bits of humanity when others were blind, and halting before them with a jingle-jangle of his heels and a toss of his box, he called out:

"Kim, borrow them 'ere chips o' your'n about an hour?

"Yes, ma'am, demurely replied the girl.

"Kim, eh?—ho! ho! That's a give-a-way on me! Be you chickens cold?"

"Yes, ma'am," she answered again.

"And that 'ere cub is your brother, I spose? Well, when I m cold I git warm. What do you do—freeze?"

"Yes, ma'am, if you please," she replied.

"If I please—ha! ha!—nother give-a-way on me! Well, you autumn leaves come along with me. I hain't got no influence on the weather, but I kim smell a hot stove as far off as the next shiner in this town. Come right over to this store."

He led the way across the street and into an office where there was a fire. He had placed chairs for them when a man came in from a back room, and said:

"What do you children want here?"

"Want some of this waste hotness," bluntly replied the shiner. "These 'ere cubs is nigh froze to death, and I brought 'em here to thaw out.

"And we won't even look at you, nor cough, nor sneeze!" added the little girl as she saw a frown on the man's face.

"That's richness; there's innocence!" laughed the shiner, and the man's face cleared and he poked up the fire and said they could sit nearer.

"S'pose m'n, you chip in and buy 'em suumthin to stay their stomachs?" suggested shiner, all of a sudden. Tell you what, some of the children in this town don't have a square meal any more'n you'n me wear diamonds. Little gal, are you hungry?"

"Yes ma'am, if you won't be mad at us," she replied.

The man stood irresolute, but shiner went down into his pocket, rattled around and said:

"Here's ten cents that says they're hungry!"

"Well, I'll give as much," replied the man. "You go and buy something and they can sit here and eat it."

Shiner bought crackers and cheese, and the children ate until he felt obliged to say:

"Now, you cubs, go a leetle bit slow and save the rest for supper. Kin ye find the way home alone?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"And do you feel as warm as 'taterbugs tolled up in wool?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"All right then. We're dead to rights obliged to this man, and I'll black his boots beside. You'd better run along home now. What's ye goin' to tell yer mother?"

"I'll tell her we come awful near going to Heaven, and my little brother he thanks you too, and now we'll go, and—and nank you ma'am, ever so many times, good bye!"

The man looked after them through the window with softer lines in his face than had been there for months. The boy stood outside on the walk and watched until they had turned a corner, and then exclaimed:

"Phew! but I most feel that I was interfered to that gal!"—*Detroit Free Press*

Sleep.

There is no danger of wearing this subject threadbare, for people are beginning to wake up to the fact that plenty of sleep is requisite to health, particularly in the case of brain workers. The more sleep the brain gets the better does the brain work. All great brain-workers have been great sleepers. Sir Walter Scott never could do with less than 10 hours sleep. A Bell may want eight hours, as George III also, but a philosopher wants nine. Those who have been the greatest generals are the men who could sleep at will. It was thus with Wellington and Napoleon. The greatest speakers in the house of commons have been the men who could go to sleep as much as they liked. This explained the juvenility of the aged Palmerston. Sleep is in many cases the best of medicine. A friend says that he treated himself for a fever. He went to bed with a pitcher of lemonade. He drank and slept, drank and slept until he was well again. When you take to your bed take all the sleep you can out of your bedstead, even although, to quote Dick Swiveller's saying, you may have to pay for a double bedded room, confessing that you have taken a most unreasonable amount of sleep out of a single bed: you will be banking a whole store of recuperative energy. It will be safe to say of any man that if he sleep well he will do well.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

A New York clergyman, in a lecture on "Modern Courtship," told his audience that young ladies and gentlemen should be entirely frank in their courtship; they should describe to each other their weak points. Many of the young people of his audience concluded to take his advice, and the result was that twenty-two engagements were broken between the young men and women of that neighborhood.

The Young Lawyer's First Case.

The young lawyer conducting his first case before a jury is worthy of the deepest commiseration. Take him, for instance, in the criminal court, before which he has a case. While the prosecuting attorney is tying the first witness in bowknots and untying him again, the amateur sits listening, but endeavoring to look as unconcerned as a marble statue in a thunder storm. He throws in stand objections every time he thinks he sees a hold, and as each one is overruled by the court he gets on a stern look, as much as to say "I'll knock the wind out of that in the upper court." When the prosecutor is by an old, able attorney, dryly says, "Take the witness," the youthful aspirant trembles a little and endeavors to swallow something that is sticking in his throat. He feels that every eye in the room is upon him, and that they are as "hot as blazes."

He fires a few initatory questions at the witness, and warms as he proceeds, until he is brought up standing by "Oh! your Honor, we object to such irrelevant questions," followed by a few scathing remarks from the prosecutor. The court sustains the objection, and advises the young lawyer to keep within bounds, which sets him to wondering where in the thunder the bounds are. Objection follows objection, and each one is promptly sustained. He wonders why it is that a free and independent people will tolerate such one-sided justice. He plunges ahead blindly now, until he becomes so confused that he does not know whether he is a practicing attorey with a gilt sign, or a flywheel on a steam wood-saw. Finally he runs out of questions, and with a sigh of relief or something tells the witness, "That's all." So he grinds through, and at last the prosecutor rises and proceeds to address the jury in a masterly style. As he progresses he picks up all the evidence adduced by the defense into particles fine enough to be incorporated into codfish balls. The youthful Blackstone wrestler begins to feel uneasy as his mind reverts to the fact that in a few moments he must deliver his maiden speech.

He wishes the prosecutor would hold his grip and keep it until time to adjourn court, feeling satisfied that he could make a splendid speech the next day after a night's fighting on the evidence. He tries to remember what the witnesses swore to, but cannot recall the evidence to save his life. The prosecutor finally winds with a grand peroration, and as he says: "And in conclusion, gentlemen of the jury," the youth nervously fingers his moustache, and wishes he had never begun the abominable business. Cold chills are tingering him all over the back, as if measuring him for a shirt, and his spinal column acts as if it was tired and wanted to sit down a while. Like Banquo's ghost, the lump in his throat won't stay down, by an obstinate majority, and he swallows it and wonders what he is going to say and how long it will take him to say it. As the prosecutor calmly takes his seat, the young lawyer rises and moves to the front. He dares not look at the audience, and tries to imagine there is no one in the room but himself and the twelve sphynx-like forms in the jury box. The eyes of each juror are fixed upon him, and he would almost relinquish his hope of heaven to some one would raise a cry of fire to divert their attention until he gets a start.

Finally he shrugs his shoulders and manages to remark, "Gentlemen of the (swallows) jury." Very good. He then surveys them a moment, and every man in the box thinks he is endeavoring to read their thoughts; but he isn't. He is wishing to gracious he could read his own thoughts. At last he strikes out and goes for them about their intelligent looks, and how he feels that his client's interests are safe in their hands. At the same time he feels serious doubts as to their safety in his own hands. He worries through his speech with an average of two swallows at that lump to the sentence. The prosecutor closes the argument, and the case goes to the jury, who retire to a secluded room to chew tobacco, and ask each other what they thought of it. It so happened that the flimsy testimony against the accused warrants a verdict of "not guilty;" whereupon the amateur grasps his client's hand and whispers: "It was a hard fight but I got you out of it!" Then he rises loads up enough law books to swamp a mud scow, casts a triumphant look at the prosecuting attorney, who smiles pleasantly in return, and walks slowly and majestically down the aisle to the door with as much dignity as if he owned a Western railroad. Oh, you can't deny it, even you old veterans—you've all been there!

The milk is delivered at the factory and strained into vats as for other cheese. It is then raised to a temperature of 96 degrees Fahrenheit, when enough rennet is added to coagulate the mass in about thirty minutes. The curd is then cut crosswise and lengthwise of the vat with a gang of steel curd-knives. Soon after it is turned with tin shovels frequently for an hour, when it is left for the whey to settle: if the curd is of the proper consistency, about two-thirds of the whey is removed. The curd is now ready for the molds into which it is dipped, the whey remaining escaping through the perforated sides of the molds. After the curd has hardened to a proper degree, it is placed upon a table slightly inclined, and the whey drains off, care being taken that the cheese retains the form of the molds. Then they are turned several times, and finally are ready to receive the salt, which is rubbed in by hand, morning and evening, for four days, thus gradually hardening, until they can be taken to the curing room, where the bricks of cheese are set on edge close together. After being properly cured, they are then packed for market. But prices for this cheese are also fluctuating, and the market or dealer frequently needs to store. His cheese in a room of uniform temperature to preserve it fresh, and prevent it from becoming over-ripe. For this purpose large and deep vaults and cellars are built, where the air is neither too hot nor too cold—and the cheese will keep well summer or winter. It is made with less expense than American cheese, its price is less fluctuating, and hence the milk of our dairymen is bought largely by dealers and made up by their employes. Proprietors pay, we are informed, 8 cents per gallon for milk to be made into Limburger, or the price of milk will be regulated by the price received for American cheese at the factory.

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Tenderness of Old Hickory.

In the days of his youthful vigor, General Jackson was fond of what Dryden calls "a knock-down argument—a word and a blow." But when age and office had modified his temper, he omitted the blow, though his words were still as hard as cannon balls. Once, while President, he summed up the Websterian argument against nullification in this style:

"If this is to go on," he said to Gen. Sam Dale, his old courier during the New Orleans campaign, "our country will be like a bag of meal with both ends open. Pick it up in the middle or endwise, and it will run out. I must tie the bag and save the country! By the God of heaven, I will uphold the laws, he continued, striding across the room, brandishing a long pipe.

"I hope things will go right," interposed Dale, soothingly.

"They shall go right, sir," exclaimed the President, shivering his pipe upon the table. "Old Hickory," as his admirers named him, was but a tender sapling when his emotional nature was touched. The slightest reference to his dead wife caused him to bow in grief.

"Sam," he said, at this same interview, "you have been true to your country, but you have made one mistake in life. You are now old and solitary, and without a bosom friend or family to comfort you. God has called mine away. But all I have achieved—fame, power, everything—would I exchange if she could be restored to me for a moment."

And the strong man trembled with emotion, while, covering his face with his hands, he wept. Her memory he always cherished.

Late one night, the President's private secretary, wishing to consult him about a letter to be sent off in the early mail, tapped at his chamber door. On entering, he found the President sitting, undressed, at a little table on which rested his wife's miniature, propped up against several volumes. Between him and the picture lay her prayer-book.

The last thing the iron man did at night was to read in her book, with her miniature before him. During the day he wore the picture on his heart, suspended from his neck by a strong black cord.

The worshippers of Napoleon mention a delicate act of devotion done by him. On being elected First Consul he jumped into a carriage and was whirled away to Josephine, that, he might be first to tell her the good news. But in nine years Josephine was a cast-off wife.

Gen. Jackson made his dead wife a living presence. At his death he willed his property, as he thought she would wish it devised, to his adopted son. The son had shown himself an unsuccessful business man, and a friend suggested that the property be secured to the son's wife.

"No," said the general, "that would show a want of confidence. If she," pointing to the tomb in the garden, "were alive, she would wish him to have it all, and to me her wish is law."

The woman whose wish was law to the stern-willed man had been dead seventeen years.—*Youth's Companion.*

Remedies for Emergencies.

Very few young mothers are able to control their nerves so completely as to keep from being startled when confronted with a cut finger with dripping blood, and the loud cries which announce a catastrophe. Sometimes she cannot collect her thoughts sufficiently to recall any of the good remedies with which she is familiar. One way to avoid this is to write out a list of help in trouble, and tack it upon the door of your room, after the manner of hotel regulations.

There is nothing better for a cut than powdered resin. Get a few cents' worth, pound it until it is quite fine, and then put it in an empty, clean pepper or spice box with perforated top; then you can easily sift it out on the cut; put a soft cloth around the injured member, and wet it with cold water once in a while. It will prevent inflammation and soreness.

In doing up a burn, the main point is to keep the air from it. If sweet oil and cotton are not at hand, take a cloth and spread dry flour over it, and wrap the burned part in it.

It is always well to have some simple remedies in the house, where you can get them without a moment's loss of time: a little bottle of peppermint, in case of colic; chlorate of potash for sore throat; pepsin for indigestion, and a bottle of pure brandy. Have them so arranged that you could go to them in the dark and reach the right one, but be sure you never do it, even if you know they have not been disturbed; always light a lamp or the gas, and make sure you have what you are after. Remember that pistols are always loaded, and that poison may be put in the place of peppermint.

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She had grown to womanhood in a rural home, and, by chance or choice, her father had removed to East Nashville. She was pretty and pleasant, which two qualities rendered her an attractive magnet, and she drew a number of the young men, who are adorers of beauty, around her. One of the gents, seizing time by the forelock, prepared his declaration of love, and thinking it might be an incentive to his success, prefaced his declaration with a description of her future home which she would be led to, and, to make the picture grand, he borrowed Claude Melnotte's language, descriptive of his palace by Lake Como. He had proceeded with his portrait until he came to—

"I would have no friends to share my home
We would read no books that were not tales of love"

when she gently interrupted him, and gazing with tearful eyes into his, she implored him to never again to wound her feelings thus, and added: "John, I cannot read. I never went to school a day in my life—I know not no book, love—nor can I even spell but one word correctly, and that is your dear name, 'G-o-n,' and mother, poor soul, learned me that."

Hold the Fort.

J. M. Fort, Monmouth, Ill., writes: Having used Scovill's Sarsaparilla and Stillingia, or Blood and Liver Syrup, according to the directions given, for the purpose of enriching and purifying the blood and regulating the liver, and having found to do all that you claim for it, I cheerfully recommend its use to all persons affected likewise.

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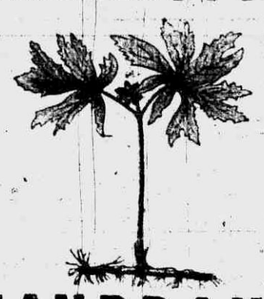

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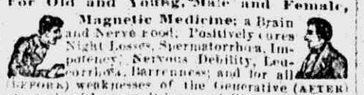

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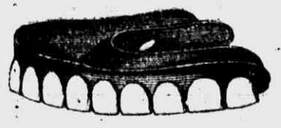

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Balance all! Now step out rightly,
Allus dance yo' level best!

Fo'ward four! Whoop up, niggers!
Back again! Don't be so slow!
Swing cornahs! Mind de figgers—
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Top ladies now cross ober!
(Ho' on till I take a dram;)
Hommen solo! Yes, I'se sober—
Kant tell how the fiddlers am.

Hands around! Hold up yo' faces
Don't be lookin' at yo' feet!
Swing yo' pardners to yo' places!
Dat's de way—dat's hard to beat.

Sides fo'ward! When you's ready
Make a bow as low's you kin;
Swing across with op'a lady!
Now we'll let yo' swap again.

Ladies change! Shet up dat talkin'
Do yo' talkin' arter while!
Right and left, don't want no warm ar—
Make yo' steps and show yo' style.

Father and Sons.

"If you wish to train up your child in the way he should go," just skirmish ahead on that line yourself," said wise Josh Billings, and if he was not addressing fathers or thinking of boys, he ought to have been. The writer was present once at a social religious meeting, when a very large man with a very large nose, and no doubt a very large heart, also, arose and used his space of time to tell what a good mother he had, and how her influence had guided him, and finished with an exortation to all mothers to make good men of their boys.

The divines followed in a similar strain and ended with the same exhortation, and all the brethren settled themselves more comfortably into their seats, and all the sisters bowed their heads with meek faces as if sweetly taking up the heavy burden thus flatteringly laid upon their frail shoulders. No, not all; for one sat bolt upright, too indignant for speech, to see those great broad-shouldered men thus calmly shirking the greatest responsibility God ever called them to bear.

Because some mothers blessed with mighty faith and powerful will, have borne their sons triumphantly over the quicksands of youthful temptations and planted their feet firmly on the pleasant upland of righteous manhood, shall it be demanded of every frail woman to whom God has given a son, that she do the same? No; with equal justice it might be demanded of every woman that she write books like Mrs. Stowe, entrance large audiences like Miss Willard and Anna Dickenson, or be a brilliant newspaper correspondent like Mary Clemmer.

What weight has a mother's word when weighed against a father's example? The mother says: "My son, do not smoke; it is bad for your health, bad for the purse, bad for the morals, and the pleasure it affords is trifling compared to the evil it works."

"What does mother know about smoking?" reasons the boy; "she never smokes; father smokes, and I am going to too."

"Don't spend your evenings about the bar-room and village store," pleads the troubled mother; "the conversation there is not such as I wish you to listen to."

"What does mother know about bar-room talk?" questions the boy; "she is at home rocking the baby or darning stockings; father is there, and I'm going."

One out-spoken ten-year-old boy said: "I like my mother well enough; but I think father is a great deal smarter;" and he expressed the feeling of the average boy when he enters his teens. Now, which parent is likely to have most influence in forming the character of that son?

"I'll take what father takes," said the boy at the hotel dinner table, and boys are taking what their fathers take all the world over.

A father and son were clambering up the rough, steep sides of a mountain, when the father paused to decide which of many paths to take; the boy said: "Be sure to choose a good path, father, for I am coming right behind you."

Fathers, upon the hillside of life, be sure you choose a "good path," for your sons are just behind, and almost certain to follow in your footsteps. If the bewitching voice of pleasure entices you into by-paths of self-indulgence and sin, remember that where you trip he will stumble, and the same foul mire that soils your raiment will engulf him. But if you choose to walk the pleasant highways of temperance, virtue and Christian manliness, he shall keep even step with you, and at last dwell in peace at your side.

"The just man walketh in his integrity; his children are blessed after him."

IT is estimated that two billion matches are consumed every day in Europe. Assuming that each several act of ignition occupies the brief space of a second, which is less than the actual time taken, a mathematical editor has figured out that 63 years of precious time is occupied daily in the scraping process. In days this time would amount to about 23,000, or 555,000 hours.

THERE is nothing new under the sun. Whenever a reader of this paper calls another man "a brick" in a complimentary way, he is but repeating what was said thousands of years ago by a Spartan king. PLUTARCH says, an ambassador from Epirus was shown by King Agesilaus of parta over his capital, and expressed surprise at the absence of walls and fortifications. "Come to morrow," quoth the king, "and I will show you our walls." On the morrow he showed him an array of 10,000 men, remarking, "each one is a brick."

Better than $10,000.

"I spent over $10,000 in 23 years," said Major H. W. Hines, of Boston, Mass., "in being doctored for epilepsy. I employed the best physicians in New Orleans, St. Louis, N. York, Phila., Boston, London and Paris, but to no purpose. Samaritan Nervine has cured me entirely." $1.50.

Says the Index-Appeal, of Petersburg, Va.: "Miles Darden, probably the largest man on record, born in North Carolina in 1798, died in Henderson county, Tenn., January 23d, 1857. He was seven feet and six inches high, and in 1845 weighed 871 pounds. At his death his weight was a little over 1,000 pounds."

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Escaped The Rope.

A THRILLING APPEAL WHICH SAVED A LIFE.

One hot day in July, 1860, a herdsman was moving his cattle to a new ranch further north, near Helena, Texas, and passing down the banks of a stream, his cattle became mixed with other cattle that were grazing in the valley, and some of them failed to be separated. The next day, about noon, a band of about a dozen mounted Texan rangers overtook the herdsman, and demanded their cattle, which they said were stolen. It was before the days of law and court-houses in Texas, and one had better kill five men than to steal a mule worth $5, and the herdsman knew it. He tried to explain, but they told him to cut it short. He offered to turn over all the cattle not his own, but they laughed at this proposition, and hinted that they usually confiscated the whole herd, and left the thief hanging on the tree as a warning to all others in like cases.

The poor fellow was completely overcome. They consulted apart a few moments, and then told him if he had any explanations to make or business to do, they would allow him ten minutes to do so and defend himself.

He turned to the rough faces and commenced: "How many of you have wives?" Two or three nodded. "How many of you have children?" They nodded again.

"Then I know who I'm talking to, and you'll hear me." And he continued: "I never stole any cattle; I have lived in these parts over three years. I came from New Hampshire; I failed there in the fall of '57, during the panic; I have been saving; I have lived on hard fare; I have slept on the ground; I have no home here, my family remain in the East, for I go from place to place; these clothes I wear are rough, and I am a hard looking customer; but this is a hard country, days seem like months to me, and the months like years; married men, you know that but for the letters from home"—here he pulled out a handful of well-worn envelopes and letters from his wife—"I should get discouraged. I have paid part of my debts. Here are my receipts," and he unfolded the letters of acknowledgment. "I expected to sell out and go home in November. Here is the testament my good mother gave me; here is my little girl's picture." And he kissed it tenderly, and continued: "Now, men, if you have concluded to kill me for what I am innocent of, send these home, and send as much as you can from the cattle when I'm dead. Can't you send half the value? My family will need it."

"Hold on, now; stop right thar," said a rough ranger. "Now, I say, boys," he continued, "I say, let him go. Give us your hand, old boy; that picture and them letters did the business. You're lucky, mind ye."

"We'll do more than that," said a man with a big heart, in Texan garb, and carrying the customary brace of pistols in his belt; "let's buy his cattle here, and let him go."

They did; and when the money was paid over, and the man about ready to start, he could not stand. The long strain of hopes and fears, being away from home under such trying circumstances, the sudden deliverance from death, had combined to render him helpless as a child. He sank to the ground completely overcome. An hour later, however, he left on horseback for the nearest stage-route; and as they shook hands and bade him good-by, they looked the happiest band of men I ever saw.

Building Air-Castles.

The prodigies of good we should accomplish under certain circumstances are something marvelous. If we possessed the money of this one, the leisure of another, the strength and talent of a third, the firm health of our neighbor, the education of our first cousin, the experience of this friend, or the happy temperament of that, mankind would be largely benefited by our example, we fondly believe. We build castles with materials belonging to others, which would be a perpetual rebuke if they could only descry the towers thereof against their mental horizon. It is a kind of amelioration of our own felicities and imbecilities to perceive how little the superior conditions of our fellows have availed them. We are not glad that they have wrapped their talent in a napkin, instead of putting it out at interest; but we fancy it excuses our own shortcomings in a degree. If they failed with such odds in their favor, what could be expected of us, already overweighted for the contest by poverty, by infirmity, or by want of proper training? If we were as rich, for instance, as our great uncle Cresus, how differently we should employ our surplus income! We should send anonymous bank-bills to genteel and indigent families we wot of; we should increase the welfare of certain clergymen; we should replenish the coal-bins of widowed washerwomen, we should order no end of water-color drawings from the young women who are trying to keep their heads above water; we should even do violence to our esthetic taste and purchase some of the crude works of artists not born to fame; we should plan pleasant surprises for poor shop-girls and teachers; we should pay seamstresses a little more than they demand, and we should remember the birthdays of our poor relations. The value of our gifts should be great in proportion to the slender means of the recipient. We should not only educate certain youths who show signs of talent, but lend a helping hand to those who gave no sign, as being in the greater need of developement, it may be. We should, moreover, have no pickets up dinners, nor wear patched garments, while the naked and hungry are always with us. What languages we should master, what sciences we should make our own, if we possessed the leisure of certain acquaintances! Does any flower blossom whose times and seasons we should not know? or any bird fly whose halts and notes we should not recognize? What acquaintances we might cultivate with the literature of the wide world, and what time might we not lend to the teachings of others! But the chief danger in thus considering the mote of our neighbor's eye lies in the fact that we are apt to become so engrossed in the analysis as to ignore the responsibilities of our own position, and leave room for others, even less favored of fortune than ourselves, to find similar causes of dissatisfaction in the use of our own advantages.

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The Great Salt Lake.

Four barrels of water of the Great Salt Lake will leave, after evaporation, nearly a barrel of salt. The lake was discovered in the year 1820, and no outlet from it has yet been ascertained. Four or five large streams empty into it, and the fact of its still retaining its saline properties seems to point to the conclusion that there exists some secret bed of saline deposit over which its waters flow, and that thus they continue salt; for, although the lake may be, but the residue of an immense sea which once covered the whole of this region, yet, by its continuing so salt with the amount of fresh water poured into it constantly, the idea of the existence of some such deposit from which it receives its supply seems very probable.

For many years the lake gradually rose, but in 1879 it receded some two or three feet—a most unusual occurrence—owing to the exceptionally warm summer.

There are no fish in the lake, but myriads of small flies cover its surface. The buoyancy of the water is so great that it is not at all an easy matter to drown in it. The entire length of Salt Lake is eighty-five miles, and its breadth forty-five miles. Compared with the Dead Sea, the Great Salt Lake is longer by forty-three miles, and broader by thirty-five.

Beecher's Bad Head.

For two months in the year Henry Ward Beecher can't preach. In August and September he takes his vacation and endures the onset of the hay fever. And it is, so he says, something terrible and tremendous. A man with hay fever isn't accountable for his actions. He is merely a wild beast—frantic with snuffing, sneezing and headache. His eyes are red and so is his nose. Every nerve in his skull thrills with distress and his head is a fountain of tears. He lives only to fly from seaside to mountain-top in search of relief.

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"Well, miss, said a knight of the birch rod, "can you decline a kiss?" "Yes, sir," said the girl, dropping a perplexed courtesy. "I can, but I hate to."

Scipio, N. Y., Dec. 1, 1879.

I am the pastor of the Baptist Church here, and an educated physician. I am not in practice, but am my sole family physician, and advise in many chronic cases. Over a year ago I recomended your Hop Bitters to my invalid wife, who has been under medical treatment of Albany's best physicians several years. She has become thoroughly cured of her various complicated diseases by their use. We both recommend them to our friends, many of whom have also been cured of their various ailments by them.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the second day of July, A.D. 1883, authorizing the same, I, the guardian of Alvinzie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner, and Ambrose C. Arner, minors, will, on the 22d day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereafter described, offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the undivided one-half of all those tracts or parcels of land situate in the township of Ridgeway, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: All that portion of the Northwest quarter of section eighteen, town six south of Range five East, lying West of the center line of the ridge road (so called) leading across said quarter section—excepting therefrom the North twenty acres thereof now owned by Morgan M. Florence; also all that part of the West half of said Northwest quarter of said section eighteen, town six South of Range five East, lying East of the center line of said Ridge road, bounded by commencing at the Southeast corner of said West half of said quarter section, running thence North on the dividing line of East and West halves of said quarter section about forty-five rods to the Southeast corner of a parcel of land sold and deeded by John Arner to said Morgan M. Florence, thence West on the South line of said parcel about twenty-two rods to the center line of said Ridge road, thence Southwesterly along the center line of said road to the South line of said quarter section, thence East along that line to the place of beginning, containing of the entire amount of land, forty acres, more or less; subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Arner, widow of said John Arner, deceased, therein. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated July 2, 1883.

J. DE WITT ARNER,
Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JONATHAN HALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 10th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jonathan Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lydia Hall, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. July12

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A QUEEN OF THE STAGE.

"Her Second Love," and the Importan Secret She Reveals for the Benefit of Women.

(New York World.)

Several years ago the American public were aroused by the entree upon the stage of a little lady who had been previously but little announced. She was one of an innumerable number of aspirants for public favor and had no instrumentality, aside from her own talents to cause recognition. In spite of this fact, however, she quickly achieved a warm place in the heart of the public which she has continued to hold ever since. When it was announced, therefore, that Miss Maude Granger would star the coming season in the play "Her Second Love," written [illegible] Stevens, it was only natural that unnatural interest should be manifested [illegible] in theatrical circles, but in other [illegible] This was specially the case, as it was known that Miss Granger had, for the past year, been in exceedingly delicate health, and the determination to star in a strong emotional play was the more surprising. One of the staff of this paper was accordingly deputized to see the popular lady and verify the rumor or announce its incorrectness.

Miss Granger's countenance is familiar to nearly every one in the United States. It is a face once seen never to be forgotten. Features remarkable in their outline and contour are surmounted by a pair of large and deep eyes indicative of the greatest soul power. It is easy to see where Miss Granger obtains the ability to portray characters of the most emotional nature. She possesses within herself the elements of feeling without which no emotion can be conveyed to an audience. The man of news found the lady at her home in this city and was accorded a quiet welcome. It was evident at once that she was in greatly improved health, which the expression and color of her countenance both indicated.

"Is it true Miss Granger that you contemplate a starring tour the coming season?"

"Yes, indeed. My season begins in Chicago on the 19th of July. From there I go to San Francisco and then play the remainder of the season thro' the eastern and western states."

"Are you confident your health will permit such an undertaking?"

A ringing laugh was the first reply to this question, after which she said:

"Certainly. It is true I have been ill for the past two years, but now I am wholly recovered. Few people can have any idea of the strain a conscientious actress undergoes in essaying an emotional part. It is necessary to put one's whole soul into the work in order to rightly portray the character. This necessitates an utter abandonment of one's personality and an assumption of the character portrayed. If this is an emotional part it is necessary to *feel* the same emotions the part is supposed to feel. For more than a year I actually cried each night in certain passages of a part I was playing. The audience considered it art. Probably it was, but those were none the less real tears and the effect was none the less trying upon my health."

"But do you anticipate avoiding this in the future?"

"Not in the least. I expect to have just as great a strain as before but with restored health and a knowledge of how to retain it I do not fear."

"You speak of a knowledge of how to retain health." Will you please explain what you mean by that?"

"You must be aware that women by their very natures are subject to troubles and afflictions unknown to the sterner sex. The name of these troubles is legion, but in whatever form they may come they are weaknesses which interfere with every ambition and hope in life. I believe thousands of noble women are to-day suffering agonies of which even their best friends and relatives know little or nothing, and when I reflect upon it I confess it makes me sad. Now all this misery arises largely from an ignorance of the laws of life or a neglect to carefully observe them. I speak from the depths of a bitter experience in saying this, and I am thankful I know the means of restoration, and how to remain in perfect health."

"Please explain more fully."

"Well, I have found a remedy which seems specially adopted for this very purpose. It is pure and palatable and controls the health and life as, I believe, nothing else will. It is really invaluable and if all the women in America were to use it I am quite sure most of the suffering and many deaths might be avoided."

"What is this wonderful remedy?"

"Warner's Safe Cure."

"And you use it?"

"Constantly."

"And hence believe you will be able to go through the coming season successfully?"

"I am quite certain of it."

"A few questions more, Miss Granger. Will you please give me a list of the parts you have created and the plays you have taken part in since your first appearance in public?"

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As the writer was returning home he fell into a train of musing and wondered if all the women in this land who are suffering could only know Miss Granger's experience and the remarkable results achieved by the pure remedy she used, how much suffering might be avoided and how much happiness secured.

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The Home Atmosphere.

The atmosphere of the household—which either converts to Christ or perverts to fashion, folly and impiety—is commonly created by the parents. They are responsible for it. If the whole trend of household talk and thought and ambition runs toward money-making or social convivialities, or general godliness of any kind, it is the father and mother who give the pith. Nowhere is it so difficult to make the best preaching or the best Sunday-school teaching effective on character as in the miasmatic air of such a home. As soon expect to rear oranges in Lapland or grow sugar cane in Labrador as to rear plants of grace in so godless an atmosphere. The parental influence penetrates through the house with as subtile poison as escaping gas from an ill-built furnace. As Dr. Bushnell has richly said in his incomparable book on "Christian Nurture": "Whatever are the parents' humble, the children are found sulfering the wood. They help as either appendages or accessories." If the father begins the Sabbath with some secular Sunday newspaper, the family will help him read it. If the parents go irregularly to God's house, the children will hardly care to go at all. "If the mother is a scandalmonger, she will make her children tattlers and eavesdroppers. If she directs her servants to say at the door that she is 'not at home,' the children will learn to be polite liars." If the father puts a decanter on his table, the boys will soon begin to practice with the fatal glass. That rich father who disinherited a son for drunkenness, and in the same will bequeathed his wine-cellar to certain heirs, gave a very palpable proof of the home atmosphere which had poisoned the poor boy. Parental provocations and ill-temper sour the very air of many households, so that the children can hardly escape being cross, snappish and irritable. How can piety breathe in such an air? How can a family be trained up in the knowledge of God's word, when the book of books is seldom opened and the spirit of its instructions is no more known than in the house of a Mussulman? Even in the families of many professors of religion I do not look for any conversions, for I know that the influence of the most faithful discourses will be destroyed by the malaria of the home. It was the atmosphere of Elkanah's and Hannah's Godly house that produced a Samuel. It was the wretched air of Eli's house which ruined Hophni and Phineas.

This subject has a wide sweep. There are sudden changes in the circumstances that affect character as powerfully as changes in climate affect bodily health. The rapid accumulation of wealth is carrying some Christians now up into a rarefied atmosphere, where it is very hard to maintain their humility, their spiritual-mindedness and self-denial. Their new associations endanger their piety; but they need not destroy it. Some Christians grow rich and grow in grace at the same time.

Some civillians go into the foul atmosphere of politics, and preserve their Christian purity. Good men ought to go into political stations and make themselves felt in all our civil affairs. They ought to purify unclean atmospheres. Daniel was Prime Minister in idolotrous and voluptuous Babylon. Prayer was his protector. So may a pure child go into the heated atmosphere of trade, or the highly rarefied air of wealth, or the sin-polluted air of city life, or anywhere else, safely, if he only carry Christ in his heart and keep the honor of Christ ever before his eyes. Jesus does not mean to take his disciples out of the world; but he is able to keep them from the world's contamination.—*New York Independent.*

Do Your Own Fishing.

There was a volume of wisdom in the advice of the elder man to the younger, when wishing for fish, not to stand idly looking at others, but get a line, cut a pole, dig bait and "pitch in."

No man ever got ahead in life by standing with starting eyes and gaping mouth and hands deeply thrust in pockets, watching others. Cutting bait and stringing fish after they are caught, and wishing, never yet amounted to anything. You have got to hold the pole yourself and angle for the best fish. The scaly swimmers wont come on shore to be caught. You must "go for them" in the most seductive fashion, and endure the labor and sweat of taking them in. Lolling on the banks in the shade will never fill your basket, and you will be certain to grow hungry for the breakfast you will gain in this manner, see if you don't.

Get up early and catch the worm and tickle the fish. Don't be everlastingly the sluggard. There is no sense in the plea that if the worm didn't make a fool of itself, and indulged in a later nap, it couldn't be caught, and the ambitious bird would return to its nest minus. The theory is comforting, no doubt, but the practice is starvation. Some worm will be out, and some bird will catch it. If one particular squirmer escape one swift darting songster, it will become the food of a second. That is a fixed fact in nature. Somebody has got to secure the prize; and one who is earliest and most intent upon the search will be the man.

Do your own fishing. Trusting to another will give you a very small share of the spoils. No such division of labor ever resulted in satisfaction or in fortune. You remember the story of the white man and the Indian and the turkey and the buzzard? Well, that's about how it will be. He who gains the prize will be likely to retain it, and he should. The mere watcher has no rightful claim. It is the catcher, who has the best title, and possession is—you know what the law says of it. Rig up your own tackle and attend to your own line. Don't be forever following the miserable example of old Rip Van Winkle, and "doing chores" for others. It don't pay. Bait your own hook and throw in your own flies. If the stream is deep, don't fear to wade; if you fear a fall. Then what you get will be your own, and there will be no grumbling about fair play.

Travelers in Egypt are surprised at the large amount of ophthalmia and blindness prevalent among the inhabitants. Want of cleanliness is the cause. An Egyptian mother, under the influence of a widely prevalent superstition, does not wash her child's eyes until eight days after birth. By that time the organ is frequently ruined. The teachers in the American and British mission schools of Cairo say that Egyptian mothers become invariably angry when urged to wash the eyes of their newly-born infants, and can rarely be persuaded to comply with a request of the kind.

An architect who built a new city hall for a western town made a botch of it, and fled to Canada, as he left word with his friends, "to remain until the affair should blow over." Next day a high wind struck the town, and his friends telegraphed him: "Come back. The affair was blown over last night."

Sickness in the Cars.

Many persons, especially ladies, are great sufferers from that form of nausea and headache known as "car sickness." A journey by rail has for them all the discomfort and suffering that an ocean voyage has to a majority of travelers. The effect of the motion of the car ranges from a mild disturbance of the stomach and an accompanying headache, to "deathly sickness," with intense nausea and complete prostration, according to the condition and sensitiveness of the victim. In the lightest form the sensation is sufficiently unpleasant to make travel by rail thoroughly disagreeable; in its worst, and by no means uncommon type, it invests this convenient method of journeying with dread and despair.

A simple and harmless preventive of car sickness has recently come to the knowledge of the writer, under circumstances that leave no doubt of its efficacy with some persons; and if the device will work equally well in other cases, a knowledge of it certainly ought to be spread abroad. It is at least worth a trial by all who suffer inconvenience in traveling. A lady who had occasion to take a short trip on the Lowell road—and she never travels by rail for pleasure—was, as is usual with her, as thoroughly sick as ever a landsman is on the "heaving deep" by the time she had ridden a dozen miles. The conductor of the palace car, who was apparently very familiar with such cases, told the sufferer's companion that a sheet of writing paper, worn next to the person, directly over the chest, was a sure preventive of the trouble, in nine cases out of ten. He had recommended it to hundreds of travelers, and rarely knew it to fail. The prescription seemed very much like a "charm"—a horse chestnut carried in the pocket to ward off rheumatism, or a red string around the neck to prevent bleeding at the nose. But it was simple and at least could do no harm. For the return trip, a sheet of common writing note paper was fastened inside the clothing, as directed. Result—a perfectly comfortable journey, without a hint of the old sickness that had for years made travel by rail a terror. It was so like a superstition, or a happy accident, however, that the lady would not accept it as real until subjected to a more severe test. This came in a day journey to New York, and that hardest trip of all—a night trip in an "alleged" sleeping car. Both were taken in triumph. The "charm" worked. And the lady writes:

"The day journey was a perpetual wonder and delight to me. I could sit up and read, and look at the landscape through which we whirled, and act as other people do. And still I didn't feel ready to confess to a cure until I had tried the sleeping car, which has always been a horror to me. But even here the 'spell' worked. I ate a hearty supper in the dining car—and kept it! Slept soundly all night, got up as comfortable, and dressed with as level a head and as steady a hand as though I had been in my own room. Read until breakfast time—a thing I had never before done on the cars—and I was hungry for my morning meal. It is really wonderful, almost too good to be real. For the first time in my life I experienced the pleasure of traveling. I wish that conductor to be specially thanked. I wish also that I knew his name. I would like to call the Lord's particular attention to his case, and don't want any mistake and have the blessing descend upon the wrong man. If this should meet the eye of the official in question, will he please consider himself thanked?"

To the scientific guessers is left the explanation of this peculiar potency of a sheet of paper. And, as a further possible contribution to the welfare of squalmish travelers, it is suggested whether the charm would not work equally well in preventing sea sickness. The experiment is certainly worth trying.

A Yankee in England.

At Liverpool, when I landed, I wanted to get on to Cardiff, so I asked my way of a gentleman in the street, and he says: "By Birkenhead;" but another comes up and he says, "That track is blocked with snow," and he gives me another direction, and in a quick nice way. I shall have some funny things to tell them home. I see a notice about tickets, and I ask for one to Cardiff and he says, "It's a pound and two." I give him two and he hands me the change. When I got into the depot I says "Where's the train?" "Here," says a sort of policeman, pointing to a row of things like large coffins. "The cars, I mean," I answers, and he says, "There's them." So I says, "Which for Cardiff?" and he says, "This; are you booked?" And I says No. "Then you can't go in unless you're booked," he says; and I began to think I had neglected something in the way of papers, and would have to go to the American consul about it. "That is very awkward," I says. "It would be very awkward for you if you got on without being booked," he answered in a way that made me feel timid; and I began to think of the high-handed style British officers have of dealing with foreigners, and so I thought I would make a clean breast of the affair and tell him I didn't know what I meant, and he says: "Come this way and I'll show you," which he being a big fellow and me a little one, and a stranger, rather increased my trepidation, and the weather so bad and all; but he only took me to the place where I had bought my ticket, and he says, "There, that's the booking-office," and I says, "What shall I do?" "Why, take your ticket," he says; and I answered that I had bought a ticket. "Why didn you say so afore?" he says; and I said, Why didn't you say so before?" and he say, "I did ask you if you was booked" and you said no;" and then I laughed, and tol him I was an American and didn't understand, and then he laughed and we had a time.—(Correspondence New York Times.

Laughing off a Duel.

Speaking of the Cash-Shannon affair, said the exchange dead, putting his feet in the waste-basket, "we need a few men like Judge Doole. He laughed out of duels with an audacious wit that compelled even the admiration of his enemies. You remember he said, when they threatened that if he didn't flat his nose would fill the columns of a newspaper, that he would offer fill ten newspapers if I put one coffin. Once he went to the field with a man who had St. Vitus's dance. His opponent was standing at his post, his whole frame jerking nervously from his malady. Dooley in the soberest manner, left his post and cutting a forked stick stuck it in the ground in front of his opponent.

"What does this mean?" asked his opponent.

"Why," says Dooley, "I want you to rest your pistol in that fork, so that you can steady your aim. If you shoot at me with that hand jerking so, you'll pepper me full of holes at the first fire!"

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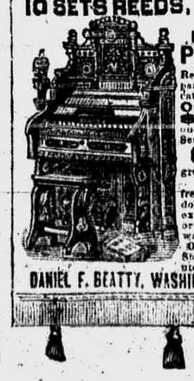

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

E. B. Norris, of Manchester, was in town on business Monday.

L. H. Salsbury, Esq., of Adrian, paid us a flying visit last Sunday.

The new sidewalk in front of Geo. Fisher & Co's hardware store is a decided improvement.

"Three times and out." The Clinton nine, after suffering three defeats, has gone into more thorough training for the season of 1884. Thump, bump, and pure grit will tell. Give them time.

Residents of Clinton village are beginning to discard fences."—Adrian Press.

Yes, Bro. Stearns, old things have passed away, and all things have become new with us since laymen assume the title of bishop, and jealousy is classed with the virtues.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Since the recent abatement of rain storms farmers have been unusually busy securing the hay and wheat crops.

The average Addisonian enjoys health and secular prosperity to a goodly degree of late.

Business of all kinds becomes more brisk as the season advances, and fate seems to indicate better days for our heretofore comparatively extinct villa.

Parker & Son, is the name of a new and commodious drug store recently opened on the west side. Everything new, neat and novel.

Swartout's new building on the same side of the creek will be ready for "biz" in a few weeks, while others are in process of construction.

The arrivals, departures, fights and feuds of the laborers employed here by the railroad have become so numerous and varied of late that we desist from noticing them. However the work is pushing steadily forward, both at the diggings and bridge building. An old country man says, "The leetle thing rally begins to look ziph the smouk cart wuz cummin."

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Too much business for a letter every week lately.

Work is progressing finely on the M. & O. road. Iron is being laid very lively and the locomotive whistle will wake up the Tecumseh people by the last of the week.

By the way, Tecumseh folks might enjoy a ride on the new road every day now if they would take the trouble to come down here to jump on.

An Italian had a finger so badly mutilated last week, handling iron on the new road, that amputation became necessary.

This is fine weather for garnering the wheat crop, and the farmers are improving it. The steam thresher is abroad in the land taking the wheat from the shock thereby saving the farmer the long job of stacking.

Miss Susan Covert, of Farmer Village, N. Y., died at T. H. Montgomery's last week of consumption. She came west for her health and to make a visit. The remains were taken east for interment.

MACON MUSIC.

The farmers are improving these pleasant days by securing their wheat.

Quarterly meeting at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Mrs. Ann Biddle died last Thursday. Notwithstanding her poor health for some time past her death was very sudden. The funeral services, conducted by Rev. J. A. De Spelder, were held at the Baptist church, Saturday.

There will be no morning services in the Reformed church for the next three Sundays; as the pastor is taking his yearly vacation. He expects to spend most of his time at his home in Holland City.

Miss Maud Cook, of Flint, is the guest of Estelle Miller.

A perfect bevy of Music School ma'ams will attend the Institute. Is there not at least one "Lord of Creation" who will go with them, so that our little village will not be entirely represented by the "weaker sex?"

Peck's Sun says: "A hog drover in a Michigan town was taken in and fleeced out of nearly a thousand dollars by three-card monte sharps, and the railroad company gave him a pass home. It would seem that there are times when a railroad company does an act of kindness that would be almost as well undone. In this day and age of the world, a man who allows himself to be bilked out of that much money at gambling, ought to be compelled to work his way home. It is almost time for railroad companies, as well as every one else, to become out of patience with such men."

Michigan is getting its share of the cyclone crop this season.

FROM HARTFORD, CONN.

DEAR HERALD:

Allow me to say a few things to the many Tecumsehites whom we have learned to love, and whom we remember with so many pleasant emotions. Never did a people treat more kindly a minister and his family, and this not simply as a personal matter, but out of respect for the position. For in this age of widespread skepticism and indifference, there is yet remaining respect for the office of the ministry. Our three years in the beautiful village of Tecumseh were years of great pleasure and uniform kindness, and Tecumseh shall ever be remembered as one of the most charming towns of our Michigan. Its fine school buildings, its beautiful and well-filled churches, its magnificent drives and cheerful homes have made a picture in our minds that shall be indelible.

We are pleasantly situated in this beautiful city. It is indeed a beautiful city. Its Bushnell Park right in the center of the city furnishes a fine breathing place and is a popular resort. Band concerts are given through the summer and thousands gather to listen and promenade. Overlooking the park is the state capitol building, one of the most elaborate I ever saw. The site cost $600,000 and the building itself exceeded $2,000,000. Its dome is gilded and can be seen for miles in any direction. This is an enterprising city; the activity and push of the people is more western than eastern. It numbers about 45,000. It has many historic places. The old center church dates its organization back 250 years. Its cemetery in the rear of the church rewarded me for the time spent there the other day. Its tombstones are very antique. Some of the epitaphs are peculiar. The first white person born in the state of Connecticut is buried there. But more of this perhaps in a future letter. It is a city of churches and church goers. The churches here are well filled on the Sabbath as in Tecumseh, which speaks well for both places. Congregationalism and Episcopalianism are the strong religious ideas. Presbyterianism is feeble here comparatively, having only one church, while the Methodists have three. The time was when old Dr. Lyman Beecher was invited to come to Hartford and preach the Methodist out of the city. An invitation was once given to the dedication of a church near the city with the express understanding that *no Methodists should be invited.* But the world moves. The bigots are less in size and number. A few of them will be preserved for future museums. The world lives and still others flourish. The different churches fraternize and we are all glad. We shall be more glad when no barriers exist to the promotion of perfect fraternization.

We went to the sea shore last week, Sag Harbor on Long Island being made by us headquarters. This is a place of 3000 inhabitants. Originally a large number of whaling ships made this their depot, but not a whaler enters this port now. New Bedford is the rendezvous now. Sag Harbor was a port of entry before New York. We drove over to Bridgehampton to the ocean, and as we stood and looked at old ocean in his purity, and as we bathed beneath the rolling surf and filled our lungs with his invigorating air we enjoyed, and we wished that the good friends of Tecumseh could be with us. But as you were not present, we snifted and plunged for you, and carried some away for you, and bye-and-bye we will shake hands with you, and let you get a little of the vitality we gathered from the ocean, through our finger tips and in the flash of our eyes. It has been hot here as everywhere else this summer, though there has been very little sickness and few deaths comparatively. The doctors say "it is dreadfully healthy." We are all well. George is improving steadily. He walks a long distance daily with very little fatigue, and is hopeful of final recovery. This letter is long enough now and I will close by sending greetings to the boys of the HERALD office and to all our friends. Call and see us dear friends at 214 High St., Hartford, Conn.

R. S. PARDINGTON.

SPEIAL TO ALL.

Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, or those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

The great wants at Michigan summer resorts are boats that will not capsize or visitors who know enough not to monkey about in a boat.

FROM NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

OTSEGO LAKE, July 26, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

I trust you will excuse me for trespass for a few moments upon your time, for the purpose of giving the readers of the HERALD a brief sketch of my experience for a few days. It has been my custom each year to pay my old friend, O. H. Kellogg, and his good wife, at Otsego Lake, a visit: first to please them but more particularly, to please myself.—Not being born a correspondent, nor compensating the want by any acquired capacity, if I should chance to bore your readers a little I hope they will pardon me.

Otsego Lake is a pleasant little village situated in Otsego county, on the Mackinac division of the Mich. Cen. railroad, on the eastern shore of a beautiful lake bearing the same name, and on the western slope of a range of hills running north and south, commanding a fine view of the lake. Its inhabitants number, as our friend Kellogg says: "300 big ones," (not as big as your correspondent,) "and 250 little ones." This last part of the inhabitants you will find prominent in most northern towns, and to my mind shows a commendable judgment in regard to those things that make life joyful. God bless the little ones.

But I started to give you the account of a fishing excursion to what is known as Chub Creek lakes. There are 13 of them in a row, and all abounding with the finest specimen of pickerel and bass that you ever saw. Perhaps, Mr. Editor, you have read sometime in your life, of lakes nestling at the foot of the mountains, where the foot of the pale face has never trod the soil, and where nature sports in her native loveliness, &c.; this is that very spot. Having first built us a boat, after the most modern style of the clipper, with her full name "The Mamie of Tecumseh," inscribed on her stern, and having obtained a tent suited to our purpose, my friend Kellogg, his son Frank, and his son-in-law, Frank Buell, together with your frail built correspondent, mounted our boat upon the running gear of a "tote wagon" and started for the scene of action, Chub Creek lakes, about six miles east of Otsego Lake. We reached the ground about 6 P. M. and pitched our tent. It being somewhat late, and wishing to refresh the inner man, we did not do much fishing that night, only five pickerel were taken; but the next morning found us bright and early at our work. We remained from Monday eve. until Wednesday afternoon, and when we returned we had caught with us forty-three pickerel and three bass, as fine fellows as you often see. I do not exaggerate when I say that thirty out of the forty-three pickerel would measure from 2½ to 3 feet in length and weighing 5 to 6 pounds. I think I never saw fish so uniform in size as these. We did not loose a hook, neither did we hook a fish that we did not bring to land. One feature of the fishing in these lakes is, that while you are catching pickerel and bass out of one end of the boat, you catch your minnows for bait out of the other end of the boat. This is done by anchoring the boat to the shore, as the shallow waters of the lakes are alive with minnows, and the large fish are never taken in the middle of the lakes.

If any of our fishermen in Tecumseh want to know where they can take fish to their heart's content I would recommend them to the waters of Chub Creek lakes. I shall take leave of Otsego Lake this eve. at 6:20, go to Cheboygan, Mackinac Island, Point St. Ignace, Mackinaw City, thence to Bay View where I propose to spend next Sabbath. On Monday I shall visit Petoskey, thence by steamer to Charlevoix, East Jordan, Ludington, and home again, to the best place of all for a boy of my size.

J. H. OSBORN.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Track laying on the M. & O. is progressing rapidly in this direction from Britton.

The Marshall Statesman of last week has these items:

J. A. Latcha, chief engineer of the M. & O. was in the city this week and on Wednesday in company with Wm. Boeh, drove to Hanover on business.

The pay car on the M. & O. road went from Marshall to Allegan last week.

Ironing on the M. & O. has been steadily pushing this week and the force has reached Wm. Richfield's in Eckford. It will be continued on to Homer, thence to Hanover. The ballasting is completed up to a point two miles this side of Battle Creek.

An exchange says that the mosquitoes, the house fly and the wicked flea, may be calmly and quickly murdered by simply burning a little powdered Persian chamomile in the rooms where these pests abound.

HOPE.

men speak and dream with keen delig
Of some sure-coming better day;
To gain the happy golden height
All madly press the crowded way.
The world grows old and young by turns,
But human hope unchanging burns.

Hope leads the infant forth to life,
And gaily plumes the boyish head;
Her spell lures youth to manly strife,
Nor leaves the veteran's dying bed;
And when life's over, even from the bier
Hope springs to shed her bright last blooms.

All is not vain illusion—no
Mere fancy, sprung from error's loom
The well proclaims the life we know
A higher life man shall attain,
And what those inward voices say
Shall not the hopeful soul betray.

TO-DAY.

[illegible] let me of to-morrow!
[illegible] look upon the [illegible]
How, alas! that we have left to do
We cannot do at last.
[illegible] It is the only time
[illegible] this frail earthly
[illegible] form a life—

[illegible] me of to-morrow!
[illegible] the man who [illegible] say
Whenever a good deed is to be done,
Lay up the deed to-day.
We may command the present,
It never and never waits.
[illegible] repentance is the phantom
[illegible] the past is [illegible] fate.

AN EXCITING RIDE.

When blasting was discontinued at the Wistar mine on the Zintop Mountain, Idaho, the writer was for the time left in charge of the mill, containing the engine, stamps, battery, etc. With the exception of Print Elverson, the "powder boy," all the other workmen were discharged.

Print remained to keep me company. The foreman and chemist in charge of the amalgamating process also left. But it was necessary that some one should stay to guard the property until it should be removed; and, as I had been engineer, I was asked to do so through the winter.

This was in November, 1874. The open sheds and bunkers of the mill were boarded up, and everything made as snug as possible, to keep out the rain and snow. Thus it happened that Print and I lived there week after week, keeping a sort of "bachelor's hall."

That is to say we done our own cooking over a small stove in the mill, and boarded ourselves. Having plenty of time, we watched for deer occasionally in the ravines and along the mountain sides to the north of the ridge, where the mine was located; and Print began trapping martens, the sharp squeaks of which we now heard early every morning around the mill.

As powder-boy, it had been Print's business to carry the cans of powder and nitro glycerine in and out of the "drift." The latter explosive was purchased and received there, made up in cartridges, put in long tin cases, containing each a safety fuse and a small charge of gunpowder for firing the mightier *rackrender*.

From the mine down to the stage-house, or station, the distance was five miles, over a bare stony slope, in some places somewhat steep in others nearly level, and too barren for trees and bushes. Nothing, in fact, grew on it save tufts of wire-grass.

The station building with its sheds was in plain sight, seemingly far below. The mine was said to be thirteen hundred feet above Nimm's Creek, along which the stage road runs. We were in the habit of going to the station every second or third day after such supplies as we needed.

With a glass however, objects at the station and along the road could be plainly observed. In our idle moments we used to sit and watch the teams coming and going.

Snow fell at times during November and December, and on the 3d or 4th of January there came a great snow storm. For thirty-six hours the wind blew terrifically, and the whirling clouds of fine snow flew in at every crack and chink of the mill.

The only place into which it did not drift was the engine-room and into this we moved our stove; but even here had no easy task to keep warm. Luckily, we had dry pine wood enough left from the fuel for the engine else we should assuredly have frozen to death.

The gale did not fairly abate till the third day, when the whole country looked white and wintry indeed. Not less than four feet of snow had come. Down in the valley there seemed to be even more of it than on the mountain.

The station and its sheds looked as though they were nearly buried. A great many teams had put in there for shelter, and we could see a number of snow-laden wagons standing outside, for which there was no room in the sheds. The teamsters were shoveling paths for taking the mules down to the creek to water.

Meantime the stock of provisions which we had brought up on our backs five days before, was exhausted; we had only a dozen frozen potatoes left in the mill.

Some snow-shoes were hastily rigged from strips of thin cottonwood boards, with bands of leather nailed on for the straps, with bands of leather nailed on for the straps, and we were about setting off to go down to the station, when Print, who had been outside the mill, came excitedly back, exclaiming.—

"The redskins have come down on the stage-house! There's an awful battle! I can hear the guns goin' *pop—pop—pop!*"

I seized the glass and ran out of the mill. Plainly enough I could hear the distant crack of rifles, and even see a faint blue wreath of powder-smoke hanging over the station. With the glass I counted seventeen or eighteen Indians, who could be seen dodging about the bluffs on the opposite side of the creek on snow-shoes.

We had heard a rumor of hostile Indians several weeks before, when "Gray Eagle's band was said to be on a marauding expedition. Such reports, in fact, are always going at frontier settlements. The plunder of so many teams, snow-bound there at the stage-house, was probably the object the savages had in view.

For us this, of course was a most alarming matter. We knew not how soon the redskins might see our smoke and come up to the mine. There was nothing to prevent their seeing it; indeed, we had no doubt they had seen it all the morning.

Setting Print to watch their movements, I fell to work and barricaded the entrances to the mill as effectively as possible, with logs and uncrushed lumps of ore.

In the course of an hour, Print called out that the Indians had drawn off from the station and gone up to the timber, at the "bend" of the creek. Here they camped. The teamsters and Hawkins at the station had given them so hot a reception that they had given up the attack, it seemed, but had camped near by, to be on the lookout for the teams. We could see their smoke. The bend was nearly a mile nearer the mine than the stage house. The creek there bent back to the northwest while the stage-house lay down a little north east from the mine.

We had proof, only a little after noon, that the savages knew where we were at the mine. I was cleaning out one of two old carbines, when Print rushed in saying that three Indians were coming up the mountain.

These were, however, merely scouts, who had come out to reconnoitre us. They circled entirely round the the crest of the ridge where the mine was located, but Print began trapping martens, the sharp squeaks of which we now heard early every morning around the mill. kept at a respectful distance. I sent two bullets whizzing past their heads, to let them know we were ready for them; and Print had a nitro-glycerine cartridge ready to fling at them if they ventured nearer. After peeping at the mills from all sides, they went away.

Meantime, the sky had darkened again. The weather was growing cold by four o'clock [illegible] We made [illegible] and boiled and ate a few of our frozen potatoes; not very nourishing fare. I kept watch through the night, but let Print sleep a part of the time.

About midnight the sky cleared and the air became colder, with the wind from the north. By sunrise it was freezing sharply. The whole slope to the east and far onward over the bare peaks, beyond the creek, shone like ice.

A sharp crust had formed over the deep snow, not hard or thick enough to bear up a man, though a coyote might have run on it. There was no stirring out from the station, and the Indians were still up at their camp in the timber, as we saw by their smoke.

By this time we were both getting hungry enough. We were actually suffering for want of food, and should the savages remain there long we should be starved out. Had the nights been dark, I should have been hopeful of reaching the station under cover of the darkness; but there was a nearly full moon at the time, which on that snow-crust would render all objects plainly visible.

The savages were beyond doubt keeping a close watch, and would be almost certain to cut us off. The rascals would have less than three-fourths of a mile to run to our door. Yet in the famishing condition in which we were, and growing hungrier every hour, I had almost concluded that we must both risk endeavoring to get to the stage-house, when Print suggested sliding down to the station on a hand-sled.

"But where's your hand-sled?" I asked.

"I can make one," he said. "It will be a fearfully long slide, but I believe we can do it."

"Well, but won't the redskins head us off all the same?" said I.

"They'll have hard work to do it, when once we get a goin'," cried Print so confidently that I began to enter into his scheme.

Print, in fact, was from one of the Eastern states, where the boys are used to coasting. For myself, it was a matter I knew next to nothing of, snow being a rarity, indeed, in my native state of Louisiana.

So Print set to work to make a hand-sled—after a plan of his own. The "runners," as he called them, were fashioned from two wide pieces of ash plank, shaved off to a point at the front ends. While he was chantering these, he bade me take off two hoops of broad sheet-iron from an empty tierce that stood in the store-room.

The hoops he straightened, smoothed and nailed to the bottoms of his runners, for shoes. So broad were the pieces of plank that the runners stood nearly a foot high; and they were coupled together with four or five stout ash cross-pieces, or bars.

A wide bit of board was nailed top of these to sit on; and this, with two or three cleats to hold on by, completed the vehicle. It was eight feet long by two and a half feet wide.

I advised putting up side-pieces to hold us on; but Print said no, we must cling by the cleats. He expressed regret he had made it longer than ordinary coasting sleds, in order that it might be sure not to cut into the snow-crust. In short, Print seemed to understand the business so well that I had merely to keep quiet and let him go ahead his own way.

I should say he was from three to four hours making his sled, with what aid I could give him; and the moment it was done he was for starting off. My own faith was not so strong as was his, and for some minutes I hesitated.

"Get on!" exclaimed Print. "We'll be there in ten minutes, or less time."

The sun was sinking low; but the whole broad, snowy slope shone and glistened like glass. From the north a cold wind blew in long, heavy gusts. It seemed a fearful ride and a fearful risk. I went back to get one of the carbines.

"Better leave it," Print said. "You'll have all you can do to hold on, without that." Get pretty well forward and hang to them cleats like a sheep-tick. I'll ride behind and steer her down."

He pushed the sled along to the verge of the slope—and an instant later, we were gliding down the first of the steep inclines.

Faster—faster—faster!

How the cold wind cut our faces. The tears flew into my eyes. Jump—jump—jump we went, over hummocks and hollows.

Then came a wide level stretch across which the sled darted like a shuttle bouncing from knoll to knoll; and ere I had hardly time to catch my breath, we were shooting down another steep ridge-side, fairly throwing up a spray from the icy snow-crust.

"Hold fast!" Print yelled; and next instant we were *rocketting* over a frightfully rough place, where the snow scarcely filled the hollows betwixt the rocks. *Bound—thump—grind!* and we were capsized and went headlong.

But Print was up again in a moment—dragging the sled along to the crest of another steep descent. Save for a few bruises, we were uninjured.

"It's all plain sailing now," cried Print. "The roughest is past. But hold on tight. For we shall go like a lightning express down here!"

Already we were half way down to the station, with no Indians in sight. But we had hardly shoved off when a distant yell came to our ears, from up towards the timber-belt.

"There they are! They've seen us!" exclaimed Print. "Quick now!"

But before we had got well going, we saw three—*four*—FIVE redskins skimming along the crust on their *raquettes*, far down [illegible]

'Twas too late to recede, even if we had decided to do so. Forward was the only chance for us—and the faster the better. "Hang hard!" Print exclaimed. "I don't believe they can hit us!"

The sled gathered headway and shot down the long, glittering incline, Print keeping it headed straight for the station with an occasional jab of his heel. But those redskins were skating along on their raquettes as fast as a man could run; and they had but a comparatively short distance to go.

One was some distance in advance of the other four. I saw he had a gun. He intended to get very near us before we passed. I honestly think we were going a mile a minute. I could scarcely draw breath. The Indians raised a yell and rushed forward.

We were close on them now. The forward one stopped. I saw him cocking his gun—to let us have it when we dashed past. But he didn't get the chance for that. "*Bang!*" Print shouted to me, and gave a hard kick to the right, sending the sled straight on to the savage.

It was all done in a second of time, and my eyes were nearly blinded with the keen air; but I felt a shock, and heard instantly the Indian going heels over head—over and over.

Bang—bang—bang! went three or four guns at close quarters, but fortunately [illegible]

Next moment we dashed up a big drift clean over the roof of one of the stage-sheds—struck whack in the crust of the other side, bounded on twice or three times more, and brought up down in the bed of the creek.

The teamsters gave a "hurrah," and running out picked us up and helped us in.

We saw the redskin we had run down crawling slowly away; and presently the others carried him off to their camp.

We were blockaded there at the stage-house for over a fortnight, before a thaw came, when a company of cavalry arrived from the fort below, and cleared the road of Indians.—*Youth's Companion.*

Whalebone Now and Formerly.

Whalebone [illegible] t a very high price, especially [illegible] eskirts were more in fashion [illegible] to-day. The Dutch formerly [illegible] 500 for a ton of whalebone, but [illegible] 1763 it has never brought anything like that price. In 1818 it brought $450 a ton, in 1834 from $530 to $545; and in 1844 it varied from $1,080 for southern to $1,550 for northern bone. As the whale becomes scarce, of course whalebone will rise in the market, and at present the Dutch and the Scotch whalers are doing a very poor business. The Americans also complain, and now that this is the case, the inventive genius of man is trying hard to find a substitute for whalebone, and so far thy have met with some success. Buffalo horn has given great satisfaction, and there is quite a similarity between the two substances. The horns, after undergoing a special process, are cut into strips which are compressed, and straightened and rendered suitable for any purpose by the dressmaker. Compressed cane has also been resorted to as a substitute for whalebone, but does not answer the purpose as well as buffalo horn. In France whalebone is 15 francs the kilogram; that it to say, it has tripled in price during the last quarter of a century. In 1853 the quantity of bone brought into the United States was 6,652,300 pounds; in 1873 it was 190,000 pounds; in 1880, 100,000 pounds. In 1853 whalebone was worth 35 cents a pound; in 1876, $2.50; and at the present time it is said to be selling at $2 per pound. In 1857, 143 vessels comprised the Greenland fleet, and in 1877 only sixteen were sent out. It will be observed that the business varies considerably from time to time, and it seems pretty certain that the best days of whaling are over for the present. It is said that nearly one-half of our whalebone is exported to France and Germany. There is no doubt that there is more whalebone consumed in Paris than in any other city in the world, for Paris carries off the palm in the manufacture of parasols and articles in the making of which whalebone forms a very material part. Then there are walking sticks and riding and driving whips, canes, corset bones, corset clasps, busks, hat bone, suspender bone, fishing rods and tips, landing rods for nets, drill lower, ferules, splints, probangs, paper cutters and folders, graining combs, boot shanks, shoe horns, policemen's loaded clubs, that require whalebone in their composition.

The best whalebone is obtained from the Greenland whale. From the mouth of one of those monsters from 2,000 to 3,000 pounds are often taken. The manufacture of whalebone into articles of use and ornament is not so extensive as one might imagine. It is principally confined to New York and Boston, four manufactories being in the former and three in the latter. When the raw whalebone is first received at the factory the hair is cut off in slabs. They are then soaked in water until they are soft, after which they are scraped of all the gum that adheres to them. They are next put in a steam-box, where a workman straightens them with a knife; they are finally polished, and are then ready to be made use of for any purpose that the dresser may see fit. Whalebone is principally used, nowadays, in the manufacture of whips and corsets. Umbrella frames used to be made altogether of whalebone, but since its scarcity and high price, steel is mostly used for this purpose. Whalebone hats and whalebone ribbon have just come into vogue. The former look very beautiful and are very comfortable on the head.—*Boston Transcript.*

In 1764, England had over 20,000 negro slaves, and they wore collars like dog collars.

In 1852 the United States produced only 2,000,000 tons of coal, while in 1880 about 70,000,000 tons were produced.

Among the Athenians the perforation of the ears was a mark of nobility; with the Hebrews and Romans it indicated servitude.

The Ashantee of Africa, like the ancient Greeks, when he drinks spills a little of the liquor on the ground as an offering to the gods.

The guanaco of Patagonia is described as having the head of a camel, the body of a deer, wool of a sheep and neigh of a horse.

Dogs in a state of nature never bark; they whine or growl. The explosive noise is only found among those which have been domesticated.

In England, in the time of Alfred, every man was a soldier. No slave was permitted to carry arms. The very gift of a weapon conferred freedom.

Some animals have regular cemeteries to which they retire to die. The llama of South America has its district cemeteries, in which bones are found bleaching in great numbers.

By means of a French patent process, an excellent substitute for coffee is made out of dates. It is said to taste so much like the genuine article that only by analysis can the difference be detected.

Miscellaneous Recipes.

Harvest Soup.—Cut in small pieces one pound of good beef, cover with cold water, and boil gently for three hours; let it stand over night; remove all the fat; bring to a boil and add a can of lobster, cut fine; prepare one cauliflower sliced, cut the corn from one dozen ears, break in small pieces one quart of butter-beans, slice one onion, cut fine three or four radishes, add all to the soup, with one whole green pod pepper, one teaspoonful black pepper, one teaspoonful salt; in one hour add one quart of tomatoes sliced; when tender, carefully remove without breaking on the skimmer the pod pepper; simmer the rest four hours longer, add no more water before the tomatoes are put in than necessary to keep from burning; after they are in none will be needed. Half the above quantities can be used. Some like potato with the other vegetables. Add salt to taste before dishing. A little rice can be used if liked, in the soup.

Chicken with Okra.—Singe and draw a large, tender chicken, cut in small pieces, put in a saucepan with two ounces of butter, two ounces of lean ham, and an onion [illegible] moisture is evaporated, drain the butter off, wet with two quarts of beef broth, add a quart of peeled and seedless tomatoes (cut in small pieces,) half a green pepper, (cut small,) four ounces of rice, and about 50 tender okras, (pared at both ends and cut in rounds;) season with salt, pepper, nutmeg, a bunch of parsley with aromats, also a leek, and celery, pour it into a soup-tureen and serve.

Muffins.—One quart sifted flour, two eggs one tablespoonful melted butter, one tablespoonful sugar one teaspoonful salt, (not heaped,) quarter yeast-cake dissolved in a little water; mix with sufficient sweet milk to make a medium stiff batter; beat the eggs very light, stir all together, set to rise over night, add one small teaspoonful soda just before baking; bake in gem-pans on top of stove to set the bottom, finish in quick oven; not to be turned over.

Quickly-Made Beef Tea.—Take any desired quantity of steak from the top part of the round, as this has less fat and more juice than any other part; remove all the fat and divide the meat into small pieces, cutting across the grain; put the meat in a dry saucepan and allow it to sweat for five minutes over a slow fire, stirring occasionally to prevent sticking. After sweating for five minutes, you will find the meat white in color, and surrounded by a rich, nourishing gravy, which, in case of great exhaustion, may be given in this form. But ordinarily we next pour over the meat its weight in cold water, allowing a pint of water to a pound of beef. Stir until the water boils; it must not boil again but simmer gently for five or ten minutes until the sauce is drawn out, then strain carefully into a bowl, and if there is a particle of fat on the top, remove it with a piece of brown, unsized paper. By this method you may take off every star of fat without wasting any of the beef tea, as is done when using a ladle or spoon. Salt according to taste, but always lightly.

Horse-Radish Vinegar (English.)—Quarter of a pound of scraped horse-radish, one ounce minced chalot, one drachm cayenne, one quart vinegar; put all in a bottle, shake well every day for two weeks; when thoroughly steeped, strain and bottle, and it is ready for use. This is made best in September or October, as horse-radish is best then, and it is a nice relish for meat.

Need of Higher Culture in Home Life.

Nothing is more painful to one who knows what mothers may do for their children, or wives for their husbands, than to see the idleness of young women who are not compelled to work for a living, and to find how empty-headed they are. This may seem a small matter in itself, but the moment a woman is married she has to learn how to be interesting in her home to her husband, and as soon as she is a mother, the training of her children is the foremost duty of the home. In these two spheres of life, which are essentially the goal of woman's existence, everything depends upon what the wife and mother brings to her several positions, everything for her own, her husband's and her children's happiness. Women are perpetually losing their husbands because they rely upon evanescent personal charms to uphold affection, but the surest way to provide against the decay of the enthusiasm of the early married life is to cultivate those mental and moral qualities which make women always charming and attractive.

Nothing is any surer to do this, aside from personal manners, than the improvement of one's mind, the growth of literary tastes, the interest of what imports new and wholesome attractions into one's home. It may be the microscope, or French or German translation, or botany or English literature, or history, or music, but whatever it is, the stimulus of knowing one thing thoroughly is worth immensely more than the knowledge itself, because it gives one the power to know more and to enjoy more. These studies, even in themselves, are refining, but pursued in the genial atmosphere of home, they are more than simply refining; they are agencies by which the spirit of the home is chastened, made moral, even made religious. Religion in one's home is the best when it is the least insisted upon, when its life is the unconscious poetry of the household, when it seems to be the natural culmination of the amenities of life; and religion and culture go together in the well-ordered life of every woman. But it is when the wife becomes a mother, when the religion and culture find a congenial sphere for development within the sanctities of home, when among children and among friends and neighbors the tone is always uplifting and inspiring, that literary culture and the genial development of a woman's mind and heart seem to make life sweetest and best. Fortunate is the boy or girl who has such a home. It is from such quarters, be they the log cabin or the house with brown stone front, that men and women go forth with the idea that conquers the world. Every leading person has had a start somewhere, and usually it is traced to one of these mothers whose native or acquired culture has been imparted to her bright children. Here is the true importance of literature at home. It pays for itself hundreds of times over in its influence upon parents, and in the early direction it gives to their children.

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Fruit Canning

It is not many years since every good housewife felt called upon at least once a year to take a great deal of trouble in preserving a supply of fruit for use during the winter months. The purchase of fruit-jars, the picking, or purchase, and sorting of fruit, the purchase of sugar, the boiling and preparation of the syrup, oftentimes in the hottest weather, was a task which many a good housewife looked forward to with some trepidation, while the uncertainties attending the keeping qualities of the preserves, after they were manufactured, made this a rather undesirable feature in housekeeping.

Within a few years, however, all this has become unnecessary, the manufacture of preserves on a large scale, with skilled labor and improved appliances, has proven, as in many other branches of manufacture a great success, and while there are some thrifty housewives who still think their "home-made" preserves are better than the "store" article, it is undoubtedly true that high-class preserves are decidedly fine, and in a number of cases are more appetizing and delicate than the home-made article. I say this with all due respect for the skill shown by many careful, conscientious housewives throughout the land, but in this case the doctrine "survival of the fittest," I think, is quite applicable. Too many people are apt to sit down, fold their hands, and disclaim against anything not made at home, at least as far as preserves and candied fruits are concerned. The sword, I must admit, cuts both ways. While I have wrestled carefully and conscientiously at many houses with *alleged* preserves made at home, I have suffered the "pangs of Tantalus" from atrocious compounds put on the market by conscienceless manufacturers. For the benefit of those who desire to "do up" their own fruits I append a few trustworthy receipts:

Fill the jar with the desired fruit while cold. Make a syrup of sugar (quantity as given below) by boiling well to prevent fermentation, or it can be put on fruit dry. Fill jar with fruit, pour sugar over it until jar is full half-way up the neck; screw on covers of jars without rubber rings; put a board indented with holes in bottom of wash-boiler and stand jars on it; fill boiler with cold water up to neck of jars; boil (time necessary for different fruits is given below,) then remove jars one by one, take off covers, fill with boiling water, put on rubber rings and screw covers on tightly as possible. The same process is used in preserving all kinds of fruits.

PREPARING FRUITS FOR PRESERVING.

Boil Cherries moderately	5	minutes
" Raspberries moderately	6	"
" Blackberries moderately	6	"
" Plums moderately	10	"
" Strawberries moderately	8	"
" Whortleberries	5	"
" Pie-Plant sliced	10	"
" Small sour Pears, whole	30	"
" Bartlett Pears in halves	20	"
" Peaches, in halves	8	"
" Peaches, whole	15	"
" Pineapple, sliced ½ in. thick	15	"
" Siberian Crab apple, whole	25	"
" Sour Apples, quartered	10	"
" Ripe Currants	6	"
" Wild Grapes	10	"
" Tomatoes	90	"

Pour into warm jars.

The amount of sugar [illegible] a quart jar should be:

Cherries	6	ounces
Raspberries	4	"
Lawton Blackberries	6	"
Field Blackberries	6	"
Strawberries	8	"
Whortleberries	4	"
Quince	10	"
Small sour Pears, whole	8	"
Wild Grapes	8	"
Peaches	4	"
Bartlett Pears	6	"
Pineapples	6	"
Siberian or Crab Apples	8	"
Plums	8	"
Pie-Plant	10	"
Sour Apples, quartered	6	"
Ripe Currants	8	"

Wholesome Food.

The earliest agitator in the matter, say a writer in the *Nineteenth Century*, observes, when traveling in Sicily, that the laboring classes there live healthily and work well upon a vegetable diet, the staple article of which bread is made of well-ground wheat meal. Nor are the Sicilians by any means the only people so supported. "The Hindoos of the Northwestern Provinces can walk fifty or sixty miles a day with no other food than 'chapatties,' made of the whole meal, with a little 'ghee,' or Galam butter." Turkish and Arab porters capable of carrying burdens of from 400 to 600 pounds, live on bread only, with the occasional addition of fruit and vegetables. The Spartans and Romans of the old time lived their vigorous lives on bread made of wheaten meal. In Northern, as well as Southern climates, we find the same thing. In Russia, Sweden, Scotland, and elsewhere, the poor live chiefly on bread, always made from some whole meal—wheat, oats, or rye—and the peasantry, of whatever climate, so fed, always compare favorably with our South English poor, who, in conditions of indigence precluding them from obtaining sufficient meat food, starve, if not to death, at least into sickliness, on the white bread it is our modern English habit to prefer. White bread alone will not support animal life. Bread made of whole grain will. The experiment has been tried in France by Magendie. Dogs were the subjects of the trial, and every care was taken to equalize all the conditions—to proportion the quantity of food given in each case to the weight of the animal experimented upon, and so forth. The result was sufficiently marked. At the end of forty days the dogs fed soley on white bread died. The dogs fed on bread made of the whole grain remained vigorous, healthy and well nourished. Whether an originally healthy human being, if fed solely on white bread for forty days, would likewise die at the end of that time, remains, of course a question. The tenacity of life exhibited by Magendie's dogs will not evidently bear comparison with that of the scarcely yet forgotten forty days wonder—Dr. Tanner. Nor is it by any means asserted that any given man or any given child would certainly remain in vigorous health for an indefinite length of time if fed solely on wheat-meal bread. Not a single piece of strong evidence has been produced, however, to show that he would not; and in the only case in which whole-meal bread has been tried with any persistency or on any considerable scale among us—to wit, in jails—facts go to show such bread to be an excellent and wholesome substitute for more costly forms of nutritious food.

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July 25, 1878: People's Advocate, Pittsb'g, Pa.

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OUR DAILY RECKONING.

If you sit down at set of sun
And count the acts that you have done,
And counting, find
One self-denying act, one word
That eased the heart of him who heard,
One glance most kind
That fell like sunshine where it went,
Then you may count that day well spent.

But if through all the livelong day
You've cheered no heart by yea or nay
If through it all
You've nothing done that you can trace,
That brought the sunshine to one face;
No act most small
That helped some soul, and nothing cost
Then count that day as worse than lost.

Father and Sons.

"If you wish to train up your child in the way he should go, just skirmish ahead on that line yourself," said Wise Josh Billings, and if he was not addressing fathers or thinking of boys, he ought to have been. The writer was present once at a social religious meeting, when a very large man with a very large nose, and no doubt a very large heart, arose and used his space of time to tell what a good mother he had, and how her influence had guided him, and finished with an exortation to all mothers to make good men of their boys.

The divines followed in a similar strain and ended with the same exhortation, and all the brethren settled themselves more comfortably into their seats, and all the sisters bowed their heads with meek faces as if sweetly taking up the heavy burden thus flatteringly laid upon their frail shoulders. No, not all; for one sat bolt upright, too indignant for speech, to see those great broad-shouldered men thus calmly shirking the greatest responsibility God ever called them to bear.

Because some mothers blessed with mighty faith and powerful will, have borne their sons triumphantly over the quicksands of youthful temptations and planted their feet firmly on the pleasant upland of righteous manhood, shall it be demanded of every frail woman to whom God has given a son, that she do the same? No; with equal justice it might be demanded of every woman that she write books like Mrs. Stowe, entrance large audiences like Miss Willard and Anna Dickenson, or be a brilliant newspaper correspondent like Mary Clemmer.

What weight has a mother's word when weighed against a father's example? The mother says: 'My son, do not smoke; it is bad for your health, bad for the purse, bad for the morals, and the pleasure it affords is trifling compared to the evil it works."

"What does mother know about smoking?" reasons the boy; "she never smokes; father smokes, and I am going to too."

"Don't spend your evenings about the bar-room and village store," pleads the troubled mother; "the conversation there is not such as I wish you to listen to."

"What does mother know about bar-room talk?" questions the boy; "she is at home rocking the baby or darning stockings; father is there, and I'm going."

One out-spoken ten-year-old boy said: "I like my mother well enough; but I think father is a great deal smarter;" and he expressed the feeling of the average boy when he enters his teens. Now, which parent is likely to have most influence in forming the character of that son?

"I'll take what father takes," said the boy at the hotel dinner table, and boys are taking what their fathers take all the world over.

A father and son were clambering up the rough, steep sides of a mountain, when the father paused to decide which of many paths to take; the boy said: "Be sure to choose a good path, father, for I am coming right behind you."

Fathers, upon the hillside of life, be sure you choose a "good path," for your sons are just behind, and almost certain to follow in your footsteps. If the bewitching voice of pleasure entices you into by-paths of self-indulgence and sin, remember that where you trip he will stumble, and the same foul mire that soils your raiment will engulf him. But if you choose to walk the pleasant highways of temperance, virtue and Christian manliness, he shall keep even step with you, and at last dwell in peace at your side.

"The just man walketh in his integrity; his children are blessed after him."

Remarkable Escape.

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Astronomers do not know whether it is an old comet or a new comet, one comet or two comets; but these are matters of little consequence. What the people really want to know is whether a period of fearful lights that never glimmer save when kings and heroes die is a good time to sow turnips.—Courier Journal.

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Miscellaneous Recipe.

Mead.—One gallon of water, one pound of loaf sugar, one-half ounce of ginger, one lemon sliced, take out the seeds; one teacupful of yeast. Let it stand over night to ferment, then pour off without stirring; add to each bottle one raisin; cork tight.

Watermelon Rind Pickle.—Ten pounds of melon, half small tender, drain the water off; make a syrup of two pounds of sugar, one quart of vinegar, one-half ounce of cloves, one ounce of cinnamon; boil all this, and pour over the rind boiling hot; drain off the syrup and let it come to a boil; then pour it over the melons.

Cittabill Milk Potatoes.—Take good, sound potatoes, cut them in slices (raw,) and put the milk, according to the quantity you wish to make, in a pudding dish; then, after you have put the potatoes in the milk, put it in the oven for about twenty minutes, then take out and put the potatoes with the same milk into a saucepan to boil until done; season before boiling.

Hash.—Chop into hash some cold meat (corned beef, mutton or fowl;) season with salt and a little pepper, also a little butter if liked; boil enough potatoes to make, when mashed, twice the quantity of the hash; mash the potatoes to a cream, adding before the mashing a tablespoonful of butter and a teaspoonful of salt; fill an earthen baking dish with the potatoes, rounding it handsomely; in the center of the potatoes make a deep hole large enough to contain the hash; round it all nicely and bake a light brown; garnish with celery tops.

Ginger Pudding.—One cup of butter, two of sugar, one of milk, four of flour, one tablespoonful of ginger, one teaspoonful of saleratus, two of cream of tartar, four eggs. Beat the sugar and butter to a cream; then stir in the eggs, which are to be well beaten; then the milk, and last the flour, in which the saleratus, ginger and cream of tartar are well mixed. Bake in a pudding-dish for forty-five minutes. Serve with lemon or vinegar sauce. After adding the flour, beat but little. Measure the butter not very solid. Flour should be sifted only a short time before it is used.

Cocoanut Pie.—One-half pound grated cocoanut; three quarters of a pound white sugar (powdered;) six ounces butter; five eggs, the whites only; one glass white wine; two tablespoonfuls rose water; one teaspoonful nutmeg. Cream the butter and sugar, and when well mixed, beat very light with the wine and rose-water. Add the cocoanut with as little and as light beating as possible; finally, whip in the stiffened whites of the eggs with a few skillful strokes, and bake at once in open shells. Eat cold, with powdered sugar sifted over them. These are delightful pies.

Orange Pie.—Rub a teacupful of powdered sugar and a tablespoonful of butter to a cream. Mix a tablespoonful of corn starch with a little cold water; and add a teacupful of boiling water; let it cook long enough to thicken, stirring constantly, then pour the mixture on to the butter and sugar. Grate the peel from half an orange, and chop the other half fine—first removing all the inner white skin. Add this to the former ingredients, also a beaten egg and the juice of an orange. Peel another orange, and slice it in little thin bits, being careful to remove all the seeds and the white tough skin. Line a pie plate with nice paste and bake it until just done, then fill with the custard and orange slices, and bake long enough to cook the egg. A meringue made with the whites of two eggs, a pinch of salt and two tablespoons of powdered sugar beaten to a stiff froth, will be an improvement. Spread it over the pie; sift powdered sugar on the top and set it again in the oven until slightly colored.

Roast Forequarter of Lamb.—Ingredients: lamb, a little salt. Mode—To obtain the flavor of lamb in perfection, it should not be long kept; time to cool is all that it requires, and though the meat may be somewhat tough, the juices and flavor will be infinitely superior to that of lamb that has been killed two or three days; have a brisk fire when the joint is put down; baste it constantly until the moment of serving. Lamb should be thoroughly done without being dried up, and not the slightest appearance of red gravy should be visible as in roast mutton; this rule is applicable to all young roast white meats; serve with a little gravy made in the dripping-pan and send to table with a tureen of mint sauce, a fresh salad, a cut lemon, a small piece of butter and a little cayenne; should also be placed on the table so that when the carver separates the shoulder from the ribs they may be ready for his use.

Pie-Plant Jelly.—Pick the plants and wash, but do not peel it; cut in strips put in the kettle, and to each pound water to cook until soft, strain the juice off and weigh, and sugar pound for pound; cook ten minutes or until it looks as you wish it.

Meerschaum.

The word Meerschaum in the German means sea-foam, and the material was so named because of its lightness and whitish appearance. It is a mineral of soft earthy texture, somewhat resembling chalk. It is found in Greece and Turkey, as well as in Spain, occurring in the form of veins and likewise. In Turkey it is used extensively as fuller's earth. The custom is to roughly shape it into blocks or rude forms of pipes for exportation. Pesth and Vienna are famous cities for the manufacture of meerschaum pipes, and at Geneva quite a number of the elegant smokers are to be seen. The manufacture of the spurious article is extensive, Paris leading in the newer imitations. To produce the yellow and brown colors, so much admired in the real meerschaum pipe, and which come only after they are smoked some time, the blocks are long kept in a mixture of wax and fatty matter. These are in part absorbed, and, afterward, being acted on by heat from the tobacco, the meerschaum assumes various shades of colors. What are known as artifical meerschaums—made from the parings of the genuine material, reduced to fine powder, boiled in water, and molded into blocks—cannot easily be distinguished from the real, but they are generally heavier and more free from blemishes.

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Probably more horses are lost by colic than all other diseases combined, and one chief trouble in treating the disease is that many of the so-called remedies are either absurd or the ingredients are not available. A few weeks since we had a horse taken violently with flatulent colic, and I started for a "horse doctor" a mile distant. On my way I recollected having read in the Michigan Farmer, I think it was, of applying blankets wrung out of hot water, and I wished I had tried it before starting. My wife it seems, had read the same article, and after I had gone went to work in good "woman" earnest and applied the hot blankets, and when I returned in about half an hour she came to the door laughing, saying: "Your horse is all right now," and sure enough he was walking around the yard entirely relieved.

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Bishop Clark is right when he says the ablest works are not always such as sell best. The most edifying speakers are not always those who draw the largest audiences. But when a man is able to sway the mind and heart of the multitude, it may be assumed that he does it by virtue of some power which is peculiar to himself. It may not be the highest kind of power, and still is a power that deserves to be recognized.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 2, 1883.

The real presidential contest will begin when the next congress opens not before.

The Boston Post thinks the best Democratic ticket would be Tilden & Hancock.

Inside of three years the telephone will almost wholly supersede the telegraph for short distances.

August is the vacation month.—Everybody who can get away is off to some watering place now.

Ohio politics are warming up to fever heat. Even the dog days will witness no cessation of hostilities.

Though the winds blow and the earthquakes tremble, the base ball campaign pursues the even tenor of its way.

The drowning of Capt. Webb, in the Niagara whirlpool, was as clear a case of suicide as though he had tied a halter around his neck and hung himself in the barn.

The wheat crop of 1883 is estimated at fifty million bushels less than that of last year. Still there will be nine bushels for every man, woman and child in the country.

Storms and floods, whirlwinds and waterspouts, earthquakes and railroad disasters continue to darken the record of 1883. May we not soon see another such a year.

The strike of the telegraphers still continues. People who are in a hurry send their messages by mail. As this is a slack season of the year for business the inconvenience is not greatly felt, but wait until the fall trade opens and then see the result.

The movement for the nomination of Arthur seems to be gathering strength. Blaine and Conkling are out of the question. Edmunds has no following. Logan has no strength in the east. Arthur's chances are improving every day.

"Is this weather caused by the spots on the sun?" asked one Tecumsehite of his neighbor yesterday. "Perhaps that has something to do with it," was the reply. "but I am inclined to believe Guiteau is at the bottom of it. You know he said something awful would happen in case he was hung."

Conkling is going to the Yellowstone too, as well as President Arthur. A Washington dispatch says,

Mr. Conkling's train may not be as extensive as Gen. Arthur's, but it will be composed of friends as sincere and disinterested as any who follow the President. It includes many Republicans who, like Mr. Conkling, contributed greatly to Mr. Arthur's election, but who feel that they have been driven out of politics by him. When told that Arthur has set up for himself, and intends to run for a second term, they nod their heads, say they understand so, and walk away.

The Western Union telegraph company issued this bulletin last week:

East, every wire O. K.; north, O. K. on all points; south, way wires all O. K.; through wires also O. K. to all points west; at West, all routes O. K.; business clear for all points this morning, and to-day's business moving in good time. Chicago reports overland wires O. K. and business about clear.

This has a decidedly "O.K." appearance, that is true. The wires are generally O. K. and so are the poles, but how is it with the operators? The company is putting the best face possible upon a very bad situation.

They have a very matter of fact way of committing matrimony down in Kentucky. Two brothers became engaged to sisters of a neighboring family. The parents sanctioned the first engagement, but objected to the second. The younger of the couples determined to elope. One night the young man met a veiled girl whom he supposed to be his affianced in a picturesque grove and drove off with her in a buggy. He had not gone very far when he discovered that his companion was the desired one's sister, who had overheard them when they planned the elopement, and had come before the appointed time to perpetrate a joke. Appreciating the humor of the situation, the young lover proposed to marry her, and she consenting they were united. When the brother heard of the escapade he offered himself to his sister-in-law, who accepted him.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, July 31, 1883.

The telegraphers strike remains practically unchanged, each party claiming that it can hold out as long as the other remains obstinate. After a careful review of the state of affairs it strikes me that the matter will end in a compromise. The Western Union is certainly doing better than the strikers anticipated, but it is at an enormous expense both of money and labor. The best of the operators are nearly fagged out from overwork. One of them dropped senseless from his chair last Tuesday morning from sheer exhaustion and want of sleep. The strikers, it must be said, are behaving admirably, and if it is true that the Knights of Labor shoved this division of their Brotherhood forward to do pioneer duty for made a better selection. All that they want to do is to keep out the outside demagogues who are always ready to shove themselves forward to inflame, and then to retire when the mischief has been done.

The Jersey Lily's departure and the decision in the Tearle divorce suit formed the topics of conversation in theatrical circles this week. So far as the former is concerned it is safe to assume that Freddie will not break his neck, for now that he has been removed from beyond the charms of the beautiful English woman, his married sister will take him in hand and try to bring him back to his senses. He accompanies her to Saratoga this week where his horse Bole will probably start for the Cup on Saturday. So far as the Tearle decision goes, in which the court fixes the alimony at $2,000 a year, and allows $500 additional for the support of the children, it gives general satisfaction.

Some years ago the cry used to be that it cost a fortune to keep one's wife or other female relatives at a seaside resort for a month, on account of the dresses they were obliged to wear. Now we have changed all that. The materials used are of the cheapest kind as a rule. That they look light and cool seems to be the sole requisite. A lady of my acquaintance who has been migrating between Saratoga and Long Branch, tells me that during this whole season, she had scarcely seen a dress which could not have been furnished for $100. A very few she had seen which might have cost $300, but this was the very extreme outside limit. As regards jewelry, cheapness added to lightness, and tastefulness prevails in it as well. It is only the wives and daughters of rich Hebrews who wear diamonds.

Are the days of the Salvation Army numbered. It looks very much that way. First they drove them from the steps of the City Hall, where they used to hold afternoon sessions and exhortations. Next they stopped them from parading through the streets with their big base drum, singing and shouting. Now they are even prevented from exhorting in the street near their own barracks, but are obliged to confine themselves to the house. Verily, no end of obstructions seem to be thrown in their way to prevent them from saving sinners. But, raillery aside, the authorities could do no better than to put a stop to practices which make a circus of religion. In Europe the Salvationists have been the direct cause of a great deal of trouble. Here, fortunately, we are clearer headed and cooler hearted, but even at that their wild and frantic methods cannot but exert a very bad influence on easily impressioned minds, making them liable to commit actions which they otherwise would not be guilty of.

The Trade Dollar is gradually finding its way back into circulation. When the scare first begun a number of Jewish clothing houses to draw trade announced that they would take the betrayed coin at par. This brought them a run of custom until houses in the same line did likewise, and then the trick lost its value. Then saloon keepers began first by agreeing to take them if a certain number of drinks were taken. From this they soon retreated to accepting them without stipulation. Grocers and dealers in fancy goods next followed. In a few weeks the trade dollar will be as well off as foreign coins. When the hue and cry was raised against them nobody wanted them. Now, one can get rid of them almost anywhere except in street cars and at banks.

A dog fancier tells me that the fashionable dog of the near future will be the black poodle, neatly shaved up to the neck so as to give him a lionine appearance. There have been numerous demands for dogs of this kind. It was at one time attempted to force the Caniche poodle into circulation as financial men would say, but it failed, for the dog though clever and affectionate was too big and acted too much like an overgrown boy to be a lady's pet. A pretty cross between a poodle and a Yorkshire terrier, is being sold by a fancier which is creating some talk. The day of the pug are therefore evidently numbered, for in view of such opposition he can scarcely be expected to hold his grip on the public taste

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

The Vassar Episcopalians are building a neat new chapel.

Much damage has been done by the high water at Muskegon.

The Kalamazoo pioneers will meet at Galesburg Sept. 27th.

George Wood, aged 10, drowned at Manchester while bathing, last week.

Samuel O'Dea, of Oscoda, kicked a buzz-saw and his toes went into the sawdust bin.

Battle Creek will pay Prof. E. C. Spencer, the superintendent of schools, $1,900 a year.

A Livingston county Sunday school association has been formed at Howell.

The corner stone of the new opera house at Flint has been laid with appropriate ceremonies.

Frank Hammond, of Rollin, was kicked by a horse last week, and his jaw broken in two places.

Rev. B. Cole, of Harrison, has sued the Cleaver for $2,000 libel damages. B. Cole day when he gets it.

A postoffice has been established at Rosedale, Chippewa county, with Richard Kemp for postmaster.

The Vassar masons will build another story on the new Pioneer office building and use it as a lodge room.

Ralph Merrill, eldest son of H. P. Merrill, of Bay City, accidently shot and killed himself last week.

What's the matter with the Michigan ministers of late anyhow. Three of them had to sue their neighbors for libel.

Three Rivers people are endeavoring to have the Oak Park seminary removed to that place, and their chances are very flattering.

A few days ago a two-years old son of John Gonsoly, of Van Buren township, Wayne county, fell into a tub of hot water and was fatally scalded.

Ann Arbor town will squander $100 for woodchuck scalps. The woodchucks want the scalps, but the town also wants them and must have them.

The contract for furnishing the state its stationery, etc., has been awarded to Charles N. Ayres, of the Detroit firm of Richmond & Backus.

Jake Close, a coal miner working in the Corunna mines, got drunk and split his wife's head open with a hoe. He has gone to Ionia for 90 days.

John Pearsall, of Flint, has been convicted of selling liquor to a minor and sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and be imprisoned 10 days. He appeals the case.

A son of W. H. Bennent, living six miles south of Evart, in throwing a stone at a horse struck his hand on a sharp scythe, nearly severing it from the wrist.

Asa Fletcher, of Pratt's Lake, near Lowell, was trying to shoot a chicken and accidentally shot his nephew, Hiram Fletcher, inflicting a serious and perhaps fatal wound.

A clambake club has been formed at Saginaw. They will probably bake Tittabawassee river frogs—which are about the nearest to clams of anything found thereabouts.

Alonzo Watts, a negro at Kalamazoo, shot his wife last week, and she is seriously, perhaps fatally injured. Watts, who was drunk when he did the deed, has been caught.

A Grand Ledge marshal locked a boy in jail. The boy borrowed a hatchet, cut a hole through the floor and skipped, and the marshal sings, "Where is my wandering boy tonight?"

J. N. Brown, a photographer of Milford, tried to commit suicide last week by taking morphine. He violently resisted efforts to save him, but was finally forced into a condition for being medically treated.

Port Sanilac parties are gathering stones for Chicago paving contractors. The crop is inexhaustible at Port Sanilac, being gathered from the lake. Every storm sweeps in enough to replace all those previously taken.

Last week a young son of Schuyler Georgia, a farmer living near St. Johns, was standing near a reaper, when in some way he was caught by the reel, thrown upon the knives, and both legs were nearly severed from his body.

The Osceola county driving park association have lately clayed their track at Evart, and will stump the ground and make other improvements and they claim now to have as good a half mile track as any in northern Michigan.

Fifty-two years ago Allen Tibbits preached the first sermon ever delivered at Coldwater. The audience was gathered in a log hut, situated where the elegant home of H. C. Lewis now stands. Last week Sunday Mr. Tibbits lectured in the elegant opera house, owned by his son, in the same place.

When Barnum's circus was at Ann Arbor Davis Weller, of Birkette, went to town to see the show. He sold his team there and has not been seen since. It is supposed he went to Canada and got a little off, and it is considered about time for him to brace up and return to the bosom of his family.

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V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.
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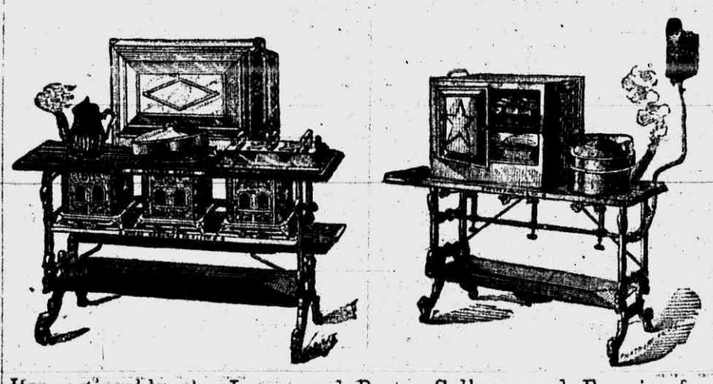

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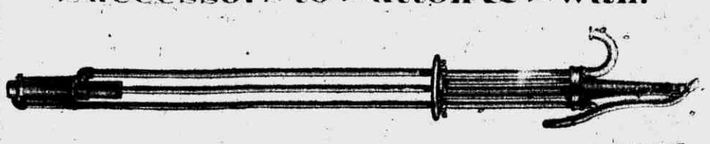

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LOST. A wool shawl between Franklin and Sand Lake, Aug. 1. Finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway company that a meeting of said stockholders will be held in the city of Marshall, Michigan, on Sept. 11th, 1883, at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of considering and acting upon the agreement of the directors of each company to consolidate the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company and the Toledo & Michigan Railway Company, and to give said stockholders an opportunity to vote thereon.
July 9th, 1883.
JAMES E. NEAL,
Secretary Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Co.
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Secretary Toledo & Michigan Railway Co.

Col. D. S. Curtis, of Washington has been enjoying his annual vacation. He took a trip to Wisconsin and on his return halted a day or two at Tecumseh and Clinton. We had a good visit and a ride to Clinton with him yesterday morning.

BASE BALL BATS.

Remember the game between Quincy and Tecumseh to-morrow afternoon.

The Clinton News gives its ball players this sensible advice.: "We are sorry to learn that there has been considerable ill feeling and jealousy existing between the first and second nines of our club. This ought not to be the case. If the club wish to do themselves credit, they should pick out the best players, and all work harmoniously together for the success of Clinton against the world.

Adrian Press: Tecumseh hired a special car for its base ball club (which the Post avers was "stuffed with professionals") and one day last week went to Hudson, and pounded the Chaffs out of the championship by a score of seventeen to eight. It was spleen that led the Post to charge the Tecumseh's with importing professionals. They never did such a thing in the world—neither did Adrian. It is unkind to intimate any thing of this nature whenever a club gets cleaned out. Tecumseh's players are all home made, and when they get down to business Chaffs loose the belt.

The Manchester Enterprise: The Tecumseh base ball club are said to have done some very good playing this season. They ought to tackle the Manchester club and experience some of the reverses of fortune.

THE LAST RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

A terrible railroad accident occurred last Friday night on the Rome and Watertown railroad near Carlton, N. Y. The train was filled with tourists going to the Thousand Islands, Montreal, Quebec and other eastern points. The train collided with a freight car which the wind had tipped over on the main track from a side track. Among the passengers were several Michigan people, some of whom were killed. Among the victims were Mrs. Wortley, of Saline, and A. B. Bostwick, formerly of Adrian. Dr. & Mrs. Kimball and E. I. Waldby and daughter, of Adrian, were also on the train, but they escaped uninjured. A private letter from Mr. Waldby contains the following particulars of the sad affair, which we clip from the Times:

Mr. Waldby, who, with his daughter and Dr. and Mrs. N. H. Kimball, were in the rear coach at the time of the accident, says that Mr. Bostwick boarded the train at Albion, the first station west of Carlton, occupying a seat in the forward car, and that he was almost instantly killed by the collision. He was conscious, however to the last, living a little more than an hour. Dr. Kimball and Mr. Waldby were with him to the end.

Dr. and Mrs. Kimball and Mr. Waldby and daughter escaped without injury. The coach which they occupied had, until the day of the accident, been placed next the baggage car, but its position was reversed on that afternoon, and it was placed on the end of the train. As the two forward coaches were utterly demolished, the change in position probably saved the lives of our townspeople.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 2, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Marshall races are in full blast this week.

Tom Thumb was the smallest person ever initiated.

Many a farmer secured his wheat or hay last Sunday.

Miss Nora Martin is visiting friends in Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio.

Abner Wilson threshed his wheat yesterday, the first man in these parts.

We received a friendly call last Tuesday from A. H. Burton of Clinton.

Miss Gussie Burlingame, of Cadillac, is in town visiting friends for a few days.

The two latest fashionable colors are crushed pumpkin and mangled [illegible].

The Teachers' Institute will begin on Monday next, Aug. 6th, at ten o'clock A.M.

A. E. Kennedy sells Buckeye fine cut chewing tobacco, and it is said the quality is A No. 1.

Mancelona claims the largest broom-handle factory in the world. It turns out 1,000,000 annually.

A. W. Slayton is shipping one thousand feet of ash plank from Hillsdale county to Illinois this week.

The great semi-annual clearing sale of Gainsley & Co. commenced yesterday and is now in full blast.

S. S. Scovill was in town a day or two last week. He is now engaged working up right of way contracts east of Britton.

We are issuing this week, for Gainsley & Co., our enterprising dry goods firm, a very neat four page circular showing low prices for a clearing sale during the coming month.

Do not forget the base ball games. Quincy vs. Tecumseh to-morrow at 3 P. M., and the League game, Wednesday of next week, Bay City vs. Tecumseh. Game called at 2 P. M.

Another game of ball last week Saturday between Harry Stevens' nine and Will Hayden's nine on Hayden's football ground, resulted in a score of 39 to 16 in favor of Stevens' nine.

Next week Wednesday, Aug. 8th, the Bay City club will play the Tecumseh, on our grounds. The Bay City club belong to the Northwestern League. Game will be called at 2 P. M.

The Tecumseh Base Ball Association request that there would be no base ball playing on their grounds on Sunday. All parties doing so will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Uncle Bill Nixon was 76 years old yesterday. The boys turned out in the evening to drum a little, and Uncle Bill can fife just as loud as he could 20 years ago. May we be able to hear Uncle Bill fife twenty more birthdays.

Our boys go to camp next Wednesday morning and we understand the company will turn out a good number. Each company must furnish "grub" for itself, and we see by the bill of fare that Co. C will not starve by any means.

Mr. M. P. Brown informs us that on account of increasing business he has been obliged to secure the services of a competent photographer who will soon commence work, so that a part of his time may be given to the attention of crayon and oil work.

We have a program of the commencement exercises of the Long Island College Hospital, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and by it we see the name of Wm. H. Aten as a graduate, and secretary of his class. We understand that Will has started a practice, is doing nicely, and we wish him all success.

The "Treasury of Song" for the home circle, vocal and instrumental, contains the richest gems, sacred and secular, carefully selected from the best works of the various authors. It embraces the grandest harmonies of the best composers, comprising their favorite songs, hymns, glees, ballads, anthems, chants, and selections from opera and oratorio in delightful variety, chosen especially for their eminent fitness to promote the happiness of every home. I shall be most happy to introduce this beautiful book to the lovers of music in Tecumseh.

H. M. GAMON.

Five years and four months ago the fourth of August Mr. W. H. Sink came to Tecumseh and rented the old Exchange hotel, and run the house nearly two years under the name of the Pioneer hotel. He then moved up to the Merchants' block house and until yesterday run the house under the name of Sink's Hotel. Yesterday Mr. Sink left for Monroe, having traded houses with Mr. Passmore, late proprietor of the Park Hotel of that city. We are sorry to have Mr. Sink leave Tecumseh. He has kept the best hotel ever in the place; has been honorable and square in all his dealings, and we can but commend him to the people of Monroe and assure them that Monroe will have, while Mr. Sink stays, a first-class hotel. Mr. W. H. Passmore, of Monroe, will be landlord of the old Merchants' Hotel, and we trust he will keep as good a house as his predecessor.

M. P. Brown will attend the National Convention of photgraphers at Milwaukee next week.

A. P. Coddington has left at our office a few heads of the "Valley" wheat, a new variety he has raised this year. It is a prime sample of wheat.

Ab. Wilson had ten acres of wheat which threshed out 315 bushels, machine measure. It was a corn-ground piece. Now let us from the next man.

Thos. Adamson, of San Francisco, Cal., sent to Mrs. Geo. Adamson, of this place, two large hand painted banners which surpass anything for handiwork and fine art we have seen in the line of wall decorations.

The management of the T. B. B. A. have been to a large expense in securing the Bay City's, and will have to charge an admission fee of 25 cents to the game. As this is the only strictly professional nine that [illegible] have ever played here no doubt that there will be a large crowd.

Adrian Record: There is nothing about William Moore, a colored lad employed in the Press office, to indicate unusual capacity, and yet that boy is a hero of no mean order. William loves watermelons almost to idolatry, and when the other day the composing force of the Press and Record, who had clubbed together and bought an 18 pound watermelon, proposed to William that if he would eat the entire melon at one sitting they would buy him ten bananas and a quart of peanuts, the brave lad at once tackled the job and finished it with composure, to the utter dismay of the stock company, who had paid 75 cents for the melon. William merely remarked, as he rose up and calmly wiped his mouth on his sleeve, "Wish I had a dozen o'nges foh a dessert," and then he went out into the press room and worked off the regular edition of the Record.

Silver Wedding.

Our pastor, (Rev. B. F. Rapp:) and his wife, will, Providence permitting, celebrate their 25th marriage anniversary, Aug. 10th, at 8:30 P. M., in the church of Christ, East Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Michigan.

All friends and well wishers of our brother and his wife, who may feel so disposed, are respectfully invited to either be present on that occasion, or represent themselves by letter.

Mr. Rapp's P. O. address is Balch, Lenawee Co., Michigan. His express office is Britton, Lenawee Co., Michigan, on the St. Louis, Wabash and Pacific R. R., 15 miles north from Adrian. Persons from the East and South wishing to be in attendance upon said anniversary, will find their way to Toledo, then via. Southern Michigan R. R., to Adrian, at which they will change cars for Brittor.

We bespeak for our worthy pastor and wife, a large and substantial representation upon that occasion. By order of committee of arrangements and reception.

BASE BALL.

Ypsilanti vs. Tecumseh, Thursday—Clinton vs. Ypsilanti, Friday.

Base ball was lively last week in Tecumseh. Thursday the Ypsilanti club played the home nine and the score stood at the wind up 18 to 2 in favor of Tecumseh. Our boys played splendidly, making only five errors during the game. Heidenrich did not have a single passed ball and caught as well as any man could. In fact, with Tray as pitcher and Heidenrich catcher, the Tecumseh nine has as strong a battery as any amateur nine in the state. The "Ypsi" team was nowhere, and had it not got dark, would never have scored a tally.

The game between Clinton and Ypsi. Friday did not amount to much, so far as playing was concerned. Errors without number were made on both sides, and the game dragged on until after 7 o'clock, when the score footed 22 to 12 in favor of Ypsi.

To-morrow (Friday) a game will be called at 3 P.M., instead of 4 as advertised, between Quincy and the home nine. It is reported that the Quincy team is a strong one, and we anticipate a good game.

Next Wednesday is announced, a game between Bay City and Tecumseh at base ball park, game called at 2 P.M. The Bay City club belongs to the Northwestern League, and this will be the only League game here this season. It will be no exhibition game. Our battery will be Will Tray pitcher, and James Tray catcher, and with this team our boys will be able to hold them a pretty good row. The club has been brought here at a large expense, and we trust our people will turn out to see the game and give the Base Ball Association a benefit.

The association have rented the Bills ground for three years, and no expense has been spared to put the diamond in the best of shape. In addition to this a new grand stand is being put up in a place where people can get a good view of the game, and yet be out of danger. All this work is being completed as rapidly as possible, and when done Tecumseh will have the finest base ball park of any amateur club in the state.

Following is the score by innings for the Ypsilanti and Tecumseh game:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Tecumseh...	0	3	1	2	3	2	2	5	0	18	12	13	5	
Ypsilanti....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	12	

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

There is a large acreage of sorghum in the township of Medina.

The Manchester band will be at C. H. Adam's hotel next Sunday.

Boies & Co's bank at Hudson will be changed into a National bank.

The Deerfield common council have decided to build an engine house.

The Blissfield base ball grounds have been ornamented with a grand stand.

John J. White has closed his tailor shop in Clinton and will travel for a Cleveland firm.

Dr. Geo. H. Cleveland has nailed up his shingle and commenced peddling pills at Fairfield.

Work is being rapidly pushed on the new school house in the Mills' district.

The Japanese Liniment Co., of Morenci have constructed a fine wagon to use in their business.

When the Deerfield methodist minister is absent on Sunday a layman reads one of Talmage's sermons.

Since the strawberry crop petered out the editor of the Clinton News utilizes his tape line on currants.

The Brooklyn Exponent is just one hundred weeks old and it is both handsome and healthy for one so young.

The township school inspectors will meet in Adrian on the 7th of August to elect a county examiner to succeed Prof. Hammond.

Sid Clarkson, who has been for several years cashier of the People's Bank at Manchester, has accepted a similar position in the 1st National Bank of Ann Arbor.

Adrian Press: A plank fell upon the hand of Geo. Corbett, of Ogden, while at work in Higgin's last week, and mashed some of the bones, compelling him to take a vacation.

A meeting of the citizens interested is called for Aug. 10, at 1 P. M., at Sand Creek to take measures for the permanent care and preservation of the historic Ten Brook cemetery, where repose the remains of a large number of the early pioneers of the county.

Mr. W. H. Hood, of Deerfield, who is the inventor and patentee of a metal cover for barrels, which is receiving flattering commendations from all parts of the country, has sold the territory of Canada on the patent at a good round figure.

The victims to hay fever in this county are preparing to make their annual pilgrimage to the cool and refreshing breezes of Petoskey, to exchange hay fever notes with other members of the State Hay Fever association, which holds its annual meeting there soon.

Hudson Gazette: The telegraph line men who were arrested for lopping away branches of cemetery shade trees projecting and interfering with the telegraph wires, had their examination on Wednesday, and were held for trial at the circuit giving ball in the sum of $400 each.

Deerfield Record: A picked up nine of which Deerfield furnished the battery, went to Blissfield, Thursday afternoon, and vanquished that village's crack club in probably the hotest contested and best amateur game ever played in the county. The score resulted 6 to 4 in favor of Deerfield.

Adrian Times: Abram Paulling's house in Madison took fire, last week Sunday, rather strangely. A new milk can had been placed near the the house, and the hot sun shone upon it in such a way as to reflect the rays upon the house, setting it on fire. Had it not been discovered in time, the house would have been consumed.

Morenci Observer: Mr. A. B. Bowen, the "crooked" lumberagent of the Pratt Bros., having just finished his ninety days' term in the county jail, goes again behind the bars—this time being arrested on a complaint of getting money under false pretences.—The amount was thirty dollars, which he obtained of H. E. Green & Co. averring it was for the Pratts.

The old men of Deerfield have gone into the ball business. The Record says, "An old fashioned game of ball is announced for Saturday of next week, on the ball park. No man under fifty years of age will be allowed to play, and the losing club to pay for the supper after the game. Come and see how our grandfathers played ball in 'auld lang syne.'"

Deerfield Record: The Michigan & Ohio railway surveying gangs have completed the work of running the new line through this village. Without a doubt the road will be built on this line, and it is expected that the grading will be commenced at once.—The route by way of this village, from Britton to Toledo, is four miles shorter than by the Dundee route.

Deerfield Record: A railroad meeting was held at the council room, last evening, to take action in regard to the line of the M. & O. road, recently surveyed through this village. A committee, consisting of Messrs. Garner, Eong, Manning, Burnham and Yale, was appointed to visit Toledo and confer with the officers of the road and learn what propositions they wish to make our people.

FROM THE "BAPTIST ITEMS."

May and Bertha DeWolf are visiting friends in the east.

Bro. J. O. Heck has decided to go to Kalamazoo College in September.

Mary Herring and Ella Webster start for Chautauqua Monday 6th inst.

Mr. P. R. Adams has been quite sick during a part of the month of July.

Bro. Wm. Loyster, of Hudson, is Associational Superintendent this year.

Out of the two hundred and twenty-five members reported to the Association just twenty were at the July Covenant meeting.

Dr. Hamilton and wife have enjoyed a visit from Rev. V. L. Garrett and daughter, of Middleville. Bro. G. is [illegible]

Dr. L. G. North was taken severely ill Friday morning, July 27th. For some hours his physians were much alarmed, but skill baffled disease and he is recovering.

The many friends of Mrs. W. J. Reckord, of Cleveland, formerly Miss Jennie Jones, of this place, have enjoyed a visit from her during the past two or three weeks. She has returned to her home.

The Ladies' Social was held at Wm. Bresie's on the afternoon of July 12th. The attendance, for a harvest social, was very large. The receipts were something over six dollars. It was voted to discontinue the meetings until September 1st.

The pastor has been invited to address the monthly temperance meeting at Hudson Sunday eve. Aug. 5th. Accordingly he has arranged an exchange of pulpits with the pastor of the Baptist church of that city for that day. He also has arranged an exchange with Rev. P. VanWinkle, of Troy, for August 12th.

Mr. Asa Stevens of Chicago, has been visiting his Tecumseh friends for a couple of weeks. He returned to Chicago July 25th. He is with Marshal, Field & Co. He sells nothing but velvets, and has the satisfaction of knowing, that he last winter, made the largest weekly sale ever made in that department. He is doing well, and deserves his success.

Several young ladies have been practicing on the organ. Opportunities for pipe-organ practice have not been common in our village. In consequence people who can play that kind of an instrument are rare in Tecumseh. Could we have a larger number it would be no discredit to the town and would often be a great convenience to the churches.

The Chautauqua Class is slowly pursuing the even tenor of its way. Because of the difficulty of the reading, a few have dropped out, thinking they have no aptitude for such studies. They have made a mistake. To pursue any line of study with ease is the result of discipline, which can be obtained through patient and presistent labor only. That natural science or history is difficult, is the very reason why it should be studied—to give the mind discipline in that direction.

Mrs. Dr. H. F. Aten, of 34 Hanson Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., reached Tecumseh July 26th, and is stopping with Mrs. Abbie Fisher. She is accompanied by her daughter, Miss Marion, and her son, Master Arthur.—They will visit in this vicinity for a few weeks. They report the graduation recently from Long Island Hospital College, of our friend Willie Aten, son of Mr. Charles Aten, of this village. Years ago, Willie belonged to our Sunday school, class No. 13. He will practice in Brooklyn. His friends here are all wishing him success.

A thriving Sunday-School is in operation in East Tecumseh this summer. The following is the corps of officers and Teachers:

Supt.—Dea. J. Margeson.
Asst. Supt.—E. Sherd.
Sec.—Nellie Boise.
Treas.—Mrs. Boice.
Organist.—Alice Garlinghouse.
Teachers.—C. W. Culbertson, E. Sherd, Miss F. Aten, C. E. Conley, Mrs. C. E. Conley.

The school was organized a year ago last May. It took a vacation about Oct. 1, until the first of last May. The attendance ranges from sixty to seventy-five. It is an interesting place to go to.

Rev. J. D. Fulton, D. D., of Brooklyn, N. Y. was in Tecumseh one day week before last. He is pastor of Clermont Ave. Temple, and by many is considered the Spurgeon of America. Few natives of this section have made themselves more felt in the outside world than has he. Though brought up in this vicinity he said he knew almost no one as he walked our streets. He was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. I. S. Hamilton during his short stay. He passed part of the time in the village cemetery caring for the graves of his father and mother. He last Spring lost his wife whom now sleeps in Greenwood. During his vacation his pulpit is supplied by his nephew, Charles F. Fulton, who most of our citizens remember as the youngest son of Dr. S. J. Fulton who for many years practiced medicine in Tecumseh. Charlie is just entering the ministry. Success to him.

TWO DAYS IN THE COUNTRY.

We enjoyed a brief period of "life in the country" last Friday and Saturday, partaking of the hospitality of J. D. Walker and S. J. Walker, of Norvell. The country north of Wampler's lake, between Norvell and Brooklyn cannot be excelled for farming purposes, and we know of no better place to rusticate for a few days. Scove Walker had a family reunion last week. His daughter, Mrs. Dr. Hyndman, of Tompkins Center, Jackson Co., was home on a visit, and Mrs. Beardsley, of Lafayette, Ind., another daughter, arrived unexpectedly on Saturday.

Friday forenoon we drove over to Brooklyn to make a few of our old friends a call. Found Bro. Clough and the Exponent office nicely domiciled in his new quarters in the Teach[illegible] well equipped for all kinds of work, and is publishing a newspaper that is a credit to Brooklyn. We also called on Dr. L. M. Jones, who occupies the same office he has for so many years. Helen H. Sisson still sells milinery in her new store on the west side. She also deals in sewing machines and musical instruments. Brooklyn, like all other interior towns, is rather dull at this season of the year, but the business of the place has enjoyed a healthy growth during the past two or three years. A drive to Norvell with horse and buggy consumed most of the afternoon.

On Saturday afternoon we made C. W. Akin a short call at his grove at the east end of Wampler's Lake. He has ten new boats, a splendid grove for picnics and plenty of stable room to accommodate all who may come. Started out with a party for a fish, but after struggling against a high gale for an hour or two, and getting well ducked, we concluded to postpone our fishing until some more favorable occasion. Charley is prepared to receive all comers and entertain them sumptuously. Had a splendid swim in Fay Lake on Sunday morning with "the boys," and a very pleasant drive home in the afternoon.

Headquarters Co. C, 1st Reg. M. S. T.
Tecumseh, M., Aug. 2, 1883.
Gen. Order, No. 5.

1. Every member of this Company will report at the Armory, Tuesday evening, Aug. 7, for further orders.
2. The rifle team will start for Camp Monday morning, Aug. 6th.

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GOING NORTH			STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME	GOING SOUTH		
No. 4 Express	No. 2 Express			No. 3 Express	No. 1 Express	
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	7 40 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	2 30 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 35 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	A.
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	5 16 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 11 P.M.	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
Napoleon	1 05 "	10 55 "	9 25 "
Jackson	1 30 "	11 20 "	10 20 "

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DENTIST. 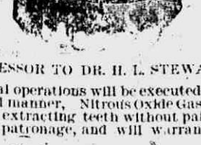 DENTIST.

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Put a Brand on Him.

"Women are a necessary evil," he said, bringing down his fist hard on the counter to emphasize the heartless remark. It was in the village store at West Milton, Saratoga County, and the speaker was the central figure of a group of bucholic philosophers. He was homely, slovenly and sixty. "There's where I differ from you altogether," said Mr. George T. Graham, of the same place. "Women are mostly what men make 'em. When husbands are brutes, wives will fall in submission or make home hot for the men; and they're unnatural in either character. Love them, and especially be good to them when they're sick, and you'll have no trouble. There's my own wife, now. She's suffered a good deal with dyspepsia, nervous prostration and other ailments that took the bloom off her cheeks and the spring out of her steps. Well, she saw an advertisement of PARKER'S TONIC, and thought it would be just the thing for her case. Gentlemen, I sent five miles after a bottle. She took it. I sent again after more. So several times. Trouble? Why, if you could see how much good it has done her, you would say that women are the greatest of God's blessings and Parker's Tonic is the next."

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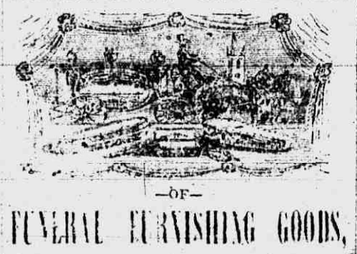

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Native Eloquence.

The *Laramie Times* publishes what the Ute chief, Colorow, might have said had he been called on for a few impromptu remarks, *a la* Logan:

"Warriors, I have called you around the council fire to talk with you. We are not a great nation. The bones of our people are bleaching in the home of the pale face. We are not too numerous to mention. The light air and the fire-water of the white man have yielded a big crop of copper colored "stiffs." I call to my people and the echo of my voice alone comes back to me from the wilderness. Some are in the happy hunting grounds. Others are in Leadville. We are becoming more and more seldom.

The buffalo and the elk, too, have disappeared before the pale face. Grass is growing in the war path. The white man took away our hands and built narrow gauge railroads over them. My people are few. I shout, and their voices come back to me in the wailing winds. Our camp-fires have gone out, and we are compelled to use the base-burner of our fathers has disappeared, and the white man's porterhouse steak and jerked pancakes are given to us to keep away starvation. These are our wrongs.

We have called on the Great Father at Washington for redress, and he told us to "brace up." Are those the words of a kind father to his children? We asked again, and he told us to "cheese it." Is that the talk of a great chief? No!

We are dropping off like autumn leaves. The toes of the red man are turning up on every hand. [Laughter, and cries of "Oh let up!" from the galleries.] We are but a handful. Where once our warriors were as the sands of the sea, now there is not a corporal's guard. There is not enough to make a pie. The Great Spirit does not like this. He loves his children and will not allow the pale face to get the bulge on them. The buffalo, the elk and antelope belong to the red man. The Texas cow and the veal-cutlet belong to the pale face.

Warriors, I have taken down the scalping knife and the tomahawk. I mean business. My system requires the blood of the pale face. We must have a little excursion through Colorado. I will arrange for the round trip and furnish the refreshments. And now, farewell. Go to your couches and rest. Adux! *Bon Homing!* Ta! ta! Don't oversleep yourselves, for on the morrow we cook the goose of the pale face, and ride our war horses over his watermelon vines."

Greeley on Lawyers.

"Mr. Greeley," said Partridge, this is Mr. Denslow, a young attorney."

Greeley uttered a short grunt of recognition, but did not even look around. I, embarrassed, shrunk away to one corner and took a chair. He went around the room looking at the pictures and whatnot, and in about five minutes, when his back was turned on me, and I thought he had forgotten me, he suddenly, without looking at me, said:

"Hem! So you're an attorney are you?"

I confessed it.

"I hate lawyers!" he exclaimed, emphatically; "I hate lawyers, they do more mischief than their heads are worth."

"I suppose they are a necessary evil," I suggested, deprecatingly.

"Wholly unnecessary," he insisted.

"I suppose you will acknowledge," I said, "that they promote good order and remove impediments to good government."

"Just the contrary, just the contrary!" he squeaked, in his old falsetto; "they cause disorder, and they are the chief obstacles to good government."

I thought the man was crazy. "Perhaps you can 'inform me.'" I suggested "How debts could be collected without lawyers?"

"Don't want 'em collected! don't want 'em collected!" he squeaked. "If A lets B have his property without payment, I don't see why C, D, E, F, and all the rest of the alphabet should be called on to serve as a police to get it back! No debt should be collected by law. It's monstrous! Let a man trust another man at his own risk. Even a gambler pays his own debts that he isn't legally obliged to pay, and calls them debts of honor; but men will put their property out of their hands to prevent the legal collection of their grocery bills. Abolish all laws for the collection of debt, and that would abolish most of you lawyers—good riddance!"

Happiness of the Newly Married.

It is the happiest and most virtuous state of society in which the husband and wife set out together, make their property together, and with perfect sympathy of soul, graduate all their expenses, plans, calculations, and desires with reference to their present means and to their future common interest.

Nothing delights man more than to enter one of the neat little tenements of the young people, who, within perhaps two or three years, without any resources but their own knowledge or industry have joined heart and hand, and engage to share together the responsibilities, duties, interests, trials and pleasures of life. The industrious wife is cheerfully employing her own hands in domestic duties, putting her house in order, or mending her husband's clothes, or preparing dinner; whilst perhaps the little darling sits prattling on the floor, or lies sleeping in the cradle, and everything seems preparing to welcome the happiest of husbands and best of fathers when he shall come home from his toil to enjoy the sweets of his little paradise.

This is true domestic happiness. Health, contentment, love, abundance and bright prospects are all here. But it has become a prevalent sentiment that a man must require his fortune before he marries—that the wife must have no sympathy nor share with him in the pursuit of it—in which most of the pleasure truly consists—and the young married couple must set out with as large and expensive an establishment as is becoming those who have been married for twenty years. This is very unhappy; it fills the community with bachelors, who are waiting to make their fortunes, endangering virtue, promoting vice; it destroys the true economy and design of the domestic institution, and it promotes idleness and inefficiency among females, who are expecting to be taken up by fortune, and passively sustained without any care or concern on their part; and thus many a wife becomes, as a gentleman once remarked, not a "help-mate," but a "help eat."

For positive curative effects, one bottle of Ayer's Sarsaprilla is worth three of any other name.

The Baobab Tree and Fruit.

Monkey-bread grows on an enormous tree called baobab; botanically named for Adanson, a French botanist. The tree is a native of Senegal, in Africa; also found on the banks of the white Nile. It has been raised in England from the seed, and in India. At Alipore, near Calcutta, there is one whose trunk measures in some places, over sixty feet in circumference. The height of the baobab is not in proportion to its diameter. It has very long roots, seeming to like the earth better than do many trees. They have been measured one hundred feet laid bare, and were doubtless much longer still. The lower branches of the tree bend to the ground, almost concealing the trunk. They have large, dark-green, abundant leaves. The flower is large and white, its stamens gathered into a tube below, and spreading like an umbrella above.

The tree is mucilaginous in all its parts, the fruit being the most useful. It is, for what reason cannot be ascertained, called Monkey-bread. It measures from nine to twelve inches long, and four in diameter at each end. It has a brownish color when ripe. The pulp is slightly acid; that between the seeds tastes like cream tartar, and is used for fevers. Strong cords are made from the bark of the tree.

The baobab was long thought to be the largest tree in the world. The discovery of the mammoth sequoias in California has proven the mistake of this supposition. Livingstone judged a baobab which he examined, in Africa, to be at least 1,400 years old. The tree is not easy to destroy, but it is subject to a natural disease, a sort of correspondence to what is called brain-softening. Can it be that this vegetable giant becomes dizzy with its grandeur and superiority, and thus grows both vain and weak? It is sometimes easy for imagination to invest inanimate life with soul-life; and what man shall say where the mysterious lines of distinction begin or end in the divine plan and fulfillment? It is a question often asked before—one that sounds unreasonable, chimerical; but God has so constituted the human mind as to give it the impulse and curiosity of inquiry.

The baobab tree appears to have a positive limit for its age. It will sicken and die by a softening process, finally falling, by its own weight, into a ruined heap.

The trunk is usually hollow. Executed criminals, to whom the law denies rites of sepulture, have been entombed in these trunks. The bodies soon withered and became dry like mummies.

Comfort for Old Maids.

Old maids are useful. They can cook, sew and take care of the children and nurse sick people, and generally play the piano. Old bachelors are useless. They do not even know how to drive nails or split wood.

Old maids are amiable. If one wants anything done that requires patience and kindness of heart, a single lady is sure to be the one to do it.

Old bachelors are ill-natured. They snub children, despise babies and hate young mothers, and are always so busily employed in seeing that other people take care of them that they have not a moment to give to any one else.

Old maids are nice looking, and "young for their years." Old bachelors generally have red noses, rheumatism in the knees, bald heads and mouths that turn down at the corners.

Old maids can make a home of one little room, and they cook delicious meals for one over the gas jet, in cunning little tin kettles, besides making all their own wardrobes. Old bachelors need an army of tailors, waiters, cooks and distant relatives to keep them comfortable.

When old maids are ill they tie up their heads in pocket handkerchiefs, take homoepathic pellets out of two bottles alternately, and get well again. When old bachelors are ill they go to bed and send for four doctors; have a consultation, a mantlepiece full of black bottles, all the amiable married men who belongs to the club to sit up with them at night, besides a hired nurse, they telegraph to their relations, and do their best to persuade the world that they are dying.

When an old maid travels she takes a sandwich, a piece of pound cake and a bottle of lemonade in a basket, and lunches comfortably in the carriage. When an old bachelor travels he orders a meal in courses at the station, and raves because he has no time to eat it before the "fifteen minutes for refreshments" has expired.

Old maids drink weak tea, and it cures their headaches.

Old bachelors drink strong liquor, and it gives them headaches.

Old maids are modest. They think their youth is over and their beauty gone. If after a while some autumnal love is given them they take it as a sort of a miracle, and hope people will not laugh at them for "marrying so late in life."

Miseries of Science.

Science is daily proving to us what a horrible world we live in. Our clothing is disease-breeding, our colored socks are poisonous, our hats produce headaches, neuralgia and baldness, the water we drink is tainted, the soap we use produces a thousand ills, the air we breathe sends death pulsing through our veins, and now a paper has proven to our entire satisfaction that the food we eat is adulterated, that we are in daily danger of taking in sickness with our sugar and death with our bread. Yet if we subscribe to no scientific papers, but go quietly on our way, eating what we please, drinking what we can get, wearing what we have, and sleeping where we may, we will probably never have any qualms of the stomach, and live as long and be as happy as the most scientific of scientists.

If a bottle of the oil of pennyroyal is left uncorked in a room at night, not a mosquito, or any other bloodsucker, will be found there in the morning. Mix potash with powered meal, and throw it into the rat holes of a cellar, and the rats will depart. If a rat or mouse gets into your pantry, stuff into the hole a rag saturated with a solution of cayenne pepper, and no rat or mouse will touch the rag for the purpose of opening a communication with a depot of supplies.

There is hardly an adult person living but is sometimes troubled with kidney difficulty, which is the most prolific and dangerous cause of all disease. There is no need to have any form of kidney or urinary trouble if Hop Bitters is taken occasionally.

How to Remove Stumps.

The editor of the Michigan Farmer describes the method of using giant powder for clearing out large stumps, with costs and results:

Going on a little further we met Mr. John Carpenter, with an ordinary market basket upon his arm, in which were his cartridges, like long, yellow-colored thick candles, about an inch in diameter, and about a dozen in number, and a coil of fuse that looked like a piece of thin twisted wire cord. He had a box of gun-caps also, which fitted the end of the fuse. At a distance was a man who seemed to be poking around the stumps with a spade, and who also had what appeared to be a straight iron crowbar with a chisel-shaped point and a broad head on the other end. After examining the stump, and deciding upon the right place for the charge to be placed, he sunk this far down into the ground, and then drove it as deep as he thought necessary, in a sloping direction under the stump with a maul. The rule is to get the charge as close up to the wood as possible, and about this depth. This man made the hole, Mr. Carpenter followed with the basket and his tamper. He first found the depth of the hole with his tamper; then he took the cartridge and putting a cap on the fuse, sunk it in the soft explosive, where it remained while he gently slid the cartridge into the hole, pushing it to the bottom with the tamper. He then pushed two or three small pieces of soft mold or earth down to the cartridge, pressing it lightly; he then tramped the hole full of earth, and lighting a match set fire to the fuse.

We all stood back then about ten rods and waited for the result. The stump was a tough old oak, about three feet across, with a firm hold on the clay soil, and looked as if not disturbed it might last for the next hundred years. All at once we saw that stump rise out of the ground, a puff of smoke followed, some splinters and a loud sound as of cracking timber came out of its centre, and from the side where the cartridge had been put there was a rush of earth, roots and grass sent up into the air for a distance of from fifty to seventy feet. The thing was done, the whole operation was repeated over and over again with the same results. In less than an hour there were no less than ten stumps blown up in this way. On examining the stumps after the explosions, we found many of them split in three and four sections, and many so split up that it was light work for the oxen to haul them out and draw them to the heap for burning. The powder had left a hole or chamber which it had hollowed out as if by compression; it was not very deep, but afforded room to get all the roots which it was necessary to cut off. The cartridges were in half pound cuts, and cost at the rate of 50 cents per pound. One cartridge will take an ordinary two feet stump, but when one of these stuff, three or four feet stumps are encountered, from two to three cartridges are used.

The Mahogany Tree.

Full-grown, the mahogany tree is one of the monarchs of tropical America. Its vast trunk and massive arms, rising to a lofty height and spreading with graceful sweep over immense spaces, covered with beautiful foliage; bright, glossy, light and airy, clinging so long to the spray as to make it almost an evergreen, present a rare combination of loveliness and grandeur. The leaves are very small, delicate and polished like those of the laurel. The flowers are small and white or greenish yellow. The mahogany lumbermen, having selected a tree, surround it with a platform about twelve feet above the ground, and cut it above the platform. Some dozen or fifteen feet of the largest part of the trunk are thus lost; yet a single log not unfrequently weighs from six or seven to fifteen tons and sometimes measures as much as seventeen feet in length and four and a half to five feet in diameter, one tree furnishing two, three or four such logs. Some trees have yielded 10,000 superficial feet.

My Wife and Fits.

"For 25 years," says our correspondent Henry Clark, of Fairfield, Lenawee Co., Mich.; "my wife had fits.—They would last about an hour, and sometimes longer. Samaritan Nervine has permanently cured her."

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the second day of July, A.D. 1883, authorizing the undersigned as guardian of Alvinzie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner, and Ambrose C. Arner, minors, will on the 22d day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereafter described, offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the undivided one-half of all those tracts or parcels of land situate in the township of Ridgeway, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows to wit: All that portion of the Northwest quarter of section eighteen, town six south of Range five East, lying West of the center line of the ridge road (so called) leading across said quarter section—excepting therefrom the North twenty acres thereof now owned by Morgan M. Florence; also all that part of the West half of said Northwest quarter of said section eighteen, town six South of Range five East lying East of the center line of said Ridge road, bounded by commencing at the Southeast corner of said West half of said quarter section, running thence North on the dividing line of East and West halves of said quarter section about forty-five rods to the Southeast corner of a parcel of land sold and deeded by John Arner to said Morgan M. Florence, thence West on the South line of said parcel about twenty-two rods to the center line of said Ridge road, thence Southwesterly along the center line of said road to the South line of said quarter section thence East along that line to the place of beginning, containing of the entire amount of land, forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Arner, widow of said John Arner, deceased, therein. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated July 2, 1883.

J. DE WITT ARNER,
Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JONATHAN HALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 10th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jonathan Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lydia Hall, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. July12

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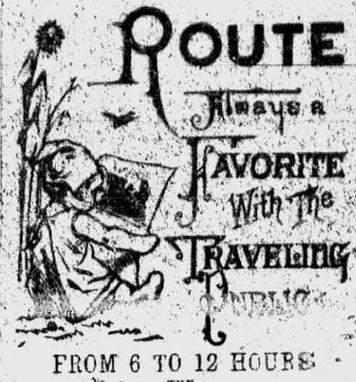

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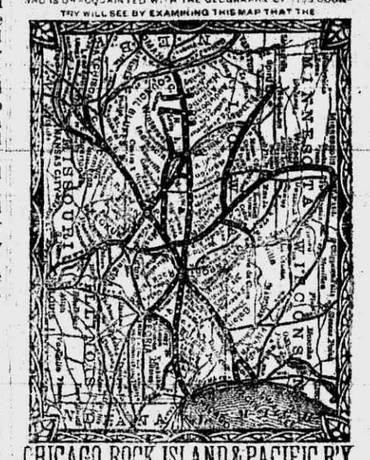

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A Stalwart Man Becomes Weaker Than a Child and then Recovers his Former Strength.

Waterloo, N. Y. Observer.

In these days of rowing giants and athletic heroes, the physical development is more observed than ever before since the days of the Athenian games. The man who shows the elements of physical power is looked up to far more than in the days of our ancestors, possibly because there are fewer specimens of well developed manhood than then. An instance of this power and a magnificent specimen of physical power of few days since in the person of Mr. A. W. McNaughtan, of Waterloo. His muscles, which showed prominently, were as hard as wood. At his request the writer placed his fingers on the arms, but found it wholly impossible. The relation of what he underwent and experienced was fully explained.

"Have you always been so stalwart?"

"When I was a boy I was a very strong child, and felt that I could accomplish anything. I felt so full of vigor, and ambitious that I was always in the van. But in two months from that time I was crippled and for months I could do nothing. I consulted a large number of good physicians that day. I began to grow worse and worse. I believed that I had tried everything, and was learned and experienced in medicines, having spent one hundred dollars in medicines prescribed for malaria. My kidneys were affected, I had no appetite, I was nervous, I had no energy, I was a mere wreck of what I had been. My kidneys were so badly affected that I had to get up from my bed two, three, four times every night to void the secretions. I was in a state of complete prostration. I was completely discouraged."

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10:00—Organize.
11:00—Language Lessons, Dennison.
Lecture.

P.M.

2:00—Civil Government, Hammond.
Geography, Curtis.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
2:45—Language Lessons, Dennison.
Lecture.
3:30—Recess.
3:40—Civil Government, Hammond.
Geography, Curtis.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
4:30—Recess.
4:40—Civil Government, Hammond.
Geography, Curtis.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
Lecture.

TUESDAY A.M.

8:00—Opening exercises.
8:10—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Civil Government, Hammond.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
10:00—Morals, Dennison.
Lecture.
10:30—Recess.
10:40—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Civil Government, Hammond.

P.M.

2:00—Civil Government, Hammond.
Arithmetic, Curtis.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
2:45—Civil Government, Hammond.
Lecture.
3:30—Recess.
3:40—Word Method, Class Drill, Miss Nannie Kyle.

FRIDAY A.M.

8:00—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Penmanship, Hammond.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
10:00—School Government, Dennison, Lecture.
10:30—Recess.
10:40—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
Penmanship, Hammond.

P.M.

2:00—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Language Lessons, Dennison.
Penmanship, Hammond.
2:45—School Government, Dennison, Lecture.
3:30—Query Box.
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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	45 @ 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@ 4 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00 @ 7 50
Beef Hides, ₩ lb	5 @ 6
Calf Skins, ₩ lb	@ 10
Corn in ear	45 @ 50
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	55 @ 60
Clover Seed	5 50 @ 6 00
Chickens—dressed, ₩ lb	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@ 14
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00 @ 7 50
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 25 @ 7 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @ 5 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 11 00
Hides, ₩ lb	@ 15
Ham, ₩ lb	@ 14
Lard, ₩ lb	@ 11
Oats, ₩ bushel	32 @ 35
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35 @ 40
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@ 2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb	@ 12
Wood, ₩ cord	4 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	1 02 @ 1 00
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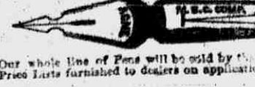

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

William Hayden, Complainant,
vs.
Daniel O'Connor, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 14th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 14th day of September 1883 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Lane's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, that being the place of holding said court, the premises described in said decree to wit:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight, (138) one hundred and thirty-nine, (139) and two hundred and ninety five (295) and two hundred and ninety six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated July 31, 1883.

FRANK B. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD,
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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. John Carter, of Saline township died very suddenly Sunday morning.

Mrs. Thos Tabor, of Bay City, formerly Rose DePuy, having been called home by the severe illness of her sister, will remain for some time among her friends here.

The monthly concert will be held next Sunday evening.

Dr. D. L. Wood, of Quincy was in our midst last Sunday, shaking hands and exchanging greeting with all of his old friends.

The question agitating the mind of many of our good people is, "who reports for the HERALD?" Various conjectures have been made, but the question yet remains unanswerable. For the enlightenment of some we will impart a little knowledge on this subject by saying that Macon has a regular reporter, who is neither a theologian nor a pedagogue. It seems as if there is a little talent outside of the contracted circle of a few which receives the credit for everything. Honor to whom honor is due.

Miss Haggart, of Clinton, was the guest of Miss Anna Pennington last week.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Power & Son is the name of the new drug firm here, instead of Parker & Son, as the types said last week.

Numerous young people of this place will attend the Teacher's Institute at Tecumseh.

The screech of the steam thresher is heard in the land.

Mr. G. W. Hallesey put a fine self-propelling engine and new separator in operation last week. The average yield of wheat per acre is good.

The apple crop will be a comparative failure here this season.

Still the west side moves forward. Extensive repairs are already making at the Exchange hotel, while the foundation for Eaton's new furniture store is well under way.

The new safe to be used by Mr. F. E. Curtis in his bank soon to be opened here, is on exhibition at Bowen's place. The safe is one of the Detroit Safe Co's make, is large and comprises all the modern improvements necessary to make it thoroughly fire and burglar proof. Its vaults will afford our people a safe deposit for wampum.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

A very pleasant occasion occurred at the home of Mr. & Mrs. G. W. Jackson last Monday evening, at which time their china wedding was celebrated. A large number of invitations brought out a big crowd, and all seemed to enjoy themselves exceedingly well. The music was furnished by Prof. Mills, of Jackson and proved a delightful feature of the entertainment. The presents were numerous, consisting of a china tea set by the older people, silver castor, cake dish, pickle dish, sauce dish, and table spoons by the young people.

The following were individual presents:

China cake basket, Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Howe; toilet set, Mrs. Lucy Cheever; toilet set, Mr. & Mrs. M. M. Florence; fruit dish and 6 fruit knives, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Snedicor; set silver teaspoons and Grant's Tour Around the World, Mrs. Lancaster; cheese plate and vase, Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Simonds; china sugar bowl, Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Jackson; pair vases, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Frost; china cup and saucer, Ed. Arner; cup and saucer and two cheese plates, Mr. & Mrs. G. T. Shipman; water pitcher, Mr. & Mrs. Bert Morley.

Britton station handled 3,111,351 lbs. of freight during the month of July.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

The autumn term of the Raisin Valley seminary will open on Monday, Sept. 4th, with an accomplished corps of instructors. Many changes have been made during the summer, of which these are the most important.

The students' rooms have been remodeled and nicely repaired.

The whole building will be heated by steam, a radiator being placed in every room.

A new cook room and dining hall has been arranged for, and cooking will hereafter not be done in the study rooms.

The study rooms heated with steam will be charged for as follows:

Boys, Fall and Winter Terms 50c per week.

Girls, Fall and Winter Terms, 45c per week.

Boys, Spring Term, 40c per week.

Girls, " " 35c " "

Furnished rooms will be provided when called for at the following rates: For board and furnished rooms for boys, fall and winter terms, $3.00. Spring term, $2.90. For girls 25 cents less per week and they care for their rooms.

A first-class telescope and other useful apparatus belong to the school. Besides the School Library, another Library to be located at the school, is about being established, which will be owned by a stock association. The work done at the school is thorough, and especial care is exercised to develop good moral characters in the pupils. Students will be met at trains, and efforts will be used to make life at the Seminary pleasant as well as profitable. Students wishing rooms should engage them at their earliest convenience. For further information apply to

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Second Week.

MONDAY, A.M.

9:00—Opening exercises.
9:15—Penmanship, Hammond.
Arithmetic, Curtis.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
10:05—Technical Grammar, Demmon, Lecture.
10:55—Recess.
11:10—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Penmanship, Hammond.

P.M.

2:00—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Elementary Sounds, Hammond.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
2:45—Technical Grammar, Demmon, Lecture.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—Arithmetic, Curtis.
Elementary Sounds, Hammond.

TUESDAY, A.M.

9:00—Opening exercises.
9:15—Elementary Sounds, Hammond.
Arithmetic, Curtis.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
10:05—Technical Grammar, Demmon, Lecture.
10:55—Recess.
11:10—Elementary Sounds, Hammond.
Physiology, Curtis.

P.M.

2:00—Physiology, Curtis.
Elementary Sounds, Hammond.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
2:45—Technical Grammar, Demmon, Lecture.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—School Organization, Hammond, Lecture.

WEDNESDAY, A.M.

9:00—Opening exercises.
9:15—Elementary Sounds, Hammond.
Physiology, Curtis.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
10:05—Advanced Reading, Demmon, Lecture.
10:55—Recess.
11:10—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.

P.M.

2:00—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
2:45—Advanced Reading, Demmon, Lecture.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—Spelling, Curtis, Lecture.
4:15—Query Box.

THURSDAY, A.M.

9:00—Opening exercises.
9:15—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
10:05—Arithmetic Questions, Demmon, Lecture.
11:10—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.

P.M.

2:00—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
2:45—School Law, Superintendent.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—U. S. History, Hammond.
Physiology, Curtis.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.

FRIDAY, A.M.

9:00—Opening exercises.
9:15—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
10:05—Arithmetic Questions, Demmon, Lecture.
10:55—Recess.
11:10—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.

P.M.

1:00—Physiology, Curtis.
U. S. History, Hammond.
Technical Grammar, Demmon.
1:45—Physiology, Curtis, Lecture.
2:30—Query Box.
2:45—Technical Grammar, Demmon, Lecture.
3:30—Good Bye.

Lectures on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Mrs. C. D. Ellis, of Worthington, Indiana, will deliver a temperance lecture from a scientific standpoint in Grange Hall, Macon, August 15, lecture to commence 8 o'clock P.M. Mrs. Ellis has 11 colored charts that she exhibits during the lecture, showing the effects of alcoholic liquor on the human system. Mrs. Ellis will also deliver a gospel temperance lecture to the children of the Sunday school, of the Church of Christ, East Ridgeway, at their session next Sunday the 12th, inst., which follows immediately after the forenoon sermon. In the evening she will lecture in the M. E. church in the village of Ridgeway, commencing at 8 o'clock.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Street gambling flourishes at Grand Rapids.

You can shoot woodcocks now if you want to.

The Marine City salt works will be put in operation next month.

Wm. E. Skinner's stave factory dry house, at Reading, burned last week.

Miss Nellie Bates, of Flint, is alleged to be the best lady violinist in Michigan.

The wheat yield at Buchanan is good, the quality fair, and it is being freely marketed.

Two Grand Rapids men have been jailed for insulting women on the streets.

The Grand Trunk railway company is putting up new station buildings at Romeo.

Buchanan with four large furniture factories, still has a good opening for a chair factory.

The prosecuting attorney up in one of the northern counties has been arrested for throwing stones at an editor.

The new superintendent of the Corunna schools is 6 feet high, weighs 200 pounds, and the boys are resolving to be good.

Lewis Hoffman, the noted band teacher, has engaged with the Huron Valley band of Flat Rock at a salary of $600 per annum.

Each member of the legislature now has the appointment of a pupil to the State normal school, and they are getting around to it.

The Bangor Reflector says the chemical works of that place are making 6,000 pounds of acetate, and 70 gallons of wood alcohol per day.

Ben Mallery and Ed Babcock, of Reading, have just made a 100-mile trip on their wheels down into Indiana.

Thirty Muskegon ladies went on a picnic a few days ago without a man or a boy in the company—poor lonesome things.

Saginaw City folks used 52,496,370 gallons of water in July. They put more water in their's than they used to.

The encampment at Brighton this year will be known as Camp Griffeth, in honor of the late Col. Griffeth, of Jackson.

Grand Rapids authorities have secured several convictions under the liquor laws lately. The world does move, after all.

Two Buchanan fellows ate 17 bananas each and topped off the exploit with crackers and cheese. Hog buyers going to Buchanan can easily find them.

Allen W. Gould, who has for three years been instructor of Latin in Williams college, has been appointed to a professorship in Olivet college, it is reported.

An Eaton county Sunday school superintendent deputized his wife to go and take charge of his Sunday school while he staid at home and hauled in wheat.

The deputy sheriff of Ontonagon county put a cocked revolver in his rear pocket and then sat down on it, and the latter end of that man was a painful thing.

Wm. Walker, of Sturgis, while attending the G. A. R. picnic at Klinger lake, last week, had his pocket picked of a wallet containing over $200 in notes and money.

A union picnic has been arranged by the Oakland county pioneer society and the supervisors' picnic association, to be held at Orchard Lake on Wednesday, Aug. 22, 1883.

Mrs. Ames, who shot her husband, Leonard Ames, at Alpena, because he hung around places distasteful to her, has been held for trial. Ames was formerly a resident of Port Huron.

The Detroit planing mill company has commenced the manufacture of measures, and already a proposition has been received from a large St. Louis wholesale house for the entire product of the factory. All sizes are made, from a quart to a half bushel.

While crossing the St. Joseph river at Buchanan, J. Best and his team and wagon were precipitated from the ferry into the middle of the river. The horses at once struck out for shore and safely landed themselves and Mr. Best a quarter of a mile below the ferry.

There were 580 prisoners in the state prison at the end of the month of July. Hallmaster Drake says there were only four received during the month, one being sent for larceny and three for bigamy. There were 20 released, 19 by reason of expiration of term, and one by order of the supreme court.

REVISED.

"Twinkle, twinkle, little star," the nursery rhyme so familiar to everybody has been revised by a committee of eminent scholars, with the following result:

Shine with irregular intermitted light,* sparkle at intervals dim nature (continuous heavenly body.)

How I conjecture, with surprise, not assured with uncertainty,† what you are.

Located, apparently, at such a remote distance from and at a height so vastly superior to this earth, the planet we inhabit.

Similar in general appearance and of exactly powers to the precious possibilities contained crystals of pure carbon and diffuse a real region surrounding the earth.

*Or, Swad out with thy golden diaphans.
† See Hesio. Phenomena (ascribed to Arat. Medium, 70 ex. Grotesque Aristotle stele, Vol. II. Chap. 76, Sect. 2. Also Hey Indical, Dissertation Hindu, Vol. Pa. 18.
Not found in the MSS of the 20th century. Rare Page. 8. Hugo Dunendorf's Sc. Overture, Pack. Vol. HE appear. 7. objected to by the Parisian Conservation (This adv. may be rendered "a big way.")
In the Vulgate like a diamond.

A SUNDAY WITH THE SHAKERS.

Some of our readers have seen the Shaker service. Many have not. For the benefit of both we give a report of a Shaker meeting. Shaker Village is perched on one of the most arduous hills of Androscoggin county, Me. Miles away you can see the large stone fortress like building where one of the two Shaker families composing the community lives. The second family's home is in a weather-stained, old-fashioned building, almost four years of age. It was built in 1795, and the elder said, after service last Sunday, "It's not fit for a decent house to live in." We are making preparations now to build a new one. The Shakers in their dignified drab coat-tails and Shakeresses in their neat, plain gowns, fastening white peaked kerchiefs and their scrupulously starched bonnets were marching from the house to the chapel when the reporter arrived. In the church the Shakers formed, standing in two squares, the males in one and the females in the other. The two divisions stood facing each other, with their hands clasped in front of them. In the rear ranks of each body stood the young wards of the community. There were three little boys of 8 to 10 years old, and half a dozen girls, apparently 4 to 14 years, whose long braided hair formed a marked contrast with the closely concealed locks of the Shaker women. The little boys' crowns were closely shaven, while the locks at the base of the head had been allowed to grow down their necks in imitation of the flowing, patriarchal hair of the aged Shakers.

Standing in this position, one voice commenced a strain of quaint song, which all took up. It was something between a hymn and a chant. The melody was strange but pleasing, and was sung by all the voices, male and female, in unison. An impressive effect was given the last chord by all the singers gradually softening the tone and ending the diminuendo in barely a murmur, at the same time lowering their hands from the clasped position to their sides in perfect harmony with the movement of the music. The elder then stepped forward to the space between the two sections of Shakers. The lines of his face indicate a man of remarkable firmness of character. The high sloping forehead, the prominent Roman nose, the unrelaxed facial muscles, his stately demeanor, and the distinct, solemn utterances of a deep musical voice, all pointed to a mind of the most positive convictions and ability of no mean order. The elder read the fourth chapter of St. John. The women and children then sang spiritedly a beautiful hymn. This and all the following hymns were given the same tremulous diminuendo, ending as before.

In the next song one common spirit seemed to move the worshipers in a stately march backward and forward across the floor of the chapel. They kept perfect time with the tune they sang, and marched with the regularity of militia, making square heels, and accompanying their march with a swinging motion of the arms and hands palms backward. There were several fine singers among the men, and all the women had excellent voices. The juvenile Shakers seemed to enter into the services with the same enthusiasm as the veterans. It was amusing to a spectator to watch the solemn faces and attitudes of the little fellows. Not a suggestion of a smile came over their features, and, to our mind, the staidest Shaker of them all was a lad of perhaps 10 summers. He wore a loose, cherry-colored sacque and a high-buttoned velveteen waist coat. He had a fair, untanned face, and pale blue eyes. The blue veins were seen through the delicate skin covering his temples, and he had a dreamy far away look. The net-locks of light hair fell over his coat collar. He seemed possessed of a most intense spirituality, and was as deeply absorbed in his devotions as the elder himself. Some of the Shakeresses once in a while allowed a sly smile to interrupt the continuous solemnity. The Shakers take these children by adoption, and have more requests to take and bring up orphan and uncared-for children than they can comply with. The wards are indentured to them until they are 21. Then they are at liberty to leave the community and go into the world if they wish. The Shakers educate them and give them the best of home training.

After several marching songs, the Shakers took seats. We had noticed among them one sandy-haired young man, apparently of not more than 25 years, who wore a plum-colored coat and who sang with much unction. The young man stepped forward nervously, drank a little water from a glass, opened a Bible which lay on a window shelf, and, after a nervous setting of the shoulders and compression of the lips, read a text from the eighth verse of the third chapter of Second Peter: "But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day." He then spoke earnestly for about fifteen minutes, without notes, in a measured, distinct and cultured voice. The speaker's words were listened to with the most profound attention by the audience. He was William Paul, the eloquent young preacher of the Shakers. Mr. Paul has been with them about four years. He is older than he looks, having reached the age of 35 years. He was born in Scotland, and educated in Glasgow. There are few pulpit orators who have the power of clothing their ideas in such chaste and eloquent language, or addressing themselves directly to the hearts of their hearers to a greater degree than this young Shaker Scotchman. After he concluded, another song was sung. The preacher then arose again and said: "If any of our visiting friends desire to say a few words they have perfect liberty."

One of the strangers present arose and explained the recently inaugurated custom of passing the contribution box. He said that it had not been originated by the Shakers themselves, but by the outsiders who desired to see the chapel enlarged, in order that they might be accommodated more conveniently. He then passed the hat and got a liberal collection.

The elder arose and said quietly: "Let us lay aside our seats and form a circle." The settees were placed beside the walls. A small circle of singers formed in the center of the chapel. Around this inner circle the other worshipers formed in double file and marched, while all joined in the Shaker hymns, and kept up constantly a swinging motion of their arms and hands in concert with the return. They took a very grave but promenade step, the women leading, and the small boys bringing up the rear. The queenly form and bearing of one woman, apparently one of the elderesses of the community, was noticed by many beholders. A handsome white handkerchief and the regal grace exhibited in her walk distinguished her from her sister Shakers. The sightless eyes of one very aged and infirm Shaker, who took part in the other exercises, prohibited him from participating in this. Four or five strangers, sober walk around. One of the scalp-locked lads was in the file with the elder, and the little fellow both lengthened his stride and drew down his face to equal proportions with the elder.

The marching ceased, and the elder, after a few remarks read an article from a publication called "The Shaker Manifesto," published by the United societies. The reading was followed by testimonies by the brothers and sisters. One aged, gray haired brother said: "I'm not ashamed of the Shaker life. I'm glad I have given up the life of self and given my life to God. I mean to be a better Shaker." A sister said: "I think the angels have come near unto us in our devotions. I am glad I am a Shaker. At the age of 16 I said to myself: 'Shall I serve myself or the Lord? Shall I live a life of pleasure or a godly life?' I said I would serve God, and I feel that I have done it. It has been a satisfaction to me to escape many trials, get out of the world, assume the plain dress and language, and live a life of purity. I'm glad I did so. I know I would have been as liable as any woman in this world to succumb to temptations of the world if I hadn't placed myself beyond them." After more marching the venerable blind Shaker closed the exercises by speaking a few words and requesting the audience to remain seated while they passed out. This was done. The Shaker service was over, when the patriarch was reverently led out of the door by a young brother.—*Lewiston (Me.) Journal.*

The Ideal Oatmeal Porridge.

Clean, aromatic, coarse dry meal must be got from some shop where they know what is good in the way of oatmeal. The meal must be stored as carefully as tea in a covered dry jar, so that neither must, mice or beetles can defile it. The saucepan must be the pink of cleanliness, and must not have been used for anything other than milk and breadstuffs. Saucepans in which potatoes, greens or meats have been cooked are never pure enough for milk and breadstuffs. With such materials the making of delicious porridge is easy, but without them it is impossible. Bearing in mind the principles on which breadstuffs and milk are to be combined in food, we perceive that the meal must be cooked in water. Therefore, having clean boiling water in the saucepan, we take a small teacupful of meal (two or three ounces) for each pint of water in the saucepan. Draw the saucepan of boiling water off the fire and then sift in the meal through the fingers. The meal must be sifted into the water so as to be evenly spread over the surface, and to sink free from lumps. Then push the saucepan fully on the fire and boil briskly for a minute or two, so as to thoroughly mix the meal up with the water before it begins to thicken. Next boil slowly for three or four quarters of an hour, according to the coarseness of the meal. Care must be taken that the porridge is just kept on the move, and it must be stirred if necessary, so as not to burn, and not get lumpy. Smoke and soot must be carefully kept from contaminating it. The porridge is now cooked so far that all the starchy granules are fully burst, and the meal is properly disintegrated. Now, pour out the porridge like a thin custard into a vegetable dish, and leave it to cool uncovered. If successful, the porridge on cooling will set or gelatinize, a brownish skin forms over the surface, and as this contracts the porridge separates all round from the dish at its edge. It becomes a soft, tremulous jelly, perfectly cooked, sweet in flavor, uniform in consistence, and free from contamination by dirty saucepans, by burning or by the defilement of soot or smoke. It should be eaten at the end of breakfast with cold milk, and it makes a most excellent supper.

A saucerful of such porridge put into a soup plate and a half pint mug of good rich new milk is, indeed, a lunch or a supper, or a finish to breakfast, fit for a king. It is a food on which any man can do anything of which he is capable in the way of labor, mental or physical. For growing children, and youths who are stunted in height or unsound in structure, this is exactly the food that is wanted. It is like brick-and-mortar for the growing frame of infants, school children and overgrown youths. For nursing mothers it is equally valuable, supplying them with the earthy phosphates and other materials out of which good milk is made, without drawing upon the mother's own structure, as is often exemplified by the rapid softening and decay of teeth in women who nurse their children largely upon meat and upon beer.—*English Mechanic.*

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

At last a modest but enterprising gentleman has invented a bicycle for the ladies. It is built just like the masculine affair, we believe, except the saddle is a kind of a bench like, with a square hole in the middle for the fair rider to—ha-hang both—ha—you just sit on this seat and hang both—er—ha—you reach down to the treadle with both of them, you know. Pshaw! the man that will make a bicycle like that ought to be compelled to describe it himself, that's what.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Can't Say Enough.

"I cannot speak too highly of Burdock Blood Bitters; they have been a great blessing to me. Cured me of biliousness and dyspepsia from which I had suffered for years." Mr. J. Marsh, Bank of Toronto, Ont.

Wooden Pegs.

HOW THEY ARE MADE—A VISIT TO A FACTORY IN VERMONT.

It was the privilege of the writer to visit the picturesque little town of Arlington, Vt., which at the time boasted population of 2,500, three churches, five stores, two hotels, an extensive car works, saw and blind, and chair factory; also a "peg factory," which, by the courtesy of the foreman, Mr. L. E. White, who has been employed there twenty-nine years, he was shown through, and received valuable information. The timber used is black and yellow birch, which is cut into pieces four feet in length, varying in diameter from eight to fourteen inches. These logs are placed in a building in winter, and the frost extracted by steam. They are then run on a train railway to the circular saw department, and cut into slices or blanks of the thickness desired for the length of the pegs. These are sorted and the knots cut out, and are then passed on to a long bench which contains six machines, composed of two revolving rollers. Blocks are then run between these rollers, which creases both sides. They are then run through again to cross-crease, or mark out the size of the pegs. Then they go to the splitting machines, which are set with double knives, and cut the blocks into pegs. As they pass the last machine they are sorted, and all knots and discolored ones are removed as they are brushed off into large baskets. These machines are under the care of young women, who appeared much more happy and useful than do many of those who, thumping at their piano, would consider such employment menial. The next process is bleaching, which is accomplished by the fumes of bramstone, which is unhealthy (those who labor here shorten their lives.) They are then placed in large cylinders, which hold eleven barrels, and have 600 feet of pipe running through them, and revolve one and one-half times to the minute, drying two charges per day to each cylinder. They are then passed in large wooden casks or cylinders, which, revolving rapidly, polish them by the friction, the refuse falling through wire sieves or screen openings, after which they are again passed into a sifter, which separates all the single pegs and drops them into tubs, or boxes, leaving those which have not been separated in the machine. They are then put in barrels ready for market. The factory running on full time turns out 150 bushels, or fifty barrels per day. The sizes go from eight up to sixteen to an inch. The lengths go by eighths, two and one-half to twelve. Twenty-six hands are employed, half of them being women. The products of this mill are mostly shipped to Germany and France, and enter largely into the manufacture of toys and fancy goods as well as into the shoe manufactory. Thus the "genii of mechanism" converts, as by magic, the trees from the Vermont mountains into articles of use, which, floating off through the channels of commerce to far away countries, soon return to sparkle the eyes of happy children in toys in which these pegs have become important factors.—*New York Mail.*

Scientific Economy.

To purify muddy water: Agitate each quart of water with an ounce of phosphate of lime, and allow it to settle. This requires only a few minutes, and it will be found that most of the impurities are carried down to the bottom. The supernatant water is now filtered without any trouble through absorbent cotton. Ordinary cotton will answer as well, if previously moistened with alcohol and then washed with water. Of course, either of them must be pressed tightly into the neck of a funnel. By this means perfectly clear water can be obtained in about five minutes.

Some of the ways of distinguishing amber from copal are thus given in *La Nature*: "Copal is yellow, of a more or less deep tint, but uniform throughout, and has yellow points like sulphur on its surface. Amber in a fragment of 12 centimetres in length will show a variation of shade. Amber when rubbed will yield a strong aromatic odor; imitations will not. Amber may be bent after being smeared with tallow and heated; the imitations will not bend. Amber may be cut, sawed, rasped or polished, but cannot be cemented or soldered like copal. The density of amber is 1.09 to 1.11, that of copal is 1.04.

Mercadier has described a new and economical method of producing intermittent luminous signals by burning petroleum with oxygen. He has a lamp with a round wick, within which is a tube rising not quite up to the level of the top of the wick. This tube reaches a reservoir of oxygen; when the lamp is lighted and a properly adjusted jet of oxygen is permitted to reach it, it gives out a white flame, the intensity of which approaches that of the hydrogen light. When the lamp is burned without oxygen it gives a smoky flame of little brilliancy, which will, however, rapidly increase in intensity, and soon reach a maximum when the oxygen is turned on.

Dr. Robert Munroe, in the Glasgow *Medical Journal*, reports a series of cases of phthisis and chronic bronchitis in which very decided and favorable results followed frequent inhalations of vapor of boiling water containing carbolic acid. Cases of fibrous phthisis and chronic bronchitis in which there was excessive expectoration were especially benefited thereby. An inhaler, though convenient, is not essential, a pitcher or jug holding boiling water being all that is needed, and care must be taken to use it several times in the day and to inhale completely the rising vapor—not merely drawing it into the mouth. The editor of *New Remedies* states that he has had an experience with a similar use of the remedy, which enables him to indorse what Dr. Munroe says of its efficacy.

The Testimony of a Physician.

James Beecher, M. D., of Sigourney, Iowa, says for several years I have been using a Cough Balsam, called Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs and in almost every case throughout my practice I have had entire success. I have used and prescribed hundreds of bottles ever since the days of my army practice (1863), when I was surgeon of Hospital No. 7, Louisville, Ky.

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It is the Best Salve for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all kinds of Skin Eruptions, Freckles and Pimples.

Durno's Catarrh Snuff cures all affections of the mucous membrane, of the head and throat.

Red Horse Powders cure diseases in animals.

In China all the wealthy people have their tombs and coffins made during their life time.

Words of Wisdom.

Whatever is obtained by deceit cheats no man as much as the getter.

We lose the peace of years when we hunt after the rapture of moments.

An elevated purpose is a good and ennobling thing, but we cannot begin at the top of it.

If you would keep a book and daily put down the things that worry you and see what becomes of them they would be of a benefit to you.

It is not well to give up the battle after a single defeat. Some people are totally discouraged by a disappointment, while others are so enraged by it that their strength and persistency are doubled.

The liberal reward of labor, as it is the necessary effect, so it is the natural symptom of increasing national wealth. The scanty maintenance of the laboring class on the other hand, is the natural symptom that things are at a stand or going backwards.—[Adam Smith.

In the bitterness of parting by death, as the consciousness of having left nothing undone, little or great that lay in our power to bring a smile to the face or a cheerful feeling to the heart of those who have gone before us.

Though it be but a trifle—even a flower by the wayside, if it have beauty and fragrance—pluck it and hand it to your fellow-traveler, for if you wait to do great things for him he may have fallen from your side and disappeared forever before you have done aught to gladden his heart.

What are all regrets compared with the anguish of having parted from a friend—perhaps from our best beloved—with unkind and cruel words? It may have been those words were uttered carelessly, lightly, as the wild and wanton breezes weeps by; but they leave a pain, as the breeze leaves some scattered rose-leaves to mark its track.

In a School in Germany.

We were of all ages, ranging from four or five to sixteen or seventeen years. The school was divided into three classes. The first class comprised fifty, the second forty, and the lowest thirty girls. We all met together at ten o'clock, for the quarter of an hour allotted to play. The school was kept by an old lady superintendent, under whose management were three other ladies—governesses. Two of them were French, the other German; but none of these took any part in the teaching; they remained in the different rooms for supervision only. Once a day at least, during some class, never at any fixed hour, the lady superintendent would herself come into each room, and inquire of the master how things were going on, and if any pupil was either careless or refractory, she was there and then reprimanded in presence of us all. I am afraid none of us cared very much for the old lady, one reason for our dislike being the fact of her having very long fingers, with which she was in the habit of tapping rather feelingly upon the shoulder of any one of us who might be stooping over or sitting carelessly at her desk. It was the rule of the school that each pupil should bring her desk with her. They were all regulation size, large enough to contain the books, paper, and other things which we might at any time require, and they were carefully locked in the evening, each girl taking her key away with her. We had a professor for every separate subject, and I must say they did their best to interest us in our work. The religious teaching in the school took up one hour every morning. A Lutheran minister and a Roman Catholic priest attending the pupils of the two denominations. There was a professor for history, another for geography, a third for arithmetic, a fourth for astronomy, a fifth for chemistry, a sixth for writing, a seventh for the German language only, two for French—the one for correction and conversation, the other for preparation—a master for drawing, and another for class-singing.

How Easy it is to Die.

"If I had strength to hold a pen, I would write how easy and delightful it is to die," were the last words of the celebrated surgeon, Wm. Hunter; and Louis XVI. is recorded as saying with his last breath, "I thought dying had been more difficult."

That the painlessness of death is owing to some benumbing influence acting on the sensory nerves may be inferred from the fact that untoward external surroundings rarely trouble the dying.

On the day that Lord Collingwood breathed his last, the Mediterranean was tumultuous; those elements which had been the scene of his past glories rose and fell in swelling undulations and seemed as if rocking him to sleep. Capt. Thomas ventured to ask if he was disturbed by the tossing of the ship. "No, Thomas," he answered, "I am now in a state that nothing can disturb me more—I am dying, and I am sure it must be consolatory to you and all that love me to see how comfortably I am coming to my end." In the *Quarterly Review* there is related an instance of a criminal who escaped death from hanging by the breaking of the rope. Henry IV. of France sent his physician to examine him, who reported that after a moment's suffering the man saw an appearance like fire, across which appeared a most beautiful avenue of trees. When a pardon was mentioned, the prisoner coolly replied that it was not worth asking for. Those who have been near death from drowning, and afterwards restored to consciousness, assert that the dying suffer but little pain.

Capt. Marryatt states that his sensations at one time when nearly drowned were rather pleasant than otherwise. "The first struggle for life once over, the water closing around me assumed the appearance of waving green fields. * * * It is not a feeling of pain, but seems like sinking down, overpowered by sleep, in the long, soft grass of the cool meadow."

Now this is precisely the condition presented in death from disease. Insensibility comes on, the mind loses consciousness of external objects, and death rapidly and and placedly ensues from asphyxia.

The man who sits down on the road to success and waits for a free ride, will get left.—[Whitehall Times. And the man who jumps on to the tail-board of some one else's success, will be greeted with a cry of "whip behind"—[New Haven Register. Bi-cycle, that's so. There's no jumping at such a conclusion. Just help yourself, and don't wait for the wagon.—[Cambridge Tribune. Now, gentlemen, you can't blame a man for catching at the tail-board, when if he puts his "shoulder to the wheel" he gets tar all over him.—[Bloomington Eye.

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Bill Nye Talks to Young Men in Regard to a Career.

Young man, what are you living for? Have you an object dear to you as life, and without the attainment of which you feel that your life will have been a wide, shoreless waste, peopled by the specters of dead ambitions? You can take your choice in the great battle of life, whether you will bristle up and win a deathless name, and owe everybody, or be satisfied with scabs and mediocrity. Many of those who now stand at the head of the nation as statesmen and logicians were once unknown, unhonored and unsung. Now, they saw the air in the halls of Congress, and their names are plastered on the temple of fame.

You can win some laurels, too, if you will brace up and secure them when they are ripe. Daniel Webster, and President Garfield and Dr. Tanner and George Eliot were all at one time, poor boys. They struggled against poverty and public opinion heavily on till they won a name in the annals of history, and secured to their loved ones palatial homes, with lightning if you make the effort.

All these things are within your reach. Live temperately on $9 a month. That's the way we got our start. Burn the midnight oil if necessary. Get some true, noble-minded young lady of your acquaintance to assist you. Tell her of your troubles and she will tell you what to do. She will gladly advise you. Then you can marry her, and she will advise you some more. After that she will lay aside her work any time to advise you. You needn't be out of advice at all unless you want to. She, too, will tell you when you have made a mistake. She will come to you frankly and acknowledge that you have made a jackass of yourself.

As she gets more acquainted with you she will be more candid with you, and in her unstudied girlish way, she will point out errors, and gradually convince you with an old chair-leg and other arguments, that you were wrong, and your past life will come up before you like a panorama, and you will tell her so, and she will let you up again. Life is indeed a mighty struggle. It is business. We can't all be editors and lounge around all the time, and wear good clothes, and have our names in the papers, and draw a princely salary. Some one must do the work and drudgery of life, or it won't be done.

The Passion for Diamonds.

"Are there more diamonds worn now than ever before in this country?"

"I should say so, most decidedly. I have been in the business over thirty years, and I never knew such a rage for the stone as exists to-day. Recently I attended a garden party at the Grand Union hotel at Saratoga and I saw bushels of them. This is the only way to describe the number of valuable diamonds worn there, and most of them were fine stones. Nearly every woman there had big solitaires in rings or ear-rings. You see the finest diamonds are worn solitaire in studs, rings and earrings, while for bracelets and hair-pins an inferior stone may be used, as they are not so conspicuous. I noticed one thing, however, at the Grand Union—nine-tenths of the diamonds were not clean. Dust settles on everything, and it is astonishing how little care a woman will give to her diamonds. They carefully inspect their gloves and shoes before completing their toilets, but their diamonds, worth often thousands of dollars, receive no attention, become dirty, and are sometimes lost. A lady customer of mine lost a very valuable diamond after possessing it years. If she had been in the habit of giving the gem any attention, she would have noticed that a setting of eighteen carat gold will wear out in time and lose its grip on the stone. The large solitaire diamond is now preferred to the cluster. Few diamonds are worn by gentlemen except in the case of young men anxious for display. Here and there a gentleman will wear solitaires on his shirt bosom, but, if he has good taste he will be careful that they are small or he may be taken for a gambler. It is astonishing how much money is sometimes represented in the diamonds worn by ladies on a "swell" occasion. It is a common thing in New York society to see $10,000 or $20,000 in diamonds on a lady's person. Mrs. John Jacob Astor has been known to wear $50,000 worth of diamonds at an evening reception, and I should say that the diamonds worn by Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt at the garden party I spoke of were wofully that amount of money. Mrs. Mackay, wife of the "bonanza king," once offered to buy the famous "Regent" diamond, the most valuable in the world. It is valued at a mere million, but the French government wouldn't sell it."—*New York Tribune.*

Butler, N. Y., May 14 8?
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Gents—Some six years ago I was attacked with a severe form of rheumatism and dyspepsia, and for five years have been taking different remedies recommended for these diseases, but found nothing to relieve me, and for the last three years have been unable to do a day's work without suffering intense pain through my back and shoulders, and my stomach was so much out of order that I could not eat without suffering great pain. I had no appetite and my victuals distressed me so that I really ever ate for my supper anything but crackers and milk. Commenced taking Rheumatic Syrup, and after taking two bottles I thought my stomach felt better. I began to have faith that the medicine was going to help me. I continued its use a few weeks and now my appetite is good, and can eat such food as farmers require, without distressing me in the least, and I can do as much work without pain as ever in my life and enjoy my meals; in fact, I am well, the Rheumatic Syrup is the best medicine in the world. Enough can not be said in its praise.

Leroy Henderson.

If you think it right to differ from the times, and to make a stand for any valuable point of morals, do it, however rustic, however antiquated, however pedantic it may appear; do it—not for insolence, but grandly and seriously—as a man who wore a soul of his own in his bosom, and did not wait until it was breathed into him by the breath of fashion.

"The enterprising firm of Hood & Co. are doing a rushing business in Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Tooth Powder, both well known and appreciated by thousands who have tested their efficacy. The Sarsaparilla has effected wonderful cures not only in this city, but in various parts of New England where its merits are known."—Ed. Lowell Daily Citizen.

As Others See Us.

An Englishman writing to the Glasgow *Herald* from Chicago, says no one who knew that city before it was burned could realize its appearance to-day. It shows, as nothing else can, what an energetic and go-ahead people can accomplish in a few years. Many of the customs prevalent may seem strange, and some of the habits of the people objectionable, to visitors from the old country, but no one can fail to notice the free and obliging manner of the citizens, and a total want of that patronizing air by her leading men which only too often marks the man in a similar position in Britain when addressing an inferior in position. A millionaire will talk as frankly and as freely as though he did not own a cent. Bankers, lawyers and business men generally work a great deal harder and longer hours than the same class do in Glasgow. I met the president of a leading bank in the city, a smart young fellow. I learn that it is his rule to be in his office by 8:30 A. M., and he seldom leaves before 6 o'clock P. M. Professional and other business men generally work similar long hours. Everything seems to be pushing and driving business at railroad speed. When the style of the people is seen, it no longer surprises the stranger that Chicago arose from her ashes in so short a time.

A Voice from the Press.

I take this opportunity to bear testimony to the efficacy of your "Hop Bitters." Expecting to find them a nauseous and decided compound of bad whiskey, we were agreeably surprised at their mild taste, just like a cup of tea. My Mrs. Grosvenor and a Mrs. Conner friends have likewise tried, and pronounce them the best medicine they have ever taken for building up strength and toning up the system. I was troubled with costiveness, headache and want of appetite. My ailments are now all gone. I have a yearly contract with a doctor to look after the health of myself and family, but I need him not now.

S. GILLILAND

July 25, 1878: People's Advocate, Pittsb'g, Pa.

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Vegetable Sicilian
HAIR RENEWER

was the first preparation perfectly adapted to the diseases of the scalp, and the best and cheapest restorer of faded or gray hair to its youthful color, growth, and youthful beauty. It has had many imitators, but to date have any of them all the requirements needful for the proper treatment of the hair and scalp. HALL'S HAIR RENEWER has steadily grown in favor, and spread its fame and its success to every quarter of the globe. Its unparalleled success can be attributed to but one cause, the merit of the article itself.

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Dear Sir:—Overwork has done for me what it does for many. Desiring to benefit suffering women, I add my testimony to the value of **Zoa-Phora**. For five years I suffered greatly with Prolapsus, being obliged to use a supporter during all those painful, weary years; but, thanks to your medicine, I wear it no more. I laid it off after using one and a half bottles. I am not well, but I work all the time, and am better than I ever expected to be. You may use my letter, and if any one wishes to write me for more information, give them my full address. MISS C. G.

JERSEYVILLE, Ill., April 25, 1882.

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MRS. SARAH RANDOLPH.

N. B.—This was a case of suppression.

From Mrs. John Spitler,
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I have suffered for sixteen years with spasmodic pain in my head and general nervous debility. Recently I had a severe attack of pain in my head, caused by weakness and nervous exhaustion. I thought I should die. My husband said we would test **Zoa-Phora** thoroughly. He gave it to me according to directions for severe cases, and in less than two hours I had complete relief. I advise all ladies who suffer from nervous or sick headache, or any form of female weakness, to use **Zoa-Phora**. There is no medicine to compare with it.

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Of all the qualities that go to form a good character, there is not one more important than reliability,

Duties and toil may not be sought; they are always near at hand, if our eyes will only see them.

The path which leads to the mount of ascension does not lie among flowers, it through a dark valley and o'er a cold side.

To think kindly one of another is good; to speak kindly one of another is better, but to act kindly one toward another is best of all.

Selfishness, though refined, is still selfishness, and refinement ought never to interfere with doing good in the world as it exists.

Conceit is an assumption which is to nature what paint is to beauty—not only needless, but a detriment to that which it is meant to improve.

Oh, how good a thing and how peaceable it is to be silent of others, not to believe all that is said, nor easily to report what one has heard.

There is no condition in life so bad but it has one good side. Every situation has its point of view—we should place it in that favorable light.

How vain are eloquence and earthly glory compared with heaven-descended truth! Truth is always consistent in itself and needs nothing to help it out.

Never swerve in your conduct from your honest convictions; decide because you see reasons for your decision, and then act because you have decided.

Pride, like ambition, is sometimes virtuous and sometimes vicious, according to the character in which it is found and the object to which it is directed.

Like a plant in the tropics which all the year round is bearing fruits and shaking them off, so the heart is always shaking off memories and dropping off associations.

One man falls by his ambition, another by his perfidy, a third by his avarice, and a fourth by his lust. What are these but so many nets watched, indeed, by the fowler, but woven by the victim.

The Present is the child of the Past, and the father of the Future—the inheritor of all the wisdom and the treasures that have gone before, and the creator of the glory which will fill the days to come.

When two women with new hats on pass each other on the street there is a pair of back stares built immediately.

Scotch definition of metaphysics: "Twa men are talking togither. He that's listening dinna ken what he that's speaking means; and he that,s speaking dinna ken what he means himself."

Couldn't cheat him: "Tre dollar unt a half!" exclaimed Count Rampackle to the Niagara hackman, "dot was a schwindle!" "It's the regular fare," said the hackman, "but seeing it's you, I'll take you for three dollars and fifty cents." Goot!" exclaimed the count. "It was widout bossibilities to sheet me!"—Com. Advertiser.

The good woman was in sore trouble. An irascible neighbor had called her a "termagant," and she rushed in to consult a dictionary. "Well, if it only means 'boisterous, brawling and turbulent,' I don't care so very much, but if he ever calls me a 'virago' I'll pour hot dishwater all over his wife's flower bed. That's what I will."—New Haven Register.

On a recent Sunday, when the pastor of one of the leading Presbyterian churches of St. Louis was absent from his pulpit, several persons expressed dissatisfaction at seeing a stranger in the pulpit, and one old lady said she would not have come if she had knowed Dr. —— was not going to preach. An elder standing near, very promptly replied: "Madam, the worship of Dr. —— will be résumed next Sunday.

The Presidential bulletins made one think of the sailor whose shipmate was knifed in a row on shore. They went to the hospital next day to see how their messmate was getting along. Ben Bobstay went in to ask about him, received a true statement of his case from the surgeon, and came out with a solemn face. "Good Lord, mates," he said, "Jack's a dead man. The Latin part of his bowels is all cut to thunder."

At a recent examination in a girl's school, the question was put to a class of little ones: "Who makes the laws of our government?" "Congress," was the ready reply. "How is congress divided?" was the next question. A little girl in the clas raised her hand. "Well," said the examiner, "Miss Sallie what do you say the answer is?" Instantly, with an air of confidence as well as triumph, the answer came: "Civilized, half-civilized and savage."

The Heart's Secrets.

It is well that no spectators are permitted to catch a glimpse of our heart's secrets; that the door is never opened to let any one enter to view our unseen ghosts. If we have our songs in the night, our midnight vigils, we care not the world should witness our disappointments and mishaps. "Deep in each heart's undreamed, unsought recesses, lie buried many a fond idol, many a treasure. Our spectres stand before us in their dead form, and we touch their icy hands, press kisses on their cold lips; they are constantly sauntering out from their graves; we sigh and weep because we cannot clasp their lively presence within our arms. It is better that the world should not know our heart's secrets; it's bitter scorn and its cold pity would bestow little sympathy; it would neither condole nor solace us under merciless disappointment and withered hopes. We mingle in the whirling throng of human beings, we cross the broad ocean, we travel through foreign countries. Who reads the heart's secrets? They may be guessed, conjectured, suspected, but they are not voluntarily exposed. We prefer to shut them up within the recesses of our bosoms, far out of sight.

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Dampness in Brick Houses.

Hundreds of brick houses throughout the country are made most uncomfortable and unhealthy from the dampness which comes through the walls. This difficulty arises from ignorance in building—the neglect of some of the simplest and most reasonable precautions. Most men in building leave everything to the mechanic, and many of these last gentlemen, however industrious and praiseworthy in many respects, never learned the A B C of their trades. All brick walls in dwelling houses should be hollow and parated outside. Then, between the cellar walls and the first course of brick there should be a layer of some sort of cement which becomes hard and impervious to water. In the last place, every house—brick or wood—should have a tile drain put all around it to the depth of three to five feet in the ground. This can easily be run into the drain which every well-regulated cellar is supposed to have, as a matter of course. By carrying out these simple and sensible hints, a house need never be damp inside, and such afflictions as mold on the wall or in closets will never be occurring to annoy the housekeeper. It would seem that every man who undertakes to "follow the trade" of building a house ought to be posted in such necessary, elementary knowledge of his calling. But not one in a hundred knows anything about it—at least in the country, where there is no system of sewerage. In fact, living near a thriving village where there are the usual number of "good" mechanics, we never heard this matter mentioned by but one man, though we have always been accustomed to hear these complaints of the dampness of brick houses. In cities where builders are obliged to understand their business, and where competent architects are always found, "they do these things better." But such apparent necessities in buildings should, it would seem, be understood by everybody. It is a lamentable fact that they are not, and one that tells sadly upon the health of all who are compelled to live in these damp brick houses.

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A Virginia River's Name.

Just then we came to a pleasant stream and stopped to water the horses. I asked Lee what the stream was called.

"De Mat, sir."

Spell it," said I.

"M-A-T—Mat," said he.

We strolled along through the woods and fields for a few miles, and came to another stream. I asked Lee what the stream was called.

"De Ta, sah."

"Spell it."

"T-A—Ta."

Again we put whip to our horses, and after three more miles had been left behind we reached another small stream running through a piece of woods. I asked Lee what the stream was called.

"De Po, sah."

"Spell it."

"P-O—Po."

By that time we were on the road to Fredericksburg. Coming to a fourth rivulet, I asked Lee what the stream was called.

"De Ny, sah."

"Spell it."

"N-Y—Ny."

"The what?"

"De Ny, sah. 'En dar's yo' M-A-T, 'en dar's yo' Mat; den dar's yo' T-A, en dar's yo' Ta; 'en yo' M-A-T-T-A, 'en yo' Matta; den dar's yo' P-O, 'en yo' M-A-T-T-A-P-O, 'en yo' Mattapo; den dar's yo' N-Y, 'en dar's yo' Ny, 'en yo' M-A-T-T-A-P-O-N-Y, 'en dar yo' hab yo' ribber Mattapony, which am a big ribber made ob dese fo' little, teeny ribbers dat us jest passed ober!"

Lee was as serious as a person at a funeral. I had thought when he began the rigmarole that he was joking, but he was in earnest. It actually did take three hours for Lee to spell the word "Mattaponi," and meanwhile we had traveled fifteen miles. The first syllable was spelled at 8:10 A. M., when we crossed the Mat; the second at about 9:30, when we crossed the Ta; the third at 10:20, when we crossed the Po, the fourth at 11, when we left the Ny behind.

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A clergyman remarked the other day, "Alas, how times change! In the Old Testament days it was considered a miracle for an ass to speak, and now it seems as though nothing short of a miracle would keep one quiet."

"Just one," murmured he involuntarily, drawing closer to the lips that smiled upon him, while his own quivered in an agony of expectant anticipation. "So I notice," replied she, coolly glancing at the clock, and time for you to pull up your coat collar and shut the door from the outside." He went.

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No person can visit the Pacific-Arctic without being struck by the amazing number of sea birds he meets with. Gulls, ducks and geese are found in almost incredible numbers, not to mention the land birds, such as ptarmigan, plover, snipe and so on; but the one that eclipses them all in number is the auk, whose pygopodous family is so noted for its distribution in the Polar seas. Puffins, dovekies, guillemots and the little auks, darkening the air in their myriad flight, scream to each other in ceaseless uproar on the rocky cliffs of St. Lawrence and the Diomede Islands, to which places they resort and lay eggs on bare ledges and the rifts of rocks. A place much frequented by these birds is at the former island on some detached rocks a considerable distance at sea, their shape being so singular that when approached from a long distance they may be mistaken for a ship under full sail or a tall iceberg. Closer inspection, however, reveals a rocky tower, the counterpart of an immense Vendome column. The lesser auk, the most common object that one meets in this north country, furnishes a constant source of diversion from its awkward terior position of its legs obliging the bird to sit nearly bolt upright on the ice, supported on its heels and tail, the unique picture of comic seriousness. The eggs and flesh are particularly affected as an article of diet by the Esquimaux, who eat the flesh raw and sometimes boiled in oil. Roasted auk has been a common dish at their mess table, but it must be confessed that it is only a short reprieve from salt beef, for after a few days it palls on the taste.

Beards.

Exceptionally long beards have always attracted a good deal of attention, and history records many instances of this kind. Rauber von Talberg, a German Knight, and Councilor of Maximilian II. (d. 1575.) rejoiced in a beard which reached to his feet, and from there again to his waist. John Mayo, a celebrated painter of the sixteenth century, who accompanied Charles V. in his campaign, had a beard so long that although he was a tall man, it would hang upon the ground when he stood upright; he wore it, therefore, fastened to his girdle. George Killingworth, sent by Queen Mary as one of her agents in 1555 to Czar Ivan the Terrible, is said to have had a beard 5 feet 2 inches long. In the olden time, when every part of the body had its price, the beard was valued 20s—a large sum for the time—while the loss of a leg was only estimated at 12s.

We can easily imagine that at periods when the beard and whiskers were looked upon as ornamental, false beards were substituted for the genuine article. Pedro IV. of the Aragon (1351) found himself compelled to prohibit his Catalonian subjects from wearing false beards. But the most singular substitute is the golden beard which Chrysostemus says, was worn by the Kings of Persia. Suetonius says the same of Caligula, the Roman Emperor. According to Andreas Favyn, the kings of France of the first dynasty wore beards entwined with gold threads. Duke Renatus, of Lorraine, was the last, and it is related that he wore at the funeral of Charles of Burgundy, who died at Nancy, in 1477, a beard of gold thread hanging down to his girdle.

Home.

After all, when one comes to think of it, there are not many homes. There are, of course innumerable places which go by the name of homes, called so for a want of better designation, or because everybody calls the place where he eats and sleeps home; but when you come down to real sober fact, homes are comparatively scarce.

A home is the refuge place from the storm, the fret and worry of life. It is a place where the husband comes home to a sanctuary, where smiles and loving words answer his smiles and greeting. It is a place where the wife reigns in her benignity and grace; no, it may be, the grace of outward beauty, or cultivation, but of true womanhood, where she receives honor and love even as she gave them both. It is a place, it should be a place, where children are happier than anywhere else in the world, because there are the choicest words, the brightest looks and the kindest acts. Such are not the majority of homes as we find them.

How does it happen that when you see a real home, a light, pleasant spot where everyone seems to be happy, where if husband and wife have misunderstandings, no one seems to know it, where laughter and smiles are perpetual guests, why does it strike one as peculiar and noticeable? Simply because there are so few of them.

An Editor's Testimonial.

A. M. Vaughan, Editor of the "Greenwich Review," Greenwich, O., writes,—Last January I met with a very severe accident, caused by a runaway horse. I used almost every kind of salve to heal the wounds, which turned to running sores, but found nothing to do me any good till I was recommended Henry's Carbolic Salve. I bought a box and it helped me at once, and at the end of two months I was completely well. It is the best salve in the market, and I never fail of telling my friends about it, and urge them to use it whenever they need a salve.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 14, 1884.

HOW TO CAMP OUT

So many of our people have fallen into the habit of camping out during the summer season that we give place to the following suggestions from the American Agriculturist. Provide an abundance of bedding—buffalo robes and comforters, and plenty of blankets, are usually sufficient, though some may need ticks filled with straw. In starting out for camp do not take too many things. One of the results of camp life is to show how little one can get along with. The most important part of the outfit is an abundant supply of good humor, a disposition to make the best of everything, to overcome difficulties, and always be cheerful. A grumbler is an unpleasant companion anywhere, but in camp he is a nuisance. In warm weather the camp-fire should be at a good distance from the sleeping tents, and precautions taken that the spreading of the fire can occur. It is best to leave all the crockery at home, and provide a supply of tin plates, tin cups and cheap knives and forks. Prepare in advance sufficient food to serve for the first two or three days, and then be governed by circumstances. If the locality furnishes fish or game, the procuring of these will afford sport for the men and boys, but it is not safe to depend upon these and there should be in reserve, a ham, a supply of the standard camp food, salt pork, which, with an abundance of potatoes, hard-tack, dried apples and coffee will keep the table well furnished. Have meals at stated hours, let each one in his or her way, help in preparing them, and—what is more important—help in clearing away and washing dishes. Keep the surroundings of the camp as good as you can. Have a pot in a convenient place for rags and slops, and provide other conveniences in a sheltered place at a proper distance. If girls are taken into camp, let it be the business of some one to provide a place for them beyond the reach of children and where no accident can occur. See that the greater part of the day may be spent in real—in leisure—in the best meaning of the term. Be sure you provide an abundance of reading matter. Any hard worked family will return from a fortnight's vacation, or a longer one of this kind better fitted to take up the home routine, and perhaps more appreciative of home comforts.

A BUSINESS MOVE.

During the past week Messrs. Savage & Farnum, general newspaper advertising agents, formerly located at No. 120 Griswold street, have taken full possession of their handsome offices in the new Campau building, and they now lay claim to one of the most elegantly appointed and most conveniently arranged offices of the kind in the country. The rapid increase of their business during the past year or two has necessitated quite an addition to their working force, and the employment of every known device for the systematization and perfect control of the work they have in hand. Their recent move, while being an evidence of prosperity, and liable to result most advantageously, was, in view of the overcrowded state of things, a matter of necessity. They have wisely, however, taken advantage of the opportunity afforded to prepare for future extension of their operations, and so arranged the new quarters that one acquainted with the details of the business cannot but acknowledge them to be very near perfection. A space of 105 feet by thirty feet is occupied altogether, which is precisely one-half the size of the building less hallways. The rooms face on Griswold street and extend the whole length of the Larned street side. Elegantly furnished private offices for the members of the firm come first in order in the arrangement, next the desks of book-keepers and other assistants, then follow the files, which, by the way, are something new in newspaper filing. 11,000 different newspapers being neatly cared for.—Free Press, July 15.

The "Treasury of Song" for the home circle, vocal and instrumental, contains the richest gems, sacred and secular, carefully selected from the best works of the various authors. It embraces the grandest harmonies of the best composers, comprising their favorite songs, hymns, glees, ballads, anthems, chants, and selections from opera and oratorio in delightful variety, chosen especially for their eminent fitness to promote the happiness of every home. I shall be most happy to introduce this beautiful book to the lovers of music in Tecumseh.

H. M. GAMON.

THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Lenawee county teachers' institute is now in session. These institutes have grown to be quite an institution. The primary object of teachers' institutes is to institute teachers. The secondary object is to enable the school ma'ams to congregate together, ask questions, fish for husbands, admire each other's new bonnets, trade pen knives and take notes for the benefit of the rising generation. Over one hundred school ma'ams are taking in the institute this week, to say nothing of the pedagogues of the male persuasion. These number about one in ten of the total enrollment, and if these young men fail to institute a matrimonial problem in addition to their regular institute work the fault will be theirs alone, and the institute will be a failure.

The exercises consist of lectures, normal classes and a question box. This box is open for the reception of questions at all hours of the day and night, and is relieved of its contents twice each week. Our citizens are expected to aid the institute in all possible ways. As we have no time to lecture, as we are not sufficiently numerous for a normal class, as we have no inclination to spark the school ma'ams, we have decided to cast our mite, where the bogus pennies go on Sunday, into the query or contribution box. These questions have cost us considerable mental anxiety and physical anguish, but if they shed a halo of light upon the proceedings of the institute we shall feel that the query box was not instituted in vain.

Why does the Mississippi river run down stream?

Which had you rather do or go a-fishing?

If a bin 4 feet long, 3 feet wide and 2 feet deep will hold 42 bushels of wheat, how many bushels of onions can be put in the same bin?

Give the rule for sparring the parallelogram.

Give the prismatic location of crushed strawberry and mangled angleworm.

If the latest style of Mother Hubbard wrapper costs a school ma'am a month's wages, what will a cord of hickory wood come to?

Is it ever justifiable to sit a bad bashful boy between two red-headed girls? If so, when?

On what kind of hinges is the Golden gate hung?

Which is the better grammar—Them hosses eyes is set, or them hosses eyes is set?

If an orange and a half cost a cent and three-quarters, what will a peck of sweet potatoes cost?

Who burned Bidwell's tannery?

Which is the better aid to discipline—a set of printed rules, or a ten foot hickory gad laid across three pegs in the wall behind the teacher's desk?

Who was the author of Pope's essay on man?

Give the pedigree of Wiggins, the weather prophet.

In what astronomical constellation is Pittsburg located?

Parse the common noun dude.

In what hemisphere is Hades located?

Why is Chicago time slower than ours, when Chicago itself is the fastest city on the continent?

Under what circumstances is it allowable to adjourn the session of an institute to allow the school ma'ams to witness a game of base ball?

From what race of monkeys is the modern dude descended?

Where is the confederate last ditch located?

In what year did De Soto cross the raging Raisin?

Who was the young man who fired the Ephesian dome, and was the dome insured?

When two red headed girls kiss each other, is it a case of "spontaneous combustion?"

If Jay Gould's yacht makes sixteen knots an hour, how many knots will a boy's fish line make in itself in the same time?

How many men killed Tecumseh, and what are their names?

Is it a fact that Shakespeare hated cars?

Is the expression, "He bit off more n he could chaw," a grammatical one?

Who invented pumpkin pie?

What is the name of the latest style summer bonnet?

Give the most approved method of taking off a Dutch boy's ear.

As an incentive to good behavior which is preferable—a halter strap or an ash shingle?

How much capital must be invested in Navin's Adrian city water bonds to yield an income of $500 per annum at ten per cent.?

Who was the inventor of the last new color—scrambled potato bug?

When and where was the teachers' institute first instituted?

Did Moses teach Greek and Latin?

Jim took three spoonsful of paregoric and Jack three spoonfuls. Explain the difference.

If it is dinner time at noon in San Francisco, when will supper time arrive at Halifax?

Is dude of the masculine, feminine or neuter gender?

Who struck Billy Patterson?

NOTES FROM KANSAS.

BULLS CITY, KAN., Aug. 2, '84.

EDITOR HERALD:

You may entitle this "special or regular correspondence" or what you will, but it really is but a letter which I have had in mind for some time to write you from Kansas, giving you some idea of the impressions which I have received of this "cradle of liberty" during a 5 months ramble through the state by rail and stage, from the Missouri nearly to Colorado. I left Michigan in March, and after a 36 hours ride over the Rock Island reached Atchison where I remained about six weeks. The city is really a great big village, and now has a population of about 15,000 though there are none of the features except street railways and gas which would mark it as a city. It does quite a wholesale trade and is good grain center, but there is hardly a manufactory in the place. Like myself, it was first settled in 1853, and at one time promised great things when it was the government supply depot for the west, but the outbreak of the war caused a stoppage of nearly all immigration, and its growth has been slow. When the census was taken in '80 the enumerators found that they lacked some 1,200 of having the 15,000 required for a city of the first class, but with blanks and a vivid imagination the hiatus was filled and they reported 15,105. This is an actual fact.

From Atchison I went to Leavenworth, where I remained about two months.—This is the wealthiest city in the state, though the honor of being the largest is disputed by Topeka, but it is without doubt the most enterprising go-ahead city, and now has a population of about 23,000 and rapidly growing. The abundance of coal, fine water works and plenty of capital, has filled the city full of manufactories of all kinds, wagons, carriages, stoves, flour mill machinery, iron bridges, flour, etc., and it would be a good location for a wrapping paper mill or farm implement factory. The city is located on a high plateau, completely encircled by wooded hills on the west bank of the "Big Muddy"; that is it was when I left, but the peculiarity of the Missouri is that when she takes a notion to go meandering off somewhere else and cut a new channel for herself no one tries to interfere, and this spring she was at work cutting a channel which would leave Leavenworth about three miles inland and steal just as much land from Missouri and present it to Kansas. As she has been a "star route" I presume she learned her tricks from the others, only we never heard of them giving any of their plunder to any one unless it was to Bob Ingersoll. Fort Leavenworth, under command of Major Gen. John Pope, which adjoins the the north city limits, however is the principal attraction and is the handsomest military post in the west. The broad, macadamized driveways, shaded dwellings and quarters, and smooth-shaven lawns, all conspire to make as beautiful a picture as Uncle Sam's money, and the free labor of the inmates of the guard house could make. The average force of troops there is 600.

Now, after a two months trip thro' central and northern Kansas and a careful consideration of all the points in her favor and against her, I am prepared to say that Kansas is the the state af the grandest possibilities of any in the Union, for two pursuits—agriculture and stock raising. If you could have been with me as I rode over thousands of acres of beautiful, rich, rolling prairie land, lying there only waiting for the tickling of the plow to yield up the golden grain, and have seen the farms whose fields of green corn and yellow wheat marked the earth like the squares of a chequer board you would not say I had over-estimated the future of the state. The price of land decreases as you go west from the river, and in this county, Osborne, improved farms can be bought from $8 to $25 per acre, and unimproved from $5 to $10. The majority of the farms are homesteads and tree claims, and around nearly every farm house can be seen the cluster of trees planted under that law and called "wind breaks" (don't confound them with "air breaks" which serve the double purpose of securing the patent and protecting them from the force of the "Kansas zephyrs" which occasionally blow.—Yes, they do occasionally blow, and though no patriotic Kansan will acknowledge that they are at all to be feared, yet the majority of them have what they call "cyclone cellars" in their back yards, and they get into them like prairie dogs when the sky gets too threatening.

The pleasantest feature of my whole trip, however, I experienced when I jumped down from the stage at Gayford, a pleasant and prosperous village in Smith Co., on the Central Branch of the Mo. Pacific, 227 miles from Atchison, and literally ran into the arms of our old friend Geo. T. Ketcham, now the popular landlord of the Gilman House, which bears the reputation of being one of the best hotels in western Kansas. George and Mrs. K gave me a right royal welcome, and introduced me to their little Mina, and I spent a day and two nights with them, which were filled with reminiscences of Tecumseh.

I know the interest which Michigan must take in Kansas as a prohibition state, and you may like to know how the law operates. Well, it works just in this way: where the majority of the sentiment of a place is not in favor of it, and officials are elected in accordance with that sentiment liquor is sold as openly as in Michigan, and where the sentiment is in its favor it is only sold from the back doors of drug stores and on the sly. I call'd at a few places, where it did also nicely; prohibit and even there it would n't pay to have too much of a droop in your left eye when you asked for soda water. But I consider the law is gaining ground, and the convictions in Topeka have done much to strengthen it. The greatest blow it has received was the election of [illegible] the extensive plan of remitting the fines of the liquor dealers as fast as convicted. In cities where it is sold openly the city authorities have two ways of deriving a revenue from it. In Atchison they pay a "fine" of $25 a month; in Leavenworth they receive license to sell "lemonade." But I only intended to write a couple of pages and behold!

WM. P. B.

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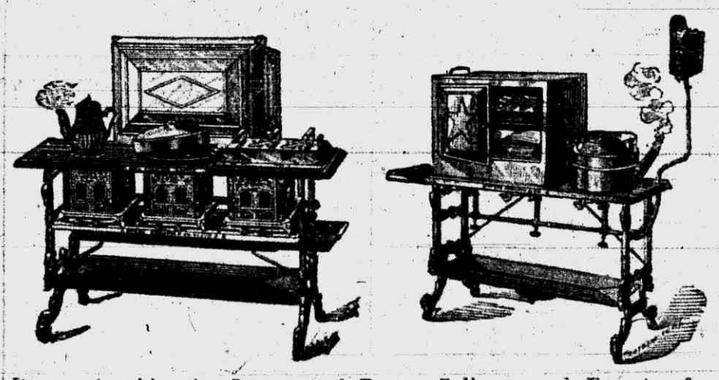

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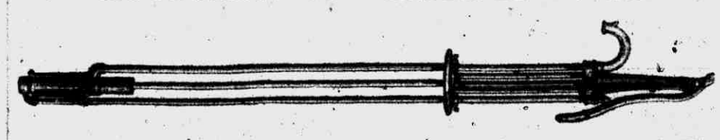

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway company that a meeting of said stockholders will be held in the city of Marshall, Michigan, on Sept. 11th, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of considering and acting upon the agreement of the directors of each company to consolidate the Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company and the Toledo & Michigan Railway Company, and to give said stockholders an opportunity to vote thereon.

July 9th, 1883.

JAMES E. NEAL,
Secretary Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Co.
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A Charlotte justice of the peace printed a chromo to parties whom he marries.

Miss Carrie Rector, of Charlotte, will preside over the Buchanan high school this year.

Good crop of wheat in Tuscola county this year. Tuscola can generally be relied on to do its duty.

Henry Anderson's delivery horse took a run last Saturday and delivered the groceries of several customers all in a heap.

Read our real estate notices on the eighth page. Some good bargains can be found there. People desiring to buy real estate should call at the HERALD office.

The grangers will hold their annual picnic on the Morenci fair grounds, Aug. 23. Hon. J. J. Woodman, master of the national grange, will be present and address the people. Everybody is cordially invited.

W. F. MASON, Secretary.

The annual harvest picnic of the farmers of Hillsdale and Lenawee counties will be held at Beardsell's landing, Devil's lake, on Wednesday, Aug. 22d, next. Everybody is cordially invited to spend one day with us in rest and social recreation. An interesting program of exercises will be furnished. S. MOREY, Pres.

We "went through" John Hick's new house the other day. We do not mean to say that we burglarized it, for he has not moved in yet and it wouldn't pay. But it is in good condition to be interviewed. The house is located on the west side of Union street, beyond Mr. Hardenburgs, is a large square two story residence with wing in the rear. Mrs. Hicks was the architect, having planned the entire arrangement of the rooms herself, and Mr. Hicks, like a dutiful husband, has followed out her wishes in constructing the house. It contains two large rooms each side of the main hall, dining room and kitchen and bath room on the lower floor, and corresponding chambers above. The basement or cellars is well lighted and is divided into a wash room, vegetable cellar and furnace room. There are two open cisterns in this apartment. A good wood house with a second story attachment completes the rooms. It will be elegantly finished both inside and outside, and when completed will be one of the finest residences on Union St., which is rapidly becoming the Fifth Avenue of Tecumseh.

A DAY AMONG THE FARMERS.

Last Saturday was a beautiful day, and we improved the weather to take a circuit among the farmers. Starting out on the Clinton road, the first halt was made at D. H. Silvers, who is now running the old Silvers' homestead. He seems to enjoy farming as well as he formerly did selling clothing, and makes a business of it just the same. He had secured a large crop of wheat and was drawing in the last of his hay on Saturday. Stopped at Wm. Silvers but found him over on the old Newberg farm, and therefore drove on without seeing him. Next halt was made at Thos. Service's. Mr. Service has 110 acres of land under a good state of cultivation. He has 18 acres of wheat this year and other crops in proportion, and is evidently doing well. We dropped in on David O'Reiley just about high noon and halted for refreshments. Mr. O'Reiley is running a farm on rather an extensive scale. He has 180 acres of land and cut 42 acres of wheat this year.—He is well provided with team, tools, etc., to work his acres to advantage, and has a good start in life for a young man. His wife knows how to get up a good dinner too. After dinner we proceeded to Pennington's corners and circulated around the village for an hour or two. Found Spencer Morgan and W. P. Cotton both at home and both seemed satisfied with their summer's trade. Tried to find "Uncle George" Burdette, but could not. Had a little visit with John Frost, who is still nailing on horse shoes at the old corner shop, and he boasts as good an eye and as steady a hand as he did twenty years ago.—We then turned westward and halted at J. R. Liddle's, whom we found topping out the last stack of 30 acres of wheat. He has 100 acres of land, a fine house, good buildings and is "well fixed" to enjoy a farmer's life, which he evidently does. Stopped at Jesse Aten's but found he had "gone to town," and then facing homeward we "came to town" also.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 9, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

School ma'ams and school masters.

Under Sheriff Hyde was in town last Friday.

Manager Mason inspected our local exchange last Monday.

The big farmers picnic will be held at Devils Lake on the 22d inst.

The steam flume went over the big bridge on the M. & O. road for the first time Monday forenoon.

The oldest inhabitant is again put to his trumps to recall a spell of August weather like the present.

M. Wilson sold a load of hay Tuesday which weighed net 3015 pounds. It was a big load in every direction.

O. T. Bliss will start next Monday for an extended western trip. He expects to visit the Yellowstone park before his return.

Co. C. left for camp in a special car yesterday morning. Nearly every man was in the ranks and the boys went off in high spirits.

The Brownville Social Club intend making their annual visit to Sand Lake next Saturday. You can bet they will have a good time.

Rev. P. Van Winkle, of Troy, will occupy the Baptist pulpit in this village next Sunday morning and evening in exchange with the pastor.

Mr. Omar Everart presented us with a Golden Russet apple yesterday which was as fresh as the day it was picked from the tree—nearly a year ago.

Tecumseh has more than her share of attractions this week. The new railroad, the teachers' institute and the big game of base ball all struck us the same week.

James M. Jones can now make a boy's suit for another member of the family. The youngster arrived last Saturday night, and is prospering finely for an August boy.

Mrs. P. C. Goodrich, who has been spending the past two months in this village as the guest of Mrs. C. M. Burlingame, returned to her home in Coldwater last Thursday.

Last week we said that Gus Slayton had been spending the week in Hillsdale county shipping one thousand feet of ash to Illinois. It should have said one hundred and twenty-three thousand feet.

We acknowledge the courtesy of a season ticket to the next state fair to begin at Detroit Sept. 17th. It will be a good show, of course, and we shall endeavor to make our arrangements to attend.

Our rifle team left for camp on Monday, to be present at the trial on Tuesday. The team is composed of five men: A. E. Kennedy, Grant Hanford, John Tansley, Clark Beebe, and Wm. Mosher.

Minor Davidson raised his big barn last week Wednesday. The structure is 90x30 feet, connecting the north and south barns previously standing. At the close of the raising the crowd was treated to a good supper.

An item for threshers: Last Monday afternoon between two and five o'clock, Smith's machine threshed for S. C. Stacy 274 bushels of wheat, and stopped twice to mend a broken belt. Actual running time about two and one-half hours. This yield was from 8½ acres of ground.

In overhauling the lightning rods on the central school building this week, John Hicks discovered that the point on the south tower had been scorched by a stroke. The bolt must have been a heavy one for the point was ruined. It saved the building from serious injury.

The initial number of Dio Lewis' Monthly is on our table. It is a new magazine devoted to Sanitary Science and edited by that Nestor of health teachers, Dr. Dio Lewis. It opens like business and is destined to gain a wide circulation. It is published by Clark Brothers, New York City.

L. F. Wheeler has taken several new landscape views lately. We have two of them for our what-not. "Your brother," which represents a mule on the opposite side of a board fence, and "Laying track on the T. & M. Aug. 6th, 1883," which gives the construction train coming this way over the big bridge.

Misses Josie and Nora Colyin, daughters of James B. Colyin, of Raisin, had a narrow escape from a serious injury last Friday. They were returning from Adrian with a horse and buggy, and when near Walter Jones' met a man going the other way. He failed to turn out sufficiently and thus ran their buggy into the ditch and upset it. The horse struggled and cleared himself from the buggy, and dragged Josie out of the buggy, and several feet on the ground, while Nora sprang to the horse's head, and thus got control of him. The buggy was somewhat dilapidated, and the young ladies were "shaken-up" some but not seriously injured. The man whom they met drove right along and never stopped or offered to assist them at all. He ought to be prosecuted. They borrowed a harness of Mr. Jones and got safely home.

Mr. A. L. Brewer is at Petoskey this week.

The Morenci fair will be held Oct. 3, 4 and 5.

Mrs. A. Marsh, of Toledo, O., is visiting Mrs. O. B. De Wolf.

The reunion of the 18th Mich. Inf. will take place on the 28th inst.

Mrs. M. A. Miller, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. E. V. DePuy this week.

The Baptist church of Morenci now have a new parsonage for their pastor.

Mrs. W. H. Keyser and daughter are visiting at Ypsilanti and Detroit this week.

It was wheel and tether between the institute and the base ball game yesterday afternoon.

Dr. C. M. Woodward, surgeon of 1st Reg. M. S. T. is in camp with the boys up to the end of the week.

Tuesday.

Miss Eva Clement, our telephone operator, is confined to her rooms quite sick. We hope she will soon be out again.

I. H. Finch and W. H. Burnham traveled from Sand Lake to Adrian on their bicycles the other day in one hour and forty-five minutes.

The adjourned meeting of the Macon Grange will take place Aug. 31, instead of the 17th as has been announced. Program next week.

Dr. E. M. Conklin has his residence now in the Mills block in connection with his office. Night calls will receive attention from this place.

The Supt. of Public Instruction, H. R. Gass is in town this afternoon and will lecture this evening at the opera house. Subject, "The Lost Races of America." The public are cordially invited.

The Baptist Sunday school of Clinton went on a picnic excursion last Tuesday to Wampler's Lake. The day was perfect, and all who went enjoyed themselves. The crowd was large and merry, but orderly and well behaved.

R. C. Van Antwerp has now fitted up in the James block on the corner, one of the best ice cream rooms in the county. Van always makes the best of ice cream, and you can also get in his place a good glass of Lemonade, a good cigar, or a pound of warm peanuts.

James Tray was here with the Bay City club yesterday and caught for our club. Everybody was glad to see old Jim and congratulated him on his success. He is doing all the catching for the Bay City team, and leads them in batting. The Tray boys make a solid battery and we predict for them some day a good position in some League club.

Yesterday the Park Hotel changed hands as intimated in the Democrat last week, Mr. Passmore becoming proprietor of Sink's hotel, Tecumseh, while W. H. Sink assumed charge of the Park. Mr. Passmore leaves many friends in Monroe and his record as a business man is first-class. We can cheerfully recommend him to the people of Tecumseh as a gentleman of the strictest honor and integrity who will prove himself a valuable acquisition to their business circle. Traveling men give Mr. Sink the reputation of being one of the best hotel men in Michigan, which seems assurance that the Park will not suffer under his management.—Monroe Democrat.

We clip the above, and in addition will say that we have met Mr. Passmore and he seems to be all the above notice states. Many improvements will be made in the hotel and we wish the gentleman all success. We understand that among other improvements a new cornice will be put on Merchants' block.

BASE BALL.

Two Games, both Good Ones—Quincy vs. Tecumseh last Friday—Bay City vs. Tecumseh Yesterday Afternoon.

The game between Quincy and Tecumseh last Friday was a very good one and the most interesting game to witness we have had this season. Our boys played pretty fair, scoring 12 runs, and making 7 one base hits with only 5 errors and 4 passed balls. The Quincy boys made 8 runs, 5 one base hits, 1 two base hit, with 11 errors and 4 passed balls. Tray, Tecumseh's regular pitcher, was not on hand for the game. Mr. Frazer umpired the game. The Quincy boys all seem to be good fellows and expressed themselves well satisfied with their treatment here.

The game yesterday between Bay City and our boys was looked forward to with much interest and a good crowd was present at 2:30 when the game was called. Our team did not do as good field work as on Friday, but still held the Bay City team down fairly, the score standing 6 to 3 at the wind up. The following is the score by innings.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	I.B.	T.B.	E.
Bay City	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	6	5	6	4
Tecumseh	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	3	8	9	10

The errors on our side were many, but not many of them did much harm. The B. B. Association deserve credit for the manner in which the games have been conducted here this year, and Bay City unite with the rest in saying that Tecumseh is not a bad place to come to play ball.

The Clinton and Raisin clubs will play a game on our grounds Saturday P. M. next at 2 o'clock. Let all turn out and see them.

The Grangers will hold their annual picnic at Morenci on the 23d inst.

L. F. Wheeler has taken three fine negatives of the new railroad bridge.

The farmers have improved the splendid weather of the past few days.

Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury is spending a few days at Seneca Falls, N. Y.

A movement has been started at Cheboygan to start a hay fever resort there.

L. F. Wheeler went to Brighton yesterday to photograph the encampment.

The whole village was out last Sunday to see the work progress on the new railroad.

Mrs. James Cook, of Raisin, has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to ride out.

Samuel Roof, of Hudson, will put in about $4,000 worth of machinery for making sugar from sorghum.

A spiritual liberal camp meeting will be held at Flint, commencing Aug. 17 and lasting ten days.

Rev. J. B. Little, of Adrian, will supply the pulpit of the Presbyterian church in this village next Sunday morning.

Tecumseh rusticators are numerous at Sand Lake these days. An old maid party—excuse us, a young lady party—of twenty have chartered a cottage there this week and are missing all the big base ball games at home.

E. S. Palmiter, of the firm of Walbridge & Palmiter, publishers of the Michigan School Moderator, is attending the institute, and favored us with a friendly visit this morning. The Moderator is the best teacher's paper in Michigan and deserves a liberal patronage.

The crossing of the M. & O. and Lake Shore roads which was put in place last Sunday, cost about $700.—This includes the rails, timbers and all extras. The foreman of the construction gang on the M. & O. and trackmaster Corbus of the Lake Shore superintended the work.

Last Saturday morning fire was discovered in the roof of Griffith's blacksmith shop, on Pearl street, but it was extinguished at once by Ed. Chiveral and Friend McNeil, and the steamer was not called out. Had a fire obtained headway in that frame row it would have made bad work.

Manager Croswell will sell tickets for Frederick Warde, who appears at Adrian in "Virginius" on the 25th inst., at Hudson and Tecumseh. On Thursday the 23d he will be at the Comstock house at Hudson, with about 50 choice seats, and on Friday, the 24th, the day before the entertainment, he will be at the HERALD office with an equally choice lot.

Frank W. Smith, of Toledo, an ex-prisoner at Andersonville, will take to Andersonville 14,000 national flags, and decorate the graves in the national cemetery near the old stockade. He will be assisted by several ex-confederates and by Atlanta ladies. The New Orleans guards, who recently paid a visit to the north, sent Mr. Smith a contribution toward purchasing the flags.

ELECTING A SCHOOL EXAMINER.

The chairman of the township boards of school inspectors met at Adrian last Tuesday to choose an examiner in place of D. A. Hammond, whose term of office expires. C. B. Stowell, of Hudson, was elected chairman and the meeting adjourned until afternoon.

At the opening of the afternoon session, the roll call showed the following chairman as present:

Adrian—Edgar Montgomery.
Blissfield—W. W. Goff.
Cambridge—Edward C. Kuny.
Deerfield—Robt. E. Burnett.
Dover—Abram Lerch.
Fairfield—John G. Patterson.
Franklin—Thos. Conlin.
Hudson—C. B. Stowell.
Macon—Rachel M. Howell.
Madison—C. E. Mitchell.
Ogden—Samuel Young.
Palmyra—Jas. E. Jacklin.
Raisin—Cyrus Crandall.
Ridgeway—John Van Vleet.
Riga—Wm. H. Wise.
Rollin—Vincent Wood.
Rome—John H. Combs.
Seneca—Benjamin C. Franklin.
Tecumseh—Henry Wilson.
Woodstock—C. B. Heath.

The first and only business, of course, was the election of the county examiner, and, after some amending and more discussion, a resolution was finally passed making a majority of the votes cast necessary for an election. The resolution also specified that the election should be by ballot.

The president appointed J. G. Patson, of Fairfield, and J. H. Combs, of Rome, as tellers, after which a ballot was taken. It resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes cast.....20
Henry C. Wilson.....13
D. A. Hammond.....3
E. A. Condit.....2
Cyrus Crandall.....1
C. D. West.....1

On motion of J. E. Jacklin, of Palmyra, Mr. Wilson was declared unanimously elected.

Mr. Wilson being called upon, gracefully thanked the gentlemen present for the honor conferred upon him, and promised that he would do all in his power to enhance the educational interests of Lenawee county during the next three years.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

A Very Successful Opening of a Two Week's Session—The Program of the First Four Days.

The regular teachers' institutes held under state auspices comprise fifty-two this season, of which forty are holden in August, five in September and seven in October. The usual time devoted to each institute is one week, but an experiment has been made this year at Cassopolis and Tecumseh by extending the session to a fortnight at these places. Supt. Gass is expected to be present in person here at Tecumseh this week or next to view the results of his experiment.

The regular sessions are held in the Central school building. The daily routine consists of a lecture each forenoon and afternoon upon some topic and normal class drill. The lecture is given to the entire membership, separate sections at the same time.—By this method much more work is accomplished and all the instructors are kept busy. Two evening lectures are given each week at the Opera House which are free to all. The exercises are conducted by Prof. I. N. Demmon, of Ann Arbor, assisted by Profs. Curtis, of Adrian, and Hammond, of Tecumseh. The first session opened Monday forenoon with an attendance of over seventy, and the enrollment had increased to 130 yesterday afternoon. The success of the two week's experiment is already a foregone conclusion.

A correspondent of the Adrian Times, who is blessed with a gift of prophecy, informed the readers of that paper last week that the institute would result in a failure. That correspondent should be here now and witness the evidence of his remarkable foresight. Whether we look at the number enrolled, the character and enthusiasm of the members, the efficiency of the instructors, or the program of exercises presented, the institute is a decided and gratifying success, and all those in attendance will support the statement.

As we are compelled to economize space we present an outline of each day's program, which will show the nature of the work done.

MONDAY.

10:00 A. M.—Organization.
11:00—Lecture on Language Lessons by Prof. Demmon.
2:00 P. M.—Sec. 1, Civil Government, Prof. Hammond; Sec. 2, Geography, Prof. Curtis; Sec. 3, Language Lessons, Prof. Demmon.
2:45—Lecture on Language Lessons, Prof. Demmon.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—Sec. 1, Civil Government, Prof. Hammond; Sec. 2, Geography, Prof. Curtis.

TUESDAY.

9:00 A. M.—Opening Exercises.
9:15—Sec. 1, Penmanship, L. S. Brown, of Raisin; Sec. 2, Geography, Prof. Curtis.
10:00—Lecture, Language Lessons, Prof Demmon.
10:50—Recess.
11:10—Sec. 2, Penmanship, L. S. Brown; Sec. 1, Geography, Prof. Curtis.
2:00 P. M.—Sec. 1, Penmanship, L. S. Brown; Sec. 2, Geography, Prof. Curtis.
2:50—Lecture—Language Lessons, Prof. Demmon.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—Sec. 2, Penmanship, L. S. Brown; Sec. 1, Geography, Prof. Curtis.

On Tuesday evening Prof. Demmon delivered a lecture at the Opera House on "The Public School and the Public Library." The professor is a pleasing speaker and his theme was ably treated. We present the following

ABSTRACT OF THE LECTURE:

The speaker traced the rise and rapid growth of the public library in the United States during the past thirty years, and called attention to the efforts making in many places, especially in the east, to wed the public school and the public library in the great work of popular education. It was urged that a large majority of the children in our country get only a common school education, and that the aim of the schools should be to prepare the pupils for self-education after leaving school. In order to effect this the school must teach how to choose and to use books, must inspire in the pupils the love of reading good books. The teacher's duty to his pupils in this regard was pointed out, and some directions were given for overcoming the obstacles in the way.

The first requisite is that the teacher must himself be an intelligent and enthusiastic reader, must have a love for good books. Supposing the teacher to have this qualification, the first great obstacle in the way is the multiplicity and variety of books constantly issuing from the press. The difficulty of choosing wisely becomes very great, and much care is necessary in order to avoid mistakes. The help of specialists in particular lines of study should be sought.

The second difficulty that the teacher encounters is in the fact that the love for good reading does not come by nature. Here as elsewhere the best influences come from without and above. Care must be taken not to attempt too much at first. Few children can read and enjoy the great master-pieces of literature. Stories are useful in cultivating a taste for reading, but the stories should be select. History, biography, travels, and some of the poets, such as Longfellow and Scott, will interest boys and girls, and lead them to lay aside the vicious story paper. The reading of fiction, except in a few standard authors, should be discouraged. Teachers should resist the fashion of the hour in literature. Life is too short to keep up with it. The newspaper and magazine, while serving a most useful purpose where rightly used, should not be allowed to absorb all our leisure for reading as they sometimes do.—Pupils should be cautioned on this point.

Teachers should put themselves in close relations with the public library. Should keep up with the recent purchases, and should to some extent try to direct purchases for the use of their pupils. Books should be drawn for the use of pupils, and the pupil's reading be done under the supervision of the teacher. The teacher in this, as in other matters, should seek to become a guide and friend to the pupil.

WEDNESDAY.

9:00 A. M.—Opening Exercises.
9:15—Lecture on Grammar, Prof. Demmon.
10:15—Sec. 1, Civil Government, Prof. Hammond; Sec. 2, Geography, Prof. Curtis; Sec. 3, Grammar, Prof. Demmon.
10:55—Recess.
11:10—Sec. 2, Civil Government; Sec. 3, Geography.
2:00 P. M.—Lecture, Conversation, Prof. Demmon.
2:50—Sec. 1, Geography; Sec. 2, Grammar; Sec. 3, Civil Government.
3:30 Recess.
3:45—Lecture on Physiology, Prof. Curtis.
4:15—Query box.

THURSDAY.

9:00 A. M.—Opening Exercises.
9:15—Lecture on Grammar, Prof. Demmon.
10:05—Sec. 1, Grammar, Prof. Demmon; Sec. 2, Penmanship, L. S. Brown; Sec. 3, Arithmetic, Prof. Curtis.
10:55—Recess.
11:10.—Sec. 2, Arithmetic, Prof. Curtis; Sec. 3, Penmanship, L. S. Brown.
2:00 P. M.—Lecture on School Law.
2:50—Sec. 1, Penmanship, L. S. Brown; Sec. 2, Arithmetic, Prof. Curtis; Sec. 3, Grammar, Prof. Demmon.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—Lecture, Primary Reading with Model Exercises, Nannie Kyle.
4:15—Query box.

It gives us pleasure to call the attention of our readers to the series of advertisements of the James Boss' Gold Watch Cases now appearing in our columns. This watch case has been on the market for nearly thirty years and has attained a reputation which is second to none, it now being universally conceded to be the standard. The James Boss' Gold Watch Cases are made of two plates of solid fourteen karat gold, soldered on each side of a plate of hard nickel composition metal. These plates of gold are thick enough to admit of engraving, chasing, etc., and supply all the gold needed for practical use, while the composition plate furnishes the strength and solidity needed in every watch case, and yet lacking in those made of solid gold. Although these cases are as good, and in some points better than a solid case, the cost is only about one-half as much. Many of the James Boss' Gold Cases have been in constant use for twenty-five years without wearing through the gold. The manufacturers furnish a guarantee with each case warranting it to wear twenty years, and this guarantee means just what it says, for unlike other guarantees furnished so often with watch cases, this is signed by the manufacturers of the James Boss' Gold Watch Cases. Purchasers should avoid any watch case unless the guarantee is signed, as otherwise it is not only worthless but is intended so to be, and the absence of a reliable signature is fair indication that the manufacturer lacks faith in his claims or in his goods.

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DIED.

HANEY—In the town of Clinton, on Thursday morning, July 26, Mr. Samuel Haney, aged 49 years.

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The Energetic Period.

The old suffer to-day. Not only is there in many communities a decline of respect for old age, a dislike of the slight self-sacrifice involved in patience with weakness and slowness, and deafness, and feebleness generally, but the old are placed at an unavoidable disadvantage. They lose more by abiding in the chimney corner, more enjoyment, more vigorous society, more of the excitement derivable from change. Time was when we all lived, so to speak, in the chimney corner, and now it is only the old. No one now abides within hearing shot of his birthplace. We all see the change more or less, and suffer, and if science does, as is alleged, give us a compensation in improved health and serenity, even if it be in part unconscious, science does work good. We fancy it does it in some degree—though science has accomplished so little either for the deaf or blear-eyed—yet it has done much for the rheumatic, much for the bodily invalids, and much, very much, for that tendency to a kind of ague, which half a century since was so nearly a universal misfortune among the old; but the facts are not fully clear. The exclusion of the old relieves us of the sum of human suffering, but for the benefit of the world at large it is, we suspect, in mature age that more health and longer time are required. There is plenty of youthful energy in the world. Men are dashing over earth as they never did before, and for every enterprise, whether of danger or profit, volunteers readily too many—as many almost as conceptions. It is wisdom, not energy, that the world lacks, and it is from the better heads of the experienced, which would imply energy longer continued into the time when experience ripens, that the world has most to hope. If the period of life between 45 and 60 could be stretched ten years the world would gain indefinitely, for its guides, the statesmen and the thinkers, would have time to utilize their knowledge in active effort. As it is, after 60 all but a select few die of despair or recede, and the helm passes away to new hands, controlled by minds which just as they become rich lose their energy or their hope, and the half of experience is wasted, while the remainder is applied under a feeling of all others most fatal to good work—that there is no time remaining. If science could but make 70 instead of 60 the end of the energetic period, it would accomplish far more for mankind than it ever will do by doubling their numbers, or increasing the rate of growth, as it would be increased, for example, if the mortality of children under 5 could be reduced one-half.

Hay Fever.

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Bad Grammar.

It is said that people living in the country universally use bad grammar. Now, we are not going to fly into a rage and contradict this statement, if we do belong to the country and take a big measure of pride in all that concerns her. We are not going to gnash our teeth and tear our hair and declare that we talk as well as anybody, and that whoever says we don't, the truth is not in him. Instead, when we remember how entangled we have often been among predicates and subjects, relative pronouns, participal and possessive adjectives, adverbial phrases, modifying adjuncts, co-ordinative conjunctions, and simple declarative and compound and complex sentences, we are ready to confess that it is all true—the half has not been told. Country people don't know how to talk, and what is more, don't want to know. But if we can be grammatical, may be it would be best to be as grammatical, as we can. There is no hope to reform the old sinners; we have walked in our ungrammatical ways till any departure therefrom would be like an expulsion from Paradise; but let the children be taught to talk. A former school teacher, now a mother, looks back and regrets that she did not teach the law of language more effectively. She acknowledges having taught the text-book with great faithfulness, for she loved the study, but she allowed the errors of her pupils to go uncorrected. She was afraid of wounding their feelings, and did not realize that to speak correctly is the most important end to be obtained in the study. Now that she is a mother, she would be glad for her children to have more thorough conversational drills at school than she herself enforced when in the capacity of a teacher. It is even thus, when it is too late, we see the error of our ways. If teachers could see the importance of enforcing the correct construction of sentences in youth, they could do much toward correcting the bad grammar of country children which they acquire from the rough-and-tumble language of home, and be potent agents in the purification of the spoken English language. If the study of grammar is irksome to them, and they cannot comprehend the rules and application as readily as a mature mind, they can be taught the practical part, and a more thorough understanding of the whys and wherefores will be unfolded to them in the ripening years to come.

Retrospection.

How happily for us is it ordained that, in the most stirring existences, there are every here and there little resting-spots of reflection, from which, as from some eminence, we look back upon the road we have been treading in life, and cast a wistful glance at the dark vista before us! When first we set out upon our worldly pilgrimage, these are, indeed, precious moments, when, with buoyant heart and spirit high, believing all things, trusting all things, our very youth comes back to us, reflected from every object we meet; and, like Narcissus, we are but worshiping our own image in the water. As we go on in life, the cares, the anxieties, and the business of the world, engross us more and more; and such moments become fewer and shorter. Many a bright dream has been dissolved, many a fairy vision replaced, by some dark reality; blighted hopes, false friendships, have gradually worn callous the heart once alive to every gentle feeling, and time begins to tell upon us; yet still, as the well-remembered melody to which we listened with delight in our infancy brings to our mature age a touch of early years, so will the association of these happy moments recur to us in our reverie, and make us, young again in thought. Then it is that, as we look back upon our worldly career we become convinced how truly is the child the father of the man, how frequently are the projects of our manhood the fruit of some boyish predilection; and that, in the emulative ardor that stirs the schoolboy's heart, we may read the prestige of that high daring that makes a hero of its possessor.

These moments, too, are scarcely more pleasurable than they are salutary to us. Disengaged, for the time, from every wordly anxiety, we pass in review before our own selves, and in the solitude of our own hearts are we judged. That still small voice of conscience, unheard and unlisted to amid the din and bustle of life, speaks audibly to us now; and, while chastened on one side by regrets, we are sustained on the other by some approving thought, and, with many a sorrow for the past, and many a promise for the future, we begin to feel "how good it is for us to be here."—[Charles Lever.

Stop Scowling.

Don't scowl; it spoils faces. Before you know it your forehead will resemble a small railroad map. There is a grand trunk line now from your cowlick to the edge of your nose, intersected by parallel lines running east and west, with curves arching your eyebrows; and on, how much older you look for it! Scowling is a habit that steals upon us unawares. We frown when the light is too strong, and when it is too weak. We tie our brows into a knot when we are thinking, and knit them more tightly when we cannot think. There is no denying that there are plenty of things to scowl about. The baby in the cradle frowns when something fails to suit. The little toddler who has sugar on his bread and butter tells his troubles in the same way when you leave off the sugar. "Cross," we say about the children, and "worried to death" about the old folks, and as for ourselves, we can't help it. But we must. Its reflex influence makes others unhappy; for face answereth unto face in life as well as in water. It belies our religion. We should possess our souls in such peace that it will reflect itself in placid countenances. If your forehead is rigid with wrinkles before forty, what will it be at seventy? There is one consoling thought about these marks of time and trouble—the death angel always erases them. Even the extremely aged in death often wear a smooth and peaceful brow, thus leaving our last memories of them calm and tranquil. But our business is with life. Scowling is a kind of silent scolding. For pity's sake let us take a sad iron or a glad iron, or some soothing tool of some sort, and straighten these creases out of our faces before they become indelibly engraven upon our visage.

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Substitute for Cream in Tea or Coffee.—For a family of five or six persons beat two eggs, and mix with them a tablespoonful of sugar. Put two teaspoonfuls in each cup of coffee or tea.

Huckleberry Pudding.—Take to one quart of huckleberries one pint of molasses, one cup of warm water, a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little milk, salt, flour enough to make a rather stiff dough. Boil in a pudding bag one hour and a half. Serve hot with cream.

Baked Hominy Grits.—One quart milk, one cupful hominy, two eggs, and a little salt; salt the milk and boil; then stir in hominy and boil for twenty minutes; set aside and fully cool, beat eggs to a stiff froth, and then bake them well and hard in the hominy. Bake half an hour.

Roast Lamb.—Put the meat into a dripping pan with a little warm water in the bottom. Sprinkle with salt and a little pepper. Dust with flour and allow eight or nine minutes to a pound. When done take the grease off the gravy, make it bubble on the top of the stove and make a thickening of browned flour.

Delaware Tea Cake.—One pound of flour, half a pound of sugar, half a pound of butter, one nutmeg, one egg, one teaspoonful of saleratus dissolved in a cup of sour cream. Rub together the butter and sugar and flour. Roll out and cut into rounds. Dredging sugar over them before baking. Bake in a good oven.

Batter Bread.—White Indian meal, two quarts; cold boiled rice, one cup; eggs, three (well beaten,) melted butter one tablespoonful; sweet milk, two and a half cups; salt, one teaspoonful; soda, half a teaspoonful. Stir the eggs into the milk; then the meal, salt and butter, and last of all the rice. Beat all three minutes and bake in shallow pans in quick oven.

Green Corn Pudding.—Grate a dozen ears of corn; season with a teaspoonful of salt and half a saltspoonful of white pepper; add the yolks of four eggs, beating them well in; two tablespoonfuls of butter warmed; a quantity of milk, and last, the whites of four eggs, well beaten. Bake in a moderate oven for an hour, covering with a piece of letter-paper if it browns too quickly.

Crisp Sponge Cake.—Three eggs, two tablespoonfuls of water and a teacupful of sugar mixed together; a teacupful and a half of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, and a pinch of salt stirred quickly in; season with a teaspoonful of essence of vanilla, or a half a lemon; bake in a quick oven. It can be baked in jelly-cake pans, and have pastry cook's cream, lemon, icing, or chocolate.

Economy in Butcher's Bills.

The most profitable joint which can possibly be bought for the use of a household is the top side of the round of beef. It is not a cheap joint, but it can be used all through, and not a particle need be wasted. If the meat is of good quality, is carefully cooked and well basted, it is tender and juicy. If carelessly cooked, it will be dry and hard. Thick flank of beef and the leg of mutton piece of beef are also profitable. The thin end of the flank and the brisket and the pitch-bone of beef cost less per pound, but they are dear, because there is so much waste with them, especially for children, who will not eat fat and gristle. A sirloin of beef is an excellent joint, but it is generally rightly considered an expensive one. Yet it may be used so as to turn it to very good account. Unless there is a family weakness for fat, it should never be cooked with the flap on. Rather the flap should be cut straight off, then salted and boiled, pressed and glazed, when it is excellent. Or a little ox kidney and a few tinned oysters should be put with it, and it should be made into a pie, when it will be delicious. The housekeeper, when purchasing a sirloin of beef, will do well to think of this way of using the flap, and buy a joint weighing a pound or two more for the purpose of trying it. She may thus obtain a better cut, and will certainly reap an advantage. Sometimes the under cut of a sirloin is taken out and cooked separately, like rump steak. Cold roast sirloin is, however, so excellent that it is questionable whether the plan is a good one. When a sirloin of beef is no longer fit to be brought to the table, there is always a great deal of meat on it which can be used for rissoles, croquettes, sausage rolls, Cornish pasties, shepherd's pie, etc., and there is a fat which can be rendered down for dripping. Hard, sinewy parts of meat generally cost little, and are very good if stewed long and gently. Of this nature are the roll of the blade bone of beef, the muscle of the leg of beef, and the scrag end of a neck of mutton. Meat of this kind should be stewed gently for a long time—five or six hours. It will then be found excellent, and will supply cheap and good dinners at a trifling cost.

Rum and the Morgue.

By far the strongest temperance lecture of the season is the statement made by the keeper of the Morgue, that four fifths of the five thousand bodies that reach the dead-house every year are sent there by drunkenness. The jolly fellows who make fun of the anti-liquor agitation, as they stand at bars and drink good old whisky for, of course, no other kind is sold, know only the beginning of what may follow, but the rough, pine boxes, filled with what once was clear headed, bright eyed humanity, are just as directly the work of drink as bar rooms. There may be cities in the world where people can drink spirits without injury to soul and body, but New York is not one of them. In a city where every bed, even the millionaire's, is to the city laborer, as a rule, mainly impelled to doing more work than he can finish, whatever may be physical or mental excitement is a positive curse. The Morgue's occupants, too, all come from the lower classes, where if not rum, some of honorable stock have been found there too often, for alcohol is shameless a leveler as death itself.

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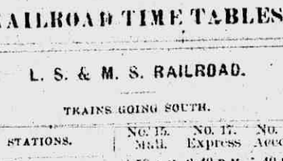
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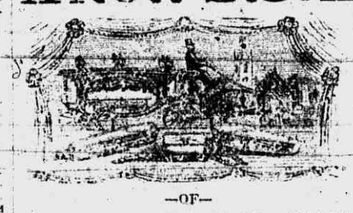
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THE CHILDREN.

"I'm tired of this ceaseless worry"—thus the weary mother said;
"I rise up betimes in the morning, and I'm always the last to bed;
Yet my labors are never ended, and the children's frolic and strife
Seem sometimes to drive me crazy, and I'm tired of this wretched life."

I grieved for the weary mother, for her face was worn and wan;
And a very little I'd seen for pleasure for many years gone;
But, when I looked at the children so happy, so healthful and gay—
I spoke not a word of pity, but turned with a sob away.

For I minded how once my dwelling, how orderly, still and neat,
Received not my children's voices, and the pattering of their feet,
As they scampered through hall and parlor, and up and out at the doors
While dollies disturbed my sofas, and picture-books strewed my floors.

And I minded the day they sickened, and their voices grew hush and weak,
[illegible] and washed the burning cheek,
Till over the pale, pinched features, so changed from their winsome grace,
[illegible]

O God! thou dost all things wisely, and I question not thy decree
Perchance, I had else forgotten that my treasures were lent to me,
But, ah! the benumbing anguish to list for the falling breath,
As the dear form chills and stiffens in the cold cold clutch of death!

To-day, though my lonely dwelling, so quiet, precise and neat,
Where the echoes are sadly silent, I wander with restless feet;
I find not the old confusion which once did sorely annoy,
But I moan 'midst the drear precision for the sight of a broken toy!

Oh, courage! ye weary mothers whose labors seem never o'er;
Ah! vapid and vain your being should your little ones need no more!
My children are gone forever; but all that a mortal might strive
Were bliss—but bliss—could I clasp them safe, safe in my arms, alive! —*M. E. Harmon.*

The "Rahzer."

ITS BEAUTIES IN THE HANDS OF THE AMERICANIZED AFRICAN.

A brawny arm set off with a sledge-hammer fist is good enough weapon for a typical beef-eater of Britannia, a shillalah is the desideratum of a son of Erin, a poniard fits the belt of a swarthy Spaniard, the Italian is rarely found without his stiletto, the Turk without his cimeter, the American ruffian without a revolver, and the American Indian without his tomahawk, and the double-edged machette always swings in easy reach of the right hand of a greasy Mexican. Our kettle-colored race, the race most conspicuous in all southern and semi-southern climes, exhibit an originality, however, in the choice of a weapon. The negro chooses the razor, or, to borrow from his vernacular, the "rahzer." Because the farmer is handy with his scythe, we never heard of his turning the awkward instrument upon an antagonist, the carpenter does not arm himself for battle with a hand-saw, no more does the mason with his trowel. It would seem that their implements of industry could be converted into weapons of war with the same propriety that the indispensable of the tonsorial "profession" is converted. It is questionable, however, that an equal facility in wielding them could ever be acquired. The Americanized African takes up the "rahzer" as naturally and with the same ease as a baby takes in his primitive and foreordained rations. In the right hand of a negro the razor becomes one of the most formidable of weapons. He opens and swings the blade of the instrument until its back almost touches the back of the handle, clutches the handle near its junction with the blade with his index and middle fingers, then encircles with his other two fingers the handle and that part of the steel between the razor rivet and the keen edged blade, anchors his grasp with his thumb, and then with a chopping machine assails his enemy. At a single flourish a nose or an ear is secured, a ghastly seam is made in the face from the forehead to the chin, or by a dexterous twist a throat is chopped open from ear to ear. With his horrible weapon once adjusted, the wielder inspires terror, as do the bristling bayonets of a charging army, and with few exceptions the one who first adjusts may be said to "have the drop" on his foe. So general has become the use of the razor among the descendants of Ham that it is considered the weapon of the race. Its adoption obtains not only among the men, but among the colored women and children. "Close the doors of any of the churches in this city," said a prominent native of Cincinnati a few days since, a native who had investigated the subject, "close the doors and examine the pockets of every man, woman and child in the audience, and believe me, sir, on the person of seven out of every ten you examine you will find concealed a razor." The blood of any of them, if only tinged with the African, when once up, suggests this ill-shaped instrument. The black, the mulatto and the octoroon all have the same instinct. If worsted in a rough-and-tumble fight they are apt to be found feeling in their breast or hip pockets, and then woe to the too confident adversary! The wounds of the bullet and bowie are awful; the wounds of the "rahzer" are nasty, sickening to the surgeon, and equally fatal. Of all concealed weapons none deserve to be more severely tabooed than the "rahzer."—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

Polishing the Wrong End.

Many men daily polish their boots who never give a thought to the condition of their hair, except to harrow it casually with brush and comb or submit it to the paralozing attentions of the average barber. What happens? Why, this: From neglect, mental anxiety, or any of a score of causes the hair turns prematurely gray and begins to fall out. Paker's Hair Balsam will at once stop the latter process and restore the original color. An elegant dressing, free from grease.

Prof. W. Matthew Williams says: "I have taught many to swim, and my first lesson is on balancing the body. The easiest formula for attaining this power is to keep the hands down and look at the sky, while the chest is expanded as much as possible by throwing the shoulders well back, inmilitary attitude. Any man or woman of specific gravity who can do this can float and breathe, but to do it, simple as it is, requires practice or training—physical training of the muscles, and cerebral training in order to acquire that command of all the faculties without which there can be no treading of water or other device for keeping the mouth and nostrils in the air."

Diphtheria poisons the blood. Convalescent should take Hop Bitters which is a central tonic and eliminate the poison matter.

Host and Guest in England.

The universal deference paid to a man's right to himself in England makes social duties as well as social pleasures far less onerous than they are with us. In America the relation of host and guest is a double slavery. The host has the comfort and amusement of his guest so painfully at heart that he often becomes his officious slave for the time being, while the guest, unable to refuse his host's continual and pressing offers of indiscriminate kindness, becomes in turn the slave to his host's notions of amusement. He either has blindly to follow out his host's programme, or has to rack his own brain to furbish the latter with opportunities to show him attention. The typical American entertainer cannot leave his guest alone; with the very best and most friendly intentions in the world, he begins by imploring him to "make himself thoroughly at home," and immediately proceeds to make his house as little like home as fits within human power. "What would you like to do to-day?" or "Would not you like to, etc., etc." [illegible] questions.

In England hosts let their guests do just what they please. Go to spend a week at an Englishman's house and you may be sure that your host will not put himself out for you in the least, unless you expressly desire it. Everything in the house goes on as usual, just as if you were not there. But, per contra, the house and all that is in it are practically yours while you stay within its walls. Your host puts his servants, his wine-cellar, his larder, often his horses and his game preserves absolutely at your disposal. You are at liberty to act, and are expected to act, precisely as if you were in your own house. You can order a sandwich, a bowl of broth, a glass of wine or spirits whenever you please; you can announce your intention of going off shooting the very morning after your arrival, and guns and dogs are waiting for you. It is the commonest occurrence for men, arriving in the afternoon at a friend's house, to send their dress suits down to the laundress to be pressed just before dinner. In England guests are not only told to "make themselves at home," but are actually allowed to do so.

Saved by an Elephant.

An old "showman" tells the following exciting story of his experience when connected with a well-known menagerie during an engagement at Smithland Kentucky. "After the exhibition was over," he says, "I passed into the menagerie to talk to the watchman. From some cause he was absent from his post, and I walked across the amphitheater toward my old friend the elephant to give him an apple, for we were the best of friends. He was one of the largest elephants I ever saw, and was as good-natured as he was large.

I was about half across the ring when I heard a growl, and looking around, saw to my horror one of the lions out of his cage and approaching me in a crouching manner, ready for a spring.

I thought of a thousand things in a moment, and among them I must have regretted perpetrating so many old worn-out jokes at the performance that night. I had sufficient presence of mind to realize my dangerous situation and to know that it required the utmost caution to extricate myself from it.

One hasty motion on my part and I could be in the jaws of the monster. I felt that my only hope was the elephant if I could reach him, but he was chained by the foot and could not reach me.

Nearer and nearer came the lion, waving his tail in a manner that meant business. If I turned my back, he would spring; if I took my eyes from him, I was lost.

It was a terrible moment. I glided backwards swiftly as I dared. I had another fear. I feared stumbling backwards, and knew if I did fall, I would never rise, but that where I fell I would make a meal for that lion.

As I neared the elephant I saw that the lion understood my movements and fearing he would be balked of his prey, he prepared to bring the matter to a crisis. I then saw that I had but one hope, to rush with all my speed to the elephant.

I think I must have jumped twenty feet when I turned, and I know the lion jumped thirty, but he just missed me.

How I completed the race I do not know I only knew that the elephant's trunk was around my waist and he was lifting me up on his head. I only knew I was saved

How Authors Write.

The Detroit *Free Press* gives an account of "how authors write," from which the following extracts are made:

Some authors have been martyrs and victims to political cruelty, as history assures us, and have yet nobly stood up for their principles and professions. A French writer wrote "In the Bastile;" John Saunders wrote Bound to the Wheel," and another modern author "Beneath the Wheels." Also, one wrote "Through Fire and Water," and two others "On the Rock," "Under Foot," and "Trodden Down."

As to the period since which authors have written, Sir Walter Scott, as is well known, wrote "Sixty Years Since," and G. P. R. James "Thirty Years Since." Meta Orrid wrote "A Long Time Ago." Katharine Macquoid evidently commenced her literary labors at an early age, as it is said she wrote "Too Soon," while another beginning late in life wrote "Too Late." F. W. Robinson wrote "As Long as She Lived," and Miss Braddon, having once commenced, persevered and wrote "To The Bitter End." She is more original than Miss Mulock, who, though a voluminous scribe, wrote "Nothing New." Mrs. Gaskill, after several attempts which were not successful, wrote "Right at Last."

One author tells us that he wrote "In My Study," another "In a Garden," a third "At My Window," while a fourth wrote "In an Old Attic." Black wrote "In Silk Attire"—an effeminate taste in a man. George Sala, who was of solitary habits, wrote "Quite Alone." Mariam Harland, also wrote "Alone."

Various motives have actuated authors in pursuits of their profession. Charles Gibbon wrote first "For Lack of Gold," afterward "For the King." F. W. Robison, in love probably with some young lady, wrote "For Her Sake," and Mrs. Oliphant "For Love and Life."

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The whole universe of nature is a library.

Where there is no conflict there is no conquest.

Adversity borrows its sharpest sting from our impatience.

Sincerity is to speak as we think and be what we seem to be.

A contented mind opens a clear sky and brightens every object around.

Truth, wherever found will draw forth incense from the pure heart.

It is one of the sweetest tests of friendship to tell a friend of his fault.

The man who commands himself is greater than he who commands the world.

Time does not end all at once. It is ending in part, every day and hour and moment.

In this world, full often, our joys are only the tender shadows which our sorrows cast.

God sends us ten thousand joys but we will not even stretch out our hand to grasp them.

Charity is not a meteor which occasionally glares, but a luminary that is forever shining.

One life: a little gleam of time between two eternities, no second chance to us forevermore.

As there is nothing in the world great but man, there is nothing truly great but character.

Love in marriage should be the accomplishment of a beautiful dream, and not, as it too often is, the end.

Great results cannot be achieved at once; and we must be satisfied to advance in life as we walk, step by step.

We are all building a soul-house for Eternity; yet with what different architecture and with what various care!

The works of vanity and ambition are demolished and destroyed by time, but wisdom is venerable to posterity.

Look not mournfully into the past; improve the present, and go forth to meet the shadowy future without a fear.

Sincerity is no sign of security. A stream is never so smooth, equable, as at the instant before it becomes a cataract.

A noble man compares and estimates himself by an idea that is higher than himself and a mean man by that which is lower.

Signification of Dreams.

Lively dreams are, in general, a sign of excitement of nervous action, says Dr. Hammond; soft dreams, a sign of slight irritation of the brain, often in nervous fevers, announcing the approach of a favorable crisis. Frightful dreams are a sign of determination of blood to the head. Dreams about fire are, in women, signs of impending hemhorrhage. Dreams about blood and red objects are signs of inflammatory conditions. Dreams about rains and water are often signs of diseased mucous membrane and dropsy. Dreams in which the patient sees any part of the body especially suffering, indicate disease in that part. Dreams about death often precede apoplexy, which is connected with determination of blood to the head. The nightmare (*incubus ephiattes*) with great sensitiveness, is a sign of determination of blood to the chest. "To these," says Baron Von Fechtersleben, "we may add that dreams of dogs, after the bite of a mad dog, often precede the appearance of hydrophobia, but may be only the consequences of an excited imagination." Dr. Forbes Winslow quotes several cases in which dreams are said to have been prognostic. Arnaud de Villeneuve dreamed one night that a black cat bit him on his arm. The next day an anthrax appeared on the part bitten. A patient of Galen's dreamed that one of his limbs was changed to stone. Some days after his leg was paralyzed. Hippocrates remarks that dreams in which one sees black spectres are bad omens.

There is hardly an adult person living but is sometimes troubled with kidney difficulty, which is the most prolific and dangerous cause of all disease. There is no sort of need to have any form of kidney or urinary trouble if Hop Bitters is taken occasionally.

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the second day of July, A.D. 1883, authorizing the same, I, as guardian of Alvinzie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner, and Ambrose C. Arner, minors, will, on the 22d day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereafter described offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the undivided one-half of all the se tracts or parcels of land situate in the township of Ridgeway, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows to wit: All that portion of the Northwest quarter of section eighteen, town six south of Range five East, lying West of the center line of the ridge road (so called) leading across said quarter section—excepting therefrom the North twenty acres thereof now owned by Morgan M Flowers; also all that part of the West half of said Northwest quarter of said section eighteen, town six South of Range five East lying East of the center line of said Ridge road, bounded by commencing at the Southeast corner of said West half of said quarter section, running thence North on the dividing line of East and West halves of said quarter section about forty-five rods to the Southeast corner of a parcel of land sold and deeded by John Arner to Sally Morgan; thence West on the South line of said [illegible] about twenty-two rods to the center line of said Ridge road; thence Southwesterly along the center line of said road to the South line of said quarter section; thence East along the same to the place of beginning, containing of the entire amount of land, forty acres more or less subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Arner widow of said John Arner, deceased therein. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated July 2, 1883.

J. DEWITT MINER, Guardian of said Minors.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.
William Hayden Complainant
vs.
Daniel O'Connor, Defendant

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 14th day of September 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (that being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight, (138) one hundred and thirty-nine, (139) and two hundred and ninety-five (295) and two hundred and ninety-six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.

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[illegible] modern times that the dread and [illegible] origin of tornadoes. Science has studied it for the benefit of humanity, [illegible] investigated it for [illegible] their families. It has been [illegible] and through all this investigation [illegible] has kept across the land carrying destruction to [illegible] as well as to the innocent dwellers in its track.

[illegible] whirling body of wind [illegible] its results are powerful [illegible] also be powerful. Let us therefore consider a few facts. First [illegible] preparatory to a cyclone is invariably preceded by clear weather [illegible] the sun. These steps the heating [illegible] disturbed condition of the solar [illegible] necessarily affect the atmosphere of our earth. An unusual general [illegible] of heat in one part of the atmosphere is certain to cause a partial vacuum in another portion. A partial vacuum in to fill this vacuum [illegible] distributed across the [illegible] additional [illegible] during the day and not at night. [illegible] great [illegible] may be [illegible] to say that it is possible to control the kidneys and liver, to render their action wholly normal, and their effect upon the system that of purifiers, rather than poisoners. That this end has been accomplished largely by means of the remedy I have named I do not have a doubt, and I feel it my duty to make this open declaration for the enlightenment of the profession and for the benefit of suffering humanity in all parts of the world.

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After describing some of the terrible effects of the cyclone the speaker went on to say:

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[illegible] every department of life. An operator in San Francisco [illegible] manipulated [illegible] in New York. The [illegible] at the White House, and the whole nation is aroused by [illegible] An uneasiness and disquiet [illegible] everything in life, could only be felt [illegible] sickness is felt by many people, and the cause is to be found in the distant home thousands of miles away. An uncertain pain may be felt in the head. It is repeated in other parts of the body. The appetite departs and all energy is gone. Is the cause necessarily to be found in the head? The next day the feeling increases. There are added symptoms. They continue and become more aggravated. The slight pains in the head increase to agonies. The nausea becomes chronic. The heart grows irregular and the breathing uncertain. As these defects have a definite cause, and, after years of deep experience upon this subject, I do not hesitate to say that the cause is to be found in some derangement of the kidneys or liver far away from that portion of the body in which these effects appear. But one may say, I have no pain whatever in my kidneys or liver. Very true. Neither have we any evidence that there is a tornado on the surface of the sun, but is none the less certain that the tornado is here, and it is none the less certain that these great organs of the body are the cause of the trouble although there may be no pain in their vicinity.

I know whereof I speak, for I have passed through this very experience myself. Nearly ten years ago I was the picture of health, weighing more than 200 pounds and as strong and healthy as any man I ever knew. When I felt the symptoms I have above described, they caused me annoyance, not only by reason of their aggravating nature, but because I had never felt any pain before. Other doctors told me I was troubled with malaria, and I treated myself accordingly. I did not believe, however, that malaria could show such aggravated symptoms. It never occured to me that analysis would help solve the trouble, as I did not presume my difficulty was located in that portion of the body. But I continued to grow worse. I had a faint sensation at the pit of my stomach nearly every day. I felt a great desire to eat, and yet I loathed food. I was constantly tired and still I could not sleep. My brain was unusual active but I could not think connectedly. My existence was a living misery. I continued in this condition for nearly a year, never free from pain, never for a moment happy. Such an existence is far worse than death, for which I confess I earnestly longed.

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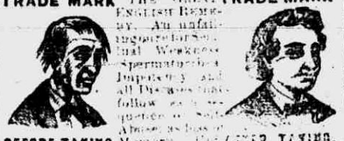

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Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.

Lee's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BRITTON BUZZINGS.

A very pleasant occasion occured at the Christian church last Friday evening, at the silver wedding of Rev. R. F. Rapp and wife. A large number were present and enjoyed themselves exceedingly well. Rev. D. E. Millard, of Marshall, who regretted his inability to attend, sent a powerful poem, which was read by Mrs. G. D. Ellis, of Worthington, Ind., also two other poems which were very appropriate. The exercises were interspersed with singing by the choir, after which the Sabbath school and congregation presented them with $26 in silver. Quite a number of valuable presents were received from abroad. The company then adjourned to the basement of the church, where a splendid supper awaited them, with ice cream, etc., and judging from appearances the ladies of East Ridgeway have not forgotten their skill in preparing for the wants of the inner man, and all went away thinking they had spent a very pleasant evening.

On Sabbath morning Mrs. C. D. Ellis gave a lecture to the Sabbath school, and exhibited her charts, showing the effects of alcohol and tobacco on the human system, which were very interesting.

A young man, a laborer on the M. & O. road is very sick at John Rehiff's.

Laborers are engaged in cutting and clearing the timber from Mrs. Jackson's, A. Hanford's and G. Price's land. Grading has commenced again east of Britton.

Mrs. Geo. Burkert is teaching a fall term in Dist. No. 4, and Miss Ollie Oliver the fall term at Britton.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Mrs. Fessenden, of Adrian, is visiting in this vicinity.

B. Kelly & Co. shipped a car load of wheat last week.

Al. Hoxie is so much improved that he is able to be out.

Mac Sleeper has built a new barn.

Geo. Hoxie has been quite ill, but is much improved.

Adrian Times: A couple of boys from the country became engaged in a fight in the alley back of the post-office yesterday afternoon. The father of one of them went into the alley to separate the combatants and became involved in the rumpus instead of acting as a peacemaker. He had just got nicely to fighting when his wife heard of the affray, and repairing to the scene of action cleaned out the whole party with an old cotton umbrella in just about a minute. As they scampered out of sight she remarked to a crowd which was admiring her pugilistic powers, "Just let 'em stand up to me two minutes, and I'll whip 'em out of their socks."

The "Treasury of Song" for the home circle, vocal and instrumental, contains the richest gems, sacred and secular, carefully selected from the best works of the various authors. It embraces the grandest harmonies of the best composers, comprising their favorite songs, hymns, glees, ballads, anthems, chants, and selections from opera and oratorio in delightful variety, chosen especially for their eminent fitness to promote the happiness of every home. I shall be most happy to introduce this beautiful book to the lovers of music in Tecumseh.

H. M. GAMON.

The annual farmers' picnic of Hillsdale and Lenawee counties will be held at Beardsley's landing, Devils lake, on Wednesday, Aug. 29th.—There will be good music and a number of speakers. A general invitation is extended to all. The time extended from 22d to 29th.

S. MOREY, President.

Postmaster Sam'l A. Hewitt,

Of Monterey, Mich., delivers himself in this wise: "For colds, burns, sore throat, and rheumatism, Thomas' Eclectric Oil cannot be beaten. I say keep it up to the standard, and it will satisfy the people. I shall send for a new supply soon."

A cheap excursion to Detroit over the Ypsilanti branch of the Lake Shore via. Manchester will take place next Saturday, the 18th inst. This will be a fine chance for Tecumseh people to take a cheap trip to Detroit. Full particulars in another column.

The 5th annual reunion of ex-soldiers and sailors now living in Nebraska, will be held at Hastings, Adams county, Nebraska, commencing on the 3rd day of September, 1883, and lasting one week.

Homer celebrated the advent of the M. & O. road last week Tuesday with a big time. Delegations were present from Marshall and other towns and the railroad hands were treated to a free dinner.

CHEAP DOUBLE EXCURSION.

The regular annual double excursion from Adrian and vicinity to Detroit and return will take place this year on Tuesday, the 28th instant. The train will leave on the Lake Shore at 7.30 a. m., going by way of Dundee branch, taking the passengers right to the river side, at Wyandotte, where the party will embark on the swift-going and beautiful steamers Sappho and Fortune, which have been chartered for the occasion, and which will make the trip up the river lashed together. The main train does not leave Adrian in the morning until after the arrival of the regular passenger train from the west, and connects at Lenawee Junction with the passenger trains on the Jackson and Fayette branches arriving in Detroit at 11:30 a. m. Returning, will leave Detroit at 5 p. m., giving excursionists five to six hours to visit the attractions of Detroit, and arriving in Adrian at 9 p. m., giving ample time for connections with regular passenger trains on main line, Jackson and Fayette branches. Special cars will be attached to regular morning trains on main line for Hudson and Clayton, on Jackson branch for Clinton and Tecumseh, and on the Fayette branch for all stations on that branch.

The fare for the whole trip from Adrian and all points east, will be only $1.25. Tickets for the entire excursion, good from Hudson and Clayton, and all points on the Jackson and Fayette branches, will be sold at the moderate price of $1.50. The affair is under the experienced management of Messrs. J. H. Blain and H. H. Osgood, and these gentlemen expect to make the trip one of the pleasantest ever planned from this section. Refreshments will be for sale on the train and boats, at reasonable figures. Parties desiring more particular information can address the managers at Adrian.

LIST OF JURORS.

The following list of jurors, for the September term of circuit court, for Lenawee county, was drawn yesterday morning:

Adrian—
1st ward—Thomas Conlisk.
2d ward—Silas Hurlbert.
3d ward—Nathan Smith.
4th ward—Emory Randall.
township—James Stevenson.
Blissfield—R. B. French.
Cambridge—Eugene Teachout.
Clinton—Chas. Brooks.
Deerfield—William Lawson.
Dover—W. W. McLouth.
Fairfield—Jas. Thurber.
Franklin—Albert Camburn.
Hudson—Daniel Carpenter.
Macon—Richard Collum.
Madison—W. B. Myers.
Medina—John Moriarity.
Ogden—Nathaniel Henderson.
Palmyra—Minor T. Cole.
Raisin—J. B. Nottingham.
Ridgeway—Charles R. Dubois.
Riga—Amos P. Albring.
Rollin—Miles H. Cronk.
Rome—E. Bertram, Jr.
Seneca—Casper Rorick.

AUCTION SALES

Wm. Bresie will sell at auction, on his premises in the village of Tecumseh, on Saturday, Aug. 18th, 1883, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Two cows, 2 heifers, 1 calf, 11 shoats, 10 pigs, 1 breeding sow, 1 horse tread-power, 2 lumber wagons, 1 democrat wagon, 1 set light double harness, 1 set heavy double harness, 1 single harness, 1 world mower, a pair of bob-sleighs, wheat drill, wheel-cultivator, spring-tooth drag, iron drag, 2 plows, corn-sheller, hay-rack, feed-stove and kettle, and many other farming tools. Usual terms. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

M. Spellacy having about completed his contract of grading the Michigan and Ohio Rail Road Bed, will on Saturday, Aug. 25th, 1883, at the corner of Chicago and Railroad streets in the village of Tecumseh, sell at public auction a quantity of Railroad Tools, consisting of scrapers, shovels, picks, plows, &c. Terms Cash. H. W. Stevens, Auctioneer.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending Aug. 11, 1883:

CLINTON.

Louisa Clark and Clarinda Walker to Seth P. and Ella Sheldon. Land on sec. 17. $7,177.

TECUMSEH.

Alice A. Cotton to A. D. Lawrence. Land in village. $750.

A. D. Lawrence to Louisa Clark and Clarinda Walker. Land in village. $1,800.

Samuel I. Cole to T. R. Kyle. Land in village. $1,050.

S. W. Temple to Addison Hardenburgh. Land in village. $2,000.

Thunder It Down the Ages.

That for lameness, for rheumatism, for aches, for palns, and for sprains Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is a positive and reliable remedy. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil can be purchased of any druggist.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Over 150,000 bushels of wheat are marketed at Buchanan yearly.

Diphtheria has been raging with fatal effects at Elm Hall, Gratiot Co.

The telephone is now being brought into extensive use as a means of communication to the lumber camps.

Fr. R. G. Bolferty, pastor of the Brighton catholic church, has been called to Rome, and [illegible]

Lake City and Cadillac will be telephonically connected about September 1st.

Work is progressing rapidly on the Cadillac baptist and congregational churches.

The house of Henry Lathrop, of Marshall, burned last week. Loss $2,000.

Telephone communication has been established between Charlotte and Eaton Rapids.

A lad named John Nelson was drowned last week at Muskegon, while playing on the logs in the lake.

A. W. Hitchcock, a graduate of Amherst, has been engaged as principal of the Decatur schools.

The capital stock of the Grand Rapids national bank has been increased from $300,000 to $500,000.

Czar Dexter, a young business man of Evart, broke both legs in jumping from a moving buggy last week.

S. Crowell, of Hastings, won the prize for best shooting at the Battle Creek glass ball shooting tournament.

The Charlotte Republican refers to Attorney General Brewster as a disfigured imbecile and disgusting monstrosity."

Fire in the Peninsular manufacturing company's premises at North Muskegon last week, occasioned over $20,000 loss.

Delos Curtis had a hand mangled by machinery at Charlotte last week. Only a few days before he lost part of his other hand.

Up in the Traverse Bay fruit region fall fruits, such as apples, pears, plums etc., promise well, though the yield will not be as heavy as last year.

A firm of Lansing tax title speculators have brought ejectment suits against several Washtenaw county farmers, on whose estates they hold tax titles.

Henry Austin, who committed suicide at Jackson last week, had recently sold his farm near Battle Creek left in a despondent mood, as there was trouble in the family.

B. J. Baker, a prosperous farmer who lives five miles northeast of Greenville, had three cows poisoned with paris green last week; two of them have since died.

Two Alpena saloonists convicted of breaking the liquor laws by keeping their shops open on Sunday, and two East Tawas dealers have also been convicted of irregularity in their liquor traffic.

During the horse races at Union City one of the scalawags that usually follow the races thought it would be smart to offer insult to a lady, whereupon said lady's husband gave the chap a sound thrashing, much to the joy and gratification of the people generally.

In order to secure pledges made to the Grand Trunk company, the cars must be running to Stockbridge by January 1st. In consequence, the contractors are rushing the work all along the line. Over 90 cars of iron have been received at Jackson.

Perhaps there is no town in the state so frequently and largely visited by tourists from the southern states as Elk Rapids, Antrim county. The hotels are not large enough to accommodate all the visitors, and if they continue to come in increased numbers more room will be required.

The Adrian Record, which is edited by the state oil inspector says: "The oil refining companies are exporting some mighty poor oil to this state. We are aware that the purer the oil the more it costs to make it, but better oil than that furnished can be made at a fair profit at the same price asked for the contemptible stuff that is palmed off as an illuminator." This may be considered as official.

St. Clair antiquarians are interested in the recent finding of some Indian remains by Mr. Drullard, lumber merchant of that place. The location of this "find" is on the river bank nearly opposite the new St. James hotel. The remains were discovered while grading the ground. There are evidences that this was at one time an Indian burial ground. It is said that in one of the graves were found the remains of a young girl wrapped in cedar bark, with beads and other ornaments about her.

Care of Infants.

The New York board of health issued the following directions

Nursing of Infants.—Over-feeding does more harm than anything else. Nurse an infant a month or two old every two or three hours; nurse an infant of six months and over five times in twenty-four hours and no more. If an infant is thirsty, give [illegible]

On the hottest days a few drops of whisky may be added to either water or food, the whisky not to exceed a teaspoonful in twenty-four hours.

Feeding of Infants.—Boil a teaspoonful of powdered barley [illegible] in a coffee grinder, and a gill of water, with a little salt, for fifteen minutes, strain, thicken it with half an ounce of milk-boiled, sweet, and a pinch of white sugar. Use [illegible] and prepare it fresh from a morning bottle. Keep bottle and nipple in a bowl of water when not in use. [illegible] may be added. For infants [illegible] months old [illegible] barley water and half boiled milk, with salt and a pinch of sugar. For older infants give more milk, from [illegible] Do not give raw potatoes, [illegible] oatmeal instead of barley. [illegible]

[illegible] milk [illegible] prepared food. [illegible] weather it may be thrown away. [illegible] the food is [illegible] you must make a fresh [illegible] small pinch of baking soda. [illegible] meat juice, beef tea, [illegible] soup once a day, [illegible] other food, and when [illegible] scientific and careful [illegible] to suit. Nothing [illegible] to eat at table. Cookies [illegible] nothing that is not contained in these rules without a doctor's orders.

Summer Complaint.—Keep cool, [illegible] fire, fan and not [illegible]. Keep doors and windows open. [illegible] well with cool water [illegible] in the hot weather. [illegible] use of the bowels [illegible] the timely [illegible] will give you rules [illegible] and how it should be [illegible].

Keep your house as cool as possible, have them well ventilated, and let no [illegible] any bad smell to remain [illegible] germs [illegible] the [illegible]

Glycerine.

[illegible] word [illegible] and [illegible] remedies to [illegible] of acids and glycerine [illegible] separating the oil of the [illegible] into its component parts.

[illegible] of glycerine [illegible] more [illegible] and [illegible]. There are applications that is better than a [illegible] to keep [illegible] and smooth. The hands should be first moistened with water, as the glycerine [illegible] moisture from the skin.

Glycerine and carbolic acid—three ounces of the former to fifteen grains of the latter—are among the most effective applications for chapped hands and lips for a early chill. It may be used two or three times a day.

Glycerine is also said to be exceedingly [illegible] in some cases of piles. A gentleman who had suffered from them for years and whose case appeared to defy medical treatment was cured by taking it daily with his food. A dose would be one a and two whole tablespoonfuls.

Writers in the London *Lancet* strongly recommend it for acidity of stomach. In one of the troubles was first discovered by a private gentleman who had long been a sufferer from it. Having read in the paper that glycerine kept milk from souring, he said to himself, "Why won't it keep [illegible]

He tried it with complete success, and was able thenceforth to take food from which he had been forced to abstain. It was subsequently employed by physicians with like results.

It does not remove acidity, it only prevents its occurrence. Take from a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful immediately after eating, or take it in the tea in place of sugar.

Thunder—Churning

[illegible] thunder which accompanies the [illegible] writes one authority "as well as the [illegible] attending the electric spark has not yet been satisfactorily accounted for. Both modern and from a consumption of the air through which is the passage of electricity, but it is difficult to understand how it takes place. Even if the difficulty were cleared there still remains the sound, rolling of the thunder and its strengthening and failing to account for the echoes sent between the clouds and the earth or between objects on the earth's surface, may explain this to some extent but not fully.

The principle involved in churning is the thorough agitation of the contents of the churn so as to cause the rupture of the minute fat globules present in the milk and the incorporation or kneading of these ruptured fat globules into larger or smaller masses of butter. It is held by some authorities that the temperature of the milk in summer should not exceed 62 degrees; and in very hot weather may be under 60; while during cold weather the milk should be about 2 degrees higher when churning.

Flocks of sheep.

We are asked how many sheep can advantageously be kept in one flock. The answer to the question would depend somewhat on the breed, which our correspondent does not designate, and it would also depend upon how much room he has. If he has room enough we do not see why a limit should be fixed, especially of Merinoes; and we do not know that it would be necessary in regard to other breeds. There is a prevalent idea that Cotswolds do not do well in large flocks, and we are not able from personal observation or experience to say whether they will or not. It is said, however, that in the old country they are kept in flocks to the number of even 800, and from all we have read upon the subject, we should think that there would be no difficulty in maintaining large flocks, if there were room enough. There are some obvious reasons why smaller flocks are better than larger ones, but it is not impossible to keep large ones, and it is practicable. The Merinoes will herd to any number if there is room enough.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Consumption

A REMEDY SUGGESTED BY A MINNESOTA PHYSICIAN.

In a letter from Minneapolis, Minn., to the Chicago *Tribune*, in which he declares that no cough mixture can reach the lungs, Dr. D Unger says:

I need not describe the symptoms of consumption, as they are so well known and frequently occur [illegible] intelligent can diagnose the disease from the hectic spots in the cheeks, the terrible exhausting cough, the purulent expectoration and [illegible] night sweats. I here put down the [illegible] opinions although [illegible] to causation. It will be enough to say, that, when it is once proved, strengthening efforts to check the progress [illegible] Nature herself always tends to the thousand [illegible] and the penalty [illegible]

Let us inquire [illegible] If we [illegible] the lungs [illegible] and the lung tissue and the given [illegible] but if we fail to supply the old decayed [illegible]

[illegible] light gases [illegible] and hydrogen [illegible] oxygen and not efficient [illegible] supplying [illegible] from [illegible] fever [illegible] blood more may by than the [illegible] supply it. If [illegible] the body would not waste, it was put into the blood in excess of what the disease required, where would be an increase in the strength and bulk of the body, instead of a decrease. Like the lamp, the supply of oil in the body must be equal to the demand or in excess of it. If this be not so [illegible] the wick will be consumed.

[illegible] doubtable indeed, whether Peter the Great ever became St. Petersburg for a permanent court residence and capital. As late as 1724 seven months before his death, it was not here, but at Moscow, that he celebrated the coronation of his wife. Either he or his spirit much of his time on the sea, it was chiefly because a work of such magnitude as he had undertaken required the master's incessant presence. For the rest, that Peter wanted there was a port and could, under the circumstances find no better. He built it on opprobrious ground out of all the boundaries of Old Russia, and a Finnish population the former subjects of Sweden.

He drafted his workmen among the serfs of all his provinces, and wasted 100,000 human lives in the accomplishment, labor being so cheap for him as it ever was for the kingly builders of the Egyptian pyramids. The site was a swamp—an unsafe and unhealthy swamp, so unsafe that some of its finest monuments—the monolith column of Alexander I and the Isaac Church—show in their deep crevices the rapid decay to which the treacherous ground underneath is dooming them; so unsafe besides as to be subject to inundations, like the ground of ancient Rome; for the city has already been destructively flooded eight times since 1703, the date of its foundation.

Grasshoppers as Food.

In the Sierra and Marias valleys Indian huts can be seen, and around them are congregated the warriors and squaws of the tribe. The warriors smoke and talk of war, all intent upon the accomplishment of the grand result. Meanwhile the squaws do the work while the noble lords lounge on the green sward, smoke their pipes and dreamily and lazily gaze upon the countless myriads of buzzing hoppers that fill the air and decorate the vegetation. The squaws carry aloft great cone-shaped baskets of great capacity, scoop the grasshoppers with a fine-shaped implement into their large baskets and when loaded carry the writhing mass of insects to camp and then prepare them for food. The grasshoppers, killed and subsequently dried, are mixed with mashed pine nuts and toasted wheat, and make into bread most delicious to the palate of the Western Indians. Visitors at the camp are always invited in accordance with Indian hospitality to partake of the compound, and great is the astonishment of poor Lo at the disgust expressed by the white man for food of this kind. To the limited mind of the Indian, it is incomprehensible that any one should reject food which in his vernacular is defined as being "mucheee good."

On Piling Wood.

Many people who handle wood do not know that if they wish the bark to come off they should pile it bark down; if they wish to retain the bark the opposite course should be taken. A correspondent writes to the Detroit *Post and Tribune*, giving his experience, as follows: "I have sold wood for over forty years in Michigan and I find that when wood is corded bark up the bark remains on until I sell and measure up the wood, and all that is piled bark down the bark falls off and measures nothing; besides, there is more heat in the bark than in the sap of the log. The most and best ashes are also in the bark. I have on my place now some maple wood that was chopped nine years ago and corded bark up and the bark would hold on if I would draw the wood to Saginaw (8 miles) and cord up and measure, besides, the bark is lighter to draw. Where the bark is piled down the water runs in around the wood and makes it dozy, wet and heavy. Tell your neighbors to try it. Railroad companies would save thousands of dollars by piling their wood bark up.

THE LAPLANDER.—The Laplander's sledge is not [illegible], but, like himself, it is covered with reindeer skin and is in shape something like a canoe. Harnessed to the sledge [illegible] is quiet starts off with almost the speed of the steam-engine. The reindeer is not only the Laplander's horse, but his cow and, during the time that it gives milk, he is freezing large quantities [illegible] to be used when no more is to be obtained. Then he breaks off a piece, thaws it out and has again a good article of milk.

The deer is also his food; large herds of them being kept in some parts of the country. From the skin of the Laplander makes the roof and floor of his house, his bed, his shoes and stockings, his clothes, and cords and strings for his bow. Without this animal the Laplander would be in a deplorable condition.

50 Fits in 24 Hours.

"I employed some of the best physicians here," wrote Wm. E. Tanner of Dayton, Ohio. "They all said my child could not live 3 weeks. It had 50 fits in 24 hours. We gave it Samaritan Nervine and the medicine effected a permanent cure." Druggists.

Brain Development.

It is not surprising to find the unlearned in things medical unable to understand that brain development, which of course is generally a matter of heredity, determines character. Such, however, is, and must needs be, the fact. Whether the mind is something outside matter which acts through or by the brain, as a musician may use a musical instrument, or whether, as some think, what we call mind is simply brain function, it should be manifest on consideration that upon the quality and conformation of a man's brain must depend his mental capacity, and consequently, also his characteristics, both intellectual and moral. We are not disposed to urge speculation, resting upon an average degree of intelligence that every student will grant, that the individual is clearly responsible for his acts; but it must not be forgotten that the laws of right are a mean and the locality of judgment with which to distinguish between good and evil, as well as both in proportion to his brain development.

The mind is in a large sense the character in a given and so [illegible] speed of a race-horse is dependent on its muscular development. This is not sufficiently recognized, and because it is not we early now and then find silly remarks in print such as the following: "The convolutions of the brain may have something to do with the difference between intelligent and [illegible] but at present they are not recognized in the law courts, and it is difficult to see how they can be, with such loose and wide moral reflections as that it would be entirely satisfactory to a prisoner to have his brains so examined in order to prove to those he left behind that he really could not help being a thief." And yet the facts are sufficiently plain and simple, so plain and simple that any one should be able to understand them.—*Lancet.*

Bananas and Plantains.

A pound of bananas contains more nutriment than three pounds of meat or many pounds of potatoes, while as a food it is in every sense of the word far superior to the best wheaten bread. Although it grows spontaneously throughout the Tropics, when cultivated its yield is prodigious, for an acre of ground planted with bananas will return, according to Humboldt, as much food material as thirty-four acres of wheat or over 100 acres of potatoes. The banana then is the bread of millions who could not well subsist without it. In Brazil it is the principal food of the laboring classes, while it is no less prized in the island of Cuba. Indeed, in the latter country the sugar-planters grow orchards of it expressly for the consumption of their slaves. Every day each hand receives for ration of salt fish or dried meat, as the case may be, and four bananas and two plantains. The banana—it should be added parenthetically that until lately there was no such word as banana—is divided into several varieties, all of which are used as food. The platano manzanito is a small delicate fruit, neither longer nor larger than a lady's forefinger. It is the most delicious and prized of all the varieties of the plantain. El platano guineo, called by us the banana, is probably more abundant than any other kind. It is subdivided into different varieties, the finest of which are the yellow and purplish ones we see for sale in our market; but the latter is so little esteemed by the natives of the Tropics that it is seldom raised to them. El platino grande—known to us as simply the plantain—is also subdivided into varieties which are known by their savor and their size. The kind that reaches our market is almost ten inches long yet on the Isthmus Darien there are plantains that grow from eighteen to twenty-four inches. They are never eaten raw, but are either boiled or roasted or are prepared as preserves.

A Word of Advice.

It is as easy to be a good man as a poor one. Half the energy displayed in keeping ahead that is required to catch up when behind, would gain credit, give more time to attend to business, and add to the credit and reputation of those who work for gain. Be prompt; honor your engagements. If you promise to meet a man, or do a certain thing at a certain moment, be ready at the appointed time. If you go out on business, attend promptly to the matter on hand, then as promptly tend to your own business. Do not stop to tell stories during business hours. If you have a place of business, be there when wanted. No man can get rich by sitting around stores and saloons. Never "fool" on business matters. Have order, system regularity and promptness. Do not meddle with business you know nothing of. Never buy an article you do not need, simply because it is cheap, and the man who sells it will take it out in trade. Trade is money. Strive to avoid harsh words and personalities. Do not kick every stone in the path—more miles can be made in a day by going steadily on than by stopping to kick. Pay as you go; a man of honor respects his word as he does his bond. Ask but never beg. Relieve others, when you can, but never give what you cannot afford to, simply because it is fashionable. Learn to say no. No necessity for snapping it out dog fashion, but say it firmly and respectfully. Have but few confidants. Use your brains rather than those of others. Learn to act and think for yourselves. Be vigilant. Keep ahead rather than behind the time. Young men, cut this out and place it by careful perusal in the golden store-house of your brain, and if you find that there is folly in the argument let us know.

SHOE-PEGS.—To a Massachusetts man, Joseph Walker, is due the credit of inventing the shoe-peg. Previous to the year 1818 its use had not been known, and the invention gave a new start to the manufacture of boots and shoes. Up to that date such articles had been sewed, and the peg, made at first by hand, came in to revolutionize the trade. It was, however, the custom of shoemakers who lived away from the manufacturing centers to make their own pegs by hand even down to recent times, but the machine-manufactured peg has now superseded all such slow work, just as the horseshoe nail manufacture is now almost wholly in the hands of establishments that make them by machinery. The usual story comes with the introduction of the shoe-peg, to the effect that some unscrupulous parties tried to swindle the unsuspecting by endeavoring to sell shoe-pegs as a new kind of oats. But this tale is like many others, to be read, and then "taken under advisement."

Don't fill the system with quinine when fever and ague, and malarial fevers can be much more effectively treated by Ayer's Ague Cure. Warranted to cure.

Women and Wine.

Of the worst foes that women have had to contend with, wine stands at head. The appetite for strong drink in men has spoiled the lives of more women—ruined more hopes for them, scattered more fortunes for them, brought to them more shame, sorrow and hardship—than any other evil that lives. The country numbers tens of thousands—nay, hundreds of thousands—of women who are widows to-day, and all in hopeless woe, because their husbands have been slain by strong drink.

"Yes," says the *Spectator*, "we have there are hundreds of thousands of homes scattered all over the land in which women live lives of torture, going through all changes of suffering, that he but seen the extremes of fear and despair, because they love, love wine better than they love woman they have sworn to love. There are women by the thousands who dread to see at the close the apparent sober husband, lest they find that she has learned a secret under the influence of the seductive poison. There are women, greatly with pain, while we write these words [illegible] in the drinking habits in any statement based in regard to this matter, because no human imagination can create anything more [illegible] than the truth, and no pen is capable of portraying the truth. The sorrows of a wife with a drunken husband or a mother with a drunken son, are as near the realization of hell as can be reached in this world at least. The shame, the humiliation, the sorrow, the sense of disgrace for herself and her children, the poverty—not unfrequently the beggary—the fear and the fact of violence, the anxiety, life-long struggle and despair of countless women with drunken husbands, are enough to make all women curse wine and engage unitedly to oppose it everywhere as the worst enemy of their sex.

Theory of Meteorites.

One of the oldest theories, and the most consistent with known facts and laws, is that meteorites are bodies moving round the sun which occasionally enter our atmosphere, and are either frittered into dust or reach the earth as aerolites. In other words, they are abnormally large fragments of comets. Small comets are dissipated in the higher regions of the air by the intense heat produced by friction, and give rise to the phenomenon of shooting stars. Larger pieces appear as fire balls, and very large masses fall through the air in a state of combustion, which is not, however, sufficiently intense to consume their volume before reaching the ground. This idea of a celestial origin seems to have originated among the Greeks. Plutarch says:

"Falling stars are, according to the opinions of some physicists, not eruptions of the ethereal fire extinguished in the air immediately after its ignition, nor yet an inflammatory combustion of air, which is dissolved in the upper regions of the space; but these meteors are rather a fall of celestial bodies, which in consequence of a certain intermission in the rotary force, and by the impulse of some irregular movement, have been hurled down not only to the inhabited portions of the earth but also beyond it into the great ocean, where we cannot find them." The views of Diogenes of Appollonia are expressed thus: "Stars that are invisible, and consequently have no name, move in space with those that are visible. These invisible stars frequently fall to the earth, and are extinguished, as the stony star that fell burning at Ægos Potamos." Diladni, as the result of his investigations, advances the idea that meteors are bodies moving in space, being either accumulations of matter originally created, or fragments separated from a large mass of similar nature. Sir H. Davy offered the same explanation in the "Philosophical Transactions" for 1817. These views, or rather a modification of them suited to our increased knowledge of cosmical way means, have their modern advocate in Prof. H. A. Newton, of Yale College.

Every Day Thoughts.

[illegible] the sunlight from the human heart? From the world that renders our lives happy? What scatters wealth, ease and daily intercourse with friends if we are dissatisfied and discontented? Can we derive peace from anger, or joy from bitterness of spirit?

God sends us ten thousand joys, but we will not stretch out our hands to grasp them; and yet we grieve that our days are so inharmonious, our hearts are continually going in and out, as it were, of eclipses. Yesterday jostles to-day and to-morrow carries them both away captive. Our mornings are spent in anticipating the afternoons, and our afternoons are spent in regretting our mornings. May God make us more patient to live. More patience is what we need to advance our happiness and the happiness of those around us. We all in a sense depend upon each other for our happiness. Tenderness and attention to the outbreak of a pained heart will clear our way more fully, and the feeling of wrong, desparation and disquietude would be abated. Nothing draws us so fully and tenderly toward a person as their inquiries after our welfare and our enjoyments. To know that our happiness is studied by some angelish creature brings exquisite pleasure—if we are not deformed by an ungrateful selfishness.

This is not a trivial subject to dream and write about; as our actions here fix the nature of our enjoyment hereafter.

It is the sunlight from the human heart that renders true happiness—it is kind words and pleasant deeds that make the world bright and glorious.

From the open portals of Heaven come charity, love and faith; with these in our hearts we can diffuse kind words and do noble deeds, and from them glean pure happiness.

A correspondent of a London paper warns people against throwing broken bottles among sun dried grass or peat, in summer, as the bottom of such bottles frequently act as burning glasses. The Australians know that extensive and damaging bush fires have taken place in Australia in consequence of broken bottles having been carelessly thrown down among the dried scrub. So, too, camp fires at Aldershot, and bush fires on English commons may have their origin in parts of broken bottles acting as burning glasses.

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TORNADOES.

Scientifically Accounted for, and Some Remote Causes that Produce Painful Results Explained.

The following synopsis of a lecture delivered by Dr. Horace R. Hamilton before the New York society for the promotion of science, contains so much that is timely and important that it can be read with both interest and profit:

There is probably no subject of modern times that has caused and is causing greater attention than the origin of tornadoes. Scientists have studied it for the benefit of humanity; men have investigated it for the welfare of their families. It has been a vexed subject; long considered, and through all this investigation the cyclone has swept across the land carrying destruction to affluent as well as to the humblest dwellers in its track. One thing, however, is certain, the cause of the cyclone must be sought far away from the whirling body of wind itself. Its results are powerful; we therefore consider it new to us. First, the appearance of a cyclone is invariably preceded by dark spots on the face of the sun. These spots indicating a disturbed condition of the solar regions, necessarily affect the atmosphere of our earth. An unusual generation of heat in one part of the atmosphere is certain to cause a partial vacuum in another portion. Air must rush in to fill this vacuum. Hence the disturbances—hence the cyclone. This theory finds additional confirmation in the fact that tornadoes come during the day and not at night. The dark spots upon the surface of the sun, whatever they may be, seem to cause great commotion in the atmosphere of the world, and it is almost certain that the extremely wet weather of the present season can be accounted for on precisely this basis. Is it reasonable to suppose that the marvelous effect of the sun upon vegetation and life in general shall be less than upon the atmosphere itself, through which its rays come? The cause is remote, but the effect is here.

After describing some of the terrible effects of the cyclone, the speaker went on to say:

This rule finds its application in nearly every department of life. An operator is in San Francisco—the click of the instrument manipulated by his fingers, in New York. The president makes a slight stroke of the pen in his study at the White House, and the whole nation is aroused by the act. An uneasiness and disgust with everything in life, commonly called home sickness, is felt by many people, when the cause is to be found in the distant home thousands of miles away. An uncertain pain may be felt in the head. It is repeated in other parts of the body. The appetite departs and all energy is gone. Is the cause necessarily to be found in the head? The next day the feeling increases. There are added symptoms. They continue and become more aggravated. The slight pains in the head increase to agonies. The nausea becomes chronic. The heart grows irregular and the breathing uncertain. All these defects have a definite cause, and, after years of deep experience upon this subject, I do not hesitate to say that the cause is to be found in some derangement of the kidneys or liver far away from that portion of the body in which these effects appear. But one may say, I have no pain whatever in my kidneys or liver. Very true. Neither have we any evidence that there is a tornado on the surface of the sun; but is none the less certain that the tornado is here; and it is none the less certain that these great organs of the body are the cause of the trouble although there may be no pain in their vicinity.

I know whereof I speak, for I have passed through this very experience myself. Nearly ten years ago I was the picture of health, weighing more than 200 pounds, and as strong and healthy as any man I ever knew. When I felt the symptoms I have above described, they caused me annoyance, not only by reason of their aggravating nature, but because I had never felt any pain before. Other doctors told me I was troubled with malaria, and I treated myself accordingly. I did not believe, however, that malaria could show such aggravated symptoms. It never occured to me that another disease would help solve the trouble, as I did not presume my difficulty was located in that portion of the body. But I continued to grow worse. I had a faint sensation at the pit of my stomach nearly every day. I felt a great desire to eat, and yet I loathed food. I was constantly tired and still I could not sleep. My brain was unusual active but I could not think connectedly. My existence was a living misery. I continued in this condition for nearly a year, never free from pain, never for a moment happy. Such an existence is far worse than death, for which I confess I earnestly longed.

It was while suffering thus that a friend advised me to make a final attempt to recover my health. I sneered inwardly at his suggestion but I was too weak to make any resistance. He furnished me with a remedy, simple, yet palatable and within two days I observed a slight change for the better. This awakened my courage. I felt that I would not die at that time. I continued the use of the remedy, taking it in accordance with directions, until I became not only restored to my former health and strength, but of greater vigor than I have before known. This condition has continued up to the present time, and I believe I should have died as miserably as thousands of other men have died, and are dying every day, had it not been for the simple, yet wonderful power of Warner's Safe Cure, the remedy I employed.

The lecturer then described his means of restoration more in detail, and concluded as follows:

My complete recovery has caused me to investigate the subject more carefully, and I believe I have discovered the key to most ill health of our modern civilization. I am fully confident that four-fifths of the diseases which afflict humanity might be avoided were the kidneys and liver kept in perfect condition. Were it possible to control the action of the sun cyclones could undoubtedly be averted. That, however, is one of the things that cannot be. But I rejoice to say that it is possible to control the kidneys and liver; to render their action wholly normal, and their effect upon the system that of purifiers, rather than poisoners. That this end has been accomplished largely by means of the remedy I have named I do not have a doubt, and I feel it my duty to make this open declaration for the enlightenment of the profession and for the benefit of suffering humanity in all parts of the world.

Our Daughters.

The foe of American social life is the tendency of luxury and effeminacy among the well-to-do young women of our American cities and large towns. They do not realize how this dreadful mania for expensive pleasures and a life of idleness and amusement, is destroying their health, abolishing true marriage, feeding the flames of gross sensuality and intemperance among young men and undermining the hopes of the best parents of the land. Some of them will never know it in this world. But most of them have no real purpose to waste their lives in the world's ways. Each is a lightning [illegible] mothers, teachers, ministers of religion [illegible] Christianity, humanity, [illegible] Thousands of good-hearted young girls are sacrificed every year, when a little wise and prudent guidance would save them. But we feel that they should be told that unless they change this life they will pass away like the flowers of June, and a more hardy and resolute class occupy their places.

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Too Much of a Good Thing.

We have read at least one laughable story of a green cook undertaking to boil "swamp-seed" without knowing how. Prentice Mulford (in the San Francisco *Chronicle*) tells another, of himself, while doing culinary duty in a California sandbar camp, among the "Forty-niners:"

My experience taught me of some things not thought of before. Once, while housekeeping, I bought a sack of rice. I had no idea then of the elastic and durable properties of rice.

A sack looked small, but rice swells amazingly. When I put the rice on to boil the first swelled up, forced off the lid and oozed over.

Then I shoveled rice by the big spoonful into every empty thing which I could find in the cabin.

Still it swelled and oozed. Even the wash-basin was full of half-boiled rice. Still it kept on. I saw then that I had put in too much—far too much.

The next time I tried half the quantity. That swelled, boiled up, oozed over and also oozed. I never saw such a remarkable grain.

The third time I put far less to cook. Even then it arose and filled the pot. The seeds looked minute and harmless enough before being soaked.

At last I became disgusted with rice. I looked at the sack. There was the merest excavation made in it by the quantity taken out. This alarmed me. With my gradually decreasing appetite for rice, I reflected and calculated that it would take seven years on that bar ere I could eat all the rice in that sack. I saw it in imagination all boiled at once and filling the entire cabin. This determined me. I shouldered the sack, carried it back to the store and said:

"See here! I want you to exchange this cereal for something that won't swell so in the cooking. I want to exchange it for something which I can eat up in a reasonable length of time."

The storekeeper was an obliging man. He took it back. But the reputation, the sting of buying an entire sack of rice remained. The "boys" had "spotted" the transaction. The merchant had told them of it. I was reminded of the sack of rice years after.

St. Petersburg in Summer.

A traveler should always make it a point, when he finds it possible, says a correspondent of the London *Times*, to visit a country when it is in what is called its own element. Russia is the land of snow and ice, and may probably be seen to advantage in skating and sledge-driving weather. All provisions are here made against the discomforts of a hard winter. But against the scourge of the summer dust which sweeps day and night over St. Petersburg, all the pumps drawing water from all the four branches of the Neva are inefficient. There is nothing for it but to turn one's back upon it, and that is what every man does who can manage it. The city is left to a few priests, the police, officers of her Britannic Majesty's squadron, who are on a week's holiday, and to myself; and the Hotel de l'Europe, the best in the town, is being swept, scraped and painted like a London club in mid-summer, for this is the dead season in St. Petersburg, and this place is really too much of a thing for a man to have it all to himself.

What a town it is! How large, how dismally empty! How it squats like an immense alligator half in and half out of a swamp, modeled on Amsterdam, and reminding one of Venice! What miles and miles of "prospects," or, as the French would say, "boulevards;" what endless succession of wide, open spaces and magnificent distances, of long straight lines of walls and rows of trees, and interminable avenues contrived, as it were, to allow the town ample room to run out of town! A city of churches, convents and palaces, of steeples and monuments, of gold, bronze, granite and marble, of buildings in all styles, European and Asiatic, quaint originals or indifferent copies, many of them grand and massive, yet strewn over space at haphazard, on a perfectly flat surface, grouping nowhere; nowhere laid out for effect or with an eye to the picturesque. It is a town of princes, to all appearance, or of wealthy bankers or traders, with nothing mean, no back slums, no Rag-fair, the homes of the poor, if at all existing carefully hidden out of sight; the whole covering scores of miles of ground, a maze of isles and islets, of bridges and embankments, of river and branches of river, and canal.

Perfect Success.

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The Value of Scraps.

Few people appreciate the value of little and apparently insignificant things. In some foreign countries the litter of domestic animals is carefully collected and sold to farmers. Not a few people make a living gathering fertilizers in this way.

In the shops of jewelers and others where articles are manufactured of gold and silver great care is taken to prevent the waste of the precious metal. Every particle of filing, scraping or grinding is preserved for the assayer. The wheels upon which gold and silver have been polished when worn out, are burned, and the fire developes particles of the precious metals which could not be seen by the naked eye. Even the sweepings, after great care has been taken to pick up every bit of metal that may have fallen on the floor, are preserved, and in New York City sell for $70 a barrel. It is calculated that when a jeweler's shop floor is to be renewed the crevices will more than pay the cost of the new floor.

It is said that the receipts from the sale of the refuse of starch mills, which is used by farmers as feed for hogs and other stock constitute a large part of the profits, and that if this refuse could not be sold some mills would be compelled to stop or be run at a loss.

The paper "trimmings" of a large printing office like the Harpers or Appletons are worth thousands of dollars a year.

Lumbermen have found uses for nearly every part of a tree, and scraps that a few years ago accumulated so rapidly as to be a source of inconvenience, and consequently expense, are now sold for a good price and are in great demand.

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Miscellaneous Recipes.

Baked Egg Plant.—Trim off the stem end and boil the egg-plant for twenty minutes in salt-water, and then lay in the colander to drain until perfectly cold; peel open and take out the seed; mash the egg-plant smooth, pouring off any water that comes, and add to it half a grated nutmeg, a saltspoonful of white pepper, half a teaspoonful of salt, teacupful of milk, a tablespoonful of butter, two eggs, and bread-crumbs enough to make a thick batter of it; bake for twenty minutes in the dish you will serve it in; two tablespoonfuls of minced ham is an improvement.

To Cook a White fish.—Choose one that weighs about seven or eight pounds, boil it until it is done, then take out all the bones; take a quart of sweet milk, two onions, and a little squaller savory; boil until the milk is thoroughly seasoned, thicken it with flour, using enough to make a thin paste, add butter, pepper and salt to suit your taste. Then put in a pudding dish a layer of fish and a layer of dressing; cover the top with rolled crackers, as you do escalloped oysters, bake for three quarters of an hour, or until the top is a golden brown. Serve with mashed potatoes, spiced currants and the vegetables of the season.

Cream to Use with Layer Cake.—Take one pound of blanched almonds, pound to a paste, one coffee cup of thick sour cream, two tablespoonfuls of corn starch scalded in a little sweet milk, beat all together and spread between the layers of cake; flavor with a little almond extract. This is very rich, and is suitable for the nicest kinds of cake. For more common use an inviting cream may be made in this way: Take a pint of sweet milk, thicken it with half a cup of corn starch, add half a cup of sugar, and boil until the cream or custard is of the consistency of starch. When almost cool add one tablespoonful of lemon and vanilla and spread between the layers of cake.

Pancakes for Luncheon.—These are made of eggs, flour and milk. The just proportions are one tablespoonful of flour to each egg. To make small pancakes, beat two eggs thoroughly and add sweet milk. Then take two tablespoonfuls of flour, work into a thin paste and double batter by adding the milk and eggs and a little salt. Grease the pan with a piece of sweet lard or butter and stir briskly to prevent adhering to the bottom. When the under side is sufficiently browned, turn it. Leave the cakes folded, with sugar or honey and butter between the folds, or sugar alone. If this be too solid, add more eggs and use less flour. A slight sprinkle of grated nutmeg will be an addition.

Plain Duffs.—You may call it steam pudding. You can make it in a jiffy, and the only time it takes is the boiling of it. You are caught sometimes, and if pudding is the word this is the way to get out of it. One quart of flour sifted, a teacupful of currants and a tablespoonful of baking powder, and a pint of suet; mix them well first, and then add enough cold water to make a stiff batter; put her in a pudding tin cover her with a cloth, and let her go it in a steam boiler for one hour and a half. If you want a richer duff, just go through the same thing, adding the yolks of five eggs and a tablespoonful of butter. The Sauce—You see you ain't got no sugar in them. This here sauce is quick, too. You want two tablespoonfuls of butter, and just a trifle less of sifted flour, and you grate a quarter of a nutmeg into it, and you add a teaspoonful of vanilla extract, or half a teaspoonful of lemon essence, and a whole teacupful of granulated sugar. Now smooth it all together, adding teaspoonfuls of warm water from time to time as you boil it until you get it to the thickness you want; but after all, I've seen many a nice lady take that sauce and then dash molasses on the whole thing, and say molasses was the best.

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"I'd sooner be cursed than kissed," said Tennyson in his latest volume, which leads us to think that there are a great many homely women in his neighborhood.

Hay Fever.

From Col. J. Maidhof, of New York: "I have suffered severely for the last ten years from Hay Fever in early and mid-summer, and in the fall. I desire in the interest of my fellow sufferers to testify in favor of Ely's Cream Balm. My short use of it demonstrates its efficacy. J. Maidhof, 401 Broadway.

I can recommend Ely's Cream Balm to relieve all persons suffering from Rose Cold and Hay Fever. I have been a great sufferer from these complaints and have used it. I have recommended it to many of my friends for Catarrh, and in all cases where they have used the Balm freely they have been cured." T. Kenney, Dry Goods Merchant, Ithaca, N. Y.

We speak of the snow as an image of death. It may be this, but it hides the everlasting life under its robes,—the life to be revealed in due time, when all cold shadows shall melt away before the ascending sun, and shall be not unclothed, but clothed upon, and mortality shall be swallowed up of life.—[Robert Collyer.

KAHOKA, Mo., Feb. 9, 1880.

I purchased five bottles of your Hop Bitters of Bishop & Co., last fall, for my daughter, and am well pleased with the Bitters. They did her more good than all the medicine she has taken for six years.

WM. T. McClure.

The above is from a very reliable farmer, whose daughter was in poor health for seven or eight years, and could obtain no relief until she used Hop Bitters. She is now in as good health as any person in the country. We have a large sale, and they are making remarkable cures.

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"Ho! all who labor—all who strive
Ye yield a lofty power:
Do with your might, do with your strength
Fill every golden hour."

Assuredly labor is our birthright—and what a great and glorious privilege is that "most noble dower!"

How dark and drear the prospect that lies before that unhappy being who is physically or mentally debarred from thus fulfilling one of our Creator's great commands! If not to work why were we sent upon this beautiful and ever teeming earth? Surely it was not to lie with idly folded hands upon a rose-leaved couch, watching the busy toilers perform their tasks.

Think of the healthful, invigorating effect of a morning passed in real hard work. My life on it, the night that follows such a morning will be far more sweet and refreshing than that accorded to the day-dreamer who, idly lounging through those sun-lighted hours, has wasted the precious moments that seem lent, not given.

But you—oh, world-renowned and with laurel crowned brow, have won the meed of thousands—whether philosopher, or poet, or artist, whether your hand has wielded the all-powerful pen, reproduced on canvas nature's grand and lovely scenes; or by harder toil hewn from the marble block forms of life—to you I pay my homage, oh, heaven-gifted one who by ennobled labor, have kindled a ray of enthusiasm in many a life that else might have been dark and drear. Your work has not been wrought in vain!

But in our admiration of high intellect, let us not omit our tribute to the mechanical laborers, for without them our every comfort and civilization would be lost. The toilers of the land and sea, of the loom, of the forge and the mine, are our fellow-workers, and numberless others whom it would be impossible to name, for

"The workshop must be crowded
That the palace may be bright;
If the plowman did not plow,
Then the poet could not write."

About Style.

Perhaps even more women might rise to positions of distinction in many occupations suitable for them were it not for the tax on their time and strength consequent on the demands of dress and fashion. With many women dress in all its details and necessities of shopping, fitting, etc., is a business requiring an average of three or four hours daily. Subtract this from the hours of a working-day and it involves a great loss of valuable time and strength. A woman, thoroughly devoted to any art cannot dress after the regulation style and pattern. If the man desires to step out on the street for any purpose he puts on his coat and goes. If the woman so goes out it involves an outlay of at least fifteen or twenty minutes time to "fix up." There are exceptions, but this is the rule. Dress and the requirements and encumbrances of fashion prove a constant draught, impediment and encumbrance on the woman's time and strength—the young and pretty woman being here referred to. In this age of competition success in any occupation must be gained at the cost of constant, unintermitting attention and perseverance. The working editor, merchant, lawyer or artist cannot go with gloved hands, and he often gains time at the expense of a well-worn coat in the public thoroughfare. Almost without being aware of the motive, man's garb has, during the last hundred years, more and more adapted itself to the practical needs of business. Even the dandy of to-day copies the general style of the worker. How much business of any description would a man now accomplish if clad in the ribbons, frills and ruffles of the court popinjays of Charles the Second's time? Yet, relative to her own peculiar fashion, the woman retains all the encumbrances of that era.

Books.

It is chiefly through books that we enjoy intercourse with superior minds, and these invaluable means of communication are within the reach of all. In the best books men talk to us, give us their most precious thoughts and pour their soul into ours.

God be thanked for books! They are voices of the distant and the dead, and make us heirs of the spiritual life of past ages.

Books are the true levelers. They give to all who will faithfully use them, the society, the spiritual presence of the best and the greatest of our race. No matter how poor I am—no matter though the prosperous of my own time will not enter my obscure dwelling, if the sacred writers will enter and take up their abode under my roof, if Milton will cross my threshold and sing to me of Paradise, and Shakspere will open to me the world of imagination and the workings of the human heart, and Franklin enrich me with his practical wisdom, I shall not pine for want of intellectual companionship, and I may become a cultivated man though excluded from what is called the best society in the place where I live.—[Channing.

Curious Habits.

Great men often fall into curious habits, which they find it impossible to conquer. Augustus Hare, one of the ripest scholars in the English pulpit, and a refined gentleman, when he had ended a train of hard thinking, would spin around on his heel a few seconds and then resume work again. Neander, the famous church historian, could not lecture to his students unless he had a goose-quill to pull to pieces as he talked, and it was necessary to supply a second goose-quill when the first was completely stripped. William Wilberforce became so absorbed in conversation in evening companies as to forget himself. He would lift himself from his chair in his earnestness, move forward a little, and gradually approach perilously near to the edge. It was a tradition in fashionable English circles that he had fallen several times to the floor. But in families where he was loved it was the custom to station one of the older children behind his chair to move it forward as he moved, and guard him against peril. Some who afterward became leaders in English society retained among the pleasant memories of childhood recollection of the services rendered to the brilliant and eloquent converser.

The following poemlet is excellent of its kind:

"From off the running rivulet the icy chain is thawed,
And the flutter of the winglet of the dovelet is abroad;
The quacklet of the ducklet in the brooklet we can hear,
And the rootlet of the piglet will presently appear."—*Texas Siftings.*

Mrs. Cole, of Windham, N. H., declares that her life was saved by Hood's Sarsaparilla. She had 37 terrible Scrofulous sores.

A PAPER FOR THE TIMES.

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The Twentieth Annual Meeting of the Reunion Association Held last Friday.

The regular meeting of the Reunion Association connected with the Raisin Valley Seminary, which occurs on the second Friday in August, was held last Friday afternoon. People began to assemble about two o'clock, and by three, the hour for the exercises to begin, a goodly company had gathered, and the main hall of the Seminary was well filled. The music consisted of a vocal trio by Messrs. Lester, Green and Bartlett, with Oscar Heck, of Tecumseh, at the organ.

THE PROGRAM.

Music—Awake, for the trumpet is sounding.

Oration—John Bright, by Fred R. Hathaway.

Music—Star of a Summer Night.

Selection from Longfellow—By Miss Sara Stanley.

Music—Blame Yourself if you are Sold.

THE BUSINESS MEETING

then followed, and the following officers were chosen for the coming year:

President—Wm. S. Comfort
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Treasurer—T. I. Sutton
Marshall—Thos. Boyd
Orator—Aaron C. Taylor
Poetess—Minnie Westgate
Music Com.—Sara Stanley, Susie Brown, Wm. Bartlett

The audience room was then transformed into a dining hall and refreshments were served *à la carte*. The representative of the HERALD was especially well provided for during this portion of the entertainment, and acknowledges his obligations. In fact the entire exercises were very enjoyable, and the twentieth reunion may be set down as a success. We are permitted to give our readers the oration in full, which was of more than ordinary merit.

JOHN BRIGHT

BY FRED R. HATHAWAY.

History measures a man by the ideas he has held and promulgated. If those ideas have tended strongly to perpetuate present institutions or to establish new ones and if they have been effectively set forth, their originator gains a correspondingly great place in history. By means of this principle let us weigh John Bright. When this man came upon the political stage the olde Tory and Whig parties were changing their names to the more modern appellations, Conservative and Liberal. The Conservative party was founded upon the doctrine of protection, upon an opposition to all changes in the laws of representation and primogeniture, upon a firm union of church and state, and upon an active foreign policy, which advocated the accession of new territory, armed interference in European politics whenever the balance of the power was in danger. The Liberal party on the contrary early accepted the doctrine of free trade; it advocated a strict neutrality in continental politics and the careful governing of present territory without further annexation; it proposed reforms in the mode of representation in the administration of laws, and in time even attacked the ancient theories of primogeniture, church and state.

Bright was of Quaker parentage. He came from a race of martyrs. He was a non-conformist. There was no blue blood in his veins; he was one of the people; for them he labored; to them he looked for support; from the outset he advocated reforms intended to better their condition. Hence from necessity he took his position in the Liberal party. Though Bright's schooling was very limited, his habit of reading and observation, together with the active part he took in a debating society in his native town of Rochdale, stored his mind with valuable information and developed his powers as a speaker. Two trips to the continent after having gained considerable reputation as a business man, broadened his views upon political and commercial topics and enabled him to come more prominently before his fellow citizens in discussing questions of local interest.

When in 1843 he entered parliament, few new members were better qualified than he to intelligently transact the business of the house. In his first campaign he declared his platform to be "freedom of trade, justice to all classes of people, impartiality in the administration of laws, a government to protect and not to oppress, and to support those principles that are conservative of all that is worthy of conservation beneath the dominion of the British Empire." These are strange words for a young politician who declared himself to be the exponent of no party, who pulled no wires in order to gain office, but simply said to the people, those are my sentiments, if you wish to elect me on the strength of them all right, if not I will remain at home. Nevertheless that was the course he chose to follow, and from that time to this he has never been out of office, a year, except for sickness, until he recently retired to private life.

A hearty support of such principles for forty years speaks well for his constituents, well for the English people, and gloriously for John Bright. As we are often able to trace a river to its fountain head, so we may sometimes trace an idea, however general, it may be at present backward, until we find those from whom it originated. This in part is true with the doctrine of free trade in England. The passage of the "corn laws" in 1816 was thought for a long time to have been a wise measure. Little, if any fault was found with the doctrine of protection until 1839 when the question began to be discussed. Four years of agitation and the idea had grown sufficiently for its advocates to attempt a system of organization and introduce a bill into parliament. Another year and that famous institution the "Anti-Corn Law League" was formed with Cobden and Bright as members. From this time until the laws were repealed those men gave all the powers of both mind and body to the promulgation of the principles of free trade. Such was the power of their influence, logic and oratory that in eight years they completely changed public opinion upon the subject, consequently the party in power, and forced a bill through both houses of parliament abolishing the corn laws and making England a free trade country.

To these men more than anyone else England owes the repeal of these laws. Cobden the organizer and Bright the orator were the names always associated together in this work. The one, while possessing certain gifts as an orator was still better adapted to formulate. He could go hither and thither, marshaling his forces at the right point, oversee the battle, and after it was won, garrison the place and dispose of his prisoners. The other went into the thickest of the battle and by his own valor gained the foremost place in the ranks of the free traders.

It was during this agitation that Bright achieved his renown as an orator. His was the logic that the giving aside shams come out in plain forcible words, backed by earnestness and sincerity.

It is useless to separate Bright and Cobden in this work; neither could have achieved success without the other; each relied on his fellow, knowing that together they could win the battle. Whether the effects of this move have been good or bad is a side issue; certain it is that to these two men more than any one else belong the blame or praise arising from changing the English policy from protection to free trade. Upon the vexed Irish question Bright has always advocated a policy, which to say the least has been consistent with itself. In one of his early speeches he said "the great cause of Ireland's calamities is that Ireland is idle. I believe that it would be found, on inquiring, that the population of Ireland do not work more than two days in the week. Wherever a people are not industrious and are not employed, there is the greatest danger of crime and outrage. Ireland is idle, therefore she starves; she starves, therefore she rebels. We must choose between industry and anarchy; we must have one or the other in Ireland." This condition required both moral and political reforms, and Bright in arguing the question has always presented the principal remedies. Land reform, including prohibition of entail, and security of tenantry, religious equality and extension of suffrage. As long as the landed proprietors in Ireland are less than 12,000 persons, and one-third of the 20,000,000 acres in the island is owned by 292 individuals, it is worse than useless to attempt a settlement of the question. While four-fifths of the population are Catholics it is folly to force the Church of England upon them as the established church. Not until they are lifted from a position worse than serfdom by the extension of suffrage will they become peaceful citizens.

Stop keeping 50,000 soldiers in Ireland to keep the people down, and voting annually vast sums to keep them up, but rather give Irishmen justice in these three particulars, and the Emerald Isle will be as peaceful a province as Scotland or Wales. No course in Bright's politics has been the cause of so much censure as that which he pursued in the Crimean war. His action lost him his seat in parliament as a representative from Manchester, but he was immediately returned from Birmingham, the manufacturing metropolis of England. Bright declared his foreign policy to be "amity with all nations, justice and courtesy to all, but intimate, political alliance with none." In opposition to the governmental policy, to the parliament, to his constituents, to the majority of the English people he dared stand up and declare that it was wrong in the extreme to drag a nation of 30,000,000 people into a long and bloody struggle for a decrepit and tottering empire which all the nations of Europe could not long sustain.

This question called forth some of Bright's finest speeches, and one in particular gained for him a place in the foremost ranks of impromptu orators. After the contest was over and Englishmen began to reflect and to balance in an unimpassioned manner the debit and credit side of this war, they found that the Quaker statesman had not been as fanatical as they had thought, and Gladstone, in summing up Bright's policy twenty years after said, "men ought, like Bright in the Crimean war, to be willing to lay their popularity as a sacrifice upon the altar of duty."

Acting upon this same foreign policy Bright has kept free from those tangling alliances other European statesmen have woven into their political life. His French neighbors across the channel have never caused him half the trouble they have his associates. By leaving them alone except when business or politeness required that he should pay them some attention, he has not only lived peacably with these people, but convinced them that there is at least one Englishman who is not their mortal enemy. From the very first he has counselled to keep out of the Egyptian trouble, and as early as 1879 he declared that "the bondholders in connection with the Khedive might be put into two classes: The fools who lent the money, and the gamblers who have been speculating since." To waste English blood and English treasure in such a squabble was, in his judgement, poor diplomacy and worse morality. The great province of India with its vast population degraded to such a low state of civilization, has always been a question of great interest to Bright. He has made it the subject of much careful study and has perhaps, mastered the problem as well as any of his contemporaries. In the light of all his investigation he counsels to, withdraw part of the troops, curtail expenses, stop despotic rule and treat the inhabitants as human beings, not as mere animals to be taxed to their utmost to gain a revenue for the crown. He has always maintained that India is too large for one person to govern properly and that it should be divided and ruled over by five presidents.

Mr. Bright has left no less an impress on domestic legislation than upon foreign and colonial affairs. As a nonconformist he has always been a firm opponent to the union of church and state. As a man arising from the people he has opposed the laws of primogeniture and entail. As a Quaker he has opposed to the capital punishment. As a good liberal he has sought the extension of suffrage. As a free trader he has fought protection. As a lover of humanity he has elevated the down-trodden. As a statesman he has said disband your armies and navies, destroy your munitions of war, break down your battlements, expend your annual war tax in supporting schools and churches, beat your spears into pruning hooks, your swords into plowshares.

But as loyal Americans we most love to contemplate that period of Bright's life from 1861 to '65. When our own nation was convulsed in the throes of civil war, when state rights and slavery fought to dismember our union, when treason boldly stalked the land, when it seemed as if brutality would take the place of humanity, and anarchy would superceed law and order; in that dark hour when one by one, sister nations either took open stand with the south or under the guise of a haughty neutrality secretly favored our enemies; when our own mother England turned upon her children whom she had left on bleak Plymouth Rock, and for pecuniary reasons sought the death of her offspring; it was then when friends were most needed that this noble man dared stand up in the British parliament, and in the face of a hostile nation eloquently plead our cause. Mark this grand man as he comes forth to cope almost single handed with the opposition. Catch the spirit of some of his impassioned eloquence as after pleading in vain with parliament, with his constituents, with the English people, he turns at last to the God of Nations, assured that there he shall find infinite mercy blended with infinite justice. See him as he goes forth like David of old, knowing that the great Jehovah is on his side, and that he shall be more than a match for all them that do come against him. Listen as in the face of all opposition he comes forth and dares say, "I blame men who are eager to admit into the family of nations a state which offers itself to us, based upon a principle I will undertake to say more odious and more blasphemous than was ever dreamed of in Christian or in Pagan, in savage or civilized time. The leader of this revolt proposes this monstrous thing—that over a territory forty times as large as England the blight and curse of slavery shall be forever perpetrated. I cannot believe, for my part, that such a fate will befall this fair land, stricken, though it now is, in the ravages of war. I cannot believe that civilization in its journey with the sun will sink into endless night in order to gratify the blind ambition of the leaders of this revolt, who seek to wade through slaughter to a throne, and shut the gates of mercy on mankind. I have another and a far brighter vision. It may be but a vision, but I will cherish it. I see one vast confederation stretching from the frozen north in an unbroken line to the glowing south, from the wild billows of the Atlantic to the calmer waters of the Pacific main. And I see one people and one language, and one law and one faith, and over all that wide confinent, the home of freedom and a refuge for the oppressed of every race and of every clime."

Let us not be too chary of the praise which we bestow on such a friend. But upon the pages of our history let there be inscribed the words "John Bright" The Slave's Friend, America's Friend, Humanity's Friend, and as incense arose from the altars of old so may prayers and benedictions ascend to the Great God of all for him who plead so eloquently in our behalf.

We have hastily sketched the main features in Mr. Bright's life; it only remains for us to notice one or two more points and then leave you to judge his historical worth. Few men have been permitted to see their star of success travel its whole course in so uninterupted a manner, and at last sink toward the west in such an unclouded sky. Why has this been the case with John Bright? Born of Quaker parentage, the simple habits of his ancestors, their morality, their piety became a part of his nature. Through his whole life he has adhered to the principles of his forefathers. Possessing a character that is firmly founded he has not hesitated to shun the wrong and follow the right.

Wire pulling and office seeking have not been a part of his politics. He has always dealt with his constituents honestly and in turn has been rewarded with their utmost confidence. To be sure his adherence to conscience lost him his seat as a representative from Manchester, but it was not long before that town would have gladly returned him had he not already been elected from Birmingham. To do what was right whether it was popular or not has been the standpoint from which he has acted in public affairs. Though Mr. Bright's morality is of a high type in most particulars we cannot commend it in all. His position on the temperance question, while perhaps being in accordance with English customs and English etiquette, cannot meet the approbation of his American brethren. Several features of his life have been the objects of vigorous attacks. Some points have been well taken but in the main he stands a grand old man, combining in his nature those elements that tend to make men truly great. As an orator he is only surpassed in Great Britain by Gladstone. Nature richly endowed him with the requisite gifts, and long, patient study and experience has wonderfully improved those endowments. Many years ago he was able to hold an audience spellbound by his eloquence, and now, though his powers are enfeebled, there still remain enough of the former splendor not only to recall the past but to entrance his hearers and bring discomfiture upon his opponents. His wonderful power lies in his deep, rich, melodious voice; his short Anglo Saxon words; his ready command of a vast store of facts and the great earnestness with which he speaks. Humor and sarcasm are not strange weapons to him, and in the heat of debate he often wields them with marked effect. Though as a statesman his views are not popular they are nevertheless listened to with respect. Englishmen are not prepared to disband their armies and navies, reduce their tax, curtail expenses, stop annexation, prohibit primogeniture and entail, abolish capital punishment, sever church and state, grant universal suffrage and keep free from European politics simply because Quaker John Bright says it is the best policy. And yet the fact remains that his opinions are steadily growing in numbers and importance. Their position is more and more recognized in English politics. If this is not the case why that immense celebration at Birmingham a few weeks ago to pay homage to this gray-haired statesman. Few men were ever honored with such an ovation; and be not deceived, the signs of the times portend that in the future it shall require something more than a knowledge of war, to make men great. When that time shall come will not they who behold the sun that ushers in that glorious day look back into the 19th century and point to John Bright as a man who foretold by his life and teachings a time when the principles of truth and of justice, of morality and religion should be the general rock for individual action, the corner stone of social and governmental relations?

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EXCURSION

TO

DETROIT,

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VIA

L. S. & M. S. R'Y.

The first and only excursion of the season will visit the Metropolis of Michigan on the above date, leaving Tecumseh at 8 o'clock A. M.

Fare for Round Trip from Tecumseh, $1.50

Children under 12 years of age, half fare.

Trains returning will reach Milan in time for Norvell and Napoleon passengers to take the evening train home.

This will be a special train with coaches enough to accommodate all.

Baskets and parcels will be cared for in the baggage car. Ample time will be given excursionists to visit the various places of interest in the city, visit friends or take a ride on the river.

Tickets for sale at the Depots.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE. One solid iron gray mare coming three, sire, "Banker;" dam, a "C. M. Clay" mare. Price $100. One thorough-bred Jersey bull, 11 months old, solid fawn black points, sure, and from No. 1 butter stock. Price $75. One thoroughbred Jersey-red boar, eleven months old, bred by Benson, Maule & Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Price $25. One roller grain drill, price $35. JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

SEED WHEAT for sale, of the Lothrop or Morgan variety. Yielded nearly 33 bushels per acre on stubble ground this season. Been grown on my farm only two seasons. Cut and threshed at exactly the right time. Leave your orders early. S. C. STACY.

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FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A good house and four acres of land, situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. in the village of Ridgeway. Terms to suit purchaser, and for sale cheap. For particulars enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

The Dakota fever has struck Battle Creek again.

Try the Buckeye fine cut chewing tobacco sold by A. E. Kennedy. You will like it.

There was a big turn out on the Wabash excursion to Camp Griffith last Sunday.

Work will begin on the telephone line between Hudson and Hillsdale next Saturday.

Sink's Hotel has changed its name and will be known hereafter as the "Lilley House."

Another new color has made its appearance: crushed raspberry on which the cream has soured.

Chicago was fifty years old last Friday, Aug. 10th. The city claims a population of 600,000 to-day.

We have received a copy of the premium list of the County Fair to be held Sept. 25, 26, 27 and 28.

Manager Bowen of the C. T. line informs us that his line is in first-class shape as regards the "strike". Hooks all clear.

Eva Clement is confined to the house with an attack of typhoid fever. She is seriously ill but is not considered dangerous.

Track laying on the M. & O. has proceeded west of Tecumseh as far as the grading is completed, to the Franklin town line.

The M. & O. have bought three acres of land of N. M. Sutton, adjoining their track on his farm, for a gravel pit. The gravel will be used for ballasting.

We are indebted to Lynn S. Brown, of Raisin, for our report of the Teachers' Institute this week. Mr. Brown takes to the work very kindly and successfully.

Last night's Evening News had a dispatch from Charlotte stating that Banker Rothchilds was seriously injured yesterday morning in a collision with Raymond of Bay City. The latter horse was killed.

The Baptist Sunday School will give a picnic in P. R. Adams' grove one week from to-day, Aug. 23. A program has been arranged and would cordially invite all who desire to come and have a good time with us.

Headquarters Co. C, 1st Reg. M.S. T.
Tecumseh, Aug. 15, 1883.

Gen. Order No. 6.

Every member of this company is requested to be at the armory Aug. 22, 1883. All the uniforms and state property will be returned.

By order of A. D. LAWRENCE,
Capt. Com'd'g Co. C, 1st Reg.
A. E. KENNEDY, 1st Sergt.

There will be an excursion to Manchester on Wednesday, Aug. 22, under the auspices of the Methodist Sunday School. The train will leave on the time of the morning freight and return with the 4 P. M. train. A grove has been secured near the depot at Manchester for a basket picnic. Fare for the round trip, 25 cents. All who wish a good time will do well to improve this opportunity.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 16, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Go to Detroit next Saturday.

The boys had a splendid time in camp.

There is to be a new ward school building erected in Elk Rapids.

W. B. Mumford, of Adrian, drove over to-day and gave the HERALD a call.

D. W. Aylsworth, general agent of the Dayton Hedge Co., expects to move to Tecumseh.

John F. Murray, of Detroit, was in town one day last week, and honored the HERALD with a brief call.

John B. Whelan has been spending a few days at home, taking a respite from his legal studies in Detroit.

Frank Osborn, one of our Tecumseh boys at the University, is spending his vacation at home this summer.

Last Saturday was an old fashioned Saturday at Tecumseh. The streets were crowded and business was booming.

Finlay Deuel, of this village, is now at work in the office of the Sparta Sentinel, published at Sparta, Kent Co., Mich.

Mrs. C. M. Burlingame left Tecumseh last Monday morning for a few weeks visit in western New York and Pennsylvania.

Misses Mary Booker and Helen Queal of Springville leave Tecumseh to-day for Chatauqua to attend the assembly for one week.

Mr. S. D. Nesmith, a merchant of Addison, has been in Tecumseh to-day on business, and we are happy to make his acquaintance.

In the absence of the pastor the Baptist pulpit in this village will next Sunday morning, Aug. 19, be supplied by Mr. Clement S. Lester, of Raisin.

A. W. Haight has purchased the agency of the insurance companies heretofore represented by A. A. Kennedy. His office will be at Lilley's bank.

S. C. Stacy has some very fine Lothrop or Morgan wheat which he will sell for seed. It yielded nearly 33 bushels per acre this season. Send in your orders early.

Will McCowen has executed some fine portraits lately, which speak well for his artistic ability. A fine picture of Henry Jones is on exhibition in Cotton's show window.

Co. C returned from Camp Griffith on a special train last Tuesday afternoon. The boys looked like old soldiers and all unite in saying it was the best camp they ever attended.

Capt. C. D. Stevens, of Detroit, came here last Monday to attend the funeral of his mother,—and while here he remained a couple of days to see his numerous Tecumseh friends.

Wm. Bass and wife, of Lawrence, VanBuren Co., were the guests of C. C. Tefft last week. They left Monday morning for Lake Chautauqua, where they will remain a few days and then proceed to Hamilton, N. Y.

See the new ad. of the "Fishing Line" in another column of this paper. This is the popular name of the Grand Rapids & Indiana R. R., the route which every one takes to visit the Traverse Bay region and Lake Superior.

It may not be generally understood that Prof. Hammond positively declined a re-election as county school examiner. Notwithstanding his refusal he received three votes. Prof. Wilson, his successor, will fill the bill in every respect.

Woolcott Marsh will open a meat market next Saturday in the Joe Wooden building on Railroad street, north of P. J. Welling. "Wolc" has handled the cleaver in the employ of Wooden and Jim Cole and understands his business. Success to him.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Wilson started Tuesday on an overland trip to Orland, Ind., to visit Walter S. Merritt. They will drive to Jonesville and Coldwater over the old Chicago turnpike; and thence south to Orland.—They expect to be gone about ten days.

In the mention we made last week of the job of threshing done by Smith Bros., on our farm, we omitted to state that all the fuel used during the three hours was one armful of wood and one barrel of soft coal. We had provided three barrels of coal and a corresponding amount of wood.

Dr. Lyster, of Detroit, has erected a fine cottage on Sand Lake, upon the site where his father, Rev. Mr. Lyster, had his home years ago. John J. Adam was at Sand Lake last Monday and made Dr. Lyster a short visit, sailing across the lake in Mr. Hurlburt's new sail boat. He had a most enjoyable visit with Dr. Lyster's family.

The committee who visited Dayton, O., to inspect the work of the Dayton Hedge Co., report that their standing financially is beyond question, and their hedges all that could be desired in a line fence. C. G. Luce, of Branch County, master of the State Grange, Pa J. VanVleet, Z. Cook, A. P. Halladay, E. A. Baker, E. B. Horton, of Lenawee county, were among the number.

Miss Garlie, of London, Ont., is visiting Mrs. Tiffany.

Mrs. W. A. Satterlee and Miss Satterlee are at Dr. E. Hause's making friends a visit.

Miss Freeman, of Detroit, and Miss Way, of New York, are visiting Miss Vesta Freeman.

Miss Maggie Packer, of Toledo, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. A. Kiel, for a few days.

Rev. J. H. Burlison, pastor of the Presbyterian church in North Platte, Neb., is now visiting his brother-in-law, Rev. Mr. Hudson, of our village. He will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church next Sunday at 7:30 P. M.

Mr. W. F. Bragg is in the village making negotiations about B. S. Hites' cook stove heat fender, an attachment [illegible] and for rendering cooking and kitchen work in general much easier and pleasant. If proper arrangements can be made an establishment for their manufacture will be established here.

Last Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Tribou gave an evening party to a few of the young people of Tecumseh. About eighty persons were present, and every one enjoyed a pleasant evening. As we were out of town and could not be present it is impossible to go into descriptive particulars, but understand that the music was good, entertainment without a fault, and last but not least the coffee was A. No. 1. Following is a list of "out of town" people present:—Mrs. W. A. Satterlee, Kansas City, Mo.; Miss Satterlee, Birmingham, M.; Miss Way, N. Y.; Miss Freeman, Detroit; Mrs. Walter Cheever, Ypsilanti; Mrs. S. Bullock, Deadwood, Dakota; Mrs. Forsyth, Ft. Bennett, Dak.; Miss Maggie Packer, Robt. Evans, T. E. LeBaron, Toledo, O.; Miss Garlic, London, Ont.; Mrs. F.C. Stoepel, Detroit.

COMFORT'S ROLLER MILLS

The past thirty days have been undergoing a thorough overhauling. A new flume has taken the place of the old one; a sixty horse power Leffel water wheel takes the place of three common ones, and many other important improvements have been made, so it is now in complete running order, and has commenced running again. Comfort would be glad to see all his old customers, and exchange his good flour for their good wheat. Comfort pays the highest price for good sound wheat.

CO. C. IN CAMP.

The military boys left home last week Wednesday morning for their annual encampment and returned on a special train last Tuesday afternoon, having passed five full days in camp. Upon conversing with the officers and men on their return, we learned something of the detail of their camp life. Co. C. were destitute of the fancy extras, which many of the troops indulged in such as table cloths, crockery, tent-floors, &c. They used the tin and iron ware furnished by the State and eat from the rough tables furnished by the quarter-master. Most of the other companies had good floors in every tent while our boys had none, except in one case where two of the older soldiers foraged a few loose boards. This plainness of living was desired by the company officers, who did not look upon the annual encampment as a picnic but as a school for the instruction of soldiers. They also gave special attention to the cleanliness of C's quarters. Their commissary supplies were of the best, and particular credit is due to the gentlemen in charge of the culinary department for excellent meals provided. Their plainness of living had its reward too. At the close of inspection, Inspector Gen. Hutchinson and Capt. Lincoln—one of the officers sent from the regular army to inspect the camp were so much pleased with the appearance of our boys that they transmitted officially through the Col. of the 1st. Reg. their compliments to the officers of Co. C. and stating that they regarded their company quarters to be in the best military order of all the companies of the brigade.

Co. C. was small in numbers but her drilling was excellent. The officers express themselves as more than proud of their little command, and the company to a man, broke up camp with regret. Capt. Lawrence was taken sick the first morning and continued ill throughout the week. This not only deprived the company of his abilities as a commanding officer, but deprived him of the enjoyment he anticipated from camp life. The sick list as a whole was remarkable for its brevity. The command of the company was thus thrown upon 1st Lieut. Fred B. Wood, and the boys all unite in saying that he acquitted himself creditably. A special feature of the sham battle was a scheme contrived by Surgeon Major Woodward. Certain men of the 1st. fell during the different charges and were carried to the rear on stretchers. At the close of the battle the Surgeon brought his wounded m[illegible] is quarters all bandaged and bree[illegible] beet juice) and some o[illegible] drew to the First the c[illegible] ien. Withington and [illegible] of the spectators. [illegible] nained at home re[illegible] they did not go.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Exercises Continued this Week with an Enlarged Attendance and Increasing Interest.

Our report last week closed with Thursday noon. In the afternoon State Supt. Gass arrived and gave a very interesting lecture upon the subject of school law. He said that teachers should familiarize themselves with school law, that they may be better posted upon their relation with school officers and their rights and duties as teacher. He concluded his lecture by answering several questions which were propounded. Prof. Payne of Ann Arbor was also present and gave a lecture upon the Word Method.

Thursday evening Supt. Gass delivered a public lecture at the Opera House to a good audience upon the "Lost Races of America."

The following is the programme presented on

FRIDAY.

9:00 a. m.—Opening exercises.
1:15 a. m.—Lecture by Prof. Demman; subject, "Word Method."
10:05 a. m.—First Section—Grammar. Second Section—Civil Government. Third Section—Arithmetic.
10:55 a. m. Recess.
11:55 a. m.—First Section—Civil Government. Second Section—Arithmetic.

Noon.

1:00 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. Demmon, "Morals and Manners."
1:50 p. m.—First Section—Arithmetic. Sec'd. Section—Grammar. Third Section—Civil Government.
2:45 p. m.—Query Box.

On account of the threatening aspect of the weather the scribe, as he wended his way to the High School building, had the idea, that the institute would open up small, but was considerably disappointed to find the room comfortably filled. On entering the room we found Prof. Demmon talking on Rhetoric, giving the teachers an idea of the Figures of Speech. He thought it very essential that teachers should know something about this subject. Gave the teachers the name of D. J. Hill as an excellent author on the same for teachers to use in self-preparation. The State Supt. of Instruction had advised an Institute work, giving the teachers instruction on self preparation, therefore he should try and give them here a talk on that subject ere finishing the work.

Under this subject came Tantology, or repeating. Young children are often wrongly led in to this by being praised by parents, who think by so doing, to make the child bright and smart.

At 10:00 the three sections repaired to their respective rooms for recitation, as follows: Prof. Curtis, Arithmetic. Prof. Demmon, Grammar. Prof. Hammond, Civil Government.

PROGRAMME.

9:00—Opening exercises.
9:15—Lecture—Demmon.
9:05—Sec 1—Grammar, Demmon. Sec 2—Civil Gov., Hammond. Sec 3—Arithmetic, Curtis.
11:00—Recess.
11:15—Sec. 1—Civil Gov., Hammond. Sec. 2—Arithmetic, Curtis.
2:00—Lecture School Gov. Demmon
2:50—Sec. 1—Arithmetic, Curtis. Sec. 2—Grammar, Demmon. Sec. 3—Civil Gov., Hammond.
2:00—Recess.
3:45—Lecture, Political Machinery.

After devotional exercises at 2 p. m. and roll call, Prof. Demmon took up the subject of School Government. He said: It is natural for some people to govern and others it is not. A person may listen to lectures on the same and make it a study for an age, may be well educated and still be wholly incompetent to govern a school. In order to teach a school we must govern it. Cannot give instruction in chaos. The word pedogogue instead of being used as a quack term, really means as used in the olden time, controller of boys, from two Greek words. Children accustomed to being governed, will obey. The habit of obedience is one of the best of all habits, and is required in the same manner as all habits, by repetition. The school government, not only if carried out faithfully, keeps the school in a state to receive instruction, but inculcates obedience to authority, thus, making better citizens.

Only a just person is fit to govern. Although some teachers may perhaps use ridicule successfully, as a general thing it will not do, as it tends to anger a child. Here a last resort, after the driving force, comes corporal punishment: which in a few cases is essential.

At 3:45 Prof. Hammond gave a talk on Political Machinery. It is very essential for every citizen, ladies even, to know something of political machinery. On the subject of committees, commencing with the party national, committees consisting of a delegate from each state, their duties in campaigns, etc. The state central committee of Michigan, composed of 32 members, working for the political success of its respective party, each county, township, city and ward has its committee. National congressional and representative: State congressional and representative, judicial committees, in all constituting ten. The national convention nominates the president and vice president of the U. S., and drafts a set of party resolutions, embodying the principles of the party, and which the nominees are supposed to carry out. All the different conventions, their duties, the officers they nominate, were then followed out, classified, and workings fully explained.

TUESDAY.

9:00—Opening Exercises.
9:15—Lecture—Composition. Prof. Demmon.
9:05—Sec. 1—Grammar, Demmon. Sec. 2—Elementary Sounds, Hammond. Sec. 3—Arithmetic, Curtis.
11:00—Recess.
11:15—Sec. 1—Arithmetic, Curtis. Sec. 2—Elementary Sounds, Hammond.
2:00—Lecture, School Gov., Demmon
2:50—Sec. 1—Elementary Sounds, Hammond. Sec. 2—Arithmetic, Curtis. Sec. 3—Grammar.
3:30—Recess.
3:40—Lecture, Organization of Dist Schools, Hammond.

The school being a business institution, should be founded on sound business principles, some schools being much more difficult than others to manage. A young person on going out to engage a school should be careful what school they attempt. A written contract must be held by the school board, and a duplicate held by the teacher, signed by him and two of the board, as a verbal contract can be set aside. The speaker then gave young teachers some excellent advice, before going into a school, gain all possible information from school boards, parents, school record, etc.—The impression formed by the teachers on the first day is very important that it should be a good one, by going to your school house on the first day early, you get collected, cool and are prepared to meet any emergency, thereby giving your scholars a better idea of your abilities. Open school with reading scriptures, and, if not too strong a sentiment against it in the district, with prayer. The teacher should wholly control the seating of pupils, not promise seats to any scholar. Give for the first lesson the next succeeding the last one of preceeding term, not turn them back as is often the practice. Lessons should have distinct boundaries, not to be assigned twice, nor be too long. The talk termed with sound advice, one the management of our district schools, which Teachers will do well to follow.

LECTURE TUESDAY EVE., PROF. CURTIS.

The French have the advantage of having introduced in 1795 a system of weights and measures, whose unit is fixed, whereas other systems are not based upon a strictly fixed basis.

The karet originated from a little bean whose kernels were uniform, and of same size. English go in Troy measure, where so many wheat grains go to make an English penny or one pennyweight. French meter, unit of length, one ten-millionth part of earth's quadrant at level of the sea, on meridian passing through Paris. Liter, pronounced Leeter) unit of capacity and grain, unit of weight; *deci, centi,* and *mili,* meaning tenths, hundredths, and thousandths, and *deca, hecto, kilo, myria,* or tens, hundreds, thousands, millions, can be prefixed to the three units respectively. Denominations on the scale of tens thus greatly simplifies it. There is also what is known as the Anti-Metric system, pertaining to come from God. The basis of this system was stored in the Great Pyramid, held for about 4000 years, but now revealed to man. The speaker gave the theories of this system, of which there are several, making the date the Pyramid was built 2170 B.C. Prof. Proctor says the Pyramid was built for two purposes to serve us an instrument in taking astronomical observations, and as a burial place for kings. According to his reasoning the Pyramid was built about 3300 B.C.

WEDNESDAY.

On entering the school ma'ams' sanctum this morning we found Prof. Demmon giving a talk, "How to Prepare an Essay."

In giving scholars subjects on which to prepare an essay, you must guard against assigning subjects which your pupils know nothing about. You must depend on the scholar's advancement. Gather your materials by your own reflection, and, then by reading it up. Think yourself empty, then read yourself full." Arrangement of your material, introduction, body and conclusion. Writing up rapidly, copying with care, after which it is ready for the printer. The speaker then illustrated the method, by taking as a subject, "State Education," by going through the above steps systematically.

PROGRAM.

9:00—Opening Exercises.
9:15—Lecture, How to prepare an essay, Prof. Demmon.
10:05—Sec. 1, Geography, mathematics, Prof. Curtis. Sec. 2, Grammar. Sec. 3, U. S. History, Hammond.
11:00—Recess.
11:15—Sec. 2, U. S. History, Hammond. Sec. 3, Geography, Mathematical, Prof. Curtis.
2:00 P.M.—Lecture, The Recitation, Prof. Demmon.
2:50—Sec. 1, U. S. History, Hammond. Sec. 2, Geography, Mathematical, Prof. Curtis. Sec. 3, Grammar, Prof. Demmon.
3:30 Recess.
3:45—Lecture, Organization of District Schools, Prof. Hammond.

On the subject of Recitation, Prof. Demmon gave instructions on the best way of conducting the same. Ask scholars to recite irregularly, guard against talking too much; require pupils to recite, not recite for them. Assign lessons by topics, as a general thing. Require the pupil to get his own lesson as far as possible; give systematic reviews, in order to keep the study connected. By having enthusiasm the teacher very greatly raises interest in his pupils.

After recitation of the sections and recess, Prof. Hammond expounded the best methods of District School Organization:

Grading consists in placing pupils in grades and classes according to the scholar's standing. Grades are put into departments, and is accompanied by examinations. A permanent program of recitations, containing time and order of each, time of recess, and time for general exercises should be placed in a conspicuous place and kept there. Here followed a definite explanation of programs, courses of study, etc., furnished to the teachers by the state for the purpose of assisting teachers in grading country schools.

The Query Box came next, closing the day's work with about 125 in attendance.

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OBITUARY.

Mrs. Theodocia Stevens, widow of Charles Stevens, deceased, died at her home on Sunday morning, Aug. 12th, after a brief illness of twenty-four hours. She was born in New Jersey in 1765, but moved with her father's family to the State of New York when she was one year old. She was married in 1825 to Charles Stevens, with whom she removed to this village in 1830. This was six years before Michigan was admitted into the Union, and of course at that time the county was a vast wilderness. They lived for a time in the village (then Brownville, and then removed to a farm 3 miles west of here, where they experienced many of the hardships peculiar to pioneer life. Indians and wolves were plenty. Many a time did Mrs. Stevens have to defend herself and children from drunken savages who came to her house clamoring for rum. Many a night she was compelled to cast fire brands into the midst of the hungry packs of wolves which howled around the door of her cabin. During the Black Hawk war, while her husband was away on the field of conflict, she hid herself and her children for two days and nights in a wortleberry swamp in order that she might save them from the tomahawk and the scalping knife. She was the mother of six children, one of whom died in infancy, another, Mrs. Fleming, died eleven years ago, another, Warren Stevens, died ten years ago. The only living son, Mr. Chas. D. Stevens, lives in Detroit, one daughter, Mrs. Holloway, lives in Adrian, the other, Miss Hattie Stevens, was living with her mother at the time of her death. Her husband died 10 years ago, about a month after the death of her son Warren. Sixteen years ago she fell and received injuries which rendered her an invalid for the rest of her life. Her father, Levi Camburn, was a local preacher in the Methodist church, and removed from New York to Michigan about 1832, where he continued to exercise the function of his office to the time of his death. Her brothers settled in this and Hillsdale co. of whom three are still living, the oldest being 88 years of age. She joined the Methodist church at the age of 14, and ever after lived a consistent christian life. She used to walk from the farm to Brownville to church Sunday after Sunday, a distance of about four miles. Her father's family have been noted for their devotion to the church of her choice; two of her nephews were Methodist ministers, one of whom Rev. Myron H. Camburn, became prominent in the history of Michigan Methodism. At least four of her nieces married Methodist clergymen.—Her life, as may be seen from this sketch, was often clouded with sorrow. During the last 16 years she had to remain shut up at home a cripple. During this time death robbed her of her husband, a son and a daughter, but she bore all with christian fortitude. Thus has passed away another of the pioneers of this great and growing state. One by one they are laid away to moulder in the dust of the state of their adoption. But they leave as our lasting heritage the memory of their self sacrifices, their heroism, and their virtue. May their memory ever be a benediction to their children and their children's children for many generations.

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GOING NORTH			STATIONS		GOING SOUTH		
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	7 40 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	8 30 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	8 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	8 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 25 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	.....
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	.....
Adrian	11 10 "	9 20 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P.M.	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
Napoleon	1 05 "	10 55 "	9 25 "
Jackson	1 30 "	11 20 "	10 20 "

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Nebraska as it Was and Is.

It is believed that over all this vast region once rested an immense lake, compared to which Lake Superior is a mere pond. Over the bottom of this lake were spread through the ages lacustrine deposits of soil from five to two hundred feet deep. A small area on the north side of the state seems to have emerged first, for the soil is entirely gone from it. But it must have been at one time a tropic isle of marvelous luxuriance of vegetable and animal life.

In the hardened clay of its low hills are to be found vast numbers of fossil animals that have no existence outside the tropics. Here were immense numbers of rhinoceri, horned and hornless, some with two horns, some with one, and others with none. Here ranged the hippopotami and vast herds of carnivorous animals; here are found petrified turtles, one specimen, perfectly preserved, being seven feet across. There are several species of fossil monkeys.

"It requires but little imagination," says Bishop Warren, "to cover the region of the mouth of the Niobrara with abundant forests, through which meandered and rivers, full of the largest animals, while above them chattered the monkey, and flew the gorgeous bird of paradise."

After awhile the great lake, [illegible] with the richest soil, arose above the waters; the climate grew more severe, and the tropical animals and birds gave place to those of a colder clime.

One race of men lived here and disappeared; another took their place, but have passed away, leaving but little trace; a third, now known as Indians, luxuriated in the abundant meat of the buffalo, but they are nearly as extinct as the two races that have sunk beneath those waves of land, "unwept, unhonored and unsung."

It seems to be a hard matter for men to conquer this continent. Whether the fourth race has gathered strength enough from allying all kindreds and bloods under the whole heavens for its conquest, is yet to be seen in the coming centuries.

The part now called Nebraska is two hundred by four hundred miles in extent, and contains forty-eight million acres. On the east flows the Missouri River; irregularly, through its whole length, flows the Platte, receiving all its tributaries on the north side.

The state has a slightly undulating surface, and has so rich a soil that after-crops have been removed for thirty years from some places. It shows no sign of needing fertilization, nor will it show such need till the one hundred and fifty feet of soil has been turned into wheat or other crops. The soil most nearly resembles that of the Nile Valley, in Egypt. It is perfectly prodigal in the production of fruit. The state has twice been awarded the highest premium of the United States Pomological Society, and thereby been debarred from competing again. One apple has been grown that weighed twenty-nine and a half ounces, and one man raised in a year 14,000 bushels of peaches.

The state was admitted into the Union in 1867. All the early inhabitants came into Nebraska in the so-called prairie-schooners—a covered wagon containing all the family and their earthly effects. Finding land to suit, they first erected a house of sods, with places cut for a door and window, which made them a comfortable abode. Many happy homes were hung with tapestry of figured muslin, and whitewashed on the outside for a very trifling cost.—*Phila. Sat. Night.*

Action of Coffee and Sugar on the Stomach.

In a paper presented to the Societies de Biologie, M. Leven states that coffee so far, as is often supposed, from accelerating the digestive process of the stomach, rather tends to impede this. When thirty grammes of coffee, diluted in one hundred and fifty of water, is given to a dog, which is killed five hours and a half afterward, the stomach is found pale, its mucous surface being anæmic, and the vessels of its external membrane contracted. The whole organ exhibits a marked appearance of anæmia. Coffee thus determining anæmia of the mucous membrane, thus preventing rather than favoring vascular congestion, and opposing rather than facilitating the secretion of gastric juice, how comes it that the sense of comfort is procured for so many people who are accustomed to take coffee after a meal? A repast, in fact, produces in those whose digestion is torpid, a heaviness of the intellectual faculties and embarrassment of the power of thinking; and these effects, and the disturbance of the head, are promptly dissipated by the stimulant effect which the coffee produces on the nervous centers, as shown by experiments with casein. Coffee and tea, when taken in excess, are a frequent cause of dyspepsia, for the anæmic condition of the mucous membrane being periodically renewed, a permanent state of congestion is produced, which constitutes dyspepsia. Sugar, which with many doctors has a bad reputation, is an excellent aliment which assists digestion, and should be prescribed in dyspepsia. By experiment, digestion of meat is found to take place much more completely when sugar is added. Coffee exerts both a local and general action, operating locally by means of its tannin, by diminishing the caliber of the vessels, but acting on the general economy by exciting the nervous centers and the muscular system. It renders digestion slower, and is only of good effect by relieving the feeling of torpor after meals. Its injurious action on digestion may be corrected by adding sugar so as to counterbalance its effects on the mucous membrane. This adding sugar to coffee is not only a pleasant practice, but one contributing to digestion.—*Scientific American*

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What loneliness is more lonely than distrust?—[George Eliot.

Every body drags its shadow, and every mind its doubt.—[Victor Hugo.

Languages begin by being a music, and end by being an algebra.—[Ampere.

He who thinks himself good for everything is often good for nothing.—Picard.

The more honesty a man has, the less he affects the air of a saint.—[Lavater.

Doubt springs from the mind; faith is the daughter of the soul.—[J. Petit Senn.

The gods have a curse for him who willingly tells another the wrong.—[George Eliot.

The world is a book, the language of which is unintelligible to many people.—[Mery.

Travel improves superior wine and spoils the poor; it is the same with the brain.

Men could not live long in society if they were not the dupes of each other.—[La Bruyere.

Manners are the hypocrisies of nations; the hypocrisies are more or less peefected.—[Balzac.

It is with happiness as with watches—the less complicated, the less easily deranged.—[Chamfort.

"Rivals who blow out each other's brains for the eyes of a coquette, prove that they have none."

In condemning the vanity of women, men complain of the fire they themselves have kindled.—[Lingree.

"The pious man and the athiest always talk of religion: the one of what he loves and the other of what he fears."

"The world is apt to coo in your ear like dove when you are rich, but if you happen to be poor it kicks like a mule."

It is easy to make sacrifices for those we love, but it is a noble victory to overcome for the sake of our enemies.

No matter how purely and grandly we live to-day, there is no denying that we may live more purely, more grandly, to-morrow.

The doubts of an honest man contain more moral truth than the profession of faith of people under a worldly yoke.—[X. Doudan.

"A moment's work on clay tells more than an hours's labor on brick. So work should be done on the children's hearts before they harden."

In this great society world, lying around us, a critical analysis would find very few spontaneous actions. It is almost all custom and good sense.—[Emerson.

In those countries where the morals are the most dissolute, the language is the most polished; as if they would replace on the lips what has deserted the heart.—[Voltaire.

Great minds comprehend more in a word, a look, a pressure of the hand, than ordinary men in long conversations, or the most elaborate correspondence.—[Lavater.

The art of putting the right men in the right places is first in the science of government; but that of finding places for the discontented is the most difficult.—[Talleyrand.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the second day of July, A.D. 1883 authorizing the same, I, as guardian of Alvinzio E. Arner, Louisa M. Arner and Ambrose C. Arner, minors, will, on the 20th day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereafter described, offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the undivided one-half of all those tracts or parcels of land situate in the township of Ridgeway, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows to wit: All that portion of the Southwest quarter of section eighteen, town six south of Range five East, lying West of the center line of the plank road (so called) leading across said quarter section through the town of Ridgeway, and described as follows to wit: Beginning at the South quarter post of said section eighteen, town six south of Range five East, lying East of the center line of said Ridge road, bounded on the South by the Southeast corner of said West half of said quarter section, running thence North on the dividing line of East and West halves of said fourth section about forty [illegible] to a stake and stones, thence West on the South line of said parcel about twenty-two rods to the center line of said Ridge road, thence South-easterly along the center line of said road to the South line of said quarter section, thence East along the said line to the place of beginning, containing of the entire amount of land, forty acres more or less, subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Arner, widow of said John Arner deceased therein. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.
Dated July 2, 1883.
J. DE WITT ARNER, Guardian of said Minors.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.
William Hagler, Complainant,
vs.
Daniel O'Connor, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 24th day of September 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (that being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight (138) one hundred and thirty-nine, (139) and two hundred and ninety-five (295) and two hundred and ninety six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.
Dated July 31, 1883.
FRANK R. PAYNE, Circuit Court Commissioner.
E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. 4w9

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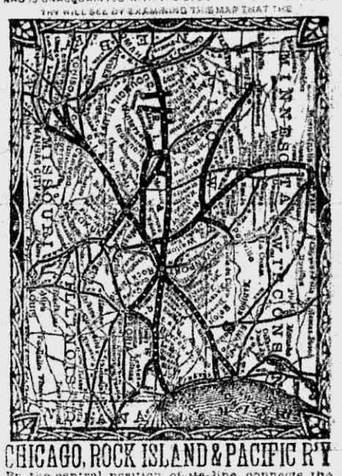

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Aug. 6, 1883.

Regular session.

Present the entire Council.

Minutes of adjourned session held July 12, 1883, and of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the contingent fund.

Stevens & Son, sundries as per bill	$[illegible]
H. W. Stevens, services as Marshal	[illegible]
W. J. Wilson, [illegible] oil and freight	[illegible]
Geo. A. Glaze, Detroit Safe No. 7	[illegible]
A. W. Mills, freight and moving of safe	[illegible]
John Hastings, [illegible] in public square	[illegible]
W. C. Jordan, services as St. Comm	[illegible]

The following claims are recommended to be paid out of the cemetery fund.

Mrs. Marsh, [illegible] in cemetery	[illegible]
Dan Wyman, 1[illegible]-10	[illegible]
Wm. Brown, [illegible]	[illegible]
Geo. Cooper, [illegible]	[illegible]
A. J. Cropsey, [illegible]	[illegible]
John Sampson, [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Milan Wheeler, [illegible]	[illegible]

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Cemetery.

Report in writing and recommend that the rates heretofore established by council for the use of the vault in the cemetery be amended as follows. That the price for the use of the vault shall be one dollar per week for the first three weeks. After that special rates to be obtained of the sexton who shall get his rates of the chairman of the cemetery committee.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted.

The committee desiring further time in which to report on other matters in their hands were granted until the next regular meeting in which to make such report.

On purchase of safe:

A. W. Mills as a special committee reports in writing that he has purchased a No. 7 safe of Detroit Safe Co. for $95, freight on same $2.22, placing same in council room $3.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted and the committee discharged.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Street Commissioner presented his monthly report, from which it appears that during the month of July there was performed on the streets of the village of team labor 11 days, and of hand labor 15½ days, and during the month there was wrought in the cemetery of team work 3½ days and of hand labor 6½ days. On motion the report is accepted and placed on file.

Mr. John Osborn came before council and made statement in regard to the filling up of Evans creek and thus changing the channel of that stream. By consent the matter is referred to the committee on streets.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

E. C. Baird presents a petition in behalf of the Michigan & Ohio Railroad Co. asking certain privileges for laying side tracks along Chippewa St. On motion the matter is referred to committee on streets.

Application is made by Mr. Sparks on behalf of M. P. Brown for permission to cut down and remove a tree that stands in front of his place of business on Chicago street. On motion such permission is granted.

Council then adjourned.

E. S. McKINNON,
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Calf skins, ¾ lb	[illegible]
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Corn Meal, ¾ bushel	[illegible]
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Chickens, dressed	[illegible]
Eggs, ¾ dozen	[illegible]
Flour, ¾ barrel	[illegible]
Hogs, dressed, ¾ cwt	[illegible]
Hogs, live, ¾ cwt	[illegible]
Hay, ¾ ton	[illegible]
Honey, ¾ lb	[illegible]
Ham, ¾ lb	[illegible]
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Oats, ¾ bushel	[illegible]
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Potatoes, ¾ bushel	[illegible]
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Turkeys, dressed, ¾ lb	[illegible]
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Wheat, White, ¾ bushel	[illegible]
Wheat, Red, ¾ bushel	[illegible]

DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner of the township of Macon, in the county of Lenawee, will, on the 29th day of August, at the barn of Simon Gould, in said township, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, meet parties for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Drain No. 5, in Macon, commencing near southeast corner of northeast quarter section No. 24 of said township, running northwest across said section, thence west across the northeast quarter of section 23, onto lands owned by Hugh Sample in said township; and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me, and now remaining in my office, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned reserving the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of said letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated this 16th day of August, A. D. 1883.

EDWIN HOWELL,
Township Drain Commissioner for the Township of Macon. aug16

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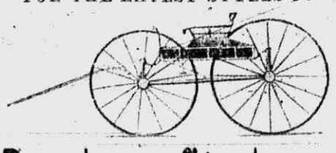

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I am right over in this corner friend Addison, watching the striking brotherhood.

Just now Brooklyn is entertaining representatives from several societies, who are more or less dissatisfied with the work or pay, though only a very few have dropped the keys to both, and taken a Providential furlough. If they would not be offended I should tell you where I think they have made a mistake—the striking sisterhood would do well to avoid. If every telegraph striker had secured some employment whereby he could have earned a living and went about the new work the hour he left his office, instead of trusting to amusement schemes of sympathizers, or aid from labor leagues, his victory would have been certain. Dependence on other organizations is not usually a good basis for independence as self exertion, where women are concerned. Enforced idleness weakens the nerves and produces all sorts of apprehension, and waiting for someone to change their mind is a very disagreeable state of mental probation.

Whatever the business engaged in, it is either one of choice, or if not the daily routine speedily becomes a habit almost as difficult to break friendship with. Few will deny that self-respect demands the latter course of action, when purchasers of that labor exact a slavish obedience to their request, for more than they pay for.

The rule forbidding the advancement of anyone competent to occupy a higher or more renumerative position, because already employed in a lower and less profitable one is a species of caste no one should tolerate. No monopoly could do other than pocket moral defeat and material discomfiture as such wide-spread resignation of employment would produce, if the labor they found necessary should be suddenly turned into other channels. But so long as no other means of procuring a certain income is resorted to, no monopolies can afford to be insolent. True the places vacated may be filled by others that necessity or cupidity compels to accept such servitude, but such do not bring good will to market, and dissatisfaction among all parties is the inevitable result. Hands that drop the keys of one kind of work will not forget their cunning if they are used for some other kind awhile. The change may not be agreeable at first but the ability to help ourselves is a passport to respectable consideration even with those who prize money more than brains.

MACON MUSIC.

Robert Cully has given up his trade as shoemaker and gone to farming, having rented the farm of David Hatch. He moved his family from the village last week.

Miss Franc Richart has opened school in the Service district.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howell were among the pleasure seekers who visited the Northern Peninsula last week.

At the M. E. quarterly meeting, last Sunday morning, Rev. Jesse Kilpatrick, of Ridgeway, occupied the pulpit.

Rev. W. C. Burns, of Paw Paw, preached at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

The Teachers' Institute for Washtenaw county, will be held in the village of Saline, commencing Aug. 27. It will be in session during the entire week. The teachers of Lenawee who were unsuccessful at the fishing pond in Tecumseh will have another chance to try their skill at angling.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Mr. Nelson and family spent a few days with friends at Legonier, Ind., last week.

Miss Ella Hall has returned from Brooklyn, N. Y. Weddie Bush came with her.

Hank Pocklington is evidently making a success with his meat market, at least he sticks longer than any one who has tried it before.

The Wilson boys resume the superintendency of the schools where they were engaged last year. Henry C. at Blissfield, Eugene A. at Vassar. Good luck to the boys.

We are still without a shoemaker but are in need of one just as much as ever.

Richard Cadmus and daughter Ella join a party of about twenty girls at Sand Lake for a weeks recreation.

During the shower Sunday morning about 3 o'clock, lightning struck Sam'l Underwood's barn, which immediately took fire and burned so quickly that nothing could be taken out. Three horses were in the barn, two of them came out after the halter-strap burned off but were badly burned about the head and neck. They will probably recover. The other horse was lost together with about twenty tons of hay. Loss nearly covered by insurance in the Farmer.

During the shower Wednesday afternoon lightning slivered a tree into kindlings at a point not far distance from the village.

CHEAP DOUBLE EXCURSION.

The regular annual double excursion from Adrian and vicinity, to Detroit and return, will take place this year on Tuesday, the 28th instant. The train will leave on the Lake Shore, at 7:50 a. m., going by way of Dundee branch, taking the passengers right to the river side, at Wyandotte, where the party will embark on the swift-going and beautiful steamers Sappho and Fortune, which have been chartered for the occasion, and which will make the trip up the river lashed together. The main train does not leave Adrian in the morning until after the arrival of the regular passenger train from the west, and connects at Lenawee Junction with the passenger trains on the Jackson and Fayette branches arriving in Detroit at 11:20 a. m. Returning, will leave Detroit at 5 p. m., giving excursionists five to six hours to visit the attractions of Detroit, and arriving in Adrian at 9 p. m., giving ample time for connections with regular passenger trains on main line, Jackson and Fayette branches. Special cars will be attached to regular morning trains on main line for Hudson and Clayton, on Jackson branch for Clinton and Tecumseh, and on the Fayette branch for all stations on that branch.

The fare for the whole trip from Adrian and all points east, will be only $1.25. Tickets for the entire excursion, good from Hudson and Clayton, and all points on the Jackson and Fayette branches, will be sold at the moderate price of $1.50. The affair is under the experienced management of Messrs. J. H. Blain and H. H. Osgood, and these gentlemen expect to make the trip one of the pleasantest ever planned from this section. Refreshments will be for sale on the train and boats, at reasonable figures. Parties desiring more particular information can address the managers at Adrian.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Aug. 18, 1883.

Estate of Jonathan Hall, deceased; bond and letters; appraisers.

Estate of Martha A. Foster, minor; release of guardian filed; discharge.

In the matter of appointment of three special commissioners; Macon drain No. 5; application; order for citation; citation issued; hearing August 20, 1883.

Estate of Orville W. DeGolyer, deceased; petition for administration; hearing September 10, 1883.

Estate of Louisa W. Hamilton, deceased; hearing on proof of will; continued to August 20, 1883.

Estate of Joseph Driggs, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of appointment of administrator.

Estate of Adam Dings, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's account and for discharge; hearing September 10, 1883.

Estate of Birdy Aten, deceased; affidavit of publication; proof of will and probate; renunciation of executor named in will; appointment of administrator with will annexed.

In the matter of Anna Hyland, an alleged indigent insane person; application for order admitting her to eastern Michigan insane asylum; hearing Aug. 17, 1883.

Estate of George A. Kishpaugh, minor; release of guardian; discharge.

Estate of John Wilson, deceased; hearing continued to Sept. 4, 1883.

Estate of Hiram N. Fellows, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's account; hearing Sept. 10, 1883.

Estate of Wendell Fuller, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Samantha Bateman, deceased, petition for allowance of administrator's account and for discharge; hearing September 3, 1883.

Estate of William Dorr, deceased; affidavit of publication; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Louisa Gould, deceased; bond and letters; appraisers and commissioners appointed.

In the matter of application for three special commissioners town line drain Riga; application filed; citation issued; hearing Aug. 20, 1883.

Estate of Alice Mary Rood, minor; copy of foreign guardian's bond filed.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners; Riga drain; order of appointment.

Estate of Joseph Driggs, deceased; bond and letters; appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Rensalaer A. Baker, deceased; application for allowance to widow; order for allowance.

Estate of Nettie C. Hardy, minor; release of guardian filed; discharge.

Persons having farms to sell or any property to dispose of, or those who wish to purchase real estate should call at the HERALD office. We have a number of good bargains. We also have a number of calls for places to rent. We can rent or sell places at short notice and upon reasonable rates.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Lansing and Battle Creek are to be telephonically connected.

The new presbyterian church at Milan was dedicated last week.

Tuscola county pioneer picnic at Caro, Aug. 30.

A new life saving station is to be located at South Haven.

A new $20,000 school house has been voted for at Romeo.

Examinations for admission to the Agricultural college begin Sept. 4.

There were 665 births reported in Macomb county during the past year.

The corn crop in the vicinity of Buchanan promises well.

Ex-Senator Ferry is in Switzerland, and may return home in the fall.

The soldiers of Midland county will have a reunion at Midland City, Aug. 30th.

A Tuscola county man, who is living with his second connubial partner sues for a divorce from his first wife.

Rev. E. Campbell, of the church of Christ, Ionia, removes to Minneapolis, Minn.

E. Eichmeyers' grocery store at Bay City burned last week. Loss over $4,000; insured.

Jack Whitmore, a Battle Creek moulder, has just fallen heir to property in New York valued at $20,000.

Alvin Tripp and Frank Perchell, arrested at Muskegon on a charge of counterfeiting. Dies, metal and bogus coin were found in Tripp's house.

A two year old daughter of Star Blodgett, of Coldwater, died from the effects of a pea nut shell which lodged in her throat.

The Jackson common council has declared that sparrows may be shot in that city and the warfare has begun.

A divorced woman met her ex-husband at Muskegon, last week, and after a short parley, proceeded to give him a horse-whipping.

Capt. Manley, of the Ann Arbor militia company, has resigned. He has been an officer of the company many years.

There are 1,000 volumes in the Buchanan township library, and an average of 20 volumes per day are taken out by the citizens.

A Bay City woman took her son out in the street and larrupped his naked form, in order to cure him of a chonic desire to go in swimming.

Two barns were burned at Ann Arbor last Sunday and the firemen had hard work to prevent much damage to other property.

Carrie Boothby, of Howell, had a bit of slatepencil in her ear for eleven years, but a few days ago she put glycerine in the ear and the pencil came out.

The Flint Democrat says the son of a German nobleman is working on a job of bridge building at Flint—swinging a paint brush. If he does his work well, he is just as noble as anybody else perhaps.

Rev. Geo. B. Stocking, pastor of the First universalist church of Lansing, goes to Aurora, Ill., to take charge of a church. He is a true gentleman, an eloquent speaker, and leaves hosts of well wishers in this state.

Oak Park seminary, of Paw Paw, has been removed to Three Rivers, and is hereafter to be known as the Three Rivers seminary, normal school, business institute and kindergarten, with Abbie Barker at the head of the school.

Wm. Lace, was killed at Walla station, near Flat Rock, Saturday evening, by the bursting of a circular saw. He was a brother of Col. Lace, of Monroe, and was about 55 years old, and leaves a wife and three children at Monroe.

Geo. C. Munro, one of Jonesville's oldest citizens, died last week. In early days he was an Indian trader there and later has been prominent in business and other local interests and will be greatly missed. He was once the democratic candidate for lieutenant governor. He was also for many years a prominent freemason.

Olivet college is fortunate in possessing one of the best libraries in the state of Michigan. It is annually enriched with valuable donations. Most prominent among these is its $10,000 library fund whose donor has but recently become known. It proves to be Mrs. Lucy E. Tuttle, of Guilford, Conn., who died July 29, 1883. It is a memorial fund in honor of Willie Sage Tuttle, her much lamented and gifted son, who died several years ago. The interest is annually appropriated to the purchase of books for the library.

..HAT THE GIRLS NEEDED.

The father and mother together sat
Their visages puckered with care,
Pondering what they should do with their girls,
Their girls with the auburn hair.
"They play, and they sing, and they dance," the said,
"And they sketch with a pencil and pen,
They speak the German and French, and draw
Oh, we think they don't draw well.
And here they are idle, the old, idle question,
With their gaiety of French and Polish!"
And he gave the poodle beneath his chair
A prod with the end of his crutch.
"But what can they do that is useful," the patient
With no earn that really was shocking,
"Can they sew, or mend, or make clothes,
Or even the bone a stocking?"
"Why, I think they might do something," she said,
With a flush upon her cheek,
"My grandmother was the poor girls sent!
I'm sure she made many pieces of dresses!"

A DOUBLE AMBUSH.

BY GEORGE H. COOMER.

We lived at Fort [illegible] during the Seminole war, which lasted through all the Seminole war, which lasted [illegible] Alligator, Wild Cat, and Tiger Tail making a part of my childhood.

A sense of peril was always present with us. I remember the feelings with which we heard of the slaughter of Lieutenant Dade and his command. The tragedy took place in open battle, yet it seemed dreadful that so many brave men should be shot down in the dark woods, with the painted savages yelling around them.

In the spring when I was thirteen and my brother Arthur fifteen, the war was at its worst, and my father talked strongly of removing to a greater distance from the danger.

Among our few slaves, consisting only of two black families, was a handsome young negro named Jason, who had the privilege of wandering [illegible] as he pleased. He would often remain all day in the forest, either lying asleep or hooting the gobble of the wild turkeys.

One day he returned with an appearance that startled us. His woolly head had been completely shaved, and his black face dyed to a bright scarlet. He had, however, received no real hurt, and seemed not in the least troubled by the ordeal through which he must have passed.

We gathered from his broken sentences that he had fallen in with Indians, and it was plain that they had been in some measure true to the proverbial respect of their people for idiots. An ordinary person they would have sacrificed without mercy; but when Jason stared aimlessly at the tree-tops, or gobbled like a turkey, they simply set their mark upon him, and let him go.

The incident showed that our danger was more imminent than had been supposed; but there was fortunately a squad of United States cavalry quartered within a few miles of us, and my father lost no time in notifying the officer in command of what had occurred. The soldiers, however, could find nothing of the enemy, and in the meantime we passed a couple of days in very anxious suspense. The movements of Indian warriors are erratic, and to white men unaccountable.

My parents began to regain confidence, believing that the Seminoles were gone from the neighborhood, as they doubtless were for the time. Father said they were probably scouts, and there was no telling now they might have scattered themselves, or at what point some of them might appear next. He hoped, however, that the presence of the soldiers had led them to abandon our design, they might have entertained of attacking us.

On the third day after Jason's adventure we were feeling much relieved. The negro men were at work in the fields, and father had gone to a considerable distance from the house. Mother, Arthur, and myself, with the female servants, were within doors.

Presently, not far off, we heard the gobble of a wild turkey, or what seemed such, although, as turkeys were not in the habit of approaching so near the house, we imagined Jason to be at his old silly pastime again, imitating the call which he could so well counterfeit.

The notes were continued with great regularity at intervals of a minute or two, and so natural were they that Arthur would have been all on fire to seize his rifle and hurry in quest of the game, had he not remembered how often he had been led upon a fruitless chase by the vocal powers of the poor idiot.

"We all excel in something," said my mother, "and Jason was made to call turkeys. But I do wish he would be quiet; it makes me nervous to hear him."

"Jason," said a little negro girl who just then came in from the rear of the premises; "why, missus, Jason done gone asleep in de shade at de back ob de wash-house. I done see him dis minute."

Arthur hastened out-doors, looked behind the wash-house, and having assured himself that the black boy had nothing to do with the gobbling, returned quickly for his rifle.

"It is a real turkey," he said, "and he's somewhere in the hollow."

The hollow was made by a depression of the ground about fifty rods from the house front, and running parallel with it. Upon its further side was a decayed stump, some four or five feet high, standing below the sloping bank, and with its top just visible from the house. Of this stump the portion next to the slope had so fallen away as to leave a large cavity capable of containing a man.

The gobble indicated the turkey's whereabouts pretty definitely.

"He's somewhere near that stump," said Arthur; "perhaps inside of it, sitting up on the rotten wood toward the top. I'm afraid he'll get high enough to see me. But I'll make a circuit, and creep around where the ground is lower."

He went out at the back door, so as to make sure of not being seen. The land on our right, a few rods from the house, was very low, the depression stretching off in crescent shape until it reached the gully, which crossed it at fair rifle-shot distance from the stump.

Arthur, young as he was, had already become an excellent marksman, having two years possessed a rifle of his own, which father had bought him, and which was almost always in his hands. We had no doubt that, with anything like an ordinary chance, he would put a ball through the turkey's head, and return in triumph.

But somehow, after he went out, a sudden thought seemed to strike mother. Wasn't it strange that a turkey should come so far out of the woods, and keep up such a gobbling in the hollow? No, not strange, perhaps, nor very unusual; and she wondered at her own uneasiness. But her nerves had been shaken by poor Jason's incident.

The house had a half-story in front, with two small windows above the ground rooms, and mother's feelings impelled her to run up there for a better view. She wished to see where father was, and perhaps might discover something of the wild turkey.

I was close at her side. We saw father with his rifle away off across the fields, and the negroes at a distance, from him engaged in their work. The stump, too, was visible nearly to its foot, and at intervals we caught sight of Arthur carefully working his way in a half circuit toward the gully.

[illegible] heard the turkey, and was, while approaching the spot where it seemed to be. His half-stooping posture showed that he feared the bird might get upon the stump and see him.

Suddenly mother started, and her face had a look of ghastly terror. Something which formerly she had, in my case, laughed at, was plain to me. Between the shattered stump and the grove of the bank, I saw it too, and my blood ran cold.

It was something that greatly resembled the head of an Indian. We saw that the face might be peering through the grave toward my father, while we saw the black feathers half hidden.

Without doubt it was a Seminole warrior in ambush, watching father's approach.

[illegible] shall I do? screamed mother.

Would not any entry she could make be misunderstood at such a distance, and only hasten the catastrophe, since father was still three rods beyond the Indian, and sheltered from the house? Then there was Arthur, who had now disappeared? And [illegible] of a sudden alarm [illegible] himself, might not the [illegible] and shoot him on the spot? [illegible] with her sense of the dreadful [illegible]

But in a moment I called out to her, "There's Arthur, there's Arthur!" for I saw him among the rank grass, lying flat upon the ground, within good rifle-shot of the stump, which he seemed to be watching intently.

Once again the Indian's head was shown slightly, and we got an instant's glimpse of Arthur's rifle. But the black hair disappeared, and the weapon was lowered.

Father was now so near the scene of danger that we had no alternative but to watch. Terrible as was her anxiety, mother now felt that Arthur had discovered what kind of game the old stump contained. She knew that the Indian could not fire at father without exposing his own head, and that the moment it appeared it would be covered by her brave boy's rifle.

How our hearts beat for the few moments that intervened! Another gobble came from the stump. Father was working his way stealthily toward it in anticipation of a prize, and Arthur lay still as death in the grass.

All at once we saw the sunlight glance upon a mass of long raven hair that rose slowly above the guarled wood which had hidden it. Father was within six rods of the spot. It was a dreadful moment.

Our eyes turned to Arthur. The grass in front of the slight knoll where he lay was not high enough to interfere with his aim as his elbow rested on the ground. We could see him drop his young face against the breech of his gun. The barrel gleamed for a single instant, a puff of smoke streamed from the muzzle, and he leaped to his feet.

But there was a still more sudden leap from the old stump, for an Indian with flying hair, and with his rifle still clutched in his hand, sprang up and fell dead against the slope which had concealed him from father's view.

The reunion which followed, when we all ran into each other's arms, joyful, yet thrilled with consternation, I will not dwell upon.

We found the dead enemy to be a tall young warrior, hideously painted, and having in his belt a hatchet and a knife.

He had no doubt entered the gully from the swamp, and seeing father at a distance, had attempted to decoy him within a gunshot by imitating a wild turkey.

The occasion proved to be the only one on which the Seminole war was brought home to us, as the successes of the United States troops afterward kept the Indians at a distance from our neighborhood.—*Harper's Young People.*

Preparation of Peanuts.

Peanuts to be prepared for the market are placed in a large cylinder, from which they enter the brushes, where every nut receives fifteen feet of a brushing before it becomes free. Then they are droped on an endless belt, passing along at the rate of four miles an hour. On each side of the belt stand girls, and, as the nuts fall on the belt, the girls, with a quick motion of the hand, pick out all the poor looking nuts, allowing only the best to pass the crucible. Those that do pass drop into bags on the floor below. When the bag is filled it is sewed up and branded as "cocks," with the figure of a rooster prominent on its sides. The peanuts caught by the girls are thrown to one side, picked over, and the best singled out, bagged and branded as "ships." These are as fine a nut for eating as the first, but in shape and color do not compare with the "cocks." The third grade is branded as "eagles." These are picked out of the cullings of "cocks" and "ships." The cullings that are left from the "eagles" are bagged, sent to the top story, and what little meat is in them is shaken out by a patent sheller. The nuts being shelled by this new process, the meat drops in bags below, free from dust or dirt of any kind, and is then shipped in 200-pound sacks to the North, where it is bought by confectioners for the purpose of making taffy or peanut candy. It may be here stated that a peculiar kind of oil is etxracted from the meat of the nut, and in this specialty a large trade is done among the wholesale druggists. There is nothing wasted, for even shells are made useful. They are packed in sacks and sold to stable keepers for horse-bedding, and a very healthful bed they make.

Flocks of Sheep.

We are asked how many sheep can advantageously be kept in one flock. The answer to the question would depend somewhat on the breed, which our correspondent does not designate, and it would also depend upon how much room he has. If he has room enough we no not see why a limit should be fixed, especially of Merinoes; and we do not know that it would be necessary in regard to other breeds. There is a prevalent idea that Cotswolds do not do well in large flocks, and we are not able from personal observation or experience to say whether they will or not. It is said, however, that in the old country they are kept in flocks to the number of even 800, and from all we have read upon the subject, we should think that there would be no difficulty in maintaining large flocks, if there were room enough. There are some obvious reasons why smaller flocks are better than larger ones, but it is not impossible to keep large ones, and it is practicable. The Merinoes will herd to any number if there is room enough.

A General Complaint.

CAUSES THAT LEAD TO LOSS OF APPETITE—REMEDIES.

Loss of appetite is of common occurrence at the onset of many fevers, but usually it is a far more chronic complaint. Nothing is commoner than to hear people say that they "have no appetite," they "do not care for anything," or that they "hate the sight of food." It is often enough associated with a condition of debility and general inaptitude for work. It is by no means uncommon in those who are worried and anxious and find it difficult to make both ends meet. People who devote too much attention to the weighty cattle generally find meals rather a trouble than otherwise; breakfast, especially, is a difficulty. These individuals are generally very distinct and careful, and think of home grown at everything that is set before them. They are very fond of saying the cook, for, what is in reality the sorry condition of their digestive organs. To tobacco smokers, or, at all events, those who smoke in any quantity, are seldom great [illegible] and tobacco and opium and alcohol seem all to have the power of deadening the appetite. People who take little or no out-door exercise generally complain that they do not eat well, and no wonder. If a man wants a good appetite, he must earn it some how or other. Some one may give him his dinner, but if he is to enjoy it he will have to bring his own sauce in the shape of an appetite.

Irregularity of meals is another common cause of loss of appetite. The stomach appreciates regularity, and likes to have its wants attended to at the proper time. It is curious how in a well-regulated body the desire for food is experienced day by day at exactly the same hour. We all know how dreadfully bad-tempered many people get if their dinner is only five minutes late. It is all very well to say that they are stupid and should not be put out about trifles, but it must be remembered that it is no trifle to them, and that even a slight delay may give rise to a considerable amount of bodily discomfort. The stomach has been accustomed to receive supplies at certain regular intervals, and if it fails to receive them, it objects most emphatically. Nothing is more likely to spoil the appetite than eating or drinking between meals. You hear a man complaining that he cannot eat his dinner, and you find on inquiry that about an hour before he had three or four dozen oysters and some bread and butter and a pint of stout, "just to pull him together." It may be thought that this is an exaggeration, but it is not. We have seen it, and we wish we had not, for nothing can be more contemptible than a man who makes a deity of his stomach. We should eat to live, and not live to eat. For people who dine in the middle of the day, lunch is a great mistake. Many people seem to think that it would be a great hardship to go without food from 8:30 a. m. to 1 p. m. They make a good breakfast directly they get up: ham and eggs and all the etceteras; and then at 11 a. m. they go in for bread and cheese and beer. Somebody once said that "lunch is a reflection on your breakfast, and insult to your dinner," and it is a pity that more people do not bear this in mind. You can never expect to have a good appetite unless you allow a good five hours to elapse between each of the chief meals of the day.

What is to be done for loss of appetite? In the first place it is essential to avoid, as far as possible, any of the circumstances we have mentioned as causes of this complaint. Be regular in your habits; get up early; do not stay out late at night; take plenty of outdoor exercise; have your bowels well opened every morning; do not drink much tea; be quite sure you are not smoking too much, and not taking more than you ought to in the way of stimulant. It is a great thing if you can dine in cheerful, pleasant society—the example of eating seems to be almost contagious. It is astonishing what a great deal bad cookery has to answer for in the way of exciting a distaste for food.

The practice of taking bitters before meals with the view of increasing the appetite is a common one. It is undoubtedly a bad habit, but in certain functional derangements of the stomach an occasional gin and bitters or sherry and bitters may have its advantages.

Probably the drug most frequently employed with the view of stimulating the jaded appetite is quinine. Two tablespoonfuls of the tonic quinine mixture should be taken about half an hour before meals, or two tablespoonfuls of quinine wine will do equally well. The infusion of quassia may also be used for this purpose, and its efficacy is greatly enhanced by the addition of three or four drops of tincture of nux vomica. Nux vomica is one of the pleasantest bitters we know, and will often succeed admirably, even when given in plain water. Other tinctures and infusions employed for a similar purpose are those of calumba, gentian, chirette, and cusparia. The infusions should be given in two tablespoonful doses, while the dose of tinctures is a teaspoonful in water. The tincture of nux vomica, it will be remembered, is a much more powerful drug, and the dose of this should not exceed eight drops. The different preparations of hops are useful, but are, we think, best taken in the form of bitter beer. Absinthe, or wormwood, is largely employed. With many people, especially those who are predisposed to constipation, two or three tablespoonfuls of compound decoction of aloes will succeed better than anything. For elderly people, pepsin taken in five-grain doses half an hour before meals is useful. We need hardly say that for patients who are anæmic or suffering from what is usually called "poorness of blood," iron is the remedy.—*Philadelphia Times.*

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Our Slang.

MOST OF OUR AMERICANISMS SAID TO BELONG TO JOHN BULL.

It has for a long time been a standing accusation that American literature is but a pale reflection of the English, and that about the only thing we could boast of is originating a plentiful stock of Americanisms. [illegible] and are traced to English owners. Professor Lounsbury, of New Haven, says in the *Independent*: "Certain it is that many and perhaps most of the colloquial expressions, which both here and abroad go under the name of Americanisms, are found also in the colloquial speech of the provincial dialects of England. From there they were brought here. It is only within the last few years that a society has been organized in England for the express purpose of collecting and preserving the peculiar words, phrases, and pronunciations still existing in the provincial dialects, and not until that work has been fairly completed shall we be in a position here to compare the colloquial language of the two countries and [illegible] in which each is in original in its way is imported. At present all assertions must be based upon the scattered labors of independent observers, possessing, it is to be added, in nearly every case very imperfect qualifications for the task. Still, with even these defective sources of information, the results obtained are somewhat striking. Let us take for illustration a solitary volume—the glossary of words and phrases used in the county of Suffolk, compiled by Edwin Moor, and published in London in 1823. In this one small work confined to the colloquial speech of a single shire, and embodying that incompletely, will be found such pronunciations as 'cute for acute, chaw for chew, drownded for drowned, hoss for horse, gal for girl, natur for nature, taters for potatoes; such phrases as to flop in a chair, to trim one's jacket, to haul over the coals, to ride like blazes, gift of the gab, in a horn, in a jiffy, a tip-top fellow, before you could say Jack Robinson, that's a whopper; such oaths and exclamations as by gum, by gosh, darnation, hang it, lack-a daisy; such words as bobbery for disturbance, gawky for awkward, glum for gloomy, gumption for sense, hullabaloo for clamor, obstropolous for obstreperous, sappy for silly, scaly for shabby, and spree with its wide varieties of meaning; such contributions to culinary speech as flapjacks, apple tritters, and indeed, sauce, as applied to garden vegetables generally; the same felicitous description of states of mind conveyed in such expressions as to be in a tantrum, to be in a pucker; such terms of abuse as dunderhead, ninny-hammer, nincompoop, and a whole tribe of vigorous common words denoting personal chastisement, such as baste, larrup, lather, lick, welt, wallop and whack; and, in addition to all these, that peculiar qualifying phrase, heard so often with us, of kinder, (or kind of,) in the sense of "somewhat," as, "he is kinder cold." The list of expressions common to the colloquial speech of the two countries, which is contained in this one work, has by no means been exhausted; but enough has been quoted to make it clear that we are not as original as many of us are inclined to think. It is to be conceded, to be sure, that the dialect of the East-Anglian counties bears, on the whole, a much closer resemblance to the so-called Yankee dialect than that of any other part of Great Britian. Yet in spite of this fact, if so small a glossary furnish so many of our common terms, what will be left us when once a complete collection of the colloquialisms and provincialisms of old England shall have been made?"

Grins.

Pleasant, healthy grins are seen only on the faces of healthy persons.—The dyspeptic and debilitated can smile only in a half-hearted way. Purify the blood, tone the stomach, and strengthen the tissues with Burdock Blood Bitters, if you wish to laugh well and often.

To Cure Foot Rot in Sheep.

The preparation of the foot is just as essential as the remedy, for if every part of the disease is not laid bare the remedy will not effect a cure. A solution of blue vitriol as strong as you can bear your hand in, for a moment, having the liquid three or four inches deep, or deep enough to cover all the affected parts; then hold the diseased foot in this liquid ten minutes, or long enough to penetrate to all the diseased parts; put the sheep on a dry barn floor for twenty hours to give it a chance to take effect. In every case where I have tried it, it has effected a cure, and I have never given a sheep medicine internally for foot rot. This remedy I call a dead shot when the foot is thoroughly prepared, but a more expeditious way, and where you don't hardly hope to exterminate the disease, but keep it in subjection, is this: After preparing the feet as for vitriol cure, take butter of antimony, pour oil of vitriol into it slowly until the heating and boiling process ceases, and apply with a swab. This remedy works quicker, is stronger than the vitriol, and is just as safe, but its mode of application renders it less sure.—*Ohio Farmer.*

Causes Astonishment.

"Completely prostrated for days with indigestion and billious fever.—The effects of two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters astonished me; visible improvement right off." Mr. Noah Bates, Elmira, N. Y.

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"Send for Mother."

"Dear me! It wasn't enough for me to nurse and raise a family of my own, but now when I am old and expect to take a little comfort here, it is all the time 'send for mother.'" And the dear old soul grumbles and grumbles, but dresses herself as fast as she can, notwithstanding. After you have trotted her off, and got her safely [illegible] home, and she has taken [illegible] her remedies and remakes by turns, you feel easier. It is right now, or soon will be—mother's home.

In sickness, no matter who is there or how many doctors quarrel over your case, everything goes wrong somehow, till you send for mother.

In trouble the first thing you think of is "send for mother."

But this has its ludicrous as well as its tragic aspect. The pertinent young people, to whom baby's extraordinary [illegible] and [illegible] shows, which threaten the dislocation of its chin; its wonderful sleeps, which it accomplishes with its eyes half open and no perceptible [illegible] of breath, so alarming the young mother to imagine it's dead this time, and to shriek out, "Send for mother!" [illegible] tones of anguish—this young couple in the light of experience which three or four babies bring, find they have been ridiculous and given mothers a good many trots for nothing.

Did anyone ever send for mother and she fail to come? Never, unless sickness or the infirmities of age prevented her. As when, in your childhood, those willing feet responded to your call, so they still do, and will continue to do as long as they are able. And when the summons comes which none yet disregarded, though it will be a happy day for her, it will be a dark, sad one for you, when God, too, will send for your mother.

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"It will do you more good than anything I can prescribe," is what a prominent physician said of Rheumatic Syrup to a lady who was suffering from rheumatism and neuralgia. She did so and was cured, and to-day is entirely free from pain and cannot say enough in its praise.

Thousands of children all through the land are to-day suffering from salt rheum or scrofula, and thousands of mothers are using liniments and salves with the hope of curing the dear little ones, but how many are disappointed and discouraged when after trying these various applications they find the child worse than when they commenced their use.

Mothers do not know that salt rheum, scrofula and fever sores are all the result of impure and poisonous blood, and that to effect a cure you must first cleanse the blood of its impurities?

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What are Pearls?

Discorides and Pliny mention the belief that pearls are formed by drops of rain falling into the oyster shells while open, and the rain drops thus received are hardened into pearls by some secretions of the animal.

According to Richardson, the Persians say when the drops of spring rain fall into the pearl oyster they produce pearls.

Mr. Darwin thinks that pearls are formed like those calcareous productions of crabs known by the name of crab's eyes, which are always near the stomach of the creatures, and adds that in both cases the substance is probably a natural provision of her for the reparation or enlargement of the shell.

A pearl which Pliny valued at about $375,000 in our present money, Cleopatra is said to have dissolved at a banquet and drank off to Antony's health. A pearl given to Philip II., of Spain was called *la peregina*, and was valued at 80,000 ducats. It was oval and of the size of a pigeon's egg, the largest which is positively known to have been found. Those of the size of a cherry are found more frequently, but still very rarely. Pearls are found ranging in color from a pure white to a perfect black. The pearl denotes purity, and gives clearness to physical and mental sight.

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Think twice before you believe every evil story that you hear, and think twenty times before you repeat it, especially if it is about a woman. Say to yourself, "This may not be true, or it may be exaggerated," unless you have proof of the veracity of your informant. People sometimes tell falsehoods, they often make mistakes, and they may "hear wrong." There is auricular illusion just as well as optical illusion. Take all these things into consideration before you believe. As for repeating the story, ask yourself if it is necessary. It sometimes is necessary. Then do it with the fear of God and the remembrance of the golden rule.

Ayers Pills cure headache by removing obstructions from the system, relieving the stomach, and giving healthy action to the digestive apparatus.

The happiness of life consists, like the day, not in single flashes of light, but in one continuous mild serenity. The most beautiful period of the heart's existence is in the calm equable light, even though it be only moonlight or twilight. Now the [illegible] can obtain for us this heavenly [illegible] and peace.—[Richter.

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The Executive Mansion.

The president's home at Washington, which is officially termed the Executive mansion, commonly called the White House, has a history that runs back nearly ninety years. Its corner stone was laid under the superintendence of Captain James Hobon, as architect, on the thirteenth of December, 1792. Captain Hobon was an Irish architect, direct from Dublin, via Charleston, who took the award of $500 for the design. He is buried in the Catholic cemetery at Washington, and his descendants are still living in that city. The British destroyed the building in 1814. It was afterwards rebuilt by Captain Hobon, and was first opened for the reception of visitors on January 3, 1819. The portico, of four lofty columns on the north side, was added in 1829, during the administration of President Jackson. It is a lofty building, two stories in height, having a frontage of 170 feet and a depth of 80 feet. The vestibule within the front door is 50x40 feet in dimensions. The famous east room, which was finished only fifty years ago, is 80 feet long by 40 wide and 22 feet high. Eight large mirrors and three chandeliers of crystal and silver adorn it. The walls are covered with gray paper, and the trimming of the furniture is gray reps and maroon velvet. With the exception of our public halls, it is probably the largest room in the country, and for its size is certainly the handsomest. It is the Mecca of all lady visitors to the capitol. The president's office, which is in the second story, is also the cabinet room, and is not a very large apartment for the White House, although about thirty-five or forty feet deep, by perhaps thirty feet wide, and with a high ceiling. A long table is in the middle of the floor, with leather seated chairs around it; the two windows have long lambrequin curtains of a dark, bluish gray color. A large map of the United States is on the wall. The carpet is of a red tint, with large figures. The general effect of the room as one enters is that of a library without books. The White House is surrounded immediately by twenty acres of garden and park. The lawn is still a naked plain, reaching on to the Potomac, like a desert coming to the palace stairs. Like Versailles in the time of Louis XVI., Washington is a government creation, and the White House is memorable only for the people who have lived in it. Every one of our presidents, except Washington, has lived in this great house, and he had poked his horse's head into its portals to look at the workmen plastering on the scaffold. The original cost of the building in 1792 was about $333,000, and the total cost of the structure to the present time, with refurnishing, etc., has been about $1,750,000. The unhealthful character of Washington, and of the White House locality in particular, has been for years a subject of complaint.

After Commencement, What?

It is an ungracious thing, perhaps, to tell the young men who are just emerging from college into what they vaguely call the world, that their education is by no means complete. In fact, if they have made the very best of their opportunities, they have only learned how to learn, and have yet to add wisdom to their learning by knocking against some very hard facts which are not catalogued in their philosophies. The farther an alumnus gets from his graduation day, the more clearly he sees that his education was but the veriest substructure of his manhood—the pile-driving and puddling upon which the foundation stones were to be laid. The college faculty, as wise master-builders, have done the best they could. "But let every man take heed how he buildeth thereupon."

The future is every man's personal responsibility, and the graduate who expects that the world is going to open its arms to him and coddle him with sugar-plums is pretty sure to be disappointed. A class that has been out of college twenty years can demonstrate this in its own experience. Youthful brilliancy has counted for almost nothing. The college diploma has not been a passport to special favor, much less to success. Every man who has made his mark in any line of work or thought, has done it through his wisdom in building upon the foundation that was laid. In many cases the foundation does not even appear above the surface; but it is worth having, and the superstructure is the stronger and more beautiful for it. The attempt to mark out one's path in advance is half the time a failure. Unforseen circumstances, unexpected developments of taste and talent will appear, which will lead into strange paths. Perhaps there is no sphere in life where the "Divinity that shapes our ends" is more apparent than in the life of a young man of education; and President Seeley's advice, that each should be content with his providential lot, and seek to follow and not oppose the manifest destiny of his life, is as profoundly wise in the social and material as in the religious aspect of the case.

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The Western Reserve.

Several of the seaboard States at an early day when, in fact, they were colonies, acquired claims to lands extending westward practically to the utmost limit. Among this number were Connecticut, Virginia, New York, and Massachusetts. These laid claim to portions of the territory embracing Ohio, their claims being based on their chartered grants, but all finally ceded the right of eminent domain to the United States, Virginia and Connecticut reserving however, the ownership of about 3,700,000 acres each. The Connecticut lands formed what was called the Western Reserve, and the Virginia the region about the Falls of the Ohio, which eventually became a part of the State of Indiana. The Western Reserve began to be settled about the year 1800. The pioneers of Ohio were New Englanders, who, however, found their way to that State, settling at Marietta, Cincinnati, and at other points. The Reserve was in the northeastern part of Ohio.

We All Believe

That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

Interesting Ring Trick.

Some years ago great stress was laid upon the ability of certain spiritual mediums, so-called, to pass upon the arm of another person, an unbroken iron ring, the person's hands being clasped all the time by the medium's two hands. Mr. W. I. Bishop lately showed a gathering of scientific and literary people in London how it is done. He bandaged the eyes of Mr. Sime, saying it was the same for that gentleman as if the gas was turned out. He then caused Mr. Simes to place his hands, together on his knees, brought his own hands from each shoulder of Mr. Sime to his hands, placed one of his hands on Sime's two, and said:

"You feel now that both of my hands are touching yours." "Certainly," said Mr. Sime, "I feel both of your hands." Bishop had one hand perfectly free, and slipping it through an iron ring placed the free hand back. The ring thus held on their joint arms, Mr. Sime having no idea that Mr. Bishop's right hand had left his for an instant. He said the illusion was perfect. So much can be done with a remarkably shrewd Scotchman in the dark, while every one is smiting his neighbor. Mr. Bishop then got Henry Labouchere to write five names and roll them up in pellets, *a la Foster*. After they had been written and placed by Mr. Labouchere in an envelope, Mr. Bishop came upon the platform and sat opposite him at a table. Mr. Labouchere was then requested to lay the pellets out on the table, and Mr. Bishop wrote out successively on a sheet of paper every name that had been folded up. Mr. Labouchere had watched every movement very keenly, but was entirely deceived. Mr. Bishop then showed that it was done by holding between his fingers a dummy pellet which he substituted for each of the five in turn, so that five should always appear on the table, while really one of the pellets was in his hand to read.

In Washington's Day.

In Philadelphia, which was the seat of the Continental Congress and of Washington's administration, many anecdotes are preserved of the men and manners of those earlier days which have never found their way into print.

A venerable physician described lately a dramatic incident, in which his father had taken part. The first blood of the Revolution had been shed at Lexington; each colony had voted to raise its poor quota of men, and in the Colonial Congress, George Washington, a young member from Virginia, had been appointed to lead them to the field.

On the evening of the same day, he was invited, with Thomas Jefferson, John Adams, Charles Thompson (surnamed Truth by the Indians, and probably the last white man whom they would have so named) and one or two others to join a dinner-party, given in a "House of call" at Gray's Ferry, a picturesque suburb of the town.

The dinner was discussed with gusto and merriment until the host called upon his guests to rise, and proposed "the health of General Washington, Commander-in-chief of the Continental armies." Instead of applause there was a sudden death-like silence. The Continental armies were a handful of undisciplined, unarmed men; opposed to them was the most powerful nation on earth.

It was the first time that Washington's position and the desperate venture on which they had entered had been formulated into words. Washington, who had risen, smiling, stood silent and pale; one by one the glasses which had been raised were set down untouched. Not one of the startled men who held at, the moment the destinies of the continent in their hands remembered to drink the toast.

A Sermon on Early Marriages.

I believe that the scriptures teach that early marriage is desirable. Solomon says: "Rejoice with a wife in thy youth." We find the same implication in Isaiah, where the fact is used as an illustration: "For as a young man marrieth a virgin, so shall thy sons marry thee." Again Malachi "Therefore take heed to your spirit, and let none deal treacherously against the wife of his youth." The same implication occurs again and again in the teaching of the book. Not that it in any wise authorizes a man to rush into marriage before he is qualified to support a wife, or before due consideration is given to the matter, but if he have a good trade or profession, or lawful business, which has the reasonable promise of support in it, and have correct morals, is not that capital? I verily believe that the land would be vastly better if all young people would be content to begin life humble, if need be, and build up their fortunes and their homes together as the birds do their nests. Then, again, an early marriage secures a more ready assimilation of character and tastes. It furnishes a worthy object which stimulates to industry. It saves many of those temptations against which the charms of a christian home in wedlock is the surest protection.—*Rev W. A. Robinson.*

HINTS FOR SUNSTROKE CASES.—Sunstroke was in many Cincinnati cases, during the terrible heat, treated with hot water instead of cold. The following directions were published by such physicians as favored the plan: Lay the patient on his back, loosen the clothing, so as to encourage a free flow of blood; expose the chest, especially over the region of the heart, and with a large cloth, towel or sponge freely bathe the head, face neck and chest with hot salt water, as hot as can be handled, continually adding more hot water and applying it until the patient is soft. Use one teaspoonful of salt to every quart of hot water. Have the feet made bare and rubbed or slapped, and in extreme cases apply mustard poultices. Give internally, if a temperate man, a teaspoonful of whisky in hot water; if a drinking man, use a little ammonia or hartshorn in hot water; if soon after a meal, put a teaspoonful of yellow mustard into a glass of warm water and have the patient drink it, following up with more until he vomits freely. As he convalesces give at first lime water and milk (one-fourth lime water and three-fourths milk,) afterward a liquid diet until the stomach is strong enough for solids.

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Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

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WHAT SHE CALLED HIM.—A well-known educationalist vouches for the truth of the following:

A teacher in a lower grade of one of our public schools received a new pupil—a little miss of 6 or 7 years, named say, Hattie Brown. After taking her name for the school-rolls, according to the custom, the teacher said:

"What is your papa's name, Hattie?"

"Mr. Brown."

"Yes, but what is his first name?"

"Don't know—his name is just Mr. Brown."

"Yes, yes—I know," then, as a bright idea struck her, "What does your mamma call him?"

"Oh, I know what you mean now," the innocent child replied; "ma calls him a darned old fool."

It is safe to conclude that the teacher did not register the child's father as D. O. F. Brown.

KAHOKA, Mo., Feb. 9, 1880.

I purchased five bottles of your Hop Bitters of Bishop & Co., last fall, for my daughter, and am well pleased with the Bitters. They did her more good than all the medicine she has taken for six years.

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HE HAD TO STAND IT.—There were half a dozen ladies and gentlemen in a street-car, when the driver stopped the car and said: "There is somebody in this car trying to beat me out of a fare." The passengers loooked at each other, and all said they had put in their fare. "It don't make any difference. There are only six fares in the box and seven people in the car." Then a gentleman got up, and with a sigh, put in the missing fare, remarking: "I put one in before, but as I was once in the legislature everybody will say it can't be anybody else but me, so I will have to stand it."

Hay Fever.

From Col. J. Maidhof, of New York: "I have suffered severely for the last ten years from Hay Fever in early and mid-summer and in the fall. I desire in the interest of my fellow sufferers to testify in favor of Ely's Cream Balm. My short use of it demonstrates its efficacy. J. Maidhof, 401 Broadway.

I can recommend Ely's Cream Balm to relieve all persons suffering from Rose Cold and Hay Fever. I have been a great sufferer from these complaints and have used it. I have recommended it to many of my friends for Catarrh, and in all cases where they have used the Balm freely they have been cured. T. Kenney, Dry Goods Merchant, Ithaca, N. Y.

A PRETTY OLD SETTLER.—There was a good specimen of American wit in the reply made by the old settler, who had lived in his city since it was a log cabin or two, to the young man who was putting through a course of interrogatories:

"You must have lived here a long time?"

"Well, I reckon."

"Why, how long since you came here?"

"Young man," said the old settler, seizing the questioner by the coat lappel, "do you see that hill across the river (pointing to a lofty peak)?"

"Yes," said the other, "I do."

"Well, I kim here, sir, when that was nuthin' but a hole in the ground."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 28, 1883.

Senator Wade Hampton seems to have reconsidered his expressed determination to retire from public life at the close of his present term in the Senate. He will serve the people as long as they want him. Senator Hampton is one of the ablest public men of the South, and the Palmetto State will doubtless keep him where he is for many years.

While New York is in a ferment, Mr. M. Donald learns that Tilden is working as earnestly for the nomination as ever he did in his life, all the wires are being laid, and Tilden is taking every step to secure the prize. He is in constant consultation with his friends, and there is "wire-pulling for him all over the State." This contradicts what Mr. Watterson has been saying, and Mr. Watterson is Mr. McDonald's friend.

Dr. Geo. E. Frothingham has sold the Ann Arbor Register to Kendall Kittredge, late of the Eaton Rapids Journal. Dr. Frothingham feels the need of more time for his duties of physician and professor. Under his management the Register has been a clear-spoken, heavy, lively paper, of great value to its exchanges, and to the people of Washtenaw county. We presume that Mr. Kittredge will keep the paper fully up to its present standard of excellence.

The fact that only forty women have registered this year in Boston is paraded as evidence of a lack of interest in politics, which is hardly treating the fair ones fairly. The real truth is the women have concluded, after several years experience, that the trouble and expense of registering and paying a poll tax outweigh the benefits they derive from the privilege of voting for a few petty officers. This conclusion is evidence of practical common sense and economy in women.

At the prohibition state convention held in Eaton Rapids on Aug. 15, Ex-Representative A. B. Cheney, of Sparta, was permanent chairman, and W. A. Taylor, of Lansing, secretary. A state central committee was chosen with Merritt L. Moore, of Ionia, as chairman, and it was voted to raise $10,000 for a campaign fund. The platform of the National convention at Chicago was endorsed and the republican party was arraigned for bad faith in not submitting a prohibitory amendment to the people.

Eastern journals speak in the highest praise of the Rev. Prof. Jacob Cooper, D. D., who has been invited to fill the place in our University made vacant by the death of Dr. Cocker. He is a doctor of philosophy of the university of Berlin, and was educated there and at Jena and Halle, Germany. He also pursued special studies in metaphysics at Edinburgh and was a friend of the eminent Dr. Calderwood, who recently visited this country. He was first professor of Greek in Danville, Ky., but for the past 12 years has held the chair of Greek language and literature at Rutgers college, New Brunswick, N. J. He is strongly recommended by the president and faculty of Yale college.

The crop of wheat is turning out better in this section than was expected both in quantity and quality, and the price keeps up well. On this subject the last Michigan Farmer says:—"The market for cash wheat has been well sustained the past week, and while there has not been an active demand business was fair for the season. Futures, however, were very quiet, and we have never seen less speculation than there is at present. The advance in values has therefore been a legitimate one, based upon the wants of consumers and the condition of the crop just harvested. It is rather surprising, in view of the present situation of commercial affairs and the continued grading down of values in nearly all lines of manufactures and agricultural products, to see wheat maintaining its position so well. The course of the market the whole week has been upward, but in the absence of any special speculation the advance has been slow. Perhaps this very slowness may prevent the reaction that is always to be feared after such an advance."

The new bank at Brockway Centre has begun business.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17, 1883.

The panic in Wall Street, which in previous letters I have forecast, has come sooner than it was expected, but fortunately everybody was looking [illegible] ships scudded along under as little canvass as was possible. The air, however, is not clear as yet, and the storm is not yet appeased with the sacrifice of the two sleepers, Fisher & Co., and Stedman & Co., which it resolved. If the market does not soon assume some definite character, other failures are sure to follow. Much sympathy is felt for the members of both the above firms, for they were both old established houses and their dealings were characterized by genuine old fashioned business methods and fair gains. Fisher & Co. tried to steady themselves by [illegible] market, but this device, usually one of safety, on this occasion only hastened the collapse which left them high and dry. Mr. Stedman's losses were brought about by the indiscretions of his son, a young fellow of twenty four years, who thought he knew more about financial operations than his father, and launched out boldly at a time when everybody else sought to make port. Everybody has the utmost sympathy with the old gentleman, who in the evening of his days finds that the fruits of his labor of a life are struck with a blight. Mr. Stedman is one of the leaders of that cultured literary society which makes its headquarters at the Century Club. A man of the culture, extensive reading, wide travel and excellent taste, he is a graceful poet and a polished prose writer. In fact he is the nearest approach to the British banker poet, Rogers, that we have in this country. But a few weeks ago his elegant country house, an ideal home for a literary man, such as Bulwer described in one of his essays, was dedicated to purposes of study, good cheer and hospitality. It would be a pity indeed were he obliged to give this up. But after all, there is not much danger of this, for he has so many friends and so many kindly offers of help that he will be sure to tide over existing difficulties.

One of the most curious features of the flurry in Wall Street was the appearance of "the vultures after the carrion," as the brokers put it. There are in this city, as in fact in every large financial centre a great number of wise and rich old fellows who as a rule keep all their possessions invested in United States bonds or other A 1 securities. Two or three times a year there is always a storm in Wall Street, though as a rule, it is not as severe and as deadening as the present one. They read the signs of the times accurately, and when everybody is demoralized, when money is scarce, and securities are down to the lowest ebb, they come in with their gilt edge securities, which they dispose of at a premium, pick out some stock which has been particularly depressed, hover about broker's offices for a week or two, sell out at a big profit, and then disappear until the next storm comes. "I tell you," said a broker to me, "it always makes my blood run cold to see those fellows appear on the scene. Their dress, get up and business methods render them so that you cannot mistake them.—Most of those fellows do nothing else all the year round but study the market and the newspapers, and being out of the actual fight they can understand the situation much better, and act with more calmness and deliberation, and thus are always sure of making money when they make their strike."

There was a rumor a few days ago that Police Captain Williams, the famous exponent of the clubbing art in the public mind had been shot. I met him the following evening and asked him whether it was he himself or his ghost who stood before me. He laughed heartily. "Nobody would shoot me," he replied, "because I would not give them the chance to do so." Whatever truth there may be in the charges of "crookedness" frequently brought against him, there is certainly no doubt that Williams is a brave man, as brave a man as there is on the force. Had he not been a policeman he would have become a model of a dashing cavalry officer. He knows no fear, and will single-handed attack a band of dangerous ruffians where the odds are twenty to one against him. He allows no dilly dallying among his men, as he himself never asks a man to undertake a work which he himself would be afraid to do. The men of his command are imbued with the same spirit of bravery as he is, and are as devoted to him as any set of men could be. Williams has an unbounded faith in his star, and feels confident that he will not die an unnatural death. Perhaps it is this which makes him so brave.

"When will you begin running the cars on the Brooklyn Bridge?" I asked of Col. Paine, the chief engineer.

"I cannot tell you," was the reply. "There are so many things to be looked after that it is hard to predict. I look to about a month, however, to be about sufficient."

DIO LEWIS.

Dr. Dio Lewis was born at Auburn [illegible] with Dr. Briggs of that city, took his medical course in the Harvard Medical School, Boston, began the practice of his profession in his native place in 1845, and two years later removed to Buffalo, where he practiced from 1847 to 1852. During his residence in Buffalo, he wrote a number of papers on the causes and treatment of cholera which ravaged that city during '849 and '51. These papers attracted much attention, and were afterwards published in book form.

In the Autumn of 1852, Dr. Lewis took his young wife, then seriously threatened with consumption, to the south. The visit to the Southern States was repeated during the two following winters.

During these three winters of leisure, Dr. Lewis seriously reconsidered his life work, and after consultation with family and other trusted friends, resolved to "shift the switch." Since 1855 he has been engaged in lecturing and writing on the subject of public and personal hygiene. With the exception of two visits to Europe and three summers of saddle life in the mountains of California, he has been unceasingly occupied with the "ounce of prevention."

His labors have been varied, interesting, and most effective. During four years he lectured almost every night, giving his days to the invention of his new system of gymnastics. In 1860, having completed this system he abandoned the platform and settled in Boston, Mass., to establish his Normal School for Physical training. Obtaining an Act of incorporation from the Massachusetts Legislature he placed his scheme before the celebrated Dr. Walter Channing, Dr. Thos Hoskins and other well-known medical men. The two gentlemen named, and others, entered heartily into the work. Dr. Channing and Dr. Hoskins both became active teachers or professors in Dr. Lewis's school.—Within seven years, more than four hundred persons were graduated from the Boston Normal School, a diploma, bearing its diplomas, with the name of Dio Lewis as its President, went out into all the land, teaching the new school of physical training. Among these graduates was that admirable gentleman and scholar, Moses Coit Tyler, now Professor in Cornell University. He went abroad, remaining several years in London, introducing the "Dio Lewis Gymnastics." Prof. Tyler's lectures and his contributions to the English magazines on the new school of body culture, constitute the finest portion of the literature of the new movement. In one of Prof. Tyler's papers, in a leading English Magazine, occurs this paragraph:—

"The movement of thought in America toward physical culture is thus organized upon a profound and abiding bases. An impulse has been given which vibrates through a population of twenty millions; this impulse cannot die. * * And of this vast and beneficial movement, Dio Lewis stands clearly at the head. To him the people are looking as to an apostle and guide. He has inaugurated in America a great national reform, as distinct, as influential, as glorious, as that which was wrought in Germany by Salzman and Jahn, or in Sweden by the poet and gymnasiarch Ling."

Another interesting phase of Dr. Lewis's work is found in the great seminary which he established at Lexington, Mass.

His object was to illustrate the possibilities in the physical development of girls during their school life. His buildings accommodating 200 persons, were placed upon the first battle field of the Revolutionary war. A large corps of the best teachers in mathematics, sciences, languages, belle-letters, and music, to be found in the country, were engaged, and the opening was announced. The school soon grew to one hundred and fifty young women, gathered from all parts of the country, including the Pacific Coast, Central America and the West Indies. They came to see what could be done by the new methods for their nervous enfeebled bodies. The marvellous triumphs of this institution during the years which Dr. Lewis devoted to its management, he gives in the North American Review for Dec. 1882. As he says in that paper, hundreds of grateful parents are familiar with the facts. Girls who came unable to ascend a single flight of stairs without suffering, in a few months were able to walk five to ten miles without inconvenience.

In the course of his twenty-two years residence in Boston, Dr. Lewis published nine volumes on the various aspects of the health of the human body, some of which like "Our Girls," "Our Digestion," and "Weak Lungs," have had enormous sales.

Dr. Lewis has now removed to the city of New York, to establish a large monthly magazine, to be called "Dio Lewis's Monthly," and to be devoted to Sanitary and Social Science. This will be the crowning work of his long life of labor in the interest of better bodies for American men and women.

Mayor Beatty, the organ builder, of Washington, New Jersey, celebrated his thirty-fifth birthday on the 14th inst. The Mayor, although still young, has accomplished more than falls to the lot of any one man in a million in a lifetime, and it is not too much to say that his name will pass to history as one of the most successful business men of our times.

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The Grass Lake News is agitating the question of a flouring mill in that town in a lively manner. It is five or six years since the old mill was burned, and yet no decided effort has been made by the people for a new one. Other towns of course get the benefit of this indifference, not only of the milling but of course the surrounding farmers do a large amount of trading where they take their grists.

One of the pleasantest musical and social events of the season occurred at the residence of Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany last Thursday evening. The spacious parlors were filled to overflowing with invited guests to listen to a good musical program. So large a party could not have been entertained better and each guest as they departed could honestly thank Mr. and Mrs. Tiffany and their visiting friends for a very pleasant evening.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

The beautiful home of Jas. B. Colvin, of Raisin, was the scene of a happy party on Thursday afternoon last, at which time he gave his daughter Josie in marriage to Chas. Waldron. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson in the presence of the family friends and a few intimate acquaintances. There was no attempt at display. Refreshments followed the nuptial service and then a few hours of music and social converse until the shades of evening fell. The bridal gifts were numerous, beautiful and costly, betokening the measure of esteem in which the bride was held within the enchanted circle of her personal friends. Was it not a model farmer's wedding? All who enjoyed that afternoon will respond with a hearty "yes." Mr. Colvin started life in this township years ago, with no capital but an honest heart, a resolute will and a strong right arm. He has been blessed with material prosperity, a beautiful home and a splendid family; but of all the blessings which Providence has vouchsafed unto him, none are dearer to his heart than the prize which Charley Waldron sought and won. The mere formality of extending our good wishes seems almost idle in this case. The groom is one of Tecumseh's most promising young men. He has a fine farm in Raisin and has already begun life in earnest in his own home. May the sunlight of prosperity illumine their earthly pathway, and may the dispensation of fate be as kindly as the sincere "God bless you" of all their friends.

On Thursday evening, Aug. 16, the many relatives and friends of Mr. P. V. Woodward and Miss Kate Boyce donned their finest apparel and assembled at the residence of B. J. Rector to witness the solemnities of the marriage vow. The following presents are tokens of the high esteem of the happy pair:

"Warranty deed of village lot in Tecumseh, Mr. & Mrs. V. J. Woodward; 1 doz. silver knives, Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Boyce; china tea set, W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.; Brussels rug, John Primrose, Jesse Potter and Augustine Cummins; table linen and 1 doz. napkins, Sarah Swartout, Hessie Cupples, Evelyn Sherrard and Mollie Weisinger; linen towel, Mrs. Augusta Brainard; teapot, Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Benedict; silver jelly castor, Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Rector; silver napkin ring, Mary Platt; bedroom set and toilet set, P. V. Woodard; silver butter dish, Mr. & Mrs. R. R. Hall; crystal pitcher and fruit dish, Mr. & Mrs. R. Gilespie; set silver knives, Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Woodward, pair silver napkin rings, Mr. & Mrs. F. Rector; silver sugar and mustard spoon, Sarah and Flora Boyce; silver butter knife, Hattie and Clara Woodard; silver sugar spoon, Mrs. C. F. Avery; set silver spoons, Miss May Woodard; silver dinner castor, Mr. & Mrs. J. T. Boyce and Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Benedict; silver cake basket, Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Rector; cabinet picture, Lone One; picture of statuary, I. C. Wolcott; 4 salt sprinklers, Nellie Cole; set crystal ware, Sam'l. and Albert Boyce; dictionary holder, favorite poems, Mr. & Mrs. Allen Macham; silver butter dish, Mr. & Mrs. T. Cummings; bed quilt marked as follows: "From your Grandmother, pieced when in her 88th year, containing 900 blocks." Cloe Woodward.

Rev. J. A. De Spelder performed the ceremony, after which Mr. & Mrs. P. V. Woodward received the hearty congratulations of all present. A bountiful repast was then enjoyed. A social interspersed with music closed the entertainment.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 23, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Woolston Comfort's 27 acres of cabbage heads now promise a big yield.

Mr. Parsons, of Saline, Washtenaw county, held the office of postmaster 48 years.

Miss Nellie Clark is visiting among friends in Chelsea and Dansville of this state.

L. C. Miller, of Howell, was in town the first of the week and gave us a call Tuesday.

The Detroit Evening Journal, a new two cent daily will appear about the 10th of September.

A Grass Lake youth has been arrested and jailed for marrying a girl under 16 years of age.

H. H. Snell was at home over Sunday last. He still retains his position with a Greenville lumber firm.

The Lenawee county teachers association will have a meeting in Tecumseh the third Saturday in September.

The editor of the Lowell Journal sagely observes that the telephone beats the old ox-team line all to pieces.

West Bay City has so many French citizens that the authorities have been appealed to, to put French books in the library.

E. B. Wood, Esq., started early this week upon a recreation trip, intending to be gone several weeks. He is in much need of rest.

A young lawyer and a merchant of Luddington are reported as being about to fight a duel, all because they are both in love with the same lady.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bean, of Jonesville, were in town a day or two last week. The special object of their visit was to be present at the marriage of Josie Colvin.

Misses Florence and Mary Shepard returned from their eastern trip last Monday. Florence leaves next week for Grand Haven to take a position in the Grand Haven city schools.

An old bear and two half-grown cubs appeared upon the principal street of Altona, Mecosta county, one day last week, and strange to say the people were not glad to see them.

The benefit concert to Miss Della Purinton will take place at the Opera House, in Adrian, on Monday evening next, August 27th. There ought to be a good attendance from Tecumseh.

The Ladies' Floral Cabinet for Aug. has arrived. It is a gem, full of useful and interesting hints for the ladies and only costs $1.25 per year. Send for a sample copy to 22 Vesey St. New York City.

Mr. Lynn S. Brown, of Raisin, who had charge of the penmanship classes at the teachers' institute, designs making that business a specialty hereafter. He expects to organize classes in penmanship at an early day.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas A. Ferguson, of Malone, N. Y., called here on their way home from Dakota to visit their cousin, Andrew Wilson, of Franklin, and they speak of northern Dakota as being the spring wheat grainary of the east.

We notice that G. P. Sparks is in receipt of a number of pieces of new music, and learn that C. J. Whitney, of Detroit, will supply him with all the best pieces as soon as issued.—This will be a great convenience to the lovers of music.

W. R. Wooden was at home last Sunday and Monday. He has completed a trial engagement with Nichols, Shepard & Co., of Battle Creek, and the firm are so well pleased with his services that they have made a permanent arrangement with him.

Adrian Times: Deerfield and Dundee have patched up a base ball club between them which can get drubbed worse than any other club we know of unless it's the Detroits. The club went to Blissfield last week Thursday and were walked into camp at the rate of 47 to 6.

S. W. Temple has his new planing mill completed and is placing the engine, boiler and machinery this week. The mill is built of brick and will make the best arranged planing mill in this section. The machinery is all new and when things are in running order the establishment will be a model one in all particulars.

W. T. Eccles, for several years the foreman of the HERALD press rooms, has bought out Dr. Hause, and took possession last Monday. He will forsake the Gordon and the Taylor and devote his attention to tea, confectionery, &c. We regret to lose Will's services, but can only wish him the best of success in his new venture, and we believe he will obtain it.

A. B. Cotton, the live merchant of Tecumseh, is closing out his stock and will take his departure for West Bay City the first of September.—From the time he first opened his stock of Dry Goods in the Bidwell corner, several years ago, he has enjoyed the reputation of being one of Tecumseh's leading citizens and business men. We exceedingly regret his departure, but trust that his lines may fall in pleasant places in his new abode.

A force of 1,000 men is at work on the M. & O. road in Hillsdale county.

Jonesville vs. Tecumseh at base ball park to morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A. L. Brewer, wife and daughter, returned home from Petoskey Saturday.

The Methodist Sunday school went pionicing to Manchester yesterday, and report a good time.

Frank Silvers arrived home Monday and reports "Banker" doing well, and says he will recover entirely.

Miss Lillie Buckley, of Litchfield, and Miss M. O. Young, of Grand Rapids, are visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. McGlashen and daughter, mother and sister of Mrs. U. M. Woodward, are spending a few weeks at the Doctor's residence here.

The 'Lilley House' is the name given to the old Merchants' Hotel by Mr. Passmore. He is keeping a good hotel, is a good square business man, and we wish the "Lilley House" all success.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Meeker, of Chicago, are visiting his father, Dr. D. D. Meeker, this week. "Bill" looks as good natured as ever and reports a pleasant trip down here via. the lakes.

Mr. W. W. Marsh has opened a meat market in the old J. W. Wooden building on railroad street; the place has been all fitted up, and "Vote" knows how to run a meat market. We trust he will command his share of the trade.

Our Base Ball Club will go to Blissfield next Thursday. A special car will be attached to the morning train, coming back on the night train. Fare for the round trip, 50cts. The Soldiers and Sailors reunion will be held there the same day.

Miss Vesta Freeman gave a little party Tuesday evening in honor of her friends, Miss Jennie Freeman, of Detroit, and Miss Way, of New Jersey. Many of our young people were present and every one enjoyed a pleasant evening. Miss Freeman returned to Detroit yesterday afternoon, and during her stay here has made many friends who regret to see her go home.

BASE BALL.

Last Thursday occurred the game between Blissfield and Tecumseh, and was one of the best games played on our grounds this year. No poor playing was done on either side, our nine playing without an error. The Blissfield boys only made five. The attendance was good. Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	I.B.	E.
Blissfield	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	5
Tecumseh	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	5	0	5	5	0

The game on Friday between Raisin and the second Tecumseh nine resulted in a score of 7 to 10 in favor of Raisin. The Raisin boys played well.

Friday P.M. at 2 o'clock the Jonesville boys play our club at Base Ball Park. The game will be a good one, and all should see it.

THE DETROIT EXCURSION.

The excursion to Detroit last Saturday over the Lake Shore was carried through according to contract. The route somewhat resembled the course of the Raisin, but the passengers had no cause to complain for they got the worth of their money. Barring the hot and dusty weather, there was nothing to complain about and that was not the fault of the train men.—The train was a special, started in good season and returned before the regular at night, dropping the Tecumseh people off about nine o'clock. The newspaper fraternity was well represented; Clough, of Brooklyn; Blosser, of Manchester, and Field, of Clinton, all "took in" both the excursion and Charley Spafford's ice cream and lemonade, while the HERALD office furnished three men to assist in the good cause. Had the affair been advertised long enough before hand a much larger crowd could have been gathered.

NOTES FOR THE QUERY BOX.

A pretty, witty, rosy cheeked school ma'am, with hazel eyes and dark hair, and who wears no rings on either finger of the left hand, has favored the HERALD with a few more slips for the query box. As our institute has closed for the season we respectfully refer them to the institutes at Saline and Grass Lake, both of which will be in session next week:

1. If three men work ten days on a fertile farm, what is the logarithm?

2. If three young men, one of them a colored man and the other a female, set out simultaneously, which'll get there first. Required also from these premises, the time of starting, starting point, destination, and the "natural number" belonging to the other. Explanatory notes: X-O.B; the probable age of the parties multiplied into the distance traveled.

3. Of what use is a compass without a needle, and which way does it point? Note: X—Supposed use. S—South.

5—In a large household neither father nor mother knew anything. How was it with the family?

6—Two men unable to travel set out on a journey, at different times, in company with a third person in the same condition. For three hours the first two kept ahead of each other, when a violent snow storm arising, all three lost their way. What's required?

7—If a hard knot be tied in a cats tail, which way, how long and with what success will she run after it? Also who tied the knot?

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Lyman's saw mill at North Morenci will soon be rebuilt.

Ed. Smith, of Clinton, has returned from his Dakota trip.

Mrs. Dr. Grandy of Fairfield killed a large rattlesnake last week.

Remember the soldiers' reunion at Blissfield next week Thursday, Aug. 30th.

Dr. Parker and family, of Blissfield, have returned from their Petoskey trip.

Some of the citizens of Morenci are opposed to hiring a night watchman.

The new ditch in Ridgeway is progressing. This is a good time for ditch business.

Work has commenced on the big Bean Creek drain in the Southern part of the city.

There will be a dance at Wolf Creek to-morrow evening for the benefit of the cemetery fund.

The telephone line between Hudson and Hillsdale is in process of construction this week.

The old Canada Southern track between Corbus and Grosvenor is being put in shape for trains.

G. H. Tansley of this village instituted a degree lodge of the I. O. G. T. in Deerfield last week.

The Sunday Herald of Adrian asks the common council to resign. The council must feel awfully about it.

Wm. Strong has opened an agricultural store at Addison, and that village will soon have a lumber yard.

Dundee is to have a second brass band. What has Dundee been doing to deserve such an affliction as that

A freight train ran over a deaf mute named Joseph McCollum near Manchester last Friday, inflicting fatal injuries.

About one hundred teachers were examined at Adrian last Saturday. The examination was conducted by Profs. Hammond and Waterman.

The Times observes that Adrian will soon have a bang-up band. We had not heard before that Adrian was was to be favored with a female band.

A petition has been presented to the common council of Adrian to grant the use of Railroad street for the Wabash track. People living on that street are making a lively kick.

Morenci Observer: Those thrifty and enterprising farmers, M. A. Packard, Aaron Tufts, and S. K. Porter, of East Senaca, have contracted for over a mile of hedge fence along the highway of their farms.

Morenci Observer: The difference between Sullivan and two muscular Morenci disciples of his art is: Sullivan got $8,000 or more for "slugging" a man, and they got—badly damaged faces, in their Saturday night pugilism.

Adrian Record: The water in the water works well is now between six and eight feet higher than the level of the river. This does away with the idea that the river feeds the well.

The river is not likely to feed the well so long as the well has the benefit of the surface drainage.

Blissfield is making preparations to properly receive the old soldiers on Thursday next. The county association proposed to have a basket picnic, but the Blissfielders kick at this arrangement and insist upon entertaining the soldiers themselves. Let all the old soldiers go to Blissfield. They can rely upon having a good time.

Judge Geddes has appointed Prof. Curtis of Adrian to the position of school examiner to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. Walker. This is an admirable selection. But the query arises: Why didn't Prof. Walker resign two weeks earlier and allow the county board to choose his successor?

Blissfield Advance: The game of ball between the old men last Saturday afternoon was witnessed by a large crowd, and was an endless source of amusement. It was fun to see the "boys" run to make the first base, and when hit almost invariably tumbled, to the delight of the small boy. Capt. Staples was beaten by a score of 32 to 15. We understand another game is to be played soon.

Below we give the program for Macon Grange meeting for Aug. 31, at 7:30 P. M.:

Address by Dr. Geo. Howell—Subject, "The tariff as it relates to the interest of farmers."
Quartette—Frank Aten.
Declamation—Miss Emma Bailey.
Essay—A. H. Briggs, of Adrian.
Song—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Select Reading—Mrs. Chas. Skinner.
Inst. Music—Miss Julia Easlick.
Question for discussion—Best variety of wheat and its culture.

In the August crop report of the Secretary of State, we find this item:

"Lenawee Co.—Clawson is the principal white variety of wheat grown, and according to threshers' reports, yields the best. The red varieties grown are Fultz, Lothrop, Lancaster and Egyptian. Fultz yields nearly as much as Clawson and ripens two to five days earlier than other varieties. Harvest began about July 12. All varieties have been damaged by rust and blight, especially fields that were partially winter-killed. Clawson is damaged more from sprouting than the red varieties. Oats are an average crop. Corn is backward and will be a short crop.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

THURSDAY'S PROGRAM.

9:00 A. M.—Opening Exercises.
9:15—Lecture, Advanced Reading, Prof. Demmon.
10:05—Sec. 1, Grammar, Prof. Demmon. Section 2, U. S. History, Hammond. Sec. 3, Physiology, Curtis.
11:00—Recess.
11:15.—Sec. 1, U. S. History, Prof. Hammond. Sec. 2, Physiology, Prof. Curtis.
2:00 P. M.—Lecture, Spelling, Prof. Demmon.
2:30—Sec. 1, Physiology, Prof. Curtis. Sec. 2 Grammar, Prof. Demmon. Sec. 3, U. S. History, Prof. Hammond.
3:30—Recess.
3:45—Lecture, Alcohol and Tobacco, Prof. Curtis.

At 2 P.M. Prof. Demmon gave a talk on spelling.

Spelling is a means to an end. We do not learn to spell in order to spell, simply, but to write well, also to give assistance in reading. On account of the irregularity of the English language, spelling will not to any very great extent help us in pronunciation, which we have to get from the dictionary. In early times our language was almost wholly phonetic, written as pronounced. Good spelling cultivates the memory. A person may have a good memory for spelling while they are very indifferent as reasoners. Some pupils learn spelling much more readily than others. Teachers should guard against using the old style dance block as a punishment, while the pupil is not to blame. During nearly the whole of the scholar's school life, he should have oral and written work. Closed with practical illustrations at 3:45.

As teachers we are to look at this from a physiological point of view. Here came an illustrated description of how to abstain alcohol. Alcohol, not having to be digested, passes immediately to the blood, prevents perfect oxidation of the blood by the lungs, being given out from the lungs in breathing, taints the breath. As teachers we deal with the faculties of the human mind; as teachers we set examples. Alcohol and tobacco are the kindlings that consume the mind, as such we must endeavor to keep our scholars from their use.

FRIDAY'S PROGRAM.

9:00—Opening Exercises.
9:15—Lecture, Written Examinations.
10:00—Sec 1—Grammar, Demmon. Sec. 2, U. S. History, Hammond. Sec. 3, Physiology, Curtis.
11:00—Recess.
11:15—Sec. 1, Physiology, Curtis. Sec. 2, Grammar, Demmon. Sec. 1, U.S. History, Hammond.
1:30 P.M.—Sec. 1, U. S. History, Hammond. Sec. 2, Physiology, Curtis. Sec. 3, Grammar, Demmon.
2:20—Query Box and distribution of certificates.
3:00—Address.

In the forenoon the usual routine was carried out. The institute convened at 1:30 P.M. in order to finish by 3 o'clock. After the recitation of the sections all the teachers gathered for the last time in the high school room, and listened to a few parting remarks from Profs. Demmon, Hammond and Curtis. All expressed themselves as well pleased with the attendance and general conduct of Lenawee County teachers. Prof. Curtis made mention of the meeting of the Association of Teachers of this county to be held here the third Saturday in September, Prof. Wendell, of Hudson, has a paper on Reading. The School Inspector from Clinton also has a paper, together with other exercises. As the association has four meetings the ensuing year, there will be another sometime in November.

Prof. Hammond said he had become acquainted with many of the teachers, being on the Board of Examiners, that he had taken a great interest in the schools of this county, as well as in the teachers. He was to officiate at the examination to-morrow, which would end his duties in that line, however he wished the teachers all God speed.

At this point Mr. Triplet, of Macon, arose. I think it our duty as teachers, after the great good our being here under such benefiting instruction for two weeks, to extend a vote of thanks to Profs. Demmon, Curtis and Hammond. All in favor to raise their right hand. It is needless to say that every hand went up instantly, showing that the Lenawee teachers were not insensible to the fact.

Prof. Demmon thanked the institute for their kind regard, and also thought it his duty to return thanks for the kind and extensive notices which the Press had given them both in Tecumseh and Adrian. There are so many present we cannot take you all by the hand, though we should very much like to do so. We now bid you good bye.

The certificates were then distributed to each one, certifying to the number of half days each one had been in attendance. This closed the two weeks' institute, which to say the least, has been one of the most successful county institutes ever held in this state. Average attendance about 120.

As it may be of interest to some to know who attended the exercises, we give the following names which were enrolled on the regular membership.

LADIES.

Nettie E. Wilcox, Lula J. Wilson, Libbie Stanley, Sarah B. Stanley, Mrs. Minnie Stevens, Clara Sheffield, Mary Sheffield, Julia L. Page, Mattie Barber, Anna V. Rose, Grace L. Underwood, Grace M. Nixon, Nina C. Edminston, Alice Climenson, Permina Beaver, Lillie M. Patterson, Nora E. Kinney, Hattie E. Porter, Ella M. Freer, Celia B. Jones, Grace A. Jones, Gertrude A. Roath, Viola B. Sheffield, Jessie Shaver, Sarah Rice, Lida E. Fisher, Mrs. Belle Dunbar, Miss E. A. Palmer, Adrian; Lodie M. Webster, Armada; Ada A. Hodges, Minnie E. Jenkins, Addison; Minnie McAdams, Sara Green, Brooklyn; Lottie Kemberling Lucy Miller, Carrie Tolford, Blissfield, Mattie Harrison, Palmyra; May McAllister, Blissfield; Mary I. Bowerman, Effie L. Hunson, Palmyra; Carrie Moore, Blissfield; Vevia Wadsworth, Ida Hawkins, F. J. Moreland, Emma O. Skinner, Sadie Soper, Adrian; Ella E. Wellwood, Sadie Taylor, Clinton; Flora B. Averell, Ella Foot, Clayton; Francis E. Matthews, Clinton; Ella Bovee, Emma Bovee, Inez Baker, Lillie Tincole, Clayton; Mary Cummins, Kate Mead, Laura J. Haggart, Mary Potts, Bertie Taylor, Clinton; Lina McWilliams, Clara Salisbury, Ina Dailey, Libbie Carpenter, Laura McKey; Ophelia Leib, Laura L. Webster, Deerfield; Mary Thompson, Rignice Bellinger, Holloway; Rose L. Carnill, Hudson; Millie D. Rogers, Lenawee Junction; Susie M. Osgood, Lake Ridge; Estelle Miller, Hettie McClue, Abbie McClue, Edna E. McClue, Manda Howell, Carrie E. Triplet, Allee Richmond, Macon; Jessie B. Allen, Julia Conklin, Manchester; Martha Baldwin, Jennie M. Datesman, Addie Stocum, Georgie Perkins, Murtie Parker, Morenci; Anna Bruce, Ogden Station; Eustie A. Hildebrant, May Chamberlain, Franc A. Smith, Palmyra; Minnie L. Westgate, Raisin Center; Silvia A. Maxwell, Sarah E. French, Alice Reed, Springville; Louise Hildebrant, Palmyra; Gertie J. Hully, Nannie Kyle, Julia Snell, Alice Wimple, Mary L. Wood, E. May Henderson, Ella Dewey, Maud A. Simonds, Ida Russell, Jennie Nyland, Ida Taylor, Louise Hialey, May Farley, Mabel Hayden, Metta A. Adams, May J. Taylor, Adaly E. Waldron, Minnie Jones, May Temple, Hattie A. Helm, Helen F. Church, Sarah A. Conlin, May E. Avery, Libbie Brown, Libbie C. Helm, Grace Wisner, Tecumseh; Mattie Conlin, Minnie E. Keeney, Laura Van Valkenburg, Tipton; Susie Reed, La Crane, Ohio; May Wooden, Weston.

GENTLEMEN.

Lynn S. Brown, E. E. Tobias, A. W. Tobias, D. Underwood, C. R. Tyler, Rosco Palmer, Hobart Mitchell, E. A. Condit, Adrian; E. D. Walker, Brooklyn; George N. Deline, Clayton; A. G. Smith, Clinton; Samuel Boyce, Cambridge; H. C. Wood, Geneva; John Bowen, Lenawee Junction; Camis E. Triplet, Macon; A. J. Waters, Manchester; E. D. Durkinson, Lyons, Ohio; W. L. Stewart, Ridgeway; Vincent Wood, Rollin; Davit Martin, C. H. Bramble, Frank H. Hall, H. L. McNair, Geo. Hopkins, Jas. W. Cappler, Tecumseh.

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5 25	8 40	" Manhattan Jct. "	9 54	5 45
5 31	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	5 56
5 38	8 56	" Monroe Jct. "	9 40	6 20
6 14	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	7 18
6 28	9 51	" Milan "	8 35	7 55
6 44	10 16	" Milan "	8 31	8 20
6 55	10 30	" Grafton "	8 20	8 36
7 06	10 45	" Pittsfield "	8 06	8 59
7 27	11 20	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 35	9 15
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8 40	12 45	" Jackson "	6 40	8 30
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1 05	3 35	" Battle Creek "	4 35	5 50
2 00	4 30	" Kalamazoo "	3 32	7 10
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7 30	8 50	" Grand Haven "	10 00	6 00
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6 20	7 40	" Muskegon "	7 30	5 00
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	A. M.		P. M.	
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	6 10	" Big Rapids "	1 40	7 15
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THE SKEIN WE WIND.

BY GEORGE KLINGLE.

If you and I, to-day,
Should stop and lay
Our life-work down, and let our hands fall where they will—
Fall down to be quite still—
And if some other hand should come and stoop to find
The threads we carried so that it could wind
Together what we [illegible] should expect to know
Our life-work's web, seek
To carry on the good design
Instantly made years or mine,
What would it find?

Some work we must be doing, true or false,
Some threads we wind, some purpose so exalts
Itself that we look up to, or down,
As [illegible] crown;
To do [illegible] and [illegible] through all
Of different lengths and thicknesses—some bare, some shrouded—
A [illegible] round,
To inflate skein of life [illegible],
Sometimes forgetting all [illegible]
To seek
The value of the threads or chance
Strong stuff to use,
No hand but winds some thread
It cannot stand quite still, but it is dead;
But what it spins and winds a little skein,
God made each hand for work—not too slain
Is required, but every hand
Spins, though but ropes of sand
If Love should come,
Stooping above when we are done,
To find bright threads
That we have held, that it may spit them longer—find out shreds
That break when touched how cold,
Sad, shivering portionless, the hands will hold
The broken strands and know
Fresh cause for woe.

Japanese Women.

AN INTERESTING LETTER BY AN INTELLIGENT NATIVE.

A Japanese gentleman writes to the Boston *Herald*, as follows:

The Western people are invariably aggrieved to see the inferior state of women in Asiatic countries, and heartily sympatize with them in their condition of total subjection under the despotic hands of family tyrants. To this the Japanese ladies are an exception; they are never reduced to the same degree as in other Asiatic countries. They are undoubtedly treated as the gentler sex, and also with respect and considerate care. In this, as in so many other things, we totally differ from the Chinese. We see them treated with adoration and deference; in fact, in Japan, as in America, the ladies rule the house. They are allowed greater freedom and have more self-confidence than any other Eastern ladies; yet it is true that a Japanese lady is deprived of the privilege of receiving her young male friends in such an unrestricted manner as is allowed in this country, nor is, without a chaperon, permitted to indulge in the pleasure of strolling or to share the amusement of theater-going with him with whom she may stand on terms of friendship, or of a more tender relation. We scarcely hear, in any Japanese family, such a free expression of love and affection as is tolerated in this country; in fact, it is there considered too delicate an affair to speak of or demonstrate in the presence of parents or friends, if not a violation of the propriety of social etiquette. We can easily infer from these facts that marriage in Japan is seldom the fruit of mutual love and admiration. The matrimonial union is wholly to be arranged and settled by the hands of parents, and the proposed husband and wife have to take each other, either for better or for worse upon the judgment of others. But it is amazing to find that there are no more unhappy couples in Japan than there are in this country, where marriage is the sweet result of long acquaintance and mutual love.

Through the influence of Confucianism and Buddhism, obedience has been inculcated as the chief and most amiable virtue of ladies, and undoubtedly this prevailing notion has prevented them from securing a position of equality with men. Happily, or, shall I say unhappily?—for us men, our wives have hardly ever attained such an ascendency as to henpeck their husbands, a custom often discoverable among the so-called civilized countries. In tracing the history of any nation, we invariably seem to come across an age in which the female sex was more or less brought under subjection. The ancient Teutonic race is said, even during its barbarous times, to have regarded the gender sex with the greatest respect and courtesy; but if we turn to the common law of England, we find the assertion quite inconsistent with it. Unfortunately for them, Japanese women have thus far been deprived of many rights, and also of the means of elevating themselves, but to-day the education of our girls is receiving the greatest attention from our educational department. The prospect is cheering, and it may safely be predicted that, at no distant day, our scholastic institutions will produce myriads of school-marms, the pleasing feature of the New England landscape. Japanese young ladies are generally admired by foreigners as pleasing and graceful in their deportment, and for their gentleness, neatness, and good taste in dress. As far as my recollection goes, I can say this much, that they are generally demure and diffident in society, and apparently fall short of such an activity and ease of manner as is shown by American young ladies. Our misses neither reduce the size of their feet, like the Chinese, nor contract their waists, like the Western ladies, nor wilfully injure what is given to them; that is, by piercing the ears, a custom prevalent almost everywhere, both in the civilized countries of Europe and America and the half-civilized countries of Asia. Among our married women it has, from ancient times, been the custom to shave off the eyebrows and to blacken the teeth. This novel sight attracts the attention of strangers, and is not infrequently ridiculed as a most singular and unnatural custom. Every nation has its own customs and peculiarities, and we doubt if those ladies who are inclined to condemn the custom are normally free from the shade of any singular fashions and peculiarities attendant upon their persons. We have a common saying, "Correct yourself before you criticize others." We gladly state that our married women are sensible enough to perceive the shortcoming in the custom above alluded to, and it is now noticeable how rapidly it is disappearing.

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The American Flag.

The first European banners unfurled upon the shores of the New World, of which we have any authentic account, are those of Columbus, who landed on the small island of San Salvador, Oct. 12, 1492. Doubtless his ideas of a new world came from Iceland, which he visited early in 1477.

His son writes that Columbus, dressed in scarlet, stepped ashore and planted the royal standard of Spain, emblazoned with the arms of Castile and Leon. A white flag with a green cross was its companion.

In 1499 the eastern coast of South America was explored, and eight years later the discovery was announced to the world by a Florentine, Americus Vespucius, who gave name to the Western Continent. About this time the Cabots planted on the shores of North America the banners of England and of St. Marks of Venice. The early voyagers found that the Indians of North America carried as a standard a pole decked with the wing feathers of eagles.

The red cross of St. George floated from the mast of the Mayflower, 1620, when the Pilgrims landed on Plymouth rock. For a century and a half, during the colonial and provincial periods, the use of the English flag continued in North America, with the addition of many devices and mottoes.

Some flags were all red, with white horizontal stripes, or red and blue stripes. Others were red, blue, white or yellow. Upon these were the pine or "Liberty tree," and the words, "An Appeal to Heaven;" also stars, the crescent, anchor, beaver and serpent. Under the latter, "Don't tread on me." A flag at the battle of White Plains bore the words "Liberty or death."

On January 2, 1776, at Cambridge, Mass., was first hoisted the "Grand Union" flag of the crosses of St. George and St. Andrews, and the thirteen alternate red and white stripes, emblamatic of the union of the thirteen colonies against the oppressive acts of British tyranny.

This was the flag in use when the Declaration of Independence was read by the Committee of Safety at Philadelphia, in the presence of Washington in New York, and from the balcony of the State House in Boston.

On the 14th of August, 1777, Congress resolved "that the flag of the United States be thirteen stripes, alternately red and white, and that the union be thirteen stars, white, in a blue field, representing a new constellation."

Once the stripes were increased to fifteen, but in 1818 they were changed back permanently to thirteen, perpetuating the original thirteen States of the Union, and it was decreed that for every new State coming into the Union a star should be added. The stars have five points; those on our coins six. They were first arranged in a circle, afterwards in the form of a large star, and now in parallel lines.

Flaxseed for Stock.

In some parts of the West, farmers sow flax on newly-turned sod for the purpose of turning the ground for a crop of wheat the following year. It requires less labor to sow and harvest a crop of flax than to plant and gather a crop of corn. Sod corn is not salable, but flaxseed always finds a ready market. The expense of marketing flaxseed is less than for any crop that can be raised on the same amount of land. It is generally worth more per bushel than any kind of grain, and it is manufactured in the West instead of in the East. In many sections the manufacturers of linseed oil furnish seed to homesteaders and other poor farmers with a view of securing their crop when harvested. The manufacture of this oil is very profitable, as the oil-cake sells for more than half the sum paid for the seed from which it is made. Nearly all of it goes to Great Britain, where its value for feeding to all kinds of stock is better appreciated than in this country. But little use is made of oil-cake or of ground flaxseed in the United States, except to feed to calves and milch cows that are in poor condition in the spring. Few have employed either of them as a part of the regular diet for stock, or for the purpose of preparing animals for the butcher. There is no necessity for extracting the oil from flaxseed before feeding it to stock. In fact the oil it contains is the most valuable portion of it. Pure ground flaxseed, when fed alone, is too rich, but if mixed with meal, bran or shorts it is excellent for all kinds of stock. An experienced feeder recommends mixing one bushel of flaxseed with seven of corn and the same number of oats and grinding them together. There is no better feed for calves "brought up by hand" than boiled flaxseed and skimmed milk. A small amount of flaxseed should be increased to a pound a day by the time the calves are a month old.

In London no liquor can be procured after 12 o'clock at night. Every bar, big or little, is closed, and this law is not evaded, for the risk is too great. A man's license would be taken from him immediately, and without remedy. Persons are not licensed to sell liquor in England. It is the premises that are licensed. The board having it in charge license one public house in a district, basing it upon the supposed necessity, and those premises hold this license till deprived by violation of law. If you desire to sell liquor, you cannot go and rent a room and open your bar, you are compelled to buy the lease of a place which carries the license with it. Consequently a licensed place is a valuable piece of property. Sunday is an especially drought day in London. All the bars are closed till 1 o'clock P. M., and are then opened but an hour. Then they are closed till 6, and are permitted to keep open till 11. And let it be remembered that law in England is law. You can't laugh at it as you do in America. There is no evasion of this law attempted. The places are required to be closed, and they are closed. There are no side-doors. There is no selling on the sly—they are closed.

CUTTING STONE WITH STONE.—It has been held by some archæologists that various sculpturings could not have been cut without the use of iron tools; but others have of late years succeeded in reproducing similar markings on granite slabs, using solely stone implements; and in doing so they found that diorite and other such tough stones cut the granite better than flint. This corresponds with the practice of the stone-cutters of the present time, whose steel tools for cutting granite are of a much softier temper then those they use for cutting sandstone. The great sculptured stone of Montezuma, in Mexico, is a striking proof of the extent to which granite can be sculptured with stone implements. Gama, in his work describing this stone, states that 10,000 Indians were employed in transporting it to the city of Mexico, where it was sculptured by thirty workmen with stone axes.

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Miscellaneous Recipes.

Pop-Overs:

One cup flour; one cup milk; one egg; a piece of butter the size of a walnut; a pinch of salt. Bake in gem-pans. Double this if necessary.

Flannel Cakes:

One full quart of sifted flour; one quart of thick milk; three eggs; one teaspoonful soda dissolved in milk; one teaspoonful salt rubbed in the flour; two tablespoonfuls melted butter.

Junkets:

A cup and a half of Indian meal; a handful flour; half a teaspoonful soda; one teaspoonful salt; boiling water to make a thick batter. Take care that every particle of the meal is scalded. The flour may be mixed smooth in a little milk before being added. Fry on a griddle with a good deal of lard.

Genuine Boston Brown Bread:

Four tablespoonfuls full of sifted Indian meal, two cups rye flour, either wheat or rye; one teaspoonful salt; one teacup molasses, and boiling water added to make it as thick as griddle-cake batter. When cool add half a teacup yeast, either home-made or distillery. Put the mixture into an iron baking dish, cover tightly, let it stand in a warm place until it cracks over the top (which should be smoothed over with wet hands before it is placed to rise). Bake it five or six hours in a moderate oven which will not burn the crust to a cinder.

Barby's Waffles:

One pound and a half of flour; one pint or less of boiled rice; two and a half pints sweet rich milk; one teaspoonful salt; four eggs. Put the rice in a four quart bowl, separating the eggs, putting the yolks with the rice; add the salt, flour, and two pints of the milk, beating very thoroughly; then the remaining half pint of milk; beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, add them to the batter, and beat well together. When well beaten, make the batter still lighter by lifting and pouring it with a tin cup for five minutes.

Graham Shortcake:

One cup sour milk, one-half cup cream; one teaspoonful soda; one teaspoonful salt; make a batter as thick as can be stirred with a spoon, spread a layer of it in a baking-tin, put bits of butter over it, then another layer of batter. Bake in a moderate oven until well browned. When cool enough to handle, open between the layers, and put in berries, peaches, stewed apples, or any kind of juicy fruit; let stand a few minutes, and you will have "a dainty dish to set before a king."

Rules for Keepers of Sheep.

1. Keep sheep dry under foot with litter. This is even more necessary than roofing them. Never let them stand or lie in mud or water.
2. Take up lamb bucks early in summer, and keep them until December following, when they may be turned out.
3. Count ever day.
4. Begin graining with the greatest care and use the smallest quantity at first.
5. If a ewe loses her lamb, milk her daily for a few days, and mix a little alum with her salt.
6. Let no hogs eat with the sheep, by any means, in the Spring.
7. Give the lambs a little mill-feed in time of weaning.
8. Never frighten sheep if possible to avoid it.
9. Sow rye for weak ones in cold weather, if you can.
10. Separate all weak or thin or sick from those strong in the fall, and give them special care.
11. If any sheep is hurt catch it at once, and wash the wound, and if it is fly-time apply spirits of turpentine daily, and always wash with something healing. If a limb is broken bind it with splinters tightly, loosening as the limb swells.
12. Keep a number of good bells on the sheep.
13. Do not let the sheep spoil wool with chaff or burs.
14. Cut tag locks in early spring.
15. For scours give pulverized alum in wheat bran; prevent by taking great care in changing dry for green food.
16. If one is lame, examine the foot, clean out between the hoofs, pare the hoof if unsound, and apply tobacco with blue vitriol, boiled in a little water.
17. Shear at once any sheep commencing to shed its wool, unless the weather is too severe, and save carefully the pelt of any sheep that dies.
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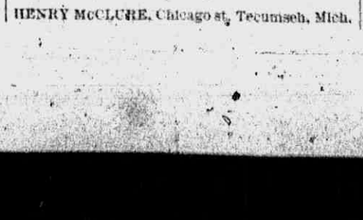

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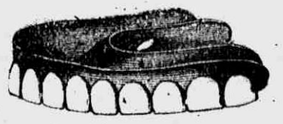

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Table [illegible]

It is not now the custom, as it used to be, to wait until every one is helped before eating; haste or impatience are out of place, but it is proper to eat whenever food is placed before you. One is not expected to ask twice for soup fish, or salad, and is seldom helped twice to dessert.

Preference for white or dark meat, rare or well done, should be expressed without hesitation, and all food accepted or declined in courteous terms. Well-bred people never handle the glass, silver or china unnecessarily, or the food; they never make bread pills, or drink or speak with food in their mouths, or leave the table while eating, or complain of the dinner.

When the child is strong enough to manage a fork, give him one instead of a spoon, and when the dignity of a knife is arrived at, teach him the use of it, and also, when done with the knife and fork, to lay them in close parallel across the plate, the handles to the right. Teach him to use a spoon properly; to lay it in the saucer when he drinks his tea noiselessly, (holding the cup by the handle), to leave it in the saucer if the cup is to be re-filled, and place it in the empty cup when done.

Young people should not be allowed to flourish their bread in the air while spreading it with butter; it is to be laid on the plate; neither should they sop up gravy or soup with bits of bread, or scrape their plates clean or tilt their soup plates in order to drain them dry, or take the meat or bones with their fingers. The mouth should be carefully wiped before drinking, and the glass or goblet lifted without putting the fingers over the brim.

Table manners forbid all unnecessary clattering of knives and forks. Salt is taken on the knife, which is tapped on the forefinger of the left hand, instead of on the fork. The hand is the proper medium for removing grape skins, and fruit pits from the mouth to the plate, and the napkin should hide all use of the toothpick.

Vegetables are usually eaten with a fork or spoon. Asparagus may be taken with the fingers; water-cresses, celery, radishes and olives are always so eaten. Cheese is generally taken with a fork.

Economical housewives cover the table with a square of baize, canton flannel, or cloth of some kind, over which the linen one is spread; this improves the appearance, keeps the cloth from wearing at the edges of the table, and prevents noise.

However much one may economize in household labor, good taste and much painstaking should govern the appointments of the dining room. An attractive table is a good appetizer and has something to do with good behavior. Human nature is easily affected by the atmosphere with which it is surrounded: children cannot be expected to behave well in an hour given to fretfulness and disorder. Table manners for the housekeeper begin in seeing that her table is neat and attractive and calculated to inspire cheerfulness; from it she should banish as far as possible all vexations, care and worries.

How Women Look at Domestic Work.

There is very little difficulty in getting gardeners and even tolerable grooms and coachmen, and none whatever in getting clerks and salesmen and errand boys. We men regard work as honorable; but women conspire together to stigmatize all domestic work as a sort of disgrace. If they engage in such work at all, it is secretly, and they are humiliated if they are caught at it, and they do not allow their daughters to do it if they can help themselves; and then they wonder that it is so hard to find good cooks and housemaids. Pride, madam, is the great incentive to good work. The men enlist it on their side; you women enlist it against yours; and then you wonder that your servants take no pride in their work. It seems to me one of the incidental disadvantages of what people call the "higher education for women" that it tends to increase this feeling. A young girl goes to boarding-school—I beg pardon, to a female college—for three or four years. During all that time she is waited on by servants. They cook her meals, they wait on her at the table, they make her bed, they sweep her room, and when she goes home, she has a dressmaker to do her sewing; and all this time she is learning to look down upon the common work of housekeeping as a menial kind of drudgery. When at last she is married and begins life for herself, she has to unlearn a considerable part of her four years' course, unless her husband can afford to provide her with servants to do all the housework, and even then she needs to unlearn her habit of thought and feeling about it in order to inspire her servants with the pride which is essential to success in any toil. For this reason, I should like to see every public school adopt the fashion of Wellesley and South Hadley, and give their pupils some part of their own work to do. Perhaps they would learn a trifle less of Latin, Greek, and the higher mathematics, but this loss would be more than compensated, for, if they acquire the characteristics of Lemuel's virtuous woman, who "worketh willingly with her hands."—*Laicus, in Christian Union.*

Power of School Directors.

The supreme court of Iowa has decided a very important case, settling the rights of school directors in certain cases.

In Des Moines the directors established a rule that pupils of the public schools who damage a school building should pay all damages, and be suspended from school until the amount is paid. A child of Perry Perkins, while at play on the grounds, accidentally knocked a ball through a window of the school house. The boy was suspended. Perkins denied the right of power of the board to suspend the boy, and decided to test the question, not because of the amount of damages involved, but to establish the law in the case; and therefore, by mandamus proceedings in the circuit court, sought to compel the directors to re-admit his son. The defendants, the directors, demurred to Perkins' petition, on the ground that the court had no jurisdiction, the law having provided that appeals fro[illegible] decisions of school directors shall go to the county superintendent, and from hi[illegible] the stat[illegible] superintendent. The lower co[illegible] sustai[illegible] the demurrer, when Perk[illegible] appealed [illegible] the supreme court, and [illegible] decided that the circuit cour[illegible] jurisdiction, and was the proper tr[illegible] and further, that the school di[illegible] power or authority to m[illegible] While a child may be [illegible] for breach of discipli[illegible] good order and m[illegible] overt acts done. [illegible] as not to secure [illegible] an obligation [illegible] money. The direc[illegible] or enforce such [illegible] r's Sar- son [illegible] own in th[illegible] en liv in[illegible]

Take Care of the Eyes.

"Nellie, I fear you will injure your eyes," I said to a young girl, who sat reading in the twilight. "My eyes are very strong," she replied, "why, I can look right straight at the sun." Now every one will acknowledge that such eyes are a great blessing, seldom possessed by the present weak-eyed generation; but I fear even Nellie's strong eyes will soon be injured if she persists in using them under such trying circumstances—reading fine print in the moonlight, or at a long distance from the lamp, or allowing the full glare of the noonday sun to reflect into her eyes from the printed page. Sewing on black goods by the lamp light she thinks nothing of, nor of sitting up until midnight half the nights in the week to read an interesting book. Now all these things are hurtful to the eyes, and no more than one person in a thousand can practice them and remain uninjured. As no one can be sure of being the lucky person, it behooves all to take proper care of these priceless members.

When the eyes are tired and inflamed at night I find it rests them for the next day to bind over them a wet towel on retiring. Lately, I have laid next my eyes a little sack containing dampened salt, and find it better still. No matter if the brine finds its way beneath the closed lids; the smarting will last but a minute. Indeed I often find it into the eyes and find it strengthens them. Years of practicing this have proved that although it will not make weak eyes strong, it will do more toward warding off the day of spectacles than an improper use of them, and a dozen bottles of eye water and boxes of salve. I became quite interested in knitting lace; but last winter I found that the necessary fine work with my reading and writing was all my eyes could endure. I have not knit six inches of lace in as many months, and although I often think of the real thread I wanted for my curtains, I know it will not pay to knit it.

Another source of weak eyes is in the bright, unshaded lights we use. No one, without trial, knows how much rest a shade gives. It pays to be careful of the eyes, for once lost they can never be replaced. Science has not yet invented a mode of inserting new ones, as lost hair and teeth and limbs are supplied. Once lost they can never be replaced.

Improving the Cereals.

In regard to raising and using the best seeds, I think the farmers, as a class, are quite deficient. Especially is this true in regard to the cereals. Heavy or light, of good quality or poor, the result of the harvest is generally attributed to the richness of the soil or the nature of the season.

A few careful observers and experimenters have shown that, with the same care in all other respects, a crop may be increased from one-tenth to one half, by using the best seed adapted to the soil and climate. Such seeds are worth much more than the average farmer is likely to be willing to pay for them. Every one claims to believe in the use of good seeds, and generally thinks he uses no other. Very few persons appreciate the great amount of study, and care, and money, which have been employed in improving the various breeds of our domestic animals. The process is a slow one, and many meet with moderate success. These men study the qualities of both parents, and their ancestors, and always have what seems to them good reasons for every step they take in breeding.

In the same manner we need large numbers of experimenters to improve our cereals. Principles underlie the breeding of plants as well as the breeding of animals. The results are much more rapidly obtained; the larger increase gives us a much greater chance for selecting the best. How shall the cereals be improved? Many of the processes have been again and again stated. Study the writings of a Sturtevant, or a Blount, or a Hallett. Repeat what they have done, add thought to the work, and make additional experiments. Let an enthusiastic student, with practical tact, plant a piece of corn, or wheat, or other crop, on good soil, near his house, where he can easily watch it every day. Let him carefully observe the difference to be found in the same plot from the seed from the same ear. Select parents which suit, see that they are crossed, and select the seed for future use. Do not neglect the soil and cultivation. Here is a grand field for experiment—one but little worked, and ready to reward skill and patience with a bountiful harvest.

Incisors of Some Animals.

The incisors of the horse, once worn down or lost are gone forever, but in many species a provision exists by which the wear and tear of mastication is compensated by the perpetual growth of certain members of the dental series. This very convenient arrangement exists in all the rodents, or gnawers, an order of which the beaver and the rat and the rabbit are familiar examples, and also in the elephant, walrus, wild boar, etc. The incisors of the rodents are the seat of this perpetual growth, and any one who will take the trouble to examine the skull of a rabbit will at once see how admirably they are adapted to the animal's wants. They are of curved shape and occupy sockets extending to the back part of both jaws, the upper pair describing a larger part of a smaller circle, and the lower ones a smaller part of a larger circle. Each tooth consists of a solid column of dentine, with a plate of enamel in its outer surface, and, consequently diminishes in hardness from front to back. The constant wear produced by the continual collision of the opposing surfaces forms an oblique chisel-like surface, sloping from the hard enamel of the front to the softer dentine of the back part of the tooth. As these teeth are perpetually growing, they require constant exercise to keep their growth within bounds, and the rat and others of this most mischievous family might assign, as an excuse for their ravages, the necessity of finding constant employment for their teeth.

PAY YOUR DEBTS.—Nothing is more discouraging to a wife than to find her husband remiss in paying the household debts. It ought to be to every one a pleasure to pay one's bills as it is to the creditor to receive his dues. And we have always noticed that, whenever there is a lagging behind, and a disinclination to pay what we owe, there is a screw loose somewhere. Indeed, we would not give much for the self-respect and reputation of any one who did not desire to pay his debts, when they are due. We, therefore, say to all, pay your debts, especially your household debts, and relieve your wife from any unpleasant thoughts on the subject.

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Sperm whales usually travel in schools, and in going into a body composed of "cows and calves," the latter, although yielding but a small amount of oil, are "struck" first. By this method both are captured. The mother will not leave her offspring, neither will it attack the boat; but will remain close to the calf, apparently urging it to escape by sounding or flight. The "little one" can only remain a short time under water, consequently its dame is almost constantly a target for lances, which she will continue to receive, although not being fast to the boat, until life is extinct, when the calf will be killed. She will sacrifice her own life in the attempt to assist her young, and to any one, except a whaler, it would appear like a cold-blooded and heartless murder. Even they cannot help admiring the devotion, and will endeavor to make the struggle as brief as possible. The "calf" exhibits no such filial affection, for if the mother is harpooned first, he will immediately take French leave, leaving the "old lady" to fight her own battles. Extreme caution is used when striking a calf to avoid a mortal wound, as his death is sure to be followed by the flight of the cow, who knows it instantly.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the second day of July, A.D. 1883, authorizing the same, I, as guardian of Alvinzie R. Arner, Louisa M. Arner and Ambrose C. Arner, minors, will, on the 22d day of August, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereafter described offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the undivided one-half of all those tracts or parcels of land situate in the township of Ridgeway, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: All that portion of the Northwest quarter of section eighteen, town six south of Range five East, lying West of the center line of the ridge road (so called) leading across said quarter section—excepting therefrom the North twenty acres thereof now owned by Morgan M. Florence; also all that part of the West half of said Northwest quarter of said section eighteen, town six South of Range five East, lying East of the center line of said Ridge road, bounded by commencing at the Southeast corner of said West half of said quarter section, running thence North on the dividing line of East and West halves of said quarter section about forty-five rods to the Southeast corner of a parcel of land sold and deeded by John Arner to said Morgan M. Florence, thence West on the South line of said parcel about twenty-two rods to the center line of said Ridge road, thence Southwesterly along the center line of said road to the South line of said quarter section thence East along that line to the place of beginning, containing of the entire amount of land, forty acres, more or less; subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Arner, widow of said John Arner, deceased, therein. Further terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated July 2, 1883.

J. DE WITT ARNER,
Guardian of said Minors.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

William Hayden, Complainant,
vs.
Daniel O'Connor, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 28th day of September 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (that being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight, (138) one hundred and thirty-nine, (139) and two hundred and ninety-five (295) and two hundred and ninety-six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated July 31, 1883.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

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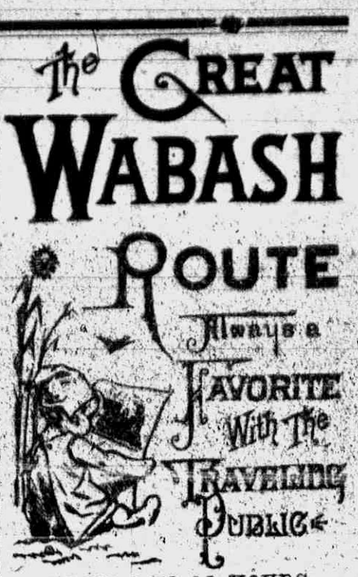

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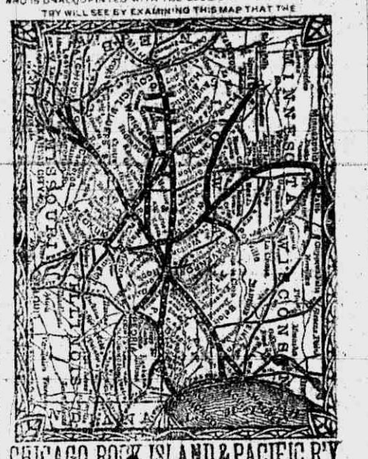

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Below is the programme of the farmers' picnic to be held at Devil's lake next Week Wednesday, Aug. 20th:

1. Called to order at 10 a. m. by the president of association.
2. Music by Whipple's band.
3. Prayer.
4. Report of secretary.
5. Report of treasurer.
6. Music by band.
7. Address of welcome by president Samuel Morey.
8. Music by Weston glee club.
9. Reminiscences of Pottawatamie Indians, by F. A. Dewey.
10. Music by band.
11. Addresses by special speakers.
12. Music by Weston glee club.
13. Election of officers for 1884.

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Tecumseh.

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Ackworth, D. M.	Higgins, Michael
Bates, Gordon	Lyons, Susan
Bump, F. E.	Lafferty, Owen
Carey, Jennie	Manson, David
Dunning, Nate	Russell, Charles N.

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Buckwheat flour, per hundred	@	1 50
Beef—dressed, per hundred	5 00 @	7 00
Beef Hides	@	06
Calf Skins, per lb	@	10
Corn in ear	@	40
Corn—shelled, per bushel	@	40
Clover seed	6 00 @	7 00
Chickens—dressed	@	15
Eggs, per doz	@	15
Flour, per bbl	5 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed	5 75 @	7 00
Hogs—live, per cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, per ton	8 00 @	11 00
Honey, per lb	@	15
Ham, per lb	@	14
Lard, per lb	@	11
Oats, per bushel	@	35
Onions, per bushel	@	40
Potatoes, per bushel	@	25
Salt, per barrel	1 25 @	1 50
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, per bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, per lb	@	10
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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Friday, the 8th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Anna Waring, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Perrin B. Wood.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 8th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A true copy:
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. aug28.

ESTATE OF IDA M. HASTINGS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 22d day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Ida M. Hastings, formerly Ida M. Odell, minor.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minor, praying for license to invest the money in his hands belonging to said minor in certain real estate particularly described in said petition for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered. That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

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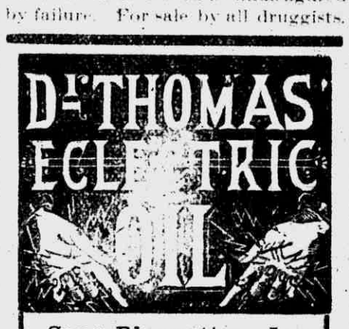

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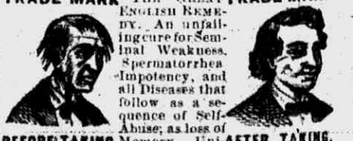

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Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated
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The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.
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Is now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

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GLOBE MILLS!
WM. HAYDEN, PROPRIETOR.
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These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated
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Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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Before placing your orders for crayon pictures of any size or style, call on your home Photographer,
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Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.
Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.
Lee's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

THE EARLIER AND LATER TIMES—1837 AND 1883.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

Ever since I received the first number of the new-dressed and improved HERALD, it has been my design to write you a short epistle of the earlier times of Tecumseh and Lenawee, as contrasted with their later condition, and now seems an appropriate occasion, after my recent visit west, to carry out that purpose.

Among those whom I now think of and best remember as citizens of Tecumseh at the time of my first settlement there were the Blanchards, Browns, Bloods, Finches, Fargos, Germains, Hewitts, Holmes, Kneelands, Dr. Patterson, Patchens, Spaffords, Spoffords, Stacys, Snells, Wrights and others. But how few of them are there now! At my visit there in the last year or two I felt almost alone and lost, not being able to see more than two or three of those who were there on my settling there. According to my best recollections there are Ezra Blood, Judge Stacy, Mr. Kneeland and one of the Snells; the rest have all, or nearly all, passed beyond the dark river. Of my own dear ones, who rest in Tecumseh cemetery, are father and mother, brother and sister, wife and son,—so the place is interesting and hallowed to me, both by my earliest manhood's career, and the sepulture of my kin.

In the fall of 1837, with my father's family, I moved to and settled in Tecumseh, a then fledgling of a village, and I a green young man. And what a handsome and flourishing town it has grown to be since then; although the county seat was wrested from it by Adrian, with the aid of interested outside parties and capital. And how Lenawee county has grown to be one of the finest farming counties in the state, occupied by thrifty, intelligent farmers. We recollect the efforts and struggles made to get up and build the Tecumseh & Ypsilanti R. R. We also remember a sleigh ride in wagons and carts we made one winter to Palmyra, on the occasion of the opening of a hotel in that place by Pomeroy; when his table was bountifully supplied with at least four kinds of wild game, three kinds of wild birds and several kinds of fish, all taken in the woods and waters of Lenawee county. Among others, of the merry party, in that expedition, were Gen. Brown, Judge Blanchard, some of the Finches, Dr. Patterson, Judge Stacy, some of the Spaffords and Spoffords, and many others whose names at this long interval I do not recall. Then we remember the "wild cat" bank career, when bank bills were as plenty as Falstaff's black berries; but while we never have too many of the latter, we had a full surfeit of the former as you all know.

Then we remember a patriotic 4th of July celebration, which was enjoyed in the new hotel, "Fargo House" I think, on the backbone ridge, between Brownville and Tecumseh, on which occasion, according to my recollection Dr Patterson delivered the oration, and this writer prepared the toasts; there was a grand gathering for that new country, and was a finer celebration than is often seen in older and larger towns, with plenty of patriotic zeal and less spread eagle. About that time the Globe mills were erected and went into operation, the pride and benefit of a large circle of farming country. River Raisin and Evans creek furnished good water-power, and was then only partly appropriated, but I presume the whole of their powers are now profitably utilized—made to do work meet for the brilliant progress of the county.

And yet, amid all, do I turn to Tecumseh and Lenawee with satisfaction and sympathy, in its splendid mechanical improvements since my early residence there; and with admiration of their rich and well managed surroundings of agricultural operations, which, after all, is the real foundation and sure guaranty of wealth, prosperity and stability.—May good farming always prevail and prosper in old Lenawee and its surroundings.

So much, Mr. Editor, of the retrospective have I hastily scratched off; and when I see this march of improvements, since my advent there in 1837, I am astonished and delighted, and feel that I would like to be enrolled among the members of the Pioneer Society of that county, the proceedings of whose pleasant meetings I often read in the columns of the HERALD. May they all live to enjoy many reunions, and their posterity after them.

D. S. C.

Gov. Begole has pardoned 24 prisoners already this year.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Heavy forest fires in Iosco county.

A big wooden ware factory is talked of at Bay City.

Wheat in Cass county is threshing 20 to 40 bushels per acre.

A child was terribly lacerated by a coach dog at Grand Rapids a few days ago.

The number of windmills manufactured at Buchanan this year will reach 800.

It is proposed to divide Ontonagon county and name the new county thus to be created Agogebic.

The Grand Rapids board of education decides not to insure the city school houses.

Hall, the Ionia county man charged with violating the pension laws, has been discharged.

It is stated that Speaker Howard, of Flint, will go to Dakota to engage in the law business.

Ed. Green, of Fenton, convicted of selling liquor without license and sentenced to pay a fine and go to jail.

The new G. R. & I. bridge at Gd. Rapids is to be a timber truss structure.

The veteran soldiers of Buchanan own a lot in Oak Ridge cemetery upon which they will erect a monument.

A farmer in Fawn River, St. Joseph county, killed 12 rattlesnakes a few days ago.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad company has expended over $20,000 in improvements at Kalamazoo this year.

The budget of the Grand Rapids board of education calls for $108,240 this year, of which $52,000 is for teachers' salaries.

John D. Smith, of East Saginaw, and Wm. Moore, of Detroit, have been held for trial at Pontiac on a charge of robbing Patrick Ryan.

A company has been formed at Gd. Rapids for the manufacture of "Diamond wall finish" from plaster. It has a capital stock of $40,000.

There is trouble in a Leoni church society. Some of the members went to a circus, and the preacher has vigorously raked them down for it.

Kalamazoo pumps a million and a quarter gallons of water daily from its great water works well, and the supply holds out nobly.

Thirty priests of the catholic diocese of Grand Rapids are holding a retreat for prayer, meditation and instruction at Grand Rapids.

The spire of the episcopal church at Lexington was struck by lightning last week and demolished, and the church was otherwise damaged.

Al Godsmark, formerly in business at Battle Creek, had his left hand blown off, by the premature discharge of a blast, in a mine at Lulu, Col.

May Forbes, of Cassopolis, who recently married a colored man and went to Canada to live with him committed suicide last week at Chatham, Canada.

Mrs. Eugene Hamilton, of Grand Rapids, who was shot by her husband who mistook her for a burglar, died last week from the effects of the wound.

A Flint woman being accosted by a "masher" a few evenings ago, concluded to do some mashing herself, and did it with a club. The dude was crushed.

One night last week fire broke out in the lumber camp of Foster, Blackman & Co., 10 miles east of Big Rapids, doing damage to the extent of $30,000. There was an insurance of $18,000 on the property.

A barn, the property of Wm. Van Deventer, of Sturgis, was burned last week, and a span of horses worth $400 were consumed, and a mule was badly burned. Total loss $600. The citizens have raised $200 for the loser.

Two years ago it was thought valuable traces of oil were made at Roscommon, and last week in widening Beaver creek unmistakable evidences of an oil deposit were discovered, it is claimed.

H. W. Sage, who made the people of West Bay City a present of a handsome library building, has supplemented the gift by giving 8,000 books, worth $12,000, and proposes a further gift of real estate which will bring the whole donation up to over $40,000.

G. W. Freeman, of Palmyra, is in hard luck. Three weeks ago a horse kicked him in the breast, seriously injuring him. A few days ago he had another interview with the same horse and was again kicked in the same place and is now nursing some broken ribs. He had better try a wooden horse for a time.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Aug. 20, 1883.

Regular session.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, the entire council except Mr. Burridge.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing, and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the contingent fund.

Robt. McGill,	for 12	days	labor	on	streets.	$18 60
Wm. Brown,	" 11	"	"	"	"	16 50
A. J. Crowley,	3	"	"	"	"	4 50
John Cannon.	6	"	"	"	"	9 00

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Cemetery:

Report in writing and recommend that the charges of the sexton from and after this date for digging graves be for an adult $3, and for children under 10 years of age $2.

The committee would also recommend that notice be given that hereafter the ordinance relative to removing trees in the cemetery be strictly enforced against all parties.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted.

On Streets:

Report in writing on the petition of E. C. Baird in behalf of the Michigan & Ohio Railway company, and recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be not granted. On motion the report is accepted and adopted, and on further motion the prayer of the petitioner is refused.

NEW BUSINESS.

The President called the attention of the street committee to the manner in which the ditch on the north side of Chicago street, west of Democratic street was dug to the injury of the adjoining property, and desire that the committee should examine the same and report at the next meeting of Council.

It appearing that the night watch association neglected to make to Council the report required, the Recorder is instructed to call on Mr. Lilley, he being supposed to be the president of said association, and represent to him the necessity of making such report as soon as convenient.

On motion an appropriation of $33.33 was made to pay the night watchman's salary until such time as the request of the Council is complied with by the association.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. MCKINNON,
Recorder.

Col. Sylvester B. Smith, died at Adrian on Tuesday last. He had long been a prominent citizen of Adrian, was once sheriff of Lenawee county, had also been county treasurer, and was widely known in masonic circles. He was engaged in the banking business as a member of the firm of Smith & Toby, and was about 50 years of age at the time of his death. He was a soldier of the late war, having been commissioned captain of the 11th Michigan infantry, Aug. 24, 1861; became a major just a year later; was wounded at Stone river and promoted to a lieutenant colonelcy five days afterwards, and resigned on account of his wounds about three months later. The wound he received was an ugly one and gave him much trouble, a ball having struck his jaw and nearly cut his tongue out.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending Aug. 25, 1883:

RAISIN.

Charles D. Lossing to Abe Lossing. Land on sec. 36. $2,000.

RIDGEWAY.

John and Sara A. Britton to Edgar R. Wells. Land on sec. 3. $120.

TECUMSEH.

Caroline Bills et al. to John Sutfin. Land in village. $300.

Charles A. Wright to Harriet E. Spofford. Land in village. $2,000.

Harriet E. Spofford to Charles A. Wright. Land in village. $400.

Nehemiah M. Sutton to Toledo and Milwaukee railroad. Land on sec. 33. $1,650.

PROHIBITION IN KANSAS.

Kansas, it will be remembered, adopted a constitutional prohibitory amendment on the liquor question and passed a law to enforce this temperance principle. Those of our people who wish to have an intelligent idea of this struggle in Kansas, can secure very full information upon the subject, by sending for the Weekly Capital, of Topeka, Kansas. The Capital is eight pages in size, carefully edited, the Official State Paper, and a stalwart advocate of prohibition, giving much information upon the temperance issue in that state. It is sent postage paid, to any address, one year, for $1. Sample copy free to all applicants. Send money by registered letter or post-office order, to J. K. Hudson, Ed. and Prop'r, Topeka, Kansas.

Wm. Leishman, of Flint, gets 90 days selusion for beating his wife.

The Kalamazoo farmers will indulge in a harvest picnic trip to Petoskey.

John Bennett, of Cass county, held for trial for burning wheat stacks.

The Peninsular Sangerfest for 1884 will be held at East Saginaw.

Thomas Carey is building a new and commodious hotel at Republic.

A strong lodge of good templars has been organized at Delta Center.

"WHO'S AFRAID?"

Courage, brothers! there is nothing
In the world brave men should fear;
If the heart be firm and steady,
If the arm be strong and ready,
Half our danger disappears.
Only cowards faint and falter,
Only cravens shrink and palter,
Only dastards are distinguished.
Men each trial, each peril
Face undaunted and defy it;
Courage, brothers!—who's afraid?

Courage, brothers! there is nothing
In thy world to be men regretted;
Still be true to men and women,
To the God of truth a true man,
True to self when pitfalls yawn.
He that's false to worst foe quails;
Will find evils find scrutinies;
Lying's still a losing game;
In the right and fear no evil;
Speak the truth and shame the devil,
Courage, brothers!—who's afraid?

Courage, brothers! there is nothing
Brave and true men should affright us;
Death is but a fiery bush and horse
For the lowly and the lowly;
God and angels watch the flight;
In the roar, and rush, and rattle,
In the sword and hail of battle,
Fight as men for right arrayed,
Whether vanquished or victorious;
Goodness, wives and deaths are glorious;
Courage, brothers!—who's afraid?

A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

HOW IT CAUSED A CODICIL.

Happening to say something before my friend Smith one day about pleasant surprises, he replied with a groan and shake of the head, "Ah, don't tell me about pleasant surprises. They are a snare and a delusion. Surprises may be the essence of wit, as some authors tell us, but they certainly are not the essence of pleasure."

"You speak feelingly on the subject," said I.

"You would not wonder at that," said he, "if you knew what cause I had to do so. I could a tale unfold on this point if you would care to hear it."

On my assuring him that I would, he proceeded to give me the following recital:

"When I was a youth my mother had a maiden sister, with whom I was an acknowledged favorite, and as Aunt Abigail possessed a handsome fortune in fee simple, there were other grounds besides those of sentiment for rendering her favor a desirable thing. She lived at a handsome country place, which she took great pride and pleasure in keeping in the best of order. Indeed, it would have vexed and mortified her for her own brother or sister to have found the least thing out of place or repair on her premises, so ambitious was she of sustaining her reputation of having the best-ordered establishment in the community. Nor did she take less pains with her dress and personal appearance, which like her home were handsome and imposing. Being somewhat ceremonious herself, she did not encourage informality in others, so they seldom approached or visited her, except by express invitation, and no one had an opportunity to see either herself or her house behind the scenes. Hence she kept up all the greater prestige amongst her friends and acquintances, whose almost solitary impression of her was of a queenly dignified woman, clad in elegant black silk or satin, with soft thread lace at her throat and wrists, a faint rose-tinge like the pale reflection of the last rose of summer still lingering on her cheek, soft chestnut locks bordering her brow, and a row of sound, white teeth gleaming in her mouth when she would smile graciously.

'Through in a stately kind.'

When I was in my eighteenth year, Aunt Abigail attended the intermediate celebration at my school on February 14th, and seemed much pleased with our professor, whose ornate and excessively-polished manners (after the Grandisonian school) were exactly to her taste. He entertained her with many labored gallantries and much 'genteel conversation,' judiciously seasoned with delicate flattery and profound deference for her own views. In looking back to all this, I now see what I was too unsophisticated to see at the time, viz., that the professor executed all these freaks with some views to matrimony: at least he had a vague idea that if the worst came to the worst, Cedarwood (my aunt's home) would not be an undesirable retreat for an elderly widower. My aunt had no idea of contracting any matrimonial alliance, but she had not reached the age (what woman ever does?) when the homage and admiration of the other sex were distasteful to her, so she permitted the professor to offer her his antiquated gallantries and was not ill-pleased by them. In fact, he so far ingratiated himself with her that she invited him to come with me and spend Easter at her house, together with a large party of friends she expected then from town.

Owing to severe sickness on the part of the assistant teacher, our Easter vacation was granted three or four days earlier than usual, and it flashed over my impulsive mind, 'It will be a good idea to give Aunt Abigail a pleasant surprise. I will run right down to her house to-morrow.'

On the spur of the moment I hurried off to the professor and insisted on his accompanying me. At first he demurred on the score of its being three days earlier than the time appointed by Aunt Abigail, but on my assuring him that this would make no difference, he seemed to think I ought to know my aunt and her ways better than one did and finally agreed to my proposition; so we started off the next morning. It was a balmy April day when we set out, but, with the fickleness characteristic of that month, the weather had changed by the time we reached our destination, and we got off at the station in a cold, drizzly rain, which both literally and figuratively threw a damper over us. Aunt Abigail awaiting for us on this occasion. I had to reconnoitre for a vehicle to carry us to Cedarwood, but met with only indifferent success, finding nothing but an open farm wagon, in which we jolted along slowly and roughly for five miles, the rain steadily increasing all the time, so that by the time we reached Cedarwood we were fairly enduring cataracts, 'not all in our eye,' either.

After standing a long time at the door, it was at length opened, slowly, cautiously and reluctantly by Aunt Abigail's housekeeper. 'Is that you Mr. Alfred?' she asked, with disheartening tone and countenance. 'We didn't know you were coming to-day.'

'I didn't know it myself till last night,' replied I. 'But where is my aunt?'

'Your aunt returned from spending the winter in town only yesterday, and is very much engaged. She is in the dining-room, but you cannot see her yet.'

But I was still resolved, in my willfulness and headstrong folly, to give Aunt Abigail a pleasant surprise, so I pushed past the housekeeper, and carrying the professor with me through dismantled and disheveled rooms and halls, hastened into the dining room. What a spectacle met my eyes! Amid rubbish and confusion, boxes of china and silver, rolls of carpet and household wares of various kinds, stood a figure at which I stared open-eyed, unmouthed, astonished and aghast. Ye gods! was this my queenly, handsome Aunt Abigail, with the pale rose-tinted cheeks, the sunny chestnut locks, the smiling white teeth, the rustling robes of silk and satin with the soft ruffles, this gray shadow, this old woman who might have personated one of the three fates or the three furies, this faded old woman, clad in a dingy wrapper, with gray hair, collapsed, ashy cheeks and bare gums? But my distress was no greater than hers, for there she stood, a prophetess unveiled, a queen dethroned, and all this mischief done by the thoughtless, headstrong folly of a boy who, to add to his offense, must needs bring a witness to the ruthless unveiling and dethroning. It was several minutes before either of us spoke. Indeed, it was the professor who first broke the silence with a confused stream of apologies. The housekeeper, coming in now, my aunt motioned her to show us to the parlor, where we spent several tedious and wretched hours, whilst our rooms were being prepared, after long search in my absence. We did not see her again until dinner, when she had been metamorphosed by the arts of the toilet, but both sides had a distinct and embarrassing consciousness of the occurrence of the morning, and felt that it was impossible for things ever to return to their former footing. From that day forward a change came over the spirit of her dream. She could never get over the chagrin, mortification, anger and inconvenience entailed on her by my 'pleasant surprise.' In my observations of human nature I have found, indeed, that one can forgive anything sooner than being placed in a mortifying and ridiculous position. This far outweighs a grave wrong or injustice.

Aunt Abigail treated me, as well as my friend, with formal politeness, but our visit was not a pleasant one, and we were heartily glad when Easter was over. After that I went to Cedarwood but seldom, and then was careful to observe the exact time fixed by my aunt. When she died a few years later, and her will was read, the body of it filled me with satisfaction, for it bequeathed Cedarwood and other valuable property in the shape of stock, etc., to her dear nephew, Alfred Smith. But oh, the codicil! How it did nonplus me and make me curse my own folly! It was dated a week later than the ill-fated Easter of my 'pleasant surprise,' and read thus: 'I hereby revoke the bequest of my estate Cedarwood, etc., etc., to my nephew, Alfred Smith, and transfer the said Cedarwood and other properties to the children of my brother Joseph, in Missouri.'

'Do you wonder now,' said Smith, in conclusion, 'that I shudder at the bare mention of a 'pleasant surprise?'

'Indeed I do not,' I replied, 'and though they are not often attended with such disastrous results as you have just described, yet they are almost always objectionable, and lead to some inconvenience and contretemps. If you decide to give a friend a pleasant surprise in the shape of an unexpected visit, ten to one you arrive at his house on the very day his wife has selected to take up or put down carpets, or perhaps you will find the house crammed full of other guests, with some of whom, perhaps, you are not on speaking terms. In some cases you will find illness in the family; in others you will find only the house at home. Altogether, I think a moderate degree of ceremony essential to the smoothness and comfort of social life, and I am much of the opinion of a lady in Richmond, who, on having a hint given her by a young man that he was getting up a surprise party to invade her peaceful domains, replied, 'When I want you all, I will invite you.'

'I have known of artless and confiding women on a summer trip,' resumed Smith, 'whose enjoyment was quite dashed by the thoughts of the lonely and ascetic life led by their husbands whom they imagined to be pursuing a round of ceaseless toil in order to afford them recreation. Sometimes the impulse to give their husbands a pleasant surprise by returning home a few days earlier than appointed, has led to the revelation that these anchorites were very much like the rigid hermit described in Scott's Ivanhoe, who kept a store of rich venison and generous wine for refection in his austere hermitage. By coming home a few days sooner than expected, a woman may sometimes walk in upon a dinner or wine party given by her lonely husband to his bachelor friends, and find them all as merry as that jolly old soul, the famous King Cole. Pleasant surprises are generally fatal to innocent and agreeable delusions. Indeed, they are dangerous things in all respects, as I am ruefully aware. In regard to visiting one's friends, I think we might, with a slight alteration, quote the French proverb and conclude that propriety and forethought should teach us to avoid them.'—Mary W. Early, in *Detroit Free Press.*

How to Have a Bad School.

1. Elect the most ignorant, bigoted, close-fisted fogies in the district for the school board.

2. Employ the cheapest teacher you can get, regardless of qualifications, reputation or experience.

3. Find all the fault you can with the teacher, and tell everybody; especially let the pupils hear it.

4. When you hear a bad report about the teacher of the school, circulate it as fast as you can.

5. Never visit the school nor encourage the teacher.

6. If you should happen to visit the school, take close notice of what seems to go wrong, and tell everybody about it, except the teacher.

7. Never advise your children to be obedient to the teacher, and when one is punished, rush to the school-room before your passion is cooled, and give the teacher a lecture in the matter in the presence of the school.

8. Be indifferent about sending your children to school regularly.

9. Do not be concerned whether they have the necessary books.

10. If any of the pupils make slow progress, blame the teacher for it.

11. Occupy your old, tumbled down school-house as long as you can, and do not go to any expense to repair it.

12. Do not go to any expense to get apparatus, improved furniture, etc.

13. If the teacher or pupils complain of an uncomfortable or inconvenient school-room, do not consider it worthy of notice.

14. Get the cheapest fuel you can.

In general, conduct your school on the cheapest possible plan, and let your chief concern be to find fault and devise ways of retrenchment.

If these rules are faithfully carried out you are very likely to have a bad school.

In order to destroy the contagious germs which remain in the bodies of such animals as have succumbed to a pestilential disease, a new method of cremation has been invented by which the infected animals are quickly and totally destroyed.

Her New Shoes.

She was a woman. If you ever run a shoe store you will know what followed as she entered the store. She looked all around, picked up a pair of shoes off the counter, rubbed her thumb along the soles, and timidly asked of the smiling clerk:

"Do you keep ladies' shoes here?"

"We do," he promptly answered. "What style shall I show you?"

For more than three weeks she had had her mind made up for a pair which laced on the inside, and all her friends had encouraged her idea, but it wouldn't have been like a woman to ask the clerk for that particular style.

"Let's see? Let's see?" she mused. "I suppose you have the French heels?"

"Oh, yes," he answered, and he soon had twenty pairs before her. She closely inspected each pair, from 2's up to 6's, asked the grade of the material in each, and twice during the fifteen minutes she seemed on the point of trying on a pair.

"Are you sure these are the French heels?" she finally asked.

"Oh, yes; you can be sure of that."

"Well, I guess I won't buy any to-day. I did think some of looking at some button shoes."

"Certainly, here is a large variety. Do you wish kid?"

"I presume," she answered, as she wet her finger and rubbed the heel of the shoe, "that kid will wear longer than morocco?"

"Of course. These are patent buttons, you see."

"Yes, I see. If I ever buy a pair of button shoes, I shall insist on the patent button."

"Didn't you want a pair of these?"

"Let's see," she mused again, fastening her eyes on the top shelf.

She was buried in the deepest thought for a long minute, and the clerk hardly dared draw his breath. Then her eyes gradually dropped from shelf to shelf until they rested on his garnet necktie, and she said:

"Not to-day. Have you shoes which lace?"

"Oh, yes."

"Those which lace in front?"

"Yes'm. Here is something fine. I can sell you a pair of these for 20 shillings."

"Can you? Why shoes must have either gone up or down!" Shoes which lace in front are stylish, aren't they?"

"Oh, yes."

"And they wear as good as any?"

"Just as good. I can recommend the material in these shoes, as they were made for us here. Will you try on a pair?"

She seemed about to do so. She looked over at the lounge, seized a pair of threes, and was then halted by a new idea. She put the shoes down, let her eyes drop to the floor, and, after a mental calculation of seventy seconds, she suddenly inquired:

"Did you say you had shoes laced on the side?"

"Yes, we have. Would you like to see them?"

She hesitated, looked up and down the shelves as if perplexed, and finally said she would. He emptied two boxes, praised the style and material, and advised her by all means to get those shoes if she wanted to be in style and have a good fit.

"I can wear threes," she observed, as she partly turned away; but owing——"

"Yes'm. You do not want a glove-fitting shoe. You are very sensible on that point. Fives are much too large, of course, but they are better for the feet in winter. These are fives but very small ones. In some stores they would be marked threes."

"I guess I'll try them on," she faintly remarked, as she sat down.

"Yes'm. I'm sure——"

"No, he wasn't. She had such a way again. What if there was a hole in the heel of her stocking! Suppose her big toe had worked through, as big as it sometimes will!

"I can try them on alone," she finally said, and, while the clerk was busy on the other side of the counter, she ripped the buttons off her right shoe, pulled it off, and got her foot into the new one. It was a pinch. Her toes felt cramped, and her heel complained.

"Do they fit?" asked the clerk, as he leaned over the counter.

She didn't say.

"Perhaps you had better try sixes, with a broad sole and a low instep," he suggested.

"What!" she exclaimed, as her face reddened: "why I can hardly find my foot in these! I'll take them on account of my chilblains, but only to wear around the house.

"Very well; I'll wrap them up."

She paid for the shoes, took them in her hand and went out with a sweet smile on her face, but she was the woman who was heard saying to herself on the street car:

"Gone and made a dunce of myself again by getting tight shoes! I wish I'd thrown the money into the fire!"—*M. Quad.*

Articulation.

A recent writer says: "As regards articulation, the Americans, we think, have a natural advantage over the English, in a superior delicacy of structure of the vocal organs. Very many Englishmen, apparently, have to contend with a thick unmanageable conformation of the organs of speech, which occasions the splutterings and mumblings in their public speaking. That the Americans have great natural facility for clear and fine articulation is shown by the readiness with which they acquire the pronunciation of foreign tongues, and by the fact that, with proper early training and care, they do attain to remarkable grace of utterance. It still remains true that much more importance is attached to articulation in England than here; that more pains is taken in training the young to habits of clear utterance, and that, on the whole, the English is more conscientiously articulated by educated persons in England than by the same class in this country. We mean by this to say that the consonants are more distinctly and duly uttered: that, for instance, 'shrink' and 'shrine' would not, as with us, be softened into srink and srine, 'suggest' into sudjest, 'arms' into alms. On the other hand, there is a tendency in this country to more distinct syllabification and more marked secondary accent in long words. The English say 'int'rsting,' 'circms'nce,' 'diction'ry,' tripping lightly over all the syllables after the accent, articulating plainly all the consonants, but almost eliminating the vowels, while we put a secondary accent on the penultimate syllable of long words, and give to the others as much stress as to unaccented syllables in short words. It is this peculiarity which brings upon Americans the charge of drawling, and which occasions the remark of foreigners that they can understand an American more easily than an Englishman."

In a little family discussion the other day, the madam remarked somewhat tartly, "When I marry again——" "I suppose you will marry a fool," interrupted the husband. "Beg your pardon," she said, "I shall do nothing of the kind. I prefer a change." The lord and master wilted.

The Moth Plague.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE INSECT, AND HOW IT MAY BE SUPPRESSED.

According to the most eminent housewives, the moth is a winged insect that lays eggs in every variety of wearing apparel—with a preference for the more costly articles—from which are hatched caterpillars, which instantly begin to devour all the clothing within their reach.

The moth enters houses at all times of the day and night, and the housewife must be continually on the alert to repel its attacks. In this respect it may be said that the price of clothing is eternal vigilance. One moth is as unable to make a complete summer as is a single swallow, but it can produce a winter of discontent in the mind of the careful woman with a success that no other insect can rival.

There are various spells and talismans which are believed by superstitious women to be efficacious against moths. Prominent among these are camphor. There are women who stoutly affirm that if a garment is sprinkled with gum camphor, no moth will approach it. This belief is of vast antiquity, but it is wholly devoid of any basis of fact. There are moths which appear to have a positive fondness for camphor, and regard it as a sort of condiment designed to add piquancy to flannel and fur. The same may be said of tobacco, which in many cases serves to actually draw moths. Whatever else the moth may be, it is intelligent, and cannot be frightened by superstitious rites nor repelled by the pretended power of a fetich.

The only way in which to oppose the moth plague is to kill every moth that enters the house. Our leading housewives know and act upon this principle. At this very moment there are hundreds of women in our fair land who are stealing across the floor with hands upraised in the devotional attitude and a look of profound earnestness and reverence on their faces. They are not engaged, as the unthinking observer might imagine, in a religious exercise, but are striving to capture an alleged moth which they have seen floating in the air. The sharp concussion of their hands sometimes crushes the doomed insect, but in too many instances the moth escapes, and the tender palms suffer in vain. Husbands and sons manifest a heartless indifference to moths. When the wife exclaims, "Stop, there's a moth. Oh, kill it! kill it!" the unfeeling husband usually remarks, "I don't see any moth, and refuses to stir from his chair. He sometimes is guilty of even more atrocious conduct, as when he replies, "O, that isn't a moth; why don't you women learn a little natural history." There is undoubtedly a lamentable lack of certainty in the female mind as to the exact identity of the flannel-devouring moth. There is but one species of insect to which this title belongs; but few women agree as to what particular insect it is. The average housewife holds that all small insects having wings are moths, and deserve instant death. It may be pointed out to her that if the small white-winged creature which she called the moth last night is the true moth, the large brown insect she calls a moth this morning cannot be the guilty devourer of clothing. This argument, however, makes no impression upon women. They class all flying insects under the general head of moths, and the larger any particular insect may be, the more firmly are they convinced that "it will fill the whole house with moths." This peculiar method of reasoning has led to many painful accidents. There are women who persist in regarding the wasp and the hornet as especially reprehensible varieties of moth, and have suffered severely by incautiously catching them with bare hands. The definition of the moth undoubtedly needs to be made clearer and more distinctive, in order that women may be spared the labor of unnecessary slaughter, and preserved from pushing a dangerous acquaintance with moths armed with stings.

A Sad Death.

A minister was summoned to the bedside of a dying man. The man, who lay gradually obeying the grave summons, gasped and groaned. The minister moved to the bedside and held the hand of the victim. The wife, wild with grief, sank to the floor.

"My friend," said the minister, "you are a man whose prosperous condition in this life has allowed you much time for devotional exercises. Your dear little children, your wife informs me, are visiting relatives. They will not see their father die. How many children have you?"

"Thirteen," gasped the dying man.

"I had no idea that you had so many. Poor little ones. Your poor wife looks as though she will die. Judging from your number of children I should think that you had been married more than once. How many wives has the good Lord granted you?"

"Fifteen," groaned the man.

"Surely not so many said the minister. "Think of this matter seriously. How many times have you been married?"

"Fourteen," and the victim fell back exhausted.

"Are you willing to die?" asked the minister after a pause.

"Move three up, six down and eight to the left!"

"Are you prepared to share the glorious territory of Abraham's bosom?"

"Move ten up!"

"Have you made your peace with your Saviour?"

"Simplest thing in the world—move nine down!"

"Take your mind from the confused arithmetic of the world and place it on heaven's holy algebra. Are you willing to stand before the great white throne?"

"Three."

"Can you go fearlessly?"

"Eleven."

"After life's desperate struggle, what have you accomplished?"

"Fourteen, fifteen, fourteen," and the man was dead.—*Little Rock Gazette.*

No human being can be isolated and self-sustained. The strongest and bravest and most helpful have yet acknowledged or unacknowledged to themselves moments of hungry soul-yearning for companionship and sympathy. For the want of this, what wrecks of humanity lie scattered about us—youth wasted for the mocking semblance of friendship, adrift at the mercy of chance, without the grasp of a true, firm hand—without a kindly loving heart to counsel.

NIHILISM.—Here is a definition of nihilism, of which so much is said in the papers: A Nihilist is one who believes in Nihilism, which, according to Webster, is the doctrine that nothing can be known; it is skepticism carried to the denial of all knowledge and all reality. It is probably applied to the Russian Communistic agitators because they advocate the principle of doing away with all government, and the inference is that if this were carried out Russia as a nation would cease to exist.

Standing the Test.

The following is a good one in the way of a religious test—good because it is true. A minister not long since held protracted meetings not far from Port Austin and Bad Axe, Mich. One day one of his converts, while driving his oxen with a heavy load behind them over the bad roads between the above named places, accidentally looked back and discovered his pastor covertly following behind. The convert could not imagine the cause of such strange conduct, but thought he would keep an eye on his movements. For two or three miles the man of holy orders hung on the rear of the slowly moving oxen. Now crouching behind stumps, now moving like a phantom through the skirting forest, occasionally spurting like a quarter-horse across some open space to gain the cover of some friendly fence to keep the field side like some stray dog, again dodging through thickets, diving through cat-tails, crawling behind logs, bounding over pools of water—the pastoral legs seemed equal to any emergency. All the while the pursuer kept ever near, ever eager, ever listening, finally straightening up and calling the brother by name: "Brother——, I have followed you for two miles to find out whether you would swear at them oxen. I am satisfied the Lord has filled you with the genuine article. Bless the Lord! Another soul saved! Amen! Good morning." And the good man walked contentedly back. The man with the oxen drove slowly on, studying on the mysterious ways of Providence and wondering how it would have been with his soul if he had not been his watchful pastor all the time.

Care of Machinery.

A certain amount of original genius is required to fully develop the improvements in any branch of mechanical science, and bring them into the most practical shape, so that each of the parts may be properly proportioned with reference to the particular function which it is desired to fulfill. When this is done, its useful mission has commenced; yet, complete in itself it may be, it is not endowed with the faculty of self-preservation, and should, therefore, be properly cared for, or it will be subject to numerous accidents. This care needs only the exercise of plain common sense. When, for instance, the bearings of the shafts are not oiled with sufficient frequency, not only does the increased friction necessitate a greater amount of power to drive the shaft, but the journals are abraded to a greater or less extent. If the caps of the journal-box are left too loose, the journal "wobbles," and if there is gearing attached to the shaft, its teeth are quickly worn out of proper shape; while, if the caps are screwed down too tight, the journal heats, the lubricating material is forced out or burned up, and both the shaft and bearing are soon rendered worthless. These matters may appear trivial; but the aggregate loss resulting therefrom is very great. Many other things might be specified, in which little attention to details will guard against great and unnecessary waste of power and wear of valuable machinery; and the pecuniary returns can only be secured by bringing to bear the plain and undeniable principles derived from everyday experience—or, in other words, by the employment of common sense.

Weighing Elephants Without Scales.

An Indian writer relates an interesting anecdote concerning Shajee, the father of the first ruling prince of the Mahrattas of Hindostan, who lived at about the beginning of the seventeenth century. On one occasion a certain high official made a vow that he would distribute to the poor the weight of his own elephant in silver money; but the great difficulty that at first presented itself was the mode of ascertaining what this weight really was; and all the learned and clever men of the court seem to have endeavored in vain to construct a machine of sufficient power to weigh the elephant. At length, it is said that Shajee came forward, suggested a plan, which was simple, and yet ingenious in the highest degree. He caused the unwieldy animal to be conducted along a stage specially made for the purpose by the water-side, into a flat-bottomed boat; and then, having marked on the boat the height to which the water reached after the elephant had weighed it down, the latter was taken out, and stones substituted in sufficient quantity to load the boat to the same line. The stones were then taken to the scales, and thus, to the amazement of the court, was ascertained the true weight of the elephant.—*Little Folks.*

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"Does yere kape nothin but dry goods here?" "No ma'am." "Thin where will I be afther goin' for a watered silk?"

When the lights are low and a fellow occupies a big rocking chair with his girl, how he does wish he was at the North Pole where it would be six months till morning.

A Wisconsin woman has been married fifty-eight years and has never missed building her kitchen fire. Her husband is probably the oldest firescape on record.

A young couple were found out at the front gate one cold night this week locked in each other's arms. They said the combination was lost and they could not get it because the janitor was asleep.

The following ludicrous sentence is the result of a compositor's erroneous punctuation: "Cæsar entered upon his head, his helmet upon his feet, armed sandals upon his brow, a cloud in his right hand, his faithful sword in his eye, an angry glare."

A red nose is a suspicious facial ornament on a man or woman, and sometimes gives small boys a handle to play with. An urchin who had begged a penny of an old toper in vain, rewarded him with this advice—"Don't you carry that nose of your'n near to no powder fact'ry or they might play the hose onto yer."

After a telegraph pole had fallen on a Savannah negro's head he threw up his hands and shouted: "Don't hit me again, Massa P'liceman; it wasn't me dat stole de chickens; it was Deacon Henry." Then, looking around and seeing what struck him, he walked off muttering to himself: "Golly, I'se in luck dis mornin'. I 'spected de 'pliceman had me shuah dat time."

"Sure,' said Pat, rubbing his head with delight at a prospect of a present from his employer, "I always mane to do my duty." "I believe you," replied the employer, "and therefore I shall make you a present of all that you have stolen from me during the year." "I thank your honor," Pat retorted, "and may all your friends and acquaintances treat you as liberally." But a little better than that was the reply of a Brooklyn Irishman as a funeral procession passed; he was asked who was dead, and responded, "Troth, I don't know, except it be the man in the coffin."

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Make no haste to be rich, remembering that small and steady gains give competency with tranquility of mind.

Never put off till to-morrow what you can do to-day, and never trouble others to do what you can perform yourself.

Accustom yourself to think and act vigorously, and to be prompt and decided for the right against the wrong.

Earn money before you spend it; never buy what you do not want—adopt the "pay-as-you-go" principle, and never deviate from it.

Make few promises. Always speak the truth and nothing but the truth; and in all your business relations be guided by strict integrity and unflinching honesty.

Buy, suscribe to, and read all that is necessary to fully inform yourself on the doings, discoveries and reforms of the age in which you live.

Develop a wealth of character by personal courage. Possess the courage to speak your mind when it is necessary you should do so, and to hold your tongue when it is prudent you should do so; to acknowledge your ignorance rather than seek credit under false pretences.

Finally, in all you do and say, think and act out, so live that your daily growth of soul and body may be ever upward in the direction of perfection.

Is there a Central Sun?

It is singular, remarks Mr. R. A. Proctor in the Newcastle *Weekly Chronicle*, how strongly some errors retain their hold on men's minds. When Madler announced his belief that Alcyone, the chief star of the Pleiades, is the central star of the universe, men's minds were attracted by the thought that the steller system, like the solar system, revolves around a center. Yet astronomers knew perfectly well that the evidence on which Madler based his theory was exceedingly feeble. Sir John Herschel also pointed out how unlikely it is that the [illegible] of the Milky Way, if such a centre really is, can lie so far away from the plane of the Milky Way as the Pleiades. I have shown since that the only piece of positive evidence advanced by Madler, the drift of the stars of the constellation Taurus in one direction, is in reality no evidence at all, for the simple reason that a similar drift can be recognized in other regions of the steller heavens. I believe that no astronomer of repute would now venture to maintain the theory that Alcyone is the central sun of the steller system, while scarce any (if any) would maintain that there is a central sun at all. Yet I find that not only is the belief still widely spread among the general public that Alcyone is the central sun, but that the theory excites far more interest than most of the real discoveries, interesting though they are, which have been made during the last half century. When I reached Indianapolis I found myself called on to decide, not whether the theory is true or not, but whether it is due to Bessel or Madler. My statement that the origin of the theory was scarcely worth considering, since the theory itself was long since exploded, was received in solemn silence, as if my words were scarcely credited. And when I had endeavored, and I think succeeded, in showing good reasons for rejecting the theory, I could still feel that most of my audience would a great deal rather have seen the theory established than overthrown. Such is the dominion which error sometimes achieves over men's minds.

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"I am well and happy again," says our fair correspondent, Miss Jennie P. Warren, 740 W. Van Buren St., Chicago, Ill., "your Samaritan Nervine cured me of spasms."

The Open Sky.

It is strange how little, in general, people know about the sky. It is the part of creation in which nature has done more for the sake of pleasing man—more for the sole and evident purpose of speaking to him, and teaching him, than in any other of her works; and it is the part in which we least attend to her. There are not many of her other works in which some more material or essential purpose than the mere pleasing of man is not answered by every part of their organization; but every essential purpose of the sky might, so far as we know, be answered, if, once in three days or thereabouts, a great ugly black rain-cloud were brought over the blue, and everything well watered, and so all left blue again till the next time, with perhaps a film of morning and evening mist for dew. And instead of this, there is not a moment of any day of our lives when nature is not producing scene after scene, picture after picture, glory after glory, and working still upon such exquisite and constant principles of the most perfect beauty, that it is quite certain that it is all done for us, and intended for our perpetual pleasure. And every man, wherever placed, however far from other sources of interest or of beauty, has this doing for him constantly. The noblest scenes of the earth can be seen and known but by few: it not intended that man should live always in the midst of them; he injures them by his presence; he ceases to feel them, if he is always with them. But the sky is for all; bright as it is, it is not "too bright nor good for human nature's daily food." Sometimes gentle, sometimes capricious, sometimes awful; never the same for two moments together; almost human in its passions—spiritual in its tenderness—almost divine in its infinity, its appeal to what is immortal in us is as distinct as its ministry of chastisement or of blessing to what is essential. And yet we never attend to it, we never make it a subject of thought, but as it has to do with our animal sensations; we look upon all by which it speaks to us more clearly than to brutes, upon all which bears witness to the intention of the Supreme, that we are to receive more from the covering vault, than the light and the dew which we share with the weed and the worm, only as a succession of meaningless and monotonous accidents, too common and too painful to be worthy a moment of watchfulness, or a glance of admiration.—*Ruskin.*

The Advertisement.

SOME REMARKS TELLING WHAT TO DO AND WHAT NOT TO DO.

If you have goods to sell, advertise.

Hire a man with a lampblack kettle and a brush to paint your name and number on all the railroad fences. The cars go whizzing by so fast that no one can read them; to be sure, but perhaps the conductor would stop the train to accomodate an inquisitive passenger.

Remember the fences by the roadside as well. Nothing is so attractive to the passer by as a well painted sign: "Millington's Medical Mixture for Mumps."

Have your card in the hotel register by all means. Strangers stopping at hotels for a night generally buy a cigar or two before they leave town, and they need some inspiring literary food besides.

If an advertising agent wants your business advertised in a fancy frame at the depot, pay him about two hundred per cent. more than it is worth, and let him put it there. When a man has three quarters of a second in which to catch a train, he invariably stops to read depot advertisements, and your card might take his eye.

Of course the street thermometer dodge is excellent. When a man's fingers and ears are "phewing" at the heat, is the time above all others when he reads an advertisement.

Print in the blackest ink a great sprawling card on all your wrapping paper. Ladies returning from a shopping tour like to be walking bulletins, and if the ink rubs off and spoils some of their finery, no matter. They never will stop at your store again.

Don't fail to advertise in every circus programme. It will help the circus to pay its bills, and visitors can relieve the tedium of the clown's jokes by looking over your interesting remarks about "twenty per cent. below cost," etc.

A boy with a big placard on a pole is an interesting object on the street, and lends a dignified air to your establishment. Hire about two.

Advertise on a calendar. People never look at a calendar to see what day of the month it is. They merely glance hurriedly at it so as to be sure that your name is spelled without a p, that's all.

Pay As You Go.

This advice is always good, but it is especially timely when the prospects ahead for work or business look encouraging, and everybody feels cheerful. How many times have you said to yourself, in the past few years: "If I could only get my bills paid up I never would be caught in this way again," and you have fussed and worried over debts contracted when the times were flush and the prospect for paying them seemed fair. Now it is a good time to turn over a new leaf, because it is just the time when the temptation to do the same thing is strong upon you. If your wages are increased, or you are selling more goods and getting a better profit, you begin to think, "now I can buy that new carpet or chamber set that my wife wants, and can pay for it in a short time." You had better wait until you have all the old debts paid first. Pay for your provisions as you go along, and husband what you have over. The relief from your old debts will be like the recovery from a boil—you feel better when it is well—and the comfort of feeling that the little pile you have accumulated is subject to nobody's lien, is a positive pleasure. Flush times almost invariably lead to speculation, and speculation includes not only the investment in stocks or lands for a rise, but the discounting for the future for anything that you want. The man who buys what he is unable to pay for at the time of purchase, is mortgaging his life and labor, and incurring a burden which most likely he will regret. "Pay as you go" is a wise maxim, for yourself honest, for your heighbor just. Its observance will lighten the burdens and cares of life, sweeten toil, encourage industry, reward honesty, promote good neighborhood and induce prosperity.

Butler, N. Y., March 10, 1882.
Rheumatic Syrup Co.:
Gents—I take this opportunity to express my gratitude for what your Rheumatic Syrup has done for me.—After suffering over one year with the rheumatism in my shoulders, so I could hardly get my coat on without help, a friend induced me to try a bottle of Rhematic Syrup. After taking it I could see such a decided change, that I continued its use a short time and it cured me. Daniel Roe.

The Newspapers in a Farmhouse.

People who live near the great thoroughfares, where they have access to two or three dailies and a half-dozen weeklies, do not fully appreciate the value of a newspaper. They come, indeed, to look upon them as necessities, and they would as cheerfully do without their morning meal as their morning mail. But one must be far off in the country, remote from "the maddening crowd," to realize the full luxury of a newspaper. The farmer who receives but one paper a week does not glance over its columns hurriedly, with an air of impatience, as does the merchant or lawyer. He begins at the beginning and reads to the end, not omitting a news item or an advertisement to escape his eye. Then it has to be thumbed by every member of the family, each looking for the things in which he or she is most interested. The grown-up daughter looks for the marriage notices, and is delighted if the editor has treated them to a love story. The son who is just about to engage in farming, with an enthusiasm that will carry him far in advance of his father, reads all the crop reports and has a keen eye for hints about improved modes of culture. The younger members of the family come in for the amusing anecdotes and scraps of fun. All look forward to the day that shall bring the paper with the liveliest interest, and if, by some unlucky chance, it fails to come, it is a bitter disappointment. One can hardly estimate the amount of information which a paper which is not only read but studied can carry into a family. They have, week by week spread before their mental vision, a panorama of the busy world, its fluctuations and its vast concerns. It is the poor man's library, and furnishes as much mental food as he has time to consume and digest. No one who has observed how much those who are far away from the places where men most congregate value their weekly paper, can fail to join in invoking a blessing on the inventor of this means of intellectual enjoyment.

Injury to School Children.

A German physician of the very highest reputation, Dr. Treichler, has recently sounded a note of alarm to the effect that ill-directed and excessive brain work is inflicting serious injury to school children. In a paper read before the German association of natural historians and physicians, he claimed that habitual headache was greatly increased of late, among boys and girls, and that "this headache not only destroys much of the happiness and cheerfulness of life, but that it produces impoverishment of the blood and loss of intellectual tone." "Undoubtedly," he says, "the principal cause of the headache is intellectual overtaxation entailing work at night, and the insisting by parents on the too earnest taking up of a variety of subjects, music among the rest." Another case is "a state of dilation of the blood-vessels of the brain, by which the removal of effete material and the repair of the nervous tissues are both seriously impeded." He also says that "The method of instruction now-a-days pursued is not only a cause of disease, but also perfectly useless, because instead of increasing knowledge, it produces mental confusion, and becomes simply a Danaides, or like carrying water in a sieve." Excessive and especially nocturnal labor "produces a state of exhaustion of the brain in which the molecular changes necessary for the reception and assimilation of learning are not competed; so that new ideas cannot be really grasped, and confusion is produced at night with regard to subjects which have been learnt in the day. The Chicago *Tribune* notes it as a little remarkable that an eminient American physician, who has long been interested in educational matters, recently gave expression to almost identically the same views. As the same paper suggests, the concurrence of such authorities ought to induce educational officials to give this matter serious attention, to ascertain if we are cramming the brains of our children at the expense of their health.

Extreme Tired Feeling.

A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"If life be a battle, now mad must he be who fails to arm himself for the contest! If life be a storm, how infatuated is he who sleeps while his bark is driven amid unknown waters! If life be a pilgrimage, how unwise is he who strays from the right road, nor seeks to return till the shadows gather round his pathway."

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Italian Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty, druggists.

No family can afford to be without the following remedies in the house to use in case of emergencies, before a physician can be called—oftentimes saving calling one, and also saving the lives of the little ones: A bottle of Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup, which cures coughs, colds, croup, &c.; a bottle of Home Relief for sudden attacks of colic, cramps, cuts, bruises, sprains, etc.; a box of A. H. Davis' Family Pills, for constipation, torpid liver, kidney difficulties, headache, bones ache and fever symptoms. 25c sizes will cost only 75 cents for the outfit.

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We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a Female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflamation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhœa, besides many weaknesses springing from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Prices $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

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A PAPER FOR THE TIMES.

The CHICAGO DAILY NEWS is the pioneer of cheap journalism in the West.

It was founded Dec. 20, 1875, as an evening paper with editions at noon, 3 and 5 o'clock. A complete newspaper,—complete in the one essential feature of American journalism, *i. e.*, presenting *all the news*,—sold on the street at only price less than the conventional nickel, was an innovation in western journalism, and, like all new enterprises, the "cheap paper" had to contend with long established custom and even prejudice before securing the recognition it sought and deserved. At the end of the first year, 1876, it had achieved a daily sale ranging from 8,000 to 10,000 copies. From this time forward its progress was beyond all precedent in American journalism. In 1877 its average daily circulation was 22,037 copies; in 1878, 38,314 copies; in 1879, 45,194 copies; in 1880, 54,801 copies. On the morning of March 31, 1881, the CHICAGO MORNING NEWS made its first appearance. In September following, the sixth month of its publication, its circulation amounted to 490,019 copies, or a daily average of 88,848 copies,—a circulation never before attained by any daily paper in the United States, within a corresponding time.

The CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, therefore, as now published, consists of MORNING, NOON, and EVENING ISSUES, known respectively as the MORNING NEWS, NOON NEWS, and EVENING NEWS. The average combined circulation of the three issues of the DAILY NEWS now exceeds 90,000 copies each day. To appreciate the exceptional extent of this vast circulation it is only necessary to state that it is over three times the circulation of *any other daily paper in Chicago or the West*, while its circulation *in the city of Chicago* is GREATER than ALL other Chicago daily papers COMBINED. Being an independent paper, the organ of no party, sect, or class, it is the one universally read Chicago paper. The subscription price of the DAILY NEWS, either MORNING or EVENING issue, is $6.00 per year, or $2.00 for four months, postage included.

On July 2, 1878, the DAILY NEWS purchased the CHICAGO EVENING POST, consolidated its daily issue with the DAILY NEWS, and continued its weekly issue under the name of the CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS. The WEEKLY NEWS under its present name and management is therefore less than five years old, though as a consecutive weekly publication it is now in its twentieth year. The CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS takes a corresponding field among weekly newspapers so that occupied by the DAILY NEWS among dailies. It gives the news of the world in condensed yet complete form. Its Chicago market quotations are especially complete and trustworthy. That the CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS has been correct in its judgment of the requirements of a large class of readers of the weekly press is best evidenced by the extent of its circulation, which aggregated in the month immediately preceding the date of this writing, 202,053 copies, or a weekly average of 50,513 copies. The subscription price of the WEEKLY NEWS is but SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS per year, postage included.

The phenomenal success of the CHICAGO NEWS in both its DAILY and WEEKLY ISSUES has been achieved by observing that fundamental principle of offering the best article of its kind in the market at the lowest cost to the purchaser. The CHICAGO NEWS is cheap only in price. The character of its news service is unsurpassed. It is a member of the Western Associated Press, and in addition to the unrivalled news service furnished by this Association, it enjoys the exceptional advantage of its own special telegraphic wire from Chicago to Washington and New York on the East, and to Milwaukee and St. Paul on the North. Giving all the news through reportorial and telegraphic facilities unsurpassed by those of any other Chicago paper, it commends itself to all classes in the community, to rich and poor alike, in that it offers an absolutely complete record of the news of the day in concise form, without the needless verbiage and amplification which render so many metropolitan journals "a weariness to the flesh," while its price brings it within the reach of all classes. It is a paper for the times.

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RHEUMATISM CURED

ROCHESTER, N.Y., April 5, 83. Rheumatic Syrup Co.: Gents—I have been a great sufferer from Rheumatism for six years, and have tried the skill of the best physicians for a cure, but found no relief till I commenced using your Rheumatic Syrup. After taking it a short time I felt that I was on the road to health, and I cheerfully say my own case, and I cheerfully say Syrup. that I have been greatly benefited by its use. I can walk with ease, and my general health is much improved. It is a splendid remedy for the Blood and debilitated System. E. CHESTER PARK, M.D.

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PORT BYRON, N.Y., Feb. 23, 83. Rheumatic Syrup Co.: I had been doctoring for three years with different physicians for a scrofulous sore on my leg, but found no relief till I commenced using your Rheumatic Syrup. I now feel that I am on the road to health, and I cheerfully say Syrup. After taking it a short time I felt no pain, and my surprise it began to heal. It has now been three months since using the Syrup, and the sore is entirely healed. I can walk with entire freedom from pain, for weeks, I found myself as well as ever. As a blood purifier and for the cure of Rheumatism and neuralgia it is the best remedy I have ever heard of. MRS. WM. STRANG.

NEURALGIA CURED.

FAIRPORT, N.Y., March 12, '83. Rheumatic Syrup Co.: Gents—Since November, 1882, I have been a constant sufferer from Neuralgia, and have not found any relief till I began using your Rheumatic Syrup. I have taken four bottles of your Syrup, and I can say that it has been of more benefit to me than all the medicine I have taken for years. I shall use your Syrup in my family, and shall recommend it to all my friends as the best blood purifier and cure of Rheumatism and neuralgia I know of. W. B. CHASE.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 30, 1883.

If milk be introduced into a bottle put into a pan with cold water, and gradually raised to a boiling point, and after being allowed to cool, be taken out, corked, and set away in a cool place, it may be preserved perfectly sweet for upwards of half a year. The reason is said to be that heat deprives the sugar of its power of changing into lactic acid.

According to the Milling World, sack cloth or canvas can be made perfectly impervious to moisture, equal to leather by steeping it in a decoction of one pound of oak bark with fourteen pounds of boiling water. The cloth has to soak twenty-four hours, when it is taken out, passed through running water, and hung up to dry.—This is sufficient for eight yards of stuff. The flax and hemp fibres in absorbing the tannin are the same time better fitted to resist wear.

Andrews' Bazar for September, just received, fully justifies the claim of its new managers that they are "making the best and cheapest Fashion Paper now published." The designs in this number will be pronounced by all the ladies to be excellent. Aside from its abundance of fashion news, its stories, sketches, wit and humor and illustrations are of a high order. Subscription price only $1,00 a year, besides a choice from a list of 67 valuable premiums. Send 10 cents for a sample copy to The American Bazar Co., 202 Broadway, N. Y.

Coldwater Republican: And now comes the "paint racket," a trap for confiding farmers. It has been successfully worked in our neighboring counties. An advance agent comes along and offers to paint your barn for so much per yard, making him believe that it will cost but $10 or $15.—When the gang comes along and does the painting, it paints the barn, roof and all, and charges by the square yard, making a bill amounting to over $100. If the farmer is foolish enough to have signed a contract, he is "bit" and has to grin and bear it. The only way to avoid such experiences is to patronize reliable, home dealers.

Act 167, laws of the legislature of 1883, regulating the practice of medicine in this state, goes into effect on the 6th of September. In order to secure uniformity in the affidavits required by said act to be made, a form has been prepared, which physicians and surgeons are respectfully requested to use, and which will be furnished free on application to the county clerk, after September 6. It is preferable that the affidavit should be sworn to at the clerk's office, to avoid the necessity of returning the same for correction in case the law should not be fully complied with, although the jurat can be taken by any officer authorized to administer oaths. The affidavit must be recorded at length, and hence the necessity of uniformity can be readily seen.

Nothing more certainly marks the substantial progress of civilization in this country than the increasing attention given to music. America has not yet produced any great musician, but we have developed a wonderful capacity for enjoying the music of the master composers of the world. Beethoven, Bach, Schumann, and Mendelssohn, are familiar names in thousands of our homes, and their divine music may be heard almost everywhere. It is worthy of note that our University, so renowned for its scientific and literary privileges, is adding the study of music to its many and varied elective courses, and, in connection with the Ann Arbor School of Music, at the head of which is the University Professor of Music, offers to young men and women the most desirable advantages for the pursuit of this study. Three years of successful work have demonstrated that in the education of the young, music must henceforth hold a leading position. This is as it should be, for all true culture and refinement find their natural and perhaps highest expression in music. And since we are a music-loving people, it is of the highest importance that our young people should have their musical studies turned into the purest channels. Under the fostering care of such institutions as our University, we believe America will yet produce musicians worthy of a great nation.

The Pitch Lake of Trinidad.

The Pitch Lake of Trinidad is one of those extraordinary natural wonders of which much has been reported on hearsay, but little from personal observation. Writers have been content to borrow from former accounts, when describing the place, so that errors have been perpetuated which ought to have been corrected. The island of Trinidad, in which the Pitch Lake is situated, lies out of the ordinary routes of travelers, and the lake is not accessible without the expenditure of some trouble, even after the traveler has been landed at Port of Spain. These reasons will account for a good deal of obscurity with which the accounts of this singular phenomenon are surrounded.

A morning's sail down the south-western coast of the island will bring the traveler from Port of Spain to Cape La Brea, in the neighborhood of Naparima. For several miles before reaching the cape, there will be perceived a strong pitchy smell, and it will be found on landing that the beach and shore are perfectly black, being either composed of, or overlaid with, the pitch which has at some time or other found its way down from the lake. There is abundant vegetation springing up in dark earth more or less impregnated with pitch, and the bright fresh green of the shrubs and trees serves the better to set off the vulcan-like colour of the ground. A walk inland for a mile over a black road, on which the finely-divided particles of pitch form a choking and a blinding dust, which flies with every puff of wind hither and thither, brings the traveler to the lake. The road has been ascending from the shore, and the lake is at a level of eighty feet above the level of the sea. At the lake, as on either side of the road for the whole way, the number and the luxuriant growth of the trees are very remarkable. Nearly all the tropical plants are represented, and, as if not to allow the animal kingdom to be unfavorably contrasted with the vegetable, numbers of the most beautiful butterflies it is possible to see, and of the most gorgeously-dressed humming-birds, flutter and flit about in the sunlight, or fly in or out among the branches of the trees.

The lake itself is contained in a basin about a mile and a half in circumference. In the months of July, August, and September the contents are in a simmering condition; fountains of pitch, boiling water, and argillaceous matter are thrown up here and there to a height of thirty feet, and objects, however light, allowed to fall into the lake, sink down and are irrecoverably lost. During the rest of the year, however, the pitch at the borders, and for a considerable extent away from them, is comparatively hard; soft and dangerous parts are indicated by the bubbling asphalte and by the increasing insecurity of the footing. Even at times when it is practicable to walk on the lake, it is not safe to stand still; the footsteps leave their imprint on the soft substance of the surface, and it is necessary to keep moving on in order to avoid sinking as into a quick-sand. At these times the pitch lies in large hummocks, between which run small rivulets of fresh water, clear as a crystal, and with a sulphureo-pitchy taste, which act as a system of veins and arteries to the Tartarean lake. Small islets, covered with the greenest shrubs and plants, are dotted about the surface of the lake, which engulfs them immediately the liquefying season comes, but reproduces them on the arrival of the next cool season. It is supposed that the lake has subterranean communication with the sea, poles marked with special characters having been found on the coast, which had erewhile been thrust into the asphalte of the lake. That a communication does exist is more than likely; for at some distance from Cape La Brea there are submarine pitch volcanoes which throw up quantities of pitch and Pitch Lake products into the sea; and it is at all events reasonable to suppose that these and the lake are connected. Humboldt, De Verteuil, and other authorities affirm that there is a correspondence between all of these and similar phenomena in the South American continent, with which the island of Trinidad was unquestionably once joined.

Artificial Production.

Mr. P. Simmonds reviews in the British *Trade-Journal* the various substitutes for natural products which modern art has invented. The fact, he says, is apparent beyond question that art is fast invading the domain of nature. Chemistry is enabling us to replace animal and vegetable dyes, and to form artificial gems, or, creditable imitations; mineral oils replace animal and vegetable ones for illuminating purposes, and the electric light is treading upon the heels of gas. The expensive outfits for the whale fisheries are comparatively abandoned; whalebone and blubber from the huge marine mammals being less in request; coral insects may proceed with their submarine constructions unmolested; the sea tortoise will be pursued less eagerly for its carapace; the ostriches of the desert be less sought after; and even the great pachyderms of India and Central Africa can be spared to be more usefully employed in extending the march of commerce. Under our enlightened civilization we can now manufacture our own whalebone, coral, tortoise shell, ivory, and feathers, without the need of penetrating into wild jungles and arctic or tropical seas for our supplies. The extinction of whalebone in commerce will not deprive us of our umbrellas, or the female sex of their parasols and corset backs. Rattans have been converted into wallosin, and horn shaped into pliable bones, while steel ribs also do duty effectually for baleen. In fact, he adds, there is no end to the artificial productions, and the list might be extended indefinitely, including artifical ice, which renders us independent of King Frost; artificial sugar, which we can make from starch or rags; artificial fruit essences, artificial horn from seaweed, artificial wood from compressed sawdust or straw, artificial leather from old scraps of the leather cloth, artificial parchment from paper chemically treated with sulphuric acid, and as hides for leather become more in demand, we have come to utilize the formerly neglected skins of alligators, snakes, kangaroos, the porpoise and other sea mammals, and fishes.

ANSWER YOUR INVITATIONS.—If a person speaks to another on the street, and that other takes no notice of the salutation, it is a clear case of insult. But there are hundreds of people who are noticed every week by invitations to social gatherings, and who insult the senders by taking no notice of them until they go to the party. Then they put in a bright and cheery appearance, unconscious that anything wrong has happened. There is hardly given in a city a social event of any kind,—whether a wedding, a reception, or what not—where two-thirds of the invitations are acknowledged; and yet there is but one rule in the matter. The first person to answer an invitation is the politest person.

A Word on the Care of Orchards.

Aside from a neat, comfortable farm residence, and the requisite number of outbuildings, there is nothing which contributes so largely to the beauty of the homestead and the comforts and luxury of the household as a good orchard. And this beauty and luxury are increased in proportion to the attention the orchard receives; for, as there can be no acre of farm product which will yield as remunerative a crop as an acre of bearing fruit-trees "well tended to," neither can there be anything more unprofitable on a farm than a scant barren lot of fruit-trees, as they consume the sap and exhaust the strength of the land without giving any remuneration.

The farmer who imagines that he has nothing to do but to purchase a large number of fruit-trees, and plant them out, regardless of subsequent care, in order to have in a few years plenty of apples and cider, is as likely to be disappointed as the fatalist who ploughs his land and shakes on the seed and leaves the rest to Providence. Nothing should receive more careful attention on the farm than a good well-assorted orchard, as it no doubt tends in a great measure to the promotion of health, wealth, and happiness. Doctors assure us that there is nothing more healthy, or nothing that contributes more to the perpetuity of good health, than plenty of good ripe fruit; and, apart from this, the fruit-grower can show by figures that there is no produce in which there is so much money as in a well assorted orchard, properly and skillfully attended to. But it is certain that an orchard must be attended to, otherwise nothing may be expected from it, save what is of very little good to man or beast. There is not to be found one who does not feel pleased and happy at the presence of a dish of delicious fruits. But the fruit-tree, like everything else that lives and grows, has its maladies, and also its antidotes; and hence, in order to realize all that is hoped for from it, much attention must be given to it, especially in the first years of its existence, as it is during these years that all branches not taking a proper position to form a perfect head at maturity are to be removed, and the whole force of sap sent to invigorate the permanent limbs, otherwise the tree must of necessity suffer in the future, either from heavy pruning, or too much "head," which is sure to impair the crop in every form. Besides, too, when branches are removed while small and young, the wound soon heals up, so that no wounds will be visible, nor will there be any necessity for sawing off large limbs from the head or trunk when the tree arrives at maturity.

The next object needing close attention in young trees is what may be called the incidentals of growth. Foremost among those are the crotch scald, produced by rancid sap, the canker-wart, and black heart. But the first of these seems to be the promoter of the latter two, and its origin is in this way: it often happens that if there is warm, favorable fall weather, trees are apt, especially on dry warm soil, to start a "fall growth" and remain green and full of sap until late in the season; then, should a sudden snap of severe frost set in, the sap gets frozen, and becomes clotted in the pores of the bark, so that the portion of the tree thus affected shows a smoky and blackish appearance the next spring, and unless this is removed by a good washing of very strong soft-soap suds, well charged with rye, the branches soon become black-hearted, by being inert in circulation of new sap, and soon begin to decay. Washing is also very beneficial for other purposes, as by doing it in proper season the fruit insects—which deposit their larvæ in the crevices of the bark and crotches—are all killed, and the young fruit saved from being ant-stung, or moth-eaten.

A farmer in passing through his orchard may observe many of his trees looking sickly, and not throwing out a full healthy growth of new wood, and by examining in the main forks or crotches of the limbs, and especially where they shoot off from the body, he will find a decayed reddish spot in the bark, which proves on examination to be lifeless, hard, and of a reddish hue. He may also find a portion of the wood inside the bark corroding: this is the crotch scald, and canker-wart. Again, by picking around the point of the angle in the fork or crotch of the tree, he will soon discover a hard knotty substance about the size of a small peach pit, the analysis of which would be a puzzle to the scientist. Hence an annual examination of each and every tree in the orchard becomes something to those that would wish to raise good fruit. Some kind of trees are, however, more liable to disease than others. But, notwithstanding this, care must be given to all; the clotted sap which is sometimes to be found lodged in the crotches of the limbs, more especially those having an acute angle or a sharp V shape, and also around the base of many of the limbs, should be invariably scraped out, as by so doing vigor and growth will be given to the tree, and diseases kept away. Again, the ground at the root of the trees should be kept clean, hoed, etc., as this is in perfect keeping with the laws of growth; but as to pruning, no person should be allowed to try to perform this task, without knowing the varieties of trees and becoming somewhat familiar with their habits of growth and customs of bearing, as some trees carry their fruit on the directly opposite end of the limbs from that of others. Take, for instance, the spy, the baldwin, the greening and the russet—no two of these carry their fruit alike. On the baldwin will be found the entire crop on the extreme ends of the main top branches. On the spy, the great bulk of the crop grows upon biennial shoots on the lower extremities of the limbs, and comparatively few on top. On the greening, the great bulk of the crop hangs on the side limbs, and makes the tree umbrella-shaped while bearing. Again, the russet bears part of it's crop on top outside, but as much more grows on short sharp fruit-spurs projecting from the sides of the limbs pretty well down the body of the tree. Hence it may be seen that not every wood-chopper can go up into a tree and trim that tree in a proper manner. The peculiar habits of the growth of the limbs require that they be pruned with the special intention of directing the young shoots, instead of having them veering to all the points of the compass,—as is the natural habit of a good many kinds of fruit-trees if not well watched.

Most of the diamonds now found are cut in Amsterdam. The origin of the word carat-weight is from an Arabic word "Kuara." There is a pot bearing plant growing on the gold coast of Africa, the seeds of which are almost invariably of an equal weight, and these seeds, called Kuara, were formerly used for weighing against the grains or dust of gold, from which originated the carat weight. The largest diamond known is the Braganza, in the crown of Portugal. It was found over a hundred years ago in Brazil, and weighs 130 carats.

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(*Continued from last week.*)

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HAZLETON, PA., Oct. 24, 1882.

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JERSEYVILLE, Ill., April 25, 1882.

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May 15, 1882.

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The books have arrived for the Ladies' Library and will soon be ready to circulate. A neat room has been procured between Dr. House's office and Heesen's hall where the library will be domiciled.

At the coming Lenawee County Fair to be held at Adrian, Sept. 25, 26, 27 and 28, Moreland Bros. & Crane, owners of the famous Hero brand of plug tobacco, offer the following special prizes: To the person who will bring the largest pumpkin 1 ten pound box of Hero plug.
2d best 1 eight pound box.
3d " six " "
4th " four " "
5th " two " "
All who compete for these prizes must exhibit in Moreland Bros. & Crane's special pumpkin booth in floral hall. The size will be determined be the addition of the circumference of the pumpkin each way divided by the figure 2.

BASE BALL.

The game last Thursday between Jonesville and the home team was a good one and resulted in a score of 5 to 3 in favor of Tecumseh.

This morning our boys started for Blissfield and will play the Blissfield team this afternoon.

Below is the score by innings of the Jonesville-Tecumseh game.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	I.B.	E.	T.B.
Jonesville...	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	7	2
Tecumseh...	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	5	2	6	3

We understand that the association are making arrangements with Lansing and other clubs for games as rapidly as possible.

AUCTION SALE.

Robert I. Dowling having rented his farm, will sell at auction on the premises, one and a half miles east of Springville, on Tuesday, September 4, 1883, at 12 o'clock, m., the following property: Two work horses, 1 cow and calf, 98 sheep, 15 lambs, 3 hogs, 4 shoats, 1 lumber wagon, 1 set of bobs, 1 set of one-horse bobs, 1 double harness, fanning mill nearly new, steel plow, 1 single harness, land roller, corn sheller, 10 acres of good corn, cutting box, quantity of hay, cook stove, chickens, turkeys, and many other things. Usual terms.
BEN REYNOLDS, Auctioneer.

At a meeting held at Amory hall, Wednesday, Aug. 22, Capt. A. D. Lawrence resigned his position as captain of Co. C, and at the same time turned over all state and company property, and receipts of money received by him.

Capt. A. D. Lawrence was one of the charter members of Co. C, when mustered into the state service in '70, at which time he was 1st Lieut. He has been a member of the company nearly ever since. In 1876, he as captain, took the company to the first encampment of the state militia, which with the exception of the two encampments at Island Lake was the best ever held in the state. In the spring of '82 Co. C was flat and the officers in command, at that time, were flatter. There seemed to be no one able to take command, who was willing to do so. At last Capt. Lawrence stepped forward and took command, with the understanding that he might withdraw when the company was on its feet again. At this time besides being short of officers in command, the company was short of cash, there not being one cent in the treasury, even if a treasurer could have been found. They did have a place they called an armory underground somewhere. With the company in this condition Capt. A. D. Lawrence took command, and carried the best company through two of the best encampments ever held in the state.—To-day the company is united, have one of the best new armories in the state, money in the treasury, and men who are able to fill any office in the company. To Capt. Lawrence the company extend their sincere thanks for the help he gave them in their time of need. COMPANY C.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 30, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Did you see Casey run?

The fall term of school will open next Monday, Sept. 3d.

The Hudson telephone exchange is now in good working order.

The Purinton benefit concert last Monday evening netted $193.25.

The opening of Adrian college has been postponed until September 12.

P. W. Adams has our thanks for a few splendid specimens of Delaware peaches.

A big coach load of Tecumseh people took the train for Blissfield this morning.

Horatio Kepler and his nephew Milburn are taking quite a trip in the western part of the state.

We have received a copy of the proceedings of the last meeting of the Michigan Press Association.

Thanks to Tom Adamson for a few copies of the San Francisco Daily Chronicle, giving the details of the Knights Templar's conclave.

Miss Augusta Bowen, of Franklin, left at our office some fine specimens of last years russet apples. They were apparently as sound as when picked.

Peter R. Adams is seriously ill, and his son, P. W. Adams, has been summoned from Delaware, as there are fears that his father's illness may terminate fatally.

A man in Hillsdale lost a diamond from a shirt stud while at work in a planing mill. He can probably borrow another of any of the newspaper men in that city.

Lawyers and others will be interested to know that the postmaster general has decided that all printed or written matter produced by type writing machines belong to the first class, and must pay full letter postage.

Frank Baxter was at home the first of the week indulging in a flying visit. He has been engaged for the past six months in Kansas canvassing for a state gazetteer. He seems to like the business well, and it evidently agrees with him.

Miss Niles, who has been visiting Mrs. G. S. Tiffany for some time, started for her home, London, Canada, this morning. During her stay here Miss Niles has made many warm friends who regret very much to bid her "good-bye."

Joe Sage gave another party at Macon last evening, which was well attended. These parties at Pennington's corners are getting to be quite popular. They are conducted in the right way and tend to improve the society of young people in that locality.

Blissfield has enacted an ordinance ordering owners to cut down noxious weeds in front of their property, within five days after notification by the street commissioner; else that officer will do the work and the cost shall be charged against the property, to be collected with the taxes.

We are pleased to notice the fine quality of crayon work that C. A. Thatcher, of Tiffin, O., is delivering in town. He has been here during the past two months and is receiving more orders than ever before. One of the finest portraits we have seen is a life size sketch of Mr. Lilley.

Mr. Dana, of the New York Sun, has taken a peculiar way to amuse himself in his old age. He owns a majority of the stock of the Sun, which brings him an income of over $200,000 a year. Latterly he has taken to collecting china and chickens. He has already $50,000 invested in china, and $10,000 in fancy chickens.

Died, on the 25th inst., of cholera infantum, the Adrian Sunday Herald, aged four months. If seven-eighths of patent plates made in Chicago, and one-eighth gas of home manufacture, could have made a success of it, the Herald deserved to live. Its sex had not yet been discovered, and this unfathomed mystery will now be buried with the corpse. Let us drop a sympathetic tear upon its bier and "let her r—i—p."

Brooklyn Exponent: We have one of the best subscribers in America.—He has taken the paper from the beginning, and has never paid a cent.—He is one of the kind who don't take the paper for the reading—of course not—but he takes it for the purpose of supporting a home institution. As we believe that a proper interest in home institutions should be encouraged, we continue sending the paper and will soon give him a free advertisement.

The history of the "Chandler family," prepared by Dr. George Chandler, of Worcester, Mass., is out, and contains the names of 12,000 persons, among whom are many Michigan people. Rutherford B. Hayes, who was in some way connected with the family, has two lines devoted to him, and Zach Chandler is sketched in four pages. Willie Peake, the famous "Bell Ringer," Rev. Wellington De Puy, of Grand Ledge, and "Pearl Diamond," a well-known Tecumseh writer, are among those mentioned.

Dr. Hause expects to go to Florida at an early day to engage in orange culture.

Rev. C. E. Conley took his vacation in Detroit, making the trip with his horse and buggy.

There is nearly a dozen grass-widowers boarding at the Lilley House, whose wives have gone off on pleasure excursions.

Miss Mabel VanCamp, formerly of this village, sang a solo at the Purinton benefit concert at Adrian last Monday evening.

Mrs. O. B. DeWolf had a beautiful night blooming cereus in bloom last Saturday evening. It was one of the largest blossoms we ever saw.

Even News: The Tecumseh base ball club has beaten clubs at Jonesville, Blissfield, Hudson and Clinton, and now sighs for other clubs to knock out.

There was a big crowd at the Devil's Lake pic-nic yesterday, and everything passed off pleasantly. We will give our readers a report of the affair next week.

The game of base ball played this forenoon at Blissfield between the Tecumseh Blue Stockings and a Deerfield club resulted in a victory for the latter. Score 8 to 13.

Street Commissioner Jordan has been doing a fine piece of work on Chicago street at the west end. Adrian street, for two blocks south, will be similarly treated very soon.

The citizens of Adrian who are opposed to the Wabash branch extension are getting belligerent. They will appeal to the courts, and propose to fight it out on that line if it takes all summer.

That good old horse, Jerry, belonging to Cousin George Burdett, of Macon, passed in his checks last week and was buried on the banks of the Macon. His age was 24 years, 11 months and 33 days.

A new 2-cent daily will make its appearance at Detroit September 10th, to be called the Detroit Evening Journal. It will be in all things independent, not neutral. Its telegraph service will be complete and its columns will contain all the freshest local and State news. J. Lloyd Brezee is editor of the new daily.

Even. News: There is a bridge at Tecumseh which displays a sign reading "$5 fine for driving on this bridge faster than a walk." Tecumseh people did as they chose about driving slow there, however, until recently, when an deputy marshal devoted a little attention to watching the bridge and $75 in fines rolled into the village treasury.

The Jackson Patriot says: Henry G. Wagner, aged 74 years, was a recent arrival at the prison, whither he was sent for stealing a cow. He was an inmate of the institution nine years ago, but was incarcerated under the name of Henry G. Clark, and for an offense similar to that just specified. He is from Monroe, and explained that he did the thieving to secure a home in the penitentiary, as otherwise he would have been compelled to go to the poor house. He is a cheerful old fellow, and performs whatever is required of him without grumbling.

The Brooklyn Exponent has the following: A country lad has given his plan of operations in capturing woodchucks. He catches a mud-turtle, bores a hole through its shell through which he passes a wire, which is attached to a ball of candle wicking saturated with oil. When he finds a wood-chuck hole he puts the turtle in, sets fire to the wicking, and awaits the result. The turtle is sure to find the outlet of the hole, and out comes both turtle and wood-chuck, whereupon the boy with club and dog dispatches the wood-chuck and secures his scalp, gathers up the turtle and starts for fresh fields.

EXPLAINS ITSELF.

A man by the name of Penock was relating to a crowd on the corner a few evenings ago how he drank beer last Sunday morning in one of our saloons with the village marshal and a dispute arising between them about arresting parties, Penock asserted he was a better man than the marshal, and they clinched, and when parted were on the floor, Penock on top. Whether this is all so or not we do not know, but it is Penock's story, and it may have all arisen from the arrest of Penock's nephew; we merely note it for the benefit of the council, as they undoubtedly will investigate, and as they are very exacting in regard to the marshal's office they will get at the bottom facts of the case.

The above appeared in the Adrian Times of Friday, Aug. 24th, under the head of "Tecumseh Topics." As I have the honor to be the village marshal I deem it incumbent upon me to say that the assertion of the "man by the name of Penock" is false in every particular, and as proof of its utter falsity wish to submit to the people of this village the following card.
JAMES W. COLE.

Tecumseh, Mich., Aug. 25, 1883.

My attention having been called to the above article which appeared in the Adrian Times of yesterday, and as I am the "man by the name of Penock" therein referred to, I wish to say that the remarks made by me, and upon which the said article is founded, were false in every particular and without the slightest foundation in fact. A. PENNOCK.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Blissfield has a new barber.

Lots of Tecumsehites are visiting Blissfield to-day.

Miss Ida Davis is spending a few days at her old home in Clinton.

Three Seneca farmers have each contracted for a mile of hedge fence.

The sexton of the Deerfield cemetery has been "slicking up" his premises.

The Adrian Sunday Morning Herald is dead, having survived just four months.

Col. Eldredge entertains the 11th Mich. boys at Drew's hotel to-day at his own expense.

The soap vender visited Deerfield but failing to get a license he migrated to the next town.

Spencer Snow, of Morenci, has added six new suites of rooms to his hotel accommodations.

The soap vender has visited Blissfield, and shown the denizens of that burg how it was done.

Mat Flewelyn, of Hudson, threshed 178 bushels of wheat from four and one half acres of ground.

The arrangements which have been made insure a grand time at the Blissfield soldiers' re-union to-day.

Henry Ferguson, of Deerfield, has been railroading in the west and lately arrived home from the city of Mexico.

The old guard of the salvation army evacuted Adrian Monday and leaves the town in the hands of its old enemy.

Dr. Grandy, of Fairfield gets pay from the insurance company for the removal of his goods during the late fire.

T. S. Applegate, editor of the Times, and wife, of Adrian, returned from their trip to the Yellowstone Park on Saturday last.

A fellow went through the county, near the Ohio line, last week, selling patent medicines and grave stones—cause and effect.

The factories of Morenci employ about one hundred hands, and of these nearly one half are engaged in the brick business.

John Q. Adams was chosen as trustee of the Clark fund by Adrian Lodge I. O. O. F., last Monday, vice Geo. W. Westerman resigned.

The Brooklyn Exponent has entered upon the third year of its publication with a good business in hand and bright prospects for the future.

Evening News: At Adrian, "the war that for a space did fail now trebly thund'ring fills the vale," and the Times says Ald. Stearns, of the Press, utters flapdoodle in his speeches.—The Raisin river will yet o'erflow with blood.

Adrian Times: County Clerk Hunter returned Saturday from his eastern trip. He has "done" a good share of New York state during his absence and reports a very enjoyable time, indeed. Mrs. Hunter remains at Elmira for a time to visit friends.

Deerfield Record: The teamsters who left last week to work on the M. & O., have with one or two exceptions, returned home. They were set at work in a 22-foot cut through a swamp near Jerome, and preferring not to work in mud and water 'struck' Saturday night.

Adrian Press: Abraham Sanford, of Woodstock, has erected in the cemetery at Brooklyn a handsome granite monument, sixteen feet high and weighing eleven tons, and has removed thereto from Woodstock cemetery the remains of his parents, and also those of a daughter buried at Clark's lake.

Dr. Ward, the Laingsburg humorist, inspected the Adrian reform school for girls the other day, and thinks that "notwithstanding only a portion of those who should graduate there will ever do so, still by the aid of the present generation of weak-minded mothers the institution will doubtless fill up rapidly."

Blissfield Advance: The Tecumseh base ball club will play the return game with the Blissfields next Thursday afternoon on our grounds. The Tecumsehs are regarded as the strongest club in the county, and the game will probably be the most interesting yet played on the grounds. It will be worth your while to witness it.

Clinton News: A large number of young people assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bartlett Monday evening to celebrate the 18th birthday of their daughter, Ella.—The company was finely entertained, and the mutual wish of all present was, no doubt, that she live to see many more birthdays and give a birthday party every few weeks.

The Blissfield correspondent of the Adrian Times says: "The young ladies who attended the teachers' institute at Tecumseh, speak very highly of it. But they think time, patience and money would have been saved to them, had the examination of teachers been held then, while all were together, instead of requiring all to meet again for examination at Adrian the next day after the closing of the institute at Tecumseh."

A THREE DAYS TRIP.

Among the Villages of Western Lenawee Making a Directory.

The Directory of Tecumseh village, which was started a short time ago, is now going through the press. After taking Tecumseh and Clinton, the idea struck us that it might be a good plan to "spread out" to the westward and take in the other villages of Northern Lenawee. The idea was a good one, and it was an easy matter to put it into execution.

Accordingly on Thursday morning last we packed our grip sack with the necessary hair combs, tooth brushes, extra lead pencils, and sample copies of the HERALD, and taking "Peeler" along to do the canvassing, we set out on the Chicago turnpike to visit the villages thereon, and takes notes for the directory.

We arrived at Springville just in time for dinner and put up at Smith's hotel, where we got a good square meal to which ample justice was done. After our dinner had settled we took a circuit of the town. Found our friend Thos. H. Mosher, who now enjoys the distinction of being the oldest merchant in Lenawee county, at the old quarters still selling goods and welcoming all comers with his accustomed cordiality. His store and the Lake Mills engage his entire attention, but business has become a second nature to him, and he can always find time for a social chat. J. B. Stephenson is running the corner store now, and appears to be doing a creditable business, while Mr. Jessup carries on the grocery store and post office on the north-west corner. We are indebted to Miss Rachel Mosher for assistance in procuring some of the village statistics which will appear in the directory.

The second station was at Cambridge. Here we found C. H. Dewey & Son on deck as usual. They conduct a general country store and are having a good trade. We dropped in to see landlord Nearing but found him out, and the same with F. A. Dewey who was absent from home.—Having taken the necessary notes on Cambridge we again started westward on the pike, and about sundown halted at "Uncle Alvin Osborn's," and we were easily persuaded to pass the night beneath his hospitable roof.—Had a good visit with him that evening talking over the old times when he lived in Tecumseh years ago. The next morning while breakfast was preparing he showed us some of his old relics. One was a sign board with the words "Jesse Osborn" thereon, which was nailed on the post in front of the "Silver Creek" house, when his father first took up his abode in Woodstock; a small plow and a pair of sheep-shears which came in with the original Tecumseh party in June, 1824, were among his mementos.—Jesse Osborn and his family came to Tecumseh in the summer of '24, and bought eighty acres along the creek north of John Whitenack's residence in the village. Mr. Osborn was a boy then, but his recollection is remarkably accurate in regard to events which transpired in those old times.

After an excellent farmer's breakfast we set out for Kelly's Corners, where we found quite a lively little country village. Geo. M. Lewis is the man who runs the general store and he seems to be the right man in the right place. Most of our information in regard to the village we obtained from him.

Turning southward, a drive of seven miles brought us to Addison, the growing bustling village on the western border. Our last visit to Addison was two years ago this summer, and we were surprised to see how much the town had improved during that period. We put up at Terpenning's Exchange and found it a good place to hang out at, although he is somewhat in "the suds" just at present with repairing and overhauling his house. He is making extensive improvements which will greatly increase his accommodations and make the Exchange a first class hotel in every respect. Among the principal business establishments of Addison we would note the following: O. B. Bowen runs an extensive harness store, which will compare favorably with any store of the kind in the county. Wm. N. Kline runs a good hardware store on the east side, and M. F. Turrell carries a similar stock equally as good on the west side.—Wm. E. Harrington has a good stock of canned goods, fresh and salt meats and runs a meat market in connection therewith. C. A. Smith runs a general country store and carries a very large stock of everything a person would wish to buy. This establishment is the leading mercantile house of Addison, and it has earned by honorable dealing the reputation it has so long enjoyed. We attempted to interview Mr. Smith, the proprietor of the mills, but somehow we happened to dodge each other. We found his head miller, J. H. Underwood, on deck however, and the business seems to move right along under his management. The entire business is practically in his hands as the proprietor lives at Gambolville, six miles away. The mill has a new turbine water wheel, two run of stones and two new set of rollers. Mr. J. H. Lane carries a large stock of groceries, boots and shoes, notions, etc., and is one of Addison's most promising young men. S. A. Power & Son have opened a new store lately on the west side and deal in drugs, paints and oils, tobacco, notions, &c. They have one of the neatest stores in the village.—S. D. Nesmith, a young merchant from Boston, has just opened a stock of dry goods and notions in the Swart out block, and proposes to give the citizens of Addison the nobbiest Dry Goods store in that section. We are somewhat known here, having recently married Miss Stella Burger. We predict that he will be a valuable addition to the businessmen of Addison. A. J. Kempton is opening a stock of watches, clocks and jewelry, and expects soon to establish himself in the village. Fred Curtis will open a bank in the house at the early day the safe has already arrived. A lumber yard is also an enterprise of the near future. There are several other business institutions in Addison, but we have no room to particularize. We took a drive out to see Fred Curtis on his big stock farm, but we failed to see him, as he was absent at Hillsdale. We were more fortunate with the Hathaways and found them at home on their beautiful farm east of the village, and the "latch string was out." They are dealing quite extensively now in well bred sheep, and intend to make a specialty of this hereafter. Had a good square dinner there Saturday noon.

The grading on the M. & O. road is nearly completed through Woodstock and the bridge ever the pond at Addison is completed. Addison will hear the whistle of the iron horse in a month or two more, and then will begin a career of business prosperity for the village to which her natural advantages entitle her. We started for home at two o'clock P. M., took supper with W. H. Smith, at Springville, and arrived at home in good season for Saturday night.

The Adrian common council, by a vote of five to three, has consented to let the Wabash company lay tracks on certain streets in that city, despite the protest of the property holders thereabouts.

—New Departure. — Having purchased the business and stock in trade formerly owned by Dr. E. Hause, I shall endeavor to continue the trade in a competent manner, and shall make a specialty of confectionery, teas, coffees, ice cream, by the dish or gallon. Oysters in their season. Lunches at all hours.
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—If you want a Drill, see the Hoosier Champion and Rooler Grain Drill at Snedicor's.

—No more poor bread made from Heck's all roll flour. Try it.
Heck Bros.

—The Improved Domestic with the new set of attachments beats them all. Call at Sparks' and see it.

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—Don't forget that Snedicor sells the best plows in Tecumseh. Call and see for yourself and try one.

—Spring Tooth Harrows at Snedicor's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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GOING NORTH. No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	5 20
5 25	8 40	" Manhattan Jc. "	9 54	5 13
5 33	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	5 04
6 08	9 29	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	4 26
6 14	9 35	" Dundee "	9 00	4 19
6 38	9 54	" Azalia "	8 50	4 05
6 47	10 03	" Milan "	8 34	3 50
6 55	10 12	" Franklin "	8 20	3 36
7 00	10 23	" Pittsfield "	8 06	3 28
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A. M.				
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2 05	3 50	" Kalamazoo "	3 32	6 10
			P. M.	
7 30	4 30	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 30
			A. M.	P. M.
7 17	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 35	3 15
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	6 40	" Big Rapids "	1 00	7 15
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			A. M.	
6 55		" P'tosk'y (G. R. & I	8 30	
8 25		" Mac'nack City "	7 00	

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Ask the most eminent physician

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And they will tell you explicitly and emphatically "Buchu."

Ask the same physicians

What is the most reliable and surest cure for all liver diseases or dyspepsia: constipation, indigestion, biliousness, malarial fever, ague, etc.," and they will tell you:

Mandrake or Dandelion!"

Hence, when these remedies are combined with others equally valuable

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Apply by the finger into the nostrils. It will be absorbed, effectually cleansing the nasal passages of catarrhal virus, causing healthy secretions. It allays inflammation, protects the membranal linings of the head from additional colds, completely heals the sores and restores the sense of taste and smell. Beneficial results are realized by a few applications.

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A FARM OF ABOUT 90 ACRES

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Typhoid Fever.

Typhoid fever is, of all diseases, preeminently a filth disease, traceable with as much certainty as fire from smoke. Wherever it exists it points unequivocally to unremoved filth; and is a disease, therefore, altogether and wholly preventable by proper sanitary measures. Notwithstanding, during the census year of 1870, there were in the United States 22,187 preventable deaths from typhoid fever. But, had there been the same ratio to the total population of the United States as in Philadelphia during Centennial year, the mortality from this cause would have been over 37,000. And this was far from being all, as regards Philadelphia. All over the country fatal cases of typhoid fever, and other diseases nearly allied to it, were attributable to the Centennial visitation, the neglected drainage, criminal insufficiency of water-closets and bad plumbing. These conditions so prominently manifest at the Centennial, and apparently to an extraordinary degree in Philadelphia even yet, as judged by the prevalence of typhoid fever, are, of all diseases of mortality, the most criminal, because the most easily preventable. Universal experience attests that water-closets inadequately provided with means for speedy and complete cleansing and aeration are prolific sources of typhoid fever and kindred affections in all temperate latitudes, and, with prevailing high temperature and moisture, of the still more deadly disease, yellow fever. And all the more dangerous are these conditions because they are not infrequently the means of spreading that disease to distant places. The existence of typhoid fever or allied diseases in any place is prima facie evidence of filthy surroundings.

About Letter Writing.

From Hill's Manual of Social and Business Forms.

As a rule, every letter, unless insulting in its character, requires an answer. To neglect to answer a letter, when written to, is as uncivil as to neglect to reply when spoken to.

In the reply, acknowledge first the receipt of the letter, mentioning its date, and afterwards consider all the points requiring attention.

If the letter is to be very brief, commence sufficiently far from the top of the page to give a nearly equal amount of blank paper at the bottom of the sheet when the letter is ended.

Should the matter in the letter continue beyond the first page, it is well to commence a letter above the middle of the sheet, extending as far as necessary on the later pages.

It is thought impolite to use a half sheet of paper in formal letters. As a matter of economy and convenience for business purposes, however, it is customary to have the card of the business man printed at the top of the sheet, and a single leaf is used.

In writing a letter, the answer to which is of more benefit to yourself than the person to whom you write, enclose a postage stamp for the reply.

Letters should be as free from erasures, interlineations, blots and postcripts as possible. It is decidedly better to copy the letters than to have these appear.

A letter of introduction or recommendation should never be sealed, as the bearer to whom it is given ought to know the contents.

A Good Poultry House.

For the foundation dig a ditch ending northwest and southeast, one foot deep, size of the building; in this build a wall two feet high on the surface, cement the whole space inside the walls and paint the walls inside and outside with cement, fill the remaining foot with dirt or anything else preferred; the house 10x12 and eight feet high to top of plate; it can be built of any kind of lumber, and studded or girted to suit the builder; clapboard or shingle the roof—it will be seen that one corner of the building is to stand exactly south; each side of this and close to it put in a large window, putting the frames on top of the sill; these will be provided with tight shutters for cold nights; this will give them the sun as soon as it rises, and they will be plentifully supplied until sunset.

This I consider of the greatest importance to laying fowls in winter. The ventilators will be furnished with tight-fitting slides to be moved with a cord. Inside the house is to be plastered the sides and top with mortar, mixed with an equal quantity of cement; this prevents the fowls from picking off the plastering. The furniture should be movable you then have a house that can be kept free from vermin very easy, and I don't think Jack Frost can injure the Leghorn family much in this house. This size house would keep thirty-three fowls.—*Poultry Journal.*

Summer in Norway.

The Norwegian house is one-half window. In their long winters they need all the sun they can get; not an outside blind, not an inside shutter, not a dark shade to be seen. Streaming, flooding, radiating in and round about the rooms comes the light, welcome or unwelcome, early and late. And to the words "early" and "late" there are in a Norway summer new meanings. The early light of the summer morning sets in about half-past 2, the late light of the summer evening fades into a luminous twilight about 11. Enjoyment of this species of perpetual day soon comes to an end. After the traveler has written home to everybody once by broad daylight at 10 o'clock the fun of the thing is over; normal sleepiness begins to hunger for its rights, and dissatisfaction takes the place of wondering amusement. This dissatisfaction reaches its climax in a few days; then, if he is wise, the traveler provides himself with several pieces of dark green cambric, which he pins up at his windows at bed-time, thereby making it possible to get seven or eight hours' rest for his tired eyes. But the green cambric will not shut out sounds; and he is lucky if he is not kept awake until 1 or 2 o'clock every night by the unceasing tread and loud chatter of the cheerful Norwegians, who have been forced to form the habit of setting up half their night-time, to get in the course of a year their full quota of c[illegible] time.

A housemaid writing to a friend respecting the fashions, said: "As for lonees, the loer it is the moar fashunable you air drest. Miss Goodra gave me a blue silk of hern; I cut its nek off, and Susin Simmons cut orf hern, and we attrax a grate deal of attenshun to our neks, promunading in the streets like uther ladys, and holding up our cloze. Nobody isn't nothing now which dosent hold up her cloze, and the hier you holes 'em the more you is notised."

Much distress and sickness attributed to dyspepsia and chronic diarrhoea is occasioned by humor in the stomach. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the remedy.

Dangerous Sport.

Dr. Peck, of the surgical institute, yesterday performed a surgical operation on the leg of a young girl by the name of Jordan, from Illinois, sent here for treatment. The bones of both of her legs will have to be partially removed, and the little sufferer will have to submit to two painful operations. The cause of her affection is from "jumping the rope," a pastime engaged in generally by young girls, resulting in necrosis or death of the bone. The doctor stated to a reporter in this connection, that similar cases were constantly occurring from the same cause, but more frequently resulting in necrosis of the spine, and that there has not been a month passed but more or less of this character come to the institute for treatment. He says that rope-jumping produces continuous concussion of the joints which impinges upon the bone, causing at the first stage periostitis, and finally resulting in death of the bone. He thinks that parents and teachers should be warned of this dangerous sport, and eradicate it entirely from the play grounds of [illegible] as it is ruinous in its effects, and is the prime cause of more cripples among the female portion of the community than probably any other cause. He also added that during the practice of his profession deaths had been occurring coming under his observation, which were the result of this and said: "I would warn children against rope-jumping, and would advise parents and teachers to prohibit it under all circumstances."—*Indianapolis Sentinel.*

Nigh. Air.

An extraordinary fallacy is the dread of night air. What [illegible] can we breathe at night but night air? The choice is between pure night air without, and foul air from within. Most people prefer the latter. An unaccountable choice. What will they say if it is proved to be true that fully one-half of all the diseases we suffer from are occasioned by people sleeping with their windows shut? An opened window, most nights in the year, can never hurt any one. In great cities, night air is often the best and purest air to be had in twenty-four hours. I could better understand shutting the windows in town during the day, than during the night, for the sake of the sick. The absence of smoke, the quiet, all tend to make the night the best time for airing the patient. One of our highest medical authorities on consumption and climate, has told me that the air in London is never so good as after ten o'clock at night. Always air your room then from the outside air, if possible. Windows are made to open, doors are made to shut—a truth which seems extremely difficult of apprehension. Every room must be aired from without—every passage from within. But the fewer passages there are in a hospital the better.—*Florence Nightingale.*

Wouldn't Contribute.

When Lincoln was practicing in the old Sangamon county court house, in the days of the old-fashioned slat settees, a tall, slim lawyer, noted for wearing a very short coat, slid along on the seat to be nearer the advocate addressing the jury. A protruding nail tore the seat of the lawyer's pantaloons. Obliged to follow his opponent immediately, there was no time to sew up the rent in the garment. A legal wag present wrote a subscription paper: "We, the undersigned, agree to pay the sums set opposite to our several names for the purpose of purchasing Brother Brown a new pair of pantaloons." Several of the lawyers put down sums ranging from fifty cents to ten cents. The paper was presented to Lincoln, who sat opposite the rear of the advocate, who, bending over in gesticulation, made quite an exposure. Lincoln took out his pencil, and wrote upon the paper: "I have nothing to contribute to the end in view." The lawyers roared with laughter; the judge asked to see the paper, when he, too, in turn, had to roar. All this time the unconscious victim of the fun was ignorant of the cause of the laughter, and at last joined in the merriment.

The Earth's First Land.

If one wishes to see the oldest parts of the world, let him go to Trenton Falls, N. J., and, after visiting the excavations made by the natural action of a mountain torrent into the ancient rocks, go to the hotel and see the collection made by the landlord, at an expense of $10,000, of specimens which prove the record of a geological age so remote that no imagination can grasp it. Professor Agassiz declared that the land reaching from Trenton Falls to Saratoga was the first that appeared above the sea on the creation. Here are the trilobites in great variety, all modeled in black marble, so perfectly preserved in form that the multitudinous lenses of their eyes are as apparent under the microscope as are those of a living fly. Millions of years before man walked the earth these creatures lived their life, the limestone took on their forms, and here they are! What are *scarabæi* and ancient *intaglii*, or any other engraved or modeled semblance of the old life, compared to the trilobites? These creatures not only lived, but had become everlasting stone millions of years before there was a living man to see them.

An Undoubted Blessing.

About thirty years ago, a prominent Physician by the name of Dr. William Hall discovered, or produced after long experimental research, a remedy for diseases of the throat, chest and lungs, which was of such wonderful efficacy that it soon gained a wide reputation in this country. The name of the medicine is Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, and may be safely relied on as a speedy and positive cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, &c.—Sold by all Druggists.

Durno's Catarrh Snuff.

This well-known remedy for Catarrh still maintains its well earned popularity. E. A. Savage, of Geneva, Kansas, writes, March 4, 1880. "I have used Durno's Catarrh Snuff, and it is the only thing that does me any good. It always effects a cure." Sold by all druggists everywhere.

Townsly's Toothache Anodyne cures instantly.

There are two sorts of ignorance; we start from the one, we repose in the other; they are the goals from which, and to which, we tend; and the pursuit of knowledge is but a course between two ignorance, as human life is only a traveling from grave to grave.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla contains Iodide of Potassium and Iron, with the best vegetable blood purifiers.

Reading Servants.

There are many women who complain if their housemaids show a fondness for reading, even in moments of leisure; but they could hardly find the kind of service they like in the servant who cannot read. Did any of you ever notice the difference between the educated and the uneducated housekeeper? The one brings all her intelligence to bear upon her work, the other works with a stolidness that betrays her sluggish brain. If all servant girls were educated, one would save money even at a higher rate of wages than by employing uneducated women. One of the first business houses in New York, known as well in Europe as in this country, furnishes books, teachers and apparatus for a thorough instruction of all their employes in the common branches, and the rudiments of science and mechanics, requiring them to give an hour daily at recitation, for which they prepare out of work hours. No deduction is made because of this hour's absence from the work room or on account of instruction or board. The house gets its return from outlays of this sort from the increased skill and intelligence of its employes. If the house mistress can feel and take an interest in the substantial improvement of her domestic help and make them sensible of it, she will have a basis for expectation that they in turn will be conscientious in their regard for her interests and her rights. In all stations of life intelligence is to be praised.

Detectives and Private Officers

Usually wear their badges of authority concealed under their clothing, but Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil wears its badges in the form of printed labels attached to each and every bottle, so that all may know its mission. It is given full and complete authority to arrest all aches and pains, and does its duty every time.

Artificial Respiration

The Medical Press and Circular, 1880, informs us that in a communication to the French Academy, Professor Fort raises against the question of premature interments. One fact he mentions is, that he was enable to restore to life a child three years old, by practicing artificial respiration on it in four hours, commencing three hours and a half after apparent death. Another case was communicated to him by Dr. Fournol, of Billancourn, who, in July, 1878, reanimated a nearly drowned person after four hours of artificial respiration. This person had been in the water ten minutes, and the doctor arrived one hour after asphyxia. Professor Fort insisted also on the utility of artificial respiration in case of poisoning, in order to eliminate the poisons from the lungs and glands. The length of time it is desired to practice artificial respiration in any case of apparent death from asphyxia, Professor Fort has not yet determined, but his general conclusion is that it should be maintained perseveringly for several hours.

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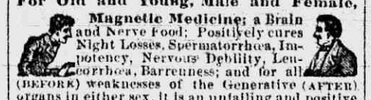

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Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
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Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	.....
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	5 10 A.M.
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Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
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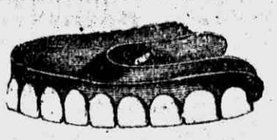

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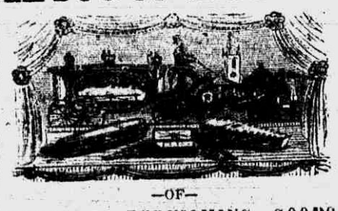

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Mere Forms of Law.

One of the officials of Justice alley was the other day called upon by an old gray headed farmer and his wife, together with a neighbor, and outside the door they hitched an old half blind horse whose cash value was reckoned at $25.

"You see" explained the old farmer, nabur Jones wants to buy the old hoss out there; but he wants a bill o' sale signed by wife and I. We want you to draw up one for us."

The justice reached down one of the printed blanks, read it out, and then said:

"Now, you listen while I read this over and see if it is all right. All ready, now."

"Know all men by these presents. That ——"

"Presents! Why I'm not going to present him with the hoss!" interrupted the farmer.

"And we don't want any presents from him!" added the wife.

"That's all right—only a legal form," exclaimed his honor. Listen:

"Know all men by these presents. That Andrew Jackson Wayne ——— first part ——— for and in consideration ——— sum of $25 ——— grant ——— bargain and sell ——— party ——— second part ——— his executors, administrators ——— and assigns forever ——— covenant and agree ——— defend the same ——— heirs executors and administrators ———"

"I haven't got any executors or administrators!" interrupted neighbor Jones.

"No; all he's got is a wife and two girls!" added the owner of the horse.

"All form—all mere form," explained the justice, and he went on:

"And assigns forever ——— covenant and agree ——— defend the same ——— heirs executors and administrators ———"

"William, I shall never sign no such paper!" suddenly exclaimed the wife as she rose up.

"Nor I, either," stoutly replied the husband.

"Why, I'd shake in my boots every time I met a constable!"

"It is all mere form according to law," explained his honor. "All bills of sale read this way."

"Looks to me as if it was sort o' tangled up," said neighbor Jones. "The old hoss is blind of one eye, and how can they warrant him?"

"And what has this hoss sale got to do with his heirs and covenants?" inquired the old man.

"I won't sign—I won't have anything to do with it!" exclaimed the wife, as she walked around. "We've always kept clear of the law, and we hain't going to get into no scrape and lose our farm now—not if we know it!"

The more the justice tried to explain, the bigger the words looked, and the trio finally walked out. While they were unhitching the horse along came a house painter, and when he had heard their story he picked up a piece of paper in the alley, pulled out a stub of a pencil and wrote:

"We hereby sell this horse to John Jones for $25, cash down. We raised him from a colt, and his name is Andrew Jackson."

The paper was signed, passed over with the horse, and as the farmer received the money he said:

"That's all there is to it, law or no law, and it didn't take two minutes. Why I'd taken Andrew Jackson back home and knocked him in the head, afore I'd put my name to that paper binding us to keep on covenanting and agreeing and assigning and administering a whole life-time on one old hoss!"

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1. In letters of business use as few words as possible.
2. Business letters should be promptly answered.
3. Use a clear, distinct writing, avoiding all flourish of penmanship or language.
4. Come at once to your subject, and state it so clearly that it will not be necessary to guess your meaning.
5. Give town, county, state and date explicitly. It is frequently of great importance to know when a letter was written.
6. Read your letter carefully when finished, to see that you have made no omissions and no mistakes. Also carefully examine your envelope, to see that it is rightly directed, with postage stamp affixed.
7. Copy all business letters of your own, by hand, or with the copying press, made for the purpose.
8. Send money by draft, post-office order, or express, always stating in the letter the amount, and by what means sent. Thus you have something to show for money, guaranteeing you against loss.
9. Write date and from whom received across the end of each letter, and file for future refrence, fastening the letters together with rubber bands, or binding in a letter-file adapted to the purpose. The posession of a letter sometimes prevents litigation and serious misunderstanding.

In ordering goods, state very explicitly the amount, kind, quality, color, shape size, etc., and on what terms wanted. Whether on wish the same sent by freight or express and what express. Much inconvenience is experienced among business men because of a neglect to designate explicitly what is wanted.

Should the writer wish to make suggestions, ask questions, or add other matter to the letter, which is foreign to the subject, such words should be placed entirely separate from the order. Of fifty or a hundred letters received to-day, by the merchant, that one which is mixed up with complaints enquiries, etc., will probably be laid over till to-morrow, or until such time can be gained as will enable the merchant to read it through. Had the order been explicitly stated, and the suggestions placed elsewhere, the goods would have been forwarded immediately.

Send your order, also, early enough to give yourself plenty of time to wait for the goods to arrive.

Indulgent parents who allow their children to eat heartily of high-seasoned food, rich pies, cake, &c., will have to use Hop Bitters to prevent indigestion, sleepless nights, sickness, pain, and, perhaps, death. No family is safe without them in the house.

Why Mail Matter Goes Amiss.

In this country there are 18 Brooklyns; 7 Baltimores, 5; Buffaloes, 16; Burlingtons, 17; Charlestons, 17; Chicagoes, 4; Cincinnattis, 8; Clevelands, 10; Columbuses, 19; Daytons, 25; Detroits, 5; Indianapolises, 2; Louisvilles 15; Lowels, 15; Memphis', 8; Milwaukees, 3; Nashvilles, 14; Omahas, 5; Pittsburghs, 8; Philadelphias, 7; Portlands, 24; Quincys, 15; Richmonds, 22; Springfields, 25; St. Josephs, 15; St. Louises, 4; St. Pauls, 12; Toledos, 7; Washingtons, 30; Wilmingtons, 13; and Williamsburgs, 28. There are eleven Bostons in the United States—one each in Texas, Georgia, Louisiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio, New York, Pennsylvania, Tennessee and Virginia.

No family or traveler, in a malarial district, should ever be without that sure antidote—Ayer's Ague Cure.—Warranted to cure all malarial disorders.

Growth of America.

In the number and importance of its cities the United States, as Mr. Robert P. Porter shows in the *International Review*, has advanced to the third rank. Among the countries of Europe, only Great Britain and Russia now have more cities of 25,000 inhabitants and upward than appear in our enumeration of 1880. So slight is the advantage of these two foreign nations that the next census will undoubtedly show the United States at the head of the column. Since 1870 old cities have grown and new ones have sprung up at a rate that must astonish the Old World. In the great West cities have doubled and trebled in size within less than ten years, and one—Denver—shows a sevenfold increase of population. Taking 8,000 inhabitants as a minimum size, we now have 225 cities, a gain of fifty-nine in ten years, while the cities of 50,000 inhabitants and upward have increased in number from seventy-one to 141. In 1870 no American city had a million inhabitants, and only two had half that number. In 1880, one appears with more than a million and four with more than half a million each. To-day nearly one-quarter of our population is urban. In 1800 only one in 31 lived in cities, in 1850 one in 15, in 1880 one in 10, and in 1890 nearly one fifth was urban. This is a significant indication of the striking advance made in manufacturing and other industries which flourishes in cities and towns. If the growth in population and in cities has been rapid, the material progress made since 1870 has been generally great and in many directions extraordinary. It is but a day or two ago that we gave in these columns the census figures showing the unprecedented increase of nearly 100 per cent. in the cereal product of the United States. The yield of the two leading grain staples was enormous ten years ago, but the wheat crop has now attained a magnitude 73 per cent. and the corn crop 133 per cent. greater than they were then. Returns of the cereal crops are the only agricultural statistics of the new census yet given to the public. But other trustworthy reports show that the general progress in agriculture has been extraordinary. Since 1870 the production of cotton has increased from 3,000,000 to 6,090,000 bales, while the wool clip of the country has nearly doubled. Still more marvelous is the growth of our export trade in farm and domestic products. From 1870 to 1880 the bread and bread-stuffs sent to foreign countries advanced in value from seventy-two to two hundred and eighty-eight million dollars, provisions from twenty-nine to one hundred and twenty-seven millions, and live animals from one to fifteen million dollars. This remarkable agricultural advance has been attended with an equally striking extension of the transportation system of the country. There are now two miles of railroad where there was one in 1870, while the cost of moving agricultural produce from the Northwest to the seaboard is now only about one-third of what it was then. The rich mines of the far West have also been made to contribute handsomely to the material prosperity of the past ten years. The production of gold has, indeed, been gradually declining for a long series of years, but the annual yield of silver has been raised since 1870 from $15,000,000 to $40,000,000.—*New York Herald, July*, 1881.

Nearer to Nature.

Nature has made her laws with us, which we must obey or suffer the penalty. This penalty is often lung or throat trouble, which leads on to consumption. Every man believes consumption incurable. People have been educated to this belief which is proven incorrect by Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which is nature's great helpmate, and it cures consumption and all throat and lung diseases speedily and permanently. Trial bottles free, of Baker and Hall.

Kiss And Make

What married life needs to give it new tone and sweetness is more of the manner as well as the spirit of the old courting days. The beautiful attentions which before marriage were so pleasant are too often forgotten afterward. The gifts, cease or come only with the asking; the music dies out of the voice; everything is taken as a matter of course. Then come dull, heavy, hard days to the unhappy souls that have solemnly promised to "love honor and obey," etc., and the consequence is they begin by wishing themselves apart, and are not always content with the mere wishing.

Very much of the pleasure of courtship is derived from the constant attention of the parties to each other. Their affection for each other's voices evinces itself in every possible way. Every sentence is gilt-edged with compliments spoken in tender tones. Every look is a confession of love; every act is a new word in the exhaustless vocabulary of love. Gifts and personal sacrifices are the more emphatic expressions of the spirit no language can articulate; no evidence declare. It is a fact that devotion declares itself continually in words and acts. At the touch of Cupid's wand the language grows more rapid, the fingers gentler in their touch, and the voice more musical. Love is very like the silver jet of a fountain that leaps heavenward; if denied its natural outlet it ceases to flow altogether. The love of courtship can be kept bright and beautiful through married life by giving it utterance or expression in words; and the more it is allowed to flow out in delicate attentions and noble, helpful services the stronger it will become and the more satisfying. The beautiful attentions of the husband refresh, brighten and make the wife strong-hearted and keen-sighted in everything pertaining to her home and her husband's happiness. And the parting words of love from the wife give the husband new courage as he goes forth to meet the trials and difficulties of business. The home is home only when pervaded with this blessed influence of love, and the marriage vow should not be made once for all at the altar, but should be kept by husband and wife "until death do them part."

Husbands, talk to your wives lovingly as in the early days of courtship, when you wished to win their affection. Wives, meet every show of tenderness from your husbands as you did in the beautiful days that linger so pure and sweet in your memory, and your home will be a type of that heavenly home that only is promised to those who love.

The True Test.

If a man is hungry within an hour more or less after a meal he is a dyspeptic, it shows his stomach is not able to dispose of what he has eaten, but to eat again, and thus impose more work, is absurdity. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malaria diseases. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

A Shrewd Reply.

Sir Walter Scott says that the alleged origin of the invention of cards produced one of the shrewdest replies he had ever heard given in evidence. It was made by the late Dr. Gregory, at Edinburgh, to a counsel of great eminence at the Scottish bar. The doctor's testimony went to prove the insanity of the party whose mental capacity was the point at issue. On a cross interrogation he admitted that the person played admirably at whist. "And do you seriously say, doctor," said the learned counsel, "that a person having a superior capacity for a game so difficult, and which requires, in a pre-eminent degree, memory, judgment, and combination, can be at the same time deranged in his understanding?"

"I am no card player," said the doctor, with great address, "but I have read in history, that cards were invented for the amusement of an insane king." The consequences of this reply were decisive.

Polishing the Wrong End.

Many men daily polish their boots who never give a thought to the condition of their hair, except to harrow it painfully with brush and comb, or submit it to the repulsive attentions of the average barber. What hapens? Why, this: From neglect, mental anxiety, or any of a score of causes, the hair turns prematurely gray and begins to fall out. Paker's Hair Balsam will at once stop the latter process and restore the original color. An elegant dressing, free from grease.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Friday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alva Waring praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. aug23

ESTATE OF JOHN SMITH.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Susanah M. Exelby, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Jesse Exelby.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF IDA M. HASTINGS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 22d day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ida M. Hastings, (formerly Ida M. Odell) minor.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minor, praying for license to invest the money in his hands belonging to said minor in certain real estate particularly described in said petition for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate
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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

William Hayden, Complainant,
vs.
Daniel O'Connor, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 24th day of September 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (that being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight, (138) one hundred and thirty-nine, (139) and two hundred and ninety-five (295) and two hundred and ninety-six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated July 31, 1883.

FRANK R. PAYNE, Circuit Court Commissioner.
E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. aug9

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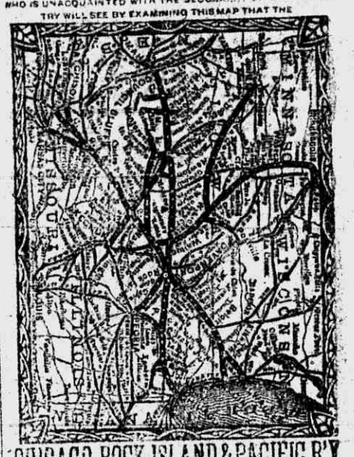

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This magnificent waterfall is one of the most stupendous of nature's wonders. It is the highest fall yet discovered, leaping clear from the rocks into the air, and falling in one unbroken sheet 1,550 feet into the chasm below. After it leaves the rock above it is soon torn into spray, being swayed and moved by the wind with marvelous grace and endless variety of motion. For a short distance this cataract descends in a wide unbroken sheet, with a continuous rumble; it is then caught and whirled upward in a rising seething and ceaseless wreathing mist, finally falling into the chasm below, and rising in a fine cloud-like spray, often tinged with all the varying colors of the rainbow. The aspect of this majestic water fall is awe inspiring in the extreme. The great mass of water descending with a continuous roar in one unbroken sheet, swayed by the force of the wind in graceful undulations, its white foaming mass in bold relief like a broad ribbon on the dark rocks, with its many tinted rainbow mists, is a sight to move the beholder with admiration and awe. From a distance this fall resembles a great sheet of white satin; [illegible] first of a series of three cataracts of the Merced River, the second being 250 feet and the third 450 feet high. The course of the river below the falls is covered with boulders and rocks carried down by the seething waters, the rocks are covered here and there with moss and ferns, rendering many agreeable contrasts of color.

Prof. Brewer, describing this fall, says: "It seemed as mobile as smoke, and assumed new varieties of outlines each instant, so light and airy that it seemed as easily swayed by the wind as lace; yet it struck with deadening thunder. The concussion was perceptible through the granite for some distance. The discharge of water is estimated at 250 to 300 cubic feet per second. In winter the water falls behind a great cone of ice, which is from 100 to 200 feet thick, and emerging beneath this ice, a grand stupendous arch is formed like those in the glaciers at Mt. Blanc. Standing at the foot of this magnificent fall, a thousand feet above the bottom of the valley, the violent tempest of spray, ice pellets, or hail, is felt with great force, the hands and face being stung like shot by pelting hail stones. These fell in great profusion, but rapidly melted, for the sun shone full on the fall, and the adjoining rocks reflected the heat. The diameter of some of these pellets was 1.10 of an inch. Thus we have here the spray of a waterfall condensed and frozen into hail. The water of this stream, being supplied from the melting snows, plunges over the brink of the precipice just at the freezing point. In its fall it appears to be atomized for 1,200 or 1,400 feet of its descent. A large volume of air is drawn into this falling mass along its whole course, the sheet spreading as it descends. The quantity of air is so great that it pushes outward on the bottom of the valley and is very perceptible as a cool current more than a mile distant from the base of the upper fall. The air as sucked into the fall is immediately cooled to 32° by the ice cold water. As it passes in, it is very dry, and the rapid saturation within the sheet is sufficient to freeze a portion of the drops."

Preservation of the Eye-Sight.

A remarkable proof of the harmlessness of using glasses, even a single glass, is furnished by watchmakers, who appear to enjoy an enviable immunity from eye diseases. It is uncommon to see a watchmaker in an ophthalmic hospital. The habitual exercise of the eye upon fine work tends to the development and preservation of its powers. This is in analogy to a truth now getting currency that brain work is necessary to physical health. The idea is developed in this remarkable passage from a book by Robert Brudenell Carter on "Eye-sight, Good and Bad." The man who would preserve the full integrity of his functions to a ripe old age must avoid excess of every description, and must endeavor to employ the higher faculties of his mind somewhat more energetically than is now always customary. A time comes to every one when the physical powers begin to decay, and then, unless the brain has been kept active and recipient by exercise, there is nothing left to live, and the man perishes. We say that he died of gout, or of overeating, or of heart disease, or of kidney disease, or of the failure of the particular organ which was the first to exhibit symptoms of the approaching end. In reality he has died of stupidity, artificially produced by neglect of the talents with which he was endowed. That which is true of the organism as a whole, is true also of its parts; and the eyes, among others, are best treated by an amount of systematic use which preserves the tone of their muscles and the regularity of their blood supply. The acuteness of sight, moreover, is in a great degree dependent upon the mental attention habitually paid to visual impressions; and I have often observed this acuteness to be below the natural average in agricultural laborers who, if able in one sense to read, were not in the habit of reading, and who were not accustomed to look at small objects. I have even had reason to think that the wives of such men were indebted to their household needle work for the maintenance of a higher standard of vision than that of their husbands; and I have no doubt that idleness of the eyes, if I may use such an expression, is in every way hurtful to them, and that proper and varied employment is eminently conducive to their preservation in beauty and efficiency.

Noises of Workshops.

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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	[illegible] @	1 60
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00 @	7 50
Beef, Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear, ₩ [illegible]	38 @	40
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	37 @	40
Clover Seed	7 00 @	7 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	[illegible] @	15
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 25 @	7 50
Dry Apples, ₩ ℔	[illegible] @	[illegible]
Dry Peaches, ₩ ℔	[illegible] @	[illegible]
Honey, ₩ ℔	@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔	@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@	13
Oats, ₩ bushel	32 @	36
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @	35
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	[illegible] @	1 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	1 00 @	1 02
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PUBLIC notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of September A. D., 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the residence of the undersigned, in the township of Clinton, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, I will meet for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township of Clinton, described as follows: Beginning at a point in an old ditch about 36 rods North and [illegible] East of the quarter post between sections [illegible] and 12 of said township of Clinton and running thence in the general direction of the ditch or water course as marked out and laid down on the plat or map of said ditch or water course made by Fred Dudley, surveyor, and dated August, 1883; thence on a magnetic bearing S 10° W 25 rods; thence S 27° 10' W 25 rods; thence S 45° 45' W 20 48-100 rods; thence S 31° 45' E 26 80-100 rods; thence S 2° 45' W 20 4-100 rods; thence S 14° 20' W 19 96-100 rods; thence S 2° 30' E 54 72-100 rods; thence S 45° 45' E 26 rods; thence S 24° 0' E 13 8-100 rods; thence S 15° 0' W 18 32-100 rods; thence S 24° 45' W 7 28-100 rods; thence S 8° 45' E 6 80-100 rods; thence S 42° 30' W 14 4-100 rods; thence S 2° 30' E 35 52-100 rods; thence S 18° 15' E 20 56-100 rods; thence S 47° 0' E 22 32-100 rods; thence S 75° 15' E 18 28-100 rods; thence S 45° 15' E 6 80-100 rods; thence S 25° 30' W 12 48-100 rods; thence S 2° 30' W 20 28-100 rods; thence S 30° 30' W 4 rods; thence S 7° 0' E 19 64-100 rods; thence S 61° 0' E 19 28-100 rods; thence S 7° 45' W 32 52-100 rods; thence South 36° 30' W 5 rods; thence S 22° 30' W 4 04-100 rods to the stake at the bridge on East and West dividing line between sections 13 and 24, about 49 rods West of the East quarter mile post. The dimensions of said drain to be as follows: Width of bottom, [illegible] feet, slope of each side, 1½ feet to one foot rise, depth as marked on the profile drawing of said ditch at each stage, and at that time I will let contracts for the construction of said drain by sections to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders.

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Jack Frost hasn't called on us as yet but is expected nightly.

Farmers express some fears that the corn crop will be a partial failure; the cool weather having materially impeded its maturity of late.

If it be true that anticipation affords more pleasure than participation the cider drinker of western Lenawee will be afforded a blissful autumn this year. Apples, like ten dollar notes, are few and far between.

The boys bustle and business booms in this villa—was appropriately observed by an ex-resident a few days since.

Building is progressing finely on the west side, while preparations are making for a commodious ware house east of the mill to be controlled by the Smiths.

Rev. Duke Whiteley, pastor of the M. E. church for two years past, preached an appropriate farewell sermon last Sabbath evening from the text "And now brethren I commend you to God."

The village school will open for the fall term on Monday next with Mr. Hutchins, of Woodstock, as principal, and Miss Ada A. Hodge, of this place as assistant.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

N. B. Banks, dentist, and wife, left yesterday for Detroit where they expect to make their future home. The Dr. made many warm friends while here and we regret that he found it necessary to leave.

Geo. W. Lewis, of South Bend, Ind., is here, probably to look after his interests in the woolen mills.

Mr. Haskins, a grain buyer of Adrian, came up here Monday to canvass the situation and prospects for buying grain at this place, and for making it the base of his operations in the future. He found the merchants and business men pretty well stirred up in the matter, and seemed favorably impressed with the outlook. The demand for a good resident buyer has become chronic, and there is to be no let up until we have one. The business men are all determined that the wrongs they have suffered, and the great disadvantages under which they have labored for the past year or two shall be removed, and that right soon. We need a buyer in whom the public (especially the farmers) can have implicit confidence and one whose interests are identical with those of the town, and we are going to have such an one.

SPRINGVILE SNUFF.

J. H. Smith has sold his house and lot and expects to make Tecumseh his home after the 17th.

T. H. Mosher is about to repair his mill by putting in the roller system, and has ordered $1400 worth of machinery to be put in at once.

R. S. Rogers has the foundation laid for an extension to his horse barn.

Misses Belle and Lizzie Kinney have returned to Brooklyn again to attend school.

Miss Cynthia Monaghan and Miss Winnie Rogers have returned to Tecumseh to attend school.

Wm. Clayson goes to Monroe this week to attend to the duties about a farm for a year.

Railroad collision on the M. & O. one day last week, at or near Cambridge station, between the walking boss and the time-keeper. Blowing off steam the cause.

J. H. Breese will soon move into his newly purchased house in the village, while Fred Groger and family will occupy the one at the mill.

School meeting passed off very quiet and the district expect soon to have a general turnout of men and teams to grade off the grounds in proper shape about the new school house.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Sept. 3, 1883.

Regular session.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Smith, Sparks and the Recorder.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing, and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the contingent fund.

W. C. Jordan, services as St. Com. 25 days	$50 00
Robt. Magill, 9½ days labor on streets	14 25
Wm. Brown, 10 " " " "	15 00
John Hubbard, for watching on streets two nights	4 00
J. W. Patterson, for hay 2130 lbs	10 65
H. H. Keyser, 26 bu. oats	7 40
Mt. Vernon Lantern Wks. Co., lamp supplies	16 82
John M. Hibbard, for one day, services as Deputy Marshal	2 00

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following resolution was adopted by Council:

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh that subdivision nine, (9) of section two, (2) of an ordinance relative to licenses, passed August 7, 1881, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

9.) The proprietors, managers, or persons in charge of any concert, musical entertainment, theater, public exhibition, plays, games or shows for money, shall pay a license for each day of not less than three, or, more than five dollars at the discretion of the President and Recorder: provided, nothing in this chapter contained shall apply to selling property by virtue of legal process, or under mortgage, nor persons selling fruit, garden, dairy or farm products, nor to any exhibition of any public or private school, or music-teacher, or association, order or society being resident of said village, nor any concert or entertainment for the benefit of any church.

The committee on streets recommend that the grade of Maumee street be raised at the crossing of the Michigan & Ohio railway to correspond with the grade of such railway. On motion the matter is left with the committee with instructions to do what to them seems for the best interests of the village.

The Marshal, in behalf of Mr. James, came before the Council and represented that the assessors, in extending the valuation of the property of E. M. Gray, made a mistake whereof the taxes on that property was $4.20 in excess of what were intended by the assessor, and Mr. James having paid this sum into the village treasury, he asks that it be refunded to him by Council.

On motion the Recorder is directed to draw an order on the treasurer in favor of Mr. James, that the above matter might be equitably adjusted.

The following claims were presented and referred to Finance Committee:

John M. Hibbard, services as Deputy Marshal	$5 00
John M. Hibbard, services in the arrest of Pat Redmond	1 70
John Smith, services in the arrest of John Campbell	1 25
Thos. Kyle, services in the arrest of James King	1 70
Charles Bidwell, for board of persons committed to jail under the ordinance to wit:	
John Campbell, 30 days	$18 00
James King 20 days	12 00
Patrick Redman, 25 days	15 00
Locking the above prisoners	2 10

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON,
Recorder.

THE DETROIT ART EXPOSITION.

An Admirable Building and a Magnificent Art Exposition.

The Detroit Art Loan Exhibition opened September 1st promises to exceed the most sanguine expectations of the projectors, both as to size and quality, numbering over four thousand exhibits, one thousand of which are paintings by the best living artists or originals and valuable copies of the old masters.

The building is of brick, 135x153, and has eighteen exhibition rooms, beside the necessary offices, &c.

The ground plan herewith will measurably show the scope of this ambitious enterprise:

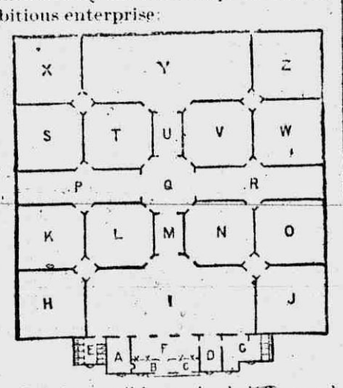

It is impossible to give briefly an adequate idea of the details of the exhibition; as a help, however, to the proper understanding of the same, it will be well to know that each of the twelve smaller rooms, 30x30 will be as large as any apartment in the Louisville Art Exhibition, the latter having but four all told.

Several of these in the Detroit Art Loan are occupied by single exhibitors, whose collections, in some cases, will be of at least $150,000 in value.—Such citizens of Detroit as the Hon. James F. Joy, General R. A. Alger, Senator Palmer, Mr. James McMillan, together with Mr. Hurlburt, of Cleveland, and many of his friends, are fully identified with the work, and their choicest treasures will be placed on exhibition. Among the articles of special interest will be a fine painting sent as a gift from Pope Leo XIII. at Rome, with his blessing upon it and the Loan, a bit of gold and silver embroidery once belonging to Queen Elizabeth, antique bronzes from Commander Goringe, who brought the obelisk to New York, and Cyprian antiquities from General de Cesnola, many elegant silk textile fabrics, costly laces, curious almost without number, exquisite etchings and water colors (a room full of each); more than twenty fine marble statues form a single feature of the exhibit.

The various railroad and steamboat lines have decided upon offering excursion tickets at extremely low rates.

The Lime-Kiln club is coming.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

The house of Andrew Fraser, of Corunna, burned last week.

A new middlings purifier factory is to be built at Jackson.

The new salt works at Marine City will be put in operation in a few days.

Rumors of another daily paper being started at Lansing.

Caro has a population of 1,763 an increase of 401 since the census of 1880.

The large new threshing machine factory at Battle Creek will be occupied about Oct. 1.

James Dawson, a pioneer of Allegan, died last week. He had lived in Allegan since 1837.

Mrs. John Hite, of Charlotte, has been adjudged insane and taken to the asylum at Pontiac.

A post of the G. A. R. is the newest thing at Brighton. The boys are closing up the ranks solidly in Michigan.

A 12-years-old lad, son of H. R. Hill, of Muskegon, was drowned last week while playing on the saw logs at North Muskegon.

The Mancelona iron furnace, which burned down last May, will rebuild immediately, and will give employment to 150 men.

The Roscommon school inspectors having neglected or failed to elect a county examiner, M. F. Parker has been appointed to fill the place.

Burglars visited the house of Peter Oakley, of Galesburg, last week, and took a suit of clothes, a watch and chain, and $5 in cash.

The new prison or asylum for insane convicts will be located at the southeast corner of the house of correction grounds.

Marshall's central school building is now heated by means of a complete steam apparatus, put in at a cost of $4,000.

The editor of the Romeo Observer is in the cave of gloom. Some malicious person imposed upon him a bogus marriage notice of two persons who have no idea of marrying.

The boiler shop, pattern room and barn owned by Ford & Madison and occupied by Hill & Co., foundrymen, at Kalamazoo, burned last week.—Loss about $5,000.

Arthur Tullon, of near Benton Harbor, was shot by some unknown person last week, while at work in the field. The shot was fired from the bushes.

The wife of Rev. E. H. Teale, of Charlotte, has received information from France that, by the recent death of an aunt, she is heir to a large fortune.

There is yet no solution of the Marshall mystery as to the cause of the death of the unknown man, whose body was found in the woods near that city a few days ago.

About three tons of celery are shipped daily from Kalamazoo, and sometimes as much as four tons are shipped in a day. Kalamazoo celery is making the town famous.

A man named Joseph Griffin jumped on and off the night express train bound east; as it drew up at Kalamazoo last Friday, and as he jumped off he fell beneath the wheels and was instantly killed.

A Romeo auctioneer advertises for sale, on account of a local merchant, nine judgments, 21 accounts and 13 notes. The merchant proposes to sell that sort of goods every month until he gets his books clear.

Dr. Henry Baker, of Coldwater, died last Thursday night. He was born in 1812 and was an old settler of Coldwater. He was prominent in odd fellow circles and was buried under the auspices of that order.

Battle Creek rejoices greatly over the fact that the members of their boat club brought home two diamond pins from the Michigan Centre regatta. The boys were given a fine reception on their arrival home.

The logs that ran away from Grand Rapids a few weeks ago during the Grand river floods carrying off the railway bridges are to be hoisted out at Grand Haven and shipped back by rail.

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad company will greatly enlarge their shipping facilities at Kalamazoo, and have begun the erection of a new freight house and other buildings.

An apiarest at Buchanan has forty stands of bees from which he will get over 2,000 pounds of honey this season. One stand has already yielded over 100 pounds. Both German and Italian bees are kept, but the former are preferred.

IRISH LAMENTATION.

Cold, dark and dumb lies my boy on his bed;
Cold, dark and silent the night dews are shed;
But swift and fierce fall my tears for the dead!

His footprints lay light in the dew of the dawn
As the straight, slender track of the young mountain fawn;

But I'll never again follow them o'er the lawn.

His manly cheek blushed with the sun's rising ray,
And he shone in his strength like the sun at mid-
But a cloud of black darkness has hid him away.

And that cloud forever shall cling to the skies;
And never, ah, never, I'll see him arise,
Lost warmth of my bosom, lost light of my eyes!

THE KEEPER'S DAUGHTER.

A PRETTY GOOD LOVE STORY.

A lighthouse on a rocky coast. Outside, thunder, lightning, wind, and rain, and great black waves dashing up against the rocks at the foot of the tower. Inside, a winding flight of stairs leading to an octagon-shaped room containing the plainest furniture. The occupants, a girl of eighteen, tall and lithe, with black hair hanging in massive bands to her waist, and luminous grey eyes under straight black brows. Her dress of gray waterproof cloth was short and scant, and hung in wet folds about her limbs; and strangest of all girdles, a coil of rope encircled her waist and trailed one end on the floor. By her side a boy of fourteen years, with his blue blouse open at the throat, and a faded plush cap on his dark curls. These two were bending over a man who lay in all his magnificent length on the floor. A picturesque looking man, with fair hair clinging in dripping masses to his forehead; a curling golden beard, and a white firm throat, and one might be persuaded that the closed lids with their long fringes covered a pair of steel blue eyes.

"Reckon he's a goner, Liz," said the boy, as he paused in his vigorous rubbing of the man's hands.

The girl was forcing some liquor from a tin cup between the blue lips, and did not answer directly; but when their patient gave the faintest possible sigh, she exclaimed joyfully: "See, Neddie, he breathes! Now work fast," whereupon they both fell to rubbing him at a great rate.

When Allen McIntyre opened his eyes he looked about him confusedly. The odd little room, the girl with her black braids, and the boy looking so like her that one would at once recognize the relationship; the drenched condition of all three, and the strange languor through all his frame—what did it mean? He closed his eyes wearily, and then the boy spoke up in this bluff fashion:

"You came near going under, cap'n, but Lizzie pulled you out."

Then McIntyre remembered all, and languidly raised himself into a sitting posture.

"It is too wild a night to be afloat in a little craft like that," said the girl, making a gesture seaward, where a tiny boat had broken up an hour before.

"It was fair when I left the shore," replied the man. "I ventured further than I intended. Then the wind went down, and I could only drift until the storm arose. I have a recollection of a fierce rush of wind and wave that upset my boat, and a blow on my head, probably from some part of the boat as I went over.

"Yes," said the boy, "there came a flash of lightning, and Lizzie and I, looking out, saw the boat capsize. So Lizzie caught a rope and ran, and I after her."

"We're used to that sort of thing, eh, Lizzie?" Lizzie nodded and the boy continued animatedly: "You see, my father keeps the light, but he is sick just now, so Lizzie and I tend the light—we always do when father is sick or gone to the mainland—and we've pulled out more than one fellow more than half dead. Why—"

"Never mind that, Neddie," interrupted his sister, gently, and the unspoken reproof in her voice had the effect of making the lad look somewhat shame-faced as he went back to the first part of his story.

"Well, sir, we ran down the slope at the side of the cliff out there, where the waves were tearing up like frozen wild horses. And every time it lightened we could see you bobbing around out there like a piece of cork. We were afraid of your striking against the ledges so Lizzie fastened one end of the rope about her waist and I held the other while she went straight in and struck out for you."

McIntyre uttered a low exclamation, and turned his gaze from Neddie to Neddie's sister. The boy wagged his head proudly.

"Ah," said he with gleaming eye, "that's nothing for our Liz to do! She caught you, and I pulled you both in. But you're monstrous heavy! I thought we'd never get you up stairs."

McIntyre laughed as he rose rather doubtfully to his feet.

"I feel a trifle shakey," he said, and then, "It is easy to see that you are brother and sister. I am Allen McIntyre, at your service, Miss Lizzie," and he bowed in a fashion that gave the lie to his declaration of shakiness. "Of course I realize that you and your gallant brother here have rendered me a great service—one for which you shall not go unrewarded, although I can never hope to fully recompense you."

Lizzie raised her head haughtily.

"Sir, such work as we have done to-night we do not for wages. If you feel strong enough, I will walk with you to the house. I think the storm is passing over. We live a quarter of a mile from the light. Our accomodations are plain enough, but there is no other house on the island."

"O, I am as good as new, now," said McIntyre; "but will you leave this boy here all alone."

She smiled.

"Ned is not afraid, and he can tend the light as well as I."

"Very well, I will go with you."

He waved a smiling adieu to the boy, and followed his guide down the narrow stairway.

Two days later a small sail boat put out from the island, which, when it returned, brought McIntyre's luggage.

Lizzie's father who was laid up with an attack of rheumatism, had taken a fancy to the young man, who expressed a desire to spend a few weeks there at any price they might charge. Capt. Clyde straightway ordered Neddie off in his new boat to the mainland for the gentleman's traps. The youngster obeyed this order with alacrity, for the good humored ease of the stranger, together with his evident appreciation of "our Liz," had wrought favorably on our Neddie. Even the maiden aunt, who kept the house smiled frostily at the prospect of this pleasant addition to their family.

McIntyre who had been wandering about three or four hundred miles from home in search of a quiet place to spend the summer, congratulated himself on having drifted to the very place.

"Although it was an expensive style of drifting," he remarked with a smile, as he enclosed a bank note in an envelope to be sent to the owner of the little craft which had slipped him out into the waves abreast of the light-house.

A week later, as he sauntered shoreward, there came to his ears a wildly sweet strain of melody. As he listened in amazement, for he had seen no musical instrument about the place, he began to realize that it was a part of Strauss' artist life waltzes that he heard—a strain that he often whistled. He stepped round the jutting of the cliff and there, leaning against the granite wall, was Lizzie, her chin dropped carelessly on a little red violin, as she drew the bow across the strings. She flushed like a guilty thing when she saw McIntyre.

"You whistled that the other day," she faltered, "and I liked it so much—it haunted me all the time."

He stepped forward.

"Why, Lizzie! Is it possible you play like that without notes?"

"I don't play much now," she said, drawing her dark brows over her eyes. "A party of ladies and gentlemen came here to visit the lighthouse, once, and overheard me playing. I heard one of the ladies say, 'The idea of a girl with a fiddle!' So I thought perhaps it didn't look well."

"Not look well, indeed!" and he laughed in merry scorn. "Why, child, did you ever hear of Camilla Urso?"

"No."

"Well, she is a lady, and she makes the most exquisite music on a fiddle and thousands of people go to hear her. Why, Camilla Urso herself would listen with pleasure to your music, Lizzie," said McIntyre extravagantly. "Who taught you to play?"

"No one. This violin belonged to my father, and he learned me how to tune it. I pick up tunes that I hear, but I never heard anything half so beautiful as the tunes I hear you sing and whistle."

McIntyre smiled; his repertoire of music consisted of snatches of operas, waltzes, redowas and German airs, which had dimly associated in his mind with nights of brilliant gayety; and he wondered dreamily how this pure-minded, healthy-souled girl would look upon the elegant dissipation carried on by the set of which he was the favorite. A sudden glow warmed his heart as he thought that not one of the fine ladies who had swung languidly through the mazes of that very waltz of the great composer's could have rescued him so bravely from the jaws of death as Lizzie had—Lizzie, who stood there so quietly, with her little violin hanging from her breast, and her fingers straying lovingly over the strings.

"Tell me about Camilla Urso," she said presently. "Did you ever hear her play?"

"Yes, indeed! I have a paper in my trunk containing a little sketch of her life, which you may read for yourself, and which will tell you better than I can of her talent."

For a moment Lizzie's eyes met his own, a look of shame and distress gathering in them.

"Mr. McIntyre, that will be of no use—I cannot read.

"Lizzie!"

Her violin slipped from her grasp and would have fallen to the ground had not McIntyre caught it, and she covered her face with both hands.

"But Lizzie," persisted her companion, in some perplexity, "I do not understand. There are good public schools in the city, and surely your father must have known that it was his duty to give a girl like you an education, to say nothing of Neddie, who is growing up such a splendid young fellow."

"It is very kind of you to say such things of Neddie and me, we are common people, and ours is a common life. Neddie did spend two years with our uncle who lives in York state. He went to school there. But father doesn't think much of book learning. Aunt Jane never had time to help me, and Neddie is too restless to keep still long enough, I suppose." She continued quaintly, "You who live out in the world look at these things in a different way; but I know of many who are just where I am. Why, there is a whole family on that island," pointing to a tiny speck away to the eastward, "who cannot read or write. Once in three months, perhaps, they go the mainland. I scarcely ever go. I suppose I shall always live here, and I am contented—I think," and a look of doubt gathered in her eyes; "at least I was. But lately I have wished so much that I could read and had books—for it is so lonely here in the winter."

"Well, dear child," said the young man gently, this gives me the privilege of paying my debts, doesn't it?"

"Your debts?" echoed Lizzie in surprise.

"Certainly. Did you not fish me out of the water a week ago? Well, now you shall put your six feet of driftwood to some service. I will teach you to read and to write."

After that McIntyre proved the most faithful of teachers, and his pupil made steady progress in her lessons. Neither was the violin any longer in disgrace. Lizzie played to attentive ears while learning a deeper lesson than either at first realized. McIntyre was the first to wake up. He was a man of the world, and understood himself or thought he did, thoroughly. Accordingly he started, one morning for a stroll along the beach to think it all over.

"As the case now stands," he soliloquized, as he lit a cigar and threw away the match, "it is either Lizzie or the world; and I confess, the world has charms for me." Then came a thought which caused his heart to beat faster, and sent the hot blood to his brow. But he shook his broad shoulders indignantly, and lifted his hat to let the cool sea-breeze sweep through his hair. "I must be a greater scoundrel than I am to work so great a wrong on that dear girl. Faith!" and he laughed in bitter scorn of himself, "that would be a fine way to recompense her for saving my life. She might better have left me to feed the fishes! Could I take her home with me as my wife?"

His gaze wandered absently over the swelling waves, and lingered on a far-off sail that dipped and rose, dipped again, until it sank below the horizon. His lip curled involuntarily as he thought of the delicate ladies in his set, and how wretched they would make the poor girl's life in their own high-bred fashion. No—but would they, though?"

A faint amusement lingered in his face as he recalled Lizzie's rather stately carriage and stately dignity that redeemed her from being commonplace. He laughed out.

"It would be fun to see her among all those peacocks. Poor Lizzie! What a shame that she has been neglected! If she had received half the advantages of any one of my acquaintances she would have surpassed them all. Well, well, it is high time I returned home. I have been here six weeks. Yes, I will go away to-morrow, and forget her, as she will forget me."

So saying McIntyre threw away the end of his cigar and started into a brisk walk along the shore, coming directly upon the object of his thoughts, who was pacing to and fro, drawing plaintive music from her violin. She wore a scarlet jacket over her gray dress, and a white handkerchief, tied over her head and under her chin. His heart throbbed faster at the sight of her.

"Fool!" he muttered, "to think I could leave her. Now, then, my man,

"It's all for love, and the world well lost."

Lizzie greeted his approach with a smile, but played to the close of the strain before she spoke. It was a little German air that he had taught her.

"Is that right?" she queried, as she finished.

"I cannot tell you."

Then meeting her look of astonishment with his own earnest gaze, he said;

"Lizzie, will you care very much when I go away from here?"

Her eyes dropped, the red blood died her cheek and brow for a moment, and then faded away, leaving her quite pale.

"I think it will be well for you to go," she said.

"And why, Lizzie, will you tell me? You need not fear to tell me anything," he added, as she hesitated.

She looked away from him, and her voice was almost inaudible as she answered.

"Because—because—O, I cannot tell you! You know—"

"I have thought of going, Lizzie; but I realized to-day that I cannot leave you—ever again, dear."

He put one arm about her, but she drew away from him, trembling from head to foot.

"Don't Mr. McIntyre! I want to remember you kindly, and I cannot if you use such language to me."

"For heaven's sake!" he cried in astonishment, "tell me, have I said anything wrong to you? Is it wrong to love you? If that is a sin, then I am the greatest of sinners."

"I do not forget that you are a gentleman, and I but a poor, ignorant girl, who knows only what you have taught her."

"But, Lizzie, I ask you to be my wife, and you have not answered me. I do not boast when I say my suit would not be rejected in most families of high standing where I am known."

"Ah, that is the idea," she exclaimed, hastily; "if as you say, you do care for me"—she stammered a little over the words, "you would soon grow weary of my stupid ways. I should shame you every day of your life, and your grand friends would wonder at your choice, and I should die of homesickness."

"With me, Lizzie?"

"Yes, even with you!" smiling and blushing as she met his eyes.

He laughed—he was so sure of winning her—and kissed her mouth.

"Well, sweetheart, I will live here then, and turn keeper of the light after your father. Will that suit you?"

"Don't deceive yourself, Mr. McIntyre. We would not be happy together, and think how terrible it would be—bound together forever."

He laughed exultantly and with a great deal of amusement.

"Good! I think it would be a mighty pleasant thing. Come Lizzie, you can deny all my power. Do you not see that your own happiness depends upon your answer? Now kiss me, dear, and tell me that you will take the life you were so brave to save into your own keeping."

He drew her gently toward him, but she faced him suddenly, with great tears trembling on her long lashes.

"Do you think it costs me nothing to refuse you—you who have made my life so beautiful these few short weeks? I am poor and ignorant—such a wife would hinder and disgust you in time. It is for your good that I refuse to accept what seems like a heaven to me?" And then, swift as a deer, she flew along the shore, leaving McIntyre to struggle between anger, amusement and wounded self-love.

All that day he tried to speak with Lizzie alone, but she gave him no opportunity. At last, in very desperation, he tapped at the door of her father's room. Capt. Clyde was again suffering with rheumatism, and the young man found him in the easy chair, while Lizzie hovered about him.

"Capt. Clyde," said McIntyre, as blocked the doorway with his broad shoulders to prevent Lizzie from escaping, "I wish to say a few words to your daughter in your presence, since she refuses to grant me that privilege elsewhere."

"Say on, my lad, she should be proud to hear whatever you have to say to her."

"Well, Lizzie, I will go away from here to-morrow, and stay as long as you bid me. When the time is up I will return to claim you for my wife. You shall see that this is no idle, passing fancy."

His eyes, grave and sad, rested on the girl's flushed face, and the bluff captain's eyes widened in amazement.

"Speak out, gal," he commanded. "Have you anything to say to this young man, who woes you like a gentleman? Shall he come—or no?"

And Lizzie answered with downcast eyes: "If he comes one year from this time, and still cares for me, I will be ready."

"And is that all, Lizzie?" he said, stepping toward her with outstretched arms.

"No, I'll be bound!" said the old man, with a sly twinkle in his eyes. "When I went courting, my little girl used to kiss me." And reaching over he gave Lizzie a little push that sent her into the arms of her lover; whereupon they all laughed, and Lizzie, after kissing McIntyre shyly, slipped from the room.

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A whole year passed by, and not unhapily to Lizzie, who had faithfully endeavored to improve herself. She spent the winter "on the mainland," with some friends. She studied, read, watched the people about her, and, never coarse herself, despite her commonplace life at home, she fell easily into the new groove. Although not unhappy, the girl's cheek was paler than of yore, and her eyes held a wistfulness that had grown in them since parting from her lover, for occasionally this thought crossed her dreams for the future: "He may not come at all—he may forget."

But Allen McIntyre was truer than most of his kind; for the early fall brought him again to Lizzie's house. While he waited in the old-fashioned sitting room, the door was opened hesitatingly, and who was this before him?

Allen had left a young gypsy, magnificent in her way, with coal black braids and flashing eyes, yet scarcely the figure for a drawing room, in her short gown and thick coarse shoes; a daughter of the sea, sun-browned and fearless. But this—was this Lizzie? A graceful woman, in trailing robes, and the shining hair braided and coiled about her head, resting in a coronet a queen might envy, above the low broad brow, paler than of old, her eyes downcast, but shining softly through their happy tears, her mouth smiling triumphantly. Was this Lizzie? Why, not a woman in all his brilliant throng he remembered could compare with her.

Every summer a handsome gentleman and his dark-haired wife visit the lightkeeper's home; and every fall they return to their stately home in a far-away city, where the lady does the honors of her grand house with a grace that charms all.

And yet Allen McIntyre laughingly accuses his wife of "fishing for him."

An exchange thus tells about it: "Wanted, one hundred and seventy-five young men of all shapes and sizes, from the tall graceful dandy with hair enough on his upper lip to stuff a barber's cushion, down to the little upstart. The object is to form a gaping corps, to be in attendance at church doors on each Sabbath before the commencement of divine service, to stare at the ladies as they enter, and make delicate and gentlemanly remarks on their person and dress. All who wish to enlist in the above corps will please appear in the various church doors next Sabbath morning and evening, when they will be duly inspected and their names, personal appearance and quantity of brains registered in a book kept for that purpose. To prevent a general rush it will be well to state that none will be enlisted who possess intellectual capacities above that of a well-bred donkey."

Josiah Davis Testimonial.

Josiah Davis, No. Middletown, Ky., writes:

I am now using a box of your Henry's Carbolic Salve upon an ulcer, which, for the past ten days, has given me great pain. The salve is the only remedy I have found that has given me any ease. My ulcer was caused by varicose veins, and was pronounced incurable by my medical doctors. I find, however, that Henry's Carbolic Salve is affecting cures.

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It is a well known fact among coin collectors that a few of the standard silver dollars of the issue of 1878 possessed a feature not common to the others of the same series, the peculiarity being that the tail of the eagle contains eight feathers, one more than the government allows to the ordinary bird. This eighth feather seems like a very insignificant thing, but it has a market value equaling that of the remaining seven. In other words an eight-feathered dollar sells for $2, so that a person who possessed many of them would have his nest well feathered.

The coins were issued from the Philadelphia mint in the early part of 1878, and are limited to a few hundred in number. They were struck in proof, but for some reason the die was afterwards altered to make the coins correspond with the rest of the series. The officers of the mint do not know why the change was made.

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Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

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Pittsford, Mass., Sept. 28, 1878.

Sirs—I have taken Hop Bitters and recommend them to others, as I found them very beneficial.

Mrs. J. W. Tuller,
Sec. Women's Christian Temp. Union

THE BEST VEHICLE.—An anecdote is told of a physician who was called to a foreign family to prescribe for a case of incipient consumption. He gave them a prescription for pills, and wrote the direction, "One pill to be taken three times a day in any convenient vehicle." The family looked in the dictionary to get at the meaning of the prescription. They got on well until they got to the word vehicle. They found 'cart, wagon, carriage, buggy, wheelbarrow." After grave consideration they came to the conclusion that the doctor meant the patient should ride out, and while in the vehicle he should take the pill. He followed the advice to the letter, and in a few weeks the fresh air and exercise secured the advantage which otherwise might not have come.

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Try "Teaberry" and you will see
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Is it where the flower of the orange blows,
And the fire-flies glance through the myrtle boughs?"
—"Not there, not there, my child!"

"Is it where the feathery palm-trees rise,
And the date grows ripe under sunny skies?
Or 'midst the green islands of glittering seas,
Where the fragrant forests perfume the breeze,
And strange bright birds on their starry wings,
Bear the rich hues of all glorious things?"
—"Not there, not there, my child!"

"Is it far away, in some region old,
Where the rivers wander o'er sands of gold?
Where the burning days of the ruby shine,
And the diamond lights up the secret mine,
And the pearl gleams forth from the coral strand?—
Is it there, sweet mother, that better land?"
—"Not there, not there, my child!"

"Eye hath not seen it, my gentle boy!
Ear hath not heard its deep songs of joy:
Dreams cannot picture a world so fair—
Sorrow and death may not enter there:
Time doth not breathe on its fadeless bloom,
For beyond the clouds, and beyond the tomb,
—It is there, it is there my child!"

—*Felicia Hemans.*

An Old Story Retold.

New York letter to Detroit Free Press.

You may possibly remember something of the terrible scare that Adelaide Neilson's first husband, Lee, got at the Grammercy Park hotel dinner to which he was invited by Wm. J. Florence, E. A. Sothern, Dan Bryant, and some other practical jokers. Lee had heard a good deal about the rough ways of people in America, and his head was full of extravagant notions on the subject. He had come to New York expecting to see bears running loose in Central Park and be able to shoot buffaloes in Harlem. The jokers wanted to "take a rise" out of him, and arranged how they should do it. When the party sat down to dinner, every man except Lee laid a revolver at one side of his plate and a bowie knife on the other. It seemed to be done as a matter of course, and it made Lee rather uneasy at the start. But the party soon fell into pleasant conversation, and after a while the Englishman's nerves became steadier, though his appetite did not appear to be good. There was plenty of wine, of course, and all partook of it freely, though each man was careful not to take too much.

When dinner was nearly over the conversation became more lively. By and by it grew warm. In a little while more it was hot. Then the fun began. The jokers fell to quarrelling furiously. Every man was on his feet with a revolver in one hand and a bowie knife in the other. Chairs were knocked over, revolvers were flourished, and the dishes rattled on the table. Indian war whoops rang through the room and the entire party except Lee was evidently bent on wholesale slaughter. Poor Lee trembled in his shoes. There was no telling but what he might be scalped the next moment. One of the actors opened the door, and then danced back to resume his part in the melee. Lee saw his chance. He fled through the open door like a deer, and did not wait in the hall for his hat. When he afterward told of his narrow escape from murder by a lot of savages, he really belived that the desperate row he had run away from was real. He never forgave the festive rioters for the trick they had played him. "It was a beastly thing to do, you know," he said, and he could not see the humor of it at all.

How Paper Car-Wheels Are Made.

The *Paper World*, in describing the method of manufacturing paper car wheels, says: "The paper is straw board of rather fine texture. It is received in the ordinary broad sheets, differing in no particular from those used for straw-board boxes or other similar work. These sheets, as they come from the paper mill, are square, and must, first of all, be cut to a circular pattern. This is rapidly done on a large table with a knife that is guided by a radial arm that swings freely over the surface of the table from a pivot at the centre. A small disk is also cut from the centre of the sheet to allow for the iron hub. Being thus reduced to the required shape and dimensions, the paper must now be converted from a mass of loose sheets into a compact, dense body, capable of withstanding the tremendous crushing force to which it will be subjected in the wheels. This is accomplished in the following manner: Ten sheets are pasted together, one upon another, making a disk of about one-eighth of an inch thick. When enough of these disks have been prepared to fill a powerful hydraulic press, they are subjected to a pressure of 1800 pounds to the square inch. When removed, the disks are hung on poles in a steam-heated loft and left six days to dry. Thicker disks are then made, each formed by pasting together two or three of those already finished. These are pressed and dried as before, and the process is repeated until a block is built four inches thick and of about the specific gravity of lignum vitæ. After each pasting and pressing six days are allowed for drying, and when the block is complete it is left in a drying room until thoroughly seasoned. The next operation is that of turning the paper blocks to fit the steel tires and iron hubs. This is done in lathes with as much accuracy, and in exactly the same manner as if the material worked on was iron or wood. The circumference is turned to a perfect circle of the precise diameter required, a bed or recess is worked out for the web of the tire, to rest in and the surfaces are left hard and smooth and the edges sharply defined. The block then painted and is ready for its place the wheel.

A Michigan doctor has written a book on the human hair in which he presents these views: "Hairs do not, as a rule, penetrate the scalp perpendicularly, but at an angle. When the angle of different hairs is the same, it is possible to give it the easy sweeps and curves which we generally see it take, but if they are by some freak of nature misplaced, we have the rebellious frizzle-tops, that are not susceptible of the influence of the brush and comb. Many a poor mother has half worried her life out trying to train her Johnny's rebellious locks into better ways, believing it was Johnny's perverseness of manners that induced such dilapidated looking head-gear, when it was really none of Johnny's fault at all, but simply a freak of nature in misplacing the radiating centers of his "hirsute covering." Sometimes fowls suffer from a contrariwise placing of the feathers—they run the wrong way. The author's father had a hen whose leg feathers ran toward the body, those on the body and neck toward the head. This gave her a perpetual 'out-of-sorts' look and she never could fly. The erection of the hair of animals during anger, or human beings in fright, is caused by a change in the skin and the angle at which the hair enters the head or body."

Life Among the Arabs.

Fed by the eternal snows of the Atlas, the Oued Draa river gives life to one of the most charming oases of the Sahara, with a circumference of 40 miles and a population of 250,000. We are now near the borders of the Great Desert, as it is called. This is not such a desert as is pictured by the imagination of the civilized American—sands, and nothing but sand to the end of the chapter. The desert is, in reality, composed of immense plains analogous to the steppes of Russia, the pampas of South America, or the Great American Desert of our Western plains. There is no wood, the water is confined to a few favored spots which necessarily become the halting places of travelers, such as the great oasis of Tronlatt. Even in the Sahara it is only where running water is present, that luxuriant vegetation and productive fruit trees spring forth.

Some of the smaller oases are pocket editions of Paradise. After traveling all day over a dry and almost barren country with only palm trees and stunted vegetation, the sight of one of these, with its bright green foliage and brilliant flowers, is refreshing indeed. The Arabs have a legend that Adam was once permitted to revisit the earth and landed in England, but he did not know the place. Passing over into France, Italy and Spain, the country began to look better; but when he came to the Sahara he recognized his former home, and exclaimed, with enthusiasm "Ah, here is Eden, where I was created, and first saw my beauteous Eve; here I could live forever."

In our journeyings we traveled through a mountain pass different from anything that I had ever seen before. It was five paces in width, with perpendicular natural marble walls on either side, veined and polished, and glistened with various colors in the sun. Through it runs a little stream with lovely green banks and outside entrance, which effervesces in one's mouth like champagne. Antimony is also found in the pass, and gives rise to an oases called Tesna. A carbonic acid spring bubbles up close to its southern vicinity. A peculiar variety of sheep without wool abounds. Quail are plentiful, the sparrow family are found in every house south of the Atlas. They are of the capot variety, and have a sweet note, superior to the nightingale but cannot beat exile to the North.

Butterflies of unusual size and most beautiful colors are found, often measuring from four to six inches across the wings. Mosquitoes and beetles are plenty enough, the cochineal insect, which feeds on the cactus cochenillifera, is gathered in great quantities and sold to the caravan merchants, to be used in making the famous carmine color of commerce.

Dates are plentiful, and are used for food and fattening horses and camels. A camel load of them, 400 or 500 pounds, can be bought for a metkel, 40 cents. Olive oil and a similar oil called argan, not so good for eating, but much used in lamps, are produced in great quantities. Monkeys are numerous and sometimes used as food. I have eaten opossum among the darkies in Kentucky, and muskrat with the Indians on the Calumet, in Illinois, and even tasted of rattlesnake, but I confess roasted monkey was too much for my delicate stomach; it was too horribly like eating a young baby. I found lion meat, however, to be more palatable and nutritious. All through Sahara, but especially in the oases of Sghronat, southwest of Biscara and Tongourt, in the Oned Oasis, wheat, barley and bears are largely cultivated. Grain is cut just below the ear, and trodden out with oxen or threshed with a flail. It is stored in pits of conical shape, dug in the ground, and will keep in good condition for years. Hawking by the use of falcons, and ostrich hunting are the aristocratic amusements of the Sahara. Ostriches are killed by a light blow with a stick on their featherless head, and when closely pressed they run their head into the sand to avoid this death blow, and not to hide themselves from their enemy. Receiving the blow upon their muscular bodies, they draw their head from the sand, and are off with the speed of the wind. Thus vanishes another of the cherished myths of our childhood, imbibed from the geography and Sunday school books.

Negroes are plenty in the Draa, and are on an equal with the other races. Here we begin to see the institution of slavery. Slave women can be bought from $20 to $40, but a good looking young girl is more expensive, reaching sometimes as high as $100. Wives are not purchased, as has been represented, but the expectant husband pays to the parents of his intended the amount of the bridal outfit or trousseau, which is always returned if the parties are divorced. No dowry is ever expected with the wife, so that marriage de convenance are unknown. The women often marry at from 10 to 14. The young people never meet till the wedding day, the negotiations being made through other parties, there being a regular market, like Saratoga or a London season. I attended a Moorish wedding, and I found the young bridegroom seated upon a platform alone at one end of the room, and looking very foolish, while his friends and those of the bride frolicked and regaled themselves below. After about 24 hours the bride was brought in, and the whole company escorted them with lamps and music to the husband's home. No priest was present and no ceremony seemed necessary except that the man, in the language of Scripture, should "take" the woman, and when not satisfied he "puts her away." The position of woman is the key to a nation's social state. Hard is the life and sad the slavery of Arab women, like all females in the pastoral phase of society. No spiritual ties and no tender regard for women. Polygamy, the great bugbear of our times, is here, like our former negro slavery, "a domestic institution." No Arab, however mean, permits his daughter to enter the service of another. The only way to obtain female servants is to take another wife. As to the famous eastern harem, that is an exclusive and fashionable institution, kept up only by the Grand Sultan, the shereefs or other quite rich and influential personages, as a matter of show and pride. The inmates are generally very young girls, from 7 to 12 years of age, and are carefully protected and educated, and given for wives to the favorite officers of the Sultan or other high dignity.

A lady went into a dry-goods store and inquired for "bleached cloth." Several pieces of sheeting were offered for inspection, but failed to suit. "Perhaps," said the lady, "if I should tell you what I want it for you would know better what to give me. It is to be used for reposing robes." The man threw down another piece, called the next salesman, who was a married man and rapidly vanished into the distance.

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A Sensible Girl.

The other day a girl of our acquaintance, who is pursuing a select course of study in one of the collegiate institutions of the city, examined the printed curriculum with reference to deciding what study she would take up in the next term. While consulting about the matter, she read over the long list of text-books on science, language, literature and mathematics, when she exclaimed: "I'll tell you what I would like to study—I would like to study medicine. I don't mean that I want to be a physician, and practice, but only know what to do at home when anything happens. I am sure it will be more useful to me, than—" and she turned to the prescribed course of study—"than spherical trigonometry, navigation, etc. We cannot run for a doctor every time anybody sneezes or coughs, and I would like to know what to do for one who is a little sick." Here is a matter concerning which young women need some simple but careful instruction. But who gives them any? As daughters in the family, they can repeat the dates of Grecian and Roman wars, work out the intricate problems of algebra, and give the technical names of all the bones in the body; but if the baby brother left in their charge burns his hand or is seized with the croup, how many of them know the best thing to do while waiting for the doctor? And when, as wives and mothers, the duties of life increase, how many of them have any practical knowledge which will help them to meet calmly and intelligently the every day experiences of accidents and illness which are inevitable in every family.

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A Parting Scene.

Did you ever hear two married women take leave of each other at the gate on a summer evening? This is the way they do it:

"Good-by!"

"Good-by! Come down and see us right soon."

"Yes, so I will. You come up right soon."

"I will. Good-by."

"Good-by! Don't forget to come soon."

"No, I won't. Don't you forget to come up."

"I won't. Be sure and bring Sally Jane with you next time."

"I will. I'd have brought her up this time, but she wasn't very well. She wanted to come awful bad."

"Did she, now? That was too bad. Be sure and bring the baby."

"I will. I forgot to tell you, he's cut another tooth."

"You don't say! How many has he got now?"

"Five. It makes him awful cross."

"I guess it does, this hot weather. Well, good-by! Don't you forget to come down."

"No, I won't. Don't you forget to come up. Good-by!"

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THE DEVIL'S LAKE PICNIC.

THE ELEVENTH ANNUAL GATHERING AT THE LAKE OF THE SATANIC NAME.

The Largest Crowd Ever in Attendance—What was Said and Done—Election of Officers for the Coming Year.

The regular farmers' reunion which has come to be known as the "big picnic" was held at Devil's lake last week Wednesday. In order to be on hand in good season we set out the afternoon beforehand, and having hunted up a traveling companion in the person of L. F. Wheeler, and having stowed his camera and our own grip sack under the buggy seat, we two started at five P. M. Tuesday by the overland route to the big farmers' celebration. Our route lay along the turnpike to the road one mile this side of Springville; we then went south a mile and thence west through Cambridge. It was after eight o'clock when we arrived at "Uncle Robert" Wooden's, and we thought best to halt there for the night. We found good lodging and breakfast beneath his hospitable roof, although his usual family was augmented by a lot of railroad boarders. Twenty-two persons slept in the house that night.—Bright and early the next morning the artist and editor resumed their journey and upon arriving at Beardsell's Landing, shortly after eight o'clock, we found the grove already well filled and teams were pouring in by the score from all points of the compass. By ten o'clock the grove and grounds were swarming with people. Tables were built for each township, and the different township directors presided over these tables. We spent the forenoon strolling about the grounds inspecting the different points of interest, taking a ride on the steamer the "City of Hudson", and shaking hands with the yeomanry of western Lenawee and eastern Hillsdale. Mr Wheeler put in his time to good advantage with his camera and obtained several fine stereoscopic views on lake and shore. During the noon hour the tables presented an animated scene. They were loaded down with all the good things which the farmer's larders could furnish, and the way the provisions disappeared was a sight to behold.

At one o'clock the vast audience was called to order by President Samuel Morey, and the intellectural portion of the feast was presented. The platform was occupied by the officers of the day, the Wheatland cornet band and a few of the old pioneers. The press was represented by reporters from the Hudson Gazette, the Hudson Post, the Hillsdale Leader, the Adrian Times and Tecumseh HERALD. The program of exercises was presented in the following order:

1. Calling to order.
2. Music by the Wheatland band.
3. Prayer by Rev. Mr. Brockway, of Medina.
4. Secretary's report.
5. Quartette by the Weston Glee Club.
6. Treasurer's Report. This report showed the receipts last year to have been $310.30; expenditures $238.30; balance on hand $72.50. The teams on the grounds last year were, single teams 918, double teams 478.
6. Music by the band.
8. Address of welcome by the President, Capt. Samuel Morey.
9. Music by the Weston Glee Club.
10. Reminiscences of the Pottawatamie Indians by F. A. Dewey. We give below the principal portion of Mr. Dewey's address.
11. Singing by Wallace's Tennessee Jubilee Singers.
12. Address by Capt. Allen, of Ypsilanti.
13. Music by the Glee Club.
14. Music by the Band.
15. Election of Officers.

The program was nearly three hours in the presentation and was attentively listened to by the vast throng until the close.

F. A. DEWEY'S ADDRESS.

After an appropriate introduction the speaker said:

Mitteau and Bawbeese were the chiefs of the Pottawatamie tribe. The former was a bold, fearless, active brave, whose residence was often changed in this county and Hillsdale. On the rich alluvial lands corn was planted and harvested by the squaws; here also they were bountifully supplied with fish, ducks, venison, grouse, bear meat and honey. Mitteau had a particular taste for whiskey, and would exchange the last blanket or the useful tomahawk for the poisonous drug. When I first knew him his age was about 50; strong and vigorous; in personal appearance, tall, well formed, with a clear, sharp black eye and bearing that reminded one of the admiral of the forest. It is recorded that fire water was the cause of this brave chief's death. He had been to a town where whisky was sold freely. It was a cold winter's day, and while returning to his wigwam the slumbering sleep which knows no wakening laid him low in his forest hunting ground. Thus this noble red man died alone, in the vast wilderness he loved so well.

It is said of Chief Bawbeese that when but seventeen years of age his abilities, especially his activity in the chase, and his remarkably tenacious memory attracted the esteem and admiration of his tribe. Bawbeese came upon the theater of active life when the power of his tribe had declined and its extinction was threatened; the white man was advancing upon them with gigantic strides. It is with proud remembrance we look back when we first met this chief of the forest. It was on the trail in the timbered lands, about two miles from the old Tecumseh camping ground. A number of braves and squaws, with about twenty ponies were en route for Canada; just 54 years ago this season. We shall never forget the noble countenance, gallant bearing and deliberate voice of that red man. He was then between thirty and forty years of age, a brave of magnificent appearance, filled to the brim with restless and active energy; the pride of a true warrior; dearly beloved by his tribe, and who has been remarkably successful as chief of the Pottawatamies; the finest specimen of Indian character I ever knew, which was sustained with more dignity than that of any other warrior. As an orator his language was beautiful and figurative, as the Indian language always is, and delivered with the greatest ease and fluency. His voice was distinct and clear, and he always spoke with good degree of animation. Bawbeese had for a wife a most excellent, brave and gifted woman, who was loved by her husband with a devotion beautiful to behold. She had a tender, emotional, winning sense of beauty. Long shall we remember the quick, graceful manner and step of that queen of the forest, the mother of three active children, true decendents of a dutiful father and devoted mother. Thus Bawbeese with a remnant part of the numberless Pottawatamie tribe passed the larger part of their lives in the forests of Southern Michigan. In the year 1840 these Indians were hunted and driven from their homes and cherished hunting grounds, and removed by government to the far west, while many, as we afterward learned, rather than be bound to a reservation, moved to the wilds of Canada. There in the fine forests, near the shores of Georgian Bay, the noble Bawbeese was laid to rest.

The writer has hundreds of times met the valiant braves and their squaws in the sublime solitude of the primeval forest, and at their wigwams, far from the white settler's home, was always treated with generous friendship and true Indian hospitality, which was most freely to give of the best of their provisions, with rest in the wigwam. They are some times judged unjustly in their native homes where they seem to be brave, kind hearted, without the grosser vices of many a city belle. It is said they are dirty and miserable because they are scantily covered and fed.—Their dwelling places are rude habitations; but they contain all the comforts that their simple mode of life requires; chairs and tables are not needed with them; silver ice pitchers, knives and forks, with china and glass ware would be superfluous luxuries. They were most strictly temperate and frugal until the fire-water was introduced by the white people, who were called civilized traders.—The savage admired those qualities which are peculiar to his mode of life, and are most practically useful in the vicissitudes to which it is incident.—Courage, strength, swiftness and cunning are indispensible in the constantly recurring scenes of the battle and the chase, while the most patient fortitude is required in the endurance of pain, hunger and exposure to all extremes of climate to which the Indian is continually subjected. They have but few intellectual wants or endowments which are not combined with the art of a warrior. To this rule eloquence forms a notable exception.

In the war of 1812-14 all of the tribes of Michigan were paid allies of the British government. The Pottawatamies went with their brave chieftain Mitteau and were as barbarous as the other tribes, murdering their captives, burning, scalping and disfiguring the body in every part, as was clearly proved in the great massacre at Monroe. I will here state what is an undeniable fact that in the great battle and the bloody scene which followed the disastrous morning of the defeat of Gen. Winchester, Jan. 22d, 1813, at the River Raisin massacre, the most blood-thirsty allies of the British Gen. Proctor's brigade were the Indians of the Pottawatamie tribe. They received for every scalp 25 cents in addition to their annual June pensions, which were paid in Malden, Canada, from the year 1811 to 1832, when the British stopped payment to the United States Indians.

THE PRINCIPAL ORATION.

Capt. Allen, of Ypsilanti, speaker of the day, considered it a great honor to be called to address such a large and intelligent audience. Farming had got to be one of the exact sciences, which required for its successful pursuit not only muscle but brain. The grand country that brings us such abundant crops was fought and toiled for by our forefathers. From Bunker Hill to Yorktown the foundation stone was laid, cemented by the blood of your and my father. They worked it out to its fullness and completeness, and you and I are the heirs of those who now sleep in their silent graves. But we are not sure of the prosperous condition of our country long if we do not wake up and see that several important public questions are rightly settled. We have a vast domain lying to the west of us which should be for the inheritance of our children, but instead, is being filled up with foreigners, and cyndicates are buying up large farms. The pioneer in a few years must buy it of them at a greatly enhanced price. Stop this at once. The tariff will be the coming question and the one that is protecting American industries and its people, regardless of all others, would be the best for all. Mr. Woodman, at Morenci, said that the reduction of tariff on wool had cost him $100 this season.—About corporations: Let us be prudent and conservative, and manage not by the government (for we have federal officers now) but by laws enacted by you and me in our representative capacity. Office-holding is honorable, but the means whereby it is obtained are dishonorable. No poor man could afford to be governor of this state at the low salary the governor receives; therefore none but rich men will ever hold the office until the salary is larger. Every farmer should be a politician—not of the modern stamp—but in that higher and better sense, to have the true welfare of his country at heart and attend the primary caucus and always do your duty at the polls.

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President—G. A. Smith, Somerset.
Vice pres.—A. M. Sickly, Woodstock.
Secretary—P. W. Lewis, Medina.
Treasurer—J. U. Harkness, Rollin.

DIRECTORS.

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Somerset—Henry Harper.
Pittsford—J. B. Patterson.
Wright—J. B. Emmons.
Ransom—Harvey Higley.
Jefferson—Jas. Leonardson.
Adams—Wm. Wright.
Moscow—Hon. Geo. C. Wyllis.
Hudson—Jonathan Rowley.
Medina—R. H. Rogers.
Rollin—S. Lombard.
Woodstock—A. C. Osborn.
Cambridge—J. E. Gibbs.
Rome—John S. Marks.
Dover—M. P. Stockwell.
Seneca—Casper C. Rorick.
Adrian—Wm. H. Wiggins.

The township of Adrian was admitted to the association, and we understand that Franklin desired to be.

With possibly one exception the attendance was the largest in the history of the association, and the number of teams entered was larger than ever before. Fifteen hundred and fifty teams entered the picnic enclosure exclusive of those put up at Allen's and Pattison's landings, and there were probably one hundred more at each of these places. The Hudson Gazette furnished a thousand copies of an elegant 36 page program which was a credit both to the office and to the day's doings. The entire exercises passed off most favorably, not an accident of the slightest character occurring to mar the pleasure of any one.—The weather could not have been bettered and the farmers in attendance were all "at their best."

At five o'clock we started homewards, stopped at Mr. Wooden's for supper, and reached home in good condition at a seasonable hour. We enjoyed the trip tip-top and recorded a mental pledge that we should certainly be "one of them" again next year.

ESTATE OF JAMES McKINNEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 31 day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James McKinney, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James Kingan and John Boyd, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, that they have paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of their first account as such executors.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75	@	2 65
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@	4 50
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	7 00	@	7 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	35	@	40
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56	@	60
Clover Seed	7 00	@	7 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	18
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	7 25	@	7 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	11 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	13
Oats, ₩ bushel	32	@	36
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25	@	35
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 25
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Also take notice that I will then and there, at the time of letting of such contracts, be present to review all assessments of benefits upon the lands upon which said drain is to be constructed, and assessed for the construction thereof.

Dated at Clinton township this 28th day of August, 1883.

PHILIP KEHOE,

Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Clinton, Lenawee County, State of Michigan.

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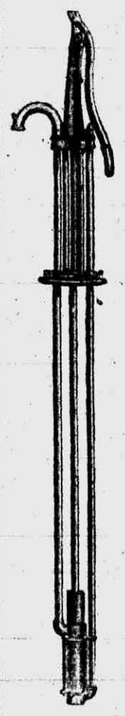

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Which for ease of action, accessibility of working parts, strength and volume of stream and general sterling qualities, is acknowledged by all practical pump men as the superior of all others. Examine and compare them, try them in connection with all others and

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G. P. Sparks, Proprietor.

The DOMESTIC AND WHITE stand at the head.

If you want a machine, buy the best. Call and see me or send a postal before buying. I will make it to your interest to do so.

I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.

Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $8.00 to $65.00

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Still at the front with the largest stock of Furniture at the lowest prices.

2 Door Commodes,	$4.00.
Bureaus,	4.00.
Carpet Sweepers,	1.50.
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Pillows, Chairs, Carts, Tables, Beds, and in fact everything marked way down. Call and see our goods before buying.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT. The undersigned would like to rent a farm of 100 or 200 acres, convenient to railroad, with privilege of buying with good buildings. Will pay cash rent half yearly in advance, if necessary. Address, stating amount of acres, terms and particulars.
JOHN SHEA, Climax Mich.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. For sale, a quantity of household furniture cheap if sold this week. Enquire of Mrs. D. L. Clark, rooms over Nyland's shoe store.

FOR SALE. A desirable lot 6x9 rods on Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich. Will be sold for $65 if taken before the 1st day of October next.
Tecumseh, Sept. 6, 1883. B. HAUSER.

LOST. A gray summer cloth cape. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the HERALD OFFICE.

PIANO FOR SALE OR RENT. Apply at Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany's, Chicago St.

SEED WHEAT for sale, of the Lawrence & Morgan variety. Yielded nearly 33 bushels per acre on stubble ground this season. Been grown on my farm only two seasons. Cut and threshed at exactly the right time. Leave your orders early.
S. C. STACY.

THE VALLEY WHEAT, after two years trial, has proved to be the hardiest, largest yielding and best wheat I ever raised. Did not rust, blight or shrink. Choice clean seed for sale.
A. P. CODDINGTON,
Tecumseh.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE. Choice plants of the Bidwell, Kentucky, Green Prolific and Wilson's Albany varieties. These plants were bought of professional growers and are warranted true to name.
S. C. STACY.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

EVANS' BUSINESS COLLEGE AND Institute of Rapid Writing, Adrian, Mich. Twenty years of success of this thorough actual Business Institute. Send for sample of our work.
U. R. Evans, Principal and Teacher.
John Dersham, Assistant Bookkeeper.
D. C. Hardy, Teacher of Shorthand Writing, and also Type Writing.
Adrian, Aug. 28, 1883. U. R. EVANS.

Mrs. S. H. Merritt, of Cadillac, arrived in town yesterday and will spend a few weeks among her Tecumseh acquaintances.

One of our citizens whose wife had left town for a short time, took occasion last Sunday to celebrate the event by a little fire of his own, and forthwith cleaned out two bed quilts, two sheets and a pillow sham. Cause, sleep, cigar, hot ashes, all at the same time.

OPENING OF OUR SCHOOLS.

Prof. Hammond is highly elated at the large attendance this week in school. More pupils have already been enrolled in the central building than were in attendance at any time last year. Forty non-resident pupils were enrolled on Monday, the first day of the term, while there were but forty-five in attendance altogether last year.

Several new teachers appear in the list, but it is believed they will prove themselves both faithful and efficient. Below are the names of those who will "teach the young idea" for the coming ten months:

HIGH SCHOOL.

David A. Hammond—Superintendent.
Mary E. Hunt—A Division.
Julia A. Condict—B Division.

GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

Minnie E. Keeney—Eighth Grade.
Alice S. Wimple—Seventh Grade.
Nellie Clark—Sixth Grade
Nannie Kyle—Fifth Grade.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Metta McBride—Fourth Grade.
Grace Willett—Fourth Grade.
Julia Snell—East Branch.
E. May Henderson—West Branch.
Hettie McClure—North Branch.

THE SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

Their Annual County Reunion Held at Blissfield Last Week.

The regular annual gathering of the Lenawee County Soldiers and Sailor's Association was held at Blissfield on Thursday of last week. A match game of ball between the Tecumseh and Blissfield base ball clubs on the same day was an additional attraction, and the combined shows drew out the largest crowd probably that Blissfield ever saw. The trains from the west and from Jackson brought several car loads of visitors, and the country round about for miles poured into the village to see the sport. Flags and bunting were unfurled in every part of the village, and Blissfield gave herself up to a holiday. About three hundred old soldiers and sailors were in attendance, every part of the county being represented. The following names were enrolled from this part of the county.

Tecumseh—T. McClenahan, Wm. Cannon, D. Woodback, A. Turner, S. P. Hosmer, G. W. Marsden, A. W. Slayton, M. Wheeler, L. Bauer, Wm. DeMott, Mrs. Darling, G. E. Adamson, Wm. Jordan, Geo. S. Van Tyne, Alex. Turner, S. M. Smith, J. A. Wood, D. P. Spaulding, S. W. Nichols, A. L. Brazee, H. W. Stevens, John Thuriby, J. Davidson, W. H. Waring, J. A. Curry, A. A. Kennedy, J. G. Case, L. Martin, H. McDaniel, G. W. Smith, H. J. Scott.

Tipton—L. Van Dusen.
Franklin—Wm. Jay.
Ridgeway—L. E. Hause, J. Britton, D. M. Heath.
Clinton—A. Middlebrook, E. Coffin, W. A. Millspaugh, O. W. Heath.

The business meeting was held first when the officers for the coming year were chosen as follows:

President—G. W. Fleming, Rome.
Vice Pres.—H. W. Stevens, Tecumseh.
Secretary—H. M. Cole, Adrian.
Treasurer—John Britton, Balch.

It was voted to hold the next re-union at Devil's Lake, on the last Wednesday in August, 1884. The literary exercises were then held and a sumptuous repast followed, such as the ladies of Blissfield know so well how to provide. The reunion as a whole was one of the best ever held in the county.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 6, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The circus is coming.

The Deerfield mill dam is undergoing repairs.

September has come and you can eat oysters now.

The Clinton Methodists indulge in quilting socials.

Go and see Brudder Gardner and the Lime-Kiln club.

Now is an appropriate season to plant fall advertising.

Miss Ella Bartlett, of Clinton, is visiting in New York.

The two-cent postage stamp will arrive the first of next month.

Try the HERALD for the balance of this year. Four months for 50 cents.

The Hudson local telephone exchange is working very satisfactorily.

The Clinton musical society resume their weekly rehearsals this week.

Small boys should now save up their spare pennies, for the big show is coming.

North Adams in Hillsdale Co., has been added to the state telephone exchange.

The new law with reference to practicing physicians takes effect on the 8th inst.

The Tecumseh schools opened last Monday with a full attendance in all departments.

The September term of the Circuit Court will convene on Tuesday next, Sept. 11th.

Miss Hattie Steward, of Scofield, Monroe Co., is visiting at her uncle's, Ed. Snedicor's.

James Schermerhorn, of the Hudson Gazette, takes a trip to Mackinac Island this week.

The Tecumseh Guard have been invited to attend a grand picnic at Monroe on the 10th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. Ure, of the New York millinery store are in New York City purchasing fall goods.

We will send the HERALD four months on a trial trip for fifty cents. Pass in your half dollars.

The Marshall Statesman is 44 years old and celebrates the event with a new $1700 Campbell press.

Peter R. Adams' condition is still very critical and but slight hopes are entertained of his recovery.

A gang of burglars is working Adrian. Lock up your doors for they may soon be over this way.

The Morenci fair which will be held Oct. 2, 3, 4, & 5, is likely to be the best one ever held in that village.

L. F. Wheeler will have a batch of his new Devil's Lake views on sale at Wood's book store in Hudson.

Morenci has her telephone bonus nearly raised, and expects soon to be united with the state exchange.

James Tray, formerly catcher for our base ball club, broke his collar bone at Bay City a few days ago.

James Cook, of Raisin, has been making a trip through Dakota in the interest of the Wood twine binder company.

Tommy Mark has a new boarder in the family, an eleven pound boy.—Mother and boy are well and the father is happy.

They say that A. O. Miller is immense in the new play entitled "The Lime-Kiln Club." Do not miss seeing and hearing him.

Mr. J. B. Swan returned last Saturday from his Florida trip. He was gone only two weeks, but had a pleasant time nevertheless.

Mrs. Eva Hause Satterlee, of Kansas City, who has been sojourning at Tecumseh for several weeks, departed for home last Tuesday.

The Clinton News is still shouting for a wheat buyer. Why doesn't the News man himself sail in? He has a good business location for almost anything.

Sam. James, of Detroit, is rusticating at his old home in Tecumseh this week. It seems like old times to see his portly form and happy countenance again.

Adrian Times: Tecumseh's base ball club seems to stand on the top of the heap in this section. It can't be that they learned a thing or two from our late lamented.

State Oil-Inspector Smith, of Adrian, gave us a call last Friday. He has been making a tour of the upper peninsula, and was feeling in extra good health and spirits.

Misses Manie Monaghan and Jennie Frazer, of this village, have obtained situations in the school at Lake Linden, in the upper peninsula, at a salary of $550 for nine months' school.

The Misses Watts and the Misses Piersal, of Adrian, were the guests of the Misses Powers last week and last Friday evening a very pleasant little company were invited by Misses Anna and Carrie in honor of their visiting friends. The little company were entertained splendidly and could only wish that the evening might have been longer.

New wheat is coming into the market quite freely.

The Tri-State Fair at Toledo will begin next Monday, Sept. 10th.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, happened around this way last week. Glad to see him.

Blissfield had a big time last Thursday with the soldiers' reunion and the base ball games.

Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Wells bid good-bye to Clinton last week and will find a new home in Southern California.

The examinations of teachers for the coming year will all be held at Dean's Opera House, Adrian, and on the following dates: Sept. 8 and 22; Oct. 13 and 28; Nov. 10; March 15 and 29; April 12 and 19; Aug. 15.

The compliments of Mrs. F. C. Stoeple and Miss Minnie Sutton were sent to many of our young people for last Tuesday evening, and all went out to the "Sutton home" to have a good time, and every one experienced just what they went out for.

Cupid scores another victory. Another bachelor has surrendered. The marriage of Webb W. Frazer and Emma J. Wilson occurred at the residence of Geo. W. Wilson on Tuesday evening in the presence of a select company of friends. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. J. Phelps in the Episcopal form. Rooms had been fitted up in the South part of Jacob Van Tyne's residence which were furnished and ready for occupancy before the ceremony. The customary bridal trip was omitted, and the contracting parties began housekeeping in their own home the following day. The groom is one of our promising young attorneys and the bride has long been a favorite in Tecumseh society. We only echo the sentiment of their many friends in extending our hearty congratulations with a wish that the union now cemented may prove a long and happy one.

A CORRECTION.

EDITOR HERALD:—In answer to an article published in the Adrian Times, of Aug. 31st, in relation to a certain bridge situated in the village of Tecumseh displaying a sign "Five dollars fine for driving over this bridge faster than a walk," there has been a good deal of talk in regard to it. I would like to inform the public that I am the only one that created the excitement. I see that the Times refers to my consulting the president of the village and Squire Burridge. This is not so. I simply asked the above named parties as to the strength of the ordinance printed in the by-laws of said village, and was informed that they thought it was all right. So I wish to have the blame thrown on my shoulders alone. I was also the cause of not having the warrants issued. I think if the Times would send about three more men to counsel with their presen. correspondent and read his articles over before they print them they would save considerable time and trouble.

JOHN HIBBARD, Dep. Marshal.

BASE BALL.

Last Thursday our team accompanied by many members of the base ball association took a trip to Blissfield and endeavored to play a game of ball with the Blissfield nine. The game started nicely and everything went smoothly until the last half of the eighth innings, Blissfield kicked on the rulings of the umpire and the game was thrown up with a score of 15 to 13 in favor of Tecumseh. Heavy batting was the main feature of the game, Bostwick making a 3-base hit the first time the ball went over the plate. Our boys only made two errors and Blissfield made 20, and yet when the stop was made the Blissfield club claimed that they could easily have won the game had it been played out. Mr. Frazer, of Tecumseh, umpired the game and has umpired almost every game of ball that has been played in Tecumseh for the last five years, and in no case has his decision before been disputed. He is not a member of our club or base ball association, and had no money up on the game. This decision was the first one that had been thought of disputing during the entire game. The Blissfield men, who had put up their "little wad" on the game, thought the thing was likely to run a little against them, and were either compelled to play the "baby act,"—which they did—or lose what little cash they had bet, on the result. The men from here who went to Blissfield to see the game did not care to put up any amount of money, but when a Blissfielder shook a ten dollar bill under their nose it was never refused. Perhaps this was a different crowd than Blissfield had been in the habit of dealing with. The whole business was a disappointment to every fair person either in Blissfield or Tecumseh, and had there been the least fairness extended on the part of the Blissfield nine, certainly another umpire would have been chosen and the game finished.

The exercises were a grand success in every way. Two cars were packed full and everybody had a good time. All we have got to say is, if they will "get up and square themselves," we will give them such a drubbing as they never dreamed of before.

Albert S. Hayden, of Milan, was in town last Monday.

Telephone communication was established last Saturday between Hillsdale and Adrian.

The Gardeners' Monthly for September is at hand. It is crowded as usual with interesting and useful reading for the market and amateur gardener. Published at 814 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

David T. Phelps started for Chicago yesterday. He has been taking a course in short hand and fitting himself for repertorial work. We hope he may soon succeed in getting a good situation.

The first number of the Detroit Evening Journal was issued on Saturday the 1st inst. It is a seven column folio, ably edited and neatly printed, and it has evidently come to stay. May its shadow never grow less.

Adrian Record: The Tecumseh HERALD now owns the building in which it is published, and is prospering in worldly matters. Now if the Stacys and Burlingame could only be converted—but no. They have resisted mercy too long.

Mrs. Caroline Hand, who has been visiting in New York state since April last, returned to her home in this village last Saturday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. R. E. Lee, who will remain in Tecumseh for a couple of months.

A branch line of the Tecumseh local telephone exchange has been run to Holloway with instruments at B. Kelly & Co's. store, Jerome Green's, T. I. Sutton's and John Hanley's. This adds four instruments to our local exchange and practically moves these parties into the village.

Big Pumpkins.

FRANKLIN, Sept. 3, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

We notice in the last issue of your paper a notice that Moreland Bros. & Crane of Adrian were to give prizes of "Hero" tobacco for big pumpkins to be exhibited at the county fair. Is there any such firm as Moreland Bros. and Crane, and are they reliable parties? If this is not a swindle we think we can beat the world on pumpkins.

SUBSCRIBER.

Why, my dear friend, Moreland Bros. & Crane is the name of the enterprising Adrian firm who are scattering their celebrated "Hero" plug tobacco all over the northwest. You had better go in out of the wet, young man, and take a chew.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

The annual meeting of School District No. 7 was held at the Central Building last Monday evening. The attendance was not large and the session was very quiet and harmonious. The Moderator, E. B. Wood, Esq., called the meeting to order, after which the minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

The Director then read the annual report, containing the financial statement and estimates for the coming year, which was accepted and adopted. We give this report herewith.

ANNUAL REPORT.

Annual report of School District No. 7 of the township of Tecumseh, Mich., for the year ending Sept. 3d, 1883:

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Sept. 4, 1882	$1272 91
Mill tax	1190 27
Special tax	3300 00
Primary money	845 13
Library money	15 40
Dog tax	62 70
Foreign tuition	350 05
	$7336 46

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries	$1430 00
Janitor's salary	360 00
Director's salary	50 00
Fuel	456 44
Incidentals and repairs	669 74
Balance on hand	1370 28
	$7336 46

LIBRARY FUND.

Am't on hand Sept. 4, 1882	$44 71
Rec'd the past year	15 40
	$60 11
Expended last year:	
1 Webster's dictionary	$ 4 50
Balance on hand	55 61
	$60 11

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Board of Trustees recommend that the length of time for which school shall be taught in this district during the ensuing year shall be ten months commencing Sept. 3, 1883, and ending the last Friday in June, 1884, and by both male and female teachers. Also that fifty dollars be raised by special tax to pay the Director for a salary for his services.

ESTIMATES FOR COMING YEAR.

EXPENSES.

Teachers' salaries	$4700 00
Janitor's salary	384 00
Director's salary	50 00
Incidentals	300 00
Repairs	300 00
Fuel	437 25
Insurance	378 75
	$6550 00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

Mill tax	$1500 00	
Primary money	900 00	
Foreign tuitions	250 00	
Drawn from surplus	500 00	$3250 00
Special Tax		$3300 00

Under an amendment of the school law which was passed last winter, but one trustee was chosen this fall instead of two, making the membership of the Board hereafter five instead of six. The terms of office of E. B. Wood and Wm. Hayden expired. Alfred James and Dr. L. G. North were appointed tellers, and a ballot was then taken for the one trustee to be chosen. Dr. L. G. North having received the most votes was declared elected as trustee for the ensuing three years. No new business was introduced and the meeting then adjourned.

FROM THE "BAPTIST ITEMS."

Mary Sweet is living at present in Ohio. She thinks of remaining some time.

Mr. A. W. Mills' new house opposite the parsonage is going up with dispatch. It will, when done, add much to the beauty of that part of town.

Mrs. Marsh, member of the First Baptist church in Toledo, has been spending a few weeks with friends in Tecumseh. Sister Marsh is always cordially greeted.

Bro. P. B. Swick seems to enjoy buggy riding. He and his wife and son Frank have recently returned from an overland trip to Kalamazoo. We are glad that P. B's steppers did not step into a run with them, and that we see them safe and sound among us again.

Miss Carrie Osborn and Miss Lina Burton left a couple of weeks since for Laingsburg, in this state, for a three or four weeks' visit. The former is now at East Saginaw and the latter is at Lansing. They will be away some two or three weeks yet. We hope they are enjoying themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bryan gave an old ladies' afternoon party to some of the village ladies at their residence, one and a half miles west of town, Tuesday last. It looks as though they selected those whom they knew had no means of going into the country, for Mr. Bryan took them out in his own private carriage, with but one or two exceptions. Not a bad idea.

About forty of our Baptist people went in a party to Sand Lake Friday, August 17. They report a very pleasant time, and recommend others to try it. They, or at least some of them, had a pleasant visit with Bro. Holmes of Adrian. Some think that when our new railroad is completed that we will go to Devil's Lake. Will it sound well to say, "A large company of Baptists will go to Devil's Lake next Thursday!"

A recent convert at Hudson said in the August convenant meeting that religion had done a great deal for her. As evidence of this she said that before her conversion it would have been impossible for her to get her work done up and get down to church by one o'clock in the afternoon. But now she could do it. This is practical. Religion in the heart makes even housework and business get out of the way, so we may meet with the children of God.

Bro. J. S. Holmes, the pastor of the Baptist church at Adrian, has been rusticating with his family at Sand Lake for a couple of weeks. He reports a good time and a very accommodating class of people at the lake. He returned home the Saturday before our pic-nic. It is supposed he rusticated for health, and yet he was not "well" enough to come and give us that promised address. There seems to be a discrepancy here. Bro. Holmes, please stand up and explain.

Bro. J. O. Heck paid a flying visit to Ann Arbor, week before last, to consult a physician there as to whether his heart trouble would be a barrier to his attending school at Kalamazoo. The doctor's opinion was satisfactory and he will go. He had an opportunity to see something of the city, the University, and the Baptist church. There can be but one opinion of the latter—beautiful! Its walls are built of broken "heard heads" or "nigger heads," as they are sometimes called, and are the finest specimen of that kind of work to be found in the city, where much of that kind of wall is to be seen. Some of our builders should try it.

Our public schools devote but six hours a day to study. This is so short a time that a wise supervision will not allow anything to intrude to divert the attention of teachers or pupils from their work. Agents of all character, whether good or bad, are shut out. Scarcely ever is a visitor invited "to make a few remarks to the children." Much less is the school ever called upon to deliberate and decide concerning the expenditure of money, the employment of teachers, or the election of officers. The pupil needs all his time for study; and, moreover, parents believe they are better qualified to judge what the child needs in the way of instruction, and how money may be expended most wisely for this purpose.

The minutes of our Lenawee associational meetings at Flat Rock are received. On account of scarcity of funds they are not as full as usual. The thirteen churches of the association were all represented. Total membership one year ago, 1,540; present membership, 1,578; increase during the year, 38. This is an increase of about 2½ per cent. It looks very small—it is small. We pay 7 per cent. on money. Cannot the Baptists of old Lenawee return to the Lord an increase of more, or of as much, as the farmer or merchant pays for his capital? The churches report $15,544.91 raised for various objects this last year, against $9,900.31 raised the previous year; 104 baptisms, against 67 the year before. We are not standing still, but we go slow—too slow by far.

Prof. Ira Waterman has been chosen Secretary of the county board of school examiners.

A. W. Slayton is in Northern Michigan and Mrs. A. W. Slayton is visiting friends in Toledo and Detroit.

Dr. Adam, of Clinton, has accepted an appointment in the homeopathic hospital at the State University.

Many are the improvements which are being made in and around the Lilley House since Mr. Passmore took possession.

Lovers of the beautiful should pay a visit to Spalding's green house and see the many improvements which have been recently made.

Clinton News: The "Cleveland Printing Ink Works" is the name of a new firm for the manufacture of printing ink of all kinds, of which Mr. E. Vandermark, of this place is a member, the firm's name being Estep, Van DeMark & Co.

Last fall, Mr. Ezra F. Blood had some friends visiting here from New York. On their return home they sent him one potato of the Late Rose variety. He cut it into twenty-one pieces, each piece containing one eye, and planted it. Yesterday he dug his Late Rose potato crop, and the yield was about three pecks by measure and exactly 43 pounds in weight.—Pass along the next seed potato.

Adrian Record: George Stacy of the Tecumseh HERALD, last spring came over to Adrian and wrote up the salvation army in a manner somewhat ungloved. Stacy was in Adrian a few evenings ago, and wandered near the praying band, when some enemy tipped a brother the wink. The result was a good, stout, fervent appeal that the Lord would convert the heart of the wicked editor from Tecumseh. Stacy slid quietly out of the crowd and took a chew of "Hero" around the corner.

The following letter was written by the author of the Lime Kiln Club to Mr. A. O. Miller:

DETROIT, June 6th, 1883.

Mr. A. O. Miller: Your make-up and representation of Bro. Gardner, last night, at the Detroit Opera House, was complete, and more than filled my expectation. Bro. Gardner and his Lime Kiln Club are a great success as rendered by you and your company, and to all who want a hearty laugh I say, by all means go and see the Lime Kiln Club at the Opera House to-night. With best wishes, I remain your friend.

C. B. LEWIS, (M Quad.)

—Grand chance to buy a Grain Drill. Calvin Slayton & Son before you buy and they will make it pay you.

—New Departure.—Having purchased the business and stock in trade formerly owned by Dr. E. Hause, I shall endeavor to continue the trade in a competent manner, and shall make a specialty of confectionery, teas, coffees, ice cream, by the dish or gallon. Oysters in their season.—Lunches at all hours.
Will. T. Eccles.

—Slayton & Son are selling a number of the Cassaday Sulky Plows now and it would do you good to see the smile on a farmers' face after he has used one an hour.

—If you want a Drill, see the Hoosier Champion and Rooler Grain Drill at Snedicor's.

—Do not be gulled by strange agents tramping through the country taking orders for crayon portraits(?) but give your orders to some good artist or agent whom you know to be reliable.

—No more poor bread made from Heck's all roll flour. Try it.
Heck Bros.

—The Improved Domestic with the new set of attachments beats them all. Call at Sparks' and see it.

—Wm. McCowen's crayon portraits are pronounced the finest that have ever been made in this vicinity.—Leave your orders at furniture store or with Mr. Burrows, at gem gallery.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—The Wilder Plow Sulky and Ellwood Sulky Plow, for sale by Snedicor.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Call at Sparks' and see the Improved Domestic. It is just too lovely for anything.

—Don't forget that Snedicor sells the best plows in Tecumseh. Call and see for yourself and try one.

—Spring Tooth Harrows at Snedicor's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Grain Drills.—A very complete stock at Slayton & Son's. The one horse drill, for standing corn, Roller Grain Drills, Shoe Drills and Tooth Drills. Call and get prices.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

THROUGH TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 27, 1883.

GOING NORTH. No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 30	8 35	Toledo	10 34	5 20
5 25	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc	9 54	5 18
5 32	8 47	" Alexis Jct.	9 44	5 01
6 08	9 29	" Monroe Jct.	9 10	4 26
6 14	9 40	" Dundee	9 00	4 18
6 38	9 54	" Azalia	8 50	4 03
6 44	10 06	" Milan	8 34	3 50
6 55	10 18	" Urania	8 20	3 36
7 05	10 35	" Parkshield	8 08	3 28
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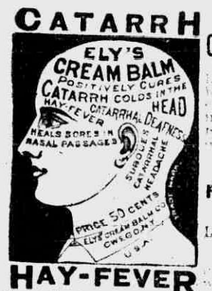

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But in my heart this toast I'll keep—
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When first the rose in robe of green,
Unfolds its crimson lining,
And round his homely porch is seen
The honeysuckle twining,
When banks of bloom their sweetness yield
(The bees that gather honey)
He drives the team across the field,
Where skies are soft and sunny.

The blackbird sticks behind his plow,
The quail pipes loud and clearly,
Yon orchard hides behind its boughs
The home he loved so dearly.
The gray old barn, whose doors unfold
His ample store, in measure
More rich than heaps of heaped gold,
A precious, blessed treasure;
But yonder in the porch there stands
His wife, the lovely charmer,
The sweetest rose on all his lands—
The Independent Farmer.

To him the spring comes a smiling day,
To him the summer blushes,
The autumn smiles with mellow ray,
His sleep the winter hushes;
He cares not how the world may move,
No doubts or fears confound him;
He smiles in calm content and love
On children gathered round him.
He trusts in God, and loves his wife,
Nor grief, nor ill may harm her,
He's nature's nobleman in life—
The Independent Farmer.

About Shaving.

It is safe to say that nine out of ten of the men one meets on the streets in our cities shave, or rather are shaved. Some shave the moustache, some the chin, and some the cheek. Indeed, one must go into mathematics, to the tables of permutations and combinations, to find how many varities of shaving are possible. Woman is accused of being the party who devotes her time to appearances and the frivolities of the mirror, but after all man does his share of it. The reason he escapes the charge is that he blandly sets down his devotions as being a matter of necessity.

And it is true that shaving is a very old custom, nor have we anything to say against it except that it is unnatural, and is, and should be acknowledged to be, a concession to the looking-glass and to vanity. But the point is that old as is the art it is singular thing how few know how to shave. Nearly all men shave in the "passive voice." This may be taken as the grammatical phrase or as an acknowledgment of the voice of the barber they have to endure. Each signification is true. And while nearly all men consent to refer their shaving to a few who make it a business, only a fraction of that few understand their art.

There is a financial blunder at the bottom of it that makes trouble all through. For, do what that a shave is a shave is a mistake. One man with a stiff beard and a full face will choose to have his whole expressive countenance clean shorn; another will have only his upper lip. To each it is a "shave," and each is charged alike. One may require thirty minutes' attention, the other ten minutes. The first will dull a razor, the second not affect its edge. To each it is ten cents. Now, a barber's working day, we will assume, is ten hours long. If he is occupied three-quarters of the time he must be busier than usually appears. This gives him seven hours' labor, and if he struck a day of half-hour faces, his whole receipts would be $1.40. If his luck gave him ten-minute cases he would take in $2.10. Even this would not pay were it not for the seductive side issues—the hair cuts and shampoos of the trade that bring in more per hour than the fundamental industry.

Now, as the price and the circumstances of shaving go, there is a constant hurry to finish a man, as shaving scarcely pays at the best, and, if he is one of the most absorbing subjects—tall shave and stiff beard—it is a loss to work upon him. To shave him carefully costs too much time and the edge of the razor. To skim over his face, cutting off sections of beard here and there, and leaving odd oases of hair along the deserts of the cheek, saves the razor but spoils the person who pays for the operation, and who should not be entirely forgotten. The scale of prices ought to be regulated by what one gets, and barbers ought to have the courage to charge for what they do.

This done, a revolution in the art would follow. Speed would not be the great aim. Attention could be given to the removal of the beard, which in olden times it was as important to remove as the father, and the man who went out of the barber shop would leave satisfied, instead of hoping that next time it might be better. We recommend these considerations to the trade without charge for advice. Shaving is a custom of civilization; scalping is a token of savagery; playing with soap bubbles is a game of childhood. It is now a matter of luck which of these operations falls to the lot of a person to-day.

Ages of Animals

The following article, like the item appears in the newspapers of the land about once every seven years, and is just starting on another run. We may have published it before, but it will do to read again.

A bear rarely exceeds twenty years; a dog lives twenty years; a fox fourteen or sixteen. Lions are long-lived. Pompey's lived to the age of seventy. The average age of cats is fifteen years. A Squirrel and hare seven or eight years; rabbits seven. Elephants have been known to live to the great age of seven hundred years. When Alexander the Great had conquered one Porus, King of India, he took a great elephant which had fought very valiantly for the king, named him Ajax, dedicated him to the sun and then let him go with the inscription "Alexander, the son of Jupiter, hath dedicated Ajax to the sun." This elephant was found with this inscription three hundred and fifty years after. Pigs have been known to live to the age of thirty years; the rhinoceros to twenty. A horse has been known to live to the age of sixty-two, but averages twenty-five to thirty. Camels sometimes live to the age of one hundred. Stags are long lived. Sheep seldom exceed the age of ten. Cows live about fifteen years. Cuvier considers it probable that whales sometimes live one thousand years. The dolphin and porpoise attain the age of thirty. An eagle died at Vienna at the age of one hundred and four years. Ravens frequently reach the age of one hundred. Swans have been known to live three hundred years. M. Mallerton has the skeleton of a swan that attained the age of two hundred. A tortoise has been known to live one hundred and seven.

An Elmira, N. Y., Lady,

Mrs. H. L. Clark, 304 E. Clinton st., declares: Burdock Blood Bitters are the medicine I admire. Best remedy for dyspepsia in the world. Keep house supplied with it.

How Wood Pulp is Made.

So much is said about the paper pulp which is extensively used in the manufacture of paper that a brief description of the process of making it will be entertaining. Any white soft wood may be used. The bark is taken off, the knots and dark and decayed places cut out. It is then put into a large caldron and boiled, which extracts all the glutinous matter and resin, and renders it soft. It is then put into a large stone grinder, the water pouring on it all the time. The grindstone wears off the fibres until they are finer than saw-dust, which float away in a receptacle. The water is drained off by means of a fine sieve, leaving the pulp, which consists of fine fuzz or splinters of wood. It is white, and requires no bleaching, but is ready to be mixed with rag pulp or anything else that has a strong fibre, and receive the proper constituents to be made into paste, after which it is run off into paper sheets, whereas rags have to be washed and bleached with chloride of lime, soda ash and alum, and such strong chemicals, to take out the color. Then they are picked to pieces and made into pulp. The process by which wood pulp is made is purely mechanical. It can be made cheaply, say at about one cent a pound.

A Remarkable Tribute.

Sidney Ourchundro, of Pittsburg, Pa., writes: "I have used Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs many years, with the most gratifying results. The relieving influence of Hall's Balsam is wonderful. The pain and rack of the body, incidental to a tight cough, soon disappear by the use of a spoonful according to directions. My wife frequently sends for Halls Balsam instead of a physician, and health is speedily restored by its use."

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Mr. Paddock, postmaster at Wolcott, N. Y., writes: "I can safely recommend Rheumatic Syrup to all who are suffering with indigestion and rheumatism, as one of the surest and best remedies ever offered to the public. I have taken many so-called remedies, but found no relief until I commenced the use of the Syrup, and after three weeks' use I had no pain, and could move around as well as ever. My difficulty was in my hips and back, and feared I had some kind of kidney affection, but I am now entirely free from it and as well as ever."

Not a Humbug.

Colonel Richard Forgham, of Lyons, N. Y., says that by the use of a few bottles of Rheumatic Syrup, he was completely cured of a severe attack of rheumatism, which confined him to his room for months. He also said that he had no faith in patent medicines, but has changed his mind since using Rheumatic Syrup.

Curious Experiment with Light.

If a piece of wood be placed in a decanter of water, and the focus of a large burning glass be thrown upon it, the wood will be completely charred, though the sides of the decanter through which the rays pass will not be cracked nor in any way affected nor the water perceptibly warmed. If the wood be taken out, and the rays be thrown on the water, neither the vessel nor its contents will be in the least affected; but if a piece of metal be put into the water it soon becomes too hot to be touched, and the water will presently boil. Though pure water alone, contained in a transparent vessel, cannot be heated, yet, if by a little ink it be made of a dark color or the vessel itself be blackened, the effect speedily takes place.

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It is always best to under season rather than to over season food.

When anything is accidentally made too salt it can be counteracted by adding a tablespoonful of vinegar and a tablespoonful of sugar.

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Bad Case of St. Vitus Dance.

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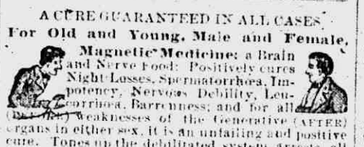

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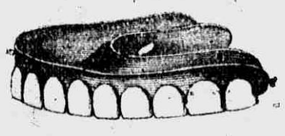

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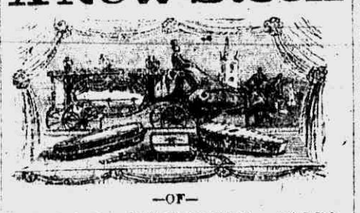

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But Adolph was there, dear mother,
And I fain would have him think
I am of ethereal make-up,
For, mamma, he's got the chink;
So I only ate a morsel
Of a dainty frosted cake,
And a peanut and a raisin—
Gave all solid grub the shake,
Pile the provender around me,
For I'm famishing, by gum!
Ain't this ham and beans delicious,
Oh! yum! yum! yum! yum! yum! yum!"

Dr. Johnson's Marriage.

The artless manners and rustic prettiness of Lucy Porter had won Johnson's youthful heart, when she was on a visit to the Rev. John Hunter's, master of the free school, Lichfield, in Johnson's youthful days. The peculiar appearance, however, of Johnson, could not tempt the lady to a return of his passion; and at length she returned to her parents at Birmingham. Business required Johnson's presence in that neighborhood on the death of his father, and calling upon his former mistress there, he found her parent dying. With that affectionate friendship which particular situations always experienced from him, he passed all his leisure hours at Mr. Porter's, attended his sick bed, and a few months after his death, asked Mrs. Johnson's consent to his marriage with the widow.

Mrs. Porter has been represented as very fat, with a red face, and indifferent features, and in her speech and manners affected, and bordering on girlish levity; while Johnson, on his first introduction to her, exhibited an appearance yet more singular. He was then lean and lank, so that his immense structure of bones was hideously striking to the eye, while the scars occasioned by the scrofula were deeply visible. His hair, which was straight and stiff, he wore separated behind; and he often had, seemingly, convulsive starts and odd gestulations, which tended to excite at once surprise and ridicule. Mrs. Porter, however, was so much engaged by his conversation that she overlooked all these external disadvantages and expressed to her daughter: "This is the most sensible man that I ever saw in my life."

Johnson's mother, as might naturally be expected, expressed her surprise at a request so imprudent and extraordinary, both on account of her disparity of years and want of fortune.

"No, Sam," she said, "my willing consent you will never have to so preposterous a match. You are 25 and she is turned of 50. If she had any prudence, this request would never have been made to me. Where are your means of subsistence? Porter has died poor in consequence of his wife's expensive habits. You have great talents, but as yet have turned them into no profitable channel."

"Mother," replied Johnson, "I have told her the worst of me—that I am of mean extraction, that I have no money, and that I have had an uncle hanged. She replied that she valued no one more or less for his descent, that she had no more money than myself, and that though she had not had a relation hanged, she had fifty who deserved hanging."

After some little lapse of time, however, matters were brought to a conclusion, and Derby was fixed on as the place where the ceremony should be performed, on the 9th of July, 1736, for which place the bride and groom set out on horseback. The singular account of their journey to church on the nuptial morning is given by Boswell in the doctor's own words to him: "Sir, she had read the old romances, and had got into her head the fantastical notion that a woman of spirit should use her lover like a dog. So, sir, at first she told me that I rode too fast, and that she could not keep up with me, and when I rode a little slower she passed me and complained that I lagged behind. I was not to be made the slave of caprice, and I resolved to begin as I meant to end. I therefore pushed on briskly, till I was fairly out of her sight; the road lay between two hedges, so I was sure that she could not miss it, and I contrived that she should soon come up with me; when he did, I observed her to be in tears."

This, it must be allowed, was a singular beginning of connubial felicity; yet he proved a most affectionate and indulgent husband to the last moment of his life. He once told Topham Beaclery, with much gravity, "Sir, it was a love match on both sides;" and in his Prayers and Meditations we find very remarkable evidence that his regard and fondness for her never ceased, even after death.

"Out of the Current."

Like our shadows, our wishes lengthen as our sun declines.—[Young.

The best of prophets of the future is the past.—[Byron.

To live long it is necessary to live slowly.—[Cicero.

"A pound of care will not pay a pound of debt."

"Happily for little men, the giants have seldom any great wit."

"Self-inspection is the only means to preserve us from self-conceit."

What is the end of Fame? 'tis but to fill a certain portion of uncertain paper.—[Byron.

Thought is the property of him who can entertain it, and of him who can adequately place it.—[Emerson.

Learning hath gained most by those books by which the printers have lost.—[Thomas Fuller.

"Vice stings us even in our pleasures, but virtue consoles us even in our pains."

It is right to be contented with what we have, never with what we are.—[Mackintosh.

He that pryeth into every cloud may be stricken with a thunderbolt.—[Joseph Cook.

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When a friend corrects a fault in you, he does you the greatest act of friendship.—[Golden Rule.

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The Gulf Stream.

Among the wonders of physical geography, few are more interesting in their relation to this country than what is known as the Gulf Stream. This is an oceanic current of great extent, which takes its rise in the Gulf of Mexico, whence it derives its name. The peculiar formation and position of this gulf renders it a receptacle for the waters of the Atlantic, which sweep across the north-eastern coast of South America; and, on arriving in the gulf, they become warmed to a much higher temperature than is anywhere found in the surrounding ocean. The summer temperature of the waters in the Gulf is about eighty-eight degrees, while in the open Atlantic, in the same latitude, it is seventy-eight.

Thus warmed the waters pass out of the Gulf northward, in a deep strong current, through the coast of Florida on the one side, and the islands of Cuba and the Bahamas on the other. The steam progresses here with a velocity of five miles an hour. It rolls like a mighty river along the shore of North America, widening as it flows, until it nears the banks of Newfoundland, where it is turned aside, partly by the formation of the coast, which here projects boldly out, and partly by the encounter with strong and adverse currents from the North Atlantic. At the point where it is turned aside, it stretches almost across the Atlantic; the current itself, according to some, being about two hundred miles in width, and the warm waters of the stream extending in all more than twice that distance. In the latter part of its course it leaves behind it that remarkable drift of sea-weed known as the Mer de Sargasso.

Crossing the Atlantic eastward, towards the islands of the Azores, the main stream gradually becomes lost and its current spent; but a portion of it continues northward towards the British Islands. Long after the current itself is lost, the neighboring seas continue very sensibly affected by the warm waters which it has brought down. It was stated by Commander Chimmo, at a meeting of the Royal Geographical Society, that in one hour's sailing into or out of the current of the Gulf Stream, the temperature changes no less than from twenty to twenty-five degrees; and that a ship may be so placed that her bow and stern are floating in the water the heat hich differs greatly.-

Stream is well known to sailors as peculiarly the region of storms; and in their passage across the ocean they avoid it as much as possible for this reason. Whenever, from any cause, the current is of greater volume and force than usual, these storms are proportionately increased.

This leads us to notice a plausible theory which was stated to account for the particularly mild winter experienced in 1868-9, in combination with a series of violent gales. The frequent occurrence of earthquakes in the southern seas, recorded a few months before, gave rise, it was asserted, to a more than ordinary influx of waters from those seas towards the Mexican gulf. The volume of the Gulf Stream was consequently largely increased, and its effects were therefore felt more powerfully than usual upon our shores, both in the mildness of the season and the frequency of storms. We record this as a remarkable theory, put forward with confidence in some quarters; but it is only fair to say that it has been questioned by many of our scientific men.

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No Grease for Him.

"When Greece her knees—Greece her knees—Greece her knees," stammered an embarrassed school boy, forgetting the next line of his recitation. "There is no occasion to grease anybody's knees," shouted his teacher. "Go and study your piece." Neither is there occasion to grease your hair. Parker's Hair Balsam is all the dressing you want. Restores the original gloss and color to gray or faded hair. Does not soil the linen; not a dye; good for the scalp; prevents falling out.

Death comes equally to us all, and makes us all equal when he comes. The ashes of an oak in a chimney are no epitaph of that, to tell me how high, or how large, it was; it tells me not what flocks it sheltered while it stood, nor what men it hurt when it fell. The dust of great persons' graves is speechless too; it says nothing, it distinguishes nothing. As soon the dust of a wretch whom thou wouldst not, as of a prince whom thou couldst not look upon, will trouble thine eyes if the wind blows it thither; and when a whirlwind hath blown the dust of the churchyard into the church, and the man sweeps out the dust of the church into the churchyard, who will undertake to sift those again, and to pronounce, "This is the patrician, this is the noble flower, and this the yeoman, this the plebeian bran."—[Donne.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is made of roots, herbs and barks. It gives tone to the stomach and makes the weak strong. Sold by druggists.

To preserve autumn leaves, spread and press them in a suitable dish, with alternate layers of fine sand thoroughly dry, and as hot as the hand can bear. When the sand has cooled they may be removed, smoothed under a hot iron, dipped for a moment in clear French spirit varnish, and allowed to dry in the air.

For bilious fevers and malarial disorders, use Ayer's Ague Cure. Taken according to directions, its success is guaranteed.

A Shrewd Reply.

Sir Walter Scott says that the alleged origin of the invention of cards produced one of the shrewdest replies he had ever heard given in evidence. It was made by the late Dr. Gregory, at Edinburgh, to a counsel of great eminence at the Scottish bar. The doctor's testimony went to prove the insanity of the party whose mental capacity was the point at issue. On a cross interrogation he admitted that the person played admirably at whist. "And do you seriously say, doctor," said the learned counsel, "that a person having a superior capacity for a game so difficult, and which requires, in a pre-eminent degree, memory, judgment, and combination, can be at the same time deranged in his understanding?" "I am no card player," said the doctor, with great address. "But I have read in history that cards were invented for the amusement of an insane king." The consequences of this reply were decisive.

Polishing the Wrong End.

Many men daily polish their boots who never give a thought to the condition of their hair, except to barrow it casually with brush and comb, or submit it to the paralozing attentions of the average barber. What hapens? Why, this: From neglect, mental anxiety, or any of a score of causes, the hair turns prematurely gray and begins to fall out. Paker's Hair Balsam will at once stop the latter process and restore the original color. An elegant dressing, free from grease.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Friday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alva Waring praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick E. Wood.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN SMITH.

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At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Susanah M. Exelby, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Jesse Exelby.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register.

ESTATE OF IDA M. HASTINGS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 22d day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ida M. Hastings, formerly Ida M. Odell, minor.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minor, praying for license to invest the money in his hands belonging to said minor in certain real estate particularly described in said petition for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. aug23

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

William Hayden, Complainant,
vs.
Daniel O'Connor, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 7th day of September 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (that being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight, (138) one hundred and thirty-nine, (139) and two hundred and ninety-five (295) and two hundred and ninety-six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated July 21, 1883.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.
E. R. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. aug9

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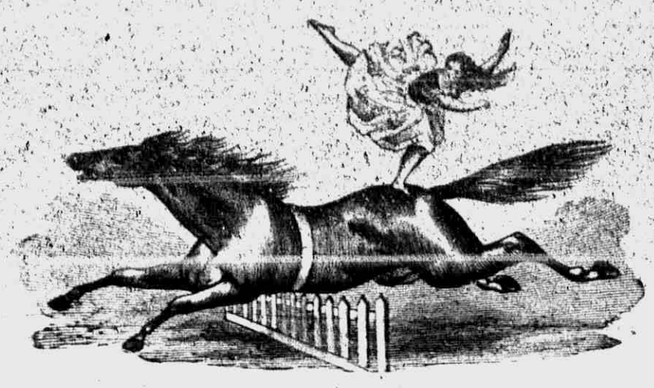

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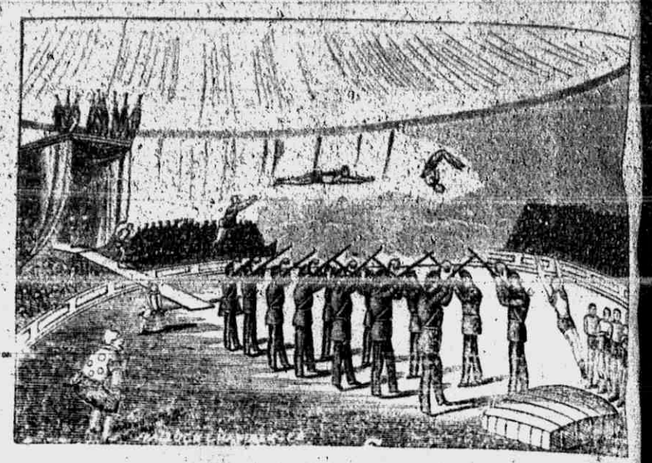

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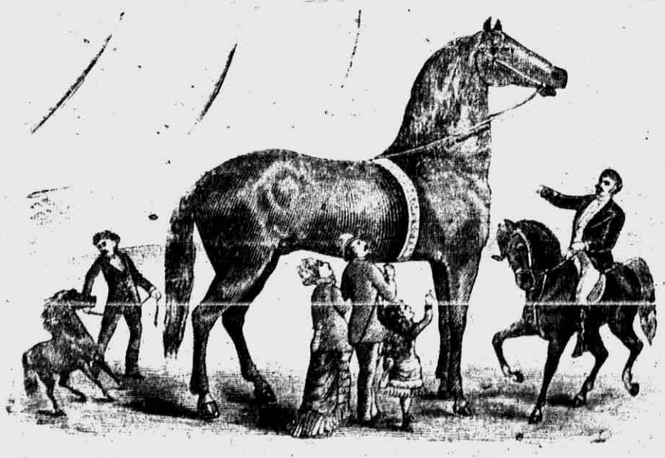

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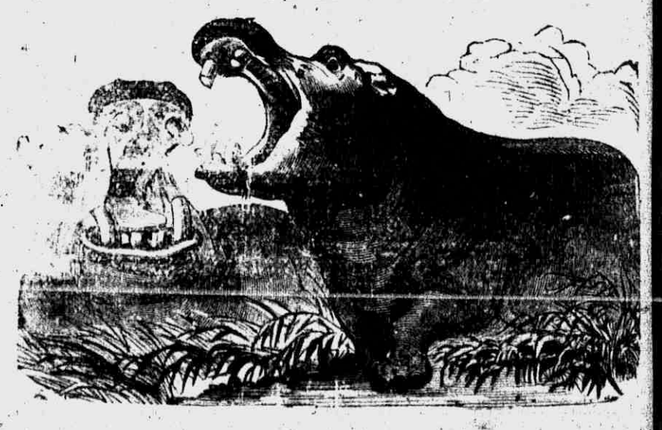

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Jack Frost has put in pretty lively work in this section during the past few days. Corn and other crops have sustained material injury.

The village sick list is unusually lengthy at this writing notwithstanding the medical corps of the place has been strengthened by two M. D's.

Miss Mary Somers, of this place, opens school at the lakes this week.—She is experienced in the art of youngster yanking, and we predict a lively time for the juveniles of that ranch.

Rev. Mr. Whiteley of the M. E. church being absent to attend the conference, his pulpit was filled last Sabbath evening by Elder B. F. Bailey of the Baptist church, Rollin.—Come again.

Our village schools opened Monday of this week with fine prospects of doing a good terms work. Prof. Hutchinson appears to be the right man in the right place.

Smith's grist and flouring mills are receiving a new dress by way of siding, which will contribute no small item to the looks of the place.

Thiell's lumber yard is a welcome enterprise here and we trust may succeed.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

The frost has injured corn badly, even through this section. Clover seed is thought to be considerably damaged also.

C. L. Vaughn has returned home from a pleasure trip to the White Mountains.

A. J. Monaghan has his first contract of painting completed in the finishing up of a couple of barns for Wm. White and they look splendid.

J. H. Smith moved two loads of goods to Tecumseh Tuesday, and will move the balance of his furniture the latter part of the week.

C. E. Jessup has bought out J. B. Stephenson's stock of groceries and the latter will retire from the business.

Elvin Ayres has sold his corner lot in the village, containing house and store, to Jackson Ayres for $1,750.

Humphrey Egan has (although unfinished) moved into his new house.

Rev. Mr. Wilson preached his farewell sermon to a large and appreciative audience on Sunday, the 9th, inst.

Carrie Rogers returned home from Detroit last Saturday.

The remnant of the Springville cornet band went down and played with the Franklin boys last Saturday evening, and report a splendid practice.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

The preparations for the coming fair of the Lenawee County Agricultural Society are now well in hand and it is safe to predict the best fair ever held in the county. The exhibition will open on Tuesday, the 25th inst., and close on Friday, the 28th, giving four entire days to the show.—Lawrence Park is the place selected and the grounds have been much improved since last year, so that there will be nothing wanting to promote the convenience of both exhibitors and visitors. The premium list is the fullest ever issued and covers not only all the usual departments but also includes some special features. Special prizes are also offered by individual firms. Arrangements have been perfected for a "merchants' display," which will afford the enterprising merchants of the county, who are so disposed, to display their goods for advertising purposes. Reduced railroad rates have been secured on both roads. On the Wabash line one and one-third fare will be charged for the round trip from Milan on the east to Montpelier on the west and all intermediate stations. The Lake Shore road grants the same reduction on both the main line and branches from and including the following places: Sylvania, Dundee, Fayette, Pittsford, Manchester and Monroe.

Among the special attractions may be mentioned the following:

Speeding and racing of horses will take place on every day of the fair.

On Thursday there will be a grand parade of the Knights Templar and Knights of Pythias organizations.

On Friday the Adrian Guard and the fire department will have a grand review.

Moreland Bros. & Crane offer five special prizes of their "Hero" plug for the biggest pumpkins. These pumpkins must be shown in their booth which will be set apart for that purpose. For the largest pumpkin a ten pound box of plug.

2nd largest pumpkin, 8 pound box.
3d " " 6 " "
4th " " 4 " "
5th " " 2 " "

M. E. Chittenden & Co. will repeat their baby experiment of last year, and it is expected that there will be a big lot of entries in the baby show.

THE GREAT SHOW.

Burr Robbins' American and German Allied Shows will give an exhibition here on Thursday, Sept. 20. Burr visited Tecumseh three years ago, and his show was largely patronized and gave the utmost satisfaction. New attractions have been added since then and the show is in every way first-class. The Detroit Post and Tribune says:

The Burr Robbins American and German Allied Shows gave two performances in Detroit Saturday. The street procession in the morning was equal to usual displays of that kind, but was scarcely complete enough to give the observer an adequate idea of the character of the organization. The performances themselves were very pleasant surprises. The circus came without any extended announcement, with modest claims and an almost absolute freedom from the bluster so common to amusements of the kind. So little had been claimed for it, in fact, that the persons who always greet circus announcements with an eager little flutter of anticipation turned away from the preliminary statements with disappointment. All this did not deter a large number of people from visiting the grounds afternoon and evening. It summarizes the whole performance to say that these people were amply repaid for their venture. The spread of canvas was large enough to promise plenty of room. The menagerie tent was found to be occupied by an excellent selection of animals, many of which are rarely seen in traveling exhibitions. There was not so many that one became confused in an attempt to see them all; on the other hand, there were not so few that one felt it scarcely worth while to look. Not the least interesting feature of the animal exhibit was the monstrous horse, Moloch, a powerfully developed colt of five years, from the north of France, so high in stature and large of limb that one doubted whether it was a horse or some as yet unknown quadruped of similar structure. There was also a hippopotamus, ungainly and ugly enough to be interesting. The ring performance was one of the best seen here in some time. It was superior not only in the variety and excellence of the acts, but in the rapidity and earnestness with which they succeed each other. The best thing about this circus, when all has been said, is its cleanliness and freedom from the tormenting huckster.

A MAGNIFICENT TESTIMONIAL.

From the Decatur, Ill., Daily Republican we clip the following which will explain itself. The Mr. Bresie spoken of is a son of Wm. Bresie, of this village. His Tecumseh friends will be glad to hear of his good luck:

Mr. W. R. Bresie, Assistant Superintendent of the Pacific Express Company, as is well known, has his office in opera block, and has immediate charge of all lines east of the Mississippi river. He located in Decatur on June 20th, but previous to that time he had his headquarters in St. Louis, where he was stationed for a period of three years, and where he filled the position of superintendent under Supt. Fuller, and had sole charge of the eastern division. There are about 175 express messengers east of Omaha and north of Texas in the employ of the Pacific company, and these messengers, as a mark of their regard and also as a fitting testimonial of their good wishes for Mr. Bresie, with whom they were more nearly associated in St. Louis, pooled their issues," and today presented him with a princely gift in the shape of a massive and elegant French Italian marble clock, with cathedral gong bell, and also a pair of bronze statuary representing knights in armor. The clock is surmounted by a bronze statue representing "History" with globe and library at his left, and the black and pink marble is polished until it shines. The group of statuary with the costly clock would ornament the most luxuriously furnished parlor, and genial Mr. Bresie, who is very popular with the company and the messengers, is as proud of the wholly unexpected gift as he would be of the gift of a section of Macon county land. He is very thankful to the thoughtful donors who have so kindly remembered him. Accompanying the gift was a neatly stamped presentation card in a plush frame, on a stand bracket, which was inscribed as follows: "Presented to W. R. Bresie by Messengers of the Pacific Express Co., Sept., 1883."

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The September term of the Circuit Court began on Tuesday. The calendar is quite a large one. There are 14 criminal cases as follows:

Ralph J. Jewel, aiding escape of Thos. J. Navin; Edward Siebert, stealing horses; Frank Barnes, larceny from dwelling house in day time; Wm. Mitchell, burglary; Frederick Durheim, burglary; Frank Elliott, stealing from dwelling in day time; Avjral J. Cross, embezzlement; John Shoemaker, abduction; Samuel Crysler and Daniel A. Loomis, willfully injuring shade trees; Patrick Riley and John Kernan, keeping saloon open on Sunday; Michael Molloy, bastardy; Isaac C. Rumsey, incest; John Bench, disfiguring a man's ear; Fordyce E. Benjamin and Laura J. Mann, adultery.

There are 42 issues of fact, trial by jury; 13 issues of fact, trial by court.

There is one imparlance case.

There are 13 chancery cases of the first class and nineteen of the fourth class.

Do not fail to see the street parade next Thursday of the circus.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Horse thieves at Plainwell and burglars at Otsego.

Jonesville is discussing the building of an opera house.

E. L. Mingus is the new editor of the Hunter Index.

Niles is to have a grand fireman's tournament, Sept. 26-28.

Over 1,200 scholars were enrolled in the Port Huron schools.

The Huron river affords water and power to six great paper mills.

Coal and iron have been discovered in Evart and Osceola counties.

The old mill at Kalkaska has new owners, and will soon open up again.

Olivet is being connected to the outside world by telephone.

The Lansing Journal hoists the old ticket Tilden & Hendricks.

Mrs. H. L. Brow[illegible], has escaped from the Ka[illegible]ylum.

The ladies' libra[illegible]ation of Adrian has 2,848 bo[illegible] a debt of $100.

Work has begun on the Chicago & West Michigan railroad extension to Baldwin.

Wm. McNett, of Freelands, was struck in the eye by a stick he was splitting, and his eye put out.

The Lutherans of Manchester will observe September 16 as "Mission" Sunday.

Wilberton will be the name of the new postoffice at Chidpewa Lake, near Evart.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad will not run Sunday excursion trains.

Marcelona claims the largest broom handle factory in the world. It turns out over a million handles a day.

James Donnelly, an inmate of the City Prison at East Saginaw, was found dead in his bunk last week.

Wm. J. Maas, of Humboldt, is the first lad appointed to West Point from the new Eleventh Congressional District of Michigan.

Several brick buildings, including two hotels, are being erected at Newaygo to replace those destroyed by fire, April last.

Manistee lumber and shingle cutters are moving to curtail the cut of their products about one-third. Trying to force up prices.

A writer in the Frankfort Express says that the reckless use of the gill net is destroying the food fishes of Lake Michigan at a fearful rate.

A Charlotte dealer in frogs has shipped 3,000 of these toothsome birds to Chicago this season. He pays a cent apiece for them.

News has been received at Jackson that Dr. J. K. Richey, formerly of that place, recently shot his wife and attempted to kill himself.

The Advent college at Battle Creek just opened employs 11 teachers.—More will be added soon as the rooms are now over-crowded.

The school census of Kalamazoo shows the population of the village to be over 17,000, and the one school district in the place has 3,700 children.

The Medical Committee have nominated Dr. Nathan Baldwin, of Marshall, for lecturer in the chair of surgery, in the Homoeopathic College, University of Michigan.

The furniture factory now building at Newaygo will be completed and running by January next. It is being built by a stock company with $50,000 capital.

While Wm. Tripp was digging a well in Tittabawassee township, Saginaw county, a child rolled a stone down upon him, crushing his skull and perhaps fatally injuring him.

Ed. Bosworth, who has been employed in a Charlotte livery stable about a week, was sent into the country the other day with a team, and at last accounts man or team had not been heard from.

A boat and lot of camp equipage have been found strewed along the beach of Lake Superior, between Maple River and Ratchewanong Bay, supposed to have been the property of a hunting party who have perished.

Marshall people regard it as certain that the shops on the Michigan & Ohio railway will be located at that city and with commendable enterprise are endeavoring to induce manufacturing enterprises to steer that way also.

The W. C. T. U. of East Saginaw figure out that there are in that place over 12,000 people who never hear the gospel preached. They should pass the hat for more missionary contributions for work in Burmah Pootrah at once.

THE BEAUTIFUL CITY DETROIT.

The Attractions it Possesses and what may be Seen there by the Thousands who will be its guests during the State Fair and All Other Seasons.

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SASH, BLINDS AND DOORS.—With the quality and cheapness of E. P. Earl's sash, blinds and doors we have been long acquainted, as well as heard them spoken of. Mr. Earl, having served a regular apprenticeship at the business and carried on the same in New York State as well as in Michigan for the last forty years, is thoroughly familiar with the best qualities of French and American glass, and offers none but work that he can guarantee against shrinkage or any failure whatever. His sash are glazed with best brands of French or American glass, and finished in a smooth, neat, clean manner, and warranted safe home against breakage. Builders will find this the most convenient and cheapest way to buy their sash, and will be sure to have a good job done that will not shrink and blinds that will not get out of order. His prices are reduced. Send in your orders or bills for estimates to E. P. Earl, 13 Jefferson avenue, Detroit.

AN ARTICLE OF GREAT MERIT.—As our readers well know, the use of compressed yeast has superseded in the cities and villages the old-fashioned and troublesome methods of leavening bread. For two cents the housewife can now procure a package containing all the requisites and insuring all the effects of the time-honored hop or salt rising. These yeast packages are carefully prepared according to a well-tested formula, and offer certainty of result with economy of time and labor for the benefit of those who use them. The success of the "Compressed Yeast," manufactured by Fleischmann & Co., 23 Congress street east, has been due to its superior qualities. The "Compressed" is a general favorite, and local dealers cannot afford to be without it. The manufacturers, wishing to extend to the utmost their already large trade in our State, request us to invite all grocers and other dealers in our vicinity to call at their factory and examine into the claims of the "Compressed." The firm will be found courteous and liberal, and prepared to quote prices which will insure a handsome profit to our local dealers.

A FURNITURE PALACE.—The elegant establishment of Mills & Barker, occupying the two stores 188 and 190 Woodward avenue, will repay an inspection, to which all our readers are invited by the enterprising proprietors. The firm deal in every description of furniture and carpets, and their stock contains every requisite for house furnishing, from a cottage to a palace. In these days of novelty, a look over the latest things in household decoration is a rare treat. We are requested to state that the firm will offer special inducements to retail dealers from the country. Their prices are always very low, and when this extra inducement is added the sales should be very large during the approaching rush of visitors to Detroit. A call at their elegant stores will satisfy everybody that their goods are not excelled in the State. Retail dealers should note these facts, and we need not urge our merchants to buy where the best articles are offered at the lowest figures.

A NEW TOBACCO.—The many friends and [illegible] of The Globe Tobacco Company will [illegible] pleased to learn that they have recently [illegible] in the market a grade and style of cut [illegible] smoking tobacco which is sure to [illegible] a ready sale. It is handsomely packed in [illegible] quarter-pound packages which sell for [illegible] and by comparison it will be found [illegible] article of the kind ever offered to the [illegible] sale thus far has been truly wonderful. The old reliable "Globe" fine-cut [illegible] tobacco still holds its place among [illegible] on earth, and its sales show a steady [illegible] daily. When in the city, dealers are [illegible] by the firm to call at the factory, 31, [illegible] Atwater street east, make themselves [illegible] and if they wish look through the establishment.

A BOOK.—Who is there, in this section of [illegible] at least, who has not traded with or [illegible] the old established book store of J. [illegible] Woodward avenue? It is to be [illegible] that few who have had occasion to [illegible] in his line for Detroit have not [illegible] with him. Mr. Roy enjoys a [illegible] reputation [illegible] for he [illegible] all [illegible] knew has [illegible] in the [illegible] at the [illegible] in America. It should be [illegible] Mr. Roy makes a specialty of sch[illegible] and art books, and his stock [illegible] stock for the whole [illegible] trade [illegible]

[illegible] which is guaranteed by the manufacturers to be the best in the market. Both hand horse mowers are made by the Excelsior [illegible] pany. Visitors from the country will receive a hearty welcome from Mr. Penfield, and will find him a gentleman with whom it is a pleasure to transact business. His prices for first-class articles will be found comfortably with any in Detroit, and we are our readers that his figures are lower, for quality, than many other dealers ask for their goods.

MOORE, MOORE & CO.—The citizens of this point with pride to the splendid edifice which Edson, Moore & Co., transact their business, and feel that were they to give utterance to their thoughts all that might be spoken would only be in praise of a firm which has, by honorable career, its enterprise and liberality, done much to advance the business interests of the city. Jobbers of and wholesale dealers in dry goods may be found in every city, but it is doubtful if any one of them will possess more staunch and true friends than Edson, Moore & Co. The secret of this [illegible] friendship lies in the fact that in all things that may be beneficial to the city and [illegible] they pledge their aid, while in their dealings with customers they invariably endeavor to quote prices that will so far as they are concerned make Detroit the market for all the [illegible] are beautifully stocked with every description of dry goods and novelties, and presents a most interesting sight to one unaccustomed to seeing the interior of such an establishment. The firm will be pleased to receive the public at any time, and the assurance may safely be given that those who are unacquainted with the house will leave it after a visit with the firm conviction that its success and kind regard in which it is held are well earned.

WYER & VHAY.—Experience has proved that the best teaches in all undertakings—and every one profit by others' through investigation, alone—without loss of time or money is certainly the most certain of attaining success. Therefore we take pleasure in recording, through our journal—the entering firm name of Dwyer & Vhay, of Detroit. This house has been in business for the fifteen years, and from the start has shown a determination to make a success of [illegible] Oysters and Vegetables. They are located all over the City [illegible] largest grocery establishment of the city [illegible] goods for consumption. After [illegible] have carried large stocks of canned goods, fancy [illegible] &c. The retailer must find them a very satisfactory depot to get supplies from, and no doubt has to judge from the present large proportions of their business. After finishing fruits &c., in season they embrace in their [illegible] the best oysters to be had and it is the general verdict that those dealers give their patrons better satisfaction and are more sure of getting fresher stock than from any other house. This winter they intend to place before their customers a better class of oysters and better filled cans than has ever been offered in the market.

BLACK & OWEN WHOLESALE HARDWARE, No. 89 WOODBRIDGE STREET WEST.—Dealers about to visit the metropolis, or those who have not the time to spare to attend either the State Fair or Art Loan Exhibition may find it decidedly to their interest to learn more of a house which has by its enterprise and strict application of business principles obtained a position of decided prominence in the hardware market of the west. Messrs. Black & Owen carry full lines of all classes of goods necessary to complete the stocks of dealers and handle special lines not on the lists of any other establishment. Among them are Reed & Barton's celebrated hollow and flat silver plated ware. Atkins cross cut saws, and Barney & Berry's skates for which they are sole agents in Michigan.

THE RETAIL DRY GOODS HOUSE OF THE CITY.—Ladies who are about to visit Detroit if they would be surprised and charmed with the beauty of all that goes to make up adornment of person, would see the fabrics upon which fashion has set its seal and spend an hour pleasantly they need but visit the dry goods establishment of Taylor, Woolfenden & Co. at Nos. 165 & 167 Woodward Avenue. This house enjoys and merits the reputation of being foremost in newness of style, tasteful assortment and quality of goods offered. In silks there can not be a more exquisite or satisfactory showing no matter what the house or where located and the same may be said of all departments. The visitor may wander from one counter to another and visit every floor but cannot discover the slightest vulgarity of selection or incompleteness of assortment. It is this characteristic of the house that has won it its hosts of friends. Ladies who wish to secure the latest and handsomest goods of whatever kind they may be invariably look through the assortment at Taylor, Woolfenden & Co., before settling upon a purchase elsewhere. It cannot be a loss of time for any lady to visit the establishment and it is certain after an experience with the obliging clerks, and a knowledge of the prices at which goods are sold the firm will add one more to their hosts of friends throughout the state.

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[illegible] which, to [illegible] our space this week. In the line of [illegible] firm acknowledge no superior in the West [illegible] the immense assortment in [illegible] evidence of the most extensive and [illegible] selection. The prices asked are not the [illegible] attractive feature. The firm are [illegible] for the celebrated Whitney [illegible] ges, and are enabled to [illegible] all [illegible] this line. Be sure to visit Levy's [illegible]

THE AMERICAN EAGLE.—One of the [illegible] known brands of chewing tobacco in the [illegible] is the "American Eagle." It [illegible] where it is made, a walk of [illegible] blocks from Woodward avenue on Woodbridge street west will reward the sight-seer with [illegible] extensive establishment which cannot be surpassed by anything, even than the American Tobacco Factory. If [illegible] interested [illegible] show him the celebrated "American [illegible] National Leaguer," "Crown of [illegible] New Drop," "Fortune," "[illegible]" and other brands of Leaguer chewing tobacco, the "Uncle Sam Favorite," "[illegible]" "Buzzer Nickel," "[illegible]" [illegible] manufacture [illegible] in cellar to [illegible] with the most [illegible] the proprietors are [illegible] pleasure to meet and [illegible] by dealing with them. The [illegible] throughout the State are cordially invited when in the city.

JAS. P. DONALDSON & CO., 32 WOODWARD AVENUE, WHOLESALE DEALERS IN MILL, RAILWAY AND VESSEL SUPPLIES, CORDAGE, TWINES, ETC.—The address of a house dealing in the above lines of goods is often required by those wishing to make purchases. It may be said of J. P. Donaldson & Co., that no establishment of the kind in the West has more desirable patronage or a more honorable record. In all business transactions they are found worthy of confidence and [illegible] will probably be found a little behind of other dealers. They select their goods with judicious care and [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] & CO.—This [illegible] every [illegible] hardware in the state of Michigan has a deal with or purchase of the jobbing house of [illegible] & Co., it is stated [illegible] ly that the newest there know the proprietors of the house and the position it holds in the hardware market of the country. For information of such as may choose this is one of the largest houses of the kind in the West that the building occupied and amount of stock are of immense proportions and this is not a mere [illegible] or business house to deal with in America. It is but justice to say that its career has been an honorable one throughout, and that will, then, once a patron, ever a patron. They seek new customers, and to this end they ask all dealers visiting the city to call upon them, look through the various lines of goods they handle, note their prices, and then judge if they cannot do as well here as they may have done elsewhere. Their immense stores are located at [illegible] 191 Woodbridge street west.

RATHBONE, SARD & CO.—Though Detroit may boast of being the largest western manufacturing stove center and pride itself upon its home institutions in this line, the branch established here ten years ago by Rathbone, Sard & Co., of Albany, N. Y., has assumed proportions that are truly wonderful. A look through the immense warerooms and offices on Woodbridge street west will convince the visitor that all the stoves sold from Detroit are not made here, in fact he is apt to come to the conclusion that Rathbone, Sard & Co., are powerful competitors for the trade. Mr. W. I. Kellogg the affable manager who has been connected with the house ever since it was established here will be pleased to enlighten those who are interested in stoves, in regard to the number sold from this point. It cannot be denied that the Rathbone, Sard & Co., stoves are in all respects equal to any others in the market, while it is claimed that they possess many special points of excellence. Those who visit the establishment while in the city will be given ample opportunity of judging the merits of different stoves that are shipped from this point and it is safe to say that those made by Rathbone, Sard & Co., will receive the fullest share of praise.

A VISIT TO THE STUDIO—Of W. H. Machen the celebrated artist (42 Moffat Building, opposite the City Hall), will not soon be forgotten. Mr. Machen's specialty is portraits, [illegible] pictures, and landscapes, and he exhibits many striking pictures of these classes. He also has had great success in sacred subjects for churches. His works are frequently to be met with in Detroit and at many other points adjacent to that city and remote from it. Everywhere are they admired for fidelity to nature and for evidence of painstaking detail. Mr. Machen extends a cordial invitation to all who visit the city to call at his studio, where he will take pleasure in showing the many fine productions to be found there. Those who may wish to buy or order of him will find his terms reasonable, and he will promptly carry out all instructions to the letter.

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ANOTHER DIRECTORY CHAPTER.

Last Friday and Saturday were devoted to taking in a few more villages for our forthcoming directory. As soon after the morning meal as we could get ready, "Peeler and I" started out with Billy and the buggy down into Raisin, along by Comfort's mill, past the farms of the Boyds, the Richards, the Holdridges, Jerome Green's and Holloway's, to the bright little hamlet on the Wabash which bears the respected name of Holloway. This place is not only alive but it is having a healthy growth. Several new houses have been erected during the summer, and one very fine residence, that of Mr. Benj. Kelly, is rapidly approaching completion. While Peeler was taking the census, we interviewed the business men. Upon calling at George Hoxsie's foundry and machine shop, we were quite surprised to see the extent of their business. They manufacture traction and stationary engines, clay crushers, and general castings of various kinds. They are also proprietors of a new invention, called "Hoxie's Patent Valve Gear," which is undoubtedly a good thing, and which they expect will have an extensive sale. Several hands are now employed and their business is gradually increasing.

The firm of B. Kelly & Co., is on deck with a large stock of miscellaneous goods such as are generally kept on sale in a good country store. Mr. H. E. Wilson, one of the partners, runs the post office and acts as business manager. Mr. Kelly attends to the buying and shipping of cattle and Mr. Hoxsie takes charge of the retail department of the store. As soon and our vehicle reached Mr. Wilson's residence about the same time, we accepted an invitation to unhitch and take a bite, and found we had made a happy hit again. A good farmer's dinner was put where it would do the most good. Having examined a fine lot of geological specimens from California, we set out along the old "ridge" road for Ridgeway.

Ridgeway, although damaged somewhat by the business of Britton, is still a lively burg, and doesn't propose to be left behind by its eastern neighbor. It will soon have railroad facilities of its own, however, and then Britton will have to "look a leedle oud" or Ridgeway will outstrip her in the race yet. Peter Sharp, who has been postmaster from the time since the memory of the Ridgewayite runneth not to the contrary, still holds forth on the old corner, and waits upon customers with as much agility as he did twenty years ago. Clark & Son conduct the old store on the opposite corner, and seem to be fixtures also. S. P. Smith has a grocery store and H. Smith a tin shop. There are two shops where wagons are made and three blacksmith shops, all of which seem to be well patronized. But the man who is making the biggest ripple at present is G. P. Waring. He is erecting a fine house which will be, when finished, the most elegant private residence in that town, or in that section of the county. He conducts his undertaking business at Ridgeway, and owns an interest in the saw mill at Britton, so he has plenty of business on hand to keep him out of mischief.

Having finished Ridgeway, we proceeded to Britton. The business status of this lively little burg is much the same as when we interviewed the town last spring. Our old friend, Will Clark, is kept "humping himself" in the Wabash depot, where he has charge of both ticket, freight and telegraph departments. R. Covell has opened a new grocery on the west side and expects to get his share of the trade. Mr. Alva Parker is about moving his stock of goods to Tecumseh where he will occupy the old James corner next Jim Cole's meat market. Mr. Rauch, who runs the postoffice and general store has his hands full of business, and is evidently enjoying a good trade. John Britton, who has charge of the Wabash water tank engine, is kept busily employed, and he gives a portion of his time to the purchase of grain and stock. The M. & O. road has spoiled the stave factory, as the track ran directly through the middle of the shop. But Waring & Kniffin's saw mill and lumber yard is in full blast and gives employment to a large number of men. This establishment is justly entitled to the first place on the list among the business establishments of Britton.

Our next visit was at Pennington's Corners. This town, although possessing no railroad, nor any prospect of one just at present, has a goodly proportion of Yankee grit and does not propose to be left behind in the race. A call on W. P. Cotton found him in his store as usual, and Spencer Morgan is still selling goods and peddling out Uncle Sam's mail. Uncle George Burdette was found at home, enjoying the kitchen fire. He has given up his Ridgeway and Macon mail route as he found the work too hard for him. Milan Sage is to be found on his old stamping ground, and his entire establishment echoed with the hum of busy industry. He is now burning his second kiln of tile this season, and has a stock of green tile on hand for another burning. His sorghum mill will commence operations very soon. The saw-mill is kept running every day. Dinner time found us at Edwin Howell's where we partook of a good square meal, and had a pleasant visit with Sumner Collins, who is spending a few days vacation at home. Sumner is still pursuing his legal studies in Lothrop's law office at Detroit, and occasionally comes home to breathe the country air a day or two. So we dropped in at Edwin Howell's just at the right time.

THE MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILWAY.

The Evening News gives a brief description of our new railroad from which we gather the following information:

The new Michigan & Ohio railroad which has been in process of construction through this state for the past two years, is now rapidly approaching completion, and it is expected that trains will be running in about 50 days. The road is to extend from Toledo, O., to Grand Haven, Mich. Arrangements have been made by which the road gets to Grand Haven over an old route from Pine Lake, and from Dundee it gets to Toledo over the Toledo & Ann Arbor road.

The new route proper traverses Allegan, Kalamazoo, Barry, Calhoun, Jackson, Hillsdale, Lenawee and Monroe counties, with stations at Allegan, Richland, Augusta, Bedford, Battle Creek, Marshall, Homer, Pulaski, Hanover, Moscow, Jerome, Addison, Devil's Lake, Springville, Tipton, Tecumseh, Ridgeway, Britton and Dundee. It crosses the Michigan Central at Augusta and runs nearly parallel with it on the south side to Marshall; crosses the air line division of Michigan Central and Lansing branch of the Lake Shore at Homer; the Detroit & Hillsdale at Jerome; the Jackson division of the Lake Shore at Tecumseh; and the Wabash at Britton.

At Augusta, where the Central is crossed, a viaduct nearly half a mile long is built to get the proper grade, and at Jerome a subterranean passage is made under the Detroit and Hillsdale road, nearly a quarter of a mile long and at an average depth of 15 feet. There are also several large viaducts in Hillsdale and Lenawee counties. Iron is laid from Pine Lake to beyond Hanover, and from Britton to Tipton, and the road is already ballasted as far east as Homer. The unfinished gap in Hillsdale and Lenawee counties and from Britton to Dundee will be completed in less than 30 days, it is hoped. The scenery along the route in Hillsdale and Lenawee counties, where the road winds around on hill sides, and the country is dotted with small lakes lying below is very beautiful and picturesque.—The Devil's Lake station is within a few rods of the steamer landing of this popular southern Michigan summer resort. Especially in Hillsdale and Lenawee counties the road traverses a rich agricultural region very free from other railroads and its coming is already heralded by the brisk revival of business at several of the small towns along the line.

Up to the present writing the Traverse City Herald takes the belt on fish stories. Here is its latest:

"Monday last, at Carp lake, Rev. W. S. Crow and J. W. Milliken, were busily engaged among the bass and pickerel, when Mr. Milliken, being engaged with a trolling line carlessly laid his rod down in the boat, and a big bass improved the opportunity offered to secure a fine rod, reel and line, and grabbing the hook which hung over a few feet from the boat made off with it. Away went rod and all. Thus endeth the first chapter. Yesterday morning Mr. Crow was fishing near the same spot, hooked a fine bass, began reeling him in, and there was the identical fish that stole Mr. Milliken's rod two days before, for following the fish came a hundred feet of line and then the rod, and Mr. Crow brought all home and returned the stolen property to the right owner. Thus endeth the second chapter."

The Evening Journal has the following reminiscence:

When John S. Barry was Governor of the State of Michigan, there was about an acre of ground around the capitol building, upon which the grass had been allowed to go to seed every year. Gov. Barry took great pains to have the grass cut at the proper time, and, when properly cured, sold the hay and put the money in the State Treasury. There was only half a dollar in the State Treasury when Barry took the chair, and it was a bogus coin. When Barry was Governor, the capitol stood on the present site of the Detroit High School building. Ex-Controller Bridge says the amount of money received for the hay each year was $1.50.

Daniel Levely, of Hope, near Midland, has been carrying his head very level for some days past, having become over excited on religious matters. Having attempted to roast his baby as a sacrifice, he has been adjudged insane.

UTILIZING MILKWEED.—A writer in the Providence Journal predicts a useful future for the milkweed, which has heretofore been considered only a cumberer of the ground. Its seeds yield a finer oil than linseed, its gum can be used in place of India rubber, and from its floss a fabric resembling Irish poplin has been made; while the young shoots are used in the spring by some people instead of asparagus, which they resemble in flavor. Now, pertinently adds the writer, if uses can be discovered for the thistle and whiteweed, they may prove friends in disguise.

Not a partical of quinine nor any mineral substance is contained in Ayres' Ague Cure—but it does the business. Warranted.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Sept. 11, 1883.

Aylsworth, D. W.	Smith, R. F.
Allen, Minnie	Scott, Mrs. Frank
Johnston, Peter J.	Terry, Martin
Rutledge, Mary	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Sept. 1, 1883.

Adams, Thomas	McCarbery, Mrs. Lizzie
Burkert, Mrs. M. C.	Palmer, Chas.
Curtis, Miss Julia	Riopell, Joseph
Furguson, Mr.	Ryan, N. B.
Gleason, J.	Thompson, F. L.
Hicks, Mr. L.	Wiese, Johann
James, Frank	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say advertised. PETER SHARP P.M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	2 50 @	2 75
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@	06
Butter, ₱ ℔	13 @	14
Barley, ₱ bushel	60 @	22
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 75 @	2 65
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@	4 50
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	7 00 @	7 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear	38 @	40
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @	60
Clover Seed	7 00 @	7 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	18
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 50 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	7 25 @	7 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	11 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@	15
Ham, ₱ ℔	@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	13
Oats, ₱ bushel	32 @	36
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25 @	35
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	98
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	1 00

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Sept. 12, 1883.

LEWIS CAMBURN,
MILAN SAGE,
Commissioners.

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Blacksmith Shop

To the old stand of J. H. Mills,
ON LOGAN STREET.
Opposite Hayden's Warehouse, where I have better facilities than ever for doing work.

Horse Shoeing a Specialty.

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HERE WE ARE AGAIN.

The steady and continual work we gave the past season to our gigantic clearance sales left our Mammoth Outfitting Establishment in proper shape for the reception of our

Fall and Winter Stock!

To say that we were successful would not half tell the story. OUR TRADE ALMOST DOUBLED, our customers were more than pleased with the bargains we gave them, and we were highly gratified with the liberal patronage bestowed upon us, and this season we intended to strive hander than ever to merit the continuance of the same.

BOYS' & CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.

We have just opened up and put in stock all the new shapes and Styles of Little Folks' Clothing, among which may be found some pretty and attractive garments. Henceforth we shall carry a larger line of these goods than ever. Our trade in this Department has met with such a large increase that we can well afford to, and this increase of trade enables us to sell at

SMALLER MARGINS THAN EVER BEFORE.

With us increase of trade means a decrease of profit. Not only shall our prices be the lowest, but we will carry ten times as many goods as any other house in the city. Our Boys' and Children's department has become very popular, not only because it is fitted up with a view to accommodate our customers, but because the best makes, the prettiest styles and the most attractive assortment of this line of goods can always be found there.

Men's & Youths' Clothing!

We have selected the finest and most desirable goods for this department that were ever brought to the city; in fact the goods look so well as we open them up that we feel sure of selling them without much trouble. The reliable class of goods we handle, together with the uniformly low prices which are characteristic in our institution, are found to meet with public approbation. This department is crammed with new goods, ready for inspection and sale.

Gents' Fine Furnishings!

There is no more complete department of the kind in the state. We have just put in stock several cases of new goods, and are every day receiving fresh additions. It is filled to completion with all the latest styles in Gloves, Hosiery, Neckwear, Undershirts, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, &c., and everything at popular prices. We can guarantee to save you twenty-five cents on every dollar you spend with us in this department.

Everybody is invited to examine our Stock whether they wish to buy or not.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE. My farm of seventy acres, situated northeast of the village of Tecumseh, about ¼ of a mile from the postoffice. Said farm is all improved and in good condition, with two houses and two barns. Also a large apple orchard containing 245 trees, and other small fruit. Will leave 21 acres of wheat in the ground.
RUFUS ADAMS.

STRAYED into my enclosure, one roan mare. Owner can obtain same by proving property and paying expenses. A. KNEFFIN.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that all persons are forbidden from drawing gravel from the bank owned by the town of Tecumseh on the farm of Michael Speltzer, except for highway purposes. Parties violating this notice will be dealt with according to law.
W. B. KEYSER,
Commissioner of Highways.
TECUMSEH, Sept. 10th, 1883.

FOR RENT. The undersigned would like to rent a farm of 100 or 200 acres, convenient to railroad, with privilege of buying with good buildings. Will pay cash rent but yearly in advance, if necessary. Address, stating amount of rent, terms and particulars,
JOHN SHEA, Climax Mich.

FOR SALE. A desirable lot exp rods on Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich. Will be sold for $275 if taken before the 1st day of October next. E. HAUSE.
TECUMSEH, Sept. 6, 1883.

PIANO FOR SALE OR RENT. Apply at Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany's, Chicago st.

SEED WHEAT for sale, of the Lounsberry & Morgan variety. Yielded nearly 33 bushels per acre on stubble ground this season. Been grown on my farm only two seasons. Cut and threshed at exactly the right time. Leave your orders early. S. C. STACY.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE. Choice plants of the Bidwell, Kentucky, Green Prolific and Wilson's Albany varieties. These plants were bought of professional growers and are warranted true to name.
S. C. STACY.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

EVANS' BUSINESS COLLEGE AND Institute of Rapid Writing, Adrian, Mich. Twenty years of success of this thorough actual Business Institute. Send for sample of our work.
U. R. Evans, Principal and Teacher.
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Adrian, Aug. 28, 1883. U. R. EVANS.

Mrs. C. A. Wright left for New York Monday to make quite an extended visit.

Mrs. Geo. L. Graves and two children, of Milwaukee, are visiting relatives and friends in Tecumseh for a few days.

At Co. C election last week to fill vacancies, F. B. Wood was elected captain, Jas. B. Kennedy 1st, and Thos. Kyle 2nd lieutenant.

Fishermen who have been on the Au Sable this year report that lumber operations and sportsmen are rapidly depleting the grayling in that stream.

Demorest's Illustrated Monthly Magazine continues to merit the high econiums passed upon its literary and artistic merit. The October number equals in interest its predecessors, and contains many well written and entertaining articles.

The Hudson Gazette is moved to talk thusly and we second the motion-

While you are talking, why need the people between Toledo and Coldwater go to Detroit for a good live and cheap daily, while the Adrian Times fills the bill so well as to city, county, state and world news? As to any political vagaries of the paper the Gazette will try to counteract these in this particular balliwick.—But the Times is sound on the tariff.

Milan Leader: Milan still keeps up that live, wide-awake appearance that has been ever apparent during the past three years. The erection of a new dry goods store, several dwellings and a church have been commenced within the past two weeks, besides the improvements of sidewalks and the addition of another street lamp. The large increase of travel has already made it apparent to our citizens that a new bridge here, wide enough for teams to pass, is very much needed.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our respective places of business at 7:30 o'clock each evening, from Monday, Oct. 1st, 1883, until April 1st, 1884, except Saturday evenings, and the week preceding Christmas:
W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.,
Gainsley & Co.,
Strong & McNair,
Kies Bros.,
George Heesen,
Whitenack, Bordine & Co.,
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.,
Wm. McCowan,
A. W. Slayton.

The recent address of Charles Francis Adams, jr., has been widely misunderstood. He would not remove Latin and Greek, but would allow any pupil who studied Latin to take French and German, if he prefers, in the place of Greek. Professor Painter, of Roanoke College, Virginia, has published an address on "The Modern Languages *versus* the Ancient Languages." He expresses substantially the same views as were contained in the recent address of Mr. Adams. He says that the position which he has taken represents a rapidly growing sentiment in Roanoke College and probably also in other Southern Colleges.

The Morenci Observer gives the following interesting bit of history:—The first newspaper published in Morenci was issued 28 years ago last June, and was called "The Morenci Herald," S. A. Scofield editor and proprietor; and its circulation extended to 29 of the neighboring postoffices. The concern changed hands several times during the first five years, and the individuals who acquired fame as the editors and contributors were Scofield, S. B. Smith, J. Crabbs, Hogaboam, Carter, Thorp, with several minor lights whose names have been lost to history. After 1861 Morenci was without a newspaper until 1871.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 13, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dusty streets.

Jack Frost has come.

The circus is coming.

The fair season is upon us.

The excursion season has closed.

The pumpkin pie season will soon be upon us.

The home water melon crop is now in the market.

The Tri-State Fair is in session this week at Toledo.

Were your house plants frozen last Monday morning?

Mr. George Smith, of Toledo, was in Tecumseh Tuesday last.

Miss Fannie Tindall is visiting Mrs. Dora Powers for a few days.

Mrs. E. C. Smith, of Toledo, paid Tecumseh a flying visit Tuesday.

Be sure and read Mabley's new advertisement in this week's issue.

The Circuit Court for this county convened at Adrian last Tuesday.

The Tecumseh correspondent of the Clinton News is taking a vacation.

Try the HERALD for the balance of this year. Four months for 50 cents.

The last sensation wall paper at cost or less at Patterson's Drug Store.

October 1st another run, Saturdays, will be added to the Franklin mail route.

The circus engraving on our eighth page will be taken off the peg next week.

Another new daily journal is talked of at Detroit. Don't go too fast, gentlemen.

H. El Hand and wife, of Deerfield, were in Tecumseh Saturday and Sunday visiting their many friends.

A new time card went into effect on the Lake Shore last Sunday. There is no change on the Jackson Branch.

Mr. A. W. Smith, of Adrian, an old personal friend of Willis Merritt's, assisted in taking charge at his funeral.

The circus tent will be pitched on Hayden's cooper shop lot, which will make it easily accessible for everybody.

The Baptist church at Charlotte is to be dedicated this evening. Rev. C. E. Conley, of this place, preaches the sermon.

The last number of the Educational News has a very creditable report of the Teachers' Institute held in Tecumseh.

A. B. Cotton's old corner in Bidwell's block is a good location for another dry goods store. Who will occupy it?

Judge Geddes, County Clerk Hunter and a large number of Adrian attorneys attended the funeral of Willis Merritt last Monday.

The new postal notes are now in circulation. This method will be a very convenient one for transmitting small amounts of money.

Mrs. Spalding has lately received a large number of ornamental hanging baskets. Parties wishing goods of this kind would do well to give her a call at the green house.

The ladies of St. Peter's church will hold a church social at the residence of Mrs. J. W. Patterson, next Wednesday evening, Sept. 19. All are invited to attend the "Box" social.

Saturday of this week the Presbyterian S. S. will have an excursion to Manchester, leaving here on the morning freight and returning in the evening. Fare for round trip 25 cts.

Michael Wilson just returned from a visit to his son Truman H. who resides at Grayling, Crawford county, this state, and reports having had a good time and liking the country exceedingly well.

Dr. E. Test, formerly principal of Raisin Valley Seminary, is to have charge of the chemical laboratory of Earlham college the coming year in addition to his professorship in Richmond normal school.

A. O. Miller's troupe failed to put in an appearance at the Opera House last Monday evening. We understand that portion of the company were taken sick and they were obliged to cancel their engagements.

The last we saw Jehiel Davidson he had started for home with a pick over one shoulder and a law book under his arm. He has been appointed drain commissioner to fill the place of Frank Davidson resigned.

Chicago Exposition tickets are on sale at the depot, good going on Tuesdays of each week, up to and including Oct. 26th, and returning good until following Monday, at $4.75 round trip, including admittance to the Exposition.

The other day while up to Clinton we noticed much clothing and gents' furnishing goods in the show windows of J. E. McCollum's clothing store, dropped in and saw any amount of these goods in all the latest styles and known qualities. In fact "John Ed" has a splendid line of goods and is selling them at rock bottom prices. Any person will do well to call on him before purchasing their winter supply of clothing.

We will send the HERALD four months on a trial trip for fifty cents.

New wheat is coming into market quite freely now, the price ranging from $1,00 to $1,05 according to quality.

A large delegation from the Adrian bar and the Knight's Templar band attended Willis Merritts funeral last Monday.

Methodist ministers will soon be changing locations. We hope Mr. Hudson will be returned to Tecumseh another year.

The Lenawee county teachers association will meet in this village next Saturday. Several papers will be read and a large attendance is expected.

Bro. Clough, of the Brooklyn Exponent has been taking a trip to Sault St. Marie. He gave his readers last week an interesting account of his trip.

We have received a copy of the 6th annual book of the Michigan Sportsmen's Association. It contains much information of interest to the sporting fraternity.

A slight frost fell in this section last Sunday morning and quite a heavy one on Monday morning; Vines and flowers were badly bitten but corn was not damaged.

Grand Rapids has lately been infested with a ghost. The ghost has turned out to be a red headed woman and she has lost her switch. It is now at police headquarters awaiting identification.

An old rail-splitter in Indiana put the quietus upon a young man who chaffed him upon his bald head, in these words: "Young man, when my head gets as soft as yours, I can raise hair to sell."

Wm. C. Heck has built a new portico in front of his residence on Chicago street. Under his constant manipulations the old Mary Patchen corner has changed wonderfully during the past six months.

The State Fair will be held at Detroit next week from the 17th to the 21st inclusive. The signs of the times all indicate that it will be the best fair ever held in the state. Special rates on all the railroads.

There are five hundred car loads of silver dollars stored in the treasury vaults at Washington. There are a good many newspaper men out west who could use a portion of this surplus wealth to advantage.

The Ladies Floral Cabinet has put in its appearance for September. Each number seems to improve upon the preceding one. Any lady wishing a gem of a home magazine should send for a sample copy to No. 22 Vesey St., New York.

Heman J. Redfield, an old and prominent citizen of Monroe committed suicide last Sunday morning. He went into the country armed with a revolver and shot himself three times, once through the body and twice through the head.

Uncle John Schreder, of Ridgeway, was in town Tuesday and called on the HERALD boys. Uncle John is now nearly 95 years of age, has been a mason since before the Morgan times and has voted the democratic ticket since he became of age.

Number two of Dio Lewis's Monthly is at hand and it is no flattery to say that it already stands at the head of health publications in this country. Dr. Lewis throws his strong individuality into each number of the magazine and the result is seen in the interesting character of its contents.

Mr. Delos Phillips, of Kalamazoo, was in town Monday to perfect the necessary proof of Willis Merritt's death, to be used in the Knights of Honor. Mr. Merritt held a certificate of $2,000 in this order and the amount will be paid promptly as soon as the necessary evidence can be forwarded.

W. R. Wooden has made a permanent engagement with Nichols, Shepard & Co., of Battle Creek, to have charge of their collecting business and will move his family to that city. He came home last Monday to pack up his household goods for shipment. We regret to have him leave Tecumseh, but wish him abundant success in his new field of labor.

The first serious accident on the M. & O. railway occurred at Britton last Sunday, when John Hayes, foreman on this section, lost a limb. He tried to jump upon a construction train which was in motion, was thrown under the wheels and had one leg badly crushed. Drs. Woodward and Nelson amputated the limb and the patient is likely to recover. He is boarding at Wm. R. Wilson's, near Ridgeway, in whose family he will receive the best of care.

All persons interested in and expecting to read the C. L. S. C. course for '83 and '84 are invited to be present at a preliminary meeting to be held in Drs. House & Jones office on Friday evening, Sept. 14th, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of organizing, electing officers, etc. We expect that all of the class who read the Chautauqua course last year will continue the reading this year and we cordially invite others to join our circle.
R. B. HOUSE,
Sec'y Tecumseh C. L. S. C.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Deerfield wants more street lamps.

The city fathers of Morenci have had the weeds cut down in the village cemetery.

Wm. Smith, of Morenci, has been sent to Ionia for ninety days for stealing sheep.

The old Canada Southern road track is being repaired between Corbus and Grosvenor.

The Clinton band have deposed their leader because he refused to attend a Sunday school picnic.

Frank Bacon, of Wheatland, last week unearthed a nest of ten rattlesnakes, and killed them all.

A Clinton man has refused to let the pious young men of that village play ball upon his grounds on Sunday.

The venerable editor of the Hudson Gazette has bought a type writer and his chirography has improved marvellously of late.

The new bank at Addison is about to become a fact. The firm is Curtis & Bowen, both men of high standing in the community.

The Morenci milk man is about to quit the business. We expected it.—He is the same milk vender who never watered his milk.

Clinton News: The last number of the Scientific American has an article describing an improved plow jointer recently patented by our townsman, David Woodward.

The farmers are busy all over the county preparing their ground for wheat, and the hum and wizz of the engine and threshing machine is heard far and near.

The Observer received the first postal note sent through the Morenci office. The HERALD received the first one sent through the Tecumseh office—$1.50 for subscription.

Burr Robbins' elephant will travel all around the circumference of the county, taking in the outside towns and leaving out Adrian. But then Adrian had the benefit of Jumbo.

Morenci Observer: Oliver Todd, of Chesterfield, in connection with some Tecumseh parties, has organized a company for the manufacture of broom handles on a large scale at Summit City, Grand Traverse Co., in this state.

Pious people fish on Sunday at Morenci, and what is more, they catch fish. The Observer says:

Jerome Colvin now wears the belt; as during the quiet Sabbath hours of last Sunday he caught in the placid Bean a pickerel weighing 14 lbs. and four others weighing 5 lbs. each.

Morenci Observer: A Saturday evening scene was a lively tussle in an alley, between a man and woman, unhappily married, over the possession of their little child. A mediator finally separated them; the husband bore off in triumph the coveted offspring; and the poor wife grew lachrymose.

The Lenawee County bar held a meeting at Milliard & Weaver's office last Monday forenoon to take appropriate action on the death of Willis Merritt. A committee was appointed to draft resolutions and a vote was passed to attend the funeral ceremony in a body.

Blissfield Advance: The fire engine was taken out Tuesday evening for trial, when it was found that one of the flues leaked. Wednesday the boiler was examined, when it was found that rust had eaten a large hole through on of the flues. A new one was put in and the steamer is now ready for business.

Adrian Record: A contributor of "Baptist Items" in the Tecumseh HERALD, observes: "Some think that when our new railroad is completed that we will go to Devil's Lake. Will it sound well to say, "A large campany of Baptists will go to Devil's Lake next Thursday?" Yes, dear brother—perfectly proper. It is now well known that all that h—l lacks is water and good society, and the Baptists can be depended on to furnish both.

Jackson Patriot: The apple crop of Jackson county and Southern Michigan for three successive years has been a failure. In enquiring as to the cause of this of an intelligent farmer, he attributes it to the effect of cold weather, which had so affected the older trees that nearly all are decayed at the heart to an extent which renders them worthless. His theory that fruit raising here can be made permanent and certain only by continuous planting year after year of fresh, vigorous young trees, removing the old as soon as they cease bearing.

Blissfield Advance: A new feature is under consideration by the County Agricultural Society to hold a base ball tournament one day on the grounds, clubs being restricted to the county and players to reside therein. We believe such an attraction would prove a paying card, as the base ball mania is greatly on the boom. Many would attend the fair only to see the game who otherwise would not think of going. A small prize offered by the society would make it more interesting and secure the attendance of the best clubs. We would like to see such an arrangement perfected.

DEATH OF WILLIS MERRITT.

At the noon hour on Saturday last, Sept. 8th, the spirit of Willis Merritt left its frail tenement of clay and returned to the God who gave it.

The deceased was a native of this township. He was born on the old Merritt farm, west of the village, on the 10th day of March, 1854, being the youngest of five sons of the late John M. Merritt. His boyhood days were passed not unlike those of other farmer's boys. He obtained a good common school education and afterward entered the Tecumseh High School from which he graduated with credit in June, 1871. His ambition was to pass through the University course at Ann Arbor, but his father's death compelled him to relinquish his design, and he began the study of law in E. B. Wood's office in the summer of 1872. He entered the law department of the University in the fall of 1873, graduated therefrom in March '74, and was immediately admitted to the bar. After spending some time in the office of Stacy & Underwood, of Adrian, he opened an office in this village and practiced his profession here until his removal to Adrian in 1880. Mr. Merritt was a lawyer of good ability and soon gained a prominent place among the younger lawyers of the county. His active temperament and indomitable industry made him a prominent factor in many different organizations and gave him a hold politically upon the younger element of the community. He served as Circuit Court Commissioner for two terms, from 1876 to 1880. He was a zealous member and promoter of the High School Alumni Society of this village, and his influence was felt in all matters of a social and literary character in this community.

In 1877 he became a member of Co. C, in which organization he gained rapid promotion, serving as sergeant, second lieutenant, and first lieutenant, and in '79 he received from Governor Croswell the appointment of adjutant of the first regiment. In the campaign of 1882 he was secretary of the Republican county committee and to his efficient management was due in a great measure the success of that party in this county, when the tidal wave submerged it in so many localities. Soon after the election he received the appointment of secretary to the Judiciary committee of the National House of Representatives of which Congressman Willitts was chairman, and passed the session at Washington, performing the duties incident to that position.

Willis had never enjoyed very robust health, and some two years ago the insidious approach of pulmonary disease manifested itself. He fought against fate however with a brave heart, and it was partly with a view of improving his health that he obtained his situation at Washington.—Upon returning home last May he became worse, and soon after took a trip to Texas, hoping that the climate of the sunny south would break the spell, but he was again doomed to disappointment, and, as he said to a friend, he came back to die in his mother's home. From that date he failed rapidly until the final summons came on Saturday last.

The funeral obsequies were held on Monday afternoon at his mother's residence on Logan street. It was a delightful, balmy September day, and a large audience manifested their respect for the deceased. The casket was placed in the parlor, covered and surrounded with a profusion of floral emblems which were presented by Adrian and Tecumseh friends. The Adrian contribution was an elaborate piece representing the "Gates Ajar." A star and cresent was given by his Tecumseh associates, and a beautiful shield by the Tecumseh Guard. The services were conducted by Rev. G. W. Hudson, pastor of the M. E. church, the choir of the same church furnishing the vocal music. The ceremony was brief but most appropriate and affecting. At the close the procession formed in this order and escorted the hearse to the cemetery:

Adrian City Band.
Co. C, 1st Reg. M. S. T.
Hearse and Pall Bearers. These were six in number: A. W. Smith and A. Bennett, of Adrian; C. A. Slayton, Fred Rosacrans, T. D. McKinney and B. P. Anderson, of Tecumseh.
Members of the Bar.
Tecumseh Lodge Knights of Honor.
Family and relatives in carriages.
Young men on foot.
Citizens generally.

After a brief service at the cemetery the remains were placed in the receiving vault, whence they will be removed in a few days to their final resting place.

Death at any age is a solemn event. But when a man of fine abilities, lofty aspirations, and promising opportunities is stricken down in early manhood, the visitation of the dread angel seems doubly sorrowful. The deceased was widely known and possessed many warm hearted friends, which was attested by the large attendance at the funeral. To poor mortals below it seems a mystery that a life of so much promise should be blotted out so soon. Willis possessed the talent, the ambition, the industry to make him a citizen of marked influence in any community. Why has his career been so early closed? Providence alone can tell. But we know that the hand which has removed him from this earthly scene will deal kindly with him there. His mortal remains will sleep beneath the evergreens. His immortal spirit has crossed over the river to its eternal rest.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Of the Lenawee County Board of School Examiners—Requirements for Teachers' Certificates.

THIRD GRADE.

Reading, Orthography, Penmanship, Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography, Civil Government, U. S. History, Theory and Practice of Teaching.

Candidates must have an average of 75 per cent., and must not fall below 60 in any branch.

SECOND GRADE.

All the branches for a third grade certificate, and Algebra and Physiology. Average standing 87 per cent., and must not fall below 80 per cent. in any branch. Candidates for second grade certificates must present to the Board of Examiners satisfactory evidence of having taught at least six months with ability and success.

FIRST GRADE.

All the branches required for a second grade certificate; also Natural Philosophy; Book-keeping, Plane Geometry, English and American Literature, and School Law. Average standing 95 per cent., and must not fall below 90 per cent. in any branch. Candidates for a first grade certificate must present to the Board of Examiners satisfactory evidence of having taught at least one year with ability and success.

RULES OF EXAMINATION.

1. All examinations begin at nine o'clock sharp.

2. Persons not completing their examination at the specified time must finish at the next regular examination during the same calendar year.

3. No persons shall be permitted to see the questions except such as intend to be examined, until the examination is over.

4. All conversation or communication, receiving or giving aid in any manner during examination is absolutely forbidden on penalty of forfeiting right to certificate.

5. The Board of Examiners in marking the standing of candidates will take into consideration the legibility and neatness of papers.

The program will consist of papers upon "Reading," by Mr. Wendell, of the West Side Hudson Schools, and upon "The Duties of School Inspectors," by Mr. C. F. Field, of Clinton.

Ample time will be allowed for the discussion of these papers, in which we trust many of the teachers, school inspectors and others interested in our school will take part.

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DIED.

SMALLIDGE.—At Tecumseh, Aug. 31st, 1883, of cholera infantum, Minnie, youngest daughter of William and Mary Smallidge, aged 19 mo.

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THROUGH TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 27, 1884.

GOING NORTH. No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	8 40	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	6 30
5 32	8 47	" Manhattan Jc. "	9 54	5 18
5 37	8 51	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	5 01
6 05	9 29	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	4 20
6 11	9 40	" Dundee "	9 00	4 18
6 28	9 54	" Azalia "	8 50	4 05
6 41	10 06	" Milan "	8 31	3 50
6 53	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	3 38
7 03	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	3 28
7 17	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	3 15
	P. M.			A. M.
9 15	12 20	" Jackson "	5 10	9 50
A. M.				
1 45	2 15	" Battle Creek "	2 35	7 58
2 05	2 35	" Kalamazoo "	2 32	7 10
			P. M.	
7 30	4 20	" Grand Rapids "	10 40	6 20
8 00	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
2 17	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	3 15
2 00	11 20	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	7 20	2 40
	A. M.		P. M.	
8 05	11 50	" Howell "	7 22	
	P. M.			2 01
9 40	1 15	" Lansing "	5 20	12 15
				A. M.
11 05	3 35	" Ionia "	1 20	11 00
A. M.				
12 30	5 10	" Edmore "	2 40	9 00
	6 40	" Big Rapids "	1 00	7 15
12 [illegible]	7 [illegible]	" Howard City "	12 55	6 [illegible]
	[illegible]	" Muskegon "	8 30	
5 25	[illegible]	" Manistee "	7 20	

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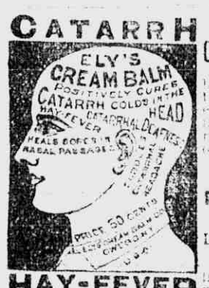

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Value and Use of Bones.

Until the middle of the present century few of even the most intelligent farmers in the world knew of the value of bones for enriching land. A few had noticed the remarkable growth as well as the wonderful productiveness of grape vines planted over the skeleton of an animal, but it did not occur to these persons to collect bones, reduce them, and apply them to land planted to ordinary field and garden crops. The great value of bones consists in the amount of phosphorus they contain. This substance is essential to the growth of the most valuable food plants, which gradually but steadily remove it from the soil. It is most readily and cheaply restored to the soil by the use of bones. In addition to phosphorus, bones contain lime and considerably ammonia. Entire bones remain in the ground a long time before they are decomposed to such an extent that they are appropriated by plants. It is extremely difficult to pulverize them without the aid of powerful and expensive machinery. If they are first burned they may be pounded up very readily, but the action of fire drives off ammonia. This ammonia is valuable in promoting the growth of plants, and it is also of great use in hastening the decomposition of the bony structure. Bones may be rendered sufficiently soft to be easily reduced to manure by soaking them with fresh horse manure, and allowing them to remain in it for several weeks; by placing them in tight vessels and covering them with wood ashes occasionally moistened, or by boiling them in strong lye. The last is the quickest as well as the most satisfactory method of reducing them, if one has a kettle of the capacity of a barrel. Treated in either of these ways, they should be pulverized and mixed with fine earth or dried muck before they are applied to the land.

The "Roll Bengol Tagger."

Here we are back Johnny's observations on the "Roll Bengol Tagger," as communicated to the San Francisco *Argonaut*:

Once there was a man who had a tagger and the tagger it was a slo and the man took the money for to get in. The man had a big paper nailed onto the tagger's den, and the paper it said the paper did "The Roll Bengol Tagger, sometimes called the Monnuck of the Jungle. Hands off! No Touchee the Tagger!" The monnuck of the tagger it was always a layin down with its pose twee its poz, and the folks wich had paid for to get in they was mad cos it rendent wos and rose like dissent thunder. But the slo man he said, "That's ot, you when I get in the newage done, but this is the same as which the offle feller broke off." Once in a time he cut up the seven twenty and four hatches. Then the folks kind of stand back and took in a couple while the tagger dep. But one day the feller wot was drunk he took to fighting the tagger with the mast head of his skeller, wich stampeded the oddience wot, and the wummin folks they shot into the chairs and hollered like it were mice. But the drunk chap he kept a jabbing the monnuck of the jungle crewel. Pretty soon the monnuck it bellered offle and frigtod, but the feller kep pokin like he was dippin to a steam engin. Bimeby the monnuck it jumped onto its hine feets and shocked itself out of its skin and reared upon its feets and spit onto its hands and spoke up and sed: "I bedam if I can't just whole the peagreen stuffin' out of the jumped-to gabot wich has been a proddin this ere tagger!" And the oddience they was astonish.

Climate and Complexion.

There is a great diversity of opinion as to the differences of complexion to be observed among mankind. Roughly speaking, the hue of the skin varies with the latitude, the inferior races having their homes at a distance from the equator, the darker within or near the tropics. This fact would seem to point to the position of the sun with reference to those on whom he shines as the cause. But the question presents difficulties which this supposition does not aid in solving. At the same distance from the equator we find the fair Englishman the yellow Mongolian and the copper-colored Indian. To the north of the white Russian and Finn live the swarthy Lapp and Samoyed. North of the Caucasus are dark-skinned Tartars, south of it fair-complexioned Circassians. The aborigines in America vary less in color than the natives of the Old World. None of them are as fair as the Swede, none as black as the negro of Congo, and those living in Brazil on the equator are not the darkest. There are blacker men in Australia and New Guinea than in Borneo and Sumatra, though these islands are on the equator and those are not. The Shillooks of the upper Nile, who live about 10 degrees north latitude, are blacker than the Mandarins, who are six degrees farther south.

Cats have fared very differently in different countries. In Egypt in ancient times they were worshipped and in Turkey the people imagine Mohammed's pron[illegible] patiently let the animal have ever a place on his coat with distinguished consideration. In other lands the cat has not been regarded in France a witch [illegible] not [illegible] Marie Lenclos in [illegible] St. John [illegible] the cause of [illegible] Place de la Grève [illegible] of witchcraft [illegible] in the [illegible] burning [illegible] in the [illegible] Place de la Grève [illegible] in the [illegible] when [illegible] in the [illegible] of the [illegible] in the [illegible] of the [illegible] in the [illegible] of the

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	10 40 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	2 30 "
Norvell	7 18 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 35 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	.....
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	.....
Adrian	12 40 "	9 20 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P.M.	9 57 "	6 35 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
Napoleon	1 05 "	10 55 "	9 25 "
Jackson	1 30 "	11 30 "	10 20 "

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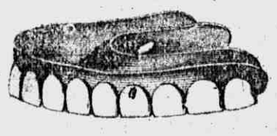

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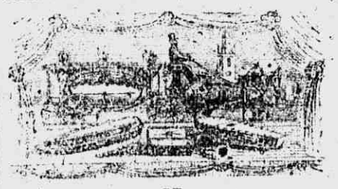

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At the age of 29, Mr. Jefferson was an influential member of the Legislature of Virginia. At 30 he was a member of the Virginia Convention; at 32 a member of the Continental Congress, and at 33 he wrote the Declaration of Independence.

Alexander Hamilton was only 29 years of age when he was appointed a Lieutenant-Colonel in the army of the Revolution and Aid-de-Camp to Washington. At 25 he was a member of the Continental Congress; at 30 he was one of the ablest members of the convention which framed the constitution of the United States; at 32 he was Secretary of the Treasury, and organized that branch of the Government upon so complete and comprehensive a plan that no great change or improvement has since been made upon it.

John Jay, at 29 years old, was a member of the Continental Congress, and wrote an address to the people of Great Britain, which was justly regarded as one of the most eloquent productions of the times. At 32 he prepared the constitution of the State of New York, and in the same year was appointed Chief Justice of the state.

Washington was 27 years of age when he covered the retreat of the British troops at Braddock's defeat, and the same year was honored by an appointment as Commander-in-Chief of the Virginia forces.

Joseph Warren was 29 years of age when he delivered the memorable address on the 5th of March which aroused the spirit of patriotism and liberty in that section of the country, and at 34 he gloriously fell in the cause of freedom on Bunker Hill.

Fisher Ames, at the age of 27, had excited public attention by the ability he displayed in the discussion of questions of public interest. At the age of 30 his masterly speeches in defense of the constitution of the United States had exerted great influence, so that the youthful orator of 31 was elected to Congress from the Suffolk district over the Revolutionary hero Samuel Adams.

Joseph Story entered public life at the age of 26; he was elected to Congress from the Essex district when he was 29; was Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives at 32, and the same year was appointed by President Madison a Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States.

De Witt Clinton entered public life at the age of 28; Henry Clay at 26; the most youthful signer of the Declaration of Independence was William Hooper, of North Carolina, whose age was 21. Of the other signers of the Declaration, Thomas Haywood, of South Carolina, was 30; Elbridge Gerry, Benjamin Rush, James Wilson and Matthew Thornton were 31; Arthur Middleton and Thomas Stone were 33.

It will be observed that we have confined our illustrations to persons under 35 years of age, and only alluded to those with national reputations.

Moorish Meals.

A Moorish breakfast consists of cas-cus-u a cake of baked granules, deftly made of flour, which eats crisp and sweet—milk butter, omlets, pigeons cooked in oil, sweet potatoes, forcemeat, and sweet tarts of honey butter and eggs. Tea, which is quite a "course" meal, is taken cross-legged on soft carpets spread on the floor around a handsome and costly tray with dwarf feet raising it a few inches from the floor, furnished with drinking glasses in place of china cups. The formidable meal, which is served by an upper man servant, exciter the European visitors' wonder and dismay. First the teapot—or kettle, if named after its shape—is filled with green tea, sugar, and water in such proportions as to make a thick sweet syrup, which is drunk without milk or cream. Then follows an infusion of tea and spearmint; yet another of tea and wormwood; yet another of tea and lemon verbena; and yet another of tea and citron. On good occasions a sixth is added of tea and ambergris. Nothing is eaten. The "weed" usually follows, but the Moor, though a smoker, is not an "inveterate." Dinner consists of various dishes of mutton, fish, and fowl, ingeniously and artistically served in mixtures of pomades, soups, spices, and cosmetics; so, at least, Englishmen declare who have had in courtesy to swallow the preparations. Knives, forks, and spoons are dispensed with, perhaps despised. Around a central dish gathers the company, as usual cross-legged on the floor. At "In the name of God," which is the brief grace pronounced by the master of the house, the slave removes the cover from the bowl; lifted hands are thrust into the smoking dish, and morsels of its contents, deftly rolled into convenient forms, are tossed dripping into the mouth with a neatness and precision truly wonderful. Exact portions are picked from fowl, and fish, and mutton-chop bone without delay or effort. Sharp nails are said to act as knives. After the course water and napkins are brought around. The wash over, another dish and another plunging of the paws into the savory mess. Incense is often burned during the dinner, which fills the apartment with delicate aroma. When a meal is served in the open court the ladies of the house are permitted to gaze on their lords from the open balcony which usually surrounds it.

Funerals in France.

There is one French custom we should like to see introduced into the United States, and become universal.

In France, when a funeral passes, every man raises his hat to salute it. The deceased person may have been a child, a pauper, or a beggar; it is no matter; the *cortege* is saluted by every man, whether he be prince, millionaire, or mendicant. It is a good and lovely custom.

Few things are more humiliating than to see a funeral trotting down Broadway, in New York, winding in and out among the vehicles and other obstructions, exciting no more remark or attention than if it were a procession of old hacks going to the repair shops. In New York, the rapid pace seems unavoidable, owing to the great distance to the cemeteries. Elsewhere, funerals at least move with a decent slowness, and the evident sorrow of the followers seems to plead to the passer-by for sympathetic recognition. It were a mark of civilization in us to bestow it upon them.

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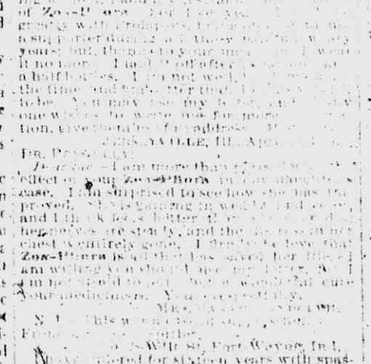

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ESTATE OF JAMES McKINNEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 31 day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James McKinney, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James Kagan and John Boyd, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, that they incurred, and praying for the allowance of their first account as such executors.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Friday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alva Waring praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JOHN SMITH.

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Susanah M. Exelby, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Jesse Exelby.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF IDA M. HASTINGS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 22d day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ida M. Hastings, (formerly Ida M. Odell) minor.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minor, praying for license to invest the money in his hands belonging to said minor in certain real estate particularly described in said petition for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery. William Hayden, Complainant [illegible]

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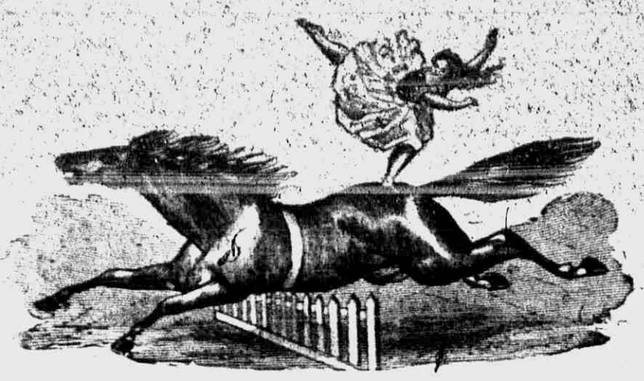

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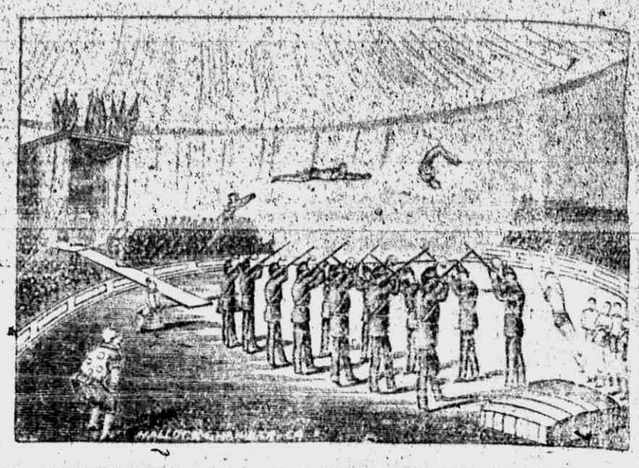

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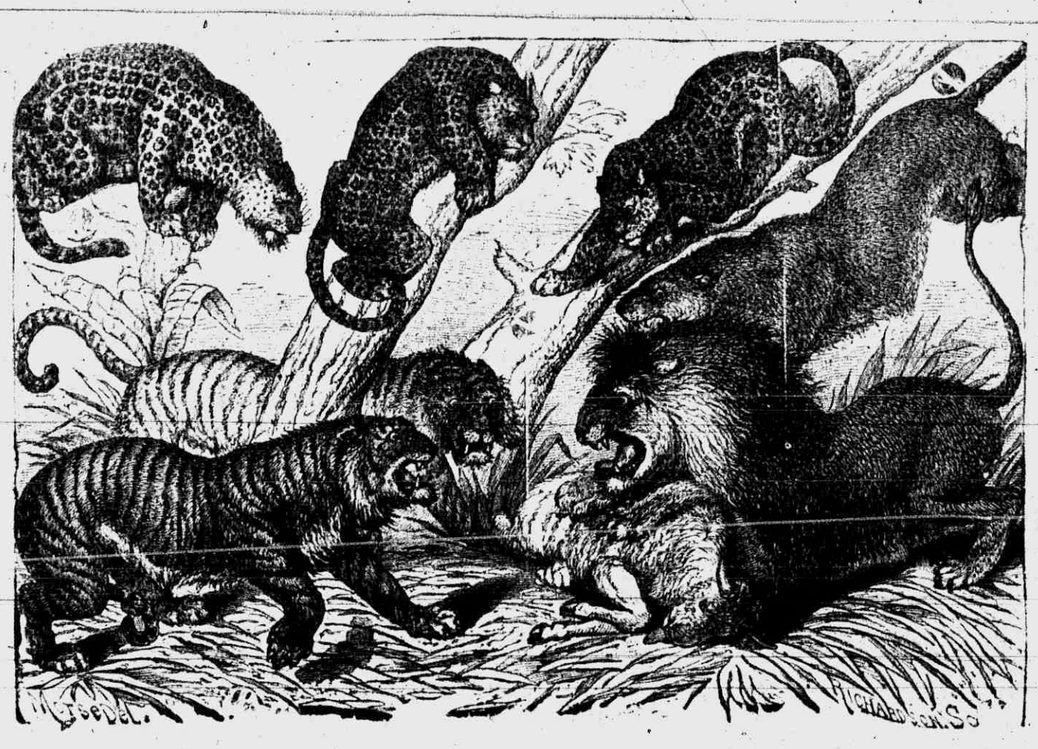

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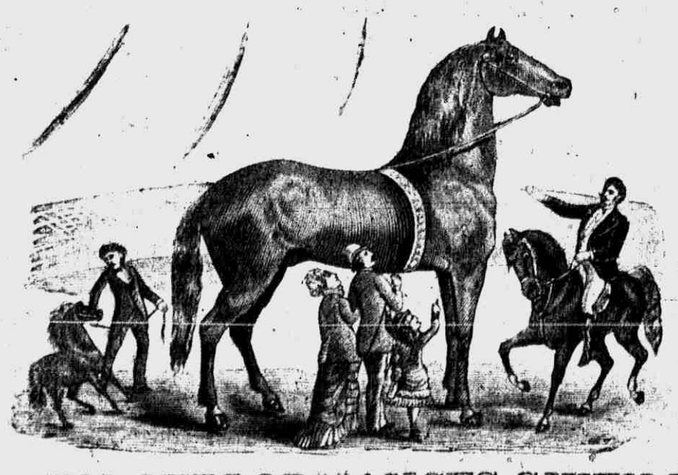

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Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated
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Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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And Dealer in
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Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.
Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.
Lee's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

W. P. Silvers is on the sick list.

Miss Hessie Cupples, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday at Mrs. J. E. McCollum.

Mrs. Estess, of Cleveland, O., was the guest of Mrs. Ed. Van DeMark last Sunday.

The Van DeMark Bros., late of Jonesville, have opened a furniture store in the Reynolds building.

Members of the base ball club complain of the management of their funds. Treasurer's accounts don't balance, it seems.

Manuscripts left at the Clinton News office for publication are manipulated, read and reported all around town by a certain person here long before they appear in print. Such an amount of gall may take the place of good breeding for a spell, but at the same time will cause his name to appear in these columns as sure as he repeats the offense.

A good many have very important business to transact in Detroit, which calls them there this week.

S. Brown has made a great improvement in the looks of the Chandler lot by having about a dozen old locust trees cut down.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Council Room, Sept. 17, 1883.

Regular session.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, Messrs. Mills, Bresie, Heesen, Smith, Sparks, Steinhoff and the Recorder.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing, and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the contingent fund.

J. W. Cole, services as Marshall	$12 00
William Brown, labor on streets, 8 days	12 00
A. Packard, labor on streets, 3¾ days	2 25
William Nixon, for mowing East Park	2 50

And to be paid out of the cemetery fund:

John McConnell, labor in cemetery	$11 21

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Of D. H. Zeluff, David McConnell and 9 others, asking that Maumee street be properly drained and the grade thereof raised.

Referred to committee on streets.

NEW BUSINESS.

A communication was presented by W. E. Gray in regard to the proper care of the fire engine, which was referred to the committees on Fire and Fire limits.

The committee on ordinances is instructed to present at next session of Council an amendment to the ordinance relative to the running at large of cattle, horses, &c., in the public streets, in which a sufficient penalty may attach for any violation thereof.

The following claims were presented and referred to Finance Committee:

Whitenack, Bordine & Co., Hardware, &c.	$46 72
Thomas Elliott, Blacksmithing, &c.	30 10

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON, Recorder.

The "Art Loan Record."

The Detroit Art Loan Association propose to publish during the two months of the exhibit, a daily quarto sheet of eight pages, to be known as The Detroit Art Loan Record. This will be no ephemeral affair, for in addition to careful, bright, original art teaching, with an art miscellany of much value, will be the publication each morning of one or more of the valuable descriptions of collections exhibited in the Loan with historic information on each. These take a wide range—from the mound builders of Peru and the currency of the ancients, to the best apron of Queen Elizabeth and the new Brussels lace shawl and fichu of the most stylish lady in Detroit; as well as notes on the paintings and statuary of the old masters and the modern school, etc. The editorial work will be done by a gentleman and lady of large experience. There will be a page of directory matter. Sold at one dime the single number, $5.00 for the whole issue, which will make a 416 paged volume, with index and title page. Advanced subscriptions are requested by the Subscription Department.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending Sept. 15, 1883:

FRANKLIN.

Charles Burleson to David Lancaster. Land on sec 4 and 20 56-100. $4200

RIDGEWAY.

John Cheever to Edward C. Rauch. Land on sec. 4. $150.

TECUMSEH.

B. J. Bidwell to Henry L. Crane. Land in village. $250.

At Quincy the other day the Commercial house omnibus team ran away capsized the vehicle, smashed it, and got through the performance without hurting the driver or two passengers who were aboard at the time.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15, 1883.

With the death of Hugh J. Hastings, the editor of the Commercial Advertiser, who expired unexpectedly on Wednesday evening, the death knell of personal journalism on the metropolitan press was sounded. Mr. Hastings during his long life and political career made many friends but also many enemies. A man of positive mind, strong convictions, thorough Irish combativeness and the ability to express himself tersely and without any undue flourishes strike the nail on the head, he soon made himself a power. He invested the Commercial with a unique air, which, though it might repel persons with convictions opposite to those expressed in it, at the same time attracted by its manner of "saying things." It was its editorial page which gave the Commercial its value and its influence. Its news pages are not worthy the name of a great metropolitan afternoon paper. They show bad or rather no editing, no enterprise and a deplorable lack of information on the part of the persons responsible for them. But all this was overlooked, in the vigor and terseness of the short editorial articles at which Mr. Hastings was an adept.

It is true that much of their sparkle depended upon the proof reader. Such a clever man and professional writer as Mr. Hastings was, his English at times was woefully bad, and the proof reader had to do the polishing. If he failed to do it well, there was a pandemonium in Mr. Hasting's room, in which he with his squeaking voice and command of what Texans call "cuss words" had the floor. He was very quick tempered, and a mistake, no matter how trivial, might at any moment be followed by instant dismissal. At the same time "he wore no frills," as the saying is. When not in one one of his irascible moods he was kindly and considerate to even the most abject "tramp printer." His hand was always ready to relieve distress, and he gave largely and in such a manner that his left hand knew not what his right did. His death will be regretted by many.

Another exponent of personal journalism passed away on Wednesday. This was Mr. Charles J. Foster, the editor of The Sportsman, and undoubtedly the best authority on thoroughbred horses and racing in this country. A man of strong convictions, he never hesitated to express them in good terse Anglo Saxon. His knowledge of books and the world at large was extensive, and his love for the thoroughbred horse was as keen as his knowledge of its history was wide and his appreciation of its good points was thorough. Mr. Belmont, the Messrs. Lorillard, Mr. Cassatt, and other wealthy gentlemen who went into racing and breeding, may attribute many of their successes to his knowledge and advice. He advised Mr. Belmont to breed the Ill Used, despite the opposition of other advisers to that stallion, and the Ill Used is now the most promising sire in the east. Mr. George L. Lorillard regrets to this day that he did not follow Mr. Foster's advice and buy Iroquois as a yearling. His brother Pierre got him instead, and his name will be forever associated with the first American winner of the classic Derby. Most of the horses on the farm of Mr. Cassatt, the former Vice President of the Pennsylvania road, were bought on Mr. Foster's advice, and although indifferent training and bad luck have thus far not brought on the success expected and deserved, the horses will yet show up well.

The shocking railroad disaster on the Long Island railroad, by which three persons lost their lives and between twenty and sixty persons were more or less badly injured, will probably call forth a thorough overhauling of the shamefully careless and indifferent manner in which the road is managed. There is no doubt that the Long Island Railroad is the worst conducted line in the country. The train in question was a race train, and of course thronged with people returning from the Sheepshead Bay races. It has often surprised me that accidents have not occurred before this. At the race track, after the sports, trains for three points come up for passengers—for Long Island City, for Flatbush and for Bay Ridge. Instead of having two trains for each of these points there is never more than one. Everybody rushes on in wild hurry and excitement, clothes are torn and limbs are bruised, and there are frequently so many cars that the engines can scarcely draw them. The road pays eminently well, and yet for fear of diminishing dividends the directors do not stop even at manslaughter.

Charles Delmonico, the last of the family of caterers, whose skill in providing for the wants of gastronomers has given them an international reputation, is very ill. Too close application to business has brought on an affection of the brain, which, though not serious at present, may develop fatally. The genial face and pleasant manners of "Charlie" will be missed by the habitues, although the throngs are not so great at the twenty-fourth street resort as they used to be.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Calhoun county corn considerably cut.

No pancakes in Michigan this winter.

The plum crop in the Traverse Bay region is very light this season.

Henry C. Howd, an old and respected pioneer citizen of Ithaca, is dead.

Farwell reports "Frost bad; grangers sad."

A lodge of oddfellows has been established at Farwell.

C. W. Crimmins has taken charge of the New Haven public school.

The new bridge over the Kalamazoo river at Battle Creek will cost the city but $1,100.

Sophie Lyons' third trial is set down for this term of the Washtenaw circuit court.

The telephone tariff for private residences at Battle Creek has been reduced to $35 per year.

Hugg Island is a popular picnic place at Portland. The name of itself is very attracting to picknickers.

A Birmingham woman took paris green because her husband went to a dance without her. She still lives.

Eclectric light is once more to be shed abroad on the streets of Bay City.

John Eastman, recently injured in a lumber camp at St. Helens, has since died.

Messrs. Stanch & Booth, two printers, propose to start a daily paper at Ann Arbor.

Grand Ledge people are doing more building this year than in many years before.

Frank Yeats still holds the medal for being the best drilled man in the Port Huron company.

The Michigan methodist conference at Albion declared for prohibition with a decidedly don't you forget it air.

The Charlotte Universalists, owing to a lack of the requisite funds, have deferred the completion of their church until next season.

John G. Lee, of the Grand Haven News-Journal, is to be made a deputy oil inspector for Muskegon, Ottawa and Allegan counties.

Lebert De Werk, of Holland, Ottawa county, and his wife, aged respectively 80 and 70 years, died within a few hours of each other recently.

Charlotte has about ceased to cherish the hope that the Grand Trunk railway company will build a new depot at that place the present year.

Prof. Peters, of Illinois, has been engaged to fill the position recently occupied by Prof. C. W. Stone in the Battle Creek schools. Stone, it will be remembered, was killed at the Carlyon disaster.

A woman about 30 years of age and a girl of 17, both of whom belong to good social circles, have been arrested at Grand Rapids on charges of shoplifting. The girl hails from Southern Michigan, and has wealthy family friends.

Last spring an "agent" sold the farmers along the line of the Detroit, Lansing and Northern railway a large quantity of what he called "tree beans," getting $2 per quart for them. Now they would like to tree that agent.

A new method of binding shingles has been invented by Mr. Wm. S. Newson, of Manistee. It consists in the use of a wire of the same length as the common band, chisel pointed at each end and bent at an angle of about 20 degrees, and notched to prevent drawing out.

Judge Parrish has been giving the farmers of the Western Michigan farmers' club some very sensible, clear and interesting talks concerning the laws of interests to farmers especially. The talks were divested of all legal twaddle, were pointed, and conveyed the common sense import of these laws.

A few nights ago a Charlotte woman retired for the night and left the front door unlocked, awaiting the arrival of her husband, who entered in time to frighten away two men who had chloroformed her with the evident design of plundering the house. That door will be locked hereafter.

SECRET OF SUCCESS.

A youth, just launching out in trade,
Unto a wealthy merchant said:
"Pray tell me sir, what you profess
To be the secret of success."
The nabob's eyes with pleasure shone,
As he replied in earnest tone:
"The secret simply is, I think,
You'll find it sir in prudent ink."

A NIGHT ATTACK.

I had scarcely got out of boyhood when I left England to become the partner of an old schoolmate, Dick Meringale, as a sheep farmer in South America. We invested our joint and rather modest capital in a large league of land on the Parana, and erected on it a small house, built of sun-baked brick, which consisted of one tolerably large room, with a flat roof and parapet accessible from the inside by means of a ladder. Around it at a short distance we had dug a deep, dry ditch, crossed by a draw-bridge, intended as a protection against surprise from the Indians.

One day Dick appeared to me that he had been told that morning that the savages had crossed the river, and we must keep our wits about us. It was scarcely two hours after that two Gauchos put in an appearance. Their usually swarthy faces were livid with fear. They sprang from their horses, which covered with blood, sweat and foam, showed how sharply had been the ride, and rushed into the drawing-room. They told us as soon as they were allowed that our Indians were in hot pursuit, and would soon be on the spot, and brought us the news of the loss of the place, and then told us of the cruelties they had practised upon the women and children.

The moon retired, but the night was clear enough to enable us to see a man at ten paces. Suddenly a spark appeared. They had fired our hay-stack—brighter and brighter it became.

Grouped around the flame, and out of range, were our foes—their swarthy skins and snaky hair glistened in the fire-light and they brandished lances and screamed with delight at the destruction they had caused.

I looked at my companion's face. It was very pale.

"Look!" he said. "Here comes an embassador. Good heavens! Look!"

I turned with astonishment. A nearly naked Indian was advancing toward us and as an immunity from our shots he bore in his arms, helpless, a beautiful white girl. Her hands were bound behind her back, and masses of coal-black hair encircled a face showing deadly terror and horror in every feature, and drooped nearly to the ground over the savage's arm. Her dress torn from one white shoulder showed how hard had been the first ineffectual struggle against her captors.

As the savage crossed the ditch, Dick, with a deep groan, recognized her.

"It is Rosita, Don Ramon's daughter!" he broke out. "I love her. Alfred, and will save her or die with her. Listen!" he continued, hurriedly. "This rascal has come to make some proposal to us. Keep your eye on him; the moment you get a fair chance fire at him. If you kill her it is a better fate. When I hear the shot I will throw open the window, which I can do more easily than the door, and try for a rescue."

"For heaven's sake don't leave the room. Our only hope is in your being able to keep off the others, who will rush from the ditch."

He rushed down the ladder, leaving behind that cunningly adjusted above the parapet. The savage raised his voice and demanded in broken Spanish a surrender. He threatened us with tortures, and bade us look upon his captive, who, too, should suffer for us. He grasped her hair brutally and raised her head. With a sudden spring of pain and fright she threw herself from his arms and fell to the ground. His time and mine had come. As he stooped, my bullet laid him dead by the side of his intended victim. Dick made his rush from the window, and the Indians theirs from the ditch, as he had predicted, but as Rosita was rather nearer the house than the ditch, she managed to reach her first and was retreating with her in his arms. And now all depended upon me. My first shot aimed at the foremost of the assailants, missed him clean; and before I could seize another rifle he had made a vicious thrust at Dick, who, encumbered as he was, was quite helpless. The lance passed through Rosita's dress, luckily without injury to the wearer; and as the savage drew back for a cooler and surer thrust I had the inexpressible pleasure of lodging a bullet in his body, which closed his career. Then I heard a heavy fall in the room below. Dick had thrown his bundle clean through the open window, at the risk of breaking a limb, and turning, found himself engaged hand to hand with a dozen Indians. He sat his back against the wall, and drew his revolver with his right hand, receiving as he did so a spear thrust through his left arm; but his and my revolver dropped a man at every shot; so they drew off.

Dick managed with great effort to drag himself through the window, and then fainted away from the loss of blood and exhaustion; and, when I ran down the ladder to make fast the window again, I found him comfortably reclining with his head in Rosita's lap, the latter having been stunned by her unceremonious entry. But I could not stay to help her; my post was on the roof.

But, the fight was over. They dared not longer to encounter our deadly breech-loaders. They bore off, with them, five of the slain; six other corpses lay in front of the window, and two more were afterward found who had crawled into ditch, like wild animals, to die.

Rosita had been captured while walking in the grange, within near her father's house, a short time before we were attacked.

"You noble cabelleros," she said, "have preserved me from death and what is far worse. God will reward you, for I can never."

I think Dick, however, was of a different opinion; at all events he has always seemed remarkably satisfied with the reward he persuaded her to make him.

Years have passed since that eventful night. Dick and Rosita are living at Don Ramon's estancia, that old gentleman having departed this life shortly after the fray. I, too, am with them as a partner in the land, flocks and herds, of which we have a good quantity; and whenever the increasing stock of little Dicks and Rositas ask me as they invariably do of an evening, to tell them a story, I know that nothing less will content them than the one I have narrated.

Care of Children's Teeth.

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"Look! look! the sun is shining, the birds are singing, the flowers are growing, and everything is happy and joyous, and why should I be miserable? Why, because my children have bad teeth, and I have the money to make them comfortable and healthy. Teeth are not to be trifled with, and children must suffer for the ignorance and carelessness of their parents. Unusually good teeth for a boy or girl are a fortune, and should be treated as such. A good set of teeth should last a lifetime, and there is no reason why they should not, if the first teeth are properly cared for. Many people suppose that the first set of teeth are of little importance, because they are to be followed by others. This is a great error. The first teeth are the foundation for those that follow, and if they are lost before the second set is complete, the adjacent teeth will lean toward the space left vacant, and the second set will be more or less crowded, disfigured, and liable to decay. Unusually good teeth for a boy or girl are a fortune, and should be treated as such. A good set of teeth should last a lifetime, and there is no reason why they should not, if the first teeth are properly cared for. Many people suppose that the first set of teeth are of little importance, because they are to be followed by others. This is a great error. The first teeth are the foundation for those that follow, and if they are lost before the second set is complete, the adjacent teeth will lean toward the space left vacant, and the second set will be more or less crowded, disfigured, and liable to decay. Now the boy has nothing to do but to keep his teeth as healthy and decayless as he can in the future. The danger of injury is warded to avoid the ill it produces trouble by the really good teeth he has. Then, that father's case. They learn to avoid the opposite extreme. His teeth are hopelessly discolored, and a few are habitually loose, but the useful tomato is no longer suspected as the cause. He had an opportunity to read some in a work on dentistry, and came to the conclusion that hard "scouring" of his teeth with gritty substances, when he was a young man, had worn away the hard enamel of his teeth so that the strong coffee he drank during his soldier life especially penetrated and permanently colored his teeth. I dislike to hear of scouring the teeth. When they have been neglected, this may be necessary to get them once clean. The dentist has peculiar tools for removing tartar crust, but the yellow deposit on children's teeth can be cleaned away as the dentist does it, by any one. Take finely powdered pumice stone and a little clean soft pine stick to rub them. Dip the pine stick into water and then in powdered pumice and rub the teeth gently. Afterward wash them with soap and water, using a tooth brush. It is well to use a little fine clean [illegible] occasionally for cleaning the teeth, but [illegible] of pure water will usually suffice for cleansing the teeth of persons of good dietetic habits. To make good teeth in the first place, beginning when we can, and allowing for "ancestry," the mother should eat plain and nutritious food, a varied diet well supplied with bone material, as the grains are when it is not bolted or sifted out, and lean meat. For young children milk should be freely used, and Graham oatmeal also.

HABITS OF DIFFERENT NATIONS.—However dress, food, manners, cooking, political conditions, may vary in other countries the beds differ as notably as any thing does. In eastern nations the best bed is often nothing but a carpet, carried about and spread in any convenient spot, and the tired native lies down in his clothes. We remember a child who used to be puzzled with those miracles of our Saviour, who in restoring an impotent man directed him to "take up his bed and walk"—his idea of a bed consisting in a four-post bedstead, with its mattress and feather-bed, blankets, sheets and pillows. But even in very cold countries the beds are closely allied to the Eastern carpet. In taking a furnished house in Russia, on inquiring for the servants' bedrooms and beds, it came out that the Russian servants and is the habit of lying anywhere—in the passages, on the floors, on the boats at the room doors, or even on the carpets in the sitting-rooms—generally as near as possible to the stove in the winter season. The emperor himself sleeps on a leather sofa in a sitting-room, lying down in a dressing-gown, but not removing his under clothing. But in Russia the houses are kept so warm by the stoves that much bed-covering is no more required in winter than during summer.

Swimming is advocated in San Francisco as a cure for the opium habit. A physician gives the history of a lady who, from taking morphine to alleviate the pains of a long protracted disease, had become a confirmed opium eater, and was suffering all the distressing symptoms of this terrible habit. The doctor ordered her to cross the bay every day, and take a swim in the Alameda baths, which she did, and in a few months was completely cured.

DEAR GRANDMOTHER.

Grandmother paces with stately tread
Forward and back through the quaint old room
Out of the firelight, dancing and red,
Into the gathering dusk and gloom;
Forward and back in her silken dress,
With its falling ruffles of frost-like lace,
A look of the deepest tenderness
In the faded lines of her fine old face.

Warm on her breast in his red night-gown
Lies a sturdy lad, looking up
With twinkling eyes that soon must drown
Over the little sleepy eyes.
Grandmother sings to him sweet and low
A lullaby song she learned long ago
In the days of her youth, when her heart was strong,
Ere death had touched her with cold lips and left her alone.
The large room is as dark as night
But shining out in the hallway bright
Is a lamp, whose rays, through the half-open door,
Fall on the sleeper's golden hair.
Softly she sings him the same sweet strain
Her fathers have sung to their children
And as the lad's eyelids grow heavy and fain
Grandmother's voice falls to a lower key
Over the dear little drowsy ones
The spirit of her pastime seems to pass
The little boy's breathing has grown deep
Brighter is the evening that she sees dim
And in after years from her home above
The light of her blessing will rest on him.

Christian Union.

Science in the Kitchen.

HOW FOOD CAN BE COOKED SO AS TO BE HEALTHFUL.

Within the past few years there has been a general awakening of the public to the fact that they are outraging all rules of health by their intemperate manner of eating and drinking, and numerous have been the reforms proposed, and scores of reformers have sprung up on every side, all anxious to contribute advice on so vital a subject. Among the latter there are none better known than Mrs. Alice B. Lewis, of the Food and Health Depot, Manchester, England, editress of several health journals and authoress of a number of works on food and health and inventor of a new system of cookery. Mrs. Lewis was recently visited by a reporter, and, in the expressive manner in which it should be prepared for the table was imparted.

"Food as well as clothing is the subject of health and its promotion by wholesome and clean food," she began, "and I have devoted my attention in this direction for many years. I feel and know the subject thoroughly, and I am the strongest hygienist in the world. I am a vegetarian, and I do not eat flesh, fish, fowl, game, or any thing that has been alive. I do not even eat eggs, and I do not use butter, cheese, milk, or any thing of the kind. I do not eat them, but I do not say they are not good for others. I do not say they are not healthy for others. I do not say they are not good for others. I do not say they are not healthy for others. I do not say they are not good for others. I do not say they are not healthy for others.

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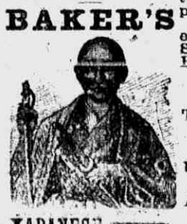

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"There is my brick-bat cabinet," said a charming young lady, with great complacency, pointing to an ebony case of china-ware.

A temperance lecturer may present very strong arguments, but he cannot always make those who differ with him "take water."

A housekeeper gives a written description of how to "whip cream" for certain dainty dishes; but the quickest way is to let the cat lick it, if it must be whipped.

"If I have ever used any unkind words, Hannah," said Mr. Smiley, reflectively, "I take them all back." "Yes, I suppose you want to use them over again," was the not very soothing reply.

A young lady sent a poem entitled "I Cannot Make Him Smile," to a newspaper. The editor ventures to express the opinion that she would have succeeded had she sent him the poem.

"How do you like me now?" asked a belle of her spouse, as she sailed into the room with her long train sweeping behind her. "Well," said he, "to tell the truth it is impossible for me to like you any longer."

Somebody says that "The devil only came into the world after woman was placed here." If there had been only men in the world the devil would not have come into the crowd. He could have found better company at home.

They were playing the game they call euchre. She held both bowers and the king and two aces of other suit, but she was a novice at the game. A young man who was teaching her looked at her cards and warmly exclaimed: "What a lovely hand!" She looked him straight in the eye and murmured: "You may have it if you want it." All the rest of the evening he wondered if he was not the victim of a leap year proposal.

An English girl wants to know how long girls should be courted. Our opinion may not be worth much in such matters, but we think a long girl should be courted in the same manner as short girls are courted—with operas, carriage rides, confections, sitting up nights, and so on. If a young man can't court a long girl without carrying a step ladder when he goes to see her, he had better resign in favor of some one who can.

A boy with a business look in his eye recently entered a dry goods store on Monroe avenue and said his mother had sent him for sixty spools of No. 1 thread. "Don't you mean one spool of No. 60 thread?" inquired the clerk, after puzzling over the matter. "Maybe that's it," dubiously responded the boy. I guess you'd better go back home and find out." The boy departed, but returned in a moment with a satisfied look around his mouth, and explained: "Say, it won't make a bit of difference which way we have it, for mother said you've to charge it anyway."

HARI-KARI.—Hari-kari is a form of suicide performed in Japan by cutting open the abdomen by two crosswise cuts with a short sword. Nearly all Japanese officials carry on their person two swords; one long, to fight an enemy with, and the other short, to perform hari-kari with, if their own honor is at all damaged. It is a very common practice, as by so doing a man's honor is saved. Officials are often commanded to kill themselves by this method when by any act they have fallen into disgrace, and by so doing their children inherit all their property and their father's position, but not so if the suicide has taken place unbidden. Persons who have suffered unendurable affront, which cannot otherwise be satisfied, sometimes kill themselves in this way, and thus satisfy their revenge on the enemy.

It was on a Sound boat, and the mate was evidently annoyed about something. "Carry it forward," he roared. "Carry it forward, you lunk headed son of a sculpin, or I hope to gee whizzley gaul dusted to jude if I don't maul the dad slammed head off'n ye with a capstan bar, you hog-backed molligrubber, ye!" And the deck hand looked up in profound admiration, and said: "By George! cap, if I had your eulchur I wouldn't be a runnin' as mate for no man in these waters; I'd be a commandin a boat of my own."

Take away but the pomps of death, the disguises and solemn trappings, and the actings by candlelight, and proper and fantastic ceremonies, the minstrels and the noise-makers, the woman and the weepers, the swooning and the shrieking, the nurses and the physicians, the dark room and the ministers, the kindred and the watches, and then to die is easy, ready, and quitted from its troublesome circumstances. It is the same harmless thing that a poor shepherd suffered yesterday, or a maid-servant to-day; and at the same time in which you die, in that very night a thousand creatures die with you, some wise men and many fools; and the wisdom of the first will not quit him, and the folly of the latter does not make him unable to die.—Jeremy Taylor.

[illegible] that there is no single system [illegible] unique for writing, and that a [illegible] belonging to the educated classes [illegible] be taught much better and more [illegible] if, after being once enabled to make and recognize written letters, it were left alone and praised or chided not for its method, but for the result.

Let the boy hold the pen as he likes, and make his strokes as he likes,—hurry, of course, being discouraged—but insist that his copy shall be legible, clean and shall approach the good copy set before him, namely, a well written letter, not rubbishy text on a single line, written as nobody but a writing-master ever did or ever will write until the world's end. He will make a muddle at first, but he will soon make a passible imitation of his copy, and ultimately develop a characteristic and strong hand, which may be bad or good, but will not be either meaningless, undecided or illegible.

This hand will alter, of course, very greatly as he grows older. It may alter at 11, because it is at that age that the range of the eyes is fixed, and short-sight betrays itself; and it will alter at 17, because then the system of taking notes at lectures, which ruins most hands, will have cramped and temporarily spoiled the writing, but the character will form itself again, and will never be deficient in clearness or decision.

The idea that it is to be clear will have stamped itself, and confidence will not have been destroyed by worrying little rules about attitude, and angle, and slope, which the very irritation of the pupil ought to convince the teachers are, from some personal peculiarity, inapplicable. The lad will write, as he does anything else that he cares to do, as well as he can, and with a certain efficacy and speed. Almost every letter he gets will give him some assistance, and the master's remonstrances on his illegibility will be attended to, like any other caution given in the curriculum.—*London Spectator.*

A Girl's Romantic Dreams.

Mrs. Mary Kyle Dallas, in the *Ledger*, writes the humorous description of a school-girl's poetical ideal of a husband:

Should Rosalie, on her 16th birthday write a description of that future partner of life's joys and woes, it will be something like this:

"Tall, dark, romantic, melancholy; with melting eyes and a large chin with a dimple in it; fond of quoting Byron and Tennyson; always on his knees, vowing he will die if she does not smile upon him. By profession a corsair—though Rosalie does not exactly know what that may be—and with a price upon his head."

Twenty years after we find Rosalie long accustomed to being Mrs. John Boggs. Her husband is a small man, with red hair and a squint, and highly respectable. When he proposed he said:

"Now, Rosy, I like you. If you'll have me, I'll have you. Take me, or leave me;" and she took him.

MOTHERS DON'T KNOW.—How many children are punished for being uncouth, wilfull and indifferent to instructions or rewards, simply because they are out of health! An intelligent lady said of a child of this kind: "Mothers should know that if they would give the little ones moderate doses of Hop Bitters for two or three weeks, the children would be all a parent could desire."

A young college student was visiting his grandmother, and at the breakfast table he took an egg, and holding it up, asked her if she knew the scientific way of obtaining the contents without breaking the shell?

She replied that she did not.

"Well," said he, "you take the spheroidal body in you sinister hand, and with a convenient diminutive pointed instrument held in the dexter hand, puncture the apex; then in the same manner make an orifice in the base, place either extremity to your labials, and endeavor to draw in your breath; a vacuum is created, and the contents of the egg are discharged into your mouth."

"La!" said the old lady, "when I was a girl we used to make a pin-hole in each end, and suck 'em."

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Dr. Foord's Tonic Cordial is a splendid medicine for children as well as adults. Read the following letter from a well-known citizen from Syracuse:

Wm. L. Palmer, Syracuse N. Y., says: "For two years past I have been acquainted with the use of Dr. Foord's Tonic Cordial for the cure of Billious Colic, Dysentery, and other diseases of children, and many a time I have seen it relieve them like a charm. They take it so well, and its effects are so decided, that I take pleasure in speaking of it in terms of the highest praise."

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What a Coin Did.

A coin is in itself a history. There was once a lost city which owes its place to a coin. For over a thousand years no one knew where Pandosia was. History told us that at Pandosia King Pyrrhus collected those forces with which he overran Italy, and that he established a mint there; but no one could put their finger on Pandosia. Eight years ago a coin came under the sharp eyes of a numismatist. There were the letters Pandosia inscribed on it, but what was better, there was an emblem, indicative of a well-known river, the Crathis. Then everything was revealed with the same certainty as if the piece of money had been an atlas, and Pandosia the mythical city, was at once given its proper position in Bruttium. Now, a coin may be valuable for artistic merit, but when it elucidates a doubtful point in history or geography its worth is very much enhanced. This silver coin, which did not weigh more than a quarter of a dollar, because it cleared up a mystery of Pandosia, was worth to the British Museum $1,000, the price they paid for it.

NORTH WOLCOTT, N.Y., Jan. 25, 1883.
Rheumatic Syrup Co.:

It is with pleasure I write you in regard to your Rheumatic Syrup. I think it my duty to let the suffering people know what it has done for me. I have suffered greatly two years with rheumatism in my hips. I have tried many liniments but received no benefit from them. Being acquainted with a number who had been cured by the Rheumatic Syrup I gave it a trial, and I am cured after using but four bottles. I know the Syrup will cure any case of rheumatism, if taken as directed, as hundreds will testify in this immediate vicinity. I am gratefully yours, John P. Fowler,
Justice of the Peace.

Pimples, blotches, sores or scaly eruptions on any part of the body can be cured by the use of Rheumatic Syrup, which cleanses the system and blood of all impurities, and builds up the debilitated system and gives new life to the feeble and overworked sufferer.

Paper Clay.

In view of the rapid rise in the price of paper, and the complaints of the paper-makers with regard to the scarcity and increasing costliness of all sorts of paper stock, it is gratifying to see that one source of such raw material is not likely soon to fail us. Whatever may happen to rags, wood pulp, and the thousand other sorts of fibrous material supposed to enter into the composition of paper, the clay bank promises to be inexhaustible. True, the majority of people who pay a high price for paper have a prejudice against that material, but evidently the owners of the clay banks have not; for, in a prominent journal devoted to the paper trade, they boldly print a large cut of their "clay works," showing a long stretch of snowy bluff out of which a huge section has been cut, presumably to supply the needs of "first-class mills, East and West," to whose owners they refer for evidence of the excellence of their clay.—*Scientific American.*

Did you read how Josiah Pitkin, of Chelsea, Vt., was cured of a terrible sore leg by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the blood purifier?

No Grease for Him.

"When Greece her knees—Greece her knees—Greece her knees," stammered an embarrassed school boy, forgetting the next line of his recitation. "There is no occasion to grease anybody's knees," shouted his teacher. "Go and study your piece." Neither is there occasion to grease your hair. Parker's Hair Balsam is all the dressing you want. Restores the original gloss and color to gray or faded hair. Does not soil the linen; not a dye; good for the scalp; prevents falling out.

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South African savages get fire in the following manner: Some straw being laid on the ground as a bed, two sticks are laid on it a few inches apart to form a support for the third stick, which is laid across them, having a deep notch cut in it to receive the blunt point of the drilling stick; this is twirled like a chocolate muller between the palms of the hands, and when the twirler's hands reach the bottom they are dexterously shifted to the top again. A spark is got in the charred dust in about five minutes, and by carefully shielding it in a handful of the straw, it is soon fanned into a flame.

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A LITTLE MORE DIRECTORY.

Last Thursday we took another start to wind up our outside canvass for the Directory. Our first halt was at Franklin Center. We found Jerry Tuttle as good natured as ever, still engaged in selling goods and licking postage stamps. Mrs. Pitcher keeps the old corner hotel, assisted by her son Frank, where we got a good substantial dinner. They have a house full of railroad boarders lately and always have good accommodations for transient customers. Dr. A. F. Jenkins is now located in the large house west of the hotel, and he is evidently prospering in his professional affairs. He has a good rule in all directions.—Having done the Center we set out southward and stopped a few moments to interview Dan Hanford, who is now living on the old Albert Hyde farm. His corn was touched some by Jack Frost's late visit, but he has the big barn full of hay and 1050 bushels of wheat in his granaries, so that he was feeling pretty good natured after all. He has a number of head of thorough-bred cattle in his pastures, and one splendid colt sired by Banker Rothschilds, which he purposes to keep for a fast stepper.—A few miles more through southern Franklin and Cambridge brought us to C. W. Greenleaf's. The big barn, which would hold four common barns, where the sheep shearing festivals are held, is the chief land mark in that section of Cambridge. Mr. G. had just got his wheat in, and expected soon to harvest his corn crop.—Four miles drive, directly south, brought us to Rome Center, where we halted at Wm. Teachout's, got a good supper, and put up for the night. The Teachout family are given to hospitable keeping. William, the landlord of the Rome Center hotel, is a relative of the landlord of the Exchange in this village. He has been running the house about two years and keeps an excellent hotel. People who have occasion to travel through the county should make their arrangements to stop over night at Teachout's. The village contains two general stores, a harness and blacksmith shop, besides the hotel. We are under obligations to Dr. G. W. Ross for assistance in gathering our statistics.

Starting out the next morning in a dense fog, a pleasant ride of six miles brought us to Geneva, on the South shore of Round Lake. There is only one store here, in which the post office is located which is kept by C. B. Crandall. The hotels at Devil's Lake one mile west are the principal attraction during the summer season but Geneva is a very pretty hamlet and has a beautiful location.

Our next stop was at Addison where we arrived in time for dinner and found good quarters at Terpenning's Exchange. The improvements at this house are still going on, and when completed the house will be substantially a new one. R. J. Eaton's new furniture store, on the west side, is nearly completed. When he gets moved in to his new quarters he will have one of the best stores and the best stocks in town. Nesmith has his new stock on hand, and his store is a nobby one. He received a bran new Detroit safe the day we were there. G. A. Smith is making extensive improvements to his mill property. In the afternoon we drove over in Wheatland to see Fred Curtis's big stock farm. We fortunately found him at leisure, and enjoyed an hour's friendly chat with him. The old homestead has absorbed several adjoining farms, until it now contains about 600 acres, and has on it 75 head of full-blooded short horns, besides the ordinary stock. One yearling was sold last week for $250.—Coming back to Addison we again turned our faces homewards and arrived just at sundown to the hospitable mansion on Silver Creek owned by Alvin C. Osborn. It didn't require much urging to induce us to stay over night, and we had no reason to regret it. After a bountiful breakfast on Saturday morning we again set out eastward over the old Chicago turnpike. Called a few moments at C. A. Blackmer's. He will hereafter run his Tecumseh and Cambridge stage four days each week, having added Saturday. The mail route has been increased by one day, which will go into effect October 1st. Halted a moment at F. A. Dewey's and made arrangements for a Pioneer meeting at Fairfield on the 3d of October. We then drove on to Allen Brothers where we enjoyed a good substantial farmer's dinner. Their very large peach orchard is not in bearing this year. We traveled thro' the orchard lengthways on an exploring expedition and found just three peaches. Next year, however, unless all signs fail, they will have a tremendous wheat crop. Two miles more brought us to John W. Monaghan's and George Dunn's where we took a breathing spell and thence to Charlie Aiken's, at the east end of Wampler's Lake. Charlie will keep open grove about two weeks more and then shut up shop. The season as a whole has been a good one for him. Neatly and hastily we drove to Dan Ayer's home, over in Norvell, where we had a good visit, seasoned with two big watermelons.

The Intensity of Arctic Cold.

The chronicler of Lieut. Schwatka's expedition in search of the remains of Sir John Franklin records some interesting facts regarding the great cold of Arctic regions. The lowest temperature met with by the company was 103 degrees below the freezing point, or seventy-one degrees below zero Fahrenheit, a degree of cold almost impossible to imagine by the people of more temperate climes. The effects of such intense cold upon the human system were not so marked in the case of the lieutenant and his companions as might be supposed, and even during the month in which the average temperature was sixty-five degrees below zero, the health of the party remained unimpaired. The men adapted themselves as much as possible to the habits of the natives, feeding largely upon blubber and fat meat, by which the vital heat was sustained. Plenty of game was found by the adventurers, who were able to secure with their repeating rifles enough reindeer at one time to last them for several days. The difficulty of approaching these animals was very great, for in the still cold air the step of a man upon the snow could be heard two miles away, and the grating of sledge runners resounded like the clothing of tempered steel. It was not an easy matter to keep guns in working order in this climate, for at sixty and seventy degrees below zero, strong oak and hickory would break like icicles, and all lubricants harden and interfere with the working of the locks. When the guns were brought into the warm atmosphere of the huts to be cleaned, they would at once become coated with moisture, and every part had to be carefully dried and wiped, lest the hunter, on stepping into the cold air again, would find a useless block of ice in his hands. A bottle of whisky which was in the stores was congealed to the consistency of thick syrup by the intense cold, and the cup from which one of the travelers essayed to drink, actually froze to his lips. The low temperature of this latitude permitted some of the Esquimaux to practice a terrible revenge upon some wolves which had attacked them. They set upright in the ice several keen knife-blades, and covered them with blood. These the wolves licked, slicing their tongues, but being prevented by the cold from feeling the wounds at the time, and their own warm blood tempted them to continue until their tongues were so scarified that death was inevitable.

Out-Door Air and Exercise.

The surest of all natural prophylactics is out-door exercise in the open air. Air is a part of our daily food, and by far the most important part. A man can live on seven pounds a week, and survive the warmest summer day with seven draughts of fresh air, but his supply of gaseous nourishment has to be renewed at least fourteen thousand times in the twenty-four hours. Every breath we draw is a draught of fresh oxygen, every emission of breath is an evacuation of gaseous excrements. The purity of our blood depends chiefly on the purity of the air we breathe, for in the laboratory of the lungs the atmospheric air is brought into contact at each respiration with the loads of the venous and arterial systems, which absorb it and circulate it through the whole body; in other words, if a man breathes the vitiated atmosphere of a factory all day and of a close bedroom all night, his life blood is tainted 14,000 times in the course of the twenty four with foul vapors, dust, and noxious exhalations. We need not wonder, then, that ill-ventilated dwellings aggravate the evils of so many diseases, nor that pure air should be almost a panacea.

Out-door life is both a remedy and a preventive of all known disorders of the respiratory organs; consumption, in all but the last stage of the *deliquium*, can be conquered by transferring the battle-ground from the sick-room to the wilderness of the next mountain range.

Asthma, catarrh and tubercular phthisis are unknown among the nomads of the intertropical deserts, as well as among the homeless hunters of our Northwestern Territories. Hunters and herders, who breathe the pure air of the South American pampas, subsist for years on a diet that would endanger the life of a city dweller in a single month. It has been repeatedly observed that individuals who attained to an extreme old age were generally poor peasants whose vocations required daily labor in the open air, though their habits differ in almost every other respect; also that the average duration of life in various countries of the Old World depends not so much on climatic peculiarities or their respective degree of culture as on the chief occupation of the inhabitants; the starved Hindoo outlives the well-fed Parsee merchant, the unkempt Bulgarian enjoys an average longevity of forty-two years to the West Austrian citizen's thirty-five.—*Dr. Felix L. Oswald.*

Travelers in Egypt are surprised at the large amount of ophthalmia and blindness prevalent among the inhabitants. Want of cleanliness is the cause. An Egyptian mother, under the influence of a widely prevalent superstition, does not wash her child's eyes until eight days after birth. By that time the organ is frequently ruined. The teachers in the American and British mission schools of Cairo say that Egyptian mothers become invariably angry when urged to wash the eyes of their newly-born infants, and can rarely be persuaded to comply with a request of the kind.

A remarkable discovery has been made by Mr. Alexander Adams. It is the existence of electric tides in telegraph circuits. By long-continued and careful observations he has determined distinct variations of strength in those earth currents, which are invariably present on all telegraphic wires, following the different diurnal positions of the moon with respect to the earth.

Our Foreign Population.

According to the census of 1880, there were at that time 6,677,369 persons of foreign birth in the United States. The number given by the census of 1870 was 5,567,229. We gained about eleven hundred thousand foreigners during the decade.

The place of birth of the population was given for the first time in the census of 1850. Let us, therefore, follow the progress of foreign immigration and our increase due to it since that time.

The last thirty years, indeed, have been the great years for immigration. During the whole period from 1790 to 1850 we received from abroad only about as many people as came over in the decade between 1850 and 1860. The immigration for the sixty years was in round numbers 2,700,000, and of the ten years it was 2,600,000. Between 1860 and 1870, the period of the civil war, there was a small falling off as compared with the decade just previous, and the total reached only about 2,500,000. Since 1879 however, immigration has been even more extensive than it was between 1850 and 1860, though from 1875 to 1879, when the country was struggling with long continued business depression, it was at a low ebb. The total for the decade was about 3,000,000.

We have, therefore, received since 1790 the great aggregate of over 10,750,000 foreign immigrants, and more than eight millions of them have landed on our shores since 1850, in the last thirty years. It is accordingly easy to account for the 7,667,360 foreign born inhabitants found in the country by the census of 1880.

When we remember that these eight millions of foreigners who have come to us since 1850 are more prolific than the old native population, and that emigration is not usually undertaken except during the most active years of maturity, we must attribute to them a large part of our natural increase in population. Of our fifty millions of inhabitants they and their descendants make up a fraction which we cannot yet determine from the census, but it is unquestionably a great one—above one-fifth, probably. These immigrants of thirty years have modified our national characteristics, affected our religious thought and practice, and changed many of our social customs.

And they will go on increasing, both by births and by new and still greater accessions from abroad. 1880 showed a larger aggregate immigration than we had before witnessed. If the prosperity upon which we have entered continues, we shall probably receive between 1880 and 1890 from four to five million settlers from abroad, and then at least one-third of the population of the United States will be composed of the foreign born and the descendants of the immigrants who landed here during the forty years from 1850 to 1890.—*N. Y. Sun.*

"Pure Mocha."

A DELUDED PUBLIC—THE KIND OF COFFEE WE DO NOT GET.

If the official returns of the coffee trade are to be trusted—and presumably they are not greatly in error—the coffee consuming public of this country has been for a long time past very much deluded. There are a multitude of people in this part of the world who are laboring under the belief that the beverage which they drink at breakfast, and, possibly after dinner, is Mocha coffee. Their grocer tells them that the article he sells is "pure Mocha," and they have no means of knowing that he is deceiving them, if, indeed, he has not been deceived himself. Some, with a peculiar fastidiousness, insist upon having a mixture, and want one-half or one-third of Mocha and the remainder of Java coffee—a request which the grocer seemingly complies with: that is, he takes the coffee from two separate compartments. Now, the last completed returns of the coffee production of the world are made up to the year 187[illegible]. In that year the estimated growth was [illegible]082,112,500 pounds of which Brazil produced 407,127,300 pounds, or nearly one-half. Next came the Dutch East Indian possessions, where the crop amounted to 20[illegible],[illegible]200 pounds; while Ceylon, South Africa and the West Indies furnished nearly [illegible] of the rest. Arabia, it is true, appears on the list, but its total growth, the Mocha district and the rest of the country combined, was only about 4,500,000 pounds—that is, not quite [illegible] of 1 per cent. of the growth of the world.

When it is considered that coffee is extensively used in Arabia, that Mocha comes within the possessions of Turkey, a country peopled with coffee-drinkers, and that we have no direct communication with Arabia, one may well hesitate [illegible] the current Mocha fiction [illegible]. It is highly probable that [illegible] of this article are brought [illegible] in the course of a year [illegible] would not furnish a day [illegible] inhabitants of this city [illegible] know the flavor of Mocha [illegible] can not be deceived, there [illegible] probably not one in a thousand [illegible] tasted it.—*N. Y. Times.*

Exterminating Vermin.

A correspondent of the American Agriculturist says, regarding the best means of exterminating vermin on poultry and hogs: Kerosene and lard are as essential in the poultry house as soap and water in the nursery, and I would as soon think of going without the latter as the former. I never see the sign of a louse unless we are careless and neglect the remedy, or rather the preventive. I do not wait until the chicks are ten or twelve days old, for by that time the mischief would be done; but I begin the fall before, and all through the winter, once in two or three weeks, rub the roosting poles with a mixture of lard and kerosene, half and half, and put it on the corners of the nest boxes. When I set a hen I use new, soft, clean hay, and on each corner of the box pour clear kerosene; it must not touch the eggs. If very late in the season, it will be best to repeat this a few days before hatching. I take the chicks out as fast as they are dry, and keep by the kitchen stove in a basket under a woolen blanket one or two days. Then each chick's head is rubbed with the anti-louse mixture, and any stray insect that may have lain in wait in some unguarded spot will never obtain a meal from that chick. Care must be taken not to put on too much, or it will run into the eyes.

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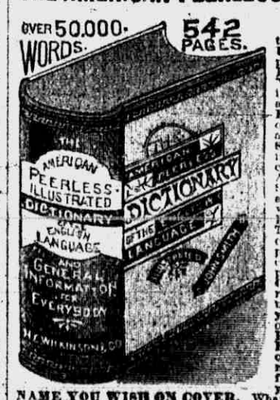

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Mr. Charles Sabin of Chenago Co., N. Y., is visiting for a few days at the residence of C. C. Tefft.

Mrs. W. H. Waring arrived home from Peoria, Ill., last week, where she has been visiting for a few weeks.

AUCTION SALE.

T. C. Cummins will sell at auction on the 4-corners, Tecumseh, on Saturday, Sept. 22, 1883, at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following property: One platform wagon, 2 seats; 1 new single harness, 1 upsetting machine, 1 tire bender, 5 new bodies and gears, 3 two-seated buggies, 3 springs; open buggy, 2nd hand; buffalo robe, &c. Usual terms of sale. H. W. Stevens, Auctioneer.

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FOUND FLOATING.

Toledo Telegram: About 8 o'clock last evening, the body of a man was found floating in the river, opposite Hepburn's boat house, where it had evidently been stirred up by the Waite. The matter was reported to Coroner Hohley, who had the body brought ashore and taken to Bennet & Schroeder's undertaking establishment, where an examination was made.

It was soon determined that the deceased was a stranger in the city, but there were no means of establishing his identity, or his place of residence, except a Lake Shore railroad ticket, from Tecumseh to Toledo and return. This was stamped at Tecumseh, September 8. The other articles on his person were cash $3.10, an empty pocketbook, a key-ring containing two keys, and a button hook. The description of the remains is as follows:

Rather a young man, perhaps 25 or 30 years old, well dressed, with sandy hair, sandy mustache and good teeth. Height 5 feet, 11 inches, and weight about 160 pounds. The dress consisted of black diagonal sack coat and vest, gray pantaloons, white shirt, low boots, red flannel undershirt, gray cotton socks, black nettle and red silk handkerchief.

There was no marks of violence upon the body, and no means of telling how long it had been in the water. Inquiry at the hotels showed that there had been several arrivals from Tecumseh within the last few days, but there was no further clue. The coroner will have to await further developments from a distance.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 20, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

S. W. Anderson is in New York buying goods.

The peach crop will be a total failure in this section.

A big crowd in town to-day to see Burr Robbins' circus.

The dry weather has ruined the Virginia pea nut crop.

Eaton's new furniture store at Addison is nearly completed.

Jack Frost cut off the home melon crop right behind the ear.

Yesterday was press day at the Art Loan exhibition in Detroit.

O. C. Kneale, of Fort Wayne, Ind., was in town a day or two the first of the week.

The Detroit Art Loan is now fairly launched and the attendance is daily increasing.

People have already commenced using the new two cent postage stamp at Deerfield.

R. P. Johnson, of Deerfield, has several thousand feet of black walnut logs on hand.

James Schermerhorn, of the Hudson Gazette, has returned from his Northern trip.

The Salvation Army has opened a new campaign at Adrian with torches and banners.

Several members of the Adrian bar attended the funeral of Peter R. Adams last Monday.

E. A. Tribou, of this village, was one of the extra jurymen summoned for the present term of court.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson was attending conference last Sunday. He will be returned here another year.

We are happy to announce that Miss Eva Clement, our telephone operator is rapidly regaining her health.

A sneak thief entered the Morenci Observer office one Sunday night and pilfered several dollars worth of cards.

It is said that those corn fields in this vicinity which were well cultivated and free from weeds were not injured by the frost.

Miss Gettie Spalding, who has been spending the last few weeks in Chicago returned to her home in this village last Saturday.

Wm. E. Burton, of Deerfield, hung his vest on a nail in his new block.—He is now minus a vest and $28 which was stored in one of the pockets.

The State Fair is in session this week at Detroit. The opening days of the Fair have been a grand success. To-day and to-morrow will be the big days.

Capt. F. B. Wood is the way he writes his name now. Fred wears his honors gracefully, and we predict that he will make an excellent commanding officer.

L. F. Wheeler is now perfecting his arrangements to begin the fall campaign of his Illuminated Rambles. He will start out in a few days with his big stereopticon.

We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Brooklyn fair which will be held next week, from Sept. 25th to 28th inclusive. We shall endeavor to use it.

The Morenci Observer now sets its local page "solid." The same number of colums will swallow up more copy it is true, but typographically the change does not strike our fancy.

Rev. C. E. Conley, Dea. J. W. Margeson, J. W. DePuy and Dr. B. F. Steinhoff are attending the great Christian Convention at Chicago this week. The convention is under the direction of Moody and Sankey.

L. C. Blood, wife and daughter, of Lansing, drove over last week, and returned home yesterday. He seems to prefer the "overland" route. The weather lately has been very propitious for horse and buggy traveling.

The Blissfield Advance is responsible for this sensible remark:

It is an error to suppose that only editors and reporters supply news worth reading. The skillful advertiser furnishes a good share of it, and if there are any readers who fail to look over the advertising columns of their paper, they miss a great deal of information that would prove valuable to them.

The Lenawee County Pioneer Society will hold its regular annual meeting in the village of Fairfield, on Wednesday, Oct. 3d, 1883. A paper will be read on the early history of that township. Persons who have resided in the state for twenty-five years are eligible to membership and are cordially invited to attend. Officers for the coming year will be chosen.

F. A. DEWEY, President.

The following program will be carried out by Macon Grange, Sept. 28, at 7:30 P. M. Open meeting.

Address—R. R. Hall.
Select Reading—Mrs. L. Osgood.
Song—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Select Reading—Mrs. E. Howell.
Quartette—Mrs. Joseph Osborn.
Recitation—W. Triplet.
Discussion on Tariff Question—M J. Martin, J. C. Mills, C. Mead, Isaac Mills, E. Howell, L. Osgood, D. Bailey and others.
Inst. Music—Miss Julia Easlick.

Bidwell's new block is a beauty, and no mistake.

Oh, yes, I do sell wall paper for cost. Come and see. James W. Patterson.

Heck Bros. got a letter yesterday from Anvers, France. They are trying to find somebody in town who can read it.

Miss Lotta Babcock has removed her dressmaking rooms to the rooms over H. Nyland's shoe store, where she is prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking, cutting and fitting.

Mrs. Loyal Beardsley, recently of Lafayette, Ind., has been visiting her Tecumseh friends during the past week. Mrs. Beardsley, whose maiden name was Louise Walker, was once a teacher in our schools and has a large circle of acquaintances here.

Berry Smith, of Coldwater, has been down to Mt. Morris, N. Y., and made a fuss about the irregular conduct of his wife, whom he found living with one E. Kindmark, a photographer, who formerly resided at Coldwater. Proceedings for divorce have been begun at Coldwater.

Mrs. Ure of the New York Millinery Store has returned from New York with a large stock of fall millinery, and will open the Tecumseh store October 1. Until then she will be pleased to have her Tecumseh friends call and look over the new stock in the Adrian store on Maumee St. near Opera House.

New York Star: "It is," she chattered, "just too awful, the kind of society a lady has to put up with in this place. My husband tells me there ain't nobody here what can trace their generology back no more than ten years. You see Mrs. —— sitting over there and putting on all them frills? Well, you wouldn't think it, to look at all her fine feathers, but her father is a horse-shoer," and then she ambled off to another part of the piazza, where half an hour later she was heard declaring that the professor's wife was married to "nothing but a school teacher." It subsequently transpired that this amiable critic and purveyor of news was herself the wife of a butcher. And this is the delightful way in which the Saratoga pot calls the kettle black when the kettle is not looking.

SUMMIT CITY.

This is a place in northern Michigan on the Traverse City branch of the Grand Rapids & Indiana R. R., six miles from Walton Junction. It is a very pleasant place. The timber is hard wood, mostly maple, beech, elm, basswood with some ash and wild cherry. The land is rolling and the soil is good with excellent water.—There is land within three miles of the depot at $9 per acre, on 3 years' time. There has been located within the last 30 days a wooden bowl factory, large saw mill, planing mill and broom handle factory. The mill will employ about 30 men and make 10,000 broom handles and 7,000 feet matched flooring per day. This firm is known as the Michigan Flooring and Handle Manufacturing Company. They have bought a site in the village of 96 acres for building purposes, such as yards for mill, logs, bolts and piling, besides they have some very fine locations for stores and residences. They are giving away lots to actual settlers that wish to locate and build at Suminit City. Some of the members of this company live in our own village. H. L. Stewart is president, A. W. Slayton, secretary, J. Gilchrist, director, and M. Bowerman, Jr., of Holloway, superintendent. While Dr. Stewart was at Summit City last week he had six applications for building lots. The place is booming and no mistake.

THE LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

The first installment of books has been purchased and labeled, the room has been carpeted, painted and papered, and the officers announce that they will hold their formal opening on Saturday next. Their location is a good one—the room at the head of the stairs in Union block, between Dr. House's office and Heesen's hall. There is an ante room for odds and ends. The East side of the principal room is taken up with shelving, and there are 650 volumes now on the shelves. The method adopted for drawing the books is this: Tickets will be sold by the librarian at fifty cents per quarter, or $1.50 per year, which will entitle the holder to draw books subject to the rules and regulations adopted by the association.—These rules are now in force:

1. This book may be kept 2 weeks.
2. Any one retaining a book more than two weeks shall pay a fine of 10 cents per week for each additional week.
3. Any person injuring or defacing this book shall be subject to a fine of not less than 50 cents, or not exceeding the value of the book.
4. Library will be open every Saturday from 3 to 6 P.M., from April until Oct., and from 2 to 5 P. M. from Oct. to April.
5. Any person not a member of the Association desiring a book, can learn the terms by applying to the librarian.

Visitors will not be allowed to handle the books. A full catalogue will be published and selections can be made by catalogue. The rooms will be open next Saturday afternoon.—All interested are invited to call and will be courteously received.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The late frosts played hob with the squash crop.

Blissfield fishermen are catching eels in the Raisin.

The Royal Templars of Clinton are in a flourishing condition.

Gilmore & Co's bank at Blissfield has been undergoing repairs.

The School Director of Clinton receives an annual salary of $25.

Wm. P. Silvers had a valuable horse killed by the cars last week.

Adrian has 2,507 school children, and estimates its population at about 13,000.

Delos Cutting, of Clinton, will exhibit a lot of honey and bee keepers supplies at the State Fair.

Mail route 24,106, Tecumseh to Cambridge will be changed from three to four trips a week after Oct. 1st.

1,044 telephone messages were received and transmitted by telephone in Adrian during the month of August.

Tom Applegate, of the Adrian Times, is giving "Yellowstone Park" lectures since his return from his recent trip.

District Manager Mason has raised the required bonus at Morenci and that town will soon have a telephone connection.

C. F. Field, of the Clinton News, is enjoying a few days' respite from work at Petoskev and the other resorts of Northern Michigan.

A little son of Wash Allen's, of Franklin, broke an arm last week. Dr. A. K. Jenkins, of Franklin, set the limb and the boy is getting on nicely.

The prohibitionists of Adrian have organized and elected the following officers: J. C. Rowley, president, L. R. Damon, Secretary, A. C. Forte, treasurer.

Jack Frost was rather eccentric in his movements last week. Some corn fields were utterly ruined while others in the same vicinity were left untouched.

Thos. H. Mosher, the veteran merchant and miller, of Springville, is putting new rollers into his mill. He proposes to make the patent flour the same as the other millers.

Gareis, the insane German, who killed Conly, the Blissfield baggagemaster, and was convicted of wilful murder, has to be kept handcuffed and in close confinement at Jackson.

The Michigan & Ohio discharged a large number of men and teams near Addison last week, the work of grading having got along to where it can be completed, ready for the ties and iron in a few days.

Lodge No. 206, of the order of Good Templars, situated at Blissfield has resolved to boycott the state fair and all other exhibitions where liquors are to be sold. The lodge furthermore requests all other temperance organizations to do the same.

Arthur H. Snow, formerly of Clinton, son of the late A. H. Snow, has been making an eastern trip and was in town last Monday. He went from here to Conneaut, Ohio, on business, whence he will return home. He is now practicing law at Winona, Minn.

Adrian Press: J. C. Winnie brought us in a cluster of hops from his father's yard just west of the city, and it was a splendid sample. Mr. Winnie expects about 5,000 pounds this season, and we believe has the only hop yard in the county. The first hop yard in Lenawee we helped set out in the town of Franklin more than thirty years ago, on the old farm—Mr. H. Bowen, Sr., now of this city, being the first person to introduce the "wegetable."

Adrian Times: The Chicago & West Michigan railroad company have about completed negotiations with Brown, Howard & Co., the owners, for the purchase of the Michigan & Ohio railroad. The Chicago & West Michigan is controlled by Boston capitalists, chief among whom are the Adams family, Charles Francis Adams and his son John Quincy Adams. The same persons are the principal owners of the Detroit, Lansing & Northern railroad. The Michigan & Ohio is being built by the same parties that constructed the "Nickel Plate."—Their business is to build railroads to sell.

Clinton News: Quite a good deal of interest was manifested on the streets Tuesday in the law suit which was held here that day at the Town Hall. A young man named Milton Poe brought suit against Mr. Willard Smith, of Cambridge. Mr. Smith is a well-to-do farmer and Poe worked for him. There being some difficulty in regard to the payment of Poe's wages the latter brought suit against his employer for wages due him. Constable Burroughs summoned a jury at the request of the defendant and the suit came off Tuesday afternoon before Justice Keyes. E. B. Norris, of Manchester, apptared for the plaintiff, and J. Reid Crowell, of Brooklyn, for the defendant. About 9 o'clock in the evening the jury brought in a judgment of $72 and costs for plaintiff. We understand that Mr. Smith will appeal the case to the circuit court.

ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.

On Saturday morning last Peter R. Adams, one of the oldest residents of this village, departed this life in the 78th year of his age. The deceased was born in the town of Tioga, in the county of Tioga, and State of Pennsylvania, on the 10th day of February, 1805, he commenced the study of law, in the office of John Baldwin, Esq., of Dansville, Livingston county, N. Y. He completed his legal studies in Wellsborough, in his native county, in the office of Ellis Lewis, Esq., and was admitted to practice in the courts of that State, in the year 1826. In May, 1830, he and his wife came to Detroit, Michigan. They remained there and at Ann Arbor a few weeks, and, on the 26th day of July, 1830, arrived at Tecumseh, which has ever since been his home. In Tecumseh, then the county seat, he began the practice of law, in Michigan, and continued it with much patronage, and reasonable financial success, until the fall of 1842. His health, from too close and unremitting attention to the labor of his profession, had become some impaired, and he deemed it necessary to engage in some other employment.—During these twelve years, besides his very arduous professional labors, he had discharged the duties of supervisor, prosecuting attorney, judge advocate, etc., and declined many important offices tendered him. He sold to P. Bills, Esq., [illegible] read in his office, his enti[illegible] onal business, and retired [illegible] one mile east of the village [illegible]mseh. On this farm he reside[illegible] until 1861, devoting his care and labor principally to the management of the farm. In 1850 he was elected a member of the Constitutional Constitution, and served in performing the duties of that office, at Lansing, during the summer of 1850. In 1865 the National Bank of Tecumseh was organized, and commenced business. He was elected president and one of the directors, which office he held until 1874, when the bank went into voluntary liquidation, and closed business. In 1866 he commenced the publication of the Raisin Valley Record, at Tecumseh.—It was a weekly newspaper, neutral but independent in politics, and an advocate of temperance and reform. He owned, conducted, and edited it for several years, and it received a liberal public patronage. In 1875 the People's Bank of P. R. Adams & Co., organized, and commenced business. He was president of the bank until it ceased, December 1st 1878. He was the father of three children, a son, Peter W., who resides in Delaware, Mrs. John D. Shull, of Lansing, and Mrs. W. C. Fitzsimmons, who died in 1878. His wife still lives to mourn his loss. His health has been somewhat infirm for the past few months but no more so than that of most men of his years. About four weeks ago he was taken ill and his symptoms aroused forebodings of end among his friends. His son, Waller Adams, was summoned from Delaware, and the family prepared for the worst. His robust constitution clung to life for many days after hope had departed, but at last the dread angel came.

The funeral was observed at the family residence last Monday afternoon, and a large concourse of citizens paid their respects to the deceased. The services and appointments were of the plainest character, symbolical of the strong man about to be carried to his tomb. His pastor, Rev. C. E. Conley, pronounced a brief and affecting service, and the sacred music was rendered by the Baptist choir. Six of our oldest residents and warm friends of the dead, acted as pall bearers: John J. Adam, Wm. Hayden, B. J. Bidwell, John W. Benedict, John Margeson and W. V. Wimple. A lengthy procession of relatives, old residents, and friends followed the remains to the grave, and business houses of the village were closed during the funeral obsequies.

Mr. Adams was a man of strong convictions, of strict integrity in financial matters, of economical habits, of tireless industry. By the exercise of these qualities he accumulated a handsome fortune and had long held a position among Tecumseh's most honored and respected citizens. He had fought the good fight. He has run his race. As the bending head of ripened grain falls beneath the husbandman's sickle, so with the weight of years and honors upon him he has been gathered to his fathers. The first night which he passed in Tecumseh, in 1830, he slept in the old "Bank's House." The same roof sheltered his body during its final illness and witnessed his eyelids close in death. The sentinel which welcomed him to this village fifty-three years ago, pronounced its dumb blessing upon the procession which conveyed his remains to the tomb.

At a meeting of the Lenawee County Bar the following resolutions were passed:

Our now deceased Brother, Hon. Peter R. Adams, came to this then Territory in 1830, with his family. His route from Tioga County, Pennsylvania, to this Territory was thro' an almost unbroken wilderness, past little villages just starting like spots of silver on the dark green, and along the borders of Lake Erie, whose waters were then seldom whitened by a sail, and whose single small steamer was scarcely seen by the traveler.

Our county when he came here had scarcely 1000 inhabitants, each with strong arm and brave heart was looking to a home in the future, as a reward of great toil and privations.

During his lifetime of 53 years spent here he has identified himself with the interests of our people and State.

He has faithfully performed the duties of the various offices to which he has been elected by the people as Supervisor, and various town and county offices. As a member of the State Legislature, and of the Constitutional Convention of 1850, he left the impress of his intellect upon the institutions of the County and State, and at the time of his death he was the oldest member as well as the oldest resident of the bar of Lenawee County.

We the members of the bar of this County have assembled to do honor to his memory.

He was faithful, honest and true in every public and private employment, of great intellect and careful culture, he was learned in the love of the great profession, which his industry and learning and fidelity ornamented and improved.

On moral and religious subjects he was ever in the lead as promoter and leader. An early advocate of the temperance cause, by his pen, his money and personal influence, and as the Editor and publisher of a paper devoted to the cause, he ever took an advanced position in the supression of intemperance. As a devoted christian his efforts in the cause of religion were determined and zealous. His death will be long felt and deplored in the community where he lived, and in the county and State, and by his aged wife, and his family and relatives surviving him.

A devoted husband, an affectionate father, a kind and zealous christian has left us.

Resolved, That we present our sympathies to his bereaved widow and family in their affliction, knowing well "that their and our loss has been his great gain." That a copy of this memorial be sent to his mourning family, signed by the Judge and Clerk of the Court, attested by the Seal of the Court. That they be presented to the Circuit Court of this county at its present session, with a request that they be recorded on the journal of the Court. That they be published in the newspapers of the County. That as a mark of respect to his memory the Lawyers of the County will attend his funeral in a body.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Toledo & Milwaukee and Michigan & Ohio railroads held at Marshall last week, it was decided to merge the two companies in one to be known as the Michigan & Ohio railroad company. It is said that the consolidated lines will soon be in some way amalgamated with the Chicago & West Michigan road—a road that is developing a deal of energy of late.

Our friend Joe Smith has moved into town and has taken a position as salesman with the Tecumseh Lumber Company. We are glad to have Joe as a Tecumseh man, and the Lumber Co., has secured a valuable assistant.

Charles W. Fisk, champion bareback rider of the world joins Burr Robbins' circus next Monday. Mr. Robbins is only to sorry that he is not able to present him to his Tecumseh audience.

E. M. Gray has purchased two of the finest rifles made in this country, and has opened a shooting gallery in Bidwell's warehouse just south of Bidwell's block.

The ladies of Hudson give paper festivals.

—The busiest place in town is the new renovating establishment of David Jones.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros. complete all roll flour.

—If you want a Drill, see the Hoosier Champion and Rooler Grain Drill at Snedicor's.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—The Wilder Plow Sulky and Elwood Sulky Plow, for sale by Snedicor.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain by taking vitalized air.

—Don't forget that Snedicor sells the best plows in Tecumseh. Call and see for yourself and try one.

—Spring Tooth Harrows at Snedicor's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Leave your orders for Sash Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Don't you forget that Snedicor has the Watertown Platform Spring Wagon, the cheapest and the best in town.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.

I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.

WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

THROUGH TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 27, 1883.

GOING NORTH. No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	5 30
5 25	8 40	" Manhattan Jc. "	9 54	5 13
5 33	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	5 04
5 38	9 29	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	4 26
6 14	9 40	" Dundee "	9 00	4 18
6 28	9 54	" Azalia "	8 50	4 05
6 44	10 06	" Milan "	8 34	3 50
6 55	10 19	" Ypsilanti "	8 26	3 38
7 05	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	3 28
7 17	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	3 15
	P. M.			A. M.
9 10	12 30	" Jackson Jc. "	6 10	9 30
A. M.				
1 05	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 37	7 58
2 05	3 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 32	7 10
			P. M.	
7 30	4 30	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	9 30
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 47	12 25	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	3 15
8 00	12 20	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	7 30	3 40
	A. M.		P. M.	
8 35	11 50	" Howell Jct. "	7 22	
	P. M.			2 01
9 40	1 15	" Lansing Lv.	6 10	12 45
				A. M.
11 35	3 00	" Ionia "	4 20	11 00
A. M.				
12 30	5 [illegible]	" Edmore "	2 40	9 30
	6 40	" Big Rapids "	1 00	7 15
12 [illegible]	4 45	" Howard City "	2 55	9 20
			A. M.	
8 55		" Pioneer Ar.	8 30	
[illegible]		" Marquette "	[illegible]	

CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo with railroads diverging. At Alexis with Canada Southern, L. S. & M. S., and F. & P. M. Rys. At Manhattan Junction with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R. At Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S. at Dundee with L. S. & M. S., at Milan with W. St. L. & P. Ry., at Pittsfield with L. S. & M. S.; at Ann Arbor with M. C. R. R.; at South Lyon with D. L. & N. R. R.

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IS WARRANTED to cure all forms of Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, Chill Fever, Remittent Fever, Fever and Ague, Bilious Fever, and Liver Complaint, caused by the malarious poison of marshes, even in the worst form. In some of the worst localities it has proved a remarkable specific. In consequence of its wonderful power to cure the most obstinate and dangerous cases of Intermittent Disease, we offer to the public a medicine which we believe to be the most perfect and powerful febrifuge that the skill of the chemist has been able to produce. Although we do not claim for it the power to cure all diseases incident to the human family, we do claim that there is no case of Intermittent Fever or Ague which it does not cure, if the patient has not been so reduced by other diseases that the vital forces are too feeble to rally under the influence of a febrifuge. Prepared from a long-tried formula, it may be confidently relied upon as a safe and sure remedy. Its extraordinary curative powers have been tested in the most severe and obstinate cases, and in every case the result has been such as to confirm the belief that it is the most reliable remedy for the disease that has been discovered. Its sugar coating renders it pleasant to the most delicate stomach, and it is the cheapest medicine, dose for dose, that can be purchased, as it is the most concentrated. Its effects are permanent, and it leaves the system in a healthy condition. Instead of the prostration and debility which follow the use of most medicines, it restores the patient to vigorous health. Its cures are permanent, and the patient does not relapse into worse health, as is too often the case when other febrifuges are used. Instead of shaking the patient for hours before the chill can be expected, a few doses of this medicine will prevent the chill for weeks, if not permanently. Its action upon the system is such that it may be taken by children or adults with perfect safety, when any febrifuge can be taken. Its action upon the liver is prompt and decisive, and it will cure Bilious Fever and Bilious Remittent Fever, when other febrifuges do not even relieve. Its action upon the bowels is gentle, and it does not cause constipation, as do most febrifuges. Its action upon the secretions is such that it is a most perfect and efficient aperient, and it may be taken by persons of the most delicate organization without fear of any disagreeable effect. Its action upon the skin is such that it cures Chronic Diarrhœa, even when other febrifuges do not even relieve. Its action upon the kidneys is such that it cures Chronic Diseases of the Kidneys, when other febrifuges do not even relieve. Its action upon the system is such that it cures Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Blindness, Neuralgic Headache, Periodic Headache, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Piles, Dropsy, Nervous Debility, Female Complaints, Loss of Appetite, Want of Energy, Want of Sleep, Want of Strength, Want of Vigor, Want of Ambition, Want of Flesh, Want of Color, Want of Life, and Want of Something to Make Them Feel Well. Its action upon the system is such that it cures Scrofula, Scrofulous Humors, Scrofulous Swellings, Scrofulous Sores, Scrofulous Diseases of the Lungs, Scrofulous Diseases of the Liver, Scrofulous Diseases of the Bowels, Scrofulous Diseases of the Joints, Scrofulous Diseases of the Bones, Scrofulous Diseases of the Skin, Scrofulous Diseases of the Glands, Scrofulous Diseases of the Testicles, Scrofulous Diseases of the Ovaries, Scrofulous Diseases of the Uterus, Scrofulous Diseases of the Bladder, Scrofulous Diseases of the Kidneys, Scrofulous Diseases of the Brain, Scrofulous Diseases of the Spine, Scrofulous Diseases of the Heart, Scrofulous Diseases of the Stomach, Scrofulous Diseases of the Nerves, Scrofulous Diseases of the Throat, Scrofulous Diseases of the Nose, Scrofulous Diseases of the Ears, Scrofulous Diseases of the Eyes, Scrofulous Diseases of the Feet, Scrofulous Diseases of the Skin, Scrofulous Diseases of the Bones, Scrofulous Diseases of the Joints

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SINK'S HOTEL, Formerly the Merchants'. W. H. Sink, Proprietor. Recently refitted and refurbished. Corner Chicago and Railroad sts.

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TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS, H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery; also manufacturers of Tiffany Improved Patent Drain Tile Machine, Sword's Brick Machine, etc.

WM. DEMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them, $16,198,835.20. Total premiums received, $20,631,785.16. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, [illegible]. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unequaled by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $18,850,000. Surplus over 100 per cent. Reserve, $3,622,613.61.

A. W. SLAYTON, Undertaker and Embalmer, store on Chicago St.; residence on Pearl st. Night calls will receive prompt attention. Successor to J. Muse of Hearse.

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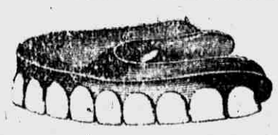

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How Tin Plates are Made.

The London *Iron Exchange* has an interesting history of the manufacture of tin plates from about the year 1600 up to the present time, from which we extract a description of the method now employed in the manufacture of this useful article.

The British have recently visited the Dyferyn Iron and Tin Plate Works at Swansea, situated on the river Tawe, with a view of informing themselves regarding the practical workings of this important industry. The same association met at Swansea 32 years ago, since which time great advances have been made in the processes of manufacture. From the 40 mills now running within a radius of three miles in the Swansea valley, about 20,000 boxes of finished tin plate are turned out weekly, or 1,000,000 boxes annually, which is estimated to be equal to about one-third of the entire export.

But how tin plates are made is information likely to interest most readers:

In the first place, says the writer, we have what is termed bar iron, several feet long, and about 7 inches wide, and from ¼ to ⅜ of an inch in thickness, rolled according to the plates required at so many pounds per foot. It is cut in what may be termed a jack-in-the-box or steam shear, say about 19 pounds to a piece which will eventually be rolled into 16 sheets of 20 inches long by 14 inches wide, 112 of such sheets forming a box, and weighing when tinned nearly 1 cwt.

This piece of iron is first placed in a reverberatory furnace, heated to redness, put through the chilled rolls, and rolled in what is termed thick, five times; reheated and rolled in singles twice; doubled, reheated and rolled three times; doubled, reheated and rolled twice; doubled, reheated and rolled in eighths, twice, until they are stretched out to the required thickness. The length of the bar exceeds by about one inch the width of the sheet to be made, so as to allow for the shearing process, and the bar is therefore rolled with its axis parallel to that of the rolls. Great attention is necessary in the construction and management of the mill furnaces, so that the heating of the bar and sheets for rolling may be effected with the utmost regularity, and without the formation of scale on the surface of the bars or sheets; for when scaling takes place from the draught in the furnaces being too keen or the heat raised too high, the quality of the iron is injured; the scale, if subsequently rolled into the iron, leaves a rough surface on the plates in the after process of separating and pickling. The plates are then sheared, and the rough edges taken off. The iron of 19 pounds to the sheet cuts up into 16 sheets which, being cut in half, leaves 8 sheets in a piece closely wedged. Girls with small iron hatchets open them. They are then termed black-plate. From one ton of bar iron about 16 cwt. of black-plate is made; the loss is termed shearings, and is worked up again in the forge timeries. The plates are next sent to be pickled, i. e., immersed in heated dilute sulphuric acid, known as oil of vitriol.

This process is done by aid of a patent, known as Hutchings' patent pickling machine. The plates are placed in a brass cradle or receptacle, lifted by hydraulic, then dropped down into a round wooden or lead tank containing the acid; the cradle is then made to revolve by means of steam power, to enable the liquid to rush between the sheets, which revolution is retained. They are lifted again by the hydraulic, and dropped into a tub, a little apart from the last, containing water only, the cradle revolving as in last tub, so that the water may rush between the sheets to cleanse or wash away all traces of the acid; when taken up again the plates are clean and bright as silver. They are next subjected to a bright red heat, which lasts from 12 to 24 hours, in closed iron annealing pots in a reverbatory furnace; they are well covered on the top to prevent the plates from being burnt; the heat is kept as high as it can be without softening them to such a degree as to cause them to stick fast together and prevent their separation when cold.

They next pass singly through cold rolls, three, four, or more times, as may be deemed requisite. These rolls are highly polished, and must be set in accurate order to give the plates a perfectly flat set and well-polished surface. Again they are annealed or softened at a lower temperature than the first, as their surfaces would be damaged by being in any degree stuck together. Pickled again as before excepting that the liquid is considerably weaker than previously, placed in cast iron troughs containing clean water renewed by a stream constantly flowing through, they are then taken in hand singly, and scoured if necessary with sand and hempen pads before being delivered to the tinman.

Now comes the last process. The sheets are iron only so far. They next reach the tin house, and are placed in a trough containing clean water, ready for the tinman, as he is termed, who then picks them up and puts them singly in a grease pan containing palm oil, to soak, and after being there for a short time the tinman places the sheets in a large iron pot containing molten tin, with a covering of palm oil. Here it unites with the tin, to which it has a strong affinity. When he has performed his part the plates are handed over to the next man, called a washman, who has a pot containing pure molten tin; after they have soaked in his pot a little, he raises them with a tongs on to the hob as he requires them, brushes the surface on both sides of each sheet, and after dipping them into another pot containing molten tin again, they are sent through rolls which work in a large pot containing palm oil and the speed at which the rolls move regulates the quantity of tin to be put on each sheet. They are afterward raised from the rolls (under which they have been passing) by a youth, called a raiser, handed to two young women, who rub them in bins or boxes containing bran, one after the other, which takes off the grease; another girl, called a duster, gives them a further polish with a skin duster, and takes them to the assorting room, where every plate passes inspection, and, if not up to the mark, is sent back for rectification. After passing through that ordeal they are counted and weighed by young women, made up into boxes according to the different sorts, handed to boxers and packers, who pack them in elm boxes, marked by branding irons as per order, and finally placed in the railway track to be forwarded to their various destinations. It may be a surprise to some to know that a tin plate passes through about thirty hands from the bar to the railway track, but is handled no less than 105 times. Such is a simple account of tin plate making.

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Beecher on Amusements.

All amusements ought to counteract a man's business. If his business is chiefly muscular, his amusements ought to be brain amusements. Men whose occupations are sucking dry their brains day by day should have amusements in just an opposite direction. For instance, how absurd it would be to advise a lawyer for recreation, after working hard all day in court, to play chess, and it would be equally as absurd to say a letter-carrier, who had been walking all day long, should take a walk after supper.

There are many men for whom there is no such amusement provided. Where can a clergyman go to amuse himself? Why, if I were to go out for amusements as many do, the reporters would go for me, and if I were to go to hear the "Pinafore," the fact would be known all over the country the next day.

Now, what provisions for amusements are made for lawyers and schoolmasters and merchants? Almost none. Our civilization makes but little provisions for the various wants of the classes, so far as wholesome amusement is concerned.

Walking is good for a man, provided he has anything to walk for. Next to that is riding, and I don't know but if we could fly this it would be better yet.

Horseback riding is a noble amusement. I think for a man to override a generous horse is brutal. I think for him to undertake him is stupid. And let me say that it is a great comfort to me when I open the Book of Revelations and read that there are horses in heaven. Well, if horses and dogs don't have any hereafter I don't know what will become of their owners.

Workingmen are entitled to amusements. They should be provided with concerts and reading rooms and amusements which would send them back to their daily work stronger in every respect. Any place with five thousand inhabitants that has not a reading room is not loyal to the true interests of the working people.

There are some amusements that are good for some men that would be bad for others. In every instance, even in his amusements, a man should cultivate the moral quality, for a man who should gain everything and lose his manhood, comes to be, in fact, nothing. It is the duty of every man to make his home the centre of amusement for his family.

When I was in Germany I went to a great garden. There I saw family after family—old and young—sitting under trees and listening to the music. They were drinking lager beer, which I think—yes, I think they could have left that out. But when I came home and saw fathers going to Washington and other places of amusement—leaving their families for a week at a time—I said I would rather have the German with his lager than the amusement-seeking American with his separation from his family.

I think that the churches and industrial clubs or guilds should see to it that the people are provided with the proper amusements.

Old Songs vs. New.

What has become of the excellent song writers of yore? Or, rather, since they are all "dead and turned to clay," as the poet expresses it, why has not the present generation furnished some equally as good? The songs originated now-a-days, as a general thing, are trash in comparison with those of ten, fifteen or twenty-five years ago. You doubt the assertion? Cite to me, if you please, a song written within the last ten years that will compare in pathos, purity and genuine good sentiment, with the one commencing:

"Be kind to thy father, for now he is old,
His locks intermingled with gray,
Has toiled years now feeble, once fearless and bold
Thy father is passing away."

Each verse, in honor respectively of father, mother, sister and brother, is replete with exalted sentiment, expressed in choice, but simple words, and I defy anybody who has ever enjoyed the blessings of kind parents, affectionate brothers or sisters, and the endearments of a pleasant home, to listen to the song unmoved, if given with expression and feeling. It is a fit companion for "Home, Sweet Home,"—even superior, in my opinion. Then there are "The Old Oaken Bucket," Wordsworth's gem, which deserves a better setting than the tune to which it is sung; "The Old Arm Chair" "The Queen of the May," "The Irish Emigrant's Lament," "Good News from Home," and a score of others, all affecting and elevating in tone and sentiment, and all of which have done as much good as so many oft-repeated sermons—perhaps more.

The War of the Rebellion called into existence some very good battle songs and others pertaining to camp life and experience, but since then there have been none written that have had, or will have, more than an ephemeral existence; and many of the so-called popular songs of the day are positively silly. Having a brief run at concert saloons and variety theatres, they gain their way for a short time to the parlors of the people, and then give way to some new thing equally absurd. Has the musical taste of the American public deteriorated within the last decade? It would seem so, and here is a good field for the song-missionary. Who will be the coming man—or woman—to stir the better part of our natures with new ballads worthy of being ranked alongside of those I have mentioned, in word and sentiment, and who the talented musician to give them a setting of notes, rests, etc., that will produce melody equal to "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming," "The Mariner's Song," and others which were justly favorites "When you and I were young, Maggie"—in "Auld Lang Syne."—*H. E. Rounds.*

A Spoiled Sermon.

A Yarmouth (Me.) preacher while illustrating the need and efficacy of prayer, drew an illustration from his own experience. He was out on a lake in a boat, when by mischance he lost both oars. The wind was rising, night was coming on, and he was in imminent danger of being swamped and finding a watery grave. What could he do? Evidently nothing for himself, so he knelt down and prayed long and fervently for deliverance. He placed himself in the hands of the Lord, and so was saved. So he passed from one thing to another, and at last the sermon was finished. He raised his hands to pronounce the benediction. The audience, good with bowed heads waiting for the gracious words, when old Captain Sweetser, of North Yarmouth, a rugged old sea-dog, cried out: "Say, Mr. Preacher, I want you to tell me how you got ashore?" The audience was still no more, but broke into a roar, and it was fully five minutes before the minister could explain that a man saw him from the shore and put out in another boat and took him off. But the effect for good of one sermon was spoiled.

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Gentlemen—Having been afflicted for a number of years with indigestion and general debility, by the advice of my doctor I used Hop Bitters, and must say they afforded me almost instant relief. I am glad to be able to testify in their behalf. Thos. G. Knox.

ESTATE OF JAMES McKINNEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Lenawee—ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 3d day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James McKinney, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James Kinney and John Foy, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they have paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, so far as are ascertained, and praying for the allowance of their final account as such executors.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A true copy.)
A. H. Briggs Probate Register. sept6

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Sept. 17, 1883.

LEW S. CAMBURN,
MILAN SAGE,
sept13 Commissioners.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

William Hayden, Complainant,
vs.
Daniel O'Connor, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 24th day of September 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Frean's opera house in the city of Adrian in said county, (that being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight, (138) one hundred and thirty-nine (139) and two hundred and ninety-five (295) and two hundred and ninety-six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.

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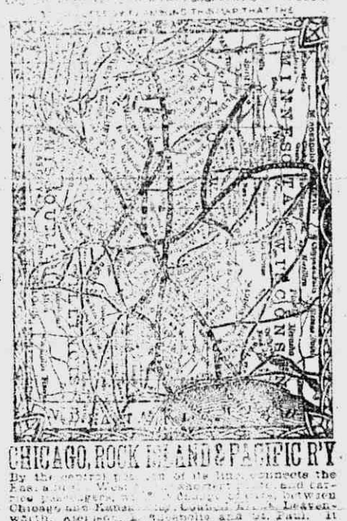

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CULLINGS.

Expected that the meat market will soon change hands.

P. C. Smith is doing a lively livery business these days.

Peter Mahon, a moulder in Dave. Woodward's foundry, was moulded over into a married man last Monday.

Sand Lake was well represented in Justice Brown's office Monday. Son vs. Father in assumpsit.

Only thirteen loads of wheat delivered here last week Thursday, ag'st one hundred and eleven the same day in Saline. Note this fact whoever says we have a wheat buyer here.

Miss Fullerton has taken the matter in hand and set about the work earnestly to see what can be done in reference to a lecture course here this winter. We sincerely hope that her efforts may prove effectual in getting the requisite amount pledged, and thereby secure the course of lectures.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Wheat all sown; cutting corn the main occupation.

J. B. Stephenson has purchased a house and lot in the village of Brooklyn, of A. M. Keeny, and moved to his new home on Tuesday last.

Frank Groger has returned from Dakota, and does not speak in a very flattering style of the territory.

Wm. Mullen started Wednesday for southern Illinois and will remain there during the winter.

Springville is expected to be quite well represented at Chicago next week.

Railroaders have secured their pay, settled all up and deserted us. A happy desertion.

Fred Groger has moved to the mill and Frank Avery will, we understand, soon move into the house recently vacated by J. B. Stephenson, so any one has to be knocking at the doors constantly in order to know who is the inhabitant.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

B. Kelley has his new house ready for occupancy.

Mr. Sheldon Wilson and wife are visiting H. E. Wilson.

A new house is being enclosed by John Soper.

Quite a sensation at Holloway—a gas well. Last week as Dr. Begel was boring for a well he struck a gas vein which in escaping threw gravel and stones over 20 feet high. He proposes to pipe it and light his house with it, as it is a good illuminating gas.

Geo. Hoxsie is boring for a well to furnish his foundry boiler with water.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

Iron is being laid in Franklin on the M. & O. railroad.

Mrs. Sarah Miller, of Lake Ridge, is visiting at Willis Smith's this week.

B. J. Slater, formerly a student on the C. T. line, has completed his studies at Toledo telegraph school.

E. G. Cook has bought the farm of J. H. Gaskill, of New Jersey, situated in Clinton.

Mr. Hillman and sister, of Livingston county, N. Y., have been visiting at R. W. Hillman's, Clinton, the past week.

Joseph Brooks, of Alpena, is in this vicinity buying stock to ship to that city.

Henry Wilson met with a bad misfortune in loosing his celebrated stock buck "Millionaire" last week.

W. B. Keyser is in attendance at the county fair acting as one of the Superintendents of the "Merchants' Display" department.

R. W. Hillman, of Clinton, is preparing to move to Ionia county next week.

Dr. Conklin was called by wire to attend Martin Whelan, in Franklin, late Monday night, also Dr. Jones to attend a child of Clarence Cook on Tuesday evening.

ILLUMINATION AT HOLLOWAY.

Dr. Begel's Gas Well—Everybody Happy in the Little Town.

Last Friday morning bright and early, Dr. C. E. Begel, of Holloway, prepared with tools and workmen to dig a 'brand new' well, that water might be obtained, that his good wife might freshly fill up the teakettle, etc. But the Doctor was doomed to disappointment. They dug down 14 feet, drilled 19 feet and struck not only water but a vein of good burning gas. At this time a two inch jet is burning showing a blaze for miles around, and the Doctor thinks sufficient gas can be obtained from the well to supply the village of Holloway, and more if necessary. What will happen to Holloway next?

The new species of potato bug, it is said, goes into the hill and then crawls up the inside of the stalk and kills it.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Diptheria at Utica.

Tekonsha has 465 school children.

Fenton Seminary has 40 students.

East Saginaw is to have a city mission.

The Vassar woolen mills are taking high rank.

A movement is on foot to have Milan incorporated.

Mumps have the right of way in Buchanan at present.

Schoolcraft fair and races, Oct. 10th to 12th inclusive.

The East Saginaw unitarians are to build them a church.

Bay City is now connected with over 40 towns and cities by telephone.

The value of land in Fraser township, Bay county, has increased 50 per cent.

St. Clair is endeavoring to raise $10,000 to secure the return of the county seat.

The Wilson Creamery Company of Flint, has been reorganized, with a capital stock of $20,000.

A 226-pound bear has been killed near Flint, so that they are not quite out of the woods yet.

One Tekonsha clergyman claims to have preached over 50 funeral sermons within the past two years.

Cadillac is trying to raise the necessary money to build a county jail there.

Lumber operations will be done on a smaller scale than usual in Ogemaw county this season.

George Gibbs, a man 60 years old, is a tuition scholar in the Sturgis school. Never too old to learn.

Benton Harbor offers to give a bonus of $2,000 to any one who will locate a chair factory at that place.

Thousands of bushels of potatoes come into Sturgis daily and are sold at 30 cents per bushel, and finer potatoes never grew.

Michigan papers are advocating the use of English sparrows for food. Just watch the little cusses and see what they eat.

John Delaney, of Roscommon, adds another to the list of injured brakemen. He had his leg crushed last week.

Jacob M. Bowlby, of Ovid, has purchased the Ypsilantian, and proposes to make no changes in the opinion of the paper.

A floater was found at Bay City near Stone Island, last week. He had first cut his throat, and then jumped into the water.

Clarendon township, with only 100 inhabitants is trying to secure a town library. A new M. E. church is nearing completion.

The required amount, $2,000, has been raised in Milan to build a new Baptist church, and the contract has been let to Stephen W. Andrews.

A gang of wandering Arabs, reporting to have come from Jerusalem, were in Sturgis begging, last week.—They were dressed in their native costumes.

East Tawas is agitated over the marriage of a 12-year old girl to a married man. A justice of the peace did the work, but claims that the parties lied.

The Baptist Committee on the state of religion in the Michigan Association, reports progress in cities and towns, but inactivity in some country places.

The apple crop prospect in Tekonsha and vicinity grows more encouraging as the season advances, and fruit growers anticipate a crop equal to last year.

Peter Ronan's house and the Riverside Bottling Works were destroyed by lightning at Monroe, last week.—Loss, $4,500; insurance, $800. Mr. and Mrs. Ronan had a narrow escape.

The barn of John Leidy, of Leonidas township, St. Joseph county, together with a horse, harnesses, and 60 tons of hay, was destroyed by lightning last week. Loss, $2,000; only partially insured.

Spencer C. Drake has been elected Deputy Warden, vice Hinckley, resigned, at the Jackson prison. He has worked his way upward from a guard, and has been connected with the institution four years.

Manistee in an area about as large as Kalamazoo, including several little suburban lumber towns with distinct names, has 12,000 to 13,000 inhabitants. It is the wealthiest town of its size in Michigan, and most of the wealth is in the Congregational denomination. The richest Congregational church in Michigan is the First Church of Manistee.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24, 1883.

The reduction in price from four to two cents which the Times inaugurated last Tuesday, came like a bomb shell into the newspaper world, and when on the following day the Tribune followed suit, and reduced its price from four to three cents everybody was amazed. "That means some off thy perch all you high priced papers," said the manager of another journal to me, when I asked him what effect this reduction would have. "The proprietors of the World claim that they are to be thanked for this revolution, but as the World was sold for two cents before the present management took hold of it, I do not see how they can find any feathers to plume themselves with. The direct cause is the cheapness of paper and the fierce business competition. So far as the Times is concerned, I think the step is suicidal. The Times is heavy, literary and erudite, and in politics fiercely Republican. As such it cannot very well appeal to a large, miscellaneous body of readers, and those that take it would just as soon pay four as two cents for it. The paper which they give is too big, the matter is too expensive to be sold profitably at such a figure. As regards the Tribune, their reduction came too late and was made so grudgingly that its effect was lost. In all such revolutions, whatever is worth doing, is worth doing quickly and decisively." "And what will be the upshot of this?" I asked. "The Evening Post and Commercial Advertiser will have to follow suit by reducing their prices from three to two cents. Cyrus W. Fields will then have to reduce the price of his paper, the Mail and Express to one cent to keep up with the procession. It strikes me that something of this kind will be done before the fall season fairly sets in."

"And where does James Gordon Bennett with his Herald and Telegram come in?" I asked. "One never knows what Bennett will do, but I know that years ago it was his ambition to put the Herald in the same category with the great London penny papers. Now, if the Herald should do anything of this kind, that would hurt the other papers, for even if it should lose at first, Bennett makes money enough to lose half a million a year for ten years in order to crowd out others. So far as the Telegram is concerned, it is only a question of a very short time when it will sell for two cents, and to tell you the truth, it is worth no more. Then the penny News will feel the effect.

The charges against Park Policeman McKay, which ended in his peremptory dismissal from the force, have developed a queer state of affairs at Central Park. The regulations require all visitors to leave by ten o'clock. This is a harsh regulation, for during the summer months thousands of poor people might obtain within its confines the recreation which they cannot obtain in crowded tenements. Of course respectable people obey the rule while shady customers do not regard it. Now the policeman steps in, and as long as the itchings of the palm of his hand are satisfied he does not mind what goes on. Residents in the vicinity of the Park say that almost every night orgies are carried on within its precincts which are shameful; that its beautiful grounds afford a rendezvous for disreputable persons of both sexes, and that the policemen demand and obtain a regular fixed tariff to allow the thing to go on. Quite naturally they became to regard everybody whom they find in the park after a certain hour as being what is technically known as "disorderly characters," and that is how this system of blackmail leaked out. A gentleman who was on his way home, with his wife took a short cut through the park. Policeman McKay arrested him, and then through friends intimated that the matter could be fixed for money. The charges were made, proven, not defended and thus the public at large is made acquainted with another way guardians of the peace have of enlarging their incomes. Said a well known lawyer to me the other day "It is wonderful how the present police system spoils men. I do not look at most of the ruffians who manage to get their appointments through political influence. But take the best of men, the nicest of fellows and put him among the associates he meets with on the Metropolitan Police force and he will be as bad as they are, cruel, heartless and ready to make a dollar whenever he can."

The fashionable world has been busy with fall openings this week. At most of the stores the display is larger than ever, and the sales are unusually heavy.

THE CHILDREN.

"I'm tired of this ceaseless worry"—thus the weary mother said;
"I rise up betimes in the morning, and I'm always the last to bed;
Yet my labors are never ended, and the children's frolic and strife
Seem sometimes to drive me crazy, and I'm tired of this wretched life."

I grieved for the weary mother, for her face was worn and wan,
And a rosy bride I'd seen her but scarce five summers gone;
But, when I looked at the children—so happy, so healthful and gay—
I spoke not a word of pity, but turned with a sob away.

For I minded how once my dwelling, now orderly, still and lone,
Re-echoed my children's voices, and the pattering of their feet,
As they scampered through hall and parlor, and in and out at the doors,
While dollies nestled my sofas, and picture-books strewed my floors.

And I thought the day they sickened, and their voices grew sad and weak,
As the fatal fever heightened, and wasted the burning cheek,
Till over the pale, pinched features, so changed from their winsome grace,
Crept the look—Oh, so hard to witness! of woe on a baby's face.

O God! thou doest all things wisely, and I question not thy decree
Perchance I had else forgotten that my treasures were lent to me.
But, ah! the benumbing anguish to list for the falling breath,
As the dear form chills and stiffens in the cold and chasm of death!

To-day through my lonely dwelling, so quiet, precise and neat,
Where the echoes are sadly silent, I wander with restless feet.
I find not the old confusion which once did sorely annoy
But I moan midst the drear precision for the sight of a broken toy!

Oh courage! ye weary mothers whose labors seem never o'er,
Ah! vapid and vain your being should your little ones need no more!
My children are gone forever; but all that a mortal might strive
Were bliss—but to me—could I clasp them safe, safe in my arms, alive!

—*M. A. Harmon.*

The "Rahzer."

ITS BEAUTIES IN THE HANDS OF THE AMERICANIZED AFRICAN.

A brawny man set out with a sledge-hammer fist is good enough weapon for a typical beef-eater of Britannia; a shillalah is the desideratum of a son of Erin, a poniard fits the belt of a swarthy Spaniard, the Italian is rarely found without his stiletto, the Turk without his cimeter, the American ruffian without a revolver, and the American Indian without his tomahawk, and the double-edged machette always swings in easy reach of the right hand of a greasy Mexican. Our kettle-colored race, the race most conspicuous in all southern and semi-southern climes, exhibit an originality, however, in the choice of a weapon. The negro chooses the razor, or, to borrow from his vernacular, the "rahzer." Because the farmer is handy with his scythe, we never heard of his turning the awkward instrument upon an antagonist, the carpenter does not arm himself for battle with a hand-saw, no more does the mason with his trowel. It would seem that their implements of industry could be converted into weapons of war with the same propriety that the indispensable of the tonsorial "profession" is converted. It is questionable, however, that an equal facility in wielding them could ever be acquired. The Americanized African takes up the "rahzer" as naturally and with the same ease as a baby takes in his primitive and foreordained rations. In the right hand of a negro the razor becomes one of the most formidable of weapons. He opens and swings the blade of the instrument until its back almost touches the back of the handle; clutches the handle near its junction with the blade with his index and middle fingers, then encircles with his other two fingers the handle and that part of the steel between the razor rivet and the keen edged blade; anchors his grasp with his thumb, and then with a chopping machine assails his enemy. At a single flourish a nose or an ear is secured, a ghastly seam is made in the face from the forehead to the chin, or by a dexterous twist a throat is "chopped" open from ear to ear. With his horrible weapon once adjusted, the wielder inspires terror, as do the bristling bayonets of a charging army, and with few exceptions the one who first adjusts may be said to "have the drop" on his foe. So general has become the use of the razor among the descendants of Ham that it is considered the weapon of the race. Its adoption obtains not only among the men, but among the colored women and children. "Close the doors of any of the churches in this city," said a prominent native of Cincinnati a few days since, a native who had investigated the subject, "close the doors and examine the pockets of every man, woman and child in the audience, and believe me, sir, on the person of seven out of every ten you examine you will find concealed a razor." The blood of any of them, if only tinged with the African, when once up, suggests this ill-shaped instrument. The black, the mulatto and the octoroon all have the same instinct. If worsted in a rough-and-tumble fight they are apt to be found, slipping to their breast or hip pockets and then woe to the too confident adversary! The wounds of the bullet and bowie are awful; the wounds of the "rahzer" are nasty, sickening to the surgeon and equally fatal. Of all concealed weapons none deserve to be more severely tabooed than the "rahzer."—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

Home.

After all, when one comes to think of it, there are not many homes. There are, of course, innumerable places which go by the name of homes, called so for a want of better designation, or because everybody calls the place where he eats and sleeps home, but when you come down to real sober fact, homes are comparatively scarce.

A home is the refuge place from the storm, the fret and worry of life. It is a place where the husband comes home to a sanctuary, where smiles and loving words answer his smiles and greeting. It is a place where the wife reigns in her benignity and grace; no, it may be, the grace of outward beauty, or cultivation, but of true womanhood, where she receives honor and love even as she gave them both. It is a place, or should be a place, where children are happier than anywhere else in the world, because there are the choicest words, the brightest looks and the kindest acts. Such are not the majority of homes as we find them.

How does it happen that when you see a real home, a light, pleasant spot where everyone seems to be happy, where if husband and wife have misunderstandings, no one seems to know it, where laughter and smiles are perpetual guests, why does it strike one as peculiar and noticeable? Simply because there are so few of them.

Scientific Economy.

To purify muddy water: Agitate each quart of water with an ounce of phosphate of lime, and allow it to settle. This requires only a few minutes, and it will be found that most of the impurities are carried down to the bottom. The supernatant water is now filtered without any trouble through absorbent cotton. Ordinary cotton will answer as well, if previously moistened with alcohol and then washed with water. Of course, either of them must be pressed tightly into the neck of a funnel. By this means perfectly clear water can be obtained in about five minutes.

Some of the ways of distinguishing amber from copal are thus given in *La Nature*: "Copal is yellow, of a more or less deep tint, but uniform throughout, and has yellow points like sulphur on its surface. Amber in a fragment of 12 centimetres in length will show a variation of shade. Amber when rubbed will yield a strong aromatic odor; imitations will not. Amber may be bent after being smeared with tallow and heated; the imitations will not bend. Amber may be cut, sawed, rasped or polished, but cannot be cemented or soldered like copal. The density of amber is 1.09 to 1.11, that of copal is 1.04.

Mercadier has described a new and economical method of producing intermittent luminous signals by burning petroleum with oxygen. He has a lamp with a round wick, within which is a tube rising not quite up to the level of the top of the wick. This tube reaches a reservoir of oxygen; when the lamp is lighted and a properly adjusted jet of oxygen is permitted to reach it, it gives out a white flame the intensity of which approaches that of the hydrogen light. When the lamp is burned without oxygen it gives a smoky flame of little brilliancy, which will, however, rapidly increase in intensity, and soon reach a maximum when the oxygen is turned on.

Dr. Robert Munroe, in the Glasgow *Medical Journal*, reports a series of cases of phthisis and chronic bronchitis in which very decided and favorable results followed frequent inhalations of vapor of boiling water containing carbolic acid. Cases of fibrous phthisis and chronic bronchitis in which there was excessive expectoration were especially benefited thereby. An inhaler, though convenient, is not essential, a pitcher or jug holding, boiling water being all that is needed, and care must be taken to use it several times in the day and to inhale completely the rising vapor—not merely drawing it into the mouth. The editor of *New Remedies* states that he has had an experience with a similar use of the remedy, which enables him to indorse what Dr. Munroe says of its efficacy.

The Energetic Period.

The old suffer to-day. Not only is there in many communities a decline of respect for old age, a dislike of the slight self-sacrifice involved in patience with weakness and slowness, and deafness, and feebleness generally, but the old are placed at an unavoidable disadvantage. They lose more by abiding in the chimney corner, more enjoyment, more vivid society, more of the excitement derivable from change. Time was when we all lived, so to speak, in the chimney corner, and now it is only the old. No one now resides within bowshot of his birthplace. The old see the change more or less, and suffer; and if science does, as is alleged, give them a compensation in improved health and serenity, even if it be in part unconscious, science does work good. We fancy it does it in some degree—though science has accomplished so little, either for the deaf or bear-eyed—for it has done much for the rheumatic, much for the feeble digestions, and much, very much, for that tendency to a kind of ague which half a century since was so nearly a universal misfortune among the old; but the facts are not very clear. The invigoration of the old relieves most the sum of human suffering, but for the benefit of the world at large it is, we suspect, in mature age that more health and longer time are required. There is plenty of youthful energy in the world. Men are dashing over earth as they never did before, and for every enterprise, whether of danger or profit, volunteers are only too many—as many almost as conscripts. It is wisdom, not energy, that the supply fails, and it is from the better health of the experienced, which would imply energy longer continued into the time when experience ripens, that the world has most to hope. If the period of life between 45 and 60 could be stretched ten years the world would gain indefinitely, for its guides, the statesmen and the thinkers, would have time to utilize their knowledge in active effort. As it is, after 60 all but a select few die of despair or recede, and the helm passes away to new hands, controlled by minds which just as they become rich lose their energy or their hope, and the half of experience is wasted, while the remainder is applied under a feeling of all others most fatal to good work—that there is no time remaining. If science could but make 70 instead of 60 the end of the energetic period, it would accomplish far more for mankind than it ever will do by doubling their numbers, or increasing the rate of growth, as it would be increased, for example, if the mortality of children under 5 could be reduced one-half.

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Wooden Pegs.

HOW THEY ARE MADE—A VISIT TO A FACTORY IN VERMONT.

It was the privilege of the writer to visit the picturesque little town of Arlington, Vt., which at the time boasted a population of 2,500, three churches, five stores, two hotels, an extensive car works, sash and blind, and chair factory; also a "peg factory," which, by the courtesy of the foreman, Mr. L. E. White, (who has been employed there twenty-nine years,) he was shown through, and received valuable information. The timber used is black and yellow birch, which is cut into pieces four feet in length, varying in diameter from eight to fourteen inches. These logs are placed in a building in winter, and the frost extracted by steam. They are then run in on a tram railway to the circular saw department, and cut into slices or blanks of the thickness desired for the length of the pegs. These are sorted and the knots cut out, and are then passed on to a long bench which contains six machines composed of fluted rollers. The blocks are then run between these rollers, which crease both sides. They are then run through again to cross-crease, or mark out the size of the pegs. Then they go to the splitting machines, which are set with double knives, and cut the blocks into pegs. As they pass the last machine they are sorted, and all knots and discolored ones are removed as they are brushed off into large baskets. These machines are under the care of young women, who appeared much more happy and useful than do many of those who, thumping at their piano, would consider such employment menial. The next process is bleaching, which is accomplished by the fumes of brimstone, which is unhealthy (those who labor here shorten their lives.) They are then placed in large cylinders, which hold eleven barrels, and have 600 steam-pipes running through them, and revolve one and one-half times to the minute, drying two charges per day to each cylinder. They are then passed in large wooden casks or cylinders, which, revolving rapidly, polish them by the friction, the refuse falling through wire sieves or screen openings, after which they are again passed into a sifter, which separates all the single pegs and drops them into tubs, or boxes, leaving those which have not been separated in the machine. They are then put in barrels ready for market. The factory running on full time turns out 150 bushels, or fifty barrels per day. The sizes go from eight up to sixteen to an inch. The lengths go by eighths, two and one-half to twelve. Twenty-six hands are employed, half of them being women. The products of this mill are mostly shipped to Germany and France, and enter largely into the manufacture of toys and fancy goods as well as into the shoe manufactory. Thus the "genii of mechanism" converts, as by magic, the trees from the Vermont mountains into articles of use, which, floating off through the channels of commerce to far away countries, anon return to sparkle the eyes of happy children in toys in which these pegs have become important factors.—*New York Mail.*

The Ideal Oatmeal Porridge.

Clean, aromatic, coarse dry meal must be got from some shop where they know what is good in the way of oatmeal. The meal must be stored as carefully as tea in a covered dry jar, so that neither must, mice or beetles can defile it. The saucepan must be the pink of cleanliness, and must not have been used for anything other than milk and breadstuffs. Saucepans in which potatoes, greens or meats have been cooked are never pure enough for milk and breadstuffs. With such materials the making of delicious porridge is easy, but without them it is impossible. Bearing in mind the principles on which breadstuffs and milk are to be combined in food, we perceive that the meal must be cooked in water. Therefore, having clean boiling water in the saucepan, we take a small teacupful of meal (two or three ounces, for each pint of water in the saucepan. Draw the saucepan of boiling water off the fire and then sift in the meal through the fingers. The meal must be sifted into the water so as to be evenly spread over the surface, and to sink free from lumps. Then push the saucepan fully on the fire and boil briskly for a minute or two, so as to thoroughly mix the meal up with the water before it begins to thicken. Next boil slowly for three or four quarters of an hour, according to the coarseness of the meal. Care must be taken that the porridge is just kept on the move, and it must be stirred, if necessary, so as not to burn, and not get lumpy. Smoke and soot must be carefully kept from contaminating it. The porridge is now cooked so far that all the starchy granules are fully burst, and the meal is properly disintegrated. Now, pour out the porridge like a thin custard into a vegetable dish, and leave it to cool uncovered. If successful, the porridge on cooling will set or gelatinize; a brownish skin forms over the surface, and as this contracts the porridge separates all round from the dish at its edge. It becomes a soft, tremulous jelly, perfectly cooked sweet in flavor, uniform in consistence and free from contamination by dirty saucepans, by burning or by the defilement of soot or smoke. It should be eaten at the end of breakfast with cold milk, and it makes a most excellent supper.

A saucerful of such porridge put into a soup plate and a half pint mug of good rich new milk is, indeed, a lunch or a supper, or a finish to breakfast, fit for a king. It is a food on which any man can do anything of which he is capable in the way of labor, mental or physical. For growing children, and youths who are stunted in height or unsound in structure, this is exactly the food that is wanted. It is like brick and mortar for the growing frame of infants, school children and overgrown youths. For nursing mothers it is equally valuable, supplying them with the earthy phosphates and other materials out of which good milk is made, without drawing upon the mother's own structure, as is often exemplified by the rapid softening and decay of teeth in women who nurse their children largely upon meat and upon beer.—*English Mechanic.*

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Early Sugar-Making in New Orleans.

George W. Cable continues his series of illustrated historical papers in The Century, with an entertaining description of "The End of Foreign Dominion in Louisiana," which includes the following account of the first success there in sugar making:

In 1791 the blacks of St. Domingo rose in rebellion. Refugees flew in every direction. A few found their way to Louisiana. They had been prosperous sugar makers, and presently the efforts that had ceased for twenty-five years came again to life. Two Spaniards, Mendez and Solis, in that year erected on the confines of New Orleans, the one a distillery and the other a battery of sugar kettles, and manufactured rum and syrup.

But the Creoles, every year less able than the year before to make rash experiments, struggled against the misfortunes that multiplied around the cultivation of indigo, until 1794 found them without hope.

At this juncture appeared Etienne de Bore. He was a man of fifty-four, a Creole of the Illinois district, but of a distinguished Norman family; he had lived in France from the age of four to thirty-two, had served with the king's mousquetaires, had married a lady whose estate was in Louisiana near New Orleans, and had returned with her to the province, and had become an indigo planter. The year 1794 found him face to face with ruin. His father-in-law, Destrehan, had in former years been one of the last to abandon sugar culture. His wife and friends warned him against the resolution he was taking; but he persisted in his determination to abandon indigo, and risk all that was left to him on the chance of a success which, if achieved, would insure deliverance and fortune to himself and the community. He bought a quantity of canes from Mendez and Solis, planted on the land where the seventh district (late Carrollton) now stands, and while his crop was growing erected a mill, and prepared himself for the momentous season of "grinding."

His fellow planters looked on with the liveliest—not always with the most hopeful—interest; and at length they gathered about him to see the issue of the experiment in which only he could be more deeply concerned than they. In the whole picturesque history of the Louisiana Creoles few scenes offer so striking a subject for a painter as that afforded in this episode. The dark sugar-house; the battery of huge caldrons, with their yellow juice boiling like a sea, half-hidden in clouds of steam; the half-clad, shining negroes swinging the gigantic utensils with which the seething food is dipped from kettle to kettle; here, grouped at the end of the battery, the Creole planters with anxious faces drawing around their central figure as closely as they can; and in the midst the old mousquetaire, dipping, from time to time, the thickening juice, repeating again and again his simple tests, until, in the moment of final trial, there is a look of suspense, and instantly after it the hands are dropped, heads are raised, the brow is wiped, and there is a long breath of relief—"it granulates."

The people were electrified. Etienne de Bore marketed $12,000 worth of superior sugar. The absence of interdictions that had stifled earlier trade enabled him to sell his product to advantage. The agriculture of the Delta was revolutionized; and, seven years afterwards, New Orleans was the market for 200,000 gallons of rum, 250,000 gallons of molasses, and 5,000,000 pounds of sugar. The town contained some twelve distilleries—probably not a subject for unmixed congratulation—and a sugar refinery which produced about 200,000 pounds of loaf sugar; while on the other hand the production of indigo had declined to a total of 3,000 pounds, and soon after ceased.

Bootblacks.

Youth's Companion.

A small boy is often robbed of his box and brushes," said the superintendent, "and when we know or believe him to be honest and industrious, we start him afresh. But some of them sell their kit to go to the theatre, or to see Jumbo, or anything else that's going, and then they'll try to beg money for a new kit. If you are ever asked again, tell the boy to bring you a note from me; if he deserves it, he'll get it."

"How many of those who began as newsboys or bootblacks have succeeded in life?"

"Hundreds! Why, the other day, a man stopped me in the street and asked me if I recollected him. Of course I didn't, but he soon recalled himself to my mind. He had been under my care, and he told me that he was now owner of a factory in Newark, employing two bookkeepers and sixty workmen.

"Another man visited me lately who had been picked up, wandering about the Bowery, and had been brought to the lodging house. His parents were dead. He is now proprietor and editor of a paper in Warsaw, Indiana.

"There are aldermen in this city who began life under our care, but some of them are ashamed to have it known. They ought to be proud of it.

"Many of the little bootblacks work for the big ones, who sit majestically on stoops, or in doorways, looking on; and the big boy feeds the little one, giving him 6 cents for his lodging, and pockets the rest of the day's earnings. It's a wonderful how faithful the little ones are, too. I suppose they're afraid of getting thrashed."

The Blind Man and the Color of Milk.

Chinese Tales.

There was once a man who had been blind from his birth. Naturally enough he did not know what the color of milk was, so he asked another man: "What is the color of milk?"

"The color of milk," said the other man, "is white, like a cowris shell."

"Well," said the blind man, "has this color of milk the sound of a cowris shell?"

"Not at all," said the other man.

"Then what does a cowris look like?"

"Like rice."

"Is the color of milk soft and tender, like rice? And what is rice like, anyhow?"

"Like snow."

"Is rice cold, like snow? And what is snow like, anyhow?"

"Snow is white, like a stork."

Now, although the man that had been blind from his birth heard all these comparisons, he could never tell what the real color of milk was.

The Coronation of the Czar.

Chicago Times.

A London cable says that the preparations at Moscow for the coronation of the czar are proceeding upon a fabulous scale of magnificence: "Eleven miles of tables are being constructed for the banquet on the plain, and eighty-five circular counters for the distribution to the moujiks of 900,000 pies. Rubinstein is to write a march and direct an orchestra of one thousand musicians and eight hundred choristers. Sixteen enormous vats, to hold free beer, are being built in the public places, and an English company is covering the Kremlin with electric lights." The nihilists will incur the undying hatred of the free-lunch fiends if they do anything to interfere with this liberal programme.

The Irony of Fate.

"What are you going to do after you leave college?" asked the friend of a senior, whose day of graduation was at hand. "Well," replied the senior, "I don't quite know as yet, but I think I shall take orders." This was two years ago; and now, as the quondam senior rides about in a cart as a retail grocer's third assistant deputy, and notes in a book the wants of customers, and then comes around again later in the day and delivers them, he smiles grimly as he thinks that the irony of fate is occasionally expressed in puns.

Josh Billings is Right.

A reputation once broken may possibly be repaired, but, as Josh Billings remarks, "the world will always keep its eyes on the spot where the krack was."

A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882.

"*Gentlemen:* My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

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has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.

Yours truly, W. M. PHILLIPS."

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(*Continued from last week.*)

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CIVIL-SERVICE REFORM

Mental Panic Among the Letter Carriers.

Trying to Bridge the Gulf Between Mathematics and Mail Delivery

Peck's Sun.

One of the city papers published a list of questions that are to be propounded to applicants, a few days ago, and the reading of the questions has struck terror to the hearts of some of the letter carriers. Half a dozen of them were seated at a round table at the rooms of the Young Men's Benevolent Two-for-Bye-cents association, a few evenings since, entertaining one of The Sun's angels, unawares, when the matter of civil-service reform came up. One of the letter carriers who has been on the force for ten years, and never missed a letter, said:

"Listen to this boys: 'The ownership of a vessel was divided as follows: A owned 3-32, B 7-8 as much as A, C 4 times as much as B, D 1-6 as much as C, and E all the rest. What was the share of each?' Now that is one of the questions we have got to answer before we can be accepted as letter carriers. By jingo, I don't know any more about a vessel than a Hindoo. I might take a slate and pencil and figure until Cheyenne froze over, and I couldn't tell how much was the share of each one of those vessel owners. My idea would be for the owners to play a game of seven-up to see who had the whole craft. A school boy that is studying vulgar fractions might figure it out and beat me out of my position, but what would he know about delivering letters directed in the Norwegian language, with pale ink. You can't fool me on any letter that belongs in my district. I can find every man, woman and child, and when they move out of the district I know where they go, and they get their letters before they get the carpets down, but that dividing a schooner up into sixteenths is ahead of my time. Well, if they put a vessel sharp into my place I can take in washing."

"Here, boys, take off your hats, and snug up close together," said a letter carrier, the elbow of whose gray pants had been torn out by a west side dog as he was coming out of a yard, "while I read you this conundrum: 'A goldsmith melts together 12 ounces of gold 22 karats fine, 90 ounces 20 karats fine, and 24 ounces 14 karats fine. He sold it at the rate of $16 per ounce of pure gold (24 karats fine). What was its fineness, and what was the amount received?' There's one that will make you sick. What has a letter carrier to do with melting gold and mixing it up. I don't believe there is a jeweler in this town that could figure that out. If the question was, 'If a letter carrier receives $60 a month, half of it in greenbacks and half in bobtail silver dollars, and pays three assessments for campaign expenses, and has to buy a gray uniform, and is sick a week and is docked, how much will he have left to buy liver and codfish,' I could figure it down to an aispice in my head, and never touch a slate and pencil. But this fourteen carat and twenty-two carat gold business, melted up in a tin dipper, knocks the stuffing out of me, and when the civil-service reform asks me to whack up on that riddle they can hire a jewelry auctioneer to take my place and get out of door yards ahead of dogs, and I will post him on where the folks in my district live, and I will get a job mauling mules on a street car. You hear me!"

"O, you fellows haven't got any heads for mathematics," said a little fellow with his letter sack slung over his shoulder. "Those two questions you have read are easy enough, but let your intellect take a side-hold with this Muldoon that I am going to read to you: 'What is the value of 500 sheets of copper weighing 20 ounces avedupois per square foot, measuring 48 inches long by 15 inches wide, and worth $150 per ton of 2,240 pounds?' Eh! How is that for a letter carrier to carry in his sack? Is there a junk-dealer present that can wheel his hand-cart, with cow-bells on, into this august assemblage, and pick the meats out of that? By the great bald-headed Elijah, when it gets so an honored and respected employe of this government has got to figure his brain away on old copper boilers, and sheet zinc, and lose his place because he never has bought old junk, that lets me out, and I will go and tell the postmaster he can get another rag man in my place, and I will apply for the position of he-chambermaid in a livery stable."

Joaquin Miller on Longfellow.

Cleveland Herald.

A correspondent relates the following incident of an occasion when he was sent to interview Joaquin Miller as to his opinions of Longfellow's "Morituri Salutamus," just after its publication. Miller said:

"My opinion of Longfellow's last poem! Good God, boy! I wouldn't if I could. The idea of a man of my age, position and ability sitting in judgment upon Longfellow—one of the grand old gods! It's impossible. Why, my dear fellow, I have no education, no culture. I am not a man to judge of literary work. I read no books. I have no books. Here are my tools," and he took a dozen sheets of paper from his pocket and a quill pen. "And here is my workshop," and he pointed through the open window. "I love Longfellow too well to attempt to criticise him. When I was in London I assisted in founding a Longfellow club. We used to meet every Sunday evening, and after reading a chapter in the bible, spend the rest of the time reading Longfellow. In that way we got through 'Hiawatha' and read 'Evangeline' twice. But about this new poem—what did you say it was?" "'Morituri Salutamus.'" "I haven't read it."

The Finishing Touch.

"J. H. H." in San Francisco Chronicle.

When Sardou was writing the Bons Villageois he intended one role for Pradeau, then the best low comedian of the French stage. But in the middle of the fourth act he "ran up against a stump," so to speak, and was for a long time unable to finish his work. The play at this point was in the very midst of a most pathetic scene, and if the comedian was permitted full sway not only would the dramatic effect be destroyed but the audience would be badly treated. M. Sardou was worrying over this act one morning when Pradeau himself entered. He looked more joyous than ever, and his great big mouth was wide open to let escape the smiles which grinned all over him. He had just come from the conservatoire, where his son had won a prize on some sort of an instrument. While he was telling Sardou of it his face and bearing assumed a paternal tenderness so strange and touching that the dramatist interrupted him with, "Ah, here is a coup de theatre for the fourth act;" and he at once set to work to create a scene where only tears and loving words should be seen and heard from one always gay, and who should now make the audience cry instead of laugh. The actor, without knowing it, had suggested the finishing touch to the author's work.

A Polite Peddler.

"What d'ye leave that door wide open for?" exclaimed the gentleman in the office to the intruding peddler. "Oi thought, surr," was the quick reply, "that ye might want to kick me down staire, and Oi wanted to make it convenient for ye, surr." The gentleman was so taken aback that he bought two apples for 5 cents, passing off a bad quarter in the transaction.

A Yankee's Job.

An American has been over and viewed the "leaning tower of Pisa," advertises in a local paper, after returning home that he will contract to straighten the old tower and fix her up as good as new for $600,000.

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Rum and the Morgue.

By far the strongest temperance lecture of the season is the statement made by the keeper of the Morgue, that four-fifths of the five thousand bodies that reach the dead-house every year are sent there by drunkenness. The jolly fellows who make fun of the anti-liquor agitation, as they stand at bars and drink good old whisky—for, of course, no other kind is sold—know only the beginning of what rum can do; but the rough, pine boxes, filled with what once was clear-headed, bright-eyed humanity, are just as directly the work of drink as bar room fun is. There may be cities in the world where man can drink spirits without injury to body and brain, but New York is not one of them. In a city where everybody, from the millionaire to the day laborer, is being continually impelled to doing more work than he can finish, whatever increases physical or mental excitement is a positive curse. The Morgue's occupants do not all come from the lower classes, who drink bad rum; scions of honorable stock have been found there too often, for alcohol is as merciless a leveler as death itself.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 27, 1883.

Our "boss" has gone away this week. Hay fever struck him and away he started for Petoskey. We expect him home Saturday. He has written several letters, but all so filled with fish stories that we dare not risk the reputation of the paper by using any of the matter for publication. We would respectfully warn the readers of the paper to look out for him for a week or so after he gets home as the following extract from one of his letters will plainly show. Dated Traverse City, Monday, 11:59 P.M.:—"Dear Boys: This is the country for hay fever patients, fun and good looking girls. I saw O. P. Bills at Mackinac Island, and you just ought to see him. He will weigh 200 lbs. and has a fresh new crop of hair all over the top of his late bald head." This is as far as we dare go on this chapter, as his mind began to wander a little, and he begins to speak about some different kinds of mineral water. "Astonishing how many good looking ladies stray up so far north." What an effect they seem to have on his sosedate-at-home-friend Bills, &c. "I met A. J. Sinclair, of Adrian, at Petoskey, and you wouldn't know him up here. Some way he seems to be a changed man, all he talks about is church fairs and horse races. He and I went fishing the other day—" but here we have to break off again. We had no idea that just a plain ordinary printer could get up such a fish story as the "boss" gave us on one side of that sheet of note paper, but probably Bills and Sinclair put him up to it. But in conclusion he says: "Boys, after all old Lenawee Co. beats the world, and I almost envy you at home in that little village of Tecumseh, with nothing to do but get out the old HERALD and a few other little items of work that are just as a little pastime for you." If it hadn't been for this last clause we don't know as we should have consented to have made any of his private correspondence public, but when he has such a kind brotherly feeling for us, is there any excuse for our not trying to do all in our power to reciprocate in every way possible?

The Grand Salvation army of America seems to fare a little rough for some reason. Some bad boy of Adrian throws stones and puts out the lights with which, in the darkness they try to show their painted banners. At Hillsdale the city marshall does not seem to take to their particular mode of praising God, and insists that parades and disturbances of all sorts shall be stopped. A branch of this concern also went down to Blissfield, but we have heard nothing of them since they left Adrian, and conclude they have either passed over Blissfield's beautiful river or have been knocked out of time by the Blissfield ball nine. In either case something has happened that their delegation has been lost. But we have a plan which if adopted by this Grand Salvation Army of America, would no doubt save them their ranks and serve to furnish them with good material at a very cheap figure. For some days past there has been working in the M. & O. gravel bank at this place a band of about 75 Italians, who resemble in looks, appearance and actions the members of the Salvation Army more than any one else we can compare them to. Both factions could be of great service to each other. The Italians could teach the old members of the Salvation Army how to live on dry bread and macaroni, while the Salvation natives could teach the hard working men the art of sponging their way through the world without labor, and the fundamental principles of both parties—dirt and unwholesomeness—could be pursued and all be happy. So if our sister city of Hillsdale will pack up her boarders, we will pack up ours, and send each faction to Adrian, preparatory to a grand test for the new water works of the latter place.

Notwithstanding the attempt in some cities to bring discredit on the new postal note, they will grow in favor with the people. In no other way can small sums be sent from one place to another, at so slight a cost.—For transmission through the mail, it is as handy as fractional currency used to be. The people will like it.

Bad Grammar.

It is said that people living in the country universally use bad grammar. Now, we are not going to fly into a rage and contradict this statement, if we do belong to the country and take a big measure of pride in all that concerns her. We are not going to gnash our teeth and tear our hair and declare that we talk as well as anybody, and that whoever says we don't, the truth is not in him. Indeed, when we remember how entangled we have often been amopt predicates and subjects, relative ronouns, participal and possessive adjectives, adverbial phrases, modifying adjuncts, co-ordinative conjunctions, and simple declarative and compound and complex sentences, we are ready to confess that it is all true—the half has not been told. Country people don't know how to talk, and what is more, don't want to know. But if we can't be grammatical may be it would be best to be as grammatical, as we can. There is no hope to reform the old sinners; we have walked in our ungrammatical ways till any departure therefrom would be like an expulsion from Paradise; but let the children be taught to talk. A former school teacher, now a mother, looks back and regrets that she did not teach the law of language more effectively. She acknowledges having taught the text-book with great faithfulness, for she loved the study, but she allowed the errors of her pupils to go uncorrected. She was afraid of wounding their feelings, and did not realize that to speak correctly is the most important end to be obtained in the study. Now that she is a mother, she would be glad for her children to have more thorough conversational drills at school than she herself enforced when in the capacity of a teacher. It is even thus, when it is too late, we see the error of our ways. If teachers could see the importance of enforcing the correct construction of sentences in youth, they could do much toward correcting the bad grammar of country children which they acquire from the rough-and-tumble language of home, and be potent agents in the purification of the spoken English language. If the study of grammar is irksome to them, and they cannot comprehend the rules and application as readily as a mature mind, they can be taught the practical part, and a more thorough understanding of the whys and wherefores will be unfolded to them in the ripening years to come.

Host and Guest in England.

The universal deference paid to a man's right to himself in England makes social duties as well as social pleasures far less onerous than they are with us. In America the relation of host and guest is a double slavery. The host has the comfort and amusement of his guest so painfully at heart that he often becomes his officious slave for the time being, while the guest, unable to refuse his host's continual and pressing offers of indiscriminate kindness, becomes in turn the slave to his host's notions of amusement. He either has blindly to follow out his host's programme, or has to rack his own brain to furnish the latter with opportunities to show him attention. The typical American entertainer cannot leave his guest alone; with the very best and most friendly intentions in the world, he begins by imploring him to "make himself thoroughly at home," and immediately proceeds to make his house as little like home as lies within human power. "What would you like to do today?" or "Would not you like to, etc., etc., to day?" are the standard breakfast-table questions.

In England hosts let their guests do just what they please. Go to spend a week at an Englishman's house and you may be sure that your host will not put himself out for you in the least, unless you expressly desire it. Everything in the house goes on as usual, just as if you were not there. But, per contra, the house and all that is in it are practically yours while you stay within its walls. Your host puts his servants, his wine-cellar, his larder, often his horses and his game preserves absolutely at your disposal. You are at liberty to act, and are expected to act, precisely as if you were in your own house. You can order a sandwich, a bowl of broth, a glass of wine or spirits whenever you please; you can announce your intention of going off shooting the very morning after your arrival, and guns and dogs are waiting for you. It is the commonest occurrence for men, arriving in the afternoon at a friend's house, to send their dress suits down to the laundress to be pressed just before dinner. In England guests are not only told to "make themselves at home," but are actually allowed to do so.

Saved by an Elephant.

An old "showman" tells the following exciting story of his experience when connected with a well-known menagerie during an engagement at Smithland Kentucky. "After the exhibition was over," he says, "I passed into the menagerie to talk to the watchman. From some cause he was absent from his post, and I walked across the amphitheater toward my old friend the elephant to give him an apple, for we were the best of friends. He was one of the largest elephants I ever saw, and was as good-natured as he was large.

I was about half across the ring when I heard a growl, and looking around, saw to my horror one of the lions out of his cage and approaching me in a crouching manner, ready for a spring.

I thought of a thousand things in a moment, and among them I must have regretted perpetrating so many old worn-out jokes at the performance that night. I had sufficient presence of mind to realize my dangerous situation and to know that it required the utmost caution to extricate yself from it.

One hasty motion on my part and I uld be in the jaws of the monster. I that my only hope was the elephant. could reach him, but he was chained the foot and could not reach me.

Nearer and nearer came the lion, waving his tail in a manner that meant business. If I turned my back, he would spring; if I took my eyes from him, I was lost.

It was a terrible moment. I glided backwards swiftly as I dared. I had another fear. I feared stumbling backwards, and knew if I did fall, I would never rise, but that where I fell I would make a meal for that lion.

As I neared the elephant I saw that the lion understood my movements and, fearing he, would be balked of his prey, he prepared to bring the matter to a crisis. I then saw that I had but one hope, to rush with all my speed to the elephant.

I think I must have jumped twenty feet when I turned, and I know the lion jumped thirty, but he just missed me.

How I completed the race I do not know. I only knew that the elephant's trunk was around my waist and he was lifting me up on his head. I only knew I was saved.

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Chilly nights.

Hickory nuts will not be plenty.

Notice the advertisement of Jas. A. Eaton & Co., of Adrian and see what this firm does in the way of bargains in dry goods.

The ladies of St. Peter's church will give a social at the residence of Mrs. Corey, on Logan st., next Wednesday evening, Oct. 3. All are invited.

We are very sorry to hear that Mrs. Jerry Root is very sick, but to-day she is reported better, and strong hopes are entertained of her speedy recovery.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to return our thanks to those of our friends who have so kindly assisted us in our recent afflictions.

MRS. N. R. MERRITT,
E. H. MERRITT.

TECUMSEH, Sept. 25th, 1883.

Resolutions adopted by Tecumseh Lodge 870, Knights of Honor in regard to the death of Willis Merritt:

Death has a second time invaded the ranks of our Lodge, removing our esteemed brother, Willis Merritt, its first Past Dictator, and always active in the promotion of its welfare. He was our first representative to the Grand Lodge, of which he was elected Grand Vice Dictator in 1881 and Grand Director in 1882. He was chosen by the Grand Lodge to represent it in the Supreme Lodge at Baltimore in 1882 and again at Galveston in 1883

Prompt and efficient in the performance of every trust committed to him he speedily won the confidence and high regard of every member of the order.

In his death we have to mourn the loss of a trusted counselor in our Lodge, the leadership of a competent citizen and the genial presence of an accomplished member of the social circle.

Resolved, That we tender our sympathies to the widowed Mother and other kindred of our deceased brother, and that a copy of this memorial be spread upon the records of our Lodge, and published in the Tecumseh Herald and Knights of Honor Reporter.

JACQUINE or PASTE AND DIAMONDS.

On Thursday evening Oct. 18th, our citizens will have the pleasure of witnessing the play of Jacquine, or Paste and Diamonds, at the Tecumseh Opera House, by the Mattie Vickers Combination. We clip the following from the Grand Rapids Leader of the 22nd. inst:

Those who stayed away from Powers opera house last night missed, as was predicted by THE LEADER, one of the most pleasing entertainments of the season. Those who were present will certainly verify this assertion, if their enthusiasm during the progress of the play be the standard of their sentiments. The play, in itself, is rather above the level of the mediocre merit fo most "specialty" pieces. It is, in fact, the string used in tying up the flowers which go to round out the boquet of Miss Mattie Vickers' versatile talents and many graces. Occasionally room is afforded for the presentation of a really fine bit of acting on the part of Mr. Chas. Rogers, who as "Dick Vinton," a bill poster, earned the hearty good will of the audience by his singularly unaffected style, versatile imitations, and very even characterization. J. W. McConnell, as "George Craver," also made a good impression. Geo. W. Pike gave a lively conception of a theatrical manager, Jas. W. Keene did the tramp character effectively, while Miss Thornton and Miss Roberts looked and dressed their parts well. The interest of the play, however, centres on Miss Mattie Vickers, whose sprightly and artistic acting last evening more than confirmed the good impressions previously made unon Grand Grapids theatre-goers. Miss Vickers is naturally an actress—a born soubretta—full of life and vim, dash and audacity. She is full of form and fair of feature, possesses intelligence, discrimination and wonderful vitality. Her acting is a fine sample of the Maggie Mitchell school, and yet has strong traits of originality. She is rather bright than pretty, and it is upon the spirit of her delineation and her charms of manner, rather than upon eyes, mouth, chin, nose or hair, or altogether, that she depends for favorable impressions. She sings sweetly, powerfully, and with expression, and is a beautiful dancer, and an accomplished dialectician. In her character specialties, and notably after Modjeska as Camille, and as the German flower girl, she created a profoundly favorable impression. The piece, while letting much fall upon the shoulders of the star, is yet replete with humorous situations, dramatic effects, and stirring contretemps, and concludes with the conventional joyful denouement.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 27, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Shed your straw hat.

Fall seeding is nearly done.

The fed houses in the village are nearly empty.

Washtenaw county has an are of 720 square miles.

The wood market is beginning to show faint signs of life.

The M. & O. depot at Battle Creek is now ready for occupancy.

When regular trains will be running on the M. & O. is still a mystery.

The job department of the HERALD is turning out lots of work these days.

There was fifteen tons of celery shipped from Kalamazoo last Friday.

Many of the maple leaves are turning to crimson and gold, a reminder that coal bins and wood piles should be replenished.

George Sutfin left Tecumseh last Monday, accompanied by officer Jim Cole, for a five months visit in a State institution at Ionia.

Jackson Patriot: One of the largest peach orchards of this county, containing eighteen hundred trees, will yield this season, not to exceed half a peck of peaches.

E. V. DePuy and wife to-morrow go to Rochester, N. Y. Vance is to attend the New York State Fair where he will introduce Hite's Heat Fender and Fruit Dryer combined.

Those who like to trip the light fantastic toe should remember the Dedication party of Co. C, at their new armory on Friday eve., Oct. 5th. A grand good time to all who attend.

An exchange appropriately remarks that it is pretty safe for farmers to conclude that when a dealer ceases to advertise he does not ask for their custom. He is either out of goods or does not care to sell.

It is surprising to see so many people that attend a circus merely to take the children and let them see the animals. It generally takes about four grown people to accompany one child. Queer, isn't it?

Vennor says: "The autumn will be wet, mild and open. No snow at end of year. A rather severe October, but open weather afterward. January, 1884, wet and open. Usual warmth for winter of 1884. No ice, or hardly any."

Get married, young man, and be quick about it too. Don't wait for the millenium, hoping that the girls would turn to angels before you would trust yourself to one of them. A pretty thing you would be along side of an angel, wouldn't you.

During the month of August, 1,025 messages were received and transmitted over the state telephone at the central office in Ann Arbor. During the same time the Adrian office handled 1044 messages and the Tecumseh office 630.

N. W. Ayer & Son's American newspaper annual for 1883 has been received. It is a neatly gotten up compendium of facts relating to the newspapers of the country, and gives a very full and complete record. It is probably one of the best authorities published on the subject.

H. Lighthall, proprietor and manufacturer of the Starr Wind Mill, at Chelsea, has just sold a fine wind mill to John Fisher, between Tecumseh and Clinton. Any parties wishing wind mills would do well to examine this mill or one of the many others put up in this section by this company before purchasing.

The state fair closed last Friday. It was both in point of exhibition and of receipts, one of the most successful ever held by the society. The receipts were more than $6,000 in excess of those of last year In the prize drill Friday the Detroit City Grays took the first prize, the Jackson Guard, an independent company, second, the Detroit Light Guard third, Co. G, M. S. T., of Jackson, fourth, and the Detroit Cadets the fifth prize.

Lavern Wheeler will open his second season at the opera house on Tuesday evening next, when he will give by special request, his "Ramble through Ireland and England." Mr. Wheeler has added a number of Irish and English views to his collection since opening here last fall, and his new comic pictures will "collar the constable." Many of his comic pictures are of his own design, and his illumination of popular songs are sure to "take."

John R. Clark has returned from a six weeks temperance campaign in New York. A temperance circuit has been organized, including several towns in Western New York, and camp meeting enclosures built at each town. Each meeting is held from six to seven days, including a Sabbath, and three services are held each day. Several speakers are in attendance at each meeting. It is called the "St. John Circuit," and comprises nineteen camps. The grounds are leased for five years. Mr. Clark will remain at home but a few days. He will return to Western New York in October, and will lecture in the city of Brooklyn during the whole of November.

The James block is getting a new roof.

Quite a number of our citizens are attending the Chicago Exposition this week.

Rev. N. A. Saxton, of Manchester, is in town to-day to attend the funeral of Deacon A. McNeil.

B. Mincer has no partners or agents and all persons claiming to be such are frands and are deceiving the people.

Tuesday evening Mr. & Mrs. Ed. Hough entertained a few of their friends very pleasantly at their home on Chicago st.

A force of men on the M. & O. are at work tearing up the iron rails and relaying the same with steel, between Monteith and Allegan.

All kinds of weather during the past week, from nearly as warm as we have had during the past season to "pretty cool I thank you."

The catalogues for the Library Ass'n of Tecumseh are now printed, and the rooms will be open every Saturday from 3 to 6 o'clock P.M., for the drawing of books.

The fare from Indianopolis to Chicago is now 5 CENTS, and each passenger is entitled to a chromo. The distance is a little over two hundred miles. This is the lowest rate ever known for the same number of miles.

Last evening Mrs. Dunn gave a very pleasant tea party to a few friends and relatives in honor of Mrs. Reynolds, of California, and Mrs. Graves, of Milwaukee. Each guest was furnished with a pretty button-hole bouquet.

We understand that the dance to be given by Co. C, M. S. T., Friday evening Oct. 5, will be a grand affair. The Monroe brass, as well as string band will be in attendance and discourse music on the street in the afternoon.

In the appropriate column is announced the death of Mrs. E. H. Merritt, of Big Rapids, formerly of this village. Mrs. Merritt had scores of friends who will deeply regret to see such notice, besides her many near relatives living in Tecumseh.

A few days ago D. Ulrich, of Freedom, was out hunting when his gun exploded filling his face with powder. The stock of the gun remained in his hands but the barrel could not be found, and he thinks himself fortunate in escaping what might have been a serious injury.

Manchester is having a lively time trying to settle upon a site for its new town hall. Some of the members of the council seriously object to the site selected by the building committee and they may object so vigorously that the plan of building the hall will have to be given up.

Miss Garlic, who has been a guest of Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany for several weeks, left for her home in Canada, yesterday morning, many regretting friends bidding her adieu. Mr. & Mrs. Tiffany accompanied her as far as Detroit, where they will visit friends and the Art Loan for a few days.

This week we make the announcement of the first entertainment to be held in our Opera House this season. Rumor reports a good entertainment, and we trust it may be so. We see no reason why the Tecumseh Hall Association should not bring some good attractions here the coming winter.

The third edition of Michigan and its Resources has reached our table more full and complete in its descriptive detail of Michigan and its resources than either of the other two editions that preceded it. Send for a copy if you want to see it. Address, Commissioner of Immigration, Detroit Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Raymond, of Tecumseh came out on Saturday last to visit D. C. Waite, a relative who resides about three miler south of the city, in the township of Summit. Mr. Raymond noticed that his wife acted rather strangely coming over on the train, but thought little of it at the time. Soon after their arrival at Mr. Waite's, however, she had a severe stroke of paralysis, and now lies in a critical condition there, with the chances against her recovery. She is attended by Dr. C. H. Lewis, and on Monday her family physician from Tecumseh, was in council.—Jackon Patriot, 26.

Dr. R. B. House was called in attendance last Monday and now reports her condition somewhat better.

Marshal Statesman: Chief Engineer J. A. Latcha, of the M. & O. was in the city a short time last night and talked over matters of business with his chief assistant, Wm. H. Boeh. We understand from Mr. Boeh that as the owners of land on the proposed site for the depot near the hoe factory will not dispose of it at reasonable figures, a series of condemnation suits will soon be commenced and the actual value of the property ascertained. If not too high the company will purchase at the figures, and commence the erection of the depot and freight house. The site spoken of is chosen in reference to the northern road crossing at this point rather than to natural advantages, for over $4,000 will have to be expended in grading. The necessity for delay was deprecated by Mr. Latcha, as the company is as anxious as anybody to have the matter settled.

Mrs. C. S. Patterson is enjoying a visit among friends in New York city.

Mrs. Chas. Kilburn is now visiting friends in Yates Co., New York, and Charlie is now a "widder."

Miss Emma Smith returned to her home in this village on Saturday last, having spent the past three months with eastern friends.

The annual pew renting at the M. E. church will occur next Wednesday, Oct. 3d, from 2:30 until 6 o'clock P.M. The Ladies Aid Society will serve tea at 6 o'clock in the basement.

We chronicle the death of Deacon A. McNeil, which occurred at his residence in this village at an early hour yesterday morning. Mr. McNeil has been a life long member of the Universalist church, and an honest man who has toiled early and late for his God and his family. His funeral is at 2 o'clock this P.M.

Another crank producing puzzle has been invented, which is called "the sixty-four puzzle." The puzzle consists of sixty-four blocks, eight on a side, numbering from one to sixty-four, and when correctly arranged the figures on the blocks will add 260 horizontally, perpendicularly or diagonally. The blocks are black and white alternately and can be used as a checker board.

Fred L. Eccles, who has occupied the position of office clerk in our employ for some time past, started yesterday for Deadwood, Dakota, in company with his sister, Mrs. Bullock. He will accept a position with Starr & Bullock, of Deadwood. Fred is a good accountant and a faithful employee, and although we dislike to have him leave us, wish him all success in his far west home.

The Cleveland Herald's corrosponden at Kelly's Island, reports that the grape crop of all the islands this year will be the nearest a failure thay have had since 1865. The catawba grape is estimated at not to exceed 250 pounds to the acre, or say less than one-tenth of a crop. Concord, next in importance, will be a little over half a crop. Deleware comes next, with an average crop.

Andrews Bazar for October, just received, is a striking example of what push and a knowledge of the people's needs will do. This number is the third published under the new management and shows a great improvement over previous issues. The illustration on the first page is equal to any published in the highest priced paper of its class. The ladies of America will always be well dressed if they take this sterling fashion journal as a guide. Its low subseription price, only $1 a year, is bound to make it popular. Every subscriber is entitled to a choice from a list of valuable premiums, 67 in number. Sample copies 10c. Send for it. The American Bazar Co., 202 Broadway, N. Y.

Mr. Barney McAuley, who appears in his great and popular play, "A Messenger from Jarvis Section," at Adrian to-night, is no new candidate for histrionic honors, but an actor who, by hard study and innate talent, has won a front rank in his profession. The play itself has proven a very popular one, the character of Uncle Dan'l allowing free scope for the display of Mr. McAuley's special talent. In this connection, we quote from the N. Y. Tribune: "Mr. McAuley is an actor of large experience—entirely sincere in spirit and straightforward and effective in his professional methods. He invests the play with a personal force and interest, so that the spectator comes away with a pleasing remembrance of downright manliness, humorous craft, many homelike attributes and associations, and considerable theatrical ingenuity."

Adrian Record: Captain Shorter, of Salvation Army fame, is now holding forth in jail at Hillsdale. He organized an army at that place, and created such a furore that the marshall notified him last Wednesday morning "that if he came out on the street with his mob again he should arrest him." Shorter replied that "there were not devils enough this side of h—l to put him in jail," and came out again that night. The marshal was prepared, and when the army were holding forth on the street corner, "he went for them." Shorter knelt down and began to pray, and for three quarters of an hour kept the marshal waiting. As soon as he arose he was ordered to come along, but he refused, and then began one of the most disgraceful rows ever seen in Hillsdale. Shorter's backers made an assault on the marshall in force, and he was struck with clubs, canes, bricks and anything that came handy, but he hung to his prisoner until help arrived, and finally bore him triumphantly to jail, and it was a hard looking army he left behind him; scarcely one but what had a bloody nose, black eye, or cracked skull to show for his share in the battle. The women fought like wild-cats, and had to be handled pretty roughly before they would subside. The army is now in a state of quiescence awaiting the release of the valient Captain, and healing up their sore heads, preparatory to another tussel with the devil. It is evident that Hillsdale people do not believe in the Salvation Army.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Autumn days.

Scarlet fever at Morenci.

Fair this week at Adrian.

A big dry goods store is to be opened at Adrian soon.

The Morenci fair commences on Tuesday, Oct. 2d.

Sigler, of Adrian, took the first premium at the Toledo fair on grapes.

Hiram Osgood of Medina tried to bleed himself to death one day last week.

C. F. Cleveland, of Adrian, will act as oil inspector for the present in place of Capt. Howlett, deceased.

After Oct. 1st, Morenci people must get their meat on Saturday or go without their cutlets and chops on Sunday.

Henry Rhinemiller, of Fairfield, was dragging in the field, when his team ran away, jerking him upon the drag and cutting his face badly.

The Adrian Times says the colored posters advestising the Lenawee county fair are the worst typographical enormities ever seen in that city. To all of which we say amen.

The other night some unregenerated rascal threw a stone and hit one of the Salvation soldiers, at Adrian. "Blessed are they which are persecuted for rightousness' sake."

Morenci Observer: Now that the corn crop is regarded as an almost entire failure, several of our dealers will import the cereal for home use, and a large business may be expected in that line.

Morenci Observer: Miss Honey is the name of the new lady clerk at Crabb's store. With Honey and Combs in the concern the establishment is fairly entitled to appellation of the "bee hive store."

Deerfield Record: Blissfield went to Tecumseh, on Wednesday, and downed them at base ball by a score of 8 to 7. Blissfield is more elated over the result than when their gold mine or gas well was first discovered.

Clinton's royal templars deserve a passing notice at least. The society owes nobody, and has a treasury that is by no means empty. The instance of a society being thus situated is so seldom, that when one learns the fact it is worth mentioning.

Clinton News: As Wm. P. Silvers was sitting at the dinner table last Saturday, he was suddenly taken with a stroke of paralysis. The limbs and lower part of the body became insensible of feeling, and he has been entirely helpless ever since.

The last we saw of Jehiel Davidson, he had started for home with a pick over his shoulder, and a law book under his arm. He has been appointed drain commissioner to fill the place of Frank Davidson resigned.—Tecumseh HERALD.

Two to one that "pick" was a croquet mallet.—Adrian Press.

Deerfield Record: Supervisor Munson informs us that a larger acreage of wheat is being sown this fall, than any previous season. It is a sure and profitable crop for the farmers. Deerfield township will soon be classed among the prominent wheat growing towns of the county.

A young lady of Hudson writing to a lady friend of Ypsilanti, utters the following: Beware the boy with eyes of moonlight blue, a pancake hat—hair *a la mode* frontal scoop, for he flirteth like a piece of neither raiment in the wind, and 'masheth' like a prematurely decomposed squash.

The Brooklyn Exponent says that some workmen from a section of the M. & O. road in Cambridge got into a quarrel with some country lads of that village, and a challenge was given for the gang to meet the boys next Saturday evening at the same place, and a big row was probable. Brook needs a few "hoss marines."

Two attempts were lately made to throw Lake Shore trains from the track near Ottawa Lake. Detectives Kavanagh of Toledo and Whitmore of Adrian have traced the deed to a boy named Barney Archer, aged 15 or 16 years old. He appears to be of rather unsound mind, but he ought not to be allowed the opportunity to further practice such deviltry.

Blissfield Advance: A couple of paint swindlers have been at work in the east part of the county. Thos. C. Swift signed a paper, which he supposed was a centract to have his barn painted for $12. It turned out that the paper read $208. Swift compromised by giving two notes of $75 each, but making up his mind that he had been swindled notified the sheriff. One of the rascles was arrested and is now in jail.

Hudson Gazette: The Advance will have it that, with the absence of two regular players, the Blissfield ballists beat the Hudson Chaffs, which were really a combination club from Hudson, Hillsdale, Jonesville and Adrian. Well, now if the Blissfield boys did all that (minus two of their best players) they can afford to be a little modest and lenient. It is no ordinary matter to thus vanquish four towns in one game! Our Blissfield friends may be assured that there is humiliation enough all along the line without having the thing flung up very much.

LITTLE BOY DROWNED.

A sad affair occurred at Clinton yesterday afternoon by which Charlie Palmer, a little son of John Palmer, was drowned. The little brothers, the oldest about 5 and the youngest about 2½ years old, went down to the river to fish for minnows. The little fellow, Charlie, waded out in the water, became dizzy and floated into the current. His brothers took no notice of him after he waded in and was in fact not old enough to realize any danger, and as in other play they were engaged, little realized that their brother was drowning almost before their very eyes.

Their father drove past, took the two little boys in and enquired for Charlie, but they answered "they guessed he had gone home." When at home Mr. Palmer found the boy missing and after some enquiry again returned to the river, but before he arrived, Geo. Haggart had found his body floating just below the west river bridge.

Such an accident shocks a whole community, and in such cases blame can be attached to no one. Three stout, hearty, little fellows, without one thought or care, busy as only a little child can be, with play, and joy, and laughter, but the next hour the scene is changed. One little cold, white form, and two pairs of little tear stained eyes, two young minds which in their innocence can hardly comprehend what has happened to cause such an awful change. The family weep, with nothing to comfort them, the remaining little ones are dumb with fear, and never understand why their little brother and play fellow is taken away from them. There is a stillness and feeling spread over the whole community, and 'tis hard to think "Thy will be done."

Parties who are bothered about getting sufficient water from their wells, should consult the Starr Wind Mill Co., of Chelsea, and examine their two inch tubular well.

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OBITUARY.

Entered into rest after painful suffering at her home in Big Rapids at 6:30 A.M., September 22d inst, Mrs. Catharine Elizabeth Merritt, beloved wife of Edward H. Merritt. During her last illness, besides her husband, her sisters, Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Seaman were with her. She died in full possession of her faculties, and with a calm and hopeful assurance of a blessed immortality in the life of the world to come. With great patience and resignation she endured the afflictions which she well knew were working out for her a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory. Mrs. Merritt was well known here, having been born and educated in this village. In her 19th year she was married to Mr. Merritt, her now sorrowing and bereaved husband. Here they made their home and were surrounded with many loving friends. In June, 1881 they removed to Big Rapids, where having suffered from a severe cold, received an alarming attack of hemorrhage of the lungs, Aug. 20, 1882, and although it did not prove fatal, soon unmistakable symptoms of the dread disease, consumption, manifested themselves, and on Saturday last terminated her life. On Monday her body, accompanied by weeping relatives was brought here for burial, and on Tuesday last at 2 P.M. a large concourse of friends assembled at the residence of her husband's mother, Mrs. N R. Merritt, to attend the funeral and to follow her earthly remains to their last resting place.

The appointed service for the burial of the dead was read by her former pastor, the Rev. J. Phelps, who had admitted her by holy babtism into the family of Christ's flock, had presented her to the Bishop as a candidate for the rite of confirmation, and had received her into the Communion of the Church, who now committed her body to the earth, awaiting that great day "when the earth and the sea shall give up their dead, and the bodies of those who sleep in Him shall be changed and made like unto His own eternal and glorious body, according to the mighty working where by He is able to subdue all things unto Himself."

"I heard a voice from Heaven saying unto me, write, from henceforth blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, for they rest from their labors."

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5 33	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	5 04
6 00	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	4 26
6 11	9 32	" Dundee "	8 58	4 13
6 25	9 51	" Azalia "	8 50	4 05
6 44	10 06	" Milan "	8 34	3 50
6 55	10 19	" Urania "	8 20	3 36
7 05	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	3 27
7 17	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	3 15
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7 30	4 50	" Grd Rapids "	10 40	8 20
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8 33	11 52	" Howell(S.Lon.) "	7 20	
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12 30	5 05	" Edmore "	2 40	9 00
	6 42	" Big Rapids "	1 00	7 15
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POPULAR SONGS.

Origin and Authorship of Some of the Most Famous.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

"The Old Oaken Bucket" was written by Woodworth in New York city during the hot summer of 1817. He came into the house and drank a glass of water, and then said, "How much more refreshing it would be to take a good long drink from the old oaken bucket that used to hang in my father's well!" His wife heard the remark, and suggested that it was a happy thought for a poem. He sat down and wrote the song as we have it. "Woodman, Spare That Tree," was the result of an incident that happened to George P. Morris. A friend's mother had owned a little place in the country which she was obliged, from poverty, to sell. On the property grew a large oak which had been planted by his grandfather. The purchaser of the house and land proposed to cut down the tree, and Morris' friend paid him $10 for a bond that the oak should be spared. Morris heard the story, saw the tree and wrote the song. "Old Dog Tray," of which 125,000 copies were sold in the first eighteen months after its publication, was written by Foster on a piece of brown wrapping paper, in the back room of a grocery store, where he was fond of lounging. Poor Foster's last days were extremely unhappy. He lived in New York, personally a stranger, but known to every one through his songs.

Foster's "Old Folks at Home" was the best song he ever wrote. Over 400,000 copies were sold by the firm that first published it, and the author is said to have received $15,000 for his share of the sale. The idea of writing negro melodies occurred to Foster from seeing what pleasure was given by the crude absurdities presented in his time by the minstrels. He thought he could do better. "Kathleen Mavourneen" was sold by Crouch, the author, for $25, and brought the publishers as many thousands. Crouch was hopelessly improvident, and in his latter days became a tramp. When Mad. Titiens was in this country a number of years ago she sung "Kathleen Mavourneen," in New York, when a dirty tramp introduced himself as Crouch, was recognized, and thanked her for singing the song so well. "Bonnie Doon" was the only English song that the Emperor Napoleon liked. He detested all the music of Britain, and at St Helena said that it was the only tolerable composition the English had ever produced. "I'll Hang My Harp on a Willow Tree," is said to have been the composition of a young English nobleman who had fallen hopelessly in love with the Princess Victoria. When she succeeded to the throne he gave up in despair and wrote this famous ballad. "Annie Laurie" is 200 years old, and was the production of a man named Douglass to celebrate the praise of a girl named Laurie. The lady afterward, with true feminine inconstancy, deserted the man who made her famous and married another man named Ferguson.

The Mining Prospector.

The genuine prospector, a man of medium height, a rather lightly, but firmly knit frame, age anywhere between 25 and 35, a fine face, gentle but firm, bronzed with exposure to many a fierce storm, stamped with that unmistakable expression impressed on the features of those who, day after day, stand face to face with danger and death, a face that a girl in distress will turn to without hesitation; that a rowdy will turn from with fear and hatred. His first movement betrays the frontiersman. A rapid piercing glance around the park; neither human foe nor edible game being in sight, his next glance is to the sky. Apparently satisfied with the inspection, his first care is to attend to his jack, or "burro," to use the mountain phrase; then, having picketed the burro with a drag on the end of his rope which will effectually prevent his straying from that park, he turns to his fire, blows it into a blaze, puts on his coffee pot to boil, and then to his toilet. Three inches of comb, two square inches of looking glass, a coarse towel, a piece of yellow soap, a tooth brush and the toilet table is furnished. Now follow him to the dressing room; a dozen steps down the creek takes him to where a little dam has formed a crystal pool. Down on the moss covered rocks goes the broad, white hat, the collar of the blue flannel shirt is rolled back disclosing the neck and chest of an athlete. Oh how cold, how refreshing, how invigorating that water is fresh from the snow wave. The toilet finished, breakfast is the next consideration. The coffee having boiled is placed on one side to settle, the bacon fried, the batter for a pile of "slap-jacks" beaten up, the fries one of the abominations, thrown up into the air and catching it on the reversed side with the precision of an old timer, and now he plunges into the tent and emerges with a "shack box," or in English, "mess chest," from the innermost recesses of which he dives, and from conglomerate one of cartridges, buckskin thongs, steel traps, needles and thread, sailor's palm, mineral specimens, three or four letters, a series de Library book very worn and dirty, a pair of Mexican spurs, odds and ends of strings etc., produces a small canvas sack of salt, dole of sugar, half a gallon can of syrup, and breakfast is ready and the table is set. To dispatch the meal takes but a little while. Short as the time is, however, it is not wasted, for observe the upturned face, the eager searching glance, peak after peak is scanned, formation, color noted, until apparently satisfied with the inspection. The meal is finished, plate and cup washed and put away; the morning pipe is lit and smoked while he goes through his pockets to see if his outfit is complete, matches, compass, knife, magnifying glass, all safe. Catching up the burro and picketing him on fresh grass, finishes the morning chores and he is ready for the day's work.

An Iron Watch.

S A Lattimore in The Continent.

At a recent fair held in Worcestershire, Messrs Crowther Brothers & Co. exhibited a watch, in perfect running order, constructed wholly of iron. The object of this curiosity was to illustrate the malleability of iron and its consequent adaptation to a wide variety of novel uses, especially as an advantageous substitute for glass in a number of domestic articles. Such articles when made of thin iron plate possess the two desirable properties of strength and lightness, while elegance of form is far more easily attained. Such articles may be easily electro plated with silver, gold, nickel, platinum, or adorned with all the beauty of the enameler's art.

Rest, Sleep, Worry and Work.

Philadelphia Press.

Over-work will shorten life at any period. Children should be brought up to play, not to work. Work should begin only when all the faculties, mental and physical, are developed. Brain-work will kill more quickly than manual labor. Three hours of brain work are equal to seven hours of manual labor, in the consumption of vital tissues. Men should work six days and rest one. Sleep is necessary to all persons. We can scarcely sleep too much. Young people should sleep seven or eight hours in every twenty four. Children should sleep as long as they want to, ten hours at least. Worry kills more people than work.

Nearly a Terrible Loss.

It was at the shore, and a gentleman was chatting on his cottage porch with two or three guests. His pretty daughter came up from the beach, just out of the surf. "O papa!" she exclaimed. "Only think, I was nearly drowned!" Papa, pathetically to his friends, "Gentlemen' do you hear that? I have spent more than five thousand dollars on that girl's education, and to day she was nearly drowned."

Yaller Developments.

Sandersville (Ga.) Mercury.

An old lady from one of the rural districts astonished a clerk in one of the stores by inquiring if he had any "yaller developments sich as they did up letters in."

LET US SMILE

A Good Healthy Smile Legal Tender Anywhere.

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Peck's Sun.

A paper called The Golden Rule, has an article on smiles which contains the following:

"The world is suffering for smiling faces. The age is too intense in the business direction, too flippant in the social lines, too sarcastic in its political tendency, too aimless in its religious life, too heartless in its literature. The world needs more smiles and fewer frowns, more sunshine and less lightning. It costs nothing to allow a smile to play restfully upon the features when trading or voting, when talking or reading. It pays infinitely more than it costs in friendship, in finance, in individual growth. We can win more people by a smile than we can scare by a frown, just as the sunshine grows more trees than the lightning shatters.

No paragraph ever contained more truth than the above. A good, healthy smile, one that comes naturally, without being sent for, or coaxed, one that seems to bubble up among the dimples like the water at the bottom of a spring, showing pearly teeth like the little pebbles thrown up by the water of the spring, a smile that goes rippling along the face like the aforesaid water among the daisies and water cress, on its way to the sea, is worth more to the world than a gold mine. Who is there in the world who has not been made better by a smile? A smile is a legal tender anywhere, and a person who smiles naturally, is as safe from harm as it is possible to be. Men who grow tired of their homes, sick of the world, and ready to give up the battle, can be strengthened and made ready for the fight of another day by a smile, if it comes without being sent for. One man, with a good natured smile, can go into a crowd of grumbling, growling, business men, who think the country is all going to the dogs, and change the whole atmosphere in ten seconds. A man with a good smile can stop a fight between angry men, when policemen would fail. The smile of a good woman, when she comes upon a party of gossipers of her own sex, will change the subject in a moment, and make them ashamed of themselves. Sometimes we think it would pay a city to hire more smiling faces and less policemen to keep the peace. With a hundred good, natural smilers walking around, going into places where men were liable to get in a hot box, with a pleasant word where it would do the most good, there would be very few rows. Of course it would be necessary for our smiler to be able to back his smile with muscle, so if an unruly person did not take kindly to the smile, and knocked it around under the smiler's ear with a chair or a bung starter, the smiler could wipe the floor with the wretch. There would be times when a smile would fail to do its work, as there are times now when a smile fails to accomplish all that it desires to, but take it on the whole the smile would be better than the club or the revolver. There are some men who are continually and constitutionally devoid of smiles, who would be sick if they should accidentally smile, and such men should be compelled to pass two hours a day in the presence of good, single handed smilers, and learn to be happy. If there is anything in the world that has more power than a smile, when it is shot off from the right kind of a gun, we have never seen it. The smile of a girl will draw a young man from his mother, and from bad company. It will teach him to be a man, and he will, if he loves the girl, do nothing that would chase the smile away. The smile of a mother can conquer the wayward child, and compel it to come into camp to be spanked or caressed. The smile of a teacher can do more with a pupil than a bundle of hazel brush. A good, old-fashioned, natural, unaffected smile costs nothing, wears out no costly machinery, but rather oils it and makes it run smooth, and it is a medicine that we all like to take, and it leaves no bad taste in the mouth. Blessed if we wouldn't like to see one this very minute, as fine as it is and sleepy as we are, as the clock tolls the wee small hours and the compositors yawn and say this is copy enough for to-night.

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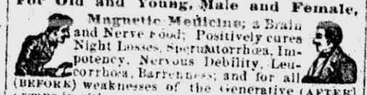

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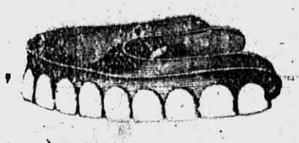

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Keeping his hand on the wheel as he said this, Mr. A. Brockman, of No. 29½ Silver street, Chicago, added: "Of course, some of 'em drink; but the sober ones have the best positions and the best pay. Yes, the work and exposure sometimes tells on me but for my part, I find Parker's Tonic to be all the invigorant I need. I've got a bottle aboard here now; never go on a trip without it. When I haven't any appetite, or am in any way out of sorts, it sets me up in no time. If drinking men would use the Tonic, it would help 'em to break off. (No, that isn't a lighthouse; it's a star low down near the water.) As I was saying, the Tonic is new like bottled up. You see that flag-staff? Well, with a bottle of Parker's Tonic in the locker I can keep malaria as far from me as that, all the time. My wife has used it for three years for summer complaint and colic, and as an invigorant, when she's tired out from overwork. She says the tonic is a daisy. Good-bye! Don't break your neck going below."

This preparation which has been known as Parker's Ginger Tonic, will hereafter be advertised and sold simply under the name of Parker's Tonic. As unprincipled dealers are constantly deceiving their customers by substituting inferior articles under the name of ginger; and as ginger is really an unimportant ingredient, we drop the misleading word.

There is no change however in the preparation itself, and all bottles remaining in the hands of dealers, wrapped under the name of Parker's Ginger Tonic contain the genuine medicine if the fac simile signature of Hiscox & Co., is at the bottom of the outside wrapper.

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LOUISIANA.

The Sale by France to the United States.

George W. Cable in The Century.

In congress debate narrowed down to the question whether New Orleans and the Floridas should be bought or simply swept down upon and taken. But the executive department was already negotiating; and, about the time of Laussat's landing in Louisiana, Messrs Livingston and Monroe were commissioned to treat with France for a cession of New Orleans and the Floridas, "or as much thereof as the actual proprietor can be prevailed on to part with."

Bonaparte easily saw the larger, but unconfessed wish of the United States. Louisiana, always light to get and heavy to hold, was slipping even from his grasp. He was about to rush into war with the English. "They have," he exclaimed passionately to his ministers, "twenty ships of war in the gulf of Mexico. * * * I have not a moment to lose in putting it (this new acquisition) out of their reach. They (the American commissioners) only ask of me one town in Louisiana; but I already consider the colony is entirely lost." And a little later, walking in the garden of St. Cloud, he added to Marbois—whom he trusted rather than Talleyrand—"Well! you have charge of the treasury; let them give you one hundred million francs, pay their own claims, and take the whole country." When the minister said something about the rights of the colonists, "Send your maxims to the London market," retorted the first consul.

The price finally agreed upon was eighty million francs, out of which the twenty million francs of American citizens' claims due by France were to be paid, and Louisiana was bought.

On the 30th of November, 1806, with troops drawn in line on the Place d'Armes, and with discharges of artillery, Salcedo, fitly typifying, in his infirm old age the decaying kingdom which he represented, delivered to Laussat, in the hall of the cabildo, the keys of New Orleans; while Casa Calva, splendid in accomplishments, titles and appearance, declared the people of Louisiana absolved from their allegiance to Spain. From the flag-staff in the square the Spanish colors descended, the French took their place, and the dominion of Spain in Louisiana was at an end.

On Monday, the 20th of the following December, with similar ceremonies, Laussat turned the province and the keys of its port over to Commissioners Claiborne and Wilkinson. The French tricolor, which had floated over the Place d'Armes for but twenty days, gave place to the stars and stripes, and New Orleans was an American town.

Coming Celebration of the Oldest Town in the United States.

The citizens of Santa Fe, N. M., are preparing to celebrate, in July, what they call their "tertiomillennial," or, in other words, the 333d anniversary of the settlement of the town. The first European who ever went through the region now occupied by New Mexico was Cabeza de Baca, who was wrecked on the coast of Texas in 1531. He gave so brilliant an account of the country that in 1541 Coronado organized the first expedition to the territory, and, as nearly as can now be ascertained, in 1550 Santa Fe was settled. The celebration of this important event in the history of the southwest is to occupy the whole month of July. Two permanent exhibition halls are to contain the main features of the occasion. In one there will be a collection of historical and archæological curiosities. The territory is full of the remains of ruined towns and of ancient stone implements. There are nineteen pueblo villages in existence. In these the people, the manners and the customs are precisely such as they were 200 years ago. These pueblo people are descendants of the aborigines of the country, a part of them being the Zuni Indians, recently brought prominently before the country. There will be, in the second place, a large collection of Spanish antiquities, representing the second civilization which went into the country. The third civilization, the American, will also be represented from its earliest times down to the present. The other permanent building will contain a display of the resources of the territory. In this department the minerals, gold, silver, copper, lead and coal, both bituminous and anthracite, will be the chief exhibits. New Mexico has the only anthracite coal beds in the southwest. A number of special entertainments will be given on the different days of the exhibition, beginning with an elaborate opening ceremonial, in which it is hoped that Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs will deliver the address. After that there will be a pageant representing the entry of the Spaniards into this city. One day will be given up to an exhibition of the games and dances of the pueblos. Another day will be occupied with an excursion to the cave dwellings, which are not far from Santa Fe. Still another day will be utilized for an exhibition of the cattle and sheep. The month of July has been chosen for the celebration because it is the pleasantest month in the year. Santa Fe is 7,000 feet above the level of the sea, and never has any hot weather. August and September are the rainy months. In the winter the weather is cold, but clear.

Oh! The Pathos of It.

San Francisco Chronicle.

The Chinese brass band played from midnight Tuesday till 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The music was uninterrupted and some of the inhabitants of the neighborhood hastily packed their carpet-bags and moved temporarily away. A young Chinese instrumentalist in a green jacket played the cymbals. They were about twelve feet in circumference, and he leaned to one side as he balanced them over his right shoulder. Anon he held them at arms' length apart and brought them together with the noise of a dynamite explosion; a Celestial with a short pigtail beat the brass drum, which was the size and shape of a beer keg and stood on end. A brass sauce pan suspended from a mantel-piece was thumped in a lively manner by a nimble Celestial. When the sauce-pan, the brass beer-keg and the exaggerated cymbals were clashed together in one harmonious whole, it sounded as though a dozen czar's palaces had been suddenly fired into space by tons of dynamite.

The Celestials sitting in the room bent forward and listened as intently as if it were an angel chorus. One old man dissolved in tears, took out his handkerchief and said to the reporter in English: "It is pathetic; very pathetic."

Himself, not His Lawyer.

Atlanta Constitution.

Our correspondent at Milledgeville, writing to me, says: "A negro tenant of the gentleman to whom the Hon. Mark Johnston proposed to give a postoffice in his recent canvass for the legislature, asked Hon. Fleming DuBignon to draw a contract between himself and landlord, offering for said 'draw' fifty cents, whereupon Mr. DuBignon indignantly remarked 'Do you take me for a fifty-cents lawyer? No, sir, Mars' Judge, but I takes myself to a fifty-cents nigger.'"

The Blessed Giving.

Manchester Mirror.

This is the beautiful and beneficent season when by giving to the minister who preaches for "$400" in money and a donation" your clothes that don't fit you, your butter that is a little off color, and your tea that doesn't suit your taste, you can satisfy your conscience and go to bed murmuring "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

Kaiser Wilhelm Gorges Himself.

Music and Drama.

What a life that of the Kaiser William has been. Born in 1797, he was a boy at the period of Prussia's deepest degradation; at the age of

Good for Children too.

Dr. Foord's Tonic Cordial is a splendid medicine for children as well as adults. Read the following letter from a well-known citizen from Syracuse:

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The Heart's Secrets.

It is well that no spectators are permitted to catch a glimpse of our heart's secrets; that the door is never opened to let any one enter to view our unseen ghosts. If we have our songs in the night, our midnight vigils, we care not the world should witness our disappointments and mishaps. "Deep in each heart's undreamed, unsought recesses, lie buried many a fond idol, many a treasure. Our spectres stand before us in their dead form, and we touch their icy hands, press kisses on their cold lips; they are constantly sauntering out from their graves; we sigh and weep because we cannot clasp their lividg presence within our arms. It is better that the world should not know our heart's secrets; its bitter scorn and its cold pity would bestow little sympathy; it would neither condole nor solace us under merciless disappointment and withered hopes. We mingle in the whirling throng of human beings, we cross the broad ocean, we travel through foreign countries. Who reads the heart's secrets? They may be guessed, conjectured, suspected, but they are not voluntarily exposed. We prefer to shut them up within the recesses of our bosoms, far out of sight.

Catarrh.

The remarkable results in a disease so universal and with such a variety of characteristics as Catarrh, prove how effectually Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the human system. A medicine, like everything else, can be fairly judged only by its results. We point with pride to the glorious record Hood's Sarsaparilla has entered upon the hearts of thousands of people it has cured of catarrh.

There are times in the history of men and nations when they stand so near the veil that separates mortals from the immortals, time from eternity, and men from their God, that they can almost hear the beatings, and feel the pulsations, of the heart of the Infinite.—*James A. Garfield.*

Excited Thousands.

All over the land are going into ecstacy over Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Their unlooked for recovery by the untimely use of this great life Saving remedy, causes them to go nearly wild in its praise. It is guaranteed to positively cure Severe Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

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Very few men acquire wealth in such a manner as to receive substantial pleasure from it. Just as long as there is the enthusiasm of the chase, they enjoy it, but when they begin to look around and think of settling down, they find that that part by which joys enters is dead within them.

NORTH WOLCOTT, N.Y., Jan. 25, 1883. Rheumatic Syrup Co.:

It is with pleasure I write you in regard to your Rheumatic Syrup. I think it my duty to let the suffering public know what it has done for me. I have suffered greatly two years with rheumatism in my hip. I have tried many liniments but received no benefit from them. Being acquainted with a number who had been cured by the Rheumatic Syrup I gave it a trial, and I am cured after using but four bottles. I know the Syrup will cure any case of rheumatism, if taken as directed, as hundreds will testify in this immediate vicinity. I am gratefully yours, John P. Fowler, Justice of the Peace.

Pimples, blotches, sores or scaly eruptions on any part of the body can be cured by the use of Rheumatic Syrup, which cleanses the system and blood of all impurities, and builds up the debilitated system and gives new life to the feeble and overworked sufferer.

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Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased, that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examining and his application in selecting glasses to fit the eye can only be acquired by a knowledge of the useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants; poor glasses are an abomination. V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to anyone in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses. DANIEL TODD, M.D.

I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles. C. RYND, M.D.

REMEMBER!

I will visit every town in the county during the month.

Is it not preferable to have our treasures so placed that when we die we can go to them? Beware how you labor for that which perisheth, lest you become fascinated, so deeply absorbed as to beggar your soul for eternity.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Jan. 31, '80.

Gentleman—Having been afflicted for a number of years with indigestion and general debility, by the advice of my doctor I used Hop Bitters, and must say they afforded me almost instant relief. I am glad to be able to testify in their behalf. Thos. G. Knox.

ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 19th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Peter W. Adams, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and codicils thereto, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Marcus A. O. Packard, John Margeson, Solomon Crane and Gideon D. Perry, the executors in said will named.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. sep20

DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I Justus Lowe, township drain commissioner of the township of Ridgeway in the county of Lenawee, will, on the 29th day of September, at the house of Norman Ackley, in said township, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, meet parties for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as the 'Ackley Drain' in Ridgeway, commencing 20 feet north of quarter post, between Sections Nos. 11 and 14 t. 6, s. 5 e, thence running east parallel with section line between sections Nos. 11 and 12 162 1-25 rods to the East side of Highway on section line between sections Nos. 11 and 12, thence s. 86° e. 17 15-25 rods, thence east 16 feet south and parallel with section line between sections No. 12 and 13, 209 5-25 rods to the Wahaw Prairie drain, being 409 5-25 rods in length, width to be 8 feet to section line, between sections 11 to 12, from thence ten feet wide to terminus.—

And that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me, and now remaining in my office, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned reserving the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of said letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated this 18th day of September, A.D., 1883.

JUSTUS LOWE, Township Drain Commissioner for the Township of Ridgeway. sep20

ESTATE OF JAMES McKINNEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 3d day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James McKinney, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James Kingan and John Boyd, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, that they have paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of their first account as such executors.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. sep6

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Sept 12, 1883.

LEWIS CAMBURN, MILAN SAGE, Commissioners.

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

William Hayden, Complainant,

vs.

Daniel O'Connor, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of June, 1883, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 24th day of September 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, that being the place of holding said court, the premises described in said decree to wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Adrian in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, viz: Lots one hundred and thirty-eight, (138) one hundred and thirty-nine, (139) and two hundred and ninety-five (295) and two hundred and ninety-six (296) of the eastern addition of the city of Adrian, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated July 31, 1883.

FRANK R. PAYNE, Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. aug9

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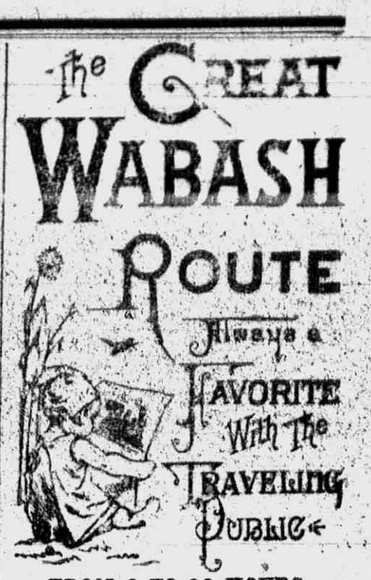

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Clayton—W. K. Dunning
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Petersburg—Isaac Johnson
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Saline—J. C. Wortley
Sharon—W. Pierce
Tecumseh—G. W. Hudson
Waterloo—A. Whitcomb

The Lenawee County Pioneer Society will hold its regular annual meeting in the village of Fairfield on Wednesday, Oct. 1, 1884. A paper will be read on the early history of that township. Persons who have resided in the state forty-two years are requested to become members and are cordially invited to attend. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

F. A. DEWEY, President.

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Tecumseh.

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DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner of the township of Macon, in the county of Lenawee, will on the [illegible] day of October, at the town of Wm. Barnett, in said township, at one o'clock in the afternoon, meet parties for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township, known as Township Drain No. [illegible] in Macon, commencing near the south-west corner of Section [illegible] in Macon, running east along the highway [illegible] thence south and west across Sec. [illegible] to the culvert in the highway west of school house in said district. No. [illegible] Macon then [illegible] and A. to Macon [illegible]

And that I will then and there receive bids for the construction of the same in sections to be apportioned and adapted thereunto by said township commissioner, and let the same to the lowest responsible bidder, or bidders, for the purpose of making the work according to the specifications made by me and on file in my office, and which will be ready for the inspection of the same when and where the contract is let. Said contract will be let respectively, the undersigned reserving the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated this [illegible] day of September, A.D. 1884.

EDWIN HOWELL,

Township Drain Commissioner for the Township of Macon.

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[illegible] Collins before me, a justice of the Peace in and for said county, who, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is a resident of Titusville, Pa., aged [illegible] years. That he has had the Rheumatism for the past fifteen years and a great part of the time unable to work. I am now using Wilson's Rheumatic Remedy for Rheumatism, and feel an immediate relief on the taking of each dose.

THOMAS COLLINS.

Sworn and subscribed to before me April 15th, 1882.

J. B. B. CLARK,
Justice of the Peace.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

IN THE MATTER of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of William Waring, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of November, 1884, and on the 17th day of March, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each day, and that six months from the 17th day of September, 1884, are allowed by the said Judge for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated September 17, 1884.

EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Commissioners.

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To say that we were successful would not half tell the story. OUR TRADE ALMOST DOUBLED, our customers were more than pleased with the bargains we gave them, and we were highly gratified with the liberal patronage bestowed upon us, and this season we intended to strive harder than ever to merit the continuance of the same.

BOYS' & CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.

We have just opened up and put in stock all the new shapes and Styles of Little Folks' Clothing, among which may be found some pretty and attractive garments. Henceforth we shall carry a larger line of these goods than ever. Our trade in this Department has met with such a large increase that we can well afford to, and this increase of trade enables us to sell at

SMALLER MARGINS THAN EVER BEFORE.

With us increase of trade means a decrease of profit. Not only shall our prices be the lowest, but we will carry ten times as many goods as any other house in the city. Our Boys' and Children's department has become very popular, not only because it is fitted up with a view to accommodate our customers, but because the best makes, the prettiest styles and the most attractive assortment of this line of goods can always be found there.

Men's & Youths' Clothing!

We have selected the finest and most desirable goods for this department that were ever brought to the city; in fact the goods look so well as we open them up that we feel sure of selling them without much trouble. The reliable class of goods we handle, together with the uniformly low prices which are characteristic in our institution, are found to meet with public approbation. This department is crammed with new goods, ready for inspection and sale.

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There is no more complete department of the kind in the state. We have just put in stock several cases of new goods, and are every day receiving fresh additions. It is filled to completion with all the latest styles in Gloves, Hosiery, Neckwear, Undershirts, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, &c., and everything at popular prices. We can guarantee to save you twenty-five cents on every dollar you spend with us in this department.

Everybody is invited to examine our Stock whether they wish to buy or not.

C. R. MABLEY,

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Don't fail to visit

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MAMMOTH

CLOTHING STORE!!

We carry the Largest Stock,

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And Guarantee Our Prices

To be as low as the lowest.

MR. E. L. CRAVES,

Whose services we have secured, would be pleased to have his friends call.

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2 Door Commodes,	$4.00.
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Carpet Sweepers,	1.50.
Iron Axle Wagons,	1.50.

Pillows, Chairs, Carts, Tables, Beds, and in fact everything marked way down. Call and see our goods before buying.

A. W. SLAYTON.

Tecumseh Sewing Machine Agency!

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The DOMESTIC AND WHITE stand at the head.

If you want a machine, buy the best. Call and see me or send a postal before buying. I will make it to your interest to do so.

I keep the best OIL and NEEDLES, also attachments for all machines. Old machines repaired at reasonable rates.

Several second hand machines for sale. I have machines from $8.00 to $65.00

Dr. CLARK JOHNSON'S

Indian Blood Syrup

Cures all diseases of the Stomach, Liver, Bowels, Kidneys, Skin and Blood. *Millions* testify to its efficacy in healing the above named diseases, and pronounce it to be the BEST REMEDY KNOWN TO MAN.

TRADE MARK. *Guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia.*

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The Tecumseh Herald.

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Guns and Ammunition,

Also the largest line of

STOVES

Ever on exhibition in northern Lenawee.
Call and see our

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It is the finest Coal Burner in the market.

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PLANING, SAWING AND MATCHING DONE TO ORDER.

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EDWARD E. KOCH,

MANAGER.

Fine Clothing!

For Spring and Summer of 1883.

We are constantly receiving large additions to our stock of Clothing for men, boys, and children, selected with the utmost care and attention, making our assortment the

Largest and most Complete of the Choicest Goods, of the most reliable makes the market affords.

HATS AND CAPS,

FINE WOOL and STRAW in endless variety. An immense assortment of CLOTHS, from which we can make suits cheaper than ever. Our prices are the lowest. We invite an examination.

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I am now prepared to show the largest and best stock of goods in my line ever shown in this county. I invite close buyers to examine my stock and compare prices with Detroit, Toledo or Adrian. My light expenses compared with theirs enables me to undersell them every time. No old shop keepers in my store.

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I take no back seat, you all know. Satisfaction guaranteed,

Charges reasonable.

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Dealers in
DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
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Hewitt's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.
Physician's prescriptions skillfully compounded.

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Crockery and Glassware.
No. 3, Merchants' Block, Tecumseh, Mich.
Highest Cash Price paid for BUTTER, EGGS, ETC.

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Nuts and Fruits of all kinds in their season.
Also Agent for the Farmer's Mutual Insurance Co. of Lenawee Co.
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PURE TEAS A SPECIALTY.
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NEW CANNED MACKEREL
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ARNOLD BROS.,
Proprietors of the old established
STAR BAKERY.
Fresh Bread, Rusks, Cakes, Pies, etc.,
Constantly on hand.
Farmers and others can procure a first-class Lunch at their rooms at all hours.
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Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated
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The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.
Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.
No. 2. MILLS' BLOCK,
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F. P. Deuel, Proprietor.
Opposite Hayden's Warehouse.
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Is now prepared to all kinds of repairing in wood or iron Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

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GLOBE MILLS!
WM. HAYDEN, PROPRIETOR.
TECUMSEH, MICH.
These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated
ROLLER PROCESS,
Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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Before placing your orders for crayon pictures of any size or style, call on your home Photographer,
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and secure reasonable prices.
A No. 1 work and warranted satisfactory. Specimens of the finest work on hand. Call and see them.
Remember the New Ground Floor Gallery on South side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

WM. LEIGH,
—PROPRIETOR OF THE—
Tecumseh Bakery!
And Dealer in
Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c., and everything belonging to a first-class Bakery.
Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.
Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.
Lee's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

East Saginaw has a Heroic coach.

Liquor is causing considerable trouble at Clio.

The new school house at Dansingburg will cost $4,000.

Ripe strawberries of the second crop have appeared at Lansing.

The Presbyterian synod for Michigan meets at Ann Arbor, Oct. 10.

Gas works are being erected at Big Rapids.

Nearly 400 students have matriculated at the University.

There were four weddings in three days at Buchanan last week.

The ministers of East Saginaw and Saginaw City have formed a ministerial association.

A house on the farm of Mrs. Dr. C. Saranac, burned a few nights incendiarism suspected.

A. Darley, formerly a well known South Bend editor, is now a member of the Jackson Citizen staff.

The Norwegian church on Grand ave. makes five for Muskegon this year.

The coal combination at Port Huron has been obliged to lower its rates 50 cents per ton.

Two men, 97 and 94 years old, graced the Pioneer picnic at Galesburg with their presence.

The Norman patent buggy wheel will be manufactured in Lansing by a stock company.

The Lansing Iron Works sold $1,800 worth of saw mill machinery at the State Fair.

Miner's flouring mill at Tompkins Center burned last week; loss $5,000: insured for one-half.

John S. Dixon has platted a 15-acre addition to the village of Charlevoix, and sold 20 out of 52 lots.

Jonesville is thriving between its cotton mills, carriage factories and its shipments of paving stones.

Sanford Brown, a very prominent politician, died at Newaygo, last week, of cerebro spinal meningitis.

The Adrian canning works have put up from 8,000 to 10 000 cans of tomatoes per day, notwithstanding the frost.

Cassopolis is going to have a new opera house, a telephone exchange, and will soon be lighted by street lamps.

From three to ten deer are shipped from along the line of the Detroit, Mackinac & Marquette railroad every day.

Mrs. Postmar, of Grand Rapids, who has eight fatherless children, will sue the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad for $5,000 damages.

The Life-Saving Service decides that the use of oil in calming rough water is of no service where the sea is breaking on the shore.

George A. Lacroft has been appointed by the Governor agent of the State Board of Corrections and Charities for the new county of Arenac.

The Charlotte well is down 415 feet, the depth called for by the contract, and water stands within 13 feet of the surface.

Contrary to expectation, the apple crop in the vicinity of Buchanan shows up fairly well, and is being liberally marketed at 50 cents per bushel.

The Howard City sportsmen killed a fine pelican a few days ago near that place. It measured nine feet from tip to tip and had its pouch full of frogs.

The young ladies' chewing gum club of Lapeer has disbanded. Their jaws became caught on the dead center and they were obliged to give up or starve.

The stone culvert west of Imlay City, which is being built by the Chicago & Grand Trunk railroad, is nearing completion, costing in the neighborhood of $10,000.

An attempt to break jail at Corunna was discovered last week. A long iron bar, used as a door fastening had been cut off with a case knife and was being used to pry off the bars in the corridor when the act was discovered.

Mac Walker, the Port Huron water works man, has put in a set of his works at Plainwell, and they are squirting beautifully. He has also completed a plant at Fremont Center and has several more worlds to conquer.

The congregational authorities at St. Clair have under consideration the increasing of the seating capacity of their church. The regular attendance of a large number of Somerville pupils makes the change the more necessary.

How to Beautify a Home

Almost everybody knows what a relief to the eyes a little spray of greenery in the winter. The wealthy can indulge in expensive conservatories, but those of moderate circumstances, even the very poor, can secure a pretty object at a small expense by following the direction. To begin with, an acorn, which any urchin can procure in the woods, and a pickle jar, which any housekeeper can supply. Procure a fine healthy acorn, and crochet around it a little network cap. Take off the cup first, and leave a long of the cotton to hang the acorn point downward in the glass. The glass must have so much water in it that the tip of the acorn scarcely touches; keep it in a dark closet until it has sprouted, and then put it in the light. A chestnut thus kept in water will sprout the same way. A sweet potato will grow luxuriantly, and may be trained around walls and pictures. A carrot grown in sand is, if well managed, a highly ornamental object. A good, fine and healthy root must be selected, cut off quite evenly the top of the carrot, and place it on top of a pot full of sand, so that the leaves look as if they spring from it. Moisten it well and keep it in the dark until it has begun to sprout, be careful to keep it damp, and move it into the light directly the leaves appear. If the cultivation is successful, an ornament pretty enough for any room will be the result, and which will have to the unacquainted the appearance of a pot of ferns. Another experiment may be made with a turnip, which must be as sound as possible. Clean the outside, taking care not to injure the part from whence the leaves spring. Cut a piece of the bottom and scoop out the inside, so that you have a a hollow cap; fasten string or wire to it, so that it can be hung up. Fill the cavity and keep it filled with water. In a short time the leaves will begin to sprout, and will curl up around the ball of the turnip, forming a pretty little hanging basket. Children can be made to interest themselves in such experiments, which will be found an easy method of inculating taste and refinement; besides, each and all point out their own botanical lesson, and much is to be learned by careful and patient observation and experiment.

Practical Proverbs.

I wouldn't gin a cent for de man who quotes old proverbs an' adopts second-han' mottoes," began Brother Gardner, of the Detroit Limeklin Club, as the crunching of harvest apples suddenly ceased. "Dis am an aige fur ebery man to hold his own plow, an' who am content to let some one else hold it must be satisfied wid cobs in place of co'n. Ef I was so poo' an' low-down dat I had to pick rags, I would have my own maxims an' mottoes. Instead of sayin' 'Doan' put off till to-morrow what kin be dun to-day,' I would have it: 'Now, ole man, you git right up 'n dust, an' sling mo' rags dis week dan any odder chap kin in a month.' 'De odder day I met Comeback Jones. You know he am 'bout sixty y'ars old, an' 'bout as hard up as a woodchuck in a b'ar's grip. I axed de ole man how he was keepin' up wid de purcheshun, an' he replied, "Wall, ize mighty hard up; but dey say it am a long lane dat has no turn." Jist fink of an ole man rid one No. 13 in de grave waitin' fur a turn in de lane to bring him heaps to eat an' lots to w'ar?—All frew life he has carried dat second-han' sayin' wid him, an' am yet a believer in it. Why didn't he have one of his own? If he had said forty years ago: "Doan' foller any lane, but cut across-lots," de wolf wouldn't be arter him to-day. A man who lies de will to make a motto hes de pluck to make it a success. Buckle down to bizness' am a better motto dan any book kin give ye. Let me, in closin', quote some of de mottoes an maxims belongin' to members of dis club:

Sir Isaac Walpole—'Doan' drap fifteen cents in reachin' fur a dollar.'

Waydown Bebee—'When ye can't dig frew a wall climb ober it.'

Giveadam Jones—'Git dar,' if it takes a leg.

Pickles Smith—'Ye can't swim a ribber by sittin' on a bank.'

Samuel Shin—'Sot yer alarm-clock fur six in de mornin'.'

Trustee Pullback—'If de road am up hill, stiffen yer back-bone a little mo'.'

Kyan Johnson—'De man who w'ars his hat on his ear shows de empty side of his head.'

Brutus Jackson—'Hoe co'n wid yer hans and arms 'stead of yer mouf.'

Elder Toots—'Take a job at fust sight, but doan' trade hosses till ye fink it ober.'"

Struggling Lives.

You, reader, who are blessed with a comfortable home—who are well fed and warmly clad and sheltered—you can hardly realize to what straits and make-shifts many a poor mortal is reduced to live honestly, or even live at all. Women there are, delicate, cultured, refined, and all unused to physical labor—women nursed often in the lap of luxury, but thrown suddenly and helplessly upon the world by some social or domestic volcano that engulfed home and friends and left them stranded and alone to struggle with the hard conditions of cruel and relentless poverty. We have seen them thinly and poorly clad, with pinched faces from lack of nourishing food, boarding themselves in cheerless and isolated rooms, and eking out a bare pittance honestly earned with needle or pen—patient, often, and hopeful in their sad and lonely lot. Let their more fortunate sisters, born to affluence and comfort, with every luxury within their reach, imagine themselves suddenly reduced to such extremities, and can they wonder that many a tempted one is led into a gilded life of sin? Truly, society is out of joint, and there is need for a larger measure of charity in the world. We wonder if the favored ones of earth are aware that there is but little virtue in the goodness of one who has never been sorely tempted.

Give hens constant access to lime in some form. Hens must have the raw material in order to manufacture shells; they cannot make them out of nothing.

Guinea fowls will keep all bugs and insects of every description off garden vines. They will not scratch like other fowls, or harm the most delicate plant.

How they Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank, you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" "Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well, thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! Is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, *indeed;* I have *seven* calls to make." "*Do* call again soon." "Thank you; but you don't come near me once in an age." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye." "Good bye, dear."—*Exchange.*

"Gale Forest" gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes! and after writing that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to "brace up." Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hello! old fellow, how are you?" (They shake.) "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top!" "When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" (significantly.) "Well—yes, don't care-if do." (They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around to make sure no outsiders are about, to see they are breaking their pledge—pause—they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being "primed," resume:) "How's yer folks?" "All well how's yours?" "All flourishing now; youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good up your way?" "Well, yes, pretty fair." "How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way; big democratic majority. (Takes out his watch.) "Thunder! ten minutes to 12,—must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements. Good-bye." "Good-bye." They again wring hands, and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to stand another treat.

Where Did Potatoes Come From?

Nobody knows precisely where the potato came from originally. It has been found, apparently indigenous, in many parts of the world. Mr. Darwin, for instance, found it wild in the Chonos Archipelago. Sir W. J. Hooker says that it is common at Valparaiso, where it grows abundantly in the sandy hills near the sea. In Peru and other parts of South America it appears to be at home; and it is a noteworthy fact that Mr. Darwin should have noted it both in the humid forests of the Chonos Archipelago and among the Central Chilian mountains, where sometimes rain does not fall for six months at a stretch. It was to the colonists whom Sir Walter Raleigh sent out in Elizabeth's reign that we are indebted for our potatoes.

Herriot, who went out with these colonists, and who wrote an account of his travels, makes what may, perhaps, be regarded as the earliest mention of this vegetable. Under the heading of "Roots" he mentions what he calls the "openawk." "These roots," he says, "are round, some large as a walnut, others much larger. They grow on damp soils, many hanging together as if fixed on ropes. They are good food, either boiled or roasted."

At the beginning of the seventeenth century this root was planted, as a curious exotic, in the garden of the nobility, but it was long ere it came into general use. Many held them to be poisonous, and it would seem not altogether unreasonably so either. The potato is closely related to the deadly-nightshade and the mandrake, and from its stems and leaves may be extracted a very powerful narcotic. In England prejudice against it was for a long time very strong, especially among the poor.

How Chickens Get Out of Shells

Take an egg out of a nest on which a hen has had her full time, carefully holding it to the ear; turning it around you will find the exact spot which the little fellow is picking on the inside of the shell; this he will do until the inside shell is perforated, and then the shell is forced outward as a small scale, leaving a hole. Now, if you will take one of the eggs in this condition from under the hen, remove it to the house or other suitable place, put it in a box or nest, keeping it warm and moist, as near the temperature of the hen as possible (which may be done by laying it between two bottles of warm water upon some cotton or wool,) and lay a glass over the box or nest, then you can sit or stand, as most convenient, and witness the true *modus operandi.* Now watch the little fellow work his way into the world, and you will be amused and instructed as I have often been. After he has got his opening, he commences a nibbling motion with the point of the upper bill on the outside of the shell, always working to the right (if you have the large end of the egg from you, and the hole upward,) until he has worked his way almost around, say with one-half of an inch of an in a perfect circle; he then forces the cap or butt end of the shell off, and then has a chance to straighten his neck, and thereby loosening his legs somewhat, and so, by their help forcing the body from the shell.—*American Farm Journal.*

Cost of Bringing up a Boy.

A clergyman who has been discoursing about boys has devoted considerable attention to the cost of these somewhat necessary individuals, and he estimates the expense of bringing a good boy, with all the advantages of city life, to the age of fifteen, at about $5,000. These figures are about doubled by the time the boy is of age, if he goes through college. A bad boy, arrived at the age mentioned, costs fully as much, even if he has not been to college, and the computation, as the reverend gentleman suggests, does not include the value of the mother's tears and father's gray hairs. Most men who have brought up boys will agree that the estimate is not too high.

SAVING MOTHER.

The farmer sat in his easy chair
Between the fire and the lamplight's glare
His face was ruddy and full and fair,
His three small boys in the chimney nook
Conned the lines of a picture book;
His wife, the pride of his home and heart,
Baked the biscuit and made the tart,
Laid the table and steeped the tea—
Deftly, swiftly, silently;
Tired and weary, weak and faint,
She bore her trials without complaint
Like many another household saint—
Content all selfish bliss above,
In the patient ministry of love.

At last, between the clouds of smoke
That wreathed his lips, the farmer spoke:
"There's taxes to raise and interest to pay
And if cherry should come a rainy day
I'm will be mighty handy. I'm sound to say
I have heard tell pin by. For folks must die
And their funeral bills are grave stones to buy—
Enough to stump a man, pretty high;
Besides, there's Edward and Dick and Joe
To be provided for when we go.
So, if I were you, I tell you what I'd do
I'd be savin' of wood as ever I could—
Extra fires don't do any good
I'd be savin' of soap an' savin' of the
And run apes and candles once in a
I'd rather be sparing of coffee an' tea
For sugar is high,
All all to buy,
And cider is good enough drink for me
[illegible]
And look out sharp lest the money slips
[illegible] half knows.

I'd tell the best of my cheese an' honey,
An' eggs is as good high' but as the money;
An' as to the carpet you wanted new—
I guess [illegible]
And as for the washer an' sewin' machine.
Them sinews to quite agree to so freaky mean
You'd better get rid of [illegible] clean.
What do they know 'bout women's work,
Do they calculate women was made to shirk?"

Dick and Edward and little Joe
Sat in the corner in a row.
They saw the patient mother go
On ceaseless errands to and fro
They saw that her form was bent and [illegible]
Her temples gray, her cheeks sunk in.
They saw the quiver of lip and chin—
And then, with a wrath he could not smother,
Outspoke the youngest, fearless brother:

"Yer a right ter savin' wood an' lie
An' tea an' sugar all the while,
But you NEVER talk of SAVIN' MOTHER!"

MEDICAL ADVICE.

Take the open air, the more you take the better;
Follow nature's laws to the very letter;
Let the physic go to the bay of Biscay;
Let alone the gin, the brandy and the whisky.

Freely exercise, keep your spirits cheerful;
Let no dreams of sickness make you ever fearful.
Eat the simplest food, drink the pure cold water;
Then you will be well, or at least you ought to.

THE SETTLER'S STRATEGEM.

BY CLINTON MONTAGUE.

Mark Stanton was one of those hardy pioneers who, in the early settlement of the country, moved from the more thickly settled seaboard and pitched his cabin in the valley at the Saco, far away from the seats of civilization. His nearest neighbor lived at a distance of two miles, near the western border of Lovewell's Pond. A wife and one child accompanied him into the wilderness.

The Indians at this period were peculiarly troublesome. Paugus indeed was dead—the great Sagamore whose name had been a source of terror for years, to even distant settlements; but the remnant of his tribe still made their home upon the broad meadow of the Saco and among the adjacent hills. Unable to make any large or connected attacks upon the invading whites, the red men contented themselves with pillage and theft and other annoyances. Against these numerous depredations the settlers had no adequate means of defense, and if they found their fowls, swine or cows missing, they had to submit to the loss as best they might.

Stanton had been a victim to these depredations on several occasions, but had attempted no retaliation. The chief leaders of the savages in these plundering inroads were two braves noted for their strength and ferocity, named Mattampa and Kalarna. On more than one occasion these warriors had even burned cabins and scalped the owners, and the settler deemed himself fortunate that no such injuries had been offered him.

One September day Mark found it necessary to visit his neighbor Drover's to obtain a few supplies that they stood in need of. So kissing the four-year-old daughter, and bidding his wife to guard carefully against any attack of the Indians, the settler took his rifle and departed for the settlement.

His stay was protracted to a later hour than he had anticipated, and it was nearly sundown when he set out on his return. He hurried his steps almost to a run as he thought of the anxiety that would be his wife's at his prolonged absence. Yet in his haste he neglected not to use both eyes and ears; for the settler was a true hunter, and had more than once saved his life by his craft and forest lore.

When about half the intervening distance had been passed, Stanton heard a noise that made him pause. It sounded like the cry of a child, and it was not far from his path. He listened in suspense and again heard the cry repeated. This time he recognized the voice as that of his own child, his darling Annie, whom he had last seen in her mother's arms at home. The cry was one of entreaty, of terror, too, and Stanton's heart beat loudly at the thought of the girl's danger.

He guessed instinctively what had happened. The Indians had visited his home during his absence and accomplished their fell purpose. As soon as the first shock of horror was passed he was nerved to action. Bending his ear to the ground he plainly heard the pit-pat of footsteps, but he was surprised to discover that there was but a single savage.

Quickly, but cautiously, he crept through the bushes, and finally got a glimpse of the red man at a little distance, hurrying through the deep wood. The Indian was tall and powerful, and he bore the light form under his arms as though it had been a mere feather's weight. The little thing had ceased to struggle, for one of the great red hands was pressed hard over her mouth, and she seemed nearly exhausted.

It took Mark Stanton but a moment to conclude what to do. He did not dare to rush upon the savage and attempt to beat him down, for he knew that if the red man was alarmed before he reached him the life of the child would be sacrificed. On the other hand, if he trusted to his rifle, there was a bare possibility that the girl might be injured, but it was far the better course. Hurrying cautiously forward until he reached a favorable point, he raised his trusty weapon to his shoulder. Leveling it full at the center of the red man's head, he took a careful aim and pulled the trigger. The next moment a sharp report rang through the forest.

Without waiting for the smoke to clear away, Stanton rushed forward and found the savage just gasping in his death struggle, while little Annie lay screaming by his side. He soon pacified the child, who he found was uninjured. Then he reloaded his rifle and made a hasty examination of the fallen Indian. The settler did not recognize him, but from his dress and ornaments he judged he was a warrior of some note.

Leaving him where he had fallen, Stanton took his child in his arms and wended his way homeward. It was quite dusk when he reached there, and he found his wife waiting for him nearly crazed with grief. The mother's strength returned when she saw her child, and after the congratulations of the hour, Mrs. Stanton told her story.

She had left Annie sleeping in her bed and went out to milk the cow. When she returned the child was missing. She had immediately begun a search, but without avail, and was fast approaching hysterics when her husband returned. She now urged im immediate flight to the Pond, and Stanton promised to accede to her wishes as soon as their ripening crops were harvested.

The following morning the settler went to the place where he had left the dead Indian, with the intention of burying him; but he found that the body had been carried away. There were heavy tracks about the spot, and Stanton readily conjectured that some of the warrior's friends had effected the removal. With this conclusion he retraced his steps, determined to keep his eyes open and his rifle ready.

The second morning afterwards as Mark Stanton stepped from his cabin he saw something lying upon the door-stone. He stooped and picked it up, and saw that it was an arrow, with the skin of a rattlesnake around about it. He knew what the fatal signal meant at once. The man who left that snake-bound shaft at his door had sworn to kill him.

The settler was a brave man, but this stern significant token affected him as the presence of the avenger himself would have not. At first he thought he would not tell his wife, but on reflection, he concluded it would be better to let her into the secret. It would be better for her and better for him, for a constant watch must now be maintained.

Mrs. Stanton's first impulse, as soon as she understood what her husband told her, was to hasten to the settlement.

"That would hardly be a safe undertaking," returned the settler; "for my enemy may be even now watching near the cot, and were we to start out I might get a bullet through my body."

The young wife was sorely frightened, but she saw the reasonableness of her husband's statement and she urged her point no further. All that day they kept within doors, and during the night Stanton did not relinquish his watch. But no signs of Indians were visable.

On opening the door in the morning, however, the settler saw another arrow laying near the door-step. To this one a roll of birch bark was attached. Carrying it into the house, he unrolled the bark and found it embellished with a rude drawing. It was not difficult to make out what was intended to be conveyed.

In one corner of the segment was the picture of a dead Indian, and from the hieroglyphics underneath, Stanton gathered the fact that it was meant for Mattampa, one of the noted braves of the Pequaket tribe. Beyond him was another brave, with drawn bow in his hand and arrow speeding from it. Under this one was the name of Kalarna. The third figure represented a white man with an arrow piercing his bosom.

The settler's anxiety was not materially decreased by the knowledge that his foeman was one of these distinguished braves. He knew he had to deal with one of the most crafty and relentless savages of that region, and he knew enough of the Indian's character to know that he would not swerve from his revengeful plan until he had performed the deed or fallen in the conflict.

"What shall we do? What shall we do?" cried Mrs Stanton, shielding Annie in her arms. "We may be surrounded by enemies at this moment."

"That is not probable," said her husband. "Kalarna is too much of a brave to suffer that. I have slain his brother, and he alone will seek revenge. He has given me fair warning, and now he will hang around my path till he accomplishes his fell purpose, unless I can contrive to circumvent him. He thinks he has put me on the rack, and his next step will be to put a rifle ball through my heart. But he will work in the dark."

"Could I not go to the settlement and inform them of your danger?" asked the heroic wife, brave now that she knew what the danger was that was to be met.

Stanton shook his head dubiously. "You would not be permitted to do that," he answered. "Besides, I would not have you undergo such a risk."

The situation was truly a perplexing one. The stout settler was imprisoned in his own cabin as surely as though he had been within the walls of a dungeon. The avenger was already on his track, and might be even then hidden in the green wood. He felt confident that, should he step one foot out of doors his body would be the mark for a bullet.

In the middle of the afternoon Mrs. Stanton opened the back door and went out to get a pail of water. The spring was situated a few rods from the cabin, near a thicket of trees and bushes. As she stooped to dip the water she saw the painted visage of an Indian glaring at her through some sassafras bushes. Though trembling with fear she did not betray a sign that she had observed him and bore her pail in with seeming carelessness into the house. Once within she sat down pale and trembling.

"I have seen an Indian," said she, in reply to her husband's questioning. "He is hid in the clump of white woods by the spring. Oh, you will be killed! Mark, you will be killed!"

Stanton stepped to one of the small loopholes between the logs and looked sharply out. The bushes in question were not over ten rods from the door. He could see no Indian there, but he knew it was a place where an Indian might hide, and he did not doubt his wife's eyesight. Kalarna was probably there waiting for his appearance.

The settler's craft did not desert him. He felt easier to know that his enemy was near him, for he could make his plans accordingly. He knew his enemy's position and that knowledge placed him, as it were, on something like an equality with him.

"Mary," said he to his wife, "I am going to kill that Indian."

"What are you going to do?" she cried in agony of pain and suspense. "The moment your step a foot outside the door you will be shot."

"Of course, if I go out I am subject to be killed. But suppose something should go out that only looked like me, what then?" he asked.

"What do you mean, Mark?" and Mrs. Stanton gazed into her husband's face as if to comprehend his meaning.

"I mean that we will send out a man of straw to draw the enemie's fire. After that it will be my turn at the rifle. Now do you understand?"

The wife said she thought she did.

"Then let us go to work as quickly as possible, before the Indian changes his lurking place."

Stanton's plan was clear enough, and they proceeded to speedily carry it into execution. The settler doffed his clothes, which they stuffed with bedding. A proper looking head was fashioned from a pillow, on one side of which was tacked a piece of pearskin to represent hair. Upon this was placed a hat, and when all was completed it formed as respectable a looking effigy as could be gotten up, indeed, so excellent was the likeness that the good wife declared that, had she seen it for the first time in the woods, she should not have known it from her husband.

In order to perfectly carry out the settler's plan a broom handle was fixed to the effigy, under the right arm, so that it could be held in an upright position. Mrs. Stanton then practiced upon it until she could move it about as if it had life.

When all was ready the settler took his station at the loophole which looked towards the cover of the Indian. He had already his rifle in readiness, and as soon as the muzzle of the piece was in its place, and he was sure of his aim, he gave the signal to his wife.

She opened the door very slowly, and carefully lifted the image out over the threshold upon the stone, holding it there steadily. At the same moment Stanton saw a human head lifted cautiously above the white wood bushes. The eagle features and the painted countenance told that it was an Indian brave. The settler instantly covered the right eye of the red man with the sight of his rifle.

The redskin discharged his rifle at the same instant with the white man, so that both reports were simultaneous. A loud death yell told the result of the settler's shot, and Stanton saw his red foeman leap into the air and fall to the ground. The Indian's aim had been no less certain, for on examining the effigy they found a bullet hole just where the heart would have lain in a human bosom.

After awhile Mark Stanton went out to the white wood bushes. He found the vengeful Kalarna stone dead. A bullet had passed into his right eye through the brain. The red man had fought his last battle.

He buried the dead body at a distance, and removed as well as he could all traces of the conflict, then for two or three days kept a careful watch. But he was not molested. The attempt upon his life had been planned by Kalarna alone, and the death of the redoubtable warrior was not traced to his hands.

The sturdy pioneer lived there many years and prospered. Grandchildren grew up around him, to whom the adventures of their grandsire were as interesting as fairy tales. But there was one story they never heard without a tremor, and that was the hunter's strategem when he slew the famous Pequaket.

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What Common Sense Does.

Common sense is symmetry of mind, character, and of purpose in the individual combined. It represents man in completeness, harmony, and equipoise. It clothes him with dignity, invests him with power, and stamps him with superiority. It is not genius, for that is often erratic; or cunning, in its sinuous course; nor art, with its decline into trickery. Common sense is the embodiment of true manhood. It confers a patent of royalty, though birth be plebian, and exalts men from their lowliest spheres to the highest stations. Not by sudden freaks of fortune or a train of adventitious circumstances are they thus dignified; but step by step, through obstacle and hindrance, they gain it by force of character and the right use of will power. Common sense is a tremendous force in this lower world. Its power is felt and acknowledged [illegible] all the manifestations of genius, business, finance, and commerce. In fact it is the [illegible] has the true philosophy of life. It is the self that has saved itself, [illegible] and the impetus that has propelled the race onward in all progress and civilization.

Humor in the Stomach.

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Astronomy is a beautiful science. We are told that if a railway was to run from the earth to the nearest fixed star, and the fare was one penny for every hundred miles, and if you were to take a mass of gold to the ticket-office equal to twice the national debt—or $3,800,000,000—it would not be sufficient to pay for a ticket to the nearest fixed star aforesaid. If this be the case, it matters very little to us whether such a railway is ever constructed. It would be discouraging to go to the ticket-office with a mass of gold equal to $3,800,000,000, and be informed that the fare was $5,678,032,000. If the ticket agent wouldn't trust until we got back, we'd be compelled to forego the trip.—*Norristown Herald.*

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Why Woolen Fabrics Shrink.

The fibers of wool and certain kinds of hairs are toothed or jagged at the edges, the teeth, or imbrications, pointing upward—that is, from the root to the point. When subjected, therefore, to compression or friction, these fibers, being free to move only in one direction by reason of these asperities of surface, have a great tendency to unite and lock together. This explains the peculiar capability possessed by wool of felting, and also the shrinking of fabrics of wool. In the latter case, the excessive rubbing to which they are subjected causes a matting or binding together of the ultimate fibres, which causes shrinkage; and this is intensified by changing the goods from hot to cold water, which is usually practiced, as the contraction of the fibres which this causes is itself a felting process. For washing woolen articles, it is recommended to place them in warm water, never in cold; and if changed from one water to another, they should go from hot to hotter. They should be cleansed with as little and as gentle friction as possible. The fibers of cotton and linen are straight and smooth, and possess none of the surface roughness that characterize the structure of wool, hence they do not shrink in washing.

It makes every humanitarian sad to see invalids seek such relief as is given them by the use of bitters, kidney medicines, and other nostrums. The first few doses may make them feel better on account of its stupefying ingredients, combined with some strong cathartic and diuretic that are used in its composition, but they eventually grow worse. The only cure for weakness, nervousness, debility, aches, pains, rheumatism, sores, urinary and digestive troubles, is to make the blood rich, red and pure, by using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, a remedy widely indorsed by physicians who have examined into its composition and effect.

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Nervous, dyspeptic individuals, whose distress of mind and body make life miserable, if your sufferings have been prolonged and increased by the use of bitters and pretended cures of kidney and liver diseases, throw all such nostrums aside, and find health, strength and vigor in that simple remedy known as Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood, strengthens the urinary and digestive organs, and infuses new life into all parts of the body. No other remedy equals it. Have your druggist get it for you.

Long visits, long [illegible] long exhortations, and [illegible] profit those who h[illegible] Life is short. Time is sho[illegible] are precious. Learn to condense [illegible] and intensify. We can bear things are dull if they are only short. We [illegible] endure many an ache and ill if it is [illegible] soon, while even pleasures grow insipid, and pain intolerable, if they be protracted beyond the limits of reason and convenience. Learn to be short. Lop off branches; stick to the main facts in your case. If you pray, ask for what you would receive, and get through; if you speak, tell your message and hold your peace; boil down two words into one, and three into two. Always learn to be short.

If your lungs are weak, if a cold causes you quick distress, you will breath easier, you will cough less, you will strengthen the pulmonary organs, you will feel better every way if you will occassionally use Dr. Wistar' Balsam of Wild Cherry. Ask your druggist for it.

A distinguished scholar and writer recently said: "I flounder in a sea of scraps." In these days, when the papers contain so many fine sentiments, beautiful descriptions, touching incidents, items of importance, and matters of permanent interest, culled from all departments of life, there is scarcely a day in which something does not strike the eye which the reader wishes to preserve, in order to remember and perhaps to use. One of the first things a bright boy or girl should make is a scrap-book, of things which interest most. If you have no book, put your selections in different envelopes, according to subjects. The newspaper is a circulating library, with little of everything in it, and a little for everybody. Make sure of your part of it as you read.

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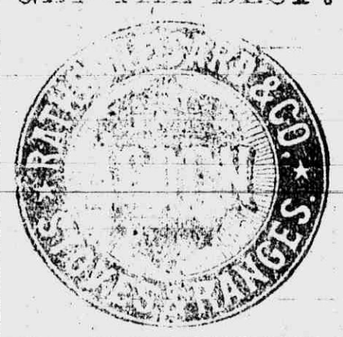

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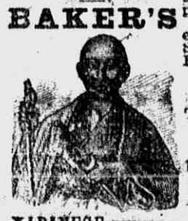

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Some Physical Fruits of Idleness.

The mind should be always occupied; it is strengthened and preserved in a healthy state by work; whereas it decays or becomes impoverished by disease; or what is even worse, since it is impossible to keep the brain absolutely at rest, its powers should be profitably employed, or they react on the system, and give rise to the numberless ailments, physical, mental, and moral, known as hysteria. This term almost implies that I am thinking of the female sex; certainly it is to women especially that the want of occupation applies. Young men are forced to get their living whether they like it or not; but a large number of young ladies in a family have absolutely nothing to do. Those brought up in the country have this advantage, that they may always make work for themselves; the village children may be otherwise taught and cared for; bringing not only a blessing upon them, but a healthy body and mind to the benefactor. In town the condition of middle-class girls is to me pitiable. They are too genteel to follow any occupation; they are often too many in a family to assist in domestic duties; they have returned home with some very poor accomplishments; their knowledge of French and German is not sufficient to allow them to converse in those languages; with music just enough to indulge in doleful song or play badly on the piano. They dawdle through the day in a listless way, and fall victims to a thousand little ailments which the doctor is supposed to put right by physic. And the most curious thing is that, should the instincts of the girl force her to put some of her energies into use, she is likely as not to be thwarted by her mother. I am a daily witness to this; and, when young ladies are brought to me for advice, the invariable story is that they are overtaxing their strength; the maternal instinct being so perverted that it has become with many the belief that every movement means fatigue, and absolute rest is the way to ensure health. It is against this very erroneous view that I am now preaching. These mothers do not come to the doctor for advice, but come to dictate to him; and they say, "I want you, doctor, to insist on my daughter not playing the organ at church, for it is too much for her; or having the children's class once a week, for she is always ill after it; but order her to have her breakfast in bed, and a glass of port wine about 11 o'clock." It is this fanciful care on the part of parents which is so injurious for the very energy of young people would command them to occupy themselves. I do not know that girls are worse than boys in respect of idleness; for probably the latter would not work unless obliged, and even for them an occupation is good quite apart from that at which earn their daily bread.

The Leading-Strings Fallacy.

From the moment a child is born, he is treated on the principle that all his instincts are essentially wrong, that nature must be thwarted and counteracted in every possible way. He is strapped up in a contrivance that he would be glad to exchange for a straight-jacket, kept for hours in a position that prevents him from moving any limb of his body. His first attempts at locomotion are checked; he is put in leading-strings, he is carefully guarded from the out-door world, from the air that would invigorate his lungs; from the sports that would develop his muscles. Hence, the peevishness, awkwardness, and sickliness of our young aristocrats. Poor people have no time to imitate the absurdities of their wealthy neighbors, and their children profit by what the model nurse would undoubtedly call neglect. Indian babies are still better off. They are fed on bull-beef, and kicked around like young dogs; but they are not swaddled, they are not cradled, and not dosed with paregoric; they crawl around naked, and soon learn to keep out of the way; they are happy, they never cry. If we would treat our youngsters in the same way, only substituting kisses and bread for kicks and beef, they would be as happy as kids in a clover field, and moreover they would afterward be hardier and stronger. Every week the newspapers tell us about ladies tumbling down stairs and breaking both arms; boys falling from a fence and fracturing their collar-bones. From what height would a young Comanche have to fall to break such bones—not to mention South-sea Island children and young monkeys? The bones of an infant are plastic; letting it tumble and roll about would harden the bony tissue; guarding it like a piece of brittle crockery makes its limbs as fragile as glass. Christian mothers reproach themselves with neglecting their duty to their children if they do not constantly interfere with their movements, but they forget that in points of physical education Nature herself is such an excellent teacher that the apparent neglect is really a transfer of the pupil to a more efficient school.

Sun-Spot Suppositions.

Enthusiasts who make a special study of sun-spots and attendant phenomena believe that the corner-stone of a new science is being laid by discoveries pointing to an intimate connection between solar and terrestrial meteorology. Just what the connection is they are not yet able to clearly define, although electricity is suspected of being the agent through which the effects are manifested upon our planet. It is known that the gaseous envelope of the sun is affected by eruptions of such prodigious magnitude as to be utterly beyond our power of conception, these disturbances appearing to us in the form of rapidly changing spots and protuberances. The eras of the spots—or sun-storms—occur at remarkably regular intervals, a complete cycle of the various stages of activity from maximum to minimum, and again to maximum being performed in about eleven years—the so-called "sun-spot period." The sun-spot physicists claim a coincidence of the periods of maximum spots and years of great atmospheric and physical disturbance in the earth. The year 1881 was one of great solar disturbances, while it was marked by violent storms and earthquakes upon our globe. Further than this, these scientists claim to have recently detected by simultaneous observation minor atmospheric changes as the result of corresponding movements in the sun. Many difficulties attend these observations, but the Astronomer Royal for Scotland and others believe that the state of the sun will some day become an important factor in weather forecasts and like calculations.

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A City of Perfumes.

A writer in *All the Year Round* says: The Tunisian Arabs have a passion for flowers, and as soon as their spring commences, even the poorest and raggedest may be seen with delicately scented blossom stuck above his ear, the stalk resting amid the folds of his turban and the flower projecting over his dark cheek. I have been told by those who have thirty years' knowledge of these people, that they will almost go without bread to buy flowers. And there is something in the sight of a gaunt, toil-worn Arab, whose sole garment may consist of a piece of coarse sacking and a ragged old turban, with a bunch of delicate spring blossoms drooping their cool freshness against his swarthy cheek, which stirs a strange mingling of sympathy and pity and admiration.

The perfumes distilled at Tunis have been famous from time immemorial, and I really think the Tunisians are right when they declare that their roses are sweeter than all others. There is one very large, rather pale rose, in particular, from which the famous attar is extracted, which exhales an odor so powerful and yet so delicate that it seems a figure of speech to speak of the "odors of Paradise," and one can understand that the Mohammedan's heaven would hardly be complete without it. But at Tunis it is not only the rose which is made to yield up its sweet breath, to be afterwards imprisoned in cunning little caskets and sparkling crystal flasks enriched with gilding, suggesting to the wandering fancy of the Arabian Nights' haunted traveler (and who is there who is not continually haunted by that wonderful book from the moment he finds himself among Oriental scenes?) the imprisoned spirit of some fairy, in eternal subjection to the powerful genii man. The odors of the violets, jasmine, the orange flower, and many others are extracted with equal skill, and in the bazaars mingle their scents with the perfume of sandal-wood and other sweet smelling woods, whose names I do not know, and with that of the curious most odoriferous dark substance which the natives call amber.

If you go to buy perfumes, the vendor will perhaps offer you a little ivory box (Arabian Nights again!) or porcelain vase containing a scented unguent for the hair, or may be a string of beads to hang around your neck, apparently thinking it of small consequence in what way you perfume your person so that the desired odor is conveyed to the senses. In Arab households incense and sandal-wood are frequently burned on charcoal braizers. The Arabian women of the higher class are extravagantly fond of highly scented earrings, bracelets, etc., and a lady told me that on being introduced into the apartment of a newly married wife she saw suspended on the wall a magnificent kind of necklace, almost as large as a collar of the Order of the Golden Fleece, formed of scented woods and amber, enriched with plates and beads of pure gold, finely worked. This ornament perfumed the whole apartment, and my friend was informed that in well-to-do households it was always to be found in the chamber of the newest wife.

Useful Recipes.

Rye Breakfast Cakes.—Two cups of rye meal, one-half cup of sweet milk, one teaspoonful of soda, and a little salt. Bake at once in gem pans.

Lemon Butter for Tarts.—Lemon butter is excellent for tarts. It is made as follows: One pound pulverized white sugar, whites of six eggs and yolks of two, three lemons, including grated rind and the juice. Cook twenty minutes over a slow fire, stirring all the while.

Parsley Sauce.—Wash a bunch of parsley in cold water, then boil it for six or seven minutes in salt and water; drain it, cut the leaves from the stalk and chop them fine. Have ready some melted butter and stir in the parsley; allow two small tablespoonfuls of leaves to one-half pint of butter. Serve with fish and with boiled fowls.

Baked Apple Pudding.—Six apples well stewed, quarter of a pound of butter, half of it stirred into the apples while hot; add sugar to taste; when cold add six eggs well beaten to the apples. Pound and sift six crackers, butter your dish and put in a layer of cracker and a layer of the prepared apple, and thus until you have filled your dish; let the cracker be the upper layer and put the remainder of your butter in small bits upon it. Bake half an hour.

Sauce Tartare.—Mix the following ingredients with a pint of good mayonnaise, and keep the sauce cool until wanted for use: One teaspoonful of chopped shallot or white onion, one tablespoonful each of finely chopped capers, parsley, and pickled gherkins; in the spring and summer add one tablespoonful of chopped green tarragon; in the winter substitute the sprig of tarragon which is always placed in the bottles containing capers, and which, of course, must be finely chopped.

Beef à la Mode.—Take ten or twelve pounds of beef, (rump,) and lard the meat through with ten long pieces of fat bacon; then put it into a long earthen pan with a calf's foot, four onions, two carrots, (if large cut in slices,) a bunch of parsley, two bay leaves, two sprigs of thyme, two cloves stuck into one of the onions, half a teaspoonful of pepper, one of salt, four wine-glasses of sherry, four wine-glasses of water, and a pound of steaked bacon cut in squares; put a cover over the pan, and make it air-tight with a paste of flour and water around the edges; place it in a moderate oven for four hours; then take it out of the pan and dress it upon a dish with vegetables; pass the gravy through a hair sieve and pour it over the meat and serve. This dish is the best eaten cold, when it should not be taken from the pan or the pan opened until nearly so.

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Read for a Purpose.

It is a mistake to suppose that the more a person reads the wiser he will grow, as a matter of course. I know a young girl of perhaps fourteen, who is a devourer of books of the story sort, such as fill most of our Sunday-school libraries. Every spare minute she gives to the business, and travels through the volumes at a most rapid pace. But it seems exactly like pouring water through a sieve. Not a valuable idea stays in the mind. The whole attention is absorbed in finding out "how the story turns out," with no reference whatever to its teachings. Daniel Webster, when a boy, obtained more information from a farmer's almanac than she would from whole shelves full of Books read in that manner.

Indeed such reading weakens the mind instead of strengthening it. Nor does it soften the heart toward real suffering to have the feelings touched and even greatly moved by fictitious sorrows. Even high admiration of self-denial and moral heroism in a favorite character leads to no corresponding action in the readers' life. Rather all demands upon her sympathy and self-denial make her only peevish and irritable. Have you never seen an absorbed reader of fiction weeping over a pathetic tale, but indignant when a weary mother called her off to attend to neglected duties. How angrily the thread of ever-day work was taken up, and how little her presence contributed to lighten the home cares! Any reading that has such an effect on the mind is an evil of a decided character and of most serious magnitude. A well-written story which has a decided point to it is a relaxation for both mind and body; but stories of perverted moral sentiment, where black is invariably painted white, and *vice versa*, are only pernicious, destroying both soul and body.

Read for a purpose, and make the points of the book your own. If a story is read for recreation, let it be a good one in the truest sense, and do not make such reading the sole literary food. When we have found an author who sets our own minds at work in a laudable direction, we have opened a good mine. There are some writers who stop us, in effect, in every half page or less, with new trains of thought which their words have awakened; and better still, they set us to doing as well as thinking. Cultivate such helpful friends and you will then secure the noblest end of reading, and will have paved the way for high improvement. After the habit is once well formed of reading for a high and noble purpose, it will be found a source of enjoyment never dreamed of in the old days when reading was only an amusement.

How Does He Sleep?

One of the most important things to know about any man upon whom you are going to place any dependence, is how he sleeps. Sleeplessness may sometimes be involuntary. There may have been some shock to the man's nerves which has made him insomnolent; but sleeplessness is more frequently voluntary. Men choose to push their studies or their work into those hours when they should sleep. It does not matter for what cause any man may do this, the mere fact of not sleeping spoils his case. He may spend his nights in the theater, in the study, or in the "protrated meeting." It will make no difference; the result to the body will be the same. The sleep was not had, and for that the man must pay.

One man may do with a little less sleep than another; but, as a general rule, if you want a clerk, a lieutenant, a lawyer, a physician, a legislator, a judge, a president or a pastor, do not trust your interests to any man that does not take eight good, solid hours of sleep out of every twenty-four. Whatever may be his reason for it, if he does not give himself that, he will snap sometime just when you want him to be strong.

The intellectual and moral connections of sleeping have, I think, not been sufficiently appreciated. Men and boys have been praised for "burning the midnight oil." Now this "midnight oil" is a delusion and a snare. The student who is fast asleep at eleven o'clock every night and wid awake every morning at seven o'clock is going to surpass another student of the same intellectual ability who goes to bed after twelve and rises before five. In sleep, the plate on which the picture is to be taken is receiving its chemical preparation, and it is plain that that which is the best prepared will take the best picture.

Men who are the fastest asleep when they are asleep, are the widest awake when they are awake.

Great workers must be great resters.

Every man who has clerks in his employ ought to know what their sleeping habits are. The young man who is up till two, three and four o'clock in the morning, and must put in his appearance at the bank or store by nine or ten o'clock and work all day, cannot repeat this process many days without a certain shakiness coming into his system, which he will endeavor to steady by some delusive stimulus. It is this way that many a young man begins his course to ruin. He need not necessarily have been in bad company. He has lost his sleep, and losing sleep is losing strength and grace.—*Rev. De. Deems.*

Writing for the Press.

There are thousands of young folks who long to write for the papers and get well paid for it. From the first they think they ought to receive three or four dollars a column, valuing their attempts by the labor expended upon them rather than by their capacity for pleasing the public. Now to get handsomely paid one must write handsomely; to write handsomely one must know what the public knows, or would like to know, and be able to tell it in such a style that the public will be eager to hear it. There are thousands who long to write, but have no special aptitude or preparation or resource for writing, just as there are thousands who long to be rich, but cannot compass their desires in that direction, and thousands who long to be beautiful, and vainly exhaust fashion, corsets and all that in the attempt. Meantime, those who are bound to succeed at writing, and "have it in them" to succeed, will keep on steadily and quietly at their books and pens, climbing up slowly, it may be, but steadily, to place and pay, first deserving success and then attaining it—just as men grow rich by small accretions at first and larger accretions afterward. There is an immense reading public, and there must be an immense army of writers to supply the demand. As education and intelligence advance, the demands on writers for higher grades of literary work and newspaper work, will advance, and the more difficult it will be to fill the highest place of honor and emolument in the world whereof the pen is the power. But the lists are open to all, and some must surely succeed. Why not you as well as another?

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VACATION RAMBLES.

A WEEK'S TRIP AMONG THE RESORTS OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

The First Two Days Out. From Tecumseh to Mackinac Island.

All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy. This adage is quite very worthy of a trial. Jack sets type, measures calico, dispenses law and justice, converts sinners, runs a railroad, or edits a city daily, hands and collects subscriptions for a country newspaper. Whatever Jack's employment may be he needs a play spell occasionally. A resolve once made generally finds some method of accomplishment and having resolved to take a brief respite from work the question "Where shall we go"—is the most difficult one to answer. Long Branch, Newport and Saratoga are *par excellence*, the most fashionable resorts, where the aristocracy congregate, the Islands of Lake Erie present many attractions, the expositions at Cincinnati, Chicago and Louisville afford an excellent opportunity for a man to spend his money and see the sights. Fun and hay fever were the two causes which decided the question in the present instance. The desire to absorb a little fun and dispel an attack of hay fever turned the scale in favor of Northern Michigan. But even when away on a pleasure trip the average editor finds it necessary to take notes of his wanderings and thus furnish copy for the typos of the office. Discarding the clumsy editorial "we" and adopting the good old-fashioned egotistical big "I", I will endeavor to give the readers of the HERALD a few pencil sketches of what I saw and did during my ten days absence from home.

Having brushed up my prog hat, and having stuffed the big grip sack with a few changes of linen, a waterproof coat, some extra lead pencils, a batch of copy paper, an old hat, a life preserver, a fire escape, a bottle of hartshorn and a tooth brush I left "the boys" behind me on Wednesday, Sept. 19th, at ten o'clock A. M., and drove to Adrian. Taking the noon train at that place I had a delightful ride over the hills and dales of Hillsdale, Branch and St. Joe, and across the beautiful prairie farms in the vicinity of White Pigeon, Three Rivers and Schoolcraft to Kalamazoo. And right here I would remark that for safety and comfort to the passenger no road is superior to the old Lake Shore and Michigan Southern. It has all the modern improvements in the construction of its coaches, and a faithful corps of employees, tested by long experience. Kalamazoo is called "The Big Village." It is noted for its celery and its spring tooth harrows, its shaded streets and fast horses, its insane asylum and pretty girls. This season's celery crop is valued at the modest little sum of two hundred thousand dollars. The celery export for this year would provide the White house with salad for the balance of the present century, and would season enough church festival soup to float the whole state of Michigan in. The Reed family have recently succeeded in their big patent suit, which adjudged all other spring tooth harrows to be infringements on their patents. The Reeds can now read their title clear to a colossal fortune, and their factory, within ten years, will be one of the largest in the western states. My brief stop in Kalamazoo, from five to seven o'clock P. M., was well improved. I visited the Telegraph and Gazette printing offices. The former establishment is conducted by the Kalamazoo Publishing Company, and has a large job office and bindery connected therewith. It has grown beyond its advertising-for-grub and taking wood-on-subscription days, and is evidently enjoying a large and lucrative business. It publishes an evening daily. The Gazette office prints a morning paper edited by Andrew Jackson Shakespeare. Brother Shakespeare wears his cognomen with becoming modesty and dignity, and runs one of the best dailies in that section of the state. A good supper at the American hotel fitted me for a night's ride on the rail. Taking a sleeper on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad I soon crossed the bridge into the land of nod, and arrived at Mackinaw City the next morning, where I passed the day.

Mackinaw City is the jumping off place at the northernmost point of the lower peninsula. Here is an item for our school pupils. Mackinaw the name of the city is spelled with the last syllable, *naw*, while the third syllable of Mackinac, the name of the island, is *nac*. I failed to learn the reason for this difference although dilligent inquiry was made at the hotel bars and of all the jack drivers and constables. The city now has two railroads, the Mich. Central and G. R. & I., and is destined to become a prominent point as a summer resort. Women obtain their rights here. The best hotel—the Mercer House—is managed by a woman, and another enterprising female runs a grocery store and restaurant. It is needless to say that the fashionable travel all centers at the Mercer House. I put up there. A northeast storm struck the city the day before, and the weather clerk was holding it back on the day of my visit. A western gale at Mackinaw must be felt to be appreciated. The wind rolls down the straits like a cyclone over a Kansas prairie, and its temperature would lead one to think it had been bottled up for several days at Alaska. But the Mercer House was prepared for the emergency. A huge fire was burning in the office, and with blazing pine knots which make the office a comfortable loafing place. Pine knots are plenty in that section. They are as cheap and abundant as gas in a newspaper office or dirt in the Salvation Army's headquarters. It was a model day for rusticating. One could go out, take a stroll on the beach and freeze for an hour, then return to the Mercer House and indulge in a chat about the weather with the pretty proprietress to thaw out. I thawed out four times during that one afternoon. Upon the city map of Mackinaw "the fort" has a commanding position on the point which juts out into Lake Michigan. I took a tramp of two miles around "the fort." The only signs of a fort discernable with the naked eye were two telegraph poles and a chicken shed. These however were in a good state of preservation, and with a liberal item in the river and harbor appropriation "the fort" can be kept in proper repair. It is said that there was an actual fort on this site several hundred years ago, before the recollection of the oldest inhabitant and the city authorities, with commendable enterprise, are bound to erect a modern fort on that point at some future day. Mackinac island has a fort—why shouldn't Mackinaw city have a fort also? After a two mile tramp I concluded that fort-hunting was not my forte, so I turned my attention to gathering pebbles on the beach. Gathering pebbles is an innocent and economical pastime. There are no hackmen to pay or steamboat tickets to buy or liquor bills to liquidate. One can gather relics to send home by the handful, or bushel, or barrel, and have the satisfaction of knowing that they were gathered by his own industry and didn't cost a cent. Having filled both overcoat pockets I clambered upon a pile of drift wood to watch the wild surf beat against the battlements of "the fort," when an extra gust of wind lifted my stove-pipe hat and carried it down the straits toward Cheboygan at a rate which would make St. Julien's eyes turn green with envy. The landlord—excuse me—the landlady had warned me not to venture out with a stovepipe hat on. Like most tourists, however, I believe there is no school like that of experience, and hence decided to test the matter myself. Well, I tested it. A big pine stump half a mile east caught the hat. Having recovered my head gear I returned to the hotel to thaw out again.

One of the sights of Mackinaw City is the Signal Service Station. This is the name in nautical parlance. Translated into plain English it means a weather-shop. Here two robust young men manufacture weather to order. They are experts in the business. Their office is located on the second floor of a two story frame building fronting towards the North pole. Almost any kind of weather can be turned out of this shop on twenty four hours notice. Northwestern gales, arctic waves, Texas northers, Dakota blizzards, Nebraska cyclones and Canada hailstorms are put up in this office with neatness and dispatch, properly labeled and warranted true to name. I paid a visit to this Signal Service Station. I found the door ajar, and cautiously entered the room. There were thirteen thermometers hung on the wall ranging in size from six inches to four feet in length; a telescope stood on a tripod in one corner; a huge barometer hung in one window; large colored diagrams of cyclonds and whirlwinds adorned the walls, a profile view of the fort was suspended behind the stove; an oil portrait of Vennor hung over the business desk. On a large table, which stood near the center of the room, were the latest daily papers, a kit of surveyor's drafting instruments, a copy of the Police Gazette, a chequer board, a box of sardines and a eucher deck. Two arm chairs stood near the table, in each of which was a big pillow, minus the covering. In an inner room was a bed, upon which lay the two disciples of Vennor clasped in the embrace of Morpheus. They were either finishing their previous night's nap or taking an early start on the following one. I didn't stop to enquire which. The wind whistled without and the sleepers snored within.—A stuffed owl looked down upon me from a wall mantel and seemed to say "Too-hoo, too-hoo, begone with you." It was a solemn scene. I silently took in the situation, took in a stray pen knife which some one had dropped on the floor and took myself down stairs. I hope to find the young men in when I call again.

At eight o'clock that evening I shook the pebble stones of Mackinaw from my feet and set sail for Mackinac. A ride of an hour on the "Algoman" brought me to the island. Upon stepping off the gang plank I met a spruce darkey porter, who asked for my satchel. I gave it to him as did another well-dressed gentleman by my side, and we followed the porter to the St. Cloud Hotel. My companion registered first. I then learned that he was a wealthy planter from South Carolina and the name preceding his on the register was O. P. Bills of Tecumseh. Well, I soon found Mr. Bills and we chatted sleepy heads not much. What we did the next day I shall reserve for another letter. S. C. S.

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that HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA will cure everything, but the fact that on the purity and vitality of the blood depend the vigor and health of the whole system, and that disease of various kinds is often only the sign that nature is trying to remove the disturbing cause, we are naturally led to the conclusion that a remedy that gives life and vigor to the blood, eradicates scrofula and other impurities from it, as HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA undoubtedly does, must be the means of preventing many diseases that would occur without its use; hence the field of its usefulness is quite an extended one, and we are warranted in recommending it for all derangements of the system which are caused by an unnatural state of the blood.

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Very truly yours,
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Half Out of His Head.

"Blessed be the man," said Don Quixote's weary squire, "who invented sleep." Sancho's gratitude is ours, but what if one cannot for any reason enjoy that excellent invention? "Nervousness in me had become a disease," writes Mr. William Coleman, the well known wholesale druggist of Buffalo, N. Y.

"I could not sleep, and my nights were either passed in that sort of restlessness which nearly crazes a man, or in a kind of stupor haunted by tormenting dreams. Having taken Parker's Tonic for other troubles, I tried it also for this. The result both surprised and delighted me. My nerves were toned to concert pitch, and, like Cæsar's fat men, I fell into the ranks of those who sleep o' nights. I should add that the Tonic speedily did away with the condition of general debility and dyspepsia occasioned by my previous sleeplessness, and gave me strength and perfect digestion. In brief the use of the Tonic thoroughly reestablished my health. I have used Parker's Tonic with entire success for seasickness and for the bowel disorders incident to ocean voyages."

This preparation which has been known as Parker's Ginger Tonic, will hereafter be advertised and sold simply under the name of Parker's Tonic—omitting the word "ginger." Bisco & Co. are indebted to make this change by the action of unprincipled dealers who have for years deceived their customers by substituting inferior preparations under the name of ginger. We drop the misleading word all the more willingly, as ginger is an unimportant flavoring ingredient in our Tonic.

There is no change however in the preparation itself, and all bottles remaining in the hands of dealers, wrapped under the name of Parker's Ginger Tonic contain the genuine medicine if the fac simile signature of Bisco & Co., is at the bottom of the outside wrapper.

Did She Die?

"No!

"She lingered and suffered along, pining away all the time for years."

"The doctors doing her no good;"

"And at last was cured by this Hop Bitters the papers say so much about."

"Indeed! Indeed!"

"How thankful we should be for that medicine."

A Daughter's Misery.

"Eleven years our daughter suffered on a bed of misery,

"From a complication of kidney, liver, rheumatic trouble and nervous debility,

"Under the care of the best physicians,

"Who gave her disease various names,

"But no relief,

"And now she is restored to us in good health by as simple a remedy as Hop Bitters, that we had shunned for years before using it."—THE PARENTS.

Father is Getting Well.

"My daughters say:

"How much better father is since he used Hop Bitters."

"He is getting well after a long suffering from a disease declared incurable."

"And we are so glad that he used Hop Bitters."—A LADY, of Utica, N. Y.

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One of the finest residences in Tecumseh will be sold at reasonable terms. New two-story house finished in the latest style, with "dado" paper throughout. Large lot. This place will be sold with

House Furnished or Unfurnished,

to suit purchaser.

The place is all in splendid condition, new house, barn, outbuildings, &c., and is one of the finest residences in Tecumseh.

A GREAT BARGAIN.

One of the LARGEST and BEST FARMS in Lenawee Co., To be sold at a Bargain within 40 days.

For particulars enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

For Sale Cheap,

And on easy terms, A FARM OF 120 ACRES, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles from the village of Brooklyn and, ½ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. For further particulars call at the

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MISS J. A. HOUGH

Wishes to announce to her patrons and friends that she has lately received a

Full New Stock of Fall and Winter

MILLINERY GOODS!

She has secured the services of

MRS. S. MILLARD,

Who was head trimmer in the employ of L. R. Damon, of Adrian for seven years, for the season, and is prepared to furnish orders promptly, and in the latest style. Mrs. Millard is a lady much experienced in the Millinery business, having had several years experience in large wholesale houses.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 4, 1883.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

TAKE NOTICE. Thos. Aiken is in the market to buy hides, pelts and furs, butter, eggs and poultry. He also wants a quantity of potatoes. High cash prices paid. Call at Jas. Lowry's and see me before selling. Don't forget.
THOS. AIKEN.

FARM FOR SALE. I hereby offer for sale my farm of 120 acres, situated in the town of Macon, Lenawee Co., 3 miles east and ½ mile north of Pennington's Corners. Good farm house and buildings. The above property will be sold at a bargain if sold at once.
THOMAS QUARTON.
Dated Sept. 29, 1883.

ROOMS TO RENT. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

ROOMS TO RENT in the Lee block, Enquire of WM. SNEDICOR.

GRAPES FOR SALE. Suitable for sale. F. D. HILLMAN.

FOR SALE. A good pair heavy work mules. Inquire of GEO. HOLLOWAY, Holloway, Mich.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. My farm of seventy acres, situated northeast of the village of Tecumseh, about ¾ of a mile from the postoffice. Said farm is all improved and in good condition, with two houses and two barns. Also a large apple orchard containing 215 trees, and other small fruit. Will leave 21 acres of wheat in the ground.
RUFUS ADAMS.

PIANO FOR SALE OR RENT. Apply at Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany's, Chicago st.

SEED WHEAT for sale of the Lothrop or Morgan variety. Yielded nearly 32 bushels per acre on stubble ground this season. Been grown on my farm only two seasons. Cut and threshed at exactly the right time. Leave your orders early.
S. C. STACY.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE. Choice plants of the Bidwell, Kentucky, Green Prolific and Wilson's Albany varieties. These plants were bought of professional growers and are warranted true to name.
S. C. STACY.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

We are having good weather in which to secure the fall crops.

The track layers on the M. & O. road are now in Addison, coming east.

A special election has been ordered to fill the office of City Recorder of Adrian.

Yesterday afternoon Charlie Slayton became the happy father of a bouncing boy.

Miss J. A. Hough is fully equipped for the fall trade in millinery, as her announcement on the 4th page will show.

Fred Weisinger, who for the past three months has filled so acceptably the position as salesman in Gainsley's, has gone to Deerfield, where he intends to go into the dry goods business for himself. We wish him success.

Rice A. Beal, of Ann Arbor, died suddenly yesterday of acute pneumonia at Iowa Falls, Iowa. He was visiting there a few days, when the attack came, which was only a few hours in duration. The first his friends knew of his sickness was the day before his death. Mr. Beal was the owner of the Courier and had long been a politician of much influence.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Mac Sleeper has completed a new well.

The gas well of Dr. Begel's still holds out.

Abbott Smith is building a general workshop.

The foundry has stopped work for want of water.

Work is still in progress on the well of Geo. Hoxsie's.

W. J. Holdridge has purchased the house of W. Soper.

A good bit of ill feeling is indulged in by the farmers of this vicinity over the levying of taxes on what is known as the Springbrook drain.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

James Eddy, youngest son of Crowel Eddy, of Franklin, starts this week for Iowa, where he intends going into business with his brother. This makes five of the Eddy boys out west.

A son of Wm. Boomer was buried last Sunday.

R. W. Hillman took his departure last Tuesday for his new home in Ionia Co. We regret very much to have him move away, but wish him all success in his new home.

To Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Henry, of Franklin a daughter.

Mrs. H. E. Young, of North Adams, who has been visiting at J. F. N. Bowen's returned home last Monday.

Mrs. Rufus Keyser, of Ypsilanti, is visiting at the old homestead.

W. S. Osborn and Henry Wilson are in attendance at the New York state fair this week. They expect to purchase some registered merino sheep while there, partially to make good their recent loss.

G. W. Kinnicutt, of Novi, Oakland Co., made us a flying visit this week. His sister, Mrs. Wm. Keyser, returned home with him to make a lengthy visit.

N. K. Bowen and son are in Chicago this week, also Mrs. G. N. Bowen, attending the exposition.

Mrs. Conklin, of Elmwood, Ill., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Morris Conklin.

Geo. Knapp and Abner Wilson are building new wood houses.

One day last week the driver of the horse that draws the rail car on the M. & O. road led the horse to a ditch to water, the ditch being somewhat deep, the horse got in the muck so it took 20 men with a rope to draw him out.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The onion crop is good.

The squash crop is gone up.

The buckwheat crop is a failure.

The potato crop is fair to middling.

War is raging among the Blissfield barbers.

The new two cent postage stamp is a beauty.

The pumpkin crop is hardly worth harvesting.

Remember the grand inaugural ball to-morrow evening.

Jaspar is now connected with Adrian by telephone.

The Morenci schools have been closed by scarlet fever.

Armory Hall will be the scene of attraction to-morrow evening.

One thousand girls are employed in the Jackson corset factories.

A case of small-pox is reported in Ogden near the Fairfield line.

The Blissfield base ball club wants to join the Michigan League.

Be sure and read Slayton & Kinney's advertisement on eighth page.

Watson's tray factory of Deerfield has been crowded with business lately.

The Detroit Art Loan Exhibition will be open until the first of November.

The grading on the M. & O. road between Britton and Dundee is completed.

Oh, Judges, see 'em run to Patterson's after Wall Paper. Still selling for cost.

President Arthur caught an eight pound bass at Newport, R. I., the other day.

Bridgewater Center wants to be connected with the state telephone exchange.

We call attention to the millinery advertisement of Miss J. A. Hough on fourth page.

The man found drowned at Toledo week before last is supposed to be Michael Butrick.

S. T. Snow, for many years the popular landlord of the Morenci Exchange, has sold out.

Oil has been discovered at Roscommon in this state, and a company organized to bore a well.

Three hundred Hillsdale college students went to see the Art Loan Exhibition last Saturday.

J. B. Stephenson, of Cambridge, has bought a residence in Brooklyn, and will move to that town.

The music for Co. C's inaugural ball, Friday evening, will be furnished by Boheme's Monroe Orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mitchell, of Meadville, Penn., are the guests of C. M. Burlingame for a few days.

At last accounts the Holloway gas well was still blazing away. Can not some plan be devised for utilizing it?

Uncle John Richards, of Raisin has our thanks for a few mammoth bunches of Concord grapes, raised on his farm.

Fred Wood has left at our office a copy of the Southern Recorder, printed at Milledgeville, Ga., Jan., 1, 1861. It is quite a newspaper curiosity.

The two ironing gangs on the M. & O. road will meet in about three weeks. The last spike will probably be driven in the town of Franklin.

At a recent meeting of the Washington, D. C., Horticultural Society, Col. D. S. Curtis delivered an interesting essay on "The Works of Art and Nature.

Mrs. Bigelow and daughter Eva, wish to return their sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them in their hours of need.

L. F. Wheeler has given us an instantaneous view of Chicago street, Tecumseh, looking east from the Opera House. Every family in Tecumseh should have one.

It is astonishing the amount of furniture that has been sold by Wm. McCowen during the past month.—He keeps his store crammed with all the latest styles, and one knows what kind of furniture they are buying when they purchase of him.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Paper Mill Directory of the World, issued by Clark W. Bryan & Co., of Holyoke, Mass. It is a complete catalogue of all the paper and pulp mills on the globe. It should be in the hands of every paper dealer and manufacturer.

Last Sunday morning about two o'clock cracksmen got in their work at the Hudson post office. $900 in new two cent stamps and $300 in cash were taken. The night watchman was threatened with revolvers by two men who were probably the burglars, and the latter escaped, although they had previously obtained their booty. The next morning it was discovered that a horse and buggy belonging to R. J. Eaton had been stolen. Sheriff Bidwell left Monday morning for Hudson and no effort will be spared to capture the thieves.

Joe Turner, of Milan, was in town last Monday taking a day's vacation from his station at the stave jointer.

Rufus Baker, of Fairfield, and Samuel Morey, of Springville, have been chosen delegates to the Michigan State Grange.

Now is the time to begin fall advertising. Many of our merchants have already "sailed in" and more are coming at an early day.

We intend to build a new woodshed in the rear of our office as soon as we can get around to it. Subscribers will please take notice.

Geo. L. Graves, of Milwaukee, Wis., is in town and will remain during the week. His numerous Tecumseh friends are right glad to see him.

The team belonging to Eaton Bros., of Hudson, which was stolen Sunday morning by the postoffice burglars was found on Monday morning about two miles south of Jackson.

Miss Croswell and Misses Gertie and Mabel Van Camp were in town Tuesday. They came over to sing at L. F. Wheeler's entertainment and remained until Wednesday afternoon.

J. A. Latcha, Chief Engineer of the M. & O. road was in town yesterday. He drove from Cambridge in the afternoon and took the four o'clock train to Toledo, so that he remained here but a short time.

Last Tuesday evening Andrew Smith, while working on the M. & O. railroad near the new depot in this village had one of his feet badly crushed by being caught between a tie and a rail. Dr. Woodward attended the man and he is now doing well.

Bain Hoag, who fills the position of brakeman on the Lake Shore, met with a serious accident near Hudson last Tuesday. While in the act of climbing to the top of a freight car, a round of the ladder broke and he was thrown to the ground. One shoulder was dislocated and his face was badly bruised. He was brought home that night and is receiving good care. Although his injury is a serious one, still he will recover with proper attention.

L. F. Wheeler opened the season with his "Illuminated Rambles," at our opera house last Tuesday evening. He was greeted with a large and appreciative audience, and it is no flattery to say that the entertainment was a most excellent one. The landscape scenes were relieved with an occasional piece of statuary or comedy, which gave a good variety to the exhibition. His comics were mostly original. They were "perfectly killing," and yet not overdrawn. He goes from here to Springville and Brooklyn and then west through the southern tier of counties. Success to him. He deserves it, and we believe he will win it.

THE NICKLE PLATE.

The control of the Nickle Plate railway, which it was supposed had been obtained by the Vanderbilts through their purchase of $26,000,000 of stock, is about to be contested by holders of first mortgage bonds in Pennsylvania and elsewhere. It is now said these bonds possess equal voting powers with the stock, (a fact not previously developed) and as there are outstanding $15,000,000 of these bonds and $25,000,000 of stock which Vanderbilt does not control, his purchase of $26,000,000 only has apparently failed to secure control of the road. Preparations are being made by the bondholders to nominate and elect at the next annual meeting a board of directors representing interests adverse to Vanderbilt's.

THE M. & O. DEPOT.

We paid a visit yesterday to the depot grounds of the M. & O. railroad to note the improvements going on there. A side track has been put in on the North side of the main track, and a large amount of iron rail is piled between the two. A water tank has been built about midway between Maumee street and the big bridge and an engine house on the flat near the west end of the bridge. This contains a large force pump which draws the water from the river and forces it into the tank. Richard Holdway will preside over the engine house. His time has already began, but he finds it hard work at present to find anything to do, as there are only two locomotives now on this end of the line to water. But when regular trains begin to run he will be kept busy. The passenger house is well under way, a large force of carpenters being now employed on it. The building will be about the size of the L. S. & M. S. depot building in this village, but a much more attractive building in outside appearance. It is located just South of the main track and on the East line of Maumee street. The carpenters and painters go together and the painting is done as fast as the carpenters finish their work. The heavy timbers in the building were furnished by Waring & Kniffin of Ridgeway. The finishing stuff, including doors, frames, brackets, etc., is furnished by the Tecumseh Lumber Co., which firm supplies all the depot buildings on the line between here Marshall. The passenger house will be completed within two weeks, and the freight depot will then be erected.

FROM THE "BAPTIST ITEMS."

Mrs. R. Adams is visiting friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Munn, of Flowerfield, are in town, visiting at J. Heck's.

Emma Morse has returned from Ypsilanti. She says she has come to stay.

Mary Snaubel goes to Saline this week to take a position in a millinery store.

Miss Carrie Osborn has returned from her northern trip. Had to see her again.

Bro. Alva J. Coddington has accepted a clerkship in Keil's jewelry and bookstore.

Mrs. Luke Wood has been very sick during a part of last month. She better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Zellars have had quite severe attacks of the fever during the past month.

Mrs. Isaac Adams has returned from Omaha. She expects to return after about a month.

The Michigan Baptist State Convention will be held in Coldwater this year. It will begin Oct. 12th.

Married at the pastor's residence, Sept. 4th, Mr. Servillian E. Hendershott and Miss Martha Ellis, both of Macon.

The pastor, Dea. J. Margeson and J. W. De Puy attended the great Christian convention at Chicago, September 18th to 20th.

At a special meeting of the S. S. Board, Sunday, Sept. 2, Bro. Alva Coddington was elected S. S. treasurer to fill vacancy caused by Bro. J. O. Heck's resignation.

Rev. J. W. Payne and wife of Clinton, are in high glee. They have a visitor, and from all appearances he intends to stay. It is a boy. Accept our congratulations, Brother.

Bro. R. F. Taggart has returned from his visit in Illinois. He has spent September in Dr. Steinhoff's office. He left town Friday, the 28th, ult., for Ann Arbor, where he goes to attend the Dental College.

Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton, with Mrs. A. L. Brewer and Albertine started for N. Y. Friday afternoon, Sept. 28, for a six week's visit. We wish them a safe journey and pleasant visit. They go to Branchport, Yates Co.

The resignation of Bro. O. B. Finch, S. S. Secretary, is before the S. S. Board. He has been a very faithful officer and desires to be relieved on account of the number of his other duties. LATER.—Bro. Finch's resignation was accepted Oct. 1st, and Miss Sarah Swartout elected in his place.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher's horse, "Dan," was kicked by one of Bro. J. W. De Puy's horses with the result, a broken leg. Dr. Charles Waldron decided it was impracticible to set it, so the horse had to be killed. People often become much attached to a faithful domestic animal, and "Old Dan," because driven by Dr. W.C. Fisher, was sincerely mourned.

Henry Prentiss met with a terrible accident the 20th of last month. He fell upon a lath saw in Stanton, where he was at work. The saw cut two or three ribs in two and penetrated the lung. At first his physician said that his recovery was impossible. His friends were immediately telegraphed for, his father and his sister Minnie going to him immediately. But strange to say he has recovered so far as to able to return home. In consequence of the anxiety and overwork, Minnie was taken quite ill, but is now better.

Miss Ida Clark, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., spent the first two weeks of Sept. in Tecumseh as the guest of Mrs. Ida North and Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevens. The two Idas seemed to enjoy their visit as much as when they played together with dolls years ago. They seemed to converse on somewhat graver subjects, but at heart seemed as young as ever. Miss Clark is a member of the 1st Baptist church of Poughkeepsie. She reports that the unfortunate and widely known pastoral troubles of that church are not yet settled, and in consequence the cause suffers.

The formal dedication of the Baptist church at Charlotte occurred on the 13th ult. Sermons were preached by Dr. Hascall, of Ann Arbor, and the pastor of this church in the afternoon and evening, respectively. The building is a gem. Besides its audience room, which will seat from 250 to 300, it has a basement well arranged for S. S. and social purposes. It is complete from steeple to foundation, It is frescoed, carpeted and thoroughly furnished. On the day of dedication it was found that about eight hundred dollars were unprovided for. The committee thought that about every source had been exhausted, and had become thoroughly resigned to carrying a debt. But the people disappointed them. In the afternoon about $300 were subscribed, and in the evening about $550. When the total subscription was announced it was found that they had about $50 more than was needed. The pastor, Rev. E. H. Teall, says that the sums are nearly all of them perfectly reliable. At the close the congregation sang the long meter Doxology with a heartiness scarcely ever excelled.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Fairfield band have a new set of nickel instruments.

Wm. P. Silvers, of Clinton, is recovering from his recent illness.

D. Woodward, Clinton, had his new patent plow at the Adrian fair.

Threshing is about over with for this fall in the county of Lenawee.

Bro. Clough, of the Brooklyn Exponent, has purchased a horse and buggy.

The Morenci Grange had a fine display of farm products at the county fair.

The Morenci fair is in session this week. The Observer issues a daily program.

Himan Brown, of Clinton, has entered the medical department of the State University.

Street Commissioner Gregg has decided to rebuild the Porcupine bridge in the town of Clinton.

Don Palmer, of Clinton, exhibited a radish at the county fair 16 inches long and 28 inches round.

Some Clinton men went to Manchester to see the circus, but saw the interior of the lock up instead.

James Brown, of Raisin, has a silver dollar of 1878, on which the eagle is blessed with eight tail feathers.

H. D. Cutting, of Clinton, received $37.00 worth of premiums at the state fair on his bee-keepers' supplies.

The Japanese Liniment company of Morenci have a new carriage, and the boys make a trial trip through Monroe county this week.

The Hudson paving war has ended, the Common Council having withdrawn the suit commenced to enforce the payment of a special paving tax.

Morenci Observer: Fred Fisk bro't to our office this week a genuine Australian boomerang, an implement which he brought back among a large variety of other things from his recent visit to the South Sea Islands

Clinton News: A. S. Mills left three big potatoes at our office the other day which exceed in size any we have seen so far this season. The largest weighed three pounds and was big enough for a whole family. They were of the Burbank variety.

Dundee Reporter: A young son of Wm. Penfield had a narrow escape on Wednesday. He had climbed into a tree on Mr. Penfield's farm when he made a miss step and fell to the ground striking heavily on his side and was insensible for several hours, but he is now better.

Hudson Post: Last week Captain Brown, in Boies' store, sold Mrs. Phoebe Bailey two dresses. The lady is nearly 102 years of age, and the oldest dry goods clerk in town. Mr. Brown, who usually classes himself with the old settlers, felt like a boy while waiting on the ancient lady.

Morenci Observer: Hello! The telephone line from Morenci to Adrian via. Weston and Jasper, is now an assured fact, and is to be constructed at a very early date, as the poles for the purpose are already at Adrian. This places us in close proximity "to the whole world and the rest of mankind."

Blissfield Advance: As a number of hogs were being driven towards town by Chas. Kendrick Tuesday, three of them ran down the embankment near Jipson's mill and swam across the river. Charley footed it around a couple of miles and found when he got there the hogs had swam back to the other side. But he wasn't mad about it!

On Saturday morning last Franklin B. Nixon, City Recorder of Adrian, was found dead in his office. He had gone there about nine o'clock and at once fallen in a fit of some kind near his office desk where he was found shortly afterwards. Mr. Nixon had filled the office of Recorder for fourteen years, and had been a most faithful officer. His funeral was held Monday afternoon in charge of the masonic order.

Hudson Gazette: A young lady friend of a Hudsonite, who has several times sojourned at our beautiful resort, writes thusly on receipt of Mr. Wheeler's stereoscopic views of Devils lake: "Those views of Devil's lake are capital, and I prize them highly, I assure you. My uncle was under the deluded impression that for rusticating, fishing and picturesque scenery, no place could equal Snow-Shoe Bay where he spends his summers, but he has at last yielded and thinks Michigan has one delightful, retired little resort after his own heart."

Blissfield Advance: We visited Cogswell and Bartholomew's fruit evaporating concern the other day, and found all hands busy as bees in preparing the fruit for market. They have but one evaporator of the William's make, capable of drying 150 bushels per day. Owing to the great scarcity of apples, the firm is not running to its full capacity, using but from 50 to 75 bushels. Some ten or twelve hands are employed. The fruit evaporated is of excellent quality, and will readily command the highest market price. Cores and peelings are also evaporated, the sales of which are expected to pay all expenses.

THE BIBLE REVISION.

When a student at Glasgow University, I was fortunate enough to secure a copy of an Elzevir edition of the New Testament in Greek, which I still retain. And I had my attention lately called to an article in the International Review of July, 1874, by Dr. Geo. P. Fisher, of Yale College, not a member of the American Revision Committee, but therefore so much better qualified to review a publication on the subject, which had been made by some of the British revisers and printed in 1873, with an introduction by Philip Schaff, President of the American Committee, some six or seven years before the final completion and publication of the revision of the New Testament in Nov., 1880.

My attention was called particularly to that part of Dr. Fisher's article in reference to the translation of Paul's celebrated address to the Athenians on Mars Hill. Dr. Fisher says:

"Paul opens his address by a reference to the devoutness of the Athenians, carried even to an excess, of which he saw the monuments about him. This apostle knew how to conciliate an audience as well as if he had conned Aristotle's rhetoric." "I perceive," he said, "that ye are very religious. Our revision has it too superstitious. Luther commits the same error, 'allzu abergläubig' (German) is the phrase he uses. 'Whom ye ignorantly worship' contains a reproach which is not conveyed by the original: 'unknowingly' being the true sense of the Greek term, which has reference to the 'unknown God' to whom the altar was dedicated."

I think it is unfortunate that the revisers did not adopt the translation suggested by Dr. Fisher, and they probably would have done so if they had not been bound by one of their rules to follow the old revision as far as they could, and which was done by the British members more so than by the American committee.

In the following sentence, Dr. Fisher says:

"The same apostle is made to exhort us to 'avoid all appearance of evil,' whereas his injunction is to abstain from every form of evil. Paul was much more earnest in opposing evil itself than the semblance of it. This more proper translation is happily adopted in the new version. J. J. A.

Wm. Van Camp, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh last Tuesday, and made us a pleasant call. He has just entered into an engagement with W. C. McConnell, who is opening a new dry goods store at Adrian, to work for him. The new store will be in the Masonic Temple building, which will be filled with an immense stock of goods all bought for cash. Van Camp has many personal friends throughout Northern Lenawee, who should be sure and make him a personal call when they go to Adrian to trade. Read the advertisement of the new firm on the fourth page of this week's HERALD.

We have a new furniture firm in town,—Slayton & Kinney,—A. W. Slayton and John S. Kinney. They will make a good company, and we predict for them success from the start. Gus has worked up a good furniture trade and we were a little surprised that he was willing to part with a one-half interest, but we learn that he has accepted the position of Secretary of the Mich.-Flooring and Handle Co., and sells out an interest in the store so that he can give more attention to the lumber company in which he owns an interest.

The Hudson Gazette is particularly jubilant over the result of the paving war. Wouldn't it be a good time for Bro. Schermerhorn to trot out his election rooster? He seldom has a chance to use him after election days.

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5 33	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	5 04
6 09	9 29	" Monroe "	9 10	4 26
6 14	9 40	" Dundee "	8 00	4 14
6 40	9 54	" Ataloa "	8 30	4 05
6 44	10 05	" Milan "	8 24	3 50
6 55	10 19	" Urania "	8 10	3 38
7 05	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 00	3 28
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	5 20	" Bay City "	1 20	7 15
1 30	6 45	" West Bay City "	12 55	6 20
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6 55		" Port Huron "	7 30	
7 25		" Marine City "	7 00	

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W. H. BENNETT, Gen'l Pass'r Agt. H. W. ASHLEY, Supt.

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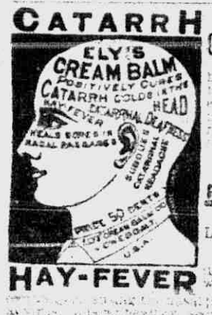

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Cataracts and all diseases of the Eye skillfully treated. Deafness in its worst stages cured.

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HERALD OFFICE

Talmage on Tobacco.

Rev. De Witt Talmage, in a sermon, said of tobacco as follows:

"One reason why there are so many victims of this habit is because there are so many ministers of religion who smoke and chew. They smoke until they get bronchitis, and the dear people have to pay their expenses to Europe. They smoke until the nervous system breaks down. They smoke themseves to death. I could name three eminent clergymen who died of cancer in the mouth, and in every case the physician said it was tobacco. There has been a clergyman whose tombstone was all covered up with eulogy, which ought to have had the honest epitaph, 'Killed by too much Cavendish!' Some of them smoke until the room is blue, and their spirits are blue, and the world is blue, and everything is blue.

"This was what God passed by such sins, but it becomes the duty of the American clergy who indulge in this narcotic to repent. How can a man preach temperance to the people when he is himself indulging in an appetite like that? I have seen a cuspidore in a pulpit where the minister would drop his end before he got up to read 'Blessed are the pure in heart,' and to read about 'Rolling sin as a sweet morsel under the tongue!' and in Leviticus to read about unclean animals that chew the end. I have known presbyteries and general assemblies and general synods where there was a room set apart for the ministers to smoke in. I have seen ministers of religion, their beards anointed not with holy oil, such as ran down Aaron's beard, but with poisonous saliva. Oh! it is a sorry spectacle, a consecrated man, a holy man of God, looking around for something, which you take to be looking for a larger field of usefulness. He is not looking for that at all. He is only looking for some place where he can discharge a mouthful of tobacco juice!

"I am glad the Methodist Church of the United States in nearly all its conferences has passed resolutions against this habit, and is time that we had an anti-tobacco reform in the Presbyterian Church, and the Episcopal Church, and the Baptist Church and the Congregational Church. About sixty years ago a young man graduated from Andover Theological Seminary into the ministry. He went straight to the front. He had an eloquence and personal magnetism before which nothing could stand. But he has been thrown into the insane asylum for twenty years, and the doctor said it was tobacco that sent him there. According to the custom then in vogue, he was allowed a small portion of tobacco every day. After he had been there nearly twenty years, walking the floor one day he had a sudden return of reason, and he realized what was the matter. He threw the plug of tobacco through the iron grates, and said—'What brought me here? What keeps me here? Why am I here? Tobacco! tobacco! O, God, help! help! and I'll never use it again!' He was restored. He was brought forth. For ten years he successfully preached the gospel of Jesus Christ, and then went into a blissful immortality.

"There are ministers of religion today indulging in narcotics, dying by inches, and they do not know what is the matter with them. I might, in a word, give my own experience. It took ten cigars to make a sermon. I got very nervous. One day I awakened to the outrage I was putting upon myself. I was about to change settlements, and a generous whole-sale tobacconist in Philadelphia said if I would only come to Philadelphia he would, all the rest of my life, provide me with cigars free of charge.

"I said to myself, if in these war times, when cigars are so costly, and my salary is small, I smoke more than I ought to, what would I do if I had gratuitous and illimitable supply? And then and there, twenty years ago, I quit once and forever. It made a new man of me, and though I have since then done as much hard work as any one, I think I have had the best health God ever blessed a man with. A minister of religion can afford to smoke?"

Small Pox and Vaccination.

A writer on vaccination, says, "Small-pox and variloid could be entirely driven from the face of the earth by vaccination and revaccination and re-revaccination at proper times. It is well settled principle in pathology that two diseases cannot exist in the system at the same time. Also, it is admitted that a milder form of a disease will prevent or modify a severer type of a disease of a similar nature.

"As an example, a child who has had "simple scarlet fever," or measles, seldom, if ever, afterwards has "malignant scarlet fever," unless, it may be, in some cases where some disease of another character may have eradicated the effect of impression made upon the system by simple scarlet fever or measles. The vaccine disease will modify, and always prevents small-pox proper. The contagion of small-pox is conveyed from victim to victim across street and from house to house, by the air, and is also conveyed by bed-clothing and clothing worn by small pox patients, and by letters written in an affected house, and in so many ways that it seems almost impossible for the uninoculated to escape. Persons who have never been vaccinated are liable to take small pox from small-pox, and from variloid. Persons who have been vaccinated are liable to take variloid only from exposure to small-pox but will not take varioloid from varioloid."

Given Up by the Doctors.

"Is it possible that Mr. Godfrey is up and at work, and cured by so simple a remedy?"

"I assure you it is true that he is entirely cured, and with nothing but Hop Bitters; and only two days his doctors gave him up and said he must die!"

"Well-a-day! That's remarkable! I will go this day and get some for my poor George—I know hops are good."

HOW TO CURE SORE THROAT.—"One who has tried it" communicates the following seasonable item about curing sore throats to the New York *Herald*: "Let each one of your half million readers buy at any drug store one ounce of camphorated oil, and five cents worth of chlorate of potash. Whenever any soreness appears in the throat put the potash in half a tumbler of water, and with it gargle the throat thoroughly; then rub the neck thoroughly with the camphorate oil at night before going to bed, and also pin around the throat a small strip of woolen flannel. This is a simple, cheap and sure remedy.

Physicians Prescribe in Epilepsy.

"I prescribe it in my practice," is the expression used by Dr. J. A. Patmore, of Riley, Ind. He referred to Samaritan Nervine and further along says: "It cures epileptic fits."

Missed the Train.

It was a colored man. His back was all dirt, one tail of his coat was gone, and every button had been ripped off his vest. He had two lumps and a hitch as he came out, and there was a new French shade of sadness in his voice as he toed the mark and said:

"I missed de train, sah."

"Yes, it looks like it. Is your name Gen. Scott Green?"

"Yes, sah."

"What train did you miss?"

"I doan' just remember what train it was."

"Whar was you going?"

"Down the road."

"What road?"

"Dat's what I can't 'member, sah."

"Well do you remember of getting on a drunk?"

"No, sah. Maybe I called for lemonade an' dey gin me whisky, but I doan' zackly 'member it. All I recollect is dat I missed de train."

"I think you got the train all right. You were training around pretty lively when the officer got hold of your collar."

"I alius walks in my sleep, sah."

"Well, that's bad for you. You broke a window, kicked in a door, and raised a big row. Have you observed the state of your wardrobe?"

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"Can't help that. Please fall back."

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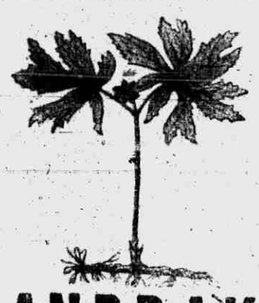

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We hear much about the art of winning a husband. Let us take a step further and make a study out of keeping a husband. If he is worth winning, he is worth keeping.

This is a wicked world, and man is dreadfully mortal. Let us take him just as he is, not as he ought to be. In the first place, he is very weak. The wife must spend the first two years in discovering all these weaknesses, count them on her fingers, and learn them by heart. The fingers of both hands will not be too many. Then let her study up these weaknesses, with a mesh for every one, and the secret is hers.

Is he fond of a good dinner? Let her tighten the mesh around him with fragrant coffee, light bread and good things generally, and reach his heart through his stomach. Is he fond of flattery about his looks? Let her study the dictionary for sweet words, if her supply gives out. Does he like to hear her talk about his brilliant intellect? Let her pore over the encyclopedia to give variety to the depth of her admiration. Flattery is a good thing to study up at all hazards, in all its delicate shades, but it must be skillfully done. The harpy who may try to coax him away will not do it absurdly. Is he fond of beauty? Here's the rub—let her be bright and tidy; that is half the victory. Next, let her bang her hair metaphorically and keep up with the times. A husband who sees his wife look like other people is not going to consider her "broken down."

Though it is a common sneer that a woman has admitted that her sex consider more, in marrying, the tastes of her friends than her own, yet it must be considered ludicrous that a man looks at his wife with the same eyes that other people do. Is he fond of literary matters? Listen to him with wide open eyes when he talks of them. A man doesn't so much care for a literary wife if only she will be literary enough to appreciate him. If she have literary inclinations let her keep them to herself. Men love to be big and great to their wives. That's the reason why a helpless little woman can marry three times to a sensible, self-reliant woman's none. Cultivate helplessness. Is he curious? Oh, then you have a treasure; you can always keep him if you have a secret and only keep it carefully.

Is he jealous? Then, woman, this is not for you; cease torturing that fretted heart which wants you for his own, and teach him confidence. Is he ugly in his temper, and faultfinding? Give him a dose of his own medicine, skillfully done. Is he deceitful? Pity him for his weakness, treat him as one who is born with a physical defect, but put your wits to work—it is a bad case. It is well not to be too tame. Men do not waste their powder and shot on hens and barnyard fowls; they like the pleasure of pursuing wild game—quail and grouse and deer. A quail is a good model for a wife—neat and trim, with a pretty, swift way about it, and just a little capricious. Never let yourself become an old story; be just a little uncertain.

Another important fact is, don't be too good; it hurts his feelings and becomes monotonous. Cultivate a pleasant voice, so that this very mortal man may have his conscience prick him when he is in jeopardy; its pleasant ring will haunt him much more than would a shrill one. It is hard to do all this, besides taking care of the babies and looking after vexatious household cares, and smiling when he comes home, but it seems necessary. "To be born a woman is to be born a martyr," says a husband who for ten years has watched in amazement his wife treading the winepress of her existence. It is a pitiful sight to some men.

But if the wife does not make a study of these things, the harpy will, to steal away the honor from his silver hairs when he is full of years and the father of sons and daughters." At the same time, gude-wife, keep from trying any of these things on any mortal man but your own. These rules are only evolved in order to "keep a husband." The poor, weak creature would rather be good than bad, and it is woman's duty to hold him by every means in her power.—*The Argonaut.*

Glad to Hear It.

"For several months I endured a dull pain through my lungs and shoulders; lost my spirits, appetite and color, and could with difficulty remain from my bed. My present healthful condition is due to Burdock Blood Bitters." Mrs. E. A. Hall, Binghamton, N. Y.

Help Yourself.

People who have been bolstered up and relieved all their lives are seldom good for anything in a crisis. When misfortune comes they look around for something to cling to or lean upon. If the prop is not there, down they go.

Once down, they are as helpless as capsized turtles, or unhorsed men in armor and cannot find their feet again without assistance.

Such silken fellows no more resemble self-made men, who have fought their way to position, making difficulties their stepping stones, and deriving determination from defeat, than vines resemble oaks or sputtering rush-lights the stars of heaven. Efforts persisted into achievement ennoble man to self-reliance, and when he has proven to the world that he can help himself the world will trust him.

It is unwise to deprive young men of the advantages which result from their own energetic action by shielding them from all obstacles which they can not surmount alone.

Mr. George Dodge Speaks.

This gentleman lives in Emporium, Pa., and says "One of my men, Sam. Lewis, while working in the woods sprained his ankle so bad he could hardly hobble to the house. Used Thomas' Eclectric Oil and was ready for work next morning. I have never yet seen so good a medicine."

A FEMININE DEFENDER OF TOBACCO.—An advocate of the use of tobacco in support of his stand unearths an article written by Margaret, Duchess of Newcastle, some two hundred years ago. In defense of the seductive weed that lady wrote: "It composes the mind, it busies the thoughts, it attracts all outward objects to the mind's view, it settles and retents the senses, it cheers the understanding, strengthens the judgment, spies out errors, it exasperates follies, it heats ambition, it comforts sorrow, it abates passion, it excites to noble actions, it digests conceptions, it creates fancies, it quickens wit, and it makes reason pleader and truth judge in all disputes or controversies between right and wrong.

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Home Politeness.

A boy who is polite to his father and mother is likely to be polite to every one else. A boy lacking politeness to his parents may have the semblance of courtesy in society, but is never truly polite in spirit, and is in danger, as he becomes familiar, of betraying his real want of courtesy. We are all in danger of living too much for the outside world, for the impression which we make in society, coveting the good opinions of those who are, in a sense a part of ourselves, and who will continue to sustain and be interested in us, notwithstanding these defects of deportment and character. We say to every boy and to every girl, cultivate the habits of courtesy and propriety at home—in the sitting room and the kitchen, as well as in the parlor—and you will be sure in other places to deport yourself in a becoming and attractive manner. When one has a pleasant smile and a graceful demeanor, it is a satisfaction to know these are not put on, but that they belong to the character, and are manifest at all times and under all circumstances.

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In these times when these newspapers are flooded with patent medicine advertisements, it is gratifying to know what to procure that will certainly cure you. If you are Bilious, blood out of order, Liver inactive, or generally debilitated; there is nothing in the world that will cure you so quickly as Electric Bitters. They are a blessing to mankind, and can be had for only fifty cents a bottle.

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Fourteen Wonders of the World.

The seven wonders of the world, in ancient times, were the pyramids of Egypt, the Pharos of Alexandria, the walls and hanging gardens of Babylon, the temple of Diana, the statue of the Olympic Jupiter, the Mausoleum Artemesia, and the Colossus of Rhodes.

The seven wonders of the world in modern times are the printing press, the steam engine, the telegraph, the daguerreotype, the telephone, the phonograph, and the electric light.

The so-called "Seven Wonders" of the ancients were mere trifles compared with those of the present time. The Brooklyn bridge, for example, would make the hanging gardens of Babylon a mere toy, while the whole seven wonders put together would sink into insignificance could the builders have seen a lightning express train at full speed.

Sowing Wild Oats.

How many waste their time and resources in foolish experiments with nasty worthless medicines that can never do them a whit of good. If you are sick and want help get a reputable medicine of established merit. The curative virtues of Burdock Blood Bitters have never been questioned. For an enfeebled circulation or a weak stomach they are splendid.

Shoulder of Veal Baked.

Buy a shoulder of veal, which, according to the locality of your butcher, will cost you from eight to fourteen cents a pound. And let us say just here, that on account of the quantities of immature veal thrown on the market, you had better be sure of your butcher and pay fourteen cents than to buy a suspicious article for eight. Untrimmed it will weigh seven or eight pounds. Have every bit of bone taken out and put them aside for stock. Make a pint bowl full of dressing, flavoring according to taste, but not strongly with any one condiment. Insert this in the pocket made by the butcher. Dot it all over with pieces of butter as large as a hickory nut. About two ounces will be sufficient, and season with pepper and salt. Bits of very nice dripping may be placed in the four corners of the pan. Dredge thoroughly with flour, and place in a good oven. Baste occasionally with the gravy made by the butter, but add no water until the meat is well browned. This will be from half to three quarters of an hour, when you may add a large cupful of boiling water. Baste every fifteen minutes until done. It will require about two hours. Carve down stright through the middle and cut to both ends; serve with spinach. This is a most economical and delicious dish. What is left may be sliced and heated in the sauce, or minced and used for a salad.

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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Peter S. Adams praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and codicils thereto, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Marcus A. O. Packard, John Margeson, Stephen Crane and Gideon D. Perry, the executors in said will named.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. sep20

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Sept. 12, 1883.

LEWIS CAMBURN, MILAN SAGE, Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of William Waring, late of Tecumseh, in said county, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Herrick, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 24th day of November, 1883, and on the 17th day of March, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of September, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated September 17, 1883.

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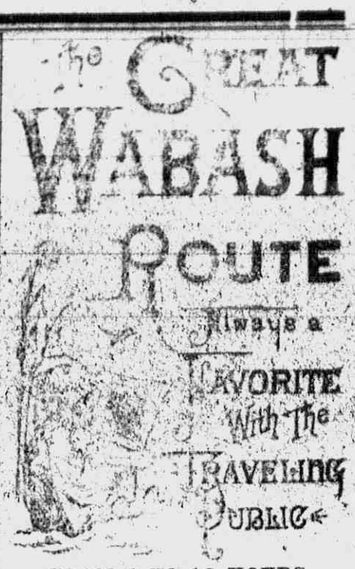

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Coloring a Pine Floor.

The *Art Interchange* gives the following directions for coloring a pine floor which is to be partially covered with rugs: Buy at any painters' store turpentine and linseed oil (not boiled.) Ask them to put a little Japanese dryer in the turpentine. Buy either burnt sienna or Vandyke brown, or both, according to the color of the rugs and the tint on the walls. These colors come put up in tin cans, smaller but otherwise similar to tomato or fruit cans. After your floor has been washed thoroughly clean, is free from dust, and dry begin by opening your can and mixing in another receptacle the oil, turpentine and paint. Remember the oil is to thin your paint, the turpentine to dry it. The mixture should be so thin that it will run with liquid readiness. Lay it on with a brush as thick as your hand, stroking the brush the way of the grain of the wood. Protect your hands with old gloves and go over the floor with a rag. In fact, you will need two rags, one pretty well charged with paint, to rub in every crevice, and another rag to rub off any superfluous paint. Mind your stops or, rather, put your mind in the way you stop. Do not stop in a straight line across the grain of wood but carry your brush irregularly down, taking a hint from nature, lines in the wood you are preserving with paint. By mixing the burnt sienna and Vandyke brown you will secure a rich color without needing to use the paint in a thick coat. Your mixture should be so thin that the grain of the wood will show through. If your have too much turpentine and will not dry, or if you have too much oil and will need more days to dry, add as much oil as turpentine certainly will not evaporate the oil and be as tacky, or sticky, as your strength will [illegible]

[illegible] a stained floor it is [illegible] to wash up the dirt with milk of soft soap [illegible]

Weight by Measuring.

[illegible] which plumbers' line will the bottom and direct the [illegible] the back to the proper of the [illegible] this will be the length [illegible] the figures thus: Suppose the [illegible] 6 feet [illegible] length [illegible] which multiplied together [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] 3 feet girth and 3 feet 6 inches [illegible] that multiplied together makes 126 [illegible] and these multiplied by 16 [illegible] the number of pounds allowed for cattle weighing less than 5 and more than 3 [illegible] make 256 pounds. The [illegible] of cattle, sheep, calves and hogs [illegible] this way will give the weight of the four quarters of the animal, sinking the offal. A deduction must be made for animals not fleshed of one pound in twenty from those that are fat; and for a cow that has had calves one pound must be allowed, in addition to the one for not being fat, upon every twenty."

March with the ears were gathered. The [illegible] of the wheat harvest of Mexico is said to have been three or four grains carefully cultivated in 1530 and preserved by a slave of Cortez. The first crop of Quito was raised by a Franciscan monk in front of the convent. Garcillasso de la Vega affirms that up to 1547, wheaten bread had not been sold at Cusco. Wheat was first sown by Gosnold on Cuttyhunk, one of the Elizabeth islands in Buzzards Bay, off Massachusetts, in 1602, which he first explored the coast. In 1604, on the island of St. Croix, near Calais, Me., the sieur de Monts had some wheat sown, which flourished finely. In 1611 the first wheat appears to have been sown in Virginia. In 1626 samples of wheat grown in the Dutch colony at New Netherlands were shown in Holland. It is probable that wheat was sown in the Plymouth colony prior to 1629, though we find no record of it, and in 1629 wheat was ordered from England to be used as seed. In 1718 wheat was introduced into the Valley of the Mississippi by the "Western Company." In 1719 it was among the cultivated crops of the Panes Indians of the Gila River, New Mexico.—*Millers' National Magazine*

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Oct. 2 1883.

Barker, Mary	Langshore, Laura
Clark & Son, Geo. W.	Luteman, Henry
Carey, John G.	Rath, Mr.
Frew, Andrew	Sweutzel, A. F.
Hagg, J. A.	Suth, E. C.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Oct. 1, 1883.

Abbott, P. S.	Harper, L. N.
Beier, Aug	Lequillon, Martin
Clark, Dr.	Lafler, Mrs. Jatk
Donaldson, Miss Belle	Orr, Albert E. M.
Delaney, Armason	Prideps, August
Freeman, H	Sherwood, Mrs. Marth
Force, Fred	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say advertised. PETER SHARP, P.M.

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Apples, dried, ₱ lb	@	06
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Barley, ₱ bushel	60 @	22
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 75 @	2 68
Buckwheat ₱ bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@	4 60
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	7 00 @	7 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	38 @	40
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @	60
Clover Seed	4 25 @	4 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs ₱ doz	@	18
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	7 25 @	7 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ₱ lb	@	13
Lard ₱ lb	@	14
Wool ₱ lb	@	13
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @	35
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	55 @	65
Salt, ₱ Barrel	@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb	@	10
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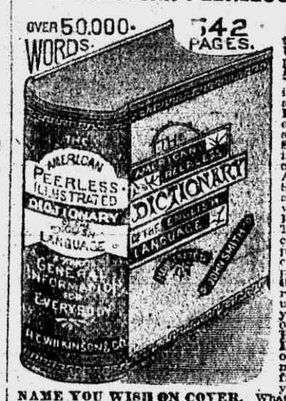

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STILL AT THE HEAD!

Is it Not Time

That the People of this city and vicinity are getting sick of paying big prices for poorly made furniture without regard to style, and made by inexperienced workmen.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ROME RIPPLES.

The population of this place is a little low just at present as quite a number are roaming, viz:

Last week a party of four, Dr. Rogs and son, Dick and Zeb Watson and Robert Curtis started for the wild lands of the Dakotas prospecting.—They have our best wishes.

About the same time Charlie Aldrich started for Leadville, Colo.

In a few days Harvey Hood and family will visit Kansas.

For the past few days several of our citizens have been over into Cambridge witnessing the laying of the last few miles of the M. & O. R. R.

Sunday five bicyclers, of Adrian, stopped here on their way to the lakes. Charlie Wiesinger and Charlie Myerhufer were among the number. They stated that the time from Adrian up, 9 miles, was 50 minutes.

Boman Seger is improving his farm by erecting a nice barn.

Bates & Bates are burning another kiln and expect to have another one ready to burn shortly. They are turning out some fine brick and tile.

MACON MUSIC.

Once more we touch the Macon keys and a faint distant music is heard along the HERALD columns.

The concert next Sunday evening will be a missionary one.

Miss Alice Collins is in Ohio visiting her sister, Mrs. Grey.

Mrs. Wilmot Cotton, Miss Mertie Herriott and Thos. Jacobus are on the sick list.

Milan Sage has his sorghum mill in full running order.

Dr. Morden is adding some improvements to his lot.

The many friends of Miss Edna McClue will be pleased to learn that she is slowly rallying from a very severe attack of hemorrhage of the stomach.

Several are desiring to persue the C. L. S. C. course of study for this year. Would it not be well for some one to appoint a place of meeting for those interested, in order that measures could be taken for organizing a local circle?

Spencer Morgan, our merchant, is thinking of taking a partner perhaps for life, who knows?

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

B. C. Knapp, Geo. Knapp, James Hunter and John Burtless, of Franklin, are comparing city with farm life in Chicago.

W. B. Keyser is now a resident of Clinton township, and says it seems lonesome not to hear the click of the C. T. line.

J. F. N. Bowen was appointed Highway Commissioner to fill vacancy occasioned by the resignation of W. B. Keyser.

We regret to learn that Miss Celia Stacy, of Buffalo, fell and broke her arm while getting out of a buggy recently in that city.

B. J. Slater had a sad introduction to an operator's life. He was on duty at Pittsford, when the late accident occurred.

Henry C. Owen, of Clinton, is the happy father of twins. He always did seem to be a successful farmer.

Willis Smith had his finger badly smashed, it being caught by a portable engine wheel while blocking it to rest his team on a hill.

Mudgett & Smith commence clover hulling to-day.

EAST RIDGEWAY ECHOES.

Friday night between the hours of eleven and one, some person or persons who had never learned the lesson of doing to others as they would have others do to them, took from the field of Geo. Price 8 head of cattle, drove them to the next neighbor east and took two from his flock, making ten in all, then drove south to the next farm, where the gate being open the drove turned into the yard. This aroused the watchdog and the lady of the house. The latter arose, struck a light, went to the yard and tried to set the dog on them, but the gate being by this time closed, the cattle were unable to get out. The last that was seen of the would-be thief, he was crossing the next farm east with his face towards Dundee.

The Michigan Southeastern Christian conference is now in session with the Christian church in East Ridgeway. There will be public meetings every evening this week and will continue over the Sabbath. All that can are cordially invited to participate with us in our deliberations in the one common cause of christianity.

The ladies of the York Universalist church will hold a social at the Lake Ridge hotel on Friday evening, Oct. 19th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Oct. 1, 1883.

Regular session.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present. Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Sparks and the Recorder.

There not being a quorum Council adjourned until the 3d of October, 1883, at the usual hour.

P. S. McKINNON,
Recorder.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, MICH.
COUNCIL ROOM, Oct. 3d, 1883.

Council met according to adjournment.

Present Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Smith, Sparks, and the Recorder.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing, and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the contingent fund.

Geo. Saxton, 3 days labor on streets, less poll tax	$ 3 50
Milan Wheler, 5 days labor on streets with team	15 00
Wm. Brown, 10½ days labor on streets	15 75
A. Packard, 3½ " " " "	5 25
R. Magill, 8 3-10 " " " "	12 45
Jas. W. Cole, services as Marshal and cash paid	5 50
Toledo Oil Co., oil and freight	31 65
Whitenack, Bordine & Co., as per bill	46 72
Thos. Elliott, as per bill	30 10
John Smyth, services as constable	4 25
Thos. Kyle, services as Deputy Marshal	6 70
Jno. M. Hibbard, " " " "	11 70
Sidney Powell, 1 day labor with team	3 00
L. I. Ross, 1 " " " "	3 00
Harlow Smith, 1 " " " "	3 00
Jas. Mitchell, building furnace at water tank	14 52
B. F. Steinhoff, 1 day's service on Election Board	2 00
W. C. Jordan, 21½ days as St. Com	43 00

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Ordinances:

Report in writing on the matter referred at last session.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted, and the following amendment passed by council:

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh this 3d day of October, 1883, that an ordinance passed August 4, 1873, amendatory of "an ordinance to prevent animals running at large in the Village of Tecumseh," be, and the said ordinance is hereby amended by adding thereto two new sections to stand as sections nine and ten.

SEC. 9. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to herd or hold any animal or animals by a rope, strap, line or anything whatsoever for the purpose of grazing or feeding in any of the streets, highways, lanes or alleys of said village.

SEC. 10. Notice in writing must be made to the Marshal of any violation of Sections 1, 5, 6, 7, & 9, of this ordinance and said Marshal shall prosecute any such offender, according to the provisions of section 8 of this ordinance.

On Streets:

Report in writing and reommend that the prayer of the petition of David H. Zeluff, David McConnell and others be granted in so far as it relates to the grading of Maumee street south of Evans creek.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Marshal presents his monthly report in writing which is accepted and placed on file. He also files a statement in relation to the collection of village taxes, and asks that the time for the collection of the still unpaid taxes be extended to the first of November.

On motion the time is so extended.

The Marshal makes further report in regard to sidewalks which need to be rebuilt or repaired, and on motion is instructed to notify the following persons to have their walks rebuilt or repaired within 15 days from this date: Mrs. James, Mrs. Bird, David Jones, William Gaston, Wm. McCowan, Wm. Beebe, Henry Force, Wm. T. Thorpe, E. R. Crossman and James Watson.

The Street Commissioner presents his monthly report which is accepted and placed on file.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Of W. T. Owen, W. I. Ide, Wm. Hayden and 9 others, asking that a plank sidewalk be constructed along the east line of Maumee street, from Bean's tannery southward to the corporation line, and also a plank sidewalk on the west side of said Maumee street from a point not named in the petition southward to the corporation line.

Referred to committee on streets.

NEW BUSINESS.

It coming to the knowledge of Council that Henry W. Stevens had taken and appropriated to his use a block of sandstone belonging to the Village without the knowledge or consent of any member of Council, and that the same was now cut into such a shape as to render it of little value to the village. After some discussion the Council concluded to *sell* the stone to Mr. Stevens for the sum of ten dollars, and the Recorder is instructed to make out a bill for that amount and hand it to the Marshal for collection.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON, Recorder.

Among the old pioneers of Macon may be mentioned Uncle John Skinner, who is now 87 years of age. He is a farmer, house joiner and plasterer by occupation, and built the house he now lives in. His health is good and his intellect still vigorous. He was married Jan. 8th, 1823, to Phoebe Lewis and has passed the 60th anniversary of his wedding. This aged couple are in possession of good health happy in the enjoyment of their intellectual faculties and hope to remain many years longer.

The funeral of Rice A. Beal, of Ann Arbor, was held last Sunday afternoon and was very largely attended.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Jackson will soon have a seventh railroad.

Bay City is getting a reputation as a horse market.

Grand Rapids has $738,000 worth of church property.

There are 187 posts of the G. A. R. in Michigan.

Port Huron people have found small lizards in the city water.

The first factory in White Pigeon was the fanning mill in 1831.

In a few weeks the Purifier Works at Jackson will be completed.

Charles Fox is building a candy factory at Port Huron.

The Marlette district fair will be held Oct. 17-19.

Five thousand dollar fire in the Johnson block at Manistee.

An unusually large stave business is being done at Fair Haven.

The celery crop of Kalamazoo will bring over $300,000 this year.

Conner H. Smith has been commissioned postmaster at Crosby, late Bowen Station.

One hundred and seventy-five tons of hay were shipped from Agens dock St. Clair one day last week.

A postoffice has been established at Talbot, Menominee county, with Fred W. Sensiba, as postmaster.

Egan's Imperial truss will be manufactured by a new Ann Arbor company.

Gen. Israel C. Smith will not resign his position as head of the State troops.

Constantine was surveyed in 1831. There were five families, where there are now 1,405.

The first house built in White Pigeon was the Savery log tavern, in 1827. Present population, 1,021.

The wife of Dr. Webb, of Lowell, died of blood poisoning, at her father's house, in Ann Arbor, last week.

A boy in Cadillac by the name of Maxwell had his right hand badly mangled by a saw in Wade's mill last week.

Kalamazoo has four railroads, with a fifth partially built, and twenty-three daily passenger trains. Pretty good for a village.

There will be an annual meeting of pioneers at Portland October 30. There will be a picnic dinner and an address by S. K. Gates.

Last week a drunken man received a severe scalp wound in Jackson, but no inducement could make him disclose the name of the offender.

Robert Eggleston, of Grand Rapids, was terribly injured last week by jumping off a car near Kalamazoo, thinking that he had reached the station.

Josiah Dilley is the new President of the Ionia County Vigilance Committee. They have been so vigilant that for six months not a single article has been stolen from any of its members.

As the 4:17 p. m. train on the Lake Shore road was entering Adrian on Thursday, it was fired upon by some unknown hoodlums. Three windows were broken, and three passengers were badly cut by the glass.

The $40,000 skake purse now being raised by St. Clair to secure the location of the county seat in that city, is to be used to back up an offer to be made, of a donation of county buildings to the county if the seat is changed.

The Judges of Probate throughout the State have been notified to send no more insane females to the asylums, as they cannot be received. In the case of males they are only to be accepted after corresponding with the asylum authorities.

Edmore is not lacking in manufacturing industries, and it will soon have another—a pail factory. A. H. Farnham's saw mill has several month's cutting before it, and when this is completed the machinery will be moved into the village and the factory started.

Bert Cole, of Jonesville, conductor of train No. 13, on the Lake Shore road, was run over at Eaton Rapids, last week, his right hand mangled, left leg broken and left arm broken. One leg was amputated, one arm must share the same fate, and his recovery is very doubtful.

An Isabella county paper boasts of a farmer's daughter there who has done 126 days of field labor this season, working in the hay field, planting and digging potatoes, clearing land, picking fruit, carrying lumber, etc. Some might think a man who owns as good a farm as her father, could do better than that by the girl.

NOW-A-DAYS.

BY ANDREW LANG.

[illegible]

TWICE BURIED.

A Tale of the Rocky Mountains.

BY MAX B. KEARTON.

Half way from Leadville to the plateau—half way up a new road, running into [illegible] half way down and my horse with my food gone and night close at hand. Night is Providence's death mask.

I wrapped my blanket tight about my shoulders and urged my steed forward through the gloaming.

[illegible] I knew that I would have been certain destruction. I warrant there are strangers in the night who intend no good to any one. For I've whipped them in time and I'm sure that the proof will be waste at last. Three days in the city marshal and [illegible] I'm a Pueblo man.

I knew Charley's reluctance to hasten his speed and whatever else it may do, it does not frighten.

We must reach Hartsorne's ranch on the Platte for provision or sleep out another night. I muttered.

I was returning from a search for certain depredators whose lair is the mountain Pueblo. The marauders had hidden in the mining camps about Leadville and my search had been a long one. Finding them at last I secured and the proof of their crime with them. I was about to return and make arrangements for their arrest when my worst enemy, whom I learned was in the town, I feel, passed by the [illegible] Black Dan. Had he found me my life would not have been worth a bare in a card. I must reach the settlements quickly and return with a posse in order to capture my prize and that without delay.

In the gloaming of the morning I had begun my perilous homeward journey in the gloaming of the evening I was continuing it. No soul had met me along the wagon trail and I believed that I had leaved my enemies.

The blackness of the canyon crept up the narrow trail ran down and among great masses of boulders across patches of snow and again along the bare earth. I followed with watchful eye the indistinct path until just at the verge of the last steep descent that should carry me into the river valley I halted a moment to rest my weary horse.

"Only a little farther [illegible] dismounting and patting his [illegible] head. "A couple of more [illegible] strike support and a [illegible] old fellow saved me."

A sudden [illegible] I sprang toward the shadow of the [illegible] behind me, a single flame of [illegible] ing report, and without a word I [illegible] my hands quivering into the air [illegible] heavily away from my horse and [illegible] Black Dan had found me.

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Slowly and with great pain consciousness returned—consciousness for my brain was still alive, but not [illegible] for my body I knew nothing.

What had happened?

Laboriously my mind traveled through the midst of death that still surrounded it. Slowly one idea followed another until at last came the knowledge that I should [illegible] had been waylaid and shot.

Yes, I remember now. Remembered the cry of my dog, the ring of a rifle, the sheet of flame, the blow of the ball, and then—nothingness.

I had been shot and was dead.

And yet not dead, for pain revived, and dead men feel no pain. I was shot but not dead. And so came at last the consciousness of matter. I still lived.

I sought to rise, but could not, for I was bound bound hands and feet, arms, legs, body, neck and head, fingers lips and eyelids even bound, yet not with cords.

Where was I? What was the trouble?

Nearer and still nearer came the truth as I groaned in spirit and struggled to gain knowledge of myself: nearer and still nearer, until with a mighty effort, throwing off all lethargy, I made one desperate attempt to rise; but the damp weight of newly-turned earth pressed upon my heart, the clinging bands of newly dug earth around me, and with a wild cry of horror and despair I recognized my situation. I was buried alive.

I did not faint at first—life was too dear—but lay simply designed, crushed by the blow, the loose mound admitting air for my respiration, my [illegible] brain rolling [illegible] Buried alive! Buried alive! [illegible] madness and [illegible] desire [illegible] a second time.

And then it was the tongue of my dog that awakened me. Don dug me out and lapped me back to life again.

As the dull gray of the winter's morning dawned, with groans I dragged my stiffened limbs from my narrow bed, and crept tremblingly down the trail toward the river, the blood oozing from a hole in my side, my eyes wild and fierce, my heart [illegible] my life half gone.

As I thought [illegible] set have [illegible] and the grave to bury me. It [illegible] to his house of carelessness that [illegible] the house door [illegible] me.

If [illegible] I [illegible] but to [illegible] storm [illegible]

[illegible]

There is rapid [illegible]

[illegible] the more quickly.

The next instant more fell and still more and then light began to gleam and I heard the hurrying scrape of feet mingled with low whinny.

[illegible] returned and was [illegible]

The revulsion of feeling was terrible. A moment before I had laid down a [illegible] to wait for death, now I fought and tore at the [illegible] snow like a madman mad with the thought of life.

Nearer and nearer came the rescuing [illegible] I felt the pile of snow beneath [illegible] the light above. The [illegible] mingled with growls now. [illegible] to and fro. The barrier was [illegible] one, it was [illegible] I breathed the air of [illegible] my heart leaped within me [illegible] I uttered a joyful cry a dozen [illegible] great hollow eyes burned into [illegible] a dozen faces peered before [illegible] their gleaming fangs. I had [illegible] by a pack of mountain wolves [illegible] instant I managed my [illegible] wounded and unarmed [illegible] hungry and ferocious a dozen [illegible] with a yell I sprang into their midst.

It was the act of a madman but I was mad. Death should tear me limb from limb now and with brave hands I clutched at the first grey monster before me, and grasped his shaggy throat as with hands of steel seeking to throttle him.

Then the entire pack with demoniac howls hurled themselves upon me.

The struggle was short. I felt the hot breath of the brutes in my face, their red mouths yawned upon me, their strong claws tore my buck-skin shirt; their teeth snapped when suddenly a great big white something was hurled from the bank of snow above into the midst of the melee. A half dozen dark forms followed. Wild shouts, mingled with pistol shots and heavy blows, broke upon my ears, the red blood of my assailants dyed the spotless snow, their hideous eyes faded before me and falling backward, I felt myself caught by strong arms and the well-known voice of old Johnston cried, "Saved, thank God!"

Are saved! and this time for life. My trusty dog had found the ranch and aroused the men by his strange actions; they had followed him in early morning to where I was hidden, arriving at the spot just in the supreme moment of need. I was saved, and five days later confronted Black Dan before the bar of the criminal court in Pueblo, and had the satisfaction of hearing sentence passed upon him, while he trembled as he stared at the man whom he had buried among the peaks of the Rockies.

Neither date nor pleasure will ever again call me along the canyon of the Platte.

A New Departure.

One good result of the hard times a few years ago was the bringing into life an article in proprietary medicine, which gave to every purchaser a full equivalent for his money. The rule of this class of medicines is from 10 to 25 doses for $1, the best only reaching 40. Messrs. Hood & Co. took a new departure and in the article so well and favorably know as Hood's Sarsaparilla, they gave the unprecedented quantity of 100 doses for $1. These facts commend this remedy to the consideration of the sick, also the well, for they are liable to be sick.

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Discoveries Made by Accident.

Valuable discoveries have often been made and valuable inventions suggested by the merest accident.

The swaying to and fro of a chandelier in a cathedral suggested to Galileo the application of the pendulum.

Macintosh owed his invention to the [illegible] very impressing trousers with dew.

An alchemist, while seeking to discover a menstrum of surpassing power, had made the most durable crucible that they found yet had not made a precedent.

The power of lenses was applied to the microscope, and discovering as it were a new world, the microscope, in turn, was applied to the telescope. While adjusting [illegible] between his thumb and finger, he was startled at the enormous enlargement of a pin point, and the microscope was thus [illegible] and the telescope [illegible] was such an excellent adjunct [illegible] with the [illegible] proper [illegible] who entirely disarmed.

The process of whitening sugar was [illegible] a curious way. A lump [illegible] fell into a cask of sugar which was being purified by filtration through animal charcoal, and when the cask was opened the sugar was found to be [illegible] which has gradually [illegible] to the purest white in use, and to which has gradually off nicely. He cut [illegible] to bring them to a point. Taking these cards for communicating notes, his customers were continually wanting some of "that novel little paper," and the stationer found it advantageous to cut paper to the desired pattern. As there was no space for addressing the notelets after they were folded he after much thought, invented the envelope which he cut by the aid of little pasteboard made for the purpose. The sale increased so rapidly that he was unable to produce the envelopes fast enough so he commissioned a dozen houses to make them for him, and thus set going an important branch of the manufacturing, stationary trade.

The origin of blue-tinted paper came about by a mere slip of the hand. The wife of William East, an English paper-maker, accidently let a blue bag fall into one of the vats of pulp. The workmen were astonished when they saw the peculiar color of the paper, while Mr. East was highly incensed over what he considered a grave pecuniary loss. His wife was so much frightened that she would not confess her agency in the matter. After storing the damaged paper for four years, Mr. East sent it to his agent at London, with instructions to sell it for what it would bring. The paper was accepted as a "proposed novelty," and was disposed of at quite an advance over the market price. Mr. East was astonished at receiving an order from his agent for another large invoice of the paper. He was without the secret, and found himself in a dilemma. Upon mentioning it to his wife, she told him about the accident. He kept the secret, and the demand for the novel tint far exceeded his ability to supply it.

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THE STATE FAIR.

WHAT IT HAS INTERESTED A REPORTER TO CHRONICLE.—SOME NOTABLE EXHIBITS.

BEAUTY AND UTILITY.—The Peninsular Stove Works of Detroit at the State Fair recently held in that city, were perhaps more highly favoured with admirers than any other stove company ever has been in the state of Michigan at least. Not only were the decorations which cost several thousand dollars superbly beautiful, but the stoves themselves were so plainly more artistic and elegant than any exhibited at fairs before, that comparison between them and the productions of other manufacturers were in every case favourable to the Peninsular. The Peninsular base burner is an elegant stove this season. Its exterior is a beautiful work of art, while its general construction is probably the superior of any other base burner in the market. The Peninsular square base burner is of the high art order, and is guaranteed in every case to perform that work which other high art stoves have so signally failed to accomplish. The Peninsular ranges were beauty itself and their working principles fully appreciated by the thousands who examined them. The Peninsular Gothic Franklin is a little gem of a stove. It has an open front and is one of the prettiest stoves of the kind in the world. There were several of the many other styles of stoves made by the company exhibited, but lack of space prevents a notice of them. Throughout the entire exhibition it was visible that the Peninsular Stove Company is a dangerous rival of the oldest and largest companies in America, for if any make or can make a handsomer or better line of stoves, the verdict of the public is let them be produced, for as yet they have not been seen.

ART AT THE STATE FAIR.—The beautiful exhibit of artistic gas fixtures, bronzes, etc., made by Messers Mouat & Sheley of Detroit, at the State Fair, attracted so much attention, and such favourable comment on all sides, that it is but justice to the firm to say, that they have won a high position in the trade, and are noted for the excellent judgment they display in the selection of stock, and fearlessness in offering their patrons the handsomest and best productions of both Europe and America. No one of the thousands who saw the richly beautiful fas fixtures in every style of bronze, antique bars and nickel, the truly artistic bronzes bique, figures etc., could for a moment question the statement that Detroit possesses in the establishment of Mouat & Sheley, that which few cities if any on this continent can duplicate. When it is understood that their exhibit at the fair was only a tithe of what one may see at the warerooms on Woodward avenue at all times, and that strangers in the city are welcome to look through them, no one visiting the city can afford to deprive themselves of the pleasure.

THE ARTIFICIAL HATCHER.—The prettiest exhibition on the fair grounds this year is that made by the Perfect hatcher company of Elmira, N. Y. They have one of their machines at work in a tent south of the poultry exhibit, actually hatching chickens and ducks by steam and electricity and the little fowls may be seen breaking and coming from the shell 30 or 40 at a time, kicking and picking their way out. This is indeed a curiosity and must be seen to be appreciated.

A STATE FAIR ITEM.—The Muzzy Starch Works of Elkhart, Ind., had a neat booth at the lower end of main hall in charge of their efficient agent. They manufacture Muzzy's sun-gloss starch and Muzzy's corn starch. Muzzy's starch is rapidly gaining favor with the people and is deserving of the many good things that are said of it.

E. BEMENT & SONS.—This well-known Lansing firm made a fine display on the fair grounds this year. Mr. G. W. Bement had charge of the exhibit. Their large tent was almost constantly thronged and Mr. Bement and his assistants were kept busy. Perhaps the long familiarity of the people of Michigan with the plows and other goods manufactured by E. Bement & Sons had something to do with drawing the crowd to this exhibit. They are manufacturers of chilled, cast and steel plows, wheel cultivators, spring-tooth and other harrows, scrapers, kettles, heating and cook stoves, small cultivators of all descriptions, bobsleds for roads and logging, wheel-spring harrows, etc.,

Their exhibit included quite a full line of the goods manufactured by them except stoves and small tools. They exhibited 12 varieties of plows, though they manufacture many more. It may not be generally known that E. Bement & Sons are the largest manufacturers of bob-sleds in the world. Their exhibit of heavy, medium and light state of Maine sleds attracted the special attention of all who are interested in the lumber business, while their bench bob-sleds, knee bob-sleds and one-horse bob-sleds were inspected with interest by the people generally. For common road work these bob-sleds have no superior. The spring-tooth harrows manufactured by E. Bement & Sons are remarkable for lightness of draft, ease of adjustment, quality and amount of work performed, as well as for the ease and small cost of repairing them. The construction of their harrow is such that the frame rides clear of the ground, avoiding the draft caused by the frame hugging the ground and loading up with dirt, thus wearing it out in a season or two. The tooth sets more like a *cultivator blade*, giving it in that respect *great* advantage in draft by *cutting* the dirt instead of *shoving* it aside. Their spring tooth riding harrow is light, compact, durable and easily managed, and they have a broadcast seeder which can be attached or detached by removing four bolts.

The stove business of this firm has assumed large proportions. Last year they manufactured about 5,000 of their Oak Leaf stoves. Some idea of the magnitude of their business may be gained from the fact that they melt and cast from five to six tons of iron every working day.

All the goods manufactured by this firm can be depended on as being first class, both in point of good working qualities and for the good material of which they are constructed. They are abreast of the times. Whenever there is a chance to improve they are quick to see and adopt the improvement.

The members of the firm are A. O. Bement, G. W. Bement and C. E. Bement, sons of E. Bement who died about three years ago, and Mr. C. A. Gower, the able Superintendent of the Michigan Reform School for boys, who devotes his time, however, exclusively to that institution at present, and does not give the business his personal attention. The brothers have honored their father and themselves by retaining the old firm name. In 1870 they sold about $3,000, of goods, and their business has steadily increased until this year when they will sell more than $275,000. They employ a large number of men, and are contributing largely to the growth of the capital city.

THE ART LOAN.

A Decided Success—All who have Visited it Pronounce it a Wonderful Exhibition.

The city of Detroit ought to take pride in its Art Loan Exhibition, for that it is one of the most complete and entertaining ever held in the West cannot be denied. Each room of the immense building contains sufficient to delight the visitor for hours and the opportunity here presented to familiarize one's self with famous works of art should not be neglected. While in the city there are many institutions which, having made preparations to entertain the public with an exhibition of rare and beautiful articles and the different processes of manufacture of their goods the non-resident may find it agreeable to call upon. The writer having a few hours to spare, looked through a few of the most prominent establishments and was well repaid for the time spent in his wanderings.

DECORATIVE ART.—The rapid advancement made during the past ten years in artistic interior decoration has had the effect of increasing the desire of the people at large for better and more cultured surroundings, and the individual efforts made by those whose profession it is to produce artistic and pleasing effects has undoubtedly heightened the education of Americans as a class. The old world possesses the immortal works of the old masters but were they transferred to the modern home they would be sadly out of place and excite only curiosity. The new world as it is commonly termed requires effects more in keeping with its character and its people, and contrasted with the works of foreign artists, the creations of some of our American decorators are vastly superior, for American homes at least, and rank with the best in world. Among the highest classes of artists in this line, the firm of Dean, Godfrey & Co., of Detroit, Mich., holds a prominent place. Their handiwork will be found in hundreds of the most costly mansions in the west as well as in the neat but unpretentious cottage. Their work is always well done and invariably presents when finished a thoroughly artistic appearance. The work recently done by them in the Art Loan Bulding and Detroit Opera House, is a sufficient proof that they not only execute rapidly but thoroughly.

THE ROGERS GROUPS.—The well known groups of statuary manufactured by John Rogers, New York, show no signs of decreasing in popularity. This is attributable to the fact that they strike a sympathetic chord in every heart: "One touch of nature makes the whole world kin." And so long as mankind cherishes the ideas of home and its surroundings, so long will these works of art maintain their popularity. From the characteristic group, "Checkers up at the Farm," (which was first modeled for the great Sanitary Commission fair at Chicago, we believe), through all his later works there beams the same spirit of purity, grace, and simplicity. These are what attract and charm us all. His well-known war groups comprise a history of the conflict with Secession. All are alike striking and significant. How much better to ornament one's home with such works than to copy the sensual tastes of those who import from Europe the shameless figures of Pagan superstition! This craze after old world styles is working great harm to our people. Why cannot we be sufficient as a nation to ourselves? Why throw away money on reproductions of an armless woman when for a smaller sum we may possess a veritable "thing of beauty" which will be "a joy forever." We advise all our readers to send for an illustrated catalogue of the Rogers Groups, which may be had, postage free, by addressing John Rogers, 23 Union Square, New York.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR VISITORS.—As we have said, the attendance of visitors is expected to be very great, and prudence dictates to all who intend to go to Detroit that they should make arrangements for suitable accommodations while in the city. To our readers we can recommend no better hotel than the Antisdel House, Antisdel & Scripps proprietors, corner of Michigan and Washington avenues. Its location is central, and its surroundings are very pleasant. The hotel has just been refitted, and now offers as cosy quarters as any in the city. Its rates are low, and will continue so. This long established house has always enjoyed a good reputation, and the success of its new managers is a proof that it continues to gain in public estimation. The Hotel is but two squares from the City Hall, near several lines of street cars (one of which passes its doors), and is but a few minutes walk from the Grand Circus Park. In fact, it may be said to adjoin a park—The wide and beautiful Washington avenue. Stop at the "Antisdel!"

ART AS APPLIED TO WALL PAPER.—Among the few really artistic frescoators, painters and paper hangers in the West, Fred Bamford & Co. of Det. are unexcelled. They possess in a high degree the artistic ability to execute orders to the entire satisfaction of customers, and when their judgment is appealed to, they invariably evince their educated taste and thorough knowledge of art. Probably no firm has made greater progress in this direction than Fred Bamford & Co. They make their business a study, a profession, and as a result are patronized by all whose cultivation and good taste are in keeping with the artistic and love of the beautiful. Many of the fairest homes in Michigan have been made so by their labors, and none have been adversely criticised. So thoroughly did the Art Loan Committee appreciate these artists that they entrusted to them the greater part of the interior decorations of the Art Loan Building. This ought to be sufficient recommendation.

KENNEDY & KOESTER, 201 JEFFERSON AVENUE.—The well-known manufacturing jewelry house whose name leads this article offer a very attractive display, comprising all styles of jewelry. They are also wholesale dealers in watches, clocks, tools and materials, and agents for all kinds of American watches. Their stock of manufactured goods and samples is ample, and is well worth the examination of all our readers. The general public, and the trade especially, are cordially invited to call at this establishment, and see the latest novelties in one of the most attractive lines of goods. Messrs. Kennedy & Koester claim that they can offer prices to retail dealers which make it an object of some importance to buy exclusively of them. They ask only a comparison of the figures with those of other dealers. It does no harm to investigate in these matters, and we hope to see a general acceptance of the kind invitation of the firm.

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Jehiel Davidson is no longer a drain commissioner. He has pulled off his rubber boots, loaned his shovel, returned his law book and retired to private life.

While Timothy Mills was driving down Chicago street last Monday, one of his horses kicked both hind legs over the tug, and for a short time it was impossible to tell whether Mr. Mills would reach the place he started for or not. He stopped the team however before any damage was done.

Geo. E. Adamson has opened a jewelry store in the store occupied by G. P. Sparks as a music store. He will share the space with Mr. Sparks until spring, and then occupy the whole store. Geo. is a first-class workman, a good business man, and has hosts of friends all over the county, and we predict for him a good business, and wish him all success.

One of the finest exhibits in Floral Hall at the county fair was the photographic display of C. H. Hopkins and M. P. Brown, of this village. They united their exhibits in one, giving a large and splendid collection of photos, crayons, india ink and oil portraits. Citizens of Tecumseh do not need to go abroad to obtain the finest pictures that can be made, either photos, or enlarged portraits finished in india ink or oil.

Latest returns from the Ohio election indicate the election of Hoadley by a small majority with the legislature still in doubt. The prohibition amendment polled a heavy vote, but it is probably defeated by a small majority. In Iowa the Republicans elect their state ticket by a large majority and the legislature, although the Democrats gain heavily in legislative members.

LATEST.—The latest returns insure the election of Hoadley by at least 10,000 majority, with a good working Democratic majority in the legislature. The fate of the prohibitory amendment is still undecided.

Last Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Robert Cupples was found lying upon his wife's grave in the cemetery with his throat cut. Mr. Cupples has long been the engineer at Brewer's foundry and was a faithful, trusty, hard working man. He lost his wife in 1875, who took a dose of strychnine by mistake for quinine, and Mr. Cupples has never been himself since. He has been laboring under a fit of melancholy for several weeks, which was undoubtedly the cause of the act. Drs. House & Jones dressed the wound and the poor man is still alive, although but little hopes are entertained of his recovery.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 11, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Sunflowers growing in your bay window will ward off the malaria.

Rev. E. W. Miller, of the Clinton Congregational Church, gave us a call last Tuesday.

James Curry last week received an elegant family bible, the gift of his brother, Edward Curry.

Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, has reopened her store for the fall and winter trade.

The Morenci fair last week was a success in every particular. On Thursday, the principal day, the attendance reached 4,000.

Thos. Lee, of Macon, presented us some of the finest apples we have seen this fall. There were six varieties and all of them perfect.

Mrs. Ed. Prichard returned Monday from a visit to her friends in Kalamazoo. She reports a pleasant trip and a nice visit. Fannie Strickland came with her.

The Ladies' Social of the Baptist Church will be entertained by Mrs. A. P. Coddington and Mrs. P. B. Swick on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 18th, at the residence of Mrs. Coddington. A full attendance is requested.

Geo. I Graves and wife, who have been spending a few days in Tecumseh for their home in Milan last Monday. We hope they enjoyed their visit here as well as their friends enjoyed seeing them.

Vennor says the autumn will be wet, mild and open. No snow at end of year. A rather severe October, but open weather afterward. January, 1884, wet and open. Unusual warmth for winter, 1884. No ice, or hardly any.

The newspaper war in New York City has attracted almost as much interest as the Ohio election. The HERALD insists upon selling at two cents and will establish newstands all over the city in opposition to the regular newsdealers.

Many Tecumseh people took advantage of the excursion rates to Chicago last Tuesday and went out to see the Exposition. It is barely possible that some of them may attend the race next Saturday between St. Julien and Jay-Eye-See.

The two ironing gangs on the M. & O. road met last Tuesday at Wooden's corners in the town of Cambridge.—The only portion of the road now without a track is about five miles from Dundee village to the county line and the grading is finished on this portion.

The inauguration ball given by Co. C last Friday evening was well attended and was a most enjoyable affair throughout. The armory was neatly attired, the music all that could be desired, and the girls danced till they were tired. We hope that Co. C will favor us with a few more such social events during the winter.

Rev. Phelps called in last Monday to say Good Bye. He was off for Philadelphia to attend the General Convention of the Episcopal Church now in session there. Through the kindness of a friend he is enabled to make the journey. During his absence for the ensuing three or four weeks there will be no services at St. Peter's church.

The Detroit Evening Journal pays its daily visits to our sanctum, and it is a welcome visitor. The little imperfections incident to starting a daily journal are disappearing and it is taking rank among the leading journals of Michigan's metropolis. The editor and business manager are both Lenawee boys which causes the residents of this county to take more than the usual interest in their welfare.

We called at S. W. Temple's new brick planing mill the other day and found Mr. T. as usual busy as a bee attending to various customers and the mill running to its full capacity turning out custom work in any quantity. Mr. Temple's new mill is one of the finest in the southern portion of the state—new machinery of the latest make throughout, and plenty of it to do the finest and latest kinds of planing, matching, and moulding work. He is prepared to do all kinds of custom in that line and it will pay any one to go and see the new Brick Planing Mill.

The Congregational Conference of Southern Michigan meets at Franklin next week, commencing Monday evening and closing Wednesday evening. The program contains besides the usual exercises, the following special features. On Tuesday afternoon Miss Cahill, of the American Missionary Association, will present the work of that society. Mrs. H. M. Shelton, of New York, Secretary of the woman's department of home missions, will address the ladies. Tuesday evening Mrs. C. B. Stowell, of Hudson, will teach a primary S. S. class, and Rev. J. V. Hickmott, of North Adams, will lecture to the S. S. teachers on "Our material; or what is a child. All are welcome at the meetings.

There are now 550 students in the State Normal School.

Are we going to have a Florida autumn in Southern Michigan this fall?

O. P. Bills returned from his trip up north on Monday last, feeling much invigorated after his journey.

Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, is offering great inducements in millinery and hair goods.

A young man of Muskegon fell in love with his cousin, had a row with her and then married her widowed mother.

The Dundee Corpet Band will give an opening ball at the opera house in that village on Thursday evening, Oct. 18th. Music by Bohemia's Monroe orchestra.

Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, has returned from New York with all the new styles and novelties in millinery. Hats made over and trimmed in the latest style.

Dr. Cooper of Rutger's College, N. Y. has presented the Ann Arbor University with a polyglot Bible, eight large volumes in vellum, in 11 languages. It was published in 1657, and is believed to be one of the most valuable Watson's polyglot in America.

J. M. Fuller, Esq., of New York city, a former resident of Tecumseh, was in town last week. He is the manager of Fuller's Detective Agency, office at 841 Broadway, which has grown into an extensive business. Mr. Fuller is now on his way to Minnesota to work up a government job, and will pay our village another call on his return.

"Key and Sequel to Boston Inside Out," three books in one: Catholic Church in Politics, For Sale or to Let, and The Story of a Fallen Priest, thirty-nine chapters, included. Second revised and enlarged edition, eight new chapters, added. 560 pages, gilt cover and back. By Rev. Henry Morgan. Fastest selling book of the age. Startling disclosures concerning the Church of Rome. Author sued by the Catholics for $25,000 for calling names in the advance sheets; other suits pending. Intense excitement in Catholic circles. Retail price $1,50; to agents, 75 cents cash, by postoffice order or registered lettor. No open accounts. No C. O. D. Sample copy $1,00 by mail. Address Rev. Henry Morgan, 81 Shawmut Avenue, Boston, Mass.

A BIG HAUL OF BONDS.

Last Thursday evening the residence of Wm. Dutton, of Adrian, was burglarized and several thousand dollars worth of bonds and mortgages taken, a small sum of money and a gold watch. The bonds were registered U. S. coupon upon which payment can be stopped, as it can also be on the mortgages. The burglars will probably not realize anything besides the seven or eight dollars in cash and the gold watch stolen. None of the securities taken were negotiable. In making their way into the house, it seems that they made several unsatisfactory attempts, one at the cellar entrance, and another by way of a kitchen window. Before finally entering, they broke off the handle of a mop which they found at the back of the house, thus securing a stout club, which they left in the house after completing the robbery. It is probable that Mr. Dutton would have heard from the mop handle if he had awakened and made a struggle with the thieves.

TERRIBLE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Last Saturday morning a collision took place between two freight trains at Pittsford, in Hillsdale Co. We gather the following details from the Adrian Times.

The station at Pittsford is on a steep grade to the east. About a mile west of the station is a curve, and the grade is then heavy to the west. A locomotive has to work hard over the grade, but when straightened out around the curve, there is a long stretch of down grade coming east, and trains going that way make fast time. The grade is steep a short distance west of Pittsford, that a car will not stand on the track without the brakes being set. No. 50 was not to stop at Pittsford, and came along at a high rate of speed. The shock was terriffic, waking up the sleeping villagers, who hastened to the scene to render what assistance they could. There is no fire engine in the village, and the people did what they could to put out the fire with pails of water. The locomotive of train No. 50 was completely demolished, the caboose of 60 was burned and three loaded cars of that train. The heat of the fire was so intense that a lot of lead was melted into a heap in one of the cars. A number of cars on train 50 were wrecked. Train No. 60 was several hours late, and it is said the conductor failed to send out the proper signals to the west.

Three persons were killed: Mrs. J. Rogers, of Hudson, Mr. Milick, of West Unity, Ohio, and A. A. Rose, of Adrian.

The conductor on train 60 was Al. Corpe, of Elkhart; the conductor of 50 was Harry Andrews, of Toledo. Chris. Neidhart, the engineer of 50 was badly hurt by jumping from his engine. His train was running too fast.

Train 60 left Osseo at 5:18, and 50 at 5:35. The former train left a brakeman at Hillsdale with information for 50, and this man went into the depot and went to sleep, leaving a request with the telegraph operator to awake him when 50 came along. This the operator did not or could not do.

Miss Nellie Koch left for her home in Indiana yesterday.

There will be a total eclipse of the moon on the 16th inst.

A rag picker at work in the Marshall paper mill found a $20 bill in the rags one day last week.

Postage on a letter from here to Canada is two cents, but the rate from Canada here is three cents.

Miss Ida Davis, formerly of Clinton, has been visiting friends at Tecumseh and Clinton during the past week.

Mr. Passmore carried away the 1st premium for gentleman's driving teams at the county fair, with his little team, and they showed the blue ribbon nicely.

Miss Libbie Pitcher, of Franklin, was the guest of Mrs. Jas. Mitchell and her daughter Lena last week. Friday evening a surprise was given in honor of Miss Pitcher, and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Miss Kate Anderson is much better this morning, and her father informs us she is entirely out of danger. Her condition during the past week has been very critical and her many friends will gladly hear of her improved condition.

FARMING IN MICHIGAN A SUCCESS.

According to the U. S. Agricultural Report for six years in succession the farmers of the Wolverine State received more actual cash per acre for 8 of the principal farm crops, than did the farmers of any one of the ten great farming states of the West and Northwest. The aggregate for the six successive years in Michigan, per acre, was $97.42, while in Nebraska it was but $43.60, being the lowest figures in the ten principal Western agricultural States.

In the year 1881 the average cash value of these crops was in Michigan, $19.48 per acre. According to the same reliable authority that State is well up amongst the sisterhood of states in supplying the world with articles of prime necessity, being first in salt, first in lumber, first in copper; and, as for iron, in comparison with Pennsylvania, the value of the ore at the mines where it was produced, it was in Michigan, according to the last census report for 1880, $6,034,648, and in Pennsylvania it was $5,517,079, though the out-put in Pennsylvania was 350,953 tons the most. While in the matter of miners' wages per month the average in Pennsylvania was $28,57 and in Michigan the average was $43.11. Michigan is fourth in her wool product and amongst the foremost in fruit, and out-ranks all others, according to U. S. official returns for the census year, in the average number of bushels of wheat per acre, and is 4th in aggregate amount produced. All this and much other valuable information may be obtained from a pamphlet entitled "Michigan and its Resources. Let all parties interested make a note.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

On the 18th ult., the committee appointed by the Lenawee County Bar to draft resolutions in regard to the death of Willis Merritt, reported the following, and by order of the court they were spread upon the journal.

Once more death has invaded our ranks. Our friend and brother, Willis Merritt, has been taken from us.

He was born in the township of Tecumseh, in this county, on the 10th day of March, 1854, and passed his life as boy, student, lawyer and man among us. We remember him as an active, hard working boy, with pure motives, striving hard to make himself an honorable and useful member of society. As a student he mastered the first principles of law, and as a lawyer he had already shown that he had the will and ability to take a high and honorable position in his chosen profession.

As a man, the many positions of honor and trust he had been selected to fill, show how he was esteemed by his fellow men. He possessed a mind of more than ordinary legal acumen, and with good health and added years, his prospects for a useful and honorable career were equal to any. But his disposition to labor was stronger than his body. Always inclined to be frail, his labors during the last political campaign proved too great a strain, and he gradually went down under his every day labor, that only final exhaustion induced him to give up.

And while we mourn his early death, we recall with melancholy pleasure our intercourse with him during all these years. Open hearted, genial, generous, candid, courteous and fair minded, he endeared himself to all of us. Those who knew him best, esteemed him most.

Hope was ever strong within him; he always looked on the bright side of things. He believed in the good faith and common honesty of men, and saw only the good qualities of his friends; and to his credit be it said, that his own bearing to his fellows was such that to him was meted out that same generous judgment that he accorded to others.

A steadfast friend, an open, magnanimous opponent has gone from among us, and we mingle our tears with those who are called to mourn him as son and brother. We extend to those sorrowing friends our sympathy and condolence.

Resolved, That a copy of this memorial, under the seal of the court, be furnished the mother of our departed friend, and a copy for publication in the Tecumseh and Adrian papers.

C. F. WEAVER,
A. BENNETT,
H. C. SMITH,
Committee.

C. JOSLYN, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned,
[SEAL.] THOS. M. HUNTER, Clerk.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Ottawa Lake big drain will cost $26,000.

Clinton will have a lecture course this winter.

Many sidewalks in Adrian are in an unsafe condition.

Hudson is shipping whole car loads of broom handles.

The war concert at Adrian to-morrow evening promises to be a grand affair.

Cambridge has turned out one hundred and six wood chuck scalps since town meeting.

The Osborn Bros. of Franklin, carried off the best sheep premium at the county fair.

The assessed valuation of the real and personal property of Deerfield village is $110,000.

Beers' Post No. 140 of this village will attend the War concert at Adrian to-morrow evening.

Miss Helen Queal and Mr. C. L. Vaughan are the only members of the Springville C. L. S. C.

John Burtless, of Clinton, threshed over 800 bushels of oats recently for C. Eddy in less than half a day.

The telephone line from Adrian to Jasper, Weston and Morenci is completed and in good working order.

The Blissfield girls are worth having. One of them pared a bushel of apples in three minutes the other day.

Morenci has another milkman. Let him take warning from the downfall of his predecessor and visit the town pump.

A new building will soon be erected in the rear of the Masonic Temple in Adrian for the use of the Press and Record.

The Dundee cornet band is called the "W. A. F." in honor of Hon. W. A. French who furnishes the stamps to run it.

Wm. Doan & Son, of Blissfield, have a new patent scraper and it looks now as though they had scraped up a good thing.

Some rascal has been stealing flower vases from the graves in the Clinton cemetery. The News says. "Tar and feather him."

No man could be found in Cambridge who would sign a liquor bond and so the saloon business goes begging in that town.

John Long has been highway commissioner of Deerfield. But he does not want the office any longer and so steps down and out.

Hudson has just organized a Young Men's Christian Association. That's right. A stop should be put to these post office burglaries if possible.

The present Lenawee County Board of Supervisors contains 12 Republicans, 12 Democrats and 2 Prohibitionists. Honors are easy, gentlemen.

Bridge Wells and Ellsworth Arnold tried to pass each other on the same track, in Clinton, the other night. A couple of broken axles was the consequence.

P. H. Scully, of Deerfield, drove from Tecumseh home last Friday in 90 minutes, a distance of 16 miles.—That was sculling along with a vengeance.

Burglars raided two houses at Clayton on Saturday night. Four dollars in cash and a silver watch were taken from Spencer Porter's and a gold watch from Jay Torbron's.

The county Pioneer meeting which was to have been held at Fairfield on the 3d inst., was adjourned until the 17th inst. The adjourned meeting will be addressed by Mr. H. C. Pratt.

The Adrian Times says: "Beginning with November 2 the Cambridge and Morenci mail stage will run four times a week, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays." The geographical editor must have been out when this item was written.

Blissfield Advance: A lady of Charlotte boasts in the Christian Advocate that she has made 500 pounds of butter from three cows since the first of May. Mrs. Geo. A. Baker, of this village, made 225 pounds from one cow from the 8th of May to the 8th of September.

Brooklyn Exponent: G. R. Culver raised 54 bushels of wheat this season from 232 rods of ground, using one bushel and 28 quarts of seed. Eighty rods of the ground produced 15 bushels of grain, the balance yielding 39 bushels. The land which produced the 39 bushels had 200 pounds of artificial fertilizer, the other part had none. The sowing was done the first week of last October. The variety is what is called the "Valley Wheat."

Adrian Press: Ex-Gov. Greenly last week left the city of Adrian, to reside elsewhere, and will make his home in St. Paul. He is in poor health, and spends some time at Eaton Rapids, and may perhaps go to Florida during the winter. Few men in the state possessed greater ability than Gov. Greenly. He is a finished scholar, a sound lawyer, and a man whom every body respected. Few people realize how acutely he has suffered from his illness during the past six or eight years, or how bravely he has borne his troubles.

THE PENSION LIST.

Below we give a full list of the residents in the northern towns of Lenawee County who draw pensions, from the government. The list for the entire county contains 503 names.

NAME.	DISABILITY.	AMT.
ADDISON.		
Van Vliet, Lydia	widow 1812	$8 00
Westcott, Phelewa	do	8 00
Bowen, Geo.	wd. r. ft. & l. shlder.	8 75
Marsh, Mary J.	mother	8 00
Horton, Robt. P.	wd. r. leg	6 00
Somers, Amora	widow	8 00
Lackey, Lecturia	do	8 00
Cheesbro, Andrew	loss sight l. eye	6 00
CAMBRIDGE.		
Johnstone, Phebe	widow 1812	8 00
Portman, Lucy	mother	8 00
Patterson, Margaret	do	8 00
Chatfield, Sterling S.	inj. r. side & dis. resp.	6 00
CLINTON.		
Lazelere, Geo.	wd. r.	8 00
Pike, Sarah J.	widow	8 00
Howard, Mary W. E.	mother	8 00
Cahill, Edward	wd. l. lungs	12 00
Kelly, Mary	widow	8 00
Nelson, Jno. H	wd. l. foot	6 00
Kline, Henry	wd. l. leg	6 00
Middlebrook, Aug.	chr. diarr. & rheum.	4 00
Millspaugh, Wm. A.	wd. l. arm	6 00
Chase, Lydia S.	widow	8 00
Gregory, Jno.	rheum.	8 00
Parks, Lucretia	widow 1812	8 00
Lazelere, Cynthia	do	8 00
Parker, Mary	do	8 00
Tomlinson, Maria	mother	8 00
KELLY'S CORNERS.		
Rose, John	wd. r. lung	6 00
Seigfreid, Frank B.	wd. r. ankle	12 75
Carey, Mary	widow 1812	8 00
LAKE RIDGE.		
Miller, Micer	chr. diarr. dis. of abd.	6 00
MACON.		
Lightball, Sarah A	widow	8 00
RIDGEWAY.		
Bucher, Bridget	do	8 00
Vanderson, Julia Ann	widow	8 00
Heath, Mary G.	do	8 00
Ellis, Willett	wd. l. knee	4 00
ROLLIN.		
Crandall, Chas. B.	wd. l. thigh	4 00
Rowley, Virona A	widow	8 00
Whitmore, Phebe	do	8 00
ROME.		
Aldrich, Mary	mother	8 00
Bertram, Solon	chr. diarr.	4 00
Maltman, Fred'k A	wd. l. thigh	4 00
SPRINGVILLE.		
Hornby, Rich'd	wd. abdomen	14 00
Mopes, Israel	wd. r. leg	6 00
Lervis, Geo. W.	wd. l. arm	6 00
Teachout, Eugene	inj. to abdomen	6 00
Herrick, Wm.	wd. r. breast	4 00
TECUMSEH.		
Jordan, Eliza W.	mother	8 00
Beers, Lucy	widow	12 00
Pennock, Alonzo	wd. forehead	6 00
Patterson, James	wd. gluteal regn	8 00
Cairns, James R.	chr. diarr	12 75
Rollo, Elizabeth	widow	8 00
Rankin, Elizabeth	"	8 00
Jackson, Clara	"	8 00
Smith, John B.	wd. r. thigh	4 00
Smith, Silas M.	wd. l. arm	2 00
West, Margaret	widow	
Lunkin, Benj.	chr. diarr.	4 00
Schreeder, John F.		8 00
Blood, Ezra P.		8 00
Allen, Dan'l P.		8 00
White, Phillis		8 00
Mead, Le Roy	wd. l. shld.	11 25
Hodges, Eugene A.	do	8 00
Kesser, Hendrick	wd. r. thi. & l. sd. l.	6 00
Strong, Andrew	wd. r. arm	3 00
Clement, Mary	widow	8 00
Eddy, Polly D.	do	8 00
Deuel, Fred'k P.	wd. r. thigh	4 00
Wheeler, Jane	mother	8 00
Turner, Elizabeth	do	8 00
Stout, Sarah	do	8 00
Hubbard, John J.	diarr.	2 00
Martin, Levi	wd. r. arm & thigh	12 00
Saxton, Dorinda	mother	8 00
TIPTON.		
Smith, Wm.	wd. r. shldr.	6 00

A Timely Lyric.

And now the ladies, bless 'em—
When gone, how much we miss 'em—
Are from the beaches coming home in scores,
scores, scores.
Where lately they've been stopping:
And now they'll go a shopping
And overrun the various dry goods stores,
stores, stores.

And now the merchant, wary
Will deem it necessary,
To have an advertisement well displayed,
played, played,
Within his local paper,
For that's the proper caper,
By which to catch the coming autumn trade,
trade, trade.

On Wednesday, Oct. 17, the ladies of St. Peter's church will give an oyster supper at the residence of Mrs. C. A. Keil, where they will be pleased to welcome all their friends. Supper from 6 to 10 P. M.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Elliott, of Chicago, Ill., are visiting Mr. & Mrs. David Spalding. It might be well to say that Mrs. Elliott used to be Miss Minnie Spalding, and congratulations are in order.

—Mrs. C. M. Webster has moved to the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood, one door west of P. B Swick, with the other branches of work. Colors hair switches for 25c and does oil stamping on short notice.

Cider Apples and Potatoes.

Slayton & Son want to buy your cider apples and potatoes. Call and see them.

—The Detroit Diamond Fanning Mill, the best in the market only $25. Slayton & Son.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Call on Slayton & Son for good cooking apples. Cheap.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Spring Tooth Harrows at Snedicor's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.

I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me. WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

THROUGH TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 27, 1883.

GOING NORTH. No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 20
6 25	9 40	" Manhattan Jct. "	9 04	2 13
6 32	9 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	2 04
6 38	9 53	" Monroe Jct. "	9 19	1 38
6 54	10 05	" Dundee "	8 60	1 15
7 20	10 34	" Azalia "	8 30	12 45
7 40	10 54	" Milan "	8 11	12 25
7 55	11 13	" Urania "	7 55	12 06
8 05	11 23	" Pittsfield "	7 45	11 56
8 15	11 35	" Ann Arbor Lv.	7 35	11 45
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	A. M.
9 10	12 30	" Stockbridge "	6 40	10 50
10 32	1 45	" Eaton Rapids "	5 27	9 30
10 42	1 55	" Delphi "	5 17	9 20
10 55	2 10	" Lansing "	5 05	9 05
11 40	3 00	" Grand Ledge "	4 20	8 20
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
12 05	3 25	" Ionia "	3 55	7 45
12 25	3 45	" Lake Odessa "	3 35	7 25
12 40	4 00	" Saranac "	3 20	7 10
12 55	4 15	" Ionia "	3 05	6 55
1 20	4 40	" Elmdale "	2 40	6 30
1 35	4 55	" Clarksville "	2 25	6 15
1 45	5 05	" Ada "	2 15	6 05
1 55	5 15	" Cedar Springs "	2 05	5 55
2 15	5 35	" Rockford "	1 45	5 35
2 35	5 55	" Greenville "	1 25	5 15
3 00	6 20	" Howard City "	1 00	4 50
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	A. M.
3 25	7 00	" Edmore "	8 30	4 20
3 40	7 15	" Blackjack "	8 15	4 05
3 55	7 30	" Howard City "	8 00	3 50
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	A. M.
4 35	8 10	" Pierson "	7 20	2 45
4 50	8 25	" Greenville "	7 05	2 30
5 05	8 40	" Lakeview "	6 50	2 15
5 20	8 55	Ar. Stanton Lv.	6 35	2 00

CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo with railroads diverging. At Adrian with Canada Southern, L. S. & M. S., and F. & P. M. R.R. At Manhattan Junction with Wheeling & Lake Erie R.R.; at Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S.; at Dundee with L. S. & M. S.; at Milan with W., St. L. & P. Ry.; at Pittsfield with L. S. & M. S.; at Ann Arbor with M. C. R.R.; at Stockbridge with D. L. & N. R.R.

W. E. BENNETT, GEN'L PASS. AGT. H. W. ASHLEY, SUPT.

CATARRH

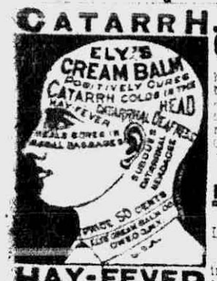

ELY'S CREAM BALM

has gained an enviable reputation wherever known, displacing all other preparations. An article of unexcelled merit.

CURES ROSE COLD IN HEAD

HAY-FEVER

LIQUID OR SNUFF

Apply by the finger into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed, effectually cleansing the nasal passages of catarrhal virus, restoring healthy secretions. It allays inflammation, protects the membranal linings of the nose from additional colds, completely heals the sores and restores the sense of taste and smell. Pleasant. Agreeable. Unpolluted by a few applications.

A Thorough Treatment Will Cure.

Price 50 cts. Ely's Catarrh Health Header, containing every kind of nasal remedy, sent free on receipt of stamp. By mail, prepaid, a package containing one of each size, $1. Sold by all druggists.

ELY BROTHERS, Owego, N. Y.

Half Out of His Head.

[illegible] Hop Bitters [illegible] Sandusky [illegible] "Why, if one cannot for another's good [illegible] become a drunkard." [illegible] Mr. John Coleman, the well known whole[illegible] of Buffalo, N. Y.

[illegible] nervous and my kidneys were quite [illegible] of prostration, which nearly [illegible] a kind of stupor haunted by [illegible] dreams. Having taken Parker's [illegible] I feel as good as ever. I am [illegible] surprised and delighted at the [illegible] I feel into the ranks of they [illegible] nights. I should add that the Tonic [illegible] with the condition of general [illegible] dyspepsia developed by my pre[illegible] sedentary habits, and gave me strength and [illegible] a brief trial of the Tonic [illegible] health. I have [illegible] the lowest disorders [illegible]

[illegible] preparation which has been known as Parker's Tonic, will hereafter be advertised and sold simply under the name of Parker's Ginger. Bitters & [illegible] make this change to the [illegible] unprincipled dealers who have for years [illegible] their customers by substituting inferior [illegible] under the name of ginger. We [illegible] the dealing would all the more willingly, as ginger is an important flavoring ingredient in [illegible]

There is no change in the preparation [illegible] Parker's Tonic remains in the hands of [illegible] under the name of Parker's Ginger. [illegible] the genuine bear the signature of [illegible] on the wrapper.

Did She Die?

No.

"She lingered" and suffered along [illegible] all the time for years.

"The doctors doing her no good."

"And at last was cured by this Hop Bitters the papers say so much about."

"Indeed! Indeed!"

"How thankful we should be for good medicine."

A Daughter's Misery.

[illegible] our daughter suffered [illegible] of misery.

"From a complication of kidney [illegible] rheumatic trouble and nervous [illegible]

"Under the care of the best physicians [illegible]

"Who gave her no lasting relief [illegible] various remedies [illegible]

"Finally we [illegible]

"And now she is enjoying perfect good health [illegible] a remedy as Hop Bitters that we can recommend for years before [illegible]

Father is Getting Well.

[illegible]

Fast Potato Digging!

The Monarch Lightning Potato Digger

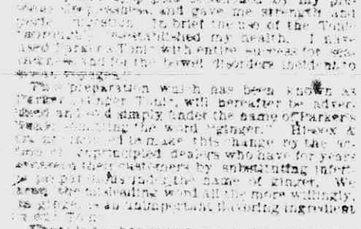

Saves its cost yearly, FIVE TIMES OVER, to every farmer. Guaranteed to Dig Six Hundred Bushels a Day!

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Write Postal Card for Free Illustrated Circulars. Mention this paper. Address

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A 160 ACRE FARM FOR SALE

[illegible] figures. First-class buildings, a large amount of fruit, and a desirable farm in every respect. Located about three miles from Tecumseh. For particulars inquire at the

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PATENTS!

E. A. LEHMANN, Solicitor of Patents, Washington D. C. Send for Circular.

Does Farming Pay?

An impression somewhat general seems to prevail that farming is not as profitable as other vocations, that more money can be earned in almost any other vocation with less labor; hence the farmer's son abandons the farm, where he is a success, for the uncertain gains of town.

This impression, it seems to me, is very far from the truth. Take the farmers in every state in the West, most of them commenced life poor; if they have strictly adhered to legitimate farming and avoided speculation, in most cases they are well situated, and are far more comfortable than an equal number of associates who chose the town. Facts sustain us in the assertion that out of one hundred young men who move the country for the town or city, not more than one becomes wealthy; perhaps one-tenth obtained a competency, and nine-tenths barely make a living. Out of one hundred young men who remain on the farm, probably not one becomes wealthy, but more than fifty per cent. have substantial possessions and good houses, while most of the remainder make a good living and rear respectable families. The point so impressed is that average young men are far more likely to succeed on the farm than in the town, although they may not actually make more money. One thing that has allured many from the farm is society, and schools may be added. In these particulars a marked difference can be observed within a few years to the credit of the country. Farm houses and surroundings are more beautiful; the sons are men of culture and the daughters are accomplished in the elegant as well as the useful. Society in the country is no longer rude; if it lacks some of the grace of the city, this is more than compensated by solid adjirements and an honest welcome, characteristic of a high bred people. The turning point has undoubtedly been passed, and the future great man of this nation will be a farmer.—[Knapp.

One of the Worst Cases of Erysipelas cured with Three Bottles of Rheumatic Syrup.

WOLCOTT, N. Y., Sept. 15, '83.

Rheumatic Syrup Co.:

Gents—Although your remedy is called Rheumatic Syrup, I find it is equally good for other diseases of the blood. Some six weeks since I was taken with erysipelas in my face, so that my eyes were terribly inflammed and I was a sight to behold, and the pain I suffered was almost beyond the limit of human endurance. I was induced to try your Rheumatic Syrup, as it was recommended as a great Blood Purifier, and before I had used all of the second bottle I was entirely cured, and my skin is now as smooth and clear as ever. I desire to recommend the Rheumatic Syrup to all whose blood is impure.

Gratefully yours, B. F. KNAPP.

I remarked to an old farmer back in the country, whom I had not seen for several years, and whose farm, in the meantime, had improved wonderfully, that his place was so changed I hardly knew it. "Yes," said he, "I've been fixin' up a little. The old woman pestered me to death about the garden, and so I slicked it up a little, and fixed about the house, and it looked so nice I went at the farm fences and the brush, and saved more manure, and kept killing the weeds, and the crops got better, and so I kept going on, and things do look pretty good now. Wife takes a paper, and I take one, and I get time to read it too, and I used to think that I hadn't time for anything." And so he ran on, seemingly much pleased with what he had done, and his life and his home without doubt the happier for it. Examples of a like kind may be found all over the country.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints, Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

[illegible] Dr. Leigh Dixon, the Parisian [illegible] for Australia, said at a point opposite [illegible] Naples, midway between each [illegible] in that quarter of the earth [illegible] cheerless. About 8000 people live [illegible] there, and are the effete descendants of the most formidable band of pirates that ever [illegible]. It is a very old town. One hundred and sixty-seven years before Christ [illegible] the city surrendered to the Romans and received exemption from taxation, and its freedom. From 1500 to 1600 the pirates held full [illegible] in 1714 a great battle was lost the [illegible]

Given Up by the Doctors.

"Is it possible that Mr. Godfrey is up and at work, and cured by so simple a remedy?"

"I assure you it is true that he is entirely cured, and with nothing but Hop Bitters, and only ten days ago his doctors gave him up and said he must die!"

"Well a-day! That's remarkable! I will go this day and get some for my poor George—I know hops are good."

It is said by a well-known Illinois educator that "The average western farmer toils hard early and late, often depriving himself of needed rest and sleep—for what? To raise corn. For what? To feed hogs. For what? To get money with which to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To buy more land. And what does he want with more land? Why he wishes to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—to buy more land—to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—and in this circle he moves until the Almighty stops his hoggish proceedings."

Time to Stop It.

It's too bad, Sir or Madam, but don't get frightened. Your hair is falling off—that's certain. A glance in the mirror, or an investigating committee of fingers tell the dismal story. We won't discuss the possible cause. It is enough that Parker's Hair Balsam used now will prevent further destruction. Is your hair somewhat gray, too and crisp? Alas, yes. The Balsam will give back the original color, softness and gloss. Not a dye, not oily, elegantly perfumed, a perfect dressing.

Don't allow the accumulation of scurf or dandruff, when it can be so easily prevented by the use of Ayre's Hair Vigor.

Coloring a Pine Floor.

The *Art Interchange* gives the following directions for coloring a pine floor which is to be partially covered with rugs: Buy at any painters' store turpentine and linseed oil (not boiled.) Ask them to put a little Japanese dryer in the turpentine. Buy either burnt sienna or Vandyke brown, or both, according to the color of the rugs and the tint on the walls. These colors come put up in tin cans, smaller but otherwise similar to tomato or fruit cans. After your floor has been washed thoroughly clean, is free from dust, and dry begin by opening your can and mixing, in another receptacle, the oil, turpentine and paint. Remember, the oil is to thin your paint, the turpentine to dry it. The mixture should be so thin that it will run with liquid readiness. Lay it on with a brush as thick as your hand, stroking the brush the way of the grain of the wood. Protect your hands with old gloves, and go over the floor, with a rag. In fact, you will need two rags, one pretty well charged with paint, to rub in every crevice, and another rag to rub off any superfluous paint. Mind your steps, or, rather, put some mind in the way you step. Do not step in a straight line across the grain of wood, but carry your brush irregularly down, taking a hint from nature's lines in the wood you are preserving with paint. By mixing the burnt sienna and Vandyke brown you will secure a rich color without needing to use the paint in a thick film. Your mixture should be so thin that the grain of the wood will show through. If you have too much turpentine the paint will rub off. If you have too little your room will need more days to dry. Twice as much oil as turpentine certainly. Do not economize the oil, and be as prodigal in rubbing as your strength will permit.

To keep the floor on a stained floor it is recommended once a week to wipe up the floor with diluted buttermilk or sour milk.

The best interests of humanity depend on the good health of our women folks, and yet those with brightest intellects seem to suffer most with ailments peculiar to female life. It is well to remember that the whole female system can be built up to a proper state of endurance, pimples, sores, swollen limbs, monthly pains, and other indications of female disease, made to disappear and robust health of mind and body take the place of illness and distress, if a timely use is made of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It restores the blood to perfect health, it strengthens the muscular and nervous system. It gives tone to the digestive and urinary organs. It allays all irritation of the mucous membrane. In a word it is a perfect female medicine, and aids every function of female life. No other remedy equals it. Have your druggist get it. Take no substitute.

Weight by Measuring.

The following rule for finding out the weight of an animal by measuring may prove convenient: "See that the animal stands square; then take his circumference behind the shoulder-blade—this is the girth. Then measure from the bone of the tail which plumbs the line with the under part of the buttock, and direct the string along the back to the forepart of the shoulder-blade; this will be the length. Then work the figures thus: Suppose the girth of bullock 6 feet 4 inches, length 5 feet 3 inches, which multiplied together make 33 square superficial feet; and these multiplied by 23—the number of pounds allowed for each superficial foot of cattle measuring less than seven and more than five feet in girth—make 759 pounds. When the animal measures less than nine and more than seven feet in girth, 31 is the number of pounds to be estimated for each superficial foot. And suppose a small animal to measure 2 feet in girth and 2 feet in length, these multiplied together make 4 feet, which multiplied by 11—the number of pounds allowed for each square foot when cattle measure less than 3 feet in girth—make 44 pounds. Again, suppose a calf or sheep, etc., to measure 4 feet 6 inches in girth and 3 feet 9 inches in length, that multiplied together makes 16 square feet, and these multiplied by 16—the number of pounds allowed for cattle measuring less than 5 and more than 3 feet in girth—make 256 pounds. The dimensions of cattle, sheep, calves and hogs, taken this way, will give the weight of the four quarters of the animal, sinking the offal. A deduction must be made for animals half fat—of one pound in twenty from those that are fat; and for a cow that has had calves one pound must be allowed, in addition to the one for not being fat, upon every twenty."

A lady who suffered from weakness peculiar to her sex, in writing to a friend, said: "I tried various kidney medicines, but only found myself growing worse. A friend told me to use Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. Its effect on me was soon indicated by a clear and beautiful complexion, a freedom from aches and pains, a complete removal of nervous depression, painless regularity in habits of digestion, and otherwise. I can not praise the remedy too highly as a true friend to suffering womanhood and as a strengthening medicine.

A copy of the oldest newspaper, of which anything is known was recently found in the library of the University of Heidelberg. John Carolus, of Strasburg, is thought to have printed this copy, which is in the form of a quarto volume and bears the date of 1609. Much of the contents is extremely interesting, and consists principally of letters written by correspondents. These letters, when coming from Rome, were twenty-one days on the route; from Venice, fourteen to seventeen days, and from Vienna, about eight days. When there was not sufficient matter to fill out the sheets, blank spaces were left. One of the incidents mentioned was the manufacture of a telescope, by Galileo. Some of the news was of a very bloody character, and pictures a lawless state of society, one item relating to the confession of seven criminals who acknowledged that "on the 18 of this month they threw about fourteen persons into the water, and that their band numbered eighty, who for the most part were natives of Prague."

A GOOD INVESEMENT.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaprilla in the window and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hay Fever.

For Hay Fever I recommend Ely's Cream Balm. It entirely relieved me from the first application; have been a sufferer for ten years. Going from home and neglecting to take the remedy, I had an attack; after returning I immediately resorted to it, and found instant relief. I believe, had I begun its use earlier, I should not have been troubled. J. Collyer, Clerk, 115 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J.

My brother Myron and myself were both cured to all appearances, of catarrh and hay fever last July and August. Up to this date, Dec. 28, neither have had any return of these troubles. Ely's Cream Balm was the medicine used. Gabriel Ferris, Spencer, N. Y.

WOA-PHORA

Began life 12 years ago under the name

WOMAN'S FRIEND

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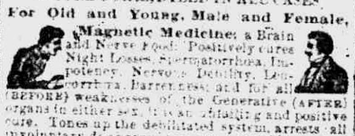

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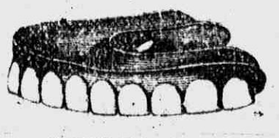

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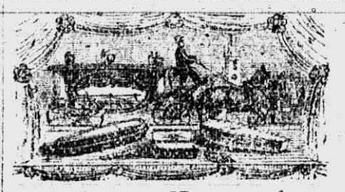

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A long period of toil then followed, ending in the discovery of a cavity in the side, but no means of entrance. Disappointed but not daunted, Belzoni again surveyed the vast building, and determined to try in another spot, where, after the labor of many days, first one and then another block of granite was uncovered, and at last the entrance to the pyramid reached—a low passage choked up with fallen stones, which required arduous toil to draw them out. But in spite of the opposition and idleness of his Arab laborers, Belzoni persevered, till a passage large enough to admit one of the men was cleared, and soon after, armed with a torch, the traveler stepped in, and began to look for the reward of his thirty days of incessant labor.

His light burned dimly in the gloomy echoing passage leading to the vast solitudes that had not been invaded for perhaps two thousand years, and it was with a strange feeling of awe that this enterprising man passed on, breathing the dust of a vast antiquity, and with lifted torch trying to pierce the gloom. Passage after passage he explored through the huge rock-built structure; peering anxiously forward lest he should be plunged unawares into some deep pit yawning to engulf him; but he passed on in safety until he reached a door, evidently leading into some great chamber, and then, stepping boldly forward, he stood in the centre of the huge building, trying to pierce the darkness around, and gazing wonderfully at this mausoleum of an antiquity so great that human history gives but a poor clue to its age. His steps echoed upon the stony floor, and seemed to die away in strange whisperings from the sides of the great tomb as he eagerly explored it, now with lowered torch, now with it elevated towards the roof, and listened again and again to some sound, to break the death-like stillness of the place.

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New Cure for Whooping Cough.

This has been considered one of the incurable diseases. Physicians [illegible] that it must take its course [illegible] weeks of incubation preceding the [illegible] four weeks of gradually increasing number and power of the paroxysms, and from six weeks to six months of restoration to health. Often this malady is followed by pneumonia, bronchitis, or extreme physical exhaustion, ending in lingering illness or death. When the paroxysms are very violent, patients frequently rupture blood vessels or the delicate membranes of the eye or other organs. The disease is increasing in virulence. The number of deaths in New York city in one year has reached 469; in the city of London the appalling number of 6,000 annually. It has been known to some of the medical profession that persons suffering from whooping cough, asthma, bronchitis, catarrh, croup, and the other zymotic diseases, experienced quick relief, and sometimes rapid cure, by breathing the vapors arising from the open purifying boxes at gas works. This fact was discovered by a French physician in 1865, and published. Shortly after, the gas works of this country were visited, and now it is quite common to see several patients gathered about a purifying box inhaling the strong vapors.

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You will, I trust, pardon the length of this communication, but the subject seemed to me to possess such general interest and promising to occupy a new and important field in the relief of suffering children humanity, that I thought it worth a place in your widely circulated column. *Kenosha (Wis.) N.Y. Evening [illegible]*

A Short History of Wheat.

The varieties of wheat are almost numberless, and their characters vary widely under the influence of cultivation and climate. There are said to be 180 distinct varieties in the museum of Corneli university. On the slopes of the mountains of Mexico and Xalpa the luxuriance of vegetation is such that wheat does not form ears. In Japan, it is said, the wheat has been so developed by the Japanese farmers that no matter how much manure is used the straw will not grow larger, though the length of the ears increases. The height is rarely more than two feet, and often not more than 20 inches. Through selection winter wheat has been changed to summer wheat in three years, and summer wheat converted in the same time to winter wheat. In general, wheat is the most esteemed of the cereal productions, but in Abyssinia, according to Parkyns, the flour of the "teff" or "dogussa," scarcely palatable to Europeans, is preferred by the natives to any other grain.

Isis was supposed to have introduced wheat into Egypt, Demeter into Greece, and the Emperor Chin-Wong into China about 3000 B. C. In Europe it was cultivated before the period of his history, as samples have been recovered from the lacustrine dwellings of Switzerland. In England it was probably not cultivated by the ancient Britons, but the Anglo-Saxons when Bede wrote, early in the 8th century, sowed their wheat in the spring, and in the days of Queen Elizabeth its cultivation was but partial. Indeed, wheat was an article of comparitive luxury till nearly the 17th century. In India wheat seems not to be native, but introduced, for its Sanscrit name signifies "food of the barbarians," yet three varieties are mentioned in the Avaprakasa, one of which, a large-grained, is said to have come from the West, another, a small-grained, or beardless wheat, is said to have been indigenous to Malabar, India.

The first wheat raised in the "New World" was sown by Spaniards on the island of Isabella, in January, 1494, and March 30th the ears were gathered. The foundation of the wheat harvest of Mexico is said to have been three or four grains carefully cultivated in 1530, and preserved by a slave of Cortez. The first crop of Quito was raised by a Franciscan monk in front of the convent. Garcilasso de la Vega affirms that in Peru, up to 1557 wheaten bread had not been sold at Cuzco. Wheat was first sown by Gosnold on Cuttyhunk, one of the Elizabeth islands in Buzzard's Bay, off Massachusetts, in 1602, when he first explored the coast. In 1608, on the island of St. Croix, near Calais, N. S., the Sieur de Monts had some wheat sown which flourished finely. In 1611 the first wheat appears to have been sown in Virginia. In 1626 samples of wheat grown in the Dutch colony at New Netherlands were shown in Holland. It is probable that wheat was sown in the Plymouth colony prior to 1629, though we find no record of it, and in 1629 wheat was carried to England to be used as seed. In 1718 it was introduced into the Valley of the Mississippi by the "Western Company." It was among the cultivated crops of the Indians Indians of the Gila Valley, Mexico.—*Millers' National Magazine.*

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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 19th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Peter W. Adams, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and codicils thereto, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Marcus A. G. Packard, John Margeson, Solomon Crane and Gideon P. Perry, the executors in said will named.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. sep20

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased, in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 12, 1883.

LEWIS CAMPBURN, MILAN SAGE, Commissioners. sep13

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of William Waring, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 24 day of November, 1883, and on the 17th day of March, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of September, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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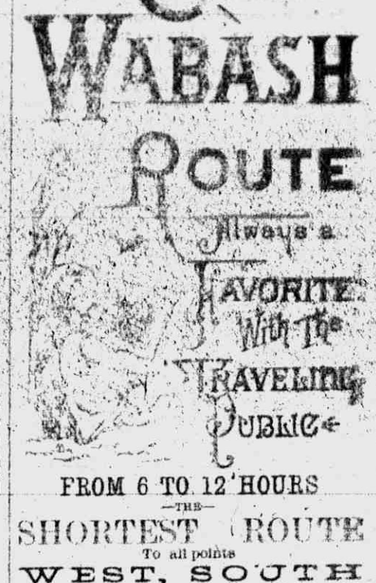

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Where Did Potatoes Come From?

Nobody knows positively where the potato came from originally. It has been found, apparently indigenous, in many parts of the world. Mr. Darwin, for instance, found it wild on the Chonos Archipelago. Sir W. J. Hooker says that it is common at Valparaiso, where it grows abundantly in the sandy hills near the sea. In Peru and other parts of South America it appears to be an home, and it is a noteworthy fact that Mr. Darwin should have noted it both in the humid forests of the Chonos Archipelago and among the Peruvian Andes, mountains, whose summits even then, and, all the year, capable of snow. It was in the mountains of Chili, Darwin says, not in Virginia, which was one indebted for its cultivation.

Humboldt who, seeing one with these, [illegible] and who speaks of potatoes as [illegible] large, says, perhaps, he [illegible] at the northern extremity of the Andes. Under the heading of "Roots" he [illegible] "Three roots, he says, are found, [illegible] large, as a walnut, others much larger. They grow on [illegible] rocks, nearly [illegible] gathered in [illegible] dried on fires. They are [illegible] of roasted."

At the [illegible] of the seventeenth century this root was planted, as a curiosity, in the gardens of the nobility [illegible] grew long ere it came into general use. Very hard, cold, to be [illegible] and [illegible] some, the allegation [illegible] no either. The potato is closely related to the deadly nightshade and the mandrake, and from its stems and leaves may be extracted a very powerful narcotic. In England, preparing agaiist it was for a long time very strong, especially among the poor.

How Chickens Get Out of Shells

Take an egg out of a nest on which a hen has sat for two weeks, carefully boiling it in the hot water, it appears you will find that the chick, which the little fellow is pecking to the inside of the shell, has by this time dried and the shell is forced outward in small scaly pieces, leaving a hole. Now if you shall have one of the eggs in the incubator then under the hen remove it to the table or other suitable place, put it in a box or basket, packing it warm and quiet, as near the temperature of the nest as you can, which may be done by laying in the bottom two bottles of warm water, cover the entire chicken or chicks, and say a blanket over the top of them, then you can sit or stand in comfortable attitude and witness the [illegible] opening. Now watch the little fellow work his way into the world, and you will be amused and instructed as I hope other [illegible]. After he has got his head out he will remove a peculiar membrane which has been of the chick always working to the right, if you have the large end of the egg from you, and the now upward, which he has worked his way through around any with one-half of an inch of it in a perfect circle, he then forces the cap of that end of the shell off and then has a chance to stretch his neck, and thereby lengthening his legs somewhat, and so by their help forcing the body from the shell.—*American Farm Journal.*

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The regular annual session of the Board of Supervisors convened at Adrian on Monday last. Sup. McComb, of Ogden, was elected chairman and the following standing committees were appointed:

Ways and Means—Hollridge, Freeman, Swaney.

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Judiciary—Sackett, Fielding, Wyman.

Claims and Accounts—Shepherd, James, Bradley, Seeley.

County Poor and Insane Accounts—Warren, Wilson, Baker.

Sheriff's Accounts—James, Hollridge, Munger.

Treasurer's Accounts—Howell, Baxter, Moore.

Public Buildings—Crane, Fleming, Hand.

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Hogs, ₩ cwt	[illegible]
Beans, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	[illegible]

ESTATE OF WILLIAM TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 5th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Taylor, an insane person.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles C. Tefft, guardian of said insane person, praying for the allowance of his first guardian's account, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said ward and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. octf1

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Cold weather has come again and with it the necessity of preparation.

A new Beatty organ is soon to be installed at the school building here.

Mr. Charles Elmore arrived home from Iowa last week. He will discipline the scholars of the Strong district during the winter.

The friends of the M. E. church propose to contributn to the perishable necessities of their pastor by a pound social next Thursday—a method of pounding somewhat out of the usual line in this village.

Nesmith, the new dry goods man, has a fine selection of first class goods and proposes to sell them cheap as the cheapest.

Where shall the depot be located? is a question over which more random speculating has been indulged in by our people than might be expected if a million dollar legacy were to be bequeathed to the winning side.

FARMERS' CLUB.

The Farmers' Club will held the first meeting of the season at J. W. Benedicts, Friday evening, Nov. 9.

PROGRAM.

Singing.
Select reading—Mrs. J. Gillespie.
Inst. and vocal music—Ellen Fisher and Lizzie Henderson.
Essay—F. V. Horton.
Dec.—Grant Schreder.
Music—Frank and Rhoda Benedict.
Question—Is it right for the people of Michigan to be taxed for the erection and support of such expensive and magnificent public institutions as the Reform School at Adrian and like institutions intended for penal purposes? Led by R. R. Hall, followed by J. Schreder.

MRS. F. C. RECTOR, Sec.

Quarterly Meetings M. E. Church.

Blissfield	Oct.	20, 21
Palmyra and Raisin Valley	"	20, 21
Clayton	"	27, 28
Medina	"	27, 28
Deerfield	Nov.	3, 4
Petersburg	"	3, 4
Saline	"	10, 11
Milan and Oakville	"	17, 18
Dundee	"	17, 18
Ridgeway	"	8, 9
Tecumseh	"	8, 9
Clinton and Macon	"	8, 9

How They Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, indeed; I have seven calls to make." "Do call again soon." "Thank you; but you don't come near me once in age." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye." "Good bye, dear."—*Exchange.*

"Gale Forest gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes! and after writing that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to "brace up." Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hellow! old fellow, how are you?" (They shake) "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top!" "When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" significantly.) "Well—yes, don't care-fi-do." (They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around, to make sure no outsiders are about; to see they are breaking their pledge—pause—they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being primed," resumed.) "How's yer folks?" "All well; how's yours?" "All flourishing now; youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good up your way?" "Well, yes, pretty fair." How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way; big democratic majority. (Takes out his watch.) "Thunder! ten minutes to 12—must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements. Good bye." "Good bye." They again wring hands, and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to stand another treat

Canning Fruit.

In canning fruit it is wise to use a good deal of sugar. Plain canned fruit is apt to turn, and does not retain its flavor as when made a little rich. If our housekeepers would take as much pains in making preserves as the French do, they would find themselves amply rewarded when, in the winter, they turn out the beautiful clear fruit, always in perfect shape. To preserve fruit in the French method it is necessary to make a clear syrup first, which can be done by melting two pounds of the best sugar with a pint of water, using a white porcelain kettle; add the slightly beaten white of one egg before the syrup becomes hot; let it boil, and skim it until the scum ceases to appear. Then put in carefully selected fruit, a few at a time, watching carefully that they do not break, and removing one at a time as soon as they become soft. When these are put in glass jars and the syrup poured over them, the result will make glad the most stoical cook.

THE LAND OF FLOWERS.

SANFORD, FLA., Oct. 7, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

As I promised, I will write and give the readers of the HERALD a truthful account of Florida as I find it.

I left Tecumseh October 1st, on the morning train with thermometer at 6 o'clock A.M. standing at 32°. On reaching Toledo I bought a ticket to Jacksonville for $31.40, got my trunk checked through, and taking the C. H. & D. road at 11 A.M. (weather clear, ther. 60°) arrived in Cincinnati at 8 P.M., was rushed across to the Cincinnati Southern depot, and left at 9 P.M. (weather a little damp.) Took a sleeper after paying $2. The coach, by the way, was very nice and runs clear, through to Jacksonville. At 5:30 I awoke and lifted the curtain at my drawing room window and the first thing that my eye fell upon was a high mountain, the top of which was in a fog. While trying to decide in my mind what kind of trees they were upon the mountain side, which I concluded were of pine, oak, maple, ash, etc., we darted into a tunnel, and I counted 40 seconds before I saw daylight again, and during 15 minutes we passed through four of them. I could not tell where I was, but it was not far from Chattanooga for we arrived there at 8 A.M. The soil here is red when found among the rocks.

We crossed the Tennessee river which was broad and deep, after which we could see Lookout Mountain, which we left on our right and passed over an old battle ground. At Allatoona we saw a large peach orchard, also at Chicamauga. Some of the trees were still full of fruit. But a few miles out of Atlanta did we find good land, but very rough from Calhoun to Atlanta with one long tunnel through the mountain. Acres of cotton in this section is entirely worthless. All dried up on account of but little rain. From Atlanta, Ga., to Macon cotton is better, but a general complaint of a failure in the crop. We saw many picking and hauling bales to market, the weight of which is 450 to 500 pounds and worth $50. Soil all through Georgia is of that same red appearance. At Macon 8 P.M we again took the sleeper, and at 7 A.M. crossed the St. Mary river and then we were in Florida. At this point and all the way to Jacksonville nothing but flat pine land with white sand. About 8 A.M. we took a street car for the boat landing on the St. John's river, where for the first time in 24 hours could we breath free on account of heat and dust. At Macon, Ga., the heat was almost unbearable, many of the inhabitants there complained of the heat, and said that no time this summer has it been worse. (Ther. 92 at noon.) We had a grand opportunity of looking about Jacksonville, seeing its streets of white sand and beautiful shade made by live oak, orange and other trees unknown to me. Jacksonville has quite a thrifty, prosperous look, judging from the appearance of business on the streets. Persons that are fitting up hotels say that the rush has commenced earlier this season than usual, stores renting for from $30 to $40 per month. At 3:30 we started up the river for Sanford, fare $6. The St. Johns River has more the appearance of a bay than a river, as the effects of the tide is noticable 60 miles from the ocean and brackish water found as high up as 70 miles, so I was informed by the captain of the boat. The river appeared to me to be from 2 to 4 miles wide up as far as Lake George, which point we reached about midnight. At noon, next day we landed at Sanford, Orange Co., Fla., 200 miles by river from Jacksonville. In my next letter I will give a description of Sanford and the surrounding country. The orange crop is good.

E. HAUSE.

Copp's U. S. Salary List and Civil Service Rules. Our many readers will welcome the solid information contained in the 160 pages of this recently issued book. It is prepared by Henry N. Copp, a lawyer of Washington, D. C. All the Government salaries are given from President Arthur's $50,000 to postmasters with $500, officials of the Treasury, Interior, War and Navy Departments, Custom Houses, post offices, and fully 20,000 federal offices arranged by States and Territories. Specimen examination questions for admittance to the Civil Service throughout the country are added. The price of the book is only 35 cents.

Gen. Sherman is fond of the drama, and he thinks that he might have been a good actor. The New York Herald suggests he is no means too old to begin. He would make a delightful Little Eva or Fanchon.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Elk Rapids now has a telephone exchange.

Battle Creek's telephone list now numbers 84.

The locked out cigarmakers are rapidly deserting Coldwater.

A lodge of knights of labor is to be organized at St. Ignace.

The new union passenger depot at South Lyon is nearly finished.

Diphtheria has appeared near Galesburg.

Big Rapids is moving for the erection of a Mecosta county court house.

The Wright House at Alma built at a cost of $75,000 was opened last week.

They make grindstones at Tyne, Huron county.

Nine divorce cases in the Washtenaw Circuit Court calendar at Ann Arbor.

There have been 46 stores and dwellings erected in Bad Axe since the first of last April.

Parties from Battle Creek will go into cheese making on a large scale at Owosso.

Charles Snyder, a young man at Evart, cut an artery in his foot with an axe last week.

The next meeting of the State board of education will be held at Ypsilanti on the 22d inst.

Mrs. Postmaster Adams and Mrs. Town, of Galesburg, thrown from a carriage and badly injured.

On the 29th inst. the Somerville school at St. Clair will celebrate the fourth anniversary of its institution.

The Mecosta county supervisors offer $500 reward for the arrest of the parties who set fire to their poor house.

S. S. Smith, of Bay City, has been appointed deputy salt inspector for the St. Clair district, and will live at Marine City.

The Estey manufacturing company and Woodard Bros., both of Owosso, build large four-story additions to their works.

The Messrs. Thompson have purchased land at the mouth of Pine river, St. Clair, and will begin boring for salt in a few days.

The Bay View association will buy the dock, build the new reservoir and otherwise increase the blessedness of its camp grounds.

There were less fevers, consumption, whooping cough and cholera morbus in Michigan last month than during any September for several years.

Presque Isle county was organized in 1871, it has an area of 756 square miles, and the population in 1880 was 3,113.

A citizen of Elba, Lapeer county, sues the township because his horses got mired in an alleged road in the township.

A 20-horse power water wheel at Alma became so clogged with eels that it was necessary to stop and remove them.

It is said that a woman from a western town who recently visited some of the gilt-edged families of Grand Rapids took away with her $700 won at playing poker while there

The tower on the new Episcopal church at Saginaw is 185 feet high, and is surmounted by a cross 11 feet high. It makes, for its size, one of the handsomest towers in Northern Michigan.

Joseph H. Carter, a 15-year-old boy, of Ann Arbor was sent to the Reform school last week for horse stealing. He had been out on suspended sentence, and threatened to burn his employer's barn.

A petition has been made for probating the will of the late R. A. Beal, of Ann Arbor, whose estate is variously estimated at from $250,000 to $300,000. He has appointed as executors his wife and adopted son, J. E. Beal.

Shiploads of hemlock bark are landed at Chicago, to be used in the manufacture of beer. So says the Times. "It is not poisonous but reddish and bitter." It comes from Michigan, it is alleged, and it is the bark that makes the beer so dog-goned bitter.

The "Jesse James" gang of boys at Jackson will have the satisfaction of imitating Frank James in one respect—imprisonment—although a Michigan reform school may be a better place than a Kentucky prison, and the boys may not have quite as many distinguished visitors.

The wife of Sheriff Ellis prevented an escape from the Monroe jail last week. A horse thief had wrenched a bar of iron from a closet door, with which he had made daylight through the wall, a murderer keeping watch in the meantime. Mrs. Ellis sent to the court house for her husband, and he promptly ironed them.

GUILT.

Only a beam of indignant eyes,
Only a gesture of pained surprise,
Only a sting from a tongue stung
Stronger as its lies, and wilder was its lie.

Only a mention and end crime
Lurking for some unsuspected time
Only a tear on a ringless hand,
For the giver gone to a foreign land.

Only a ship by the sea waves swept,
Only a man with hands silly crossed,
Who looked and saw the ship go down
While a mother wept for her boys now gone.

Only an aching pain in his heart,
For the cruel words that made them part
Longing with his whole soul to clasp
Lovers by her side as in days of yore.

Only anguish of a deep, pale face,
Dressed and grayed in the mourning garb
Crape signed for the dead, but hard to bear
Every a prayer to be forgiven.

Only a silence in the mother's home,
Only a vacant place empty
Only a chair of the fingers who
Only a child—and God was all.

A MAIL-CARRIER'S EXPERIENCE.

A great while ago—long before the late war—there was a young man who carried the mail between Madison and Macon, Georgia. His name was George Lovic. He had his wits and was quite well educated—had an eye for a good story—and liked a joke. To say Bob Lovic was a verity is the truth of a statement which was certainly to his credit and moreover he was a student in the day and could have been entertained with actual gold or, conversed diamonds. Morally he was not so bad a fellow with Bob. Morally he was very well for an unsophisticated man. He was passionately fond of—great particular! in the eyes of pretty little Wesley who otherwise esteemed him perfection. He had almost humanized with a certain class of persons who term themselves free thinkers.

The theological difference at last led to a little quarrel, and Bob tried to get Annie out of the mind but failed to do it, and Annie was very miserable, as well for the sake of Bob's soul as for herself; for, though she had offers in plenty, not one—not even rich Peter Grab, who had ever so many acres of land—could be compared for a moment in her mind to Bob. Bob had Bob's proper resentments.

So though they kept apart for a whole month, at last one bright morning, as Bob rode away, sighed and sympathized for him, he saw a thing under a tree a little figure in a huge dress that he couldn't pass to save his life. So he stopped his horse and called out:

"Annie is that you?"

"Yes Bob," said Annie, throwing a pair of wet eyes. "I came here on purpose to see you. I've talked in my poor weak, womanish words but you talk so much better than I that of course it's of no use, and all the while there is one who talks so plainly to you and the words are here, and I've brought them to you and please, dear Bob to read them and perhaps—

She did not finish the sentence, but placed a pretty Bible in Bob's hand.

"I've had it bound very nicely for you, and oh! for my sake read it—it will teach you so much, Bob—so very much."

Bob took the book. For a moment he was annoyed and felt like sneering, but Annie was very dear to him, so he kept the anger down for her sake, thanked her for her present and placed it in the breast pocket of his coat.

"As if I were to be converted like a sinner in a tract," said Bob, after he had reflected a little. "But women are not expected to have minds like ours." And out of another pocket he pulled an infidel tract which a friend an unbelieving doctor had loaned him and fell to reading.

It was not a very wise thing, as the event proved, for the horse, left to himself, mounted over something in the road and was lamed, not badly, it seemed, but sufficiently to be dangerous and stop at a country store to examine and bathe the limb, and then he had to allow the beast to take his own time afterward, so that instead of trotting briskly into Macon before sundown the young man found himself benighted on a lonely road hours after the sun had quite vanished—his horse growing lame and his hopes of supper quite gone.

"Hang the tract," growled Bob, "what did I bother with it for?" And he gave the paper a toss into a clump of bushes, and then his mind went back to Annie Wesley's Bible.

He felt for it. It was safe. He wished that he was somehow better and he walked along with the Bible over his arm in quite a melancholy mood.

Suddenly a shadow fell across the road. Bob looked up. Straight before him sat a mounted man with a black mask on his face and a pistol in his hand.

"Halt!" commanded the individual, ferociously; and Bob halted. "If you are quiet, you will come to no harm," said the man. "I only want your mail bag. I happen to know that it is worth something to-night, and I've followed you from the store back yonder. There ain't a soul within hearing, and you may as well take it coolly, I am armed you see, you are not. Hand over the bag."

"Never!" exclaimed Bob. "The mail-bag is in my care—entrusted; I'll guard it as long as I have breath in my body."

"That won't be long," with a coarse laugh, "if you don't listen to reason."

Bob, for reply, mounted his horse and sat behind the mail-bag.

"Your life is in danger," warned the robber. "I intend to have those letters, and a life isn't worth much to me. I'm in earnest; no fooling," and he took deliberate aim at Bob Lovic's breast.

Bob was unarmed, and he loved life dearly, but he was no coward. It was useless to try to overcome the robber. He had only his fists—rather useless weapons under the circumstances; but he "showed fight," and as the robber's anger kindled he fired. The aim was good. The little ball of lead lodged in Bob's coat, just where his heart should have been, and Bob staggered.

He was shocked rather than hurt; and in that moment of excitement he remembered having heard that it was often so in mortal injuries. Probably he had received his death wound, and the robber would walk off with the mail-bag, where Bob, well knew reposed the money which energetic Dick Dorr had sent to take his poor old mother from the alms-house, and other trusts were in that leather bag—the humble hopes and dreams of those who wrote the letters twined around them.

The doctor and his infidel tract had done Bob Lovic little good; but he was honest and kindly yet.

"I'll fight while I have a drop of blood left," he said to himself. "And help may come and the mail bag be saved, even if I die."

He leaped from his horse and sprang upon the highwayman with such vigor that the man tumbled from his saddle. Then Bob struggled for the pistol, and getting it, knocked the ruffian senseless with the butt end, and sat down on his bosom to keep guard, expecting to die every moment, but praying that help might come before the robber regained consciousness.

About that time a party of young men, who were out on a coon hunt, came up with flaring torches, and a score of dogs at their heels. They all knew Bob well, and the most zealous were for dispatching the robber; but the wiser of the majority were for bending him and carrying him to the city, to stand his reward at the hands of justice, and with this plan Bob agreed. He felt weak and he leaned on them, and he expected every moment to feel the touchless of death stealing over him. He knew, was the round hole just over his heart, and the bullet must be somewhere. A few unpleasant sensations, which gave rise to his opinions of the future, were not so fixed as they might have been, perhaps, but he signed a letter as the new company gathered him.

"The bullet went in here," he said, touching the hole. "I don't feel any pain, and must be bleeding internally of as fine a stream."

He entertained the chief continually and got dropped Annie Wesley's Bible with the bullet freely imbedded in its cover.

The worst came to Bob's eyes and the others stared, for he had been in the habit of boasting of his infidel opinions and was old enough that he should wear a Bible next to his heart. But every one was too glad to find him robust to care for much else and so they gave three cheers and started toward the city with their prisoner.

Bob followed, leading his horse, and keeping his eye on the mail-bag and on the way he thought—what he thought may be dressed from the fact that six months after Annie Wesley found her lover by her side at church, and heard from his own lips that he had not half so high an opinion of his own smartness and that of his doctor friend as formerly, and he believed she was right after all.

And so they were married, and for many years have been living very contentedly on their little cottage on the outskirts of Madison.

The American Eagle.

There are several varieties of eagles in the United states, but not all that are commonly called by different names are entitled to the separate distinction. The largest is Audubon's "Bird of Washington," or Washington Eagle, a huge bird that has apparently been seen by few persons but the great naturalist himself, and which inhabits the region of the Great Lakes and the Upper Mississippi. Its spread of wings is over ten feet. It rarely comes to New England; but Dr. Wood, the Connecticut ornithologist, in his "Birds of Connecticut," describes one that was caught in a steel trap on the East Windsor meadows, just after a Connecticut river freshet had left thousands of dead fish on land. On these he was feasting, in company with two "Bald Eagles," whom he greatly surpassed in size. He was killed as was supposed, after being caught, by a blow on the head with a club; but he recovered on being thrown upon the grass and flew away. He was nearly four feet long, and his spread of wings was ten feet. The "national bird" of our country is the so-called improperly so-called Bald Eagle—a bird whose head is as well supplied, proportionately, with feathers as any part of his body; but on the head these are white while the rest of the bird, except the neck and tail, is quite dark. The female (who is always the largest in birds of prey) often measures three feet four inches in length, with a stretch of wings between seven and eight feet. It is incorrectly described in our cyclopedias as the largest of the fishing or sea eagles. To my notions of Audubon's great bird there is in Greenland and in some parts of Europe a sea eagle a little larger than the bald species. The bald eagle not uncommon here, builds on cliffs and great trees a nest of coarse sticks, which is used by the same pair, if undisturbed for very many years; they will live to the age of 120 or 140 years, and in this latitude they lay their eggs after the middle of January, and hatch out about the middle of February. The diversity of color between the young and the adult occasions mistakes in naming them, and leads to the idea that they are "sea eagles," "black eagles," "gray eagles," etc. Doctor Franklin objected to the adoption of the eagle as our national bird, because of its predatory habits, and suggested the turkey instead. The golden eagle (which may be the kind that was shot near Riverton, and if so, it is a rare and valuable bird for ornithologists) is seldom seen in Connecticut. It is a magnificent bird, belonging in Europe as well as the United States; is about as large as the bald eagle, and derives its name from the golden-red feathers on its head and neck—the rest of its plumage is a rich, dark brown. It lives about the Great Lakes, the Upper Mississippi, and to a less extent among the White and Green Mountains of New Hampshire and Vermont. There are about seventy species of eagles and even of those in America we cannot give all the names and varieties. A dark eagle, not quite so large as the bald, is common in Connecticut. One ferocious kind, found in Mexico and on the Isthmus, is the harpy eagle. The osprey is improperly classed among the true eagles.

What Has It Done for You?

The sceptical Mr. Bradlaugh was once lecturing in a village in the north of England and at the close challenged discussion. Who should accept the challenge but an old bent woman, in the most antiquated attire, who went up to the lecturer and said: "Sir, I have a question to put to you." "Well my good woman, what is it?" "Ten years ago," she said, "I was left a widow, with eight children unprovided for, and nothing to call my own but this Bible. By its direction, and looking up to God for strength, I have been enabled to feed myself and family. I am now tottering to the grave, but I am perfectly happy, because I look forward to a life of immortality with Jesus in heaven. That's what my religion has done for me. What has your way of thinking done for you?" "Well, my good lady," rejoined the lecturer, "I don't want to disturb your comfort; but"—"Oh! that's not the question," interposed the woman; "keep to the point, sir. What has your way of thinking done for you?" The infidel endeavored to shirk the matter again, the feeling of the meeting gave vent in uproarious applause, and Mr. Bradlaugh had to go away discomfitted by an old woman.—*The Lutheran.*

Neuralgia and Sick Headache.

In Aurora, Ill., lives Mrs. Wm. Henson. She says: "Samaritan Nervine cured me of neuralgia, vertigo and sick headache."

Origin of Popular Phrases.

VAMOSE.—A Mexican phrase—an adaptation of the Spanish vaya—meaning literally, "let us go."

TAFFY.—This word, which is now used as a vulgar synonym of flattery, is by no means of recent origin, as many suppose, but was really coined 200 years ago, and has been in use in London ever that period.

BOSH.—This term, which is extensively used in the United States and England to designate the person placed as overseer of workmen and working women, is an importation on the Dutch word bosh, meaning, employer.

BOYCOTT.—An Englishman—the originator of "Boycotting," the name of a forger who "operated" somewhat extensively across the water about thirty odd years ago. He passed false bankers and mercantile bills to the amount of many thousand dollars, and leaves the word "boycott" as applied to which ever is false and fraudulent.

A DEAD STICK, A MOCKERY AND A SHAM.—The fact that this thoughtful saying has been in a certain Editorial ring has sometimes led to its being quoted as from one or other of the Hebrew prophets, the words are, instead, an extract from the judgment of Lord Ivenmax, of the English house of lords, on the appeal of Daniel O'Connell to that body from the verdict rendered in his case.

RED TAPE.—An English expression originated by Carlyle and made popular by Dickens. It was designed to represent the ceremonious delays and official formalities characteristic of the British governmental routine. It is similarly used in this country to designate the tardiness with which everything is effected by the formalism of government officials. The expression arises from the fact that government officers generally tie up their bundles of paper with red tape.

CANTEEN.—This is, perhaps, the only word in our language which, originally passed into a foreign tongue and was afterward taken back in a modified form. As originally spoken by the Swiss, it was simply a tin can; but the Gaul, as is his wont, placing the noun before the adjective, and pronouncing the letter e as a, brought it out as cantee, pronounced canteen. Adopting a thousand other French terms, the obtuse Englishman took back his own original word in a new shape without any inquiries on the subject, and hence we now say canteen instead of tin can.

TO THE MANOR BORN.—This phrase, strictly construed, has perhaps a meaning. It is a form of expression that defines the privilege or position of an heir on whom is entailed some landed estate, the manor of a wealthy or noble family. But has it any authority to be used, as we frequently see it, as a technical or proverbial saying? Probably not. It is not a phrase known in law to define the legal status; and it is not a question of proverbial significance from any of our classic writers. It is apparently a perverted reading of the following passage in Shakespeare:

Horatio—Is it a custom?
Hamlet—Aye, marry is it;
But to my mind—though I am a native here,
And to the manor born—it is a custom
More honored in the breach than the observance. —Hamlet, Act 1, Scene 4.

OLD HARRY.—The popular attributes of the evil one are a human form with horns, tail and cloven foot. There are probably derived from the representations of the Greek satyrs, and the Roman fauns—the wild gods of the mountains and groves; and it is probable that the name Old Harry was originally Old Hairy. The satyrs were said to have hair like goats; and "hayre," or "harie," in old English, signified a garment made of goat's hair.

On this supposition Old Harry or Old Hairy would have some affinity to Old Shock, a popular English name given to the demon that was supposed to haunt roadsides and wild pathways. Shock is a head of rough hair, a rough-haired dog. The evil one is sometimes called "the Lord Harry," a title perhaps given derisively; or it may allude to the Scripture term, "the god of this world," the prince of the powers of darkness.

"FIRE AWAY, FLANAGAN.—Cromwell having marched his army southward, came to a castle garrisoned by some rebels, under command of a Flanagan, who sent Cromwell a violent philippic, ending with an order to quit the place, or he would open his cannon on the English forces. Cromwell returned the note, with his reply written in the corner of the missive: "Fire away, Flanagan." The laconic reply so frightened the redoubtable Flanagan that he fled without firing a shot.

TOO UTTER, TOO VERY, ETC.—This just now popular and novel style of slang, originated in the London Punch, and was to ridicule the pretentions of the very exquisite pretenders to art and aesthetic culture, whom that paper also travesties in pictures. It was first employed to satirize in pictures and verbal jests one Oscar Wilde, a young poet in London, who is greatly given to affectation, such as parading the street with a white lily in his hand, and writing very extravagant verses. The phraseology of Punch is copied by writers who want to indicate that anything is very pretentiously aesthetic or artistic.

Magnetic Storms

Remembering the influence which the sun has been found to exercise upon the magnetic needle, the question will naturally arise, has the sun anything to do with magnetic storms? We have clear evidence that he has. On the 1st of September, 1869, Messrs. Carrington and Hodgson were observing the sun, one at Oxford and the other in London. Their scrutiny was directed to certain large spots which at that time marked the sun's face. Suddenly a bright light was seen by each observer to break out on the sun's surface and to travel, slowly in appearance, but in reality at the rate of about 7,000 miles in a minute, across a part of the solar disk. Now it was found afterward that the self-registering magnetic instruments at Kew had made at that instant a strongly-marked jerk. It was learned at that moment a magnetic storm prevailed at the West Indies, in South America, and in Australia. The signal-men in the telegraph stations at Washington and Philadelphia received strong electric shocks; the pen of Bain's telegraph was followed by a flame of fire; and in Norway the telegraphic machinery was set on fire. At night great auroras were seen in both hemispheres. It is impossible not to connect these startling magnetic indications with the remarkable appearance observed on the sun's disk.—*Prof Proctor.*

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Her lover—a youth from Cologne—
Fled wildly and left her alogne.
When he found that her feet
With corns were replete,
With never a word he had flogne.

They sent for a doctor from Lyons,
A shining and neat as a pyns,
He looked at her teaux,
The source of her weaux,
And indulged in a gratified gryns.

He prescribed for this maid from Bordeaux
And cured all her little pink teaux,
And now, it is said,
They, too, will be wuld,
And from sorrow and grief find reposeaux.

The sweet-scented youth from Cologne
Who left her severely alogne,
When he first heard the news
His mind he did lews,
And jilted from life with a groigne.

Franklin as a Writer.

His pen was as ready as his purse in the service of all human kindness. And what a pen it was! It could discourse metaphysics so clearly and lucidly as to make them seem plain moralizing. It could tear a sophism to pieces by a mere query. It could make a simple tale read like a subtile argument. He could be grave and he could be gay in a breath. He could spend as much wit and humor on a "Craven Street Gazette"—which was meant only to amuse an old landlady, away from home, and probably out of joint before her return from Rochester—as on a State paper designed to fire America and sting England. In another tone, he translates into human language, for the amusement of a court lady, the reflections, in the garden of her house, of a gray-headed ephemera, full seven hours old, on the vanity of all things. His "Petition of the Left Hand," might have been composed by Addison. In it, the left hand bewails the partiality which educates the right hand exclusively. Some of Franklin's fables and tales have been so absorbed into the thought of the world that their source is absolutely forgotten. Only in this way can we account for what was doubtless an unconscious plagiarism by an eminent sanitary authority, last year, of Franklin's "Economical project for Diminishing the cost of Light." The economy consisted simply in rising at six o'clock instead of nine or ten. Ideas such as Franklin's never become superannuated. Not every one who uses the expression, "to pay dear for one's whistle," knows that the dear whistle was a purchase made by Franklin, when seven years old, with a pocketful of pence. Franklin's store was too abundant for him to mind, though some of his fame went astray. "You know," he tells his daughter, "everything makes me recollect some story." But it was not recollection so much as fancy. His fancy touched every idea in circumstances. When the illustration had served its turn, he was indifferent what became of it. Franklin did injustice to himself when he fancied he wanted any such mechanical aid. His English had been learned from the "Pilgrim's Progress," and the "Spectator." It had the force of Bunyan without his ruggedness. It had the serene light of Addison with tenfold his raciness and vigor. It sparkled with sarcasms as cutting as Voltaire's, but all sweetened with humanity. Many of his inventions or adaptions—such as "colonize"—have been stamped, long since, as current English. But he did not covet the fame of an inventor, whether in language, in morals, or in politics. In language, he was even declared a foe to innovation. Writing to Noah Webster, in 1789, he protests against the new verbs "notice," "advocate," and "progress." He had as little ambition to be classic as to be an innovator in English. He wrote because he had something at the moment to say, with a view to procuring that something should at the moment be done.—*Edinburgh Review.*

Roman Remains in London.

Modern London is built on the debris of the London of the times of Julius Cæsar and Agricola, and it is by no means infrequently that 1800-year old relics of the Roman town are found many feet below the surface of the existing streets. There was a rich find recently in the vicinity of Warwick Square at the depth of nineteen feet. The most interesting relic that came to light was hitherto unknown coin, of the the year 50, which lay alongside of about a dozen urns containing the products of cremation. Just think of the pangs which dying would have afflicted on those ancients if they had known that their ashes would have been seen and handled by an unknown race eighteen centuries and a half, nearly, after their demise! The most aristocratic urn was of glass and fifteen inches high. Well executed leaden pots inclosed several of these depositories, and roofing tiles the rest. The use of lead, as well as of tin, by the way, has great antiquity in Britain. Herodotus speaks of the production of tin there. Emblems of more or less significance touching the future state appeared on some of the receptacles. Along with the coin of the year 50 were others of dates between 40 and 300. But the Romans left something besides these useless things to be remembered by. They introduced into Great Britain its chestnut, walnut, peach, pear and cherry trees.

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The story is told of an old hunter in Michigan who lost his way in the woods a number of times while the country was new. At length he secured a pocket compass and its use was explained to him by a friend. But shortly afterward he lost his way again and lay out as usual. When found he was asked why he did not travel by the compass. He did not dare, he said. He wanted to go north, and he "tried to make the thing point north, but it wasn't no use, 'twould shake, shake, shake round and point southeast every time.

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An Editor's Reflections.

The editor of the *Lockport Phœnix* is responsible for the following. Who has not thought in about the same strain? And in our sober moments too:

Every once in a while something or other occurs which brings up before us feelings of other days; we are solemn—we indulge in retrospection and dream of "what might have been." And, while in the mood, other serious thoughts succeed, one to another, and we are prone to reflect on such sayings of the proverb-makers as "An hour once lost is gone forever," "What is past can never be recalled," etc., and we speculate as to the future even so much as to wish to raise the impenetrable veil that divides our life here, from the shadowy realms beyond and know the mysteries that lie hidden there.

When we come to think seriously on the subject, what a confoundedly strange thing life is! What peculiar mysteries we ourselves are that we cannot even "know ourselves." And yet one thing is pretty certain, viz, that each and every one of us can say with a very comfortable degree of assurance "I am," although a good number of our great and shining lights have expressed themselves doubtful of even that.

Suppose sometime, you or ourself, friend reader, should wake up and find we were somewhere else and learn that this earthly existence had been all "in our mind," as slang parlance hath expressed it. It would be strange would it not? And yet a dream seems even as real as this sometimes. But enough of conjecture such as this. We will take it for granted that all things ARE. There is room enough for guesswork left after that.

Not very long ago, you and the rest of us were babies, nothing but squalling, ugly looking little chunks of incipient humanity. We have ceased to be such, and can never be babies any more. Let us be thankful.

From babies in long clothes, as we grew older, we graduated, some into petticoats and some into breeches. We became school children. That was an epoch in our existence which we probably will never forget. What good times we used to have. How we played together; how we quarreled; how the breeches and petticoats fell in love with each other and then fell out again. We can recollect how we felt the first time we fell a victim to the tender passion. For a long time we worshipped at a distance, but when we found that our feelings were reciprocated we seemed to walk on air; and when we found an opportunity to perform the first osculation of our life—Gosh—but words are inadequate to express what feelings the operation gave rise to. We've got a lock of her hair yet, but she is married now, and to some other fellow. With some slight modifications this has probably been the experience of the majority. But those halcyon days are a thing of the past. As someone once remarked—How *tempus* does *fugit*, and right here perhaps it would be appropriate to quote Shakespeare:

"This world, you know
Is a fleeting show,
And thus it is that round we go—
Sometimes above, sometimes below
Like horses in a circus."

Perhaps the immortal William never wrote those words; in fact there is some doubt expressed as to whether W. S. was himself or somebody else. But the sentiment is good, and his "shade" need not get "upon its ear" because we have imputed it to him.

But here we are—men and women—and what the past has been we may as well relegate to some comfortable little nook in our memory and—drop it. What the future is to be we ourselves must decide, for are we not "the architects of our own fortune?" The best way to do it is perhaps, to

"Trust no future howe'er pleasant,
Let the dead past bury its dead:
But act—act in the living present,
Heart within and God o'erhead."

Let us then be up and doing
With a heart for any fate.
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I always have thought that housewives needed help just as much as the men, and think so yet. Let a man get in a hurry and his first thought is, hire a man to help him out, and it is all right. And how many are the times that his worked-down wife is hurried and worried and no help ever thought of for her; and if she should speak of hiring a girl at two dollars, or one and a half a week, the man will say "This girl business counts up like Sam Hill." All this time he keeps his man week in and week out, costing him from five to six dollars a week, and only works from sun to sun, while a girl works from sun until sun at night.—*Genina Bedot*

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VACATION RAMBLES.

The Town of St. Ignace—A Boat Ride on the "City of Grand Rapids."

After a delightful ride of thirty minutes the Algomah struck the wharf at St Ignace. This is the jumping off place on the North shore. The city is the terminus of the D. M. & M. railroad and since the opening of that road, which extends into the heart of the Northern peninsula, it has had a wonderful growth. There is a strange blending of the old and the new to be seen here. St. Ignace was a French missionary post as long ago as 1670.—In 1671 Father Marquette settled here and the "Huron fort" was built. A little church was built later near the fort, which was protected by a palisade "inclosure." In this church Father Marquette's remains were interred in the month of June, 1677. This church was burned in 1706, but there is no doubt as to the site which it occupied. The remains of an Indian village on the South shore are still to be seen, and a few old block shanties on the principal street. As I leaned over a dilapidated picket fence and gazed upon the clump of burdocks which shaded Father Marquette's tomb strange thoughts flitted through my brain. How were the funeral ceremonies conducted? Did the military company take charge? Did the masons and odd fellows turn out? Why should the burdock have been chosen for a tombstone, in preference to the fragrant hollyhock or the æsthetic sunflower? But then, Marquette's funeral was attended two hundred and six years ago. It is doubtful whether there was a regular undertaker in the city at that time. The Vermont granite quarries had not been discovered, and white bronze was unknown in Marquette's time. Italian marble was in the market then, but Italian artists monopolized the stock to carve Cupids and Venuses out of. Perhaps Marquette's body reposes as quietly in its resting place as though a Washington monument had been erected over his grave, but that does not relieve the patriotic citizens of St. Ignace from the obligation to honor the old missionary's memory after the fashion of modern times. Every city of any consequence has a monument in these latter days, and St. Ignace is honored with a historical subject from which some Rogers could mould a colossal white bronze statue large enough to serve as a light house from Lake Huron to Lake Michigan. If St. Ignace knows herself she thinks she does. Marquette's grave will be decorated with a monument at no distant day. Side by side with the relics of antiquity stand the hasty structures of western civilization. An ore dock, costing $300,000, is within a stone's throw of the old catholic church yard. Block houses one hundred years of age, and beer saloons less than twelve months old, are almost locked in each other's embrace. The principal street is about three miles in length, the big lumber mills standing guard at the northern end of this thoroughfare, the Martel iron furnace at the southern extremity, and the mammoth ore dock about midway between. These three enterprises constitute the "big sights" of the city, and they are all worthy of a day's visit and a lengthy description. The street is laid out on the shore of the bay, following the natural contour, and has a striking resemblance to a double-bow knot. The business houses have nearly all been erected within the past two years, and new ones are shooting up every month as if by magic. St. Ignace already boasts of three newspapers. The Republican, which supports the politics of the same name, the Free Press, democratic, and the News, independent. They are all red-hot enterprising sheets and ably reflect the go-ahead-a-tiveness of the town. The Free Press has ordered a new cylinder-press, and the News is now running a semi-weekly edition. St. Ignace in her own estimation is the favored child of destiny, and judging from a half day's survey of the town I am inclined to regard the claim as well founded. Before the close of the present decade the city will be the metropolis of the upper peninsula. The country in the rear of town is not yet "out of the woods," although it is rapidly developing.—Hunting is a favorite sport in that section. At Mackinaw sportsmen angle for big fish; above St. Ignace they hunt for big game. Deer are plenty and bears are quite often captured.—Circuses never strike this town. Good little boys worry through a miserable existence without seeing Barnum's aggregation or Forepaugh's combination. But hunters from the back woods visit the city and exhibit trained bears. Among the Indian population bear meat is a legal tender and debts are paid with live bears.—When the citizens wish to raise money to start a brass band they organize a hunt, capture a lot of bears and peddle them off at auction. When a church wants a new bell or some pulpit chairs or a communion set, the ladies social will issue a hundred tickets at one dollar each and get up a raffle for a live bear. When the ladies wish to start a library they take subscriptions in bears and issue certificates of bear stock. At the last raffle the lucky ticket was held by the minister's ten years old boy, and the lad couldn't have been more elated if he had drawn a mustang pony or a bicycle. When a base ball nine is short a man in a match game they fill the vacant place with a live bear. Bears make excellent field men, for they grab everything within reach and hang on. But these good times cannot last forever. The woodman's ax and the gang saw are rapidly driving Bruin into the last ditch, and the day is not far distant when the juvenile heart of St. Ignace will be no longer gladdened by the hug of a live bear.

I put up at the Bay View House, which is located near the depot. I arranged to leave at five o'clock the following morning on the "City of Grand Rapids" for Petoskey, and upon retiring left instructions with the clerk to be called at 4:30. I awoke the next morning and looking at my time repeater found it was then half past five. I hastily dressed myself and glided down stairs. Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse. With grip sack in hand I "lit out" and made for the dock. Upon arriving there I found the steamer had gone. While deliberating what to do the hotel clerk came up, pretty well blown, and kindly offered to carry my satchel. He took it, and then suggested that he would carefully take charge of it until I recovered my self possession and settled for two meals and a lodging at the Bay View House. This was too much. Even the hackman on Mackinac Island never accused me of financial forgetfulness. I cast a withering glance upon the young man and politely asked him if his mother knew he was out. He allowed that she did and that the old lady herself had sent him to look up "that little bill." One dollar and fifty cents recovered my satchel from pawn and I skipped to another dock and took the Algomah, which was just starting on her morning trip to the Island and Mackinaw City. I bade a sad farewell to St. Ignace, hoping to visit the city again some day under more favorable auspices.—Upon arriving at the Island I found the City of Grand Rapids moored at another dock. She had gone down to Cheboygan the night before on a special trip and just arrived at Mackinac on the return. She usually stops over night at St. Ignace. Here was my chance after all to take the contemplated steamboat ride to Petoskey. I left the Algomah and started for the other dock, but before reaching it the "Grand Rapids" hauled in her cables and put on steam. At that moment I struck Alvinza Whelan.—His lungs were good and with his aid I signalled the departing steamer.—She hove to and I was soon safely on board with my luggage. The first man I met on deck was O. P. Bills.—He had changed his plans the night before and concluded to take the trip to Harbor Springs by water. Cols. Church and Saviers and Mr. Bills have a summer cottage at Harbor Point and Mr. Bills wished to leave his canoe there for winter quarters.—That half day's ride was a delightful one. The air was cool and bracing. A few sun clouds were flitting across the sky. The gentle north-west breeze was more invigorating than a whisky sling. The thug, thug of the engine was a better narcotic than the best Havana. The boat carried a light load and a full head of steam and her bow parted the liquid mass like a hot butcher knife traveling through a roll of butter. We halted at Cross Village, a small settlement above Little Traverse Bay, and our next stop was at Harbor Springs. Here Mr. Bills took his leave, and as the steamer turned into the bay I could see him vigorously paddling for the "Point" in his birch bark canoe. At two P. M. the steamer halted at Petoskey. I chartered an express boy to carry my satchel up town and was soon registered at the "Occidental."—This is one of the best, among the many good hotels at Petoskey. Here Trackmaster Corbus, of the Lake Shore road, puts up when he takes his annual sneezing excursion. He had left for home only three days before my arrival. A. J. Sinclair, of Adrian, State Agent of the Home Ins. Co., registered at the Occidental the day before and I soon found him. We easily recognized each other, exchanged the Odd Fellows' grip, each found out what the other was about, and we agreed to take a fishing trip to Pickerel lake on the following day.

THE FATHER OF FISH-CULTURE.

Seth Green's Ideas about the Finny Tribe and Some of His Varied Experiences.

(Turf, Field and Farm.)

"How did you ever come to devise the scheme?"

"I have been working at it ever since I was large enough to bend a pin."

The above remark was addressed to Mr. Seth Green, the veteran fish culturist, who is known to the entire world, and his reply indicates the extent of his labors.

"When I was quite young," he continued, "I would lie on the limbs of trees that reached out over the water entire afternoons watching the movements of the fish and studying their habits. In this way I discovered many characteristics which were before unknown. I saw, as every observer must see, the destructive elements that are warring against fish, and I realized that unless something was done, the life in the streams of this country would become extinct. To counteract this disastrous end became my life work, and I am happy to say that I have seen its accomplishment."

"Were you successful on the start?"

"No, indeed. Up to that time all artificial attempts to hatch and raise fish from the spawn had failed, and I was compelled to experiment in an entirely new manner. The work was a careful and tedious one, but I finally succeeded, and to-day I am able to hatch and raise fully seventy five per cent of all spawn."

"Enormous. Why that is a larger percentage than either the vegetable or animal kingdoms produce in a natural condition."

"I know it, but we exercise the greatest care in the start, and guard the little fellows until they become able to care for themselves."

The foregoing conversation occurred at Caledonia where the representative of this paper was paying a visit to the state fish hatcheries. It has been his privilege to report very many interesting sights within the past twenty five years, but the view presented here exceeds in interest anything ever before attempted.

"How many fish are there in those ponds, Mr. Green?"

"As we have never attempted to count them it will be impossible to say. They extend way up into the millions though. We shipped over three millions out of the ponds this year and there seemed to be as many afterwards as before. We have nearly every variety of the trout family and many hybrids."

"You speak of hybrids, Mr. Green. What do you mean by that?"

"I have experimented for years in crossing the breed of the various fish and am still working upon it. We cross the female salmon trout with the male brook trout, and thus produce a hybrid. Then we cross the hybrid with the brook trout which gives us three-quarter brook trout and one-quarter salmon trout. This makes one of the finest fishes in the world. He has all the habits of the brook trout, lives in both streams and lakes, develops vermillion spots on his sides, rises readily to a fly, is far more vigorous and fully one-third larger than ordinary brook trout of the same age. The possibilities of development in the fish world are great and we are rapidly ascertaining what they are."

As the man of news watched the countenance of Mr. Green while he was giving the above account, he could not but feel that he was in the presence of one of the few investigators, who from a rich and life-long experience, bring great benefit to the world. Let the reader imagine a strong and stalwart frame, surmounted by a head strongly resembling that of Socrates, and covered with a white silky beard and luxurant gray hair. Seth Green, the father of fish culture, is a picture of health, and the reporter could not help remarking so.

"If you had seen me the last winter and spring, young man you might have thought differently, said the veteran.

"How is that? One would think, to look at you, that sickness was something of which you knew nothing.

"And so it was until last winter. I went down into Florida in the fall to see what kind of fish they had in that state and study their habits, and was attacked with malaria in its severest form, and when I came home I realized for the first time in my life that I was sick. My symptoms were terrible. I had dull, aching pains in my head, limbs and around my back. My appetite was wholly gone, and I felt a lack of energy, such as I had often heard described but had never experienced. Any one who has ever had a severe attack of malaria can appreciate my condition. I went to bed and remained there all the spring, and if there ever was a sick man I was the one."

"It seems hardly possible. How did you come to recover so completely?"

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"And are you now as well as formerly?"

"Apparently so. I keep the remedy on hand all the while though and do not hesitate to recommend it to others."

"One question more. How many ponds of fish have you here and how are they divided?"

"Well we have 43 ponds which are divided up as follows: 22 ponds of brook trout, 2 ponds of salmon trout, 4 of McCloud river or rainbow trout, 2 ponds of German trout, 3 of California mountain trout, 2 ponds of hybrids, 4 of one-quarter salmon and three-quarters brook trout, 2 ponds of gold fish and 1 pond of Carp. Then we have what we call the centennial pond or 'happy family,' consisting of crosses of different fish, including Kennebec salmon, Land Locked salmon, California salmon, brook trout, salmon trout and hybrids. These fish range in size from minnows to 18-pounders, and in age from one and a half months to eleven years. I forgot to say also that we have a 'hospital' pond, which is entirely empty, which speaks pretty well for a community of many millions. Indeed the whole secret of fish culture can be summed up in four things. Impregnation,—using no water. Plenty of food. Plenty of pure water and cleanliness."

The numerous fish exhibitions which are taking place in all parts of Europe and the unusual interest which is being manifested in this subject throughout the world all owe their origin to the process above described as originated and conducted by Seth Green. It is certainly cause for congratulation to every American that this country produces so many men whose genius brings value to the world, and it is proof positive of the greatest merit that a remedy even with such high standing as Warner's Safe Cure is known to have should be so strongly endorsed, and recommended by one so reputable and reliable as Seth Green.

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Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:
Gentlemen—For ten years previous to the early part of 1877 I had been a constant sufferer from scrofulous ulcers or sores, which had finally reduced me to a helpless condition, as described in my letter to you in September of that year. The continued excellent health which enables me to keep house for my aged father and to enjoy life, keeps alive my intense personal interest in Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cannot refrain from expressing my gratitude for the permanent cure this wonderful medicine effected in my case nearly two years ago, while living in Lowell, when all my physicians gave me up as being in an incurable condition. One thing before I close. I have recommended your Sarsaparilla to hundreds, and I think more than a thousand cases, and my faith in its invincibility in curing scrofula has become absolute by the wonderful cures it has effected aside from my own. I trust you will not be slow in making the merits of Hood's Sarsaparilla known everywhere, for it is a duty you owe to mankind. With best wishes I remain very truly yours,
Sarah C. Whittier.

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Is a skilfully-prepared compound, concentrated extract, *by a process peculiarly our own*, of the best remedies of the vegetable kingdom known to medical science as alteratives, blood-purifiers, diuretics, and tonics.

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N. B. All application, by letter or in person, will have prompt attention.

We have blank forms of Bonds, or can have special ones printed without expense.

Address, S. D. ELWOOD, Treasurer.

Detroit, April 10, 1883.

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WILLIAM REID, wholesale and retail dealer in French and American Window Glass, Plate Glass, Ribbed and Rough Plate for Sky Lights, Cut and enameled Glass, Silver-Plated Sash Bars, French and German Looking Glass Plates. Lead and Oil Colors, Putty, Points, etc. 73 and 75 Larned street west, Detroit, Mich. Write for estimates.

FOR BUSINESS OR PLEASURE.

BIRD & HAVENS

Would announce to the public that they are now engaged in the livery business at the Lee barn on Ottawa street, and respectfully solicit your patronage.

An entire new stock of Latest Style Buggies and the Best of Horses.

Special Attention given to Funerals.

Give us a trial and we will do our best to please you.

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For blasting rocks, stumps and especially adapted for farmers' use in clearing fields of all obstruction.

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BOOTS & SHOES
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One Door West of Anderson's Dry Goods Store.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A GOOD BOY wanted to do chores for his board and go to school, or work for low wages. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

CHOICE MERINO RAMS for sale. Wilson & Osborn have returned from western New York and brought with them a few choice rearling rams, and they will sell them at reasonable prices. All who would wish to see some good select rams would do well to call at Henry Wilson's place. All are selected from among the finest flocks in western N. Y.

NOTICE. My wife, Harriett I. Kelley, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all persons are hereby forbidden to harbor or trust her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.
MACON, October 12th, 1883.

FARM FOR SALE. I offer my farm in Raisin for sale. It contains 240 acres, has good buildings and fences and is nearly all improved. It has the name of being one of the best farms in Raisin township. For price and terms enquire on the premises. JOSHUA TAYLOR.

HAIRDRESSING. I am now prepared to do all kinds of hairdressing, combing, etc., at reasonable rates. MRS. C. HAWKINS, Rooms over H. H. Anderson's grocery store.

SCHOOL TEACHERS. Parties wishing to engage a gentleman or lady teacher for the winter term of school, call on or address BROWN, The Photographer, Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE. A good parlor wood stove. Enquire of BROWN, The Photographer.

A SCHOOL TEACHER of experience desires a situation for the winter term in a country school near Tecumseh. Address HERALD OFFICE.

TAKE NOTICE. Tom. Aiken is in the market to buy hides, pelts and furs, butter, eggs and poultry. He also wants a quantity of potatoes. High cash prices paid. Call at Jas. Lowry's and see me before selling. Don't forget. THOS. AIKEN.

FOR SALE. A good pair heavy work mules. Inquire of GEO. HOLLOWAY, Holloway, Mich.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. My farm of seventy acres, situated northeast of the village of Tecumseh, about ¼ of a mile from the postoffice. Said farm is all improved and in good condition, with two houses and two barns. Also a large apple orchard containing 945 trees, and other small fruit. Will leave 21 acres of wheat in the ground. RUFUS ADAMS.

PIANO FOR SALE OR RENT. Apply at Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany's, Chicago st.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Paste and diamonds this evening.

Miss Bertha Maltbie, of Cataraugus, N. Y., who has been visiting relatives and friends here during the summer, returned home last Tuesday.

Miss Libbie B. Helm has been in Jackson for the past year acting as nurse. She was called here in September to take care of a patient and has concluded to remain in Tecumseh for a few months. She has the reputation of being an excellent nurse.—Any one desiring the services of such can address Miss L. B. Helm, Box 12, Tecumseh, Mich.

Electrical Review: The telephone is one of the greatest of economizers of errand boy and shoe leather in general. Business got along without the telephone when it didn't know the telephone, just as it got on without the telegraph, the railway and the steamboat before these came in. But with every new invention facilitating exchange and traffic, there is more business, more satisfactory and comfortable business and a better bringing of the world together.

Foremost among household magazines is Demorest's Monthly, which for utility, variety, and artistic excellence cannot be surpassed. The November number compares very favorably with its predecessors, and is replete with interesting and useful information, the illustrated portion being all that could be desired. We are promised in the December number the first chapters of a fine serial story by Mrs. Champney, author of "Three Vassar Girls," and other novels.

Read Blosser's last fish story: "Manchester has long been noted for her pretty girls, modest young men, poor side walks and lack of street lamps; and now it is with pride that we call attention to the fact that an extra smart feline is to be added to the list. For a long time it has been observed that a certain cat would take its position near the river back of the Enterprise office, and after watching intently for a time would make a dive and invariably haul out a fish. This may sound "cat-fishy" but its the solemn truth nevertheless."

Among the fine dwelling houses which have gone up in Tecumseh within the past year one of the best is John Hialey's which is now about completed. It is situated on his old lot upon the west side of Pearl street, between Pottawatamie and Kilbuck. It is a square two story house, with a wing in the rear. The main portion contains a hall extending through the middle with two large rooms on each side connected by folding doors. The rooms on the south side of the hall will be used as double parlors and those on the north side as a family room and dining room. The wing contains kitchen, pantry and wash-room, and a rear stairway. A splendid cellar is placed beneath the wing. The inside finish is plaster "hard finish" and the casing and doors are all of pine and ash finished with hard oil and varnish which presents an elegant appearance. The exterior is painted a dark drab, two shades, which blend harmoniously together. Mr. Hialey will be nicely fixed when he moves in which will be within a few days.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 18, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Sheriff Bidwell was in town last Tuesday.

This Thursday, Oct. 18, will pass as a rainy day.

A postoffice has been established at Lenawee Junction.

Mrs. Henry Smith and Mrs. E. Hand have been visiting friends in Toledo for the past few days.

Excursionists who went to Chicago last week to see the exposition returned disappointed. Jay-Eye-See did not trot.

Soldier's widows are entitled to a copy of the book, "Michigan in the War." Write to Mrs. H. A. Tenney, state librarian at Lansing.

Massachusetts is suffering from such a drought that water for family use is sold by the barrel. Ben Butler is probably the cause of it.

Mrs. R. E. Lee who has been visiting her sister Mrs. E. Hand, of this village for the past month, returned to her home at Rome, N. Y., last Monday.

The Jackson County Lodge I. O. G. T. were entertained by the Brooklyn Lodge on the 6th inst. in a very hospitable manner. About 150 delegates were provided with dinner and supper.

Slayton & Kinney the furniture men have rented Bidwell's corner and are now off buying a very large nice stock of furniture to put in it. See their ad. this week about reduced prices.

Morenci Observer: Goodremont's apple drying establishment commenced last Tuesday, and owing to the general scarcity of the crop only a moderate business will be done this season.

Ohio is never at peace. Before the election the Democratic leaders were in a quarrel over the anticipated spoils of victory. Since the election the Republican leaders are in a quarrel over the question, who did it?

At a recent election of the graduating class of the Detroit Medical College, Jno. B. Haynes, of this village was elected treasurer of the class for ensuing year. It is a good selection and John will take good care of the funds.

Miss Ida Davis, who has been the guest of Judge Stacy's family, at Adrian, during the past week, went to Ypsilanti Monday. She will leave in a few days with her mother for New York City, where they expect to remain during the winter.

Adrian Record: A Tecumseh man has just been presented with an elegant new family bible. Gradually the gospel is being spread in the benighted parts of the land.

Yes, different communities have different ways of spreading the gospel. Adrian takes hers in Salvation Army pills.

There will be a special communication of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., on Friday evening, Oct. 26th, for work in the M. M. degree. A full attendance of the members is requested. By order of

P. J. FARLEY, W.M.

J. R. HIALBY, Sec.

P. W. Adams and wife started yesterday morning for their Deleware home. Mrs. P. R. Adams will accompany them and will probably remain there through the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Shull, of Lansing, have moved to Tecumseh and will occupy the old home this winter.

We called upon District Manager Mason at his telephone rooms in Adrian the other day and found him well fixed. He has his new state line plug board in operation now which he finds a very great convenience.—He says the new line to Morenci is working like a charm.

A writer in the Scientific American gives the following recipe for chucking woodchucks under the sod: After they had retired for winter quarters, and the ground had been deeply frozen, he chose a cold night and shut up all the holes with earth, pressing it down so that the entrance and exit were hermetically sealed, excluding the air. With all their strength they could not dig out of their prison, and died as in the "black hole of Calcutta;" not one came out alive. This plan is better than a bounty or "drowning out." It might be well for people in this vicinity to try his plan the coming winter.

Peterson's Magazine for November is already on our table, a splendid number, with a perfect galaxy of steel engravings, colored fashion plates, colored patterns for the work table, tales, poetry, etc. We do not see how any lady can get along without this charming monthly. With this number appears the prospectus for 1884.—It promises better things than ever; and "Peterson" always keeps his promises. The terms are only two dollars per year. To clubs it is cheaper still. Subscribe to no magazine until you have seen a copy of 'Peterson.' Specimens are sent gratis, if written for, to persons wishing to get up clubs. Address Charles J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Mattie Vickers to-night.

The apple crop is very easily gathered this fall.

Read what Alva Parker has to say on the 8th page.

Blissfield will have a series of club parties this winter.

Tecumseh is shipping cabbages to Adrian by the car load.

The nights are growing longer and the weather is growing stronger.

The Universalist State Convention was in session last week at Detroit.

Keep your houses well locked, as burglars are roaming about the county.

People who visit the Opera House to-night can depend on seeing a good play.

Supervisor James is in Adrian this week attending the sessions of the county board.

An Adrian druggist lately sold a man morphine in the place of quinine which was ordered.

The Detroit Art Loan will close Nov. 1st. It is well worth taking a trip to Detroit to see.

Wilson & Osborn have a fine lot of merino rams for sale. See their notice in another column.

Elijah Wilson has taken the contract for building the "porcupine" bridge in Clinton for $485.

Thos. Conlin threshed 1005 bushels of oats for Chas. A. Pawson, of Franklin in 5½ hours. How is that?

A scheme is on foot to establish a permanent Art Gallery in Detroit. It will require an outlay of $1,000,000.

The county pioneer meeting was held at Fairfield yesterday. We shall be able to present a report of the doings in our next issue.

Col. Wm. Humphrey, ex-warden of the prison at Jackson has bought an interest in the Adrian Brick and Tile Co., and will move to the latter city.

The Baptist State Convention has closed. Rev. C. E. Conley has returned and will occupy his pulpit next Sunday, both morning and evening.

A little fellow went into a Chelsea drug store last week and asked for three bars of "baptist" soap. The clerk satisfied his wants by giving him Babbit's soap.

Miss Eva Clement has gone on a visit to Fredonia, N. Y., to recuperate her health before resuming her position in the telephone exchange office in this village.

We understand that a certain traveling man, whose name is Beatty, refers to Tecumseh as the suburbs of Adrian. Perhaps our merchants will look this matter up a little.

Adrian Record: The editor of the Clinton News claims to have dieted on fresh-picked ripe strawberries on the 6th of October. There is need of another revival in Clinton.

H. Brewer & Co. will soon commence the building of a large addition to their foundry. The present building is entirely too small to accommodate their increasing business.

Dr. Snyder, who has been at Hillsdale on the sick list, has returned to Tecumseh and would be pleased to see all who are in need of dental work at his rooms over Strong & McNair's.

Deerfield Record: It took two or three hours' time, the other day, two doses of strychnine, a boy with a five-shooter revolver and a man with a double-barrel shot-gun to kill one dog.

The young people's social club of Dist. No. 5, Clinton township, will hold a box social on Friday evening, Oct. 26th, at the residence of John Schreder. All are cordially invited to attend.

At the Baptist convention Rev. C. E. Conley was elected Secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions. This places the Foreign Mission work of Michigan among the Baptists under his supervision.

We call the attention of our readers to the new advertisement of Mrs. M. A. Freeman on 8th page. She has an elegant new stock of goods and the best of help to put them together.—Give her a call.

Will H. Aten, who has been attending medical college at Brooklyn, N. Y., has just secured a position for one year in the Homœopathic hospital on Ward's Island. Will is in luck, and his many friends here will be glad to hear the good news about him.

Program for Macon Grange, Friday, Oct. 26, (open meeting.)

Address—A. H. Briggs, Adrian.
Quartette—Miss Julia Easlick.
Song—Frank Aten.
Instrumental—Miss Hattie Osgood, Mrs. Fred Miller.
Other literary exercises.

The night watch association held a meeting last Monday evening and a committee, consisting of Lilley, McNair and Hosmer was appointed to circulate a subscription paper to raise an increased salary for the night watchman. It is impossible to procure a first-class man for the wages now paid. The committee have made a canvass and met with good success. They are now taking a vote from the subscribers to ascertain what applicant is preferred.

Richelieu at the opera house last Friday night was fearful and the music was worse.

Mr. Anson Brown, who two years ago left Rome, N.Y., to settle in Wisner, Nebraska, has decided to make Tecumseh his home.

The last rail was laid on the M. & O. road on Tuesday afternoon at five o'clock, when a connection was made with the Toledo & Ann Arbor road at Dundee. The ballasting will now be pushed as rapidly as possible, and regular trains will be running at an early day.

We made a little business trip to Monroe Tuesday and stopped over night with W. H. Sink. Sink keeps just as good a hotel as he ever did, and the climate down at Monroe seems to agree with him first rate. He treated us like a king and sent us home with a pair of fine ducks of his own shooting.

CLEARING OUT THE RAISIN.

Last Monday a petition signed by three freeholders each from Monroe and Lenawee counties, as well as by some hundred or so other freeholders of said counties, was presented to the judge of probate, requesting him to appoint a special commissioner to straighten, clean out, widen and deepen the river Raisin from the junction of its two branches in the southwest quarter of section 29 in the township of Raisin, to its outlet in Lake Erie. Judge Geddes, finding the petition correct and in due form, and having no option under the law, complied with the request embodied therein, and appointed Josephus M. Robertson, of Blissfield, as such special commismissioner.

That this work, if successfully carried out, would be of benefit to the land and health of all parties living near the river, is a self-evident fact. The clearing out of the dams alone would be a vast improvement in a sanitary point of view. But the expense! Ah, there's the rub. The original signers of the petition are Elisha Eddy, Frederick Bay, Dayton Parker of Lenawee county, and George Peters, Oliver Logan, B. F. Rose, of Monroe county.—Adrian Times.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

Franklin was well represented at Chicago last week, there being not less than ten farmers from that town. Eight went in one party, and they saw all the principal sights of the city and had a lively time. Two at least had a lively time with some boot blacks. It was thought at one time the police would have to be called to save the grangers from annihilation, but the "hay seeds" came out O. K.—All attended a museum one afternoon and one of them saw so much that it took away his appitite for supper.—One of the party saw a man sticking hogs, at the slaughter house, until he began to look pale, then hurried from the scene. Another missed his watch one morning and thought it was stolen at the theatre the night before but finally found it in the bed clothes where it had slipped from his pocket. One of the party, being a strict temperance man, got sick and came home in advance, of the others. Travelers should beware of Chicago water.—Coming home one of the party went out on the platform to view the landscape west of Coldwater and not having a brick in his hat at the time he and his hat parted company, and he had to ride to Adrian hatless.

The Excelsior school house was burned Monday night.

CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE.

BALCH, Mich., Oct. 16, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

Having been appointed by the Southeastern Michigan Christian Conference to report to your paper matters of interest of its work in its late session, I submit the following:

The Conference met in its 33d annual session on Wednesday, Oct. 10th at 2 o'clock P.M. with the Church of Christ in East Ridgeway, and continued its sessions until the following Saturday.

The session was harmonious throughout, and a large amount of business of vital importance to the body was transacted. There were preaching services each evening during the conference session and over the Sabbath following. The preaching was done by Revs. M. W. Tuck, of Coral; Geo. Price, Tecumseh; Sarah E. Garwood, Fairfield; and J. H. Gilbert, Bellevue, O.

The preaching was all characterized by having much spirituality in it; was well timed, and well received by the large audiences who listened to it. The annual fellowship meeting of the Conference was held on Saturday afternoon, commencing at two o'clock. It was participated in by all church members or professers present, except one, and was a most glorious spiritual feast, the "Master of Assemblies" being present, who did most powerfully bless us in that religious convocation.

I wish to say in conclusion, as church and pastor, we accept the business sessions, preaching services and speaking meetings of the conference as being of very great value and lasting benefit to us in our future church work. B F. RAPP, Pastor.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Petersburg had a fair last week.

The new engine house at Deerfield is enclosed.

The Hudson post-office received a new safe last week.

The masons of Fairfield are fixing up their lodge room.

Fred Weisinger will soon open a new store at Deerfield.

Mont. Van DeMark, of Clinton, intends to soon get up a dancing school.

John T. Clark, of Clinton, has gone to New York to purchase blooded cattle.

The Dover red ribbon club has expired. The chairs will be sold to pay the rent.

A party of Brooklyn sports started for the north woods last week to hunt for big game.

Blissfield fruit evaporators are paying from 40 to 50 cents per bushel for drying apples.

The Sons of Temperance Lodge of Morenci has "gone where the woodbine twineth."

J. S. Kies, of Clinton, raised 363 bushels of potatoes from one acre of ground. Next.

Adrian is happy. A double Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe showed in that city last Tuesday.

Hudson will celebrate the semi-centennial anniversary of her settlement on the 5th of November.

Jim Barrow, of Blissfield, has emigrated back home again from Dakota. Jim has got enough.

The poles have been ordered for the Hudson and Addison telephone line. It will take in Rollin and Beardsell's landing.

The Brooklyn Exponent speaks highly of L. F. Wheeler's Illuminated Rambles which exhibited in that village last week.

The wife of the well-remembered evangelist Martin had her unpleasant conjugal ties unloosened by a Chicago court recently. She obtained a divorce on the ground of cruel treatment.

Hudson Post: A Hillsdale justice of the peace was robbed of a pocket book containing $75 during the fair. The next thief tried before his Honor will probably be sentenced for life, as he is down on this class of criminals.

Clinton News: George Goodrich reports that he planted a piece of ground fifty feet square, with one peck of Early Ohio potatoes, the hills four feet apart, the last week in May, and on the 10th of August dug 18 bushels of nice potatoes.

Clinton News: Ripe, luscious strawberries, fresh from the vines on the 6th of October are rare in this part of the world, but nevertheless we had some at our office that day which Mr. Slade Lazell brought us and which he had just picked from a bed in Amos Lazell's garden.

Clinton News: The High School lecture course, is as follows: Prof. R. L. Cummock, Humorous and Dramatic Readings; James Clement Ambrose, "The Sham Family;" Prof. J. B. Steere, "Crossing the Andes;" Col. J. P. Sanford, "Future America;" Stuart Rogers, Impersonations.

Morenci Observer: The Rev. I. M. Foster, of New York, Grand Lecturer of the G. A. R. of the United States, will speak to the Posts in this vicinity on the 7th, 8th and 9th of November next, probably as follows: At Lyons on the 7th; Fayette on the 8th, and in the village on the 9th. He is the most eminent speaker of the order, and a great treat is in store for our people.

The people of Addison are in a turmoil over the location of the depot.—It has been supposed that it would be located on the west side, but the people of the east side are making an effort to secure it, and it is now an open question. In order to win the people on the east side must do $2,500 better than those on the west side, it requiring that amount to grade the ground. Such is the rumor.

Blissfield Advance: An organization is perfecting that contemplates the giving of a series of entertainments during the winter, the proceeds (if any) to go toward a fund for a base ball association next season. That base ball will be played more than ever next season is very evident, and Blissfield will take such measures as to hold its reputation for the best amateur nine in this section.

Deerfield Record: We have been requested to publish a warning to the people generally and the small boys in particular, who have been in the habit of discharging guns, revolvers, etc., within the corporation limits, for them to desist, as all offenders will be punished according to law. It is a lamentable fact that a number of boys carry revolvers, and it would be well for parents to inquire into the matter ere some of these youths are arrested. A word to the wise is sufficient.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machines without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—At Coller's Palace of Music, in Adrian you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call, or drop a postal for prices.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, has returned from New York with all the new styles and novelties in millinery. Hats made over and trimmed in the latest style.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, has reopened her store for the fall and winter trade.

—Mrs. C. M. Webster has moved to the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood, one door west of P. B. Swick, with the other branches of work. Colors hair switches for 25c and does oil stamping on short notice.

Cider Apples and Potatoes.

Slayton & Son want to buy potatoes, cider apples and potatoes. Call and see them.

—The Detroit Diamond Farming Mill, the best in the market only $[illegible] Slayton & Son.

Mrs. E. Drew, of Chicago, and Mrs. Swhab, of Sandusky, are the guests of Mrs. I. P. Keyser.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Call on Slayton & Son for good cooking apples. Cheap.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller, of Adrian, Gen. Agt. for the New Home Sewing Machine if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machines. He is the company's only authorized agt. in this vicinity. Don't be misled.

—Spring Tooth Harrows at Snedicor's.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, is offering great inducements in millinery and hair goods.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.

I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.

WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED.

McNEIL.—At his residence in Clinton, Monday, Sept. 3, 1883, Jacob McNeil, aged 75 years.

The deceased was born in Jefferson Co., New York, Feb. 24, 1808, was united in marriage with Susan Winslow in 1832 and came to Clinton in 1833, where he continued to reside until his death. Having done business in this vicinity until within a few years, he was widely known as a man of integrity and worth. He leaves a large circle of friends, and acquaintances from which he will be greatly missed. He had been failing in health sometime previous to the celebration of his fiftieth anniversary, which occurred on the 27th of Dec. last, from which time he failed slowly but gradually until his decease. He leaves a wife and three daughters to mourn his loss. We can truly say a good man ripe in years and deeds has gone to his reward.

McNEIL.—At his residence in this village, Sept. 26th, 1883, Archibald McNeil, aged 70 years.

The deceased was born in Jefferson Co., New York, June 23d, 1813. His youth was passed in his native county, and in 1833 he came to Michigan. In July, 1836, he was united in marriage to Mary A. Boynton, of Clinton, when he took up his residence in the township of Tecumseh, and worked at his trade, which was that of a carpenter and joiner until 1840. In that year he began to work in the old Tecumseh foundry, and continued in that establishment through the different changes in its management for 35 years, until April, 1875. In that month he seriously injured one leg which disabled him for several months, and he was unable to perform any manual labor after that time. He united with the Universalist church at the time of its organization in August, 1866, and was chosen Deacon at the first church election, which position he continued to occupy until the day of his death. He was a man of strong convictions and decided views on all subjects, and was remarkably well informed for a man who had so little leisure time for reading. His station in life was a humble one, but every duty devolving upon him—to himself, to his family, to society, to his church—was most faithfully performed. He was respected as an exemplar by those who knew him. A kind father, a patriotic citizen, a true christian gentleman has ceased his earthly labors and gone to meet his elder brother, who set out on the heavenly journey only three short weeks before. They were brothers on earth—in heaven they will not be separated.

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The Art of Advertising.

The time has come when a knowledge of this art is an essential part of the education of every business man. To be successful in business they should understand how to advertise. It is only necessary, in order to illustrate the truth of this statement, to call attention to the most successful merchants and manufacturers of any large city, or small village, in the United States. They know just what to say to the public, when to say it, how to say it, and the mediums to employ in saying it. They have made the same careful study of this as of any other branch of their business. They don't insert a single [illegible] in an almanac, venture [illegible] paper, put up a sign, or even support a party organ, and then sit down to make the proprietor of the paper, sign-writer or the editor of their pronunciamento by giving a free ticket, saying that it never did them any good, but was just put in out of friendship. They are not content with an occasional advertisement that appears the first week in January, or all seasons of the year, [illegible] bargains, and the same [illegible] of goods just received on all sides of them—when their stocks have [illegible] they are always able to [illegible] a single customer, as when their shelves are filled with the most seasonable and attractive commodities. They [illegible] the public to remain in ignorance of the fact that they have a good [illegible] constant appeals in a manner that [illegible] attractive. They are always devising new and striking methods for presenting their wares to the public notice, [illegible] of printers' ink. They are always careful to advertise what they have [illegible] that they had last winter, nor what some else has now. They advertise [illegible] as well as liberally, and their [illegible] learn to believe the promises [illegible] made through the newspapers. Advertisements are studied with interest by every one who expects to become a buyer. It is as important that a [illegible] should know how to advertise as to know how to buy judiciously, or to sell at a big profit.

Practical Proverbs.

A wooden tight a-hint for de man who quotes old proverbs an adopts second-hand mottoes. began Brother Gardner, of the Detroit Limestone Club as the crunching of harvest apples suddenly ceased. "Dis am an age for every man to hold his own plow an who am content to let some one else hold it must be satisfied wid cobs in place of co'n. Ef I was so poo' an low-down dat I had to pick rags I would have my own maxims an mottoes. Instead of sayin 'Doan' put off till to-morrow what kin be done to-day,' I would have it 'Now, de man, you git right up a dust, an git my rags dis week dan any odder chap can in a month.' De odder day I met Comeback Jones. You know he am 'bout sixty y'ars old, an 'bout as hard up as a woodchuck in a bear's grip. I axed de ole man how he was keepin' up wid de purcheshun an he replied, 'Wall, ize mighty hard up, but dey say it am a long lane 'at has no turn.' Jist fink of an ole man of one No. 13 in de grave waitin' fur a turn in de lane to bring him heaps to eat an clots to wear. All drew life he has carried dat second hun sayin' wid him, an' am yet a believer in it. Why didn't he make one of his own? If he had said forty years ago: 'Doan' foller any lane, but cut across lots,' de wolf wouldn't be arter him to-day. A man who hes de will to make a motto hes de pluck to make it a success. Buckle down to bizness am a better motto dan any book kin give ye. Let me, in closin, quote some of de mottoes an maxims belongin' to members of dis club:

Isaac Walpole—'Doan' drap fifteen cents in re-shin for a dollar.'

Weydown Bebee—'When ye can't dig drew a wall climb ober it.'

Giveadam Jones—'Git dar' if it takes a leg.'

Pickles Smith—'Ye can't swim a ribber by sittin' on a bank.'

Samuel Shin—'Set yer alarm-clock fur six in de mornin.'

Peter Pullback—'If de road am up hill yer back bone a little no.'

Elias Johnson—'De man who wears his hat on his ear shows de empty side of dis head.'

Brother Jackson—'Hoe on wid yer hans and turn steadi of yer mout.'

Elder Toots—'Take a job at fust sight but doan trade hosses till ye fink it over.'

Beauty.

[illegible] man don't marry a girl because she is pretty. Will beauty [illegible] through the lifelong journey to the [illegible] of those twin [illegible] and tears? Will beauty alone cook your food, care for children and prove a sweet solace in the hours of weary toil and care—the [illegible] of every man on earth? [illegible]

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Love fades when disappointed in the object of its adoration. Disappointed in the character and capabilities of your choice—see to it that she possesses a better conception of grasping the only [illegible] questions of the day, and that a portion of her time is spent in reading something besides fashion plates and novels. And above all be assured that she is well disciplined in those virtues without which beauty is worthless. Sweetness of temper is not incompatible with firmness or moral courage and a woman possessing these attributes will not belong to the rapid "fast" sort, but on the contrary [illegible] develop into noble wives and [illegible] faithful in friendship, and devout Christians capable of exerting both at home and in society, the best of an influence on the right and for virtue.

If to these high and independent qualities is added beauty, then your choice is indeed a gift of God. Take such a one to your home and while loving and cherishing, do not fail to prove yourself worthy to be the possessor of such a priceless gem.

Some Strong Minded Women.

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A Boy came home from school much excited, and told his father that the teacher said all human beings were descended from apes, which made the old man so mad that he replied angrily: "That may be the case with you, but it ain't with me. I can tell you that now."

To cure any scrofulous disease or humor, try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It cleanses the blood of all impurities.

How they Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank, you." They kiss. "How have you been this age?" "Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Pretty very well, thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "Oh, yes! I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! Is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." "Dancing when you go?" "Yes, indeed; I have never sat down." "Dancing again?" "Thank you, but you don't come that game on me, dear." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear." "Well, they were good." "Good bye, dear, good bye, dear." "Exchange."

"Life Forces" gives the following on the above:

"I and after waiting that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his nerves, he at last had been so severe, he went off to "brace up." Just as he reached his destination, met a friend fresh out of [illegible] when the following conversation [illegible] and taken down by the writer as an example for women of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hello! old fellow, how are you?" They shake. "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top." "When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" (significantly). "Well—yes, don't care if I do." They step to the saloon, after cautiously looking around to make sure no outsiders are about, to see they are breaking their pledge—[illegible] they emerge innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being "primed," resume: "How are ye, folks?" "All well, how are yours?" "All flourishing, now the youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good up your way?" "Well, we're pretty fair." "How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way, giving democratic majority." "Take out your watch? Thunder! ten minutes to 12! I must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements." "Good-bye." "Good-bye." They again wring hands and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to shake hands another time!"

The best interests of humanity depend on the good health of our women folks, and yet those with brightest intellects seem to suffer most with ailments peculiar to female life. It is well to remember that the whole female system can be built up to a proper state of endurance, pimples, sores, swollen limbs, monthly pains, and other indications of female disease, made to disappear and robust health of mind and body take the place of illness and distress, if a timely use is made of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It restores the blood to perfect health, it strengthens the muscular and nervous system. It gives tone to the digestive and urinary organs. It allays all irritation of the mucous membrane. In a word it is a perfect female medicine, and aids every function of female life. No other remedy equals it. Have your druggist get it. Take no substitute.

A Bird that Turns Somersaults.

There's a pretty little bird that lives in China, and is called the Fork-Tailed Parrot. He is about as big as a robin, and has a red beak, yellow legs, black tail, and red-and-yellow wings. Nearly all the colors are in his dress, you see, and he is a gay fellow. This bird has a trick known by no other birds that ever I heard of. He turns somersaults! Not only does he do this in free life on the trees, but also after he is caught and put into a cage. He throws his head far back, and over he goes, touching the bars of his cage, and alighting upon his feet on the floor or on a perch. He will do it over and over a number of times without stopping, as though he thought it great fun. All his family have the same trick, and they are called Tumblers. The people of China are fond of keeping them in cages and seeing them tumble.

A lady who suffered from weakness peculiar to her sex, in writing to a friend, said: "I tried various kidney medicines, but only found myself growing worse. A friend told me to use Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. Its effect on me was soon indicated by a clear and beautiful complexion, a freedom from aches and pains, a complete removal of nervous depression, painless regularity in habits of digestion, and otherwise I can not praise the remedy too highly as a true friend to suffering womanhood and as a strengthening medicine."

A little dot of a girl coaxed two nickels from her father on Thanksgiving day, saying she would use one for candy and the other she would give to the missionaries. Before executing her expressed intentions she lost one while at play, and running to her mamma, said: "Oh, mamma, I have lost my missionary nickel."

Every one should tell his neighbor that the best remedy for curing coughs and colds, and the only sure cure for consumption is Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. It is pleasant to take and very soothing and healing in its effect.

An English writer says that the middle class Englishman, as a rule, does not buy books, except a few classics and professional treatises, but waits for his chance at the book club or circulating library. There are instances where authors are asked to lend their own copies by men of ten times their income. Wine and china may be bought, but books must be hired for, says the writer, the English are educated to the point of reading, but not to paying for books.

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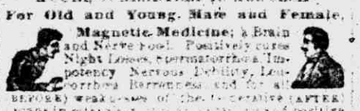

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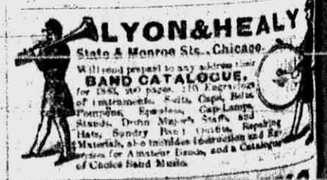

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Norvell	7 18 "	3 13 "	8 40 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	8 50 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	9 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	9 30 "
Adrian	8 38 "	4 37 "	9 35 "
Detroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	.....
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 20 A.M.	6 40 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	.....
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P.M.	9 57 "	6 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
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DENTIST. 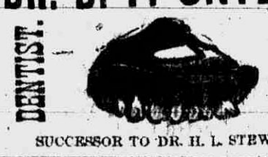 DENTIST.

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ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to anyone in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.
DANIEL TODD, M.D.

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The Youth of Our Land.

There really ought to be some law against the sale of dime novels to young boys. Instances occur almost daily where the minds of young boys have become so distorted by reading trash that they are ready to slaughter their fellow beings in large quantities. A boy who reads about some avenger of the prairie who chops and splits his cord and a half of Indians regular every day, or some pirate whose scalpers run off enough blood every minute to make a hundred dollars worth of blood sausage, gets into an abnormal condition of mind and is wholly unfit for the solid work and low wages of real, every day life.

He begins to accumulate pistols, daggers, and other old junk and longs to ram a pomard into some false Spaniard, and twist it around, while he hisses through his set teeth some drivel that he has read in a novel. Such a boy will not hoe corn. Near Peru, in Illinois, the other day, a sheriff found a cave where a number of these boys whose minds had become inflated, had established a sort of pirate's glen. The pirates were not at home, being away probably on an expedition to capture a dark-eyed Spanish beauty, or a bantam or shanghi beauty, and the sheriff entered the place and took an account of stock. All around were the sinister looking weapons of death, and the treasures and spoils of war, and among them were twelve bottles of lemon beer. This in itself ought to teach boy that there is no such thing as realizing what novels tell about. There never was a novel yet that told about the duke pacing back and forth with a clouded brow, in the elegant drawing room of his castle, and then going to the sideboard and draining a flagon of lemon beer. Not any. The duke always drains a flagon of fine old Rhenish wine, seven hundred years old, before he sets out to mutilate a couple of townships of people. A boy ought to see by this that if he is going to try and follow the duke's example he will have to use old Rhenish wine instead of lemon beer. And where would be the fun in slaughtering those two townships of people with a skin full of lemon beer or pop? It would be insipid. And not only that, but ridiculous. Suppose the duke should draw his rapier to run a person through the body, and just as he was about to say, "Die, villain," the gas from the lemon beer should come up in his nose. He would feel like a fool. A boy who reads a novel, and becomes all wrought up and excited, never thinks of this. Neither does he think who it is that writes the novel. If he could see the author of the novel—who is some poor devil in a New York garret, who has starved himself half to death for money to buy whisky, and who changes his quarters every month to save rent—he would be ashamed to be seen reading such stuff. The poor broken down scribbler who writes about the brilliant diamonds of inestimable value that flashed upon the bosom of the countess, is probably wearing a sheet of writing paper for a shirt front.—*Peck's Sun.*

Pluck vs. Luck.

In an address delivered before the students of the Spencerian business college, Washington, D. C., June 29, 1869, among other things, Gen. James A. Garfield said:

"Now, young gentlemen, let me address you touching your success in life; and I hope the very brevity of my remarks will increase the chance of their making a lodgment in your minds. Let me beg you in the outset of your career, to dismiss from your minds all ideas of succeeding by luck. There is no more silly thought among young people than the foolish one that by-and-by something will turn up by which they will suddenly achieve fame or fortune. No, young gentlemen, things don't turn up in this world unless somebody turns them up. Inertia is one of the indispensable laws of matter, and things lie flat where they are until by some intelligent spirit (for nothing but spirit makes motion in this world) they are endowed with activity and life. Do not dream that some good luck is going to happen to you and give you a fortune. Luck is an *ignis fatuus*—you may follow it to ruin, but not to success. The great Napoleon, who believed in his destiny, followed it until he saw his star go down in blackest night, when the Old Guard perished around him, and Waterloo was lost. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck.

Young men talk of trusting to the spur of the occasion. That trust is vain. Occasions cannot make spurs, young gentlemen. If you expect to wear spurs you must win them. If you wish to use them you must buckle them to your own heels before you go into the fight. The occasion you may achieve is not worth the having unless you fight for it. Whatever you win in life you must conquer by your own efforts, and then it is yours—a part of yourself."

A Life Saving Present.

Mr. M. E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kan.: Saved his life by a simple Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, which caused him to procure a large bottle, that completely cured him, when Doctors, change of climate and everything else had failed. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, it is guaranteed to cure. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

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POSTAGE STAMPS.—There are about six thousand different descriptions of postage stamps in existence. The museum of the Berlin Post Office alone contains between four and five thousand specimens, of which half are from Europe, and the remainder divided between Asia, Africa, America and Australia. What country carries off the palm for absurdity and grotesqueness of artistic design and inferiority of execution, we are not told, but if the collection is faithfully representative the variety of ugliness must be considerable. Some of the stamps, it appears, bear coats of arms, and other emblems, impartially borrowed from the heavens above, the earth beneath, and the waters under the earth—stars, eagles, lions, horses, serpents, railway trains, dolphins and other "fearful wildfowl." There are, moreover, the effigies of five emperors, eighteen kings, three queens, one grand duke, several inferior titled rulers, and many presidents. In so many countries and nationalities some really attractive specimens must have been elaborated.

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A Possible Relic of De Soto.

The Tallahassee (Fla.) *Floridan* says: A few years ago, about two miles east of Tallahassee, was found a ponderous spur, of unique and curious workmanship, the like of which has not been seen in modern times. The burr was one and a half inches in diameter, and the bar proportionately heavy. On either side of the rowel dangled small pendant bells, that gave forth a tinkling sound in response to each step of the wearer—doubtless some steel-clad and bonneted warrior of the long ago. Not many days since, while parties were plowing near the identical spot, a solid and shapeless mass was turned up, which, upon close examination, proved to be an iron stirrup of ancient pattern, as heavy and as massive as the spur spoken of first, and firmly imbedded in a thick coating of clay and rust. When this was removed, the stirrup was found to be in a remarkably good state of preservation. The sides represent two Ethiopian figures standing upon the foot-rest, leaning forward facing each other, while they support with outstretched arms what forms the top of the stirrup, or that part connected with the leather. So unlike are both these relics to anything known to the generations of this day and time, and, both being found so near the same place, it is not unreasonable to ascribe them to the same era and individual. Nor is the supposition at all improbable that one of the knightly followers of De Soto, lured on through this then unknown region and wilderness, like that dauntless son of Spain, by a thirst for the yellow heaps of gleaming gold that loomed up ahead of them in vain visions and heated fancies, here fell a victim to the tomahawk and scalping knife of the wronged and revengeful red; and no doubt some one of the "Tallahassee Tribe," of which "Tiger Tail" claimed to be a descendant, boasted, as he displayed at his belt a yet bloody scalp, that he had "killed a pale-face."

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 16, 1882.

Gentlemen—I have taken but two bottles of your Rheumatic Syrup, but have received more benefit from it than from any and all remedies I have tried. I have improved every day since I first commenced its use, and I am confident that there is no case of rheumatism that the Rheumatic Syrup will not cure, if the patient will adhere closely to the directions for its use, and use proper care about exposing themselves. Yours truly,
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Mrs. Albert Graham.

A New York man recently dreamed that he was a Texas desperado in a town threatened by Indians, and when he woke up he found that he had crawled under the bed.

"Ish this 'er postoffice?" inquired Cauliflower, slightly disfigured after nineteen rounds of sour mash. "No, this is a butcher shop," replied the sarcastic mailing clerk, licking a faded one cent stamp. "Sho! Ish that sho! Well, give me a tender line for my muzzer."

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Rev. H. Ferebee.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Friday, the 5th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Taylor, an insane person.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles C. Tefft, guardian of said insane person, praying for the allowance of his first guardian's account, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said ward and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. oct11

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of ANN BIDDLE, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.
Dated Sept. 12, 1883.
LEWIS CAMBURN,
MILAN SAGE,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of William Waring, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 24 day of November, 1883, and on the 17th day of March, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of September, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated September 17, 1883.
EDGAR A. TRIKOU,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Commissioners.
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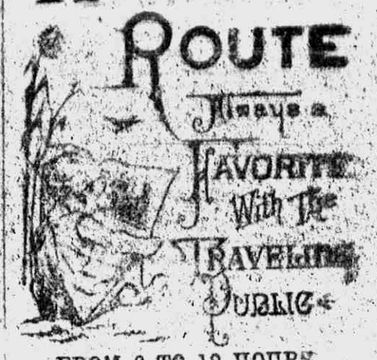

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MARRIED.

[illegible] At Thomas Murphy's residence, Macon, Thursday last, by Rev. [illegible] Miss Sarah Murphy, of Macon.

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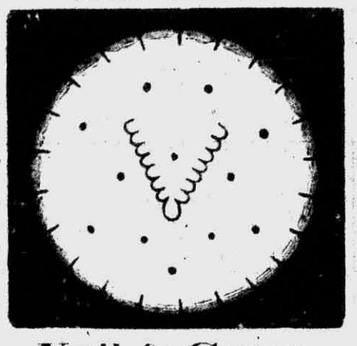

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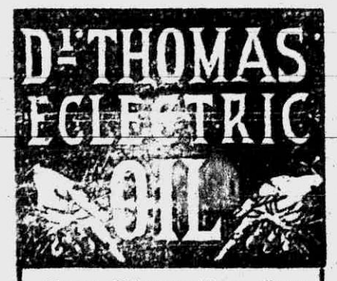

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CHERRY TREE TOWNSHIP, March 20, 1880.
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I have been afflicted with Rheumatism more or less for the past thirty years, so much so in the leg that I would have to lie down to get ease and at one time I could not go to bed, but was compelled to set up all night. This affliction continued for five months. I was solicited to use Wilson's Lightning Remedy for Rheumatism, which made a perfect cure. I found it to act with a certainty, and giving relief immediately. I used but one bottle and have not been afflicted since.

T. P. WILSON.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 20th day of March, A.D., 1880. J. B. D. CLARK, Justice of the Peace.

FARNAND, WILLIAMS & CO., Agents, Detroit.

HERE WE ARE AGAIN.

The steady and continual work we gave the past season to our gigantic clearance sales left our Mammoth Outfitting Establishment in proper shape for the reception of our

Fall and Winter Stock!

To say that we were successful would not half tell the story. OUR TRADE ALMOST DOUBLED, our customers were more than pleased with the bargains we gave them, and we were highly gratified with the liberal patronage bestowed upon us, and this season we intended to strive harder than ever to merit the continuance of the same.

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We have just opened up and put in stock all the new shapes and Styles of Little Folks' Clothing, among which may be found some pretty and attractive garments. Henceforth we shall carry a larger line of these goods than ever. Our trade in this Department has met with such a large increase that we can well afford to and this increase of trade enables us to sell at

SMALLER MARGINS THAN EVER BEFORE.

With us increase of trade means a decrease of profit. Not only shall our prices be the lowest, but we will carry ten times as many goods as any other house in the city. Our Boys' and Children's department has become very popular, not only because it is fitted up with a view to accommodate our customers, but because the best makes, the prettiest styles and the most attractive assortment of this line of goods can always be found there.

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Full New Stock of Fall and Winter

MILLINERY GOODS!

She has secured the services of

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Who was head trimmer in the employ of L. R. Damon, of Adrian for seven years, for the season, and is prepared to furnish orders promptly, and in the latest style. Mrs. Millard is a lady much experienced in the Millinery business, having had several years experience in large wholesale houses.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman

Would respectfully announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she now has on hand her

Fall and Winter Millinery Stock!

And would invite all to call and see her before purchasing elsewhere. She employs none but the most experienced workmen, and promises to sell as cheap as the cheapest.

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ATTENTION EVERYBODY

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

Hand and Buck Saws put in order for [illegible] cts.

Cross-cut Saws gummed and put in order at reasonable rates.

All kinds of gun making and repairing. Bring along your repairing.

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If you are suffering from

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Yours very truly,
THOS. H. DAY.

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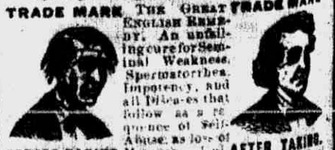

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STILL AT THE HEAD!

Is it Not So?

That the People of this city and vicinity are getting sick of paying big prices for poorly made furniture without regard to style, and made by inexperienced workmen.

THE PEOPLE

Have long ago come to the conclusion that

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Immense Furniture Establishment is the only place in the county where they can buy the latest styles of fine and medium grades of Furniture at prices lower than one horse dealers in an inferior class of goods.

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This establishment is also far in advance of all others, owing to the proprietors having

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For Men Boys and Children,

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Guns and Ammunition,

Also the largest line of

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Ice Cream, Confectionery and Cigars.

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SAFETY MATCHES!
Without odor.
SULPHUR MATCHES,
1000 for 10 cts.
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Proprietors of the old est ablishment
STAR BAKERY.
Fresh Bread, Rusks, Cakes, Pies, etc.,
Constantly on hand.
Farmers and others can procure a first-class Lunch at their rooms at all hours.
Chicago Street.
TECUMSEH. - MICH.

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Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated
JOHN KELLY----ROCHESTER
Boots and Shoes.
The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.
Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.
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General Repair Shop!
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TECUMSEH, MICH.
Is now prepared to all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and cast iron finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

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GLOBE MILLS!
WM. HAYDEN, PROPRIETOR.
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These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated
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Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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Before placing your orders for crayon pictures of any size or style, call on your home Photographer,
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A No. 1 work and warranted satisfactory. Specimens of the finest work on hand. Call and see them.
Remember the New Ground Floor Gallery on South side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

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Tecumseh Bakery!
And Dealer in
Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c., and everything belonging to a first class Bakery.
Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.
Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.
Lee's Block. Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

H. E. Wilson is improving his house.

M. Bowerman has moved his mill to Summit City, Traverse Co., Mich.

B. Kelley & Co., shipped a car load of sheep and hogs last week.

Wm. Brainard came very near having a flowing well. The water stands within two feet of the surface.

O. C. Craft and family have moved north with Mr. Bowerman.

On Monday evening Fred Kapke's brother was thrown from a horse and badly injured.

Mac Sleeper is putting a wall under his house.

MACON MUSIC.

A sociable for welcoming Rev. Kerridge and wife was held at the residence of Lester Collar last Wednesday evening. Quite a large company were present. Refreshments were served at an early hour, after which every one enjoyed a good sociable time before departing.

Oscar Stimpson, of Saline, was engaged in picking apples one day last week when he fell from a tree and was seriously injured.

The Sunday School concert was well attended. We have failed to find out the attraction that draws so many of the young people from the Center to these concerts. They should remember that they are all too well known to forget in any way their good bringing up. Our people are sufficiently cultivated to appreciate good manners at all times.

Mr. Lewis Richard, of Farwell, Clare county, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. Bradley Scudder is Macon's new postmaster and merchant.

Miss Lucy Chambers, of Northville, was the guest of Maud Howell last week.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

To Mr. & Mrs. Jonathan Hand—a girl.

Mr. David Swift, having sold his place to J. Wallace for $460 will take his departure for England next Monday. His many friends wish him a pleasant journey and a kind reception across the water.

Messrs. Jessup and Shultis have returned from New York city, where they made a pleasant trip and happy surprise, Mr. Jessup's friends not having seen him in over five years.

The location of the depot is yet to be settled, and is the principle subject for conversation.

The cider season has opened and there are many more apples coming in than was anticipated.

Elvin Ayres has bought another farm one mile south of Wolf Creek, and will move there as soon as he can get possession.

All lovers of dancing to first-class music will undoubtedly be present at Ayres' hall, on Friday evening, Nov. 2. The music will be furnished by Barlow & Williams' full band, while the other features of the dance are equally as good. The weather permitting it will be well attended.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The well-known music publisher, Mr. W. A. Ogden is in town, making arrangements for a musical convention and concert.

Smith's flouring mills present an imposing appearance since donning their mantle of white.

At the last regular meeting of Addison Division S. of T. No. 183, Mr. C. G. Elmore was elected Worthy Patriarch and N. Underwood, Scribe, for the ensuing quarter.

Mrs. W. H. Terpening is now convalescing from a long and severe illness, which for a long time was thought to be of a fatal nature. She is under the efficient care of Dr. E. M. Jenkins.

The depot question is settled at last in favor of the east side, where the work of erecting the necessary buildings is well under way.

Seven cabin cars were run off of a temporary side track last Monday for the accommodation of a large gang of Italians engaged in ballasting the road. Chicken roosts and wood piles are under special guard.

Report says the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. has completed negotiations for the erection of a line from Hudson to this place. A newspaper and job printing establishment is the next thing in order.

Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup gives your kidneys and liver a jog to help relieve your lungs of a bad cough, or your child of croup. There can be no membraneous croup when Universal Cough Syrup is used in the first symtoms of the disease. No family with children can afford to be without it one day. 25 and 50 cents.

THE LAND OF FLOWERS.

SORRENTO, FLA., Oct. 17, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

I left you on the river, I think, with a promise to tell all about the town of Sanford, Fla. Sanford is situated on the south shore of lake Monroe, which is the head of navigation for large boats on the St. John's river, and by the crooked river is about two hundred miles from Jacksonville. We left the latter place at 3:30 P. M. and arrived in Sanford at 1 P. M., next day, and landed on a pier 30 rods from shore. The land about here is very flat. Although it has been very dry here for the past six or eight weeks, stagnant water stands in the ditches along the roads, and to-day there are 22 cases of break-bone fever at Sanford. This is a fever peculiar to low wet sections of Florida, and the inhabitants here have learned to select high rolling lands, such as exists at Sorrento, 20 miles back at the west of Sanford. While at Sanford I took in the place and surrounding country. The population of the place is about 1,000, the southern element predominating. It has four hotels and about twenty stores of various kinds. While here my home was with Mr. Wm. Stones and family, who came down with me from Lenawee, and are stoping on the 40 acre orange grove of J. B. Swan, which is a nice grove although young. Some of the trees hang full of nice oranges such as would make a northerner's mouth water.

I visited the famous Speer grove, and saw Mr. Speer himself, and collected the following facts: This grove contains 7½ acres, and the oldest trees are 35, and the youngest 8 years old. Mr. Speer estimates his crop this year at 650,000 oranges, which he has sold, on the trees, for $2,25 a box, and it will take six men from Nov. 1st to March 1st to pick the fruit, which will make 4,000 boxes; a net of $8,000. He used two tons of the Forester chemical fertilizer, which cost $90, and $100 will pay for all the labor on the grove this year. Some eight years old trees have the third crop as they commenced bearing when five years old. One lemon tree, 30 years old, has 10,000 lemons on. This grove is 1½ miles from Sanford and ¼ mile from Swan's grove. On my way to Sorrento I visited the Belair grove of 125 acres. Twenty acres of this grove is 11 years old, 40 acres of it is eight years, and is half orange and half lemon. He considers lemon raising as profitable as the orange. He is now selling lemons at $4,50 a box, and is now picking the third crop this year, 2,000 boxes. The hands go to the trees with a ring and a lemon that is as large as the ring is picked, green as grass, and the small ones are left to grow. The lemon tree, as a general thing, has blossoms on all the year, and fruit constantly maturing. Some orange trees in this grove had limbs broken down under the heavy load of fruit. Many three years old buds have from 50 to 100 oranges on this year. I have located at Sorrento, Orange county. I bought land of Frank D. Raymond; a beautiful piece, as I have found in the state. It lies seventy feet above the lake which is in sight. The country about here is rolling. Groves in Sorrento are mostly young, yet some trees hang full of nice oranges this season. This is a locality especially adapted to the pine apple. Mr. Paxon, whose land adjoins mine, has a fine patch of pines now. They yield a good profit. He told me that 5,000 could be grown on an acre.

One man sold his orange grove for $3,000 that he put out four years ago. He bought ten acres for $50, bought his trees, one half of them budded, at 50 cents, and one-half were seedlings for 20 cents, setting 60 trees on the acre. He paid $200 for fertilizers and built a house at a cost of $150, making in all about $700 besides his labor, and one man can attend to four or five groves and do all the work. Land is very cheap here at Sorrento, from $5 to $25 according to location, from one to five miles from the post office. I would advise men of means to come down on the excursion from Jackson, Mich., Nov. 1, which is very cheap, only $35 for round trip tickets, good until June 1, 1884. The way to come to Sorrento is to get your baggage checked at Jacksonville for Aster, where you take the railroad for Eustes eight miles from Sorrento. I will meet you with teams and take you to one of the best, cleanest and homelike hotels in Florida. $6 per week. The house is kept by Dr. Thomas, the walls of the rooms have hard finish plaster, and the rooms are carpeted. The house is surrounded with orange trees from ten to fifteen feet high, and every hour of the day you will hear the sweet songs of the mocking bird.

E. HAUSE.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Pontiac is to have an electric fire alarm system.

The new and elegant catholic church at Flint is now ready for use.

Burglars are too numerous at Maple Rapids.

The apple crop is very short in Kalamazoo county.

Moses McHain, an old resident of Cass county died last week, aged 81.

Physicians who do not register by Nov. 9 have no recourse in law for the collection of fees.

Rev. Royal V. Balcom, of Norwalk, O., accepts the rectorship of St. Paul's church at Jackson.

A two years old child of Henry Gephardt, of White Rock, Huron county, was burned to death last week.

Philip Gorringe, of Three Rivers, fell from the top of his house a few days ago and was seriously injured.

Owosso has now 22 manufacturing institutions all good ones too and more coming.

The Michigan wheat crop for this year figures out to average about 12 bushels per acre.

M. Wood & Co., extensive handle factory men of Owosso, ship their timber in from Kansas.

A prohibition paper named the Vidette has been established at Richmond, Macomb county.

The Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern railroad is being rapidly pushed and the force of graders is daily increased.

Mrs. Margaret Humphreys becomes assistant professor of clinical dentistry at the University vice Bellmyer resigned.

Diphtheria has prevailed at Niles for the past three weeks and several deaths have resulted. However it is not thought it will become epidemic.

Wm. J. Bartow, of East Saginaw, succeeds Judge Marston as president of the Northeastern agricultural society.

Louis Schmidt, a tailor formerly of Dresden, Saxony, is wanted at Dresden. He is supposed to be in Michigan.

Patrick Cavenaugh, of Muskegon, who while drunk tried to force an entrance into a private house and was shot, died of his wounds.

A young lad named LaFrance was accidentally shot and killed, near Alcona a few days ago, by a hunter who mistook him for a bear.

Genius is never suffered to go unrewarded in this state. The sweet singer of Michigan still finds sale for his songs and lyrics and 4,000 copies of them have been sold.

About 125 hunters from Indiana went into the Michigan woods via the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad one day last week. It took three baggage cars to carry their camp equipage and munitions of slaughter.

An attempt on the part of the sophomore boys at the Agricultural college to haze some of the freshmen recently was a melancholly failure. The new comers were not so very "fresh" after all, and gave the 'sophs' more than they wanted.

A large frame barn belonging to Wesley J. Post, in township of Argentine, Genesee county, burned on the night of October 16th. It contained 300 bushels of wheat, a quantity of oats and hay, and most of the implements of the farm. It is supposed to have been fired by some tramp who had taken refuge for the night. Insured for $700.

The Muskegon national bank sues the Northwestern mutual life insurance company of Wisconsin for the recovery of $20,000 on the life policy of Edwin G. Comstock. The defense set up is habitual intemperance, though nothing is said of the fact that the company continued to take his premiums whether he was drunk or sober.

John Rogers, of Galesburg, died last week aged 97 years, five months and 13 days. He was the oldest person in Kalamazoo county and located in Galesburg in 1835. He was a pensioner for services rendered the government in the war of 1812, was an outspoken democrat, and had always been in the bloom of health until a few weeks before his death.

A burglar raided the house of L. Tichenor and the rooms occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Dreeney, of Chelsea, a few nights ago. As the rascal was taking his departure Mrs. Dreeney sprang from bed just in time to see him making off with her husband's trousers. Net gain for the burglar $3,50, but he was probably after a much larger amount Dreeny had the day before.

AN ENGLISH VIEW

Of the Relations of Mexico and the United States.

Fortnight Review

Notwithstanding the extent to which it has lately occupied the attention of our foreign office, Mexico is hardly better known to most Englishmen than Central Africa. A few government names [illegible] and a few engineering [illegible] are all the world outside to the average Briton who is occupied in commercial trade or travel. Centres, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

SCROFULA.

A remedy that can destroy the germs of scrofula, and when once settled has the power to root it out, must be appreciated by those afflicted. The remarkable cures of young children and the more wonderful cures of those of middle age and late in life, as illustrated by our printed testimonials, prove Hood's SARSAPARILLA to be a reliable remedy, containing remedial agents which do positively cure scrofula and eradicate it from the blood.

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The Perfumery Trade.

Some kinds of perfumery are worth their weight in gold. The export of fine perfumery is principally from Grasse, Nice, Cannes and Bremen. The business is divided into two parts. The manufacturer extracts from the flowers their essential oils. The perfumer buys these oils, pomades and extracts, and compounds them in several ways.

Only about a dozen of all the fragrant flowers in the world are used in the manufacture of perfumery, viz.: the violet, rose, orange flower, jasmine, tuberose, cassia, lavender, thyme, rosemary, geranium, jonquil and fennel. The rose and the orange are the most valuable. Of the numerous varieties of the rose, only one is used, the Province rose, single, pale pink, the most sweet smelling of roses; not hardy.

Picking for perfumery occurs in almost every month of the year. It is a paradoxical fact in the business that the bitter orange yields the best blossoms for perfumery. One ton of blossoms yields two pounds eight ounces of oil neroli. The fruit of the bitter orange yields a very fine essential oil, bigarade. It is used in many scents. The orange tree, cultivated for its oil, lasts with care over 200 years.

One ton of the distilled leaves of the scented verbena geranium yields from 24 to 30 ounces of the essential oil. The flowers of the jasmine are picked just after sunset in July, and in the morning, as soon as the dew is off, in August. The jasmine is a peculiarly delicate flower. Its essential oil is so volatile that it cannot be extracted by distillation, the heated water decomposing it is so that only a faint tinge of the perfume is left in the water that passes through the refrigerant.

Like the jasmine, the oil of the tuberose cannot be extracted by distillation. The perfume of the cassie is much used in compounds. The process of manufacturing perfumes is in itself very interesting, especially to the ladies.

A ton of roses yields only two ounces of the attar. If kept at a temperature below 60°, attar crystalizes; if kept open to the air and light, it is easily volatized. Perfumed oils are made by putting fresh quantities of flowers into the finest of virgin olive oil from 20 to 30 different times. The essential oil of flowers has a strong affinity to lard or grease. The latter, rendered as white as snow, is perfectly saturated with the flowers. The process is repeated many times. In this way we have pomade of rose, orange, cassie and violet. The affinity of the perfume of flowers for alcohol is, however, stronger than than for grease. Pomades, immersed in alcohol, are rendered into extracts, the grease leaving the perfume. It is safe to say that, among the numerous articles of toilet, the manufacture of perfumed pomades, perfumed oils and high-priced perfumery generally is as a sealed book to many persons.

Savannah, N. Y., March 3, 1883.
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Gents—I have been a great sufferer till within a few months, for ten yrs. with that worst of all diseases—rheumatism. At times I have been wholly unable to attend to my business, and for eight weeks was confined to my chair, my only relief from pain being while some one of my family rubbed my limbs. At the same time was covered with scrofula. I had tried every treatment and every kind of medicine recommended, to no purpose, and was completely discouraged. Having heard a friend praise Rheumatic Syrup, as a last resort, I procured a bottle, but with little hope of receiving benefit. After taking two bottles, to my surprise, and need I say delight, I experienced a decided relief. Continuing its use, after taking four bottles, I find myself perfectly cured, and to-day am as well as ever in my life. Of the sores which covered my body, only the scars remain to testify of the efficacy of the Rheumatic Syrup. As a blood purifier and a rheumatic cure it has no equal.

Dexter Hogan.

Indian Names in Wisconsin.

Our readers are aware that most of the names of places in this vicinity are derived from the Indian tongue, some of them having been altered somewhat for the sake of euphony, as, for instance, Peshtigo for Pe-shet-i-go. We interviewed our old friend Captain Powell, the other day, who is well along in years, and was born here, and is almost as familiar with the Indian language as the Indians themselves, and he gave us the following as the significations of some of the names of the places in this vicinity:

Suamico—The yellow sand.
Oconto—The place of the pickerel.
Peusaukee—The place of the brants.
Peshtigo—Snapping turtle.
Menominee—Wild rice.
Menekaune—The place where the lodges are; literally, the village.
Escanaba—A flat rock.
Manitowoc—The dwelling of the spirit.
Kewaunee—The name of a kind of duck.

Thus it will be seen that the Indians named places after some peculiarity of the location; or, as in the case of Manitowoc, after some superstition. Most of the American names are utterly meaningless, as applied to the locality, and we like the Indian plan the best.

Take for instance, Appleton, Seymour, New London, Preble, etc., which convey no idea whatever. Bellevue is better, but it is French, and is duplicated in other languages, as, for instance, Buena Vista, in Spanish. Fond du Lac is good and conveys an idea.

Oshkosh perpetuates the name of an Indian chief, and Marinette that of an Indian woman and both are very good.—*Green Bay Advocate.*

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A Primitive Tribe

Dr. Hunter describes a peculiar tribe in India which has preserved an extreme primitiveness. The people are called Leaf Wearers, because they wear the costume of Adam and Eve before the fall; or, more strictly speaking, they did so until the English persuaded them to adopt cloth.

In 1871 the English officer called together the clan, and after a speech handed out strips of cotton for the women to put on. They then passed in single file to the number of 1,903 before him, made obeisance to him, and were afterward marked on the forehead with vermillion as a sign of their entering into civilized society. Finally, they gathered the bunches of leaves which had formed their sole clothing into a great heap, and solemnly set fire to it. This leaf-wearing tribe had no knowledge of the metals till quite lately, when foreigners came among them, and no word existed in their native language for iron or any other metal. But their country abounds in flint weapons, so that the Juangs form a remnant to our own day of the stone age. "Their huts," writes the officer who knows them best, "are among the smallest that human beings ever deliberately constructed as dwellings. They measure about six feet by eight feet. The head of the family and all the females huddle together in this one shell, not much larger than a dog kennel." The boys and the young men of the village live in one large building apart by themselves; and this custom of having a common abode for the whole male youth of the hamlet is found among many aboriginal tribes in distant parts of India.

son who wants to buy a bead belt?"
How much do you generally give to a person who wants to buy a bead belt?"

Charles Lamb was once called upon to say grace. "Is there no minister present?" "No," was the answer. "Then let us thank God," replied the humorist.

French merchants are more fine in their dealings than those of any other nation.—[Yonkers Gazette. Yes, but American merchants have more cents.—[Bloomington Eye.

"Once upon a time" a man met an old woman in an English town driving several asses. "Adieu, mother of asses," said he. "Adieu, my son," was the old woman's reply.

Without wishing to encourage the world in gabble, we may state the goldenness of silence is over-estimated. The mute, inglorious oyster is always getting into broils, stews and hot water.

Breaking an awkward silence—Mrs. Monkeyne Smart (suddenly, to bashful youth, who has not opened his lips since he was introduced to her a quarter of an hour ago)—"And now let us talk of something else!"

Proprietry—Light-minded young thing in a bathing suit: "Surely, Aunt Margaret, you're not going to wear your spectacles into the water?" Aunt M.: "Indeed I am. Nothing shall induce me to take off another thing."

A London tourist met a young woman going to the kirk, and, as was not unusual, she was carrying her boots in her hand, trudging along barefoot. "My girl," he said, "'tis it customary for all the people in these parts to go barefoot?" "Partly they do," and pattly they mind their own business."

A female applicant for aid, appeared at the office of the Director of the Poor, in Detroit the other day, with a sad and anxious look, and on being asked what she wanted replied, "I'd like some money." "How much?" "Well, I can't say exactly. How much do you generally give to a person who wants to buy a bead belt?"

Cured My Wife's Weakness.

From Evansville, Ind., the home of our correspondent, Mr. Jno. R. Patterson, comes the following: "Samaritan Nervine cured my wife of a case of female weakness." It's an extract from Mr. Patterson's letter. $1.50.

Observe the Birthdays.

Let the birthday of each member of the family be always remembered when it comes. Let there be something a little out of the ordinary routine in the arrangement of the table; cookies fashioned as Johnny likes them best; one of Frank's favorite plum puddings, or Julia's special liking, a loaf of ginger cake; or a wonderful lemon pie, such as only mamma can make.

Then there must be presents. Sometimes people may think they cannot be afforded; but reflect. The little one needs shoes, dresses, aprons and many other things. Purchase one or more for the birthday. It will seem just as much present to the recipients as though they were not obliged to have it.

Next come school-books and story-books, a set of furs or a pair of skates, (should the birthday occur in the winter,) a pretty little dinner-basket, or, if the parents can afford it, a little gold band for one of the white fingers, a necklace, a watch with a shining chain, or the pony that has been wished for so long.

Encourage the little ones in giving to each other, and also remember father and mother's birthday; believe me, it will be bread cast on the waters; the days will only be a few ere some returns, and there will be a never-failing supply of pleasure as long as you and your children live.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 25, 1883.

Vennor predicts a warm winter but the beavers predict a cold one.

Political orators have a hard row to hoe this year. They talk for nothing and board themselves.

The Republican party is sadly in need of a leader. The Democracy is oppressed with too many of them.

Absence from home and a pressure of other business compel us to defer our fourth vacation letter until next week.

Ben Butler is stirring up the old Bay State clear down to the bottom. The war cry of the opposition is "Butler must go."

Dakota is putting on a good many airs for a territory. It has two capitals and seeks admission into the Union as two states.

The effort to revive the negro question on account of the Civil Rights bill decision will prove a failure. That issue is as dead as a mackerel.

Ohio is getting settled down again but there is no peace. The ladies now claim that the prohibition amendment was counted out by fraud.

How would Cleveland and Hoadly do for a presidential ticket? They are both able men, and the leaders of the political revolution in their respective states.

The majority for Gov. Sherman of Iowa has been cut down by the official returns to about 5,500 over all. Iowa was formerly good for 70,000 Republican majority.

Wm. H. Vanderbilt had a collision with another rig in the Central Park the other day and narrowly escaped serious injury. He was likely more of a bear that day than he wished to be.

The decision of the U. S. Supreme Court on the Civil Rights bill is of no practical consequence. The colored man will continue to enjoy his civil and political rights the same as he has done.

The students' lecture association of the University have engaged Senator Daniel W. Voorhees, Henry W. Watterson, Moses Coit Tyler, Emory Storrs, and Rev. T. Dewitt Talmage for lectures during the coming winter.

"Can a man marry his deceased wife's sister in any part of America?" asks "Inquirer" of a contemporary. To which the legal minded editor promptly replied: "Not unless the sister is willing, and as a general thing she isn't. She knows him too well.

In an eastern city the other day a groom of seventy led to the altar a blushing widow of fifty-two. After the ceremony some one suggested a little Sunday School music and the company sang with much enthusiasm, "What shall the harvest be?"

The complete returns from the Ohio election gives Hoadley 12,529 majority. The Prohibition amendment was defeated by 80,000 in a total poll of 721,464. Although defeated the vote in its favor was large enough to be an eye-opener, nevertheless.

The official figures from the Ohio election are as follows: Total vote cast 721,464. The total vote for President in 1880 was 724,967. Garfield's majority that year was 34,227. Hoadley's majority this year is 12,529. The Democratic majority in the legislature is 26.

John Sherman says the republican defeat in Ohio was owing to prohibitory agitation and the reduction of the tariff on wool. He believes Ohio will give a good majority for the National republican ticket next year, and a republican president will be elected.

The Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity held its annual convention last week with the Omicron chapter at Ann Arbor. It was largely attended and was a great success. The convention went to Detroit on the second day by special train, had a ride on the Detroit river and a banquet at the Russell house in the evening. Addresses were made by Hon. Samuel F. Hunt, of Cincinnati, and Hon. Frank H. Hurd, of Toledo.

A DETECTIVE'S EXPERIENCE.

His Successful Undertaking and Escape from an Impending Fate.

(Buffalo N. Y., News.)

One morning, several years ago, just as the dull gray light was beginning to show itself in the east, a small band of men might have been seen deployed about a house on Ferry street, in Buffalo. There was nothing special either in the dress or appearance of the men to indicate their intention, but it was plain that they had business of importance on hand. Suddenly a man appeared at one of the windows, took in the situation at a glance, and swinging himself outward with wonderful quickness, scaled the roof of the house. This man was Tom Ballard, the notorious counterfeiter; and, armed to the teeth and fully realizing his situation he defied justice and the officials below him. Some of the officers, knowing the desperate character of the man, proposed to shoot him until he was killed, but one of the number promptly protested, and declared if his brother officers would assist him to ascend he would capture the man alive. Accordingly he began the difficult and dangerous task, and succeeded in bringing his prisoner to the ground in safety.

The man who accomplished this task was Mr. Thomas Curtin, the present superintendent of city police of Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Curtin is a man who is known by every prominent detective and policeman in America, and he stands pre-eminently in the front rank of his profession. Quiet and gentlemanly in appearance and manners, he possesses a courage combined with marked physical powers, that make him the terror of evil doers, and the pride of law abiding citizens. Few people can realize, however, the trials, exposures, and even privations, to which the members of every municipal police and fire department are exposed. Compelled to be on duty at uncertain hours, subjected to the most inclement weather, and often necessitated by the nature of their duties to protracted undertakings, they endure a nervous and physical strain that is terrible. Such was the experience of Mr. Curtin in former days; and it was not surprising that he found himself suffering from a mysterious physical trouble. In relating his experience to a representative of this paper he said:

"At times when I was on duty I would feel an unaccountable weariness and lack of energy. My appetite was also uncertain and my head seemed dull and heavy. I did not fully understand these troubles, but supposed, as most people suppose, that I was suffering from malaria. I tried to throw off the feeling, but it would not go. I thought I might overcome it, but found I was mistaken, and I finally became so badly off that it was almost impossible to attend to my duties. I have known any number of men in the police and fire departments of this country who have been afflicted as I was, and I doubt not there are to-day hundreds similarly troubled who, like myself, did not know the cause, or really what ailed them."

"Your present appearance, Mr. Curtin, does not indicate much physical debility," said the interviewer, as he looked at the 220 pounds of bone and muscle standing nearly five feet eleven inches in height before him.

"O, no; that is altogether a thing of the past, and I am happy to say that for more than a year I have enjoyed almost perfect health, although I now realize that I was on the road to certain death by Bright's disease of the kidneys, and traveling at a very rapid pace."

"How did you come to recover so completely?"

"That is just what I want to tell you, for I believe it may be of great service to many others in my profession, who may possibly hear of it. I began the use of a popular remedy at the earnest solicitations of a number of friends in this city, and found to my great gratification that I began feeling better. This feeling continued and I gained in strength and vigor until now I am perfectly well—and wholly through the instrumentality of Warner's Safe Cure which I believe to be the best medicine for policemen, firemen, railroad men or any other class of people exposed to danger or a change of weather, ever discovered. Since my recovery I have recommended it everywhere, and never knew a case where it failed either to cure or benefit. I would not be without it under any consideration, and I am positive it is a wonderfully valuable and at the same time entirely harmless remedy. Indeed, I see that Dr. Gunn, dean of the United States Medical College of New York, indorses it in the highest terms."

"So you experience little difficulty in the execution of your duties now, Mr. Curtin, do you?"

"None whatever. Our department was never in better condition than at present."

"And do you never have any fear of the desperadoes whom you have been the means of bringing to justice?"

"Not in the least. Such men do not try to retaliate, partially because they have not the courage, but oftener because they respect an officer who does his duty."

The policemen, firemen, letter carriers and other public employees in this country have a particularly trying life. When, therefore, a simple and pure remedy that can restore and sustain the health of all such men is found, it should be cause for great congratulation, especially when recommended by such a man as Superintendent Thomas Curtin of Buffalo.

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NOTICE. My wife, Harriett I. Kelley, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all persons are hereby forbidden to harbor or trust her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.
WASH. KELLEY.
Macon, October 14th, 1883.

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Gainsley & Co. present their fall announcement in this week's paper. People who are on the lookout for bargains should not miss reading it.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

MANCELONA, Oct., 13, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

Will you allow me a little space in your paper to say a few words in regard to this part of Michigan. When I left Ridgeway one year ago I promised to write and let some of them know how I liked the country. I like it. It is a good section for anyone who has not got much money. Anyone who has got enough to make a payment on 40 acres of land, and put up a small house can soon have a home of his own. There are railroad lands to be had for $9 per acre around here just as good as any land in the state and I think that Michigan is as good a state as any in the Union. I find men here who have been in Kansas and Iowa and I might say that I am acquainted with men from nine or ten different states and they all unite in saying that Michigan is the best place for a poor man who wants to make a home for himself. We can raise all kinds of fruit and grain and in fact we have as good a farming country as any that the sun shines on. We have also good markets for all that we can raise, only for wheat there is little market. Mancelona is going to be a great manufacturing town. There are several manufacturing companies here now and more coming. There is the Mancelona broom handle factory, and the Mancelona iron furnace, which is being built again after being burned down last spring. Both of these concerns make a market for the beech and maple and other woods with which the country abounds. In my next I will tell more about the village of Mancelona.
MATTHEW BOYD.

THE COUNTY PIONEER MEETING.

On the 17th inst. the Lenawee Co. Pioneer Society held their annual session in the village of Fairfield. At nine o'clock in the forenoon people began to arrive and by eleven o'clock the Christian church where the exercises were held was filled to overflowing. Good marshal music was furnished by a band of 12 instruments. The meeting was called to order by the president, F. A. Dewey, who delivered a short address of welcome.—The choir sang an appropriate selection, followed by prayer from Editor Allen, of Morenci. Reading of the by-laws followed and then music. A poem written by Mrs. R. Whitney, of Adrian, was then read. The memorial record was then read which contained the names of 151 pioneers who have left us during the past year.—Their combined ages were 10,784 yrs. being an average age of 71 years and 5 months. The oldest among them was Margaret Powell, of Seneca, aged 103 years. The company then adjourned for dinner which had been prepared by the ladies. At two o'cl'k P. M. the meeting was again called to order. The committee on nominations reported the following officers who were elected:

President—F. A. Dewey.
Vice President—Geo. W. Moore.
Secretary—E. D. Allen.
Treasurer—F. R. Stebbins.
Ex. Com.—D. D. Sinclair, W. Montgomery, Chas. Mitchell, Thomas McComb, Orson Green.

H. H. Pratt read a historical sketch of the town of Fairfield, and short addresses were made by several others. Among the relics exhibited was a two gallon jug over one hundred years old, which had passed through the revolution. In revolutionary times it was used as a rum jug but it now wears the red ribbon. The meeting throughout was a great success. At least four hundred pioneers were in attendance.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 25, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

When does a hen become a rooster? When she retires at night.

A tramp recently sent to jail at Marshall for vagrancy, stated that he had traveled all the way from Colorado for 75 cents.

It is stated that the 50 invited guests at the Wright house opening at Alma, Gratiot county, recently, represented not less than $40,000,000 capital.

The New York Produce Exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade are taking steps in earnest to equip a new telegraph line from New York to Chicago.

Thimble-riggers have been rigging the ladies of Adrian. Two spruce looking young men go around pleading poverty and sell five cent washed thimbles at fifty cents.

Miss Cora Howlett, of Niles, and Miss Mattie Graves, of Cambridge cousins of Misses Annie and Carrie Powers, have been visiting at Mrs. Power's residence for a few days.

The ballasting gangs of Italians at work on the M. & O. road are getting to be a first-class nuisance. Lock your chicken houses and put a few blind cartridges in your wood pile.

Mattie Vickers made many friends here last Thursday evening in the leading role of 'Paste and Diamonds.' In arranging her route for another season we hope she will keep Tecumseh in mind.

Michigan Farmer: The editors of the Clinton News and the Carson City Record claim to have banqueted on ripe strawberries in the current month. It is evident that neither of them believe in a hereafter.

Saginaw is going to have a new daily paper. H. N. Mather, formerly of the Flint Democrat, will undertake the management of it at the earnest solicitation of a large number of the solid business men of the city.

John R. Clark commences an engagement this week of five nights in Rochester, N. Y. He will give his "To and Fro in London" the 240th time. He will be in this vicinity again the first week in November.

Last Tuesday while Giles Turner was driving across the railroad track at Slayton & Sons warehouse, one of his horses was struck by a hand car and broke his leg. The horse was shot soon after to end its sufferings.

Slayton & Kinney are home again, having bought one of the largest stocks of fine furniture ever brought to this county. When they get moved into the Cotton store on the corner they propose to have a grand opening.

Judge Howell officially announces the following terms of court in the First Judicial Circuit for 1884 and 1885. Lenawee county—third Tuesday in January; first Tuesday in April; first Tuesday in September; second Tuesday in November.

There will be a special communication of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., on Friday evening, Oct. 26th, for work in the M. M. degree. A full attendance of the members is requested. By order of
P. J. FARLEY, W.M.
J. R. HIALEY, Sec.

Adrian Record: Oatmeal is said to be an excellent means of improving the skin. Do not take it internally but make a paste, daub it on the face, go to bed, allow it to dry and chip it off the next morning with a broadaxe. This is for ladies. We have it on the authority of the Morenci Observer. The editor tried it.

We find the following item in the Richmond, Ind., Palladium:

Fred. Morley, a civil engineer in the employ of the Mississippi river commission, has been the guest of Dr. E. Test for the past four days. Mr. Morley is an engineer of much promise, his work last year having received high commendation from his superior officer. The fall work on the "Father of Waters" begins to-day.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. has just finished a large order of very fine work for two large residences which has been shipped south. The work is the finest ever gotten up in this section, all the doors being made of oak on one side and butternut on the other. The concern has also nearly finished all the depot material for the M. & O. R. R.

Justice Burridge accomplished land office business last Tuesday, and in consequence Wm. Cupples got 90 days in the Detroit house of correction, disorderly person. David Mehans 40 days in the county jail for assault during the burning of the boarding car last Friday night; and one Karns $15 and costs for kicking in Michael Wilson's door.

"Billy" Lehr started away very unceremoniously yesterday, stopped at Manchester and was married last evening to Miss Libbie Lehn, of the latter place. Billy has lived in Tecumseh for the last three or four years, is well known here and respected by every one. Miss Lehn is a sister of Mrs. Wm. Arnold and one of Manchester's fairest daughters. We wish the happy couple all success.

Anna Dickinson and her dramatic company are stranded in Detroit. The ladies of that city will give her a benefit soon.

L. F. Wheeler has returned from his first trip out with "Illuminated Rambles" which resulted successfully. He will try larger towns next time, and is now arranging for a series of his lectures in Detroit.

Mr. C. R. Henry, a whilom resident of Macon, and correspondent of the HERALD gave us a call last Thursday. He is now a resident of Au Sable, and is prosecuting attorney of Iosco Co. He and his wife started on a trip to New Orleans and other southern cities and on the way gave their old friends in Macon a call.

Chicago Inter Ocean: A very pleasant wedding was celebrated at the bride's sister's, Mrs. Lewis W. Zeliff, No. 808 Hubbard street, at noon Wednesday. The contracting parties were Mr. Chas. T. Elliott, of the Custom House, and Miss Minnie K. Spalding. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry B. Ensworth, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. Only the immediate relatives of the bride were present. The happy couple at once departed for Detroit, Canada, and other eastern points for a honeymoon trip of about ten days.

A MODEL ESTABLISHMENT.

We paid a visit to the new and extensive establishment of S. W. Temple, whose main office is situated on Shawnee street a few rods west of the railroad, a few days ago, and was surprised at the extent thereof. His new brick planing mill and sash, door and blind factory, situate in the rear of his main office, is without doubt the most complete establishment in southern Michigan, without an exception. Here he has all the latest and most approved machinery for doing the business. No old style, worn out machines but those that will do the work of three or four of the old styles in a superior manner, and by saving the handling of the lumber three or four times he is enabled to do work at a less price than other establishments. He is now building a number of sheds near his mill to store lumber and his yards are now receiving a full line of lumber adapted to the wants of the people of this vicinity, and no man knows what those wants are better than S. W. Temple. In connection with his other business he also handles hard and soft coal of the best quality and sells it at the lowest possible figures. He has just put in near his office a fine pair of Howe's celebrated scales and his customers can rely on receiving 2,000 pounds for a ton every time. He has a side track of the L. S. & M. S. railroad within a few feet of his factory, lumber yard and coal bins, and thus saves the expense of handling and carting. If you have a large job of building or a small job of repairing be sure to call on Temple and get his figures before purchasing elsewhere.

THE LENAWEE COUNTY POOR.

Synopsis of the Annual Report of the Superintendent Thereof.

The Superintendents of the poor for Lenawee county have made their annual report to the board of supervisors. During the year ending with the 30th ult., 102 persons have been aided at the poor house, of which number 56 are still its inmates. During that time five deaths and two births have occurred in the house. The current expenses of the house have been as follows:

Building horse barn	$ 503 50
Repairs on house and engine	81 62
Paid county physician	195 00
Paid for labor on farm	182 73
Paid for whitewashing	25 00
Paid for farm implements	10 00
Paid for furniture	16 00
Paid keeper's salary	1200 00
Paid for supplies	1380 81
Paid for stock	29 00
Total expenditure	$3566 66

Products from county farm and all other credits, $1,111.45.

The actual amount expended at the county house, as stated in the report, less the permanent improvements, stock purchased, and credits, is $1,893.71.

During the past year there have been raised on the farm 425 bushels of wheat, 367 bushels of oats, 400 bushels of potatoes, 2000 bushels of corn (in ear), 20 tons of hay, and 10 bushels of clover seed. In addition to this the garden, poultry, and herd of ten cows produced $500. Thirty acres of wheat have been sown this fall.

There are now on the farm horses, cattle and hogs, to the value of $1,078.

The disbursements for temporary relief in the city for the year have been as follows: For supplies, $4,518.16; to supervisors, $344.75; for medical services, $199.00. The following disbursements for temporary relief in the county, have been made: For supplies, $5,174.45; to supervisors, $252.75; for medical services, $748.94.

Twenty-two insane persons have been supported for the past year at the Eastern Michigan asylum at a cost of $3,645.63. For the transportation of paupers there has been paid $130.80; the "tramp account" amounts to $206.10, and $52.83 has also been paid for office rent, fuel, etc.

The total amount expended during the year was $14,565.44, and the superintendents recommend that $14,000 be raised for the support of the poor during the ensuing year.

The Blissfield village council laid out a village drain the other day, which was to cross the property of W. A. Clark, but no arrangements for the right of way were made with Mr. Clark. When the workmen arrived at Mr. Clark's property they were not allowed to proceed, and a law suit will probably be the result.

An exchange observes that the greediest man after a newspaper is the one who is too mean to subscribe. He is always in waiting for the latest paper, and it is not two minutes on the owners premises when the non-subscriber pounces upon it, and never lets up till the last line is read and then casts it aside with the remark that he could make a better paper himself.

The annual field day of the athletic association of the University will be held Oct. 27; program as follows: Ten-mile walk, catch-as-catch-can wrestling, hop, skip and jump, throwing base ball, boxing heavy weight, standing broad jump, mile walk, half-mile bicycle race, mile run, lawn tennis, light weight boxing, three-legged race, single stick, tug of war, '86 vs. '87, 100 yards dash, collar-and-elbow wrestling, drop kick, Indian club swinging, quarter-mile run, fancy bicycling, clay pigeon shooting.

A member of the executive committee of the Detroit Art Loan who visited the Art Department of Chicago on Friday, telegraphed to General Secretary Farnsworth that he had secured $100,000 worth of paintings to be exhibited in Detroit at the Art Loan. Among them is a $25,000 Bougereau, a $10,000 Messionier, a $20,000 Fortuny, a $10,000 Van Marcke, a $10,000 Michelti, and two originals by Dore, besides twenty-four others of great merit. These will be an invaluable addition to the already grand display of artistic treasures in the Art Loan.

A MOUSE IN THE PASTE CUP.

Strange things happened in our sanctum last Monday evening. A few of the boys had gathered in the counting room after supper. Harry was posting his cash account, John was examining the last order for cigar boxes, Peeler was devouring the last number of Peck's Sun, and Billy was testing the merits of a new brand of smoking tobacco, when a gentle rustle was heard proceeding from the editorial room. They all listened and the noise was soon repeated. They decided upon a reconnoissance in force to ferret out the cause of the mystery, and upon arriving upon the scene a big mouse was found revelling in the paste pot. It was evident that something must be done, and be done at once. All the paste in the establishment was in that cup. Tuesday was the day for setting up poetry and miscellany, and the editor could'nt run the office without paste. So John clapped his hat over the cup and held his ratship a prisoner until some method could be devised to dispatch him. One man suggested the borrowing of a rat trap and putting the mouse in it; another suggested roasted cheese; another recommended chloroform; another allowed that "Rough on Rats" was a sure cure. By this time the trouble had attracted the attention of outsiders and a number of good little boys had assembled to see the show. But amid the multitude of counsel nothing was done. A telephone dispatch was then sent to the editor at his residence, asking his advice in the emergency. The reply was returned, "eat him." But no one craved the job. There was'nt a Chinaman in the crowd. Accordingly lots were drawn, and the long straw was taken by Bobby Roper, a darkey boy about ten years old and as black as the ace of spades. At first Bobby demurred, but the crowd appealed to his sense of manliness and honor and he finally consented. "Dis chile neber eat no mice befo'," said he, "but dat mouse can't taste no wusser dan co'n whiskey or plug terbacker, so here goes, gem'len." Bobby was placed on the table upon his back and then the question arose how to pour the mouse down the boy's throat, and this plan was hit upon: To make a big funnel out of a newspaper, pour the mouse into the big end of the funnel, and insert the small end in the boy's mouth. The mouse would then slide down the funnel and innocently rush to its own destruction. A funnel was made from a copy of the last New York Herald from which had been clipped "An Ode to Autumn" and a recipe for making paste. The hole left by these clippings was not perceived. The cup was turned upside down and the contents emptied into the funnel. The paste gently trickled down into Bobby's throat, while the mouse dropped through the wrong hole and escaped. In the melee the lamp was overturned, some one yelled fire and the crowd dispersed as though they had been shot out of a mortar. Several hats were ruined and some shins were badly battered. Bobby was the last man to escape. He turned on his heel as he left the office and with a broad grin on his face exclaimed: "Gem'len, if yo' want a rat trap wot never misses fiah, jus' peramberlate down to ole man Roper's and call on dis chile. I'll do der business ebery time, ya! ya!"

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Weston will have a bank soon.

The Blissfield Advance wants wood on subscription.

Addison now has a lawyer, John Stewart by name.

The Morenci Observer gives premiums for big potatoes.

The Clinton News last week complains of a dearth of local news.

Mrs. Loomis has opened a millinery and grocery store at Deerfield.

The business men of Morenci are taking hold of the telephone sharply.

Sage's sorghum mill at Pennington's Corners is doing a rushing business now.

The man with the cinnamon bear attended the Pioneer meeting at Fairfield last week.

The annual meeting of the Brooklyn Fair Association will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3d.

The Congregational church of Morenci have hired Rev. Mr. VanAntwerp another year.

The different society goats of Deerfield have recently taken possession of a new lodge room.

Misses Rose Keefer and Nellie McFarland are the janitors of the Morenci schools this year.

The Schermerhorn Bros. are the managers of the Hudson Opera House, and they fill the bill admirably.

Draper's Uncle Tom's Cabin will show in Hudson this week. Why can't some Uncle Tom strike this town?

School Dist. No. 5, of Seneca, has been abolished and the contents scattered around among the adjoining districts.

Lenawee county has more apples than other counties in this part of the state but we only have about one-tenth of a good crop here.

The district lodge of Good Templars meets at Palmyra Nov. 12-14.—An officer of the Grand Lodge is expected to be present. There are now eleven lodges reported in the county. Mr. Geo. Tansley is still the district deputy.

Blissfield Advance: General Bailey, the Salvation Army man, gave us a call the other day. He left a very handsome copy of the bible, which we will be glad to return to him when he calls again.

And so Gen. Bailey has plucked up courage to tackle the editor of the Advance.

Blissfield Advance: The residence of Dr. Levi Vanderburg was entered by burglars through a bay window at 4 o'clock Friday morning. They succeeded in getting a gold pin and a diamond shirt stud from the bedroom, when the Doctor was aroused and the ruffian fled.

Deerfield Record: Messrs. John Long and Lewis Smith went to Adrian, Wednesday, and purchased the furniture for the new Masonic hall, at a cost of $150. It will be one of the best furnished lodge halls in this section, and is to be jointly occupied by the Masons and Odd Fellows, the latter society as renters.

The fact that Judge Geddes had appointed J. M. Robertson as special commissioner to clear out and straighten the Raisin, created considerable excitement at Blissfield and vicinity. As soon as the appointment was made known, some enterprising liar circulated the rumor that "Joe" proposed to cut a huge canal through the big swamp from Raisin to Dundee, through which the waters of the river were to be conducted, thus leaving Palmyra, Blissfield, Deerfield, and Petersburg, with their dams and other river obstructions, completely out in the cold. Although the Raisin does not amount to much, these towns did not want to lose it altogether, and hence the excitement.

The correspondent of the Hudson Post has this to say on the depot question: "The object of interest in Addison the past week has been the depot question, which was intensified to fever heat on Friday last when two car loads of stone were left upon the west side of the pond, evidently for foundation purposes. But the hopes of the west siders had hardly risen within them and taken on a bolsterous form in the shape of bluffs and bets, etc., than the two car loads of stone were pushed over to the east side. As the hopes of the west siders went down the hopes of the east siders arose in corresponding proportion, and as he was about wagering everything down to his old shoes upon the issue, the cars were pushed back upon the west side; and so amid the alternating hopes and fears of Addison those two car loads of stone were tilted back and forth across the bridge until the sun went down. But the depot has at last been actually located upon the east side. They are now surveying, grading, and piling lumber upon that side preparatory to building there. The west siders have not entirely given up, and are endeavoring to bring an influence upon the headquarters of the company strong enough to overcome Mr. Latcha's influence in favor of the east side. Each side accuses the other of an utter disregard of word, faith and honor."

Facts for Consideration.

"Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller, of Adrian, if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machine, and have him take a New Home to their house, then call or drop me a card and I will send you a White or Domestic or both, to be thoroughly tested side by side with said New Home, and if you do not decide that either of my machines is far superior and preferable in every particular, you will not be bored to purchase, we will simply load up and skip out.

The warning "not to be misled," in Mr. Coller's ad. is uncalled for, no attempt has been made in that direction, and furthermore I have no desire whatever to handle the New Home or bogus Singer. I am trying to establish a sewing machine business on a square basis. I have regular prices on the White and Domestic, from which I do no deviate. So you can buy a machine of me with the assurance that no one has bought for less money. I do not sell way down to one and make it up on the customer that will stand it. I am represented on the road by W. H. Moore, a "square toed" man who will not misrepresent or take any advantage of you and who will make as good terms with you as myself. The White and Domestic have no superiors and are the leading machines in this vicinity; therefore I say do not buy any machines without giving them a trial, then you will be prepared to decide intelligently. I have in stock the Chickering, Whitney and Ithaca Duplex Pianos; and Estey, Whitney, Royal Ithaca and Peloubet Organs, which I will sell for cash at Detroit cash prices less freight, and your expenses there and return to find out.
G. P. SPARKS

—That Wilkes-barre coal, sold by S. W. Temple, is the boss coal and don't you forget it for an instant.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machines without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—S. W. Temple sells the justly celebrated Briar Ridge lump coal for grates and kitchen purposes.

—At Coller's Palace of Music, at Adrian, you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call, or drop a postal for prices.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, has returned from New York with all the new styles and novelties in millinery. Hats made over and trimmed in the latest style.

—We are now prepared to make all kinds of mouldings at S. W. Temple's new brick planing mill.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, has reopened her store for the fall and winter trade.

—Mrs. C. M. Webster has moved to the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood, one door west of P. B. Swick, with the other branches of work. Colors hair switches for 25c and does oil stamping on short notice.

—Persons wishing pianos or organs tuned or repaired, by leaving their orders with me may rely on having it well done, as I have arranged with a competent and reliable party in Detroit. He tuned a number of instruments here a short time since, and all parties are well pleased.
G. P. Sparks.

—Custom work done at amazingly low rates at S. W. Temple's new brick mill.

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Mrs. E. Drew, of Chicago, and Mrs. Swhab, of Sandusky, are the guests of Mrs. I. P. Keyser.

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—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

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—Spring Tooth Harrows, at Snedicor's.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, is offering great inducements in millinery and hair goods.

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Is a specific cure for Catarrh, acute or chronic, Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, Snuffles and Sneezing. All Diseases of the Nose are cured without fail by this sovereign remedy. It is the only sure cure for *Hay Fever* and *Rose Cold*.

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Is the most wonderful cough medicine ever prepared. It is a specific cure for Whooping Cough, Bronchial and Winter Cough. It contains no ipecac, tartar emetic, prussic acid, opium or any drug or chemical, being purely vegetable. General directions in 10 languages.

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Half Out of His Head.

"Bless ye for the man," said Don Quixote to Sancho Panza, "who invented sleep." Sancho's gratitude is due, but what if one cannot for any cost secure that excellent invention? "Nervousness is the disease of the age," writes Mr. William Coleman, the well known wholesale druggist of Buffalo, N. Y.

"Out of sorts, and my nights were either passed in that sort of restlessness which nearly drives a man, or in a kind of stupor haunted by horrible dreams. Having taken Parker's Tonic for other troubles, I tried it also for this. The result both surprised and delighted me. My nights were turned to concert pitch, and, like a school-boy again, I fell into the ranks of those who sleep o' nights. I should add that the Tonic has driven away with the weakness of general debility and dyspepsia, occasioned by my nervous sleeplessness, and gave me strength and spirits. In brief the use of the Tonic has completely reestablished my health. I have used Parker's Tonic with entire success for sea-sickness and for the bowel disorders incident to foreign voyages."

This preparation, which has been known as Parker's Ginger Tonic, will hereafter be advertised and sold simply under the name of Parker's Tonic, omitting the word ginger. Hiscox & Co. have deemed it wise to make this change by the advice of unprincipled dealers who have for years deceived their customers by substituting inferior preparations under the name of ginger. We drop the misleading word all the more willingly, as it is an unimportant flavoring ingredient of Parker's Tonic.

This change however in the preparation itself, and all bottles remaining in the hands of dealers wrapped under the name of Parker's Ginger Tonic contain the genuine medicine if the signature of Hiscox & Co., is on the bottle, and the red-lettered wrapper.

Did She Die?

No.

She lingered and suffered along
Losing away all the time for years,
The doctors doing her no good
And at last was cured by this Hop Bitters
So the papers say so much about
"Indeed! Indeed!"
How thankful we should be for
"the medicine."

A Daughter's Misery.

Seven years our daughter suffered on a bed of misery.

From a complication of kidney, liver, rheumatic trouble and nervous debility.

Under the care of the best physicians.

Was given her disease various names.

"Incurable."

Is now she is restored to usual good health by a simple remedy as Hop Bitters, that we had taken for years before using it. "THE PARENTS."

Father is Getting Well.

We daughters say:

"How much better father is since he took Hop Bitters."

"He is getting well after a long suffering from a disease believed incurable."

"And we are so glad that we took your Big Bottle of Hop Bitters."

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TECUMSEH, - MICHIGAN.

A Regular "D. B."

Not long ago a well-known newspaper man took day board at the Sherman House, says the Chicago *Times*. He was at home in the place, and was a privileged character. One day he sauntered behind the office counter into the regions that are supposed to be sacred to gentlemen who wear diamonds and address congressmen, governors, tourists, porters, newsboys and other statesmen by their first names, when his eye happened to catch sight of his own name on a slip with others over the book-keeper's desk. He would not have given it a passing thought had not the letters "D. B." been attached. He "flew off the handle" on the instant, and demanded an interview with the proprietor. That august functionary was found, and to him the irate journalist addressed a few remarks. "Do I owe you anything?" he asked. "No, sir," was the prompt reply. "I have paid my bills all right so far as you know, haven't I?" "Certainly. I have no complaint to make."

"Then why do you permit your clerk to post me over his desk as a 'D. B.?'"

"I do not; there must be some mistake."

The journalist assured him that there was no mistake, and that he had seen the objectionable and significant letters with his own eyes. The more he thought of it the madder he got. The proprietor could not pacify him until he promised to have the matter investigated and the guilty man punished. It was found that the night clerk had perpetrated the outrage, and that evening the injured citizen took an early opportunity to take him to task. "What did you mean by putting 'D. B.' after my name?" inquired the newspaper man. "O, go away," he replied, thinking his interlocutor was "chaffing," as was his custom "don't bother me." "No, I won't go away and I demand a civil answer to my question."

The clerk looked up and saw an angry man in front of him. Then his countenance was suddenly bisected by a grin, and he doubled up like a man with the colic. "You took day-board, didn't you?" he inquired, as soon as he regained his composure. "Yes, I did, and I have paid for all the day-board I have enjoyed." "So you have," was the soothing response, "but just come around here a minute, till I show you something. You see you are in good company. You are an associate of several millionaires and railroad magnates. They are each and every one designated the same way. 'D. B.' That is short for 'day-board. Regular boarders are marked 'R. B.'"

The journalist spent a week's salary trying to bribe his audience with liquid nourishment to keep still, but like all good things the joke leaked.

All weakness and ill health owes its origin to an impure state of the blood and a weakness of the urinary and digestive organs. A medicine that will strengthen these organs, and at the same time purify the blood, will assist nature in curing nearly every disease that human flesh and blood is heir to. Such a remedy is Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and, although it possesses no cathartic or diuretic effect, its use will soon establish a regular habit of body as well as cure weakness of the kidneys, indicated by urinary sediments, nervousness, etc.

Japanese Life.

The Japanese is the cleanest of mankind. Cleanliness is, so to speak, more than godliness with him. Though he has no soap, he washes all over at least once a day—he worships but once a week. His candles are made of vegetable wax. He uses a cotton coverlet, well stuffed and padded, for bed covering and mattress. A sort of stereoscope case—made of wood—makes his pillow. He resorts to that, and so does his wife and daughters, that their carefully arranged hair may not be disturbed during sleep. No head-covering is used by the Japanese. No nation dresses the hair so tastefully. Usually, it is with the men dressed in sections. They are coming now to wear in European fashion. They are adopting all European customs.

On Levee day I saw the reception at the Mikado's palace in Yeddo. Every one presented had to come in full dress. The dress does not become the Japanese figure. He looks awkward in it. His legs are too short. The tails of his claw-hammer coat drag on the ground, and the black dress trousers wrinkle up and get baggy around his feet. His European-fashioned clothes are taken out ready-made from America or England, and in no case did I notice anything approaching to a good fit. Yet he smiled and looked very happy though he could not get his heels half way down his Wellington boots, and his pants were either too large or too small for his legs. He always smiles and looks pleasant. Nothing can make him grumble, and he is not learned to swear. He is satisfied to be paid his due, and never asks for more. As a New York cabman he would be a failure, being curiously

A remedy that has proven itself a never failing cure for scrofula and all syphilitic disorders must quickly cure less terrible blood diseases. Dr Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla is such a perfect blood purifier and strengthener of bodily functions that it cures the above diseases even when Hot Springs and all other treatment has failed. Remember it is absolutely free from mineral poisons, and will not injure the most delicate constitution. Its use will make you feel buoyant, strong and well, and will rid your system of all blood impurities, and every internal and external indication of disease.

THE MODEST FATHER.—"Father," began a young Detroiter the other evening, "were you in the war?"

"Yes, my son."

"Was it awful?"

"Yes."

"Lots of dead and wounded men?"

"Yes."

"Did you kill many?"

"Well, I shouldn't like to answer that question."

"Are you very modest, pa?"

"I hope I am too modest to brag."

"That was what Mr. Smith meant, then, when he was telling the men down at the drug store that you hadn't any war record to brag of."

"He did, eh? Smith is a liar!"

"That's what I thought. He told the men that you run so fast he couldn't catch you on horseback, and any boy knows that a horse can catch a man with a stiff knee."

North Pole Expeditions.

Prize fights, lotteries, walking matches, and balloon ascensions, are usually humbugs of the worst sort. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is not a humbug. It is a quick cure for aches and sprains, and is just as good for a lameness.

Scientific Notes.

The human body is seven-eighths water. The blood is mostly water. All the tissues owe their softness to it, and even the bones have a share of this fluid. No organ of the body could perform its duty, nor could life be sustained without it. Alcohol burns up the water, diseases and destroys the body.

An iron rail properly made, it is said, will last as long as those of steel. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road near Dayton has in use iron rails placed there thirty-one years ago which are yet in fair condition. They were made at Johnston, Pa., and the order required that they should be the best possible to be made. It is said to be a fact that no iron rails are made nowadays which would endure an equal amount of traffic for thirty years.

Denmark has lately acquired a torpedo boat which is pronounced in England, where it was made, the largest afloat. Her displacement is fifty-five tons and her armament comprises four of the largest Whitehead torpedoes, each carrying eighty pounds of gun-cotton and a Hotchkiss revolving gun. She has a coal capacity of ten tons, which is equivalent to 1,200 miles at eleven knots, but her full speed is twenty knots. Despite her great size, the boat is capable of transportation by rail.

In a paper read before the British Medical Association, Dr. J. Hadden objects to the treatment of fevers by immersing the patient in cold baths for the purpose of directly abstracting heat. He says the theory upon which such treatment is advocated is incorrect. The high temperature is not itself the cause of the worst symptoms of fevers. Furthermore he declares that in practice such treatment is dangerous, and that the only safe way of using baths in fevers is by sponging the surface with moderately cold water. Even tepid or warm water will exert a cooling and soothing effect. The immersion method is too shocking.

Professor Donders, long known as the most distinguished oculist in Holland, recently delivered a lecture in Amsterdam, on color, which has been widely quoted. After an elaborate experimental analysis of various popular notions on the subject in hand, Professor Donders proceeded to demonstrate that, notwithstanding the prevailing theory, green must be ranked with the primitive colors, like red, blue, and yellow. Green, the Professor explained could not be produced by mixing pure yellow and blue—such a composition would be white, in the very nature of things. The green color which is apparently derived from the mixture or amalgamation of two paints is, in reality, says Professor Donders, the result of "subtraction."

It is well to know the best remedy for coughs and colds, soreness of the throat and lungs, consumption and all pulmonary diseases, is Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. It quickly allays inflammation and checks decay.

Changes of a Century

The nineteenth century has witnessed many and very great discoveries and changes:

In 1809 Fulton took out his first patent for the invention of a steamboat.

The first steamships which made regular trips across the Atlantic ocean were the Sirius and Great Western in 1830.

The first public application to practical use of gas for illumination was made in 1802.

In 1813 the streets of London were for the first time lighted with gas.

In 1813 there was built in Waltham, Mass., a mill, believed to have been the first in the world which combined all the requirements for making finished cloth from the raw cotton.

In 1790 there were only twenty-five post-offices in the whole country, and up to 1837 the rate of postage was 25 cents for a letter sent over 400 miles.

In 1807 wooden clocks began to be made by machinery. This ushered in the era of cheap clocks.

About the year 1833 the first railroad of any considerable length in the United States was constructed.

In 1840 the first experiments in photography were made by Daguerre.

About 1840 the first express business was established.

The anthracite coal business may be said to have begun in 1820.

In 1836 the patent for the invention of matches was granted.

Steel pens were introduced for use in 1803.

The first successful trial of a reaper took place in 1833.

In 1846 Elias Howe obtained a patent for his first sewing machine.

Absolutely the best Porous Plaster ever made, The Hop Plaster is composed of Fresh Hops, Balsams and Gums. Weak Back, Side Ache, Sore Chest, and all pains are speedily cured by its use. Apply one. Only 25 cts., at any drug store.

The Model Farm.

The Keota (Iowa) *Eagle* has at last found a western man who is satisfied with a fifty acre farm. His name is Artemus Fisher, and he lives one mile and a half south of Keota. The *Eagle* tells the story of his management and of his success as follows:

He keeps one team of horses, three first class cows, and a nice little drove of the best hogs. He milks his cows for the creamery, and they made him nearly $200 last year; will perhaps do better this year. He will sell $500 worth of hogs this year, and have thirty stockers to keep over. He has $200 worth of flax-seed to sell; has an abundance of hay and grain to keep his stock in first-class condition during the winter. He keeps everything in apple-pie order about his farm; his cows revel in clover up to their eyes; he attends to feeding, watering and milking as regularly as the clock strikes, hence he gets the best results with the least possible feed. He keeps his stock under cover, and never allows any animal to shiver in the fence corners. He has a barn that is a model of convenience and economy. It is snow-proof, and as warm as the old kitchen. He has a first-class selection of fruit—not a large orchard, but a choice selection of the varieties that thrive and bear the best in this locality. Everything about the farm bears marks of intelligence, thrift and economy. Besides making a living for himself and the "old lady," he will sell at least $800 worth of stuff off his fifty acres this year, and not be exceeding former years either. There is no rush or hurry about this model farm. Everything goes off quietly and regularly. The expenses are very small and the gains sure.

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I have been very sick over two yrs. They all gave me up as past cure. I tried the most skillful physicians, but they did not reach the worst part.—The lungs and heart would fill up every night and distress me and my throat was very bad. I told my children that I should never die in peace until I had tried Hop Bitters. I have taken two bottles. They have helped me very much indeed. I am now well. There was a lot of sick folks here who have seen how they helped me, and they used them and are cured, and feel as thankful as I do that there is so valuable medicine made.
Mrs. Julia G. Cushing.

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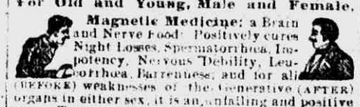

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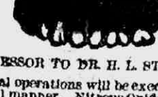

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Boys and girls on the farm, as everywhere else, let run to waste many bits of time, spare moments, hours, evenings which if they would but turn to good use, might be made to serve the noblest purpose. But the trouble is to get at it, to have some plan of working over these spare hours. How can the evenings be turned to use, and the best use? Of course one can doze them away sitting before the fire, can gossip, play checkers, and so on, but this is not the best use, nor the best way to spend long evenings. An occasional evening spent in this way may be good, but to thus let all these passing spare hours slip by is to waste life. And at the end of ten years of spare hours what have we to show?

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I know now what objections you begin to offer: "I am too tired, too sleepy, have too much else to do," and all this. Yes, but all these obstacles fade out of sight if we only take hold of the work with a purpose. For those who do not care to make the most and best of life, these suggestions of mine will have little value. But here and there possibly they may find a young man or woman to whom they may be helpful. If so, I have my reward, in endeavoring to do for others what I would that some one had done for me when I was a boy on the farm struggling for ways and means toward gaining an education.

The problem is, how to get time? And the only answer is, "take it." Take time; that is the only way you will ever have time for anything. Lay your plan, write it out and solemnly sign your name to it, if it will thus make it more binding, to spend at least an hour every evening in reading some good book. You will have interruptions, but persist in your plan, and soon other things will yield and you can pass from one hour's reading to two. And you can hardly imagine how much good may come to you from these few hours spent over a good book. They will follow you all the days of your life. You will look back to them in after years with sweet reflections and pleasant memories. No one of you who may read this is likely to find greater difficulties in working this plan than I did as a boy. I remember well how my first interest was awakened in history, an interest which has never left me, because commenced early in life and against great obstacles. Yes, the very difficulties I met with added zest to the task, and I have lived long enough now to see that these very hindrances were to me blessings in disguise. They gave me then and have confirmed all these years to give me a sense of victory over difficulties and, you notice in your own experience every difficulty mastered gives you strength and nerve, and tone for still greater difficulties. Stop not, then, for these little obstacles; rise above them, and in the mastery find hope and courage for future struggles.

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The time has come when a knowledge of this art is an essential part of the education of every business man. To be successful in business they should understand how to advertise. It is only necessary, in order to illustrate the truth of this statement, to call attention to the most successful merchants and manufacturers of any large city, or small village, in the United States. They know just what to say to the public, when to say it, how to say it, and the medium to employ in saying it. They have made the same careful study of this as of any other branch of their business. They don't insert a single beggarly little "ad" in an obscure corner of some paper, out of favor to the publisher, to support a party organ, and then endeavor to make the proprietor of the paper sensible of the value of their patronage, by growling when asked to pay for the advertisement, and vowing that it never did them any good, but was just put in out of charity. They are not content with an old stale advertisement that repeats the same old story at all seasons of the year, offering the same bargains, and the same full supply of goods "just received" at all times of the year—when their stocks have run so low that they are scarcely able to fill the orders of a single customer, as when their houses are filled with the most seasonable and attractive commodities. They never allow the public to remain in ignorance of the fact that they have a good thing to sell. They know how to make their constant appeals in a manner that will prove attractive. They are always devising new and striking methods for presenting their wares to the public notice, by the use of printer's ink. They are always careful to advertise what they have—not what they had last winter, nor what some one else has now. They advertise honestly as well as liberally, and their customers learn to believe the promises publicly made through the newspapers. Their advertisements are studied with interest by every one who expects to become a purchaser. It is as important that a man about to engage in mercantile pursuits should know how to advertise, as to know how to buy judiciously, or to sell at a living profit.

Wide Awake Druggists.

Are always alive to their business, and spare no pains to secure the best of every article in their line. They have secured the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The only certain cure known for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, or any affliction of the Throat and Lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Trial Bottles free Regular size $1.00.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Feathered Slaves.

No people are more ingenious than the Chinese in the minor arts of life. That they have succeeded in training birds to fish is a striking example of their ingenuity and patience. Instead of carrying nets, the fishermen provide themselves with a large number of cormorants which perch on the edge of the boats. It is a curious spectacle to see these creatures engaged in fishing, diving into the water and always coming up with a fish in their beaks. As the Chinese fear the vigorous appetites of their feathered servants, they fasten around their necks an iron ring, large enough to allow their breathing but too small to admit of the entrance of the fish they seize; to prevent their straying about in the water and wasting the time desired for their work, a cord is attached to the ring and to one claw of the cormorant by which he is pulled up when inclined to stay too long under water. When tired he is permitted to rest for a while; but if he abuse the indulgence and waste his time, a few strokes of the bamboo recalls him to duty, and the poor diver resumes his laborious occupation. In passing from one fishing ground to another, the cormorants perch side by side, so as not to disturb the equilibrium of the frail vessel.

Extreme Tired Feeling.

A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaprilla." A second bottle effected a cure. Ne other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

POOR GIRLS.—The poorest girls in the world are those who have never been taught to work. There are thousands of them. Rich parents have petted them, they have been taught to despise labor, and depend upon others for a living, and are perfectly helpless. If misfortune comes upon their friends, as it often does, their case is hopeless. The most forlorn and miserable women upon earth belong to this class. It belongs to parents to protect their daughters from this deplorable condition. They do them a great wrong if they neglect it. Every daughter should be taught to earn her own living. The rich as well as the poor require this training. The wheel of fortune rolls swiftly around; the rich are very likely to become poor, and the poor rich. Skill to labor is no disadvantage to the rich, and as indispensable to the poor. Well-to-do parents must educate their daughters to work; no reform is more imperative than this.

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The Commercial Bulletin remarks that "the American nose can now be wiped with an American made silk handkerchief, but no American nose can be wiped with a domestic linen handkerchief; and moreover, no American heart beats beneath a domestic linen bosom. Let linen be a little better protected and linens would be sold cheaper in price and better in quality than the imported linens at the present time." Not a yard of linen is made in the United States. And yet no country is better adapted to flax raising or manufacturing!

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In olden times it was thought that evil spirits came in through cracks and keyholes. The generally approved way to keep them out was to plug up the keyholes and stop the cracks with cotton. Notwithstanding these preventive measures, the evil things had their own way and often came in as they pleased.

So comes malaria now-a-days. We try to keep it out of the keyhole and it comes in by the crack. We stop up the crack, and lo! it comes from a leak in the plumbing, or an opening from some neglected drain, or from some unsuspected source and unguarded direction.

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Full New Stock of Fall and Winter

MILLINERY GOODS!

She has secured the services of

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Who was head trimmer in the employ of L. R. Damon, of Adrian for seven years, for the season, and is prepared to furnish orders promptly, and in the latest style. Mrs. Millard is a lady much experienced in the Millinery business, having had several years experience in large wholesale houses.

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Guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Friday, the 5th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Taylor, an insane person.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles C. Tuttle, guardian of said insane person, praying for the allowance of his first guardian's account, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said ward and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. oct11

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Sept. 12, 1883.

LEWIS CAMBURN, MILAN SAGE, Commissioners. sept18

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of William Waring, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 2d day of November, 1883, and on the 17th day of March, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days; and that six months from the 17th day of September, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated September 17, 1883.

EDGAR A. TRIBOU, CHARLES BURRIDGE, Commissioners. sep27

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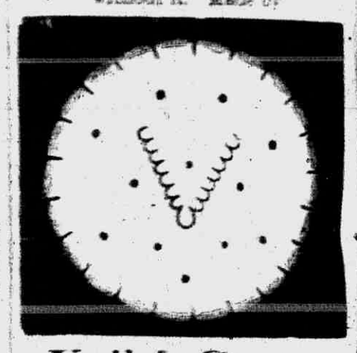

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

Mr. Cyrus Mead was called by telegraph to attend the funeral of his cousin at Ypsilanti on Saturday last.

The address of A. H. Briggs at Grange hall on Friday evening, was well attended, and appreciated by the audience. We hope to hear from him again on the subject of Political Economy, as much interest was created in this subject by the able address. The next open grange meeting will be in four weeks. Address by Alexander Easlick; subject, Tariff and Free Trade. He will be assisted by Isaac Mills, criticised by Dr. Geo. Howell and R. R. Hall. Others will be called upon to speak on either side.

Mr. Joseph Osborn is giving his residence a new coat of paint, which makes it look very attractive.

A. Easlick has his new tile and brick machine in full blast.

On Friday, while the Rev. Mr. Bordine, pastor of the De Spelder church, and lately moved into the parsonage at South Macon, was away attending to his ministerial duties, the house was taken possession of by some of the neighbors, and on return he found to his surprise the house filled with almost entire strangers, who made him so welcome that he soon felt himself at home. After spending an hour socially and partaking of a bountiful supper which the ladies provided, we all felt as though we were friends and not strangers. After being thanked by the host and hostess for the greeting we took our way homeward, all agreeing that we had a very pleasant and agreeable time.

The Macon correspondent must be very dull not to know what attracts so many young people from the Center there to attend their entertainments. It is their peculiarly interesting exercises, charming manners and pretty girls. The four young ladies from the Center who attended the concert at Macon are well known, and justly feel much aggrieved by the item in last week's HERALD. We are sorry that a feeling of jealousy, caused undoubtedly by the excellence of the entertainments at the Center, should prompt anyone to publish such a libel on a few innocent ones, thus imputing a breach of propriety to those whose manners and reputation are above reproach. If there has been any wrong done, place it where it belongs, but we are happy to say it does not belong here.

Last week occurred the marriage of Miss Mattie Vescelius of Macon, and Eugene Bryan of Tecumseh. About 75 relatives and friends were present, and the happy couple received a large number of beautiful presents.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

B. Kelly & Co. shipped two cars of hogs Saturday.

Mr. V. J. Slee is very ill with brain difficulty.

Miss Brouse, of Ohio, and Miss Wicoff of N. Y., who have been visiting Mr. Matthew Spence, intend returning home this week.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Alice Green, of Raisin, and Mr. David Barker, of New York, on Thursday of this week.

Ezra Hoxie and John Soper have moved in their new houses.

AUCTION SALE.

John Sones will sell at auction on the old Daniel Kelly farm, 4½ miles north of Tecumseh, on the old Saline road, Friday, Nov. 9, 1883, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: One mare and colt, 3 yr. old colt broke single or double, two yr. old colt, past, 2 yearling steers, cow, 5 hogs, 100 sheep, 7 yearling rams, farm wagon, single buggy, set single harness, feed mill and sheller combined, new corn sheller, cultivator, quantity corn stalks and potatoes, binder cover, 12x16; double barrel shot-gun, new extension table, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben. Reynolds, auc.

Chas. A. Kniffin will sell at auction ½ mile north and one mile east of Britton station, Thursday, Nov. 8, at 12 o'clock M., one span work horses, two cows, 1 fat, 4 two year old steers, 1 two yr. old heifer, yoke of yearling steers, 4 calves, 50 weathers, 35 lambs, 75 sheep, 2 fine wool bucks, sow and 8 pigs, breeding sow, 7 shoats, quantity hay, etc. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auc.

The next regular meeting of the Lenawee county Pomona grange will be held with Morenci grange, at Morenci village, Thursday, Nov. 8th, at 10 A. M. All are invited to attend the public meeting, at 1½ o'clock P. M., at which a very interesting literary program will be presented. A delegate to the state grange will be elected at the fifth degree meeting. A general attendance of patrons is desired.

November 1st, cold with strong west wind.

FORTY BILLION GERMS.

A Wonderful Theory that Concerns the Welfare, Happiness and Life of Everyone.

In his quiet and cosy library at the close of a busy day sat a gentleman and his wife, he absorbed in a new book and she in a newspaper. Quickly glancing toward her husband, she asked, at a certain point in the article,

"John, what is the germ theory?"

"The germ theory—well—yes; just look in the encyclopedia under 'Germ,' that will explain it so much better than I can."

Accordingly his wife opened the book at the word named and read: Germ Theory of Disease—A theory advanced by the ablest and best investigators and scientists of the times. It supposes the surface of the earth, the air and water to be inhabited to a greater or less extent with a peculiar growth of the lowest form of fungi—commonly termed bacteria, whose power of reproduction, under favorable conditions, is so great that a single germ will increase to fifteen million in twenty-four hours time, and unchecked in its increase would grow to a mass of eight hundred tons in three days' time, if space and food be furnished. There is no condition under which it can be said to be absent, unless it be from fire or air filtered through cotton-batting in numerous layers. A single drop of water containing a germ, put into water, boiled, filtered and thus freed from bacteria, will grow murky in a day or two from the development of new germs. When it is considered that it requires about forty billion to weigh one grain, some remote idea can be had of the capacity of germ reproduction. Prof. John Tyndall, in a late work elaborately treats of the influence of germs in the propagation of disease and charges upon this cause the inception and development of very many of the ailments most injurious to man. Professor Pasteur, an eminent French savant, has carried his original and beautiful experiments so far, and from them deduced such practical results as very greatly to diminish the number of cases of anthrax among sheep and chicken cholera among fowls,—proving his theory that these are essentially and actually germ diseases. These germs are carried into the system through the lungs, and stomach, and possibly the skin, but through the lungs chiefly. Once in the system they begin to develop, poisoning the blood, invading the nerve centers, disturbing the functional activity of the great organs of the body and inducing a general impairment of the vital processes. They are the cause of fevers, rheumatism, Bright's disease of the kidneys, pneumonia, blood poisoning, liver disease, diphtheria, and many other ailments. Lately Professor Koch, a famous German physician, has proved that consumption of the lungs is due to this cause—the presence of a peculiar germ.

When the circulation is bounding, the nerves elastic and the system all aglow with life and energy, the germs seem to develop poorly, if at all. But with weakened nerves, poor digestion or malassimilation food or a lowering of vitality from any cause, a change ensues, and in this impoverished and weakened fluid the germ finds a genial home and develops until symptoms of disease are distinctly manifested. This is seen in the every day experience of all. The healthy man resists the influences around him and does not take cold, while those whose systems have become weak from any cause readily contract colds. This is on the same principle as the germ theory. The germs attack any weakened spot in the body, and fixing themselves upon it, begin their propagation. It is plain therefore that it is only by fortifying the weak portions of the body that the germs of disease can be resisted and driven from the system. But this has proved almost an impossibility heretofore, and it has been the study of physicians for years how best to accomplish it. Within the past few years, however, a preparation has been attracting great attention, not only throughout the entire land, but among the medical profession and scientists generally, which is based upon this theory, and it may safely be said, no remedy has been found which can so successfully place the system in a condition to resist the germs of disease as Warner's Safe Cure. This article is unquestionably the best and most efficient that has ever been discovered for this purpose, and—

"John, say, John! does the encyclopedia advertise Warner's Safe Cure?"

"I should not wonder, dear, it's a grand remedy, and that pamphlet we received the other day stated that Dr. Gunn, of the United States Medical College endorsed it. At all events the wonderful cures it has accomplished entitle it to be honorably noted among the great discoveries of the present century."

However the facts above stated may be, the truth remains, that the germ theory of disease is the correct one and that the great remedy mentioned is the only one which has ever been found that can put the system in a condition to kill these germs before they obtain a hold upon the body and undermine the life.

The annual meeting of the Lenawee County Farmer's Mutual Insurance Company, was held Monday afternoon. Zach. Cook, of Raisin, was re-elected president and treasurer, and George R. Allis, of Adrian, secretary. The fire losses for the year were 27 in number, the losses and expenses incurred in which amounted to $1,067, 763; total amount of property insured $8,521,019. The amount for each $1000 insured is to be raised one twenty-eighth. Half of the association voted to allow country school houses to be insured hereafter.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

The revival at Jackson now scores over 250 converts.

Two inches of snow fell last week in the vicinity of Cadillac.

The Port Huron Guards propose to purchase dress uniforms.

Telephone communication between Lawrence and Paw Paw now.

L. Doolittle, of Foster, Ogemaw Co., robbed of $400 a few days ago.

Alpena fishermen are having a big run of luck.

Influenza is epidemic among the Jackson horses.

It is proposed to establish a hub factory at South Lyon.

A woman's suffrage association has been formed at Flint.

The taxes of Jackson county are about one-third larger this year than last.

There is to be a gathering of spiritualists, etc., at Bangor, Mich., Nov. 3 and 4.

A training school for nurses is to be established at the Battle Creek sanitarium.

Robert Coyle, aged 65 years is missing from his home at Bay City, and it is feared he has been drowned.

Burglars at Muskegon, and the stores of C. C. Monitou and L. Vardelman have been robbed, $378 being secured.

The total insurance on Bliss, Brown & Co's mill, which burned at Zilwaukee last week, was $46,500.

Bills are out advertising for 200 teams and 500 men to work on the railroad at Owosso.

The Saginaw Manufacturing Company is turning out greese boxes at the rate of 22,000 a day.

E. Smith has been elected President of the First National Bank, Paw Paw, vice A. Sherman, resigned.

In the different recitation rooms at the state normal school there are about 10,000 square feet of blackboard.

About 6,000 bushels of potatoes have been shipped from the vicinity of Springport, although the crop is below the average.

The treasurer of Kent county recommends that the county taxes be cut down, as there is already too much money in the treasury.

A Roscommon woodman shot at a squirrel and shot himself through the foot. Some people's feet are always in their way.

The identical telescope with which Prof. Watson discovered the planet Vulcan is now in use at the observatory of the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

Alfred Osler, of Cheboygan, went hunting Sunday and has not yet returned. It is feared he has been lost in the woods, and a search is being made for him.

It is expected that fully 300 druggists will attend the meeting to be held at Lansing November 14, to form a Michigan pharmaceutical association.

Mrs. Naegle, a wealthy German lady of Sturgis, proposes to build an opera house there rivaling that at Coldwater, if the citizens will contribute $2,000 towards it.

R. Hunter, of Adrian, and a Battle Creek bicycler, will have a 50-mile handicap race at the latter place soon, Hunter walking and the bicycler riding his "silent steed."

Supervisor John Pulcipher, of Traverse City, in attempting to stop his team which was frightened at a steam whistle, fell under the wheels, and was badly injured last week.

Last week as a three years old son of Fritz Grebi, of Elk Rapids, was playing near some burning stumps his clothes caught fire and before assistance could be rendered the little fellow was burned to death.

The petroleum find near Bad Axe, Huron county, was found on the land of Reuben Rapson, about a quarter of a mile from the village. Experts say it is good oil, and large numbers of people are flocking thither and the excitement runs high.

Several bears ventured into East Saginaw Sunday last, but those of the citizens who had not gone fishing rallied and drove them out. One of the bears was killed, his demise taking place inside the city limits. He was shot with an axe.

Frank T. Roberts, head bookeeper and stockholder of Nichols, Shepard & Co., threshing machine works at Battle Creek died last week Thursday after a lingering illness, aged 35 years. He was a man of rare ability having risen from office boy to chief bookkeeper in short time. Everybody liked him.

A Last Talk.

Come out in the garden and walk with me,
While the dashers whirr to that dreamy tune;
Then the moonlight silvers the sleeping sea,
And the world is fair as a night in June.
Let me hold your hand as I used to do;
This is the last, last time, you know,
For tomorrow a wooer comes to wed
And take you, though I love you so.

You are pale—or is it the moonlight's wan
Thatsoever to rouse from that strange old song?
We cannot wake at last from our summer dream,
We have come to the end of the golden days.

Over the place has a strange spell,
The shadows are heavy, the moonlight is cold,
And yet, as the clock strikes, I feel like a traitor—
Let, love, the moonlight play fool and fool.

You wear a rose—yes, I gave it you—
Crushed my rose I gave you long ago;
Just as you crushed out the summer days
A flower of white from head to toe,
A creature of snow, cold, pure, frozen. Ah me!
How the chilling war power kept at bay
Of love to quicken my memory.

Hear the clock—yes, and the deep tones
Seem echoing within my undertone,
Is my memory, memory. The rose
[illegible]
For I because we must part to-night
That the moon seems so sad. Ah me!
[illegible]
[illegible]

They say you are [illegible]
Must I say goodbye, and kiss my wife?
If we must part, it is better so—
Goodbye—such a dream to have been so sad!
[illegible]
[illegible]

DOUBTING DIXON

I don't know, Concerned Emigrant Blakely, I don't think so I told you anything about Doubting Dixon yesterday when he was talking of Denver in 53?

Emigrant Blakely and I were seated one pleasant summer evening, after a comfortable supper, in front of the Pacific House, Omaha. Mr. Blakely had been labelled Emigrant because of the immense wagon train he had displayed in the Union Pacific railway, and was indefatigable in his efforts to engage settlers to colonize with his company. [illegible]

No, I believe not. Yes, I [illegible]
[illegible]

Dixon stood a chance [illegible] out from Denver [illegible] Dixon. He didn't come down [illegible] office a week [illegible] Dixon, he never could [illegible] anything at the bar, an' he didn't never carry home anything in a jug. [illegible] of this little eccentricity. Doubting Dixon was unpopular with the [illegible] Dixon, himself, didn't appear to have any great an' overpowering affection for them. I said that he was unpopular, an' didn't seem to have many friends. There was one exception. That was a vicious looking York State feller, a gambler, and the boys all said a skill gambler at that. He an' Dixon were seen together occasionally conversing in low tones, and everybody wondered why Pistol Grip, as the York State chap was called, an' Doubting Dixon should be so thick when Dixon didn't gamble nor drink either. One day this Doubting Dixon struck it rich in his claim, and he sold out for one hundred and forty thousand dollars, an' he an' the kid left the old shanty an' came into town an' went to boardin' at the hotel. One Saturday afternoon Doubting Dixon sat watchin' a game of billiards in the Senate saloon an' Monte Bill come in, an' he says.

"Dixon, there's a lady outside in a hoodrige as wants to see yer."

"I don't know no ladies in Denver, said Doubting Dixon, a little uneasy, an' I don't believe as any ladies wants to see me."

"Mebbe you think I'm a liar," said Monte Bill, carefully rubbing the nickel-plate on his revolver with his thumb.

"No, I won't say you're a liar, Bill, said Dixon, meek as a lamb, "for I don't hardly reckon any lady wants to see me. Who is she?"

"I don't know who she is," said Monte Bill, "but she's a lady, an' says she's got some news from your wife."

Doubting Dixon started suddenly from his chair, an' then sat back again an' his face was blue, just as though he had been swimming in ice water for an hour or so.

"I don't believe she has got any news from my wife," said Dixon.

"Well, come along out an' see," said Monte Bill. "Hit ain't no use of your sittin' here mooning an' implying as if everybody else but you was a liar. Come along out an' see for yourself."

When Doubting Dixon got up out of the chair, he weaved back and forth a minute, as if he was going to fall, but he braced up, an' went out to the carriage with Bill. There was a lady there sure enough, an' a right handsome one at that, dressed up to kill, an' diamonds all over her where they'd do the most good.

"Is this Mr. Dixon?" said the lady, with a most fascinating smile.

"Yes, m'm," said Dixon, humbly.

"Well, your wife's down at the Tallman House, an' she wants you to see you."

Dixon seized hold of the tire of the carriage wheel to steady himself.

"She wants to take the kid away from me, she's afraid," gasped Dixon with a sickly attempt at a smile in his face.

"Oh, no, I guess not," said the lady pleasantly.

"She's got a divorce an' the custody of the child, an' all that sort of thing, I suppose," Rechemed Dixon, leaning on Pistol Grip's arm for support, as he stepped into the carriage.

"Why, nothing of the kind," said the lady, "but she wants to see you on the way. She came here with me from Boston, where she has been working."

"Working!" said Dixon, blankly.

"Yes, she has been living all alone by herself, and working hard for her support. Get into the carriage with me, an' we will drive down to the hotel."

When they arrived, Dixon met his wife with the "kid" and of reserve, an' poor woman, was almost heart broken. The handsome woman and Dixon had stopped on the way, an' got the kid, an' Mrs. Dixon cried over the boy, and hugged and kissed him. But Dixon he stood to be saved as an ironbound an' never shed a drop, while the woman wasn't the less a face with her tears. Dixon spoke up, an' said.

"Kate, where's the gambler?"

"What gambler?" said Kate, looking suddenly up, an' it seemed as if the tears in her eyes had dried up all the way.

"The gambler chap you took up with."

"It's false," said the woman, "false as hell."

Doubting Dixon looked up wonderfully puzzled at this.

"Didn't you leave me, Kate?" he said.

"I did, Harry," answered the woman. "I left you for your own good. I left you because I saw nothing but ruin for you, body an' soul an' weary poverty for the little boy an' me. You drank the last cent away that you an' I could earn."

"I did bowl up too much," said Dixon, "but then—

"I left the child with his father in the faint hope that it might work in you a reformation. I knew he was the apple of your eye, and trusted he might save you. He has. I now come back to take a last farewell of him an' you an' to thank God for having kept my boy from your society."

"Ben Darnley said you eloped with a gambler an' went to Philadelphia."

"He lied!"

"Your wife speaks the truth," said the handsome lady. "I have known her history since she left your humble home, and she asked me to trust to what I may pray. She comes to you as pure as on the day she left your roof."

Doubting Dixon leaned against the door-post, panting. The strong man's tears were coming now, dropping fast on his face. He looked at the little, wondering kid, an' the kneeling mother, smoothing it with caresses. Then he stepped a way from the door, raising himself a moment as though fearful [illegible]

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In another moment the wife and Doubting Dixon were all mixed up in a hugging match, an' the handsome woman from Massachusetts, who had, at her own expense, brought about this happy reunion, looked so pleased and delighted over the success of her scheme, that she really deserved hugging by somebody on her own account.

"That night, Doubting Dixon and Ben Darnley, the famous New York gambler, met.

"You are positive," said Dixon, "that my wife eloped with the Philadelphia faro dealer?"

"Know it," said Darnley. "Why she even hinted once that she would leave home with me if I would come west."

"Say, Darnley, now be honest, didn't you kinder try to take advantage of me an' make love to Kate?"

"Yes, Dixon, since everything is all over now, an' you know just what kind of a woman your wife is, I'll confess that I did. But then, to be honest again, I'll just say that she fairly froze the blood in my veins with indignation. High, ho! This is a curious world, an' very few people ever get out of it alive."

"Right you are," hissed Dixon. "You are right, Darnley. Old man, my wife is safe an' sound in her own home, with her own boy, an' under the protection of her own husband, an' all this in spite of your devilish revenge. Ben Darnley, for years you have kept my wife an' I apart. For years you have daily lied to me, an' worked upon the passions of a weak an' doubting man—"

"Hold hard there, Dixon, or by the gods of war I'll kill you!"

"I doubt it, Darnley. This is a day of retributive justice. You will not kill me."

Ben Darnley was quick with his gun, an' a flash an' report were his answer to Dixon. Then Darnley, turned an' ran into a saloon. He had missed his man. Cooler an' dispassionate, Doubting Dixon, standing outside on the sidewalk, looked down the long, brilliantly lighted saloon. He looked along the bright, shining barrel of his revolver. At the farther end of the saloon crouched Darnley. Cool an' dispassionate, Doubting Dixon took deadly aim, an' down through the ninety feet of glittering light and gilded mirrors he sent a bullet true to the heart of Ben Darnley."—*Texas Siftings.*

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Graphic Account of an Upheaval in the Tropics.

A correspondent of The London Telegraph residing at Accra, west coast of Africa, sends the following particulars of the recent earthquake at that place: "It was at 10 P. M. on the morning of Sunday, August 19, that several shocks of earthquake were experienced. The evening previous had been hot, with intense perspiration, thus [illegible] being the season of the year when [illegible] the coast, and seat of government, is [illegible] almost entirely [illegible] there and there, where a cluster of huts [illegible] showing evident signs of volcanic origin, jutting into the sea. An [illegible] prevailed all along the coast, lashing the shore with great fury, and especially on the rocky promontories above mentioned. On the night in question it was observed that the surf was particularly violent until about an hour prior to the first shock, when the water seemed to subside and become comparatively calm. I noticed this fact, because it happened that I was suffering from a slight attack of coast fever and was unable to sleep. My first impression on hearing the house rattle in so unusual a manner was that a forcible attempt was being made to force open the doors and windows by persons outside, but before there was time to strike a light a second and more violent shock followed, shaking the foundations. In each case the shock was preceded by an explosion resembling in a great degree the sound usually caused by the discharge of a gun from ships lying in the roadstead. In the native villages around the town the greatest consternation was caused. The native houses, which had been but a few moments before surrounded in darkness, were soon ablaze with light, and the occupants, who have unpleasant recollections of what occurred in 1862 and 1868, immediately huddled together in the open streets, chattering, crying, shouting and praying. Several of the houses which are all built in a shaky manner, succumbed at the second shock, and the loss of life occurred [illegible] castle, which in look, was very old, by an earthquake at the same time of year, fell and [illegible] of the [illegible] generally. The governor, [illegible] now, who was staying on [illegible] at the time of the occurrence, [illegible] the [illegible] walls and [illegible] hurrying from [illegible] the [illegible] away, the other [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] the

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 1, 1883.

John Sherman generously contributed $100 to the Ohio campaign fund. How much did R. B. Hayes contribute?

An Adrian night watch was recently suspended for sleeping on duty. What are we coming to? Has a night policeman no rights which city councils are bound to respect?

John Quincy Adams held office sixty-nine years and drew $435,000 in official salaries. Ohio politicians entertain the highest regard for John Quincy Adams.

The campaign in Massachusetts waxes hotter and hotter. All other issues are now lost sight of except Butler and Anti-Butler. It rather looks as though Ben would get worsted this time.

A Miss Miller brought suit against a Mr. Beck, down in Pennsylvania, for breach of promise. The jury gave her a verdict of $1,008.33, estimating her damages at one cent a kiss. A little wrestling with mental arithmetic will enable one to comprehend the thrilling nature of the testimony which occasioned the verdict.

Alice King is an actress. A Nashville paper described her as a very small woman with a very big nose.—She sued the editor for fifty thousand dollars damages, and didn't get a cent. Thereupon she took an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States. A woman may have a big nose, or a pug nose, or a red nose. This is a matter beyond her control. But should a newspaper reporter, who knows such a nose, ever presume to display a detailed description of said nose in print? This momentous question will soon be judicially decided.

The Salvation Army Livery Stable in Adrian has been undergoing the house cleaning process and the Times says that one would be surprised now at the neatness and order reigning there. The walls have been kalsomined with a sky-green tint, and the pulpit has been given two coats of whitewash. Several tin cuspidors have been purchased. As soon as the water works shall be completed and the new soft soap factory shall be in running order a mammoth bath tub will be constructed to run in connection with the concern. It gives us great pleasure to note these improvements in the Salvation Army headquarters.

Gen. Hazen has just issued from the government printing office a remarkable book entitled "Weather Proverbs." Vennor and Wiggins will hereafter be relegated to back seats. We give a few of the reliable weather signs contained in this interesting official publication. Bears and coons are always restless before rain. When the spaniel sleeps it indicates rain. When a cow stops and shakes her foot it indicates that there is bad weather behind her. When there is enough clear sky to patch a Dutchman's breeches expect fair weather. When the donkey blows his horn, 'tis time to house your hay and corn. When the stars begin to huddle, the earth will soon become a puddle. These few extracts show what a valuable acquisition the book will be to the almanac literature of the present day.

An exceedingly interesting event took place at the White House the other day. Governor Proctor Knott, of Kentucky, presented to President Arthur an elegant fishing rod. It is said to be the most elaborately constructed fishing-rod ever manufactured in this country. It is made in sections like a rattlesnake and opens and shuts like a telescope. There is a silver tip and ring on the small end of the smallest section and a seal skin muff glued on the big end of the biggest section for a handle. The two larger sections are hollow and contain—concealed from the prying eyes of the common herd—a lunch basket, a champagne bottle and a smoking set. Governor Knott's presentation remarks were thrillingly appropriate, and when he alluded to the President's eighty pound bass there wasn't a dry eye in the company. No event of more political significance has transpired at the White House since the days of Andrew Jackson.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30, 1883.

The flurry in Wall Street is not over yet, and the bulls are gradually gaining the ascendency. Every day they take up some new security and toss it up so high as to make the bears dizzy watching its flight. I was at the horse show the other evening, and at one time stood for a few minutes in front of the box occupied by the grand old trotter Goldsmith Maid, owned by Mr. Henry N. Smith. She is now 26 years old, too old to be of any service, and is allowed the free run of Mr. Smith's farm. He is so fond of the old heroine that he would not sell her at any price. Two gentlemen of the Wall Street stripe came up and stood beside me. "Smith is very proud of her," remarked one of them, "and would not dispose of her for any amount." "That's so," replied the other, "but who knows how soon he will be forced to let her go. He got a pretty severe fall in the present bull market, and unless Vanderbilt lets up on him he may have to give up a good many things."

"I think Vanderbilt must enjoy the first night of the opera at the Metropolitan very much. He has made the bears pay for it all, and if he wanted to be liberal could rent the entire orchestra and fill it with tramps if he liked, and not miss the gap such a proceeding would make in his pile of winnings." There is now no doubt that a bull market is coming. The bears are making frantic efforts to maintain their ascendency, but it is plain to everybody that their back is broken.

The Herald's war against the newsdealers has not yet lost a whit of its acrimony, and so far the Herald cannot be said to have got the best of it. The refusal of the Aldermen to allow Mr. Williams to erect Herald newsstands near the stations of the Elevated Road has caused some surprise, but it is easily explained by the fact that it is near election time, and the philanthropic liquor dealers who compose our board of Aldermen intend to make capital out of their aid to "the poor workingmen," against a "bloated millionaire." "How did the Herald get that resolution into the Board?" I asked a man pretty well versed in the petty intricacies of local politics. "Oh, I suppose it was through their City Hall reporter," he replied. "You know the City Hall reporters of the different morning papers are a little power of their own and they work it pretty well. No Alderman would dare refuse them anything for fear of being punished afterward. Now and then however, amusing complications arise. Some time ago, for instance, the Morning Journal, which has its publication office in the basement of the Tribune building desired a permit from the Board to erect a pillar with a sign in front of their establishment. The Tribune people naturally objected. The Journal's reporter got a number of Aldermen, in fact a majority of them to vote for the resolution. The Tribune reporter found out about it and had it killed, as the Tribune naturally has more standing and influence than Albert Pulitzer's fantastic and unreliable little sheet.

The most remarkable new book of the week is Howard Pyle's "Adventures of Robin Hood," published by the Scribners. Mr. Pyle has collected all the floating Robin Hood ballads and made a running connected story of them, and told it in quaint mediæval English. At the same time he has illustrated the text with a number of full page head piece and tail piece illustrations in the mediæval English style. Mr. Pyle's effects are very happy. He has evidently studied Holbein and Durer to much profit, and their quaint vigor is reflected in his lines. The publication of this book has revived in literary circles the discussion as to whether such a being as Robin Hood ever existed.

Rowell, the pedestrian is on his way over to this country on the Alaska. He has been challenged by Fitzgerald, and the walk will come off within the next two months. Since Rowell's departure from this country, Fitzgerald has become an Alderman of Long Island City. The spectacle of seeing him wear out the little Englishman on the tan bark arena, will be a very edifying and dignified one, and Long Island City may be proud of her city father.

The Horse Show, which has been in progress this week has been a financial success, but otherwise it is a failure. The quality of the horses as a rule is below par. The only exception is among the trotters. The exhibitions in riding are very silly. They remind one very much of the donkey acts in the circus.

Mathew Arnold has been astonishing everybody by his naive innocence. He seems to be in fear of being mobbed for what he said about Americans years ago, and seems bent on conciliating them by saying that he has frequently read American newspapers. Poor fellow, nobody thinks of him. That pushing lion hunter, Mr. Carnegie, who made a coaching tour through England and wrote a silly book on it, has taken him up and no doubt hopes to be regarded as a sort of nineteenth century Mecenas through associating with the philosopher.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE. Having secured a first-class watch maker, I am now prepared to do all kinds of first-class work. C. A. KEIL.

200,000 HEADS OF CELERY now ready, to store away for winter use. Call at Prairie Side farm, all who want a supply at $1.50 per hundred. H. L. STEWART.

TREES FOR SALE. Having been disappointed on freights, we have in stock at the Exchange hotel in Tecumseh, about 200 apple trees and 100 peach trees, and a few pear and quince trees, which will be sold at extremp low rates. Anyone contemplating setting trees will do well to call and examine the stock. Stock from Geneva, N. Y. S. S. WOOD.

DRESSMAKING ROOMS at Mrs. A. McNeil's, west end Chicago street. MISSES MCNEIL.

A GOOD BOY wanted to do chores for his board and go to school, or work for low wages. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

NOTICE. My wife, Harriett I. Kelley, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all persons are hereby forbidden to harbor or trust her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date. WASH. KELLEY.
MACON, October 13th, 1883.

FARM FOR SALE. I offer my farm in Raisin for sale. It contains 200 acres, has good buildings and fences, and is nearly all improved. It has the name of being one of the best farms in Raisin township. For price and terms enquire on the premises. JOSHUA TAYLOR.

HAIRDRESSING. I am now prepared to do all kinds of hairdressing, combing, etc., at reasonable rates. MRS. C. HAWKINS.
Rooms over H. E. Anderson's grocery store.

A SCHOOL TEACHER of experience desires a situation for the winter term in a country school near Tecumseh. Address HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A good pair heavy work mules. Inquire of GEO. HOLLOWAY,
Holloway, Mich.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. My farm of seventy acres, situated northeast of the village of Tecumseh, about ¼ of a mile from the postoffice. Said farm is all improved and in good condition, with two houses and two barns. Also a large apple orchard containing 245 trees, and other small fruit. Will leave 21 acres of wheat in the ground. RUFUS ADAMS.

PIANO FOR SALE OR RENT. Apply at Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany's, Chicago st.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Evening News: Most of the Adrian churches are grouped near one common center, and as each church has tried to get the loudest bell and most muscular bell ringer, the racket they make Sundays and prayer meeting nights is enough to make all but the deaf backslide, and sick people have to be removed to the suburbs in order to die sane.

In the last issue of the Adrian Weekly Times, under the head of Tecumseh Topics, is an item relating to the arrest of Ed. Karns for the assault of Michael Wilson. The man who wrote the article must have drawn largely upon his imagination for his facts. Karns assaulted Mr. Wilson, that is true, was arrested therefor and fined $15, and costs, but Mr. Wilson's daughter had nothing to do with the affair at all and was away from home when it occurred. The trouble arose out of business matters between Karns and Wilson. The effort to drag the name of an innocent girl into the affair is entirely uncalled for and hence we make this statement to set Mr. Wilson right before the public.

HEROES AND HEROINES OF THE BORDER.

In American history there are no more interesting figures than the Heroes and Heroines of the Border. Bold, dashing, adventurous and patriotic; loyal to friends, to country and to the interests of society, their work was singularly effective in the advancement of civilization. With seeming recklessness, their efforts were in the interest of the law and order, and the people owe them a debt of gratitude they do not forget. Their page in history is as facinating as it is honorable, and there is a peculiar pleasure in reading the narrative of their wonderful exploits.

The times which produced those heroes and heroines mark a period in American history of absorbing interest alike to old and young. It is proper that it should be so. These hardy pioneers coupled virtue with courage, humanity and love of country with the stern duties of frontier life and battle, and the example of their lives not only interests but strengthens our faith and admiration in human courage and unselfish purpose.

In American pioneer history there are three distinct eras marked as distinctly by three geographical divisions; from the Alleghany Mountains to the Mississippi, marking the first; from the Mississippi to the Rocky Mountains the second; California and the Pacific Slope the third. The settlement of the vast regions developed great leaders, whose achievements have made them justly and widely famous. They have a warm place in the hearts of the people, and a prominent one in their admiration. It is appropriate that their achievements should be recorded, and we note with pleasure the forthcoming of a new book, now ready, from the press of N. D. Thompson & Co., Publishers, New York and St. Louis, Mo., called: "Conquering the Wilderness, or New Pictorial History of the Life and Times of the Pioneer Heros and Heroines of America."

It is written by Col. Frank Triplett, an accomplished writer, whose literary qualifications and great experience on the frontiers are said to eminently fit him for so noble a task.

A special feature of the book is its apt and profuse illustrations, embracing 220 superb engravings, illustrating incidents and persons—the latter embracing nearly 100 life-like portraits of pioneer leaders, never before given—men and women—which make it a sort of picture gallery, as well as a book of thrilling narrative, that will lend to the book a charm and interest not to be resisted.

It is sold by subscription, through canvassing agents, and presents an opportunity to agents to make money especially inviting. We advertise it in another column.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 1, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Milan is to have a knitting works factory.

Harry Snell was at home a day or two last week.

Ten states will hold elections on the 6th of November.

Thanks to Dr. Hause for late copies of Florida papers.

Three doctors have offices in the new Ormsby block at Deerfield.

We have a new time card of the T. & A. A. road in this week's issue.

The material has arrived for the Hudson and Addison telephone line.

There are four married men and one widower attending the Adrian college.

Miss Anna Barker, of Saratoga, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bates.

Thanks to Earl and Carl Updike for the present they sent us last Saturday.

The pay roll of the M. & O. railway company for the past month was over $80,000.

The Morenci village sexton is very ill, and it is feared that he will pass in his checks.

Workmen have been engaged the past week in repairing the roof of the opera house.

Aunt Laura Haviland has been visiting at Cadillac and was the guest while there of C. T. Chapin.

That ancient refrain "meet me at the gate, love" will now be sung no more until the weather gets warmer.

Remenyi, the celebrated violinist, will appear at the Adrian opera house on Tuesday evening next, Nov. 6th. He will be supported by Miss Jennie Dutton, soprano; Adolph Bauer, pianist, and Edmond De Celle, tenor.

Rose leaves should never be thrown away. Dry them and place them in a box. They are useful for scenting linen and a very cooling wash for inflamed eyes when steeped in warm water and then left to cool before applying.

Saline Observer: A floating item says that there are twenty-five shades of gray in the hair stores. That's nothing; an Ann Arbor boarding-house butter dish could give them several points and beat them at least a few shades.

Cadillac News: Mrs. C. T. Chapin made a successful attack upon a porcupine one day last week while driving out to Selma. The little animal showed good spunk but was vanquished in the end, and there was not enough left of him to show to what kingdom he belonged.

She lives at Kalamazoo, and, seeing her husband dodge in a saloon, she also walked in, ranged herself up in line with him before the bar, ordered a glass of beer, and as she drank it off, remarked that if her hubby was going to perdition she was going right along with him.—Eve. News.

A change has been made in the Tecumseh telephone exchange. Stacy Bros. have relinquished the local management and Mr. Sidney Baker, of Adrian, has been appointed in their place. Mr. Baker is well posted in the details of telephone management and our business men will find it a pleasure to do business with him. The office will remain in the HERALD building as heretofore. The state line instrument will be removed upstairs.

The Lilley House will soon undergo a change which will be a great improvement. The store just vacated by Slayton & Kinney will be changed over into an office, reading room, etc., for the hotel. The partition separating the present office and dining room will be torn out, thus doubling the size of the dining room, and extending it to the railroad street sidewalk. These changes will put the hotel in first-class shape, and will give Tecumseh a public house second to none in the county.

The Drs. K. & K., U. S. Medical and Surgical Association's Surgeons. Call promptly on the following date at the place mentioned, where one or more of the physicians can be consulted free, as follows: At the Lilley House, Monday, Nov. 5. Notice to the public: Some itinerant vagabonds are traveling in Michigan spreading small handbills leading people to understand that they represent our Association: They are frauds. All our consulting surgeons carry credentials bearing our Corporate Seal. Consultation free.

Marshall Statesman: A petition is being circulated among our citizens, asking that the M. & O. depot be located just west of Kalamazoo avenue. It is receiving many signatures. This should have been done before, for the officials of the M. & O. have supposed the only sentiment that existed here was in favor of locating it at the east end. Those favoring the east end location have heretofore been the only ones to urge the matter before them, and the west end people have been apathetic. Now that a disposition is shown to represent the choice of a second party, the result may be different.

Leap year is not far off.

Thanksgiving Nov. 29th.

The wood market is brisk with but little offering.

Coal bins and wood piles are receiving attention.

The "Baptist Items" for November will be issued next Saturday.

Several car loads of telegraph poles are now at Dundee for use along the line of the M. & O. railroad.

The season for auctions is again at hand, and the HERALD office is the place to have your bills printed.

There are 124 policies in force in the township of Tecumseh in the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company.

Strangers will have to be careful in wandering about Milan or they will get lost. That burg now boasts of 23 streets.

Bashful young men and anxious young ladies should bear in mind that it is only a little over two months to leap year.

A. B. Cotton made Tecumseh a brief visit last week. He is well pleased with his business prospects at West Bay City.

Blinn Tallman is making some excellent cider this fall. If you doubt this assertion go up there and sample some of it.

Canadian marriages will be all the rage now with Yankee girls. The word "obey" has been dropped from the service.

The trustees of the M. E. church will sell at auction on Saturday next, at 2 P. M., the wire fence which now surrounds the church lot.

Persons having drain orders should hand them to the supervisor of their township for presentation at the December session of the Board.

Joe Sage will give one of his popular dancing parties on Friday evening, Nov. 9th, at Macon Center. A good time is guaranteed to all who attend.

Manchester boys make so much noise in the streets at night that the council have instructed the marshal to make arrests if the nuisance is not stopped.

Dr. Mincer has returned from Detroit and is now ready to serve the citizens of this county. Orders left at Central Hotel, Adrian, will be promptly attended to.

Notice Slayton & Kinney's new advertisement on third page. They are to have a grand opening Nov. 10th, when all goods in store will be sold at a greatly reduced price.

Exchanges are asking folks to keep the sidewalks freed from leaves especially in wet weather, as a person slips up as easily on a leaf as on a piece of orange peel.

The old straw hat, the dear straw hat, the hat of the summer that all know so well, rests now in the garret, the cobwebby garret, the garret forlorn and of long musty smell.

On the evening of November 9th Co. C will give the first of a series of dancing parties at their armory.—Good music has been engaged and a good time will be had by all who attend.

Can it be that Haroun al Raschid is a member of our city government?—Adrian Times. Just as likely as not. You have had all sorts of things in that city government of late years.—Evening News.

Mrs. R. Ford, of this village, is visiting her daughter Addie at St. Paul, Minn., and reports having a splendid time. She will visit friends at Racine, Grand Rapids and Ionia before returning home.

The Presbyterian church has just been carpeted with a new and beautiful carpet which adds much to its attractiveness and comfort. The ladies of the church intend to soon uphol-ster all the seats.

John R. Clark will be home on Saturday next, Nov. 3d. On Sunday, the 4th, inst., he will address a union meeting at Clayton, and on Monday, the 5th, he will speak at Dover Center, giving his To and Fro in London the 244th time.

If you have a cough or cold try Dr. Keegan's Lung Balsam. It is pronounced by those who have used it to be the best medicine in the market.—Jas. Dunnigan, of Napoleon, is the Gen. Agt. for the U. S. We have tried it and have no hesitancy in pronouncing it A No. 1.

Gainsley & Co. take the lead in the dry goods trade. Their store is now crowded to overflowing with a mammoth stock of fall and winter goods, and they have a most accommodating corps of clerks who know how to sell them. Far full particulars read the eighth page of this paper.

A funny case is reported from Wampun, Wisconsin: S. J. Hudson, of Belvidere, Ill., came there recently with two children, in search of his runaway wife. He found her masquerading in male attire, under the name of Frank Dubois. She was living with Gertrude Fuller, having been married to her early last spring, by the Rev. H. L. Morrison, at the home of the bride's mother. The deception had not been suspected, and, doing odd jobs of painting, she was making sufficient to support them both.

"Dit" Nixon, of Adrian, spent last Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

Our presses are kept busy now days supplying the demand for job printing.

Our merchants are vieing with each other in handsomely trimmed windows.

Eighteen hundred is the exact number of Tecumseh HERALDS we print this week.

Dr. D. D. Meeker and J. S. Strong were re-elected elders of the Presbyterian church, at an election held last Sunday.

A note received from Rev. J. Phelps announces the fact that services will be resumed in St. Peter's church on Sunday next, Nov. 4th.

The registration law was changed at the last session of the legislature so that persons wishing to register can hand their names to the supervisor, treasurer or clerk, instead of to the clerk only, as heretofore.

L. F. Wheeler took one of his paintings to Detroit last week. A member of the executive committee saw it, and in consequence, the picture can be seen at the Art Loan during the balance of the time the exhibition remains open.

Lenawee county is represented in the university by Miss Libbie Rowley in literary department, Fred. Seger in medical department, Frank Seger in dental college, Fred B. Wood, of Tecumseh, Thomas C. Sawyer, of Hudson, and Geo. W. Ayres in law dept. The whole number in attendance is 1,212, as follows: Literary dept., 510; law, 278; medical, 473; dental 61.

We passed an hour's leisure yesterday afternoon in calling upon the offices of the Saginaw Herald and Courier. The latter is now located in a new building and is in a prosperous condition. Col. Deland surrenders possession of the Herald to the lessees this morning. We enjoyed a pleasant chat with the Colonel. Upon handing him the Stacy-Bigelow marriage notice we inquired the fee. His reply was, "Nothing, my dear sir; we never charge anything for marrying off a printer."

Hudson Gazette: Some Adrian folk are kicking a little about the size and make up of the new court house committee. It is suggested that a committee of three good practical mechanics or builders outside of the board of supervisers would have been better and looked more disinterested and business-like. Perhaps, however, if the chairmanship had gone to Adrian instead of Hudson, the pickings for a couple of years would have mollified the critical. The principal objection to Mr. Swaney will probably be distance from the county seat.

OUR WAYWARD PARTNER.

The bachelor ownership of the HERALD was irretrievably broken on yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. At that hour Mr. Geo. N. Stacy, junior partner of our firm, was united in marriage to Miss Gertrude Bigelow, daughter of Rev. A. J. Bigelow, now Presiding Elder of the Saginaw District, at the home of the bride's parents in East Saginaw. The knot was appropriately tied by Rev. John Wilson, Pastor of the M. E. church, assisted by the father of the bride. The attendance was not large, as the acquaintances of both parties lived far away, but the numerous letters of regret and handsome gifts received bore witness that they were most kindly remembered by all their friends. It was a cosy, home-like wedding, blessed with friendship and good cheer. It occurred on the anniversary of Halloween, the festival observed in bonny Scotland, when young people play necromantic games to discover their future partners, and the fairies hold their annual carnival. Is not this coincidence a happy omen? We believe they have chosen well. Encomiums upon the bride are superfluous, as she has long been known and highly esteemed in this community. In behalf of the HERALD boys who know the groom best, we extend to them our heartiest hand-shake, and our sincerest wishes for a *bon voyage* down the river of life.

Who Killed Tecumseh.

Youth's Companion: In the campaign of 1836, Martin Van Buren, of New York, and Col. Richard M. Johnson, of Kentucky, were the Democratic candidates for president and vice-president. One of the "bearing questions" of the canvass was, "Who killed Tecumseh?" The friends of Johnson claimed that he charged up to the great Indian leader, while surrounded by his warriors and shot him dead.

The Whigs, on the other hand, derided Johnson's claim to be the hero of the battle, and brought forward several claimants for that honor. Among others was Col. Skinner, who had emigrated to Texas. The colonel was put upon the western stump to settle the disputed question, and he did it in this style:

"Feller citizens," said the colonel with a knowing look, "I was at the battle where Tecumseh was killed—I was. I commanded a regiment there—I did!

"I'm not gwine to say who did kill Tecumseh—I won't! But this much I will say, Tecumseh was killed by one of my pistols. Gentlemen, I leave it to your knowledge of human nature to say if a man would be apt to lend out his pistols on an occasion of that sort."

To their credit, the "boys" were not convinced by that way of putting the case.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Watson's Tray Factory, of Deerfield, is running again.

The Japanese Liniment Concert Company returned home last week from a successful trip.

Judge Geddes has revoked his appointment of special commissioner to clear out the river Raisin.

Ryder Post G. A. R., of Deerfield, will have a house warming when they take possession of their new hall.

The prospects are favorable for the establishment of a Young Men's Christian Association in Hudson.

A Springville firm wants 1,000 bushels of cider apples. They will want them some time before getting them this fall.

There will be a dance at Ayres Hall in Springville to-morrow evening. Music by Barlow and Williams' full orchestra.

The racks in the apple dryer of the Morenci canning works caught fire last week and were damaged to the extent of fifty dollars.

The drain business is a leading industry in this county now. It is estimated that over fifty miles of ditch will be constructed this fall.

Adrian Press: Hiram Emerson walked off with the Morenci Observer premium for the bushel of best potatoes, and Dar walked off with the potatoes.

Adrian Press: Some newspaper is liable to have a big patronage, as the Clayton merchants propose to have a list of all dead-beats on their books published, and the accounts offered for sale.

The Adrian city supervisors kicked because the Board raised their assessments. They wanted their city assessments to remain the same as they were three or four years ago before the business boom struck the city.

Supervisor Ira Swaney has been appointed chairman of a committee of five of the county board, to supervise the construction of a $75,000 court house.—Hudson Post.

The county appropriation is $50,000, but perhaps Adrian intends to do her duty and pay $25,000 additional towards the construction of the building.

Deerfield Record: A. G. Rood, living one-half mile west of the village, lost a valuable horse Sunday. The animal was in the road, and the gate being open it got upon the Canada Southern, near J. Heminway, jr.'s barn, and tried to walk the railroad bridge, but fell through, broke a leg, and had to be killed.

Dundee Reporter: Our friend Boardman of the Petersburg Bulletin, was in Deerfield, Monday, and is reported as having engaged in fishing—not in the waters of the Raisin for pickerel, but in a different kind of a pond—for his watch which he lost therein. Moral: before drinking sweet cider at Deerfield secure your watch by dropping it into the boot leg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baker celebrated their silver wedding at their residence west of Adrian on the 17th ult. They entertained a very large company, and five generations of relatives were present at the dinner table. Friends were present from New York, Ohio, Kansas and Texas and from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Chelsea, Jackson and Hudson in this state.

Adrian Press: A colored boy, aged fifteen, son of Samuel Foster, was arrested Tuesday and tried for drawing a loaded pistol and threatening to shoot some of the girls at the North Branch school of which he was a member. He has been a source of great trouble for a long time and Justice Long sent him to the Reform School till he becomes of age.

Blissfield Advance: There is a little drain which crosses the road between Riga and Deerfield. It is only two rods long, yet a special commissioner was called for to construct the ditch. He gets in seventeen days at $3 per day, the surveyor must be paid, advertising, etc., making a total cost of nearly a hundred dollars. All for a job that a man could dig in half a day.

Clinton News: Last Friday Bert Kishpaugh met with a painful and, for the time being, serious accident. He was loading clover seed on the farm and was thrown from the load by the team starting up. He struck on his head and shoulders, and was picked up insensible. He soon regained consciousness and was taken to the house. He experienced a great deal of pain in the back and neck and was at times delirious during the day, but we are glad to learn, has now recovered from the shock.

Morenci Observer: "The glorious uncertainty of the law" was again illustrated last week, in a legal tilt, which one of our citizens had with a Fayette man in the courts of Wauseon. The lawyers talked encouragingly, the testimony seemed all right, and everything went swimmingly for Morenci until the verdict—the essential thing—was reached, which was for Fayette. The Buckeyes are acting strangely this fall anyway, and nothing but the quinine which Judge Hoadly took for his "ager" seems to work correctly.

—A very nice article of black walnut chairs, something new and nice, for sale at Palmer's chair factory. Also a good assortment of other furniture, all at prices to suit the times.

—The place to get pictures cheap is of Barrows, opposite opera house.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machine without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—If you want to spend 50c or $1, and want lots for your money, you ought to go and see Barrows.

—At Coller's Palace of Music in Adrian you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call, or drop a postal for prices.

—Barrows is still in town and making pictures at very cheap rates; call and see.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, has returned from New York with all the new styles and novelties in millinery.—Hats made over and trimmed in the latest style.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, has reopened her store for the fall and winter trade.

—If the work don't suit, don't take it. This is the way I do business with all. Barrows.

—Mrs. C. M. Webster has moved to the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood, one door west of P. B. Swick, with the other branches of work. Colors fast switches for 25c and does oil stamping on short notice.

—Persons wishing pianos or organs tuned or repaired, by leaving their orders with me may rely on having it well done, as I have arranged with a competent and reliable party in Detroit. He tuned a number of instruments here a short time since, and all parties are well pleased. G. P. Sparks.

—Custom work done at amazingly low rates at S. W. Temple's new brick mill.

—The Detroit Diamond Fanning Mill, the best in the market only $25. Slayton & Son.

Mrs. E. Drew, of Chicago, and Mrs. Swhab, of Sandusky, are the guests of Mrs. I. P. Keyser.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Call on Slayton & Son for good cooking apples. Cheap.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller, of Adrian Gen. Agt. for the New Home Sewing Machine if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machines. He is the company's only authorized agt. in this vicinity. Don't be misled.

—Spring Tooth Harrows at Sandi cor's.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, Blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, is offering great inducements in millinery and fancy goods.

MARRIED.

STACY—BIGELOW—On the 31st ult., at the residence of the bride's parents in East Saginaw, by Rev. John Wilson, assisted by Rev. A. J. Bigelow, father of the bride, Mr. George N. Stacy, of Tecumseh, and Miss Gertrude Bigelow, of East Saginaw.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Oct. 31, 1883.

Goss, Lewis — Osborn, Mary
Millard, Ross — Yeast, Mary E.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."
FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel		2 00 @ 2 50
Apples, dried, ₱ lb		4 @ 5
Butter, ₱ lb		17 @ 20
Barley, ₱ bushel		50 @ 60
Beans, ₱ bushel		1 60 @ 2 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel		25 @ 30
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred		2 00 @ 2 25
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred		4 00 @ 5 50
Beef Hides		5 @ 6
Calf Skins, ₱ lb		8 @ 10
Corn in ear		35 @ 40
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel		35 @ 40
Clover Seed		4 50 @ 5 00
Chickens—dressed		10 @ 12
Eggs, ₱ doz		15 @ 20
Flour, ₱ barrel	4 00 @ 7 00	
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00 @ 6 00	
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @ 5 00	
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @ 10 00	
Honey, ₱ lb		12 @ 15
Ham, ₱ lb		12 @ 14
Lard, ₱ lb		10 @ 12
Oats, ₱ bushel		25 @ 30
Onions, ₱ bushel		50 @ 60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel		35 @ 40
Salt, ₱ barrel		2 00 @ 2 25
Sheep Pelts		40 @ 50
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		1 50 @ 1 60
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb		10 @ 12
Wood, ₱ cord		4 00 @ 5 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		1 00 @ 1 05
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel		1 00 @ 1 05

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Is the most wonderful cough medicine ever prepared. It is a specific cure for Whooping Cough, Bronchial and Winter Cough. It contains no opium, tartar emetic, prussic acid, opium or any drug or chemical, being purely vegetable. General directions in 10 languages.

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What Struck an Old Soldier.

[illegible] years since the war closed.

Under the date of August, 1882, the village of Dover, N. H., lay still as the sphinx in Egypt. Abner Elkins sharp, of that place, slowly and with speak of the past. "Yes," he said, "I was in the army and saw many of the sights of those earthly years. I was finally discharged from the army, coming home sandy and [illegible] from inactivity, which I had [illegible] and that I was in the shape to appreciate the warmer weather to my blood once in more.

"That was enough," [illegible] responded Mr. Sharp [illegible] "Now, I'll tell you what happened when my condition I began taking Parker's Tonic and my health commenced to improve right away. I was astonished at it and so was my wife. I slept like a log and could eat anything. My nerves got strong up. I could attend to business without stopping. Now I have to take a vacation, leaving my wife to look after the farm. I was [illegible] I enclosed. What a difference there are in things, you see, and this one, Parker's Tonic, saves."

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Loss and Gain.

CHAPTER I

[illegible]

My doctor pronounced me cured, and I got sick again with terrible pains in my back and sides and I got so bad I

Could not move.

[illegible] shrinks.

I took the [illegible] I had been doing for my liver, but it did me no good. I did not expect to live more than three months. I began to use Hop Bitters. Directly my appetite returned, my pains left me, my entire system seemed renewed as if by magic. After using several bottles I was out of pain as sound as a sovereign, and weigh more than I did before. The Hop Bitters I owe my life.

Dover, June 6, '81. R. Fitzpatrick.

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[illegible] talking to a theatrical man to-day I picked up these items, correct or incorrect. "Theatres in one sense, are boys's carried out," said he. "A man writes a play, for instance, in the United States, and his chances are very small of having it accepted. A literary man of very respectable talent in New York not long ago wrote a play which gave himself and friends great satisfaction, and a certain manager who bears a reputation for literary discrimination gave his personal promise to the composer's friend that it should be the coming piece, and promptly, too. The writer was overjoyed, and carried his own piece to the theatre and saw it laid in the manager's hands. Months passed by and no word was received. At the expiration of six months he sent for his piece, and it was not till one year had passed that it was returned, and then only after getting drunk and going to the theatre with a club and behaving in a most boisterous manner, falling through doors, box offices, screens and others things. If he had not really wanted the money his manuscript might never have been returned. They sent it back with great thanks. When he came to look at it he found just some gum had been put over the leaves, which had been stuck together from the time we sent it, and this gum was clear proof the leaves had never been opened."

"Well," said I to my acquaintance, who is a pretty deep man in theatricals, "is that the way managers conduct themselves?"

"There is one theatre in New York," said he "which has employed a man and pays him a salary to read plays. That theatre, though it was started by persons new to theatricals, has made more money than any concern in New York. The money really lies in original pieces, but our managers are often dull, imitative men who pay enormous royalties for the cut-and-dried stuff from London, and sometimes from Paris, putting no other value on their fellow-citizens than a foreign seal. Here, for instance, is the 'Silver King' running at Wallack's. It owes its entire strength to a few strong melodramatic situations. It has neither comedy nor character to speak of. They have to pay for it well."

"How much do they pay?" said I.

"Well, it has been bought by a speculator, who farms it out. I think he gets about 10 per cent of the gross receipts at every performance. The theater contains perhaps $1,200, seven times a week, on which the speculator will receive $700. Now, that sum of money would pleasure in writing by a respectable man in this country of a play."

"Are there many plays written by Americans?"

"Oh, yes; the production has been very large for some time past. The Madison Square theater has been paying good prices for plays, and has made money all the time, both in New York and on the road. Mrs. Burnett has concluded a contract for another play with them. Brandon Howard probably has made a contract for another one. They look ahead, and do not pay the Bohemian like most of our managers, who seem to have neither bow nor beam, nor center-board."

"What do you suppose a woman like Mrs. Burnett would get for her play?"

"I merely guess when I say that she may get $2,000 on signing the agreement, give her $500 to each act as it is produced, and then pay her from 10 to 20 per cent of the gross receipts after the play begins. That is way to bring out the quality of authors who has got it, to put them under the highest pressure of competition."

"How does Bartley Campbell do with his pieces?"

"Campbell is now worth about $40,000. He drinks champagne when he used to drink beer. I met him the other day, strong as ever, and he cried out, 'Hello! Have you already come to life?' Now, said he, 'I am not half as happy as when I drank beer. My happiest days are over. There was a time when I could not pay my printing bills, take my company out of town without owing part of my board bill, and could not buy railroad tickets for them to the next point, but said to the conductor, 'Jim, you must let me alone this time, I have no money and take the rest out in trade.' Ah, said Campbell, those were golden days. Now I can draw a check for my company and have no bright colloquies with the conductor, and drink champagne. Yet I am comparatively miserable. So, you see, life is not a bed of roses.'"

"How does Campbell make his money?"

"Why, he hires the manager as well as his company. He picks up a man acquainted with the profession to get him up a company to suit his purse, and, there one need have nothing to say except to object to such a part being imperfectly represented. While he is not a man of strictly literary capacity, he is a man of very good dramatic capacity, and having lost money by writing over the heads of his audience, now writes toward the hearts and seldom misses it."

"Do you think that the New York theatres draw the money they ought to?"

"No. Their ignorance, laziness, prejudice and superstition keep from their doors thousands of people who would cultivate a native drama which would amuse the literary instinct. In Paris the best actors of the play are people who rather think they could write one or two acts. I the subject of the original drama as a piece of patriotism. The stage becomes more and more the indication of a nation's mental resources and love of country. In New York we play British pieces, French pieces and German pieces, and even the Italian drama is creeping in here; but a man writes pieces about his own country at his peril. The New York press, indeed, is a foreign press. It affects to treat matters from all portions of the United States like the London Times treats the operations of Frenchmen, Socialists and Nihilists. The tone of this press is given to it by a set of emigrants, who appear not liable to arouse the hostility of its obscure native managers. We have a few play-writers whose pieces draw money on the other side of the water, but they are hardly noticed in the New York newspapers. Here are McKee Rankin's two plays, each of which has run in London a whole season, and you would find in London that they were by an American author, and his name exploited; but in New York you would have to go into some actor's chop-house to inquire who wrote the pieces, and then you would hear that the actor did it himself—so great is conceit. Most of our actors, after they get a piece a few weeks, go around with a swagger and call the author a great villain. 'I got the piece from him, says Stuff, 'and it wasn't worth a damn. I built it up—it's mine.' In short, the New York stage to-day has some of the most provincial attributes on the earth. They will buy failures from London and have lawsuits over failures from Paris, because they really do not know anything about theatrical work. Lester Wallack said but yesterday that he knew nothing about plays, that unexpected successes were made in his house by things he had never admired."

Youth's Companion

A recent census bulletin shows that of the various states and territories, New Mexico is the most illiterate and Iowa the least. In the former state only 2 per cent of the population above ten years of age cannot read, while in the former territory 60 per cent cannot read. In Massachusetts the percentage of persons who cannot read is about 6 per cent, in New York about 4 per cent, and in Ohio about 3 per cent. The southern states are more illiterate than the states of any other section of the country, 48 per cent of the population in South Carolina being unable to read.

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Cured His Hump.

A day or two ago, as the passengers were leaving one of the ferry boats, a gentleman who stood beside a city policeman remarked,

"When I see a poor fellow like that I am consoled for not being rich."

"Why?"

"Why, there's a man with the hump on his back. I'd rather be poor all my days than be deformed and have millions of money."

"I can cure him in about five minutes; come and see," replied the officer, as he walked toward the unfortunate and invited him to pass up stairs. There was a kick, but he had to go and three or four minutes' time sufficed to remove his deformity, which consisted of twenty-two yards of flannel and six pairs of socks.

"Purty smart!" growled the smuggler, as he was allowed to go.

"Not so very," was the reply; "a man who carries a hump on his back should carry a stiff neck. You didn't."—*Detroit Free Press.*

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A Beautiful Woman in a Painter's Eyes.

I was standing on Broadway, a few days since, talking with my friend James H. Beard, the celebrated animal painter, his tall figure and long white locks attracting the attention of passers-by. While we were discussing art topics a very beautiful woman went past. I touched my friend, calling his attention to her. Said

"By jove! Jim, look! such a creature!"

Striking a [illegible] pose he looked at her critically, with the eye of a connoisseur, and finally said: "Yes, she is as beautiful as Venus."

I don't know precisely how the lady would have liked the criticism had she heard it, but it was meant as a compliment. He spoke as an artist, rather than as a man.

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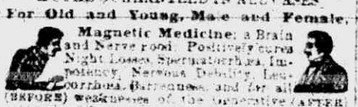

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Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	2 30 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 30 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 20 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 37 "	5 25 "
Petersburg	10 50 "	5 16 "	
Toledo	9 50 "	6 25 "	

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Toledo	10 50 "	8.25 "	
Adrian	11 40 "	9 22 "	6.10 A.M.
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Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
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Hand	‡ 9 46	‡ 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulus	10 09	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	‡ 4 19	10 40	8 35
Willis	‡10 19	‡ 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	‡10 25	‡ 4 34	10 53	9 35
Milan	10 36	4 44	11 01	10 55
Cope	‡10 46	‡ 4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	‡10 56	‡ 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	‡11 07	‡ 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	5 21	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	‡11 35	‡ 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	‡ 5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	‡12 04	‡ 6 03	12 31	‡ 3 01
Alvordton	‡12 17	‡ 6 15	12 45	‡ 3 43
Montpelier	12 39	§ 6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	‡ 6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
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STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail	Exp's	W. Tr
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 35	‡ 2 47	‡ 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakesley	‡ 8 57	§ 3 08	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	§ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	‡ 9 30	§ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	‡ 9 45	§ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	‡ 4 08	10 33	9 22
Sand Creek	*10 07	§ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	§ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	§ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cope	*10 44	§ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	§ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	§ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 10
Romulus	11 26	5 54	12 04	4 50
Hand	*11 39	§ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
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P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
2 20	3 20	8 25	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	2 00	5 20
4 [illegible]	5 26	8 40	" Manhattan Jc. "	9 51	2 50	5 16
4 [illegible]	5 29	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	2 37	5 06
4 [illegible]	4 10	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 40	4 27
[illegible]	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 27	4 18
4 [illegible]	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
5 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 34	1 01	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
5 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
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11 30	6 55	12 32	" Jackson (M. C.) "	6 10	9 50	9 10
A. M.						
1 58	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 26	7 58	7 58
3 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 32	7 10	7 10
				P. M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Grd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
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8 55	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
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9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" How'th (L. & S.) "		10 22	2 01
		P. M.				
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
						A. M.
	10 15	3 00	" Ionia "		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 04	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 10	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		4 50	" Haw'rd City "			9 25
		A. M.				
		7 45	" Pt'osk'y (G. R. & I.) "			12 01
						P. M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City "			9 45

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YELLOWSTONE PARK.

The Monuments Upon the Great National Park.

Murat Halstead.

There is a public sensibility about the Yellowstone park that honors the people, and is gratifying, because it proves that they feel that the park is their property. Intense feeling has been aroused about the leases that have been granted to Uncle Rufus Hatch, and threats have been made that Uncle Rufus should suffer for his temerity, and General Brisben, who has a fancy that he was forcordained to be the great and only admiral of Yellowstone lake, and who thinks that the stern-wheel steamboat should paddle the golden waters and bear no sound save her own dashings, and witness no rival smoke from a competing chimney of galvanized iron in all her journeyings, has contributed to the public perplexity some literary efforts that need explanation.

I am enabled to contribute a fact or two to the Yellowstone controversy that may have general application. There is to be a rush of visitors to the national park this year. The Northern Pacific railroad runs fifty-six miles north of the northern boundary of the park, and a branch line will be built to the park itself as soon as possible. The Northern Pacific is finished to a point opposite the park, and the whole line will be completed by August 1.

Now, Uncle Rufus Hatch has leased a few ten-acre fields, to erect hotels for the accommodation of travelers. Without the leases there could not be hotels, without hotels all visitors would have to carry camp equipage, and that would give a monopoly of visiting to those prepared to expend large sums in providing a suitable outfit for their shelter and protection. Uncle Rufus means to keep a few good hotels.

The members of the Western associated press who are to visit Yellowstone park this summer, at such time as they may appoint, as guests of the Northern Pacific railroad, should not be severe beyond the dictates of conscience on an arrangement that will provide them with hotel accommodations, and all citizens should be grateful if, at the same time, provision is made for the protection of the wonders of nature in the park from those barbarians, whose peculiar degradation has already been illustrated by setting fire to venerable forests, hacking and mutilating picturesque objects, and spoiling the magnificent geysers with stones and logs. In comparison with the hideous product of recklessness and wantonness capable of such acts of destruction and desecration, the wild Indian, though called a savage, is to be esteemed a gentleman.

Pa and the Hot Maple Syrup.

Peck's Sun.

Last night we had hot maple syrup, and biscuit for supper, and pa had a saucer full in front of him, just a steaming. I could see he was thinking too much about his mining stock, and I thought if there was anything I could do to take his mind off of it, and place it on something else, I would be doing a kindness that would be appreciated. I sat on the right of pa, and when he wasn't looking I pulled the table cloth so the saucer of red hot maple syrup dropped off in his lap. Well, you'd a died to see how quick his thoughts turned from his financial troubles to his physical misfortunes. There was about a pint of hot syrup, and it went all over his lap, and you know how hot melted maple sugar is, and how it sort of clings to anything. Pa jumped up and grabbed hold of his pants legs to pull them away from himself, and he danced around and told ma to turn the hose on him, and then he took a pitcher of ice water and poured it down his pants, and he said the condemned old table was getting so rickety that a saucer wouldn't stay on it, and I told pa if he would put some tar on his legs, the same kind that he told me to put on my lip to make my moustache grow, the syrup wouldn't burn so, and then he cuffed me, and I think he felt better. It is a great thing to get a man's mind off of his trouble, but where a man hasn't got any mind, like you, for instance.

At this point the grocery man picked up a fire poker, and the boy went out in a hurry and hung up a sign in front of the grocery, "Cash paid for fat Dogs."

Sarah Bernhardt's Bankruptcy.

A formidable struggle is going on among the creditors of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt for the possession of the 37,000 and odd dollars realized by the sale of her jewelry. M. Bloch, the diamond expert, appears to have a prior claim upon the money, as he advanced upon the jewelry a sum superior to the total amount realized. Mr. Worth and another dressmaker claim more than $5,000 for the costumes worn by Mme. Bernhardt at the Vaudeville theatre, while a host of other creditors demand various sums for "value received" in the shape of cash or goods. The affair is being examined by a court of law, and a decision will be arrived a next week.

Complicated Breach of Promise.

A Philadelphia case goes to prove that women, as well as men who live in glass houses, should not throw stones. Miss Susan Benison, of that town, sued William Craig for breach of promise, and got $7,500. Whereupon James Johnson came forward and sued Susan for breach of promise, showing that she was engaged to him at the time it was proven that William jilted her. The court set aside the verdict against Craig, and Susan is forlorn.

Alcohol in the Hospitals.

New York Sun.

A return laid before the Melbourne hospital committee lately, being the result of non-alcoholic as opposed to alcoholic treatment, by various hospital surgeons (whose names in these reports are only represented by letters), is decidedly in favor of the use of stimulants in sickness—the death rate being much heavier among those who had a meagre allowance of them.

It was a Cold Day, and He Got Left.

A tramp looked at the jail at Malvern, Iowa, on a cold day. Smoke was coming from the chimney, and as he shivered in his ragged clothes, he longed for the comfortable warmth inside the building. As a means of getting in, he threw a brick through a church window. Bitter was his disappointment. The magistrate gave him fourteen days' labor on the streets.

A lady of experience observes that a good way to pick out a husband is to see how patiently the husband waits for dinner when it is behind time. Her husband remarks that a good way to pick out a wife is see whether the woman has dinner ready in time.

HUMAN BLOOD.—On the purity and vitality of the blood depend the vigor and health of the whole system. Disease of various kinds is often only the sign that nature is trying to remove the disturbing cause. A remedy that gives life and vigor to the blood, eradicates scrofula and other impurities from it, as Hood's Sarsaparilla undoubtedly does, must be the means of preventing many diseases that would occur without its use. Sold by dealers.

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Measuring the Age of Trees.

The counting of the rings added by exogenous trees every year to their circumference can only, without risk of error, be applied to trees cut down in their prime, and hence is useless for the older trees which are hollow and decayed. Trees, moreover, often develop themselves so unequally from their center that, as in the case of a specimen in the museum at Kew, there may be about two hundred and fifty rings on one side to fifty on the other. Perhaps the largest number of rings that has ever been counted was in the case of an oak felled in 1812, where they amounted to seven hundred and ten; but De Candolle, who mentions this, adds, that three hundred years were added to this number as probably covering the remaining rings which it was no longer possible to count. This instance may be taken to illustrate how unsatisfactory this mode of reckoning really is for all but trees of comparatively youthful age.

The external girth measurement is for these reasons the best we can have, being especially applicable where the date of a tree's introduction into a country or of its planting is definitely fixed, since it enables us to argue from the individual specimen in question to a number of specimens, not with certainty, but within certain limits of variability, to the rate of growth of that tree as a species. In these measurements of trees of a century or more in age, such as are given abundantly in London's "Aboretum," lies our best guide, though even then the growth in subsequent ages must remain matter of conjecture. The difficulty is to reduce this conjectural quantity to the limits of probability; for, given the ascertained growth of the first century, how shall we estimate the diminished growth of later centuries? The best way would seem to be to take the ascertained growth of the first century, and then to make, say, the third of it the average growth of every century. Thus, if we were to take twelve feet as the ascertained growth of an oak in its first century, four feet would be its constant average rate, and we might conjecture that an oak of forty feet was a thousand years old. But clearly it might be much less; for the reason for taking the third is not so much that it is a more probable average than the half, as that it is obviously less likely to err on the side of excess of rapidity.—*Popular Science Monthly for November.*

A Million Dollars Depending on the Letter S.

Leonard Case, a millionaire old bachelor, charitable and eccentric, died in Cleveland city several years ago, leaving besides a handsome legacy for a school of applied science which bears his name, a large property for his heirs and next of kin to quarrel over in the courts. One of the suits now pending in the Ohio Supreme Court, the court of last resort, hinges upon the appearance of the letter "s" in the statutes. The other descendants of Leonard Case's mother claim a share in the estate. The statutes provide that under certain conditions the estate of a deceased person shall pass to the next of kin of the blood of ancestors from whom the estate came. If the word "ancestors" is to be construed in its full force, the descendants of Mrs. Case can obtain their full share. On the other hand, it is claimed that the letter "s" at the end of "ancestors" crept into the statutes through the carelessness of some printer or proofreader. The case will be heard in the Supreme Court before long. The property involved is valued at $1,000,000.—*Correspondence New York Sun.*

The True Test.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 5th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Taylor, an insane person.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles C. Tifft, guardian of said insane person, praying for the allowance of his first guardian's account, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said ward and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. oct11

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the late residence of deceased in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1883, and on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of September, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Sept. 12, 1883.

LEWIS CAMBURN,
MILAN SAGE,
sept13 Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of William Waring, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 2d day of November, 1883, and on the 5th day of March, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of September, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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Dress Goods, Flannels, Table Linens, Waterproofs, Underwear, Hosiery, Corsets, Ribbons, Hdkfs, Gloves, etc.

Give me a trial and oblige.

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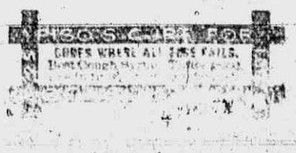

TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, NOVEMBER 1st, 1883.

GAINSLEY & CO'S GREAT ECONOMY SALE.

NOVEMBER 1st, 1883.

GREAT ECONOMY SALE!

GAINSLEY & CO.

Have again taken advantage of the depressed condition of the

Eastern markets and placed on sale in the last ten days a second stock of Fall and Winter Goods. We bought heavy and in order to move stock rapidly we shall make low prices on the entire stock. We give a partial list of bargains and specialties, not being able to give the entire list, as

OUR STOCK IS IMMENSE.

DRESS GOODS.

[illegible] 5c and 6c a yard; Conville brocades, beauties 9½c and 10c a yard; cashmere twills, good durable goods, 11c, 12½ and 15c a yd; 44 inch [illegible] beautiful goods and [illegible] 30c, 35c and 40c a yd; 20 pieces ottoman cords, newest shades, 28c a yd; 20 pieces plaids, handsome style, 10c, 12½c and 15c a yd; 20 pieces German [illegible] goods all wool [illegible] goods, 85c a yd; an immense stock of all wool cashmeres, in black and colors, all the newest shades are represented in this stock [illegible] cloths, camletts, Austrian satines, ottomans, English brocades, silk warp henriettas, velvets, velveteens and plushes, a large and varied assortment in black, [illegible] scarlet, navy, myrtle, olive, royal purple, brown and claret. Black silks, rhadamas, and brocades, rare bargains.

CLOAKS, DOLMANS,

CIRCULARS & SACQUES.

Never have such bargains been offered since ready made garments were worn. Examine our prices, compare our styles, and [illegible] the place to buy a fall and winter wrap this season is at GAINSLEY'S. Shawls, skirts, hoods, leggins, and mitts at [illegible] Tapestry, [illegible] beaver cloakings, tweeds, jeans, cassimere and waterproofs at unapproachable prices.

GLOVES AND HOSIERY.

Never before have we placed on sale such an elegant line of

Ladies, misses, childrens and gents' gloves. We guarantee you a positive saving of 20 per cent. Dont fail to see [illegible] misses and [illegible] hosiery. We have just placed in stock a dozen of those warm and durable Elkhart all wool lines at less in price than the yarns cost you.

Before Selecting your

UNDERWEAR

Give us a call. We have an endless variety from a 25c Shirt and Drawers to the finest all wool.

[illegible] and [illegible] and fancy goods, handkerchiefs, Spanish laces, French points, etc., is unusually attractive.

IN DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, PRINTS,

Ginghams, ginghams and reversible ginghams, you will find all the newest styles. In sheetings, muslins, crashes, table linens and damasks, canton flannels, shirtings, denims and tickings, we have a large stock and cheap.

Great Bargains, Fresh Goods, Low Prices, and Small Profits is our Motto.

GAINSLEY & CO.,

TECUMSEH, Nov. 1, 1883.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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STILL AT THE HEAD!

Is it Not So?

That the People of this city and vicinity are getting sick of paying big prices for poorly made furniture without regard to style, and made by inexperienced workmen.

THE PEOPLE

Have long ago come to the conclusion that

WM. McCOWEN'S

Immense Furniture Establishment is the only place in the county where they can buy the latest styles of fine and medium grades of Furniture at prices lower than one horse dealers in an inferior class of goods.

IN UNDERTAKING

This establishment is also far in advance of all others, owing to the proprietors having

Over 9 Years Experience in This Branch.

First-Class Work at Low Prices is our Motto.

IMMENSE STOCK

OF

New Clothing!

For Men Boys and Children,

And more coming daily, for Fall and Winter Of 1883-4.

An elegant Line of New Piece Goods.

New Ready-made Suits, New Hats and Caps, New Underwear. Everything New.

We offer the Largest Assortment and Lowest Prices the mar et affords.

We cordially invite all lookers after our line of goods to come and see us.

STRONG & McNAIR.

New Goods Received!

HORSE BLANKETS,
BUFFALO ROBES,
WOLF ROBES,
Guns and Ammunition,

Also the largest line of

STOVES

Ever on exhibition in northern Lenawee.

Cali and see our

BRILLIANT JEWEL,

It is the finest Coal Burner in the market.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors,

BLINDS & MOULDINGS

of all kinds.

PLANING, SAWING AND MATCHING DONE TO ORDER.

Mill corner Pearl and Shawnee streets,
Office, Yard and Storerooms, corner R. R. and Shawnee streets.

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MANAGER.

MARKS & RUSSELL,
Dealers in
DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
Paints, Oils and Groceries.
Hewitt's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.
Physician's prescriptions skillfully compounded.

JAMES LOWRY,
—GENERAL DEALER IN—
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
Crockery and Glassware.
No. 3, Merchants' Block, Tecumseh, Mich.
Highest Cash Price paid for BUTTER, EGGS, ETC.

C. F. MORLEY,
—DEALER IN—
GENERAL CONFECTIONERY,
Nuts and Fruits of all kinds in their season.
Also Agent for the Farmer's Mutual Insurance Co. of Lenawee Co.
North Side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

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LUNCH ROOMS!
Ice Cream, Confectionery and Cigars.

PURE TEAS A SPECIALTY.

IMPORTED SWEEDISH
SAFETY MATCHES!
Without odor.
SULPHUR MATCHES,
1000 for 10 cts.
NEW CANNED MACKEREL
AT
A. ANDERSON & SONS.

ARNOLD BROS.,
Proprietors of the old established
STAR BAKERY.
Fresh Bread, Rusks, Cakes, Pies, etc.,
Constantly on hand.
Farmers and others can procure a first-class lunch at their rooms at all hours.
Chicago Street.
TECUMSEH, MICH.

JOE WILSON
Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated
JOHN KELLY----ROCHESTER
Boots and Shoes.
The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.
Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.
No. 2, MILLS' BLOCK.
TECUMSEH, - - - MICHIGAN.

General Repair Shop!
F. P. Denel, Proprietor.
Opposite Hayden's Warehouse.
TECUMSEH, MICH.
Is now prepared to all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

THE OLD RELIABLE
GLOBE MILLS!
WM. HAYDEN, PROPRIETOR.
TECUMSEH, MICH.
These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated
ROLLER PROCESS,
Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

CRAYON PICTURES.
Before placing your orders for crayon pictures of any size or style, call on your home Photographer,
M. P. BROWN,
and secure reasonable prices.
A No. 1 work and warranted satisfactory. Specimens of the finest work on hand. Call and see them.
Remember the New Ground Floor Gallery on South side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

WM. LEIGH,
—PROPRIETOR OF THE—
Tecumseh Bakery!
And Dealer in
Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c., and everything belonging to a first-class Bakery.
Special attention given to furnishing pic-nic or wedding parties.
Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our Motto.
Lee's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

L. Z. Russ will soon move into J. C. Kinney's house.

Three poultry buyers in the place. Sell your poultry.

John Hand has closed up his last kiln of brick containing about 16,000, with about 6,000 tile, which will soon be opened for sale. John expects this kiln to be the best one of the season.

To our great surprise Mr. David Swift has concluded to spend the remainder of his days with us, he being disappointed about securing a passage on account of his age.

The dance given by C. D. Smith and J. B. Ayres, at Ayer's hall, Friday evening last, was a perfect success, and every one reports having had a splendid time. Nearly seventy couple participated.

A. J. Ayres will soon open his store.

Wm. Clayson has left Monroe and gone to Minneapolis, Minn., and writes bright prospects of a desirable job. Success to you, William.

Friends have visited Mr. Jacob Beck who is in flourishing circumstances in Chicago, with a salary of $22 per week.

Henry Mensing and wife have been attending the wedding of Mr. Mensing's brother at Toledo this week.

Look over the country, through thick and thin, and let a town show up as many young men with as bright prospects as old Cambridge can.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Lots of pig corn this year.

We are still without a shoemaker.

Martin Palmer will adjust ideas in District No. 6 this winter.

Quite a number of our people have visited the Art Loan at Detroit.

The M. & O. road is running gravel trains night and day, and will soon have this end of the road all ballasted.

Rev. Mr. Campbell is fast gaining the esteem of his parishioners and the church may safely congratulate themselves.

The M. E. church social has elected Mrs. Julia D. Freer for president for the ensuing year. The first entertainment will be an oyster supper in the basement of the church next week Wednesday evening. All the officers of the society are requested to meet at Mrs. G. W. Jackson's this week Friday evening to make preliminary arrangements.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

The young people of this vicinity enjoyed a very pleasant time at the residence of Mr. John Pease.

Mr. E. G. Lum has gone to Buffalo in attendance of stock for B. Kelly.

Miss Myrtie Graves, of Williamston, Mich., is at Mrs. Holloway's where she intends spending the winter.

Al. Hoxie has returned from the North, where he has been for his health, which we are glad to say is much improved.

Soldiers Attention.

The Kalamazoo Telegraph says:—Quartermaster General Shakespeare has issued a circular reminding all interested parties and the public generally that men enlisting from March 6, 1863, to November 10, 1863, in any Michigan regiment, company or battery, except the 10th and 11th cavalries, 13th and 14th batteries and 1st colored infantry, are entitled to $50 state bounty. Men re-enlisting in their own regiments (after two years' service) from November 11th, 1864, to February 4th, 1864, are entitled to $50 state bounty. Men re-enlisting from February 5, 1864, to May 15th, 1864, in any regiment, company or battery, if applied on the 200,000 call and properly credited, are entitled to $100 bounty. Men enlisting from February 4, 1865, to April 14, 1865, and properly credited are entitled to $150 state bounty.

Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup gives your kidneys and liver a jog to help relieve your lungs of a bad cough, or your child of croup. There can be no membraneous croup when Universal Cough Syrup is used in the first symtoms of the disease. No family with children can afford to be without it one day. 25 and 50 cents.

The Owosso press tells of a boy named Wheaton, whose home was in Brady, Saginaw county, being killed and torn to pieces by a bear. He attacked the bear in the woods with an ax.

Auction Sale of Real Estate.

In this issue will be found notice of the sale on the 27th inst., at Manchester, of the splendid water power and site of the Peerless and Pioneer Mills. These mills were burned a few years ago, but the dam was not injured. The power is a good one, and we regard this as an excellent opportunity for parties desiring to engage in any kind of manufacturing to obtain an excellent site and cheap power.

A LETTER FROM HARTFORD

EDITOR HERALD:

How welcome are the weekly visits of the HERALD to our eastern home sent to us through the kindness of the editors. Six months have elapsed since I bade adieu to my many Tecumseh friends, and while thinking to-day over the events which have transpired between then and now, I decided to pen a brief letter to the HERALD.

Hartford is a beautiful city of nearly 50,000 inhabitants, surrounded on three sides by mountain ranges, from which can be seen dimly pencilled on the horizon the mountains of New Hampshire and Massachusetts. It is neatly laid out in the fertile Connecticut valley. It is considered the most wealthy city of its size in the Union. The principal industries prominent are insurance, book binding, and manufactories, of which Colt's Armory of immense extent is the most prominent. Among the public buildings, the state capitol is superior. It is situated in a large elegant park named after the late Dr. Horace Bushnell. The park is in the center of the city, and besides containing nearly 100 different varieties of trees, abounds in beautiful driveways and foot-paths all leading to the capitol. An artificial lake, a little winding river, rustic seats, statuary, etc., complete the picture.

The capitol was erected at a total cost of over $3,000,000. When it was completed $40,000 of appropriated money remained in the treasury—a thing unheard of before in the history of public buildings. I went through the building in company with mother and Mrs. Dr. Pilcher, of Brooklyn, the other day, and we were amazed at its elegance. I climbed up to the highest point on the dome, a height of 250 feet, and "viewed the landscape o'er."

Hartford is the residence of Mark Twain, Charles Dudley Warner, Mrs. H. B. Stowe, Gen. Jos. R. Hawley, and many other noted persons. Some of the private residences are very fine, but perhaps the unique dwellings of Mark Twain and Mrs. Colt attract more attention from strangers than all the rest combined. The order in which Mark Twain's house is constructed is the reverse of the natural order. It seems to be turned around, the parlor and kitchen exchanging places. The grounds around Mrs. Colt's residence are spacious and very tastily adorned.

All the courts in Hartford, both civil and criminal are opened with prayer, a fact which impressed me as worth mentioning. I know this to be true, because father, the other day, acted as chaplain of the Superior Court.

A C. L. S. C. had never been organized in this city, but last month several persons who were interested in the subject began the formation of a class. We, of course, being true Chautauquaians, lent our aid to the movement, and were rewarded by the organization of a class of 200, representing all denominations. Four sub-circles have been formed from the general circle, which meet monthly in the four quarters of the city. The general circle, of which father has been elected president, meets once a month. The members are enthusiastic and the signs betoken for us a very pleasant year.

Dr. John H. Vincent lectures in our church on Monday eve., Nov. 12, on "That Boy," and as he has never lectured in Hartford, we are anticipating a grand treat.

And so I might continue if it were best. I find the eastern people very pleasant, and among them have made some very warm friends. I am rapidly improving, and considering all things, the change of state and climate has been of great benefit to me. Next summer I expect to spend a month in Tecumseh, visiting my friends. Meanwhile, however I shall live in anticipation of the pleasant times in store for me.

GEO. P. PARDINGTON.

Satisfactory Evidence.

J. W. Graham, Wholesale Druggist, of Austin, Tex., writes: I have been handling Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs for the past year, and have found it one of the most salable medicines I have ever had in my house for coughs, colds and even consumption, always giving entire satisfaction. Please send me one gross by Saturday's steamer.

Dr. Green's Oxygenated Bitters is the oldest and best remedy for dyspepsia, billiousness, malaria, indigestion, all disorders of the stomach, and all diseases indicating an impure condition of the blood, kidneys and liver.

Durno's Catarrh Snuff cures Catarrh and all affections of the mucous membrane.

Dr. Roger's Vegetable Worm Syrup instantly destroys worms and removes the secretions which cause them.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Deerfield's fire engine and hose cart have arrived.

The young people of Weston held Jumbo parties.

Miss Helen Queal will teach the Springville school during the winter term.

The Lenawee County Baptist Association will meet in Morenci Nov. 13th and 14th.

J. H. King succeeds Henry Towle as cashier of the Farmers' bank in Brooklyn.

The Catholic parsonage at Deerfield is receiving a lot of new and handsome furniture.

Edwin Smith, the long bearded Fairfield man, is showing himself in a Milwaukee museum.

The Clinton High School lecture course will open on the 16th with a lecture by Prof. Cummock.

David Swift, who has lived in Cambridge forty years, has sold his farm and returned to England, his native land.

Adrian Press: Three lawyers wrangled four days before a Hudson justice, over a $10 plow. Each party got justice, and cheerfully chucked down enough money for lawyer's fees to buy a whole plow factory.

Morenci Observer: Our village schools, that have been so sadly depleted by the scarlet fever are again gradually filling up, with the exception of the primary department, which has only about one-third its usual number.

Deerfield Record: The Star minstrels from Dundee gave one of their "recherche" entertainments in Burnham's hall, Wednesday evening. The audience was very select—about a dozen; but not one could be found the next morning.

Clinton News: There is a cat in this town so piously inclined that it walks right into church during service—at least a certain feline indulged in that caprice last Sunday morning. Kitty stopped first at the Methodist church and then went up to the Episcopal church, but was ingloriously expelled from both places.

Hudson Post: The lake of the evil name and its vicinity are furnishing material almost daily for litigation and criminal prosecution. Whether the lake is in such close proximity to Addison or *vice versa* we don't pretend to know, but all the civil and criminal matters brought into the Justice's court of Hudson of late have been incubated "on the margin of the lake."

Brooklyn Exponent: On last Friday night a bay horse, which carries his head low, an open bootback buggy and a harness were stolen from the barn of C. H. Hess of Woodstock. The thief is supposed to be a dark complexioned man with whiskers and baldheaded. A liberal reward will be paid for the return of the property or arrest of the thief.

Hudson Gazette: While the Rose wheelbarrow works at Adrian are about petered, our Mr. Weaver and the Whitney works are moving right forward, we thank you. Why, gentlemen of the county seat, when we provide you with institutions, don't you keep them on their legs? If you are going to act so, we shall not set you up in the wheelbarrow business again.

Blissfield Advance: The excitement incident to the appointment of Commissioner Robertson to clean out the Raisin, is quieting down, and the matter in all probability will fall through. Mr. Robertson will not undertake the work unless he has every assurance that he will be backed up by the courts. Popular sentiment seems to be averse to taking out the dams, at least in Blissfield.

The Blissfield Advance indulges in these sensible remarks:

Occasionally we see a man going or coming from the cities, where he does his trading for the season. He may think he can make money thereby, but we doubt it very much. Dealers in all kinds of merchandise in our village carry an abundant stock, and an assortment and variety so large, that anyone can make a satisfactory selection in what ever goods he may desire. Then the price in every case is below that in cities, where the expenses are large and goods must be sold at a higher figure. Patronize home.

Morenci Observer: It is proposed to open the proceedings of our village board of trustees with the use of the good old Episcopal prayer, where it says: "We have done those things we ought not to have done and have left undone those things we ought to have done," as the time is being flitted away in ditching the dryest part of the village, while the draining of Main st. and the repairs on the street leading from Chesterfield, one of the most important in the village, are left entirely untouched.

TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, NOVEMBER 1st, 1883.

Two.

In the bitter gloom of a winter's morn
A babe was born.
The snow piled high against wall and door,
On the mighty oak boughs the frost lay hoar
But the warmth and light shrined the happy face
So softly pillowed with down and lace.
The twin clashed out from the pealing spire,
The night was reddened by many a fire
The cottage smiled for the joy at the hall
As the poor man answered the rich man's call.
And his joy for a day was not forgotten
Because a little child was born.

In the palace gloom of a winter's morn
A babe was born.
The snow piled high against the narrow door,
Frosted age, shuddering, [illegible]
[illegible] the cold and dead
Huddled wraiths who crowded on the dais
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Catarrh

At this season of the year everybody has a cold, and some very bad ones. By frequent exposures the membranes of the nose become very sensitive, and catarrh and influenza are epidemic. Relief may be obtained by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

For many years in succession, beginning so far back I don't remember when, I had the catarrh in my head. It consisted of an excessive flow from my nose,

Ringing and Bursting Noises

in my head. Sometimes the hearing in my left ear was affected. Five years ago, about this season of the year, I began to use Hood's Sarsaparilla. I was helped right away, but I continued to use it until I felt myself cured.—Mrs. Eliza H. Caulfield, Lowell, Mass.

Jerome Brownell, merchant and extensive miller at Victor, Ontario county, N. Y., writes: "I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla for my catarrh, and it has helped me. I consider Hood's Sarsaparilla one of the best remedies for blood disease to be obtained."

100 Doses One Dollar

"I have been troubled with that distressing complaint, catarrh, and have been using Hood's Sarsaparilla, and find it one of the best remedies I have ever taken. My trouble has lasted ten years, and never could get any relief until I commenced to use Hood's Sarsaparilla.—Martin Shield, Chicago, Ill.

Danger from Catarrh

Depends upon the amount and extent of the scrofulous infection. Unquestionably many deaths from consumption can be traced to neglected catarrh. There is a violent distress, prostrated and coughing spells, the eyes weep, the nose discharges copiously, and the head seems about to split.

In such cases Hood's Sarsaparilla corrects the catarrh by its direct action in discharging the poison from the blood through nature's great outlets, so that healthy, sound blood reaches the membranes and is wholesome.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

SAMARITAN NEVER FAILS. NERVINE

THE GREAT

NERVE CONQUEROR

The only known *specific* for Epileptic Fits.
Also for Spasms and Falling Sickness.
Nervous Weakness quickly relieved and cured.
Equalled by none in delirium of fever.
Neutralizes germs of disease and sickness.
Cures ugly blotches and stubborn blood sores.
Cleanses blood, quickens sluggish circulation.
Eliminates Boils, Carbuncles and Scalds.
Permanently and promptly cures paralysis.
Yes, It is a charming and healthful Aperient.
Kills Scrofula and Kings Evil, twin brothers.
Changes bad breath to good, removing cause.
Routs biliousness and clears complexion.
Charming resolvent and matchless laxative.
It drives Sick Headache like the wind.
Contains no drastic cathartic or opiates.
Promptly cures Rheumatism by routing it.
Restores life-giving properties to the blood.
Is guaranteed to cure all nervous disorders.
Reliable when all opiates fail.
Refreshes the mind and invigorates the body.
Cures dyspepsia or money refunded.
Endorsed in writing by over fifty thousand Leading physicians in U. S. and Europe.
Leading clergymen in U. S. and Europe.
Diseases of the blood own it a conqueror.
For sale by all leading druggists. $1.50.

The Dr. S. A. Richmond Med. Co., Props., St. Joseph, Mo. (12)

HOP PLASTER This porous plaster is famous for its quick and hearty action in curing Lame Back, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Crick in the Back, Side or Hip, Neuralgia, Stiff Joints and Muscles, Sore Chest, Kidney Troubles and all pains or aches either local or deep-seated. It Soothes, Strengthens and Stimulates the parts. The virtues of hops combined with gums—clean and ready to apply. Superior to liniments, lotions and salves. Price 25 cents or 5 for $1.00. Sold by druggists and country stores. Mailed on receipt of price. *Hop Plaster Company*, Proprietors, Boston, Mass.

A GREAT SUCCESS

The best family pill made—Hawley's Stomach and Liver Pills. 25c. Pleasant in action and easy to take.

Health is Wealth!

Dr. E. C. West's Nerve and Brain Treatment, a guaranteed specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Headache, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of alcohol or tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Softening of the Brain resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death, Premature Old Age, Barrenness, Loss of power in either sex, Involuntary Losses and Spermatorrhœa caused by over-exertion of the brain, self-abuse or over-indulgence. Each box contains one month's treatment. $1.00 a box, or six boxes for $5.00, sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price.

WE GUARANTEE SIX BOXES

To cure any case. With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with $5.00, we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by

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J. S. NORTON & CO. 242 & 244 SUMMIT ST. TOLEDO, O.

GALVANIZED IRON CORNICE WINDOW CAPS AND SLATE ROOFING

For Sale Cheap.

And on easy terms, A FARM OF 120 ACRES, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles from the village of Brooklyn and ¼ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. For further particulars call at the

HERALD OFFICE.

Monster Trees of California.

As regards the wonderful size of the Sequoia, that is a matter which does not at first fully come to one. The fact is that all the trees are so large that one fails to realize the magnitude of the giants. All have increased in proportion. It requires a mental calculation to convince one's self that the transformation is something quite out of the common. It is only when you come to walk in and out of the hollow trees, and to circle round them and take a constitutional by walking along inside of a fallen giant, or, perhaps (if it had done duty as a chimney before it came to grief), by riding up inside the hollow for a considerable distance, that you begin to understand their size. You do so best, when standing on the ground beside a prostrate tree lying buried in a ditch of its own making, you look up at a red wall rising, perhaps, fifteen or twenty feet above your head, bulging outward considerably and extending in a straight line for three hundred feet along the ground, and tell yourself it is only a tree! The owners of the beautiful grove near the hotel have erected tall ladders, to enable people to climb on to some of these heights and walk along the fallen trees as if on garden terraces. It sounds cockney, but it is decidedly pleasant to gain a view of the forest from an elevation of thirty feet, and it is not every one that can scale the red rampart without the aid of the ladders. If you choose to clamber along the upturned roots you may find an airy seat some forty feet above the ground. This sounds high, but on further consideration you begin to marvel how such extraordinary small roots can ever have formed a fit pedestal for so ponderous a weight. They have literally no depth and a comparatively small spread, so that they have merely a superficial hold on the earth's surface. Yet this slight support has enabled these huge bodies to resist the wild storms of many centuries. All the big trees of the district are concentrated in two groves, namely, the little forest gem of Calaveras, and a much larger belt known as the South Park Grove, on the Stanislaus River, about six miles further. In the Calaveras grove all the Sequoias lie within an area of fifty acres, over which space altogether about one hundred lie scattered singly or in groups. Of these, twenty attain a circumference of about eighty feet near the base; and one, which is distinguished as the Father of the Forest, is found to measure one hundred and ten feet round; it now lays prostrate, and has apparently done so for many a century, for the well-nigh imperishable wood is in part decayed, and long use as a chimney had burnt out its inside and destroyed its summit ere it fell. The portion that still remains is like a long mountain, and two large archways have been cut into the side of the said mountain, in order that those whose taste lies in that line may ride into the hollow trunk and come out by the further opening. It is estimated that the tree when perfect, must have been about four hundred and fifty feet in height. Of the trees now standing, four exceed three hundred feet in height, and one measures three hundred and twenty-five. About twenty-five are said to exceed two hundred and fifty feet. One can, perhaps, better realize what these sizes mean by finding the amount of houseroom to be obtained within a hollowed tree. Several, such as "Miner's Camp" and "Pioneer's Camp," have been used as temporary homes. In the latter, fifty persons can find sitting room; others are used for stabling horses.

Ancient Earthquakes in Ischia.

The most ancient of the recorded eruptions in Ischia was that of Montagnone, to which is ascribed the origin of the vast crater of regular form that still existed before the recent earthquake, in a state of perfect preservation, in the northwestern part of Ischia. About 470 B. C., successive eruptions at Point Comacchia gave rise to the vast flows of Mancocco and Bale, which extended far into the sea and prolonged the point to the north. Numerous efforts have been made since these ancient times to plant colonies on this unstable land, even then fertile and covered with a luxuriant vegetation.

Lyell, who made a long exploration of the island in 1828, relates that first the Erythreans and afterward the Chalcideans, who had settled in the island before the Christian era, were driven away by the incessant earthquakes and the mephitic exhalations escaping from every point. At a later time, 280 B. C., Hiero, king of Syracuse, tried to found a colony there, but it was soon driven away by a formidable explosion preceding the great flows of lava which gave rise to the masses now forming the promontories of Zaro and Camso.

The same fate befel the Grecian colonies which afterward tried at different times to occupy the island. The eruption that forced the retreat of the first Grecian colony, gave rise to Monte Rosato, that cone of projections the sudden formation of which is comparable to that of Monte Nuovo. The last named mountain was raised in September, 1538, in forty-eight hours, at Puzzuoli, after a succession of formidable shocks which occasioned great disasters in the Phlegrean fields and destroyed a great number of Roman buildings. These two mountains of volcanic erection, formed under similar conditions, at two distinct epochs corresponding in each case with a period of repose in Vesuvius, and distinguished by their regular form, which may be compared with that of the classic volcanoes of the chain of the *puy* of Auvergne. Both, terminating in a vast crater, have emitted, like the volcanoes of Auvergne, only a single flow of lava, which seems to have exhausted all their energy. A long period of repose followed. During more than a century "Ischia the Joyous," as it was called, rested in perfect tranquillity. The pleasure-loving Romans made of it the most enchanting resort in the world; all their magnates had villas there.—*Popular Science Monthly for November.*

Fits Cured Six Years Ago.

"It has been 6 years since I was cured of fits," says Mr. W. Ford, of Wirt, Jefferson Co., Ind. "Samaritan Nervine did it." And it always will, reader. $1.50 at druggists.

Little Things.

It is the little things in life that tell for good or evil. It is these that try our patience when they command our attention from the big things that seem worthy of our efforts. But after all, it is attention to these same petty details that tell in the end.

Few men have succeeded in business ventures without a talent of this kind of drudgery, and it is said of Wellington that his battles were won in camp, superintending the proper cooking of food that would maintain the health and spirits of his soldiers. Seemingly small business for so great a man, but when history tell us that to this one thing is due the honor he enjoyed of never having lost a battle, the end comes to justify the means, and in view of such results we wonder that any should fail to realize the importance of little things. Yet sadly inconsistent as it may seem, we go right on in the old way despising and ignoring the little things of every day life, because they seem insignificant and are so numerous and prosy.

Look into your home and observe the multitude of little things, each one too trifling to enumerate among your day's duties, yet every one demanding attention with a voice that years of experience have long since taught us to regard as imperative. For probably before you had long enjoyed the experience of being the head of an establishment, circumstances of one kind or another over which you had no control, possibly an over supply of company, may be sickness of self or friends, obliged you for a time to omit many of these minor details of housekeeping. And none that have had the experience will forget the feeling of utter discouragement that fills her soul as she returned to what had seemed the perfection of order and system, and found chaos reigning in its stead. The tarnished condition of the silver, the griminess of papers in cupboard and pantry that you did not know could look so bad, the smoky window pane and the finger marks about the door-knobs, the missing buttons, the broken stitches and the toeless socks arise before your mind's eye in such disheartening array that your impulse is to run away from it all. There are some to whom this experience has come but a few times in life, and again, there are others who seem to have started with the odds against them, and never caught up with their work.

We call to mind one home of this latter class, where the mistress is so engrossed with grand ideas for the betterment of the race that she cannot condescend to these trifles. Unfortunately for the family their means are limited, so that help cannot be provided to perform these trifling offices and the result is worse than any one could imagine that had not witnessed it in its workings. The big work is done, meals are cooked in very good style, and the floors generally pretty free from dust, and most of the duties of this class performed. But the buttons are never all on, nor the buttonholes of half worn garments ever in repair. The holes in stockings are often drawn together while the impatient owner waits to change. If the missing button should be found indispensable when the garment is put on, there is another martyrdom endured by the mother of the family and the other members while it is replaced, and the husband and child must endure the dreadful ordeal of having the button replaced while he wears the garment. The weekly mending that replaces the stitch in time is a little thing to attend to, but neglected it becomes a veritable thorn in the flesh to each member of a household. And this is but one instance of the little things in the home which if neglected mar the pleasure and the lives of all within it. And this same law of little things holds good throughout every line of business as well, and nine times out of ten failure in life is due to the neglect of it alone.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Even in the making of a will those little peculiarities present themselves: "I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Bridget the whole of my property without reserve; and to my eldest son, Patrick, one-half of the remainder; and to Dennis, my youngest son, the rest. If anything is left, it may go, together with the old cart without wheels, to my sincere and affectionate friend Terence McCarthy, in sweet Ireland."

Another illustration is afforded by the reply of a young candidate for the office of teacher. Archbishop Whately was endeavoring to elicit the candidate's idea on the market value of labor with reference to demand and supply, but being baffled, the prelate put a question in this simple form: "If there are in your village two shoemakers with just sufficient employment to enable them to live comfortably, or say tolerably, and no more, what would follow if a third shoemaker set up in the village?" "What would follow, sir?" said the candidate, "why, a fight to be sure!" which was likely enough, but it was not the reply the reverend prelate looked for.

What Shall we Do with Our Boys?

"Johnnie" writes: "Make 'chappies' of them." "Lord Mashersville" suggests: "Send the beggaws, aw, on the stage." "Oscar Wilde" ventures: "Teach them how to exist beautifully." "O'Donovan Rossa" hints: "Begorra, let 'em join the Brotherhood." "Common Sense" wants them to "join the British army, so as to swell its numbers into respectability." "Bradlaughite" asks: "What do we want with them?" "Fellow-struck" says that they should be taught how to escort a lady to the theater, and then perhaps the ladies will look after them. "Lazybone's" idea is that begging should be unpenalised; and *Fun* agrees with "A Father of Five Young Sons," "Give them an education and a £10 note."—*From Fun.*

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The catalogue of doubtful states closes with Delaware on the list.

The Republicans carry Nebraska and Minnesota by reduced majorities.

Democrats can bet on New Jersey yet and Republicans can risk their money on Minnesota.

New Jersey elects a Democratic governor by a majority and signs a curse of the salon on the state.

Both sides claim the election in Indiana, but the result is so decidedly mixed that both sides can get some comfort from it.

The Republicans carry their state ticket in Pennsylvania by about 40,000 majority, but the Democrats have the legislature.

The Democrats carry their entire state ticket in New York by 25,000 majority except Secretary of State, which is still in doubt.

The Republicans carry the New York legislature, which holds Roscoe Conkling's place in the U. S. Senate at the expiration of Larrabee's term.

The Democrats forget Scott in New York city has produced the desired result. The big majority of last year has been frittered away.

The New York Democrats carry their state ticket with practically one exception in spite of their local quarrels, but have lost the legislature.

Mayor Low was re-elected in Brooklyn by a reduced majority, about 12,000. He run on a non-partisan platform and was endorsed by the Republicans.

Honors are easy in Detroit. The Republicans take the Mayor and the Democrats both branches of the city council. The balance of the city ticket is divided.

A singular feature of the Massachusetts election was this: The Republican gains were in the cities and the Democratic gains in the country, the reverse of what has heretofore been the case.

The contest in Virginia somewhat resembled that in Massachusetts. A hot fight was made against the Mahone republican alliance. The regular Democrats swept the state by about 20,000 majority and have secured the legislature by a strong working majority.

The fight in Massachusetts was the most remarkable ever known in that state, the total vote being 30,000 in excess of last year. Butler was snowed under by a heavy majority. He takes his defeat very philosophically, however, and announces his intention of trying it again next year.

The Farmers' Tribune [illegible] Minneapolis has [illegible] a dairy department and secured the services of Dr. Granger of the State Agricultural College to edit the same. Such a department under Prof. Granger's management cannot but prove a valuable adjunct to the paper.

Mother Slipsy [illegible] people [illegible] failed to bring about [illegible] world [illegible] very old [illegible] forward [illegible] stages and [illegible] the world in [illegible] when Good Friday falls on April [illegible] Easter Day on April [illegible] Day, and Corpus [illegible] the Baptist's [illegible].

Answer [illegible] democrats [illegible] citizens [illegible] support [illegible] city papers [illegible] the establishment [illegible] schools, [illegible] hundreds of [illegible] in your country [illegible] local paper publishes without [illegible] a word calculating to draw attention to your neighborhood, and aid in the progress and enterprise of your immediate vicinity?

THE MICHIGAN & OHIO.

Some Interesting Items in Regard to the Future Prospects of the Road.

When the special inspection party went over the road last Saturday, during their stop at Marshall, the representative of the Evening News had an interview with President Latcha, from which we gather the following items:

The News correspondent was presented to President Latcha by Engineer Bogh, and had an admirable chance to scan this self-made man. He presented a well proportioned figure inclined somewhat to embonpoint, and has a fine head, out of which gleamed a pair of sharp, dark blue eyes. He wears a full beard, coal black, matching the hue of his hair. A pair of glasses rather adds to the shrewdness and sagacity which characterizes him.

"Well, Mr. President," interrogated the penciller, "how are the officers pleased with the new line?"

Bracing himself against a wall hard by for support during his affliction, Mr. Latcha replied: "Why, sir, they are more than pleased with it. They think it runs through the finest farming lands in Michigan. Now, Mr. Cummings there," pointing to the capitalist, "thought my description of the country too highly colored, and was longing to take a look at it. Well, the result is that he is convinced and calls it a veritable Eden.

"How much of the line remains unballasted?"

"But a very few miles, and those will be ballasted this month."

"What point will be the western terminus?"

"Well, that is a question upon which we have not as yet decided, though it will doubtless be Allegan for the present. There is a strong probability that we shall use the Chicago & West Michigan track to Grand Haven, though there has been some talk of building an independent line from Allegan to Saugatuck. We shall have a meeting soon of the board of directors and settle the matter."

"By the way, Mr. President, you speak of the Chicago & West Michigan company. Is there any truth in the report that they have opened negotiations for the purchase of the Michigan & Ohio?"

"None whatever. We have never had even so much as a proposition from them on the subject. While we maintain friendly relations with them, it is not for the purpose of selling out."

"Would the company sell if they got a good offer?"

"It is doubtful, for we have made all arrangements to operate the line. We have contracted for the building of the requisite amount of rolling stock at works in New York state, and also with the Pullman company in Illinois. The locomotives will be turned out as speedily as possible. But then every road has its price, and if offered it a sale generally takes place."

"Has the stock been issued yet?"

"No; it will not be until after our next meeting; then it will be divided and be placed on the market. No bonds have yet been issued either, nor has a mortgage been placed on the road."

"Will your stock go as high as $10,000 to the mile?"

"Doubtless."

"Now, Mr. President, can you give us as satisfactory an answer in regard to the road north to the straits of Mackinaw from here?"

"Yes, that road will undoubtedly be built if we get the proper encouragement. Mr. Cummings is already so pleased with the idea that he has once or twice fallen into the error of calling this the branch instead of the northern extension the main one. It will run through as fine a country as does this, and think what a carrying trade we could do for those lumbermen. Yes, we shall build that line, but just when we shall commence on it I am unable to say. However, it will be just as soon as we get this to running, and settle the general details. Marshall will be right at the junction and will be a capital place for manufacturing interests to locate."

"When you come to take through freight from these Michigan towns what you be crippled by having no outlet at Toledo?"

"My dear sir, we are at that very matter now. The Pennsylvania Central, the Wheeling & Lake Erie and the Baltimore & Ohio all wish to capture our through business, and we can secure extremely favorable terms with either. It will not be decided at present, but I really must leave you and attend to business. However you have got all the information I am at liberty to give to the public, and I will bid you good evening."

And the railroader vanished.

A rather curious case is now before the Lexington, Ky., courts. Some weeks ago a capias was issued to a sheriff who was a very small man, commanding him to bring the body of a good old minister who was very large and fleshy, and weighed 250 pounds. He was found working out in the woods on a summer day. He did not want to go, and yet he was a conscientious observer of the law. So he went and lay down flat on his back in the shade and solemnly said, "In compliance with the law I hereby surrender my bod to be taken by you," and he lay there till the sheriff got tired and went away. Now the question is, did he resist an officer?

The proposals of some Lenawee county people who have actually had a commissioner appointed for the purpose to widen, deepen and straighten the river Raisin from Adrian to Lake Erie has made the up-river people prick up their ears, and if such a thing is attempted a superlative sultry time may be looked for. We have no objection to the Adrianites taking an occasional bath or indulging in a fishing party provided they come and get the same, but we don't propose to drain the lake forty miles up hill to accommodate them. From the size of the cheek displayed it seems as if Tom Navin might be behind it.—Monroe Democrat.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Grand Rapids pays 52½ per cent. of Kent county taxes.

Wheat brings only 85 cents at Battle Creek.

The Supreme Court has adjourned until Dec. 20.

South Lyon will soon have telephone communication with Detroit.

Joseph Carson, of Manistee, put in several days last week trying to kill himself.

Harry Bailey fell from the roof of the new Episcopal church in St. Louis last week and broke a leg.

Burton James, of Niles township, Berrien county, has sold his farm of 200 acres for $32,000 cash.

At least a dozen new buildings have been built in Luther the past month, and more are now going up.

Wm. Lehster, of Romeo, aged 19 years, accidentally shot himself in the abdomen. He will probably die.

Never fool with a gun on Sunday. John Burdette, of Newberry, did so and shot his big toe off.

O. W. Avery's mill at Wyman, three miles from Edmore, burned last week. Loss stated at $10,000.

John Whalen, employed at the city water works, Bay City, was caught on a shaft last week and had both feet taken off.

Bears are very numerous near Bancroft. Calvin Fox shouldered his gun last week and knocked over 200 lbs. of bear meat.

Over 1,000 hunters have gone into the north woods of Michigan this fall over the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad alone.

Some of the heaviest lumber operators in Oceana county are taking in sail with a view of curtailing their operations this winter.

One day last week the D. M. & M. railroad train took on board 122 deer between Marquette and St. Ignace, a distance of 176 miles.

Calhoun county supervisors are very humane. They have furnished the aged paupers with a handsome set of easy arm chairs.

The university students at Ann Arbor tackled the bronze statue of Ben Franklin, the other night, and painted the venerable old party green and yellow.

Sillman, the man who shot a fellow German through the neck, at South Lyon, in a quarrel about a girl, has been acquitted, the jury thinking he was justified in the shooting.

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Insure with Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It is the cheapest and best method of insurance we know of. By its use you are sure to escape many grevous aches and pains. Policies are obtainable in the form of bottles at 50c and $1 each.

A farmer near Alma has offered young ladies of that village from $50 to $100 as an inducement to become his wife. Although he makes a good appearance, is in comfortable circumstances, not over 45 years old, and has only been married three times, no one has as yet accepted. This is more surprising, as the offering of money is from him the best proof of devotion.

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Lottie Howard writes from Buffalo, N. Y.: "My system became greatly debilitated through arduous professional duties. Suffered from nausea, sick headache, and billiousness. Tried Burdock Blood Bitters with the most beneficial effect. Am well as ever.

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It gives strength to the organs to assimilate the food.
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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary C. Adams Shull, a daughter and heir-at-law of said deceased alleging among other things, that although more than twenty days have elapsed since the probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, yet that the executors named therein and to whom the execution of said will was committed and the administration of said estate granted by an order of this court, made on the fifteenth day of October, 1883, have neglected to give bonds as required by law and as ordered by this court, whereby the said executors so named and appointed as aforesaid have forfeited their right to act as such executors, and praying that administration of said estate with the will annexed may be granted to Cordelia M. Adams, or to some other suitable person and that such other and further order and proceedings may be had in the premises as may be required by the statute in such case made and provided.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

A. H. BIGGS, Probate Register. nov8

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First Gift—20 yards Black Gros Grain Silk, worth	$30 00
Second Gift—One Bicycle,	12 00
Third Gift—One Tally Ho Velocipede,	10 00
Fourth Gift—One Double Shawl,	8 00
Fifth Gift—One Dress Pattern,	6 00
Sixth Gift—One Pair Gold Plated Spectacles,	5 00
Seventh Gift—One Double Barrelled Shotgun,	4 00
Eighth Gift—One Marseilles Quilt,	3 00
Ninth Gift—One Comfortable,	2 50
Tenth Gift—One Box Hose,	1 50

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

AUCTION SALE of valuable manufacturing property. The water power and site of the Pioneer mills (now burned) will be sold at the Goodyear House, Manchester, Nov. 27, 1883. For particulars apply to N. Van De Wauken, Manchester, or Norman Geddes, Adrian.

FOR SALE. One yearling thoroughbred Jersey bull, $50. One full-blood boar, 3c per pound, also a choice lot of young cattle.
JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

LOST. Strayed from my west farm in Tecumseh, one red steer, 1 year old. Any information that will lead to his recovery will be liberally rewarded. THOS. BOYD.

NOTICE. Having secured a first-class watch maker, I am now prepared to do all kinds of first-class work. C. A. KELL.

10,000 HEADS OF CELERY now ready, to store away for winter use. Call at Prairie side farm, all who want a supply at $1.50 per hundred. H. L. STEWART.

DRESSMAKING ROOMS at Mrs. A. McNeil's, west end Chicago street.
MISSES MCNEIL.

NOTICE. My wife, Harriett L. Kelley, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all persons are hereby forbidden to harbor or trust her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date. WASH. KELLEY.
MACON, October 11th, 1883.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Last Sunday was an ideal Indian summer day.

Eva Daglish expects to go to Kalamazoo college about Jan. 1st.

The November term of the Circuit Court will begin next Tuesday.

The Detroit Art Loan will be kept open until next Saturday, Nov. 10th.

Slayton & Kinney have just received a full car load of very fine furniture.

The Morenci Methodists are raising funds to cancel their church indebtedness.

The oil excitement at Roscommon has lifted real estate values there and thereabouts from one-third to one-half above former figures.

Willie Buck, a 10-years-old lad of Gaines, is missing. If any one knows of his whereabouts, they should inform Mrs. James Buck, of Gaines, Genesee county.

A Hudson man named D. O'Dell has invested $10,000 in a farm near that place. The sum represents one year's salary as superintendent of a New York insurance company.

Mr. Myron Billmeyer threshed 628 bushels of oats in 3½ hours the other day for J. W. DePuy, which was harvested from twelve acres of ground. An average yield of 52 bus per acre.

A change of service on the mail route from Adrian to Lyons takes effect Nov. 10. The mail starts from Lyons at 7 A.M., arrives at Adrian at 11:30; leaves Adrian at 1:30 P.M., arrives at Lyons at 7:00 P.M.

Carl Chittenden, of Adrian, while passing along one of the back streets Saturday night, fell and broke one of his legs. He was not discovered until Sunday morning, and when found was in a helpless condition.

Next Monday eve., Nov. 12, at the Baptist church, Mrs. L. M. Boise, of Grand Rapids, State Temperance Evangelist, will address the people of Macon, on Temperance Reform in its moral, social and legal aspects.

Michigan sheep breeders should know that dogs will not molest a flock of sheep that has a pair of goats in its midst. The William goat will butt the love of mutton from half a dozen dogs, and will defend the flock to the bitter end.

George Worden, the 10-years-old boy who took a horse and buggy at South Lyon, a few days ago, and started out to see the wide, wide world, has brought up at the reform school, and his early ambition is nipped in the bud.

James Derby of Oregon, is here on a visit at his brother's Abram Derby's in this township. James has lived in Oregon since 1852, and comes east for the first time since his residence there to visit friends. He will go from here to Litchfield before his return home. He came out over the Northern Pacific road.

The Young People's Social Club, of Dist. No. 5, Clinton, will hold a paper social at the residence of John Fisher, Friday evening, Nov. 16. In connection with the evening's program, they propose to give a magic lantern entertainment. Everybody is cordially invited to be present with their paper caps, collars and aprons. Proceeds to be applied to the organ fund.

Grand Opening.

The furniture house that has for years been known as A. W. Slayton's, has had an addition, Mr. Kinney taking an interest with him, and they have just moved into the largest store in the place—the big store on the corner—and filled it with an enormous stock of medium and best furniture. They have one of the best show rooms for undertaking, where all grades of goods are kept, from the cheap $5 coffin to the best metalic caskets worth $150 each. On Saturday, Nov. 10th, they will have a grand opening, when they will be pleased to show their rooms to any and all who will come. To those purchasing that day a discount will be given on every dollar's worth bought. Come and see the finest furniture to be had in Southern Michigan.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 8, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The fall seeding of wheat is looking well in this section.

Remember the club dance at Armory Hall to-morrow evening.

Bridgeman Wells, of Franklin, has gone to Chattanooga, Tenn.

The sportsmen of Brooklyn had a hunting match last Thursday.

Next Sunday is the 400th anniversary of the birth of Martin Luther.

A revival is now in progress at the Friends meeting house in Raisin.

The deaf and dumb man who sells potato peelers has struck Morenci.

There will be a general revision of railroad time cards on the 18th inst.

L. B. Ayres, of Macon, has rented his farm and will reside in Tecumseh.

W. T. Eccles has received an invoice of Florida oranges which are prime.

Fred Deuel's Novelty Shop is becoming one of the institutions of the town.

Several Tecumseh people attended the Remenyi concert at Adrian Tuesday evening.

A. S. Hayden, of Milan, was shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends last Tuesday.

The foundation walls of A. D. Lawrence's new house on Chicago street are completed.

A new daily morning paper will appear in Detroit about Dec. 1st, to be called "The Times."

Daily trains will be running on the M. & O. road before Dec. 1st, possibly as early as the 20th inst.

Remember Slayton & Kinney's Grand Opening, Nov. 10th. Everybody and their friends invited.

Lewis Hoffman, the leader of the Adrian colored band, has been arrested for being a common tippler.

C. A. Wright's new dwelling on the corner of Pottawatamie and Evans streets is booming right along.

The first settlers of Hudson took up their abode there on the last day of October and first of November, 1833.

C. F. Morley distributed some of his home-made molasses candy around our office the other day. It was good to take.

The new building being erected for the Adrian Press and Record offices is being pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

Now is the time to paper your rooms cheap. Large stock of gilt paper going for less than cost at Patterson's drug store.

Landlord Passmore has received a new register for the Lilley house, and he needs it too. Twenty-nine names registered last Monday.

Petersburg is to have a second newspaper. They will fight over lean pickings two or three months and then both move out of town.

Maumee street, from the steam mill to the new M. & O. depot has been graded and gravelled and is now one of the finest streets in the village.

Mrs. H. R. Clark, who sold her Newburg farm last spring and afterwards bought A. D. Lawrence's house on Union street, took possession of the property on the 1st inst.

Miss Lula Monaghan is at home on a short vacation. She is giving excellent satisfaction as assistant in the Weston schools, and will remain there the rest of the year.

The pastors of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist churches have reorganized the Monday morning meetings. They will be held in the study of the M. E. pastor at 10:30.

Leslie VanDorn was quite severely hurt a few days since while driving a nail. It broke, a piece hitting him in the eye. While the wound is painful, no serious results are apprehended.

Adrian Times: Ex-Gov. Croswell sits in a chair at the Lenawee county Savings bank, which has been occupied in regular succession by all the governors of Michigan down to Jerome.

Mrs. William Rickard started for Lima, N. Y. last Tuesday where she intends to remain during the winter. Miss Betsey Thompson will accompany her, and she will probably remain there several weeks.

Township treasurers will find it to their advantage to order their tax receipts at the HERALD office. We print them in any form desired, with or without stubs, bound in books, and furnish them at as low rates as can be obtained anywhere.

A war concert is on the tapis. The different choristers in town have been enlisted and Prof. Hammond is now engaged working up the details. The proceeds of the concert will be given to the High School piano fund. Fuller particulars will be presented next week.

Miss Mollie Weisinger who for the past six months has been clerking in Anderson & Co.'s dry goods store in this village has returned to Deerfield to assist her brother Fred who has just opened a similar establishment at that place. Her many Tecumseh friends regret to loose her.

An excursion train will go into Detroit to-morrow over the Wabash road.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M., to morrow evening. Work in the M. M. degree.

The Detroit morning dailies—the Free Press and the Tribune—have reduced their price to 3 cents a copy.

Social at the Presbyterian church to-night, with music and recitations. Admission 10c. For the benefit of the cushion fund.

Capt. Henry Romeyn arrived in town yesterday, having been called home by the illness of his father. He will probably remain several days.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will hold their social at Bert. Anderson's, next week Wednesday, Nov. 14. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The members of John L. Schoolcraft's class in the M. E. S. S. will give a neck tie and "mum" social at his residence next Wednesday evening.

Bert Hause left Tecumseh yesterday to join his father in Florida. The many friends whom Bert leaves behind, wish him success in his new home.

The marriages are coming thicker and faster. If they continue at the present rate, we shall be compelled to hire an extra "jour." to set up marriage notices.

A discourse on the occasion of the 400th anniversary of the birth of Martin Luther, will be delivered at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock.

John R. Clark is at home this week on a short respite from lecturing. He will fill an engagement next Sunday at Bay City and his time will then be taken up until the middle of January next.

Next Sunday, Nov. 11, will be the 400th anniversary of the birth of Martin Luther. The event will be duly commemorated in the M. E. church of Tecumseh, in the evening at seven o'clock by appropriate services and a sermon on "What we owe to Luther and the Reformation."

The Free Methodist Church in Ridgeway having been repaired and remodled, both inside and out, almost to the extent of a new church, will be rededicated on Nov. 25th, at 2½ o'clock P. M. Rev. Joseph Travis, of Chicago, is expected to have charge of the services. All are invited.

The freight house on the M. & O. depot grounds is now completed, and the painters are putting the finishing touches upon the passenger house. The latter is a very neat looking building, substantially built, with slate roof. It is one of the best depot buildings on the line of the new road.

The Methodist society, led by their pastor, are now raising money to put new furnaces into the church. In connection with this they also contemplate paying off the present indebtedness of about $300. We learn that they have just raised about $150 for their S. S. library. This looks like business. They evidently mean to move forward on the line of progress. All success to them and their energetic pastor.

The Adrian Times is responsible for the following:

One of our merchants recently received the following on a postal card. We suppress names, but otherwise copy it verbatim: PETERSBURG, Mich., Nov. 5, '83—Dear Sir: We going to start a Large paper here and thair a great meny people go from here to buy good at Adrian and I like to git a add from you to put in our paper we put it in very cheap so much so you will not miss it and it pay you to do so. ——— is going to advertise with us. address Jurnell. Pub. Co.

In the appropriate column will be found the marriage notice of Mr. Eugene Bryan and Miss Martha C. Vescelius. The affair was largely attended by the friends of both contracting parties, and the wedding gifts bestowed were both numerous and costly. The groom located a preemption claim in Dakota during the past summer and hence he has already started a "home of his own." We join their friends in extending hearty congratulations.

We dropped into M. P. Brown's gallery the other day and could but admire his elegant rooms and the beautiful photographs which were the result of his handiwork. After looking through his establishment we wondered how any Tecumseh resident could think of going out of town for pictures. We have heard a rumor that Mr. Brown and C. H. Hopkins contemplated forming a copartnership and moving to Detroit. The way to keep such establishments in town is to patronize them.

The business of H. Brewer & Co., having outgrown its accommodations, the firm are engaged in the erection of a large addition to their building. The new portion will be 54x80 feet in size, and two stories high adjoining the old foundry on the north side. Another addition about 15x30 north of that will be used for a blacksmith shop. A large gang of brick layers now at work on the building, which has already reached the second story, and the work will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible to completion.

FROM THE "BAPTIST ITEMS."

The Chautauqua Class have completed the reading of Uarda.

Mary Sweet has gone to Milan to take a position in a knitting factory.

Mrs. Wheeler thinks of spending the winter in Kansas with her daughter.

Mrs. Lyon, mother of Rev F. S. Lyon of Three Rivers, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. M. N. Sears of Norwalk, Ohio, has been visiting Mrs. A. J. North of this village.

Sister Helen Swick, of Reading, has returned. She may spend the winter with us. Hope so.

Father Metler, member of the Baptist church at Flat Rock, has been in town for a few days.

Minnie Alexander is living in the family of Mr. Swartz. Mrs. S. is visiting in the state of N. Y.

Mrs. O. B. DeWolf has had about a week of quite severe sickness the past month. She has recovered.

John Cashman is stopping in Detroit. He occasionaly holds meetings at Rockwood, near Flat Rock.

Mrs. Sophia Pixley has returned from Silver City, Nevada, to Michigan. Her present home is near Petersburg

Mr. & Mrs. Betts are expected to take up their residence in Tecumseh again. Their goods arrived over a week ago.

Quinsy; ask Frank Benedict about it. A few days ago he could not have answered very well; but he can do better now.

Mrs. Vail, of Albany, N. Y., is in Tecumseh and will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Yawger. She is an earnest Baptist.

Mr. and Mrs. Shull have removed to Tecumseh and taken up their abode in the former residence of Mrs. S's. father, Mr. P. R. Adams.

The telegraph line has reached the residence of Mr. A. Stevens, on Logan street. His youngest son, Lincoln Stevens, is studying Telegraphy.

The Misses DeWolf have all been visiting Detroit the past month. Miss Bertha and May are home but Grace still tarries in the city of the Straits.

Rev. J. Benedict thinks of spending a part of the winter with his brother in Arkansas. He hopes to avoid some of the ice and frosts of a Michigan winter.

During the past month Bro. D. Hall and family have enjoyed a vacation visit at St. Louis, Mich. They made the journey there and back by private conveyance.

Mrs. Henry Scoffeld is in N. Y., visiting friends but is expected home soon. During her absence her place as house-keeper and S. S. teacher is filled by Miss Eva Scofield.

Mrs. P. R. Adams has gone to Delaware to visit her son, Waller. It is possible she may remain all winter. But in all probability we can look for her return long before spring.

We regret to learn of the severe and long continued illness of Miss Sophia Sheperdson. She is yet very sick. It is impossible for a well person to comprehend the aggregate of her sufferings.

Miss Hattie Prentiss, of Chicago, paid her friends in Tecumseh a visit during the month of October. It seemed like old times to see her with us again. She still remains in the family of Mrs. F. A. Wilson. Her membership is with the Second church.

Drs. Sawtelle and Brooks, of Kalamazoo, took especial pains to express to the pastor when at the convention, their high appreciation of the Tecumseh delegation to Kalamazoo College. They said, "They are a promising class of young men." Well, we knew that before.

The Pastor's and Laymen's Conference of the Lenawee Association will be held at Morenci, Nov. 13th and 14th. Pastor McLean writes, "We want to see a large delegation from Tecumseh." Just like the Morenci Baptists. They always extend a hearty welcome.

Almost everybody has heard of the Carman Family—as celebrated for their sacred songs. They are the wife and children of Rev. L. N. Carman of Portland. The committee on the Sick and Poor are negotiating with them for a benefit concert during the holidays. Whether arrangements can be made or not yet definitely known.

The Young People's Social will be held in the M. E. church next Thursday evening, Nov. 8th. A large attendance is expected and all are [illegible] come early as the society will elect officers for the ensuing year. The Young People's Society is [illegible] and to do what [illegible] time to rally [illegible] ensuing year.

[illegible] Lenawee [illegible] Tecumseh. Dr. North [illegible] W. De Puy were appointed a committee on entertainment. We expect to have a profitable time.

AUCTION SALE.

L. B. Ayers having rented his farm will sell at auction 1½ miles east of the Mills' school house in Macon, on Tuesday, Nov. 13th, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Span of horses, single horse, 4 cows, 2-years old steer, 2 spring calves, 6 shoats, 38 sheep, lumber wagon, top buggy, pair bobsleighs, set double harness, single harness, 15 tons hay, road scraper, steel plow, chilled plow, cultivator, iron kettle, log chain, 4 acres of corn in shock, &c. Usual terms. H. W. Stevens, auctioneer.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

There was a large gathering at the residence of J. H. Green, of Raisin, on the 1st inst., to witness the marriage of their daughter Alice to David E. Barker, of Wayne Co., N. Y. They were assisted in the ceremony by Alfred Bartlett, during which they were standing under an arch upon which was the inscription "In Sunshine or Rain," from which was suspended an umbrella composed of flowers, with smilax festooned from arch to floor.—We also noticed bouquets of various designs throughout the house, showing fine artistic skill, which we were informed came from Mrs. Smith, florist. of Adrian. The presents were numerous, showing fine display of tastes in their selection. It is needless to say that an elegant repast was set before the guests or that all who were present had an enjoyable time. The newly married pair will make their future home in western New York.

THE FIRST PASSENGER TRAIN.

Over the Michigan & Ohio Railway—A Tour of Inspection by the Owners and Officers.

The first through passenger train went over the M. & O. road last Saturday. It consisted of two Pullman coaches and a baggage car, and carried the Officers and Directors of the road and a number of Ohio and Michigan capitalists who have invested money in the road. The train left the T. & A. A. depot in Toledo early in the forenoon, passed Tecumseh about nine A. M. and arrived at Marshall for dinner. From there the party went to Allegan and thence to Chicago over the C. & W. M. It is rumored that the latter road will soon purchase the M. & O. but nothing is definitely known as yet on this point.—Some of the Directors of the Ohio Central have a heavy money interest in the road and hence it is quite likely that it will be operated by the Ohio Central. In either event it will prove a first-class line for the towns through which it passes. The special train—with one coach short—returned east over the road on Sunday. It is expected that regular daily trains will be running in about two weeks.

FLINT LOCKS.

About a year ago Mr. Geo. Benedict found in a recently cleared field, which had never been plowed, near his father's residence, the irons of two horse pistols. They were laying on the surface of the ground, entirely uncovered. The wooden parts are all gone and the iron much rusted. The wood was not burned off as the temper is not drawn from the springs. They were flint locks with what is known as "hook britch" with wood stock clear to the muzzle. The flints were in their places when found and both were unloaded. They are smooth bore and carried about a half ounce ball. They were just alike, and evidently mates. They have been carefully examined for dates, by filing, and what was once a date found, but it cannot be read with certainty. It looks like 1600 and something. The word 'twisted' can be made out on the barrel, and the name of the maker on the lock. We regret that we have forgotten the maker's name. Whose were they? How long did they lay where found? How and why were they left there? are questions that naturally suggest themselves, but are questions which cannot be answered at present. The day of the flint lock is long past. An early settler would not have been likely to have had kind of a weapon, and if he had a pistol would have had but one. Did some one lose a relic ten or twenty years ago? He would have had but one. The wood would not be all rotted away. Were they captured by the Indians in some war with the whites, and brought to this section and lost? In that case they would not have been apt to have been lost together. Why were they empty of balls? Did their owner die on the spot where they were found? Have they lain there for fifty or one hundred or for two hundred years? An army officer, of the time of the revolution, would likely have had such pistols. It would seem as if they must be very old. Mr. Benedict proposes to remount one of them. They are not for sale.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, is offering great inducements in millinery and hair goods.

—Call on Slayton & Son for good cooking apples. Cheap.

—Cider Apples. If you have any cider apples to sell, bring them at once to Slayton & Son, while they are paying twenty-five cents per bushel.

—A very nice article of black walnut chairs, something new and nice, for sale at Palmer's chair factory. Also a good assortment of other furniture, all at prices to suit the times.

—The place to get pictures cheap is of Barrows, opposite opera house.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machines without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—If you want to spend 50c or $1, and want lots for your money, you ought to go and see Barrows.

—At Coller's Palace of Music, at Adrian you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call, or drop a postal for prices.

—Barrows is still in town and making pictures at very cheap rates; call and see.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Tecumseh, has returned from New York with all the new styles and novelties in millinery.—Hats made over and trimmed in the latest style.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, has reopened her store for the fall and winter trade.

—If the work don't suit, don't take it. This is the way I do business with all. Barrows.

—Mrs. C. M. Webster has moved to the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood, one door west of P. B. Swick, with the other branches of work. Colors hair switches for 25c and does oil stamping on short notice.

—Persons wishing pianos or organs tuned or repaired, by leaving their orders with me may rely on having it well done, as I have arranged with a competent and reliable party in Detroit. He tuned a number of instruments here a short time since, and all parties are well pleased.
G. P. Sparks.

—Custom work done at amazingly low rates at S. W. Temple's new brick mill.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller, of Adrian Gen. Agt. for the New Home Sewing Machine if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machines. He is the company's only authorized agt. in this vicinity. Don't be misled.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

MARRIED.

OLDS—TALBERT—At the residence of the bride's parents, Oct. 24, by Rev. J. A. De Spelder, Mr. B. Adelbert Olds, of Wheatland, Hillsdale co., and Miss Katie L. Talbert, of Macon.

BRYAN—VESCELIUS—By Rev. J. De Spelder, on the 24th ult., at the bride's home, Mr. Eugene E. Bryan, of Tecumseh, and Miss Martha C. Vescelius, of Macon.

ALLEN—ZOLLER—At Tecumseh, Nov. 7, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. George Allen and Miss Mary Ann Zoller, both of Ridgeway.

GRAVES—SOWLES—At Tecumseh, Oct. 24th by Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, Mrs. Geo. W. Graves and Miss Libbie Sowles, both of Macon.

BROWN—BENNETT—On Nov. 7, by Rev. W. Q. Barnett, Mr. Wm. A. Brown to Miss Mary E. Bennett, all of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 7, 1883.

Carter, Mrs. Fannie	Seelmans, Alice
Eicher, R.	Wheaton, Miss Gertie
Potts, Fred	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "advertised."
FRED ROSA, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Nov. 1, 1883.

Ayers, John V.	Donaldson, Joseph
Black, Antoine	Edwards, Mrs. [illegible]
Cooley, Abraham	Lovejoy, Collier
Curtis, Miss Julia	Perkins, Mrs. [illegible]
Cassida, Miss Mary	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say advertised. PETER SHARP, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	2 50	3 00
Apples, dried, ₩ lb	3	4
Butter, ₩ lb	20	25
Barley, ₩ bushel	50	60
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75	1 80
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel		50
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		1 60
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00	5 50
Beef Hides	6	07
Calf Skins, ₩ lb	8	10
Corn in ear	38	40
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	50	53
Clover Seed	4 50	5 00
Chickens—dressed	10	12
Eggs, ₩ doz		20
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	10 00
Honey, ₩ lb		15
Ham, ₩ lb		14
Lard, ₩ lb		10
Oats, ₩ bushel	25	30
Onions, ₩ bushel		75
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	20	25
Salt, ₩ barrel		1 50
Sheep Pelts	50	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		1 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb		10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel		1 00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel		1 00

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Is the most wonderful cough medicine ever prepared. It is a specific for Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Winter Cough. It contains no opium, morphine, tartar emetic, prussic acid, opium or any drug or chemical, being purely vegetable. General directions in 19 languages.

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Measuring the Age of Trees.

The counting of the rings added by exogenous trees every year to their circumference can only, without risk of error, be applied to trees cut down in their prime, and hence is useless for the older trees which are hollow and decayed. Trees, moreover, often develop themselves so unequally from their center that, as in the case of a specimen in the museum at Kew, there may be about two hundred and fifty rings on one side to fifty on the other. Perhaps the largest number of rings that has ever been counted was in the case of an oak felled in 1812, where they amounted to [illegible] hundred and ten; but De Candolle, who mentions this, adds that three hundred years were added to this number as probably covering the remaining rings which it was no longer possible to count. This instance may be taken to illustrate how unreliable [illegible] mode of reckoning really is for all but comparatively [illegible]

[illegible] the rings measurements [illegible] reasons the best we can have, [illegible] where the [illegible] is definitely [illegible] as to argue from [illegible] specimen or from a number of specimens, not with certainty, [illegible] certain limits of variability. [illegible] In these measurements of [illegible] of more in age, such [illegible] given abundantly in London's Arboretum. Yet our best guide, [illegible] the growth in succeeding [illegible] in the matter of contour. The difficulty is to reduce [illegible] quantity to the limits [illegible] for given the ascertained growth of the first century, how [illegible] the diminished growth [illegible] centuries? The best way would [illegible] to take the ascertained [illegible] first century, and then [illegible] the third of it the average growth of every century. Thus, if [illegible] take twelve feet as the [illegible] growth of an oak in its first [illegible] would be its constant [illegible] and we might conjecture [illegible] feet was a thousand [illegible] But clearly it might [illegible] the reason for taking [illegible] is not so much that it is a [illegible] average than that it [illegible] [illegible]

Sleep-Recording Invention

[illegible] the most interesting [illegible] Thomas Edison [illegible]

[illegible]

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Write Postal Card for Free Illustrated Circulars. Mention this paper. Address

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Boys Will Prank and "Whoppings" to Fit Them.

[illegible] whom [illegible] have windfalls and grown tame. Naughty, wilful, mischievous living light scamps. They were at times as soundly thrashed as a rather old-fashioned father would permit. For a time they would mind, but they "wouldn't stay minded," to use a common expression. Nothing seemed as terrible a method of punishment as taking away their spending money—a few pennies each day.

For some particularly grievous offence this was resorted to two or three days before the Fourth of July, and great was their grief and indignation.

Very early the next morning the father who had visited this upon them was awakened by beating them at the [illegible] door crying

"Oh, papa!"

"Boys, go back to your room."

"Oh, papa, dear papa, won't you [illegible] give us our pennies and go back the whoppings?" *Boston Transcript.*

Cured His Hump.

A day or two ago, as the passengers were leaving one of the ferry boats, a gentleman who stood beside a customs officer remarked:

"When I see a poor fellow like that I am consoled for not being rich."

"Who?"

"Why, that man with the hump on his back. I had rather be poor all my days than be deformed and have millions of money."

"I can cure him in about five minutes—come and see," replied the officer, as he walked towards the unfortunate and invited him to pass up stairs. There was a kick, but he had to go, and three or four minutes' time sufficed to remove his deformity, which consisted of twenty-two yards of flannel and six pairs of socks.

"Purty smart!" growled the smuggler, as he was allowed to go.

"Not so very," was the reply; "a man who carries a hump on his back should carry a stiff neck. You didn't." *—Detroit Free Press.*

That weak back or pain in the side or hips you will find immediately relieved when a Hop Plaster is applied. It strengthens the muscles, giving the ability to do hard work without suffering. Take none but this, 'tis sure.

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Gentlemen—I desire to tell you what the Rheumatic Syrup has done for me after using it for three months. For the last fifteen years I have been one of the worst of sufferers with rheumatism. My limbs, arms and hands, in fact my entire form was drawn out of shape, and I have for years been unable to do any kind of business, or to wait upon myself. I have used up nearly all of my means in doctoring, but I grew worse and worse all the time until all hope had left me, and I had fully decided to buy no more so-called remedies, but one of your company, hearing of my case, came to see me, and had so much faith in Rheumatic Syrup that he said he would cure me or furnish me the medicine free of cost. I have taken it as he directed and to-day am entirely free from all rheumatic pains, and have almost entirely regained the use of my limbs, and am able to be about and do my farm work, and I believe the Rheumatic Syrup has done what no other remedy on earth can do.

I am truly yours, Jerome McQueen.

P. S.—Please bear in mind that for the last ten years I have been unable to walk a step without my crutches, and much of the time could not move even with them; was as helpless as a child.

A Pretty Story.

"I believe in a providence," said Victor Hugo to a company gathered around him in the Rue de Clichy, "because I am a providence myself." Being asked for an explanation the poet replied: "We caught a mouse yesterday evening. His death sentence was already pronounced, when my little granddaughter, Jeanne, with eyes glistening with tears begged for the life of the gray prisoner. Her mother hesitated whether to listen to the dear little advocate or not, and in her doubt said, 'Grandfather shall decide.' So they came to me. For a moment I held the power of life and death over the diminutive creature, and I thought: 'The heavenly providence may find itself in my situation when the fate of a being of a higher order is to be determined.' Naturally I set the mouse free; for when a man undertakes the role of providence on a small scale, he should at least imitate generosity."

A Blessing To All Mankind

In these times when these newspapers are flooded with patent medicine advertisements, it is gratifying to know what to procure that will certainly cure you. If you are Bilious, blood out of order, Liver inactive, or generally debilitated, there is nothing in the world that will cure you so quickly as Electric Bitters. They are a blessing to mankind, and can be had for only fifty cents a bottle.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

The Commercial Bulletin remarks that the American nose can now be wiped with an American made silk handkerchief, but no American nose can be wiped with a domestic linen handkerchief; and moreover, no American heart beats beneath a domestic linen bosom. Let linen be a little better protected and linens would be sold cheaper in price and better in quality than the imported linens at the present time. Not a yard of linen is made in the United States! And yet no country is better adapted to flax raising or manufacturing!

SCROFULA. A medicine that destroys the germs of Scrofula and has the power to root it out is appreciated by the afflicted. The remarkable cures of men, women and children as described by testimonials, prove Hoods Sarsaparilla a reliable medicine containing remedial agents which eradicate Scrofula from the blood. 100 doses $1. Sold by all dealers. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

A building in Boston built of stone and brick 81 and 69 feet frontage with basement and seven stories above the sidewalk, was moved nearly 100 feet in order to make a change in the street. One side was supported by eight granite columns twelve feet high, the whole building weighing 5,000 tons beside the furniture. The occupants of the stores and the hotel were not disturbed in the removal.

Testimony From the Press.

To those afflicted with lung trouble, hear what V. W. Wilson, of the Ottowa (Ill.) Times says: "After being disabled for three months with a cough, and lung trouble, often spitting up blood, can testify that I am cured permanently by the use of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure." A free trial bottle can be had at Baker and Hall's.

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"Solid comfort" can be realized by those suffering from all forms of Scrofula, if they will take Hood's Sarsaparilla and be cured.

A New York man recently dreamed that he was a Texas desperado in a town threatened by Indians, and when he woke up he found that he had crawled under the bed.

"Ish this 'er postoffice?" inquired Cauliflower, slightly disfigured after nineteen rounds of sour mash. "No, this is a butcher shop," replied the sarcastic mailing clerk, licking a faded one cent stamp. "Sho! Ish that sho! Well, give me a tender line for my muzzer."

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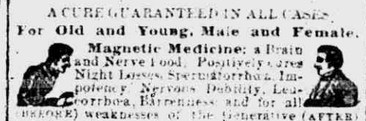

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"I'll go 'round and see," was the gentleman's comment, as he donned his coat and hat.

"Why didn't you send me Benson's plaster, instead of that cheap and trashy thing?"

"Why, I thought that would suit you just as well."

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Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	‡ 10 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	2 30 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 35 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 20 "	4 37 "	5 20 "
Petroit	10 50 "	7 10 "	
Toledo	9 50 "	6 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 20 A.M.	8 40 P.M.	
Toledo	10 00 "	8 25 "	
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	5 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 14 P.M.	9 57 "	8 25 "
Clinton	12 22 "	10 07 "	7 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 30 "	8 25 "
Norvell	12 56 "	10 45 "	9 05 "
Napoleon	1 05 "	10 55 "	9 25 "
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Hand	‡ 9 46	* 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulous	10 00	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	* 4 19	10 40	8 35
Willis	‡10.19	* 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	‡10 25	* 4 34	10 53	9 35
Milan	10 36	4 44	11 01	10 55
Cone	‡10 46	* 4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	‡10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	‡11 07	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	5 24	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	‡11 35	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	‡12 04	* 6 03	12 31	3 04
Alvordton	‡12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 39	§ 6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	* 6 49	1 34	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail	Exp's	W. ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 35	‡ 2 47	‡ 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakeley	* 8 57	§ 3 08	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	§ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	§ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	§ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	§ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	§ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	§ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	§ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	§ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	§ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	§ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulous	‡ 11 26	5 54	12 04	4 50
Hand	*11 39	§ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 6 Express.	No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 20	3 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 00	5 20
6 30	3 26	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc. "	9 54	2 48	5 16
6 41	3 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	2 37	5 06
7 17	4 10	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 27	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 37	4 18
7 42	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 34	1 04	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
		P.M.			A.M.	A.M.
7 30	6 55	12 32	" Jackson (M.C.) "	6 10	9 50	9 50
A.M.						
1 06	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 39	7 58	7 58
2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 52	7 10	7 10
				P.M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
P.M.		A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
					A.M.	
9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" How'ld (G.L.&N.)		10 22	2 01
		P.M.				A.M.
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
						A.M.
	10 15	3 00	" Ionia "		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 04	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 40	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		4 50	" How'rd City "			9 25
		A.M.				
		8 42	" P'tosk'y (G.R.&I			12 01
						P.M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City			9 45

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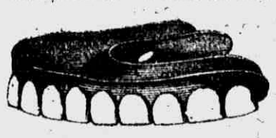

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American Booms.

The correspondent of the London *Times* with the Hatch party wrote that journal from Minneapolis as follows: "Boom" is one of the most expressive words of recent American coinage, and the significant meaning seems to be finding its way across the Atlantic. Originated to signify the outward and public results of the secret wire-pulling resorted to for the advancement of the fortunes of the wily politician, the word has passed into general use as a term designating the efforts made to push into notoriety anything or anybody needing it. Thus there has been in American politics the "Grant boom," there has also been and will probably continue perennially a loudly-sounded and far-reaching "Chicago boom," industriously expanded by its vigorous citizens, and there has recently arisen, and is growing to steadily larger proportions, an entiring "boom of the new northwest," which the world will hear much of in the future. The prodigious energy and fever heat with which the development of the far northwest is being pushed since the Northern Pacific railway has been constructed to open it to settlement, is something amazing to the eyes of slower going people from the seaboard or from Europe. Of much of this I have already written in chronicling the progress of this tour to the Yellowstone national park; but starting on the return journey and going back from the outposts of civilization through the new frontier towns, within a few days after having first visited them on the outward trip, has shown actual and tangible evidences of their rapid growth. Two classes of settlers go to the frontier, and start the new settlement, the hard-headed pioneers measuring them by the "go-ahead" proclivities they develop. When the white man first arrives, and shows reserve and caution, he is known as a "tenderfoot" carefully feeling his way. When he "learns the ropes," shows a reckless and daring spirit, and begins to "catch on" to the infectious and restless spirit of the "boom" that is all around him, he becomes in border phrase, a "rustler." He rushes in to get the prizes, starts new town sites, "pegs up" the quotations of eligible corner lots on the prairie, and bubbles over with sonorous adjectives in his descriptions of the new settlement's achievements, merits and prospects. The return journey after ten days spent in the park, demonstrated that the "rustler" was out in force, all along the Northern Pacific line, and had not been talking only, but was at work. In Livingston, just at the entrance of the pass leading to the park, an entire new street of good wooden houses—not very large or pretentious—had been built, and some were already occupied; all done since we were there, beside starting a new "national bank." Miles City, and several other places displayed new hôtels and "saloons." Steele had several new houses, and similar reports were made from Pyramid Park, Sanborn, Jamestown, Glendive, Fargo, and other towns. Billings was endeavoring to dot down some more buildings on its widely expanded town site. Glendive, you will be glad to hear, has done the handsome thing by starting the *Times* as the daily newspaper that is to take care of its "boom." "The *Times* Office," in large letters, adorns the front of a little cabinet-shaped, white-painted wooden house, measuring about fifteen feet each way, from which this small but very energetic newspaper is issued every morning. The editor varies the monotony of leader-writing by conducting a lively and, I hope, profitable traffic in town lots. Mandan, since our recent visit, added a large new hotel and several substantial dwellings to its domain. Bismarck, which is always displaying prodigious energy, beside many new houses, had also started a second newspaper, finding one sheet entirely inadequate to looking after all its interests. Thus is the new northwest "booming" two thousand miles and more beyond New York, while every arriving train brings more settlers to seek their fortunes in the land that ten years ago knew few inhabitants other than soldiers and Sioux. As Whittier has significantly written:

Behind the squaw's birch-bark canoe,
The steamer smokes and raves;
And city lots are staked for sale
Above old Indian graves.

Women in the Water.

Fragile woman, so often considered as a mere plaything for a man, has more than once both astonished man and humiliated him by her exploits of endurance in the water. It is the fact, however, that woman can float more easily in the water than a man, because she has the advantage over him in having smaller bones in proportion to her total weight than a man has, and has also a larger proportionate amount in her body of adipose matter, which is lighter in water, than man has. But nevertheless, for a fragile vessel she has performed feats on the frisky wave more marvelous even than those accomplished by her male rival, and has done them far more gracefully, for it is an undeniable fact that though women can not walk as gracefully as men, she excels him in her grace of movement in the water, and becomes in its embrace as fair a nymph indeed as ever floated in the mystic waters of Greek mythology.

A Hard Bill to Take Out in Trade.

"Doctor," said a man to his physician, who had just presented a bill of $50 for treatment during a recent illness, "I have not much ready money. Will you take this out in trade?"

"Oh, yes," cheerfully answered the doctor; "I think that we can arrange that—but what is your business?"

"I am a cornet player," was the startling reply.—*Fall River (Mass.) Herald.*

Caleb Stockwell, of London, Ont., was exceedingly surprised the other morning, when Mrs. Stockwell presented him with two sons and two daughters, all new. Subsequently, when asked what he'd got, he sorrowfully said: "Only two small pair."

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If you are troubled with sores, aches, pains and general weakness of the various bodily functions, don't be deceived by the advertisements of bitters, kidney medicines, etc., whose certificates of pretended cures, are often paid for. Put your trust in that simple remedy called Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It will cure you by purifying the blood and strengthening the weak portions of your body. You will also find it very refreshing to the brain and nervous system. The proprietors receive hundreds of letters bestowing upon it the highest praise.

Observe the Birthdays.

Let the birthday of each member of the family be always remembered when it comes. Let there be something a little out of the ordinary routine in the arrangement of the table; cookies fashioned as Johnny likes them best; one of Frank's favorite plum puddings, or Julia's special liking, a loaf of ginger cake; or a wonderful lemon pie, such as only mamma can make.

Then there must be presents. Sometimes people may think they cannot be afforded; but reflect. The little one needs shoes, dresses, aprons and many other things. Purchase one or more for the birthday. It will seem just as much present to the recipients as though they were not obliged to have it.

Next come school-books and story-books, a set of furs or a pair of skates, (should the birthday occur in the winter,) a pretty little dinner-basket, or, if the parents can afford it, a little gold band for one of the white fingers, a necklace, a watch with a shining chain, or the pony that has been wished for so long.

Encourage the little ones in giving to each other, and also remember father and mother's birthday; believe me, it will be bread cast on the waters; the days will only be a few ere some returns, and there will be a never-failing supply of pleasure as long as you and your children live.

The testimony of many who long suffered from ill-health, caused by an impure state of the blood, goes to prove that the best remedy for making the blood rich, red and pure, for beautifying the complexion, for curing sores, pimples and other skin diseases, for removing aches, pains, stiff joints, rheumatism, etc., for increasing the power of endurance, for giving health and strength to every weak portion of the body, is Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. Its effect pleases the user in every instance. No other remedy equals it.

THE MODEST FATHER.—"Father," began a young Detroiter the other evening, "were you in the war?"

"Yes, my son."

"Was it awful?"

"Yes."

"Lots of dead and wounded men?"

"Yes."

"Did you kill many?"

"Well, I shouldn't like to answer that question."

"Are you very modest, pa?"

"I hope I am too modest to brag."

"That was what Mr. Smith meant, then, when he was telling the men down at the drug store that you hadn't any war record to brag of."

"He did, eh? Smith is a liar!"

"That's what I thought. He told the men that you run so fast he couldn't catch you on horseback, and any boy knows that a horse can catch a man with a stiff knee."

Your cough is growing worse. That soreness and pain in the throat and lungs is increasing. Better get rid of the absurd idea that anything will cure a cough or cold, and give Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry a trial before it is too late. It never fails to check consumption, and quickly cures all coughs and colds.

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CATARRH.—Without assuming to write out a thesis of this universal ailment, facts warrant our saying that it seems to us there never was a season when it was so prevalent as the present.

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An English writer says that the middle class Englishman, as a rule, does not buy books, except a few classics and professional treatises, but waits for his chance at the book club or circulating library. There are instances where authors are asked to lend their own copies by men of ten times their income. Wine and china may be bought, but books must be hired, for, says the writer, the English are educated to the point of reading, but not to paying for books.

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The finest assortment of Baby-shoes ever in Tecumseh.

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The chiefest of all benefactions call road officials come on men and women in an excursion. It is a cheap broken link of business cares, the jostle that exhilerates the nervous system and dispels accumulated dissatisfaction with home and its surroundings, besides improving their spiritual condition by waking a self inquiry, concerning what they shall do to be saved. Thursday's favor was duly appreciated. Some even going without breakfast: lest they should lose their last chance of seeing the vaunted art wonders of Detroit. For many weeks we have been told that 612 was smoothly painted or that 99 was a wonderful study, but, unless the canvas has worn some tint that could sprout dissension, little has been told to aid the imaginations of those not prone to get rapturous over what they do not understand. Newspapers have generalized particulars about most everything except the Nymphs so it was the Nymphs I went to see; but the picture of a boy holding a little dead bird in his hand, hung against the right hand wall, of the first room I happened into, and for a time made me forget my errand. That frame holds nothing to provoke argument. A childish grief shines in the dark eyes, that wakes memories of many a pet loveliness. A little girl called me away from a large landscape, with cattle lying on its banks, to look at a dog asleep in a basin. The spoon lay on the floor. He had evidently confiscated the bread and milk and then made himself at home. The dish was small but it was brim full of doggy expression, and two kittens just waking up for business were marvellous copies, that only a lover of animals could paint. Very small specimens to select from among so many large ones. Some may say, yes, but they bear the impress of the artist's nature, and if one is not an art critic it is easy to believe theme is of heart growth. The trial of Red Jacket is a scene of grand proportions. The famous chief seems a real coffee colored lawyer and the feather decked jury look twice as wise and intelligent as their western cousins. The picture is well nigh faultless in color and arrangement, but the riderless horse, watching vainly for his master, has a stronger claim on the sympathy of those who are not enthusiastic over the nature of poor Lo. The crowd thickened every moment and one room especially was crammed with artists. At least I supposed them such for they had eye glasses, spy glasses, and everything imaginable to steady their sight while they peeked through. Some very anxious faces, as well as that picture, were reflected by a broad expanse of miser, and one more enquirer was there in a trice.

Concluded next week.

MACON MUSIC.

Rev. J. A. De Spelder having accepted the call extended to him from the Northwestern College at Orange City, Iowa, will at the close of the pastorate year, leave our place for this new field of labor. His church regret very much his departure as they have become warmly attached to him he having been their pastor for ten years. With much reluctance our people will bid him farewell.

Miss Edith Howell is staying for some time in Lansing.

Mr. A. Smith is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Brown, at Grand Ledge.

The exercises at the concert Sunday evening will be entirely of a temperance character. It will be preceded by at least one lecture during the week.

Charles Slaight, formerly of Flint, has been engaged to teach the Darling school for the winter term.

Last Monday while helping a neighbor thresh, James Lindsley, of Saline, was quite seriously injured by being struck by a barn door blowing shut.

S. P. Morgan is confined to the house by a freak of the rheumatism.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Norman Hulbard and Frank Lowden start for Iowa this week.

R. L. Rogers has been visiting his son Ira in Rochester, N. Y., and will make a short call on relatives in Pennsylvania before returning.

Poultry is pretty well picked up. Smith & Ayres have bought about 1500 head most of which will be delivered at Brooklyn.

Miss Nellie Burchan is seriously ill. We did not learn the disease.

Henry Daniels has returned to Adrian college to spend the winter and receive instruction.

Mrs. T. H. Mosher made her parents at Milan, O., a short visit last week.

There will be a Thanksgiving party at Ayres' hall on Thursday eve., Nov. 29. Invitation extended to all.

The millwright has arrived to overhaul T. H. Mosher's mill and put in the roller system.

Railroad meeting last Tuesday. The company made the east end of the town a fair proposition, which will probably be accepted.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

Farmers are going through with the motion of husking corn.

Clover seed, small kind, very light; mammoth, good. Wheat stands in well, but light top. Potatoes light crop.

Nine parlor organs sold below the Ridge in the last few months. "There is music everywhere."

James and Anson Harmon came home from Adrian Tuesday evening feeling rather blue, from having to pay $500 bail bond of G. A. Hobbs, the paint swindler. Report says that Hobbs is now operating in Kentucky.

Andrew Kexip split his foot from the toes to the instep with an ax last Saturday, and it is feared that amputation will be necessary.

Silas Beal died Sunday evening. Funeral Wednesday, 10 A. M., at the house.

The fourth dig at the tariff question comes off at the Hall Friday evening, Nov. 25th.

Four dances last Friday evening in a radius of five miles. How's that?

Edwin Howell, our drain commissioner, is doing some good work ditching out the old farms along the west side of the Ridge road, commencing at the Macon stream on the Ira Stewart farm, thence northeasterly parallel with the Ridge road to the highway at David Boyd's, thence west, making 800 rods in all.

We have been accused of writing last week's communication to the HERALD. We have no fault to find with the communication, but plead "Not guilty." We know nothing about those Sabbath school concerts, but would advise the people of the two sections to live and dwell together in harmony. A. E.

THE STATE CHURCH.

And the Exaction of Extraordinary Tithes from English Farmers.

Our readers will doubtless remember an item in the HERALD last summer acknowledging a call from Mr. Albert Bath, of Sevenoaks, Kent co., England, who was paying his uncle, Mr. Henry Haines, a visit at that time. In a conversation held with Mr. Bath at that time, he stated the effort making to levy extraordinary tithes upon the English farmer was certain to provoke resistance. We have just received a copy of the London Standard giving a report of a sale held on Mr. Bath's farm on the 31st ult. The Kent county boys are organizing and are prepared to make it hot for the auctioneer who does that kind of work. Below is the clipping from the Standard:

A disgraceful scene was witnessed yesterday afternoon at Colgates Farm, Halstead, Kent. The occupiers of the farm are Messrs. A. and E. Bath, who are extensive fruit growers, and hold decided views against the exaction of extraordinary tithes. The rector of the parish, Rev. R. Wood, having failed to get these tithes from Messrs. Bath, had recourse to law, and seized a stack of hay their property. At the instance of the rector, Mr. C. Martin, of Sevenoaks, attended for the purpose of effecting a sale by public auction. A numerous gathering of hop and fruit growers from Kent and the adjoining county were present. At the outset the auctioneer informed those present that he was not a "Parson's man," which was met with the response, "You know better." Some one thereupon knocked the auctioneer's hat off, and this was followed by various missiles being thrown at him. One of the parties threw a small bag of soot, and his face was completely blackened. Subsequently his clothes were torn to shreds, and altogether he was severely ill-treated. In this condition he was advised to get off the farm, but he declined to do so until he had sold the hay. He was thereupon informed that he would not find a buyer, and in the end he purchased the hay himself, on behalf of the rector, for £. The distraint was for £8, 10s. The police was present, but did not interfere. The auctioneer, who is an elderly man, immediately left the grounds. Subsequently an indignation meeting was held, a wagon being utilized for the purpose, Mr. Alfred May, of Halstead, presiding.

Stayton & Kinney, of Tecumseh, keep a stock of Furniture and Undertaking that but few towns in Michigan of its size attempt to carry. At their place of business, the big store on the corner, you can find parlor suits in plush, in fine spun raw silks, &c., easy chairs in raw silk, plush, velvet, rattan, cane, carpet, splint, and in fact all kinds, besides bedsteads, bureaus, stands, picture frames, extension tables, feathers, &c. In Undertaking they carry in stock caskets, metalic, broad cloth, veneered, &c., also a full line of robes, head linings, embalming fluids, and one of the finest $1,200 hearses in the county.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Mr. Oleman's experts say the muskrat fur denotes a mild winter.

The new railroad will reach Au Sable inside of a month from now it is believed.

Thomas Moran, a laborer, seriously and perhaps fatally injured by a runaway horse at Manchester last week.

It is estimated that over 3,000 of the permanent residents of Ann Arbor are church members.

Grading has begun at Battle Creek for the Michigan, Indiana & St. Louis railroad.

Dr. Upjohn, of Kalamazoo, has proved that the peat on his property will burn nicely.

The new Roman Catholic church at Flint was blessed by Bishop Borgess last Sunday.

A boy who "didn't know it was loaded," shot Bert. McArthur in the leg, at Webberville.

It is said that six young ladies belonging to one social club in Flint will be married this winter.

Lorenzo S. Ferguson, a dissipated carpenter, has been arrested for the murder of Barney Cunningham, of Schoolcraft.

The Jackson convict miners will be chained together hereafter on their way to and from the mines, and the guard will be armed.

The presbyterian society of Albion, whose church was recently burned, has decided to rebuild on the same site.

Cyrus G. Luce, master workman of the state grange, was married last week to Mrs. Mary E. Thompson, of Gilead, Branch county.

A house occupied by the family of Patrick Doner, and owned by Charles Beyschlag, burned last week at St. Clair.

The Chicago & Grand Trunk R. R. Co. uses 190 tons of coal every day at Battle Creek, at their shops and for filling locomotive tenders.

The O'Neil Brothers, of Charlevoix, made a haul of over 8,000 pounds of lake trout in one day recently. The average weight was 10 pounds each.

Cottage prayer meetings are quite the rage now at Ionia, and it begins to look as though some of the heavy dealers in sin would not be able to pull through.

Mrs. C. Nichols, wife of a rich farmer living in Ida, Monroe county, took a fatal dose of strychnine a few days ago. She leaves a family of five children, the youngest being a baby seven months old.

The work of boring the oil well at Roscommon will soon begin. If oil is not readily found the hole will be punched down 2,000 feet in search of salt, mineral water or something else that will pay.

Thieves about Port Huron. They carried away several hundred dollars' worth of goods from Moses Davis's commission and auction house and several sets of harness have been stolen from stables.

Peter Stogren, of Muskegon, has received a verdict for $20,000 for the loss of a leg while working in a mill last year. It now remains for the Supreme Court to decide whether he shall have the money.

A Flint belle while walking along the Main street one day last week lost her bustle owing to the breaking of the strings fastening it. She had presence of mind enough to walk right on without noticing the case.

Victoria Veidler, who was arrested at Appleton and taken to Wisconsin to be tried for the murder of her husband has pleaded guilty and been sentenced to 25 years in state prison, two days in each year to be passed in solitary confinement.

Peddlers and agents are selling south western Michigan farmers cows warranted to be Russian bloodhounds and allegedly fine cattle, as located the cold weather is 25 degrees below zero. There is a deal of roguery to be allowed for before believing all the agents tell.

Lew Hoffman, among the best roadhouse players in the country, left Adrian to accept the provisions of a sentence to the house of correction for 90 days. Lew can toot a horn in a manner to charm the birds off the trees, and he can get as disgustingly drunk as any man of his inches in the land perhaps.

The Michigan mutual insurance company, who declined payment of a $2,000 policy on the life of John Dyer, of Arcade township, Lapeer county, on the ground of suicide by taking carbolic acid, has compromised the matter with Geer & Williams, attorneys for the widow, by the payment of $1,600. Dyer had taken out a policy about three weeks before his death.

Searching the Scriptures.

"My dear," said Mrs. Spoopendyke, glancing up from the letter she was writing, and pressing the nib of the pen on her thumb nail to see why it didn't work any better. "Say, my dear, do you know where to find that text, 'For the unbelieving husband is sanctified in the wife?'"

"In Exodus, isn't it?" replied Mr. Spoopendyke. "It sounds like Exodus. Where's the Bible?"

"I was looking for it just before," returned Mrs. Spoopendyke, getting up and preparing for another search. "I don't think it is in Exodus, because it sounds more like Paul. I think you must have stolen the Bible, for I haven't seen it since we came from the country."

"That's kind of curious," soliloquized Mr. Spoopendyke, aforesaid, turning it in fist in the interrogative. "I don't know who would want to steal a Bible. Don't you remember where you put it? Think it's in here?" and Mr. Spoopendyke opened the book containing his wife's new hat, and then made a lunge for the fancy coal scuttle behind the stove. "You had it last, what did you do with it?"

"It wouldn't be apt to get in there, would it?" suggested Mrs. Spoopendyke, trying to divert her husband's attention by rattling the vases on the mantelpiece.

"If it's the orthodox Bible it's liable to penetrate anywhere and everywhere!" retorted Mr. Spoopendyke, abandoning the coal scuttle and making a dive for the button bag. "Strikes me that Bible's keeping pretty quiet for the Word," he muttered as he flipped the buttons out on the floor, and dived across the room to try the bureau drawers. "Be in a nice fix if a rule should happen to drop in on us and look for family worship. Have to skedaddle to go on his recollection or start a new theory of his own. And Mr. Spoopendyke pulled the shams off the bed and then got down on his hands and knees to look under it. "I'll bet a hat it's where I said it was."

"Where's what, dear?" asked Mrs. Spoopendyke, supposing he had found it.

"In Exodus," snorted Mr. Spoopendyke, wiping the ornaments off the mantel piece and looking behind the clock. "Can't you remember what I say from one moment to another? If you had any memory, with your habits of classification, you'd only need the cost of arms of all nations and a little more incoherence to make a first rate dictionary. I don't know, though," continued Mr. Spoopendyke, ruminating on this proposition while he threw the things out of the wardrobe. "I don't know but what you would have to get a new binding and have your sides marbleized. You don't suppose that Bible got lonely and went off into the country on its own hook, do you?"

"I'm sure I don't know," murmured Mrs. Spoopendyke. "I can't imagine it would do a thing like that. I think it's only mislaid. We'll find it."

"Well, I should hope so," replied Mr. Spoopendyke, without meeting the slightest encouragement. "There may be only one small fleck of the crust of the bread left, but we'll find what there is before we go to bed. Unless that Bible's gone to get Best of it, I'll be no sleep in this Spoopendyke apartments until we lay our hands holding on that dear old family Bible! Maybe it's hid under a hat!" and he capsized the waste paper basket and scattered the contents over the room.

"I don't know but what it is in Exodus," said Mrs. Spoopendyke, with her finger in her mouth. "Now I come to think it over I'm sure it's in Exodus, so you needn't look for it any more."

"I know it's in Exodus," said Mr. Spoopendyke, kicking his wife's work basket across the room and turning the contents over with the toe of his boot. "But I'm going to find out which end of Exodus it is in before I go to business again! How do you suppose any one's to know when we were married or when the baby was born or when we died if we don't have a Bible? Think I'm going through life without a Bible to refer to when I'm 'lonely' and depressed? Got some kind of notion because I'm good and pious that religion comes natural to me, haven't ye? Well, it don't. I've got to keep posted just as well as any one else! Where's that Bible?" demanded Mr. Spoopendyke, rising in wrath as the book seemed to evade his search. "What's become of the pious injunctions of my youth? How'm I going to be able to tell Solomon's wives from the rest of it's family unless I have the book before me? Where's my Maccabees and my Zaccheus? Where are the friends of my boyhood?" and Mr. Spoopendyke straightened up in the middle of the room and glared at his wife as though she had inflicted on him a mortal injury.

"They've been dull some times," replied Mrs. Spoopendyke, who always took everything literally. "Anyway, you don't care about them to-night."

"And my Abraham begat Isaac, and Isaac begat Jacob, and Jacob begat Judah and his brethren! Where are they? Suppose some fellow asks me to-morrow who Judah's brethren begat, what am I to say? What're we standing there for, looking like a hole in the fence for? Think that helps you any?"

"Say, dear," commenced Mrs. Spoopendyke. "Don't you remember the night you and Mr. Specklewottle got into a dispute as to whether the prodigal son was thrown into the pit, or was the one whose ear Peter cut off for hiding his talents in a napkin? I haven't seen the Bible since then. You had it out, and when you got through you put it in your silk hat, and here it is now," and Mrs. Spoopendyke held up the missing volume, her face wreathed in smiles of delight that things had not been any worse.

"Found it, didn't you?" growled Mr. Spoopendyke, snatching the book out of her hands. "Another time, when I get through with it, you remember what I do with it. Now, let's find that measly text you were so anxious about." And Mr. Spoopendyke pored through Exodus and then laid down the book in disgust. "There's no such thing in the Bible," he said. "I knew there wasn't all the time, but I wanted to prove it to you."

"Let me look," suggested Mrs. Spoopendyke, and, turning to 1 Corinthians, vii. 14, she found and read it to him. "I had an idea it was in some of Paul's writings," she remarked as she shut the book and put it away.

"That's what you always have!" roared Mr. Spoopendyke, enraged by his defeat. "If you should ever run short of ideas you'd be a comparatively smart woman! Some day I'm going to put a spigot in your dead gasted mouth and start a public school with you, unless I change my mind and conclude to open a branch college for the prepaties of married women for the lunatic asylum!" and immensely pleased with this business outlook Mr. Spoopendyke dropped his clothes in the middle of the floor for his wife to pick up and tumbled into bed.

"I don't care," murmured Mrs. Spoopendyke, as she hung down her black hair and screwed herself around to see if it reached up her waist. "I don't care. He can poke fun at me all he likes, and he can upset everything in the house, but I know that Mrs. Specklewottle wears a switch and [illegible] it all [illegible] Specklewottle [illegible] after thinking [illegible] pen holder [illegible]

[illegible]

work in [illegible] made for a handsome physique, which she possesses. The chamber-work are all done in three [illegible] with light painted furniture. The dining-room is cheerful in red and light colors, with three long tables. The sofa clock was presented by the grand Duchess of Baden. The harpsichord is also a gift. Here is a marble figure of Miss Nightingale, with lovely and womanly face.

Nurses trained here are of two kinds—special probationers (those who are gentlewomen by birth, daughters of clergymen, officers, medical men, and others of the upper middle and middle classes) and ordinary probationers (the daughters of small farmers, tradesmen, and artisans). The former are trained to be future heads of hospitals usually. They must have a settled purpose to do the work, free from all romance and vacillation, possessed of that valuable and uncommon quality, common sense. They must come prepared to make sacrifices without thinking themselves self-sacrificing. They must come with the full intention of submitting themselves to be taught, remembering that they who learn to obey best are those who afterwards know how to rule.

These nurses must come to the hospital with the express object of entering the profession of nursing permanently. They pay $150 for the first year's training and agree to remain for two years in the hospital work after leaving the school. These can always obtain good situations, usually at $1,000 a year.

The ordinary probationers are from 35 to 36 years of age. They must remain one year, having their board given them and $61 in money and clothing. During the next three years they are required to enter into the service as hospital nurses in such situations as may from time to time be offered to them by the committee. These receive daily teachings from the "Sisters," as the special probationers are called, and, besides daily practice on the wards, they attend lectures, both in class and clinical, given by able physicians. At the close of each course a written examination is conducted by the lecturer. "They must be sober, honest, truthful, trustworthy, punctual, quiet, orderly, neat, patient, cheerful, and kindly." They must rise at 6 o'clock in the morning and be in the ward at 7; must take exercise from 11:30 till 1 o'clock, or from 3:30 till 5, in the open air, so as to be fresh for their work.

Be Happy.

It is the easiest thing in the world to be happy, if men and women could only think so. Happiness is only another name for love, for where love exists in a household there happiness must also exist, even though it has poverty, for a companion, where love exists not, even though it be with wealth, happiness can never come. He was a cold and serious looking man who enunciated the saying that "When poverty comes in at the door, love flies out of the window," and as experience proves, he is a man who had no knowledge of love, for, despite the adverse of the saying quoted, it is nearer the truth. When poverty comes in at the door, love flies out—love is more disposed to carry and do battle with the enemy. Let those who imagine themselves miserable, look for the good in their hearts for the cause. A few kind words, a little forbearance, or a kiss, will open the way to a flood of happiness in a home darkened by the cloud of discord and unkind life.—*Cincinnati Saturday Night.*

The most anonymous writer known to the press is the one who signs himself "More Anon." It has been discovered that "Many Voters" is a poor little tailor who has never been naturalized. "Truth" is generally a liar. The writings of "History" are full of romance. "Justice" wants to crush everybody who does not think as he does.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

A Maryland man has secured a divorce from his wife because she wouldn't let him read the Bible. At the same time, it can hardly be defended as a divorce on "Scriptural grounds."—*Hartford Post.*

Ralph Waldo Emerson said: "All healthy things are sweet-tempered." We differ with Ralph. Now, we know a perfectly healthy red-headed woman who is—well, she just is, and no mistake about it.—*Texas Siftings.*

A Sight for Tender Nerves.

One of the [illegible] most cheerful buildings in [illegible] is the Paris hospital, on [illegible] the Champs Elysées. It [illegible] [illegible] Night [illegible] Mr. Spoopendyke, and, turning to 1 Corinthians, vii. 14, she found and read it to him. "I had an idea it was in some of Paul's writings," she remarked as she shut the book and put it away.

"That's what you always have!" roared Mr. Spoopendyke, enraged by his defeat. "If you should ever run short of ideas you'd be a comparatively smart woman! Some day I'm going to put a spigot in your dead gasted mouth and start a public school with you, unless I change my mind and conclude to open a branch college for the prepaties of married women for the lunatic asylum!" and immensely pleased with this business outlook Mr. Spoopendyke dropped his clothes in the middle of the floor for his wife to pick up and tumbled into bed.

"I don't care," murmured Mrs. Spoopendyke, as she hung down her black hair and screwed herself around to see if it reached up her waist. "I don't care. He can poke fun at me all he likes, and he can upset everything in the house, but I know that Mrs. Specklewottle wears a switch and [illegible] it all [illegible] Specklewottle [illegible] after thinking [illegible] pen holder [illegible]

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work in [illegible] made for a handsome physique, which she possesses. The chamber-work are all done in three [illegible] with light painted furniture. The dining-room is cheerful in red and light colors, with three long tables. The sofa clock was presented by the grand Duchess of Baden. The harpsichord is also a gift. Here is a marble figure of Miss Nightingale, with lovely and womanly face.

Nurses trained here are of two kinds—special probationers (those who are gentlewomen by birth, daughters of clergymen, officers, medical men, and others of the upper middle and middle classes) and ordinary probationers (the daughters of small farmers, tradesmen, and artisans). The former are trained to be future heads of hospitals usually. They must have a settled purpose to do the work, free from all romance and vacillation, possessed of that valuable and uncommon quality, common sense. They must come prepared to make sacrifices without thinking themselves self-sacrificing. They must come with the full intention of submitting themselves to be taught, remembering that they who learn to obey best are those who afterwards know how to rule.

These nurses must come to the hospital with the express object of entering the profession of nursing permanently. They pay $150 for the first year's training and agree to remain for two years in the hospital work after leaving the school. These can always obtain good situations, usually at $1,000 a year.

The ordinary probationers are from 35 to 36 years of age. They must remain one year, having their board given them and $61 in money and clothing. During the next three years they are required to enter into the service as hospital nurses in such situations as may from time to time be offered to them by the committee. These receive daily teachings from the "Sisters," as the special probationers are called, and, besides daily practice on the wards, they attend lectures, both in class and clinical, given by able physicians. At the close of each course a written examination is conducted by the lecturer. "They must be sober, honest, truthful, trustworthy, punctual, quiet, orderly, neat, patient, cheerful, and kindly." They must rise at 6 o'clock in the morning and be in the ward at 7; must take exercise from 11:30 till 1 o'clock, or from 3:30 till 5, in the open air, so as to be fresh for their work.

Be Happy.

It is the easiest thing in the world to be happy, if men and women could only think so. Happiness is only another name for love, for where love exists in a household there happiness must also exist, even though it has poverty, for a companion, where love exists not, even though it be with wealth, happiness can never come. He was a cold and serious looking man who enunciated the saying that "When poverty comes in at the door, love flies out of the window," and as experience proves, he is a man who had no knowledge of love, for, despite the adverse of the saying quoted, it is nearer the truth. When poverty comes in at the door, love flies out—love is more disposed to carry and do battle with the enemy. Let those who imagine themselves miserable, look for the good in their hearts for the cause. A few kind words, a little forbearance, or a kiss, will open the way to a flood of happiness in a home darkened by the cloud of discord and unkind life.—*Cincinnati Saturday Night.*

The most anonymous writer known to the press is the one who signs himself "More Anon." It has been discovered that "Many Voters" is a poor little tailor who has never been naturalized. "Truth" is generally a liar. The writings of "History" are full of romance. "Justice" wants to crush everybody who does not think as he does.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

A Maryland man has secured a divorce from his wife because she wouldn't let him read the Bible. At the same time, it can hardly be defended as a divorce on "Scriptural grounds."—*Hartford Post.*

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Lengthening Short Women.

The London World tells of a new contrivance for making ladies taller. The woman who is to undergo this process is cased in very tight corset, and her feet are placed in shoes weighted with fifty pounds of lead each. She is then placed in a machine consisting of a ring, which encircles her waist, and is suspended from the ceiling at such a height as to prevent her feet from touching the ground. The pressure of the corset forces the upper part of her body upward, and the weight of the shoes stretches her from the waist downward. It is estimated that the extreme length to which the spine can be stretched by the process thus described is two inches, and that the knee and hip joints can be stretched an inch and a half more. Thus three inches and a half can be added to the height of almost any woman who has the courage to undergo the trouble and pain necessarily connected with a stretching process lasting, with brief intervals, during five or six months.

In Marysville, Cal., the street cars are run to make money. You tender them the conductor a 5-cent piece or a standard dollar, and he gives you the change in tickets. If you protest he stops the car and waits till you get out. [illegible] offer to select [illegible] out a cigar, lights it, sits himself on the dashboard, and proceeds to smoke. You have the choice of riding walking or being swindled.

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Another Life Saved.

Mrs. Harriet Cummings, of Cincinnati, O., writes: Early last winter my daughter was attacked with a severe cold which settled on her lungs. We tried several medicines, none of which seemed to do her any good, but she continued to get worse, and finally raised large amounts of blood from her lungs. We called in a family physician, but he failed to do her any good. We then called in a physician—a most skillful professor in one of our colleges—he said that she could not get well. At this time a friend who had been cured by Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, advised me to give it a trial. We then got a bottle and before she had used it all up she began to improve; and by the use of three bottles was entirely cured.

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HORACE FAIRBROTHER."
Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This [illegible] in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,
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For many years in succession, beginning so far back I don't remember when, I had the catarrh in my head. It consisted of an excessive flow from my nose.

Ringing and Bursting Noises

in my head. Sometimes the hearing in my left ear was affected. Five years ago, about this season of the year, I began to use Hood's Sarsaparilla. I was helped right away, but I continued to use it until I felt myself cured.—Mrs. Sarah Canfield, Lowell, Mass.

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A well-known fellow-citizen now prowling—not to say growling—through Europe writes us the following touching experience:

I had been for about half an hour, he says, sitting on the deck of one of the miserable little "packets" that ply between Dover and Calais, and exasperating my fellow passengers by refusing to join in the carnival of sea sickness going on around me, when a ruddy-faced, white-whiskered, bluff-looking individual who had been eyeing me for some time stepped up and said:

"Beg pardon, I'm sure; but are you really the American?"

"The American," I replied, "there are several, I believe."

"Of course, to be sure. I mean the one on board. I saw George B. Blank, San Francisco, California, U. S., painted on some of the baggage, and I picked you out right away as the owner." And the stranger inspected me from head to foot with as vivid a curiosity as if I'd been a wild man of the woods.

"Well," I finally exclaimed, "I am an American. What can I do for you?"

"Well—er—nothing—that—is—no—offense, I hope, and you are a Californian, too?" he said, rubbing his hands as though he had indeed met a *rara avis*. "Ever been scalped by the Indians, eh?"

"I think not," I replied.

"You've scalped some of them, though, haven't you?" persisted my inquisitor.

Concluding that inasmuch as I was in for being made a side show of I might as well indulge in some of the circus poster sort of thing, I looked my questioner calmly in the eyes and replied:

"Some twenty-six or seven, I forgot which; I have the tally nicked in the handle of my other scalping knife; I carry only one bowie in this country. So seldom one runs across any fun over here you know."

"Killed many white men?" asked the stranger, who appeared to be actually quivering with excitement and curiosity.

"Only eight or ten," I replied carelessly. "You see, in California there is a sort close season now for shooting white men. 'Tain't like the good old man-for-breakfast times. A fellow is only allowed to gun around promiscuous like four months in the year. So it's hard work to keep one's hand in, don't you see?"

"Well, I declare!" said the apparently stupefied man with the chop whiskers; "now about Chinamen?"

"Oh! we kill Chinamen all the year round, when they're fat," I explained. "But, then, there is lately some sort of an ordinance making it a misdemeanor to shoot a pigtail unless he is on the shady side of the street, or gets in your way. Folks are getting too infernally particular over that, for a fact."

"Ever been divorced?" finally said the stranger, whose eyes were now sticking out like pegs on a hat rack.

"Nine times, I think," I said. "In fact, I intended to have been again when I passed Chicago on my way over, but the train only stopped eleven minutes, and there wasn't time enough to rush it through—takes twenty-two minutes, you know."

I thought this had knocked him out, but after a few minute's bewildered cogitation he returned to the charge once more.

"Is it really true that all Americans wear chest protectors and eat nothing but pie?"

"Well, you see, the fact is that Americans are, as you know, such a frightfully busy people that they have not got time to sit down and eat a square meal, like you English. They must have something portable—something they can carry about with them and nibble on the sly. Tell you, sir, it looks like business when you see forty or fifty men hanging on the strap of a street car with one hand and eating with the other."

"I should rather think so," murmured the stranger.

"As for the chest protectors," I continued, "they are really nothing more than pocket suspenders around the neck, and large enough to carry a whole pie, which it keeps warm at the same time. A good hot mince pie stowed away in this manner not only imparts a gentle and graceful warmth to the entire system, but keeps a whole day's rations always within reach of the wearer. Grand idea, isn't it?"

"Well, I'm obsessed!" said my fairly paralyzed interrogator, gazing at my childlike and ingenuous face with profound awe. "Would—er—would you oblige me with one of your cards," he said; "I want to show it to my family, or they'll never believe a word of this never. Thanks—here's mine," and, as we had landed, he walked up the gang plank and was swallowed upby the mob of insane French cabmen.

As I stepped chuckling into my own department I glanced at the card of the stranger. It read, "Julius K. Juilkins, San Francisco, Cal."

I have spent about eight hours a day looking for the man ever since. There will be blood shed out of this, yet—mark my words.—*Derrick Dunn, San Francisco Post.*

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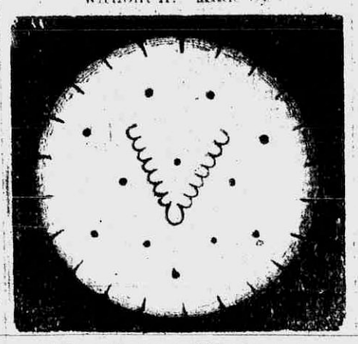

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary C. Adams Shull, a daughter and heir-at-law of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that although more than twenty days have elapsed since the probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, yet that the executors named therein and to whom the execution of said will was committed, and the administration of said estate granted by an order of this court, made on the fifteenth day of October, 1883, have neglected to give bond as required by law and as ordered by this court whereby the said executors so named and appointed as aforesaid have forfeited their right to act as such executors, and praying that administration of said estate with the will annexed may be granted to Cordelia M. Adams, or to some other suitable person and that such other and further notice and proceedings may be had in the premises as may be required by the statute in such case made and provided.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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A Well-known Gentleman's Philanthropy and the Commotion Caused by one of his Letters.

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We published in our local columns yesterday morning a significant letter from a gentleman known personally or by reputation to nearly every person in the land. We have received a number of letters protesting against the use of our columns for such "palpable frauds and misrepresentations," therefore, to confirm beyond a doubt the authenticity of the letter, and the genuineness of its sentiments, a reporter of this paper was commissioned to ascertain all the possible facts in the matter. Accordingly he visited Clifton Springs, saw the author of the letter, with the following result:

Dr. Henry Foster, the gentleman in question, is 62 or 64 years of age, and has an extremely cordial manner. He presides as superintendent over the celebrated sanitarium which accommodates over 500 guests and is unquestionably the leading health resort of the country. Several years ago this benevolent man wisely determined to be his own executor, and therefore turned over this magnificent property worth $[illegible],000 as a free gift to a board of trustees, representing the principal evangelical denominations. Among the trustees are Bishop [illegible] Protestant Episcopal, Buffalo; Bishop Matthew Simpson, Philadelphia, Methodist Episcopal; President M. B. Anderson of the University of Rochester; Rev. Dr. Clark, Secretary of the A. B. C. F. M., Boston. The benevolent purpose of the founder was to provide a home for God's overworked ministers and their families, whose health has been broken in Christ's service, also of ministers of any evangelical denomination, and laymen of any church, who otherwise would be unable to secure such care and treatment. The current expenses of the institution are met by the receipts from the hundreds of distinguished and wealthy people who every year crowd its utmost capacity. Here come rich and wealthy who were once in perfect health, but neglected the first symptoms of disease. The uncertain pains they felt at first were overlooked until their health became impaired. They little realized the danger before them, nor how alarming such trifling ailments might prove. They constitute all classes, including ministers and bishops, lawyers, judges, statesmen, merchants, journalists, college professors and officials from all parts of the land.

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"To what do you refer," remarked the doctor.

"Have you not seen the paper?"

"Yes, but I have not had time to read it yet."

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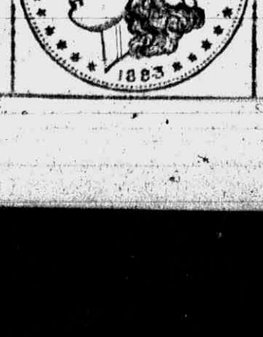

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If you want a SHAWL,

We will sell you any kind of a shawl you want for less money than any other house in the county and give you new goods in the bargain. No old goods at any price.

Our special prices on silks and dress goods will be continued this week.

Every article marked in plain figures and one price to all. We will give five hundred dollars in gold to any body who will buy any goods of us for less than they are marked.

McCONNELL'S

Cash House,

WHITE FRONT. MASONIC TEMPLE.

Adrian, Michigan.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE. Unless the parties who have been helping themselves to coal from our bins quit doing so, they will be dealt with according to law. You are warned, now look out.
SLAYTON & SON.

FOR SALE. One yearling thoroughbred Jersey bull, $50. One full-blood boar, 3c per pound, also a choice lot of young cattle.
JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

LOST. Strayed from my west farm in Tecumseh, one red steer, 1 year old. Any information that will lead to his recovery will be liberally rewarded. THOS. BOYD.

10,000 HEADS OF CELERY now ready, to store away for winter use. Call at Prairie Side farm, all who want a supply at $1.50 per hundred.
H. L. STEWART.

DRESSMAKING ROOMS at Mrs. A. McNeil's, west end Chicago street.
MISSES McNEIL.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O., at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

CHOICE MERINO RAMS for sale. Wilson & Osborne have returned from western New York and brought with them a few choice yearling rams, and they will sell them at reasonable prices. All who would wish to see some good select rams would do well to call at Henry Wilson's place. All are selected from among the finest flocks in western N. Y.

Tecumseh Tannery.

I will pay greenbacks or gold for hides and sheep pelts. I have also first class hand made harness, both double and single which I would exchange for good milch cow, wood, corn or oats.

Why not save commission and sell your hides and sheep pelts direct to the tanner.

O. W. BEAN.

A SPLENDID BARGAIN.

A good farm of 40 acres about three miles from Tecumseh, well watered, good buildings, fine orchard. Terms low and payments easy. For particulars enquire at the

HERALD OFFICE.

For Sale Cheap,

And on easy terms, **A FARM OF 120 ACRES**, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles east of the village of Brooklyn and ½ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 9 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. Will trade for a smaller farm near Tecumseh or Adrian. For further particulars call at the

HERALD OFFICE.

Old winter is coming at last.

Great number of deer carcasses are being shipped from Luther.

The original Georgia Minstrels will appear at the opera house next Wednesday evening, Nov. 21st.

The Circuit Court convened at Adrian last Tuesday. The calendar is a short one. There are but ten criminal cases. There are twenty-eight issues of fact to be tried by jury and four to be tried by court, without a jury. There is but one case on the imparlance docket. Of first-class chancery cases there are six, five of them divorce cases, and of the fourth class, eight cases.

All persons connected with the operating department of the Lake Shore road have received orders from headquarters to be on hand Sunday, Nov. 18th, to get the correct Columbus time at 12 o'clock. After receiving the time all clocks and watches will be set back 28 minutes, and each person is to wait until 1 o'clock, when another test will be made to see that all time pieces are correct.

We open on Friday, Nov. 16th, an elegant line of extra nice Cloaks, Dolmans, and Circulars, ranging in price $15 to $100. Many of these goods are better than is usually brought to this market, and for one week we will make extra low prices on them. Also a new lot nice Shawls in this week, and one dollar Corsets down to 43 cts. It will pay you if you want a nice Dolman or Circular to see this lot at

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The Independent.

The ablest religious and literary newspaper published. One-quarter to one-half larger, but the same price as its contemporaries.

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Its literary department embracing reviews, criticisms, and notices of all new books published, contains 10 or 12 columns weekly, and has no superior in journalism.

During the next few months The Independent will publish stories by William D. Howells, author of "Their Wedding Journey," "A Modern Instance," etc.; W. E. Norris, author of "Matrimony," "No New Thing," etc.; F. Marion Crawford, author of "Mr. Isaacs," "Dr. Claudius," etc.; J. S. of Dale, author of "Guerndale;" Edward Everett Hale, author of "Ten Times One is Ten," etc.; Julia Schayer, author of "Tiger Lily and Other Stories;" Rebecca Harding Davis, Sarah Orne Jewett, Fred D. Story, Kate Upson Clarke and others. Our readers who do not now subscribe for it should read the advertisement in another column, which gives subscription rates in full. Everyone should at least send 30 cents for a month's "Trial Trip," and make its acquaintance. Address The Independent, New York City.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 15, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

There are 196 G. A. R. posts in the state.

The buckwheat pancake season is upon us.

Read the prospectus of "The Independent."

No more roller skating in the Clinton town hall.

Our Indian summer caught a bad cold last Monday.

The new office room of the Lilley House is being rapidly fitted up.

A. J. Palmer has erected a wooden awning in front of his chair factory.

The late Rice A. Beal, of Ann Arbor, left an estate valued at $250,000.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson, of Ogden, will spend the winter in Florida.

The muskrat predicts a mild winter. We haven't heard from Wiggins yet.

The depot war at Marshall over the location of the M. & O. depot still rages.

Geo. W. Stacey, of East Buffalo, N. Y., spent a few days at his old home last week.

The Blissfield base ball club will give a grand party on Thanksgiving night.

Rev. C. E. Conley is in attendance upon a Baptist Association meeting in Morenci this week.

Thanks to Theo. Smith for late copies of the Buckeye Vidette, published at Salem, Ohio.

Mrs. Ed C. Leake and daughter, of Monroe, are the guests of Mrs. H. Smith, in this village.

The central telephone office at Clinton will be removed this week into Burchard's drug store.

The ladies of St. Peter's church are preparing for their regular annual festival on Thanksgiving night.

One of the students of Adrian college lives on fifty cents worth of oat meal a week. Is it the widower?

It is estimated that twenty per cent. more letters are mailed since the adoption of the two cent stamp than before.

Both the Presbyterian and Methodist pastors preached appropriate discourses last Sunday evening upon the life and influence of Martin Luther.

One of the heaviest storms ever known on the great lakes raged last Monday and Tuesday. We had a pretty good taste of the blow in this latitude.

The ballasting train on the M. & O. is now running night and day. The work is nearly finished, only two or three miles this side of Dundee remaining to be done.

Frank Smallidge and mother, of Detroit, arrived in town Tuesday, and are the guests of Wm. Smallidge.—They drove over and will return the same way to-morrow.

No. 1 of Vol. 2, of the Boys' Weekly has been received. It is published in Adrian and edited by Harry Stearns and Willie Lord, and is a creditable sheet. Subscription price 25c a year.

Aunt Laura Haviland, of Raisin, was in attendance an the W. C. T. U. convention at Detroit. She spoke to the convicts in the Detroit House of Correction on Sunday last, and spent the Sabbath with her old friend Mrs. John J. Bagley.

The Detroit Art Loan closed doors last Saturday night for the season and its marked success could not but satisfy the most sanguine friends of the exhibition. A movement has already been started to create a permanent art exhibition in the city.

There will be a Prohibition Mass Convention at Plymouth Church, Adrian, on Saturday, Dec. 1st, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. All persons, male or female, who are interested in political prohibition are earnestly requested to be present.

BY ORDER COMMITTEE.

Mr. E. J. Hollister last week received two bunches of celery from Peter Henderson & Co., the celebrated seedsmen of New York. It was grown from a new variety of seed which produces a plant that does not need banking. We sampled a few stalks of the same, by Mr. Hollister's permission, and found it good eating.

The Prospectus of the Detroit Free Press appears in another column. The price of the daily has been reduced to three cents and the weekly to one dollar per year. At these rock bottom figures no Michigan man of Democratic proclivities has any excuse for not taking the Free Press.—In the list of Michigan newspapers the old Free Press stands at the head.

Our worthy village president, A. W. Mills, was blessed with an addition to his family last Saturday evening, when an eleven pound boy appeared on the scene. Mr. Mills has two beautiful daughters and this time it is a boy. He is the happiest man in town. Born on the 400th anniversary of Luther's birth, Martin Luther Mills let him be named, and let him be dedicated to the ministry.

The Detroit Post says: If the mania for hunting continues as at present, it will be only a very few years before the deer will be exterminated notwithstanding the laws made for their protection.

The Original Georgia Minstrels gave a fine entertainment at Coe's opera house last evening. The music was fine, and the singing and jokes equal to the best minstrel troupes.—New Haven Courier.

The war concert which is in preparation here will take place the first week in December probably. Co. C will assist in the exercises, in full uniform, and a large chorus of singers will be organized. The several choisters of the village constitute a musical committee, and the business arrangements are in charge of Prof. Hammond. No pains will be spared to make it a musical and financial success.

A little short work with a thief was accomplished Monday night. A son of J. H. Green, of Raisin, drove a horse and buggy belonging to Mr. Green over to Westgate's and while he was in he hoped some thief drove off with them. The theft was soon after discovered and chase made.—The chase was overhauled in a short time and captured by young Green while in the act of climbing over a fence to escape. He was taken to Adrian on Tuesday by Deputy Stevens where he waved examination and was bound over for trial.

THE NEW RAILROAD TIME.

A new time card goes into effect on the Lake Shore road next Sunday.—Trains are now run by Columbus time which is four minutes faster than Tecumseh true time. Under the new schedule trains will run on 90th meridian time which is twenty-eight minutes slower than Columbus time. All railroad time pieces will be set back twenty-eight minutes next Sunday, and then railroad time will be just twenty-four minutes slower than Tecumseh true time, and our village regulators will be set accordingly on that day. The morning train, south, will leave this station, at 7:20 (Lake Shore time), which will be 7:44 Tecumseh time. The Lake Shore time is fixed on the "New Standard of the 90th meridian." It is not known as yet whether the towns of the State will adopt the railroad standard. Should Detroit and a few other large towns do so the rest of the state would undoubtedly follow suit. On Monday next the trains on our Branch will run as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Freight	6:15 A. M.
Express	11:45 A. M.
Express	9:34 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Express	7:20 A. M.
Express	3:26 P. M.
Freight	4:02 P. M.

MURDER AT DUNDEE.

The village of Dundee was the scene of a fight and stabbing affray at 11 o'clock last Saturday night, which ended in John Garver killing Burt Rose. Saturday, during a short absence of the proprietor of Tiffany's Hotel, Garver tended bar and refused Rose a drink which greatly angered him. Early in the evening they drank from the same bottle, and appeared friendly. They attended an entertainment at the village hall, where Rose and two companions renewed their abuse of Garver, who sought another part of the hall. After the show they met in the street and a fight ensued. It is unknown who struck the first blow. Garver was rolled under and they were separated. Rose expired immediately. Garver delivered himself to Marshal Frank Smith and was taken to the Monroe jail. The instrument used was found shut in Garver's pocket. It was a three bladed pocket knife, the large blade three and one-half inches long by half an inch wide, with blood on both sides. The blade entered between the seventh and eighth ribs near the front and severed the main artery of the heart. Garver was interviewed in jail. He said he never saw Rose before. He met him with his companions, and they immediately applied vile epithets. Garver went to another part of the house. Friends told him that the Rose party would waylay him. He went to the hotel to avoid meeting them. He started home and 100 feet from the hotel was attacked by the three, knocked down and pounded and kicked. Bystanders pulled Rose off, but Garver knows nothing about the stabbing.—He says he drank two beers, but did not feel it. The others were drunk. The truth appears to be that all were somewhat under the influence of liquor. Garver is six feet and one eighth of an inch, aged 49, and has a wife. He is a laborer, quiet appearing, with the reputation of being peaceable and orderly. He came to Dundee from Indianapolis last April. Rose was a laborer living in the township of Dundee, near the Lenawee line, aged 28. He leaves a wife and child. He was quarrelsome when in liquor. The coroner's jury examined several witnesses and adjourned until the 19th. Public opinion appears to favor Garver, it being thought that Rose forced the fight, and brought on his own death.

Assistant Engineer Roeh, of the M. & O. was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. A. L. Henry, of Lansing, has been visiting among her Tecumseh friends for a few days.

Geo. E. Adamson seems to be prospering in his new South Side Jewelry Store. See his announcement on 2nd page.

S. S. Scovill arrived in town yesterday and will make Tecumseh his headquarters for a few weeks. He has some more railroad work to do in this vicinity.

The Magazine of Art is unquestionably the best publication of the kind, if we take into consideration the price. Most art publications charge double or triple as much for a year's subscription. The Magazine of Art is ably edited and is an elegant specimen of choice letter-press work. We call attention to the prospectus.

Tillottson's Golden Oil is a new medicine made by Dorr Tillottson, of Owosso, and is said to be a sure cure for Catarrh, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds Sore Throat, Asthma, Rheumatism, Severe Pains in the Back, Side or Limbs, Sprains, Bruises, Burns, Wounds, Chilblains, Inflamation and Swellings, Earache, Neuralgia and Headache. It will be kept on sale at Marks & Russel's Drug Store.

There will be a social entertainment and oyster supper at Grange Hall in Macon, on Friday, Nov. 23d., at 7 o'clock P. M. An open Grange meeting will be held at which the following will be the program.

Debate: "Free trade vs. Protective Policy." Affirmative—A. Easlick, Isaac Mills. Negative—Geo Howell, R. Hall.

Quartette—Mrs. J. Osborn.

Song—Miss Josie Clarkson.

Instrumental Music—Miss Julia Easlick.

There will be an oyster supper at the hall at which time a fee will be charged of 25cts. All and everybody are invited to attend the meeting and supper.

The North American Review for November by the fullness and the sterling worth of the articles it contains, satisfies the requirements of the most exacting reader. Senator H. B. Anthony writes of "Limited Suffrage in Rhode Island" giving incidentally a highly interesting sketch of the early constitutional history of that little Commonwealth. Dr. Norvin Green, President of the Western Union Company, in an article entitled "The Government and the Telegraph," cites the provisions of the Federal Constitution and the determinations of the Supreme Court which appear to debar the General Government from assuming the management of the telegraph lines. "Dr. Hammond's Estimate of Women" is reviewed by Mrs. Lillie Devereux Blake, Miss Nina Morais, Mrs. Sara A. Underwood and Dr. Clemence S. Lozier. Fifty cents a copy; $5 a year. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, and sold by newsdealers generally.

The new standard of railroad time adopted by the Chicago national time convention, goes into effect Sunday, November 18th, at noon. On the majority of roads where the difference in time will not exceed ten minutes clocks and watches will be altered without change of time tables. Where the difference will be more than ten minutes, or where it is desired that trains shall run at the same moment of local time as at present, it will be necessary to make the schedule as many minutes fast as the watches and clocks are made slow. At present there are fifty-three standards of railroad time in the country. Under the new order there will be but five standards; and these very simple. The basis of the new is the meridians, and the five standards will be the following: The intercolonial division, with a central meridian of 60° west of Greenwich; the Eastern, with a central meridian of 90° west; and the Pacific division, with a central meridian of 120° west. Each standard varies from its neighbor by one hour, and by a singular coincidence the termini of all the big lines of railway are at the point of transition from one meridian to another.

MICHIGAN AND OHIO ELECTION.

At a meeting held in Turners, N. Y. on Nov. 1st, the following were elected directors of the new Michigan & Ohio railroad: J. A. Latcha, C. R. Cummings, William B. Howard, W. A. Brown, George I. Seney, John T. Martin, George Ingersoll, E. R. T. Lyman, C. S. Bryce, Samuel Thomas and Daniel Ellis. The newly elected directors then chose J. A. Latcha as president. On that day the officers took possession of the road and since then the following notices have been received by employes. The first is from the contractors:

CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 1, 1883.

The Michigan & Ohio railroad is this day delivered to the railroad company. All persons heretofore in our employ will report to the president of said company.

BROWN, HOWARD & CO.

TOLEDO, OHIO, Nov. 1.

I have this day assumed control of the Michigan & Ohio railroad and all its property. Employes heretofore in the employ of the contractors may continue in the employment of said railroad company and report to their superiors, as heretofore, until further notice.

J. A. LATCHA,
President M. & O.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Deerfield has two street lamps. A good beginning, anyhow.

Col. Eldridge will leave home for Washington on Monday next.

The telegraph line on the M. & O. road is being rapidly pushed forward.

Sixty physicians have registered with the county clerk up to this date.

The old Exchange Hotel in Addison has been changed to the "M. & O. House."

A festive young couple over eighty years old were recently married at Addison.

There are one hundred and thirty two telephones in the Adrian local exchange.

Dogs attended a flock of sheep near Hudson last week and butchered sixteen of them.

The suit against Frank Kirchgessner, of Clinton, for selling liquor without a license was brought on last Friday and continued two weeks.

John Bonner, Jr., junior owner of the Adrian Record, was eighteen years of age last Sunday, and he received a handsome gold watch from his father in honor of the occasion.

Rev. J. A. De Spelder, of Macon, having received a second call to the principalship of the Theological Academy of Orange City, Iowa, has concluded to accept the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Miles, of Petoskey, have been making their old friends in Clinton a visit. George was formerly in the Clinton News office and is now foreman of the Petoskey Record.

Morenci Observer: Peter Powers, of Chesterfield, returned last Saturday from the Dominion bringing with him a couple of Canadian ponies.—"Pete" has only 45 horses on his place now and consequently feels a little lonesome.

Morenci Observer: The sheriff of Fulton county came up on Friday week and summoned the contractors on the Bean creek ditch to appear in court to answer, the effect being to stop work until the legal questions in the case are settled.

Adrian Press: Besides canning squashes and pumpkins, and making apple jelly from all the apples they could get, Messrs. Ladd and Clement have also gone into the manufacture of Tomato Catsup, having recently made, put up and labeled about 20 barrels of the aforesaid sauce.

Clinton News: Mr. and Mrs. Leander Fisk closed their visit in Clinton Monday, and took the afternoon train for Albion where they expect to make a short visit and then go to Newton, Iowa. From the latter point they will proceed direct to their far western home in San Francisco.

Deerfield Record: The members of the old band are agitating the question of reorganization, and for that purpose held a meeting in the council room Monday evening. As the members own a set of instruments, and there are several good musicians among the number, we see no reason why such an organization would not be successful.

Hudson Gazette: The three-year-old son of Alexander Powell, of Ransom, was drowned in a cistern on Sunday last. The little unfortunate went to sit down on a plank covering the cistern, when it turned over, precipitating him into the water. The child was not missed by the parents for some time, when a search was begun and three hours later the discovery of his sad death was made.

Morenci Observer: The County Grange, which convened in this village Thursday was attended by representative men and women of the order from all over the county. The dinner which was served in the hall, was all that could be desired in that line, and did great credit to the ladies of the Morenci Grange, who had the matter in charge. Mr. Beals, of Rollin, presided at the meeting in the afternoon, and the county lecturer, Hon. T. F. Moore, presented the programme. A pretty recitation by sister May Allis, of the Madison Grange, and an exceedingly well prepared essay by Mrs. A. J. Sutton, was followed by a speech from Graves, of Palmyra, who noted in a happy way the fact that the young men were leaving the farm and engaging in other professions and the question to be solved was, how shall the farmers of the county obtain the requisite help in the future. He had sent right on to the old country and obtained excellent German help and advised others to do the same. His speech was followed by a pretty recitation by Miss Nellie Beals, of Rollin, and Mr. Streets, of Palmyra. Miss Florence Russell recited "Evening on the Farm," with decided effect, and Miss Hattie Beals recited "The Old Man Going to School" in first rate style. Mr. Moore closed with some excellent remarks, touching the aims and purposes of the order. Volunteers were called for and Elder McLean gave a good talk, which was well received by all present. The entire exercises were sandwiched by music, which made the session an exceedingly pleasant one.—The Grange then resumed work in the 5th degree.

Go and hear the minstrels next Wednesday.

District Manager Mason, of the telephone company was in town yesterday.

The Public Library will be open on Saturday from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 8 o'clock, P. M.

The Free Methodist Church at Ridgeway having been repaired and remodled, both inside and out, almost to the extent of a new church, will be rededicated on Nov. 24th, at 2½ o'clock P. M. Rev. Joseph Travis of Chicago, is expected to have charge of the services. All are invited.

Having purchased of D. P. Ketchum & Co. their stock of Agricultural Implements, Wagons, Carriages, &c., we invite all their former patrons to call on us when they want anything in our line and we will try to please you. We have a very large stock of carriages on hand, and will make a liberal discount to any one purchasing within the next 30 days. Call and see carriages and get prices.

Slayton & Son.

—You can buy a $14.50 Buffalo and Glass from Slayton & Kinney for eleven dollars.

—Cider Apples. If you have any cider apples to sell, bring them at once to Slayton & Son, while they are paying twenty-five cents per bushel.

—A very nice article of black walnut chairs, something new and nice for sale at Palmer's chair factory. Also a good assortment of other furniture, all at prices to suit the times.

—You can buy a $5.50 heater of Slayton & Kinney for $3.50. Just 1 left.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Call on Slayton & Son for good cooking apples. Cheap.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machine without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—At Coller's Palace of Music at Adrian you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call, or drop a postal for prices.

—No guess work. If you want a good flour, as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller, of Adrian, Gen. Agt. for the New Home Sewing Machine if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machines. He is the company's only authorized agt. in this vicinity. Don't be misled.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.

I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.

WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

MARRIED.

WILSON—PILLINGTON—At Quaker, Nov. 11th, by Rev. D. Chubley, Mr. Seymour Wilson and Miss Emma Jane Pillington, both of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Post Office at Tecumseh, Nov. 14, 1883.

Brooks, Mr.	Granger, Mrs. S.
Bryan, John	Hambleton, Sarah
Blair, Martin	Kames, Hiram
Bisinger, John	Perkins, Dr.
Carlisle, Miss L.	Price, C. A.
Caswell, Benjamin	Tobey, S.
Poke, Charles	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	2 00	@ 2 50
Apples, dried, ₱ ₱	3	@ 4
Butter, ₱ ₱	20	@ 22
Barley, ₱ bushel	1 00	@ 1 00
Beans, ₱ bushel	1	@ 1
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	40	@ 40
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	2	@ 2
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6	@ 6
Beef Hides	6	@ 7
Calf Skin, ₱ ₱	8	@ 9
Corn in ear	50	@ 50
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	45	@ 45
Clover Seed	4 00	@ 4 00
Chickens—dressed	6	@ 7
Eggs, ₱ doz	15	@ 15
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 00	@ 7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	4 00	@ 5 00
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@ 5 00
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@ 10 00
Honey, ₱ ₱	8	@ 10
Ham, ₱ ₱	9	@ 14
Lard, ₱ ₱	8	@ 10
Oats, ₱ bushel	25	@ 30
Onions, ₱ bushel	50	@ 75
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25	@ 35
Salt, ₱ barrel	1 50	@ 1 75
Sheep Pelts	50	@ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	1	@ 1 50
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ₱	8	@ 10
Wood, ₱ cord	4 00	@ 4 50
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	1	@ 1 00
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	1	@ 1 00

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CATARRH CURE

Is a specific cure for Catarrh, acute or chronic, Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, Snuffles and Sneezing. All Diseases of the Nose are cured without fail by this sovereign remedy. It is the only sure cure for *Hay Fever* and *Rose Cold*.

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Is the most wonderful cough medicine ever prepared. It is a specific cure for Whooping Cough, Bronchial and Winter Cough. It contains no ipecac, tartar emetic, prussic acid, opium or any drug or chemical, being purely vegetable. General directions in 10 languages.

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"I engaged," said a burly lawyer, a plaintiff's way to conduct me some few miles into the country, and I proceeded some distance, when it came to a sudden standstill at the beginning of a rather steep incline, and the coachman leaping to the ground, came to the door and opened it. "What are you at, man? What are you at, man? This is not where I ordered you to go." "Has the animal jibbed?" "What, yer honor? whist!" said Paddy in an undertone. "I'm only doasing it easy. I'm just hang the door; and the crathy old creature will think he's got rid of yer honor's presence!" [illegible] at the top of the hill in time.

The following are a few instances of amusing blunders, proverbially [illegible]

[illegible] the edge of a small river in the county of Cavan, in Ireland. There is [illegible] a sign with the following inscription cut upon it, no doubt for the information of strangers: "N. B.—When the river [illegible] is not safe to ride over."

But the above is almost if not quite eclipsed by the famous post erected at a cross road by the surveyors of the Kent roads in England. "This is the parish path of Eastcheap. If you can't read this, go and get some body to the parish road."

In a late work on [illegible] in the Irish House of Commons in 1786, on the Loyalty Fund, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Parnell, observed [illegible] "Mr. Vandeleur [illegible] he felt [illegible] of Ireland." [illegible] Parnell [illegible] "[illegible] made by making [illegible] of wood."

[illegible] the latter portion [illegible] an Irish maiden [illegible]

[illegible]

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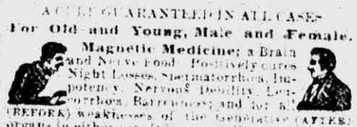

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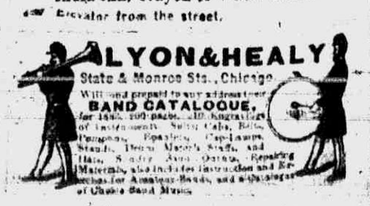

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 50 A.M.	2 40 P.M.	7 40 P.M.
Napoleon	7 10 "	3 05 "	8 20 "
Norvell	7 16 "	3 13 "	3 00 "
Manchester	7 30 "	3 30 "	3 50 "
Clinton	7 45 "	3 48 "	4 10 "
Tecumseh	7 55 "	4 00 "	4 30 "
Adrian	8 30 "	4 35 "	5 35 "
Petersburg	10 50 "	7 10 "	
Toledo	9 50 "	5 25 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	9 00 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	
Toledo	10 50 "	8 25 "	
Adrian	11 40 "	9 20 "	5 40 A.M.
Petersburg	12 11 P.M.	9 52 "	6 25 "
Tecumseh	12 22 "	10 02 "	7 30 "
Clinton	12 40 "	10 20 "	8 25 "
Manchester	12 55 "	10 35 "	9 05 "
Norvell	1 05 "	10 55 "	9 25 "
Napoleon	1 20 "	11 20 "	10 20 "
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DETROIT	9 20	3 30	9 50	6 30
Hand	9 46	3 56	10 16	7 15
Romulous	10 00	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	4 19	10 40	8 35
Willis	10 19	4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	10 25	4 34	10 53	9 35
Milan	10 34	4 44	11 03	10 55
Cone	10 36	4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	10 50	5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	11 07	5 16	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	5 24	11 46	1 06
Sand Creek	11 35	5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	5 50	12 15	2 20
North Fayette	12 04	6 00	12 31	3 01
Alvordton	12 15	6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 30	6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's A.M.	Mail. P.M.	Exp's P.M.	W. Tr. A.M.
BUTLER	8 35	2 17	9 15	5 00
Blakesley	8 52	2 38	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	9 30	3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	9 45	3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	4 08	10 32	9 32
Sand Creek	10 07	4 22	10 47	10 20
Adrian	10 30	4 48	10 50	12 25
Holloway	10 39	4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	10 49	5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	10 54	5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 57	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	11 03	5 29	11 43	3 30
Willis	11 10	5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	11 18	5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulous	11 26	5 54	12 04	4 50
Hand	11 39	6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 2 Express.	No. 4 Mixed.	No. 6 Night Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Mixed.	No. 5 Night Express.
P.M.	A.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
3 20	8 35		Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	5 00	5 30
3 56	8 40		Manhattan Jct.	9 54	4 49	5 16
4 36	8 45		Alexis Jct.	9 44	4 37	5 05
4 40	9 20		Monroe Jct.	9 10	4 00	4 27
5 18	9 32		Dundee	9 00	3 37	4 18
5 29	9 43		Azalia	8 50	3 26	4 08
5 42	9 58		Milan	8 31	3 04	3 52
6 15	10 14		Ypsilanti	8 20	12 36	3 38
6 40	10 25		Pittsfield	8 10	12 25	3 30
6 50	10 35		Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
P.M.	P.M.				A.M.	A.M.
7 05	12 22		Jackson (M.C.)	6 40	9 50	9 50
P.M.						
7 55	2 15		Battle Creek	4 30	7 58	7 58
8 55	2 56		Kalamazoo	3 29	7 10	7 10
10 50	4 50		Grd Rapids	10 10	2 20	1 30
A.M.	A.M.				A.M.	P.M.
5 30	10 05		Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
	11 20		Ar. South Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 20	2 40
	11 50		Howell (G.L.&N.)		10 22	2 01
	P.M.					A.M.
	1 15		Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 15
						A.M.
10 15	3 01		Ionia		7 15	11 05
10 50	3 54		Edmore		6 10	9 00
	5 30		Big Rapids			7 15
	4 50		Howard City			9 25
	A.M.					
	8 45		Petoskey (G.R.&I.)			12 01
						P.M.
	6 40		Mackinaw City			9 15

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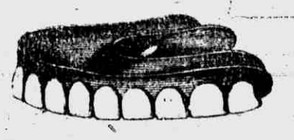

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All kinds of gun making and repairing. Bring along your repairing.

Shop over C. L. Albaugh's Pump Factory, Tecumseh, M.

July 23d, 1883. J. H. CLARK.

DR. B. MINCER,

Scientific Optician!

I have devoted 25 years wholly to a study of the eye, and how to aid vision properly, and I make a specialty of fitting glasses to the eyes that have been injured by cheap, inferior glasses. I manufacture every kind of glasses, and guarantee satisfaction. Read what prominent physicians of Adrian say:

Having for some time past used glasses to improve my sight, without satisfactorily gaining my object, I called on Mr. Mincer, optician, of Detroit, who readily adapted glasses to my eyes, with which I am so well pleased, that I cheerfully speak in his favor. His method of examining and his application in selecting glasses to fit the eye can only be acquired by a knowledge of the useful organ to which must be added extensive experience. He has also adapted glasses to Mrs. Baker's eyes with which she is well pleased. I recommend him to all who need glasses adapted to their wants; poor glasses are an abomination.

V. A. BAKER, M.D.

ADRIAN, Nov. 18, 1882.

I have used spectacles bought of Mr. B. Mincer for the past three months, and find them superior to any I have ever used, and can cheerfully recommend him to anyone in need of glasses, and the benefit of his experience in the science of optics to adjust proper lenses.

DANIEL TODD, M.D.

I have investigated the work of Mr. B. Mincer, optician. I have reason to believe that he understands his profession, and adjusts excellent glasses on scientific principles. C. RYND, M.D.

REMEMBER!

I will visit every town in the county during the month.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

COLDS. "Orrville, Ohio, Sept. 10, 1882. "Having been subject to a bronchial affection, with frequent colds, for a number of years, I hereby certify that AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL gives me prompt relief, and is the most effective remedy I have ever tried.

JAMES A. HAMILTON, Editor of *The Crescent*."

COUGHS. "Mt. Gilead, Ohio, June 26, 1882. "I have used AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL this spring for a severe cough and lung trouble with good effect, and I am pleased to recommend it to any one similarly affected.

HARVEY BAUGHMAN, Proprietor Globe Hotel."

PREPARED BY

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Sold by all Druggists.

A New Stock

—OF—

FUNERAL FURNISHING GOODS,

Including a great variety

CLOTH COVERED CASKETS,

IN WHITE AND BLACK.

Embalming Made a Specialty.

PRICE REDUCED FOR 1883.

TERMS—SIX MONTHS.

Ten Per Cent Discount Thirty Days.

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—DEALER IN—

DRY GOODS!

No. 4. East Maumee Street.

Adrian, - Mich.

Samples Mailed. Lowest prices guaranteed.

A large assortment of the POPULAR BUTTERICK PATTERNS on hand.

NOTICE.

J. A. MUNGER

has formed a co-partnership with

P. B. SWICK

IN THE HARNESS BUSINESS;

And would be pleased to see all his old friends at the store of P. B. Swick where will always be found a full line of

Fine and Heavy Harness, Trunks, Whips, Etc.

Repairing Neatly Done.

SWICK & MUNCER.

Chicago Street, Tecumseh.

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By BOARDMAN & GRAY, WHITNEY & CURRIER, and other first-class manufacturers, at low prices for cash or on time at cash price and interest. Large Sales, Small Profits. *Accommodating Terms*, is our rule. Don't be deceived by the soliciting agents of competitors. Come direct to us and get the benefit of low prices for first-class goods.

PALACE ORGANS

Best in the World.

A full line of the most desirable styles.

Prices but a trifle higher than low and inferior grades.

Catalogues free.

WHITNEY & CURRIER,

Palace of Music,

TOLEDO, OHIO.

PAYSON'S INDELIBLE INK is the BEST. No preparation. Used with any clean pen for marking any fabric. Popular for decorative work on linen. Received Centennial MEDAL & Diploma. Established 50 years. Sold by all Druggists, Stationers & News Agt's.

AGENTS Wanted for handsome illustrated standard works of character, great variety, low in price, selling fast, needed everywhere. Liberal terms. Wm. Garretson & Co., Old Drama Book Publishers, O.

Books & Bibles

POSTAGE STAMPS.—There are about six thousand different descriptions of postage stamps in existence. The museum of the Berlin Post Office alone contains between four and five thousand specimens, of which half are from Europe, and the remainder divided between Asia, Africa, America and Australia. What country carries off the palm for absurdity and grotesqueness of artistic design and inferiority of execution, we are not told, but if the collection is faithfully representative the variety of ugliness must be considerable. Some of the stamps, it appears, bear coats of arms, and other emblems, impartially borrowed from the heavens above, the earth beneath, and the waters under the earth—stars, eagles, lions, horses, serpents, railway trains, dolphins and other "fearful wildfowl." There are, moreover, the effigies of five emperors, eighteen kings, three queens, one grand duke, several inferior titled rulers, and many presidents. In so many countries and nationalities some really attractive specimens must have been elaborated.

Clifton Springs, N.Y., July 13, 1882.

Rheumatic Syrup Co.:

Gents—I make the following statement for the benefit of those that suffer with that terrible disease—rheumatism. I have been troubled, more or less for twelve years and at times could hardly use my arms. It was my arms and shoulders principally. I took but one bottle of your Syrup and it stopped the pain and took the soreness out, so I am feeling well. I cheerfully recommend your Syrup to any suffering from rheumatism.

G. W. Warfield.

We challenge any remedy to show an appreciation at home which has been poured upon Rheumatic Syrup. The permanent cures it has effected wherever it has been tried have made for it a reputation that no other remedy has ever been able to attain.

I remarked to an old farmer back in the country, whom I had not seen for several years, and whose farm, in the meantime, had improved wonderfully, that his place was so changed I hardly knew it. "Yes," said he, "I've been fixin' up a little. The old woman pestered me to death about the garden, and so I slicked it up a little, and fixed about the house, and it looked so nice I went at the farm fences and the brush, and saved more manure, and kept killing the weeds, and the crops got better, and so I kept going on, and things do look pretty good now. Wife takes a paper, and I take one, and I get time to read it too, and I used to think that I hadn't time for anything." And so he ran on, seemingly much pleased with what he had done, and his life and his home without doubt the happier for it. Examples of a like kind may be found all over the country.

Is Fun Better than Physic?

Fun is excellent; a hearty laugh is known the whole world over to be a health promoter; but fun does not fill the bill when a man needs physic, on the other hand people take too much physic. They would be more healthy, live longer and enjoy life thoroughly if they used Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which cures all blood disorders, indigestion, kidney and liver troubles, removes pimples, and is a perfect tonic. Can be taken by the most delicate. Only 50c a bottle, of Baker & Hall.

A GATE WITHOUT HINGES.—A subscriber in Pennsylvania sends a description of a gate which is without hinges. It turns upon a pin, of 1½-inch round iron, fixed in a block of wood or a stone under the heel post, and a pin bent to a proper shape, fitted in the top of the heel post. This method of hanging a gate is cheap, simple, and more secure than to use hinges.

Catarrh.

The remarkable results in a disease so universal and with such a variety of characteristics as Catarrh, prove how effectually Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the human system. A medicine, like everything else, can be fairly judged only by its results. We point with pride to the glorious record Hood's Sarsaparilla has entered upon the hearts of thousands of people it has cured of catarrh.

Give hens constant access to lime in some form. Hens must have the raw material in order to manufacture shells; they cannot make them out of nothing.

Guinea fowls will keep all bugs and insects of every discription off garden vines. They will not scratch like other fowls, or harm the most delicate plant.

That poor bedridden, invalid wife, sister, mother, or daughter, can be made the picture of health by a few bottles of Hop Bitters. Will you let them suffer when so easily cured?

Cost of Bringing up a Boy.

A clergyman who has been discoursing about boys has devoted considerable attention to the cost of these somewhat necessary individuals, and he estimates the expense of bringing a good boy, with all the advantages of city life, to the age of fifteen, at about $5,000. These figures are about doubled by the time the boy is of age, if he goes through college. A bad boy, arrived at the age mentioned, costs fully as much, even if he has not been to college, and the computation, as the reverend gentlemen suggests, does not include the value of the mother's tears and father's gray hairs. Most men who have brought up boys will agree that the estimate is not too high.

Have you taken a cold? You can cure it promptly by using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

HOW OUR FORESTS DISAPPEAR.—The manufacture and shipment of timber is the leading industry in Washington Territory, employing a great many working men, and an immense number of large saw mills, operated by steam and water power. A large fleet of ships and some small exporting steamers convey the timber to San Francisco, East Indies, Europe, Australia, South America, Egypt, Japan and China. The timber shipped from one district in western Washington Territory in 1876, by vessels, without reckoning the home consumption, equalled 40,000 railway carloads, or 2,000 railway trains of twenty cars each, and in 1878 amounted to 250,000,000 feet. Timbered lands well situated for logging purposes sell at from eight to twelve dollars per acre. Timber miles from a river timber lands can be had from two to three dollars per acre.

Avoid cheap goods. The Hop Plaster cures pains and aches where other plasters simply relieve, 25c at all drug stores.

If you are troubled with sores, aches, pains and general weakness of the various bodily functions, don't be deceived by the advertisements of bitters, kidney medicines, etc., whose certificates of pretended cures, are often paid for. Put your trust in that simple remedy called Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It will cure you by purifying the blood and strengthening the weak portions of your body. You will also find it very refreshing to the brain and nervous system. The proprietors receive hundreds of letters bestowing upon it the highest praise.

Canning Fruit.

In canning fruit it is wise to use a good deal of sugar. Plain canned fruit is apt to turn, and does not retain its flavor as when made a little rich. If our housekeepers would take as much pains in making preserves as the French do, they would find themselves amply rewarded when in the winter, they turn out the beautiful clear fruit, always in perfect shape. To preserve fruit in the French method, it is necessary to make a clear syrup first, which can be done by melting two pounds of the best sugar with a pint of water, using a white porcelain kettle; add the slightly beaten white of one egg before the syrup becomes hot; let it boil, and skim it until the scum ceases to appear. Then put in carefully selected fruit, a few at a time, watching carefully that they do not break, and removing one at a time as soon as they become soft. When these are put in glass jars and the syrup poured over them, the result will make glad the most stoical.

The testimony of many who long suffered from ill-health, caused by an impure state of the blood, goes to prove that the best remedy for making the blood rich, red and pure, for beautifying the complexion, for curing sores, pimples and other skin diseases, for removing aches, pains, stiff joints, rheumatism, etc., for increasing the power of endurance, for giving health and strength to every weak portion of the body, is Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. Its effect pleases the user in every instance. No other remedy equals it.

A copy of the oldest newspaper, of which anything is known was recently found in the library of the University of Heidelberg. John Carolus, of Strasburg, is thought to have printed this copy, which is in the form of a quarto volume and bears the date of 1000. Much of the contents is extremely interesting, and consists principally of letters written by correspondents. These letters, when coming from Rome, were twenty-one days on the route; from Venice, fourteen to seventeen days, and from Vienna, about eight days. When there was not sufficient matter to fill out the sheets, blank spaces were left. One of the incidents mentioned was the manufacture of a telescope, by Galileo. Some of the news was of a very bloody character, and pictures a lawless state of society, one item relating to the confession of seven criminals who acknowledged that "on the 18 of this month they threw about fourteen persons into the water, and that their band numbered eighty, who for the most part were natives of Prague."

Your cough is growing worse. That soreness and pain in the throat and lungs is increasing. Better get rid of the absurd idea that anything will cure a cough or cold, and give Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry a trial before it is too late. It never fails to check consumption, and quickly cures all coughs and colds.

It is said by a well-known Illinois educator that "The average western farmer toils hard early and late, often depriving himself of needed rest and sleep—for what? To raise corn. For what? To feed hogs. For what? To get money with which to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To buy more land. And what does he want with more land? Why he wishes to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—to buy more land—to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—and in this circle he moves until the Almighty stops his hoggish proceedings."

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

SWISS MOUNTAIN GIRLS.—In these beautiful health-giving mountains one would expect to find the most beautiful and healthy-looking of all girls. Where only pure air is to be breathed, inspiring scenes to be witnessed, women should be as fair as daughters of the gods. But not so. The women in Switzerland have a prematurely worn and aged look; if at twenty they were robust and possessed of that attraction which good health bestows—at thirty they are faded and seem to take pleasure only in going through their dull and never-ending round of duty. For they do the greater share of the work in the field and in the house, and in addition rear large families. In fact they make up in usefulness what they lack in beauty.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles; Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

The town of Dubrignolles on the Turkish side of the Adriatic Sea, at a point opposite Rome and Naples, midway between them. It is called in that quarter of the earth Dead Men's Town. About 7800 people live there, and are the effete descendants of the most formidable band of pirates that ever existed. It is a very old town. One hundred and sixty-seven years before Christ the city surrendered to the Romans, and received exemption from taxation, and its freedom. From 1500 to 1600 the pirates held full sway, and in 1718 a great battle was lost there by the Venetians.

Ministers Sound its Praise.

Rev. Mr. Greenfields, Knoxville, Tenn., writes as follows: "Samaritan Nervine permanently cured my son of epileptic fits." Here's food for thought. Sold by druggists, $1.50.

Reasons Why You Feel Badly.

Because your stomach is not doing its work properly.
Because your liver is out of order, and wants righting.
Because your blood is thin, and needs iron in it.
Because you are troubled with nervous aches and pains.
Because you are vexed with languor and debility,

All these Reasons Can be Set Aside by the Use of Brown's Iron Bitters, which will

Tone up your enfeebled stomach, and help it to digest.
Refresh your wearied liver and put it in splendid order.
Enrich your watery blood, and give it a rich red color.
Calm your worried nerves, and give them restful peace.
Strengthen your whole system and drive debility and languor out.

Considering that any man who has a dollar may buy of the nearest druggist a bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters, there is no reason why people should continue to feel badly. [illegible] the fun of it.

HUDSONS,

The Clothiers.

71 & 73 Summit st., Toledo, O.

PRESENTS TO OUR CUSTOMERS!

We will give to our customers January 1st, 1884

In our Men's Youth's and Boy's Clothing department, an elegant upright Branich and Bach Piano, and a superb Village Cart. A ticket with each purchase.

In our Children's Department, the handsome cream pony, Buffalo Bill. A ticket with each purchase.

In our Pantaloon Department, a Solid Case Gold Watch and a Peninsular Range. Be sure and get your ticket.

In our Hat and Cap department, a splendid 1000 yard Sharps' Rifle. A ticket with each purchase.

In our Men's Furnishing department a fine Domestic Machine and a solid case Gold Watch. Be sure and get your ticket.

ALL THESE PRESENTS may be seen in our show window, and are first-class in every particular, and will be positively given to some of our customers, New Year's Day.

IN ADDITION to these valuable presents we are offering the most complete stock of Men's, Youth's, Boy's and Children's

OVERCOATS AND SUITS

We ever offered in Toledo and double the variety found elsewhere in the city.

HUDSONS'

CLOTHIERS.

71 & 73 Summit St., Toledo, Ohio.

The Greatest Attraction

In Toledo is at the old established

Carpet House

Of V. B. Snyder & Co.

Where immense throngs are witnessing to opening up of their new stock of

Carpets, Lace Curtains, Drapery Goods,

Wiltons, Axminster, Moquette, Velvet Body and Tapestry Brussels, Three-Ply and Ingrain Carpets at very low prices.

Also a complete selection of Dado and

Banded Shades, Fringes, Ottoman & Hassocks Oil Cloths and Linoleums.

Don't forget the Number, 117 & 119 Summit St.

Tecumseh Music Store

—AND—

Sewing Machine Agency,

G. P. Sparks, Proprietor.

Chickering, Haines, McCammon and Whitney

PIANOS.

Estey, Whitney, and Royal ORGANS.

SHEET MUSIC, the very latest and Musical Merchandise. Prices lower than Detroit. The Domestic and White Sewing Machines take the lead. If you want a machine buy the best. I have other machines that I can sell you cheap.

Oil, Needles, and attachments for all machines. Machines cleaned and repaired. Second-hand machines for sale from $5 to $20.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman

Would respectfully announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she now has on hand her

Fall and Winter Milllinery Stock!

And would invite all to call and see her before purchasing elsewhere. She employs none but the most experienced workmen, and promises to sell as cheap as the cheapest.

Store one door west of Bills' Bank, Tecumseh, Mich.

NOVEMBER 1st, 1883.

GREAT ECONOMY SALE!

GAINSLEY & CO.

Have again taken advantage of the depressed condition of the

Eastern markets and placed on sale in the last ten days a second stock of Fall and Winter Goods. We bought heavy and in order to move stock rapidly we shall make low prices on the entire stock. We give a partial list of bargains and specialties, not being able to give the entire list, as

OUR STOCK IS IMMENSE.

DRESS GOODS.

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CLOAKS, DOLMANS,

CIRCULARS & SACQUES.

Never have such bargains been offered since ready made garments were worn. Examine our prices, compare our styles, and [illegible] GAINSLEYS. Shawls, [illegible] and mitts at remarkably low prices. Dress [illegible] and waterproofs at unapproachable prices.

GLOVES AND HOSIERY.

Never before have we placed on sale such an elegant line of

Ladies, misses, childrens and gents' gloves. We guarantee you a positive saving of 20 per cent. Dont fail to see our stock of ladies, misses and children's hosiery. We have just placed [illegible] warm and durable Elkhart all wool Hose at less in price than the [illegible]

Before Selecting your

UNDERWEAR

Give us a call. We have an endless variety from a 25c Shirt and Drawers to the finest all wool.

[illegible] and gents' ties and gents. [illegible] Fancy goods, [illegible] Spanish laces, fresh prints [illegible] unusually attractive.

IN DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, PRINTS,

[illegible] you will find all the newest styles. In sheetings, muslins, crashes, table linens and damasks, canton flannels, shirtings, denims and tickings we have a large stock and cheap.

Great Bargains, Fresh Goods, Low Prices, and Small Profits is our Motto.

GAINSLEY & CO.,

TECUMSEH, Nov. 1, 1883.

GAINSLEY & CO'S GREAT ECONOMY SALE.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, NOVEMBER 1st, 1883.

STILL AT THE HEAD!

Is it Not So?

That the People of this city and vicinity are getting sick of paying big prices for poorly made furniture without regard to style, and made by inexperienced workmen.

THE PEOPLE

Have long ago come to the conclusion that

WM. McCOWEN'S

Immense Furniture Establishment is the only place in the county where they can buy the latest styles of fine and medium grades of Furniture at prices lower than one horse dealers in an inferior class of goods.

IN UNDERTAKING

This establishment is also far in advance of all others, owing to the proprietors having

Over 9 Years Experience in This Branch.

First-Class Work at Low Prices is our Motto.

IMMENSE STOCK

OF

New Clothing!

For Men Boys and Children,

And more coming daily, for Fall and Winter Of 1883-4.

An elegant Line of New Piece Goods.

New Ready-made Suits, New Hats and Caps, New Underwear. Everything New.

We offer the Largest Assortment and Lowest Prices the mar et affords.

We cordially invite all lookers after our line of goods to come and see us.

STRONG & McNAIR.

New Goods Received!

HORSE BLANKETS,
BUFFALO ROBES,
WOLF ROBES,
Guns and Ammunition,

Also the largest line of

STOVES

Ever on exhibition in northern Lenawee.

Cali and see our

BRILLIANT JEWEL,

It is the finest Coal Burner in the market.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors,

BLINDS & MOULDINGS

of all kinds.

PLANING, SAWING AND MATCHING DONE TO ORDER.

Mill corner Pearl and Shawnee streets,
Office, Yard and Storerooms, corner R. R. and Shawnee streets.

EDWARD E. KOCH,

MANAGER.

MARKS & RUSSELL,

Dealers in

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

Paints, Oils and Groceries.

Hewitt's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

Physician's prescriptions accurately compounded.

JAMES LOWRY.

—GENERAL DEALER IN—

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

Crockery and Glassware

No. 3, Merchants' Block, Tecumseh, Mich. Highest Cash Price paid for BUTTER, EGGS, ETC.

C. F. MORLEY.

—DEALER IN—

GENERAL CONFECTIONERY,

Nuts and Fruits of all kinds in their season.

Also Agent for the Farmer's Mutual Insurance Co. of Lenawee Co.

North Side Chicago St. Tecumseh, Mich.

WILL T. ECCLES.

LUNCH ROOMS!

Ice Cream, Confectionery and Cigars.

PURE TEAS A SPECIALTY.

IMPORTED SWEDISH

SAFETY MATCHES!

Without odor.

SULPHUR MATCHES,

1000 for 10 cts.

NEW CANNED MACKEREL

AT

A. ANDERSON & SONS

ARNOLD BROS.,

Proprietors of the old established

STAR BAKERY.

Fresh Bread, Rusks, Cakes, Pies, etc., Constantly on hand.

Farmers and others can procure a first-class Lunch at their rooms at all hours.

Chicago Street

TECUMSEH. MICH.

JOE WILSON

Is now offering to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity a full supply of those celebrated

JOHN KELLY----ROCHESTER

Boots and Shoes.

The finest assortment of Boys' shoes ever in Tecumseh.

Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.

No. 2, Mills' Block.

TECUMSEH. MICHIGAN.

General Repair Shop!

F. P. Deuel, Proprietor.

Opposite Hayden's Warehouse.

TECUMSEH, MICH.

Is now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings finished. Saws gummed, straightened, filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

THE OLD RELIABLE

GLOBE MILLS!

WM. HAYDEN, PROPRIETOR.

TECUMSEH, MICH.

These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated

ROLLER PROCESS,

Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

Christmas Presents.

We desire patrons who intend giving pictures for Christmas presents to call at once for their sittings. Examine our new cabinet albums, they are very desirable.

We keep the largest stock of

PICTURE FRAMES

and Fancy Mats in Tecumseh.

We make life size crayon and oil paintings and will give you prices that are as low as first class work can be afforded. When you wish anything in the picture line call on

BROWN, The Photographer.

WM. LEIGH,

PROPRIETOR OF THE

Tecumseh Bakery!

And Dealer in

Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c., and everything belonging to a first-class Bakery.

Special attention given to furnishing pic-nics or wedding parties.

Cleanliness and cleanliness shall be our motto.

Cash Store. Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BROOKLYN BOSH.

It is wrong to visit art galleries, and take away more than your share of prejudice but it did seem as if some of the gentlemen there expected the ladies to be just a little bit shocked and then pass by on the other side. These last were but few in number, and had all passed. One of them called my attention so pointedly to something worthy of admiration that it was plain she did not like my prolonged investigation, and so gave a mild old gentleman a chance to speak his mind. I hope if the remains of what moral courage I have left should ever desert me, that it will be returned by the finder as soon as possible although it is of small value. Whether human or not, the Nymphs are painted in our image, and if women were always represented so truthfully and gracefully there would be less trouble in the world. I was not shocked, and did not cross over until I got ready, but I am as sorry for my unregenerate qualifications as my friends can wish.

My critics condemned the Nymphs, but were ecstatic over the twins, and Christ on the cross. The first were blessed babies, to which I agreed, but could not see why the picture of the crucifixion should be tolerated, if the other was not. My unfortunate blunder ranked next to blasphemy, for the reason that Christ had always been painted that way. It was a true copy of his position on the cross, and besides he was a perfect being, and no matter how he was portrayed, it was wrong to criticise. Perhaps so, but its queer. Guided by love is a world of beauty condensed. It represents a boy and girl seated in a boat. They are not minding their oars, but drift with the current among reeds and water lilies. A cupid wearing wings and the mantle of charity presides as helmsman for the reckless voyagers, and yet no one seemed to worry about them.

The picture of Saint Aloysius and the infant Savior is the gift from the present Pope of Rome to the Detroit Art Loan, and is accompanied by his blessing. It represents the marriage of Christ and the church. Some who had been disciplined until their fitness to receive is past questioning, disregarded the commandment card by touching the hem of the holy scene and went in peace.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Jerome Kirkby is about to put an addition on his house, a kitchen 12x14.

Poultry is all delivered for Thanksgiving. Smith & Ayres had three deck loads delivered at this place last Monday.

The Thanksgiving party is expected to be as usual, one equally as good as any ever given in the place.

The money for the depot between the Springville road and the Daniels road is guaranteed and that question will soon be settled.

FARMERS' CLUB.

The first meeting of the Farmers' Club for the present season was held at the residence of Mr. J. W. Benedict, Nov. 9th. There was about 70 persons present which showed that the interest in the club has not all died out during the long recess.

At the request of the secretary, she was relieved from the duties of such and Mr. A. G. Hall was elected Sec., *pro tem.* The meeting opened with music by the choir, which was followed with the following program:

Select Reading—Mrs. Jno. Gillespie.
Song—Lizzie Henderson and Ellen Fisher.
Essay—F. V. Horton.
Subject—Reminiscences.

Mr. Horton gave a short and very good description of his father's trip from his pleasant eastern home to the then territory of Michigan. He also gave a glowing description of the trials and sufferings of the early settlers and compared them with the conveniences and comforts which their children now enjoy in one of the most beautiful countries in the union. The essay was well received by all present.

Dec.—Grant Schreder.

His declamation contained good sound sense for the young farmer, but was rather rough on the young lawyer.

Inst. music—Miss Rhoda Benedict.

Question—Is it right for the people of Michigan to be taxed for the erection and support of such magnificent and expensive public institutions as the Reform School at Adrian, and like institutions intended for penal purposes. Led by R. R. Hall who spoke very much in favor of the manner in which the school was conducted. He was followed by several others, all of which thought there was a great deal of money needlessly expended to make the buildings attractive.

The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mr. George Griswold, where the following program will be carried out:

Music—Choir.
Select reading—Mrs. Geo. Griswold.
Dec.—Henry Horton.
Music—Mrs. Wm. Waldron and Miss Griswold.
Essay—Fred Henderson.
Rec.—Eva Rector.
Music.
Question—Resolved, That the farmer should ship or sell his produce without the aid of middlemen.

A. G. HALL, Sec. *pro tem.*

COUNTY FINANCES.

In a recent number of the Morenci Observer, appeared the following item:

The county tax to be collected this fall will be $74,000, to the minds of most people an extravagant figure.

In the last issue of that paper appears a communication from the county clerk as follows:

The figures given are correct, and the total sum is composed as follows; Contingent fund, $25,000; court-house fund, $16,666.66; poor fund, $14,000; jurors' fund for county $4,500; insane asylum fund, $5,000; salaries of county officers, $4,500; stenographer, $700; probate register, $750; court house rent, $1,200; sheriff's contingent fund, $500; school examiners, $600; night watch, $480; prosecuting attorney's contingent fund, $500. Total $74,396.66.

Out of this amount should be deducted the sum of $16,666.66, the tax for building the court house, which is an extraordinary assessment, and should be deducted from the estimates for the ordinary expenditure of the year. Deducting this amount leaves the sum of $57,730 for the usual or ordinary expenses of the county. By an examination of the record, I find that there has been assessed for the years named, for the county tax, the following amounts, viz:

1883, $57,730; 1882, $56,380; 1881, $42,780; 1880, $48,700; 1879, $45,872; 1878, $59,802.59; 1877, $55,122.91; 1876, $58,022; 1875, $47,222; 1874, $40,722.

This statement covering a period of ten years last past, will be sure to show the average county tax.

It should be remembered also that the Board of Supervisors finding that previous boards had apportioned too small a sum for contingent expenses, making it necessary to borrow quite a large sum of money to "tide over" till the taxes were paid in, has for the past two years added $7,000 each year to the contingent fund, thus obviating in a measure, the necessity of borrowing money, and with a prospect in a few years of making a rational reduction in taxes for county purposes.

THOS. M. HUNTER.

All of our readers who are interested in farm matters of any kind are asked to read on another page the announcement of the leading American country journal, the Rural New Yorker. It is the first to have established an Experiment Farm; the first to originate and distribute rare and new kinds of seeds and plants free among its subscribers. It has probably done more to create the present interest in experiment stations and an improved agriculture than all the rest put together. It is original from beginning to end. It presents over 500 original illustrations yearly of fruits, cattle, grains, house plants, etc., and combines in practice the true interests of the farm, garden and household with the editorial labor of a rural journal. Its pres'nt Free Seed Distribution comprises eight kinds of seeds, most of which are not offered for sale. These, according to the prices which seedsmen charge for novelties, are worth more than the yearly subscription price of the paper. It is a weekly of sixteen pages, printed on fine paper. It has over 600 contributors, among them the most distinguished agricultural writers of America, Canada and England. Our readers can lose nothing by sending for free specimens to the Rural New-Yorker, 34 Park Row New York. They will be cheerfully and promptly forwarded.

Adrian Record: As a general thing printers are all christians, and attend divine service regularly every Sabbath. But there is one member of the art preservative of all arts, who, we are sorry to say, is not as religiously inclined as he ought to be, and Adrian is his home. Yesterday, taking advantage of the fine weather, this unregenerate youth went to Palmyra, and in company with a gentleman living in that village, spent almost the entire day in fishing for pickerel in the river Raisin. Our friend didn't get a bite, but his companion caught two little pickerel, which he generously donated to the printer, who brought them home, intending to have fricasseed fish for breakfast. His wrath was great this morning on learning that the cat had devoured the two pickerel during the night. Our friend has promised not to fish on Sunday again.

The Adrian Press has the following. We plead guilty and ask the mercy of the court, or rather of the groom.

The TECUMSEH HERALD prints the marriage of Mrs. Geo. Graves to Miss Sowles. We are not inclined to take any stock in the correctness of that, but believe the "intelligent compositor took advantage of George's bonaymoon, and added an "s" to the "Mr.," and is now in the pangs of remorse nursing a broken head and a bruised body which he received from the HERALD club wielded by Steve the next day.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17, 1883.

The Holidays are at hand. The stores are decked out with Christmas goods, and the city is filled with buyers from all parts of the country. Captain Cannor of the St. James Hotel, told me that for over a week they have not had a spare room in the house, and at other hotels the experience is the same. Even the down town hotels which are dependent upon commercial men are filled with families. Judging from the number of Southern people at the New York Hotel, which has always been a purely Southern house, an era of prosperity prevails in that section of the country. Not for many years have those people spent so much money as this year. In the matter of toys there is no end of attractive novelties. The tendency seems to be towards scientific playthings, and it is wonderful what ingenius devices have been invented, to be operated by means of steam or electricity, and at what fabulously low prices they are to be had.

It is rumored about musical circles that Abbey is making effort to induce Patti to break her contract with Colonel Mapleson and sing at the Metropolitan Opera House. But this is not so, as I am informed by one of Mr Abbey's lieutenants. Patti to him would be a white elephant, for in the first place he would have to pay Mapleson a heavy forfeit; he would add $5,000 a performance to his already heavy salary roll, he would bring on a war between Nilsson and Patti, who, naturally are rivals, and he would have to saddle himself with that drug, Nicolini, Patti's husband. The whole trouble with Mapleson, by the way, arises solely from the fact that Mapleson refused to cast him for important parts, for which he knew him to be incompetent, but for which Nicolini, backed by Patti, thought himself eminently fitted.

Inspector Byrnes, the chief of our Detective force, is rapidly earning for himself the name of the American Vidocq, and deservedly. The manner in which he caught the gang of forgers headed by that clever criminal forger Brockaway, and thereby prevented the consummation of a swindle which would probably have enriched the sharpers by half a million of dollars, was a marvel of care, skill and astuteness. The whole plant was captured and the webb of evidence was woven so carefully and thoroughly around them that it will be a wonder if any of them escape short of life sentences. As he has been so frequently named in the dispatches, let me describe him to you. He is a man but little short of six feet, a well developed frame, a pleasant, strong characteristic face, a ruddy complexion and a remarkably clear, quick grayish blue eye. His movements are languid and his conversation is also slow. His manner is winning in the extreme; he makes friends wherever he goes; even criminals who fall victims to his skill are fond of him, and he possesses the knack of extracting statements from them which are very valuable in the interests of justice. He rarely drinks anything except a glass of claret at dinner; but he is an inveterate smoker. One can scarcely meet him without a lighted cigar in his mouth, and it is said of him that on retiring he puts a cigar in his mouth and a match at his bedside, so as not to lose any time on awakening. He is very fond of a game of poker with a few intimate friends, but he generally loses. He is also a great admirer of racing, and during the season the turf affords him his sole recreation. His judgment of horses is excellent. For trotters, or the driving of fast horses he has no fancy. He is worth probably $500,000. Most of it was made in Wall St., thanks to the points given him by Vanderbilt and Gould, both of whom have taken a fancy to him.

The preparations for the celebration of the Centennial of Evacuation Day which takes place on the 26th instant, are growing very large, and the pageant will certainly be a grand one. It is a pity that poor old David VanArsdale was not spared to live until that day. He died on Wednesday of this week, thus reducing the number of veterans of the war of 1812 to six. His father, it will be remembered, was the brave lad who climbed the greased pole at the Battery, on which the British had nailed their flag on leaving the town, tore it off and hoisted the American flag. When he died he enjoined his son to be sure and hoist the flag on the Battery on the anniversary of every Evacuation Day, and for forty years David has performed this deed of filial love and patriotism. It would have been a memorable addition to the solemnity of the centennial had David lived to hoist the flag.

How to Beautify a Home

Almost everybody knows what a pleasure to the eyes a little spray of green is in the winter. The wealthy can indulge in expensive conservatories, but those of moderate circumstances, even the very poor, can secure a pretty object at a small expense by following the direction given. To begin with, an acorn which any little urchin can procure in the woods is a pickle jar, which any housekeeper can supply. Procure a fine healthy acorn, and crochet around it a little network, taking off the cup first and serve a loop at the cotton to hang the acorn point downward in the glass. The glass must be so much water in it that the tip of the acorn scarcely touches; keep it in a dark closet until it has sprouted, and then put it in the light. A chestnut thus kept in water will sprout the same way. A sweet potato will grow luxuriantly, and may be trained around walls and picture frames. A carrot grown in sand is, if well managed, a highly ornamental object. A good-sized and healthy root must be selected, cut off quite evenly the top of the carrot, and place it on top of a small ball of sand, so that the leaves look as if they sprung from it. Moisten it well and keep it in the dark until it has begun to sprout, be careful to keep it damp, and move it into the light directly the leaves appear. If the cultivation is successful, an ornament pretty enough for any room will be the result, and which will have to the unacquainted the appearance of a pot of ferns. Another experiment may be made with a turnip, which must be as sound as possible. Clean the outside, taking care not to injure the part from whence the leaves spring. Cut a piece of the bottom and scoop out the inside, so that you have a hollow cap; fasten string or wire to it, so that it can be hung up. Fill the cavity and keep it filled with water. In a short time the leaves will begin to sprout, and will curl up around the ball of the turnip, forming a pretty little hanging basket. Children can be made to interest themselves in such experiments, which will be found an easy method of inculcating taste and refinement; besides, each and all point out their own botanical lesson, and much is to be learned by careful and patient observation and experiment.

On one occasion while the English naturalist Gould was wandering along the banks of the Thames with a party of friends, a rare laugh was created at his expense. He had climbed a tree for the purpose of exploring the contents of a nest. On suddenly looking down at a hollow formed by two branches of the tree, and which at the time contained a pool of water, he exclaimed: "As I'm a living man, if there is not a large owl here in this hole, looking straight at me." The excitement was intense, but was instantly turned to a shout of merriment, when the naturalist on putting down his hand to seize the supposed owl, discovered that it was simply the reflection of his own image in the water.

Nervous debility, indicated by loss of memory, universal lassitude, constant fatigue, vivid dreaming, unnatural excitements, fits of dizziness, etc., is quickly cured by using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. This remedy purifies the blood, strengthens the weak portions of the body, quiets the nerves, produces dreamless slumber, and is the only remedy that permanently cures the many distressful ailments resulting from nervous debility.

Help Yourself.

People who have been bolstered up and sheltered all their lives are seldom good for anything in a crisis. When misfortune comes they look around for something to cling to or lean upon. If the prop is not there, down they go.

Once down, they are as helpless as capsized turtles, or unhorsed men in armor and cannot find their feet again without assistance.

Such silken fellows no more resemble self-made men, who have fought their way to position, making difficulties their stepping stones, and deriving determination from defeat, than vines resemble oaks, or sputtering rush-lights the stars of heaven. Efforts persisted into achievements train a man to self-reliance, and when he has proven to the world that he can trust himself the world will trust him.

It is unwise to deprive young men of the advantages which result from their own energetic action by "boosting" them over obstacles which they ought to surmount alone.

In hundreds instances where Hot Springs and other treatment failed to cure scrofula and syphilitic disorders, the sufferer has sought and found a cure in Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It enriches the blood, strengthens the urinary and digestive organs, and quickly removes all indications of ill health and blood disease from a pimple to a running sore, from a headache to a rheumasic pain. Its superiority over all other blood purifiers and strengthening medicines is admitted by all who test its curative effect and influence.

HOW TO CURE SORE THROAT.—"One who has tried it" communicates the following seasonable item about curing sore throats to the New York *Herald*: "Let each one of your half million readers buy at any drug store one ounce of camphorated oil, and five cents worth of chlorate of potash. Whenever any soreness appears in the throat put the potash in half a tumbler of water, and with it gargle the throat thoroughly; then rub the neck thoroughly with the camphorate oil at night before going to bed, and also pin around the throat a small strip of woolen flannel. This is a simple, cheap and sure remedy.

Instantly Relieved.

Mrs. Ann Lacour of New Orleans, La., writes:—I have a son who has been sick for two years; he has been attended by our leading physicians but all to no purpose. This morning he had his usual spell of coughing, and was so greatly prostrated in consequence, that death seemed imminent. We had in the house a bottle of DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM for the LUNGS purchased by my husband, who noticed your advertisement yesterday. We administered it according to directions and he was instantly relieved.

DURNO'S CATARRH SNUFF cures Catarrh and all affections of the mucous membrane.

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MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Seven degrees below zero at Evart on the 15th.

The Lansing water works give employment to 85 men.

The new masonic tem. at Vassar will be dedicated Dec. 27.

Good sleighing at Newaygo last Sunday.

Arouse the faculties, stimulate circulation, purify the blood, by using Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

A number of the Cadillac mills have shut down on account of dull times, and in others a general reduction in wages has been made.

William Stickney, aged about 50 years, was thrown from a wagon at Evart, Saturday, and severely injured and disfigured.

In the Hop Porous Plaster the virtues of Fresh Hops are combined with strengthening and stimulating balsams, and its cures of Weak Back, Pain in the Side, Rheumatism and Neuralgia or Pain in the Chest, are simply marvelous, it being more efficacious and thorough than any liniment or liquid remedies. You'll say so after using.

During the month of October there were 1,290,742 bushels of wheat marketed at 277 elevators and mills in Michigan.

A lad named Lynch, of Sterling, fell upon a pitchfork, one of the tines entering his eye. He died a few days after.

We Know All

That water never runs up hill; that kisses taste better than they look, and they better after dark; that is better to be right than to be left; that those who take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic never have dyspepsia, costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples, ague and malaria diseases, poor appetite, low spirits, headache or diseases of Kidneys and Bladder. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

The Michigan corn crop is generally reported a failure, but a Grass Lake farmer got 1,400 bushels from 29 acres—all the same.

John Brown, a stonecutter, fell dead at Grand Rapids, last week, as he was seated in the house of a friend reading a newspaper.

We All Believe

That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

The post office department has ordered the establishment of an office at Gresham, Eaton Co., with Syrenus P. Roller as postmaster.

The Ogemaw county board of supervisors has purchased 12 acres of land near West Branch, and will use it for the benefit of the county poor.

My Wife's Nervous Affection.

"We had ceased to hope that my wife's nervous affection could be cured," writes Rev. J. A. Eddie, of Beaver, Pa. "Many physicians failed to do her good but Samaritan Nervine has cured her." At druggists.

Wm. Cook, of Mayfield, and Eugene Northrup, of Rennie Lake, Gd. Traverse county, were drowned in that lake a few days ago, while out hunting.

One merchant and one hotel keeper have been tried at Cadillac for keeping their places open Sunday, contrary to the law. The former plead guilty, the latter was acquitted.

The blessings of life are many.—Live long and be happy. Don't neglect a cough or cold. Keep yourself well clothed in changeable weather, and always keep a bottle of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry in the household. A single spoonful will cure an ordinary cough or cold. Its continued use will cure consumption.

A Monroe exchange says insects are damaging the winter wheat there-abouts. In order to pursue their depredations much further the bugs will need overcoats and mittens.

The Port Huron Times pathetically calls upon its exchanges to note that Port Huron is not so black as it has been painted. Those who have looked at the picture will please take notice.

Hatch's Universal Cough Syrup gives your kidneys and liver a jog to help relieve your lungs of a bad cough, or your child of croup. There can be no membraneous croup when Universal Cough Syrup is used in the first symtoms of the disease. No family with children can afford to be without it one day. 25 and 50 cents.

A Morenci dentist has placed a steam engine in his office. The roots of a Morenci[illegible]'s teeth run down and are riveted on the bottoms of his heels. With steam power the dentist is determined to either pull the teeth or jerk the patient wrong side out.—Adrian Record.

IMPORTANT

When you visit or leave New York City, save Baggage, Expressage and Carriage hire, and stop at the **Grand Union Hotel** opposite Grand Central Depot.

Elegant rooms, fitted up at a cost of one million dollars, reduced to $1 and upwards per day. European plan. Elevator. Restaurant supplied with the best. Horse cars, stages and elevated railroad to all depots. Families can live better for less money at the Grand Union Hotel than at any other first-class hotel in the city.

Angling for Pointers.

While Lord Chief Justice Coleridge was in Chicago, a reception was given his honor by the Hon. Emery A. Storrs. During a lull in the brilliant festivities Mr. Lord Coleridge felt some one plucking at his sleeve, and upon turning around discovered a long, lank, masculine specimen of a native from the Sucker State, with an anxious look on his hatchet face, and a piece of red flannel around his throat.

"Jist step this way a minnit, Mr. Coleridge," said the apparition, "come inter this bay windy. I want ter ask yer suthin."

The astonished chief justice followed the man into the alcove, and was thus addressed:

"Judge, they tell me you are a big legal hammard over in England."

"Well—aw—I don't—really—"

"Don't be at all bashful an' diffident in my presence," said the man with the bronchial difficulties, "I know suthin' about the law bizzines myself, ef I do say it, an' I've bin elected justice of the peace down in Jo Daviss county. Now, what I want ter git onto is a few pinters on some legal matters as has puzzled me considerable since I was elected. The ole common law, ef I understand the thing right, is the same in Illinois as hit is in England, ain't hit?"

"Why—really—I believe the common law of England is not—that is—has not been greatly modified since its adoption by the United States."

"That's what I thought. Now, over in your country does the cots allow a lawyer to go on the cost bond for his client?"

"Well—really—aw—that is not the practice"—

"That's just what I tole 'em down in Jo Daviss county, an' a spike-haired shyster hit me with an' ink-bottle because I wouldn't allow no sich kind of monkey work. Did you ever marry a couple, an' did yer git yer pay in sausages, spring wheat or cash?"

"Aw—marry a couple?"

"A Dutchman come ter my house last week with a license made out in another county, an' he insisted on me hitchin' him an' his gal right then an' thar. He was so full that yer could hear the beer swash inside of him. I tole the Dutchman he couldn't git spliced on no sich a license as that. Yer can't marry an English couple in one balliwick on a license made out in another, can yer?"

"I—I—aw—you seem to"—

"A damfool of a justice, who held offiss before the citizens run me in, once give a verdict for the defendant in a suit, an' then taxed him up with the costs. I remonstrated with the old grey-headed lunatic, an' we left the matter ter the judge of the district cote, an' when we had stated the case, the jedge cocked up one eye like a game chicken an' sed, 'Wal, gentlemen, I don't know but hits all right in Jo Daviss county, an' the bull crowd snickered right out."

"I—I—aw—weally—I must be going," said the poor Lord Chief Justice, trying to edge away.

"One minnit, kernel, or jedge rather—what do yer charge fer swearing witnesses in a civil suit, ten cents or two bits?"

But the Lord Chief Justice had flown from the horrid precincts of the deep bay window.—*Texas Siftings.*

That poor bedridden, invalid wife, sister, mother, or daughter, can be made the picture of health by a few bottles of Hop Bitters. Will you let them suffer when so easily cured?

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Rev. Father Wilds' EXPERIENCE.

The Rev. Z. P. Wilds, well-known city missionary in New York, and brother of the late eminent Judge Wilds, of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, writes as follows:

"18 E. 54th St., New York, May 16, 1882.
MESSRS. J. C. AYER & Co., Gentlemen:—
Last winter I was troubled with a most uncomfortable itching humor affecting more especially my limbs, which would so intolerably at night, and induced such restlessness, that I could scarcely bear any clothing over them. I was also a sufferer from a severe catarrh and catarrhal cough; my appetite was poor, and my system a prey to that run down. Knowing the value of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA, by observation of many other cases, and from personal use in former years, I began taking it for the above-named disorders. My appetite improved almost from the first dose. After a short time the fever and itching were relieved, and all signs of irritation of the skin disappeared. My catarrh and cough were also cured by the same means, and my general health greatly improved, until it is now excellent. I feel a hundred per cent stronger, and I attribute these results to the use of the SARSAPARILLA, which I recommend with all confidence as the best blood medicine ever devised. I took it in small doses three times a day, and used, in all, less than two bottles. I place these facts at your service, hoping their publication may do good.
Yours respectfully, Z. P. WILDS."

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(Continued from last week.)

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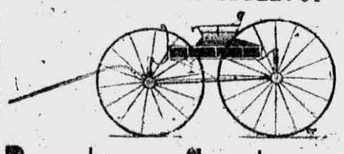

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Fall and Winter Stock!

To say that we were successful would not half tell the story. OUR TRADE ALMOST DOUBLED, our customers were more than pleased with the bargains we gave them, and we were highly gratified with the liberal patronage bestowed upon us, and this season we intended to strive hander than ever to merit the continuance of the same.

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We have just opened up and put in stock all the new shapes and Styles of Little Folks' Clothing, among which may be found some pretty and attractive garments. Henceforth we shall carry a larger line of these goods than ever. Our trade in this Department has met with such a large increase that we can well afford to, and this increase of trade enables us to sell at

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We have selected the finest and most desirable goods for this department that were ever brought to the city; in fact the goods look so well as we open them up that we feel sure of selling them without much trouble. The reliable class of goods we handle, together with the uniformly low prices which are characteristic in our institution, are found to meet with public approbation. This department is crammed with new goods, ready for inspection and sale.

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There is no more complete department of the kind in the state. We have just put in stock several cases of new goods, and are every day receiving fresh additions. It is filled to completion with all the latest styles in Gloves, Hosiery, Neckwear, Undershirts, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, &c., and everything at popular prices. We can guarantee to save you twenty-five cents on every dollar you spend with us in this department.

Everybody is invited to examine our Stock whether they wish to buy or not.

C. R. MABLEY,
105 & 107 Summit St., - TOLEDO.

Catarrh

At this season of the year everybody has a cold, and some very bad ones. By frequent exposures the membranes of the nose become very sensitive, and catarrh and influenza are epidemic. Relief may be obtained by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

For many years in succession, beginning so far back I don't remember when, I had the catarrh in my head. It consisted of an excessive flow from my nose.

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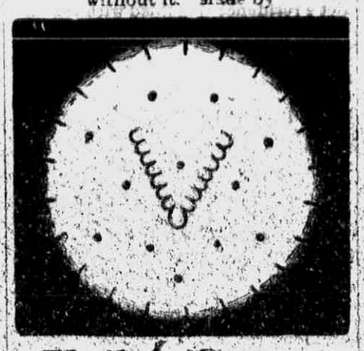

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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary C. Adams, child, a daughter and heir-at-law of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that although more than twelve days have elapsed since the probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, yet that the executors named therein and to whom the execution of said will was committed and the administration of said estate granted by an order of this court, made on the fifteenth day of October, 1883, have neglected to give bond as required by law, and as ordered by this court whereby the said executors so named and appointed as aforesaid have forfeited their right to act as such executors, and praying that administration of said estate with the will annexed may be granted to Cordelia M. Adams or to some other suitable person, and that such other and further order and proceedings may be had in the premises as may be required by the statute in such case made and provided.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. Brims, Probate Register. 6w44

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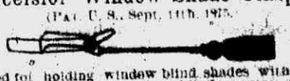

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AMONG THE FARMERS.

The editor of the Michigan Farmer has been spending two or three days among the farmers of Tecumseh and vicinity, and judging from the manner in which he "writes up" his visit we should say he was well entertained. Well he would have to travel a long time before finding more hospitable farmers than he struck during his visit here. We presume our readers will be interested in his "notes by the way," and hence we take the liberty of transferring a portion of his article to our own columns.

The point we started for was the stock farm of Mr. Minor Davidson, a son of one of the pioneers of Tecumseh. At Britton station, some four miles from this farm, we met Mr. Davidson, and drove back with him.—The country improves as you go westward, and we found the Davidson farm located in a beautiful section, the land slightly rolling, the farms in nice shape, and the timber standing largely of oak and hickory. Some of the farmers have groves of young locust growing, which give a fine appearance to the country.

The Minor Davidson farm consists of 220 acres all in the block, well watered and with a very productive soil. His wheat, of which he grew 1,200 bushels the past year, averaged over 18 bushels to the acre, and he is going close to 30 bushels. His other crops, with the exception of corn, were equally good. He has a herd of about 35 head of Shorthorn cattle, a flock of high grade Merino sheep, and a bunch of Poland China hogs.

Here follows a lengthy description of the stock, which we have not room for.

Next morning Mr. Davidson drove us over to see some of the other breeders. Our first call was on Messrs. H. Wilson and W. S. Osborn, who are breeding Merino sheep. They are the parties who secured a half interest in the ram "Wreasy Bill," referred to in the last Farmer. Of course we wanted to see a sheep that had sheared 96 lbs. 4 oz. in three shearings, and all public ones.

"As soon as he was let out of his pen the visitors climbed for the back seats with great unanimity and dispatch so as to give him room. He is the most important sheep it has been our privilege to examine, and evidently regards himself as a bigger man than old Grant." The climate of Michigan seems to agree with him, judging by the manner in which he explored the barn to see if there was not a man somewhere he could reach and have a little conversation with. He soon quieted down, however, and we had an opportunity of handling him."

"The party, including Messrs. Wilson and Osborn, then started to see Mr. T. C. Payne, whose farm is a short distance west of that of Mr. Osborn. He has a 320 acre farm, and of course, a wheat grower. He said he had only got in 95 acres this season, which was not as much as he had expected, but the weather stopped him. He insisted on the party's going three miles north to another small farm he owns, where his Shorthorns were, and he had a road-cart and fine bay mare ready before any one could raise an objection."

A full description of Mr. Payne's stock is given and also that of William Witherell, where the party stopped on the return trip.

After returning to Tecumseh the editor visited the farms of E. L. Russell and B. J. Bidwell.

"The Shorthorn herd of E. L. Russell, which we visited last week in company with Mr. Minor Davidson, is only a small one, the breeding cows being only seven in number; but they have evidently been selected with care by Mr. Russell, for their quality and constitution. The cows are red, red roans, and light roan in color. The oldest cow in the herd is Ruth, bred by the late Edwin Smith, of Clinton, Lenawee Co., and not over 12 years old. From her most of the others have been bred."

In speaking of B. J. Bidwell, he says:

"We don't wonder at Mr. Bidwell's having a large herd, he seems to be able to double up on what ordinary breeders do. Next we took a drive to a lot in the village, and here were seven yearling bulls which are on sale.—Altogether there is a herd here of about 85 head, which would require a day to go over so as to understand their breeding and qualities, and this we had to defer to a more convenient season. We will give Mr. B. credit for getting over more ground in a short space of time than any man we have yet met. He has here an extensive and beautiful farm, one that has given him nearly a hundred bushels of good corn to the acre this year.—It has a fine stream running through it, and is well adapted for a stock farm. Besides cattle he keeps a large flock of Merino sheep, and farms so as to keep the land in good heart, and up to his standard of productiveness. It has grown large grain crops every year without any sign of exhaustion.

MEETING OF A FARMER'S CLUB.

"In the evening Mr. M. Davidson and his brother Frank, with their wives and the representative of the Farmer, drove over to a meeting of the Tecumseh Farmers' Social Club. We found the parlors of Mr. Benedict's residence well filled with the farmers of the neighborhood, their wives and young people. It was the opening meeting for the season, and was therefore a little late in getting started; but the President, Mr. F. C. Rector, got the crowd in order, and the Secretary, Mrs. Frank C. Rector, read the minutes of the last meeting, and the programme that had been arranged for the evening was carried out.

"In conclusion we must return thanks to Mr. M. Davidson and family for many kind attentions while on this visit. Mr. Davidson's large acquaintance with the neighborhood enabled us to see a great deal of the finest country in this section during the short time we had to stay, and we shall long remember our first visit to this part of the State."

A HUMAN FIRE.

The Phenomenon of a Burning Mine Repeated in the Physical System.

A few years ago one of the most important of the coal mines in Pennsylvania caught fire. It started slowly but soon obtained such headway that it spread through the greater portion of the entire mine. To flood it with water would extinguish the fire, but well nigh ruin the mine; and still the flames continued to increase. At that juncture a young man stepped forward and suggested that all the entrances and vent holes of the mine be covered and secured, thus shutting off the supply of air. His advice was followed and the flames were finally quelled.

To compare the condition of the mine with many phases of the human system is most natural and appropriate. "Fire in the blood" is not a mere expression, it is a most serious fact. How it originates it may be impossible to say, but that it burns and rages with an increasing fury, the one who is its victim only too painfully knows. The blood is the life. It is designed by nature to purify, strengthen and sustain the system. It is too often made the channel through which poison and death are transported.—Poisonous acids coming through the veins and arteries inflame and cause a fire just as real as the one which existed in the mine. They burn and irritate causing the brain to become weak and the nerves unstrung; they carry pains to the muscles and leave agonies in the joints; they bring destruction instead of strength; they devastate the very portions of the body that most require help, and they hasten the approach of death in its most horrible form. These things have been felt by innumerable people who have been the victims of rheumatic disorders and the agonies they have endured confirm this description.

There is but one way by which this fire in the blood can be extinguished, and that is by shutting off the supply of these poisonous acids. The lactic, lithic and uric acids come into the blood through the liver and kidneys, and they remain in solution in the blood producing inflammatory rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, neuralgia, gout and all rheumatic fevers and affections. When they are deposited as gritty chrystals in and near the joints, they cause articular rheumatism; when in the tissues covering the nerves, sciatica; when in the head, face and nerves generally, neuralgia. In every case they are painful; in most instances, dangerous. Inflammatory rheumatism is likely to locate in some joint and become chronic, or suddenly attack the brain or heart, causing apoplexy or heart disease.—The fire in the blood must be extinguished—the supply must be shut off.—This can only be done by guarding the portals to the blood—the kidneys and liver, and no means has ever been found for accomplishing this which can equal Warner's Safe Rheumatic Cure. It acts directly upon the seat of the disorder; it extinguishes the fire by controlling the supply and removing the cause.

The well known standing of H. H. Warner & Co., of Rochester, N. Y., the remarkable success which Warner's Safe Cure has achieved, being indorsed by no less a personage than Dr. Robert Gunn, Dean of the United States Medical College, New York, and the fidelity with which they have carried out all their promises to the public, should be a sufficient warrant that the above statements are true.—They, however, guarantee to cure ninety-five per cent. of all rheumatic troubles, especially acute, knowing full well that the demonstrated power of the remedy justifies them in so doing. Nothing can be fairer than this, and those who suffer in the future from rheumatism with such an offer before them, do so on their own responsibility, and can blame no one if living pain and untimely death are the results.

Make $20 for Christmas.

The publishers of Rutledge's Monthly offer twelve valuable rewards in their Monthly for December, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 to the person telling us how many verses there are containing but three words each in the Old Testament Scriptures by Dec. 10th, 1883. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner Dec. 15th, 1883. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the January Monthly, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penn.

Col. Frederick Ingham, of whom Edward Everett Hale writes so much, is certainly a remarkable person. Mr. Hale's latest story, which will appear in the Christmas number of Harper's magazine, tells of "Col. Ingham's Journey," and how he reached the North Pole, and of how he saw his "double" there. The tale, which out Vernes Jules Verne, is founded on a theory of sleep and of dreams which will interest and pleasantly delude Mr. Hale's many readers.

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Who was head trimmer in the employ of L. R. Damon, of Adrian for seven years, for the season, and is prepared to furnish orders promptly, and in the latest style. Mrs. Millard is a lady much experienced in the Millinery business, having had several years experience in large wholesale houses.

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ESTATE OF PETER DAVIDSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 21st day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Davidson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he is ready to file his account in this court, and praying for the allowance of his said account, and for such other order as may be necessary and agreeable to law.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 24th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. nov22

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit. In Chancery, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery, at Adrian on the 19th day of November, 1883. Charles E. Hamlin, complainant vs. Elizabeth Hamlin, defendant. In this cause it appearing that defendant is not a resident of this state but resides in the state of New York, therefore on motion of L. R. Pearson, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter her appearance in said cause, on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

FRANK R. PAYNE, Circuit Court Commissioner.

L. R. PEARSON, Solicitor for Complainant. nov22

For Sale Cheap,

And on easy terms, A FARM OF 120 ACRES, located in the township of Norvell, Jackson Co., three miles east of the village of Brooklyn and ½ mile from district school. The farm is well fenced, has good buildings and is under a high state of cultivation. A good brick house with eight rooms besides closets, and a brick bottom cellar. It has 75 acres of plow land, 10 acres of well assorted timber, 20 acres of meadow, and 15 acres of pasture. There are two wells on the place and a brook of living water that never freezes over. A good apple orchard, a young peach orchard, and lots of small fruit. The location is an excellent one and the neighborhood is first-class. Will trade for a smaller farm near Tecumseh or Adrian. For further particulars call at the

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A SPLENDID BARGAIN.

A good farm of 90 acres about three miles from Tecumseh, well watered, good buildings, fine orchard. Terms low and payments easy. For particulars enquire at the

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Do you good to Try It.

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Better than any you ever bought for a shilling, at 10 cents a yard.

100 Bed Comforters well worth $1.50 at $1.19 each.
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If you want a

CLOAK

Of any size, style or shape, you stand in your own light if you don't look at our stock. We carry the largest line in the city and we don't allow anybody to make a price that we don't beat.

If you want a SHAWL,

We will sell you any kind of a shawl you want for less money than any other house in the county, and give you new goods in the bargain. No old goods at any price.

Our special prices on silks and dress goods will be continued this week.

Every article marked in plain figures and one price to all. We will give a hundred dollars in gold to any body who will buy any goods of us for less than they are marked.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

TEN CORDS OF WOOD. Dry four foot wood for sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

TAX NOTICE. I will be at Dr. Jenkins' office at Franklin Center on Monday and Friday of the first week in December and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week thereafter until Jan. 1st, for the purpose of receiving taxes. JAS. H. HUNTER, Treasurer of Franklin.

FOR SALE. One yearling thoroughbred Jersey bull, $50. One full-blood boar, $5 per head, also a choice lot of young cattle. JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

CHOICE MERINO RAMS for sale. Wilson & Osborne have returned from western New York and brought with them a few choice yearling rams, and they will sell them at reasonable prices. All who would wish to see some good select rams would do well to call at Henry Wilson's place. All are selected from among the finest flocks in western N. Y.

Tecumseh Tannery.

I will pay greenbacks or gold for hides and sheep pelts. I have also first class hand made Harness, both double and single which I would exchange for good milch cow, wood, corn or oats.

Why not save commission and sell your hides and sheep pelts direct to the tanner.

O. W. BEAN.

Read the prospectus of the Rural New Yorker in another column.

Adrian Common Council and the Adrian Banks have adopted the new standard time.

The Christmas (December) Harper's Magazine, which is planned to be the most notable issue of a magazine ever published, is nevertheless, intended to be but the forerunner of a remarkable series throughout 1884. The new and novel serial, "Nature's Serial Story," by E. P. Roe, with illustrations by Gibson and Diehman, and William Black's Judith Shakespeare," with illustrations by Abbey, are only examples, in the field of serial fiction, of the scale on which the coming volumes are planned. It is intended during the coming year to make a specialty of stirring short stories.

Mr. E. R. Crossman received on Monday last the sad intelligence of the death of Rev. Geo. W. Wilson, his son-in-law, who for the past four years has been the rector of St. Peter's church at Rome, Ga. Mrs. Wilson was formerly Annette Crossman and was highly esteemed in her girlhood days, wkich were passed in this village. Mrs. Wilson is left a widow with six children to care for, by this bereavment. The deceased was sick ten weeks and during his illness he received the kindest attention from his parishioners and had the best of medical care, but without avail. He had a presentiment from the first that his last illness had come. What plan Mrs. Wilson will adopt to care for her little ones is not yet decided.

OBITUARY.

Died in Macon, Nov. 12, 1883, of heart disease, Silas Beal, aged 69 years, 11 months and 23 days.

His hands are folded, gently folded
O'er his pale and painless breast,
His eyes too, are closed forever,
But Jesus Savior knoweth best.

His heart throbs too are over,
And his pulses now are still;
While we watched around his bedside,
We felt it was God's will.

We have laid him down to rest,
Low in his low and narrow bed;
Although wild storms rage above,
Nothing disturbs the dead.

We too must shortly leave this earth,
The rolling years do tell
That we are swiftly passing on,
But trust that all is well.

Dear Savior hear my feeble cry,
And listen unto me;
That when I leave this vale of tears,
I there may dwell with thee.

MACON, Nov. 19, 1883. A. E. BEAL.

Another one of the old pioneers has gone. Mr. Hiram Adams quietly passed away on Sunday evening, Nov. 18, aged 84 years. He was born in Vermont, reinoved with his parents, while very young, to the state of New York, where he remained until the age of 31. He then removed to what was then the western wilds of Michigan, settled in Tecumseh in the portion now known as Brownville, and engaged in the manufacture of chairs. He was a man of industry and a man of more than ordinary attainments. He had a clear logical mind, and might have won distinction in any community. But he was wedded to a fault. He always underated his abilities and his efforts. He never thought that anything which he did was worthy of commendation. He was a man of meek and quiet spirit, and was a good reliable citizen. He was also a worthy christian, and was truly childlike in faith and humility. He gave no offense in word or deed. He was one of the first members of the Methodist society in this place, if not one of the organizers, and lived an honored member of that communion until his death. His house was the home of the early Methodist itinerants. He was faithful to every duty; but in the church likewise, he was modest and retiring. He never put himself forward. For twenty years he had been afflicted with a chronic disease, and in feeble health. His children and one wife preceded him to the realms of shade. He leaves behind one nephew, a daughter-in-law, a grand daughter, two brothers-in-law, and a lonely widow. Soon the last of the pioneers will have passed away. "Peace to their ashes; green be the grass above their graves."

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 22, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Another run of Indian summer.

Where do you dine next Thursday?

Next Thursday will be Thanksgiving Day.

A dancing club has been organized at Brooklyn.

Duck hunters are reaping a harvest in the Monroe marshes.

It costs $250 per year to run the Hudson fire company.

Morenci has a large poodle dog called the musical union.

Leap year clubs are already forming in several Michigan towns.

Thanksgiving is near at hand. Let the turkey gobbler take notice.

The new office of the Lilley House will soon be ready for occupancy.

Thanks to John R. Clark for a batch of Rochester and Buffalo newspapers.

Burglars and night marauders are putting in some good work at Adrian.

C. W. Clough, of the Brooklyn Exponent, paid Tecumseh a visit last Saturday.

Four new locomotives went over the M. & O. road to Marshall Monday night last.

Ed. C. Lauer, of Monroe, spent last Sunday in Tecumseh, the guest of Henry Smith.

The common council, of Morenci, have concluded to drain the main st. of that village.

We learn that a regular freight will probably be put on the M. & O. road next Monday.

The Blissfield council have shut down on lighting street lamps put up by private individuals.

Thos. H. Mosher, of Springville, was in town last Monday and favored the HERALD with a short call.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cook, of Brooklyn, start this week for Colorado, for the benefit of Mrs. Cook's health.

It is claimed that coal and wood burned together makes a better fire and keeps the chimney well burned out.

The first freight train went over the M. & O. road Tuesday morning. It consisted of four freight cars and a caboose.

Will Kies, of the firm of Kies Bros., started last week on a trip to Colorado, where he expects to be gone several weeks.

Asel C. Smith, of Macon, returned last week from a few days visit with his daughter at Grand Ledge. He was well pleased with his trip.

Lansing Republican: The strength of Adrian is great this season, and the place outranks other places in the state of its size. The onion crop there was immense.

The I. O. O. F. Mutual relief association has met with two losses lately, one being R. Winans, of Benton Harbor, and the other is Wm. Bodendorfer, of Muskegon.

Mr. S. D. Nesmith, the new go-ahead dry goods man of Addison, gave us a call yesterday. He drove over with a horse and buggy, but expects to make his future visits by rail.

The Bay City Morning Call of the 13th has this item: "Last night the audience, after listening to John R. Clark for two hours and a quarter, said they could have staid all night."

The acreage seeded to wheat in Michigan this fall is 91 per cent. of the average seeded in 1882, and compared with vitality and growth of average years, the condition is 88 per cent.

Mrs. Carman and daughter will sing at the S. S. Institute to be held at the Baptist Church next week. This feature of the program alone will make the meetings well worth attending.

James Payne, of Raisin, met with a sad mishap last Monday which may result seriously. He fell upon a pitchfork and one of the tines passed through his hip. The wound is a dangerous one.

The Hudson Gazette has been enlarged to a nine column sheet to accommodate its increasing advertising patronage. The Gazette is among our very best exchanges and well deserves its prosperity.

The change of time was accomplished in Tecumseh last Sunday without any atmospheric disturbance.—The village regulators were set on Tecumseh true time and the railroad time pieces on the new standard time twenty-four minutes slower.

A Grand Ledge housewife used kerosene to make the fire burn. In two seconds the mica was out of the stove, the stove out of position, the windows out of the room, and the woman more out of patience with "the dratted old stove" than ever before.

Manchester Enterprise: Richard Green, of this township, brought a sample of his yellow dent corn to the Enterprise office on Tuesday and says that he will have over 1,200 bushels of sound corn besides quite a quantity of soft corn off of 10 acres of land. He also left a white radish of good size, the seed of which was sown the first week in September.

Ask Telephone Manager Baker if he smokes.

E. S. Tate, of Clinton, has accepted a position in W. & S. W. Anderson & Co's. store.

There were four received into the Methodist Episcopal Church by certificate last Sunday.

The new books in the Methodist S. S. library are now catalogued, and ready for distribution.

Mr. Horace Pearce of Cooperstown, N. Y., was in town yesterday, visiting his aunt, Mrs. A. Stevens.

Township Treasurers will do well to call and examine our new tax receipts. We keep a form standing and can fill an order of any size on short notice.

Raynor Lilley, of Cleveland, Ohio, was in Tecumseh, over Sunday. Raynor looks as natural as ever, and seems to enjoy a visit to his old home.

Rev. J. W. Beardslee, of Constantine, will preach next Sunday in the Reformed Churches of Macon, and South Macon, in exchange with the Pastor.

District Manager Mason of the telephone exchange, was in town yesterday. He is working the lines under his charge up to a good state of efficiency.

"Some Defects of Modern Education," will be the subject of the sermon at the Methodist Episcopal Church next Sunday morning. Text, Luke 3: 23.

We are much pleased to note that Mrs. S. L. Shutt, who has been ill for some time past, is improving in health, and we hope that in a short time will be as well as ever.

L. F. Wheeler has just completed a large size oil portrait of Willis Merritt, which is certainly a very fine painting. The features are very natural, and so far as we are able to judge it is well finished.

Notwithstanding the bad weather, last evening, a fair sized audience greeted the Original ? Georgia Minstrels, and all seemed pleased with the entertainment, especially as some, probably for the first time, found out who discovered America.

David Perkins, a resident of Salem, was taken violently insane on Saturday last and declared that he would neither eat or drink until the judgment day. Four men succeeded in getting him aboard the cars en route for the Pontiac asylum.

Evening News: Col. C. V. DeLand, late of the Saginaw Herald, is now fairly settled on his farm three miles from Jackson, and is said to take genuine restful pleasure in currying his pigs, driving his geese to water, milking the hens and having a first-rate good time all around.

We have received the first number of the Petersburg Journal. It is a marvelous specimen of typographical beauty. The salutatory is called a "Salutary." As soon as the editor can spare the time from his arduous professional duties he expects to issue a new English dictionary.

"Since there is no help, then let us kiss and part.—DRAYTON.

And such was the language of the little affair which gave much annoyance to two of Tecumseh's first ladies and the rest of their party at the M. & O. gravel pit last Saturday evening.

The deed in itself is not quite so bad,
But when everyone knows, 'tis fearfully sad.

There will be a Prohibition Mass Convention at Plymouth Church, Adrian, on Saturday, Dec. 1st, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. All persons, male or female, who are interested in political prohibition are earnestly requested to be present.

BY ORDER COMMITTEE.

The star lecture course, of Adrian, will consist of five entertainments—all first class—and all for $1.00. The first of the season was given on Monday evening, Nov. 19th, by the New York Philharmonic Club. Tickets can be procured in Tecumseh of A. E. Kennedy, and the train will be held on the Jackson branch until the close of each entertainment.

A Surprise.

Monday evening, Nov. 19, was the occasion of a genuine surprise to our esteemed towns-people, Mr. and Mrs. James Ingersoll. It being the 15th anniversary of their wedding, their friends, under the leadership of Mr. Stephen Whittier, gathered at their residence, bringing baskets of dishes and provisions, and proceeded to take possession. Soon the house was filled with a happy company of old and young, mingling together in social conversation. After a great deal of real social enjoyment, a bountiful collation, some good singing and an appropriate prayer, the company dispersed, with many congratulations and goodwishes for the happy pair who had spent 15 years of married life so pleasantly. Such a gathering must have been very agreeable to Mr. and Mrs. Ingersoll at this time, coming as it did, an entire surprise. They have but recently moved here from Adrian, and Mr. Ingersoll having been received into the fellowship of the Methodist Episcopal Church only last Sunday, it seems a fitting welcome to our village and to our home. May they yet see many years of happy married life.

Adrian Record: "The Hudson Gazette, last week, got around to remark that it had "inadvertantly omitted to congratulate Bro. Geo. Stacy, of the Tecumseh Herald, who has just become a benedict!" Why, man, he's benedicted some time."

A year ago George Morey planted some German carp in a little artificial pond a mile from Reading. They were from two to three inches long then, but some of them taken out last week weighed from 2½ pounds up to almost three pounds—a good year's growth.

The East Tecumseh literary society will present the following program on Saturday evening, Dec. 1, 1883:

Address by the President.
Music—Frank and Rhoda Benedict.
Readings—Mrs. J. T. Boyce, Fred Goheen; A. S. Murphy.
Declamations—Sam Boyce, Grant Garlinghouse, Tom Cleveland.
Recitations—Flora Hendershot, Louisa Nobles.
Inst. Music—Rhoda Benedict.
Address—R. R. Hall, Subject, Tariff and Free Trade.
Singing by the glee club.

The Union Thanksgiving Service of the Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian churches will be held this year in the Methodist church at half past ten A. M. The sermon will be delivered by the pastor of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, the other pastor's assisting in the service. A general invitation is extended to the members of the various congregations and the public generally to be present. A collection will be taken which will be divided equally between the uniting churches for the benefit of the poor.

If you have trouble about your bread raising get some of Hecks' Patent Roller Flour and it will raise anything, even the seven sleepers—Our folks tried a sack and we never saw nicer or whiter bread. It cannot be beat in the world and the people are daily finding out that if they want good white bread it is necessary to have Heck's Patent Roller Flour. We were informed that they are trading flour for about 150 bushels of wheat each day with the farmers of this vicinity, which goes to show that the farmers of Northern Lenawee are bound to have the best the market affords. Their mill is the only all roller mill in Southern Michigan. No half way business with the Heck Brothers.

Stearns, of the Adrian Press, is responsible for the following cat story, and he tells it with as much gusto as though he were a dyed-in-the-wool Republican:

A lady in Raisin several years ago owned a big black cat, which was named "contraband." One of his peculiar freaks was an unmistakable aversion to colored people, and when a colored woman came to do the washing, contraband would fluff up his tail, hump his back, spit, yowl and leave the house, to the great amusement of the family, and to the wonder of aunt Dinah, who finally became accustomed to the evident hostility of the cat, and enjoyed his disgust as much as anyone. One morning when she came Contraband did not show up, and after a season of peering and looking, Dinah turned to her employer, with a smile and said: "Whar's dat ole dimmycrat cat dun gone to, Missus?"

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

A Sunday School Institute will be held at the Baptist Church in this village next Wednesday, Nov. 28th, under the direction of the Baptist State S. S. Board. It will be the third in the series of twelve similar gatherings to be held in different portions of the state between Nov. 26th and Dec. 11. It will begin at 9:30 A. M., and continue throughout the day and evening. The following is the program:

FORENOON.

Topic—The Husbandman and his Vineyard.
9:30 Prayer Service.
10:00 The Seed, F. L. Patterson.
10:30 The Soil, L. G. North.
11:00 The Sower, C. E. Conley.
11:30 The Fruit, T. S. Wooden.

AFTERNOON.

2:00 Prayer Service.
2:30 The Field, E. D. Rundell.
3:00 The Workers, J. S. Holmes.
3:30 The Work, C. Quick.
4:00 The Harvest, W. S. Wilcox.

EVENING.

7:30 Devotional.
Addresses—L. Kirtley and M. E. Hayne.
General Conference.
Collection.
Benediction.

Discussion will follow each of the above topics.

The interest of the sessions will be greatly increased by the songs of Mrs. Carman and daughter, of the celebrated Carman family, and Mr. L. F. Hatch, the well-known revival singer, of Delevan, Wis. No commendation is needed by those who have heard these sweet singers in Israel. Their songs are expressive, spiritual, overpowering. The Baptist Church is making extensive arrangements to entertain guests from abroad. It is probable that the banquet will be spread in the chapel. While the institute will be under Baptist management, it is not desired to confine its privileges to the Baptists. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to attend all the sessions. It is only for a day. Surely every one can spare the time to be present. We would like to see every pastor, every superintendent, every adult, every pupil present. Don't fail. Be sure to come.

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COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

The Justices of Hudson get up a good head of steam and run court all night long.

Andrew Poncher, one of the oldest residents of Morenci, died recently at the advanced age of 90 years and two months.

Mr. Griffith, of North Morenci, is putting up a one hundred foot shed for the accommodation of guests at his hotel.

Deerfield Record: "A lecturer who advertised to expose spiritualism held forth at Burnham's hall, Tuesday evening. It was a complete expose of the lecturer's ignorance of the subject."

The members of the Detroit board of trade tried their hand at guessing at the number of grains in a bushel of wheat, and their guessing ranged from 30'000 to 1,500,000. The actual count made it 566,200.

The Hudson Gazette is responsible for this: "The Tecumseh Herald rises to remark: "Michigan sheep breeders should know that dogs will not molest a flock of sheep that has a pair of goats in its midst." But what protection can Stacy offer goats, since Spence Snow's "Bill" was "pizened" at Morenci?"

Morenci Observer? "While the great Manitoba wave was waiving last Thursday, a Minktown boy with cold fingers "appropriated" a pair of nice pair of gloves at Crabb's store and was discovered in the act; but in consequence of his youth and "inexperience" he was "let down" easy, and he departed a wiser if not a better boy."

Morenci Observer: "Joel Acker hitched up his fast stepper last Thursday, and forgot to buckle one of the lines and in the fierce runaway across the flats, had just about time to ejaculate his prayers before he finally reined up in front of Mr. Wakefields.—Joel now thinks it a little scary to ride after a frisky horse with only one line."

Blissfield Advance has this suggestion: "To further the interests of the base ballists of the county, we would suggest that members of associations of Tecumseh, Hudson and Adrian, meet in Blissfield Thanksgiving, and perfect arrangements for playing a series of twelve games in each place, three with each club, for the championship of the county,—something after the league style. Details could be settled at some future time."

Hudson Gazette: "The manufacturing season being over at the tub and pail factory, on Saturday evening the manager for the company, J. M. Osborn, gave the employees, to the number of 20 or 25, a complimentary oyster supper, at Lyon's Hotel. Lyman did his part finely, and the boys did the rest in a workmanlike manner, you bet. It is presumed the tables were as well cleared of viands as the factory yard is of timber. The last log has been converted into tubs, pails broom handles or wagon tongues.

Clinton News: "Last Thursday afternoon, Miss Mina Muir met with an accident which at first promised to be a very serious one, but luckily, was not. She was driving her father's horse and buggy, Mrs. David Haggart accompanying her. They were driving rapidly west and when between the two bridges west of the factory, the horse suddenly turned off to go to the slaughter house where he was accustomed to going. Miss Muir turned him so suddenly into the road that the buggy went over, throwing the young ladies out. Mina struck on her head and shoulders and was picked up insensible, and was several hours before she regained consciousness. Her injuries, however, proved to be no more than a severe shock from which she has recovered. Mrs. Haggart escaped injury. The horse ran down the bank and into the river, dragging the buggy bottom side up several rods down the stream and, of course, badly breaking it."

Blissfield Advance: "A valuable pair of horses were stolen from the barn of Leonard Kurtz, who lives about two miles south of the village, on Monday night. The barn is located on the road opposite the house, and was not kept locked. Mr. Kurtz was at work in his cider mill until 10 o'cl'k retiring shortly afterward, and heard nothing unusual during the night, although he has a good watch dog, who, however, neglected to do his duty on this occasion. Mr. Kurtz discovered his loss early Tuesday morning and lost no time in coming to the village to notify the officers, and if possible to trace his property. Sheriff Bidwell was telephoned, and a description of the horses sent through the country. It is not known which way the thieves went, some being of the opinion that they went towards Toledo, others that they went north. Dr. Parker reports meeting a team answering their description somewhat, driven by two men, about 12 o'clock Monday night near the old Mead place, going north. His attention was directed to the men by the way they had pulled their hats over their eyes and keeping their heads averted. The team was valued at $400, and together with the wagon, harness and buffalo robe, will foot up a loss of over $500, a sum Mr Kurtz can illy afford to lose.

—Drs. Flowers, of Grand Rapids, will commence a brief course of health lectures in the Universalist church, commencing Monday evening, Dec. 3. Mrs. Flowers to ladies Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The Doctors will occupy parlors at the residence of Rev. Henry Shepard, on Chicago st., two weeks, commencing Dec. 3. See circulars.

—Having purchased of D. P. Anthony & Co. their stock of Agricultural Implements Wagons, Carriages, &c., we invite all their former patrons to call on us when they want anything in our line and we will try to please you. We have a very large stock of carriages on hand, and will make a liberal discount to any one purchasing within the next 30 days. Call and see carriages and get prices.

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—Just for fun we will sell our $8.50 couches for $5.50. Call and examine a good couch for a little money.

Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh

—Cider Apples. If you have any cider apples to sell, bring them at once to Slayton & Son, while they are paying twenty-five cents per bushel.

—A fine lot of cheap Mattresses at Palmer's Chair Factory at bottom prices.

—Slayton & Kinney retail baled hay.

—For $30 we will sell you a black walnut bed room suit with large glass on the dresser. It is very cheap at $35. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—At our "big store on the corner" you can get a marble top bed room suit, Tennessee marble with glass on dresser and commode for $50; regular price $60. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machines without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—At Coller's Palace of Music, at Adrian you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call or drop a postal for prices.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all-roll flour.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller, of Adrian Gen. Agt. for the New Home Sewing Machine if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machines. He is the company's only authorized agt. in this vicinity. Don't be misled.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

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BISHOP—FITZSIMMONS—In Tecumseh, Nov. 21, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Wm. A. Bishop, of Huron, Dakota, and Miss Anna F. Fitzsimmons, of Hillsdale.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 21, 1883.

Anderson, Arthur	Morse, James A.
Austin, Mrs. Diana	Smith, Guy C.
Buchanan, Mrs. A. S. D.	Smith, Acel C.
Hurlburt, Mrs. C.	Smith, Sim H.
Jeff, T. O.	Sherman, Morrison S.
Jones, Mary L.	Taylor, William

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."
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Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @	1 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb	@	08
Butter, ₱ lb	20 @	22
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 75 @	2 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@	1 60
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	4 00 @	5 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	38 @	40
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @	57
Clover seed	5 50 @	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	22
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, ₱ ton	9 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₱ lb	@	15
Ham, ₱ lb	@	14
Lard, ₱ lb	@	08
Oats, ₱ bushel	20 @	25
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	75
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	30 @	35
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 50
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	1 00

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What To Do With the Boys.

The London correspondent of the *Boston Advertiser* calls attention to the discussion which is now going on in England of the question what to do with boys. The statements of the London *Telegraph*, *Spectator* and other papers upon the subject go to show that the English are laboring under the same difficulty that is experienced in this country, and that parents there as well as parents here are equally distressed to know what to do with their boys. So far, however, there has been no decision. The discussion is limited to complaint and a sort of hopeless regret over the situation. No practical remedy is suggested.

The burden of complaint in that country, as in this, is that the boys are brought up in contempt of any trade or calling that they will get their living by, some genteel occupation which does not involve manual labor, and whose demands are confined to the minimum amount of work of any sort. The result is that whenever a genteel vacancy occurs there are hundreds of genteel young men ready to fill it. The *Telegraph* gives an instance of a vacancy in a clerkship to which was attached the munificent salary of $150 per annum, for which there were over 2,100 applicants, and the same paper says: "The best positions of this kind in London, Manchester, and others of the large towns are filled not by young Englishmen, but by young Germans, who come over here in swarms every year, who are better educated than our young men, and who will work longer hours for smaller pay." It adds to the dismay of the situation that "in the towns of the Continent the younger sons and the female members of the family are generally trained to some business or other, and are ready to take any honest employment that offers, and make a living by it, if they are wanted and are worth their salt, and make a living by it genteel or not genteel." In this country, as we understand, the young men and women are not generally trained to any business, and are ready to take any honest employment that offers, and make a living by it, if they are wanted and are worth their salt, and make a living by it genteel or not genteel.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 02 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	1 [illegible] "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 56 "	3 00 "	2 35 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	2 [illegible] "
Tecumseh	7 29 "	3 26 "	3 03 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	3 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 55 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 [illegible] A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	4 [illegible] "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	4 [illegible] "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.	W. ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
DETROIT	‡ 9 20	‡ 3 30	9 50	‡ 6 30
Hand	§ 9 46	* 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulous	10 00	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	* 4 19	10 40	8 35
Willis	§10 19	* 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	§10 25	* 4 34	10 53	9 35
Milan	10 36	4 44	11 01	10 55
Cone	§10 46	* 4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	§10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	§11 07	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	5 24	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	§11 35	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 50	12 15	‡ 2 29
North Fayette	§12 04	* 6 03	12 31	3 04
Alvordton	§12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 39	§ 6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	* 6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Exp's	W. ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	* 8 35	§ 2 47	* 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	§ 3 08	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	§ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	§ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	§ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	§ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	§ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	§ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	§ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	§ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	§ 5 29	11 43	3 30
Willis	*11 10	§ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulous	*11 26	5 56	12 04	4 50
Hand	*11 39	§ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 6. Express.	No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS, COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 20	3 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 00	5 20
6 30	3 25	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc. "	9 51	2 49	5 16
6 41	3 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	2 37	5 06
7 12	4 10	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 27	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 37	4 18
7 42	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 40	1 04	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
		P.M.			A.M.	A.M.
11 30	9 55	12 32	" Jackson (M.C.)"	6 10	9 50	9 50
A.M.						
1 08	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 29	7 58	7 58
2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 32	7 10	7 10
				P.M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
P.M.		A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
					A.M.	
9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" Howll (G.L.&N.)		10 22	2 01
		P.M.				P.M.
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
						A.M.
	10 15	3 00	" Ionia "		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 04	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 40	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		9 50	" How'rd City "			9 25
		A.M.				
		8 42	" P'tosk'y (G.R.&I)			12 01
						P.M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City			9 45

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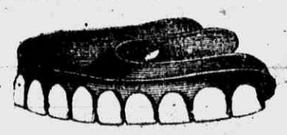

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GLEANINGS.

"Dutch Hank," a well-known gambler of Syracuse, N. Y., has died, leaving a hard-earned fortune of $200,000.

Mr. Blaine has refused an offer of $100,000 for his history "From Lincoln to Garfield," and will collect a royalty of 50 cents on each volume sold.

A young lady at Blissfield, Mich., claims to have pared a bushel of apples in three minutes. Michigan girls never lie.

A Brooklyn man has run away from his wife for the fourth time, leaving a note stating that this is positively his farewell tour.

The Earl of Cashel, the oldest member of the British House of Lords, is to marry a girl only nineteen years of age. He is ninety-two.

Mrs. Lawrence, of Dresden, Me., received a bequest of $15,000 from a relative, and, although poor, gave it to the church.

A young Austrian inherited 10,000 francs, spent all but two of them in ten days in dissipation, and then suicided.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart is eighty years old, but a correspondent who has seen her frequently this fall says she is "merry as a cricket and gay as a butterfly."

The full name of a young woman at West Fork, Iowa, is Iowa Dakota Minnesota Bennett. The truth leaked out when her young man applied for a marriage license.

After a Chinese laundryman in Philadelphia received his naturalization papers he invited the court and all the officers to take a drink. The judge alone refused.

Prominent colored citizens of San Antonio are petitioning for the removal of the colored policemen from the force, claiming that they are officious, rough and insolent.

Texas boasts of a young woman who has planted and attended an acre of cotton, which made nearly a bale, the proceeds of which she will devote to dress.

An ex-conductor of a Boston street car company has started a conscience fund by returning to the company $200 for fares that his bell-punch never registered.

Two Connecticut farmers went to law over a barrel of apples. The case has been tried five times, at an estimated cost to the litigants of $8,000, and they are still at it.

A Brooklyn merchant made his signs and windows so attractive that the gazers blocked the streets, and his competitors asked the courts to haul in his attractions, and the court actually made the order.

Over the door of a cabin in Montana, on the line of the Northern Pacific road, is written with charcoal these words: "Only nine miles to water and twenty miles from wood. No grub in the house. God bless our home."

The first Chinese child ever born in the city of Washington is the daughter of the Chinese minister. She is named Mi Ju. Mi means America, and Ju is the name of the father, although he is no Hebrew.

"There are souls in my church so small," said Mr. Talmage to a reporter, "so infinitesimal, so mean, that fifty of them could dance a schottische on the point of a cambric needle without touching each other."

The story of the suicide of a young man in an Eastern city was briefly told by the following sentence: "There was nothing in his pockets save a large number of pool tickets on horses which had lost in recent races."

At Belleville, Ont., a breach of promise suit was to have been tried, but while the judge and jury were getting ready to listen to the story of love grown cold and hearts estranged the plaintiff and defendant adjourned to a preacher's house and were married.

This is preferred creditorship: We fail for $500,000. A is the preferred creditor for $250,000. Between A and ourselves is the private understanding. Between ourselves and the other creditors it is only a public understanding. —*New York Graphic.*

In Yazoo County, Miss., a party of hunters killed a deer that had a human skull impaled on a prong of his horn, supposed to be that of a negro. The prong had entered the cavity occupied in life by the eye, and had grown up around the bone, showing the skull had not been put on recently.

In the Austrian Empire the production of beer amounts to 34 quarts per inhabitant. In Great Britain each inhabitant is credited with 115 quarts of strong beer, in the United States with 40 quarts, in Denmark 122, in Belgium 71, in France 24, in the Netherlands 51, in Norway 43, in Sweden, 40, in Switzerland 39.

Dr. Ensor, district medical officer at Port Elizabeth, took an opportunity to weigh the informer Carey's brain. He reports that, in the whole of his long experience, during which he has given special attention to such subjects, he never knew a brain at once so heavy and so bulky as Carey's. It weighed sixty-one ounces.

The Omaha Indians have a curious custom. When the father dies the mother loses all right to the children. Every child, unless of very tender age, is separated from the mother, and will go into the family of some one of the father's relatives, and may be claimed as his own by the male head of the family. This separation of the mother and her offspring is permanent.

A Mormon settlement in Idaho is five miles long, extending from Clifton to Oxford. It is called Stringtown, and the homesteads are so taken up that the residences of the homesteaders are within 300 feet of each other, and the farms are mere strips of land from 250 to 300 feet in width. This land was taken up in this manner to give every settler frontage on the public road.

One hundred men of the Muskegon boom force, have been laid off for the season.

A good name at home is a tower of strength abroad. Ten times as much Hood's Sarsaparilla used in Lowell as of any other.

Hiring Out Diamonds.

"That was an expensive set of jewelry," remarked a reporter to the proprietor of a large Washington street store, alluding to a set of diamonds a young lady had just taken away with her.

"It is the most expensive set we have in the store," was the reply; "but she has only hired them."

"Is that a common thing in Boston?" asked the newspaper man.

"Most certainly. Many of our customers hire a set of jewelry for an evening and for a comparatively small price excite the envy and jealousy of their friends. I wonder you have never heard of it before. We take our costliest gems and reset them to please our customers, and then rent them. Of people whom we know we never require any security, but a stranger would, of course, have to deposit the full value of the gems. There are two of our finest sets at Swampscott now, where I understand they have been much praised and their temporary possessors congratulated.

"A funny thing happened in connection with this branch of our business. There was to be a large german, and a young lady, well known in this city, came to make arrangements about a set of diamonds. I was not in the store at the time, and knew nothing of the matter, so when I came in I let out the same set to another young belle. In the afternoon No. 1 came in and asked significantly if her diamonds had been cleaned. While she was talking No. 2 put the same question to me. The situation was very awkward, but I explained the matter, and all was finally settled in favor of No. 1, the young ladies pledging each other and me to eternal secrecy.

"I wouldn't have it get out for the world, you know," explained No. 1.

"Another branch of our business is to rent silver services. These were very well paid for. Most of the designs are antique, and some of them have figured in many Boston homes as highly-treasured heir-looms. At weddings we frequently furnish large collections of a brie-a-brac and other articles to swell the number of 'gifts,' and make a fine display. We rarely get much for this, as the jeweler's name is frequently published when there is anything particularly beautiful given as a present, and the advertising compensates us."—*Boston Globe.*

The Princess Louise as a Housewife.

Her Royal Highness is extremely fond of sun, and the early morning visitor is welcomed by flinging back the curtains "the first thing of the day." Every morning before breakfast the Princess takes a walk of three miles over the estate of the Government House and the road beyond, walking briskly over the snow in winter, aided by a cane and accompanied by a favorite dog. She is more fond of sketching and painting than other accomplishments, but she is what the Germans call a notable housewife, and goes into the kitchen every morning to give orders for the day. The Canadian servants did not at all like this, and rebelled, so her ladyship got out servants from "home" who were more used to the expressions of supreme wills. Like many energetic people, the Princess is hot-tempered, and the servants were disposed to think her as peremptory as the Queen in the story of "Alice in Wonderland," who ordered "heads off" at every moment. She sets an example of industry, and certainly considers life quite worth living, as she sets apart for her work or recreation specified regular hours. She has music playing in some part of the house nearly all the time, though the early morning strains are those most grateful to her husband's Scotch ear—the bagpipe. Lord Lorne has his own favorite piper with him. The Princess is a good cook, and takes pride in this accomplishment. At her dinner *en famille* some one pretty dish is sure to have been cooked under her own supervision or prepared by her own hands. Some time ago a young mother and her babe, who were visiting the Princess, were taken ill of scarlet fever caused by defective drainage, they say. None of the servants would go to the sick woman's room, being afraid of the infection. The Princess herself cooked all the food and carried it with her own hands to the sick visitors. She made the bed, smoothed the pillows, read and talked to the patients, and nursed the mother back to life, though the little one died and was buried in the cemetery near the hall. *Montreal Cor. Scranton Republican.*

How to Cure a Cold.

"I'll cure any cough you ever heard of and with one of the simplest remedies you ever saw," said a lady vocalist of considerable reputation on both sides of the Atlantic. "It's oysters. Just plain, simple, every-day raw oysters. I've sung fourteen years here and in the old country, and you may imagine that the climate has often got the better of my lungs, but I rely upon oysters, and they can be depended upon. My husband told me of this, kind of medicine, and I don't know how many years he had used them. They act just as beneficially on my children and the next time you have a cough go to the oyster bar instead of the drug store." *Boston Globe.*

A Life Saving Present.

Mr. M. E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kan.: Saved his life by a simple Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which caused him to procure a large bottle, that completely cured him, when Doctors, change of climate and everything else had failed. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, it is guaranteed to cure. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

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The potato crop of the state is less than four fifths of that of 1882.

One voice all over the land goes up from mothers, that says, "My daughters are so feeble and sad, with no strength, all out of breath and life at the least exertion. What can we do for them?" The answer is simple and full of hope. One to four weeks' use of Hop Bitters will make them healthy, rosy, sprightly and cheerful.

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In our Children's Department, the handsome cream pony, Buffalo Bill. A ticket with each purchase.

In our Pantaloon Department, a Solid Case Gold Watch and a Peninsular Range. Be sure and get your ticket.

In our Hat and Cap department, a splendid 1000 yard Sharps' Rifle, A ticket with each purchase.

In our Men's Furnishing department a fine Domestic Machine and a solid case Gold Watch. Be sure and get your ticket.

ALL THESE PRESENTS may be seen in our show window, and are first-class in every particular, and will be positively given to some of our customers, New Year's Day.

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And would invite all to call and see her before purchasing elsewhere. She employs none but the most experienced workmen, and promises to sell as cheap as the cheapest.

Store one door west of Bills' Bank,
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GAINSLEY & CO'S GREAT ECONOMY SALE.

TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, NOVEMBER 1st, 1883.

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GREAT ECONOMY SALE!

GAINSLEY & CO.

Have again taken advantage of the depressed condition of the

Eastern markets and placed on sale in the last ten days a second stock of Fall and Winter Goods. We bought heavy and in order to move stock rapidly we shall make low prices on the entire stock. We give a partial list of bargains and specialties, not being able to give the entire list, as

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Peerless and Dussetoir, [illegible] extra value, 5c and 6c a yard; trouville brocades, beauties, 9½c and 12½c a yard; cashmere twills, good durable goods, 11c, 12c and 15c a yd. 44 cashmere, beautiful goods and lovely shades, 28c, 30c, 35c and 40c a yd; 20 pieces ottoman cords, newest shades, 25c a yd; 20 pieces plaids, handsome style, 10c, 12½c and 15c a yd; 20 pieces German plaids, all wool, splendid goods, 85c a yd; an immense stock of all wool cashmeres in black and colors, all the newest shades are represented in this stock. Dog skin cloths, jersey and radamer cloths, camletts, Austrian satines, ottomans, English brocades, silk [illegible] henriettas, velvets, velveteens and plushes; a large and varied assortment in black, white, scarlet, navy, myrtle, olive, royal, purple, brown and [illegible]. [illegible] silk rhademas, and brocades, rare bargains.

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Never have such bargains been offered since ready made garments were worn. Examine our prices, compare our styles, and you will be convinced that the place to buy a fall and winter wrap this season is at GAINSLEY'S. Shawls, skirts, hoods, leggins, and mitts at remarkably low prices. Flannels, ladies' cloths, beaver cloakings, tweeds, jeans, cassimeres and waterproofs at unapproachable prices.

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IN DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, PRINTS,

Ginghams, cambrics and [illegible] you will find all the newest styles. In sheetings, muslins, crashes, table linens and damasks, canton flannels, shirtings, denims and tickings, we have a large stock, and cheap.

Great Bargains, Fresh Goods, Low Prices, and Small Profits is our Motto.

GAINSLEY & CO.,

TECUMSEH, Nov. 1, 1883.

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MILLINERY STOCK!

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Four tables, 12 ft. long, awning cover, etc.

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The finest assortment of Rubbers ever in Tecumseh.

Thankful for past favors he solicits a share of your patronage.

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Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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Call at Brown's Photo Gallery giving pictures for Christmas present, to call at once for their sittings. Examine our new cabinet albums, they are very desirable.

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Special attention given to furnishing picnic or wedding parties.

Cheapness and cleanliness shall be our motto.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BROOKLIN BOSH.

Only a half day, passed among thousands of pictures, is a fair excuse for not knowing much but of a few. Though all may possess equal merit the Little Gamblers are not easily forgotten. They have found a secluded turn in the road, and with a way-side rock for a table, have each laid down what they called a coin and are waiting for the dice to declare the winner. It is expectation without anxiety that lends a charm to their game, but what a pity carelessness regarding decrees of chance wears out so soon. The winding yacht skims the waves through misty twilight, that is pervaded with silver of a rising moon. Pride of victory stains the sails. Farther on stood an empty cradle with a sort of wooden carriage top. It was minus the baby, but no doubt many wondered who had been rocked there, and what mother sung a lullaby. A little dress, long since discarded, hung near, and on an ancient bed, with flowered linen curtains that were draped into a flat roofed tent, lay specimens of wheel, loom and needlework of its owner. Probably the busy hands are quiet, but they have left an impress for good. Few can look upon such mementoes without paying a mental tribute of respect to usefulness.

A piano of lang syne was here. The card said do not touch but how was one to find out if it was in tune without. The keys tinkled faintley, and no wonder. They had sung a hundred years. A clock that had marked the hours just as long which showed the vast difference between striking or having some one strike you. Another, whose growth had been checked by casing in a small flat box, looked as if made for Eve to regulate the time on moving day. Old tables and mirrors, candlesticks and books that wear the seal of antiquity were not wanting, but there is or was a bible at Springville that may possibly outrank those at the Art Loan, and would be a desirable acquisition to the permanent collection. Its a ponderous old affair with unornamental cover and iron clasps. It was printed before they got the fashion of truing lines, but I guess the commandments are in just as good shape as can be expected, considering the breakage they have been subjected to since they were modeled in English. Few stopped to read the autograph letters of Aaron Burr or Washington. The vest of one and soup tureen of the other were considered good evidence that such men had lived. The great general's plan of battle was not more complicated than the meshes of a baby cap woven by his wife, and both those and the sword worn at Braddock's defeat seemed to have dropped from the portfolio of eternity by accident. Women have contributed a fair share in all kinds of art work, besides that of the needle, and to uneducated eyes there appears little difference in degress of design or finish. It is expected that women should do fancy work well and an easel elaborately carved is as nice as anything whittled by a man that I saw, though I did not stop to analyze the subject.

A home scene called "The Hunter's Return" was less difficult to read. It was a picture that must have been engraved on the engraver's memory before he could have transferred it to wood. Here, too, is an empty cradle, but the baby is jumping towards him from its mother's arms. The rifle leans carelessly against the wall. Cat and dog are getting acquainted, the tea kettle is boiling at the fireside, table spread for supper, and chairs, as well as clock, mirror and candlesticks are arranged true to usual home style. Even the crucifix and rosary are on the wall, and a copy of the holy mother hangs over the mantel. All this is carved on a block of wood scarce more than a foot square, and of a light maltese kitten color. The interior of a peasant's cottage is by the same engraver and no less a master piece besides being photographs of the inner life of the artist.

Concluded next week.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Rev. Alden Wickham drove out from Lima to spend Thanksgiving with his friends. He likes his appointment very much.

The Church Social will meet at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson, this week Friday evening. A literary program will be presented.

David Covell has begun building his new store, 18x30, on a lot west of where the tin shop now stands. In the spring the shop will be moved and another store built on the site.

George Ross has rented his blacksmith shop to a party from Saline who will take possession and begin work in a short time.

The new house on North street is receiving the finishing touches. It will be occupied in a few days, then the Sutton house will be vacated for some one desiring to rent.

The remains of Silas Beal were taken from the vault at Tecumseh Tuesday and interred in the cemetery at Franklin Centre.

Soloman Smith, aged 87 years, died at his house on the 15th inst. He was one of the oldest residents of this township. The funeral services were held on the following Sabbath at the Christian church.

The calamity which caused the death of Isaac Ballou and Henry Pocklington last Friday was received everywhere as a shocking affair. The details of the accident more properly belong to the Macon Centre correspondent, therefore that part is left for him.

Both funerals were held Sunday when a large concourse of sympathetic citizens gathered to witness the last sad rites.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Mrs. F. D. Avery has returned home from New York state, where she has been visiting relatives for the past few months.

Mrs. J. Brimley is on the sick list.

The depot question is to be settled this week.

The recent warm weather has helped Henry Mensing out with his apples, and Henry thinks he can give something for the depot. Call on him, Frank.

Simon Shuitis made his relatives in Ann Arbor a visit this week.

J. H. Smith made us a call last week.

John B. Smith, of Charlotte, was through town last Friday looking after good horses.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Friday evening, Nov. 23d, the Farmers' Social Club met at Geo. Griswold's. The night being stormy and dark, the attendance was not large.

The program was good. Mrs. Griswold read a selection entitled, Common Sense against Fashion. It contained many good points. Fred Hendershot gave a very instructive and entertaining essay.

The discussion upon the question of selling or shipping direct to the manufacturer, without the aid of middle men, was quite animated, but all regarded the middle men a necessity, and decided they could not be dispensed with.

At the next meeting will be the election of officers for the ensuing year.

The meeting will be held at John Rector's, Friday evening, Dec. 7, with the following program:

Singing.
Select reading—Mrs. John Fisher.
Song—Lizzie Henderson and Minnie Rector.
Dec.—George Henderson.
Song—Fred Hendershot.
Essay—John Benedict.
Question—Resolved, That we deem it a wanton extravagance in the expenditure of the people's money by the Board of Supervisors, when they consume three days in the election of a chairman; and, is it right that the county at large should be taxed for the maintenance of Adrian's pauper inebriates?

Discussion led by F. A. Horton.

MRS. F. C. REGOLE, Sec'y.

WIDE TIRED WAGONS.

A correspondent asks the Michigan Farmer a question, which the Farmer answers below. It is a matter of considerable interest to farmers and should be remembered by them:

"Is there a law about a reduction of the highway tax by using a broad tire on a wagon, and how wide must it be? I think it should be law if not.

Answer.—There is such a law. It was enacted last winter. The following is the statute in full:

"An act to regulate the width of wagon tires to be used with lumber wagons.

SEC. 1. *The people of the State of Michigan enact.* That all persons who shall have used only lumber wagons on the public highways of this state with rims not less than three and one half inches in width for hauling loads exceeding 800 pounds in weight, for the year ending on the first day of June, A. D. 1884, and each succeeding year thereafter, shall receive a rebate of one-fourth of their assessed highway taxes for the year of 1884, and in like manner each succeeding year thereafter.

SEC. 2. Any person complying with the provisions of section one of this act, who shall make and subscribe to an affidavit that he or she has for the last preceeding year of June 1st, 1884, or on the first day of June on any succeeding year thereafter, have used only such wagons with rims not less than three and one half inches in width for hauling loads exceeding 800 pounds in weight, on the public highways in this state, shall be credited by the overseer of highways of the road district in which such person resides with one-fourth of the road tax assessed and levied on the property of such person in the road district in which such person may reside. And any overseer of highways is hereby authorized to administer such oath. See Laws 1883, page 198.

A HORRIBLE SLAUGHTER

ONE OF THE MOST FIENDISH CRIMES EVER COMMITTED IN MICHIGAN

A Whole Family Murdered in their Beds and the Perpetrators of the Deed still at Large.

One of the most fiendish murders that has ever darkened the annals of this state took place in the town of Spring Arbor, in Jackson County. We gather from our exchanges the principal points connected with the affair:

"Soon after six o'clock Thursday morning, a colored boy named Geo. E. Bolles, who for the past 3 months has been at work on the farm of Joseph D. Crouch, in Spring Arbor township, seven miles southwest of Jackson, appeared at the house of Ray Clements, a neighbor, and said he feared Mr. Crouch and family "were all killed." The messenger was hatless, coatless and baretooted, and seemed laboring under the most intense excitement. His manner filled Mr. Clements with the direst forebodings, and mounting a horse he rode rapidly to the Crouch residence. Upon entering and proceeding from one sleeping apartment to another, a spectacle greeted him made his blood run cold. Upon a bed in a recess off from the sitting-room lay Mr. Crouch, motionless in death. In a couple of other bed rooms he found respectively the dead form of Moses M. Polley, a guest of the family, and the corpses of Wm. H. White, and Eunice, his wife, the latter being Mr. Crouchs youngest daughter.

Mr. Crouch slept in a curtained recess off from the sitting room. He was found lying on his left side, as he evidently lay when shot. The bullet entered the left side of his head, two inches back of the ear, and passed directly into the brain, where it remains. He died, no doubt, without a struggle as his hands and arms seemed in a natural position, half folded on his breast.

Polley slept in a small bed room off the parlor, next the stairway, on a single bed. Beside the north wall was an old-fashioned bureau, with two drawers partly out, and having an appearance as if their contents had been rummaged. A portion of the latter were hanging down trailing on the floor. The unfortunate man had been shot twice. One ball entered the right ear, and passing directly into the opening entered the brain. There were four powder marks about the ear, indicating the closeness of the weapon at the time of explosion. The second ball penetrated the right side of the chest, one inch to the right of the median line, and passed directly into the chest. Either wound would have proven fatal.

The south bed room, which also opens into the parlor, was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. White, their bed being in the northeast corner of the room. The foot was towards the south, the wife lying next the wall. Mr. White was shot twice. One ball pierced the right side of the neck, severing the carotid artery; another crashed into the upper right temple, three inches from the outer angle of the right eyebrow, and three inches above right ear, where it remains in the brain. Powder was found in the face above and below the right eye.

Mrs. White was shot several times. One entered the posterior surface of the right arm, three inches above the elbow, the ball passing upward through the muscles, making its exit on the inner surface of the arm. Another ball pierced the right arm, six inches above the elbow, on the outer surface, passing inward and upward and emerging three inches from the point of entrance. The third entered the right breast, three inches above the nipple, and passed directly into the chest. It was found a bullet had passed through the muscles directly under the chin, entering from the right and obliquely out on the left side. A fifth wound was caused by a bullet passing directly through the wrist, just above the joint. The two latter wounds may have been caused by previous instead of separate shots. The victim was killed by the shot in the chest.

It is possible that while the murderers expected to get Polley's pile, they at the same time expected to realize something from Crouch and the balance of the family. Mr. C. was wealthy and it was well known had at times large sums in his possession. When money was paid in to him he would not bring it to the city and place it in the hands of his banker, but deter that matter sometimes for days, and not until called to town by other errands would he make the deposit. Besides he often would unguardedly in the presence of others advert to large sums in his possession.

Jacob D. Crouch, at the time of his death, was but a few days from seventy four years of age. He was born in Orange county, N. Y., and in 1830 emigrated to Michigan, settling in Spring Arbor township, one mile south of his late residence. In 1840 he removed upon the place where he Wednesday night met his end. He was a man of somewhat eccentric disposition, but generous hearted, of unblemished integrity, and was never known to oppress a poor debtor, although many such were peculiarly beholden to him. He accumulated an estate of from $80,000 to $90,000 in that county, and possessed interests in Texas estimated at from $60,000 to $70,000 more. When he came to Jackson county, fifty three years ago, all his earthly effects were contained in a cotton handkerchief.

Morenci Observer: A couple of young fellows, William Walker and Asa Phetteplace, who are old enough to know better, said some very improper things in the presence of ladies on the depot last week, for which they were arrested on Saturday and fined $8.25 each.

TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, NOVEMBER 1st, 1883.

Lost Bank Books.

A rosy-cheeked young woman, whose eyes were red from crying, went into an east side savings bank yesterday, and, between her sobs, said to the clerk:

"Sure, I've lost it. I don't know what to do."

"Your bank book, eh? What's the number?"

"I don't know, sir."

"When did you make your first deposit?"

"On the 25th of February. My month was up on the 24th, and I came down the next day and put in $7."

"What's your name?"

"Mary O'Brien, sir."

A giant ledger was swung around on a revolving stand. There was a great fluttering of its big leaves, and the clerk ran his finger down a long column of names.

"No. 9,782," he said. "Now tell me the names of your mother and father, where you were born, and your occupation."

The girl did so, and the clerk, after taking the number, told her to come back in a week.

"What are you going to do now?" the reporter inquired.

"Advertise for the bank book," said the clerk. "If it doesn't turn up at the end of a week we will give the girl a new one. The chances are about even of the old one being returned. It may be rumpled up and blew around the street until picked up by some rag-picker, or it may be found by some person who made read the advertisement of its loss. It is of no earthly use to anyone, for nobody can draw the money, as we know that the book has been lost."

"Why did you ask the young woman the names of her parents and where she was born?"

"Just to see if she was really the owner of the lost bank book. When a person opens an account with the bank, he writes his name in that big book near your elbow. Then we ask him certain questions, and note the replies. This is done as a means of identification. If the young woman who was just in had been unable to answer the questions I asked her I would have known that the book was not hers."

"Are many bank books lost?"

"We don't average more than 150 to 200 a year. Some banks lose fewer books. Where the depositors are mainly servant girls and young clerks and workingmen, such as we have here, there are more lost. It is amusing to notice the way the loss affects different people. Some come in looking as if their best friends had died; some seem frightened, and many are defiant, thinking that they have committed a crime, and have got to brazen it out."

"Does the same person ever lose more than one bank book?"

"Yes, I once knew a laboring man who lost three bank books in a year. He used to come in every Monday between 12 and 1 o'clock and deposit $3. He carried his bank book in his trousers pocket doubled in the center. He always kept the number, so it wasn't very difficult to give him a new book. We never advertised any of his books, because it was pretty certain that no one would ever pick them up."

"Do the people that find bank books ever try to draw the money?"

"Once in a while, though I do not remember of any one having done so lately. You see there are numerous safeguards to prevent the wrong person getting the money. Every depositor is warned to report to the bank as soon as he loses his book, and a list of lost books is kept handy for reference. Some of the attempts are amusing. One day a colored man came in with a bank book and wanted to close the account. He was asked to sign his name. Unfortunately for himself he could not write, and was detected. He then admitted that he had found the bank book. One day two men came in together, and one of them deposited $250. He could not write, made his 'mark' on the signature book and answered all the usual questions. It afterward appeared that this person was the man who had accompanied the depositor and had stolen the bank book."—*N. Y. Sun.*

Earth as Winter Protection.

A covering of earth may often be usefully employed to protect plants from severe changes of temperature during the winter. Newly planted fruit trees should have a conical mound of earth at the base, which may be a foot or a foot and a half high, and so narrow that it will shed water readily. This answers several purposes. It is well known that the portion of the tree where the roots join the stem is especially sensitive, and a covering of earth protects this. Besides, it answers better than a stake to prevent disturbance of the tree by heavy winds. Another benefit is the protection it affords against mice, often so injurious to young trees. Half hardy and doubtfully hardy plants of all kinds are better protected by a slight covering of earth than by the old method of "strawing," or surrounding them with a thick covering of straw, which often smothers them. Grapevines in severe localities, and partially tenper kinds everywhere, should be trained with a view to removing them from the trellis, and laying them flat upon the ground. When they are pegged down as flat as may be the canes are covered with an inch or two of soil. This method is the best for figs, and allows this fruit to be raised much farther north than was formerly thought possible. The trees are prepared by growing them with roots upon one side only, to allow them to be laid flat, and the branches are well covered with earth. The tender kinds of raspberries are protected in this manner on the large plantations along the Hudson River, N. Y., where many acres are annually covered. The same answers for tender roses which are successfully protected by laying them down, covering with a low mound, upon the top of which sods are neatly laid in such a manner as to shed the rain. Herbaceous plants in the flower garden, of doubtful hardiness, should have a slight mound of earth over them, first cutting back the stems. No doubt this method of protection may be applied to many tender and half-hardy shrubs and other plants which are now taken up and placed in the green-house or the cellar for the winter.—*American Agriculturist.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

—The salary of the Mayor of New York is $10,000 a year.

—The use of a French word in English composition frequently fills the place of an idea.—*N. Y. Picayune.*

—In Belgium and Holland the railway embankments are farmed out to a company which ra apples upon them.

—A syndicate of young Mormon saints has purchased a site on the west bank of the Jordan, opposite Salt Lake City, and propose starting a town there.—*Chicago Times.*

—The treasurer of Carroll County, Ark., placed $7,000 in an old boot for safe-keeping, placing the boot in a pile of rubbish. Now he is trying to negotiate with the man who stole his boot.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—The Memphis (Tenn.) *Avalanche* says that a census of Southern editors shows two Captains, seventeen Majors, seven Generals and 1,826 Colonels. There are no privates and no officers below the rank of Captain.

—The hotels of America have won good opinions from our distinguished foreign guests of the season. Lord Coleridge said they have "attained perfection; Matthew Arnold is "pleased" with them; Irving refers to one of them as a "haven of rest," and Miss Terry "had no idea of their elegance."—*N. Y. Herald.*

—The stone upon which General Washington stood when he took the oath of office as the first President of the United States is now set in the wall of the main corridor of Bellevue Hospital, New York, but is to be incorporated into the monument now in course of erection on the steps of the Sub-Treasury Building.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—A lady at a hotel, whose unruly children annoy everybody in the house the other day said to a noted teacher sitting near her at the table: "Professor, do you believe in the use of the rod in the management of children?" The professor glared at her annoying children and grimly replied: "Sometimes, madame; but there are cases when I should prefer a revolver."—*Detroit Post.*

—A Hartford boy, who has served his employer faithfully, and whose only conspicuous fault was an inordinate fondness for tobacco-chewing, was offered five dollars Saturday by a gentleman who feels an interest in him, if he would give up the habit for a year. Two other men made similar offers, and the boy resolved to earn the fifteen dollars. The next day he felt sick, on Monday he was worse, on Tuesday he shook like a delirium tremens victim, and on Wednesday he took to his bed, from which at last accounts he had not been able to get up.—*Hartford Post.*

—The Romans under the Republic were prohibitionists after a fashion. Men of honorable family were forbidden by law to drink wine before the age of thirty, or to drink to excess; while for women of any condition, free or slave, to touch wine except on solemn occasion, as a sacrifice, was an offence visited by severe penalties. Hence originated the custom of girls kissing their parents on their lips as a means of discovery whether they had been sampling the contents of the family amphoræ. But the law, as affecting women, was in time so far modified that they were permitted to drink wine made from boiled must or raisins.

Punctuality.

Lack of punctuality on the part of farmers, as well as all other branches of industry, is the fruitful cause of much trouble, vexation, and personal difficulty. If A has an account to settle with B, or has a debt to pay, and agrees to attend to it on a certain day, it should be faithfully attended to. Or if he has a note or interest falling due on a certain day, it is probable B stays at home specially on that day so as to be certain to meet his friend. It may be A went to attend to the business a day or two before hand, and not finding B at home, he concludes to stay at home and wait for B to come to him. But B, not knowing the determination of A, stays at home to wait for him, gets out of humor at his not coming, and concludes to leave the account or note with an officer. The dander of A raises—he resists the claim in court, lawyers are employed, costs accumulate, and neighbors are alienated forever. And this all growing out of a want of punctuality. As all men, and especially farmers, have necessarily to be absent from home many days in a year, there is great necessity for them, as well as those who have dealings with them, to be exact and punctual in all of their engagements. The exact day to meet an engagement is the right one—not before, and not after. Nearly half of all financial troubles among neighbors and vexatious lawsuits, grow out of want of punctuality.

If you have promised to pay a debt, if you have interest or a note to pay, go on the day punctually, not go straying in a few days before, when the man you want to see is not expecting you, is not at home. If the man has correct notions of business himself, if debts are due him, he will stay at home on that day to receive them. And then is when the debtor should meet him. Farmers frequently have no credit at banks, owing to their loose notions of punctuality, and are consequently deprived of temporary accommodations on that account. If you can or cannot pay, go punctually and met your creditor on the day. Your punctuality will inspire confidence, increase your credit. Too many people think it is no discredit to let a note remain over-due. If it cannot be paid, honor requires that it should be renewed or amicably arranged in some way with the creditor. But be sure to go to him on the day he is expecting you and is probably waiting for you. Without punctuality all is trouble, confusion and dissatisfaction. A man who pays no attention to his note when it is due is far gone in financial honor or hopeless bankruptcy. And many a man has been financially ruined by mere neglect, when, if he had gone to his creditor promptly and fairly explained his case, might have saved his property and his credit. This is not an idle subject nor an abstract question. But it is all about us in every day's business, and deeply involving the prosperity of every community.—*Iowa State Register.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—It is claimed that there is a wonderful spring at Toyah, Texas, which instantly cures all human diseases. It must be a spring gun. There are such things in Texas.—*Norristown Herald.*

—When a girl is wooed by a fellow and he marries her, she sometimes feels sorry because of the woes the woo has brought on her.—*Oil City Derrick.*

—Married men have nothing to say in disapproval of the "shingled bang." As a rule, a married man doesn't care what his wife does to her own hair so long as she keeps her fingers out of his.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Asking a lady what her accomplishments are is, generally speaking, harmless enough. Still, in these days, it might in some cases cause embarrassment to put the question, "Do you paint?"—*Detroit Post.*

—A learned man has discovered that birds lack the sense of smell. If this learned man should pull off his coat and roll up his sleeves he might in time discover that birds lack a nose to smell with.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—A boy who will look out for No. 1: "Father, what would you run for if the house were all ablaze?" The old gentleman declared that he should run for a very valuable manuscript. "I wouldn't," responded the boy, "I should run for the door."—*Boston Globe.*

—Has the right hand of the average paragrapher forgot its cunning, or what is the nature of the washout down the line, anyway? As yet we have seen no reference to the fact that the movements of Henry Irving on these shores are accompanied by considerable Miss Terry.—*Texas Siftings.*

—"Porter, wake me at Harrisburg," and the passenger in the chair car dropped half a dollar into the colored man's hand. At Altoona the porter shook the passenger and said: "Boss, we's jes' half way to Harrisburg now." "Well, what are you waking me for?" "You see, you done gimme half a dollah, sah, an dat's twice as much as mos' men gimme, so I thought I'd gib you two wakin's for it, one hyar and one at Harrisburg."—*Every Evening.*

Why Drivers Turn to the Right.

Major W. H. Smyth gives me the following origin of the American custom of turning to the right on the road: Our ancestors drove oxen as a usual thing. In driving an ox team the driver walks on the left of the team, so that he can handle the goad or whip with his right hand. In meeting a wagon each driver would turn to the right, so that he could be between his own oxen and those of the other wagon.—*Henry Grady, in Atlanta Constitution.*

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The Argentine Confederation.

The Argentine Confederation is composed of a group of fourteen states and provinces and four territories, whose population, according to the census of 1869, and estimated areas, are as follows:

Provinces.	Areas.	Population.
Buenos Ayers, on the coast	53,000	495,107
Santa Fe, on the coast	18,000	89,218
Entre Rios, on the coast	45,000	134,235
Corrientes, on the coast	54,000	129,022
Rioja, Andes	31,500	48,746
Catamarca, Andes	31,500	79,902
San Juan, Andes	23,700	60,319
Mendoza, Andes	54,000	85,413
Cordova, Central	54,000	210,508
San Luis, Central	18,900	53,294
Santiago del Estero, Central	31,500	128,980
Tucuman, Central	13,500	105,904
Salta, Northern	45,000	76,333
Jujuy, Northern	27,000	40,302
Total	515,100	1,766,022
Territories.		
Gran Chaco	123,612	45,291
Missiones (1879)	23,932	32,474
Pampas	191,842	22,000
Patagonia	347,900	24,000
Total	688,786	122,765

This shows a total population in 1869 of 1,859,685. The present population is believed to be over 2,500,000. By the treaty of 1881, between the Argentine Confederation and Chili, the latter concedes to the former all the territory east of the crest of the eastern ridge of the Andes, including a small part of Terra del Fuego, and the greater part of Patagonia. The form of government is republican. The President is elected for six years by an Electoral College, composed of 183 representatives chosen by the several States. The National Congress is composed of a Senate of twenty-eight members, two from each State or province, and a house of fifty members, apportioned according to population. There are five ministers, viz., The Minister of Foreign Affairs, the Interior, Finance, War and Education. Each of the provinces has a Governor and Legislature elected by a popular vote. A large part of this vast country consists of rich, alluvial plains, called pampas, similar to the prairies of this country, with a soil four or five feet thick, formed for the most part, like our prairie soil by the decay of luxurious vegetation. Immense herds of cattle and sheep are raised on these grand prairies, furnishing the principal exports, hides, tallow, wool and canned meats. In 1881 the horned cattle were estimated at 18,000,000 head, and the sheep at 100,000,000. The exports of the country amounted to $56,497,423, and the imports to $54,029,545. Most of this trade is between Buenos Ayres—the capital, having a population of about 200,000, and European, chiefly English, ports. Twelve lines of steamers run to Europe, making the trip in an average period of twenty-nine days. The revenue for 1881 was $24,349,450, derived almost wholly from import and export duties. The expenditures amounted to $26,747,480, and the National debt has grown to $107,681,639, a considerable part of which is represented by recent public improvements: railways, bridges, roads, etc. There are now about 1,600 miles of railway and 10,000 miles of telegraph in the country. The laws recognize no difference between natives and foreigners, and of late foreign immigration, mostly from Spain and Italy, has been flowing in at a steadily increasing rate, amounting now to about 50,000 per annum.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

Girl Life in India.

On the day of her marriage she is put into a palanquin, shut up tight and carried to her husband's house. Hitherto she has been the spoiled pet of her mother; now she is to be the little slave of her mother-in-law, upon whom she is to wait, whose commands she is to implicitly obey, and who teaches her what she is to do to please her husband—what dishes he likes best and how to cook them. If the mother-in-law is kind, she will let the girl go home occasionally to visit her mother.

Of her husband she sees little or nothing. She is of no more account to him than a little cat or dog would be. There is seldom or never any love between them; and no matter how cruelly she may be treated, she can never complain to her husband of anything his mother may do, for he would never take his wife's part. Her husband sends to her daily the portion of food that is to be cooked for her, himself and the children. When it is prepared she places it on one large brass platter, and it is sent to her husband's room. He eats what he wishes, and then the platter is sent back, with what is left, for her and her children. They sit together on the ground and eat the remainder, having neither knives, forks, nor spoons. While she is young she is never allowed to go anywhere.

The little girls are married as young as three years of age; and should the boy to whom such a child is married die the next day, she is called a widow, and is from henceforth doomed to perpetual widowhood she can never marry again. As a widow, she must never wear any jewelry, never dress her hair, never sleep on a bed, nothing but a piece of matting spread on the hard brick floor, and sometimes, in fact, not even that between her and the cold bricks; and, no matter how cold the night might be, she must have no other covering than the thin garment she has worn in the day.

She must eat but one meal a day, and that of the coarsest kind of food; and once in two weeks she must fast twenty-four hours. Then not a bit of food nor a drop of water or medicine must pass her lips, not even if she were dying. She must never sit down nor speak in the presence of her mother-in-law, unless they command her to do so. Her food must be cooked and eaten apart from the other women's. She is a disgraced, a degraded woman. She may never even look on at any of the marriage ceremonies or festivals. It would be an evil omen for her to do so. She may have been a high caste Brahminic woman; but on her becoming a widow, any, even the lowest servant, may order her to do what they do not like to do. No woman in the house must ever speak one word of love or pity to her, for it is supposed that, if a woman shows the slightest commiseration to a widow, she will immediately become one herself.

It is estimated that there are eighty thousand widows in India under six years of age.—*Commercial Travellers' Magazine.*

POSTAGE STAMPS.—There are about six thousand different descriptions of postage stamps in existence. The museum of the Berlin Post Office alone contains between four and five thousand specimens, of which half are from Europe, and the remainder divided between Asia, Africa, America and Australia. What country carries off the palm for absurdity and grotesqueness of artistic design and inferiority of execution, we are not told; but if the collection is faithfully representative, the variety of ugliness must be considerable. Some of the stamps, it appears, bear coats of arms, and other emblems, impartially borrowed from the heavens above, the earth beneath, and the waters under the earth—stars, eagles, lions, horses, serpents, railway trains, dolphins and other "fearful wildfowl." There are, moreover, the effigies of five emperors, eighteen kings, three queens, one grand duke, several inferior titled rulers, and many presidents. In so many countries and nationalities some really attractive specimens must have been elaborated.

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If a man is hungry within an hour more or less after a meal he is a dyspeptic, it shows his stomach is not able to dispose of what he has eaten, but to eat again, and thus impose more work, is absurdity. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malaria diseases. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

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Rheumatic Syrup Co:

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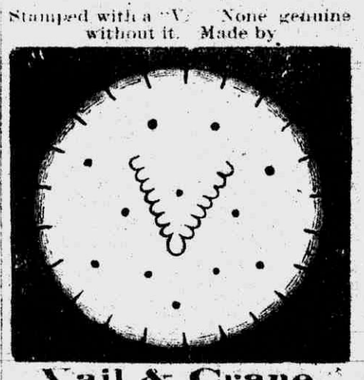

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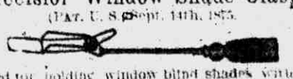

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HON. JOHN J. ADAM

At the [illegible] the state [illegible] Hon. John J. Adam [illegible] sketch [illegible] Mr. [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] a few extracts from a [illegible] of their [illegible] the sons of Mr. [illegible] sketch [illegible]

John Johnstone, A.M., [illegible] the city of Paisley, [illegible] Hibbert Adam, [illegible] dealer in Paisley for many years, and was a descendant of the celebrated Adam family of Edinburgh, one of whom at the same time was the architect of the college buildings of the University of Edinburgh. *Robert Adam, Architect.* One of the most noted of the ancestors known to the subject of this sketch was Alex. Adam, LL. D., rector of the high school of Edinburgh, and author of a book of "Roman Antiquities," of which work a copy was presented May 1, 1824, to John J. Adam as a prize for eminence in Greek scholarship by Prof. D. K. Sandford. The John Johnstone, after whom John J. A. was supposed to be named, was a minister mentioned by Froude in his life of Thomas Carlyle as the one from whom Mr. Carlyle received his first lessons in Latin, and whom Thos. Carlyle himself in his reminiscences spoke of as being the priestliest man he ever under any ecclesiastical guise was privileged to look upon.

The only recollection of his father by J. J. A. was that of being taken in when about two years old to see his father on his death bed. Some two or three years after his father's death, his mother, née Mary Crichton, a native of Dumfries-shire, removed to Closeburn parish, in that shire or county, for the purpose of having her two sons, Thomas C. and John J., educated at the celebrated Wallace Hall Academy in that parish. They remained there six or seven years, going through all studies taught there, such as were considered preparatory to a collegiate or university education.—The family then removed to Stewarton, near Glasgow, in part to send the boys to college. Thomas C. commenced the usual four years' college course some two years earlier than John J. A., and after his four years' literary course, T. C. studied Medicine and graduated as a physician and surgeon. John J. commenced the regular four years' curriculum in 1822-23, and took prizes in several of the classes, especially Greek and Logic, and had uniform good credit from all the professors. He graduated as Master of Arts in April, 1826. His diploma on vellum was presented to the library of the University of Michigan in 1877.

"It was expected by most of the relatives and friends of John J. Adam that after his going through college he would prepare for the ministry; and he did make some commencement in that direction; but his own choice was to get a commission in the British army. Upon making inquiries in that regard he found that the Duke of York, then at the head of the army, from his extravagant life and habit of raising money by the sale of army commissions, had forestalled as many future commissions as would be wanted or could be filled for six or seven years to come. The sale of army commissions has for many years past been entirely abolished by act of parliament.

"Finding that there was no prospect within any reasonable time of getting a commission in the army, he went to see a friend who had an interest in the then East India company, and who had spent some time in the East Indies, Mr. Wm. Cunningham, of Lainshaw, near Stewarton. But he rather dissuaded his young friend from trying to get into the East India service, on account of the climate and other objections; but rather advised him, if he thought of leaving Scotland, to read about America and Australia, and see which of these countries, or what part of either of them, would probably suit him best.

The result was that he concluded to go to America. Finding an American brig about to sail from Glasgow to Baltimore, he engaged passage on that vessel, a brig of a hundred and forty odd tons burthen. He left Glasgow on the 4th of July, 1826, went out by the north of Ireland, was forty-two days out of sight of land, and landed at Baltimore the forty-sixth day out. He found the consignees of the vessel very friendly and polite, and one of the clerks aided him in passing the custom-house. The firm had a ship about to sail for China, and they having spoken to the captain and mate of the brig on the subject, offered Mr. Adam the position of supercargo. But that not being consistent with the object of Mr. A. in coming to America, it was respectfully declined.

What then seemed the most desirable ground, to Mr. A., to look over with a view to settlement, was to reach Ohio by the Cumberland road, then a leading avenue for emigration west. He accordingly took passage by stage to Wheeling, taking a side cut-off to get a view of the scenery of Harper's Ferry and to see the United States foundry and arsenal there. On arriving at Wheeling he stopped there a few days, visiting several points in Ohio opposite and above Wheeling.—Having some references from Glasgow and Paisley people to acquaintances in Pittsburg, he made a trip there, and was soon introduced to the Rev. Mr. Bruce, then president of the Western University of Pennsylvania. Dr. B. had been a fellow student and intimate friend of the minister, on whose services Mr. A had generally attended in Glasgow. Dr. B. soon informed Mr. A. that he had been written to by the officers of an academy at Meadville, Pa., to see if he could send them a young man to teach Latin, Greek and Mathematics, and asked Mr. A. if he would accept the position. He did so, and remained there about a year, until he was obliged to return to Scotland to settle with his guardian, as he was out of age when he left Glasgow in July, 1826. One of Mr. Adam's pupils at Meadville was Geo. W. Cullum, who went from the academy there to West Point, graduating there with the highest honors. In November, 1862, whilst Gen. Cullum was chief of staff to Gen. Halleck, Mr. Adam received a letter from Gen. C. embracing mostly reminiscences as to his father's family, with all of whom Mr. A was well acquainted when teaching at Meadville.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Now the [illegible] school wants a gymnasium.

Sturgis will soon be connected with the state "Bell" system.

Over six hundred Veterans sat by the camp fire at Lapeer.

Manistee [illegible] sawbolts of $1,200 to a new jail, [illegible] being paid.

A Newaygo [illegible] located near Ionia [illegible] 900 feet of logs this winter.

A premium [illegible] at the Franklin house, killed [illegible] and Dennis [illegible] last week.

Peter Lincoln, of Coldwater, father of the late consul to China, died last week, aged 78.

The new library in the State university will probably be ready for dedication in two weeks.

Ed. Pesha got his nose broken by the binder slipping while binding a load of lumber at Lake Linden.

Gordon Bangs, the murderer from Brownstone, was convicted in the second degree, last week, at Manistee.

A companion accidentally shot Edgar Chidsey at Farwell last week. It is not a dangerous wound.

Roscommon is about ready to bore for oil. An oil man from Petrolia, Ont., will superintend the operation.

A Detroit, Mackinaw & Marquette train ran over and killed an unknown man near Johnson Station last week.

It was rumored on the streets of Adrian one day last week that Dr. Rynd had died of heart disease. But he is hale and hearty still.

The Orion Review says: "Our 'Boy Drowned' heading is up and ready for business. The 'kids' have been skating on all the small ponds hereabouts.

Homer, through its Common Council, has served an injunction upon the Michigan & Ohio railroad because the company did not grade a prominent street properly.

Barbara Sheidel, who has a husband and four children in Algoma township, has become violently insane as the result of attending revival meetings one month ago.

The Michigan association of veterans of the Mexican war have obtained reduced rates for those of them who wish to attend the national gathering at Washington next month.

Ann Arbor people are agitating the question of reorganizing the Chase Medicine Company, and retaining it in their city. Nothing pays much better than patent medicine stock.

The following gentlemen constitute the state board of visitors to Kalamazoo college for 1883-4: Prof. Austin George, Ypsilanti; Hon. R. L. Warren, Decatur; Rev. H. M. Joy, Grand Rapids.

Last week while Chris Smith was at work in Silas Patten's mill, Ortisville, drawing logs, one of them rolled off the car and rolled on to his leg about up to his knee. It did not break any bones but it jammed his leg up badly.

While the Rev. Mr. Crowthe, Indian minister of the Indian settlement, was driving in West Bay City his horse took fright, throwing him and his wife to the ground. He had his collar bone and several ribs broken, and she was badly bruised.

Wm. Finnigan had his jaw broken while working at West Bay City a few days ago. In driving piles it became necessary to use a block. He endeavored to hold it with a crowbar, but the hammer drove the bar with fearful force against his jaw.

It was a Bay City young man, who, in a rash moment, told his girl that if she would hang up her stocking on Hallow'en he would fill it to the brim with something nice. When he saw her stocking he was undecided whether to get into it himself or buy a sewing machine.

While Charles Marshall was engaged in buzzing wood on Charles Brotherton's farm, a few miles south of Flushing, his foot slipped in such a manner as to throw him into the balance wheel of the machine, tearing his clothing from his body and lacerating him in a terrible manner, from which injuries he died the next day.

Christmas & New Years

IS COMING,

AND

Where will you buy your presents?

Adams' Novelty Store

Is Headquarters for Christmas and Staple Goods.

Photograph & Autograph

Albums, Scrap Albums, Jewelry,

Picture Frames,

China Cups and Saucers. Majolica Ware, Vases.

Toys of all Kinds, Toy Furniture, Bible-stands.

China & Wax Dolls,

For Every one. New Books, Mrs. Holmes and E. P. Roe's Books for $1.00. Children's Books, Games, &c. Look at our 75 and 85c Books. Don't forget our 5 and 10c Goods.

Many New things for Christmas.

Respectfully,

W. D. ADAMS.

Tecumseh, Mich.

STILL AT THE HEAD!

Is it Not So?

That the People of this city and vicinity are getting sick of paying big prices for poorly made furniture without regard to style, and made by inexperienced workmen.

THE PEOPLE

Have long ago come to the conclusion that

WM. McCOWEN'S

Immense Furniture Establishment is the only place in the county where they can buy the latest styles of fine and medium grades of Furniture at prices lower than one horse dealers in an inferior class of goods.

IN UNDERTAKING

This establishment is also far in advance of all others, owing to the proprietors having

Over 9 Years Experience in This Branch.

First-Class Work at Low Prices is our Motto.

S. W. TEMPLE,

Lumber, Lath, Shingles

AND

COAL!

Our new planing and matching mill is now in running order and we are prepared to do all kinds of custom work on short notice at surprisingly cheap rates.

Telephone Connection.

CATARRH IN THE HEAD

TRADE MARK.

Can positively be cured by using DR. P. HALL'S CATARRH REMEDY. A new compound, entirely different from all other preparations. It is in the form of a fine ointment which is easily applied in the nostrils and ears, and reaches the seat of the disease by absorption. Pleasant to the smell, and most efficient in operation. For Hay Fever, also impaired Hearing, Sight, Smell and Taste, produced by Catarrhal disease, it is a positive cure. The most noted Physicians and prominent Druggists all over the land have given it their endorsement. We have the unsolicited testimonials of hundreds of prominent and reliable men, who have been permanently cured. Do not be humbugged by nostrums, prepared by the inexperienced and unreliable, but insist upon having this Excellent Remedy, compounded by a Physician who has made this disease a study for 30 years. Two to four bottles generally sufficient to effect an entire cure. Satisfaction guaranteed or Money refunded. It is a positive cure for Ear-ache. For sale by Druggists. Also sent by mail, post-paid, upon receipt of 50c. single bottle, package of four bottles $1.00. Circulars and testimonials free.

Address DR. P. HALL, Wholesale and Retail Druggist, 630 State Street, Erie, Pa.

CAUTION.—Beware of counterfeits or imitations. The above Trade Mark will be found on every bottle, and do not buy without it.

KIES BROTHERS!

Storm Ulsters!

Fine Overcoats!

Youth's Overcoats!

Boys' Overcoats!

Children's Overcoats!

Double Breasted Overco'ts

Single Breasted Overcoats

Extra Long Overcoats!

Extra Size Overcoats

All kinds of Overcoats

KIES BROS.,

ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS,

If you never have traded with us it will

Do you good to Try It.

We offer this week

3000 Yards Extra Heavy Canton Flannel

Better than any you ever bought for a shilling, at 10 cents a yard.

100 Bed Comforters well worth $1.50 at $1.19 each.
100 pairs Bed Blankets at $1.49 a pair.
If you want a

CLOAK

Of any size, style or shape, you stand in your own light if you don't look at our stock. We carry the largest line in the city and we don't allow anybody to make a price that we don't beat.

If you want a SHAWL,

We will sell you any kind of a shawl you want for less money than any other house in the county and give you new goods in the bargain. No old goods at any price.

Our special prices on silks and dress goods will be continued this week.

Every article marked in plain figures and one price to all. We will give a hundred dollars in gold to any body who will buy any goods of us for less than they are marked.

McCONNELL'S

Cash House,

WHITE FRONT, MASONIC TEMPLE

Adrian, Michigan.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

TAX NOTICE. I will be at the following places during December, 1883, for the purpose of receiving taxes. At the store of Sullivan P. Smith, Ridgeway, on Friday, Dec. 7 and 21. At the postoffice, Britton, Friday, Dec. 14 and 28. At the house of John G. Witt in South Ridgeway, on Thursday, Dec. 13 and 27.
JOHN W. HOUSEMAN,
Nov. 23d, 1883. Treasurer of Ridgeway.

FOR SALE. Having sold my place I will offer for sale my horse and buggy and farming tools at very low rates. For particulars enquire immediately of DANIEL T. LEWIS.

TAX NOTICE. I will be at the banking office of O. W. Mills & Co., on each Friday and Saturday during December, for the purpose of receiving taxes.
P. J. WELLING,
Treasurer of Tecumseh.

TEN CORDS OF WOOD. Dry four foot wood for sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

TAX NOTICE. I will be at Dr. Jenkins' office at Franklin Center on Monday and Tuesday of the first week in December and on Sunday, Wednesday and Friday of each week thereafter until Jan. 1st, for the purpose of receiving taxes.
JAS. H. HUNTER,
Treasurer of Franklin.

FOR SALE. One yearling thoroughbred Jersey bull, $50. One full-blood boar, $8 per cwt. also a choice lot of young cattle.
JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. A dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. for a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

CHOICE MERINO RAMS for sale. Wilson & Osborne have returned from western New York and brought with them a few choice breeding rams, and they will sell them at reasonable prices. All who would wish to see some good select rams would do well to call at Henry Wilson's place. All are selected from among the best flocks in western N. Y.

Tecumseh Tannery.

I will pay greenbacks or gold for hides and sheep pelts. I have also first class hand made harness, both double and single which I would exchange for good milch cow, wood, corn or oats.

Why not save commission and sell your hides and sheep pelts direct to the tanner.

O. W. BEAN.

Do not fail to witness the tableaux at the War Concert.

The new "White Mill" bridge over the Raisin at Adrian is finished.

The old war scenes will be brought out at the War Concert next Thursday evening.

The HERALD wishes all its patrons a happy Thanksgiving and a good square dinner.

The Michigan Central railroad will adopt the new standard time next Sunday, Dec. 2d.

Everybody can afford to give 25 cts. to hear the War Concert and increase the fund for the purchase of a piano for the High School.

Last Monday morning, while Wm. Buck, the manager of Stacy's farm, was at the boarding car at the M. & O. gravel pit, to deliver some turnips, he caught an Italian stealing nine head of cabbages. The woman who runs the boarding car marched down to Justice Burridge and swore out a warrant. Buck was subpoened as a witness, and Michael Cheese—which is the Italian's name in English—was put through the mill in short order.—The fine and costs amounted to $6.50, which made the nine head of cabbages rather expensive fodder.

The December number of the American Agriculturist contains about 100 engravings, which is 25 per cent. more than that of any other illustrated periodical in this or any other country. These illustrations are engraved expressly for the paper by leading artists, covering a wide variety of rural subjects as well as farm inventions and contrivances. These engravings alone in any single issue of the paper are worth far more to every farmer and housekeeper than the subscription price for five years. Notwithstanding the American Agriculturist is fully worth four dollars a year, the subscription price will continue at $1.50 during 1884.

THE M. & O. ROAD.

A train went over the M. & O. road yesterday going west, with President Latcha and other officials on board. It went through to Allegan. The train passed the Tecumseh depot about ten A. M., and was welcomed by a large crowd of spectators. A halt of ten minutes was made during which time the President shook hands with his Tecumseh acquaintances and inspected the depot grounds. It is expected that the depot in Cambridge will be located on this trip, and questions of a similar character will be settled at other points on the road.

The first train schedule has been printed and took effect at midnight last night, and the first regular trains will run to-day. There will be one train daily each way for the present, passing Tecumseh at 10:07 A. M., going west, and at 4:56 P. M., going east.—The stations on the line commencing at Allegan are as follows: Allegan, Kellogg, Monteith, Yorkville, Augusta, Battle Creek, Ceresco, Marshall, Homer, Pulaski, Hanover, Moscow, Jerome, Addison, Cambridge, Tipton, Tecumseh, Ridgeway, Britton, Dundee. From Dundee the trains will run over the T. A. A. & Gd. Trunk road to Toledo. As soon as the telegraph lines shall be finished and the station agents all appointed more trains will be added. Fifteen new locomotives and fifteen passenger coaches have already been secured.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 29, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Thanksgiving Day.

Diphtheria is raging in Dexter.

Where do you eat turkey this afternoon?

The Lake Shore pay car has been going the rounds.

The Episcopal church at Clinton is being re-shingled.

The Baptist S. S. convention was well attended yesterday.

The Morenci public schools have adopted the new standard time.

Fred Wood is home from Ann Arbor to eat Thanksgiving turkey.

Let everybody attend the Grand Fair at the Opera House this evening.

Landlord Passmore expects to move into his new office to-morrow or next day.

County Clerk Hunter has at his office several plans for the new court house.

A. O. Miller's new play, entitled "Kit, the Slave," is drawing full houses.

Solos, duets and quartetts at the War Concert next Thursday evening, Dec. 6th.

The liquor suit against Frank Kirchgessner, of Clinton, will be tried Dec. 7th.

The War Concert will take place at the Opera House next Thursday evening, Nov. 6th.

The Alumni association of the Manchester High School will run a lecture course this winter.

The new show cases in Hough & Hosmer's store add greatly to the appearance of the interior.

The Pullman car company has just completed fifteen passenger coaches for the Michigan & Ohio road.

Supervisor James has been busy for several days on business connected with the new county court house.

Congressman Eldredge's Washington home, will be on B street, Capitol Hill, within two blocks of the capitol.

Detroit has adopted the Standard time. Other towns throughout the state will probably do so at an early day.

Forty-two registrations at the Lilley House last Saturday. No wonder they need a larger office and dining room.

Cogswell & Bartholomew, of Blissfield, after evaporating about 2,000 bushels of apples, have closed their factory for the season.

Congressman Eldredge has arrived in Washington. The news from the national capitol places him in the list of Carlisle's warmest supporters.

The foolish man permitteth the present pleasant weather to lull him into security; but the wise man rusheth himself after several tons of coal.

Mr. S. S. Scovill is in town at present collecting the M. & O. bonus notes. He was at Dr. Catlin's office last Saturday and will be there to-morrow to receive payments.

The trial of Edward Couper, for attempted assassination of Milton Waite, at East Milan, ended in the circuit court at Monroe, the 21st, by the jury rendering a verdict of not guilty.

Clinton News: John T. Clark is becoming quite an extensive stock dealer. He has at present nearly 70 head of cattle, 28 of them being Jersey's. He has just completed a new creamery.

At the regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 89, F. & A. M. held Friday evening, Dec. 7th the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place. A full attendance of the members is requested.

The Chicago Tribune says that Mr. Cummings, of Chicago, is the principle financial backer of the company that built the M. & O. railroad, and that the general offices and shops are to be located at Marshall.

In the obituary notice of Hiram Adams published last week, this clause occurred: He was wedded to a fault. It should have been, He was modest to a fault. The mistake occurred in the proof reading of the notice.

Water was squirted through the new Adrian water-works pipes last week for the first time, and a reporter for the Times, who astonished his stomach by taking a long, full draught of the liquid, has certified that it was really and truly water.

Marshall Statesman: The new locomotive on the M. & O. railway passed through here yesterday, and was examined by a number of the curious. They pronounce it a beauty of unusuly large size, cylinder 17x24, and one of the best ever seen. The company are evidently not sparing money in equipping the road.

Last week everyone was finding fault with our weather prophets, who have phophesied an open winter, just because we had a little cold snap accompanied by a light fall of snow.—Now we hear them say, "Well, I guess we are going to have an open winter after all." Verily, a prophet is not without honor save in his own country.

Mrs. A. E. Ure has a new ad. in today's paper.

Frank Hoy, of Manchester, was in town last Saturday.

Kies Bros are issuing an advertising series of stories, which is as neat an arrangement as we have seen in some time. All will do well to call on them and get one of these little stories.

Wm. H. Arner, of Raisin, died at his residence yesterday morning of erysipelas, aged 52 years. Funeral at the Presbyterian church in Raisin, on Friday, Nov. 30th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Mr. G. Price, of this village, has just returned from Canada where he purchased two stallion colts for the improvement of draught horses. One is a horse for all purposes, the other a heavy Clydesdale.

A prominent farmer in Raisin claims that he has put 21 pounds of fat pork on his lot of hogs each day during the past few weeks on some of the "poor corn" of this season. Who can beat this?

Last Monday was field day at Justice Burridge's court. In addition to the cabbage head suit against Michael Cheese, Cunningham Patterson and Jack O'Hara were arrested for drunkenness and a good legal dose administered to both defendants.

A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all who attended the dance at Tuttle's Hall, Franklin, last Friday evening. The music was excellent, as was also the supper, and everyone went away well pleased with the management and everything in general.

"Put up or Shut up!" I hereby offer to bet the price of the Evening News, and the Tecumseh Herald, for one year, that I have the larger ear of corn in Lenawee county or in Michigan, and it was raised on my farm.—For particulars address or call at the Herald office.

GEORGE HANFORD.

The clothing store of Kies Brothers was broken into last night, the large pain of glass on the east side being broken. A few articles were taken out of the show window, but the burglar does not seem to have entered the store. Sheriff Bidwell already has the matter in charge.

Hon. J. G. Wait, who has resided at Sturgis for 49 years, and who is the wealthiest and most active and influential business man of the place, as well as proprietor of Wait's furniture factory, there, celebrated his 72d birthday last week at which there were 31 present, the youngest of whom was 50 years old, and the oldest 87 years. Mr. Wait is still very active and vigorous.

A Big Newspaper Boom.

The greatest exhibition of newspaper enterprise ever chronicled in the way of pushing circulation, is that of The American Rural Home, published at Rochester, N. Y., which we offer with this journal at a reduced rate. Two Million Sample Copies are actually being mailed to separate addresses, and the first issue for 1884 (Volume 14) will number as announced, four hundred thousand. Publishers can realize better than any other class of people the enormous outlay necessary to such results, but how it can be afforded, in the case of so good and cheap a weekly as The Rural Home, even we do not understand. There is not another farm and family paper at once so handsome, so excellent and so low-priced; and we suppose its proprietors desire simply to show this fact through The Rural Home itself, assured of what will follow. For if you see a copy, you will certainly subscribe. Better write for one by postal at once, and then send us your name and money for a year.

CHURCH FAIR.

At the opera house this afternoon and evening the ladies of St. Peter's church will hold their annual fair. This afternoon large quantities of useful and ornamental articles will be sold at prices to suit everyone. This evening will be presented the beautiful fairy play, "Prince Nysee Nosey," with the following characters:

Prince Nysee Nosey—An amiable sovereign who longs to be changed.

Ali Sherbet The court physician attached to his sovereign for Feesible reasons.

Hassan Ben Fussy—A cheerful follower of the prophet, but given to whine when nobody's nigh.

Silver Star, Queen of the Fairies—A brilliant blaze of bewildering brightness.

Rosabella and Flirtanna—Two Fairy Bell e s ready to respond to the first offer made to ring them.

Darlinetta—A particularly pretty portrait of a perfect fairy.

Nobles of the court, Fairy's Sylphs.

Scene—Partly in the Pelican Islands, a portion of the Persian Empire not yet discovered, and partly in the well-known regions of Fairy Land. Time—Somewhere between the past and the future. Costumes of the same period.

PROGRAM.

Overture.
Song—Aggie Woodward.
Recitation—Minnie Corey.
Song—May Woodward.

PRINCE NYSEE NOSEY.

Prince Nysee Nosey—Geo. Waldron.
Ali Sherbet—Levi Hayden.
Hassan Ben Fussy—Millie Pennock.
Silver Star—Aggie Woodward.
Rosabella—Etta Thorp.
Flirtanna—Julia Wright.
Darlinetta—Edie Woodward.
Prince's Attendant—Bertie Corey.
Song—May Woodward.
Song in costume—George Waldron.

Company C will appear in full dress uniform at the War Concert.

Blissfield Advance: The Petersburg Journal, a new paper, came to hand this week. It reminds us of the primitive days of the Advance, when we tried to print a paper with old worn out material, the same material now being used on the Journal.

The Hudson Gazette offers this suggestion: "If the new style of enumerating time is to come into vogue why not drop the awkward word "o'clock" and substitute the word hour, or time? We should then read, It is 17th hour, or 17:30 time, which would be just as proper and rather shorter and easier than the old disyllable."

Blissfield Advance: At the last session of the board of supervisors a resolution was passed that all outstanding county drain orders be handed in to the board that some action might be taken to have them paid. All persons holding such orders will please hand them to the supervisor of their respective townships.

Clinton News: A pocketbook containing a thimble, four hickory nuts, a lot of edging, a shirt button and eight pennies has been left at this office. If not called for within ten days, the hickory nuts will be eaten by our devil, the money squandered for chewing gum, the shirt button given to the sewing society, and the remaining articles sold at Auction.

Morenci Observer: In taking some medicine last Sunday, Uncle Benjamin Hornbeck, who resides a mile west of the village, by mistake took down the wrong bottle and imbibed a dose of belladona liniment, and shortly after things began to be like an impending funeral, but prompt medical aid brought him out of his stupor and he is apparently all right again.

The Chicago Daily News issues a handsome little pamphlet on advertising giving three points on the question. The above paper is abou he cheapest published, the price being two cents, and the paper just full of crisp news items and live editorial.—Its average daily circulation is over 100,000 copies, and its immense sale is the result of publishing a first class daily at low prices.

One day last week, James Burdett and John Day, of Macon, fell the timber, and cut eighty-eight rail-cuts inside of ten hours. Will Avery went along with a team with the intention of skidding a portion of these logs.—With considerable energy he skidded not only the eighty eight rail-cuts, but also twelve saw logs in addition, making in all one hundred logs in less than ten hours. Who can beat the above?

Those who don't believe in advertising can learn a lesson contained in the statement of one of our merchants, who says his sales increased just tenfold the week after he put an attractive and sensible advertisement in the HERALD. Those who think people know where their place of business is anyway, and advertising does no good, will find their trade going to those who do advertise what they have and what bargains they can make.

Sojourner Truth, the famous lecturer and colored reformer, died at her home on College street, in Battle Creek at 3 o'clock on the morning of Nov. 26, after a long and painful illness. She was 108 years old, according to the best data that herself and friends co'd obtain. The immediate cause of her last illness was an ulcer on one of her lower limbs, and she had been unconscious for a number of days. She leaves three daughters living, viz: Mrs. Diana Corbin, Mrs. Elizabeth Boyd and Mrs. Sophia Schuyler.—Much genuine grief is felt on account of her death, both among the white and the black people.

Hear the chorus of 100 voices at the War Concert.

SUFFOCATED IN A WELL.

A Terrible Accident by which two Macon Residents met a Sad Death.

Last Friday a terrible affair occurred on the farm of Byron Beals, in the town of Macon. Mr. Beals had been having a new well dug, and Henry Pocklington and Isaac Ballou were engaged with other workmen in brickling it up. The brick work had been completed and the men were then boring at the bottom of the will. Natural gas had been escaping from the well for some time in large quantities, and the gas was the cause of the accident. Henry Pocklington went to the bottom of the well—about thirty feet—to work there. He had been there but a short time when the assistant at the top noticed him fall over into the water. Isaac Ballou put his foot in the noose of a rope and was lowered down, saying as he went down, "now when I get hold of him draw us up quick." Wm. Swick and Wm. Emmons drew the two men about half way up when they both fell back to the bottom of the well. The neighbors were summoned and the bodies were finally recovered, but life had fled long before the bodies could be taken out. Both the victims were married men and leave families, and the sad affair has thrown a deep gloom over the entire community. The two men were buried on Sunday last, and the funeral services were very largely attended.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Nov. 5 1883.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Bresie, Smith, Sparks, Steinhoff and the Recorder.

Minutes of last regular session and of special session held Oct. 15, 1883, read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing, and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the contingent fund.

J. R. Dowling	$23 63
John Canhon	3 08
L. J. Rose	7 50
Sidney Powell	3 75
Henry Brown	5 70
Robt. Magill	9 00
A. Packard	21 75
Wm. Brown	45 18
Slayton & Son	56 97
Ed. Rowland	14 00
W. C. Jordan	27 00
J. V. Shoff	3 85
Harlow Smith	3 00
Jno. I. Rector	1 50
Jas. Snell	9 00
H. B. Westcott	9 00
Dell Hubbard	6 00
W. Owen	1 00
W. Osborne	20 17
J. W. Cole	13 50
Geo. Heesen	12 32

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Streets:

Report in writing on the petition of W. T. Owen, Wm. Hayden, Wm. Ide, and others, submitted at last meeting of Council, and recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, as far as it relates to the construction of a sidewalk on the east side of Manree street, from the south line of Logan street to the north line of the Michigan & Ohio Railway, and on the west side of the same street from the south side of Kilbuck street, southward to the north line of the M. & O. Railway. That such walks to wit: on the east side of Maunee street from Logan street southward to the M. & O. Railway, and on the west side thereof from Kilbuck street to said Railway, be constructed four feet wide, of sound pine plank, not less than one and a-half inches thick, and not more than six inches wide, to be laid lengthwise and well spiked down on good white oak stringers, not less than 2x4 inches in size, and not more than 2 ft. apart, the same to be completed and ready for acceptance on or before the first day of December next. Such sidewalk as is now laid along the lines above mentioned, and in accordance with these specifications, to be accepted as part of the walk hereby required to be constructed.

By resolution of Council, the report of the committee was accepted and adopted.

The same committee report in writing on the remonstrance presented to council at the last special meeting thereof, by Geo. Price, H. C. Conkling, O. W. Bean and others, and recommend that the prayer of the remonstrants be granted.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Marshall presents his monthly report which is accepted and placed on file.

It appearing from the report that the team belonging to the village does not work every day, the Street Commissioner is instructed to see that the team is kept at work all the time when the weather will permit.

NEW BUSINESS.

Mr. Smith made some explanation in regard to the block of stone taken by Mr. Stevens, and referred to at last meeting of Council. He thought that the price then asked for the stone was more than its real market value, and suggested that Council accept a smaller price.

On motion the Marshall is directed to accept from Mr. Stevens $5 in full for the stone.

A committee from the Tecumseh Hall Association, consisting of Messrs. Adams, Sutton and Shull, came before the Council, and each member of the committee addressed the Council on the subject of the high license charged for entertainments in the opera house and the heavy burden thus imposed on the stockholders of such association.

On motion the matter is referred to the committee on ordinances with instructions to report at the next meeting.

J. R. Hialey and W. W. Marsh each propose to purchase a street lamp and erect them in front of their respective places of business if the Council will take care of such lamps and light them the same as the other lamps on the streets.

On motion the Council accepted of the proposition.

W. W. Marsh asks for permission to build a cross-walk in front of his meat market.

On motion the matter is referred to the committee on streets.

On motion the Street Commissioner is instructed to erect two new street lamp, one at or near the cemetery gate, and the other at the west end of Burt street.

On motion the Marshall is instructed to notify all parties to have their side walks built or repaired within fifteen days from this date.

It appearing that those who use water from the water pipes of the Village have neglected to pay for the same for the past two years, the Recorder is instructed to collect such unpaid water tax as soon as convenient.

The president makes a proposition in writing to Council in regard to the construction of a drainage well on Chicago street, which on motion is accepted.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. MCKINNON, Recorder.

The Rev. I. M. Frey, formerly an Episcopal clergyman at Clinton then a Congregational minister at Lamont and who later still officiated at Valley City, Dakota, is a fugitive, with $200 reward offered for his arrest. He has debts to the amount of several thousand dollars, and it is claimed that he has squandered the fortune which he received from his wife.

Jacob D. Crouch, one of the victims of the horrible murder in Jackson county was a brother of Sam Crouch, who for several years lived on the old Charles Stevens farm, three miles west of this village.

The Comstock House at Hudson has a new advertising clock.

W. D. Adams has a new card this week. He has begun his campaign for the holiday trade.

W. T. Lawrence offers the property known as Lawrence Park for sale, and it will probably be cut up into parcels and sold for manufacturing purposes.

No intelligent reader can fail to be interested in the contents of North American Review for December. The question of the telegraph has the place of honor in the number, Gardiner G. Hubbard pointing out the great advantages that would result from the proposed "Government control of the Telegraph," and showing from the experience of several European countries the benefits to be derived from the incorporation of the telegraphic with the postal service. Prof. J. Laurence Laughlin, of Harvard University, shows the "Uses of the Sub Treasury System," in its absorbing and withholding from circulation the specie that is constantly needed to insure stability in the world of finance, are among the leading articles. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York, and for sale by book sellers generally.

—Drs. Flowers, of Grand Rapids, will commence a brief course of health lectures in the Universalist church, commencing Monday evening, Dec. 3. Mrs Flowers to ladies, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The Doctors will occupy parlors at the residence of Rev. Henry Shepard, on Chicago st., two weeks, commencing Dec. 3. See circulars.

—Having purchased of D. P. Anthony & Co. their stock of Agricultural Implements Wagons, Carriages &c., we invite all their former patrons to call on us when they want anything in our line and we will try to please you. We have a very large stock of carriages on hand, and will make a liberal discount to any one purchasing within the next 30 days. Call and see carriages and get prices.

Slayton & Son.

—Just for fun we will sell our $8.50 couches for $5.50. Call and examine a good couch for a little money.

Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—Cider Apples. If you have any cider apples to sell, bring them at once to Slayton & Son, while they are paying twenty-five cents per bushel.

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—For $30 we will sell you a black walnut bed room suit with large glass on the dresser. It is very cheap at $35. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—At our "big store on the corner" you can get a marble top bed room suit, Tennessee marble with glass on dresser and commode for $50, regular price $60. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machines without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—At Coller's Palace of Music, at Adrian you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call or send a postal for prices.

No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state get Heck Bros. complete all roller.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller of Adrian Gen. Agt. for the New Home Sewing Machine if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machine. He is the company's only authorized agt. in this vicinity. Don't be misled.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
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McNEIL—Died, Nov. 12, 1883, Effie Jane, daughter of Friend A. and Flora L. McNeil, aged 3 yrs. and 4 months.

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W. M. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them, $46,[illegible]58,333.30. Total premiums received, $[illegible]. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $[illegible]. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unequaled by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $[illegible]. Surplus over all other reserves [illegible]

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ON LOGAN STREET.
Opposite Hayden's Warehouse, where I have better facilities than ever for doing work.
Horse Shoeing a Specialty.
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System.

Could we all, in ordering our homes, but develop that degree of system and order that characterized the affairs of every successful business man we would do away with much of the worry and vexation of life. But for various reasons the majority fail here, some from one cause and some from another, but the result is very detrimental to the children reared in such homes, and unless possessed naturally of an unusual degree of order, they go out into the world poorly fitted for any kind of life, no matter how much of other preparation they may have had for it.

As we have said, there are reasons for this flaw in our domestic arrangements, some of which are unavoidable, while many are but the result of carelessness and lack of management. For instance, we have little or no conception of the vast amount of valuable time we squander in changing from one occupation to another. Many of us who work faithfully and well while we do work, seem to feel that we are entitled to a rest when the task is complete, and sit complacently down to breathe awhile before taking up the next thing, and the probabilities are that the *while* will be allowed to grow into a big one before we realize what we are about. Now, these resting spells after hard work are good for the body and the time they take would not be missed if, while we were employing these, we would but improve the time by using the mind, which usually at such times is not tired, but more active than usual, and ready for almost anything we may require of it. And if work is pressing, we may often save more time than we take for our rest by planning for the rest of the day. But how often we allow the mind to go "wool-gathering," and the time is wasted that might have been turned to account. Again, many of us are not as prompt as we might be in preparing meals, and one, two, three, or possibly six or eight individuals are thus robbed of a half hour each, and we are the criminals. This fault also reacts on the housekeeper herself, so that instead of being through with her work, with her house in order and herself tastefully dressed at the proper time of day, she is probably obliged to keep her friend waiting another dreary while in the parlor while she completes her toilet before she can see her. And unless dealt with severely, this same habit of being always a little behind time proves a most powerful enemy to domestic happiness.

Various causes in the way of petty hindrances may operate to produce this delay, aside from the final decision to wait awhile before performing a task, so we may enumerate procrastination as another of the sins that beset us as housekeepers, although the effect is much the same whatever the cause of tardiness. Then there is a tendency in many of us to put off time about our work. We do not work with the purpose in view of getting done, but more like a laggard working by the day, to put in the time. These defects, taken with numerous other failings of home, produce disorder and confusion, and to the development of proper habits in the young; and if neglected till maturity there is not a chance in a thousand that the individual will acquire this talent for systematizing and reducing work to a method, even when he realizes his inability to compete with men of inferior ability, but who have acquired this. *Barrington Hawkeye.*

Recreations in Science.

"The sun is 15,000,000 years old, and will live 15,000,000 years longer." This fact will quiet a great deal of anxiety and alarm. An impression had got abroad that the sun would only last 15,000,000 years longer. The sun holds its age well. Older inhabitants say that it does not look a day older than it did ten years ago. [illegible] The temperature of the moon is at least 200 degrees below zero, and it is highly entertaining to mingle among the oldest inhabitants who congregate around the village freeroom stove in midwinter and listen to their fears about the cold January of 10,781 years B. C., when water froze while boiling on the stove. The hope exists, however, that the temperature of the moon is 200 degrees below zero is a false one. If the funds were available the United States Government would have sent an exploring expedition there to ascertain the facts. Some stars are so far away that their light, moving at a velocity of 186,000 miles a second, [illegible] a dark room in a big [illegible] [illegible] a uniform temperature of 18 degrees. [illegible] [illegible] long years. A [illegible] said on the board of [illegible] and been deposited [illegible] Kindt's accounts, he found it safer to trust to that good enough, and the result was that he got sentenced to a year's imprisonment to his great surprise. Depositors and borrowers do not commit their securities to a cashier whose name is unknown in Tecumseh, but to directors whose names are figured on prospectuses, and who seem to offer guarantees for good management. This is a point which directors too frequently overlook. *Lawton Graphic.*

Eighty thousand children in the North of England form the "Dickey Bird Societies." They are pledged to protect birds, never to destroy a nest, and to feed birds in winter. It would not be a bad organization for this country. In combined voice and plumage our American birds of the woods and fields are equal to any in the world. It was a sorry piece of work to import such useless vagrants as English sparrows to take their places.

Disease comes in by hundredweights and goes out by ounces.

In hundreds instances where Hot Springs and other treatment failed to cure scrofula and syphilitic disorders, the sufferer has sought and found a cure in Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It enriches the blood, strengthens the urinary and digestive organs, and quickly removes all indications of ill health and blood disease from a pimple to a running sore, from a headache to a rheumatic pain. Its superiority over all other blood purifiers and strengthening medicines is admitted by all who test its curative effect and influence.

I remarked to an old farmer back in the country, whom I had not seen for several years, and whose farm, in the meantime, had improved wonderfully, that his place was so changed I hardly knew it. "Yes," said he, "I've been fixin' up a little." The old woman pestered me to death about the garden, and so I slicked it up a little, and fixed about the house, and it looked so nice I went at the farm fences and the brush, and saved more manure, and kept killing the weeds, and the crops got better, and so I kept going on, and things do look pretty good now. Wife takes a paper, and I take one, and I get time to read it too, and I used to think that I hadn't time for anything." And so he ran on, seemingly much pleased with what he had done, and his life and his home without doubt the happier for it. Examples of a like kind may be found all over the country.

Nervous debility, indicated by loss of memory, universal lassitude, constant fatigue, vivid dreaming, unnatural excitements, fits of dizziness, etc., is quickly cured by using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. This remedy purifies the blood, strengthens the weak portions of the body, quiets the nerves, produces dreamless slumber, and is the only remedy that permanently cures the many distressful ailments resulting from nervous debility.

Cost of Bringing up a Boy.

A clergyman who has been discoursing on boys has devoted considerable attention to the cost of these somewhat necessary adjuncts and he estimates the expense of bringing a good boy, with all the advantages of city life, to the age of fifteen, at $5,000. These figures are about [illegible] the time the boy is of age, if he has gone through college. A bad boy arrived at the age mentioned costs fully as much, [illegible] he has not been to college, and the [illegible] as the reverend gentleman suggests, does not include the value of the [illegible] and father's gray hairs. Most [illegible] brought up boys will agree that the cost [illegible] is not big enough.

The blessings of life are many.—Live long and be happy. Don't neglect a cough or cold. Keep yourself well clothed in changeable weather, and always keep a bottle of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry in the household. A single spoonful will cure an ordinary cough or cold. Its continued use will cure consumption.

The town of Dunglas lies on the Clyde [illegible] Adrian [illegible] a pleasant [illegible] within sight of the [illegible] that quarter of the earth [illegible] About 5,000 people live there, and [illegible] the effete descendants of the most formidable band of pirates that ever existed. It is a very old town. One hundred and sixty-seven years before Christ the city surrendered to the Romans, and received exemption from taxation, and its freedom. From 1500 to 1600 the pirates held full sway, and in 1718 a great battle was fought there [illegible]

To Repair Damages.

Dear lady, there is probably no use telling you that fashionable life in a great city is a rough one on your beauty. Late hours, loss of sleep and mental excitement will leave you by and by shorn of those beautiful tresses which drew lovers around you in other years. Artificial substitutes can never pass for those rich and glossy locks. Parker's Hair Balsam will stop your hair from falling out, restore its natural color and softness, and prove cleansing and beneficial to the scalp.

It is said by a well-known Illinois educator that "The average western farmer toils hard early and late, often depriving himself of good rest and sleep, for what? To raise corn. For what? To feed hogs. For what? To get money with which to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To buy more land. And what then? Go with the herd. Why be [illegible] more land to feed more [illegible] hogs and a thousand [illegible] the slaughter stops his squealing."

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JERSEYVILLE, Ill., April 25, 1882.

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Dear Sir: "I am more than pleased with the effect of your Zoa-Phora in our daughter's case. I am surprised to see how she has improved. She is gaining in weight and color, and I think feels better than she ever did. Her nerves are steady, and the distress in her chest is entirely gone. I firmly believe that Zoa-Phora is all that has saved her life. I am willing you should use my letter, for I am not afraid to tell what a wonderful cure your medicine is. Yours respectfully,
MRS. SARAH RANDOLPH.
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From Mrs. John Spitler,
No. 28 Witt St., Fort Wayne, Ind.
"I have suffered for sixteen years with spasmodic pain in my head and general nervous debility. Recently I had a severe attack of pain in my head, caused by weakness and nervous exhaustion. I thought I should die. My husband said we would test Zoa-Phora thoroughly. He gave it to me according to directions for severe cases, and in less than 24 hours I had complete relief. I advise all women who suffer from nervous or sick headache, or any form of female weakness, to use Zoa-Phora. There is no medicine to compare with it."
May 15, 1882.

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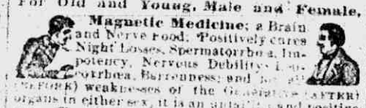
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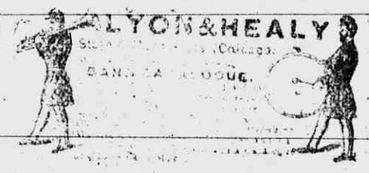

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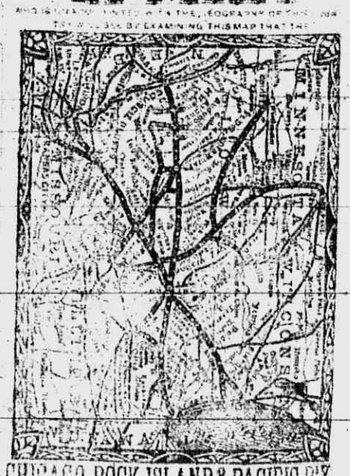

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Grayson	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Grand	6 49 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 03 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Columbia	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

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STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	6 50 A.M.	5 42 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	8 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	9 50 "	8 48 A.M.
Columbia	11 45 "	10 21 "	9 06 "
Clinton	11 56 "	10 44 "	9 20 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 30 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 40 "
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Hand	§ 9 46	* 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulus	10 03	§ 4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	* 4 19	10 40	8 35
Willis	‡10 19	* 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	‡10 25	* 4 34	10 53	9 35
Milan	10 36	§ 4 44	11 01	10 55
Cone	‡10 46	* 4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	‡10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	‡11 07	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	§ 5 24	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	‡11 35	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	‡12 04	* 6 03	12 31	3 04
Alvordton	‡12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 39	§ 6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	* 6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's.	Mail.	Exp's	W. Ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 35	§ 2 47	‡ 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	§ 3 08	9 35	5 51
Stryker	§ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	§ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	§ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	§ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	§ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	§ 4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	§ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	§ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	§ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	§ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	§ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulus	11 26	5 54	12 04	4 50
Hand	*11 39	§ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 6 Express.	No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 20	3 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 00	5 20
6 30	3 26	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc. "	9 51	2 49	5 16
6 41	3 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 41	2 37	5 06
7 17	4 10	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 27	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 37	4 18
7 42	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 34	1 04	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
	P.M.				A.M.	A.M.
11 30	6 55	12 32	" Jackson (M.C.) "	6 10	9 50	9 50
A.M.						
1 08	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 39	7 58	7 58
2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 52	7 10	7 10
				P.M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
P.M.		A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
3 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
					A.M.	
9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" How'll (G.L.&N.) "		10 22	2 01
		P.M.				
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
						A.M.
	10 15	3 00	" Ionia "		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 01	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 40	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		4 50	" How'rd City "			9 25
		A.M.				
		3 42	" P'tosk'y (G.R.&I)			12 01
						P.M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City			9 45

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DENTIST. 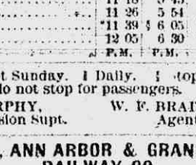 DENTIST.

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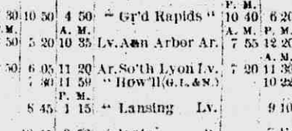

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—The Dakota lands set apart for educational purposes are valued at $82,900,000.

—There are more Baptist churches in East Tennessee than post-offices or grist mills.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—An English clergyman writes that there are 4,000 unemployed clergymen in the Church of England, many of whom are both able and willing to work, but who cannot find anything to do.

—Mrs. Florence E. Cory, who is a practical carpet designer, has opened in New York a large school for women desirous of learning practical designing and of earning their own living.—*N. Y. Times.*

—President Robinson, of Brown University, has had his office furnished with a massive desk and chair made from solid oak timbers which had done 100 years' service in old University Hall.

—Among the amendments made in the Episcopal prayer-book, the words "Lord, save our rulers" are to be changed to "O, Lord, bless and preserve these United States.—*Chicago Times.*

—The *Telegraph*, of Macon, Ga., says: "Every week there are additional evidences of the need for technical schools. A gentleman engaged in manufacturing said in our office that he had vacancies in his business that paid from $1,500 to $3,500 a year that he could not find the men in the State to fill."

—The Amherst Senate is composed of four seniors, three juniors, two sophomores and one freshman, chosen by ballot. This body has entire jurisdiction in all questions of discipline. They even overrule former decisions of the Faculty, and the President holds that they have thus far exercised their power wisely. The Senate recently decided in favor of permitting the students to engage in inter-collegiate sports, which the faculty had interdicted.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—A school for teaching foreigners the English language has been opened in New York in the Five Points House of Industry by the Young Men's Hebrew Association. The school will be open five evenings in the week, and the system employed will be simply to make the pupils speak English by allowing them to speak nothing else. Not word of a foreign language will be tolerated in school hours, and when a man fails to understand a sentence spoken to him, he must find it out by instinct or by persistent questioning. Over two hundred names are enrolled on the list of members.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The last paragraph of the will of the late Rev. Dr. William Shelton, of Buffalo, touchingly says: "I will also (in taking leave of life) add that my parishioners have ever been kind and considerate of my welfare; and, through the period of more than half a century in which I have most imperfectly served them, they have been respectful and dutiful. For all which I can only add my hearty thanks, asking their forgiveness for my neglects, and giving my final benediction. God bless, preserve and keep you and yours, and may you always be preserved in the unity of the church, which has ever been one, figured by the ark of the flood."

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Most people are perfectly willing to be good when they get too old to be bad any longer.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—Oscar Wilde has received many thanks from Mary Anderson for writing a play for her. They reach him in this shape: "Declined, with many thanks."

—"I hev allus noticed," observes Aunt Tabetha, "that the boy who lets his mother bring in all the kindlin' wood and build the kitchen fire is the mourner that bellers loudest at her funeral." And then she added thoughtfully: "Mebbe as not it is because he misses her the most."—*Boston Post.*

—Elder sister: Geraldine, why did you take so much trouble to snub that handsome, manly young fellow we just met? Geraldine: O, that's Harry Hardlines. He hasn't a cent to his name, and he's got a mother to support; and that sort of thing isn't good form, you know, nowadays."—*Boston Post.*

—The father's prayer:

"I cannot sing the old songs,"
She raspingly did toot,
While at an asthmal organ
Her fingers she did shoot.
"Thank heaven!" growled the parent,
With manifest ado,
"An' prig they'll fix the new ones
Just so you cannot, too."

—*Yonkers Gazette.*

—A trade circular, under the title, "What will the Coming Girl Wear?" contains a description of the articles likely to constitute the wardrobe of the future. It is a description sufficient to convince anybody that what the coming girl will chiefly wear is a hole in the pocket-book of the man who supports her.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—There is a pertinent German story of recovery from a trance. A man died, as it appeared. He was about to be buried when he came to life and burst the lid of his coffin. He was hastily removed from the grave and rapidly recovered health. During his seeming death he heard all that was said about him. He changed his will.

—"Good morning. Is Mr. Black in?" "No, sah, he's gone to his business, sah." "Well, is Mrs. Black in?" "Dat depends, sah. What does ye want wid her?" "Why, here's a milk bill of thirty-two dollars I'd like her to settle." "She am not in, sah." "But I know she is in." "Can't help it, sah. De orders am dat she am never in fur milk and meat bills and sich. Good mornin'; I has to go; she am callin' me."—*Kentucky State Journal.*

—"I see you are growing a mustache, George," said she, as she caressed the lappel of his coat. "Yes," stammered George, blushing furiously, "I—I am trying to cultivate one, Arabella." "Don't it feel funny on your lip," she asked. "Well—no," he laughed, regaining his composure, "it seems to be quite natural." "I wonder how a mustache would feel on my lip," she said, with a far-away, absent look in her eyes. "You needn't wonder long, then," said George, as he bent down. "O, you forward thing!" she exclaimed; "I've a good mind to make you take that back again." And he did.—*Chicago Herald.*

REMARKABLE ESCAPE.

John Kuhn, of Lafayette, Ind., had a very narrow escape from death. This is his own story: "One year ago I was in the last stages of consumption.—Our best physicians gave my case up. I finally got so low that our doctor said I could not live twenty-four hours. My friends then purchased a bottle of Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs which benefitted me. I continued until I took nine bottles. I am now in perfect health, having used no other medicine.

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In canning fruit it is wise to use a good deal of sugar. Plain canned fruit is apt to turn, and does not retain its flavor as when made a little rich. If our housekeepers would take as much pains in making preserves as the French do, they would find themselves amply rewarded when, in the winter, they turn out the beautiful clear fruit, always in perfect shape. To preserve fruit in the French method it is necessary to make a clear syrup first, which can be done by melting two pounds of the best sugar with a pint of water, using a white porcelain kettle; add the slightly beaten white of one egg before the syrup becomes hot: let it boil, and skim it until the scum ceases to appear. Then put in carefully selected fruit, a few at a time, watching carefully that they do not break, and removing one at a time as soon as they become soft. When these are put in glass jars and the syrup poured over them, the result will make glad the most stoical heart.

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Nature has made her laws with us, which we must obey or suffer the penalty. This penalty is often lung or throat trouble, which leads on to consumption. Every man believes consumption incurable. People have been educated to this belief which is proven incorrect by Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which is nature's great helpmate, and it cures consumption and all throat and lung diseases speedily and permanently. Trial bottles free, of Baker and Hall.

An English writer says that the middle class Englishman, as a rule, does not buy books, except a few classics and professional treatises, but waits for his chance at the book club or circulating library. There are instances where authors are asked to lend their own copies by men of ten times their income. Wine and china may be bought, but books must be hired for, says the writer, the English are educated to the point of reading, but not to paying for books.

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A GOOD INVESEMENT.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaprilla in the window and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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"That was sad enough," I said dividing my last two cigars.

"That's so," responded Mr. Sharp; "but I got over it. Outgrew it? Not exactly. When in that condition I began taking Parker's Tonic, and my health commenced to improve right away. I was astonished at it and so was my wife. I piled on the flesh and could eat anything. My ambition blazed up. I could attend to business, and now—excepting that I have to take care about exposing myself to the hot sun—I am as well as I was the day I enlisted. What a difference there are in things—guns and bayonets kill; Parker's Tonic saves."

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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary C. Adams Shull, a daughter and heir-at-law of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that although more than twenty days have elapsed since the probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, yet that the executors named therein and to whom the execution of said will was committed and the administration of said estate granted by an order of this court, made on the fifteenth day of October, 1881, have neglected to give bond as required by law, and as ordered by this court, whereby the said executors so named and appointed as aforesaid have forfeited their right to act as such executors, and praying that administration of said estate with the will annexed may be granted to Cordelia M. Adams or to some other suitable person, and that such other and further order and proceedings may be had in the premises as may be required by the statute in such case made and provided:

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 3rd day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS Probate Register.

ESTATE OF PETER DAVIDSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 21st day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Davidson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he is ready to file his account in this court, and praying for the allowance of his said account, and for such other order as may be necessary and agreeable to law.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 24th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit in Chancery; suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery, at Adrian, on the 19th day of November, 1883. Charles I. Hamlin, complainant vs. Elizabeth Hamlin, defendant. In this cause it appearing that defendant is not a resident of this state but resides in the state of New York, therefore on motion of L. R. Pearson, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter her appearance in said cause, on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, said publication to be continued once each week for six weeks in succession.

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ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 26th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Noah Cheever, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edward L. Russell, praying for the probate of a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, the executor therein named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN [illegible], Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

A. H. Rowe, Probate Register. nov28

DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Justus Lowe, township drain commissioner of the township of Ridgeway, in the county of Lenawee, will on the 6th day of December, at the house of Wm. [illegible] in said township, proceed to the forenoon and afternoon of said day, for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township, commencing on the west line of the Brook Drain in Ridgeway, [illegible] the west line of [illegible] 1.20 rods, thence [illegible] W. 20 rods, thence [illegible] W. 20 rods, thence [illegible] W. 20 rods, thence [illegible] E. 20 rods, thence [illegible] E. 20 rods, thence [illegible] E

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Perhaps it is not generally known in our community that the genial clerk of the Lilley House is an old U. S. Navy officer. Such however is the fact. The following letter was lately received from Elisha N. Pierce, of Waverly, Mass., enclosing a sketch formerly written by him for a local paper. We take pleasure in giving them both a place in our columns, believing they will be read with interest by those who take an interest in personal reminiences of the late war.

WAVERLY, Middlesex Co., Mass.

Editor Herald: You may perhaps remember that some weeks since, I called at your office and inquired for a Boston paper, at the same time mentioning that I had discovered in the clerk of the Lilley House an old friend of the late war, Mr. Amos P. Foster, late Lieut. Commander, U. S. Navy, a brave and gallant officer, who deserves well of his country, and though fame has not named him in her list of heroes, and he is now earning his bread by the sweat of his brow, I find him still the warm-hearted friend and courteous gentleman that he was in 1865, when, in command of the U. S. S. "Commodore Perry," he safely performed the dangerous task of clearing the James river of obstructions, fishing up the torpedoes and making a safe passage for the fleet to follow, being the first to arrive with his vessel at Richmond, and in time for a parting shot at Lee's retreating army.

I send herewith a sketch written by me and published in one of our local papers several years ago. At that time I never anticipated that it would be my good fortune to meet Captain Foster again, and did not intend him as the hero of the tale as I designed to take that role myself, the Capt. being incidentally mentioned. The story is true in every particular.

Truly yours,

ELISHA N. PEIRCE.

"Editor Free Press:

Dear Sir:—I have been penned up in the house for over six weeks; had what Dr. Willis calls pneumonia. I have got through the first act, and am now enjoying the afterpiece, which may be called oldmonia.

In this melancholy state of affairs I saw in the Free Press a request from Capt. Keyser for articles used in the war of the rebellion to exhibit as relies. I immediately opened communication with the captain, and offered to supply large quantities of relics for the object in view. I received a very guarded reply: evidently the captain did not take much stock in my relics; however, I forced a few on him, among which was an old diary, in which was the following:

"Ordered to report with two flag men on board the U. S. steamer Delaware for signal duty."

Whereby hangs a tale, the telling of which will amuse the writer, and use up some of the time, which for once in my life I have more than I know what to do with, and though the story itself may not be very thrilling, I trust for interest it will compare favorably with many articles published in your valuable paper, relating to patent medicines and miraculous cures, and will possess the merit of not having been copied from other papers.

The U. S. steamer Delaware's armament consisted of four guns of large calibre, one long rifle canon amidship, and a crew of about two hundred men. She was commanded by Capt. Amos Foster, who, though a volunteer officer, was no slouch, having been twice promoted for gallant conduct in action, and loosing two steamers while engaging the rebel batteries on the James river, in each case receiving a promotion and a finer vessel than the one he lost. I was somewhat acquainted with Capt. Foster, having several times loaned him a horse and rode with him outside the line.

A short time before this a U. S. Gun boat had fired upon troops on shore, supposed to be the enemy, but who proved to be our own men, some of whom were killed and wounded. In order to prevent the repetition of this error, all land forces near the coast and all gunboats running near the shore on special service, were provided with signal officers, whose duty it was to signal all troops seen on shore before opening fire. They failing to answer, or answering wrongly, were to be declared enemies. Each signal officer was furnished with the list of signals a week in advance. The signals were of the simplest kind. For Monday, 1142 was flagged from the vessel, and 222 answered from the shore; for Tuesday, 2311 from vessel, answer 143. A red flag with white centre was used in transmitting messages at sea, that color being more plainly seen than any other on the water. A white flag with red centre was used on land, where the back ground was forest, hills or building, and a black flag with white centre was used on a signal station on a house, or the top of a tree where the back ground was the sky.

These explanations are made partly to fill up space, but more to enable the reader to understand how a chain of circumstance connected with signalling, operated very favorably to a part of the crew of the Delaware on this cruise. This expedition occurred just before Maj. Gen. Butler didn't take Fort Fisher, and its object was to steam down the coast to the vicinity of Wilmington, run near the land in the night, and send boats with press gangs on shore to kidnap fishermen or pilots, in order to obtain if possible some information in regard to the torpedoes planted in the channel. The boats that went on shore every night with muffled oars, returned every night unsuccessful.

During the day the Delaware ran down the coast to be out of sight, and one day we discovered on shore off S. Carolina, a large herd of cattle feeding on the marsh. Two boats were immediately lowered and started for fresh beef. I went in the Lieutenant's boat, which made for a point about a mile above the herd; the other boat, under command of the gunner, was ordered to land about a mile below the herd; both boat's crews were then to deploy, surround and carefully approach them from all sides, keeping out of sight, which was easily done in the long sedge or reeds, as fifes charge called, which reached beside to the cattle's back. This order was executed by the sailors to perfection, and when the herd took flight by our near approach and attempted to escape the men arose with a shout and I was surprised to see how completely the cattle were surrounded. There appeared to be no chance for their escape. But the run commenced, when the sailors opened fire, and the gunner, "Deliver me from my friend," would have been very appropriate. Jack Tar seemed wild with excitement; his war whoop was terrific; no pretence was made of taking aim; muskets were discharged without bringing the piece to the shoulder; the bullets buzzed about our ears "right smart."—Tennyson's description of the "charge at Balaklava" seemed to me dwarfed by comparison. But fortunately no one was injured, not even a cow, and when the animals found they could not escape by land, "the whole herd ran violently down a steep place into the sea," and were not choked but swam boldly out to an island half a mile distant. A calf that lagged behind was killed, and one of my flag men wounded a young bull in the water, which was also obtained.

We returned on board with our game. The beef which is termed "reed beef," from its peculiar flavor, being deemed too strong for the stomach of a gunboat officer, was turned over to the sailors. The ward-room officers however managed to worry down a breakfast of fried liver and onions next morning, without producing any ill effects.

"The object of the expedition having been accomplished," which is a military way of speaking of a failure, the Delaware started on her return trip. When opposite Swanborough the masts of two schooners were discovered sticking up above the woods behind the Island. The Captain went into the rigging himself with a glass and after a short examination the steamer was headed towards shore, two quartermasters took their position, one on each side of the vessel and began "heaving the lead" and calling out the soundings. A boat with an officer was sent on ahead to buoy out a channel, and the steamer slowly approached the shore. The boatswain "called away" the crews of the 2nd cutter and the launch, the arm chests were opened and the men began to buckle on the cutlasses. The officers talked about cutting out the cotton schooners, and the men about prize money. The Delaware soon came to anchor and the boats were lowered, muskets were put into them and the men took their places. The Captain himself took command, going in the cutter. The launch, a very large boat containing I should think at least forty men was in charge of the first officer. Mr. Lawrence wanted to see the fun, the Captain consented but objected to Lawrence's plug hat, and loaned him one of his own caps and a uniform coat. Any one who knows how much gold lace the navy department manages to load up their officers, can imagine the fine effect our cutter made with two captains in the stern and a signal officer in the bow.

As we approached Swanborough, not knowing the proper channel, the launch which drew much more water than the cutter, was continually getting aground, and our advance was very slow. As we approached the town it seemed deserted, but examining it through a binocular glass I observed what might be men dodging from behind a building on the wharf to another large storehouse nearer the water. I reported what I had seen to the Captain, but it didn't seem to scare him very badly. We got on very slowly, for the launch seemed to be aground about all the time, though the cutter was continually forging about trying to find deeper water. At last when we got nearly within musket shot of the shore the women seemed to have "accomplished the object of the expedition," she got aground as if she intended to stay. The more they tried to get her off the more she seemed to stick. To add to the unpleasantness of the situation, we were greeted with that high vocal achievement with which Johnny Reb was wont to announce his presence to the Boys in Blue. The men I had seen dodging behind the building now showed themselves, and dragging a howitzer down to the wharf, leisurely proceeded to train it upon the grounded launch. This change of program did not seem to please the Captain, who ordered the men to drop the oars and pick up the muskets. What he was going to do with the muskets I have no idea, without he thought of shooting the crew of the launch and thereby deprive the Johnnies of the pleasure of doing it, for we were not within range of the enemy. If we had been I don't think they would have been in much danger, judging from the marksmanship exhibited in our late bull hunt. The Captain appeared to realize this for he didn't order the men to fire, but exclaimed in language more forcible than polite, "that if they did not blow us all into a place of which some people pretend to doubt even the existence of, they were a set of blasted lubbers."

When the Captain ordered the men to take up the muskets I called to my flagman to show the flag. The signal for that day chanced to be 14324, in signaling all odd numbers are made by waving the flag to the left hand, and all even numbers by waving it to the right, so this signal was made by simply swinging the flag back and forward three times and then a pause. The flagman had made a mistake and brought from the ship a white flag instead of a red one. When the signal was flagged, it seemed to have a strange effect on the shore party. They appeared to suspend their hostile preparations and soon showed a white pocket handkerchief as the sun of a corn stalk. This again changed the situation, Johnny had mistaken the white signal flag and waving motion of the call, for a flag of truce, and by showing a white flag himself had signaled his willingness to communicate with us.

The Captain ordered the men in the launch to get overboard to lighten the boat, and fall back as rapidly as possible, while the cutter slowly advanced to meet the flag of truce, which was coming towards us borne by an officer in a dug-out—a small canoe made by hollowing out the trunk of a tree, and will spit out a Yankee as fast as he can get into it. The officer sat on a board that extended several feet each side of the canoe; his feet as far apart as possible, his knees close together and as high as his breast, his body bent forward, and grasping the cornstalk and handkerchief with both hands, he looked like a toad on a shovel, or as a sailor remarked, like a "land-lubber." The private who sat in the bottom of the canoe and acted as motive power, showed by the way he handled the paddle and managed the boat that he was no novice in canoeing.

When the flags met and the ordinary courtesies had been passed, Capt. Foster, whose imagination was as lively as his courage was unquestioned, addressed the confederate officer as follows:

"Sir, I have been ordered by the U. S. navy department to visit the coast of North Carolina and open communication with the Confederates in regard the officers and crew of the steamer Alice, captured near this place about two weeks ago. I have money for the officers and clothing for the men, and wish to know if it is possible to get it to them."

The Confederate officer said, he knew nothing about the Alice, had never heard of her or any other steamer captured about there by the confederates.

"In that case," says the Captain, "our business ends here, and I have the honor, sir, to wish you good afternoon."

The rebel officer glanced at the arms lying in the boat and the large crew in the launch slowly falling back, and remarked, "is it customary for your government to send a large armed force with a flag of truce?" The Captain replied, "our flags of truce have sometimes been fired on, doubtless by irregular troops, but I always obey my orders, and have opened communication even if I had to fight to do so, and what is more, Major," said he as he observed the ridiculous look on the confederate's face, "the Delaware is in position to shell your town and the officer in charge has orders to open fire on the first demonstration on your part." The rebel made no reply.

Both took off their caps, and we followed slowly after the launch. The troops at Swansborough I think must have been home-guards, for it is hard to believe that old troops would have mistaken a signal flag for a flag of truce, or would have recognized a flag of truce borne by two boats of armed men. However disappointed we might have felt about the prize money we should have received for the schooner, we all agreed that the lucky number and the waving flag had been instrumental in getting us out of what might have been a bad scrape.

That fine Primrose & West's Minstrels, the finest organization of the kind traveling in this country, will appear at the Adrian opera house Friday evening, Dec. 14th. In order to secure them the local management is obliged to guarantee of five hundred dollars. Already nearly 300 reserved seats have been sold in Adrian by subscription for this entertainment at $1 each. For the benefit of Tecumseh people who desire to attend the performance a subscription list will be in charge of Geo. N. Stacy, after Monday, December 10th. Those who people desire to attend will leave their names with Mr. Stacy, together with the number of tickets they desire, good reserved seats will be secured for them. The price of admission to this fine attraction is $1 for reserved seats, and 75 and 50 cents to other parts of the opera house. If a party of twenty five can be organized the night train from Adrian to Tecumseh will be held until the conclusion of the entertainment.

A little incident in the life of Uncle John Sampsel has been of interest to his many friends. On his 80th birthday he was getting shaved at Vet Erskine's barber shop in Tecumseh. Vet and Uncle John made this bargain. He was to get one shave a week at Vet's shop for ten cents a shave until he was 90 years old and after that time Vet was to shave him once a week without charge. The ten years rolled round and Vet was obliged to shave Uncle John several months after he reached his 90th birth day. But with Vet it was a labor of love, and after he sold his shop he paid for Uncle John's shaves for some time at another shop. This arrangement, however, was not congenial to the old gentleman's sense of fairness and so he voluntarily released Vet from his engagement.

The public schools of Adrian commenced last Monday's session on Standard time.

A Few Bank-Note Stories.

On one occasion the Bank of England proved much too accommodating for its own interests. Somewhere about the year 1840 one of its own Directors, a man of wealth and of unimpeachable honor, bought an estate for £30,000, and for convenience sake obtained a note for that amount. On returning home, just as he was about to put it under lock and key, he was called out of the room, and placed the note on the mantel-piece. On coming back, a few minutes later, no note was to be seen. No one had entered the room in his absence, and, after an anxious search, he came to the conclusion that the precious bit of paper had fallen into the fire and been consumed. Hurrying off to Threadneedle Street he told his colleagues what had happened, and they gave him a second note upon his undertaking to restore the lost one if it should come again into his hands, and, in case of its being presented by anybody else, repay the amount to the bank.

Thirty years afterward, when he had long been dead and his estate distributed among his heirs, the supposed non-existent note turned up at the bank counter, where it was presented for payment. All explanation of the circumstances connected with it were lost upon the presentee—the note had come to him from abroad in the course of business, and it must be honored without delay. There being no help for it, he was paid the £30,000. Application was made to the representatives of the defunct Director to refund the money, but they promptly disclaimed their liability, and the bank perforce had to put up with the loss. The story goes that it was discovered (how or when we are not informed) that the builder employed to pull down the dead man's house, preparatory to rearing a new one on the site had found the note in a crevice of the chimney, and kept it and his own counsel until he thought it was safe to reap the reward of his patience and unscrupulousness, and so become a rich man at a stroke.

The executors of Sir Robert Burdett found no less than £270,000 worth of bank notes scattered here and there about his house, some slipped into bundles of old papers, some between the leaves of books, without a memorandum anywhere to appraise them of the existence of such valuables, much less of their whereabouts. A little better advised were the executors of the gentleman who left behind him a scrap of paper marked, "Seven hundred pounds in Till," although they failed to interpret its meaning until they had disposed of all the dead man's belongings. Then one of them recollected that his library had contained a folio edition of Tillotson's Sermons, and wondered if "Till" had any reference to it. The books had been sold to a bookseller, who luckily had not found a customer for them, although he had sent them on approval to a gentleman at Cambridge, who had returned them as not answering his expectations. The executor bought the Tillotson back again, and going carefully through the volume, recovered notes to the amount of $2,500.

The watchman of a factory at New Haven, America, afforded the administrators of his estate no clew whatever as to the hiding-place of the savings of which they believed him to have died possessed. Overhauling his clothes preparatory to selling them by auction, one of them threw an old overcoat aside, when a dirty piece of cloth dropped out of one of the pockets. On examination this was found to be wrapped around a large cartridge-shell within which lay notes of $1,800 value, which, but for a mere chance, might unexpectedly have enriched a purchaser of second-hand clothing.

Some sixty years since a Bank of England £5 note was paid into a Liverpool merchant's office in the ordinary course of business. On holding it up to the light to test its genuineness the cashier saw some faint red marks upon it. Examining them closely, he traced some half-effaced words between the printed lines and upon the margin of the note, written apparently with blood. After a long and minute scrutiny he made out the words: "If this note should fall into the hands of John Dean, of Longhill, near Carlisle, he will learn hereby that his brother is languishing a prisoner in Algiers." The merchant immediately communicated with Mr. Dean, and he lost no time in bringing the matter before the Government. Inquiries were set on foot, and the unfortunate man discovered and ransomed. He had been a slave to the Dey of Algiers for eleven years when the message he had traced with a splinter of wood dipped in his own blood reached the Liverpool counting-house. Liberty, however, came too late; the privations and hardships of the galleys had sapped his strength, and although he was brought home to England, it was but to die.—*All the Year Round.*

—A curious story comes from Brentford, England. A servant of Dr. Terry was sent out to carry a message. She was short-sighted, and failing to return it was feared she had fallen into the canal. It was dragged, but without success. Several days later an old barge woman suggested that a loaf of bread, in which some quicksilver had been placed, should be floated on the water. This was done and the loaf became stationary at a certain point. The dragging was resumed at this point and the body found. The superstition is said to be centuries old, but no one had seen it tried there for many a year.

—After twenty-two years of exile at Siberia the Russian writer, Tchernischefski, has been allowed to return to his home to "husband out life's taper in its close." The poor man is now sixty years of age, but it is hardly necessary to say that his long years of exile have made him look more like a centenarian than anything else. He is hardly able to walk and scarcely weighs a hundred pounds. Tchernischefski was exiled during the riots of 1862.

—Some girls can't catch on to the fashionable walk. Why, girls, that's easily done, when you know how. Just walk along slow and lazy like; give a little shove to the right and left at each step; act as if you had no elasticity in your step, as if each foot were held back by stiff mud, and the wind was kind of blowing you back at each step; and you have got it.—*Newport Journal.*

The Bride Who Didn't Die in an Old Chest.

The fair Imogene D'Eustis had been wedded to the knightly Sam Higgins. The clergyman had been handed two dollars in cash to pay for the splicing, the guests were filling themselves up with eatables, and everything was sliding along as smoothly as a cider-mill sailing down on a spring freshet, when all at once the bride was missing.

Her newly-found husband looked under the table, but she was not there.

The guests separated to search. Some looked down the well—others down cellar—others in the hen-coop and smoke-house and behind the pig-pen. No Imogene.

Then some said that she had been abducted, while others scoffed at the idea of a girl weighing 196 pounds and having a scream which could be heard two miles, being carried off in broad daylight.

A detective was called in. He looked at her old shawl, measured the length of her shoes, and decided that it was a mysterious affair. He would take the case if desired, but would not promise any satisfactory solution under a year and a half.

The fair Imogene's father hadn't betrayed much excitement up to this point. The wedding feast was the first square meal he had tackled for six months, and he wanted to fill up before giving way to emotion. He was now full. He turned around upon the excited and distressed guests, commanded them to hush their hullaballo and disappeared up stairs.

When the coy Imogene slipped away from the feast it was to see if her husband would miss and follow her. She slid up stairs, mounted to the garret, and after brushing the cobwebs off her nose she advanced to the big blue chest in the corner. This chest had been made to hold her father's Government bonds and was hooped with iron and provided with a spring lock, which never cost less than a dollar. Her mission was to hide in the chest and see if her husband would be soft enough to climb up there and throw up the lid and call peek-a-boo. As the reader knows, he wasn't the man to catch on.

The old man D'Eustis walked up stairs and made his way to the garret through the same trap-door the bride had used. He thought she might be up there to take a last farewell look at the bunches of catnip, moldy school books and broken spinning-wheels. He could not see her. He called aloud, but the whistle of the tug on the river was the only answer. He turned to go, but something whispered to him that perhaps he might find a plug of tobacco or a bottle of stomach bitters in the old chest. He advanced with beating heart and threw up the lid.

"Why, pop, is this you?" cried the fair Imogene, as she sprang up and ripped her bridal dress clear down the back.

"Yes, this is me!" growled the old man, "and what the jimcracks are you doing here?"

"Hiding from Sam."

"I'm a tarnal mind to box your ears, big as you are! Here you've raised a regular city convention all over the house, spoilt a dress which cost me fourteen dollars with the making, upset your mother, and scart old Mrs. Spigot into a fit!"

"Please, pop, I——"

"You git! Drap yourself through that trap-hole, skip down there and tell the crowd that you don't know beans when the bag's untied."

And the bride got. And her husband was so mad that he burned up a free railroad pass to Chicago, and her mother cried, and her father went off down town to play poker, and taken all in all, the coy bride and the old chest and the spring lock business didn't pay ten cents on the dollar.—*Detroit Free Press.*

The Pleasure of "Picking Up" Things.

"Why do you practice shoplifting? Surely the profits are seldom large compared to the risk you run."

"Right you are," was the answer. "'Tain't what we get on the 'make' by it, but the 'racket' of it fetches us. Why, sometimes I don't 'flush' birds enough to pay me for my 'go.' Yet it's jolly, and I like it for the excitement. Playing euchre's nowhere to it."

"Where does the pleasure come in?"

"Well, women naturally like shopping. They have fun going about the big stores and looking at things. I like that kind of thing, too, but besides that I get anything I like for nothing, and that's more fun. There is the racket of watching the 'lah-de-dah' clerks and the 'dizzy' floor-walkers. I wait until they are looking another way and calling out 'Cash, cash,' to the hungry little girls and then I slyly slip something I think would look much better in a pawn-shop under my cloak and all's serene."

"Isn't the risk very great?"

"Of course it is. But there's where the pleasure is. There is the same sort of risk in gambling, and I have a passion for it. When I get what I aim for I'm just as happy and contented as a clam in high water. O, it's an immense racket—if you ain't caught," and the shoplifter sank back to think over her probable term of imprisonment.—*N. Y. Truth.*

Just Too Utterly Too, Too.

A consumptive man, knowing that his life was rapidly drawing to a close, called his wife to him and said:

"Madeline, you know that I am about to die; shall you ever think of me when I am gone?"

"O yes, darling," sobbed his wife. "I never can forget you, and I will ever see that your grave is kept green."

"Yes, my dear, I know you will; but I have one last request."

"What is it, darling?"

"Do not keep it that vulgar, low-down, common green, like Simpson's grave, which is so distasteful to the eye. Keep it a rich, delicate olive green."—*Texas Siftings.*

—Another writer rises to remark that there are more lawyers and physicians than are needed in this country. Those professions would not be overcrowded if parents did not push sons into them who have not the requisite qualifications necessary for success.—*N. Y. Times.*

Woman's best friend for relieving the many pains and weaknesses that are incidental to female life, and one that gives rosy cheeks, brightens the eyes, check every unnatural drain and creates a perfect picture of health and beauty, is Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood strengthens the female system, and removes all feeling of languor, distress, pimples, sores and weakness, producing dreamless slumber and painless regularity of natural functions.

What Common Sense Does.

Common sense is symmetry of mind, character, and of purpose in the individual combined. It represents man in completeness, harmony, and equipoise. It clothes him with dignity, invests him with power, and stamps him with superiority. It is not genius, for that is often erratic; nor cunning, in its sinuous course; nor craft, with its decline into trickery. Common sense is the embodiment of true manhood. It confers a patent of royalty, though birth be plebian, and exalts men from their lowliest spheres to the highest stations. Not by sudden freaks of fortune or a train of adventitious circumstances are they thus dignified; but step by step, through obstacle and hindrance, they overcome by force of character and the proper force of will power. Common sense is a tremendous force in this lower world. Its power is felt and acknowledged through all the ramifications of governments, society, business, finance, science and commerce. In fact it is the history as well as the true philosophy of the ages. It is the salt that has saved humanity from barbarism, and the moving power that has propelled the race onward in its march of progress and civilization.

Many who long suffered from urinary and digestive diseases, causing nervousness, weakness and debility, after trying bitters, kidney medicines, iron medicines, etc., without benefit, have found permanent relief in from one to three bottles of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, the only perfect blood purifier and strengthener. Hundreds of letters to the proprietors have testified to its superiority over the many pretended cures so largely advertised by means of bogus certificates that are bought and paid for.

A Rare Talent.

The faculty of drawing out of persons with whom one is conversing the best there is in them—brighter things even than they suppose themselves capable of—is the rare gift with which Nature has endowed some women. George Eliot was a most charming person in conversation, though she was a woman of few words, because of her intuitive insight into the thoughts of others. A few words would put her in possession, not of what they said, but of what they would fain have said, and she would so improve upon it that ordinary people went away charmed with her who had made them for once at least feel themselves to be wise. Long afterward, perhaps, she would call to their remembrance the wise or witty things which they could hardly believe themselves to have said, and which they assuredly never would have said but for her quickening influence.

The fault with most all cough preparations is that they contain morphia, and are absolutely injurious to the stomach and nerves. That simple preparation of wild cherry bark, called Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, contains no morphia and yet will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other compound. It is the only reliable cure for consumption.

Home Politeness.

A boy who is polite to his father and mother is likely to be polite to every one else. A boy lacking politeness to his parents may have the semblance of courtesy in society, but is never truly polite in spirit, and is in danger, as he becomes familiar, of betraying his real want of courtesy. We are all in danger of living too much for the outside world, for the impression which we make in society, coveting the good opinions of those who are in a sense a part of ourselves, and who will continue to sustain and be interested in us, notwithstanding these defects of deportment and character. We say to every boy and to every girl, cultivate the habits of courtesy and propriety at home—in the sitting room and the kitchen, as well as in the parlor—and you will be sure in other places to deport yourself in a becoming and attractive manner. When one has a pleasant smile and a graceful demeanor, it is a satisfaction to know these are not put on, but that they belong to the character, and are manifest at all times and under all circumstances.

If you have failed to receive benefit from other preparations, try Hood's Sarsaparilla; it is the strongest, the purest, the best, the cheapest.

I have found nothing yet which requires more courage and independence to rise even a little, but decidedly above the par of the religious world around us. Surely the way in which we commonly go on is not the way of self-denial and sacrifice and cross-bearing which the New Testament talks of.—*Dr. J. W. Alexander.*

Grave Robbers.

Of all classes of people the professional grave robbers are the most despised. He robs us of our dear friends for a few dollars. How different is this new grave robber, Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which robs graves of thousands of consumptives. This unequalled remedy for coughs, colds and consumption, whooping cough, croup and all throat and lung diseases, subdues and conquers these troubles speedily, safely and thoroughly. Trial bottles free, of Baker & Hall.

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"In 1861 I took a severe cold, which affected my lungs. I had a terrible cough, and passed night after night without sleep. The doctors gave me up. I tried AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which relieved my lungs, induced sleep, and afforded me the rest necessary for the recovery of my strength. By the continued use of the PECTORAL a permanent cure was effected. I am now 67 years old, hale and hearty, and am satisfied your CHERRY PECTORAL saved me.

HORACE FAIRBROTHER."

Roxbingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,

MRS. EMMA GEDNEY."

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The Fashions.

Paris affects English fashions at the moment.

Blouse effects on tight waists remain in favor.

Steel soutache appears among metalic braids.

Steel soutache on gray velvet is considered very chic.

Silk costumes are relegated to house and carriage wear.

Russian green combines with black, gray or deep red.

Silk flounces are vandyked, scalloped, and sometimes pinked.

Basques, as a rule, are short and are pointed, both back and front.

The shape Fedora is given to a very handsome new long pelisse.

Black stockings remain the first favorites of fashionable women.

Balmoral skirts are wider, but the yoke about the hips is invariable.

The silks, satins and brocades of this season are dazzlingly beautiful.

It is again fashionable to wear a fancy pin in the bonnet bow under the chin.

The Parisian costume of pigeon gray is trimmed with the plumage of the blue jay.

Of all the forms of the feminine waistcoat that of fur bids fair to be most popular.

Velveteen is an exploded name; all velvet pile stuffs take the general name of velvet.

The sabot sleeve, full its whole length, and so popular in England, is gaining favor here.

Colored flannel skirts edged with woolen lace are preferred to white ones or balmorals.

Parisian dressmakers discard all sleeves except the close coat sleeve for street costumes.

Waistcoats of all kinds, superimposed on the bodice or corsage, grow more and more popular.

Tucks are used to excess by some dressmakers, even velvet flounces being trimmed with two or three tucks.

All, or nearly all, basques have waistcoats. These are of soft silk or satin on heavy cloth and velvet costumes.

Some of the new greens combine beautifully with other colors, and are becoming alike to the dark and the fair.

Velvet flounces have deep hems, which are so heavily stitched as to be plainly visible even when the flounces are thickly plaited.

Velvet dresses are full, but in the more elegant costumes they are made so by extra breadths of the material, and not by flounces.

Imported cloth suits are elaborately made of several contrasting materials, such as cloth and velvet, cloth and satin, or Sicilienne.

Flat gold braid, put on in embroidery or in rows, forms the decorative effect on many handsome tailor-made cloth and velvet dresses.—*Albany Argus.*

The Beauty Which Survives.

There is no denying the power of beauty, and the person who is insensible to its charm is either an idiot or deficient in the higher mental qualities of a well-balanced mind. A beautiful face—who has not one treasured away in the storehouse of memory? Such a face may live in the actual realities of the present, or among the dreams of the past, a pale phantom called up now and then in the thinking, reflective moments of life. Yes, every man and woman have their ideals of beauty, or have had them. Beautiful faces and beautiful forms have led men to make all sacrifices. To win them they have dared death at the cannon's mouth, have sought for wealth in the dens and caves of earth and sea, and have essayed to become heroes in a thousand ways. Beauty, to the eyes of many men, is the most potent of all talismen. It lures and attracts when all other charms are lost sight of. There is a magic in the brilliant eye, a rapture about the vermillion cheek, a captivation in golden or auburn or raven ringlets, which to the superficial gaze of wife-hunters outshine the hidden glories of mind or soul. Many a man has risked his happiness for life on the fair features of a lovely woman, and many have realized when too late that nature has bestowed other gifts which are even more essential to happiness than the mere glare of personal charms. For after all that can be said of beauty in its myriad forms, man realizes its intensest glow in the face of woman. The beauties of art may charm for the moment, but for continual and lasting solace man turns to woman. Woman well understands the secret of her power, and courts beauty, if it comes not naturally, by a thousand little devices known to the sex. She would rather have been born beautiful than rich, since to man beauty has more attraction than money. However, as all women are not blessed with beauty, does not nature offer them compensation for its loss? Is there not a beauty of mind and heart which will survive the withered rose on the cheek, the lustre of the eye or the symmetry and grace of mere physical attraction? It may be true that many beautiful women do combine the higher graces of mind and soul, but not always. The beauty of the human countenance fades away with a few years of strife and trouble, but mental and spiritual beauties live on to the end. While many a man has led a miserable life by coveting and winning a beautiful face, it is rarely, if ever, the case that the matrimonial existence is embittered by highly developed intellectual and heart graces. The woman who has the beauty of mind and heart as her portion need not envy the more attractive of her sisters who have nothing else to recommend them to masculine favor except mere charms of person. She may not find so many admirers, but they are apt to be of a better and more appreciative class. There is a beauty which may be acquired. The mind may be polished and the heart trained to high and holy thoughts and purposes. And the polish of mind and soul will make even a homely face seem attractive to those who can distinguish between external and internal charms. So nature is just in its compensations, for while beauty of person may be denied to some, they may possess the higher and more durable attractiveness of a mental and spiritual sort.—*Columbus Sun.*

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The seven wonders of the world in modern times are the printing press, the steam engine, the telegraph, the daguerreotype, the telephone, the phonograph, and the electric light.

The so-called "Seven Wonders" of the ancients were mere trifles compared with those of the present time. The Brooklyn bridge, for example, would make the hanging gardens of Babylon a mere toy, while the whole seven wonders put together would sink into insignificance could the builders have seen a lightning express train at full speed.

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Baked Apple Pudding.—Six apples well stewed, quarter of a pound of butter, half of it stirred into the apples while hot; add sugar to taste; when cold add six eggs well beaten to the apples. Pound and sift six crackers, butter your dish and put in a layer of cracker and a layer of the prepared apple, and thus until you have filled your dish; let the cracker be the upper layer and put the remainder of your butter in small bits upon it. Bake half an hour.

Sauce Tartare.—Mix the following ingredients with a pint of good mayonnaise, and keep the sauce cool until wanted for use: One teaspoonful of chopped shallot or white onion, one tablespoonful each of finely chopped capers, parsley, and pickled gherkins; in the spring and summer add one tablespoonful of chopped green tarragon; in the winter substitute the sprig of tarragon which is always placed in the bottles containing capers, and which, of course, must be finely chopped.

Beef a la Mode.—Take ten or twelve pounds of beef, (rump,) and lard the meat through with ten long pieces of fat bacon; then put it into a long earthen pan with a calf's foot, four onions, two carrots, (if large cut in slices,) a bunch of parsley, two bay leaves, two sprigs of thyme, two cloves stuck into one of the onions, half a teaspoonful of pepper, one of salt, four wine-glasses of sherry, four wine-glasses of water, and a pound of steaked bacon cut in squares; put a cover over the pan, and make it air-tight with a paste of flour and water around the edges; place it in a moderate oven for four hours; then take it out of the pan and dress it upon a dish with vegetables; pass the gravy through a hair sieve and pour it over the meat and serve. This dish is the best eaten cold, when it should not be taken from the pan, or the pan opened until nearly so.

How to Beautify a Home.

Almost everybody knows what a relief to the eyes a little spray of green is in winter. The wealthy can indulge in expensive conservatories, but those of moderate circumstances, even the very poor, can secure a pretty object at a small expense by following the directions. To begin with, an acorn, which any urchin can procure in the woods, and a pickle jar, which any housekeeper can supply. Procure a fine healthy acorn and crochet around it a little network rest. Take off the cup first and tie a loop of the cotton to hang the acorn point downward in the glass. The glass must have so much water in it that the tip of the acorn scarcely touches; keep it in a dark closet until it has sprouted, and then put it in the light. A chestnut the same way. A sweet potato will grow luxuriantly, and may be trained around walls and picture frames. A carrot grown in sand is, if well managed, a highly ornamental object. A good and healthy root must be selected, cut off quite evenly the top of the carrot, and place it on top of a jar full of sand, so that the leaves look as if they spring from it. Moisten it well and keep it in the dark until it has begun to sprout, be careful to keep it damp, and move it into the light directly the leaves appear. If the cultivation is successful, an ornament pretty enough for any room will be the result, and which will have to the unacquainted the appearance of a pot of ferns. Another experiment may be made with a turnip, which must be as sound as possible. Clean the outside, taking care not to injure the part from whence the leaves spring. Cut a piece of the bottom and scoop out the inside, so that you have a hollow cap; fasten string or wire to it, so that it can be hung up. Fill the cavity and keep it filled with water. In a short time the leaves will begin to sprout, and will curl up around the ball of the turnip, forming a pretty little hanging basket. Children can be made to interest themselves in such experiments, which will be found an easy method of inculating taste and refinement; besides, each and all point out their own botanical lesson, and much is to be learned by careful and patient observation and experiment.

Shoulder of Veal Baked.

Buy a shoulder of veal, which, according to the locality of your butcher, will cost you from eight to fourteen cents a pound. And let us say just here, that on account of the quantities of immature veal thrown on the market, you had better be sure of your butcher and pay fourteen cents than to buy a suspicious article for eight. Untrimmed it will weigh seven or eight pounds. Have every bit of bone taken out and put them aside for stock. Make a pint bowl full of dressing, flavoring according to taste, but not strongly with any one condiment. Insert this in the pocket made by the butcher. Dot it all over with pieces of butter as large as a hickory nut. About two ounces will be sufficient, and season with pepper and salt. Bits of very nice dripping may be placed in the four corners of the pan. Dredge thoroughly with flour, and place in a good oven. Baste occasionally with the gravy made by the butter, but add no water until the meat is well browned. This will be from half to three quarters of an hour, when you may add a large cupful of boiling water. Baste every fifteen minutes until done. It will require about two hours. Carve down straight through the middle and cut to both ends; serve with spinach. This is a most economical and delicious dish. What is left may be sliced and heated in the sauce, or minced and used for a salad.

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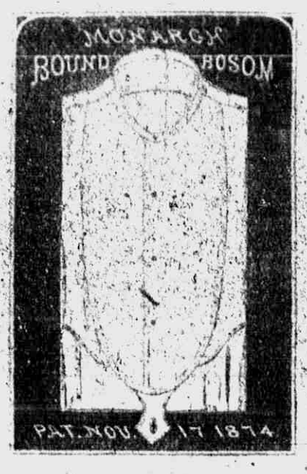

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MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Diphtheria at South Lyons.

Talk of consolidating the Lansing masonic lodges.

Ann Arbor sets its clocks by standard time.

More big finds of iron ore in the Ishpeming region.

A miller can get $500 bonus by going to Clarksville.

The Marine City Marriage Association has a membership of over 500.

Trinity church, Caro, was consecrated by Bishop Harris last Monday.

The Monroe Carp Association has received 10 specimens for breeding purposes.

New Baptist church at Jerome. The building site has just been purchased.

Eugene Jones, lost his left arm in Ord's shingle mill, Howard City, last week.

The State Teachers' Association meets at Lansing between Christmas and New Years.

The Albion Episcopal church has engaged the Rev. Fr. Brown, of Massachusetts, for rector.

The Lansing Reform School has ordered 1,500 yards of cloth from the Eaton Rapids woolen mills.

N. C. Brown, of Marathon, has received a dozen genuine carp by express for his fish pond.

Blind Boone, the pianist, is reported to be a patient at the asylum in Kalamazoo.

The water from the new pump well at Ionia is very pure, and hard'ern a brick bat.

Frank Benson, of Evart, had a hand badly bruised while coupling cars last week.

James Roe, for six years connected with the state library, resigns to go into other business.

A mineral vapor bath has been added to the bathing facilities at the Oakland sanitarium, St. Clair.

The Battle Creek public schools commenced using standard time last Monday.

The Adrian water works pipe is now all under ground. The system will soon be in operation.

The Harrisville Review thinks Gen. R. A. Alger, of Detroit, would make a good governor for Michigan.

The meanest man in Michigan lives at Imlay City, and steals wood from the village editor's wood pile.

Adrian's museum contains life size statues of Adam and Eve. Their friends say the liknesses are perfect.

The Monroe county pension list shows an extraordinary number of widows of the soldiers of the war of 1812.

The new Methodist church at Harrison is nearly completed. It will be dedicated on or about New Year's day.

Chas. Nickerson, an old resident of Jackson, died in his bed at the Hurd house, last week. Paralysis, probably.

For the week ending Nov. 24, there was diphtheria at 16 places in Michigan, scarlet fever in 15, and measles at six.

It is said the most beautiful young woman in Michigan resides at Ionia. Two railroads run through Ionia and hotel rates are cheap.

The Estey manufacturing company of Owosso, is building a new brick office, which will be another fine addition to its extensive factories.

A new bank will be established at Cadillac soon, but it is not yet determined whether it shall be a national bank or a private concern.

The Battle Creek sanitarium, now capable of caring for 300 patients, has just bought more land adjoining its premises, and will enlarge in the spring.

It is claimed that $400,000 worth of building was done at Ionia this year. The Detroit, Lansing & Northern railroad is responsible for the most important items of the boom.

The house of Andrew Mangelson, of Ludington, burned last week with all its contents. The family barely escaped with their lives. Loss estimated at $1,100, with $350 insurance.

North Argentine has a young lady who does not appreciate music. She threatened to set the dog on her beau who brought his music box, and finally threw hot water on him.

O. M. Barnes, of Lansing, who is one of the leading democrats of Michigan, has gone to Washington. He will see to it that the new democratic Wolverines down there comport themselves gracefully and becomingly on their introduction into the national bear-pen.

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Franklin as a Writer

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How they Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" "Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well, thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! Is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, *indeed*. I have *seven* calls to make." "*Do* call again soon." "Thank you, but you don't come near me once in a year." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye." "Good bye, dear." *Exchange.*

"Dale Forest" gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes! and after writing that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to 'bruce up.' Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and humor." "Hello! old fellow, how are you?" "Just tight. How are you?" "Just tight." "When did you get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" (significantly.) "Yes, don't care if I do." They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around to make sure no outsiders are about, as they are breaking their pledge. As they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them the lighted cigars, and being "primed," they shake. "How's yer folks?" "All well; how's yours?" "All flourishing—now; the good boy had diphtheria, but all right now. Crops good up your way?" "Well, pretty fair." "How do politics look?" "Why, we had all drained up our big democratic majority." "Takes out watch. "Thunder! ten minutes to 12. I'm off; got to see a man at 2." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day; got several pressing business engagements." "Good-bye." They again shake hands, and then [illegible] and another hour.

Canning Fruit.

In canning fruit it is wise to use a good deal of sugar. Plain canned fruit is apt to turn, and does not retain its flavor as when made a little rich. If our housekeepers would take as much pains in making preserves as the French do, they would find themselves amply rewarded when, in the winter, they turn out the beautiful clear fruit, always in perfect shape. To preserve fruit in the French method it is necessary to make a clear syrup first, which can be done by melting two pounds of the best sugar with a pint of water, using a white porcelain kettle; add the slightly beaten white of one egg before the syrup becomes hot; let it boil, and skim it until the scum ceases to appear. Then put in carefully selected fruit, a few at a time, watching carefully that they do not break, and removing one at a time as soon as they become soft. When these are put in glass jars and the syrup poured over them, the result will make glad the most stoical cook.

It is said, by a well-known Illinois educator that "The average western farmer toils hard early and late, often depriving himself of needed rest and sleep—for what? To raise corn. For what? To feed hogs. For what? To get money with which to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To buy more land. And what does he want with more land? Why he wishes to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—to buy more land—to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—and in this circle he moves until the Almighty stops his hoggish proceedings.

The Art of Advertising.

The time has come when a knowledge of this art is an essential part of the education of every business man. To be successful in business they should understand how to advertise. It is only necessary, in order to illustrate the truth of this statement, to call attention to the most successful merchants and manufacturers of any large city, or small village, in the United States. They know just what to say to the public, when to say it, how to say it, and the medium to employ in saying it. They have made the same careful study of this as of any other branch of their business. They don't insert a single meagerly little 'ad' in an obscure corner of some paper, out of favor to the publisher, to support a party organ, and then endeavor to make the proprietor of the paper sensible of the value of their patronage, by growling when asked to pay for the advertisement, and saying that it never did them any good, but was just put in out of charity. They are not content with an old stale advertisement that repeats the same old story at all seasons of the year, offering the same bargains, and the same full supply of goods "just received" at all times of the year—when their stocks have run so low that they are scarcely able to fill the orders of a single customer, as when their houses are filled with the most seasonable and attractive commodities. They never allow the public to remain in ignorance of the fact that they have a good thing to sell. They know how to make their constant appeals in a manner that will prove attractive. They are always devising new and striking methods for presenting their wares to the public notice, by the use of printer's ink. They are always careful to advertise what they have—not what they had last Winter, nor what some one else has now. They advertise honestly as well as liberally, and their customers learn to believe the promises publicly made through the newspapers. Their advertisements are studied with interest by every one who expects to become a purchaser. It is as important that a man about to engage in mercantile pursuits should know how to advertise, as to know how to buy judiciously, or to sell at a living profit.

Does Farming Pay?

An impression somewhat general seems to prevail that farming is not as profitable as other vocations; that more money can be earned in almost any other vocation with less labor; hence the farmer's son abandons the farm, where he is a success, for the uncertain gains of town.

This impression, it seems to me, is very far from the truth. Take the farmers in any state in the West; most of them commenced life poor; if they have strictly adhered to legitimate farming and avoided speculation, in most cases they are well situated, and are far more comfortable than an equal number of associates who chose the town. Facts sustain us in the assertion that out of one hundred young men who leave the country for the town or city no more than one becomes wealthy; perhaps one-tenth obtained a competency, and nine-tenths barely make a living. Out of one hundred young men who remain on the farm, possibly not one becomes wealthy, but more than fifty per cent have substantial possessions and good homes, while most of the remainder make a good living for their respectable families. The point impressed is that average young men are more likely to succeed on the farm than in the town, although they may not actually make more money. One thing that has allured many from the farm is society, and schools may be added. In these particulars a marked difference can be observed within a few years to the credit of the country. Farm houses and surroundings are more beautiful; the sons are more intelligent and the daughters are accomplished in the elegant as well as the useful; society in the country is no longer crude, it lacks some of the graces of society, this is more than compensated by solid respectable goods and an honest welcome, characteristic of a high bred people. The turning point has undoubtedly been passed and the future great men of our nation will be farmers.—*Knapp.*

Visiting—Hired Girls.

Once on a time I was to spend the afternoon with a neighbor friend, and my visit turned out nothing but apologies, with now and then something said between. She said she had put off baking, on account of some sewing she wanted to finish, and thought she would bake in the afternoon. She had to chase the hens and search the barn to get some eggs to bake a cake, as the day before she had sent all she had to market. And then all her wood was outdoors in the rain and snow, and was slow to burn; consequently the cake got sad before it was baked. Her knives and forks she had laid aside in the morning; they then had to be scoured, and then, as soon as it got a little dark, she thought of her lamp, which had to take its share, etc. But, farmer sisters, let me say that if ever I am dead in such a fix, I will make the best of it, and let visitors eat the same as I do, and try to visit one-half the time any way. I think the better way is to do all necessary work in the morning, and let sewing go until afternoon, as nine-tenths of the visiting people would rather have their chat, and partake of a cup of good hot coffee, and plain bread and butter, than to have nick-nacks.

I always have thought that housewives needed help just as much as the men, and think so yet. Let a man get in a hurry and his first thought is, hire a man to help him out, and it is all right. And how many are the times that his worked-down wife is hurried and worried and no help ever thought of for her; and if she should speak of hiring a girl at two dollars or one and a half a week, the man will say, "This girl business counts up like Sam Hill." All this time he keeps his men week in and week out, costing him from five to six dollars a week, and only works from sun to sun, while a girl works from sun until sen at night.—*Genesee Rebel.*

I remarked to an old farmer back in the country, whom I had not seen for several years, and whose farm, in the meantime, had improved wonderfully, that his place was so changed I hardly knew it. "Yes," said he, "I've been fixin' up a little. The old woman pestered me to death about the garden, and so I slicked it up a little, and fixed about the house, and it looked so nice I went at the farm fences and the brush, and saved more manure, and kept killing the weeds, and the crops got better, and so I kept going on, and things do look pretty good now. Wife takes a paper, and I take one, and I get time to read it too, and I used to think that I hadn't time for anything." And so he ran on, seemingly much pleased with what he had done, and his life and his home without doubt the happier for it. Examples of a like kind may be found all over the country.

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A Kanaka Kills a Shark in a Hand-to-Mouth Encounter.

Every soul on board crowded to the side to witness the duel. It was bound to be war to the death. One or both of the combatants must die. The brute was what is known as a right shark, and was about thirteen feet long. His black and shining back, set with sharp fins, made me shudder and grow deathly sick.

Ubukia met the first rush of the monster by darting aside and letting the huge hulk go by him. He made a lunge with his sword at the rail as it whisked past, and a thin line of blood on the clear water told that his aim had been a good one. While the shark was mens he swam with half his body out of the water, taking good care that his legs were never much below the surface, but when it were in he dropped to the neck and looked up at us with a grin on his coffee-colored face.

"Me kill um!" he shouted.

The next rush was similar to the first, but this time, when the white belly showed itself, Ubukia was beside it. We saw the point of his sword-blade enter its right eye, and then the native dived, coming up thirty yards away.

I began to breathe easier now. The fellow carried himself in the water with as much ease as the fish itself, and his sword gave him an advantage, while the shark's inability to use its jaws without turning over was another point in his favor.

The fish seemed to be fairly maddened by the last wound, and we could see its dorsal fin ripping through the water for a second, and then it went down out of sight, leaving nothing but the Kanaka visible on the wide stretch of water. If the sight of the monster was horrible, how much worse was its disappearance. We did not know now upon what side of the devoted swimmer it would come up and we held our breath, waiting as one waits when a diver has been under water for a long time and every minute seems an hour.

The grin had left the native's face and he kept whirling about like a tee-to-tum, ready to meet the attack at any point.

After the lapse of a few minutes the familiar fin came into sight again, and Ubukia's body rested with his eyes on the enemy. There was no rushing on the shark's part now. It advanced slowly, ready to swerve with the slightest motion of the native. It seemed determined to approach him so slowly that its momentum could not possibly carry it past him. He waited until its muzzle was not ten feet from him, and then, assuming the aggressive, he darted forward, buried his blade to the hilt in its eye, and then swam leisurly to the ship.

For ten minutes the water within a radius of many yards was lashed into a white foam by the dying struggles of the monster. At times he would throw himself completely out of water, showing us the whole of his round, tapering body and ugly mouth. Finally, however, he rested belly upward without a motion, and Ubukia's face glistened with pride.

"Good," said he, climbing into his canoe; "me kill um."—*Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A Romantic Story Told by Louis Kossuth.

The Vienna *German Zeitung* has published a letter from Kossuth, addressed to Dr. Cotuos, about his brilliant defense of the Jews in the Tizla Eszlar affair. After congratulating the advocate, the old dictator related an incident that happened some thirty years ago in the Neutrar-Comitat.

"An individual named Bardos Saudos, who hated the Jews," writes Kossuth, "had become enamored of a beautiful young Jewess called Julia Weiss. He desired to convert her and then take her into his service.

"Julia Weiss repulsed the man and would listen to nothing he said. Some time later Julia Berees, a young Christian girl, one of Julia Weiss' best friends, disappeared. The Jewess was inconsolable. Saudos had her brought before him, and violently apostrophizing her, demanded to know the whereabouts of Julia Berees.

"'How should I know?' replied the Jewess.

"'Where have you taken her?'

"'I?' said Julia, astonished.

"'Yes, you. And since you dare not avow it, I'll tell you. Julia Berees is lying yonder by the stone bridge, dead. 'Twas you who struck her to death with a poniard!'

"'O! She was my intimate friend!'

"'Be silent. A Christian cannot be friends with a Jew, and to follow the closer the prescriptions of your Talmud you have washed your hands in the blood of a Christian, thinking thereby to become still more beautiful.'

"In vain the poor girl pleaded that she knew nothing of the Talmud, or scarcely how to read or write. She was thrown into prison, passed before the Assizes, and was condemned to death. By reason of her youth her punishment was commuted to hard labor for life.

"Two years had passed, and the poor girl could not comprehend why she was so tortured. One day she was taken before the *directrice* of the prison, who received her with great kindness and the startling intelligence that she was to be immediately set free. At the same time she was presented with a purse of twenty-five ducats as a gift from the Emperor.

"At the prison gate Julia Weiss embraced her family, who were awaiting her there. 'Twas then they told her that three weeks previously her persecutor, Bartos Saudos, had been found dead, and that in his pocket was discovered a written confession, in which he acknowledged having killed Julia Berees and having falsely accused the young Jewess. He proclaimed Julia Weiss' innocence, and begged her to pray for him. He also left his fortune in legacy to her. Julia Weiss refused that fortune.

"From the lips of the young girl herself," continues Kossuth, "I heard this story."

—Denver, Col., contains more Chinese women than any other American city outside of California. They appear on the street clad in wide, loose trousers, gayly bedecked in gaudy colors, and always carrying an immense red or silk handkerchief in one hand and a parasol in the other.—*Chicago Journal.*

Then and Now.

Looking over some old papers in the pension office the other day, the difference between the old-time and present methods of granting aid to soldiers became very noticeable. Now, almost any old soldier easily obtains relief, then it was a matter involving the clearest proofs. In some cases even abject poverty seemed necessary before Government interposed to give relief. One case, from the long correspondence and interesting character of the claimant, is a sample of many. The papers are very voluminous. They begin in 1819, when Colonel Paul Dudley Sargent, of Sullivan, Maine, asked for a pension. His memorial showed that in 1772 he lived in Gloucester, Mass., where he organized a body of minute-men. From his forwardness in the independent cause he was blacklisted and compelled to flee to Amherst, N. H. Here he organized a regiment of militia, and so ready was he that, before daylight on April 19, 1775, he was on his way to Concord with his command, which afterwards became a part of Washington's army, and was the first body of troops to enter Boston after the evacuation the next March. Here he fitted out the first privateer of the Revolution. It carried nine guns and took several prizes, with the proceeds of which Sargent paid his troops out of his own pocket. In June he marched to New York, was in all the battles there, so that his regiment was reduced from 727 men to 197. He took part in the battle of Trenton, and soon after resigned his commission for ill-health, but kept on fitting out privateers, of which he sent forty-seven sail to sea. In later years his property was lost by misfortunes, and at the time spoken of he was reduced to poverty, living upon the scant proceeds of a ferry at Sullivan, the sole use of which had been granted him by vote of the county. The pension was granted at first, but soon taken away, on the score that he was rich. He made an indignant protest, and filed an inventory at the War Department, by which it appeared that he was worth $1,270, every little item of household furniture appearing scrupulously in the schedule. The pension was refused, although ample testimony was shown that the old veteran, now seventy-six years old, owed about $2,000. In 1828 he made another effort. His ferry had been superseded by a bridge, his occupation was gone, and the schedules annexed to his inventory showed that the scanty property had diminished to $255, of which $200 represented the tumble-down house in which he lived, with his wife, three maiden daughters and a grand-daughter. His letter to John C. Calhoun, then Secretary of War, was most pathetic, and reinforced by the testimony of judges of various courts to his deserving condition, and of creditors to debts ten times the value of his home. Still nothing was done. The handwriting of the correspondence showed the growing infirmities of Colonel Sargent, who in 1826 sent again in trembling characters "the third and last schedule to be made by Paul Dudley Sargent, a colonel in the Revolutionary War. I have not any property nor any income whatever. The fact is I have been living for four years on charity and the sale of my furniture, which is now entirely gone." At last convinced that he was not too rich to be pensioned at the age of eighty-one years, and after he had waited in bitter distress so long, the officials granted him $20 a month, but too late to be of much good, for he died soon after. That is the record of the pension given so grudgingly, and withheld illegally from the man who led the first New Hampshire troops to Concord, fitted out the first privateer, and gave all his private means without stint to the cause of independence. It is in striking contrast to the prodigal bounty now shown in dealing with the yet young survivors of the late war.—*Washington Cor. Boston Advertiser.*

About People Who Use Tobacco.

A tobacconist furnishes the following as the result of observation of his customers: An even-tempered, quiet man never goes to an extreme in choosing a tobacco; a nervous man wants something strong and furious; a mild man something that smokes and nothing more. There is a great deal in the way men handle their cigars. If a man smokes his cigar only enough to keep it lighted, and relishes taking it from between his lips to cast a curl of blue smoke into the air, set him down as easy-going. He has keen perceptions and delicate sensibilities. He will not create trouble, but is apt to see it out when it is once begun. Beware of the man who never releases the cigar from the grip of his teeth, and is indifferent whether it burns or dies. He is cool, calculating, and exacting. He is seldom energetic physically, but lives easily off of those who perform the labor. A man who smokes a bit, rests a bit, and fumbles the cigar more or less is apt to be easily affected by circumstances. If the cigar goes out frequently the man has a whole-souled disposition, is a devil-may-care sort of fellow, with a lively brain and a glib tongue, and generally a fine fund of anecdotes. To hold half the cigar in the mouth and smoke indifferently is a lazy man's habit. They are generally of little force, and their characters are not of the highest strata. A nervous man, or one under exciting influences, fumbles his cigar a great deal. He is a kind of popinjay among men. Holding the cigar constantly between the teeth, chewing it occasionally, and not caring whether or not it has been lighted at all, are characteristics of men with the tenacity of bulldogs. They never forget anything, and never release a hold. The fop stands his cigar on end, and an inexperienced smoker either points it straight ahead or almost at right angles with his course.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

—After having played a bar or two of "Midsummer Night's Dream" at a concert in Memphis recently, Herr Sternberg suddenly ceased, looked up at the gallery, then made a little bow to the audience, and declared that he could not play while peanuts were being cracked and that the gentlemen so engaged must cease or he must ask to be excused. There was a dead silence and Mr. Sternberg resumed. As the *Appeal* reporter critically remarks—the peanut has no soul for music.

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BROOKLYN BOSH

Tiled hearths, backed by large fireplaces, and furnished with brass andirons, shovel, tongs and bellows, were conspicuous as useless conforming accessories, and called forth many regrets from those once familiar with wide chimes. One old lady stood long and reverently before the beguiling ovens framed by narrow shelf and shining candlesticks. The unknown circle of mirror above it reflected not the room, but there was such a far-away look in her dim eyes she could but fancy she saw the pictures in the fire on her father's hearth. She certainly did not notice the [illegible] and pale face framed in a black satin [illegible] that lay in the heart of the crystal. It was a fitting center piece for [illegible] all the landscapes, flowers and sketches of beauty displayed there. [illegible] looked so pretty or genuine as the one so near the threshold.

Cupboards with crumbling [illegible] holding china bottles in [illegible] had done duty in the days of salon [illegible], and chairs that supported tired heroes are there, as well as some swaddles of tapestry wrought with fine silk that made a gorgeous wall for a home two hundred years ago. The embroidery must have been the work of years, and whoever imitated the silken leaves had as much genuine love of beauty as she who stitched the cloth of gold.

Queen Elizabeth's apron is an interesting relic, for it has been worn by one who has plaited happiness and heartbreaks for many thousands of periods, but the woman, who beguiles loveliness by stitching her thoughts into beautiful scenes for her own blackened walls, instead of making shadows for other people's, is a much nicer neighbor.

Among aids to civilization were swords of departed generals, an old blunderbuss and a piece of shot from Sebastopol. Warlike implements of Indian make are numerous, and a couple of water jugs unearthed from Peruvian graves both seem as much service as all the rest, having ministered to the living and the dead.

Coins stamped several hundred years before Christ, with idols, vases, jugs, especially jugs, form a large part of the antiquarial collection. At first I was inclined to believe the immortalized Little Brown Jug was there too, but they have a fashion of duplicating such pottery, so it is possible this is not as old as it looks. Judging from appearances only B. C. is the correct monogram.

Scattered here and there are statues of gleaming white marble. It is difficult to believe, before finishing, that so much life can be waked from stone with blows of mallet and chisel. It comes easy enough to tell a story with brush and color or pen and ink, but to charm variety into eternal sameness is the crowning gift of excellence. All work wears the impress of the craftman's individuality, whether he builds a fence or palace, but the artist excels all others, by surrounding his imagery with the ideal world in which he lives. His themes are as much clothed with thought as colors, and betray his mental bias as plainly as actions. Thousands of chapters from real life, and all of them the best types of experience that can be procured, are as strong appeal to any one's better nature. The most hardened offender against moral law can find here something to win him back to memories of the path of rectitude.

It is a place full of silent sermons, where each may choose what suits their condition, and reject what does not, without offending the minister. It is to be regretted that this church should be closed on the day, which of all others, freedom to listen to one's own thoughts is a vital necessity, for it is the one day in seven when we are permitted to consider self as company.

There must ever be an inherent disposition in every person to choose for themselves, and if they will select a good place will it not amount to just as much towards furthering their education in good as if others selected it and made all the arrangements for an esthetic observance of the Sabbath in which they have no heart. In spite of all the fuss ministers and hired girls have to work Sundays, and feel better if paid for it. Custom and tolerance annuls law and keeps doors ajar to places not half as good as Art Galleries, and any one can enter who is tired of being brought face to face with thoughts soiled by their other six days smirching. It seems unfair to hinder if one is not disposed to help, and should the projected art loan become a reality, I trust it will be based on a concession that will permit me to cross over to Belle Isle and get acquainted with a frog or two.

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A [illegible] bed room suits, marble top, Tennessee marble, glass on commode. A splendid suit worth $60 for $50. Camp rockers, late style for $3.50, marked down to $2.50. [illegible] rocker, embossed plush. These rockers are walnut frame, large size arms, upholstered, worth $20 in gold, selling for $15. Genuine oil paintings with gilt frame, large size and deep frames only $20 per pair, selling at $19. These goods are good. Please examine them.

Please call and examine our sideboards, chiffoniers, hall trees, parlor mirrors, on marble base, cylinder case, book cases, secretaries, easles, Turkish rockers, all kinds. Gents' easy spring back chairs, ladies easter rockers, wicker rockers, walnut rockers, camp rockers, in fact we have 200 styles of chairs for you to select from.

We deliver our goods at the station free in these towns: Manchester, Clinton, Dundee, Britton, Tipton, Ridgeway, Springville, Addison, Holloway, Deerfield, Blissfield, Adrian, Lenawee Junction and Tecumseh, and at the same time we will still try to undersell all in good goods. Since moving into

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And marking our goods down, we have doubled our sales. Please get our reduced price before you purchase anything in our line elsewhere.

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Or, if your purse is too light, a sweet-toned Estey Organ. Or, too light for that, a still Light Running White or Domestic Sewing machine, especially when you can buy at your door cheaper than in Detroit.

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FOR SALE. A first-class set of tools and stock suitable for gunsmithing and general repairing. P. J. WELLING, Tecumseh, Mich.

SUITS OF ROOMS TO LET. Apply at WM. HAYDEN'S.

STRAYED—Into my premises, this day, nine small shoats. The owner can recover the same by proving property and paying charges. Dec. 6, 1883. S. C. STACY.

FOR SALE. One yearling thoroughbred Jersey bull, $50. One full-blood boar, 3c per lb. Also a choice lot of young cattle. JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's Warehouse. Dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot adjoining purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within the business portion of the village. Great bargain if taken at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Tecumseh Tannery.

I will pay greenbacks or gold for hides and sheep pelts. I have also first class hand made harness, both double and single which I would exchange for good split hickory, wood, corn or oats.

Why not save commission and sell your hides and sheep pelts direct to the tanner.

O. W. BEAN.

One year ago last Saturday, people began filling their ice houses in Tecumseh.

Capt. Romeyn is still at his father's and may remain here for some time. The old gentleman is very low and is liable to drop away at any hour.

The Common-Council at its last session adopted the standard time and recommended to the inhabitants of this village and the surrounding community to do likewise.

A railroader was "held up" yesterday forenoon by two others and relieved of a jug of whiskey and, he claims, some money. The chaps have been arrested and taken to Adrian.

O. B. Ayers of Brooklyn was in town yesterday. Dan. still remains a bachelor, to the surprise and wonderment of his gentlemen friends and probably to the regret of many a marriageable young lady.

The regular edition of the HERALD this week is accompanied by the usual holiday supplement. It is unnecessary to go into any detailed explanation of it. We advise every patron of the Herald to read it. Valuable matter of this kind cannot be appreciated when taken at second hand.

The entertainment at the Opera House on Thanksgiving day and evening, given by the ladies of St. Peter's Church, was largely attended, and resulted successfully as a matter of course. Their annual Thanksgiving fair has become one of the permanent institutions of this village. The net proceeds were $150.

Last week a mortgage for $2,700,000 was recorded with Register Dolbear at the county offices by the Michigan & Ohio railroad company to the Central Trust company, of New York. It is also recorded in Monroe, Hillsdale, Calhoun, Kalamazoo, Barry and Allegan counties, as well as in Lucas Co., Ohio.

All parties who gave notes to the T. & M. R. R. which, by their conditions, have become void are requested to attend a meeting at the law office of W. W. Frazer, in this village, next Monday, Dec. 10, at 2 o'clock, p. m., to take action concerning said notes.

By order of Committee.

Tecumseh, Mich., Dec. 5th, 1883.

Last Saturday afternoon about 2 o'clock, David Youngs and another man who works for Abe Hanford, entered Hanford's stable to take out a valuable team, when Young was kicked by one of the horses just above the right hip. For some time it was thought he could not recover. Dr. Catlin was called and the man is now doing fine and strong hopes are entertained of his recovery.

If our readers will excuse a little surfeit of advertising until Jan. 1st, we will give them more reading matter after that date. This is for the benefit of the masters and misses. To the wise father and economical mother, our advertising columns are the best reading matter in the whole paper. People who are on the look out for bargains should read every column of advertising in this week's HERALD.

The Michigan Baptist State convention, at its last session at Coldwater, provided for a consecration meeting in each association in the state to be held on the 17th and 18th of this month. The programme of subjects is to be uniform, so that all the meetings will consider the same topic at the same hour. The meeting in the Lenawee Association will be held with the Baptist Church at Adrian. Similar meetings were held one year ago; they were occasions of marked interest, as also of unusual manifestations of the power of the holy spirit. Our Baptist friends will be very apt to attend in large numbers this year. They ought to.

A Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our heartfelt thanks to all those kind and sypathizing friends who assisted us during the illness, and at the death of our father. And also to the Masonic Fraternity for their kindness, which will ever be remembered.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. H. Arner.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 6, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Do you use R. R. or Sun time?

Attend the war concert to-night.

How did you enjoy Thanksgiving?

Thirty car loads of corn have been shipped into Mercer this fall.

People now walk over a new side walk in front of the Lasley House of-fice.

A new one cent daily paper has been started in Toledo, called the Post.

B. J. Garlinghouse is now found behind the counter at Hough & Hosmer's.

The people of Tecumseh can have the opportunity of paying their taxes to-morrow.

The Springville Grange will hold a box social at the cheese factory to-morrow evening.

Ridgeway has put up the $2,000 bonus required and will have a depot on the M. & O. road.

The work on the new addition to Brewer's foundry is progressing rapidly this fine weather.

Wouldn't it be a good plan for the village authorities and schools to adopt standard time?

Remember that election of officers takes place at the regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M. to-morrow evening.

Harry Quine, of this village, graduated last week at Evans' Business College, and will take a position in the Milburn Wagon Works at Toledo.

Mr. C. J. Moore, an old Tecumseh boy, was in town last week on a brief visiting tour. He is now filling a position in the Michigan Central depot at Ypsilanti.

Owing to the rush of work occasioned by our holiday supplement, we are compelled to defer an obituary notice and some township correspondence until next week.

Last Sunday's edition of the Detroit Daily Free Press contained 20 pages of seven columns each. It was a stunner. The Free Press since the late drop in price is surpassing itself.

Sheriff Bidwell has offered $100 reward for the capture and conviction of the person or persons who threw a stone through the plate glass window of Kies Bros.' store last week Tuesday night.

Fred Henderson and C. H. Bramble are trying to teach the young ideas how to shoot—the one in township of Franklin, the other about three miles from Kalamazoo. Success to them.

Luther Allen, formerly of the Wabash has been appointed Gen. Supt. of the M. & O. road, and D. J. Durrell has received the appointment of Master Mechanic. Their headquarters for the present at least will be in Toledo.

The Salvation army is hooted and jeered by the crowds on the streets at Grand Rapids, and the chief of police has notified the captain that if they persisted in creating any more disturbances he would be obliged to "run them in" as a nuisance.

The new two-cent morning daily, of Detroit, has made its appearance, and is a well edited, tasty looking sheet.—We believe it will creditably fill an unoccupied field, and from the character of the first two numbers believe it will soon become a permanent fixture in Detroit journalism.

Clara Louise Kellogg with her magnificent concert company, including Mme. Teresa Carreno, Pianist, J. F. Rhodes, Violinist, Signor De Ferranti, buffo and Miss Alta Pease, contralto will appear at the Opera House, in Adrian, Saturday evening, Dec. 8th. If 25 people attend from Tecumseh the train can be held till the close of the entertainment.

Clinton News: All the rooms of the woolen mills are now closed except the finishing room. It will take several weeks yet to finish up in that department and then the busy wheels of that usually busy building will stop and industry give place to silence within its walls. How long before they will resume their wonted activity? We hope not many months.

What is Mat Blosser driving at in this paragraph: "There are people in every community who seem to take delight in throwing cold water on every project gotten up to increase the importance and interests of a town. Such men think themselves smart but they are a fester in the community and should be despised and their words frowned down by the inhabitants.

Mr. Levi Martin, of this village, has an interesting war relic, being a parol which was given to him on the battle field of Chancelorsville May 4, 1863. It reads as follows:

HOSPITAL, May 4, 1863.

Levi Martin, a private of Co. F 55th Reg. O. Vol. U. S. A., a prisoner of war, is hereby paroled not to take up arms or in any way assist the army or government of the United States in the war against the Confederate States until exchanged according to the cartel agreed upon.

By command,
GEN. R. E. LEE.
H. V. Dinglar, Capt.

Clinton News: It must be that we are going to have a very severe winter, for one of the school boys in this place was known to wear three suits of underclothes one day this week. Did he wear them to protect himself from the cold, or from an artificial heat produced by the repeated applications of his teacher's raw hide?

The farmers' union and horticultural society hold a meeting at Music Hall in Hudson, Dec. 15th. Discussion on tile and tiling, led by T. J. King and Wm. Brown; essay by Mrs. Hattie Russell—farm literature; essay by A. H. Crane—farm economy; recitation by Miss Belle Carson; discussion on preparing the farm for winter, led by J. U. Harkness; address, J. J. K. Boles; all interspersed with music and a picnic dinner.

One of the Franklin farmers has set his neighbors a good example in our opinion. Like many others he has built a new barn. But the example referred to consist in having his name, Wm. A. Beebe, painted on one of the large doors in letters so plain that it can be read from the road without the least trouble. If others would follow his lead in this respect it would not only be a satisfaction to the traveling public but often a great convenience.

On Saturday morning last Engineer Sawyer, of the M. & O., received a caller at his office. He was extremely drunk and his name was John Cahrill. The fellow claimed that he had been robbed and wanted to telephone to the officers, and he insisted that he was in the telephone office. Sawyer was finally compelled to put the man out, and in the fracas that ensued Cahrill got a broken arm. Dr. North reduced the fracture and the man is now sobering off.

The annual meeting of the First Baptist church, of Tecumseh, will be held in the chapel of said church, on Tuesday, Dec. 25th, 1883, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the election of two trustees in the place of John Margeson and L. G. North, (whose terms of office will then expire) and for the transaction of other business.

Especial attention is called to Articles 9th and 10th of the articles of Incorporation, and article 3rd of the By-Laws, as published in the August No. of the "Baptist Item."

By order of the Board of Trustees.
A. P. CODDINGTON, Sec'y.
Dated Nov. 30, 1883.

Last Friday afternoon a Swede by the name of Gustave Vanderburg, who was at work at the M. & O. gravel pit, fell on the track between two cars and had one of his legs badly crushed and the other one injured. The man was so shocked by the accident that he is unable to explain how it happened. One leg was amputated on Friday night by Drs. Catlin and Woodward, and it is feared that amputation of the other one will become necessary. The man is now cared for as well as possible at the boarding cars near the gravel pit.

Adrian Press: Elisha Hampton, son of the late James B. Hampton, of Franklin, died last week at Exeter, Nebraska, his home. He was born in Franklin, went to the war from that town, was a splendid soldier, and served till the close of the rebellion. He died of chronic diarrhoea contracted in the service, leaving two children. Thus one by one the boys are melting away, and each life that has gone out in the prime of manhood, is a standing rebuke to this noisy clamor about pension frauds.

Another terrible murder occurred in Detroit last Wednesday evening when Policeman Alonzo E. Bullard was shot and killed by a crook named George Wilson. The killing was done with a shotgun, at so close a range that the powder burnt the officer's clothes. The charge entered Bullard's body near the groin, and literally tore his intestines into shreds. The murderer escaped to Canada in a row boat, but the trail was struck and he was captured in a barn, where he had gone to hide. He is now in jail in Detroit. The dead officer leaves a young wife and children in a penniless condition.

Adrian Times: The drain troubles in regard to the "big ravine" in Riga, are not yet ended by any means. Sup. Finger has refused to spread the tax for the drain, and of course by to-day must have turned over his rolls, minus this drain tax, to the county treasurer. The people who have performed work on the ditch, some of whom are very poor and depended upon their earnings on the ditch for their living, feel very indignant, and propose to hold a meeting to discuss the matter, at Blissfield next Tuesday. A writ of *mandamus* issued by the supreme court seems to be their only remedy.

The November number terminated the existence of the Hudson Baptist. The first number was issued in August, 1882, and with but one or two exceptions it has appeared every month since. Its aim has been similar to that of this sheet. To record such facts concerning the church and Sunday school as would be helpful and to make such suggestions as would promote the general religious welfare of the community. It suspends not from lack of patronage and sympathy but from lack of time on the part of Bro. Patterson to prepare matter for its columns. We shall miss its monthly visits to our table.

FROM THE BAPTIST ITEM.

Benj. Garlinghouse has accepted a position in Hough & Hosmer's jewelry store.

Mrs. Dea. Adams is visiting a sister in Beloit, Wis. She will return to her son in Omaha in a few days.

Mrs. H. Sheldon, of Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Gowdy, at their home in this village.

Bro. Cashman, writes from Detroit that there is some prospect of his spending next summer in Tecumseh.

Bro. Dea. Clough has been very sick during the past two or three weeks. At one time his recovery was considered very doubtful. She is much better at present.

Bro. A. P. Coddington has been visiting at Point Lookout in Arenac Co. While there he went up the Augress river 16 miles on a hunting trip. He reports a good time and game plenty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Osmun, of Shelby Oceana Co., have been visiting about two weeks at Bro A. P. Coddington's. Mr. Osmun is editor of the Shelby Enterprise. They leave for home to-day.

Arrangements are about completed by which the Carman Family will give a Benefit Concert in Tecumseh for the benefit of the fund for sick and poor. The concert will probably be given on Christmas Eve., yet the date may be changed. Look out for them. Whoever fails to hear them will miss one of the rarest treats of their lives.

We are in receipt of "The Monthly Bulletin," published by the Students' Christian Association of the University of Michigan. It is of especial interest to the pastor, who was once a member of the Association for four years, and served it one year as vice president, acting as president during a portion of the same year. The brightest, tenderest recollections of his student life are concerning its meetings and work. Bro. R. F. Taggart will accept our thanks for this interesting pamphlet.

Among the changes made in the special boards of the State Convention this year, we have noticed the following: Rev. Z. Grinnell, formerly Secretary and Treasurer of the Foreign Mission Board, was transferred to a similar position on the State Mission Board. And our pastor, Rev. C. E. Conley, formerly Chairman of the Foreign Mission Board, now occupies the position of Secretary of the same board. He has been busy since convention in making out and arranging the work for the year. The machinery is again in good working order, and the prospects of the year are hopeful.

The whiskey fraternity at Clayton has found that "the little Baptist preacher" could not be intimidated nor beaten in the courts. The only comfort left them then was to swear. But Bro. B., believing that they might to be law abiding citizens in all particulars as well as himself, plainly told them that the next man who used an oath in his presence would be prosecuted for *that*.—The result is, he has not heard an oath since. The thing nearest an oath he has heard came about in this wise. One of the "fraternity" began to rail at him the other day. He grew red in the face, he gesticulated, ordinary language soon became too feeble, and suddenly he blurted out, "By G——rimes!!!"

Enforcing the Liquor Law.

A man was once asked, if he could play the violin. He replied, "I don't know. I have *never tried*." This is about the way with most temperance people with reference to the liquor laws. They do not know whether they can be enforced or not—they have never tried. Such indifference and inaction must be far from right. The present legislation is such, that, *if it can be enforced*, it will effectually cripple, if not practically prohibit the traffic. That it can be enforced in some of its phases at least, is shown by the article on our second page, entitled, "A Temperance Triumph at Clayton."

If it is effectual in Clayton, there is but one reason why it should be ineffectual in Tecumseh—that is the unwillingness of our citizens to use the weapon the legislature has placed in their hands. If we can prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors, and will not do it, it follows that we are at least indirectly responsible for the disgraceful scenes, which have occurred upon our streets during the past week. Most temperance men demand a prohibitory law. That demand will be granted sooner or later; for it is right not only, but it is wrong to deny it.—But prohibitionists will hasten that hour of signal triumph, by showing to the people that they mean all they say by doing as has been done in Clayton—enforce to its extent the law already enacted. This done, the half-hearted will become decided and the brazen effrontery of the liquor party will be cowed. In this even the *majority* of the people will demand prohibitory legislation, and having secured it, will relentlessly enforce it.

We are glad to learn that steps have been taken to enforce the law at Clinton also—with what results we are not informed. If such work could become general, it would tell, upon the next legislature.

Since Slayton & Kinney moved to their "Big Store on the corner," and marked their goods down 15 per cent. their trade has doubled. Good goods and low prices tell every time.

The latest farmer swindle is a traveling dentist, who pulls teeth, calls in a few days and gets half of the price of the set, but fails to return, so that the victim is minus teeth and cash.

Adrian Times: Capt. Littleton, of Clayton, has attained an unenviable reputation as a liar, even through the columns of a certain newspaper correspondent of the village, and he fears that his future invitations to Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners will be few and far between. If the captain desires to kill the fellow, we have a gun which we can warrant will accomplish the desired object.

The custom practiced by local papers of publishing the President's message in full is, we think, honored in the breach rather than in the observance. Not that every citizen should not read the message and ponder upon it. But every family now-a-days takes a city paper of some sort and will get the message from that source. A local newspaper can better devote its columns to matter of a local character.

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late Wm. H. Arner are again placed under obligations to their friends and neighbors by their recent sad loss. Thrice now, have they been the recipients of their kind sympathy and assistance during many hours of severest trial. They feel with deep consciousness that these heaven-born charities are beyond their power to repay; but they trust that Providence will reward them with its richest and divinest blessings.

OBITUARY.

John F. Schreder, full of years and honors, departed this life at the home of his son-in-law, Wm. H. Arner, in Ridgeway, on the 29th ult., at the advanced age of nearly ninety five years. He was born in Newburg, N. Y., Mar. 1789. At the early age of twelve years he began life for himself, working on farms and going to school winters until he was about twenty-one years old. At that age he began working in a flouring mill near Philadelphia where he worked for twelve years. In 1831 he came to Michigan and located a farm on section seven in Ridgeway, which farm he has ever since owned and where he continued to reside until within a year or two. He was a soldier in the war of 1812 and for many years drew a pension. He was also a soldier in the Black Hawk war. He cast his first vote in the Spring of 1809 and his second the same fall when he voted for James Madison, fourth President of the United States, and not a single election day has intervened from that date until his death, that he failed to cast a ballot. He has always been a Democrat in politics and took much interest in political affairs. He was blessed all his life with vigorous bodily health, and his mind and memory were unimpaired until his last illness. In 1797 Gen. Washington, and lady visited Newburg and while there Mr. Schreder saw them and had the pleasure of shaking hands with the Father of his country. He also saw Lafayette, and was present when Fulton's steamboat was tested on the Hudson. His married life was a happy one, being blessed with seven children, some of whom are living and some have crossed over to meet him on the other shore. At the time of his decease he had fifteen grand children and seventeen great grand children. He was a man of domestic tastes and habits; a kind husband, a devoted friend and a generous parent.

He had been a member of the Masonic fraternity for fifty-eight years. He entered as an apprentice at Adrington, Pa., in 1825, and was raised to a Master Mason in 1827. Upon his removal to Michigan in 1831 he obtained a Grand Lodge certificate from the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, and upon this he entered the Tecumseh lodge shortly after its institution. About two years ago he transferred his membership to the Clinton lodge. He was a natural mason; warm hearted, generous and faithful to friends, and one of his last requests was that his body might be carried to the tomb by his masonic brethren. This request was gratified.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church, in Ridgeway, and were conducted by the Clinton lodge, which attended in a body, several members of the Tecumseh lodge joining with their Clinton brethren.

Although not a member of any church his religious belief was that of a Universalist, and the funeral sermon was preached by Rev. H. Shepard, of Tecumseh, assisted by Rev. Borden, of Ridgeway.

The remains were deposited in the Tecumseh cemetery. Thus has another pioneer passed into the world beyond. His early life was one of privation and poverty, and his station has always been that of a humble and honorable citizen. He has "performed well his part." He has laid aside his earthly garments and will henceforth dwell with the great majority.

—Having furnished the books for the Tecumseh Library Association, also the new books for the school library, we improved the opportunity to stock up with a complete line of practical works which we are able to sell at surprisingly low prices. We also have a large line of musical books which will be sold correspondingly low. Hough & Hosmer.

—Don't forget to visit Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian, if you are going to buy Holiday music goods. Largest stock and lowest prices. Everything from a Jew-harp to a piano.

—Just for fun we will sell our $35.00 couches for $25.50. Call and examine a good couch for a little money. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—A line lot of cheap Mattresses at Palmer's Chair Factory at bottom prices.

—An elegant line of Christmas, New Year, Easter and Birthday Cards at Hough & Hosmers.

—Something new! The New Home Sewing Machine Co. has just patented and has on exhibition at B. J. Coller's, Adrian, a cylinder Shuttle, which will be used in their machines hereafter. Call and examine.

—Slayton & Kinney retail baled hay.

—For $30 we will sell you a black walnut bed room suit with large glass on the dresser. It is very cheap at $35. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—Holiday goods of all descriptions at Hough & Hosmers.

—Take your sewing machines that are out of order to B. J. Coller's repair shop, Adrian, if you don't want them ruined by inexperienced workmen. Twelve years' experience. All work guaranteed. General agent for Light Running New Home.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Don't forget the opening of Holiday goods Dec. 8th at Hough & Hosmers.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Fifteen of the finest Organs in this country on exhibition at Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian, for Holiday trade and more coming.

—At our "big store on the corner" you can get a marble top bed room suit, Tennessee marble with glass on dresser and commode for $50; regular price $60. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—If you wish to see new Holiday goods call at Hough & Hosmers.

—Don't buy any Sewing Machines without seeing the Light Running New Home and Singer, sold only by B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—Judging from the number of Light Running New Home Sewing Machines received by B. J. Coller, Adrian, this week, he expects a large Holiday trade.

—At Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian you can find the largest stock of Pianos and Organs at the lowest prices in Michigan. Call or send a postal for prices.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state get Heck Bros.' celebrated roll flour.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured of Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Parties in Tecumseh and vicinity will do well by seeing B. J. Coller of Adrian, Gen. Agt. for the New Home Sewing Machine if they contemplate purchasing any sewing machine. He is the company's only authorized agent in this vicinity. Don't be misled.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms without pain, by taking vitalized air.

—TECUMSEH, Mich., March 20, 18—. I have been troubled with a cough for many years and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.

WELCOME SHERMER.

The medicine is manufactured by Wright & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood"—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by "D. Ransom, Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED.

ARNER.—In Raisin, on the 29th of Nov., Wm. H. Arner, aged 92 years.

The deceased was born in Livingston Co., N. Y., came to this state in 1828, and the town of Raisin in 1831 where he resided at the time of his death. He was highly esteemed as a citizen—was an earnest christian, a member and elder in the Presbyterian church. He leaves a widow and children to deplore his loss. His funeral was attended by a large concourse of people, who deeply sympathize with the bereaved family.

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WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Gain to policy holders the prosperity of this organization and all of them participate in the annual profits. Premiums received $8,811,[illegible]. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $[illegible]. Interest to policy holders in each of the past [illegible] years equivalent to [illegible] January 1, 1882, [illegible] now paid [illegible]

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Chestnuts.

It is the time of the year when people who have never been taught any better go chestnutting.

Chestnuts do not grow wild out West. Let the mighty West remember that with a grateful heart on Thanksgiving Day. On the boundless prairies the chestnut only grows in the train-boy's basket.

The chestnut is the home of the rioting worm. No self-respecting worm will live in the ground if he can find a chestnut. He enters it by a sole which cannot be perceived, and once in the nut he riots in solitude and abundance, until some incautious man, treads the chestnut to him. A chestnut without a worm is as great a rarity as a bee without a sting.

Where all the chestnuts come from, goodness only knows. I don't. They don't grow on the trees. The Prince went out one day, with the little ones at the parsonage. He came home with half a peck of beautiful brown chestnuts. I smiled at the child's enthusiasm, and said to his mother:

"I will go out with him myself, and get a couple of bushels."

I did go out with him. I took some things to bring the nuts home in; to wit, a grain bag, a large double-decker market basket, and a box; the aggregate capacity of these vessels was two and one-half bushels. Dr. McLain and Louie accompanied us, with a somewhat larger equipment.

The proportion of the chestnut burs to chestnuts is as the leaves of the alders to the trout in the brook. Just about. You walk over acres of hulls, you turn them over, you look into them, you stumble and fall on them. At last your heart bounds with joy. You find a bur with a chestnut in it. You get all the needles on the bur into your two thumbs while you extract that chestnut, and then the ever-present worm looks out and denounces the barbarity of eviction.

I carried the chestnuts home that night in my pocket. The grain bag I folded up and hid under my coat, I threw the box away and the basket I filled with hickory nuts. After it was full, a native drove past and looked at me kindly.

"There's lots and bushels of shellbarks down on the other road about a mile," he said, with a peculiar emphasis on the shell-barks.

"Well, what's there?" I asked with a sinking heart.

"Pig nuts," he replied, "they're no good, nobody ever gathers them."

I fled, feebly, saying that I kept a pig and had gathered these nuts for feed, and the native looked incredulous and drove on.

"What you emptyin' all them nuts over de fence for?" the Prince demanded.

I told him there were motives in the human heart that sometimes shaped our actions too deep and intricate for him to comprehend, and then the Doctor and I gathered up the children and trespassed across a field to a forbidden chestnut tree, escorted by a whole herd of cattle and a Mr. Durham, who spaned the ground in another field and talked bass at us through the rails. We made a great haul at this tree. The venerable old monarch of the forest was about two thousand years old, and its branches had a spread of about twenty acres. It was cloudy with burs but we got seven nuts and ten worms.

I know what the worms are for. They are to keep people from eating the chestnuts. Were it not for the worms many people would eat chestnuts who cannot now be induced to taste them, and a great amount of suffering would thereby be entailed upon the human race. Of all the awful, lonesome, maddening things in the world to eat, a chestnut is the lingeringest. A man may start in on a chestnut say about the 10th of October. He can know it all that day, and from time to time make desperate efforts to swallow the fragments of it. It will make him cough all night, and he can resume the powers of mastication early in the morning and keep it up all the next day. It will last him that week, and Sunday he cannot sing at church without blowing gides-ated chestnut all over the pew in front of him. He's lucky if he finally gets that chestnut chewed and swallowed by the end of November. I always hated it, and since I have met it in its native haunt I am less than ever a friend of the chestnut.

Burlington Hawkeye.

Recalcitrant Preachers.

It is reported that when Rev. Dr. Ellis, Rev. Phillips Brooks and Rev. Dr. Brooke Herford were on their way home together from Liverpool to Boston, on the first Sunday on the captain of the Cephalonia endeavored to arrange for religious services, and asked the three famous clergymen to decide among themselves which should preach. Mr. Herford at once excused himself, saying he had preached steadily during his vacation and now wanted at least one Sunday's rest. Then Mr. Brooks suggested that Dr. Ellis, being the oldest, ought to preach. "O, no," said Dr. Ellis, "it would be nonsense for me to preach when everybody wants to hear you." And so, after half an hour of disclaimers and compliments, the end of the matter was that there was no preaching at all. "Well," said the captain, with a sigh, "I did what I could. But isn't it singular? Three fire-escapes aboard, and nobody saved from the burning!" *Chicago Journal.*

A Jacksonville (Fla.) paper records the death of Miss Kittie Worrall from grief and prostration. The young girl was to have been married. The bridegroom and all the friends were assembled at the house and the hour for the ceremony fast approaching, when the young man excused himself from the company on the plea of having forgotten the wedding ring and left the house and has never been seen since.

—It is said that one New York produce firm has paid an average of fifty dollars a day for a month at a time for telegrams to Chicago, and the telegraphic business of five firms with their Chicago correspondents costs $110,000 a year. And yet less than half a century ago all the world's business was transacted without the wire.—*N. Y. Evening Mail.*

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Rheumatic Syrup Co.:

Gentlemen—You will please send me by express, C. O. D., one dozen Rheumatic Syrup, as the druggists here do not keep it. My brother has been troubled with rheumatism for years, and if your syrup will do as much for him as it has done for a young woman who resides here, and who for the last four years has suffered everything but death, with Inflammatory Rheumatism—her hands and limbs were terribly drawn out of shape, and they had given up all hope of her recovery, when an acquaintance from Syracuse, N. Y., sent one dozen bottles of Rheumatic Syrup with a request for her to try it. She had used ten bottles, and to-day she is as free from pain, and as well at heart as eyes she was, and her hands are coming back to their original shape and she is able to use her limbs quite freely. We shall not begrudge one thousand dollars if it cures my brother.

I am yours truly, Eli Hoyt.

A FEMININE DEFENDER OF TOBACCO.—An advocate of the use of tobacco in support of his stand unearths an article written by Margaret, Duchess of Newcastle, some two hundred years ago. In defense of the seductive weed that lady wrote "It composes the mind, it buses the thoughts, it attracts all outward objects to the mind's view, it settles and retents the senses, it cheers the understanding, strengthens the judgment, spies out errors, it exasperates follies, it heats ambition, it comforts sorrow, it abates passion, it excites to noble actions, it digests conceptions, it creates fancies, it quickens wit, and it makes reason pleader and truth judge in all disputes or controversies between right and wrong."

Sept. 14th, 1882.

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I have been sick for the past 3 years suffering from dyspepsia and general weakness. I have used three bottles of Hop Bitters, and they have done wonders for me. I am well and able to work, and eat and sleep well. I cannot say too much for Hop Bitters.

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Astronomy is a beautiful science. We are told that if a railway was to run from the earth to the nearest fixed star, and the fare was one penny for every hundred miles, and if you were to take a mass of gold to the ticket-office equal to twice the national debt—or $3,800,000,000—it would not be sufficient to pay for a ticket to the nearest fixed star aforesaid. If this be the case, it matters very little to us whether such a railway is ever constructed. It would be discouraging to go to the ticket-office with a mass of gold equal to $3,800,000,000, and be informed that the fare was $5,678,032,000. If the ticket agent wouldn't trust until we got back, we'd be compelled to forego the trip.—*Norristown Herald.*

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ZOA-PHORA. The Sovereign Remedy for all complaints peculiar to WOMEN. [illegible] Dr. Pengelly, [illegible] Dear Sir—Understanding that [illegible] of your Zoa-Phora, for [illegible] years I suffered greatly with Prolapsus, [illegible] obliged to use a supporter during all those painful, weary years, but, thanks to your medicine, I would [illegible] a bottle. I am not well, but I work all the time, and am better than I ever expected to be. You may use my letter, and if any one wishes to write me for more information, give them my full address. Mrs. [illegible] Jeffersonville, Ind., April 25, 1882. Dr. Pengelly: Dear Sir—I am more than pleased with the effect of your Zoa-Phora in our daughter's case. I am surprised to see how she has improved. She is gaining in weight and color, and I think feels better than she ever did. Her nerves are steady, and the distress in her chest is entirely gone. I firmly believe that Zoa-Phora is all that has saved her life. [illegible] use my letter for [illegible] what a wonderful cure your medicine is. Yours respectfully, Mrs. Sarah Randolph. N. B.—This was a case of suppression. From Mrs. John Spitler, No. 2 Will St., Fort Wayne, Ind. I have suffered for sixteen years with spasmodic pain in my head and general nervous debility. Recently I had a severe attack of pain in my head, caused by weakness and over-exertion. I thought I should die. My physician said he would test Zoa-Phora [illegible] He gave it to me according to direction for severe cases, and in less than two hours I had complete relief. I advise all ladies who suffer from nervous or sick headache, or any form of female weakness, to use Zoa-Phora. There is no medicine to compare with it. Mrs. Spitler. May 16, 1882. Send for our pamphlet on 'Diseases of Women and Children,' sent free. Every woman above 15 years of age especially Mothers should read it. Address R. PENGELLY & CO., Kalamazoo, Mich. [illegible] Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

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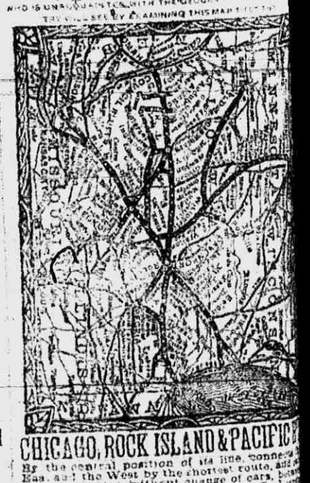

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 20 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 50 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Petroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 00 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 37 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 32 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 55 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 32 "

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STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's	Exp's	W. T'n
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
DETROIT	‡ 9 20	† 3 30	‡ 9 50	† 6 30
Rand	§ 9 46	* 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulous	10 00	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	* 4 19	10 46	8 35
Willis	§10 19	* 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	§10 25	* 4 34	10 55	9 35
Milan	10 36	* 4 46	11 01	10 55
Cone	§10 46	* 4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	§10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	§11 07	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	5 21	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	§11 35	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	§12 04	* 6 03	12 31	3 04
Afrordton	§12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 39	§ 6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	* 6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Exp's	W. T'n
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	† 8 35	‡ 2 47	† 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	§ 3 08	* 9 35	5 51
Montpelier	§ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Afrordton	* 9 30	§ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	§ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	§ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	§ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	§ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	§ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	§ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	§ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	§ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulous	11 26	5 54	12 04	4 50
Rand	*11 39	§ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
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GOING NORTH. No. 2 Express.	No. 4 Express.	No. 6 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
7 30	3 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 00	5 20
7 30	3 26	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc'n "	9 54	2 49	5 12
7 41	3 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 44	2 37	5 05
7 47	4 10	9 26	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 57	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 37	4 18
8 12	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 19	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 31	1 01	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
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9 30	6 55	12 33	" Jackson (M.C.) "	6 10	9 50	9 50
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2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 52	7 10	7 10
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7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
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8 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
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9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 50	" How'll (G.L.&N.)		10 22	2 01
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	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
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	10 15	3 00	" Ionia "		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 01	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 10	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		4 50	" How'rd City "			9 25
		A.M.				
		3 42	" P'tosk'y (G.R.&I)			12 01
						P.M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City "			9 45

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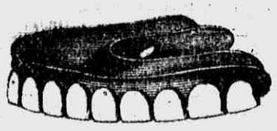

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The mind should be always occupied; it is strengthened and preserved in a healthy state by work; whereas it decays or becomes impoverished by disease; or what is even worse, since it is impossible to keep the brain absolutely at rest, its powers should be profitably employed, or they react on the system, and give rise to the numberless ailments, physical, mental, and moral, known as hysteria. This term almost implies that I am thinking of the female sex; certainly, it is to women especially that the want of occupation applies. Young men are forced to get their living whether they like it or not; but a large number of young ladies in a family have absolutely nothing to do. Those brought up in the country have this advantage, that they may always make work for themselves; the village children may be otherwise taught and cared for; bringing not only a blessing upon them, but a healthy body and mind to the benefactor. In town the condition of middle-class girls is to me pitiable. They are too genteel to follow any occupation; they are often too many in a family to assist in domestic duties; they have returned home with some very poor accomplishments; their knowledge of French and German is not sufficient to allow them to converse in those languages; with music just enough to indulge in doleful song or play badly on the piano. They dawdle through the day in a listless way, and fall victims to a thousand little ailments which the doctor is supposed to put right by physic. And the most curious thing is that, should the instincts of the girl force her to put some of her energies into use, she is likely as not to be thwarted by her mother. I am a daily witness to this: and, when young ladies are brought to me for advice, the invariable story is that they are overtaxing their strength; the maternal instinct being so perverted that it has become with many the belief that every movement means fatigue, and absolute rest is the way to ensure health. It is against this very erroneous view that I am now preaching. These mothers do not come to the doctor for advice, but come to dictate to him; and they say, "I want you, doctor, to insist on my daughter not playing the organ at church, for it is too much for her; or having the children's class once a week, for she is always ill after it, but order her to have her breakfast in bed, and a glass of port wine about 11 o'clock." It is this fanciful care on the part of parents which is so injurious for the very energy of young people would command them to occupy themselves. I do not know that girls are worse than boys in respect of idleness: for probably the latter would not work unless obliged, and even for them an occupation is good quite apart from that at which they earn their daily bread.

Sun-Spot Suppositions.

Enthusiasts who make a special study of sun-spots and attendant phenomena believe that the corner-stone of a new science is being laid by discoveries pointing to an intimate connection between solar and terrestrial meteorology. Just what the connection is they are not yet able to clearly define, although electricity is suspected of being the agent through which the effects are manifested upon our planet. It is known that the gaseous envelope of the sun is affected by eruptions of such prodigious magnitude as to be utterly beyond our power of conception, these disturbances appearing to us in the form of rapidly changing spots and protuberances. The eras of the spots—or sun-storms—occur at remarkably regular intervals, a complete cycle of the various stages of activity from maximum to minimum and again to maximum being performed in about eleven years—the so-called "sun-spot period." The sun-spot physicists claim a coincidence of the periods of maximum spots and years of great atmospheric and physical disturbance in the earth. The year 1881 was one of great solar disturbances, while it was marked by violent storms and earthquakes upon our globe. Further than this, these scientists claim to have recently detected by simultaneous observation minor atmospheric changes as the result of corresponding movements in the sun. Many difficulties attend these observations, but the Astronomer Royal for Scotland and others believe that the state of the sun will some day become an important factor in weather forecasts and like calculations.

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ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 28th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edward L. Russell, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF PETER DAVIDSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 7th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Davidson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he is ready to file his account in this court, and praying for the allowance of his said account, and for such other orders as may be necessary and agreeable to law.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 24th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit.

In Chancery, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in Chancery, at Adrian, on the 19th day of November, 1883. Charles E. Hamlin, complainant, vs. Elizabeth Hamlin, defendant. In this cause it appearing that defendant is not a resident of this state but resides in the state of New York, the returns on motion of L. R. Pearson, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter her appearance in said cause, on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

FRANK H. PAYNE,
Circuit Commissioner.

L. R. PEARSON,
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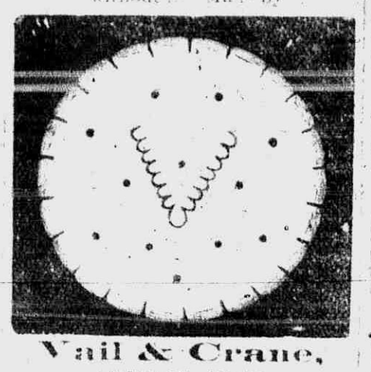

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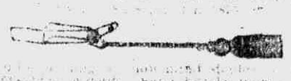

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ESTATE OF WM. H. POCKLINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 28th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary M. Pocklington, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Francis Pocklington and Abraham Gasten, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 5th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

J. E. Gibbs has ordered the lumber for a new store to be put up soon at the depot.

Lucas Bennett has returned from the north.

The new depot is about completed.

A. J. Ayres moved into his new house in the village this week.

Mr. Onsted is troubled about putting up an elevator, as the M. & O. Co. will not let him near the track.

Henry Minsing will ship his cider from Brooklyn as he can get much better rates there than on the M. & O. He will send out about 200 barrels this week.

T. H. Mosher is figuring with the L. S. & M. S. Ry. to ship his flour from Brooklyn.

The dance at Ayer's hall given out for Friday evening, Dec. 21st, has been changed to Thursday eve., Dec. 20th, in order to secure Prof. Eugene Smith's orchestra from Hillsdale, and a first-class time may be expected.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Business has been unusually brisk here during the past month or so.

The Addison mills are still undergoing internal repairs.

Mr. F. E. Curtis' banking house is now prepared to do a first-class business. His telephone connections will greatly facilitate the details of the business.

The mixed trains lately run on the new railroad afford no small convenience to the trade here in the receipt and shipment of goods.

Mrs. Homer Turner, one of the oldest inhabitants of the place, was buried last Monday afternoon, after a brief illness.

Addison Division S. of T. advertise for a public entertainment and oyster supper Wednesday evening next.

Parties from Toledo are canvassing the neighborhood for stave and heading material.

Judging from the amount and quality of goods put in stock this fall by a half dozen of our merchants, and the prices charged for them, we should judge the people of Hudson and other sister villages must be on the alert and that at once, in order to retain the tribute money so long levied upon our defenceless people.

MACON MUSIC

Mr. C. E. Tripler and Miss Edith Howell were married Nov. 28. Both are well known and highly respected by a large circle of friends who will unite with us in extending our hearty congratulation for their future.

School re-opens at the village next week, with the same good standard teachers at the front. As their ability has been thoroughly tested we are confident of a successful term.

The Sunday School will give a Christmas concert, Dec 23.

Spelling contests are attracting much attention. Schoolmarms and scholars are reviewing their spelling lessons.

Last Sunday Miss Nellie Nyland, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Myrtie Harriott.

Miss Mary A. Lindsley died very suddenly last week, after a short illness of a week. The funeral services were held Dec 8, at her late home in Saline.

Miss Pique Richart began school Monday in Dist. No. 10, in Saline.

The Baptist society gave an oyster supper at the residence of Sylvester Thomas Friday night.

The Reformed church gave their pastor a reception at the home of Elder Wm. Osgood, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Eddie Osgood is visiting friends in the state of New York.

CLINTON CULLINGS

More swearing about taxes in the Treasurer's office than at a base ball game. The extremely pious stuff their ears with cotton as a precautionary measure before entering.

Mrs. Alexander Ellis, one of the first settlers of this place, died Sunday and was buried Tuesday.

T. Holden Heggie of Caro made his Clinton friends a short visit Monday.

One character who has made himself entirely too conspicuous in the case of the People *vs.* Kirchgessner, may, from present indications, wish he had cast the "beam out of his own eye" first. At least it begins to look that way just now to outsiders.

E. G. Cook makes his old friends an occasional visit here, and when he does, he generally manages to buy enough wheat and other grains to keep the farmers busy hauling until he comes again. He can buy more grain in a half day than some agents can in two months.

John T. Clark is said to have one of the finest herds of Jersey cattle in the State. So much for Clinton enterprise.

Wednesday, the day for the Episcopal Fair and Entertainment came at last. The day was bright and pleasant, and every countenance was radient with joy, for it bespoke success to the enterprise. For many months the good ladies of the Episcopal Church had devoted a large share of their leisure hours to the work of preparation for a fair and entertainment for the benefit of their church. They had labored faithfully during all these long weary months for a double purpose; that not only might the fruits of all their toil, anxiety and solicitude bring forth an abundant harvest of substantial aid to the church, but also produce an entertainment that would meet the endorsement of an appreciative public. How well they succeeded in reaching the ends sought, and what their satisfaction must be at the results of their persevering labors is fortunately not left to conjecture or speculation. The Fair in the afternoon was a magnificent success. The spacious Town Hall was filled with tables, each presided over by fair hands, and upon which was displayed for sale a vast collection of the choicest goods, both useful and ornamental. The supper which was served between five and seven o'clock was all that could be wished and was partaken of by hundreds. The entertainment later in the evening and which consisted of music tableaux, &c., was a very interesting as well as entertaining feature of the whole. A good many were present from Tecumseh, Manchester, Saline and other places.

Special credit is due Mrs. E. R. Smith, Mrs. E. VanDeMark, Mrs. F. Lancaster, Mrs. J. E. McCollum, Miss Reynolds and other ladies of the Society for their noble efforts in behalf of the church, and for the great amount of labor and time expended in preparing this entertainment.

LENAWEE COUNTY DOCTORS.

The following physicians residing in this section of the county have registered according to law, and thus have authority to practice. Unregistered physicians will practice at their peril after this date:

Henry G. Ide, Clinton, Detroit Homeopathic college, '74; Homeopathic.

Albert P. Tuttle, Clinton; Geneva (N. Y.) Medical college, '50; regular.

Robert H. Nelson, Ridgeway, Detroit Medical college, '76; regular.

Samuel Catlin, Tecumseh; Yale Medical college, '51; regular.

Herbert W. Catlin, Tecumseh, Detroit Medical college, '83; regular.

Willard Perkins, Tipton; seventeen years; regular.

Charles M. Woodward, Tecumseh; Albany, N. Y., Medical college, '67; regular.

John I. Tuttle, Clinton; Mich. university, '77; regular.

Robert B. Howe, Tecumseh, Western O. Homeopathic college, '69; homeopathic.

Ebenezer M. Conkling, Tecumseh, Cincinnati Eclectic Institute and Bennet Medical college, '76; eclectic.

Oliver Q. Jones, Tecumseh; Cleveland Homeopathic hospital, '75; homeopathic.

Lucien G. North, Tecumseh, Michigan university, '77; regular.

Walter S. Morden, Macon, Michigan university, '80; rational.

Andrew W. Flowers, Clinton, 22 years; physio-medical.

Elizabeth Flowers, Clinton, 22 years; physio-medical.

Geo. Howell, Macon, Mich. university, '62; regular.

Chas. E. Beegel, Holloway, Mich. university, '76; regular.

John G. Tripp, Franklin, 20 years; regular.

Julius Vaughn, Springville, N. Y. College of Physicians and Surgeons, '50; regular.

John F. Jenkins, Tecumseh, Mich. university, '80; regular.

Morton C. Rose, Clinton, Mich. university, '81; homeopathic.

Elias M. Jenkins, Addison, Michigan university, '55; regular.

Abram K. Jenkins, Tipton, 25 years; regular.

John W. Burkhart, Clinton, University of Penn., '76; regular.

Chas. C. Hyde, Addison, Mich. university, '76; regular.

Increase S. Hamilton, Tecumseh, Fairfield, N. Y., college of physicians and surgeons, '35; regular.

Timothy Denel, Tecumseh, 30 years; common sense.

N. S. Doty, Tecumseh, ten years.

Orville P. Layard, Raisin, Williamstown, Mass., Medical college, '31; regular.

Wm. Hindmarsh, Woodstock, Detroit Medical college, '77; regular.

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A TERRIBLE PROPHECY.

The Red Sunsets, Cyclones and Earthquakes Foretelling Coming Disaster. How to Meet It.

The mysterious appearances following sunset and preceeding sunrise have attracted wide attention from the students of the skies and the people generally. During the days of recent weeks the sun seems to have been obscured by a thin veil of a dull leaden hue which, as the sun receded toward the horizon, became more luminous, then yellow, then orange, then red: and as night settled down upon the earth, a dull purple. At first it was thought these appearances were ordinary sunset reflections of light but it is now pretty certain that they are either the misty substance of the tail of some unseen comet, in which the earth is enveloped, or a surrounding stratum of world dust or very small meteors. Professor Brooks, of the Red House Observatory, Phelps, N.Y. has turned his telescope upon these objects and discovered what he thinks are myriads of telescopic meteors. If it is unorganized world dust, or decomposed vapors, as the *Democrat and Chronicle*, of Rochester, N. Y., remarks: "How is matter to be disposed of? Will it settle and form a deposit upon the earth, or remain a partial opaque shell about the earth to cut off a portion of the sun's light upon it?"

Whatever the mystery is there is no denying that some very strange forces are at work in the upper airs. The terrible tornadoes and cyclones which have swept our own country, and the fearful volcanoes and earthquakes which have destroyed so many cities and thousands of people—the tidal waves which mysteriously rise and fall on coasts hitherto unvexed by them—the tremendous activity which is evident in the sun by the constant revelation of enormous spots upon its surface—all indicate unusual energy in the heavenly bodies.

These circumstances recall Professor Grimmer's prophecies that from 1881 to 1887, the passage of the five great planets—Mars, Neptune, Jupiter, Uranus and Saturn—around the sun would produce strange and wonderful phenomena. He says: "The waters of the earth will become more or less poisonous. The air will be foul with noisome odors. Ancient races will disappear from the earth." He attempts to prove his prophecy by the fact that in 1720, when Mars and Saturn made their passage around the sun coincidentally, great destruction and mortality visited all parts of the globe. He also found the same results in previous perehelion passages of the planets, and argues that these circumstances always produce epidemics and destructive diseases which will baffle the skill of the most eminent physicians; that the poor will die by thousands, the weak and intemperate falling first, those whose blood has been impoverished by excess of work or dissipation next and only those who are in comparative vigor shall escape to enjoy the era of renewed activity and prosperity which will follow the period of destruction.

Inasmuch as the entire world seems subject to the sway of the heavenly bodies no part of the earth, he thinks, can escape scourging. He even predicts that America will lose over ten millions of people; that farmers will be stricken with fear and cease to till the soil, that famine will make human misery more wretched. That hundreds will flee to overcrowded cities for aid in vain. That sudden changes in ocean currents, temperature and surroundings will entirely transform the face of nature and climate of countries; that the air will be so foul with malaria and other noxious gases, that those who survive will be troubled with disorders of the digestive organs. That many who escape other ills will bloat with dropsy and suddenly drop away, while others will grow thin and drag out a miserable existence in indescribable agony for weeks. Neuralgic pains in different parts of the body will torment them. They will easily tire and become despondent. A faint, hot feeling will be succeeded by chilly sensations while hallucinations and dread of impending ill will paralize all effort. The birds in the air, the beasts of the field and even the fish of the sea will become diseased, 'poisoning the air and poisoning the waters of the globe.' We are told on the other hand that those who shall pass thro' this period of trial will have larger enjoyment of life and health. The earth will yield more abundant than ever before. The animal kingdom will be more prolific and life prolonged very materially. This prolongation of life will be owing to the healthy electric and magnetic influences that will pervade the atmosphere. It would perhaps seem that the present redness of the sun and presence of a belt or veil of cosmic matter, justified, in a measure, the prediction of Professor Grimmer, but disturbing as the prediction may be we are told for our comfort that the strong and pure blooded need have little to fear in these calamities, that those who are delicate or indisposed should adopt means to keep the system well supported and the blood pure and that the most philosophical and effective method of accomplishing this is to keep the kidneys and liver in good condition. From the testimonials of such men as Dr. Dio Lewis and Prof. R. A. Gunn, M. D., Dean of the United States Medical college, N. Y., and thousands of influential, non professional people, it seems almost certain that for this purpose there is no preparation known to science equal to Warner's Safe Cure better known as Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. This medicine has acquired the finest reputation of any preparation that was ever put upon the market. It is a radical blood purifier, which soothes and heals all inflamed organs, strengthens the nervous system, washes out all evidences of decay, regulates digestion, prevents malassimilation of food in a philosophical and rational manner, fortifies the system against climatic and malarial influences and the destructive agencies which seem to be so abundant in these evil days.

It is not our purpose to dispute the correctness of Prof. Grimmer's prophecies. As we have said, the marked disturbances of the past few years would seem to give a semblance of verification of his theory. It is certain, as above stated, that we are passing through what may be regarded as a crucial period and it is the part of wise men not to ignore, but to learn to fortify themselves against the possibility of being overcome by these evils. It a duty which each man owes to himself and his fellows, to mitigate as possible the suffering of humanity and in no way better can he accomplish this purpose than to see to it that he, himself, is fortified by the best known preparation in the strongest possible manner and that he exert the influence of his own example upon his fellows to the end that they, too, may share with him immunity from the destructive influences which seek his ruin.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Friday evening, Dec. 7th, the Farmers' Social Club met at Uncle John Rector's. The attendance was quite large. It being the constitutional time for the election of officers for the following year, the club proceeded at once to the election of said officers with the following results:

Pres.—I. H. Schreder.
Vice Pres.—George Griswold.
Sec. and Treas.—F. V. Horton.

The following program was carried out in its proper order.

Music—Singing by the choir.
Select reading—Mrs. J. Fisher.
Music.
Dec.—George Henderson.
Music.

The declamation by Henderson was well rendered, and not only did much credit to the speaker, but was highly gratifying to the club.

Question, Resolved, That we deem it a wrong and a wanton extravagance in the expenditure of the people's money by the county board of supervisors when they consume three days in the election of a chairman; and further, is it right that the county at large should be taxed for the maintenance of Adrian's pauper inebriates.

The discussion was very animated, and was participated in by Messrs. F. V. Horton, A. D. Hall, I. H. Schreder, George Griswold and F. C. Rector, who thought that those who upheld the board of supervisors had not yet paid their taxes.

The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mr. I. H. Schreder, Friday evening, Dec. 21st, with the following program:

Music—Choir.
Rec.—Minnie Rector.
Music—Grant Schreder, Henry Horton.
Essay—I. H. Schreder.
Dec.—Henry Horton.
Inst. music—Minnie Rector.
Select reading—Charles Griswold.
Rec.—Grace Gillespie.
Music—Grant Schreder, Henry Horton.
Question, What is the most profitable land fertilizer, and the proper method and time of applying?

F. V. HORTON, Sec'y.

Frank Leslie's Monthly Magazine

The editor, T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., commences the fifteenth volume and the year very brilliantly. He presents in the January number a most attractive and interesting holiday one replete with delightful reading and artistic excellence. The contents are extremely varied; there are Christmas stories, sketches, descriptive articles and poetry, etc., the editor has a characteristic article, "The Coming Sermon," and there are contributions in prose and poetry from some of our most popular writers. A new serial, "Wrong from the First," by the author of "Mr. Burke's Nieces," is commenced, in fact the pages overflow with entertaining and edifying matter and artistic illustrations. Now is the time to subscribe, and no one could fail to appreciate, as a holiday gift, a year's subscription to this magazine. The price is 35 cts. for a single number or twelve numbers for $3.50 postpaid. Address Mrs. Frank Leslie, Publisher, 53 and 55 Park Place, New York.

The next issue of "The Popular Science Monthly" will contain an elaborate article on "The Classics in Germany," giving a crushing answer to President Porter and others who have appealed to the celebrated "Berlin Report" against Charles Francis Adams on the Greek question. The article is by Professor E. J. James, of the University of Pennsylvania, who has recently returned from Germany, where he carefully investigated the subject. He shows that it has been greatly misunderstood here, and that the inferences drawn from German experience of classical and scientific studies are of not the slightest value for the "dead language party in this country.

Peterson's Magazine for January reaches us in advance, and is altogether the most superb number we have ever seen, even of this favorite lady's book. The price of this popular lady's book is but two dollars a year, with great deductions to clubs, and valuable premiums to the person getting up the club. Specimens are sent gratis, if written for, to those desiring to get up clubs. We advise no one to subscribe for a magazine until they have seen a copy of this one. Address Chas. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

New Cure for Whooping Cough.

This has been considered one of the few incurable diseases. Physicians usually say that it must take its course, viz., two weeks of incubation preceeding the spasms, four weeks of gradually increasing number and power of the paroxysms, and from two weeks to six months of restoration to health. Often this malady is followed by pneumonia, bronchitis, or extreme physical exhaustion, ending in lingering illness or death. When the paroxysms are very violent, patients frequently rupture blood vessels or the delicate membranes of the eye or other organs. The disease is increasing in virulence. The number of deaths in New York city for one year has reached 459; in the city of London the appalling number of 6,000 annually. It has been known to some of the medical profession that persons suffering from whooping cough, asthma, bronchitis, catarrh, croup, and the other zymotic diseases, experienced quick relief, and sometimes rapid cure, by breathing the vapors arising from the open purifying boxes at gas works. This fact was discovered by a French physician in 1865, and published. Shortly after, the gas works of this country were visited and now it is quite common to see several patients gathered about a gas works inhaling the strong vapors.

The secret of the relief has been recently discovered. A Providence R. I. chemist procured the condensed hydro-carbon de- [illegible] and by analyzation discovered it to be cresolene (C_7H_8O), a compound product somewhat akin to carbolic acid but possessing far greater power in destroying the germs of contagious diseases. Vaporized in a closed room the terrible paroxysms in pertussis (whooping cough) are checked immediately, and ordinarily in five nights the patient entirely recovers.

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You will, I trust, pardon the length of this communication, but the subject seemed to me to possess such general interest and promising to occupy a new and important field in the relief of suffering child humanity, that I thought it worthy a place in your widely circulated columns.—*Rev. Henry D. Albro in N. Y. Evangelist.*

The Youth of Our Land.

There really ought to be some law against the sale of dime novels to young boys. Instances occur almost daily where the minds of young boys have become so distorted by reading trash that they are ready to slaughter their fellow beings in large quantities. A boy who reads about some avenger of the prairie who chops and splits his cord and a half of Indians regular every day, or some pirate whose scuppers run off enough blood every minute to make a hundred dollars worth of blood sausage, gets into an abnormal condition of mind and is wholly unfit for the solid work and low wages of real, every day life.

He begins to accumulate pistols, daggers, and other old junk, and longs to run a poniard into some false Spaniard, and twist it around, while he hisses through his set teeth some drivel that he has read in a novel. Such a boy will not do corn. Near Peru, in Illinois, the other day, a sheriff found a cave where a number of these boys whose minds had become inflated, had established a sort of pirate's glen. The pirates were not at home, being away probably on an expedition to capture a dark eyed Spanish beauty, or a bantam or shanghai beauty, and the sheriff entered the place and took an account of stock. All around were the sinister looking weapons of death, and the treasures and spoils of war, and among them were twelve bottles of lemon beer. This in itself ought to teach boys that there is no such thing as realizing what novels tell about. There never was a novel yet that told about the duke pacing back and forth with a clouded brow in the elegant drawing room of his castle and then going to the sideboard and draining a flagon of lemon beer. Not any. The duke always drains a flagon of fine old Rhenish wine, seven hundred years old, before he sets out to mutilate a couple of townships of people. A boy ought to see by this that if he is going to try and follow the duke's example he will have to use old Rhenish wine instead of lemon beer. And where would be the fun in slaughtering those two townships of people with a skin full of lemon beer or pop? It would be insipid. And not only that, but ridiculous. Suppose the duke should draw his rapier to run a person through the body, and just as he was about to say, "Die, villain," the gas from the lemon beer should come up in his nose. He would feel like a fool. A boy who reads a novel, and becomes all wrought up and excited, never thinks of this. Neither does he think who it is that writes the novel. It he could see the author of the novel—who is some poor devil in a New York garret, who has starved himself half to death for money to buy whisky, and who changes his quarters every month to save rent—he would be ashamed to be seen reading such stuff. The poor broken down scribbler who writes about the brilliant diamonds of inestimable value that flashed upon the bosom of the countess, is probably wearing a sheet of writing paper for a shirt front.—*Peck's Sun.*

Cost of Bringing up a Boy.

A clergyman who has been discoursing about boys has devoted considerable attention to the cost of these somewhat necessary individuals, and he estimates the expense of bringing a good boy, with all the advantages of city life, to the age of fifteen, at about $5,000. These figures are about doubled by the time the boy is of age, if he goes through college. A bad boy, arrived at the age mentioned, costs fully as much, even if he has not been to college, and the computation, as the reverend gentleman suggests, does not include the value of the mother's tears and father's gray hairs. Most men who have brought up boys will agree that the estimate is not too high.

A Possible Relic of De Soto.

The Tallahassee (Fla.) *Floridan* says: A few years ago, about two miles east of Tallahassee, was found a ponderous spur, of unique and curious workmanship, the like of which has not been seen in modern times. The burr was one and a half inches in diameter, and the bar proportionately heavy. On either side of the rowel dangled small pendant bells, that gave forth a tinkling sound in response to each step of the wearer—doubtless some steel-clad and bonneted warrior of the long ago. Not many days since, while parties were plowing near the identical spot, a solid and shapeless mass was turned up which, upon close examination, proved to be an iron stirrup of ancient pattern, as heavy and massive as the spur spoken of first, and firmly imbedded in a thick coating of rust and rust. When this was removed the stirrup was found to be in a remarkable good state of preservation. The sides represent two Ethiopian figures standing upon the foot rest, leaning forward facing each other, while they support with outstretched arms what forms the top of the stirrup, or that part connected with the leather. So unlike are both these relics to anything known to the generations of to-day and time, and, both being found so near the same place, it is not unreasonable to ascribe them to the same era and individual. Nor is the supposition at all improbable that one of the knightly followers of De Soto, lagged on through this then unknown region and wilderness, like the dauntless son of Spain, by a thirst for the yellow heaps of gleaming gold that bounded up ahead of them in vain visions and heated fancies, here fell a victim to the tomahawk and scalping knife of the wronged and revengeful red man, nothing "some one of the Tallahassee Tribe," by which "Tiger Tail" claimed to be a descendant, boasted, as he displayed at his belt a yet bloody scalp, that he had "killed a pale-face."

Weight by Measuring.

The following rule for finding out the weight of an animal by measuring may prove convenient: "See that the animal stands square; then take his circumference behind the shoulder-blade—this is the girth. Then measure from the bone of the tail which plumbs the line with the hinder part of the buttock, and direct the string along the back to the forepart of the shoulder-blade; this will be the length. Then work the figures thus: Suppose the girth of bullock 6 feet 4 inches, length 5 feet 3 inches, which multiplied together make 33 square superficial feet; and these multiplied by 23—the number of pounds allowed for each superficial foot of cattle measuring less than seven and more than five feet in girth—make 759 pounds. When the animal measures less than nine and more than seven feet in girth, 31 is the number of pounds to be estimated for each superficial foot. And suppose a small animal to measure 2 feet in girth and 2 feet in length, these multiplied together make 4 feet, which multiplied by 11—the number of pounds allowed for each square foot when cattle measure less than 3 feet in girth—make 44 pounds. Again, suppose a calf or sheep, etc., to measure 4 feet 6 inches in girth, and 3 feet 9 inches in length, that multiplied together makes 16 square feet, and these multiplied by 16—the number of pounds allowed for cattle measuring less than 5 and more than 3 feet in girth—make 256 pounds. The dimensions of cattle, sheep, calves and hogs, taken this way, will give the weight of the four quarters of the animal, sinking the offal. A deduction must be made for animals half fat—of one pound in twenty from those that are fat; and for a cow that has had calves one pound must be allowed, in addition to the one for not being fat, upon every twenty."

It May Yet Be True.

When Jules Verne wrote his romance, "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," he found it necessary to construct a cigar-shaped steamer that would travel under water while her crew could breathe with the same ease they could on land. If Mr. Verne had waited a few years he might, perhaps, have saved himself the trouble of inventing this submarine craft, as he might then have found it in actual operation. It is at present only proposed to apply a recent invention to a diver's helmet in the following manner: The apparatus, after having been fastened over the nose and mouth of the diver, when he wishes to breathe the air out of his lungs he does so in the ordinary way, and it goes down the tubes into the bottom of the front fiber. It then filters through the caustic-charged sponge in front, and passing along an outlet at the top, is ducted over the diver's shoulder into the other case, through which it filters in the same way, and then, ascending into the helmet, mixes with the oxygen that has been let in from its store chamber, and is ready to be breathed again into the diver's lungs. Mr. Fleuss states that if he could only expand the water, he could remain there for a whole day; as it is, he walked for a quarter of a mile under the sea at Ryde, and when at Brighton he went down during stormy weather into five fathoms of water. This being the case, it is a simple matter to apply the principle to the air-tight submarine ship. The devices for sinking it or for raising it to the surface of the water would be easily arranged, so we may soon have our enterprising excursion managers offering a trip along the bottom of the river to Lake Erie—single tickets, 50 cents; lady and gentleman's ticket, 75 cents.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Poison Ivy.

The poison ivy is very poisonous to some persons; they are poisoned by not touching it at all, or even, it is said, passing near it, while others may handle it without being afflicted by the contact in the least. The poisonous property of the plant is owing to a volatile acid; its effect is an acute inflammation of the skin, often accompanied by a great swelling. The effects remain sometimes for months before the poison is completely removed from the system. The usual remedies are cooling purgatives and an external application of lead water. An application of a solution of hops has been known to prove an effectual remedy when all other remedies failed. The plant has sometimes been mistaken for Virginia creeper, to which it bears no slight resemblance. The distinguishing feature is that the poison ivy has three leaflets, whereas the Virginia creeper's leaves have five leaflets. Persons have been poisoned by mistaking the poisonous for the harmless species. This plant is of the genus *rhus* or sumac. There is also an upright plant that is poisonous.

A writer advises that girls who wish to have small mouths should repeat at frequent intervals during the day: "Fanny Finch fried fourteen floundering frogs for Francis Fowler's father."

Feathered Slaves.

No people are more ingenious than the Chinese in the minor arts of life. That they have succeeded in training birds to fish is a striking example of their ingenuity and patience. Instead of carrying nets, the fishermen provide themselves with a large number of cormorants which perch on the edge of the boats. It is a curious spectacle to see these creatures engaged in fishing, diving into the water and always coming up with a fish in their beaks. As the Chinese fear the vigorous appetites of their feathered servants, they fasten around their necks an iron ring, large enough to allow their breathing but too small to admit of the entrance of the fish they seize; to prevent their straying about in the water and wasting the time desired for their work, a cord is attached to the ring and to one claw of the cormorant by which he is pulled up when inclined to stay too long under water. When tired he is permitted to rest for a while; but if he abuse the indulgence and waste his time, a few strokes of the bamboo recalls him to duty, and the poor diver resumes his laborious occupation. In passing from one fishing ground to another, the cormorants perch side by side, so as not to disturb the equilibrium of the frail vessel.

A Cure of Pneumonia.

Mr. D. H. Barnaby of Oswego, N. Y., says that his daughter was taken with a violent cold which terminated with pneumonia, and all the best physicians gave the case up and said she could not live but a few hours at most. She was in this condition when a friend recommended Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs and advised her to try it. She accepted it as a last resort, and was surprised to find that it produced a marked change for the better, and by persevering in its use a permanent cure was effected.

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Mother's Attention.

Chas. Jones, of Elizabeth, Spencer Co., Ind., says, I have dealt in medicine a number of years, and will say that Dr. Roger's Vegetable Worm Syrup is the most valuable medicine I ever sold. My customers were so pleased with its effects that they purchased a number of bottles to have it on hand. It is all that it is recommended to be.

A New York man recently dreamed that he was a Texas desperado in a town threatened by Indians, and when he woke up he found that he had crawled under the bed.

"Ish this 'er postoffice?" inquired Cauliflower, slightly disfigured after nineteen rounds of sour mash. "No, this is a butcher shop," replied the sarcastic mailing clerk, licking a faded one cent stamp. "Sho! Ish that sho! Well, give me a tender line for my muzzer."

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An English writer says that the middle class Englishman, as a rule, does not buy books, except a few classics and professional treatises, but waits for his chance at the book club or circulating library. There are instances where authors are asked to lend their own copies by men of ten times their income. Wine and china may be bought, but books must be hired for, says the writer, the English are educated to the point of reading, but not to paying for books.

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"Once upon a time" a man met an old woman in an English town driving several asses. "Adieu, mother of asses," said he. "Adieu, my son," was the old woman's reply.

Without wishing to encourage the world in gabble, we may state the goldenness of silence is over-estimated. The mute, inglorious oyster is always getting into broils, stews and hot water.

Breaking an awkward silence—Mrs. Montague Smart (suddenly, to bashful youth, who has not opened his lips since he was introduced to her a quarter of an hour ago)—"And now let us talk of something else!"

Propriety—Light-minded young thing in a bathing suit: "Surely, Aunt Margaret, you're not going to wear your spectacles into the water!" Aunt M.: "Indeed I am. Nothing shall induce me to take off another thing."

A London tourist met a young woman going to the kirk, and, as was not unusual she was carrying her boots in her hand, trudging along barefoot. "My girl," he said, "is it customary for all the people in these parts to go barefoot?" "Pairtly they do," and pairtly they mind their own business!"

A female applicant for aid, appeared at the office of the Director of the Poor, in Detroit the other day, with a sad and anxious look, and on being asked what she wanted replied, "I'd like some money." "How much?" "Well, I can't say exactly. How much do you generally give to a person who wants to buy a bead belt?"

Cleanliness.

The surface of the human body, and even the delicate membrane covering the eye, as well as the mucous lining of the internal passages of the animal body, may and often do become diseased in such a manner, by neglect of purity and careful cleanliness, that they will give off contagious matter. The contagious disorders of the skin, the eyes and the mouth are results of neglect of cleanliness, and are justly esteemed very disgusting. Decaying matters, whether vegetable or animal, and not unfrequently the still living but unhealthy and unclean surfaces and tissues of both animal and vegetable bodies, are apt to become infected with parasites which prey upon and injure or destroy the tissues. Even the tenderest parts and juices of vegetable substances and the skin, the muscles and blood of the animal, may be harmed in this way. It was a little invisible parasite which destroyed the potatoes at harvest time throughout the country many years ago, and there are some foul waters and infected kinds of meat which will breed disease in persons who partake of them. Therefore, it is a duty to be cleanly in food and drink, as well as in our breathing and personal habits. It is doubtful if persons who become filthy in their habits and neglect to provide for the purification of their bodies, clothing and premises, will ever be found pure and sweet in their thoughts, language and influence.

A Great Discovery.

This is daily bringing joy to the homes of thousands by saving many of their dear ones from an early grave. Truly is Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, hay fever, loss of voice, tickling in the throat, pain in side and chest, or any disease of the throat and lungs, a positive cure. Guaranteed! Trial bottles free. Large size $1.

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Mr. Moody, the evangelist, says his three weeks' work in Ireland was the most productive of his life.—*Chicago Herald.*

—The Methodists of the South have determined to make their centennial celebration next year a memorable occasion.—*N. Y. Independent.*

—To save expense there is now a preparatory school in London in which students can soon determine whether they have the requisite qualifications to become a doctor.

—A great many ministers know when to begin a discourse, but not one in ten knows when to leave off. The man who has the genius to put his amen in the right place is always popular.—*N. Y. Herald.*

"I'm glad Bobbie's gone to that school," remarked Mrs. Malaprop, "cause it's teached by a good pedigree—or synagogue some folks call him I believe and furthermo', they don't have no carrycomb, like these newfangled colleges."—*Yonkers Gazette.*

—Rev. W. K. Kip, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of California, has just celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of his ordination. He was formerly rector of St. Paul's, Albany, and on his journey as missionary bishop to California was shipwrecked at San Diego, and there preached his first sermon in the diocese.—*Detroit Post.*

It was a matter of very considerable doubt for many years with me whether Young Men's Christian Associations were anything else except a subordinate kind of bachelor church; but the steady development, the growth and broadening of these institutions have, quite happily for me, dispelled all such doubts and fears; and now, taking it comprehensively, I regard the system of Young Men's Christian associations as being one of the remarkable developments of God's providence in our day.—*H. W. Beecher.*

—The Cherokee *Advocate* says there are 6,400 members of Baptist churches in the Indian Nation, about 110 churches and eighty ordained ministers. The proportion of churches and church-members is greater than in any white community known. There are only about 75,000 Indians. The institutions of learning, both of the higher grade and the common schools, are reported to be prosperous and the outlook encouraging. Principal Chief Early, of the Ottawas, says: "Much interest is felt in religion, and I might say that the whole tribe is or will be Christianized." The Presbyterians are also so strong in the Nation that they have organized a presbytery, the first session of which was held October 31 at Fort Gibson.

—The American Missionary Association had $337,000 to use last year. Of this $230,022 was expended in the South, $11,022 among the Chinese, $18,955 among the Indians, $16,112 on foreign missions, $6,896 on publications, $15,799 on agencies, $6,866 on administration, $8,235 for miscellaneous purposes. There was a balance on hand of $548. Among the Indians the society has 5 stations, 9 schools, 5 churches, 12 missionaries, 25 teachers, 1 native pastor, 12 native teachers, 271 church members, 356 pupils, 584 Sunday School scholars. Among the Chinese in California it has 19 schools and 2,823 scholars, with 121 converts the past year. In 12 States of the South and in Kansas and the District of Columbia, it has 9,640 colored students; 6 new church houses were built, and there are 89 churches, with 5,974 members under its care.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Italian Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty; druggists.

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The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

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ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 28th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edward L. Russell, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF PETER DAVIDSON.

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 21st day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Davidson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he is ready to file his account in this court, and praying for the allowance of his said account, and for such other order as may be necessary and agreeable to law.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 24th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN F. SCHREDER.

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John F. Schreder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Susan F. Arner praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this office, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Lewis H. Schreder and William H. Arner, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, held at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary A. Mead, administratrix of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased as stated in said petition, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3rd day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all of the persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF WM. H. POCKLINGTON.

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, held at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary M. Pocklington, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Francis C. Pocklington, Albert A. Pabian Mason or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

State of Michigan, First Judicial Circuit, in Chancery, sitting in the Chancery Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery at Adrian on the 12th day of November, 1883. Charles E. Doan, complainant, vs. Elizabeth Hamlin defendant. In this cause it appearing that defendant is a resident of the state of New York, therefore on motion of L. B. Pearsons, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter her appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for six weeks in succession.

FRANK E. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

L. B. PEARSON,
Solicitor for Complainant. 10w22

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MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Lapeer is to have an artesian well.

Flint adopted standard time last Sunday.

The house of James McNamara, of Lapeer, burned last week. Loss $650, insured.

John Pickett, an old and much respected citizen of Walled Lake, dropped dead last week.

Two trappers have captured nearly [illegible] muskrats near Constantine, this fall. Monroe and Mt. Clemens must [illegible]

[illegible] will hold its fourth annual meeting at Lansing, December [illegible]

Kent county is asked to buy the new $10,000 school building on South Division st. in Grand Rapids, for a county [illegible]

[illegible] Railroad Commissioners [illegible] railroad troubles [illegible] the Michigan & [illegible] to grade the street as the citizens desired.

The First Presbyterian church of Kalamazoo, situated on the corner of South and Rose streets, burned last week, the fire originating under the roof of the chapel. Loss $30,000, insured for $17,750.

The salvation army has scored a victory over the chief of police at Grand Rapids. It hasn't converted him but it has an order from the mayor which stops the chief's order forbidding the army to parade the streets.

David Hess, of Bay City, while working in a clothes reel factory, had a one foot-long sliver hurled by a circular saw against his cheek. It penetrated it and came through the neck near the jugular vein. He will live.

The Rector of St. Mark's church, Grand Rapids, is working in a common sense way to save fallen women. He is forming a bureau where they can come and read and write and spend their afternoons, receive instruction and secure employment.

The Teeth become pure white,
And give intense delight;
The Breath is purified
When "TEABERRY" is tried.

[illegible] and sp[illegible] [illegible] and the newspaper [illegible] shares. [illegible] [illegible] sheet the [illegible] magazine the children [illegible] family paper. The [illegible] to fill [illegible] of these peals, that of a local newspaper. But it shall be our aim to make improvements in that direction and to fill that special field more thoroughly than heretofore. We shall give no attention to statuary [illegible] nor [illegible] to chorus [illegible] during the coming year. Remembering the tendency of the times to [illegible] we shall accommodate ourselves to it. We have chosen twelve publications giving a good variety for family reading, have secured special terms on them, and can offer them at reduced rates. No such rates have ever before been offered to our patrons. Under this club offer [illegible] we shall not accept cord wood or land order for payment, or pumps on subscription. These rates must come down with the order. The table below gives the name of each paper clubbed with the HERALD, the regular subscription price of the outside paper, and the club price of the same in connection with the HERALD. A glance at the figures will show the reasonable offer which we extend to our patrons for the New Year. We shall be prepared to take subscriptions for any paper or magazine published at reduced rates, but our special "rock bottom" offer will be confined to the papers named in the appended list. Having done our part to give our friends the lowest figures on their reading matter for '84 we respectfully ask them to return the compliment and swell the subscription list of the HERALD during the ensuing two months beyond any number hitherto reached in its history.

CLUB RATE TABLE.

NAME OF PAPER.	Price Alone	With Herald.
Detroit Free Press	$1.00	$2.00
Det. Post & Trib.	1.00	2.00
Michigan Farmer	1.50	2.50
Texas Siftings	2.50	3.00
Good Times	1.00	2.00
American Farmer	1.00	1.50
Floral Cabinet	1.25	2.50
Louisville Cour. Journal	1.50	2.50
Detroit Echo	.75	1.75
Chicago News	.75	1.75
American Rural Home	1.00	2.00
Peck's Sun	2.50	3.00

AN ENGLISH INDIGNATION MEETING.

We have received from Mr. Albert Bath, Sevenoaks, Kent, England, a report of the proceedings of the third annual meeting of the "Farmer's Alliance." Also a hand-bill calling an indignation meeting to protest against extraordinary tithes. As the notice of this meeting will be quite a curiosity to our readers we copy it in full:

"Extraordinary Tithe Execution sale, at Mr. Bartholomew's farm, Joyce Hall, Southfleet, Kent, on Tuesday, November 27th, at 12 for 1 o'clock.

Nearest Station is Pawkham, London, Chatham & Dover Railway. A distraint having been levied upon the goods and chattels of Mr. Bartholomew, for £29 12s. 0d. extraordinary tithe, and £40. 7s. 6d. for ordinary tithe, with expenses, seizing two valuable horses to satisfy the execution.

This is to give notice that immediately after said sale an indignation meeting will be held to protest against the continuance of this iniquitous law, which so seriously hinders the increased growth of the country's products, prevents the larger employment of labour, thereby oppressing the poor, increasing the poor rates, lessening the shopkeeper's takings, setting the Church of England in direct antagonism to the masses of the people, and bringing odium and disgrace on the Christian name.

We earnestly invite all who are ashamed of such proceedings, and weary of seeing religion thus dragged through the mire, to meet and assist in protesting to the Government of our Country against a continuance of universally condemned legal robbery.

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ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Wednesday the 12th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, late of Silver Lake, Kansas, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert E. Tuttle a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

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An Editor's Reflections.

The editor of the *Lockport Union* is responsible for the following. Who has not thought in about the same strain? And in our sober moments too:

Every once in a while something or other occurs which brings up before us feelings of other days; we are solemn—we indulge in retrospection and dream of "what might have been." And, while in the mood, other serious thoughts succeed, one to another, and we are prone to reflect on such savings of the proverb-makers as "An hour once lost is gone forever," "What is past can never be recalled," etc., and we speculate as to the future even so much as to wish to raise the impenetrable veil that divides our life here from the shadowy realms beyond and know the mysteries that lie hidden there.

When we come to think seriously on the subject, what a confoundedly strange thing life is! What peculiar mysteries we ourselves are that we cannot even "know ourselves." And yet one thing is pretty certain, viz. that each and every one of us can say with a very comfortable degree of assurance "I am," although a goodly number of our great and shining lights have expressed themselves doubtful of even that.

Suppose sometime, you or ourself, friend reader, should wake up and find we were somewhere else and learn that this earthly existence had been all "in our mind," as slang parlance hath expressed it. It would be strange would it not? And yet a dream seems even as real as this sometimes. But enough of conjecture such as this. We will take it for granted that all things ARE. There is room enough for guesswork left after that.

Not very long ago, you and the rest of us were babies, nothing but squalling, ugly looking little chunks of incipient humanity. We have ceased to be such, and can never be babies any more. Let us be thankful.

A Regular "D. B."

Not long ago a well-known newspaper man took day board at the Sherman House, says the Chicago *Times*. He was at home in the place, and was a privileged character. One day he sauntered behind the office counter into the regions that are supposed to be sacred to gentlemen who wear diamonds and address congressmen, governors, tourists, porters, newsboys and other statesmen by their first names, when his eye happened to catch sight of his own name on a slip with others over the bookkeeper's desk. He would not have given it a passing thought had not the letters "D. B." been attached. He "flew off the handle" on the instant, and demanded an interview with the proprietor. That august functionary was found, and to him the irate journalist addressed a few remarks. "Do I owe you anything?" he asked. "No, sir," was the prompt reply. "I have paid my bills all right so far as you know, haven't I?" "Certainly. I have no complaint to make."

"Then why do you permit your clerk to post me over his desk as a 'D. B.?'"

"I do not; there must be some mistake."

The journalist assured him that there was no mistake, and that he had seen the objectionable and significant letters with his own eyes. The more he thought of it the madder he got. The proprietor could not pacify him until he promised to have the matter investigated and the guilty man punished. It was found that the night clerk had perpetrated the outrage, and that evening the injured citizen took an early opportunity to take him to task. "What did you mean by putting 'D. B.' after my name?" inquired the newspaper man. "O, go away," he replied, thinking his interlocutor was "chaffing," as was his custom; "don't bother me." "No, I won't go away, and I demand a civil answer to my question."

The clerk looked up and saw an angry man in front of him. Then his countenance was suddenly bisected by a grin, and he doubled up like a man with the colic. "You took day-board, didn't you?" he inquired, as soon as he regained his composure. "Yes, I did, and I have paid for all the day-board I have enjoyed." "So you have," was the soothing response, "but just come around here a minute, still I show you something. You see you are in good company. You are an associate of several millionaires and railroad magnates. They are each and every one designated the same way, 'D. B.' That is short for 'day-board.' Regular boarders are marked 'R. B.'"

The journalist spent a week's salary trying to bribe his audience with liquid nourishment to keep still, but like all good things the joke leaked.

Some physicians assert that a hearty meal at midday is injurious to the health. A five or six o'clock dinner, eaten slowly with the members of his own family, is far healthier. A heavy midday meal unfits professional men for carrying on any business in the afternoon, as it makes them heavy and sleepy, for nature requires some kind of repose to aid digestion. Our popular system of eating is wrong. The majority of persons thrust three heavy meals into about ten hours, and leave the body without a fresh supply of food for the remaining fourteen hours of the day and night. Two good meals, morning and evening, would be the proper plan, with perhaps a light lunch or cracker at about one o'clock in the day. This would allow both of the heavy meals an opportunity to digest before the next was taken. As to a heavy midday meal for men who have to tear around as if the next moment were to be their last, it is perfectly ridiculous, as the food, instead of digesting and forming blood, muscle and brain, acts as a block to those forces of nature—choking up a sewer, as it were. It is best to eat lightly in the middle of the day.

The story is told of an old hunter in Michigan who lost his way in the woods a number of times while the country was new. At length he secured a pocket compass and its use was explained to him by a friend. But shortly afterward he lost his way again and lay out as usual. When found he was asked why he did not travel by the compass. He did not dare to be said. He wanted to go north, and he "tried to make the thing point north, but it wasn't no use, 'twould shake, shake, shake round and point southeast every time.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE, Dec. 5.—Mr. Hoar presented a joint resolution of the Legislature of Massachusetts opposing convict labor in the public works. A joint resolution of the Legislature of New Hampshire was also presented opposing further land grants to railroads and any renewal of forfeited lands. Bills were introduced to repeal the Internal Revenue tax and abolish the Internal Revenue Bureau; to recognize the legislative power of Utah; to indemnify Arkansas for the swamp and overflowed lands sold by the Government since 1857, donating part of the abandoned military reservation of Fort Smith for the benefit of public schools there; providing for granting public lands to soldiers and sailors of the late war; providing for appointment of a special commissioner to visit the principal countries of Central and South America to collect information looking to the extension of American trade and commerce. A joint resolution proposing a Constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or importation of alcoholic liquors, except for medicinal or chemical purposes. A bill providing for a patent ballot-box and counting device at elections was introduced, and a message being received from the President, the Senate went into executive session and adjourned.

HOUSE.—A resolution appropriating $20,000 for printing the records of the Supreme Court was referred to the Committee of the Whole. The customary resolution announcing the death of Thomas H. Herenden, of Alabama, was submitted, and out of respect for his memory the House adjourned, with the understanding that no business would be transacted the following day.

SENATE, Dec. 6.—Petitions and memorials were offered as follows: Compelling railroads to take out patents for lands granted or they revert to the people, removing the duty from barb wire, praying that lands granted the Oregon Central Railroad be forfeited and thrown open for settlement. Bills were introduced repealing the pre-emption and timber culture laws and amending the homestead law; restoring lands to the market in Minnesota and Wisconsin withdrawn in 1880 for the maintenance of dams, etc.; providing for the construction of a ship canal joining the waters of the Chesapeake and Delaware bays for means of military and naval defense. Joint resolutions were offered proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving women the rights of suffrage; also an amendment giving the President the right to veto separate items in appropriation bills while approving the remainder; requesting the President to demand from the Spanish Government repayment to citizens of the United States of money exacted from them on shipments of cattle to Cuba. At the expiration of the morning hour the Senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.—M. Metcalf, of Iowa, took the oath of office and the House adjourned until Monday.

WASHINGTON.

SECRETARY TELLER is under consideration a proposition to appoint the Indian graduates at the Carlisle Indian schools to subordinate positions as teachers in the new Indian schools in the West.

A PETITION from J. W. Niles, colored "Separatist," of Arkansas, setting forth that alleged unlawful combinations prevent him and his colored associates from exercising the right to make entries of public lands, charging cruel treatment on the part of the white citizens of Arkansas and asking relief, was presented to the Senate on the 5th by Mr. Sherman.

THE Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue says that the internal taxes collected for the present fiscal year are at the rate of $125,000,000 per annum. He estimates that the collection for the entire year will amount to $130,000,000. This estimate includes between six and seven millions to be collected for special taxes in April and May, but does not include the increase anticipated from spirits forced out by the law.

THE estimates for appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1885, has been transmitted to Congress by the Secretary of the Treasury. The amount estimated and required for all the expenses of the Government is $258,125,185, which is $22,987,282 less than the aggregate appropriations of the present fiscal year, and $57,154,537 less than the sum called for in the estimates submitted last year. The appropriations for the present fiscal year, including deficiencies and miscellaneous, are $305,112,587, the estimates on which these appropriations are based calling for $280,243,467.

JOHN C. NEW called a meeting of the Republican and Democratic Congressional delegations from Indiana to his rooms in the Treasury building on the 7th to take measures to secure the meeting of both the Republican and Democratic National Conventions at Indianapolis.

INFORMATION has been received by the Secretary of the Treasury from United States consuls at Canadian ports denying the charge that Canadians are deprived of exercising their franchise under the Act of Congress.

[illegible] of the Senate and Public Bills were introduced, a number in unprecedented, it is said, in the history of that body.

THE Sub-Treasury in New York contains $[illegible] in silver, and the Assistant Treasurer says the vaults are so full that they can take but little more.

THE EAST.

IT is now asserted by the friends of Mr. Tilden that the statement that he had willed his Gramercy Park residence and library to New York City is false.

IT was impossible to secure a jury in the trial of Nutt at Uniontown, Pa., on the 5th, and a change of venue to Allegheny County was granted.

A RAIL mill, rail plate mill and bar mill shut down at Reading, Pa., recently, throwing 600 men out of employment.

IT was ascertained on the 5th that the pilot boat run down by the steamer Alaska off Fire Island recently was the Columbia. She had four pilots on board and a crew of six, all of whom drowned.

THE Dover Silk Company, of Paterson, N. J., has failed. Liabilities $102,000; assets $70,000. The mills in Paterson and Dover employed one hundred and fifty hands.

THE Pennsylvania Legislature adjourned *sine die* on the 6th.

RICHARD WILDEY, a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature from 1860 to 1863, committed suicide at Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, on the 6th.

The first railway engine crossed the new cantilever bridge at Niagara Falls on the 6th.

AT New York on the 6th the National Temperance Society adopted a resolution asking Congress to amend the Constitution of the United States so as to prohibit the liquor traffic entirely.

DURING a fire in a tenement house in New York on the 6th Bridget Murtha and a man named Sheehan, old people, were painfully burned. Mrs. Julia McGrath was overcome by smoke and may die. Two men leaped from a third story window.

THERE were 309 business failures reported in the United States and Canada for the week ending on the 7th, against 242 the previous week. This is the largest number recorded in any week for years past.

A CALL has been issued by the President of the Workingmen's Association, of Lynn, Mass., for a National Convention of the Workingmen's party and the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President.

THE annual report of the Auditor General of Pennsylvania shows the receipts at the State Treasury last year to have been $6,775,430.10. Of this amount $2,089,332.95 was derived from the tax on corporation stock and limited partnership, $837,558.08 tax on gross receipts, $335,468.56 tax on bank stock, $374,819.47 tax on personal property, $404,764.65 tax on collateral inheritances, $235,880.13 tax on foreign insurance companies, $489,930.53 tavern licenses, $315,123.76 retailers' licences, $107,004.24 bonus on charters. The receipts greatly exceed the estimate of the State Treasurer made a year ago in his annual report.

THE Mount Hickory Iron Works and Rolling Mill, one of the largest manufactories of Erie County, Pa., were destroyed by fire on the morning of the 9th. The mill was mainly owned by William L. Scott and had a working capital of $250,000, and employed 250 men. Loss $200,000; insured for $90,000. A man, who gave the name of Frank Ward, of Sharon, Pa., was arrested for firing the building. He was noticed prowling around the neighborhood in a suspicious manner, and could not give a good account of himself.

FRANCIS J. PARMENTER, a coal dealer of Providence, R. I., was found dead in his barn with his skull fractured, on the morning of the 9th. John Martin and Joseph F. Bree, white, and Thomas Harket, colored, were arrested on suspicion.

REV. DR. JOHN O'MEARIS, corresponding secretary of the American Board of Foreign Missions, died at Boston on the 8th.

F. M. NICHOLS was arrested by United States officials on the 8th for running a postal agency in Wilkesbarre, Pa. He employed boys and delivered letters for one cent, which is just half what the Government charges for drop letters in cities where they have carriers.

THE New York *Tribune* on the 9th published articles exposing a ring of contractors who have defrauded that city out of large amounts by a system of unbalanced accounts. They were in collusion with the civil engineer, who made deceptive estimates.

A MOB at New London, Conn., on the 8th, smashed George S. Avery's store front, hanged him in effigy and threatened to tar and feather him. A widow of that place said he had broken his marriage engagement with her, and it was on that account the mob made the attack.

THE Penn Iron Company, of Lancaster, Pa., notified its puddlers on the 8th of a ten per cent. reduction in their wages to take effect on the 15th. It is probable the works will be shut down if the workmen refuse to accept the reduction.

THE President of Tufts College, Boston, stated recently that while public opinion appeared to be toward co-education, it was found inadvisable to admit women.

THE Annisquam Mill at Rockport, Mass., used for the manufacture of corset jeans, burned on the 9th. The loss is estimated at $400,000.

THE Central Labor Union of New York, on the 9th, passed a resolution urgently recommending the President of the United States to interfere in the case of O'Donnell, the murderer of James Carey, and to endeavor to procure a stay of execution.

WEST AND SOUTH.

THE Farmers' Congress of the United States convened in Louisville, Ky., on the 5th, to be in session three days. Sixty or seventy delegates were present, mostly from the South. The President, in his address urged the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture as a member of the Cabinet.

THREE negro children were burned to death in Columbia County, Ga., on the 5th. The parents went to church and locked the children in the house.

ON the 5th news reached Tombstone, Arizona, that a band of Apaches had attacked two Americans and seriously wounded them near Frontera, N. M. The news created considerable excitement at Tombstone, and General Crook's policy of murdering the women and children and leaving the fighting bucks to raid was strongly condemned.

A HEAVY rain and wind storm on the 8th blew down a large number of telegraph poles and wires at Denver, Col., blockading many of the streets.

HEAVY rains at Dallas, Tex., on the 6th partially flooded the city and did considerable damage to property.

GLICK BROTHERS' fertilizing tanks at the Chicago stock yards exploded on the night of the 5th, wrecking the entire building. There were fourteen men and two boys in the building at the time and it was thought several were buried in the ruins. Two men are known to have been fatally hurt and five more seriously injured.

SEVEN shocks of earthquake at Rosenden Springs, Ark., on the 5th lasted forty minutes, broke crockery and glassware in stores and houses and loosened large rocks in the cuts of the Kansas City & Memphis Railroad, which fell on the track. The shock was accompanied by a loud noise and violent jar of the earth.

AT Lynchburg, Va., on the 6th, Harrison Crews, colored, was convicted of incendiarism and sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty-six years.

JOHN J. JOHNSON and Coleman Hawkins, rich farmers of Anderson, Ind., quarreled about a ditch on the 5th and Hawkins shot Johnson and committed suicide.

A SPECIAL dispatch from Helena, Mont., on the 6th stated that during the month of October a man representing himself as Postoffice Inspector Stedman, and afterwards as Inspector Henderson, visited the postoffices between Miles City and Helena, swindling officials and banks of sums of money. He was arrested recently and proved to be a man named S. W. Scott.

THE Grand Jury now sitting at Elkhart, Ind., has been instructed by Judge Osborne to bring in indictments against news dealers handling obscene illustrated papers.

A little dot of a girl coaxed two nickels from her father on Thanksgiving day, saying she would use one for candy and the other she would give to the missionaries. Before executing her expressed intentions she lost one while at play, and running to her mamma, said: "Oh, mamma, I have lost my missionary nickel."

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How They Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, indeed; I have seven calls to make." "Do call again soon." "Thank you; but you don't come near me once in age." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye." "Good bye, dear."—*Exchange.*

"Gale Forest gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes! and after writing that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to "brace up." Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hellow! old fellow, how are you?" (They shake) "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top!" "When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" significantly.) "Well—yes, don't care-fi-do." (They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around, to make sure no outsiders are about, to see they are breaking their pledge—pause—they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being primed," resumed:) "How's yer folks?" "All well; how's yours?" "All flourishing now; youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good up your way?" "Well, yes, pretty fair." How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way; big democratic majority. (Takes out his watch.) "Thunder! ten minutes to 12,—must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements. Good bye." "Good bye." They again wring hands, and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to stand another treat.

Scientific Notes.

The human body is seven-eighths water. The blood is mostly water. All the tissues owe their softness to it, and even the bones have a share of this fluid. No organ of the body could perform its duty, nor could life be sustained without it. Alcohol burns up the water, diseases and destroys the body.

An iron rail properly made, it is said, will last as long as those of steel. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road near Dayton has in use iron rails placed there thirty-one years ago which are yet in fair condition. They were made at Johnston, Pa., and the order required that they should be the best possible to be made. It is safe to say that no iron rails are made nowadays which would endure an equal amount of traffic for thirty years.

Denmark has lately acquired a torpedo-boat which is pronounced in England, where it was made, the largest afloat. Her displacement is fifty-five tons and her armament comprises four of the largest Whitehead torpedoes, each carrying eighty pounds of gun-cotton and a Hotchkiss revolving gun. She has a coal capacity of ten tons, which is equivalent to 1,200 miles at eleven knots, but her full speed is twenty knots. Despite her great size, the boat is capable of transportation by rail.

In a paper read before the British Medical Association, Dr. J. Hadden objects to the treatment of fevers by immersing the patient in cold baths for the purpose of directly abstracting heat. He says the theory upon which such treatment is advocated is incorrect. The high temperature is not itself the cause of the worst symptoms of fevers. Furthermore he declares that in practice such treatment is dangerous, and that the only safe way of using baths in fevers is by sponging the surface with moderately cold water. Even tepid or warm water will exert a cooling and soothing effect. The immersion method is too shocking.

Professor Donders, long known as the most distinguished oculist in Holland, recently delivered a lecture in Amsterdam, on color, which has been widely quoted. After an elaborate experimental analysis of various popular notions on the subject in hand, Professor Donders proceeded to demonstrate that, notwithstanding the prevailing theory, green must be ranked with the primitive colors, like red, blue, and yellow. Green, the Professor explained could not be produced by mixing pure yellow and blue—such a composition would be white, in the very nature of things. The green color which is apparently derived from the mixture or amalgamation of two paints is, in reality, says Professor Donders, the result of subtraction.

Good Advice for Everybody.

1. Never, under any circumstances assume a responsibility that you can avoid consistently with your duty to yourself and others.

2. Base all your actions upon a principle of right; preserve your integrity of character, and in doing this never reckon on the cost.

3. Remember that self-interest is much more likely to warp your judgment than all other circumstances combined; therefore look well to your duty when your interest is concerned.

4. Never make money at the expense of your reputation.

5. Be neither lavish or niggardly. Of the two, avoid the latter. A mean man is universally despised, but public favor is a stepping stone to preferment therefore generous feelings should be cultivated.

6. Say but little; think much and do more.

7. Let your expenses be such as to leave a balance in your pocket. Ready money is a friend in need.

8. Avoid borrowing and lending.

9. Wine drinking and cigar smoking are bad habits; they impair the health and pocket, and lead to a waste of time.

10. Never relate your misfortunes, and never grieve over what you cannot prevent.

11. Cultivate promptness in deciding upon matters that come before you; there are few objects more disagreeable than an undecided, vacillating man. Consider thoughtfully, but decide promptly.

12. Never break a business engagement of any kind, if it be possible to meet it. Let nothing cause you to become careless of business etiquette, integrity and promptitude.

13. Let truth and an unwavering faith in God underlie all your motives and actions.

FIFTEEN business buildings burned at Pine Bluff, Ark., on the 10th.

THE steamship Enterprise was sunk in Lake Huron off Port Austin on the 10th. Eight lives were lost.

THE Bar of Salt Lake City has united in a protest against the appointment of Sumner Howard, of Michigan, as Chief Justice of Utah, on the ground that his reputation is bad.

A LITTLE daughter of William Morgan, aged nine years, was burned to a cinder while playing at a bonfire in Elgin, Ill., on the 7th.

THE Farmers' National Congress adjourned at Louisville on the 7th to meet in Nashville next year.

THE slaughter house and rendering department of Sinclair's packing house at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, were destroyed by fire on the 7th. The loss is $100,000. It was the largest single packing house in the world, employing 500 hands.

A CHICAGO undertaker's assistant, named C. Poole, while drunk on the 7th went to sleep in a coffin and was found dead shortly after.

WHEELER, who killed Prent Mathews at the polls in Hazlehurst, Miss., on election day, has been elected Marshal of that city. He is under indictment for the crime.

THE California wheat pool has lost $2,000,000 to $3,000,000 by the recent heavy fall in rates.

THE Pottawatomies Indians have leased 400,000 acres of their reserve to Catherine, wife of Don William Griffenstein, of Chicago, who will use it for grazing purposes.

A NUMBER of Congressmen in Washington have presented a memorial to the President asking that he make efforts to secure a commutation of the sentence of O'Donnell, convicted at London of murdering Carey.

JAMES F. GEIN died of heart disease while giving a spiritualistic performance in company with his wife at St. Louis on the night of the 8th.

REV. GEORGE W. NOLLY, a well-known Methodist minister, died at Ashland, Va., on the 9th, aged eighty years. He had been over fifty years in the ministry.

THE Union Rolling Mills, at Cleveland, Ohio, were destroyed by fire on the morning of the 9th. Loss estimated at $150,000; insured for $50,000.

FIVE mounted men raided the town of Brisbee, Arizona, on the night of the 8th and killed three men and wounded a woman. They then robbed a store of $1,200. They are believed to be the same men who robbed a train at Gage Station some time since.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

TORONTO (Canada) boys put a cartridge on a street railway track on the night of the 6th. The papers got up a big dynamite scare over the explosion. Nobody hurt.

THE London Press Association says that the woman who accompanied O'Donnell to the Cape of Good Hope sailed on the 7th on the steamer Germanic, from Liverpool for New York, with a well-dressed man.

AT the trial on the 6th of the persons arrested for attempting to blow up the German Embassy at London the testimony showed that a conspiracy existed between those arrested and a police officer to blow up the building and fasten the guilt on an innocent German and then secure a reward for his arrest and conviction. The originator of the plan stated to a confederate that "the more killed the better, as the reward would be larger."

THE Anarchist meeting before the Bourse at Paris on the 7th was a failure, only a small number of people assembling, and they soon dispersed.

THE Chinese Viceroy at Canton repudiates the declaration that Admiral Peng Yu Lin will decline any responsibility for damage to property of foreigners in the event of war with France.

THE Crown Prince of Germany left Madrid, Spain, on the 7th for Rome, where he will visit the Pope.

PRUSSAN, French Minister to the United States, left Havre for this country on the 10th.

IN a battle between the Egyptian forces and the rebels near Suakim, Soudan, on the 8th, 380 Egyptians were killed. The dispatch states that the Egyptian forces were completely annihilated and their artillery captured.

MONSEIGNOR SAVARESSI, until recently the Pope's domestic prelate, left the Catholic Church and joined the American Episcopal Church at Rome on the 9th.

DR. WADSWORTH, United States Consul to Saltillo, Mexico, is ill, and not expected to recover.

LEADERS of a [illegible] organizations, in session at [illegible] the 10th, [illegible] petitions [illegible] asking Congress to [illegible] tion of foreign labor under the contract system.

AT a caucus of Republican Senators in Washington on the 10th, to consider plans for the new organization of the committees and others, a letter was read from Senator Edmunds resigning the Presidency of the Senate. Senators Malone and Rollins were in attendance.

A MEMORIAL was presented to the Senate on the 6th from the Mexican veterans, asking pensions. Standing and other committees were appointed. Bills introduced: By Mr. Cameron, Wis.: To regulate elections for Representatives in Congress and to punish violations thereof. By Mr. Davis: To prevent unlawful inclosures of public lands. A resolution by Mr. Voorhees was agreed to, authorizing the Committee on Military Affairs to inquire into the expediency of purchasing the encampment grounds occupied by the Revolutionary army at Valley Forge for a National park. Resolutions were offered the following, which lie over to be printed: *Resolved*, That in the judgment of the Senate a public debt is not a public blessing, and any measure of financial policy looking to the perpetuation of the present interest-bearing National debt for purposes of National banking, or on any other account, meets the disapprobation of this body, and should be viewed with caution by the taxpayers of the United States. The joint committee to equalize the salaries of employes of the House was given until January 20 to submit their report. Mr. Herbert introduced a number of bills regulating proceedings in the United States Courts, and proposed an amendment to the Constitution limiting the number of Representatives in Congress. Mr. Hewitt (Ala.) introduced bills to pension Mexican war veterans and to aid in support of the public schools on the basis of illiteracy. Mr. Dunn also introduced a Mexican veteran pension bill; a bill to bring certain Pacific railroads under the operation of the Thurman act, and another to provide certain improvements for the Mississippi River. Mr. Rosecrans introduced bills repealing the Desert Land act; to encourage American shipbuilding; to establish a Department of Commerce and Navigation; to prevent discrimination in railroad transportation; to reorganize courts of the United States; to incorporate the Maritime Canal Company, of Nicaragua. Mr. Sumner (Cal.) introduced bills to increase postal facilities for the people of the United States. Mr. Oates introduced a bill repealing the pre-emption laws and amending the homestead laws so patents could be issued after three years of actual occupancy.

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Origin of Popular Phrases.

NAMOSE.—A Mexican phrase—an adaptation of the Spanish verb *namar*, meaning literally, "for me, so."

PASTY.—This word, which is now used as a vulgar synonym of dittery, is by no means of recent origin, as many suppose. It was really coined 300 years ago, and has been in use uninterrupted from that period.

POSE.—This term, which is extensively used in the United States and England to designate the person placed at the corner of workmen and working women is an improvement on the Dutch original, meaning employer.

BOGUS.—An Anglicism—the vernacular for counterfeit—the name of a forger who operated somewhat extensively across the water about thirty-five years ago. He passed false tokens and counterfeit bills to the amount of many thousand dollars, and hence the term "bogus" is applied to whatever is false and fraudulent.

A DELUSION, A MOCKERY AND A SNARE.—The fact that this familiar saying has about it a certain Biblical ring, has sometimes led to its being quoted as from one or other of the Hebrew prophets; the words are, in fact, an extract from the judgment of Lord Denman, of the English house of lords, on the appeal of Daniel O'Connell to that body from the verdict rendered at his trial.

RED TAPE.—An English expression, originated by Carlyle and made popular by Dickens. It was designed to represent the ceremonious delays and official formalities characteristic of the British governmental routine. It is similarly used in this country to ridicule the tardiness with which everything is effected by the formalism of government officials. The expression arises from the fact that government officers generally tie up their bundles of paper with red tape.

CANTEEN.—This is, perhaps, the only word in our language which, originally passed into a foreign tongue, and was afterward taken back in a modified form. As originally spoken by the Saxon, it was simply a *tin can*; but the Gaul, as is his wont, placing the noun before the adjective, and pronouncing the letter t as c brought it out as *canon*, pronounced *can-ceen*. Adopting a thousand other French terms, the obtuse Englishman took back his own original word in a new shape, without any inquiries on the subject, and hence we now say canteen instead of tin-can.

TO THE MANOR BORN.—This phrase, strictly construed, has perhaps a meaning. It is a form of expression that defines the privilege or position of an heir on whom is entailed some landed estate, the manor of a wealthy or noble family. But has it any authority to be used, as we frequently see it, as a technical or proverbial saying? Probably not. It is not a phrase known in law to define the legal status; and it is not a question of proverbial significance from any of our classic writers. It is apparently a perverted reading of the following passage in Shakespeare:

Horatio—Is it a custom?
Hamlet—Aye, marry is't;
But to my mind—though I am a native here,
And *to the manor born*—it is a custom
More honored in the breach than the observance. —Hamlet, Act 1, Scene 4.

OLD HARRY.—The popular attributes of the evil one are a human form with horns, tail and cloven foot. These are probably derived from the representations of the Greek satyrs and the Roman fauns—the wild gods of the mountains and groves; and it is probable that the name Old Harry was originally Old Hairy. The satyrs were said to have hair like goats; and "hayre," or "harie," in old English, signified a garment made of goat's hair.

On this supposition Old Harry or Old Hairy would have some affinity to Old Shock, a popular English name given to the demon that was supposed to haunt roadsides and wild pathways. Shock is a head of rough hair, a rough-haired dog. The evil one is sometimes called "the Lord Harry," a title perhaps given derisively; or it may allude to the Scripture term, "the god of this world," the prince of the powers of darkness.

The Model Farm.

The Keota (Iowa) *Eagle* has at last found a western man who is satisfied with a fifty acre farm. His name is Artemus Fisher, and he lives one mile and a half south of Keota. The *Eagle* tells the story of his management and of his success as follows:

He keeps one team of horses, three first class cows, and a nice little drove of the best hogs. He milks his cows for the creamery, and they made him nearly $200 last year; will perhaps do better this year. He will sell $500 worth of hogs this year, and have thirty stockers to keep over. He has $200 worth of flax-seed to sell; has an abundance of hay and grain to keep his stock in first-class condition during the winter. He keeps everything in apple-pie order about his farm; his cows revel in clover up to their eyes; he attends to feeding, watering and milking as regularly as the clock strikes, hence he gets the best results with the least possible feed. He keeps his stock under cover, and never allows any animal to shiver in the fence corners. He has a barn that is a model of convenience and economy. It is snow-proof, and as warm as the old kitchen. He has a first-class selection of fruit—not a large orchard, but a choice selection of the varieties that thrive and bear the best in this locality. Everything about the farm bears marks of intelligence, thrift and economy. Besides making a living for himself and the "old lady," he will sell at least $800 worth of stuff off his fifty acres this year, and not be exceeding former years either. There is no rush or hurry about this model farm. Everything goes off quietly and regularly. The expenses are very small and the gains sure.

A hotel in Boston built of stone and brick 66 and 69 feet frontage with basement and seven stories above the sidewalk, was moved nearly 100 feet in order to make a change in the street. One side was supported by eight granite columns twelve feet high, the whole building weighing 5,000 tons beside the furniture. The occupants of the stores and the hotel were not disturbed in the removal.

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We have all and examine our sideboards, chiffoniers, hall trees, parlor mirrors, on marble base, cylinder case book cases, secretaries, easles, Turkish rockers, all kinds. Gents' easy spring back chairs, ladies easter rockers, wicker rockers, walnut rockers, camp rockers, in fact we have 200 styles of chairs for you to select from.

We deliver our goods at the station free in these towns: Manchester, Clinton, Dundee, Britton, Tipton, Ridgeway, Springville, Addison, Holloway, Deerfield, Blissfield, Adrian Junction and Tecumseh and at the same time we will still try to undersell all in good goods. Since moving into

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Or, if your purse is too light, a sweet-toned Estey Organ. Or, too light for that, a still Light Running White or Domestic Sewing machine, especially when you can buy at your door cheaper than in Detroit.

Before investing your money call and see.

G. P. SPARKS.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST. Between Tecumseh and J. Davidson's farm on the Macon road, a mink boa. The finder will please leave at the Herald office.
MRS. HUGH HENDERSHOTT.

LOST. On Sunday, Dec. 9, between Tecumseh and Franklin Center, a woolen shawl, black and gray. The finder will do a favor by leaving it at the HERALD OFFICE.

BEES FOR SALE. I have a quantity of bees which I wish to sell, either by the single hive or bulk, at my home one mile north and one east of Ridge way. ANGELINE E. BEAL.
Macon, December 11, 1883.

WANTED. A good active boy. Also several young girls to attend in Fenbach's great novelty store next door to Herald Office. Call Thursday evening between 6 and 8 o'clock.

BURNETT HOUSE—Toledo, Ohio. This house has lately been enlarged and refitted, with elevator and other modern improvements, and is a favorite resort for the traveling public. Rates reasonable and graded according to rooms occupied.

FOR SALE. A first-class set of tools and stock suitable for gunsmithing and general repairing. P. J. WELLING, Tecumseh, Mich.

SUITS OF ROOMS TO LET. Apply at WM. HAYDEN'S.

STRAYED—Into my premises, this day, nine small shoats. The owner can recover the same by proving property and paying charges.
Dec. 6, 1883. N. C. STACY.

FOR SALE. One yearling thoroughbred Jersey bull, $35; one full-blood boar, $8 per pound, age 4 months; not of young cattle.
JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot, for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

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I will pay greenbacks or gold for hides and sheep pelts. I have also first class hand made harness, both double and single which I would exchange for good milch cow, wood, corn or oats.

Why not save commission and sell your hides and sheep pelts direct to the tanner.

O. W. BEAN.

The court house committee will hold another meeting on the 15th inst.

The Clinton Council, Royal Templars of Temperance, is in a flourishing condition.

Landlord Passmore now rejoices in having one of the best hotel offices in Lenawee county.

J. W. Clement, formerly of Blissfield, has purchased an interest in the Albany (Mo.) Ledger.

H. D. Cutting, of Clinton, attended the Michigan Bee Keepers' Association at Flint last week.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Clinton M. E. church was held last Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Wood's residence at Deerfield caught fire last week Tuesday and was damaged to the extent of $300.

There will be a Donation at the Baptist church for the benefit of Rev. C. E. Conley, on Thursday next, Dec. 20th.

Mr. & Mrs. I. P. Keyser returned home last week from a visit among Mrs. Keyser's relatives in New York state.

The club rates offered in this week's HERALD are the best ever presented through this office. Take advantage of them.

The oldest inhabitant scratches his head and tries to remember a former instance of such weather as this in December.

The regular annual meeting of the Lenawee Baptist Association will be held at Adrian on the 17th and 18th of this month.

Thanks to Hon. J. W. Connett, of Chicago, for the seventh annual report of the department of public works of that city.

Charlie Patterson has obtained a clerkship in a boot and shoe house at Cleveland, and will leave Tecumseh much to the regret of his friends.

St. Nicholas still leads all the juvenile monthlies. It has an extraordinary list of attractions for 1884 which can be found at length in another column.

Willis Merritt held a certificate in the Michigan Mutual Benefit Association of Hilldale, and an assessment has been ordered to pay the loss occasioned by his death.

The new office counter at the Lilley House was made at Slayton & Kinney's factory. Dell Wood, their efficient foreman, superintending the job. It is a model of beauty.

James Cook, of Raisin, has made a business engagement with the Studebaker Wagon Co., of South Bend, Ind., and has gone to Dakota to boom the wagon trade in that growing territory.

That sterling religious and secular weekly "The New York Observer" displays its prospectus in another column. Read it and heed it. You cannot find a better family newspaper on the continent.

Peck's Bad Boy has become a noted personage. People who like to read Peck's Sun, and thus enjoy a weekly interview with the young man can obtain it at reduced rates by clubbing with the HERALD.

There will be a grand Christmas party at Sage & Carey's hall, in Macon, on Tuesday night, Dec. 25th. Music by Frank Spear's band. Room managers, Rice Hendershot and Len Rhodes. Look out for a good time.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 13, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Sheriff Bidwell was in town yesterday.

Those gorgeous sunsets still hold the platform.

George Smith, of Toledo, was in town last Tuesday.

This has been a bad winter for the skate trade thus far.

Last Saturday was the last day for physicians to register.

The roller skate craze has struck Hudson full in the face.

The Blissfield B. B. C. are preparing for a Christmas ball.

At this writing the muskrat stands ahead as a weather prophet.

The citizens of Deerfield are much pleased with their new fire engine.

Prospectuses till you can't rest in this week's HERALD. Read them all.

Smoking cars are now attached to all Jackson Branch passenger trains.

The younger ladies of Deerfield are already making preparations for a leap year dance.

The Southern Michigan Medical Association holds its next meeting in Adrian, Dec. 21st.

The standard time is now sent by telegraph at 11:00 A. M., instead of 12:00 as heretofore.

A Fair and Entertainment was held last evening by the ladies of St. Johns Episcopal church of Clinton.

Dell Goodrich, of Clinton, has sold his farm of 60 acres in Clinton, to Mr. Harvey Palmer for $5,000.

Morenci Observer: The old pioneer Benjamin Hornbeck, who came near his death recently, by taking poison by mistake is gradually recovering.—It was Mr. H. that cut the first tree on the site where Morenci now stands in June, 1834.

Morenci Observer: "Go west, young man, go west and grow up with the country." Allen Metcalf, a native of Sugartown, went to Iowa a year ago, and at the late election was elected justice of the peace by an overwhelming majority.

The third lecture in the Star Course at Adrian will be given on Tuesday evening next, Dec. 18th by Dr. P. S. Henson, of Chicago. Subject, "A plea for the old." Dr. Henson was one of the most successful lecturers at Chautauqua last season.

All things considered, Texas Siftings is probably the best humorous paper now published in America. It is clubbed with the HERALD at almost half the regular rates. We should scarcely consider our club list complete without the Siftings.

Clinton News: We understand that all the telephones in this place will be taken out except one which will be put in at Burchard's drug store and which will serve to do all the business necessary; the switch board of course, will not be used.

Hudson Post: Last evening the clerks in the store of John K. Boies made their employer a surprise, it being his birthday. They gathered at his house about eight o'clock, passed a pleasant evening, and presented him with an elegant Unabridged Dictionary.

The State Grange meets at Lansing this week. G. B. Horton, Rufus Baker and Samuel Morey, with their wives are delegates from this county. The Weston Grange glee club are invited to "do" the vocal music, making the third time they have been thus honored.

The young people's social club in Dist. No. 5, will hold a tableau and magic lantern social at the residence of Uncle John Rector, Dec. 14. Mr. Rector desires a full house, and says "tell the young folks to come on, we have room enough for them all." Don't disappoint him.

The Louisville Courier-Journal is the leading paper of the South. It is a red-hot free trade organ and one of the ablest conducted papers in the Mississippi valley. People who may wish to take a representative Southern journal cannot find a better one. It is on our club list.

The "Michigan Farmer" has become a household word throughout the Wolverine state. It is the best agricultural weekly for a Michigan man, who takes but one paper of that kind. It will be found in our club list and people can procure it through us at the lowest club rates.

Hudson Gazette: One has to make an inspection of the Curtis mansion in Wheatland, to understand its beauty and convenience. It is fitted up with all the modern improvements, the last one (but by no means the least) being telephone connection with Michigan and Ohio towns. Stock buyers will especially appreciate this.

The December number of the Gardiner's Monthly is at hand. It contains besides its usual array of useful reading matter a fine steel portrait of John J. Thomas, the celebrated horticulturist. For gardeners and fruit growers this monthly cannot be excelled. Published by Chas. H. Marot; 814 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

Hough & Hosmer are ready for the Holidays. If you doubt it, step into their store.

We understand that R. C. Van Antwerp will open a restaurant the first door west of Anderson's dry goods store. Meals at all hours, oysters, cigars, etc.

Henry Smith, of Tecumseh, has purchased the old mill property at East Manchester, and intends to improve it soon. He will convert it into a flouring mill or a paper mill.

Adrian Press: A Morenci physician in one month has attended professionally thirteen families that rejoice in ten pound baby boys, but thus far nary a little girl has greeted him.

Hudson Gazette: The Hillsdale canning works have closed for the season. Notwithstanding the short crop they have put up 25,000 cans tomatoes, 20,000 cans pumpkin, 50,000 cans apples, besides, corn, beans, peas, pears, etc.

We took special notice of the fancy glass ornaments in C. A. Keil's show window. This ware is very beautiful and something entirely new for the trade. Mr. Keil has an immense line of Holiday goods and all would do well to look at his stock.

Mr. Sidney Baker, manager of our telephone exchange is again at his post. He was called to Ohio to attend the funeral of his father which caused him to be absent from his post for several days. His friends here sympathize with him in his bereavement.

Alvin Bailey hired a horse at Gregory's livery stable in Adrian last Friday stating that he was going to Tecumseh to see E. G. Cook about hiring out. Then he skipped out with horse and buggy and has not been seen since. Officers are now on his track.

Work has been begun on the new furnaces at the Methodist church. In consequence the service will be changed somewhat. There will be preaching in the lecture room of the church at 10:30 A. M., followed by the Sunday school, and prayer meeting at 7 P. M., in the same room.

The dancing school opening at the Armory Hall, Monday evening was a decided success. A number attended and the school will be continued.—Mr. Eugene Smith is a No. 1 dancing master and a perfect gentleman, and we hope a large school may be formed. Next school one week from next Monday evening.

Ex-Gov. Greenly, who died at Eaton Rapids and whose funeral occurred at Adrian, was elected lieutenant governor of this state in 1846, on the ticket with Gov. Felch, and upon the election of the latter to the U. S. senate, Mr. Greenly became acting governor from March 4th, 1847, to the end of the year.

S. M. Isbell & Co., of Jackson, a wholesale fruit house, have established a branch at Battle Creek. A. A. Kennedy, of Tecumseh, has taken an interest in the firm and will be the manager of the Branch House. His experience in that line of business will make him a valuable man for them. Success to him.

The N. Y. Sun is the same fearless, independent sheet it has been since the veteran editor, Chas. A. Dana, took control. It strikes from the shoulder every time, without fear or favor. In the words of the prospectus—which is printed elsewhere—"if you do not know the Sun, it is high time you got into the sunshine."

The celebrated Carman family will give one of their concerts at the Baptist church on Christmas night, Dec. 25th. As this concert is for the benefit of the sick and poor fund we hope to have a full house. Tickets 25 cts., children under 12 years, 15 cts. Tickets for sale at Baker & Hall's and Marks & Russell's drug stores.
COMMITTEE.

At the annual election of officers of Tecumseh lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., held last Friday evening the following were elected:

W. M.—E. M. Conklin.
S. W.—Geo. Wilson.
J. W.—W. H. Arner.
Treas.—T. D. Mark.
Sec.—J. R. Hialey.
S. D.—Abner Wilson.
J. D.—C. A. Sharp.
Stewards—C. M. Burlingame, D. Zellars.

We took a business trip to Toledo last Friday, and while there stopped at the Burnett House. This house is centrally located, has lately been refitted and refurnished and is now provided with all the modern improvements. The cuisine is of the best, and rates are extremely reasonable for the accommodations furnished. Tecumseh people had better give the Burnett a trial when they go to Toledo.

The following are the officers of Tecumseh Lodge, 870, Knights of Honor for the year 1884:

D.—Dan'l T. Hall.
V. D.—A. W. Armstrong.
A. D.—H. W. Stevens.
Ge.—J. L. Schoolcraft.
C.—S. Whittier.
R.—C. A. Slayton.
F. R.—L. G. North.
T.—David McNair.
Sn.—Wm. C. Jordan.
Sn.—Fred. Chiveral.
P. D.—M. P. Brown.
Med. Ex.—L. G. North, M. D.
Rep. Gd. Lodge—M. P. Brown.
Alternate—C. A. Slayton.

Wm. Lamb, of Caro, this state, made the HERALD a call last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Cyrus W. Wells, of Minneapolis, arrived in town yesterday afternoon on the M. & O. road.

The ladies of St. Peter's church will give a social at Mrs. C. J. Brewer's on Wednesday evening, Dec. 19. All are invited.

Geo. Adamson has made several sales lately of solid gold watches, and has an immense line of the goods in stock.

The Misses DeWolf gave a party last Friday evening in honor of Miss Jessie Van Court, of Detroit, who is visiting them.

Slayton & Son received to-day a large fire and burglar proof safe made by the Mosler Safe and Lock Co., of Cincinnati. It is a beauty.

We stopped into Adams' Novelty Store yesterday, and were surprised to see what a complete stock of this line of goods they carry. Their store is quite an addition to the business of the town.

Mrs. John Griswold, while riding home from Adrian last Friday, was thrown from a buggy and received a broken arm. Dr. Samuel Catlin reduced the fracture, and the patient is improving daily.

The boys are again in the habit of jumping on the trains to and from the depot. The authorities wish to give timely warning and will proceed to take care of said boys according to the village ordinance if the offense is repeated.

The L. S. & M. S. railroad will sell round trip tickets at one fare as follows: For Christmas good going Dec. 21, to 26, returning good until Jan. 1. For New Years, good going Dec. 28 to January 2, returning good until January 8th.

The war concert last Thursday evening was listened to by a crowded house and the program itself gave the most entire satisfaction. The committee are indebted to Co. C and the musicians of the village for their assistance, which was freely and gratuitously given. The net proceeds increased the piano fund exactly $100.

Harper & Brothers, of N. Y., are justly entitled to the reputation of publishing the best combination of family periodicals in America. The Magazine, the Weekly, the Bazar and Our Young Folks furnish a good library upon current literary events.—Each in its particular field cannot be excelled. Announcements of the four may be found in another column.

Manchester Enterprise: On Thanksgiving evening the streets of our village were lighted for the first time. The common council having purchased 22 new lamps they were scattered about town in the most needful places. These with the four already provided illuminated our streets quite well, but the city fathers have decided that they need about a half dozen more in order to have the thing complete.

Clinton News: The mania of suicide seems to have reached the brute creation as well as human kind. At least D. Woodward is inclined to that opinion. A fine four year old colt belonging to that gentleman was found dead in his stable Sunday morning.—He had thrust his head through a small hole between his own stable and an adjoining one, and not being able to get it out again, choked to death. The hole was so small that the board had to be chopped apart in order to get the animal's head out, and the wonder was how he could have worked his head into such a small opening.

Blissfield Advance: A letter was received from the manager of the Toledo Base Ball Club, by Henry Carpenter recently, enquiring as to his desire to play ball professionally and for other information. Henry's skill on the diamond last summer was commented on very favorably. His position as first base man was filled with utmost satisfaction, his errors were few, and his record at the bat very fair. If he had any desire to play in a professional nine we believe he would play on an average with the best, and besides he is an honest, steady, industrious young man. The club here would lose a valuable member.

Hudson Gazette: The Gazette has for a long time been telling Hudson people to keep their eyes on the Grand Trunk scheme for a branch or line connecting this great thoroughfare with Cincinnati. The project is being canvassed again, and letters have been received here from Jackson parties feeling of the Hudson pulse on the question; and an informal meeting was held on Saturday evening, and a committee, consisting of Messrs. Boies, Fressdorf, Osborn and Abbott, appointed to visit Jackson this week, which they did, returning yesterday. We have not had time to converse with members of the committee; but we notice by the Jackson Patriot that an important meeting was held at the Hurd House, Jackson, being represented by Gen. Withington and others. It seems the scheme is to secure a branch of the Michigan & Ohio road to the Ohio line through Hudson. The enterprise is a very desirable one for this community, and the subject will no doubt, be duly presented at an early time.

The New York Weekly Herald is one of the old standard weeklies.—Like old wine, it improves with age. The prospectus appears elsewhere.

The Advance says: It may not be known to many, but the latitude of Blissfield is 41 degrees and 51½ minutes north.

Which reminds us that the 42d parallel of latitude runs through this village, the exact location being near the north line of Shawnee street, about one rod south of Brewer & Co's foundry.

Hon. William L. Greenly, of Adrian, ex-governor of Michigan, died in Eaton Rapids on the 29th of November. His remains were taken to Adrian for interment. Gov. Greenly was born in Hamilton, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1813, and he had consequently just passed the age of 70. He was a graduate of Union College, Schnectady, of the class of '21, and was admitted to the bar three years later. He removed to Adrian in 1836, where he has since resided. In 1837 he was elected to the state senate and served for two years. In 1845 he was elected lieut. governor, and when Gov. Felch, in February, 1847, was chosen United States senator, Mr. Greenley succeeded to the gubernatorial chair and filled out the unexpired term. He was a life long Democrat, and by the long ascendancy of the Republican party in this state was continued in private life. He had many qualities of leadership and always rallied about him a large circle of admiring friends.

A CORRECTION.

Our report in the last issue of the HERALD of the recent accident on the M. & O. R. R. at this place being incorrect we desire in this issue to make suitable correction. The victim of this accident was Gustave Vallenburg a Swede, who with his brother Victor and two other Swedes were riding on the flat cars of Conductor Alverson's gravel train. While approaching Tecumseh, after the day's work, it being cold, Conductor Alverson requested the men to go into the caboose where it was warm. Victor, a brother of the other two, had executed this order and Gustave was in the act of doing so, and had neared the end of the flat car, when George Munn, the rear brakeman, came out of the caboose with his lantern, it being 6 P. M., and dark. Mr. Alverson supposes that the light from the lant rn blinded Gustave's eyes so that he walked off the end of the car and fell between the car and the caboose, the trucks of which passed over him, crushing and mangling the right leg half way between the knee and hip joint, and badly cutting and bruising the left leg. Reaction from the shock of the injury did not take place sufficiently to warrant an operation until midnight, when the right leg was amputated near the hip joint by Dr. C. M. Woodward, assisted by Dr. H. W. Catlin, and in the presence of John J. Orr and Mr. Alverson. The operation was performed in one of the boarding cars.

The next day he was transferred to the residence of John S. Kinney, where he has since had every comfort of a good home and the best of care. He is watched over night and day by his brother Victor, and is having the most careful attention from his surgeons. He is now doing as well as can be expected. On the fifth day of the accident he was attacked with a disease known as hospital gangrene, a very dangerous complication, but by vigorous and skillful treatment this disease was arrested. The report that he would have to lose the other limb is untrue. Although it was badly injured and some portions became gangrenous and sloughed out, his leg will be saved, and his ultimate recovery is hoped for.

Barrows is fully prepared for any and all who may want pictures for Christmas and New Year's gifts. Note carefully the changes in price list at entrance of gallery. Special Holiday prices. Get one of my 8x10 pictures at 50 cents each. They are always natural, and I will warrant them equal to the photograph in every way, and remember, if pictures made by me are not satisfactory you need not take them. See the new scenic background put in for the Holidays. My extremely low prices for pictures will not justify me in giving you as prizes for patronage houses and lots, a business block or a dollar chromo, but I will give you full value for your money in good straight honest work.
E. H. BARROWS, Ferrotyper.
Opposite Opera House.

Having furnished the books for the Tecumseh Library Association, also the new books for the school library, we improved the opportunity to stock up with a complete line of poetical works which we are able to sell at surprisingly low prices. We also have a large line of miscellaneous books which will be sold correspondingly low. Hough & Hosmer.

Don't forget to visit Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian, if you are going to buy Holiday music goods. Largest stock and lowest prices. Everything from a Jewsharp to a piano.

Holiday goods of all descriptions at Hough & Hosmers.

—Examine the Photograph Albums at Adams' Novelty Store.

—Just for fun we will sell our $8.50 couches for $5.50. Call and examine a good couch for a little money.
Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—A fine lot of cheap Mattresses at Palmer's Chair Factory at bottom prices.

—Go to Adams' Novelty Store for Dolls, Picture Books, Story books, Games, &c.

—An elegant line of Christmas, New Year, Easter and Birthday cards at Hough & Hosmer's.

—Picture Frames. All kinds at Adams' Novelty Store.

—Something new! The New Home Sewing Machine Co. has just patented and has on exhibition at B. J. Coller's, Adrian, a cylinder Shuttle, which will be used in their machines hereafter. Call and examine.

Slayton & Kinney retail lumber at bay.

For $30 we will sell you a black walnut bed room suit with large glass on the dresser. It is very cheap at $35. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

Beautiful Christmas and New Year's Cards at Adams' Novelty Store. Cheap.

—Leave your orders for Sash Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Don't forget the opening of Holiday goods Dec. 8th at
Hough & Hosmer's.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Fifteen of the finest organs in this country on exhibition at Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian, for Holiday trade and more coming.

—At our "big store on the corner" you can get a marble top bed room suit, Tennessee marble with glass over dresser and commode for $50, regular price $60. Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh.

—If you wish to see new Holiday goods call at Hough & Hosmer's.

—Judging from the number of Light Running New Home Sewing Machines received by B. J. Coller, Adrian, this week, he expects a large Holiday trade.

—No guess work. If you want a good flour as is made in the state get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. B. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

—Take your sewing machines that are out of order to B. J. Coller's repair shop, Adrian, if you don't want them ruined by inexperienced workmen. Twelve years' experience. All work guaranteed. General agent for Light Running New Home.

—You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. B. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain, by taking vitalized air.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 2, 1883.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom, Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED.

MORGAN—At her home in Macon township, one mile northeast of Macon village, Mrs. Henrietta Morgan, nee Boughner, on the 14th day of November, 1883, at the age of 32 years, 1 month and 11 days.

Oct. 3, 1851, was the day of her birth. Her native place was Snyder's town, Northumberland Co., Pa. In the spring of 1864, she came with her parents to Michigan. On the 13th of January, 1870, she was united in marriage with Mr. Charles I. Morgan, of Saline, who with four children survives to mourn the early fading of her life's "bright consummate flower." The deceased was characterized by an amiable disposition, which gained her a multitude of friends. The best Friend of the human soul was hers. Him she loved and served, and he proved her comforter in life and in death. In June, 1881, she made public profession of her faith in Jesus, and in company with her husband was received as a communicant of the Reformed Church of Macon, in whose choir she consecrated her voice in song. Very soon has the Master summoned: "Come up higher." But he found her watching. Calmly she bade her household and friends farewell, trustingly she committed herself to her Saviour, and then by angelic hands the key was turned in the golden key, which opes the palace of eternity." Her funeral obsequies were conducted by the pastor on Sabbath day, Nov. 17. A large audience attended to mourn her loss and to sympathize with her stricken family. Text of discourse: "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit."—Acts 7:59.

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SHIVERS HOUSE, CLINTON, MICH., H. Shivers, Proprietor. Good table, good beds, good stabling. Rates reasonable.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS, H. Rowe & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery, also manufacturers of Tilton's Improved Patent Drag Saw Mill. See advertisement. Repairing a specialty.

WM. DEMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization, $[illegible]. Total premiums received, $[illegible]. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $[illegible]. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unexcelled by any of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $[illegible]. Surplus over cent per cent. reserve, $[illegible].

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To the old stand of J. H. Mills,
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Opposite Hayden's Warehouse, where I have better facilities than ever for doing work.
Horse Shoeing a Specialty.
ED. ROWLAND.

Franklin as a Writer.

His pen was as ready as his purse in the service of all human kindness. And what a pen it was! It could discourse metaphysics so clearly and lucidly as to make them seem plain moralizing. It could tear a sophism to pieces by a mere query. It could make a simple tale read like a subtile argument. He could be grave and he could be gay in a breath. He could spend as much wit and humor on a "Craven Street Gazette"—which was meant only to amuse an old landlady, away from home, and probably out of joint before her return from Rochester—as on a State paper designed to fire America and sting England. In another tone, he translates into human language, for the amusement of a country lady, the reflections in the garden of her house, of a gray-headed philosopher full seven hundred old, on the vanity of all things. His "Petition of the Left Hand" might have been composed by Addison. In it, the left hand bewails the partiality which educates the right hand exclusively. Some of Franklin's fables and tales have been absorbed into the thought of the world that their source is absolutely forgotten. Only in this way can we account for what was doubtless an unconscious plagiarism by an eminent sanitary authority last year of Franklin's "economical" project for diminishing the cost of light. The economy consisted simply in rising at six o'clock instead of [illegible] forenoon, and as Franklin's never become superannuated. Not every one who uses the expression, "to pay dear for one's whistle" knows that the dear whistle was a purchase made by Franklin when seven years old with a pocketful of pence. Franklin's store was too abundant for him to mind, though some of his fame went astray. "You know," he tells his daughter, "everything makes me recollect some story." But it was not recollection so much as fancy. His fancy clothed every idea in circumstance. When the illustration had served its turn, he was indifferent what became of it. Franklin [illegible] to himself when he felt [illegible] wanted any such mechanical aid. English had been learned from Pilgrim's Progress and the Spectator. He had the force of Bunyan without his ruggedness. He had the serene light of Addison with tenfold his richness and vigor. He sparkled with sarcasms as cutting as Swift's, but he sweetened with human [illegible]. Many of his inventions or adaptations—such as "colonial"—have been stamped long since as current English. But he did not covet the fame of an innovator, whether in language, in morals, or in politics. In language, he was even declared a foe to innovation. Writing to Noah Webster, in 1789, he protests against the new [illegible] "improvements" "advocated and practiced by [illegible]." He had as little ambition to be classed as an innovator in English. He wrote because he had something at the moment to say, with a view to accomplishing that single thing should it be in his power. [illegible]

Beauty

[illegible]

Pedigree of Maud S.

The remarkable trotting speed of a mile in 2:10, made by Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt's chestnut filly Maud S. at the Chicago Trotting Park, leads one naturally to look into the character of her ancestors, in order to account for her wonderful performance. Her sire was Harold (son of Rysdyk's Hambletonian and Enchantress) by old Abdallah. Her dam was Helen Russel by Pilot, son of Pacing Pilot; her third dam was Marta Russel, by Thornton's Rattler. It will thus be seen that Maud S. is from best stock and a good record might be expected of her. Her legs and feet are faultless in form, and apparently of a quality that will stand up under any amount of use, and judging from her actions on the track, she is as faultless in disposition as in conformation. This simply shows that breeding will tell, and that there is a great deal in pedigree, if made with some definite end in view. Like produces like.

Woman's best friend for relieving the many pains and weaknesses that are incidental to female life, and one that gives rosy cheeks, brightens the eyes, check every unnatural drain and creates a perfect picture of health and beauty, is Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood strengthens the female system, and removes all feeling of languor, distress, pimples, sores and weakness, producing dreamless slumber and painless regularity of natural functions.

The breakfast taken in winter will determine our efficiency for work in the day, and will so influence our whole being for that period of time that no after-meal can correct. The breakfast in winter must contain more nitrogenous food, than in summer. It is absolutely needed. You must store heat to furnish material for absorption and for maintaining vitality; add to this nitrogenous food something that will disengage heat from the blood and keep up temperature and you may defy the coldest day. Your face may feel it, your hands may feel it, but your body will be impervious to it and go on disengaging that inward heat which can alone stand against the lowest temperature without. If this first meal has been properly attended to we may presume that vital action can be maintained at full force for five hours at least before it needs replenishing.

Many who long suffered from urinary and digestive diseases, causing nervousness, weakness and debility, after trying bitters, kidney medicines, iron medicines, etc., without benefit, have found permanent relief in from one to three bottles of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, the only perfect blood purifier and strengthener. Hundreds of letters to the proprietors have testified to its superiority over the many pretended cures so largely advertised by means of bogus certificates that are bought and paid for.

The Commercial Bulletin remarks that the American nose can now be wiped with an American made silk handkerchief, but no American nose can be wiped with a domestic linen handkerchief, and moreover, no American heart beats beneath a domestic linen bosom. Let linen be a little better protected and linens would be sold cheaper in price and better in quality than the imported linens at the present time. Not a yard of linen is made in the United States. And yet no country is better adapted to flax raising or manufacturing.

The fault with most all cough preparations is that they contain morphia, and are absolutely injurious to the stomach and nerves. That simple preparation of wild cherry bark, called Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, contains no morphia and yet will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other compound. It is the only reliable cure for consumption.

A little tot of a girl roasted two nickels from her father on Thanksgiving day, saying she would use one for candy and the other she would give to the missionaries. Before executing her expressed intentions she lost one while at play, and running to her mamma said: "Oh, mamma, I have lost my missionary nickel."

Don't neglect your cough! Ayer's Cherry Pectoral will quickly cure it and prevent consumption.

That others can hurt us, only shows how dependent we are upon them for comfort.

Why do you suffer with Back Ache, Pain in the Chest, Rheumatism, or lameness anywhere when a Hop Plaster will surely give you relief? Druggists sell them, 25 cts.

"The bullet went in here," he said, touching the side. "I don't feel any pain, and must be bleeding inwardly if at all, I think."

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Climbing the Spiral Stairs.

Inside Architecture in a New England Parsonage.

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ZOA-PHORA
The Great Remedy for all Complaints peculiar to
WOMEN.

Middlewave, Ind., Dec. [illegible]
Dr. Pengelly:
Dear Sir: [illegible] done for me what it does for many. Desiring to benefit suffering women, I add my testimony to the value of Zoa-Phora. For five years I suffered greatly with Prolapsus, being obliged to use a supporter during all those painful, weary years, but, thanks to your medicine, I can do come. I laid it off after using one and a half bottles. I am not well, but I work all the time, and am better than I ever expected to be. You may use my letter, and if any one wishes to write me for more information, give them my full address. Mrs. [illegible]
JERSEYVILLE, Ill., April 25, 1882.

Dr. Pengelly:
Dear Sir:—I am more than pleased with the effect of your Zoa-Phora in our daughter's case. I am surprised to see how she has improved. She is gaining in weight and color and I think feels better than she ever did. Her nerves are steady, and the distress in her chest is entirely gone. I firmly believe that Zoa-Phora is all that has saved her life. I am willing you should use my letter, for I am not afraid to tell what a wonderful cure your medicine is. Yours respectfully,
MRS. SARAH RANDOLPH.

N. B.—This was a case of suppression.

From Mrs. John Spitler,
No. 28 Wilt St., Fort Wayne, Ind.
I have suffered for sixteen years with spasmodic pain in my head and general nervous debility. Recently I had a severe attack of pain in my head, caused by weakness and nervous exhaustion. I thought I should die. My husband said we would test Zoa-Phora thoroughly. He gave it to me according to directions for severe cases, and in less than two hours I had complete relief. I advise all ladies who suffer from nervous or sick headache, or any form of female weakness, to use Zoa-Phora. There is no medicine to compare with it.
May 15, 1882.

Our Pamphlet on "Diseases of Women and Children," SENT GRATIS. Every woman above 15 years of age, especially Mothers should read it.
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NOTICE.—Without a particle of doubt K's Pills are the most popular of any on the [illegible] Having been before the public for a quarter of a century, and having always performed what is claimed for them, they merit the [illegible] they have attained. Price, 25c. per box. Sold by all druggists.

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Are better prepared to benefit the public than ever before, with the best goods in their line. This Stock is:
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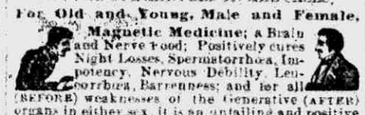
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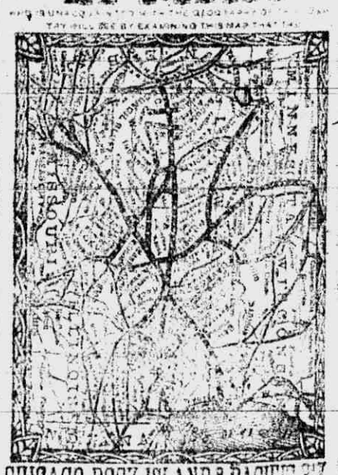
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	7 12 P.M.
Jackson	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Norvell	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 29 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Tecumseh	8 02 "	4 08 "	5 07 "
Adrian	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Detroit	9 02 "	5 17 "	
Toledo			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
	8 52 A.M.	5 12 P.M.	
Detroit	10 22 "	7 37 "	
Toledo	11 12 "	8 53 "	4 45 A.M.
Adrian	11 35 "	9 31 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 49 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 13 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 16 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
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	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
DETROIT	‡ 9 20	‡ 3 20	‡ 9 50	‡ 6 50
Hand	§ 9 46	§ 3 39	10 16	7 15
Romulus	10 05	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	* 4 19	10 46	8 35
Willis	‡10 19	* 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	‡10 25	* 4 34	10 59	9 35
Milan	10 36	4 41	11 01	10 55
Cone	‡10 46	* 4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	‡10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	‡11 05	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	§ 5 24	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	‡11 35	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 59	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	‡12 04	* 6 03	12 31	3 04
Alvordton	‡12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 29	§ 6 35	1 15	4 50
Bakeslev	12 54	* 6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	§ 7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Exp's	W. Ct
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 25	‡ 2 47	‡ 9 15	‡ 5 00
Bakeslev	§ 8 37	§ 3 08	9 35	5 31
Montpelier	§ 9 11	§ 3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	§ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	§ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	§ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	§ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	§ 4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	§ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	§ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	§ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	§ 5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	§ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	§ 5 36	11 53	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	§ 5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulus	11 26	§ 5 54	12 04	4 50
Hand	*11 39	§ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	§ 6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 5. Express.	No. 31. Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 4. Express.	No. 32. Express.	No. 2. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
3 25	3 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 40	5 20
3 30	3 26	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc. "	9 54	3 40	5 16
3 41	3 38	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 41	3 37	5 06
7 17	4 10	9 30	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 27	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 37	4 18
7 42	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 34	1 04	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
		P.M.			A.M.	A.M.
11 30	6 55	12 32	" Jackson (M.C.)"	6 10	9 50	9 50
A.M.						
1 08	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek "	3 30	7 58	7 58
2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	2 30	6 10	7 10
				P.M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
P.M.		A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
					A.M.	
9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" Howell (G.L.&S.)		10 22	2 01
		P.M.				
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
						A.M.
	10 45	3 00	" Ionia "		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 01	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 40	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		4 50	" Howard City "			9 25
		A.M.				
		3 42	" Pt'osk'y (G.R.&I.)			12 01
						P.M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City			9 45

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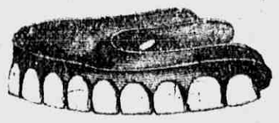

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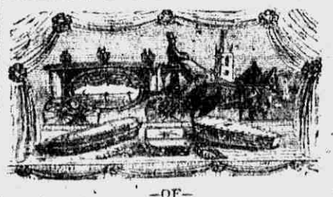

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In 1871 the English officer called together the clan, and after a speech handed out strips of cotton for the women to put on. They then passed in single file to the number of 1,900 before him, made obeisance to him, and were afterward marked on the forehead with vermillion as a sign of their entering into civilized society. Finally, they gathered the bunches of leaves which had formed their sole clothing into a great heap, and solemnly set fire to it. This leaf-wearing tribe had no knowledge of the metals till quite lately, when foreigners came among them, and no word existed in their native language for iron or any other metal. But their country abounds in flint weapons, so that the Juangs form a remnant to our own day of the stone age. "Their huts," writes the officer who knows them best, "are among the smallest that human beings ever deliberately constructed as dwellings. They measure about six feet by eight feet. The head of the family and all the females huddle together in this one shell, not much larger than a dog kennel." The boys and the young men of the village live in one large building apart by themselves; and this custom of having a common abode for the whole male youth of the hamlet is found among many aboriginal tribes in distant parts of India.

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Potatoes, ⅌ bushel	25 @	30
Beef, dressed, ⅌ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef, cattle	5 @	07
Calf skins, ⅌ lb	8 @	10
Cart, single	35 @	40
Corn, ⅌ bushel	56 @	57
Chickens, dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ⅌ doz	25 @	27
Flour, ⅌ barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs, dressed, ⅌ cwt	5 50 @	6 50
Hogs, live, ⅌ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ⅌ ton	[illegible] @	[illegible]
Lard, ⅌ lb	12½ @	14
Oats, ⅌ bushel	25 @	30
Onions, ⅌ bushel	75 @	80
Potatoes, ⅌ bushel	25 @	35
Salt, ⅌ barrel	[illegible] @	1 00
Sheepskins	50 @	1 00
Timothy seed, ⅌ bushel	[illegible] @	1 50
Turkeys, dressed, ⅌ lb	10 @	10
Wood, ⅌ cord	4 00 @	5 00
Wool, ⅌ lb	[illegible] @	[illegible]
Wheat, ⅌ bushel	[illegible] @	1 00

ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the fifth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Noah Cheeseman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John M. Pennington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that he may be allowed the expenses of the administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies that have become due, and praying for the allowance of the final account, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for such other orders in the premises as shall be agreeable to law, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the fifth day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause why a license to sell the real estate of said deceased should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing.

NOAH CHEESEMAN, Judge of Probate.

ESTATE OF HIRAM A. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the [illegible] day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Noah Cheeseman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of [illegible] administrator of said estate, praying for the allowance of the final account of said administrator, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for such other orders in the premises as shall be agreeable to law, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause why a license to sell the real estate of said deceased should not be granted.

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BRITTON BUZZINGS.

S. J. Whinfe has charge of Britton & Sons' store.

Two improvements could be made by changing the name of the P. O. and burning up the old school-house.

Ed. Ranch has moved into his new house.

Edgar Wells and Jos. Exelby have both fine residences nearly completed.

A splendid location for a good physician, and the right man has only to come here and step right into a good paying ride.

Among the other improvements in this thriving burg, the store of John Britton & Son has a prominent place.

The stave mill will soon be rebuilt. It will stand almost directly east of Waring & Kniffin's saw mill, and the way the staff bolts are rolling in shows a good prospect for business the coming season.

There is considerable speculation as to what the M. & O. and Wabash roads will do in regard to depot accommodations, and everybody concedes that a union depot is just what is wanted, at least by the public.

If the right man would put up a grist mill here he could get a good bonus as a starter. What has become of that project of a stock company for this purpose?

S. A. Babcock, the gentlemanly superintendent of the stave factory, who was quite seriously hurt a few weeks ago in Adrian, has so far recovered as to be able to walk without crutches or cane, but his gait reminds us of a turkey who has narrowly escaped a thanksgiving dinner.

Considerable feeling was indulged in at the oyster supper at the church the other evening, besides feeling around in a boiler full of soup for the oyster. We refer to the sliding scale of prices: Children, 20c; adults, single ticket, 35c; couple, 75c. Some suppose this was because two stood a better chance of getting onto the oyster than one, but we can tell you all about it. You see, there has been so much brain work over the numerous ditch assessments, the oyster tariff kind o' got mixed up and was apportioned out on the same principle. The more you pay the less you get.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF

Mr. Herbert Geddes has purchased a half interest in the Lafoon Record, Faulk county, Dakota, and several copies of the newsy sheet have been received here.

Some of the Union folks are trying to have Springville folks come over to the new depot after their mail. Efforts have been made to stop such a movement, and as yet the P. O. remains with us.

Mrs. Walker is very sick at Smith's hotel.

Samuel Kirkby and Wm. Clayson have formed a copartnership, and gone into the wood business, near Lenawee Junction.

The church social of Ridgeway will give a masked tea party at the lecture room of the M. E. church, in the village of Ridgeway, on Friday evening, Dec. 28th, 1883. A cordial invitation is given to all to attend this novel entertainment and join in the exercises of the evening.

By order of Committee.

Blissfield Advance: "Why don't you have some manufacturing to induce people to come here?" is a question often asked by visitors and strangers. A question easily answered. Our business men and capitalists take no measures or even attempt to induce any one to open or start an enterprise of any kind. While other cities and villages make vigorous and successful efforts to secure manufacturing interests, Blissfield is doing nothing absolutely nothing.

Morenci Observer: A fond father and son recently visited a store in Jasper, and the parent, seeing a rubber ball worth about five cents, and thinking it would be a nice thing, quietly slipped it into the boy's pocket. It cost the hopeful sire just five dollars to settle, and now the old man thinks it an unwise thing to steal in a store especially when the proprietor is keeping a sharp look out.

Adrian Times: Raisin farmers have at last waked up to the importance of graveling the sandy road from the Friendly church east. For years they have pulled through this fearful sand and hadn't enterprise enough to remedy the evil. The sand is so light through there that a mortgage won't hold on the real estate; the road has been almost impassable except in wet weather.

The holidays are almost here.

MATRIMONIAL.

At seven and one half o'clock on the evening of Dec. 12th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Geo. Lester, Mr. Dell Bonney, of Rollin, and Miss Mary Lester, of Ridgeway, were united in the bonds of matrimony by Rev. B. F. Rapp, pastor of the Church of Christ, in East Ridgeway. The party was a most pleasant affair, and the fine array of wedding gifts betoken the esteem in which the young couple are held:

LIST OF PRESENTS.

China set, table spread, bolt of factory, silver spoons and feather bed—Father and Mother Lester.

One bed spread, one table spread—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lester, jr.

One lamp—Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lester.

China set, set glassware—Mr. Chas. Lester.

Bed spread, one lambrequin—Miss Nettie Lester.

Linen towel—Miss Alice Lester.

Silver pickle castor and majolica pitcher—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Smith.

Bouquet—Lena Smith.

Wash bowl and pitcher—Horace Smith.

$1.25—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith.

Soup bowels, soup spoon—Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoagland.

Table spread—Mr. and Mrs. George Exelby.

One lamp—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoagland.

Linen towel—Miss Libbie Thackery.

Silver dollar—Mr. and Mrs. James Hindes.

VERITAS.

Artistic Monumental Work.

The Cardoni monumental works, F. A. Cardoni, proprietor, located at No. 22 Gratiot avenue, Detroit, is unquestionably one of the most worthily celebrated establishments of the kind in the West. Mr. Cardoni is a thorough artist in his profession, and all work done by him bears the impress of a master hand. His designs are invariably possessed of such strikingly beautiful proportions that when competing with other manufacturers they are usually accepted. He is an extensive importer of the productions of foreign artists, and being one of the best judges of sculpture in the country, it may be readily surmised that the assortment to be seen at his warerooms is a rare one. Having for quite a number of years been the recognized head of the profession in this section of the country, he can be relied upon implicitly. Mr. Cardoni's gallery is one of the attractions of Detroit, and our readers are cordially invited to visit it free of cost when in Detroit. The Holiday season is at hand and you cannot select a more beautiful gift than a piece of statuary from this celebrated gallery.

The Adrian Record gives this political reminiscence:

There is much talk nowadays about the bitterness of party feeling. But there was a time in the history of Michigan when party lines were more tightly drawn than now. When Alpheus Felch was governor, the democrats were in control of the state. Charles M. Croswell, then a young man, made application to be appointed notary public. In due time the governor's secretary wrote to him in answer, that the governor had learned that he was a whig and hence could not appoint him. Soon after this Gov. Felch resigned to accept the U. S. senatorship, Lieut. Governor Greenly became governor. Meeting Mr. Croswell on the street a few days later, Gov. Greenly stopped him, and in his bluff, outspoken style remarked "Well, Charley, I hear that the governor wouldn't appoint you notary public because you were a whig." Mr. Croswell answered that such was the fact. "Well," replied Gov. Greenly, "just wait till I get over there, I'll appoint you." And he did, which was the first appointment Ex-Gov. Croswell ever received.

The following resolutions were adopted by Clinton Lodge, No. 135, F. & A. M., on the death of John F. Schreder, of which the deceased was a consistent and worthy member:

Resolved, That by the death of our aged worthy brother, John F. Schreder, our Lodge has lost a most worthy brother, the community a patriotic and upright man and citizen, and the relatives an affectionate and faithful friend and counselor.

Resolved, That this Lodge deeply sympathize with the relatives and friends of our departed brother in their bereavement, and feel assured that our and their loss is his gain, and much consolation is afforded by the unselfishness and purity of his life and his peaceful departure.

Resolved, That the example of such a man is worthy of the highest respect and esteem and should be held in affectionate remembrance.

The sweet remembrance of the just
Shall flourish when they sleep in dust.

A FARMER'S PAPER.—We ask attention to the advertisement of THE OHIO FARMER, of Cleveland, O., in this issue of our paper, and recommend it as one of the oldest and most valuable agricultural and family papers of the country.

Take your children to see Eva, Marks, the trick donkey, and mammoth blood hounds in Uncle Tom's Cabin, at the Opera House on Tuesday, Dec. 25.

MRS. DAVID MONFORT.

We clip the above from the Junction City Union, published at Junction City, Kansas. The Mrs. David Monfort to which it refers was the youngest sister of our esteemed citizen, Mr. J. S. Hendryx.

Mrs. David Monfort died Friday morning, October 30th, 1883, at half past nine, A.M., aged sixty-five years, six months and five days. Her death was very sudden. She felt better that morning than common. She prepared breakfast and did up her house work, and was in the act of making some pies, when she dropped dead. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Hendryx. She was born in Steuben Co., New York, and lived there until she was twenty-seven years of age. At the age of eighteen she became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and continued so up to her death. David Monfort and she were married on the 19th of October, 1833, and after spending two years with their friends they made up their minds to go west and grow up with the country. In the spring of 1846 they started for Michigan, selecting Utica, then a small, lively town in McComb county, as offering the best inducements to new beginners. Their means were limited, but she being a good hand with the needle they both went to work and very soon accumulated quite a little sum of money. They invested in the mercantile trade, and built a neat residence, and their prospects looked bright—but just then a dark cloud passed over. Their store caught fire and all their hard earnings were consumed in a few minutes. Mrs. Monfort being willing to sell their nice little home and move further west, in the spring of 1860, Mr. Monfort started for Kansas. He selected 184 acres of land near the head of McDowell's creek in Davis County, and built a log cabin. He wrote to Mrs. Monfort that he would meet her in Leavenworth, and so he did, with two yoke of oxen and an old government wagon. After making a few necessary purchases they started for their new home, and after a long tedious drive of two weeks they drove up to their cabin door. Mrs. Monfort got out of the wagon and sat down on the end of a log and cried. "O!" said she, "where is my beautiful home?" But soon she became reconciled to her fate. Being industrious and enterprising, and seeing the advantages the country afforded for stock raising she said, "If we only had a few cows and a horse I think we could get along." "But where is the money," said Mr. Monfort. "Well," said she, "I have a nice gold watch you might trade for a horse." Mr. Monfort took the watch and traded with A. W. Callen for a nice sorrel horse. Then she took a nice shawl that she had and traded it for a cow with Mrs. Hands, and a carpet with Mrs. Tully for a cow. With these few cows and the natural advantages of the country they soon became well fixed. These facts I give as she told them to me. She was a model housekeeper and a loving wife, and a better mother never lived. She leaves her husband and two children to mourn her loss, a loss that never can be replaced.

The North American Review for January presents a table of contents possessing in the highest degree the character of contemporary human interest. First, the opposite sides of the question of "Ecclesiastical Control in Utah" are set forth by two representative men, whose competence for the performance of the task undertaken by them respectively admits of no doubt, viz.: President John Taylor, the official head of the Mormon Church, and Hon. Eli H. Murray, Governor of the Territory of Utah. Senator John I. Mitchell writes of the "Tribulations of the American Dollar," recounting the strenuous efforts of the people of the United States to extinguish the national debt, and contending that it is our imperative duty today to settle definitely the question whether we shall have dollars of unequal commercial value in circulation. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York, and for sale by booksellers generally.

Dr. Lewis' Monthly will keep step with the most ambitious and vital of our large magazines. It will be illustrated whenever the subject demands such aid, but its peculiar feature, as heretofore, will consist of an able, earnest and determined discussion of Sanitary and Social Questions. Those who have read the past issues of this magazine will need no assurance of the unshoved vehemence of its work. It leaves no room to doubt its meaning or purpose. Dr. Lewis will contribute to each issue papers of hygenic themes whose value even earnest people will find it difficult to exaggerate, while nearly a hundred writers known to the public will contribute papers on living subjects. Although among the largest and most beautiful of our magazines, it is only $2.50 per year, or 25c a number. For sale by all newsdealers.

Demorest's Monthly for January, 1884, is an unusually entertaining number, and exceedingly rich in illustrations. Among the articles of interest may be mentioned "On the Thames," "Sentiment and Science in Philadelphia," by the Rev. O. B. Frothingham; "How we live in New York," by Jennie June, and "The Home of Dorothy Vernon." The interesting serial, "The Shores of Nothing" is continued, and "The World's Progress" and other departments are full, useful and varied. The frontispiece is a fine steel engraving of Sir Frederick Leighton's celebrated painting, "Wedded."

Our holiday rush of advertising will soon be over, and patrons will then be favored with more reading matter.

KATIE'S KISSES.

To me Katie I said: "It's a taste
Uv th' sweet lips that I'd have, an' I made
They belong to me now wid yerself,
An' no party fur kissin' were made."

But she answered an' toss'd me wid eyes
That no star in the sky could outshine,
"An' I think they belong to yerself,
An' how do ye kiss yer own lips?"

Then I said, I cried, as I spake,
An' a tender note lingered in me voice,
"Ye know I'd be happy to kiss
The lips av th' girl I choose."

Then I offered the same to ev'ry
Wid a heart jist as true as the day
But she said, "I did not ever take back
What once I had given away."

"An' if I did, yer tooth an' yer eye, dear,"
I laughed, "I'd wid nothing scorn
She frowned, dis I think that I'm right
Wid a kiss for th' rain or th' pawn."

Then I said, jist as mute as a stone,
An' jist as Aurelia did I stay,
Her lips came close, pouting a bit, lips
Like a rose from each other's way.

Then I thought of the lips of the saints,
An' I spake, "Way up to her throne,
Sure, I spake, "Did ye like
Wid me now?"

— Minneapolis Tribune.

TOO MUCH FOR HUNGRY JOE.

The Prince of Confidence Men Swindled by a Cow-Boy.

[illegible] and blue [illegible] fashionable [illegible] Ashley, of [illegible] had just [illegible] from [illegible] Erie Road. His gar[illegible] made [illegible] they ad[illegible] were [illegible] years of age, [illegible] Mr. Ashley developed [illegible] type. He [illegible] for exercise on [illegible] after [illegible] Mexican [illegible] when [illegible] part of [illegible] His [illegible] English and Western [illegible] speech. He [illegible] weak [illegible] and was in consultation [illegible] New York on [illegible] business [illegible] under [illegible] the most [illegible] to have [illegible] Mr. Ashley [illegible] the morning [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] of the hotel in the evening. He was foundlingly [illegible] with [illegible] and he ex[illegible] liberality. He smoked [illegible] drank li[illegible] became [illegible] addicted to [illegible] habit and [illegible] for a time [illegible] the other, by [illegible] on the pa[illegible] Many people about the [illegible] drunk at the expense of Mr. Ashley, but he seldom indulged himself in [illegible] more than lemonade [illegible] drinks.

One day Mr. Ashley strolled through the lobby of the hotel in the company of a young man whose face is well known to the regular promenaders of Broadway. This young man is always immaculately dressed and clean shaven. He has prominent features and peculiarly thin and compressed lips. He lives handsomely and always has a plenty of cash. With his new-found companion Mr. Ashley, the weak-eyed child of the guileless West, occupied a seat in the bar-room for some little time. Upon this occasion Mr. Ashley departed from his usual custom sufficiently to assist in the liberal absorption of champagne. When his Broadway friend went away Mr. Ashley sauntered again through the office of the hotel. He was beckoned to by one of the clerks.

"Mr. Ashley, how long have you been in New York?" queried the gentleman behind the diamond stud.

"Near eight year," responded that unfortunate gentleman. "Never was here afore, and never [illegible]."

"Do you know the person who just left you?"

"Yes. Met him two nights ago at the Madison Square. I couldn't buy a seat, and he offered me one of his. Said his friend hadn't come, and he would be glad to accommodate a stranger, so we sat together. Seems to be a nice sort of a chap."

"I have no doubt of that," continued the clerk, with a slight air of superior knowledge, not unblended with sarcasm. "That young man is Hungry Joe, one of the most celebrated confidence operators in America."

"You don't say," drawled the Western man slowly and with some astonishment. "Well, I'm darned."

He went thoughtfully away. That night the young man with the thin lips and the handsome clothes called for Mr. Ashley after dinner. As they came through the office the occidental innocent took out a large pocket-book filled to repletion with money, drew from its inner recesses about $500, and deposited the wallet, with the balance of its contents, in the hotel safe. His companion viewed this proceeding with a passive face but a gleaming eye, and the two sauntered together. Mr. Ashley returned to the hotel just in time to take his morning ride on horseback. He slept until about four in the afternoon. Then he drew $200 from his wallet and left.

"You are fully warned," observed the clerk, as he handed over the amount, "and it is your own fault if you lose any money to Hungry Joe."

"Correct," responded Mr. Ashley, stuffing the bills into his pocket.

His next appearance in the hotel was a little after midnight, and this time he got $200 away in the wallet, with the declaration that the New York sharps might be pretty still on bunko, but they were a little behind the times on draw poker. "In my country," he explained, "two deuces and a bowie will open a jack pot every time."

Mr. Ashley passed several days in quiet and seclusion. A full week went by before he drifted out again with his companion of the compressed lips. The next day after that he drew a round $1,000 from the safe, and seemed annoyed when the clerk smiled a broad and knowing smile. "No game ever phazed me," said Mr. Ashley, in a dogged way, "and a man who can hold up his end with cow-boys isn't going to be bested by any broadcloth brigade that was ever hatched." There was a lull of eight or ten days in the proceedings, when Mr. Ashley drew another check. A couple of days later he drew still more. That afternoon he went [illegible] with his gentlemanly companion. His face had been suffused with sadness all the morning, but it was noticed that he seemed somewhat brighter on his return from the drive. That evening Hungry Joe and two of the well known Broadway confidence men spent several hours in earnest conversation with Mr. Ashley. That gentleman's weak eyesight necessitated for him to wear [illegible] that well down [illegible] When the three [illegible] the lobby [illegible] about the [illegible] Hungry Joe [illegible] at which [illegible] the clerks were [illegible] to [illegible] where they [illegible] the following [illegible]

[illegible] Mr. Ashley [illegible] Broadway [illegible] precisely eleven days when he came in from a carriage that was loaded with trunks and [illegible] of all sorts of appliances of ocean travel. He signed himself on the register, "Benjamin Ashley, London." The clerk looked up hurriedly as if to apologize for not recognizing his guest, then looked surprised, muttered a hasty word or two, and assigned the stranger to a room, all in a confused and preoccupied way. This was apparently another Benjamin Ashley. He was tall and slender, and well dressed, and pale. But he spoke with a slightly American-like English accent, not unlike that of the other Benjamin Ashley. The clerk was pretty well puzzled, and for a night he took good care to have the stranger's full name and address [illegible] in the list of arrivals published daily in a periodical devoted to that purpose and carefully read by the order and fraternity. The clerk was [illegible] the next day, and as he had expected, one of the first calls was from the thin-lipped young man, who took care to have his name sent up to Mr. Ashley's room. Word came back that Mr. Ashley would see the gentleman in the drawing-room, and thither the clerk followed after a moment. Hungry Joe was sitting in a large armchair and the tall man from London came into the apartment. The New Yorker carelessly bestowed a passing glance on Mr. Ashley and looked away. The Englishman, however, seeing no one in [illegible] except the clerk, advanced courteously and said:

"Did you wish to see me? I am Mr. Ashley."

"Eh?" queried Hungry Joe, with a startled look. "You're not Mr. Benjamin Ashley?"

"Precisely."

"Not of Kansas?"

"Yes, of Abilene, Kan. How can I serve you?"

The thin lips of the confidence man were rather white by this time, and they were more firmly compressed than ever. He regarded the tall Englishman in a dazed fashion for a few moments. Then he asked:

"Do you own a large cattle ranch twenty-five miles south of Abilene?"

"I believe I do. Why do you ask?"

"Been to Europe to have your eyes doctored?"

"Yes. I have been abroad four months. But my young friend, these questions are rather odd. Please explain yourself."

"Odd!" echoed the Broadway man. "Well, I should think they were. If you are Benjamin Ashley, and you own a cattle ranch, the cleverest man in this country has given me a deal, that's all. Why, it isn't two weeks ago that me and two friends bought a half interest in that ranch, and, by George! the man who sold it stepped in this same hotel."

Mr. Ashley seemed rather astonished by this information, and beckoned the clerk, who had been listening to their conversation quite intently. That individual gave a careful description of the previous Mr. Ashley, and the New York sharper told how he had won some $3,200 from the man, who was on his way to Europe for the benefit of his eyes. He had represented himself as the owner of the Ashley ranch, and at his request the speaker had telegraphed the Abilene Postmaster, who had replied, giving details as to the property, which is valued at about $40,000, and had added that Mr. Ashley himself had gone abroad for medical treatment. The man had represented that he wanted to make certain expenditures in Europe, and that his card-losses would prevent unless he could dispose of an interest in his ranch. He produced deeds to establish his ownership, and they seemed satisfactory even to the lawyers. Thinking he had a chance to get $25,000 worth of material for $14,000 the victim had taken two friends in with him, and by clubbing together they had raised the necessary amount.

"Really," observed the Englishman, when the recital was finished, "I am very sorry for you, but you have unquestionably been swindled. For my part, I shall not have the slightest difficulty in establishing my identity. As for your friend, the bogus Mr. Ashley, he is probably one of my cow-boys, Henry Barnes by name. The description certainly fits that person. He came to the ranch, let me see, about fourteen months ago and asked for a job. Now I remember he wasn't much like the other boys, but I needed more help, and I took him on. He may have been in hiding for some crime, for all I know. But on the plains we care not to pry into such matters. He did his work all right, and seemed rather a quiet, sensible fellow. As for his companions, though, we never trusted them. I [illegible] that the plaguey scoundrels [illegible]

"He does," said Hungry Joe, mournfully.

"It was an expert, perhaps, you come to think of it, and he did the work of that sort for me. He was a cherry sucker, sure."

"And Barnes, the cuss who got off with the money?"

"Is my partner, sir, his interest in the ranch being held by the defrauded confidence operator, sir."

"What's worse," he went away full of my champagne, [illegible] "[illegible] an old and [illegible] there's [illegible] he's."

— N. Y. Times.

Struggling Lives.

You, reader, who are blessed with a comfortable home—who are well fed and warmly clad and sheltered—you can hardly realize to what straits and make-shifts many a poor mortal is reduced to live honestly, or even live at all. Women there are, delicate, cultured, refined, and all unused to physical labor—women nursed often in the lap of luxury, but thrown suddenly and helplessly upon the world by some social or domestic volcano that engulfed home and friends and left them stranded and alone to struggle with the hard conditions of cruel and relentless poverty. We have seen them thinly and poorly clad, with pinched faces from lack of nourishing food, boarding themselves in cheerless and isolated rooms, and eking out a bare pittance honestly earned with needle or pen—patient, often, and hopeful in their sad and lonely lot. Let their more fortunate sisters, born to affluence and comfort, with every luxury within their reach, imagine themselves suddenly reduced to such extremities, and can they wonder that many a tempted one is led into a gilded life of sin? Truly, society is out of joint, and there is need for a larger measure of charity in the world. We wonder if the favored one of earth are aware that there is but little [illegible] in the goodness of one who has never been sorely tempted.

Why is it that so many neglect coughs and colds until they get consumption? Why is it so many die of consumption? It is because they will not come and be healed. Every one knows a sure conqueror of throat and lung diseases is Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, and that it can be got of any druggist.

Small Pox and Vaccination.

A writer on vaccination says, "Small-pox and varioloid could be entirely driven from the face of the earth by vaccination and revaccination and re-revaccination at proper times. It is a well settled principle in pathology that two diseases cannot exist in the system at the same time. Also, it is admitted that a milder form of a disease will prevent or modify a severer type of a disease of a similar nature.

As an example, a child who has had "simple scarlet fever," or measles, seldom, if ever, afterwards has "malignant scarlet fever," unless, it may be, in some cases where some disease of another character may have eradicated the effect of impression made upon the system by simple scarlet fever or measles. The vaccine disease will modify, and always prevents small-pox proper. The contagion of small-pox is conveyed from victim to victim across street and from house to house, by the air, and is also conveyed by bed-clothing and wearing apparel of small-pox patients, and by letters written by an affected hand, and in so many ways that it seems almost impossible for the unvaccinated to escape. Persons who have never been vaccinated are liable to take small-pox from small-pox, and from varioloid. Persons who have been vaccinated are liable to take varioloid only from exposure to small-pox, but will not take varioloid from varioloid."

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ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 28th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edward L. Russell, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament, of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to the petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF PETER DAVIDSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 21st day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Davidson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he is ready to file his account in this court, and praying for the allowance of his said account, and for such other order as may be necessary and agreeable to law.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 24th day of December next at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN F. SCHREDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 6th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John F. Schreder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Susan C. Arner, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this office, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Israel H. Schreder and William H. Arner, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of December, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 7th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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ESTATE OF WM. H. POCKLINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 28th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary M. Pocklington, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Francis L. Pocklington and Abraham Masten, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in Chancery, sitting at the City of Adrian, on the 19th day of November, 1883. Charles L. Hamlin, complainant, vs. Joseph Hamlin, defendant. In this cause it appearing that the defendant is not a resident of this State but resides in the State of New York, therefore on motion of L. L. Pearson, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days, the complainant cause this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

FRANK E. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

L. L. PEARSON,
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple, and Samuel McClure, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said county, to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 23d day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson, in and to the following described real estate that is to say: all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road so called with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5) running thence southwest along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-one (21) links, thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter, thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter, and thence south to the place of beginning. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house (so called) in the city of Adrian in said County of Lenawee, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said County, on the 3d day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney. CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff.

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CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney. dec13

ESTATE OF HIRAM A. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lina M. Adams, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to the executrix in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John M. Pennington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, funeral expenses, the expenses of administration, and estate thus far received, and asking that he have leave to make a final payment of the balance of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for such other order in the premises as shall be agreeable to law and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, late of Silver Lake, Kansas, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lucius Tuttle, of Silver Lake, Kansas, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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The December number of the American Agriculturist contains about 100 engravings, which is twenty-five per cent. more than that in any other illustrated periodical in this or any other country. These illustrations are engraved expressly for the paper by leading artists, covering a large variety of rural subjects as well as farm inventions and contrivances. These engravings alone in any single issue of the paper are worth far more to every farmer and housekeeper than the subscription price for five years. Notwithstanding the American Agriculturist is fully worth four dollars a year the subscription price will remain at $1 50 during 1884.

We are indebted to Hon. S. P. Rounds, Public Printer at Washington, for a copy of his first report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1883. It is complete in all details and gives a better idea to an outsider of the volume of business transacted in the government printing office than anything that has ever come under our notice. Mr. Rounds is certainly the right man in the right place.

We have received from Cassel & Co. a copy of their new etching entitled "Evening by the River", which will be presented to each subscriber to the Magazine of Art for 1884 without extra charge. The etching will not be offered for sale but the entire stock will be reserved for subscribers to the magazine. Write to Cassel & Co., 739 Broadway, New York City.

A good desert after chicken pie next Tuesday afternoon will be to go and hear the Carman family sing in the evening.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

A St. Clair hog only one year old weighs 410 pounds, dressed.

Only three or four mills now running on the Saginaw river.

Evart business men are now fully organized to boom their town.

Mrs. Ellen Donavan, of Wyoming, Kent Co., died on the 13th, aged 103 years.

A substantial bridge has been put up over the St. Joseph river at Bertrand, on the old territorial road.

The Vulcan furnace at New Lexington, the largest iron furnace in the county, has gone into blast again.

Three village authorities are putting down north drive wells for the protection.

The Elk Rapids iron company shut down their furnaces for a week for repairs.

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The university regents have appropriated [illegible] for the library.

[illegible]

Mrs. Fairlamb was robbed of $[illegible] last week while under the influence of ether. The robber is not yet found.

Miss Eva Lamb was robbed of $[illegible] last week while on her way home from Newaygo county.

Saginaw [illegible] has lost [illegible] last week [illegible]

[illegible] has only [illegible] before [illegible] single saw the other [illegible]

The Grand Rapids [illegible] company, of New York, has contracted to put a 300 light plant in the school for the blind at Lansing.

A St. Clair weather prophet predicts that we are going to have a single week of continuous sleighing this year.

Barnes and Bailey, the two young fellows found in the act of robbing trunks at the Dexter depot, got five years each at Ionia.

Mr. Brentung has a bill appropriating $[illegible] for the establishment of Mackinac island, making it a national park, it is very much needed.

The comptroller of the currency has authorized the Merchants national bank of Muskegon to begin business. Capital $[illegible].

The proprietor of the Floyd house at Clio, failing to get boardmen satisfactory to the council, closed his bar and has now closed the hotel.

A Nashville teacher was arrested for assault on a scholar, but the testimony showed that the scholar did not get more than was needed.

George Thompson's elevator at Edgerton, two miles south of Cedar Springs, burned last week with its contents. Loss $3,000. No insurance.

Some Lenoir grangers have been running an oleomargerine factory in Calhoun county and selling the product to Battle Creek grocers for "creamery butter."

The postoffice at North Newburg, Shiawassee county, burned on the night of the 13th. It was in W. O. Morris' grocery, and the grocery went up with the postoffice.

Fencing has been introduced at the Michigan military academy as a part of the regulation drill, and some of the lads are already very expert with the foils.

Fred Morse and John Harris, two Muskegon lads, are charged with trying to throw a train from the track. They sought revenge for being put off the cars.

The officers of the executive board of the state grange for the coming year are as follows: Thomas Mars, Berrien county; William Satterlee, Oakland county; I. G. Ransshill, Traverse City.

An aged citizen of Galesburg, who has heretofore borne a good character, was caught stealing from a store in that village a few days ago. He was arrested and fined. He has a respected family.

Robert Snyder, a well known citizen of Petoskey, has been arrested on complaint of the officers of the Petoskey lodge of I. O. O. F., who charge him with embezzling $98 of the lodge funds. He was held for examination.

The state grange unanimously adopted a resolution expressing its disapprobation of the action of the legislature in refusing to submit the prohibitory question to a vote of the people. It was also resolved that the practice of licensing the sale of liquor at fairs was a burning shame.

The executive committee of the state grange has been instructed to make arrangements for the purchase of salt from salt dealers who are not connected with the Michigan salt association. The grangers evidently want the benefits of free trade in salt even if they do not want it in wool.

Don't fail to see the celebrated trained donkey and genuine imported Siberian bloodhounds in the great moral drama at the Opera House on Christmas night.

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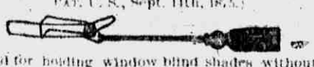

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Franklin as a Writer.

His pen was as ready as his purse in the service of all human kindness. And what a pen it was! It could discourse metaphysics as clearly and lucidly as to make them seem plain moralizing. It could tear a sophism to pieces by a mere query. It could make a simple fale read like a subtile argument. He could be grave and he could be gay in a breath. He could spend as much wit and humor on a "Craven Street Gazette"—which was meant only to amuse an old landlady, away from home, and probably out of joint before her return from Rochester—as on a State paper designed to fire America and sting England. In another tone, he translates into human language, for the amusement of a court lady, the reflections, in the garden of her house, of a gray-headed ephemera, full seven hours old, on the vanity of all things. His "Petition of the Left Hand," might have been composed by Addison. In it, the left hand bewails the partiality which educates the right hand exclusively. Some of Franklin's fables and tales have been absorbed into the thought of the world, that their source is absolutely forgotten. Only in this way can we account for what was doubtless an unconscious plagiarism by an eminent sanitary authority, last year, of Franklin's "Economical project for diminishing the cost of Light." The economy consisted simply in rising at six o'clock instead of nine or ten. Ideas such as Franklin's never become superanuated. Not every one who uses the expression, "to pay dear for one's whistle," knows that the dear whistle was a purchase made by Franklin, when seven years old, with a pocketful of pence. Franklin's store was too abundant for him to mind, though some of his fame went astray. "You know," he tells his daughter, "everything makes me recollect some story." But it was not recollection so much as fancy. His fancy clothed every idea in circumstances. When the illustration had served its turn, he was indifferent what became of it. Franklin did injustice to himself when he fancied he wanted any such mechanical aid. His English had been learned from the "Pilgrim's Progress," and the "Spectator." It had the force of Bunyan without his ruggedness. It had the serene light of Addison with tenfold his raciness and vigor. It sparkled with sarcasms as cutting as Voltaire's, but all sweetened with humanity. Many of his inventions or adaptions—such as "colonize"—have been stamped, long since, as current English. But he did not covet the fame of an inventor, whether in language, in morals, or in politics. In language, he was even declared a foe to innovation. Writing to Noah Webster, in 1789, he protests against the new verbs "notice," "advocate," and "progress." He had as little ambition to be classic as to be an innovator in English. He wrote because he had something at the moment to say, with a view to procuring that something should at the moment be done.—*Edinburgh Review.*

The Youth of Our Land.

There really ought to be some law against the sale of dime novels to young boys. Instances occur almost daily where the minds of young boys have become so distorted by reading trash that they are ready to slaughter their fellow beings in large quantities. A boy who reads about some avenger of the prairie who chops and splits his cord and a half of Indians regular every day, or some pirate whose scuppers run off enough blood every minute to make a hundred dollars worth of blood sausage, gets into an abnormal condition of mind and is wholly unfit for the solid work and low wages of real, every day life. He begins to accumulate pistols, daggers, and other old junk, and longs to run a poniard into some false Spaniard, and twist it around, while he hisses through his set teeth some drivel that he has read in a novel. Such a boy will not hoe corn. Near Peru, in Illinois, the other day, a sheriff found a cave where a number of these boys whose minds had become jaundiced had established a sort of pirate's glen. The pirates were not at home, being away probably on an expedition to capture a dark-eyed Spanish beauty, or a buxom strange beauty, and the sheriff entered the place and took an account of stock. All around were the sinister looking weapons of death, and the treasures and spoils of war, among them were twelve bottles of beer. This in itself ought to teach us that there is no such thing as realizing what novels tell about. There never was a novel yet that told about the duke pacing back and forth with a clouded brow in the elegant drawing room of his castle, and then going to the sideboard and draining a flagon of lemon beer. Not any. The duke always drains a flagon of fine old Rhenish wine, seven hundred years old, before he sets out to mutilate a couple of townships of people. A boy ought to see by this that if he is going to try and follow the duke's example he will have to use old Rhenish wine instead of lemon beer. And where would be the fun in slaughtering those two townships of people with a skin full of lemon beer or pop? It would be insipid. And not only that, but ridiculous. Suppose the duke should draw his rapier to run a person through the body, and just as he was about to say, "Die, villain," the gas from the lemon beer should come up in his nose. He would feel like a fool. A boy who reads a novel, and becomes all wrought up and excited, never thinks of this. Neither does he think who it is that writes the novel. If he could see the author of the novel—who is some poor devil in a New York garret, who has starved himself half to death for money to buy whisky, and who changes his quarters every month to save rent—he would be ashamed to be seen reading such stuff. The poor broken down scribbler who writes about the brilliant diamonds of inestimable value that flashed upon the bosom of the countess, is probably wearing a sheet of writing paper for a shirt front.—*Peck's Sun.*

"Mamie," said he, and his voice was plaintly low, "will you be my wife? Will you cling to me as the tender vine clings to the—" "Yes, I catch on," said she.

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SAVING MOTHER.

The farmer sat in his easy chair
Between the fire and the lamplight's glare
His face was ruddy and full and fair
His three small boys in the chimney nook
Claimed the lines of a picture book.
His wife, the pride of his home and heart
Baked the biscuit and made the tart
Laid the table and steeped the tea
Deftly, swiftly, silently.
Tired and weary, weak and faint
She bore her trials without complaint
Like many another household saint
Content all selfish bliss above
In the patient ministry of love.

At last, between the clouds of smoke
That [illegible]
There [illegible] to pay
And if there should come a rainy day
They would be mighty handy. I've heard it said
They'd give something, put by. For folks must die
And there's funeral bills, and great stones to buy
Enough to pound a man, pretty nigh
Besides, there's Ed and all those out West
To be provided for, among we get
So, if I were you, I'd tell you what I'd do
I'd [illegible] as ever I could
Extra fires don't do any good.
I'd be [illegible] of coal, an' savin' of oil
And run up some candles once in awhile
I'd rather be sparin' of coffee an' tea
For sugar's high
As all go to pay
And you'd a good enough drink for me
I'd be kind of careful about my clothes
And look out sharp lest the money goes
[illegible] mother knows
Extra trimmin
Is the bane of women.

[illegible]
An' as to the carpet you wanted new
I guess we can make the old one do
And as for the washer an' sewin machine
Them smooth tongued agents, so pesky mean
You'd better get rid of 'em sick an' clean
What do they know 'bout women's work
Do they call it idle women was made to shirk?

[illegible]
sat in the corner in a [illegible]
They saw the patient mother go
On ceaseless errands to and fro
They saw the her form was bent and [illegible]
Her temples gray and cheeks sunk in
They saw the gloss of youth and pride
And then with a sigh he could see she
Of [illegible] youthful trades, brother
[illegible] SAVING MOTHER.

A City of Perfumes.

A writer in the *Pall Mall Gazette* says: The Tunisian Arabs have a passion for flowers, and as soon as their spring commences even the poorest and raggedest may be seen with delicately scented blossoms stuck above his ear, the stalk peeping from the folds of his turban and the flower pendant over his dark cheek. I have been told by those who have thirty years' knowledge of these people, that they will almost go without bread to buy flowers. And there is something in the sight of a gaunt, toil-worn Arab, whose sole garment may consist of a piece of coarse sacking and a tattered old turban, with a bunch of delicate spring blossoms drooping their cool freshness against his swarthy cheek, which has a strange mingling of sympathy and pity and admiration.

The perfumes distilled at Tunis have been famous from time immemorial, and I really think the Tunisians are right when they declare that their roses are sweeter than all others. There is one very large, rather pale rose, in particular, from which the famous attar is extracted, which exhales an odor so powerful and yet so delicate that it seems a figure of speech to speak of the "odors of Paradise," and one can understand that the Mohammedan's heaven would hardly be complete without it. But at Tunis it is not only the rose which is made to yield up its sweet breath, to be afterwards imprisoned in cunning little caskets and sparkling crystal flasks enriched with gilding, suggesting to the [illegible] fancy of the Arabian Nights' [illegible] traveler, and who is there who is not in a measure haunted by that wonderful book from the moment he finds himself among Oriental scenes? the imprisoned spirit of some fairy in eternal subjection to the powerful genii man. The odors of the violets, jasmine, the orange flower, and many others are extracted with equal skill, and in the Bazaars mingle their scents with the perfume of sandal wood and other sweet smelling woods, whose names I do not know, and with that of the curious musk odoriferous dark substance which the natives call amber.

If you go to buy perfumes the vendor will perhaps offer you a little ivory box, Arabian Nights again, or porcelain vase containing a scented unguent for the hair, or may be a string of beads to hang around your neck, apparently thinking it of small consequence in what way you perfume your person so that the desired odor is given off to the senses. In Arab households incense and sandal wood are frequently burned on charcoal braziers. The Arabian women of the higher class are extravagantly fond of highly scented carnations, bracelets, etc., and a lady told me that on being introduced, into the apartment of a newly married wife she saw suspended on the wall a gorgeous kind of necklace, almost as large as a collar of the Order of the Golden Fleece, formed of scented woods and amber enriched with pearls and beads of pure gold, finely worked. This ornament perfumed the whole apartment, and my friend was informed that its well to do husband it was always to be found on the chamber of the newest wife.

A distinguished scholar and writer recently said: "I flounder in a sea of scraps." In these days, when the papers contain so many fine sentiments, beautiful descriptions, touching incidents, items of importance and matters of permanent interest, culled from all departments of life, there is scarcely a day in which something does not strike the eye which the reader wishes to preserve, in order to remember and perhaps to use. One of the first things a bright boy or girl should make is a scrap-book of things which interest most. If you have no book, put your selections in different envelopes, according to subjects. The newspaper is a circulating library, with a little of everything in it, and a little for everybody. Make sure of your part of what you read.

On one occasion while the English naturalist Gould was wandering along the banks of the Thames with a party of friends, a rare laugh was created at his expense. He had climbed a tree for the purpose of exploring the contents of a nest. On suddenly looking down at a hollow formed by two branches of the tree, and which at the time contained a pool of water, he exclaimed: "As I'm a living man, if there is not a large owl here in this hole, looking straight at me." The excitement was intense, but was instantly turned to a shout of merriment, when the naturalist on putting down his hand to seize the supposed owl, discovered that it was simply the reflection of his own image in the water.

Read for a Purpose.

It is a mistake to suppose that the more a person reads the wiser he will grow, as a matter of course. I know a young girl of perhaps fourteen, who is a devourer of books of the story sort, such as fill most of our Sunday-school libraries. Every spare minute she gives to the business, and travels through the volumes at a most rapid pace. But it seems exactly like pouring water through a sieve. Not a valuable idea stays in the mind. The whole attention is absorbed in finding out "how the story turns out," with no reference whatever to its teachings. Daniel Webster, when a boy, obtained more information from a farmer's almanac than she would from whole shelves full of books read in that manner.

Indeed such reading weakens the mind instead of strengthening it. Nor does it soften the heart toward real suffering to have the feelings touched and even greatly moved by fictitious sorrows. Even high admiration of self-denial and moral heroism in a favorite character leads to no corresponding action in the readers' life. Rather all demands upon her sympathy and self-denial make her only peevish and irritable. Have you never seen an absorbed reader of fiction weeping over a pathetic tale, but indignant when a weary mother called her off to attend to neglected duties. How angrily the thread of ever-day work was taken up, and how little her presence contributed to lighten the burdens! Any reading that has such an effect on the minds is an evil of a decided character and of most serious magnitude. A well-written story which has a decided point to it is a relaxation for both mind and body; but stories of perverted moral sentiment, where black is invariably painted white, and *vice versa*, are only pernicious, destroying both soul and body.

Read for a purpose, and make the points of the book your own. If a story is read for recreation, let it be a good one in the truest sense, and do not make such reading the sole literary food. When we have found an author who sets our own minds at work in a laudable direction, we have opened a good mine. There are some writers who stop us, in effect, in every half page or less with new trains of thought which their words have awakened; and better still, they set us to doing as well as thinking. Cultivate such helpful friends and you will then secure the noblest end of reading, and will have paved the way for high improvement. After the habit is once well formed of reading for a high and noble purpose, it will be found a source of enjoyment never dreamed of in the old days when reading was only an amusement.

How Does He Sleep?

One of the most important things to know about any man upon whom you are going to place any dependence, is how he sleeps. Sleeplessness may sometimes be involuntary. There may have been some shock to the man's nerves which has made him insomnolent, but sleeplessness is more frequently voluntary. Men choose to push their studies or their work into those hours when they should sleep. It does not matter for what cause any man may do this, the mere fact of not sleeping spoils his case. He may spend his nights in the theater, in the study, or in the prostrated meeting. It will make no difference; the result to the body will be the same. The sleep was not had, and for that the man must pay.

One man may do with a little less sleep than another, but, as a general rule, if you want a [illegible], a lieutenant, a lawyer, a physician, a legislator, a judge, a president or a [illegible], do not trust your interests to any man that does not take eight good, solid hours of sleep out of every twenty-four. Whatever may be his reason for it, if he does not give himself that he will pay some time just when you want him to be strong.

The intellectual and moral connections of sleeping have, I think, not been sufficiently appreciated. Men and boys have been in the habit of "burning the midnight oil." Nor this "midnight oil" is a delusion and a snare. The student who is fast asleep at twelve o'clock every night and well awake every morning at seven o'clock is going to pass another student of the same intellectual ability who goes to bed every night at two and rises before five. In sleep the plate on which the picture is to be taken is receiving its chemical preparation. And it is plain that that which is the best prepared will take the best picture.

Men who are the fastest asleep when they are asleep, are the wildest awake when they are awake.

Great workers must be great resters.

Every man who has a clerk in his employ ought to know what time sleeping hours are. The young man who is up at two, three and four o'clock in the morning, and must put in his appearance at the bank or store by nine or ten o'clock, and work all day, cannot repeat this process many days without a certain sickness coming into his system which he will endeavor to steady by some cordial stimulus. It is this way that many a young man begins his course to ruin. He need not necessarily have been in bad company. He has lost his sleep, and losing sleep is losing strength and grace. *Rev. Dr. Deems.*

Sun-Spot Speculations.

Enthusiasts who make a special study of sun-spots and attendant phenomena believe that the corner stone of a new science is being laid by discoveries pointing to an intimate connection between solar and terrestrial meteorology. Just what the connection is they are not yet able to clearly define, although electricity is suspected of being the agent through which the effects are manifested upon our planet. It is known that the gaseous envelope of the sun is affected by eruptions of such prodigious magnitude as to be utterly beyond our power of conception, these disturbances appearing to us in the form of rapidly changing spots and protuberances. The eras of the spots—or sun-storms—occur at remarkably regular intervals, a complete cycle of the various stages of activity from maximum to minimum and again to maximum being performed in about eleven years—the so-called "sun-spot period." The sun-spot physicists claim a coincidence of the periods of maximum spots and years of great atmospheric and physical disturbance in the earth. The year 1881 was one of great solar disturbances, while it was marked by violent storms and earthquakes upon our globe. Further than this, these scientists claim to have recently detected by simultaneous observation minor atmospheric changes as the result of corresponding movements in the sun. Many difficulties attend these observations, but the Astronomer Royal for Scotland and others believe that the state of the sun will some day become an important factor in weather forecasts and like calculations.

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Practical Proverbs.

I wouldn't gin a cent for de man who quotes old proverbs an' adopts second-han mottoes," began Brother Gardner, of the Detroit Limekiln Club, as the crunching of harvest apples suddenly ceased. "Dis am an aige fur ebery man to hold his own plow, an' who am content to let some one else hold it must be satisfied wid cobs in place of co'n. Ef I was so poo' an' low-down dat I had to pick rags, I would have my own maxims an' mottoes. Instead of sayin' 'Doan' put off till to-morrow what kin be dun to-day,' I would have it: 'Now, ole man, you git right up in dust an sling mo' rags dis week dan any oder chap kin in a month.' De odder day I met Comeback Jones. You know he am 'bout sixty y'ars old, an' bout as hard up as a woodchuck in a b'ar's grip. I axed de ole man how he was keepin' up wid de pure cheshun, an' he replied, 'Wall, ize mighty hard up; but dey say it am a long lane dat has no turn.' Jist fink of an ole man wid one No. 13 in de grave waitin' for a turn in de lane to bring him heaps to eat an' lots to w'ar?—All frew life he has carried dat second-han sayin' wid him, an' am yet a believer in it. Why didn't he have one of his own? If he had said forty years ago: 'Doan' foller any lane, but cut across lots,' de wolf wouldn't be arter him to-day. A man who hes de will to make a motto hes de pluck to make it a success. Buckle down to bizness' an a better motto dan any book kin give ye. Let me, in closin', quote some of de mottoes an maxims belongin' to members of dis club:

Sir Isaac Walpole—'Doan' drap fifteen cents in reachin' fur a dollar.'

Waydown Bebee—'When ye can't dig frew a wall climb ober it.'

Giveadam Jones—'Git dar,' if it takes a leg.

Pickles Smith—'Ye can't swim a'ribber by sittin' on a bank.'

Samuel Shin—'Sot yer alarm-clock fur six in de mornin'.'

Trustee Pullback—'If de road am up hill, stiffen yer back-bone a little mo'.'

Kyan Johnson—'De man who w'ars his hat on his ear shows de empty side of his head.'

Brutus Jackson—'Hoe co'n wid yer hans and arms 'stead of yer mout.'

Elder Toots—'Take a job at fust sight, but doan' trade hosses till ye fink it ober.'

Missed the Train.

It was a colored man. His back was all dirt, one tail of his coat was gone, and every button had been ripped off his vest. He had two limps and a hitch as he came out, and there was a new French shade of sadness in his voice as he toed the mark and said:

"I missed de train, sah."

"Yes, it looks like it. Is your name Jim Scott Green?"

"Yes, sah."

"What train did you miss?"

"I doan' jist remember what train it was."

"Whar was you going?"

"Down the road."

"What road?"

"Dat's what I can't memoret, sah."

"Well do you remember of getting on a drunk?"

"No, sah. Maybe I called fur lemonade, an' dey gin me whisky, but I doan' exactly 'member it. All I recollect is dat I missed de train."

"I think you got the train all right. You were training around pretty lively when the officer got hold of your collar."

"I allus walks in my sleep, sah."

"Well, that's bad for you. You broke a window, kicked in a door, and raised a big row. Have you observed the state of your wardrobe?"

"I has deserved dat I am all broke up, sah. Dis suit ob close cost me seben dollars cash, an' I doan' believe it would sell fur six. Did dey roll me down stairs?"

"No; you resisted arrest and the officer had to mop you around a little."

"He did? I wish I'd bin dar to seen de fun. Kin I step out an' see my partner 'bout two minits?"

"No, sir; you can step up to the workhouse for sixty days."

"Shoo! Why, dat upsets me from gwine to Bufferler."

"Can't help that. Please fall back."

"Can't I settle dis lawsuit fur fifty cents?"

"No, sir. The omnibus will be along to you in about twenty minutes. Call the next case." *Detroit Free Press.*

The Leading-Strings Fallacy.

From the moment a child is born he is treated on the principle that all his instincts are essentially wrong, that nature must be thwarted and counteracted in every possible way. He is strapped up in a contrivance that he would be glad to exchange for a straight-jacket, kept for hours in a position that prevents him from moving any limb of his body. His first attempts at locomotion are checked by being put in leading-strings, he is carefully guarded from the out-door world, from the air that would invigorate his lungs, from the sports that would develop his muscles. Hence, the peevishness, awkwardness and sickliness of our young aristocrats. Poor people have no time to imitate the peculiarities of their wealthy neighbors, and their children profit by what the medical profession would undoubtedly call neglect. Indeed babies are still better off. They are not on bull-beef, and kicked around like young dogs; but they are not swaddled, they are not cradled, and not dosed with paregoric; they crawl around naked, and soon learn to keep out of the way; they are happy, they never cry. If we would treat our youngsters in the same way, only substituting kisses and bread for kicks and beef, they would be as happy as kids in a clover field, and moreover they would afterward be hardier and stronger. Every week the newspapers tell us about ladies tumbling down stairs and breaking both arms, boys falling from a fence and fracturing their collar bones. From what height would a young Comanche have to fall to break such bones—not to mention Southsea Island children and young monkeys? The bones of an infant are plastic; letting it tumble and roll about would harden the bony tissue; guarding it like a piece of brittle crockery makes its limbs as fragile as glass. Christian mothers reproach themselves with neglecting their duty to their children if they do not constantly interfere with their movements, but they forget that in points of physical education Nature herself is such an excellent teacher that the apparent neglect is really a transfer of the pupil to a more efficient school.

MEDICAL ADVICE.

Take the open air, the more you take the better;
Follow nature's laws in the very best way;
Let the physic go to the bay of Biscay;
Let alone the gin, the brandy and the whisky.

Freely exercise, keep your spirits cheerful;
Let no dreams of sickness make you ever fearful.
Eat the simplest food, drink the pure cold water;
Then you will be well, or at least you ought to.

Coloring a Pine Floor.

The *Art Interchange* gives the following directions for coloring a pine floor which is to be partially covered with rugs: Buy at any painters' store turpentine and linseed oil (not boiled). Ask them to put a little Japanese dryer in the turpentine. Buy either burnt sienna or Vandyke brown, or both, according to the color of the rugs and the tint on the walls. These colors come put up in tin cans, smaller but otherwise similar to tomato or fruit cans. After your floor has been washed thoroughly clean, is free from dust, and dry, begin by opening your can and mixing, in another receptacle, the oil, turpentine and paint. Remember, the oil is to thin your paint, the turpentine to dry it. The mixture should be so thin that it will run with liquid readiness. Lay it on with a brush as thick as your hand, stroking the brush the way of the grain of the wood. Protect your hands with old gloves, and go over the floor with a rag. In fact, you will need two rags, one pretty well charged with paint, to rub in every crevice, and another rag to rub off any superfluous paint. Mind your stops, or, rather, put some mind in the way you stop. Do not stop in a straight line across the grain of wood, but carry your brush irregularly down, taking a hint from nature's lines in the wood you are preserving with paint. By mixing the burnt sienna and Vandyke brown you will secure a rich color without needing to mix the paint in a thick form. Your mixture should be so thin that the grains of the wood will show through. If you have too much turpentine the paint will rub off. If you have too little the room will need more days to dry. Do not use much oil as turpentine evaporates. Do not economize the oil, and be as sparing in rubbing as your strength will permit.

To keep the floor on a stained floor it is recommended once a week to wipe up the floor with a mop dipped in buttermilk or sour milk.

Writing for the Press.

There are thousands of young folks who long to write for the papers and get well paid for it. From the first they think they ought to receive three or four dollars a column, valuing their attempts by the labor expended upon them rather than by their capacity for pleasing the public. Now to get handsomely paid one must write handsomely; to write handsomely one must know what the public knows, or would like to know, and be able to tell it in such a style that the public will be eager to hear it. There are thousands who long to write, but have no special aptitude or preparation, or resource for writing, just as there are thousands who long to be rich, but cannot compass their desires in that direction, and thousands who long to be beautiful, and vainly exhaust fashion, corsets and all, in the attempt. Meantime, those who are found to succeed at writing, and have it in them to succeed, will keep on steadily and quietly at their books and pens, climbing up slowly, it may be, but steadily, to place and pay, first deserving success and then attaining it—just as men grow rich by small accretions at first, and larger accretions afterward. There is an immense reading public, and there must be an immense army of writers to supply the demand. As education and intelligence advance, the demands on writers for higher grades of literary work and new species work will advance, and the more difficult it will be to fill the highest place of honor and emolument in the world, for after the pen is the power. But there is room for all, and some more than enough. Why not you as well as another?

What Common Sense Does.

Common sense is a quality of mind [illegible] presents men in rings, oddness, [illegible] and eccentricity. It clothes him with dignity, invests him with power, and elevates him with superiority. It is [illegible] that is often erratic [illegible] genius, course, not [illegible] of trickery. Genius [illegible] element of true manhood [illegible] of royalty. [illegible] and results in [illegible] to the highest [illegible] but step [illegible] and hindrance [illegible] good [illegible] Common [illegible] of [illegible] extremes [illegible] but step [illegible] and hindrance [illegible] good [illegible] Common [illegible] and approach [illegible] of [illegible] up and [illegible] good for [illegible] misfortune [illegible] something to [illegible] the prop is not [illegible] as cup [illegible] and [illegible] without [illegible]

Such [illegible] it does no more resemble self-made men who have fought their way to position, making difficulties their stepping stones, and deriving determination from defeat, than vines resemble oaks, or spattering rush-lights the stars of heaven. Efforts persisted into achievements teach a man to self-reliance, and when he has proven to the world that he can trust himself the world will trust him.

It is unwise to deprive young men of the advantages which [illegible] their own energetic action by [illegible] them over obstacles which [illegible] mount alone.

A Rare Talent.

The faculty of drawing out of persons with whom one is conversing the best there is in them—brighter things even than they suppose themselves capable of—is the rare gift with which Nature has endowed some women. George Eliot was a most charming person in conversation, though she was a women of few words, because of her intuitive insight into the thoughts of others. A few words would put her in possession, not of what they said, but of what they would fain have said, and she would so improve upon it that ordinary people went away charmed with her who had made them for once at least feel themselves to be wise. Long afterward, perhaps, she would call to their remembrance the wise or witty things which they could hardly believe themselves to have said, and which they assuredly never would have said but for her quickening influence.

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NOW-A-DAYS.

BY ANDREW MARVEL.

O say! I'm astonishing that changes
Since I was never married,
When all the girls wore homespun frocks
And spinning-wheels and distaffs
With bonnets made of braided straw
That tilted backwards on the chin,
And knew to hold quietly (?) in the mouth
And fastened with a pin.

But nowadays the ladies wear
Such high three-story hats,
With feathers swinging all around
To scare up the bats.
Their frocks that fall so free
And trailing behind,
They remind the child of a peacock
Yet still more of the wind.

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[illegible] Whooping Cough

[illegible] Astronomy is a backward science. We are told that a railway was to run from the earth to the nearest fixed star and the fare was one penny for every hundred miles, and it was safe to take a mass[illegible] sold to the ticket office equal to twice the national debt, or $3,800,000,000. It would not be sufficient to pay for a ticket to the nearest fixed star aforesaid. If this be the case, it matters very little to us whether such a railway is ever constructed. It would be discouraging to go to the ticket-office with a mass of gold equal to $3,800,000,000, and be informed that the fare was $5,678,032,000. If the ticket agent wouldn't trust until we got back we'd be compelled to forego the trip. *Northern Herald.*

The highest elements of character, of power and dignity lie within reach of the lowest and the poorest.

Instead of being content to live so as to escape blame, the Christian is required to live so as to prove a means of blessing.

The government of a nation demands a certain harmony like music, and certain proportions like architecture.

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G. P. SPARKS.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST. Between Tecumseh and J. Davidson's farm on the Macon road, a mink boa. The finder will please leave at the Herald office.
MRS. HUGH HENDERSHOTT.

LOST. On Sunday, Dec. 9, between Tecumseh and Franklin Center, a woolen shawl, black and gray. The finder will do a favor by leaving it at the HERALD OFFICE.

BEES FOR SALE. I have a quantity of bees which I wish to sell, either by the single hive or bulk, at my home one mile north and one east of Ridgeway. ANGELINE E. BEAL.
Macon, December 11, 1883.

BURNETT HOUSE, Toledo, Ohio. This house has lately been enlarged and renovated, with elevator and other modern improvements, and is a favorite resort for the travelling public. Rates reasonable and graded according to rooms occupied.

FOR SALE. A first-class set of tools and stock suitable for gunsmithing and general repairing. F. J. WELLING, Tecumseh, Mich.

SUITS OF ROOMS TO LET. Apply at WM. HAYDEN'S.

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JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Bridgewater has a 4x4 club.

The Board of Supervisors are in session on this week at Adrian.

A closing out of a large stock of Wax Dolls and Toys at Hough & Hosmer's.

Clinton News: Last Monday the officers of the Clinton Woolen Manufacturing Co. met and declared a dividend of five per cent. This will probably make the stockholders feel better.

The Union Square Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., has achieved a wonderful success. Overflowing houses have everywhere greeted it. Tickets are selling fast and if you wish good seats purchase them early.

P. W. Adams, Esq., of Delaware, is in town for a few days. He came out on business connected with his father's estate and will remain until next week. We always enjoy a friendly visit with "Waller." We echo not only our own feelings but the sentiment of many others in saying, come often and stay as long as you can.

"Where can I find a piece suitable to speak at school next Friday afternoon?" "What shall I read at the literary society or church entertainment to-night?" When will something new appear fit for humorous or dramatic recitations?" are questions that are continually asked of friends and acquaintances by children, amateur readers and professional elocutionists. The humorous poet and lecturer, Eugene J. Hall, makes an effort to supply this want in a series of original humorous and dramatic recitations. They are issued in numbers at ten cents each. No. 1 is now ready.

The Grand Traverse Herald of Dec. 13th, is a triple sheet containing 20 pages, and is probably the most extensive single edition of a newspaper ever issued in Michigan outside of Detroit. The citizens of Traverse City have reason to be proud of their Herald. A history of the Grand Traverse Region, written by Dr. M. L. Leach, one of the pioneers of Northern Michigan, has been commenced in the Herald and will appear in numbers during the coming year. The paper will be a good one for any Michigan man to read, who takes an interest in the history of his own state.

The fall term of school which closes to-morrow has been a very successful one in many respects. The per cent. of attendance has ranged from 94 to 97, the average being 96. The average tardiness has been only one per cent. Not one teacher has been absent from duty for a single hour during the entire term. One hundred dollars have been added to the piano fund, which now reaches $175, and a piano has been taken on trial from Whitney, of Detroit. Not only Prof. Hammond and the teachers but our citizens also have reason to congratulate themselves on the prosperous condition of the schools.

Manager Baker of our telephone exchange has received notice from headquarters that arrangements have been perfected with Prof. Harrington of the University, at Ann Arbor, for the furnishing of standard time by the use of an automatic machine which gives the beats of the clock at the Observatory. This time may be had on Tuesdays and Fridays, between 8 and 9 A. M., the charge for which would be the usual tariff to Ann Arbor for a communication or message of five minutes duration. This will be an excellent arrangement and we presume there are parties in Tecumseh who will be glad to avail themselves of it.

A Card of Thanks.

We wish to tender our hearty thanks to the public for their generous patronage during the past two weeks; for the many pleasant acquaintances we have made, as well as the privilege of meeting several of our old patrons and friends, and renewing the acquaintance of former years. It is our intention in the near future to have the pleasure of a return visit, notice of which will be given in this journal. Yours Respectfully,
DRS. A. W. & MRS. E. T. FLOWERS.
Tecumseh, Dec. 17, 1883.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 20, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Merry Christmas to all.

Have you provided a turkey for next Tuesday?

C. F. Bliven, of Deerfield, has made an assignment.

John McConnell had his horse and cutter out yesterday.

Notice the "ad" of Hough & Hosmer's about wax dolls.

The M. & O. road will soon put on another passenger train.

Mrs. E. F. Smith, of Toledo, made her Tecumseh friends a visit on Tuesday.

A good way to settle your Christmas dinner will be to go and see Uncle Tom.

Forty new box cars to be used on the M. & O. road arrived at Marshall on the 14th.

L. F. Wheeler is engaged to give a lantern entertainment at Clinton on Christmas Eve.

Manchester had quite a serious blaze last Tuesday morning, a hardware store burning up.

The Adrian Grange will hold a Christmas festival and social at their hall, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 25th.

Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury was in town last Friday and favored the HERALD with a friendly call.

The Detroit Times is well liked in this community and has already got a good list here. Thirty-eight copies are now sold.

The post office department at Washington has issued orders requiring the postmasters to run their offices on standard time.

Ann Arbor complains that the deputy sheriffs and tramps are in collusion, the former jailing for the fees and the latter getting jailed to keep warm.

That Tecumseh is blessed with many enterprising business men is evidenced by the fact that many of them advertise freely in the newspapers of the neighboring villages.

Our new club list is appreciated, and judging from present appearances, the people of Tecumseh and surrounding towns will not be slow in availing themselves of it.

Col. N. B. Eldredge, member of Congress from this district, has notified Dr. Rynd that the effort to secure the appointment of a pension board at Adrian has been successful, and that Commissioner Dudley will take the necessary action at an early day. Senator Palmer has seconded the Colonel's efforts in this matter, which is one of justice to veterans in Southern Michigan, who have heretofore been at the mercy of a board of Buckeyes at Toledo.

William Hayden is putting some new apparatus in his mill which will be a great improvement. A patent wheat register is attached to the ceiling, through which the wheat descends into the first set of rollers. New and improved bolts have been connected with the fine cut rollers, which it is claimed will produce an extra fine grade of flour. Mr. Hayden adopts every improvement in milling machinery or apparatus at the earliest opportunity.

At the annual meeting of the Odd Fellows' Mutual Relief association of Michigan held in Adrian last Wednesday, the following were elected trustees: E. H. Whitney, Lansing; J. B. Alwood, Camden; L. N. Burt, Kalamazoo; G. W. Westerman, J. Q. Adams, J. L. Kirk, T. W. Davis, and Niles Peterson, Adrian. The trustees elected the following officers: President, E. H. Whitney; vice president, L. N. Burt; secretary, George W. Westerman; treasurer, J. Q. Adams. The society is in a very flourishing condition.

The works of the Peninsular car company, located at Adrian, are to be removed soon to Detroit. It cost the citizens of Adrian $7,000 to secure the location of the works in that city and the benefits accruing to the city by reason thereof have been very great. There is naturally considerable feeling manifested at their removal. The company contend that the expenses of the branch shop at Adrian are out of proportion to the profits derived by the company and hence they cannot afford to run a separate establishment there. The removal will undoubtedly take place at an early day.

Last Thursday evening, Mr. D. J. Durrell, master mechanic of the M. & O. road, came over from Toledo on a locomotive, and remained over night at Tecumseh. We enjoyed a very pleasant visit with him that evening. He is well pleased with his new position, and believes that the M. & O. is destined to become at an early day one of the best lines of railway in Michigan. During his stop here he had an interview with John Cupples, and engaged his services to run an engine on the new road. Mr. Durrell's headquarters will be transferred to Marshall at an early day. He left on the morning train west on Friday, and Mr. Cupples went with him to take possession of his locomotive.

Prices on dressed and live hogs are advancing.

Watts & Smith is the latest new legal firm at Adrian.

Remember the Carman concert on Christmas night Dec. 25th.

The Morenci Grange will hold a series of winter socials at the residences of the members.

The Blissfield Advance insinuates that the Free Methodist revival meetings in that village are too fervent.

Mrs. Spaulding has received a large stock of grass bouquets and dried flower designs for the Christmas trade. Fresh flowers always in stock.

The fall term of the Tecumseh public schools will close to-morrow. After a vacation of two weeks the winter term will begin on Monday, Jan. 7th.

Thanks to Tom Adamson for a copy of the Nanaimo Free Press, published in British Columbia. The paper was printed Dec. 8th and arrived here on the 18th.

Slayton & Kinney have a Grand Opening of Holiday Goods on Saturday, Dec. 22, when they give a present to their customers. See their big advertisement.

Don't fail to see Uncle Tom's Cabin the greatest of all Southern Dramas in its superb Revival by the Union Square Co., at Opera House, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 25th.

The man David Young, who was so severely injured by a horse at Abe Hanford's about two weeks ago, has been taken to his home in Raisin, and is now about the house doing well.

The Union Square Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., are positively the only Co. carrying the grand transformation tableau "Beautiful Gates Ajar" in America, which occupies the entire stage to produce it.

Dio Lewis's Monthly for December is on our table, which is the fifth number of this newperiodical. It increases in worth with each number and is destined to attain a large circulation. Terms only $2.50 a year.

Adrian Press: The schools and the churches now run by standard time. The school begins at half past eight instead of nine, and church service commences at 10 o'clock in the morning, and half past six in the evening.

O. B. Bowen, Esq., of Addison, came down on the M. & O. last Tuesday and remained over night. Glad to see him. He got here with some less travel then when he came over to attend the railroad meetings three years ago.

Evening News: Willard Stearns, of the Adrian Press, says he will see Bogole further in tartarus than a pigeon can fly in a week, before he will support him. Willard is a Sunday school superintendent, but draws his similes from the world's people.

The Morenci Observer began its ninth volume last week. It is no disparagement to our other county exchanges to say that the Observer is among the best of them. We heartily wish the Allens many more years of journalistic prosperity.

Willard Stearns, of the Adrian Press, was in town Tuesday, and dropped in to pull our ears a bit. Stearns is round enough for a good alderman, and is feeling happy over the fact that his paper will soon be domiciled in new and commodious quarters.

Mr. Thomas Marshall, of Franklin, has rented his farm to his son Alonzo. "Lon" was formerly of Franklin but left seven years ago. We are glad to see him back, for he is a first-class young man and has many friends in this vicinity who will wish him success.

The pay car on the M. & O. went over the road Tuesday with John Cupples on the locomotive foot board. While the train stopped at the gravel pit to pay off, he ran over home, two blocks off, kissed his wife and the babies, and was back in time to go steaming down the road.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will hold a Christmas concert at the church on Monday evening, Dec. 24, commencing at 7 o'clock. The committee have arranged a good program. Ten cents will be charged at the door to raise money to buy singing books for the school.

Manchester Enterprise: On Saturday, A. F. Freeman, Esq., received a quantity of oranges from Mr. Swan, of Tecumseh, who has an orange grove in Florida, and he very generously passed them around, therefore we came in for a sample. They were very juicy and fine flavored.

Last Friday while a son of Elijah Wilson was handling a colt, the colt kicked him on the leg inflicting an ugly cut above the knee. Dr. H. W. Catlin was called and dressed the wound. Mr. Wilson was in town yesterday and said the boy was doing well and was in skillful hands.

The old furniture headquarters of Wm. McCowen is now crowded full of furniture adapted to the wants of this community. His goods are none of the shoddy kind, made for show and not for use, but reliable goods and as for prices, he sells them cheaper than other dealers ask for their tumble down articles. Buy once of McCowen and you will buy your furniture at no other place afterwards.

Christmas and New Year's cards cheaper than ever at the HERALD office.

Mrs. Tom Navin, of Adrian, is now in New York preparing to go on the stage as Rosalind. Mrs. N. makes a mistake. She should get Bronson Howard to write her a brand new play entitled "Adrianna or the Mayor's wife." It would draw immensely in this neighborhood.—Jackson Citizen.

The American Farmer and the Tecumseh Herald for $1.75 a year. We have perfected arrangements with the publishers of the American Farmer of Fort Wayne, Ind., that enable us to offer our subscribers a first class agricultural magazine at the bare cost of the white paper on which it is printed. The American Farmer is a 16 page monthly magazine which is rapidly taking rank as one of the leading agricultural publications of the country. Each number will contain useful information for the farmer, his wife, his sons and his daughters. As it comes you should not delay, suppose you try it one year.

Miss Hattie V. Bills, daughter of the late Hon. Perley Bills, and sister of O. P. Bills, is attaining a fine reputation in her chosen profession. Her Tecumseh acquaintances will be glad to learn of her success. The following complimentary notice is clipped from an East Saginaw paper:

The St. Louis Leader of Wednesday speaks favorably of East Saginaw's lady physician. "Dr. Harriet V. Bills, of East Saginaw, operated on Miss Mary Scott of this place, last Tuesday for squint. The operation was witnessed by Dr. Kennedy, who pronounces it skillfully and successfully performed, and he recognizes in Dr. Bills one of the most promising oculists of the State. She has recently returned from a sojourn in Europe, where she has spent the time in study of this specialty.

Not Complimentary

Tom is a Scotchman, and is employed as a porter at the Lawrence house. Saturday afternoon he was detailed to take care of the wants of the Kellogg concert company, in which duty he was so extremely active as to command the approval of Clara Louise herself. According, before her departure for the opera house, she handed Tom a complimentary ticket to the entertainment.

"What's that" said he, with a good broad Scotch accent.

"A pass for you to night," was the reply.

"And what am I to pass with it?"

"You don't understand me, Tom. It is a pass, a ticket to the entertainment where I sing this evening."

"I *dinna* want it. I'm a waitin' for the nigger show next week."

He didn't get the pass.—Adrian Times.

UNCLE TOM AND CHRISTMAS.

Last Tuesday morning we arose promptly at eight o'clock, standard time, adjusted our toilet, laid in an extra supply of buckwheat cakes and molasses, swept the snow from the front steps, and started for the office. Upon arriving there what did our eyes behold but a huge colored poster covering the editorial table announcing the welcome intelligence that Uncle Tom's Cabin is coming. The cabin will be exhibited at the opera house on Tuesday evening, Dec. 25th. Won't Christmas be a jolly day in this town this year? People can collect their Santa Claus presents in the morning, eat turkey in the afternoon, and go to see Uncle Tom in the evening. Blessings never come singly, and this Uncle Tom troupe is no "ordinary" affair either. It is the Union Square Company, with brand new scenery. In addition to the usual attractions they will introduce the celebrated Rocky Mountain Burro, that Mark Twain rode in his trip over the Rocky Mountains. No lead pencil description can do justice to this Burro. He must be seen to be appreciated.

A CASE OF BLOOD POISONING.

We regret to hear that Dr. C. M. Woodward, an able physician and surgeon of Tecumseh, and a very worthy gentleman, is in a very critical condition from "blood poisoning." About ten days ago he amputated the limb of a Swede, an employe of the M. & O. railroad, above the knee. Gangrene very soon developed, and the doctor, in dressing the diseased limb, was so unfortunate as to prick the index finger of the right hand with a needle. He thought nothing of the accident that day (last Tuesday), but in the night following the most alarming symptoms were manifest. He has suffered very much, not only in the hand and arm, but also from the effect of the poison operating in his system. His family and friends became greatly alarmed and telegraphed Dr. Rynd, who visited the patient yesterday, making very few incisions and advising the required treatment. Dr. Rynd has confidence that all will be well, which Dr. W's many friends sincerely hope. The case is under the immediate management of Dr. H. W. Catlin, who is devoting his best skill to its treatment.

The above is taken from the Adrian Times of Monday. It speaks well for the reputation of Dr. H. W. Catlin, that he should be entrusted with the charge of so formidable a disease as poisoning of the blood, and we hope his medical patient will come out all right under his treatment. Dr. H. W. Catlin was the assistant in the case of amputation referred to, and the Swede is now doing finely under Dr. Catlin's management.

Hubbard's Voice Company designs soon to visit Tecumseh for the purpose of organizing one of their popular Voice Schools. These schools are in the interest of, and will greatly benefit choirs, Sabbath schools and social music. They organize with a free concert.

Deerfield Record: Sam Crist came down from Tecumseh the other day, with a Texas pony. Sunday he became afraid the animal and riding down to John Longe's, called him out and proceeded to show off the mustang's points. The first move was down the road, and the pony took two or three leaps, firmly planted his fore feet in the sand, elevated his hind ones, and suddenly came to a stop. Sam didn't stop. Oh, no! he kept right along. He was in a hurry, too. He was not exactly sent for, but he was sent for. He described a somerset and struck all in a heap in the sand.

Morenci Observer: A rich and withal a gay old widower of Adrian, it is related, met a couple of clever, handsome Morenci girls lately, and in the course of their rapid acquaintance he asked them with his accustomed jocularity, whether there were any desirable, ready to accept, you know, sort of young widows in the village-on-the-Bean. He was politely informed that the woods were full of 'em, so to speak, but the particular kind of female he hankered after must be an adept at making salt rising bread, he wanted no other. Would they, on their return home, let him know if such a delightful creature could be found there? Doubtless he thought the joke would end here, but he failed to calculate on the spirit of fun that ever rules the aforesaid girls, else he would not have made this request, for at a late hour the other evening he was surprised to receive a telegram, on which the messenger boy collected charges. It read very lucidly as follows: "Come over. Widow found. Salt-rising bread." He confesses that the girls are ahead.

A CORRECTION.

EDITOR HERALD:

I notice by last week's HERALD that the "Farmers Club" is much exercised about the board of supervisors, and I would like to correct an error that they appear to have picked up somewhere. Instead of being, as they insinuate, three days in electing a chairman last fall, it was done in less than one hour, and within two hours after the board met. As for those parties who have not paid their taxes yet, if they will take pains to post themselves, they will find that the board of supervisors had no control over the excess of taxes this year. The tax for court-house this year is 80 cents on every $1,000 valuation, and the rest of the amount is made up from the long session of our legislature last winter and the appropriation for the Northern asylum that was made by the legislature of 1881. The election of U. S. senator last winter cost something. As for the "Adrian pauper inebriates," there is one member of that club who could have given a good explanation of that matter if he had thought best. I was surprised to see some men mentioned in the proceedings of that meeting trying to mislead the taxpayers of this county.

There is another item of tax I had forgotten. The highway work tax under the present law has to be spread on the roll the same as other taxes, but it does not cost the farmers any money, though it makes their taxes look big. If they work out their highway tax their receipt for their work pays the tax.

A. JAMES.

TECUMSEH PEOPLE IN LANSING.

Our friend B. L. Baxter has been for some time acting as clerk for the State Board of Charities at Lansing. Witter Baxter, of Jonesville, is secretary of the Board, and as he is obliged to be away most of the time he has procured B. L. Baxter to take charge of the business during his absence. This is an excellent arrangement for both parties. We take the liberty of using a few extracts from a private letter of his, mentioning the doings of some of our former Tecumseh residents who now reside in Lansing.

L. C. Blood, now nine years from Tecumseh, has a grocery and provision store here, is very much respected and is regarded as doing very well indeed financially. Young Henry, son of Sam'l L. Henry, of Tecumseh, is with him in the store, and has, I think, an interest in it. At any rate he is doing well, making money, and already owns two or three city houses, which he rents.

J. S. Tucker's family resides here. Charley, his oldest son, is married and a clerk, very much respected.

Al. Dingman is one of the leading dentists here and is doing well and quite popular. Mrs. Dingman, Charley Fitzsimmons and wife live out on the farm near the Agricultural College, some three or four miles from here, and are well spoken of. So much for Tecumsehites in Lansing.

Lansing, like Washington, is a city of magnificent distances, but is rapidly filling up. It is some 2½ or 3 miles north and south by 3 to 3½ east and west. There have been over 1000 bushels of wheat, and probably 400 to 500 tons of hay raised within the city corporation this year. Still it has large manufacturing establishments, besides the capitol, state reform school, school for the blind, two fire steamers, and is soon to have electric lights and street railways, and is bound to go ahead in manufactories.

An error appears in our club list as printed last week. The HERALD and American Farmer are taken at $1.75, not at $1.50 as therein stated. Persons who have already given their subscriptions will be accommodated, but hereafter the rate on these two papers will be $1.75. This is cheap enough in all conscience to satisfy the most exacting.

Barney Cavenizen and Tim Curtin forged a receipt with Mrs. Margaret West's name, drew their pay, plus board, from the M. & O. paymaster, and skipped the country. Mrs. West made complaint and John Smith started in pursuit, and now the chaps are lodged in Adrian jail in default of $500 bail. Good piece of work.

The annual meeting of the State Teacher's association will be held at Lansing next week, Dec. 26 and 27. Prof. Hammond will attend, and he expects to take a considerable delegation of Tecumseh teachers along with him. Judging from the contents of the programme, the meeting ought to be a very interesting and profitable one.

What is the matter with our street lamps lately? They seem to be turned very low and burn until mornings. On Chicago street last night six out of seven above Evans street gave no light at all and the seventh lamp was the one in front of the Presbyterian church. Complaints are brought in from other parts of the village also.

Will Osborn and Henry Wilson will attend the Sheep Breeders' Association at Lansing.

Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh, carry a large stock of Trunks. Get prices they will not be undersold.

Barrows is fully prepared for any and all who may want pictures for Christmas and New Year's gifts. Note carefully the changes in price list at entrance of gallery. Special Holiday prices. Get one of my 8x10 pictures at 50 cents each. They are always natural, and I will warrant them equal to the photograph in every way, and remember, if pictures made by me are not satisfactory you need not take them. See the new scenic background put in for the Holidays. My extremely low prices for pictures will not justify me in giving you as prizes for pace-barge houses and lots a business block or a dollar chromo, but I will give you full value for your money in good straight honest work.
E. H. BARROWS, Ferrotyper.
Opposite Opera House.

Notice. The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

Examine the Rhetograph Album at Adams' Novelty Store.

Buckwheat Flour. A large stock on hand. Do not buy until you have seen our flour and got our prices.
Slayton & Son.

Furniture Polish.—The best Furniture Polish now in use is for sale at Slayton & Kinney's furniture store. Get a sample bottle and make your old furniture new.

Go to Adams' Novelty Store for Dolls, Picture Books, Story Books, Games, &c.

Picture Frames. All kinds at Adams' Novelty Store.

Something new. The New Home Sewing Machine Co. has just patented and has on exhibition at B. J. Coller's, Adrian, a cylinder Shuttle, which will be used in their machines hereafter. Call and examine.

Beautiful Christmas and New Year's Cards at Adams' Novelty Store. Cheap.

Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

Call at the yard and inspect the Tecumseh Lumber Co. and examine their stock.

Fifteen of the finest organs in this country on exhibition at Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian, for Holiday trade and more coming.

Don't forget to visit Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian, if you are going to buy Holiday musical goods. Largest stock and lowest prices. Everything from a Jewsharp to a piano.

Judging from the number of Light Running New Home Sewing Machines received by B. J. Coller, Adrian, this week, he expects a large Holiday trade.

No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros. complete all roller flour.

Natural looking and serviceable artificial teeth can be procured at Dr. F. F. Snyder's Dental Rooms.

Take your sewing machines that are out of order to B. J. Coller's repair shop, Adrian, if you don't want them ruined by inexperienced workmen. Twelve years' experience. All work guaranteed. General agent for Light Running New Home.

You can have your decayed and aching teeth extracted at Dr. F. F. Snyder's dental rooms, without pain by taking vitalized air.

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RICE'S
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RATES $1.00 PER DAY.
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Wall Paper
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AT
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BEN REYNOLDS,
Licensed Auctioneer.

ALL AUCTION BUSINESS
Entrusted to my charge will receive prompt attention.
TECUMSEH, MICH.

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All Auction Business Promptly Attended to.
TECUMSEH, - MICHIGAN.

FOR BUSINESS OR PLEASURE.
BIRD & HAVENS
[illegible]
An entire new stock of Latest Style Buggies and the Best of Horses.
Special Attention given to Funerals.
FRANK BIRD. TOM HAVENS.

I have Removed my
Blacksmith Shop!
To the old stand of J. H. Mills,
ON LOGAN STREET.
Opposite Hayden's Warehouse, where I have better facilities than ever for doing work.
Horse Shoeing a Specialty.
ED. ROWLAND.

Made a Fiddle.

The need of something to cheer and exhilarate in the dreary days and nights was painfully apparent, and gave rise to unheard of attempts to supply the demand. The ingenuity of the Yankee soldier was generally equal to any such emergency, but probably was not more strikingly displayed than in the manufacture of a "fiddle." It was at "Brandy Station," Va., in the winter of 1863-4 that George M. Ott, company C, Second Vermont volunteers, proceeded to make the cheer-giving instrument, and with a hatchet, jack-knife, file and a piece of a junk bottle as his only tools he cut a piece of maple from a stump that grew on the bank of the Rappahannock River and set to work. The back and sides of the fiddle are made of one piece, a regular [illegible] of beauty of maple. The keys are made from the hoops of some [illegible] and carefully fitted into our hands and [illegible] [illegible] music and to every [illegible] where, and the instrument [illegible] picked and fiddled [illegible] "Paganini" who plied the bow [illegible] sion, gave forth [illegible] It continued up stage-dances [illegible] raded headquarters and was [illegible] and cherished by the officers and men of the "Green Mountain Boys." The rest must be left to imagination as far as army record is concerned. Suffice it to say, it was shot at, it was charged, and has seen the [illegible] of several occasions since the war receiving the first premium at the Vermont State fair. Rude as it is, its origin, its tone is remarkably expressive, especially in the rendering of "Old John Brown" and other airs that were offsprings of the wars which seem to revive in the memory of the exciting scenes of its early existence. Dressler and owner still lives though he has received wounds at the production of his instrument that have nearly disabled him for a [illegible] story.—Wash. Chronicle.

Wonderful Jumping Horses.

"Yes," said the informed hostler to a reporter, "I had a horse once that jumped over two hundred feet on a straight road."

"Do you make it a common practice to have horses jump that much?"

"Why, [illegible]

"Yes, I have seen a horse jump over a hundred feet, but I never thought it was anything wonderful."

"Well, I'm going to see them [illegible] starting place."

"I suppose so, and I'm sure you'll just love to see them."

"Gaze on me. I am [illegible] good looks."

"That's one [illegible] know how the [illegible] know anything about it. [illegible] will take a month's [illegible] to get from one side of [illegible] there."

Mr. J. H. McIlvaine of Paducah [illegible] of Indian relics and curios [illegible] country. He [illegible] $25,000 from [illegible] for its lands of Indian [illegible] was everything [illegible] from a [illegible]

If you feel you need a tonic [illegible] your strength failing, [illegible] so nervous, [illegible] nobody becoming interested in anything in this [illegible] Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla [illegible] Blood. It [illegible] strength and strength [illegible] six pints of [illegible] dandelion, [illegible] dandelion, [illegible] Sarsaparilla [illegible] Yellow Dock [illegible] Blood. [illegible] nervous system. [illegible] Nervous [illegible]

No medicine has ever been [illegible] a concentrated extract of the [illegible] medicinal properties of roots, barks, &c., is Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The work of boring for oil is now in progress at Roscommon.

The Hop Plasters have a wonderful sale; and why? Because they cure Back Ache, Stiff Joints, Pain in the Side and all Soreness in any part. People appreciate them. Any druggist, 25 cts.

A suspension bridge has been put across the Kalamazoo river at Augusta.

The work of boring for salt at St. Clair began last week.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Strong probability that the Peninsular Car Shops, Adrian, will begin operation with the new year.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Over $40,000 have been expended on the Hotchkiss car works at Chicago. The works begin business this week.

Ruin Wrought in the Forest.

How depressing it is to see acres of trees cut down in the midst of a noble forest. How saddening it is also to see that thin spot in the midst of your otherwise abundant hair. Stop it at once by the use of Parker's Hair Balsam. For actual efficiency this famous article stands at the head of its class. Elegant for the toilet, delicious in color, and restores the original color to gray or faded hair. Economical, as a slight, occasional application keeps the hair and scalp in perfect order.

The Telegraph says longevity runs in families at Kalamazoo.

Colorless and Cold.—A young girl deeply regretted that she was so colorless and cold. Her face was too white and her hands and feet felt as though the blood did not circulate. After one bottle of Hop Bitters had been taken she was the rosiest and healthiest girl in the town, with a vivacity and cheerfulness of mind gratifying to her friends.

Clarke Wilcox, of Charlotte, [illegible] of [illegible] back up [illegible] in the [illegible]

Lapeer, Mich., Feb. 2, 1881.
[illegible] receipt of your circular, I bought a good supply of your Downs' Elixir, all the sizes, believing it to be one of the best Cough Remedies put up. I also keep Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Pills and Henry & Johnson's Anti-Acid Oil Liniment.
H. B. Bristol, Druggist.

The above named remedies are all warranted to give satisfaction, and can be found in any first class drug store.

A Cassia Rapids baby five weeks old [illegible] pounds, small [illegible]

We All Believe

That there is a drug alone that has no surpassing, that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

The Grand County sugar beet [illegible] Colorado [illegible] to wrestle with.

The telephone has been completed from Watertown to Hart.

[illegible]

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[illegible] I have been so [illegible]

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[illegible] Hop Bitters [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] I know [illegible] of eight persons [illegible] neighborhood at large have [illegible] your bitters.

[illegible] more are using them with equal benefit.

Very [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. E. D. Slack.

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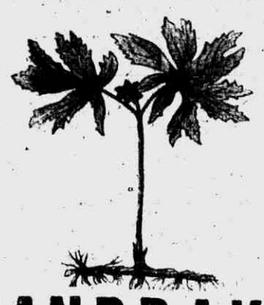
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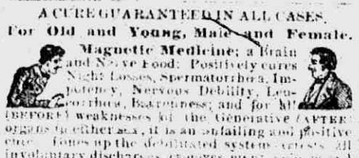
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 57 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	5 55 A.M.	6 13 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	2 07 "	
Adrian	11 10 "	8 02 "	4 03 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 03 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.	W. ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
DETROIT	‡ 9 20	‡ 3 30	‡ 9 50	‡ 6 20
Hand	‡ 9 16	* 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulous	10 05	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	* 4 19	10 40	8 35
Willis	‡10 19	* 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	‡10 25	* 4 34	10 53	9 35
Milan	10 36	4 44	11 01	10 35
Cone	‡10 46	* 4 50	11 06	11 15
Britton	‡10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 55
Holloway	‡11 07	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	5 24	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	‡11 35	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	‡12 04	* 6 03	12 31	3 04
Alvordton	‡12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 39	§ 6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	* 6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's.	Mail.	Exp's.	W. ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 35	‡ 2 47	‡ 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	§ 3 08	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	§ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	§ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	§ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	§ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	§ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	§ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	§ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	§ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	§ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	§ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulous	11 26	§ 5 48	12 04	4 50
Hand	*11 39	§ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 5 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 7 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	No. 6 Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 20	3 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 00	5 20
6 30	3 26	8 40	" Monhat'n Jc. "	9 51	2 49	5 16
6 41	3 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 41	2 37	5 06
7 17	4 10	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 25	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 37	4 18
7 42	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 34	1 04	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
		P.M.			A.M.	A.M.
11 30	6 55	12 32	" Jackson (M.C) "	6 10	9 50	9 50
A.M.						
1 08	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 39	7 58	7 58
2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 52	7 10	7 10
				P.M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
P.M.		A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
					A.M.	
10 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" How'll (G.L.&N.) "		10 22	2 01
		P.M.				
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
						A.M.
10 15		3 00	" Ionia "		7 15	11 05
11 50		5 01	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 40	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		4 50	" How'rd City "			9 25
		A.M.				
		3 42	" P'tosk'y (G.R.&I)			12 01
						P.M.
		6 30	" Mack'naw City			9 45

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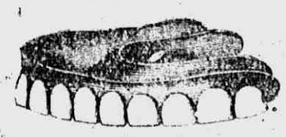

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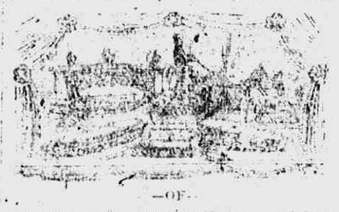

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Beef Hides	5 @	07
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Corn in ear	35 @	40
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Clover Seed	5 50 @	6 00
Chickens—dressed	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	22
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	5 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
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Honey, ₩ lb	@	15
Ham, ₩ lb	@	14
Lard, ₩ lb	@	10
Oats, ₩ bushel	25 @	32
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @	30
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 50
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 25
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Wood, ₩ cord	4 00 @	4 50
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	@	00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	@	1 00

ESTATE OF EDMUND HAND.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edmund Hand, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of William W. Osgood, administrator of said estate, praying that he may pay the debts of said deceased, his funeral expenses and expenses of administration, thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among those legally entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenswood, in the County of Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is at least in part a mortgage upon real estate in said County of Lenawee, owned by him, and which is not exempt from dower, and that it is part due and that it becomes necessary for administration upon said estate for the collection of said mortgage and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin R. Wood, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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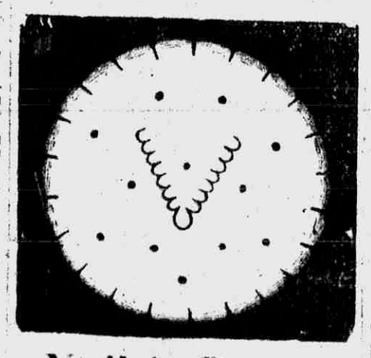

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Fair sleighing for home work.

Miss Cora Carter is passing goods over a counter in Leslie.

John Howe improved the railroad holiday rates, and started Monday to visit friends in New York state.

Our school district No. 8, takes a week's holiday vacation. The schoolhouse has been insured in the Farmers' Mutual of Lenawee county.

The "chairwoman" of the board of school inspectors, Mrs. E. Howell, is going the rounds of the schools. She visited our school last Thursday, and reports it in splendid condition.

M. Scovil is collecting the M. & O. R. R. notes in this section, and giving complimentary passes over the road.

Here is another problem: A person on assuming the liquor agency of a town received $58 cash and $59.50 in liquor. He bought $282.85 stock, and sold $293.55 worth during the year, and turned over $81 in liquor at the end of the year, and was to receive $69 salary. Did the town owe the agent or the agent owe the town, did the town make or lose, and how much?

The last discussion on the tariff question, at the hall, like those preceding, resulted favorable to free trade.

The Beal gas well is still boiling, not hot water as many papers reported it, the boiling being occasioned by the escape of natural gas. A gas-pipe was inserted and resulted in a nice blaze at the top. Mr. Sweet has set up his boring machine at the well, and is boring down with an 8-inch auger. When about 30 feet down the auger struck a stone, which was removed by attaching a cap and two or three feet of lighted water-proof fuse to three pounds of "Hercules" powder, and lowering the same to the point of contact. "It shook the ground for rods around."

Macon grange elected officers last Friday evening as follows:

M.—M. J. Martin.
O.—Thos. Osborn.
L.—A. Easlick.
S.—J. W. Osborn.
A. S.—J. E Hunter.
C.—E. Howell.
T.—L. Osgood.
Sec.—C. Mead.
G. R.—A. Russell.
C.—Mrs. E. Howell.
P.—Mrs. J. W. Osborn.
F.—J. W. Sherman.
L. S.—Miss Julia Easlick.

Board of directors: J. W. Osborn, L. Osgood, A. Easlick, J. W. Baker, M. Yates.

There is an apparent oat swindle going the rounds, and the farmers are biting nicely. The scheme is to sell a farmer five or more bushels of hulless seed oats at $10 per bushel and take his note for a year. The other party agreeing to come around before the note is due and sell twice as many bushels for the farmer at the same price per bushel. We will not give our version of the catch, but leave it for those interested to figure out. They will be more likely to remember it, and avoid other similar schemes.

We have just returned from a visit among friends at Caro, the county seat of Tuscola county. Caro is a lively, go-ahead village, about the size of Tecumseh, pleasantly situated on the Cass river, which is somewhat larger than the river Raisin, and affords ample water power for mills, &c. The country west of the river is an old, thickly settled country of well-to-do farmers. The first attempt at an agricultural fair was last fall, in competition with the regular county fair at Vassar, which it fully equaled, and is destined ere long to be the place for holding the county fairs.

We took a stroll over the poor-house farm and through the buildings, under the guide of the superintendent, and found everything in ample order and only 20 inmates. The country east of and bordering on the river is comparatively new, but is being thickly settled; "the woodman's ax" can be heard in every direction. It is a portion of the burnt district of two years ago. A large portion of the timber lies in every conceivable shape, just as the fire left it, and consists of beech, maple, ash, elm, hemlock, cedar, now and then a pine, and here and there an oak, which are being cut into wood, ties, lumber, fence posts, telegraph poles, &c., and command a good price. Some 12 or 15 families from Macon, Saline and Clinton availed themselves of the low price of these lands after the fire ($6 to $15 per acre), and are clearing up pleasant homes within sight of the county seat.

We met a number of our old acquaintances at a surprise party at "Lime" Grady's the night before our return. "The woods were full of them;" they came on foot cross-lots, in wagons and buggies, to the number of about 40, happy as larks and had a jolly time. It reminded us of "the scenes of our childhood." Al. Rowland, Wm. Lamb, Aaron Wixon and "Frier" Wixon were among them. Al. Rowland sends his regards to everybody, and especially to John Hicks, with whom he was engaged in the lightning rod business for 12 years.

A. E.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

On Christmas night there was a Christmas Tree at Ayres' Hall, which everybody attended, but to the surprise of all as Mr. Frank Skinner returned from his father's (in whose stable he had secured his horse) he reported him dead. An investigation showed that the deceased had come to his death by his own hands, from taking a dose of the deadly poison—strychnine.

Mr. Frank Gilbert was joined to Miss Mary White on Christmas night.

J. H. Smith ate turkey with his parents Christmas.

All the Students abroad were seen around home this week.

John Ladd will make the old band boys a call on New Years day.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Friday evening, Dec. 21st, 1883, the club met at I. H. Schreders. The attendance was very good. The program was a good one, and was well carried out in proper order.

Singing by the choir.
Recitation—Mamie Rector.
Music—Grant Schreder, Henry Horton.
Essay—I. H. Schreder.
Declamation—Henry Horton.
Select reading—Charles Griswold.
Music—Grant Schreder, Henry Horton.

The whole program was so well rendered that it is entirely unnecessary for the secretary to give any one especial praise, for all did well.

QUESTION DISCUSSED.

What is the most profitable land fertilizer and the proper method and time of applying? Opened by Mr. John Fisher, who said if he was going to answer the question short, would say barn-yard manure, but had no doubt but that there were many other fertilizers that it would pay the farmer to use.

Mr. Kehoe thinks barn-yard manure the most profitable, but we don't have enough of it; has been told by good authority that bone meal gave good results, but pretty expensive; but his choice for far off fields would be clover; would apply manure in the spring for corn, but would apply all he could in the fall for wheat.

Mr. Rector—The more plaster you sow the worse you are off; as to salt, thinks but little of it; says the best fertilizer we have is barn-yard manure; don't care when you apply it, it does good.

Mr. George Griswold said he was here over fifty years ago, and is sure that our lands will produce from one-third to one-half more now than when the country was new; thinks he can trace it all, or nearly all, to the application of plaster and clover; had been informed by some that had used salt that they had received much benefit from it, not only in yield, but in heft of berry.

Club adjourned to meet at John Gilespie's on Friday evening, Jan. 4th, 1884.

Program for the next meeting:

Music by the choir ("Don't forget the old folks.")
Declamation—Willie Fitzsimmons.
Select reading—Mrs. F. A. Horton.
Music—Grant Schreder, Henry Horton.
Recitation—Ida Rector.
Singing—Lizzie Henderson, Kittie Griswold.
Essay—Austin G. Hall.
Music—Grace Gilespie.
Subject for discussion—Does fall ploughing pay?

F. V. HORTON, Sec'y.

A Grave Question.

Gen. Innes, the Michigan railroad commissioner, in his report has this to say of the C. & W. M. R. R. Co., abandoning the railroad between Nunica and Holland: "It becomes a grave question for consideration whether a company, having once constructed a line of railroad under the franchises granted it by the state, and opened it for the public use, and by its location through a district of country induced people to make settlements, to build and to invest large sums of money with the expectation that the railroad was a permanent improvement from which the advantages usual to railroads were sure to be realized, can of its own pleasure, abandon its road, take up the track, and leave the people and business communities on its line without the facilities to which good faith and frequently large contributions of material aid entitle them. If a street or public highway once opened and dedicated to the public use by the private owners of land cannot be vacated without due process of law, there would seem to be still stronger reasons why a great public use like a railroad should not be abandoned by the corporation that built it without full indemnity to the people damaged by the abandonment. The question will be brought to the attention of the court by the attorney general.

The Ministry and Divorce.

As we have said, divorce is only the safety-valve to relieve society from the pressure of other evils. But it needs to be spoken against by every lover of purity and good order. Especially should ministers cry out against it, and against the evils which lie back of it. It is time for them to take an advanced position on this and all other questions of reform. Some seem to think that clergymen should not discuss bad laws and evil customs; they seem to think that a minister, when he takes orders, loses his rights as a citizen. But ministers are regarded as leaders and public teachers. They can arouse the public conscience on this question. As the New York Tribune well says: "Unless that is first aroused, laws will not help us."

But ministers are in a position to do more than cry out against divorce and its causes. They can act. They can make their influence felt in a way that will lead the public to have more respect for the obligations of the marriage relation. They can refuse to marry improperly divorced parties. In the same editorial from which we have already quoted, the New York Tribune justly and pointedly says: "The protests of clergymen will have an influence. Indeed we are inclined to suspect that the silence, the indifference, nay, worse, the connivance of ministers, has had more effect than almost any other single cause in producing a state of things which all the churches lament. Any divorced person, however guilty, can find a clergyman to perform an illegal and morally bigamous marriage without asking inconvenient questions. There are ministers—many of them—who will marry anybody, just as there are lawyers who will take any case. Some of these lax parsons would not deliberately make themselves accomplices in crime; but they reason that they may throw upon the contracting parties the whole responsibility for the transaction, and that the clergyman may assume that 'it is all right' or they would not come to him. It is no wonder that the laity lose respect for the churches when preachers seem to care so little about public morals."

This is a pointed arraignment; but not more pointed than just. Let ministers take a bold stand, and act as well as teach.

Our Duty in Regard to the Liquor Laws.

There are those so much opposed to the principle of licensing iniquity that they will do nothing to help execute a license law. We think that this is all wrong. We do not hesitate to maintain that prohibition is the true principle. From five years residence in a state where it has been the policy for a number of years we know that it does lessen the evil; it makes it impossible for the rumseller to flaunt his business in the faces of decent people. And the time is coming when prohibition will triumph in this land. The politicians are afraid now to submit the question to a popular vote, and since the election in Ohio they will dread it still more. But it will come. All the politicians and schemers in the earth and under the earth cannot prevent it. But our motto is a half loaf is better than no bread.—In the state of Michigan we have as good a license law as could be framed. It prohibits the sale of intoxicants to those who are intoxicated, to those who are habitual drunkards and to minors. It could not go further without prohibiting entirely. The other provisions are stringent.

But we have only to read it once to see that its provisions are being violated every day in every village and city. We ought to enforce it. We shall awaken public sentiment on the temperance question, and bring about prohibition sooner by compelling our rumsellers to obey the law. Every public prosecution will help to educate our people. Besides, winking at lawlessness on this subject, encourages lawlessness in other directions. If we can not have the best laws, we owe it to our country and to the rising generation to execute sternly every law upon our statute books. There is no reason why the keeper of a saloon should not be compelled to obey the law just as strictly as other citizens.

The laws can be enforced if the people take it in hand. When the officers will do their duty, one active citizen can make it so warm for Mr. Rumseller that he will not dare to openly violate the law. This has been proved by the example of D. Q. Barry, pastor of the Baptist church in Clayton. Who will have the courage to follow his example?

Try Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers; it is an elegant, safe and reliable article, cheap and convenient for use, and will not rub off.

Enjoy the sleighing while it lasts.

A CAPTURE

I caught it; yet I am not proud,
I have no smallest will
To vaunt myself and seek applause
For having displayed skill.
It cost no skill; the easiest thing
In life it was to do;
I caught it without use of baits,
Snares, nets, tricks old or new;
And still I am not vain of that,
As may be I have been
Sometimes at a facility
That made me quick to win.

I caught it; yet I am not proud,
And you are quite unfair
To say that I parade it, though,
And show it everywhere.
I'd rather not; it's not my fault
The capture will obtrude—
Though I would hide it if I could—
Persistently and rude.
O! who am I to was claire
And step braggart and boldly
I caught it, but am not as meek,
For I have caught a cold!

Ella W. Baker, in Springfield (Mass) Republican.

AN INTERESTING PATIENT.

Two men sat in a pleasant room in a city boarding-house, chatting confidentially. Both were young, somewhere between twenty-five and thirty, and both were enthusiastic students of the noble profession of medicine. They had become intimate at college, and a strong friendship existed that had known no jar or break. Dr. Wilfred Atkinson was a Western man, coming from Illinois; while Dr. Frederick Read claimed a New England town for his birthplace.

It was Fred Read who said:

"You will accept this offer?"

"Accept it?" cried his friend. "I should think so. It is what I want most in the world. You see, I have always been more interested in the study of insanity than in any other form of disease, and to be resident physician in an asylum, where I have only made weekly visits, gives me opportunity for study that I could never have elsewhere.

"Yes. I know all that; but it will be very confining. I think I prefer general practice, after all. But you may expect to see me often. How I shall miss you, old fellow!"

And then the talk drifted into other channels, until Dr. Atkinson discovered that it was time for his train to be where his new home and field of duty lay.

"You will come over often," he urged, in parting from his friend; "and if I am busy or away, make yourself at home. The grounds are large, and very pleasant, and if you meet any of the patients, be sure those who are allowed to roam about inside the walls are harmless. Some of them are absolutely sane on every point but one, touch that, and off they go. But the eyes tell the story."

"Yes; it is hard to hide it there."

"And contradiction brings out the truth. As long as the delusions are humored they are generally amiable enough; but once cross them—whew!"

"I shall come over often and hear the results of your experience. My enormous practice takes about three hours a day."

In pursuance of this promise Dr. Read took the train about once a week and spent an hour or two with his friend, finding him generally busy, as his duties included a general superintendence of the asylum and details that were quite independent of professional work. Still, he took it all as a part of his new life, and gave his mind as fully to ordering groceries and towels as he did to writing prescriptions and studying cases.

But Fred, as he became familiar with the place, began to share his friend's interest in the study of mental disorders and would often spend hours roaming through the wards and grounds with only a few words to Dr. Atkinson.

It was when June was young and the air soft and pleasant that Dr. Read, strolling about in the prettiest part of the grounds, saw a lady in a summer-house whose face attracted him at once. It was a very pale face and the large dark eyes were languid, while the slender figure seemed weak as if from recent illness. But it was, too, a beautiful young face, shaded by waving brown hair, and with purely oval outline and regular features.

"A new patient," was Fred's mental exclamation. "What a lovely face!"

Then he sauntered over to the summer house and spoke to the lady. To his consternation, she started, gave a quick, gasping sob and fainted. It was not a very long insensibility, and under Fred's quick treatment the large eyes opened, and she whispered:

"O, I am so sorry to trouble you! But I have been very ill, and you startled me."

"I was very much to blame," he said, penitently, "and I hope you will pardon me. Are you well enough now for me to run up to the house for a glass of wine?"

"I am well enough, but I do not need it," and she sat up again and took up a piece of needle work that had dropped from her hands. Her fingers still trembled, and a pretty flush came a moment into her pale face, as she said:

"Are you one of the physicians here?"

"Only by courtesy," he replied. "I have the run of the place; but Dr. Atkinson is the physician. Old Dr. Hare is the head doctor, but he does very little."

"Yes, I know. It is a lovely place, is it not? Out here I mean. Inside," and she shuddered, "the sounds are often dreadful. But the doctor at home thought a change of air would be good for me, and so mamma sent me here."

"Change of air," thought Fred. "Poor little thing! Quite unconscious of her infirmity."

And he chatted away with her, discussing the weather, the beauty of the grounds, the songs of the birds in the trees around them, and so gradually drifting to books, to comparisons of opinion, and criticism. And all through a delightful hour Fred vainly tried to discover the one point upon which the new patient was insane. Whatever it was, it evaded him and he looked as vainly for any wandering or vacancy in the soft brown eyes that met his own, full of intelligence.

They were still conversing when one of the nurses came down the path leading to the summer house.

"Miss Bessie," she said, "Dr. Atkinson sent me to say you had better lie down now for an hour or two, and he has sent some medicine to your room. Let me help you!"

Dr. Read being a physician, made no attempt to detain the fair patient, noting with sincere sympathy how weak she was, and how wearily she leaned upon the nurse's strong arm.

He did not feel inclined to have any jesting about his interest, such as his friend was wont to indulge in, when ladies were the subject, so he said nothing of his experience, and joined Dr. Atkinson in his "rounds" without hinting at any desire to see one especial patient—a desire not gratified, for there were only familiar faces in the wards.

But the summer house was soon found to be Miss Bessie's resort. It was in a secluded part of the grounds, shaded by a thick clump of trees, and provided with a rustic table and comfortable chairs. Here the young girl made a cozy nest for herself, and the place looked home-like with her work-basket, her books, knitting or sketch book, her cushions and footstool.

"The doctor said I must be in the open air as much as possible," she told Fred, one day, "and as no one seems to care much for this summer-house, I have appropriated it. Sometimes I have visitors," and her face saddened, "the poor patients here, you know, but they do not like the cure, and soon leave me."

She never passed a word with her companions. Fred noticed, often speaking pityingly of those more heavily afflicted. But this phase of mental delusion was very common. There had been one very sweet-faced, elderly lady of whom Fred had grown quite fond, and whose mental infirmity he did not discover for several weeks. But one day, passing another patient, she had turned to Fred saying:

"That poor soul we passed is not quite right here," touching her forehead; she fancies she is the Queen of Sheba," and she drew herself up with stately dignity and said: "while every one knows I am the Queen of Sheba."

For Fred had not, when July closed, found out the delusion of the sweet little girl he called "Miss Bessie." She had gained perfect health in the two months of quiet and open air, but while her eyes had lost their weary expression, they never stared or wandered, but were always steadily tranquil, or lighted only by the animation natural to interesting conversation.

In those two months Fred had scarcely seen Dr. Atkinson. His superior in office, Dr. Hare, had gone away for a summer vacation, and a new wing was being added to the building. With the entire care of the house and the patients, the direction of the workmen, the work of selecting furniture, carpets and other necessaries for the new building, the resident physician had scarcely a moment to call his own and Fred frequently did not see him at all during his visit.

It was in July that Dr. Read suddenly awoke to the appalling conviction that he was deeply in love with the inmate of a lunatic asylum. He had deluded himself with the thought that it was pity, professional interest, even curiosity, that drew him again and again to the summer-house, where he was sure to meet a warm, if shy, welcome, and where the hours flew by in utter content.

But so simple a matter as the reading of a poem had opened his eyes to the truth. It had become quite a common thing for him to read scraps of newspaper intelligence, little bits from one of the books on the table, or a selection from a favorite work he brought with him, while Bessie sewed or knitted, and listened to him. And on this particular July day he had read a little love poem nestled in the corner of a newspaper. It was not a wonderful production of genius, but it was pretty and tender. Looking up Fred saw a pair of blushing cheeks, downcast eyes, trembling fingers, and his heart stood still.

He read the truth in a flash. He loved the lovely girl before him, and she—alas! she returned his love. His first feeling was one of keen self-reproach. What if he had added to the mental infirmity that had caused this beautiful young creature to be sent to an asylum? Would she forget him, or—dreadful possibility!—would the whole reason give way if he deserted her?

He scarcely knew how he reached his boarding-house; but once there he sat down and looked the situation squarely in the face. His own share of the affliction he put aside for the present. He was a man, and he could bear his trouble manfully. That he loved, where his love must die, was, in a great measure, his own fault and folly; but that he had won a pure, sweet heart only to wound it, caused him bitter pain. Long meditation brought him to one resolution. He must see Dr. Atkinson, make a clear confession, and have his opinion of the danger to be anticipated.

"He knows where the weakness I have failed to discover lies," Fred thought, "and he can tell me whether it is safe to break off my visits suddenly or gradually."

It was not an easy matter to catch Dr. Atkinson, or, having caught him, to secure his attention, but something in Fred's troubled face aroused his friend's anxiety, and he turned his back for the time upon his manifold duties and shut himself in his private office with Fred.

At first he listened gravely enough, but as Fred proceeded his face became more and more amused, until, to the consternation of the penitent speaker, he threw himself back in his chair and broke into a roar of laughter.

"O," Fred said, "it is funny, is it? I do not see it in that light. Even if this poor girl is insane——"

"Stop!" interrupted his friend. "Don't get angry, my dear fellow. You really love her, you say?"

But Fred was too angry to answer.

"And she loves you, at least you think so, and you want to know if it is a curable case, and—well, I will not torment you any more. Your charmer, Fred, is not a patient, nor, as far as I know, a lunatic."

Fred gave a long sigh, but only looked his eager questions.

"She is my sister, Bessie Atkinson, who has had a long winter of illness from typhoid fever, and is making me a visit. I thought she was quite safe from intrusion in that summer house, as the attendants have orders to keep the patients away from there, and I did not think of you! But since you have been prowling around so long, perhaps you had better come now and be introduced in form."

"One moment, Will. I have been a puppy, it seems, in taking her love for granted, but if I have won it?"

"I am her oldest brother, and her father died years ago. I am quite sure that what I approve my mother will sanction, and you must know nothing could please me better than to know Bessie has a lover I esteem so highly as I do you!"

"And—you will not tell her—will you? my awful blunder?"

"I can't promise. I'll try to keep the secret, but—" and the doctor roared again, "the idea of Bess as a raging lunatic! Well, there, I won't tell her at all events, until you have told her something far more interesting."

And he kept his word so loyally that Bessie Atkinson had been Bessie Read more than a year before she knew that her husband had ever considered her an interesting patient in a lunatic asylum.—*N. Y. Ledger.*

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"And what reason does he advance?"

"Well, Huxley says it is all owing to the old maids."

"Owing to the old maids! You surprise me!"

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"But what has that to do with old maids?"

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"Well, about the old maids."

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"But where do the old maids come in?" said the inquisitive American, wiping his brow wearily.

"Why, it is as plain as the nose on your face. The only enemy of the bumble bee is the field mouse."

"But what have roast beef, red clover, bumble bees and field mice got to do with old maids?"

"Why, you must be very obtuse. Don't you perceive that the bumble bees would soon become exterminated by the field mice if it were not for——"

"Old maids?"

"No, if it were not for cats, and the old maids of Old England keep the country thoroughly stocked up with cats, and so we can directly trace the effect of the rosy English complexions to the benign cause of English old maids: at least that's what Huxley says about it, and that's just where the old maids come in. Science makes clear many mysterious things, and don't you forget it."—*Texas Siftings.*

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ESTATE OF JOHN F. SCHREDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 6th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John F. Schreder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Susan C. Arner, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this office, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Israel H. Schreder and William H. Arner, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of December, A.D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are requested to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF WM. H. POCKLINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 28th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary M. Pocklington, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Francis C. Pocklington and Abraham Masten, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF SAMUEL G. CONKLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Samuel L. Conkling, executor of said deceased, praying that an instrument in writing, now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be proved, and allowed as such, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Hanson Conkling, Henry C. Conkling and John Conkling, the executors in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, in the County of Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Henry L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is at least in part a mortgage upon real estate in said County of Lenawee, owned by him, and which he has assumed to pay, and that it is past due, and that it becomes necessary for administration upon said estate for the collection of said mortgage, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple, and Samuel McClure, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said county, to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 2d day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson, in and to the following described real estate that is to say: all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road, so called, with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwest along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-one (21) links, thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter, thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter and thence south to the place of beginning. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house (so called) in the city of Adrian in said County of Lenawee, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said County) on the 2d day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney. CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff. dec15

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in favor of George Exelby, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said County to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 28th day of November, A.D., 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson in and to the following described real estate, that is to say. All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five (5) south, of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road, so called, with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwest along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-one (21) links, thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter, thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter, and thence south to the place of beginning. This levy is made subject to a former levy in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple and Samuel McClure. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house (so called) in the City of Adrian, in said County of Lenawee, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said county) on the 20 day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney. dec18

ESTATE OF HIRAM A. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Eliza M. Adams, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 11th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John M. Pennington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, funeral expenses, the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies that have become due, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for such other order in the premises as shall be agreeable to law, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 12th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, late of Silver Lake, Kansas, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert F. Tuttle, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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C. S. Corbitt, a notorious shoplifter, has been arrested for theft. A large amount of plunder was found in his house.

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The Union bank, with Ben Withington as president and Ezer M. Aldrich as cashier, will begin business at Jackson, January 7.

Fifteen Michigan cases before the United States supreme court. There are in all 926 cases on the docket, and the Michiganders may expect to have theirs reached in 10 or 12 years.

Crime and Its Punishment.

We are making some strange history in this country. The daring robberies of the James brothers and their associates, the bold deeds of our western cowboys in robbing stages and express trains, and the awful murders being committed here and there with impunity—these and other crimes will make strange reading for coming generations. They will equal the thrilling stories of pirate life which we used to read when we were boys.

The record of crime in our country has become simply enormous. We cannot pick up a daily paper whose pages are not stained with human gore, accounts of murders, shocking murders committed in cold blood and in many instances without any conceivable motive. Undoubtedly, our civil war has had much to do with the increase of crime in our country. Its awful carnage hardened our people to blood letting, and prepared them to weigh lightly the value of a human life. But it is now almost a score of years since the war closed. The hardening caused by its bloody battlefields ought to have yielded ere this to the influences [illegible] Christian enlightenment. But to-day our people are less secure in person and property than they were fifteen years ago. Crime is undoubtedly on the increase.

There is but one way in which we can account for this. A sickly sentimentalism has sprung up among our people which excuses crime and sympathizes with criminals. Men have cried out from pulpit and platform against the penalties of God's laws, until people have come to look upon all penalty as severe. The idea has been publicly proclaimed, that the best way to prevent crime is to deal gently with our criminals. The result is that in some states capital punishment has been abolished; in most of the others it stands as practically a dead letter. Criminals are not punished. Murderers are arraigned, tried and acquitted, on the ground of temporary insanity or some such sentimental plea. Or if convicted, heaven and earth are moved for a reprieve or a commutation of the sentence. Then, if imprisoned for life, all that is necessary is for some one to start a petition for their pardon, and our respectable, influential business men will all sign it. The executive grants the pardon, and the hardened wretch is turned out to find another victim.

The time has come to stop this nonsense. The states which have not the death penalty ought to re-enact it as speedily as possible. Then all good citizens ought to unite in helping to execute every law. They ought to refuse to sign petitions for reprieves and pardons. They ought to watch the rascally lawyers who work upon their sympathies in the jury box. What we need to-day is courage on the part of our citizens to say that every criminal shall pay the uttermost farthing of every penalty incurred, and then stand by it in spite of lawyers and circulators of petitions, until our laws become a terror to every worker of iniquity.

The way to prevent crime is to punish it, and punish it promptly. It is said that in the days of Alfred the Great, of England, strings of pearls could be safely stretched across the streets of London. That was not brought about by maudlin pity for criminals, but by infallibly catching the evil doer, and giving him his deserts. Pity is thrown away upon men who can deliberately weigh out so much gold against so much human blood. The only way to touch them is to let them end their career as decently as possible on the gallows.

There is hope for us in this state. The increase of crime is so manifest and the persons of our people so insecure that our newspapers are beginning to clamor for the restoration of the death penalty. Says the Detroit Evening News, editorially: "It is time at last to set up the gallows and call in the hangman." And again, "It would cost the state about $20,000 if the Governor should call an extra session of the legislature and restore capital punishment, but human life would be a great deal more secure." Says the Michigan Christian Advocate, editorially, "Society has, can have but one possible means of repressing crime in so far as it relates to those who have been addicted to its commission, and that means is in repressing by imprisonment and by *capital punishment*. And it is the immediate interest and duty of every citizen to cooperate to secure these ends. * * * Much of the increase of crime is due to a maudlin sentiment which has gained control of society. Capital punishment has been abolished by a false sympathy which pleads the cause of the criminal in opposition to that of the victim."

We are glad to see this awakening of the public conscience. It forbodes good for the future. Certainly as it has been, the murderer could snap his gory fingers in our faces and tell us that hanging was played out. Let us hope that a better era is dawning. Certainly the public conscience needs awakening. What we need is a revival of the doctrine that crime must be punished according to its demerit, that the law must be enforced and every penalty executed. The sickly sentimentalism which would spare the wretch whose life is a constant menace to the welfare of society, needs to be rooted out. We believe that it will be done. We believe further that when the Legislature shall meet again the death penalty will be restored in the state of Michigan.

But there is one thing which we ought never to forget. Laws do not execute themselves. We have a duty as citizens. We ought to take a firm stand on the side of law and order, and see to it that so far as we are concerned the law shall take its course, and every criminal be punished. Let there be an end of listening to the pluns of dishonest lawyers and of begging petitions. Let us stand by our officers in the discharge of their often disagreeable duties.

The Proper Grounds for Divorce.

Whether we regard marriage therefore, as a civil or a religious institution it is not absolutely indissoluble. Having been instituted as has been said, for the good of mankind, if, for any cause, it cease to promote the welfare of its subjects, if it crush their interests, and deprive them of happiness, then it may very properly and ought to be dissolved. In other words, [illegible] not to enslave men and women, but to bless them, it should not be perverted into any such uses. The man or woman who has been unfortunately bound to a body of death, ought to have some mode of escape. This is found in divorce. We must admit that such a necessity was not contemplated in the original institution. From the beginning it was not so. And there would have been no need of anything of the kind had it not been for human weakness and sin. If there were no deception, if men and women were always just what they profess to be, there would be no need of it at all. But to compel a man to live with a woman who has grossly deceived him is to banish happiness from his life. To compel a woman to live with an idle, drunken, worthless husband, who fails to bring her and her children the support which he owes them is still greater cruelty if possible. There are properly three causes for which divorce ought to be granted: gross deception or the procuring of the marriage vow under false pretenses, infidelity to the marriage vows, and a failure to fulfill the obligations of the covenant. This is, will be said, adds to the scripture ground for divorce. To this it may be replied that it does in form but not in fact. Jesus said that "the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath." That is a divine precept and is not to be so construed as to injure those to whom it was given. By parallel, therefore, the divine teaching is not to be so interpreted as to make marriage a curse instead of a blessing. It is but in accordance with his teachings to annul the covenant whenever it requires the sacrifice of the dearest interests of one or both of the parties concerned.—*Marriage Guide.*

The sanctity of the family is the hope of the world. It is better that two should suffer through life than that a too easy door should be opened for those led by passion or desiring license. The boys say on the train, "Chicago, thirty minutes for divorce!" I heard that myself. In this state a man can go and commit adultery and with witnesses secure a divorce, and his wife will be free, and may be wish never to marry again. But divorce should be granted on other than the Scriptural ground. A woman ought not to be obliged to live with a hog. Drunkenness ought to be a cause. So too if a man is notoriously corrupt in any way, or if he is convicted of a criminal offence. But the causes should be very few. Cruelty should be one, but not mere failure to agree in temper. Laxity of divorce laws makes great evils.—*Rev. H. W. Beecher.*

It seems to me that the New Testament confines the cause of divorce to adultery on the part of one of the parties to the marriage, still I can conceive of additional reasons why divorce should be granted. For example, take the case of a wife whose husband is a confirmed drunkard and who daily abuses her. When she married him she thought she was marrying a man and she hoped a gentleman. She did not know she was marrying a beast who would make her life wretched. I would not have a woman tied to such a brute all the days of his or her life. So also when a man is convicted of a crime and sent to State Prison, I do not think a woman should be compelled to resume her marital relations with him after he has served his sentence. She should be allowed a divorce if she desired it. There may be other causes, but think the generality of them may be included under the headings of personal abuse and defamement of character by crime.—*Rev. Thos. Armitage, D.D.*

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—The Dakota lands set apart for educational purposes are valued at $82,000,000.

—There are more Baptist churches in East Tennessee than post-offices or grist mills.—*N. Y. News.*

—An English clergyman writes that there are 1,000 unemployed clergymen in the Church of England, many of them are both able and willing to work, and who cannot find anything to do.

—Mrs. Florence E. [illegible], who is to [illegible] in New York [illegible] persons of learning [illegible] get earning their [illegible] N. Y.

—President Robinson of the Vassar College observatory, has had [illegible] a massive [illegible] made of solid oak [illegible] years' service up on Vassar Hall.

—Among the amendments made in the Episcopal prayer-book, the words "Lord, save our rulers" are to be changed to "O, Lord, bless and preserve these United States."—*Chicago News.*

—The *Telegraph*, of Macon, Ga., says: "Every week there are additional evidences of the need for technical schools. A gentleman engaged in manufacturing said in our office that he had vacancies in his business that paid from $1,500 to $3,500 a year that he could not find the men in the State to fill."

—The Amherst Senate is composed of four seniors, three juniors, two sophomores and one freshman, chosen by ballot. This body has entire jurisdiction in all questions of discipline. They even overrule former decisions of the Faculty, and the President holds that they have thus far exercised their power wisely. The Senate recently decided in favor of permitting the students to engage in inter-collegiate sports, which the faculty had interdicted.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—A school for teaching foreigners the English language has been opened in New York in the Five Points House of Industry by the Young Men's Hebrew Association. The school will be open five evenings in the week, and the system employed will be simply to make the pupils speak English by allowing them to speak nothing else. No word of a foreign language will be tolerated in school hours, and when a man fails to understand a sentence spoken to him, he must find it out by instinct or by persistent questioning. Over two hundred names are enrolled on the list of members.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The last paragraph of the will of the late Rev. Dr. William Shelton, of Buffalo, touchingly says: "I will also (in taking leave of life) add that my parishioners have ever been kind and considerate of my welfare; and, through the period of more than half a century in which I have most imperfectly served them, they have been respectful and dutiful. For all which I can only add my hearty thanks, asking their forgiveness for my neglects, and giving my final benediction. God bless, preserve and keep you and yours, and may you always be preserved in the unity of the church, which has ever been one, figured by the ark of the flood."

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Most people are perfectly willing to be good when they get too old to be bad any longer.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—Oscar Wilde has received many thanks from Mary Anderson for writing a play for her. They reach him in this shape: "Declined, with many thanks."

—"I hev allus noticed," observes Aunt Tabetha, "that the boy who lets his mother bring in all the kindlin' wood and build the kitchen fire is the mourner that hollers loudest at her funeral." And then she added thoughtfully: "Mebbe it is, and it is because he misses her the most."—*Boston Post.*

—Elder sister (Geraldine), why did you take so much trouble to snub that handsome, manly young fellow we just met? Geraldine: O, that's Harry Hardlines. He hasn't a cent to his name, and he's got a mother to support; and that sort of thing isn't good form, you know, nowadays."—*Boston Post.*

—The father's prayer:

"I cannot sing the old songs,"
Sighed a jaunty old roué,
While at an orchestral organ
Her fingers she did stroke.
"Thank heaven!" growled the parent,
With manifest zeal,
"An' pray the Lord the new ones
Just so you cannot feel."
—*Yonkers Gazette.*

—A trade circular, under the title, "What will the Coming Girl Wear?" contains a description of the articles likely to constitute the wardrobe of the future. It is a description sufficient to convince anybody that what the coming girl will chiefly wear is a hole in the pocket-book of the man who supports her.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—There is a pertinent German story of recovery from a trance. A man died, as it appeared. He was about to be buried when he came to life and burst the lid of his coffin. He was hastily removed from the grave and rapidly recovered health. During his seeming death he heard all that was said about him. He changed his will.

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Her nearly frozen husband looked under the table, but she was not there.

The guests separated to search. Some looked down the well, others down cellar, others in the hen-coop and smoke-house, and finally the pig-pen. No Imogene.

Then some said that she had been abducted, while others scoffed at the idea of a girl weighing 196 pounds and having a scream which could be heard two miles, being carried off in broad daylight.

A detective was called in. He looked at her old shawl, measured the length of her shoes, and decided that it was a mysterious affair. He would take the case if desired, but would not promise any satisfactory solution under a year and a half.

The fair Imogene's father hadn't behaved much excitement up to this point. The wedding feast was the first square meal he had tackled for six months, and he wanted to fill up before giving way to emotion. He was now full. He turned around upon the excited and distressed guests, commanded them to hush their hullaballo and disappeared up stairs.

When the coy Imogene slipped away from the feast it was to see if her husband would miss and follow her. She slid up stairs, mounted to the garret, and after brushing the cobwebs off her nose she advanced to the big blue chest in the corner. This chest had been made to hold her father's Government bonds and was hooped with iron and provided with a spring lock, which never cost less than a dollar. Her mission was to hide in the chest and see if her husband would be soft enough to climb up there and throw up the lid and call peek-a-boo. As the reader knows, he wasn't the man to catch on.

The old man D'Eustis walked up stairs and made his way to the garret through the same trap-door the bride had used. He thought she might be up there to take a last farewell look at the bunches of catnip, moldy school-books and broken spinning-wheels. He could not see her. He called aloud, but the whistle of the tug on the river was the only answer. He turned to go, but something whispered to him that perhaps he might find a plug of tobacco or a bottle of stomach bitters in the old chest. He advanced with beating heart and threw up the lid.

"Why, pop, is this you?" cried the fair Imogene, as she sprang up and ripped her bridal dress clear down the back.

"Yes, this is me!" growled the old man, "and what the jimcracks are you doing here?"

"Hiding from Sam."

"I'm a tarnal mind to box your ears, big as you are! Here you've raised a regular city convagation all over the house, spoilt a dress which cost me fourteen dollars with the making, upset your mother, and scart old Mrs. Spigot into a fit!"

"Please, pop,—"

"You git! Drap yourself through that trap-hole, skip down there and tell the crowd that you don't know beyond when the fang's nuffed."

And the bride got. And her husband was so mad that he burned up a free railroad pass to Chicago, and his mother cried, and her father went off down town to play poker, and taken all in all, the coy bride and the old chest and the spring lock business didn't pay ten cents on the dollar.—*Detroit Free Press.*

The Pleasure of "Picking Up" Things.

"Why do you practice shoplifting? Surely the profits are seldom large, compared to the risks you run."

"Right you are," was the answer. "I am what we get on the 'snake' for it, but the racket of it fetches me. Ways, sometimes I don't clear enough to pay me for my go. Yet it's jolly, and I like it for the excitement. Playing euchre's now-a-days to it."

"Where does the pleasure come in?"

"Well, women naturally like shopping. They have fun going about the big stores and looking at things. I like that kind of thing, too, but besides that I get anything I like for nothing, and that's more fun. There's the racket of watching the dabbed-down clerks and the dizzy floor-walkers. I wait until they are looking another way and calling out 'Cash, cash,' to the hungry little girls and then I style slip something I think would look much better in a pawn-shop under my cloak and all's serene."

"Isn't the risk very great?"

"Of course it is. But there's where the pleasure is. There is the same sort of risk in gambling, and I have a passion for it. When I get what I aim for I'm just as happy and contented as a clam in high water. Oh—it's an immense racket, if you ain't caught," and the shoplifter sank back to think over her probable term of imprisonment.—*N. Y. Truth.*

Just Too Utterly Too, Too.

A consumptive man, knowing that his life was rapidly drawing to a close, called his wife to him and said:

"Madeline, you know that I am about to die; shall you ever think of me when I am gone?"

"O yes, darling," sobbed his wife. "I never can forget you, and I will ever see that your grave is kept green."

"Yes, my dear, I know you will; but I have one last request."

"What is it, darling?"

"Do not keep it that vulgar, low-down, common green, like Simpson's grave, which is so distasteful to the eye. Keep it a rich, delicate olive green."—*Texas Siftings.*

Another writer rises to remark that there are more lawyers and physicians than are needed in this country. Those professions would not be overcrowded if parents did not push sons into them who have not the requisite qualifications necessary for success.—*N. Y. Times.*

Then and Now.

Looking over some old papers in the pension office the other day, the difference between the old-time and present methods of granting aid to soldiers became very noticeable. Now, almost any old soldier easily obtains relief; then it was a matter involving the clearest proofs. In some cases even abject poverty seemed necessary before Government interposed to give relief. One case, from the long correspondence and interesting character of the claimant, is a sample of many. The papers are very voluminous. They begin in 1819, when Colonel Paul Dudley Sargent, of Sullivan, Maine, asked for a pension. His memorial showed that in 1775 he lived in Gloucester, Mass., where he organized a body of minutemen. From his forwardness in the independent cause he was blacklisted and compelled to flee to Amherst, N. H. Here he organized a regiment of militia, and so ready was he that, before daylight on April 19, 1775, he was on his way to Concord with his command, which afterwards became a part of Washington's army, and was the first body of troops to enter Boston after the evacuation the next March. Here he fitted out the first privateer of the Revolution. It carried nine guns and took several prizes, with the proceeds of which Sargent paid his troops out of his own pocket. In June he marched to New York, was in all the battles there, so that his regiment was reduced from 727 men to 197. He took part in the battle of Trenton, and soon after resigned his commission for ill-health, but kept on fitting out privateers, of which he sent forty-seven sail to sea. In later years his property was lost by misfortunes, and at the time spoken of he was reduced to poverty, living upon the scant proceeds of a ferry at Sullivan, the sole use of which had been granted him by vote of the county. The pension was granted at first, but soon taken away, on the score that he was rich. He made an indignant protest, and filed an inventory at the War Department by which it appeared that he was worth $1,770, every little item of household furniture appearing scrupulously in the schedule. The pension was refused although ample testimony was shown that the old veteran, now seventy-six years old, owed about $2,000. In 1832 he made another effort. His ferry had been superseded by a bridge, his occupation was gone, and the schedules annexed to his inventory showed that his scanty property had diminished to $[illegible], of which $200 represented the tumble-down house in which he lived, with his wife, three maiden daughters and a grand-daughter. His letter to John C. Calhoun, then Secretary of War, was most pathetic, and reinforced by the testimony of judges of various courts to his deserving condition, and of creditors to debts ten times the value of his home. Still nothing was done. The handwriting of the correspondence showed the growing infirmities of Colonel Sargent, who in 1826 sent again in trembling characters the [illegible] last schedule to be made by Paul Dudley Sargent, a colonel in the Revolutionary War. I have not any property, nor any income whatever. For fact, I have been living for four years on charity and the sale of my [illegible] which is now entirely gone." At last convinced that he was not too rich to be pensioned at the age of [illegible] years, and after he had waited in distress so long, the officials granted him $20 a month, but too late to do him much good, for he died soon after. That is the record of the pension given so grudgingly, and withheld till [illegible] from the man who led the first New Hampshire troops to Concord, fitted out the first privateer, and gave all his private means without stint to the cause of independence. It is in striking contrast to the prodigal bounty now shown in dealing with the yet young survivors of the late war.—*Pittsburg Dispatch.*

About People Who Use Tobacco.

A tobacconist furnishes the following as the result of observation of his customers. An even-tempered, quiet man never goes to an extreme in choosing a tobacco; a nervous man wants something strong and furious; a mild man something that smokes and fuddles more. There is a great deal in the way men handle their cigars. If a man smokes his cigar only enough to keep it lighted, and relishes taking it from between his lips to give a curl of blue smoke into the air, set him down as easy-going. He has keen perceptions and delicate sensibilities. He will not create trouble, but is apt to see it out when it is once begun. Beware of the man who never relinquishes the cigar from the grip of his teeth, and is indifferent whether it burns or dies. He is cool, calculating, and exacting. He is seldom energetic physically, but lives easily off of those who perform the labor. A man who smokes a bit, rests a bit, and pumples the cigar more or less is apt to be easily affected by circumstances. If the cigar goes out frequently the man has a whole-souled disposition, is a devil-may-care sort of fellow, with a lively brain and a glib tongue, and generally a ding fund of anecdotes. To hold half the cigar in the mouth and smoke indifferently is a lazy man's habit. They are generally of little force, and their characters are not of the highest strata. A nervous man, or one under exciting influences, fumbles his cigar a great deal. He is a kind of popinjay among men. Holding the cigar constantly between the teeth, chewing it occasionally, and not caring whether or not it has been lighted at all, are characteristics of men with the tenacity of bull dogs. They never forget anything, and never release a hold. The fop stands his cigar on end, and an inexperienced smoker either points it straight ahead or almost at right angles with his course.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

After having played a bar or two of "Midsummer Night's Dream" at a concert in Memphis recently, Herr Sternberg suddenly ceased, looked up at the gallery, then made a little bow to the audience, and declared that he could not play while peanuts were being cracked and that the gentlemen so engaged must cease or he must ask to be excused. There was a dead silence and Mr. Sternberg resumed. As the *Appeal* reporter critically remarks—the peanut has no soul for music.

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It is the time of the year when people who have never been taught any better go chestnutting.

Chestnuts do not grow wild out West. Let the mighty West remember that with a grateful heart on Thanksgiving Day. On the boundless prairies the chestnut only grows in the train-boy's basket.

The chestnut is the home of the rioting worm. No self-respecting worm will live in the ground if he can find a chestnut. He enters it by a hole which cannot be perceived, and once in the nut he riots in solitude and abundance, until some incautious man reads the riot act to him. A chestnut without a worm is as great a rarity as a bee without a sting.

Where all the chestnuts come from, goodness only knows. I don't. They don't grow on the trees. The Prince went out one day, with the little ones at the parsonage. He came home with half a peck of beautiful brown chestnuts. I smiled at the child's enthusiasm, and said to his mother:

"I will go out with him myself, and get a couple of bushel."

I did go out with him. I took some things to bring the nuts home in; to-wit, a grain sack, a large double-decker market basket, and a box; the aggregate capacity of these vessels was two and one-half bushels. Dr. McLain and Louie accompanied us, with a somewhat larger equipment.

The proportion of the chestnut burs to chestnuts is as the leaves of the alders to the trout in the brook. Just about. You walk over acres of hulls, you turn them over, you look into them, you stumble and fall on them. At last your heart bounds with joy. You find a bur with a chestnut in it. You get all the needles on the bur into your two thumbs while you extract that chestnut, and then the ever-present worm looks out and denounces the barbarity of eviction.

I carried the chestnuts home that night in my pocket. The grain bag I folded up and hid under my coat. I threw the box away and the basket I filled with bleaky nuts. After it was full, a native drove past and I looked at me kindly.

"There's lots and bushels of shellbarks down on the other road about a mile," he said, with a peculiar emphasis on the shellbarks.

"Well, what's there to me?" I asked with a sinking heart.

"Pig nuts," he replied, "they're no good, nobody ever gathers them."

I lied, in his saying that I kept a pig and had gathered these nuts for feed, and the native left in ingenuous and drove on.

"What you mighty, all dem nuts over de fence for?" the Prince demanded.

I told him there were motives in the human heart that sometimes shaped our actions, too deep and intricate for him to comprehend, and then the Doctor and I gathered up the children and trespassed across a field to a forbidden chestnut tree, escorted by a whole herd of cattle and a Mr. Durham, who pawed the ground in another field and talked bass at us through the rails. We made a great raid at this tree. The venerable old monarch of the forest was about two thousand years old, and its branches had a spread of about twenty acres. It was cloudy with burs, but we got some nuts and ten worms.

I know what the worms are for. They are to keep people from eating the chestnuts. Men do not for the worms many people would eat chestnuts who cannot now be induced to taste them, and a great amount of suffering would thereby be entailed upon the human race. Of all the awful, tiresome, maddening things in the world to eat, a chestnut is the lingeringest. A man may start in on a chestnut say about the 10th of October. He can chew it all that day, and from time to time make desperate efforts to swallow fine fragments of it. It will make him cough all night, and he can resume the process of mastication early in the morning, and keep it up all the next day. It will last him that week, and Sunday he cannot sing at church without blowing dessicated chestnut all over the pew in front of him. He's lucky if he finally gets that chestnut chewed and swallowed by the end of November. I always hated it, and since I have met it in its native haunt I am less than ever a friend of the chestnut.

Burlington Hawkeye.

Recalcitrant Preachers.

It is related that when Rev. Dr. Ellis, Rev. Phillips Brooks and Rev. Dr. Brooke Herford were on their way home together from Liverpool to Boston, on the first Sunday out the captain of the Cephalonia endeavored to arrange for religious services, and asked the three famous clergymen to decide among themselves which should preach. Mr. Herford at once excused himself, saying he had preached steadily during his vacation and now wanted at least one Sunday's rest. Then Mr. Brooks suggested that Dr. Ellis, being the oldest, ought to preach. "O, no," said Dr. Ellis, "it would be nonsense for me to preach when everybody wants to hear you." And so, after half an hour of disclaimers and compliments, the end of the matter was that there was no preaching at all. "Well," said the captain, with a sigh, "I did what I could. But isn't it singular? Three fire-escapes aboard, and nobody saved from the burning!" *Chicago Journal.*

—A Jacksonville (Fla.) paper records the death of Miss Kittie Worrall from grief and prostration. The young girl was to have been married. The bridegroom and all the friends were assembled at the house and the hour for the ceremony fast approaching, when the young man excused himself from the company on the plea of having forgotten the wedding ring and left the house and has never been seen since.

—It is said that one New York produce firm has paid an average of fifty dollars a day for a month at a time for telegrams to Chicago, and the telegraphic business of five firms with their Chicago correspondents costs $110,000 a year. And yet less than half a century ago all the world's business was transacted without the wire.—*N. Y. Evening Mail.*

A Few Bank-Note Stories.

On one occasion the Bank of England proved much too accommodating for its own interests. Somewhere about the year 1840 one of its own Directors, a man of wealth and of unimpeachable honor, bought an estate for £30,000, and for convenience sake obtained a note for that amount. On returning home, just as he was about to put it under lock and key, he was called out of the room, and placed the note on the mantel-piece. On coming back, a few minutes later, no note was to be seen. No one had entered the room in his absence, and, after an anxious search, he came to the conclusion that the precious bit of paper had fallen into the fire and been consumed. Hurrying off to Threadneedle Street he told his colleagues what had happened, and they gave him a second note upon his undertaking to restore the lost one if it should come again into his hands, and, in case of its being presented by anybody else, repay the amount to the bank.

Thirty years afterward, when he had long been dead and his estate distributed among his heirs, the supposed non-existent note turned up at the bank counter, where it was presented for payment. All explanation of the circumstances connected with it were lost upon the presentee—the note had come to him from abroad in the course of business, and it must be honored without delay. There being no help for it, he was paid the £30,000. Application was made to the representatives of the defunct Director to refund the money, but they promptly disclaimed their liability, and the bank perforce had to put up with the loss. The story goes that it was discovered (how or when we are not informed) that the builder employed to pull down the dead man's house, preparatory to rearing a new one on the site had found the note in a crevice of the chimney, and kept it and his own counsel until he thought it was safe to reap the reward of his patience and unscrupulousness, and so become a rich man at a stroke.

The executors of Sir Robert Burdett found no less than £270,000 worth of bank notes scattered here and there about his house, some slipped into bundles of old papers, some between the leaves of books, without a memorandum anywhere to appraise them of the existence of such valuables, much less of their whereabouts. A little better advised were the executors of the gentleman who left behind him a scrap of paper marked, "Seven hundred pounds in Till," although they failed to interpret its meaning until they had disposed of all the dead man's belongings. Then one of them recollected that his library had contained a folio edition of Tillotson's Sermons, and wondered if "Till" had any reference to it. The books had been sold to a bookseller, who luckily had not found a customer for them, although he had sent them on approval to a gentleman at Cambridge, who had returned them as not answering his expectations. The executor bought the Tillotson back again, and going carefully through the volume, recovered notes to the amount of $2,500.

The watchman of a factory at New Haven, America, afforded the administrators of his estate no clew whatever as to the hiding-place of the savings of which they believed him to have died possessed. Overhauling his clothes preparatory to selling them by auction, one of them threw an old overcoat aside, when a dirty piece of cloth dropped out of one of the pockets. On examination this was found to be wrapped around a large cartridge-shell within which lay notes of $1,800 value, which, but for a mere chance, might unexpectedly have enriched a purchaser of second-hand clothing.

Some sixty years since a Bank of England £5 note was paid into a Liverpool merchant's office in the ordinary course of business. On holding it up to the light to test its genuineness the cashier saw some faint red marks upon it. Examining them closely, he traced some half-effaced words between the printed lines and upon the margin of the note, written apparently with blood. After a long and minute scrutiny he made out the words: "If this note should fall into the hands of John Dean, of Loughill, near Carlisle, he will learn hereby that his brother is languishing a prisoner in Algiers." The merchant immediately communicated with Mr. Dean, and he lost no time in bringing the matter before the Government. Inquiries were set on foot, and the unfortunate man discovered and ransomed. He had been a slave to the Dey of Algiers for eleven years when the message he had traced with a splinter of wood dipped in his own blood reached the Liverpool counting-house. Liberty, however, came too late; the privations and hardships of the galleys had sapped his strength, and although he was brought home to England, it was but to die. *All the Year Round.*

A curious story comes from Brentford, England. A servant of Dr. Ferry was sent out to carry a message. She was short-sighted, and failing to return it was feared she had fallen into the canal. It was dragged, but without success. Several days later an old barge woman suggested that a loaf of bread, in which some quicksilver had been placed, should be floated on the water. This was done and the loaf became stationary at a certain point. The dragging was resumed at this point and the body found. The superstition is said to be centuries old, but no one had seen it tried there for many a year.

After twenty-two years of exile at Siberia the Russian writer, Tchernischefski, has been allowed to return to his home to "husband out life's taper in its close." The poor man is now sixty years of age, but it is hardly necessary to say that his long years of exile have made him look more like a centenarian than anything else. He is hardly able to walk and scarcely weighs a hundred pounds. Tchernischefski was exiled during the riots of 1862.

Some girls can't catch on to the fashionable walk. Why, girls, that's easily done, when you know how. Just walk along slow and lazy like; give a little shove to the right and left at each step; act as if you had no elasticity in your step, as if each foot were held back by stiff mud, and the wind was kind of blowing you back at each step, and you have got it.—*Newport Journal.*

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Weight by Measuring

The following rule for finding out the weight of an animal by measuring may prove convenient. See that the animal stands square, then take his circumference behind the shoulder-blade—this is the girth. Then measure from the bone of the tail which plumbs the line with the hinder part of the buttock, and direct the string along the back to the forepart of the shoulder-blade; this will be the length. Then work the figures thus: Suppose the girth of a bullock 6 feet 4 inches, length 5 feet 3 inches, which multiplied together make 33 square superficial feet, and these multiplied by 23—the number of pounds allowed for each superficial foot of earth [illegible] five feet in girth make 770 pounds. When the animal measures less than [illegible] and more than seven feet in girth, [illegible] the number of pounds to be estimated for each superficial [illegible] [illegible] square feet, [illegible] the number of pounds allowed for carcass [illegible] feet in girth make 770 pounds. The measures of cattle, sheep, calves and [illegible] in this way will give the weight of four quarters of the animal, making the offal. A deduction must be made for animals half fat, of one second, or twenty from those that are fat. For [illegible] that has had [illegible] allowed in addition to the [illegible] upon every twenty.

Japanese Life.

[illegible] the Japanese is so to speak more than godless with him. Though he has no soap he washes [illegible] once a day—he washes but once a week. His candles are made of vegetable wax. He uses a [illegible] well stuffed [illegible] covering and mattress. A square [illegible] cases—made of wood—makes his pillow. He goes to that [illegible] in the [illegible] that [illegible] carefully [illegible] hair [illegible] in a long [illegible]. No [illegible] Japanese. No [illegible] unfortunately. [illegible] with the men shaved in [illegible]. They are coming now to wear it in European fashion. They are adopting all European customs.

On levee day I saw the reception at the Mikado's palace in Yeddo. Every one presented had to come in full dress. That dress does not become the Japanese figure. He looks awkward in it. His legs are too short. The tails of his claw-hammer coat lag on the ground and the black dress trousers wrinkle up and get baggy around his feet. His European fashioned clothes have been sent ready-made from America, England, and in no case did I see anything approaching to a good fit. Yet he smiled and looked very happy, though he could not get his heels half way down his Wellington boots, and his hat was either too large or too small for his head. His saving grace did looks pleasant. Nothing can make him grumble, and he has not learned to swear. He is satisfied to be paid his pay and never asks for more. As a New York cabman he would be a veritable living curiosity.

Beauty.

[illegible] against [illegible] beauty saying you [illegible] the [illegible] to the exclusion of those moral qualities, mind and [illegible]. Well, beauty alone will sink your dinner [illegible] and [illegible] a time [illegible] but [illegible] and tend [illegible] in our carriage. The [illegible] said:

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Well, put yourself to that which time [illegible] from you, during the [illegible] and sound mind, ready with the character and capabilities of your choice. See to it that she possesses a [illegible] of grasping the ordinary questions of the day, and that a portion of her [illegible] on reading some [illegible] and [illegible] well [illegible] about which, hence [illegible] sweetness of temper is not incompatible with firmness or moral courage and a woman possessing these attributes will not belong to the rapidly [illegible] class, but on the contrary [illegible] and develop into noble wives and [illegible] in friendship, and devout [illegible] capable of exerting both home and in society, the best of [illegible] influence for the right and for [illegible].

If to these high and independent qualities is added beauty, then your choice is indeed blessed of God. Take such a one to your heart and while be engaged in fitting and adorning yourself worthy to be the possessor of such a priceless gem.

What Has It Done For You?

The skeptical Mr. Bradlaugh was once lecturing in a village in the north of England, and at the close challenged opposition. Who should accept the challenge but an old Irish woman in the most antiquated attire, who went up to the lecturer and said: "Sir, I have a question to put to you." "Well, my good woman, what is it?" "Forty years ago," she said, "I was left a widow with eight children unprovided for, and nothing to call my own but this Bible. By its direction, and looking up to God for strength, I have been enabled to feed myself and family. I am now tottering to the grave; but I am perfectly happy, because I look forward to a life of immortality with Jesus in heaven. That's what my religion has done for me. What has your way of thinking done for you?" "Well, my good lady," rejoined the lecturer, "I don't want to disturb your comfort; but"—"Oh! that's not the question," interposed the woman; "keep to the point, sir. What has your way of thinking done for you?" The infidel endeavored to shirk the matter again, the feeling of the meeting gave vent in uproarious applause, and Mr. Bradlaugh had to go away discomfitted by an old woman.—*The Lutheran.*

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J. D. BARDWELL.

LOST.—A note given to me by Knifins & Soule, amount one hundred and ninety-nine dollars and eleven cents, being endorsed seventy dollars in 1878, and twenty dollars in 1881. A liberal reward will be paid for the return of said note. RICHARD ADAMS.

Ridgeway, Mich., Dec. 24th, 1883. w2

BURNETT HOUSE—Toledo, Ohio. This house has lately been enlarged and refitted, with elevator and other modern improvements, and is a favorite resort for the traveling public. Rates reasonable and graded according to rooms occupied.

FOR SALE. A first-class set of tools and stock suitable for gunsmithing and general repairing. P. J. WELLING, Tecumseh, Mich.

SUITS OF ROOMS TO LET. Apply at WM. HAYDEN'S.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE. A house and lot situated within ten minutes walk of the P. O. at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Jane Coombs this evening.

A closing out of a large stock of Wax Dolls and Toys at Hough & Hosmer's.

Grand holiday engagement at Opera House, Monday and Tuesday evenings, Dec. 31 and Jan. 1 of John Power's company.

The Young People's Social Club of Dist. No. 5, will hold a leap year social at the residence of Mr. F. Reeder's on New Years night. The gentlemen will cook and serve the supper.

A letter from L. C. Blood, of Lansing, calls our attention to an error which appeared in last week's paper. Lon Henry is not in partnership with him. He takes a decided interest in the business, to be sure, such as a faithful clerk would take in his employer's affairs; but Mr. Blood is still paddling his own canoe.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

C. W. Wells came around and gave us old neighbors a hearty shake.

C. T. line operators, by the kindness of Dr. North, receive temperature reports at 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. daily, as taken for the state board of health.

Abner Wilson and wife took a trip over the M. & O. to Allegan last week. They were well pleased with their ride, and report a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff. Kennedy accompanied them.

Mr. Will Crane and Myron Pierce have been here on their annual trip, running foxes. They report foxes plenty.

By extending the line over in Clinton to W. B. Keyser's, the company have about 9 miles of wire and 17 instruments working.

Miss Eugenia Church's school, the Newburg district, closed last Friday until after the holidays. This is the fourth term that Miss Church has taught in this district, showing how well she is appreciated.

A. P. Updyke, of Franklin, entertained a large crowd of relatives and friends Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Culver, of Hudson, and Miss Alta Updyke, of North Adams, were from abroad. The dinner was excellent, the cigars fragrant, and the tree was loaded down with useful, as well as ornamental presents.

Mr. Frank Skinner, of Springville, was found dead Christmas night; the supposition is that he took his own life, as he has threatened to do so several times. On the fatal night the family went to attend a Christmas tree, and, when they reached home he was in the lounge dead. Recently he gave one man Jessup forty dollars, asking him to see that he was properly buried after he was dead.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 27, 1883.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mattie Vickers will be here again in January.

Albert Arner, of Raisin, is at home during the holidays.

R. W. Adams started for his Delaware home yesterday.

Christmas was a beautiful winter day, and it was well spent in Tecumseh too.

Slayton & Kinney will give presents to their customers Dec. 29th, and 31st. See their big add.

Those who fail to hear Jane Coombs this evening, in the play of "Pique" will miss the best thing of the season.

"Mr. Power's performance was the most realistic piece of acting ever seen on the Auburn stage."—Evening Auburnan.

When prophets disagree who shall decide? Even the muskrats are at cross purposes now on the weather question.

Among the Tecumseh colony now residing in Cleveland, Raynor Lilley, Leon Dutton and H. S. Lee ate Christmas turkey with their old friends.

John Cupples spent last Sunday at home. He expects to take a locomotive on the new passenger train which will be put on the M. & O. the first of the month.

W. S. Osborn and H. Wilson have sold over $2000 worth of sheep from their flocks of registered merinos notwithstanding trade is reported dull in some localities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wooden, of Battle Creek, have been spending a few days in Tecumseh. Will is succeeding finely in his new location with Nichols, Shepard & Co.

Mr. "Sid" Baldwin, who is now running a fruit farm near Saugatuck, was circulating around among his old friends the first of the week. He has not grown old a particle in the last ten years.

Harry Lee is now running a boot and shoe house at 588 Pearl St., Cleveland, Ohio. He is well pleased with the present outlook there. When Tecumseh people visit Cleveland he would be glad to have them call.

The Opera House was crowded on Christmas night to see Uncle Tom, and the audience retired in good humor at the close of the last scene.—Uncle Tom always draws in this town. They struck us just in the right time.

John R. Clark will lecture under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., at Lenawee Junction, on the evenings of Jan. 3d, 4th and 5th, 1884. His subjects will be "To and Fro in London," "Blunders, Big and Little," and "Among the Masses."

The Carman Family Concert at the Baptist church on Christmas night was a grand success and was listened to by a crowded house. The proceeds were $110 which will net a handsome sum for the Poor Fund. We believe a repetition of the concert a few weeks hence would be a good investment.

Col. O. T. Beard, late of the Detroit Post and Tribune, has engaged to write a serial story for the Detroit Echo, in which he will expose some phases of the rascality in high quarters by which the public are plundered, and by which immense fortunes are amassed at the expense of the common people. Col. Beard has already achieved a high repute as a story writer, and the forthcoming serial will alone be worth twice the cost of a year's subscription.

The Monroe Democrat says The News is wrong about its predictions of an open winter, based on reports of muskrat hunters of Monroe and Macomb counties. The Democrat on behalf of its muskrat hunting constituents and on the word of a member of the old Shawnee canoe club, who is now breeding muskrats, says the rats are building their houses bigger and warmer than ever, and an awful winter may be expected. Take due warning and double your coal orders.

The most recent advancement in educational matters in Macon is the Excelsior spelling school, held at Pennington's Corners, in the hall familiarly known as the "do-drop." To attract people to this place of lore, a glass set, valued at $3.50, is offered to the one that can guess the nearest how any given word might be spelled. The generous "profisser of this spellin' skule," as he is pleased to style himself, charges a very reasonable admission fee, to meet current expenses. The words are pronounced and spelled according to the most modern system, the "profisser of this spellin' skule" being judge. For instance, sterile is spelled stee it, and flageolet, flag-o-let, and considered correct. Connoisseur is pronounced con-noy-sur and admitted to be right. Aurelia is given as a-rel-ya, and said to be authentic, and in this manner the nomenclature of the English language is exhausted. The "profisser of this spellin' skule" should choose "Omnia vincit labor" for his motto, and then strive for immortality.

Harry Snell is home for the holidays.

Notice the "ad" of Hough & Hosmer's about wax dolls.

Miss Dora Keyser is spending the holidays with friends in Cleveland.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in town Saturday on a holiday respite.

Fred Spaulding of Chicago spent Christmas with his friends in Tecumseh.

Fred B. Wood takes a two weeks' respite from his legal studies at Ann Arbor.

Forty couple enjoyed themselves at Jo. Sage's Christmas party at Macon corners.

Do not fail to hear Jane Coombs at the Opera House, this evening in the play of "Pique."

We are indebted to the Social Reformer for several interesting articles in this week's HERALD.

Fred A. Smiley, one of Addison's enterprising business men, was in town to spend Christmas.

Miss Mamie Monaghan, who is teaching school in the upper peninsula, is spending her holiday vacation at home.

Mr. John Power, in his great impersonations of Rip Van Winkle and Caleb Plummer, at the Opera House, Monday and Tuesday evenings, Dec. 31 and Jan. 1.

Burglars went through Geo. Keyser's saloon last night. They obtained an entrance through a window in the rear, and after getting inside rifled the money till and made their escape. They obtained a pretty good haul, somewhere in the neighborhood of $150.

Judging from the number of the Social Reformer before us we should say that Rev. Geo. W. Hudson is an adept at handling the editorial quill. We feel moved to drop this hint:—Double the size of the Reformer, charge fifty cents per year therefor and push the paper.

The Detroit Evening News, acting on the principle that it is more blessed to give than to receive, renders to the country press about fourfold what it asks in return. It gives us pleasure to say a kind word for the News; and to wish it increasing success during the coming year. The fact that 180 odd copies are taken in Tecumseh, shows that it has many friends here besides the HERALD.

Aaron Norcross, of Franklin, returned home last week from an absence of nearly a year and a half. He has been visiting among acquaintances in Indiana, Ohio, New York and away down in "Jarsey." Mr. Norcross has his own views on politics as usual, and is warming up for next year's campaign. He weighs thirty-one pounds more than when he left Michigan although we are at a loss to know where he put it.

The American Agriculturist for January, 1884, opens in excellent style, the 43d volume of the leading farm journal of the world. It abounds in reliable advice on very many important and seasonable topics. Among the instructive full-page engravings we find, The First Snow Storm, Talking Over the Crop Prospects, and A Poor Show for Bunny. Mr. Trumble presents portraits of six of the leading types of Tramps. Other fully illustrated articles are, Plans of a Small Barn, Preventing Cattle from Browsing, Pigeon Houses, Feeding Boxes, Wash Room, and other instructive articles. Price, $1.50 a year. Single numbers, 15c.

We have just received a handsome little book with the title, "One Thousand and One Riddles," which contains the material for much fun and home amusement in the way of riddles, conundrums, enigmas, and hints for acting charades. If parents desire to have their children amused, and also amuse themselves, they cannot do better than to send for this book. It contains 128 pages, with enameled paper cover, and will be sent by mail, post paid, to any address, upon receipt of 15 cents, by J. S. Ogilvie & Co., publishers, 31 Rose street, New York.

The Detroit Evening News has just put in a second of the famous Scott presses, with a capacity of 24,000 copies per hour. When both its presses are running, which is from about 4:30 to 5:15 o'clock each afternoon, papers are turned out at the rate of 48,000 per hour or 800 per minute, and in case of necessity even this number can be increased to 1,000 per minute. The News is the first and only paper in Michigan to require anything like such rapid facilities. Notwithstanding the competition of two new cheap papers in Detroit, the circulation of The News shows no appreciable decline.

The initial number of The Social Reformer issues from the HERALD job rooms this week. It is a neat four page, twelve column little sheet, edited and published by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, A. M., pastor of the M. E. church of this village. The name reveals its character. It is devoted to the interests of social virtue and domestic happiness, and is printed for gratuitous distribution. This number contains several vigorous articles upon topics of current interest such as Divorce, Mormonism, the Liquor Traffic, the Criminal Epidemic, Capital Punishment, etc. It is well worth a careful perusal. Sent free in any number by addressing, Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Tecumseh, Mich.

A PLEASANT CHRISTMAS EVE.

A concert was arranged to be given on Christmas eve, by the Sunday School of the Presbyterian church, to purchase music books for the school. At the closing drill on Monday afternoon the hard worked committee of arrangements were not over sanguine of success. The juveniles were more intent on fun than disposed to be drilled. The good ladies sighed and said, we shall fail. But the hour came, the children were in their places, the best friends of the school were present, the concert began and the committee were cheered. The first peal of the organ was like the smell of gunpowder in battle. The programme was judiciously chosen. The opening anthem by the choir, and the pieces by the school were well rendered. The song by Mr. Timothy Strong, the recitation by Miss A. Gray, the instrumental Trio by Mr. H. McNair, J. Richards and F. Hilman, the duets by the Misses L. Jones and M. Eccles and by the Misses L. Lang and C. Powers, were all enjoyed, as indeed was everything presented. But Santa Claus was a large contributor to the enjoyment of the occasion, the more so, as it was not supposed he would be heard from. A despatch came from him early in the evening, saying he would be glad to visit the school and give presents to the primary class, if they would send him word. Of course he was asked, by return despatch to come. Later the good old Gentleman availed himself of the wires again to say he had met with an accident. His reindeer team had broken loose from his sleigh and runaway, and he must go after them. But the sleigh, with two of his grand-daughters in it was just north of the town and if they would send for it they might have it and the presents. Two gentlemen volunteered to go for it. At the close of the singing programme they arrived. The doors were thrown open and in came the sleigh drawn up the central aisle by the gentlemen who had rescued it, and being hoisted on the platform with the grandchildren in it, presents were distributed by them to all the younger classes of the school. Our faithful Superintendent was remembered in a present and several of the teachers by their classes. And so ended, with heartily sung doxology a very enjoyable and not unprofitable occasion.

A POINT IN MEDICAL ETHICS.

The following we copy from the Journal of the American Medical Association of Dec. 22d, 1883, from a correspondent at Tecumseh, Mich., who says:

"In the County of . State of Michigan, within thirty miles of its university, the worthy rulers of said County (Supervisors) let out the job of medical attendance upon the poor to the lowest bidder, in each Town, Village and Township. The town of in this county, has almost three thousand inhabitants. The contract physician for the poor, who, by the way, has practiced medicine in the town for thirty years, receives $19.50 per year for medical attendance, and furnishes medicine. If no bids were made the Supervisors would allow each physician half fees for whatever business he might do among the poor of the towns. Now, Mr. Editor, is there anything in the above asinine transaction contrary to the National Code of Ethics? or is it in accordance with the go as you please code of New York? Please give us some light."

As man is only possessed of what light God has given him, I am not surprised that the above esteemed correspondent calls for what he has not, that is "light." To clear up some misapprehension on his part, I will say that the worthy rulers of the county do not "let the job" of medical attendance upon the poor; we have superintendents of the poor who attend to that business. The "job was let," for the past year at $19.50 per year. There were three bids sent in from this township, two of them for $20.00 and the third at $19.50, and if I am not mistaken in the identity of the esteemed correspondent, he was one of the physicians who furnished one of the twenty dollar bids. For a number of years the poor of this town were well taken care of without any of this artificial assistance and I presume the poor could still be well cared for on the old plan. I presume further that, the taxpayers, who have some "light" on the subject, will not relish the plan of having the physicians band together in a scheme to levy their fees, even at half rates, on the tax roll of the town although a one half fee might not be in violation of the National code. The scheme suggested by the esteemed correspondent would certainly be a good one to enable physicians to collect their bad debts, but in that case the physician would have to get an order from the Supervisor before he took charge of the case. During the last year, before the plan of "letting the job" was adopted about five years since, over $[illegible] in bills were sent to the supervisors from physicians of this town for medical attendance upon the poor, and we are informed that the present incumbent of that position had no hand in that attempt to levy his fees on the tax payers. As the communication in the Medical Journal is scattered broadcast over the entire country I deem it but just that the esteemed correspondent should be favored with some "light" on the subject he essays to discuss.

CITIZEN.

Country roads have not kept pace with national development in other respects, and the day is not distant when the subject must be taken up in earnest and a system inaugurated by which what is expended upon them one year is not entirely dissipated before the next year comes around. The question has been left mainly to the farmers, and their slowness is proverbial, but many of them begin to see their mistake and are ripe for a better system. And it will come before many years.

Suicide at Springville.

Frank Skinner, an aged and respectable citizen of Springville, committed suicide last evening, by taking strychnine. Mr. Skinner lived at Springville with his wife, and yesterday the most of their children, of whom three or four living, were at home to spend Christmas. Last evening the family, including Mrs. Skinner, went to a Good Templars [illegible] Summerhill, in the village, leaving the old gentleman at home. The oldest son, whose name is also Frank, went home before the rest of the family, to get his team, and found his father lying upon the lounge with a bottle labeled strychnine, a glass tumbler and a dipper on the table near by. Dr. Vaughan was at once summoned, but Mr. Skinner was quite dead. The doctor estimated that he had taken at least twenty grains of the poison. For at least a year past Mr. Skinner has been thought to be slightly demented, and there is little doubt that he was suffering from temporary insanity. He was about 70 years old.—Adrian Times.

Mormonism and Inaction.

For more than a score and a half of years Mormonism has been defying the power of our government. Here we are, an enlightened, Christian people, with that relic of barbarism, that pet social monstrosity of the effete civilization of the orient, flaunting its abomination in our faces. For thirty years and over Congress has been crushing out the polygamous hierarchy, and yet it lives to-day, a mighty power in one of our western territories. It not only lives, but it flourishes; it is growing, it is extending its power into other territories. Certainly, Mormonism is very hard to crush, or else it does not say much for the prowess of our Congress. The fact is the course of Congress with polygamy is one of the most noted examples of "masterly inactivity" to be found anywhere. After all these years of opportunity, it is a burning shame to be compelled to say that the work is yet to do.

But after all, the difficulty is largely with ourselves. True, Congress has manifested a lack of courage; but it is our business to spur them on. They come from the people. Congressmen are made by the people. If the people had said, "It must, it shall be done," it would have been done. The trouble is, we have been expecting Congress to do the work without any action on our part. We have been waiting for others to do our work, and as often happens in such cases, the work has not been done. We have too fondly cherished the idea also that Mormonism would die of its own monstrosities when brought into contact with the currents of purer civilization. We have been like the man, who, sickened by a skunk, assured his friend that if he would let it alone, it would sink itself to death. We seem to have forgotten that social vices do not die in that way, that this one started right up under the full blaze of Christian enlightenment. Slavery did not kill itself; neither will Mormonism. It will die hard. It is grasping for political power, and unless checked, it may become as dangerous to our union as was slavery. Unless the people rise up in their majesty and speedily stamp it out, we may soon witness again in our land two hostile civilizations warring together like giants.

We need to throw aside once for all the idea that Mormonism is going to die of itself, and also that other equally unworthy of us, that Congress will do the business while we slumber. We need to realize that Mormonism has a wonderful hold upon its votaries. Let us consider that the Mormon women are the ones who are most degraded by the system, who, according to its precepts, are equivalent at best to the fractional part of a man, and who, by its practices, are made the puppets of lust. Let us consider that these women are the most strenuous supporters of Mormonism to-day. Let us realize that this fact alone throws a mighty charm over its victims. Then let us act accordingly.

What shall we do? Let us send men to Congress pledged to crush out this evil as speedily as possible. Let us make it one of the qualifications of our congressional candidates. This can be done if the people say so. Then if our congressmen forget their pledge when they get to Washington, and spend all their time in trying to make their party strong enough to win the next Presidential election, let us raise funds and send emigrants enough to Utah to outvote the Mormon, and form a state government which can conquer the evil. If we but act the work can be done. We shall find some means of accomplishing it.

We have made arrangements to offer The Ohio Farmer of Cleveland, O., with the HERALD, both one year, for the low price of $2.50. The Ohio Farmer is a 16-page, 64 column paper, has been established thirty-six years, strictly first-class in every respect, and is one of the oldest, largest, most valuable, enterprising, and reliable agricultural weeklies in the country.

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Tecumseh, Mich., March [illegible]

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DIED.

ZIMMERMAN.—At her home in Twin Rivers, Mrs. Frederick Zimmerman. Aged 70 years, 9 months.

Mrs. Zimmerman was formerly of Tecumseh, and is the mother of [illegible] Zimmerman of Owosso.

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The Silver Skulls.

A small boy of Cleveland, Ohio, aged fourteen, has disappeared from a comfortable home in company with two revolvers and a packet of dime novels. It is as yet uncertain whether he will devote himself to the work of exterminating Indians or will embrace the more elegant profession of highway robbery and murder. The latter is probably his choice, for the Indian field cannot be successfully cultivated without a rifle, and as the small boy has equipped himself solely with revolvers he probably intends to become a second Jesse James.

This able small boy left behind him the archives of a secret society founded by himself and called the Society of the Silver Skulls, "silver" being a more precious one if less real than the other metal. In this society were banded together ten small boys, aged from eleven to fifteen years, and their chief occupation was a travesty of blood-curdling writing. The object of the society is not yet known, but we may safely assume that murder and rapine were to be the occupation of its members, and from the earnest manner in which those who took the oath were required to curse their fathers, mothers, and sisters" they doubtless intended to take a rich harvest of revenge for any spankings which they had incurred. [illegible] The members of this society also [illegible] a contingent curse upon their posterity, which shows that they were enough like small boys who looked far into the future. So far it does not appear that the society has done any thing particularly except to murder three small boy named Jason Casey with death for the crime of refusing to join a "Silver Skull," and in the absence of the founder of the society the great may not be carried into execution.

The conduct of the Cleveland small boy reminds one of the nursery epic entitled the "Robber Kitten." The lines of that poem had doubtless read to him in the fellow's baggage to young [illegible]

"Kitten one day met a mouse
"Mister mouse, are you at home?
"Long and long I've been your friend
"Come and let me see your end."

[illegible]

"Kitten one day met a rat
"Mister rat, I'm glad of that
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll have a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young lame mouse
"Mouse, I'm glad you've been to house
"Long and long I've been your cousin
"Now I'll make a good mince pudding."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young lame boy
"Boy, I'm glad I've met with joy
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll have a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in black
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with luck
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll make a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in red
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with dread
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll make a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in blue
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with you
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll make a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in green
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with spleen
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll make a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in white
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with spite
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll make a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in gray
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with prey
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll make a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in brown
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with frown
"Long and long I've been your foe
"Now I'll make a good fine blow."

[illegible]

"Kitten met a young man in black
"Sir, I'm glad I've met with lack

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Norvell	6 56 "	2 44 "	2 16 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 16 "	3 36 "
Tecumseh	7 29 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
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Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 50 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
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Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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Hand	‡ 9 46	* 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulous	10 00	4 11	10 31	8 00
Belleville	10 10	* 4 19	10 40	8 35
Willis	‡10 19	‡ 4 29	10 48	9 20
Whittaker	‡10 25	* 4 31	10 53	9 45
Milan	‡ 10 36	4 44	11 01	10 55
Cone	‡10 46	* 4 50	11 09	11 15
Britton	‡10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	‡11 07	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	5 24	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	‡11 35	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	‡12 04	* 6 03	12 31	3 04
Alvordton	‡12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 29	§ 6 25	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	* 6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Exp's	W. Ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	‡ 8 35	‡ 2 47	‡ 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	‡ 3 08	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	‡ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	‡ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	‡ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	‡ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	‡ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	*10 30	‡ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	‡ 5 08	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	‡ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	‡ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	‡ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 19
Romulous	11 26	5 54	12 04	4 50
Hand	*11 39	‡ 6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 5. Express.	No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 20	3 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 00	3 00	5 20
6 30	3 26	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc. "	9 51	2 49	5 16
6 41	3 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 41	2 37	5 06
7 17	4 10	9 20	" Monroe Jct. "	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 25	4 18	9 32	" Dundee "	9 00	1 35	4 18
7 42	4 29	9 43	" Azalia "	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan "	8 34	1 04	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania "	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield "	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
	P.M.				A.M.	A.M.
11 30	6 55	12 32	" Jackson (M.C.) "	6 10	9 50	9 50
A.M.						
1 08	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek "	4 39	7 58	7 58
2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo "	3 52	7 10	7 10
				P.M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids "	10 40	6 20	6 20
P.M.		A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor Ar.	7 55	12 20	3 17
					A.M.	
9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon Lv.	7 20	11 20	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" How'll (G.L.&N.) "		10 22	2 01
		P.M.				
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing Lv.		9 10	12 45
						A.M.
	10 15	3 00	" Ionia "		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 04	" Edmore "		6 10	9 00
		6 40	" Big Rapids "			7 15
		4 50	" How'rd City "			9 25
		A.M.				
		3 42	" P'tosk'y (G.R.&I.) "			12 01
						P.M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City "			9 45

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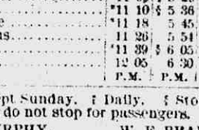

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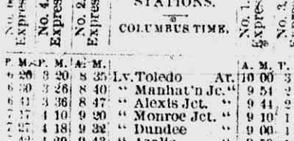

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How Thieves Divide.

"Suppose," asked a reporter of a well known ex-detective, "that I had $6,000 worth of diamonds and other jewelry stolen from my house, how much would I have to pay the thieves or their middle-men to get the property back?"

"Well, there are many things connected with the business which might suggest many different answers."

"What business?"

"The business of thieving, for it is a business and has several grades. For instance: The men who robbed Alexander Lewis and David Whitney were not the men who did the Rolshoven work. The perpetrators of that job consider themselves several degrees above 'porch-climbers' who rob dwelling houses, and would not even recognize them on the streets, or elsewhere."

"How do you know all this?"

"I do not absolutely know the facts in the instances cited, but I form my conclusion on my knowledge of thieves of all classes, and their code of ethics. A safe-breaker is an aristocrat when he meets a porch-climber, and in fact they strive to avoid meeting or associating with persons any lower in thievdom than themselves."

"Now to return to the question of returning stolen property for a reward and no questions asked. What do you know of the methods?"

"In the first place, nine out of ten of the safe-blowing jobs are 'put up' by persons living in the town where the work is done. They 'size up' the enterprise and send for some one to do the trick who is particularly good at that kind of work. That some one comes from abroad generally. Thus, it follows, that there are four persons or gangs of persons who know just who does a job as quickly as the news comes that it has been done."

"And who are the persons thus informed?"

"First, the person or persons who 'put up' the job; second, the 'fence' who receives the property; third, the thieves who do the work, and fourth, the associates of the thieves who live in the town they hail from and who know that they left home to do work. Now then all of these parties watch the papers and use every means to 'keep posted in relation to each job, and the minute any reward is offered or any settlement made, they clamor for their 'whack' and generally get it."

"But suppose a thief leaves Chicago, Toledo or Cleveland to do a job in Detroit; how do his associates know where he has gone or what he does?"

"Because they know the thief is out of town and they know the kind of work he does and his methods of working."

"I see. Now how much would a thief get on $5,000 worth of plunder?"

"From forty to fifty per cent. of the total valuation. You see it's this way: The party who 'puts up' the job 'steers' the thief to a 'fence.' We'll say the 'fence' whacks up half-and-half with the thief. Then the person who puts up the job calls on the 'fence' for a divy of fifteen or twenty per cent. of his fifty per cent., and on the thief for a like share of his half."

The statement being a trifle complicated the detective prepared the following table illustrating the point:

Value of property stolen	$5,000
Share received by "fence"	2,500
Share received by thief	2,500
Commission paid by "fence"	500
Commission paid by thief	500
Reward received by party who "puts up" the job	1,000
Profit realized by "fence"	2,000
Profit realized by thief	2,000

Then, to satisfy the thief, provided I wanted to recover my property by paying a reward, I should be obliged to give him the $2,000 he'd realize on a $5,000 haul?"

"Oh dear, no. You would be obliged to pay fees to all the parties I have mentioned. They are all in the job and must have their 'whack' just the same whether they restore the property to you for a reward or whether they dispose of it to a 'fence.' There would be this difference: Considering the safety that would follow all concerned by restoring the property to you and no questions asked, the 'putter up' of the job, the thief and the 'fence' would consent to smaller profits. Accordingly on $5,000 worth of property stolen, you would be obliged to pay $1,000 to $2,000 to get it back."

"But, hold on!" you've left out the 'whack' clamored for by the associates of thieves at his own home."

"That the thief is obliged to settle for after he returns to his home, and if he fails or refuses to do the square thing then some one 'squeals' to our police, an officer picks up the squealer and sometimes works out the 'kick' to conviction. But there is sometimes trouble there, for a man who will 'blow' on a partner will 'settle' with that partner on the shortest notice, leaving the officer entirely at sea and without witnesses or evidence."

"It's a sort of dog eat dog occupation which thieves engage in, isn't it?"

"It certainly is, and in the long run every dog becomes food for some other dog." *Detroit Free Press.*

A Hard Case.

A curious case, in which an Englishman is concerned, is pending before the courts at Lausanne. A dog began to chase a cat; the cat fled down an air-shaft leading from the street into a wine vault; the dog followed, and both of them fell. In the vault was a large cask of Yvorne, not very securely tapped, and either the dog or the cat knocked up against the tap and the wine began to flow. The wine merchant clearly had a cause of action for the loss of his wine, and the landlord in his turn has sued his tenant for the damage done by the mess. But who is to blame on the other side, the owner of the dog or the owner of the cat? Unfortunately for the Englishman who owns the dog, the cat (like so many of the species) is an "unappropriated blessing," and the wine merchant has laid his action in consequence against the owner of the dog. *Pall Mall Gazette.*

While the arrangements were being made for a party in Somerville, a few evenings ago, a young lady present innocently inquired: "Is the invitation to embrace the young ladies?" "O no," replied a young man, "the gentlemen will attend to that." And the young lady wonders what the young man meant. *Somerville Journal.*

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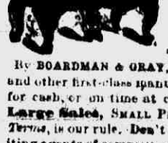

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Beef Hides	6 @	07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear	25 @	30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushe	56 @	57
Clover Seed	5 50 @	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	22
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔	@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@	10
Oats, ₩ bushel	29 @	32
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @	35
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ESTATE OF FLORENCE E. SMITH.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Florence E. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of [illegible] E. Smith, administrator of said estate, praying [illegible] administration of said estate [illegible] and praying [illegible] allowance [illegible] and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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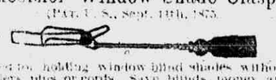

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ESTATE OF EDMUND HAND.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

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Present: Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edmund Hand, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of William W. Osgood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, his funeral expenses and expenses of administration, thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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O. W. BEAN.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BRITTON BUDGET.

I agree with what "Britton Buzzings" says of the two improvements of which he speaks, referring to the changing of the name of the P. O. and burning up the old school-house, and I would say, add the one that stands on the corner by Charles Kniffin's, and the one located just east of Albert Kniffin's, to the flames also. This done, get a permit by special act to convert these three districts in which now stand those old illy-fashioned, unhealthy, and disgraceful school-houses, into a separate school district, and then build a good and respectable school building of modern pattern, that would be a credit to the community at Britton; or, if thought best, in a more central location in the district so formed, and thereby (after the school buildings shall have been erected) curtail the taxes imposed upon the citizens for school purposes, and have a good graded school in the bargain—a thing the village and community are so greatly in need of.

I also agree with this "buzzing knight of the quill" in what he says about the village being a splendid location for a good physician, and in my judgment the right man would be an intelligent and well read graduate of the Homœopathic school. Then I agree with him, too, in what he writes concerning the right man putting up a grist-mill in the village, &c. If I had been educated to believe in shouting, I would respond with such a loud amen to what he says upon this grist-mill question, as to awaken the citizens (farmers) in all the regions round about to what I conceive to be their best financial interests. But as it is, I can only say, I am so sanguine that a first-class grist-mill at Britton would be such a money-making institution, that did I command capital sufficient with which to do it, I would invest twenty or thirty thousand dollars at least in an enterprise of that kind in that village. I think there would be a much greater, as well as much surer, per cent. in an investment of that kind than to put money into a new store-room, however well filled it may be kept with new and fresh saleable goods. I am of opinion that such an outlay of money would be even more preferable, and would, most certainly, pay a much greater per cent. to the dollar than will the capital that was carried over to Canada a short time since and invested in Clydesdale stable horses, and then have them imported to the county of Lenawee for the purpose of making money out of them.

In my judgment, if the Brittonites and the citizens in the surrounding country, especially the monied-men, both in and adjacent to the village, will bestir themselves and see to it that a school-house and grist-mill, such as are herein above indicated, are secured to the village, instanter the healthful prosperity and permanent growth of the borough is secured, but if, Mr. Editor, the Brittonians suffer their rival, two short miles west of them—I mean the village of ——, to get the start of them in securing these two very important public buildings, as it has done in that of the depot on the M. & O. R. R., then is the demise of Britton a foregone conclusion, and in a comparatively short time there won't be enough of it left out of which to get a text upon which to found its funeral oration. O! ye Brittonians, I prophesy as to wise men. Mark the prediction.

In my next I will have something to say about that oyster supper at the church, concerning which "Britton Buzzings" wrote so knowingly and emphatically as well.

VERITAS.

The Sunday school of the Church of Christ, in East Ridgeway, will hold a Sunday school concert in the First Christian church of East Ridgeway, on the evening of January 10th, 1884. An admission fee of 5c. will be charged for children between the ages of 6 and 12 years; 10c. admission will be charged for all persons over 12 years old. Tickets will be on sale in the basement of the church between the hours of 6 and 7½ p. m. of the date named for the concert. Doors to the audience room, in which the concert will be held, will be open at 7 p. m., at which will be stationed ticket receivers, to whom all persons will hand their tickets, who will thereupon be conducted to seats by the ushers. Concert exercises will commence at 7½ p. m., at which time the doors of admittance will be closed. In order to secure seats, all are advised to come early. Should anything prevent any one getting there till after the doors are closed, they will please give the alarm at the doors by three distinct raps, and if there is any room for them, they will be admitted; if not, they will return their tickets to the ticket agent and receive back their money.

GEO. GRIFTON, WM. HYVISON, } Concert Managers.

P. S.—The above named concert is the beginning of a series of entertainments that will be given at stated intervals by said Sunday school, to all of which a nominal fee of admittance will be charged, unless otherwise provided for. The money thus collected, to be expended (when a sufficient amount shall be procured) in a good Sunday school library and other much needed fixtures for successful Sunday school work. We trust, therefore, to have large attendance and liberal support at these entertainments, in all of which we will endeavor to give in return value received.

G. G.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS.

Leap Year.

Now or never, girls.

Miss Ella Jackson home from the Normal.

Miss Eva Shipman, of Richmond, Macomb Co., passed the holidays with friends here.

Profs. H. C, and E. A. Wilson were home during vacation. They are both hale and hearty and enjoy their school year very much.

A. E. Palmer and family, of Reading, Mich., came home for Christmas. That new boy is one of the finest.

David Coryell now has his new hardware store in full blast. Clark & Son turned over what stock they had in the hardware line, and so the new project is nicely on its feet, and will likely be a good investment.

The newly organized literary society holds its next regular meeting on Friday night, this week. A well arranged program will be presented before recess, and the capital punishment question will be debated afterwards.

A pleasant surprise—or what was to be one, but some one told,—was made to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clark last Monday evening. Between thirty and forty of their friends here took a sleigh ride down to Britton and dropped in upon them.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

At the beginning of a new year, the time usually taken for changes for good or otherwise, another scribe makes a bow and thus says:

Something new in Ridgeway is a hardware store. David Coryell and Harry Smith have a new store pleasantly situated and well filled with goods generally found in that line. If courteous treatment and fair dealing will bring customers, they will get them. It is to be hoped they will receive the patronage they deserve.

Mr. Riggs, of Saline, has rented G. S. Boss's blacksmith shop and appears to be doing well.

Robert S. Houseman had two horses seriously injured by a vicious cow.

The masked tea party, given by the ladies social of the M. E. church, on Friday evening last, under the management of the executive officers, was an enjoyable affair and a financial success. If some of the chronic objectors to such gatherings had been there, they would have seen that it was their imagination that so largely painted supposed faults, warped and biased their judgment. If some of the minor matters were not just perfection, as a whole it was not so very very wrong, as we all wear masks. One thing that social did show, that negro minstrels will draw a crowded audience, while an earnest and eloquent appeal for an attendance but for a single time, during the week of prayer, will result in rows of empty seats. True it is, 'tis a pity 'tis true.

Several former residents of Ridgeway were here during the holidays. To judge by their faces, they received the hearty welcome Ridgeway people know so well how to extend.

SCRIBE.

MACON MUSINGS.

In the year which has just been consigned to history and to oblivion we recognize a checkered one,—happiness and sorrow, sorrow and happiness intermingled. While prosperity and happiness attend us, sorrow came into our midst, reminding us that this life has its ills as well as its blessings. Death entered our neighborhood and removed a few of our most honored citizens, the memory of whom still clings to us, and ever will, like the ivy to the crumbling wall. We must say, however, in reviewing the past year that we have abundant reasons to rejoice, from which fact we take renewed courage to meet the responsibilities of the year confronting us.

Dec. 26th, the Rev. J. A. De Spelder started for his new field of labor, at Orange City, Iowa. His departure deprives the Reformed church of a most efficient pastor and the community of an exemplary member of society.

Judge Howell spent last Sunday in the place visiting his aged father and other relatives.

Dr. Arthur Oven, of Ann Arbor, visited his brother, John Oven, the fore part of this week. He returned to his duties at the University, Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coller left Dec. 31, for a visit among friends and relatives in different parts of the State.—They will be gone about two weeks.

On account of the sickness of the pastor, Mr. Kerridge, no services have been held at the M. E. church for a few Sundays past. We are glad to say, however, that Mr. Kerridge is convalescent, and will probably occupy his pulpit again next Sunday.

MACON MUSIC.

John and Charley Curry are visiting their old home and friends in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Spencer and Hebron Camburn are spending a few weeks with their sister at Douglas, Allegan Co.

Owing to the stormy weather with which we were favored for two successive Sundays the concert intended for Christmas has been postponed indefinitely.

Mrs. Thomas Biddle proved to be the champion speller at the spelling match, and won the coveted glass set.

The anniversary of the temperance crusade was observed by appropriate exercises, wholly of home talent.

Leap year, with all its privileges, has arrived, and is to be duly initiated by the younger class of Maconites by an oyster supper.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

T. H. Mosher received another load of repairs for his mill last Saturday.

Miss Libbie Richardson has departed for the east with her cousin Clarence; their first stopping point was Sodus, York state.

Miss Mary Boocher is expected home this week.

Ira Hayes returned home last Thursday.

Some weeks ago, W. H. Smith, while trying to get a horse up that was cast in a stall, had his leg caught and quite severely injured, and declared it was broken, but being able to stand upon it and hobble around, his declaration was only laughed at, until the other day Dr. Case made an examination and pronounced the small bone of the leg below the knee broken. William thinks he had that as straight as he had the location of the depot.

John Bennett is very sick from the effects of the measles.

Cambridge, we fear, will soon become noted for suicides. Last week Mr. Francis Skinner put an end to his troubles by taking a dose of strychnine, while now we hear of one trying to accomplish the same object by jumping into cisterns, butting his head against the wall, etc.

LIST OF JURORS.

The following is a list of the jurors for the next term of the circuit court, which convenes Tuesday, January 15, 1884:

Adrian—
1st ward—Daniel Niedhammer.
2nd ward—Daniel Anderson.
3rd ward—Richard Kent.
4th ward—Butler Winchip.
Town of Adrian—Charles Selleck.
Blissfield—M. H. Cogswell.
Cambridge—John A. Bennett.
Clinton—Brant H. Roberts.
Dover—H. N. Sword.
Deerfield—John H. Tennant.
Franklin—Elmer Wilson.
Fairfield—James Wyman.
Hudson—Frank P. Dillon.
Madison—Frank Woodford.
Medina—Peter Campbell.
Macon—Thomas Marshall.
Ogden—Daniel McAdam.
Palmyra—Robert Hastings.
Raisin—James McIntyre.
Ridgeway—T. H. Temple.
Rome—H. H. Hopkins.
Seneca—William H. Sheirson.
Tecumseh—William Clarkson.
Woodstock—Loss Parsons.

The ninth annual meeting of the Michigan sportsmen's association will be held in Jackson, Tuesday, January 8th, 1884, commencing at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will convene in the council chamber, and the Hurd house will be headquarters. The M. C. R. R. and branches will carry delegates for one and one-third the regular fare, and other roads will probably do the same. Parties intending to attend should notify their railroad agent, so that the proper tickets may be procured. Each club, a member of the association, is entitled to send five delegates, and it is earnestly requested that there be a good attendance.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our gratitude to our many friends for their kind aid and sympathy during the late affliction through which we have been called to pass.

DAVID HARRISON AND FAMILY.

My Little Mistakes.

BY J. FITZGERALD MOLLOY.

The Phelans had a baby. Tom sent me a telegram announcing what he called the happy event, for I had known him since we were both at school, where he was generally called the Fat Boy, and many of the fellows entertained the rooted idea the he was a lineal descendant of the "fat boy" whom Charles Dickens has immortalized in Pickwick.

Tom Phelan was not only a fat boy, but, in accordance with the promise of his youth, he became a fat young man, with a mellow face like an over-ripe pear, and an amply proportioned person. Indeed, it was because of that genial, happy look and general air of comfort which his fatness imparted, that little May O'Rourke fell in love with, and finally married, him. For this sufficient reason Tom thought her the wisest woman of her generation, and quite believed in his inner consciousness that Nature had endowed her with rare and admirable taste.

Twelve months ago I had acted as Tom's best man; he had asked me to stand by him to the last, and I did. I saw him through the painful ceremony [illegible] in the regular way by all the circle's female friends, including eight charming bridesmaids, not one of whom, during the time, vouchsafed me a glance; for by comparison with the bridegroom I was an uninteresting man who had not the heart, the courage, the good taste or sense to take any woman for better or for worse; therefore, in the presence of this noble specimen of humanity, the bridegroom, I was insignificant.

If ever a man was uncomfortable in his life, Tom Phelan was, under the uninterrupted gaze of these fair creatures and of the crowds of the wife's relations assembled for the occasion in all their strength and glory, inside the walls of St. Bride's Church, Dublin.

At the breakfast some one made a long speech, in which so many magnificent things were said with so much grandiloquence that the bride began to weep, and poor Tom, who thought it his duty to harmonize in all things with the feelings of his new-made wife, was about to allow himself to be overcome and shed a few tears also, when he caught the stern and reproachful glance of his new-made mother-in-law, and that one glance decided the matter, and stayed his emotion immediately.

I saw him through it all, poor fellow, as I promised. I was true to my trust, and at the last moment, whilst the carriage which was to convey him and his bride away waited, I extracted a few grains of rice which had lodged themselves in his left eye, and picked up his best hat, which had been rudely knocked off his head by the blow of an old slipper from some friendly hand.

So, as I commenced by stating, they had now a baby, and they made as much fuss and excitement over the fact as if it were the most wonderful, instead of the most natural, thing in life. The day after receiving the telegram I had a letter from Tom, in which he described the infant as the finest baby his sisters, his cousins, and his aunts—and, collectively, their names are legion—had ever seen. It was a boy, and nothing would please him but that I should, a fortnight after the receipt of his letter, cross the channel and stand god-father to his first-born.

No doubt he considered he paid me a compliment, for he seemed to lay great stress on the fact of my being requested to stand in such a position to the "first-born," and gave me to understand the honor would not be so great if I were, in the coming time, asked to hold the same position towards other little types of humanity that, in the course of years, he may expected—nay, hoped—would present themselves.

I was not doing anything to oblige and aid a friend like Tom Phelan, even to getting seasick, and cross over to Kingstown suffering that malady in all its horrors, during which time I did not exactly guess this young Phelan on whose account I had undertaken the journey.

My old friend was waiting for me on the pier, his round face fairly beaming with happiness and brimming over with smiles. I felt at that moment that he must be a complete contrast to myself, for mal de mer always made me look the color of an antique lemon, and certainly did not improve my temper.

"Well, my boy," he said, seizing my hand, and peering [illegible] as if he had mistaken it for a portmanteau, "how are [illegible]"

"Very [illegible] We have had a rough night," I replied, as briefly as I could, whilst I watched two porters disputing for the possession of my portmanteau.

I suppose Tom saw that I was yet suffering from the effects of my voyage and was somewhat out of sorts, for he did not speak to me for some time. When he did it was in a tone of reproach.

"Fitz, you have not asked me how he is," he said.

"He!—whom?" I inquired, rather mystified.

"Your little godson."

"Oh, of course; how stupid I am! I beg your pardon, my dear fellow; how is he? All right, I hope?" ("If the fond parent had only heard my fervent prayers for his heir a few hours ago!" I thought to myself, feeling for the first time in my life a bit of a hypocrite.)

"He is a wonderful big infant, they tell me," said the affectionate parent, with an air of pride and some assumption of indifference.

"Is he?" I asked, with what I hoped was a tone expressive of interest.

Tom was so good natured that he had already forgiven me my want of thought.

"When is it to be, Tom?" I said presently.

"What?" he asked.

"The christening, of course," said I.

"Wednesday," he answered; "and we have decided to leave the selection of his name to you."

"My dear fellow, that is too much responsibility; if I gave the boy a name he disliked, like Christopher or Tobias, or Alonzo or Simon, he would never forgive me when he grew up, but would hate me to the day of his death."

"What nonsense you talk, Fitz! You can talk it over with May, and come to some arrangement."

"One question," said I, [illegible] as we were jumping in our walk towards the brougham that was to carry us to Tom's comfortable home; "shall I have to hold him at the font?"

"Yes—that is, no; upon my life I can't say. Why?"

"Because I have never held one before, and I am sure I should let it fall. I have never seen one having no married relatives or friends—except in a bus or in a perambulator in the streets; and I am rather afraid of them—I am, upon my life. I think they are all bad-tempered and bad-mannered, and have a common habit of working themselves into frightful passions about nothing in particular, just to plague people and make them uncomfortable."

For answer my friend shook his fat sides with laughter, and, when he could speak, said,

"You talk like a bachelor, Fitz."

"You forget, I have not had twelve months' experience of matrimony," I said, hitting him home.

He only laughed all the more at this, my reply seemed to tickle his fancy.

"It would be the best thing in life for you if you had; it would make you a happy man," he said, when he recovered himself. "Take my word for it, you don't know what comfort is till you're married."

"I am not very miserable in my present state of blessed bachelorhood, and in no hurry to make a change," said I.

"Then you are wrong, my boy. Do you know why I sent for you?" he said, looking at me confidently, and, as I thought afterwards, speculatively.

"To stand godfather to your son, of course."

"That is one reason, but I have another. May and I have had a plot. I'm afraid I am spoiling sport by telling you, but I'm hanged if I can hold my tongue."

"I am the victim of your plot, I suppose?" I inquired mildly.

"You are, my boy. We want to make you as happy as ourselves. We married girls, she is just the one to make you as happy as you could be."

"Upon my life, you are awfully good, both of you, but I have no inclination to join the list of martyrs—I mean to—to enter into the holy bonds of matrimony."

"We will say no more about her until you see her."

"When will that be?" I asked, feeling rather curious to see the woman whom my friends had decided was to make me a happy man.

"On Wednesday morning; she is to be one of the godmothers."

There was much ado about that christening. The cake was of a gigantic size, as if ordered with a merciful consideration for the healthy appetites of the sisters, cousins and aunts of Tom Phelan and wife. The previous night a dinner was given to celebrate the event more fitly. I was dressed early, and went down to the drawing-room, where Tom was talking to Mrs. McFum, a little woman with a twinkle in her eyes and a juvenile cap on her head, who prided herself on being connected with the family of the great MacFums, to whom Brian Boru himself was but an upstart, and the lords of Kildare and Leinster but "mushrooms, my dear, if it comes to that," as she used to say with a sense of pride expressed by a sudden backward jerk of her head that made the lace of her cap flutter airily and the roses tremble from exaltation, in more senses than one, on their wire stems. When my host had introduced me, and she had nodded her juvenile cap in recognition of my best bow, she went on with the narrative of what her dear friend Lady Ariadne had said to her when she was last in London, which Tom had interrupted for the purpose of introducing me.

I saw that he was impatient to get away, but there was no use in his striving to stir from Mrs. MacFum just then, who started with a fresh anecdote of what Tom Moore had told her he had said to Lady Blessington when she sang "Believe Me if All," and so I was left to make acquaintance with the guests already arrived, all of whom were strangers to me.

"A charming day this has been," said a young lady, who evidently took pity on my forlorn condition.

"Charming—beautiful," I replied, looking at the speaker, who had the most wonderful gray-blue Irish eyes I had ever previously seen, which had now a merry look in them they strove in vain to conceal.

She gave a pleasant, soft, musical laugh when I had spoken.

"You forget it has been raining all day," she said, looking at me with a quizzing gaze.

"So it has," said I, remembering the fact and laughing with her at my words; all the while I felt myself blushing.

"I only spoke of the weather to break the conversational ice," she said.

"You are merciful," I answered, wondering if she was laughing at me.

"Am I? I saw you were a stranger to us, and Mr. Phelan is being instructed in the pedigree of the MacFums, I suppose, and cannot get away for a quarter of an hour to introduce you," she said, with a friendliness that set me at my ease at once.

"Will you allow me to do myself that pleasure?"

"I think I can spare you the trouble," she replied, in the most musical of voices. "You have come from London to stand godfather to baby?"

"I have," I answered, wondering how she knew, and watching with pleasure the arch look that suddenly darted into her wonderful eyes. I began to think that she had one of the most interesting faces I had ever seen; her lips were red and saucy, and were, I thought just then, made to kiss and be kissed.

"Shall I point you out the godmother," she asked, watching my face as she spoke.

"No—that is, yes," I replied, thinking of what Tom had told me, and just a little curious to see his beau ideal of my future wife.

"There she is, at the other side of the room, in a gray silk dress, talking to that stout little man with the brown wig."

"Do you mean——"

"Yes, that tall angular lady, with the little bunch of curls at each side of her face. She has been a beauty in her day, and has just come in for a thousand a year, since which time she has had six proposals of marriage and has stood godmother to a hundred and twenty-three children. Before she came in for that legacy no one ever noticed her; and though her manners have not changed in the least, the world has only now suddenly discovered that she is one of the most amiable women living. Now, I always knew that fact, and stated it openly, though no one would believe it."

Whilst my new friend spoke I felt that she was watching my face keenly. This, then, I said to myself, was the woman whom Tom Phelan had assured me would make me a happy man. The lady was at least twenty years older than I was; but any disparity in that way Tom [illegible] would be made up to me by the fact of my future wife possessing a thousand a year. I began to think that my friend's character had undergone a change. I had always considered him far from mercenary; but probably the cares and expenses of his new life had made him regard money in a different light from what he had done in the old days; and he thought he would do me a friendly turn by marrying me to a woman old enough to be my mother, because of her wealth. I was sorry for Tom Phelan. Marriage, I thought, had not raised the tone of his mind. I looked over at him then, and saw a cheerful look on his round pleasant face, as if something had occurred that made him very happy. Probably, I said mentally, it is one of Mrs. MacFum's tales that makes this most good-tempered of men delighted. When next I looked at my neighbor, she too, I thought, had a merry expression in her eyes, that seemed to spring from a look she exchanged with Tom Phelan.

"So that lady is to be baby's godmother?" I said presently, directing my gaze to the lady in gray silk, with the little bunch of curls confined by tortoiseshell combs, edged with a row of pearls, at each side of her thin pale face.

"Yes. You must let me introduce you. Indeed, you must know her. She is one of the best and kindest of women."

I began to wonder if my new friend was in the plot, too, and if she were engaged by Tom and Mrs. Tom to lend her assistance towards the desired end of marrying me to this spinster. I felt as if I should like to get up and run away out of the house and out of the toils that these good people evidently sought to ensnare me in; but the voice of this girl with the gray-blue eyes, that now sparkled with humor, and anon melted into tenderness, almost in the same minute, as only Irish eyes can, held me a prisoner. I was unwilling to move from her side.

"[illegible] did not tell me her name," she told me all about herself in a frank, naive manner, that completed the charm she held over me, and made me her faithful bond-slave from that hour to this day. Her father was in India, she said; she and her mother were living in Bray during his absence. She expected him home next year, when she feared they would leave dear old Ireland, and go on the Continent.

Then suddenly, in the midst of her confidential chat, she asked me once more to cross the room with her, and get introduced to the lady who was to be godmother to Tom Phelan's baby. Before I could answer she stood up, and waited for me to accompany her. Miss Fay was the name of the spinster, who was a mild, agreeable gentlewoman, with sad eyes and a gentle manner. When my new friend had introduced me she suddenly disappeared. Soon after, some people who came in engaged Miss Fay's attention, and I was left alone.

Then Tom Phelan came up to me, beaming all over with smiles.

"You have not lost much time in making her acquaintance, Fitz, old boy."

"No," I answered dryly, understanding what he meant.

"What do you think of her?"

He looked at me with his head on one side and a broad smile on his face.

"Think of her? She is very amiable." This in a stiff tone.

"You will get on famously together. She is the woman to make you happy, old man." This with an air of patronage and superiority.

"You are very good," said I, humoring him, and thinking at the same time how changed he was.

"Now, Fitz, I have arranged that you shall take in Mrs. Carey to dinner. May will introduce you. I want to ask you to make yourself agreeable to her; not too agreeable, you know, as you can do sometimes to women, for she has a husband, though he is in India. A safe distance, my boy."

"All right," I said.

Tom hurried away, and just then dinner was announced, the host giving his arm to Mrs. MacFum. The hostess pointed out a lady to me, whom I was to take down to the dining-room, and in a few minutes we were comfortably seated. My new friend sat opposite to me. I could see her bright face smiling across the flowers. Her eyes at once dazzled and fascinated me, and her voice made my heart flutter in an unaccustomed way. The lady whom I had taken down, and who now sat beside me, was a stout, solemn-faced woman, arrayed in black velvet, who spoke very little. I was glad of this latter fact; for I could not, I felt, keep up a conversation. I was listening to the voice of my new friend, who talked well and wittily with her neighbors. Occasionally she directed an old sentence to me across the flowers.

When dessert was over, my neighbor in black velvet, with whom Tom Phelan had unnecessarily warned me not to flirt because of her having a husband in India, took up her fan and commenced to wave it gently to and fro.

"How hot it is!" she said to me, in a voice as subdued as if she spoke in a church.

"Yes," I replied, "the night is close, but we should not complain. If we had to bear the heat that your husband is at present enduring—"

Suddenly something went against my new friend's breath, then every one at my end of the table became all at once silent, and I saw that though some of them seemed grave enough, others strove to keep themselves from laughing outright. Tom Phelan, after a moment's keen struggle, strove to look as if nothing in particular had happened. What was the cause of all this I had not the slightest idea, but that something wrong had occurred there was no doubt.

Mrs. Phelan at this instant caught Mrs. MacFum's eye, and rose from the table; the other ladies followed. My neighbor, whom I had taken down, was the last to rise, and as she did so gave me a withering look, which I long remembered.

When the door was safely closed, Tom Phelan threw himself back in his chair and laughed until the tears rolled down his fat cheeks; the other men joined him, looking at me the while.

"What is the joke?" I asked; "I am out in the cold."

"My dear fellow, Mrs. Carey, who sat next you is a widow."

In a moment I saw the blunder I had made; I had taken down the wrong woman to dinner.

An hour afterwards I had completely forgotten my little mistake for by some chance I found myself by the side of my new friend, who was seated at the piano singing "Oft in the Stilly Night." I turned the leaves of the music, bending over her until I touched her once or twice. Her voice was soft and sweet; it stirred me in a way I had never before experienced, and made me strangely happy and sad almost in the minute. When she had finished singing, and whilst I was yet bending over her, on pretence of closing the book, our eyes met for a second; hers grew soft and liquid, and seemed to melt into a world of [illegible]. My heart gave a great throb, and then I knew far better than all the words could say that we two had fallen in love.

When a man comes to make such a discovery, a sense of delicious happiness fills him, and makes all the world seem brighter than words, which are poor things at best—can tell. Three hours ago, and I had never met this woman; then fate—accident—chance—call it by what name you will, had flung us together, and a new light took in her eyes, some stray tone in her voice, the touch of her hand, had woven a charm for me that at once mocked at and set to flight my ideas of happy bachelorhood, that revealed to me feelings and hopes which I had never known before, and which made me feel that come weal or woe, this was she who must walk by my side all the days of my life. Do the gods sport with men as in the olden days? I asked myself.

An hour after she had sung that song, by some strange accident we found ourselves in the long garden that runs at the back of Tom's house. It was a glorious night in June, the air was cool and balmy, the smell of the flowers delightful, a young moon was in the cloudless sky.

"Well, how do you like Miss Fay?" the girl who had taken my heart captive, asked, looking at me from under her dark lashes.

"Very much, but—but—may I say it?"

My heart was terribly anxious to speak.

"What?" she asked suddenly; but I noticed her eyes did not meet mine.

"I like some one else much better."

I could hardly get the words out.

"Probably you do—some one in London?"

"No, some one in Ireland; some one who is standing beside me now."

There was silence in the garden after I had spoken. She did not reply or laugh, but raised her eyes and looked at me once; then I saw the color coming into her cheeks.

"I think I must go in now," she said presently, "or they will miss me, if they want me to sing."

"Give me a flower before you go?" I pleaded, not daring to say more.

She stooped down, plucked a red rose, just touched her lips with it, and handed it to me. When I looked at her there was the merry light in her eyes I had seen there when she first spoke to me that evening. In another second she turned and ran towards the house.

I followed slowly. Just as I arrived at the glass doors of the dining-room that communicated with the garden, I came suddenly face to face with Tom Phelan.

"Well, Fitz, what are you doing out here?" he said, with a smile that I was ill-natured enough to set down in my mind as a grin. He spoke as if he intended to express surprise, but failed.

"Doing? Looking at the moon," I replied, staring up, as I spoke, into the Summer sky.

"Don't you think a pair of gray eyes better worth looking at?" he asked, with a merry twinkle in his own.

"Perhaps," I answered calmly.

"I say, old man, you have behaved capitally—better than I expected."

There was a sudden change in his voice that struck me.

"How?"

"You have fallen in love—don't deny it—with the girl who will make you a happy man. You have done just as I wished, old fellow."

He placed his arm around my shoulders, as he had often done when we were boys at school.

"You make a mistake there, Tom; I have no desire to sell myself for a thousand a year."

"What do you mean?" he asked; with surprise shining in his good-natured face.

"I have no desire to marry the woman you were good enough to select for me—Miss Fay."

Tom burst out laughing, this time holding his fat sides as if he feared he should explode.

"What is the matter?" I asked, when he had almost done.

"You will be the death of me, Fitz, if you go on making these little mistakes."

"I don't understand you," I said.

"You cunning dog! I saw you both out here two minutes ago; and you have fallen in love with her, like a sensible man, just as I wanted you to do."

"My dear fellow, you said it was the boy's godmother you had selected for me; and that is Miss Fay."

"Miss Fay is one of them, Kitty Berfort is the other;" and to emphasize his words, Tom Phelan struck me on the shoulder with a blow that made me stagger.

"You are a brick," I said to him, seizing his hand with enthusiasm.

Poor good-natured Tom Phelan! His eyes grew dim just for a second, as he returned my friendly grasp.

"Tom," I said, "God bless your boy!"

I spoke in such a grave, impressive voice that the happy father burst out laughing in my face. This time I joined him heartily.

Before I left the Green Isle, Kitty Berfort and I became engaged. When her father came back from India, we were married, and at our wedding-breakfast Tom Phelan—who, by the way, had that week been presented with remarkably fine twins—told the story of my little mistakes.

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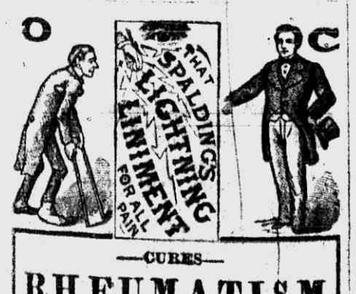

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Carlotta.

According to Belgian papers the health of ex-Empress Carlotta, widow of Maximilian, has so much improved within the last five months that her physicians entertain hopes of her recovery. The ex-Empress is now in her forty-third year, but looks much older, her hair being very gray. She has become thin and wrinkled, but her eyes still retain their old animated expression. The King and Queen of the Belgians often visit her at the castle of Bouchonte, where she resides.

The ex-Empress can not afford to recover. She is happy as she is, and a restoration of her memory would bring her the keenest regret. She is still, in her own eyes, the wife of the fair young man who was shot to death by Mexicans shortly [illegible] to the termination of [illegible] war, and still the Empress of Mexico. She went to Paris to beg Louis Napoleon, who was the master of Maximilian in the effort to convert Mexico into an Empire, to save her husband and the Empire, so called; but his Majesty had just received word from Mr. Seward to the effect that he must get out of Mexico, and he felt he must leave the well-meaning and chivalrous young Austrian to his fate. Carlotta was refused an audience, and that was the last accurate intelligence that ever came to her weary brain. She never knew how her husband was shot. She does not know to-day that the Mexican Empire was a failure. The paper grandeur over which she presided has faded away, but she thinks herself as much an Empress as she was when it existed. The court which recognized her as its Queen has been scattered to the four winds, and most of the men and women who composed it are dead; but the Queen is the Queen still, with her King, her companions, and her servants about her. She reaches out her hands to grasp that of her imaginary glory which is palpable, and the fingers fold themselves on the rose leaves within the palm; but she knows not the difference and she knows neither disappointment nor grief. It is a charmed life, and it would be a pity to awake it to the bitterness which it has so happily escaped; to the knowledge that the King is dead, the paper house has been in ruins a quarter of a century, the French Empire has followed the fate of the one that existed for a few days in Mexico, and the Emperor who wrought the ruin has himself passed on, leaving a childless widow more forlorn than herself.

"Poor Carlotta!" exclaimed Maximilian as he faced the soldiers who a second thereafter shot him. His sympathy was wasted, for she has been happier during all these years than perhaps any of the brilliant court that came up so suddenly and so suddenly passed away.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

History of an Oak-Table.

A handsome oak-table, elegantly carved, stands in the parlor of an uptown house.

"How did it come into my possession?" said a gentleman who was writing at it to a reporter of the *Sun*. "Oh, oddly enough. It was given to me by a convict just released from the Connecticut State Prison at Wetherstield."

"He made it himself?" asked the visitor.

"Made it! Not he. But he stole the money that bought it. O, no. I am not a receiver of stolen goods. I will tell you the story.

"About thirteen years ago I rented a house from Warden Willard of the Connecticut State Prison, who was afterward murdered by the convict Wilson. The prisoners used to be hired out to farmers, and brought back to their cells at night, and many of them worked on the roads. Among the latter was a large, powerful, full-blooded negro, who was serving a ten years' term for robbery. I made his acquaintance, and often prevailed on the keepers to allow him to pass an hour in my house, where both I and my family grew to regard him as a quiet, inoffensive fellow, who had gone astray once, but would probably lead an honest life after his liberation. At last he took me into his confidence in the most astonishing way. He said the money he had stolen had never been recovered by the owners. He had turned it all into cash and buried it. He assured me that it amounted to fifteen thousand dollars, and he offered to share it equally with me if I would dig it up and keep it until he came out of prison. Of course I refused, and urged him to give up the money or tell me where it was buried. He declined to do either, and thereafter he lost no opportunity to renew his proposal. At last he was liberated, and left the prison a few days after Warden Willard was murdered. Three months later a negro who attracted the attention of half Wethersfield by the splendor of his dress called at my house. It was my old friend, the convict.

"'So you have dug up the plunder?' I said.

"His face assumed a vacant expression. 'What plunder yon 'lude to sah?' he asked.

"'Why, the money you stole and buried.'

"'Case of 'staken 'dentity, sah,' he said, with dignity. 'I never stole no money. Never buried none. A lyin' verdict, sah, sent me to prison.'

"I never saw him again; but a week later an express wagon stopped at the door, and the driver delivered this table and a small parcel containing a handsome set of jewelry for each of my daughters. With them was an envelope containing a sheet of paper, on which were the words: 'Well, yes, boss. Dug 'em all up.'"—*N. Y. Sun.*

—It is proposed by some of the friends and admirers of the late William Cullen Bryant to erect a statue to his memory in Central Park, New York. As Mr. Bryant was President of the Century Club at the time of his death, the preliminary arrangements for this tribute have been placed under the direction of that body.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—There is a "club" for working girls in London. Two nights in the week are devoted to singing, needlework and "cutting out," and five nights to a school, a drill and instruction in the Bible.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Dryden wants a good grist mill.

Albion ladies cleared $150 from Jno. B. Gough's lecture.

The Adrian car shops will resume business Jan. 20.

Battle Creek pays $12,000 a year to its 33 school teachers.

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Bible and album agents are defrauding the people of the Upper Peninsula.

Geo. Sawyer, of Palmyra, shot his father for a burglar Christmas morning.

Miss Webster, a Muskegon school teacher, was badly pounded by one of her pupils.

Mary McClune, for several years a teacher at Marquette, died at Los Angeles, Cal., a few days ago.

It is claimed that Mt. Clemens has expended $165,000 in improvements the past year.

The central Michigan poultry and pet stock association meets at Battle Creek, January 15th.

One hundred and fourteen million feet of pine is to be cut in Missaukee county.

There are 3,032 members of the order of the Knights of the Macabees in Michigan.

Two young men of near Morley, were accidentally shot Christmas, both being badly mained.

The new $23,000 school house, at Ithaca, will be completed and ready for occupancy in a few weeks.

Officer Hough, of Oscoda, was dangerously stabbed while trying to arrest three brawlers last week.

The Ionia House of Correction inmates gave an entertainment Christmas evening.

Quincy has subscribed liberally to a $5,000 bonus to secure an Ohio manufacturing concern.

Furgeson, accused of the murder of the tailor Cunningham, of Schoolcraft, has been discharged.

It is feared that the Rev. Mr. Berry, of Mt. Clemens, who was stricken with paralysis will die.

Gas was struck last week at the depth of 370 feet in the Ypsilanti mineral well. It will be utilized.

A pan of coals and some washing coming into contact in a Coldwater house came near burning the house.

Hugh Cook, of Hillsdale township, has a pork barrel and cover which has been in constant use for 52 years.

A Berrien county girl named Meers has paid for a village lot from the savings accumulated in her toy savings bank.

Marshall has been given until Jan. 5, to raise the money needed for establishing the M. & O. railroad shops there.

Rufus Blakeman, a Battle Creek teamster, has not laid down for twenty years. He sleeps sitting with his head bowed upon a table.

There were 13 fires at Battle Creek the last year, and with its good fire department the total loss was kept down to less than $2,000.

An Elba farmer who has a fine breed of ducks, scalds all the eggs he sells so that his brother farmers cannot get the same breed.

A rough named Nolan Worden, being one of a party threatening to tear down the house of Wm. Nichols, of Jonesville, got shot in the leg.

Warren Scranton, died at Amboy, Hillsdale county, Dec. 27, aged 101 years, three months and one day. He was undoubtedly the foldest man in Michigan.

Antoine Christianelly, a convict from Menominee, cut his throat in his cell in the state prison Saturday. He was an Italian, sent up for assault with intent to kill.

The state prisoners at Jackson dined on spare rib and turnips on Christmas day. Turnips are not fattening but they are wonderfully filling.

Mrs. Dora L. Ball, of Grass Lake, has been admitted to practice at the Jackson bar. She is the first lady lawyer ever admitted in Jackson county.

As W. B. Cobb, of Schoolcraft, was trying to catch a sheep a few days ago, another member of the flock attacked him, butting him on the chin, driving his teeth through his tongue.

Saugatuck and Grand Haven are each striving to be made the lake shore terminus of the Michigan and Ohio railroad. The question will remain open until spring.

The product of the Phoenix mine for the month of November was 34 tons 845 pounds, and the total product for the past 11 months was 380 tons 1550 pounds.

There is a farmer at Farmers' Creek who has climbed a rail fence three or four times a day for the past 23 years rather than spend time to throw down the fence or build a gate.

Mrs. C. Matthewson, who obtained a judgment in the Saginaw Circuit for $1,100 damages against the Michigan Central Railroad, has settled for $750. The company had appealed the case.

Sufferers from nervousness, early decay, etc., if you value life, avoid advertising doctors and medicines that act on kidneys and liver. Be not deceived by the many bogus certificates of cures from paid or imaginary persons. If a weakness of the sexual system is the cause of your distress, Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla will strengthen the parts affected stop the drain, quiet the nerves, produce dreamless slumber and allow you to regain perfect health. It has cured thousands, and will cure you, for, by purifying the blood and strengthening every weak portion of the body, it removes every symptom of distress.

Romance in Real Life.

The beautiful and highly-cultivated daughter of one of the proud old Roman nobles, the Duke of Gallese, was introduced to the Italian poet, Signor D'Annunzio. Her kinsfolk never dreamed that a lady of such great expectations and high birth could run any risk by an intimate acquaintance with a man risen from the lower ranks. The two walked and chatted together, but, while the young lady's friends supposed that she was talking of intellectual matters, it turned out that the conversation of the interesting couple turned in a very different direction. The Duke learned, to his horror and anger, that his daughter had dared to betroth herself to the poet. As a matter of course, he refused to give his sanction to their marriage, whereupon the lovers took the train to Florence, where they were made man and wife. This last step made the Duke so indignant that he had a legal document drawn up by which he disinherited his daughter; but the father and the man afterwards so far overcame the aristocrat in him that he settled upon her for life a yearly income of 6,000 lire. The story has since obtained an almost tragical completeness by the separation of the Duke from his own wife. He accused her of having secretly favored the cause of D'Annunzio, and of allowing the lovers to hold interviews after the father had prohibited all further intercourse between the two. He has consequently broken up his household in Rome, made a settlement upon his Duchess and declared that he will henceforth live and die as if he had neither wife nor child. —*London Echo.*

Intelligent people have quit taking bitters and mineral poisons, have quit doctoring kidneys and liver, nerves and brain, have quit using alcoholic poisons and narcotic drugs, have quit poisoning their system with quack nostrums, and keep themselves and families in perfect health by occasionally using the only perfect blood purifier and true strengthener of weak portions of the body, known far and wide as Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. Any druggist will get it for you.

Yankee Doodle was played in Beecher's church on Thanksgiving day.

The Indians, knowing the value of Wild Cherry bark as a cure for coughs and colds, used to prepare it in their rude way, and in winter kept it constantly on hand. The careful and secret method of preparing Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry makes it superior to all other preparations. It is very pleasant to take.

It is feared John G. Saxe will not live through the winter.

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King Kalakana has sent to New Haven for a gold watch.

How often we hear middle-aged people say regarding that reliable old cough remedy, N. H. Downs' Elixir: "Why, my mother gave it to me when I was a child, and I use it in my family; it always cures." Who can name another medicine with such a record as this. Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters are another good medicine; and Arnica and Oil Liniment is just what it is recommended to be.

A woman 108 years old was converted and joined the church in Whitfield county, Ga.

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ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. dec6

ESTATE OF FLORENCE E. SMITH.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 24th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Florence E. Smith deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Jerome F. N. Bowen, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, to and amongst the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF SAMUEL G. CONKLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Samuel L. Conkling, a son of said deceased, praying that an instrument in writing, now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be proved, and allowed as such, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Hudson Conkling, Henry C. Conkling and John Conkling, the executors in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, in the County of Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is at least in part a mortgage upon real estate in said County of Lenawee, owned by him, and which he has assumed to pay, and that it is part due, and that it becomes necessary for administration upon said estate for the collection of said mortgage, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. dec26

ESTATE OF EDMUND HAND.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edmund Hand deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of William W. Osgood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, his funeral expenses and expenses of administration, thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing on said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Peter R. Adams, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of the deceased, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 2d day of February, 1884, and on the 16th day of June, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of December, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated December 26, 1883.

JACOB G. ROBERTS,
ZACHARIAS COOK,
Commissioners.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple, and Samuel McClure, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said county, to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 23d day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson, in and to the following described real estate that is to say: all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five, (5) south of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5), south of range five (5) east, bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road so called, with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwest along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-one (21) links, thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter, thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter and thence south to the place of beginning. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house (so called) in the city of Adrian in said County of Lenawee, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said County) on the 26 day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney.
dec13 CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in favor of George Exelby, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said County to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 28th day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five (5) south, of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road, so called, with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwest along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-one (21) links, thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter, thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter, and thence south to the place of beginning. This levy is made subject to a former levy in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple and Samuel McClure. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the City of Adrian, in said County of Lenawee, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said county) on the 26 day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff.
E. B. WOOD, Attorney. dec13

ESTATE OF HIRAM A. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram A. Adams deceased

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Eliza M. Adams, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 11th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John M. Pennington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, funeral expenses, the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies that have become due, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for such other order in the premises as shall be agreeable to law, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 12th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes Judge of Probate

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, late of Silver Lake, Kansas, deceased

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert F. Tuttle a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 1, 1884.

Winter must have gone into winter quarters. He hasn't been heard from since Christmas.

Shall our war taxation be continued in time of peace? This is one of the chief political questions of the near future.

In the list of Presidential possibilities the gallant Gen. Hancock should not be overlooked. He could be elected next time.

The surplus in Uncle Sam's coffers on Jan. 1st, was $142,000,000, and the liabilities about $[illegible], leaving a net balance of $[illegible] to begin the New Year with.

Next summer's campaign will be a lively one. The tariff question is looming into prominence and will not down. The people intend to say something on that subject.

The chandelier is coming to the front again. The legislative circus at Columbus has opened and the show bids fair to be a hot one until a United States Senator shall have been chosen.

Vanderbilt opposed the opening of the New York Art Loan on Sunday. He had religious scruples on the subject. It would be a serious injury to the Sunday excursion trains on his railroad.

Col. Eldridge is treated very well for a new member in the formation of committees. He has a place on Public Land Claims and the District of Columbia. The latter of which is becoming an important committee.

Leap year has come again. The numerous old bachelors about Tecumseh can now buy a few new collars, brush up their best coats, contract with some confectioner for a new supply of taffy and prepare for business.

The wasteful wedding is coming into fashion. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bride and groom pull a wish-bone, and the unlucky party who takes the short end is elected to get up in the morning and build the fire forever after.

The Prohibitionists of the State will meet in convention at Jackson on Jan. 9th, to formally organize a new political party. The Republican party had its origin at Jackson. The selection of that town is a favorable omen for the new movement.

Nast's latest cartoon in Harper's Weekly is a capital hit. It represents Santa Claus just emerged from the congressional chimney with "protection" in one hand and "free trade" in the other. The Democratic sock hangs at one end of the mantel and the Republican stocking at the other. Old Nick looks around bewildered and exclaims: "Blow me if I know which goes into which."

The reduction of taxation is the living issue to-day. The ordinary revenues for the last fiscal year were $300,000,000, the expenditures were $265,000,000 leaving a balance of $135,000,000. One hundred millions of this surplus could be safely done away with, and the people relieved of that much burden. A sufficient surplus would still remain to apply on the reduction of the public debt.

The Detroit Times observes that Talmage generally gets off a sensible sermon when he leaves religion alone. Preaching about politics the other Sunday, he said, that "the next candidate for the presidency will be the man who is the most successful in bewildering the public mind, so that Pennsylvania thinks he is in favor of a protective tariff and Kentucky thinks he is in favor of free trade." Blessed is he fog!

Speaker Carlisle has shown wise in in the selection of the House committees. He has placed himself above personal jealousy and made them for the business in hand. The two most important—Ways and Means and Appropriations—are admirably constituted. Morrison, Hurd and Hewitt will reform the tariff. Randall and Holman will lop off the excessive taxation now burdening the industries of the country. Carlisle starts out well.

THE OLD AND THE NEW.

The old year is dead. Its last hour has flown. The last requiem has been tolled over its tomb. Its sad and happy days, its joys and disappointments, its sunshine and shadows have all gone, never to return. Old Father Time has gathered them in, and 1883 has passed into the domain of history. How the years come and go! We can scarcely realize that three hundred and sixty-five days have flown since the Happy New Year of 1883 rolled in on its tide. Has it been a happy year? To some it has. To many it has been a season of sadness and disappointment. Disasters and casualties, fools and swindlers have abounded, the world and mankind seemed retrograd, hungry, hungry and penniless. Business men have gone down in bankruptcy, the young, the middle aged, the gray haired veteran have been summoned rather than reckoning the widows father the widowed mother, the betrothed maiden, the rejected lover, gazing with tearful eyes upon the pile of the old year, and sigh for better times to come. In the field of trade the year has been far from prosperous. No general financial panic has occurred to be sure, but failures have increased, mills and factories have closed, the shrinkage in stocks has been enormous, profits have been reduced, prudent merchants are curtailing their expenses, trade and business, commerce and manufactures are becoming more and more depressed, and the business outlook for '84 is far from reassuring. Yet we have abundant reasons for thankfulness and rejoicing. No bloody war has devastated our fair land. The bugle is silent, the roar of musketry is heard no more, the artillery is rusting upon the parapet, swords have become plow shares and spears have been turned into pruning hooks. The valleys of the great west have smiled under the sunshine and rain of heaven and have laughed fruitfulness. Still laborers are out of employment, tramps are increasing, crimes are multiplying, intemperance is growing and the burdensome taxation of a war tariff is still draining the pockets of the people.

But this is no time for mournful reflections. Let us not borrow trouble of the past but press onward to better endeavor in the future. The old blotted, dog eared pages of last year's book are filed and we cannot change them if we would. The unwritten book of 1884 lies before us and a fresh, clean leaf can now be turned. New resolves can be made, new plans adopted, new and better habits formed.

"Good resolutions are cheap," the grumbler says. "And what of a few sentimental self pledges, amount to? True, they are cheap, hence why not make them? Did any improvement ever result in any sphere of life except in a firm resolve to do, and accomplish that improvement? We may beat each the coveted goal, we may not realize our ambition, our feet may falter by the wayside, and our good resolves may come to naught; but in turning the table post of the new year, we should nevertheless resolve to strive for better things. Have friends proven false? Sound our own hearts and see whether the fault be not within ourselves. Have business reverses overtaken us? Study the causes, cut down the briars in the pathway and press on. Have sickness and adversity cast their shadows upon us? Get into the sunshine again and conquer the fates, whether they be friendly or no. Let us resolve to be faithful to our friends, attentive to our business, just and prompt in our deal, temperate in our habits, economical in our expenditures, and earnest in the performance of our religious obligations. These resolves, if sincerely made, will some of them be fruitful, and we shall be happier and better by reason of them, on the closing day of another year.

The new year may be the dawning of the best age the world has ever seen. The light of modern civilization is shedding its rays into the four corners of the earth. The people are shaking off old despotisms everywhere and the "rights of man" are becoming something more than a mere name. Old traditions and names are passing away. People are coming to know their political rights and to be fearless in maintaining them. Science is unveiling to a wondering world new mysteries every hour, and all the nations are struggling for an enlarged prosperity and an advanced civilization.

It shall be the aim of the HERALD in its less humble sphere, to keep pace with the march of progress. What ever makes for the public welfare, for private virtue, for successful individual life in the office, in the church and in the home, we shall favor; whatever makes against these things, we shall oppose. We speed the parting and welcome the coming guest, prepared to meet the duties of the hour as they may arise, to hope for the best and earnestly strive for its accomplishment. To all the friends and patrons of the HERALD we say, A happy New Year to you; may the sunshine of prosperity illumine your pathway, may you be wiser, happier, richer and better when the bells shall toll 1884 across the threshold from time into eternity.

WHAT THE NEWSPAPERS SAY.

The New York Sun gently touches up the Butler boom as follows:

"Gen. Butler says he shall not occupy his house in Washington next winter. He will go from the tutelar codfish to his own vine and fig tree in Lowell, and is innocent as the babe unborn of any booms or rumors of booms. And yet the wicked newspapers and cynics say that he has now a house in Washington, and say that he has now gone there to live in it. Is it true that he will not be there next winter? Is it true that he will not be there next winter, and perhaps some other winter, and perhaps never? We do not know, but we do know that he has a house in Washington. And we know that the Washington house is for sale, and we know that he has been heard to say that he would like to sell the house, that Mr. Arthur is now occupying for cash and thirty days."

The New York World shows the marvelous volume of passenger travel on the Elevated railroad.

"The cars on the Elevated railroad are now furnished with a printed placard which announces that 92,000,000 people travel annually over these lines in this city. Starting at this enormous figure it is there is probably no exaggeration in it. We are thus confronted with the fact that these roads in one year carry passengers equal to nearly twice the entire population of the United States and five times as many as are carried over the Pennsylvania Central and the New York Central. In twenty years the Elevated railroad will have carried a number equal to the entire population of the globe. As an aggregate of travel nothing like this has ever been shown before in railroading, and the magnitude of the business brings to mind the enormous risks incurred by the people collectively, and the equally enormous responsibility that attaches to the directors. That so few accidents have, comparatively speaking, occurred out of this enormous mass of living freight, is owing, we think, in a large measure to the quickness, adaptability and wide-awake character of the 92,000,000 passengers, and not to the forethought or consideration of the railway officers. The point made by the statistics is that the American people are remarkably able to take care of themselves under the most perilous circumstances."

The New York Independent points out the small practical difference between the various Protestant sects:

"The superficial differences between denominations are the burden of numerous stories, a few of which we gather, hoping that, if each one of them shall be old and stale to somebody, yet one or more of the lot will be new to each reader. The difference between "High Church" and "Low Church" was felicitously explained by the pastor of a *flowing* locality, who, when asked whether his was High or Low, responded that that depended entirely upon the tide. An English cottier distinguished them otherwise, however. When desired to prepare an entertainment he required to know whether they were High Church or Low Church; "because," said he, "if they are Low Church we must roll if they are High Church we dance." The difference between Old School and New School Presbyterians was described in quite as happy a manner by some one who said he believed it consisted in this: that the Old School stood up when it prayed, and the New School stood up when it sang. The difference between a Universalist and a Unitarian was wittily expressed by Starr King while still belonging to the former body: 'The Universalists believe that God is too good to damn men, while the Unitarians believe that they are too good to be damned.' The difference between a Methodist and a Baptist was set forth by the concluding remarks of a spirited discussion between two members of those denominations, when the Baptist remarked, 'I don't like you Methodists anyhow, for you have too much machinery about you,' to which the Methodist brother promptly retorted, 'I don't care if we have, we don't run it by water.'"

The Chicago News has these pertinent words on the present business depression and its causes. The manufacturers themselves are beginning to see that a mushroom growth of any business occasioned by artificial stimulation is not an unmixed blessing. The reaction is sure to come after a big spree:

"There is no blinking the fact that, as the close of the year approaches, the general trade situation of the country assumes a more gloomy aspect. All the manufactural industries—iron, wooden, cotton, leather, lumber—are more or less crippled. Those protected trades on which the country was to rely in an emergency, and which the government has been carrying, are actually those with which the country is most seriously overweighted. 'Overproduction' is now upon the lips of every manufacturer. He also adds: 'We must shut down our mills and discharge our hands. Only by so doing can we create a demand which is now lacking.' But these manufacturers do not see that this is a confession of the weakness of their whole system, as it is a well known doctrine of political economy that normal production begets consumption, and where this law does not hold good, there must be some special reason for the exception. The truth is our exorbitant tariff shuts us out from the markets of the world, while periodically and spasmodically expanding and contracting our home production, and also periodically throwing the country upon the excessive export of our agricultural products as a means of relief. This is shown in the enormous excess of our exports from 1876 to 1880, from the revival of imports in 1881, and from the tendency to increased exports in 1882-83, caused by the depression in our manufactures. Thus the logic of the trade situation is that the high tariff so stimulates manufactural production periodically that the only means of relief is excessive exports of those products which are not too high in price to sell abroad, these being of course agricultural. But the product of these exports when received again seeks an outlet in artificially stimulated manufactures only to again unnaturally increase them, and so the circle of overproduction and consequent depression is kept in constant motion."

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—A Bridgeport (Conn.) gentleman will pay for all the rejected poems he can find.

—Mrs. A. C. Ford, a sister of the famous Sam Patch, died at Peters burg, Va., recently.

—Senator Colquitt, of Georgia, and Congressman Milliken, of Maine, are said to resemble each other as closely as two brothers.

—David Pulsifer, who has been clerk in the Massachusetts Secretary of State's office for [illegible] years, recently died at Boston.

—Dr. Dio Lewis, of Lewis's Gymnasium, N. Y., is said to have retired from active practice, and to be now devoting his time to the study of the health question. He is a good physician.—*Cor. Lancet.*

—Ex-President Thomas Hill, of Harvard College, has edited an almanac in which the complaints have been made according to the new Eastern standard time, the first of the kind to be published.—*Boston Herald.*

—Mr. Bennett, the owner of the New York *Herald*, is said by persons who have seen him in Paris lately to have become "prematurely old." His hair is turning gray and he is as slow and uncertain in his movements as a snail.

—A Waterloo (N. Y.) girl was married to a young man who fell in love with her photograph, and the courting was done through the medium of correspondence. They met for the first time at their wedding.—*Buffalo Express.*

—Senor Soteldo, who turns up in Washington as the Minister from Venezuela, is the father of A. M. Soteldo, the young gentleman who lost his life while trying to regulate the editorial management of the Washington *Republican* from the outside.

—"What sort of a man is Uncle Remus?" I asked of a Georgia friend, writes a Washington correspondent. "Joel Chandler Harris," he replied, smiling, "He's a little, red-headed, freckle-faced farmer's boy from Putnam County. Just about as handsome as a tomat show. He's a good fellow, though, and bright, but indolent. Sort of a singed cat. He has been very well treated by the Atlanta Constitution people. They give him a good salary for writing an hour or two every day, in addition to a very nice house, which they gave him outright as a Christmas gift, I think. So he has plenty of time for literature and a pleasant place to write it in."—*In a recent interview.*

HUMOROUS.

—"There is danger in the electric wire," remarked the criminal when overtaken by a telegram.

—"Young farmer—Are you fond of toasts, Miss Gilpertson?" Miss Gilpertson—"Oh, really, Mr. Pawkes, if you mean that as a declaration, I must speak to mamma."—*Texas Siftings.*

—"The compliments often paid us," said Mrs. Jolly, "are not half, never three-fourths of women." The latter would have gone home and cried over all the slights.—*Merchant's Herald.*

—"Get out!" screamed a lady in a crowded horse car at a Market street crossing to her dog. "Get up, you go!" said the conductor. The dog was right.—*Philadelphia Times.*

—Down in New Jersey the grasshoppers are performing duty that those who go on hunting expeditions have to perform. A sportsman occurrence is for a sportsman to surround a single snipe and go through such ridiculous, though highly sportsmanlike, performances that the poor bird actually does laughing at them.—*Lowell Courier.*

—"I wish I was a star," he said, smiling at his own poetic fancy. "I would rather you were a comet," she said, in a dreamy tone that made his pulse quicken with hope. "And why?" he asked, with suppressed anxiety. "Oh," she replied, in a freezing tone, "if you were a comet you would only come 'round once in fifteen hundred years."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—"Wasn't Mr. Thornton mad that you went into his woods and cut all that birch bark?" asked a little girl whose brothers came from a wood belonging to a neighbor with their arms filled with great strips of the birch. "No," said the boys; "he saw us and never said a word." "Well," cried the little sister, triumphantly, "that's just it. He was so mad he wouldn't speak to you."—*Harper's Bazar.*

—A story is told of a Wequetequock man being brought to a Stonington doctor in an ox-cart, having been handled without gloves by a brother. While the doctor was dressing the wounds the man asked: "Do tor, if I die from the effects of this beating will they hang my brother?" "I'm afraid they will," replied the doctor." "Then let me die," said the Wequetequocker.—*Norwich (Conn.) Bulletin.*

—"Why, how are you, Gilpin?" exclaimed an erratic Austin man, trying to thrust his hand into the unwilling, clammy paw of the supposed acquaintance, "how you have changed! Never saw a man change so in my life." "My name is not Gilpin," said the stranger in a thirty-six-degrees-below-zero tone. "Heavens!" ejaculated the Austin man, "worse and worse! You have not only changed wonderfully in personal appearance, but have actually changed your name."—*Texas Siftings.*

Perfectly Dreadful.

"Oh, say, Chawley, dey was a chawming ewe-faw you chanced with at Mrs. Bullion's t'other eve."

"No, Hawy, she was not chawming; she is a vulgah ewe-faw."

"Wy, weally, you don't say so, Chawley."

"Yaas she asked me if I liked oysters and wums, and I told her that I had tried them in Paris, but I didn't like them as well as twied twogs. And then she larfed actually larfed. Just think of a society gyurl larfing!"

"Pwiffee dwedful, wasn't it?"

"Yes; and then she asked me if I know why Twedlie Dumpson was a fountain of honor, and when I said no she said it was because he was always having tonls."

"Oh, Chawley, how could you? Take me to a soda-fountain. I feel faint and need a stimulant."—*Essex County (Mass.) Statesman.*

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

STORE TO RENT, from March 7th, 188 in the village of Tecumseh. One of the bes locations, and as good business village as the are in the state. Has been used as a confectio ery, fruit, &c. store, having done a good profit ble business. One door east of H. McClure store. Inquire on the premises up-stairs of J. D. BARDWELL.

LOST.—A note given to me by Rathbun & Sout amount one hundred and ninety-nine dol ars and eleven cents, being endorsed seven ty dollars in 1878, and twenty dollars in 1881. A liberal reward will be paid for the return of sai note. RICHARD ADAMS. Hillsdaway, Mich., Dec. 24th, 1883. w2

FOR SALE. A first-class set of tools in ock suitable for gunsmithing and general ps. P. WILLISTON, Tecumseh, Mich.

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LILLEY HOUSE.—Chicago street, Tecumse This house has been recently enlarged by the addition of an elegant new office on Chicag street, and the dining room has been doubled in size. Rates reasonable. W. H. Passmore, Pro prietor.

The Kedsie family had a reunion at Deerfield on Christmas day.

Dr. A. F. Tuttle, of Clinton, is quite poorly, being confined to his house most of the time.

The Blissfield Lodge I. O. O. F. will have a public installation of officers to-morrow evening.

John Hialey is turning out a bach of twenty new cutters. Now is he time to buy a new cutter.

Philip DePuy, of Reading, helped Frank DePuy get rid of some of his turkeys on New Year's day.

The New Year's dinner at the Lilley House was well patronized. It filled the bill and filled the guests too.

The HERALD office will be run on standard time hereafter, the new rule having gone into effect last Monday.

The Jane Coombs' troupe were favored with a good audience at the Opera House last Thursday evening.

Never before have so many of Tecumseh's former residents returned to their old firesides to spend the holidays.

The passenger trains on the Branch have been crowded lately with people going to or returning from holiday visits.

E. H. Merritt, of Big Rapids, is in town and paid us a friendly visit yesterday. His old neighbors are glad to see him.

Miss Marion Chase, who has a position in the faculty of Kalamazoo college, spent her holiday vacation among her Tecumseh friends.

Lute Bates is the happiest man in town. Cause: A handsome nine pound girl. It is the first child, and he smartest baby in town up to date.

B. L. Baxter, Esq., was at home New Years. He goes to Deerfield on business the last of the week, and will return to Lansing next Tuesday.

Longfellow said, "In the world a man must be either anvil or hammer." He was wrong, however. Lots of men are nothing but bellows.

The "job" of attending the poor of this township for the coming year has been let to Dr. H. W. Catlin. The "job" has fallen into good hands.

The venerable muskrat weather prophets, who have been predicting a mild and open winter, have gone into their holes, and drawn the holes in after 'em.

A copy of the Pictoria Annual issued by the Adrian Press is on our table. It is a very creditable piece of work and shows that the Press is up with the times.

The January number of the Baptist Items was issued Tuesday. It is the best number that has yet appeared. We are indebted to the Items for a column of interesting local matter.

I very much wish that the person who wrote me an anonymous letter this week would call at my office and have a confidential talk. The matter referred to is an important one and deserves immediate attention.

A. W. MILLS.

AUCTION SALES.

G. E. Brownell having sold his farm, will sell at auction at his late residence, on the Quaker Mill road, three quarters of a mile southeast of Tecumseh village, on Wednesday, Jan. 16, 1884, at 12 o'clock m., the following property: One span mares, four breed sows, 27 heavy weathers, 3 years old, 12 swarms bees, several tons hay, 2 stacks corn fodder, four cows, seed corn, 5 bbls. potatoes, 1 lumber wagon, 1 top carriage, 1 cutter, 1 set heavy harness, 1 light harness, 1 mower, 100 bushels of corn, one sulky rake, 1 South Bend plow, cultivators, drag, wheelbarrow, cauldron kettle, small tools, &c. Usual terms of sale. H. W. Stevens, auctioneer.

Edward Oliver and Charles Fielder will sell at auction on the farm of Jas. Oliver, four miles west and one mile south of Tecumseh, in Franklin, on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1884, at 11 o'clock m., the following property: Three work horses, 2 carriages, 2 cutters, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 14 shoats, 2 pair bob sleighs, 1 lumber wagon, 1 wheel cultivator, 2 hand cultivators, good corn sheller, quantity of hay and corn stalks, quantity of corn and corn meal, plow, Scotch harrow, 2 sets sleigh bells, &c. Usual terms of sale. Abe. Hanford, auctioneer.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 3, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Date your letters 1884.

Is this the January thaw?

Read our club list on the 8th page.

How did the New Year open with you?

John R. Clark took his New Year's dinner at home.

Bert Tribou, of Detroit, passed his holiday week at home.

The winter term of the Tecumseh schools will open next Monday.

The state teachers' association held a very successful session at Lansing last week.

Mr. Will Kies, who has been sojourning some weeks in Colorado is rapidly improving his health.

The telephone office is being removed to rooms over Strong & McNair's clothing store.

M. P. Henry, of Palmyra, who formerly owned the A. P. Coddington farm, was in town last week.

Lots of men are happy around this vicinity on account of having new babies at their homes.

Misses Jennie Fraser and Manie Monaghan leave to day for Lake Linden, upper peninsula, to resume their school duties there next Monday. They are both much pleased with their situation there.

C. B. Pennock's store (east of the HERALD office) is well stocked with goods, and is fitted up in an attractive manner. His clerks are attentive and obliging, and he seems to be working up a good trade.

Dr. Stewart, J. Gilchrist and "Gus" Slayton are attending the annual meeting of the the Mich. Flooring and Handle Manufacturing Co., at Summit City, Grand Traverse County. They went over the M. & O. to Monteith.

Lyman Thorpe, of this village, has secured the agency for Eastern Michigan of the Union Parer and Corer, which is an excellent household utensil and will doubtless have an extensive sale. We hope and believe he has struck a good thing.

We have received from James Cook a pamphlet "The Industries of Lisbon," printed at Lisbon, Dakota. It gives a full discription of that growing city and of Ransom county. The population of the county is now 8,000, and it will probably be doubled in one year.

At the election of officers for the Presbyterian Sunday school, the following persons were chosen:

Superintendent—C. A. Slayton.
Assistant Supt—P. S. McKinnon.
Lady Assistant—Sena Drew.
Sec. & Treas.—Harry P. Spaulding.
Librarian—Will Hastings.

It is not what people eat, but what they digest, that makes them strong. It is not what they gain, but what they save that makes them rich. It is not what they read, but what they remember that makes them learned. It is not what they profess but what they practice that makes them righteous.

We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Warner Observatory from H. H. Warner & Co., of Rochester, N. Y. It would give us pleasure to take a trip to Rochester and look through the big telescope, but we are taking subscriptions so rapidly now that it is impossible to leave home.

We have made arrangements to offer The Ohio Farmer of Cleveland, O., with the HERALD, both one year, for the low price of $2.50. The Ohio Farmer is a 16 page, 64 column paper, has been established thirty-six years, strictly first-class in every respect, and is one of the oldest, largest, most valuable, enterprising, and reliable agricultural weeklies in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Tefft returned last week from Hamilton, N. Y., where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Tefft's father, Seth Bass, Esq. "Uncle Seth," as he was familiarly known, was with one exception the oldest settler in Hamilton, and was 87 years old at the time of his death. Silas W. Bass, a son of the deceased, returned with Mr. Tefft, and will remain here the balance of the winter.

Those in attendance at the Methodist church last Sunday had the benefit of a good smoking, whether they enjoyed it or not. In the repairs going on the smoke pipe of the new furnace had been disjointed where it runs through the west hot air pipe. Of course it sent its contents into the audience room above. It was so bad that the evening service was held in the lecture room. It is now readjusted, and no further trouble is anticipated.

The young ladies' missionary society of the Presbyterian church will celebrate its first anniversary at 7 o'clock on Sunday night in the church. A brief report of the society's operations for the year will be given. Mrs. E. B. Wood will also present a review of the woman's foreign missionary society of the church, which completed ten years of existence last April. The pastor will deliver an address appropriate to the occasion. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the service.

Miss Florence Shepard, who is teaching in the Grand Haven city schools, spent the holidays with her Tecumseh friends.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., one week from to-morrow evening, Friday, Jan. 11th.

We issue a large extra edition of the HERALD this week, and send out several hundred sample copies. Persons who receive a copy are respectfully invited to subscribe.

Seth Green, the veteran fish culturist, suggests, as a plan for replenishing the lakes with white fish, that a convention of fishermen be called, who shall agree to use no smaller net than a two inch mesh, and provide for men whose duty it shall be to take the impregnated spawn from the fish and send it to the hatcheries. Should these ideas be adopted, with strict enforcement of rules, he thinks that in a few years the lakes would swarm with whitefish, with little danger of future extermination.

Last February Rev. Conley went to the assistance of the Jackson Baptist Church in a series of meetings with the understanding that Pastor Kirtley would come to our assistance in a like effort some time during the present year. Arrangements are now made for him to come Jan. 7th. Evangelistic singer, L. E. Hatch of Delavan, Wis., will also be here for a few days. Everybody who met him at the S. S. Institute Nov. 29th, will remember the enthusiasm of his singing. It was contagious. Everybody wanted to sing and almost everybody did sing.

The Kelly's Corners correspondent of the Brooklyn Exponent says: "On Thursday Uncle Bill Nixon, our former host and old time landlord of Tecumseh, made us a friendly visit.—Uncle Bill is one of the few grand old pioneers of Michigan's early days, still left. He help to build the Chicago turnpike in 1828, fought in the Blackhawk war, and is also a veteran of the Toledo war. It was to the inspiring strains of Uncle Bill's fife that the army under the command of General Brown, of Tecumseh, marched to Toledo to conquor or die. The prompt action of the government averted bloodshed, and Uncle Bill marched back to Tecumseh, where he has since remained one of its most respected citizens.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

Now is the time for writing a four over the three in 1884.

B. J. Slater, operator of Fort Wayne Junction, was home over Sunday. He commenced studying telegraphy on the C. T. line about a year ago.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Witherell, of Franklin, a New Year's present of a bouncing nine pound girl.

John Carson, jr., is prospecting in Montcalm county.

Mrs. Benjamin Dove is visiting her parents, Mr. G. W. Stacy in Buffalo, N. Y.

Eddie Spaulding and sisters, of Franklin, spent New Years with their sister Mrs. L. M. Mangus.

Dr. North reports the barometer lower Wednesday morning than for the last two years.

Mr. John Severans, of Franklin, died last Monday. He was one of the pioneers of that town, leaving only two pioneers between Clinton and Evans Lake, Mr. John Smalley and Mr. Job Graves, to recite the tales of pioneer life.

D. E. Bowen met with a misfortune last Saturday. He started to take a load of hay to town, and when near Newburg, the load upset, throwing him violently to the ground, fracturing the left knee. This is the third time Mr. Bowen has been rendered helpless by accident.

FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

Not many wedded pairs are permitted to celebrate a fortieth anniversary of their wedding. We may esteem those highly favored whose married life covers a period of forty years, unless it be true, as some pessimistic people would have us believe, that their life is not worth the living, and that he is most fortunate who quits it early. Be this as it may, our esteemed townspeople, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ford, celebrated their fortieth anniversary on New Year's eve. And a pleasant time it seems to have been to them. Their friends gathered in force, completely filling up their comfortable home and passing the evening until a late hour in social intercourse. And best of all, they did not come empty-handed. They brought numerous presents with them, which we cannot describe. One deserves special mention. It is a memorial tablet, nicely framed, consisting of gilt letters on a dark ground work, appropriately worded in commemoration of their anniversary. It is the gift of their son in Iowa and his wife, who were not able to be present. Another nice gift was a china tea set, the gift of a number of persons together. Rev. R. S. Pardington sent a present and a letter of regret that he and wife were not able to be present. A bountiful collation was served to all present. The happy pair enter upon the last decade of the fifty years with prospects bright and many words of cheer from friends and relations.

BEAN'S TANNERY BURNED.

About half past seven o'clock this evening a fire broke out in O. W. Bean's tannery, and within an hour the entire building was in ruins. The fire originated in the dry kiln, and must have started after supper, for when the employees quit work at five o'clock, everything was all right. The alarm was promptly given and the fire department responded at once, but when the steamer arrived on the ground, it was too late to do any good. We understand there was about $3,000 worth of stock in the tannery, which will be a total loss as well as the building itself. There was a policy of insurance on the building of $2,000, but no insurance on the stock.

FROM THE BAPTIST ITEMS.

Happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mills Dec. 24th, 1883—a girl. All doing well.

The regular annual donation occurred on the 21st ult. Result, about $87.00.

The Point Chautauqua Class has about finished "Ancient Cities and Empires."

Quite a large number of our people took part in the "War Song" concert for the benefit of the High School piano fund.

At the last annual meeting of the Clinton Baptist Church, held Dec. 1st, Bro. J. K. Waldron was elected trustee for three years. He will make a good one.

Married, at the residence of J. W. Cook, Tecumseh, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Dec. 25th, 1883, Mr. C. B. Caswell of Milan, and Miss Ella Auton, of Macon, Mich.

At the annual meeting of the Tecumseh Baptist Church, held Dec. 25, J. Margeson and L. G. North were re-elected trustees for three years. The reports were of an unusually encouraging character.

A certain church committee do not propose to be called "The Sick and Poor Committee" any more, for since the Carman concert they are neither. In fact it has been suggested that they start a national bank.

Married Dec. 2d, by the pastor, at the parsonage, Mr. Adoniram F. A. Spencer of Battle Creek and Rosa A. Baxter of Fairfield. Also, on the 17th, of Dec., by the same, at the bride's residence in this village, Mr. Edward C. Rhodes of Pittsford and Mrs. Caroline Cole.

The Church Social for December was entertained on the 13th in the Chapel by Mrs. Bramble, Mrs. J. Benedict, Mrs J. Cook, Mrs. W. Merritt, Mrs. H. Sweet, Mrs. L. G. Lester and and Mrs. D. Garlinghouse. It was a great success and largely attended. We are not informed as to the receipts.

The return of the holidays is accompanied with the return of our young brethern from college. Everybody has been shaking hands with Brethern Bramble, Lester and Heck from Kalamazoo, and R. F. Taggart from the University. Our Kalamazoo delegation will be augmented by Miss Eva Daglish next term.

The Carman concert was an undreamed of success. The church was literally packed full; in fact people went away unable to get in—how many we have no means of knowing. The business manager, Mr. A. S. Carman, said it might be possible that they would favor us again next summer. Everybody sincerely hopes that they will do so. Their singing is rarely equaled.

At the December Covenant Meeting Mrs. J. Heck was elected to membership of the committee on sick and poor, in the place of Mrs. A. J. North, resigned. At the same meeting O. B. Finch tendered his resignation as Clerk of the Church. It was accepted to take effect Jan. 4th, 1884. Deacons J. Margeson and Clough and Bro. Bramble were appointed a committee to nominate a successor at next Covenant meeting.

The last monthly Missionary Concert was devoted to the consideration of Christian Education. The special topic under consideration was Kalamazoo Ladies' Hall Association. It was one of the most interesting meetings of the year. No one present will henceforth doubt that the Tecumseh Baptist Church has genuine interest in our college. Two brethren openly declared their intention to remember the institution in a substantial manner.

On the 15th ult. Bro. T. Mills met with a severe accident. He was in the woods loading wood, when by some means he so severely sprained his ankle he could neither stand nor walk. As a consequence he was obliged to lie upon the frozen ground with the snow falling upon him, in the hope that some one might come to his rescue. He lay in this condition for about three hours, when Bro. F. Brynn came into the same piece of timber, where attention he finally attracted by his outcries. When Bro. B. reached him, three of his toes were frozen and the sprained ankle was terribly swollen. He was immediately removed to his residence, where under skillful treatment and kind attention he is rapidly recovering.

The Deerfield ladies inaugurated leap year with a grand ball on the evening of the 1st inst.

Clinton News: One of J. S. Kies' hens made him a Christmas present of an egg weighing 4¼ oz. and having a circumference, 8¾ inches one way and 6¾ inches the other. Where is the hen that can show a better Christmas record than that?

Adrian Times: Messrs. Clint. Williams and A. O. Miller are contemplating putting on the road next season "Uncle Tom's Cabin," to be played under canvass and to travel by wagon. It seems as though there was a hat full of money in the scheme.

Hudson Gazette: D. P. Anthony, Esq., of Tecumseh, was in the city a few days this week in the interest of the St. Paul Self Binding Harvester he is now representing. He has engaged Messrs. Carpenter and Kellogg as Hudson agents for the machine.—Mr. Anthony is acting as general manager for the company in this vicinity.

Blissfield Advance: It is alleged that a large manufacturing establishment in this State will soon begin to make the Doan scrapers regardless of Mr. Doan's patent. The patent lawyers, so it is said, claim that Mr. D's patent involves no new principle that is patentable. Mr. Doan, on the other hand, says he will defend his patent against all infringements.

MORE MEDICAL ETHICS.

A few days since, a disciple of Æsculapius, residing in Tecumseh, a man of distinguished medical attainments, gentlemanly deportment and equable temper, stepped into a store on Chicago street upon an errand, and after transacting his business, stepped out, leaving his gloves on the counter. The proprietor found them and stowed them away between two show cases for safe-keeping. On the following day the doctor happened into the same store, when the proprietor accosted him thus: "I say, doctor, has anybody got the small-pox or diptheria? You left your gloves here yesterday in your hurry; you will find them between those two show cases." The doctor went where the gloves were, and—they were not there. Some shop-lifter had cabbaged them.

Thereupon arose a question in medical ethics, which the national code throws no light upon.

The doctor accused the proprietor with stealing his gloves, and he wanted pay for them. They were valuable gloves, imported from Canada, when the owner moved into the States fifteen years ago. He had used them to groom his horses and carry in wood with ever since. The left glove had received two new fingers during that time, and the right one had been repaired with a new thumb this very fall. Those gloves were purchased new the winter in which he did most of his sparking. He used them in the dissecting room to prevent contamination from the cadavers. The associations connected with those gloves, and the memories and patches and odors which clustered about them, made them dear to his heart.

"And then I declare,"
Said he, pulling his hair,
"I've no money to spare
To buy a new pair."

"A Tecumseh physician, who bids on the "job" of attending the township poor and fails to get the "job," has no money to fool away.

"I've three cases of measles and one case of whoopin' cough on hand now, but they're all down in the colored ward, and I've got to wait for my pay. This asinine custom of letting the "job" of medical attendance upon the poor is an outrage. I've hitched up old Bill and driven down to old Roper's three times a day for the past three weeks, and have had to furnish my own quinine and blue pills in the bargain.

"I am not aware that the national code has any provision touching the larceny of a respectable physician's esteemed buckskin gloves, but the legal code has. This offence, sir, shall never be condoned, and you can produce those gloves or shell out fifty cents to buy a new pair with, or I'll slap the law to you."

The proprietor respectfully declined to "shell out," and the storm that followed shook the plastering from the ceiling and cracked the show cases, while its echoes have been reverberating through this community ever since.

Several interesting queries suggest themselves in connection with this affair, which the national code certainly ought to provide for

1—Is it consistent with medical ethics for a physican to bring in wood with a pair of imported buckskin gloves?

2—Is it ethical for a doctor under any circumstances, to damn a storekeeper who steals his gloves?

3—When a reputable physician loses an old and valued pair of buckskin gloves, is it legal and proper for him to hot out the job of thrashing the thief?

4—Is it ethical for a physician to wear buckskin gloves when attending upon cases of measles and whoopin' cough among the colored population?

5—When a man steals a doctor's buckskin gloves, should he be dissected or hung, in a state in which capital punishment is abolished?

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

North Morenci has a flourishing dancing club.

More talk of enlarging the stage of the Clinton town hall.

Joel White, of Woodstock, will soon move back to Tennessee.

Morenci Observer: Dr. Wyman takes the cake in the way of official positions. He is W. M. of the Masons, N. G. of the Odd Fellows, P. W. of the Pythagorean, Commander of the R. A. M., Surgeon of the G. A. R., chairman of the Democratic township and district committees, justice of the peace, health officer of the village, physician to two life insurance companies, weighs 300 pounds, and wears a plug hat.

Morenci Observer: So striking is the general resemblance of Joe Ingood, Esq., of Medina, to Marcus Tutts, of Seneca, that almost daily and weekly for near twenty five years has he been addressed as Mr. Tutts and vice versa. So meeting here yesterday they concluded to have their photographs taken together, and had a right down jolly and social time over the matter. They are both prosperous and respected citizens.

Clinton News: The Masons celebrated St. John's day in their customary way, with a social and supper at their commodious rooms in the second story of the Town Hall. A pleasant company of Masons, their wives, children and friends, sat down to an elegant supper in the dining room at 8 o'clock, and after all had fully satisfied the demands of the inner man, Rev. St. John made a few very appropriate remarks and the evening was ended with social enjoyments.

Adrian Record: A singular sort of social convention, called by the participants, "The Old Maid's Conclave" took place yesterday afternoon in the south part of the city, near the conjunction of South Main and Beecher streets. The gathering numbered some fifteen maturish sort of ladies who have never known the intricacies of wedded life, and proved a very agreeable gathering. Several old bachelors were invited to be present as spectators, but were allowed no voice in the proceedings.

Adrian Times: A gay party of young people from this city enjoyed a sleigh ride to Rome Center last evening, to visit Mr. John H. Coobs. While there one of the young gentlemen, a visitor in the city, had his maiden experience with handcuffs, a fair lady putting them on his wrists, and then in her efforts to release him breaking the key in the lock. The chain was filed apart, and the lock of one of the handcuffs picked. The other, containing the key, could not be removed, and he was obliged to wear it until the next day.

Hudson Post: About 10 o'clock Christmas eve, as the people were returning from the entertainments of the various churches in town, a crowd was gathered in front of one of the Main street saloons, to the exclusion of passers by from the walk in the vicinity. Some poor fellow's appetite and some one's greed for liquor had succeeded in brutalizing a victim, and his friends were celebrating "Peace on earth and good will to men" by snailing him to some haven of repose where he might commune with the spirits within him, and get ready to spend a Merry Christmas with his wife, mother, sister and friends.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 13. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Toledo	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Normal	6 46 "	2 41 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 54 "	3 00 "	2 30 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	2 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	2 52 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	3 07 "
Deerfield	8 26 "	4 42 "	
Tipton	8 38 "	4 57 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Tipton	8 32 A.M.	3 47 P.M.	
Deerfield	10 23 "	5 37 "	
Adrian	11 14 "	6 32 "	7 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 46 "	7 03 "	7 00 "
Clinton	11 50 "	7 08 "	7 10 "
Manchester	12 10 P.M.	7 26 "	7 30 "
Norvell	12 30 "	7 42 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	7 52 "	8 50 "
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STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.	W'ty
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
DETROIT	9 20	3 30	9 50	6 30
Hand	9 46	3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulus	10 00	4 11	10 31	800
Belleville	10 10	4 19	10 40	835
Willis	10 19	4 29	10 48	820
Whittaker	10 25	4 34	10 53	855
Milan	10 36	4 44	11 01	1055
Cone	10 46	4 50	11 09	1115
Berdan	10 56	5 01	11 20	1135
Holloway	11 02	5 10	11 31	1155
Adrian	11 22	5 21	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	11 35	5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	12 04	6 03	12 31	3 04
Alvordton	12 17	6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 39	6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakeslee	12 54	6 49	1 31	5 05
BUTLER	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's.	Mail.	Exp's	W. Tt
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
BUTLER	8 35	2 47	9 15	5 00
Blakeslee	8 57	3 08	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	9 30	3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	9 45	3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	10 07	4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 25
Holloway	10 30	4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	10 39	5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	10 44	5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	11 00	5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	11 10	5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	11 18	5 45	11 58	4 0
Romulus	11 26	5 51	12 04	4,50
Hand	11 39	6 05	12 16	5 37
DETROIT	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 2 Express.	No. 4 Express.	No. 6 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P.M.	A.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
	7 20	8 5	Lv. Toledo Ar.	10 0	3 00	5 20
	7 38	8 40	" Manhattan Jc. "	9 2	2 19	5 16
	7 38	8 47	" Alexis Jct. "	9 0	2 37	5 00
	7 45	9 0	" Monroe Jct. "	9 0	1 49	4 27
	7 55	9 32	" Dundee "	9 0	1 07	4 18
	8 19	9 45	" Azalia "	8 0	1 23	4 08
	8 12	9 58	" Milan "	8 0	1 04	3 52
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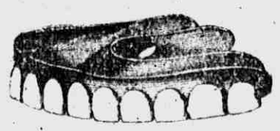

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

THE House Committee on Public Lands have held five meetings since the adjournment of Congress. It has been decided to report to the House immediately after Congress reassembles the pending bills which declare the forfeiture of all unearned or lapsed railroad land grants. The reports to accompany these bills will be prepared immediately. Chairman Cobb says: "Once before the House the bills will be vigorously pushed."

THE death of General Andrew A. Humphreys occurred very suddenly at Washington on the night of the 27th ult. He served on the staff of General McClelland in the early part of the war and was mustered out of the army as a Brigadier General in 1879 at his own request. He was a member of many scientific associations both in this country and Europe.

WASHINGTON dispatches announce that the Committee on Judiciary propose making a thorough investigation of the alleged misuse of power and the people's money by the Department of Justice in recent trials at the capital.

THE Commissioner General of the Land Office, upon evidence showing fraud in making entry, the past week canceled twenty-one entries of public land in Colorado, twelve in Dakota and seventeen in New Mexico.

A DISPATCH from Texas on the 28th ult says: Frank Hurd, Congressman from Ohio, will introduce into the House immediately after the holiday recess resolutions calling for a committee to investigate the conduct of Brewster, Cameron, Joel W. Bowman and Z. L. Tidball, connected with the Department of Justice in Texas, against whom specific charges have been prepared and will be presented at the same time.

AN order has been issued by the Secretary of the Navy to suspend work in the Boston navy yards on January 15, and dismiss half the force. The breaking up of condemned vessels will continue, and the yard converted into a rope walk. An order closing the League Island navy yard and converting it into a construction yard for steel vessels will be issued soon.

THE President has approved the action of the court-martial in the case of Chaplain Toussaint Mesplie, convicted of having duplicated pay accounts, and sentenced to be dismissed from service. He also approved the sentence of the court martial in the case of Captain Chambers McKibben convicted of a similar offense, but who in view of mitigating circumstances, was only sentenced to be reduced ten numbers to the relative rank of Captain of infantry. It is understood that the court-martial tried First Lieutenants W. L. Clarke, of the Twenty-third Infantry, and Joseph L. Cummings, of the Third Infantry, on charges of duplicating pay accounts and found them guilty, and sentenced them to be dismissed from the service.

THE Secretary of the Interior has decided to direct the Surveyor General of New Mexico to ascertain the truth of the allegations made to the department that the western boundary of the patented Pedro Armedaris grant in New Mexico was by fraud or gross error in the survey two and one half miles too far west, thereby including about fifty square miles of valuable Government mineral land. The papers presented in the Secretary's opinion, made a strong showing in support of the alleged error.

THE EAST.

THE horses attached to a sleigh containing four couples ran away at Rocktown, Pa., on the 27th ult., dragging the sleigh over a precipice. James Smith had his leg and arm broken, Henry Green an arm broken, and Mary Krohner internally injured. The others were slightly injured.

IN New York recently John Thoma quarreled with his wife and then went to the grave of his child in Greenwood Cemetery and shot himself dead. He was found lying across the grave covered with snow by a police officer.

WHILE three men were digging coal near Girardsville, Pa., on the 27th ult., they were buried by falling earth. One was fatally and the other seriously injured.

GENERAL GRANT slipped on the ice in front of his residence in New York recently and fell, sustaining injuries which confined him to his bed for several days. It is thought his injuries are not serious.

PETITIONS are being circulated throughout Pennsylvania requesting Congress to prevent the importation of foreign laborers under contracts made abroad, and are receiving the signatures of many workingmen.

THE number of schedules in assignment filed in New York in 1883 was 343. Liabilities $20,857,843, actual assets $9,734,541.

MRS. CHAMBERLAIN, wife of John Chamberlain, a prominent hotel man of New York State, while insane jumped from the third story of the hotel of which her husband is proprietor, at Oswego, N. Y., on the 27th ult. and died from injuries received.

DIZER & Co., of East Weymouth, Mass., have closed their boot and shoe manufactory, throwing 400 persons out of work.

THE Free Thinkers' Convention opened at Salamanca, N. Y., on the 27th ult., with a large attendance. Among the speakers present were ex-Rev. Burnham, of Michigan, and John E. Remburg, of Kansas.

AT many points along the Atlantic coast the wind blew at the rate of sixty miles an hour on the 28th ult. Considerable damage was done to shipping at Sandy Hook, six houses in Brooklyn, N. Y., were blown down, and at Pittsfield, Mass., chimneys and trees were leveled all over the town and a number of people in the streets lifted from their feet. A business block and the high school building were unroofed.

ON the 28th ult., Daniel P. Reynolds, of New York, called at the residence of James Budd, in Dorchester, Mass., and after being ushered into the parlor shot Budd twice with a revolver. The wounds are likely to prove fatal. Trouble about property and family matters is supposed to be the cause of the shooting.

THE recently dismissed Treasurer of the Providence (R. I.) Institution for Savings, Samuel C. Blodgett, has been discovered to be an embezzler to the amount of $27,000. The robberies cover a period of eight years.

NEAR Jersey City, N. J., on the 28th ult. James McCann and an unknown woman were found dead under an overturned wagon which had fallen down an embankment.

A BROKEN rail caused an accident to a passenger train near Dunbar, Pa., on the 28th ult. Three coaches and a baggage car were thrown from the track, all badly wrecked. Several passengers were injured, but none killed.

THE business failures in the United States during the week ending on the 28th ult. number 214, and in Canada twenty-four, a reduction of eighty-four compared with the total of the previous week.

THE American bishops deny that any agreement was arrived at or the matter discussed while in Rome concerning the Catholic clergy of the United States and Freemasonry.

THE Socialistic Labor Congress closed its session at Baltimore on the 28th ult. A demand was adopted for the abolition of the offices of President and Vice President of the United States and the United States Senate, and the substitution of a Federal Council.

THE Albany (N. Y.) *Argus* of the 28th ult. contains interviews and letters from a great many of the leading iron men in regard to the present depression in that industry. One of the most prominent manufacturers says: "The proximate cause of the present depression in the industry is to be found in the fact of the capacity for producing iron in excess of its actual consumption, not only in this country but in foreign countries which are large producers of iron and steel." The iron men of Troy, N. Y., declare that the maintenance of the present tariff is necessary to keep the furnaces in blast.

WHILE feeding a threshing machine at the barn of Lincoln Gray, near Meadville, Pa., on the 28th ult., Robert Gray, aged twelve years, fell into the cylinder and had one leg torn from his body at the thigh and received other injuries which caused instant death.

JOHN MCCARTHY SCULLY, the well-known Irish Nationalist, was found dead in his bed in New York on the morning of the 30th ult. His death is attributed to heart disease. He had been in failing health for several months and his death was accelerated by severe literary work. He was instrumental in founding many Fenian organizations in America, and was the chief organizer of the Land League movement in New York.

ALL the collieries of the Reading (Pa.) Company's Lehigh Susquehanna Division resumed work on the 30th ult. at full time. Heretofore the men have been working on the three days-a-week system. The company's stores have been abandoned.

IN consideration of the reduction on the assessed value of the New Jersey Central's holdings here, agents of the road have agreed to pay Jersey City $150,000 past due taxes.

A CONTRACT has been signed between the manager of a Philadelphia museum and Sergeant Mason, binding the latter to appear on exhibition there for a limited period at a salary of $200 per week.

A LITTLE six-year old daughter of Elias Schlenger, residing near Kutztown, Pa., was attacked by a vicious dog while passing a mill near her home on her way to a neighbor's recently. The brute seized the girl by the throat and threw her to the ground. The animal then loosened his hold and made a savage dash at the fleshy part of the face. Both cheeks, the eyelids, and the flesh about the forehead was literally torn into shreds. Her neck was also terribly lacerated. The child was picked up in an unconscious condition. She cannot recover. The dog was shot.

ROSE HORAN, formerly lady's maid to Lady Mandeville, began suit at New York on the 30th ult. to recover $20,000 damages for false arrest and imprisonment at the instance of Lord and Lady Mandeville who charged the maid with larceny.

WEST AND SOUTH.

AN unknown person, supposed to be a negro, went to the house of a German farmer named Ketcher, near Little Rock, Ark., one night recently and shot a load of buckshot into Ketcher, and after the latter made his escape in the darkness, the assassin went into the house and brutally assaulted Ketcher's wife. No motive for the assault is known. Ketcher and his wife will probably die.

PETER K. MORGAN, of Richmond, Va., aged ninety-eight, and a veteran of the war of 1812, died on the 27th ult.

C. A. COUTANT & Co., Chicago fancy dry goods and notion dealers, failed for $100,000 the 27th ult.

COUNTY AUDITOR BREWSTER, of Hamilton County, Ohio, says he has discovered $1,000,000 of fraudulent increase of valuation of property for taxes on the books, made for the purpose of getting a fee by clerks for procuring the refunding of excessive taxes. It has been done since 1880.

AT Bloomington, Ill., on the 28th ult., Mrs. Benjamin F. Watson, wife of a traveling salesman and an estimable lady, committed suicide by jumping into a cistern. She was formerly a Miss Cowling, of London, Ohio.

THE steamer Clara S., with a cargo of 1,000 bales of cotton and 200 bags of seed, struck a snag in Tehula Lake, Miss., on the 28th ult., and sank in five minutes. The crew was rescued.

THE hanging of William Fox for the murder of Tom Howard in May last, occurred at Nevada, Mo., on the 28th ult., in the presence of 10,000 men, women and children.

A CEREMONY representing the funeral of O'Donnell, who was hanged in London, took place at San Francisco on the 30th ult. Efforts were made to make it a grand demonstration. The board of supervisors of prominent Irish organizations declined to take part, and it resulted in a dismal failure. There were only about 300 people in the procession.

JOSEPH LONGWORTH, a son of the late Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati, who amassed great wealth in that city in dealing in real estate, died at his residence on the morning of the 30th ult., aged seventy years. His ailment was simply breaking down of vital energies. Several weeks ago he began to fail and had been gradually sinking until the day of his death. He leaves a wife, a son—Judge Nicholas Longworth—and daughter, a wife of Colonel George Ward Nichols. He made frequent large donations to the city, chiefly for the promotion of the fine arts in the same.

IN the trial of Mrs. Anna Schock, matron of the Woman's Industrial Home at Chicago, who is charged with cruelty to the children under her charge, a horrible tale of hungry, naked, shivering little ones was brought out. Lydia Hanks, a fifteen-year-old girl who had been Mrs. Schock's maid, testified that only on rare occasions did the children have any food except corn meal and skimmed milk. The cow was kept in the kitchen, the filth being terrible. Mrs. Schock's private table was supplied with porterhouse steak, fresh eggs, wine, etc. The only water-closet was some distance from the house and the children could not go to it, but used the dining room floor. Mrs. Ella Smith testified that the bodies and clothing of the little ones were alive with vermin. The only garment worn by the children was a little shirt, and there were no fires and scarcely a whole window pane in the house. Other witnesses corroborated these statements.

THE residence of Charles E. Styles, at Atchison, Kansas, was destroyed by fire on the 30th ult. The wife and child of Mr. Styles perished in the flames and he himself was quite seriously burned. The origin of the fire is believed to be an explosion of a gasoline machine in the cellar.

A FEW days ago, near Warsaw, Coshocton County, Ohio, two men named Hass and Clingler were opening up an abandoned coal mine which had been closed for twenty years. The mouth of the mine for some ten feet had caved in, completely stopping up the entry. After removing this dirt they came upon a large and rather deep pool of water, in which myriads of snakes and lizards were crawling. As soon at the opening was made the snakes in wriggling masses commenced crawling into the entry, badly frightening the two men, who killed a large number and then fled from the place. After procuring assistance the men returned to the mine and killed, it is said, nearly a wagon load of the snakes.

FOR a long time past the northwestern part of Illinois and the northern part of Missouri have been infested with horse thieves, whose headquarters it is believed have been at Cape Girardeau, the latter State. A farmer named Kimball, living in North Missouri, had three horses stolen recently, and organizing a posse of seven started in pursuit of the thieves, who were overtaken near Forsyth, Mo. The thieves turned on their pursuers and a desperate fight ensued. Two of the pursuers were seriously injured, and two of the thieves, James and Andrew Davis, formerly residents of Cape Girardeau, were shot dead.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

AT Hanover, Germany, a few days since, Colonel Henry R. Rathbone, of Albany, N. Y., well known in Washington society, shot his wife dead and then attempted suicide by stabbing himself. The family had gone to Germany to educate their three children. Mrs. Rathbone was the daughter of the late Senator Ira Harris, of New York. Mr. Rathbone was laboring under a temporary aberration of mind. He may recover.

CHARLES BRADLAUGH, who has been refused a seat in the British Parliament because he wouldn't take the customary oath recognizing the existence of a God, announces his intention of going to the House of Commons on the day of the opening of Parliament alone, and doing his best to take his seat. He rejects the idea of holding public meetings and obtaining petitions, because he says such a course would be useless.

PARIS dispatches of the 28th ult. state that the sending of reinforcements to Tonquin will be hastened. The Government has asked French steamship companies for transports to send 2,000 troops immediately.

REPORTS are in circulation to the effect that the Russian and American Governments have advised China to recall her troops from Bacninh and leave the Black Flags to their fate.

THE Swedish brig National, from Boston, which arrived at Brisbane, Queensland, on the 30th ult., reports a mutiny on the voyage, in which the Captain and first mate were wounded and the second mate killed. The Captain shot two mutineers and secured three others. The latter are in prison here.

LATER NEWS.

WINFIELD HEISLER, a coppersmith, of Wilmington, Del., had his skull fractured on the 1st by the explosion of a copper kettle formerly used to hold nitroglycerine, some of which remained in the hollow handle, and when held over the fire exploded.

MISS SALLIE LOUGHERY, aged eighteen, was accidentally shot and killed by her lover at Knottsville, Taylor County, W. Va., on the 1st. While they were out walking the young man drew his handkerchief from his pocket when a revolver in the same pocket fell to the ground and was discharged, the ball striking Miss Loughery in the side and killing her instantly.

A SPECIAL from Oxford, Ala., states that a fire broke out in that place on the 30th ult., and before it could be checked destroyed six business houses, including the new bank building. This is the second fire that has occurred on the same spot within six months.

A PROMINENT gentleman of Athens, Ga., has a record of all the slaves his family owned, one thousand in number, and is confident that some day he or his descendants will receive pay for them from the Government.

THEY have begun to inforce the "four-mile" law in Tennessee. It is virtual prohibition. As a result the river steamers are freighted with jugs of whisky for private consumers. The W. A. Johnson recently steamed away from Paducah with eight hundred jugs for distribution along the river bank.

THERE is now no doubt but that Colonel Rathbone killed his wife at Hanover, Germany, while laboring under a fit of insanity. He had an idea that his wife was about to take the children away. She, knowing his murderous disposition on the fatal day, bravely sacrificed her own life to save her children. She lived five minutes after she had been shot and stabbed with a dagger.

ABNER BOND, a well-to-do citizen of Taylorsville, Ill., aged fifty years, and a cousin of Miss Emma Bond, who was brutally outraged in a school house some time ago, suicided by hanging of the loft of his barn on the 1st. It is supposed that he became temporarily insane from the constant mental worry over the outrage of his cousin and the trial of her alleged ravisher, now progressing.

FOUR negro cabins were burned in West Kansas City, Mo., on the night of the 31st ult. and the body of a disease negress, named Maggie Howard, was found in the ruins. There is a suspicion that the woman was murdered by her negro paramour and the shanty burned. The man has disappeared.

ST. N. GRIFFITH, a farmer residing a short distance south of Salem, Ohio, was found dead near his house on the morning of the 1st by his son, eighteen years of age, who said it was suicide. The boy has since disappeared and the indications show it to be a case of murder.

Healthy People Sometimes Laugh

At the sufferings of dyspeptics, and say that their pains and distresses are imaginary. This is not meant for cruelty, but it is cruelty, all the same. A person who has a crooked foot, or a wounded hand, or a sightless eye, calls forth sympathy by the exhibition of the defective member. If the dyspeptic's inner stomach could be placed on exhibition, the cause of his distress would be apparent.

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An old man who dwelt in Tecumseh,
Saw a "Bull Dog" sign over a door.
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CLUB RATE TABLE.

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Good Times	1.00	2.00
American Farmer	1.00	1.75
Floral Cabinet	1.25	2.50
Louisville Cour.-Journal	1.50	2.50
Detroit Echo	.75	1.75
Chicago News	.75	1.75
American Rural Home	1.50	2.00
Peck's Sun	2.50	3.00

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Dec. 25, 1883:

Estate of Thankful Ripley, deceased; warrant and inventory.

Estate of William J. Wilner, deceased; petition for the allowance of executrix's final account; hearing Jan. 14, 1884.

Estate of Arthur E. Comstock, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing Jan. 14, 1884.

Estate of John Wilson, deceased; after taking testimony during the day, an order of continuance was entered until Jan. 26th, 1884, at 9 o'clock a. m.

In the matter of Rollin Hinckley and Ettie Hinckley, dependent and neglected children; petitions for admission to the state public school; order for citation; hearing Dec. 24, 1883, and on that day affidavit of service was filed, testimony taken, and an order for admission to school made.

Estate of Llewellyn D. McMunn et al, minors; guardian's petition for license to sell real estate; hearing Jan. 21, 1884.

Estate of Elias J. Baldwin, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners warrant and report.

Estate of Francis E. Quick, deceased; affidavits publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

In the matter of David L. Reynolds, an alleged indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum; hearing Dec. 27, 1883.

Estate of Abram Ayres, deceased; administrator's petition for license to sell real estate; hearing Jan. 21, 1884.

Estate of Casper Hummel, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Sarah Reed, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Florence E. Smith, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing Jan. 21, 1884.

Estate of Asa Russell, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $9,000.

Estate of Peter Davidson, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Dec. 31, 1883.

Estate of Ray Brunette Smith, minor; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Elvira Camburn, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $1,000.

Estate of William E. Seeley, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond, $2,000.

Estate of Angeline Clark, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Ira Clark, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Barzillia W. Arnold, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Turn over a new leaf now.

A Friend of "Unser Fritz."

Mr. Henry Sauer, a genial German, keeps a saloon at No. 8 Grand street, Brooklyn. The surest way to his sympathies is to recite the glories achieved by Bismarck and Kaiser Wilhelm in the late Franco-Prussian war. A recent occurrence, however, has soured his hitherto guileless affection for his illustrious fellow-countrymen.

About two weeks ago a burly German with a big scar on his neck entered the boarding-house and applied for two weeks' lodging. "I have just come from Germany," he told the worthy proprietor, "and am on my way to California. Do you see this scar? Donnerwetter, but I laid out the rascal of a Frenchman who gave me that!"

"You were in the Franco-Prussian war?" asked Mr. Sauer, at once interested.

"Was I? From the time the first shot was fired to our triumphant entry into Paris! I fought at Weisenbourg, Gravelotte, Sedan, everywhere. How did I get this scar? At Gravelotte a Frenchman drew his sword on Unser Fritz. I see the danger, spring to the rescue of the Crown Prince, and receive the thrust in my neck. The blood squirted up so as to almost blind me, but I up with my needle-gun, take aim, and bang the Frenchman lies dead at my feet."

"That was a heroic act, mein freund," exclaimed the enthusiastic landlord; "you take a drink."

"Oh, that was nothing," continued the hero, wiping the froth from his lips with his sleeve. "At Sedan I received the commission from Moltke himself to capture Napoleon. With a detachment of ten trusty men I crept in the dead of night into the enemy's camp. We throttled the sentinels and were already before the house where the French Emperor was sleeping, when the *verfluchte* Turkos sprang on us with their scimitars and chopped off the heads of all my companions. Luckily, I escaped with only this scar."

Some of the bystanders suggested that the hero had but just now declared that he had received the scar at Gravelotte, but the patriotic landlord frowned upon their hints as traitorous, and bade the valiant stranger continue.

"That was tough, but even that was mere child's play to what I encountered when I lay in the trenches before Paris. The Commune had been declared, and the Communists, having defeated their own National Guard, made a sortie on us and captured me with a number of my comrades. We were brought to the Place des Greves, where Archbishop Darboy had just been shot by Megy, and it was ordered that we should all be dynamited. I had to witness with my own eyes my comrades one by one blown to pieces by those demons of women, the petroleuses. Finally my turn came. Already I saw the hand-bomb filled with nitro-glycerine raised to be dashed at me, when our brave troops made their final attack on the city. Every one rushed off and I was alone. I made my way to the scene of combat, and before I could regain our lines was stabbed in the neck here by one of our own people. You can still see the scar."

"Mein freund and I rudder," enthusiastically interrupted Mr. Sauer, utterly oblivious to the fact that the same wound had been received on three separate occasions, "you shall lodge with me. Everything in my house is yours."

The military stranger took him at his word. After living like a lord for two weeks, he yesterday morning decamped with fifteen dollars in money and an overcoat. Since his disappearance Mr. Sauer, who does not even know his name, has discovered that his lodger has been all over Brooklyn telling the same stories, showing the wound, getting credit for his lodging, and then leaving with whatever he could lay his hands on.

"Dot vas a fine coundryman, and id," pathetically asked Mr. Sauer, as he reported the circumstances to the police, "is dey all dat?"—*N. Y. World.*

Faded Hopes.

A young man with a broad back and a sorrowful look was standing in front of the Board of Trade yesterday, when an acquaintance came up and called out:

"Hello! Thomas—out of a job?"

"Yes, out of a job," was the sad reply.

"No! Why you were porter for a wholesale house for three years past."

"Just so, but I've been discharged."

"Is that so, have trouble with the boss?"

"No, not exactly. You see I went into the house to work my way up. The first Christmas I ought to have been promoted to salesman, but I wasn't. The second Christmas I ought to have been offered a partnership for my faithful services, but the offer didn't come. This year I ought to have married the daughter of the senior partner and found a house and lot in my Christmas stocking, but that prospect has now departed."

"And you left?"

"Well, I overhauled the old man on the street-car yesterday, and intimated that I was ready to do my part, but he never let on that he knew me. This morning I was told that my services were no longer needed."

"But can the house run without you?"

"It may possibly squeeze along, but if there's a failure it must not be laid up agin me. Do you know of any bank where a man can begin as watchman and work up to marry the President's widow? I think I'll try that business for a spell."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—We have another striking evidence that this is an age of rapid evolution. Miss Daisy Backus, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Backus, of Selma, Ala., celebrated her fifth birthday recently, and among her guests was Master Frankie Butler, who presented Miss Daisy with a beautiful plain gold engagement ring, bearing the words in delicate engraved letters: "Frankie to Daisy."

—A young beau at his sister's evening party began to sing: "Why am I weak and weary?" when a little brother brought the performance to a sudden close by calling out: "Aunt May says it's 'cause you come home so late every night."—*N. Y. Graphic.*

Quickness and Talent.

Quickness is frequently confounded with talent. Lord Eldon is said to have remarked, when blamed for "the law's delays," that slow justice was preferable to swift injustice; but to many persons few grievances are more intolerable than delay. The slow but accurate thinker will rarely attain the same popular reputation for ability that attaches to the swift though often mistaken reasoner.

Yet even great minds are rarely at the same time hasty and accurate. Napoleon was gifted with extraordinary quickness of perception, and owed most of his early successes to the swift and unexpected tactics with which he broke through the old extraordinary methods of conducting campaigns. Quick himself, he detested slowness in others, and was impatient if any one he questioned hesitated a moment in reply. Cuvier complained that he lost the Emperor's favor because he would not give a sudden categorical answer to an important question of finance. On one occasion, riding through Fontainebleau, the Emperor suddenly turned to the forest-master and demanded how many acres of wood the park contained. The forest-master, an honest man, waited a moment to consider; at which a subordinate, who knew the Emperor's peculiarity, promptly named some imaginary number, so delighting Napoleon that he bestowed the head rangership on this swiftly-replying person. The result did not justify the Emperor's penetration, for the quick-witted man proved so extremely dishonest that after a short time he was dismissed, and the slower thinker reinstated.

Hasty-judging people of lesser rank frequently make equally unfortunate mistakes. Readers of Bret Harte's poems will remember the ridiculous incident of the old man who calls at a farm-house during the American war, and remarks: "I was with Grant"—and how the farmer, who had a son in the Northern army, received him with questions, admiration, offers of hospitality, cutting short all his attempts at finishing the sentence, until at last

"Said the aged man,
"I should have remarked before
I was with Grant—in Illinois—
Three years before the war."

It is scarcely just when the farmer dismissed the old man with anger as an imposter, when his own overhaste was the cause of the mistake.—*London Globe.*

Eating Lemons.

A good deal has been said through the papers about the healthfulness of lemons. The latest advice is how to use them so that they will do the most good, as follows: Most people know the benefit of lemonade before breakfast, but few know that it is more than doubled by taking another at night also. The way to get the better of the bilious system without blue pills or quinine is to take the juice of one, two or three lemons, as appetite craves, in as much ice water as makes it pleasant to drink without sugar, before going to bed. In the morning, on rising, at least a half hour before breakfast, take the juice of one lemon in a goblet of water. This will clear the system of humor and bile with efficiency, without any of the weakening effects of calomel or congress water. People should not irritate the stomach by eating lemons clear; the powerful acid of the juice, which is always most corrosive, invariably produces inflammation after awhile, but properly diluted, so that it does not burn or draw the throat, it does its medical work without harm, and, when the stomach has clear of food, has abundant opportunity to work over the system thoroughly, says a medical authority.—*Exchange.*

DIED.

NORCROSS—In this village, Dec. 22, 1883, of inflammation of the lungs, Elizabeth Norcross, aged 74 years and 22 days.

The deceased was born in Geneseo, N. Y. When she was quite young her father moved to Groveland, N. Y., where she became a member of the Presbyterian church. In 1832, she, with her parents, moved to Monroe, Mich., where she became a member of the church by letter. There her mother died. Soon after that event in 1833, she removed with her father to Tecumseh, where she again joined the church by letter, and continued a member until her death. She and her sister Mary Ann have lived on the old homestead since 1845. Having made this village her home for half a century, she had widely extended the circle of her acquaintances, who now mourn her sudden death. But the greatest bereavement is at the home altar, where time only can soften, but not repair the loss. These sisters were all in all to each other, until God's hand was laid upon the one, calling her to a "mansion not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." The bereaved brother and sister tender their thanks to their friends who so kindly sympathized and assisted them in the trying hours of sickness and sorrow through which they have been passing.

MARRIED.

CAMBURN—CRANE—At the residence of the bride's parents in Franklin, Dec. 26, 1883, by Rev. D. Whitely, Mr. Wm. E. Camburn and Miss Nancy L. Crane, all of Franklin.

SLATER—BAKER—In Tecumseh, Jan. 1, 1884, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Frank Slater, of Tecumseh, and Miss Mary Baker, of Blissfield.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Jan. 1, 1884.

Allen, Miss Mary	Penox, Frank
Bowen, Mr. & Mrs.	Willson, Miss Nettie
Tiffany, O. H.	Zilper, Mrs. Rachel

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Jan 1, 1884.

Boyle, Harry	Kelly, Miss Marcia
Creaby, John	Karlin, August (for)
Cooper, James	McMans, Ezra (for)
Fish, Mrs. A. T.	Maston, Sid
Freeman, G. S.	Raufman, Charles
Hunt, Dan	Rusling, John
Hathaway, Mr. Darame	Sutvan, Hod
Haywood, Mrs. Lydia	Sutvan, James
Johnson, John	Schalzew, Anton
Jordan, Thomas	Stull, Mart
Kelly, L. J.	Wood, Michel

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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @ 80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@ 5 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	25 @ 30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56 @ 57
Clover Seed	5 50 @ 6 00
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@ 22
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00 @ 7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hides, ₩ cwt	1 75 @ 6 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@ 13
Ham, ₩ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@ 10
Oats, ₩ bushel	28 @ 32
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35 @ 45
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 80
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@ 1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@ 10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	@ 1 00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	@ 1 00

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I will here give to the readers of the HERALD the first telegram, as read to that almost breathless audience:

NORTH POLE, Dec. 23, 1883.

"Will start for your place to-day. Will get there soon as I can, but can't say just when that will be, as I have very many places to call on the way."

SANTA CLAUS.

When it was announced that Santa Claus had at last arrived, and was in the vestibule awaiting the bidding of the superintendent to enter, all eyes were turned toward the entrance doors of the church, and when one of them opened and the old gentleman entered and slowly walked down the centre aisle, having on that quaint cap, unique coat, constructed out of a large new lap-robe, made of a R. M. goat-skin, that long beard and moustache, his face painted with red crayon and whitened with starch—at least so I guess and loaded down as he was with pails, baskets and paper sacks, containing his presents, and upon the whole, presenting such a grotesque appearance, as to cause that large audience to break out in vociferous applause and laughter, such as I venture to say was never heard in that chapel before.

Mr. Charles Knilfin was the Santa Claus for the occasion, and most completely did he bear his part, and that, too, as I verily believe, to the complete joy of all present, except two or three small children, who were a little frightened at his appearance. Thus passed off one among the most pleasant and interesting Sunday-school entertainments that it has ever been my province to attend, and in so saying, I believe I but speak the mind of all who were there, a single case excepted, who seemed to be gruff and displeased; so much so, that Santa Claus told him, playfully, that he would remember him when he came around next Christmas. VERITAS.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Jack Frost was one of the most noted New Year's arrivals at this place, and the way the mercury settles down, 10 degrees below zero, is sufficient evidence of his location.

The friends of the M. E. church held watch meeting New Year's eve, and continue to hold nightly services, not to watch for the incoming year, however, but for incoming sinners instead.

Our union schools commence the work of another term with as fair prospects of success as can be desired.

Elder W. N. Younglove of Sanford, this state, preached at the M. E. church last Sabbath evening. Mr. Y, is an old Addison boy, and met with a warm reception by his numerous friends here.

Workmen are busy putting in the telegraph instruments at the M. & O. station here. We also learn the passenger house is to be provided with furniture and other necessaries to accommodate the public at once.

At the last regular meeting of Addison division, S. of T., No. 182, the following officers were installed for the ensuing quarter:

W. P.—Fred. A. Smiley.
W. A.—Miss R. V. Kempton.
R. S.—Miss Grace Lombard.
A. R. S.—N. Underwood.
F. S.—Fred. Harpur.
T.—George Iveson.
Chap.—Miss Sadie Iveson.
Con.—W. J. Fry.
A. Con.—Miss Mattie Kline.
O. S.—E. P. Bryant.

The division is receiving additions to its membership roll every week, and indications are every way favorable for the success of the society.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF

Wood and coal in good demand.

Burt Rogers to Miss Dora Vansickles on 2d inst.

The I. O. G. T. did not get a quorum out last Saturday night, too cold.

Miss Jane Brighton is very sick with inflammation on the lungs, but is slowly convalescing.

W. H. Smith is confined to his bed with rheumatism.

We understand the new depot is to be called Onsted in honor of Uncle William, and that a post-office is also secured—J. E. Gibbs, P. M.

Robert Davenport, of Coldwater, was in town last Monday. He is a nephew of John Davenport, well-known by all pioneers.

On Tuesday last, while "Cap." Bloomer and Stephen Sugars, were returning from the latter's place with a load of hay, the team took a notion to run and overturned the load. The binder broke, so as to hit Mr. Sugars in the face and bruise it up considerably. Nothing further was injured or damaged.

Mrs. Frank Ayres is very sick with inflammation on the lungs, though not considered dangerous.

MACON MUSINGS.

Bradley Scudder, our new merchant, is becoming quite popular. His obliging manner and the low prices at which he sells his goods are securing for him a large trade.

Mrs. Thomas Biddle's mother and sisters are visiting her this week.

Beecher Lighthall is again in our midst. He is always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Betser are sojourning in Ohio.

The "Corners" have always been noted for their quietness. But from the present aspect it would seem as though degeneration had set in, and already become contagious. What is the cause? Does it not lie with two or three gossippers? If these two or three would pray more and practice less hypocrisy, quiet would again reign in our midst.

BRITTON BUZZINGS.

Ben Bellows is in Toledo this week. Ben's health improving.

Miss Dora Willard, of Samaria, has been visiting at John Britton's for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Rauch, of Raisinville, are at Ed's.

R. Covell & Co. closed out their grocery, and Riley has gone up north—preaching.

Exelby Bros. have opened a feed store at R. Covell's old stand.

Bill Prindel tends target nights at the M. & O. and W. St. L. & P. R'y crossing.

Mrs. Harry Rauch has just returned from a visit to her parents, east.

The Post Office has been moved to the store of Britton & Son, and a large number of boxes added, and now presents a very neat appearance.

Ed. Pilbeam lost a number of choice young fruit trees last week by being girdled by pet rabbits. Better go hunting, Ed.

Ed. Rauch who has been suffering for several months from abscess, had an operation performed Tuesday by Drs. Stevenson and Loree, and all hope for his speedy recovery.

Right glad are we to hear "Veritas" shout for the much needed improvements hinted at in our last. We must admit that what this "V" says about the demise of the town, in case they fail to secure a grist mill, school house, &c., is true. Say, Brittonites, hunt up last week's HERALD and read that again. If you can raise two thousand dollars for a depot, raise it, and then build a school house with it. Never give any railroad company two dollars for fifty cents. The railroad companies wont let their interests in Britton suffer, neither will they build you a school building. If they need a union depot here it will be built and if the railroad companies don't need one you certainly don't. A school house, &c., are needed by you. The depot question will take care of itself, but Brittonites must take care of these other improvements. The next two years settles the question and the town out of sight unless you unite and "come up to the rack" and do something to help yourselves. There is no middle ground: whether you sink or swim depends on your own exertions.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

News items scarce this week.

Some of the younger young folks needs must imitate those of larger growth by a sleigh-ride on Wednesday evening of last week. Result: frozen ears, hands or feet, for almost all of the party, but it was a splendid time, so they say.

The M. & O. railroad passenger house will soon be finished. Remarks, anything but complimentary, are freely expressed by the management or any one that would order so fair a structure to be built on quick-sand. It is reported that A. J. Sutton, agent of the Wabash at Holloway, is to be station agent here.

It is a fact beyond a shadow of doubt that a good custom grist-mill will soon be built in Ridgeway, as the contract for the building is let to parties here, and a firm at Richmond, Ind., furnish the machinery. Those that doubt this, will please hold their breath, as it won't take long, only four months.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan. 5, 1884:

Estate of William E. Seeley, deceased; administrators' bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Benjamin F. Beagle, minor; release of guardian filed.

Estate of Elmer J. Peck, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Oscar Smith, et al, minors; petition for guardian; order of appointment.

In the matter of David L. Reynolds, an alleged indigent insane person; affidavit of service filed; testimony taken; order for admission to asylum.

Estate of John Wilson, deceased; testimony taken for three days and filed, and then an order of continuance was made for further hearing, until Jan. 4, 1884, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Sarah D. Ludlow, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing Jan. 28, 1884.

Estate of Ida A. Dayton, an alleged indigent insane person; application for admission to Eastern Michigan asylum filed; hearing Jan. 2, 1884.

Estate of Oscar P. Bellman, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Malvina Wise, minor (formerly Van Orman); release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Asa Russell, deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of John F. Schreder, deceased; affidavit of publication; will proof and probate.

Estate of James F. Stevens et al, minors; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Joseph Green, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Jan. 28, 1884.

Estate of Elijah Barber, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Peter Davidson, deceased; executor's account filed; order of allowance.

Estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond filed; letters issued; appointment of appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John Mason, deceased; affidavit of publication; executrix's final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond, $10,000.

Estate of Orville A. Loomis, deceased; petition for allowance of administratrix's final account; hearing Jan. 28, 1884.

Estate of Sylvester B. Smith, deceased, petition for allowance for support of widow and family, and consent of administrators thereto; order of an allowance for support.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county, for the week ending Jan. 5, 1884:

CAMBRIDGE.

Wm. Onstead to M. P. Wemple. Land on sec. 28. $110.

J. B. Keeney to A. M. Keeney. Land on sec. 9. $9,000.

MACON.

Sumner Collins to John L. Jackson. Land on sec. 5. $150.

RAISIN.

Milan Wheeler to Wm. A. Lowe. Land on sec. 20. $850.

E. B. Wood to Austin G. Hall. Land on secs. 15 and 16. $7,800.

RIDGEWAY.

David Coryell to A. L. Helm. Land on sec. 31. $100.

ROLLIN.

F. A. Maltman to Geness Mapes. Land on sec. 12. $1,400.

ROME.

D. W. Teachout to H. E. Short. Land on sec. 16. $1,800.

Evening News: A Medina family row was started because the wife refused to kiss the husband good night. Then the son knocked the father down with a bootjack, the son was fined and the wife gets out a warrant for the old man. "God bless our home" is the motto over the dining-room door.

The big storm last week seriously impeded travel on all the railroads.

Miss Rose Chester.

Mrs. Dunning, of Sunnyside, West Kensington, always considered that she had been particularly fortunate in her lodgers. She had but two, and they had been with her ever since the decease of the lamented Dunning, a clerk in the customs, who, returning home on a certain pay-day in November, with two bottles of wine in his inner coat and one in his lungs, missed his way, and walked into the Thames and was drowned. That gentleman prompted her to retire to the basement, and offer the upper portions of her house, at moderate rent, to gentlemen of quiet habits, seeking a comfortable home in a pleasant suburban neighborhood. One fine early day, after Mrs. Dunning's advertisement had appeared in the *Daily Telegraph*, Mr. Sam Greeley, a shady-looking clerk in a City house, came down the area steps, and, standing on the garden-door mat, inquired of Mrs. Dunning if the two-pair back was still to let, and if the terms were still what they had been. Being informed that they were, he said he would take the rooms, if Mrs. Dunning would allow him to call in a friend who was interested in the matter. Mrs. Dunning, of course, consented, and Mr. Greeley, with a light, quick step, ran up the area steps, and, closing the iron gate after him, walked briskly up the street. In a few minutes the same light, quick step was heard descending the area steps, and Mr. Wylie, a young man of about twenty-five, with a pleasant face and a slight limp in his right leg, followed Mr. Greeley into the house. The young man limped down the area steps, and followed his friend into the back parlor, where Mrs. Dunning was waiting to show them the rooms. The young man was very quiet, and seemed very much pleased with everything he saw. He was introduced to Mrs. Dunning's lodger, and, after a few minutes' chat, the young man limped up the area steps, and Mr. Greeley followed him, closing the iron gate after him. Mr. Greeley returned to Mrs. Dunning's lodgings that night, and informed her that her new lodger was a young man of good family, who had quarrelled with his friends, and was living by his wits. He was a very quiet young man, and Mr. Greeley was sure she would like him. He was out all day, and would be her lodger by proxy. Mr. Greeley was a very good-hearted fellow, and Mrs. Dunning was sure he was a good friend to his friend. Mr. Greeley was a married man, and had married his wife for love, and was happy; and he was sorry for young men who were not married, and had no homes worth the name to go to

DIPHTHERIA!

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Dr. Ab. Meserole (late of London), who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years' standing successfully cured by him. He has published a work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his wonderful cure free to any sufferer who may send their express and P. O. Address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address
Dr. AB. MESEROLE, No. 98 John St., New York.

FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—Campanini, the tenor, has an income of $10,000 per month.

—An enterprising Englishman is engaged in making illuminating gas from sawdust.

"Pinafore" has brought a rich cargo to the composer, Mr. Gilbert. He has built him a house at Kensington which cost $250,000. It is big enough for his sisters and his cousins and his aunts.

"The Bitter Cry of Outcast London" is the title adopted by the *Pall-Mall Gazette* for a department especially devoted to correspondence and suggestions on the subject of the houses of the London poor.

Queensland is importing Chinese coolies to work the sugar plantations. A planter recently went to Hong Kong with a commission to engage 1,000 coolies. A capitation tax of fifty dollars has to be paid on their arrival.

The official returns show that the healthiest class of people in Great Britain are the inmates of prisons, where simple diet, regular hours, and exercise are compulsory. But the cases of insanity among the convicts are out of proportion to the number of other ailments. To commit a crime a man must be more or less mad.

Since the opening of his residence, Eaton Hall, the Duke of Westminster has charged all visitors one shilling for the privilege of inspecting it. Last week the Duke sent the whole of the proceeds from 11,200 visitors, amounting to £560, as a donation to the Chester Infirmary.

The Bishop of Monaco harangued his flock the other day upon the doings at Monte Carlo and delivered himself of this pregnant remark: "We live in a pagan locality which it is frightful to contemplate, our pontiffs are croupiers, our gods gold and silver, our vestal virgins the cocottes from all the slums of Europe, our visitors the scrapings of the world's tripots."

One very strange custom prevails among the Coreans. After nine in the evening the women are allowed to go out into the streets, the gates of the city being shut, and if any unfortunate man has been so foolish as to stay out late he has to hurry home with his eyes bent upon the ground, and should he meet any of the fair sex he covers his face with his fan and crosses the street to get out of their way.

The waiters of Rome have been loudly protesting against employment of women in restaurants and beer shops. They have published a protest which is hawked about the street. One evening recently a newsboy entered a cafe in the Plazza Colonna, and, forgetting that it was one of the strongholds of the fair attendants, began crying out "the protest." The outraged waiters rose in anger, and one strong-armed young woman seized the luckless youth by the hair and dragged him along the plazza. Sympathy goes with the women.

The Great Co-Operative Stores of London.

London has a great number of co-operative stores, of all degrees of importance and with all classes of patrons. They are nearly all, I believe, run on a modified co-operative plan. Among them are the two largest and most aristocratic stores of this kind in Great Britain, the Army and Navy Co-operative Society and the Civil-Service Supply Association. Of the former, which is, I suppose, the most extensive co-operative store in the whole world, I will give you a short description.

It occupies an immense four story block of buildings in Victoria Street, in one of the most fashionable quarters of the town, where, in an interminable maze of apartments, are kept almost every article ever offered for sale. There are, however, some things which the store does not keep. But it publishes a list of tradesmen who will furnish them to its patrons at from ten to twenty per cent. discount for cash. So that practically it keeps everything. Its price list which I have before me, is a bulky volume of 1,302 pages, handsomely printed and elegantly illustrated, and they print of this about 50,000 copies twice a year, and a monthly circular giving any changes in price that may have occurred. To attend to their vast trade, they employ 3,500 men and 200 women. From the eleventh annual balance-sheet I gather the following facts with regard to the business of the Association for the year ended January 31, 1883:

The share capital of the Association is $500,000 only, in shares of five dollars each, though its actual invested capital is very much greater, arising from deferred interest payments and the invested deposits of a savings bank, which is one of its features, and in which it pays four per cent. interest to depositors. Its receipts during the year were $10,772,108, and its net profits $202,606, or sixty-one per cent. of its share capital. We are not, therefore, surprised to hear that the market value of its five-dollar shares is $27.50. With that prudence for which great corporations are famous, a modest dividend of five per cent. only is declared, and the rest of the surplus is devoted to watering the stock, under the name "deferred bonus" There have been four such waterings of fifty per cent. each, so that the stock has been virtually trebled. The number of shareholders is 15,035, and the number of shares held by any one person is limited to 500. Only officers of the army and navy are eligible to become shareholders, but persons introduced by them and approved of by the Board of Directors may become "subscribers"—that is, be allowed to purchase goods. Of these there are no less than 26,859—not quite twice the number of shareholders. They have no share in the profits, and pay $1.25 the first year and sixty-two cents a year thereafter for the privilege of trading.

It should be mentioned that the Association has lately extended its enterprise to manufacturing for itself many of the articles which it sells. Last year it made the following articles to the value of $743,870: Guns, traps, portmanteaus, tin goods of all kinds, fancy woollen goods, printed goods, stamped goods, shirts, perfumery, and watches. It is managed by very wide-awake business men, and is constantly extending the sphere of its usefulness. Its success is almost phenomenal, yet its officers declare that it is simply the legitimate result of a large business done *without credit.*—*Cor. N. Y. Post.*

Chinese Science.

From ancient times the Chinese have taken note of natural phenomena. Their record of solar eclipses is perhaps the most ancient and accurate in the world. They have more or less elaborate works on astronomy, mathematics, botany, zoology, mineralogy, physiology and many other sciences. Yet there is scarcely any true science in them. Classification, even in regard to plants and animals, there is none. Mineralogy is mainly a description of curious stones. Nor is there any progress, for the more ancient works are generally the best, and as a consequence the Chinese to-day are as their fathers were thousands of years ago. The superstitions respecting natural phenomena, which are as living active truths to-day for all classes in China, remind us rather of man in his state of barbarism than of the ancient culture and civilization of the Middle Kingdom. The sun and the moon are to the Chinese as they were to primitive man, living things, gods to be worshiped. The stars in their courses powerfully influence, if they do not absolutely determine, all events in the world. In the stars they read as in a book the destiny of men and the fate of empires. Their combinations make lucky and unlucky days, and we shall do well to note carefully these signs and silent warnings. Comets are the precursors of famine, pestilence and war, prognostications of the wreck of empires and the fall of Kings. Eclipses are the periodic efforts of the dragon fiend to destroy the lights of heaven and every notice of an approaching eclipse sent by the Imperial astronomer to the Provinces is accompanied by a Government order to employ the usual methods of gong-beating and so forth in order to rescue the threatened luminary. Again, thunder is the roar of the anger of heaven, and to be smitten by a thunderbolt is to be marked as a thing accursed. Wind is born in the heart of great mountains, whence it issues at the command of the "wind god." Most districts have their wind mountains. That at Lung-Shan in the northern Province of Chihli is the most remarkable. It has a cave at each of its four sides. The Spring wind issues from the cave on the eastern side, the Summer wind from the southern, and so for the others. Wind eddies or whirlwinds are raised by the hedgehog in his rapid passage from one place to another, the dust serving to screen him from the vulgar gaze. Rain is produced by the dragon god, who carries up vast quantities of water from the lakes and rivers in his capacious jaws, and pours it down in showers over the earth. Every mountain has its spirit or genius, every valley its nymph, every spring its naiad. Hence mountains and rivers, old trees and curious rocks, become objects of worship.—*Nature.*

A King as a Brute.

I have heard Mr. Leitch relate many curious incidents which fell under his notice when at Rome at this time. Of the following I have his own account in writing:

"Among my pupils was Lady Ogle, wife of Admiral Sir Charles Ogle. She was a Roman Catholic, and frequently, when I was giving a lesson, she would be visited by ladies of her acquaintance, including many of the Italian nobility. On one of these occasions the servant announced 'la Principessa Colonna.' She sat down opposite where I was painting, and she and Lady Ogle had a good deal of conversation. Although I knew Italian I paid little attention to what they were saying till the Princess, getting excited, used the words 'infame' and 'bestia,' and I observed Lady Ogle look surprised and ask her friend to tell her all about it. 'I was present,' said the Princess, 'and saw it all,' and then she proceeded to relate the following, which I translate as nearly as I can in her own words:

"'You must know that when the King (Ferdinand II., "Bomba") married the Sardinian Princess at Turin, he stayed for a day or two in Rome on his return to Naples, and his Holiness (Gregory XVI.) was graciously pleased to pay his Majesty a visit of congratulation. On the occasion a very select party was got together at the Neapolitan Ambassador's, consisting of cardinals, monsignori, and some of the old noble families. The Pope was very gracious to the new Queen. He had heard of her musical accomplishments, and especially of her great interest in church music, and as she said she was devoted to Marcello, his Holiness asked if she would have the kindness (*gentilezza*) to sing his favorite, No. 28 of the Psalms. The Queen replied that to do so would be a great honor. In the meantime the King, her husband, was sitting by, sulky, silent and gloomy, with his elbow resting on the piano. The Queen turned to him and said playfully that he must turn the leaves for her. For answer His Majesty of the Two Sicilies rose and kicked the stool from below the Queen, who fell heavily on the marble floor. I need not tell you, dear Lady Ogle, of the scene which followed. The King immodately left without speaking. The poor Queen was carried to a bed-room, and I took my departure, when two great doctors, who had been hastily sent for, arrived. I heard that the Pope was terribly shocked.'"—*Good Words.*

A woman who had an interview with Patti claims to have turned the conversation from the singer's delight at being back in America, and even from her recollections of her castle in Wales, to the feminine topic of millinery. "Positively, the loveliest bonnet I saw in Paris," she said, "was a myrtle green velvet, trimmed with delicate red and green plumage. Wings of little birds were placed erect all over the crown, making it look just ready to fly right off one's head. And, oh, yes, the brim was finished off with what I believe they call a *bouillonne* of velvet. Loops of ribbon were interspersed with the wings, and a cockade was on one side. It was too sweet for anything. Who wore it? Why, I bought it, of course."—*N. Y. News.*

There are twenty-eight farmers and forty lawyers in the Ohio Legislature.—*Cleveland Leader.*

The Bad and Worthless

are never imitated or counterfeited. This is especially true of a family medicine, and it is positive proof that the remedy imitated is of the highest value. As soon as it had been tested and proved by the whole world that Hop Bitters was the purest, best and most valuable family medicine on earth, many imitations sprang up and began to steal the notices in which the press and the people of the country had expressed the merits of H. B., and in every way trying to induce suffering invalids to use their stuff, instead, expecting to make money on the credit and good name of H. B. Many others started nostrums put up in similar style to H. B., with variously devised names in which the word "Hop" or "Hops" were used in a way to induce people to believe they were the same as Hop Bitters. All such pretended remedies or cures, no matter what their style or name is, and especially those with the word "Hop" or "Hops" in their name, or in any way connected with them or their name, are imitations or counterfeits. Beware of them. Touch none of them. Use nothing but genuine Hop Bitters, with a bunch or cluster of green Hops on the white label. Trust nothing else. Druggists and dealers are warned against dealing in imitations or counterfeits.

Swept Into the Stream.

One Thousand Acres of Land and "Right Smart of Bears."

On the dark alleg Mississippi stands at stood an aged Southern planter, outlying by a sweep of his arm the waters that was passing over, in said to a passenger from the North: "When I was twelve year old, I killed my first bear on a new plantation yon. Other was then cutting out of a forest that grew directly over the waters of this bend. That was a mighty good plantation, and there was right smart of bears there, too. But that one thousand acres of land went into the Mississippi years ago."

It is putting no strain upon the figure to say that great forests of youthful hope, womanly beauty and manly strength are swept in the same way every year into the great, rapid torrent of disease and death. Yet it should not be so. That it is so is a disgrace as well as a loss. People are largely too careless or too stupid to defend their own interests, the most precious of which is health. That zone, although the disease is simple, but to recklessness of ignorance the simplest thing might as well be complex as a proposition in Euclid. Such diseases. As the huge Western rivers, which so often flood the cities along their shores, arise in a few mountain springs, so all our ailments can be traced to impure blood and a small group of disordered organs.

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ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all the persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. dec27

ESTATE OF FLORENCE E. SMITH.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Florence E. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Jerome P. Bowen, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the heirs-at-law of said deceased and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, in the County of Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is at least in part a mortgage upon real estate in said county of Lenawee, owned by him, and which he has assumed to pay, and that it is past due, and that it becomes necessary for administration upon said estate for the collection of said mortgage, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF EDMUND HAND.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edmund Hand, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of William W. Osgood, administrator of said estate alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, his funeral expenses and expenses of administration, thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Peter R. Adams, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of the deceased, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26 day of February, 1884, and on the 16th day of June, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of December, 1883, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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JACOB G. ROBERTS,
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple, and Samuel McClure, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said county, to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 23d day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson, in and to the following described real estate that is to say: all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road so called with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwest along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-one (21) links, thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter, thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter, and thence south to the place of beginning. That levy is made subject to a former levy in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple and Samuel McClure. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called, in the City of Adrian, in said County of Lenawee (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said county) on the 23 day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney. CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff. dec15

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of George Laing, [illegible] against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson, in said County, to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 28th day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson, in and to the following described real estate that is to say: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road so called with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwest along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-one (21) links, thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter, thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter, and thence south to the place of beginning. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called, in the City of Adrian, in said County of Lenawee (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said County) on the 23 day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney. CHARLES BIDWELL, Sheriff. dec15

ESTATE OF HIRAM A. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Eliza M. Adams, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOHN PENNINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John M. Pennington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, funeral expenses, the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies that have become due, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto and for such other order in the premises as shall be agreeable to law and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Wednesday the 12th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, late of Silver Lake, Kansas, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert F. Tuttle a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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The solid south is broken up at last. Weather at zero at New Orleans.

Congress has pulled off its coat and rolled up its sleeves, and is now ready for business.

Not content with their devastation in Wall street, the bears have now got to Hell for the weather next.

An early manufacturer says that the business of winding clocks will be a lost art in a few years. Editor Herald.

Sandusky is to have this big sugar beet company, and work will commence at once. The Detroit Free Press would be a good place for a sugar factory.

Senator Hill, of New York, is a candidate for the democratic nomination for President. The Detroit Free Press would be a good place for a sugar factory.

Senator Conkling is said to be at the head of the committee designed to bring Grant in as a candidate for President, and he thought it would be bringing Grant up to his native state for him to do it.

The decision of Judge Drummond, President of the Northern Pacific Railroad, that the company is not liable for the damages done by the fire at Duluth last year, will be reversed by the United States Supreme Court, if the decision of Judge Drummond is not reversed by the court of last resort.

The New York World has its usual long list of [illegible]

Balloons, the Philippines, Soudan, Gen. McClellan, Congress, Tariff, Mexico, Cuba, Panama, Nicaragua, Washington, Arizona, Dakotas, Montana, Utah, Alaska, Mormons, Polygamy, Indians, Chinese, Silver, Gold, Greenbacks, Tariff, Congress, Congress, Congress

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Clean off your sidewalks.

The days are growing longer.

Danforth Keyes, of Clinton, is quite seriously ill.

Application to County Clerk Hunter for the Circuit Court calendar for the year 1884.

O. S. Spafford has been confined to the house the past week on account of sickness.

A large number of spectators were in attendance at the leap year party last Tuesday night.

Dr. Woodward has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to attend to business again.

Owing to the severe weather lately the removal of the telephone office has been delayed a few days.

Roller skating at the Opera House tonight and every evening hereafter, except Sunday, for a few days.

Dr. V. A. Baker, of Adrian, has gone to Tallahassee to deliver a course of lectures in the Florida Eclectic University.

Guy L. Wells, representing the Chicago Daily News, gave us a friendly call this morning. He is "working up" the News in this section of the state.

The following new star schedule on this route has been arranged: Tecumseh to Cambridge. Leave Tecumseh Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 2 p.m.; leave Cambridge Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30 a. m.; arrive at Tecumseh at 12 m.

John R. Clark, when in Rochester, N. Y. county, called on H. H. Warner, proprietor of the Safe remedies. He found him to be a genial companion and a perfect gentleman. Mr. Warner made him a gift of six bottles of his Liver Cure, and John R. is now in perfect a new temperance lecture.

R. C. Van Antwerp has his new barber rooms, first door west of Anderson's dry goods store, in good shape now, and is prepared to furnish warm towels at all hours. Good dinners for both farmers and business men readily promptly at noon and up to 2 o'clock. He invites a share of the public patronage.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

Morley & Boyd have been looking for sheep to feed in Clinton and Franklin.

And still they come. Geo. Knapp being the daddy of a fine girl baby.

Milburn Keyser has been attending the public schools at Tecumseh since '79, and has never missed a day, and only been late once in that time.

Manager Bowen is confined to the house by sickness. All operators of C. T. line join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Miss Alta Updyke, of North Adams, and Miss Hattie Updyke, of Franklin, were visiting relatives in West Tecumseh last week.

SNOWED UNDER.

Two Passenger Trains on the M. & O. Road in a Snow Bank All Night.

The M. & O. road has had its first experience in fighting snow drifts. It was duly initiated into the mysteries of this business during the storm of last week. John Cupples left Monroe on the eastern bound passenger train Wednesday, and came through on that same train, which arrived at Tecumseh about ten o'clock Friday night. From him we learn the particulars. The train encountered several heavy drifts between Monteith and Marshall, and did not reach the latter place until Thursday, late in the day. It then started east again and a few miles from Marshall ran into a big snow drift and stopped. In the meantime, the western bound train, which left Toledo Thursday morning, reached the same snow drift and halted. Neither train could get out, and there they remained all night. Friday morning the passengers on board went to a neighboring farm-house and got their breakfast. A gang of shovelers was brought in from Marshall, who shoveled out one train, and the other one then pushed through the drift. Both trains then went back to Marshall for a supply of wood and water, and the eastern train then took a new start, and came through without any further serious stop, although some heavy drifts were found at several places. As soon as the weather becomes milder, another passenger train will be put on the road.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 10, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Thanks to Col. Curtis for late copies of Washington papers.

Adrian will soon have a public test of their new water works.

Mattie Vickers will again appear at the Opera House on the 23th.

How the poor muskrats must have suffered during the past week.

Wm. H. Waldby, of Adrian, has returned from a trip to Florida.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., to-morrow evening.

A. J. Sutton has been appointed station agent at Ridgeway, on the M. & O. road. He will fill the bill to a dot.

A convention of the Monroe county Sunday School Union will be held at Dundee on the 12th, 13th and 14th insts.

Usher Matthews has received the appointment of passenger and freight agent at the Tecumseh station on the M. & O. road. A first class selection. Let us shake.

Bachtell & Todd, of Adrian, had a horse and cutter stolen last Saturday. They offer a reward of $25 for their recovery, and Sheriff Bidwell offers the same sum.

The January term of the Supreme court begin last Tuesday at Lansing, with 150 cases on the calendar. The cases from this county will not be called until after this week.

L. P. Wheeler has just completed a portrait from life of James Curry's little boy, aged three years. It is something new in the line of portrait painting and is a fine picture.

The bonus notes given to the M. & O. road by people in this vicinity are being rapidly paid. Every man upon paying his note receives a trip pass from Tecumseh to Allegan and return.

We stepped into Brown's gallery a few days ago and saw a fine portrait done in crayon of the late Deacon A. McNeil. It was enlarged from a photograph and was finished by C. H. Hopkins.

Last Monday Col. Eldredge, in the house of representatives, introduced a bill to repeal the duty on lumber, also a bill to define the word writing in section 5806 of the revised statutes. This is the section which refers to sending of obscene matter through the mails.

We have made arrangements to offer The Ohio Farmer of Cleveland, O., with the HERALD, both one year, for the low price of $2.50. The Ohio Farmer is a 16 page, 64 column paper, has been established thirty-six years, strictly first class in every respect, and is one of the oldest, largest, most valuable, enterprising, and reliable agricultural weeklies in the country.

We have received from Mr. Albert Bath, of Sevenoaks, Kent, England, a copy of the District Times containing a lecture given by him before the Crays Mutual Improvement Society, descriptive of his tour to America.—Only a portion of the lecture appears in this number, which will be finished in future numbers. We await with interest what he has to say of Michigan.

The following officers were installed in Tecumseh lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F., last Tuesday evening:

N. G.—C. E. Williamson.
V. G.—Wm. Gray.
Sec.—Thos. Cummins.
Treas.—E. A. Hodges.
W.—L. A. Chapman.
C.—J. W. Wooden.
R. S. N. G.—C. A. McNeil.
L. S. N. G.—W. Smallridge.
O. G.—R. Holloway.
I. G.—R. Plank.
R. S. S.—P. M. Stevenson.
L. S. S.—H. H. Atwell.
R. S. V. G.—A. Stearns.
L. S. V. G.—H. McDaniel.

Dr. A. F. Tuttle of Clinton, departed this life last Tuesday morning. He was one of the oldest physicians in this section and was highly esteemed both in and out of the profession. He has been in poor health for several months, and for the past few days has been attended by other medical advice. Dr. S. Cutler of Tecumseh, has visited him once or twice a day for the past ten days. But all aid proved unavailing and on Tuesday morning the summons came. His death will be sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

The following officers of Beer's Post No. 140, were installed, Jan. 4, by Com. Graves, of Wheelbury, Post No. 45, for the ensuing year:

Com.—S. P. Hosmer.
S. V. C.—E. Coffin.
J. V. C.—C. Davis.
Chap.—L. Bauer.
Surg.—C. M. Woodward.
S. M.—Wm. Demott.
Q. M. S.—G. S. Vantyne.
Q. M.—A. W. Mills.
Adjt.—G. W. Marsden.
O. D.—H. J. Sweet.
O. G.—E. Hodges.

A. W. Mills was elected delegate to department encampment, which meets in Detroit, Jan. 23 and 24, 1884; H. W. Stevens, alternate. Regular delegates will be J. R. Cairns, Past Post Com.; S. P. Hosmer, Past Com., and A. W. Mills.

Dr. Tuttle's funeral takes place today.

We are taking new subscriptions every day. Our club rates take like hot cakes.

The Telephone Exchange occupy their new rooms over Strong & McNair's store to-day.

The winter term of our public schools commenced last Monday with an increased attendance.

Moses Bartlett, of Clinton, celebrated the 60th anniversary of his marriage on New Year's day.

Samuel C. Sharp, travelling agent for D. Appleton & Co.'s American Cyclopedia is visiting friends here and at Ridgeway.

H. T. Dunn, of Tecumseh, and Bert Hause, of Sorrento, Fla., have entered into partnership in raising and selling Langshans.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will hold a social at the residence of Will. J. Kies next Wednesday evening. All are cordially invited.

P. J. Welling will be at O. P. Bills' bank on Friday of this week and on Friday of next week to accommodate those who have not paid their taxes.

We would like to balance our books to Jan. 1st, 1884. All indebted to us please call and settle, and oblige

W. & S. W. ANDERSON & Co.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman wishes to announce to all persons indebted to her that she is much in need of money, and wishes all indebted to take notice.

Mr. John Klotz, formerly with N. H. White & Co., of N. Y. city, is doing watch work for C. A. Keil. Mr. Klotz is a fine workman and comes well recommended.

On account of the very cold and stormy weather the Farmer's Social Club adjourned their meeting of Jan. 4th, for two weeks, to meet at John Gillespie's on Jan. 18th.

A very pleasant surprise was given to Wm. H. Babbitt, at the Presbyterian church social of last week. Some of his church members presented him with a gold headed cane.

A number of members of Beers' Post, of Tecumseh, visited Woodbury Post, at Adrian, to attend the installation of their officers, last evening, and were entertained in splendid style.

Adrian Press: The Tecumseh HERALD came out hot for prohibition last week. We suspected as much when we read in its columns a week ago that the street lamps were not half lighted.

The annual installation of officers of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 850, Knights of Honor, next Monday night, Jan. 14th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Let every Knight be present, and make the meeting both interesting and instructive.

D. T. HALL, Rept.

There will be a donation visit, for Rev. Mr. Kerridge, at the residence of Isaiah Hendershot, 2½ miles east of Pennington's Corners, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 16th, 1884. All are invited to attend. Table committee—Members of the Macon M. E. church. Clerks—Edwin Howell and I. Hendershot.

Mrs. Dan. Holcomb, the oldest daughter of the murdered Jacob Crouch, of Jackson, was found dead in her bed on the evening of the 2nd. The first report was that she had committed suicide, but her physician gave it as his opinion that she died of *angina pectoris*, an affection of the heart, brought on by nervous anxiety and prostration.

The proceedings of the annual meeting of the Presbyterian society of this village reach us too late for convenient publication in the present number of our paper. It was an occasion of unusual interest, especially by the recognition of the extended and very acceptable services of Judge LeBarron as clerk of the society, whose resignation was received, and also resolutions of appreciation and obligations to Mr. John S. Strong for his long services as chorister of the church. The full proceedings will appear in our next number.

Dr. Catlin went to Adrian one day last week to collect his dues for the job of attending the township poor. After getting his money, he stepped into Reed's drug store to make a purchase. Upon arriving home he had occasion to look into his pocket-book and found himself minus a ten dollar gold piece. He telephoned over to Reed, who struck up a search and soon found the missing eagle snugly hid under the counter scales. Was this a fair judgment upon the doctor for his violation of the national code?

The manner in which the Baptist church is observing the week of prayer is a little out of the ordinary way. Instead of holding prayer meetings each evening in the lecture room, preaching services are held in the audience room. Rev. L. Kirtley, of Jackson, the preacher. The interest of the services is greatly increased by the singing of the Evangelist Hatch, of Janesville, Wis. The attendance is large and the meetings are becoming more interested for their deep religious power. Kirtley will remain over Sunday, when C. E. Conley supplying his place at Jackson. All are welcome.

OUR FESTIVE OLD BACHELORS.

What They Think of Leap Year Prospects and Matrimonial Matters in General.

A reporter of the HERALD started out last week to interview the old bachelors in and around Tecumseh, and ascertain their views in regard to leap year and the matrimonial prospects. He found some good natured and talkative, others cross and crusty, but taking them all in all, we believe they will compare favorably with the old bachelors of any other town. Listen to what they say.

William Totten.—They can't catch me. I have enough to live on and enjoy life. I have no corsets to buy for the woman or soothing syrup for the baby. I am perfectly satisfied as I am.

Dr. B. F. Snyder.—If you'll promise to keep mum I'll tell you my views.—The fact is I am open to conviction. Filling will be done this year for old maids at half rates and warranted to stay.

S. C. Stacy.—Don't bother me. I am giving my whole attention now to the study of the first edition. When that subject is mastered, I shall be ready for anything that turns up.

William DeMott.—Well, I have a ten thousand dollar policy on my life in the old Northwestern, and a five thousand dollar endowment that will fall in next summer. Let 'em come on.

O. P. Bills.—I can give you my views, sir, in a nut shell. I wouldn't object to a matrimonial investment if it was properly secured with good collaterals, but I've got beyond the time of life when a man feeds away any time or money in courting.

John Smith.—Hush. Keep shady. I've got a bite already.

Isaac Wolcott.—They can't scare me. I can put up a new house from cellar to garret in sixty days and that's as soon as a modern young lady can get her wedding gear ready. Don't I look serene?

Irve S. Osborne.—Jerusalem. Has leap year come again. How I was pestered during last leap year. And it doesn't seem more than three months since the close of 1880. I shall petition the next legislature to revise the almanac and fix leap year once in eight years.

Joe Sage.—I have been running the best dancing parties in the county of Lenawee for the past two years, preparatory to 1884. I am small but spunky, diminutive but determined. Let 'em propel.

Hank Marsh.—I've tacked brick for Comfort for the past forty years, and expect to stay with him forty years more. No petticoat in mine, if you please.

Newberry Satterthwaite.—Young man, you do me honor. I have always considered myself proof against female charms; and yet, if a pretty blonde, with ruby lips, and deep blue eyes, and rosy cheeks, clad in pink satin, with a red rose in her hair, should formally propose, heaven only knows what I should do.

Thos. Aichen.—How ye comin' on? Bad luck till the woman what tries to pop on me. Shtop a bit. If she is a pretty creature and owns a big flock of poultry, I'm afraid I'd be too much of a gintleman to say no.

Edward Bardwell.—I've been selling tally and chewing gum for the past five years, and have had more chances than you can shake a stick at; but I must ease 'em along through leap year. If I should pick out one and marry her I should lose the custom of more'n a hundred.

Ab. Usborne.—If a girl tackles me, I shall take to the woods.

Theodore Crane.—Well, really, you embarrass me. I hardly know what to say. Stair rails and fancy mantels are my forte, but I know nothing about the cradle business. I take life philosophically, however, and shall meet my fate calmly, whatever it may be.

E. H. Barrows.—I never struck a town with more pretty girls than Tecumseh, and I shall take the types here for a few months longer. The girls all know where my car is located. Old maids' pictures will be touched up with red checks by a new patent process.

Peter S. McKinney.—In my experience I have found it extremely difficult to win the affections of a lady who has an income of ten thousand a year. But if such a woman should wish to avail herself of the privileges of leap year in my presence, I can predict the result. "If the court knows herself, and she thinks she does," I should plead guilty and swear out an attachment on the spot.

Jay Santus.—I am bullet proof at present, sir. Honor and business before pleasure, you know. I have to walk to Adrian once a week and to Tecumseh the same to keep alive my township clerk contest. After next April fool day I may be open to a bid.

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LAND OF SUNSHINE.

SORRENTO, FLA., Dec. 31, 1883.

DEAR HERALD:

A Happy New Year to all.

It does not seem like winter. I have been setting out cabbage plants and planting water melon seeds to-day. When I look around and see the roses and other flowers in full bloom, and "listen to the mocking bird," I cannot make myself believe that the thermometer was 13° below zero at Boston one week ago to day, as I was told by a gentleman just from there. We are now in our own house, that is Bert and myself, living by ourselves. Fortunate for us that we learned to cook, for we are now living on $4 per week instead of paying $8 to $10 for our board. We have the ground all ready for our orange trees, and when we are blessed with rain again we will set the trees. We have had no rain here since Oct. 28, excepting one shower that indicated in my rain gauge one twentieth of an inch rain fall, which was a little more than a heavy dew, such as we have nearly every night, which helps vegetation along all right. Now as I write seated comfortably by our own fire place, minus fire, with both doors open.—thermometer at 70°. I am without a coat, for I would be too warm with one on. I pity poor, dear shivering ones at home, and only wish that all old come to Florida to spend the winter. I am daily looking for some of my Tecumseh friends here, and hope they will come, for we are beginning to look upon them as old settlers. We have a good frame house, with five rooms, and can accommodate a few more. We have plenty that is wood to cook with, so we can "get." Potatoes are worth $2.50, eggs 40, groceries about the same as at the North, but meat is plentiful and cheap. Oranges 25c. per dozen or $1.50 per hundred. We can have game by getting it such as venison, duck, squirrel, quail and fish. Wild bear come up to our place from their retreat which is a thick place of wood and cane, one mile from us. On Saturday before Christmas we went out and got some birds. So you see we had a baked duck for our dinner. Fla. is a fine and we will count with you on a bag a few, and in March we will treat you to new orleans and point us and give you a ride through the pine woods all over the country. There is one vast park, with lakes and the most beautiful lake of clear, fresh, wholesome water. Ever running and never stagnant even after a protracted dry spell as we are now having. The fever on the lake is not the most pleasant, and now my place rest at night, get on this hotel, as we are so lonely but we have large sea we are seldom troubled with them. As for snakes, I have seen two in three and they were harmless. A few small scorpions now and then, but their sting is as a bee no more, but I never could get used to a bee sting without its attracting my attention.

This country is a prosperous one. Land is cheap now, but will soon advance. Every day brings new comers in here, and one by one lots are being taken. 160 acres, 3 miles from town, sold the other day for $40 per acre; five and ten acre lots, within a mile of the post office, are selling for $25 per acre, which is a bargain for any one. It is the best of orange land, is located as pleasantly and is as healthy a location as can be found in Florida. It costs but little to clear the land, and when you have it set out to orange trees you will in time have a grove worth $800 per acre, and within seven or eight years at most. The orange crop is very good this season, some groves paying as high as $800 per acre for the fruit, $200 clear of all expenses. Then, why not have an orange grove? Every man in Lenawee county can have one. He can secure the land, five acres is all he wants. There are good and responsible men here that will engage to clear the land, set out the trees and take care of the grove until it comes into bearing, at less than half of what the grove will be worth when it comes into bearing. Then, after that a wealthy income for a period of 40 years. This is what actual experience has shown in Florida. One tree 40 years old yielded this year $5 worth of oranges, at 5 cents each. Now if you have 50 such trees to the acre what an income you would have. This is no imaginary picture for a proof is at hand. Write or come and see. I will be glad to answer all questions or letters of inquiry from any of my friends in Lenawee county.

Bert is well and happy now having received his lot of choice chickens from H. T. Dunn, of Tecumseh. He will have company when I leave for home in the spring. As for climate, this is far ahead of California. The thermometer ranged from 50° to 70° at noon during the past two weeks, 40° to 60° in the morning. The coldest this month 30° on the 19th inst.

E. HAUSE.

Dio Lewis's Monthly for January is at hand. This new candidate for popular favor increases in interest with every number. The leading article is upon Prohibitory Liquor Laws, and it has a fine table of contents besides. Only 25 cents a number. It can be bought of any newsdealer.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

Another happy anniversary! This time it is the "silver wedding," and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Ide are the happy subjects. Really it does inspire us with hope in these days of divorce, to find some pulling together in life's voyage for 25, 40, and even 50 years. Mr. and Mrs. Ide are to be congratulated on their good fortune. They have not only completed 25 years of happy married life, but they have friends whose love can be subjected to a temperature 15 degrees below zero, and yet flourish, like a "green bay tree." Their anniversary fell on last Friday evening, Jan. 4. Those who were out on that evening realized that old winter has not relaxed his grip, however lately he may have been in picking his appearances. But in spite of the cold, a goodly company gathered at the residence of the happy couple, bringing many shining tokens of love and good will with them. Once there they forgot the cold in the glow of happy faces, warm hearts, and a large hot stove. A bountiful collation [illegible] social enjoyment. Several who had expected to be present from Dundee could not come on account of irregularity in trains, caused by the storm. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilkinson sent as their representative a beautiful silver spoon holder, which was received the next day. May our friends pull together yet many more years, and finally, sail with the oar and anchor their boat in the haven of eternal rest.

Bottom knocked out of prices at [illegible] Pennock's cheap store, next to [illegible]. These goods are going to be sold for what they will bring. Come and see prices. Six quart cans only 5 cents a quart. Boiler with top bottom only $1.25, and other goods in proportion.

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If you want to buy cheap for your book store, you can get a complete line of [illegible] Sweet & Son.

OBITUARY.

CONKLING.—At Tecumseh, Mich., on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 9th, 1883, Mr. Samuel G. Conkling, aged 87.

Fifty-one years ago, in the prime of his early manhood, Mr. Conkling [illegible] from Orange county, N. Y., to Michigan. He came with his family and settled in the Raisin Valley, which he owned and improved. He was a man of brave and [illegible] character, of great integrity, a Christian gentleman. He and his honorable wife met and surmounted the hardships incident to the pioneer life with courage and with [illegible]. A family of eight children were born to them, six of whom survive to testify to the [illegible] with which they performed the duties of life. Two of the sons, Hudson and Henry, are still well known and respected residents of this place. The latter has been for many years a member of the church in Tecumseh, Mich., and was made an elder, an office which he discharged with faithfulness and acceptance as long as his strength permitted, and which he held by the expressed wish of the church until his death. For 15 years previous to his death Mr. Conkling lived in town, the last seven with his son Henry. Longer lived one of less energy and will power would have yielded to advancing infirmities and remained at home. His form was a familiar one on our streets, and he was seen walking or driving and manifesting the activity of a much younger man. All have lost in him an upright, useful, respected fellow citizen. The Presbyterian church has lost a valued member. The children who survive him have lost a father who has left them the precious legacy of a good name, and whose memory they tenderly cherish. W. H. B.

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Uselessness of Men on the Verge of Matrimony.

"When a young man gets the craze on," an ancient spinster said recently, "he is good for nothing except his girl. His mind runs on his charmer, his friends are bored to death with the narration of her perfections; the postman of her district swears mentally as he leaves her two or three letters a day; married relatives are annoyed with his frequent questioning in regard to the cost of housekeeping. In fact, when a youth has a craze on, as I say, he is good for nothing. If you want him to take you anywhere he has a rendezvous engagement. We all know that it is same appointment, but he maintains an air of mysterious superiority comical in the extreme. If he quarrels with his girl he comes home in the blues, and the next morning appears at the breakfast table surly and cross, looking seemingly on all womankind as mortal enemies. They are no good when in that condition; and the sooner they get married the better. Why girls marry, though, I can't see. I wouldn't tag myself on to the best man in the world really now. I wouldn't, for I think they are horrid mean anyhow. They are perfect fools—the more flighty a girl is the quicker they are caught, and if there are two or three after the same [illegible] thing on, bother out. I wouldn't have any of them looking to me for care and comfort," she said, as she edged her chair closer to the reporter to impress the fact on him.

"Come, aunty," said Gus, a member of the family, "you know that when you were young you had more beaux coming to the house in one evening than any of the girls of the present day have in a week." The old lady laughed merrily as she gazed fondly at her nephew. "Perhaps I was foolish when I was young, but if the *Morning Mirror* representative wants a good account of an intense courtship and marriage, I leave him to you. Tell him the truth, Gus," the old lady said, as she left the room with a merry twinkle in her eyes.

"Well, I declare," said the victim, "I suppose I am in for it. When I commenced courting I was as crazy as the rest of them. I visited my girl nightly, and wrote her at least once a day. It is true, I often did come home in the blues, for all women have the habit of teasing and tormenting a man, and the more devoted he is the more they tease him. However, it is pleasure for them, and I suppose they enjoy putting their beaux on the rack, as they seem to like to feel the power they have over them. Courtships, however, I think are pretty much all the same the world over, but I tell you as the wedding day approaches the young man gets nervous. He has all the arrangements to make with the minister. His tailor occupies a great deal of attention, for the wedding suit, you know, must be faultless. A single wrinkle will raise a bubbub, and even if the suit is made to perfection it hardly satisfies the expectant groom. It generally takes the united persuasive powers of the groom's friends, the tailor and his assistants to prove to the young man that the suit is becoming and without a flaw.

"At last the day arrives. The ceremony is probably set down for four or five o'clock. In order to get ready in time, the expectant groom arises at five in the morning. Ten to one on dressing he finds that he has sent all his new things to his future bride's house to be packed in the trunk for the wedding trip. He is naturally angry, and, desiring to wear entirely new clothing, awakes one of his sympathizing relatives and sends him out for an outfit. When it comes it may be too large and it may be too small. It has to answer, however. Dressed, the young man hastens to a florist's and sends his future wife and the best lady flowers enough to decorate a parlor almost. Then he goes to hunt up his best friend to make sure that he won't fail him. He is astonished to see his friend so cool about it, and thinks his friendship not sincere. Finally the hour comes and the young couple are united. A reception is tendered them and then they depart for their train, followed by an avalanche of dilapidated shoes and expressions of good will. If the young man is wise he has arranged his wedding trip in advance and has secured his railroad tickets. Here is where I could give some good advice to your interested inquirers. Many people start out and go to Niagara or Saratoga, and in one week spend a sum of money sufficient to last them for a month's trip. How to do the thing and have a first-class time is what the uninitiated want to find out. I could tell of a reasonable trip for seven weeks and it did not cost me over $600. I could have easily saved $300 of that and had a good time, but I invested in various Canadian goods, and by the way this is a great foolishness. Don't do it."—*N. Y. Morning Journal.*

Railroad Time.

He stood at the ticket window, slowly unrolling an old-fashioned leather wallet, while a dozen impatient men stood behind him, driven to madness by the shouting of the gateman calling their trains. After he got about a yard and a half of wallet unrolled he suddenly stopped and said to the ticket agent:

"Is that clock right?"

"No, sir," promptly replied the agent.

"'Tain't?" shouted the startled passenger, stooping down and making a sudden clutch at a lean and hungry carpet-bag. "'Tain't right? Well, what in the name o' common sense do ye have it stuck up there for, then?"

"To fool people," calmly replied the agent, "that's what we're here for, to fool people and misdirect them."

"Well, by gol," said the passenger, hurriedly rolling up his wallet, "then I've missed my train. I'll report you [illegible]

Is fond of fun, enjoys a joke.

and it does him good to see a man prance around and hear him jaw when he buys a ticket and then finds his train has been gone two hours. It saves him the expense of going to the circus."

"Which way is the clock wrong," the passenger asked in despairing accents, "fast or slow?"

"Don't know," replied the agent. "That's part of the fun, not to let any one in the building know anything about the right time. All that I know is that its about ninety minutes wrong, one way or the other."

With a hollow groan the passenger dropped his carpet bag and wallet and made a rush for the door, upsetting every man who got in his way. In about two minutes he came back, crestfallen and meek, and took his place at the end of the line. When once more he walked up to the window, he said, as he named his station and bought his ticket like a sane man:

"What made you talk to me like a liar?"

"What made you ask questions like a fool?" answered the ticket man, and they glared at each other for a second, and then the passenger went his way, a madder, but probably not a wiser, man. For although the time-pieces at a railway station are always as nearly accurate as code and electricity can make them, and all the trains come and go by them, yet there are thousands of men and women in this land of free schools, who, whenever they travel, never fail to ask the ticket-seller, station-master, usher and gateman, one after another if "that clock is right?"—*Buffalo Express.*

An Auctioneer's Miss.

Soon after an auction store on Monroe avenue had opened for business the other morning an old farmer and his wife dropped in and began inspecting goods. The auctioneer thereupon mounted his box and began:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I desire to call your attention to this sample pair of suspenders. Who starts them at fifteen cents?"

"Did you hear him call me a lady," whispered the woman to her old man.

"And he called me a gentleman," replied the husband, as he grinned his delight.

"Who says fifteen cents to start 'em going? Who says? Who says? You can't buy 'em anywhere else in the world for half a dollar! Don't wan't 'em, eh? Very well; here's a hat which was never made for less than seventy cents. Who starts it at a quarter—a quarter a quarter? Ladies and gentlemen, who bids?"

"Called me a lady again!" cackled the woman, as she nudged her husband.

"Yes, but he bore on pretty heavy when he said gentlemen," replied the man.

"I guess he knows a lady when he sees her!" she tartly remarked.

"Perhaps he does, and perhaps it's all soft-soap. Don't be stuck up."

"Or, perhaps you want a watch," continued the auctioneer. "Let me show you a reliable time-keeper which cost $8 by the dozen. Who starts it at $4? Ladies and gentlemen, let me hear a bid!"

"That's three times he has called me a lady," grinned the woman. "I've allus told yer I was just as much a lady as if I lived in the city."

"He's soft-soaping."

"I don't believe it."

"Of course he is. Have you got silks and jewelry and white hands and a gay bonnet? You ain't no lady, and you orter know it!"

"Then you ain't no gentleman!"

"Yes, I am! He bore on when he said it. He said ladies just because that begins the sentence."

"So you don't want a watch?" queried the man on the box. "All right—all right. What you don't want don't buy. Here's a bankrupt stock of table linen, and over there is a box of cowhide boots at your own price. Will the lady step this way while the man examines the boots?"

"There, there," gasped the woman, he means me, and he called me a lady!"

"Yes, and bust his pictur', he called me a man!" growled the husband. "Susan, come along!"

"Where to?"

"Out of this!"

"Oh, no!"

"You jog! If you don't come along you'll foot it home! When an auctioneer begins to soft-soap a gentleman's old woman and insult the gentleman himself it's time to go, towels or no towels!"

"My dear friends—ladies and gentlemen—" called the auctioneer, but he was too late. The man marched out, head erect, and shoulders up, and the wife followed with her finger in her mouth and a coy, pleased look on her face.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A Comedy of Errors.

In a homeward bound Bay View car the other evening sat four passengers contiguous to each other—two middle-aged ladies, a gentleman of about the same stage of life, and a young girl. They were evidently all strangers. Now, it happened as a curious coincidence that the three first mentioned passengers were the possessors of a bundle each, in size and appearance almost exactly alike; and, somehow or other, these packages had all got together. One of the ladies alighted, forgetting in her haste her parcel, but was soon reminded of the fact by the accommodating young lady, who handed a parcel to her, with which she hurried off, thankfully. When the car had traversed a couple of blocks the other lady made the horrifying discovery that her bundle was the one which the first had taken. The car was stopped in short order, and, with a withering look at her young fellow-passenger, she seized what she supposed was the first lady's parcel and started in pursuit of the town. The car rattled on another block, when the gentleman, who had been smiling sweetly to himself at the incident just transpired, suddenly dropped his smile, for he had discovered that his bundle had been appropriated by the second lady. There was no other passenger the less on that car than another addition to the mixed up collection of people and bundles; but neither car or its passengers did not stop to inquire particulars, the sequel to this incident is not known.—*Boston Traveller.*

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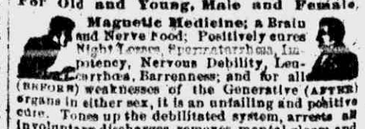

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STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 41 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 56 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	7 07 "
Petroit	10 02 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 00 "	5 37 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	6 55 A.M.	5 15 P.M.	
Toledo	10 15 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 13 "	8 59 "	7 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 35 "	9 21 "	8 00 "
Clinton	11 50 "	9 44 "	9 00 "
Manchester	12 13 P.M.	10 02 "	10 20 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	6 30 P.M.
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 00 "
Jackson	1 03 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's	Exp's	Mail.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Detroit	‡ 6 20	‡ 3 30	‡ 9 20	‡ 7 20
Hamb.	‡ 6 46	* 3 59	10 16	7 15
Romulus	10 00	‡ 4 11	10 31	‡ 8 00
Belleville	10 10	‡ 4 19	10 40	8 25
Willis	‡10 19	* 4 29	10 48	‡ 8 30
Whittaker	‡10 22	* 4 34	10 53	8 35
Milan	10 36	4 44	11 01	10 55
Cone	‡11 00	* 4 56	11 09	11 15
Britton	‡10 56	* 5 01	11 20	11 35
Holloway	‡11 05	* 5 10	11 31	11 55
Adrian	11 22	* 5 24	11 46	1 05
Sand Creek	‡11 32	* 5 45	12 00	1 45
North Morenci	11 55	* 5 50	12 15	2 29
North Fayette	‡12 04	* 6 03	12 21	3 04
Alvordton	‡12 17	* 6 15	12 45	3 43
Montpelier	12 39	‡ 6 35	1 15	4 30
Blakesley	12 54	* 6 49	1 31	5 05
Butler	1 15	7 10	1 55	5 55
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's	Mail.	Exp's	W. Ft
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Butler	‡ 8 35	‡ 2 47	‡ 9 15	‡ 5 00
Blakesley	* 8 57	‡ 3 08	9 35	5 51
Montpelier	‡ 9 11	3 22	9 50	6 45
Alvordton	* 9 30	‡ 3 43	10 09	8 00
North Fayette	* 9 45	‡ 3 56	10 22	8 45
North Morenci	9 55	‡ 4 08	10 33	9 32
Sand Creek	*10 07	‡ 4 22	10 47	10 30
Adrian	10 20	4 38	10 59	12 23
Holloway	*10 30	‡ 4 51	11 11	1 15
Britton	*10 39	‡ 5 01	11 20	1 55
Cone	*10 44	‡ 5 11	11 28	2 10
Milan	10 55	5 20	11 36	3 10
Whittaker	*11 00	‡ 5 29	11 45	3 30
Willis	*11 10	‡ 5 36	11 51	3 55
Belleville	*11 18	5 45	11 58	4 10
Romulus	11 26	5 54	12 04	4 50
Hamb.	*11 39	‡ 6 05	12 16	5 37
Detroit	12 05	6 30	12 40	6 20
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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GOING NORTH. No. 6 Express.	No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	STATIONS. COLUMBUS TIME.		GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.			A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 20	2 20	8 35	Lv. Toledo	Ar.	10 00	3 00	5 20
6 30	2 26	8 40	" Manhat'n Jc.	"	9 54	2 49	5 16
6 41	3 36	8 47	" Alexis Jct.	"	9 44	2 37	5 06
7 17	4 10	9 20	" Monroe Jct.	"	9 10	1 49	4 27
7 27	4 18	9 32	" Dundee	"	9 00	1 37	4 15
7 42	4 29	9 43	" Azalia	"	8 50	1 23	4 08
8 00	4 42	9 58	" Milan	"	8 34	1 04	3 52
8 19	4 55	10 14	" Urania	"	8 20	12 46	3 38
8 32	5 06	10 25	" Pittsfield	"	8 08	12 35	3 30
8 50	5 20	10 35	Ar. Ann Arbor	Lv.	7 55	12 20	3 17
	P.M.					A.M.	A.M.
11 30	6 55	12 32	" Jackson (M.C.)	"	6 10	9 50	9 50
A.M.							
1 08	8 55	2 15	" Battle Creek	"	4 39	7 58	7 58
2 05	9 55	2 56	" Kalamazoo	"	3 52	7 10	7 10
					P.M.		
7 30	10 50	4 50	" Gr'd Rapids	"	10 40	6 20	6 20
P.M.		A.M.			A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 50	5 20	10 35	Lv. Ann Arbor	Ar.	7 35	12 20	3 17
							A.M.
9 50	6 05	11 20	Ar. So'th Lyon	Lv.	7 20	11 30	2 40
	7 30	11 59	" How'll (G.L.&M.)			10 22	2 01
		P.M.					
	8 45	1 15	" Lansing	Lv.		9 10	12 45
							A.M.
	10 15	3 00	" Ionia	"		7 45	11 05
	11 50	5 04	" Elmore	"		6 10	9 00
		6 40	" Big Rapids	"			7 15
		4 50	" How'rd City	"			9 25
		A.M.					
		3 42	" P'tosky (G.L.&I				12 01
							P.M.
		6 30	" Mac'naw City				9 45

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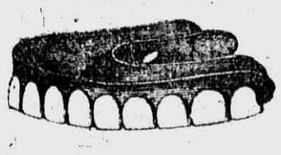

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 10, 1884.

AM I A SCOT, OR AM I NOT?

If I should bring a wagon over
From Scotland to Columbia's shore,
And by successive wear and tear
The wagon soon should need repair:
Thus, when the tires are worn through,
Columbia's iron doth renew;
Likewise the felloes, hubs and spokes
Should be replaced by Western oaks;
In course of time down goes the bed,
But here's one that it is its great;
So bit by bit, in seven years,
All things are changed in bed and gears,
And still it seems as strange it ought
To be the one from Scotland brought;
But when I think the matter o'er,
It never was a foreign shore,
And all that came across the sea
Is only its identity.

I came, a Scotchman, and understand,
It's choice, to live in this free land,
Wherein I've dwell, from day to day,
Till sixteen years have passed away.
Physiology be true,
My body has been changed, too;
And though at first it did seem strange,
Yet Science doth confirm the change;
And since I have the truth been taught,
I wonder if I'm now a Scot,
Since all that came across the sea
Is only my identity.

—*William Taylor, in Scientific American.*

A SOCIETY OF YOUNG THIEVES.

A curious discovery of a secret society was made in this city last week. It was composed of clerks in retail grocery stores, who were pledged to steal from their employers one hundred and twenty-five dollars apiece each month. The sum was paid over to the treasurer of the society, and divided among the members according to certain rules. Sometimes an amount equal to two thousand five hundred dollars was given to any one who was going into business for himself. This society has been in existance less than a year, and after leading to the failure of one or two firms, suspicion was excited which led to discovery. The confession of some of these rascals may be followed by the conviction of all of them. This is their ruin in all probability. They have made shipwreck of character before they are twenty-one years of age.

There are conditions of life in which children grow up to be thieves. Such are their surroundings scarcely anything else can be expected. But when boys have attained to such an age as to become clerks in stores, and have had education and training to justify a tradesman in intrusting them with goods and money in a store, it seems at first view incredible that an organized fraternity could exist among them for the express purpose of robbing their employers. And what a degree of depravity it discloses: far more base than the burglar or highway robber. This stealing involves a meanness and ingratitude which are not among the peculiar sins of one who breaks into a rich man's house or knocks him down in the street. To betray a trust, to steal from one's parent or employer, taking advantage of confidence reposed, is a crime of such baseness as to incur contempt as well as indignation. It is smiting the hand that feeds; a serpent stinging the bosom that warms it into life.

I am told, and recent revelations justify the statement, that every department of business and trade, especially of public business where money is handled, is more or less filled with agents who in one way or another manage to get more than their wages. In other words, many of them are thieves. It is very hard to prove it on any one in particular. The ingenuity of lawyers and detectives is taxed to the utmost to find out who has been stealing hundreds of thousands of dollars from the city during a long series of years. It is going on at this moment in all human probability. A society of young thieves, perhaps of old thieves, may be in existence, perhaps has existed many years, in which the members play into one another's hands, cover up tracks, and render detection almost impossible. There must be some secret affinity between rogues which helps them to know each other at first sight, so that they can trust one another with the fearful secret of their guilt. There is little honor among thieves—they know this very well, and hence must be careful how they put themselves into the power of one who may betray them at the first moment of danger, or on the first awakening of conscience. So they are hedged about with difficulties and beset with foes within and without.

The usual excuse made for the members of this society of young thieves is that their wages are so low that they are tempted to steal. This, of course, is no justification of their crime. But it is worthy of the careful attention of employers. To oppress a laborer is as great a sin as to steal, and it may be that employers who give "starvation" wages are responsible in part for the sins of those who are driven by stress of circumstances to help themselves to money which is not theirs. Yet it is not probable that one in ten thousand of the host of thieves, peculators in stores and offices, steals to get bread. They steal that they may consume it on their lusts. The young man who earns only enough to get food and raiment may, by strict attention to business, making himself indispensable to his employer, secure before long an increase of pay. But if he spends a few cents a day for some useless indulgence, if he treats himself and a friend to entertainments in the evening, if he joins with others in frolics which cost only a little money at a time, he very readily consumes a large part of his scant income increases his longing for more, weakens his moral principle, parleys with temptation, and joins a society of young thieves, or becomes a thief on his own hook. The way to ruin is very smooth and down-hill always. It is full of travelers. Apt to stop while going down-hill is hard.

Is there no balm in Gilead? No remedy for this state of things? Well, I would say, in the first place, there always was a similar state of things, not so bad perhaps as just now. But pickings and stealings always were the prey of those who are intrusted with other people's goods. In many a store a clerk learns to steal by seeing that his employer cheats his customer. If the boy clerk is taught to adulterate the goods, to mix poor flour with good, it is not strange that he learns to cheat and steal for himself. It was an old maxim of a pious tradesman, which has been often repeated. The grocer calls to his clerk: "Have you sanded the sugar?" "Yes." "Have you watered the rum?" "Yes." "Well, then, come into prayers." This is designed to insinuate that the grocer is a great hypocrite. And there are thousands on thousands of honest tradesmen whose shops and stores are schools of the virtues, where young men are taught by a goodly example that to be just, upright and true in trade is lovely in the sight of God, and yields the fruit of righteousness in the life. And we know that the tricks of the trade are also such in many and many a shop or store that the clerk is a pupil in a school of vice, trained to cheat and lie, and of course learns to steal. I would like to know how many of the employers of these dishonest clerks are themselves honest? In which of the stores is no advantage taken of the ignorance of a customer? Which one sells only at a fair profit? never deceives in regard to the name or quality of the tea or coffee sold? Now the sin of the employer is no excuse for the sin of the clerk, but the sin of the one prepares for the sin of the other. The teacher was first in transgression: the latter readily followed the bad example.

Let the young man also learn this lesson: it was put in writing several thousands of years ago, and has been proved to be true in millions of instances since: it is written in the proverbs of the wisest of men, in these words: "Though hand join in hand, the wicked shall not go unpunished." And it often happens that the joining hand in hand, forming a society, hastens the discovery and punishment. Bad people are not to be trusted. Conspirators are often traitors. And no evil secret is safe. Even murder cries out of the ground. There is no place on or under the earth where you can hide a sin and be sure of its staying hid. It is known to two persons the moment it is done. Darkness and light are both alike to Him whose all-seeing eye is on you. And that mysterious inmate of your bosom, called conscience, sits there to accuse and condemn. God is working all the while to bring you to repentance, and Conscience commands you to confess and restore. Thus the two fearful witnesses of your sin are against you, and will infallibly bring you to punishment. In vain you run away. You carry your judge and executioner with you; and as you run I hear you cry: "Which way I fly is hell; myself am hell."

"Run, speak to that young man," is an ancient direction. I am trying to obey it. Would to God that young men everywhere would hear and heed.

—"*Irenæus,*" *in N. Y. Observer.*

Quickness and Talent.

Quickness is frequently confounded with talent. Lord Eldon is said to have remarked, when blamed for "the law's delays," that slow justice was preferable to swift injustice; but to many persons few grievances are more intolerable than delay. The slow but accurate thinker will rarely attain the same popular reputation for ability that attaches to the swift though often mistaken reasoner.

Yet even great minds are rarely at the same time hasty and accurate. Napoleon was gifted with extraordinary quickness of perception, and owed most of his early successes to the swift and unexpected tactics with which he broke through the old extraordinary methods of conducting campaigns. Quick himself, he detested slowness in others, and was impatient if any one he questioned hesitated a moment in reply. Cuvier complained that he lost the Emperor's favor because he would not give a sudden categorical answer to an important question of finance. On one occasion, riding through Fontainebleau, the Emperor suddenly turned to the forest-master and demanded how many acres of wood the park contained. The forest-master, an honest man, waited a moment to consider; at which a subordinate, who knew the Emperor's peculiarity, promptly named some imaginary number, so delighting Napoleon that he bestowed the head rangership on this swiftly-replying person. The result did not justify the Emperor's penetration, for the quick-witted man proved so extremely dishonest that after a short time he was dismissed, and the slower thinker reinstated.

Hasty-judging people of lesser rank frequently make equally unfortunate mistakes. Readers of Bret Harte's poems will remember the ridiculous incident of the old man who calls at a farm-house during the American war, and remarks: "I was with Grant"—and how the farmer, who had a son in the Northern army, received him with questions, admiration, offers of hospitality, cutting short all his attempts at finishing the sentence, until at last

"Said the aged man,
'I should have remarked before,
I was with Grant—in Illinois—
Three years before the war.'"

It is scarcely just when the farmer dismissed the old man with anger as an imposter, when his own overhaste was the cause of the mistake.—*London Globe.*

Eating Lemons.

A good deal has been said through the papers about the healthfulness of lemons. The latest advice is how to use them so that they will do the most good, as follows: Most people know the benefit of lemonade before breakfast, but few know that it is more than doubled by taking another at night also. The way to get the better of the bilious system without blue pills or quinine is to take the juice of one, two or three lemons, as appetite craves, in as much ice water as makes it pleasant to drink without sugar, before going to bed. In the morning, on rising, at least a half hour before breakfast, take the juice of one lemon in a goblet of water. This will clear the system of humor and bile with efficiency, without any of the weakening effects of calomel or congress water. People should not irritate the stomach by eating lemons clear; the powerful acid of the juice, which is always most corrosive, invariably produces inflammation after awhile. But, properly diluted, so that it does not burn or draw the throat, it does its medical work without harm, and, when the stomach is clear of food, has abundant opportunity to work over the system thoroughly, says a medical authority.—*Exchange.*

Sufferers from nervousness, early decay, etc., if you value life, avoid advertising doctors and medicines that act on kidneys and liver. Be not deceived by the many bogus certificates of cures from paid or imaginary persons. If a weakness of the sexual system is the cause of your distress, Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla will strengthen the parts affected stop the drain, quiet the nerves, produce dreamless slumber and allow you to regain perfect health. It has cured thousands, and will cure you, for, by purifying the blood and strengthening every weak portion of the body, it removes every symptom of distress.

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Said no decent tobacco he knew;
But the "Bull Dog" he tried—
Was so well satisfied
He bought a whole caddy to chew.

A resident at a way-station
Was grumbling about his location,
He said: "I'd not mind
If I only could find
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An old man who used it before,
Saw a "Bull Dog" sign over a door;
He said: "While I'm by,
I'll procure a supply,"
And bought all they had in the store.

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News

DOMESTIC.

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with his wife. At two o'clock the next morning Miller raised up in bed and getting his pistol deliberately shot himself in the left breast, inflicting probably a fatal wound.

JAMES L. ROLLINS and A. [illegible], conductors on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and William B. Smith, fireman, [illegible] have been arrested [illegible] of embezzling freight and money of those corporations.

THE Pennsylvania and Michigan State [illegible] at Pittsburgh, [illegible]

[illegible]

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

JOHN N. HAVEN, Governor of Idaho, [illegible] United States a draft for [illegible] for the quarter ending [illegible] and is indebted also to [illegible] for the quarter [illegible] He states that he [illegible] to the duties of [illegible] and does not [illegible] the law.

A [illegible] from Peoria, Ill., [illegible] that the [illegible] Senator Anthony was [illegible] eighty-eight years of age.

EDWARD KEMBLE, who died in Paris, [illegible] was worth $[illegible] all of his property [illegible] to his daughter.

A GRANDSON of Sam Houston, [illegible] was recently married at the age of [illegible] years, and is [illegible] will receive pay for them from the Government.

HON. [illegible] W. LOW, President of the Chamber of Commerce of New York [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] he was put to bed [illegible] quiet [illegible] his death is [illegible]

W. H. WAY, [illegible] of Madison [illegible] died in Philadelphia a few days ago. He was bitten by a rabid dog [illegible] years before.

GUSTAVUS MACKENZIE has been taken [illegible] Asylum, near New York, for treatment. It was first intended to take him to Washington, but it was thought to be too near his large circle of friends and acquaintances in that city.

THE funeral of General Humphreys took place from his late residence at Washington, on the 24. In accordance with the wishes of the family there was no military display. The Secretary of War, a number of army officers and their families, and many prominent people were present. The remains were taken to the Congressional Cemetery.

A LONDON, Eng., dispatch of the 24 says that United States Minister Lowell had resigned the rectorship of St. Andrew's College. He found it difficult to discharge the duties of both offices.

TIMOTHY SULLIVAN died at Bellefontaine, Ohio, on the 1st. He had reached the age of 103 years and was the oldest citizen of Logan County and probably of the State.

SAMUEL J. MUSCROFT, author of the well known military play "The Drummer Boy of Shiloh," died at his home near Mansfield, O., on the 24.

REV. FRANCIS HAWLEY, father of United States Senator Hawley, died at Hartford, Conn., on the 24, aged eighty-[illegible]

W. H. SOTHAM, the first importer of [illegible] cattle, died at Chicago on the 24, aged [illegible]

GENERAL GRANT was sufficiently recovered to receive visitors on the 24.

CHARLES BURGETT, member of Parliament for Lincoln, in a speech upon his return to Lincolnshire, in America, asserted that the money of Irish immigrants [illegible] their fight against the landlords [illegible] on the part of the [illegible]

[illegible]

FOREIGN.

A [illegible] near Tarbert, Ireland, on the 24. A suburban train containing [illegible] passengers collided with a freight train [illegible] and the result was a [illegible] smashup. Twenty-seven persons, chiefly [illegible] employed at the rail works at Hunslet, were killed and many others seriously injured. George Barber, conductor of the freight train, is said to be responsible for the accident. He has been arrested.

A SERIOUS riot between Orangemen and Nationalists at Dromore, Ireland, on the 1st was only averted by the military, who charged upon them. A number of Orangemen were wounded.

A KHARTOUM dispatch confirms the report that an engagement between six hundred soldiers of the garrison of Obeyed and a force of rebels. The soldiers beat off the rebels and they retreated to Berber.

THE Khedive has written a letter to the Minister of Finance, urging a retrenchment of governmental expenses and stating that he has decided upon a ten per cent reduction of the civil list for himself and the hereditary prince.

JOHN BRAY and Richard Bradbury, wounded in the recent encounter between Orangemen and Catholics at Harbor Grace, N. F., have died.

A NUMBER of prominent citizens of Halifax, N. S., recently met a committee of the city council to take action to induce the Canada Pacific Railway to make Halifax their winter and Quebec their summer port. It was decided to ask the Government to extend the Intercolonial Railway to Montreal, and demand the Canada Pacific Railway, as a company receiving so much subsidy, etc., to have their terminus in the Dominion.

LATER.

THE President sent the following nominations to the Senate on the 7th: [illegible] A. Lochren, Counsel General of the United States at Calcutta, United States Circuit Judge [illegible] Palmer, Bolivar J. Pendleton, Indiana Veterans' Home at Marion; Oscar Wellington, of Montana, Land Office; Frank H. Maxey, Montana; John L. Kaine, of Wisconsin, Cognac; George Gifford, Dakota; Mark H. Litton, of Colorado, Receiver of Public Moneys at Pueblo; [illegible] Thomas Wenger, of Kansas, Receiver of Public Moneys at Concordia, Ks.; Adolphus G. Fleming, of Arkansas, Register of the Land Office at Dardanelle, Ark.; Reuben A. Allen, of Illinois, Agent for the Indians at Blackfeet Agency, M. T.

MISS CLARA THURSTON, sister of Judge A. P. Thurston, aged twenty-three, formerly a prominent educator and author, and for many years principal of Thurston's Female Seminary, was killed by the cars at Elmira, N. Y., on the 6th while on her way home.

THREE [illegible] of cattle from Montreal [illegible]

The main building of the county jail at [illegible] burned on the morning of the 24. [illegible]

At Lancaster, Pa., on the 24, a collision of the Pacific Express between Wilkes and Preston [illegible] killing [illegible] and injuring many.

THE Senate reconvened at noon on the 7th. A [illegible] of petitions were presented asking [illegible] pay [illegible] Mr. Edmunds presented a petition [illegible] Mr. Cockrell presented a petition [illegible] Mr. Dawes

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John F. Schredle, late of the town of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of William H. Arner, in the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of July, 1881, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 7th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 13th, 1884.

MINOR DAVIDSON,
COONROD L. LOWE,
Commissioners.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BROOKLYN BALANCE.

Saturday was shadow day here, and a general forgetfulness of business prevailed in honor of Mrs. A. P. Cook. The funeral service was read by Rev. H. Hughes, assisted by Rev. Frisbie, of Detroit. The church was decorated with evergreen and flowers. Altar, chancel and family pew were draped with black, the first over a ground work of white and gold, as was also the organ. A pillow and cross of calla lillies and immortelles were sent from New York by Mrs. Knox, and cross, crown and other floral tributes by Detroit friends. All were beautiful and appropriate emblems, and none more so than a sheaf of ripe'ned wheat, from the center of which pushed up a cluster of buds of pink and white immortelles.

The village had but few inmates outside the church, and many came from distant places. Mr. Bertram and daughter Jennie came from Jackson to assist the choir. The task assigned was difficult. Both girls had grown up under the almost daily supervision of Mrs. Cook, and something ailed both tenor and bass. There came near being more tears than music. While all arrangements were befitting, the social position of the family, grief was not smothered in grandeur, for the lady was the best loved, the most trusted and revered friend of the church, and of the hapless and destitute waifs that intersperse every community, as well as a leader of refined society. Her sympathy and benevolence extended to all, without regard to why they were in trouble. Giving was but a preface to her charity. Her interest in the work never flagged, and having helped the weak to stand devised a way and learned them the lesson of self help. Such a life was necessarily a busy one. Unwavering devotion to church and moral improvement of neglected children. Methodical perseverence and executive ability required a large field for labor, that widened daily, yet was surrounded by her own personal influence. It is usually supposed that one who devotes much time to such work sacrifices home on the altar of enthusiasm, but home and family were first in her heart and all the rest occupied the place usually tenanted by self. By her request no sermon was preached; but what eulogy is required for one who was a stranger to envy, the first to be glad at another's success; who demonstrated in her own quiet way that life is what we make it, and worth living—We can remember such only with affection, and regret she was not with us when called beyond golden bars.

ADDISON ATOMS

The return of warmer weather is a truly welcome change.

The ice harvest is at hand and claims the attention of our people generally.

Advices from St. Louis, Gratiot county, report the average weather during the month as being warmer than the thermometer indicated in Lenawee, and that in sections where there was little more timber than here. Will some conundrum cracker tell the reason?

Messrs. James Morley and Charles Gunn have purchased several acres of timber to be used at their brick and tile yards to be located and operated by them in the spring. The enterprise will supply a need long felt by the people of this vicinity.

Rumor says that work will commence on the proposed extension side track leading from the M. & O. depot to the Addison mills as soon as the weather will permit.

Numerous reports have been extant for some months relative to the proposed Grand Trunk railroad extension from Jackson to different points in Ohio via. of Hudson and this place. They received little atten ion here until last week when the Jackson and Hudson papers announced that a company had been formed and would enter at once upon the preliminary work of securing local aid and otherwise pushing the enterprise. The road, if constructed, will, like all others, bring its share of advantages and disadvantages, the discussion of which seems to claim considerable attention here.

MACON MUSINGS.

Ed. Osgood has just returned from an extended visit in New York state.

A few of the young people made him a pleasant visit Tuesday evening.

Our townsman, Thomas Marshall, goes to Adrian next week to convict the guilty and acquit the innocent.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coller returned last week from their sojourn in Ingham and other counties.

Macon is to have a band. The boys who belong to this embryo organization are fine fellows, all of them, full of energy and determination, and success must and will reward their efforts. The people of Macon appreciate their undertaking and will do all in their power to aid the boys.

Equilibrium has been restored, and a calm rests over our hamlet. One peculiarity, however, is noticable—Many of the Maconites seem to have adopted for their watchword, "To-morrow I go to town, sir." It's meaning is apparent. Grace will now reign.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

The quarterly meeting at the M. E. church last Sabbath was well attended.

There is to be a concert at the church Friday evening. Admission, 10c. All for the benefit of M. E. society.

The sick are all reported on the gain.

Some Napoleon people were trying to make arrangements for a show here in the near future, but we did not learn whether they were successful or not.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

W. N. Brown, teacher in school district No. 4, has dropped the "birch" to accept station agency on the M. & O. road at Hanover. The people at Hanover are to be congratulated as Mr. Brown will undoubtedly meet their expectations.

Floyd Florence met with a serious accident lately, nearly severing his foot with an axe while chopping.

George C. Arner, in the U. S. Survey Service, stationed on the Mississippi river, is home on a vacation. He reports a good time, plenty of work, but poor feed.

Dame Rumor says orange blossoms soon will spread fragrance here. A true leap year affair. For the high contracting parties a pleasant journey through life, one that will be far removed from reverses and unhappiness is the sincere wish of

SCRIBE.

A CORRECTION.

We desire to correct a statement made last week by the author of the Macon Musings. Our prayer circle includes no "two or three gossipers," to whom he alludes. As church members and intelligent christian men and women, we feel we have not only been unjustly represented, but that our belief has been ridiculed. We regret that there is this whirlwind of disturbance in our usually quiet and friendly community, but is there not a good cause for it originating? When a person allows his ungovernable temper to so completely master him that he forgets his social standing as a gentleman, we think it proper time some one informs him of his danger, if one of no more importance than a "gossiper." H.

A recent Washington dispatch gives some interesting information in regard to Col. W. C. Fitzsimmons.

"United States Circuit Judge Wallace heard argument to-day on a motion for a perpetual injunction in the suit of W. C. Fitzsimmons, of Tecumseh, Mich., against Gen. Guillermo Nanne and the Central American Pacific railroad company, to restrain the company from issuing or delivering certificates of its capital stock, or anything in lieu thereof, to the extent of $150,000 in shares of said capital stock, or from making any transfers or certificates heretofore issued to a like amount. Plaintiff was employed as an expert engineer to survey a route for a railroad in Central America, and was to receive a commission in stocks if he completed the necessary survey and made arrangements to raise funds to carry on the work. Fitzsimmons seeks to recover compensation due him for services. The judge vacated the order of *in rem* against Nanne, and postponed further hearing on the injunction.

The Amusement Mirror of Jackson has the following complimentary notice of the Tecumseh base ball club:

"The Tecumseh base ball club was organized in June, 1883, with a membership of 27. The following officers were elected: S. W. Bordine president, A. M. Stevens, secretary, E. N. Satterthwaite, treasurer, J. L. Anderson, manager. The players and positions were as follows: A. Hendrich, catcher, Wm. Tray, pitcher, J. J. Freeman, 1 b., Floyd Bostwick, 2 b., Fred Coiles, 3 b., V. S. Chapman, s. s., J. S. Anderson, l. f., Geo. Bostwick, c. f., Ed. McKinney, r. f., and change pitchers. The club played 11 games, winning 8. The season closed in September and was a very successful one in every respect. A new grand stand was erected and various improvements made. The association has a nice balance in the treasury, and will commence next season with bright prospects."

The New York World says: "The popular notion that fortune distributes her favors with a reckless hand is illustrated by a circumstance that, while Alfred Tennyson has been raised to a baronetcy, Mrs. Julia A. Moore, the sweet singer of Michigan, is running a small water power grist mill at Montgomery Siding."

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan. 8, 1884:

Estate of Thankful L. Ripley, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing February 4, 1884.

In the matter of Ida A. Dayton, an indigent insane person; affidavit of service, testimony taken and filed; order for admission to asylum.

Estate of Luella T. Hendryx, minor; nomination of guardian filed; order of appointment, bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Margaret A. Bowerman, minor; nomination of guardian filed, order of appointment, bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Almira Williams, deceased; administratrixs' bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Henry Hart, deceased; receipt filed; order of discharge as to personal estate.

Estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond, $1,000.

Estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; bond, $6,000.

Estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $1,000.

Estate of Frederick Gippert, deceased; affidavit of publication, administrator's final account allowed, distribution.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John Pennington, deceased; affidavit of publication; executors' final account allowed; assignment, distribution.

Estate of Cyrenus Farmer, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond and letters; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Zephaniah K. Johnson, deceased; affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond and letters; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Thomas Johnson, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, filed; affidavit of publication, executors' final account allowed, assignment, distribution, receipts filed, discharge.

Estate of Edouard Drouillard, deceased; affidavit of publication, executors final account allowed, assignment, discharge.

Estate of Hepsebeth Fitzgerald, deceased; affidavit of publication, proof, will and probate; bond $1,000.

Estate of Thomas Coulson, deceased; affidavit of publication, administrators' final account allowed, assignment, distribution.

Estate of William H. Smith, deceased; petition for allowance of executors' final account; hearing Feb. 4, 1884.

Estate of James Mills, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Feb. 4, 1884.

Estate of Adelia Ferrill, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners for Cantebery drain, Riga; order for citation; hearing Jan. 28, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Olive H. Chittenden, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Feb. 4, 1884.

Estate of Francis Voorhees, deceased; petition for leave to file bond *nunc pro tunc*; hearing Feb. 4, 1884.

Estate of Joel Briggs, deceased; application for allowance of final account; hearing Feb. 4, 1884.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending Jan. 12:

RAISIN.

Anna J. Wheeler to A. H. Bartlett, Land on sec. 20, $2,350.

TECUMSEH.

Sarah A. Cole to Albert Waring, Land on sec. 35, $25.

Albert Waring to Sarah A. Eaton, Land on sec. 35, $500.

The annual meeting of the Agricultural society of Lenawee county will be held at Light Guard armory, on the last Tuesday of this month, the 22d, at 10 o'clock a. m. It is desirable that all the members of the society, meaning of course all who bought a membership ticket and made entries at the fair of 1883, be present. There will be business of importance, aside from the election of officers. A full report of last year's business will be made; also the special committee appointed to procure a fair ground, will make its report at that time. No person who has the welfare of this society at heart should fail to be present.

S. B. MANN, Sec.

Adrian, Mich., Jan. 15, 1884.

The February number of Demorest's Monthly is both instructive and entertaining. The serial by Mrs. Champney is continued, and shorter stories are contributed by Eleanor Kirk, Hope Ledyard, Carlotta Perry, and Miss E. B. Cheesborough. Among the readable articles are "The Yellowstone National Park," "The French Shakespeare," and "The Mediæval Mystery of the Passion Play." Jenny June contributes "Life in New York," and the various departments are well filled. "The Pompeiian Maiden," a fine steel engraving, forms the frontispiece, and there are other admirable illustrations.

We Met at Toulon.

THE ROMANCE OF A VOYAGE.

It was at Toulon railway station. Why I was there, or where I was going, I don't exactly remember, so much having happened since, and I, at the time, having no reason to go to one place more than to another.

The express train from Paris had just come in.

She was standing a little aside, just out of the crowd and bustle, looking on, scanning every face as it passed and repassed, mine among others, and as I fancied, with more interest than others. Her face was very pale, and her eyes were anxious, but she looked calm and self-possessed.

By-and-by I saw her speak to an elderly woman who stood near. She received, I fancied, a hurried, unwelcome answer, for I saw a flush rise in her face as she turned away.

By this time the platform was almost clear. Such passengers as were going on had departed to refresh themselves, others had gone to their rest. [illegible] The railway offices began to present their solitary [illegible]

Ruling my [illegible] speaking to the French, I venture[illegible] in any way of any service [illegible]

A shade of [illegible] dressed her.

She answered in [illegible]

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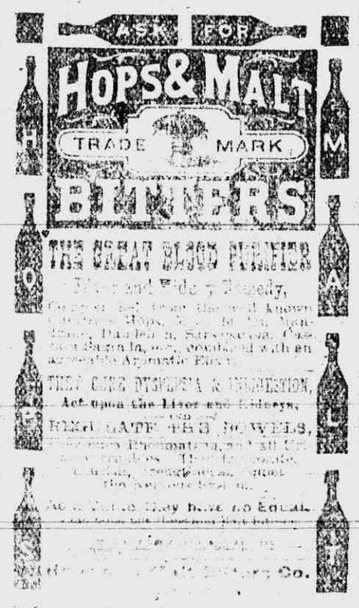

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A Leading London Physician establishes an Office in New York for the Cure of EPILEPTIC FITS. *From Am. Journal of Medicine.*

Dr. Ab. Meserole (late of London), who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years' standing successfully cured by him. He has published a work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his wonderful cure free to any sufferer who may send their express and P. O. Address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Church communicants in this country, the New York *Independent* reports, after careful inquiry, number 17,067,806, of whom 6,832,954 are Catholics.

—Just because the widow's mite was so highly praised there are lots of people who pride themselves with never putting more than a penny into the contribution-box.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—A Manchester boy has played truant uninterruptedly from October, 1882, until the present time. His parents thought he was attending school and his teacher believed him to be at work.—*Boston Post.*

—The suit brought by Rev. Edward Jones against the Rev. Miss Anna Oliver in Brooklyn for $800, he says the church now claiming that it was a loan, while she insists that it was a gift, has been decided in her favor.—*Brooklyn (N. Y.) Eagle.*

—On account of the fact that many of the Jews do not understand the Hebrew language and therefore do not take interest in the services in that language, a Rochester (N. Y.) synagogue has decided to adopt the English translation of the ritual.—*Rochester Express.*

—A recent return of the Financial Board of Cambridge University puts the incomes of colleges at $1,156,000. Trinity has the largest, over $231,000; Magdalen the smallest, $23,500. The colleges contribute $26,000 to the common university fund—two and a quarter per cent., about.

—At Bacup, in England, recently, a girl aged seven died from inflammation of the brain, brought on by overwork at school. The medical officer in reporting the case strongly condemned the practice of making young children do home lessons at night. He said it worried them and made them restless in their sleep.—*Chicago Herald.*

—The Superintendent of the Akron (O.) schools, says: "Education is a difficult and delicate art; it requires an intimate acquaintance with the nature of the human mind, and the best way of operating upon it; it requires a knowledge of how minds are influenced by moral motives, as well as how both moral and intellectual operations are acted upon by outside influences."

—It is reported that in the town of Noyon, where John Calvin, the great Geneva reformer, was born, the very name of Protestantism has been almost forgotten, and that the name of Calvin was unknown. M. Cadot, the Baptist pastor of Channy, has succeeded in opening a small room for the preaching of the Gospel in that place. M. Cadot says he found a hearty welcome, and that his meetings were attended by some of the leading families. The result of his visit will be the founding of a new church.

—At a recent meeting of the Science Association of John Hopkins University Prof. Sylvester bade farewell to the association, saying that he should leave for Europe before its next meeting. He hoped that steps would be taken to make the valuable and interesting meetings of the association accessible to the general public, and to print reports of them in some scientific journal. He thought it desirable also that verbal and impromptu reports be more often made, in addition to the papers read, and "the well-known American bashfulness" thus overcome.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

If conscience, is what makes cowards of us all, there ought to be a great many brave men these days.—*Philadelphia Call.*

Counterfeit silver dollars are floating about the city.—*Hartford Times.* Honest cat float are not good, of course.—*Philadelphia Record.*

"Yes, sir," said Jinkins, "Smither is a man who keeps his word, but then he has to." "How is that?" asked Jones. "Because no one will take it."—*Oil City Derrick.*

"The idea of my being jealous of Miss Smith!" exclaimed Mrs. Brown, indignantly, "the idea of my being jealous of her, when I think so much of her!" "Yes, but what do you think?" asked Brown.—*Boston Post.*

A lady was reproaching Mr. William Warren at a recent reception for going into society so little. "You ought to let us lionize you a little," she said. "I never heard of but one man," replied the veteran actor, "who was not spoiled by being lionized." "And who was he?" "Daniel."—*Chicago Tribune.*

A social calamity: Mr. Jones—"You seem to be in great distress, my friend." Tramp—"I am sir, in distress in great distress. I have just been married, and I am on my wedding tour, but from lack of funds I have been compelled to leave my wife behind." A spirit of chivalry prompted a donation, of course.—*N. Y. Wag.*

A country clergyman who recently preached in an Austin church is an admirer of the writings of Charles Dickens, and quotes from his novels almost as often as he does from the Bible. He surprised his congregation by winding up a rousing peroration with: "It is thus you see, my brethren, as the Scriptures say, 'Barkis is willing' that the flesh is weak."—*Texas Siftings.*

A precocious Child, while engaged at his thanksgiving Repast, remarked to his Indulgent Mother that he believed he was not as Thankful as he Ought to be. "This shocking condition of affairs," added he, "must, however, be somewhat Remedied, by another Piece of Mince pie and a large Slice of Cheese."—*Chicago News.*

A Natural Kindler.

The *Hydrocotlee gummifolia* grows in the Falkland Islands as well as in Tierra del Fuego, and is known as the "gum plant," because of a viscous substance it exudes in large quantities; this sap is called "balsam," and is used by the natives of the countries where it is found as a poultice for wounds. But its most important property, in their eyes, is the ease with which it can be set on fire, even when green and growing—a matter of no slight consequence in regions where rain falls five days out of every six. In the Falkland Islands, where there are no trees, the natives often roast their beef over a fire of bones—the very bones of the animal from which, but the moment before, the meat itself was stripped—and they use the gum-plant to kindle this fire.—*Captain Mayne Reid, in St. Nicholas.*

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—Peter Shinkle, ninety-three years of age, who eloped with a Cincinnati woman last winter, has deserted her.—*Cincinnati Times.*

—J. W. Wright, of Addison, Vt., freezes four-hundred turkeys daily, and will keep them frozen for the New York market next summer.—*Rutland Herald.*

—Prof. Alpheus S. Packard, of Bowdoin College, who is now in his eighty-fifth year, said the other day that he has never been ill a day in his life.—*N. Y. Times.*

—Red Dave's daughter, Pauline, the last native Indian in Lodiaville, is dead. She was a Cherokee, married a rich white planter, who died in the war, leaving her penniless.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—Matilda Eddy, the woman compositor known as "Kit, the tramp," who died at Cleveland the other night, was buried at Jamestown, N. J. Her Typographical Union voted fifty dollars to defray the funeral expenses.—*Cleveland Herald.*

—Oliver Dalrymple, of the famous Dalrymple wheat farm in Dakota, is described as a typical "Uncle Sam" in appearance. His face is "peaked," his hair long. He wears a big white hat and old-fashioned farmer's clothes, and might be mistaken for an antique New England schoolmaster transplanted to the Northwestern prairies.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Miss Sabra Phillips, of Norwood, R. I., is a hundred years old. The Providence *Journal* says: "She lives alone, does all her own housework, saws wood for her own fire, and brings it on her back from the woods. She is a constant reader of the Bible and religious books, reads without glasses, and is ready at any time to preach a sermon upon any passage of Scripture, which she often does to those gathered around her. She is the last of her generation."

—Herr Krupp, the great German gun-maker, whose works are said to have turned out 20,000 cannon, is described as a tall and rather stern-looking man, with sloping shoulders, a long neck and full white beard. He is delicate, nervous and intellectual, and looks like a clergyman. His only son and heir, Fritz Krupp, who will succeed to an estate valued at $40,000,000, is an inventor of considerable ability, and is thoroughly familiar with his father's business.

—Mr. E. T. Jaffray, the richest of New York's importing merchants, is nearly sixty-seven years of age, and employs about three hundred clerks and above sixty commercial travelers. He attends Dr. Hall's church, and may be seen there during services holding his grand-children and surrounded by them. His summer place at Tarrytown he leaves daily in his steam yacht, on which he takes breakfast, and then goes to the wheel and steers the craft himself. He has a clergyman who looks after all his charity, and reports to him every week. His partners are his sons-in-law and one of his two sons; another has retired young.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

It is reported that some of the mashers are going to let out the backs of their collars as advertising stations.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Said the guard of a slow-going train to an impatient traveler: "No, you are right, we are not good at annihilating space on this line, but we do manage to kill a good deal of time.—*N. O. Picayune.*

"Yes," said the mother, "Mary married a young man from the old country because her father would not buy her a sealskin sacque. She said she was bound to have a sealskin sacque this winter."—*Danbury News.*

Whatever may be said of the average Englishman, he always gives you credit for the possession of intelligence; for when telling you anything he invariably winds up with, "You know."—*Somerville Journal.*

One ought to be careful what he says even about the dead. A forlorn widow sitting by a blazing fire sighed, "Poor George! How he did like a good fire. I hope they have 'em where he's gone."—*N. Y. Herald.*

A Western paper leads an article "A Rabbit Mashed on a Pike." This may be considered a rather singular exhibition of affection in Chicago, as there are people right here in this town who have seen a dog "mashed" on a railroad.—*Norristown Herald.*

"What is a limited monarchy, Johnny?" "Well, my idea of a limited monarchy is where the ruler don't have much to rule." "Give us an example." "An example! Lemme see. Well, if you was boss in your self, for instance."—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

"Sonny, is your mother at home?" asked the minister, addressing the little boy who was standing at the door. "Yes, she's at home," was the reply, "but I guess she doesn't want to see you. I heard her just tell pa that she hated fools and that she never saw a man yet who wasn't a fool."—*Boston Transcript.*

"No," said Mrs. Homespun, "I haven't seen the Light of Asia, nor I don't want to either. I've just been bothered to death ever since I began keeping house, forty years ago, with your new-fangled lights and lamps and chimblies and burners. Kerrysene's good enough for me. 'Light of Asia!' No, I don't want nothing to do with it."—*Boston Transcript.*

"What memorable event happened in 1865?" asked the professor. The student hesitated a moment and then answered, effusively: "Why, yes, of course, I was born in 1865." Professor—"The war of the Rebellion ended in 1865." Student—"Funny, ain't it? The war was ended and I was begun in the same year. That's what I call a singular coincidence."—*Exchange.*

"What are you doing with my boots on?" indignantly asked a high State official of a colored gentleman. "Is dese here yer boots, boss?" "Of course they are." "Dat's mighty curious." "Not curious at all, you scoundrel. You found them in my room when you cleaned up." "Wall, dat's mighty curious. Yes ken hab de boots, sah, ef da's yerse'f." "I wouldnt have them now." "Den what yer wanter make all dis great 'miration 'bout? White folks gittin' wuss ebery day. De blame boots too little fur me nohow."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

No one can be ill if the blood is pure. Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla root have long been recognized by physicians as blood purifiers. Don't be humbugged by the advertisements of the many quack bitters, but occasionally use Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and you will live to a good old age free from all distress of mind and body. Many of our best citizens who long suffered from bad blood indicated by weak kidneys, indigestion, sores, aches, etc., owe their recovery to the use of this remedy.

Vick's Floral Guide.—Here it is again, brighter and better than ever; the cover alone, with its delicate tinted Background and its dish of gracefully arranged flowers, would entitle it to a permanent place in every home. The book contains three beautiful colored plates, is full of illustrations, printed on the best of paper, and is filled with just such information as is required by the gardener, the farmer, those growing plants, and every one needing seeds or plants. The price, only ten cents, can be deducted from the first order sent for goods. All parties any way interested in this subject should send at once to James Vick, Rochester, N. Y., for the Floral Guide.

Many who long suffered from indescribable feelings of distress, lame back, aching joints, sores, swellings, weakness of the urinary and digestive organs, unnatural feelings of weariness, headache, nervousness, despondency, sleeplessness, disturbing dreams, partial insanity, etc., after doctoring liver, kidneys, nerves and brain, with the various quack nostrums of the day, and being nearly frightened to death by their alarming advertisements, quietly began using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and were agreeably surprised to quickly find themselves restored to perfect health. No other remedy equals it.

The tower of the new Bay City hose house will be 89 feet high.

Don't make the mistake of doctoring liver and kidneys to cure consumption. If you will lay all other remedies aside and put your trust in Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, it will surely benefit you. Try it for coughs and colds, and see what an excellent remedy it is.

Work on the Stronach Lumber Company's salt well has been abandoned, as the drill stuck at a depth of 1,600 feet.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

The fish business is booming at South Bay City.

How often we hear middle-aged people say regarding that reliable old cough remedy, N. H. Downs' Elixir: "Why, my mother gave it to me when I was a child, and I use it in my family; it always cures." Who can name another medicine with such a record as this. Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters are another good medicine; and Arnica and Oil Liniment is just what it is recommended to be.

Forest Post, No. 12, of Battle Creek, gained 22 members in 1883.

A Good Investment.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the window and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Kidney, Liver or Urinary Diseases.

Have no fear of any of these diseases if you use Hop Bitters, as they will prevent and cure the worst cases, even when you have been made worse by some great puffed-up pretended cure.

Battle Creek street borders are getting to be a nuisance.

Ayer's Hair Vigor prevents the hair from turning gray, and restores gray hair to its original color. Try it.

Brown boys said that they have sworn off under Dr. Conway.

Daughters, Wives and Mothers.

We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflammation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhœa, besides many weaknesses springing from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Prices $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles; Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Italian Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty, druggists.

The Bad and Worthless

are never imitated or counterfeited. This is especially true of a family medicine, and it is positive proof that the remedy imitated is of the highest value. As soon as it had been tested and proved by the whole world that Hop Bitters was the purest, best and most valuable family medicine on earth, many imitations sprang up and began to steal the notices in which the press and the people of the country had expressed the merits of H. B., and in every way trying to induce suffering invalids to use their stuff instead, expecting to make money on the credit and good name of H. B. Many others started upstream put up in similar style to H. B., with variously devised names in which the word "Hop" or "Hops" were used in a way to induce people to believe they were the same as Hop Bitters. All such pretended remedies or cures, no matter what their style or name is, and especially those with the word "Hop" or "Hops" in their name or in any way connected with them or their name, are imitations or counterfeits. Beware of them. Touch none of them. Use nothing but genuine Hop Bitters, with a bunch or cluster of green Hops on the white label. Trust nothing else. Druggists and dealers are warned against dealing in imitations or counterfeits.

Swept into the Stream,

One Thousand Acres of Land, and "Right Smart of Beare."

On the deck of a big Mississippi steamboat stood an aged Southern planter. Indicating by a sweep of his arm the waters the boat was passing over, he said to a passenger from the North: "When I was twelve years old, I killed my first bear on a new plantation my father was then cutting out of a forest that grew directly over the waters of this bend. That was a mighty good plantation, and there was right smart of bear there, too. But that one thousand acres of land went into the Mississippi years ago."

It is putting no strain upon the figure to say that great forests of youthful hope, womanly beauty and manly strength are swept in the same way every year into the great, turbid torrent of disease and death. Yet it should not be so. That it is so is a disgrace to us, as a people. People are largely too careless or too stupid to defend their own interests—the most precious of which is health. That gone, all is gone. Disease is simple, but to reckonings or ignorance the simplest thing might as well be complex as a proposition in Conic Sections. As the huge Western rivers, which so often flood the surrounding shores, arise in a few mountain springs, so all our ailments can be traced to impure blood and a small group of disordered organs.

The most effective and conclusive remedy for disease is PARKER'S TONIC. It goes to the sources of pain and weakness. In response to its action, the liver, kidneys, stomach and heart begin their work afresh, and disease is driven out. The tonic is not, however, an intoxicant, but cures a desire for strong drink. Have you dyspepsia, rheumatism, or troubles which have refused to yield to other agents? Here is your help.

PARKER'S TONIC

Makes fast and firm friends of all who use it. Invigorates the kidneys, liver, bowels and stomach and purifies the blood. Pleases the palate, stirs the circulation and cures the ailing. To women and aged persons it imparts strength and hopefulness. The best known antidote for the liquor habit. 50c. and $1 sizes.

HUSCOX & CO., New York.

Ely's Cream Balm,

Is a positive cure for catarrh, cold in the head, catarrhal deafness and hay fever. It effectually cleanses the nasal passages of the catarrhal virus, promotes healthy secretions, allays inflammation, protects the membranes from additional colds, completely heals the sores, and restores the senses of taste and smell. Beneficial results are felt from the first application. Rapidly but positively all other preparations. Agreeable to use. Price 50 cents. Pamphlet free.

ELY'S CREAM BALM, Owego, N. Y.

CONSUMPTION.

I have a positive remedy for the above disease; by its use thousands of cases of the worst kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed, so strong is my faith in its efficacy, that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE, together with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease, to any sufferer. Give express and P. O. address. DR. T. A. SLOCUM, 181 Pearl St., New York.

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I CURE FITS!

When I say cure I do not mean merely to stop them for a time and then have them return again, but I mean a radical cure. I have made the disease of Fits, Epilepsy or Falling Sickness a life long study. I warrant my remedy to cure the worst cases. Because others have failed is no reason for not now receiving a cure. Send at once for a treatise and a Free Bottle of my infallible remedy. Give Express and Post Office address. It costs you nothing for a trial, and I will cure you.

Address Dr. H. G. ROOT, 183 Pearl St., New York.

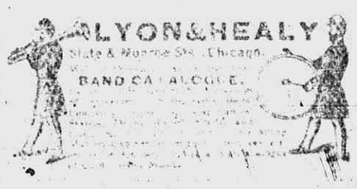

NOTICE.

J. A. MUNGER

P. B. SWICK

IN THE HARNESS BUSINESS

Has removed to the new store, and intends to keep a full line of

Fine and Heavy Harness, Trunks, Whips, Etc.

Repairing Neatly Done.

SWICK & MUNCER.

Chicago Street, Tecumseh.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

Estate of Asa Russell, deceased. The undersigned, appointed by the Probate Court of Lenawee County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust claims against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that they will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1884, and that six months from the 21st day of December, 1883, have been allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us.

Dated January 5th, 1884.

ALBERT HYDE,
EDGAR A. THIBOU,
Commissioners.

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ADVERTISING

Contracts made for THIS PAPER, which is kept on file with LORD & THOMAS, Advertising Agents, Chicago, Ill.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple, and Samuel McClure, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said county, to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 23d day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded on a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road so called, with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwesterly along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-six links; thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter and thence south to the place of beginning. This levy is made subject to a mortgage levy in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple and Samuel McClure. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Opera House, so called, in the City of Adrian, in said County of Lenawee, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said County, on the 20 day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney.
dec15 CHARLES RIDWELL, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Lucy Ann Kenyon, against the goods, chattles and real estate of Jerry M. Burleson in said County, to me directed and delivered, and by virtue of said writ I did on the 28th day of November, A.D. 1883, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Jerry M. Burleson in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east. Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: That part of section five (5), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded on a line beginning at the intersection of the Tecumseh and Saline road so called, with the east line of the southwest quarter of said section five (5), running thence southwesterly along the center line of said road six rods and twenty-six links; thence north parallel with the east line of said southwest quarter of said section five (5) to the north line of said southwest quarter; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter and thence south to the place of beginning. This levy is made subject to a mortgage levy in favor of Isaac C. Wolcott, John S. Temple and Samuel McClure. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Opera House, so called, in the City of Adrian, in said County of Lenawee, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said County, on the 20 day of February, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

E. B. WOOD, Attorney.
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ESTATE OF FLORENCE E. SMITH.

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Florence E. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Jerome I. N. Bowen, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, and amongst the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.) Register. 5w.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Peter [illegible]

[illegible] Lenawee County, Michigan, [illegible] day of January, A.D. 1884, [illegible] Chancery, [illegible] Peter Mead, deceased, [illegible] the highest bidder, [illegible] Macon, and [illegible] the interest [illegible] which said deceased died seized in that parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and known as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town five south of range five east, containing forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower of Josephine Mead, widow of deceased therein. Terms of sale published at the place of sale.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

CYRUS MEAD,
jan10 Administrator.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of Wm. H. Ayers, Ridgeway, on February 16th, 1884, and June 9th, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 21st day of December, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Jan. 8, 1884.

EDGAR C. VAN VLERT,
RICHARD CADMUS,
jan10 Commissioners.

NAVAL BATTLES. Agents Wanted for Ancient & Modern New and graphic Pictorial History of the great Sea fights of the World. By Medical Director Kimberly, U. S. N. Address J. C. McCurdy & Co., Cor. Clarke & Adams St., Chicago, Ills.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

Issued Every Thursday Evening.

BY STACY BROTHERS.

Office in the New Herald Building, one door East of the Opera House, Tecumseh, Mich.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year [illegible] $1 50
Six Months [illegible]
Four Months [illegible]

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The Union Party of Michigan means business. The new movement cannot be stopped [illegible] the politicians [illegible] to think for the [illegible] on point [illegible] and to put their preach[illegible] into practice at the [illegible]

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The Chicago News has the [illegible] of Wolverine politics.

Michigan is still greatly excited over the rumor that the tariff on salt is to be removed. It appears that salt is a drug in the Michigan market. It is so pestiferously cheap that people use it in their tea and coffee instead of sugar, and the public taste has become so perverted in this particular that in many localities codfish balls are palmed upon the unwary traveler for genuine old fashioned doughnuts.

THE UNION PARTY OF MICHIGAN.

The temperance men of the state met at Jackson on the 9th inst., and formally inaugurated the new political movement by the adoption of a platform and choosing the necessary committees. The attendance was about two hundred, and it was an enthusiastic gathering.

The first resolution was [illegible] the name of the party to "The Prohibition Party of Michigan." It was further resolved [illegible]

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Michigan's Hardwood Resources.

Hon. Henry N. Walker, of Detroit, [illegible] Commissioner for Michigan [illegible] a circular supplement [illegible] "Michigan and its Resources," which will be sent to [illegible] manufacturers of hardwood goods. The circular says:

"It is well known that Michigan stands first among the states in the [illegible] of pine timber, its great wealth of hardwoods has [illegible] comparatively unappreciated. In the northern peninsula, in the lower peninsula, and in all the counties of the upper peninsula, are [illegible] large tracts of pine, tamarack, cedar, black birch, sugar maple, much of it of the finest grade, and [illegible] varieties. [illegible] which [illegible] have been [illegible] for years, [illegible] furniture, carriages, [illegible] In the lower peninsula are [illegible] oak, cherry, black walnut, black birch, which is [illegible] in both peninsulas [illegible] into general use, leading to a great extent the place of black walnut and cherry. It is admirably adapted for house finish, [illegible] purposes, and is well suited to the manufacture of [illegible] and other furniture. It is found have met with much favor in Michigan and Indiana. Michigan's great facilities for cheap water transportation have been supplemented by the extension of established railroads and the building of many new ones. To-day this state offers exceptional advantages to all industries in which wood is largely used, and its location, between the thickly populated east and growing west, [illegible] it for a manufacturing center. Michigan manufactures more charcoal pig iron than any other state. Hundreds of thousands of feet of choice hardwoods are annually consumed in the manufacture of charcoal. Saw mills, handle, last, and shoe peg factories, and other wood-working establishments can be located near the charcoal kilns to the great advantage of both industries."

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Forest house at Sterling burned.

Marshall has 15 practicing physicians.

The state Y. M. C. A. holds a convention at Albion Feb. 7-10.

A company has been formed at Muir to build an opera house.

The Michigan home doctors hold a convention at Port Huron Feb. 5.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

LOST.—On Sunday evening, 13th inst., near the Presbyterian church, a Ladies' Mink Fur Collar. The thanks of the owner and payment for any trouble will be given to the finder by leaving the same at the HERALD OFFICE.

FARM FOR SALE.—Eighty acres, all improved, splendid brick house and good barns, only two miles from Tecumseh. Will be sold at a bargain, if taken before the 1st of April. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—House and lot, one square from Main street, Tecumseh. Good as new and well located. Must be sold cheap, cash price and all fixtures for sale. CHAS. H. BUNDY.

FOR SALE.—A new Milner top buggy and a good young work horse. Enquire of
EMMONS CLAYTON.

HICKORY WOOD.—For sale, cord of Hickory and Hard Maple, short body wood, delivered in the city. HERALD OFFICE.

STORE TO RENT, from March 7th, 1884, in the village of Tecumseh. One of the best stands and in good business village as there is in the state. Has been used as a confectionery and News store, having been a good profitable business. Side door east of H. McClure's store, opposite on the premises of
H. S. BARDWELL.

SUITS OF ROOMS TO LET. Apply at
WM. HAYDEN'S

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Chicago st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Good dwelling, barn and 1 acre lot, suitable for a Factory, Machine Shop, Slaughter House, or any other manufacturing purposes. This is one of the best bargains offered. Inquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FIRE, FIRE.

MY TANNERY having burned, leaves for sale the best location for manufacturing or rebuilding Tannery in the State. Property contains some

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SPRING BROOK of SOFT WATER, never failing. BRICK BUILDING, 55x65, former use a Factory. Model Slaughter House,

ENGINE & BOILER,

COVERED SPRING WAGON,

Doctor's Use, a beauty, &c., &c.

For particulars, enquire of

O. W. BEAN.
Tecumseh, Mich.

Lyle Mathews has taken possession of his new position as station agent on the M. & O. His duties are very onerous as yet but he expects to have more to do soon.

Jos. Cantus, of Ridgeway, called last evening. This is nothing unusual in itself, but we gathered an item of unusually stirring news from him. He has abandoned the walker line and now travels on the M. & O.

The announcement of the new pension board at Adrian has caused a flutter among the local politicians. Dr. Hall was on the "slate," but he got left, and now the question awaits an answer, Who did it?

The eighth page of this week's HERALD is the last eighth page we have to issue this year. Three columns of late news, gathered from all quarters, and three columns announcing Gains' & Co's great annual clearing sale. Read the news and then go to Gains' for bargains.

Most as good and reliable barometer by which an approaching snow storm may be foretold as any, is the snow bird. When you notice these little birds begin to gather into flocks and fly around promiscuously and ravenously searching for food, depend upon it, a snow storm is near at hand and the more numerous the birds appear the more severe the storm will prove.

AUCTION SALE.

Minor Davidson, administrator, will sell at the residence of the late Solomon Smith, one half mile south of Britton Station, on Wednesday, Jan. 23, 1884, at 12 o'clock m., the following property: 40 sheep, Champion reaper, nearly new, Cauldron kettle, undivided half of 24 acres of wheat on ground, quantity of hay, 2 straw stacks, lumber wagon, hay rack, 3 work horses, mower, set harness, 2 white ash bedsteads, wool mattress, wire spring bed, 36 yards Ingrain carpet, 50 bushels potatoes, pair wooled blankets, pair pillows, 3 horse whiffletrees, crosscut saw, the household furniture is all new. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford auctioneer.

A NARROW ESCAPE

About ten o'clock last Saturday afternoon a fire broke out in Keil's jewelry and book store which threatened to develop into a disastrous conflagration. The flames originated in the cellar, which was stored full of paper and stationery stock, and filled the store above with a dense volume of smoke in less than a minute. The firemen responded promptly and the cellar was soon flooded with water and the flames extinguished. The goods stored in the cellar will probably be a total loss, and the stock up stairs was considerably damaged by smoke. Mr. Keil estimates his total damage in the neighborhood of six thousand dollars, which is fully covered by insurance. There was considerable consternation in the hotel for a few minutes until it was understood that the fire was under control. Fortunately the fire walls between the corner store and adjoining ones kept the fire out of the hotel. Or rather the fire walls and the steamer. Without the latter the entire Lilley House block would have been in ruins in three hours' time. The steamer paid for itself four times over in about fifteen minutes last Saturday forenoon. A reasonable expenditure for fire protection is always economy in the long run.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 17, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Blissfield has a new orchestra.

J. S. Cordley, piano tuner, will be here next week.

Who says that our firemen did not work nobly last Saturday?

The fire engine paid for itself a dozen times over last Saturday.

The M. & O. are now running purely passenger trains, the freights being separate.

W. H. Osborn, of Milwaukee, made a flying visit to his old home the first of the week.

Chauncey Cooper, of Cambridge, favored the HERALD with a friendly call yesterday.

The hardware firm of Wetmore & Belding, of Adrian, has dissolved, the latter retiring.

Manchester has an alumni lecture course, conducted by the Alumni Society of the High School.

The ice crop is being gathered now and is of superior quality, twelve inches thick and clear as crystal.

The last lecture of the Clinton course was delivered by Prof. Steere. The next man will be Col. Sanford.

F. A. Dewey, Esq., of Cambridge, has taken a Tecumseh paper since the first issue of the HERALD in May.

Geo. Collins, formerly of Macon, graduate of our High School, was recently admitted to the bar in Detroit.

The new pension board has been decided on and will consist of Drs. Rynd and Reynolds, of Adrian, and Dr. Dayton Parker, of Blissfield.

P. J. Welling will be at O. P. Bills' bank on Friday of this week and on Friday of next week to accommodate those who have not paid their taxes.

We would like to balance our books to Jan. 1st, 1884. All indebted to us please call and settle, and oblige
W. & S. W. ANDERSON & CO.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman wishes to announce to all persons indebted to her that she is much in need of money, and wishes all indebted to her to take notice.

The Roller Skating at the Opera House has been very well attended and will be continued each night this week. A lot of new skates arrived to-day.

Wallace Tilden rejoices over the possession of a bouncing boy baby which arrived at his home last week. The boy will be named Samuel Jones Tilden.

Will Eccles has just received a large invoice of Florida oranges direct from J. B. Swan's plantation. They were purchased of Mr. Swan, himself, and are prime.

Those who want to get married before Lent will be interested to know that Ash Wednesday occurs on February 17th, and that Easter Sunday falls on April 6th, 1884.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Swan started yesterday for Florida. He goes down to inspect his orange plantation, and she will remain a few weeks until warmer weather prevails in this latitude.

Morenci Observer: A Morenci father has agreed to pay his son $100 if said son will quit smoking for one year; and if the latter fails, he is to "fork over" a like sum to his paternal.

The next annual encampment of the Michigan state troops at Brighton will be as a brigade organization, and not by regiments scattered in different parts of the encampment ground.

O. W. Bean had a policy upon his tannery of $2,500 in the North American, of Philadelphia. The state agent was in town on the 10th inst., just one week after the fire, and settled the loss in full. Pretty prompt work.

Adrian Record: The lately married editor of the Tecumseh Herald announces that hereafter his literary bureau will be run on standard time. He gets to his office in the morning now 28 minutes later than he used to.

Those who witnessed Mattie Vickers on a former occasion will be sure to secure seats for the evening of the 28th, when she is to appear here again, and those who did not see her will miss a rich treat if they let this opportunity pass.

A new time schedule went into effect on the Toledo & Ann Arbor road last Sunday. This is the only line running through coaches between Toledo and Port Huron, making connections to and from Canadian points via the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada.

Adrian Record: The Boy's Weekly claims that Adrian has 25 lawyers, and adds that all of them "are strict church members except 25." It is evident that the smart lads who print the Boys' Weekly are going to be journalists. Already they have begun to stretch the truth.

Blissfield Advance: A married woman in Ogden is a terrible scold, but has a horror of rats. Her husband has dead rodents hidden a in convenient receptacle, and when she commences to upraid him produces a big fellow, which frightens her so that she can't speak a word.

A farmers' institute will be held at Chelsea on the 22d and 23d insts.

Mrs. Col. Church, of Ithaca, is passing a few days at her mother's, Mrs. Perley Bills.

Rev. S. C. Pratt, of Monroe, will preach in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church to-night at 7:30. A cordial welcome to all to come and hear.

J. N. Hathaway, of Addison, was in town yesterday and paid his respects at the HERALD office. Addison men are frequently seen in Tecumseh since the opening of the M. & O.

An old maids' conclave took place in Adrian recently, fifteen matronly sort of ladies who had never known the felicities of wedded life getting together to laugh or mourn. A number of old bachelors were invited to the party, which seemed to give the occasion an air of business—not known whether it will ever result in any heirs-apparent.

Mrs. Calhoun, who reads at the Opera House on the 21st inst., is a very charming lady socially as well as on the platform. Those who recommend her to us here say that she will make friends wherever she goes, and we trust our citizens will appreciate the opportunity of hearing her, and give her a cordial welcome to Tecumseh.

The second time schedule of the M. & O. road has been adopted going into effect last Sunday, January 13th. Another train was put on the road at that time. The time trains pass our station now is as follows. Passenger—West at 11:39 A. M.; East at 1:23 P. M. These trains pass each other at Addison. Freight West at 8:56 A. M.; East at 4:38 P. M.

The Blissfield Advance has this item:

A new postoffice has been established at Dutton, two and one-half miles north of Rome Center, and four miles south of Tecumseh.

The boy who wrote this should post up on local geography. The fact is a new postoffice, called Sutton, has been established four miles south of Tecumseh on the Jackson Branch.

One of Kelly's Corners' wealthy farmers, who does a private banking, is said to have taken alarm at the fact that crime is stalking through the land, and has turned his house into an arsenal, as in every room he has guns, rifles, and revolvers hanging up loaded and ready for instant use. We warn characters of the Jesse James stride to steer clear of his locality.

Vernor's almanac for 1884 is out.—Opposite the first five days in January, ending with the memorable Saturday is the following legend, which may be of interest: "New Year's mild; no snow; dust or mud in many sections. Waters quite open. Generally open weather in U. S. Local rains or snow and sleet flurries. A great contrast to 1883 January." Weather prophets have seldom made breaks as bad as this for a starter.

The meetings at the Baptist church continue with growing interest. Congregations are large and professed conversions are reported every evening. Evangelist Hatch will remain another week. His singing is marvelous and is accompanied with wonderful power. Rev. L. Kirtley was called away to attend a funeral in Jackson yesterday, but will occupy the pulpit as usual, the rest of the week.

The telegraph line on the M. & O. is now completed from Toledo through to Allegan, and at least half of the depots are furnished and occupied.—The stations at Tecumseh, Addison, Homer, Hanover, Jerome, Battle Creek, Monteith, and perhaps some others are in complete shape and officered ready for business. The passenger train which was put on last Monday is well patronized, and freight already begins to move.

TWO SIGNIFICANT LETTERS.

We gladly rearrange our forms this afternoon to make room for the following letters, which will explain themselves. The business men in Tecumseh can heartily join with Messrs. Lilley and Bills in their commendation of the firemen.

TECUMSEH, Mich., Jan. 14, 1884.

S. W. Bordine, Chief Tecumseh Fire Department:

Dear Sir,—Please accept the enclosed as a slight testimonial of our appreciation of the services of the department in arresting the fire in our block on the 12th inst. If any have suffered in health from exposure, please use it for medical advice, to replace damaged clothing, or such other object as the department shall deem best. Again thanking you, we remain, very truly, yours,
LUCIUS LILLEY,
OSCAR P. BILLS.

The enclosure in this letter was $50 in gold.

To Lucius Lilley and Oscar P. Bills:

Gentlemen,—In behalf of the Tecumseh fire department, allow me to extend our hearty thanks for your appreciation of our efforts in subduing the fire in your block on Saturday last; also, what is more grateful to us, your kind solicitation for health or damage, if any was sustained. Such tokens of regard can but stimulate the department to a higher state of efficiency in the future and help them to overcome those defects, of which none are more conscious than the department itself.

Yours, respectfully,
S. W. BORDINE,
Chief Tecumseh Fire Department.

O. W. Bean offers his real estate and a large amount of personal property for sale. See his card in another column.

The prospectus of the New York World appears in another column. The World, under its new proprietorship, is rapidly assuming the position of the leading democratic newspaper of the United States. It is the organ of no faction, but upholds democratic ideas, and seeks the triumph of democratic principles. The weekly edition is furnished for one dollar a year.

The Clinton News gives the following account of Dr. E. F. Tuttle's funeral:

"The funeral of Dr. E. F. Tuttle took place this afternoon at St. John's church. During its continuance all places of business in town were closed out of respect to the memory. The church was crowded with relatives and friends, and the services were impressive. The doctor's pew was draped in mourning, as well as the altar, the chancel rail and the pulpit. The floral tributes were costly and beautiful. Rev. St. John conducted the solemn service for the dead, and preached a beautiful discourse. The doctor's Sunday school class of young men attended in a body and acted as escort. Rev. W. P. Wastell, an old friend of the doctor, occupied a seat within the chancel and read one of the hymns. This was in accordance with an understanding between Dr. Tuttle and Mr. Wastell, that if the former died first, the latter should thus read a hymn at his funeral. The floral offerings consisted of a harp from the ladies society of St. John's church, also a sickle—a pillow with the words, "Our Teacher," from the doctor's Sunday school class, and a cross from Mr. and Mrs. George Kies and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kies."

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the society of the First Presbyterian church of Tecumseh was held on the afternoon of Jan. 8th, in the audience-room of the church, at which there was quite a large attendance.

The meeting was organized by election of Hon. A. D. Hall as chairman, and A. W. Mills, Esq., as clerk of the meeting.

The reports of the trustees and treasurer of the church were read and approved, showing that an earnest interest had been taken by the society in providing for late improvements upon the church building and all the material interests of the church and society.

At this meeting there was accepted the resignation of Judge S. C. LeBaron of the office of clerk, which he had held continuously for fully fifty years. In the discharge of the duties of that office many can testify of the arduous duties in the long years ago laid upon him when all the financial needs of the church and support of pastor depended, not only upon subscription lists, but the equally difficult task of collecting the subscriptions given. A great change and improved method was reached with the system of pew rentals.

In accepting his resignation the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved,—That we give testimony of the faithful long service of Judge S. C. LeBaron as clerk of this society from its organization, now nearly, if not quite, a period of half a century, and we tender him our sincere thanks for his prompt and impartial discharge of official duty. We take pleasure, also, in the contemplation of such gratuitous services, so materially contributing in the long years past to the financial prosperity and success of the organization; and finally, in response to his resignation of office, which we have this day received, we send him in his present retirement, bound by the infirmities of disease and declining years, greetings of our ardent christian sympathy, and commend him to the grace and mercy of Our Heavenly Father, preparatory for him and us, for the remaining trials that await us.

Resolved,—That the above resolution be spread upon the records of this society, and a copy be delivered to Judge LeBaron.

Mr. A. W. Mills was elected trustee of the society in the place of E. B. Wood, whose term of office now expired, and who declined a new election which was tendered him.

Mr. P. S. McKinnon was re-elected treasurer.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted as the expression of the sentiments cherished for Mr. John S. Strong, so long the chorister of this church, than whom none of all the men who in one way and another have promoted so long the interests of this society, by personal service and liberal financial aid:

At this annual meeting of the society of the Presbyterian church of Tecumseh, Michigan, held January 7th, 1884, it was

Resolved, That we take this occasion to bear testimony of our sincere appreciation of the labors of our brother, Mr. John S. Strong, now more than thirty years past the chorister of this church, particularly commending his success and the happy selection of musical talent he has brought to his aid, of whom some, we are reminded, have gone to join the choir above.

We also congratulate him upon the acceptable and excellent character of the music he has given us the privilege to listen to, not forgetting the great anxiety, taxation of time and strength, as well as liberal contributions for its success, it has occasioned him in the devotion of his gifts to the Master's service. Nor would we fail most cheerfully to recognize the very important auxiliary in our church choir to the maintenance of public worship, ascribing thanksgiving to God for the "songs of the sanctuary."

After this the usual renting of pews was attended to.

The Macon correspondent of the Clinton News says: In passing to Tecumseh we notice that Rufus Hall is cutting down his old orchard and using it for firewood. It is said to be the oldest one on the road from Tecumseh to Ann Arbor, and the most productive of any in this section.

Adrian Times: Something over forty years ago a piece of land in Rollin township was conveyed to a board of trustees consisting of ten men, for a burying ground. Five of them are still living, and as they are quite aged, it was thought best to get their interest in the township board of health. Supervisor Raymond reports that he called upon each of them and took their acknowledgment, and each one was able to sign his name in a very legible hand. Their united ages are 394 years, and respective ages, 60, 80, 83, 73 and 80.

The Adrian Times of Friday contains the notice of the death of Mrs. Harriet N. Hampton. The deceased at one time lived in Tecumseh, and had many old friends among the older residents.

A telegram was received on Wednesday by Mr. Philo T. Mills, of this city, conveying the sad intelligence of the death of his sister, Mrs. Harriet N. Hampton, of Toledo. Mrs. Hampton, with her daughters, Mrs. J. P. Brown and Mrs. H. C. Hohn, and their families from Toledo, passed New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Mills and other friends, at the residence of Mrs. D. A. Dodge, of this city—a merry company. Mrs. Hampton returned to Toledo Thursday afternoon in her usual health. On Sunday following she was stricken with paralysis, and became unconscious until Wednesday, when she passed away. A large number of family friends went to Toledo this morning to attend her funeral, which occurred this afternoon, at the residence of Hon. T. P. Brown. Mrs. Hampton was the daughter of Major John Mills, one of the pioneers of Frankfort. She was for many years a resident of Frankfort, and also of Tecumseh, the wife of Isaac H. Hampton, who died some few years since. Her many friends in these towns will be pained to hear that she has passed away, and will recall her many excellencies.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The Circuit Court for this county convened on the morning of the 15th. The business of the November term was first called, and continued only for a extension of time in one or two cases in which to settle bills of exceptions. Meanwhile an unusually large batch of prisoners had been brought from the county and roared in a row in front of the wall. They were guarded by officers, and were in charge of Sheriff Bidwell and his deputies. As soon as the January term was opened the work of arraigning the prisoners was commenced.

The first case on the calendar was that of James Marsape, the Russian burglar. He had already pleaded not guilty, and his case was reported ready for trial.

Chas. King, the Morenci young man, who is charged with resisting an officer, was not ready to plead.

Almon Bailey, the Palmyra boy who stole John Gregory's horse and buggy, on the 7th of last December, pleaded guilty.

Silas Spellar, who is a vicious looking chap of perhaps 20 years of age, it will be remembered stole a horse and buggy from a son of J. H. Green, of Raisin, on the evening of the 13th of November last, and who was promptly overhauled and captured by Mr. Green and son. He pleaded guilty.

Adelbert Livermore, who was accused of having stolen a horse from a Woodstock man on the 29th of last October, pleaded not guilty, and asked that counsel be assigned him.

Geo. W. Reese, a stalwart young fellow, with bright blue eyes and the blondest of hair and moustache, stood up in a suit of blue, and answered to a charge of robbing Adelbert Purcell, in this city, last June. He said he "guessed he might as well plead guilty, although he didn't take the money from Purcell."

Thomas McCue and Patrick Melan, stepped up and plead not guilty to a charge of having robbed Richard Hamilton of some few dollars in money, a watch and a jug of whisky.

In the case against John Page, for attempted larceny from the person, the prosecutor was not yet ready to file an information.

James Sherman was accused of stealing from Alf. Miller's house at Blissfield, in the day time, on the 24th of December. He pleaded guilty.

Bendager Seaman appeared in a well fitting suit of "nigger head" clothes, and with a head covered with bushy curls, and said he was not guilty of stealing from Chas. Aldrich.

John C. Anderson was arraigned on a charge of forging a couple of notes on Mark Rorick, the notes being dated Nov. 13, 1883. He pleaded not guilty and would employ counsel.

Barney Lauritzen and Timothy Curtin, the two fellows who next stepped up to the bar, were accused of forging receipts for the bills of Mrs. West's boarding house in Tecumseh. Lauritzen was a youth of tall stature and milk white eyes and hair. He pleaded guilty, and at once seemed to feel better. Curtin was older and smaller, and he stepped out with a game eye, a checked cotton shirt and stolid indifference, and said he was not guilty. He was also impecunious, and could not even recollect how old he was.

No information was filed in the case against James Kegan for forgery, although the prosecutor said the case would be reached this term.

The prosecuting attorney mentioned the case of Leo Weil, the boy who was arrested for stealing a ring, which was afterward found in the house from which he was supposed to have stolen it, and said he would bring the case in for the attention of the court.

Judge Howell then stated that the civil cases, which were to be tried by jury, would not come on before a week from next Tuesday; the calling of the calendar would be deferred until next Tuesday; the first week of court would be devoted to criminal cases.

MRS. CALHOUN'S RECITALS.

It may be interesting to the public to know that Mrs. Margaret Custer Calhoun, who is engaged to give one of her delightful recitals at the opera house, Monday, Jan. 21st, is a sister of the late General Custer, and that she lost a husband, three brothers and a nephew in the same battle in which the brave general perished. She was, at that time, at Fort Lincoln with the general's wife, but after the terrible strife was over she buried her own and dressed and prepared to bury the remains of her husband, brothers and nephew, who never rose from the stack they had defended. Since her husband's death Mrs. Calhoun has been her brother's housekeeper, traveling and attending several lectures of good authority have heard her read, and have given her enthusiastic encouragement. From a number of press notices we select these:

"At the Church of Our Father, last evening, Mrs. Calhoun gave an excellently chosen program of dramatic readings. She has a fine stage presence, and graceful action. Her voice is pleasing, of sufficient power, and under admirable control. Best of all, the lady shows an almost entire absence of mannerisms, so common, and perhaps detrimental, to the success of the average elocutionist."—Detroit Free Press.

"Mrs. Calhoun's reading was a rare treat. Everyone is enthusiastic in her praise. The selections were all given in a very sweet and beautiful manner."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

"Mrs. Calhoun's recitations called forth the enthusiastic applause of the audience. Her manner was easy and graceful, she showed great facility of expression, and gave the fullest interpretation to the sentiments of her selections."—Saginaw Morning Herald.

The Blissfield Advance says: "The big engine suit, we understand, is ended in the supreme court in a few days. The docket number of the case is 141, and it is expected it will be reached early in the term. We believe the only question involved is the validity of Mr. Rich's appointment, and his actions under the law. The constitutionality of the law is in no way assailed."

Company B of Adrian, has elected [illegible] lieutenant.

[illegible] call and try one [illegible] the finest and purest [illegible] pleases them [illegible] and [illegible] in the [illegible]

P. J. Welling is now [illegible] and ready to do all kinds of repairing, [illegible] and [illegible] in order on short notice.

Notice.—Young men just married, and those going to housekeeping, [illegible] Slayton & Kinney's [illegible] Furniture [illegible] Parlor Suits, Chamber Sets, Old and Antique Furniture at Brown's Studio.

See all at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and look to their stock.

You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends on the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

Buttons knocked out of pocketbooks at Pennock's cheap store, next door to Herald office. The goods are going up to be sold for what they will bring. Come and get prices. Six ounce reels only 7 cents apiece. Fodder with one button, only $2.25, and other goods in proportion.

W. N. Sheldon has a [illegible] lot of [illegible] weights. Call and see them.

Farmers should improve some of these fine days by securing their shade before the substance fades.

On and after January 1st, 1884, we will discount at 10 per cent on all undertaking [illegible] within 90 days from date of purchase money.

If you are in need of lumber of any kind, be for your interest to call at Pennock's, one door east of Herald office.

Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh, carry a large stock of Trunks. Get prices they will not be undersold.

Call at Pennock's cheap store for cheap fancy goods.

Notice.—The best assortment of hairs and furniture at Palmer's factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

For the best buckwheat flour and the lowest prices, go to
Slayton & Son.

Furniture Polish.—The best furniture Polish now in use is for sale at Slayton & Kinney's furniture store. Get a sample bottle and make your old furniture new.

Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

If you want a nice cutter, pair of bobs or runners for your carriage, go to
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LILLEY HOUSE, Adrian, Mich. Rates $1.50 per day. Single meals, 25c. Lodgings, 25 to 50 cents. Sample rooms free. Omnibus to and from all trains. Wm. Lilley, Proprietor.

BURNETT HOUSE, Adrian, Mich. Rates $1.50 per day. Single meals, 25c. Lodgings, 25 to 50 cents. Sample rooms free. Omnibus to and from all trains. Wm. Burnett, Proprietor.

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Lifted Up

A happy surprise it was to Mr. A. R. Norton, of Bristol, Conn., when Athlophoros put him on his feet, and set him cheerfully about his business. Let him tell his own story:

"About three weeks ago I was taken with a severe attack of the back. For nine days I was unable to stir in bed without help, and when I did attempt to do so I fainted from pain. I was attended by two physicians, who treated me for rheumatism, but their medicine failed. I was advised to try Athlophoros, and before I had taken half a bottle I could turn in bed without fainting. In two days I was able to get about, and in a few days more, to resume my business. In my case, at my age, Athlophoros did what two physicians and much medicine failed to do, namely, cure me."

A poor man in Nashua, Iowa, Kansas, lost a valuable horse. Being out of work, and on account of his poverty, unable to obtain a secret, he was informed terribly from kidney disease. He gratefully writes:

"I took one dose Tuesday afternoon, and on Wednesday, after but seven doses, I had not a sharp or severe pain left. Then I replaced the dose on the shelf, and took the remainder of the bottle. I was able to be steady at work all Saturday, when I took a severe cold and was unable to use my left hand. I purchased another bottle and by bed time I felt well. The medicine is all you claim for it."

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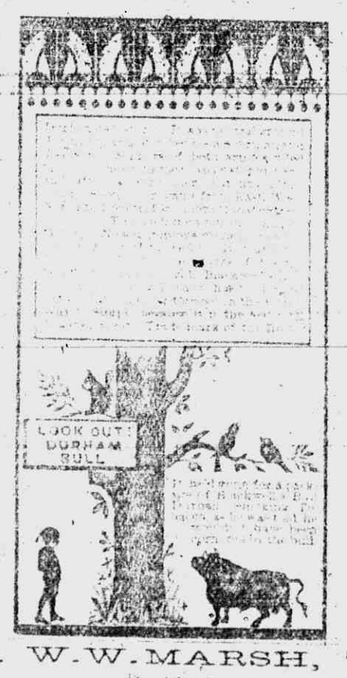

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TECUMSEH, - MICHIGAN.

Neither Pig Nor Puppy.

A dear friend of mine, who is a never-failing fund of anecdotes, was telling the other day how the expression "neither pig nor puppy" originated. During the Know-Nothing campaign in Virginia, James Lyons met Henry A. Wise, his kinsman, on the stump. Mr. Lyons accused his antagonist of having [illegible] from one party to another with [illegible] facility. Wise, in turn, [illegible] kind and said little on his own behalf except that he could be relied on to do anything for his friends. Lyons, [illegible] the Administration, [illegible] political favors. Wise replied that he had [illegible] Lyons, and [illegible] the Secretary of the Interior, [illegible] Lyons's father-in-law, [illegible] Wise, in time, [illegible] Lyons, [illegible] Wise, [illegible] Lyons's father happened to hear of this and, in a generous moment, ordered a negro to catch one of his finest pigs and carry it to his friend. The boy [illegible] was ordered and forthwith proceeded on his journey. Half way there was a public house and Sambo stopped to get a drink of whisky. The bag containing the pig was put behind [illegible] Warmed by the liquor, the negro told the whole story of his mission. Some wild fellows heard it and determined to have a little fun. They removed the pig from the bag and introduced a puppy in its place.

The negro soon delivered his load, received his money, and finally appeared with his burden before the delighted farmer, who was, of course, a Whig. He told the story to raise the wind and to blow off the pressure. To [illegible] Lyons and regale the party, he added, with [illegible] the negro was [illegible] to run the puppy and go home to his master. [illegible] Reaching the farm on his return trip, the young [illegible] had previously treated him [illegible] to drink, and with some of [illegible] around the puppy and relieved [illegible] of a good quarter.

[illegible] again took up his bag and [illegible] in a state of mental perplexity. Confronted [illegible] he told how he had stated [illegible] that had turned to a puppy and could not account for it [illegible] of a diabolical intervention. The farmer saw clearly that there was no puppy about his place, and emphatically ordered the poor negro to untie the bag and let the dashed thing go. Unwinding the bag, out bounded the pig, with a grunt of delight at deliverance. The farmer turned out at the negro for his [illegible] propensities and threatened him with condign chastisement. The astonished darkey flung up his hands in desperate protestation, while ejaculating, "Lordy Lord massa, when I first opened that was a pig, and I turned to a puppy, and when I started again it was a puppy and turned to a pig! The dained thing can turn to a pig or puppy whenever it chooses."

Mr. Wise had no occasion to make an application to his opponent. The crowd took it unanimously and bore the speaker off on their shoulders in triumph.—*Richmond (Va.) Chronicle.*

How the Scheme for the Bartholdi Statue Originated.

It is not generally known how the scheme for a colossal statue of Liberty originated. It was about a fortnight ago when M. Bartholdi came to this country for the first time, bringing letters with him from Edouard Laboulaye and other great friends of union between France and America. One of the persons to whom M. Bartholdi went on his arrival in New York was Mrs. Booth, who, known as a translator of books by Laboulaye, as one of the first historians [illegible] and as the editor of *Hearth and Home*. M. Bartholdi presented to Mrs. Booth his colossal statue, which [illegible] permanence was a mark of [illegible] friendship with the United States. He said, moreover, that, as in [illegible] the idea for the statue had [illegible] Bedloe's Island, which seemed to him the right place for such a statue. Mr. Bartholdi's scheme was [illegible] to state lodge of honor [illegible] was [illegible] Mr. Bartholdi returned to his [illegible] certain debate [illegible] Mr. Bartholdi and [illegible] as a sculptor [illegible] He had done some [illegible] and he was regarded as an [illegible] Lafayette, of New [illegible] Lafayette came the war with [illegible] M. Bartholdi [illegible] the scheme [illegible] He [illegible] people [illegible] Laboulaye [illegible] Mrs. Booth [illegible] Mrs. Booth [illegible] Bartholdi [illegible] Mrs. Booth [illegible] Bartholdi [illegible] Mrs. Booth [illegible] Bartholdi

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 43. Accom.
		12 P.M.	12 P.M.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 59 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 16 "	3 33 "
Tecumseh	8 07 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	10 20 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Petroit	9 00 "	6 42 "	
Toledo		5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 38. Express.	No. 42. Accom.
Toledo	8 00 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Petroit	10 20 "	7 30 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 32 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 35 "	8 51 "	8 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
Macksburg	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 16 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	1 00 "	10 52 "	9 52 "
Jackson			

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27. P. M.	21. A. M.	23. P. M.
Detroit	9 10	9 10	5 20
Berkmans		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 31
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Adams	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Hillsdale		12 04	5 52
Montgomery	1 02	12 35	6 26
Bakers		12 48	6 39
Butler	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		3 50	9 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26. A. M.	22. P. M.	28. A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
Butler	P. M. 2 40	A. M. 8 05	2 27
Bakers	3 05	8 45	
Montgomery	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Hillsdale	3 52	9 28	
North Adams	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 39	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 20	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Wyandotte	5 41	11 18	
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

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TIME TABLE.

TAKE EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

Toledo Time by Central Time.

GOING NORTH. | STATIONS. | GOING SOUTH.

Nº 1 Mixed	Nº 3 Mail	Nº 5 Express	Nº 7 Mixed
A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
7 00	1 45	4 55	9 30
7 20	2 05	5 15	9 10
7 35	2 20	5 30	8 55
7 45	2 30	5 40	8 45
8 00	2 45	5 55	8 30
8 10	2 55	6 05	8 20
8 20	3 05	6 15	8 10
8 35	3 20	6 30	7 55
8 45	3 30	6 40	7 45
9 00	3 45	6 55	7 30
9 10	3 55	7 05	7 20
9 25	4 10	7 20	7 05
9 35	4 20	7 30	6 55
9 45	4 30	7 40	6 45
9 55	4 40	7 50	6 35
10 05	4 50	8 00	6 25
10 15	5 00	8 10	6 15
10 25	5 10	8 20	6 05
10 35	5 20	8 30	5 55
10 45	5 30	8 40	5 45
11 00	5 45	8 55	5 30
11 10	5 55	9 05	5 20
11 20	6 05	9 15	5 10
11 30	6 15	9 25	5 00
11 40	6 25	9 35	4 50
11 50	6 35	9 45	4 40
12 00	6 45	9 55	4 30
12 10	6 55	10 05	4 20
12 20	7 05	10 15	4 10
12 30	7 15	10 25	4 00
12 40	7 25	10 35	3 50
12 50	7 35	10 45	3 40
1 00	7 45	10 55	3 30
1 10	7 55	11 05	3 20
1 20	8 05	11 15	3 10
1 30	8 15	11 25	3 00
1 40	8 25	11 35	2 50
1 50	8 35	11 45	2 40
2 00	8 45	11 55	2 30
2 10	8 55	12 05	2 20
2 20	9 05	12 15	2 10
2 30	9 15	12 25	2 00
2 40	9 25	12 35	1 50
2 50	9 35	12 45	1 40
3 00	9 45	12 55	1 30
3 10	9 55	1 05	1 20
3 20	10 05	1 15	1 10
3 30	10 15	1 25	1 00
3 40	10 25	1 35	12 50
3 50	10 35	1 45	12 40
4 00	10 45	1 55	12 30
4 10	10 55	2 05	12 20
4 20	11 05	2 15	12 10
4 30	11 15	2 25	12 00
4 40	11 25	2 35	11 50
4 50	11 35	2 45	11 40
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5 10	11 55	3 05	11 20
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5 30	12 15	3 25	11 00
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5 50	12 35	3 45	10 40
6 00	12 45	3 55	10 30
6 10	12 55	4 05	10 20
6 20	1 05	4 15	10 10
6 30	1 15	4 25	10 00
6 40	1 25	4 35	9 50
6 50	1 35	4 45	9 40
7 00	1 45	4 55	9 30
7 10	1 55	5 05	9 20
7 20	2 05	5 15	9 10
7 30	2 15	5 25	9 00
7 40	2 25	5 35	8 50
7 50	2 35	5 45	8 40
8 00	2 45	5 55	8 30
8 10	2 55	6 05	8 20
8 20	3 05	6 15	8 10
8 30	3 15	6 25	8 00
8 40	3 25	6 35	7 50
8 50	3 35	6 45	7 40
9 00	3 45	6 55	7 30
9 10	3 55	7 05	7 20
9 20	4 05	7 15	7 10
9 30	4 15	7 25	7 00
9 40	4 25	7 35	6 50
9 50	4 35	7 45	6 40
10 00	4 45	7 55	6 30
10 10	4 55	8 05	6 20
10 20	5 05	8 15	6 10
10 30	5 15	8 25	6 00
10 40	5 25	8 35	5 50
10 50	5 35	8 45	5 40

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 17, 1884.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

[illegible]

WASHINGTON.

[illegible]

THE EAST.

[illegible]

WEST AND SOUTH.

[illegible]

kirk, N. Y., the snow covering the entire train and locomotive. The passengers remained inaccessibly snowed up in the cars seven hours, and provisions were sent them from Dunkirk. Snow plows and workmen arrived in the afternoon, and after hard work the train proceeded to Pittsburgh nine hours late.

MENCKES, recently arrested as the supposed murderer of Katie Bradschaft, at Elmira, N. Y., has been thoroughly identified. When taken to view the remains of the girl on the 12th, before the coroner's jury, he carefully examined the corpse critically and said: "I don't think Katie's face was as long as that."

AT Erie, Pa., on the 12th Leonard Glenogo engaged in a quarrel and emptied his revolver among a crowd of persons, killing Pasquale De Carlos and dangerously wounding Charles De Carlos. The murderer was arrested.

AT Boston, Mass., on the morning fire in the central office of the New England Telephone Company destroyed many connections with forty thousand instruments, leaving the city entirely without telephone service.

THE Sunday fast express on the Lake Shore & Pittsburgh Railroad, bound Rochester-westward, was derailed near Warsaw, Wyoming Co., N. Y., on the 13th. The conductor of the sleeper and [illegible] were injured by being thrown against the stove by a broken [illegible] and a number of others more or less bruised and strained. The damage to the cars and track was [illegible].

[illegible]

The remains of the German statesman Herr Lasker were taken to Europe on the 12th in the steamer Nestor. Mayor Grace, of New York, and a large number of prominent citizens were present at the obsequies.

E. W. COLEMAN & Co. and J. M. Flint & Co., heavy New York grain dealers, failed on the 12th.

THE mining of the diamond fields in South Africa is believed to be the greatest [illegible] ever known. [illegible] was recently [illegible] at Boston, Mass. [illegible]

JOHN WANAMAKER [illegible] the Pennsylvania Railroad Company [illegible] at Philadelphia on the 12th [illegible] engine. He was [illegible] of the United States Supreme Court from [illegible] years.

A FIRE in the Farmer's Hotel, Pittsfield, Mass., on the morning of the 12th, was extinguished after a [illegible] school at Stockbridge, Mass., [illegible] was [illegible] the fire and [illegible] saving the dames. Several hundred children were on the spot at the time. The loss was [illegible] unknown.

[illegible]

THE President of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad says that the [illegible] mortgage bondholders given the Union Trust Company covers all the property belonging to the company in their opinion. Only two and a half million [illegible] was obtained from the Trust Company on one of the bonds, which the president says is sufficient to meet all the present need.

A desperado named Gilliland, known as the Jesse James of Arkansas, was shot and killed by Jesse Malone near Fayetteville, Ark., on the 11th.

DURING a quarrel at Dillon, Ga., on the 11th Robert Tatt, a railroad engineer, was fatally wounded by a bartender named Faddal. In trying to prevent the difficulty, Deputy Sheriff Pratt was wounded in the groin.

THE flouring mill of John Spende, at New Martinsville, W. Va., burned on the 13th. Loss, $10,000; partially insured.

W. P. RATHBURN, President of the First National Bank of Chattanooga, Tenn., and well known as a leading Southern capitalist, died on the 11th.

AN immense amount of damage was done in the vicinity of Mobile, Ala., by the recent cold snap. The loss to the orange groves is estimated at nearly a million dollars and the value of the vegetables killed in Mobile County alone will reach the same sum. Great damage was also done in the orange groves of Florida.

AN attachment for $350,000 against the Cleveland, Youngstown & Pittsburgh Railroad was recently served. The suit was brought by William A. Rapp for alleged breach of contract.

A CHARLESTOWN (W. Va.) dispatch of the 12th says the unprecedented rise in the Elk River, a branch of the Kanawha, caused the loss of not less than $100,000 in staves, bark and lumber. Among the losers are the Oxley Stave Company, their loss including barges of staves; Boston Stave Company, $25,000, and Malley & Trueheart, over $10,000.

ARTICLES of incorporation of the New York, Rock Island & Omaha Railroad Company, which contemplates the construction of a railroad from Chicago to Rock Island and thence to Des Moines, Iowa, were filed at Springfield, Ill., on the 12th.

ASHCRAFT & Co.'s elevator at Milwaukee, Wis., was damaged by fire on the morning of the 12th to the extent of $12,000, the stock and machinery $8,000; insured. Twenty thousand bushels of barley were scorched and wet.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

THE English military authorities having refused permission to General Gordon to proceed up the Congo River, he has resigned his position in the British army to fill an engagement with the King of the Belgians. He goes principally to suppress the slave trade in the district where the Stanley rivers and lakes are their supplies.

A dispatch of the 12th from London, England, states that the steamer Argyle, from New York for Inverness, had arrived off Lizard with a report that she spoke the steamer [illegible] in latitude [illegible] north, longitude [illegible] west, and took off several of her passengers and transferred them to a [illegible] for Falmouth. The Argyle left the Lizard [illegible] from London.

THE German Senate has decided to [illegible] the immediate abrogation of the [illegible] law passed in May.

ADVICES from Cairo, Egypt, of the 12th state that the inhabitants of that province are [illegible] preparing for war. They are building a telegraph line between that place and Dongola, on the frontier. The Viceroy of Egypt has held a grand assembly among the people to prepare to repel the French invaders, at the same time expressing friendship toward other powers.

IT was announced in St. Petersburg on the 12th that Jaldinsky and a sister of Hartman had confessed complicity in the murder of Alexander II., planned the recent attempt on the Czar. It was rumored that the woman had already been secretly hanged.

THE Queen of England has [illegible] arrangements to begin the erection of a cathedral in Westminster, to cost over half a million sterling, and to be erected within a [illegible] of Victoria station. The design [illegible] is similar to the Votive Kirche of Vienna.

THE Upper House of the Hungarian Diet has rejected by 70 to 51 votes the bill legalizing marriages between Jews and Christians.

SIMON, the Vienna engineer, who was arrested on the charge of murdering four girls after promising them marriage, and robbing them, has confessed. An accomplice named S. Mossard was also arrested.

THE Berlin [illegible] publishes a decree of the Emperor of China urging an energetic resistance to the aggressions of the French.

A MAN was arrested at Vienna on the 12th on suspicion of being concerned in the [illegible] murder of the house of Herr Eisert. He was confronted with Eisert, who recognized him as one of the assailants.

LATER NEWS.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

The Tecumseh Herald.

VOL. XXXIV.—NO. 33. TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 24, 1884. WHOLE NO. 1727.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Well that Sunday school concert advertised to be held in the Christian church in East Ridgeway on last Thursday night, came off at the time announced, and now since it is among the things that have passed I feel it to be meet to say a few things concerning it, partly from hear say and partly from observation, and by the way offer a few friendly criticisms, which I trust will be received by those for whom they are intended, as being offered by a sincere friend and well wisher, who has only the good of those for whom he offers them at heart.

I am told that the actors only had two evenings practice, and to those but few were present. The last evening's practice, as I am informed, was the night previous to the concert, and so few were present and so poorly did they perform that the leading spirits present felt, as I am told, that the concert would be a grand failure.—To the pastor had been committed the arranging of the program, at least so I am informed, and which I noticed by its reading was, with the exception of the instrumental duets in keeping with the advertised entertainment, which was a 'Sunday School Concert.' I will here say that such duets should not, in my judgement, be admitted in a Sunday School concert, and I wonder that that pastor made them a part of that program. While speaking of these duets and to show their incongruity in a Sunday School concert indulge me in saying that upon the pronouncing of the benediction by the pastor a couple of young ladies sat down to the organ and began the playing of some quick-step march, whereupon a lot of boys who were standing on the pulpit platform and in the aisle in front of it commenced to shuffle their feet in a dance. Such things are most certainly out of place in the house of God, and should be no part of a Sunday School concert. I trust, therefore, that the good people of that church and the officers of the Sunday School connected with the church, will in getting up Sunday School entertainments in the future, rule out all such music notwithstanding it may have been put upon the program by your pastor.

All who performed on the instrument that night, and all who sang in the choir, and those who sang on the platform, rendered exceedingly good music. The Sunday school songs made choice of and sang upon that occasion were certainly most choice. I never listened to a better selection and to those that were better adapted to the pieces that were spoken. I will say in conclusion that I never listened to a better and more appropriate selection of declamations, recitations, dialogues, &c., than were those recited that night. Then that last song which was the closing song of the evening. Well, I can only say its music and its words have been ringing in my ears ever since. It was most superbly grand, plaintive and seemn, and was listened to by that large congregation of people with seemingly almost breathless silence. I trust that the Sunday School of that church will, in the near future, furnish the public with another such rich feast, but put your tickets on sale at the sums of 10 and 15 cents at least. I am told that the receipts of that Thursday evening were $18.90.

VERITAS.

ADDISON ATOMS.

One of our county editors advises of bachelors to consult the almanac and see if it isn't leap year." Such pins would be a fallacy in this virgin hunted villa.

Sickness has been the most popular thing extant here since our last writing, but thanks to an efficient corps of M. D's. the undertaker has no share in the profits. The only cause for fer is that some plan of co-operation may be contracted by the two classes.

The union religious revival meetings commenced some weeks since at the M. E. Church, are still in progress.

Dr. John Carnes is making preparations to build an eating house at the door in the spring.

Chas. Lane has sold his entire grocery and shoe business in Bowen's block to Mr. John Sorby, who now owns and operates a general line of merchandise on either side of the creek.

Rev. Mr. Crane, of the M. E. church announced to lecture under the auspices of the Sons of Temperance on Saturday evening next.

The comet appears to claim the attention of our young people pretty generally of late, but somehow such an unappreciative pencil pusher as myself fails to enthuse when the mercury gets down sixteen degrees below zero. And fearing that the reports circulated by the youthful sights be exaggerated we desist from writing it up.

EAST RIDGEWAY ECHOES.

The Church of Christ in East Ridgeway is at this time holding serial meetings, which if the weather, roads and health of the neighborhood will admit, is expected to continue for two or more weeks as the interest may demand. All persons who can conveniently do so are respectively solicited to be in attendance with us in these means of grace. Rev. P. McCullough, of Oxford, Michigan, is assisting the pastor in conducting them. E. E. R.

The election of officers and teachers to serve the Sunday school connected with the Church of Christ in East Ridgeway, for the first six months of this year are as follows:

Supt.—C. A. Kniffin.
Asst. Supt.—Jas. Smith.
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Asst. Sec.—Ollie Cheever.
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" " 2—Mrs. Fred Morrill.
" " 3—Mrs. B. F. Rapp.
" " 4—Mrs. David Coryell.
" " 5—Wm. Nivison.
" " 6—Catharine Cheever.
" " 7—Libbie Kniffin.
" " 8—Mrs. Geo. L. Oliver.

G. F. R.

We wish to express in the columns of your paper our most heartfelt thanks to the 37 members of the Church of Christ and members of the congregation in East Ridgeway who so completely surprised the pastor of said church and his family on New Years' night, in taking possession of the parsonage in so unceremonious a way as they did, and then from well filled baskets, that they brought with them, prepared a very palatable repast, and of which all present partook to their satisfaction. Supper concluded the company spent about three hours in a most pleasant and enjoyable and with all profitable visit together in the parsonage parlor. Then came another surprise. Dr. Nelson, of Ridgeway, who had been chosen spokesman or presentor for the occasion, came out of the parlor bed chamber shoving a very nice invalid rocking chair in front of him, with a fine fur cap on it, both of which the party had clandestinely conveyed into said bed chamber, and in a brief and most appropriate address presented them to the pastor, as a token of their appreciation of his services in the pastorship of the church and congregation of which they were members.—To the doctor's address the pastor responded in some brief remarks in expressing thanks for their munificence. We wish in this connection to express our thanks to the members of the church and congregation, mostly ladies, who on the 4th Sunday in December presented to Mrs. Rapp, at the conclusion of the Sunday school, through the hand of Supt. G. L. Oliver, 32 silver quarters. Will say in conclusion that the donations last year given to the pastor and his family from the above named church and congregation amounted to $120. For these benefactions of last year and the ones of the present year thus far the donors will please accept our heartfelt and grateful thanks.

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MACON MUSINGS

Dr. Richardson and wife of Dundee, were the guests of Mr and Mrs. Jourdan, over Sunday.

Milan Sage has been quite sick for a few days. We are happy to report him convalescent.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 16, there was a donation at the residence of Isaiah Hendershot for the benefit of Rev. Mr. Kerridge, pastor of the M. E. church. As is always the case whenever an entertainment is held at Mr. Hendershot's, a large number were present. To say that a happy time was enjoyed would be only a fair conception. All contributed liberally so that the handsome sum of eighty dollars was realized by Mr. Kerridge. Everything seemed to be indicative of Mr. Kerridge's popularity.

We wish to make "A correction." The author of "A Correction" is laboring under a misapprehension. In the first place we said nothing concerning a "prayer circle." In the second place, the two or three to whom we referred are not christians altho' "intelligent." The saying is, "If the coat fits, put it on."

Macon Center society miss the genial face of Dr. H. D. Baker, who graduated in the medical department of the University of Michigan in the class of '83, with credit to himself and flattering compliments from the medical faculty for proficiency and ability. Dr. Baker is a young man of marked ability, and we believe he will prove himself an honor to the profession. We can cheerfully recommend him, socially and professionally, to the people of Fort Scott, Kansas, whither he goes with the sincere wishes of his numerous friends here for future success.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

George D. Arner takes the place of W. W. Brown, as teacher in school dist. No. 4.

"Free Trade" formed the day in the debate at the last meeting of the Ridgeway literary society. The society design giving a public entertainment soon, at which an admission fee will be charged, for the purpose of raising funds to pay current expenses. A very worthy cause, and deserving of a liberal share of public patronage.

The ladies' social will be held at the residence of Mrs. W. R. Wilson, on Friday eve., Jan. 25th. A special invitation is extended to all.

A new variety of oats, selling at ten dollars a bushel is the latest luxury our farmers are asked to indulge in. Some parties seeing visions of a rapid road to wealth, have purchased from ten to twenty bushels, as their hoarded wealth would allow. May they never ask to see the "fool-killer."

Some young ladies doubting a statement made in the HERALD, made a call to find out if a certain party was really and truly bullet proof. Of the result of the investigation, ye reporter does not know, for 'tis said "mysteries are some things and past finding out." Hence "so mote it be."

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

James and Samuel Kirkby are again to be seen in our midst.

The "Turn of the Tide," at Avery's hall on the 24th.

Chas. Ravner, of Adrian, made T. H. Mosher and wife a pleasant call on last Sabbath.

Quite a number attended "The Hidden Hand," by A. O. Miller's combination, at Brooklyn last week.

Frank Price has finished up his first job of painting on a cutter. Those doubting his ability should notice the work.

The War Concert at the church last Friday eve., was well attended, and the treasurer of the M. E. society has lots of loose dimes to jingle.

The married people of Brooklyn gave a dance at the Springville hotel on Friday evening last. Twenty couple from that place and about ten couple from this vicinity participated.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Bay City Poles are fast taking out naturalization papers.

H. W. Booth, a Lowell detective has been stricken with paralysis.

The new county of Arenac starts off well by borrowing $5,000 at 5 per cent.

The first Methodist sermon ever preached in the State was delivered in Detroit in 1804.

During 1883 there were 30 criminal cases in the Ann Arbor Circuit Court and 719 in Justice Courts.

The Secretary of State, Lansing, is compiling a history of every county and township in the State.

An old woman named Woosler was killed by an M. C. express train four miles from Chelsea, Friday.

The Northwestern Michigan wool and sheep men have formed an association.

Racing on the ice is the crack sport at Bay City and East Saginaw now days.

A South Haven man named Hopkins has established a fruit tree nursery at Shelby.

Miss Lou Hoag and Miss Mary Robinson, of Albion have started for China, to do missionary work.

Charles Lloyd, a young man who had been married but a few days, suicided at Cass City last week.

The people of Arenac county are to settle the question of where they will locate the county seat, by ballot.

D. T. A. Flanner, of the Quincy mine, one of the leading physicians of the upper peninsula, is hopelessly ill.

Judge Ira Rix, an old and much respected citizen, of Kalamazoo, died last week, aged 84 years.

About 70 wicked Kalamazooites have been converted during the methodist revival meetings at that place.

It is very probable that Muskegon will be selected as the headquarters of the proposed new lighthouse district.

Rev. W. S. Potter, of Petoskey, is considering a call to take charge of the new Presbyterian society at Jackson.

Theodore Hoshel, a workman in the shingle mill of Reiland & Hess, of Fife Lake, had a hand mangled by a saw last week.

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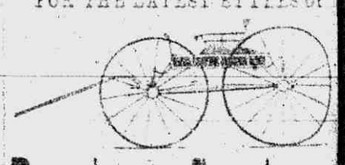

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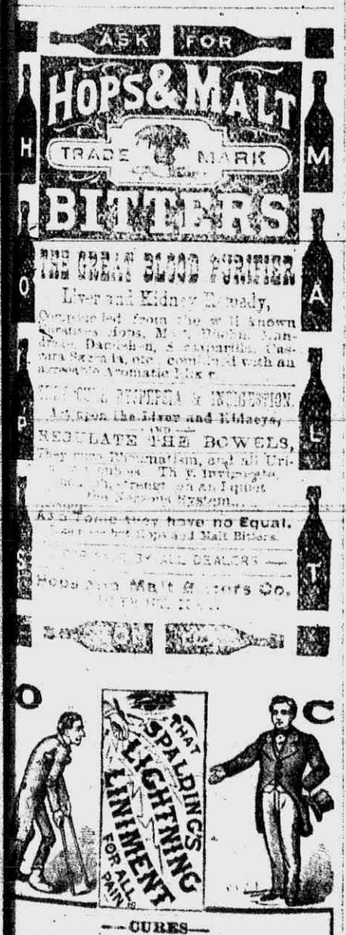

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Burns' Blue-Eyed Lassie.

The title to a tract of about six hundred acres of land lying at the head of Cayuga Lake between the shore and the village of Ithaca is in law in that village. The heirships are exceedingly complicated, the original titles running back into the last century. The lineal contestants are two families named Renwick and Moody, the former being in possession. The Renwick heirs now living consist of children and grandchildren of Major Robert Renwick, deceased, who was the last surviving son of William and Jane Renwick, his wife. But the last named was, before her marriage with William Renwick, Miss Jane Jeffrey, of Lochmaben in Dumfriesshire, Scotland, and was "The Blue-eyed Lassie" of Robert Burns' song.

Writing in 1858 to a sister-in-law in Canandaigua, N. Y., Mrs. Renwick, who retained till she died at the age of seventy-seven, remarkable cheerfulness of countenance and brightness of "een sae blue," recalls lovingly her recollections of the poet. "Poor, poor Burns," she writes to Mrs. Jeffrey, "how often have I seen him in a cold winter's night when he had been riding for hours over the moors and mosses after smugglers, (what a task for such a spirit!) open our little parlor door and stalk in with his great lion-skin coat and fur cap covered with snow, and his fine Newfoundland dog, Thurlow, at his side, looking glum and sour as if at war with the world. With kindness he was welcomed by our parents while my sister and self seated him in mother's easy chair, brought warm slippers and prepared for him a warm, comfortable cup of tea. Then seating ourselves on our low creepies at his feet we would watch his countenance brighten up into almost more than mortal beauty and intelligence, and listen to his inspired words, every one of which was absolute poetry." Mrs. Renwick had in her possession a volume, on a fly leaf of which Burns himself wrote a song celebrating in words and lines Jeanie Jeffrey's charms, the chorus of which is:

"She's aye sae blithe and gay,
She's aye sae blithe and cheery,
She's aye sae bonnie, blithe and gay,
O gin I were her deary."

But Burns was not Jeanie's deary. She married, as before stated, William Renwick, and the last of their seven children, Major Robert Renwick, was some years ago a well-known figure on the streets of Ithaca. He lived a secluded life near the lake, and his sole occupation for years was daily to drive a steady-going roan horse before a rickety but safe old wagon up to the village and back. He liked his glass, and was when in town a regular customer of a particular saloon. Often he would stay so late at night and meet so many friends at the saloon, his patient old horse meantime with head down dreaming at the hitching post, that it would be necessary for some one to accompany him back to his home, although the horse would go true if let alone by the street boys.—*N. Y. Post.*

A Universal Language.

When the electric telegraph was first proposed to the Government it was rejected for the "exhaustive" reason that it would not be wanted in time of peace, while the semaphore did all that was required in time of war. Since then, however, the electric telegraph has itself been found insufficient. In time of war the electric telegraph is supplemented by fire-signals, lamp-signals, and by a very elaborate system of flag-signaling; and the want seems to be felt, since expression has been given to it in many quarters, of an international or interlinguistic code of signs for foreigners unable to communicate with one another by word of mouth. In an interesting contribution to the *National Review* on the wild tribes of the Sierras, Miss Gordon Cummings tells us—first that every tribe has a language of its own, known only to its members; and next, that "the curse of Babel would weigh heavily on the great Indian nation were it not for a silent language of signs which is used by all alike. It is frequently used even in family parties, or while on the march, or on hunting expeditions, or at other times when silence is deemed desirable." It is quite as clear as the methods of communication used in deaf and dumb asylums, and more "rapid, as certain signs are used to express whole phrases and symbolical ideas." White men who have become intimate with the Indians say that if a stranger could steal unawares near an Indian camp he "might well marvel at the occasional bursts of laughter while not a voice was to be heard; yet every individual gathered round the camp-fire is all the while drinking in some very interesting story related by one of their number in the sign language." Now this is just the sort of sign-language that is wanted for universal use.—*St. James' Gazette.*

A Senile Wake at Los Angeles.

In 1838 there was a memorable funeral of a woman over a hundred years old. Fourteen old women watched with her body, which lay stretched on the floor, in the ancient fashion, with only a stone beneath the head. The youngest of these watchers was eighty-five. One of them, Tomasa Camera by name, was herself over a hundred years old. Tomasa was infirm of foot, so they propped her with pillows in a little cart, and drew her to the house that she might not miss of the occasion. All night long the fourteen squatted or sat on rawhides spread on the floor, and sang, and prayed, and smoked as the wake as was ever seen. They smoked cigarettes, which they rolled on the spot, out of corn-husks slit fine for the purpose, there being at that day in Los Angeles no paper fit for cigarettes.

Outside this body-guard of aged women knelt a circle of friends and relatives, also chanting, praying and smoking. In this outer circle any one might come and go at pleasure; but into the inner ring of the watching none must come, and none must go out of it till the night was spent.—*Century.*

—A Bowery lodging house offers a lodging, smoking tobacco, soap, towels and the use of the tooth brush for ten cents a night.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Kirkpatrick Rockbud is the gentle name of the "champion long distance runner of Colorado."

Appearance and Daily Life of the Pope.

One of our correspondents has had a conversation with Rev. Philip Harry, Canon of the Cashel Cathedral. The Canon spoke as follows: "Leo XIII. is now seventy-four years of age. He is tall, thin and bony. His face is of an ivory hue, and his eyes and lips are very expressive and smiling. He looks very firm. Simeon says he resembles Voltaire, but Leo XIII.'s smile is totally different to Voltaire's smile. The Pope wears his age well and walks remarkably straight. He has snow white hair and very finely marked eyebrows. His eyes are wonderfully intelligent-looking, and his voice is extremely harmonious. He speaks several languages as well as any professor of languages. He never says a foolish thing nor does a foolish thing, like poor Pius IX., whose policy was fatal to the Pope's temporal power. He rises very early, and spends the first hours of the day in prayer, and generally in his bed-room. At six o'clock he says mass. At eight o'clock he breaks his fast with a cup of chocolate, reading his correspondence all the time. At nine o'clock he receives Jacobini and the chiefs of religious societies. At noon he receives those Roman patriarchs who have remained true to him and the Freemasons.

"At one o'clock he dines, his dinner rarely costing more than two francs, or half a dollar." "And he keeps so many cooks!" said the correspondent. "He is obliged to keep up appearances," answered the canon. "Once upon a time Popes were great eaters and drinkers, and were given to every kind of extravagance; but Leo XIII. is nothing of all this. After dinner he takes a little walk in the Vatican grounds, or he visits the museums, galleries, etc. Sometimes he is carried in a chair quilted with white satin. He is very fond of the garden, and likes to play the gardener at times. He frequently receives visitors in the garden, and talks of flowers to them to avoid other subjects. The first and second times I saw him he was in the garden. When I went with the pilgrims he was preceded by three noble guards, and at his side was Monsignor Macchi, his secret chamberlain. He wore a wide-brimmed hat and a large red cloak. We were presented to him one by one. He looked at us and scrutinized us well. I saw he recognized me, but he treated me like the others—as if he saw me also for the first time. 'Are you all Irish?' he said. 'I am happy to receive the faithful of that nation.' He then looked again at us as if he would have read into our souls. 'Your Bishop,' he continued, 'brought me offerings from a people pressed with poverty.' Then seeing me still on my knees, he offered me his hand to rise me. 'I had thought,' he continued, 'that the offerings would have decreased but it was not so. We live on charity (and here he smiled sadly) for all we had has been taken from us. Oh! the persecutions!' he cried with a loud voice. 'They purify us even when the leaven is pure and immaculate.' 'I seem to see him now,' said the canon. 'His head looked like a relief in a blue sky. The sun was setting, and he looked up to the sky as if seeking an inspiration there. 'I have heard,' he then said, 'that notwithstanding the general state of anguish in Ireland, the churches are full of people. May the Lord be praised and blessed, and may my prayers bring peace on the people! Lord, hear our prayers and judge us!'

"He then blessed us, and the audience was finished. I have never seen so much power united to so much simplicity. At four o'clock the Pope resumes his official audiences in the Vatican. At seven o'clock only he takes a little rest, but at eight o'clock he returns to work in his private rooms, where he remains until ten o'clock, when he retires for the night.'—*Il Capitan Fracassa.*

Railroad Etiquette.

Do not rush in and grab the first seat you see. Enter leisurely and gently as you would if the parlor were not on wheels. Bow pleasantly to the porter and give him a quarter.

Be not over particular about seats, as it will indicate that you do not travel often. Say languidly, "Oh, anywhere on the shady side," and hand the porter half a dollar. He will give you a good seat, depend upon it.

If you are so unfortunate as to need the presence of a cuspador do not go hunting around the car for one. That is exceedingly vulgar. Contrive to drop a two-dollar bill into the porter's pocket and the cuspador will be forthcoming.

In all probability the car will be as hot as an equatorial conservatory. It generally is. If you attempt to lift a window the chances are that you will fail, as you are not familiar with the secret spring which holds it. Recline lazily on your chair and watch the porter until you catch his eye, when, with a slight movement of your little finger, you can make your wants known. Enforce the sign with a rapid flight of a five-dollar bill from your pocket to his, and in a few seconds you will be enjoying a delightful breeze free from dust and cinders.

Unless an experienced traveler, the disposition of your extra wraps, baggage, etc., may bother you if you attempt to do it yourself, besides exhibiting your ignorance to a whole car-load. Nod at the porter in a familiar sort of way, slip a dollar into his hand, and in a jiffy he will have everything out of your reach and securely fastened on, in and among all sorts of contrivances which you had not even observed.

Should you become thirsty you can go to the water-cooler and take a little without extra charge.

When nearing your journey's end the porter will kindly remind you of that fact, and stand before you brush in hand. Accompany him to an alcove and add a few bills to his purse, if he can find room for them. The vigor of the brushing you receive will depend entirely on the denomination of the bills.

It is no longer considered necessary to back out of a parlor-car in order not to offend the porter. Hand him your pocket-book and he will immediately take your baggage and precede you to the platform, and most likely will bow politely as the train moves off.—*Philadelphia Call.*

No one can be ill if the blood is pure. Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla root have long been recognized by physicians as blood purifiers. Don't be humbugged by the advertisements of the many quack bitters, but occasionally use Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and you will live to a good old age free from all distress of mind and body. Many of our best citizens who long suffered from bad blood indicated by weak kidneys, indigestion, sores, aches, etc., owe their recovery to the use of this remedy.

By a new ruling of the post office department, labels, lotteries, photographs, playing cards, visiting cards, address tags, paper sacks, wrapping paper with printed advertisements thereon, bill heads, letter heads, envelopes, and other matter of the same general character, the printing upon which is not designed to instruct, amuse, cultivate the mind or taste or impart general information, are rated as fourth class matter; postage, one cent per ounce.

Many who long suffered from indescribable feelings of distress, lame back, aching joints, *sores*, swellings, weakness of the urinary and digestive organs, unnatural feelings of weariness, headache, nervousness, despondency, sleeplessness, disturbing dreams, partial insanity, etc., after doctoring liver, kidneys, nerves and brain, with the various quack nostrums of the day, and being nearly frightened to death by their alarming advertisements, quietly began using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and were agreeably surprised to quickly find themselves restored to perfect health. No other remedy equals it.

Morenci Observer: A general row in the Manning family of Medina is said to have been produced by the wife's refusal to give her spouse a good-night kiss. Ladies, if you have husbands that are prone to kiss, let 'em kiss—if only in behalf of peace and harmony.

Don't make the mistake of doctoring liver and kidneys to cure consumption. If you will lay all other remedies aside and put your trust in Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, it will surely benefit you. Try it for coughs and colds, and see what an excellent remedy it is.

Clarkston has been incorporated.

Is Fun Better than Physic?

Fun is excellent; a hearty laugh is known the whole world over to be a health promoter; but fun does not fill the bill when a man needs physic, on the other hand people take too much physic. They would be more healthy, live longer and enjoy life thoroughly if they used Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which cures all blood disorders, indigestion, kidney and liver troubles, removes pimples, and is a perfect tonic. Can be taken by the most delicate. Only 50c a bottle, of Baker & Hall.

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How often we hear middle-aged people say regarding that reliable old cough remedy, N. H. Downs' Elixir: "Why, my mother gave it to me when I was a child, and I use it in my family; it always cures." Who can name another medicine with such a record as this. Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters are another good medicine; and Arnica and Oil Liniment is just what it is recommended to be.

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Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Kidney, Liver or Urinary Diseases.

Have no fear of any of these diseases if you use Hop Bitters, as they will prevent and cure the worst cases, even when you have been made worse by some great puffed-up pretended cure.

MEDICAL ADVICE.

Take the open air the more you take the better;
Follow nature's laws to the very letter;
Let the physicians to the bay of Biscay
Let alone the gin, the brandy and the whisky.

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Let no dreams of sickness make you ever fearful.
Eat the simplest food, drink the pure cold water;
Then you will be well, or at least you ought to.

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If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow: you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Fifty cents a bottle.
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The Hop Plaster will cure Back Ache, and all other pains instantly.—25 cts. only, at druggists.

A Pretty Story.

"I believe in a providence," said Victor Hugo to a company gathered around him in the Rue de Clichy, "because I am a providence myself." Being asked for an explanation, the poet replied: "We caught a mouse yesterday evening. His death sentence was already pronounced, when my little granddaughter, Jeanne, with eyes glistening with tears, begged for the life of the gray prisoner. Her mother hesitated whether to listen to the dear little advocate or not, and in her doubt said, 'Grandfather shall decide.' So they came to me. For a moment I held the power of life and death over the diminutive creature, and I thought: The heavenly providence may find itself in my situation when the fate of a being of a higher order is to be determined. Naturally I set the mouse free; for when a man undertakes the role of providence on a small scale, he should at least imitate generosity."

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On the deck of a big Mississippi steamboat stood an aged Southern planter. Indicating by a sweep of his arm the waters the boat was passing over, he said to a passenger from the North: "When I was twelve years old, I killed my first bear on a new plantation my father was then cutting out of a forest that grew directly over the waters of this bend. That was a mighty good plantation, and there was right smart of bears there, too. But that one thousand acres of land went in the Mississippi years ago."

It is putting no strain upon the figure to say that great forests of youthful hope, womanly beauty and manly strength are swept in the same way every year in the great, turbid torrent of disease and death. Yet it should not be so. That it is so is a disgrace as well as a loss. People are largely to blame or too stupid to defend their own interests—the most precious of which is health. That gone, all is gone. Disease is simple, but to recklessness or ignorance the simplest thing might as well be complex as a proposition in conic sections. As the huge Western rivers, which so often flood the cities along their shores, arise in a few mountain springs, so all our ailments can be traced to impure blood and a small group of disordered organs.

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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH NORCROSS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, the 12th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jacob G. Roberts, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, one of the executors named in said will, Michael A. Patterson and Peter H. Adams, also named executors in said will, having departed this life.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 11th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for hearing said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the LENAWEE HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. jan27

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

Adams, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Peter H. Adams, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of the deceased in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 24 day of February, 1884, and on the 16th day of June, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of December, 1883, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present and claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Dec. nineteenth, 1883.

JACOB G. ROBERTS,
ZACHARIAS COOK,
Commissioners.
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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit in Chancery; suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Cappie A. Wyand, complainant, vs. John M. Wyand, defendant.

Before Hon. Andrew Howell, Circuit Judge of said circuit. At the city of Adrian, in said county, this 24 day of January, A. D. 1884. It satisfactorily appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant, John M. Wyand, resides in the state of Illinois.

On motion of Frank B. Payne, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that said defendant appear in this cause within four months from the date of this order, or in default thereof, that the bill of complaint in this cause be taken as confessed by him.

It is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof, said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the Lenawee Herald, a newspaper published in said county, for six successive weeks, once in each week, or that a copy of this order be personally served on said defendant, at least twenty days before the time herein fixed for his appearance.

ANDREW HOWELL,
Circuit Judge.

FRANK B. PAYNE,
Complainant's Solicitor. jan24

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

ESTATE of LeRoy Mead, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1884, on petitioning and licensing me the undersigned, administrator of the estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased, will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, on the first day of March, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Macon, aforesaid, all the personal and real estate of which said deceased died seized in that parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, and described as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, in town five south of range five west, containing forty acres more or less, subject to the dower of Joseph Mead, widow of said deceased therein.

Dated this 7th day of January, A. D. 1884.

CYLUS MEAD,
Administrator.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Wm. H. Pockrington, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Wm. H. Pockrington, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Wm. H. Myers, Riley Township, in said county, on Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day of March, 1884, and on Wednesday, the 23rd day of December, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 23rd day of December, 1883, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Jan. 7, 1884.

EDGAR C. VAN VLEET,
RICHARD CADMUS,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John F. Schneider, late of the town of Rifle River, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Wm. H. Myers, in Riley township, in said county, on the 24th day of March, 1884, and on the 24th day of December, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 24th day of December, 1883, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 7th, 1884.

MINOR DAVIDSON,
COONROD L. LOWE,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

ESTATE of Ann Russell, late of Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased. We the undersigned, commissioners of the Probate Court for Lenawee County, Michigan, hereby give notice that we will meet at the late residence of said deceased, in Ridgeway, in said county, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1884, and on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, and that six months from the 24th day of December, 1883, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 24th, 1884.

ALBERT HYDE,
EDGAR A. THIRBY,
Commissioners.
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What Paralysis Is.

So common has become the occurrence of paralysis in recent years that many use the word for a slang expression but for all that, it is probable that a vast majority of the people who think it all of paralysis reckon that it is a disease of itself. That some medical men regard this condition is plain from the fact that deaths are frequently said to have been caused by it. In the greatness of this notion will, however, be plain when the conditions which are due to paralysis are clearly set forth, and this we now propose.

A carpenter, stack smith, or some other mechanic whose business requires him to wield a hammer, hatchet, saw, or anything else that requires a firm grasp, perhaps while at work, the left hand holding the arm, becomes numb and weak, it fails to obey his will, and he is longer able to work. The cause is usually the action upon the arm muscles of a special neurotic poison from outside sources, which means simply that the muscles have caught an infection, and it [illegible]. To these cases the popular name of [illegible] paralysis is given. Again a person, [illegible] constructed person, most likely a woman, meets with a great [illegible] or has an unpaid [illegible] [illegible] Shortly after this [illegible] a peculiar catarrhal condition and they throat are become inflamed. As if this were not variety enough I feel sharp pains in my chest, and a constant tendency to headache.

Why didn't you take the matter in hand and check it right where it was?

Why doesn't everybody do so? Simply because they think it is only some trifling and passing disorder. The symptoms did not come all at once, and I thought it an easy matter to break them. I have found, though, that every physical neglect must be paid for and with large interest. Men cannot draw drafts on their constitution without honoring them sometime. These minor symptoms I have described grew until they were giants of agony. I became more nervous, had a strange fluttering of the heart, an inability to draw a long breath, and the constitutional weakness that was very suggestive of pneumonia. How I recovered I have been so blind as not to understand, and this, my friends, I cannot imagine.

And did you do anything?

Yes, I tried all. In the struggle of life I went to Kansas and Colorado, and while in Denver I was attacked with a mysterious hemorrhage of the urinary organs and lost [illegible] pounds of solid flesh in two weeks. One day after my return I was taken with a terrible chill and soon advanced to a very severe attack of malarial fever. My left lung soon entirely filled with water and its edge and back became [illegible] their age and size. I was obliged to stay straight in bed for several weeks in the midst of the severest agony, with my arms over my head and in constant fear of suffocation.

And did you still make no attempt to cure yourself?

Yes I made frantic efforts. I tried every thing that promised to offer the least prospect of relief. I called a council of doctors and had them make an exhaustive chemical and microscopical examination of my condition. I've of the best physicians of Syracuse and several from another city said I must die.

It seemed as though their assertion was true, for my feet became cold, my mouth parched, my eyes wore a fixed glassy stare, my body was covered with a cold, clammy death sweat, and I read my fate in the anxious expressions of my family and friends.

"But the *result?*"

"Came at last. My wife, aroused to desperation, began to administer a remedy upon her own responsibility, and while I grew better very slowly, I gained ground surely, until, in brief, I have no trace of the terrible Bright's disease from which I was dying, and am a perfectly well man. This may sound like a romance, but it is true, and my life, health, and what I am, are due to Warner's Safe Cure which I wish was known to and used by the thousands, who, I believe, are suffering this minute as I was originally. Does not such an experience as this justify me in making a public statement?"

"It certainly does. But then Bright's disease is not a common complaint, doctor?"

"Not common! On the contrary, it is one of the most common. The trouble is, few people know they have it. It has so few marked symptoms, until its final stages, that a person may have it for years, each year getting more and more in its power and not suspect it. It is quite natural I should feel enthusiastic over this remedy, while my wife is even more so than I am. She knows of its being used with surprising results by many ladies for their own peculiar ailments, over which it has singular power."

The statement drawn out by the above interview is amply confirmed by very many of our most prominent citizens, among them being Judge Reigel and Col. James S. Goodrich, of the Times, while ton, Dwight H. Bruce and Rev. Prof. W. P. Coddington, D. D., give the remedy their heartiest endorsement. In this age of wonders, surprising things are quite common, but an experience so unusual as that of Dr. Martin's, and occurring here in our night, may well cause comment and teach a lesson. It shows the necessity of guarding the slightest approach of physical disorder, and by the means which has been proven the most reliable and efficient. It shows the depth to which one can sink and yet be rescued, and it proves that few people need suffer if these truths are observed.

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James Darling and John Hilliard attempted to cross from Cross Village to Beaver Island on the ice. Hilliard died in the attempt and Darling was badly frozen.

A DANGEROUS AMBUSCADE.

Discovered Barely in Time—The Most Deceptive and Luring of Modern Evils Graphically Described

Syracuse Journal.

Something of a sensation was caused in this city yesterday by a report that one of our best known citizens was about to publish a startling confession concerning some unusual experiences during his residence in Syracuse. How the rumor originated it is impossible to say, but it proved to be not without foundation. Dr. S. G. Martin, the well known physician and surgeon, consented to the following interview.

"What good can come of your publishing anything so personal to people? Statements of some remarkable cures, of course, [illegible] well enough in all minds some truth connection. I had contemplated making a publication of some remarkable episodes that have occurred in my life but have not supplied it as yet.

"What is the nature of the story I am to tell?

"Why the fact that I am a human being, a sinner and a saint. I have passed through [illegible] the shadow of death, [illegible] and [illegible] of it was several years ago when I began to feel [illegible] weakness after retiring. Occasionally the would be varied by a soreness of the muscles and cramps in my feet and legs. I thought [illegible] would take cold and it was only a cold, and so paid no [illegible] attention to the [illegible] Shortly after this I noticed a peculiar catarrhal condition and my throat was to become inflamed. As if this were not variety enough I felt sharp pains in my chest, and a constant tendency to headache.

"Why didn't you take the matter in hand and check it right where it was?

"Why doesn't everybody do so? Simply because they think it is only some trifling and passing disorder. The symptoms did not come all at once, and I thought it an easy matter to break them. I have found, though, that every physical neglect must be paid for and with large interest. Men cannot draw drafts on their constitution without honoring them sometime. These minor symptoms I have described grew until they were giants of agony. I became more nervous, had a strange fluttering of the heart, an inability to draw a long breath, and the constitutional weakness that was very suggestive of pneumonia. How I recovered I have been so blind as not to understand, and this, my friends, I cannot imagine.

"And did you do anything?

"Yes, I tried all. In the struggle of life I went to Kansas and Colorado, and while in Denver I was attacked with a mysterious hemorrhage of the urinary organs and lost [illegible] pounds of solid flesh in two weeks. One day after my return I was taken with a terrible chill and soon advanced to a very severe attack of malarial fever. My left lung soon entirely filled with water and its edge and back became [illegible] their age and size. I was obliged to sit straight in bed for several weeks in the midst of the severest agony, with my arms over my head and in constant fear of suffocation.

"And did you still make no attempt to cure yourself?

"Yes I made frantic efforts. I tried every thing that promised to offer the least prospect of relief. I called a council of doctors and had them make an exhaustive chemical and microscopical examination of my condition. Five of the best physicians of Syracuse and several from another city said I must die.

It seemed as though their assertion was true, for my feet became cold, my mouth parched, my eyes wore a fixed glassy stare, my body was covered with a cold, clammy death sweat, and I read my fate in the anxious expressions of my family and friends.

"But the *result?*"

"Came at last. My wife, aroused to desperation, began to administer a remedy upon her own responsibility, and while I grew better very slowly, I gained ground surely, until, in brief, I have no trace of the terrible Bright's disease from which I was dying, and am a perfectly well man. This may sound like a romance, but it is true, and my life, health, and what I am, are due to Warner's Safe Cure which I wish was known to and used by the thousands, who, I believe, are suffering this minute as I was originally. Does not such an experience as this justify me in making a public statement?"

"It certainly does. But then Bright's disease is not a common complaint, doctor?"

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There are 600 granges in Michigan.

A western paper says that the girls out that way have adopted this as their leap year motto, "If you see anything you want ask for it."

Eleven posts of the G. A. R., of Ottawa, Muskegon, Oceana and Newaygo counties, have organized a North western Mich. G. A. R. battalion.

The title to property upon an entire street in Schoolcraft is depending upon the decision of a trial now being held.

A tramp who attempted to assault a Michigan Central train at New Buffalo, fell across the track and was cut into hash.

The Chicago Inter Ocean has nearly four columns describing Ypsilanti and giving pictures of the Bath House, Normal School and Grand Opera House.

Frank Crummett, the station agent at Manistee Junction, is minus his wife and $100 which she took with her. She is supposed to be temporarily deranged.

LETTER LIST.

Tecumseh,

Remaining unclaimed for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Jan. 26, 1884.

Brown, Mrs. L. A.	Thompson, Eugene
Brown, Mr. Andrew L.	Van Dusen, Iowa
Stubbs, Miss Mary	Wonser, Mr. H.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FIELD ROSA RANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, per barrel	1 25 @	1 50
Apples, dried, per lb	@	06
Butter, per lb	18 @	20
Barley, per bushel	50 @	60
Beans, per bushel	1 25 @	1 75
Buckwheat, per bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour, per hundred	@	1 60
Bran, per hundred, per hundred	1 00 @	1 50
Beef, Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, per lb	8 @	10
Corn, per bushel	25 @	30
Corn Meal, per bushel	50 @	55
Clover seed	3 50 @	4 00
Chickens, dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, per doz	@	22
Flour, per barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs, dressed, per cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs, live, per cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, per ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, per lb	@	15
Hams, per lb	@	14
Lard, per lb	@	10
Oats, per bushel	25 @	35
Onions, per bushel	@	75
Potatoes, per bushel	25 @	30
Salt, per barrel	@	1 75
Pickles, per barrel	70 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, per bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys, dressed, per lb	@	12
Wood, per cord	6 00 @	7 00
Wheat, White, per bushel	@	1 00
Wheat, Red, per bushel	@	1 00

A BIG BARGAIN.

A farm of 114 acres, within one mile of Blissfield, good buildings and one of the best farms in that section of the country. Stock and tools sold with the farm if desired. Reason for selling, poor health. For further particulars call at the

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FERRY'S SEED ANNUAL FOR 1884

Will be mailed FREE to all applicants and to customers of last year without ordering it. It contains illustrations, prices, descriptions and directions for planting all Vegetable and Flower Seeds, Plants, etc. Invaluable to all.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Samuel G. Conkling late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of H. Brewer & Co., in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of March, 1884, and on the 1st day of July, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 28, 1884.

ALFRED D. HALL,
JAMES W. BROWN,
Commissioners.

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ESTATE OF ISAAC ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Fisher, one of the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that said executors have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will except pecuniary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their first account and for such further order as may be necessary to the proper administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order, to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. jan31

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, executed by Edward Bodet to Farley Bills for purchase money, and dated April 1st, A. D. 1880, and recorded April 23d, A. D. 1880, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in liber 90 of mortgages, on page [illegible], which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of [illegible] dollars and [illegible] cents, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the ninth day of April, A. D. 1884, at one o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public vendue, at the south front door of Lenawee County Court House, in the city of Adrian, Lenawee County, State of Michigan, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said mortgage, viz: All that part of the [illegible] quarter of section [illegible] in township [illegible] south of the center of the [illegible] Also all that part of the [illegible] quarter of section [illegible] in said township [illegible] south of the center of the [illegible] All in township [illegible] south, range [illegible] east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A. D. 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS,
Executor.

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DO not let your Druggist persuade you to take something else, but if he has not got it, and will not send for it, write to us and we will send it to you by express, prepaid, on receipt of price.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

HAY FOR SALE. Orders by C. T. Pike will receive prompt attention.
W. B. KEYSER.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, in best business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power," which had [illegible] (grist and paper) were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a [illegible] falling body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat producing sections in Michigan, thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms easy. For particulars address
HENRY SMITH, TECUMSEH, MICH.
Prop. of Tecumseh Paper Mills,
or Geo. L. Leslie, Manchester, Mich.

FARM FOR SALE.—Eighty acres, all improved, splendid brick house and good barns, one mile from Tecumseh. Will be sold cheap. Taken before the 1st of April. For particulars inquire of
HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—House and lot, one square north of Mill street, Tecumseh. Good cellar and well, nice fruit. Must be sold at once, at a bargain and on favorable terms.
CHAS. BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—A new Milk Key, and a good young work horse. Enquire of
ELWOOD COWDERY.

HICKORY WOOD.—For sale, ten cords of Hickory and Hard Maple, clear body wood. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

STORE TO RENT, from March 7th, 1884, in the village of Tecumseh. One of the best locations and is good business village as there are in the state. Has been used as a confectionery store, having done a good profitable business. One door east of R. McClure's store. Inquire on the premises upstairs of
J. A. BARDWELL.

SUITS OF ROOMS TO LET. Apply at
WM. HAYDEN'S.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Kennard st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

Blissfield has a large and prosperous singing school.

Prof. E. K. Crocker, the horse educator has been in town for the last week and has handled a number of horses during this time. He has a class of about fifty members, and each man says he is a perfect master of a horse, and would not have missed the school for much more than it cost him. He will remain in Tecumseh only a few days longer, and those persons who have vicious horses to manage, or colts to break should attend to the matter at once. He can be found at Teachout's Hotel for a few days, and will go from there to Adrian. The horsemen of Tecumseh say that Prof. Crocker is a gentleman and a thorough horseman.

C. O. Miller, who is working for B. J. Coller, of Adrian, in the music and sewing machine business, met with quite a serious accident at Britton last Monday. While crossing the M. & O. Railroad one of his sleigh runners caught in the track, when the horses gave a jump, turning the sleigh upside down, throwing him to the ground, striking on his head and shoulders and dragging him several feet. The lines broke and the team got away and ran towards Ridgeway. The sleigh struck the side of the bridge, breaking it to pieces. They were soon stopped however, without any damage to themselves. Mr. Miller sustained a few slight bruises.

Quite a Nice Letter.

Following is an extract from a letter received by the Tecumseh Lumber Co. at a recent date, which tells its own story:

I can truly say I am well pleased with the goods you have furnished me and the treatment received at your hands. I have the name of having one of the nicest and most convenient houses in this region, and inside and out is conceded by all to take the whole bakery for real beauty of design and finish, and of course without nice material it would not be that. Will speak a good word in your favor on any occasion I can.

Signed, ASHLAND POAGE.
ASHLAND, Ky.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 24, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mattie Vickers next Monday eve.

A new cheese factory at Jasper is talked of.

The Hudson roller skating rink is run by the cornet band.

Our young people are taking advantage of the fine sleighing.

The name of the post office at Gregor has been changed to Fruit Ridge.

O. E. DeWolf is making arrangements to start on a trip to California soon.

James B. Colvin, of Raisin, expects to start for California early in February to be gone several months.

The Clinton News published the sermon of Rev. St. John delivered on the occasion of Dr. Tuttle's funeral.

Henry H. Eddy and family of Iowa are spending about two weeks with his father, Crowell Eddy, of Franklin.

Carl Burton of Chicago, son of A. G. Burton, of Clinton, is at home on a visit, and gave us a call the other day.

C. H. Hopkins returned yesterday from a few days' sojourn at Battle Creek. He is quite inclined to move there.

Pitt Bass, of Lawrence, Van Buren county, was in town a few days last week, the guest of C. C. Tefft, his brother-in-law.

Edison, the electrician, is building a cottage on the lake shore above Port Huron, and will probably summer there with his family.

Stephen Burleson, of Quincy, was shaking hands with his old Macon Corners' friends last week. He likes his new location first-rate.

Mrs. Mehitable Holdredge, mother of Supervisor Holdredge, of Raisin, died at Adrian last Monday. The funeral was held yesterday.

Judge Stacy has been confined to his home for a few days by indisposition. He is about the house and will soon be able to attend to his office duties.

An observant editor declares that the man who will read a newspaper three or four years without paying for it will pasture a goat on the grave of his grandmother.

Adrian Press: Thos. Lowry, of this city, wrote to a friend at Akron, O., to know about the Bohemian oat mill, and he replies that there is no mill there and the oat business is a fraud.

Vennor we to have that 11 feet of thaw.—Hillsdale Standard. Wiggins is up.—Kalamazoo Telegraph. When you can en Tice the muskrat to soften up his goose-bone.—Adrian Record.

Hall's Hudson Grocer for January is at hand. It is a well edited, spicy little sheet, and serves the double purpose of advertising Mr. Hall's business and working for revenue reform.

An exchange says that one Watson was shot in the rotunda. The rotunda is about the worst place possible except the heart for a man to get wounded in. It almost always proves fatal.

Some of the citizens of Blissfield are ambitious to run their corporation in a political groove, to which the Advance demurs. Your head is level, Mr. Advance. Keep your village elections out of politics if possible.

Morenci is without a milkman once more. A former milk vender in that burg sold unadulterated milk and failed in business. The last man started in on a sounder financial basis and now his pump has froze up.

Hudson can have a new railroad by paying $30,000 for it. That is very easily done—on paper. But the practical accomplishment of it will be a very different thing. We have been there and know something about it.

A card from Rev. R. S. Pardington says he is enjoying himself in Hartford. Mrs. P. has been troubled with bronchitis some this winter. George is gaining rapidly, which is a great comfort and satisfaction to his parents.

If the faculty of Hillsdale college deem the attendance of students at a Christmas banquet sufficient grounds for expulsion it will be accepted by all rational citizens that this "one idea" institution is not very anxious for an increase of students.—Evening Journal.

E. V. De Puy, who has been in the employ of Yates & Russell, nurserymen, of Rochester, N. Y., and has been away from home for the past few months, arrived home with his wife Monday. Vance looks hale and hearty and reports business good. He will handle this stock in this vicinity.

John White, the enterprising merchant tailor, of Clinton, called on us yesterday P.M. during the storm. John was happy. He was called down by telephone to take an order for a suit of clothes, and says "its an ill wind that blows nobody any good." He has made arrangements to go to Manchester one day each week with samples and book orders for suits.

The Blissfield Presbyterian church is enjoying a revival.

Mattie Vickers next Monday evening. Secure your seats.

The Ridgeway Sunday School will take a sleigh ride next Saturday.

Ollie Hunt's full orchestra will furnish the music for the Return Party.

S. W. Sadler, of Ovid, is visiting relatives and friends in Tecumseh this week.

A few of the solid men of Ridgeway are thinking of starting a creamery there.

Riga dogs are indulging in Riga mortion, to the detriment of Riga fairness.

John H. Mason, of Adrian, was in town yesterday and gave the HERALD a call.

The M. E. Sunday School of Clinton enjoyed a sleigh ride to Tecumseh last Saturday.

Ed. R. Smith, of Clinton, will build a fine house on his "school section" farm next summer.

The Morenci Post G. A. R. has received a supply of guns from the Rock Island arsenal.

The revival meetings at the Baptist church are continued this week with increasing interest.

Will D. Robbins, of Cleveland, paid Tecumseh a flying visit yesterday. He returned this morning.

P. S. McKinnon has gone to Canada on a two weeks' trip among his old acquaintances in those parts.

The young men of the village will give a return party at Armory Hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 29th.

There will be a special meeting for lecture, of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., to-morrow evening.

The committee in charge of the Return party to be given on Tuesday evening, Jan. 29th, are sparing no pains to make it an elegant social affair.

Rev. N. A. Saxton, of Manchester, was in town yesterday forenoon. His church there is in a prosperous condition and he is well pleased with his situation.

The boys, evidently, are not to be outdone by the girls, as their return party, to be given at Armory Hall, Tuesday eve., Jan. 29, promises to be the event of the season.

We acknowledge the receipt of a couple of handsome canes from the Michigan Stove Company. Our friends will please take notice that the fighting editor is now prepared for business.

The second volume of Howell's annotated compilation of the laws published by Callaghan & Clark, of Chicago, under authority of the state, has been issued. Like the preceding volume, the work is a credit to the compiler, Judge Andrew Howell, of Adrian.

A minstrel troupe is being organized at Ann Arbor, which together with a colored band from Ypsilanti, will start upon a tour through the state the first of next month. While Ann Arbor is perfectly willing to part with a portion of her colored population, she desires to send her heartfelt sympathy to those of her sister cities who are about to be afflicted.

The attention of our readers is respectfully called to the advertisement in another column of D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich., the celebrated seedsmen. They do the largest business in their line in the United States; raise the bulk of their seeds on their own farms, by the most approved methods, and have obtained a world-wide reputation for the quality and variety of the seed they put upon the market, and their integrity in filling all orders entrusted to them. Their beautiful Seed Annual for 1884, sent free to all who apply for it, will be found of practical value to all who desire to purchase seeds true to name.

Hudson Gazette: A few evenings ago a Medina farmer, having become warmly attached for the time being to a supposed friend, that stole his loose change and also his brains, started home with a team he mistook for his own. He stopped at a friend's on the way, and the latter showed him his mistake, and, thinking the farmer, in his then hilarious condition, was incompetent to pick out his own team on an empty street, kindly drove back and made the exchange. Hereafter our friend will probably hang a huge placard on his horses, worded somesomething after this style: "John Jenkins, his team."

Last Saturday evening a new post of the G. A. R. was organized at Britton. It is called Eaton Post, No. 222. Below we give the members and officers.

Members, Thomas V. Hoagland, Lewis Miller, J. W. Exelby, Joseph Thackery, J. G. Osterhout, Benjamin Bellows, Wm. Allen, Albert Eaton, B. A. Beal, T. V. Pilbeam, L. S. Palmer, John Britton, L. E. Hawes, Wm. Prindle, Oliver Henderson.

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Com.—T. V. Hoagland.
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Adj.—Albert Eaton.
Q. M.—Lewis Miller.
Chap.—Benj. Bellows.
S.—I. N. Pilbeam.
O. of D.—John Britton.
O. of G.—Lyman Hawes.
S. M.—John Exelby.
Q. M. S.—Wm. Prindle.

Roller Skating at the Opera House this evening.

The ladies' social of St. Peter's church will be held at the residence of Mrs. Lee next Wednesday evening.

J. B. Aylesworth, of the Dayton Hedge Co. is in town, stopping at the Lilley House, and will remain a few days. He is working up the hedge business for the largest hedge company in this country, and hopes to do something in the vicinity. Already about 65 miles of hedge has been sold in this county.

Last Tuesday evening Miss Jennie Root's music class, to the number of about 35, visited Mat Conklin's. He came out after them, with his big sleigh and hauled them home again. They tested his new piano and gave him a fine evening's entertainment, and the class were well entertained in return. Miss Root will continue these parlor concerts once a week for a few weeks.

The following stations on the M. & O. road, at this end of the line, are now in running order and officered for business. We give the name of the agent at each station:

Dundee—C. J. Johnson.
Britton—W. J. Clark.
Ridgeway—A. J. Sutton.
Tecumseh—H. U. Mathews.
Cambridge—W. B. Raymond.
Addison—A. B. Ballard.

The Tecumseh agent is receiving and shipping freight every day now. Business is opening up here first rate.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

J. F. N. Bowen and wife are visiting at Mr. Asa Cranes in Madison.

Last Sunday a Sabbath School was organized at Newburg with Mr. Seth Sheldon as Superintendent.

Geo. Bangs has been on the sick list for the last three weeks. We wish George a speedy recovery.

Manager Bowen reports himself at the key again, but not able to be able to be out much yet.

L. A. Mudgett had a horse badly kicked while standing in the stable last Wednesday afternoon.

Uncle Solomon Mangas is confined to the house by poor health.

J. B. Aylesworth is canvassing this section in the interest of the Dayton Hedge Co., of Ohio.

Mat Graves, of Lenawee Junction has been introducing his celebrated sweeney cure in Clinton and Tecumseh. He was the guest of W. B. Keyser while here.

Mr. Soloman Billmeyer, of Cambridge and Miss Carrie Ambler, of Brooklyn, were the guests of Bowen Bros. last Monday.

To Mr. & Mrs. Alonzo Billington, a girl. Mr. & Mrs. Bert Billington a boy. Mr. & Mrs. Vaughn a girl. Red sunsets and such like! what does it mean?

Mr. Orrin B. Finch has two local telegraph instruments set up in his house, and probably at an early day he and C. A. Waldron and perhaps other enterprising citizens in that section will be connected with the C. T. line.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The Circuit Court for this county convened on the morning of the 15th, and then adjourned for one week, began business on last Tuesday morning.

James Marsale, the burglar who was captured while going through a number of stores in Blissfield, and who pleaded not guilty on first being arraigned, changed his plea to that of guilty.

Charles King, the Morenci young man, who is up for resisting an officer, pleaded guilty.

Adelbert Livermore, the Woodstock horse thief, changed his plea to guilty.

John C. Anderson, who is accused of forging two notes on Mark Roricк, and who at first pleaded not guilty, changed his plea to guilty.

James Kyean was arraigned for forgery, but before he pleaded, his attorney, R. A. Watts, moved to quash the proceedings. Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, was set down as the time at which the motion will be argued.

Frank Remno was arraigned on a charge of [obtaining money by false pretences, of Harvey J. Davis. He pleaded guilty.

Alfred Town, the fellow who stole a horse and cutter from Bachtell & Todd, pleaded guilty.

Wm. Hines and Wm. Robinson, the two thieves who stole an overcoat from Kies Bros., at Tecumseh, as well as a bed spread from Anderson's dry goods store, pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny from a store in the day time.

John Burr, the boy who was convicted for forging an order on A. G. Wood for an overcoat, pleaded guilty.

John Rose was arraigned on charge of attempting to steal from the person of John Ketcham, a pocket book. Without a trial he was sent up the information being quashed.

Thos. Mecus and Daniel McInnes, who had pleaded not guilty on a charge of burglary, with Jas. Davis, their pleas, and their counsel, Messrs. H. C. Smith and Jas. W. Heine, Jr., moved to quash the information.

The court decided that the trial of Bendager Seymour for stealing from the person, would begin at 2 P. M.

The calling of the civil calendar was then proceeded with.

We would like to balance our books to Jan. 1st, 1884. All indebted to us please call and settle, and oblige.

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A $20 Biblical Prize.

The publishers of Rutledge's Monthly offer twelve valuable rewards in their Monthly for February, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 to the person telling us which is the longest verse in the Old Testament Scriptures by Feb. 10th, 1884. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner February 15th, 1884. Persons trying for the reward must send 25 cents in silver or postage stamps taken, with their answer for which they will receive the March Monthly, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address Rutledge Publishing Company, Easton, Penna.

NOT CONTENT WITH BEING THE BEST.

Whatever may be said in regard to the propensity of the management of great railway lines to provide for the public only what is actually demanded in the way of accommodations and comfort, can in no way apply to the management of the Chicago Rock Island & Pacific Railway, or as it is more familiarly known, "The Great Rock Island Route." This line has for years been recognized as the best and most comfortable route between Chicago and Kansas City and the Southwest, and has been abundantly able on this account to successfully cope with its competitors. But not satisfied with this success and its already elegant equipment, its managers have caused to be turned out of its shops at Chicago, a magnificent line of Dining Cars which go into immediate service on the Kansas City line. These cars contain all the conveniences of well furnished dining rooms, are elegant in design and finish, and models of the advanced railway art of the day. Within them meals are furnished equal to those of any first-class hotel in the land at the low rate of seventy-five cents. Travelers on this line now find on its trains all the comforts and conveniences of first-class hotels. Besides the best of first and second-class coaches there are Parlor Chair Cars which are free to all passengers holding through first-class tickets, Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars and Dining Cars.

This Company's lines—all of which are equally well equipped—extend to Council Bluffs and the West, and Minneapolis and St. Paul and the Northwest; and the deserved praises bestowed upon it by returned travelers who speak from experience, make it noted throughout the land.

We bespeak for the owners and managers of this magnificent Railway ample returns for their generous provisions for the wants of the public, which is as has already been proven by the patronage extended to this line, quick to appreciate and patronize those who prove by their deeds and generous treatment that they are devoted to its comfort and welfare.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan. 19, 1884:

Estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Frederick J. Hoddermann, et al., minors; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Mabel Clark, et al., minors; petition and nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of William J. Milner, deceased; petition for extension of time for hearing claims and for revival of commission.

Estate of David H. Liberman, et al., minors; petition for allowance of guardians third account; hearing Feb. 11, 1884.

Estate of Hiram Hill, deceased; oath before sale of real estate filed.

Estate of Frances E. Crandall, minor; nomination of guardian and petition that present guardian be required to file account; order for citation; citation issued; hearing Jan. 28, 1884.

Estate of Ann Russell, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of Henry Jones, [illegible], dependent and neglected children; petition for admission to state public school; order of citation; hearing Jan. 14, 1884.

Estate of Elizabeth Nagel, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing Feb. 11, 1884.

Estate of Chapman Hand, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Jan. 28, 1884.

Estate of Thomas Fitzpatrick, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Jan. 29, 1884.

Estate of Joseph Taylor, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond, $1,000.

Estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased; affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate; bond, $15,000.

Estate of Charity Sweeney, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; distribution.

Estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Catharine M. Colwell, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Rebecca M. Bennett, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing, Feb. 11, 1884.

Estate of Frederick Putman; minor; petition for guardian; order for citation to be served three weeks before hearing; hearing Jan. 21, 1884.

Estate of [illegible], deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Feb. 11, 1884.

Estate of Arthur [illegible], deceased; affidavit of publication of notice of administrator; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Hiram Hill, deceased; affidavit of publication; certificate of allowance of authenticated copy of foreign will.

Estate of Sarah Parkison, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Feb. 11th, 1884.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; petition for license to sell personal estate; order for sale.

OBITUARY.

Mr. David Berger, of Manchester, Mich., passed to his heavenly home from his earthly, Dec. 17, 1883. David Berger was born in Northumberland county, Penn., March 7, 1797. When 17 he moved with his parents to Romulus, Seneca Co., N. Y., was converted when quite young and united with the Lutheran church. Was married Jan. 5th, 1823, to Miss Jenny Fowler, of Seneca, Ontario Co., N. Y. In 1833, he, with his wife joined with the M. E. church at Pulaski, Oswego Co., N. Y., since which time they have found a home among its people at Seneca and Niagara falls, N. Y., in Jersey, then in Clinton, and Manchester, in this state, which last place they came in 1865. Soon after their arrival in this place they opened the doors of their house to the public for divine worship, and continued from that to a goodly number of years, and called down many a blessing upon the members of their household. Among the ministers of his master, who preached the truth under their roof, we mention the names of Isaac Taylor, A. C. Shaw and John Levington. For many years has the name of David Berger been enrolled upon the church record at Manchester, acting as class leader for a number of years. He erected the family altar soon after his marriage, and continued it until disease of the brain asserted unyielding sway over him. Thus during the past year his mind has been densely clouded on every subject save that of prayer, having never before been known to pray with such sublimity and grace, while sweet poetic thought would seem to spring spontaneously to his lips. His funeral solemnities were conducted by the Rev. A. B. Wood, whose beautiful words of praise so justly applied will ever be held in grateful remembrance by the family of the departed, not simply for the elaborate eulogy bestowed, but that their dead was accounted worthy the honor of the words spoken by the blessed Savior, "Behold an Israelite, in whom is no guile." Thus after a half a century of Holy service in one branch of the church of Christ, aged 76 years, 9 months, 10 days, leaving a wife and 6 children to anticipate a future reunion, was his sainted form borne by loving hands to Oak Grove cemetery, the city of the dear departed.

AUCTION SALE.

I will sell at auction, next Saturday afternoon, Jan. 26th, at 2 o'clock, on the corner of Chicago and Evans Sts., a lot of household furniture, bedding, cook stove, carpets, ice cream freezer, a few bags of potatoes, some seed corn, &c. These goods must be sold as I am going to leave town.

G. R. Browne.

—If you want a gift call at the newest, the neatest, the finest, the cheapest, the one that pleases most all,—the most pleasant light running White Bell, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—The shop of P. J. Welling is now in full blast and ready to do all kinds of repairing. Cheese vat and other saws put in order in short notice.

Notice.—Young men, get Rockwell's Pillow go to Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh. They will furnish your home on time.

Bargains in Sewing Machines, Needles, Oil and Attachments at Brown's studio.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends on the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

—Bottom knocked out of prices at C. B. Pennock's cheap store. Now is the time to buy. These goods are going to be sold for what they will bring. Come and get prices. Six quart cans only 7 cents apiece. Boiler, with copper bottom, only $1.25, and other goods in proportion.

—W. N. Sheridan has a few of his fine sleighs. Call and see them.

—Our readers should improve some of these fine days by securing their window before the substance fades.

—On and after January 1st, 1884, we will discount 10 per cent on all undertaking paid within 30 days from sale. Slayton & Kinney.

—If you are in need of ready ware it would be for your interest to call at Pennock's, one door east of Herald office.

—Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh, carry a large stock of Trunks. Get prices, they will not be undersold.

—Call at Pennock's cheap store for your fancy goods.

Notice.—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

—For the best stock and the lowest prices, go to [illegible] & Son.

—Carolene Polish.—The best [illegible] polish now in use is for sale at Slayton & Kinney's. Call and get a sample bottle and see your [illegible] now.

—Leave your orders for small Doors, blinds, mouldings, brackets, frames, locks, hinges, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

Dress with a fine cotton panel, [illegible] or flannels for your furnace, at [illegible] & Son.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the [illegible] Rock Press, call [illegible].

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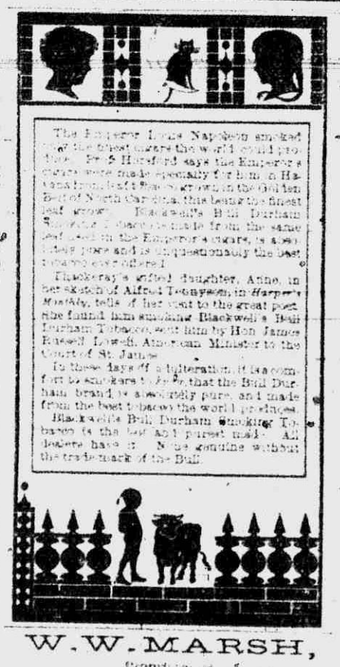

The Emperor Louis Napoleon smoked "of the finest cigars the world can produce." Sir S. Hereford says the Emperor's cigars were made specially for him, in Havana, of the finest tobacco grown in the Golden Belt of North Carolina, the home of the finest leaf grown. Blackwell's Bull Durham, which is made from the same leaf used in the Emperor's cigars, is a smoking tobacco and is unquestionably the best tobacco ever offered.

Blackwell's gifted daughter, Anne, in her Sketch of Alfred Tennyson, in *Harper's Monthly*, tells of her visit to the great poet, she found him smoking Blackwell's Bull Durham Tobacco, and he said to him by Hon. James Russell Lowell, American Minister to the Court of St. James:

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Laces.

Conspicuous pointed in front are the designs in which real laces are now fashioned. Some of these are quite small, reaching only to the top of the darts, while a second size extends to the waist line, and others fall below the waist in front, a double vest, which is so much admiring for handsome corsages of velvet, satin, or silk. Point d'Venise, point de rose, point and combinations of these laces are made into collarettes and sometimes some large piece is across front of the waist, or even entirely covering it, and is then attached to a yard and a quarter of silk or satin, and the lace is gathered upon the shoulders. Very handsome short collarettes of point d'Venise are made with large open work Venetian points, and are fine. There is an effort to revive the old Honiton lace, with their light and leathery designs, and these are now shown in bridal collarettes, and for the dress and sleeves of dresses. Valenciennes is again in favor, and is especially liked for young ladies. Barbes of lace are not useful in the present style of dressing the throat, but the wide straight scarfs are suddenly revived to take to form the soft draped vest, trimming now in vogue. For fully gathered frills for the neck and sleeves one and a half yards are required of the lace. Honiton, or other heavy real lace, but of the lighter laces, such as Valenciennes, Mechlin and the darn of Oriental and Mantoupe laces, seven or eight yards are easily used, as these are all to be very full to be effective, and the frills usually extend down the front of the lace, either in one or two rows, gathered to the edge of the vest, and the side frills drawn and allowed to fall with careful grace without being fastened in a set plait or in some manner.

With ladies who have but one set of real lace the choice remains for dinner or opera and as is said for street and [illegible] Hundreds of Honiton lace are coming because they are so easily made to look like new, [illegible] each, and trimming and for the sleeves in expensive designs is still a card. The choice lace is especially Carrick, narrow, which is really midslin, with the designs accurate in horizontal stripes and the spaced between cut [illegible] with particularly smooth leaf in [illegible] and in curls that turn up [illegible] in wrist [illegible] An expensive lace that [illegible] is the Point de Venise, with its grain work [illegible] and open [illegible] and open [illegible] flowers, roses, [illegible] for this Point d'Venise [illegible] in collarettes the [illegible] and [illegible] all [illegible] [illegible] on the left side. There are also wide [illegible] that are deep enough to form a whole tablier or an apron, and are sold for $25 a card. For matin dresses and [illegible] for simple evening dresses of silk or of satin, and also for trimming the soft satins, are clusters of Mantoupe lace at $2 a card. For wholesome evening dresses and for bridesmaids there are sets of dishesse lace containing a flounce six inches wide, narrow lace for garniture, and a [illegible] lace of with corresponding designs. A bridal veil of dishesse and of point gauze, with orange blossoms and roses and lilies combined in the design, may be added to such a set, and this is in shape like a great scarf a yard and a quarter wide and more than three yards long, and may afterward be used for drapery on satin or velvet skirts. Bridesmaids' veils are most often of Spanish laces, and are only two and a half or three yards long, and cost from $20 to $40.

In black laces the handsome Spanish lace is much liked for fichus, scarfs to drape as vests, and as trimming laces, but the Escurial lace with the design outlined with a cord is the favorite. There are also many of the Spanish guipure laces with the silk designs outlined with chenille cord; this is not confined to black, but is shown in colors also, such as golden brown, Titian red, and gray laces, at $6 a yard, with fichus to match, for $6.50. The imitations of black thread lace are so fine that they are bought for trimmings by the most fastidious women.—*Harper's Bazar.*

Solar Theories.

A very interesting discussion upon solar theories was held at the second day's session of the National Academy of Sciences, at New Haven. It was based upon the reports of Prof. Holden and Dr. Hastings upon the solar eclipse of May 6 of the current year. The observations were taken at Caroline Island, and the conditions were favorable. Prof. Holden stated the facts upon which he rested his conclusion that the planet Vulcan, the existence of which was Leverrier's deduction from solar and planetarial perturbations, is a myth. But the chief interest of the session was created by the paper of Dr. Hastings, in which he gave the grounds for his belief that the accepted theories regarding the sun's atmosphere will have to be abandoned, and that in fact the whole question of the solar elements constitution and action must be reopened.

It is of course well known to men of science that all the theories that have been put forward are merely provisional. Many treatises have been written on the sun, and some of them are perhaps written in too confident a vein. But no astronomer of any reputation or standing has undertaken to assert that we possess any definite knowledge on the subject, nor has any hypothesis been framed which is free from very formidable objections and incongruities. Dr. Hastings sees strong reasons for doubting the theory that the sun is surrounded by an atmosphere of incandescent gas extending to a height of 600,000 miles above the photosphere, or possibly to double that height, and that some mysterious self-luminous matter is distributed through this incandescent atmosphere, together with other mysterious matter which reflects a diffusive light. He points out that this theory requires us to believe that an atmosphere from 600,000 to 1,200,000 miles deep receives no pressure, or practically no pressure, since the spectrum shows that the gaseous pressure at the limit of the chromosphere is scarcely perceptible. But he holds that the cometary evidence against the theory of a gaseous atmosphere is still stronger. Bodies approaching our earth with fourteen times its velocity encounter such a pressure at a distance of ninety miles from its surface—that is to say, at twice the assumed height of the atmosphere—as to become incandescent instantly. "But," says Dr. Hastings, "there is the direct evidence that within the limits of the orbits of the planets the density must be almost infinitely less than that of our atmosphere at every mile above the earth's surface. On the great comet of the last year passed at a distance of 90,000 miles from the sun, and therefore deep within the assumed tenuous atmosphere. The comet traversed the intermediate space for several millions of miles with a velocity 180 times that of the earth, not only without being stopped and precipitated upon the surface of the sun, but even without having been checked in the least."

This certainly is a formidable, if not an absolutely fatal, objection to the theory adopted by Prof. Young and many others, and it is by no means the only objection advanced by Dr. Hastings. Thus he points out that the [illegible] in the spectrum does not behave at all consistently, or in accordance with the current hypothesis. Sometimes it is very bright and apparent. At other times it is almost wanting. In short, says Dr. Hastings, "if the line demonstrates the existence of an atmosphere, it demonstrates also inconceivable changes in it." The editor concluded his paper with an attempted explanation of solar action based upon the diffusion of light. Prof. Young spoke in answer to him subsequently, and frankly said that "he had always thought that the accepted hypothesis was far from perfect." He added, however, that "the atmosphere of the sun was not an atmosphere in the same sense in which one speaks of the earth's atmosphere."

This is rather painfully suggestive of the shifts to which some theologians have been driven in attempting to account for the problem of evil, and which shifts Mill has so forcibly exposed in his essays on religion. If the sun's atmosphere is not what we understand by our atmosphere, then the scientific use of that term in explanation of solar phenomena is merely a shift to conceal scientific ignorance. And, indeed, it is plain enough that science has not yet discovered anything definite about the sun, all theories to the contrary notwithstanding. It is impossible to demonstrate the incandescence of the actual solar body or of its envelope or envelopes. It is impossible to explain solar action in accordance with what is known of natural law. The center of our system is to-day as profound a mystery to us as was to the Chaldeans and Akkadians and the Assyrian hypothesis of a subtle essence force called Akasa, of which the sun is the storehouse and center, is not more unintelligible than the hypotheses which our astronomers and physicists amuse themselves and perplex the lay public by putting forward.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

One of the Usual Sort.

"Let me have five two-cent stamps please," said a lady to the retail stamp clerk in the postoffice yesterday.

"Yessum," he said, handing them over.

"Can't you let me have them in one piece?" she asked.

"Certainly, ma'am," said the clerk. "Can I send them home for you?"

"Oh, no, I don't live far away—only on the North Side—and I'm going right home. I wouldn't want to put you to the trouble."

"No trouble at all," said the clerk. "I haven't much to do to-day and could very easily spare an hour."

"Very much obliged," said the lady, smiling sweetly. "Dear me," she said, putting on a stamp. "What a horrid bother it is to stamp letters! Why can't we send letters and let the post-office send in their bill once a month?"

"They might just as well," said the clerk, sympathizingly. "I'll mention the fact in my next message to Congress."

"Will you? How nice! But you mustn't mention my name. Say the idea was suggested by a North Side society lady, won't you?"

"Certainly, ma'am," said the clerk.

"That's the second letter I have sent to Gerty," said the lady, buttoning her gossamer. "Gerty is the sweetest girl going to Vassar now."

"How does Gerty like Vassar?" asked the clerk.

"Oh, Gerty likes Vassar first-rate; only she says they don't see much company."

"Paper! all about the election?" screamed a newsboy.

"Dear me!" exclaimed the lady. "I'd they have an election yesterday? Who is President now?"

"Arthur, I believe," said the clerk.

"Why, I thought Arthur was President last year?"

"Yes, but he is still President."

"What was the election for, then?"

"For gangers of marmalade and inspectors of hot biscuit," said the clerk.

"Oh! well, I hope they'll get good men. I attended the Woman's Congress awhile ago, and you know it was decided that the ladies ought to take more interest in public affairs. Well, good-by," and she sallied away.

"Who is that woman?" asked the next man in the line, who was shaking and shivering with rage.

"Bust me if I know," said the clerk. And the outflow of stamps proceeded.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—Large bears still infest the forests of Pennsylvania. A black bear weighing three hundred and eighty pounds was killed by Mr. Bruce Ferry in Niles Valley, Tioga County, recently. It took seven rifle shots to get at the life of the monster, who had been playing havoc in the sheepfolds of the farmers.—*Philadelphia Press.*

A St. Louis clergyman has asked the newspapers not to report his sermons, since some of his congregation absent themselves from the house of worship because they can read the substance of the discourse at their ease at the breakfast table.

Camillus, Onondaga Co., N. Y.
Jan. 10, 1883.

Rheumatic Syrup Co.:

Gents—I feel it my duty to recommend your wonderful medicine—"Rheumatic Syrup"—to all who are suffering with rheumatism, neuralgia or kidney difficulty.

I have been a great sufferer with rheumatism, caused by kidney difficulty, and have been treated by our best physicians, but they failed to reach my case or benefit me in the least.

I saw in the Advertiser paper the name of a number who had been permanently cured by the use of Rheumatic Syrup, and, being acquainted with many of them, I was induced to try it, and to my surprise I found that all pain had left my kidneys. I had finished the first bottle. I continued its use for a time, and to-day I am well as ever and feel no more pain or trouble with my kidneys. It has been several months since I discontinued its use, so I know it is a permanent cure in my case.

I can testify that Rheumatic Syrup will do all—yes, more than you claim for it. I am yours truly,

Mrs. Hattie Paddock.

"When worthy men fall out, only one of them may be faulty at first, but if strife continue long, commonly both become guilty."

Don't Spill the Milk.

"There is no use crying over spilled milk," says the old saw. If you are not only bald, but have no life in the roots of your hair, there is no use crying over that either. Take both time and yourself by the forelock while there is a forelock left. Apply Parker's Hair Balsam to your hair before matters get worse. It will arrest the falling off of your hair and restore the original color, gloss and softness. It is a perfect dressing withal, clean, richly perfumed, cools and heals the scalp.

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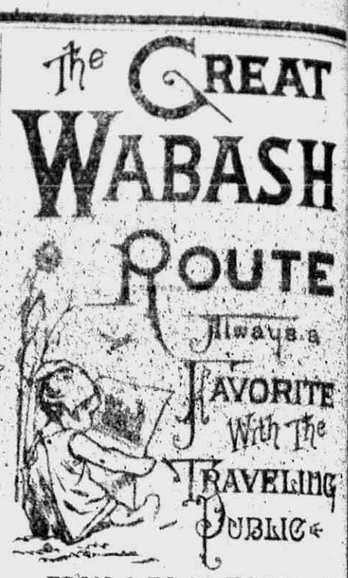

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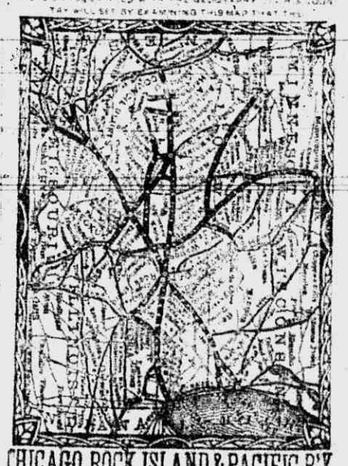

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STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 32 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 16 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 30 "	3 36 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 03 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Petersburg	8 22 "	4 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 50. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Toledo	8 32 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Petersburg	8 52 "	7 32 "	
Adrian	9 25 "	8 02 "	9 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	10 12 "	8 52 "	10 10 "
Clinton	10 45 "	9 24 "	10 50 "
Manchester	11 03 "	9 44 "	11 20 "
Norvell	11 16 "	9 57 "	11 40 "
Napoleon	11 30 "	10 16 "	12 00 M
Jackson	12 38 "	10 27 "	5 30 "
	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 35 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	7 20
Romulus	9 53	9 23	7 01
Belleville	10 08	10 03	6 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Butler	10 55	10 35	4 52
Adrian	11 26	11 21	5 14
Seven Mile Creek	11 35	11 30	5 26
North Manchester	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Liberty	12 09	11 54	5 52
North Bend	12 25	12 05	6 25
Walkerton	12 48	12 25	6 39
Bradley	1 12	1 07	7 00
Burnettsville	1 37	1 32	7 30
Indianapolis	8 50	5 00	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
Burnettsville	2 10	8 05	2 27
Bradley	3 06	8 45	
Walkerton	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Bend	3 32	9 08	
North Manchester	4 04	9 40	3 46
North Liberty	4 17	9 53	
Seven Mile Creek	4 29	10 05	4 12
Adrian	4 52	10 30	
Butler	5 08	10 50	4 52
Milan	5 33	11 11	5 15
Belleville	5 41	11 18	
Romulus	6 20	11 55	6 00
Detroit			

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Trains run by Central Time.

STATIONS.	GOING NORTH.			GOING SOUTH.		
	No. 2 Pacific Express.	No. 4 Mail.	No. 6 Detroit Express.	No. 1 Pacific Express.	No. 3 Mail.	No. 5 Detroit Express.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Toledo	9 00	4 45	1 35	10 45	4 15	1 05
Manhattan Junc.	9 25	5 10	1 50	10 20	3 40	12 40
Alexis	9 38	5 22	1 58	10 08	3 28	12 28
East Toledo	9 40	5 27	2 00	10 05	3 25	12 25
Berlin	9 54	5 41	2 12	9 51	3 11	12 11
Berkey	9 57	5 44	2 15	9 48	3 08	12 08
Monclova Junc.	10 03	5 52	2 22	9 42	3 02	12 02
Lambertville	10 10	6 00	2 30	9 35	2 55	11 55
Sylvania	10 20	6 13	2 41	9 25	2 45	11 45
Malinta	10 30	6 23	2 51	9 15	2 35	11 35
Milan Junc.	10 35	6 30	2 57	9 10	2 30	11 30
Milan	10 40	6 35	3 02	9 05	2 25	11 25
Norvell	10 54	6 49	3 16	8 51	2 11	11 11
Newton	10 57	6 52	3 19	8 48	2 08	11 08
Clinton	11 05	7 00	3 27	8 40	2 00	11 00
Tecumseh	11 17	7 12	3 39	8 28	1 48	10 48
Chicago Junc.	11 25	7 20	3 47	8 20	1 40	10 40
Ann Arbor	11 47	7 45	4 10	7 55	1 15	10 15
Dexter	12 04	8 04	4 29	7 36	12 56	9 56
Chelsea	12 12	8 14	4 39	7 26	12 46	9 46
Grass Lake	12 24	8 28	4 53	7 12	12 32	9 32
Jackson	12 40	8 45	5 10	6 55	12 15	9 15
Leoni	12 47	8 52	5 17	6 48	12 08	9 08
Chelsea Junc.	12 55	9 00	5 25	6 40	12 00	9 00
Gregory	1 00	9 05	5 30	6 35	11 55	8 55
Whitmore Lake	1 05	9 10	5 35	6 30	11 50	8 50
Ypsilanti	1 15	9 20	5 45	6 20	11 40	8 40
Ypsilanti Junc.	1 20	9 25	5 50	6 15	11 35	8 35
Wayne Junc.	1 35	9 40	6 05	6 00	11 20	8 20
Detroit	1 45	9 50	6 15	5 50	11 10	8 10

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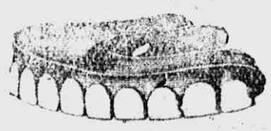

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OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—Hartford has more wealthy people than any city of its size in the United States.—*Hartford Post.*

—Not a nail is used in the construction of houses in Japan. They are put together by a method of mortising.

—Five hundred geysers and five hundred hot springs are reported as in the Yellowstone National Park by the Government surveyors.—*Chicago Times.*

—Henry Story, of Fayetteville, Tenn., always carried a whisky flask in his game-bag. He became so elated while hunting at his unusual good luck that he drained the flask, lost his way, fell into a river and was drowned.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—A London scientific paper says that a shoulder of mutton contains one-third more bone than a leg, and considerably more fat and connective tissue, and that consequently a shoulder at twenty cents a pounds is dearer than a leg at twenty-five cents.

—The Detroit *Free Press* wants the Michigan Legislature to enact a law "making train robbery something more serious than horse stealing." As they hang people out West for horse stealing, we don't believe it can be done.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Frederika Thommermann, who came from Germany recently to marry her lover Frederick Spilker, in St. Louis, and on arrival found him in jail for murder, went into the prison with the necessary officials and married him there.—*St. Louis Post.*

—It was a dull day in a barber-shop in Bangor, Me., and one of the loungers offered him seventy-five cents for the receipts of the day. The offer having been accepted, the lounger went out and drummed up his friends and the receipts reached about ten dollars.—*Boston Post.*

—Last July John Brown, of New York, identified a man found dead in that city as his long-lost brother James, and buried him with great pomp. The other day James Brown called on John and stayed to dinner, denying that he had ever died or had had any intention of so doing.—*N. Y. Times.*

—The railroad bridge over the St. Lawrence from Morrisburg to Waddington is to be two and a half miles long, and will cross the St. Lawrence canal with a swing bridge 338 feet long. The city of Ottawa agrees to pay $350,000 of the cost if the railroad company will make a wagon road on the bridge.—*Toronto Globe.*

Mr. Charles Dudley Warner thinks he has discovered why the German Government is so kindly sending young carp out of that country. He has tasted the fish and says of them that "though in some respect the carp and stories about carp differ, nevertheless in one important particular they are both alike—it is very difficult to swallow either."

—The oldest tree on the earth as far as any one knows is the "Bo" tree in the sacred city of Amarapoora, in Burmah. According to the *Timber Journal* it was planted 288 B. C., and must therefore be 2,171 years old. Some authorities believe it to be the identical tree under which Buddha reclined at Uruuelvo when he underwent his apotheosis.

Judge Steeker, of New York sent to the ministers of his district for lists of the worthy poor in order that he might give them a Christmas dinner, and when the list showed him that five thousand and odd dinners would be required he didn't flinch, but went to Washington market and bought the biggest lot of poultry ever sold to a private citizen.—*N. Y. Times.*

—A medical man in California gives a curious prescription as a safeguard against small-pox when he says: "Place one ounce of cream of tartar in sixteen ounces of water and take a tablespoonful three times a day, and you may sleep with a small-pox patient with perfect impunity. If every citizen would do this for fifteen days there would be an end of small-pox in any city.—*San Francisco Call.*

—The Grand Jury of White Pine County, Nev., recently expressed its approval of a public official in a forcible if unpolished manner, as follows: "On invitation we visited the Treasurer's office and feel warranted in the assertion that nothing short of a mountain howitzer or Gatling gun would be of any avail to secure entrance to the premises, and Treasurer Laddie deserves to be complimented for the pains taken and money expended to secure the safety of the county funds."—*Denver Tribune.*

—At Schenectady, N. Y., a juvenile rushed into the presence of his parents and gleefully exclaimed: "We are going to have the firemen come up to our house right away." An explanation was asked, and the startling answer made that he and a playmate had started a fire under a bed in an upstairs room. And sure enough, rapidly spreading flames were discovered. The flames were subdued, much to the grief of the youngster. When the child was chided he innocently remarked: "What difference does it make, pa? Ain't you going to build a new house, anyway?"—*Albany Journal.*

—Birney, M. T., of which J. W. Toohey was made postmaster, is eighty miles from any place in which there is a notary, and when it became necessary for Mr. Toohey to take the oath of office he swore himself in. In due time his papers were returned with a letter instructing him to swear before a notary, as there is no precedent for a man swearing before himself. He replied that he knew of no precedent that would entitle him to mileage and expenses to go one hundred miles and be sworn, and that if his papers were not satisfactory the department might get another man for postmaster.—*Chicago Herald.*

—In digging for the Cape Cod Canal, there has been found, about eighteen feet below the surface, marsh mud. The fact is strong comment on the drifting cape sands, which have reared the shoals of Plymouth harbor, the bars of Chatham or Nantucket. The same diggings have brought to light, from beneath the sand, at about the same depth, the still recognizable frame of an oak flume or raceway. By tradition and town record the same flume could only belong to the ancient tide-mill, which Acadiens built in 1750, in their exile by the sea. Further inland borings have brought to the surface the smooth, wave-worn stones, which show that through the gap between the Sandwich hills the sea once flowed.—*Detroit Post.*

City versus Country.

I have heard good people declaim against the social life of cities as if there were really something criminal in a fondness for dinner parties, receptions, and balls, and a high degree of virtue in abstaining from such pleasures by those who could not have them if they would. I have had considerable experience of life in rural towns, and so far as it informs me I am willing to maintain that life in them is no more earnest, dignified with worthy interests and aims, than life in cities, but merely a less busy and a duller thing. The frivolous city girl's day is filled with engagements from morning to night—with shopping, paying and receiving visits, driving, in the park, and theater or ball going in the evening. Her mind is taken up with these things to the exclusion of anything like intellectual occupation—for novel reading does not come under that head. She is absorbed in pleasure-seeking in all its various kinds. The frivolous country girl has more time on her hands, but does she do anything better with it? She, too, seeks her pleasures, as many as are to be had, and sighs that there are no more of them. She shops and pays calls, and plays tennis in the afternoon instead of driving on the avenue; wishes there was a dance for the evening, but since there is not stays at home and does some fancy-work, finishes her novel, or chats with some intimate who "drops in" on her. What real difference in her character is made by the fact that she has but one party to attend during the week, where the other girls have had six? Is worldliness worse because it is on a larger scale? Is scandal about the last elopement in fashionable society more demoralizing than gossip about one's next door neighbor's son and the attention he is paying to Miss So-and-So? The virtue of minding one's own business is not more commonly practiced in rural places than in larger ones. I know of city girls who mingle with their pleasures an active care for the poor and sick, spending as much thought and time in charitable works as those who living in country places, have less demand upon their leisure. It is sad to see a man or woman spending life in thoughtless gaiety; to me, it is equally sad to see one wasting it in simple, negatively virtuous inanity. I know certain worthy persons the mere sight of whom is depressing beyond words. The vacancy of their minds oppresses me as a surface on in a strain of music distresses the ear; the dullness of their undeveloped souls, the contraction of the mental and spiritual space they are shut up in, affects me as positive pain. If it were an extern I necessity that compelled to this way of existence, the case would be hard enough, but being, as I know it is, the result of choice and habit, and that, again, the outcome of sluggish temperament and minds deprived of proper stimulus, the pity of it is the much the greater. Sometimes such people do suffer from this species of self-starvation, yet without knowing it, or at least without comprehension of the true nature of their dull unrest. Perhaps it is just such a one, of all persons, whom you will hear speaking in disparagement of "fashionable" society. In the name of reason, one exclaims internally, is it not better at least to enjoy one's self than to make an absolute nothing of one's life? To be pleased with trifles is at least no crime, but you would make it a virtue to be pleased with nothing.—*November Atlantic.*

Old Grimes.

This is a remarkable instance of perpetuating a man's memory, says a correspondent of the *New York Tribune*, who endowed no institution, founded no public library, and reared a monument (by his friends) in no fashionable cemetery. Every reader of this epitaph will give a new lease to the perpetuity of it, as the fireside memory of the quaint story is revived, and again repeat it over and over for the children to take up and continue. The facts in this narrative were incidentally gleaned from Mrs. Rebecca Harrington, *nee* Wigging, who was born in New Jersey, and raised near Niagara Falls, on the Canada side. Her memory is that "Old (John) Grimes" was born in Belfast, Ireland, about 1776. He was an educated man of cheerful disposition, at one time an editor in Toronto, Canada, perhaps fifty or fifty-three years ago. He subsequently engaged in the purchase of rags which he transported on a mule, and used to make his "headquarters" with one William Bigger, an uncle of the said Mrs. Harrington, who lived at Lundy's Lane, half a mile from Niagara Falls. Here Grimes would unload his merchandise, as he said, to "let the rags and mule cool off," and would sometimes stay several weeks. Soon after he began to be recognized as a regular visitor, he brought forth several copies of "The Epitaph," "Old Grimes is Dead," etc., which he said he had written and printed while in Toronto. The mound that covers him, the winds that sing his requiem, or the blossoms that exhale their sweet perfume in commemoration of his simple worth are unknown to me. I have never seen any apparently authentic account of "Old Grimes" before, and send this on a venture that you may think it acceptable.

Lengthening Short Women.

The London World tells of a new contrivance for making ladies taller. The woman who is to undergo this process is cased in very tight corset, and her feet are placed in shoes weighted with fifty pounds of lead each. She is then placed in a machine consisting of a ring, which encircles her waist, and is suspended from the ceiling at such a height as to prevent her feet from touching the ground. The pressure of the corset forces the upper part of her body upward, and the weight of the shoes stretches her from the waist downward. It is estimated that the extreme length to which the spine can be stretched by the process thus described is two inches, and that the knee and hip joints can be stretched an inch and a half more. Thus three inches and a half can be added to the height of almost any woman who has the courage to undergo the trouble and pain necessarily connected with a stretching process lasting, with brief intervals, during five or six months.

THE HERALD FOR 1884.

Advertising has become a necessity to business success, and if the trader and speculator find the use of printer's ink a paying investment why should not the newspaper publisher adopt the same method to make known his wares? Newspapers have become a necessity in every household. No well regulated family in these days thinks of getting along with only one newspaper. The *daily traveller* must have his trade or agricultural journal, a city political weekly, and a local sheet; the housewife needs a lady's magazine; the children sigh for a juvenile paper. The HERALD will seek to fill only one of these fields, that of a local newspaper. But it shall be our aim to make improvements in that direction and to fill that special field more thoroughly than heretofore. We shall give no chromos nor statuary, nor organs, nor sewing machines, to subscribers during the coming year. Recognizing the tendency of the times towards cheaper rates, we shall accommodate ourselves to it. We have chosen twelve publications, giving a good variety for family needs, have secured special terms on them, and can offer them in connection with the HERALD at "rock-bottom rates." No such rates have ever before been offered to our patrons. Under this club offer, however, we shall not accept elm wood or hard cider, or potatoes, or turnips on subscription.—These rates mean "cash down" with the order. The table below gives the name of each paper clubbed with the HERALD, the regular subscription price of the outside paper, and the club price of the same in connection with the HERALD. A glance at the figures will show the remarkable offer which we extend to our patrons for the New Year. We shall be prepared to take subscriptions for any paper or magazine published at reduced rates, but our special "rock-bottom" offer will be confined to the papers named in the appended list. Having done our part to give our friends the lowest figures on their reading matter for '84 we respectfully ask them to return the compliment and swell the subscription list of the HERALD during the ensuing two months beyond any number hitherto reached in its history.

CLUB RATE TABLE.

NAME OF PAPER.	Price.	With Herald.
Detroit Free Press	$1.00	$2.00
Det. Post & Trib.	1.00	2.00
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Texas Siftings	2.50	3.00
Good Times	1.00	2.00
American Farmer	1.00	1.75
Floral Cabinet	1.25	2.50
Louisville Cour. Journal	1.50	2.50
Detroit Echo	.75	.75
Chicago News	.75	.75
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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 21, 1884.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

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WASHINGTON.

The value of exports of domestic breadstuffs in December, last, was $[illegible], against $[illegible] for the same time of 1882. For the twelve months ended December 31, last, $[illegible], against $[illegible] for the same period of 1882.

The Committee on Rebellion have directed a favorable report to be made on the bill granting a pension of $[illegible] a month to survivors of the Mexican war, the wars with the Creeks and the Seminoles, or the Blackhawk war.

Secretary Chandler reported to the Senate on the 17th that there were 32 vessels in the naval register in November, 1882, of these 21 were built prior to the rebellion, 3 during the war and 4 since the close of hostilities. The original cost of the 21 vessels was $[illegible], repairs $[illegible], total cost, $[illegible]. The repairs exceeded the original cost $[illegible]. The average age of the vessels was [illegible] years.

The Senate, on the 16th, rejected the treaty with Mexico by a vote of [illegible] to twenty nays.

The formal dedication of the Garfield Memorial Church at Washington took place on the 17th. It occupies the site of the little church and church where President Garfield was accustomed during his long official residence in Washington.

Mrs. Mary Minnis, of Louisiana, made application for leave for master of a steamboat and Congressman Kellogg argued her right to sit on the floor of the Treasury at Washington on the 16th. The Solicitor acknowledged that there was no law to prevent her holding a license and so decided. Secretary Folger will so direct her license issued next week.

THE EAST.

By the will of the late Dr. Calvin Ellis, of Boston, Mass., his estate is left in trust for the benefit of his sister and upon her decease $50,000 goes to Harvard College, the net income of which, after deducting five per cent. for the purpose of increasing the fund, to be applied to the payment of the tuition and other expenses of certain descendants of Davis Ellis and others, who may be members of the college. The residue of the trust property, if any, is also to be paid to the President and Fellows of Harvard College, the income after the same deduction of five per cent. to be applied to the payment of the salary of the professor of pathological anatomy.

Dr. John I. Gilmore, President of the Maine Medical Society, died at Portland on the 16th, aged seventy-eight.

William G. Weed, a prominent lawyer and politician of Albany, N. Y., died on the 16th.

Damage to the amount of $[illegible] was caused by a fire which originated in the office of F. M. Lockwood & Co., Exchange Court, New York, on the 17th. The building was occupied by many brokers and bankers, some of whom were compelled to make a hasty exit for self-preservation. Lockwood & Co. lost $20,000 worth of West Shore bonds, one hundred shares of Union Pacific Railroad stock and a quantity of cash.

At the meeting of the directors of the Northern Pacific Railroad at New York on the 17th Robert Harris, of the New York, Lake Erie & Western Railroad, was elected President to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Henry Villard.

The funeral of Charles Dennison took place on the 16th from St. Louis Catholic Church, New York. The church was so crowded that many were unable to enter. Every box in the city and many out of the city were represented at the funeral. New York city was also largely represented. The body was placed in the Dennison vault in the crypt of St. Patrick's Cathedral.

John Prentiss, Speaker of the New Jersey Assembly, who recently resigned at Newark [illegible] the Penitentiary and [illegible] to serve in the Assembly and Senate.

[illegible]

[illegible] M. Wilson, of the Treasury Department, sailed [illegible] the mail from Aspinwall [illegible] New York on the 16th. It contained [illegible] in specie.

A [illegible] occurred in the range in the [illegible] of James Sherwood at Hunter's Point, L. I., on the 16th, instant. [illegible] Sherwood and [illegible] Everything in the range was left red.

An explosion in the magazine of the Atlantic Dynamite Company at A[illegible] on the 16th instantly killed John Kramer and [illegible] other men were injured.

[illegible] E. Wallace at [illegible] the 16th, [illegible] men and [illegible] were [illegible] The damage [illegible]

A [illegible] was made on the 16th by Elisha Tuttle, arrested for [illegible] with the Dwyer robberies at Brooklyn. [illegible] his brother John and himself in the murder of Mrs. Mayne and her daughter.

[illegible] the statement of the New York [illegible] for the week ended January 12, [illegible] increase, $[illegible] decrease, $[illegible]. The total increase, $[illegible]. The total requirements [illegible]

[illegible] Fitzgerald, a prominent [illegible] and [illegible] man of New York, died in the 16th [illegible]

A [illegible] passenger train of the [illegible] Railroad collided with a [illegible] passengers, with [illegible] others, [illegible] and [illegible] The [illegible] of the [illegible] by the discovery of [illegible]

[illegible] Hubert, aged [illegible] years, [illegible] Washington, on the 16th, [illegible] a [illegible] in the Post-office was arrested at Bo[illegible] on the 16th, charged with raising a check from $[illegible] to $[illegible] and attempting to pass it upon a Washington bank.

William H. Guion, of the firm of [illegible] & Co., of New York, was [illegible] on the 16th. [illegible] said to be [illegible]

Rev. C. A. Bartol, [illegible] of the City of [illegible] Mass., and was just sta[illegible] a vacation with his wife and daughter. His father and mother also perished.

An explosion of gas demolished a building on Hanover Street, Boston, Mass., recently. The roof was blown across the street, seriously injuring two persons who were passing. The windows for two squares on each side of the street were broken.

WEST AND SOUTH.

Aaron Dean Otto, of Indiana, an experienced and intelligent fruit grower, says the recent cold weather undoubtedly killed the fruit germs of the peach trees. As to the killing of the trees, that depends on the situation and condition of the orchard. The weather preceding the late cold spell was very favorable.

At Dallas, Mass., on the 17th a general row occurred in the store of William Harmon, resulting in the killing of Evans Harmon and the fatal wounding of William Harmon and Robert Garnier, and serious wounding of several others. Bishop, who shot William Harmon and instigated the row, was shot. It is thought he will die if captured.

John Hess was released from the Ohio Penitentiary on the 17th after serving out a term of twenty-five years for horse stealing. He is seventy years of age.

The dead body of Eliza Sheppard, a school teacher, was found in her room in a block at Cleveland, O., on the 17th. She was proprietress of the block, had been missing two weeks, and it was evident from the appearance of the body that she must have been dead nearly that length of time when discovered.

A fire in Fayette, Mo., on the 17th destroyed several stores, involving an estimated loss of $75,000; partially insured.

An attempt to poison the family of James L. Thayer, of Cleveland, O., was recently made by a discharged cook, who mixed a quantity of "rough on rats" with the flour of which she made bread just before her departure. Fatal results were averted by prompt medical attendance.

The general offices of the Indiana, Illinois & Iowa Railroad at Kankakee, Ill., were burned on the 18th, destroying all the company's papers and accounts.

A boiler in the manufactory of the Cincinnati Corrugated Iron Company exploded on the 18th and fired the building, causing a loss of $50,000; insured for $35,000. At two o'clock a member of the firm was negotiating for increasing the insurance on the building, and before he accomplished it the telephone brought news that the property was burning.

Rev. Edward Fontaine died at his residence near Pocahontas Station, La., on the 19th. He was a contributor to the science of hydraulic engineering, and first suggested the jetties for the mouth of the Mississippi.

The boiler in the saw and grist mill of Brink & Elkins, at Hamilton, Ill., exploded on the 19th, wrecking the enging and engine room, fatally scalding Simon Robers and William Walker and seriously injuring four others.

The new Episcopal church at Saginaw, will be consecrated about the first of February.

An attempt to steal the remains of the late Bishop Wheelan, in Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Wheeling, W. Va., recently, was frustrated by the security of the vault which interrupted the work of the ghouls till daylight, when the sexton discovered that the vault had been tampered with and a guard was placed over it.

Seven members of Henry Kendall's family at Louisville, Ky., were recently poisoned by "Rough on Rats," which by a mistake was put to the biscuits. Kendall and his wife died.

Alexis Hoyarsun, in the Common Pleas Court at Cincinnati, refused to grant a divorce to Teresita Walters, twelve years of age. Judge Hagerty, and also refused her a [illegible] for divorce, but allowed her alimony. The ground taken was gross neglect of duty.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Eighty-one men and a boy were in the range of the Pendarren colliery, in Wales on the 16th, the rope broke and all were hurled to the bottom and instantly killed.

Negotiations between the Vatican and Prussia are progressing favorably and an agreement is expected soon.

In a speech at New Castle, Eng., on the 16th Chamberlain, President of the Board of Trade, said that the Government would not consider its task complete until Irishmen possess the same rights and privileges as Englishmen and Scotchmen.

A congress under the presidency of the President of the German Reichstag will superintend the obsequies of Herr Lasker, which will take place at Berlin on the 20th inst.

The Government has decided to allow General Chinese Gordon to return his commission in the English army, notwithstanding his engagement for service in the Congo country.

Daniel Asquith, Treasurer of the Lancashire & Yorkshire Railroad, has absconded.

The fire in S. W. Silver & Co's publishing house at London, Eng., on the 17th caused a damage of £35,000.

Baron St. Suzanne, Governor General of Monaco, died on the 17th.

At Dublin, on the 16th, farmers with one hundred and sixty plows and three hundred and twenty horses, plowed fifty acres of the Parnell estate.

The new French Prime Minister announces that the programme of the government will be based upon liberal lines, and he shall constantly endeavor to keep free from international politics.

A dispatch from Hoi How, of the 16th states that Chinese troops from Canton have landed there with stores and ten pieces. The English Vice Consul asks for a gunboat.

At London on the 16th the jury in the case of William Wolff, charged with being in unlawful possession of explosives, disagreed and were discharged.

An Alexandria dispatch says it is officially announced that the Khedive has not the slightest intention of resigning.

A Cairo dispatch of the 19th says the position of the troops and Europeans at Khartoum is most critical. Retreat is cut off, and the Arabs hold both sides of the river. Hordes of Arabs are also closing around Berbeen. The general cry is, "We shall help us, we are deserted!" The rebels captured, within three hours' march from Suakim, Sheikh Moussa, who recently brought in half his tribe which had joined the rebels. His tribe of men have gone to rescue him, and a portion of the garrison have gone out to support them.

The Arabs have demanded three hundred thousand guilden for the release of thirty-two of the crew of the steamer Nisero.

LATER NEWS.

Edward D. Easton and Morgan Commack, against whom forty-six indictments for swindling have been found, were arrested at Ocean Springs, Miss., on the 19th, just as they were ready to start for Mexico. The indictments are for complicity in the Pacific cotton swindles. They and their confederates are said to have realized from $[illegible] to $[illegible] from the bankers and cotton dealers of New York on forged bills of lading. Their total take was placed at $[illegible].

Miles Hall, arrested in Letcher County, Ky., on the 21st on the charge of bigamy, is only pineteen years of age, but is said to have four wives and was about to marry the fifth when captured.

Hugo Schenck, recently arrested at Vienna for murdering four women, confessed that he had planned five murders for the last week, expecting through them to obtain 30,000 florins, with which he intended to escape to America.

Charles H. Russell, retired dry goods merchant and formerly President of the New York Chamber of Commerce, died on the 21st aged eighty.

A fire at Antioch, Cal., on the 21st consumed the American Exchange Hotel. John Griffin, son of the proprietor, and Thomas Hines perished in the flames.

Rev. Barton Lowe, an aged Methodist minister, while attempting to cross the room at Winchester, O., fell into the fire and was fatally burned.

Commodore Timothy A. Hunt, United States Navy, died at New Haven, Conn., on the 21st, aged seventy-nine.

Seven hundred black recruits for the Egyptian army had to be driven by cavalry to the train awaiting to transport them to Suez.

The Clair announced the new rules to be in operation in the Senate on the first. Several petitions were presented praying for investigation into the divorce legislation of the different States and arrange a compilation of divorce statutes. Mr. Logan presented a petition from many officers of the Union army praying for the passage of laws giving pensioners of war the benefit of public lands. Mr. Morgan offered the following, which was agreed to: That the Committee on Foreign Relations be instructed to inquire into the subject of the settlement of trading posts being established in the valley of the Congo River in Africa, and report if any action can be properly taken by Congress for the executive furtherance of our commerce in that quarter, and the committee to report the bill or otherwise. A bill permitting retired army officers to hold civil office in the Territories was passed. The establishment of a civil government in Alaska was taken up. It provides for a Governor to be appointed by the President with powers similar to those of the Governors of other Territories, establish courts, etc. Without resuming a discussion on [illegible] the Senate went into executive session and adjourned. In the House, Mr. Randall presented a joint resolution for an appropriation for the relief of the Greeley party. Mr. [illegible] of New York, moved to suspend the rules and pass a bill repealing the laws prescribing the [illegible] and agreed to, and the bill passed 146 to 11. Adjourned.

A drunken colored man in Niles came near freezing to death last week Tuesday night.

Nancy Clark, aged about 90, frozen to death in Colvin, Cass county, recently.

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MACON CENTER CUTS.

Charles Lanier, of Dansville, is here prospecting for the purchase of a farm.

Easlick's mill yard is filling up with logs. He contemplates starting up the mill as soon as the thermometer raises.

John Stewart returned last Thursday from a two months' visit in Ireland. He reports a pleasant journey going and while there, but a very rough sea on the return trip. He thinks there will be political trouble in Ireland.

The officers of Macon Grange were installed Friday afternoon, the 18th: Hon. W. H. Osborn officiating. "The table groaned under doughnuts and coffee."

Mrs. Beckwith, of New York, is visiting her son Frank Beckwith. She will remain until April.

Uncle John Collum has been very sick for some time, but is now on his feet again. He is over 80 years old.

Christie Miller is quite sick with inflammation of the lungs, with slight improvement to-day.

"Just because a few farmers are giving their notes for seed oats at $10 per bushel, and contracting with agents to sell their next year's crop on a commission of $2.50 per bushel, newspaper correspondents are crying "Fool-killer," "Ohio Vermin," "Bohe-me," and a'that. Why, there is a responsible organization down in Ohio who agree to collect the notes they hold against farmers for said oats and the $2,50 commission. All the farmers have to do is to collect the notes for next year's crop as taken by their agents,—whether against men of straw or what not. And they have a whole year to do it in, beside the statute of limitations. And if they never see their agents again, they have got the seed oats all the same.

The subscribers to the M. & O. railroad are utilizing their passes. J. F. Gilmore and wife took a trip to Allegan and return last week, starting Wednesday and returning Saturday. They stopped off at Hanover and stayed over night at Dr. Lee Ambrose's formerly from here, whom they report all right and doing well. They also stopped off at Addison over night at one of Mrs. Gilmore's sisters.—Frank says he never passed over so much good farming country in the same distance in all his travels.

Private houses are being deluged with leap year parties. The only protest we enter is against playing "Jersey Boys", Mollie Brooks." "The Needles Eye," etc., to instrumental music. The sense is lost. We would suggest that a few good singers organize a vocal orchestra and charge for their services; that would do away with the fatigue of both singing and playing at the same time, and the jargon and confusion from so many discordant voices. A. E.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Thermometer 28° below zero last Friday morning.

Eugene Groger lost a valuable cow last week.

Kirkby Bros. have returned to their work at Lenawee Junction.

Letters from Isaac Dowling report him shot through the arm in a skirmish with the Indians. He is in the northwestern part of Wisconsin.

John Brighton had the misfortune to lose $100 while unloading oats at the depot at Brooklyn, but on returning "Lucky John" was confronted with the little roll.

The "Turn of the Tide" was played on Thursday eve. of last week, and was quite a success, considering the intense cold.

There is to be a Washington's Birthday party at Ayer's hall, on Thursday eve., Feb. 21st. Barlow & Williams' full orchestra have been secured, which alone is a guarantee of a good party.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The thermometer indicated thirty degrees below zero in "Joeville" (the western part of town) last Friday morning. At this writing, Monday, it stands thirty-five above. If Vennor is in any way responsible for the sudden changes of the weather we move his immediate removal from the weather bureau.

A peculiar type of catching cold has been going the rounds here of late. It is somewhat amusing to see how all classes "catch on" without the usual precaution to see if the act be a popular one.

Mr. Edward Russell, whose wife died recently, has sold his house and lot on West Main street to a Mr. Van Tassel, employed for sometime past at the Exchange hotel. Mr. B. is one of the oldest residents of the place and will remove at once to the home of his brother, Mr. James Birdsall, of Raisin.

Mr. S. D. Nesmith has closed out his entire dry goods and jewelry business at Swartout's block to Mr. Horace Wilcox, of Woodstock. Mr. W. is well and favorably known at this place, Somerset and Kelley's Corners, and we predict for him a fine opening in his new business.

The fact that whiskey is a poor safeguard against cold was most fully but sadly demonstrated by Mr. Orlando Sanford, of Woodstock, on Friday afternoon of last week. Mr. S. is a man about forty years of age, without family, and possessed of a fine constitution and naturally congenial temperament. The facts connected with the incident above referred to are as follows as near as we can ascertain.—Starting out in company with a jug of whiskey to walk a distance of two miles, across lots, to the residence of Mr. R. Wheaton, he became intoxicated, and failing to get over a fence which lay across the path he paced back and forward in the snow along the line until overcome by fatigue and the intense cold he became unable to walk, and sank down against the fence, in which position he was found by some children returning from school. When taken up and cared for by the neighbors his limbs were found to be frozen so badly that amputation will probably be necessary, if indeed the poor victim should recover from the terrible ordeal.—Truly "the way of the transgressor is hard."

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

W. D. Wells has sold his blacksmith shop here and purchased one in Addison.

David Harrison has rented his farm to Peter Swick and bought the Sutton place. He will soon be a resident of Ridgeway.

The annual donation for the Ridgeway M. E. church will be held on Wednesday evening, Feb. 6. All are invited to come out and get acquainted with the new pastor and to have a good social time.

Since the HERALD mentioned the orange blossoms, it has been a query in the minds of the young'ns hereabouts to know who the lucky ones might be. But since Jay Santus came into possession of a new set of teeth his smiles put to an end the query, and to-day he visits Detroit, perhaps perhaps after something of the metallic kind: hence Mr. Editor prepare your cards for the near future.

Mr. Jack Hayes, the man who lost his leg here while working on the M. & O., is making his old friends a visit. He reports himself as feeling well and in good spirits.

There is hardly a day but some one is enquiring for a house and lot, or a lot to build upon. Some for one thing and some for another. The last one is looking up a location for a cheese factory, and this place is his choice, only that he thinks that stock can be watered easier at Britton, and we don't doubt it.

Meetings still in progress without any particular demonstrations.

Mr. Samuel Sharp and wife are at home visiting their parents.

School in Dist. No. 1 is thriving this winter, the wheat being separated from the tares under the strict discipline of A. E. Kalder, of Hillsdale co.

RIDGEWAY RATTLINGS.

Protracted meetings still distract.

Minnie Barrett is recovering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Many children in this vicinity are on the sick list. The doctors pronounce it a sort of epidemic.

Mr. Enoch French, of Battle Creek, spent last Sunday with Mr. Joe Arner and family. We understand that he has a French class in this vicinity.

Mr. Ira Wilson, of Raisin, called on Ridgeway friends last Saturday eve.

Art Kelly met with what might have been a serious accident Sunday night. While returning from Britton with a friend, through carelessness on the part of the driver, the horse turned out of the beaten track and tipped the cutter into the ditch. A broken carriage top was the only mishap.

Miss Libbie Emmons has returned from a six weeks visit with her parents near Kalamazoo.

Alfred Mosher goes to Addison next Monday to work at blacksmithing. Good luck attend him.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cadmus have gone north to visit frinds. Mrs. C. goes to Kalamazoo and Mr. C. to Kalkaska.

Emmet Baker, of Monroe, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Wilson.

Our Sunday School enjoyed a very pleasant sleighride and picnic dinner last Saturday. Four loads of happy people took a ride to Holloway and Tecumseh, inspecting the sights of each village, returning to Ridgeway for dinner, after which another sleigh ride was enjoyed. All report a very pleasant time, and party thanks are due the Superintendent and others who helped organize and conduct the festivities.

It is reported that the Literary Society will give a public literary entertainment in the audience room of the M. E. church as soon as the religious meetings cease. If this is true, we anticipate a very good presentation of an excellent program. Ridgeway has long needed a literary society and now that we have a good one started they should be greeted with a full house. Such an enterprise should be supported by the hearty good will and moral support of every christian community, and not let the ruts of old fashioned education and bigotry stand in the way of the good we may receive by such training. We but echo the sentiments of the community, and feel sure that our sentiments are endorsed by all our intelligent citizens.

MACON MOLECULES.

Rev. Mr. Carleton, of Hillsdale, preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning, and delivered a temperance address in the evening.

W. H. Crittenden has moved into his new house. Mr. Crittenden has one of the finest residences in our hamlet.

Miss Hilda Pennington returned home from Dakota last week, looking as though that "wonderland" was conducive to earthly happiness.

Jessie Collier is about to go to Milan where he has a position as clerk in a grocery and crockery store. A large circle of friends unite in wishing him success.

Owing to the inclement weather, the charade party at James Hatch's last week was not largely attended. Those who were there enjoyed the affair very much.

The funeral of James Collins' little daughter took place at the Baptist church Monday, Jan. 28. Rev. C. E. Conley, of Tecumseh, officiated.

A few Maconites hied away Monday evening to hear the much-talked-of Mattie Vickers. Well, we were satisfied that she is just immense.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Britton's hall is finished. It will be occupied by the G. A. R. post.

A jolly load of Ridgeway young folks came to town last Saturday.

The stave factory will go up as soon as the weather moderates.

A cheese factory is about to become one of the enterprises soon to be inaugurated here.

The flour and feed store of Exelby Bros. seems to be doing a flourishing business.

No school two days last week on account of the illness of Mrs. Burket, teacher.

A lively runaway last Thursday.

Ed. Rauch has so far recovered as to be able to attend to business.

When folks move into Britton they have to bring a house along, and that's what John Beasley did last week.

A series of very successful meetings are being held at the Christian church, conducted by the regular pastor, assisted by the Rev. McCullough.

An old fashioned school exhibition is being prepared for the boards at the opera house, and will come off shortly.

When the court at Newaygo stopped for breath, a few days ago, two of the attorneys improved the time by having a fight.

Last Saturday night Mrs. John Miller of Mendon, was run over by an engine, dragged about 20 rods and her person from the waist down literally torn to pieces.

An intoxicated man slept on a wood pile at Battle Creek all Saturday night, and now the doctors say the only way to save his life is to amputate both legs—they were frozen so badly.

Last Sunday evening Mrs. Elijah Andeson, an aged lady of Saranac, lost her way while returning from a neighbor's house, and wandered a long distance into the woods. Search was made and she was found, nearly frozen, bewildered and in a semi-delirious condition.

Joseph Palmer, of Carrolton, is pursued by the Fates, he thinks. On the 21st of March last he lost a child by death; April second following his wife died; May 23 he had his ankle crushed; late in November a barn containing a quantity of hay, grain, and farming implements was destroyed by fire, and last week he lost a $175 horse by drowning. He hopes for a turn in his luck.

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THE MESSAGE OF THE SNOW.

All around me, through the forest
As I go,
Shining white in glittering radiance,
Lies the snow;
Through the silent, motionless air,
Near and distant—everywhere—
Soft and silent, pure and fair—
Falls the snow.

All the summer bright flowers slumbered
Neath the snow;
Sipping brooklets gently murmured—
Silent now.
Behind in Winter's icy chasms,
While King Frost triumphant reigns,
Silenced, too, the silver rills, strains,
By the snow.

Tiny snow-drops peep already
Through the snow,
Flowers blanched with timid terror
Of the snow.
Yet they nestle cosily here!
Whispering softly—"Spring is near;
Soon will vanish Winter drear
And the snow."

Lone, I tread with lingering footsteps
Over the snow,
While it casts a spell upon me
For the snow.
Calls to mind the vanished years,
Severed ties and troubles, fears
Hopes that [illegible]
With the snow.

Yet I greet with [illegible]
Vision of [illegible]
Type of Heaven [illegible]
"These are [illegible]
Prompt [illegible]
Peace of [illegible]

When the [illegible]
May we [illegible]
Promise [illegible]
[illegible]
Rest [illegible]
[illegible]

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

When a young married clerk suddenly loses his situation in a prominent bank where employers are reducing their hands, it does not follow that work can be had for the asking in London, and so Mr. Tom Craven found himself still seeking employment many months after his savings had dwindled down to a few pounds. The last resource of the young couple was the sale of every available art[illegible] of value they possessed, and when [illegible] young Mrs. Craven was in the point of starting to sell the last remaining valuable—namely, her husband's books.

"The children must live," said the young man, looking at two tiny figures in the bed [illegible] my other clothes are made for, so the books are no use to me. The only trouble is that you should have to take them, Clara."

"But, Tom, you can't go without books."

"I've got slippers," replied Tom. "Make haste, dear—[illegible] will say you in the lane."

Determined to keep up, Clara stooped for the books. "Shopping must turn up soon—perhaps [illegible] will hear from Brown & Co. this morning," she said.

"Very likely," responded Tom, in a despairing tone. [illegible]

[illegible] take him back [illegible] of success.

Quickly the heart-sick [illegible] into an old leather bag, and Mrs. Craven dressed herself in [illegible] waterproof and bonnet and [illegible] a thick veil. Hastily [illegible] the creaking old stairs and into the narrow street which [illegible] into which the lane opened [illegible] was one of those [illegible] Westminster streets which [illegible] the dwellings of the great and [illegible] disreputable [illegible]. The respectable servants [illegible] all hours, reduced [illegible] the shop-girls [illegible] other [illegible] remarkable [illegible].

Gusts of wind made the street lamps flicker and cast strange shadows as Clara Craven [illegible] towards the shop where "[illegible]" clothing was purchased. She passed a few doors off to let some persons go on their errand for she was sorely ashamed of her errand, and as she stood there her eyes fell on a placard that was fixed under the light of a lamp on the wall of a [illegible] station.

"£50 Reward."

"Fifty pounds! How nice to get it!" thought Mrs. Craven, and then she took another look to see if the [illegible] was clear for the business she had in hand. Two more people were coming, [illegible] went her eyes to the placard, and she read that this reward was offered to any person who would give such information as would lead to the apprehension of the perpetrator of a daring jewel robbery.

"Wish I could get a chance like that," said Clara to herself, half laughing, half sadly, and when she turned again towards the watch-shop she saw she might venture in. After [illegible] her husband's work disappointed in every possible manner, she finally accepted the pittance proffered, and then slipped back into the street, where she purchased a few of the absolute necessaries of life, and ordered some coals, which a greengrocer's boy wheeled in a barrow to her door, and then [illegible] the door [illegible].

"Would you mind carrying them up to my room in two baskets-full, if I give you twopence?" asked Clara, meekly.

The boy nodded by way of answer, and the young wife opened the door with her latch-key, and ran up for an old basket. While she was getting out of her room a man had [illegible] the house and passed up the stairs. The coal-boy never noticed him, for his back was turned to the door, and he was eagerly watching the signs of an approaching fight between two toughs on an opposite door-step. The staircase was very dark, so when Clara came down with the basket the man had squeezed himself into a corner unobserved; and when she went on her way, the stranger passed on to the top of the house, and entered the room behind that occupied by the Cravens.

An hour later a snug glow of fire warmed the young couple and their children, and the latter, having been satisfied with a meal, went sound asleep. Tom watched his wife's busy fingers mending shabby clothes for awhile, and then he, too, went to bed, sharing her fervent hope that "something would turn up to-morrow."

And so it came about that, when all were fast asleep, Clara sat on by the fire that still burned cheerily; and after eleven strokes had fallen slowly from the big clock, and the restless roar of traffic was somewhat less in the ever busy streets, her hands lay idle in her lap, and she blew out the candle to save its light for another time, and turned such a sad young face, such troubled blue eyes, upon the flickering fire that it seemed hard, hard so young a life should be so old in sorrow.

A sound of voices in the next room roused her. There was a door of communication between the two rooms, which was of course locked, but which made sounds easily heard. Clara knew that their neighbor was an elderly woman, she had met her on the stairs sometimes, and she wondered who her visitor could be at such an hour. Then the sound of frightened sobbing and expostulation made her listen attentively, for she feared her neighbor was in trouble, and determined to rouse her husband, if necessary.

"Not yet, Joe! Oh, don't say you must go yet!"

"Mother, I've stayed too long already. They'll be after me sharp now the reward's out! Think of £50, mother! The men who tempted me, and got the jewels, would round on me to win and get the reward."

Fire was it, then! But one sight would be four stood between Clara and the thief she had wished she could find time to step round the corner. There! she knew, was the police station, and, for the news she brought them she would get £50! She clasped her hands tight, and sat perfectly still, all the while knowing that every second lessened her chance of securing the living prize of property valued at £50. In her present straits, £50 seemed a fortune to her. No one who has not gone through a similar experience can ever know what that temptation was to Mrs. Craven. As she sat, her strained ears caught the mother's voice again.

"I'll not keep you, though my heart is breaking. My bonny boy, come to this! Oh, God, most merciful, save him from a felon's doom!"

"Mother, pray for me. If I escape, I vow to lead an honest life and make a home for you. It has not been my fault. Pray God to forgive and help me."

Clara's grasp of her hands relaxed. Then, with white face and sorrowful eyes, she stood up and looked at her two thieving sleeping boys. Then on her knees she fell, and stayed in earnest prayer until she heard the stealthy footsteps creep down the stairs, and the front door closed, and then she stole to the window of her darkened room, and, looking out into the lamp-lit street, watched a quick walking figure in an old country woman's cloak with a deep cape, and a large poke bonnet, such as her old neighbor always wore, and she knew that the young man had escaped in his mother's clothes.

II.

One of the most old-fashioned houses in an old country town was Miss Greybrook's. A steep flight of immaculately clean steps led from the pavement of the High street to her hall door with its shining brass knocker and bell-handle. On each side of this hall door was a large bay-window, just high enough to raise it inconvenient for any one to offer to shake hands with Miss Greybrook when they were in the street and she was tending her flowers in the window. At the back of the broad hall that went straight across the house there were stays leading down into large, well-kept gardens, and these were inclosed by a substantial brick wall that effectually prevented the fruit and flowers from profaning strangers.

Inside the house everything was expressive of wealth and solid comfort. Miss Greybrook herself was regarded by the townspeople as peculiar, but her peculiarities, being unmitigated by riches, she was never made to feel it unpleasantly. In person she was tall and angular, and a pair of piercing black eyes that shone out in vivid contrast to her gray hair gave her a remarkable appearance. Her caps were always made high and her dresses shorter than anybody else's, and she made no change for fashion or favor.

Now this old lady was Mr. Tom Craven's godmother. And, on the very cold, dull winter morning of which I have now to speak, she had risen from her high-backed chair in front of the bright steel fender at sound of the postman's knock, and advanced to meet the elderly servant who brought in the letters on a silver salver.

"Stop! from him," said the old lady, when she was alone again, turning over four others eagerly in search of a handwriting that was not there. "Poor and proud, like his father! Well, I've seen much folly in my time, but if he refuses my offer, a question if there is a companion left for such a man."

It was three weeks since she had written to Tom Craven, addressing her letter to the office of Brown & Co., by whom she thought he was still employed, and offering to overlook the hideous mistake he had made in marrying a penniless orphan-girl, and to devote a substantial sum to further his prospects in life. On the very morning that she was bewailing openly her godson's pride, and secretly her own, our friend Tom received a reply to the letter he had sent to Brown & Co., politely regretting that they could do nothing further to help him, and inclosing Miss Greybrook's letter, which had been lying nearly three weeks at their office.

Clara, with the sadness of the last night's struggle still upon her, ran down the rickety stairs at sound of the postman's knock, and received the letter for her husband. When she arrived, breathless, at the top floor again, she watched his face as he opened it. The few polite lines from the business men fell unread to the ground, while the envelope they inclosed was torn eagerly open. Clara looked over his shoulder and read, too, and then with one glance at the renewed light and vigor in his worn, anxious face, she relinquished her role of bravery, and cried out the misery of months in his arms. Bobby waked and Bertie crawled to the scene of action, and seeing their mother in tears, lent a shrill aid to the chorus. Upon which they were kissed, blessed and cried over till they thought the world (represented to them by their father and mother) had gone mad. When partial calmness had returned, Tom spoke joyously:

"Now wife, sell something of your small store, and send a telegram from me to the dear old girl!"

"Tom!" cried Clara, laughing through her tears, "how disrespectful!"

But the telegram was sent and brought in solemn wonderment to Miss Greybrook before ten o'clock by the postmaster himself. When once she had the opened paper in front of her eyes, and devoured the information that her godson was in London, and desirous of seeing her immediately, she gave orders for a fly to be in readiness to catch the next up-train, and that her fur traveling cloak and boots should be put to the fire immediately. In the anxiety that all the domestics felt to take a share in the general excitement, Miss Greybrook's cloak threatened to be torn in pieces, and when wanted, one fur boot was found warming in front of the kitchen fire, the other reposing on the sheep-skin rug beside the drawing-room steel fender. However, vouchsafing never a word of explanation, but, happily for the sanity of those she left behind, dropping the telegram in the hall as she walked out to the fly, Miss Greybrook started alone on her travels.

The dull foggy shades of a London winter evening had gathered, and two big and two little faces were pressed tight against the grimy top window of a house in a Westminster street, as a cab drove up.

"Go and bring her up-stairs, Clara," said Tom. "I can't go in my slippers."

"Yes—but I'm so afraid of her."

All fears were obliged to disappear, however, for the object of them had not waited to be brought up. She had intimidated the landlady by the commanding voice in which she had desired to be shown to the apartments of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Greybrook Craven; and that fat and lazy person had preceded the strange lady rapidly up so many flights that on reaching the top landing Miss Greybrook stood silent and stately, for she could not speak. She waved the landlady down again, just as the latter wanted to look in and see what would happen next.

Then Tom advanced, and his godmother kissed him first, then his wife. Then, observing Bobby and Bertie, she grimly smiled, and remarked aloud, but to herself, evidently:

"Children, of course!—being as poor as church mice."

Looking round the wretched room, and shaking the three chairs, she chose the least rickety, and sat down.

"Pack up—haven't got much to pack that I can see. You must all come back with me to-night."

Tom Craven and his wife exchanged glances, and at last Tom deferentially ventured to speak:

"You see, dear godmother, we—we need a few things to make us presentable at your house."

"Eh! what? My house is my own. Come as you are."

The worst must be said, then! "But—please excuse such a state of matters, but—I've got no boots."

Miss Greybrook gasped, and stared from one to the other.

"*Boots!* my godson without *boots?* Here, Clara—that's your name, I believe—run out, child, and buy all you need for everybody, and let us get out of this place! I can't breathe."

Away ran poor Clara, holding the fat purse Miss Greybrook pushed into her hand, and all unconscious what she carried in it. It felt so full, however, that she took a cab, and drove first to a boot shop where she purchased for her husband, her children and herself. Then came a big overcoat for Tom, and wraps for the little ones—and she told the cab-man to drive home fast. She had paid for her purchases with gold, and bank notes crackled as she closed the purse.

Miss Greybrook carried out her intention, and bustled them all off to the station. The children slept all the way in the comfortable first-class carriage. It was eleven o'clock when they drove up to the door of the old lady's house, and she grimly counted five heads in nightcaps thrust out into the night air from her neighbor's windows—amongst them the Rector's with a flannel rolled round as extra protection.

Inside the house all was done in the right way as soon as the word was given.

"My godson, his wife and children have come to live with me. Light large fires in the two best rooms, and get supper."

III.

Three years had passed. Tom was flourishing in a large firm in a seaport town where his godmother's money had bought him a partnership. It was only a short daily railway journey to his work, and he and his family were still happy inmates of Miss Greybrook's house. One day Clara accompanied her husband to this seaport town, and before taking leave of him at his office door, and proceeding to make the purchase which was her ostensible reason for bringing her bonnie face and fresh winter costume through the grimy streets, she waited while he went in for a book he wanted her to change.

While she was standing outside, great crowds of poor, respectable-looking people came in and passed on to a large room beyond. She was told they were emigrants, just about to start for New Zealand. She watched their faces with kindly interest as young and old passed by, and presently a woman who seemed old to be thinking of such a journey dropped her purse just in front of Clara, who stooped to pick it up. In returning it she saw what made her stop the woman and eagerly question her. Yes, it was her fellow lodger in the old Westminster street, and with a face of quiet happiness she told the lady that a young son who had gone to New Zealand three years before had sent her money to join him. "He's my only one, ma'am, and was a trouble to me once, but praise God he's doing well now!"

Then Clara in gentle tones wished her well, and when her husband came back to her she reminded him of the events of that miserable night which seemed so far—so very far off from the prosperous to-day and in a hushed and reverent tone, she said:

"Thank God, Tom, we never had that '£50 Reward!'"—*Minnie Douglas, in Argosy.*

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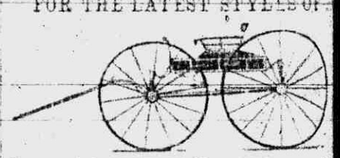

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—Delicate Cake: Whites of [illegible] eggs, three-quarters of a pound of butter, one pound of flour, one pound of sugar. Flavor with bitter almond—just enough to detect it. Mix like fruit cake batter and put in quicker oven.—*The Household.*

—Experience has shown that the greater part of the large farm is unprofitable, and that it would be policy for the owner to confine his labors and brains to fewer acres, even if some of the farm should be cast aside, or better still, put into permanent pasture on which to allow stock to range.—*Chicago Times.*

—Pudding made of cracked wheat is very agreeable and nourishing. To one quart of sweet milk allow nearly half a cup full of cracked wheat; put it in a pudding-dish and bake slowly for two hours, stirring it several times. If you choose to do so you can add raisins and a little cinnamon for flavoring, but most people prefer it well salted, and to eat it with a little cream and sugar. This is nice both warm and cold.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Mowing an acre to get five hundred pounds of hay when the same land might produce at least three tons; raising eighty bushels of potatoes when no more labor is required to raise three hundred, except to pick them up; raising three-year-old steers when two-year-olds can be made to weigh eighteen hundred pounds with only half the feed that the three-year-old requires, are among the things the world now justly declares are old fogyisms.—*Troy Times.*

—Pressed Chicken: Boil one or two chickens in a small quantity of water, salt to taste, and when thoroughly done, take all the meat from the bones, having removed the skin; chop the light and dark meat separately and season to taste. Put a layer of light and dark meat alternately into a crock, till all the meat is used, pour over it the liquor in which it was boiled, and put on it a small weight. When cold, cut in slices and serve. Cracker crumbs may be mixed with the meat if desired.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The Farmer's Most Active Enemy.

This destroyer of the farmer's hard-earned savings is on every farm, in every house, and never leaves us day or night, summer or winter. It damages at midnight and destroys at noonday. The marks of its teeth may be seen on the pasture fence, it is wasting the barn sills and pegging away at your sulky plow. Even iron and steel are not exempt from its ravages. The plow comes in from the field bright with use next week it needs several hours of work and worry to make it scour. You lend your new bright hand-saw to a neighbor, who kindly leaves it lying on the grass a night or two, and its condition when returned mars its usefulness and lessens your faith in human nature. A careless farmer leaves his new mower in the field or the fence-corner until next summer, by which time this fell destroyer has damaged it one-third of its value. The sections are black with rust, the journals are all gummed, and the wood-work is penetrated and weakened in every part.

Those who have read thus far, will have recognized this enemy as rust, rot or decay, the most active promoter of which is oxygen. The invisible gas forms one-fifth of the entire bulk of the air, and eight-ninths of the weight of all the water on the globe. While of the greatest value in the economy of life, it is also a destructive agent of the most untiring kind. Yet its ravages are easily checked in many instances. A thin covering of some oil will perfectly protect steel and iron from its action. A coat of paint good enough to keep water from soaking into wood, will protect it from decay almost indefinitely. In the far West, where building is somewhat more expensive than in the East, farmers are disposed to leave their farm-tools out of doors the year round. Such men are making a great mistake. If they are not able to afford shelter for their tools, they can buy a gallon of paint, which, if carefully applied to the wood-work, will go a long way towards protecting it from decay. It is certain that if the farmers of any State would expend $1,000 for paint next year for this purpose, they would save $10,000 now likely to be utterly lost. If any one thinks this overstated, let him look around among his neighbors, and see the hundreds and hundreds of dollars' worth of machinery that is going to ruin from decay, which a little paint would prevent. Here at least in the protection of farm implements a penny saved is as good as a penny earned.—*American Agriculturist.*

Points About Sealskins.

Fine, close pile and soft, pliable pelts are the first considerations in choosing a first-rate sealskin, and, as several are required to make a mantle or cloak, or jacket of any considerable size, it is important that there should be uniformity of quality, hue and luster. Latterly the very dark colors have been most fashionable; but at the present time there appears to be a tendency toward the red or Vandyke brown. Only the best skins, however, will take the rich, dark color. Many skins are poor; and the fur is thin, in consequence of the animals having been killed in the summer season. This defect is easily seen by imitating the method of the trapper—holding the skin upside down and blowing gently, in order to see whether the fur is close and fine—a plan which applies to most other furs beside seal.

The wearing qualities of all furs depend largely on the care which is taken of them, and wearing them a few days in warm weather injures them more than months' use in cold weather. If a sealskin becomes wet from being caught in snow or rain, shake the water off and wipe with a soft, dry and perfectly clean cloth the way of the fur, which should run upward. Then hang the garment up to dry in a cool place, and, when dry, brush carefully, and no harm will result. If the fur should mat from neglect when wet, take it to a furrier, who will probably find no difficulty in restoring it to its original beauty and gloss.—*Boston Herald.*

Irish Wit.

In repartee Irishmen have long been distinguished. The joy of retaliation is a marked characteristic of the race. On one occasion Judge Porter, a popular Irish magistrate, in pronouncing the sentence of the court, said to a notorious drunkard: "You will be confined in jail for the longest period the law will allow, and I sincerely hope you will devote some portion of the time to cursing whisky." "By the powers I will!" was the answer; "and Porter, too."

A steamboat passenger not finding his handkerchief readily, somewhat suspiciously inquired of an Irishman who stood beside him, if he had seen it, and insinuated a charge of theft; but afterward finding the said article in his hat, began to apologize. "Oh," said Pat, "don't be after saying another single word; it was a mere mistake, and on both sides, too. You took me for a thief, and I took you for a jintleman."

"I engaged," said a burly lawyer, "a chaise at Galway to conduct me some few miles into the country, and had proceeded some distance, when it came to a sudden standstill at the beginning of a rather steep incline, and the coachman leaping to the ground, came to the door and opened it. 'What are you at man? What are you at, man? This is not where I ordered you to stop. Has the animal jibbed?' 'Whist, yer honor, whist!' said Paddy in an undertone. 'I'm only desaving the sly baste. I'll jist bang the door; and the crafty ould cratur will think he's intirely got rid of yer honor's splendid form, and he'll be at the top of the hill in no time.'"

The following are a few instances of those amusing blunders, proverbially termed "bulls."

On the edge of a small river in the county of Cavan, in Ireland, there is—or used to be—a stone with the following inscription cut upon it, no doubt intended for the information of strangers traveling that way: "N. B.—When this stone is out of sight, it is not safe to ford the river."

But the above is almost if not quite surpassed by the famous post erected a few years since by the surveyors of the Kent roads, in England: "This is the bridle-path to Faversham. If you can't read this, you had better keep to the main road."

In a debate which took place in the Irish House of Commons in 1795, on the Leather Tax, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Plunkett, observed, with great emphasis: "That in the prosecution of the present war every man ought to give his last guinea to protect the remainder." Mr. Vandaleur said: "However that might be, the tax on leather would be severely felt by the bare-footed peasantry of Ireland." To which Sir B. Roche replied that "this could be easily remedied by making the under leathers of wood."

The following is from the latter portion of an extremely affectionate poetic epistle, addressed to an Irish maiden:

I'm yours to command, both in sweepin' and laughter;
I'm awake all the night, that of you I may dhraime;
I'd hang meself now, if you'd marry me arther;
And though I may change, I'll be ever the same.

A Dublin advertisement informs us that an Irish doctor has taken a house in Liffey street, where the deaf may hear of him at all hours; but as his blind patients see him every day from ten till four, they must come at some other time. And the following bill was once presented by a farrier to a tradesman in the town: "For intirely curing your black pony that died, immediate payment is requested of one guinea."

An anecdote is also related of a professor, whose pupils making too much noise, felt called upon to remind them of the fact, and said: "Gentlemen, if every one of you will do me the favor of remaining perfectly silent for a few minutes, we shall be better able to distinguish who the individual is that is making the row;" which is quite equal to a medical report which began thus: "There exist at the present time a great many influential families in Dublin who have all died of the cholera."

Speech-Recording Invention.

One of the most interesting exhibits at the Vienna Electrical Exhibition is Gruffin's glossograph, a little instrument by which speech is automatically reproduced as soon as uttered. A small apparatus is placed in the mouth of the speaker—in contact with the roof of his mouth, his tongue and lips—and on being connected with an electro-magnetic registering apparatus the sounds are committed to paper. It is constructed in such a manner as not to cause any inconvenience to the speaker, neither is it necessary that the voice should be raised, as it reproduces a whisper as exactly as a shout; the only condition is a correct and distinct articulation. According to the inventor's calculation, it will be possible to write four or five times as fast by means of the glossograph as has hitherto been possible even by the quickest writer. The chief obstacle to the introduction of the glossograph, says the *Pall Mall Gazette*, will be the difficulty in deciphering the characters, but it is not impossible that, with the help of a second automatic apparatus, the characters produced by the glossograph may be translated into our common type-writing. The orthography would doubtless appear strange, but in these days of phonetic spelling this might not long be a hindrance.

Fatal Nearsightedness.

When the late Richard H. Dana was running in a certain district for Congress, he told an influential shoemaker, whom it was policy to win over, "If I meet you on the street and fail to bow to you, you must not think it is because I am unwilling to recognize a man in your walk of life, or am thinking of the difference in our social positions. It will be simply because I am nearsighted." Richard H. Dana was beaten, largely by that shoemaker.

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Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

A western paper says that the girls out that way have adopted this as their leap year motto, "If you see anything you want ask for it."

How often we hear middle-aged people say regarding that reliable old cough remedy, N. H. Downs' Elixir: "Why, my mother gave it to me when I was a child, and I use it in my family; it always cures." Who can name another medicine with such a record as this. Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters are another good medicine; and Arnica and Oil Liniment is just what it is recommended to be.

Eleven posts of the G. A. R., of Ottawa, Muskegon, Oceana and Newaygo counties, have organized a Northwestern Mich. G. A. R. battalion.

We All Believe

That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

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The Chicago Inter Ocean has nearly four columns describing Ypsilanti, and, giving pictures of the Bath House, Normal School and Grand Opera House.

Positive Cure for Piles.

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Daughters, Wives and Mothers.

We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a Female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflamation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhœa, besides many weaknesses springing from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Prices $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

Theodore Hoshel, a workman in the shingle mill of Reiland & Hess, of Fife Lake, had a hand mangled by a saw last week.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

ESTATE of Asa Russell, deceased. The undersigned, appointed by the Probate Court of Lenawee County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust claims against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that they will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1884, also, that six months from the 31st day of December, 1883, has been allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us.

Dated January 5th, 1884.

ALBERT HYDE,
EDGAR A. THIBOU,
jan10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of H. Brewer & Co., in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of March, 1884, and on the 18th day of July, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January, 24, 1884.

ALFRED D. HALL,
JAMES W. BROWN,
Jan24 Commissioners.

ADVERTISING

contracts made for THIS PAPER, which is kept on file with LORD & THOMAS, Advertising Agents, Chicago, Ill.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 2d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 99 of mortgages, on page 23, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D. 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following piece or parcel of land, situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, viz.: All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), lying north of the center of the Baxter ditch (so called); also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp Rabin drain (so called). All in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D. 1884.

OSCAR F. BILLS,
jan24 Executor.

ESTATE OF ISAAC ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Fisher, one of the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that said executors have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their first account and for such further order as may be necessary to the proper administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jan24

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH NORCROSS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, the 12th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jacob G. Roberts, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, one of the executors named in said will, Michael A. Patterson and Peter R. Adams, also named executors in said will having departed this life.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 11th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jan17

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit. In Chancery, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Cappie A. Wyand, complainant, vs. John M. Wyand, defendant.

Before Hon. Andrew Howell, Circuit Judge of said circuit. At the city of Adrian, in said county, this 21 day of January, A. D. 1884. It satisfactorily appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant, John M. Wyand, resides in this state of Illinois.

On motion of Frank R. Payne, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that said defendant appear in this cause within four months from the date of this order or in default thereof, that the bill of complaint in this cause be taken as confessed by him.

It is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof, said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper published in said county, for six successive weeks, once in each week, or that a copy of this order be personally served on said defendant, at least twenty days before the time herein fixed for his appearance.

ANDREW HOWELL,
Circuit Judge.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Complainant's Solicitor. jan10

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

ESTATE of LeRoy Mead, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the Probate Court of Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1884, empowering and licensing me thereto, I, as the administrator of the estate of LeRoy Mead deceased, will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on the next day of March, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the late residence of said deceased in the township of Macon, in said county, all the interest, title, and estate, of which said deceased died seized, in that parcel of land, situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and described as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town five, south of range five east, containing forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower of Josephine Mead, widow of deceased therein. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

CYRUS MEAD,
jan10 Administrator.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of Wm. H. Atmer's, Ridgeway, on February 16th, 1884, and June 30th, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 31st day of December, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Jan. 8, 1884.

EDGAR C. VAN VLECK,
RICHARD CADWELL,
jan10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John P. Schneider, late of the town of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of William H. Arner, in the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of March, 1884, and on the 5th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 5th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 15th, 1884.

MINOR DAVIDSON,
COONROD L. LOWE,
Jan 17 Commissioners.

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ENTERED AT THE POSTOFFICE AT TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN, AS SECOND CLASS MATTER.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 31, 1884.

The possibility of civilizing the Indians is no longer a matter of doubt. A noble red man of Arizona has lately [illegible] knocked out his brains out with a pistol.

A western paper says the Mormons are all cowards. That kind of talk is unmentionable. A man who will deserting a good home and eight or ten matrimonial ties at once, what ever he other failings may be, is not a coward.

The Chicago News says the effort to get Roscoe Conkling and Grant into the same council chamber has not proved a success, so far. The placating politicians who are trying to bring the scheme to pass claim that no Republican blanket is big enough to cover the bickering crowd.

A Toledo man's wife spent $400 for a seal-skin sacque, and his property was sold to pay taxes on that account. Since then he has the following posted in his hat: "Single women are born fools; others become fools after they are married, and the rest are fools because they are determined to be so."

There is not a single distillery in operation within the State of Michigan and but few breweries. The argument used against prohibition in Ohio, that it would ruin large business investments, has but little force in this State. The money spent for liquor in Michigan goes to enrich outsiders.

Senator Sherman has introduced a resolution designed to precipitate a hot political discussion in the Senate. This is not at all surprising. As the next campaign is approaching it becomes necessary to put the "Southern Outrage" bill in repair and grease the machinery ready for grinding.

The Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Co. have purchased the National lines, which embrace the West Shore and Nickel Plate systems and control four lines between New York and Chicago. The business community will welcome the growth of the Baltimore & Ohio system, for it cannot be absorbed by the Western Union.

Eggs are retailing at thirty-five cents per dozen and cannot be bought even at that price. Sixteen million dozen eggs were imported into this country last year duty free. Which moves the Jackson Patriot to remark: "Ought not our hens to be protected like other 'infant industries,' or do those who pay thirty cents per dozen think that the price is dear enough without protection to the native product?"

The Chicago News thus touches up its Detroit namesake:

Mr. James E. Scripps, manager of the Detroit News hesitates about giving up that $20,000 he was assessed for liveing a Michigan doctor. We do not know how it is in Detroit, but in almost every other community a man would pay the Evil and thank God for the privilege of getting away from a doctor with his life. We fear Brother Scripps is one of those pernicious, inappreciative persons whose proper sphere is Indiana or Ohio.

The debate on the Fitz John Porter bill is dragging its slow length along. An effort is made to give it a partisan bias, but the sentiment of conservative Republicans is expressed in those few comments from the Philadelphia Times:

The nation has doubly wronged Fitz John Porter. It has first committed a most atrocious wrong by branding him as a traitor, and making him an alien and a stranger to the government for which he freely offered his life. It has next intensified that fearful wrong by the promotion of General Pope whose incompetency or worse could be hidden only by the unjust condemnation of Porter. Pope merited dismissal first as a fool and next as a malicious prosecutor of the innocent to conceal his folly; but Pope is a full Major General, and Fitz John Porter, who saved the army from Pope's imbecility, is a convict with every honest soldier and every honest citizen testifying to the consuming shame of his conviction. The country has no patience with the phrenzied partisans who, in ignorance or prejudice, resist the effort to restore Fitz John Porter to citizenship and rank in the army. It is one of the darkest shadows on the history of the Republic that it has not been done long ago, and every year it has been delayed has widened and emphasized the demand for even-handed justice to the gallant soldier who has been dishonored to save pretenders from dishonor.

A MINE HORROR.

Fifty-Seven Human Beings in the Ruins, all of Whom are Supposed to be Dead.

The Entrance Closed by a Terrible Explosion—Fruitless Efforts to Rescue the Imprisoned Miners—Names of the Missing Men.

DENVER, Jan. 28.—The Times Gunnison special says: A terrible explosion occurred at eight o'clock yesterday morning in the Colorado Coal and Iron Company's mine at Crested Butte. So far only the most meager details have been received here, but the loss of life is supposed to be terrible. There were sixty-seven men in the mine at the time. Of these, eleven who were just entering were thrown back to the entrance by the force of the explosion and have been rescued. One of these is dead. All the others are badly injured. There are fifty-six men yet in the mine, and that cannot be reached. They are all supposed to be dead.

The explosion was of such force as to entirely wreck the engine house, which stood fifty feet from the entrance. It is supposed the explosion was caused by a leak in the air compressor. Crested Butte people are doing all possible to rescue the miners. Two special trains have gone up from Gunnison with doctors and others on board.

LATER.—The explosion at Crested Butte mine yesterday morning was one of the most appalling that ever occurred in a mine in this country. Crested Butte is near Anthracite, the coal depot for the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, and the mine is owned by the town. The exact number of the men who are in the mine is not definitely known, but is supposed to have reached sixty-five. The explosion occurred either in chambers No. 1 or No. 2 just half an hour after the day force of sixty-seven men had gone to work. There were ten men at work in the chamber. Four of these escaped without except one man, John Andros, who was in the passageway just outside the chamber. He is badly burned, but will recover. Fifty-seven men were at work in chambers Nos. 1 and 2; these are all thought to have perished.

The explosion was of such force as to completely barricade the main entrance, and the appliances for supplying air located there were badly wrecked, and the roof of the tramway was taken off. The men at work on the anthracite were the night force of the C., C. & I. Company's mines. The citizens generally were working hard all day to rescue the men, although it is thought none can possibly escape alive. The town hall has been prepared for the reception of the dead. As soon as possible the fan was repaired and put to work pumping air into the mine, and the men set to work to remove the obstructions, so as to reach the chambers and get the bodies out to-night if possible.

The following are the names of fifty-five of the unfortunates, the other two being unobtainable: Henry Anderson, John Williams, M. T. Stewart, Jofin Martin, Thomas Rogers, James O'Neil, Jacob Laux, John Anderson, James Walsh, Peter Baker, William Davidson, Richard James, David Hughes, P. McManus, W. T. King, John Creelman, John Helar, Thomas Williams, John Shane, Patrick Barrett, John McGregor, John Myers, F. W. Smith, G. B. McHalson, William Mahony, Nick Probek, Thomas Lahey, John Prince, James Driscol, James Coughlin, Henry Stewart, B. Heffron, L. P. Heffron, W. L. Jones, John Donnelly, Carl Roderwald, Charles Sterling, Thomas Roberts, Jim McGuire, Fred Pettit, Pet King, Joseph Weissberg, H. Donagan, Joseph Kraust, James F. Stewart, Jr., William Neath, Morgan Neath, Thomas Glancey, John Rutherford, William McCowitt, A. M. Gottfred, Dan McDonald, William Aubrey, Ben Jeffries and Thomas Stewart.

Many of these were married men and leave families, many living here. At this hour everything is in such confusion that it is impossible to give details. A special train left Gunnison City at two o'clock with surgeons and a large number of citizens to render aid if possible. The town of Crested Butte is in mourning. Crowds of women in a cluster about the entrance of the mine are praying, wringing their hands and crying piteously, presenting a scene most heart-rending.

It is said that at the time of the explosion there were ten kegs of black powder in chambers 1 and 2, where the men were working and where the explosion is supposed to have taken place. The mines have the rules of drifting, and so it is impossible to definitely locate the accident until rescuing parties can gain admittance. The mine has long been considered dangerous by those acquainted with it. While one of the best paying mines in the country, its operation has always been attended with more or less approaches and real danger. "It is a fire damp mine," said superintendent Cameron, now in Denver, "and seems constantly to generate the most deadly gases. They seem to generate in the coal or under it, and pour out of the seams in the walls of the tunnels and shafts, yet the mine is the most perfectly ventilated in the world. Air is forced in along the shaft by machinery. No less than fifty-six thousand cubic feet of fresh air is forced into the mine every minute. This is ample to sufficient to fully supply the wants of miners and keep the air perfectly pure unless some accident happens to cut off or interfere with the supply. This is a greater amount of fresh air than is furnished to any other mine in the country."

Superintendent Cameron added: "We send a mine viewer through every chamber each morning before any of the men are allowed to go in. He must have returned in the morning before the workmen started in and everything must have been all right when he passed through the workings."

John McNeil, State Mine Inspector, left for the scene of the disaster last evening. He says he has no doubt that every man in the mine at the time of the explosion was instantly killed.

Caused by Negligence.

Captain Walton, of Pittsburgh, appeared before the Board of Supervising Inspectors of Steam Vessels, and presented a complaint of negligence against the men in charge of Davis' Island dam for failure to show signal lights on the outer piers, whereby the collision of the steamer J. N. Burton was caused; four lives lost, and the steamer destroyed by fire. The president of the board presented a communication from California, submitting for the test of the board a new life preserver made in California of "tule," which is claimed to support as heavy a weight as cork at a much less cost.

TERRIBLE STORM.

The British Islands and the Continent Swept by Furious Gales—Great Loss of Life and Property.

A FURIOUS STORM.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The wind blew a hurricane all last night. Much damage was done in the city, and many persons were injured. The glass roof of the Westminster aquarium was demolished during a performance, and a panic ensued. Several persons were hurt. A printing office on the Haymarket was unroofed, and a boy killed. Many vessels were wrecked, and a large number of lives lost. Telegraphic communication with the continent and also by the Atlantic cables was interrupted for several hours. The storm raged in Paris also. Railway and telegraphic communication was broken in all directions. Much damage was done in the suburbs and many persons injured in the streets.

The Free Thinker's H[illegible] at Portsmouth was destroyed. No boats are allowed to leave Portsmouth. At Hastings the theater and the pier had to be closed. The electric lights along the parade were extinguished and the seas dashed over the streets, making the walking dangerous. At Monmouth Wye, and Morpeth the rivers burst their bounds and flooded the highways. Southampton and Eastbourne suffered severely. Railway traffic was greatly deranged. At Torquay many casualties occurred. A mail cart was overturned by the violence of the wind. Many boats were swamped. The Iron Chapel at Newcastle went down. A falling roof killed a woman and two children. At Leeds the roof of a dwelling collapsed, killing one and injuring four occupants. The mail train between Durham and Darlington was twice stopped by the gale. The shops on the Isle of Wight closed early. A lady was knocked down by the wind and had her leg broken. At Newry, Ireland, many houses were unroofed. The police barracks were made untenable and the police were compelled to take refuge in the court-house. The bark Nocomis, Captain Murphy, from Londonderry for Baltimore, anchored in Lough Foyle, parted cables and was driven to sea. It is feared that the vessel and crew are lost. Reports from all parts of the kingdom agree that the gale was almost unprecedented in severity.

An explosion to-day in the colliery at Rhymna Valley, Wales, killed eleven miners. A rescuing party of three men including the manager were also killed.

TWENTY-TWO LIVES LOST.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Twenty-two of the crew of the ship Sinaia, sank in the English Channel by collision with the City of Lucknow, were drowned.

Minnesota Penitentiary Burned.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 26.—Early this morning a fire broke out in the State prison at Stillwater, and in spite of all efforts all the building was destroyed. All the prisoners, including the Younger brothers, were taken out and a placed under a strong guard in the yard. Loss probably $500,000.

LATER.—The fire caught in the basement of the State Penitentiary at 11:45 last night and was first discovered by a pedestrian, who failed to attract the attention of the guards and ran down town and turned in an alarm. The fire caught under the main office of the car company and when the department arrived it was impossible to do any effective work on account of the dense smoke. At one o'clock it became evident that the prison in the rear of the offices was doomed and Company K, State militia, was called to assist in removing the convicts, about 330 in all, who were shackled together by means of long, fine chains and removed to different points in the prison grounds. The fire spread with remarkable rapidity and, starting at the east end of the prison, soon reached the Warden's office and the rooms occupied by the guards. It then spread to the offices of the Northwestern Car Company, the entire front part of the building being a mass of flames. From the offices of the car company the fire spread to the kitchen and eating room of the prison adjoining, in which is situated the chapel. All the above named departments were gutted. The front part of the building where the fire started is composed of considerable wood work, which afforded means for transmitting the flames to the cell department of the prison, which is capped by a wooden cornice. The cells proper are fire proof, and had it not been for the difficulty alluded to, the fire could have been confined to the front or office part of the building. The convicts were transferred with little trouble and are now under guard. How the fire started is shrouded in mystery. Loss $500,000; all owned by the State and partly insured.

When the fire first started Chief Jay, of Stillwater, went into the burning structure and had a narrow escape from death. He was caught in the office of the car company and overpowered with smoke. While in this condition some one outside turned a stream of water into the room, which knocked him down and put out the light. He was discovered almost suffocated and dragged from the building more dead than alive. The fortunate feature consists in the saving of all the private and personal papers and letters of Senator Sabin. They were all saved intact. The fire was marked by an act of great heroism by George P. Dodd, of the Stillwater company. Immediately after the convicts had been removed the cry was raised that a man was confined in cell No. 22. The crowd stood aghast at the horrible fate in store for the poor wretch and many faces were turned in the direction of the cell occupied by the apparently doomed man. Dodd rushed into the building and was lost to view in a column of blinding smoke. In less time than it can be recorded he had reached the cell of the convict, who proved to be a new man in prison, and in a few minutes he returned bearing the rescued convict.

Death of Ex-Governor Letcher.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 26.—Ex-Governor Letcher died this morning at his home in Lexington. Soon after the General Assemsembly met Governor Cameron sent an official communication announcing the death, saying: "The life so ended was full of high and honorable service to the State and all the departments of the government, and all classes of people should unite in mourning for the loss and inreverent tribute to the memory of a wise, honest and patriotic son of Virginia.

Harry Moss, humorist, died of pneumonia at New Orleans yesterday.

Battle Creek is to have another cigar factory.

"Home" is the name of a new township organized in Newaygo county.

Hawkins & Trumbley's grocery at Bay City badly damaged by fire last week.

Seven railroads enter Jackson, and now the citizens are reaching out for another.

An average of 400 pounds of mail is handled at the Battle Creek postoffice every day.

Base ball gets more attention in the Grand Rapids papers than the salvation army does.

Stephen A. Eaton becomes a partner in the banking house of Boies & Co., of Hudson. The firm is now Boies, Eaton & Co.

The surveyors have staked out the south end of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern road, and work will begin at Owosso ere long.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Jan. 29, 1884:

Arner, Mr. Louise N.	Geer, Mrs. Amy.
Cole, Mr. Samuel	Hall, Mrs. Losie
Campbell, Wm. Boyd	Heck, Mr. Elias
Ferrell, Mrs. Adelia	Prindle, Mrs. Wm.
Gregg, Wm.	Webster, Mrs. Maria H.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples, ℔ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
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Butter, ℔ ℔	18	@	20
Barley, ℔ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ℔ bushel	1 25	@	1 75
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ℔ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ℔ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf-skins, ℔ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	25	@	50
Corn—shelled, ℔ bushel	55	@	57
Clover seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ℔ doz		@	22
Flour, ℔ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ℔ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ℔ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ℔ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ℔ ℔		@	15
Ham, ℔ ℔		@	14
Lard, ℔ ℔		@	10
Oats, ℔ bushel	28	@	32
Onions, ℔ bushel		@	50
Potatoes, ℔ bushel	25	@	35
Salt, ℔ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ℔ bushel		@	1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ℔ ℔		@	10
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ℔ bushel		@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ℔ bushel		@	1 00

ESTATE OF HIRAM REYNOLDS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present: Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Reynolds, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin F. Reynolds and Charles A. Pawson, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BELCHER, Probate Register. [ja31]

ESTATE OF ALVAH CODDINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvah Coddington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ansel P. Coddington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that he has paid or tendered payment of all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the residuary legatee named in said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

SEED CORN. I have about 1400 bu. of ears of Leaming seed corn, which I will sell to parties in and near Tecumseh at $2.00 per bushel of shelled corn on trial. A sample of the corn can be seen at the HERALD office, where orders will be taken for the same, or write for particulars to G. F. Hile, Berlin Heights, Ohio.

TO RENT.—After April 1st next, the store on Chicago st. heretofore occupied by C. H. Hopkins as a photograph gallery. Enquire of JAMES MONTAGUE.

HAY FOR SALE. Orders by C. T. mail will receive prompt attention. W. B. KEYSER.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power," which runs both grist and paper, were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a never failing body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat growing sections in Michigan thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms, easy. For particulars address HENRY SMITH, TECUMSEH, Mich. Prop. of Tecumseh Paper Mills, or Conrad Leahn, Manchester, Mich.

FARM FOR SALE.—Eighty acres, all improved, splendid brick house and good barns, one mile from Tecumseh. Will be sold at a bargain, if taken before the 1st of April. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

HICKORY WOOD.—For sale, ten cords of Hickory and Hard Maple, clear body wood. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Mr. Harvey Eaton and Bro., of Albion, are visiting friends here this week.

"Everybody's Friend" and "Solon Shingle" at the Opera House next Saturday evening.

S. P. Hosmer and A. W. Mills were delegates from Beers' Post to G.A.R. convention at Detroit, last week. Wm. DeMott, A. W. Slayton, Henry Stevens and Jehiel Davidson were also in attendance, and they all report a splendid meeting. A. W. Mills was chosen a member of one of the principal committtes of the state organization.

Last week Mr. A. Whelan had two men sawing logs with a crosscut-saw. While sawing a basswood tree about three feet through at the stump, at a distance of 30 ft. from the stump, the saw struck a razor blade. The men chopped it out. Now the question is, how it came in this tree entirely covered by six inches of solid timber and 30 ft. from the ground.

The present census places Detroit as the first city in population in the state, Grand Rapids, second; Bay City, third; East Saginaw, fourth; Jackson, fifth; Kalamazoo, sixth and Muskegon, seventh. East Saginaw claims that the June census will give her the third place and Muskegon is confident of passing Kalamazoo and will push Jackson close for the fifth place.

The Jackson Patriot appears in a complete new dress of type, and presents a very fine appearance. The Patriot is one of the ablest of all the Michigan dailies and is a strong advocate of tariff reduction and other much needed reforms. The paper is now fourteen years and 6 months old, is democratic in politics, and sound financially. The publishers, Carleton & Van Antwerp, have carried on the business for over eighteen years.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Commercial Telegraph Company will occur at the office of the President, Dr. R. B. House, at 7:30 P. M. Monday, Feb. 4th, 1884, for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the election of two directors for three years in place of S. W. Borline and O. P. Bills, whose terms then expire, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it. L. G. NORTH, Sec.
Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 29, 1884.

The American Bazar for February, just received, is a beautiful number, and fully justifies the claims of the publishers, that they are making "The Best and Cheapest Fashion Journal of the Day." In addition to its fashion departments, its literary features are of the highest order. Its subscription price, only $1.00 per annum, places it within the reach of all, and we also notice that in its premium list every subscriber is offered a choice from a catalogue of standard works by the best authors, free. Send 10 cts for a sample copy to The American Bazar Co., 202 Broadway, New York.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

This periodical for February is already on our table, and is, as usual, overflowing with good things in prose, poetry and illustrations. The articles particularly interesting are "Henry Irving and His work," "New York City in its Early Days," "Sobieski and the Relief of Vienna in 1683," "The Colossal Statues of Germany and France," "Life on the Surface of the Ocean," etc., etc.,—they are profusely illustrated. In the department of fiction Etta W. Pierce's serial, "A Dark Deed," is continued and there are short stories by Mary A. Denison, Edward F. Trafton, C. G. Rosenberg, Surray Wyatt, etc., etc., and Sketches, Adventures, Poems, etc., by favorite writers—many of the poems are beautifully illustrated, in fact, all the illustrations are highly finished, and the colored frontispiece, "Little Mischief," is worthy of an elegant frame. The price of a single number is 25 cts, and the yearly subscription $2.50, postpaid. Address, Mrs. Frank Leslie, Publisher, 53, 55, and 57 Park Place, N. Y.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 31, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

If you want lots of fun, go and see the masquerade carnival this evening.

Look out for the open Grange meeting at Macon Center. Program next week.

Mrs. Partington will appear in all her glory at the Opera House tomorrow evening.

The January thaw comes rather late this winter, but the weather prophets predict a cold February.

Geo. W. Freeze, of Clinton, is now on the road for J. K. Burnham & Co., of Detroit. He is much pleased with his new situation.

Trade was more than booming in Tecumseh last Saturday. Sleighing was good and farmers were here from twenty miles away.

Col. Sanford delivered his lecture in Clinton last Friday evening, his former date having been cancelled by reason of a big snow storm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner, of Macon, on Jan. 8th, 1884, celebrated the anniversary of their wedding, which occurred 61 years ago that day. Mr. and Mrs. Skinner are both in good health and we hope they may live to celebrate many more anniversaries.

Brooklyn Exponent: Dr. D. Hyndman, of Norvell, was thrown from a cutter and badly injured one day last week. He is at present at the residence of his parents in this village, and Dr. Wm. Hyndman, of Kelley's Corners, is attending to his patients.

Adrian Press: Last week several Blissfielders tendered the widow of Charles Pierce a surprise, and left with her tokens of their kindly interest in her welfare, in the way of provisions, dry goods, &c. Her husband it will be remembered was drowned near Chicago last spring.

Adrian Times: While Supervisor Corbet, of Blissfield, was dividing his time, the other night, between cogitating the court house question and getting a nap, some thief stole thirty of the official's chickens. Mr. Corbett proposes to pay more attention to local affairs for a time.

Michigan Farmer: The Tecumseh HERALD says ten-dollar oats are being sold in that vicinity, some farmers having bought from ten to twenty bushels. The Michigan Farmer has exposed this "little game" several times, as have also other journals.—There is no excuse for being taken in by such old dodges.

Last Friday Dept. Sheriff Smyth arrested Jane Alexander, of this village, for larceny. The coat stolen from Kies Bros.' clothing store was found at her house, and upon a search of the premises a number of small articles were found which had evidently been stolen. It is thought that her house has been the headquarters of a gang of petty thieves. More developments are looked for. Among the articles found and awaiting an owner was a gold thimble with the initials "L. L. S." engraved thereon.

With the beginning of the year the Detroit Evening Journal congratulates itself upon the marked success it has achieved, and promises to give its readers the benefit of every dollar it earns for the next 12 months. The Evening Journal aims to meet the long-felt want for a clean, spicy and enterprising newspaper. It avoids sensationalism, and all matters of an objectionable character are excluded from its columns. This may be safely said to be one of the great secrets of its success, and as a family paper it is now a recognized favorite. It prints more reading matter than any evening paper in Detroit, and gives all the news of the day in an attractive form. It is the slave of no party, and the servant of no man or set of men, but stands as a thoroughly independent journal, devoted only to what it believes to be for the best interests of Michigan.

As schools of elocution and oratory the Justices' courts of Hudson take the cake. Justice Brown had an organ suit before him the other day and the Post thus describes the proceedings: "Owing to the high reputation of the parties, the peculiar nature of evidence and the legal shadings, there were some marked and interesting passages made by the counsel in the case, and the tropes, born of the occasion and flung in to illuminate the points attempted were really rich, racy and rare, especially in matters of contrast and comparison. For instance, in comparing the *grades* of chastity and pulchritude, one of the counsel soared into this ecstacy: 'Perhaps some be found pure as the icicles pendant from the temple of Diana.' The other, not to be frozen by these frosts of Ephesus, dived deep and climbed high, and brought forth this, in contrasting the character and testimony of parties: 'They are as remote from each other as the mud-sills of hell and the weathercock of heaven.'" It will be new to many people to learn that heaven has a weathercock, or that hell is bolstered up on mudsills. Still, of course, mudsills may be fireproof.

The ice crop this winter is of a superior quality.

S. W. Sadler returned to his home in Ovid last Friday.

H. W. Stevens, of this village has been buying apples at Manchester.

The masquerade carnival this evening promises to be well patronized.

The grand encampment of Odd Fellows will meet in Detroit, Feb. 13.

The salary of the Morenci postmaster has been increased one hundred dollars.

The Keene troupe is of the best comedy troupes on the road. They ought to draw full houses.

Misses Mary Beihl and Hannah Adler, of Adrian, were guests of the Misses Smith over Sunday.

A number of young people from Adrian attended the return leap year party here last Tuesday evening.

The freight engine on the Jackson Branch was obliged to take water from one of our city hydrants one day last week.

C. W. Akin, of Brooklyn, was in town the first of the week. He has gone into winter quarters now, but expects to have a good season next summer.

Ab. Usborne has purchased the vacant lot East of the HERALD office, and will erect a fine two story building thereon just as soon as the weather opens in the spring.

Rev. E. W. Borden will deliver a free lecture at Macon Center, Thursday, Feb. 7th, at 7½ o'clock P. M. Subject, "The wonders of the great city of Babylon." All are invited.

There is no better locality for a fruit drying establishment in Southern Michigan than at Tecumseh. We commend the subject to the attention of some of our enterprising farmers who have money to invest.

G. E. Brownell leaves this week for Vineland, N. J., which place he expects to make his future home. He leaves behind him a host of friends who will regret his departure, but bid him "God speed" down in the Jerseys.

Last Friday was the coldest day of the winter thus far. Two thermometers in the village, one at Spaulding's green house and the other on the east side of Mrs. P. R. Adams' residence—registered 24° below zero about six o'clock, A. M.

Seneca is to have another cheese factory, and Joseph Bell will be president, and Andrew Church, secretary of the corporation, which is called the "Union Dairy Association." The building will be erected in the Blood neighborhood.

Evening News: Bonner, of the Adrian Record, is a thrifty chap. Joe Murphy played the "Kerry Gow" at Adrian, Thursday night, and in the horse-shoeing scene it was Bonner's horse that was shod—a clear gain of $2 for Bonner.

Detroit News: Great Scott! A Gd. Rapids man has been arrested for "sassing" his mother-in-law. Since the decision in the Maclean-Scripps libel suit there seems to be left no liberty for either tongue or pen in this fair land of ours.

A new arrangement for the running of freight trains on the "old road" of the L. S. & M. S. railroad, will be put into operation soon.—Train crews will run from Toledo to Hillsdale and back and from Hillsdale to Elkhart and return, instead of from Toledo through to Elkhart and return, as now.

The Wampler's Lake correspondent of the Manchester Enterprise says:—"Last Saturday night the wind played a school boy game of rolling up the snow into balls measuring from two inches to sixteen inches in diameter. Thousands of them were scattered over the fields. People in this vicinity never saw such a sight before.

On Friday evening, Feb. 1, at the Tecumseh Opera House, will appear the celebrated actor Joseph H. Keene, supported by a well selected company, in that side-splitting comedy of "Mrs. Partington." Mr. Keene comes to us highly recommended as an actor of much merit by both press and public, and we hope to see the house well filled. On Saturday evening following the same company will present a double bill "Everybody's Friend" and "Solon Shingle." Secure your seats at Kiel's.

The return leap year party given at Armory Hall last Tuesday evening was the finest dancing party Tecumseh has seen in many months. About fifty couple were in attendance. The music was furnished by Ollie Hunt's orchestra, and was excellent of course. Adrian and Clinton were both represented by good delegations of young people who were well pleased with their reception by the committee in charge. Some of our own young men who were at the first leap year party failed to put in an appearance, somewhat to the disappointment of the managers. The refreshments were served by Will T. Eccles, and that portion of the entertainment was in full keeping with the rest. He furnished a splendid supper at a very reasonable figure. The committee are entitled to much credit for the successful manner in which the whole affair was carried out.

Wm. A. Whitney, one of the oldest pioneers of Adrian, died at his home in Detroit last week, after a lingering illness of several months. The remains were brought to Adrian for burial last Saturday, and a large concourse of people followed them to the cemetery. Mr. Whitney was the founder of the Adrian Press, and for many years was the manager of that paper. He has been a resident of Adrian for more than fifty years, and had always considered that city his home, although during the past two years he has passed a portion of his time in Detroit. He had a large circle of acquaintances, probably as any other man in Lenawee county, and was universally esteemed. His death removes another of the original settlers of the county, who are rapidly passing away.

THE M. & O. ROAD.

"You ought to have been with us the other day, on our inspection of the new M. & O. road," said Mr. Peter Miller this morning. "We had a great time. There was John and his wife, Jim Cairns and his wife, Al. Lawrence and his spouse, and myself and wife, and we drove to Tecumseh and took the train for Addison, stayed all night and came back the next day. We stopped with Deputy Sheriff Crandall, only he was not at home, and so did not know that he was missing some good society. That M. & O. road just takes my eye. It's in first-rate shape for a new road, and the trains run as nice as a top. But then the cars make a good deal of difference; their cars being new and running as perfect as you can think. Why you put them on the old road here and you could hear a pin drop in them. They have two trains a day. A fellow named Buck runs one, and "Si." Alverson down here in Fairfield or Madison runs the other. We went down with 'Si.'"—Adrian Times.

AN ENGLISHMAN'S VIEWS.

We are in receipt of a paper containing the balance of Mr. Albert Bath's lecture descriptive of his trip to America, from which we take a couple of extracts which will be of interest to our readers:

MICHIGAN LOWER PENINSULA.

This peninsula is 200 by 350 miles in extent and has 650 miles of water front. My stay here was in July, and I found the sun rather hotter than in the old country, and when out walking I was glad of a sunshade and the use of a fan. The crops I saw growing were Indian corn, wheat, oats, barley, potatoes, clover and Timothy grass, also a great many plantations of apples. The sorts were Ben Davis, Northern Spy, Red Canada, Baldwin, Ohio Winter, &c. The crop was a failure. Last year they had a heavy crop of apples. Some strawberries were grown in the open, but the fruit was very small, through want of better cultivation. There were some good fruit on the Little-do-black Cap raspberry canes. Sorghum, a sugar plant, was also grown. Good farms, with house and buildings were worth $64 (£16) per acre. In Lenawee county, where Tecumseh is situated.—Taxes are about 40 cents (1s. 8d.) per acre. The soil is chiefly of a sandy loam and clay, and a great deal of it very suitable for fruit growing. Potatoes grown on my uncle's farm were very good, and I brought some home with me. The clover crop which they grow in succession was very heavy, and I noticed it being stacked in barns. The farmers here were like the Canadians, they spent but little on manure, and did not crop by rotation. Salt is given to sheep and cattle daily. Wages were from 20 dollars (£4) to 24 dollars (£4 16s.) per month with board. Second class labor £3 to £3 12s. The meals were breakfast, dinner and supper, meat being served with each. The drink was generally tea or coffee. Domestic help gets from 6s. to 15s. per week. Farmers worked as hard as their men, used all kinds of machinery, and were very economical with labour. Water was drawn from wells by small windmills. Most of the farms in Lenawee county had apple plantations, and a few acres of forest land, which they required for building and fuel. Farm houses were chiefly built of wood. There are two flour mills at Tecumseh; I went over them; they manufacture flour by the roller system; the globe mills have a capacity to turn out four hundred barrels of flour in 24 hours.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.

After travelling in a country which imposes a tariff on imported goods, on my return home in October I could better see the wisdom and benefits derived from Free Trade. The tariff of 25 per cent. on agricultural implements is not only injurious to the settler, but to trade generally. All religious sects were considered equal in the eyes of the people. From my observations in the States through which I travelled, I could recommend any farmer who intended to settle presuming that he had sufficient capital, to go to Michigan or Illinois, he would there have a good welcome and assistance from farmers, as American agriculturists are very friendly and well disposed to new settlers. Should he be limited as to capital, I should consider the prairie lands in Minnesota preferable. On the other hand, should he prefer pitching his tent in the British possessions, and, having sufficient capital to purchase a farm in cultivation, with house and buildings, I would advise him to go to the province of Ontario, but if with a small amount of capital, I should advise the fertile wheat growing province of Manitoba. He would find many friends in Canada, but no man should go to the Western World unless he intends to be industrious.—America has pushed on faster in developing her resources than our colony has, at the same time Canada is progressing fast, and when protection is swept away will proceed at a greater pace. The duties imposed to encourage one class interest is palpably at the expense of the rest of the community.

"Sixty laughs in sixty minutes" is in store for those who visit the Opera House to-morrow evening and hear Mrs. Partington.

Mr. M. E. Fuller, formerly of the Lake Shore, is the telegraph operator for the M. & O. at this place. Mr. Fuller came well recommended and seems well fitted for the place.

L. F. Wheeler started last week for Piqua, O., where he has accepted a position as retoucher and painter in a large picture establishment there. We wish Mr. Wheeler success.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Jan. 7, 1884.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Smith, Sparks, and the Recorder.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing, and recommend the payment of the following claims out of the contingent fund:

W. E. Gray	$ 1 20
Baker & Hall	22 35
Jas. H. Potter	1 84
Wolcott, Temple & Co	44 95
W. C. Jordan	22 05
Robt. Magill	1 15

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Street Commissioner files his monthly report, which is accepted and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

Mr. Sparks raised the question as to the amount paid by auctioneers for licence, and thought that the amount as at present was too low.

On motion the matter was referred to the committee on ordinances.

It being reported to Council that some of the churches were going to erect and maintain street lamps in front of their places of worship, it was on motion determined by Council that should any of the church organizations of the village erect and maintain suitable lamps on any of the public streets, that Council will trim, fill and light such lamps the same as the other street lamps of the village.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The report of the committee on ordinances laid on the table at last session is taken up, and after some discussion is adopted.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON, Recorder.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan. 19, 1884:

In the matter of Henry Jones et al., dependent and neglected children; affidavit of service of citation filed, and at request of parties, an order of continuance was made for hearing until January 24, 1884, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Fred. C. McDowell, minor; one of the sureties on the guardian's bond having departed this life, an order was entered that guardian file a new bond; new bond filed.

Estate of William Winslow, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing February 18, 1884.

Estate of James H. Sweeney, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing February 18, 1884.

Estate of Zephaniah K. Johnson, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Jane McKenn, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Feb. 18, 1884.

Estate of Hiram Reynolds deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Frederick J. Holderman, et al., minors; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Mary Ann Johnson, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing February, 1884.

Estate of Wm. J. Milliner, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator *de bonis non*; hearing February, 1884.

Estate of Dexter R. Kil, et al., minors; affidavit of publication, license to sell real estate; bond on sale.

In the matter of Ida De Voe, an alleged indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum filed; hearing January 25, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Rheuben Shurts, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's account; hearing Feb. 18, 1884.

Estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's account; hearing Feb. 18, 1884.

Estate of Isaac Adams, deceased; petition for the allowance of executor's first account; hearing, Feb. 18, 1884.

Estate of Florence E. Smith, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until January 28, 1884.

Estate of Llewllyn D. McMunn, et al., minors; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate of John F. Schreder, deceased; warrant and invertory filed.

Estate of Leroy Mead, deceased; bond on sale of real estate filed.

Estate of Joseph Taylor, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Frederick Putman, minor; affidavit of service of citation filed; order appointing a guardian; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Abram Ayres, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of William E. Seeley, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of George Henderson Imerson, deceased; petition for the allowance of executrix's final account; hearing Feb. 18, 1884.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners for Blissfield township, on the Kellar-Riga outlet drain; application for appointment filed; order for citation; citation issued; hearing February 8, 1884, at ten o'clock a. m.

In the matter of Amelia Ruedy, an indigent, insane person; application for admission to asylum filed; hearing January 29, 1884, at nine o'clock a. m.

AUCTION SALE.

I. H. Schreder, Wm. H. Arner and J. H. Bennett will sell at auction on the farm of the late John F. Schreder, deceased, one mile south and one mile west of Ridgeway, on Thursday, Feb. 7, 1884, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Two milch cows, 1 coming in next month, 1 buck, yearling heifer, breeding sow, 11 shoats, buggy, cutter, sulky rake, new mowing machine, 2 stacks of sheaf oats, log chain, 2 cultivators, stone boat, fanning mill, plow, 14 ft. ladder, set of planes, 2 saws, 2 set, single harness, quantity hay and corn fodder, forks, spades, shovels, and other articles. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

A Card.

The gossipers of the village who circulated the story that I was arrested for breaking into the Clinton depot will please take notice that the report is utterly false. Had they been attending to their own business as I have to mine, they would not have been misled by such idle stories.

WM. BUCK.

Remember "Mrs. Partington" and her son "Ike" will be at the Opera House to-morrow evening.

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Second hand machines in good running order, $5 to $10.

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—If you even think of buying a Sewing Machine call on Slayton & Kinney. They have a fine stock; sell cheap and on time.

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—Glass Ware, Tin Ware, Lamps, House Furnishing Goods at

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NOTICE.—Young men, get married, and then go to Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh. They will furnish your house on time.

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—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends of the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

—Bottom knocked out of prices at C. R. Pennock's cheap store (next to HERALD office). These goods are going to be sold for what they will bring. Come and get prices. Six quart cans only 7 cents apiece. Boiler, with copper bottom, only $1.25, and other goods in proportion.

—We call attention to our large stock of Bird Cages, just received.

Adams' Novelty Store.

—W. N. Snedicor has a lot of fine bob sleighs. Call and see them.

—Our readers should improve some of these fine days by securing their shadow before the substance fades.

—On and after January 1st, 1884, we will discount 10 per cent on all undertaking paid within 90 days from sale.

Slayton & Kinney.

—If you are in need of tinware it would be for your interest to call at Pennock's, one door east of Herald office.

—Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh, carry a large stock of Trunks. Get prices, they will not be undersold.

—Call at Pennock's cheap store for your fancy goods.

Notice.—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

DIED.

After a lingering illness of fifteen months duration, Gilbert, son of David and Elizabeth Harrison, of Macon, died in the sweet peace of perfect rest in Jesus, Dec. 16, 1883. He was born in Ridgeway, Dec. 21st, 1858, and lived a moral life from childhood, and was highly respected. In his strong youthful vigor and ambition he struggled hard for the mastery over the fatal disease of which he died. During the latter portion of his life his greatest anxiety to live was that he might honor God in a life of devotion to his service, and recommend to others that Savior whose love was so precious to him in his sufferings. C.

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SILVERS HOUSE, CLINTON, MICH. S. S. Silvers, Proprietor. Good sample rooms for commercial men. Rates reasonable.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS. H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery; also manufacturers of Tilley Improved Patent Grain Tile Machine, Swedes Stump Machine, etc.

WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them, $6,[illegible]. Total premiums received, $[illegible]. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $[illegible]. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unexplained by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1884, over $14,000,000, surplus over four per cent. reserve, $[illegible].

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET. [illegible] Fish, Poultry, etc., always on hand.

DAVE MACHAM, Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser. Shop on Railroad st.

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LILLEY HOUSE—In the village of Tecumseh. This house has been recently enlarged to the capacity of one hundred new rooms, and refitted throughout, and has been designated the Kirby House. W. H. Pasco, Proprietor.

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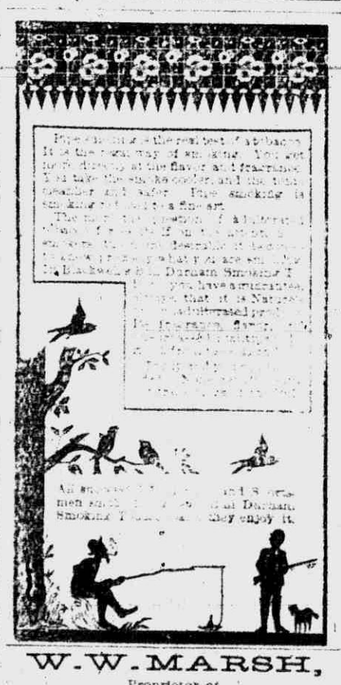

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Two.

In the bitter gloom of a winter's morn
A babe was born.
The snow piled high against wall and door,
On the mighty oak boughs the frost lay hoar,
But the warmth and light earned the happy face.
So softly pillowed with down and lace.
The bees clamped out from the resting spire,
The night was redeemed by many a fire;
The cottage danced for the joy at the hall,
As the poor maid answered the rich man's call.
And his joy for a day was less forlorn,
Because a little child was born.

[illegible]

In a manger, hour and silk and flowers,
A child was born.
[illegible] and poverty and wealth,
[illegible] and grace to health,
[illegible] and care,
[illegible] love and prayer,
[illegible] peace and blood,
[illegible] of manhood,
With [illegible] innocence kept,
On the [illegible] where the sunshine
[illegible]
So swift [illegible] formed the clay
Into beauty [illegible] happy girl grew up.

[illegible] vague and empty words
[illegible] are the only law
[illegible] shrewd,
[illegible] hand in hand,
[illegible] disgrace our Christian
A loveless life,
Of crime, [illegible] struggle and
[illegible]
[illegible] the sweet spring skies,
[illegible] the wind young eyes
[illegible] poisoned cup
[illegible] grew up
[illegible] set,
[illegible] gun fire
[illegible] mother and wife,
[illegible] work was done.
[illegible] washing,
[illegible] her knee,
[illegible] her reverently;
[illegible] remain
[illegible] wrongs was paid,
[illegible] at her side,
[illegible] the woman died.

[illegible] the low sun sank,
[illegible] feeling fight [illegible]
[illegible] and strong,
[illegible] and a prayer,
[illegible] time to care,
[illegible] the poor,
[illegible] grandeur,
[illegible] and [illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible]
[illegible] grade
[illegible] the musing life,
[illegible] the woman died.

[illegible] kindly cover it
[illegible] hard to prove it.
—All The Year Around.

The Italian Soldier.

The Italian soldier, as a rule, is short and square-built, and his general appearance conveys the impression of a not overrobust physique. But see him marching and it soon becomes apparent that he possesses more stamina than one would have given him credit for. How unmurmuringly he trudges for hours at a time along a dusty road under a hot sun with his heavy knapsack on his back, and his rifle slung across his shoulder. And our surprise is increased when we find what meager rations he has to sustain him under all his toil. His chief meal consists of a soup made with lard, meat, and maccheroni, or some other kind of paste. His mess is prepared in large caldrons, round which at a given signal the men gather each with a tin can, into which is poured a not very abundant supply of soup and an almost invisible lump of meat. In setting out on a long march the soldier drinks the soup and keeps the meat to eat on the road. Besides this he gets coffee without milk in the morning and about two pounds of bread to last him throughout the day. A tumbler of wine is served out to him on an average every third or fourth day in the year. If abstemious Spartan in its simplicity, his dress is equally exempt from the charge of luxury. A loose coat of coarse grayish blue cloth covers the infantry soldier from neck to knee. His trousers are of the same material, but when marching, the latter are exchanged for canvas trousers, and when working in camp a canvas tunic is donned instead of the coat. His headgear is a hat very like that in use in the French army. The uniform of the bersaglieri is somewhat more elaborate in fancy. This army consists of picked men, indeed, only strong fellows could march at the rapid pace they are trained to. Otherwise their drill is much the same as that of the ordinary regiments. They wear a black tunic with red facings, and a black broad-brimmed hat with a bunch of green feathers stuck at one side. They are armed, like the infantry, with Werderly rifles.—*Cor London Daily News.*

A Monster Mountain of Clay in Montana.

We rolled onward through the midst of the grotesque and picturesque buttes for hours; and their broken, jagged walls and towering peaks stood out against the clear sky on either side to the line of the horizon. Suddenly, on our left, a broad stretch of beautiful grassy valley appeared, sweeping away about a mile, gently curving upwards to the very base of one of the grandest and largest buttes of all, which rises abruptly from the level plain to a height of nearly 800 feet. This monster mound stretches along parallel with the railroad for a long distance. Its spine is broken by one large embrasure or pass, separating a small portion of it from the main body. Its bald and barren heights are bleached by the awful wintry tempests, and on its scarred and rugged bosom is inscribed the epitaph of departed ages. To it great cycles are but days, and centuries but swift hours of time. But even now, among the "hills, rock-ribbed and ancient as the sun, and the vales stretching in pensive quietness between," the joyful voice of man and the busy hum of labor awake the torpid echoes of the past, which erst knew no sound but nature's wild. This monster clay mountain stands on the very border of Dakota, and marks the line of Montana. This is the great "Sentinel buttes."—*Rochester Democrat.*

A Stratford (Conn.) woman dreamed that she saw her husband kissing a certain neighbor's wife, and she awoke and struck him across the face and broke his nose.

OUT OF THE DEPTHS.

Our Correspondent's Researches and a Remarkable Occurrence He Describes.

ST. ALBANS, VT., Jan. 10, 1884.

MESSRS EDITORS.—The upper portion of Vermont is one of the pleasantest regions in America during the summer and one of the bleakest during the winter. It affords ample opportunity for the tourist, providing he chooses the proper season, but the present time is not that season. Still there are men and women here who not only endure the climate, but praise it unstintingly, and that, too, in the face of physical hardships the most intense. The writer heard of a striking illustration of this a few days since which is given herewith:

Mr. Joseph Jacques is connected with the Vermont Central railroad in the capacity of master mason. He is well advanced in years, with a ruddy complexion and hale appearance, while his general bearing is such as to instantly impress one with his strict honor and integrity. Several years ago he became afflicted with most distressing troubles, which prevented the prosecution of his duties. He was languid and yet restless, while at times a dizziness would come over him which seemed almost blinding.—His will power was strong, and he determined not to give way to the mysterious influence which seemed undermining his life. But the pain and annoying symptoms were stronger than his will, and he kept growing gradually worse. About that time he began to notice a difficulty in drawing on his boots and it was by the greatest effort that he was able to force his feet into them. In this manner several weeks passed by, until finally one night, while in great agony, he discovered that his feet had, in a short while, swollen to enormous proportions. The balance of the narrative can best be described in his own words. He says:

"When my wife discovered the fact that I was so bloated, she sent for the doctor immediately. He made a most careful examination and pronounced me in a very serious condition. Notwithstanding his care, I grew worse, and the swelling of my feet gradually extended upward in my body. The top of my head pained me terribly indeed, so badly that at times it seemed almost as if it would burst. My feet were painfully cold, and even when surrounded with hot flannels and irons felt as if a strong wind were blowing on them. Next my right leg became paralyzed. This gave me no pain, but it was exceedingly annoying. About this time I began to spit blood most freely, although my lungs were in perfect condition, and I knew it did not come from them. My physicians were careful and untiring in their attentions, but unable to relieve my sufferings. My neighbors and friends thought I was dying and many called to see me, full twenty-five on a single Sunday that I now recall. At last my agony seemed to culminate in the most intense sharp pains I have ever known or heard of. If red hot knives sharpened to the highest degree had been run through my body constantly they could not have hurt me worse. I would spring up in bed, sometimes as much as three feet, cry out in my agony and long for death. One night the misery was so intense that I arose and attempted to go into the next room, but was unable to lift my swollen feet above the little threshold that obstructed them. I fell back upon the bed and gasped in my agony, but felt unable even to breathe. It seemed like death.

"Several years ago Rev. Dr. J. E. Rankin, now of Washington, was stationed here as pastor of the Congregational church. We all admired and respected him, and my wife, remembered seeing somewhere that he had spoken in the highest terms of a preparation which had cured some of his intimate friends. We determined to try this remedy, accordingly sent for it, and, to make a long story short, it completely restored my health, bro't me back from the grave, and I owe all I have in the way of health and strength to Warner's Safe Cure, better known as Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. I am positive that if I had taken this medicine when I felt the first symptoms above described, I might have avoided all the agony I afterward endured, to say nothing of the narrow escape I had from death."

In order that all possible facts bearing upon the subject might be known, I called upon Dr. Oscar F. Fassett, who for nineteen years United States Examining Surgeon, and who attended Mr. Jacques during his sickness.—He stated that Mr. Jacques had a most pronounced case of Albuminuria or Bright's disease of the kidneys.—That an analysis showed the presence of albumen and casts in great abundance, and that he was in a condition where few if any ever recover. His recovery was due to Warner's Safe Cure.

Mr. John W. Hobart, General Manager of the Vermont Central railroad, stated that Mr. Jacques was one of the best and most faithful of his employes, that his sickness had been an exceedingly severe one and the company were not only glad to again have his services but grateful to the remedy that had cured so valuable a man.

Mr. James M. Foss, assistant superintendent and master mechanic of the Vermont Central railroad, is also able to confirm this.

I do not claim to be a great discoverer, but I do think I have found in the above a most remarkable case and knowing the unusual increase of Bright's disease feel that the public should have the benefit of it. It seems to me a remedy that can accomplish so much in the last stages ought to do even more for the first approach of this deceptive yet terrible trouble.

A little tot of a girl coaxed two nickels from her father on Thanksgiving day, saying she would use one for candy and the other she would give to the missionaries. Before executing her expressed intentions she lost one while at play, and running to her mamma, said: "Oh, mamma, I have lost my missionary nickel."

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Aunt Rachel's Joy.

Rev. W. B. Evans, Washington, D. C., writes: "Aunt Rachel, the dear old colored saint, who has been a constant sufferer with inflammatory Rheumatism for 16 years, has been greatly benefited by Athlophoros. I consider it almost in the light of a miracle. She is almost beside herself with joy. The pain has all left her limbs. A little stiffness remains, but another bottle will effect a permanent cure. It is indeed a most wonderful medicine. I think it ought to be spread throughout the length and breadth of this land."

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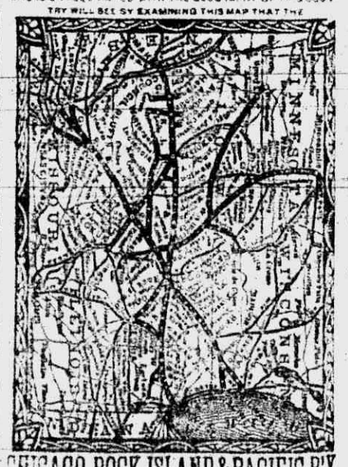

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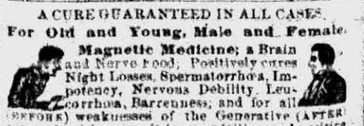

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 49 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 29 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 32 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 45
Bryant	.....	12 48	6 56
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 53	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 07	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 52	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

— Trains run by Central Time. —

GOING NORTH. No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Express.	No. 6 Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A.M.	P. M.	
5 45	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
5 45	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 26	1 39	4 48
5 52	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
5 57	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 30
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 22
6 2[illegible]	2 55	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
6 30	3 05	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
6 43	3 23	9 04	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
6 55	3 37	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
7 08	3 50	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
7 10	4 00	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
7 15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
					A.M.	
7 52	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
7 54	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
8 05	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
8 05	5 18	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 15
	6 30	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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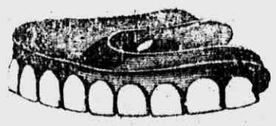

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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—It agrees with Mr. Arthur to be President of the United States. He has gained twenty-six pounds in weight since he assumed that office.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Senator Saulsbury, of Delaware, is the only member of the United States Senate who has never been married. He is called the Lone Star of that body.—*Boston Post.*

—A volume of table talk, or wit and wisdom, of Frederick the Great, has been discovered in the Prussian State Archives, and will be published early in the ensuing summer.

—A Miss Sherift, who was practically the first English prima donna to try her fortunes in America, recently died unnoticed in London. It is thirty years since she was in this country.

—R. J. Burdette is forty, Bret Harte is forty-five, Mark Twain is forty-eight, W. D. Howells is forty-six, Thomas Bailey Aldrich is forty-five, Joaquin Miller is forty-two, James Russell Lowell is sixty-four and John G. Saxe is sixty-eight.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—E. D. Winslow, the notorious Boston forger, who almost succeeded in causing a rupture in the diplomatic relations between England and America a few years ago, is now a successful business man in Buenos Ayres, South America. He has taken the name of W. D. Lowe.—*Boston Herald.*

—The Boston *Traveller* says that Presibent Bruce, of the Massachusetts Senate, and Speaker Marden, of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, were born in the same year, in the same town in New Hampshire, and were graduated in the same class at Dartmouth College.

—The Fresno (Col.) *Republican* says: A remarkable matrimonial compact was made at the United States Hotel in this city Monday evening, in which Noah Hickok and Elizabeth Hickok were married for the third time. They have been twice divorced. The bride and groom have reached the mature age of seventy-three and eighty-seven respectively.

—M. Roustan, the new French Minister at Washington, is about forty-eight years of age. He has held many Consular posts, and in 1881 was appointed Ambassador to Tunis. He was a conspicuous actor in the recent events in that country, and the success of French diplomacy in the dealings with the Bey is due almost entirely to his firmness and sagacity.—*Washington Star.*

—Trollope received $240 for his first production and $35,000 for one of his last. Captain Marryatt received $100,000 for one of his works, and Lord Lytton $15,000 for the copyright of the cheap edition of his works by Messrs. Routledge & Sons, in addition to the large amount paid at the time of their publication, while it is well known that Messrs. Longman pa'd Lord Beaconsfield $50,000 for "Endymion."

HUMOROUS.

—"Yes," said the Idaho man, "it's dreadful unfortunate that my gal got hugged by that ar' b'ar. She's sort o' held me in contempt since."—*Chicago Herald.*

—A party of young ladies attended a church sociable in Elizabethan costume, and when the local paper said that the fair was visited by rufls nobody caught on to the joke.—*Boston Herald.*

—We started to read a poem by Bartley Campbell the other day. Finally we came to the point where he rhymed "plenty" and "went sne." Then we stopped. We are not tough.—*Lowell Citizen.*

—"Yes," said Mr. Brickbandler, "my bull dog has wonderful artistic taste. He wouldn't attack a tramp the other day because the cloth of the man's trousers wouldn't harmonize well with the color of his jaws."—*Boston Post.*

—It was his first attempt on roller skates, and as they brought him to in the toilet-room he remarked: "I tell you, boys, that was gorgeous. I must have knocked in the whole dome of heaven, the way those stars flew 'round. I wonder if there's any left for the next man."—*Oil City Derrick.*

—"Take my advice," said old Skinflint to his clerk, whom he had discovered stamping an envelope from his own private receptacle; "take my advice. If I ever find you taking anything of mine your connections won't save you. To jail you go." "Very well, sir," said the clerk; "perhaps I had better not take your advice, then."—*The Judge.*

—Not long ago the Atlantic cable man sent over the report that Mary Anderson, actress, was to marry the Duke of Portland, Englishman. Last night the following dispatch was received by the Associated Press from Portland, Ore.: "The engagement of Mary Anderson to Lieutenant Dukes, of this place, is denied. No such person is known to exist."—*Chicago Tribune.*

"The top of the morning to ye, Mrs. O'Flaherty." "The same to ye, Mrs. O'Raherty. An' did ye see the orr-mans marchin' yisterday?" "I did; God bless ivery mother's son of 'em. But I didn't see little Johnny O'Hern in the procession." "And sure he's not an orphant any more. He's quit the business and has gone to 'learnin' a thrade, he has." "Arrah. God bless him for his enterprise."—*Kentucky State Journal.*

—Why he wasn't there now Kosciusko Murphy, who is a book-keeper in a grocery house, met a friend who clerks in a cigar store on Austin avenue and asked him for a cigar. "Ain't got any," said his friend. "Ain't got any!" said Kosciusko. "Why, when I used to work in a cigar store I always had my pockets stuffed with cigars." "Yes; probably that's the reason you ain't in a cigar store now," was the crushing reply.—*Texas Siftings.*

—"Young Calvin" wants to know if we "believe that the angels have wings, and why we think so?" We think they have, Calvin. We never saw their wings, but we know that whenever a young man becomes perfectly convinced that he has met an angel he spends about all his spare time holding her tight with both arms, as though he feared she would fly away the minute he let her go. And if they had no wings there would be no cause for this widespread, almost universal fear.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Angling for Pointers.

While Lord Chief Justice Coleridge was in Chicago, a reception was given his honor by the Hon. Emery A. Storrs. During a lull in the brilliant festivities, Me lud Coleridge felt some one plucking at his sleeve, and upon turning around discovered a long, lank, masculine specimen of a native from the Sucker State, with an anxious look on his hatchet face, and a piece of red flannel around his throat.

"Jist step this way a minnit, Mr. Coleridge," said the apparition, "come inter this bay winnly. I want ter ask yer suthin."

The astonished chief justice followed the man into the alcove, and was thus addressed:

"Judge, they tell me you are a big legal luminary over in England."

"Well, aw—I don't weally—"

"Don't be at all bashful an' diffident in my presence," said the man with the bronchial difficulties, "I know suthin' about the law bizzines myself, ef I do say it, an' I've bin elected justice of the peace down in Jo Daviss county. Now, what I want ter git onto is a few pinters on some legal matters as has puzzled me considerable since I was elected. The ole common law, ef I understand the thing right, is the same in Illinois as hit is in England, ain't hit?"

"Why—weally—I believe the common law of England is not—that is—has not been greatly modified since its adoption by the United States."

"That's what I thought. Now, over in your country does the cote allow a lawyer to go on the cost bond for his client?"

"Well—weally—aw—that is not the practice"—

"That's just what I tole 'em down in Jo Daviss county, an' a spike-haired shyster hit me with an' ink-bottle because I wouldn't allow no sich kind ef monkey work. Did you ever marry a couple, an' did yer git yer pay in sausiges, spring wheat or cash?"

"Aw—marry a couple?"

"A Dutchman come ter my house last week with a license made out in another county, an' he insisted on me hitchin' him an' his gal right there an' thar. He was so full that yer could hear the beer swash inside of him. I tole the Dutchman he couldn't git spliced on no sich a license as that. Yer can't marry an English couple in one bailiwick on a license made out in another, can yer?"

"I—I—aw—you seem to"—

"A damfool of a justice, who held ofliss before the citizens run me in, onoect give a verdict for the defendant in a suit, an' then taxed him up with the costs. I remonstrated with the old grey-headed lunatic, an' we left the matter ter the judge of the district cote, an' when we had stated the case, the jedge cocked up one eye like a game chicken an' sed, 'Wal, gentlemen, I don't know but hits all right in Jo Daviss county, an' the bull crowd cackered right out."

"I—I—aw—weally—I must be going," said the poor Lord Chief Justice, trying to edge away.

"One minnit, kernel, or jedge rather—what do yer charge fer swearing witnesses in a civil suit, ten cents or two bits?"

But the Lord Chief Justice had flown from the horrid precincts of the deep bay window.—*Texas Siftings.*

Scientific False Pretense.

There are those who have every facility for the pursuit of science, who have an ample salary and every appliance for work, yet who devote themselves to commercial work, to testifying in courts of law, and to any other work to increase their present large income. Such men would be respectable if they gave up the name of professor, and took that of consulting chemists or physicists. And such men are needed in the community. But for a man to occupy the professor's chair in a prominent college, and, by his energy and ability in the commercial applications of his science, stand before the local community in a prominent manner, and become the newspaper exponent of his science, is a disgrace both to him and his college. It is the death-blow to science in that region. Call him by his proper name, and he becomes at once a useful member of the community. Put in his place a man who shall by precept and example cultivate his science, and how different is the result! Young men, looking forward into the world for something to do, see before them this high and noble life, and they see that there is something more honorable than the accumulation of wealth. They are thus led to devote their lives to similar pursuits, and they honor the professor who has drawn them to something higher than they might otherwise have aspired to reach.

I do not wish to be misunderstood in this matter. It is no disgrace to make money by an invention, or otherwise, or to do commercial scientific work under some circumstances. But let pure science be the aim of those in the chairs of professors, and so prominently the aim that there can be no mistake. If our aim in life is wealth, let us honestly engage in commercial pursuits, and compete with others for its possession. But if we choose a life which we consider higher, let us live up to it, taking wealth or poverty as it may chance to come to us, but letting neither turn us aside from our pursuit.—*Prof. H. A. Rowland, in Popular Science Monthly for November.*

They are not always unwilling slaves in the east. Among the slaves found in the possession of Ali Saidi, the Cairo dealer recently arrested by the English, were six women, three Circassians and three negresses. Five of them received their freedom, but the sixth—a beautiful Circassian girl—refused to accept freedom, her ambition being, perhaps, to become the slave of some wealthy Egyptian pasha.

John Quincy Adams, who is well known in Socorro County, New Mexico, has sold a third interest in his lode for $13,000. While prospecting he found his haversack on fire, his prospecting glass having focused the sun's rays upon it. As the haversack contained six pounds of powder, he dropped it and got out of the way. It fell into a crevice, and a large mass of rock was blown up. Adams turned mournfully to gather up what might be left of his effects, and found a vein of silver that the explosion had exposed to view.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 31, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News

CONGRESS.

Mr. Sewell, of the Senate Committee [illegible] for the relief of Thomas [illegible] on military affairs, on the 21st [illegible] Mr. Logan presented a memorial [illegible] Mr. Sherman introduced a bill [illegible] resolution providing for a [illegible] connected with the [illegible] Virginia and the [illegible] Mississippi and [illegible] expenditure on levees and [illegible] to make a full investigation of the [illegible] Mr. [illegible] report by bill or otherwise. Mr. [illegible] resolution providing for a [illegible] per annum for each [illegible] who was not a member of a [illegible] was agreed to. After [illegible] the senate adjourned. [illegible] Mr. Logan introduced a bill [illegible] certain Erie railroads, [illegible] the United States to [illegible] and the others and [illegible] such manner that the [illegible] Lieutenant Knodell [illegible] the steamer [illegible] Company, Ft. Benton [illegible] Blackfeet Agency. Mr. [illegible] delivery of the Hayes [illegible] Mr. Randall [illegible] House with a [illegible] the report [illegible]

Mr. Logan submitted a [illegible] the Senate on the 24th [illegible] the [illegible] Havana [illegible] passed. Mr. H. from the [illegible] office and roadbeds reported favorably the bill making [illegible] the [illegible] Mr. Sherman introduced [illegible] for the protection of the [illegible] and forests of the National [illegible] to the [illegible] and other authorities. The Senate took up the [illegible] of the Alaska bill [illegible] providing a civil [illegible] and after [illegible] debate [illegible] passed. [illegible] Mr. [illegible] resolution [illegible] Mr. Hoar, of the Committee on [illegible] and Means, reported a resolution [illegible] Treasury for full [illegible] customs and internal revenue [illegible] and the [illegible] Mr. H. [illegible] the payment of [illegible] to Lieutenant [illegible] and the [illegible] Mr. Blair [illegible] the Senate on the 25th [illegible] of newspapers and [illegible] Mr. [illegible] and Means [illegible] Mr. Randall [illegible] Mr. Hoar [illegible] Mr. Blair [illegible] the House [illegible] Mr. Randall [illegible] Mr. Blair [illegible] Mr. Randall [illegible] Mr. Blair [illegible] Mr. Randall [illegible] Mr. Blair

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Last Tuesday evening Dick Hornby gave his horse a dose of "Rough on Rats" through mistake.

Norman Hubbard has returned from Iowa in very poor health. He is at his brother Edgar's at present.

T. H. Mosher's mill dam has been causing some uneasiness of late, but is now thought to be out of danger.

On 30th ult. J. C. Kinney made Umphrey Egan, Jr., a visit and while there was taken with inflammatory rheumatism, and was at last report in a dangerous condition.

Our township treasurer made his returns last Thursday, 31st ult., and there is a village lot to be returned and sold for taxes.

MACON MOLECULES.

It required a great deal of perseverance to preserve one's center of gravity Tuesday. The boys seemed to enjoy the ice-fettered roads immensely.

Sage's mill yard is chock-full of logs. Mr. Sage is running his mill to its full capacity.

Tuesday afternoon a few of Mrs. Maples' friends took her by surprise, it being her seventieth birthday. A pleasant time is reported.

Rev. Mr. Carleton will preach again at the Baptist church next Sunday morning. We understand a movement is on foot to engage the services of Mr. Carleton.

Mr. Chas. Ganoung, of New York, has been visiting friends in Macon for a few days past.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Mr. H. J. Williams, of New York state has purchased the John F. Schreder farm, and will take possession about the first of April.

A party of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. John Pocklington made them a surprise visit on Tuesday evening last. A real surprise it was, but a very enjoyable visit however. Mrs. Pocklington was the recipient of a handsome present, for which the company had her sincere thanks.

The annual donation of the M. E. church was held in the lecture room of the church on Wednesday evening resulting in the usual splendid and generous liberality so common for Ridgeway, and $110,50 cash, over all expenses for the pastor.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

It takes about one and one-half hours to play a game of checkers by telegraph.

Alonzo Welch has sold his farm to his brother Ambrose, of Franklin, and goes back on the old homestead.

We are pleased to report that D. E. Bowen is able to be out again.

Lincoln Stevens has accepted a position in Marks & Russell's drug store. Success to him.

Last Saturday while Chas. McNeil, of Newberg, was breaking a colt it reared up and threw himself over backwards killing it instantly.

Rev. Mr. Paine, of Clinton Baptist church, is to hold a series of meetings at the Newburg school house this week.

Uncle Solomon Mangus who has been very low and has not been expected to live for some days, is some better at this writing, 7 P. M., Wednesday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending Feb. 2

CLINTON.

C. N. Nase to W. Nase. Land in village. $400.

E. F. Sherd to J. C. Hendershot.—Land on sec. 13. $5,200.

J. C. Hendershot to Nathaniel Jackson. Land on sec. 11. $2,600.

FRANKLIN.

H. Wiseman to Henry Jeffrey.—Land on sec. 9. $1,500.

RIDGEWAY.

H. F. Coates to H. C. Rodd and E. M. Keopka. Land on sec. 12. $600.

WOODSTOCK.

John Wareham to W. Mulnix. Land on sec. 5. $600.

A Bird that Turns Somersaults.

There's a pretty little bird that lives in China, and is called the Fork-Tailed Parus. He is about as big as a robin, and has a red beak, yellow legs, black tail, and red-and-yellow wings. Nearly all the colors are in his dress, you see, and he is a gay fellow. This bird has a trick known by no other birds that ever I heard of. He turns somersaults! Not only does he do this in free life on the trees, but also after he is caught and put into a cage. He throws his head far back, and over he goes, touching the bars of his cage, and alighting upon his feet on the floor or on a perch. He will do it over and over a number of times without stopping, as though he thought it great fun. All his family have the same trick, and they are called Tumblers. The people of China are fond of keeping them in cages and seeing them tumble.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Feb. 2, 1884:

Estate of Hepsabeth Fitzgerald, deceased; executrix's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Brazillai W. Arnold, deceased; petition for partition of real estate and consent of heirs; order appointing commissioners.

In the matter of Ida De Voe, an alleged indigent insane person; affidavit of service and testimony taken and filed; order for admission to asylum.

Estate of Mabel L. Capp, et al., minors; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

In the matter of Henry Jones et al., dependent and neglected children; parties appear and ask to have the hearing continued, whereupon an order of continuance was entered until Jan. 31, 1884, at 10 o'clock a m.

Estate of Wm. H. Arner, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Feb. 18, 1884.

Estate of Frederick Gippert deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Anna B. Gippert, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Emma J. Milner, deceased; petition for proof of foreign will; hearing Feb. 18, 1884.

Estate of George H. N. Hall, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Feb. 25, 1884.

Estate of Charity Sweeney, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Joseph Driggs, deceased; application of widow for additional allowance for her support; order entered for an additional allowance.

Estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased; executrix's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Edmund Hand, deceased; order of continuance entered until Feb. 11, 1884.

Estate of Florence E. Smith, deceased; administrator's final account allowed; order of discharge.

Estate of Alvah Coddington, deceased, petition for the allowance of executors' final account; hearing Feb. 25, 1884.

Estate of Joseph Green, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond $1,000.

Estate of Francis E. Crandall, minor; affidavit of service; resignation of guardian; order appointing a new guardian; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Orville A. Loomis, deceased; affidavit of publication; administratrix's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Sarah D. Ludlow, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

In the matter of the application for the appointment of three special commissioners on Cantleberry drain, Riga, affidavit of service filed; order of continuance until Feb. 2, 1884, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Thomas Fitz Patrick, deceased; order of continuance until February 12, 1884 at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Abbey A. Barrett, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Lucy C. Mead, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing February 25, 1884.

In the matter of Frederika Schnipp, an alleged indigent insane, person; application for admission filed; hearing at two o'clock p. m.; affidavit of service; testimony taken and filed; order for admission to asylum.

AUCTION SALES.

David Harrison having rented his farm will sell at auction on the premises one mile north of Ridgeway, on Thursday, Feb. 14, 1884, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: Breeding mare, two 2 yr. old colts, 1 sucking colt, yearling heifer, yearling steer, 2 Durham bulls, calf, 2 breeding sows, 3 milch cows, 2 Poland boars, 1 fine wool buck, Royce reaper, Standard mower, sulky rake, land roller, Scotch harrows, 3 plows, 86 sheep, lumber wagon, pair bobs, set double harness, cutting box, corn sheller, fanning mill, cultivators, and a general assortment of farm implements. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

E. L. Mills, having rented his farm, will sell at Auction at his residence 3 1-2 miles west of Tecumseh, on Monroe turnpike, on Wednesday February 20th, 1884, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: of Banker Rothchilds' Stock: One pair gray mares, bred by Sickles' Hambletonians sorrel gelding, iron-gray gelding, black stallion, 1 fillie, bay mare, brood mare, pair mules, 2 cows, 1 heifer, 2 steers, 70 sheep, 5 rams, farm tools, consisting of a general farm equipment; household furniture, quantity hay, clover and timothy; oats, mill feed, mammoth clover seed, 2 set light double harness, single harness, 3 set heavy double harness, whiffletrees, neckyokes, 2 sulkies, skeleton, double buggy, wagon, trucks, bob sleighs, cutter, roller, drill, hay rake, plows, drags, cultivators, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben. Reynolds, Auc. T. M. Cauburn, Clerk.

The heaviest property conveyance ever in Alcona county was put on record a few days ago. It is given by John E. Potts and wife, of Detroit, to parties in Canada, and embraces an aggregate of 72,000 acres.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Flint abandons standard time.

Scarlet fever and diphtheria at Port Huron.

St. Clair is a swell town. It has the mumps now.

Port Huron has a dog poisoner.

A Pioneer Society has just been formed in Greenville.

Smith's mill at Algonac cut 6,000,000 staves last winter.

Ingham county teachers meet at Lansing February 2.

Three Rivers Presbyterians will remove their church.

Petoskey telephone exchange starts with 30 subscribers.

The Big Rapids wagon works will employ 50 men next month.

Saginaw will probably be lighted by the Excelsior electric light.

The Roman Catholics of Lake Linden will build a convent this spring.

J. L. Miller, Alma, has just finished a block of three frame stores.

Wm. W. Wise, Lansing, is secretary of the Union party lecture bureau.

Orion Congregationalists want a clergyman.

Mrs. Cole, of Lincoln, dropped dead in church Sunday evening.

Battle Creek public library has received an addition of 400 books.

Marshall is happy. The Michigan & Ohio R. R. Co. will locate their shops there.

Vicksburg expects a building boom by the way stone is being delivered this winter.

Oliver Bertch's family, Port Huron, came near being asphyxiated by coal gas lately.

Holton has lost its weekly $500 for the sale of railroad ties, and the farmers feel poor.

Alma will have a new block of six stores, and may have a Masonic hall and opera house.

More than half of the Big Rapids factories are working full time with a full complement of men.

Prof. Grange, of the Agricultural College, is sick from erysipelas, the result of blood poisoning.

Two Charlotte lads have confessed to stealing a quantity of money from a business man.

Rev. S. Burford, of Grand Rapids, sues that city to recover for damages caused to his horse by coasters.

Easterly, an Olivet student, has been arrested for larceny from a fellow student.

People who wish to be converted must go to Battle Creek. The boy preacher is there.

Propellers Michigan and Wisconsin are held in the ice, four miles from Grand Haven.

A new bell, 469 pounds in weight, has been placed in the tower of the Third Methodist Church in Southwest Vienna.

James Ward jumped from a moving train, fractured his leg, and hurt his head last week. He is in the Bay City hospital.

A large force of men are engaged in breaking up the ice in St. Joseph harbor, so that the tugs may be able to reach their nets.

Creditors representing $26,000 of Tibbitts' liabilities have agreed to take 50 cents on the dollar. His Coldwater cigar factory is still running.

H. Lapworth, of Saginaw, visited Jeff. Davis, at his home in Beauvoir, Miss., and secured his autograph, during his recent southern trip.

Daniel White, of Belleville, Canada, 35 years old, mistook aconite for whisky, and died in Geo. McDonald's lumber camp, near L'Anse last week.

Rev. D. F. Barnes, formerly of Ionia, has purchased an interest in 1,800 acres of valuable hardwood and hemlock land on Torch Lake, Antrim county.

Dr. Upjohn, of Kalamazoo, says his peat has cost, him but a trifle more than soft coal, although prepared by rude methods, while it is much preferable to coal.

Over 65 tons of Limburger cheese were shipped last season from Marine City, and the stink was such that should it occur again the place will probably be called Cologne.

The total output of the Lake Superior iron mines and the valuation for last year is as follows: Gross tons pig iron, 57,184; value, $1,291,140. Gross tons iron ore, 2,351,372 value, $13,677,919.

J. E. Smith a farmer near Thomas, missed a pig over a month ago and supposed it had been stolen. After 31 days he discovered it wedged in under the barn floor, still alive after its long fast.

ONLY.

Only a flash of indignant eyes,
Only a glance of pained surprise,
Only a ring from a finger small
Dropped at his feet, and that was all.

Only a maiden sad and drear,
Longing for some one still held dear,
Only a tear on a ringless hand,
For the lover gone to a foreign land.

Only a ship by the sea waves tossed,
Only a man with hands idly crossed,
Sea below, and sky overhead,
With a bitter sigh for the love now dead.

Only an aching pain in his heart,
For the cruel words that made them part,
Only a wish to be back once more,
Down by her side as in days of yore.

Only a sight of a pure, pale face,
Sweet and grave in its womanly grace,
Only regret for the pain he had given
Only a prayer to be forgiven.

Only a glance in his tender eyes,
Only a smile of sweet surprise;
Only a clasp of the fingers small
Only a kiss—and that was all.

A Regular "D. B."

Not long ago a well-known newspaper man took day board at the Sherman House, says the Chicago *Times*. He was at home in the place, and was a privileged character. One day he sauntered behind the office counter into the regions that are supposed to be sacred to gentlemen who wear diamonds and address congressmen, governors, tourists, porters, newsboys and other statesmen by their first names, when his eye happened to catch sight of his own name on a slip with others over the bookkeeper's desk. He would not have given it a passing thought had not the letters "D. B." been attached. He "flew off the handle" on the instant, and demanded an interview with the proprietor. That august functionary was found, and to him the irate journalist addressed a few remarks. "Do I owe you anything?" he asked. "No, sir,' was the prompt reply. "I have paid my bills all right so far as you know, haven't I?" "Certainly. I have no complaint to make."

"Then why do you permit your clerk to post me over his desk as a 'D. B.?'"

"I do not; there must be some mistake."

The journalist assured him that there was no mistake, and that he had seen the objectionable and significant letters with his own eyes. The more he thought of it the madder he got. The proprietor could not pacify him until he promised to have the matter investigated and the guilty man punished. It was found that the night clerk had perpetrated the outrage, and that evening the injured citizen took an early opportunity to take him to task. "What did you mean by putting 'D. B.' after my name?" inquired the newspaper man. "O, go away," he replied, thinking his interlocutor was "chaffing," as was his custom, "don't bother me." "No, I won't go away, and I demand a civil answer to my question."

The clerk looked up and saw an angry man in front of him. Then his countenance was suddenly bisected by a grin, and he doubled up like a man with the colic. "You took day-board, didn't you?" he inquired, as soon as he regained his composure. "Yes, I did, and I have paid for all the day-board I have enjoyed." "So you have," was the soothing response, "but just come around here a minute, till I show you something. You see you are in good company. You are an associate of several millionaires and railroad magnates. They are each and every one designated the same way, 'D. B.' That is short for 'day-board.' Regular boarders are marked 'R. B.'"

The journalist spent a week's salary trying to bribe his audience with liquid nourishment to keep still, but like all good things the joke leaked.

Origin of Popular Phrases.

VAMOSE.—A Mexican phrase—an adaptation of the Spanish verb *vamos*, meaning literally, "let us go."

TAFFY.—This word, which is now used as a vulgar synonym of flattery, is by no means of recent origin, as many suppose, but was really coined 200 years ago, and has been in use in London fully that period.

BOSS.—This term, which is extensively used in the United States and England to designate the person placed as overseer of workmen and working women, is an improvement on the Dutch word *baas*, meaning employer.

BOGUS.—An Anglicism—the vulgate for "Borghese," the name of a forger who "operated" somewhat extensively across the water about thirty-five years ago. He passed false tokens and counterfeit bills to the amount of many thousand dollars, and hence the term "bogus" is applied to whatever is false and fraudulent.

A DELUSION, A MOCKERY AND A SNARE.—The fact that this familiar saying has about it a certain Biblical ring, has sometimes led to its being quoted as from one or other of the Hebrew prophets: the words are, in fact, an extract from the judgment of Lord Denman, of the English house of lords, on the appeal of Daniel O'Connell to that body from the verdict rendered at his trial.

RED TAPE.—An English expression, originated by Carlyle and made popular by Dickens. It was designed to represent the ceremonious delays and official formalities characteristic of the British governmental routine. It is similarly used in this country to ridicule the tardiness with which everything is effected by the formalism of government officials. The expression arises from the fact that government officers generally tie up their bundles of paper with red tape.

CANTEEN.—This is, perhaps, the only word in our language which, originally passed into a foreign tongue, and was afterward taken back in a modified form. As originally spoken by the Saxon, it was simply a *tin can*; but the Gaul, as is his wont, placing the noun before the adjective, and pronouncing the letter *i* as *e*, brought it out as *cantin*, pronounced *canteen*. Adopting a thousand other French terms, the obtuse Englishman took back his own original word in a new shape, without any inquiries on the subject, and hence we now say canteen instead of tin-can.

A little dot of a girl coaxed two nickels from her father on Thanksgiving day, saying she would use one for candy and the other she would give to the missionaries. Before executing her expressed intentions she lost one while at play, and running to her mamma, said: "Oh, mamma, I have lost my missionary nickel."

A boy came home from school much excited, and told his father that the teacher said all human beings were descended from apes, which made the old man so mad that he replied angily: "That may be the case with you, but it ain't with me. I can tell you that, now."

The Colored Metropolis.

There are sixty-five thousand colored people in Washington. In no city in the United States, not even New Orleans, is there a larger colored population. Many of them have settled here since the civil war ended. A better opportunity can be nowhere found for studying the effect of freedom and the legislation subsequent to it than here, says a Washington letter. The colored people here enjoy all the social and political rights that law can give them, without protest and without annoyance. The public conveyances are open to them, and the theaters, the jury box, the polls of party power, are theirs. Many of these men are wealthy, and the aggregate wealth of the colored property owners in the district amounts to millions of dollars. Hundreds own comfortable homes, and some handsome residences; their churches are many, including three or four buildings that are ornaments to the city. As a class they are industrious, find plenty to do and are beginning to show capacity for thrift and saving.

But the color line is rigidly drawn in what is known as society. Wealth, learning, official place, gives no colored family the right or privilege of entering the best or commonest white society on terms of equality or endurance. In this respect the colored people live as separate and exclusive a life as in the days of slavery, and, as a drop of African blood was once held to make a man a negro, so now it taints him and makes an insurmountable barrier against social recognition. The most striking illustration of the tendency of the race to imitate the white people is seen in their own rules, classes and customs. First of all, we find that in this large colored community social lines are as rigidly drawn as they are between themselves and the white society of the West End. There are three recognized social classes among the colored people. Neither acknowledges the other, and it is the ambition of those in the lower to be received in the higher circles, just as among the whites.

The upper crust, so to speak, consists of men of wealth, learning and high political place. The people exchange calls with all the ceremony of the whites, some of them driving in their own carriages, leaving cards with scrupulous attention to etiquette. They dine with each other, and are waited upon by colored servants with whom they will permit no other relations than those of master and servant. Probably, the leading family in the highest colored society here is that of ex-Senator Bruce, who is now the Register of the Treasury. Bruce is a light-complexioned, intelligent-looking man. He is said to be worth about $100,000. He lives in a handsome house that he owns on M. street. It is richly furnished. A superb piano stands in the reception-room, and a choice collection of books lines the wall of the library. Mrs. Bruce is a handsome woman, with not a suggestion of her race in her face, and whose manners are regarded as the consummation of ease, grace and courtesy. She dresses as richly and handsomely as any woman in the city. In official circles Mr. Bruce is always received with courtesy, and as a political equal, but there the line is drawn. Mr. Bruce entertains his friends handsomely, and his wife pays and receives calls from those of her select set with unvarying regard for prevailing etiquette. Another member of the social circle is John T. Cook, the Collector of Taxes for the District. He lives in excellent style and entertains handsomely. Prof. J. M. Gregory, Professor of Latin at the Howard University, and John M. Langston, the Minister to Hayti, with their families, are recognized members of the best colored society, while Dr. Charles B. Purvis' society and that of his wife are eagerly sought.

Dr. Purvis is a very busy man, being the surgeon in charge of the Freedman's Hospital, and the Professor of materia medica at the Hospital School. Nearly all of his scholars are white, Dr. A. T. Augusta and his wife also are received in the highest circle of colored society, while Dr. Augusta as a physician commands the respect of his white brethren in the profession. Mr. Henry Smith, for many years the librarian of the House of Representatives, entertains a great deal, and his wife calls in her own carriage. R. T. Greener, a member of the District bar and a graduate of Howard, and his wife, who is an accomplished musician, are much in society. The Rev. Dr. Alex. Crummel, rector of the leading colored church of the Episcopal denomination, is always welcomed. He is regarded as the most learned colored man in the District and is highly respected by the white clergy of his denomination. Of course Fred Douglass ranks as the leading colored man of the District, but he goes but little into society. He lives on his fine estate on the eastern branch of the Potomac. Douglass is worth about $[illegible]. While his wealth and ability make him easily the foremost man of his race, he is not popular. He is regarded as guilty of the same sins toward the colored men of which he accuses the whites, namely, refusal to recognize them or have personal relations with them.

Mr. M. M. Holland, who is an officer in the Post-office Department, is said to be the best classical scholar in the district, and his attainments bring him the highest social recognition of his people. Wormley, of Wormley's Hotel, is a leader of the best set on account of his wealth, reputed to be $150,000, and his relations with prominent white men. Smith Wormley, one of his sons, is a large owner of real estate here, and another son has an excellent practice as a physician.

Because of their exclusiveness, wealth, learning and prominence, this circle is not looked upon with any favor by the majority of the colored people here. The usual remark, which may perhaps be attributed so envy or to disappointed ambition, that one hears among colored people is that this exclusive set is not good enough for white society and too good for that of their own race. Fortunately, there are enough of them to make a sufficiently large circle for the social life they desire.

There is another and a much larger society here that may be designated as of the second rank. While holding no social relations with the set just mentioned, they are equally exclusive as regards those whom they hold beneath them in the social scale. This class is composed of Government clerks and of people in comfortable circumstances. There are a good many colored men in Government employ as clerks. These form the basis of the society of the second rank. Many of them own comfortable homes, and one of the finest streets in the city is occupied by them. This is Sixteenth street, between the Scott statue and the White House. It is a splendid avenue, broad, well-paved and in the heart of the most fashionable part of the city. Nearly all of these colored residents own their houses, and refuse to sell. The property is very valuable and must ultimately pass out of their possession. These people are very fond of social life, but they do not find it in entertaining, but rather in sociables, balls, picnics and especially in their churches. They are well-dressed, seem to prosper, and are happy. For the great bulk of the colored population—the servants, laborers and the poor—they have sympathy, but no more have social relations with them than a white family would. These latter in the main are thriftless, living from hand to mouth; happy if they do nothing, happy if they get a job. Their social instincts are gratified by the organization and maintenance of societies of all sorts, benevolent, patriotic, social and economic. There are nearly one hundred of these organizations, supported almost entirely by the laboring colored people.—*Washington Post.*

Reducing the Blemishes.

A sallow complexioned old lady, accompanied by a remarkably unprepossessing daughter, recently walked into a photographic gallery.

"Be you the photograff man?" she inquired, wiping her spectacles, and carefully adjusting them to the various spurs, dips, angles and sinuosities of her Corinthian nose.

"Yes, ma'am," replied the artist in plate glass and chemicals, "can I do anything for you?"

"No, I'm too far over the bay to waste any mechanical genius on me. It's my daughter, Partheny, here, that I wants tuk."

"All right, madam, will you ——"

"Can't yer soften down her complexion a little, an' tone up her nose what was broke fallin' out of a winder?"

"I think so," replied the artist.

"An' kin yer wipe off them freckles?"

"O yes."

"I've seen photograff of our relations, an' I've allers noticed that the picters flattered 'em clean out of sight. I know enough about the biz to recognize that you've got the whole thing in your own hands, an' kin turn out a perfessional beauty of the first water, just as yer please. Do you think you kin reduce those ears a trifle—jest a leetle. I know Partheny has got big ears, but still she aint no rabbit. Partheny is a generous girl, as yer kin see by her ears."

"I think there will be no difficulty ——"

"How about that air squint in the left optic? Do yer think yer can manage that?"

"O yes, I can touch it up with India ink."

"What particular pose do yer think Partheny would take best in, full face or a side show?"

"You mean quarter view or a profile?"

"I guess I do. Yer see the photograff is goin' to a young feller what put an advertisement into a newspaper for correspondents, an' Partheny's writin' to him. Now yer see how necessary it is for the picter to kinder favor her little blemishes. You'll do the fair thing by Partheny, won't yer?"

"Certainly; what size, madam, cabinet or cards?"

"Which is the biggest?"

"Cabinet."

"Guess, then, we'd better try her on a cabinet. If the photograffer does a good job, the bigger the better. What's yer figgers?"

"Twelve shillings a dozen for cabinets."

"How much for one?"

"Same price. It is the negative that costs, not the number."

"Well, all right. You just go ahead an' square them shoulders back a little, an' bring the nose down fine, an' wipe off the freckles an' straighten the eye, an' reduce the ears, an' whiten the complexion—an' the hair! It won't be red in the picter, will it?"

"O no. There will no color be shown but black."

"That's a comfort. Gracious! Partheny, what would he think of yer sent him an ol' paintin' taken from life! Kin I stay in the room?"

"O yes."

"All right. Strike an attitood, Partheny, an' we'll rope in that young man as sure as yer a foot high."—*N. Y. Star.*

At the Opera.

What is that man doing on the stage, with his mouth wide open?

He is singing, darling.

But I can't hear him.

That is because the girl at the piano is playing so loud, dearest.

But why does she play so loud?

She wants the audience to know, my precious, that she is a bigger man than the singer.

But is she playing the tune?

O no; only the accompaniment, darling.

Then she ought not to play so loud that we can't hear the singer; had she?

O yes, my sweetness; she must make all the noise she can.

Then it's no use for him to sing while she's playing.

Not much my love.

Why don't they make her play softer.

She would not do it, my treasure; she wants the people to know she's there.

Does the singer like it?

Not much, he wishes some one would tie her hands behind her.

Do the audience like it?

Not much: they wish somebody would throw the piano and the player into the river and give them a chance to hear the music.

If it were to be done, would the brave men who threw them in the river be punished?

Not at all, my angel; it would be a work of charity and mercy.—*Oil City Derrick.*

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Gentlemen.—I take pleasure in informing you that I have used Hall's Catarrh Cure. It has cured me—I was very bad—and don't hesitate to say that it will cure any case of Catarrh if taken properly. Yours truly,
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From Am. Journal of Medicine.
Dr. AB. Meserole (late of London), who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years' standing successfully cured by him. He has published a work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his wonderful cure free to any sufferer who may send their express and P. O. Address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address
Dr. AB. MESEROLE, No. 96 John St., New York.

Specialty in Farming.

The assistant in agricultural experiments in the Agricultural College at Ames, Ia., presents strong reasons why the farmers should commence to be "specialty" farmers; that is, each one should select one branch of agriculture, as wheat-raising or dairying or the breeding of one kind of stock, and bend his whole energies to its mastery in all of its details, instead of carrying on mixed husbandry that includes the raising of oats and corn and wheat and stock. He assumes that the average farmer of to-day spreads his energy over too many kinds of work to advance much in knowledge of any one. The subject of agriculture is yearly becoming broadened by science. The writer refers to workers in scientific matters; how hopeless would be the task of a scientific man who attempted to become a second Leonardo, the master of all the knowledge of his time. For a man now to accomplish anything of benefit to the world in study, he must not only take one branch of study, but a single division of that branch. Thus in farming the man can accomplish most who limits himself to work in some one small part of his great profession. For instance, instead of investing five hundred dollars in cattle, five hundred dollars in horses and five hundred dollars in swine, let him put all of his capital into the business of breeding one class of stock. Let his reading be largely on the habits of this stock and its treatment and care by the most successful breeders, and let him attend all gatherings of like breeders, where he may hear interchange of experience in his chosen work.

No doubt this is very good advice if not carried too far. It is well, indeed, to have a large number of "specialty" farmers who will rapidly improve their departments of agriculture, and thus benefit all farmers. It will do very well for those farmers in good financial circumstances, if they have a taste for one kind of work, to devote to it their entire time. In most cases where there is intelligence and energy displayed, this "specialty" farming would prove more remunerative than general farming, and besides would tend more to increase the common stock of knowledge. But a very large majority of farmers are not fitted mentally for such work; success in a special line of work requires more than ordinary ability. They have not ready means, and could not afford to have their little all "in one bottom trusted." Agriculture is so limited by the weather, by disease and by insects, that a variety of crops and different kinds of stock seem to be necessary for most farmers, so that if one is lost by a frost or a pestilence or an insect, others will be left on which the husbandman can exist.

To the average farmer then, whose bank account is not very large, this advice to give up all but one branch of agriculture is not good. He must continue to have his different crops, his cattle and his hogs and his sheep. And, indeed, such a system is best for maintaining the soil's fertility, for the richest soil will become worthless by long-continued use in the bearing of one plant. "Mixed husbandry" is essential to the best agriculture of which any country is capable, and it presents a problem a broad one, indeed, compared to the improvement of one breed of cattle that should be solved: It is the rotation of crops best calculated to sustain the fertility of the land, and the relative amount of stock per acre that can be profitably kept on a farm.—*Lansing Republican.*

Conservative Turkeys.

Turkeys share with geese the curious conservatism that prevents them taking new shapes to please poultry fanciers. The ordinary fowls never hesitate at any absurdity, and there is nothing a breeder could ask a pigeon that it would not do. But geese and turkeys refuse to become anything save what they were. They will grow as large as you please, for they like that. Feeding is agreeable to them. But they will not turn trumpeter or tumbler, nun or capuchin. It is no use trying to develop "variations under domestication." They prefer to stay as they are, and politely but firmly decline to be anything else. This may seem, of course, a want of courtesy, or be construed into a lack of originality. But it is just as well after all in this world of change that something should remain as it always was. The geese on the Egyptian sculptures are one of the few representations that even the meanest capacity can comprehend. The turkey is one of the few birds that can be directly referred back to its primitive type. Wilence p. where this admirable fowl, so handsome in person and so excellent at table, came within the sphere of poultry-yard history does not record but its name in various languages betrays suggestions of such differing and such distant sources that it would seem as if from the first its origin had been a puzzle. Yet no one who has ever seen a turkey in a farm-yard could set eyes upon a wild one and fail to recognize it. The latter may be a trifle taller, and the coloring be, perhaps, less decided, but there is no possible room for doubt as to species. Yet, with an acquiescence in civilized tastes that can not be too highly commended, the tame bird has been careful to lose the coarseness of flavor of its wild congener, and with much consideration has exchanged the vulture leg-bones of its primitive ancestor for delicate shanks, replacing muscle and sinew with fat, and padding its breast with an amplitude of good meat. These changes act upon the bird precisely as broadcloth and boots act upon the savage caught fresh with all his paint and tattoo. They elevate his moral tone, and give him personal consequence. He moves about as if of importance, acquires the civilized sense of property, begins to possess and assert rights, inaugurates social conventionalities and etiquette. The better he is treated the better he becomes, more self-respectful and fatter.—*London Telegraph.*

The *American Agriculturist* truly says that in enumerating the crops of the country it should be borne in mind that the boys and girls are the most important. A failure in the grain crops may be remedied by succeeding harvests, but the future prosperity of the country depends on the character of the sons and daughters of American farmers.

A MODERN RESURRECTION.

A Miracle that Took Place in our Midst Unknown to the Public—The Details in Full.

Detroit Free Press.

One of the most remarkable occurrences ever given to the public, which took place here in our midst, has just come to our knowledge and will undoubtedly awaken as much surprise and attract as great attention as it has already in newspaper circles. The facts are briefly as follows. Mr. William A. Crombie, a young man formerly residing at Birmingham, a suburb of Detroit, and now living at 287 Michigan Avenue in this city, can truthfully say that he has looked into the future world and yet returned to this. A representative of this paper has interviewed him upon this important subject and his experiences are given to the public for the first time. He said:

"I had been having most peculiar sensations for a long while. My head felt dull and heavy; my eye-sight did not seem so clear as formerly; my appetite was uncertain and I was unaccountably tired. It was an effort to arise in the morning and yet I could not sleep at night. My mouth tasted badly, I had a faint all-gone sensation in the pit of my stomach that food did not satisfy, while my hands and feet felt cold and clammy. I was nervous and irritable, and lost all enthusiasm. At times my head would seem to whirl and my heart palpitated terribly. I had no energy, no ambition, and I seemed indifferent of the present and thoughtless for the future. I tried to shake the feeling off and persuade myself it was simply a cold or a little malaria. But it would not go. I was determined not to give up, and so time passed along and all the while I was getting worse. It was about this time that I noticed that I had began to bloat fearfully. My limbs were swollen so that by pressing my fingers upon them deep depressions would be made. My face also began to enlarge and continued to until I could scarcely see out of my eyes. One of my friends, describing my appearance at that time, said: "It is an animated something, but I should like to know what." In this condition I passed several weeks of the greatest agony."

"Finally, one Saturday night, the misery cultimated. Nature could endure no more. I became irrational and apparently insensible. Cold sweat gathered on my forehead; my eyes became glazed and my throat rattled. I seemed to be in another sphere and with other surroundings. I knew nothing of what had occurred around me, although I have since learned it was considered as death by those who who stood by. It was to me a quiet state, yet one of great agony. I was helpless, hopeless and pain was my only companion. I remember trying to see what was beyond me, but the mist before my eyes was too great. I tried to reason, but I had lost all power. I felt that it was death, and realized how terrible it was. At last the strain upon my mind gave way and all was a blank. How long this continued I do not know, but at last I realized the presence of friends and recognized my mother. I then thought it was earth, but was not certain. I gradually regained consciousness, however, and the pain lessened. I found that my friends had during my unconsciousness, been giving me a preparation I had never taken before, and the next day, under the influence of this treatment, the bloating began to disappear and from that time on I steadily improved, until to-day I am as well as ever before in my life, have no traces of the terrible acute Bright's disease, which so nearly killed me, and all through the wonderful instrumentality of Warner's Safe Cure, the remedy that brought me to life, after I was virtually in another world."

"You have had an unusual experience, Mr. Crombie," said the writer who had been breathlessly listening to the recital.

"Yes, I think I have," was the reply, "and it has been a valuable lesson to me. I am certain, though, there are thousands of men and women at this very moment who have the same ailment which came so near killing me, and do not know it. I believe kidney disease is the most deceptive trouble in the world. It comes like a thief in the night. It has no certain symptoms, but seems to attack each one differently. It is quiet, treacherous, and all the more dangerous. It is killing more people to-day than any other one complaint. If I had the power I would warn the entire world against it and urge them to remove it from the system before it is too late."

One of the members of the firm of Whitehead & Mitchell, proprietors of the Birmingham Eccentric, paid a fraternal visit to this office yesterday, and in the course of conversation Mr. Crombie's name was mentioned.

"I knew about his sickness" said the editor, "and his remarkable recovery. I had his obituary all in type and announced in the Eccentric that he could not live until its next issue. It was certainly a most wonderful case."

Rev. A. R. Bartlett, formerly pastor of the M. E. church, at Birmingham, and now of Schoolcraft, Mich., in response to a telegram, replied:

Mr. W. A. Crombie, was a member of my congregation at the time of his sickness. The prayers of the church were requested for him on two different occasions. I was with him the day he was reported by his physicians as dying, and consider his recovery almost a miracle."

Not one person in a million ever comes so near death as did Mr. Crombie and then recover, but the men and women who are drifting toward the same end, are legion. To note the slightest symptoms, to realize their significance and to meet them in time by the remedy which has been shown to be most efficient, is a duty from which there can be no escape. They are fortunate who do this; they are on the sure road to death who neglect it.

The life of a true Christian is like a beautiful river; it flows on in a steady, even course; the storms of life may ruffle its surface, but the deep undercurrent moves on undisturbed.

"When worthy men fall out, only one of them may be faulty at first, but if strife continue long, commonly both become guilty."

After the Sunday Dinner.

After the Sunday dinner, what? Well, it all depends. A person whose brain is wearied with intellectual work during the week, or whose nervous system is exposed to the strain of business or professional life, ought to sleep within an hour or so after his Sunday dinner, if he can. It is surprising how much like a seven-day clock the brain will work if the habit of a Sunday nap be once formed. Nature will take advantage of it as regularly and gratefully as she does of the nightly sleep, and do her best to make up lost time. People on the other hand, whose week of toil is chiefly physical, may well give their minds activity while their bodies are resting. Two sermons and three or four hours of solid reading are a real rest to some on Sunday, while to others such a course amounts to a positive Sabbath-breaking. Sunday is a day of rest, not a day of work, religious or otherwise. It is a day of repose, not for exhaustion. But what the dogmatists on one side and the liberal liberals on the other are apt to overlook is the fact that all men do not rest alike any more than they labor alike, and what may help one may kill another.

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We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a Female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflamation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhœa, besides many weaknesses springing from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Prices $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

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J. S. Peavey, Pub. Republican.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

ESTATE of Asa Russell, deceased. The undersigned, appointed by the Probate Court of Lenawee County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust claims against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that they will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1884; also, that six months from the 21st day of December, 1883, has been allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

ALBERT HYDE,
EDGAR A. THIBOU,
jan10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of H. Brewer & Co., in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of March, 1884, and on the 18th day of July, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January, 23, 1884.

ALFRED D. HALL,
JAMES W. BROWN,
jan24 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF ALVAH CODDINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvah Coddington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ansel P. Coddington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that he has paid or tendered payment of all legacies bequeathed in and by said will except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance, of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the residuary legates named in said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan31

ESTATE OF HIRAM REYNOLDS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Reynolds, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin F. Reynolds and Charles A. Pawson, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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HERALD OFFICE.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323), and no suit or proceedings at law, or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, i.e.: All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), lying north of the center of the Baxter ditch (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp Raisin drain (so called). All in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D. 1884.

OSCAR F. BILLS,
jan24 Executor.

ESTATE OF ISAAC ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Fisher, one of the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that said executors have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their first account and for such further order as may be necessary to the proper administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan24

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH NORCROSS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, the 12th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jacob G. Roberts, praying for the probate of an instrument, now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, one of the executors named in said will, Michael A. Patterson and Peter R. Adams also named executors in said will having departed this life.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday the 11th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan17

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit in Chancery, at a session held in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Cappie A. Wyand, complainant, vs. John M. Wyand, defendant.

Before Hon. Andrew Howell, Circuit Judge of said circuit. At the city of Adrian, in said county, this 2d day of January, A. D. 1884. It satisfactorily appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant, John M. Wyand, resides in the state of Illinois.

On motion of Frank R. Payne, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that said defendant appear in this cause within four months from the date of this order, or in default thereof, that the bill of complaint in this cause be taken as confessed by him.

It is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof, said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper published in said county for six successive weeks, once in each week, or that a copy of this order be personally served on said defendant, at least twenty days before the time herein fixed for his appearance.

ANDREW HOWELL,
Circuit Judge.
FRANK R. PAYNE,
Complainant's Solicitor. jan19

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

ESTATE of LeRoy Mead, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the Probate Court of Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1884, empowering and licensing me thereto, I, as the administrator of the estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased, will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on the first day of March, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Macon, aforesaid, all the interest, title and estate, of which said deceased died seized in that parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and described as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town five, south of range five east, containing forty acres more or less, subject to the dower of Josephine Mead, widow of deceased therein. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

CYRUS MEAD,
jan10 Administrator.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of Wm. H. Atner's, Ridgeway, on February 16th, 1884, and June 20th, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 21st day of December, 1883, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Jan. 8, 1884.

EDGAR C. VAN VLECK,
RICHARD CADMUS,
jan10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John F. Schreier, late of the town of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet, for that purpose at the office of William H. Atner, in the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 15th, 1884.

MILO B. DAVIDSON,
COONROD L. LOWE,
jan17 Commissioners.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 7, 1884.

The marriage of Fred Douglass to a white woman is an illustration of the old adage. The biggest of all fools is an old fool.

The bill for the relief of Fitz John Porter passed the House last week by the decisive vote of 184 to 78. With this starter the bill will undoubtedly pass the Senate and become a law.

Hon. Thos. F. Moore, chairman of the county prohibition committee, is delivering prohibition speeches in various parts of the county. All of the required stock for the proposed prohibition paper has been taken.

We clip the following item from the New York World of last Saturday.

In the action of William C. Fitzsimmons against Guillermo Nanne and the Central Pacific Railway, to recover commissions as an expert, Judge Wallace, of the United States Circuit Court, yesterday decided in favor of the defendant.

Chicago News. "What," asked a politician in the Riggs house to-night, "would you think of such an outfit as this? For the democrats, say, Hancock and McDonald, the ticket which would have been nominated at Cincinnati four years ago but for the sturdy integrity of Joe McDonald, who refused to even seem to betray Hendricks; for the Republicans, Arthur and Gresham; for the independent, anti-monopoly, go as you please party, Ben Butler and Carter Harrison, and for the prohibitionists, Senator Blair and Gov. St. John. Would that bring all the people out to see the show. And yet, let me tell you, these are possibilities which are rapidly developing into probabilities."

Detroit Evening News. A firm at Marysville, Mich., has bought Stag Island, in the St. Clair river, and is shipping gravel therefrom for road making purposes. As Stag Island is in Canadian waters, the attention of Senators Palmer and Conger is respectfully called to the case. The United States can furnish plenty of gravel, and a duty of about 40 per cent should at once be levied on gravel. The same policy prevails in the matter of salt, limestone, and scores of other things found, grown or made in Canada. Why not in the case of gravel, sand, etc? These Marysville men should not be allowed to ruin the American gravel trade or enrich themselves with impunity.

Adrian Times. If Fitz John Porter is restored to his old position in the regular army, as it seems likely now he will be, he will owe his restoration to the votes of men who were fighting to destroy the union when he, holding a command in the union army, was refusing to fight because he was disloyal to his superior officer.

True. And he will also owe his restoration to the votes and assistance of Gen. Slocum and a score of other Union soldiers who risked their lives to uphold the Union. It is a significant fact that both the Union and Confederate brigadiers in congress almost without an exception are in favor of doing justice to Fitz John Porter. Men who belonged to the fire in the rear brigade at the opening of the war are now terribly shocked at the prospect of Porter's restoration.

The bloody shirt debate in the Senate had the wind taken out of its sails by the failure of the Democrats to offer any opposition. Sherman and Mahone led off with violent speeches, but as the New York World says, "the creaking of their own wheels was all the sound they heard." Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, had rehearsed his speech four times at his private boarding house. Senator Frye, of Maine, had a sky scraper ready.—Conger, of Michigan, intended to pose as Zach Chandler had done, and frighten the Democratic wolves.—Every Senator on the Republican side had on a statuesque double-breasted black frock coat. Fresh from the hands of their barbers, they looked as if they appreciated the fact that the eyes of the galleries were upon them. Hoar cast a look of agony at the mass of manuscript on his desk not seeming to note the look of amusement upon Ingall's face. Frye looked as if he had lost his best friend. The melancholy glances of various Senators to the galleries, where their special friends and admirers were sitting, so amused Dan Voorhees that he almost laughed outright."

DOWN TO DEATH.

Horrible Accident on the Indianapolis & Chicago Air Line Railroad,

Caused by the Giving Away of a Bridge—Six Persons Killed and Several Injured—Heartrending Scenes at the Wreck.

LIST OF THE KILLED AND INJURED.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 31.—The south bound accommodation train on the Indianapolis & Chicago Air Line, due here at 10:30 yesterday morning, met with a terrible accident when seven miles from this city at Broad Ripple. At that point the railway crosses the White River on a truss bridge of two spans, each 100 feet in length. The engineer had gone to the baggage car for a drink of water, and the locomotive was in charge of the fireman. When the locomotive reached the center of the bridge the fireman felt the structure sinking. He had a hand on the throttle which he opened, giving the locomotive all the available steam. The engine sprang forward with great force, breaking the couplings between the tender and baggage car.

The locomotive kept the track, but the baggage and smoking cars and another coach dropped through and were piled up in a mass at the foot of the piers, the smoking car being partially telescoped on the baggage car.

The wreck was partially submerged, but the portion above water immediately took fire from the stoves. The firemen state that when he looked back, after the locomotive reached the south end of the bridge the cars were on fire and smoke was obscuring the scene.

News of the wreck reached this city in a short time, and a wrecking train with surgeons and other assistance was at once made up and sent to Broad Ripple. On reaching the wreck a chaotic scene was presented. The bridge and cars were yet burning, and those present were so lacking in presence of mind as to be unable to extinguish the flames or afford any relief to the sufferers.

The officials of the road went to work vigorously and systematically, and in a short time the fire was extinguished and the search for the bodies begun. Six persons were either killed outright or burned to death. The remains recovered were burned and charred almost beyond recognition being horribly mutilated and the only means of identification was the finding of incontrovertible trinkets known to be the property of the dead men. The following is a list of the dead:

John Brewer, Lafayette, Ind., engineer.

J. E. Ricketts, baggage-master, New Albany.

George Lowry, brakeman, Buena Vista, Ind.

Thomas Parr, bridge foreman, Indianapolis.

Abel T. Smith, American Express messenger, Indianapolis.

The only passenger killed was John Bray, a stock dealer, residing at Deming.

Ex-Sheriff Seman, of Noblesville, had his right arm broken, and was injured badly about the head and body.

Lynn Clark, of Westfield, Ind., was injured internally and will die. The others injured are:

Joseph Claybaugh, Frankfort, cut on the head.

A. T. Peddigo, Frankfort, body bruises.

W. P. Howk, Westfield, head badly cut.

W. T. Sweeny, Carmel, skull fractured.

Mrs. Sullivan and babe, Carmel, slightly hurt.

B. Snyder, Tipton, slightly injured.

A gang of workmen had been making repairs on the bridge, all of whom were slightly injured. The two passengers seriously hurt, Seman and Clark, were left at the Broad Ripple and the others were brought to this city. The accident is now attributed to defective threads on the supporting rod of the bridge, the nuts on the ends of the rods fitting so loosely that the bridge was unable to support the weight of the train.

The scenes at the wreck were extremely distressing. The dead were in the ruins of the smoking and baggage cars, and these one on top of the other, were in deep water. A skiff was used for ferrying to land the remains of the dead. B. J. White was working under the bridge when the train went over, and says he thinks the rods pulled through the nuts, letting the bridge down. To all appearances one break occurred within fifteen feet of the pier and another about midway of the span.

White's escape was truly marvelous. Standing on the ice the falling bridge and cars struck him on the head, drove him through the ice down to the very bottom of the river. The timbers did not rest upon him however, and he swam out, more dead than alive, covered with bruises, but able to walk.

The new-boy on the train says he could have extinguished the fire with one bucket of water but it was not to be had. C. C. Loder and J. B. Horton were in the smoking car. At one end lay a man with skull crushed and life extinct; across him, close to a red-hot stove, lay Lynn Clark, a heavy timber binding one leg immovable. Loder tried to find the ax with which each car is provided, but it was on the other side of the car in three feet of water.

"For God's sake don't desert me," cried Clark. "We did not desert him," said Loder, "until the flames scorched us and we were almost suffocated with smoke. Before leaving I kicked out a window near Clark and left him in agony. Presently the flames burned the timber in two and he fell by Clark, and he crawled out of the window which we had broken for him."

"Within five minutes after the train went down," said Conductor Losey, "the entire wreck was wrapped in flames. In less time than that all who had not escaped already were drowned. Frightful screams came from the ruins near the pier, but with two buckets and no boat we were powerless, and all that we could do was to close our ears and pray for death to relieve our comrades."

A patch of gray beard led to the identification of John Bray. A train order in a vest pocket led to the belief that a handful of bones, to which were hanging a few shreds of roasted flesh, were the remains of Engineer Brewer. A button, a half inch of suspender or undergarment led to the identification of the others.

It is believed that all the killed have been recovered except Thomas Parr, who was supposed to be at the bottom of the river. The bridge and train were entirely destroyed.

THE MORMON QUESTION.

Provisions of Senator Hoar's Anti-Polygamy Bill Reported in the Senate From the Committee on Judiciary.

PROVISIONS OF THE BILL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Senator Hoar reported to-day from the Committee on Judiciary an anti-polygamy bill which embraces the principal features of the Edmunds bill introduced the present session, and adds other provisions originating with the committee, as follows:

The first section provides that in any prosecution for bigamy, polygamy, or unlawful cohabitation under any statute of the United States, a lawful husband or wife of person so accused, shall be a competent witness, and may be called and compelled to testify in such prosecution.

The second section provides that in any such prosecution, an attachment may be issued for any witness, and his or her immediate attendance compelled, without previous subpoena, when it is reasonable ground for believing he or she will unlawfully fail to obey the subpoena issued in the usual course.

The third section provides that a prosecution for bigamy, polygamy, or unlawful cohabitation may be commenced at any time within five years after the commission of the offense; this provision, however, not to apply to any offense already barred by existing limitation.

Section 4 provides for the certification of marriage in Territories, and penalties for the violation of its provisions.

Section 5 provides that records of marriage or anything in the nature of a marriage ceremony of any kind made or kept by any officer clergyman, priest, or person performing any civil or ecclesiastical functions, whether lawful or not, in any Territory of the United States, shall be subject to inspection at all reasonable times by any judge, magistrate or officer of justice appointed under the authority of the United States, under the penalty of a fine not to exceed $1,000 and imprisonment not to exceed two years, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 7 provides for the amendment of all laws providing for or allowing registration or voting by females in the Territory of Utah, and makes it unlawful for any female to vote at any election hereafter held in the Territory of Utah for any public purpose whatever.

Sections 8, 9 and 10 provide for the amendment of all laws in the Territory of Utah which provide for the identification of voters at elections, and for the recognition of the capacity of illegitimate children to inherit, and which confer jurisdiction on probate courts, except in respect to deceased persons and the guardianship of infants and insane persons.

Section 11 provides for the amendment of all laws which provide that prosecution for adultery can only be commenced by the complaint of the husband or wife. It also provides that such prosecutions may hereafter be instituted in the same way as prosecutions for other crimes.

Section 12 provides that all laws incorporating, continuing, or providing for the incorporation known as the Mormon Church, as far as the same may preclude the appointment of certain trustees of said corporation as hereinafter provided, shall be annulled. It also directs the President, with the consent of the Senate, to appoint fourteen trustees, who shall exercise the functions prescribed for trustees of such corporation, and shall hold office two years, and shall report annually to the Secretary of the Interior as to property, business affairs and operations of said corporation.

Section 13 provides that it shall be the duty of the Attorney General of the United States to institute and prosecute proceedings to forfeit and escheat to the United States the property of corporations obtained or held in violation of section three of an act of Congress approved July 1, 1862. All property so forfeited to be disposed of by the Secretary of the Interior, and the proceeds applied to the use and benefit of the common schools in the territory in which such property may be.

Section 15 provides for the amendment of all laws creating or continuing the association called the Perpetual Emigration Fund Company.

Section 16 directs the Attorney General of the United States to take steps to dissolve that corporation, and provides that the assets in debts shall escheat to the United States and be invested by the Secretary of the Interior for the benefit of the common schools of Utah.

Section 17 provides for the abolishment of existing election districts and apportionments of the representation concerning members of the Legislative assembly of the Territory of Utah, and it shall be the duty of the Governor, Territorial Secretary and United States Judges of said Territories to district the Territory and apportion representation so as to secure equal representation of citizens of the United States according to numbers in said legislative assembly, such establishment of districts and representation to continue until Congress shall otherwise provide.

Section 18 provides that all registration and election offices of every description in the Territory of Utah shall, upon enactment of this bill into a law, be declared vacant; and that all duties relating to the registration of voters, conduct of elections, the receiving or rejection of votes, the canvassing and returning of the same, and issuing certificates or other evidence of election in said Territory shall for the present be performed under the existing laws of the Territory and United States, by persons who shall be selected to perform that duty, by a board specially provided for by this bill. It provides that this board shall consist of five persons, to be appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate, not more than three of them to be members of one political party, and each to receive a salary of $3,000 per annum; that this board shall continue in office until the legislative assembly of the Territory shall make provision for filling the registration and election offices in the Territory, and that the Secretary of the Treasury shall be the secretary of the board, and keep journal proceedings and attest its action. It provides for the canvass of all returns of elections by this board, and the issuance by it of all certificates of election to members of the Assembly, such certificates to be the only evidence of the right of such persons to sit in such assembly. It provides, however, that the board shall not exclude from the polls or refuse to count the vote of any person otherwise eligible to vote on account of any opinion such person may entertain on the subject of bigamy or polygamy.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—A singular case was reported to-day from the Senate Committee on Claims. It was on the bill for the relief of Eliza H. Powers, of Patterson, N. J. During the war she was engaged in caring for sick and wounded soldiers in various hospitals and not only devoted her time without compensation, but gave largely of her means for the relief of the sufferers. She is now old and an invalid. She has met with financial reverses and is in a needy condition. This bill provides for the payment to her of $2,500 to reimburse her for her expenditures in behalf of the Union cause. The Senate committee reported favorably on the bill.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Feb. 5, 1884:

Armour, Mr. H.	Johnson, Henry
Boush, Sarah	Kerr, Robert
Darling, John M.	Smith, Jennie
Fury, John	Smythe, John
Ferrell, Adelia	Silver, Bina
Hamilton, C. S.	Webster, Mrs. C. A.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Feb. 1, 1884.

Atwell, Mrs. Mary	Hoage, Stephen
Christ, Sam	Jacobs, Thos. J.
Cuppa, Hattie	Farley, Andrew
Dunn, Simeon	Russell, A.
Finch, Ralph	Sullin, Thomas
Gleason, C. W.	Whitinson, Miss Kate

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

PETER SHARP, P. M.

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Apples, dried, ₩ ℔	7	@	08
Butter, ₩ ℔	18	@	20
Barley, ₩ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 25	@	1 75
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	25	@	30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56	@	57
Clover Seed	5 50	@	6 00
Cracker	5½	@	6½
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	22
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay ₩ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	10
Oats, ₩ bushel	28	@	32
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25	@	35
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 50
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord		@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel		@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel		@	1 00

ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Henry Smith, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3rd day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. Bridges, Probate Register. feb7

ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Joseph Lanning, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the creditors of said deceased, or other persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN GLENN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, the 26 day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Glenn, late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Newton L. Bigelow, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, and all legacies, except residuary legacies, and the expenses of administration have been paid, and praying for the allowance of his final account and for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, remaining in his hands, to the persons entitled thereto in accordance with the provisions of the will of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the store of E. W. Freese, Clinton on July 14th 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and that six months from the 14th day of January, 1884 have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Feb. 6, 1884.

EDWIN W. FREESE,
JOSEPH S. KIES,
Commissioners.

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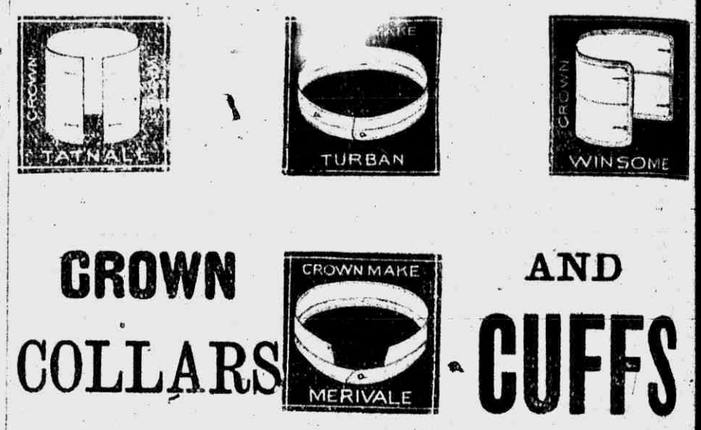

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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—A good comfortable residence, large lot with good well and cistern. Convenient to business. For sale cheap for cash. Enquire of CHAS. BURRIDGE.

Dated Feb. 7, 1884.

SEED CORN.—I have about 100 bu. of Early of Learning seed corn, which I will sell to parties in need near Tecumseh at $2.00 per bushel of shelled corn on trial. A sample of the corn can be seen at the HERALD office, where orders will be taken for the same, or write for particulars to G. F. Hill, Berlin Heights, Ohio.

TO RENT.—After April 1st next, the store on Chicago st. heretofore occupied by C. H. Hopkins as a photograph gallery. Enquire of JAMES MONTAGUE.

HAY FOR SALE. Orders by C. T. line will receive prompt attention. W. B. KEYSER.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power," which mills (both grist and paper) were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a never failing body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat growing sections in Michigan thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms, easy. For particulars address HENRY SMITH, TECUMSEH, Mich. Prop. of Tecumseh Paper Mills. Or Conrad Leahn, Manchester, Mich.

FARM FOR SALE.—Eighty acres, all improved, splendid brick house and good barns, only two miles from Tecumseh. Will be sold at a bargain, if taken before the 1st of April. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

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FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JANUARY 13, 1884.

GOING WEST. Passenger.	GOING WEST. Mixed.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	GOING EAST. Mixed.
10 10AM	6 15AM	Lv..Toledo..Ar	3 05PM	7 45PM
10 02 "	7 45 "	....Dundee....	2 05 "	6 00 "
9 25 "	8 28 "	....Britton....	1 38 "	5 06 "
9 29 "	8 37 "	....Ridgeway....	1 33 "	4 57 "
9 39 "	8 56 "	....Tecumseh..	1 23 "	4 38 "
9 55 "	9 25 "	....Tipton....	1 06 "	4 08 "
10 09PM	9 50 "	..Cambridge..	12 50 "	3 43 "
10 30 "	10 33 "	....Addison....	12 30 "	3 00 "
10 54 "	11 06 "	....Jerome....	12 07 "	2 27 "
11 01 "	11 20 "	....Moscow....	11 58AM	2 13 "
11 12 "	11 45 "	....Hanover....	11 45 "	1 48 "
11 22 "	12 06PM	....Pulaski....	11 33 "	1 23 "
11 46 "	12 39 "	....Homer....	11 10 "	12 39PM
11 54 "	1 42 "	....Marshall....	10 39 "	11 26AM
12 28 "	2 05 "	....Ceresco....	10 25 "	11 02 "
12 50 "	2 50 "	Battle Creek.	10 06 "	10 20 "
1 19 "	3 40 "	....Augusta....	9 35 "	9 35 "
1 32 "	4 52 "	....Yorkville....	9 22 "	9 18 "
1 39 "	4 00 "	....Richland....	9 19 "	8 55 "
1 54 "	5 22 "	....Montcalm....	8 40 "	7 43 "
2 24 "	5 39 "	....Fisk....	8 30 "	7 23 "
2 31 "	5 51 "	....Kellogg....	8 23 "	7 13 "
2 47 "	6 15 "	Ar.Allegan.Lv	8 10AM	6 50AM

TRAIN CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo—With all Railroads diverging. At Dundee—With T., A. A. & G. T. At Britton—With Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific. At Tecumseh—With L. S. & M. S. At Jerome—With L. S. & M. S. At Hanover—With L. S. & M. S. At Homer—With L. S. & M. S. (Lansing Division), and Air Line Division of the Mich. Central. At Marshall—With M. C. R. R. At Battle Creek—With Chicago & Grand Trunk and M. C. R. R. At Augusta—With Grand Rapids & Indiana. At Allegan—With Chicago & West Mich. and L. S. & M. S.

All Trains daily except Sunday.

LUTHER ALLEN, Genl. Pass. Agent.

Miss Lizzie Hayden, went to Buffalo last week for a few days' visit, and she expects to start this week for Spain.

Mr. Dr. Hyndman, of Tompkins Center, Jackson Co., has been spending a few days with friends in Brooklyn and Tecumseh.

Col. Dewitt Foster of Mexico has been spending a few days with his friends Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Clark of this village. The Colonel says that the Mexican Republic is developing wonderfully since their railroad system got in operation.

Jackson was all excitement again Tuesday over a murderer committing suicide at the old Crouch homestead Monday morning. A man named James Foy, who had been employed at the Crouch farm for several months, went to Union City on Monday, and while there shot a well known citizen named Shuler. Foy declared he would not be taken by the officers, and would kill himself before he would go to the penitentiary. He killed himself about five minutes before the officers arrived at the Crouch homestead. The people were greatly excited over the affair.

THE COMMERCIAL TELEGRAPH CO.

The annual meeting of the above Co. was held Monday evening at the office of the Prest. Dr. R. B. House. From the various reports read we gather the following facts. Length of line nine miles, number of instruments seventeen. Rates to those who own no stock, one cent per word, but no message less than ten cents. For a conversation twenty five cents.

O. P. Bills and Abner Wilson were elected directors for three years.

The following is the list of officers for the ensuing year:

President—R. B. House.
Vice President—O. P. Bills.
Treasurer—W. B. Keyser.
Secretary—L. G. North.
Manager—R. J. W. Bowen.

More line will be built at no distant date. The Company keeps clear of debt and is well pleased with its future prospects. Its stocks now consist of 47 shares sold at $10.00 each; of which sixteen have been sold during the past year. On account of the weather, but few were present at the meeting, but the business of the evening was quickly and harmoniously disposed of.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 7, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

"Driven from Home."

This is bad weather for colds.

Brooklyn had a successful calico hop last week.

Bob Burdette will lecture in Clinton on the 21st inst.

The McGibeny Family, at the Opera House on Feb. 22d.

The people of Toledo are in great fear of another flood.

Thanks to John R. Clark for a batch of Bradford, Penn., papers.

It is likely that the Seneca postoffice will soon be re-established.

The Clinton leap year hop will take place next Monday evening, Feb. 11.

Rev. T. G. Colton, the Congregational minister at Hudson has resigned.

Frank Snedecor, of Dundee, gave his Tecumseh friends a call last Tuesday.

Mr. E. Hand spent last Sunday visiting his son "Ell" on his farm near Deerfield.

Morenci has another touch of the scarlet fever epidemic. Five cases are reported.

George Chapel and wife of Howell, have been visiting his sister Mrs. W. N. Snedecor.

Miss Libbie Helm last Saturday started for Hillsdale to visit her many friends there.

Spanish Students at Adrian to-morrow night. Good crowd going from here, and night train will be held.

The Dayton Hedge Co., it is said, has sold over one hundred miles of hedge in Lenawee county.

Dr. Woodward has returned from his western trip, much improved in health, and again ready for business.

Bishop Harris will visit the Clinton church on the first Sunday in Lent, March 2d, for the purpose of administering the rite of confirmation.

By the new ruling of the postoffice department, labels, patterns, photographs, playing cards, visiting cards, address tags, paper sacks, wrapping paper with printed advertisements thereon, bill heads, letter heads, envelopes, and other matters of the same general character, the printing upon which is not designed to instruct, amuse, cultivate the mind or taste or impart general information are rated as fourth class; postage, one cent per ounce.

Two serious accidents happened in the village Monday afternoon. Mrs. L. E. Montgomery fell upon the ice and broke her left arm just above the wrist, and Mrs. R. Ford, had a similar fall breaking her left wrist in almost exactly the same place. The fractures are not considered dangerous, but they will subject the victims to forced rest and considerable inconvience for several weeks. It is a wonder more accidents didn't happen during the ice storm.

Deerfield Record: Greatly exaggerated accounts of the catastrophe at the M. E. church, last Sunday have appeared in a number of papers, which we wish to correct. The facts are that the breaking of the rotton joist allowed the floor to sink, and in no place did the floor go down more than one foot. The only danger possible, was that which might have resulted from a stampede, and all danger in that direction was averted by the coolness of Marshall Stansbury.

E. H. Barrows loaded his photograph car on bob-sleighs one day last week and started for Milan. While passing over a rough piece of road just this side of that place, one bob slid into a ditch and upset the car.—The fire in the coal stove escaped, setting fire to the chemicals, and the entire car was consumed in less than ten minutes. Nothing was saved except the suit of clothes he had on.—His Tecumseh friends made up a purse for him to help him get a new start.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mills, of Franklin, were the central figures of a pleasant surprise. About 60 of his friends and neighbors hearing with regret of his intentions of selling out and moving away took it into their heads to call upon him, which they did in an impromptu manner just as he and his wife were seated at the supper table. It is needless to say that everybody enjoyed themselves hugely. They all wish Leroy and his wife many years of prosperity.

The following is the program of exercises for the open meeting of Macon Grange, Friday, Feb. 15, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. E. W. Borden.
Song—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Rec.—Miss Emma Bailey.
Select Reading—Mrs. W. R. Wilson.
Essay—Dr. Geo. Howell.
Song—Frank Aten.
Rec.—Miss Jennie Osgood.
Select Read.—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Inst. Music—Miss Belle Barlow.
Essay—Miss Nelia Russell.

Admission ten cents, refreshments free. If time will permit the question of establishing a creamery or cheese factory will be discussed. All are invited.

"Driven from Home," Thursday and Friday evenings of next week.

Last Saturday was a lively day in Tecumseh; and business was booming.

Mr. E. H. Barrows desires to return his thanks to his Tecumseh friends for the sympathy they extended to him in such a very substantial manner.

The Monroe Democrat says: "Petersburg has a woman beater who is such a desirable customer for the justices that they give him reduced rates in the way of fines."

The barn of W. J. Hampton in the town of Franklin, was destroyed by fire last Tuesday morning. The loss is estimated at $1,500, on which there is an insurance of $1,100.

A large number were baptized at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. The meetings continue during the present week on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Wm. Hayden's Milan stave mill is run to its utmost capacity this winter. A contract has just been closed with a New York firm for sixty car loads of staves and thirty car loads of heading.

The new time schedule of the M. & O. will be found in this week's HERALD. Business is increasing in both the freight and passenger departments and new stations are opened every week.

This libelous item appears in one of our exchanges: "It is claimed that the next day after the wedding the station agent at Brooklyn reported "seven wives on hand" instead of seven cars."

The new landlord of the Exchange Hotel in this village, Alex. Frandt, took possession last Monday morning. He comes well recommended, and knows how to "keep a hotel." Success to him.

There are now five presidential postoffices in Lenawee county with the salary of the postmasters as follows: Adrian, $2,400; Hudson, $2,100; Tecumseh, $1,800; Morenci, $1,100; Blissfield, $1,100.

The Gardener's Monthly for February is at hand. As a *vade mecum* for gardeners and fruit farmers it cannot be surpassed. Send for a sample copy to C. H. Marot, 814 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

A joint stock company has been formed in Jackson for the erection of a building to be called the Jackson Assembly Hall. It will have a seating capacity of 2,000, with a gallery that will seat 800.

After this date the Cambridge stage will be found at the Lilley House four days out of each week, namely, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.—Feb. 4th, 1884.

C. A. BLACKMAR.

Dan Ayres, of Brooklyn, was in town last week. He had just returned from Toledo where he went to attend a wedding party and was somewhat demoralized with high living.—A few days of Graham bread diet will restore him.

Blissfield is making a big effort to accommodate a cheese maker who proposes to take possession if they will build him a factory, furnish it with machinery and guarantee him 300 cows. He proposes to pay 10 per cent. on the investment.

James E. Carr, editor of the Dundee Reporter, gave us a call last Monday. He came down from Jackson on the morning train and halted here until the first train East on the M. & O. Brother Carr is making the best paper Dundee has ever had.

A. P. Swineford, of Marquette, and Frank M. Carroll, of Grand Rapids, have been recommended to President Arthur by Gov. Begole, for commissioner and alternate, respectively, to the world's industrial and cotton centennial exhibition at New Orleans next December.

Never take down your sign while you expect to do business, for it indicates that your business is poor and you are loosing your grip, commercially speaking. The judicious advertiser will receive ten dollars for every one invested in the columns of a live newspaper.

We see by the Grand Traverse Herald that the Michigan Flooring and Handle Manufacturing Co., of which Dr. Stewart is President, A. W. Slayton Secretary, and J. Gilchrist Trustee, has just made its annual statement. It is a stock company, $20,000 stock; $13,090 paid in, and entirely out of debt.

The written challenge of Dufur, the wrestler, directed to McLaughlin on the termination of the match at the Detroit opera house, to wrestle for $1,000 a side in Boston, New York or Detroit, has been accepted by the colonel, and the $50 forfeit money deposited with E. H. Gillman by Dufur has been duly covered.

The Heck Bros. have just placed in their mill one of the latest and most improved corn shellers and propose to do shelling for their customers. So thorough and saving does it do its work that a church mouse could not get a meal from the waste of a year.—Heck Bros. mill is kept running night and day to fill their orders and the local demand for their flour speaks volumes in its praise.

The Tecumseh paper mills were shut down a few days during the past week while the steam boilers were being repaired.

It is to be hoped that every one, high or low, rich or poor, will go and witness the beautiful and touching drama, "Driven from Home," at the Opera House on Thursday and Friday evenings of next week.

James Lowry's house, which is situated in the northeast portion of this township, was burned last Sunday night with all its contents. The loss falls heavily on Mr. Lowry who is in no situation to meet it. Luckily however, the property was insured in the Farmers' Mutual for $600, and this sum will make his loss good partially at least. The loss will undoubtedly be settled promptly.

Clinton News: A young man named Charles Fleeman, was shot at Bridgewater station last Friday. He was alone at the time and it is supposed that he was cleaning his gun when it was accidentally discharged. The jury rendered a verdict to that effect. Still, it is held by some that he committed suicide, and for that reason the German Lutheran church, of which the young man's parents are members refuse sepulture to his body within the cemetery and consequently there is much excitement over the matter in that little settlement.

Those who like to whirl in a skating rink may like to know what the Century magazine thinks of this popular amusement: "There is no finer, more manly, graceful, invigorating sport than roller-skating. It gives endless scope for personal courage, endurance, skill and taste. One can't get tired of it, for it is an art whose possibilities are boundless, and whose minute and finer developments are infinite in suplety and bewildering in their complex variety. Nowhere can our young people—young ladies and gentlemen together, meet in more hearty, natural and hearty relations than at the rink."

Stepping into the express office this morning we saw a crate with two sheep, a buck and a ewe lamb, marked Col. F. Dewitt Foster, City of Victoria, Mexico, via. Monterey, Mexico. These sheep were presented to the Colonel by W. S. Osborn, Abner and Henry Wilson. They are shipped via. T. W. & W. from Toledo to St. Louis, and from there to Larado, Texas, via. Missouri Pacific. From there they go by rail over the new Mexican Central railroad to Monterey, making a distance of 2200 miles by rail. From there they will go overland to Victoria, a distance of 300 miles. They will be presented to the President of the Republic of Mexico.

The Coldwater Republican tells how a Bronson man got an overcoat cheap and he didn't steal it either:

Last week while in Detroit, Prof. W. H. Wieand, of Bronson, stepped into Mabley's Clothing house to purchase an overcoat. He found one at $35 that just suited him, but concluded it was too much to put into a garment of that kind and chose one at $27. The money was paid, and just as he was leaving the store a cash boy requested him to step down to the cashier's desk, which he did, and the money was refunded with the explanation that they gave away every twentieth overcoat, and that he chanced to be the lucky person. The next day the Professor concluded he could afford to have the overcoat first looked at, and walking into Mabley's store inquired if they would exchange he paying the difference, to which they very kindly consented. The eight dollars was deposited, and again as he was leaving was requested to walk up to the captain's office, when the money was returned as before. He had bought the twentieth overcoat the second time. It's too cheap to wear well.

THE M. & O. ROAD.

Having occasion to make a trip to Toledo last Tuesday we took the afternoon train on the M. & O. which passes this station at 1 23 P. M. The train consists of locomotive, one baggage car and one passenger coach.—Arrived promptly on time and we were soon speeding down the road towards Toledo. Ridgeway and Britton were reached before we hardly knew it, and in forty minutes after leaving Tecumseh the train halted at Dundee. It was just one hour's ride from Dundee into Toledo. Their passenger cars are models of neatness and convenience, and the train officials seem to be picked men who are well up in their business. The trains run into the Wheeling & Lake Erie depot at Toledo, which is also used by the Baltimore & Ohio company.—We are informed that the M. & O. have a traffic arrangement with both these eastern companies which gives them an outlet for both freight and passenger business to all the principal eastern cities. They also have an arrangement with the Erie Railway and will sell tickets via. that road to New York. Over 1,000 freight cars are already distributed along the road, and other rolling stock is being added as fast as needed. It takes time, of course, to get a new railroad in running order, but the officials of the M. & O. are planting their enterprise on a firm basis, and we believe the road will become at an early day one of the most popular lines in Michigan. We had five hours' time in Toledo for business and returned on the late train via. the Lake Shore.

Hudson Gazette: A citizen of Canandaigua has sued the old woolen manufacturing company of Morenci for amount of faith he put into the concern, viz., $2,500. He prefers a judgment to a certificate of stock, of equal value.

The celebrated McGibeny family have been secured to give one of their musical entertainments at the Opera House on the evening of Feb. 22d. It is unnecessary for us to say anything commending this wonderful musical family as they are world wide known, but we annex a few press notices.

Daily Gazette, Wilmington, Dela.—The McGibeny family are the most wonderful musical combination that ever visited this city.

New Haven Palladium.—One of the most pleasing attractions ever offered in this city.

Danbury, Conn., News.—One of the best entertainments ever given in Danbury.

Buffalo Daily News.—The McGibenys are immense.

Deerfield Record: A little ripple of excitement was caused on the street Monday afternoon, by the report that a student of the high school, Miss Minnie Diver, aged nearly 14 years, and the adopted daughter of Asa Diver, had made an attempt to commit suicide by taken poison. The facts are that Miss Diver asked permission to leave the school room about two o'clock, and going down town, purchased two grains of strychnine at Wood's drug store, for the purpose, as she claimed of killing the mice which visited her desk and mutilated books, etc., but which she placed on snow and ate while returning to school.—She was discovered in the hall of the school house shortly afterwards in a week condition and unable to stand, and a doctor sent for, who proceeded to administer antidotes. She had recovered sufficiently by night to be carried home, and at last accounts was improving. No cause is assigned for the rash deed.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Feb. 1st, Club met according to adjournment and the following program was carried out:

Music.
Rec.—Ellen Fisher.
Music.
Select Reading—Mrs. F. V. Horton.
Song—Fred Hendershot.
Essay—Emma Schreder.
Music.

The Question, "What is the most economical way to fence land," was quite well discussed. It was the general opinion that the coming fence is to be largely composed of wire in some form, either as barbed wire or wire and wood combined. Nearly all were agreed that the old crooked rail fence is altogether to expensive a fence on land worth from $80 to $150 per acre.

Club adjourned to meet at Brookwell Rectors', Friday evening, Feb. 15th. Program for next meeting:

Music—Choir.
Dec.—Fred Hendershot.
Select Reading—Mary Piatt.
Inst. Music—Grant Schreder, Henry Horton.
Essay—Mrs. F. C. Rector.
Music—Choir.
Recitation—Kittie Griswold.
Question for discussion—Subject.—"The best method for destroying vermin on cattle."

Committee for next meeting—Mr. & Mrs. John Fisher and Geo. Griswold.

"DRIVEN FROM HOME."

Beers Post, 140, G. A. R., of Tecumseh, to create a fund for the relief of sick, disabled and deserving soldiers, have engaged the popular young actor and author Mr. Harry C. Chapman to produce his successful emotional society drama "Driven from Home, or High and Low Life in New York City," at the Tecumseh Opera House on the evenings of February 14th and 15th. Mr. Chapman will be supported by the best local talent of Tecumseh, we have some very good, and judging from those who have already accepted parts we can predict that Mr. Chapman will be most ably supported.

Mr. Chapman has had an experience of six years in the work of rehearsing amateur talent, during that time has established a most enviable reputation. The press of the cities where he has been engaged speak very highly of his powers, both as an actor and a coacher of amateur talent. We have good reason to believe that he will bring our talent out in a way that will not only be creditable to them and himself, but will also prove a very pleasant surprise to many.—This is the first venture of the kind for the G. A. R. and they are lending all energy to make it a commendable success. The price of admission has been judiciously placed at the popular figure 25 cents and 35 cents for reserved seats, which places it within the reach of all to assist a most laudable cause and witness a thorough presentation of an excellent play. The Battle Creek Journal in speaking of Mr. Chapman's recent engagement in that city says:

The play is an interesting one and the actors considering the fact that the most were amateurs, played their parts exceedingly well. Mr. Chapman in the leading roles of Jacob Goosengeimer and Harry Clifton, showed himself to be a character actor of rare merit possessing extraordinary powers of impersonation. Taken altogether the play produced a most favorable impression both by the superior excellence of the drama itself, and in the admirable style in which it was rendered.

Supt. Marks, of the Petoskey fish hatchery, has transferred his white fish eggs to the Detroit hatchery for safe keeping.

The wicked stood on slippery places this morning. Adrian Record of Tuesday. The wicked didn't stand on slippery places in this town that morning. A good many of them tumbled down.

The Salvation army, at Denver, recently called on Col. Bob Ingersoll, and urged him to repent ere it was too late. The Col. smoked his meerschaum, and politely promised to consider what they had said.

Adrian Press: Do you want to know who is a happy farmer? Well, its our old enthusiastic friend I. N. Phelps, of Medina. He is a bit shy and reserved, but at a farmers meeting lately he said "I was raised among Canada thistles, quack grass, yellow mustard and thundering big rocks in New York. I came west with $60, run in debt for a farm and here I am, happy as a spitz dog in a barrel of tow."

—Before you buy a Sewing Machine call at Sparks' and examine the improved White or on one or more of the many who have recently purchased them in Tecumseh and vicinity.

—Please return those pie tins to the City Bakery, and oblige

Mrs. Snedecor.

—The improved White and Domestic stand at the head. Don't fail to call and examine and compare them with other machines before purchasing. You can buy a good machine of me for $25. Old machines in good running order, $5 to $10.

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NOTICE.—Young men get married and then go to Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh. They will furnish you a house on time.

Bargains in Sewing Machines, Needles, Oil and Attachments at Brown's studio.

—Headquarters for Picture Frames, Frames made to order.

Adams' Novelty Store.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends or the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

—Bottom knocked out of prices at C. B. Pennock's cheap store next to HERALD office. These goods are going to be sold for what they will bring. Come and get prices. Six quart cans only 7 cents apiece. Boiler, with copper bottom, only $1.25, and other goods in proportion.

We call attention to our large stock of Bird Cages, just received.

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W. N. Snedecor has a lot of new sleighs. Call and see them.

Our readers should improve some of these fine days by securing their seed before the substance is gone.

—On and after January 1st, 1884, we will discount 10 per cent. from our usually taking paid within 90 days from sale.

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If you are in need of [illegible] it would be for your interest [illegible] at Pennock's, cheap corner [illegible] office.

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Notice.—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Pe[illegible] factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

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—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.

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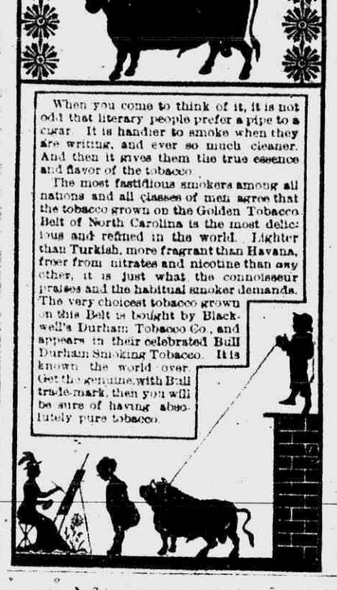

When you come to think of it, it is not odd that literary people prefer a pipe to a cigar. It is handier to smoke when they are writing, and ever so much cleaner. And then it gives them the true essence and flavor of the tobacco.

The most fastidious smokers among all nations and all classes of men agree that the tobacco grown on the Golden Tobacco Belt of North Carolina is the most delicious and refined in the world. Lighter than Turkish, more fragrant than Havana, freer from nitrates and nicotine than any other, it is just what the connoisseur praises and the habitual smoker demands. The very choicest tobacco grown on this Belt is bought by Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co., and appears in their celebrated Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco. It is known the world over. Get the genuine with Bull trade-mark, then you will be sure of having absolutely pure tobacco.

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MISHAWAKA, Ind., Dec. , 1882.

DR. PENGELLY:

Dear Sir—Overwork has done for me what it does for many. Desiring to benefit suffering women, I add my testimony to the value of **Zoa-Phora**. For five years I suffered greatly with Prolapsus, being obliged to use a supporter during all those painful, weary years, but, thanks to your medicine, I wear it no more. I laid it off after using one and a half bottles. I am not well, but I work all the time, and am better than I ever expected to be. You may use my letter, and if any one wishes to write me for more information, give them my full address. MRS. C. G.

JERSEYVILLE, Ill., April 25, 1882.

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Dear Sir—I am more than pleased with the effect of your **Zoa-Phora** in our daughter's case. I am surprised to see how she has improved. She is gaining in weight and color, and I think feels better than she ever did; her nerves are steady, and the distress in her chest is entirely gone. I firmly believe that **Zoa-Phora** is all that has saved her life. I am willing you should use my letter, for I am noway afraid to tell what a wonderful cure your medicine is. Yours respectfully,

MRS. SARAH RANDOLPH.

N. B.—This was a case of suppression.

From Mrs. John Spitler.

I have suffered for sixteen years with spasmodic pain in my head and general nervous debility. Recently I had a severe attack of pain in my head, caused by weakness and nervous exhaustion. I thought I should die. My husband said we would test **Zoa-Phora** thoroughly. He gave it to me according to directions for severe cases, and in less than two hours I had complete relief. I advise all ladies who suffer from nervous or sick headache, or any form of female weakness, to use **Zoa-Phora**. There is no medicine to compare with it.

May 15, 1882.

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The place is all in splendid condition, new house, barn, outbuildings, &c., and is one of the finest residences in Tecumseh.

A Death-bed Confession.

A gentleman, who had led an exemplary life, and against whose moral or religious character there had never been so much as a breath of suspicion, was taken very sick, and in presence of death, certain acts hitherto unconsidered came to his mind with agonizing force, resulting in the following confession of crimes, which he hoped, albeit with slender faith, might be forgiven him:

I have on two or three occasions borrowed postage stamps and failed to repay them.

I have neglected to strew ashes on my icy sidewalk, notwithstanding that I knew my neighbor was old and gouty.

I have sat in the horse-car and looked out of the front window until some other gentleman has given his seat to the feeble old lady who had entered the rear door.

I have talked in a loud voice at the theater, and even gone so far as to anticipate the action of the drama by keeping all within hearing posted in what was going to be done next.

I have looked over the shoulder of another who was writing something that was no business of mine.

I have whistled and played the devil's tattoo in the presence of a writer in the throes of composition.

I have talked about my own affairs for hours with a man who I was well aware was dying to tell me about his.

I have permitted a lady, clad in heavy furs, to keep the car window open, in my cowardice preferring to suffer from catarrh for weeks afterwards rather than insist upon the window being instantly closed.

I have allowed myself to be bored for hours by a man, when my judgment should have told me to instruct my servant that I was always out when ever this gentleman presented himself.

After working long and arduously upon an article for the press, I never failed to mention to the editor that this was something I had just dashed off.

I have several times thought my wife the most fortunate of women because she had me for a husband, and I have reflected long and earnestly upon the unhappy lot of women in general because there was not enough of me to go round.

I have persisted in reading some of my own compositions to people who I knew were suffering terribly under the infliction.

I have told a friend that I have read his book with absorbing interest, and been weak enough to return it to him without having cut open the pages.

I have tipped a waiter, in the hope that he would attend to my wants before waiting upon the gentleman at the next table, who could not afford to relieve the hotel-keeper from the hard ship of paying his servant's wages.

I have sat in the car with my ticket hidden under my thumb, that haply the conductor might pass me by unnoticed.

I have kept a man standing bare headed at his open door on a cold day, when I might just as well have gone inside and sampled his cigars.

While playing cards I have caught a glimpse of my opponent's hand, and still have failed to win; and having been given a card too many, I have foolishly cried "mis-deal" before ascertaining whether my hand was good enough to warrant me in dropping the extra card unnoticed upon the floor.

I have put a whole dime into the contribution box, when the one with a hole in it, that the shop-keeper refused to take, would have answered every purpose.

I have caused the shop-keeper to fall into mendacity by asking him if his berries were as good at the bottom as at the top.

I have rejoiced when my friends told me that my children were the perfect image of me, notwithstanding my mirror ought to have reminded me that I should be sad rather than joyful, if my friends told the truth.

I have committed many other grievous offenses which time fails me to enumerate. My last and wickedest crime has been to make this confession, when I might have carried my secret to the grave, and left the world to believe that I was indeed the perfect man I had always tried to make everybody think I was.—*Boston Transcript.*

Cable Ciphers.

The immense business and high rates of the Ocean Telegraph have led to a new feature in business—the manufacture of "codes," by which messages can be packed in a simple and economical manner. This specialty has been pursued by a number of "packers," the most prominent being J. C. Hatsfield. Great skill is necessary, since all words are to be avoided which have a similar sound. The packer's object is to make a word (and for an entire sentence, for instance, a banker may receive a cablegram from London containing the word "lowder." By turning to his "code" or book of words he finds that this means "the Bank of England has raised its rate of interest to 6 per cent." By the same rule a grain dealer may receive a cablegram containing the word "doaxed," which, by reference to his code, will be interpreted thus: "Buy and ship by steamer 1,000 bushels corn." The importance in economizing is found in the fact that it costs $2.00 to send one word to India, while China is nearly one-third more. One word to the east coast of South America costs $1.50 and to the west coast the rate is $8.

The best instance of packing in ancient times was Cæsar's dispatch to the Senate "Veni, vidi, vici." This is a neat fiction, a pretty play of fancy, but it suggests the wonderful skill which might be attained in the art of prevarication. A firm in India, which formerly sent its monthly report in sixty words, now conveys the same information in sixteen, this making a saving of $88.—*N. Y. Cor. Troy (N. Y.) Times.*

The Boston *Saturday Evening Gazette* says that "society" in that city does not appear to feel the stress of the times, balls, parties and dinners being more numerous and more elegant in their details than ever.

Florence Hasser, of Mexico, Mo., suicided because the bridegroom came not at the appointed time.

When a remedy has proven itself to be a cure for consumption and a perfect lung restorer, it should be kept in every well regulated home. We refer to Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, a single dose of which will cure an ordinary cough or cold. A few bottles will cure consumption. It is very pleasant to take.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

This periodical for February is already on our table, and is, as usual, overflowing with good things in prose, poetry and illustrations. The articles particularly interesting are "Henry Irving and His work," "New York City in its Early Days," "Sobieski and the Relief of Vienna in 1683," "The Colossal Statues of Germany and France," "Life on the Surface of the Ocean," etc., etc.—they are profusely illustrated. In the department of fiction Etta W. Pierce's serial, "A Dark Deed," is continued and there are short stories by Mary A. Denison, Edward E. Trafton, C. G. Rosenberg, Surray Wyatt, etc., etc., and Sketches, Adventures, Poems, etc., by favorite writers—many of the poems are beautifully illustrated, in fact, all the illustrations are highly finished, and the colored frontispiece, "Little Mischief," is worthy of an elegant frame. The price of a single number is 25 cts, and the yearly subscription $3.50 postpaid. Address, Mrs. Frank Leslie, Publisher, 53, 55, and 57 Park Place, N. Y.

Is your system running down? Is there a feeling of decrepitude taking possession of you? Are the functions of your digestive and urinary organs impaired? Is your blood bad? Do sores and pimples trouble you? Do you suffer from aches and pains? Are you weak and does the least exertion give you fatigue? Beware! Regain perfect health by using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla.

The American Bazar for February, just received, is a beautiful number, and fully justifies the claims of the publishers, that they are making "The Best and Cheapest Fashion Journal of the Day." In addition to its fashion departments, its literary features are of the highest order. Its subscription price, only $1.00 per annum, places it within the reach of all, and we also notice that in its premium list every subscriber is offered a choice from a catalogue of standard works by the best authors, free. Send 10 cts for a sample copy to The American Bazar Co., 202 Broadway, New York.

For scrofula, syphilitic disorders, thin and watery blood, sluggish liver (indicated by poor digestion,) weak kidneys (indicated by urinary sediments), deceased mucous membrane (indicated by both nasal and urinary catarrh, inflammed eyelids, etc.), use Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It gradually rebuilds a broken down constitution and restores robust health and strength to every part. No other remedy equals it.

An eight years old girl named Snover was run over by a team at Lapeer last week, and one of her legs broken just above the ankle.

SKILL IN THE WORKSHOP.—To do good work the mechanic must have good health. If long hours of confinement in close rooms have enfeebled his hand or dimmed his sight, let him at once, and before some organic trouble appears, take plenty of Hop Bitters. His system will be rejuvenated, his nerves strengthened, his sight become clear, and the whole constitution be built up to a higher working condition.

Rev. J. W. Beardslie celebrated the 20th anniversary of his settlement as pastor of the Reformed church of Constantine last Sunday.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is an extract of the best remedies of the vegetable kingdom known as Alteratives, and Blood Purifiers.

The Jackson Patriot fancies that the consciences of the perpetrators of the Crouch murder may some day cause them to confess.

The True Test.

If a man is hungry within an hour more or less after a meal he is a dyspeptic, it shows his stomach is not able to dispose of what he has eaten, but to eat again, and thus impose more work, is absurdity. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malaria diseases. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

A Blissfield lady whose age is about 75 years, and who buried her husband two years ago, was married again last week.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

The hunting car owned by certain Saginaw parties has gone south, taking a party of jolly Saginawians to New Orleans.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer restores to its former color the hair when turning gray, and renews its youth and beauty.

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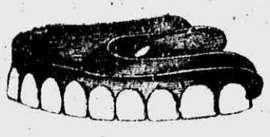

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STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 43 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 06 "	4 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 32 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 31 "	8 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	8 08 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	8 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
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STATIONS.	27. P. M.	21. A. M.	23. P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	5 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36. A. M.	22. P. M.	28. A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	a. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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— Trains run by Central Time. —

GOING NORTH. No. 4 Express.	No. 2 Accom.	No. 6 Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
5 40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 48
5 45	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 25	1 39	4 38
5 52	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 30
6 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne "	9 10	1 17	4 22
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria "	9 02	1 07	4 04
6 25	2 57	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	3 59
6 30	3 07	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 50
6 43	3 23	9 04	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 10
6 55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 25
7 08	3 59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 22
7 10	4 06	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 17
7 15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	
					A.M.	3 10
7 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 02
7 32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	2 49
7 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 30
8 03	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 25
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—Petroleum has been discovered in the Punjab, Hindostan

—China's navy consists of nearly seventy vessels of all sizes and constructed almost entirely under native supervision.

—Lord Ripon, the Viceroy of India, is immensely popular among the natives, and the Calcutta native papers were printed in golden ink in honor of his recent visit.

—An iron-worker named Stokes, of Manchester, Eng., found a hare in a trap, and as it was suffering greatly he killed it. The act being committed on Sunday, a bench of magistrates fined him twenty shillings.

—Frederick William, the Crown Prince of Germany, and heir apparent to the throne, who has been visiting Spain and Italy lately, is fifty-two years of age. At home he is known as "Unser Fritz," which, being translated, means "Our Fred."

—The Revenue and Agricultural Department of the India Government have been trying to introduce improved agricultural implements among the natives. The Indian farmers received eighty-three different kinds. From official reports received from various districts it appears that out of the whole number distributed twelve only of the implements found favor in the eyes of the native agriculturist. Among the acceptable new tools is an American corn-sheller.

—According to Dr. Sach, of Buenos Ayres, there is no danger of an exhaustion of the quinine supply. The experimental plantations in Java and the Island of Reunion have been very successful; and, besides these nurseries, the trees have been cultivated in Bolivia by the million for ten years. At three places in the last-named country, taken as they come, the number of trees growing is given, severally, at 70,000, 200,000 and 3,500,000.

—Here is a a description of a Russian prison, written by Prof. Thun, of Leipsic: "The prison at Kara, near Irkutsk, is said to be one of the worst. If is an ordinary farm-house, surrounded by a high fence. There are no tables or chairs, only platforms, on which the prisoners lie packed like sardines. The food consists merely of bread and soup, with a very little grit. There is no hospital or other care for the sick. All those condemned to hard labor are compelled to wear chains, whether at work or in prison, and all correspondence is forbidden."

—It is only just about one hundred years since the brutal punishment of pressing to death was abolished by law in Great Britain. It was supposed to be the penalty for felony, but any criminal who refused to plead either guilty or not guilty was condemned to it. The criminal condemned to be pressed was laid naked upon his back, and had iron laid upon him, as much as he could bear and more and more, being meantime fed upon bad bread and stagnant water until he either died or pleaded. In 1726 a man accused of murder in a small English town refused to plead and was pressed for an hour and three-quarters with nearly 400 pounds of iron, after which he pleaded not guilty, but was convicted and hanged.

Malta and the Maltese.

The Maltese Islands are four in number: Malta, Gosso, Comino and Cominitto—Malta being the largest of the group. The axis of the group—twenty-nine miles in length—runs from southeast to northwest in the same direction as the Appenines. Malta is fifty-five miles from the most southerly point of Sicily, and 125 miles from Mt. Etna. During the last great eruption of this 10,000-feet high mountain the glare of its fires was distinctly seen from here. About 200 miles southwest of us Cape Bon points its finger out into the sea, and the northeast end of Africa begins at the finger-nail. Thus situated then, midway between the continents of Europe and Africa, and directly in the middle of the great water highway connecting American and European markets with Egypt, Asia and the Indies, Malta possesses an importance easily realized. She has been possessed by all the countries bordering on the Mediterranean in turn, and has been a bone of contention whenever the dogs of war were let loose.

Malta and its officially styled "dependencies," though only fly-specks on the broad map of the world, now geographically form part of Europe, though as to climate and productions they have much in common with neighboring Africa. The island of Malta itself is seventeen miles long by nine miles broad. A boat sailing round it would traverse about fifty miles. Its principal posts are the Great and Quarantine harbors at Valletta, which is separated by the hog's-back tongue of land called Mount Sceberras, on which the city is built. Among other bays on the northern shore is that of St. Paul, in which, 1,800 years ago, the Christian orator was driven ashore. With the perspicacity that you would naturally suppose him possessed of, St. Paul lighted on his feet when he struck Malta, for he not only chose the most beautiful of all the bays in the island to be wrecked in, but the people received him kindly, and, being ripe for it, were easily converted to Christianity. Prior to St. Paul's advent the inhabitants of Malta worshipped mythological gods. Only yesterday I saw a statue of the goddess Juno, before which the ancient Maltese have bowed down and sacrificed. It stands under an archway in a niche of the gate that leads into the old city of Citta Vecchia—the most venerable of the Maltese cities. The fine Cathedral that stands there is several hundred years old, and is built on the site of the house of Publius, who entertained the great Apostle. There are long, narrow catacombs traversing at all angles the underground of Citta Vecchia, in which the early Christians took refuge from persecutors. They are dug through solid rock, which rock, however, is easily worked—cutting more like cheese than granite. The atmosphere of Citta Vecchia is hazy with legend and sacred with the localities connected with St. Paul's stay in the island, and the Catholics, whose religion now prevails here, have made the most of them.

The highest point of Malta is 750 feet above sea level. There are not many trees visible excepting in the walled-in gardens of the wealthy. Water is but in such enclosures. Lemons, figs, pomegranates and dry apples flourish. The potatoes raised in the island are of the best, and its string beans, peas and beets are not surpassed anywhere. Olives do well here and grow wild. In short, it is a climate most favorable for vegetables and semi-tropical fruits and flowers. The pumpkins are high in color but low in taste. A sawdust pudding would be as palatable as a Maltese pumpkin pie. The "fields" of the Maltese peasant are inclosed in stone walls and will not average more than half an acre each. Two-thirds of the surface of Malta is rock, and the soil of these fields has mostly been "made." It takes a man's lifetime to change a rock floor into a fertile "farm," but the Maltese are patient and industrious. They love their island. They affectionately call it Fior del Mando, or the Flower of the World; but to the naked eye of the traveler the appropriateness of the term is not apparent.

When I first came here the dreary grayness of the barren landscape, the burnt yellow soil, the intense white and tiresome yellow of the low, unlovely houses, the scanty foliage and the imprisoning sea surrounding it all gave me a feeling of loneliness and homesickness, to which I succumbed at once and went to bed with the heartache. I thought of a certain placid lake girdled by evergreens, through which in the dreamy Indian summer time all the possibilities of glowing colors were sprinkled in profusion, and the heartless landscapes of my island abode was blotted out of sight by tears. But I soon got to know that Malta was not devoid of beauty—a beauty peculiarly its own. It has an atmosphere of color that makes an impression deeper than that of form, and the very scenes that first repelled me soon assumed a fairness and vividness that won my warm admiration. It was an honest victory for Malta. In spite of myself, against my will, I have come to feel and appreciate the loveliness that rests on rock and sea, in sky and air and climate. I never tire of the sunsets and twilights. And I have found life and health and hope here, and, therefore, there is warm enthusiasm in my tone when I say, "Viva Malta!"

These islands once formed part of a much larger tract of land and probably belonged to Africa or Europe, perhaps both. It is evident that Malta has diminished in size during the historic period. On the southern shore are to be seen cart tracks which abruptly end at the very edge of a cliff eighty feet high. Similar ruts are elsewhere found throughout the island. Volcanic action, doubtless, has submerged the country that once made Malta part of a mainland. One writer claims Malta to be a bit of the classic Island of Atlantis. Its known history is classic enough for ordinary purposes. Its first inhabitants (of which there is any record) were the giants who dared to war with Jupiter. Homer says these first gigantic inhabitants (Cyclops) were named Phœacians, and called the island Hyperia. Calypso—the fascinating nymph—had a residence here in which she entertained Ulysses on his return from the siege of Troy, while his wife Penelope was waiting for him at home engaged in plain needlework and shirt-making. I called at Calypso's "residence" one day, but she was out. She lived in a wet cave.—*Cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

Theater-Going in Paris.

A great many Americans who have never been in Paris imagine that, as it is the home and center of dramatic art, the theaters themselves and everything connected with them are perfect. This is one of the popular illusions that need to be dispelled. All the theaters, except the Eden, are stuffy and uncomfortable, and getting your ticket and going through the necessary formalities before you reach your seat are sufficient to deter many people from ever attending a performance. To begin at the beginning, when you go to buy your ticket you find yourself not before a good-sized window where you can converse intelligently with the ticket-seller, on the contrary, most of the ticket offices are cramped-up little places, and the window, or rather the opening across which you must make your wants known, is a little aperture often not more than ten inches square. If this so-called window were on a level with your elbows you might get on passably well, but it is usually on a line with your stomach, and to carry on your conversation it is necessary to bend over painfully low.

The ticket-seller is usually a woman—the *buraliste*, as she is called—and, as a rule, she is no longer at an age that inspires any tender passion. On the contrary most of these *buralistes* have been so long in office that they believe themselves to be the veritable manager of the theater. Directors, actors and authors fear them much more than they fear the public. The *buraliste's* reply to your questions is generally very short, and not always sweet, and I sometimes think that the little windows were made expressly to keep the ticket-seller at a safe distance from her purchaser.

If you succeed in getting a ticket you will receive not the convenient little bit of pasteboard so familiar to America, with the date and hour of performance, number of seat, etc., printed, but a large square piece of paper with your name, number of seat, and, if the play is given every night, number of the performance written thereon. Thus, if you purchase a seat for the fifteenth representation of a piece you must keep a look out to see when that fifteenth performance takes place. At many of the theaters you get no check attached to your ticket; the number is simply written on, and when you arrive at the theater your ticket is taken up and you are placed by an usher. To finish with the ticket, if it costs more than ten francs it must have a Government stamp, for which you pay two cents.—*Boston Courier.*

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In these times when these newspapers are flooded with patent medicine advertisements, it is gratifying to know what to procure that will certainly cure you. If you are Bilious, blood out of order, Liver inactive, or generally debilitated; there is nothing in the world that will cure you so quickly as Electric Bitters. They are a blessing to mankind, and can be had for only fifty cents a bottle.

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Nature has made her laws with us, which we must obey or suffer the penalty. This penalty is often lung or throat trouble, which leads on to consumption. Every man believes consumption incurable. People have been educated to this belief which is proven incorrect by Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which is nature's great helpmate, and it cures consumption and and all throat and lung diseases speedily and permanently. Trial bottles free, of Baker and Hall.

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It was one of the peculiarities of the old-fashioned Doctors that they never would tell patients what they were prescribing for them. They said it would do the patients no good to know, and that it would only be gratifying a foolish curiosity. In order to keep patients from knowing, they would write prescriptions in dog-Latin, so that most patients could not read them. All that sort of thing is now over. The patient wants to know what he takes. He is weak, and wants to be strong, or he is dyspeptic, and wants to digest well. Or he has a troublesome liver which he wants to put to rights. So he takes Brown's Iron Bitters about which there is no mystery at all. This is the best preparation of iron in the world, in combination with gentle yet efficient tonics. It gives strength. It builds up enfeebled systems. It enriches impoverished blood. It removes feminine weaknesses. It casts out debility. It is what you want, and your druggist has it.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 7, 1884.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE, Jan. 30.—A petition was presented signed by 4,000 citizens of the District of Columbia, and other petitions signed by a large number of citizens of the Territories of Washington, Idaho and Dakota, all praying for the enactment of a law prohibiting the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors in the District of Columbia and Territories. At one o'clock, the hour designated for the funeral ceremonies of the late Representative Mackey, the Senators proceeded in a body to the hall of the House of Representatives, and on their return the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—A resolution was adopted calling on the Postmaster General for all reports made by special agents of the Postoffice Department to the Postmaster General during 1881, having reference to the Star route investigation, which had not heretofore been published. At the expiration of the morning hour all public business was suspended, and arrangements made for the funeral ceremonies of the late Representative Mackey, which took place in the Chamber at one o'clock. Upon the conclusion of the ceremonies, the members of the Senate retired and the House adjourned.

SENATE, Jan. 31.—A large number of petitions from a dozen or more States were presented and referred, praying for prohibitory liquor laws in the District of Columbia and Territories. The conference report on the Greeley relief bill was taken up, and the Senate refused—25 to 27—to concur in the committee of conference and resolved to appoint a new committee. Mr. Blair introduced a bill to pay the employes of the Government for wages withheld in violation of the eight-hour law. A resolution offered by Mr. Platt was agreed to, directing investigations by the Senate Committee on Postoffices and Postroads into the cost of telegraphic correspondence, and how such has been affected by the consolidation of the Western Union and other companies, and by large stock dividends. The Senate resumed consideration of the bill providing a method for settling incomplete titles of lands acquired by the United States from the Republic of Mexico, but without action went into executive session and adjourned till February 4.

HOUSE.—Mr. Anderson, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported a resolution, which was adopted, calling on the Secretary of the Interior to explain by what authority 189,000 acres of land were certified to the State of Kansas for the benefit of the Atchison & Santa Fe Railroad. The bill declaring a forfeiture of the lands granted the Texas Pacific Railway Company under the act of Congress approved March 3, 1871, and the acts supplemental thereto, was passed—yeas, 259, nays 1. Adjourned.

SENATE, Feb. 1.—Senate not in session.

HOUSE.—Mr. Dockery introduced a bill prohibiting the removal of employes of that body except for cause, during the vacation; referred. The conference asked by the Senate on the Greeley bill was agreed to and Messrs. Randall and Calkins appointed conferees. The morning hour was then dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Fitz-John Porter bill which passed after a lengthy discussion by a vote of 181 yeas to 7 nays. Adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

WASHINGTON.

GENERAL LEW WALLACE, American Minister to Turkey, has demanded from the Porte an indemnity of £2,000 on account of the alleged illegal arrest of Dr. Blaum, American, by the Governor of Angeos; also indemnity for the American travelers recently attacked by Kurdish brigands.

AMONG the nominations sent to the Senate by the President on the 30th ult. were the following: Charles F. Roberts, Register of Land Office, Humboldt, California; Richard S. Tuthill, Chicago, United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois; James A. Connelly, Illinois, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Illinois.

THE estimated reduction of the public debt for January is about $11,000,000.

THE public debt statement shows a decrease for January of $11,588,004; decrease since June 30, 1883, $65,007,488; cash in the Treasury, $393,415,233; gold certificates, $101,250,620; silver certificates, $110,137,051; certificates of deposit, $16,880,000; refunding certificates, $307,950; legal tenders, $346,681,016; fractional currency, $[illegible], 250.

REPRESENTATIVES of the Amalgamated Association of Iron Workers, the Miners' Association of the Pittsburgh district, and the Glass Workmen's Association were in Washington on the 2d to testify before the House Committee on Labor and endeavor to prevent the importation of foreign laborers under contract.

THE Government has bought the sealing steamer Bear, at St. Johns, N. B., for the Greeley search. She is the counterpart of the Proteus.

THE representatives of the labor organizations have selected John S. McClelland of New Jersey, John Murray of Ohio, T. V. Powderly, James Campbell and John Strucker of Pennsylvania, a committee to remain in Washington and urge the passage of Representative Foran's bill.

THE House Committee on Public Lands decided to report a bill declaring the forfeiture of the land grants of the Oregon [illegible]bia and California & Oregon railroads except such tracts as have been [illegible]. The grants of the two roads [illegible] 5,000,000 acres, one-tenth of which [illegible] intented. The land is valued at [illegible] rs to four dollars per acre.

[illegible]enty-eight Representatives who [illegible]ust Fitz-John Porter's restoration [illegible] army, are moving among the [illegible] of their respective districts [illegible] circulation of petitions to the [illegible] requesting him not to appoint [illegible] the army even if the bill passes [illegible].

[illegible]pplication of Mrs. Mary A. Miller [illegible]ense as master of a steamboat, has [illegible] referred by Secretary Folger to the [illegible] inspector of the New Orleans district, [illegible] instructions to inquire concerning her qualifications and position, and if found competent to issue her a license.

THE EAST.

AT the Linden Steel Works in Pittsburgh on the 31st ult. John Butler and Thomas Liney were crushed to death by the giving way of a platform on which they were standing while loading steel "fish plates" on the cars. John Roach was fatally injured.

ACCORDING to recent private cable dispatches there is a better feeling abroad in regard to American railway securities. Several New York bankers have received orders for bonds, which is usually a prelude to buying stocks.

THE coinage of the United States mint at Philadelphia for January aggregated $3,381,023.

DR. ELISHA HARRIS, Secretary of the New York State Board of Health, and long the principal member of the Board of Health of New York City, died on the 31st ult.

A. E. PACKER, President of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, died suddenly at Mauch Chunk, Pa., on the 1st.

A NUMBER of well known citizens of Reading, Pa., who were horse racing with sleighs on a public road have been arrested and held for trial under the "blue laws" of 1794, which provides also upon conviction, that the horses be sold and the proceeds placed in the county treasury.

THE number of business failures reported for the seven days ending the 1st were in the United States 329, Canada 49, as compared with 317 the previous week, an increase of 56.

THE Philadelphia police made a descent upon a cock-pit at New Hunting Park on the night of the 1st and captured ninety-five spectators of the battle. Twenty teams, seventy-two chickens of all breeds, and any number of gaffs, scales and other paraphernalia were also secured. The men were fined $11.50 each. Seventy-two paid the fine and the remainder were committed.

THE Pennsylvania Iron Works at Lancaster, Pa., resumed operations on the 1st in all departments except the puddling mill, where the operatives were striking against a reduction of wages.

A BILL similar to the Ohio Scott liquor law was introduced in the New York Legislature on the 1st.

SELAH SPRAGUE, who was assaulted by the negro Charles Rugg, at East Meadow, L. I., was reported on the 2d to have suffered a relapse and was not expected to live. Mrs. Townsend, of Oyster Bay, Rugg's previous victim, is also expected to die. It is probable Rugg will be arraigned for four murders, the killing of Mrs. and Miss Maybee, at Brookville, having also been fastened upon him. Rugg is in jail at Long Island City. Extraordinary precautions have been adopted to guard against his suiciding. At least ten former assaults and robberies committed by Rugg have been discovered by detectives.

THE jury in the case of J. D. Harrington tried at Jersey City, N. J., for complicity in the Legion of Honor fraud, rendered a verdict of not guilty.

NINE small boys were coasting on the Schuylkill at Philadelphia on the 3d, in a large sled with John Hogan, aged nineteen, when the ice broke and all went into the water. Hogan went manfully to work, saving eight. One, James Donnelly, ten years old, was drowned.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 2d: Loans increase, $4,855,200; specie increase, $1,040,000; legal tenders increase, $73,000; deposits increase, $5,177,200; circulation decrease, $65,300; reserve decrease, $180,400. The banks held $19,298,375 in excess of legal requirements.

GEORGE THOMPSON, aged eighty-five, the first prisoner confined in Sing Sing prison, and who has since been many times arrested for petty larceny, was recently again arrested at Brooklyn, N. Y., for theft.

THE underwriters' diver, who has recently been examining the wreck of the steamer city of Columbus, asserts that the steerage of the steamer contains many bodies of the victims of the disaster.

A BOY recently recovered a verdict of $10,500 against the New York Central Railroad Company for the loss of a foot.

HON. WENDELL PHILLIPS died at his home in Boston on the 2d after a brief illness, in his seventy-third year.

WEST AND SOUTH.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR has granted a pardon to Goodwin, the Logansport (Ind.) bank cashier, who embezzled $15,000. He has served five years. Postmaster General Gresham, who tried the case, Senator Voorhees, the jury and 1,209 prominent citizens signed the petition.

THE attorneys of Frank James have applied for a change of venue in the Blue Cut train robbery trial. A decision is expected February 11.

THE locomotive of a passenger train on the St. Louis & San Francisco Railway jumped the track at Dixon, Mo., on the 29th ult. Engineer G. M. Faber was killed and the fireman, F. A. Robinson, fatally scalded.

AT Marysville, O., George Argo was recently tried for murder in the first degree, finally convicted of manslaughter, and sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary. His victim was his wife's sister. On the 30th ult. the remains of Argo's wife, dead for a considerable time, were exhumed and a quantity of arsenic found in the stomach. The probabilities are that Argo will be brought back from Columbus and a second time tried for his life.

EDWARD P. FUNSTON has been nominated by the Republicans of the Second District of Kansas to succeed the late D. C. Haskell.

IT is reported that a strange and fatal disease has broken out among the cattle near Dallas, Texas. Large numbers have died and the disease fails to yield to treatment. A mass meeting of cattle men was held at Grand Prairie recently looking toward a movement to check its ravages.

THE Cincinnati *Price Current* estimates the total supply of wheat in the United States at 175,000,000 bushels. To this is added 35,000,000 bushels in flour now in the hands of dealers, making a total of 210,000,000 bushels for the remaining half of the crop year. The estimated requirements for that time are, for domestic food, etc., 120,000,000 bushels, and for exports, including flour, 57,000,000 bushels, leaving a surplus of 27,000,000 bushels. This is upon the basis of 120,000,000 bushels exports this year against 148,000,000 bushels last year.

A FIRE at Peoria, Ill., on the 31st ult. burned a business block, involving a loss of $150,000; partially insured.

ON the 31st ult., at Cincinnati, Patrick Hartnet killed his wife with an ax and afterward endeavored to chop her body in pieces and hide it under the floor. He was arrested after a desperate fight with the police, in which he was so badly injured that he had to be taken to the hospital. Mrs. Hartnet, who was a most estimable woman, was the mother of five children and would have soon given birth to the sixth.

J. W. THOMAS, one of the oldest and best known of London (Eng.) bankers, failed on the 31st ult., with liabilities exceeding £4,000,000.

THE explosion of a boiler in Twichell's shingle mill near Blanchard, Mich., on the 1st killed Henry Root and John Finlayson, fatally injured a man named Jerrod and wounded several others.

THE Denver & Rio Grande round house at Leadville, Col., containing six locomotives, was destroyed by fire on the 1st. Loss between $60,000 and $80,000.

HENRY KING, captain of the schooner Kennedy, of New Orleans, has absconded with both vessel and cargo, the latter belonging to Jose A. Cespedes, of Colon. The United States customs officers are requested to look out for him.

COLONEL A. W. SHELDON, Associate Justice of Arizona, and a native of Granville, O., died suddenly at San Francisco on the 1st.

JOHN C. CASE, treasurer of Bedford County, Ky., has absconded to Canada with $60,000.

AN attempt by unknown assassins was made to shoot Rev. Father Joblowowski, pastor of the Polish Catholic Church at Grand Rapids, Mich., on the 2d, as he was sitting in his study. Three shots were fired, two barely missing his head. Certain disaffected members of the church are suspected.

MRS. GEORGE H. EVANS, who inaugurated the ceremony of decoration day by strewing flowers in Arlington cemetery, was buried on the 3d at Des Moines, Ia., under the auspices of the Grand Army, all the local posts turning out.

Two stages between Whitesboro and Gainsville, Tex., were robbed by road agents on the 3d, who secured $500.

AT Lancaster, Tex., on the 3d John Nash, an old gentleman, was fatally stabbed by a maniac brother, whom he had been caring for.

A COLONY of 700 Menonites, represented by three bishops, have purchased two townships of land in Reno County, Kan.

AT St. Louis on the 3d fire destroyed a large four-story building corner of Eighth and St. Charles streets, occupied by N. O. Nelson & Co., manufacturers of plumbers' goods; and Phillips, Grant & Co., as a warehouse for boots and shoes. Estimated loss, $95,000; covered by insurance.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

WITHIN a radius of ten miles of Ayr, Eng., two hundred thousand trees were blown down in the recent storm, one hundred thousand on the estate of the Marquis of Ailsa.

LATE rain at San Francisco and throughout the middle section of California have materially improved the prospect of the grain crop. The fruit crop in Southern California will be probably the best ever known.

THE bodies of the five victims of the recent dynamite explosion at Michipicton River reached Winnipeg, Man., on the 31st ult. All were prominent contractors and business men.

ALMOST a reign of terror prevails in Vienna, Austria, owing to the rapid increase of crime, especially robberies. A scavenger recently received a cartridge from a stranger and handed it to a policeman. The cartridge exploded probably fatally wounding the policeman.

AT Toronto, Can., on the 1st fire destroyed Adamson's elevator containing $100,000 worth of wheat and $60,000 worth of barley; value of building $50,000. Also Chapman & Son's elevator containing $30,000 bushels of wheat; building valued at $10,000. Total loss estimated at $250,000.

UNDER a recent date the commander at Tokar, in Soudan, writes: "It would be impossible for our condition to be worse. The rebels have filled up all the wells outside of town. The water inside is brackish and bad, and the troops are suffering from diarrhea. There is great fear that it will be necessary shortly to surrender. Only ten to twenty rounds of ammunition per man are still left. The rebels continue firing day and night."

GENERAL BOOTH, of the Salvation Army, is expected to come to America early in March.

THERE were thirty-three thousand deaths from diphtheria in the provinces of Khartoum between 1878 and 1882.

JOSEPHINE GALLMEYER, a distinguished German actress, died at Vienna on the 4th.

A SUAKIM (Egypt) dispatch says the enemy made an unsuccessful attack upon a fortified camp of the Egyptians on the 3d. Owing to the scarcity of provisions at Sinkat, a party made a sortie for forage and were all cut to pieces by the enemy. Six hundred blacks, armed with Remington rifles, left Suakim to join Baker Pasha at Trinkitat.

LATER NEWS.

As the congregation were leaving Sparta Church, near Randolph, Ill., on the 3d, Leroy Smith shot William Thompson, an old and well known Justice of the Peace, mortally wounding him. The cause of the murder is said to be an old grudge occasioned by Thompson refusing to allow Smith to visit his daughter.

LEON CRONSON, charged with the embezzlement of $30,000 worth of diamonds from Goldsmith & Kuhn, of New York, was captured recently in Chicago and $11,000 worth of the property recovered.

AT Readville, Perry County, O., on the night of the 2d Peter Clifford, a brakeman on the Ohio Central Railroad, was called to his door and shot dead. Members of the Hickey family, four in number, were suspected and arrested, including J. Reddy, a brother-in-law of Richard Hickey. On the night of the 3d a mob of several hundred men surrounded the jail and took Richard Hickey and Reddy to a grove near by where Hickey was hung, refusing to confess or deny the murder. Reddy was also strung up, but the rope broke and the crowd finally spared him for trial.

THE wife and daughter of Morgan Martin, living near Gallipolis, O., were burned in their dwelling on the 2d. It is supposed the wife's clothing caught fire and fired the building.

THE New York *Commercial Bulletin* of the 5th gives the details of the January fires, showing an aggregate of $12,000,000 destroyed during the month. Of this amount $10,200,000 was burned up by 234 fires, where the reported loss was from $10,000 upward. No such fire waste in a single month has occurred since 1872, as far as the records show, except in January, 1879, and July 1877. There were twenty fires in January where the reported loss was $100,000 or more, the totals of the twenty fires being $3,250,000, or more than one-fourth of the month's total fire waste.

THE Chair laid before the Senate, on the 4th, resolutions from the Legislature of Ohio, transmitted by the Governor, favoring a tariff for revenue limited to the necessities of government economically administered and so adjusted as to encourage industries at home and afford protection to labor, but not to foster monopolies; laid on table. Mr. Logan presented a protest from citizens against the passage of the proposed bill for the relief of Fitz-John Porter; referred. Petitions from ex-soldiers of the Union army, praying for the enactment of various laws for the benefit of soldiers of the late war were presented and referred. The following bills were favorably reported upon: The original bill to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy; the bill to establish a bureau of statistics of labor; a bill to protect employes engaged in foreign and inter-state commerce; joint resolutions providing for the payment of wages for laborers to laborers in the Government employ. Mr. Van Wyck offered the following which was agreed to: *Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Interior inform the Senate whether the Union Pacific Railroad Company issued any new stock, or made any mortgage or pledge, lease, running arrangement, or other traffic contract since March 3, 1873. The Senate resumed consideration of the Mexican land grant titles bill, but without action went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

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EAST RIDGEWAY ECHOES.

The annual donation supper of the Church of Christ, of East Ridgeway, will be held in the basement of the First Christian Church of that place, Wednesday evening, Feb. 20th, 1884. All friends and well wishers of the church and cause of Christ at that place are cordially invited to be present on that occasion and lend a helping hand. BY ORDER OF COM.

The serial meetings held with the Church of Christ in East Ridgeway, closed Friday evening, Feb. 1st: The sermon of Rev. P. McCullough, of Oxford, Michigan, the pastor's assistant, were in "demonstration of the spirit and with power," were well timed and well received by the large audiences who listened to their delivery. The visible results of the meeting were 15 additions to the church; most of whom are heads of families. There have been three valuable accessions to the church since the close of said meetings; all heads of families. In this accession of 18 persons to the church quite a considerable amount of wealth was brought in, and as those who are in possession of it are persons who are liberally disposed with their means, they will be of great benefit to the church in a financial way, as well as adding very materially to the spiritual force and power of the church.

B. F. RAPP, Pastor.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Lovely weather, you bet.

Miss Julia Snell, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Nellie Clark last Saturday and Sunday.

Some vandal got drunk on Tuesday the 3rd inst., and converted the church into a hospital. A fire was built in the basement and the register used for a spittoon. A reward of $5 will be given for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the dirty beast.

Married on Feb. 7th, Mr. John Hatton and Miss Libbie Pilbeam, at Farmington, Mich. They arrived at the residence of Mr. L. Rappleye on the evening of the same day, where they were greeted by a company of Mrs. Hatton's former friends, who presented her with a beautiful token of their regard and esteem. The happy couple start out on life's journey with the good wishes of all.

The funeral of Mr. L. M. Dean took place at the church on Wednesday last at 2 o'clock, P. M., Rev. Mr. Campbell officiating.

The Misses Clark entertained a party of young people at the residence of their mother last Saturday evening. Games, music and refreshments were the order of the evening. The party dispersed just in time to avoid infringing on the first hours of the Sabbath, with many kind wishes for their hostesses.

The Ridgeway Literary Society, for a time suspended in deference to the religious meetings held at the church, will begin holding regular meetings again by giving a public entertainment in the lecture room of the church on Friday evening, this week. The specially prepared program is as follows:

Music—Gospel Song—Society.
Prayer.
Music—Quartette.
Recitation—Blanche Campbell.
Reading—Mrs. Warren Jones.
Music—Song Miss Belle Barlow.
Reading—Miss Ida Arner.
Declamation—Floyd Smith.
Poem, (original,)—Frank Temple.
Music—Male Quartette.
Reading—C. E. Triplet.
Paper—Martin Palmer.
Song—Jimmie Nelson.
Recess.
Music—Miss Velina Underwood.
Debate—*Resolved*, That greater achievements are accomplished by natural than acquired ability.
Speakers—Affirmative—D. W. Loree, Mrs. Campbell, George Arner.
Negative—A. E. Kalder, Mrs. Wilson, R. H. Nelson.
Speeches limited to five minutes.
Inst. Music—Miss Ada Loree.
Admission free. Commence 7 o'ck, sharp.

MACON MOLECULES.

Mrs. Wm. Frost is on the sick list. She is improving, however.

W. Pennington has rented Dr. Howell's farm.

It is reported that the band boys are to have a dance Feb. 22d, at Joe Sage's hall. We wish the boys success.

A chicken pie sociable at Edwin Howell's Wednesday evening. The object of this sociable is to get funds to pay the sexton of the M. E. church. Therefore we trust that it will be liberally patronized.

Rev. Mr. Borden's lecture on Babylon, at Grange hall, last week, was excellent. It would be a good idea to have Mr. Borden deliver this lecture at the "Corners."

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Good sleighing without snow, the ground being covered with ice.

Jerome Bridge died on the 7th inst. after a long and severe illness.

The Rt. Rev. Samuel Harris, Bishop of Michigan, is booked for Cambridge on the 24th inst., at 2 P. M.

Henry Minsing, one of our enterprising contractors and builders, has taken in a partner at Toledo, and will go hither with his men soon. At present they are at work on Albert Dewey's house, which is one of the fine dwellings of Cambridge. It fairly speaks for itself.

Washington's birthday will be celebrated at Ayer's hall on the 21st. A hop.

LASHES BY C. T. LINE OPRS.

C. C. Whitmarsh has been canvassing in the interests of the Farmers' Mutual Ins. Co., in this section.

Geo. Mead, who has been working for M. G. Updyke the past year, has moved on the farm of Richard Clarkson, in Macon.

Ask Walt. Osborn what he wants in that basket that he carries with him.

Wm. Larue, while chopping for Willis Smith yesterday, struck a miss-blow and cut his foot.

Newburg mill yard is rapidly filling up with logs. We noticed several large black walnuts in the yard.

Feb. 2nd was clear, and the day for the ground hog to come out. We think he did because we have not had a clear day since then.

William J. Osborn entertained over a hundred of his friends last Saturday afternoon and evening. It was one of those kind of parties where every one goes to have a good time, and judging from appearances we should think they did. The presents were numerous and all useful. May Will and his wife live to enjoy another decade of married life.

ANOTHER BLOODY CHAPTER.

In the Crouch Tragedy—A Detective Shot on the Public Highway.

We obtain from the Jackson Patriot the particulars of the last act in the terrible Crouch murders.

Last night soon after 8 o'clock the Patriot received a telephone message from Horton in this county to the effect that Detective Brown, of Jonesville, who has been engaged in working up the Crouch case, had been shot on the public highway about one and a half miles from that village. Further inquiry brought out the following particulars of the terrible transaction. The detective had been down in the Crouch neighborhood and after dark started for Horton on foot. When at the distance from that place just mentioned, he met two men in a buggy who drew rein and asked him if he was Detective Brown. He replied in the affirmative, when the smaller of the two men thrust forward a revolver close to his person and fired. The bullet entered his left breast about four inches from the heart and passed through to the shoulder blade where it remains. The unfortunate man fell to the ground, while his murderous assailants whipped up their horse and drove rapidly in this direction. Soon after, Brown got upon his feet and walked on as best he could for about a quarter of a mile, when he was overtaken by a couple of young men named L. Goldsmith and Wm. Younger, from Jackson, who helped him into their buggy and took him as quickly as possible to the hotel at Horton where he now remains.

With the quick eye of a professional Brown noticed a number of points touching his assailants that may prove of value to the officers. The horse was a bay with a small white strip in the forehead, and was hitched to an open buggy. One of the men was larger than the other, and wore an overcoat of dark color. The smaller wore a light overcoat and did the shooting. Both had on Scotch caps.

The outrage it is conjectured occurred about fifteen minutes after seven o'clock. As soon as the Jackson officers heard of it they telephoned to take Detective Brown's statement in writing, in order presumably that a record might be had of it in case of a fatal result from the wound. This statement we learn was accordingly written out by him, but of course we are unable to give more than his verbal account of the transaction. He asserted that the man who fired the revolver was about the size of Judd Crouch and had looked like him. As Judd is said to have been in Horton in the evening just before the shooting this anouncement created intense excitement.

Detective Ryan and Officers Snyder, Boyle and Lourin left for the scene of the difficulty as soon as it came to their knowledge. Officers from Horton also started in pursuit of the assassins and every exertion will be made to hunt them to their lair.

The celebrated McGibeny family have been secured to give one of their musical entertainments at the Opera House on the evening of Feb. 20.—It is unnecessary for us to say anything commending this wonderful musical family as they are world-wide known, but we annex a few press notices:

Daily Gazette, Wilmington, Dela.—The McGibeny family are the most wonderful musical combination that ever visited this city.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

The spring term of the Normal began last Monday.

Nicholas Hale, an old resident of Howell, died last week.

There are only 50 sheep in Emmet county.

Capitalists are prospecting for salt near Moorestown.

Saginaw K. of L. have started a co-operative grocery.

No new life saving stations will be appointed in Michigan.

Petoskey people are boycotting the Harbor Springs Independent.

Wm. Nelson's 4-year-old boy, scalded at Mosherville, will recover.

Kewadin, the oldest of the Ottawa Indians, died at Elk Rapids last week.

Kalamazoo people have already taken $40,000 worth of street railway stock.

Battle Creek K. of L. have been publicly discussing the convict labor question.

A mad dog bit another dog in Rockford and caused quite a commotion Sunday.

The Battle Creek chief engineer is happy over an increase of salary from $100 to $300 per year.

John Etter, a Battle Creek hack driver cut his face badly by driving into a telegraph wire.

Company B, Second U. S. Sharpshooters, hold their fourth annual reunion at Lansing, Feb. 22.

The Pentwater News thinks the peach buds in that section have not been injured by the cold weather.

E. A. Clubb, of Ionia, has a ritual of the Knights of Jericho, believed to be the only one in existence.

Fred Godfrey captured a live owl from a locomotive at the Chicago & Grand Trunk shops at Battle Creek.

Over 6,000 barrels of salt await shipment at the Marine City salt works.

A. D. Overton, seriously and perhaps fatally injured in a mill at Morenci.

A knitting factory company with $10,000 capital has been formed at Rochester.

Wm. Anderson, formerly a hotel clerk at Lawten was recently burned to death in Nebraska.

The February issue of the monthly Ypsilantian will number 60,000 copies for the first edition.

Wells are being sunk in various parts of Nashville to furnish a water supply to use in case of fire.

Kalamazoo does not "want the earth," but it wants a street railway, the electric light and a railroad to Hastings.

Elias Cowles, of Highland township, Oakland county, died on the 3d, aged 88 years. He had lived on his farm in that town 48 years.

S. Livermore, a well known Unadilla business man, had a severe stroke of paralysis a few days ago. Hopes are entertained of his recovery.

M. D. Smith & Co., Salem, have contracted to move the Kalamazoo Court House for $450, work to be done by April 1.

A youth named Kleckler, of Cohoctah, discharged a gun, that he was cleaning, and put several shot thro' his mother's dress.

George B. Race, sentenced to Ionia for assault and battery upon his wife has been adjudged insane, and will be sent to Kalamazoo.

The editor of the Petoskey Democrat had a surprise party the other evening. So did we; a man paid us $1.50 on subscription.—Boyne City Statesman.

There are 151,000 feet of sold and unsold lumber at various points on the Michigan lake shore. More lumber was sold at Muskegon last year than ever before.

A farmer named Wm. Rendell, living near Cope station, Monroe county, became suddenly and ferociously insane last week. He has been taken to an asylum.

Garver, the man who killed Burt Rose at Dundee under circumstances of peculiar aggravation, has been acquitted—the jury evidently feeling that he could not avoid doing as he did.

Ladies often wonder where all their needles go to, but Mrs. T. Lazell solved the problem by ripping apart a pin cushion which she had used 20 years. She found 83 perfect needles in the stuffing.—Big Rapids Current.

C. C. Bupee, of Fairmont, Neb., formerly of Paw Paw, wrote to the Courier saying that he had murdered a man, been tried and sentenced to be hung, but was hoping for a new trial. Now the Courier finds that it has has been hoaxed.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 14, 1884

GOOD-NIGHT AND GOOD-BYE.

When the gold and red of the setting sun
Grows pale and fades at the close of day,
When the dazzling splendor is over and done,
And night draws up and co[illegible] way
We do not hope its return in vain,
For we know the morrow will come again.
This is good night.

When my part was a charming [illegible] at night
[illegible]
And the bright, warm heart there [illegible]
Is good night.

And joy of memory [illegible]
[illegible]
This is good night.

When we close the shutters that bar down our
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
This is good night.

[illegible]

LADY ANN.

[illegible]

"Well, a friend [illegible]

"I [illegible]

"Yes, [illegible]

"Why, [illegible]

"Nay, nay! I could [illegible]

"I [illegible]

"Indeed, [illegible]

"Ah, [illegible]

"Why, [illegible]

"What is that round [illegible]

"Round [illegible]

"Why, [illegible]

"[illegible]

"[illegible]

"Well, [illegible]

"[illegible]

"[illegible]

"[

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MRS. S. S. MOODY,
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From Am. Journal of Medicine.
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Dr. AB. MESEROLE, No. 96 John St., New York.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

Ohio has 55,000 business men with aggregate capital of $550,000,000, an average of $10,000 each.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—There were but three deaths in the town of Newcastle, N. H., in 1883. The population of the town is 630.—*Boston Journal.*

—The census of 1880 showed that there were 6,632,549 colored persons in this country, and 6,679,943 persons of foreign birth.—*Chicago Journal.*

Chihuahua alone last year yielded nearly $20,000,000 in bullion—more by $8,000,000 than the whole Mexican Republic has averaged during the last sixty years. The yield for Mexico for the year approximate $80,000,000, the result of American enterprise.—*Arizona Journal.*

Of the six largest sugar producing countries of Europe, Germany this year carries off the palm, with 900,000 tons, or 30 per cent. of the whole. Next come Austria with 475,000 tons, France with 425,000, Russia with 290,000, Belgium with 75,000 and Holland with 24,000. Germany has not only the greatest number of refineries, 357 out of 1,200, but the largest also.

The growth of the Western Union Telegraph Company is enormous and [illegible] of wires transmitted 16,229,256 messages, and its receipts were $9,262,255. In 1879 these figures increased to 82,937 miles of wire, 25,070,106 messages, and $10,960,949 receipts; while in 1883 they were 143,452 miles, 40,581,277 messages, and receipts $13,454,902.—*Chicago Herald.*

The business of the manufacture and sale of beer has reached enormous proportions in this country. The *Brewers' Journal* shows that the amount of beer sold last year, in six States alone, amounted to the following: New York, 5,843,254 barrels; Pennsylvania, 1,706,946 barrels; Ohio, 1,585,852 barrels; Wisconsin, 1,298,183 barrels; Illinois, 1,071,403 barrels, and Missouri, 1,022,659 barrels. New York City alone shows sales of 2,239,908 barrels; Philadelphia, 1,023,514 barrels.

—The fish supply of Russian lakes and rivers is enormous. Recent statistics show how great is the catch. During the past year 9,000,000 hundred-weight of fish were caught in the Caspian Sea. In the Sea of Azof and the rivers Don and Kuban more than 4,000,000 hundred-weight were caught. In the Black Sea, about 8,000,000 hundred weight; in the White Sea and the Frozen Ocean, 500,000 hundred-weight in the Baltic, not less than 2,000,000 hundred-weight, the total of these numbers being 800,000 tons of fish.

WIT AND WISDOM.

—After all, the mighty forces which move humanity are the forces which come from the affections rather than from the cool intellect.—*Harper's Weekly.*

—Says an experienced bachelor: "The best thing to take when you go to kiss a pretty girl—take time. The more you take the better she likes it."—*N. Y. Mail.*

An Indiana jail bird recently scraped off the back of a mirror and swallowed it. It was a very cold day for him when the mercury went down.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—Heard on the lake: "Can that girl skate?" "I think not." "Then you'd better escort somebody else." "But what shall I do with her?" "Oh, just let her slide."—*Chicago Tribune.*

"No," said Fogg, in reply to the person on the doorstep, "the lady of the house is not in. It is her evening out. But my wife is in, perhaps she might do as well."—*Boston Transcript.*

"But you know, pa," said the farmer's daughter, when he spoke to her about the addresses of a neighbor's son, "you know, pa, that ma wants me to marry a man of culture." "So do I, my dear, so do I; and there is no better culture than agriculture."—*Rural New Yorker.*

"Charles," said Mr. Smith, "you shouldn't stay so late at the Conways." "But you must remember, father, that there are two young ladies who have just made their appearance there." "Oh, well, that alters the case, of course you do right to keep up appearances."—*Troy Times.*

—At a recent party: Anxious Young Man—"Miss B., may I have the sixth dance with you?" Miss B.—"As we have no pencil I can not mark it." A. Y. M.—"Oh! well, leave a space there, and you'll understand." Miss B.—"Very well, then; when I see a vacant spot I shall know it is you." Exit anxious young man.—*Detroit Post.*

—A *Tribune* attache yesterday heard a skilled vocalist sing "Wait till the clouds roll by." She rendered it:

"Wah tah the claw raw baw, Jawy;
Wah tah the claw raw baw;
Jawy, ma law traw law wah
Wah taw the claw raw baw."

And then she smiled so sweetly and broadly over the well-merited applause that the corners of her mouth held a sociable on the back of her neck.—*Bismarck Tribune.*

"What's become of Pettyfog that uster live here?" asked a visitor of Gilpin at the store Saturday night.

"O! he's located in a Western town, practicing law."

"How does he get along? Is he successful?"

"Not very. He has never won a suit yet."

"What! Not a suit?"

"No. That is, not a whole one. He won a hat on Ohio last fall and a pair of boots on New York. But that's as near a suit as he ever got."—*Marathon Independent.*

Interrupting Business.

The absence of the telephone was appreciated by some people in Boston. One man said:

"About once in three rings I get something like this:"

"Hello, George, dear?"

"Well, hello."

"Baby just said 'goo, goo,' four times, and I know he wants you to come home to supper."

"Ba—? Who in thunder do you think I am?"

"Aren't you No. 11,701?"

"[illegible] not!" "Good day."

"Now, [illegible] see that is an interruption [illegible]—*Boston Globe.*

A HUNTER'S STORY.

How He Was Overcome and the Way by which He was Finally Saved.

(Correspondence Spirit of the Times.)

An unusual adventure which recently occurred to your correspondent while hunting at Brookmere in this State is so timely and contains so much that can be made valuable to all readers, that I venture to reproduce it entire:

The day was a most inclement one and the snow quite deep. Rabbit tracks were plentiful, but they principally led in the direction of a large swamp, in which the rabbits could run without difficulty, but where the hunter constantly broke through the thin ice, sinking into the half frozen mire to his knees. Notwithstanding these difficulties, the writer had persevered, although a very small bag of game was the result, while tramping about through a particularly malarial portion of the swamp, a middle-aged man suddenly came into view, carrying a muzzle loading shot gun and completely loaded down with game of the finest description. Natural curiosity, aside from the involuntary envy that instinctively arose, prompted the writer to enter into [illegible] with the man, with the following result:

"You've had fine success, where did you get all that game?"

"Right here, in the swamp."

"It's pretty rough hunting in these parts, especially when a man goes up to his waist every other step."

"Yes, it's not very pleasant, but I am used to it and don't mind it."

"How long have you hunted hereabouts."

"Why bless you, I have lived here most of my life and hunted up to ten years ago every year."

"How does it happen you omitted the last ten years?"

"Because I was scarcely able to move, much less hunt."

"I don't understand you?"

"Well, you see, about ten years ago, after I had been tramping around all day in this same swamp, I felt quite a pain in my ankle. I didn't mind it very much, but it kept troubling me for a day or two, and I could see that it kept increasing. The next thing I knew, I felt the same kind of a pain in my shoulder and I found it pained me to move my arm. This thing kept going on and increasing, and though I tried to shake off the feeling and make myself think it was only a little temporary trouble, I found that it did not go. Shortly after this my joints began to ache at the knees and I finally became so bad that I had to remain in the house most of the time."

"And did you trace all this to the fact that you had hunted so much in this swamp?"

"No, I didn't know what to lay it to, but I knew that I was in misery. My joints swelled until it seemed as though all the flesh I had left was bunched at the joints; my fingers crooked in every way and some of them became double-jointed. In fact, every joint in my body seemed to vie with the others to see which could become the largest and cause me the greatest suffering. In this way several years passed on, during which time I was pretty nearly helpless. I became so nervous and sensitive that I would sit bolstered up in the chair and call to people that entered the room not to come near me, or even touch my chair. While all this was going on, I felt an awful burning heat and fever, with occasional chills runing all over my body, but especially along my back and through my shoulders. Then again my blood seemed to be boiling and my brain to be on fire."

"Didn't you try to prevent all this agony?"

"Try, I should think I did try. I tried every doctor that came within my reach and all the proprietary medicines I could hear of. I used washes and liniments enough to last me for all time, but the only relief I received was by injections of morphine."

"Well, you talk in a very strange manner for a man, who has tramped around on a day like this and in a swamp like this. How in the world do you dare to do it?"

"Because I am completely well and as sound as a dollar. It may seem strange, it is true that I was entirely cured; the rheumatism all driven out of my blood; my joints reduced to their natural size and my strength made as great as ever before, by means of that great and simple remedy, Warner's Safe Rheumatic Cure, which I believe saved my life."

"And so you now have no fear of rheumatism?"

"Why, no. Even if it should come on, I can easily get rid of it by using the same remedy."

The writer turned to leave, as it was growing dark, but before I had reached the city precisely the same symptoms I had just heard described came upon me with great violence. Impressed with the hunter's story, I tried the same remedy, and within twenty four hours all pain and inflamation had disappeared. If any reader is suffering from any manner of rheumatic or neuralgic troubles and desires relief let him by all means try this same great remedy. And if any readers doubt the truth of the above incident or its statements let them write to A. A. Coates, Brookmere, N. Y., who was the man with whom the writer conversed and convince themselves of its truth or falsity. J. R. C.

A Pretty Story.

"I believe in a providence," said Victor Hugo to a company gathered around him in the Rue de Clichy, "because I am a providence myself." Being asked for an explanation, the poet repled: "We caught a mouse yesterday evening. His death sentence was already pronounced, when my little granddaughter, Jeanne, with eyes glistening with tears, begged for the life of the gray prisoner. Her mother hesitated whether to listen to the dear little advocate or not, and in her doubt said, 'Grandfather shall decide.' So they came to me. For a moment I held the power of life and death over the diminutive creature, and I thought; The heavenly providence may find itself in my situation when the fate of a being of a higher order is to be determined.' Naturally I set the mouse free; for when a man undertakes the role of providence on a small scale, he should at least imitate generosity."

To cure an ordinary cough or cold take one dose of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry before going to bed at night. It will cause a suspension of nervous excitability, allow you sweet repose, and by morning the cough will be none. It is the best and therefore cheapest cure for coughs, colds and consumption; is sold by druggists generally, and ought to be found in every intelligent household.

A New Yorker on a recently dreamed that he was a Texas desperado in a town threatened by Indians, and when he woke up he found that he had crawled under the bed.

"Ish this 'er postoffice?" inquired Cauliflower, slightly disfigured after nineteen rounds of sour mash. "No, this is a butcher shop," replied the sarcastic mailing clerk, licking a faded one cent stamp. "Shoo! Ish that sho! Well, give me a tender line for my muzzer."

Quack doctors, electric belt and other swindlers who live by frightening our young men and young women by nasty circulars, will find their occupation gone when it becomes generally known that Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla is a certain cure for all weakness of the urinary organs, nervousness, etc. Obey the laws of health, take a few bottles of this sanative remedy and you will soon [illegible] vigorous manhood and be emancipated from all worriment of mind and consciousness of body.

The story is told of an old lawyer in Michigan who lost his way in the woods a number of times while the country was new. At length he secured a pocket compass and its use was explained to him by a friend. But shortly afterward he lost his way again and lay out as usual. When found he was asked why he did not travel by the compass. He did not dare! he said. He wanted to go north, and he "tried to make the thing point north, but it wasn't no use, 'twould shake, shake, shake round and point southeast every time.

Remember a complete cure for aches and pains, sores, pimples, urinary sediments, disturbing dreams, nervousness, despondency, indigestion and general weakness of mind and body, brought on by improper habits or otherwise, is found in two or three bottles of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, as has been proven by the experience of many who long suffered, but now feel well and strong in all parts of the body.

The Commercial Bulletin remarks that "the American nose can now be wiped with an American made silk handkerchief, but no American nose can be wiped with a domestic linen handkerchief; and moreover, no American heart beats beneath a domestic linen bosom. Let linen be a little better protected and linens would be sold cheaper in price and better in quality than the imported linens at the present time." Not a yard of linen is made in the United States! And yet no country is better adapted to flax raising or manufacturing!

Adam's Fall.

Ever since Adam's fall, which subjected human nature to diseases of the flesh, there has been a demand for a blood purifier. We all realize the fact that upon the purity and vitality of the blood depend the health and vigor of the whole system, and that disease of various kinds is often only a sign that nature is trying to remove the disturbing cause; hence a reliable blood purifier is of greater importance to the people than is generally supposed. We are pleased to say that Hood's Sarsaparilla bears unmistakable proof of being the best of a medicine and we think it worthy a trial.

A bowl of good pea soup is as satisfying as a hearty dinner on a cold day. To make a gallon of it, wash a pint of peas and soak them over night; then boil in five pints of water, gently simmering three hours or so, until thoroughly soft. With a potato-masher rub the soup through a colander or wire sieve. A pound of beef or ham bone may be boiled with the peas. The soup may be seasoned in various ways—with onions, cloves, pepper, etc.

For three years Mr. R. C. Wright, of Gaston, N. C., had been an intense sufferer from Rheumatism. His friend J. A. Warwick, of Petersburg, Va., writes: "Before the first bottle of Athlophoros was finished he was able to walk, and now goes about all over his farm." In this case, which the friends of Mr. Wright regarded as desperate, a test was made of Athlophoros. It surprised friend and patient by its prompt and thorough action on the blood and diseased parts, and won the emphatic opinion that it was truly a specific for Rheumatism.

A little dot of a girl coaxed two nickels from her father on Thanksgiving day, saying she would use one for candy and the other she would give to the missionaries. Before executing her expressed intentions she lost one while at play, and running to her mamma, said: "Oh, mamma, I have lost my missionary nickel."

Monroe, Mich., Sept. 25, 1875.
Sirs—I have been taking Hop Bitters for inflammation of kidneys and bladder. It has done for me what four doctors failed to do. The effect of Hop Bitters seemed like magic to me. W. L. Carter.

The life of a true Christian is like a beautiful river; it flows on in a steady, even course; the storms of life may ruffle its surface, but the deep undercurrent moves on undisturbed.

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is offered for any case of Catarrh that can't be cured with Hall's Catarrh Cure. Taken internally. Price 75 cts. a bottle.

Cured My Wife's Weakness.

From Evansville, Ind., the home of our correspondent, Mr. Jno. R. Patterson, comes the following: "Samaritan Nervine cured my wife of a case of female weakness." (Extract from Mr. Patterson's letter.) $1 50.

It is said that Smith, the Battle Creek biganist has deserted six wives. Now he has deserted B. C.

To create an appetite, and give tone to the digestive apparatus, Ayer's Sarsaparilla

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the store of E. W. Freese, Clinton on July 14th, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and that six months from the 14th day of January, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Feb. 6, 1884.

EDWIN W. FREESE,
JOSEPH S. KIES,
feb6 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John F. Schroder, late of the town of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of William H. Arner, in the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 7th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 15th, 1884.

MINOR DAVIDSON,
CONRAD L. BOWE,
jan17 Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

ESTATE of LeRoy Mead, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the Probate Court of Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1884, the administrator of the estate of LeRoy Mead deceased, will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on the first day of March, A. D. 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Macon, aforesaid, all the interest, title, and estate, of which said deceased died seized, in that parcel of land, situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and described as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town five, south of range five east, containing forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower of Josephina Mead, widow of deceased therein. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

CYRUS MEAD,
jan10 Administrator.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

ESTATE of Asa Russell, deceased. The undersigned, appointed by the Probate Court of Lenawee County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust claims against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that they will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1884, also, that six months from the 31st day of December, 1883, has been allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

ALBERT HYDE,
EDGAR A. THIBOU,
jan10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Samuel G. Conkling late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of H. Brewer & Co., in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of March, 1884, and on the 18th day of July, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January, 23, 1884.

ALFRED D. HALL,
JAMES W. BROWN,
jan24 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF ALVAH CODDINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvah Coddington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ansel P. Coddington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that he has paid or tendered payment of all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the residuary legatee named in said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan31

ESTATE OF HIRAM REYNOLDS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Reynolds, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin F. Reynolds and Charles A. Pawson, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 2nd, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Hean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, i.e. All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), lying north of the center of the Baxter ditch, (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp Raisin drain (so called). All in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D. 1884.

OSCAR F. BILLS,
jan24 Executor.

ESTATE OF ISAAC ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Fish, [illegible] administrator with the will annexed of said deceased, alleging that said executor has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their first account and for such further order as may be necessary to the proper administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan24

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit in Chancery, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Cappie A. Wyand, complainant, vs. John M. Wyand, defendant.

Before Hon. Andrew Howell, Circuit Judge of said circuit. At the city of Adrian, in said county, this 4th day of January, A. D. 1884. It satisfactorily appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant, John M. Wyand, resides in the state of Illinois.

On motion of Frank R. Payne, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that said defendant appear in this cause within four months from the date of this order, or in default thereof, that the bill of complaint in this cause be taken as confessed by him.

It is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof, said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper published in said county, for six successive weeks, once in each week, or that a copy of this order be personally served on said defendant, at least twenty days before the time herein fixed for his appearance.

ANDREW HOWELL,
Circuit Judge.
FRANK R. PAYNE,
Complainant's Solicitor. jan10

ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Joseph Launing, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the creditors of said deceased, or other persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Henry Smith, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3rd day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOHN GLENN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Saturday, the 2d day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Glenn late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Newton L. Bryan, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging among other things, that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, and all legacies, except residuary legacies, and the expenses of administration have been paid, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, remaining in his hands, to the persons entitled thereto in accordance with the provisions of the will of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 14, 1884.

The ground hog [illegible] for the weather.

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The B. & O. telegraph company are [illegible] The company is now operating 15 wires from New York to Chicago, which is about half as many as are operated by the Western Union company, and are now engaged in constructing five wires from New York to Boston, which will be finished in June. Lines from Chicago to St. Louis, a Indian point and Cincinnati, another from Pittsburg to Cleveland, three to Chicago and arrangements are also completed for the construction of lines in Texas and Louisiana, taking in Houston, Galveston and New Orleans. The attention of the company is to provide ample facilities between the larger places for meeting the demands of public business.

The flood at Cincinnati has already surpassed that of last year. The situation Monday is thus described: "To-day the water has been rising with increased rapidity, mounting up at the rate of an inch an hour. All hope that the inhabitants of the city would be spared a repetition of last year's disaster has fled. At 10 M. the great flood of 1883 had been surpassed with the waters still gaining in an stream above, and threatening in violence at this point. There is reason for much alarm, and what will be the limit no one can tell. The best judges have no hesitancy in predicting six feet, a depth of one foot and eight inches over the highest mark of 1883. This means frightful destruction of property, perhaps an alarming loss of life and much hunger. Houses that withstand the water at its present depth will be overturned at 69 feet or at a less depth and in some instances there will be a consequent loss of life.—Thousands will be cut off from a condition of self dependence. It is now a week since the sun has been seen and hope and cheer have been gone as long. Everything is gloomy, and the future is filled with yet darker pictures."

The Evening News thus describes the troubles of Congressman Eldredge:

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Representative Eldredge, of Adrian, Mich., is the most disconsolate member of the Michigan delegation. He was among the last to draw a seat, and consequently he had to go over on the republican side. His seat is up near the wall, close by a picture of the landing of Columbus. Mr. Eldredge says he is getting to have a great dislike for Columbus, and wishes he had never existed. In order to catch the speaker's eye Eldredge is compelled to walk round the hall. He also has great difficulty in voting. Not being fully posted on a question, he often finds himself voting with the republicans. During the discussion of the Fitz John Porter bill, a division was demanded on a motion to limit the debate. The republicans were opposed to it, and when they got up they urged Eldredge to do the same. Wishing to be accommodating he did so. Later, a yea and nay vote was called, but the Adrian representative found out in time which side his party were voting on, and had his name recorded all right. Mr. Eldredge frequently visits the Michigan colony on the democratic side and pours the tale of his troubles into his colleagues' ears. He is afraid he may become a republican; but, however else he may change, it is not likely he will be other than a revenue reformer.

THE DELUGE.

Great Desolation Caused by the Continued Floods in the Ohio River Valley—People in Their Mad Despair, Riddle Relief Boats with Bullets—The Situation at Wheeling—Growing Worse at Cincinnati—Danger at Other Points.

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 11.—Yesterday the water fell below the danger line, and the scene of devastation presented to the eye was complete. A great part of the city is still inundated, and the business is covered with mud. In the extreme southern part of the city great suffering prevails, and starving people are crying for food and the almost dry clothing. When the relief committee took food and clothing to them they almost had been driven from their homes by the [illegible] the first supply. Large [illegible] of men, armed on the corners with shotguns, [illegible] watching the fair of the [illegible] who were in their houses cleaning out the mud, most of which the water had left behind. The weather [illegible] Saturday evening [illegible] number of passengers. One of [illegible] that fifteen persons were [illegible] at Bellaire, and many in [illegible] way there was a [illegible] At Wheeling [illegible] at New Martinsville [illegible]

[illegible]

The citizens of Wheeling have presented a resolution asking the West Virginia congressional delegation for [illegible] for the relief of the sufferers from the floods. The $100,000 proposed, the joint resolution of sufferers, goes in Congress [illegible] quate for relief, and a request for at least $1,000,000 is made. Private advices received from Washington [illegible] the joint resolution calling for $100,000 will be changed to $500,000.

In Wheeling alone the loss from the flood will not fall far short of $[illegible]. The [illegible] a business [illegible] whose all has been swept away. As far as Wheeling has cared for its homeless [illegible] a day, but the [illegible] one and can not long be borne [illegible] are asking a [illegible] New York and Chicago and other large [illegible] relief which was so freely granted to the sufferers of last year.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 11.—The stage of the river at midnight was sixty-six feet four and one-quarter inches and a heavy rain is falling. The Water-Works Department will order all the elevators stopped to-day. The big Shields pumping engine is the only one that can work in this stage of the river, and sixty-six feet ten inches will stop it. The reservoir has five days supply of water in it. The stage of [illegible] was surpassed yesterday in rising, and the river rose almost constantly all day. There is now little doubt that the mark of last year will be passed within the next twenty-four hours. The extreme [illegible] are greatly [illegible] the gas company has [illegible] supply. The gas supply will last night. At all night the street lamps will be lighted and gas burning in very few places. The offices in the Western Union operators' room are supplied with candles, and theaters are running with electric and calcium lights and private gas machines. The water yesterday on both sides of the embankment skirting the tracks of the Cincinnati, Washington & Baltimore Road in Mill Creek Valley so softened the earth as to cause two slides, leaving the track unsupported. This compels trains on this road to enter on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton track. The Bee Line trains are compelled to make a terminus at the Stock Yards, three miles out.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Feb. 11.—The river is rising three-quarters of an inch per hour, and it is raining heavily. The water is seven feet above the high water of last year. The steamer Telegraph went to the relief of Point Pleasant yesterday. The town is completely submerged and the inhabitants have gone to high grounds. Chesterhill, Addison and other small towns are suffering in the same way. At Catlettsburg, Ky., the river is now two feet higher than last year, a drizzling rain falling. The Big Sandy River is reported rising at Richmond. At Ripley the river is rising three-quarters of an inch an hour. Many houses that stood through the flood of last year have been reached now and entirely swept away. The water is twenty-two inches higher than last year.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 11.—An engineer on the Scioto Valley Railway waded out to Portsmouth yesterday morning and telegraphs from Piketon, twenty-four miles north, that the water is five feet higher at that city than last year. The steamer Bonanza is lying afloat on a sidewalk, and people are entering a hotel through the second story windows. Where the engineer left three houses were burning which the engines could not reach. Manager McCrea, of the "Pan-Handle," announces that traffic will be open between Pittsburgh and Columbus this morning.

AURORA, Ind., Feb. 11.—The water is still rising, and is now at the door of the Aurora National Bank. Only one drug store remains out of water. It is raining now. At Madison, Ind., the water is rising half an inch an hour and it is raining.

FLOOD NOTES.

The water guards on the James River in the upper section of Lynchburg, Va., are giving way, and a great destruction of property is threatened by an inundation. The river is rising rapidly.

James E. Fennessy, manager of Hinck's Opera House, Cincinnati, received a dispatch from Colonel Mapleson Saturday night announcing the postponement of the opera advertised for this week owing to the floods.

The greatest freshet ever known was caused in the Cumberland Valley Saturday by the breaking of the ice in Conodoguinet Creek. Four valuable bridges between Carlisle and Susquehanna, Pa., were swept away, and mill-dams and other property were badly damaged.

HORRIBLE TREATMENT.

Of the Inmates of the House of Refuge at Rochester, N. Y.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Saturday the Assembly committee, consisting of Genl. Beach and Mr. Hunt, investigating the House of Refuge management, first made an examination of the dormitories and next [illegible] testimony of Joseph Henry House. He said he had been in the employ of the House of Refuge as coachman and is now in Sing Sing (Ossining). Previous employment the same place. He knew that Fulton had dealt in stripes and had seen as many as eight at the stripes.

[illegible] of the board of managers, [illegible] he remembered [illegible] so many [illegible] taken to-day [illegible] of dark cells as a [illegible] Charles [illegible] been over a year and seven months. [illegible] was [illegible] for thirty-six hours by Mr. Fisher. Mr. Montrupe took [illegible] and water and sweets [illegible] on the bread; old [illegible] bed. I [illegible] would see [illegible] was too. [illegible] Fulton [illegible] Fulton had [illegible] fifteen. [illegible] bread [illegible] was

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Three Brothers Murdered and Cowardly Assassinated by Seven Armed Men in Broad Daylight in a Public Street—The Murderers Arrested.

[illegible] street this [illegible] Three [illegible] William Flynn [illegible] in a back [illegible] armed [illegible] and [illegible] from the door of a saloon and opened fire. The victims were armed. At the attack was [illegible] Jack Flynn was shot through the forehead by a ball from a Winchester rifle [illegible] a few minutes. William Flynn was shot through the breast with a Winchester and probably fatally wounded. Frank Flynn received a shot through the hand, inflicting a slight wound. Frank Hell, the driver of the hack, was shot through the back of the neck and died an hour afterward. Robert Hargreave, a bystander, was shot through the breast and will probably die. J. H. Craig, a prominent banker man, received a charge of buckshot through the back and his condition is considered precarious.

The affair originated nine weeks ago on account of Frank Flynn endeavoring to prevent Doran from opening a gambling house. It culminated at the time in Doran making a cowardly attempt to assassinate Frank Flynn, failing in which he fled the city, returning secretly a few nights ago. Flynn was unaware of his presence in the city until the fatal volley was opened on him.

Intense excitement prevails and strong threats are made of mobbing the prisoners. The seven were arrested and are now in jail. A. Doran, two Pruitt Brothers, Howard and three others. The citizens are loud in condemnation of the numerous and cowardly act. Judge Wood has been telegraphed to by leading citizens requesting him to adjourn court at Malvern and return here and hold a special session to try the murderers. If the request is granted the law will probably be allowed to take its course. If he does not the citizens boldly threaten to bulldoze the jail and hang the prisoners.

A Son Brutally Murders His Father Near Uniontown, Pa.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Feb. 11.—Saturday night Union Township, three miles east of here, was the scene of a brutal murder, the victim being Alpheus Wilson, aged sixty years, and the murderer his son Frank. The two, who had been drinking, had a quarrel, which ended in the father ordering Frank away from home. The latter complied, but in ten minutes returned and called his father outside. The old man started for the door but before he could reach it Frank drew a revolver and shot him dead. The parricide then went to the house of Dennis Springer, a short distance away, where he remained all day, threatening to kill any one who attempted to arrest him.

Sunday evening Sheriff Sterling and two constables went to Springer's, and after some little trouble captured him, but not before he attempted to shoot the officers. On his way to jail he passed his father's house. His mother came out to see him, and he told her that he intended killing the old man; he was intoxicated when the deed was done, but it made no difference.

A Right of Way Fight.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 9.—This morning a force of workmen, ostensibly operating under the charter of the People's Street Railway Company, commenced laying tracks on Norwegian Street, but their work was stopped by an injunction obtained by the Pottsville & Mahany Railroad. The Philadelphia & Reading Railroad is said to have secured the control of the People's Street Railway, whose charter authorizes the laying of tracks and running of cars by horse or steam power on any street in the city.

A Meeting in the Interest of Coal Miners.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 9.—President Harris of the National Executive Board of the Coal Miners' Association, has called a meeting of the presidents of the different State organizations to be held here Thursday the 14th instant. The object of the meeting is to take such action as required for miners' interests. Just what this will be the officers refuse to state. Representatives from Ohio, Indiana, Iowa, Maryland, Virginia and Illinois will be present.

A popular contribution has been started in Boston for a statue of Wendell Phillips.

AUCTION SALES.

E. L. Mills, having rented his farm, will sell at Auction at his residence 3 1-2 miles west of Tecumseh, on Monroe turnpike, on Wednesday, February 20th, 1884, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: of Banker Rothchilds' Stock. One pair gray mares, bred by Sickles Hambletonian, sorrel gelding, iron-gray gelding, black stallion, 1 fillie, bay mare, brood mare, pair mules, 2 cows, 1 heifer, 2 steers, 70 sheep, 5 rams, farm tools consisting of a general farm equipment, household furniture, quantity hay, clover and timothy, cake mill feed, mammoth cow peas, 2 set light double harness, single harness, 3 set heavy double harness, whiffletrees, neckyokes, 2 sulkies, skeleton, double buggy, wagon, trucks, bobsleighs, cutter, roller, drill, hay rake, plows, drags, cultivators, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben Reynolds, Auc. T. M. Cambum, Clerk.

Frank Wheeler will sell at auction on the farm owned by Mrs. Andrew Burtless, 1 mile west and 1½ north of Franklin Center, on Thursday, Feb. [illegible], 1884, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following property: Two horses, 15 shoats, breeding sow, 10 lambs, 3 head young cattle, lumber wagon, 2 cows, buggy, cutter, plow, harrow, 2 cultivators, hay rack, grain cradle, 50 sheep, septoe, quantity hay and corn stalks, &c. Usual terms. H. W. Stevens, auctioneer.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

The March number is promptly on our table and is filled, as usual, with delightful reading matter—edifying and entertaining, and admirable embellishments. The popular editor, T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., contributes a characteristic article, "Alarming Things of To-Day," and The Home Pulpit contains one of his sermons, "Sensitiveness of Christ." "Count Zinzendorf," the founder of the Moravian Church, "Salem, the Old Moravian Town in North Carolina," "The Boston Institutions at Deer Island", "Annals of Little Compton"; "Anthony VanDyck, a Court Painter", etc. are finely illustrated and exceedingly interesting articles. The serials, "How It All Came Round," and "Wrong From the First," are continued, and the Essays, Sketches, Poems, etc., are by popular writers. Marion Harland has a charming story, "A Practical Woman." The contents are so varied and abundant that no one can fail to be gratified. The price is 25 cents a number, $2.50 per annum, postpaid. Address, Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York, N. Y.

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Dated Feb. 7, 1884.

SEED CORN. I have about 1100 bu. of ears of Leaming seed corn, which I will sell to parties in and near Tecumseh at $2.00 per bushel if shelled corn on trial. A sample of the corn can be seen at the HERALD office, where orders will be taken for the same, or write for particulars to G. F. Rife, Berlin Heights, Ohio.

TO RENT.—After April 1st next, the store on Chicago st. heretofore occupied by C. H. Hopkins as a photograph gallery. Enquire of JAMES MONTAGUE.

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FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

On Saturday afternoon the Opera House Skating Rink will be open for the accommodation of ladies who wish to learn to skate. A fee of only 15 cents will be charged.

James B. Colvin started last Thursday on his trip to California. He stopped in Chicago to make Thomas Lovett a call, and started west again Saturday morning, expecting to arrive at Oakland, should no accident befall him, before next Sunday.

The musical entertainment given at the Opera House last night by the talented Mcgibeny family was one of the best musical evenings ever given in Erie.—Erie, Penn., Dispatch.

This celebrated family will give an entertainment in Tecumseh on the 20th of February.

A county Mass Convention will be held at Dean's Opera House in Adrian on Friday, Feb. 22, commencing at ten o'clock A. M., for the purpose of organization among the temperance workers of the county. The earnest temperance men and women of Lenawee are cordially invited to be present. BY ORDER OF EX. COM.

The following is the program of exercises for the open meeting of Macon Grange, Friday, Feb. 15, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. E. W. Borden.
Song—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Rec.—Miss Emma Bailey.
Select Reading—Mrs. W. R. Wilson.
Essay—Dr. Geo. Howell.
Song—Frank Aten.
Rec.—Miss Jennie Osgood.
Select Read.—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Inst. Music—Miss Belle Barlow.
Essay—Miss Nelia Russell.

Admission ten cents, refreshments free. If time will permit the question of establishing a creamery or cheese factory will be discussed. All are invited.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 14, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

"Driven from Home."

Will you be my valentine?

This is a great day for the masters and misses.

The McGibeny Family, at the Opera House on Feb. 20.

Mrs. R. H. Sholes and two daughters, of Salt Lake City, are visiting at J. D. Sholes.

John R. Clark was lecturing last week in Buffalo, N. Y., and goes from there to Toronto.

Deerfield has organized a citizens association to promote the building of new manufactures.

There are five Fridays in this month of February. When will the like occurrence happen again?

Congressman Eldredge has been appointed one of the trustees of the Washington reform school.

The Ladies of St. Peter's church will hold a social at Mrs. Whedon's next Wednesday evening. All are invited.

W. N. Snedecor purchased 6 car loads of apples at Manchester last week and is shipping them to Philadelphia.

Yesterday Miss Carrie Hand went to Brooklyn, where she will remain about two weeks visiting her many friends.

The protection wing of the republican party is about to start a new evening daily in Detroit. It will be a one cent daily.

Remember the temperance convention at Adrian on the 22nd inst. Celebrate Washington's birthday by attending the convention.

The Michigan Tile Association will hold its fourth annual meeting at Adrian on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 11th and 12th, 1884.

Judge Stacy, who has been afflicted with an attack of rheumatism, is rapidly convalescing and will be at his office again in a few days.

It is no longer necessary to look to Yazoo county, Miss., for horrible tragedies. The Crouch affair has already gathered in eight victims.

Joseph Hart, editor of New York Truth, sued Gath for libel. He claimed $10,000 damages and got $55. Joseph must feel pretty hearty now.

The Baptist Items for February has been delayed on account of the revival meetings in progress at the Baptist church. The paper will appear soon.

The handsome furniture used in the stage settings of "Driven from Home" to-night and to-morrow night were kindly loaned by Messrs. Slayton & Kinney.

Next Sunday at 7 P. M., the Pastor of the Methodist church will discourse on the Recent Disastrous Floods. ext. 1 Sam. 6:9 (last clause) It was a chance that happened to us.

Hayden, Heck and Comfort are all of them shipping flour now via. the M. & O. Direct connections are made over the Baltimore & Ohio lines at Toledo to the Atlantic seaboard cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Mills desire to express heartfelt gratitude to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them during the illness and after the death of their infant daughter.

On Friday evening last about sixty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brazee made them a surprise visit at their pleasant home in Brownville, and to say that a good time was had would but half tell the story.

Boys, remember that Joe Sage honors the birthday of the man who never told a lie with a social party at Pennington's Corners on Friday eve., Feb. 22. Good music, good supper and a good time for $1.

It is to be hoped that every one, high or low, rich or poor, will go and witness the beautiful and touching drama, "Driven from Home," at the Opera House on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week.

The Directors of the Lenawee Co., Agricultural Society met last Friday at the law office of G. L. Bennett, and chose the following Executive Committee for the ensuing year: J. R. Bennett, M. T. Cole, M. H. Cogswell, Edward Beals and Calvin Crane. Steps were taken looking to the purchase of a new fair ground on what is known as the Comstock site, near the Wabash depot, at a cost of about $6000. Jehiel Davidson extended to the Society a cordial invitation to hold their fair next fall at Tecumseh.

The Tecumseh correspondent of the Clinton News has this item: On Sunday evening, Feb. 2d, while waiting outside the east door of the Baptist church, Mr. G. V. W. commenced acting queerly. His friends gathered around and asked him what was the matter. He said he didn't know, but that when he got more than three feet from the door he was drawn back by some invisible power, but one he could feel nevertheless. About five minutes after we saw him marching off with a damsel. Verily, the time of miracles is not past.

There is a corner in the egg market here now.

The Clinton band boys are going to get up a benefit entertainment soon.

The Morenci Observer is writing up the business houses of that flourishing village.

The village fathers of Blissfield have been passing ordinances which failed to hold water when the legal test came.

The Reform Club will give a Social next Monday evening at the club room. A good programme will be prepared.

A donation will be given at Grange Hall, Macon, Wednesday evening, Feb. 20th, for the benefit of Rev. W. E. Borden.

Roswell Randall, of Clinton, celebrated his 80th birthday on the 5th inst. Mr. Randall is enjoying good health and does not look to be over sixty.

A very pleasant little party occurred at the residence of W. J. Osborn last Saturday afternoon and evening: cause tenth anniversary of wedding. Everybody there and a grand good time.

The rehearsal of "Driven From Home" last night was very satisfactory, and those who assist the needy soldier to-night will also witness a very creditable performance of a good play.

R. B. Gillespie has seven yearling steers and one three year old heifer which he has been feeding for beef. He weighed them last week and they tipped the scales at 10180 pounds, an average of 1271 pounds.

The examination of teachers for the balance of the present school year will be held as follows: all of them at Dean's Opera House in the city of Adrian: March 45th and 28th, April 12th and 19th, August 15th.

Mrs. Montgomery and Mrs. Ford, both of whom broke an arm last week, are doing finely. The fractures were nicely set the day of the accidents by Dr. Catlin, and they are getting on as favorably as could be expected.

The new prohibition organ of this county will be called the "Lenawee Union Light," and will be edited by Rev. L. J. Hudson, pastor of the M. E. church at Morenci. The paper will start with an efficient editor, at all events.

Nothing so improves a property as well kept hedges around it. We have but few in Lenawee Co., but Mr. A. B. Aylsworth of the Dayton Hedge Company informs us that about 100 miles of hedge is contracted to be set in the spring in this county and he will probably contract for many miles more before the summer is through.

Go and hear Rev. Hudson on the Recent Floods, next Sunday evening. And by the way, would it not be well for some of our public spirited citizens to move in the direction of a response to the calls for relief, and call a public meeting, say next Monday evening to see what can be done? Michigan had help in her time of need; shall we be ungrateful?

There will be a meeting of all persons interested in the cause of Prohibition at the Reform Club Room, on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of disbanding the old Prohibition Club and reorganizing in the interests of the New Union Party. Come out friends of humanity and let us give the new party a boom.

By Order of Com.
JAMES MOIR, Sec'y.

Hudson Post: When the bobs started on Lafayette street Tuesday eve. there were four lads and lasses thereon; when it stopped half way down one lad had his leg nearly broken, one had a face badly scratched, while the ladies were so badly entangled in female gear that the fact of one of them having her arms around a boy's neck was excusable, on the ground that she did not know it.

Blissfield Advance: Another meeting was held Wednesday afternoon in the interest of a cheese factory. The attendance was not large, owing to the unpropitious weather. We understand a building has been provided for, the only other essential point to be gained in a sufficient number of cows. Will the farmers in the vicinity take interest enough to guarantee the necessary number?

This afternoon the marriage of Mr. S. L. Bentley to Miss Libbie B. Helm takes place. The bride and groom arrive on the 4 P. M. train and proceed to Rev. W. H. Babbitt's who will perform the ceremony. They will then go to her brothers, where they will be happy to receive their friends before going to their home in Eaton Rapids. Miss Helm has been a favorite in Tecumseh circles. May happiness and prosperity attend her in her new home.

Adrian Press: Yesterday afternoon as Miss Wheeler, daughter of N. S. Wheeler was driving into the city on Park street, her horse became frightened and ran away, and Miss Wheeler was thrown violently from the cutter and picked up in an unconscious condition. She was taken to the residence of John Clark, and Dr. A. Stephenson summoned. The horse rushed madly down Maumee street and was stopped near the corner of Main.

The young men of Clinton will give a return leap year party on Monday evening, Feb. 25th.

On Thursday, Jan. 31st we inserted a notice in the HERALD of seed corn for sale, stating that samples could be seen at this office. During the ensuing eight week days forty-three men called at our office to see those sample ears. And yet some folks think an advertisement in a paper is never read.

A SUIT-ABLE SURPRISE.

Yesterday was the sixty-ninth anniversary of Mr. A. VanAntwerp's birthday. A number of his personal friends conceived the idea of making him a surprise and presenting him with some token of their friendship and esteem. They assembled at early evening and proceeded to Mr. VanAntwerp's residence on Pearl street, and literally took the family by storm, as it was snowing briskly at the time.

The victim was seated by the fire utterly unconscious of what was in store for him, while the guests filed in led by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ayers, who had planned the affair, and took possession of the house. After order was restored, a large bundle was brought in, and S. C. Stacy in a few remarks, presented to the host a brand new suit of clothes in behalf of the assembled friends; coat, vest and pants and all the other *et ceteras* to make a complete suit. Mrs. VanAntwerp also received a few articles of glassware from her lady friends. After an hour or so passed in social chat, the extension table was spread in Mrs. Ayres' apartment of the house and the guests sat down to a bountiful repast. When the edibles had been properly disposed of, the friends passed the remainder of the evening in friendly intercourse and all departed for home wishing Mr. VanAntwerp many returns of his birth-day anniversary and voting the affair to be a most suitable surprise.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Feb. 4, 1884.

At this regular session council convened at the usual hour.

Present, the entire council, except Mr. Smith and Mr. McKinnon.

On motion Charles Burridge was appointed Recorder pro tem.

Minutes of last regular session read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Recommending the payment of the following claims, to wit:

Robt. Cairnes for hay	$16.61
E. G. Wilson, repairs on wind mill	33.60
Toledo Oil Co., kerosene	26.55
W. C. Sordan, services St. Com	12.80

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Street Commissioner files his monthly report, which is accepted and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

Statement was then made to the Council that the Insurance on the Council Building would expire before next regular meeting of the Council, whereupon, on motion, the committee on public grounds and buildings were instructed to re-insure the Council Building in a good, responsible company at lowest rates attainable.

On motion, the Recorder pro tem. was directed to draw an order in favor of W. E. Gray for $34, to apply on his salary.

On motion the Council appointed Messrs. Brazee and Sparks with the Recorder as Board of Registration for said village of Tecumseh.

On motion Messrs. Mills and Burridge with the Recorder were appointed Inspectors of Election for said village.

Council then adjourned until February 18th, 1884, at the usual hour.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Recorder pro tem.

SEED CORN.

James B. Colvin, of Raisin, has a letter in the last Michigan Farmer on the subject of seed corn which we think will be of interest to our readers:

I wrote you last February giving my method of preparing seed corn, and in the next week's Farmer I saw my letter published, and, by the way, it proved a splendid advertisement, for in a very short time my corn was all sold. Your paper has a wider circulation than I had supposed. I had orders from Michigan that I expected, but I did not expect orders from Illinois, Ohio, and the State of New York, which I did have in plenty. I could have sold ten times as much seed as I had to spare. Now for the result. I sold seventy-five bushels of shelled corn, and it went far and wide and gave the best satisfaction. Not a word of complaint ever reached me of a failure. I am so well satisfied with my last year's experiment in kiln-drying seed, that I have this fall dried a still greater quantity, and I think I have proved that it is the only safe plan to adopt. When the first freeze came the first part of November, I had husked and put to dry about one-half the quantity of seed I intended to save, but after that freeze I dared not save any more. I husked and tried some and found that very little of it would sprout. I wish to say to farmers generally, do not hang your seed corn up in hog pens or in the corn house, or horse barn, or any such place, but put a wide shelf up over your cook stove and dry it there. When well dried it will keep any where safe, if you keep mice away from it. But be sure you put it up before any severe freezing weather. The room in which I dry my corn is 18 by 35 feet, ten feet from the ceiling to the floor, which contains my house furnace. I put in a scaffolding four feet from the lower floor, on which I spread my corn. The room is warm night and day, and in a very short time the corn is fit to shell, then I shell, put in barrels, head up, and keep in this room until spring.

FROM BAY CITY TO PETOSKEY.

PETOSKEY, MICH., Feb. 4, 1884.

DEAR HERALD:—

I do not know as your readers will care to hear from me again, but having plenty of leisure, for business is extremely dull, I tho't I would drop a word to the HERALD. Leaving Bay City for the north, in what I designate as my trip through the straits of Mackinac, after a ride of about 40 miles I came to Standish, a town of 300 souls, the principal business of which is selling whiskey and tobacco, mixed occasionally with a little business in lumber. Went to the "best hotel." Here I found a bar room, about 20 feet square, containing from 15 to 20 of the first citizens engaged in drinking whisky, smoking pipes and cigars and playing cards.—I was informed that this place constituted both office and sitting room, and this was to be my home during my stay in the city. Preferring heaven's pure air to that of the "office" I took my stand out on the platform and waited in a storm 30 minutes for my dinner, after which I soon finished my business and got my baggage checked for West Branch. Arriving at that place found that the gentlemanly and attentive baggageman had left my grip on the platform at Standish. Stayed in the city until the next day, during which time I found that the character of the hotel at Standish was fully sustained here. My baggage was duly forwarded on next train. Desiring to make Grayling the next point I arranged to have baggage sent on without being taken from the train. Arrived at Grayling and found that one piece of baggage had been left at West Branch. By this time you can easily imagine that my usually quiet temper was somewhat agitated, and in a mild yet forcible manner I offered a criticism on the official management of the M. C. R. R. Co.'s northern division. But after waiting several hours at Grayling I got my baggage all together, and had it once more checked for Otsego Lake. Here I found my old friend Kellogg and family well as usual, and the "Deacon" as usual working for the good gentlemen's soles. Here I witnessed a scene that I hope never to see again. An otherwise beautiful young woman came staggering into the depot, so thoroughly intoxicated that she was not capable of caring for herself, and asked for a ticket to Cheboygan. I cannot tell you how my old hatred came to me of that traffic which knows neither male or female, youth or old age, but is alike merciless to both, snatching the husband from the arms of a loving wife, the son and the daughter too from a mother's and father's love, and consigning them to a vile and miserable life, and a worse death.—And, Mr. Editor, I just made another vow then to strike the demon when ever or wherever I found him.

Took the train Saturday eve. for Cheboygan, where I spent the sabbath. On my trip to this place I noticed a man on the train whom I took for a Canadian lumberman going up into the north woods to look after his lumber business. I noticed that he left the train at Cheboygan. Now judge of my surprise when upon going into the M. E. church on Sabbath morn I found my lumberman dressed in his broadcloth with his snow-white collar and necktie and occupying the pulpit. The pastor introduced him as Rev. Mr. Barlow, who he said had come to C. to assist in a series of meetings. His sermon was upon the subject of the "Exellency of the knowledge of Christ, as compared with all other knowledge" and a very fine sermon it was.

Mackinaw City was the next point reached; here I had intended to cross over the Straits on the ice to Point St. Ignace, but a terrible storm of snow was coming from the north, and as we had to go in an open sleigh I gave up the trip and turned my face towards home. The determination was strengthened by the fact that a day or two before a team was returning from the Point when the swift current beneath had parted the ice in places and stepping his team upon a block of ice of a flatiron shape it began to sink with him, and it was with some difficulty that he got on to solid ice by whipping up his team sharply. It was not on my program to take a bath, with the mercury way down in the tens below zero, and so I changed the route.

The lumber interest in this country has been exceedingly quiet although the jobbers are making more money than they have for years before. Their contracts were taken in anticipation of a bare winter, and at good prices, expecting to be obliged to truck in their logs and as there has been just enough snow for them they have been very prosperous. I go from here to Cadillac, Ludington, Manistee, Pentwater, Grand Haven, and home on Saturday by the M. & O. railroad. J. H. O.

John Linton, of Ridgeway, has a Cotswold wether that weighs 305 lbs. If any one can beat that let him show up his figures.

Bishop Harris will preach at Cambridge on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 21, at 3 o'clock, and at Brooklyn the same evening.

A card from E. Brownell says he has been spending a few days at Northeast, Pa., meeting old-time friends. He goes from there to Clymer, N. Y., and thence after a two weeks' visit to Vineland.

We are indebted to state oil inspector Smith for a copy of his annual report. Bro. Smith does not deal in castor oil, nor in sweet oil, nor in linseed oil, but in good old fashioned, fire-test kerosene. The report is a very oily document.

The Fort Scott, Kansas, Monitor quotes an item which lately appeared in the HERALD about Dr. H. B. Baker and adds:

The doctor is among us and the Monitor extends to him a hearty welcome. He and Dr. Ardrie, late of Muncie, Indiana, also a graduate of Michigan University, have associated themselves together to practice their profession and have opened an office in Opera House Block, over Prager's jewelry store, and a Monitor reporter has had the pleasure of forming the acquaintance of both and finds them cultured and pleasant gentlemen.

Before you buy a Sewing Machine call at Sparks' and examine the improved White or on one or more of the many other worthless machines he is selling in Tecumseh and vicinity.

Please return those pie tins to the City Bakery, and oblige
Mrs. Snedecor.

The improved White and Domestic stand at the head. Don't fail to call and examine and compare them with other machines before purchasing. You can buy a good machine of me for $25. Old machines in good running order, $5 to $10.
G. P. Sparks.

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Glass Ware, Tin Ware, Lamps, House Furnishing Goods at
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NOTICE. Young men, get married, and then go to Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh. They will furnish your house on time.

Bargains in Sewing Machines, Needles, Oil and Attachments at Brown's studio.

Headquarters for Picture Frames. Frames made to order.
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Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends or the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

Bottom knocked out of prices at C. B. Pennock's cheap store (next to HERALD office. These goods are going to be sold for what they will bring. Come and get prices. Six quart cans only 7 cents apiece. Boiler, with copper bottom, only $1.25, and other goods in proportion.

We call attention to our large stock of Bird Cages, just received.
Adams' Novelty Store.

W. N. Snedicor has a lot of fine bob sleighs. Call and see them.

Our readers should improve some of these fine days by securing their shadow before the substance fades.

On and after January 1st, 1884, we will discount 10 per cent on all undertaking paid within 90 days from sale.
Slayton & Kinney.

If you are in need of tinware it would be for your interest to call at Pennock's, one door east of Herald office.

Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh, carry a large stock of Trunks. Get prices, they will not be undersold.

Call at Pennock's cheap store for your fancy goods.

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TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
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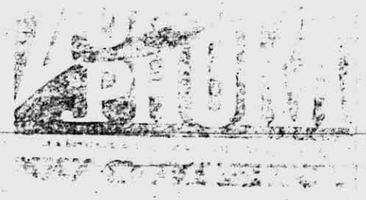

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RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—The next World's Conference of the Evangelical Alliance will be held in August, at Stockholm, Sweden.

It is noted as an interesting fact that Voltaire's house is now used for the Geneva Bible Society as a repository for Bibles.

—Mr. Talmage baptized seven persons last Sunday, and received about thirty into the Brooklyn Tabernacle on Easter. The membership is now the largest church in this country.—N. Y. Evangelist.

—Female boarding-schools are on the principle that it is undesirable on the principle that it is undesirable on the principle that the young ladies get fat, but they become pleasanter, better and better, as they grow lean, with the other meals in the meantime.—Boston Transcript.

—Stephen A. Walker, President of the New York Board of Education, gives like a college education is now known, regardless of poverty, and does not depend on a college diploma. In the meeting of the New York Board of Education, Mr. Walker said: "Thirty years ago, in New York, a man who was a college graduate was a rarity. Now it is a common thing to find a man who has not a college diploma.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
[illegible]	6 22 A.M.	2 19 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
[illegible]	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
[illegible]	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
[illegible]	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
[illegible]	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
[illegible]	7 20 "	3.26 "	4 02 "
[illegible]	8 02 "	4 00 "	9 07 "
[illegible]	10 20 "	6 42 "	
[illegible]	8 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
[illegible]	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
[illegible]	10 22 "	7 32 "	
[illegible]	11 12 "	8 22 "	4 12 A.M.
[illegible]	11.45 "	9 31 "	6 00 "
[illegible]	11 56 "	9 45 "	7 00 "
[illegible]	12 13 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
[illegible]	12 40 "	10 38 "	8 30 "
[illegible]	12 34 "	10 22 "	8 50 "
[illegible]	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 32 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27. P.M.	21. A.M.	23. P.M.
[illegible]	5 40	9 10	3 20
[illegible]	...	9 53	4 01
[illegible]	10 28	10 03	4 09
[illegible]	10 51	10 31	4 34
[illegible]	...	10 55	4 52
[illegible]	11 36	11 21	5 14
[illegible]	...	11 35	5 26
Mooreland	12 06	11 50	5 40
Fayette	...	12 04	5 52
[illegible]	1 02	12 35	6 25
[illegible]	...	12 18	6 30
[illegible]	1 11	1 05	7 00
[illegible]	...	8 50	7 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36. A.M.	22. P.M.	26. A.M.
[illegible]	7 15	11 30	
[illegible]	P.M.	A.M.	
[illegible]	2 40	8 05	2 37
[illegible]	3 06	8 35	...
[illegible]	3 20	8 57	3 03
Fayette	3 52	9 28	...
Mooreland	4 04	9 40	3 46
[illegible]	4 17	9 53	...
[illegible]	4 29	10 05	4 12
[illegible]	4 52	10 30	...
[illegible]	5 08	10 50	4 52
[illegible]	5 33	11 11	5 15
[illegible]	5 41	11 18	...
[illegible]	6 20	11 55	6 00

Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through between Toledo and Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

J. C. STEVENS, Gen'l Ticket and Pass. Agent.
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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JANUARY 12, 1884.

GOING WEST. Mixed.	STATIONS. (Central Time.)	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Mixed.
[illegible]	Toledo, Ar.	3 05 PM	7 45 PM
[illegible]	Deindee	2 05 "	6 00 "
[illegible]	Britton	1 38 "	5 06 "
[illegible]	Ridgeway	1 33 "	4 57 "
[illegible]	Tecumseh	1 23 "	4 38 "
[illegible]	Tipton	1 06 "	4 08 "
[illegible]	Cambridge	12 50 "	3 45 "
[illegible]	Addison	12 30 "	3 05 "
[illegible]	Jerome	12 05 "	2 37 "
[illegible]	Moscow	11 50 AM	2 13 "
[illegible]	Hanover	11 45 "	1 48 "
[illegible]	Pulaski	11 31 "	1 23 "
[illegible]	Homer	11 10 "	12 35 PM
[illegible]	Marshall	10 30 "	11 26 AM
[illegible]	Ceresco	10 25 "	11 02 "
[illegible]	Battle Creek	10 06 "	10 29 "
[illegible]	Augusta	9 35 "	9 35 "
[illegible]	Yorkville	9 27 "	9 08 "
[illegible]	Richland	9 19 "	8 55 "
[illegible]	Monteith	9 10 "	7 12 "
[illegible]	Fisk	8 56 "	7 23 "
[illegible]	Kellogg	8 23 "	7 13 "
[illegible]	At Allegan, Lv	8 10 AM	6 50 AM

TRAIN CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo: With all Railroads diverging. At Wyandotte: With T., A. A. & G. T. At Brittons: With St. Louis & Pacific. At Tecumseh: With L. S. & M. S. At Jerome: With L. S. & M. S. At Hanover: With L. S. & M. S. At Homer: With L. S. & M. S. (Lansing Division), and Division of the Mich. Central. At Marshall: With N. Y. C. & H. R. R. At Battle Creek: With G. Grand Trunk and M. C. R. R. At Augusta: With Grand Rapids & Indiana. At Richland: With Chicago & West Mich. and L. S. & M. S.

Daily except Sunday.

LUTHER ALLEN,
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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

Trains run by Central Time.

GOING NORTH. STATIONS.	No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
Lv. Toledo	A.M. 9 30	P.M. 1 45	P.M. 4 55
" Manhattan Junc.	9 29	1 39	4 38
" Alexis	9 16	1 28	4 30
" Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 22
" Samaria	9 02	1 05	4 09
" Lulu	8 47	12 48	3 56
" Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 50
" Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 40
" Vicko	8 20	12 20	3 25
" Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 22
" Milan	8 06	12 08	3 17
" Nora	7 50	12 02	
		A.M.	
" Dixboro	7 52	11 58	3 10
" Delphield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
Ar. Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 19
" Leland	7 12	11 26	2 30
" Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
" South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo with railroads diverging. At Manhattan Junction with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R., at Alexis with C. T. R. R., L. S. & M. S., and L. E. & M. S. R. R., at Hawthorne Junction with L. S. & M. S. R. R., at Samaria with L. S. & M. S. and M. & O. R. R., at Lulu with W., St. L. & P. R. R., at Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S. R. R., at Milan with L. S. & M. S. and M. & O. R. R., at Delphield Junction with D. L. & N. and G. T. R. R., at South Lyon with D. L. & N. and G. T. R. R.

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The Survival of the Fittest.

Boston culture is proverbial. Its repute is world-wide. Travel where you may, on this continent or any other, from Pike's Peak to Borrioboolah Gha, from the Andes to the Apennines, if you meet a young woman who speaks English and is thoroughly up in the "ologies" you know at once that she comes from Boston. And if you are fortunate enough to be in Boston itself you find that this culture is as all-persuasive at home as it is notorious elsewhere. It is not confined to one Boston girl, or a few, but to all Boston girls; and finding this fact one wonders how it happens that there are no exceptions, and wonders, most of all, how all the young women of so large a city as Boston can possibly stand the processes of culture and live through them.

The explanation does not lie on the surface, but it is comparatively easy. It is a clear case of survival of the fittest. The result is reached in the same way as the healthful robustness of the children of the very poor is. It used to be regarded as wonderful that these children, exposed to all manner of privations and hardships, were rugged and stout and hearty, with a heartiness that shamed the well-nurtured children of the well-to-do. Social philosophers used to moralize about it, and attribute it to the exposure and privation, and they used to recommend that the children who had warm houses and beds should be subjected to cold and hunger to "toughen" them. There is an occasional philosopher—a good deal behind the age, who does this now. But the majority of intelligent people have come to the conclusion that the reason why the children of want and hardship are stout and healthy is that the weaklings have all died off. They are rugged and strong, not because of hardship, but in spite of it, because they were by nature and inheritance so tough that privation could not kill them in infancy, as it did their weaker brethren. And this is the true explanation, without doubt, of the fact that all living young women in Boston have become cultured and still live. The system pursued in making them so is so exacting that the weaklings have all been killed off and only the strongest and toughest, the ones who can stand the entire strain, survive.

Whether the people of Boston realize this we do not know. The physicians do. In the death certificate given a few days since in the case of a little Boston girl aged fourteen, the doctor wrote: "Due to the Boston school system of cramming—too much study and brain work." He knew why it was that the mature representatives of Boston culture showed no signs of injury in the process. It was because they were tough enough to stand it; while those who were not tough enough had given up the struggle and been laid away in the churchyard.

Commenting on this case the Boston *Globe* gives a pretty definite notion of the process to which this particular young girl succumbed, as hundreds more have done, no doubt. The list of studies in the school she attended included mathematics, language, geography, history, drawing on paper and in books, and music; and each of the studies was divided into two or more branches of special work. The mathematical department embraced powers of numbers; square root and its applications; mensuration of the triangle, parallelogram, trapezoid, circle, prism, pyramid, cylinder, cone and sphere; cube root and its applications; book-keeping; and oral exercises and arithmetic at sight. What the historical study called for the *Globe* shows in the following composition, found among the examination papers of the poor victim:

a composition written in school upon demand as one of a number of historical essays which pupils were expected to be prepared with.

"Foreign War: Flodden Field. Henry VIII. wished to play a great part in Europe and he soon became mixed up in the continental wars. Having been joined by the Emperor-elect, Maximilian, he routed the French at Guines, near Calais, and this was called the Battle of the Spurs, on account of the flight of the enemy's cavalry. While these things were going on in France, the Scots took advantage and invaded England, but were met by Thomas Howard, Earl of Surrey, at Flodden Field, in 1513, and a severe battle took place, in which the King of Scotland, James VI., and the rose of the Nation died together on the field. The next year peace was made with France, Mary, sister of Henry VIII., marrying Louis XII., of France; but he died soon after, and she married Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk."

It is not remarkable that the poor child, in the delirium which preceded her final release from the cramming system, went over her studies in history and mathematics, reciting page after page from her text-books in heart-breaking repetition. But it is remarkable that with such evidence before them of the fatality of their system, the people of Boston do not come to the rescue of their suffering children. *Detroit Free Press.*

The Imitative Mania in Japan.

Yokohama was reached at last, and after some difficulty we landed. Here I was in our duty and delight first to make the acquaintance of the Japanese civilization in use, about which more hereafter. A worthy brother of a missionary, Mr. Justice Hannon, was a passenger in the same ship I travelled on, coming, as he was, to live in Japan as Judge of the Supreme Court. It was necessary hard-headed work for my packages of luggage. Happily we succeeded in not opening all. Imagine a long, long, long inside of the ship, including the kitchen boiler, and [illegible] a large foresail. All [illegible] "Stop!" said the [illegible] "No," was the reply. [illegible] "Ah, but it is a very [illegible] the Japanese. He knew [illegible] horses body [illegible] and he felt that [illegible] character, as a [illegible] to describe a thing [illegible] be satisfactorily treated as an [illegible] the mantle of imitation. The Japan [illegible] to England, small, dapper little men in European clothing, give a somewhat incorrect impression to the English mind. The Japanese at home is the person to see. He has come to the conclusion that European clothing may be advantageously worn, and he adopts it, not in its entirety, but as a sort of blend, so you may see a gentleman in a not-hat with a rag round his waist and nothing more; or you will be met by a person in a swallow-tailed coat and no trousers. We encountered a noble in a crush hat, a brown velvet en shooting jacket and a pair of light green pants. His feet were mounted on Japanese clogs. Probably he will buy a pair of French boots some day. At present he is in the transition state.

My friend took as a guide a descendant of the old nobility of the country, who wore a stovepipe hat, a Japanese waistcloth, and a pair of straw sandals. He was just as affable as though he had been incumbered with a suit from a London West-end tailor's, and this shows that the Japanese are not a conceited people. They know how to imitate what is good. You land some luggage. They come up to you in the guise of Custom-house officers. You ask which package they would like opened. They say, "All," and they laugh like so many monkeys. They have heard that this is the proper way to do it. But when you have opened the bags at infinite trouble they do not properly search them. It would be rude in their opinion to haul your things over, and so they ejaculate, "A' right," and chalk or stamp the sides of the bags. You ask them why they had opened them at all, and they grin again. They do not know. It is useless to question them; they would be unable to give an answer. And so it is with all their imitation. They wear, as I have said, many of our clothes, yet would be infinitely more comfortable if they wore their old costumes. But they have been told that the pot-hat and the tailed coat and the tight sleeve are the right things to wear, and so they put them on. The reason is always manifest; it is a curious readiness to imitate. In one particular they imitate Robinson Crusoe. When they have nothing else to put on they clothe themselves in straw, which gives them the absurd appearance of a walking wheat-stack. The straw is threaded and hung round their necks. It is useful, in so far that it throws off the rain and snow just like the thatch on an English farm-laborer's cottage, but it can scarcely be said to be ornamental in our sense of the word. Yet the Japanese think it all right, and it doubtless accords with their ideas of beauty. Surmounting this shoulder-thatch of straw is usually a straw hat made in the form of an inverted saucer. This, at any rate, is the most sensible head-dress for the country ever invented. It keeps off sun and rain alike, is light and not altogether unpicturesque. The more civilized Japanese—those who would despise a straw shoulder-thatch—have discarded it in favor of the European pot-hat. But here is simply the result of the imitative mania which afflicts them. They will probably return to the saucer-shaped hat some day, when they have learned that neither the stove-pipe head-gear nor the deer-stalker forms the chief embodiment of human happiness. Already even they are finding out that the good old Japanese flowing robes are more comfortable for home wear, at any rate, than the straight unyielding garb of western civilization. My American friend burst in upon a Japanese of rank at Nagasaki, one morning, and was surprised to find him in the original clothing of the land of the Rising Sun. "Hallo!" said he, "you've taken too much old rye last night, and got into the wrong togs, eh?" "No," was the reply. "Now, I have found out that in my house my old clothes are more better than Europe fashion. When I go out I wear Europe coat, but not in house," a remark that showed the worthy Japanese to be an intelligent person and a frank one. There was at any rate no attempt to disguise the fact that he only wore clothes in "Europe fashion" because he wished to appear civilized to the outside world.—*Cor. London Telegraph.*

A Shocking Scene.

The Transvaal *Advertiser* contains an account of the execution of the Kaffir Chief Mampoer for murder and rebellion. The Executive Council decided that sentence of death should be carried out within the precincts of the jail; but for some reason or other it was resolved to vary the practice in the case of Mampoer, and the gallows were erected on the western side of the jail, within the inclosure.

Shortly after six o'clock in the morning Mampoer was marched from his cell to the inclosure, and, after some delay consequent upon a defect in the arrangements, he mounted the platform with a firm step and without any outward sign of fear. He was then pinioned, and his legs bound, and the halter adjusted about his neck, and then only a nervous twitching of the fingers was visible. Shortly afterward a bolt was drawn and the drop fell. A horrible scene ensued. The rope broke, and the unfortunate wretch fell into the pit which had been dug to give the requisite fall. The hangman, Booth, was for a short time unnerved by this incident, and did not know what to do but the sheriff and another official went to his assistance, and the body was once more hoisted on to the platform, and the rope knotted, and the body left hanging for the prescribed time. It is stated that one rock of the chief was dislocated by the fall, and if so, probably life was already extinct before the body was suspended for the stated time. The Government engineer, the sheriff, Mr. Kathe, [illegible] were concerned that the Government [illegible] consider [illegible] and [illegible] at he will proceed to Natal [illegible]

A number of [illegible] has [illegible] and Messrs. Jones and Lyscott have [illegible] valuable estate in Groton, Mass., for the establishment and endowment of an Episcopal school for boys, modeled after St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H. *Boston Post.*

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 14, 1884.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE, Feb. 4.—The following bills were reported favorably, with amendments, and placed in the calendar: A bill providing for the suppression and extirpation of pleuro-pneumonia and other contagious diseases of domestic animals; to provide for the execution of treaty stipulations relating to the Chinese; to increase the efficiency of the army; to provide for an indemnity to the State of Iowa, due under various acts relating to swamp and overflowed lands. The chair laid before the Senate the resolution offered by Mr. Butler requesting the President to transmit to the Senate a record of the proceedings of the Proteus inquiry; agreed to. The Senate then went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.—The following bills were referred: Authorizing the purchase of smug harbors for disabled seamen; for the establishment of a branch home for disabled volunteers in one of the Western States. Mr. Clements reported a resolution calling upon the Secretary of State for information of how many and when foreign ministers, consuls or agents of the United States to any foreign country have been sent from their posts of duty since the 1st of January, 1882, the length of such absence, and also whether the salary had been paid during that time; adopted. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Pleuro-pneumonia bill, and after a lengthy discussion the committee rose without coming to any conclusion and the House adjourned.

SENATE, Feb. 5.—Mr. Call offered a resolution requesting the President of the United States to prevent the delivery of Senator Carlos Aguero, the Cuban patriot now in prison at Key West, Fla., on demand of the Spanish Government upon the charge of highway robbery; referred to the committee on Federal Relations. A number of bills were reported favorably from the committees and placed on the calendar. Mr. Hill's bill relating to the lands occupied by certain settlers, and formerly believed to form a part of the Reservation, was taken up, and after an amendment providing that the lands referred to be returned to the public domain was passed. The Senate resumed consideration of the Mexican land grant titles bill, which was being debated when adjournment was agreed to.

HOUSE.—Mr. Hammond introduced a bill to withdraw from a distillery warehouse, without tax, alcohol or other spirits to be used in the manufacture of drugs, medicines and other chemicals; referred. A bill was passed making provision for removing the remains of the late Captain Walter Clifford from Wyoming to Michigan. The House proceeded to the consideration of the resolution making the rules of the Forty-sixth Congress, as amended by the House, the rules of the Forty-eighth Congress until further orders of the House, during debate on which the point of no quorum being raised, the House adjourned.

SENATE, Jan. 8.—Mr. Frye, from the Committee on Commerce, reported a bill to remove certain burdens from the American merchant marine and to encourage the foreign carrying trade," placed on the calendar. Mr. Logan offered a bill creating a commission to inquire into and report upon the material, industrial and intellectual progress made by the colored people of the United States since 1865, and making an appropriation for the same; referred. The Mexican land grant titles bill was taken up and, after a lengthy debate, passed. An executive session was voted down and the Senate adjourned till the 11th.

HOUSE.—On motion of Mr. Davis, of Illinois, a joint resolution was passed authorizing the Secretary of War to furnish tents, etc., for the fifth annual reunion of the soldiers and sailors of the Northwest, at Chicago, August 1884. Mr. Goff introduced a joint resolution appropriating $100,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the overflow of the Ohio River; referred. Mr. Willis introduced a bill, which was referred, temporarily providing for the support of common schools; it provides for an appropriation of from $1,000,000 to $10,000,000 for the next ten years, the appropriation to be reduced $1,000,000 each succeeding year. Adjourned until the 11th.

WASHINGTON.

A FAVORABLE report on the bill to prevent the spread of pleuro-pneumonia, prepared by representatives of the cattle interest and introduced by Senator Miller, has been unanimously ordered by the Senate Committee on Agriculture.

THE Naval Appropriation bill has been completed by the House Committee on Appropriations. It provides for the appropriation of $14,329,193, being $8,326,304 less than the estimates, and $1,565,248 less than the appropriation for the current year. A sufficient amount has been agreed upon to complete the four steel cruisers proposed by the Secretary of the Navy. Nothing is given, however, for the completion of the monitors, for which $5,500,000 was asked.

THE proposed measure for the withdrawal of the trade dollars, reported to the House by the Committee on Coinage, provides that until January 1, 1886, the trade dollar shall be received at its face value in payment of all dues to the United States, and shall not be again paid out or in any other manner reissued. The holders of coin may receive in exchange, dollar for dollar, any silver coin of the United States on presentation of the trade dollar at the office of the Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, or at any of the mints of the United States. The bill also provides that the trade dollar shall be recoined into any authorized coin of the Government.

THE House Committee on Railways and Canals have instructed Representative Murphy to favorably report his bill for the construction of the Hennepin Canal. The bill provides for the appropriation of one million dollars.

The Western Associated Press has memorialized Congress to reduce the postage on transient newspapers to one cent for four ounces.

SUIT was brought against Frederick Douglass in Washington on the 8th by Miss Sprague, who claims $20,000 for services rendered during the last twelve years as manager of the Douglass household. Douglass claims that he had always treated her as his daughter, kept her elegantly clothed and gave her what spending money she needed; but that she had taken umbrage at his marriage, left his home, and brings this suit for her services.

WILLIAM M. EVARTS, representing the Western Union Telegraph Company, was before the Senate Committee on Postoffices and Postroads on the 8th and made argument on legal points involved in several bills introduced looking to the establishment of a system of postal telegraph.

THE EAST.

AT Hazleton, Pa., on the night of the 7th a disastrous cave-in occurred. The ground occupied by three dwellings in the center of the town suddenly sank about eight feet, huge fissures spreading over the earth on all sides and radiating for a distance of several hundred feet. Two of the dwellings were badly wrecked. Quite a number of persons were in the buildings at the time, and the wildest excitement and terror prevailed for a few minutes. Many leaped from the second story windows, being unable to escape from the lower stories. One man jumped from the third story window and broke a leg. The neighboring buildings were much shaken. During the night the ground sank two feet more, and the inmates of the neighboring houses have moved, fearing another cave-in.

THE depredations on the oyster beds in the Chesapeake Bay have been renewed. On the 8th a steamer and sloop armed with rifles and revolvers were ordered to proceed against the thieves.

BUSINESS failures reported for the week ended the 8th were: United States, 232; Canada, 46; total, 278; decrease over previous week, 36.

FRANKS & Co., a New York woolen firm, assigned on the 8th with liabilities of $115,000; assets $20,000.

THE New Jersey Legislature has passed the bill abolishing the prison contract labor system.

THE licenses of eleven hundred liquor sellers in New York City were revoked on the 8th for violation of the excise law.

THE Mutual fire and marine insurance business of Pennsylvania is thus reported by the Insurance Commissioner of that State: Gross assets, $37,441,220; income of 1883, net cash fire premiums, $8,701,068; net cash marine and inland premiums, $2,430,988; total cash receipts, $12,962,042. Expenditures, fire losses $5,450,773; marine and inland losses, $1,771,707; dividend to stockholders, $1,568,663; total expenditures, $12,722,022. Liabilities, adjusted and unadjusted claims and unpaid losses, $4,330,768; reinsurance funds, $9,350,878; total liabilities, including reinsurance and capital, $27,504,140. Surplus over liabilities exclusive of capital, $22,923,081; over liabilities, including capital, $9,947,081. Risks written during 1883, including perpetuals, $1,208,862,468; net amount at risk January 1, 1884, including perpetuals, $1,243,068,946.

A SUIT brought by Wilhelm, Pichardt & Kutroff, of New York, against the Government to recover excessive duties, and which involved some $200,000 or $400,000, [illegible] of the Government.

A NOTED burglar and cracksman named Richmond Hadley, alias James Higgins, was arrested at Baltimore, Md., on the 9th by Special Agent Henderson, of the Secret Service. Though comparatively a young man, Hadley is a desperate character. He has been engaged in no less than forty-two postoffice robberies throughout the country; has escaped from the clutches of four sheriffs and is wanted for the shooting of several men in making his escape.

MICHAEL BUCKLEY and James Sheehan were arrested in New York on the 9th for killing James Young in a saloon in that city in 1873. They fled the city at the time, only returning a few days ago.

FOLLOWING is a statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 9th: Loans increase, $3,074,000; specie increase, $4,274,000; legal tenders increase, $897,000; deposits increase, $6,824,000; circulation decrease, $92,000; reserve decrease, $1,796,400. The banks held $21,095,000 in excess of legal requirements.

"EDDIE" GOODIE, leader of the gang which stole $17,000 worth of silks from a custom house dray in 1870, committed a similar robbery in 1874, robbed a bank messenger of $10,000 in 1878 and the Planet mills messenger of a large sum a few months ago, was arrested on the 9th for the robbery of Luther M. Church last December.

NEAR Uniontown, Pa., on the 9th, Alpheus Wilson, sixty years of age, was murdered by his son Frank. The two had been drinking together and had a quarrel, when Frank drew a revolver and shot him dead. The parricide was soon after arrested.

SIX convicts, five colored and one white, were publicly whipped at New Castle, Del., on the 9th.

LIEUTENANT RHODES has distributed the testimonial fund of $2,053, given him through the Boston *Post*, for bravery in rescuing passengers from the City of Columbus, among his brother officers and crew of the revenue cutter Dexter.

WEST AND SOUTH.

THE dwelling of Edwin Rockliff, near Monticello, Minn., burned on the 7th and John Post, the only occupant, burned to death.

ADVICES from the winter wheat crop from eight States has been received by the Chicago *Times*. The acreage is about as usual, the crop has been generally well protected by snow, and there are no unfavorable indications as to the yield. Southern Indiana and Illinois seem to be the most highly favored.

A NUMBER of "Jesse James juniors" at Minneapolis, Minn., on the 7th took a lad named John Nolan to a neighbor's barn and hanged him. He was struggling in death throes when found and cut down.

TWO Milwaukee boys aged thirteen, named Puetz and McCullough, were recently found guilty of an attempt to rob a street car driver, whom they shot in the head when he resisted.

FOURTEEN men were wounded, one fatally and three dangerously, by the overturning of a construction train on the Louisiana, Northern & Texas Road near Port Gibson, Mississippi, recently.

DANIEL WALLACE, alias "Texas Dan," suspected of the robbery and attempted murder of Leander W. Brown, near Dallas, Tex., last November, was arrested at Chicago on the 7th and will be returned to Texas.

AT New Orleans on the 8th James Graham shot and killed his wife and then cut his own throat. He was suffering from mental depression caused by drink.

THE Mississippi House recently refused to submit to a vote of the counties the control of the liquor traffic.

D. W. KEARE, of San Francisco, an old Western Union operator, was recently arrested for divulging the contents of cipher messages.

THE mystery of the Crouch murder near Jackson, Mich., in which a wealthy farmer and three of his family were slaughtered, was recently intensified by the shooting of young Schuler, who was mistaken for another person, and the suicide of his assailant, Foy. The affair became still further complicated on the night of the 8th by an attempt to murder Detective Brown, who was engaged upon the case, and was shot down near the village of Horton by a man whom he claims was Judson Crouch, son of the murdered father, and who has been under suspicion.

A TERRIBLE tragedy occurred at Hot Springs, Ark., on the 9th. While three brothers, Frank, Jack and William Flynn, were proceeding home in a hack, a party of seven men opened fire upon them from the door of a saloon. Jack Flynn was almost instantly killed; William was fatally and Frank slightly wounded; Frank Hall, the driver of the hack, was shot through the neck and fell in about an hour; and Robert Fitzgerald and J. H. Craig, bystanders, were fatally wounded. The assailants, who were at once arrested, were S. A. Doran, the two Pruitt brothers, Howell and three others. The cause of the difficulty is said to be on account of Frank Flynn endeavoring to prevent Doran from opening a gambling house. Threats of lynching the murderers were freely made.

AT Milwaukee, Wis., on the 10th Jerry St. Arnold, a lover of Bridget Reagan, while out walking with her, shot her in the face and then fired into his own brain. When found by the police both were in the throes of death. They had been intimate about a year, and the tragedy was the result of jealousy.

FRANK JACOBUS, of San Francisco, the embezzling Secretary of the Eureka Consolidated Mining Company, who was recently liberated on $20,000 bail, has been rearrested on nine charges of forgery.

AT a special meeting of the Board of Trade of Portland, Oregon, on the 9th, representing $15,000,000 worth of property resolutions were adopted calling on Oregon's Senators and Representatives to oppose the forfeiture of the Northern Pacific land grant or any part of it.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

THE trial of fifty-two members of the London Park Club, charged with gambling in playing baccarat at the rooms of the chief has terminated. The proprietor of the club and the members of the committee were fined £500 each.

AT DeKalb, Mo., on the 7th Columbus Spratt, aged eighteen, having been worsted in a fist fight with James Mitchell, shot and killed the latter. Spratt provoked the fight because Mitchell was a friend and defender of Frank Brown, a man who murdered Spratt's father five years ago.

UNDER the heading "Speed to Mahdi," the Dublin *United Ireland* of the 7th congratulates the False Prophet on his recent victory, and hopes that neither Sinkat nor Khartoum will be relieved. It trusts that General Gordon will meet the same fate as Baker Pasha, and asserts that it will rejoice to hear of El Mahdi's victorious arrival at Cairo.

OFFICIAL dispatches from Tonquin under date of the 8th announce that the rebels in the provinces of Namdinh and Sontay have been dispersed with heavy losses. The rebel leader, DeDoc, was wounded and took refuge in Bacninh. Between 400 and 500 rebels were slain.

WHOLESALE arrests of persons merely suspected of socialism are being made at St. Petersburg.

ARNOLD GUYOTT BLAIR, professor of geology and physical geography, and for thirty years connected with Princeton College, New Jersey, died on the 8th, aged seventy-six.

A DISPATCH from Suakim of the 8th states that spies from Sinkat report that the garrison there, having eaten up the camels, cats and dogs, were devouring tree leaves.

SUAKIM, Egypt, was proclaimed to be in a state of seige on the 8th.

HERR NEVE, formerly London manager of the Socialist paper *Freiheit*, has been condemned by the Berlin authorities to six months' imprisonment for selling that paper.

ALL foreigners employed upon Russian railways have been notified that they must be naturalized or they will be dismissed at the expiration of three months.

As one of the results of the recent volcanic eruption in the Straits of Sunda, a probable rise in the price of coffee is reported. The effect of the ash shower on the Java coffee fields will reduce the yield twenty-five per cent. below that of last year, besides affecting the quality.

THE ship Andrew Jackson, from Cardiff, South Wales, for Coquisto, is believed to be lost with all on board. The captain had his wife and two children with him.

LATE advices from South Africa report the death of Cetewayo, the famous Zulu chieftain, of heart disease.

MISS FORTESQUE, in a breach of promise action against Lord Garmoyle, at London, Eng., estimates the damage to her affections at £50,000.

LATER NEWS.

THE case against Frank James and Charles Ford, charged with the Blue Cut train robbery in 1881, was dismissed in the Criminal Court at Kansas City, Mo., on the 11th. The Attorney General stated that the case against James for bank robbery at Gallatin would also be dismissed, thus vacating all the indictments in Missouri. James was immediately taken before Judge Krekel, of the United States Court, to answer to the charge of robbery of the United States Paymaster at Mussel Shoals, Ala.

THE Paris *Le Monde* of the 11th publishes a dispatch from the French Bishop in Tonquin, saying that a priest, twenty-two Christians and two hundred and eleven pagans have been murdered and nine Christian and eighteen mission houses have been destroyed.

THE county jail at Wausau, Wis., burned on the morning of the 11th and two inmates were burned to death.

AT East St. Louis on the 11th, Jim Ripley, a worthless vagabond, shot and killed his ten year old son. He was lodged in the police station and barely escaped lynching.

EIGHTEEN drunken men boarded a coal train on the T., C. & St. L. road in Fayette County, O., on the 11th, traversed conductor Thomas Curtin away, seriously injuring him, and fatally beat Brakeman T. S. Collins, who came to his rescue. The engineer saved his life by cutting loose from the train and running to Edgeville.

THE credentials of Hon. Henry B. Payne, Senator-elect from Ohio, were presented in the Senate on the 11th by Senator Pendleton.

THOMAS C. HENNERY, editor of the London *Times* since 1877 and a distinguished oriental scholar, is dead.

THE serious illness of Judge Hunt, United States Minister to St. Petersburg, is reported.

IN the Senate on the 11th a bill for the relief of the survivors of the Jeannette expedition was reported favorably. Numerous bills of a private nature were introduced and referred. A message having been received from the House announcing its continued disagreement to the Senate amendment to the Greeley relief bill, the Senate by a vote of 29 to 22 receded from its amendment. After a short executive session the doors were reopened and a message was received from the House announcing the passage of a joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of War to use rations for the relief of destitute persons in the region of the overflow of the Ohio River and tributaries and making an appropriation of $300,000 to relieve the sufferers by such overflow. The joint resolution was read three times and passed. Adjourned. In the House bills were introduced and referred: For restoring to the pension rolls those dropped on account of disloyalty; to provide additional life saving stations on the sea and lake coasts; for the preservation of the woods and forests of the National domain adjacent to navigable rivers. A joint resolution appropriating $300,000 for the relief of the sufferers from the overflow of the Ohio River and its tributaries was passed. Adjourned.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Feb. 14, 1884:

Blotts, James	Gates, James
Britton, Luthur	Jones, Delia
Chase, Thomas F.	Kramap Emilia
Fromens, Mary	Vanduzer, Kittie
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Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 07
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Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56 @ 57
Clover Seed	5 50 @ 6 00
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz	15 @ 22
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00 @ 7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @ 5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@ 15
Ham, ₩ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@ 10
Oats, ₩ bushel	28 @ 32
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @ 35
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 30
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
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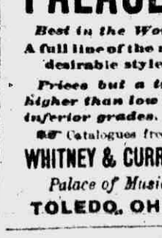

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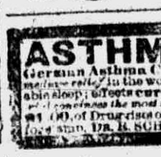

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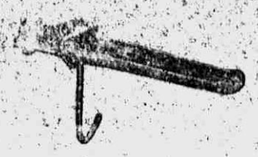

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Abe Harrington has bought the Darling farm, joining the one he sold on the east, of 149 acres, for $9,500, and is preparing to build a large frame house the coming season.

The Grange social brought out a full house. The program consisted of an essay by Dr. Howell, extempore remarks by Rev. Borden, recitations, songs, refreshments, &c., altogether a very enjoyable time.

There will be a church social at Anson Harmon's Feb. 22nd, afternoon and evening.

Mrs. E. Harmon is quite indisposed.

Thomas Bradley is slowly recovering from a stroke of palsy.

Twin Jersey calves at Frank Davenport's.

M. Karcher, Geo. Miller and their wives took their excursion to Allegan last week.

Fred Davenport, son of Frank Davenport, has been quite indisposed for some time. He was taken worse Sunday evening and is in a very critical condition.

Robert John Gregg broke his leg above the ankle while working in the woods Saturday.

The HERALD wants to know when there will be five Fridays in February again. Let's see. Leap year comes every four years, and Friday comes every seven days. 4 times 7 are 28. 28 plus 1884 equals 1912. How's that? Now some one tell when there will be five Saturdays in February. We can remember when statesmen and clergymen used to flatter the people on the great wisdom of our forefathers in selecting the 4th day of March as inauguration day, claiming that it did not occur on Sunday only once in about 200 years. Will some one tell when inauguration day will occur again on Sunday, and whether the 4th of March does not come on Sunday as often as any other day?

MACON MOLECULES.

It looks as though Macon would need an ark. It is, however, rather short of gopher wood and hickory bark.

A donation party at Grange hall Wednesday evening for the benefit of Rev. Mr. Borden.

Miss Hattie Pettit, of Eaton Rapids, has been visiting friends in Macon and Saline for a few days.

The sociable at Edwin Howell's last week was a complete success. The proceeds amounted to $15.25.

Mrs. Knight, of Bridgewater, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Howell, this week.

The band boys meet every week for practice. Mr. VanDeMark, of Clinton, is teaching them.

RIDGEWAY RATTLINGS.

Slush, slush, slush!

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bailey of Mexico are visiting their uncle, Mr. Wm. H. Arner.

Mr. Alfred Mosher of Addison passed the Sabbath with friends in this village. He reports business lively with him.

Miss Ella Jackson of the Normal came home for a two days visit last Friday.

Miss Allie McNeil, another Normalite, was the guest of Mrs. John Arner for a few days last week.

Mr. Wells is moving his blacksmithing tools to Addison.

Mrs. David McNair and son of Tecumseh, called on friends here last Tuesday.

Mr. A. R. Arner has secured a position on the Wabash road in Detroit. Success to him.

Miss Kittie Clark officiated as teacher in our school last Monday in the absence of Mr. Kalder. She filled the position very creditably.

Mr. Ed. VanVleet shipped in a car load of corn this week, which he is selling at 57cts per bushel.

J. D. Arner is taking a trip through Gratiot, Oakland, and Isabella counties and other parts of the north. Look out for the "orange blossoms" when he gets back.

Mr. C. E. Triplet and wife attended the literary meeting last Friday evening. He did some very fine reading on that occasion.

Both old and young people, to the number of 125, made Mr. Frank Davidson a very pleasant surprise last Saturday evening. All passed a very pleasant evening, and each strove to excel the others in acts of merriment. During the evening, the younger members of the company enlivened the proceedings by pricking one another with brass pins. Mr. G. W. Jackson earned the medal by jumping the greatest distance from the business end of a large shawl pin. About eleven o'clock the party dispersed, feeling joyful and full of cheerful reminiscences of a very pleasant surprise.

The Literary Society rendered a very fine programme at the M. E. Church last Friday evening. All the actors did well, especially Mr. Frank Temple who read an original poem. No part of the entertainment was slighted. Friday evening, Feb. 29th, the Literary Society and Ladies Mite Social Committee unite for a grand entertainment, consisting of a literary program and refreshments. The literary program will be rendered in the audience room of the church, after which the company will sojourn to the lecture-room and refresh themselves with coffee, cheese, pickles, cold meats, cakes, &c. It is expected that speakers will be present to respond to the toasts, "The Church, Our Literary, &c." An admission fee of 15cts. each for adults, and 10cts. for children under twelve years of age will be charged. No effort will be spared that will help make the meeting a success.

The following is the program:

Music—Voluntary.
Prayer.
Music—Greeting Chorus.
Greeting—President.
Recitation—Miss Flora Smith.
Declamation—George Arner.
Music—Miss Belle Barlow.
Reading—Blanche Campbell.
Poem—Frank Temple.
Music—Juveniles.
Paper—Martin Palmer.
Essay—Mrs. W. R. Wilson.
Music—Double Quartette.
Colloquy, rendered by nine young ladies.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Feb. 16, 1884:

Estate of Mary Thompson, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing March 3, 1884.

Estate of David Waltermire, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing March 3, 1884.

Estate of James E. Parker, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing March 3, 1884.

Estate of James Mills, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Louisa Pfester, minor; guardian's report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of William W. Bissell, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing March 3, 1884.

Estate of Benjamin F. Beagle, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners on Keller or Riga outlet drain, Townships of Deerfield and Riga; affidavits of service of citation filed; order appointing three commissioners.

Estate of Catherine Nellis, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Lucy Ann Hoadley, deceased; petition for appointment of an administrator; hearing March 10, 1884.

Estate of Arthur J. Slater, minor; release of guardian; order of discharge.

Estate of Edmund Hand, deceased; petition for assignment of dower and consent of heirs filed; order appointing commissioners to assign dower.

Estate of Thomas Collins, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing March 10, 1884.

Estate of Polly Antisdale, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond, $5,000.

Estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $2,000.

Estate of David H. Liberman, et al., minors; affidavit of publication; guardian's account allowed.

Estate of John H Whitaker, deceased; petition for proof of foreign will; hearing March 10, 1884.

Estate of Rebecca M. Bennett, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $500.

Estate of Elias J. Baldwin, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing March 17, 1884.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners for Kilburn drain, Riga; application filed; order for citation; citation issued; hearing Feb. 23, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending Feb. 16:

CAMBRIDGE.

A. M. Keeney to H. B. Case. Land on sec. 16. $1,760.

FRANKLIN.

W. N. Perkins to Willard Perkins. Land on sec. 30. $4,000.

RAISIN.

W. H. Thompson to C. W. Thompson. Land on sec. 21. $700.

RIDGEWAY.

Joseph Daykin to Ransom Miller. Land on sec. 2. $3,500.

ROME.

Phebe D. Watson to Antonette Lant. Land on sec. 15. $300.

Council proceedings will appear next week.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Diphtheria at Saranac.

A big roller process flour mill is being built at Holly.

Lively revival meeting at Cadillac and over 30 conversions reported.

Thought that salt can be found by boring at Muir.

Four hundred knights of labor at Saginaw City.

A chair factory has been established at Traverse City.

H. Wisner, of near Stanton, lost 17 sheep by the ravages of dogs.

Milan has one electric light. It is in the drug store of H. B. Bessac.

A contagious and fatal horse disease prevails in the vicinity of Nashville.

A steamer is being built at Grand Haven to ply between Fruitport and Escanaba.

Mrs. W. Carson, of Stanwood, accidentally scalded her baby to death a few days ago.

The first baptist society of East Saginaw has lifted its debt, and feels better.

The examination of Mrs. Vanderhoff, alleged husband poisoner, has again been postponed.

C. McMann had a leg crushed by the cars on a logging road near Roscommon last week.

Dr. Chas. B. Allyn, formerly of Plymouth, died in Florida a few days ago.

Hughes and Ward, the temperance team, are doing a fine work at St. Joseph.

Ed. Hifield, a moulder at Dowagiac, terribly burned by molton iron last Friday.

J. C. Hutchins, of Fife Lake, endeavored to shoot a dog. The doctor found the ball in Hutchins' wrist.

A four year old boy named Andrew Wimple killed by being run over by a load of logs near Mecosta.

An Adrian man carried a dislocated shoulder two months before he found out what was the matter.

About 75 men in the locomotive department of the Michigan Central shops at Jackson have been laid off.

The department of manual training "takes" firstrate at the Michigan military academy.

The sporting men of Hillsdale are utilizing Baw Beese lake for fishing, skating and ice boat racing.

Adrian will sink a well with a view to getting natural gas, with which to run its waterworks engine.

Henry M. Pratt, of Prattville, Hillsdale county, seriously, perhaps fatally injured by falling on the ice.

Mrs. Barbara Jones, who recently died at Novi, aged 88 years, was carried to the grave by her five sons.

The inmates of the industrial home for girls at Adrian, are to be taught laundry work, sewing, knitting, etc.

Big railroad meeting at Hudson last week. If the Grand Trunk goes through that way Hudson proposes to be on the line, if possible.

A Novesta man is charged with shooting at his son with a shotgun.—He missed the boy, but was jailed all the same.

E. H. Barrows, whose photograph car was burned a few weeks ago has purchased the gallery of Frank Mills, and will locate in Milan.

An unknown woman left her child in the care of another woman at White Pigeon while she "went out to do some trading." She is still out.

A house at Fife Lake, owned by M. J. Bond and occupied by George Rader, burned last week. The contents were saved.

A commercial traveling man from Milwaukee, named Ansel Green, while at Milan recently, was taken dangerously ill and has since become insane.

Roscommon water works having frozen up solid, the village will sue the builders, who, it is claimed, guaranteed the apparatus to be frost proof.

L. M. Phillips an old and esteemed resident of Saline, died last week, aged 76 years. He died on the farm he bought of the government 52 years ago.

A Battle Creek school teacher, daughter of a wealthy farmer, is reported dangerously ill and mentally deranged from the effects of the religious excitement.

An excursion of Ohio and Pennsylvania lumbermen took a tour through western Michigan last week and this, visiting Grand Rapids, Cadillac and other lumber centres.

Prof. Payne, of Ann Arbor, is at Washington favoring the scheme for distributing money for educational purposes among the states on the basis of the population.

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FROST-WORK.

No flowers left? You need not tell me so,
For all the night long my window pane
Grew with fresh things that make the world
[illegible]
The birds are at their old frolic again,
[illegible]
And over Alpena's [illegible]
Look at the mountains on the [illegible]
The [illegible] are [illegible]

What [illegible] a [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

And [illegible]
[illegible]

Could I [illegible] the north wind and [illegible]
[illegible]
And [illegible]
[illegible]
My [illegible]

And where [illegible] now? [illegible]
[illegible]
To [illegible] at me, the spoiler [illegible]
[illegible]
And I laugh also, waking from my dreams
To take it [illegible] and [illegible]

But with a sense of the [illegible] planned,
That makes me [illegible] and [illegible]
From One who [illegible] the [illegible] in His hand,
Yet stoops to trace the frost-work on my pane.

—*Mary Bradley, in Manhattan.*

THE TARANTULA'S BITE.

Among all my acquaintance, no one seemed happier than Eugene F—. I named him Fortune's Favorite. He had a beautiful and highly accomplished wife; his children were the prettiest and the best mannered I have ever met. All the women considered Mrs. F— as near perfection as mortals can achieve; all the men voted Eugene F— as clever a man as one could desire to claim fellowship with. He was rich in association, in the integrity of a name that commanded the respect of four generations. How few aspiring Americans can say as much? He possessed the advantages of a liberal education; his place was assured as well as it is possible to assure anything in a country where the wheel of fortune obliterates the accumulations and reputations of generations, and lifts men and women out of obscurity in a day. That is to say, the company that employed him was the oldest, most reliable, and the richest organization of its kind in the country. Finally, in addition to a salary of three thousand a year, Eugene had good reason to count upon an inner place in the near future that would render him independent.

The noteworthy trait of this favored party, Eugene F— revealed was a cheerful spirits. form as the result of contentment. He was satisfied with his place, his surroundings and circumstances. No man had more to make him happy, he said. No man enjoyed life more philosophically, or fretted himself less over the jog of little annoyances in control. It was this temperament, doubtless, the memories of the trials and bitter experiences of less favored people, that rendered Eugene F— so different when the misfortunes and temptations of the poor were in question. Generous to a fault, he was unable to comprehend the dire necessities that drive the unfortunate to desperation and death. He was serene-minded with difficulty [illegible] strong enough to express the contempt of the average suicide.

A poor man who sought employment and failed to find it, weary with fruitless effort, despairing under the world's rebuffs, plunged recklessly into the unknown. The means employed emphasized the poverty of the wretched creature. The newspapers made much of it; it was the item of the day and crowded a base for columns. I dropped in on Eugene one day when his hour's work was done. He had a newspaper in his hand. He threw it down impatiently, angrily, as he handed me a cigar and pushed me into a seat, saying:

"I am disgusted with good newspaper men. Why do you [illegible] me by [illegible] incence and [illegible] suicide. By an [illegible] all that was left to do. If he had only displayed common sense, whatever was stolen [illegible] If a man must kill himself, why does he disfigure himself, or impose unnecessary and horrible [illegible] upon him? Pity the poor wretch inflicted upon him."

Aside from the fact that I have no patience with the specimen and [illegible] try that cuts ground from under every Christian's feet, I was tired. Eugene worked an hour every day. I worked on an average twelve at least, and did more in one hour than Eugene did in three. Since it was our home that he received at least ten times more for his mental toil than I did. I could not permit him to indulge himself in a prolonged discussion of the "survival of the fittest." It pressed him, and I insisted.

"Now," he said, at the end of a chapter, "tell me why a man who chooses to kill himself, let me say with no reason, should be regarded as more than a rat. Here is another specimen in this morning's paper, of a woman who held her head in a tub of water until she drowned. Tell me a woman who does that is entitled to the benefits of the nineteenth century! Why, if such people were fairly taken off on the round Heaven, they would hang with their heads downward, of choice. Human tadpoles, all of them."

Eugene had a horror of death; cemeteries were his special aversion. He was never known to attend a funeral. He could not bring himself to witness the ceremonies in the house or at the grave. He had a prejudice against burial.

"Why can't everybody have vaults, with nice, pleasing colors on the walls—have the interior as well as the exterior ornamented, and made so attractive that people going into them would feel as they do when they enter an attractive chamber with a bed in it?"

"Do you mean the dead?"

"You know well enough I refer to [illegible]

"I am afraid [illegible] very [illegible] that [illegible] the earning and all [illegible] the world [illegible] death, [illegible]

[illegible]

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WARNER, N. H., Jan. 21, 1879.

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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Mrs. Tennyson writes and signs all her husband's letters.

—The salary of Robert Harris as President of the Northern Pacific Road is $20,000 per annum.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes contradicts the cable story that he is going to England to lecture, and says he desires to pass the remainder of his life in his own country and by his own fireside.

—Judge Tourgee says in his new lecture that there are 34,000 newspapers to publish the news of the day, and there are 30,000 reporters in this country alone watching the world to record its actions.

—Not one of the six Congressmen from California was born in that State. Tully is a native of Tennessee, Glascock of Mississippi, Henley of Indiana, Rosecrans of Ohio, Budd of Wisconsin, and Sumner of Massachusetts.

—Chief-Engineer George W. Melville has received a letter from the Governor of Irkoutsk, couched in the most friendly terms. It says that the Czar has rewarded all those who aided Mr. Melville and the other survivors of the Jeannette.

—J. M. Hill, the theatrical manager, is said to be so lucky that if he were to leave his slippers at a hotel they would be forwarded to him by the next mail with a half dozen pairs of silk stockings in them. The only time he ever fell down he is said to have picked up a diamond pin.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Horatio King, though now an old man, is still hale and hearty; his eye is as bright, his step as firm and his heart as young as when he sat in Buchanan's Cabinet as Postmaster-General. Mr. King enjoys the distinction of having entered the Post-office Department as a clerk and working his way up to the top.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Mr. Joseph Hay, one of Boston's most generated citizens, celebrated recently the ninety-fourth anniversary of his birth, in the house which he built in 1821, and where he has lived during sixty-three years. He was a member of Boston's Common Council in 1836, and he has missed voting at only two elections in seventy years.—*Boston Herald.*

—N. J. Morton, of the Boston *Globe*, who lost his life in the City of Columbus disaster, was one of the brightest journalists in New England. He was on his way to Florida to spend several months to avoid the dreadful disease, consumption, the symptoms of which had begun to appear. Some of the best articles in the *Globe* in the last few years emanated from his brain. *Chicago Inter Ocean.*

HUMOROUS.

—The burglar's pride—If they hadn't they could not have opened the window.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—The difference between a patent non-tip-overable spittoon and an editorial is said to be in the fact that the one will right itself while the other won't.

—"When a man gets a stitch in his side while at church he is apt to lose the thread of the discourse." Of course; and when he gets hemmed in by a crowd of pretty girls, it seams good.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

—"Fred, why do you call me your duckie darling? Is it because I floated into your affections so swimmingly?" "Hardly that, my dear. It's because, as a rule, you rarely advance toward me but you are holding out a big bill."—*Chicago Times.*

—"Is that little man married?" asked Witherspoon, looking at a five foot-two man helping a lady upon the cars. "Yes. Why?" "I shouldn't think it was consistent for a short fellow like him to enter the bonds of high-men."—*N. Y. Mail.*

—A man who comes round every few minutes begging for a match is rather a nuisance, but when he slides into a crowd and asks: "Is there any man here who is mean enough to refuse to give me a match?" there is nothing to do but to hand one over at once.—*Boston Post.*

Not a Subject:

"Make me a pun," said a merry King
To a jolly joker at his side.
"Then give me a subject—anything,"
For quaintest pun to quickly reply.
"Make it on me, then," chuckled the King,
As he gently stroked his robe of fur.
"I could make one that snifes would bring,
But the King is not a subject, sir."

—In July and August last year a United States Senator consumed a ton and a half of ice. Altogether 200,000 pounds were used up. When the next polar expedition is organized, the crew should be drafted from the United States Senate. It would not only save the country a handsome sum of money, but we should very soon have an open polar sea.—*Boston Transcript.*

—A Modest Little Girl.—"Mamma," asked a little girl, "does the sun go to bed when it sets in the evening?" "I suppose so," absent-mindedly replied the mother. "What makes everything so red? Does it blush because it has to go to bed right out where everybody can see it?" "I shouldn't be surprised, my dear." "Well," continued the little girl, thoughtfully, "if I were in the sun's place I would cover myself up with the clouds."—*Detroit Post.*

A Misunderstanding.

"I thought I would take a run up and see if you didn't want to buy a sewing machine," said the agent to Farmer Grings.

"I don't know as I do," replied the farmer; "I've got most of my sprung sowing done."

"But won't you need it for sewing in the summer?"

"Look here, young feller, we don't sow in the summer. We cuts, an' gothers, an' binds."

"Oh, well, this machine gathers and binds."

"Mebbe you'll be telling me next that your machine will haul in the crap an' put it in the barn. Don't come around here with any of your big stories."

"Don't be ruffled, my dear sir. I think you do not understand me. I mean a machine to sew cloth, not grain."

"Ahem! you do, do you? Then you'd better go talk to the wimmin. It's a good thing you didn't mean the other kind, for if you'd kept on telling me about your wonderful machine for plantin' an' reapin, you'd got me a rippin' and tearin' 'till I'd basted you."—*Texas Siftings.*

The Model Farm.

The Keota (Iowa) *Eagle* has at last found a western man who is satisfied with a fifty acre farm. His name is Artemus Fisher, and he lives one mile and a half south of Keota. The *Eagle* tells the story of his management and of his success as follows:

He keeps one team of horses, three first class cows, and a nice little drove of the best hogs. He milks his cows for the creamery, and they made him nearly $200 last year; will perhaps do better this year. He will sell $500 worth of hogs this year, and have thirty stockers to keep over. He has $200 worth of flax-seed to sell; has an abundance of hay and grain to keep his stock in first-class condition during the winter. He keeps everything in apple-pie order about his farm; his cows revel in clover up to their eyes; he attends to feeding, watering and milking as regularly as the clock strikes, hence he gets the best results with the least possible feed. He keeps his stock under cover, and never allows any animal to shiver in the fence corners. He has a barn that is a model of convenience and economy. It is snow-proof, and as warm as the old kitchen. He has a first-class selection of fruit—not a large orchard, but a choice selection of the varieties that thrive and bear the best in this locality. Everything about the farm bears marks of intelligence, thrift and economy. Besides making a living for himself and the "old lady," he will sell at least $800 worth of stuff off his fifty acres this year, and not be exceeding former years either. There is no rush or hurry about this model farm. Everything goes off quietly and regularly. The expenses are very small and the gains sure.

Cleanliness.

The surface of the human body, and even the delicate membrane covering the eye, as well as the mucous lining of the internal passages of the animal body, may and often do become diseased in such a manner, by neglect of purity and careful cleanliness, that they will give off contagious matter. The contagious disorders of the skin, the eyes and the mouth are results of neglect of cleanliness, and are justly esteemed very disgusting. Decaying matters, whether vegetable or animal, and not unfrequently the still living but unhealthy and unclean surfaces and tissues of both animal and vegetable bodies, are apt to become infected with parasites which prey upon and injure or destroy the tissues. Even the tenderest parts and juices of vegetable substances and the skin, the muscles and blood of the animal, may be harmed in this way. It was a little invisible parasite which destroyed the potatoes at harvest time throughout the country many years ago, and there are some foul waters and infected kinds of meat which will breed disease in persons who partake of them. Therefore, it is a duty to be cleanly in food and drink, as well as in our breathing and personal habits. It is doubtful if persons who become filthy in their habits and neglect to provide for the purification of their bodies, clothing and premises, will ever be found pure and sweet in their thoughts, language and influence.

Magnetic Storms

Remembering the influence which the sun has been found to exercise upon the magnetic needle, the question will naturally arise, has the sun anything to do with magnetic storms? We have clear evidence that he has. On the 1st of September, 1869, Messrs. Carrington and Hodgson were observing the sun, one at Oxford and the other in London. Their scrutiny was directed to certain large spots which at that time marked the sun's face. Suddenly a bright light was seen by each observer to break out on the sun's surface and to travel, slowly in appearance, but in reality at the rate of about 7,000 miles in a minute, across a part of the solar disk. Now it was found afterward that the self-registering magnetic instruments at Kew had made at that instant a strongly-marked jerk. It was learned at that moment a magnetic storm prevailed at the West Indies, in South America, and in Australia. The signal-men in the telegraph stations at Washington and Philadelphia received strong electric shocks; the pen of Bain's telegraph was followed by a flame of fire; and in Norway the telegraphic machinery was set on fire. At night great auroras were seen in both hemispheres. It is impossible not to connect these startling magnetic indications with the remarkable appearance observed on the sun's disk.—*Prof Proctor.*

Observe the Birthday.

Let the birthday of each member of the family be always remembered. When it comes. Let there be something a little out of the ordinary routine in the arrangement of the table; cookies fashioned as Johnny likes them best: one of Frank's favorite plum puddings, or Julia's special liking, a loaf of ginger cake; or a wonderful lemon pie, such as only mamma can make.

Then there must be presents. Sometimes people may think they cannot be afforded; but reflect. The little one needs shoes, dresses, aprons and many other things. Purchase one or more for the birthday. It will seem just as much present to the recipients as though they were not obliged to have it.

Next come school-books and story-books, a set of furs or a pair of skates, (should the birthday occur in the winter,) a pretty little dinner-basket, or, if the parents can afford it, a little gold band for one of the white fingers, a necklace, a watch with a shining chain, or the pony that has been wished for so long.

Encourage the little ones in giving to each other, and also remember father and mother's birthday; believe me, it will be bread cast on the waters; the days will only be a few ere some returns, and there will be a never-failing supply of pleasure as long as you and your children live.

THE MODEST FATHER.—"Father," began a young Detroiter the other evening, "were you in the war?"

"Yes, my son."

"Was it awful?"

"Yes."

"Lots of dead and wounded men?"

"Yes."

"Did you kill many?"

"Well, I shouldn't like to answer that question."

"Are you very modest, pa?"

"I hope I am too modest to brag."

"That was what Mr. Smith meant, then, when he was telling the men down at the drug store that you hadn't any war record to brag of."

"He did, eh? Smith is a liar!"

"That's what I thought. He told the men that you run so fast he couldn't catch you on horseback, and any boy knows that a horse can catch a man with a stiff knee."

To cure an ordinary cough or cold take one dose of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry before going to bed at night. It will cause a suspension of nervous excitability, allow you sweet repose; and by morning the cough will be none. It is the best and therefore cheapest cure for coughs, colds and consumption; is sold by druggists generally, and ought to be found in every intelligent household.

POOR GIRLS.—The poorest girls in the world are those who have never been taught to work. There are thousands of them. Rich parents have petted them; they have been taught to despise labor, and depend upon others for a living, and are perfectly helpless. If misfortune comes upon their friends, as it often does, their case is hopeless. The most forlorn and miserable women upon earth belong to this class. It belongs to parents to protect their daughters from this deplorable condition. They do them a great wrong if they neglect it. Every daughter should be taught to earn her own living. The rich as well as the poor require this training. The wheel of fortune rolls swiftly around; the rich are very likely to become poor, and the poor rich. Skill to labor is no disadvantage to the rich, and as indispensable to the poor. Well-to-do parents must educate their daughters to work; no reform is more imperative than this.

Quack doctors, electric belt and other swindlers who live by frightening our young men and young women by nasty circulars, will find their occupation gone when it becomes generally known that Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla is a certain cure for all weakness of the urinary organs, nervousness, etc. Obey the laws of health, take a few bottles of this simple remedy, and you will soon be restored to perfect manhood and womanhood, free from all worriment of mind and distress of body.

The breakfast taken in winter will determine our efficiency for work in the day, and will so influence our whole being for that period of time that no after-meal can correct. The breakfast in winter must contain more nitrogenous food than in summer; it is absolutely needed. You must store heat to furnish material for absorption and for maintaining vitality; add to this nitrogenous food something that will disengage heat from the blood and keep up temperature and you may defy the coldest day. Your face may feel it, your hands may feel it, but your body will be impervious to it and go on disengaging that inward heat which can alone stand against the lowest temperature without. If this first meal has been properly attended to we may presume that vital action can be maintained in full force for five hours at least before it needs replenishing.

Remember a complete cure for aches and pains, sores, pimples, urinary sediments, disturbing dreams, nervousness, despondency, indigestion and general weakness of mind and body, brought on by improper habits or otherwise, is found in two or three bottles of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, as has been proven by the experience of many who long suffered, but now feel well and strong in all parts of the body.

A hotel in Boston built of stone and brick 96 and 69 feet frontage with basement and seven stories above the sidewalk, was moved nearly 100 feet in order to make a change in the street. One side was supported by eight granite columns twelve feet high, the whole building weighing 5,000 tons beside the furniture. The occupants of the stores and the hotel were not disturbed in the removal.

Monroe, Mich., Sept. 25, 1875.

Sirs—I have been taking Hop Bitters for inflammation of kidneys and bladder. It has done for me what four doctors failed to do. The effect of Hop Bitters seemed like magic to me. W. L. Carter.

George B. Race, sentenced to Ionia for assault and battery upon his wife, has been adjudged insane, and will be sent to Kalamazoo.

Testimony From the Press.

To those afflicted with lung trouble, hear what V. W. Wilson, of the Ottowa (Ill.) Times says: "After being disabled for three months with a cough, and lung trouble, often spitting up blood, can testify that I am cured permanently by the use of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure." A free trial bottle can be had at Baker and Hall's.

A youth named Kleckler, of Cohoctah, discharged a gun, that he was cleaning, and put several shot thro' his mother's dress.

Are you Bilious? Try the remedy that cured Mrs. Clement, of Franklin, N. H.—Hood's Sarsaparilla, made in Lowell, Mass.

M. D. Smith & Co., Salem, have contracted to move the Kalamazoo Court House for $450, work to be done by April 1.

Excited Thousands.

All over the land are going into ecstacy over Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Their unlooked for recovery by the unlimited use of this great life Saving remedy, causes them to go nearly wild in its praise. It is guaranteed to positively cure Severe Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Wells are being sunk in various parts of Nashville to furnish a water supply to use in case of fire.

Samson's Legs and Locks.

When Delilah clipped off Samson's locks that mighty athlete at once became "as other men." If it could be proved that the possession of luxuriant hair would enable men to tear open lions' jaws, Hiscox & Co. would be driven wild in the effort to supply enough of Parker's Hair Balsam to meet the demand. As it is the Balsam prevents your hair from falling out, and restores the original color if faded or gray. Besides it is a great addition to the toilet table simply as a dressing.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the store of E. W. Freese, Clinton on July 14th, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and that six months from the 14th day of January, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Feb. 6, 1884.

EDWIN W. FREESE,
JOSEPH S. KISS,
feb7 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John F. Schneider, late of the town of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of William H. Ayres, in the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 7th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January 15th, 1884.

MINOR DAVIDSON,
COONROD L. LOWE,
Jan 17 Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

ESTATE of LeRoy Mead, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the Probate Court of Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1884, empowering the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of LeRoy Mead deceased, will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on the first day of March, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Macon, aforesaid, all the interest, title, and estate, of which said deceased died seized, in that parcel of land, situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and described as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town five, south of range five east, containing forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower of Josephus Mead, widow of deceased therein. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

CYRUS MEAD,
Jan10 Administrator.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

ESTATE of Asa Russell, deceased. The undersigned, appointed by the Probate Court of Lenawee County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust claims against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that they will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1884; also, that six months from the 31st day of December, 1883, has been allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

ALBERT HYDE,
EDGAR A. THIBOU,
jan10 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of H. Brewer & Co., in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of March, 1884, and on the 18th day of July, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 17th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated January, 23, 1884.

ALFRED D. HALL,
JAMES W. BROWN,
jan24 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF ALVAH CODDINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvah Coddington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ansel P. Coddington, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate and that he has paid or tendered payment of all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the residuary legatee named in said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF HIRAM REYNOLDS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Reynolds, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Benjamin F. Reynolds and Charles A. Pawson, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will except residuary legacies, and praying for an allowance of their final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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Will be mailed FREE to all applicants and to customers of last year without ordering it. It contains illustrations, prices, descriptions and directions for planting all Vegetable and Flower Seeds, Plants, etc. Invaluable to all.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills, (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 22d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, viz: All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26) lying north of the center of the Raisin River (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27) lying south of the center of the swamp Raisin River (so called). All in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D., 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS,
jan24 Executor.

ESTATE OF ISAAC ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Fisher, one of the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that said executors have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their first account and for such further order as may be necessary to the proper administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit in Chancery; suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Cappie A. Wyand, complainant, vs. John M. Wyand, defendant.

Before Hon. Andrew Howell, Circuit Judge of said circuit. At the city of Adrian, in said county this 2d day of January, A. D. 1884. It satisfactorily appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant, John M. Wyand, resides in the state of Illinois.

On motion of Frank K. Payne, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that said defendant appear in this cause within four months from the date of this order, or in default thereof, that the bill of complaint in this cause be taken as confessed by him.

It is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof, said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper published in said county, for six successive weeks, once in each week, or that a copy of this order be personally served on said defendant, at least twenty days before the time herein fixed for his appearance.

ANDREW HOWELL,
Circuit Judge.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Complainant's Solicitor. jan10

ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Joseph Manning, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the creditors of said deceased, or other persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Henry Smith, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3rd day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN GLENN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Saturday, the 2d day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Glenn, late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Newton L. Bryan, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging among other things, that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, and all legacies, except residuary legacies, and the expenses of administration have been paid, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, remaining in his hands, to the persons entitled thereto in accordance with the provisions of the will of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 21, 1884.

If old Noah had been a resident of the Ohio valley last week it would have made his eyes turn green with envy.

The Detroit Times observes that the Jackson Patriot rejoices that the state prison records contain the names of no Jackson murderers, while the rest of the state is lamenting that fact.

Col. Ingersoll takes this happy way to get a lick at the gossip mongers.—He says: "Rumor has a thousand tongues and at least two ears for each tongue, so that, on the average, there is about twice as much heard as is said."

When Prince Bismarck sits down on the American hog our people take it as an insult, but pocket it with becoming dignity. But when the burly premier presumes to sit down upon a resolution of the National Congress the American eagle will know the reason why.

The Kansas City Times says: "Mr. Hayes has been interviewed again.—"Go back," said he, "to those who sent you, and tell them you saw an old man, sitting like Keno, waiting to be called." At last accounts he had not been called, but it is a cold day when Roscoe Conkling can get away with Rutherford on the classics."

The Chicago Daily News editorially nominates Gen. Hancock as Democratic candidate for the presidency, declaring that he is stronger in New York than Tilden, that he would unite all the factions of the party and that his assertion, ridiculed in 1880, that the tariff was a local issue, has now become an acknowledged and established fact.

The Adrian Record asks: "What is the meaning of the expression "chock full"? Perhaps some of our brethren of the quill, better posted, can tell the meaning of the words as they appear coupled together." Take a tour of the saloons some Saturday night about 12 o'clock, when the fashionable young men are just getting ready to be carried home, and you can see a practical illustration with the naked eye, of the meaning of "chock full."

An Indiana man lately made an application for the place of official stenographer of the House offering to work for much less salary than the present efficient incumbent, McElhone. Speaker Carlisle examined his recommendations and then proceeded to examine the man. He called the applicant into his private room and handed him writing materials. Then he proceeded in an ordinary tone of voice, to read off a page of the congressional record. The Indianian filled several sheets of foolscap paper with curves and circles which he said was a stenographic copy of the paper just read by the speaker. Mr. Carlisle told him to write it out. In a couple of hours he returned. The applicant had about a stickfull written out, the perspiration was pouring from his forehead, and he wore the air of dejection. The speaker said not a word. The Indiana stenographer did not wait for anything further, and his application has not been pressed. The Speaker has evidently got at the true theory of civil service reform.

Secretary Lincoln is a chip of the old block. He has less red tape but more practical common sense than most public officials. The Chicago News says: "Robert Lincoln has cut the red tape of the war department which so often delays official action in emergencies and came to the rescue of the flood sufferers in a way to gain their gratitude and the applause of the whole country. The promptness and energy with which he began the work of relief even before he received the official sanction of congress is characteristic of the good sense with which he has conducted the affairs of his office ever since his appointment as secretary of war. Among the first amounts received by the relief committee was $1,000 sent by the secretary on his own responsibility, and he followed this up with such prompt action that hardly had the first appropriation bill been signed before steamboats were plying up and down the Ohio searching out the homeless, distressed, and hungry sufferers and supplying their wants."

THE FLOOD RECEDING.

The Suffering Along the Ohio River Unabated, but the Work of Relief Steamers Still Going On.

Devastation on Every Hand—Houses Swept Away and Thousands Left Homeless—The Mississippi River Rising.

BUILDINGS FALLING.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.—The river is falling at an average of an inch and a half an hour. It reached sixty-three feet. Weather cloudy and foggy. The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton trains began arriving at their depot yesterday. The New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio enters the same depot. The road-bed has not been injured. The Pan Handle depot and tracks are out of the water. The passenger schedules resumed this morning.

The Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis road has given up its canal connections and comes to the stock yards. The Cincinnati, Washington & Baltimore will enter by the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton to-day. The Ohio & Mississippi can again make direct landings at Storrs farm by the Anderson bank. The Louisville & Nashville can now enter its depot. A decided improvement in business is already apparent.

The *News-Journal's* correspondent on board the relief steamer Granite State says the receding water reveals greater damage than was thought possible. Dover, Ky., wore a desolate look, but a few people in boats came out and received supplies. Ripley received but little food, their chief need being money to repair houses. Maysville suffered terribly, a strong current sweeping through the town and washing away many houses. Concord, Ky., was helpless. They had received no aid from the State. Vanceburg, Ky., received rations for 400 people. At this point people gave three cheers for the Government and three groans for the Kentucky Legislature.

The Ohio River continues to fall steadily an inch and a half an hour, and is now nearly nine feet below the highest stage. Nearly all the street cars will be running by to-morrow, and in a very short time all railroad connections will be resumed. The question of raising the city bottoms above high-water mark is still receiving attention, and the City Engineer has been called on to make an estimate.

After midnight two four-story brick buildings on the northwest corner of Second Street and Central Avenue fell from the effect of the water at the foundation. They were unoccupied and adjoined the Longsworth barracks, the building that fell a few days ago. They belonged to the Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis & Chicago road.

Three upper flats are a mass of wreckage, and nearly the entire stock is hopelessly ruined. The stock was valued at $60,000; insurance, $70,000. The damage to the adjoining buildings is covered by insurance.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 19.—The river is two inches higher than last February and is now forty-seven feet eleven and one-half inches on the gauge. It still lacks five feet of going into the cellars on Water street but is still rising two inches in twenty-four hours. The Mattie Hays from Louisville, distributing supplies, has arrived and is waiting orders which way to go. She distributed twenty-five thousand rations between Louisville and this point and reports not much want yet, but will be more when the river falls.

At Rome the swell from the boat swept three houses from their foundations. There was much suffering there, and 5,000 rations were left. Topiasport, on the opposite side of the river, was a total wreck and the people were all gone. Three-fourths of Hawesville was under water and 500 persons were in distress and needed supplies. Maxville was entirely swept away, and most of the people are now at Tell City. The situation at Grand View was serious, and great suffering was reported in the interior. Eight thousand rations were left there and at Rockport for use in the county. Enterprise was entirely submerged and nearly all the inhabitants have gone to places of safety. The wants of those remaining were attended to. Rations for 1,000 people were left at Garrison's Landing.

At Shawneetown at six p. m. the river is within six inches of last year's highest point, and is rising a fourth of an inch an hour. It is now believed that last year's flood will be exceeded here by over a foot.

The river has risen one and one-quarter inches in the twenty-four hours ending at midnight, when the marks showed forty-eight feet. This is two and one-half inches higher than the highest point last year, when the marks showed forty-seven feet nine and one-half inches. It is still rising slowly, but it is confidently expected that it will come to a stand to-day.

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 19.—The river is fifty-one feet and rising slowly. Weather cloudy and mild. The Wabash Railroad has been shut out from Cairo since Saturday.

TOLEDO, Feb. 19.—Ice gorges in the Maumee River are still intact, notwithstanding steady rain has prevailed the past twenty-four hours and still continues. No very great fears are entertained of a flood here.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 19.—River falling one inch per hour. It is now forty-three feet eight inches by canal marks, a fall of three feet two inches. Weather cloudy and damp, threatening rain. The City of Frankfort, with supplies from the Governor of Indiana and Indianapolis Mayor and Council, passed down.

A Fatal Fire.

BIRMINGHAM, A. T., Feb. 18.—A fire yesterday morning burned an entire block, comprising several stores, saloons and law offices. S. N. Holmes, proprietor of the *Daily Miner*, attempted to save some valuable papers and was burned to death. Katy Purcell, a sporting woman, rescued a child from the flames at the risk of her life. It is the most dangerous fire that ever occurred here. The buildings were blown up to save the town. The loss is not stated.

Roasted to Death.

CROCKETT, Tex., Feb. 19.—Rheuber Hart and wife (colored), residing three miles in the country, went to church Sunday and left six children at home asleep. Hart locked the door and took the key with him. At ten o'clock the house was discovered to be on fire, and was burned so quickly that it was impossible to save it or the children, every one of whom was roasted to death. The eldest was a boy thirteen years old.

The Greeley Relief Steamer.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The steamer Bear, purchased for the Greeley Relief Expedition, is now at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. The Bear was built for the seal trade, and can carry 300 men. The Bear and the Thetis will both leave the yard in May for the Arctic region. The expedition will be under the command of Captain Kirkland.

THE COPYRIGHT BILL.

Mr. Henry Watterson Gives a Detailed Explanation of Its Workings.

He Wishes "News" Reorganized as a Legitimate and Valuable Property, and Explains How It Will Operate.

THE COPYRIGHT LAW.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The following interview has been had with Henry Watterson touching the proposed measure for a newspaper copyright which Watterson has in charge and is about to lay before Congress:

"Considerable misinformation," said Watterson, "seems to exist as to the character of the legislation which will be asked of Congress. It can certainly not be described as an act entitled an act for the relief of the Associated Press. All honest newspapers and all honest news associations are interested in its passage. It simply operates to protect the property in news from piratical concurrent publication."

Q.—"And how can this be done?"

A.—"By a clause in the copyright laws making the news the property of those who have gathered it by skilled labor and outlay, exclusive to those who pay for it for twenty-four hours."

"Do you mean news exclusively of the Associated Press?"

"I mean all news, and news of every description and every association. As matters are, news is not recognized as property at all. Everything about a newspaper office, from the perfecting press to the newsman's pot of paste, is property, and he who steals it falls within the reach and compass of law. But that which constitutes the real value of a newspaper property is its news franchises, costing vast sums of money and years of special enterprise, training and labor. That has no legal status whatever. It is practically outlawed. Anybody can steal it with impunity. The proposed measure protects it from pirated use and concurrent publication for twenty-four hours. It creates indeed a new property, that is property in news. No one can oppose it except those who want to rob others of their labor and money.

"How will it act upon the custom of copying from one paper by another?"

"It will not affect that in the least. The twenty-four hours' limitation gives all the latitude needful to honest and legitimate transcriptions from one newspaper into another. The country press is in nowise touched, and I can see no other interest on its part than to approve a measure calculated to elevate and dignify the profession of journalism by giving a certain legal validity and responsibility to collection and distribution of news.

"What are the prospects of the passing of such a bill?"

"I have consulted the best constitutional authorities during my sojourn in Washington, and there is a general agreement that there is no constitutional objection to the measure. I have also seen and talked with a number of eminent members of both Houses of Congress. I have been surprised to find some hazy prejudices against the Associated Press, the offspring of misadvisement in the main, and of some confusion as to the relations between the Associated Press and the Western Union Telegraph Company. There are, of course, no relations except those of customer and common carrier. Barring these immaterial objections, which discussion will clear up, there is an interested and friendly feeling in Congress. The question is a novel one and embraces the whole principle of modern journalism. The railway and telegraph, which have within the last half century wrought such changes throughout the world, have completely revolutionized the newspaper. That which we call "news" is a modern invention, as much as gutta-percha or the reaping machine. It demands the very best and the rarest of skilled labor. It involves forecast, organization and outlay. It is an intellectual and material product. Why has it not the same right to legal recognition and protection as other classes of property? Let us take an example. Suppose a newspaper, published in the City of New York and sold at three cents, obtains at great cost and pains a column or five columns of interesting and important matter. Should a newspaper issued right alongside and sold at one cent be allowed to get an early copy and issue concurrently this very same matter, without paying a nickel for it? There is no present law to forbid this. Take another example: The difference in time between points relatively east and west in this country enables a publisher who chooses to do so to make use of the enterprise of others. Should a thief at a distant point be enabled, by use of the telegraph, to steal the property of those men who have gone to great care and cost to obtain it? Under existing laws I can make a compilation of telegraph news matter, and, issuing this in a book, may copyright it. But if I write and wire the *Courier-Journal* a page of valuable matter, anybody who sees fit to steal and publish it may do so for the cost of the type-setting."

"How do you propose to define or describe the news to be copyrighted?"

"I should include all original, special and general matter exceeding one hundred words, sent by post or by wire, and embracing original communications of information of any and every description. Such an act cannot operate in favor of one newspaper and against another, or one news association over another. It is simply a bar to rogues, and fixes the same penalty upon stealing news which the law visits upon stealing other forms of property. How can an honest journalist object to that?"

"Can you formulate such a measure so that it will stand Congressional tests?"

"I think I have done so. I have drafted a bill and prepared an argument to go with it, which, though by no means perfect, I believe will give practical application and bearing to the question. You will understand that I have no personal interest at stake, and am not acting for myself at all. At the last annual meeting of the Associated Press I was made chairman of the committee which was raised to present the case to Congress. Thus commissioned I came here and I have proceeded with great deliberation and care, because I was fully conscious of the vagueness and newness of the question and the practical difficulties in the way. In the beginning I was not at all clear in my own mind. But the more I have considered and discussed it the more convinced have I become that the time is at hand when the law should recognize and protect a new species of property which other recognized and protected modern inventions have created, that is collected news against concurrent piratical publication.

The Fence Burners.

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 18.—Three of the ranger companies have been ordered into the fence cutting districts. The officers express the opinion that they will be able to put a stop to the trouble, but think they will be compelled to kill some of the more desperate of the cutters.

A MYSTERY OF THE SEA.

The Fate Which Overtook the "City of Boston"—Captain Murray's Idea and Experience.

A few years ago, the *City of Boston* sailed from harbor, crowded with an expectant throng of passengers bound for a foreign shore.

She never entered port.

The mystery of her untimely end grows deeper as the years increase, and the Atlantic voyager, when the fierce winds howl around and danger is eminent on every hand, shudders as the name and mysterious fate of that magnificent vessel are alluded to.

Our reporter, on a recent visit to New York, took lunch with Captain George Siddons Murray, on board the *Alaska*, of the Guion line. Captain Murray is a man of stalwart build, well-knit frame, and cherry, genial disposition. He has been a constant voyager for a quarter of a century, over half that time having been in the trans-Atlantic service. In the course of the conversation over the well-spread table, the mystery of the *City of Boston* was alluded to.

"Yes," returned the Captain, "I shall never forget the last night we saw that ill-fated vessel. I was chief officer of the *City of Antwerp*. On the day we sighted the *City of Boston* a furious south-east hurricane set in. Both vessels labored hard. The sea seemed determined to sweep away every vestige of life. When day ended the gale did not abate, and everything was lashed for a night of unusual fury. Our good ship was turned toward the south to avoid the possibility of ice-bergs. The *City of Boston*, however, undoubtedly went to the north. Her boats, life-preservers and rafts were securely lashed: and when she went down, everything went with her, never to re-appear until the sea gives up its dead."

"What, in your opinion, Captain, was the cause of the loss of the *City of Boston*?"

"The *City of Limerick*, in almost precisely the same latitude, a few days later, found the sea full of floating ice; and I have no doubt the *City of Boston* collided with the ice, and sunk immediately."

Captain Murray has been in command of the *Alaska* ever since she was put in commission and feels justly proud of his noble ship. She carries thousands of passengers every year, and has greatly popularized the Williams & Guion line. Remarking upon the bronzed and healthy appearance of the captain, the reporter said that sea life did not seem to be a very great physical trial.

"No? But a person's appearance is not always a trustworthy indication of his physical condition. For seven years I have been in many respects very much out of sorts with myself. At certain times I was so lame that it was difficult for me to move around. I could scarcely straighten up. I did not know what the trouble was, and though I performed all my duties regularly and satisfactorily, yet I felt that I might some day be overtaken with some serious prostrating disorder. Those troubles increased. I felt dull and then, again, shooting pains through my arms and limbs. Possibly the next day I would feel flushed and unaccountably uneasy and the day following chilly and despondent. This continued until last December, when I was prostrated soon after leaving Queenstown, and for the remainder of the voyage was a helpless! pitiful sufferer. In January last, a friend who made that trip with me, wrote me a letter urging me to try a new course of treatment. I gladly accepted his counsel, and for the last seven months have given thorough and business-like attention to the recovery of my natural health: and to-day, I have the proud satisfaction of saying to you that the lame back, the strange feelings, the sciatic rheumatism which have so long pursued me, have entirely disappeared through the blood-purifying influence of Warner's Safe Rheumatic Cure which entirely eradicated all rheumatic poison from my system. Indeed, to me, it seems that it has worked wonders, and I therefore most cordially commend it."

"And you have no trouble now in exposing yourself to the winds of the Atlantic?"

"Not the least. I am as sound as a bullet and I feel specially thankful over the fact because I believe rheumatic and kidney disease is in the blood of my family. I was dreadfully shocked on my last arrival in Liverpool to learn that my brother, who is a wealthy China tea merchant, had suddenly died of Bright's disease of the kidneys, and consider myself extremely fortunate in having taken my trouble in time and before any more serious effects were possible."

The conversation drifted to other topics, and as the writer watched the face before him, so strong in all its outlines and yet so genial, and thought of the innumerable exposures and hardships to which its owner had been exposed, he instinctively wished all who are suffering from the terrible rheumatic troubles now so common might know of Captain Murray's experience and the means by which he had been restored. Pain is a common thing in this world, but far too many endure it when they might just as well avoid it. Its a false philosophy which teaches us to endure when we can just as readily avoid. So thought the hearty captain of the *Alaska*; so thinks the writer, and so should all others think who desire happiness and a long life.

BEN REYNOLDS

Licensed Auctioneer.

ALL AUCTION BUSINESS

Either in village or country will be attended to promptly.

TECUMSEH, MICH.

J. D. SHOLES,

Manufacturer and Dealer in

LIGHT AND HEAVY HARNESS,

Whips, Nets, and all kinds of Horse Clothing.

By strict attention to your wants, and by selling cheap, I hope to receive a share of your patronage.

South Side Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich

Closing Out Business

---AT---

C. B. Pennock's Cheap Store!

Next door to Herald Office.

As I wish to close out by the 1st of March, I will make such low prices as will sell them at once. A large assortment to select from, consisting of

Jewelry, Laces,
Fancy Goods, Notions,
Toys, Whips and Tinware.

Also 25 DOZEN OF

Ladies' and Gent's

UNDERWEAR!

which will be sold regardless of cost.

A big line of Ladies' & Gent's Rubber Circulars & Coats.

All styles, all grades, from $1 to $4.

Call in and get prices if you do not wish to buy. Would gladly quote prices but our space will not permit. Thanking you for past favors, you will now get the bene t of my closing out sale.

C. B. PENNOCK.

Dont forget the place, next door to Herald Office.

THE BEST SHIRT MADE

MONARCH BOUND BOSOM SHIRT.

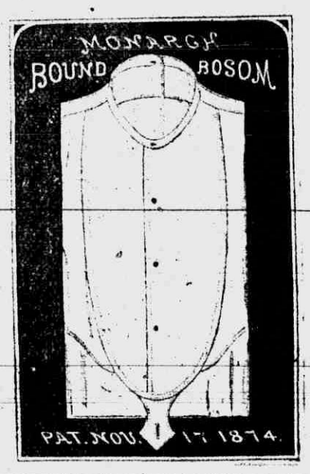

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KIES BROTHERS!

CROWN COLLARS AND CUFFS

Full line Holiday Goods.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.—The Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will meet in the Council Room in said Village, on Saturday, the 1st day of March, A.D., 1884, for the purpose of the registration of the voters' names.
P. S. McKINNON,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 13, 1884. Recorder.

CAUCUS NOTICE.—The electors of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will hold a caucus in the Council Room of said Village on Saturday, March 1, 1884, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating officers to be voted for at the annual election of said Village on Monday, the 3d day of March, 1884.
P. S. McKINNON.
TECUMSEH, Feb. 19, 1884. Recorder.

VILLAGE ELECTION.—The annual election of the Village of Tecumseh will be held in the Council Building in said Village on Monday, the 3d day of March, A.D. 1884.
P. S. McKINNON,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 19, 1884. Recorder.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Maiden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

LARGE COOK STOVE WITH TANK nearly new, for sale or exchange for wood or hay.
F. D. HILLMAN.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address
B. J. BIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

NOTICE.—We have left our books of accounts with Charles Burridge of this village for settlement of accounts due us. Those indebted to us are hereby requested to call at his office and pay such indebtedness to him.
D. B. ANTHONY & CO.
February 20, 1884.

FOR SALE.—I offer for sale a very desirable farm of 160 acres, situated two and one-half miles north of Hudson. About 130 acres improved, balance good timber. A good farm house, three good barns and other outbuildings. Price reasonable and terms easy. For further particulars enquire at EXCHANGE BANK,
Clayton, Mich.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—A good comfortable residence, large lot with good well and cistern. Convenient to business. For sale cheap for cash. Enquire of
CHAS. BURRIDGE.
Dated Feb. 7, 1884.

SEED CORN. I have about 1400 bu. of ears of Leaming seed corn, which I will sell to parties in and near Tecumseh at $2.00 per bushel of shelled corn on trial. A sample of the corn can be seen at the HERALD office, where orders will be taken for the same, or write for particulars to G. F. Hile, Berlin Heights, Ohio.

HAY FOR SALE. Orders by C. T. Hine will receive prompt attention.
W. B. KEYSER.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Any one wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power"; which mills (both grist and paper), were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a never failing body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat growing sections in Michigan thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms, easy. For particulars address
HENRY SMITH, TECUMSEH, MICH.
Prop'r of Tecumseh Paper Mills,
or Conrad Leahn, Manchester, Mich.

FARM FOR SALE.—Eighty acres, all improved, splendid brick house and good barns, only two miles from Tecumseh. Will be sold at a bargain, if taken before the 1st of April. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A good property on Railroad st., opposite Slayton's warehouse. Has a dwelling house thereon and a vacant lot for building purposes. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Read what Swan & Satterthwaite say about sap-bucket tubes, to be found on 1st page.

Next Sunday at 7 P. M. the pastor of the Methodist Church will discourse on "The Recent Epidemic of Crime—Its Causes and Remedy."

New Carpets.—We have just opened our New Spring Styles of Carpets—a large assortment, handsome patterns, at very low prices.
W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

The new Macon band will give a grand concert at the corners on Friday evening, Feb. 29th. Cub Berdan of Detroit will be present and assist in the program.

The fare from Tecumseh to Britton over the M. & O. is 20cts, and from Britton to Detroit via the Wabash, $1.45; total $1.65. The fare from Tecumseh to Detroit over the Lake Shore is $2.20, difference of 55cts in favor of the M. & O. and Wabash. Cut this out and put it in your pocket-book.

AUCTION SALES.

T. C. Payne and E. B. Wood will sell at administrators' sale on the premises 3½ miles west of Tecumseh, on the Joseph Slater farm, on Wednesday, March 5th, 1884, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Span of matched mares, matched mare and gelding, span black matched geldings, work mare, single mare, 3 colts, 150 fine wool sheep, 12 cows with calf, 8 two yr. olds, 5 yearlings, 6 bulls, herd of short horn cattle, Poland China boar, breeding sow, 11 shoats, lumber wagon, truck wagon, buggy, Ball mower, Howe scales, 2 fanning mills, 2 hay rakes, plows and drags of all kinds, wheel cultivator, light and heavy, double and single harness, &c. Sixteen months' credit. Ben Reynolds, auctioneer.

James H. Aten having rented his farm will sell at auction on the old Peter Aten farm, one mile north of Culbertson school house and 4 miles northeast of Tecumseh, in town of Clinton, on Wednesday, Feb. 27th, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: Two horses, two 2 yr. old heifers, 5 shoats, lumber wagon, pair trucks, double carriage, single buggy, pair bob-sleighs, cutter, Wood reaper, new milch cow and calf, wheel hay rake, corn sheller, 2 horse cultivator, 5-tooth cultivator, Scotch harrow, hay fork, Johnson mower, light and heavy harness, Fairbanks scales, apple dryer, large assortment farming utensils, quantity household furniture, &c.—Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 21, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bob Burdette will lecture at Adrian to-night.

Corporation election will occur on Monday, March 3d.

John Hicks is at home for a few day's respite from work.

The U. S. Express Company are now doing business over the M. & O.

The Morenci Musical Union will give a public entertainment soon.

C. B. Pennock has a new card in this issue announcing a closing out sale.

Joe Wilson is again at the front in the boot & shoe trade. Read his card elsewhere.

The Directors of the Clinton woolen factory have declared a dividend of ten per cent.

The Sweedish lady quartette will sing at Clinton some time during the month of March.

John Riley, of Deerfield, teaches school in winter and builds railroads in the summer time.

The Morenci Observer says that the Fayette Branch will soon be extended to Fort Wayne.

Moses Bartlett, of Clinton, was in town last Saturday and favored the HERALD with a pleasant call.

This thaw has broken the back bone of winter. But where is the ground hog as a weather prophet, now.

The Raisin was a raging flood yesterday, the water being nearly as high as has been known of late years.

Thos. McKendry and Miss Steel were married at Burridge's office last week, and now McKendry is missing.

McGibeny family entertainment at the Opera House last night was good Also a good house and every one was satisfied.

Dave Macham's wife presented him with another boy baby last Sunday. Soo, the sign will read "D. Macham & Sons, Tonsorial Artists."

Miss Mary Dingman leaves for Lansing to-day. She has disposed of her millinery business and will live with her own people for the present.

John R. Clark will give a course of three lectures in the school house at Lenawee Junction on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday evenings, Feb. 26, 27 and 28.

The latest guessing dodge is to fast a hen, then feed it as much grain as it will eat, kill it and guess the number of kernels in the crop. Rather a fowl proceeding we should say.

We gave Mr. B. S. Barnes, of Adrian, a short call the other day and found him head over heels in new furniture. He has a large trade and is evidently making money.

Morenci has two milk men now, both good men and true, the Observer says, and they sell milk at five cents a quart. The pumps are all thawed out now down there.

The boys are all smoking to-day at John Freeman's expense. His wife presented him with a fine baby last night. The child will make a good wife for some young fellow if she lives long enough.

Judge Stacy is on the gain now. He has expected every week for the past month to be able to go into Court, but is now on his feet again, and will be at his office next week without doubt.

Wm. E. Harrington, of Addison, was in town Tuesday and gave us a call. Billy is an old Tecumseh man and he was kept busy shaking hands while here. He says Addison is booming right along.

St. John's church, Clinton gives a social at the town hall on the 22d, when pork and beans eaten by ladies and gentlemen dressed in the costumes of "ye olden time," will form the leading features of the event.

According to General Weaver, Ben Butler would sweep Massachusetts, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Kansas, and Nebraska, and would not lose a state that Tilden carried. His campaign would not be equalled in enthusiasm by any other in our history.

A gentleman from Mt. Morris, N. Y. is in town looking up the matter of establishing a canning factory here. The concern will employ at least one hundred hands. We bespeak for him a cordial reception, believing that there is no better place for an establishment of the kind in the State of Michigan.

A. V. Averill, who now resides at Dorr Center, Allegan county, gets around to Tecumseh about once in two or three years. He takes a hunting trip up in Oscoda county every fall, staying about a month, which braces him up for the next year. He dropped around last Thursday and remained over Sunday.

A. J. Sinclair, of Adrian, State Agt. of the Home Insurance Company was in town Monday. He is more than pleased with the success of A. W. Haight, the Home's local agent at Tecumseh. During his call at the HERALD office we blocked out a plan for a three days' fish on Pickerel lake next September.

Joe Howe's valentine came in the shape of a 9 pound baby, and how proud Joe is.

Mrs. A. E. Ure, of Adrian, expects to be at the Lilley house every Wednesday afternoon after April 1st to give instruction in the fashions.

The Ann Arbor bicycle club are making arrangements for a bicycle tournament to be held there in the spring, and have been considering plans to raise the requisite funds.—Geo. W. Cable has accepted an invitation to lecture under the auspices of the club.

S. W. Temple's new brick planing mill is now in complete running order, with six new machines of the latest pattern, and is capable of turning out an immense amount of work. Mr. Temple is now getting out a large order for Lucas county, Ohio, and numerous other smaller orders. His sales one day last week amounted to over two hundred dollars.

Among the personals in last Monday's Adrian Times was the following: "Mrs. S. D. Nesmith, of Addison, died at the Lawrence to-day." The news went through town Tuesday morning like wild fire, and upon telephoning to the Lawrence house to verify the report we received the reply that Mr. S. D. Nesmith dined at the Lawrence on Monday. The intelligent compositor had put an s to Mr. and left an n out of dined. That explained the whole mystery.

A new passenger train was put on the M. & O. last Tuesday to run between Battle Creek and Toledo. It will go East in the morning passing at 8:27 and return early in the evening, arriving here at 6:41 P. M. It will make close connections with the Wabash road at Britton. People on the line of the M. & O. between Battle Creek and Britton can take this train, go to either Detroit or Toledo, have 5 hours for business and return in good season the same night. This train will be a very popular one.

B. J. Bidwell has made the following sales from his herd of Shorthorns:

To John D. Shull, Tecumseh, bull Breadalbane 11th 45516, by Breadalbane 2nd 37792, dam Myrtle 2d by Mazurka's Oxford 12428.

To Marvin Cooley, Franklin, bull Breadalbane 14th 50235, by Breadalbane 2d 37792, dam Duchess 6th, by Noble Duke 2d 15005.

To same, cow Imogene, red and white, by Mazurka's Oxford, out of Snowball by Burlington 13574.

To J. M. Moore, Brooklyn, bull Breadalbane 12th 50233, by Breadalbane 2d 37792, dam Minnie 5th, by Mazurka's Oxford 12428.

To E. O. Weinett, Abilene, Texas, bull Breadalbane 18th, by Breadalbane 2d 37792, dam Oxford Cherry 2d, by Mazurka's Oxford 12428.

Mr. Bidwell reports his stock wintering well. He has eight yearling bulls on sale, as well as cows and young heifers.

THE BIG FLOOD.

Bert Temple has furnished us with a copy of the Portsmouth Blade giving a full account of the great flood in the Ohio valley at that point. It is filled with thrilling incidents connected with the high water at Portsmouth. Among a large number of interesting items we find these:

At 12 o'clock of Feb. 12th, 1883, the water reached its highest limit, and strange as it may seem, at precisely the same time, 12 o'clock of Feb. 12th, '84, the highest point was again reached in this city. This is a coincidence as is a coincidence

Monday, Bill Alt, of Chillicothe street, was monarch of the entire tonsorial profession, he being the only barber in the city, whose shop was not submerged. It lasted only a few hours, however, and Bill was reduced to the level of his competitors.

The only train that can reach Cincinnati is the Cincinnati Northern, and some half dozen others connect with this one at Norwood, seven miles north-east of the city. All mail is brought out on this little narrow gauge.

At the least calculation one hundred pianos have been destroyed or damaged almost beyond repair, entailing a loss of many thousand dollars. This will be a good field for an experienced piano-tuner after the waters subside.

"DRIVEN FROM HOME."

The entertainment given under the auspices of the G. A. R. last week at the Opera House was given to good houses on both evenings, and it is no flattery to say that it was the best amateur theatrical put on the boards in this village for several years. Harry C. Chapman carried the leading role of the miserly Dutchman to perfection, and the home talent was very wisely distributed. Judge Stanley carried his part admirably, as did the attorneys and officers. Jivers was capitally rendered, and in fact nothing else could be expected of Perry Hosmer. The ladies did well, and Joe Biggs, though a new man on a Tecumseh stage showed a superior talent for acting that surprised his friends. The whole caste was arranged in a way to best bring out the talents of the actors. Not only was the play itself well put on the stage, but the business management of the affair was well conducted in a financial point of view. The expenses were quite heavy, owing to the bonus paid Mr. Chapman, but the Quartermaster after paying all bills reported to the Post $95.15 as the net proceeds of the entertainment. The G. A. R. have reason to congratulate themselves on the successful issue of their first theatrical venture.

Blissfield Advance: Palmyra is now agitating the matter of compelling the Lake Shore people to run a passenger train daily each way over the old track through the village. It will be a cold day when they do.

A Toledo note in the Adrian Times says the ice gorge above the city remains firm, and a return of freezing weather has checked the volume of water flowing into the Maumee from the smaller tributaries, and there is no imminent danger of an overflow.—Yet the merchants hardly dare to place goods in their cellars again, and so in suspense, much inconvenience is experienced. The railroads suffer the most, as they dare not receive freight into their houses except in limited quantity, and for the briefest time. Amidst a bewilderment of prophecy, the prevailing opinion seems to be, if the ice and waters move without rain, and gradually, Toledo will not suffer the dreaded deluge.

MORE SURPRISE PARTIES.

Surprise parties have become an epidemic in this latitude. Last Saturday evening a company of about 80 visited "Met and Jule" Conklin at their commodious home northwest of the village, and a most jolly evening was passed by all. The party was arranged by "Uncle Billy" Brezee, and was a success of course, as everything is which he puts his hand to. On the same evening a large number of Frank Davidson's Ridgeway and Tecumseh friends came down upon him and gave him an old fashioned housewarming. It is needless to say that both Frank and his genial wife proved themselves fully equal to the occasion and entertained their guests in fine style. If there had been good sleighing the Conklin party would have gone down to Davidson's about ten o'clock in the evening, and then,—well we are afraid the walls of Frank's house would have been strained or the Sabbath would have been broken.

THE HIGH SCHOOL PIANO.

Prof. Hanimond has closed a purchase of a new piano for the High School. When he began to look about for a piano last fall he talked with both Mr. Sparks and the agent of Whitney's music house of Detroit.—Whitney's agent promised to put in a good piano at wholesale rates of the Hallet, Davis & Co.'s make, underbidding Mr. Sparks, who was Whitney's local agent here. Sparks shortly after obtained the control of the Briggs' piano from Currier & McChesney, of Detroit, and made better figures, as they had several of those instruments on hand to be closed out by an assignee. Meanwhile Prof. Hammond corresponded with Prof. Pease, of Ypsilanti, who recommended the Briggs' piano as a fine toned and durable instrument. Prof. Hammond then closed a trade with Mr. Sparks for a Briggs at less than the wholesale price. It is an extra bargain. Only $75 remain to be raised to pay for it which can be done before the close of the present school year.

EN ROUTE TO CALIFORNIA.

James B. Colvin was at Ogden on the 14th inst. From a private letter we take a few extracts which will be of interest to our readers:

I am waiting for the train going west; its behind this morning six hours. Have just come up from Salt Lake City. Thermometer 17 below here this morning, 24 yesterday morning, but they don't mind it here. If I was at home I would not dare to be out, but it is quite pleasant here. Will be in Oakland to-morrow night if all goes well. The cars are comfortable to ride in but they have to keep up a good fire. No snow to hinder as yet and we understand there is no more ahead although the ground is covered here. Saw thousands of cattle shifting for themselves as we came thro' Wyoming territory and they have done well so far, but this snap will kill them by droves; the snow is from six to ten inches deep all over the territory, and is not quite so deep in Nebraska, but the ground is covered all the way to Chicago. The cattle have drifted down from the north from one to two hundred miles, with no one to look after them till next summer when they expect to find those not frozen to death, and that will be about one quarter of the whole, and if this cold weather continues ten days more it will ruin one-half the herds. I had a very faint idea of the size of this country until I saw it. Salt Lake City is a splendid place for a city, but the Mormons are keeping emigration from coming in and it is growing very slowly. There is a continual fight going on between the gentiles and mormons, and the mormons comprise four-fifths of the population Was it not that the Governor and U. S. Marshal are both appointed by the President no gentile would live there three days. I was all over the city. The temple, the Synagogue and all the other places of worship, and at the Hot Springs I saw most of the leading mormons and had a big time generally, of which I will tell you when I get home. This I write standing in the depot with a perfect babel going on around me.
J. B. COLVIN.

THE LAND OF FLOWERS.

SORRENTO, FLA., Feb. 11, 1884.

EDITOR HERALD:

We have been living between hope and fear since the heavy freeze, but our fears have subsided since learning that orange trees are coming out all right. I have examined several groves and find that those on high pine lands are uninjured. I was through F. D. Raymond's grove yesterday and found many trees with fruit buds just ready to blossom, although the freeze caused many leaves to fall, yet it only proves a benefit to the trees, from the fact that it removes the scale insect, and as the new growth comes forth no harm will come to them from the insect on old leaves. On some of the trees that we have transplanted from J. B. Swan's grove are new buds ¾ of an inch in length, with trees looking fresh and thrifty. In some groves on low land trees were frozen to such an extent as to cause the bark to split from top to bottom, yet on the whole nine-tenths of the orange trees in Orange Co. are uninjured, especially those that are over three years old.—A few young nursery trees are killed, causing a large demand for trees at high prices, but since fresh leaves are put forth the excitement is abating and from present prospects the supply will more than equal the demand at present, at least while the drouth continues. Having water handy by we have set our grove, watering the trees well down, with 2½ pails of water to each tree, and mulching with pine straw, and if the rain holds off three months more we will give them more water from the spring brook.—This severe cold wave has settled the one question in many minds, that the orange will withstand more freezing than was supposed it could, as was the case on the 6th of January last when the thermometer registered 24° above zero; the day following it stood at 72° at noon. Then again on the 22nd day of January it was 25° above zero; the day following it was 73°.—Since which time the temperature has been from 48° to 62° at 6 A. M., and 65° to 85° at noon, and 53° to 74° at 6 P. M. To-day it was 84° at noon. The heavy dews help out very much during this very long dry spell, ¾ of an inch of rain fall since Oct. 28th last. This, in Michigan, would equal a drouth. It proves so here for early gardening, where water is not handy for irrigation, but for orchards and pineapples the refreshing dews and cool nights sustain and perpetuate their growth. While the many new settlers here have fine weather for their building, which is going on at a surprising rate, and nearly every day brings fresh arrivals to this land of sunshine.

We have a new neighbor, Frank Steger, of Tecumseh, who has purchased a ten acre lot just across the away, and is vigorously persuading the lofty pines to "come down" and step out, to give room for a grove of orange, which he proposes to plant out this season. I am told by old Floridians that we must expect a dry season every seven years, as it always has been so from the earliest history of Florida, and a cold winter accompanying it, and to be succeeded by much rain fall during the spring and summer.

We hope to attend the State Fair at Jacksonville on the 12th inst., and take a look over the fruits, vegetables, flowers, plants, cotton, honey and poultry. I see on the list of premiums offered for best display of strawberries, $25. Am sorry to have none in bearing this season, but have heard of those who have, which is rather early for us from Michigan to look for strawberries and cream.

The outlook for Florida as a prosperous State is very good. Towns and villages are filling up fast. New cottages and slight frame dwellings meets the eye of the traveller in al most every direction over the State. Thousands of acres of land have been sold this season, and in many localities prices are double over last year. Land owners are dividing and subdividing, selling off five and ten acre lots, giving all a chance to have a grove who shall choose to come to the State for a winter home, as thousands will yet be driven from the rigid north and west to seek shelter from the cold, beneath this genial sunny sky, where as a health resort for those with lung trouble may have rest from that exhausting cough, and enjoy breezes from ocean and gulf, gather wild flowers every day in the year, and "listen to the mocking bird."
E. HAUSK.

HEADQUARTERS Co. C, 1st Reg. M.S.T.
Tecumseh, Feb. 21, 1884.

GENERAL ORDER No. 1.

In accordance with the statutory requirements Co. C, 1st Reg. M. S. T., will report at the armory in full uniform, on Friday, Feb. 22, 1884, at 7 o'clock P. M., sharp, for parade and inspection. Every member will be expected to report at the time above mentioned.
F. B. WOOD, Capt. Com.
E. A. DOKE, 1st. Sergeant.

From a short call at Mumford's store in Adrian the other day we are satisfied that he must control the best book trade in the city. His store is completely crammed with goods in the book, stationery and notion line.

Chester W. Brownson, of Clinton, on Monday last sold out his lease to David Service, whose farm he had leased, and Service will take possession again on the first day of April.—The parties have had considerable litigation of late, but they now "agree to disagree", and Chet says if Service will be a man he is ready to bury the hatchet. Chet is ready to go in peace and let Service run his own farm.

CARD OF THANKS.

In behalf of Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R., allow us to extend our hearty thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who rendered such valuable assistance in producing the drama "Driven from Home" also to the public for their liberal patronage.
S. P. HOSMER, Com.
G. W. MARSDEN, Adjt.

Before investing your money in a Sewing Machine call and look over the list of Whites and Domestics sold to parties in Tecumseh and vicinity since January 1st. Several makes of good machines will be sold for $18 to $25, cash, to close them out, as I do not intend to handle any but the White and Domestic in the future. Second hand machines, in good running order, $3 to $10.
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—If you even think of buying a Sewing Machine call on Slayton & Kinney. They have a fine stock; sell cheap and on time.

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—W. N. Snedecor has a lot of fine bob sleighs. Call and see them.

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—If you are in need of tinware it would be for your interest to call at Pennock's, one door east of Herald office.

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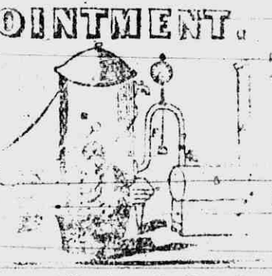

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JERSEYVILLE, Ill., April 25, 1882.

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The Preservation of Georgia Forests.

The preservation of the forests is now a prominent topic of discussion in several States. It should not be necessary to urge the importance of this subject in any country, but the wasteful habits of the American people in regard to the destruction of timber are hard to eradicate. In Georgia the supply of timber, until a few years ago, has been considered practically inexhaustible. Now, however, in many sections of the State its scarcity is beginning to be appreciated and felt, and there is not sufficient timber left either for fencing or fuel.

The old-time destructive process of clearing land, the multiplication of turpentine farms, the work of hundreds of saw-mills, have been denuding the land of timber for many years, and now, if the present rate of destruction is continued, it will not be long before the celebrated pine forests of Georgia will be among the things of the past.

Comparatively little of the forest area of Georgia is now a part of the public domain. Nearly all the land is in the hands of private individuals or corporations, and it would be all but impossible to enact and enforce laws for the effective preservation of timbered lands except where the title remains in the State. The appeal should be made not only to the good sense, but to the self interest of land-owners, to adopt some system for the preservation of their timber and for its replacement when already destroyed.

It has been demonstrated by at least one company in Georgia that the timber of a tract of land can be utilized and put on the market, and at the same time the forests preserved in their integrity, and the supply of lumber taken rendered all but inexhaustible. It has a rule for the cutting and milling of timber by which only the very largest trees are cut, while the balance are left to grow, and thus by the time the cutters get over the land one time, say in ten years, the process of selection can be repeated, and so on indefinitely. There is every reason why all substantial lumbermen should adopt this systematic manner of utilizing and at the same time preserving their timber. No doubt it can be so modified as to be adapted to turpentine farms, and regulations about fire adopted that will render the turpentine business a permanent and growing industry, instead of a fight against time and nature, which must of necessity end from exhaustion or destruction of the timber in a very few years.—*Savannah (Ga.) News.*

The Peril of Winter Fishing.

The Boston *Commercial Bulletin* pronounces the great loss of fishing-vessels during the past season "a horror of the sea even greater than the wreck of the City of Columbus," and says there is "no need of the annual sacrifice of life and property which is now made." It furthermore declares that "it is more hazardous to engage in Georges Banks fishing than to work in a powder-mill." The high rank of the *Bulletin* as a commercial newspaper gives much weight to its words on "a subject, and the remedy it proposes deserves earnest consideration. It is better to "abolish winter fishing on Georges" than to have a yearly loss of more than one hundred lives, but it suggests that the use of deeper vessels with an improved outfit would remove much of the peril of the industry. The city of Gloucester is chiefly interested in the winter-fishing, and of its fleet sent out in 1883 seventeen vessels and two hundred and nine fishermen never came back. The record for 1881 may be still more terrible, for already two vessels are known to be lost and seven more are supposed to be.

The Newfoundland seal industry is said to be the greatest and most profitable ocean fishery in the world, but the introduction of steam-vessels for fishing gives especial interest to the inquiry whether winter-fishing is necessarily so perilous that it ought to be prohibited, for it is thought that steam-fishing smacks will be extensively used to take cod in the winter months. Steam smacks can also be advantageously used for mackerel-fishing, catching more fish and taking them to market much more rapidly than sail-vessels. At present much of the fish taken in winter is taken from the water in the fall and kept on ice until it passes from the market. The demand for fish fresh from the sea is increasing so fast that general interest attaches to the discussion of the methods by which the perils of winter fishing can be reduced.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

Embroidered Muslin.

Muslins of a solid color are imported in robe patterns that have a deep ounce and narrow garniture of embroidery, done in many colors in cross stitches and in tapestry designs. These come in ecrit, cream, rose pink and pale blue, and will make gay and youthful summer dresses. For white dresses there are French nainsooks wrought all over with sprigs, daisies, rose-buds or lilies, to be used as over-dresses or as the skirt fronts of plain muslins. These are in thick designs like those of needle-work, but there are also many of the open worked Hamburg goods that are to be used for yokes, sleeves and front breadths of the white India linens.

Bands of insertion and scalloped embroideries for trimming are in new designs that have the effect of applique work, as they are made to stand out in relief from the surface, and represent dragons, lizards, flowers, animals, birds and insects. Netted meshes, like those of lace, are placed inside outlines of these figures and enhance the appearance of applied-work. The Fayal designs are in durable open work for piqué and for satteens, and other patterns have small eyelets that look like perforated card board, in preference to the more showy large wheels, stars and latticed figures of Hamburg designs. The Irish point patterns are again imported in fine sheer white nainsooks, and will be used as transparents over dark satin or velvet for trimming cashmere dresses and the Louisines and India silks. Mosaic embroideries in designs of many leaves, like tatting, will be used for trimming children's white dresses of muslins, and also their light colored cashmere dresses.—*Harper's Bazar.*

The crops in Ireland have fallen off because of the emigration of laborers.

Pluck vs. Luck.

In an address delivered before the students of the Spencerian business college, Washington, D. C., June 29, 1869, among other things, Gen. James A. Garfield said:

"Now, young gentlemen, let me address you touching your success in life; and I hope the very brevity of my remarks will increase the chance of their making a lodgment in your minds. Let me beg you in the outset of your career, to dismiss from your minds all ideas of succeeding by luck. There is no more silly thought among young people than the foolish one that by and by something will turn up by which they will suddenly achieve fame or fortune. No, young gentlemen, things don't turn up in this world unless somebody turns them up. Inertia is one of the indispensable laws of matter, and things lie flat where they are until by some intelligent spirit (for nothing but spirit makes motion in this world) they are endowed with activity and life. Do not dream that some good luck is going to happen to you and give you a fortune. Luck is an *ignis fatuus*—you may follow it to ruin, but not to success. The great Napoleon, who believed in his destiny, followed it until he saw his star go down in blackest night, when the Old Guard perished around him, and Waterloo was lost. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck.

Young men talk of trusting to the spur of the occasion. That trust is vain. Occasions cannot make spurs young gentlemen. If you expect to wear spurs you must win them. If you wish to use them you must buckle them to your own heels before you go into the fight. The prize you may achieve is not worth the having unless you fight for it. Whatever you win in life you must conquer by your own efforts, and then it is yours—a part of yourself."

Good Advice for Everybody.

1. Never, under any circumstances assume a responsibility that you can avoid, consistently with your duty to yourself and others.

2. Base all your actions upon a principle of right; preserve your integrity of character, and in doing this never reckon on the cost.

3. Remember that self-interest is much more likely to warp your judgment than all other circumstances combined; therefore look well to your duty when your interest is concerned.

4. Never make money at the expense of your reputation.

5. Be neither lavish or niggardly. Of the two, avoid the latter. A mean man is universally despised, but public favor is a stepping stone to preferment; therefore generous feelings should be cultivated.

6. Say but little; think much and do more.

7. Let your expenses be such as to leave a balance in your pocket. Ready money is a friend in need.

8. Avoid borrowing and lending.

9. Wine drinking and cigar smoking are bad habits; they impair the health and pocket, and lead to a waste of time.

10. Never relate your misfortunes, and never grieve over what you cannot prevent.

11. Cultivate promptness in deciding upon matters that come before you; there are few objects more disagreeable than an undecided, vacillating man. Consider thoughtfully, but decide promptly.

12. Never break a business engagement of any kind, if it be possible to meet it. Let nothing cause you to become careless of business etiquette, integrity and promptitude.

13. Let truth and an unwavering faith in God underlie all your motives and actions.

The Curfew Bell

It will be remembered that the curfew is commonly said to have been introduced into England by William the Conqueror. By that monarch it was ordained, under severe penalties, that when the curfew bell rang at 8 o'clock in the evening all lights and fires should be extinguished. There are those who hold that this was merely the enforcing of an existing and very common police regulation to that effect. The absolute prohibition of lights after the ringing of the curfew bell was abolished by Henry I. in the year 1100, but the practice of tolling a bell at a fixed hour in the evening was continued, and this, which is still extant in some places, is a survival of the curfew of medieval times. At first the common hour was 7 o'clock, then it was gradually advanced to 8, and in some places to 9 o'clock; indeed, in Scotland, 10 o'clock was not an unusual hour. The curfew was a regulation most useful in those early days, when it was the custom to place the fire in a hole in the middle of the floor under an opening in the roof, to allow the escape of the smoke. When the family retired for the night, the fire was extinguished by covering it up; hence the term couvre-feu, or curfew. The regulation was also serviceable in obliging the people to keep in their houses, and thus preventing night brawls in the streets. It is believed that there is no historical authority for the popular tradition that the severity exhibited by the Conqueror in enforcing obedience to the curfew was more particularly designed to prevent the English from assembling in secret to plan schemes of rebellion against their Norman lords.

Feathered Slaves.

No people are more ingenious than the Chinese in the minor arts of life. That they have succeeded in training birds to fish is a striking example of their ingenuity and patience. Instead of carrying nets, the fishermen provide themselves with a large number of cormorants which perch on the edge of the boats. It is a curious spectacle to see these creatures engaged in fishing, diving into the water and always coming up with a fish in their beaks. As the Chinese fear the vigorous appetites of their feathered servants, they fasten around their necks an iron ring, large enough to allow their breathing but too small to admit of the entrance of the fish they seize; to prevent their straying about in the water and wasting the time desired for their work, a cord is attached to the ring and to one claw of the cormorant by which he is pulled up when inclined to stay too long under water. When tired he is permitted to rest for a while; but if he abuse the indulgence and waste his time, a few strokes of the bamboo recalls him to duty, and the poor diver resumes his laborious occupation. In passing from one fishing ground to another, the cormorants perch side by side, so as not to disturb the equilibrium of the frail vessel.

A boy came home from school much excited, and told his father that the teacher said all human beings were descended from apes, which made the old man so mad that he replied angily: "That may be the case with you, but it ain't with me. I can tell you that, now."

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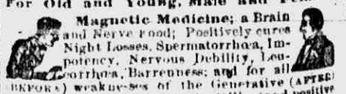

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Jackson	6 22	2 13	4 15
Napoleon	6 40	2 35	4 40
Tecumseh	6 59	3 00	5 00
Ann Arbor	7 42	3 16	5 38
Chelsea	7 50	3 26	5 52
Dexter	8 07	3 39	6 12
Ypsilanti	8 16	3 49	6 25
Detroit	9 00	4 15	7 00
Toledo	10 25	6 12	8 50

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 10. Mail.	No. 16. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Toledo	8 45	12 15	4 45
Detroit	10 25	1 45	6 20
Ypsilanti	11 12	2 33	7 15
Dexter	11 25	2 43	7 28
Chelsea	11 35	2 53	7 40
Ann Arbor	11 50	3 05	7 55
Tecumseh	12 15	3 27	8 20
Clinton	12 30	3 40	8 35
Jackson	12 55	4 05	9 00
Grand River Jct.	3 45	7 45	11 45
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Toledo	6 00	10 25	2 00

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	37.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 10	9 10	4 30
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Belleville	10 51	10 31	4 34
Milan		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Adrian		11 35	5 26
Sand Creek	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Morenci		12 01	5 52
North Fayette	1 02	12 25	6 25
Montpelier		12 48	6 39
Bakersley	1 43	1 07	7 00
Butler		3 50	9 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
Butler	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bakersley	3 06	8 15	
Montpelier	3 29	8 37	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 01	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Adrian	4 52	10 30	
Britton	5 08	10 50	4 52
Milan	5 33	11 11	5 15
Belleville	5 41	11 18	
Romulus	6 20	11 55	6 00
Detroit			

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JANUARY 13, 1884.

GOING WEST. Passenger.	GOING WEST. Mixed.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	GOING EAST. Mixed.
10 10AM	6 15AM	Lv. Toledo Ar	3 05PM	7 45PM
10 12 "	6 17 "	Dundee	2 05 "	6 00 "
10 25 "	6 30 "	Britton	1 38 "	5 00 "
10 40 "	6 45 "	Ridgeway	1 23 "	4 57 "
10 50 "	6 55 "	Tecumseh	1 23 "	4 38 "
11 05 "	7 25 "	Tipton	1 00 "	4 08 "
11 10 "	7 30 "	Cambridge	12 50 "	3 43 "
11 20 "	7 40 "	Addison	12 30 "	3 00 "
11 30 "	7 50 "	Jerome	12 07 "	2 27 "
11 40 "	8 00 "	Moscow	11 55AM	2 13 "
11 47 "	8 07 "	Hanover	11 45 "	1 48 "
12 00PM	8 20 "	Pulaski	11 33 "	1 23 "
12 10 "	8 30 "	Homer	11 19 "	12 32PM
12 16 "	8 36 "	Marshall	10 39 "	11 26AM
12 35 "	8 55 "	Ceresco	10 25 "	11 02 "
12 50 "	9 10 "	Battle Creek	10 05 "	10 20 "
1 00 "	9 20 "	Augusta	9 35 "	9 25 "
1 12 "	9 32 "	Yorkville	9 27 "	9 08 "
1 16 "	9 36 "	Richland	9 19 "	8 55 "
1 22 "	9 42 "	Monteith	8 10 "	7 43 "
1 30 "	9 50 "	Fisk	8 00 "	7 33 "
1 35 "	9 55 "	Kellogg	7 55 "	7 18 "
1 45 "	10 05 "	Ar. Allegan Lv.	7 45AM	6 50AM

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

—Trains run by Central Time.—

GOING NORTH. No. 2 Mixed.	No. 4 Express.	No. 6 Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P. M.	A. M.			A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
2 00	8 05		Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
2 07	8 12		Manhattan Junc.	9 20	1 39	4 48
2 18	8 19		Alexis	9 16	1 28	4 38
2 25	8 29		Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 30
2 35	8 35		Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 22
2 45	8 45		Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
3 05	8 52		Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
3 25	9 01		Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
3 40	9 15		Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
3 50	9 27		Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
4 06	9 39		Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
4 20	9 36		Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
					A.M.	
4 40	9 46		Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
4 55	9 55		Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
5 20	10 10		Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
5 18	10 32		Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
5 28	10 38		Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
5 30	10 50		South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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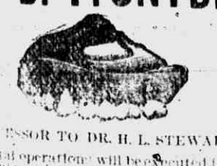

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Fashion Notes.

Changeable silks are gaining favor.

The Medicis collar is very popular this year.

Two toned brocades are specially handsome.

Few bows are seen on modern shoes, and those are quite flat, of the style called cravat bows.

Bright colored silk embroidery is largely used for garnishing white opera cloaks.

Strings for bonnets are somewhat broader, and mostly preferred in velvet or ottoman ribbon.

Dresses of plain cloth are frequently trimmed.

Loops of narrow ribbons, gilt braid, or velvet, are laid against the frills of ruching for the neck.

Bright red and bottle green combined are in good taste.

Some of the latest bridal dresses have a broad band of white fur bordering the train.

Caps are of plaited lace, puffs of tulle, and gauze.

The most beautiful clasps, which fasten like an ordinary hook and eye, are now used to take the place of buttons, both for dresses and cloaks.

Bands of black velvet are worn around the throat and wrists at afternoon "at homes." They are always ornamented with diamond or pearl pins.

Ladies' white cloth dolmans are considered stylish opera cloaks when bordered with white fox fur and lined with plush.

Small-headed diamond pins, pearl, gold and silver pins are thrust about in the laces of jabots and frills on dressy corsages.

Shell hair pins, with glittering Rhine stones in the curved end, are worn as ornaments, thrust through the coils of the back hair.

Neck chains are altogether out of fashion, and women who have handsome ones are converting them into bracelets.

A novel apron drapery for a costume of silk and velvet is composed of velvet and ribbons woven together, over and under, in checker board pattern.

The straight, high dog collar is affected by women with long, slender throats. It is generally made of dark velvet, stiff, with gold, silver, steel or pearl embroidery.

Cravats and bows for the neck are quite gone out of fashion. A tiny brooch is used to fasten the small officer collar with which all dress bodices are now finished.

Plush is coming steadily back into favor. Worth has just made a dress for the Princess of Wales and another for the Queen of Portugal, both trimmed with plush.

Bonnets in the Princess shape, made of shirred black velvet, with pompoms of gray and black on the left side, and strings of ribbon velvet of both shades, are now worn by young ladies.

Walking boots of black or bronze kid are made with from seventeen to twenty-four very small buttons for dressy toilets; of patent leather, with cloth gaiters buttoned half way up the leg, for more neglige dress and for traveling.

The most fashionable fur capes are those made of monkey skin and black fox. Some of the former have little chenille ball borders. These capes make an effective addition to toilets of black silk, satin and velvet.

The sheer linen cambric handkerchiefs have taken the first rank—scalloped edges, with a vine inside; a hem with several rows of raised dots inside, and elaborate needlework all round trimming them. Others have an applique of pompadour lace in each corner.

All walking dresses are still cut with round skirts, as also dresses for small evening or dinner parties; but the train seems to obtain more success than last year for ball or grand reception toilets. For such occasions the short dress is only adopted by young girls or young married ladies who dance a great deal.

Pretty ball toilets are made of milky white English crape draped over moire or satin, with light clusters of flowers. Others are of colored silk tulle plaited over silk, with draperies of figured tulle to match, or tulle spangled with gold or silver, which looks pretty and effective. This tulle is draped over moire previously veiled over with plain tulle, which produces a most lustrous and beautiful effect.

Large metal clasps, more or less rich, artistic and beautiful, are worn with all elegant costumes at the neck of mantle or jacket, at the waist, in the folds of drapery or puffing. Metal brooches are worn upon hats and bonnets, bows and cravats; brooches have also come into favor again since large cravat bows have been given up.

Tea gowns are now made principally in Watteau style, and have very long trains. One recently seen was made of the palest gray cashmere brightened with a long Watteau back and train of vivid scarlet satin. Down the front were innumerable bows and ends of narrow pale gray and red satin ribbon.

Dark Russian furs are the most fashionable this winter. Long cloaks lined with quilted fur are edged all around with fur. Siberian fox and wild cat are also considered stylish. Plain black velvet paletots trimmed with bear skin are one of the most stylish out-door garments of the season. Fur is universally worn, as trimming this winter, and is both stylish and elegant.

Great refinement in the details of the toilet is a sure sign of good taste. Stockings should always be colored, unless they are worn with entirely white evening toilets. For the daytime they are of cashmere, wool or silk lourette, matched to the dress or its trimmings, and either plain or striped, to wear with the semi low shoe or the high boot, sixteen to twenty small buttons, patent leather-pointed tip and low heel. For the evening the stocking is of colored silk, open worked or embroidered on the instep, and worn with the low satin or bronze kid shoe, plain or embroidered with beads.

All plaid tissues, chess board patterns and checks of all dimensions are lighted up with fine streaks of brilliant coloring, stripes wide or narrow, of two colors, or two shades of one color, cloth trimmed with velvet or plush. Auvergnant velvet, or ribbed velveteen, are the materials principally employed for children's winter dresses. Upon ribbed velveteen are applied bands of unbleached embroidery, or better still, deep lace borders, worked in crochet, with unbleached cotton pockets, sleeve revers, and deep collar matched to the embroidery or lace—such are the only trimmings becoming a young child's dress.

Fashions are more varied than ever this winter. Evening dresses are made of either light or dark shades, with a train as often as not, but quite a plain one, without any sort of trimming, especially when the material is a rich one. The train, as has been already hinted, can be made top net on and off at pleasure. Bodices are cut low in a round, square, or oval shape, seldom in the shape of a heart, and generally peaked in front. Sleeves to the elbow of light lace, if lace forms part of the toilet, gloves very long, of unglazed kid, pale gray, or black with black dresses; straw colored, white, pearl gray, or gilded crust, with light evening or ball toilets; bracelets, as beautiful as possible, are worn over the gloves.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

Grand Opera.

"Father," asked a young man of his cynical parent, "what is grand opera?"

"I don't know."

"Why are some operas called grand, while others are not so designated?" "It seems to me that if a composer could write grand opera he would never write any other kind."

"Well, you see it's only by experiment that a composer can determine whether or not an opera is grand. If, upon first production, the music is beyond the abilities of the singers and bores the audience, it is grand. The weary yawn of a man does more, my son, to determine the value of an opera than the highest recommendation from a professional critic of music. If, though, the singer can climb to the summit of emergency, and if the audience is pleased, the opera is not grand and the composer goes away dissatisfied, disappointed and disconsolate. Sometimes the composer can correct the mistake brought to light on the proof-sheet of first production. On one occasion a great composer produced an opera which he hoped would be grand, but there was so much music in it, the singers did so well, and the audience went into such fits of rapture and spasms of enjoyment, that the composer saw his work doomed to a wayward life of inferior appreciation. After the performance he took the opera and sat up all night crossing out the music and marking in rasp flats and guinea-hen sharps. He went with high hope the next night to get a revise. The audience became restless. Men began to talk business. A harness and buggy dealer from a neighboring town sold three buggies, two sets of harness, and figured extensively on an omnibus trade. Women drew their cloaks around their shoulders and shivered. The voices on the stage broke and fell in shattered fragments. The composer went away happy. His opera was grand.

"Did the people continue their patronage after the music was marked out and the opera pronounced grand?"

"Bless your ignorance, yes. Why the increase in attendance was wonderful. Previous to an opera's advent as grand that is, before the music is crossed out—only people who really loved the 'concord of sweet sounds' went to see it, but afterwards it was like to all. The man with the dullest ear enjoyed it quite as much, or pretended to, which is all the same, as the person whose spirit was stirred by the gentle touch of soul-born harmony."

"But, father, if there is really nothing sweet in the grand operas why do you take mother to see them?"

"Because I am a fool, son."

"Yes, but why does mother—."

"Because she is a fool, my boy."

"Are all people thus actuated?"

"Yes: that is, all who are honest enough to confess it."

"Don't you believe there are people who enjoy grand operas?"

"Oh yes."

"They are highly cultivated, are they not?"

"No, not necessarily."

"What kind of people are they?"

"Deaf people, young man."—*Arkansaw Traveller.*

Our Little World.

Some physical results of the Java disturbance help us to understand how small the world is. Take a bowl of water, agitate the fluid in the center, and the undulations you excite propagate themselves in smooth swelling concentric rings till they lap against the side of the bowl. There they break, and slop up in mimic tidal waves. This is an exact illustration—*magna componere parvis*—of the oscillations of the sea reported from both hemispheres this week. The tidal irregularities, as might be expected, were most violent on the northwestern seaboard of Australia, which lies right opposite the scene of the Java disturbances. On that coast the sea retreated and advanced a hundred yards. A day or two later oscillations appeared on the Atlantic seaboard of America. The particular undulation which, on the fifth day out, slopped up on the east coast of New Zealand must have come by way of Cape of Good Hope and Cape Horn, and had nearly completed the circle of the globe. Australia lies as a breakwater between us and Java by the direct route. It gives one a new conception of the littleness of what Henry Ward Beecher calls "this ha'penny-ha'penny world" when a man can stand on the ocean Beach at Dunedin and watch the ripples from a splash made in the straits of Sunda.—*Chicago Times.*

The death of a noted native of Roelbridge County, Va., is thus related in a Texas paper: "Big Foot Wallace, the celebrated pioneer, veteran and Indian fighter, is dead." The old man has been leading a hermit life for years past in the brushiest part of Atascosa County, Tex., and was found in bed a corpse. It is thought that he had been dead two or three days when found. There is no heir to the few cattle he owned, and the contents of the cabin, his rifle, knife, saddle and various Indian trophies and souvenirs will probably go to the State."

—The Cape Cod Ship Canal, when completed, will do away with navigation around Devil's Bridge, the spot on which the City of Columbus was wrecked.—*Boston Post.*

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 21, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News

CONGRESS.

IN the Senate Mr. Forbes offered a resolution imposing the Secretary of the Treasury to withhold for the present his approval of the patents on certificates for lands selected by the Northern Pacific Railroad to Ben of others said to have been lost by said company under the act of July, 1864. Mr. Pendleton introduced a bill to grant condemned cannon to be used in construction of a statue to the memory of William H. Lytle, of Ohio. The Senate then took up McPherson's bill to provide for the issue of circulating notes to National banking associations, pending discussion of which the Senate went into executive session and adjourned. In the House Mr. Warner offered a resolution, which was referred, directing the committee to inquire why the joint resolution passed on the 11th for the relief of the sufferers by the Ohio flood was not sent to the Senate [illegible] officer until the afternoon of the 12th. Petitions were presented in favor of pensioning Union soldiers who suffered at Andersonville and other Confederate prisons. The House proceeded to the consideration of the Mississippi contested election case of Chalmers vs. Manning, but without final action adjourned.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 14th the testimony taken by the committee to investigate the official conduct ex-Supervising Architect Hill, referred. The bill making all public roads and highways post routes was taken up and after a slight amendment passed. The Senate took up and passed the bill for the relief of the Louisiana State Bank, permitting the bank, notwithstanding the statute of limitations, to present to the Court of Claims its claim for coinage taken by the United States in 1862, the claim is for $[illegible] in coin valued at $[illegible]. Pending a discussion on the McPherson bill relative to National bank circulation the executive session adjourned. In the House Mr. McKinley presented a telegram from Cleveland detailing the destruction occasioned by the floods in the Ohio Valley, and recommending congress to increase to $1,000,000 the appropriation for the relief of the sufferers. The House resumed consideration of the contested election case of Chalmers against Manning, pending discussion of which the House adjourned.

TELEGRAMS were read in the Senate on the 15th depicting the horrors experienced in the flooded districts, and asking additional aid. The matter was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, which subsequently reported a joint resolution making a further appropriation of $[illegible] for the relief of destitute persons in the districts overflowed by the Ohio River and its tributaries. The resolution was read three times and passed. The Senate resumed consideration of the bill to provide for the issue of circulating notes to the National banks. A lengthy debate ensued, but without final action the Senate went into executive session and adjourned until Monday. In the House Mr. Hopkins from the Committee on Appropriations reported a joint resolution making a further appropriation of $[illegible] for the relief of the sufferers by the Ohio flood; the resolution was read and passed under suspension of the rules. The Chairman of the Mississippi election case, upon the point of appearance was decided and the majority report of the Committee, on Elections were adopted—yeas 146, nays [illegible]. There followed a long discussion of Elections from the prima facie case and [illegible] vacant until the case is decided in the House. Adjourned to Monday.

DOMESTIC.

A CALL for a mass convention of American Inventors, to be in March of this year, in the great Music Hall and Exposition Building in Cincinnati, has been issued. The call recites that the great monopolies of the country have made strong efforts to destroy the present wise and beneficent Patent laws, and there have been none to antagonize the representations thus made. To this end the inventors of this country have determined to form a permanent organization, wholly and solely for the purpose of being able by combined efforts to show Congress and the people that it will be detrimental to the interests of the country to accede to the demands of the monopolists." The convention to be held will seek to adopt some united form of action, or form State associations. All inventors and patentees who can attend, and desire to do so, are invited to address at once the Chairman of the Executive Committee, J. S. Zerbe, editor of the American Inventor, 158 West Fifth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio, who will forward each applicant the badge to entitle the holder to admission on the floor as a delegate. The citizens of Cincinnati have subscribed a liberal guarantee fund to meet the expenses of the convention.

A FREIGHT train on the New York Central Road, while taking water at Rhinebeck on the 14th, was telescoped by an extra freight, causing a damage of $[illegible]. No one injured.

ON the 15th the Western Nail Association reduced the card rate from $[illegible] to $2.25.

AT Philadelphia on the 14th Barbara Miner, colored, was fatally shot by Louisa Powell, also colored. Each had received a comic valentine, and each accused the other of being the sender.

WORK in the Monongahela River coal mines will be resumed on the 18th, giving employment to 3,000 miners who have been idle several months, owing to the depression of the trade. The men will be paid district wages—three and a half cents per bushel lower than the pools.

ON the 15th the wife of Charles Chamberlain, a Wilkesbarre (Pa.) miner, attempted to poison her husband by mixing Paris green in the pie crust because he refused to buy her a pair of shoes. He ate the pie and was thrown into convulsions. Medical aid was summoned and he may recover.

THE Ohio State Young Men's Christian Association Convention, in session at Dayton on the 15th, elected the following officers: President, Amasa Pratt, Columbus; Vice Presidents, H. A. Sherwin, Cleveland, Major H. P. Lloyd, Cincinnati, and John Dodds, Dayton; Secretary, F. S. Goodman, Toledo; Assistant Secretary, F. H. Young, of Dennison University.

THE will of Wendell Phillips makes no public bequests. His property, worth $250,000, is devised to his widow and their adopted daughter.

THE strike of the hands in the tobacco factories at Petersburgh, Va., on account of a twenty-five per cent. reduction in wages, has ended.

IN the case of John Brewster, on trial in the Criminal Court at New Orleans for the murder of Captain Michael S. Fortier at the Fifth ward Democratic primary election in that city in December last, the jury on the 15th returned a verdict of not guilty. Brewster, with several other persons, had been indicted by the Grand Jury for the shooting, in which three men were killed and four wounded.

THE President accepted the resignation of John C. New, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, to take effect on the 15th.

THE nominations of John Coburn, of Indiana, as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Montana, and F. C. Lord as Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Nevada, were sent to the Senate on the 15th.

SEVERAL days ago the body of Martin Riley, a farmer of Worthington, Minn., was found lying in a haystack with evidence that he had been foully murdered. All efforts to find a clue to the murderer failed. It has now come to light that the deed was perpetrated by his sixteen-year-old son in revenge for having been whipped by his father. The boy has disappeared.

THOMAS MELLON, a Pittsburgh capitalist, was before the House Committee on Labor on the 15th, and made an argument in behalf of free as distinguished from organized labor. He asked for legislation to prevent labor organizations from ordering men to work or not to work.

A PREMATURE explosion in a quarry at Reynolds' brewery, Wheeling, W. Va., on the 14th, killed Leon Seydell and fatally hurt an unknown German.

A STATE of utter destitution is reported among the Indians at the Poplar Creek and Wolf Point Agencies in Dakota, and unless speedy relief is afforded many will die of starvation.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended the 15th were: United States 246, Canada 52; a slight increase over the previous week.

A PASSENGER train on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Road was fired upon while passing a high bluff between Bellfast and Sand Bluff, Ia., on the 14th. One charge of buckshot struck the baggage car, and another charge shattered three windows in a coach. No one was injured.

TEN car loads of coal oil on a train on the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis Railroad, near Bellefontaine, O., caught fire on the 15th from a hot box and was consumed.

THE Catholic Church and school, occupied by forty hundred scholars, at Hancock, Mich., burned on the 14th.

REPORTS from the recent cyclone in Northwestern Georgia show that three hundred houses and negro cabins were destroyed and several persons killed.

THE annual report of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad shows gross receipts $7,476,000; net $2,722,000.

CHARLES H. RUGG, the negro awaiting trial for the murder of the Maybee family, and for an assault upon Mr. and Mrs. Townsend, of Long Island, escaped from the Queens County jail on the night of the 15th. The police of New York, Brooklyn and Long Island City were notified.

TWO thousand people assembled at the Diamond Mine, near Braidwood, Ill., on the 17th and held a memorial service over the spot where, February 18, 1882, some seventy-seven miners lost their lives, forty-nine of whose bodies are still entombed within the dark mine. Twenty-six societies and organizations, including the city council, participated.

TWO men named Wallace Brockman and Richard Craig were found dead in a room at the Ashland House, Lexington, Ky., on the morning of the 16th. They went to the hotel in a drunken condition late the night before and called for a bed. Soon after they retired at once, and it is supposed blew out the gas. Brockman lived at Midway, Ky., and Craig was a resident of Lexington.

JOHN SCHNEIDER, aged sixteen, who, in December last, shot and killed his brother in a quarrel at Newark, N. J., has been sentenced to six years imprisonment for manslaughter.

AN epidemic of scarlet fever is raging in Ware, Mass., and whole families of children are dangerously ill.

THE will of Colonel Hunt, the millionaire lumberman of Roscommon County, Mich., discloses that he has bequeathed $[illegible] to Caroline Brown, the mother of Artemus Ward, and similar amounts to Eli Perkins and Josh Billings.

AT Minneapolis, Minn., Mr. Albert Hammerling's family were attacked with trichinosis, the result of eating raw ham. On the 16th Mr. Hammerling died after terrible suffering, and the other members of his family, consisting of wife, three children and a sister of Mrs. Hammerling, were in a critical condition.

A DRUNKEN TABLE couple named Gatewood, whose children are in the House of Refuge, engaged in a drunken quarrel at their home in St. Louis on the night of the 16th. The next morning the woman was found dead on the floor with her skull broken, and her husband asleep on a lounge in the same room.

THE foundry board have submitted their report to the Secretary of the Navy, recommending the establishment of two gun factories under the control of the Government. It recommends that Watervliet Arsenal, at West Troy, N. Y., be selected as the site for the army gun factory, and Washington Navy Yard, District of Columbia, as the site for the navy gun factory; and is of the opinion that there should be an immediate appropriation of the $1,800,000 estimated for the establishment of the proposed gun factory.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 16th: Loans increase, $3,975,000; specie increase, $845,000; legal tenders decrease, $630,000; deposits increase, $1,148,000; circulation increase, $20,000; reserve decrease, $1,083,000. The banks held $20,011,000 in excess of legal requirements.

THE Commercial Hotel at Beloit, Wis., burned on the 16th. Loss about $35,000.

GEORGE P. CURRY, of Augusta, Ga., banker and cotton manufacturer, assigned, with liabilities at $300,000; assets nominally the same.

THE flour warehouse and storage depot of Eathbury & Co., Philadelphia, burned on the 17th. About fifteen thousand barrels of flour belonging to a half dozen different firms was consumed. Loss $50,000; insured.

CLARENCE SHEPARD & CO., an old Milwaukee hardware house, assigned on the 16th. Liabilities, $100,000; assets, $70,000.

AT Chichester, N. H., on the 16th Thaddeus Avery in a fit of jealousy cut his wife's throat and then his own. Mrs. Avery is dead and her husband cannot recover.

THE executors of the will of Thomas M. Reed have been sued by the receiver of the Pacific National Bank of Boston, and his real estate at Bath, Me., was attached to the extent of $100,000. The deceased was one of the heaviest stockholders.

THE Rutland Railroad Company has sued ex-President John B. Page for $200,000, claimed to be due the company from Page during his official connection.

THE liabilities of Edward Peck, the banker at Patchague, L. I., who failed and tried to kill himself, are placed at $150,000; assets $50,000. The outlook for depositors is poor.

JUDGE BRUCE, of Alabama, has decided that Paul Strobach, recently suspended for lack of confirmation by the Senate, was entitled to hold the office of Marshal until the President makes another appointment.

SIX children were badly burned by by the explosion of an oil tank near Bellefontaine, O., on the 16th. The tank had been leaking, and a boy fired the oil on the ground which ignited that in the tank.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

T. E. & S. S. SMITH, Philadelphia shoe dealers, have failed for $[illegible].

COLONEL HENRY C. PRATT, of the United States Army, on the retired list, died at Detroit on the 16th. He served in the Florida and Mexican wars with distinction and through the war of the rebellion as paymaster.

GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS will deliver a public eulogy on Wendell Phillips.

THE Supreme Court of Illinois has affirmed the constitutionality of the Harper high license law, which requires the payment of $500 for a license to sell spirituous liquors within the State.

A CERTIFICATE entitling her to command a vessel as Captain has been issued to Mrs. Mary Miller, of New Orleans.

CHARLES HALE, seventy-three years of age, an inmate of the Jefferson County (O.) Infirmary, has just fallen heir to $50,000 worth of real estate in New Haven, Conn.

GENERAL HUGH H. BAXTER, President of the New York Central Railroad at the time Vanderbilt secured it, died on the 17th, aged sixty-six.

COLONEL DE COETLEGON, commander at Khartoum, has been created a Pasha and Acting Governor General of the entire Soudan.

A. M. CLAPP and Wilfred Hiatt, freight conductors on the Boston & Albany Railroad, were arrested on the 16th, charged with robbing freight cars.

JAMES B. CURLE, a prominent citizen of the Cherokee Nation and an extensive cattle owner, accidentally shot and killed himself while handling a revolver.

FOREIGN.

A MASS meeting at Guild Hall, London, on the 15th, under the auspices of a patriotic society was attended by two thousand persons. The Lord Mayor presided. The meeting condemned the Egyptian policy of the Government and the control of Egypt by the Egyptians which had caused the sacrifice of thousands of lives. It declared that the revival of slavery and the slave trade must be prevented and that a trade route to Central Africa must be secured.

LATE advices state that two hundred children were killed by the Arabs at Suakat.

AT Kieff the Anti-Jewish feeling is so violent that attempts have been made to incite a general Jewish massacre.

THE Bey of Tunis has given M. Roudaire authority to carry out his scheme of transferring the desert of Sahara into an inland sea.

AT the consistory to be held in Rome in March only the Patriarch of Lisbon and the Archbishop of Naples will be created Cardinals. Several Bishops will be appointed.

JOHN HERD, Jr., and William J. Mullins, Liverpool corn merchants, convicted of obtaining by false pretenses £16,500 from the Northwest Bank, have been sentenced to imprisonment—Herd for eighteen months and Mullins for three months.

NEWS of the dispatch of British forces has had the effect of dispersing the rebels near Suakim.

A DESPERATE fight between the customs officers and guards and a gang of smugglers occurred near Matamoras, Mexico, recently, in which Major Palacias and one of his men were badly wounded, and two smugglers killed and several wounded. The remaining smugglers fled, leaving behind $8,000 worth of dry goods and a number of horses and mules.

LATER.

A SNOW slide near Ontario Mine, Park City, Utah, on the 18th destroyed the house of William Rich, killing his three children and fatally injuring his wife. The slide also struck the house of John Harris, killing his wife and seriously wounding him. The snow is deeper at Park City than ever before known.

A HEAVY snow blockade prevails throughout the mountain districts in Southern Colorado. Business of all kinds is suspended in Silverton, and at Ouray and other mining camps snow is six feet deep on a level. In some canons where the roads run it is fifty to sixty feet deep. Snow slides are of frequent occurrence, but as yet no loss of life is reported.

ELI MADLONG, a quack doctor formerly of Freeport, Ill., was hanged by a mob near Denver, Col., on the 18th. Madlong had prescribed medicine to one of his patients which resulted in the latter's death, whereupon the patient's friends organized a vigilance committee and hanged the "doctor."

BY the explosion of a keg of gunpowder in the store of Hobbs, Osborne & Hobbs, at London, Ontario, on the 18th, the building was completely wrecked and three clerks named Donald Smith, Percy Ince and Frank Shaw were fatally injured. The clerks had been smoking, and it is supposed the powder was ignited by one of their pipes.

THE President on the 18th sent the following nominations to the Senate: Emanual G. Swantown, of Minnesota, Receiver of Public Moneys at Duluth; Zachary T. Burton, of Montana, Receiver of Public Moneys at Helena; William R. Wheaton, of California, Register of the Land Office at San Francisco.

THE Chicago City Council has passed an ordinance in conformity with the Harper bill, making the license for the sale of spirituous liquors $500 and malt liquors $150. It goes into effect April 1.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 18th a preamble and joint resolution of the Legislature of Ohio relating to the exclusion of American pork from France and Germany. A bill for the admission of the State of Dakota into the Union on an equal footing with the original States was introduced and referred. Bills were passed: To provide agricultural lands for the Southern band of Ute Indians, and providing for their removal from Colorado to Utah; fixing the terms of the United States Courts in the Eastern and Northern districts of Texas. The Senate resumed consideration of the bill providing for the National bank circulation, but without action the executive session adjourned. In the House Mr. Belford introduced a resolution calling on the Secretary of State for information whether Prince Bismarck has sent his department any letter touching the resolution passed by this House concerning the death of of Herr Lasker, and if so to transmit a copy of the same, and inform the House of any advices he may have on the subject. Bills were introduced: Granting 320 acres of the public lands to the survivors of the Mountain Meadow massacre; appropriating $500,000 for the relief of sufferers from the flood in the lower Mississippi; to regulate the traffic of railroads aided by Government bonds. Pending discussion of the Mexican Pension bill the House adjourned.

MARRIED.

CODDINGTON—CHURCH.—At the residence of A. P. Coddington, in this township, on the 11th inst., by Rev. F. S. Lyon, of Three Rivers, assisted by Rev. C. E. Cooley, Mr. Alva J. Coddington and Miss Helen F. Church, both of Tecumseh.

BENTLEY—HELM.—In Tecumseh, Mich., on Thursday, Feb. 14, 1884, at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. J. Helm, by the Rev. W. H. Roberts, Mr. S. L. Bentley, of Eaton Rapids, and Miss Elizabeth R. Helm of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Feb. 21, 1884.

Coffman, Z.	Carr, Belle
Rafner, George	Franks, R. L.
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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef, Hides	5 @	07
Beef, Tongues	8 @	10
Beeswax	25 @	30
Corn in ear	50 @	55
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	50 @	55
Clover Seed	5 50 @	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	22
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00 @	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔	@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@	10
Oats, ₩ bushel	28 @	32
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @	35
Salt, ₩ barrel	88 @	1 00
Sheep Pelts	@	1 50
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	1 50
Turkey—dressed, ₩ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
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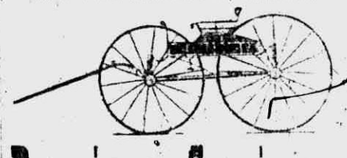

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SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

J. H. Smith and wife, of Tecumseh, made their parents and friends of Springville, a three days' visit last week.

Mr. Frank Price has gone to Adrian being unable to pay expenses running a paint shop here.

The birthday party at Ayers' hall on the 21st was enjoyed by about 40 couple.

District No. 8 anticipate having an exhibition at this place in a few weeks. It will be under the management of the teacher, Miss Inez Baker.

Our winter term of school, which was very successfully taught by Miss Helen Queal, closed last Saturday.

Mr. Hayden has bought several thousand bushels of wheat in this section to be delivered at the Cambridge station of the M. & O

MACON CENTER CUTS.

Owing to the unpleasant weather the attendance at the donation last week was not as large as was expected. About sixty took supper. Receipts $47. A very pleasant time reported.

Regular grange meeting Friday evening, Feb. 29th. All members are requested to be present as important business is to be transacted.

Rev. E. W. Borden will deliver a free lecture at the Center Thursday eve., March 5th. Subject "The Final Triumph of Life Over Death. All are invited.

MACON MOLECULES.

Miss Alice Collins closed her school in the Harring district Feb. 22.

Miss Franc Richart closes her school in the Lindsley district, Saline, Friday, Feb. 29.

Mr. George Burdette is on the sick list.

Mr. John Sage is wrestling with rheumatism. We trust that he will come off the victor.

Hamilton Niblack had an auction last Monday. He intends to remove to Saline township soon.

Wm. Niblack has rented Sumner Collins' house, and will remove there soon.

On account of the sickness of his father, Joe Sage did not have his party Feb. 22.

The band boys will give a grand concert Friday evening, Feb. 29. The boys are doing everything necessary to make this concert a complete success.

Prof. Jerome Travis, of North Adams, was in our midst last Saturday and Sunday. He has just secured a patent for a wall paper exhibitor, which promises to be a very useful invention.

NEWBURG NIBBLINGS.

Is this a specimen of Michigan's open winter?

The mill-yard is being well filled with logs of a good quality, and Mr. Querrisy is correspondingly happily.

A large number of our inhabitants are suffering with severe colds.

Mrs. Maria Sheldon and son, of Tecumseh, spent last Sunday with her brother S. P. Sheldon.

The Friday evening meetings at the school house are well attended. Come out next Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs Coryell are visiting friends at St. Johns, Clinton Co.

The Sunday School at the school house is in a prosperous condition, and is well attended.

Miss Hattie McNeil is spending a few days in Tecumseh.

The Newberg skating rink is situated in the midst of one Mr. Coryell's fields, and a very jolly place it is sometimes of an evening, especially to those who are learning the art, and also to the older part of the population.

Washington's Birthday was observed by a goodly number of our people in the shape of skating.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Dove were away last week attending the wedding of Mr. Dove's sister Emma. Congratulations to the happy young couple.

Some people may think that Newburg is a dead city; but could those persons have been here to attend our skating circles from night to night; or could they have been here last Saturday evening and attended the surprise party of which Will Harding, who is keeping bachelor's hall, was made the victim, they would have been compelled to leave changed in their opinion. At an early hour they began to gather and to take possession of the house and the scene beggars description. After a time, the leaders took possession of the kitchen and dining room; and soon the table was groaning under the weight of the goodies which these women know how to prepare. The company broke up at a late hour pronouncing it a grand success.

RIDGEWAY RATTLINGS.

Mr. Wm. Riggs has purchased the Blacksmith shop of Geo. S. Bose and a village lot of G. P. Waring, on which he is making preparation to build as soon as the weather will permit.

The Michigan and Ohio Rail-Road Company have commenced putting in cattle yards, and when they make this place a telegraph station it will be a very desirable shipping-point. Several carloads of stock are waiting facilities for sending off from this place.

Surprise parties are getting to be almost too numerous to make mention. The last one at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Underwood, on Saturday evening last, friends to the number of 175 came in, had a very pleasant time, and made the occasion for presenting Miss Velena Underwood a handsome present as a token of their regards for her faithful and efficient services as organist at the M. E. church. A reward truly earned and doubtless fully appreciated.

About four o'clock this morning a fire broke out in Britton's Store at Britton station and the building with the entire stock was consumed. Nothing saved. The origin of the fire is a mystery. The property was insured but we have not learned the amount.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

L. J. Esslinger formerly of the Newburg mills, goes to Ypsilanti to live.

Mrs. P. Mills is very low with heart disease and her friends are alarmed as to her recovery.

Last Saturday night A. Welch had a horse badly kicked while in the stable; C. A. Waldron, V.S., was called and gave the necessary patching up that the animal needed.

Messrs. Garlinghouse and Benedict have connected their residences by a local telegraph line. It is about one mile in length with three instruments working. Manager Bowen of C. T. line furnished them with the material to build and equip it.

James Updyke, Sr., lies in a critical condition from a severe hurt which he received while leading a horse out of the barn. It seems he undertook to lead the horse out and while doing so the horse stepped on his foot throwing him violently to the ground, and it is supposed the horse stepped on him as his hip is fractured and the spine injured. At this writing his death is looked for hourly.

Mothers, Where Are Your Daughters?

The scripture says, "Cast not your pearls before swine." Mothers, your daughters are your pearls; where do you keep them? Are they out night after night, when they ought to be at home. Are they away from you until far into the night, again and again, without your knowing where they are? Is this wise on your part? If you had precious gems would you use them so? Beware, lest you cast your pearls before swine. Some girls are out night after night walking the streets with young men whom their mothers cannot respect, often with young men whom they have met on the streets and of whom they know absolutely nothing. Your daughters may not do such things; for your sake let us hope that they do not. But if you do not know where they are evening after evening, how can you know what they are doing? It is your place to know where your daughters are. Your duty requires that you take pains to know where they are, and what they are doing. You may think that they go to your neighbor's to visit with her daughter, or to the religious meeting, but thinking does not excuse you. You ought to know.

Now far be it from us to awaken one suspicion against your daughter. We wish you to have unbounded confidence in her. But we do mean to insinuate just as forcibly as we can that it is your duty to know every evening your daughter is out just where she is and what she is doing.—To do this you need not employ spies; you need not shadow her evening after evening. Do your work in a straight forward open way. Talk with her freely before she goes and after she returns. Be frank with her and she will be frank with you. If you pursue this course she will not object to telling you all she does. In this way she will be led to feel that she is not at liberty to keep company with any one without consulting her mother. If you manifest the proper interest in her affairs and exercise the proper care over her always, she will have no desire to conceal any of these things from you. You will thus keep your daughter out of the temptations which result from clandestine friendships. You will teach her carefulness in all her conduct. But if you let her run off to your neighbors without your knowledge, if you seem not to care where she is not with whom she is associated, whether she walks the streets or stays in the house, your carelessness will beget a careless spirit in her, and she will conclude that it makes no great difference whether she is careful of her conduct or not. The result will be that she will shame you in the eyes of the world, by her follies, or worse still, pierce you heart through with many sorrows.

We wish to impress another truth upon your minds mothers. It may not always be convenient for you to receive your daughter's friends into your homes. It may put you out greatly at times. But do not on this account send her to mingle with them elsewhere. Better for her and for you that you suffer the inconvenience than that they should have to feel that they are driven from home. There is no place so sacred to your daughter as her home. It is so sacred to her that it will hallow all the friendships begun and continued within its sacred precincts. Never forget this, and never if you can help it, drive her from under the roof of her mother to meet any of her friends.—Social Reformer

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Feb. 18, 1884.

At this adjourned meeting Council convened at the usual hour.

Present Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Brezee, Smith, Sparks and the Recorder.

The President, Mr. Mills, on behalf of the committee appointed to examine the new compilation of the charter, by-laws and ordinances, of the village and report any corrections and amendments deemed necessary in the same makes verbal report in regard to such examination and correction, and submits to Council said compilation with the recommendation that the same be approved.

On motion the report is accepted and adopted and the same special committee continued, with instruction to have a sufficient number of said compilations printed for the use of the village.

The Committee on Ordinances submitted a report in regard to licenses which was after discussion referred back to the committee to be considered at a future session of Council.

The Village Attorney presented a communication to Council stating that he has collected the taxed costs from the defendant in the suit of the Village of Tecumseh vs. Peter J. Van Vleet and desired to know what disposition to make of the same.

On motion the communication is accepted and the Village Attorney instructed to pay such costs to the Village Treasurer to the credit of the contingent fund.

On motion the committee on cemetery is instructed to have a suitable frame put upon the plat of the cemetery so that the same may be preserved from all damage.

The following ordinance is adopted by Council.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh, as follows. Section 1. Every sidewalk required to be constructed by ordinance or resolution of the Common Council of said village, along the side of any of the streets of said village shall be laid, constructed and completed within two feet of the line of the street designated in such ordinance or resolution requiring the construction thereof.

Wallace E. Gray having made a proposition to sell his velocipede to the village, which is accepted by Council, the Recorder is instructed to draw an order on the treasurer for $5 in payment of the same.

S. S. Scovill, in behalf of the M. & O. Railway Co., comes before Council and states that said railway has completed the grading of Cummins street as agreed to and wishes that this Council would accept the same as such, as convenient.

Mr. Heesen, as chairman of the committee on streets, states to Council what had been done in the way of opening and grading Cummins street by said Railway Co., and it appearing that said street is not opened and graded from the Adrian road eastward to Division street, the Council informs Mr. Scovill that when Cummins street is opened and graded by said Railway Co., suitable for travel as a wagon road from Adrian road eastward to Division street and the same dedicated as a public street then the Council is prepared to accept the same and make payment according to agreement.

James Glasgow comes before the Council and complains of a nuisance. On motion this matter is referred to Messrs. Brezee and Heesen as a special committee to investigate, and if necessary remove the same.

The Recorder is instructed to prepare and present at next session of Council an amendment to the ordinance which regulates the furnishing of water from the mains to private persons.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON, Recorder.

It has always seemed strange to us why people should be so careful in regard to farming and merchandising and yet so careless in regard to that upon which the success of life depends. Why should people plant their fields with care and look carefully about the investment of their money, and yet marry with perfect recklessness? If reason should govern in business, how much more in the step upon which life-long happiness depends!

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 28, 1884.

AT THE GATE.

"And where were you last night, Mabel,
Where have you been so long?
The moon's up and all the birds
Have sung their evening song.
I saw you loitering down the path,
So lonely and so late;
Beyond the wood what did you hear
And tarrying at the gate."

"I love to hear the birds, mother,
And see the young moon;
And oh, the summer air is sweet
Beneath the skies of June;
My cows is milked, my hens are cooped,
And washed are cup and plate,
So I just wandered out awhile
To hang upon the gate."

"The gate is by the road, Mabel,
And all that has go by,
Not sound a maiden brook the glance
Of every stranger eye;
Besides, I thought I saw a cap—
I'm sure you had a mate,
So tell me who was with you, my child,
Was hanging at the gate."

"Now, you know just as well, mother,
He spoke such words to me to-night,
I knew not what to say;
And, mother, oh, for your dear sake,
I only made him wait—
And might I run and tell him now?
He's hanging at the gate."

—*George Lunt.*

THE CIRCLE OF DEATH.

Take your stand here on this hill and you can look down upon a spectacle as exciting as anything offered in the days of blood-thirsty Roman sports. Stretching away to the west is dip and hollow and broken ground for a mile. Then comes the grand prairie, sweeping clear to the north fork of the Republican before it surrenders to the hills.

Did ever human King have a grander throne? He stands on a knoll covered with rich, sweet grass, and even with the naked eye you can see the violets and blue-bells and forget-me-nots peeping between the blades. It is a throne of wild flowers.

Ten miles away are a dozen moving black specks. They are buffaloes. Nothing else with life in it is nearer. The King's domains are rich in food and drink, and the herd lies down upon peace and harmony.

He stands with head elevated, and as he slowly turns in his tracks he sniffs the air for scent of danger. Who is our King? A buffalo bull. Nature's monarch of Nature's grand pasturage.

How came he here, alone and deprived of companionship? Men become cynics and world-haters and shake off all attempts at friendliness. So with animals. This monarch is here to pout and sulk and feel aggrieved and plan for revenge.

Ah! High above him, with every foot of ground under your eyes, you could see no danger. His keen scent warned him of peril, and a wolf breaks cover not one hundred feet away. He seemed to rise from the very earth—not with a bound and a yell, but with a quiet coolness that belies evil.

The bull lowers his head, and his eyes flash at the sight of the enemy who has come to disturb his reveries. Compare their size and strength, and you laugh at the idea of a wolf bringing harm to a buffalo. One blow from a hoof—one toss from the horns—and the wolf would lie crushed and dead.

Pooh! 'Tis an enemy not worth a second glance! The wolf may look with longing eyes, and lick his chops for taste of blood, but he is wasting time. In that grove to the left a party of Indians camped last night. He had been shamble across the broken ground and hunt for bones and scraps.

What! another! As the quiet rises from cover, so that second wolf suddenly shows himself above the grass. You can not say that the beasts even suspect each other's presence. They are fifty feet apart, and both sit and stare straight at the monarch of the plains. The bull gives his head a toss as he sights the second arrival. Wolves hunt in pairs. Here is the pair. Nothing strange in that.

Yes, rub your eyes to see if they are clear, and you will find they haven't deceived you. Up pops a third, fourth, fifth and sixth wolfish head, followed by a body which is ever gaunt and lean—ever the synonym of hunger. One wolf created nothing beyond momentary surprise; the pair bred a feeling of contempt; the six of them may bring peril.

And so the monarch evidently reasons. He paws the ground, shakes his head, and that low bellow expresses anxiety as well as defiance. He could wheel and rush away, and in an hour he could be feeding with the herd. But there are pride and obstinacy and jealousy to be consulted. No deputation has come from the herd to coax and reason with him, and he will do battle for his life rather than give in. It is both man-like and brute-like.

What! Have the six multiplied so fast? Just a moment ago we saw only the half dozen; now there are ten—twelve—sixteen—they are rising from the earth all around him! The bull turns as if on a pivot. Wolves to the north—the east—the south—the west. The circle is complete. Watch him!

When a man must die in the presence of his enemies let him die like a warrior. The monarch knows what this gathering means. He sees the lolling tongues, and he hears the gnashing of teeth. There is no help for him. He must die like a craven or prove his courage.

See the head go up! Hear the roar of defiance! Is there anything craven in that attitude?

The wolves have been sitting as quiet as so many blocks of stone placed on the grass. That roar of defiance puts life into them, and they move nearer.

Curious pantomime! A grand old buffalo turning slowly 'round and 'round in his tracks to eye each separate wolf and watch every motion. A score and a half of calm, grim, waiting beasts—every eye fixed upon a common center—every fang sharpened for a feast.

Swish—swirl—rush!

The circle closes in at the signal, and for fifteen seconds the eye is confused. It appears as if some one hidden in the grass was tossing and waving strips of gray and white cloth. The roars of the bull are almost drowned in the yelps and growls and howls of the assailants.

Good! There is game there! The monarch has used his horns and hoofs to such good purpose that the circle has opened away from him. Legs and flanks and shoulders have been bitten, and teeth have drawn blood where a bullet would hardly penetrate, but he is not disarmed. Under his feet are two dead wolves, two more limp around outside the circle.

Um-mm-m! Paw! Toss! Come again if you dare!

There is the rush, the swirl, the strange spectacle of gray-white bundles jumping over each other, and the circle falls back again to breathe.

Ho, ho! There are long tufts of hair on the grass, more dead wolves, spots of blood! The bull shakes his head and seems weak on his legs. A spy-glass would show you blood trickling down from a score of savage bites, while he barely touches the grass with one hind foot. There is a low bellow, and something in it smacks of fear. Bah! If you must die why not prove——

That's good! That is a roar of defiance, grandly loud and deep, and the monarch gathers himself and makes a rush. He has turned assailant. With lowered head and blazing eyes he rushes as one spot in the circle, and a gray-white body rises high in the air to come down without life.

There is such a circling and swirling now that you can see nothing but the mass—now and then breaking away for a second, to reveal the bull fighting for his life.

It is over! He is down, and his blood is smearing the grim jaws of the wolves as they tear at the hot flesh. Ah, well! but there was game and nerve and true grit, and his bones deserve burial at the hands of men.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

Bogus Butter.

It was only in last July that the bureau of statistics began to publish the figures showing the exports of oleomargarine. The latest revised statement gives the movement of "imitation butter" and "oil" for the month of October and for the ten months ended October 31 in each of the years 1882 and 1883. This statement indicates that the trade in oleomargarine, butterine and the like is growing rapidly, and has already [illegible]

It may be that our friends abroad are not aware that they are building up our oleo manufacturing interests, but if they buy the patent product believing that it is dairy butter, they probably find that it smells and tastes just as sweet as it would under any other name, especially its own.

In October there were 222,741 pounds of so-called "imitation butter" and 3,908,054 pounds of oil exported, a total of 4,130,795 pounds, valued at $416,655. The exports of butter for the same month amounted to only 2,367,733 pounds, valued at $572,446, so that the bogus-butter manufacturers are getting a pretty large share of the foreign trade whatever they may be doing for the domestic market.

For the ten months ended October 31 the exports of imitation butter amounted to 1,698,712 pounds, valued at $198,920, and of oil to 31,601,926 pounds, valued at $4,104,105, making a total of over 33,000,000 pounds, valued at $4,300,000. The total exports of butter for the same time were only 18,884,346 pounds, having a value of $3,114,299, being over 10 per cent. less in quantity and 20 per cent. less in value than the exports of oleomargarine.

The cause for the great excess in shipments of the imitation article will probably be found in its relative cheapness, the average price of the artificial butter exported during the ten months having been 11½ cents and of the oil a little less than 13 cents a pound, while genuine butter averaged over 18 cents per pound. [illegible] reaching the other side the manufactured product can be sold as real butter, a considerable margin of profit is allowed the dealer. The fact that nearly twenty times as much oil as imitation butter is sold for export also indicates that the business of manufacturing the stuff is becoming an established industry abroad.—*N. Y. Word.*

A Dangerous Quarter of London.

On the third of last month, at about six o'clock, as I was returning home from my office at Whitehall, and had just passed a small alley in High street, St. Giles', half-way between St. Giles' Church and Tottenham Court Road, a fellow, coming toward me, snatched my watch-chain (an Albert) and ran down the alley. I instantly turned round, and followed him down the alley, calling out 'Stop thief.' Two young fellows were coming down the alley toward the thief and myself, and might have stopped him at once, but they made room for him to pass, and then spread themselves out, arm in arm, to hinder me, but did not attempt any violence. I upset one of them and got past, but it gave the thief time to increase his lead, and, after keeping him in sight for two or three turnings, I finally lost him in the maze of small alleys behind St. Giles' Church. I found a policeman, after some trouble, near the Seven Dials, and then gave information at Bow Street Station. Of course, I have not heard anything of my chain. There is a comic side to almost all misfortunes. I have said that I only lost my chain, but I was so firmly convinced that my watch was gone, also, that I did not investigate the contents of my watch-pocket after the affair, but racked my brains to give an accurate description at the police station of the old-fashioned gold watch which I thought I had lost forever. My joy may be imagined when, on nearing home, from pure habit I put my hand to my watch-pocket to ascertain how near it was to dinner time, and found there, safe and sound, my dear old friend and companion. The tug had been so violent that the ring attaching the chain to the watch had given way, leaving the watch behind. The moral of all this is, not to walk about London with your coat not buttoned up.—*Cor. London Times.*

—London *Truth* says: "The lectures which have been delivered by Mr. Matthew Arnold during his stay in America will be published directly upon his return home, and I hear that in the autumn we may look for a volume in which will be recorded his impressions of the United States and their inhabitants."

Hunting the Whippoorwill.

One of the pleasantest facts about the study of bird life is that there is almost never a time when something of interest is not going on. If it rains so violently that one does not care to venture out of doors, he may yet look from his window and see the birds busy in the trees or upon the grass. Even at night I have gone out to discover what it was that set the black-billed cuckoo a-complaining to the darkness, and caused the homely hair-bird or chipping sparrow to utter his plain, yet musical, trill under the silent stars. On the sides of the mountains hereabouts, on warm, moonlight summer nights, one who will take the trouble to tramp through some very uncomfortable territory, encumbered by rocks and overgrown with young but vigorous bushes, may find himself in the midst of a very lively community. Here those weird and ghostly birds, the whippoorwills, swarm in great numbers, hugging all day the leaf-strewn ground, which their plumage so closely imitates that they seem a part of the earth itself, and at night waking into a nervous activity for which their sluggish apathy during the hours of sunshine hardly prepares the mind of the student of their habits. In shooting by day over the mountains, I have often come upon the drowsy congregations of these night birds, almost stepping upon them before they would fly, and then seeing them rise at my feet and flutter away as noiselessly as owls, or as if they were dry leaves urged onward by the wind.

But for the silence of their flight they might be mistaken for woodcocks, and are quite as fleet; yet they are reluctant to fly far, and soon alight upon some branch, which they always strike upon at right angles, like other birds, but immediately turn and rest upon it lengthwise. This peculiarity they share with their cousins, the night-hawks. The two varieties are often considered identical by rustic observers hereabouts, although differing from each other in appearance and habits, the cause of their manner of resting on tree branches evidently being the weakness of their feet, which are almost rudimentary, and an inheritance from many generations of earth-squatting ancestors. The proper place of the whippoorwill and the night-hawk is upon the ground, a rock, or some other broad, flat surface. They are not fond of trees, and seldom rest in them, and when they do so, they are partly dependent for support upon the resting of their breasts upon the branch. A whippoorwill's eye is quite expressionless. It shows no noticeable distinction between pupil and iris, and, like that of all purely nocturnal birds, it is constructed for the admission of all the light that can possibly be obtained.

There is something very impressive in this stolid and unvarying stare of the night birds. I have seen nearly every emotion in the eyes of my feathered friends of the day, but those of the night invariably hold a mask before any feelings they may experience. But to return to the whippoorwills. At night the dusky thickets in which they swarm become singularly animated. The strange song resounds on every side, and those who have heard it only at a distance can have no idea of the tremendous volume of it when it is uttered close at hand. It seems impossible that one bird could make such a racket, and when twenty are at it at once the resultant uproar strangely affects the nerves with its eerie and almost diabolical quality. During the utterance of the song the birds are at rest, either upon some rock or low bush, and at its conclusion they dart rapidly about, seizing upon the insects, chiefly the night-flying coleopteræ and lepidopteræ, which form their food.

They are astonishingly swift in their movements, and their flight, half seen in the moonlight as it sifts through the trees, is exceedingly graceful, picturesqueness being lent to it by rapid openings and shuttings of the fan-like tails, the broad white patches on each side of which become at such times very conspicuous objects. I have sometimes shot these birds simply upon the disclosure of their whereabouts that was made by this quick display of white feathers, but should not like to mention the quantity of ammunition that was wasted before this result was accomplished. The night-hawk is not so purely a nocturnal bird as the whippoorwill, although all night long may be heard above the town his monotonous squeak and the dull sound of his swoop as he falls through the air to capture an insect far below him. It is like the noise produced by blowing into the bunghole of a barrel. On cloudy days, however, he hawks about from sunrise until dark, and it has been my observation that when he does so he rests during the night.

Occasionally the night-hawk comes out in broad sunlight, and thus further confuses the searcher into his habits. I remember on one occasion, when hunting in the meadows late in the summer with a friend, seeing a cloud of these birds rise from the side of Mount Holyoke, as if at a prearranged signal, and cross the river toward us. We had never seen night-hawks in flock before, and stood and watched them with great interest. There must have been a couple of thousand in the company, and on reaching the meadows they spread out and quartered over the ground at a height of about ten feet, catching up the insects that rose from the clover. The van was led by the older birds, as we discovered by observing on their tails the white band which marks the adult of the species, and the younger members, which were evidently birds of the year, came behind. They manifested complete indifference to our presence, and we, perceiving an unexampled opportunity to secure some fine specimens of this not very easily-obtained variety for our cabinets, began picking off the best of them. We shot none except those in whose tails we could see the white band, yet we secured more than twenty before the van of the flock passed by and the immature members came up, and as they were passing very rapidly, this fact may indicate the size of the swarm. Such an incident I am inclined to regard as unusual. I had before, and have since, observed a dozen or twenty birds quartering about the meadows at the same time, but neither my experience nor that of other collectors in the town includes any other such large flock as that mentioned above.—*Northampton (Mass.) Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

How the Chinese Marry.

On the wedding day the guests assemble at the bridegroom's house. Then a procession is formed, consisting of friends, bands of music, and sedan chairs decorated in red and gold, with bearers in red coats and dressed in a sort of livery, sometimes wearing red caps. The procession starts from the house with a courier at the head. He bears a large piece of pork on a tray, to keep off malicious demons who may be lurking on the street corners and in the alleys. These demons are supposed to tackle the pork and while they are thus busied the procession passes on without being affected by their evil influence. All this time the bride is in her own house, arraying herself in her best dress and richest jewels. Her hair is bound up and arranged in due form and style by a skilled matron. After this her headdress is donned. It usually consists of some rich material sprinkled with ornaments. A large mantle is then thrown over her. It completely covers her. Last of all an enormous hat, as large as an umbrella, is placed on her head. It comes down to her shoulders, completely hiding her face. Thus rigged, she takes her seat in the red gilt marriage chair, called kwa kiau. When concealed in this chair she is carried to her husband by four men.

When the bride is seated in the chair her mother or some other relative locks the door and the key is given to the best man. I suppose he turns it over to the bridegroom on reaching his house. The procession returns with more care and more style. I saw one during a ramble in a Chinese town. As the bride was born past us we gave her three cheers. I dare say that all her children will be either knock-kneed or bow-legged, because of the cheer of the barbarians. Good luck to the poor bottled-up one. She had the best wishes of all our party, as we followed the procession for some squares, to the great astonishment of all the Chinamen on the street.

As the procession approached the bridegroom's door a band stationed there struck up a tune and firecrackers were let off by the box until the bride was carried within the gate. The go-between then got the key from the bridegroom and opened the door of the sedan-chair. As the bride alighted she was saluted by a small child at the side of the old man. The groom was closeted within the house, and she went in to seek him. She still wore the enormous hat and mantle. When she found the groom he greeted her with great gravity. They both approached the ancestral tablet and bowed their heads three times. They next took seats at a small table bearing two goblets, tied together with thread and containing wine. The go-between severed the thread, but the bride failed to quench her thirst owing to the enormous hat and mantle.

The two were now man and wife. The husband took the hat and mantle from the bride, and for the first time in his life had a look at her. After he had looked at her for some minutes he called in his friends and guests. They scrutinized her and made no bones of expressing their opinions concerning her charms. The females gave their tongues full scope, and had no mercy upon the poor bride. She took it all without making any disagreeable answer, for fear the match would be considered an unlucky one. These cruel criticisms ended, she was introduced to her husband's parents, after which she saluted her own father and mother. The wedding feast was then served, the sexes eating in different apartments. The males were served by the bridegroom and his male relatives, and the females by the bride and her mother-in-law, assisted by servants. The two sexes rarely sit down at the same table.

Marriage [illegible] among the Chinese [illegible] some a less age [illegible] down to some man. [illegible] a wife, [illegible] is [illegible] as he can support, their children being legitimate, but coming after the children of the wife. If the concubines live under the same roof they are mere servants of the wife. Some rich married men keep concubines in separate apartments. Such positions are eagerly sought by damsels of very fair parentage.

Women in the Water.

Fragile woman, so often considered as a mere plaything for a man, has more than once both astonished man and humiliated him by her exploits of endurance in the water. It is the fact, however, that woman can float more easily in the water than a man, because she has the advantage over him in having smaller bones in proportion to her total weight than a man has, and has also a larger proportionate amount in her body of adipose matter, which is lighter in water, than man has. But nevertheless, for a fragile vessel she has performed feats on the frisky wave more marvelous even than those accomplished by her male rival, and has done them far more gracefully, for it is an undeniable fact that though women can not walk as gracefully as men, she excels him in her grace of movement in the water, and becomes in its embrace as fair a nymph indeed as ever floated in the mystic waters of Greek mythology.

A Brooklyn maiden lady, whose antipathy to the sterner sex has never acknowledged the soothing influence of the hand of time, aroused the curiosity of her fellow boarders at a farm-house last summer by uniformly declining to eat chicken. One of them ventured to ask an explanation of the singular fact, and received the following answer: "Because I understand that the farmer who supplies our table keeps his hens for the sake of the eggs, and kills only the roosters."—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

"Hans, why don't you get married? You are too particular. Just go out, shut your eyes, and put your hands on the first girl you meet, and marry her." "Mein Gott, vot you dakes me for? If I shoots mine eyes dot way, I vould shoot as like as not fall ofer some tam ash-can fill in de shtreet, und den somepody vould cry owid I vas drunk! Well, I don't vant to marry some boliceman's mine frent."—*The Judge.*

A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 26, 1882.

"*Gentlemen*—My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.

Yours truly, W. M. PHILLIPS."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Six months ago I was completely covered with a terrible humor and scrofulous sores. The humor caused an incessant and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to cause the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. My sufferings were great, and my life a burden. I commenced the use of the SARSAPARILLA in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores have all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 73 years of age. Many inquire what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them, as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Glover, Vt., Oct. 21, 1882. Yours gratefully,

HIRAM PHILLIPS."

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(Continued from last week.)

How Watch Cases are Made.

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HAZLETON, PA., Oct. 24, 1882.

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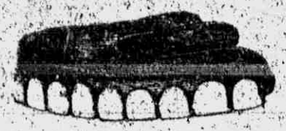

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A Fabulous Relic of De Soto.

The Tallahassee (Fla.) *Floridian* says: A few years ago, about two miles east of Tallahassee, was found a ponderous spur, of unique and curious workmanship, the like of which has not been seen in modern times. The burr was one and a half inches in diameter, and the bar proportionately heavy. On either side of the rowel dangled small pendant bells, that gave forth a tinkling sound in response to each step of the wearer—doubtless some steel-clad and bonneted warrior of the long ago. Not many days since, while parties were plowing near the identical spot, a solid and shapeless mass was turned up, which, upon close examination, proved to be an iron stirrup of ancient pattern; as heavy and as massive as the spur spoken of first, and firmly imbedded in a thick coating of clay and rust. When this was removed, the stirrup was found to be in a remarkable good state of preservation. The sides represent two Ethiopian figures standing upon the foot-rest, leaning forward facing each other, while they support with outstretched arms what forms the top of the stirrup, or that part connected with the leather. So unlike are both these relics to anything known to the generations of this day and time, and both being found so near the same place, it is not unreasonable to ascribe them to the same era and individual. Nor is the supposition at all improbable that one of the knightly followers of De Soto, lured on through into the unknown region and wilderness, like that dauntless son of Spain, by a thirst for the yellow heaps or gleaming gold that loomed up ahead of them in vain visions and heated fancies, here fell a victim to the tomahawk and scalping knife of the wronged and revengeful red; and no doubt, some one of the "Tallahassee Tribe," of which "Tiger Tail" claimed to be a descendant, boasted, as he displayed at his belt a yet bloody scalp, that he had "killed a pale-face."

Japanese Life.

The Japanese is the cleanest of mankind. Cleanliness is, so to speak, more than godliness with him. Though he has no soap, he washes all over at least once a day—he worships but once a week. His candles are made of vegetable wax. He uses a cotton coverlet, well stuffed and padded, for bed covering and mattress. A sort of stereoscope case—made of wood—makes his pillow. He resorts to that, and so does his wife and daughters, that their carefully arranged hair may not be disturbed during sleep. No head-covering is used by the Japanese. No nation dresses the hair so tastefully. Usually it is with the men shaved in sections. They are coming now to wear it in European fashion. They are adopting all European customs.

On levee day I saw the reception at the Mikado's palace in Yeddo. Every one presented had to come in full dress. That dress does not become the Japanese figure. He looks awkward in it. His legs are too short. The tails of his claw-hammer coat drag on the ground, and the black dress trousers wrinkle up and get bagey around their feet. His European-fashioned clothes have been sent out ready-made from America or England, and in no case did I notice anything approaching to a good fit. Yet he smiled and looked very happy, though he could not get his heels half way down his Wellington boots, and his hat was either too large or too small for his head. He always smiles and looks pleasant. Nothing can make him grumble, and he has not learned to swear. He is satisfied to be paid his due, and never asks for more. As a New York cabman he would be a veritable living curiosity.

Beauty.

Young man, don't marry a girl because she is pretty. Will beauty satisfy you through the life-long journey, to the exclusion of those moral qualities, mind and heart? Will Beauty alone cook your dinner, train your children and prove a true advisor in the hours of weary toil and trial which fall to the lot of every man on earth? The poet has said:

"Beauty is a doubtful good, a gloss, a flower,
Soon ruffled, broken, dead within an hour."

Would you not yourself to that which time will surely snatch from you, leaving the dull eye, withered cheek and vacant mind, compared with the character and capabilities of a sister? See to it that she possesses a mind capable of grasping the ordinary questions of the day; and that a portion of her time is spent in reading something besides fashion notes and novels. And above all, be assured that she is well versed in those virtues without which, home is wretched. Sweetness of temper is not incompatible with firmness or moral courage, and a woman possessing these attributes will not belong to the rapid, "wishy-washy" sort; but on the contrary, the class who develop into noble wives and mothers, faithful in friendship, and devout Christians, capable of exerting both at home and in society, the best of an influence for the right and for virtue.

If to these high and independent qualities is added beauty, then your choice is indeed blessed of God. Take such a one to your heart, and while loving and cherishing, fail not to prove yourself worthy to be the possessor of such a priceless gem.

I remarked to an old farmer friend in the country, whom I had not seen for several years, and whose farm, in the meantime, had improved wonderfully, that his place was so changed I hardly knew it. "Yes," said he, "I've been fixin' up a little. The old woman pestered me to death about the garden, and so I slicked it up a little, and fixed about the house, and it looked so nice I went at the farm fences and the brush, and saved more manure, and kept killing the weeds, and the crops got better, and so I kept going on, and things do look pretty good now. Wife takes a paper, and I take one, and I get time to read it too, and I used to think that I hadn't time for anything." And so he ran on, seemingly much pleased with what he had done, and his life and his home without doubt the happier for it. Examples of a like kind may be found all over the country.

HOW OUR FORESTS DISAPPEAR.—The manufacture and shipment of timber is the leading industry in Washington Territory, employing a great many workmen, and an immense number of large saw mills, operated by steam and water power. A large fleet of ships and some small exporting steamers convey the timber to San Francisco, East Indies, Europe, Australia, South America, Egypt, Japan, and China. The timber shipped from one district in western Washington Territory in 1876, by vessels, without reckoning the home consumption, equalled 40,000 railway carloads, or 2,000 railway trains of twenty cars each, and in 1878 amounted to 250,000,000 feet. Timbered lands well situated for logging purposes sell at from eight to twelve dollars per acre. Three miles from a river timber lands can be had from two to three dollars per acre.

How they Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" "Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well, thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! Is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, indeed; I have seven calls to make." "Do call again soon." "Thank you; but you don't come near me oftener than once in an age." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye." "Good bye, dear."—*Exchange.*

"Gale Forest" gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes; and after writing that the gentleman discovered the steam upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to "brace-up." Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hello! old fellow, how are you?" (They shake.) "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top!" "When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" (*significantly.*) "Well—yes, don't care-if do." (They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around to make sure no outsiders are about to see they are breaking their pledge—curse—they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being "primed," resume.) "How's yer folks?" "All well; how's yours?" "All flourishing now; youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good all your way?" "Well, yes, pretty fair." "How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way; big democratic majority. (Takes out his watch.) Thunder! ten minutes to 12.—must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements. Good-bye." "Good-bye." They again wring hands, and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to stand another treat.

The Art of Advertising.

The time has come when a knowledge of this art is an essential part of the education of every business man. To be successful in business they should understand how to advertise. It is only necessary, in order to illustrate the truth of this statement, to call attention to the most successful merchants and manufacturers of any large city or small village, in the United States. They know just what to say to the public, when to say it, how to say it, and the medium to employ in saying it. They have made the same careful study of this as of any other branch of their business. They don't insert a single beggarly little "ad" in an obscure corner of some paper, out of favor to the publisher, to support a party organ, and then endeavor to make the proprietor of the paper sensible of the value of their patronage, by growling when asked to pay for the advertisement, and vowing that it never did them any good, but was just put in out of charity. They are not content with an old stale advertisement that repeats the same old story at all seasons of the year, offering the same bargains, and the same full supply of goods "just received" at all times of the year—when their stocks have run so low that they are scarcely able to fill the orders of a single customer, as when their houses are filled with the most seasonable and attractive commodities. They never allow the public to remain in ignorance of the fact that they have a good thing to sell. They know how to make their constant appeals in a manner that will prove attractive. They are always devising new and striking methods for presenting their wares to the public notice, by the use of printer's ink. They are always careful to advertise what they have—not what they had last winter, nor what some one else has now. They advertise honestly as well as liberally, and their customers learn to believe the promises publicly made through the newspapers. Their advertisements are studied with interest by every one who expects to become a purchaser. It is as important that a man about to engage in mercantile pursuits should know how to advertise, as to know how to buy judiciously, or to sell at a living profit.

What Has It Done for You?

The sceptical Mr. Bradlaugh was once lecturing in a village in the north of England, and at the close challenged discussion. Who should accept the challange but an old bent woman, in the most antiquated attire, who went up to the lecturer and said: "Sir, I have a question to put to you." "Well, my good woman, what is it?" "Ten years ago," she said, "I was left a widow, with eight children unprovided for, and nothing to call my own but this Bible. By its direction, and looking up to God for strength, I have been enabled to feed myself and family. I am now tottering to the grave; but I am perfectly happy, because I look forward to a life of immortality with Jesus in heaven. That's what my religion has done for me. What has your way of thinking done for you?" "Well, my good lady," rejoined the lecturer, "I don't want to disturb your comfort; but"—"Oh! that's not the question," interposed the woman; "keep to the point, sir. What has your way of thinking done for you?" The infidel endeavored to shirk the matter again, the feeling of the meeting gave vent in uproarious applause, and Mr. Bradlaugh had to go away discomfitted by an old woman.—*The Lutheran.*

Poison Ivy.

The poison ivy is very poisonous to some persons; they are poisoned by not touching it at all, or even, it is said, passing near it, while others may handle it without being afflicted by the contact in the least. The poisonous property of the plant is owing to a volatile acid; its effect is an acute inflammation of the skin, often accompanied by a great swelling. The effects remain sometimes for months before the poison is completely removed from the system. The usual remedies are cooling purgatives and an external application of lead water. An application of a solution of hops has been known to prove an effectual remedy when all other remedies failed. The plant has sometimes been mistaken for Virginia creeper, to which it bears no slight resemblance. The distinguishing feature is that the poison ivy has three leaflets, whereas the Virginia creeper's leaves have five leaflets. Persons have been poisoned by mistaking the poisonous for the harmless species. This plant is of the genus rhus or sumac. There is also an upright plant that is poisonous.

To cure an ordinary cough or cold take one dose of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry before going to bed at night. It will cause a suspension of nervous excitability, allow you sweet repose; and by morning the cough will be none. It is the best and therefore cheapest cure for coughs, colds and consumption; is sold by druggists generally, and ought to be found in every intelligent household.

Pedigree of Maud S.

The remarkable trotting speed of a mile in 2:10¾, made by Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt's six-year old mare Maud S., at the Chicago Trotting Park, leads one naturally to look into the character of her ancestors, in order to account for her wonderful performance. Her sire was Harold (son of Eysdik's Hambletonian and Enchantress by Old Abdallah. Her dam was Hulda (sister to Patrol, sire of Pacing Pilot; her third dam was Maggie Russel, by Thornton's Rattler.) It will thus be seen that Maud S. is from fast stock and a good record might be expected of her. Her legs and feet are faultless in form, and apparently of quality that will stand up under any amount of use; and judging from her actions on the track, she is as faultless in disposition as in conformation. This simply shows that breeding will tell, and that there is a great deal in pedigree, if made with some definite end in view. Like produces like.

Quack doctors, electric belt and other swindlers who live by frightening our young men and young women by nasty circulars, will find their occupation gone which it becomes generally known that Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla is a certain cure for all weakness of the urinary organs, nervousness, etc. Obey the laws of health, take a few bottles of this simple remedy and you will soon be restored to perfect manhood and womanhood, free from all worriment of mind and distress of body.

SWISS MOUNTAIN GIRLS.—In these beautiful health-giving mountains one would expect to find the most beautiful and healthy-looking of all girls. Where only pure air is to be breathed, inspiring scenes to be witnessed, women should be as fair as daughters of the gods. But not so. The women in Switzerland have a prematurely worn and aged look; if at twenty they were robust and possessed of that attraction which good health bestows—at thirty they are faded and seem to take pleasure only in going through their dull and never-ending round of duty. For they do the greater share of the work in the field and in the house, and in addition rear large families. In fact they make up in useful ness what they lack in beauty.

Remember a complete cure for aches and pains, sores, pimples, urinary sediments, disturbing dreams, nervousness, despondency, indigestion and general weakness of mind and body, brought on by improper habits or otherwise, is found in two or three bottles of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, as has been proven by the experience of many who long suffered, but now feel well and strong in all parts of the body.

The town of Duleigno lies on the Turkish side of the Adriatic sea, at a point opposite Rome and Naples, midway between each. It is called in that quarter of the earth Dool-cheen-yo. About 8,000 people live there, and are the effete descendants of the most formidable band of pirates that ever existed. It is a very old town. One hundred and sixty-seven years before Christ the city surrendered to the Romans, and received exemption from taxation, and its freedom. From 1500 to 1600 the pirates held full sway, and in 1718 a great battle was lost there by the [illegible]

Monroe, Mich., Sept. 25, 1875.

Sirs—I have been taking Hop Bitters for inflammation of kidneys and bladder. It has done for me what four doctors failed to do. The effect of Hop Bitters seemed like magic to me. W. L. Carter.

George B. Race, sentenced to Ionia for assault and battery upon his wife, has been adjudged insane, and will be sent to Kalamazoo.

Testimony From the Press.

To those afflicted with lung trouble, hear what V. W. Wilson, of the Ottawa (Ill.) Times says: "After being disabled for three months with a cough, and lung trouble, often spitting up blood, can testify that I am cured permanently by the use of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure." A free trial bottle can be had at Baker and Hall's.

A youth named Kleckler, of Cohoctah, discharged a gun, that he was cleaning, and put several shot thro' his mother's dress.

Compare the dose and quantity of Hood's Sarsaparilla and you have conclusive proof of its superior strength and cheapness. Try it.

M. D. Smith & Co., Salem, have contracted to move the Kalamazoo Court House for $450, work to be done by April 1.

Excited Thousands.

All over the land are going into ecstacy over Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Their unlooked for recovery by the untimely use of this great life Saving remedy, causes them to go nearly wild in its praise. It is guaranteed to positively cure Severe Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Wells are being sunk in various parts of Nashville to furnish a water supply to use in case of fire.

Samson's Legs and Locks.

When Delilah clipped off Samson's locks that mighty athlete at once became "as other men." If it could be proved that the possession of luxuriant hair would enable men to tear open lions' jaws, Hiscox & Co. would be driven wild in the effort to supply enough of Parker's Hair Balsam to meet the demand. As it is the Balsam prevents your hair from falling out, and restores the original color when faded or gray. Besides it is a great addition to the toilet table simply as a dressing.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the store of E. W. Freese, Clinton, on July 14th, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and that six months from the 14th day of January, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Feb. 6, 1884.

EDWIN W. FREESE,
JOSEPH S. KIES,
Commissioners.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

ESTATE of LeRoy Mead, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the Probate Court of Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1884, empowering and licensing me thereto, I, as the administrator of the estate of LeRoy Mead deceased, will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on the first day of March, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Macon, aforesaid, all the interest, title, and estate, of which said deceased died seized, in that parcel of land, situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and described as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town five, south of range five east, containing forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower of Josephus Mead, widow of deceased therein. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

CYRUS MEAD,
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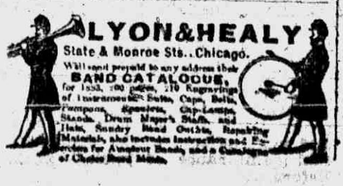

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodei to Perley Hills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that, on Saturday, the sixteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan: i. e.: All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), lying north of the center of the Baxter ditch, (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp ditch, [illegible] south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D., 1884.

OSCAR P. HILLS,
Executor.

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ESTATE OF ISAAC ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a Session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Fisher, one of the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that said executors have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their first account and for such further order as may be necessary to the proper administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jan24

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit in Chancery; suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Cappie A. Wyand, complainant, vs. John M. Wyand, defendant.

Before Hon. Andrew Howell, Circuit Judge of said circuit. At the city of Adrian, in said county, this 2d day of January, A. D. 1884. It satisfactorily appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant, John M. Wyand, resides in the state of Illinois.

On motion of Frank R. Payne, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that said defendant appear in this cause within four months from the date of this order, or in default thereof, that the bill of complaint in this cause be taken as confessed by him.

It is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof, said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper published in said county, for six successive weeks, once in each week, or that a copy of this order be personally served on said defendant, at least twenty days before the time herein fixed for his appearance.

ANDREW HOWELL,
Circuit Judge.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Complainant's Solicitor. jan10

ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Joseph Lanning, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the creditors of said deceased, or other persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN H. HOLDERMAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry Holderman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Henry Smith, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3rd day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN GLENN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Saturday, the 2d day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Glenn, late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Newton L. Byna, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased alleging among other things, that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, and all legacies, except residuary legacies, and the expenses of administration have been paid and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, remaining in his hands, to the persons entitled thereto in accordance with the provisions of the will of said deceased, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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THE PRESENT EPIDEMIC OF CRIME.

We would not be of those who live only in the past. We hear from many to say that "the former days were better than these." In fact we would join direct issue with those who contend that the world is growing worse and worse. But we cannot shut our eyes to the fact that we are now passing through an awful period of crime and wrong doing. It is manifest to every candid observer that crime is on the increase in our country. Murder follows murder and robbery follows robbery with startling rapidity. How many times during the past year have we been called upon to read of wholesale murders, and of the murder of men and women one at a time, shot down in cold blood in their homes or on the streets. Burglaries have become every day affairs, and robberies have been committed with a boldness which has thrown into the shade the most daring deeds of the past. A feeling of insecurity pervades all our communities. The best citizens do not feel secure from the bullets and daggers of unseen assailants. Men and women are actually afraid to let it be known that they carry a few hundred dollars in their pockets.—Much less will they risk keeping a few hundreds in their houses over night for fear of robbery and perhaps murder before morning. Well may we ask, to what are we coming in this country?

We are certainly on the retrograde now. Yet we should not conclude that we are all going to destruction. We have only to remember that the path of this world's progress is not that of the straight line, but rather that of the spiral so that at times there is an actual retrograde. When the tide of the Atlantic is coming in the waters do not march up the shore with even tread, but wave follows wave. One wave will dash far up the shore; then the waters seem to recede, and some moments will elapse before another ripple will come near the highest pebbles wet by that wave.—One who had never stood there before might think that the tide was going out. But by and by another wave rolls in and dashes far up above the line of the preceding wave, then the most unsophisticated observer would understand that it is time to move out of the way of the advancing waters. So it is with moral and religious progress. At times the waters seem to be receding. But the tide is rising nevertheless. Crime seems to gain the ascendency for a time and the timid say, "The world is surely growing worse." But by and by the moral forces gather strength, the people awake to the danger and a wave of moral influence rolls up over the pebbles of sin far in advance of anything of the past.

But while we console ourselves with this thought we should realize that the present hour demands action if we are to check the backward flow of the waters of moral progress.

Many conjectures have been made as to the causes for the present reign of wrong doing in our country. Some lay it to our dime novels and Police Gazettes, and the like. Well, the influence of such literature is evil and only evil. We told that it would be a good thing if strong, sturdy citizens should band together in every city and village kindle a bonfire on some public square and take all the evil stuff from our news depots and periodical stores and burn it up, and see to it that henceforth the minds as well as the bodies of our children are fed only on wholesome food. We have wondered as we have looked into our periodical and news depots how conscientious men and women good citizens, can keep such literature on sale. It is thought also that the character of many of the entertainments billed for our theatres and opera houses have much to do with this matter. These, too, are pernicious. The bills posted so conspicuously are representations of crime in many instances, robbery, violence and even murder. Upon these the school children as well as those who are older, look as they pass along the streets. And many go to witness the plays. Such things are educators of the worst elements of human nature. Many of them ought to be suppressed by the strong hand of the law.

But neither these plays nor our pernicious literature will account for the rage of crime. The great crimes which are startling whole communities and entire states, yea the entire country, are not the deeds of madcap youths who have been feeding on blood-and-thunder stories, or looking on the tricks of Peck's Bad Boy. They are the work of old, hardened sinners, who evidently have had experience at the business. We submit that it has been the slip-shod way in which we have been dealing with crime for the past twenty years. Conviction for crime has been the exception. Criminals have been indicted on all sorts of grounds. A sickly sentimentality seems to have clogged all the channels of justice. And this reigns to-day. Juries are impannelled and sworn to listen to and weigh evidence. The wretch, whose hands are reeking with human gore, stands before them. The crime is a most atrocious, unprovoked murder. But the counsel for the defence sets up the "insanity plea." He pictures out the case eloquently before the jury. He dwells on the fact that the prisoner had no motive for committing the crime; that it was without premeditation and without provocation. Then he says: "Gentlemen of the jury, could a sane man do such a deed. He must have been insane; he was insane. He is not guilty of murder though he shed the blood. If you hang him you will hang an insane man. He did not realize at the time the criminal character of the act he was doing." Then he sheds a few tears, and the prisoner, tender-hearted fellow, he sheds a few tears, and the jurymen get out their handkerchiefs and wipe their weeping eyes. "Poor soul" they say one to another, "how tender-hearted he is. It is evident that he was insane; for how could a sane man with such a tender heart commit such a crime?" And they lay their heads together and say "Not guilty."

And this is a sample of the justice which our so-called courts of justice have been meting out for twenty years and over. It is a burlesque on justice. Away with it from the face of the earth!

And still we wonder that crime has become so common! Why we have been fostering crime by thus sparing our criminals, until we have in the bosom of our American society an element which is defying all law, creating a reign of terror.

But the foundation of the evil lies a little deeper than this. For years men have been preaching from so called christian pulpits a false liberalism. They have tried to throw discredit upon the teachings of God's word. They have compassed heaven and earth to explain away its penalties against sin. They have been constantly proclaiming to the sinner against moral rectitude, "Thou shall not surely die." The result is that sin is no longer sin. It has become popular to sympathize with criminals. Capital punishment has been denounced. In some states it has been abolished; in most others it has become a dead letter because of public sentiment against it. Other laws against crime have not been enforced. And so the criminal classes have had it all their own way.

Unless we put a stop to this thing there will be an end of law and order. Something must be done. The fact is that in human society there is always a criminal element which must be held in subjection by rigid laws, rigidly enforced. They must be governed through fear if at all. If the laws are not made a terror to them they revel in crime and become more and more daring. And unless regularly weeded out they increase with fearful rapidity. The public sentiment for twenty years has fostered this element until now they are sheathing their daggers in our bosoms. It is time to act. Sympathy is thrown away upon them. The only sympathy which can do them any good is that administered as decently as possible through a noose of hemp around their necks, with the other end made fast to a gallows. In other words we believe the hangman is the only remedy for our present monstrous state.—Monstrous evils require monstrous remedies.

We know that this sounds severe. But has not the time come for severity? Shall we sit longer idle, while red-handed murder stalks abroad? To be kind and forbearing with these butchers is to be unkind to the poor, innocent victims of their atrocities. In this case severity is the greatest kindness. In the name of our murdered fellow-citizens; in the name of the robbed and outraged of our land, in the name of our common humanity, yea in the name of God,—the God of justice and judgment—let us arise and not stay our hand until crime is made odious and red-handed murderers rid out of our land.

But as christian pulpits, so-called, inaugurated the evil, christian pulpits now ought not to remain silent. God's prophets of old denounced the sins and short-comings of the people.—God's prophets of to-day, in the persons of the Gospel Ministry, should not be silent. They have a work to do. They need to agitate this subject until public sentiment is rid of sickly sentimentality, until the people are ready to enforce our present laws and enact others for the more effectual maintenance of justice.—Social Reformer.

CHINESE MUST GO.

Stringent Measures Passed by the Columbian Parliament to Prevent Chinese Immigration.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 26.—Mr. Shakespeare, of British Columbia, will move for copies of all correspondence between the Columbian and Federal Governments relating to the immigration of Chinese into that province. The two bills recently passed by the Legislature of Columbia and which were reserved for the sanction of the Governor General have reached Ottawa. The first bill is called "The Chinese Regulation act of 1884." It imposes a tax of ten dollars on every native-born Chinaman above fourteen years, coming into the province and a yearly tax of ten dollars, so long as they remain in the country. Collectors are to be appointed and to receive a percentage on the moneys they collect. Any Chinaman found in the province without a license shall be fined a sum not exceeding forty dollars. Any collector or servant of the Government disobeying the provisions of the act is to forfeit $100. Every employer of Chinese laborers is to furnish a list of those in his employ to the collector when required. Failing to do this or making false returns he is liable to a penalty of $100 or two months' imprisonment. Every toll-gate keeper in the province is to demand the production of the license before allowing any Chinese to pass through the toll-gate. Any person employing Chinese who have not the necessary license shall pay a fine of fifty dollars. Chinese are to pay fifteen dollars per annum for a free miner's certificate instead of five dollars as provided for the white population. Chinese found mining without this certificate shall be fined thirty dollars. It shall be unlawful to exhume the dead body of any Chinaman, and any person found doing so shall pay a fine of $100. The use of opium is prohibited except for medical purposes, and any person using or having it in his possession contrary to law shall pay a fine of $100. Any debt may be sued for summarily before any Justice of the Peace, and failing immediate payment to receive three months' imprisonment. There are also strict regulations dealing with sanitary arrangements of Chinese dwellings.

A second bill passed by the Legislature is an act to prevent Chinese immigration, and makes it unlawful for any Chinese to come into the province. Any Chinese who shall come into British Columbia after the passage of the act shall pay a sum of fifty dollars, to be recovered summarily before a Justice of the Peace, and in default imprisonment for six months.

Death of Ex-Governor Price, of Virginia.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 26.—Ex-Governor Samuel Price, of Lewisburg, W. Va., died yesterday morning at his home after three days' illness of congestion of the brain. Before the rebellion he was an old line Whig, but since the war he has been a Democrat. He several times represented Virginia before the formation of West Virginia in the General Assembly of the old Commonwealth. He was Lieutenant Governor of Virginia during the Rebellion, was president of the Constitutional Convention of 1872, which framed the present Constitution of West Virginia, and was a member of the Constitutional Convention of Virginia which passed the ordinance of secession, but refused to vote for the ordinance or sign it when passed. He was a lawyer of much ability, and was appointed United States Senator by Governor Matthews to fill the unexpired portion of the term of United States Senator Allen T. Caperton, who died shortly after his election. Governor Price was in his eightieth year at the time of his death.

Two Men Fatally and Two Others Seriously Crushed at Powhattan.

BELLAIRE, O., Feb. 23.—Some men engaged in replacing buildings that had been swept from their foundations at Powhattan, in this county, met with a serious accident yesterday. The ropes parted when a large building was almost up, and the structure fell, crushing four men beneath it, only two of whom are supposed to be fatally hurt. Tell Can had half a dozen ribs on his right side broken loose from his backbone, and his body is so injured that he cannot recover. Thomas Hornbrook received a deep cut in the back of the head and neck, and is in a precarious condition. The others are not so badly hurt. James Bumgardner, of this city, also had his back broken while engaged in replacing his own house, but it is believed he will recover.

Striking Miners Remain Firm.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 26.—The end of the strike of the railroad miners in the Youghiogheny Valley seems to be as far off as ever. Yesterday, at a mass meeting held in Buena Vista, Alpeville, Shaner Station, Scott Haven, Yough Slope and the Southwestern mines were represented. An address was made by George Harris, President of the Amalgamated Association of Miners, and resolutions were adopted to continue the strike until the demands of the men were conceded. The men are apparently as firm as on the first day of the strike, though the struggle has now lasted eleven weeks. President Harris regards the outlook as hopeful.

A Large Wheat Shipment.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 26.—Three hundred and fifteen thousand bushels of No. 2 red wheat were withdrawn from the Union Depot Elevator yesterday afternoon, and will be shipped out as fast as cars can be obtained to move it. This will leave less than 600,000 bushels of No. 2 red wheat in this city.

Frozen to Death.

VALLEY CITY, D. T., Feb. 26.—The bodies of Fred Nilson and Thorwald Gunderson were found yesterday. They were en route to Clark City when both were overtaken by a blizzard and frozen to death. Both were men of wealth, and owned large claims near here.

A Minister and Daughter Drowned.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 26.—Rev. T. G. Thurston and daughter, aged sixteen, were drowned at Oxford Saturday. Thurston was a Presbyterian minister of Hickory, and was on his way to Taylorsville to preach Sunday.

The New Orleans Carnival.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—The Knights of Proteus appeared in the grand procession last night, illustrating in gorgeous tableaux Virgil's Æneid. The streets were thronged with spectators.

Black Mountain House Burned.

PLYMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 26.—The Black Mountain House, of Campton village, burned yesterday morning. Loss $15,000; fully insured.

A Crevasse on the Mississippi.

VICKSBURG, Feb. 26.—The crevasse below the Delta is 1,500 feet wide and five feet deep, and is steadily increasing.

Advocating Lynch Law.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 26.—The funeral at Avondale Town Hall at three o'clock yesterday afternoon of Beverly Taylor and Elizabeth Taylor, man and wife, and Eliza Jane Lambert, their grand daughter, lasted over two hours. Over a thousand people were present, one-fourth of whom were the best citizens of Avondale. Several clergymen spoke, all colored except Rev. Joseph Emory, city missionary. Emory spoke first, and said that these criminals, by law of God, deserved no mercy. Theirs was a crime which deserved summary punishment without resort to courts by the citizens taking the law into their own hands. These remarks were greeted with shouts, in which white and black joined.

Elder W. Scott was the next speaker, colored, and said the plea of insanity might be used for these criminals but he thought the best treatment for these men was for each one a stout rope and the nearest lamp-post. Then he went on, asking, Do they deserve mercy? Did they show any? Did they show mercy when they knocked out Elizabeth Taylor's brains? Did they show mercy when they beat down that helpless little girl, or when they knocked old Beverly Taylor in the head, pleading for mercy? To each of these questions the audience responded with a thunderous "No."

Resolutions were passed thanking the officers and denouncing the crime, and a resolution was read as follows:

"*Resolved*, That a searching and untiring investigation be continued, to develop, if there be any, complicity with the man who bought the bodies."

The bodies were viewed when the funeral services ended. They were taken to the colored people's cemetery west of the city and locked in a vault. Allen Ingalls and Ben Johnson, prisoners in the jail, contradict each other's stories. Johnson is sullen. Ingalls talks freely. Johnson has said Ingalls did the clubbing.

Lieutenant Harber at Home.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 25.—Lieutenant Giles B. Harber returned to his home in this city from New York City, after an absence of more than two years in Siberia under orders from the Navy Department, yesterday. He was met at the depot by a committee and from 2,000 to 3,000 citizens for his public reception, and was at once driven to the home of his parents in the suburbs of the city. Lieutenant Harber, of the United States Navy, who has just achieved a world-wide reputation for his daring trip into the heart of the Siberia wilds in the interests of science and humanity, was born in this city September 24, 1849, and is therefore in his thirty-fourth year. His parents, Joseph and Eliza Harber are well known to the old residents of the city. In the evening a public reception was tendered him in the Opera House.

The Validity of Slave Marriages.

TOLEDO, Feb. 25.—A peculiar case has been decided in the Common Pleas Court involving the validity of slave marriages. A colored man named Anderson married here in 1883, but was arrested for bigamy, it being charged that he was married while a slave to a slave woman in Belford County, Va., in 1861. The case hinged on the validity of a slave marriage. The judge instructed the jury that slaves, being property, could not make a legal contract, but that the courts have decided that a slave marriage became valid by cohabitation as man and wife after the emancipation proclamation went into effect in 1864. The case thus turned on the question of fact as to whether the pair had so cohabited or not, as shown by the evidence. The jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

The Free Ship Question.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Shipping Committee yesterday morning took up the bill to admit foreign built ships to the American registry free of duty and voted three to six to report it adversely. Those voting in favor of the bill were Slocum, Throckmorton and Deuster; negative, Dingley, Long, Hunt, George, O'Neill and Lore. Dibble did not vote. Findley was absent. It was agreed that Dingley should prepare a report embodying the views of the majority, and Slocum one embodying the views of the minority. The report will go on the calendar for the consideration of the House.

A Jewelry Store in Troy Burglarized of $40,000.

TROY, N. Y., Feb. 25.—Early yesterday morning burglars effected an entrance into E. Marks & Son's jewelry store, first gaining an entrance to the insurance office, next door. The safe door was forced from its hinges, and its contents taken, including diamonds, gold watches, cash, jewelry, etc., the estimated value of which is between $40,000 and $50,000. This is said to be the most expert job performed by burglars in this city in eighteen years. There are no clues.

A Bridge Goes Down.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 25.—The iron bridge over Beur Grass Creek, on the Cincinnati Short Line, in the eastern part of the city gave way yesterday, falling through just after a train of cars had passed over. The accident was caused by the giving away of the stone abutments, injured by the flood. The bridge was regarded as one of the best on the road, and was 150 feet long and sixty feet high. It is almost a total wreck.

Hebrew Persecution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Mr. Clements, from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, reported a resolution in the House yesterday which was adopted, requesting the President to transmit to the House all communications between the United States and Russia in regard to the condition and treatment of Hebrews in Russia, especially in relation to Hebrew citizens of the United States.

"Yellow Calf" Surrenders.

BROADVIEW, N. W. T., Feb. 25.—Contrary to expectations, Yellow Calf, the rebellious Indian chief, gave himself up to the police yesterday afternoon, and together with four of his braves started for Regina in the evening, to be tried by the courts. Everything is quiet, and the trouble is probably over for the present.

The Washburn Will Case.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 25.—The District Court Saturday reversed Judge Welland's decision in the Washburn will case, which granted the widow one third of the property. This coincides with the decision of the Supreme Court of Wisconsin on the same case, relative to Governor Washburn's property in that State.

A Dry Goods House Scorched.

GREEN BAY, Wis., Feb. 25.—The G. W. Lamb Mercantile Company's dry goods house was damaged by fire Saturday night to the amount of $16,000; insurance over $21,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Closing Out Business

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C. B. Pennock's Cheap Store!

Next door to Herald Office.

As I wish to close out by the 15th of March, I will make such low prices as will sell them at once. A large assortment to select from, consisting of

Jewelry, Laces, Fancy Goods, Notions, Toys, Whips and Tinware.

Also 25 DOZEN OF

Ladies' and Gent's

UNDERWEAR!

which will be sold regardless of cost.

A big line of Ladies' & Gent's Rubber Circulars & Coats.

All styles, all grades, from $1 to $4.

Call in and get prices if you do not wish to buy. Would gladly quote prices but our space will not permit. Thanking you for past favors, you will now get the bene t of my closing out sale.

C. B. PENNOCK.

Dont forget the place, next door to Herald Office.

THE BEST SHIRT MADE

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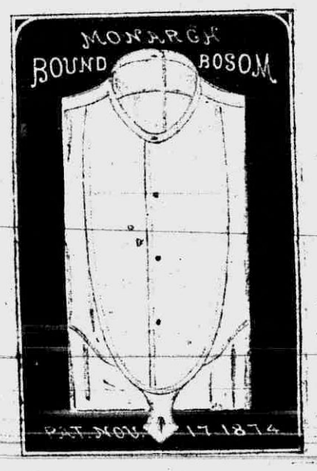

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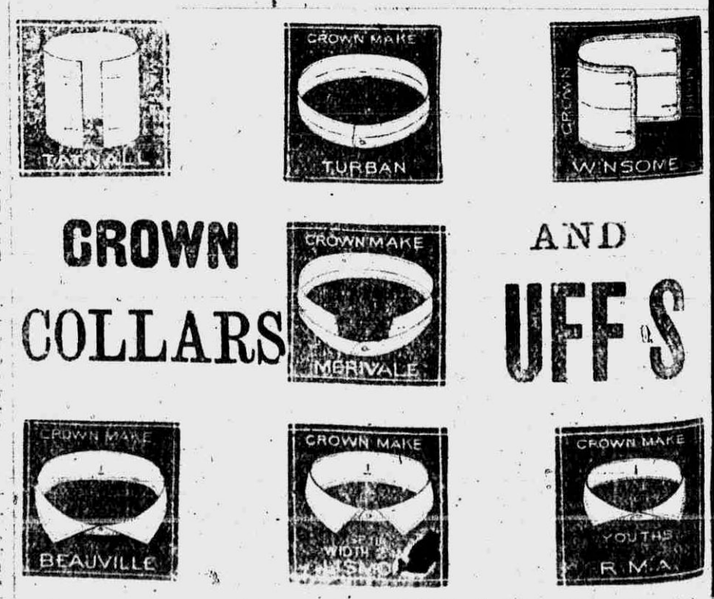

Full line Holiday Goods.

KIES BROS.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REGISTRATION NOTICE. The Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will meet in the Council Room in said Village, on Saturday, the 1st day of March, A.D., 1884, for the purpose of the registration of the voters' names.
P. S. McKINNON,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 19, 1884. Recorder.

CAUCUS NOTICE.—The electors of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will hold a caucus in the Council Room of said Village on Saturday, March 1, 1884, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating officers to be voted for at the annual election of said Village on Monday, the 3d day of March, 1884.
P. S. McKINNON,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 19, 1884. Recorder.

VILLAGE ELECTION.—The annual election of the Village of Tecumseh will be held in the Council Building in said Village on Monday, the 3d day of March, A.D. 1884.
P. S. McKINNON,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 19, 1884. Recorder.

$5 00 REWARD.—Lost, a sample case containing samples Florence Hair Brushes and Mirrors. The above reward will be paid by returning it to HERALD OFFICE,
Tecumseh, Mich.

FARM TO RENT.—A small farm near Tecumseh, to rent on shares to a good farmer with small family for a term of years. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

FARMERS OF LENAWEE COUNTY, I have One Thousand Bushels of "Yellow Beat" Seed Corn. This corn was grown on a tiled field of twenty-six acres, averaging one hundred bushels per acre, with only ordinary cultivation. I have it now in different stages of growth, from one inch to six high. It will show for itself.
CHAS. M. ROWE,
Adrian, Michigan, Monroe Co., Mich.

TO BE LET.—A desirable family residence, known as the T. K. Lovett property, pleasantly situated on the corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets. Possession April 1st, 1884. For further particulars enquire of
CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Maiden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address
B. J. BIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

NOTICE.—We have left our books of accounts with Charles Burridge of this village for settlement of accounts due us. Those indebted to us are hereby requested to call at his office and pay such indebtedness to him.
D. B. ANTHONY & CO.
February 20, 1884.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power"; which mills (both grist and paper) were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a never failing body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat growing sections in Michigan thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms, easy. For particulars address
HENRY SMITH, TECUMSEH, MICH.
Prop. of Tecumseh Paper Mills,
or Conrad Leahn, Manchester, Mich.

FARM FOR SALE.—Eighty acres, all improved, splendid brick house and good barns, only two miles from Tecumseh. Will be sold at a bargain, if taken before the 1st of April. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

HICKORY WOOD.—For sale, ten cords of Hickory and Hard Maple, clear body wood. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

John R. Clark is at home for a day or two.

A. A. Kennedy of Battle Creek is in town to-day.

Chicago takes the cake. She gets both national conventions this year.

C. C. Tefft has bought the brick house of J. E. Hall on Oneida street and will take possession the first of April.

The Peninsular car works of Adrian will be moved to Detroit at an early day. The matter is definitely settled at last.

It is with pleasure that we note the starting of a new paper, the Union Light, at the City of Adrian. And we congratulate our brother editor and minister, Rev. J. L. Hudson, of Morenci, on the call to come up higher. The Union Light is to be the county organ of the Union party, recently launched at Jackson, and will undoubtedly prove an able exponent of the principles of constitutional prohibition. All hail the new movement.

AN OLD TECUMSEH BOY FOUND.

Having occasion to make a business trip to Toledo one day last week we took the afternoon train on the M. & O. arriving there at 3 o'clock. After transacting our business we made E. C. Smith a call at his office in the Produce Exchange building and found him as happy as usual raking in freight traffic for the Canada Southern. We then went out to hunt up J. A. H. Bell and soon found him in his new quarters on St. Clair street, below the Merchants' Hotel. He is now engaged in selling a patent washing machine, and has evidently struck a good thing. We found Jim head and ears in business, as he always is. In his office sat a stranger who quietly listened to the conversation a few moments and then suggested that we had met before. We scratched our head, thought of everybody we ever knew, and gave it up, and he then revealed his identity. His name was Charles Blanchard, son of the late Judge Blanchard of Tecumseh. Since leaving Tecumseh, about twenty years ago, he has travelled about the planet considerably, having been in all the Northern and Pacific states, and having spent about three years in Europe. He is now located in Cleveland and has an editorial position on the Marine Record. His business occasionally takes him to Toledo, and while there he spends his leisure time in looking up old Tecumseh acquaintances. The hour before train time was most pleasantly passed recalling to mind and rehearsing old school-day incidents in which we had both participated in days gone by. We got a promise from Blanchard before leaving to visit Tecumseh at an early day, and stop over Sunday.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 28, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Four degrees below zero this morning.

Blissfield is going to have a brass band.

The village election will take place next Monday.

A little more snow would make good sleighing again.

Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. have a new ad. this week.

The village registration board will meet next Saturday.

The new time table of the M. & O. road appears this week.

The editor of the Deerfield Record was on the sick list last week.

The Palmyra paper mill is shut down on account of high water.

Petersburg had a fire last Saturday night. One store was destroyed.

Judge R. E. Phinney, Judge of Probate of Monroe county, died last Saturday.

The Republican state convention has been called for April 24th at Gd. Rapids.

Orrin Terry, Esq., of Waterville, N. Y., was in town a day or so last week visiting his friends.

The Adrian city band will go to New Orleans in April with the Michigan Knights of Pythias.

C. B. Pennock will close out his stock of novelty goods at auction.—The sale begins to-day.

The Hudson wheelbarrow works have made an assignment. Liabilities and assets unknown.

Efforts are making to reorganize the Knights of Pythias lodge of this place, and the prospects are good.

New Carpets.—We have just opened our New Spring Styles of Carpets—a large assortment, handsome patterns, at very low prices.
W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

Wm. DeMott attended the reunion of the Third Michigan Cavalry held at Grand Rapids last week Friday.—The old cavalry boys had a grand time, with a parade, address and a big banquet. We are indebted to Mr. DeMott for a copy of the Daily Democrat giving a full account of the meeting.

Among the new business enterprises of Tecumseh is the Michigan Elastic Paint and Roofing Co. Slayton & Son have an interest in the concern and the headquarters are with them. The new roof paint sold by them is said so be of a superior quality and we predict for it an extended sale.—Send for a descriptive circular.

The following is taken from an exchange and is worthy of the attention of our readers. When you solve it please inform us:

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Hudson Gazette: A. O. Abbott has invented, and Art Carter has manufactured, a daisy road cart, which promises to lead the world. The particular advantage of their cart is that it is free from the uncomfortable jerking peculiar to other carts, which is a very desirable improvement. Besides this the new vehicle has other superior merits, and if Mr. Abbott secures a patent for it, as he contemplates, it will supply a long felt want, and prove a bonanza to the inventor.

Last week Wednesday night a break occured in Wm. Hayden's Mill dam near the wastegate, which drained the pond. Repairs were began at once, and on Monday the mill was again running, and turned out 150 barrels of flour that day. On Tuesday morning the high water broke thro' the place which had been repaired and again drained the pond. The mill had just begun that morning the work on forty car loads of flour to be shipped to Sligo, Ireland, and the last break will delay the order somewhat. A large force of men is employed mending the breach, and by to-morrow the rollers and bolts of the old mill will be on duty again.

Jackson had a big blaze last Sunday. The Union hotel and block and a row of frame buildings adjoining the same on the east were entirely cleaned out, entailing a loss of over $200,000 and several lives. It is impossible to tell as yet the number of lives lost. Of the seven Polacks who are said to have been in a room in Craik's lodging house, not one has since been seen and it is believed that all perished. The fire department is greatly censured for their tardiness in getting to the scene of action, and the Patriot says that the Holly system, as operated in Jackson at least, is wholly inadequate to the demands of a great fire. Mr. Barnes, in whose store the fire is said to have started, denies the charge, and says that he is positive the fire in his stove was out before he closed. The total loss, as near as can be ascertained at present, is not far from a quarter of a million of dollars.

The roller skating mania continues unabated here.

Boos & Church's Jackson Orchestra furnished the music for the Clinton leap year party on Monday evening.

Joe Stitt, who owns a splendid farm east of Evans lake drops down to Tecumseh occasionally. He gave us a call yesterday.

The Right Reverend S. S. Harris, D.D., of Michigan, will officiate in St. Peter's church, Tecumseh, next Sunday morning.

The Ridgeway contested election case has been decided in favor of Jay Sunting, the present incumbent of the town clerk's office.

We are indebted to the Social Reformer for several interesting articles in this week's HERALD. They will be read with interest.

Our "Flashes over the C. T. line," are collected by W. B. Keyser and transmitted to Abner Wilson, who prepares the notes for the printer.

H. T. Dunn, of Tecumseh, and Bert Hause, of Sorrento, Fla., are building up quite an extensive trade in high bred Langshans and White Leghorns.

The owner of a small farm near Tecumseh wishes to rent it on shares for a term of years to a good farmer with small family. An excellent chance.—Enquire at the HERALD office.

S. Erskine of Clinton, has sold his hotel privilege to Henry Lancaster. Lancaster has an auction on his farm to-day, and will soon move to Clinton, and Erskine will move back to Tecumseh.

The young Peoples' Social Club of District No. 5, Clinton Township, will hold a "Jumbo" Pie social Friday evening, March 7th, at the residence of R. B. Gillespie. All are cordially invited to attend.

It is generally acknowledged at Blisfield that Seth Pease can tip over with a large load of hay, and come out with less hay seed in his hair, and more equanimity of temper, than any other man in town.

Abner Wilson has a hot bed already started, and is making twelve new sashes which will double the number of glasses he had last year.—He already has cabbage plants peeping out of the ground.

Adrian Record: A Tecumseh girl so mesmerized a young man recently, that she drew him three feet inside the church door, and compelled him to accompany her home. Tecumseh girls are powerful mesmerists.

A Deerfield man, the other day while on the train, saw a "sure opportunity" to win on three card monte, invested $10 and as usual lost. It is said that the loser then sailed in on his muscle and compelled the operators to refund.

Dell Wood, the foreman of Slayton & Kinney's cabinet shop, has accepted a position on the Atlantic and Great Western Railway. He will soon take up his residence at Kent, Ohio. We regret to have him leave town, but he evidently betters himself in business and this is his only reason for going.

The boy who spends his evenings reading newspapers, the local news of his own county, and the general news of the day, will certainly make a better man than the one who spends his evenings on the streets, or loafing at places where the town gossip is dished out in the most obscene and vulgar language.

We have received a specimen copy of A. M. Purdy's Seed, Plant and Tree Catalogue. It is a beauty. The colored plates of his new seedling Raspberry the Crimson Beauty and his "Latest of all" strawberry, the Jumbo, are very fine indeed and should be seen by every lover of fruits. The information given on growing strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, grapes, &c., is very valuable, while his prices for plants, trees, &c., are as low as any reliable grower or dealer. The Catalogue, or a specimen copy of his valuable monthly paper, the Fruit Recorder, can be seen at our office, or by dropping a postal card to A. M. Purdy, Palmyra, N. Y., a copy of either or both will be sent to you free.

The Methodist society here is experiencing a healthy growth which has been going on for several years. Some are being converted each year. Some are coming in and settling down in our pleasant village to spend their closing days. This year it has been hard to furnish all with sittings in our church. If we continue to grow we shall have to enlarge our house of worship in some way in order to accommodate our people. Although this year is one of the hardest financially which our people have had for some time, they are going forward with needed improvements. A debt of $300, of some three years standing has been taken in hand, new furnaces have been procured, changes have been or are to be made in some of the rooms below, a basement has been made for one furnace and for wood. The new improvements will cost when completed, about $400. Books costing $135 have been purchased for the Sunday school library. All these expenses and the debt will be fully met by April 1st., making a total of $835. This proves that the church in Tecumseh is not only alive but a power in the cause of Christ.

W. T. Eccles has a new brand of cigars called the "Whips-'em-all," a clear Havana, long filler, which retails for only five cents. We have sampled some of them and can pronounce them prime.

The second number of the Social Reformer, published by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, is issued from the HERALD Job Rooms this week. It is filled with excellent reading matter of current interest. The edition this week is 2,000 copies, and it will be sent to any person free upon addressing the publisher.

The recent floods in the Ohio valley [illegible] without a parallel in the history of that valley. These things, coupled with the other calamities which have come upon different parts of the earth within a year, remind us that destructive powers are standing ready at all times to hurry mortals into eternity. They remind us too that there is some power above the laws of nature which holds all laws in subjection. They remind the people of an age which is adoring law that they should look up through natural law to God and adore him. They are reminding us that God's ways are not our ways. At the same time they are calling upon christians to let their benevolence flow out to conquer the evils which sin has brought, by healing the stricken and relieving the distressed.

It is now some months since the wholesale slaughter of the Crouch family in Jackson county. But for some reason the officers of the law seem unable to get any clue to the perpetrators. Other shocking murders have been committed in other parts of the state, and their perpetrators are nearly all at large. It does seem that our officers are making poor work of ferreting out crime. In some instances they seem to shut their eyes to clues because they point in certain directions. Is it because they are afraid to execute the laws? They will seize the poor wretch who has neither money nor influence and incarcerate him in prison, but they utterly neglect to lay hands on influential persons who seem to be guilty. Shame on such work! It is a burlesque on justice. Until we have officers who will do their duty fearlessly we may expect that crime will go on increasing.

AUCTION SALES.

T. C. Payne and E. B. Wood will sell at administrators' sale on the premises 3½ miles west of Tecumseh, on the Joseph Slater farm, on Wednesday, March 5th, 1884, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Span of matched mares, matched mare and gelding, span black matched geldings, work mare, single mare, 3 colts, 150 fine wool sheep, 12 cows with calf, 8 two yr. olds, 5 yearlings, 6 bulls, herd of short horn cattle, Poland China boar, breeding sow, 11 shoats, lumber wagon, truck wagon, buggy, Ball mower, Howe scales, 2 fanning mills, 2 hay rakes, plows and drags of all kinds, wheel cultivator, light and heavy, double and single harness, &c. Sixteen months' credit. Ben Reynolds, auctioneer.

Chas. Widin having sold his farm will sell at auction on the premises, six miles west of Dundee, on the turnpike, Thursday, March 6th, at 12 M., one span of work horses, four yearlings, two calves, seven good shoats, double harness, lumber wagon, two milch cows, buggy, farm tools, three two year old steers, a quantity of good corn in the ear, white oats, hay and household furniture. Usual terms. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

D. L. Goodrich and N. C. Arnold having sold and rented farms will sell at auction on the Goodrich farm two miles south of Clinton and three miles north of Tecumseh, on the Newburg road, Friday, March 7th, at 12 M., one span good work horses, one bay gelding, sorrel mare, dapple gray Indian pony, three year old colt, thoroughbred short horn bull, durham cow, two year old heifer, fifty fine wool breeding ewes and lambs, some good farm tools, wagons, top carriage, spring buggy, harness, etc. Eighteen months credit. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Bird & Havens have decided to go out of the livery business and will sell their stock at their barn in Tecumseh, Saturday, March 1st., at 12 M. One span heavy work horses, six good carriage horses, new double-seat carriage, platform spring wagon, a platform wagon road wagon, dexter queen top carriage, square box carriage, four new side-bar carriages, double and single harness, cutters, robes, etc. This livery is all in good condition. The horses are all good gentlemen's drivers, and the rolling stock and harnes of the best and nearly new. The entire stock will be sold on this day, and for what it will bring. Sixteen months credit on sums over five dollars. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Margaret Fort will sell at public vendue on the premises one and one-half miles west of Sutton's Crossing, Tuesday, March 4, at 12 M., one pair good work horses, two milch cows, thirty two good sheep, breeding sow, lumber wagon, bob sleighs double and single harness, harrow, cultivators, corn sheller, potatoes, set matched planes, etc. Eight months credit. Ed. Wilson, Auctioneer.

Wm. P. Emons having rented his farm will sell at auction, one mile north and one and a half east of Ridgeway, on the old Evans farm, Wednesday, March 5th at 12 o'clock noon, one span work horses, three year old colt, good cow, two year old steer, sow, nine pigs, chesterwhite boar, lumber wagon, buggy, harvester and many other farm tools, hay, etc. Eighteen months credit. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

W. B. Hitchcock, of Alpena, formerly of Adrian, was in town Monday. He goes to Washington this week and after a few day's stay there will return home.

There will be a maple sugar festival at the Presbyterian church parlors, Thursday afternoon, March 6th, beginning at half past five and continuing through the evening. Price of supper 25 cents. All are cordially invited.
BY ORDER OF COM.

The Prohibition Convention.

The largest Prohibition Convention ever held in the county, assembled at Dean's opera house yesterday. The meeting was called to order at one o'clock and Thomas F. Moore was elected to the chair, and after a prayer by the Rev. Hudson, Prof. C. R. Evans was elected secretary. There was considerable discussion on the new temperance paper, and much interest was manifested in the move, and several shares were subscribed for. A committee on the order of business for the afternoon session was then appointed. Mr. B. Moore of Palmyra, and Mrs. Laura Haviland then spoke on the subject of temperance, after some further business the convention adjourned to one o'clock.

The meeting was called to order at one o'clock by the chair, after which the Rev. Spahr offered prayer. The chair then called for the address, but as a number of the members had not yet arrived it was suggested the address be postponed until two o'clock, and some miscellaneous business transacted meanwhile. The chair then proceded to fill vacancies in the township, and ward delegations, and appoint chairmen of the various wards and townships. A bureau consisting of the Rev. Spahr, Mr. Chas. Mitchell, and Mr. Geo. Young were then appointed to select and send out speakers for the campaign. It was moved and carried that the above bureau be authorized to cooperate with the various township committees in the appointment of speakers, and that meetings be held in each school district. Dr. Atkinson then addressed the meeting, and in an eloquent manner upheld the cause of temperance, for which the convention is laboring.

The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one, and a great many shares of stock for the new paper was taken, in fact, more than the amount required, so that the new paper is an assured fact. The temperance party in Lenawee county seems to have a boom.—Adrian Record.

TILE AND DRAIN CONVENTION.

The Fourth Annual Meeting of the Michigan Tile, Brick and Drainage Association will be held at Workingmen's Hall, Adrian, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 11 and 12, 1884.

PROGRAM.

First session, Tuesday, March 11th, at 10 A. M.

1. Convention called to order by the Secretary.
2. Introductory Remarks. Statement of Purposes and Objects of the Convention, by C. H. Harris, of Jackson, Mich., President of the Convention.
3. Completing Roll of Membership.

Second session, March 11th, at 2 P.M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Reports of Secretary and Treasurer.
3. Election of Officers.
4. A Paper on "Farm Drainage and Construction of Drains," by Prof. R. C. Carpenter, of the Agricultural College, Lansing.
5. Discussion of the subject.

Third session, Tuesday eve., March 11th, at 7:30 P. M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Address of Welcome by Mayor Corbin of Adrian.
3. A Paper: Advantages of the Press in disseminating Knowledge of Farm and Sanitary Drainage, by J. J. W. Billingsley, of Indianapolis, Ind.
4. Discussion on the Subject.
5. Appointment of Committees.
6. Construction of Kilns and Arrangement of Drying Sheds; by Geo. S. Tiffany, Tecumseh.
7. Discussion of the Subject.
8. Opening of the Question Box.

Fourth session, Wednesday, March 12th, at 9:30 A. M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Reports of Committees.
3. Paper: Sanitary Drainage, by Prof. Kedzie, of the Agricultural College, Lansing.
4. Discussion of the Subject.
5. Treatment of Clays, by J. C. McKenzie, of Adrian, Mich.
6. Discussion of the Subject.
8. Opening of the Question Box.

Fifth session, Wednesday, March 12th, 2 P.M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Consideration of Unfinished Business.
3. Sewerage Illustrated by C. H. Harris, Jackson.
4. Reports from Farmers as to experience in laying drain tile, and whether underdraining farms pays, or not, in their opinion.
5. Road Drainage, by Andrew J. Ward, Flint, Mich.
6. Discussion on the subject.
7. Question Box.
8. Miscellaneous Business.

A cordial invitation is extended to all persons interested in the subject of tile drainage to be present at the sessions of this convention. All members receiving a program are requested to solicit its gratuitous publication in their local papers. Manufacturers should remember to bring samples of their wares. Preserve this program for use at the convention.

The Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, and L. S. & M. S. Railroads will furnish certificates to be signed by the Secretary, permitting delegates to return at one-third fare.

Members of the convention will have reduced rates at hotels in the city.

The following are the officers of the convention:

C. H. Harris, President, Jackson, M.
W. S. Comfort, Sec'y, Tecumseh, M.
W. E. Carleton, Treas. Canton, M.
Committee on Arrangements:
Burton Kent, Adrian.
J. C. McKenzie, Adrian.
A. L. Brewer, Tecumseh.

Beginning with the week of prayer meetings were held in all the evangelical churches with more or less of success. At the Baptist church Rev. Mr. Conley was assisted by Messrs. Kirtly and Hatch, and a considerable number professed conversion. At the Presbyterian church there was also help from abroad and several rose for prayers. At the Methodist church the Pastor was assisted by Rev. Mr. Price of the Christian church. Several were converted and a number of backsliders reclaimed. But there was no general "breaking up" in the community such as had been desired.

—Before investing your money in a Sewing Machine call and look over the list of Whites and Domestics sold to parties in Tecumseh and vicinity since January 1st. Several makes of good machines will be sold for $18 to $25, cash, to close them out, as I do not intend to handle any but the White and Domestic in the future.—Second hand machines, in good running order, $3 to $10.
G. P. Sparks.

—Read this and don't you forget it. If you want to buy a buggy, Platform Spring or Lumber Wagon you can save money by calling on Slayton & Son. They have a good assortment to select from and will make prices to astonish you.

—Before you buy a Sewing Machine call at Sparks' and examine the improved White or on one or more of the many who have recently purchased them in Tecumseh and vicinity.

—Seed Corn—If you want reliable seed corn call on Slayton & Son.

—Crockery! Crockery! Large stock best ware. Every piece warranted not to check or craze.
Adams' Novelty Store.

—If you even think of buying a Sewing Machine call on Slayton & Kinney. They have a fine stock; sell cheap and on time.

—Before you buy, call and try the newest, the neatest, the finest and cheapest, the one that pleases them all, — the noiseless, light running White Hill, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Glass Ware, Tin Ware, Lamps, House Furnishing Geods at
Adams' Novelty Store

NOTICE.—Young men, get married, and then go to Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh. They will furnish your house on time.

—Headquarters for Picture Frames. Frames made to order.
Adams' Novelty Store.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends or the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

—We call attention to our large stock of Bird Cages, just received.
Adams' Novelty Store

—W. N. Snedicor has a lot of fine bob sleighs. Call and see them.

—On and after January 1st, 1884, we will discount 10 per cent on all undertaking paid within 90 days from sale.
Slayton & Kinney.

—Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh, carry a large stock of Trunks. Get prices, they will not be undersold

Notice—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, '83.
I have been troubled with a hard cough for many years, and have found nothing to help me until I tried Dr. Bigelow's positive cure, which has completely cured me.
WELCOME SHERMAN.

The medicine is manufactured by Griggs & Co., Ottawa, Ill., and sold by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

—One of the best blood purifiers ever made is "King of the Blood."—Sold by Druggists generally. Manufactured by D. Ransom Son & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED.

CLARK—In Ridgeway, Feb. 16, 1884, Edith, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry Clark, aged 7 years, 10 months and 9 days.

The funeral services were held at the residence on the 18th, conducted by Rev. Mr. Cambell, of the M. E. church, Ridgeway.

The light of the house and its music,
The joy of its morrow and noon;
The fragrance and balm of its evening,
The dear and unspeakable boon.

I long for sweet lips on my forehead,
Alas, 'tis the fever instead:
I call the pet name that I gave her,
And know I am calling the dead.

The light of the house and its music,
Oh, God, when the birds first awake
In the gray and chill of the morning,
I wonder my heart does not break.

Remembering all I have suffered,
Remembering all I have known,
And crying the angels to witness,
I loved her, my lost one, my own.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

ATTORNEYS.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Insurance and Collection. Tecumseh, Mich.

EDWIN B. WOOD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Collections and Conveyancing. Office over W. & S. W. Anderson's store, Tecumseh, Mich.

C. A. STACY, Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Office in Underwood Block, Adrian, Mich.

PHYSICIANS.

DRS. S. & H. W. CATLIN, Physicians and Surgeons. Office in Patterson block, over Hershey's Cod store. Samuel Catlin, M. D., residence corner Pearl and Pottawatamie sts. H. W. Catlin, M. D., residence & office in Patterson Block.

C. M. WOODWARD, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office at Residence, Chicago St.

E. M. CONKLIN, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in Mills' Block, Chicago St.

R. R. HOUSE, M. D. O. O. JONES, M. D. Drs. House and Jones, Physicians and Surgeons. Office over Lilley's Drug Store. Office hours. Dr. House, 10 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 4 p. m. Dr. Jones, 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 4 p. m. Special attention given to epilepsy. Prompt answers day or night.

HOTELS.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS. [illegible] proprietors. Manufacturers of Stationary and Portable Engines, Mill Gearing and Machinery. Manufacturers of Tiffany Improved Turbine Water Wheels. Machine, Sward & Brass Moulding.

WM. DeMOTT, [illegible] The Northwestern Mutual Life Ins. Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid [illegible] since organization and [illegible] Total premiums received, $[illegible] Total assets, $[illegible] Policies of all kinds issued on all approved plans of assurance. Policies [illegible] each of the past nine years [illegible] by those of any other company in [illegible] January 1, 1882, only $[illegible] surplus over four per cent. reserve, $[illegible]

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET, [illegible] Proprietor. Dealer in [illegible] Fish, Poultry, etc. [illegible]

DAVE MACHAM, Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser. Shop in Kingsley's block, Chicago st.

CURRY & BOSTWICK, [illegible] and Hair Dressers, Shop in Kingsley's block, Chicago st.

CHAS. A. WALDRON, Veterinary Surgeon. All orders promptly attended to either by self or assistants. Residence and office, W. Waldron, Tecumseh, Mich.

LILLEY HOUSE—[illegible] This house has been recently enlarged by the addition of a new east wing [illegible] street, and the dining room has been doubled in size. Rates reasonable. A. H. Lilley, Proprietor.

BURNETT HOUSE—[illegible] The house has lately been enlarged and refitted, with elevator and other improvements, and is a favorite house for the travelling public. Rates reasonable and great care taken of the rooms occupied.

RICE'S
TEMPERANCE HOTEL
Cor. Congress & Bates sts. Detroit, Mich.
RATES—$1 to $1.25 per day. Single meals 30c. Lodgings 25 to 50 cents.
We make a specialty of Dinners, and it always ready at 11 o'clock sharp. Judiciously and to be served promptly.

COOK HOUSE—ANN ARBOR, MICH. C. K. Hutchson, Proprietor. This house has been refitted and refurnished, is lighted by steam and has all the modern conveniences. Special accommodations for commercial travellers. Terms reasonable.

TECUMSEH LODGE NO. 14, I. O. O. F. Regular meetings every Thursday evening at their Lodge Room, over H. S. Anderson's store. Chas. Z. Williamson, N. G. Thos. Cummins, Sec'y.

DR. A. TRASK'S MAGNETIC OINTMENT

The Great Healer of all Inflamed Injuries and Disorders.

It is decidedly the most wonderful curative agent ever [illegible] the greatest healing power in the age for [illegible] and all disorders attendant with Inflammation.

It never fails to restore the natural functions of the skin and equalize the circulation of the blood. By this means a controlling power is gained over the most malignant forms of disease. It penetrates to every portion of the human frame, every bone, muscle, vein, nerve and ligament is near relief and finally subdued by the soothing and healing influence. Hence it cures readily with internal as well as external diseases.

Over 40 Years.

This ointment has been used by the people throughout the United States, and our confidence in its qualities is such that we have no space here to insert any of the numerous certificates of cures which we have from all parts of the country, we simply ask those readers of this notice who have ever used this Ointment to frankly state their experience with it to inquiring friends. If but one in a hundred would do this we should be perfectly satisfied with the result. Full directions for use will be found in pamphlet around each bottle.

Price 25 and 40 cents per bottle. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

D. RANSOM, SON & CO. Prop's
Buffalo, New York.

FOR BUSINESS OR PLEASURE.

BIRD & HAVENS

would announce to the public that they are now engaged in the livery business at the Lee barn on Ottawa street, and respectfully solicit your patronage.

An entire new stock of Latest Style Buggies and the Best of Horses.

Special Attention given to Funerals

Give us a trial and we will do our best to please you.

FRANK BIRD. TOM HAVENS

Cut This Out & Return to us with TEN CTS. Silver, & you'll get by mail, a package of goods of value that will bring you in MONEY RIGHT in One Month than anything else in America. Absolute Certainty. Either sex. No capital. H. Young, 173 Greenwich St. N. York.

Quick Relief!

When a man has suffered from Rheumatism only a little while, and is relieved from his pain, he is happy and delighted. But suppose he has

Suffered for more than a third of a century.

Alvin Grim, of Vale, Iowa, writes: "A [illegible] has helped me much. The pain in my hands is all gone, but some lameness is left yet, and will there might be, for I have been troubled for fifty-five years with Rheumatism."

Mrs. A. R. Baker, of Chicago,

Had rheumatic pains in her back for fifteen years,

and she thought she could not live. She says: "The 2d bottle of Athlophoros made me good as new. My words can never express my gratitude for what it has done for me. I am cured of all pain, and can recommend it to all who suffer as I did, to be free from pain and suffering as I have been since the use of the Athlophoros."

There are many people who think that because they have suffered so long, and have tried so many medicines in vain, they must "suffer on for three score years." But you see what Athlophoros has done.

However Old your Case:
However Severe your Pains:
However Great your Disappointments,

Try Athlophoros!

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ATHLOPHOROS CO., 112 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

THINK OF IT NOW!

Though much is said about the impurity of blood during cold weather, it may be truthfully said that it has never been properly treated until the advent of Christmas.

When a very large number have some form of scrofulous humor in the system. When this develops in **Scrofulous Sores, Ulcers, or Eruptions,** in the form of **Rheumatism, or Organic Diseases,** the suffering that ensues is beyond the gratitude of those who, discouraged, as the thousands yearly do, that

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

will thoroughly eradicate this evil from the system.

As well expect life without a full supply of pure blood. Cleanse the blood with AYER'S SARSAPARILLA.

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by all Druggists. $1, six bottles for $5.

We have spent over $100,000.00 in advertising our celebrated Durham Bull as our trademark, and probably be to-day the most valuable Bull in the world. Now it stands to reason that we would not allow a product bearing the roughly of BLACKWELL'S BULL DURHAM Tobacco, of which he is the representative, wasn't the BEST Smoking Tobacco ever made.

The sales of Blackwell's Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco far exceed the sales of any other brand in the world, simply because it has been, is, and will continue to be the best that can be made. All dealers have it. Look for the trade-mark of the Bull on every package.

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Is a Bottle of Rare Beauty. [illegible]

WOMEN!

Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. [illegible]

DR. PIERCE'S [illegible]

Dear Sir: I feel more than pleased with the effect of your **Zoa-Phora** in our daughter's case. I am surprised to see how she has improved. She is gaining in weight and color, and I think feels better than she ever did, her nerves are steady, and the distress in her chest is entirely gone. I firmly believe that **Zoa-Phora** is all that has saved her life. I am so happy you should use my letter for if can not help but tell what a wonderful cure your medicine is. Yours respectfully,
MRS. SARAH RANDOLPH.
N. B.—This was a case of suppression.

From Mrs. Joan Spitler.
No. 28 Wilt St, Fort Wayne, Ind.
I have suffered for sixteen years with spasmodic pain in my head and general nervous debility. Recently I had a severe attack of pain in my head, caused by weakness and nervous exhaustion. I thought I should die. My husband said we would test **Zoa-Phora** thoroughly. He gave it to me according to directions for severe cases, and in less than two hours I had complete relief. I advise all women who suffer from nervous or sick headache, or any form of female weakness, to use **Zoa-Phora.** There is no medicine to compare with it.
May 15, 1882.

Our Pamphlet on "Diseases of Women and Children," SENT GRATIS. Every woman above 15 years of age, especially Mothers should read it.
Address R. PENGELLY & CO.
Kalamazoo, Mich.
All letters marked private are read by Dr. Pengelly only.
Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

AN ELEGANT RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

One of the finest residences in Tecumseh will be sold at reasonable terms. New two-story house finished in the latest style, with "dado" paper throughout. Large lot. This place will be sold with

House Furnished or Unfurnished,
to suit purchaser.

The place is all in splendid condition, new house, barn, outbuildings, &c., and is one of the finest residences in Tecumseh.

Bunko and Bunkee.

"Wyoming may not occupy more nor three square yards on a goggerfy map of the United States," remarked Woodtick Williams at a recent session of the Forty Liars Club, after being called upon for a speech by the chair, "but she's got mighty good pickin'. What I mean is that her internal improvements contain some mighty smart men. With all due deference to the chair and the honorable company, I must say that for fast-color, pigeon-toed, copper-riveted, sense, the humble individual who now addresses you does not canter along at the rear of the procession. I may not ride on the seat with the driver, but if I do say it I follow up pretty nigh to the bereaved relatives. I am willing to admit that [illegible] than I am, likewise he must have been of the court records of Kenosha County, Wisconsin, pervert the truth to a marvellous degree. He was a bank cashier. He went up to Canada for his health—office work is so confining, you know, that it soon breaks a man down, especially bank cashiers. His great intellect gave way, however, a short time before he died—leastwise he was foolish enough to make his will—and so the family, of whom I am which, got nothing. Some cousin by-his-wife's-aunt put in a claim, and the lawyers promoted the case by gobbling up the estate themselves.

"But, as I said, I'm a shade or two above a natural-born fool, and to prove it I'll relate my experience with them Chicago last September. You know I took a lot of cattle in there to sell and after I'd disposed of them I took a spike-tail car and went up town. I bought me a bran new outfit at a clothing store, had the wrinkles pressed out, and dressing up in my new togs, I set out to take in the sights. Pretty soon I was tackled by a very decent looking party, who seemed tickled to death to see me. He called me Tompkins, from Titusville, Ind., and asked after the boys. I told him he was off his caboose, and just about that time, too, I began to smell something most awful rank, so when he asked me my name, I said it was John Taylor, of Tecumseh, Neb; that I was a director of the First National Bank there, and had just come to Chicago to see something of city life. Then I told him about the postmaster, Lou Davis, and the station agent whom I called Brooke, and so on, and made him thoroughly acquainted with everything and everybody in the place. I knew there was such a town in Nebraska, but of course didn't know a soul in it; but thinks I to myself, if there isn't anybody of that name there, why there ought to be, and as for myself, why the name of Taylor was good enough for me. Well, we chatted a long while, until my new friend said he had an engagement, but he'd call at the hotel in the evening and show me around. Well, its no use to prolong your agony. It was the same old story. The customary son of an old friend appeared in the regular order of things and made himself extremely agreeable, and 'Mr. Taylor' went with the young man to see him draw a prize in a lottery.

"The rules of the game, up to this point, had been strictly adhered to—apparently—but it gives me great pleasure to state that, in the subsequent proceedings, I introduced certain innovations that, if generally adopted, must tend to detract seriously from the interests of the noble game of bunko, and eventually bring it into disfavor among sportive gentlemen. I entered, apparently, into the spirit of the game with great enthusiasm and gratifying recklessness, and tucked in all my worth, when I told them that as I hadn't drawn any money since I struck the town, and only started with a little for fear of pickpockets in the cars, that broke me. As I appeared to be enjoying myself, however, the bunko men kindly kept the game going, and accepted my checks to the amount of $2,500 on the Tecumseh Bank aggregate. Finally I told them that I'd played enough for one day; that it was lots of fun but that, like all the other good things of life, it came high. If they'd just cash another check for $100, to give me a little ready cash to spend about town, I'd drop in the next day and give them another whirl. The generous bunko men cheerfully complied, and I quit the game just $8 ahead. I don't know what they did with those checks. In fact I haven't allowed myself to worry over it at all since. I suppose it's a little rough on the bunko man to discover suddenly that he is the bunkee; but then you know there's nothing certain in this world but death, and four aces backed up with a king."—*The Boomerang.*

Buying and Selling Names.

A pleasant, gray-bearded gentleman sat in a Sixth avenue elevated train, talking to a younger man. A reference to the occupation of the older man made him say:

"Mine is an unusual business. See here."

He pulled out a card. If his name had been Henry Jackson, the card would have read:

HENRY JACKSON,
Dealer in Names.

"Won't you explain?" said the younger man.

"I buy and sell the addresses of people in all parts of the United States and Canada. There are hundreds of business men who reach their customers by circulars, as well as by advertising in the newspapers. Thus a book publisher gets out a new book which he wants to sell through agents. He is anxious to learn the names and addresses of all the men and women in the United States who sell subscription books. He also wants the names of those who sell other goods in the same way, because they are very likely to drop the other article for the sake of the new book. Then he wants the addresses of the people who have never acted as agents, but who want to try to see what they can do. He advertises for agents in a variety of papers, at a pretty heavy expense. It costs him several cents for every letter of inquiry about his book that he receives. To that letter of inquiry he sends his elaborate circulars. I come to the relief of the publisher by selling him a very large number of agents' addresses at a small part of the cost of getting them by advertising."

"How do you get them?"

"You see, every publisher has a lot of agents whom he has employed at one time and another. Nearly every one will sell me a copy of his list for a consideration. The combined copies make a formidable pile of manuscript. Then there are the novelty men, who accumulate large lists of names of agents. Agents form one line of special names. Invalids form another."

"Do you mean sick people?"

"Not necessarily. Every community has a lot of people who are always buying medicine. They are the most valuable lot an advertiser can reach. The consumption remedy circular gives them a hacking cough, and a heavy rash. The blood purifier circular flushes them with eczema. So it goes through the list of chronic and acute ailments, from feet and back to a steam atomizer to doctor a sprained foot. All of these people at one time or another write to some advertising doctor or vendor of the elixir of life. I buy the names of the advertiser, classify them according to the number of times the names have been used by medical men and the last diseases that afflicted the writers, and sell them over and over again. Sometimes I sell the original letters outright. The careful advertiser sometimes varies the character of the circulars sent according to the characteristics of the letter-writer, even writing a personal letter in some cases."

"What other classes have you?"

"Two general classes. One for the sharpers and one for the general advertiser. The latter class is cosmopolitan. It includes all others, really, but it is made up mostly of farmers. For instance, in New York, Rochester and Detroit are several firms of dealers in garden and farm seeds. They get hundreds of thousands of letters every year. To those addresses circulars of all kinds of farm and household goods, books, jewelry, anything that a man or woman doesn't need but is sure to want, can be sent with great profit. The names for the use of sharpers are the most profitable of all, and yield the largest returns of all concerned, except the ones addressed. Once we get a name on that list we know it will pan out till the man dies. The addresses of all the people who buy tickets in lotteries, who write to dealers in fac-simile greenbacks, and who write to other advertisers that offer to give something for nothing, are very carefully arranged by themselves. They are usually very smart in their own conceit, but they nibble at a bare hook."

"What prices do these names bring?"

"I have got as high as twenty-five dollars a thousand for names for sharpers' use. Good lists of habitual invalids are worth all the way from ten dollars to twenty dollars a thousand. Agents are so easily obtained that ten dollars is a big price; from three dollars to five dollars is ordinary. General-use lists copied off the letters bring from three dollars to five dollars where they have not been mailed to more than twice. When mailed to oftener, and where a year or two old, they get down to one dollar a thousand.

"Are many in this business of yours?"

"Not continually. They drop in, make a good thing, and straightway begin mailing circulars on their own account. The number of actual addresses handled by me in one year has never exceeded one million, but it has crowded that figure closely."—*N. Y. Sun.*

The Future of Our Earth.

If the force at the back of all growth, all complexity and all change on earth is that which the sun has steadily supplied to it through countless ages, and still supplies, it is plain that when this force fails, as fail it one day must, there will be a steadily declining development and a rapidly increasing degeneration of things, an undoing by regressive decompositions of what has been done by progressive combinations through the succession of the ages. The disintegrating process may be expected to take effect first upon the highest products of evolution, and to reach in descending succession the lower and lowest organizations and organic compounds. The nations that have risen high in complexity of development will deteriorate, and be broken up, to have their places taken by less complex associations of inferior individuals; these in turn will yield place to simpler and feebler unions of still more degraded beings, species after species of animals and plants will first degenerate, and then become extinct as the worsening conditions of life render it impossible for them to continue the struggle for existence, a few scattered families of degraded human beings, living, perhaps, in snow huts near the equator very much as Esquimaux live now near the pole will represent the last wave of the receding tide of human existence before its final extinction; until at last a frozen earth, incapable of cultivation, is left without energy to produce a living particle of any sort, and so death itself is dead."—*Body and Wit.*

A Pension Romance.

The other day Representative Cassidy, of Nevada, received a request from Eli Johnson, one of his constituents, that he would help through a pension he had asked for a member of a California cavalry regiment in the late war. Cassidy forwarded the letter to the Pension Office, with a favorable indorsement. He was surprised to receive in a day or two a reply from the Commissioner of Pensions, stating that a pension had been granted years ago to the widow of this same Eli Johnson, and that she had surrendered the pension upon marrying, some time since, a man named Gill. An investigation was at once had. It has just been ascertained that Mrs. Johnson, having been informed by her friends that her husband was killed in one of the bloody battles of the war, mourned him as dead, obtained a pension as his widow, and subsequently married Gill, an Ohio man. On his part, Eli Johnson had been sorely wounded, had spent several months in a hospital, had been informed, upon emerging from it, that his wife was dead, had gone to their old home to find that she had left without leaving a trace of her whereabouts behind, and had sincerely mourned her ever since. The correspondence brings out the interesting fact that they love each other still. Unfortunately Gill still lives.—*Washington Cor. Philadelphia Record.*

Neuralgic Rheumatism is the hardest kind to treat. The only way to get at it is to go right for the cause of it. The quicker you get your blood in good condition the less you will suffer in body and mind. Athlophorus moves directly on the enemy in the blood. It purges the vital fluid of the poisons and acids which give rise to neuralgic and rheumatic pains and inflammations. As soon as the work of cleansing begins you feel the pain departing, and by the time that work is done the disease has fled.

A mad dog bit another dog in Rockford and caused quite a commotion Sunday.

Positive Cure for Piles.

To the people of this county we would say we have been given the agency of Dr. Marchisi's Pile Ointment—emphatically guaranteed to cure or money refunded—internal, external, blind, bleeding or itching piles. Price 50 cents a box. No cure, no pay. For sale by Waldo & Doty, druggists.

Fred Godfrey captured a live owl from a locomotive at the Chicago & Grand Trunk shops at Battle Creek.

Daughters, Wives and Mothers.

We emphatically guarantee Dr. Marchisi's Catholicon a Female Remedy, to cure Female Diseases, such as Ovarian troubles, inflammation and ulceration, falling and displacement or bearing down feeling, irregularities, barrenness, change of life, leucorrhœa, besides many weaknesses spring from the above, like headache, bloating, spinal weakness, sleeplessness, nervous debility, palpitation of the heart, &c. No cure, no pay. For sale by druggists. Price $1 and $1.50 per bottle. Send to Dr. J. B. Marchisi, Utica, N. Y., pamphlet free. For sale by Waldo & Doty.

The Battle Creek chief engineer is happy over an increase of salary from $100 to $300 per year.

We sincerely believe that every case of pulmonary disease, not already beyond the reach of human aid, may, if promptly treated, be retieved and cured by the faithful use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Elias Cowles, of Highland township, Oakland county, died on the 3d, aged 88 years. He had lived on his farm in that town 48 years.

Thousands are being cured of Catarrh, every year with Hall's Catarrh Cure, that the doctors had given up and said could not be cured. 85 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Kewadin, the oldest of the Ottawa Indians, died at Elk Rapids last week.

Cured When Physician's Gave Up.

"Our family physician gave up our child to die," wrote Henry Knee, Esq., of Verilla, Warren Co., Tenn. "It had fits. Samaritan Nervine has cured the child." $1,50.

Remember This.

If you are sick Hop Bitters will surely aid nature in making you well when all else fails.

If you are costive or dyspeptic, or are suffering from any other of the numerous diseases of the stomach or bowels, it is your own fault if you remain ill, for Hop Bitters are a sovereign remedy in all such complaints.

If you are wasting away with any form of Kidney Disease, stop tempting Death this moment, and turn for a cure to Hop Bitters.

If you are sick with that terrible sickness Nervousness, you will find a "Balm in Gilead" in the use of Hop Bitters.

If you are a frequenter, or a resident of a miasmatic district, barricade your system against the scourge of all countries—malarial epidemic, bilious, and intermittent fevers—by the use of Hop Bitters.

If you have a rough, pimply, or sallow skin, bad breath, pains and aches and feel miserable generally, Hop Bitters will give you fair skin, rich blood, and sweetest breath, health, and comfort.

In short they cure all diseases of the Stomach, Bowels, Blood, Liver, Nerves, Kidneys, Bright's Disease. $500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help.

That poor, bedridden, invalid wife, Sister, mother or daughter, can be made the picture of health, by a few bottles of Hop Bitters, costing but a trifle. Will you let them suffer?

ASK FOR

Jersey Butter Crackers

WORTS, KIRK & BIGELOW,
Candy and Cracker Manufacturers,
TOLEDO, OHIO.

SHARP PAINS Crick, Sprains, Wrenches, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Fleeting Pains, Stitch in the Side, Backache, Swollen Joints, Heart Disease, Sore Muscles, Pain in the Chest, and all pains and aches either local or deep-seated are instantly relieved and speedily cured by the well known *Hop Plaster.* Compounded, as it is of the medicinal virtues of fresh Hops, Gums, Balsams and Extracts, it is indeed *the best* pain-killing, stimulating, soothing and strengthening Porous Plaster ever made. *Hop Plasters* are sold by all druggists and country stores 25 cents or five for $1.00. Mailed on receipt of price, *Hop Plaster Co., Proprietors and Manufacturers, Boston, Mass.* **HOP PLASTER**

Coated tongue, bad breath, sour stomach and liver disease cured by Hawley's Stomach and Liver Pills, 25 cts.

The GREAT WABASH ROUTE

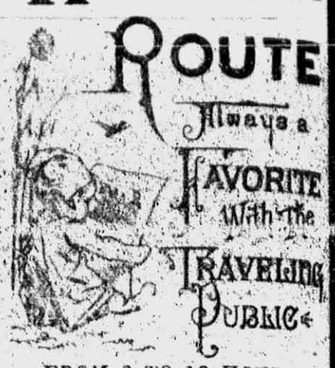

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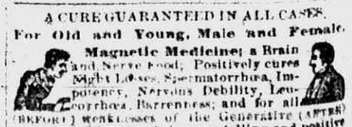

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STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Chicago	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Jerrell	6 48 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 55 "
Clinton	7 12 "	*3 16 "	3 38 "
Munson	7 23 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 05 "	9 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Toledo	10 22 "	8 10 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Munson	11 43 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 03 "	7 50 "
Jerrell	12 38 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Chicago	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Island Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 01	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
BUTLER	P. M. 2 40	A. M. 8 05	2 27
Bakesley	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 01	9 40	3 46
Island Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 34	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

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GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 18, 1884.
— Trains run by Central Time. —

GOING NORTH. No. 4. Accom.	No. 2. Express.	No. 6. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	
4 40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
4 47	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 25	1 39	4 48
4 52	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
4 56	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 30
5 1	2 32	8 37	Sylvania	9 02	1 07	4 22
5 7	2 55	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
5 10	3 07	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
5 14	3 23	9 01	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
5 23	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
5 28	3 59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
5 40	4 05	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
5 47	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
					A.M.	
6 2	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
6 8	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
6 15	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
6 25	5 38	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 56	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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Dresses for Young Ladies.

Simple and very pretty is a dress for a young lady. The short skirt is finished at the lower edge with a knife plaiting of cream silk. Above this plaiting is a very deep puff of cream cashmere headed by five tiny ruffles of silk, then comes another deep puff of the cashmere, over which falls the full, grace, fully-looped drapery from the waist line. The pointed corsage is of cashmere cut V shape in the neck and is trimmed on the short sleeves and the end of the throat opening, which is edged with lace, with loops of ribbon, pink rose buds and green leaves. Clusters of the roses and leaves are also used as ornaments [illegible] the skirt is secured.

Another useful and becoming dress for a young lady or a miss is of ivory crepe, the short skirt trimmed with two deep box plaits of the material, each edged with lace. Scarf tunic over the front and hips form drapery in the back. The waist has plastron front of lace, put in full, between shirrings of the crepe on either side. Lace finished elbow sleeves, lace frill at the throat and sash of satin ribbon tied about the waist and brought down in large loop ends at the side.

For a miss of ten or twelve years a new wrap is in pelisse shape; full effect in the skirt given by shirrings down the waist front, with the width left in the skirt of the stylish little garment, which is allowed to fall open far enough to show the plaitings in the front of dress skirt, worn beneath. The back is made in the same manner, only it is closed in the center and at the waist line; on either side of the front puff is a sash-belt of plaited satin, which forms deep loop bows in this center of the back. This garment is in navy blue satin, with felt hat in the same shade, trimmed with satin and feathers.

A suit to be worn in the early spring by a young girl the same age is in one of the mode tones. The skirt is of cloth, made plain in front, side plaited over the sides and full in the back, the lower edge being trimmed with wide bands of blue velvet. The apron over drapery is also bordered with the velvet, while the fullness in the back is not trimmed. The fitted corsage has a plaited front, crossed by bands of velvet with cluster of loops in the middle, velvet collar, cuffs and belt, loops of cloth serving as basque skirt to the bodice. The hat is covered with the modecloth, and is bound and trimmed with velvet, and two birds.—*Philadelphia Times.*

Too Much Cash.

In an alley off Griswold street, shortly after noon yesterday, several people saw a middle-aged man and woman sitting flat on the snow, while the lap of the latter was fairly covered with greenbacks which the pair were counting. The presence of spectators did not stop the count nor seem to annoy the counters, but after the pile had been handled over, bill by bill, the man called out:

"Darn my buttons, but we've missed it again?"

"What are you doing?" asked one of the spectators.

"Why, I've drawed $600 from the bank, and we are counting it over to see if it's all right."

"And isn't it?"

"No. I counted fust and made $610. Then the old woman counted and made $590. Then I counted and made $620, and now she's handled the pile and there's $585."

"And I'm right," said the woman.

"I don't believe it!" he replied. "You never went to skule a day in your life, and what do you know about counting?"

"And when did you go to skule?" she hotly demanded. "If thar's $600 in that pile I'll eat every dollar of it!"

"I'll count it for you," said one of the spectators, and in about five minutes he announced that the sum total was an even $600.

A second was asked to count it, and he made the total the same.

"That's all right," said the old man as he stuffed the "wad" into his overcoat pocket and rose up.

"I don't know about that!" added the wife. "S'posen we git home and find we are $50 short?"

"You come along!" he commanded. "Don't you see that we have both of us made a show of our ignorance? I'm a thinkin' of runnin' fur the Legislatur', and you are boss of two sewin' societies, and here we've went and let on that we don't know 'nuff to count up a drove o' hogs and make tails tally with the heads!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

How Headless Roosters Are Made.

A short, stout man, with a red face, stood before a Bowery museum thrashing himself with both arms violently. A cold wind whistled over the pavement, and the brass band in the windows above dolefully wheezed "Sweet Violets."

"Have you any of those headless roosters in the museum yet?" asked a reporter, pausing before the Dime Museum man.

"Hough!" said he, slacking the violence of his arms, but still keeping one hand going, the fingers of which looked numbed and blue.

"Has the museum got on exhibition any of those headless roosters the papers have been talking about?" repeated the reporter.

"See here, young feller, don't yer be so funny," said the museum man, and he put the cold fingers in his mouth, blew on them hard, and looked savagely at the interrogator. "Mebbe you don't know what them roosters is?" he continued, relaxing somewhat. "They're frauds, they are, regular snides, and we ain't a-playing such games on our patrons."

"What do you mean by saying they're frauds?" asked the reporter, interested.

"I mean just wot I say. They ain't no such thing as a headless rooster, no more than a headless horse or a headless man, and don't yer forget it. They are all fixed up. I'll tell you how they're fixed. A feller takes a sharp knife and slits off the rooster's bill. Then he loosens the skin around the top of the head and stretches it down like a hood. Mebbe he cuts away some of the flesh with the bill, but he's mighty careful how much he takes. Well, I say you may take fur gospel. That's the way them headless roosters is made. I've seen it done. They tie the skin tight over the top of the [illegible], it gets well in two weeks and [illegible] so's to look as if the head had been cut off. When you stick a kernel of corn down his windpipe he swallows it and pokes his head up for more. After he gets well the owners trot him out and say the head was cut right off when he was killin' some chickens for dinner, but this one didn't die. Right this way, gentlemen!" to passing sight-seers. "Step right in and see the fat woman and the double-headed boy!"

The red-faced man began to swing his arms once more and the band started up a fresh strain.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The Scold.

In view of the fact that scolding is such an unenviable accomplishment, and one so easily acquired, it is odd that anybody should take credit to herself for a vocation in that direction, and yet we sometimes hear people boasting about their ability to give certain friends or foes a piece of their mind calculated to stagger them, as if one required a special genius for the task which any fish-wife is competent to perform to her infinite satisfaction. Who, indeed, has not met those who absolutely plume themselves upon their powers of scolding, and do not allow them to grow rusty for lack of use? There are mothers whose children live in constant dread of a prolonged reprimand if any little accident happens to their clothing, although we are warned by the sage that scolding tends to make a child sly and irritable, and prefer any place before home. It is a lamentable fact that when we think of the scold it is always as a feminine noun; whether it is that a man disciplines himself to make the best of inevitable annoyances rather than rail against them, or whether, owing to his more robust nature and his interest in larger pursuits, the trifles which irritate the sensitive feminine world have no effect upon his toughened cuticle, it is difficult to decide. We would naturally suppose that the scold would possess a strong physique; that one who was forever kicking against the pricks would need muscle and nerve for such energetic existence; but as we often find her an invalid, or one who has added that *role* to her other accomplishments, and who exhorts from her comfortable couch with the strength of ten. She is confined to no class of society, but may be met with in hovel or palace. Does she not sit down at every boarding-house table in the land, and did one ever travel without encountering her? She inveighs against the wind at the summit of Mount Washington, and at the lack of it in the valleys below. She is ingenious in finding a cause for exercising her "free speech;" her neighbors, her friends, her servants, enjoy the benefit of her liberality in that respect. Indeed, she would cease to be happy if there were nothing to rail against, as if such a state of things were owing to some neglect of duty on her part. Nothing is too high or too common to escape her oratory, and, although she may not be called a conversationalist, nor remind us of a Madame De Stael or Margaret Fuller, yet, when she warms to the occasion, it is doubtful if either of these could rival her.—*Harper's Bazar.*

The Muscles.

The chief function of the muscles is to contract, and thus to move a given part by drawing toward itself the tendon which connects the two—the part and the muscle. Some of the muscles are moved by a nerve-force sent from the brain by the will—others act independently of the will, as most of the internal muscles. Still others—as the muscles concerned in breathing—are in the main independent of the will, and yet can be controlled by it to some extent.

Again, even those whose ordinary movements are determined by the will, can be operated on independently of it by what is called "reflex" nervous action. In this case a sensation runs up to one of the brain-centers, and then, without going as high as the region of intelligence, runs down a nerve of motion to the supposed muscle.

This is so with the convulsive movements of hysteria, epilepsy, etc. Habitual acts become in time largely, if not wholly, reflex, thus relieving the mind from superintending them. A bird can fly and a fish can swim without a brain—through this reflex power.

No one knows what the moving force is which so wonderfully plays between the brain and the muscles. It is not electricity, although the muscles even of a dead man can be moved by this latter force. In every department of science we soon strike the limits of the knowable.

Sometimes, as in cholera (St. Vitus dance), there is a wild movement of the muscles, often fearfully violent and utterly uncontrollable. Sometimes, as in *locomotor ataxia*, so called, there is an irregular action of the voluntary muscles—the legs, arms and head moving grotesquely in walking. Sometimes, as in a trance, the limbs of a patient can be placed by another in the queerest postures, and the former will not have the slightest power to change them, although he may have the full possession of his senses.

The muscles retain more or less of their peculiarity for a time after death. The heart of some animals will beat for hours removed from the body. In some cases of death from cholera and yellow fever, a certain convulsive force may continue for awhile. One man, several hours after death from cholera, brought his hands together and lifted his arms into the air, repeating it for some time.—*Youth's Companion.*

Bands on apple trees are a positive detriment unless they are properly attended to. The bands make good breeding places for the moths if not examined every seven or nine days. By all means do not encourage them by neglecting the bands if they are used.—*Albany Journal.*

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 28, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

The Senate, on the 20th, passed without debate the bill increasing the annual amount to provide arms and equipments for the militia from $200,000 to $400,000. A resolution was agreed to, that the Secretary of War inform the Senate when and how many acres of indemnity lands were certified and patented to railroad corporations in Iowa, to whom grants of public lands were donated. The bills fixing the time of holding the terms of the District and Circuit Courts of the United States in the Northern District of Iowa, and Mr. Sewell's bill appropriating $600,000 per annum for the militia were passed. After some time spent in discussing the bill to provide for the circulation of National banks the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned. The House passed the joint resolution appropriating $150,000 to be expended among the Indians for educational purposes. The report of the committee calling on the Postmaster General to transmit to the House copies of reports made by the special agents of the Postoffice Department, having reference to the Star Route investigations, not heretofore made public, was agreed to. The Military Academy Appropriation bill was taken up, and after discussion the House adjourned.

In the Senate on the 21st the bill providing for the punishment of persons falsely personating officers and employes of the United States was passed. In executive session the Senate took up the nomination of George F. Evans as Postmaster at Martinsburg, W. Va., and after an hour's discussion reached a vote, the result of which was a tie. Evans is charged with being present at the lynching of a negro, who had outraged and then murdered a white woman, he admitted his presence but declared that he was not a participant in the lynching. The bill giving the Secretary of War authority to compel the alteration of bridges spanning navigable waters which obstruct navigation, was passed. Debate on the bill to provide for the issue of circulation to National banking associations was resumed, but without action the Senate adjourned till the 25th. The House, in Committee of the Whole, discussed the Military Academy bill, and after rejection of several amendments the bill was reported back to the House and passed—yeas 250, nays 4. The Post Route bill was passed, and the Senate amendments to the House bill declaring all public roads post roads were concurred in. A message was received from the President transmitting the report of the Secretary of State in relation to the presentation to the United States by the British Government of the Arctic steamship Alert. On motion, the report was ordered on the House record. Adjourned until the 25th.

In the House Mr. Foran's bill to prohibit the importation and immigration of foreigners under contract to perform labor in the United States, was, on the 23d placed on the House calendar. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the pleuro-pneumonia bill, and after discussing it at some length without action, the Committee rose and the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

At Lebanon, Conn., on the 21st, Harvey Chappell, a wealthy farmer, living alone, was found murdered in his house.

The intense cold weather and snow in the western mountains are driving the eagles down into the valleys, where they are killed in large numbers.

Twenty-four buildings were destroyed by fire at Columbus, Ga., on the 21st. Loss $200,000; insurance light.

In consequence of the high rates of foreign exchange, shipments of gold have commenced; $200,000 were shipped from New York on the 21st.

On the 20th B. F. Barnes, a prominent citizen of Bosch, near Richfield Center, Wis., in a fit of mental derangement killed his wife and then cut his own throat.

Secretary Lincoln asks that public publication be made in the newspapers that he is not authorized by law to use any part of the flood fund for the purpose of rebuilding dwellings destroyed.

An incendiary fire at Palmyra, Wis., on the 20th destroyed the Stewart Hotel and several business houses. Loss, $70,000.

It is stated that the construction of a tunnel 25,200 feet long through Mount Kenia, which is near Georgetown, Col., will make a saving of over 200 miles in transcontinental travel. A company has been at work on the enterprise for four years, and nearly half a mile is completed. The company now propose to apply to Congress for $50,000 per 1,000 feet as fast as completed.

The Secretary of the Treasury has made another call for $10,000,000 three per cent. bonds. The following are the original numbers of the bonds. Fifty dollars, Nos. 442 to 501, both inclusive, and Nos. 1,408 to 1,311, both inclusive; $100, Nos. 3,841 to 4,892, both inclusive, and Nos. 9,477 to 9,472, both inclusive; $500, Nos. 1,758 to 2,138, both inclusive, and Nos. 3,880 to 3,881, both inclusive; $1,000, Nos. 13,472 to 15,014, both inclusive, and Nos. 22,676 to 22,864, both inclusive; $10,000, Nos. 22,754 to 23,829, both inclusive. Total, $10,000,000.

The coal miners of the fourth pool, Monongahela River, above Monongahela City, Pa., have resumed work, the operators agreeing to pay them the district price, three cents per bushel.

At a recent meeting of the New Orleans Cremation Society it was decided to erect a furnace similar to that in use in Milan. It is believed the City Council will direct the incineration of the pauper dead and all dying of contagious diseases, as soon as the society is ready to take the contract.

On the 21st in Mitchell County, N. C., three men named Horton, Miller and Burtickson, who were working in a mica mine, were killed by two revenue officers named Ray and Anderson.

Conductor Peck and three brakemen on the Troy & Boston road have been arrested for stealing freight.

A bill appropriating $30,000 to complete the monument to Washington's mother is to be introduced in the House.

At a meeting of the Washington Monumental Society on the 22d, the Board was elected. A stone was accepted for insertion from the King of Siam, and a committee of five appointed for the proper celebration of the completion of the monument the latter part of the present year.

The funerals of the victims of the West Leisenring mine explosion took place at Uniontown, Pa., on the 23d. The bodies were taken to Uniontown on a special train chartered by the company owning the shaft in which the accident occurred. Three were buried at Uniontown, six at Dunbar, eight at Connellsville, and two were sent to friends at a distance.

The body of Salmi Morse, author of the "Passion Play," was found floating in the East River, New York, on the 22d. Disappointment at the failure of his play led to the suicide.

A prize fight for $1,000 a side between James Murray and Thomas Henry at Brooklyn, N. Y., recently, ended by Henry winning in the fifth round.

Under the law of 1880 New York State collects $2,000,000 annually in taxes on corporations. The Assembly has voted to increase the amount to $3,000,000.

Adolph Boekler, a salesman and collector for H. D. Eggers & Co., millers, of St. Louis, recently acknowledged having stolen about $5,000 during the past two years. He has a wife and family.

Three survivors of the Dock Ada Barton, which was lost at sea recently off Newfoundland, state that they clung to the mast for five days and nights without food. When rescued they were casting lots to decide which of the three should be killed for food for the other two. Nine of the crew perished.

W. C. Farwell, aged twenty-nine, son of Ex-Governor Farwell, of Wisconsin, suicided by hanging at his home in San Francisco on the 21st.

The Sub-Treasurer at New York has addressed to the Clearing-House Association an inquiry as to the probable effect of the Government paying its balances in silver coin, in violation of the rule under which the sub-treasury was admitted to membership.

The greater portion of 46,000 claims for rebate on tobacco have reached the First Comptroller of the Treasury, where they will lie for two years unless an appropriation for additional clerks is made by Congress.

A number of hogs recently killed in the vicinity of LaSalle, Ill., were discovered to be infected with parasites.

The high insurance rates in St. Louis caused the hardware manufacturers to organize a mutual protection against fire. They contribute $50,000 in cash and gave notes for $2,000,000 with which to meet possible losses.

The explosion of a hundred pounds of dynamite near Omaha on the 21st instantly killed Thomas Burns and damaged a number of buildings in the vicinity.

The verdict of the Coroner's jury in the recent West Leisenring mine disaster is to the effect that the men were killed by an explosion of fire damp, due to the negligence of the coal company in not having the mine inspected as often as required by law; also that Augustus Steiner, mine inspector of that district, had been negligent of his duty in that he had never been in this mine prior to the explosion.

A fire at Jackson, Mich., on the morning of the 22d destroyed the Masonic Hall Block, N. H. Eckler's saloon block, and five frame buildings. Several lives are reported lost, and one body, that of Charles Cornell, a crippled soldier, was recovered. Four others were so badly injured in jumping from the windows that they will die. The loss is estimated at $175,000.

The examination of the parties charged with the murder of the Taylor family at Avondale, near Cincinnati recently, whose bodies were sold to the Ohio Medical College the same night of the murder, resulted in the holding of Ben Johnson and Allen Ingalls for murder in the first degree. Johnson had guilty, and Ingalls, after being taken to jail, confessed the whole story of the crime to Marshal Brown.

At Indian Head, Minn., on the 24th, the Indians took possession of the storehouses. They are defiant and said to be well armed, and serious trouble is feared.

George H. Fryer, a prominent Colorado miner, suicided at Denver on the 24th by taking an overdose of morphine.

The funeral services over the remains of Jerome Collins, the New York *Herald* correspondent on the Jeannette, were held in the Roman Cathedral in New York on the 23d, after which the remains were escorted to the steamer City of Chicago by the Sixty-ninth Regiment, the *Herald* Club and other societies and friends. They will be taken to Cork, Ireland, for burial.

In the second story of a house surrounded by water at Zanesville, O., there was found the dead body of a father surrounded by his thirteen motherless children.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church and school at Keshona, Wis., burned on the night of the 23d. Seventy pupils and six sisters escaped in their night-clothes, and there were a number of very narrow escapes.

The business failures reported for the week ended February 23d were: In the United States 206, Canada 34, total 240—a decrease of 32 as compared with the previous week.

At Portsmouth, O., one hundred and twenty dwellings were carried out into the Ohio by the floods, and five hundred more swept from their foundations and piled together in wreck and ruin.

W. B. Cash, while drunk at Cheraw, near Columbia, S. C., on the 23d, resisted Marshal Richards, who endeavored to arrest him. He finally overpowered the Marshal, beat him, and then left town. In a short time Cash again rode into town, and seeing Richards sitting on a dry goods box, fired three shots at him; the first shot went through the lungs of a bystander named Coward, mortally wounding him; the second penetrated the lungs of Richards, and he will die. Cash then made his escape.

Two coaches on the Denver-bound Colorado Central train were blown from the track in the vicinity of Georgetown on the 23d. Two ladies were slightly burned and several other passengers injured. Three years ago, in exactly the same locality, an entire train excepting the engine was capsized by the wind and wrecked.

A passenger train on the Hannibal & St. Joe Railroad, went through a bridge near New Cambria, Mo., on the 23d badly wrecking the entire train. A boy named Baldwin was killed, two persons dangerously and five seriously injured, and twenty others more or less bruised.

Thirty boys in the cotton factory at Blackstone, Mass., struck on the 22d on account of a reduction of wages from forty-five to thirty-eight cents per day. Their action caused the shutting down of the whole machinery, throwing five hundred operatives out of employment.

Six murderers were sent to the Ohio Penitentiary from Defiance County the last term of Court with an average sentence each of thirteen years.

Charles Kenzie, sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary for burglary and larceny from Defiance County, Ohio, has fallen heir to $15,000 worth of real estate in Waukesha, Wis., by the death of an uncle.

Following is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 23d: Loans decrease, $1,370,000; specie decrease, $452,600; legal tenders decrease, $237,000; deposits decrease, $2,164,000; circulation decrease, $173,000; reserve decrease, $249,000. The banks held $1,900,000 in excess of legal requirements.

A call has been issued for a National convention of wool growers of the United States to meet at Chicago on the 7th of May next in the general interest of that industry.

The Department of State have received a telegram from Eugene Schuyler, United States Minister to Greece, saying that the prohibition of the importation of pork from this country into Greece had been abolished.

At McKeesport, Pa., on the night of the 23d, while on his way home from work, James Lavid was attacked and beaten by highwaymen so badly that death will result.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The Democratic National Committee, at its meeting in Washington on the 22d, selected Chicago as the place and designated June 3 as the time for holding the National Convention. Three ballots were necessary to decide on the place for holding the convention the last one resulting: Chicago 21, St. Louis 17.

The Ways and Means Committee have practically agreed to recommend a bill extending for two years the bonded period for whisky.

Hons. Allen G. Thurman and James G. Blaine have been invited to make addresses at the annual meeting in Nashville of the Southern States Immigration Association.

The American residents of Berlin were entertained by Minister Sargent at a soiree and ball in celebration of Washington's birthday.

J. A. Dixon, aged ninety-four, a native of France, and a soldier under Napoleon at Waterloo, died at Dixon, Ill., on the 24th.

Colonel Thomas Worthington, of Ohio, a graduate of West Point, and a soldier of distinction in the Mexican and civil wars, died at Washington on the 23d.

G. Harris Heap, American Consul General to Constantinople, has been appointed a delegate to conduct the negotiations of America with Turkey regarding the new tariff.

The Senate Committee on Territories have agreed to report a bill providing for the admission as a State of that portion of Dakota south of the forty-sixth parallel.

Pedro Montaldo, Professor of Spanish at the Annapolis Naval Academy, was found dead on the 23d in the grounds of the Academy.

FOREIGN.

The Austrian Consul at Khartoum has forwarded to Mahdi £2,000 to secure the release of the Catholic missionaries.

Advices of the 20th from Shanghai report a revolt in Mongolia.

In the Landsdown Park hurdle race on the 23d, the grand prize was won by Connor's (formerly Lorrillard's) Sachem.

A bill granting $30,000,000 to the Canada Pacific Railway has passed the Canadian House of Commons.

The mail between Mexico and the United States has been suspended indefinitely, owing to a controversy between the two governments relative to the payment of carriers between Laredo and New Laredo. The sum in dispute is $162.

A fire at Charlottesville, Prince Edward's Island, on the 20th, destroyed the custom house, postoffice and all the business houses south of Queen's Square. Loss $250,000.

The garrison at Tokar surrendered to the rebels under Osman Digna on the 22d. Tokar is a small town about fifty miles from Sinkat and about the same distance from Suakim, on the Red Sea. The garrison numbered about 300, mostly Egyptian troops, under English officers, and were in a state of starvation. News of the capture caused great excitement in England.

At a meeting in Paris of the Suez Canal bondholders, representing 25,000 shares, it was unanimously resolved that the agreement made by De Lesseps with British shipowners was unacceptable.

LATER.

A terrific explosion occurred on the 3 o'clock train of the Vandalia Line at Staunton, Ill., throwing off a large portion of the train, including nearly all the passenger coaches, and doing extensive damage to the surrounding property. Several persons were seriously injured, but none fatally. Passenger trains had ceased running, or at least few persons were about the station. The explosion was undoubtedly dynamite.

The crevasse below the Mississippi Delta was reported to be 1,500 feet wide and five feet deep on the 25th and steadily increasing.

The funeral of the murdered negro family at Avondale, near Cincinnati, took place on the 25th in the Avondale church, and was attended by several hundred people, many of whom were colored. The exercises lasted two hours. Remarks were made by twelve colored and one white clergyman, all of whom advocated summary punishment of the murderers.

Mrs. Haight, charged with the murder of her husband, has been convicted of murder in the first degree at Morrisville, N. Y., and sentenced to be hanged on April 18.

While men were engaged in removing buildings that had been swept from their foundations at Powhatan, Belmont Co., O., on the 26th, the roof of a partly completed large building was almost up, and the structure fell, crushing four men beneath it. Two—Tell Can and Thomas Hornbrook—were fatally hurt, and the others seriously injured.

The remains of Assistant Surgeon Ambler, one of De Long's commanders in the Jeannette expedition, were buried at Markham, Va., on the 24th in the presence of a large number of naval officers and residents of Farquhar County.

Contrary to expectations, "Yellow Calf," the rebellious Indian Chief in the Northwestern Territory surrendered to the Canadian authorities on the 25th. Everything is now quiet and no further trouble apprehended.

Mr. Ransom offered a joint resolution in the Senate on the 25th appropriating $100,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the recent great wind storm in the Southern states. He stated that over five hundred people were killed and many thousands were injured and suffering from the awful storm; referred. The Senate then resumed its consideration of the currency bill and after some discussion and an amendment by Mr. Morrill the bill passed—yeas 43, nays 12. The Senate then went into executive session and adjourned. In the House Mr. Hiscock offered a resolution which was adopted, calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to what time the rebates on the tobacco tax will be paid to claimants, and if there is to be any delay, the causes thereof and what can be done to effect a more speedy payment. A joint resolution appropriating $40,000 for the distribution of seed among the sufferers from the Ohio floods was referred. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the pleuro-pneumonia bill and without action the committee rose and the House adjourned.

Bargains in Sewing Machines, Needles, Oil and Attachments at Brown's studio.

The old Prohibition Club of Tecumseh has been disbanded and a new club organized under the new Union Party of Michigan. This looks like business. If our citizens can only be induced to shut up these abominable saloons we care not by what instrumentality it may be accomplished. This they have a right to do under a recent decision of the Supreme Court of the State, by refusing to receive their bonds. We hope every temperance citizen will go to the caucus and [illegible] pledged to do this work.

MARRIED.

MINOR—FETTERLING.—At the Lilley House, Tecumseh, by Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, pastor of Presbyterian church, Jan. 22, 1884, Benjamin Reuben Minor to Lucy S. Fetterling.

BELAND—MARTIN.—On the 20th of Feb., by Rev. E. W. Borden, at the house of the bride's father, Mr. Frederick H. Beland and Miss Ida B. Martin, both of Macon.

HUNTER—McDANIEL.—On the 20th inst, at the Baptist parsonage in this village, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Mr. T. A. Hunter of Macon, and Miss Ida J. McDaniel, of Tecumseh.

RUSSELL—DOVE.—On the 20th inst, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Mr. Robert J. Russell, of Tecumseh, and Miss Emma Dove, of Raisin.

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Klaiber, Mr. John	Viele, Jno.
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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @ 80
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@ 3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @ 10
Cow Skins	25 @ 30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56 @ 57
Clover Seed	5 50 @ 6 00
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@ 22
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00 @ 7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @ 5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@ 15
Ham, ₩ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@ 10
Oats, ₩ bushel	28 @ 32
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @ 35
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 30
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@ 1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@ 10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	@ 1 00
Wheat Red, ₩ bushel	@ 1 00

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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS....	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
6 15	5 00	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar.	3 05	10 05	7 45
7 45	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	2 05	9 04	6 05
8 28	6 27	11 25	....Britton....	1 38	8 41	5 06
8 37	6 31	11 29	....Ridgeway....	1 33	8 36	4 57
8 56	6 41	11 38	....Tecumseh....	1 23	8 27	4 38
9 25	6 57	11 55	....Tipton....	1 06	8 11	4 08
9 50	7 10	12 09	....Cambridge....	12 50	7 58	3 42
		P. M.				
10 35	7 33	12 30	....Addison....	12 30	7 35	3 00
				P. M.		
11 06	7 50	12 54	....Jerome....	12 07	7 18	2 27
11 20	7 57	1 01	....Moscow....	11 56	7 11	2 13
11 45	8 07	1 12	....Hanover....	11 45	7 00	1 48
P. M.						
12 00	8 18	1 22	....Pulaski....	11 33	6 49	1 23
						P. M.
12 30	8 40	1 46	....Homer....	11 10	6 27	12 39
1 02	9 00	2 14	....Marshall....	10 39	5 58	11 26
2 05	9 22	2 28	....Ceresco....	10 25	5 45	11 02
2 50	9 40	2 50	....Battle Creek....	10 05	5 25	10 20
3 40		3 13	....Augusta....	9 37		9 35
4 52		3 22	....Yorkville....	9 27		9 08
4 59		3 28	....Richland....	9 19		8 55
5 22		4 14	....Monteith....	8 40		7 43
5 37		4 24	....Fisk....	8 20		7 23
5 51		4 31	....Kellogg....	8 05		7 12
6 15		4 45	At Allegan Lv	8 10		6 50
P. M.		P. M.		A. M.		A. M.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob G. Ryker, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February, 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
mar1 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 25th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of George W. Allen, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the funeral expenses and expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his account and for such other order as the condition of said estate may require, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. Burnes, Probate Register. mar1

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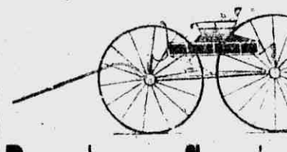

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BRITTON BUZZINGS.

Mrs. Ed. Rabeh quite ill.

Walter Eveby and Jennie Gibson were married on Tuesday of last week.

John Beasley is putting up a building in the third ward to be used as a cabinet shop.

Mr. Babcock's dramatic club gave a very enjoyable performance at Britton's hall on Tuesday evening, Feb. 20th, and another at the Chas. Kniffin school house on Monday evening of this week.

The cry of fire brought the villagers old and young from their comfortable quarters about 4 o'clock Thursday A. M., Feb. 28, when it was discovered that the store of Britton & Son was on fire, and beyond control, in fact it was impossible to get into the building at all, the fire having got under such headway. A strong n. w. wind was blowing at the time, carrying showers of coals over Mr. Britton's two barns and adjacent straw stacks, which were only saved by the light snow and ice which covered them, and the most careful watching. The weather was intensely cold. Pails of water carried to extinguish sparks around the barns soon became frozen up. The store building contained, besides a large stock of goods, the post office and U. S. Express office. The second story was fitted up for a G. A. R. lodge room. Nothing was saved from the building. Loss about $4,000, insured about $1,800. This seems to be an off year for Mr. Britton he having lost several head of valuable stock within the year.

We understand another store will be built on the site lately occupied by that of Britton & Son. It will be larger, with a good-sized hall above. Correct, gentlemen, that's the talk.

There is no better location in Southern Michigan for a hotel than right here. Scores of travelers changing cars and waiting for trains with no place to get a meal. Why don't some good live man put up a hotel. We also want a shoemaker; one with capital enough to build and stock a shop. A meat market would be another good investment. We think we spoke of the opening for a good physician in our communication a short time ago. We understand there is one coming. Good. Now we can't all get sick at once, but when we do.—Well, when we do!

The stave mill is going up rapidly at this writing. The roof is on and the building nearly enclosed. This year will probably see a good side track over in the vicinity of the mills.

The Ridgeway correspondent of the Toledo Telegram says there are several cars of stock waiting better facilities for shipping at that point. If we are not mistaken these same cars of stock were there two years ago waiting for a railroad to be built, and at this time next year they will be waiting for the cows to come up. Boys, wait, and while you are waiting just cast an eye this way and see us scratch.

The donation at the Christian church on the 21st ult., was a success, both socially and financially. Cash received between sixty and seventy dollars. The supper was fine.

Preparations are being made for at least four dwelling houses to go up as soon as the weather will permit.—Boom!

MACON MOLECULES.

Chas. Slaight closed his school in the Darling district Feb. 29.

The "Corners" school closes Saturday, March 8th. There will be two weeks' vacation. The present teachers will be retained for the spring term.

Ezra Betser has just removed from our hamlet. Sorry to lose him.

Mrs. Jesse Coller is spending a few days at Milan.

C. E. Triplet has just received an appointment as Notary Public.

It is rumored that the "Corners" is to have another store. "Let her boom!

Quarterly meeting at the M. E. church next Saturday and Sunday. Rev. Mr. Campbell, of Ridgeway, will preach Sunday morning.

The concert last Friday evening was good. Mr. Berdan, of Detroit, furnished some excellent music. Give us another.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

M. A. Ladd took in the wrestle at Detroit on Monday.

Daily mail after March 20th.

Chance for you to carry the mail between M. & O. railroad and Springville. Put in your bid.

Mrs. W. H. Smith and son were visiting relatives and looking over the remains of the Union Hotel block at Jackson last week.

One Mr. Oliver, a former neighbor of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jessup from New York city was their guest over Sunday last.

Last Monday morning on going to his barn Wm. White found one of his best horses loose, with a broken leg, and [illegible] with a bad cut on the [illegible] both from the effects of their [illegible] one another. C. A. Waldron, [illegible], was sent for, but he being sick was unable to attend to it, and Drs. Breese and Smith were then called and dressed the wounds as best they could, and left the animal with but little hope of recovery. As they were about to depart Wm. inquired as to the main artery in case he should think best to relieve the unfortunate beast of his suffering.

The Good Templars pass-word last Saturday evening was one dime, that being the price of admission to the show that they had given up the hall to for that evening.

NEWBURG NIBBLINGS.

Severe March weather.

Mr. Quirk's team indulged in a lively little runaway one day last week. No serious damage done.

Don't use so much of the saw mill wood at the grist mill, boys.

The old lumber slide at the saw mill had become weak and unsafe, but it is being repaired with a new one.

Mrs. Frank Marshall is on the sick list, also Mr. S. P. Sheldon.

Mr. and Mrs. Coryell have returned from their northern trip very much pleased.

Mr. L. J. Esslinger, the former proprietor of the Newburg mills has obtained a position in a flouring mill at Ypsilanti, and will soon move his family there.

Our farmers are securing their help for the coming summer.

Del Goodrich and N. C. Arnold have an auction Friday, March 7.

Mr. Ed. Bowen is still confined to the house. Ed has had a hard time this winter.

Mr. Ed. Smith is gathering together the materials for his new house on the section farm.

Miss Genie Church is giving very good satisfaction as teacher of the district school. We understand that she has been engaged for another term.

The Rev. Mr. Payne, of Clinton, is expected to preach at the school house Friday evening.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Mrs. G. W. McCollum is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Herbison, of Newburg.

Last weeks' "Flashes" mentioned the severe illness of Mrs. P. Mills. It should read Mrs. B. J. Wells. This was a mistake of the printer.

Clinton Baptist Sabbath School has donated fifty volumes to the Newburg S. S. library.

B. C. Knapp and his son George started last Monday for a three weeks' tour in Kansas.

Manager Bowen went to Detroit over M. & O. and Wabash last Monday.

F. C. Rector has bought the Romeyn farm.

Surprise parties have been quite common lately, but Henry Wilson gave a little surprise to a party of invited guests last Thursday evening that was a little out of the usual line. After the guests had all arrived, including the minister, at an appointed time the door opened from the hall, and the Rev. Mr. Hudson, accompanied by Mr. Rollin Austin, of Blissfield, and Miss Mary Gall, of Manchester, stepped in the room and were united in marriage. The surprise was complete and all joined in wishing much joy.

W. E. Cook, of Michigan Centre, is shaking hands with his friends in his old home in Newburg.

Abner Wilson will clerk for Keyser and Bowen at their sale next Tuesday.

We are glad to be able to report Uncle James Updyke and Solomon Mangus improving.

RIDGEWAY RATTLINGS.

Harry Smith, the tinsmith, has become a citizen also a freeholder, he having purchased the house and lot of D. W. Loree, west of Jackson's wagon shop.

W. P. Cadmus has bought the C. Snedicor blacksmith shop lot and will remove his shoe shop thereon in the early spring.

The literary entertainment of last Friday evening called out a very fair attendance and proved a financial success. The next meeting of the society will be held on Friday evening, March 14th. An unusually good program will be presented. The retiring president, Mr. A. E. Kalder, by his quiet demeanor, pleasing address and executive ability takes away with him the kind regards and good wishes of all the members of the society, and to him should be given credit for a large share of the present prosperity of the society.

MACON CENTER CUTS.

At the last regular meeting of Macon Grange, the following Officers were elected to fill vacancies

L.—Dr. Geo. Howell.
L. A. S.—Mrs. Lester Osgood.
G. K.—Mathew Yates.

The next open Grange will be held Friday, March 14th, with the following Program:

Song—By the Choir.
Prayer—By the Chaplain.
Inst. Music—Miss Nettie Boyer.
Recitation—Miss Emma Baley.
Song—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Select Read'g—Miss Susie M. Osgood.
Inst. Music—Miss Belle Barlow.
Essay—Mr. C. E. Triplet.
Address—Rev. E. W. Borden. Subject—Character Builders.
Question—"Which would be the most profitable to Farmer's, a Cheese Factory or Creamery?" John Boyd and Daniel Bailey. All are invited.

Mrs. Bristol from the State of N. J. will deliver one of her lectures at Grange Hall, Tuesday, March 18th, at 7 P. M. It will be remembered that Mrs. Bristol was billed for a lecture at the course last winter, but was prevented by the death of her husband. Mrs. Bristol is said to be a very fine lecturer. None should fail to hear her. Subject next week.

TILE AND DRAIN CONVENTION.

The Fourth Annual Meeting of the Michigan Tile, Brick and Drainage Association will be held at Workingmen's Hall, Adrian, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 11 and 12, 1884.

PROGRAM.

First session, Tuesday, March 11th, at 10 A. M.

1. Convention called to order by the Secretary.
2. Introductory Remarks. Statement of Purposes and Objects of the Convention, by C. H. Harris, of Jackson, Mich., President of the Convention.
3. Completing Roll of Membership.

Second session, March 11th, at 2 P. M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Reports of Secretary and Treasurer.
3. Election of Officers.
4. A Paper on "Farm Drainage and Construction of Drains," by Prof. R. C. Carpenter, of the Agricultural College, Lansing.
5. Discussion of the subject.

Third session, Tuesday eve., March 11th, at 7:30 P. M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Address of Welcome by Mayor Corbin of Adrian.
3. A Paper; Advantages of the Press in disseminating Knowledge of Farm and Sanitary Drainage, by J. J. W. Billingsley, of Indianapolis, Ind.
4. Discussion on the Subject.
5. Appointment of Committees.
6. Construction of Kilns and Arrangement of Drying Sheds, by Geo. S. Tiffany, Tecumseh.
7. Discussion on the Subject.
8. Opening of the Question Box

Fourth session, Wednesday, March 12th, at 9:30 A. M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Reports of Committees.
3. Paper; Sanitary Drainage, by Prof. Kedzie, of the Agricultural College, Lansing.
4. Discussion on the Subject.
5. Treatment of Clays, by J. C. McKenzie, of Adrian, Mich.
6. Discussion on the Subject.
7. Opening of the Question Box.

Fifth session, Weduesday, March 12th, 2 P. M.

1. Reading Minutes of Previous Session.
2. Consideration of unfinished Business.
3. Sewerage Illustrated by C. H. Harris, Jackson.
4. Reports from Farmers as to experience in laying drain tile, and whether underdraining farms pays, or not, in their opinion.
5. Road Drainage, by Andrew J. Ward, Flint, Mich.
6. Discussion on the subject.
7. Question Box.
8. Miscellaneous Business.

A cordial invitation is extended to all persons interested in the subject of tile drainage to be present at the sessions of this convention. All members receiving a program are requested to solicit its gratuitous publication in their local papers. Manufacturers should remember to bring samples of their wares. Preserve this program for use at the convention.

The Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific and L. S. & M. S. Railroads will furnish certificates to be signed by the Secretary, permitting delegates to return at one-third fare.

Members of the convention will have reduced rates at hotels in the city.

The following are the officers of the convention:

C. H. Harris, President, Jackson, M.
W. S. Comfort, Sec'y, Tecumseh, M.
W. E. Carleton, Treas. Canton, M.

Committee on Arrangements:
Burton Kent, Adrian.
J. C. McKensie, Adrian.
A. L. Brewer, Tecumseh.

Adrian Press: One can judge about how Lenawee county land is held by the sales that are occurring even in the towns farthest from the county seat. The Darling farm of Macon, of one hundred and forty-nine acres was lately sold for $9,500 to Abe Harrington.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 6, 1884.

LEAP-YEAR.

JOHN:—
Come, Sally, dear, it's getting late, and mother's wide awake;
She knows you're here, and therefore your departure you must take;
I've got to lock the door and then put out the parlor light;
Promise me, dear Sal, and you can come again some other night.

SAL:—
Oh, pshaw! dear John, it's early yet, I'm sure I need n't hurry;
It's scarcely half-past ten o'clock, your mother need not worry;
But if you want to go to bed then I'll no longer stay,
So, love, give me another kiss, and I will go away.

JOHN:—
Oh, Sal, please don't! Well, take it then, now go, oh, please make haste!
If mother should come down and see your arm around my waist
I think I'd faint; come, dearest, don't delay a moment more,
Put on your hat and shawl and I will see you to the door.

SAL:—
I think it's just too bad that I have got to go so soon;
Well, never mind I'll see you, love, to-morrow afternoon;
Ush—hush! I hear your mother coming down with footsteps light;
I'm off—just one; oh, my, how sweet! Well, Johnny, dear, good-night.

—*Somerville Journal.*

THE BABIROUSSA.

The babiroussa is an Indian hog, not a very pleasant sort of animal to look at, and an exceedingly disagreeable one to meet when it is not in the best humor. It has two pairs of tusks, those in the lower jaw being somewhat like a wild-boar's, but the pair which spring from the top of the upper jaw are very long, and curve inward, almost touching the skin of the forehead. The upper tusks do not spring from between the lips, but cut their way through the skin, and have the appearance of growing out of the upper part of the snout.

The animal usually grows to the ordinary size of wild hogs, but some have been killed that were as large as a donkey. It can run very fast, and is a most dangerous enemy when brought to bay. It is of a gray color, the skin hanging in folds or wrinkles about the body, which is covered very thinly with short bristles. The tail is nearly without hair, save at the end, where it forms a sort of tassel.

The female has the merest apologies for tusks, the bone hardly showing through the skin, and in many cases she can not even boast of that much.

These animals hardly ever have a regular home; they wander from one part of the forest to the other, but always in the wet, marshy portions, feeding on leaves, grass and water plants. They are remarkably good swimmers, and often cross large lakes rather than walk around them, and they never hesitate to take to the water when in flight. Swimming appears to be as much an instinct with the young babiroussas as with ducks, for they plunge boldly into the water as soon as they can walk.

If suddenly roused in its lair, instead of seeking safety in flight, the babiroussa rushes out upon its assailant with the utmost fury, and although its tusks are curved so nearly to the flesh, it can inflict most dangerous wounds. By the natives its flesh is considered a great delicacy, and all the more so because they rarely succeed in killing one save at the expense of several lives.

These hogs usually are found in herds of six or eight, and the males as well as the females care for the young, petting them in their swinish way as human parents do their offspring. Savage as they are, there is no more dangerous time to approach them than when the young are small. The females will gather around the young ones, while the males will rush out to give battle without waiting for an attack.

Funk, the naturalist of Cologne, tells of an encounter with a babiroussa which was related to him by a sea-Captain. Two sailors and three natives came suddenly upon a herd of five full-grown hogs and two young ones. The two females of the party immediately covered the young with their bodies, while the males dashed forward with such fury that all the party save one of the sailors, were overturned, and at the mercy of the savage brutes.

One of the natives was instantly killed, the lower tusks of the hog being driven through his eye into his brain. Another was fatally wounded, and not one of the party escaped serious injury. During the affray, which did not last many minutes, the hunters had had an opportunity to fire among the herd but once, and that without inflicting any injury. It was almost impossible for the party even to drag their wounded companions out of the reach of the infuriated beasts, and they did not succeed in doing so until after several more severe wounds had been inflicted by the hogs, which pursued them quite half a mile.

The traveler Brun, writing of the fortunate chance which gave him an opportunity of carefully examining the babiroussa, was much more successful. He says:

"I was once in a low, damp forest on one of the Malaccan islands, when one of my guides drew my attention to a noise as of the grunting of hogs but a short distance away. It was more of a low, whistling sound than a grunt, although now and then could be heard the squeal peculiar to the common hog when angry or frightened."

The guides were familiar with the sound, and without stopping to explain their course, or even to give any advice to the traveler in their charge, they started off at full speed, leaving the explorer with no weapon save a light gun, and no ammunition save the two charges it contained.

Brun knew from the stories he had heard from the natives that his guides had been frightened by the hogs, and he was all the more anxious to capture one because of their rareness.

"The noise, which at first seemed near by, was farther away than I had thought, for it was not until I had walked quite a mile and a half through the thick underbrush that I could distinguish any living thing. Then the gray forms of several hogs could be indistinctly seen through the foilage, and I determined to risk everything for the sake of bagging the largest of the herd."

Whether the hogs were startled by something other than the hunter, or whether it was because they were in no mood for fighting that day, can not be told, but certain it is that, contrary to their usual habits, instead of rushing upon the intruder, they ran swiftly past him to a brook near by, leaping in as if in the greatest excitement and fear.

"They certainly swam under the water at least forty yards, for from the time they plunged in I could see no more of them until they scrambled out, squealing and whistling, on the other side. My gun was loaded with large shot, and since, owing to the absence of my ammunition carrier, I had no bullets, I gave the largest of the party my compliments in the form of a charge of shot."

The animal was hit just behind the fore-leg, and tumbled over dead, while his companions, instead of continuing their flight, surrounded him as if to aid him in his trouble.

A second shot had the effect of dispersing them, and the brave hunter had the satisfaction of examing the prize at his leisure. It proved to be a full-grown hog, "weighing about one hundred and fifty pounds, while its thick, round body measured three feet in length, and two feet in height."—*Harper's Young People.*

The Louisiana Swamp.

There is a beauty, a charm, an enchanting serenity, and a delight in the Louisiana Swamp which the devotee to the city's flare and flush, the lover of rugged mountain fastnesses, or he who vaunts the graces of the unruffled prairie would scarce concede. Wild, level, gay as these, it is unlike them; yet none may say it is not beautiful, lovely, exquisite.

Far from the rattle and racket of the great city, leagues beyond craggy mountain range, remote from the wide stretch of prairie, and ignorant of the village church bell's sound, the Swamp's broad aisles and lengthy collonades invite the lover of Nature to feast.

There are gorgeousness and delicacy of coloring, grace and grandeur of form, intricacy and simplicity of texture and construction.

Walk under the over-spreading boughs of the forest centenarians, revel in the delicious fragrance of flowers without number, gaze, as you must, on their exhilarating hues and their soul-stirring completeness, and adore the Mighty One who formed and rejoices in them.

No fetid morass post among hills, not a mere splatch of liquid mud wherein ownerless swine befoul themselves, but broad as ever was prairie spread, seemingly dallying with the blue firmament above as its glorious foliage climbs aloft, abundant in leafy coverts and resounding with the sweet carolings of countless birds; this is the Louisiana swamp, the Venice of the wildwood.

There the gladdened botanist, wandering afoot or floating in his tiny pirogue, through waving iris, discovers flora so sturdy, so rank, he, for a moment, doubts its identity.

There the delighted hunter comes upon wader and diver, brings down snipe and plover, hopefully follows the agile water-rail, or sends his whistling rifle-ball skipping on the glassy water into the neck of wary mallard and teal. Pushing further into the inner labyrinths where large game hides, he slowly lifts his stealthy foot from the wad of grass he lends down for a moment's footing and slides it along to another, brushing through nodding cat tails, thrusting aside the rattling palmetto, and tearing away the heavy network of vines sturdily clinging him in their embrace.

Eye and ear alert, breath suppressed, rifle ready, heart bounding and limbs trembling, as he spies the crowning of the day's adventure, an elfish sunbeam dances on the polished muzzle-sight, there is a snap, a crack, a puff of blue smoke, a dash forward to firmer footing, and the prize is won!

As the million echoes scamper away amid the cries of startled birds, the hunter turns and gazes on flower and vine and lush, verdurous, rich, profuse, it seems that were the seedling ground for the gardens and forests of the universe.

He has been so eager in his search, so intent on the discovery and pursuit of his game, he has not seen, till now, the maze of sprawling, clambering, tumbling verdure everywhere around and over him. Violets cuddle on a lump of soil whence the water has retreated, while over them, like a protecting mother-bird, ferns spread their graceful wings. Just above, a mass of yellow jasmine holds a little knoll, waxen-white blossoms of magnolia-grandiflora peep in twixt their leathery leaves like roguish eyes between chubby fingers, and all around giant cypresses look down as upon a joy they cannot comprehend, while trumpet flower and passion flower climb up, up, up, to the coveted perch of the great outstretched arms where, nestling in the soft gray moss, they pour forth wordless jubilates of purple and scarlet glory.—*James B. Cobb, in The Current.*

Tax the Pistol.

While Congress is in session would it not be well, when imposing a heavy tax upon the manufacture and sale of tobacco, whisky, and other such articles, to include pistols with these evils and tax them out of existence? Neither the traffic in whisky, tobacco, or any other article entails half as much misery on the human family as is caused by the pistol. It is a curse to the human race as it is now vended. It furnishes more victims for the gallows than all the other evils combined. It entails more misery, suffering, woe, and disgrace upon the human family than any companion of the assassin, the murderer, the thief, and the coward—than any other known evil. It is the boon of highwaymen, whereas if it were not for the pistols we do not believe that one of these crimes would be committed where a hundred are now recorded. It ought to be legislated out of existence (except for the army) as the greatest curse known to civilization. There is not a single good word that can be said for it. Out of every thousand acts committed with a pistol there is not more than one good one—the rest are all evil. It would be a blessing to society, to civilization and to the whole human race if pistols had never been invented.—*Lancaster (S. C.) Ledger.*

Specialty in Farming.

The assistant in agricultural experiments in the Agricultural College at Ames, Ia., presents strong reasons why the farmers should commence to be "specialty" farmers; that is, each one should select one branch of agriculture, as wheat-raising or dairying or the breeding of one kind of stock, and bend his whole energies to its mastery in all of its details, instead of carrying on mixed husbandry that includes the raising of oats and corn and wheat and stock. He assumes that the average farmer of to-day spreads his energy over too many kinds of work to advance much in knowledge of any one. The subject of agriculture is yearly becoming broadened by science. The writer refers to workers in scientific matters, how hopeless would be the task of a scientific man who attempted to become a second Leonardo, the master of all the knowledge of his time. For a man now to accomplish anything of note in to the world in study, he must not only take one branch of study, but a single division of that branch. Thus in farming the man can accomplish most who limits himself to work in some one small part of his great profession. For instance, instead of investing five hundred dollars in cattle, five hundred dollars in horses and five hundred dollars in swine, let him put all of his capital into the business of breeding one class of stock. Let his reading be largely on the habits of this stock and its treatment and care by the most successful breeders, and let him attend all gatherings of like breeders, where he may hear interchange of experience in his chosen work.

No doubt this is very good advice if not carried too far. It is well, indeed, to have a large number of "specialty" farmers who will rapidly improve their departments of agriculture, and thus benefit all farmers. It will do very well for those farmers in good financial circumstances, if they have a taste for one kind of work, to devote to it their entire time. In most cases where there is intelligence and energy displayed, this "specialty" farming would prove more remunerative than general farming, and besides would tend more to increase the common stock of knowledge. But a very large majority of farmers are not financially able to make expenses in a special line of work, requires more than ordinary ability. They have not ready means, and could not afford, to have their little all on one bottom trusted. Variety is so limited by the weather, by disease and by insects, that a variety of crops and different kinds of stock seem to be necessary for most farmers, so that if one is lost by a frost or a pestiferous grub or insect, others will be left on which the family may exist.

To the average farmer then, whose bank account is not very large, this advice to give up all but one branch of agriculture is not good. He must continue to have his different crops, his cattle and his horses and his sheep, and babied, such a system is best for maintaining the soil's fertility, for the richest soil will become worthless by long continued use in the rearing of one plant. "Mixed husbandry" is essential to the best agriculture of which any country is capable, and it presents a problem of broad one, indeed, compared to the improvement of one breed of cattle that should be solved. It is the rotation of crops best calculated to sustain the productivity of the land, and the greatest amount of stock per acre that can be profitably kept on a farm.—*Kansas Farmer.*

Conservative Turkeys.

Turkeys share with geese the curious conservatism that prevents them taking new shapes to please poultry fanciers. The ordinary fowls never hesitate at any absurdity, and there is nothing a breeder could ask a pigeon that it would not do. But geese and turkeys refuse to become anything save what they were. They will grow as large as you please, for they like that. Feeding is agreeable to them. But they will not turn trumpeter or tumbler, nun or capuchin. It is no use trying to develop variations under domestication. They prefer to stay as they are, and politely but firmly decline to be anything else. This may seem, of course, a want of courtesy, or be construed into a lack of originality. But it is just as well after all in this world of change that something should remain as it always was. The geese on the Egyptian sculptures are one of the few representations that even the meanest capacity can comprehend. The turkey is one of the few birds that can be directly referred back to its primitive type. Wild or where this admirable fowl, so handsome in person and so excellent at the table, came within the sphere of poultry-yard history does not record, but its name in various languages betrays suggestions of such differing and such distant sources that it would seem as if from the first its origin had been a puzzle. Yet no one who has ever seen a turkey in a farm-yard could set eyes upon a wild one and fail to recognize it. The latter may be a trifle taller, and the coloring be, perhaps, less decided, but there is no possible room for doubt as to species. Yet, with an acquiescence in civilized tastes that can not be too highly commended, the tame birds has been careful to lose the coarseness of flavor of its wild congener, and with much consideration has exchanged the vulturine leg-bones of its primitive ancestor for delicate shanks, replacing muscle and sinew with flesh, and padding its breast with an amplitude of good meat. These changes act upon the bird precisely as broadcloth and boots act upon the savage caught fresh with all his paint and tattoo. They elevate his moral tone, and give him personal consequence. He moves about as one of importance, acquires the civilized sense of property, begins to possess and assert rights, inaugurates social conventionalities and etiquette. The better he is treated the better he becomes, more self-respectful and fatter.—*London Telegraph.*

The *American Agriculturist* truly says that in enumerating the crops of the country it should be borne in mind that the boys and girls are the most important. A failure in the grain crops may be remedied by succeeding harvests, but the future prosperity of the country depends on the character of the sons and daughters of the farmers.

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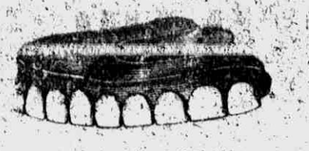

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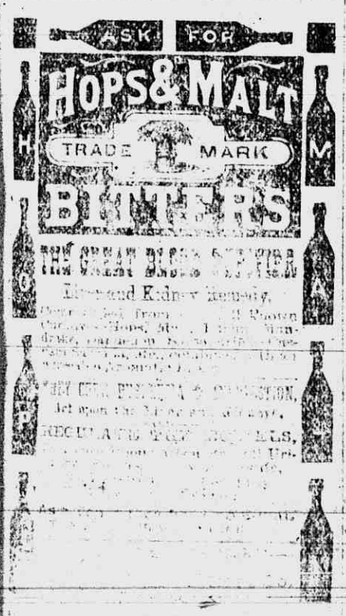

HALL'S CATARRH CURE

IS RECOMMENDED BY PHYSICIANS.

CURES
Catarrh of the Nasal Cavity—Chronic and Ulcerative; Catarrh of the Ear, Eye or Throat. It is taken INTERNALLY, and acts DIRECTLY upon the Blood and Mucous Surfaces of the System. It is the best Blood Purifier in the WORLD, and is warranted to do what is claimed for it, in TRIAL doses.

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MEDICINE HAS BEEN
IN THE MARKET
And we offer One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrh it will not cure.

WILL CURE ANY CASE.

Office of A. T. Stearns & Co.,
Chicago, Ill., June 3, 1882.
Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
Gentlemen—I take pleasure in saying to you that I have used Hall's Catarrh Cure in my family, and find it a valuable remedy. I was very bad—and down in bed for days—but your Catarrh Cure cured me. I was very bad—and down in bed for days—but your Catarrh Cure cured me. I can say that it will cure any case of Catarrh if taken properly.
Yours truly,
J. B. WEATHERFORD.

WORTH $10 A BOTTLE.

S. Murray, Jackson, Mich., writes: Have had Catarrh for 20 years. Hall's Catarrh Cure cured me. Consider it worth $10.00 a bottle.

Sold by all Druggists at 75 cts. per bottle. Manufactured and sold by F. J. CHENEY & CO., Sole Proprietors, TOLEDO, OHIO.

FITS A London, London, Physician established in Office in New York for the Cure of **EPILEPTIC FITS.** *From Am. Journal of Medicine.*

Dr. Ab. Meserole (late of London), who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years' standing successfully cured by him. He has published a work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his wonderful cure free to any sufferer who may send their express and P. O. Address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address

Dr. AB. MESEROLE, No. 96 John St., New York.

The Youth of Our Land.

There really ought to be some law against the sale of dime novels to young boys. Instances occur almost daily where the minds of young boys have become so distorted by reading trash that they are ready to slaughter their fellow beings in large quantities. A boy who reads about some avenger of the prairie who chops and splits his cord and a half of Indians regular every day, or some pirate whose scuppers run off enough blood every minute to make a hundred dollars worth of blood sausage, gets into an abnormal condition of mind and is wholly unfit for the solid work and low wages of real, every day life.

He begins to accumulate pistols, daggers, and other old junk, and longs to run a poniard into some false Spaniard, and twist it around, while he hisses through his set teeth some drivel that he has read in a novel. Such a boy will not hoe corn. Near Peru, in Illinois, the other day, a sheriff found a cave where a number of these boys, whose minds had become inflated, had established a sort of pirate's glen. The pirates were not at home, being away probably on an expedition to capture a dark-eyed Spanish beauty, or a bantam or shanghai beauty, and the sheriff entered the place and took an account of stock. All around were the sinister looking weapons of death, and the treasures and spoils of war, and among them were twelve bottles of lemon beer. This in itself ought to teach boy that there is no such thing as realizing what novels tell about. There never was a novel yet that told about the duke pacing back and forth with a clouded brow, in the elegant drawing room of his castle, and then going to the sideboard and draining a flagon of lemon beer. Not any. The duke always drains a flagon of fine old Rhenish wine, seven hundred years old, before he sets out to mutilate a couple of townships of people. A boy ought to see by this that if he is going to try and follow the duke's example he will have to use old Rhenish wine instead of lemon beer. And where would be the fun in slaughtering those two townships of people with a skin full of lemon beer or pop? It would be insipid. And not only that, but ridiculous. Suppose the duke should draw his rapier to run a person through the body, and just as he was about to say, "Die, villain," the gas from the lemon beer should come up in his nose. He would feel like a fool. A boy who reads a novel, and becomes all wrought up and excited, never thinks of this. Neither does he think who it is that writes the novel. If he could see the author of the novel—who is some poor devil in a New York garret, who has starved himself half to death for money to buy whisky, and who changes his quarters every month to save rent—he would be ashamed to be seen reading such stuff. The poor broken down scribbler who writes about the brilliant diamonds of inestimable value that flashed upon the bosom of the countess, is probably wearing a sheet of writing paper for a shirt front.—*Peck's*

The merits of ATHLOPHOROS as a specific for Rheumatic and Neuralgic affections have been proved over a range of territory as wide as our Continent. It never fails, no matter what the climate or atmospheric conditions. Here is a significant voice from the Northwest. Mr. John S. Helwick writes from Berrien Springs, Mich., to say: "ATHLOPHOROS is doing my wife, a sufferer from severe Rheumatism, a great deal of good, more good than any other medicine she has ever taken."

"Men invite the devil in at every door and then prate about the garden of Eden and the fall of man."

"A patient and humble temper gathers blessings that are marred by the peevish and overlooked by the aspiring."

"Excess in apparel is another costly folly. The very trimming of the vain world would clothe all the naked ones."

A man has not time to subdue his passions, establish his soul in virtue, and come up to the perfection of his nature, before he is hurried off the stage.—[Addison.

Some men dare much, but it is because they are in their place. As long as I am in my place I am safe. The best lightning rod for your own protection is your own backbone.—[Emerson.

Obey the spur of the moment. There accumulated it is that makes the impulse and impetus of the life of genius. They are the spontaneities and rotulets by which the tank is fed. If you neglect the moment, if you cut off your fibrous roots—[illegible] languishing life is to be expected.

The philosopher should be a man who [illegible] himself. He should be [illegible] in appearances, have no [illegible] habits, be of no school and no [illegible] live no master. He should be [illegible] respecter of persons. Let of this [illegible] should be his primary object. If [illegible] qualities he add industry, he may [illegible] up to work within the veil of the temple of nature.—[Carlyle.

I caught a severe cold, and remembering you told me to use "Dowitt's Elixir," I bought a bottle and in more than three days my cough and sore throat were vanished! It's such a [illegible].
PUBLISHER.

New Market, N. H., Advertiser.

Please send me six bottles Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters. Never used a medicine that did me so much good as this.
IRA TAYLOR, Holland, Mich.

Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment is the best family liniment made.

Chateau of Dolcoqua, Bessin the Lakes Side of the Adriatic sea, a quaint old place. Some time Naples, midway between each is called in ancient quarter of the earth [illegible] Around 5000 people live in it, and are the whole description of the most formidable band of pirates that ever existed. It is very old town. Built and sixty-seven years before Christ the city surrendered to the Romans and received exemption from taxation, and its freedom. From 1500 to 1800 the pirates held full sway, and in 1718 a great battle was fought there.

Something for all the Preachers

Rev. R. H. Farrell, D.D., editor of the Iowa Methodist, says editorially, in the November 1883 number of his paper: "We have tested the merits of Ely's Cream Balm, and believe that, by a thorough course of treatment, it will cure nine of every case of catarrh. Ministers, as a class, are afflicted with head and throat troubles, and catarrh seems more prevalent than ever. We cannot recommend Ely's Cream Balm too highly." Not a liquid nor a snuff. Applied to nostrils with the finger.

What Has It Done for You?

The sceptical Mr. Bradlaugh was once lecturing in a village in the north of England, and at the close challenged discussion. Who should accept the challange but an old bent woman, in the most antiquated attire, who went up to the lecturer and said: "Sir, I have a question to put to you." "Well, my good woman, what is it?" "Ten years ago," she said, "I was left a widow, with eight children unprovided for, and nothing to call my own but this Bible. By its direction, and looking up to God for strength, I have been enabled to feed myself and family. I am now tottering to the grave; but I am perfectly happy, because I look forward to a life of immortality with Jesus in heaven. That's what my religion has done for me. What has your way of thinking done for you?" "Well, my good lady," stammered the lecturer, "I don't want to disturb your comfort;" but—"Oh! that's not the question," interposed the woman; "keep to the point, sir. What has your way of thinking done for you?" The infidel endeavored to shirk the matter again, the feeling of the meeting gave vent in uproarious applause, and Mr. Bradlaugh had to go away discomfitted by an old woman.—*The Lutheran.*

A GOOD INVESEMENT.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the window and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The Commercial Bulletin remarks that the American nose can now be wiped with an American made silk handkerchief, but no American nose can be wiped with a domestic linen handkerchief; and moreover, no American heart beats beneath a domestic linen bosom. Let linen be a little better protected and linens would be sold cheaper in price and better in quality than the imported linens at the present time." Not a yard of linen is made in the United States! And yet no country is better adapted to flax raising or manufacturing!

Many whose blood had become poisoned from various causes, and whose ill health was indicated by pimples, sore feelings, aches, pains, urinary sediments, catarrh and inflammation of the mucous membrane, constipation, dyspepsia, bad dreams, nervousness, sleeplessness, etc., have been restored to perfect health by using Dr. Guysott' Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It is the only true blood purifier and strengthener of mind and body. No other remedy equals it.

During a political campaign in Michigan a well-known lawyer was addressing an audience composed principally of farmers in Gratiot county, in order to win their confidence, he said: "My friends, my sympathies have always been with the tillers of the soil. My father was a practical farmer, and so was my grandfather before him. I was myself reared on a farm, and was, so to speak, born between two stalks of corn." Here the speaker was rudely interrupted by some one in the audience, who exclaimed: "A pumpkin, by jingo!"

A complete cure for that debilitating drain that indicates a weakness of the urinary organs, nasal catarrh and other evidences of a deceased mucous membrane can be found in the use of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. Don't be frightened by the advertisements of quack doctors. This remedy will purify the blood, strengthen the parts affected, heal all irritation of the mucous membrane, and remove every symptom of the disorders. It is a sure cure for nervous debility and general ill health.

POSTAGE STAMPS.—There are about six thousand different descriptions of postage stamps in existence. The museum of the Berlin Post Office alone contains between four and five thousand specimens, of which half are from Europe, and the remainder divided between Asia, Africa, America and Australia. What country carries off the palm for absurdity and grotesqueness of artistic design and inferiority of execution we are not told, but if the collection is faithfully representative the variety of ugliness must be considerable. Some of the stamps, it appears, bear coats of arms and other emblems, impartially borrowed from the heavens above, the earth beneath, and the waters under the earth—stars, earthquakes, horses, serpents, railway trains, elephants and other "fearful wildfowl." There are, moreover, the effigies of five emperors, eighteen kings, three queens, one grand duke, several inferior titled rulers, and many presidents. In so many countries and nationalities some really attractive specimens must have been elaborated.

One Suffering Soul Happy.

"I can send one suffering soul to you." Writes James Corbin, of Washington, Ill., "I will be happy. Samaritan Nervine cured me, and will cure all cases of fits." $1,50.

I remarked to an old farmer back in the country, whom I had not seen for several years, and whose farm, in the incantime, had improved wonderfully, that his place was so changed I hardly knew it. "Yes," said he, "I've been fixin' up a little. The old woman pestered me to death about the garden, and so I slicked it up a little, and fixed about the house, and it looked so nice I went at the farm fences and the brush, and saved more manure, and kept killing the weeds, and the crops got better, and so I kept going on, and things do look pretty good now. Wife takes a paper, and I take one, and I get time to read it too, and I used to think that I hadn't time for anything." And so he ran on, seemingly much pleased with what he had done, and his life and his home without doubt the happier for it. Examples of a like kind may be found all over the country.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is unlike any similar remedy as it is taken internally. For sale by all druggists at 75c bottle.

A GATE WITHOUT HINGES.—A subscriber in Pennsylvania sends a description of a gate which is without hinges. It turns upon a pin or French round iron, fixed in a block of wood or a stone, under the heel post, and a pin bent to a proper shape, fitted in the top of the heel post. This method of hanging a gate is cheap, simple, and more secure than to use hinges.

Camillus, Onondaga Co., N. Y.
Jan. 10, 1883.

Rheumatic Syrup Co:

Gents—I feel it my duty to recommend your wonderful medicine—Rheumatic Syrup"—to all who are suffering with rheumatism, neuralgia or kidney difficulty.

I have been a great sufferer with rheumatism, caused by kidney difficulty, and have been treated by our best physicians, but they failed to reach my case or benefit me in the least.

I saw in the Auburn papers the names of a number who had been permanently cured by the use of Rheumatic Syrup, and, being acquainted with many of them, I was induced to try it, and to my surprise I found that all pain ceased before I had finished the second bottle. I continued its use for a time, and to-day I am well as ever and feel no more pain or trouble with my kidneys. It has been several months since I discontinued its use, so I know it is a permanent cure in my case.

I can testify that Rheumatic Syrup will do all you claim for it. I am yours truly,

MRS. HATTIE PADDOCK.

Indian Names in Wisconsin.

Our readers are aware that most of the names of places in this vicinity are derived from the Indian tongue, some of them having been altered somewhat for the sake of euphony, as, for instance, Peshtigo for Pe-shet-i-go. We interviewed our old friend Captain Powell, the other day, who is well along in years, and was born here, and is almost as familiar with the Indian language as the Indians themselves, and he gave us the following as the significations of some of the names of the places in this vicinity:

Suamico—The yellow sand.
Oconto—The place of the pickerel.
Pensaukee—The place of the brants.
Peshtigo—Snapping turtle.
Menominee—Wild rice.
Menekaune—The place where the lodges are; literally, the village.
Escanaba—A flat rock.
Manitowoc—The dwelling of the spirit.
Kewaunee—The name of a kind of duck.

Thus it will be seen that the Indians named places after some peculiarity of the location; or, as in the case of Manitowoc, after some superstition. Most of the American names are utterly meaningless, as applied to the locality, and we like the Indian plan the best.

Take for instance, Appleton, Seymour, New London, Preble, etc., which mean no idea whatever. Bellevue is better, but it is French, and is duplicated in other languages, as, for instance, Bucna Vista, in Spanish. Fond du Lac is good and conveys an idea.

Oshkosh perpetuates the name of an Indian chief, and Marinette that of an Indian woman, and both are very good.—*Green Bay Advocate.*

Thousands Say so.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best med'cine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Canning Fruit.

In canning fruit it is wise to use a good deal of sugar. Plain canned fruit is apt to turn, and does not retain its flavor so when made a little rich. If our housekeepers would take as much pains in making preserves as the French do, they would find themselves amply rewarded when in the winter, they turn out the beautiful clear fruit, always in perfect shape. To preserve fruit in the French method it is necessary to make a clear syrup first, which can be done by melting two pounds of the best sugar with a pint of water, using a white porcelain kettle, and the slightly beaten white of one egg before the syrup becomes hot; let it boil, and skim it until no scum ceases to appear. Then put in the fully selected fruit, a few at a time, opening carefully that they do not break, and removing one at a time as soon as they become clear. When these are put in jars and the syrup poured over them, fruit will make glad the most [illegible]

Silver Creek, N. Y., Feb. [illegible], 1883.

Gents—I have been very low, and have tried everything to no avail. My stomach was so bad I could not digest food enough to keep me alive. I commenced to use your Hop Bitters, and now am able to do my work, and I can't say your Hop Bitters too much for me. I commenced with a little, I did, and now am around, and constantly improving, and am nearly as strong as ever.
W. H. Weiler.

It is said by a well known Illinois editor that "The average western farmer toils hard early and late, often depriving himself of needed rest and sleep—for what? To raise corn. For what? To feed hogs. For what? To get money with which to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To buy more land. And what does he want with more land? Why, he wishes to raise more corn to feed more hogs to buy more land to raise more corn to feed more hogs—and in this circle he moves, until the Almighty stops this foolish proceeding."

Fun is Far Better than Physic.

Fun is excellent; a hearty laugh is known the whole world over to be a health promoter; but fun does not fill the bill when a man needs physic, on the other hand people take too much physic. They would be more healthy, live longer and enjoy life thoroughly if they used Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which cures all blood disorders, indigestion, kidney and liver troubles, removes pimples, and is a perfect tonic. Can be taken by the most delicate. Only 50c a bottle, of Baker & Hall.

A bowl of good pea soup is as satisfying as a hearty dinner on a cold day. To make a gallon of it, wash a pint of peas and soak them over night; then boil in five pints of water, gently simmering three hours or so, until thoroughly soft. With a potato-masher rub the soup through a colander or wire sieve. A pound of beef or ham bone may be boiled with the peas. The soup may be seasoned in various ways—with onions, cloves, pepper, etc.

There is nothing to equal Ayer's sarsaparilla for purifying the blood, and as a spring medicine.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the store of L. W. Freese, Clinton on July 14th, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and that six months from the 14th day of January, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Feb. 6, 1884.

EDWIN W. FREESE,
JOSEPH S. KIES,
Commissioners.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

ESTATE of LeRoy Mead, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the Probate Court of Lenawee County, Michigan, made on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1884, empowering and licensing me thereto, I, as the administrator of the estate of LeRoy Mead, deceased, will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on the first day of March, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Macon, in said county, all the interest, title, and estate, of which said deceased died seized in that parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and described as the east half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town five, south of range five east; containing forty acres, more or less, subject to the dower of Josephus Mead, widow of deceased therein. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated January 9th, 1884.

CYRUS MEAD,
jan10 Administrator.

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THOS. KYLES SHOP,

Sign of the big [illegible]

All work warranted to be [illegible]

NOTICE.

J. A. MUNGER

Has bought Mr. Schieber's interest in the firm of

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IN THE HARNESS BUSINESS

And would be pleased to see all his old friends at the store of P. B. SWICK where will always be found a full line of

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FERRY'S SEED ANNUAL FOR 1884

Will be mailed FREE to all applicants and to customers of last year without ordering it. It contains illustrations, prices, descriptions and directions for planting all Vegetable and Flower Seeds, Plants, etc. "Invaluable to all."

D. M. FERRY & CO. DETROIT, Mich.

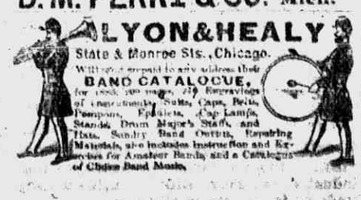

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, viz: All that part of the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-six (26) lying north of the center of the Barter ditch (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp ditch (so called). All in township six (6) south of range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D., 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS,
Jan24 Assignee.

ESTATE OF ISAAC ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Fisher, one of the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that said executors have paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and all legacies bequeathed in and by said will, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their first account and for such further order as may be necessary to the proper administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Burgess, Probate Register. jan24

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, First Judicial Circuit in Chancery, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Cappie A. Wyand, complainant, vs. John M. Wyand, defendant.

Before Hon. Andrew Howell, Circuit Judge of said circuit. At the city of Adrian, in said county, this 2d day of January, A. D. 1884. It satisfactorily appearing to the Court by affidavit on file, that the defendant, John M. Wyand, resides in the state of Illinois.

On motion of Frank R. Payne, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that said defendant appear in this cause within four months from the date of this order, or in default thereof, that the bill of complaint in this cause be taken as confessed by him.

It is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper published in said county, for six successive weeks, once in each week, or that a copy of this order be personally served on said defendant, at least twenty days before the time herein fixed for his appearance.

ANDREW HOWELL,
Circuit Judge.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Complainant's Solicitor. jan10

ESTATE OF REUBEN H. SHURTZ.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Joseph Harning, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the creditors of said deceased, or other persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of George W. Allen, [illegible] the last will and testament of said deceased, [illegible] the funeral expenses and the expenses of administration of said estate and for other [illegible] of said estate [illegible]

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 24th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Burgess, Probate Register. mar1

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Notrose, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Notrose, late of Tecumseh in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob O. Roberts, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 20th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 10th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
mar1 Commissioners.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 6, 1884.

THE CROUCH TRAGEDY.

Detectives from Pinkerton's Agency have been at work upon the Crouch mystery for the past few days, and on Saturday last, Judd Crouch and Dan Holcomb were arrested charged with the murders. We gather a few items from the Jackson Patriot showing the present situation of affairs:

By permission of the sheriff a Patriot reporter interviewed both Mr. Holcomb and Judd in the prison. He was first conducted by Turnkey Evans to the apartment of Mr. Holcomb who occupied a grated room on the second story. He appeared quite at ease, and his manner was marked by an air of patience and hopefulness. In answer to a question as to what he thought would be the result of the examination on Friday next, he replied, "I have no fears." Mr. Holcomb then stated in reply to different questions in substance about as follows: "I have expected this for some time. I do not blame the officers. In fact I don't see how they could have done otherwise. The press, as a rule, and public sentiment have tried, judged and condemned. Since I have been here I have come to consider my arrest as probably the best thing that could have happened to me. It will serve to bring tangibly forward every jot of evidence that can be adduced and will give me an opportunity of either explaining or refuting it. Of course I feel my position. It is very embarrassing, but my chief grief is for my daughter. In regard to bloody clothes stated to have been found, that is a matter that can easily be explained, they were the property of the late James Foy and were worn by him when killing pigs last fall. The letters, papers, bonds, mortgages, etc., they are welcome to examine. The 39-caliber revolver is the one that I have already acknowledged as mine and stated under oath at the Foy inquest that I had purchased it at Fuller, Barnard & Smith's.

"Mr. Holcomb, who do you think did the killing on the night of November 21, 1883?"

"That I do not know, but I have always thought and still think, that the woman Reese knows more than she has ever divulged, for was it not proven that just before the storm came on she was up and closed her window; and it was very shortly after that the Negro Bolles heard the shots."

"Have you any statement to make that you would wish made public?"

"I have none. I only say that I am glad that the arrest has taken place and I court investigation."

By the kindness of Mr. Evans the reporter was allowed to see Judd in the office of the jail. He was as cool and collected as usual and said, "though this affair is a terrible one, yet I feel more for pa (meaning Mr. Holcomb) than for myself, as I can stand it better, and feel more for Edith than either of us, she never had a care in the world until the murder, and since then blow has followed blow in quick succession. The rumor is said to be going around that a diary of mine has been found in which, under date of Nov. 21, '83 I had written that I had killed Polley. The fact of the matter is I never kept a diary in my life. I telegraphed on Saturday night to my brother Captain Crouch and to-day I learn that the telegram has been received at the ranch in Texas. I know that he will come as quickly as steam will bring him. He was to have been here anyway about the middle of next month. I have no fear of the result and don't think this affair will go any further than the examination on Friday next. I said on the morning after the murder that the deed was done by some one who had followed Polley and I have never since had reason to change my opinion. I did not expect this arrest and was considerably taken by surprise, but a time like this is not for repining, but for a man to keep his courage to the sticking point. You can say to the public through the Patriot that I am in good health and spirits and will fight this thing thro." It was incidentally mentioned that a lady had nearly been accidentally shot and Judd laughingly called on turnkey Evans to certify that he was in jail at the time and consequently did'nt do the shooting.

Portraits of three healthy, happy children, adorn the colored lithographic title-page of "Hood's Latest," a handsome little eight page periodical, published by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass., proprietors of the successful medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. It also gives an abundance of humorous and other reading matter. Copies free at drug stores, or by addressing the publishers.

Adrian Times: Andrew J. Marvin has purchased a half interest in the old Morenci woolen mills building, and as yet, the good people of the village have been unable to fathom his purpose in doing so. "Andy" has a head, and did it ever occur to them that he is in the milling business himself in that section, and don't want a roller mill put into the newly purchased building until he is able to do it himself?

OFFICIAL APPEAL.

Action of the Philadelphia Bar on the Judicial Robe Question.

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.—The stated meeting of the Philadelphia Law Association at the Law Library yesterday afternoon took the expected action which is likely to result in the Justices of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania wearing robes when on the bench. The association met at 3:20 p. m., the attendance numbering about twenty members of the bar. Chancellor George W. Biddle occupied the chair. Hon. Richard Vaux offered the following:

"WHEREAS, The judicial ermine, or robes of office have always been identified with the administration of justice, since courts were instituted to protect the liberties, rights and properties of the people; and

WHEREAS, The highest judicial tribunal of the United States has maintained the use of these judicial robes as proper insignia of the judicial presence; therefore

Resolved, That the Law Association of Philadelphia respectfully suggest to the honorable the Justices of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, that it would be eminently proper for them to adopt judicial robes, and that they be requested to wear them during the sessions of the court.

There was no discussion of the resolution, those present seeming to assent at once to its propriety, and it was referred to a committee to report at the next meeting. Every member of the bar who was asked declared himself in favor of robing the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

A Disastrous Fire.

UTICA, N. Y., March 3.—The fire that was discovered yesterday morning at an early hour in the new shoe manufactory of H. J. Holbrook & Co., Catherine street, proved the most destructive in the history of Utica. The Holbrook building, M. B. Delong's furniture house, and James Rockwell's clothing house, on Catharine Street; M. C. & E. D. Comstock's large storehouse on the Erie Canal, the Utica City National Bank, Newell & Sons, paper and glass dealers, the Utica *Observer* building and office, Comstock Brothers' wholesale house, C. H. Sayers' hardware store, and Edward Martin's gas fitting and plumbing store, from No. 109 to No. 123 inclusive, on Genesee street, were totally destroyed, with most of their contents. The Utica *Observer* saved its files and but little else. The weather was intensely cold. Assistance was rendered by the fire departments of Little Falls, Rome, and Whitestown. The flames caught in the First National Bank building across Catherine street, and in the cornices on the west side of Genesee street, but were extinguished with small loss. Buckley & Co. and H. Barnard & Son, whose stores extend through from Genesee to Catherine street, were damaged by water. J. S. & M. Peckham, stoves and nica, adjoining Delong's building, was damaged somewhat, but was insured.

Brutal Prize Fight.

TORONTO, Ont., March 4.—A brutal boxing match took place here Friday night between Bittle and Kerman. Eight rounds were fought, at the end of which Bittle drew blood from his adversary's face, which blinded him for a time. The referee called time, but could not make himself heard, and Bittle struck Kerman again, and knocked him off the stage. Kerman's friends threw him in the ring again, and Bittle knocked him into a chair and was about to hit him again when the referee interfered. Both the men were thoroughly exhausted and badly cut up. A mob rushed upon the stage and threatened the referee when he spoke of reserving his decision. He then announced it, giving fifty-three points to Keenan and forty-two to Bittle.

Arranging for the National Colored Convention.

PITTSBURGH, March 4.—Rev. C. S. Smith, of Bloomington, Illinois, Chairman of the Colored State Central Committee of that State, arrived here to complete arrangements for the National Colored Convention to be held here in April. Rev. Smith says the convention will be in session several days and a secret session will adopt an address demanding recognition from the people and better protection for the colored race in the South. The address will be issued purposely before the two National conventions, and colored people will wait to see what is done. About two hundred and fifty delegates will be present.

Midget and Musician Mated.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 4.—Miss Lillie Sanville, of Grand Rapids, Mich., a midget, who has been on exhibition at a museum in this city, was married Sunday to Courtney Savage, a musician of McConnellsville, O. The little lady is well known among the show people of the country. She is twenty-three years old and weighs fifty-five pounds.

Shot His Father.

RICHMONT, March 4.—Moses M. Ellick, a dry goods merchant, was fatally shot yesterday morning by his son Moses, who fired four shots at his father, two taking effect in the back. He was arrested while in the act of shooting. Ill treatment of his mother and other domestic troubles is the alleged cause of the tragedy.

Three Men Killed by an Explosion.

WILKESBARRE, PA., March 4.—The boilers in the California Saw Mill at Bear Creek exploded yesterday morning, demolishing the building and killing Rudolph Sipler, Whitney Whitebread and Jesse Kneecht. The bodies were blown several hundred feet. Loss $2,000.

Mexican Tariff on American Corn.

LAREDO, March 4.—Many heavy shipments of corn have recently been made from Laredo to the interior of Mexico. Yesterday an official notice was received that the City of Saltillo had imposed a tax of sixteen cents per bushel on all American corn imported into that city.

Big Strike in the Sunday Creek Valley.

COLUMBUS, March 4.—The drivers in all the mines on the Ohio Central road in Sunday Creek Valley have struck against a reduction from $2 to $1.75 per day and over 1,000 miners are out in consequence and will support the drivers.

Contractor Hall in Canada.

TORONTO, March 4.—B. W. Hall, the Chicago contractor, who skipped from there with $3,000 due his employes, is here and defies the United States authorities to extradite him.

Canadian Oil Refiners Want Protection.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 4.—The Canadian oil refiners are requesting the Minister of Finance to grant further protection to that industry or they will be unable to keep trade up to its present standing.

GONE WRONG.

A Prominent Business of Buffalo Becomes a Defaulter.

BUFFALO, March 4.—There is considerable excitement in commercial and social circles over the reported defalcation of a hitherto honored citizen, one who had, until the writing of this, held the confidence and esteem of the public. The man referred to is John W. Hawkins, United States inspector of Lumber, and confidential secretary of Nelson Holland, an extensive lumber dealer. Mr. Hawkins is accused of being a defaulter to the extent of $50,000. The exact amount is not known. The government accounts are supposed to be all right, although no investigation has been made. Mr. Hawkins is lying ill at his home on West Huron Street. The matter has been kept a profound secret up to the present time, mainly on account of the sympathy of his family. Upon investigation by a reporter this afternoon, it was ascertained that Mr. Hawkins has held the place of confidential clerk and private secretary of Mr. Holland for eighteen or nineteen years. He had been implicitly trusted by his employer, who valued him highly. It was in the handling of private financial accounts that the opportunities for theft occurred. It was comparatively easy for a clever accountant to cover up his tracks. Speculation in bucket shops was the first step, it is said, on Hawkin's road to ruin. He lost, and sought to recover, and was sometimes successful. He invested in real estate in order to be able to make good the deficiency. He moved in good society, became a prominent member of one of our city churches, and was looked upon as a highly prosperous citizen. His wife is an estimable lady, and his daughter is a charming girl of fourteen. The blow is a terrible one for those ladies, and for a sister of Mr. Hawkins, who is a teacher in the public school. Mr. Holland will not prosecute Hawkins, but will seek to recover something from the real estate and other securities which Hawkins held when the discovery was made a day or two ago.

The Texas Pacific Trouble.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The Senate Committee on Public Lands decided by nearly a unanimous vote in favor of the forfeiture of the Texas Pacific territorial land grant assigned to the Southern Pacific Railway Company. A motion was then made to restore the land to the public domain, and pending action the committee adjourned.

To restore the lands immediately to the public domain without other action than is provided for in the House bill would in the opinion of some members of the committee leave the lands subject to appropriation under the existing laws for speculative purposes. It is proposed to consider and perhaps amend certain features of the House bill so as to make sure that the lands will be available for no other purpose than actual settlement. A special meeting will probably be called within a day or two to dispose of the matter.

Fires in February.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The *Daily Commercial Bulletin* publishes the usual monthly fire record, showing that in February there were 181 fires, where the loss was between $10,000 and $200,000, with one other fire of $500,000. Adding the January fire loss this makes, for the two months, $19,000,000, the loss in January being $12,000,000, and that of February $7,000,000. There were only eight fires in February, where the loss reached, or exceeded $100,000; but there were twenty-six destructive fires which ranged between $50,000 and $100,000.

Anthony Comstock After Frank Tousey.

NEW YORK, March 4.—Frank Tousey, publisher, was arrested last night on a warrant issued by Justice Duffy on complaint of Anthony Comstock, on the charge that he had violated the law in reprinting the book entitled "Memories of George IV.," which, it was claimed, was injurious to the morals of the community. His bail was fixed at $500, and he was released. Sinclair Tousey, of the American News Company, the young man's uncle, became his bondsman.

Important Legal Tender Decision.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—A decision was rendered by the Supreme Court of the United States yesterday afternoon in the long-pending legal tender case of Jaillard vs. Greenman. The Court holds that the legal tender act of March 31, 1878, is valid and constitutional, and that the Treasury notes reissued under it are good and legal tender in payment of all debts. The opinion was by Justice Gray, Justice Field dissenting.

Muldoon Wins.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—The Muldoon-Bauer Graeco-Roman wrestling match was held last evening at Mechanics' Pavilion for $500 a side. Bauer won the first fall in eighteen minutes, Muldoon the second in five minutes and twenty seconds. The third was won by Muldoon in twelve minutes and ten seconds. Both were trained to 185 pounds. A match was arranged between Whistler and Muldoon for $1,000 a side.

After Seven Years' Idleness.

BOSTON, March 4.—After seven years' idleness, the larger furnace of the South Boston Iron Works was lighted up Saturday for casting a 12-inch rifle mortar for the United Stater Ordnance Department. This will be the first of a lot of five heavy experimental guns authorized by the last Congress.

Bouncing the Chinese.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—The white manufacturers have locked out 3,500 Chinese cigarmakers and proposed to substitute 2,500 whites of New York. The Chinese packers struck on learning that their countrymen had been locked out.

Death's Doings at Akron.

AKRON, O., March 4.—Samuel Wills, aged sixty-five, an old and well-to-do resident of this city was found dead in bed yesterday morning. Heart disease.

Skipped With $100,000.

ST. LOUIS, March 4.—A startling rumor is prevalent in police circles to the effect that a clerk for one of the express companies has absconded with $100,000. No further particulars.

Heavy Snow Storm.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 3.—The hardest snow and wind storm of the season is now raging. Most all the roads are blockaded again. The mercury stands at one degree below zero.

Drying House Burned.

BOSTON, March 4.—The drying house of the Middlesex bleachery and dye works burned yesterday morning. Loss $30,000.

New Prolific Tree Bean.

Having raised them for main crop the past season, I can conscientiously give them the following recommend: On good soil they will yield an average of about 150 pods to the tree, 6 or 7 grains to the pod, and 60 bushels to the acre if planted AS DIRECTED. They closely resemble the Navy Bean, cook in much less time than the Navy, are very white, and of excellent flavor. Having but one stalk in a hill they are much easier cultivated than five to seven stalks of any common variety, and can be left in the hill until all are fully matured, thereby avoiding liability to mould. They should be planted as soon as danger from frost is over, in rows two feet apart, and 15 or 18 inches in the row, more than one stalk in a hill will not do, and if more is planted, thin when two inches high to one plant in a hill, and they will completely cover the ground. About four quarts plants an acre. Try them and for main crop you will grow no other. Net price per quart, 25 cents.

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Bulwer Lytton's Bridge.

Where it Touches the Shores and the Great Columns in Midstream.

"What a beautiful bridge between old age and childhood is religion. How intuitively the child begins with prayer and worship on entering life, and how intuitively, on quitting life, the old man turns back to prayer and worship, putting himself again side by side with the infant," remarks Sir E. Bulwer Lytton, in his "Strange Story."

Yes, but between its distant abutments the bridge of life has many high and awful arches, through which the wild waters dash and roar in wrath and desolation. Prayer and worship do not sustain these. Nature's solid rocks must lie unshaken beneath and human art and skill must rear and solidify the structure overhead. God's will is best exemplified in the laws He has made for the creatures whom he has placed under their control. Neither the child's trustful "Our Father," nor the old man's "Forget me not in the midst of mine infirmities," will alter this by the weight of a single grain.

Science and art are first—then faith and prayer—is the order of Heaven itself. Divinity heals through its agents, and these agents are the discoveries of man; not the vague announcements of prophets or seers. Is life a burden to you? Does time drag? Is your power to cope with life's problem and duties weakened? You are not well. Your blood is sluggish and tainted, perhaps; or some important organ is torpid or overworked. The fact may have taken the form of dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, malaria, pains in the stomach, chronic headache, or any of a dozen other ills. PARKER'S TONIC will invigorate those who have been shut up in damp, fetid cells. It is powerful, pure, delicious, scientific, safe—the keystone of the central arch of the bridge of life.

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ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased the expenses of his last illness and funeral, and of administration of said estate, and is ready to present to said court his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, the residue of said estate assigned to those entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of March A.D., 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. mar6

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 5th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
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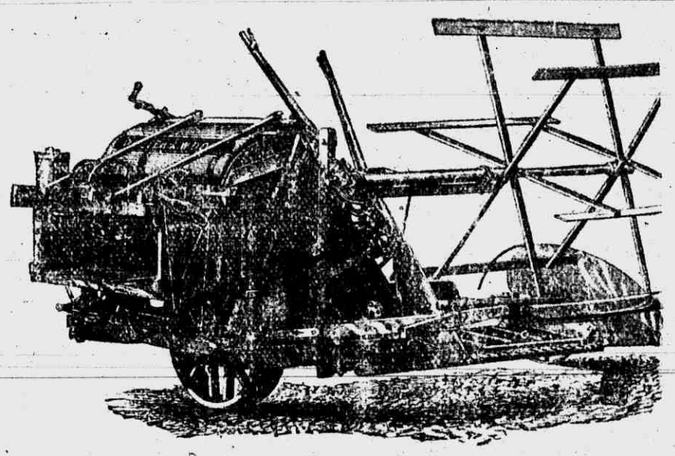

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M. E. CONKLIN, Agent,

Will have something to say in this space next week.

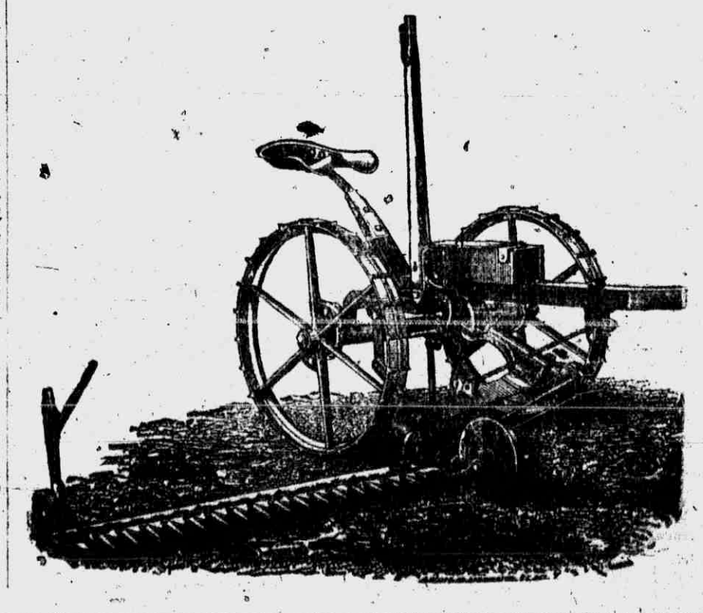

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE.—A farm of 56 acres, situated one mile north of Tecumseh, formerly owned by Wm. Bresle. Will be sold at a bargain if taken before the first of April. Good buildings, abundance of fruit and altogether a very desirable location. For particulars enquire on the premises or at the HERALD OFFICE.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if sold at once. For particulars enquire of J. W. COLE.

Also a good house and lot for sale.

ALL PURCHASERS OF

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in vicinity of Tecumseh, can have them adjusted and put in order for harvest of 1884 free of charge, by leaving word with Messrs. Slayton & Son, before April 15, where they will find a full assortment of Deering twine.

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TO BE LET.—A desirable family residence, known as the T. R. Lovett property, pleasantly situated on the corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets. Possession April 1st, 1884. For further particulars enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Malden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address B. J. BIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

NOTICE.—We have left our books of accounts with Charles Burridge of this village for settlement of accounts due us. Those indebted to us are hereby requested to call at his office and pay such indebtedness to him.

D. B. ANTHONY & CO.

February 20, 1884.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power"; which mills (both grist and paper) were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a never failing body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat growing sections in Michigan thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms, easy. For particulars address

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HICKORY WOOD.—For sale, ten cords of Hickory and Hard Maple, clear body wood. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

The return leap year party at Clinton, on Monday evening of last week, was a grand success.

M. P. Brown has a new card in this week's HERALD, setting forth the advantages of his ground floor gallery.

R. M. Boyd of Raisin had a beautiful cradle presented to him last Tuesday evening by an enthusiastic neighbor, as a gentle reminder of what is expected of him in the future.

We have a copy of the Miami Helmet, which announces that L. F. Wheeler's Rambles will be given in Piqua, Ohio, for the benefit of the flood sufferers. Wheeler's big lantern is useful wherever it goes.

D. P. Anthony received a little Orange stalk the other day from Dr. Hause of Florida, which contained 13 matured oranges. It seemed hardly possible that so large a number could be held on so small a stem.

A. W. Mills has a new book on sale entitled The People's Directory and Every day Encyclopedia. It is a book of 709 pages containing a vast amount of useful information for the counting room or household. It ought to have a large sale. We should call it a first rate book for agents to handle.

S. W. Temple says he has got the best sash and door machinery in the market, and that he is prepared to make all kinds and size of sash and doors, on short notice and in the best workmanlike manner. Give him a call. Remember the place, S. W. Temple's New Brick Planing Mill.—Office on Shawnee Street.

Clinton News: Mr. and Mrs. Rodman Taylor, of Franklin, celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage last Wednesday, Feb. 20th, with a pleasant gathering at their home of the family and relatives. Mr. Taylor is one of the pioneers of the town, having settled upon the farm which he now owns and which at that time was covered with woods, fifty-two years ago.

A large party of A. D. Hall's neighbors to the number of eighty gave him a surprise last Tuesday evening. The party was gotten up by, Uncle Billy Brezee, assisted by Mrs. Geo. Heesen, who are adepts at such work. The old mansion was flung open to the guests from cellar to garret, and resounded with merrymakers until a late hour. Mr. Hall passed the ordeal valiantly. Who will be the next victim?

A meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church of this place on Thursday evening, March 13th, at 7:30 to present the claims of Lincoln University, Pen., as an institution for the education of teachers and preachers of and for the colored race. Rev. Dr. Chester of Cincinnati, financial agent of the University and Rev. Dr. Bingham of the Board of Trustees will be present, and addresses will be made by several ministers, all of them graduates of the University.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 6, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The village election was about unanimous last Monday.

The Adrian Press is moving into its new building this week.

If you have real estate to sell, put a notice in the HERALD. It will pay you.

Zero weather the first week in March is something unusual in this latitude.

The Methodists of Clinton are raising money with which to build a new parsonage.

Jas. H. Aten has rented his farm and has moved into the village. Glad to have him come.

Uncle Josiah has made another convert. He has appointed Williard Stearns, of the Adrian Press, as State Commissioner to the World's fair at San Francisco.

Blissfield Advance: Internal disturbances, Cupid, and a lack of stick-to-a-tiveness may prevent the Blissfield orchestra from becoming the best in the county.

The two enterprising young men of Hudson, who were accused of the highway robbery of two farmers have been held for trial, and in default of $3,000 bail were jailed.

New Carpets.—We have just opened our New Spring Styles of Carpets—a large assortment, handsome patterns at very low prices.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

James Updike, Sr., who was severely injured last week is improving rapidly. He has got so much better that he wants to smoke, which is a very favorable symptom.

J. W. Patterson having sold part of his farm will hold a public vendue on the premises Thursday, March 27th, and some of the best stock in Lenawee county will be sold at that time.

Among the graduates of the Detroit Medical College, who received their diplomas last week, we find the name of John B. Haynes, who was for many months the faithful night watch of Tecumseh.

Mrs. H. E. Stout has removed her millinery stock of goods to the rooms over Anderson's Dry Goods Store, formerly occupied by Mary Dingman, where she would be pleased to see all her old friends.

Dr. John B. Haynes has decided to locate in Dundee and will begin practice at once. We congratulate Dundee upon this addition to her role of professional men, and wish the Doctor abundant success.

A. S. Kedsie, the veteran editor of the Grand Haven Herald, was in town Tuesday and favored us with a call. We have heard a good deal of Bro. Kedsie but never before had the pleasure of a chat with him.

Met Conklin begins the reaper campaign in good season, and swings out a card this week for the celebrated Walter A. Wood Reapers and Binders. These machines still lead the list among harvesting machinery.

Clinton News: A few months ago we had but one local wheat buyer.—Now we have four, besides E. G. Cook, of Tecumseh. And E. G. Cook can buy more wheat in one day than all the rest of them combined can in three.

Rev. C. E. Conley will be in Brooklyn next Sunday assisting in revival meetings. Rev. J. W. Payne, of Clinton, will occupy his pulpit in this village on Sunday morning, and Rev. E. J. Brownson, of Napoleon, in the evening.

Tecumseh has a free trade club, officered as follows:

President—J. C. Eccles.
Secretary—Dr. S. Catlin.
Treasurer—Frank Bumann.

The club intends to go in and do some missionary work during the coming campaign.

It seems to be a well settled principle now that personal property is liable for drain taxes the same as all other taxes, and that township treasurers have no right to return lands for drain taxes until the proper effort has been made to collect from personal property.

Leap year is doing its work. Last evening Mr. Robert M. Boyd, of Raisin, one of our most promising bachelors, lead to the marriage altar Miss Anna M. Brown. The congratulations extended to the happy couple will not be mere formalities but genuine wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

Adrian Press: B. F. Hilton, of Deerfield, warns all hunters to keep off his premises or they will hunt bail in short order. He especially protests against the utter disregard some of the chaps have for the Sabbath, and if they do not want to get into trouble they better keep out of Hilton's woods, and to church instead.

A citizen met President-elect Root last Monday evening and thus accosted him: "I congratulate you, Jerry, upon your official promotion. Have you any cigars about your person?" "No," said Mr. Root, "I have no cigars in stock now, but I propose to divide my official salary with my friends."

Mr. J. S. Gilman is going to start a harness shop at Holloway.

The Swedish Lady quartette give a concert in Clinton this week.

O. W. Bean has returned from a prospecting tour down in Texas.

A leap year return party will be given at Manchester on Wednesday evening, March 12th. Arrangements are making for a brilliant event.

People desirous of purchasing either farms or village property would do well to call at the HERALD office. We have several good bargains on our books.

Morenci Observer: [illegible] order for the man who utterly refuses to pay his village taxes to complain about the extravagance of our village board? Should he not either "put up or shut up?"

Evening News: A reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hicks, at Au Sable, Feb. 29th, which was the most brilliant social event of the season. The twain thus honored had been married but a few days before.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hicks here in Tecumseh will be glad to learn of the cordial reception given them in their new home. May their future be as bright as their present prospects are.

Last Sunday evening Justice Pennington was called to the office of John Kellogg, to unite in marriage Mr. Kellogg's niece, Etta Kellogg, and a gentleman from Leslie, whose name we have not learned. The peculiar feature of the circumstance was that the parties had never met previous to the occasion, and knew each other only by exchange of Photos.—Macon Cor. Clinton News.

Clinton News: Last Friday evening the ladies of St. John's church gave a New England supper at Town Hall for the benefit of the society.—The bill of fare was pork and beans, doughnuts, pumpkin pies, and other such substantial viands as the New England supper is commonly supposed to comprise, served by young ladies and gentlemen in the picturesque fashions of ye olden time,—and all for the exhorbitant price of ten cents.

Maggie Mitchell.

On Saturday evening, March 8th, Miss Maggie Mitchell, justly styled "America's favorite actress" will produce the charming drama "Little Barefoot" at the Adrian Opera House. The reputation of this great actress is too well known to make any comments from us necessary, while the play is one of the most popular in her repertoire. Her appearance will be the dramatic event of the season in Adrian, and from present indications she will be greeted with a packed house, excursions being run 62 miles for the accommodation of people on the Wabash railroad who desire to attend the performance. The sale of seats opens at Adrian, Thursday morning, March 6th, and those of our citizens desiring to avail themselves of the opportunity to hear Miss Mitchell, can secure their seats by telephone or letter to C. M. Croswell Jr., Manager Opera House, Adrian, the scale of prices being 50, 75 and $1.

THE VILLAGE ELECTION.

The corporation election last Monday was a very quiet affair, there being but one ticket in the field. There was no contest in the Saturday caucus, and the ticket then nominated was elected on Monday without opposition. In fact our village affairs are now in such a satisfactory condition that there is no chance for fault finding. The corporation is out of debt and has nearly $2000 on hand belonging to the contingent fund. It also has a loan of $2100 to the Cemetery bearing seven per cent interest. During the past two years, a team has been bought, a new office safe has been purchased, while the streets are in better condition than ever before. President Mills retires from his two years service as presiding officer of Council with the satisfaction of having closed a very successful administration. He has served four years on the Council, two years as trustee and two as President. During the entire time he was absent but three meetings, and for the past two years he was not absent from a single meeting, either regular or special. At the caucus he received the nomination for President again, getting 39 ballots out of 70 votes cast, but he absolutely declined, and the nomination then fell upon Mr. Jeremiah Root. Mr. Root has seen three years service on the Council and no better man for that place could be found in the village. We predict a continuance of village prosperity under his leadership. The new men chosen are all well fitted for their positions. Tecumseh has been exceedingly fortunate in her local rulers in the past, and the new council, we believe, will travel in the same path. This is in no small degree attributable to the fact that our corporation elections have been kept out of politics. Below are the names of the new officers chosen:

President—Jeremiah Root.
Recorder—John L. Schoolcraft.
Treasurer—J. Newton Satterthwaite.
Trustees for two Years—Rufus Adams, Oscar P. Bills, George W. Marsden.
Assessors—Edgar A. Tribon, Horatio Keyser.

FROM THE "BAPTIST ITEMS."

Mrs. J. Cook is now very ill.

Bro. Kirtley was ill about a week after he left Tecumseh.

Peter Waldron, Sr., has been very sick during the past two weeks.

Miss Emma Morse has been ill—some of the time seriously ill—since the first part of January.

The Adrian church has completed arrangements to enlarge its house of worship during the coming summer at a cost of about $10,000.

Brother Holmes has decided not to accept the call to the pastorate of the Kalamazoo Baptist church, and the Adrian church is jubilant.

On the 24th of January, Dea. John Margeson was called by telegram to the home of his early manhood to attend the funeral of his brother. He was absent about ten days.

Grant Garlinghouse has spent about two months this winter in his old home in the state of New York. He came back about the first of February, and was glad to get home too.

We regret to learn that Bro. Emmons Sherd will probably soon leave this region permanently. He has sold his farm and contemplates moving to Ingham County. We hope he will change his mind.

Albert Howard has been sick again with neuralgia of the heart. He is well again. This is the second attack. But the physician thinks that with proper care of himself he will eventually outgrow the difficulty. It is to be hoped so.

The February Social was entertained at the chapel by Mrs. J. Fisher, Mrs. L. G. North, Mrs. A. Stevens, Mrs. H. H. Munger, Mrs. Calvin Lawrence and Mrs. Wm. Jordan. The gathering was large and royally entertained. Receipts, $11.63.

Bro. J. K. Waldron was elected superintendent of the Clinton Baptist S. S., and Bro. Geo. P. Wright, assistant superintendent, at the beginning of the present year. It is said that these two brethren are among the most faithful members of that church.

Dr. Ferguson, of Coldwater, has purchased the drug stock of Jas. W. Patterson, of this village, and will continue the business at the old stand. Dr. F. is an earnest christian man, and a staunch Baptist. We heartily welcome him and Mrs. Ferguson to our town and to our church.

At a special meeting of the S. S. Board, held Feb. 13th, in the chapel, the resignation of A. J. Coddington, as treasurer, was accepted and Miss Carrie Osborn elected in his place.—Also the officers of the school were appointed a committee, Dr. L. G. North, chairman, to procure funds for the purchase of a new S. S. library.

Dr. Hamilton was the recipient of a very handsome present Jan. 14, in the form of a volume of Gems for the Fireside, in full Russia binding. It was accompanied by a very friendly note from the giver, Mr. A. W. Mills, expressive of good will, and hoping that when the new house is completed the new neighborly relations may be pleasant and lasting.

The pastor acting under the direction of the Special Board of Foreign Missions for Michigan, has just completed arrangements for five Foreign Missionary Institutes at as many different points in the State during the month of March, viz: At Lowell and Williamson on the 17th, at Fenton and Hillsdale on the 14th, and at Sturgis on the 26th.

The next quarterly meeting of the Home Mission circle—which will occur the last Wednesday of March—will be a praise meeting, and one in which all the sisters of the church whether present or absent, can take part in. Let each one of you, before that time, lay aside an offering to the Lord, large or small, according as He has prospered you. When the appointed day arrives, place your offering in an envelope, with some passage of scripture that is especially dear to you, or appropriate to the occasion, and either bring or send it to the church, but put no name on it. These envelopes will be opened, the scripture read and commented upon, prayer, song and remarks offered. It is hoped that the occasion will be profitable one. *Come if possible*, and if not—send.

On Feb. 12th Dea. Marvin Howard met with an accident which might have terminated fatally. He was driving down Chicago street, when a cutter with bells was driven past him, frightening his horse so that it became perfectly unmanageable. In spite of all his efforts to stop him he ran from near Judge Stacy's residence down to Hough & Hosmer's jewelry store, where he leaped over an unloaded sleigh. Breaking the cross-bar, he was immediately freed from the cutter, and Bro. Howard was thrown with tremendous force into the box of the sleigh. The concussion of the fall was so great that he could not breathe for some seconds. Aside from this, strange to say, he was scarcely injured at all. It was a narrow escape. The horse was immediately captured, and the cutter was injured but little aside from breaking the cross bar.

The M. & O. road will give a cheap excursion to Toledo next Saturday. Tickets will be good on the regular train leaving Battle Creek at 5:25 A. M., and Toledo at 5:30 P. M. Passengers will have seven hours in Toledo and a chance to witness Bartley Campbell's Matinee at the Wheeler Opera, in his celebrated play Siberia. Tickets will be sold at less than half fare, only 95 cents for round trip.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending March 1:

MADISON.

Robert Culley to W. S. Mordan.—Land on sec. 5. $300.

CAMBRIDGE.

C. W. Greenleaf to W. C. Knapp.—Land on sec. 27. $62.50.

RAISIN.

Leonard S. C. Chase to E. G. and M. A. Wilson. Land on sec. 33. $3,000.
H. E. Wilson to F. S. Durham.—Land on sec. 23. $1,000.

RIDGEWAY.

Charlotte Sutton to Elizabeth Harrison. Land on sec. 32. $2,000.

TECUMSEH.

Lucretia Robinson to D. McConnell. Land in village. $500.
John Orr to Wm. Orr. Land in village. $700.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Friday Evening, Feb., 29th, the farmer's Social Club met according to adjournment at the residence of R. B. Gillespie. The attendance was quite large and the program was well carried out with the exception that we again had to dispense with the essay, as the essayist failed to put in an appearance.

The declamation and recitation of Garland Gillespie and Seva Gillespie were both good for persons so young, and also new beginners.

The Select Reading was a good selection, being an article on the customs and manners of the German People in the Father-land. The rest of the Program was well carried out in good taste.

The Question—"Is it going to be profitable for the farmer's of this section to continue the raising of wheat as a main crop" elicited a good deal of interest. Almost every farmer present speaking upon the subject. It was the general opinion that ours was a good wheat soil and that it is a good and sure money crop, and must take the lead. Program for the next meeting:

Music.
Declamation—Henry Horton.
Music—Henry Horton and Grant Schreder.
Recitation—Lizzie Henderson.
Singing—F. A. Horton and wife.
Essay—Mrs. John Gillespie.
Select Reading—Willie Fisher.
Recitation—Arlie Merritt.
Singing—Henry, Sadie and Arlie Merritt.
Question—"What constitutes good farming? Opened by Philip Kehoe.

Club adjourned to meet at F. V. Horton's, March 14th, at 7 P. M. sharp.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

AUCTION SALES.

P. S. DePuy having rented his farm will sell at auction 5 miles north-east of Tecumseh, and 2 miles southwest of Pennington's corners, in the township of Clinton, on Wednesday, March 19th, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: 1 six year old mare, 7 year old gelding, 4 year old mare, 3 year old gelding, span brood mares, 40 ewes with lamb, Galloway bull, Champion mower, cultivators, harrow, 2 year old heifer, hay fork, pair trucks, clover hay, farming utensils, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben Reynolds, auc.

Fay DePuy having rented his farm will sell at auction at his residence on the town line between Clinton and Franklin, adjoining the old Deacon Wells farm, on Thursday, March 13th, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Matched bay team, bay gelding, 2 new milch cows, yearling heifer, heifer calf, 25 Merino breeding ewes, blooded ram, 700 bush. corn in ear, 40 wethers, 2 breeding sows, full-blood Poland boar, 16 shoats, 6 tons hay, seed corn, Wood reaper, Wood mower, lumber wagon, 100 bush. of oats, two-seated buggy, Champion drill, wheel cultivator, fanning mill, corn sheller, and a general variety of farming utensils. Usual terms of sale.—Ben Reynolds, auc. W. B. Keyser, clerk.

W. B. Keyser and J. F. N. Bowen will sell at joint auction on the farm known as the Rufus Keyser farm, three and one half miles northwest of Tecumseh, on Tuesday, March 11th, one span draught horses, work horse, breeding mare and colt, hambletonian colt coming three years old, 3 cows, two heifers two years old, two yearling heifers, yearling steer, two calves, fifty-five ewe lambs, five bucks, one hundred and five breeding ewes, twelve shoats, farm tools, etc. Sixteen months credit. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Martha Dean will sell at auction one-fourth mile south and 1¼ mile east of Comfort's brick yard, on Friday, March 14, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following property: Span mares, breeding sow with pigs, lumber wagon, set bob-sleighs, double buggy, mower, double harness, 13 good ewes, 2 plows, 3 cultivators, Scotch harrow, and other farming utensils. Usual terms of sale. Ben Reynolds, auc.

—G. P. Sparks, agent for Chickering, Haines and McCammon Pianos, Estey and Royal Organs The Autophone and Tournaphone, the most marvelous musical instruments of the age. Price $10. Call and see them. Also, agents for the White and Domestic Sewing Machines. The very best machines made. Good New Machines from $18 to $25. Old Machines $3 to $10.

—Read this and don't you forget it. If you want to buy a buggy, Platform Spring or Lumber Wagon you can save money by calling on Slayton & Son. They have a good assortment to select from and will make prices to astonish you.

—Seed Corn—If you want reliable seed corn call on Slayton & Son.

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—If you even think of buying a Sewing Machine call on Slayton & Kinney. They have a fine stock; sell cheap and on time.

—Before you buy, call and try the newest, the neatest, the finest and cheapest, the one that pleases them all,—the noiseless, light-running White Hill, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Glass Ware, Tin Ware, Lamps, House Furnishing Goods at

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NOTICE.—Young men, get married, and then go to Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh. They will furnish your house on time.

—Headquarters for Picture Frames. Frames made to order.

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—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends or the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

—We call attention to our large stock of Bird Cages, just received.

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—W. N. Snedicor has a lot of fine bob sleighs. Call and see them.

—On and after January 1st, 1884, we will discount 10 per cent on all undertaking paid within 90 days from sale.

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—Slayton & Kinney, Tecumseh, carry a large stock of Trunks. Get prices, they will not be undersold.

Notice—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

TECUMSEH, Mich., March 25, 83.

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DIED.

BROOKS.—On Sunday, March 2d., Mary L., wife of William Brooks, aged 37 years.

Mr. Brooks moved from Petersburg to Tecumseh in June last and has since lived on the old P. W. Adams farm west of the village. His wife has been ill for some time but was not considered dangerous until two days before her death. A brief service was held at the house Tuesday forenoon and the remains were then taken to Matamora, Ohio, for final burial.

BASS.—At the residence of C. C. Tefft in this village on Saturday, March 1st., Silas W. Bass, aged 45 years.

The deceased was born in Marshall, Oneida Co., N. Y. June 1st., 1839, and lived on the old farm in that township until his majority. He spent two winters in Michigan teaching school in the vicinity of Tecumseh, nineteen years ago and fourteen years ago. During the past thirteen years he has lived with his father Seth Bass at Hamilton, N. Y. Upon the death of Seth Bass in Dec. last, Silas, who had been in feeble health for some months, came to this village with Mr. and Mrs. Tefft where he found a good home and loving friends to care for him in his last days. When he first came here he had strong hopes of recovery, but consumption had marked him for a victim, and he gradually failed until the end came. Silas was the youngest son of a large family, but four of whom are now left—Pitt and William Bass of Lawrence, VanBuren Co., Mrs. Harvey Hanchett of Deanville, N. Y., and Mrs. C. C. Tefft of Tecumseh. The funeral services were held at Mr. Tefft's residence last Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. H. Shepard with J. S. Strong to lead the singing. The deceased was a dutiful son, a man of generous impulses, a great lover of music, a faithful friend. His earthly sufferings are ended and he has gone to his final reward.

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OLIVERS HOUSE, CLINTON, MICH. S. S. Erskine, Proprietor. Good sample rooms for commercial men. Rates reasonable.

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WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them $10,198,355.50. Total premiums received, $19,831,283.47. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $6,506,567.73. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unequalled by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $14,850,000. Surplus over four per cent. reserve, $7,622,511.81.

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TALLEY HOUSE, [illegible] This house has been recently enlarged by the addition of a new and [illegible] wing fronting on Chicago street, and the [illegible] throughout have been newly furnished. Rates reasonable. [illegible] Proprietor.

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RATES—$1 to $1.25 per day; Single meals 30c. Lodgings 25 to 50c. [illegible]
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Right to the point

The Rev. J. E. Searles, of New York, is one of the most widely-known and highly esteemed of Methodist ministers.

Mr. Searles says: "I am impressed that it is a duty I owe to those afflicted with Rheumatism or Neuralgia, to say that a remedy has been discovered that is indeed a marvelous success. My son was greatly afflicted with Rheumatism, and suffered so severely that, at times, he was obliged to have morphine injected into his arm to get relief. While in this condition he discovered a remedy which effected immediate relief and a permanent cure. He has since furnished it to many others with the same result. I have also furnished it to a number of persons suffering with Rheumatism, and the result has been immediate relief, and a permanent cure. Among others, I cured Rev. Wm. P. Corbit, pastor of the George St. M. E. Church, New Haven, Conn., who recommends it warmly to his terrible disease. I will give you his own words as written to my son, wishing him to publish the fact for the benefit of others suffering with the same disease.

What Mr. Corbit Says:

"New Haven, July 24, 1882.

"Mr. Searles Dear Sir:—I wish to say for the benefit of all who are suffering with Inflammatory Rheumatism, that your medicine is infallible. I suffered for two months the most excruciating torture; lost 30 pounds of flesh, and was not out of my house for a month. I heard of your remedy, and was almost instantly relieved by it. If there is a specific for diseases of any kind, yours most certainly is for Inflammatory Rheumatism in its severest form.

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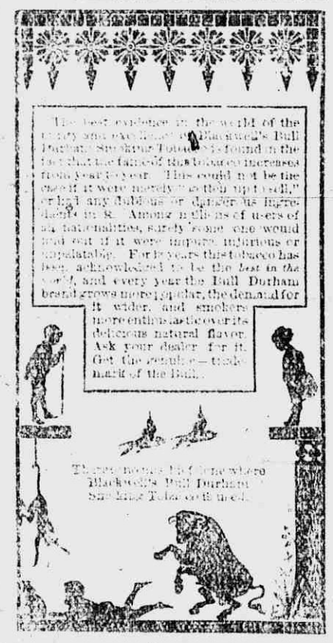

The Trouble with Our Wheat.

As the *Prairie Farmer* is always interested in the subject of wheat-raising, I will give its readers some of my experience in raising this crop, which dates back forty-seven years. Our country was then comparatively new, and we had no trouble in raising thirty-five and forty bushels to the acre; indeed, this was considered the average crop, though some farmers raised as high as fifty bushels and over to the acre. One case I will mention, that of Reuben Flag, Esq., of Plainfield. The land where his crop was raised was rather low and wet until drained, and before it was plowed produced a large crop of hay. Why I am so particular in describing the location and condition of the land where this crop of wheat was raised is, that it goes far to prove my theory correct, and it correct, there is no reason why we could not raise equally as large crops now as we did then.

This was the first crop after breaking up. Previous to this the tall grass had been burnt and the ashes leached on the ground, forming an alkali that had penetrated to quite a depth, and for many years bountiful crops of all kinds were raised on this ground. But now one can not be sure of ten bushels of wheat per acre on this same ground, although it has had the benefit of the barn-yard fertilizer freely applied.

I will here state that I sowed in the fall of 1845, eleven acres of wheat on ground that had but one crop of sod corn upon it after breaking up; this yielded forty-three bushels to the acre, and up to this time it has been our custom to burn our straw on the ground. We were not troubled with worms, weevils or bugs. You ask why? I answer because everything grown was so impregnated with alkali that insects could not live.

When the burning over of our prairies, as well as the burning of our straw, had become a thing of the past, then our crops commenced to fail. We began to increase the stock on our farms, carefully saving all droppings, thoroughly cleansing our barn-yards once a year, and spreading the manure thus collected upon our land. This increased the crop of straw materially, but the berry failed rapidly; insects of all descriptions made their appearance, claiming their share of the little that was raised. The correctness of these statements can be testified to by all the early settlers, farmers, I mean.

Now for the remedy: Let us bring back our land to the condition we found it in when we raised large crops, and free from insects. I would not have you burn your straw, as we need that for paper, and also for feed. Neither could we burn our hay land, but let us replenish this alkali by a liberal use of quick-lime, say four barrels to the acre. Sixteen years ago I became so convinced of the practical use of lime that I made this offer to all parties who would comply with my proposition, to-wit: I would furnish five hundred barrels of lime, no one person to have over twenty barrels, this to be sown on four acres of land and sown to wheat, with an equal amount of land sown to wheat that was not limed. In pay for which they were to give me one dollar a barrel in one year, or what surplus wheat they raised on the land that was limed over that which was not limed.

But one farmer took advantage of this offer—a German living near Wheaton. He came and got eight barrels of lime he sowed that on two acres of land, and sowed it to wheat. At the same time he also sowed two acres that was not limed. He told me there was no difference at all in the land—as the four acres were broken in one year and on one piece of ground, and had been cropped every year with the same kind of crop. He paid me for the lime before he harvested his crop, but gave me the statement of it after he had thrashed his wheat. He had twenty-two bushels and three pecks of No. 1 wheat to the acre where the lime was sown, and where the lime was not used, only between twelve and thirteen bushels to the acre—and that of an inferior quality. Where lime was used it was fully two weeks earlier. Had not the German moved to Minnesota he would have taken one hundred barrels the next year.

I have tried lime on corn with remarkable success, and I believe that if properly used, it will save our potato crop from the bug. We must use enough to thoroughly impregnate the vines.

For top dressing for tame meadows, two barrels of lime to the acre, sown as you would for wheat, and run over the ground with a light harrow, to break the grass roots. This does to grass what judicious pruning does to currant bushes. Where this has been tried the result has been satisfactory.—*Cor. Prairie Farmer.*

Ornamental Hedges.

It is hardly likely that attempts will again be made in most parts of the country to protect field crops by means of hedges. As wealth increases, however, more attention will be given to beautifying the premises, and ornamental hedges about small lots or so to yards will become common. A living hedge is far more beautiful than a fence made of almost any material. The plants for ornamental hedges will vary to conform to the climate of the different sections of the country. Evergreens are preferred for ornamental hedges in all places where the climate is suited to them, as they are beautiful during the entire year. The American arbor-vitæ, Norway spruce and hemlock are recommended to places where they will grow. The locust, honey locust, barberry and privet are hardy in most parts of the country, and a beautiful hedge may be made of either of them. A hedge very beautiful at the season of flowering may be formed of the lilac and common snowball. They are both quite hardy, and are easily propagated by roots and cuttings. A long sprout of either of them, if bent down, fastened in position, and covered with soil, will spread out roots and branches and furnish several plants. These plants will not form a hedge that will turn cattle, but protection against them may be furnished by barbed wires that will be hidden when the plants are covered with foliage. Ornamental hedges require considerable care, but they add greatly to the appearance of a farm, while they call for only a small expenditure of money.—*Chicago Times.*

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—"Horrors of Hotel Life" is the title of a book recently issued.

—Tea Garden is the name of a strong and substantial citizen of Austin, Tex.

—Beecher's double, the man who goes to theaters and gets the Brooklyn pastor's name in the papers, is John Wyman. Their resemblance is very striking.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—"Camp Meeting" John Allen, of Wilton, Me., has read the Bible through and the New Testament half way again within four months, although he is eighty-three years old.—*Boston Post.*

Mrs. W. G. Nash, one of the great actresses of fifty years ago, who played rival engagements with Fanny Kemble, and supported the elder Booth and Forrest, is still living in Rochester, N. Y.—*Rochester Express.*

—Mississippians feel very proud of their State library in the capitol at Jackson. It comprises thirty-eight thousand volumes, which include the legal text-books and reports from all the States in the Union, making a collection which ranks third in completeness in the whole country.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Charles Beach says that he once searched the pockets of Horace Greeley's historic white coat, in which he found more than two hundred business cards, which had been given him from time to time during the many years he had worn the coat. He was not aware that there was a card about his clothes.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—The last signature of Peter Cooper was on a postal card written by his secretary. It was addressed to a gentleman in the West, and stated that Mr. Cooper took pleasure in sending him a copy of his work on the protective tariff. The card lay unnoticed on Mr. Cooper's desk for several days after his death, when it was mailed to the person for whom it was intended.—*N. Y. Mail.*

—A Boston correspondent of the New York *Graphic* writes: "I doubt, too, if there is another city in which women have entered journalism in as large numbers as they have here. There is not a daily paper in the city, and not a weekly of any importance that has not at least one woman, and, in several cases, two or three women on the staff as reporters, editorial writers, critics or special writers."

HUMOROUS.

—Leap-year parties are popular in some sections. At these gatherings the girls yell "mouse!" and the young men jump on chairs and shriek.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A country girl, coming from the field, being told by her poetic cousin that she looked as fresh as a daisy kissed with dew, said: "Well it wasn't any fellow of that name; but it was Steve Jones that kissed me. I told him that every one in town would find it out."—*Chicago Tribune.*

—A poet sings: "Let me die when all is cold and drear." Now is an excellent season for the purpose, and the man who would interpose a single objection should be severely talked to. If a poet wants to die when all is cold and drear—and we are not surprised that he should feel that way—he should be encouraged in his laudable purpose.—*Exchange.*

—Quite unsympathetic: Birdie McHennepin and her brother were at the seashore. "O, see that!" exclaimed Birdie. "See what?" inquired the stoical John. "Why, see that little cloudlet just above the wavelet like a tiny ballet dancing over the scene." "O, come, you had better go out to the pumpkin in the backyardiet and soak your little headlet."—*Boston Transcript.*

—A servant girl in New Haven stole her mistress' false teeth. The woman told a policeman that "She shook coshtawaysy shollarsh, anshshe shwash wosh shishka wreshashdoshtreshtawshe sheesh." "Wait till I find an interpreter," interrupted the policeman, thinking the woman was a newly arrived Hungarian; but she was an American, and when her teeth were in she could take the head off him.—*New Haven Register.*

"Pa," said the daughter of the house to the man of the house the other evening, "What are we going to have for breakfast?" "I have ordered Lyonnaise potatoes, my child," was the father's answer. "And where does that come from, pa? Does it come from an animal, or does it grow?" "It is taken from an animal, my dear." "Oh, I know, now" after a pause to think up her natural history "then it is taken from licensees, isn't it, pa?" Pa was [illegible] enough to say "Yes."—*Lowell Citizen.*

A great, big, hurly fellow stepped into the editorial rooms of one of our morning contemporaries yesterday and said: "I want to clean out this office." "What, what's the trouble now?" feebly asked the editor-in-chief, turning ghastly pale. "Nothing's the trouble. I will clean out the police and scrub down the stairs for one dollar." Then the editor's face resumed its natural color, and spitting half way across the room, he shout: "Get out of here, you tramp, or I will spill you head first into the waste basket."—*Philadelphia Call.*

Wanted His License Back.

A gawky boy and a "gangling" girl were married by an Arkansas magistrate the other day, and shortly afterwards the boy reappeared and said: "Squire, gimme back them licenses." "I have sent them to the County Clerk's office where they properly belong," the Justice replied. "I am mighty sorry, fur I want 'em back." "What's the matter?" "Why, I don't intend to live with that gal. I never seed sich a critter, Jedge. You see her daddy gave her a cow, an' this mornin' when I went to milk the blame thing, she kicked me heels over head. I would n't er minded this, but my wife stood thar an' laughed ter kill herself. I thought I was goin' ter settle down in a life of love an' lasses an' all that, but the kind o' that cow opened my eyes. The County Clerk ken keep the papers if he wants to, but I wush you'd call that gal next time yer see him to ask I'll be dad blamed if I'm goin' to live with that gal."—*Arkansaw Traveller.*

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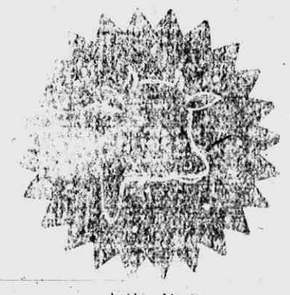

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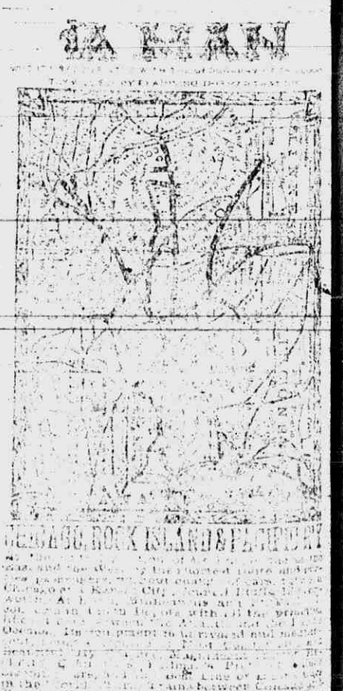

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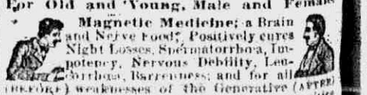

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STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express.	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 06 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Winchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 55 "
Clayton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 30 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Ridgeway	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....
Blissfield			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 10. Mail.	No. 16. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Toledo	6 00 A.M.	3 15 P.M.	.....
Berkey	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Ottawa	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Stanton	11 45 "	9 31 "	5 00 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 16 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	1 02 "	10 54 "	9 52 "
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P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
15	5 00	10 10	Lv. Toledo Ar	3 05	10 05	7 45
48	6 03	11 02	Dundee	2 05	9 04	6 03
56	6 27	11 25	Britton	1 38	8 41	5 00
57	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	1 33	8 37	4 57
56	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	1 23	8 27	4 38
25	6 57	11 55	Tipton	1 06	8 11	4 08
50	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	12 50	7 58	3 43
		P.M.				
33	7 22	12 20	Addison	12 30	7 35	3 00
				P.M.		
00	7 50	12 54	Jerome	12 07	7 18	2 27
29	7 57	1 01	Moscow	11 56	7 11	2 13
45	8 07	1 12	Hanover	11 45	7 00	1 48
A.M.						
06	8 18	1 23	Pulaski	11 33	6 49	1 23
						P.M.
0	8 30	1 35	Homer	11 10	6 27	12 39
42	9 00	2 14	Marshall	10 39	5 58	11 26
05	9 22	2 28	Ceresco	10 25	5 45	11 02
50	9 10	2 50	Battle Creek	10 06	5 25	10 29
40		3 13	Augusta	9 35		9 35
22		3 22	Yorkville	9 27		9 08
00		3 29	Richland	9 19		8 55
32		3 41	Monteith	8 40		7 43
32		4 24	Fisk	8 30		7 23
15		4 31	Kellogg	8 23		7 13
35		4 45	Ar. Allegan Lv	8 10		6 50
P.M.				A.M.		A.M.

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Detroit	5 40	9 10	3 20
Trenton		9 53	4 01
Flat Rock	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 31
Dundee		10 55	4 52
Britton	11 36	11 21	5 14
Blissfield		11 35	5 26
Deerfield	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Adrian		12 01	5 52
Adrian Jct.	1 02	12 05	6 25
Hudson		12 48	6 29
Litchfield	1 44	1 47	7 00
Munson		8 20	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	38.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Munson	7 15	11 30	
Litchfield	7 46	12 01	
	P.M.	A.M.	
Hudson	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blissfield	3 05	8 45	
Deerfield	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Adrian	3 52	9 28	
Adrian Jct.	4 04	9 40	3 46
Adrian	4 17	9 53	
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 44	11 18	
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

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GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

Trains run by Central Time.

GOING NORTH. No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Express.	No. 6. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 9. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
35	2 05	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 25	1 39	4 48
25	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
06	2 32	8 29	Hawthorne	9 00	1 17	4 30
55	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 22
50	2 45	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
38	3 05	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
33	3 25	9 04	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
08	3 50	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
10	4 00	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
				A.M.		
22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
35	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 19
03	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—The Presbyterians will commemorate in 1884 the second centenary of their organization in this country.—*The Interior.*

—Twelve graduates of Phillips Exeter Academy, N. H., have been Governors of States, the list including Cass, Everett, Butler and Dix.—*Boston Post.*

—The Synod of Kansas has constituted a new Presbytery of the Indian Territory, and passed a resolution to the effect that the Indian Territory should be transferred from the Foreign to the Home Board.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—A colored school-teacher in Brooklyn thrashes his pupils and gives them a glass of water to stop their sobbing. He maintains that it is "a trick he learned in the country," and that after they have swallowed the water they can not cry.—*Brooklyn (N. Y.) Eagle.*

—Dr. John Hall says churches require educated men for ministers—men of social standing as indicated by dress, hospitality, money contributions, etc., and yet in a majority of cases pay them, salaries smaller than are received by postmen and policemen.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—An exchange says a Harvard student has fitted up his room at a cost of $4,000. The probabilities are that he will be the poorest scholar of his class, and before old age will be glad to take a clerkship under some of the now poverty-stricken members of his class. It is a rare thing for scholarship and riches to go together. The father makes no greater mistake than when he lines the pockets of his son in college with greenbacks.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—According to the *Rocky Mountain Cell* there are about 100,000 colored Catholics in this country. In answer to the question: "Why have you not colored priests to administer to colored congregations?" a leading Catholic clergymen answered "that it was the experience of his church that the colored people themselves do not take kindly to their own race. They prefer white priests, and seem to feel that they are not treated fairly unless they are given white priests."

He Won His Wager.

Two young lawyers in Boston were bantering each other concerning their shrewdness, and one, who had been distanced in boasting by his companion, at last exclaimed: "I will wager a good dinner and a bottle of wine that I can ride in the street-cars from Scollay Square to Roxbury Crossing without paying my fare."

"Oh, pooh," said the other, "any man can dodge a horse-car conductor; that is nothing."

"But I will take you along with me, and we will not dodge the conductor, but on the other hand talk with him on the way."

"Done," cried the other, and having agreed at what time and place the wager should be paid, they set out together for Scollay Square. When they reached the head of Tremont street a Back Bay car was just passing. Lawyer number one instantly made a rush for it.

"Hold on," exclaimed number two, "that's not a Tremont street car."

"Keep your tongue still and follow me," said the other, savagely, and he pulled his companion upon the front platform. They then walked leisurely through to the rear platform, where they found the conductor.

"Does this car go to Jamaica Plain?" asked number one.

"No, sir," replied the conductor; "Jamaica Plain cars start from the Tremont House."

"Oh, ah," said number one, starting to get off again: "I beg your pardon, I'm sure."

"Might as well ride down to the other car, sir," said the conductor pleasantly.

"Just as you please, thank you," responded number one affably; and so the two lawyers rode free to the Tremont House. Here they got off and quietly waited till a Tremont street car came along. Boarding this, lawyer number one asked the conductor if the car went to the Art Museum. Receiving a negative reply and implicit directions as to the car that should be taken for that place, he proceeded leisurely to get off again, followed by his astonished companion. They had gained about three rods by the maneuver, and after it had been repeated several times, the general inquiry being for a Jamaica Plain or Brookline car, a light began to break upon the mind of lawyer number two. They had worked their way to the West street gate in the Common, when the disgusted companion said to the energetic number one: "How long are you going to keep this sort of thing up?"

"Till we get to the Roxbury crossing, of course. Come along, get on the car. Does this car go to South Boston? Well, can you tell me where I can get a South Boston car?" When they had dismounted from this car, number two said quietly to his friend: "I've got tired of this thing; I guess I'll settle that wager myself," and arm in arm they proceeded back to their offices, number one looking as happy as a petted cat and number two as solemn as a clam.—*Boston Globe.*

A Wonder Among Widows.

A few days ago a prominent financier died in this city leaving a widow hardly half his age, whom he married for his second wife some fifteen years since. At the time of his second marriage he had several grown up children, who, as usually happens, were very angry, and insisted that his new wife had accepted him on account of his wealth. Despite the difference of her age they were in sympathy and lived happily together. She always resented the charge of mercenariness, and now that he is dead she has opened a boarding-house, resolved to take care of herself. Although her husband was held worth several millions it is given out that he left her none, in Wall street and that she will. Some of the wealthy [illegible] urged her to insist on her [illegible] but she [illegible] and innocent, with the [illegible] thought to keep [illegible] [illegible] —*Boston Globe.*

Beautiful Hair.

"How do you keep your little boy's hair such a beautiful golden shade?" asked a reporter of a fashionable New York lady.

"Why, that is the natural color," said the lady, somewhat indignantly, as she twined a long golden curl over her finger.

"But doesn't his hair grow darker as he grows older?" asked the reporter. "I have heard that some mothers can keep that bright gold in their children's hair all the time."

"Yes," assented the lady, "that is so. I kept the color in my little girl's hair until she was fifteen, and then she had enough vanity to take care of it herself."

"How did you do it?" asked the reporter.

"Her hair was very fine and long when she was six years old, but it began to turn dark; so every other day I washed it in soda and common soap, and when it was dry brushed it thoroughly and curled it. Once a week I rubbed the scalp with raw egg."

"Doesn't washing the hair so much make it dry?"

"Yes, if you do not brush it thoroughly, and then it is the best thing for it."

"Your children have very beautiful hair," said the reporter to a lady who sat in her drawing-room with a half-dozen children playing about her. All of them but two had light yellow or golden hair, with bangs and curls.

"Yes," she replied. "Those two little children with short hair are my sister's. I wouldn't have a child about me unless it had pretty hair; but my sister thinks differently. Teddy, the boy, insisted on having his hair cut when he was six, and he had the most beautiful yellow hair, just like spun silk; and then Elora, the little girl, cried to have her hair cut, to be like Teddy. My sister says it makes a boy more manly to have short hair, but for my part I don't see any necessity of being manly at six."

"How do you keep your children's hair so pretty?"

"Oh," she replied, "they have a French bonne who washes their hair in salt water and a little potash and puts it up in curl papers every night. The hair does not curl naturally, you know."

"Isn't the salt water injurious to the hair?"

"No, I think not, although I have often heard so; but my children have heavy hair, and they have had it washed in salt water ever since they were babies."

A lady living on Fifth avenue has a little girl with large black eyes and very yellow hair floating over her shoulders to her waist. The reporter asked her if she did not possess a very unusual style of beauty.

"Oh, no," she replied; "but I bleach her hair. I am partial to dark eyes and fair hair, so I keep her hair bleached."

"How do you accomplish it?" asked the reporter.

"I wash it in lemon-juice once a week, and the acid makes it light. My other children have all black hair, and I keep it cropped close to their heads, but Ethel is the plainest of all of them, so I thought it was well to give her some special advantage."

"Why don't you have your boy's curls cut off this warm weather?" said the reporter to a Brooklyn lady.

"Cut off my boy's beautiful hair!" she exclaimed. "O, I wouldn't do it for one hundred dollars cash."

"But it will have to come off soon," said the reporter.

"I know it, and it breaks my heart to think of it; so don't mention it to me, please."—*N. Y. Cor. Utica Herald.*

Frozen Water Pipes.

Those who did not thoroughly protect their water pipes before cold weather set in will be troubled this winter by having them frozen. To get up in a cold morning and find the pump frozen up, or the water in some of the leading pipes frozen so that it will not run, is not only trying to the patience of the most even-tempered man, but it is often a serious drawback on the operations of the whole household, and the important question immediately forces itself upon the head of the house: What means are to be taken to get the water to running? This must depend on the situation of the pipes that are frozen. The first thing to do is to find the particular portion of the pipe where the water is frozen; this is not always easy, but good judgment will generally detect the most probable point. If it is above ground where it can be reached, dip a bag, or any thick cloth, in hot water and immediately wind it around the pipe where it is supposed to be frozen, then pour on it boiling water to keep the cloth hot; in this way the pipe will be thawed out in a few moments; if it is not, then some other place must be tried, changing until the right place is found.

Should the pipe be under ground, and yet where the upper end can be worked from, take a lead or rubber pipe that is small enough to go inside of the frozen pipe, running it in until it strikes the ice, then into the upper end of this pipe pour boiling water, being careful to force the lead, or rubber pipe, down as fast as the ice melts, which will be very rapid. The same thing can be done from the lower end, if the lead or rubber pipe have the end in which the water is poured lifted one or two feet higher than the end that is forced against the ice. In thawing a long pipe under ground, it is sometimes necessary to work from both ends.

Pipes that cannot be reached at either end to run a pipe in, if they have a good descent, are sometimes thawed out with salt; this will take time, but will generally accomplish the object.

When one has exhausted all of his ingenuity and most of his patience, and finally succeeds in thawing out the pipes only to find them burst somewhere where it is not easily got at, then comes man's self-control over his language. The wise man is silent, but will strive to keep his thoughts directed to how he may be able to prevent another such disaster.—*Massachusetts Ploughman.*

—It is said that George Munro has built a publishing house nine stories high, and costing $1,000,000, out of his profits on the reprints of English books which have no copyright.—*N. Y. News.*

Opening the Fountains.

In numberless bulbs beneath the skin is secreted the liquid substance which gives the hair its texture, color and gloss. When this secretion stops, the hair begins at once to become dry, lustreless, brittle and gray. Is that the condition of your hair? If so, apply Parker's hair Balsam at once. It will restore the color, gloss and life by renewing the action of nature. The Balsam is not an oil, not a dye, but an elegant toilet article, highly appreciated because of its cleanliness.

Cost of Bringing up a Boy.

A clergyman who has been discoursing about boys has devoted considerable attention to the cost of them, some of that necessary individuals, and he estimates the expense of bringing a good boy, with all the advantages of city life, to the age of fifteen, at about $5,000. These figures are about doubled by the time the boy is of age, if he goes through college. A bad boy, arrived at the age mentioned, costs fully as much, even if he has not been to college, and the computation, as the reverend gentleman suggests, does not include the value of the mother's tears and father's gray hairs. Most men who have brought up boys will agree that the estimate is not too high.

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

MR. VAN WYCK offered a resolution in the Senate on the 28th ult. directing the Postmaster-General to inquire whether at any time the Western Union and Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph companies entered into a contract [illegible] for the purpose of suppressing the competition of a competing line, and if such contract existed to report the facts. The resolution was referred. Mr. Dawes, from the committee on Indian Affairs, reported favorably the bill for the allotment of lands to the Indians of the Umatilla Reservation, Oregon. Consideration of the bill to provide new cruisers for the navy was resumed, and after a long debate the Senate adjourned. In the House Mr. Morrison reported a resolution, which was adopted, directing the Secretary of the Treasury to inform the House how much money is now in the Treasury of the United States, under what provision of law it is there retained, and how much, in view of the current receipts and expenditures and legal liabilities of the Treasury, can be applied at this time to the liquidation of that part of the public debt now payable without embarrassing his department. Mr. Bingham, from the Committee on Patents, [illegible] the bill to prevent the use of the United States mails to advertise noxious medicines, food and compounds. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the pleuro-pneumonia bill upon the conclusion of the consideration of which the committee rose and reported it to the House. Pending action, the House adjourned.

MR. INGALLS introduced a bill in the Senate on the 28th ult. to remove the injunction of secrecy from the court martial that tried Fitz-John Porter, in order that the members of it may explain the details of it to the public and justify its action in case it is called upon. The Senate resumed consideration of the bill to authorize the construction of steel cruisers, and pending debate went into executive session and adjourned. In the House Mr. [illegible] to the Clerk's desk and had [illegible] adopted by the executive committee of the Liberal Union of United Germany, expressing its appreciation of the action of the House of Representatives in adopting the resolution of Hon. Edward Lasker. In presenting the resolution Mr. Buster expressed his conviction that the action of the Liberal Union was a true index of the feeling of United Germany. Without debate the resolution was referred to the committee on Foreign Affairs. The House resumed consideration of the pleuro-pneumonia bill, the amendment striking out the fourth section was agreed to, and the bill passed—yeas 155, nays 57.

IN the Senate on the 29th Mr. Harrison reported favorably the original bill providing for the admission of the Territory of Dakota. Mr. Dawson, from the Appropriation Committee, reported back adversely the joint resolution providing for an appropriation in aid of the sufferers by the great storms in the Southern states. The Military Academy bill was reported favorably and placed on the calendar. Consideration of the bill for the construction of steel cruisers was then resumed, and after debate the amendments of Messrs. Jones and Sewell were voted down, and the bill passed—yeas 32, nays 15. In the House, Mr. Randall, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported a resolution which was adopted, calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information whether any additional clerical force is required for the purpose of paying the claims for rebate on tobacco. The Postoffice Appropriation bill was reported by Mr. Townsend and referred to the Committee of the Whole. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar, and soon after took a recess until 7:30 o'clock, when about twenty private bills were passed, after which the House adjourned.

MR. OATES, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported a resolution in the House on the 1st, calling on the Secretary of the Interior for information relative to the unauthorized fencing in of public lands by individuals or corporations in the States or Territories; adopted. Bills to establish a board of inter-State commerce; to provide for the issue of circulating notes to National Banking associations; and to increase the pensions of widows, minor children and dependent relatives of deceased soldiers and sailors, were referred to the Committee of the Whole. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill, but without action the committee rose and the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

JEREMIAH VAN REX, a wealthy farmer residing in Amity township, Berks County, Pa., was frozen to death on the 29th ult. He had left his home to drive in a buggy to Reading, some fifteen miles distant, and it is thought the drive against the cold wind chilled him. When his carriage arrived at the hotel it was found he was unable to move and he was carried into the house where he soon after died.

BUSINESS failures reported for the week ended the 29th ult., were: United States 193, Canada 42, against 246 the previous week.

A SNOW drift at Ballston Springs on the 29th ult. blockaded the Delaware & Hudson tracks so that no trains passed for nineteen hours.

E. DELRICK & Co., dealers in bags and twine, at San Francisco, made an assignment to Jacob E. Tabor on the 29th ult. Liabilities $280,000.

THREE naval cadets, H. Jastromeski, Frederick Parker and S. W. Maxey, have been dismissed by the Secretary of the Navy for hazing.

THE cashier of G. A. Bennett & Co., New York stock brokers, is reported to be defaulter to the amount of $20,000.

THE directors of the Boston, Concord & Montreal Railway Company recently voted to cut down wages eight to ten per cent. and a strike is threatened.

THE Trustees of Dartmouth College recently voted to erect a library building at a cost of $50,000.

SEVEN men of the crew of the Sarah W. Hunt met death by drowning or starvation while searching for seals near Campbell Island, Pacific Ocean.

IN a collision between a freight and passenger train near Paris, Ill., on the 29th ult., F. W. Lyndsey, fireman on the freight, was buried beneath the ruins and killed; the engineer of the passenger train had his leg broken, and fifteen heavily loaded freight cars were completely wrecked, as were both engines.

TWO men entered the grocery of Mrs. Malloy, at Cincinnati, on the 29th ult., when but two women were in the place, presented revolvers and ordered the women to deliver their money. They obtained $100 and escaped.

THE steamer Norseman, recently arrived at Boston from Liverpool, reports that she steamed along a solid wall of ice for a distance of 110 miles.

MARGARET A. SMITH was arrested at her home in Saginaw, Mich., on the 29th ult., charged with having poisoned her husband at Pontiac in 1880.

THE American Government has received an invitation through the Imperial German Legation at Washington to participate in the exhibition of dairy products at Munich from the 2d to the 12th of October, 1884.

SEVERAL leading citizens of St. Louis, under the leadership of Herbert Wolfe, Philadelphia, have organized an India Rights Association, as a branch of the Philadelphia association. Rev. Ellis, Chancellor of Washington University, is President, and Prof. M. Snow Secretary.

THE Treasury Department issued warrants for about $11,500,000 on account of pensions for February.

A VAST land robbing scheme in Oregon has been exposed by the Portland Oregonian, which charges that under the legislative act of 1878, entitled "An act providing for the selection and sale of swamp lands in Oregon," H. C. Owen, of Eugene, has filed four million acres, much of it good timber and grazing land; it also charges that a surveyor sent from Washington to examine the land in behalf of the Government, with having been bribed to further the plans of Owen. Thus far Owen has secured the entry of two million acres.

WHITE New York parties were experimenting on the tug boat Mattie Sargent, at Boston, on the 29th ult., with a combination of water and alcohol for use as fuel, five hundred gallons of alcohol poured into the boiler took fire, and resulted in $15,000 damage to the vessel, which falls upon the owners of the new system.

SENATORS Vance and Brown, and Representatives Bennett, Candler, W. R. Cox and Dibrell made arguments before the Ways and Means Committee on the 29th ult. advocating a change in the internal revenue laws. A proposition to allow fruit growers to make their own brandy without taxation was favored, and the speakers asked for less obnoxious laws relative to distillation. One or two Congressmen advocated the abolition of the internal revenue laws.

A BILL "to facilitate the settlement and development of Alaska," recently introduced in the Senate, provides that an appropriation of $100,000 be made for the survey, exploration and construction of a highway from Fort Wrangel to the nearest and most available station on the Canadian Pacific Railroad, at, or as near as practical to, the line of the 141th degree west longitude, and for opening the agricultural and grazing lands of the Territory of Alaska to settlement under the homestead laws in quantities of 640 acres to heads of families and 320 acres to persons, male and female, over twenty-one years of age, and unmarried.

THE steamship Boston City, which arrived at Boston from London on the 29th ult., brought ninety head of choice Holstein cattle for breeding purposes.

THE State colored convention in session at Nashville, Tenn., held a memorial service in honor of Wendell Phillips on the 29th ult. Speeches were made and a resolution adopted eulogizing him as the friend of the colored race.

THE extensive works of the United States Stamping Company, at Portland, Conn., burned on the 1st. They were filled with machinery for stamping tin, and employed about 300 men. Loss estimated at $400,000, insurance $225,000, divided among forty different companies.

UTICA, N. Y., was visited with a disastrous conflagration on the morning of the 2d, which broke out in the new shoe manufactory of H. J. Holbrook & Co. The Holbrook building, M. B. Delong's furniture house, and James Rockwell's clothing house, on Catherine Street; M. C. & E. D. Comstock's large store house on the Erie Canal, the Utica City National Bank, Newell & Sons, paper and glass dealers; the Utica Observer building and office, Comstock Brothers' wholesale house, C. H. Sayers' hardware store, and Edward Martin's gas fitting and plumbing store, from No. 109 to No. 123 inclusive, on Genesee Street, were totally destroyed with most of their contents. The total loss will foot up $800,000.

AT Philadelphia on the 1st six persons accused of selling pistols to the boys of the Thaddeus Stevens' public schools were held for trial.

THERE were extraordinary high tides along the north shore of Long Island on the 1st and much damage was done to the docks.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended March 1: Loans increase, $85,000; specie decrease, $1,018,000; legal tenders decrease, $450,000; deposits decrease, $1,628,000; circulation increase, $142,000; reserve decrease, $1,061,000. The banks held $18,000,000 in excess of legal requirements.

JUDD CROUCH, youngest son, and John S. Holcomb, son-in-law of Jacob D. Crouch, who, with Mr. and Mrs. White and Moses Polly, was murdered near Jackson, Mich., on the night of the 21st of November last, have been arrested for the crime. The officers claim to be in possession of strong circumstantial evidence against them.

THE Treasurer of the United States has prepared a statement showing the total coinage of standard silver dollars under the act of February 28, 1878, to March 1, 1884, was $166,125,119; held in Treasury offices and mints, $126,822,399; outstanding, $39,302,720. Of the amount held by the Treasury there are held to redeem outstanding silver certificates $96,247,721, leaving owned by the Treasury $30,574,678.

THE total production of iron and steel rails in this country last year was 1,389,964 net tons, a falling off of twenty per cent. compared with the production of 1882.

THE stockmen's convention at Sweetwater, Tex., on the 1st passed a resolution favoring the division of the State of Texas and Ft. Worth as the capital of the new State.

THERE was shipped to Europe by the steamer Adriatic on the 1st $1,027,000 in gold and $173,000 in silver.

ROBERT SMITH and wife were found dead on the morning of the 1st at New Bedford, Mass., having been suffocated by coal gas.

WILLIAM H. JOHNSON, of Pittsburgh, has brought suit against the Western Union Telegraph Company to recover $20,000 for injuries sustained by being knocked off a car by defendant's wires while in pursuit of his duties as a brakeman on the Pittsburgh & Western Railroad.

A PARTY of Hungarians encamped at Roaring Creek, Pa., on the 1st, engaged in a fight and Skuski Lowenthalisky stabbed fatally two men and one woman.

SUITS have been entered at Uniontown, Pa., against the Connellsville Iron and Coal Company by five of the widows whose husbands were killed by the recent explosion at the West Leisenreing shaft. Damages are held at $15,000 in each case.

WHILE out hunting on the 1st, Sheriff Zittrauer, of Bryan County, Ga., was mistaken for a deer and shot dead.

THE United States Government is pressing its claims against Spain for $493,000 as the balance of the awards due on account of the American losses during the rebellion in Cuba, and also for $6,000,000 for estates embargoed during the same period and not restored to their American owners.

A PROTEST of the iron and steel manufacturers and iron ore manufacturers against the Morrison tariff bill, signed by three hundred and twenty-two firms and [illegible] sent to every Senator and [illegible] in Congress.

Two freight trains on the Pan-Handle road collided near Bowerstown, O., on the 1st, wrecking both engines and a number of cars, and killing seventy-five sheep. The train men escaped uninjured.

THE coinage of the Philadelphia mint for February aggregated $1,179,800, of which $1,100,000 were silver dollars.

A QUANTITY of dynamite in a shanty in the lower part of Harrisburg, Pa., exploded on the 1st, blowing the shanty to atoms and damaging sixteen dwellings in the vicinity. No one was seriously injured.

FRANCIS J. SMITH, City Treasurer of Babylon, N. Y., has been found short $[illegible] in his accounts and a warrant is out for his arrest.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MRS. NANCY BROWN, widow of John Brown, of Harper's Ferry notoriety, died at San Francisco on the 28th ult.

MARSHALL T. POLK, ex-Treasurer of the State of Tennessee, died at his home in Nashville on the 29th ult.

UNITED STATES MINISTER WILLIAM H. HUNT, of Louisiana, died at St. Petersburg, on the 27th ult. of paralysis of the brain. He had been unable to speak since the 24th, when he expressed regret that he could not die in his own country.

THE House Committee on Commerce has agreed to report Representative Stewart's bill to regulate inter-State commerce and provide for the appointment of a commission. An amendment to prohibit pooling has been added to the bill.

THE election in the Second District of Kansas on the 1st to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Representative Haskell, resulted in the choice of Funston (Republican) over Riggs (Democrat and Greenbacker) by a majority of from 3,000 to 5,000.

AN extra session of the California Legislature has been called for March 20, to consider the railroad tax cases.

A GREENBACK State Convention has been called to meet at Augusta, Me., April 20, to select delegates to the National Convention.

FOREIGN.

THE death of De La Motte, member of the French Chamber of Deputies, is announced.

THE betrothal of Princess Elizabeth of Hesse with Grand Duke Sergius of Russia is officially announced.

WHEN William H. Haigh, of Port Hope, Ontario, a passenger in the Circassian from England, landed at Halifax he discovered that he had been robbed of $3,000 worth of jewelry and other valuables on the passage.

THE Consul General of Greece announces that his Government has abolished the prohibition against the importation of American pork. The decree took effect on the 22d ult.

LETTERS to George Anderson, member of the British Parliament, show sixteen suicides and two murders at Monte Carlo since the 1st of January. It is stated that the newspapers published in the district have been paid to suppress all mention of these tragic events.

GLADSTONE'S new franchise bill recently introduced in the British Commons will, if passed, extend the suffrage to nearly 2,000,000 persons; 1,300,000 in England, 450,000 in Ireland and 200,000 in Scotland.

MARTIN TURNER & Co., merchants of Glasgow, engaged in the East India trade, have failed. Their liabilities are roughly estimated at between £400,000 and £500,000.

THE new American steamship Rances, from Philadelphia for Hingo, Japan, was wrecked January 2, within one week's run of her destination. Her cargo of 730,000 gallons of refined oil, valued at $71,000, was insured. The vessel was valued at $135,000; uninsured.

LATER.

THE boilers in the California sawmill at Bear Creek, near Wilkesbarre, Pa., exploded on the morning of the 3d demolishing the building and killing Rudolph Sieder, Whitney Whitebread and Jesse Knecht. The bodies were blown several hundred feet.

THE large furnace of the South Boston Iron Works was lighted for the first time in seven years on the 3d for casting a 12-inch rifle mortars for the United States Ordnance Department. This will be the first of a lot of fine heavy experimental guns authorized by the last Congress.

PRENTISS TILLER, a money clerk in the Pacific Express Company's office at St. Louis disappeared on the 2d, taking with him two valises full of money packages, amounting to nearly $75,000. Detectives are searching for him.

THE peach buds throughout Ontario, Canada, are reported completely destroyed by the recent cold weather.

REV. C. S. SMITH, of Bloomington, Ill., Chairman of the Colored State Central Committee of that State, arrived at Pittsburg on the 3d to complete arrangements for the National Colored Convention to be held there in April next. He says the convention will be in session several days, and a secret session will adopt an address demanding recognition from the people and better protection for the colored race in the South. The address will be issued purposely before the two National conventions, and colored people will wait to see what is done. About two hundred and fifty delegates will be present.

THE Senate on the 3d passed a number of bills authorizing the construction of various public buildings in the West and South. A resolution offered by Mr. Bayard was agreed to, instructing the Committee on Naval Affairs to inquire into the expediency of the preparation and equipment of a foundry with proper machinery for the manufacture by the Government of modern artillery of the largest calibre and the most approved construction, and to make a report thereon as soon as possible. A message was received from the House containing resolutions expressive of regret at the death of Representative Haskell, of Kansas. Remarks eulogistic of deceased were made by several Senators, a resolution expressive of its sorrow at the death of Mr. Haskell was passed, and as a further tribute of respect the Senate adjourned. In the House Mr. Randall, under instructions from the Committee on Appropriations, reported back a bill from the Secretary of the Treasury, relative to the rebate of tobacco. Mr. Randall said the claims could be paid in three months, and that there was no occasion whatever for claimants to go to any expense to secure the payment of their money. Mr. Washburne offered a resolution, which was adopted, directing the Committee on Naval Affairs to investigate all the facts connected with the Jeannette Arctic expedition, and alleged unofficerlike and unseamanlike conduct therein, and send for persons and papers. Mr. Townshend moved to suspend the rules and pass a bill pensioning the survivors of the Mexican war. The bill does not apply, like that pending before the House, to the soldiers of the Black Hawk and other Indian wars. After some debate the rules were suspended and the bill passed—yeas 227, nays 16. The House then adjourned.

MARRIED.

AUSTIN—GALL.—At the residence of Henry Wilson, of Tecumseh, by Rev. G. W. Hudson, Mr. Rollin Austin of Blissfield and Miss Mary Gall of Manchester.

HECK—BREEN.—In Tecumseh, Feb. 27, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, at the residence of Mr. S. W. Anderson, Mr. Chas. H. Heck and Miss Ella I. Breen, both of Tecumseh.

PACKARD—THORN.—In Tecumseh, March 4, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, at the residence of the groom's father, Mr. Adelbert F. Packard, and Miss Annie M. Thorn, both of Tecumseh.

BOYD—BROWN.—In Raisin, March 3, by the Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Robert M. Boyd and Miss Anna M. Brown, both of Raisin.

BURTON—COMEEN.—Feb. 28, at the residence of the bride's parents in the township of Clinton, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Mr. A. A. Burton, of Norvell, and Miss Lillie V. Comeen.

SCHOFIELD—RUSSELL.—March 5th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Mr. Stephen Schofield and Miss Mary Russell, both of Raisin.

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Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	-	@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	08	@	10
Corn in ear	25	@	30
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56	@	57
Clover Seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	22
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₱ lb		@	15
Ham, ₱ lb		@	14
Lard, ₱ lb		@	10
Oats ₱ bushel	28	@	30
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	50
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25	@	35
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
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BRITTON BUDGET.

Married—On Wednesday (March 5, 1884) at the residence of the bride's mother, near Holloway, in Lenawee Co., Mich., Mr. Andrew Cheever of Britton and Miss Altha Binns of Holloway. There was between sixty and seventy guests present to witness the above named marriage. Rev. B. F. Rapp, pastor of the Church of Christ in East Ridgeway, pronounced the marriage ceremony, which was done at 4 P. M. The wedded couple were made the recipients of a goodly number of presents, substantial, useful and valuable. Below is a list of them, with the names of the doners:

2 towels and 1 table-cloth, Esther Coryell, grand-mother to the bride-groom.

1 Table-cloth, Mr. and Mrs. John Wiggins.

2 Towels, Mrs. John Haney.

2 Towels, Mr. and Mrs. Ford.

2 Towels, Mrs. Winder.

1 Bed-spread, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Morrell.

1 Bed-spread, Mr. and Mrs. W. Larkins.

1 Table-cloth, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kelley.

1 Bed-spread, Mrs. John Ceeever, mother of the bride-groom.

1 doz. Napkins and 1 Table-cloth, J. H. Billmeyer and family.

1 Brussels Rug, Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse.

1 pair Kid Shoes, J. D. Wilson.

1 Silver-cake Basket, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Garlinghouse.

2 Vaces, Mary L. Wood.

1 Stand-lamp, Mrs. Ida Pocklington.

1 Stand-lamp, Wm. L. Cheever, brother of the bride-groom.

1 Silver butter-dish, Will. Binns, brother to the bride.

1 set Glass-ware, Mr. and Mrs. C. Pocklington.

1 set Glass-ware, Mary and Ollie Cheever, sisters to the bride-groom.

1 Tea-server, Mrs. Satterthwaite.

1 Lamp-stand, Frances J. Palmer.

1 Lamp-stand, George Mize.

1 parlor Hanging Lamp, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Kelley.

1 set Silver Tea Spoons and 1 Silver Butter-knife, Mrs. Elizabeth Binns, mother of the bride.

Five dollars in paper currency, Mr. John Embly, grand-father of the bride.

Ten dollars in gold, John Cheever, father of the bride-groom.

1 Broom, on which was permanently pasted a card, the reading of which is by request herewith presented for publication:

ALTHA:

This trifling gift accept from me;
It's use I would commend,
In sunshine use the brushy part;
In storms, the OTHER end.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Wm. D. Wells and Henry Pocklington leave Ridgeway this week for Addison. Success attend them.

Mr. Sedan of Dundee is the proprietor of the meat market here.

Miss Ella Hall returned from New York City last Friday. Her friends were not expecting her for some time, hence a very pleasing surprise.

Miss Luella Wilson will teach the village school, spring and summer terms.

Mrs. George Lester died very suddenly March 6th, of apoplexy. She was a very estimable lady and leaves a very large circle of friends who sincerely mourn her loss.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The leap year party, of which Misses, Whelan & Dibble were proprietors, held at Tuttle's Hall, Friday evening, was a complete success. Mrs. Dr. Jenkins furnished the supper to which a large number of the young people of Franklin and neighboring towns did justice. The girls displayed their ability as managers, and a better time was never enjoyed. Music by Charley Cooley and others. Now boys, a return is in order.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The thermometer registered six degrees below zero here on the morning of the tenth. Winter appears to be loth to effect an adjournment.

Mr. George Smith of Somerset, who received such severe injuries by cow-hooking last week, is reported doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

Regular morning services are now announced at the M. E. Church by parties of the Congregational persuasion. The final establishment of a church here of that type is among the objects striven for.

As the time approaches for the public schools to close for vacation, our juveniles begin to cast about them for some new method of amusement.

Since the recent fall of snow logs have been delivered at Morley's Steam Mill with more dispatch than during any other period of the winter.

Rev. B. T. Bailey, pastor of the Baptist church in Rollin, is announced to preach here next Sabbath at three o'clock.

The spring elections being near at hand it becomes the duty of all office seekers to turn their attention to "ways and means."

An engineering party engaged in working up a line for the proposed Grand Trunk railroad extension, have been at work in this vicinity for some days. The enterprise coming as it does immediately on the heels of the one just completed, receives but little attention here compared with its deserts under other circumstances.

MACON MOLECULES.

Many Clinton people attended quarterly meeting Sunday.

Miss Bertie Sage and Miss Alice Collins recently returned from Vermontville, Mich., where they went to attend a wedding.

Beecher Lighthall and his mother are to occupy the house recently vacated by Mr. Betser.

DeWit Martin just closed his school in the Culbertson district. Mr. Martin is reported to have given excellent satisfaction.

Mr. Jesse Coller was home last Monday. He looks as though "city" life is quite agreeable.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. John Sage does not convalesce very rapidly; still we hope that he may entirely recover.

Mr. Geo. Burdette died Monday afternoon. Although his death was expected, yet a gloom was cast over the neighborhood. Mr. Burdette had been an honored citizen of Macon many years. He held for a number of years the office of township treasurer. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist church, Rev. Mr. Kerridge officiating. All unite in extending their sympathy to the bereaved family.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

This school has been progressing during the present year with unusual harmony and interest. The number of boarders has been larger than for some time, and we believe the work done has been very thorough and satisfactory. The improvements made in the building last fall have added greatly to the pleasantness of the student's life. Two interesting and instructive lectures have been delivered to the students the present term, one by Mr. Douglas, on the subject of "Astronomy" and the other by the Principal on the subject of the Earth, geologically considered. Dr. Morden lectured on Wednesday evening of last week on the theme "Is the world getting better?"

Vocal music and painting have been regularly and successively taught the past two terms.

The next term, which opens April 1st., is in many particulars the most favorable time of the year to attend this school. Review classes are often formed for the accommodation of Teachers in attendance. The lawns are beautiful and ample and are especially adapted to the prosecution of Zoology and Botany. The weather is also usually more favorable for using the telescope.

Those students boarding in the building are visited daily in their study rooms, and careful attention is given to their health and habits.

The thorough teaching under such good christian influences, and at such cheap rates, makes this school a very desirable one to be patronized by the public.

AUCTION SALES.

Pres. DePuy having rented his farm will sell at auction 5 miles north east of Tecumseh, and 2 miles southwest of Pennington's corners, in the township of Clinton, on Wednesday, March 19th, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: 1 six year old mare, 7 year old gelding, 4 year old mare, 3 year old gelding, span brood mares, 40 ewes with lamb, Galloway bull, Champion mower, cultivators, harrow, 2 year old heifer, hay fork, pair trucks, clover hay, farming utensils, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben Reynolds, Auc.

Robert McCook having rented his farm will sell at auction one half mile south and two miles east of Clinton, Tuesday, March 25, '84, at 12 M., one heavy work team, yearling bull, set double harness, single harness, lumber wagon, single buggy, light wagon, bobsleighs, triumph reaper, ghampion mower, 3 cows, 2 yearling steers, 5 shoats, farm tools, white seed oats, hay, etc. Eighteen months credit. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

The Adrian Press says: Our paper this week is the first weekly printed in Lenawee county by water power. The presses are run by a No. 12 Tuerk hydraulic motor, and it does its work on a 40 pound pressure most admirably. The supply stream from the main comes through a two inch pipe, but the feed stream that drives the motor is only one eighth of an inch. The motor is almost noiseless, and excites universal admiration by the manner in which it runs the pulleys.

HYPOCHONDRIA.

The Mysterious Element in the Mind that Arouses Vague Apprehensions. What Actually Causes It.

The narrative below by a prominent scientist touches a subject of universal importance. Few people are free from the distressing evils which hypochondria brings. They come at all times and are fed by the very flame which they themselves start. They are a dread of coming derangement caused by present disorder and bring about more suicides than any other one thing. Their first approach should be carefully guarded.

Editors Herald:

It is seldom I appear in print and I should not do so now did I not believe myself in possession of truths, the revelation of which will prove of inestimable value to many who may see these lines. Mine has been a trying experience. For many years I was conscious of a want of nerve tone. My mind seemed sluggish and I felt a certain falling off in my natural condition of intellectual acuteness, activity and vigor. I presume this is the same way in which an innumerable number of other people feel, who like myself are physically below par, but like thousands of others I paid no attention to these annoying troubles, attributing them to overwork, and resorting to a glass of beer or a milk punch, which would for a time invigorete and relieve my weariness.

After awhile the stimulants commenced to disagree with my stomach, my weariness increased, and I was compelled to resort to other means to find relief. If a physician is suffering he invariably calls another physician to prescribe for him, as he cannot see himself as he sees others; so I called a physician and he advised me to try a little chemical food, or a bottle of hypophosphates. I took two or three bottles of the chemical food with no apparent benefit. My lassitude and indisposition seemed to increase, my food distressed me; I suffered from neuralgic pains in different parts of my body, my muscles became sore, my bowels were constipated, and my prospects for recovery were not very flattering. I stated my case to another physician, and he advised me to take five to ten drops of Magende's solution of morphine, two or three times a day for the weakness and distress in my stomach, and a blue pill every other night to relieve the constipation. The morphine produced such a deadly nausea that I could not take it, and the blue pill failed to relieve my constipation.

In this condition I passed nearly a year wholly unfit for business, while the effort to think was irksome and painful. My blood became impoverished, and I suffered from incapacity with an appaling sense of misery and general apprehension of coming evil. I passed sleepless nights and was troubled with irregular action of the heart, a constantly feverish condition and the most excruciating tortures in my stomach, living for days on rice water and gruel, and, indeed, the digestive functions seemed to be entirely destroyed.

It was natural that while in this condition I should become hypochondriacal and fearful suggestions of self-destruction occasionally presented themselves. I experienced an insatiable desire for sleep, but on retiring would lie awake for a long time tormente I with troubled reflections; and when at last I did fall into an uneasy slumber of short duration, it was disturbed by horrid dreams. In this condition I determined to take a trip to Europe, but in spite of all the attentions of physicians and change of scene and climate, I did not improve, and so returned home with no earthly hope of ever again being able to leave the house.

Among the numerous friends that called on me was one who had been afflicted somewhat similarly to myself, but who had been restored to perfect health. Upon his earnest recommendation I began the same treatment he had employed but with little hope of being benefited. At first experienced little, if any, relief, except that it did not distress my stomach as other remedies or even food had done. I continued its use, however, and after the third bottle could see a marked change for the better, and now after the fifteenth bottle I am happy to state that I am again able to attend to my professional duties. I sleep well, nothing distresses me that I eat, I go from day to day without a feeling of weariness or pain, indeed I am a well man, and wholly through the influence of H. H. Warner & Co's Tippecanoe. I consider this remedy as taking the highest possible rank in the treatment of all diseases marked by debility, loss of appetite, and all other symptoms of stomach and digestive disorders. It is overwhelmingly superior to the tonics, bitters and dyspepsia cures of the day, and is certain to be so acknowledged by the public universally. Thousands of people to day are going to premature graves with these serious diseases, that I have above described, and to all such I would say: "Do not let your good judgement be governed by your prejudices, but give the above named remedy a fair and patient trial, and I believe you will not only be rewarded by a perfect restoration to health, but you will also be convinced that the medical profession does not possess all the knowledge there is embraced in medical science."

A. G. RICHARDS, M.D.,
498 Tremont Street, Boston, Mas.

A good business man will never take his sign out of the newspaper while he expects to do business. When he takes his sign down it indicates that his business is poor and that he is losing his grip.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 13, 1884.

"SET YOUR FOOT WITH MINE, JOHN."

Set your foot with mine, John,
Let us step together
If the road be good or bad,
Fine or stormy weather.
Put your hand in mine, John,
Keep it firmly, brother;
Strangers can not be to us
What we are to each other.

We, the same good father, John,
No love had a better;
To his wisdom and his love
Both of us are debtors.
We'd the same sweet mother, too;
No boys had a sweeter:
We must love each other well,
Or how could we meet her?

When we were but little chaps,
Driving home the cattle,
Then we shared each other's talks,
Fought each other's battle.
Then we had the self-same griefs,
And the self-same pleasures,
Held in common bats and balls,
And our boyish treasures.

Now, though we are bearded men,
Still, you know, we're brothers;
Than we are to others,
I for you, and you for me,
In life's changing battle,
As it was in bygone days,
Driving home the cattle.

So put your foot with mine, John
We will step together,
If the way be good or bad,
Fine or stormy weather.
Let the world go well or ill,
Put your hand in mine, brother:
Strangers can not be to us
What we are to each other.

—*Lillie E. Barr, in N. Y. Ledger.*

A VISIT TO THE HOLY CITY.

The ceremonies I am about to describe have been practiced for more than a thousand years, and are so interesting from their antiquity, as well as from their extraordinary character, that the very horror and disgust they occasion is accompanied by a feeling of respect even for the victims of the superstition which gives rise to them. Moreover, the recent development of Mohammedan fanaticism under the auspices of the New Prophet gives a special interest to this matter at the [illegible] Christian woman who has ever been admitted to see these rites. Before I went I did not understand their nature, and the readers will easily imagine how glad I was, long before their conclusion, to make my escape.

The Holy City of Kairwan is the Mecca of the State of Tunis, and indeed of Northern Africa. It lies about eighty miles south of Tunis, and some twenty miles inland from the sea. On entering the town I saw a flock of camels coming over the desert, led by their keepers. On the other side appeared a woman riding on an ass, and robed in a mantle of deep dark blue, which was folded over her head and round an infant in her arms. A man walked by her side with a staff to which a gourd was attached. The sun was descending behind them, and its beams lit up their figures as they turned away into the wilderness. A little further on, near a solitary palm tree, a man was riding a camel, with a worn woman slowly trailing on foot behind him. At a sign the camel stopped, and the man, dismounting, lay under the tree, and sent the weary woman far into the distance for water. It is here that the barber of the Prophet Mohammed is buried, who possessed the most precious clippings from his beard—three hairs of which now remain. The town is not interesting, consisting of houses built of small bricks, partly covered in patches with dilapidated plaster. The roofs are flat, and one can walk from one to another almost over the town. The town is surrounded by a thin wall, surmounted with a parapet with semicircular crenelations. The gates are of old wood studded with iron knobs. The streets are filthy unpaved lanes, and the house doors lead downward as into a cellar. There is no hotel or inn of any description. The whole town is studded with mosques, small, decayed and poor in appearance, but there are only two of consequence, the Great Mosque and the Tomb of the Barber.

In the Great Mosque there are a multitude of pillars, mostly antique remains, of various colored marbles. On entering, knowing the prejudices of the Turks, I stooped down to take off my shoes before treading on the holy carpet—or rather matting. This appeared to please them, and a priest made a gesture to me and forthwith caused the matting to be rolled away, so that I could walk upon the floor, thick with dust and dirt. The scene was impressive. Numbers of figures, with the white burnous bound round their heads by a string, were crouching round with their rosaries of beads, and prayer-boards, chanting a kind of Gregorian measure. This caused a sort of vibrating hum to pervade the building. At the foot of the pulpit are two red granite pillars, about twelve feet high, and some six inches apart. Through these the faithful squeeze themselves into Paradise, having previously reduced their bodies by starvation for the purpose. Nearly two and a half inches of granite have been worn away from one of the pillars by repeated friction, so that the entrance has become easier than it must once have been. A small, slim boy of thirteen years of age was just able to slip through. To a full grown man it must have been a severe trial. The Tomb of the Barber, placed in an upper room in one of the mosques, is surrounded with trellis-work, covered with rich carpets, and hung round with canopies, banners, painted ostrich eggs, and other offerings of the faithful. Every Friday, and also on other days in the week, penances take place at various mosques or religious houses in the town. The persons who practice these rites have many social and pecuniary privileges, and belong to a special caste of their own.

I went to see one of these ceremonies. It took place at half-past eight in the evening, two hours after dark. I entered a court-yard and passed thence into a whitewashed room, stepping over the carved barrier about eighteen inches high, which is usual in Moorish houses. I then found myself in a room, as far as I can guess, about thirty or forty feet long by twenty or thirty feet wide. On the right, as we entered, was a sort of alcove with dark marble pillars. The walls of the room, which were somewhat irregular, were daubed with whitewash and very dirty; the floor was of mud and stone. Opposite the alcove, and on the left of the entrance door was a huge wooden grating, behind which the women were placed. In the center hung an enormous chandelier of rough wood-work, perhaps about twelve feet square, and covered with bits of candle, glasses with oil and floating wicks, and scraps of glass and mirrors, an old glass chandelier being opposite the door, likewise garnished with oil lamps and scraps of tallow candle. The light was very dim, and the room had no windows except in the roof, which was high and very irregular in form, leading upward till its shape was lost in the gloom. A piece of yellow matting was in the center, on the edge of which was a small camp-stool for the chief priest. For our accommodation two wooden divans, in size and shape like camp bedsteads, were ranged along the wall opposite the door. In the center of the matting was a large iron brazier with tripod feet, filled with glowing embers—I think of charcoal. Around this brazier, with their faces inward, a number of persons were sitting, or rather squatting, in Oriental fashion, their shoes placed in rows outside the edge of the matting. Their dress consisted of a fez, with a white and gold turban wound tightly round the lower part of it; underneath this fez they wear white caps. Their cleanliness was very remarkable, and presented a striking contrast to the houses in which they live. On their bodies they wore common white shirts, and loose linen trousers, a waistcoat of embroidered cloth fastened on one shoulder, and a loose robe down to the ankles, with loose hanging sleeves. Over all the burnous is worn like the Roman toga, hanging down over the left shoulder, and drawn up under the right into a fold over the breast. About twenty of these in the inner circle nearest the brazier had musical instruments. The drums, which were the principal instruments, were apparently made of green earthenware bottles, turned upside down, the bottom hammered out, and replaced by thick parchment tied down with string. They were accompanied by pipes, tambourines, and the clashing of pieces of hard wood and fragments of [illegible] short time the music began, under the direction of a leader. At first the measure was slow, but quickened in magnificent crescendos and diminuendos, with cries of "Allah, Allah." This lasted nearly three-quarters of an hour. The music was barbaric, but the religious fervor of the performers gave it a certain artistic merit that was very impressive. By degrees the devotees rose from the carpet, and stood along the wall of the room opposite to us. They then began to sway from side to side, keeping time to the music; then, as the music became louder, they swayed more and more, sideway and forward; at last bending down on one knee and rapidly rising again.

At last one of them began to roll his head round and round on his breast. Upon this the lesser priests brought him forward onto the matting, and removed the turban, fez, and white cap, leaving his head bare. The head was shaved, with the exception of a long, thick bunch of hair in the center, which sometimes hung down to the waist. With this the Prophet will lift them into Paradise. The music played louder and louder, and they all began to groan—or rather, I should say, to howl—until the noise was almost insupportable. Then one after the other became seized with the delirium, rolling their heads and eyes in a manner that almost frightened me. Then the assistant priests removed the garments from their shoulders, and the brazier was handed from one to another, over which they held their heads to inhale its fumes. Each man then knelt before the high priest, who prayed into each ear in succession. A number of swords were then brought forward. They consisted of broad blades of steel; instead of handles these swords were fitted into round blocks of wood, about six inches in diameter and two inches thick. The devotees seized them with both hands at the handle and point, and began to raise them over their heads, and bring them down with all their force against their waists. Several of them knelt down and placed the points of the swords against the muscles of their shoulders near the neck. The priests then drove the points into the flesh with small wooden mallets, so as to project through the skin on the other side.—*Cor. London Daily News.*

Abnormal Appetites.

While the normal appetite naturally indicates the amount of food demanded to repair the waste caused by the ordinary exercise, with the kinds especially demanded to meet present necessities, this appetite may be so molded, by unnatural habits, as to become wholly unreliable. It is a creature of accident, and may be made or unmade at will, changing to the extent of our changes of habits. Any article, however distasteful, even disgusting to the natural taste, by a systematic and continued course, may be made to become the most agreeable to the taste (vitiated, of course) of any known substance. If one may so far reverse nature, so far violate physical law, so revolutionize the taste as to relish *tobacco*, any known article may be tolerated and enjoyed. And here, it may be remarked, that the more repulsive any article may be, the greater the effort required to establish a habit, the more the system is violated in the formation of such a habit, the stronger that habit will become, making its victim a slave!

It is as true that the gratification of such morbid appetites, demanding unusual violence to nature, the less will be the real pleasure of such gratifications, as nature always institutes a "drawback" on all infringements of her laws. It follows, therefore, that the use of the simple foods, rich in natural nourishment, with a normal appetite, will afford the greatest amount of pleasure to the taste, in accordance with a general law in morals, that it is always safe and profitable to do right.—*Golden Rule.*

—It is estimated that 57,600 papers of a certain brand of smoking-tobacco are daily sold in New York City.—*N. Y. Mail.*

A Rich Man's Romance.

The frowns of a step-mother, it appears, indirectly laid the foundation for the millions of the Astors. The original John Jacob Astor was born in the village of Waldorf, on the banks of the Rhine, in 1763. His father was a butcher. He forced his sons William and Jacob to work from morning until night while he enjoyed himself with his neighbors at the tavern. The mother of the Astor boys died while they were young. The father married again and the motherless boys for several years passed through a siege of terror. John Jacob the elder, seems to have received more than his share of the trials. During the day he would go from door to door with a heavy basket of meat on his shoulder, and when night came he would prefer the soft side of a plank with the horses rather than to brave the scowls of his step-mother. At the age of sixteen he bid good-bye to his native village and started out to better his fortune. Sixteen years later the boy who had been driven from his home on the Rhine, had accumulated $250,000 in honest money. In 1848 he died, leaving $20,000,000. The two generations of Astors which followed increased and enjoyed this mammoth fortune.

Mr. John Jacob Astor of to-day, who is about to celebrate the evacuation of Holland by his grandfather, is a man of fine and polished manners, of a retiring nature, devoting his time chiefly to society and charities. He was born in 1823. The home of his parents, then in the suburbs of New York, was surrounded by green fields and stately trees. After that portion of the city was built up the old mansion remained intact at Broadway and White street. Later it gave place to a magnificent structure, which was erected as a monument to mark the location of the Astor homestead.

Young Astor was born and raised in luxury, receiving every advantage of a moral and intellectual education. His early days were spent at the magnificent country seat at Rhinebeck, on the Hudson, which was after the English style. A family chapel on the borders of the estate was used as a school, which was superintended by a professor of high degree, and at which the children of their neighbors commingled with John Jacob Astor in the pursuit of knowledge. John Jacob in his boyhood was of a reserved demeanor and retiring disposition, very diffident in society, and showed to poor advantage the thorough education of which he was possessed. As years passed, however, this gradually disappeared, only to return, however, with his first love.

Thomas Gibbs was a Southerner who had made an ample fortune in land speculations in South Carolina and had brought his family to New York to enjoy the ease and comforts the large metropolis afforded. Mr. Gibbs and the father of young John soon became acquainted through business transactions. The intimacy ripened to social intercourse, and John Jacob and his brother, William B., were introduced to the Gibbs household, where they became acquinted with the fair daughter of their host, a maiden of the Southern type of beauty, just ripening into womanhood. Miss Augusta Gibbs was of noble character, talented and dignified, in every way worthy of the consideration and love of an Astor. John Jacob learned to love the fair Southern maiden, and a romantic courtship followed. The young girl, with her parents, were frequent visitors to the Astor country seat on the Hudson. Here the young couple, seated in shady bowers of the vast park, or strolling arm-in-arm along the broad beach of the Hudson by moonlight, plighted their troth and laid plans for their future happiness. In the social circles of this city young Astor and his betrothed were known as a singularly modest and dignified couple, who would have attracted little notice had it not been for the great wealth of Mr. Astor's family.

The wedding which followed was one of the grand social events of the day, and after an extensive tour the happy couple returned to the Astor country seat on the Hudson, where the event was again celebrated by a family gathering and a reception after the English custom. Within the year following the happy marriage of his son, William B. Astor died. The large estate, estimated at $40,000,000, was divided between the widow and her two sons.

Mr. J. J. Astor and his wife rose rapidly in social splendor, and soon became the leaders of New York society. Both devoted much of their time to charitable purposes, and it is said that soon after their marriage the charitable donations from Mr. Astor and his wife amounted to upward of $100,000 annually. Shortly after the death of the senior Astor a beautiful baby boy was born to the new household, who in after life received the entire affections and devotions of the fond parents. This, their only child, gradually grew to be a man of noble character, and was at an early age sought to fill one of the highest representative positions of the Nation.

Mr. Astor at the age of sixty-one continues to visit his business office daily and superintends the control of his vast estate, while his wife, several years his junior, finds time to visit daily the half dozen or more charitable institutions which she has assisted in organizing and supporting for upward of a score of years. Socially Mr. John Jacob Astor and the once diffident and reserved Southern belle take the lead. The broad halls of their spacious mansion on Fifth avenue are thrown open twice a week regularly to the elite of New York society, and a sumptuous repast is served. The old family mansion and spacious grounds on the Hudson, around which many fond memories are entwined, still remains a summer resort for the aged couple, and in the warmer months serves as a refreshing and quiet retreat, where they are refreshed by the fond recollections of earlier days.—*N. Y. Journal.*

—Bostonians call a girl a "guirrel," a suit a "shuit," and a dude a "jude." For "basket" they say "bosket," and there is a breed of dogs they call "Nufenlanders."—*Chicago Herald.*

—Two members of a party of burglars recently apprehended in London were women, who, attired as men, burgled with their male "pals."

Rev. Father Wilds' EXPERIENCE.

The Rev. Z. P. Wilds, well-known city missionary in New York, and brother of the late eminent Judge Wilds, of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, writes as follows:

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla, by observation of many other cases and from personal use in the future years, to begin taking it for the all-prevailing disorders. My appetite improved almost from the first dose. After a short time the fever and itching were relayed, and all signs of irritation of the skin disappeared. My catarrh and cough were also cured by the same means, and my general health greatly improved, until it is now excellent. I feel a hundred per cent stronger, and I attribute these results to the use of the SARSAPARILLA, which I recommend with all confidence as the best blood medicine ever devised. I took it in small doses three times a day, and used, in all, less than two bottles. I place these facts at your service, hoping their publication may do good.

Yours respectfully, Z. P. WILDS."

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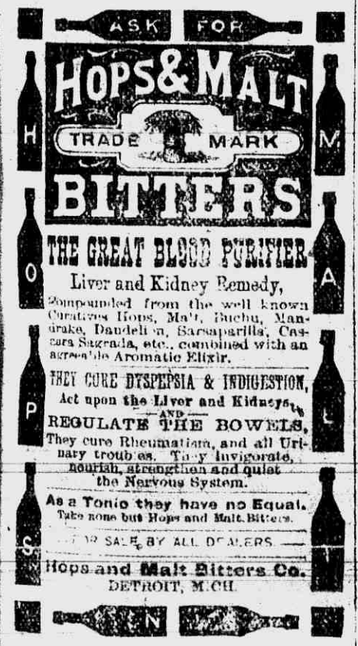

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Rev. H. H. Fairall, D.D., editor of the Iowa Methodist, says editorially, in the November (1883) number of his paper: "We have tested the merits of Ely's Cream Balm, and believe that, by a thorough course of treatment, it will cure almost every case of catarrh. Ministers, as a class, are afflicted with head and throat troubles, and catarrh seems more prevalent than ever. We cannot recommend Ely's Cream Balm too highly." Not a liquid nor a snuff. Applied to nostrils with the finger.

Fourteen Wonders of the World.

The seven wonders of the world, in ancient times, were the pyramids of Egypt, the Pharos of Alexandria, the walls and hanging gardens of Babylon, the temple of Diana, the statue of the Olympic Jupiter, the Mausoleum of Artemesia, and the Colossus of Rhodes.

The seven wonders of the world in modern times are the printing press, the steam engine, the telegraph, the daguerreotype, the telephone, the phonograph, and the electric light.

The so-called "Seven Wonders" of the ancients were mere trifles compared with those of the present time. The Brooklyn bridge, for example, would make the hanging gardens of Babylon a mere toy, while the whole seven wonders put together would sink into insignificance could the builders have seen a lightning express train at full speed.

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If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Fifty cents a bottle.

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That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

Coloring a Pine Floor.

The *Art Interchange* gives the following directions for coloring a pine floor which is to be partially covered with rugs: Buy at any painters' store turpentine and linseed oil (not boiled.) Ask them to put a little Japanese dryer in the turpentine. Buy either burnt sienna or Vandyke brown, or both, according to the color of the rug and the tint on the walls. These colors come put up in tin cans, smaller but otherwise similar to tomato or fruit cans. After your floor has been washed thoroughly clean, is free from dust, and dry, begin by opening your can and mixing, in another receptacle, the oil, turpentine and paint. Remember, the oil is to thin your paint, the turpentine to dry it. The mixture should be so thin that it will run with liquid readiness. Lay it on with a brush as thick as your hand, stroking the brush the way of the grain of the wood. To protect your hands wear old gloves, and go over the floor with a rag. In fact, you will need two rags, one pretty well charged with paint, to rub in every crevice, and another rag to rub off any superfluous paint. Mind your stops, or, rather, put some mind in the way you stop. Do not stop in a straight line across the grain of wood, but carry your brush irregularly down, taking a hint from nature's lines in the wood you are preserving with paint. By mixing the burnt sienna and Vandyke brown you will secure a rich color without needing to use the paint in a thick form. Your mixture should be so thin that the grain of the wood will show through. If you have too much turpentine the paint will rub off. If you have too little your room will need more days to dry. Take as much oil as turpentine certainly. Do not economize the oil, albeit be as prodigal in rubbing as your strength will permit.

To take the gloss on a stained floor it is recommended once a week to wipe up the floor with diluted buttermilk or sour milk.

Hood's Sarsaprilla.

Is designed to meet the wants of those who need a medicine to build them up, give them an appetite, purify their blood, and oil up the machinery of their bodies. No other article takes hold of the system and hits exactly the spot like Hood's Sarsaparilla. It works like magic, reaching every part of the human body through the blood, giving to all renewed life and energy. $1 a bottle; six for $5.

The Commercial Bulletin remarks that "the American nose can now be wiped with an American made silk handkerchief, but no American nose can be wiped with a domestic linen handkerchief; and moreover, no American heart beats beneath a domestic linen bosom. Let linen be a little better protected and linens would be sold cheaper in price and better in quality than the imported linens at the present time." Not a yard of linen is made in the United States! And yet no country is better adapted to flax raising or manufacturing!

Many whose blood had become poisoned from various causes, and whose ill health was indicated by pimples, sore feelings, aches, pains, urinary sediments, catarrh and inflammation of the mucous membrane, constipation, dyspepsia, bad dreams, nervousness, sleepiness, etc., have been restored to perfect health by using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It is the only true blood purifier and strengthener of mind and body. No other remedy equals it.

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Home Politeness.

A boy who is polite to his father and mother is likely to be polite to every one else. A boy lacking politeness to his parents may have the semblance of courtesy in society, but is never truly polite in spirit, and is in danger, as he becomes familiar, of betraying his real want of courtesy. We are all in danger of living too much for the outside world, for the impression which we make in society, coveting the good opinions of those who are in a sense a part of ourselves, and who will continue to sustain and be interested in us, notwithstanding these defects of deportment and character. We say to every boy and to every girl, cultivate the habits of courtesy and propriety at home—in the sitting room and the kitchen, as well as in the parlor—and you will be sure in other places to deport yourself in a becoming and attractive manner. When one has a pleasant smile and a graceful demeanor, it is a satisfaction to know these are not put on, but that they belong to the character, and are manifest at all times and under all circumstances.

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Mrs. Hattie Paddock.

On one occasion while the English naturalist Gould was wandering along the banks of the Thames with a party of friends, a rare laugh was created at his expense. He had climbed a tree for the purpose of exploring the contents of a nest. On suddenly looking down at a hollow formed by two branches of the tree, and which at the time contained a pool of water, he exclaimed: "As I'm a living man, if there is not a large owl here in this hole, looking straight at me." The excitement was intense, but was instantly turned to a shout of merriment, when the naturalist on putting down his hand to seize the supposed owl, discovered that it was simply the reflection of his own image in the water.

Silver Creek, N. Y., Feb. 6, 1880.

Gents—I have been very low, and have tried everything, to no advantage. I heard your Hop Bitters recommended by so many, I concluded to give them a trial. I did, and now am around, and constantly improving, and am nearly as strong as ever.

W. H. Weller.

It is said by a well-known Illinois educator that "The average western farmer toils hard early and late, often depriving himself of needed rest and sleep—for what? To raise corn. For what? To feed hogs. For what? To get money with which to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To buy more land. And what does he want with more land? Why he wishes to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—to buy more land—to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—and in this circle he moves until the Almighty stops his hoggish proceedings."

Spring Medicine.

Why does everybody take a spring medicine? For three good reasons, viz: I—Because one bottle of a blood purifier taken at this season will do more good than two at any other. II—Because the blood is in a more impure condition than at any other season. III—Because the system is so weakened by this impure state of the blood that it has not sufficient vitality to withstand the debilitating effects of spring weather. Hence, by common consent, people seek relief in medicine. The combination of Hood's Sarsaparilla commends it to our judgment as a good spring medicine and blood purifier. Such things as Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock, Mandrake, &c., compounded by competent druggists like Messrs. Hood & Co., warrant us in suggesting that all in need of a medicine of this kind give Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial.

Astronomy is a beautiful science. We are told that if a railway was to run from the earth to the nearest fixed star, and the fare was one penny for every hundred miles, and if you were to take a mass of gold to the ticket-office equal to twice the national debt—or $3,800,000,000—it would not be sufficient to pay for a ticket to the nearest fixed star aforesaid. If this be the case, it matters very little to us whether such a railway is ever constructed. It would be discouraging to go to the ticket-office with a mass of gold equal to $3,800,000,000, and be informed that the fare was $5,678,032,000. If the ticket agent wouldn't trust until we got back, we'd be compelled to forego the trip.—*Norristown Herald.*

A POOR MAN'S CONFIDENCE.

The loss of time to many a Rheumatic sufferer is a worse agony than the disease. The remedy which is prompt and efficacious is his only real benefactor. Says Mr. F. Smith, of 622 S. Ninth st., Phila.: "I suffered so much from Rheumatism without any speck of relief, that I borrowed the money to buy a bottle of ATHLOPHOROS. After seven doses I had not a sharp pain or ache. Have been at work ever since. It is all that is claimed for it and will prove a sovereign balm for many a poor suffering soul."

Long visits, long stories, long exhortations, and [illegible] dom profit those who hear them. Life is short. Time is short. Moments are precious. Learn to condense, arrange, and intensify. We can bear things that are dull if they are only short. We can endure many an ache and ill if it be over soon, while even pleasures grow insipid, and pain intolerable, if they be protracted beyond the limits of reason and convenience. Learn to be short. Lop off branches; stick to the main facts in your case. If you pray, ask for what you would receive, and get through; if you speak, tell your message and hold your peace; boil down two words into one, and three into two. Always learn to be short.

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"I spent $2,500 with other doctors," writes Mr. J. W. Thornton, of Clifborn, Miss., "Samaritan Nervine however alone cured my son of fits." This is on a par with hundreds of others, speedy, but thorough.

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Bulwer Lytton's Bridge.

Where it Touches the Shores and the Great Columns in Midstream.

"What a beautiful bridge between old age and childhood is religion. How intuitively the child begins with prayer and worship on entering life, and how intuitively, on quitting life, the old man turns back to prayer and worship, putting himself again side by side with the infant," remarks Sir E. Bulwer Lytton, in his "Strange Story."

Yes, but between its distant abutments the bridge of life has many high and awful arches, through which the wild waters dash and roar in wrath and desolation. Prayer and worship do not sustain these. Nature's solid rocks must lie quietly beneath and human art and skill must rear and solidify the structure overhead. God's will is best exemplified in the laws He has made for the creatures whom he has placed under their control. Neither the child's trustful "Our Father," nor the old man's "Forget me not in the thick of life's infirmities," will alter this by the weight of a single grain.

Science and art are first—then faith and prayer, as the order of Heaven. Health, divinely heals through its agents; and these agents are the discoveries of man; not the vague announcements of prophets or seers. Is life a burden to you? Does time drag? Is your power to cope with life's problem and duties weakened? You are not well. Your blood is sluggish and tainted, perhaps; or some important organ is torpid or overworked. The fact may have taken the form of dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, malaria, pains in the stomach, chronic headache, or any of a dozen other ills. PARKER'S TONIC will invigorate those who have been shut up in damp, fetid cells. It is powerful, pure, delicious, scientific, safe—the keystone of the central arch of the bridge of life.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan: Lot All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), lying north of the center of the Baxter ditch (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp Raisin drain (so called). All in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 12, A.D. 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS,
Jan24 Executor.

ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 25th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of George W. Allen, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the funeral expenses and expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his account, and for such other order as the condition of said estate may require, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS Probate Register. mar1

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob G. Roberts, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 29th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 16th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February, 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
mar1 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 8th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
mar3 Commissioners

ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, the expenses of his last illness and funeral, and of administration of said estate, and is ready to present to said court his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, the residue of said estate assigned to those entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of March A.D., 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 13, 1884.

TEMPERANCE DESCISIONS.

LANSING, March 6, 1884.

EDITOR HERALD:

Having been asked by friends from Tecumseh to look up the Supreme Court Decisions with regard to the acceptance or rejection of Liquor Bonds it seems to me, that being at this time a question of so much importance, and of course attracting so much public attention, you might like to publish the result in your paper; if so it is placed at your disposal.

The question of acceptance of Liquor Bonds by Township or Village Boards has been before the Supreme Court twice, as follows

Mary Curry vs. Township Board of Baldwin, Iosco Co., Mich. Application for a writ of mandamus to compel the Board to accept Liquor Bonds, sworn to be full, ample, legal and valid, but rejected by the Board. No written decission was filed, but the motion was on arguments denied with costs. Jan. 22, 1872.

The verbal decision as I am informed by the Clerk of the Supreme Court was to the effect that the acceptance or rejection of Liquor Bonds by the Township or Village Board, was by the law simply an Official Act, entirely committed to their judgement and discretion, and one which, whatever that decision might be, the Supreme Court would not in any way, nor in any circumstances assume to review or interfere with. This is what is called the East Tawas case.

Heffron vs. Township Board of Manisteque, Schoolcraft Co., Mich. Application for Mandamus upon precisely the same grounds as before.

On argument of the case the Counsel for the Applicant becoming satisfied that the Supreme Court was about to re-affirm its former decision rendered in the Curry Case, asked leave to withdraw the application of his client for a writ of Mandamus, but was allowed to do so ONLY upon payment of costs. This was on the 25th day of Oct. A. D. 1881.

And this is the way the Supreme Court and the Law with regard to Liquor Bonds now stand.

B. L. BAXTER.

ANOTHER RAILROAD PROJECT.

The following extracts from Saginaw and Howell papers give the outlines of a new projected railroad to connect the Saginaw valley with the Wabash lines. The Saginaw Courier says:

Some months since the Courier noted the fact that considerable interest was being manifested in the proposed line of railway directly south from East Saginaw to Adrian or Manchester, connecting at the latter points with the Wabash system, and it was stated at the time that no line of road could be constructed that would inure more directly to the benefit of the Saginaws. The project has been quietly discussed by the people along the line of the proposed route, and considerable of a boom is the result. The counties which such a route would traverse are Saginaw, Shiawassee, Livingston, Washtenaw and Lenawee, a rich farming territory. At Adrian it would connect directly with the Wabash system, a combination which operates 9,757 miles of railroad, or more than one-twelfth of the entire railroad mileage in the United States.

The Livingston Democrat has the following concerning the proposed line:

For some time past there has been occastonal agitation of a line connecting the Saginaw valley with the Wabash system of the southwest. By reference to the map it will be seen that a line running south from East Saginaw, through Howell, presents a project in which there is a better show for business than any north and south road in Michigan, and affords us connection with the Wabash system the most important and strongest system of competing roads. This outlet for the Saginaw valley is sure to be made and the line of route depends on the activity of the localities seeking to secure the road. We are shown letters received by one of our business firms from Saginaw gentlemen, in which they say Saginaw is alive to the object, and when the ball is started it will be pushed to the end. Now, will the people of Howell be behind in this work?

Manchester has already been putting in some quiet work to secure this line. The business men of Tecumseh should organize at once and take hold of this enterprise.

What a Woman Says.

Mine Run Furance, Va., Jan. 31, '84.
E. ST. JOHN, G. T. & P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Your valuable Cook Book came to hand, for which accept my thanks. It's a treasure, for its Receipts are plain, and the book is well gotten up; its typographical and general make up speaks well for your department in doing so much for the "Women of America." May your Road be as successful as every woman's will be who eats thereafter, Yours Truly

MRS. M. R. KARSTERS.

LASKER RESOLUTION.

Bismarck's Letter and the Returned Resolution Transmitted to the House.

Secretary of State Frelinghuysen's Sarcasm—The Chancellor's Action a Matter of Supreme Indifference to the United States.

THE RESOLUTION.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The President transmitted to the House of Representatives to-day, in a brief message without comment, a number of letters, telegrams and other documents relating to the Lasker resolution which was recently returned by Bismarck. The first of these documents is a letter from Secretary Frelinghuysen to Minister Sargent transmitting the Lasker resolution. This letter is followed by a communication from Sargent to Frelinghuysen in which the former acknowledges the receipt of the foregoing letter and incloses a copy of his note to Count Hatzfeldt, the Imperial Secretary of State, of his letter to Moritz Lasker, one of the nearest relatives of the late statesman, and the latter's reply. Sargent's letter to Hatzfeldt is a formal note inclosing a copy of the resolution of the House of Representatives.

The next in order is the reply of Moritz Lasker to Sargent, in which he acknowledges the receipt of Minister Sargent's latter and of the copy of the resolution, and returns the thanks of the brothers and sisters of the deceased, and says: "I beg to assure you that among the many similar communications which have reached them, none were more deeply appreciated by them than those conveyed in the resolution herein referred to."

Then come a series of telegrams which passed between Frelinghuysen and Sargent. Frelinghuysen informs Sargent that there is a rumor that the Lasker resolution has been returned by Bismarck. Sargent replies that no doubt the resolution has been sent back. Frelinghuysen asks by whom. Sargent states that the resolution was returned through the German Minister at Washington, but he (Sargent) had not been officially informed of it. Frelinghuysen then authorizes Sargent to publish the instruction directing him to transmit one copy of the resolution through the Foreign Office to the President of the legislative body of which Lasker was a member and another to the family of the deceased.

The first document is a memorandum of a conversation between Secretary Frelinghuysen and the German Minister to the United States, Von Eisendecker, and it is as follows:

The German Minister said: "Mr. Secretary, I have received instructions from my Government to read to you and leave with you a copy of the dispatch which I hold in my hand relating to the resolution of condolence adopted by the House of Representatives of the United States on the death of Dr. Lasker."

The dispatch of Prince Bismarck thus presented by Von Eisenber was as follows:

Bismarck to Eisendecker:

"FREDRICHSRUHE, Feb. 9, 1884.

"The envoy of the United States of America has communicated with a note, dated the 1st inst., the text of a resolution of the American House of Representatives, dated the 9th of January, in which the House expresses regret at the death of Dr. Edward Lasker. Every appreciation which the personal qualities of a German receives in a foreign country cannot but be pleasing to our national feelings, especially when emanating from such an important body as the American House of Representatives. I should, therefore, have gratefully received Mr. Sargent's communication and should have asked His Majesty the Emperor to empower me to present it to the Reichstag if the resolution of the 9th of January did not at the same time contain an opinion on the direction and effects of the political action of Representative Lasker which is opposed to my convictions.

"In the resolution it is said in relation to the deceased 'that his firm and constant exposition of free and liberal ideas have materially advanced the social, political and economic condition of those people.' From my knowledge of the course that the political and economic development of the German people has taken I cannot regard this opinion as one in accordance with the facts I have witnessed. I would not venture to oppose my judgment to that of an illustrous assembly like the House of Representatives of the United States if I had not gained, during an active participation in German internal politics of more than thirty years, an experience which encourages me to attach also to my opinion certain competency within these limits. I cannot make up my mind to ask His Majesty the Emperor for the necessary authorization to communicate the resolution of the House of Representatives of the United States to the German Reichstag, because I should therewith have to officially indorse myself and also to indorse with His Majesty the Emperor an opinion which I am unable to recognize as just. VON BISMARCK."

After reading and presenting to Secretary Frelinghuysen the above letter Minister Von Eisendecker read: "I am further instructed to express to you, Mr. Secretary, Prince Bismarck's regret that he found himself unable to comply with the wish formulated by Mr. Sargent; and also to leave with you, if you desire it, an engrossed copy of the resolution, which, in deference to its high origin, I may add my Government cannot, on its own responsibility, feel at liberty to retain."

The Secretary of State said: "Mr. Minister, in response to your offer to return the engrossed copy of the resolution, let me say that the President cannot be supposed to have any wish in respect to what the German Government may do in regard to the disposition of the copy of the resolution of the House of Representatives after it has been decided it cannot be transmitted to the body for which it was courteously intended."

The Minister replied: "Your answer, Mr. Secretary, expresses no wish, and consequently relieves my Government from any obligation it has felt to return the resolution which was entrusted to it for transmission."

Galesburgh's Gift.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 11.—The full amount of the contribution by citizens of Galesburgh, Illinois, $1,234.15, to the Red Cross Society of Chicago for the relief of Ohio river sufferers, was on presentation of a circular letter from the Mayor of Galesburgh paid over to the committee of ladies of Galesburgh by Mr. E. J. Malvin, of Chicago, agent on board the Red Cross relief steamer J. V. Throp at Shawneetown.

Longfellow Memorial Association.

BOSTON, March 11.—The Longfellow Memorial Associal met at Cambridge last night. The treasurer received nearly $12,000 and holds land for the monument worth $75,000 and $38,000 additional is desired.

NEGRO SCHOOLS.

A Move in the Virginia Legislature to Regulate Their Control.

RICHMOND, Va., March 11.—A bill has been introduced in the Virginia Senate which proposes to make a radical change in the present system of public schools in this State. The measure contemplates creating the office of Director of Schools in all of the counties of the Commonwealth, the colored people to have their directors and the white theirs. The duties of these officers are defined to be to nominate teachers for and have general supervision over the schools of the colored people. It substantially gives them control of their schools. The patron of the bill in explaining it said that it merely carried out the pledge made by the Democratic Convention which met at Lynchburg last summer to give the colored people the control of their schools. Senator Norton, of New York, a coalitionist, and the only colored member of the Senate, made a strong speech in opposition to the change contemplated by the bill. He contended that it was calculated to do vast injury to the present system of public education so far as his race was concerned. He and the colored people of Virginia are perfectly well satisfied for the whites to have the management of this important branch of the Government. One of the greatest objections to the pending proposition urged by Senator Norton is that in many sections of the State it would be impossible to find colored men qualified to assume the directorship of the school system. He urged the Democrats not to press the bill as the changes proposed were likely to hamper the educational advancement of his race.

Mr. Kerner, the ex-Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, and the patron of the resolution contemplating the colonization of the colored men, said he favored it only because he was under the impression that the colored people desired to have control of their own schools. He did not approve of the plank of his party which proposed to separate the government of the schools. The power of appointing the new colored officers contemplated in the bill will be in the hands of the Democrats. At the solicitation of Norton and others the new measure was passed by till Tuesday next. It will then attract a good deal of attention in educational as well as political circles in this State.

Anxiety Felt for the Safety of Ten Men.

SPOKANE FALLS, W. T., March 11—Fears exist for the safety of ten men who went to Rathdrum thirteen days ago to locate the trail to the Colur D. Alene gold mining district. They left a point twenty-five miles from Rathdrum with four days' rations and left other provisions in charge of a man with instructions to wait six days. They never returned and the man left. It was thought they reached Eagle City, but a man who arrived Saturday said they had not been there. Several parties have been organized and are now out. There is no place where they can stay between the points known, and the snow is very deep. Their names are Charles Pond, L. Merriam, Charles Boatman, McNutt Whitesell, William Deane, George Spafford, William Hayes, Peter Esch and one unknown.

The New Fast Mail Train.

CHICAGO, March 10.—The first train on the new fast mail, which left New York Saturday night at 8:10, due in Chicago the next day at 12:35, arrived here seven minutes ahead of time. Postmaster General Gresham, First Assistant Postmaster General Hatton, and General Superintendent Thompson, of the railway mail service, accompanied the train. There were seven postal cars. General Gresham stated to an Associated Press representative that the new service was in every way satisfactory, and that at no time was the train over seventeen minutes behind the schedule time.

An Interesting Combination of Weather.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Hail, rain, snow, thunder and lightning made up the weather hereabouts yesterday. Icy sidewalks made walking full of peril. Trees and telegraph wires are heavily coated with ice. In Hartford the heavy ice broke down the wires and even trees. Telegraphing is badly interrupted. Virginia had its rain, hail and thunder. The Appomattox is very high and rising rapidly.

A Slight Railway Accident.

OMAHA, March 10.—A north-bound passenger train on the Kanas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs Railway, due here yesterday morning, collided with a construction train near Portsmouth. Both engines and a baggage car were wrecked, and the engineer, fireman and conductor of the passenger train received painful injuries. One passenger had two ribs broken.

A Drunken Legislator.

OTTAWA, March 10.—Charles Campell, a Nova Scotia member of Parliament, while under the influence of liquor, made a savage onslaught upon David Mills, engaged at the time with correspondence in the Commons Chamber. He endeavored to strike Mills with a stick, but was prevented by the members present.

Caught in a Revolving Belt.

FOSTORIA, Ohio, March 10.—William Frey, while resining a belt in his sawmill at Hoytsville, Saturday, was caught and carried around a shaft which was making 200 revolutions per minute. He was removed in an unconscious condition, and at a late hour last night his death was momentarily looked for.

Suffocated by Gas.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 10.—Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis and daughter, aged sixteen, were found dead in bed Sunday evening from suffocation by gas, the burner being half-way turned on. The last heard of Mrs. Lewis and daughter was Wednesday evening.

A Train in the River.

NEW YORK, March 10.—A broken flange precipitated a local train on the Harlem Railway into the Harlem River Sunday night. The few passengers and the train hands were rescued by boatmen. Maggie Maguire of Hunter's Point had her skull fractured.

A Cold Bath.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 10.—Sixteen colored persons joined the Ebenezer Baptist Church Sunday and were immersed in the Monongahela River. The weather was very cold and the river was full of running ice.

Rioters Collegians.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., March 10.—The cane rushes at Williams' College cause great excitement. There was a general melee in the chapel Friday upon the display of a cane by a freshman. The faculty had difficulty in restoring order.

Floods in the South.

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—The crevasse at Dair's plantation is increasing. The water going through is nearly eight feet deep. The Texas Pacific and Morgan's Railroads are submerged.

BRICK AND TILE CONVENTION.

The fourth annual convention of the Brick and Tile Makers, convened at Workingmen's Hall Adrian, last Tuesday morning, with a very fair attendance.

At ten o'clock President Harris made a few remarks to the convention, suggesting that as the members were not all in, the time until they should arrive be taken up by impromptu talks by any one present who had any questions to ask or views to present.

The officers of the Association are C. H. Harris of Jackson, president; W. S. Comfort of Tecumseh, secretary; W. E. Carleton of Carlton, treasurer.

Secretary Comfort called the convention to order at about half past ten and President Harris then read his address, which was very interesting. Mr. Harris wished it distinctly understood that the convention was not called for the purpose of forming a pool to boom prices in tile and brick, and robbing the honest farmer, but for the public benefit. The convention gave each man a chance to give his experience and views on the business, and in short, to enable each manufacturer, as far as possible, to make the best wares for the least money.

Next in order was the completion of the roll of membership, and during this order of business many new members were received. Mr. Billingsly, of Indianapolis, suggested that the roll of membership be called by the secretary, and that as each member's name was called he give a short synopsis of his past summer's experience and work.

General Grant was only forty-seven when inaugurated President; the youngest by several years of any before or since. But no candidate more than seventy years of age has yet been elected to that great office, and a contemporary draws an unfavorable inference from that fact as to the old ticket, about which so much has been said. President Harrison was the oldest President, having been sixty-eight when he entered the White House in 1841. Washington was fifty-eight when inaugurated in Philadelphia, ninty-five years ago.

Frank Leslie's Monthly Magazine.

The April number has such an abundance of good things that our space will not permit us to particularize. The editor (Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, has an admirable article, "Practical Sympathy," and in the Home Pulpit is a sermon by him, "The Royal Exile." Among the elaborately illustrated articles are: "A pilgrim in Yellowstone Park"; "Jonathan Wolfgang von Goethe," by D. E. Hervey; "Easter Festivities at St. Petersburg," "The Foundling Asylum of New York City," and other articles Essays, Sketches, etc., by Alferton Harvey, Leigh Norval, Rev. E. Rand, Mrs. A. E. Alexander, Rev. J. F. Clay-Moran, J. Alexander Patten, etc. The serial and short stories are by Helen W. Pierson, L. T. Meade, Josephine R. Williams, etc. The poems are of great merit, and the miscellany is most comprehensive, interesting and entertaining. Price, 25 cents a single number, or $2,50 a year, postpaid. MRS. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

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Will be published.

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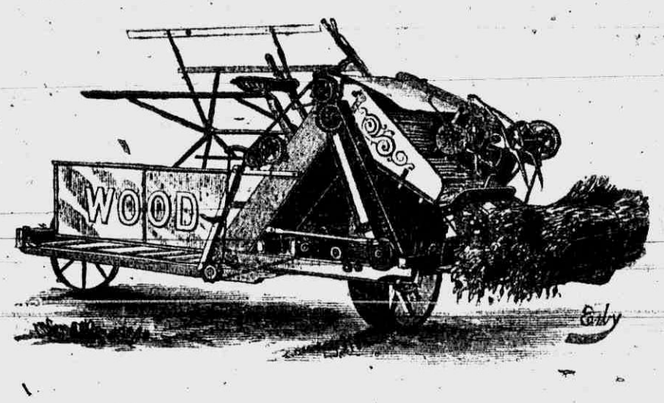

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BLASTING STONE AND STUMP.—Elijah Wilson holds himself in readiness to blast stumps and stones at all times. Leave orders at Whitenack, Berdine & Co's, or at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros'.

FOR SALE.—The Hiram Adams house and lot in Brownville. Call on David Van Tine or Mrs. Adams on the premises.

TO RENT.—A suit of four rooms for small family. Wm. BRESIE.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE. This farm about 4 miles west of Tecumseh, comprising about 300 acres, is now offered for sale. Any persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and call upon E. B. WOOD, Agent.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Stacy Brothers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, S. C. Stacy having purchased the entire rights of the junior partner in the HERALD office property and business, who assumes the obligations of the late firm, and to whom all back subscriptions and other accounts are to be paid. S. C. STACY.
TECUMSEH, March 6, 1884. G. N. STACY.

HOUSE TO RENT—Two miles west of Tecumseh. Enquire of F. D. HILMAN, Logan street.

FOR SALE.—A farm of 56 acres, situated one mile north of Tecumsen, formerly owned by Wm. Bresie. Will be sold at a bargain if taken before the first of April. Good buildings, abundance of fruit and altogether a very desirable location. For particulars enquire on the premises or at the HERALD OFFICE.

ALL PURCHASERS OF

DEERING BINDERS

in vicinity of Tecumseh, can have them adjusted and put in order for harvest of 1884 free of charge, by leaving word with Messrs. Slayton & Son, before April 15, where they will find a full and complete stock of repairs and Deering twine.
JESSE L. BERCH, General Agent.

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TO BE LET.—A desirable family residence, known as the T. R. Lovett property, pleasantly situated on the corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets. Possession April 1st, 1884. For further particulars enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Malden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address B. J. BIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

NOTICE.—We have left our books of accounts with Charles Burridge of this village for settlement of accounts due us. Those indebted to us are hereby requested to call at his office and pay such indebtedness to him.
D. B. ANTHONY & CO.
February 20, 1884.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power"; which mills (both grist and paper) were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a never failing body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat growing sections in Michigan thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms, easy. For particulars address
HENRY SMITH, TECUMSEH, MICH.
Prop. of Tecumseh Paper Mills,
Or Conrad Leahn, Manchester, Mich.

Clinton has a new orchestra.

In Blissfield, the prohibition ticket was defeated at the village election.

The Supreme Court of the United States is said to have given a decision lately, spelling "Nation" with a big "N"; but "We the people" of the United States have once spelled their government and name with a bigger "U. S." and it is hoped will continue to do so.

The improvements in H. Brewer & Co's foundry and tile machine works are now about completed, and the large shop is literally a bee-hive of industry. A new fifty horse power engine, new boiler, several new machines, a large amount of new shafting, and enlarged moulding room, have fully doubled the capacity of their works, and they are now fully equipped for a vigorous year's campaign.

The Clinton corporation election was held on Monday last. Two tickets were in the field, Citizens, and Independent. The former was chosen as follows:

President—Solomon Brown.
Trustees—John T. Clark, Charles Brooks, Edwin J. Semark.
Clerk—Charles D. Cutting.
Treasurer—Franklin D. Lancaster.
Street Commissioner—Geo. W. Haggart.
Assessor—John Hause.
Constable—Edwin R. Vest.

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned desires to express his thanks to neighbors and friends who have so kindly assisted us in our recent trouble and affliction. Their efforts in our behalf will ever be remembered with gratitude.
WILLIAM BROOKS.

A BUSINESS CHANGE.

The firm of Stacy Brothers has been dissolved, S. C. Stacy having bought George N. Stacy's interest in the HERALD office and business. S. C. will continue the business as heretofore, will relinquish farming the first of April and give his undivided time and attention to the HERALD. George has purchased a half interest in the East Saginaw Evening Express and assumed the business management of that paper yesterday. While we regret exceedingly to have George leave Tecumseh, we feel that the arrangement will be a benefit to him financially, and bid him God speed in his present venture. He possesses natural ability for a first-class newspaper manager and he will have room for using it to the best advantage in his new field of labor. May the fates deal kindly with him and grant him prosperity and success in his new business home.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 13, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Masquerade Carnival next Saturday evening.

Fun at the Opera House next Saturday evening.

Frank Snedicor, of Dundee, paid us a visit on Monday last.

Wm. Hayden went to Chicago yesterday on a short business trip.

The first number of the Union Light will be issued to-morrow.

Dr. R. B. House has gone to Hartford Conn., on a recreation trip.

Miss Lizzie Smith is visiting her many friends in Toledo and Monroe.

The East Blissfield school gave a Longfellow entertainment last week.

An effort is being made at Clayton to collect and renew the public library.

James W. Patterson has sold the south half of his farm to N. M. Sutton.

Farmers, remember that Patterson's vendue takes place on his farm March 27th.,

Peter Sharp, of Ridgeway, was in town last week. He came up on the M. & O.

W. H. Passmore of the Lilley House, has leased the base ball park of C. D. Bills for the coming season.

Last week's Hudson Post has an interesting series of articles upon the business interests of Hudson.

Is there a village or city in Lenawee County whose finances are in a better condition than those of Tecumseh?

Albert Hyde and E. A. Tribou, having received tickets to the grand jury at Detroit, have gone to Detroit to take in the show.

Fifty-eight new members of St. John's Episcopal church, of Clinton, have been confirmed during the past year. A good record for the rector.

There will be a grand Masquerade Carnival at the Tecumseh Roller skating rink next Saturday eve., March 15th. Admission to gallery 15 cents, ladies masked free, gentlemen 10 cents, skates 15 cents to all.

Frank Silvers has opened a livery and sale stable in the old Snell barn on Railroad street, and is putting in a fine lot of horses and rolling stock. Frank knows how to run a good livery and we predict for him a large and paying patronage.

When gasoline or vapor stoves are used a permit must be attached to all policies of insurance, both for building and contents. If this is not done and in case of fire the insurance will be void. Call and see your insurance agents.

"Where would we be without women?" asked a writer. It's hard to determine which way the majority would drift, but some men would be out of debt and out of trouble, and a good many others would be out at the elbows.

Adrian Times: R. M. Boyd, of Raisin, who was married the other day, thinks the cradle presented him by a thoughtful neighbor, will stand a chance to become a useful article of furniture in his household some time in the future.

The public examinations at the close of the winter term of school will take place week after next. Prof. Hammond is arranging a list of visiting committees for the different departments which will appear in next week's paper.

Tecumseh is to have a new paper. Bro. Field of the. Clinton News will will move his establishment to Tecumseh and issue the first number of the Tecumseh News on the 10th., of April next. We call attention to his card in another column. Success to him in this new venture.

A praise and thanksgiving service is to be held in the lecture room of the M. E. church on Monday afternoon, March 17th, at half past two o'clock in commemoration of the fourteenth anniversary of the organization of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. All interested are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. Hiram Adams was cheered on Tuesday afternoon, March 11, by the presence of a number of good ladies in her home. They did not go empty handed. They prepared tea, to which her pastor and a number of friends from the church sat down. After tea a season was spent in prayer, and the company then separated carrying with them the thanks of the lonely widow, and feeling that it is blessed to go on such errands to the lonely and sad.

Monday evening, March 10th, our people, led by Mrs. Jas. H, Potter and others, gave a genuine surprise to Mr. Wm. H. Ford. The occasion was the 26th return of his birth-day. His house was literally packed with relatives and friends, prominent among them were members of the reform Club and of the churches. A bountiful supper was served. Mr. Ford had reason to be gratified. He may well feel that he has the sympathy of the people in his endeavor to lead a christian life.

The Roller Skating Carnival next Saturday evening.

Zero weather on the 10th of March. How is that for low?

Mr. Geo. Tiffany returned last week from an extended eastern trip.

The item which has gone the rounds of the state press regarding a law against catching fish from now until the 15th of June is a mistake. There is no such law.

Wm. Cupples will sell at auction on the Jacob Chesver farm, three miles east of Comfort's brick yard in the town of Raisin on Thursday, March 20th a large amount of farm property.

Dr. Furgason, of Coldwater, who has bought the drug store of J. W. Patterson, is now invoicing the stock and will open the store and assume control of the business in a day or two.

Allegan was swept by a terrible fire yesterday. Five brick blocks and twenty wooden buildings burned.—The Chaffee house and one other brick block and all the mills are saved. Loss estimated at $500,000.

The Adrian Press came to us last week in an entire new dress. The paper is now located in a new and commodious building, and is evidently starting upon a new course of prosperity. The Press is deserving of its prosperity.

They are having a tight over a drain tax in Deerfield, which is about equal to the Hudson paving case. The town treasurer has seized 7 horses and 4 vehicles, while the owners have got out an injunction restraining him from selling. The town board is backing the treasurer, and the people are paying the bills.

It is said that there are only three men now living who own the land they originally purchased of the government in the township of Seneca.—They are Arch Browen, John Campburn and Isaac Powell. The patents for these lands bear the signature of Andrew Jackson, and have never been sold or mortgaged since.

An exchange gives the public this gentle reminder: "Never growl because the newspaper fails to give every scrap of news, so long as you never take any particular pains to give the editor any information. The average editor isn't a medium or a mind reader, but gets the news just the same as a milkman gets his milk—by pumping."

The best time to push the sale of goods by means of printers's ink is when business is dull. People have then more time to read, and as money becomes more scarce and valuable they are studying how to expend what they have most advantageously. They read the papers to get this information, and those who are plucky enough to keep their goods in the foreground during the dullest times will get the bulk of the trade, and they will keep and reap a rich harvest when good times come again.

Adrian Record: The first train of the new fast mail service passed thro' this city last evening a little late. The train consisted of four mail cars and one coach. She went through the city at a very rapid rate, and many people stood along the streets to see her. The accompanying coach contained besides some officers of the road, Postmaster-General Gresham, First Assistant, Postmaster-General Hatton and General Superintendent Thompson, of the Railway Mail Service accompanied the train through from New York. The train arrived in Chicago seven minutes ahead of time.

Last Monday morning about eight o'clock, the fire bell sounded an alarm. A small house on Maumee street near Bean's tannery, owned by Peter Johnson of Adrian and occupied by tenants was on fire. The fire department responded instantly and the engine was on the ground as soon as the big team on a dead run could take it there, but the fire had done its work before the engine arrived. The household effects were saved. Insurance on the house of Four Hundred dollars, which will nearly cover the loss. The fire originated from a defective chimney, and burned for some time before the alarm was given, and hence the flames were beyond control when the steamer arrived on the ground.

Detroit Free Press: There is a well defined rumor that the Lake Shore trains will, at no distant date, commence to run into the Michigan Central passenger station at the foot of Third street, instead of into Brush St. depot as heretofore. While inquiry among railroad officials failed to find any authority for the statement, it is still regarded among them as quite probable and a desirable change. The Lake Shore, being, like the Central, a Vanderbilt road, and the management of the two lines quite in harmony, lends color to the rumor. The change would save the Lake Shore five miles hawl around the city, and save delays incident to handling a large number of trains on a single track. It may be that the belief recently expressed by a prominent railroad director are about to be realized, and that the Third street depot will become in some sense a union depot.

ROCK BOUND GIBRALTAR.

A Voyage Across the Atlantic, and Arrival on the Soil of Sunny Spain.

We are permitted to take a few extracts from a letter written by Miss Lizzie Hayden to her friends at home, which cannot fail to interest our readers:

ROYAL HOTEL, GIBRALTAR,
Monday, Feb. 18, '84.

It matters not how many miles lie between us, we are not far apart, and those at home are with me constantly in my mind and heart. We are at Gibraltar still and have had no letters from America yet, and probably we will not have any until we reach Seville. When the Gattardo came in to port we packed up our clothes, ate a hearty lunch and then climbed down the ladder into a little row boat and were taken ashore. They will not allow steamers to go to the dock because they cannot find employment enough for the natives so they make the traveling public support their poor.

When we landed we went to the Royal Hotel, a very nice place. Meals served "table d'hote," breakfast at 10, lunch at 2, dinner at 6. After breakfast we found some little donkeys and went up on the rock and through the fortifications. Just imagine five of us mounted on donkeys, crawling slowly up the side of a mountain 1,400 feet high. We saw live monkeys skipping from tree to tree. At the summit of the rock is a signal station, where we got a lunch of army bread and cheese and ale. Then we began our descent, by another road, passing through the park and public squares and barracks, to the hotel. We were quite ready for dinner and did ample justice to all that was set before us.—The next day we arranged to go to Africa, Tangiers. We left Gibraltar at 11 o'clock and reached Tangiers in about three hours. We went to the Continental hotel and left our satchels, then started out to see the town. It seems as though we had gone back thousands of years. Such a quaint old town; the widest streets are not more than 15 feet wide, and there are many streets not more than 5 feet wide. Moors, Arabs and Jews, in their strange costumes. The Moorish ladies all covered save their eyes, the Jewesses glittering with gold and tinsel, the gipsies and beggars with just a few garments on. It was market day so we had the best of opportunities of seeing the people. There were whole trains of camels, from across the desert, bringing loads of wheat, herds of cattle, sheep, etc. In the evening we went to a Moorish cafe and were highly entertained by the natives and their music. They played on some stringed instruments, and they opened their mouths and the noise came out. They kept time by striking their hands together. They call it music.

We saw some of the schools where the children are taught. The Koran, an old man, is squatted down on the floor in one corner on his crossed legs, surrounded by small children in a like posture, all gabbling at the top of their voices. There are no desks, chairs or books.

The next morning we went out into the country, mule back, by the villas of the foreign embassadors.—The most beautiful ride I ever had.—For miles and miles down a narrow road, hedged on either side with cork trees, aloes, cactus, ivy, myrtle, nasturtium, geranium, etc. It seemed as though at any moment we might enter the garden of Eden. Occasionally through a break we could see ruins of old Roman bridges and castles. We came back into the present world again before noon and boarded our steamer and returned to Gibraltar at 5 o'clock. I have just learned that the steamer leaves tomorrow for Cadiz so I will have to pack this afternoon. The American Consul, Mr. Sprague, called while we were in Tangiers and again this morning, and invited us to dine with him to-morrow; unfortunately we cannot accept. We will be on the ocean en route for Cadiz.

Seeds that Talk.

Yes—seeds that talk. Can anything speak plainer than a full row of seeds, which have forced their tiny leaves above the surface in garden and field? They fairly shout to us that they are alive and can be depended upon every time. Such are Sibley's Tested Seeds, they talk right at you, and can be had promptly by sending a postal card to Hiram Sibley & Co., Rochester, N. Y., or Chicago, Ill., for a Catalogue and price list.

R. R. Hall has just finished cutting into wood one of the oldest orchards of Lenawee County, consisting of one hundred trees, which yielded him about one hundred and twenty-five cords of wood equal in quality to hickory. Several of the larger trees measuring across the stump two and one-half feet. It was planted out about sixty years ago.

The following change in star service effecting this county has been ordered: Route 24,106, Tecumseh to Cambridge, from March 20, 1884, curtail service to begin at Tipton, omitting Tecumseh, decreasing the distance six miles. The following star service has been discontinued: Route 24,107, Adrian to Tipton, from March 19, 1884.

Clinton has a balance in her village treasury of $543,32.

Remember that Mrs. Bristol, from the State of New Jersey, lecturs at Macon Grange Hall, Tuesday, March 18th, at 7 P. M. Admission 15 cents to pay expenses.

Blissfield Advance: A. W. Smith, chairman of the Republican county committee, was in town one day last week. Doc. informs us that we need not look for his obituary just yet, even if we do hear of his being called hard names. A mission of some kind is what Doc. seems to have on hand, with a strong desire to execute it.

We have received from the old Travelers' Insurance Company, of Hartford, a copy of the official engraving of the Bartholdi Statue to be placed in New York harbor. It is the only correct picture of that noble gift and faithfully represents to the eye the enormous statue, completed and in the midst of its magnificent surroundings.

The first excursion trip over the M. & O. last Saturday was a success in every particular. About 300 passengers took tickets, all the stations from Battle Creek to Dundee being represented. Tecumseh sold a number of tickets, and those who went from here report a fine ride and a good day in Toledo. When a man once rides on the M. & O. he is certain to take that route again.

Petit Jurors.

The following is the list of petit jurors drawn last Saturday for the April term of the circuit court, which convenes April 8, at 9 a. m.:

First Ward—Wm. Gibbert.
Second Ward—Martin Gafney.
Third Ward—M. L. Finch.
Fourth Ward—Thos T. Merriman.
Adrian Tp.—John P. Maynard.
Blissfield—L. C. Lathrop.
Cambridge—John Stafford.
Clinton—F. D. Lancaster.
Deerfield—Richard Garner.
Dover—J. D. Lord.
Macon—John Wiggins.
Madison—Gersham Livesay.
Medina—Sylvester Slater.
Ogden—Wm. Crockett.
Palmyra—Samuel Smith.
Riga—Wm. Harry.
Rollin—I. N. Hathaway.
Rome—H. H. Ferguson.
Seneca—J. C. Porter.
Tecumseh—J. Davidson.
Woodstock—Phillip Drake.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, March 3, 1884.

Regular session.

Council convened at usual hour.

Present, Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Bresie, Smith, Steinhoff and the Recorder.

Minutes of last regular session and of adjourned session held Feb. 18, '84 read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance:

Report in writing and recommended the payment of the following claims out of Contingent Fund:

P. S. McKinnon, services as recorder,	$79,00
Wm. Bresee, services on board of registion,	2,00
" " on board of election	2,00
A. W. Mills " " "	2,00
G. P. Sparks " " registration	2,00
Stacy Brothers, printing	8,00
W. C Jordan, services as street com	2,80
W. H. Hayden, printing	1,75
J. D. Sholes, repairing harness	1,95

On motion the report was accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the respective bills.

On Ordinances:

Report in writing. An amendment to an ordinance passed August 7th, 1871 relative to licenses, which after some discussion is amended and adopted.

NEW BUSINESS.

On motion the Recorder is instructed to draw an order in favor of David McNair for $25 in full for his services as Village Treasurer for the past year.

On motion the Recorder is directed to draw an order in favor of John McConnell for $50 in full for his salary as village sexton for the past year.

Council then adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

P. S. McKINNON,
Recorder.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, MICH.
COUNCIL ROOM, March 4, 1884.

Council met according to adjournment.

Present Messrs. Mills, Heesen, Smith, Bresie, Steinhoff and the Recorder.

Minutes of proceedings of the Annual meeting of the Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh, the Certified Statement of the Judges of the Annual Election and the minutes of the last regular session of the Council read and approved.

Council then proceeded to canvass the returns of annual election of the Village of Tecumseh, holden in the Council Room in said village on Monday the 3d day of March, 1884, from the certified statement of the Judges of said election here on file.

After a full canvass the Council declared the result of said election, and that the following named persons had been duly elected to the offices written opposite their respective names, to wit:

Jeremiah Root—President.
John L. Schoolcraft—Recorder.
J. Newton Satterthwaite—Treasurer
Rufus Adams, Oscar P. Bills, Geo. W. Marsden—Trustees for two years.
Edgar A. Tribou, Horatio Keyser—Assessors.

On Motion an order is drawn in favor of John M. Neesher for $2.00 in payment for a pair of bob-sleighs purchased by him for the use of the village.

President Mills, on behalf of the committee appointed to procure the printing of the Charter and Ordinances, submitted a contract in writing, executed by said committee on behalf of the Common Council and Stacy Bros.; who have contracted to do such printing and binding.

On motion said contract is approved and the same committee continued to have the oversight on the part of the Council of said printing, binding, etc.

Council then adjourned.

P. S. McKINNON, Recorder.

THE CROUCH EXAMINATION.

The examination of Dan Holcomb and Judd Crouch for the murder of the Crouch family has been in progress during the week at Jackson. New and damaging evidence has been brought to light. The Jackson Patriot of yesterday has this item showing the present status of the case.

Jackson, Mich., March 12.—The Crouch murder examination this morning, was quite exciting. Detective Harris testified as to Holcomb admitting the owning of a 38-calibre revolver, and that he lost it in a lake up north. When he admitted this, he was greatly agitated, and called for water. The witness and Frazier, the defendant's counsel, had a tilt about a witness being tampered with. The witness said Frazier was the one he bought. Frazier called him a liar. Sheriff Winney corroborated Harris' statements. They visited Lansing, but could not find where Holcomb bought the revolver. The coroner and two jurymen at the inquest swore that Holcomb swore that he never had a 38-calibre revolver. Nettie Snyder, a servant, testified that no hogs were killed at Holcomb's for seven weeks previous to the murder.

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C. A. STACY, Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Office in Underwood Block, Adrian, Mich.

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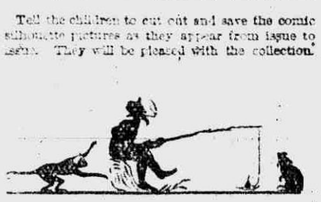

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"We can't get enough of the wood we want for making base-ball bats. The second growth of ash is the best, and that is hard to get. It comes from Wisconsin and Michigan, and should lay a year to season after being cut before it is used. To kiln-dry it makes the bats brittle. Our red-band bats are made of the second growth of ash, and they have become very popular, although we turned out the first lot only last summer. There are two other styles of bats—the 'professional ash,' which was popular with professional players before the red band came out and the 'American willow' (really basswood), which sells best in country towns and goes in company with the cheaper class of bats. Of the three grades we made between 600 and 900 gross last year, or about 100,000 bats.

"Cricket fell off fully fifty per cent. last year. Young men who have been in the habit of playing cricket by way of recreation have fallen in with the

"Oh, yes, we make other things beside base-balls and bats. I guess you would find it hard to name anything in the sporting goods line we don't manufacture. We make specialties of all base-ball goods, but also do a good deal in foot balls, boxing gloves, striking bags, vaulting horses, sprinters' shoes, tennis rackets, Indian clubs, and in fact, all kinds of gymnasium goods."—*Philadelphia Record.*

Like Webster.

Many lawyers were seated around, and, as their wont is, they began to tell stories.

"When I was a young man," said Judge M——, whose stock of legal anecdotes is inexhaustible, "there was a lawyer in New York whose name was R——. He was not much of a genius, but he prided himself on being like Daniel Webster. He got himself up to resemble the famous lawyer, adopted a collar and necktie like his, and wore his hair in the same fashion. In court and in private life he affected Websterian attitudes and tones, and was thoroughly satisfied that he was Webster's counterpart. Vanity was not the only failing which characterized R——. He never paid his debts when it was possible to avoid payment. One day a creditor, to whom he had owed money for a long time, and whom he had put off with excuses over and over again, entered R——'s office. The lawyer was seated at his desk, and on the top of a bookstand in front of him was a bust of Webster.

"'Good morning, Mr. R——,' said the creditor, 'how well you are looking. Good heavens!' he ejaculated, raising his eyes to the bust, 'what a splendid likeness; when did you have that taken?'

"'Think it's like, eh?' the lawyer said, smiling.

"'Like!' the creditor exclaimed, 'why it's marvelous. Who is the sculptor? I never saw such a fine work. When did you sit for it?'

"'Ha, ha,' the lawyer laughed gently, 'do you think it's good? Well, I suppose it is. It doesn't flatter, anyhow.'

"'Flatter!' the creditor said; 'it is the very living representation of you. By the way, Mr. R——, I called on a little business, but that splendid bust drove it out of my head—about that little bill, you know. If it's perfectly convenient, and won't incommode you, I should like to have the money.'

"'Why, certainly,' said the lawyer, with a gracious air, and forthwith he produced his pocket-book and paid the amount.

"As the creditor was quitting the office, he paused, with the door in his hand, and, looking back, said:

"'You don't suppose I'm such a blank blanked fool as to suppose that bust was ever intended for you. It's no more like you than it's like Melchizedek.'"—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—The editor of the Atlanta *Constitution*, who has reduced orange-eating to an exact science, says: "Oranges should never be eaten in company. They should be quartered with the rind on and gobbled up with sufficient speed and voracity to get the true flavor, which never clings to the fruit after the skin is stripped off. We mention this fact here because there are thousands of people in this country who don't know how to eat an orange."

—The one lesson which, more than all others, is being taught by the progress of sanitary science and art is that most of the physical evils of life are the direct results of breaches of law.—*N. Y. Independent.*

—At a funeral of a Mexican child in Socorro, N. M., the other day eight Mexican women bore the coffin, which was open, on their shoulders, and another walked behind carrying the lid.

—Lord Baltimore's landing place in Maryland is to be marked by a $10,000 monument.

Canton Prisons

There are two principal prisons in Canton, the Nam Hoi and the Pun U, district jails analagous to our county or State prisons. The main part of the building is called the Great Prison, where are confined those convicted of capital crimes. It is surrounded by thick adobe walls, and the corridors and cells are approached through the single entrance of the keeper's lodge. Through a hole in the crazy door is presented the grimy paw of the keeper, which we touch with a Hongkong ten-cent piece and are immediately admitted. We enter a dark, dismal den, black with sooty cobwebs and full of dense fumes of gray smoke. A spluttering of opium pipes comes from a corner where the withered faces of two or three turnkeys in recumbent posture curled round the lamp, with opium pipes in their hands. A few more ten-cent pieces are needed to gratify, not satisfy, the cupidity of a half-dozen hungry-looking, greasy, smutty, down-at-heeled petty officers, who demand exorbitant fees before we can proceed.

We finally pass into a narrow, dirty alley, flanked by the main wall and leading to the wards and cells. There are six wards, each ward containing four cells, the walls of which are in parallel sections. Each ward consists of an open quadrangle of execrable filth, about forty feet square, with cells on the east and west sides. In the center of this area is a shrine containing the image of a god, supposed to have the power of melting the most obdurate heart, causing penitential tears to flow from eyes that have only gloated over deeds of blood and shame. Very little homage does this idol receive from the Cantonese jail-bird, except on the birthday of the god, when the prisoners are regaled with an extra bowl of rice, a piece of pork and perhaps a cup of wine, provided at the expense of the Governor of the jail. This disinterested official takes care to amply refund himself by a careful manipulation of the funds for prison maintenance which the prisoners know to their sorrow the next few days.

The cells are separated from each other by upright beams and are divided off from the outer courtyard by a wooden palisading, giving them the appearance of cattle-pens, in which are herded together as many as thirty human beings in each pen, with hardly sufficient space to lie down. In each cell is a raised wooden floor, full of vermin, covering nearly the whole area of the space. Here the prisoners sleep and eat their food, and are permitted to lounge about the open yard during the daytime. A few pots, an earthenware furnace where they cook their rice, and a stool or two are the only furniture, except a large tub in each cell to receive the excreta. As this tub is usually left open and stands in a crowded den where the prisoners sleep, the stench on a hot summer's night can be better imagined than described. We have now passed through labyrinthian passages reeking with vile odors, past a group of women and children, perhaps, vainly wailing for husbands and fathers whom they will see no more. Door after door is locked behind us as we penetrate the recesses grim and dark and drear of this horrible place, while the awful thought of being seized and forcibly detained among these demons haunts us with a shuddering dread.

We now come to the quadrangle described above. As the door opens we hear again the clanking of chains. A prisoner sees a stranger at the door and announces in shrill tones the arrival of a "foreign devil." We are immediately surrounded by a crowd of ragged, unshorn, squalid, emaciated, cut-throat looking wretches, whose savor is anything but that of "Araby the Blest." They crowd uncomfortably near us, a hundred hands are held out, ferocious eyes glare upon us beneath their shaggy locks and a chorus of voices demand kamshaws. We look appealingly to the keeper, who comes to the rescue with a mouthful of untranslatable curses, delivered in stentorian tones, upon which they disperse. We see them next squatting down on the bare earth in merry, garrulous groupes, as if oblivious of their impending doom. They are mostly half-naked, or dressed in tattered garments filled with insect life, their long disheveled locks matted together, and their bodies corroded with two or three strata of filth.

Water and soap, brush and broom, razor and comb are scarce commodities in a Chinese prison, and hundreds of these wretches live year after year without touching water till the executioner's knife turns them faster into clay. They spend their time gambling and singing lewd songs, or occupy themselves in entomological pursuits, such as picking the vermin out of their clothes or from each other's heads, which, when caught, are popped into the mouth for safe-keeping. This last item is no fiction, but an every-day common-place fact. During one of the five or six visits made by the writer of this sketch to these prisons he was accosted by a prisoner of the most villainous type in broken English. He had been captured in Hongkong and had tasted the sweets of Victoria prison fare before his rendition. He said with the utmost naivete "Hongkong prison welly good place. He pay good chpw chow, good clothes, good bed, good dlink. S'pose hair get long, have got barber makee shave. S'pose me get sick, have got doctor makee well. Hongkong prison welly clean, all ploper. My no likee dis place. Here all too muchee louzee, too muchee muck, too muchee hungly, too muchee thin, too muchee die." This is mentioned to show how strongly the Chinese jail-bird appreciates the comforts and luxuries of Hongkong prison life compared with his native prison hells.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

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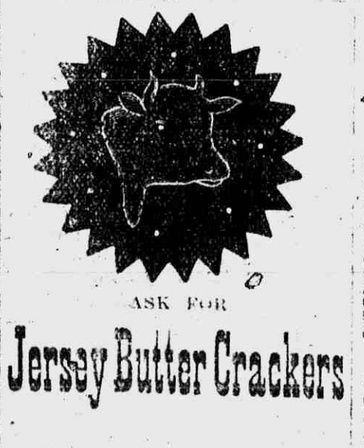

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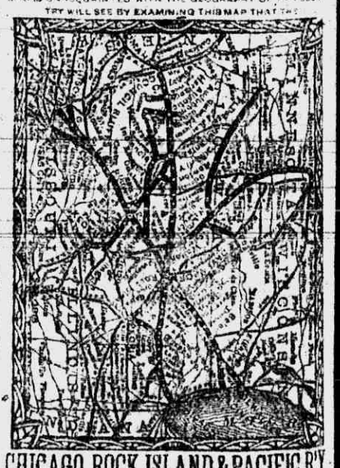

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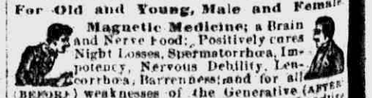

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 55 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	3 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	6 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Toledo	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Adrian	11 18 "	8 32 "	4 22 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 04 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
8 15	5 00	10 10	Lv..Toledo..Ar	3 05	10 05	7 45
7 45	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	2 06	9 04	6 03
7 28	6 27	11 25	....Britton....	1 38	8 41	5 06
7 07	6 31	11 29	....Ridgeway....	1 33	8 37	4 57
6 56	6 41	11 39	....Tecumseh....	1 23	8 27	4 38
9 25	6 57	11 55	....Tipton....	1 06	8 11	4 08
9 50	7 10	12 09	..Cambridge....	12 50	7 58	3 43
		P.M.				
10 33	7 33	12 30	....Addison....	12 30	7 35	3 00
				P.M.		
11 06	7 59	12 51	....Jerome....	12 07	7 18	2 27
11 23	8 07	1 01	....Moscow....	11 56	7 11	2 13
11 45	8 07	1 12	....Hanover....	11 45	7 00	1 48
P.M.						
12 06	8 18	1 23	....Pulaski....	11 33	6 49	1 23
						P.M.
12 20	8 40	1 46	....Homer....	11 10	6 27	12 39
1 42	9 09	2 14	....Marshall....	10 39	5 58	11 26
2 05	9 22	2 28	....Ceresco....	10 25	5 45	11 02
2 50	9 40	2 50	..Battle Creek..	10 06	5 25	10 29
3 40		3 13	....Augusta....	9 35*		9 35
3 52		3 22	....Yorkville....	9 27		9 08
4 00		3 29	....Richland....	9 19		8 55
4 22		4 14	....Monteith....	8 40		7 43
5 39		4 24	.....Fisk.....	8 30		7 23
5 51		4 31	....Kellogg....	8 23		7 13
6 15		4 45	At Allegan Lv	8 10		6 50
P.M.		P.M.		A.M.		A.M.

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulens		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P.M.	A.M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 05	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.
— Trains run by Central Time. —

GOING NORTH. No. 6. Express.	No. 4. Accom.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
1 40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
1 47	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 26	1 39	4 48
1 55	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 30
2 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 22
2 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 04
2 22	2 57	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	3 59
2 36	3 07	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 50
2 45	3 25	9 01	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 40
2 55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 25
3 08	3 59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 22
3 10	4 03	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 17
3 15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	
					A.M.	3 10
3 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	
3 32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
3 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
4 03	5 48	10 32	Lelanaw	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden "	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon "	6 50	11 00	2 10

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Practical Hints Regarding Tornadoes.

The following hints regarding tornadoes, by John D. Parker, U. S. A., in Kansas City *Review of Science*, are given in the belief that many people are killed every year who could save their lives by a little practical knowledge of the movements of these destructive storms:

The tornado season is embraced between the first of April and the first of September, but in the latitude of Kansas City most tornadoes occur in the months of May and June. As we go north or south of this latitude they are proportionately later or earlier, and early or late seasons vary the time of their occurrence correspondingly.

Tornadoes occur in the afternoon, generally between two o'clock and evening, four o'clock being called the tornado hour.

Tornadoes move from southwest to northeast, generally east about twenty degrees north, and their linear movement is ordinarily from thirty to forty miles an hour.

Tornadoes occur on sultry days, or when the temperature is very high and the air is thoroughly saturated with moisture.

Tornadoes occur when the electrical conditions are high, or when the air is highly charged with electricity.

The approach of a tornado may be known by ominous clouds appearing in the southwest and northwest. The clouds sometimes resemble the smoke of a burning hay-stack, at other times they appear like irridescent fog. Sometimes they present a deep greenish hue, or are intensely black, or have a purplish, yellowish or bluish tinge. When these two masses or banks of clouds, under the impulse of opposing currents, approach each other, they are thrown into great confusion, there is a roaring, likened to the rumble of distant thunder, and an upward expulsion of air and vapor. Soon the funnel of the tornado is let down to the earth, and moves to the front, while scuds of clouds play around it. The tornado now formed has four characteristic movements; a linear movement toward the northeast; a gyratory movement north of the equator, contrary to the hands of a watch; a zigzag or swaying movement which leaves dentated edges in the path of the tornado, and a rising and falling movement, the poise of the upper current, by which the tornado leaps over portions of its path.

If one is familiar with these premonitory signs, he is put on his guard and when the tornado appears he is prepared to act intelligently and promptly. Under the preceding principles, he can easily determine the projected path of the tornado, from the location of the funnel, and whether it will be necessary to run north or south to escape from it. He must, of course, not run east or west.

When a tornado is imminent, certain precautions should be observed. Doors and windows in houses should be closed, animals in harness unhitched, and animals in stables let out. The safest place in a house is the southwest corner on the first floor, or better, perhaps, the southwest corner in the cellar. If a tornado overtakes one on the prairie, lie face downward, head toward the east, and place the hands over the head for protection. If near a low, solid object, like a large stone or stump, lie face downward, east of it, head toward the object, with hands over the head for protection.

Every home should have a dug-out at a convenient distance from the house, or what is better, a tornado room built into the west or south wall of the cellar, large enough for the family, and for things of great value like deeds or money.

The destructive effects of tornadoes result from the gyratory movement, which is estimated at from one hundred to five hundred miles an hour. Tornadoes with the hour-glass form of cloud are the most intense, and seem to be irrestible, but the greater number of tornadoes are of lower intensity, and we can build against them. Frame houses are more tenacious or elastic than brick or stone, and when overthrown are not so destructive to life. They should have strong frames. Brick houses should have an extra layer of brick laid in the west and south walls. Stone houses with very thick walls laid in cement are comparatively safe against most tornadoes.

Houses built near a hill or bluff presenting an elevation should be located on the northeast side, as the elevation tends to lift the tornado over the house. A grove of hard wood, such as oak, maple, walnut and hickory, southwest of a house, or a forest southwest of a town, has a tendency to break the force of a tornado and drive it into the upper air, although it is not safe for a person to be near a tree or in a grove during a tornado, for fear of being struck by flying timber. Occasionally a tornado of great intensity will cut a clean swath through a grove, but forests tend to break the force of tornadoes, and will drive most of them into the upper air. All towns in prairie States should plant heavy groves of hard timber southwest of them. During a residence of forty years in Southern Michigan, when it was heavily timbered, tornadoes were unknown; that is, they were driven into the upper air and rendered harmless; but since the forests have been cut away tornadoes in that part of the State have become somewhat frequent and destructive. Not to build and protect against tornadoes seems like not taking medicine for fevers. Sometimes a fever proves fatal, but most fevers can be cured, and so most tornadoes can be rendered comparatively harmless.

By a careful study of the principles which underlie these storms, and an observance of the premonitory signs, during the tornado season, it is believed that few, if any, persons who keep their presence of mind and act intelligently and promptly when the storm appears, need be killed by a tornado. Still, it is always best to have a clear conscience whatever may happen.

Meteorologists are carefully studying these storms. The Signal Service, already in their daily reports during the season, indicate the barometic trough of low pressure, extending from the southwest toward the northeast, along which tornadoes move, and it is believed that the time is not far distant when they will predict to certain districts probable tornado days.

The Mexicans.

Major Bacon, fresh from a journey through Mexico, was interviewed by a reporter. In reply to a question about the Mexicans and their country, the banker said:

"The United states are good enough for me."

"Don't you like Mexico?"

The Major shrugged his shoulders and said:

"There is nothing poorer than a poor Mexican and nothing meaner. The fact is, what a Mexican would not eat, a dog would not steal."

"Why, I thought Mexico was a land with lakes of silver and rivers of gold over golden sands. Don't you want to be annexed?"

"Not a bit of it. Diaz is a nice, sensible fellow, with a good streak of enterprise in his composition, but the balance! Deliver me."

"Tell me about it all."

"Well," said the Major, as he dropped into a more serious strain, "as far as the climate is concerned it is delightful. The quantity of silver in the mines is inexhaustible, and if properly worked by Americans with plenty of capital and improved machinery, those old mines, abandoned by Mexicans years ago, will prove as remunerative as anything that money can be invested in. As far as agriculture is concerned an American would not find it profitably, as the probability would be that the bulk of his crop could be captured by the natives by a process peculiarly their own. A Mexican would not mind going a hundred miles to steal another man's crop. They have very loose ideas about the sacredness of a man's title to his property. It would be, in addition, a difficult matter to purchase any land worth cultivating in Mexico, as all that is now irrigated or can be irrigated is owned by large proprietors who will not sell at any price. The land that I passed over between El Paso and Zacatecas—about seven hundred and fifty miles—is, with the exception of that along the Five Rivers, of too great altitude to produce grass equal to that in Texas, and the herds are very few and poor compared with those in Texas."

"What do you think of the people?"

"As far as my acquaintance went with the better class, I found them exceedingly polite, in fact, too polite—so much so that one is ill at ease. They throw open their entire establishments, and horses, servants and everything is at your command. As for the poorer classes—and they constitute ninety-five per cent. of the thirteen millions—they are as poor as any people on this continent. The wearing apparel and household goods of a Mexican family of peons would not bring three dollars in an old-clothes shop, and I don't believe that out of the entire population of that class one ever had as much as five dollars at a time."

"What's a peon?"

"The peon is the lower class of Mexicans who are hired out to the different haciendas. When one gets in debt he can't leave, or if he does run away is liable to be taken up anywhere in the Republic and returned to his master. In other words, he is as much a slave as the negro was before the war."

"How about the scenery?"

"It is magnificent. Some of the most beautiful scenery in the world is between Vera Cruz and the City of Mexico. The upper portions of the mountains have the climate of the temperate zone and produce corn. Lower down the mountain sides sugar cane grows and on the plains coffee is cultivated. Bananas grow wild on the roadside. There are miles of precipices much greater than that at Lookout Mountain."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

Her Class.

A beautiful young lady coming out of Farwell Hall, Chicago, Sunday afternoon, was warmly greeted by a gentleman, and they stood to chat a moment. Catching sight of some third party, the lady said hurriedly: "See there; that's him."

"Where? Who?" asked the gentleman, turning in the direction indicated by the lady's eyes."

"Why, my boy?"

"Your boy! What do you mean! What do you mean?"

"Oh, right here to our left. The one nearest to us. See, he's talking about me now and pointing me out to the others with him. He's awful jealous of me."

"Your boy! Jealous of you! Is it possible you allude to that Chinaman there? Why, he must be at least thirty years old. You're a great joker."

"Not at all. You don't understand. He's my class. I am a teacher in the Chinese Sunday School up stairs. Each lady has one Chinaman as a class. We girls call our class 'our boy,' and it is a fact, I learn, that each 'class' calls his teacher 'his girl.' I do believe some of the 'boys' are in love with their teachers—genuine, human love. They dress very richly in their style on Sundays and they make us very rich presents. Some of the girls have received gold watches and chains. Why, if I had not put a stop to it my boy would bring me something every Sunday. He has brought me silk handkerchiefs, lace handkerchiefs and lace collars. He gave me this deep collar I have on. He said he would leave school and go back to China if I did not accept it. It is real lace and cost at least thirty-five dollars. But I shan't accept anything more. He is a good boy, and I can do anything I like with him. He learns rapidly. He is an apt scholar. It is laughable. Sometimes I go across the room to talk with one of my lady friends in another class and he sits still and contented, but if a gentleman speaks to me for a moment Lang fires up like a real, splendid lover. His eyes flash, and he jabbers to himself in a great way, and I have to rush back to him or he would leave the room, and, I suppose, go back to China. He is jealous of me now. Excuse me a moment till I go and tell him you're my brother."

The lady went over and pacified the glaring Celestial, and he walked away with his companions. When she returned to the gentleman, he asked her something or other in a jocular way, and she replied, smiling: "Oh he says we 'Melican girls have too many brothers,' too many 'dudu' brothers." The group of Chinamen had taken a street car, and she laughed heartily. They were out of hearing, and the gentleman joined in the laugh.—*Chicago Herald.*

Opening the Fountains.

In numberless bulbs beneath the skin is secreted the liquid substance which gives the hair its texture, color and gloss. When this secretion stops, the hair begins at once to become dry, lustreless, brittle and gray. Is that the condition of your hair? If so, apply Parker's hair Balsam at once. It will restore the color, gloss and life by renewing the action of nature. The Balsam is not an oil, not a dye, but an elegant toilet article, highly appreciated because of its cleanliness.

Cost of Bringing up a Boy.

A clergyman who has been discoursing some days has devoted considerable attention to the cost of these somewhat necessary individuals, and he estimates the expense of bringing a good boy, with all the advantages of city life, to the age of fifteen, at about $5,000. These figures are about doubled by the time the boy is of age, if he goes through college. A bad boy, arrived at the age mentioned, costs fully as much, even if he has not been to college, and the computation, as the reverend gentlemen suggests, does not include the value of the mother's tears and father's gray hairs. Most men who have brought up boys will agree that the estimate is not too high.

The very best remedy that can be compounded from our present knowledge of drugs, for colds, coughs, asthma bronchitis, and other lung diseases, is Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. It has cured many cases of consumption when all other remedies had failed. A single spoonful will cure an ordinary cough or cold and give instant relief to asthma. It is soothing, healing and strengthening to throat and lungs and is very pleasant to take.

Logical deduction: She was a Boston lady of culture. She stood watching a canal boat loaded with ice, as it was being locked into the canal from Lake Champlain. "What is that boat loaded with?" "Ice," was the reply. "Oh, my!" she exclaimed, "if the horrid stuff should melt, the water would sink the boat."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 13, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

THE [illegible] laid before the Senate on the 5th a bill extending the limits of Yellowstone Park, and after debate the bill passed. [illegible] buildings for postoffices of the first, second and third classes at reasonable rates, not to exceed ten years. The Senate then took up the unfinished business, being Mr. Pendleton's bill, providing for the exercise of the jurisdiction conferred upon the United States in places outside their territory. Without reaching a conclusion the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned. In the House Mr. Kiler reported back adversely a bill for the relief of the sufferers by the overflow on the Lower Mississippi Valley and by the cyclone in North Carolina. A resolution was reported from the Committee on Elections unseating T. Luna, delegate from New Mexico, and seating in his place F. A. Manzanares, adopted. The Senate joint resolution appropriating an additional $10,000 for witness fees in the Danville investigation was passed. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill and [illegible] the House adjourned.

AMONG the memorials presented in the Senate on the 6th was one by Mr. Cockrell, from the United Labor Organizations of St. Louis, protesting against the attempts of employers, as illustrated by recent events in Connecticut with glass blowers and other trades, to reduce the compensation of American labor to a point on a level with pauper labor of Europe, and praying the passage of laws to restrict wholesale immigration intended to effect a reduction of wages of American workingmen. In presenting this memorial and moving its reference to the Committee on Education and Labor, Mr. Cockrell took occasion to commend it to the serious consideration of that committee; referred. Mr. Sewell presented a memorial series of resolutions from the Senate of New Jersey, opposing the Morrison tariff bill and expressing the belief of that body that anything approaching tariff for revenue only would materially injure if not totally destroy the manufacturers interests of New Jersey and reduce the wages of American workingmen to a point entirely inconsistent with the demands upon them as members of society in the United States. A number of bills was then favorably reported and placed on the calendar, when the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

The morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill, and when the committee rose the bill was reported and passed—yeas 250, nays 1—adjourned.

[illegible] constituting the majority of the Judges of the Supreme Court of the United States to be a quorum of the court, instead of six judges as heretofore; the bill also prohibits a Judge who heard a case at a Circuit Court from sitting on the Supreme Bench when it comes up for appeal. A bill was passed appropriating $250,000 for the erection of a fire proof building for a hall of records. The Senate took up, and, after some debate, passed the bill for the relief of the heirs of Maurice Grivot; it provides for the repayment to the heirs of Grivot of about $700, constituting a bank deposit seized by order of General Banks in New Orleans on his taking possession of that city. The House bill declaring forfeited the lands of the Texas Pacific Railroad, was reported favorably. Adjourned till Monday. In the House a bill was reported granting a pension to General Francis P. Blair. The bill authorizing the retirement of Alfred Pleasanton with the rank of Colonel was recommitted without instructions. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar, and upon rising several private bills were reported back to the House and passed. At the evening session the House passed a number of pension bills and adjourned.

THE Senate was not in session on the 8th. In the House Mr. Phelps asked leave to present the resolutions of the New Jersey Senate protesting against the Morrison wool tariff bill, but objections being made they were not received. Mr. Dingley, from the Committee on Shipping, reported adversely upon the bill authorizing the purchase of foreign-built ships by United States citizens for use in the foreign carrying trade. The House by a vote of 127 to 117 refused to take up for consideration the Crowder extension bill, and went into Committee of the Whole on the Postoffice Appropriation bill. Without action the committee rose and the House adjourned.

DOMESTIC.

A SUDDEN and destructive rise of the Sandy River occurred on the 6th, tearing away two miles of timber fleets anchored above Catlettsburg, Ky. As they struck the breakwater the rafts broke up and the Ohio was filled with floating logs. The loss will be heavy.

FOUR members of the Salvation Army at Bridgeport, Conn., were arrested on the 6th for violating a city ordinance by parading the streets, and were each fined seven dollars and costs or fifteen days in jail. They went to jail.

TWO men were found overcome by gas at Eckert's furnace in Reading, Pa., on the 6th. One, a stranger, was dead, and the other, W. Redferne of Pittsburgh, was not likely to recover.

JURY COMMISSIONER ANDREW MORELAND, of Pittsburgh, slipped on an iron grating in Diamond Street, that city, on the 6th, and striking his head against the curbstone was instantly killed.

JAMES CRAWFORD, an ex-railroad conductor, charged by the Pennsylvania Railway Company with embezzling tickets, has been found guilty by a jury at Philadelphia.

MICKEY SMITH, the policeman who killed John Mounha at Johnstown, Pa., last August because the latter resisted when he attempted to arrest him, has been found guilty of murder of the first degree.

THE Hayden Company, manufacturers of brass goods at Haydenville, Mass., has been bought out by a syndicate of Western gentlemen who, it is understood, represent a combination formed to control the brass market.

THE body of Henry Pitt, a prominent and wealthy stock dealer of Preble County, O., was found on the 6th in a creek near West Alexandria. He was last seen in town getting a check cashed, and started home in his buggy, which arrived at his residence empty. There are suspicions of foul play.

FRANK RANDE, the desperado who made an attempt upon the life of Deputy McDonald in the Joliet (Ill.) penitentiary recently, and was placed in solitary confinement, succeeded by hanging himself on the night of the 6th. Rande's real name was Charles C. Scott, and during his career he is supposed to have murdered no less than thirteen persons in Indiana, Illinois and Missouri.

A REPORT submitted to the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce on the 8th shows that the whole number of hogs packed there during the winter were 996,[illegible], a decrease of 59,[illegible] compared with the previous year.

A MAN who it is claimed is Tiller, the St. Louis express robber, was arrested at Wichita, Kan., and turned over to the sheriff.

JOHN HERSCH and his sister Rose, living at Baker's Station, Tenn., had a hand-to-hand encounter with knives lasting an hour on the 6th, resulting in the death of the woman.

THE business failures throughout the country for the week ended March 7 were 172, of which 216 were in the United States and 56 in Canada. As compared with the previous week, the increase for the United States was 23; for Canada, 14. Failures are on the increase in the Middle and Pacific States, and especially in Canada, where the figures are higher than reported for years.

THE boiler in J. F. Dearborn's mill at Bryant's Pond, near Portland, Me., exploded on the 7th, destroying a large portion of the mills and instantly killing Engineer Brown and the section man, Swan. Patrick Boyle and James Alexander were fatally injured. The men were from Boston and had just repaired the boiler.

FIFTEEN thousand persons attended the alleged slugging match between Sullivan and Robinson at San Francisco on the evening of the 6th. The receipts were $[illegible]. The slugging was all on Sullivan's side, Robinson adhering to Tug Wilson's tactics of going down every time Sullivan struck at him. For this reason the fight was awarded to Sullivan before the close of the fourth round.

THE sentence of Premier Bondfor, of Dover, New Hampshire, convicted of the murder of Grant, was postponed, his son confessing to being the murderer.

DURING the funeral of William Dunn at Savannah, Ga., on the 6th, the Coroner put in an appearance, uncovered the corpse and disclosed the fact that Dunn had been stabbed to death. An investigation showed that the murder had been committed by Jerry Hagins, with whose daughter Dunn had maintained illicit relations. The stabs were inflicted while Dunn was lying helpless in bed.

REED, the attorney for Guiteau, says that before he was hanged the assassin assured him positively that he had no accomplices in the deed and that no one knew of his wicked purpose.

IN a quarrel at San Candro, Cal., on the 6th, William Scollard drew a revolver and shot Aleck Dietrichsen dead. When Scollard's father was told of the affair he exclaimed "My God! can this be?" and fell dead.

PAYMASTER C. S. BARTLETT, of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, went to his lunch a few days ago without locking the safe in his office at Chicago. Before his return the safe was robbed of nearly all its contents, amounting, it is estimated, to over $27,000. Supposed to have been the work of a sneak thief.

CHARLES L. WHITEHURST, of Norfolk, Va., tried for the murder of Junius A. Rogers, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for twelve years. Both were well connected and the trial attracted much [illegible]

THE will of the late Hon. John Knowles, of Worcester, Mass., in addition to large bequests to public institutions in New England, gives $10,000 to Carlton College, Northfield, Minn., and $4,000 to the American Board of Foreign Missions. After the death of his widow $5,000 goes to Doane College, Neb., and $5,000 to Washburn College, Topeka, Kansas.

AN accident on the Maine Central Railroad at South Orrington, Me., on the 6th, resulted in the wrecking of several freight, baggage and mail cars and seriously injuring Baggagemaster Cole and Engineer Kennedy.

THE steamships Servia and Baltic, from New York for Europe, on the 8th took out $1,500,000 in gold coin and $200,000 in silver.

AT New Haven, Conn., on the 8th, Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis and daughter, aged sixteen, were found dead in bed from suffocation by gas, the burner being half-way turned on.

AT Wilmington, Clinton County, O., on the 8th, City Marshal John T. Vandoren was shot dead by Alfred Ballard, a drunken man when under arrest and on the way to prison in charge of the Marshal.

THE Common Pleas Court at Philadelphia have refused to admit Mrs. Carrie Kilgore to practice as an attorney.

A PREMATURE explosion of a blast at the Cornwall furnaces, Reading, Pa., on the 8th killed John Eck, and mortally wounded Milton Eck, brothers.

TWO freight trains on the Wabash collided a few miles out of Kansas City, Mo., on the 8th. The engines and fifteen cars were badly damaged, but no one seriously hurt.

THE cattle plague which has broken out in Woodson County, Kan., proves to be the genuine foot and mouth disease in its most virulent form. Of one herd of 120 ninety are affected, each animal having lost a hoof or a portion of the leg. In another herd of ninety-six thirty-five are affected. The disease is rapidly spreading, though every effort is being made to abate it by killing diseased cattle and burning their bodies.

AT the burning of the Mackey Block in Memphis, Mo., on the 5th Saxon Mott, Phillip Payne and Samuel Dolyns were buried beneath falling walls. Perry Tucker, Lee Davis, Hallett Sanford and Mrs. McDale were seriously injured. Payne's body was recovered. Loss $85,000.

IN tearing down the old Navy Department building at Washington workmen reached the walls of the original part of the structure erected in 1798. This part was only two stories high. The bricks in the interior of the walls are very much blackened, and show traces, as it is thought, of the fire caused by the British forces in 1814, when they captured and burnt Washington.

Two indictments have been found against Peing, the Long Island assassin.

NOAH JACKSON, a negro who on the 4th of July last murdered his fifteen-year-old wife, was hanged at Providence, La., on the 7th. Two thousand people witnessed the execution.

QUITE a sensation was created among the Buffalo (N. Y.) sports on the 8th by the issue of warrants for the arrest of seventy-five persons who attended the recent cockfight near that city.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended March 8: Loans increase, $5,[illegible]; specie decrease, $1,[illegible]; legal tenders decrease, $2,[illegible]; deposits increase, $1,[illegible]; circulation increase, $[illegible]; reserve decrease, $5,[illegible]. The banks held $[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

PITTSBURGH labor officials are circulating a petition to be presented to Congress asking the appropriation of $10,000,000 of the surplus for colonization purposes. This sum would supply twenty thousand families with $500 each, a mortgage to be given on land for the payment in fifteen years (allowing if a settler pays for his homestead in five years), at par; under ten years one per cent., and over ten two per cent. The petition is being largely signed.

IT is reported that moonshiners recently hung an internal revenue reformer in Floyd County, Va.

RECENT heavy rains on the Pacific coast have caused much damage to railroads, and travel is greatly impeded. The country south of San Francisco is flooded, and at Waterman the Mojave River rose so rapidly that the inhabitants fled to the mountains.

SINCE the introduction of two-cent letter postage there has been the expected reduction in the number of postal cards issued. Since July 1 last there has been an increase of eighteen per cent. in adhesive stamps and twenty-five per cent. in stamped envelopes issued. During those eight months the issue of postal cards only reached 256,552,750, as against 260,226,250 for the corresponding period during the preceding year.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE eulogy upon Wendell Phillips by George William Curtis has been postponed till April 12.

[illegible] York City held a meeting on the 7th and discussed the plan of extending the organization. General Barlow presided, and there were present Secretary Allerton, General Barns, Henry L. Sprague, General Walter Green, Ethan Allen Doty, Frederick W. Holls and Alfred T. White. It was decided to establish branch committees in every State, and members of this committee agreed to visit Boston, Springfield, Philadelphia and other large Eastern cities for that purpose. It was also decided to engage headquarters at Chicago during the Convention. It was stated that this was not a third party movement but an organization wholly within the Republican party, and assurances of co-operation had been received from all parts of the [illegible]

GENERAL GRANT is at the Hygeia Hotel, Fortress Monroe, for a month or six weeks' stay.

THE Maine Democratic State Convention is called to meet at Bangor, June 17.

LIEUTENANT DANENHOWER was married at Oswego, N. Y., on the 12th, to Helen Laflin Sloan, only daughter of George B. Sloan, ex-Speaker of the State Assembly, and grain merchant and manufacturer in that city.

THE Massachusetts Democratic State Convention will meet at Worcester, April 30.

THE Galveston Cotton Exchange on the 8th unanimously passed resolutions urging the Texas Congressmen to oppose the further coinage of silver dollars upon the present basis of valuation.

THE House Committee on Civil Service Reform have decided to report a bill abolishing the four-year term for Federal officials. On March 17 the House will be asked to suspend the rules and pass the bill.

[illegible] Cousins, Mrs. Haggert and other members of the Women Suffrage Association were before the House Judiciary Committee on the 8th, and made addresses advocating the extension of the right of suffrage to their sex.

FOREIGN.

THE British House of Commons on the 4th rejected Parnell's bill amending the Irish land act by a vote of 325 to 72.

THE remains of Minister Hunt have been placed in the vault of the American Chapel at St. Petersburg until arrangements can be made for transporting them to the United States.

AN affray occurred on the 5th at Pressa, Italy, between laborers on the railway and the inhabitants of the village. The military in endeavoring to suppress the disturbance fired, killing eight and wounding fourteen villagers.

THE commander of the Black Flag has offered a reward of £16 for each head of a French soldier, and £32 for the head of an officer.

THE body of Jerome F. Collins, of the Jeannette expedition, was interred at Cork with imposing ceremonies on the 9th. Over 5,000 people were in the procession.

THE final spike in the Mexican Central Railroad was driven in the presence of a distinguished assemblage on the 8th. It is now an unbroken railroad from Mexico City to the Rio Grande.

LATER.

ARCHBISHOP BREATH, a resident of Alton, Ill., for fifty years, died on the 10th, aged seventy-nine. At the time of the pro-slavery riot in 1837 he was one of the sixty men who enrolled themselves to defend Lovejoy.

GEORGE CRAIN, who with John Humphrey Noyes founded the Oneida Community in New York in 1836, died on Monday of heart disease on the 10th.

RT. REV. ROBERT H. CLARKSON, Bishop of Nebraska, died at Omaha on the 10th. He has built over fifty churches in Nebraska and Dakota, and his death is lamented by all classes in the State.

TEN men who left Spokane Falls, Wyoming Territory, on the 17th ult. to locate the trail to the Cœur d'Alene gold mining district, have not been heard from, and it is believed they have been lost in the snow drifts of Idaho. Their names are Charles Pond, L. Morgan, Charles Bottman, McNutt Wormesh, William Deville, George Stafford, William Gaines, Peter Esch and one unknown.

THE sculling race between Wallace Ross, the New Brunswick sculler, and Barbear, the English champion, took place on the Thames on the 10th, and was won by Ross easily in six lengths.

MR. BAYARD submitted a resolution in the Senate on the 10th instant, the adoption of which would carry into effect the recommendation of the Committee on Judiciary, reported in the Senate, proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to provide that Congress shall not have power to make anything but gold and silver legal tender for the payment of debts, nor pass any law impairing the obligation of contracts. A joint resolution proposing the following amendment to the Constitution was submitted by Mr. Garland: Article 16. That members of the public debts of states repudiated by notes issued under authority of the laws with the property of actual money and has legalized the issue of debts, which have exceeded the sum of $40,000,000 since the adoption of the 14th article of amendment of the Constitution, shall not be counted in the apportionment of representatives among the several States, nor shall such debts be paid by any State, county or municipality, or the United States. A member of bill was reported favorably from the Committee on Commerce, and the Senate went into executive session. The House Committee on Ways and Means reported back the Senate joint resolution for the consideration of the Ways and Means Committee of such bills, joint resolutions and notes on the journal of each House. A number of bills were reported favorably from committees and placed on the calendar. The Senate then went into executive session. The House Mr. Springer, from the committee on Ways and Means, reported back the Senate joint resolution with an amendment providing that any order adopted for the purchase of silver for coinage purposes, and non-concurrence in other amendments agreed to. Mr. Hewitt introduced a bill providing a constitutional amendment that Congress shall not have power to make anything but gold and silver a tender in the payment of debts. The Senate bill establishing standard time in the District was passed. A message was received from the President transmitting, without comment, the documents received from the Secretary of State relative to a resolution of the House on the death of Edward Lasker. Mr. Hiscock offered a resolution reciting the facts connected with the passage of the resolution of condolence by the House, and that the House does hereby reiterate the expression of sincere regret at the death of Edward Lasker, and its sympathy with the Parliament of the German Empire, of which for many years, he was a distinguished member; referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Adjourned.

MARRIED.

FRIDD—JEFFREY.—At the residence of the bride's parents, March 5, 1884, by Rev. D. Whiteley, Mr. Wm. J. Fridd and Miss Hattie E. Jeffrey, both of Franklin.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mar. 11, 1884:

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Gillian, Joseph — Turner, Emerson
Holmes, Mrs. James

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Beans, ℔ bushel	1 25	@ 1 75
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	[illegible]	@ 80
Buckwheat flour, ℔ hundred	[illegible]	@ 5 00
Beef—dressed, ℔ hundred	6 00	@ 6 50
Beef Hides	5	@ 07
Calf Skins, ℔ ℔	8	@ 10
Corn in ear	55	@ 60
Corn—shelled, ℔ bushel	50	@ 55
Clover Seed	5 50	@ 6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@ 12
Eggs, ℔ doz	[illegible]	@ 22
Flour, ℔ barrel	6 00	@ 7 00
Hogs—dressed, ℔ cwt	5 00	@ 5 50
Hogs—live ℔ cwt	4 75	@ 5 50
Hay, ℔ ton	8 00	@ 14 00
Honey, ℔ ℔	[illegible]	@ 15
Lard, ℔ ℔	[illegible]	@ 10
Oats, ℔ bushel	28	@ 32
Onions, ℔ bushel	[illegible]	@ 50
Potatoes, ℔ bushel	25	@ 35
Salt, ℔ barrel	[illegible]	@ 1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ℔ bushel	[illegible]	@ 1 80
Turkeys—dressed ℔ ℔	[illegible]	@ 19
Wood, ℔ cord	4 00	@ 4 00
Wheat, White, ℔ bushel	[illegible]	@ 1 00
Wheat, Red, ℔ bushel	[illegible]	@ 1 00

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenshoe, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased, also part at least, a mortgage upon real estate owned of petitioner in Lenawee County, which he has assumed to pay, and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency hereof and the day appointed for hearing thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the Sixth day of May next, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF STEVENS MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 4th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin R. Wood, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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FRANKLIN FACTS.

School was closed in district No. 6 on Friday last, with appropriate exercises, under the efficient teacher, Miss Lelia VanValkenburg. The following program was carried out with honor to all parties.

Song—On Jordan's stormy banks—By the school.

Recitation—Guilty or not guilty—May Richardson.

Dialogue—Boarding around—Tibbie Daniels, Lydia Simmons, Arthur Daniels, Loa Vanderpool, Clarence Cole, Harry Vanderpool.

Recitation—Little Mary's wish—Nellie Tripp.

Recitation—A little boys troubles—Arthur Daniels.

Recitation—Youthful minds—Agustus Smalley.

Dialogue—Rhoda Hunt—Tibbie Daniels, Loa Vanderpool, Susie Vanderpool, Clarence Cole.

Dialogue—The bear garden—Harry Vanderpool, Arthur Daniels, Susie Vanderpool, Clarence Cole, Loa Vanderpool.

Recitation—The two Mabels—Julia Daniels.

Dialogue—Personating olders—Leota Lanning, Minnie Vanderpool.

Recitation—My last cigar—Clarence Cole.

Dialogue—Four little wise heads—Nellie Tripp, Leota Lanning, Lulu Perkins, May Richardson.

Recitation—By Virginia Daniels.

Recitation—Pictures in the glass—Leota Lanning.

Singing—Vacation coming—Tibbie Daniels, Susie Vanderpool.

Instrumental music by the man.

Remarks by Mr. Bert Vanderpool, in regard to the complete satisfaction of the school work and in behalf of the district expressed their best wishes to the teacher. After the presentation of prizes by teacher to pupils for regular attendance viz., Loa Vanderpool, Lulu Perkins, Minnie Vanderpool, May Richardson, school was dismissed.

We understand that Miss VanValkenburg has been retained for another term.

MACON MOLECULES.

School begins next Monday. A pleasant term is anticipated.

Elmer Allen and wife, of Vermontville, has been visiting relatives in Macon for a few days. They intend to make Dakota their future home.

C. E. Triplet and wife are sojourning in Hillsdale county.

Milan Sage is making preparations to build a new tile kiln this spring.—He also intends to build another tile shed. Mr. Sage will then have the largest tile factory in Michigan.

Mrs. Daniel T. Lewis died at the residence of her son, Alfred Lewis, Thursday, March 13th. Her funeral was held Friday, March 14th. Mrs. Lewis had been a resident of Macon many years and was highly esteemed.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Headquarters Eaton Post, G. A. R., No. 222. Britton, March 18, '84.

A regular meeting of Eaton Post, No. 222, will be held in the school house at Britton, on Saturday evening, March 22, 1884. All members are requested to be present, as there will be business of importance to come before the meeting. By order of

THOS. V. HOAGLAND, Com.
ALBERT EATON, Adjt.

There will be a maple sugar festival and supper in the Christian church, East Ridgeway, Wednesday, March 26th, at 7:30 P. M. Everybody invited. The proceeds are for the benefit of the church.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

The Ridgeway Literary Society having reorganized will present the following program at the next regular meeting to be held on the evening of March 28th, 1884.

Music—Gospel Song—Society.
Prayer—Rev. Peter Sharp.
Music—Velina Underwood.
Declamation—Samuel Arner.
Reading—Ada Loree.
Recitation—Mary Osgood.
Music—Duett—Kittie Clark.
Reading—Thos. H. Temple.
Recitation—Ella Cadmus.
Essay—Mrs. Wm. R. Wilson.
Music—Quartette—Louisa Arner.
Poem—Dr. D. W. Loree.
Recess.
Inst. Music—Belle Barlow.
Debate—Resolved, That reading is a better source of knowledge than experience.
Affirmative—Dr. R. H. Nelson, A. E. Palmer.
Negative—B. F. DePuy, Martin Palmer.

Admission free. Exercises to commence promptly at 7:15.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Stanley Gurnsey has moved his family into T. H. Mosher's house on Mill street.

Wm. Clayson, Jr., is undergoing quite a severe trial of sickness.

J. C. Kinney is able to get about again although he is compelled to use a cane.

Mr. Oliver, the gentleman from N. Y. City, who came to make C. E. Jessup a short visit a few weeks since is still there confined with rheumatism.

Edwin Nichols was taken into custody by the county officials last week Monday on a charge of assault and battery, entered by his wife.

C. D. Smith is helping John Ladd finish up the Harkness house on the bank of Devil's Lake, with the expectation of securing John's services as soon as spring opens.

The estate of Abram Ayres, deceased, was sold at public auction to Andrew Ayres on Saturday last for $850.

ADDISON ATOMS.

To all qualified electors in the township of Woodstock, who favor the suppression of the saloon business in said township notice is hereby given a caucus will be held at Grange hall, on Wednesday, March 26th, at one o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of making suitable nominations for township officers during the ensuing year, also the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus. All party affiliations or prejudices suspended. By order of Township Prohibition Committee.

A. J. KEMPTON, Sec.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Friday evening last the club met at the residence F. V. Horton, according to adjournment. The attendance was quite small, yet the programme was pretty well carried out in the main, though some parts had to be omitted as some of the interested parties failed to put in an appearance. The singing and instrumental music were good. Mrs. J. W. Gillespie favored us with a highly instructive Essay, entitled Home Influence, teeming with many good points.

Before proceeding with the discussion of the Question, it was suggested by F. C. Rector that after the next meeting, which is the last of the season, that the club should meet once a month, in the afternoon, and discuss such questions as was of the most interest to us at the time of meeting, and the ladies prepare a supper and have a good time generally. After considerable talk a motion to that effect was made and carried. The question What Constitutes Good Farming, brought out a very spirited discussion. It was the general opinion that Southern Michigan had as many good farms, according to the population, as any part of the world.

The next meeting of the club will be held at John Fisher's, Friday afternoon, the 28th inst., at 4 P. M. This being the last meeting of the season, according to our former custom, we are to have a Picnic Supper, so the ladies are requested to fix up the goodies and bring them along. Program for the next meeting:

Music—Choir.
Declamation—Artie Hall.
Music—Rhoda Benedict.
Select Reading—A. G. Hall.
Music—Ellen Fisher, Lizzie Henderson.
Recitation—Ida Rector.
Music—Mrs. Wm. Waldron, Kittie Griswold.
Essay—Mrs. Fanny Rector.
Music—Eva Rector.
Declamation—George Henderson.
Music—Grant and Henry.
Parlor Charade—Mrs. Jno. Fisher and Mrs. R. B. Gillespie.

F. V. HORTON, Sec'y.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending March 17:

FRANKLIN.

Henry Jeffrey to B. F. Reynolds. Land on sec. 16. $1,300.

RAISIN.

Jane Welliver et al to Robert Glenn. E½ s e ¼, sec. 18. $1,000.

RIDGEWAY.

H. F. Barnes to Albert Smith. E½ w ½ n e ¼, sec. 20. $2,100.

TECUMSEH.

John Boland to Philetus Youngs. Part lot 4, block 1, McOwen's addition. $750.

Peter J. VanVleet to Isaac P. Keyser. Land cor. Evans and Pottawatamie streets. $3,000.

Polly A. Wood to James S. Hunt. Part of block 1, Hewitt's addition. $1,600.

Adrian Times: Geo. W. Reese escaped from jail in this city to-day. It is the custom of the sheriff to allow prisoners, whose conduct is altogether exemplary, to work in the yard occasionally, and thus get a "breath of fresh air." Reese was allowed to step into the yard to-day for a short time, and not being observed for a few moments, skipped out. Officers immediately left in pursuit of the prisoner. Reese was one of the fellows arrested for robbing Adelbert Purcell in this city, during the races last June. He pleaded guilty upon being arraigned a short time since, and was in jail awaiting sentence. Should his capture be effected, which is altogether likely, he will probably find his sentence as severe as the circumstances will permit.

The Democratic state central committee will meet at Lansing to-day.

OUR ANCESTORS' NERVE.

The Secret of Their Unusual Vigor Explained and How it can be Acquired.

There was something about the sturdy vigor of former generations that challenges the admiration of every man, woman and child. They were no epicures—those ancient fathers. They lived simply, and successfully met and overcome difficulties that would have discouraged this age and generation. The rigors of the frontier were supplemented by the savages, wild beasts threatened their enterprise and poverty was a common companion. Yet they bravely encountered and resisted all those things and laid the foundatons of a land whose blessings we now enjoy. Their constitutions were strong, their health unsurpassed and yet they were forced to expose themselves continually.—There certainly must have been some good and adequate cause for all this and for the physical superiority of that age over the present.

It is well known to everyone conversant with the history of that time that certain home compounds of strengthening qualites were used almost universally by those pioneers. The malarial evils and exposures to which they were subjected necessitated this. When their bodies became chilled by cold or debilitated by the damp mists of a new country they were forced to counteract it by the use of antidotes. Medicines were few in those days, and doctors almost unknown. Hence the preparations above referred to. From among the number all of which were compounded upon the same general principle, one was found to be more efficient and hence far more popular than all the rest. It was well known through the middle and western states and was acknowledged as the best preparation for malarial disorders and general debility then known. The receipe for compounding of this valuable article was handed down from one family and generation, to another, was known to the Harrison family and is used as the basis and general formula for the present "Tippecanoe," the name being suggested by the battle in which General Harrison was engaged. The manufacturers have thoroughly investigated this subject in its minutest details, and are certain that for malassimilation of food, dyspepsia, tired feelings, general debility, prostration, malarial disorders and humors in the blood, nothing can exceed in value "Tippecanoe," which was the medicine of our forefathers and seems destined to be the most popular preparation of the day.

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A $20 Biblical Prize.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer twelve valuable rewards in their *Monthly* for April, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 to the person telling us how many words there are in the Epistle of Jude, as recorded in the New Testament Scriptures (not the New Revision,) by April 10th, 1884. Should two or more correct answers be received, the REWARD will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner April 15th, 1884. Persons trying for the reward must send 30 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the May *Monthly*, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penn.

AUCTION SALE.

Mrs. LeRoy Mead having rented her farm will sell at auction six miles north-east of Tecumseh, and one-half mile west of Grange Hall in Macon, on Friday, March 28, '84, one five year old mare, 1 eight year old hambletonian mare, 1 three year old colt, cow, 2 two year old heifers, yearling bull, 119 sheep, 3 calves, buck, lumber wagon, single buggy, harness, 2 yearling steers, 27 shoats, quantity of corn and oats, farm tools, etc., etc. Eighteen months credit. Abe. Hanford, Auctioneer.

A Georgia paper knows of a piece of land in that state, which is worth $6,000. When the owner wishes to get it insured it is worth $8,000 and when he wants to sell, $10,000; but when he gives in its value to be taxed, it is only worth $4,000—in Michigan jes' de same.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 20, 1884.

TWO LITTLE SHOES.

["Two little shoes were found frozen in the lap of one of the dead of the ill-fated City of Columbus."]

Two little shoes—naught else!
How forlorn lay cold in death
Relentless, wodhn waves
Had shut had her parting breath!
Alas, for those was feet,
No mother should shall press
Their snowy dimpled shapes again
In love and tenderness.

Two little shoes—as if
In that dread moment there,
The mother's heart had clung
To these in out despair!
As if her latest thought
Unto her babe were given,
Ere from wild wreck and agony
The soul had sped to Heaven!

Two little shoes that speak—
As angels speak above—
A mother's gentle hope
A mother's boundless love!
Hope, love, that earthly ill
Can quench not, neither blight;
Tender, enduring, precious, sweet,
Yet deathless in its might!
—*George Cooper, in Baldwin's Monthly.*

GREEK FIRE.

At what period the ancient Greek fire was invented has never been certainly determined. There are many writers who place the invention in a far antiquity. Historical details have been adduced pointing to the period of the earlier wars between the Greeks and Romans as the true era of the discovery. But we do not find any certain evidence of the use of Greek fire until the sieges of Constantinople, in the seventh and eighth centuries, though a Father of the Christian Church, writing in the fifth century, gave recipes for making a combustible substance of similar qualities from the compounds resin, sulphur, pitch, pigeons' dung, turpentine, and the juice of the herb "aalheal."

It is related that the true Greek fire was invented by a certain Callinicus, an architect of Heliopolis in Syria (Baalbec) in 678. The secret of the composition of this artificial flame, and the art of directing its action, were imparted by Callinicus—who had deserted from the Caliph to the Emperor of Constantinople. From this period until the year 1201 the use of Greek fire was an important element in the military power of the Byzantine Empire. The progress of the Saracens was more than once decisively checked by the destructive action of this powerful and terrible flame. The important art of compounding the fire "was preserved at Constantinople," says Gibbon, "as the palladium of the State; the galleys and artillery might occasionally be lent to the allies of Rome; but the composition of the Greek fire was concealed with the most zealous scruple, and the terror of the enemy was increased and prolonged by their ignorance and surprise."

The accounts which have reached us respecting the properties of the Greek fire are such as to justify the high value attached by the Byzantine Emperors to the secret of its composition. It was a liquid, which was propelled by various methods against the ships or engines of the enemy. So long as it was kept from the air, or remained in large masses, the liquid appears to have been perfectly safe from combustion; but as soon as it was poured forth it burned with an intense flame which consumed everything around—not merely burning upward, but with equal fury downward and laterally. Water not only failed to quench it, but made it burn with new ardor. To subdue the flames it was necessary to employ, in large quantities, either sand or vinegar. Various methods were employed for propelling the liquid fire toward the enemy. Sometimes it was enclosed in vessels made of some brittle substance, and these were flung at the enemy by means of suitable projectile machines. "It was either," says Gibbon, "poured from the rampart in large boilers, or launched in red-hot balls of stone and iron, or darted in arrows or javelins, twisted round with flax and tow, which had deeply imbibed the inflammable oil." But the effectual use of the destructive compound seems to have been best secured by means of a species of fire-ships specially constructed for the purpose. Copper and iron machines were plated in the fore part of these ships. Long tubes, fantastically shaped, so as to resemble the mouth and jaws of savage animals, formed the outlet for a stream of liquid fire, which the engine—literally a fire engine—propelled to a great distance. Hand engines were also constructed by which the destructive compound could be spurted by the soldiers, Beckman tells us.

The secret, as we have said, was carefully kept by the Byzantines. The Emperor Constantine suggested the answers which in his opinion were best fitted to elude the pertinacious questioning of the barbarians. "They should be told that the mystery of the Greek fire had been revealed by an angel to the first and greatest of the Constantines, with the sacred injunction that this gift of Heaven—this peculiar blessing of the Romans—should never be communicated to any foreign nation; that the prince and subject were alike bound to religious silence under the temporal and spiritual penalties of treason and sacrilege; and that the infamous attempt would provoke the sudden and supernatural vengeance of the God of the Christians." Gibbon adds that the secret thus religiously guarded was "confined for above four hundred years to the Romans of the East; and at the end of the eleventh century the Pisans, to whom every sea and every art were familiar, suffered the effects without understanding the composition of Greek fire."

This, however, is not wholly true. The secret was preserved, indeed, from the Romans of the West, but the Saracens managed to possess themselves of it very much earlier than Gibbon's account would imply. For, at the siege of Thessalonica, in the year 904, the Saracens we are told by John Comeniata—threw liquid fire, by means of tubes, upon the wooden defenses of the besieged, and by this means principally succeeded in capturing the town.

In the Holy Wars the Mohammedans freely availed themselves of the use of Greek fire. Gallant knights, who feared little the swords or lances of the Saracen host, were terrified by the uncouth aspect and hideous noises of machines which belched forth upon them a torrent of liquid fire. Joinville tells us that "it come flying through the air like a winged long tailed dragon, about the thickness of a hogshead, with the report of thunder and the velocity of lightning; and the darkness of the night was dispelled by this deadly illumination."

It does not by any means follow, because the invention of gunpowder rendered the ancient Greek fire no longer a very useful military weapon, that the knowledge of the secret of its composition would be of little value. We must remember that the use of fire-arms rendered the old-fashioned engines, by means of which the liquid was propelled, no longer available, since those who worked the engines could no longer venture near enough to the enemy. It was to this cause, we suspect, rather than to any want of efficiency in the compound itself, that the discontinuance of the use of Greek fire should be ascribed. The time has not yet come for making gunpowder itself a useful adjunct to the employment of liquid fire.

It is not so clear, however, that the Ancient Greek fire was much more efficient than that which has recently come into use. Still, the inquiry into the nature of its composition is not without interest.

The Princess Anna Comnena states that Greek fire was compounded of sulphur, resin and oil. It may be well to dwell on this point, since many writers have been disposed to consider naphtha, or liquid bitumen, to have been the principal ingredient of the Greek fire. Possibly, however, the oil mentioned by Anna Comnena may have been naphtha, and not, as one would be disposed to infer, any of the ordinary vegetable or mineral oils; for the use of naphtha in lamps is of great antiquity.

Gibbon writes: "Naphtha was mingled, I know not in what proportions, with sulphur and with the pitch that is extracted from evergreen firs—that is, resin—in forming Greek fire."

It is a moot point whether Friar Bacon ever discovered the true composition of the liquid fire. Many supposed that he concealed a real ignorance on the subject, when he supplied an apparently unmeaning answer to the questions addressed to him. Others, however, assert that two of the components of Greek fire were, as Bacon said, sulphur and saltpeter, and that the third is to be detected in the logogriph—"Luru vopo vir Can utriet." We leave this anagram to the ingenuity of our readers, mentioning, in passing, that it contains the apropos words, "urit voraciter," but that the extraction of these words leaves us only the combination "lupovun," from which it will not be found easy to form a word. Possibly there is a mistake in transcription to add to the anagrammatic difficulty.

Many others have tried to elucidate the question. Friar Bungay, Charles du Frene, Ducange and Joinville—a host, in fact, of commentators, historians and antiquarians—have all had something to say more or less to the purpose. But the satisfactory solution of the problem has not yet been obtained, nor perhaps is it likely to be.

It has been well remarked by a writer on the subject, that "gunpowder blew the ancient Greek fire out of the field." But during the American war of 1860-65, it was shown that gunpowder might be used to blow modern Greek fire into cities. Whether the example will ever become a recognized military precedent is uncertain. But it has been shown that Greek fire may be flung into a city by means of a suitably prepared shell, and that its destructive properties may thus be made available when the besieging force is four miles or more from the central parts of the city. Charleston was certainly not destroyed by General Gillmore's fire shells; in fact, there are difficulties connected with the construction of such shells, which, though far from being insuperable, were not wholly mastered by the artillerists under Gillmore. But that an immense amount of damage was effected is shown by the fact that General Beauregard hurled from the mouth of his cannon denunciations against Gillmore for employing "the most villainous compound ever used in war."

That Greek fire will one day be employed as a fearfully destructive agent in warfare seems scarcely probable. Yet, so far from looking forward with dismay to the prospect of such an application for its properties, we may rather, perhaps, consider the prospect as favorable to the interests of peace. We may apply to this case the remarks applied by Fuller to the use of cannon—"Though some may say that the finding of such appliances hath been the losing of many men's lives, yet it will appear that wars are now fought with more expedition, and that Victory standeth not so long a neuter, before she expresses herself on one side or the other."—*Knowledge.*

—A canine at Bridgeport, Conn., has learned the art of skating. The skates are made of celluloid, quite light, and small enough to fit the dog's foot. After they are adjusted by its master, the dog starts out with different movements, until a signal is given, when he rises and skates on his hind legs, giving the Dutch roll and other movements with quite a waggish air. Afterward he drops upon his fore legs and skates with his back ones elevated—*Hartford Post.*

A gentleman met an uncertain acquaintance, who said "I'm a little short, and should like to ask you a conundrum in mental arithmetic." "Proceed," replied the gentleman. "Well," said the short man, "suppose you had £10 in your pocket and I should ask you for £5, how much would remain?" "Ten pounds," was the prompt reply.

—They say that in Texas hats are worn over the ears. Come to think of it, that is the style in Pennsylvania, too. Shoes are worn under the ears, however.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Ex-Governor W. B. Washburn has given $10,000 to the Literary Association of Greenfield, Mass., the income to be used solely in buying books.—*Boston Journal.*

Juvenile Audacity and Cherokee Disgust.

I shall not soon forget a stage coach ride from Fort Smith, Ark., to Muskogee, I. T. I had thought that I would be the only passenger, but when a woman and boy, and subsequently a half Indian, entered, I very naturally revised my former impressions and declared that I would have company. The half Indian had been educated at an Eastern school and was a very intelligent man. He was, I understood him to say, a member of the Cherokee Council, and was returning home from a visit to Washington to attend a session of that grave, if not potent, body of Indian legislators. When the boy learned that the man was an Indian he began to exhibit a restlessness which I soon discovered would result in the red man's annoyance.

"Did you ever kill anybody?" he asked.

"Tommy," said the woman, "don't be rude."

"I think not," replied the Cherokee.

"Then what makes you be an Indian?"

"I am only a half Indian."

"Which half?"

"Thomas," exclaimed the woman, turning him around, unbuttoning his coat and buttoning it again. He remained quiet for a few moments and then said:

"Maw."

"What, dear?"

"A half Indian would only half kill anybody, wouldn't he?"

"If you don't hush I'll put you out."

"Then I'd have to walk, wouldn't I?"

"Yes."

"An' the bears might get me, mightn't they?"

"Yes, they would."

"Would you care."?

"Yes."

"Then what makes you wanter put me out? Do the Indians scalp folk?" again addressing the Cherokee Councilor, who exhibited a social side of his Indian nature, but yielding to the white and of course political half, replied:

"The wild ones do."

"But you are not wild, are you?"

"No."

"Why ain't you?"

"My little man, I must say that you're asking too many questions," casting a reproachful glance at the woman.

"If you don't hush I'll whip you. Do you hear me?" taking his hat from the floor and putting it on his head.

"Yessum."

He remained quiet for a few moments, but dropping his hat on the floor, he reached down, took it up and said:

"If you was a wild Indian you'd cut me with a knife when I stoop down, wouldn't you?"

The Cherokee looked far out over the lands of his fathers, but made no reply.

"If I waster hit you, you'd hurt me anyhow, wouldn't you?"

"No," the red man replied.

"Why wouldn't you?"

"Another word out of you and I'll whip you. Never mind; I'll tell your father," said the woman.

It was impossible to keep him quiet, and after a while he asked:

"Have you got any boys?"

"Yes; two."

"Are they Indian boys?"

"Their mother is a white woman."

"As white as my maw?"

"Just another word out of you and I'll box you," said the woman, blushing. He had evidently tested his indulgent mother on many an occasion, for after the shortest possible silence on his part he asked:

"Did you ever see any scalps?"

"Yes, I think so."

"Did they have blood on 'em?"

"No, they were dry," replied the Cherokee, plainly showing that his political readiness in answering questions had risen above his Indian stoicism.

"Do they peel 'em like apples when they dry 'em?"

"Hush your mouth." The Indian nature was endeavoring to assert itself.

"If you ask another question I'll whip you, you little rascal," said the woman. "Are you going to hush?"

"Yessum."

He twisted himself around, scratched the coach door with a nail he mysteriously produced, and asked:

"Would you rather be an Indian than a white man?"

"Hold on," demanded the Cherokee, calling to the driver. "Let me ride outside."

"It's goin' to rain. I think, Colonel," the driver responded.

"Makes no difference," and he got out and climbed on top of the coach. I then thought my time had come, but he was after better game; our red man of the forest was his affinity. He screwed himself around for awhile, and then leaning from the coach window, he called:

"Say, does Indians scalp niggers?"

"Whoa," said the Cherokee, "Let me get down."

"Want to get back inside?" the driver asked.

"No, I'm going to walk. Drive on and if I don't overtake you, all right. I'll be cussed if I wouldn't rather be a witness in the United States Court."—*Opie Read, in N. Y. Mercury.*

—Adirondack Murray thus rails at poverty. "Oh, cursed poverty! I know thee to be of Satan, for I myself have eaten at thy scanty table, and slept in thy cold bed. And never yet have I seen thee bring one smile to human lips, or dry one tear as it fell from human eye. But I have seen thee sharpen the tongue for biting speech, and harden the tender heart. Ay, I've seen thee make even the presence of love a burden, and cause the mother to wish that the babe nursing at her scant breast had never been born."—*Boston Post.*

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FITS A Leading London Physician establishes an Office in New York for the Cure of EPILEPTIC FITS. *From Am. Journal of Medicine.*

Dr. Ab. Meseroll (late of London), who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years' standing successfully cured by him. He has published a work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his wonderful cure free to any sufferer who may address their express and P. O. Address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address

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Spring Woollen Goods.

The new wool stuffs for spring dresses revive the styles of our grandmothers both in their soft faded hues and in the quaint designs wrought upon them, or rather woven there, in old-fashioned sampler stitches. The cross stitches of tapestries and the beaded work done a century ago by painstaking needlewomen are now admirably copied by machinery in both silks and crewels on the rough-finished bison-cloths, the smooth albatross wools, and on many canvas-like fabrics. Small detached figures are most used for the sunken cross stitches, while the raised boucle figures are larger arabesques, birds and branches of flowers. The backgrounds for these designs, which are done in gay colors, are soft shades of gray, brown, blue or old red, with the greater number in the new ecru shades, which are now called *Suede*, like the colors so popular for gloves. Panama like the tints of straw braids, and *champignons*—the pinkish-browns of mushrooms. Only a part of the dress is made of these figured stuffs, and the preference is for confining the figures to the lower skirt, which is severely plain, and to the vest, which is the only trimming for the basque; however, there are many variations to this rule, and the use of remnants and short lengths for combination dresses may still be resorted to. Other fabrics for what the French manufacturers label grand'mere dresses copy to perfection in their weaving the stitches of quilting in the quilted skirts that formed the lower skirts of dresses in olden times. A small flower or leaf, dots or stars, may then be printed all through the quilted design, and this antiquated-looking fabric will form the full round skirt of a costume that has a basque and most oddly bunched up draperies of a plain color.

For those who do not like figured goods there are ottoman albatross wools of the lightest quality, not heavier than veiling or bunting, yet woven with threads across that give repped effects; just the reverse of these is the *fil-a-fil* wools with alternating threads of two colors or of different thicknesses lengthwise in the fabric. Both these materials, as well as the summer bison-cloths, are of light weight, and almost as transparent as muslin. A great many striped goods are shown both in wide stripes of solid hue and in others that have the *fil-a-fil* stripes in quaintly contrasted colors, or in two tones of a single shade. The blue-grays seem to prevail in these striped stuffs, and also in the checks, blocks and plaids that are shown in fine wools; otherwise the preference is for the new ecru tints that always find favor in the spring. Cheviots come in all the striped and checked designs, and in the illuminated and Venetian mixtures of color that have no set pattern. What is called Jersey albatross is a sheer wool bunting woven in elastic webbing like Jersey cloths. New plaids for children's dresses have their bars crossing in squares that are woven in Greek key patterns, and these show odd contrasts of color, such as Suede with shrimp pink, or gray with reseda, gray with Suede, or porcelain blue with buff.

Cashmeres are more largely imported than at any previous season, and in exquisitely fine, soft and light qualities. Three colors most seen in these are Suede, sky blue, and cream white, and the novel way of using them is to put them under transparent embroideries on white net, representing lace, in the way silks and satins have hitherto been used. All garish luster is thus done away in these refined toilettes, which have the entire skirt covered with ecru embroidered net, which is itself made into a skirt of what is called piece lace, or else the front and side-breadths only are covered with this net woven to represent many rows of lace. The designs are similar to those of Oriental laces, and much of the pattern is done in darker ecru threads than the groundwork of the net. The tapestry figures and raised velvet blocks noted on silks and on bison cloths are among the new fancies for cashmeres; these, like the lace-covered cashmeres, serve for skirts, while the waist and draperies are of plain cashmere.

Irish poplins, that have found favor again with English women, are imported in qualities of medium weight suitable for demi-season dresses. They will be used here by those who prefer corded ottoman effects, and are to serve for the entire dress, with trimmings of velvet. The sober shades of gray and ecru that prevail at present are very handsome in those corded fabrics or mixed silk and wool; there are also smoother poplins, resembling pongees, of substantial thickness that show no cords.—*Harper's Bazar.*

One of Webster's Stories.

Daniel Webster was fond of a good story, and told a few illustrating his early life in New Hampshire. One evening at a convivial party, where he and several distinguished lawyers were present, the conversation happened to turn on the legal profession. "When I was a young practitioner," said Mr. Webster, "there was but one man at the New Hampshire bar of whom I was afraid, and that was old Barnaby. There were but few men who dared to enter the list with him. On one occasion Barnaby was employed to defend a suit for a piece of land, brought by a little, crabbed, cunning lawyer called Bruce. Bruce's case was looked upon as good as lost when it was ascertained that Barnaby was retained against him. The suit came on for trial, and Barnaby found that Bruce had worked hard, and left no stone unturned to gain the victory. The testimony for the plaintiff was very strong, and unless it could be impeached, the case of the defendant was lost. The principal witness introduced by the plaintiff wore a red coat. In summing up for the defense, old Barnaby commenced a furious attack on this witness, pulling his testimony all to pieces, and appealing to the jury if a man who wore a red coat was under any circumstances, to be believed. 'And who is this red-coated witness?' exclaimed Barnaby, 'but a descendant of our common enemy, who has striven to take from us our liberty, and would not hesitate now to deprive my poor client of his land, by making any sort of red-coated statement!' During this speech Bruce was walking up and down the bar, greatly excited, and convinced that his case was gone, knowing, as he did, the prejudice of the jury against the British. Whilst, however, Barnaby was gesticulating and leaning forward to the jury in his eloquent appeal, his shirt-bosom opened slightly, and Bruce accidentally discovered that Barnaby wore a red undershirt. Bruce's countenance brightened up. Putting both hands in his coat pockets, he walked to the bar with great confidence, to the astonishment of his client and all lookers-on. Just as Barnaby concluded Bruce whispered in the ear of his client: 'I've got him—your case is safe,' and, approaching the jury, he commenced his reply to the slaughtering argument of his adversary. Bruce gave a regular history of the ancestry of his red-coated witness, proving his patriotism and devotion to the country, and his character for truth and veracity. 'But what, gentlemen of the jury,' broke forth Bruce, in a loud strain of eloquence, while his eyes flashed fire, 'what are you to expect of a man who stands here to defend a cause based on no foundation of right or justice whatever; of a man who undertakes to destroy our testimony on the ground that my witness wears a red coat, when, gentlemen of the jury—when, when, when, gentlemen of the jury?' (here Bruce made a spring, and, catching Barnaby by the bosom of the shirt, tore it open, displaying his red flannel), 'when Mr. Barnaby himself wears a red flannel coat concealed under a blue one?' The effect was electrical; Barnaby was beaten at his own game, and Bruce gained the cause."—*Exchange.*

A Thousand Wives.

Do what they may, no Mormon leader will ever equal the Sultan of Morocco, Sidi Muley Hassan, who has just added the one thousandth wife to his harem, and has celebrated this unique millenary by a brilliant feast given to the other 999, or rather to the other 600, for 400 are either dead or pensioned off. Like the Mormons, the Sultan does not keep all his better-halves at one place, but distributes them among his winter and summer residences at Fez, Morocco, Tafilet, and so forth. Even then, unless he has more palaces than fall to the lot of most Emperors, there must be enough in each house to seriously interfere with harmony now and then. We wonder if he felt as much pride and satisfaction when he added the thousanth to the number as Baron Tauchnitz did when he published the thousandth volume of his convenient "Collection of British Authors?" For we imagine that after a man has married his three or four hundredth consort—though on this point we must speak with the doubt arising from a total lack of experience—he cares very little for a new wife, as a wife, and regards each further addition much as a collector looks upon a new Elzevir, or a new specimen of Japanese pottery, or another pipe, when he does not care to smoke, another violin, which will hang upon his wall untouched. It is the pleasure of the miser who heaps up stores: a pleasure, which, in this line of hoarding, only one man in the modern world, fortunately, is allowed to have. It is curious, however, to observe that, while what might be called the physical wonders of the "Arabian Nights Entertainments"—the carpet or the horse that traveled a month's journey in a day, the talisman that conveyed one's words at once to the distant lover—that, while these and the like are coming true by the power of modern science, the social wonders, as they seem to us Occidentals, are beginning to fade away. A son of this very Sultan, the Prince Muley Edris, not long ago married an Italian governess, who did not give up her religion, and who stipulated that she should be the only wife; and a brother of the Sultan, the Sherif of Wezdan, has an English wife, who no doubt was equally determined to have her husband all to herself.—*Boston Advertiser.*

Rosewood for Pianos.

The defects of rosewood are undoubtedly making themselves felt at this season of the year more than any other, and therefore a discussion of the matter is now timely, and if a general course as regards this material could be decided upon by the manufacturers and dealers it would not be impossible that a checking piano might be a thing of the past. In this connection I might say that it is not merely rosewood as a material that should be eliminated from the manufacturing of pianos, but the veneering process with any material. It is this process of veneering, or the covering of one wood with another by glueing, that is the real cause of the trouble, and we fear there is only one safe and sure way out of the difficulty, viz.: to use only solid woods. The use of solid woods immediately suggests the idea of carving which of course gives opportunity for considerable proper and artistic decoration which would lead to improved outlines and styles of cases. The uniformity of styles amongst the various makers to-day is a bountiful source of evil and furnishes a good chance for much of the misrepresentation and consequent dissatisfaction on the part of customers. If some of the well-known and respectable makers would inaugurate the plan of a more general custom of requiring time to produce a piano after the order was given, or in other words develop their "custom-made department," it would be a step in the right direction. The trouble, however, is that leading makers are unwilling to yield up the prestige of reputation which causes the ignorant buyers to hope that this particular brand may not have the ordinary rosewood, and so they go on, only afterwards to make explanations. There is one fact, however, that there is a difference in rosewood, and a mighty difference in the manner of veneering, and if the trade will not unite in dispensing altogether with it, let them join in requiring the best quality of thick veneer, for there is much that can be prevented of the present mismanagement with even rosewood.—*Boston Musical Observer.*

—Canada's Upper House of legislation, or Senate, has little attention or thought bestowed upon it by the people. It is seldom in session, and has but seventy members, who are appointed for life, two-thirds of whom owe their position to Sir John Macdonald, either directly or indirectly. The Senate's whole duty seem to be to pass whatever laws the Lower House originates.—*N. Y. Times.*

Camillus, Onondaga Co., N. Y. Jan. 10, 1883.

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I can testify that Rheumatic Syrup will do all—yes, more than you claim for it. I am yours truly,

Mrs. Hattie Paddock.

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PUBLISHER,

New Market, N. H., Advertiser.

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Chicken thieves took 25 pullets from one man in Columbiaville.

Opening the Fountains.

In numberless bulbs beneath the skin is secreted the liquid substance which gives the hair its texture, color and gloss. When this secretion stops, the hair begins at once to become dry, lustreless, brittle and gray. Is that the condition of your hair? If so, apply Parker's hair Balsam at once. It will restore the color, gloss and life by renewing the action of nature. The Balsam is not an oil, not a dye, but an elegant toilet article, highly appreciated because of its cleanliness.

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Yes, but between its distant abutments the bridge of life has many high and awful arches, through which the wild waters dash and roar in wrath and desolation. Prayer and worship do not sustain these. Nature's solid rocks must be quaken beneath and human art and skill must rear and solidify the structure overhead. God's will is best exemplified in the laws He has made for the creatures whom he has placed under their control. Neither the child's trustful "Our Father," nor the old man's "Forget me not" in the midst of mine infirmities," will alter this by the weight of a single grain.

Science and art are first, then faith and prayer—is the order of Heaven itself. Divinity heals through its agents, and these agents are the discoveries of man; not the vague announcements of prophets or seers. Is life a burden to you? Does time drag? Is your power to cope with life's problem and duties weakened? You are not well. Your blood is sluggish and tainted, perhaps; or some important organ is torpid or overworked. The fact may have taken the form of dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, malaria, pains in the stomach, chronic headache, or any of a dozen other ills. PARKER'S Tonic will invigorate those who have been shut up in damp, fetid cells. It is powerful, pure, delicious, scientific, safe—the keystone of the central arch of the bridge of life.

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ESTATE OF STEVENS MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Tuesday, the 4th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14 th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased, is in part at least, a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for hearing the same.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks immediately previous to said day of hearing.

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DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage [illegible] executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills, (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 23, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the eighteenth day of April, A.D. 1883, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, viz.: All that part of the west half of the north east quarter of section twenty-six (26), lying north of the center of the Baxter ditch (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp Raisin drain (so called). All in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D. 1883.

OSCAR F. BILLS, Executor.

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ESTATE OF GEORGE W. ALLEN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 25th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of George W. Allen, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the funeral expenses and expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his account, and for such other order as the condition of said estate may require, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. Briggs Probate Register. mar1

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob G. Roberts, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 29th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 16th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February, 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 5th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
Commissioners

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ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased the expenses of his last illness and funeral, and of administration of said estate, and is ready to present to said court his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, the residue of said estate assigned to those entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of March A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 20, 1884.

At the recent village election in Deerfield, O. E. Hawkins and Willis Hood were the candidates for village clerk; at least Hawkins was a candidate. The last named gentleman is a printer, and printed his tickets "For recorder". The law does not provide for a recorder in village elections, and although Hawkins received 88 votes, and Hood three, the latter was declared elected.

Monroe Democrat: Some cranky old individual who has been disappointed in his anticipations of leap year berates the Dundee girls at a fearful rate in a letter to the Reporter. He has watched them upon the street at all hours of the day, has timed their movements and charges them with being desperate flirts. He says they pay particular attention to strangers, and traveling men say they are more easily mashed than any other girls in Michigan. The writer very wisely hides behind the signature of "subscriber."

Michigan Crop Reports.

In the March crop report, the secretary of state says apples are all right.

The reports received from many specialists regarding fruit indicate that peach buds are badly damaged at Laketown, Allegan county; destroyed on the hills of Antrim county; for the most part all right at Flushing, Genesee county; but little damaged at Old Mission, Grand Traverse county; mostly killed about Lansing; seriously injured in Ionia county; largely destroyed in Kent county; all killed at Lenawee junction, Lenawee county; considerably injured in Manistee county; about all destroyed at Monroe; but little hurt about Muskegan; not enough hurt to effect the crop at Grand Haven; most all killed on low ground about Holland; not materially hurt at South Haven. Pears are considerably damaged at Ann Arbor, but are all right elsewhere, so far as reported. Cherries are reported slightly damaged in Ionia and Grand Traverse counties, and badly damaged in Allegan county.

EXTRAORDINARY TITHES.

We have received from Albert Bath of Sevenoaks, Kent, England, a notice of a sale at auction to enforce the collection of extraordinary tithes from which it appears that farmers produce is still sold in England to support a State church.

EXTRAORDINARY TITHES.—A sale by auction under distraint, by the direction of the Rev. W. B. Pusey, Rector of Langley, will be held at Mr. S. Skinner's Farm, Langley, near Maidstone, on Monday, Feb. 25th, 1884, at 1 o'clock. Farm produce, the property of the tenant, will be sold to recover Extraordinary Tithes. Immediately after the sale an Indignation Meeting will be held, to protest against the continuance of this Tithe, which is not only an unjust and vexatious burden, acting as an impediment to enterprise and capital, but wounds the very spirit of Christianity, and its exaction is degrading to our State Church.

ALBERT BATH,
Sec'y Anti-Extraordinary Tithe Association.

The state census will be taken next June and we are in receipt of a paper from Mr. Harry A. Conant, secretary of state, describing the manner in which it will be taken, who shall take it, what the enumerators shall receive for their services, etc. Briefly it is as follows: The enumerators will be appointed in cities by the common council, and in townships, by township boards, and must be appointed after the first Monday in May. The enumeration is to commence June 1st and must be completed during that month. After it is completed, the population schedule will be made public, but no unauthorized person will be allowed to examine, or in any way ascertain the facts connected with any of the other schedules, and any enumerator who shall tell any person not authorized to receive the same, any statistics of property or business, included in his return, shall be subject to a fine of one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail, or both. This clause was made to protect individual interests. Enumerators will receive $2.50 per day and ten cents per mile for going to the office of the county clerk to procure the necessary blanks, and the same for carrying the returns to the office of the clerk, and they will draw their pay through the clerk, who, after satisfying himself that the returns are properly made, will give the enumerator a certificate on the county treasurer, who will cash it. The laws are very stringent, requiring the census sheet to be perfect in every respect.

ALLEGED EXTORTION.

Oppressed Settlers.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Circulars from the Northwest have recently been distributed among Congressmen, in which the charge is made that the Northern Pacific Railway Company is extorting from settlers on its lands a higher price per acre than offered them by a resolution of the company's Board of Directors. Northern Pacific officials now in this city deny positively that the company has broken faith with settlers on railroad lands. They say that the resolution of the Northern Pacific board referred to was adopted in November, 1879, when the road had not been constructed between the Missouri River in Dakota and Columbia River in Washington Territory, a distance of about 1,200 miles. For a greater part of this distance the Government land surveys had not been made and settlers were deterred from going into the country in advance of the building of the road by the fear that when the surveys should be made they might find their improvements to be on railroad land and be forced to pay a high price for the land.

To quiet this apprehension and encourage settlement the company gave assurance to the settlers that, in case their quarter section claims should prove to be railway land, they would only be required to pay the same price per acre demanded by the Government for the pre-emption of claims, namely $2.50, with the addition of ten cents per acre to cover the cost of surveys and conveyance. The resolution giving this assurance applied only to agricultural lands and expressly excepted coal, iron and timber lands and lands required for town sites and for the use of the company in connection with the operation of the road. Subsequently, as the construction of the road progressed and agricultural sections near its line were surveyed so that settlers could select Government or railroad land at their option, the policy of the company was changed and the system adopted of examining lands and grading them in price on the basis of their value. Of this change the company gave extensive public notice, but the resolution of 1879 is in force so far as settlers are concerned, who have the right to claim its benefits. The Northern Pacific officials say that if there has been instances where such settlers have been refused the privileges of purchase under the terms of the resolution, such instances cannot be numerous and the company is at all times ready to remedy any injustice that may have been done if proper proof is presented. The privilege to purchase at the minimum price they say was never intended to apply to more than 160 acres for each actual settler, the policy of the company being to discourage speculation and reserve its agricultural lands for small farmers who cultivate their own holdings and make homes upon them for their families.

In all cases where settlers have gone upon town site lands, or upon other lands exempted from the company's offer, it has been the company's intention and policy to treat them fairly and with liberality. The railroad officials further say that the charges of injustice toward settlers seem designed to create a prejudice in Congress against the recognition of the company's plain, legal and equitable right to retain its land grant rather than to remedy any real abuse. They also state that much the larger proportion of all land sales heretofore made in the district named have been made at minimum prices authorized by the board. They assert that a mistaken impression prevails as to the character and value of lands embraced within the Northern Pacific grant, especially in Montana and Idaho. They estimate that the available land suitable for farming purposes in those Territories to inure to the company is less than 2,000,000 acres, the remaining 20,000,000 acres being mountain ranges and arid and broken uplands, valuable, if at all, only for grazing purposes.

Burial of a Giantess.

NEW YORK, March 18.—The burial of Mrs. Arthur Reid, who was known professionally as Jennie Waldron, the giantess, took place Saturday. Her remains were removed at an early hour from an undertaker's shop on the Bowery to the new Union Baptist Church in Green Point. The coffin containing the body was placed in front of the pulpit and was surrounded by a large number of floral offerings. The coffin was three and a half feet wide, three feet deep and six feet long. A crowd of curiosity seekers surrounded the edifice. A large assembly was present at the services, which were conducted by the pastor, the Rev. D. C. Hughes. The husband, father, uncles, cousins and other relatives of the unfortunate girl, many of whom had the appearance of well-to-do people, were present. A long procession accompanied the remains to the cemetery of the Evergreens.

The Mississippi Deluge.

VICKSBURGH, Miss., March 17.—From Sharkey to Greenwood, a hundred miles below, the water is over all places except a few mounds sufficient for stock to stand on. The town of Greenwood is under water except the warehouse and Court House. Shell Mounds and Sidon are both overflowed. No loss of life or stock is reported. The planters are in good spirits. They believe the worst is over. There is no demoralization of labor. It is believed the water will recede in time to make good crops.

A Bayou Sara special says: The river has fallen eight inches since the Morganzea break. The crevasse is now 870 yards wide.

Fatal Bridge Accident.

PITTSBURGH, March 18.—Yesterday morning at nine o'clock, while John Bright, Daniel Mullen, Martin Shady and William Dudy were engaged in the demolition of a small bridge spanning the Pan-Handle Railroad tracks on Washington Street, one of the stringers suddenly broke and the four men were precipitated to the track twenty-five feet below. Miller's wrist and one arm was broken and his back seriously injured. He will probably die. Shady was also badly hurt about the back and one leg was fractured. The other two received painful but not serious injuries.

Apprehensive of Dynamite Outrages.

OTTAWA, March 17.—It is rumored at the Parliament buildings last night that the Government has got the intimation to use every precaution, as dynamiters were supposed to be meditating an attack on the buildings. The guard was increased and the Speakers of the Commons and Senate, who have apartments in the building, retired from their quarters Saturday evening. It is said, however, that Speaker Kirkpatrick left owing to his wife being ill.

Death of Charles Mooney.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Charles Mooney, aged fifty-five a grandson of William Mooney, one of the founders of the Tammany Society, died yesterday in a cheap lodging house where he has been living in a state of abject poverty.

THE BROKEN LEVEE.

Situation Along the Mississippi Below

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—The water has fallen all the way from three to eight inches between this city and Bayou Sara on account of the break through the huge mud bank at Morganseo, although rising steadily at Natchez and points above. This fact has greatly relieved the apprehensions of the people of Lower Louisiana, who consider that the crevasse has saved them from a general inundation. The break at Morganseo, which occurred at five o'clock Friday night, was 600 feet wide at eleven o'clock that night, 900 feet at eleven o'clock Saturday morning, and 2,000 feet at noon yesterday. State Engineer Brown has gone up from Baton Rouge with laborers and appliances hoping to save the broken ends of the levee by building facings around them and thus preserving about 1,300 feet of bank on each side. Previous to this year this levee had been down for a decade and it was an open question whether it should be rebuilt or not. The United States engineers concluded to the contrary, it being considered wisest to keep it open as an outlet for surplus waters, or in other words, to let nature have her own way about it, as she had always succeeded in doing anyhow, regardless of the theories of the two extreme classes of Eads or Cowdon. Governor McEnery, however, having some money on hand which could be devoted to the purpose, and ambitious of the title of "Levee Governor," ordered the work to be rebuilt, which was done at a cost of some $80,000. Unfortunately, a portion of the bank was a quicksand, which prevented the work being of a sound character, and when the water reached a certain height the levee gave way at precisely the same point where it had given way before when it got in the way of the surging waters. The crevasse water will probably inundate more or less of thirteen parishes, but they can better bear it than that portion of the State which was constantly menaced while it stood. Since the fall of the river of eight inches there, occasioned by the break at Morganseo, the Medora levee in Iberville is considered safe. The force yesterday morning was increased to nearly two hundred and fifty men. The dry weather enables the men to work more securely. A break occurred Saturday in the levee in front of the Barbin tract, two miles below St. Gabriel, occasioned by a defective rice flume. The break was closed by the planters in the neighborhood in a few hours. Below the city there have been two breaks in the levees, one at Buros and the other about thirty feet below Socolos Canal. There was also a small break near Oakville. They were all inconsiderable and were being worked on yesterday by the planters in their neighborhood and every confidence was felt that they would soon be closed. Below, Kennerville, in Jefferson parish, considerable work has been done by the Planters' Association. In this way the Souve is being raised and revetted with a facing of plank. The Souve is a very important work to New Orleans, as a break there would inundate the city, as it did in 1849. The water would go over the so-called protection levee above Carrolton. The break at the lower end of the Souve, which was fortunately taken in time, was closed, and is now being made secure under the direction of State Engineer Lewis. There are many sections of broken revetments on the levees above Carrolton, caused by the late storm. These are also being repaired and dangerous places strengthened, by the city and parish authorities. These levees are quite as much a protection to the city as the levees at Carrollton, as a break in any of them, from Camp Parapet to Carrollton, would pour a flood over the cross levee at the upper line of the city. The Tallahatchie is over its banks in the neighborhood of Greenwood and below, and that city is all under water. The water in the Yazoo is rising rapidly.

THE ENTOMBED MINERS.

Latest Particulars From the Disaster—Relief for the Sufferers.

LYNCHBURG, Va., March 17.—There is little of additional interest from the Pocahontas mines. Another explosion is feared, and as a precaution against further loss of human life, a guard has been set at the enterances of the mines. Superintendent Lathrop has notified several mining experts, whose services were engaged, that they are no longer needed. They will be recalled when the mines are reopened. The Superintendent states that the east mine, which was not materially affected by the explosion, will be worked again in a few days, as soon as arrangements can be perfected, and the miners employed. The resumption of work in the west mine, where the explosion occurred, will not take place for two months or more. Governor Cameron telegraphed Colonel Frank Huger, Superintendent of the Norfolk & Western Railroad here, for information as to the requirements for the relief of the dependants of the entombed miners, and the answer was returned that about $2,500 would meet the pressing necessities of the sufferers. The soliciting committees raised over $500 in a short while here, and there has been a call for a meeting of the Lynchburg Tobacco Association for the purpose of increasing the subscription. Fifty barrels of flour and 2,500 pounds of bacon were shipped hence to the sufferers.

Terrible Death.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 17.—Charles Christie, aged twenty-five years, employed in the paper mill of William H. Hoffman & Sons, near Cockeysville, Md., met with an awful death Saturday. Christie was engaged in arranging some of the shafting in the mill, when his foot slipped and he fell on the belting below. The belt was revolving at its greatest speed, and before the unfortunate man could do anything to save himself, his entire body was forced between two rollers and cast on the floor beyond, a horrible mangled mass of humanity. The space through which Christie's body had been dragged was only six inches wide. The deceased was married, and leaves a wife and two little children. It was arranged to have had a social gathering at the house of the deceased in the evening, to celebrate his birthday.

Suicide With a Skate-Strap.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 17.—Franz Steward, aged twenty-four years, was found dead in bed at his boarding-house yesterday with a skate-strap tied tightly around his neck, with which he had choked himself to death. He had been suffering with malarial fever, and his ill health, doubtless, prompted suicide. He was an Austrian, and unmarried.

Honoring a Patriot.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar will, on Decoration Day, adorn the statue of Lafayette in Union Square in honor of that patriot's visit sixty years ago and his being made a Knight Templar.

ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

GRAND HOTEL DE MADRID.)
SEVILLE, SPAIN.
Sunday, Feb. 10, 1884.

You are doubtless getting ready to go to four o'clock service; we are about ready to go to bed. You know that we are about eight hours ahead of you. We have had a very pleasant day, but not much of a day like Sunday. We have been to the market, to the cathedral, to a bull ring, to a church, to the carnival. Rather a mixed day, don't you think. At the cathedral we heard the grand organ playing, and this afternoon we went again and heard some little boys sing and play with castanets and they kept good time with their feet. It is a custom prohibited by the Pope in all other countries, and protested against here, but allowed to be used once a year,—the Sunday before Lent. There were ten boys, each dressed in crimson, gold and white, with slippers. I don't know the object of this exhibition, but strange as it seemed in a cathedral I enjoyed it.

We leave this place tomorrow morning, at ten o'clock, for Cordova. We will probably stay there two days, and then go to Grenada. Let me see. We have been inside of three palaces,—the "Alcazar," home of ex-queen Isabel; the "San Selmo," palace of the Duke Montpensie, son of Louis Phillip, of France; the palace of the Pilate, a vacant building built by a nobleman in imitation of the palace of Pontius Pilate. There is a room where Judas sold his Lord, and the table from which he received his thirty pieces of silver. There is a place where the cock crowed and where Peter stood. There is the room where Christ was scourged and the marble post to which he was bound. 'Twas sad to think of all these things, but it gave me a clearer idea of the Bible than I ever had before. The San Selmo was elegantly furnished,—the grounds covered ten or twelve acres.

It is now late, eleven o'clock, and our courier wants to take us to the theatre to see the masquers dance before we go to bed. Then I will have to pack, so I probably will not get to bed before morning.

LIZZIE F. HAYDEN.

What a Woman Says.

Mine Run Furance, Va., Jan. 31, '84.
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Your valuable Cook Book came to hand, for which accept my thanks. It's a treasure, for its Receipts are plain, and the book is well gotten up; its typographical and general make up speaks well for your department in doing so much for the "Women of America." May your Road be as successful as every woman's will be who eats thereafter, Yours Truly
MRS. M. R. KARSTERS.

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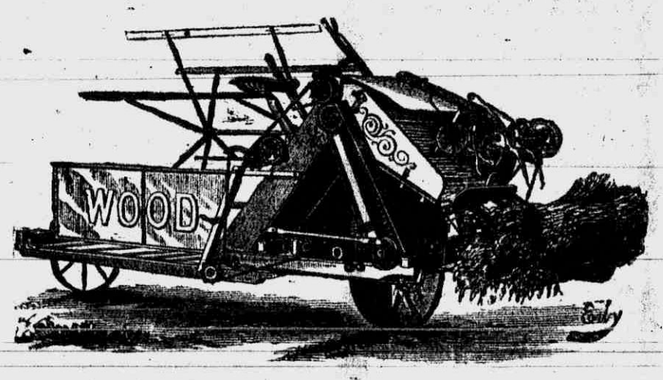

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LOST.—One note given by me to Samuel Jackson for two hundred dollars. The same has been paid. Finder will please return said note to H. R. WILSON.

HOLLOWAY, Mich, March 19, 1884.

WANTED.—A house and lot in Tecumseh worth from four to five hundred dollars. Will pay cash. Call on WM. HAYDEN. or C. P. BILLS.

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FOR SALE.—The Hiram Adams house and lot in Brownville. Call on David Van Tine or Mrs. Adams on the premises.

TO RENT.—A suit of four rooms for small family. Wm. BRESIE.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE. This farm about 4 miles west of Tecumseh, comprising about 300 acres, is now offered for sale. Any persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and call upon E. B. WOOD, Agent.

FOR SALE.—A farm of 56 acres, situated one mile north of Tecumseh, formerly owned by Wm. Bresie. Will be sold at a bargain if taken before the first of April. Good buildings, abundance of fruit and altogether a very desirable location. For particulars enquire on the premises or at the HERALD OFFICE.

ALL PURCHASERS OF

DEERING BINDERS

in vicinity of Tecumseh, can have them adjusted and put in order for harvest of 1884 free of charge, by leaving word with Messrs. Slayton & Son, before April 15, where they will find a full and complete stock of repairs and Deering twine.

JESSE L. BIRCH, General Agent.

TO BE LET.—A desirable family residence, known as the T. R. Lovett property, pleasantly situated on the corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets. Possession April 1st, 1884. For further particulars enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Maiden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address B. J. BIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

NOTICE.—We have left our books of accounts with Charles Burridge of this village for settlement of accounts due us. Those indebted to us are hereby requested to call at his office and pay such indebtedness to him.

D. B. ANTHONY & CO.

February 20, 1884.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

WATER POWER FOR SALE.—Situated on the river Raisin, in the village of Manchester, Mich., on the Jackson Branch of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. and Detroit & Hillsdale R. R., known as the "Premium Mills power"; which mills (both grist and paper) were destroyed by fire a few years since. It is considered to be one of the best powers in the State, being supplied with a never failing body of water. There is connected with the power about four acres of land. Manchester is situated in one of the best wheat growing sections in Michigan thereby supplying material for either a grist or paper mill. Terms, easy. For particulars address HENRY SMITH, TECUMSEH, MICH. Prop, of Tecumseh Paper Mills, or Conrad Leahn, Manchester, Mich.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Stacy Brothers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, the junior partner having sold his entire rights in the HERALD office property and business to S. C. Stacy, who assumes the obligations of the late firm, and to whom all back subscriptions and other accounts are to be paid. S. C. STACY. G. N. STACY.

TECUMSEH, March 6, 1884.

Having assumed the entire ownership and control of THE TECUMSEH HERALD, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the business patronage and favors bestowed on late firm, pledging myself to use my best endeavors to merit the same, and hoping to continue friendly business relations with all my patrons. S. C. STACY.

The parties who took the Silk Plush from Slayton & Kinney's Store are well known and will avoid trouble if returned at once.

A. W. Slayton, our furniture dealer, has sent 156.273 lbs. of hay to the pineries this winter. Lenawee county hay takes well up there.

Farmers, Remember that horses, cows, sheep, lambs, calves and agricultural implements, too numerous to mention, will be sold at Patterson's vendue, March 27th.

There will be an old-fashioned supper and corn festival at the Methodist Church next Wednesday evening, the 26th. Of its character the public will be informed further in due time.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

The political kettle begins to boil, fry and fizz.

Notwithstanding so many auctions being held, property sells unusually well, especially live stock.

P. A. Welch is preparing to build an addition to his house.

Geo. Williamson lost a valuable horse last Friday night by diphtheria.

J. Martin Hicks moves on Milburn Keyser's farm in the employ of Horatio Keyser, who is going to work the farm.

Uncle Jim Upkyke has so far recovered as to sit up a few minutes at a time.

Susie McConnell of West Adrian, is the guest of Lilley McCollum this week.

Eugenia Church closes her school in the Newburg district next Friday.

Wm. Witherall has moved to his father's, near Evans Lake, and is going to work the farm. This takes one instrument out of the C. T. line.

B. C. Knapp and Son arrived home rather unexpectedly Monday, from Kansas. Will give an account of their travels in next week's flashes.

Andrew Wilson is preparing for the maple sugar business. He has already tapped four hundred trees.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 20, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Spring, gentle spring.

The mail service over the M. & O. commences to-day.

The ground hog must have come out of his hole at last.

J. Kieller and wife, of Detroit, are visiting at Wm. Smallidge's.

Jim Cole had lettuce and radishes for his customers last week.

Geo. S. Brown, of Elgin, Ill., offers to light Adrian by electricity.

Maple sugar and hot pan cakes at the Baptist church this evening.

Blissfield requires all its village officers except the lamplighter, to give bonds.

The new council will organize and commence business on the first Monday in April.

There are now thirteen newspapers in Michigan which stand by the new Union party.

Rev. Mr. Bray, the methodist preacher at Blissfield, recently received a donation of $62.

W. B. Mumford has a willow nursery of three acres near the Red mill property in Adrian.

Seven loaded cars left this station on the M. & O. last Tuesday, with contents bound for Liverpool.

Ell Hand, of Deerfield, was kept busy Saturday afternoon and Sunday shaking hands with Tecumseh friends.

Geo. Reese, the convict who escaped from the Adrian jail a few days ago, while awaiting sentence, has been recaptured.

Harry Lee was at home over Sunday. His Cleveland business is prospering and he likes his location there. He returned to-day.

A. H. Lane, Hudson, whose livery was burned lately, decided to go out of the business, and sold his stock at public auction Saturday.

Dundee Reporter: Dr. Haynes, the new M. D., had his first patient Tuesday. Result: a pair of twins. He expects to permanently remain in Dundee.

Harry Stevens delivers 240 copies of the Evening News in Tecumseh every day. Is there another town in Michigan of its size in which the Evening News has a better list?

Rev. Mr. Stephenson, of Franklin, preaches at the Free Methodist Church, Pontiac, every Sunday, and for his benefit there was a donation at the residence of J. H. Millis, last evening.

Sumner Collins, formerly of Macon, was home last week and paid the HERALD his respects on Monday. Mr. Collins has been admitted to the bar, and intends to practice his profession in Detroit.

The Evening Record appeared last Saturday in a new dress, which fits its stature completely. The Record already has a large circulation which ought to be considerably increased since its improved appearance.

Mrs. John I. Rector who has been seriously ill with brain complaint for several days, is gradually failing and her friends fear for her recovery. She is having the best of care and nursing and she may get over the attack safely.

The first number of the Union Light has appeared. It is a seven column folio ably edited, and as neat as a new pin typographically. The new Union party will have a first class organ in this paper. It deserves and will undoubtedly receive a liberal patronage.

Blissfield Advance: The lecture of Aunt Laura Haviland at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, was largely attended, the house being crowded to its utmost capacity. The lady was attentively listened to thro' out, her remarks on temperance being especially fitted to the occasion.

An exchange says: "All grocers should instruct their customers who use canned goods to pour the contents of the can when it is cut; it will not do to wait ten or fifteen minutes; the cans should be emptied at once. A few minutes exposure to the air will give it a metallic taste that is not at all agreeable."

Messrs. Hiram Sibley & Co., of Rochester, N. Y., and Chicago, Ill., will send, free of charge on application, to any of our readers, a book in which is described all the tested new and standard varieties of vegetable, flower and field seeds, which is well worth sending for and reading carefully.

During a brief visit to Adrian last week we made a tour of inspection of the new Press building. It is a model of convenience and neatness, and is one of the best equipped newspaper offices in Southern Michigan. It affords commodious quarters for the Press, the Evening Record and the Union Light.

Eggs have been very scarce and high this winter, but are now dropping so that a man of moderate means can afford to look at a dozen through a window, and it is just possible he may be able to buy a small egg by Easter. It is worthy of note that as they increase in price they grow smaller in stature. Hens these tears.

A. O. Miller was billed for Dundee last Saturday night, but failing to put in an appearance, a placard was hung [illegible] O. Miller dead."

C. B. Pennock has moved his novelty store back to Adrian and wishes us to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he received while here and to invite all Tecumseh people to give him a call when in Adrian at 31 West Maumee street.

If you like to see a fine carriage just drop in at Frank Silvers' new livery stable, and see the six Columbus Buggies furnished him by Slayton & Son. They are elegant jobs and Frank may well take pride in being able to furnish such fine rigs.

S. C. Stacy and M. M. Stacy will sell at auction, on Saturday afternoon, the 29th inst., on Judge Stacy's homestead farm, a large amount of live stock, farm tools and implements, household furniture, etc. A good chance for bargains.

Commencing to-day, with the new mail service which begins on the M & O. the time schedule for closing mails at the Tecumseh Post office will be as follows:

L. S. & M. S.—Going south, A. M. closes 7 o'clock, standard; north A. M. 11;15; south P. M., 3.

M. & O.—Going west A. M. closes at 11:05 o'clock, standard; east P. M. 12:50.

Jehiel Davidson has received a communication from the Ex. Com. of the County Agricultural Society, asking what offer Tecumseh had to make for the County fair this year. He replied that we were ready to listen to and generously consider any fair proposition they might make us. The Ex. Com. will meet Saturday, the 22d, to consider the matter further.

It takes manufactories to make a town boom, and, gentlemen, if you have any interest in the growth and prosperity of your town, you should at least make an effort to get them, if not, do just as you are doing and you will have a real nice, quiet town in which you can hear the buzz of the festive blue tailed fly from one end of the village to the other—yea, even the howl of the lonesome canine will be unto you as the roar of many waters.

Hudson Gazette: Some years since the road authorities of Pittsford demolished an advertising board erected by certain Hudson business houses, on the plea that the structure was liable to frighten teams, or had done so. The firm interested sued for damages in a Pittsford justice court, and were beaten. The case was then taken to the Lenewee circuit. Judge Howell recently rendered a decision, affirming the verdict below. The costs of the litigation amounts, all told, to something over three hundred dollars

A union temperance meeting will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday at 7 P. M., to take into consideration the suppression of the liquor traffic in our midst.

The program will be as follows:

Organ Voluntary.
Scripture Lesson.
Hymn.
Prayer.
Anthem.
Address: The Duty of the Ministry and of the Church, Rev. W. H. Babbit.
Address: The Duty of the Citizens, Rev Geo. W. Hudson.
Address: The Duty of the Hour. Rev. C. E. Conley.
Hymn.
Benediction.

Hudson Post: In a short interview with Geo. H. Moore a few days since, we learned that the people of his vicinity are expecting to avail themselves of hired help direct from foreign lands this year, and reported thirty arrived and enroute for that locality. Mr. Moore has one but two and a half months from Germany, and who bids fair to become an efficient hand. Each of the Lawrence brothers are to have one on their farms. Mike Dillon is to have the same kind of imported labor indoors and out, having engaged a man and his sister. Morse & Co. have two families engaged, while Frank Childs is booked for one hand also. A Mr. Graves, of Lenawee Junction, is the agent through whom these parties negotiate, and has been some time thus employed.

A probably fatal row occured at Dundee, between "Paddy" O'Neal and Alonzo Curtis, a bar tender in R. Cheever's saloon, Monday evening of last week. O'Neal, who boarded with Curtis, entered the saloon and was ready to pick a fuss with some one.—Curtis, who is said to be jealous of O'Neal's attentions to his wife, after ordering him to leave, threw him out. O'Neal abused him until Curtis was angry and ran after him. When Curtis reached his own house, O'Neal made a rush for his back room, and Mrs. Curtis put her arms around her husbands neck to keep him from getting at the object of his fury. O'Neal then struck Curtis with a flatiron, felling him to the floor, where for a time he was insensible. O'Neal hid the iron at the end of the stoop and buried it with snow. Passers by saw him hide it and entered the house to discover the cause of the uproar. The doctors worked all night and up to 2 a. m. before they could restore sensibility. Mrs. Curtis helped O'Neal pack his trunk and he has skipped. Mr. Curtis has a family of four girls the oldest of whom is but 12.

The Evening Record of Monday has this item: The funeral services of Miss Mamie Dodge were held at the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon, and was attended by a large number of her friends and schoolmates, Rev. J. B. Little officiating. Prof. Curtis, of the High school, made some well chosen remarks on the many virtues of the deceased, and the procession was then formed and her remains were borne away to their last resting place in Oakwood.

Mamie Dodge was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Dodge, both of whom were formerly residents of Tecumseh. Mamie resided for a time in Tecumseh, with her grand father, Mr. P. C. Mills, and endeared herself to all by her lady-like qualities and kind disposition. Her death will be learned with sincere regret.

Adrian Record: The man Sanford, of Woodstock, who while drunk had his legs so frozen that amputation became necessary, is likely to live. Up to the time of the amputation, when he thought he might die, Sanford stubbornly refused to tell who sold him the liquor which boozed him into getting frozen. He claimed that he gave the money to a stranger who went off and brought back the 'budge.' With death staring him in the face, as he supposed, he weakened, and under oath gave the name of the fire water vender. He was given a little liquor after the amputation, and evinced a great desire to know how often he could have the dose repeated. A prosecution of the saloon keeper is talked of, but we have not learned that any proceedings have been taken.

ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS.

It has been the custom in our schools for several years past to hold public examinations in all the departments at the close of the winter term and to appoint committees composed of patrons and friends of the school to visit the respective departments for the purpose of examining into the work that was being done.

In accordance with this custom, the public examinations for the current year will be held March 27th and 28th. Thursday the 27th at the Central Building and Friday the 28th at the Branch Buildings. All are cordially invited to attend these examinations; no one need stay away because his name does not appear upon the list of committees. Every body will be welcomed, Please remember that no one has a better right in the schools than yourself, and that they are open to the inspection of the public at *all times*.

The following is the list of the committees with the department to which each is assigned:

A DIVISION, HIGH SCHOOL.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. C. Burridge, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Avery, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hardenburg, Mr. and Mrs F. A. Dewey. Mrs. P. Hosmer, Mrs. E. M. Frazer, Mrs. B. F. Reynolds, Mrs. A. Hanford.

B DIVISION, HIGH SCHOOL.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. H. Babbitt, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nyland, Mr. and Mrs. M. Burns. Mrs. D. McNair, Mrs. V. Sherrard, Dr. D. Meeker, Mrs. Dora Powers.

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Mr. and Mrs J. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Heesen, Mr. and Mrs. D. Jones, Mrs. Hialey, Mrs. Mary Hammond, Miss Palmer, Mrs. V. Woodard, Rev. Geo. Hudson, Mrs. Whittier, Mrs. Potter, Miss Clara Waldron, Mrs. R. L. Rogers, Mrs. J. H. Bennett.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. H. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McClure, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Swick, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Temple, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stevens.

SIXTH GRADE.

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FIFTH GRADE.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wood, Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. James Glasgow, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McClure, Mr. and Mrs. C. McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Temple.

FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADES,

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Snell, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Crossman, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smallidge, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Havens, A. P. Coddington, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. VanAntwerp. Mrs. Whedon, Mrs. M. Jones.

FOURTH GRADE.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tiffany, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. James Ingersoll, Mr. and Mrs. John Temple, Dr. and Mrs. O. Q. Jones, Mrs. Corey, Mrs. John R. Clark.

EAST PRIMARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burlinganie, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. VanTyne, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Mead, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Gainsley, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gordon, Mrs. Nellie Quine, Mrs. Chas. Hawkins.

WEST PRIMARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. M. Primrose, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Beebe, Robert Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Waring, Mr. and Mrs. F. McNeil.

NORTH PRIMARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doke, Mr. and Mrs. John Schoolcraft, Mr. and Mrs. James Kingan, Mr. and Mrs. James Heck, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crossman, Mrs. Nat Doke, Mrs. Chas. Goodrich.

LAND OF SUNSHINE AND FLOWERS.

SORRENTO, Fla. March 8, 1884.

DEAR HERALD:—Since writing you last we have had some glorious showers, in fact the rain commenced the second day after writing. In two showers 2¼ inches of rain fell, and since then seasonable showers have kept our orange trees looking fresh and green, so that it has been unnecessary for us to water them. The orange blossom now begins to send forth its delightful fragrance, filling the air with sweet perfume. Judging from the present appearance of the buds and blossoms we may expect a full crop of the golden fruit next season. The freeze did but little damage to bearing trees. We had no frost here in February, 43° was the coldest point reached, and that was on the last day of the month, and had the month been as brief as usual it would not have been as cold in February. Since the ushering of March by a strong east wind the weather has gone up, on at least the thermometer: yesterday the 7th, it was 92° at 2 P. M. in the shade, and at 4 P. M. a nice shower of one inch of rain fell cooling down the atmosphere to a good healthy condition of 76°, so that sleep was sweet and refreshing to us laborers in the orange groves.

I expect e'er this you have seen the cluster of oranges that I sent D. P. Anthony, 14 oranges on one little limb but three-eighths of an inch. This limb or stem started from the tree one year ago last month, a fact that few persons know, and in fact, it is a fact that I did not know until coming to Floriday, that the twig that bears the orange comes from the butt the same season that the fruit matures.

I will see if I can bottle up a few acres of this delightful perfume from the "orange blossoms" to bring home with me. It surpasses any peach or apple orchard that I ever experienced in Michigan. I would like it if every one in Tecumseh could pass by one of these orange groves and see and smell of blossoms, and hear the birds sing to the mocking bird." I am more and more delighted with this climate, and feel that J. A. Macdonald was right when he told a customer to whom he was selling land, as the customer complained of the high price of the land, why? says he, with this land at $15,00 an acre you are buying one hundred dollars worth of climate with every acre you buy. So it is, this climate especially in winter, in my judgment cannot be surpassed in this country, or any other. I see nor hear of any throat or lung trouble, seldom see one with a cold, and if a person does by exposure to the damp nights or otherwise contract a cold, it will not last long, a day or so: and this genial climate of this land of sunshine will restore to health and vigor. The air seems to be filled with so much life giving properties caused by this daily sun shine and the ocean breezes, giving vitality and strength to all that breathes, both animal and plant matter.

Chickens do well now when the little bug and the athletic grasshopper cometh forth challenging the White Leghorns for a chase. Raising chickens in Florida seems to be more renumerative than growing pine apples, when eggs are worth 45c. to 50c a doz. as they were Dec. and Jan. now 35c. chickens 25c to 50c each. It has also been ascertained by actual experiment that the benefit to a grove by way of fertilizing is worth the cost of feed for one hundred fowls during the nine summer months that Florida has. For the three winter months Dec. Jan. and Feb., the eggs will more than pay or corn that is used as feed for fowls. But few chicken destroying agencies exist here, viz: the fox, coon, skunk, opossom, owl, hawk and snake. It is an easy matter to avoid an attack upon your chickens by any of these, by having properly constructed a house for them and see that it is locked every night. Speaking of night reminds me of the time that is now heard the alligator, in the lakes and marshes, the sound of which resembles a cross between a bull-frog, the grunt of a hog and a genuine durham, these, together with whooping cranes, owls, night-hawks, frogs, foxes and a few other night songsters, make music enough, so that no bands need apply. Now I will close and take a walk down the Ave. By the way allow me to mention that we have more new neighbors; Frank Bumann has purchased the ten acre lot east of us and D. P. Anthony another west of his. There are now six Michigan men, formerly of Tecumseh, owning land on this street, and it has been named on the village plat as Michigan Avenue. Very proper. Yours,

E. HAUSE.

F. W. Gamble, one of the class leaders in the Methodist society, met with a streak of good fortune on Friday evening, March 14th. He was invited down to Mr. King's to tea. His class soon began to assemble, and before they let him go they presented him with a valuable easy chair. He was taken by surprise. The enterprise was managed by Messrs. Snell and King. Mr. Gamble has been a class leader for 25 years.

Snedicor has removed his bakery to one door south of Lee's corner.

The general opinion of the farmers in this locality with reference to the wheat crop now in the ground is that it is in good condition. They think the winter has been favorable for it.

—FOR SALE: Of land, 80 acres off the late Stephen V. Miller farm, located four miles east of Tecumseh, in Macon. 50 acres of promising wheat on ground will go with it. If desirable another 80 acres with buildings will be added. Considered one of the best farms in Michigan. For price, terms, etc., address

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—A full line of Gale Plow Extras and Gale Plows for sale by Slayton & Son.

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—Seed Barley for sale—Slayton & Son.

—Clawson wheat has neither taste or flavor. Heck Bros. do not use it to make their flour.

—Fresh Candies at Morley's.

—G. P. Sparks, agent for Chickering, Haines and McCammon Pianos, Estey and Royal Organs The Aurephone and Tournaphone, the most marvelous musical instruments of the age. Price $10. Call and see them. Also, agents for the White and Domestic Sewing Machines. The very best machines made. Good New Machines from $18 to $25. Old Machines $3. to $10.

—Variety of Cough Candies at Morley's.

—Read this and don't you forget it. If you want to buy a buggy, Platform Spring or Lumber Wagon you can save money by calling on Slayton & Son. They have a good assortment to select from and will make prices to astonish you.

—Try the flour which has no Clawson wheat and you will get the best flavor and taste. Heck's flour is the kind.

—Lemon Cocoa slices at Morley's.

—Don't forget to post yourself on roof-painting. It will pay you. Call on Slayton & Son, see samples of work and get prices.

—Seed Corn—If you want reliable seed corn call on Slayton & Son.

—Crockery! Crockery! Large stock, best ware. Every piece warranted not to check or craze.

Adams' Novelty Store.

—Oranges and Lemons, 25 cents per doz. at Morley's.

—Fresh Candies at Morley's.

—Before you buy, call and try the newest, the neatest, the finest and cheapest, the one that pleases them all, — the noiseless, light running White Hill, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Go to Morley's if you want to buy Candies cheap.

—Glass Ware, Tin Ware, Lamps, House Furnishing Goods at

Adams' Novelty Store.

—Headquarters for Picture Frames. Frames made to order.

Adams' Novelty Store.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting, for friends or the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

—We call attention to our large stock of Bird Cages, just received.

Adams' Novelty Store.

—W. N. Snedicor has a lot of fine bob sleighs. Call and see them.

Notice.—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

DIED.

Died the 8th inst., at her home near Britton, in Lenawee Co., Mich., Mrs. Charlotte Lester. Aged 55 years, 11 months and 10 days.

Mrs. Lester was to all appearance in her usual good health when she retired to her couch of slumber that evening, but she had been in bed but a short time, when putting both hands against her temples, and pressing her head, she said to her husband, "Oh dear, how my head aches, I believe it will burst." These, were the last words she spoke and before midnight she deceased. Her funeral obseqimes were held next day (Sunday;) at 2:30 P. M., in the M. E. church, at Ridgeway village, of which this sister was a member at the time of her departure to the spirit land, and had been for about thirty-five years. The esteem in which she was held, was manifest in the very large concourse of people who attended her funeral. The sermon was preached by Rev. B. F. Rapp, pastor of the Church of Christ in East Ridgeway.

RIDLEY—In this village, Sunday March 9th, of consumption, Lizzie M. Ridley, wife of Charles Ridley. Aged 26 years.

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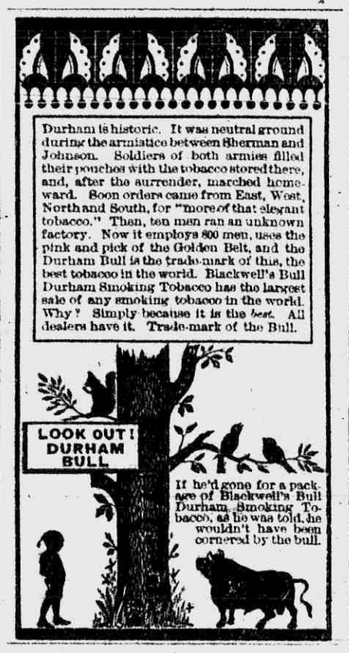

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The Use and Abuse of the Rubber Coat.

The season has set in for wearing mackintoshes, says the *Lancet*. A caution may be therefore not unnecessary, and let us hope, not unheeded, as to the use and abuse of this serviceable, but, when improperly employed, dangerous, article of clothing. When once a mackintosh is put on to defend the body from wet, it should on no account be taken off until the wearer has not only taken shelter, but is in a position to change his clothes. What a covering of oiled skin does for a wet rag in the surgery—viz.: convert it into a poultice—the mackintosh does for the clothes of its wearer. The insensible perspiration which finds a way of escape through ordinary clothing is kept in by the waterproof, and the clothes are saturated with moisture. A very few minutes will suffice to render the under-clothing damp under a mackintosh, particularly if either the wearer perspires freely, or the weather be what is called "muggy" as well as wet. When, therefore, the wearer of a mackintosh takes off that article of clothing because it has ceased to rain, he is in the position of a person who has damp clothes on, and if he sits in the saddle, or walks home, or rides in an open trap, he is more likely to take cold than if he had not used the mackintosh at all. If therefore, we say, a mackintosh is once put on it should on no account be removed until the clothes can be changed or dried by a fire without reduction of bodily temperature. The use of a mackintosh is to protect a man from a severe storm of rain. His clothes *must* be damp if he wears one of these protectors. The sole gain from using it is to render the moisture warm instead of cold, and to prevent loss of heat by evaporation. If the mackintosh be removed evaporation commences immediately with all the consequent risks of that process.

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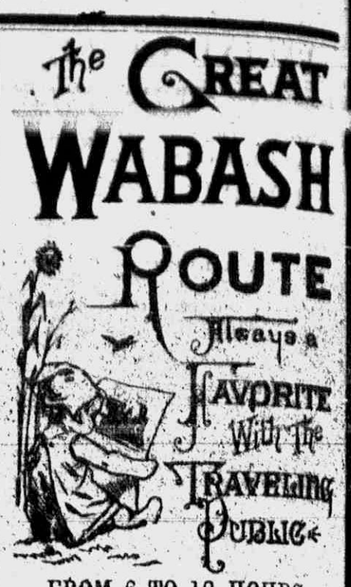

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 49 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	3 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 32 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 43 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 09 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 25 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 37 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT FEBRUARY 18, 1884.

GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
6 15	5 00	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	3 05	10 05	7 45
7 45	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	2 05	9 04	6 03
8 28	6 27	11 25	....Britton....	1 38	8 41	5 06
8 37	6 31	11 29	....Ridgeway....	1 33	8 37	4 57
8 56	6 41	11 39	....Tecumseh..	1 23	8 27	4 38
9 25	6 57	11 55	....Tipton.....	1 06	8 11	4 08
9 50	7 10	12 09	...Cambridge...	12 50	7 58	3 43
		P.M.				
10 33	7 33	12 30	...Addison....	12 30	7 35	3 00
				P. M.		
11 06	7 50	12 54	....Jerome....	12 07	7 18	2 27
11 20	7 57	1 01	....Moscow....	11 56	7 11	2 13
11 45	8 07	1 12	....Hanover....	11 45	7 00	1 48
P. M.						
12 06	8 18	1 23	....Pulaski....	11 32	6 49	1 23
						P. M.
1 39	8 40	1 46	....Homer....	11 10	6 27	12 39
2 42	9 09	2 14	....Marshall....	10 39	5 58	11 26
2 56	9 22	2 28	....Ceresco....	10 25	5 45	11 02
3 20	9 40	2 50	.Battle Creek..	10 06	5 25	10 29
3 40		3 13	...Augusta....	9 35		9 35
3 52		3 22	...Yorkville....	9 27		9 08
4 00		3 29	...Richland....	9 19		8 55
4 22		4 14	...Monteith....	8 40		7 43
5 39		4 24	.....Fisk.....	8 30		7 23
				A.M.		
6 15		4 45	Ar. Allegan. Lv	8 10		6 50
P. M.				A. M.		A. M.

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Detroit & Indianapolis Division.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bakeslee		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		3 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bakeslee	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt.
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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

—Trains run by Central Time.—

GOING NORTH. No. 6. Express.	No. 4. Accom.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A.M.	P. M.	
5 45	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
5 45	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 26	1 39	4 48
5 53	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
6 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 30
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 22
6 25	2 5	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
6 30	3 07	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
6 43	3 23	9 01	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
6 55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
7 06	3.59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
7 10	4 04	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
7 15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
				A.M.		
7 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
7 38	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
7 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
8 03	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 36	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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At Toledo with railroads diverging. At Manhattan with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R.; at Alexis with M. C. R. R., L. S. & M. S., and F. & P. M. R'ys. at Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S.; at Dundee with L. S. & M. S. and M. & O.; at Milan Junction with W., St. L. & P. Ry.; at Pittsfield with L. S. & M. S.; at Ann Arbor with M. C. R. R.; at South Lyon with D. L. & N., and G. T. R. R.

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That some persons are so poor or improvident that they can buy only the very smallest quantities of groceries, even a penny's worth at a time, is made manifest by inquiries of grocers and venders in almost any of the poor quarters. In one of the stores a woman was the vender. Her calico dress was new and tidy, and her face and hands were clean. Resignation was the principal expression in her face. The counter, behind which she stood, was at one side, extending nearly to a board partition dividing the room. Opposite the counter were a few boxes, barrels and baskets, some full, but most of them empty. On the shelves along the walls were tin and wooden boxes containing tea, coffee, spices and starch, and a few bottles of blueing. Hanging in conspicuous places were advertising placards. Under one shelf was a long wooden box, about the size of a coal box, but not so deep, divided into two parts for brown and white sugar. On one side of the counter was a small glass case, in which were a few loaves of bread, and adjoining it was a long narrow one, holding cheap candies. At the other end of the counter, and piled high above it, was a quantity of kindling wood, while opposite it, leaving only room for the door to be opened, were two large cans of kerosene oil and one of molasses. On a shelf above them were bars of brown soap, and the smaller cakes for laundry use.

"Have you ever sold a penny's worth of tea?" she was asked.

"I have not, but I have heard of a woman selling a cent's worth and measuring it by a thimble. I have never sold less than an ounce, which would cost four cents."

"Would you sell a penny's worth if called for?"

"Yes, to oblige a customer. But I should not as a rule sell it for it would not pay me. I could not measure it exactly, and would probably give more. I have heard of selling a cent's worth of molasses."

"What is the least quantity of sugar you sell?"

"A quarter of a pound I sell very often. That costs three cents."

"How about starch?"

"I usually sell half a pound for three cents, but sometimes a person wants several things and has money enough for all unless very small quantities are taken. Then I sell a quarter of a pound of starch, but I have to charge two cents for it; so you see they lose by it, and it costs them more to live in the long run."

"Are people so poor that they are obliged to buy such small quantities?"

"Not as a rule; but if they have a quarter, ten cents of it sometimes goes for beer, while the rest of it will be spent for necessary things."

"Do you cut a bar of soap?"

"Oh, yes. I cut a large bar and sell half for five cents, but if it is a small cake I charge three cents. A woman wanting to finish some washing will often run in for a three-cent piece, while——"

"Mother, can I have a mouse?" an eight-year-old child interrupted.

"No you can't, its the last one in the case," referring to a chocolate imitation among the candies.

"Mother——"

"Stop! These children always want something when I have a visitor. They think I won't refuse them then. No, I don't keep eggs. They bring five cents apiece now, and no one in this neighborhood can buy them."

"Do you trust?"

"Some. I had one customer that used to buy five-dollars' worth a week. Sometimes she would pay for all, at other times she would only pay in part. For the past few weeks she has let it run. I heard she was going to move, and I asked her to pay up, but she has been putting me off. She says it is too far to come to deal with me now; but when she was hard up at times she did not think it any trouble. My old man is getting disgusted. He says he's working to support other people. If she don't pay up soon I'll bring her up to the crank."

"Are there many such customers?"

"Yes, a good many. I know a poor widow who had to give up a little grocery because she trusted too much. You see, I have to pay down for everything that comes in the store. Although I have dealt with my wood man for two years, I have to pay for the wood as soon as it is piled on that floor. It is the same with the oil man. If I should owe fifteen cents on a can, and not have the cash ready the minute it was on that counter, he would take it right out."

Another grocer in a much better neighborhood said he had sold half a pailful of coal, also one egg, and very often a penny's worth of parsley, one carrot, one leek, and one turnip; but, of course, the vegetables are usually required for soup, and they are bought by well-to-do people. The poor will often buy partly decayed vegetables, cutting out the good, thereby getting them for almost nothing.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Lightning.

Mr. Franklin was one of the greatest men that ever lived. He could carry a loaf of bread in each hand and eat another, all at the same time, and he could invent anything that anybody wanted, without hurting himself or cutting his fingers. His greatest invention was lightning, and he invented it with a kite. He made a kite with sticks made out of telegraph wire, and sent it up in a thunder-storm till it reached where the lightning is. The lightning ran down the string, and Franklin collected it in a bottle, and sold it for ever so much money. So he got very rich after a while, and could buy the most beautiful and expensive kites that any fellow ever had.

I read about Mr. Franklin in a book that father gave me. He said I was reading too many stories, and just you take this book and read it through carefully and I hope it will do you some good anyway it will keep you out of mischief.

I thought that it would please father if I should get some lightning just as Franklin did. I told Tom McInnis about it, and he said he would help if I would give him half of all I made by selling the lightning. I wouldn't do this of course, but finally Tom said he'd help me anyhow, and trust me to pay him a fair price; so we went to work.

We made a tremendously big kite, and the first time there came a thunder-storm we put it up; but the paper got wet, and it came down before it got up to the lightning. So we made another and covered it with white cloth that used to be one of Mrs. McInnis's sheets, only Tom said he knew she didn't want it any more.

We sent up this kite the next time there was a thunder-storm, and tied the string to the second-story window where the blinds hook on, and let the end of the string hang down into a bottle. It only thundered once or twice, but the lightning ran down the string pretty fast and filled the bottle half full.

It looked like water, only it was a little green, and when it stopped running into the bottle we took the lightning down-stairs to try it. I gave a little of it to the cat to drink, but it didn't her a bit, and she just purred. At last Tom said he didn't believe it would hurt anything; so he tasted some of it, but it didn't hurt him at all.

The trouble was that the lightning was too weak to do any harm. The thunder-shower had been such a little one that it didn't have any strong lightning in it; so we threw away what was in the bottle, and agreed to try to get some good strong lightning whenever we could get a chance.

It didn't rain for a long time after that, and I nearly forgot all about Franklin and lightning, until one day I heard Mr. Travers read in the newspaper about a man who was found lying dead on the road with a bottle of Jersey lightning, and that, of course, explains what was the matter with him, my dear Susan. I understood more about it than Susan did, for she does not know anything about Franklin being a girl, though I will admit it isn't her fault. You see, the cork must have come out of the man's bottle, and the lightning had leaked out and burned him to death.

The very next day we had a tremendous thunder-shower, and I told Tom that now was the time to get some lightning that would be stronger than anything they could make in New Jersey. So we got the kite up, and got ourselves soaked through with water. We tied it to the window-ledge just as we did the first time, and put the end of the string in a tin pail so that we could collect more lightning than we could hold. It was so cold standing by the window in our wet clothes that we thought we'd go to my room and change them.

All at once there was the most awful flash of lightning and the most tremendous clap of thunder that was ever heard. Father and mother and Sue were down-stairs, and they rushed upstairs crying the darling boy is killed. They meant me. But I wasn't killed, neither was Tom, and we hurried into the room where we were collecting lightning to see what was the matter. There we found the tin pail knocked into splinters and the lightning spilled all over the floor. It had set fire to the carpet, and burned a hole right through the floor into the kitchen, and pretty much broke up the whole kitchen stove.

Father cut the kite string and let the kite go, and told me that it was as much as my life was worth to send up a kite in a thunder-storm. You see so much lightning will come down the string that it will kill anybody that stands near it. I know this is true, because father says so, but I'd like to know how Franklin managed. I forgot to say that father wasn't a bit pleased. —*Jimmy Brown, in Harper's Young People.*

Rough Diamonds.

Diamonds are known to jewelers and the wealthy as the most valuable and beautiful of the precious stones. They outrank gold and silver, pearls and rubies. They are valued not only for their variety, but for their wonderful brilliancy and the many uses to which they are adapted. They are the gems which glisten in the coronets of kings and queens, and add luster to the charms of buoyant and vivacious beauty. They are most intrinsically valuable because they out-last and outshine all other specimens of material wealth. A man might carry a diamond fortune in his vest pocket and never be suspected of having a dollar. But why should an editor, who rarely ever saw a diamond, much less possess one, endeavor to enlighten his readers on their merits? And yet, in his presumption, this man of supposed brains often launches forth upon strange themes because men in general look to him as a hired thinker, and tolerably well informed upon all subjects. If not, he ought to be. Therefore he must often resort to metaphor to "point a moral and adorn a tale." He must be thoroughly posted in monetary values, though his chances of possessing any great amount of "filthy lucre" are very slim. His opinions on oh dits of society gossip are expected to be oracular, though perchance he may go little into society except for the uses it can make of him. There are people in the world who may be compared to diamonds in the rough. They have all the attributes of soul which should entitle them to shine stars of the first magnitude in the social circle, and yet owing to timidity or a want of polish they never give any light, and they die perhaps leaving the world in ignorance of their many noble and valuable qualities. They are like the gems and flowers in Gray's elegy—hid away, in dark, unfathomed caves, or born to "waste their sweetness on the desert air." These rough diamonds are doubtless more numerous than the world is wont to suppose. Men are too apt to look to the "pomp and circumstance of glorious war," or among creatures of high opportunities and magnificent surroundings for things valuable and grand in nature and character. Though time and circumstances often develop great characters, yet true manhood and womanhood are often disguised under a cloak of overweening modesty, and dispositions which shun public notoriety, and shrink from the vanity and emptiness of human applause. Yet the diamond is none the less a diamond in its rough estate, nor are human characters less entitled to homage, because their glare has never become apparent to the unsuspecting and unappreciative eye. But as polish is everything to the diamond, we might draw the lesson that friction and polish are necessary to develop the brightest and most beautiful gems of human character.—*Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer.*

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 20, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

MR. JACKSON submitted a joint resolution in the Senate on the 3rd for submission to the States of the Constitutional amendment making the President's term six years and making Mr. Bryant ineligible to re-election; referred to Judiciary Committee. Mr. Pugh, from the Committee on Education and Labor, reported favorably a bill to establish an educational fund and apply a portion of the proceeds of public lands to public education. After a short consideration of the House pleuro-pneumonia bill, it went over, and the Senate took up the bill for the relief of Fitz-John Porter. Without action the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned. In the House the morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Postoffice Appropriation bill. The pending question was on a motion to strike out the provision for postmasters to $[illegible]. A substitute amendment was offered to increase by $[illegible] the appropriation for the salaries of letter carriers. Pending action the committee rose.

IN the Senate on the 14th Mr. Harrison reported favorably and had placed on the calendar a bill for the admission of Dakota. Mr. Plumb submitted a joint resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, appropriating $25,000, to be made immediately available under the direction of the Commissioner of Agriculture, for the suppression of the foot and mouth disease among cattle in Kansas. Within a few minutes of its reference Mr. Plumb, of the committee, reported the joint resolution favorably and asked immediate consideration, but objection to its use made it went over. The bill for the relief of Fitz-John Porter was taken up and after a long debate was read the third time and passed—yeas 33, nays 22, after which the Senate adjourned. In the House a resolution was adopted directing the Committee on Public Lands to investigate matters pertaining to the grant of 25,000 acres of land to the State of Michigan to aid in the construction of a breakwater and ship canal, and by that State to the Lake Superior & Portage Lake Canal Company, and determine whether the grant was liable to forfeiture. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Postoffice Appropriation bill. The amendment increasing appropriations for the payment of letter carriers and incidental expenses of the free delivery system from $3,000,000 to $4,000,000 was adopted—122 to 55. Pending discussion on a motion to strike out the proviso that land-grant railroads shall receive full transportation, but that fifty per cent. compensation be allowed other roads, the committee rose and the House adjourned.

MR. BOWEN introduced a bill in the Senate on the 14th to reduce the postage on mailable matter of the second class; referred. Mr. Plumb called up a joint resolution appropriating $25,000 for the eradication of the foot and mouth disease in cattle. He said the disease was very serious and did not affect Kansas alone, but all the States. He sent to the desk and had read a dispatch from the Governor of Kansas urging immediate action. The resolution was discussed at length but without final action the Senate adjourned until Monday. In the House the morning hour was dispensed with, and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar. The bill granting a pension of $2,500 a year to Sentirina Randolph Meikleham, the sole surviving grandchild of Thomas Jefferson, was taken up and after debate the enacting clause was stricken out—129 to 60. The committee then rose and the House ratified its action. A communication from the Secretary of War asking an appropriation of $29,800 for the erection in San Francisco of additional buildings for the headquarters of the military division of the Pacific, was referred. At the evening session the House passed twenty-two pension bills and adjourned until the 15th.

IN the House on the 15th the morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Postoffice Appropriation bill. The consideration of the first section was completed, when it became evident that the bill could not be finished to-night, and the committee rose and the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

THE bodies of ten of the victims of the snow slide at Woodstock, Col., on the 10th have been recovered.

THE friends of ex-Senator Ferry of Michigan, are urging his appointment as Minister to Russia. Mr. Ferry is sojourning there at present.

THE Supreme Council Royal Templars, in session at Buffalo on the 13th, report 531 councils in existence, seventy-nine of which were formed the past year. $25,807 was paid out. The work extends over twenty-three States and provinces.

ATTORNEY GENERAL BREWSTER has, by direction of the President, sent a circular to all United States attorneys and marshals instructing them to be diligent in their efforts to prevent the shipping to foreign ports of explosives dangerous to life and property, and to detect and prosecute those who have or may ship them.

A SYNDICATE of Western manufacturers is said to have been formed to control the brass market. Three of the leading producers of the country, the Joel Hayden Company, Cleveland; Peck Bros. & Co., New Haven, and Hayden & Co., Haydenville, Mass., have already been absorbed by the syndicate.

THE New York Board of Trade and Transportation are urging Congress to pass a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay $1,000,000 annually for a period of ten years for improvements on the Erie Canal.

IT is believed that the resolution introduced by Representative Hiscock, expressing the sentiment and sympathy expressed in the Lasker resolution returned by Prince Bismarck will be reported by the Committee on Foreign Affairs and passed by the House.

BY a gas explosion in a furnace at the Edgar Thompson Steel Works at Braddock, near Pittsburgh, on the 13th, William McCall was killed and James Murray and Chris Toole seriously injured.

GEORGE TIFFANY, twenty years old, son of the absconding Bennington, Vt., Postmaster, has been arrested and confessed to stealing Government money. He is implicated in his father's frauds.

AT the Sacramento, California, municipal election on the 10th the full Republican ticket was elected, except J. Q. Brown, Democrat, who was elected Mayor.

IN a saloon row at North Mansfield, Pa., on the 13th Charles Thornburg and Edward Sumner were probably fatally shot by William Daily, proprietor of the saloon. Daily was arrested.

PRENTISS TILLER, the Pacific Express Company's agent at St. Louis who recently absconded with nearly $100,000, was arrested at Milwaukee on the 13th, and over $80,000 of the money recovered.

A DISPATCH on the 15th from Pocahontas, Va., the scene of the mine disaster, states that the mines were still on fire and the only means of putting it out was to close and seal the openings, which was being done. The mines would probably remain sealed two weeks. None of the bodies had been recovered.

A FIRE at West Kansas City, Mo., on the 14th destroyed the entire block of the drug store of Woodward, Fraxen & Co. Loss on stock $75,000, nearly covered by insurance; on building $40,000, insured for $20,000. A young man named Abernethy, sleeping in the building, jumped from a fourth story window, receiving probably fatal injuries.

DETAILS of the recent tornado in Saline County, Ill., show that six farm houses were entirely destroyed, several others unroofed or badly damaged, and a dozen or more barns and other outbuildings torn to pieces. There was also much damage to fences, cribs and other farm property.

A FATAL snow slide occurred at the Copper Mountain, Colorado, on the 13th, resulting in the death of three employes of the Alleghany mine named Hector Marshall, William O'Brien and John McGinnis. McGuiggins, another miner, is missing.

MAGGIE GARRITY, a fourteen-year-old Chicago girl, recently became melancholy from a scolding administered by her mother and suicided by taking a dose of Paris green.

AFTER being in jail seven years, during which time he has had four trials, Matt Lewis, colored, was hanged at St. Louis on the 14th for the murder of his wife in October, 1876.

THE gristmill of Lesner & Sons, at Dalton, N. Y., was wrecked by the explosion of a boiler on the 14th, killing the proprietors and seriously wounding two farmers.

IT is estimated that the cattle drive from Texas this season will reach over 700,000 head.

BUSINESS failures reported throughout the United States for the week ended the 14th number 174, for Canada and the provinces, 12, total 216, as compared with 272 last week. The decrease is principally in the Western, Middle and New England States.

THE House Committee on Indian Affairs have directed a favorable report made on the bill for the sale of the Iowa Indian reservation in Nebraska and Kansas, and the removal of the tribe to the Indian Territory.

LINCOLN POST, G. A. R., of Topeka, Kan., numbering over five hundred members, by resolution on the 14th asked President Arthur to veto the Fitz-John Porter bill.

THE Brooklyn (N. Y.) police are investigating the burning to death of Mabel Robinson, of New York, in Tuniso's hotel on old Coney Island road. The body was found sitting upright in a chair with all stockings on the feet.

WOLFF & SELIGSBURG, heavy coffee brokers of New York, suspended on the 15th. Liabilities over $1,000,000.

WILLIAM F. BARRETT, agent for the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association of New York, suicided at Greenville, S. C., on the 15th. He had squandered a fortune in fast living. His last words were, "It takes more courage to live than to die."

THE Eastern Butchers' Protective Association are taking steps to form a permanent organization. They are endeavoring to put a stop to the importation into New York of dressed beef from Chicago. The butchers say Chicago beef can be sold in New York for less than city killed beef.

COMMODORE WOOD, who has served two years in the Indiana Penitentiary for the murder of Charles Shelver, got a new trial and on the 15th was acquitted.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 15th: Loans increase, $2,807,000; specie decrease, $6,151,000; legal tenders decrease, $967,000; deposits decrease, $3,809,000; circulation increase, $56,000; reserve decrease, $6,165,000. The banks held $8,655,000 in excess of legal requirements.

WHILE engaged in fixing a shaft in the Marble Paper Mill at Baltimore on the 15th, Thomas Christie slipped and fell upon the rapidly revolving belting. Before he could be extricated his body was dragged through a space between the rollers only ten inches wide. He died in a few minutes.

JOHN MCMAHON, City Collector of Hoboken, N. J., has been missing since the 21st of February. An examination of his books shows a deficit of $32,000.

MRS. MARY E. SEELEY, of Michigan, who served during the war as a man under the name of "Frank Thompson," and deserted while in hospital to avoid betraying her sex, has petitioned Congress to correct her record and give her a pension.

THE value of exports of breadstuffs from the United States in February, 1884, was $10,193,338, against $15,775,019 for the same time last year. For the eight months ended February 29, $119,59[illegible], against $149,461,148 for the corresponding period last year.

A COUNTRYMAN in Cincinnati was recently decoyed out of $60 by bunko men. Realizing, after leaving their room, that he had been swindled, he left his valise and overcoat in an office, took out a forty-four caliber Remington pistol and went back, gave the sharpers thirty seconds to disgorge, and returned in fifteen minutes with his money.

ON Decoration Day the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of New York will adorn the statue of Lafayette in Union Square in honor of that patriot's visit sixty years ago, and his being made a Knight Templar.

RETURNS to the Treasury Department of the exports of provisions as compiled by the Bureau of Statistics show that the war in parts of Europe upon the American hog is having its full effect, and that a steady decline in the average of shipment of pork products is noticeable. Shipments of cattle and beef products, however, increase rapidly, and dairy products also make a favorable showing.

THE sale of tickets for the Patti performance at San Francisco recently, resulted in a riot in which the box office was wrecked, vestibule pictures smashed and several persons injured. The police dispersed the crowd and arrested Mapleson for violating the city ordinance.

THE examination for color blindness, to which the employes of the Pennsylvania Railway Company have been recently subjected, resulted in the discharge of numerous engineers, among them two of the oldest and most trustworthy passenger engineers on the road.

J. F. DEITRICH, teller of the Laclede Bank, St. Louis, who recently embezzled $30,000, was arrested on the 14th and admitted to bail in the sum of $10,000.

THE annual meeting of the American Tract Society was held in New York on the 16th. The Secretary's report shows that the receipts of the year were $269,066; expenditures, $261,289; balance in the treasury, $7,785; donations and legacies, $116,351, of which $31,200 were special, leaving $84,557 available for benevolent work; benevolent expenditures, $83,137. The 147 colporteurs employed made 130,468 Christian family visits. The gratuitous distribution included 54,000,000 pages of tracts. The total issues of the society for the year were 12,346,300 copies of books, tracts and papers. Fourteen colporteurs in foreign lands are reported as having labored during the year. The grants to immigrants were 3,000,000 pages.

OLIVER DYER, a Yale student, died at New Haven, on the 15th, from injuries received in the college athletic games on March 8, in which he was roughly used.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MASSACHUSETTS has enacted a law to punish wife beaters by flogging.

THE California Democratic State Convention will be held at Stockton, June 10.

TENNYSON took his seat in the House of Lords on the 11th, in robes borrowed from Lord Coleridge, his own having been stolen.

AT a caucus of the Democratic members of the Ohio Legislature on the 12th it was resolved by a vote of 42 to 6 to indorse the graded liquor tax bill. The proposed law imposes a tax upon all persons selling intoxicating liquors as follows: One yearly sales less than $2,000, $75; yearly sales from $2,000 to $3,000, $100; sales from $3,000 to $4,000, $150; sales from $4,000 to $6,000, $200; sales from $6,000 to $8,000, $250; sales over $8,000, $350. Wholesale dealers and brewers are exempted from tax and every dealer will have to keep a daily register of his sales. The tax is to be paid in semi-annual installments.

HENRY A. TILDEN, youngest brother of Samuel J. Tilden, died at New Lebanon, N. Y., on the 12th, aged sixty-three.

HON. JOHN TAFFLE, member of Congress for three terms from Nebraska, died at North Platte on the 14th.

JOHN ALLEN, President of the Western Transit Company, died at the Windsor Hotel, New York, on the 16th. He was unmarried and leaves a fortune of several hundred-thousand dollars.

THE Ontario Legislature on the 15th passed a bill giving widows and spinsters who have the necessary property qualifications the right to vote at municipal elections.

THE death of Signor Quintino Sella, of Rome, is announced, aged fifty-seven. He was distinguished for his scientific attainments and political ability.

FOREIGN.

A SLIGHT shock of an earthquake was felt throughout Alicante, a province of Southeastern Spain, on the 14th.

THE deficit in the indirect taxes in France for January and February amounts to 11,500,000 francs.

THE yellow fever is raging at Tehuantepec City. John Meyers, an American railroad contractor, is among the dead. People are leaving the city.

DE GAIEFF, the Russian Nihilist, believed to have been the leader of the party that murdered Colonel Sudeikin, has sailed for America.

TRICHINOSIS engendered by eating German bread pork, and due in no wise to the American product, is ravaging various parts of Germany.

ON the morning of the 16th two prisoners confined in the Sandwich, Ont., jail, shot and killed the jailer, and fatally wounded the turnkey and escaped. Kennedy, one of the murderers, was recaptured, but search failed to reveal the whereabouts of the other.

THE Pesth police made a raid upon the haunts of the Anarchists on the 15th. Editors Zeukunft and Slepszawa and thirty-six other persons were arrested.

BRADLAUGH was rotten-egged while delivering a lecture at Bridgewater, England, on the 14th.

GENERAL MILLOT telegraphed the French Minister of Marine on the 15th that the French captured at Bacninh 109 pieces of artillery, including several Krupp guns, a large number of rifles, a quantity of gunpowder and the flags of the Chinese General.

IT is said that Adams Frazer, the largest man in one of General Graham's regiment, killed twelve Arabs with his bayonet in the recent battle.

LATER.

NEWS has just been received of a disastrous snow slide at Carey, a small mining camp in Conundrum Gulch, Col., seventy miles north of Leadville, in which five miners were killed. Their names are J. F. Fate, Millar Thom, S. E. Steele, George Morris, J. P. Steele. The avalanche was several hundred feet wide and fifty deep.

ON the 16th placards were posted about Skibbereen, County Cork, Ireland, announcing the outbreak of a civil war in March. The police removed them.

THE reports of destitution among the families of the victims of the recent Virginia mine disaster are denied by a representative of the company. The killed were nearly all single men, there being only eight families in Pocahontas sufferers by reason of the explosion and not many away.

A FIRE at South Chicago on the 17th destroyed the Calumet Block with twelve adjoining buildings. All the buildings were two-story, the upper portion occupied as dwellings and the lower part as stores. Loss $75,000.

THE celebrated Holstein cow, "Mercedes," owned by T. B. Wales, Secretary of the National Holstein Breeders' Association, died at Iowa City, Ia., on the 17th of milk fever. The cow and her calf, which also died, were valued at $10,000. Mercedes had the greatest milk and butter record in the world, and took the *Breeders' Gazette* cup at Chicago last fall. Her last calf sold for $4,000.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY was generally observed throughout the country. At New York it was estimated that there were 10,000 men in line. Masses were said in all the churches. The procession at Chicago was headed by the Clan-Na-Gael and the Ancient Order of Hibernians. There was no outside display at Ottawa, Canada, owing to a feeling regarding festivities of a sectional nature. The day was clear at New York, but at Chicago, St. Louis and other places was damp and cold.

PETITIONS were presented in the Senate on the 17th from various public commercial bodies, asking a repeal of the law authorizing the coinage of the silver dollar. Messrs. McMillan, Palmer and Manderson presented petitions from the citizens of their respective States, praying that Congress prepare a sixteenth amendment, prohibiting the disfranchising of citizens on account of sex. The joint resolution appropriating $25,000 for the suppression of the foot and mouth disease among cattle, was then taken up. On motion of Mr. Plumb the amount appropriated by the resolution was increased to $50,000, and after debate the resolution passed—yeas 24, nays 19. The bill extending the Court of Alabama Claims until December, 1884, was passed. Adjourned. In the House Mr. Hewitt introduced a bill to suspend, for two years the coinage of silver dollars and making it unlawful for the Secretary of the Treasury to print and issue Treasury notes of the denomination of one dollar and two dollars; referred. On motion of Mr. Randall, the rules were suspended and the special deficiency bill for the appropriation of $1,679,000 passed—167 to 15. A resolution appropriating $5,000 out of the contingent fund to enable the Committee on Naval Affairs to prosecute the investigation previously ordered concerning the dynamite was adopted. Adjourned.

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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	50	@	80
Buckwheat flour, ₩ hundred		@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	25	@	30
Corn—shelled ₩ bushel	36	@	37
Clover Seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	12
Flour, ₩ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	10
Oats, ₩ bushel	28	@	32
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	50
Potatoes		@	
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel		@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel		@	1 00

ESTATE OF SILAS W. BASS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lucy O. Tefft, a notice of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Esther Taffl, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ELLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel Haight, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of her last sickness and funeral, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that he has made advance payments to Charles Stocking, the husband of said deceased, nearly in full of his distributive share of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing on said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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ADDISON ATOMS.

Spring has come again with its usual accompaniment of blackbirds and crows. A supply of musquitoes and beetles may be expected in due season.

The measles and other like diseases have had a large run here this winter, but thanks to our good M. D.s. and nurses, the death list remains blank.

Our old fresh [illegible] E. Harrington, having closed out his business to Cambridge parties, will devote himself to the mason trade this season.

The village schools closed for vacation last Friday. A public sugar party and literary entertainment was given by the school Saturday eve.

A gravel train was put to work Sunday, clearing away the sand slide west of town and otherwise improving the line. One dollar and fifteen cents per day is the amount paid shovelers.

A. J. Hasbrook's lumber yard is now well stocked with everything belonging to his business. Reports say that Hudson and Somerset notice the falling off of custom in this line.

J. H. Lane and W. A. Wilcox announce themselves prepared to pay the highest market price for grain in the future.

The M. & O. House underwent a general [illegible] The proprietor, Mr. W. H. Terpening, surrendered his lordship to his sister, Mrs. Preston, who proposes to operate a new system of law and labor hereafter. Success to her.

John Terpening is the name which now appears on the door of the Nesmith dry goods store west of the creek. Hub. Cole stands behind the counter.

J. H. Graham, of Somerset, has let his farm for the season and will turn his attention to selling agricultural implements.

Our Tecumseh mail comes to hand on short notice now a days. Lets hear from the cousins.

BROOKLYN BALANCE.

A paragraph is being freely circulated, charging the want of news, to correspondents. There is probably, truth in the story, but there is also a reason for the universal delinquency. In case there is nothing nice to tell, it is deleterious to moral health, to manufacture it, and if there is genuine news that somebody don't want told, one's back hair becomes liable to derangement.

The time of year, when frogs emerge from seclusion is the anniversary of muddy boots, splashes, swears, town meetings and house-cleaning. Experience teaches, that such epidemics, are best soothed by silence, and, suffering everybody to believe themselves, the chiefest of martyrs, and wait 'till the clouds roll by. This being frog season it is not polite to say, that no one has done anything worth mentioning, nor policy to mention what is unworthy of being done. Anticipation is the only mutual ground, where safety is assured to the blameworthy, and there is no harm in sending word around, that in great expectations, there is unity and faith, even in Brooklyn.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

The first shipment of stock over the M. & O. R. R., was made on Monday, March 24. A carload of unusually fine sheep, shipped by Burt Morley to Buffalo.

Tickets over the M. & O. Road to Tecumseh and return, for 25cts. To A. J. Sutton, station agent here, belongs the credit of effecting this arrangement.

Ridgeway morning mail two hours later, or while it is carried to Tecumseh and back. A nice state of affairs.

A supper with Maple sugar and hot pancakes for the "bill of fare" will be given under the management of the Ladies' Church Social in the lecture room of M. E. Church, on Friday Eve. April 4th. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Supper 15cts.

OUR CLINTON NEIGHBORS.

We paid Clinton a brief visit last Monday afternoon, it being the first time we have been there in several weeks.

Henry Lancaster is now finally located in the Exchange Hotel, and he proposes to keep a first-class house in every respect. He has renovated the whole house, and is taking special pains to set a good table. "Hank" ought to succeed as a landlord.

A call at D. Woodward's foundry found him head over heels in business. His new style of chilled plow with high beam and patent jointer takes like hot cakes. He is preparing to manufacture a large number of them this season. Dave claims that his new plow is one of the best plows now in the market and we have no doubt that the claim is well founded.

We paid Marsteller's Marble Works a visit and found him busy as a bee in a tar bucket. He is doing the largest share of cemetery and cut stone work in this section and his trade is constantly increasing.

John Smith & Son are still located at the old headquarters, selling Dry Goods, Groceries, etc. This establishment still maintains the lead which it has held [illegible]

John Ed McCollum is selling clothing in the old quarters formerly occupied by D. H. Silvers, and seems to be building up a good trade; at least he has all he wants to do to keep him busy.

J. J. White is still running his merchant tailoring establishment, and is prepared to give his customers "fits."

Gus VanDeMark is selling hardware at the old stand, and a better hardware merchant it would be hard to find in three counties.

E. W. Freeze is on the Board of Supervisors this week, but his efficient clerks keep on selling Dry Goods just the same.

Byron Randall is wearing out his rheumatism and preparing for a big summer's trade.

W. S. Kimball keeps a coal fire in the office of the Woolen Mill and is at home to his friends, but the looms of the mill are silent. It has not yet been decided [illegible] resume operations, but probably at an early day.

The McClure Brothers are making harness as usual and are building up a good trade.

Bainbridge & Hause are to be found in their new building, with a full stock of furniture to select from.

A. G. Burton is busy as ever in his carriage factory and blacksmith shop on the old corner.

D. R. Gibson has quit buying apples for this season. He has fifty colonies of bees now engaging his attention, and will have a ton of fancy honey on hand in June.

Will Wood is still at his old tricks and seems to have his hands full in the carriage making line.

MACON MOLECULES.

Among the good things enjoyed by Macon are muddy roads, and very softly enjoyed.

The Union Sunday School will be reorganized next Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge will preach on the liquor traffic next Sunday. The question will be ably discussed.

Will Smith left for Paw Paw, Ill., last Monday. He has a position there in a store.

Rev. Mr. Carleton, of Hillsdale, gave select readings at the Baptist church last Saturday evening. They were well rendered.

Aunt Laura Haviland was greeted with a full house last Sunday evening. She gave her "War Experiences," closing with an exhortation on temperance.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

B. C. Knapp has moved on his new farm.

Mrs. P. M. Keyser is moving to Clinton this week. We regret to have her move away but wish her success in her new venture.

The Raisin is on the boom this time. The filling at the west end of the Clinton bridge has gone out making it impassable. It has also commenced to wash out the bridge at Newburg.

To day, (Wednesday,) occurs the marriage of J. B. Smith's only daughter, Carrie L., to Dow Draper of Jackson. We extend our congratulations.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

The exhibition given by District No. 8, at the Sand Lake Hotel on Wednesday evening, March 19th, was a success, so much so that it was repeated on the following Friday evening.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co., have contracts to furnish lumber and build a house for Jerome Snow at Onsted. C. D. Smith has the management of the building.

J. O. Maxwell is confined to his bed.

Sewell Matherson will make his father in N. Y. city, a visit very soon.

Sugar party and hop at Ayres' Hall, on Friday evening, April 4th. The main features of the dance are first class music and supper.

Adrian Record: The coming fashionable summer hat will be trimmed with artificial carrots, radishes, turnips, onions, etc. They are high crowned, with wide rolling brims, and when decorated with vegetables the effect can be imagined. Leading milliners say that no feathers will be used this season.

Daniel Root, of Hudson, is awarded the state bounty of two cents per pound on 2,100 pounds of sorghum sugar.

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A new edition of this most valuable work has just been issued. It has the advantage over all other cyclopedias of giving the latest information on all subjects. Its editors and contributors are among the greatest living scholars. On account of its comprehensiveness and systematic arrangement, one can find in a moment the fact he may be wanting.

It is [illegible] most useful cyclopedia in the market for quick reference.

We append the opinions of some of the leading educators of our own state.

From Prof. D. S. Stevens, President of Adrian College:

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OLD THINGS GIVING WAY TO NEW.

The late discontinuance of the Cambridge stage route, now superseded in part, by mail service on the new M. & O. railroad, reminds me of the early days in Michigan. In 1832 the Territory got an appropriation from Congress for a road from Monroe to intersect the Detroit and Chicago road near the North-west corner of Lenawee county, in the town of Cambridge. Work was commenced on it in the summer and fall of that year. Some jobs on it were taken by two sons of Thomas Nelson, who had located on one of the earliest taken pieces of land in the six mile square now known as the township of Franklin, and adjoining which I entered my first land in Michigan. The Nelson boys continued to work on the road until it was finished to where it struck the old Chicago road, near the Cambridge P. O. Ever since that part of the Monroe, or LaPlaisance Bay road, so called, was finished from Tecumseh to Cambridge, it has been used as a mail route, and a great thoroughfare for emigrants. Mr. Nelson and his boys were the right kind of men to be pioneers in a new country. In 1833 they sold out to David and Charles Wells and moved west. And about 1835 the Wells' sold out to Deacon William Bradley, who moved on there with a large family. J. J. A.

The Educational News of Adrian is now published by a stock company which is officered as follows. Editor, W. J. Cocker; associate editor, A. E. Curtis; manager of subscription and advertising departments, L. S. Brown; business manager, W. B. Mumford.—Mr. Mumford was the originator and founder of the paper, and has made it of influence in educational circles.

This is the time that tries the roots of the wheat now in the ground and decides "what shall the harvest be."

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 22, 1884:

Estate of John R. Kimball, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing April 14, 1884.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased; petition for proof of last will; hearing May 19, 1884.

Estate of Thomas Coulson, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Willard Smith, deceased; bond of special administrator filed, letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Thankful L. Ripley, deceased; oath before sale of real estate filed.

Estate of Lucy C. Mead, deceased; administrator's bond filed; letters issued, order appointing appraisers.

In the matter of the adoption and change of name of Charles F. Vaugn; declaration of intention filed; order for adoption and change of name.

Estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing April 14, 1884.

Estate of William J. Milner, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator *de bonis non*, with the will annexed; bond filed; letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Beal Sloan, deceased; affidavit of publication; account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Simeon Tubbs, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing, April 21, 1884.

Estate of Warner M. Comstock, deceased; petition for allowance of administratrix's final account; hearing, April 21, 1884.

Estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased; petition for the allowance of administrator's account; hearing, Apl. 14, 1884.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners for Cantlebery drain, Riga; affidavit of service of citation filed; order dismissing petition on account of improper service.

Estate of Elias J. Baldwin, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Daniel Ferris, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's account allowed.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners for VanFleet drain, Palmyra; affidavit of service filed; order appointing three commissioners.

Estate of Martha Jones, deceased; petition for administrator; hearing April 14, 1884.

Estate of Beatrice Cannon, minor; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond, $400.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in Lenawee county for the week ending March 14:

PALMYRA.

M. H. Higby to N. Gleason, Jr. Land on sec. 31. $500.

ROLLIN.

G. L. Vosburgh to A. A. Stevens. N ½ w ½ n e ¼ sec 19. $400.

TECUMSEH.

A. L. Millis to J. and M. Boland. Land on Hoeg's add. $150.

WOODSTOCK.

Orison Kelley to Percey Kelley. N ½ of sec. 23. $2,000.

AUCTION SALES.

Robert McCook having rented his farm will sell at public auction on the premises one-half mile south and two miles east of Clinton, Tuesday, April 1st, 1884, at 12 o'clock, M., a heavy work team, yearling bull, double and single harness, lumber wagon, single buggy, light wagon, reaper, mower, three cows, two yearling steers, farm tools, hay, oats, etc. Eighteen months credit. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

Minor Davidson, special administrator of the estate of Solomon Smith, deceased, will, on the 31st. of March at public auction to the highest bidder, rent land in parcels, in fields ranging from 10 to 22 acres for cropping for the season. Also 90 acres of pasture. The sale to be held at the late residence of deceased in Ridgeway, commencing at 1 P. M. Terms published at and before sale.

S. C. Stacy and M. M. Stacy will sell at auction on the Judge Stacy farm, just west of the village of Tecumseh, on Saturday, March 29th, at 1 o'clock, P. M., 20 cotswold sheep, stack of hay, three yearlings, Jersey cow and bull, mower, machine, cutting boxes, harnesses, sleighs, three cows, two breeding mares, breeding sow, a lumber wagon, single buggies, farming and gardening tools, a quantity of household furniture, etc., etc. Twelve months credit. Ben. Reynolds, Auctioneer.

F. H. Derbyshire's lease having expired he will sell at auction on the A. L. Hoxsie farm, 1 mile north and 1 mile east of Lenawee Junction, on Wednesday, April 2., four horses, 2 cows, 6 steers, a two year old heifer, 6 sows, 40 pigs, 14 shoats, a binder, sulky plow, lumber wagon, single buggy, 500 bushels oats, five ton hay, potatoes, hams and pork, farm tools, etc. Twelve months credit. Ben. Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Prof. Reynolds, the world renowned mesmerist, will give an entertainment at the Opera House on Wednesday evening of next week. Fail not to hear him. The Opera Houses of Detroit were not large enough to hold the crowd who wished to hear the Professor and he remained there nearly two weeks.

It is thought by some of our weatherwise that the snow left us too soon to expect that we shall have spring immediately.

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THE TALISMAN AND THE LEECH.

A FRAGMENT.

It was a lovely lady that on her sick-bed lay,
It was her doughty lover spurred for the leech away,
And met upon the highway, crouched on the road hard stone,
A withered white-haired beggar that made for alms her moan.

The doughty lover cast her his purse from saddle-bow.
"My love is in the agony, and for the leech I go.
In yonder burg physicians many are I trow,
Would that the sanctifiest of all among them I could know."

"Take this," the crone, upstarting, placed up his hand a ring
Of dull and tarnished copper, a mean and battered thing.
"Wear this, and when thou ridest up to the leech's door,
See for thyself what company of guests doth stand before."

And before the knight could thank her she vanished quite away,
And there was naught but a wee brown bird sitting upon the spray;
And the light hearted lover onward he spurred

And kissed the tattered talisman, and blessed the kindly fay.

Up the ringing street he dashed to the chief physician's door—
Heaven! what ghastly company was standing it before!
The souls of all the slain were there, ten thousand souls, I trow,
Like witch-fires in a paled night a-wavering to and fro.

On passed the knight to another leech, but before the door paused he,
Was quite as ghastly if not quite so great a company;
And up and down the burg he rode, but everywhere he went
Watched the spirit of each patient under a malcontent.

"Alack! doth never a leech have sa—" was his despairing cry,
"And most the Lady Cunegunde in her youth and beauty die?
There is but one physician left, and yonder is his door—
O, heavens! there floats a single ghost—a single ghost, no more."

"O, a blessing on the talisman and on the kindly fay!
Here is the surge on skilled shall charm my lady's hurt away.
Ho! busk ye, busk ye, Master Leech, and ride away with me,
And thou shalt save a precious life, and win a priceless fee."

Up sprang the good physician then to his and the gallant knight,
And swiftly up the towering roof clattered

And merrily the knight he sang and shouted in his glee,
"A blessing on the kindly fay that guided me to thee."

"Now by our good St. Anthony, what is it thou dost say?
Dost thou not know, Sir Knight, there is no goblin, neither fay?
But tell me truly, who it was to me thy steps did guide,
For how should a poor leech be known throughout the country-side?"

"O, trust me, trust me, Master Leech, thy fame spreads far and near;
On every side of thy healing skill what miracles we hear!
For though thy cheek doth brightly bear the rosy hue of youth,
There is no doctor so renowned in all the land good sooth."

"Sir Knight, it ill becomes thy rank to mock a simple man,
One who doth practice Galen's art with all the skill he can;
But only yesterday I hung my shingle out a door,
And I have had but a single call—one patient and no more."

"Now by St. Anthony!" exclaimed the knight * * * *

The remainder of this interesting ballad has been lost.—*Editor's Drawer, in Harper's Mag-azine.*

THE LOVERS' QUARREL.

"Never while I live," said Miss Rashleigh, "never while I live will I see your face again!"

She meant it when she said it, and as she spoke, she threw her betrothal ring towards her lover, who had offended her.

It missed him and rolled down upon the floor and over the sill of an open china closet—one of those old-fashioned closets that used to stand on either side of the mantel-piece.

She did not notice where it rolled; he did though; and after she had left the room, he turned to pick it up. The ring she had worn would always be precious to him.

Miss Rashleigh went straight to her own room, as miserable a girl as ever lived, and a moment later Grandmother Rashleigh bustled into the drawing-room, pushed the open closet door to, picked up the fallen magazine, set the annuals and books of poetry straight on the table, pulled down the shades, arranged the chairs mathematically against the wall, and bustled out again.

"I've had these things fifty years," she said to herself, "and ther's Cornelia and her beau with no more respect for them than if they were so much lumber."

Then she closed the door behind her, and went away to her own room up stairs, where a fine silk patchwork quilt was in the frame, a surprise for said Cornelia.

Grandma Rashleigh gave every young person of the family something of her own manufacture on his or her wedding day.

"Now," the old lady had said a dozen times to Tripheny King, who was helping her; "I rather think Cornelia will have the best thing I've done; and there's a bit in it of every handsome silk there's ever been in the family, and of her father's and grandfather's wedding vests."

"Yes'm, its a real memorial quilt," said Tripheny. "It takes *you*, mum, to plan such things."

The quilt was finished and bound that afternoon, and Tripheny's joy of quilting being over she went home. But she carried about the village the news that she "was sure all was over between Miss Rashleigh and Mr. Spear. She'd heard Cornelia saying something to her grandma, and the old lady was furious."

"He wou'd never have done that if he had cared for *me*, you know, grandma," Cornelia was saying at that moment.

"Stuff and nonsense! He loves the ground you walk on!" said the old lady. "You'll never get such another, Cornelia!"

"I shall never marry at all; I hate men!" Cornelia answered.

And then her grandmother made the house too hot to hold her, and she went to her mother's, her usual course when she fell out with grandma.

Three days passed. At the end of the third Patsy Pratt stepped in at Mrs they called her, though she was nearly fifty, for grandma was old Mrs. Rashleigh.

"I expect you'll feel upset when I tell you the news, Cornelia," said she. "You've been tootered this time—he, he, he! Orville Spear ha'n't been heard of since he was at your house. His mother says he went over to explain and make up, and he never came back—he, he! She thought maybe he'd stepped over to his brother's, but he hasn't—he, he! I reckon he's drowned himself!"

"I don't know why the whole town should talk over my affairs and everybody's old maid aggie about them!" cried Cornelia.

Patsy jumped to her feet, seized her parasol and turned towards the door.

"Good afternoon, Miss Cornelia and Mrs. Rashleigh," she said with a contemptuous courtesy. "I'll remember my manners, if other folks forget theirs. Only there's other folks as likely to be old maids as me, and I fancy it's Mrs. Spear's affair now if anything has happened to her boy!"

Away flounced Miss Pratt.

"You've put Patsy in a rage, Cornelia," said Mrs. Rashleigh. "That's a pity; she has a long tongue."

But Cornelia was crying.

"O, mother, dear," she sobbed, "it isn't true, is it? Orville did feel dreadfully. Won't you see mother?"

But at this moment Sally, the little servant girl from Grandma Rashleigh's, came flying into the room, without any more warning than if she had been shot from a gun.

"The old missus says you are to come over at once, both you ladies!" she cried, standing before Mrs. Rashleigh, and repeating her lesson like a parrot. "There's something of importance, and you're needed at worst."

"Get your bonnet, Cornelia," said her mother. "I'll just put on this sunhat. What is it, Sally; do you know?"

"I know it's something dreadful. Missus is almost wild, and there's lots of folks there. Something about Mr. Spear."

The two ladies said no more. They hurried away together, and, entering grandma's parlor, found there assembled more of the members of the Spear family, and a friend or two besides.

Orville had, indeed, disappeared. He had never been home since his visit to

tives were anxious to get all the information they could regarding the interview between Orville and Cornelia.

"I had reason to be angry, Mrs. Spear," said Cornelia, proudly; "good reason, and I took off my ring and gave it back and went out of the room. That is all I know. I don't know when he went or where. I—I thought he wouldn't mind so much. I believed he had stopped caring about me."

"He ought to now, at all events," said grandma.

"My boy is dead, I'm sure. I shall have the pond dragged!" said Mrs. Spear, amidst her tears. "He left all his money at home. He wouldn't have gone traveling without a change of clothes. O, you wicked girl!"

"I hope," cried the eldest Miss Spear, "that he'll haunt you!"

"I could kill you, you hateful thing!" cried the youngest Miss Spear.

Cornelia had kept up bravely until now; but when her two friends turned upon her thus, she gave a little scream and fell over on the sofa. She was it a dead swoon, and the water they sprinkled in her face did not bring her to.

Grandma grew frightened.

"I hope it isn't an attack of heart disease," she said. "Poor child! she looks as if she were dead."

"O, don't say that," cried the mother.

They gathered around Cornelia and did all they could for her, and soon she recovered and sat up, but all her pride was gone.

"O, dear! O, dear!" she sobbed. "I wish I had died! I wish I had never come to! O, Orville! Orville! what has become of you?"

"O! oh!" moaned the mother.

"O! oh!" moaned the sisters.

And Cornelia's head fell back again.

"Emma, get the lavender out of the china-closet," said grandma to her daughter. "Quick! It's on the corner shelf!"

Mrs. Rashleigh rushed to the closet.

"It won't open," she cried wildly.

"It's a patent lock," said grandma; "locks as it shuts. Here's the key."

And Mrs. Rashleigh flew back to the door, opened it and uttered a shriek.

There on the floor, huddled up under the shelf, lay poor Orville Spear.

He was white and limp.

Cornelia sat and stared at him in the most awful way. She thought him dead, but the more experienced matron saw that he was yet living.

Sally was sent post haste for the doctor; and there, in Mrs. Rashleigh's drawing-room, he found Cornelia and Orville lying quite unconscious, like *Romeo* and *Juliet* in the scene at the tomb, and the rest of the party in a state of bewilderment and terror past description.

At last, however, both were conscious and seated in arm-chairs, regarded each other, while the observers kept silence, and Mr. Orville Spear uttered the first words.

"Of all the confounded fools——"

"Who, dear?" asked his mother.

"Me," said Orville, regardless of grammar. "Who shut me in?"

"What were you in the closet for?" asked grandma, with a guilty conscience.

"To pick something up that rolled there," said Orville.

"The ring?" asked Cornelia, frantically.

"Yes, the ring," said Mr. Spear. "More fool I! Some one banged the door to. I shouted and howled and kicked, and no one heard me."

"O, oh, oh, oh!" shrieked Cornelia, "I believe you hid there just to kill me, for no other purpose than out of revenge."

"You banged the door on me," said Mr Spear. "A jealous woman will do anything."

"I banged the door, Orville!" said old Mrs. Rashleigh. "I! You'd left everything flying. I just pushed it as I passed, and you ought to bless your stars that you are alive, for people don't go into the drawing room, sometimes We use the parlor much more, and I am deaf, and so is old Hepsiba, and you might have died there. Yes, and you'd have killed him, Cornelia," added the old lady, "throwing his pretty diamond ring on the floor!"

"O!" moaned Cornelia. "O!"

"It wasn't her fault. I was a confounded fool all through!" cried Orville. "I knew that closet had a spring-lock. No; don't blame Cornelia."

"I shall always blame myself!" sighed Cornelia. "O! how pale you are!"

"And how pale you are, Cornelia!" sighed Orville. "Did you really care when you thought I was dead?"

"Ladies," said Grandma Rashleigh, "now that Orville has recovered and is getting on, let us go into the other room, and leave these two young folks to talk things over together."

She led the way, the others followed. When the tea bell rang soon after, Orville and Cornelia came out of the drawing room arm in arm, and the wedding day was fixed.—*Philadelphia Call.*

Dogs.

Among the pests of the farmer the place. Not that the dog is necessarily injurious, any more than some human beings are, but it is the untrained, neglected, and consequently vicious dogs which are a pest to the farmer, as it is the uneducated, neglected and idle youths who become pests of society. A well-trained dog, kept in proper subjection and under control of its owner, may be useful in more than one capacity, while its kind, docile and friendly disposition and its wonderful sagacity may make it an acceptable companion. But when left to itself, like the erring child we read of, it is sure to bring its owner to shame and grief. A Tennessee farmer who has suffered gives some figures which might be duplicated in every other State with great ease. He says that his State possesses 400,000 dogs that are idle, vicious and worthless. Each of these dogs consumes as much food as would make 100 pounds of pork if fed to pigs, which, in the aggregate, is equal to 50,000,000 pounds of bacon annually, worth $3,000,000. This is the direct cost of them. The indirect loss consists in the prevention of the keeping of 200,000 sheep, the yearly profit of which would be $6,000,000, so that the whole loss to the State by reason of the keeping of worthless dogs in a state of ferocious savageness is equal to $9,000,000. The schools of the State cost $3,000,000. So that the keeping of the dogs costs three times more than the education of the children. The farmer might well have added to his productive crop of figures all the various losses and damages direct and indirect from the sadly defective education of the children for which only $3,000,000 can be afforded on account of these dogs.

But it is bad enough, because this is only a very small part of the whole damage which is inflicted upon the public by worthless dogs, or rather through the criminal neglect of the owners of them. For if a man should keep a wolf or other wild ferocious beast and suffer it to go at large to prey upon his neighbors every night he would commit an offense for which he would be amenable to the laws; and it is equally wrong for him to keep a dog and suffer it to become a beast of prey. There is no lawful reason why a man may not keep a wolf or a bear, or a tiger even, if he keeps it in secure confinement. Society does not prohibit this pleasure and gratification, and a man may keep a dog with equal propriety if he will only prevent it from injuring or destroying his neighbor's flock. But certainly every man should be obliged to do this, and farmers who suffer damage have a clear right to insist upon it and to ask for sufficient legislation to enforce it.—*N. Y. Times.*

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For life is too short
From the future to borrow;
Dull care, like an ort,
Fling away to the past!

I don't believe she is half as mercenary as she talks, in the vein of "what female heart can gold despise?" Yet she gives a strong impression that the alpha and omega of life is a modiste and a millionaire. My impression of the American girl is one never to be forgotten. She is bright, brisk and business-like.

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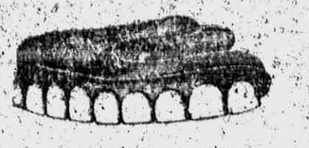
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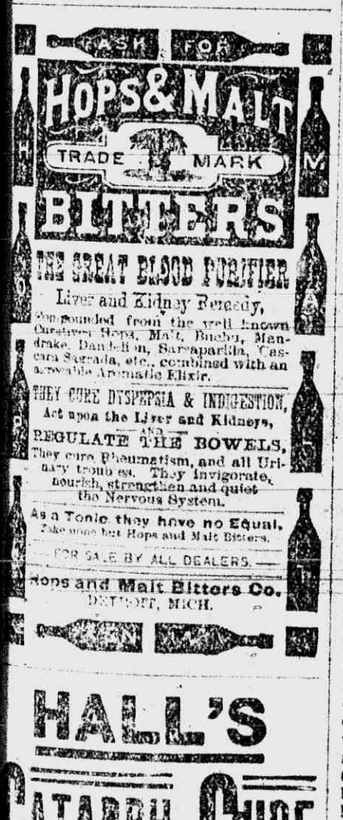

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Jokes and Sorrow.

Hobbes, the eminent philosopher, said that laughter is nothing but sudden glory arising from sudden conceit in men who laugh at the infirmity of others with whom they compare themselves at unawares, by which sudden glory the passions of the heart do suddenly and violently break forth and weeps. Mr. Hobbes lived many years ago, but his remark, which is often quoted as an aphorism, lacks that important ingredient which is not always added to every patent medicine advertisement—truth. There are animals that laugh and weep. There are, on the contrary, races of men, like the American Indians and Cingalese Veddas, which do not laugh.

Two essentials are needed in order to produce the physical phenomenon of laughter in man—first, facial, vocal, or other muscles, including the diaphragm, and second, the emotions or ideas which give rise to laughter. Certain animals possess both these essentials. The gorilla has the facial muscles, and travellers claim that various monkeys have them. All the mammalia, in common with man, have the diaphragm, which is capable of spasmodic action. The chimpanzee is said to smile. The smile of the little monkey is a playful one. The dog can both smile and grin, whether affection or pleasure, hypocrisy or cunning dictate. Dogs distinguish the different kinds of laughter, they note the distinction between that which is good-humored and that which is sarcastic. They are sensitive to ridicule, yet not infrequently try to produce laughter in man, and deep is their mortification if they fail. Romance tells us of a Skye terrier that tried to amuse his master and provoke his laughter by certain tricks it had taught itself, and was sulky if its efforts proved fruitless. An orang-outang in the London Zoological Gardens showed every sign of pleasure when its practical jokes excited men's laughter, and Rev. Dr Wood records the instance of a tame jackdaw who enjoyed the fun of boys' games like leap-frog and tag as much as the boys did themselves.

The parrot is a capital laugher. He laughs at his own practical jokes. White, of Selbourne, speaks of the heartiness of laughter in the woodpecker. A pet magpie of Jesse's, he says in that incomparable "History of Selbourne," had a laugh that was so hearty, joyous and natural that no one who heard it could help joining in it. There are tales of certain swallows who on the successful issue of a practical joke played by them on a cat, seemed each to set up a laugh at the disappointed enemy very like the laugh of a young child when tickled. Mr. Cobbe says the goose has, perhaps, the keenest appreciation of humor of any animal, unless it be her own arch enemy, the fox? And she illustrates this assertion by the narrative of a practical joke played on a number of pigs by a flock of geese. The poor porkers were caused to run the gauntlet down a lane of geese biting at them with their bills, simply to frighten them, and that the geese might enjoy the terror and squealing of the pigs.

"One of my horses," says Baker Pasha, "out of pure amusement, kicks at the men as they pass, and, having succeeded several times in kicking them into the river, he perseveres in the fun, I believe, for lack of other employment."

There is a certain hyena which, from the peculiarity of its cry, is styled the laughing hyena, and in Australia there is a bird—a kingfisher—which is called for a similar reason the laughing jackass. Its notes strongly resemble a rude, powerful laugh. The great African traveller, Livingstone, speaks of the African brown ibis, whose cry is a loud ha-ha-ha!

As it is true that certain animals possess the physical qualifications for laughter, so also is it correct that they possess all the apparatus for shedding tears. The dog, horse, elephant, bear, cat, donkey, mule, various deer, soko, chimpanzee, mandril, titi or other monkeys or apes, cattle, camel, giraffe, shed tears under emotions of grief and sorrow. The parrot does not shed tears, but possesses the kindred power of sobbing. Chimpanzees will weep at dread of punishment, monkeys and elephants on account of disappointment or mortification, the Cingalese elephant on account of captivity and confinement, the titi from fear, terror or fright, the stag at bay and caged rat from despair, certain monkeys because they are titied, and the young soko, says Dr. Livingstone, out of mere pettishness or non-compliance with his whims.

Mrs. Burton says she has seen in the Syrian desert "tears roll down camels' faces with thirst." Some one speaking of a mule crippled by a two-inch nail in his foot: "His face was the picture of pain and despair. Tears streamed out of his eyes." Dr. Livingstone records the instance of a young soko, which, if not taken up in the arms like a child when it desired, and appealed to be so carried, engaged in the most bitter human-like weeping. Dr. Boerlage shot a female (mother) ape in Java that fell mortally wounded from a tree clasping the young one in her arms, and she died weeping.

A giraffe, wounded by a rifle shot, was also found to have tears trickling from the lash of his dark, humid eyes. Gordon Cumming, the African traveller, speaks of large tears trickling from the eyes of a dying elephant. Some old rats, finding a young one dead by drowning, wiped the tears from their eyes with their forepaws, says the *Animal World*. Instances might be enumerated without limit to show that certain animals have both the physical requirements for grins and tears, and are susceptible to the same emotions that cause tears and laughter in man.—*N. Y. Mail.*

—To get rid of the smell of fresh paint in a chamber or living room, slice a few onions and put them in the middle of the room. After that it will be desirable to get rid of the smell of the onions. This can easily be done by putting on another coat of paint.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—In reply to a recent invitation to deliver a lecture before the Manhattan Temperance Association in Cooper Union, P. T. Barnum writes from his home in Bridgeport: "Friend Gibbs: I have *finished* lecturing forever in *this* world. Truly yours, P. T. BARNUM."—*N. Y. Times.*

—Holman Hunt, the artist, believes that Shakespeare's sonnets were addressed to his wife, Anne Hathaway.

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—"Horrors of Hotel Life" is the title of a book recently issued.

—Tea Garden is the name of a strong and substantial citizen of Austin, Tex.

—Beecher's double, the man who goes to theaters and gets the Brooklyn pastor's name in the papers, is John Nyman. Their resemblance is very striking.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—"Camp Meeting" John Allen, of Wilton, Me., has read the Bible through and the New Testament half way again within four months, although he is eighty-three years old.—*Boston Post.*

—Mrs. W. G. Noah, one of the great actresses of fifty years ago, who played rival engagements with Fanny Kemble, and supported the elder Booth and Forrest, is still living in Rochester, N. Y.—*Rochester Express.*

—Mississippians feel very proud of their State library in the capitol at Jackson. It comprises thirty-eight thousand volumes, which include the legal text-books and reports from all the States in the Union, making a collection which ranks third in completeness in the whole country.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Charles Beach says that he once searched the pockets of Horace Greeley's historic white coat, in which he found more than two hundred business cards, which had been given him from time to time during the many years he had worn the coat. He was not aware that there was a card about his clothes.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—The last signature of Peter Cooper was on a postal card written by his secretary. It was addressed to a gentleman in the West, and stated that Mr. Cooper took pleasure in sending him a copy of his work on the protective tariff. The card lay unnoticed on Mr. Cooper's desk for several days after his death, when it was mailed to the person for whom it was intended.—*N. Y. Mail.*

—A Boston correspondent of the New York *Graphic* writes: "I doubt, too, if there is another city in which women have entered journalism in as large numbers as they have here. There is not a daily paper in the city, and not a weekly of any importance that has not at least one woman, and, in several cases, two or three women on the staff as reporters, editorial writers, critics or special writers."

HUMOROUS.

—Leap-year parties are popular in some sections. At these gatherings the girls yell "mouse!" and the young men jump on chairs and shriek.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A country girl, coming from the field, being told by her poetic cousin that she looked as fresh as a daisy kissed with dew, said: "Well it wasn't any fellow of that name; but it was Steve Jones that kissed me. I told him that every one in town would find it out."—*Chicago Tribune.*

—A poet sings: "Let me die when all is cold and drear." Now is an excellent season for the purpose, and the man who would interpose a single objection should be severely talked to. If a poet wants to die when all is cold and drear—and we are not surprised that he should feel that way—he should be encouraged in his laudable purpose.—*Exchange.*

—Quite unsympathetic: Birdie McHennepin and her brother were at the seashore: "O, see that!" exclaimed Birdie. "See what?" inquired the stoical John. "Why, see that little cloudlet just above the wavelet like a tiny leaflet dancing o'er the scene." "O, come, you had better go out to the pumplet in the backyardlet and soak your little headlet."—*Boston Transcript.*

—A servant girl in New Haven stole her mistress' false teeth. The woman told a policeman that "She sheesh cosh shwenshy shollarsh, anish she shwash wosh shusha wresh ashdo shteesh fawshe sheeth ——" "Wait till I find an interpreter," interrupted the policeman, thinking the woman was a newly arrived Hungarian; but she was an American, and when her teeth were in she could talk the head off him.—*New Haven Register.*

—"Pa," said the daughter of the house to the man of the house the other evening, "What are we going to have for breakfast?" "I have ordered Lyonnaise tripe, my child," was the father's answer. "And where does that come from, pa? Does it come from an animal, or does it grow?" "It is taken from an animal, my dear." "Oh, I know, then"—after a pause to think up her natural history—"then it is taken from lionesses, isn't it, pa?" Pa was weak enough to say "Yes."—*Lowell Citizen.*

—A great, big, burly fellow stepped into the editorial rooms of one of our morning contemporaries yesterday and said: "I want to clean out this office." "Wha—what's the trouble now?" feebly asked the editor-in-chief, turning ghastly pale. "Nothing's the trouble. I will clean out the office and scrub down the stairs for one dollar." Then the editor's face resumed its natural color, and spitting half way across the room, he shouted: "Get out of here, you tramp, or I will spill you head first into the waste basket."—*Philadelphia Call.*

Wanted His License Back.

A gawky boy and a "gangling" girl were married by an Arkansas magistrate the other day, and shortly afterwards the boy reappeared and said: "Squire, gimme back them license." "I have sent them to the County Clerk's office where they properly belong," the Justice replied. "I am mighty sorry, fur I want 'em back." "What's the matter?" "Why, I don't intend to live with that gal. I never seed sich a creetur, Jedge. You see her daddy give her a cow, an' this mornin' when I went to milk the blame thing, she kicked me heels over head. I wouldn'ter minded this, but my wife stood thar an' laughed fit ter kill herself. I thought I was goin' ter settle down in a life of love an' 'lasses an' all that, but the kick o' that cow opened my eyes. The County Clerk ken keep the papers if he wants to, but I wush you'd tell him the next time yer see him that I'll be dad blamed if I'm goin' to live with that gal."—*Arkansas Traveller.*

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ESTATE OF STEVENS MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Tuesday, the 4th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased, is in part at least, a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for hearing the same.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks immediately previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Perley Hills to Edward Bodet, dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 2d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323) principal and interest, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, notice is hereby given that on the eighth day of April, A.D. 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's Opera House (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land and tenements in Lenawee County, Michigan, viz: All that part of the east half of the northwest quarter of section twenty, town six south, range five east, lying north of the center of the Saline River (so called). Also all that part of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp River (so called). All in township six (6) south of range five (5) east.

Dated Deerfield, Jan. 17, A.D., 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS,
Jan24 Executor.

ESTATE OF ELLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present: Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel Haight, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of her last sickness and funeral, and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that he has made advance payments to Charles Stocking, the husband of said deceased, nearly in full of his distributive share of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Noreross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Noreross, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob G. Roberts, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 29th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 16th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February, 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
mar1 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 6th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
mar6 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF LE ROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 5th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Le Roy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, the expenses of his last illness and funeral, and of administration of said estate, and is ready to present to said court his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, the residue of said estate assigned to those entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of March A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered. That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. mar16

ESTATE OF SILAS W. BASS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lucy O. Tefft, a legatee of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Esther Tefft the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered. That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 27, 1884.

PRACTICAL TEMPERANCE.

MR. EDITOR:

The people of Tecumseh need but one thing to make them [illegible] effort to close up the liquor saloons. They are well enough convinced of the evils and dangers of liquor selling. The business is a bad one, and cannot be defended. We are suffering from it. It is leading our young men astray. If every saloon was closed never to be opened again, as a saloon, there would be few to weep unless it might be tears of joy. But are we sure we can close them and keep them closed in the way proposed? It has been understood until recently that the village trustees were compelled by the present law to grant a license to persons who gave good bonds and paid the special tax levied on their business. The Supreme Court of Michigan has it seems decided that they are not so compelled. According to the decision of this court in the East Tawas case and others, village Trustees have it in their power to reject the best of bonds and say to all applicants for permission to open a place for the retail of intoxicating liquors, we withhold our permission. And as they cannot lawfully sell without that permission, they cannot lawfully sell at all. And so we get local prohibition. What better could we ask? If this is the position of affairs and if our citizens want this traffic closed let them say so by signing a petition to the Trustees requesting them to exercise the discretion the Supreme Court has decided that they have, by refusing to accept all bonds of would be liquor sellers that may be presented to them. If they do not wish this traffic closed, let them say so by declining to sign a petition, or by putting their names to a petition that good bonds be accepted. This is a free country. No man can be compelled to do otherwise than as he pleases in such a case as this. But all should understand that a grave responsibility is thrown upon us by the offer of this opportunity to rid ourselves of what is confessed by every one, or every unprejudiced one, to be an evil of the highest magnitude. If the opportunity be what it is said to be, we can hardly have a better chance to protect ourselves from the dominion of the liquor aristocracy. Let us sign a petition to the Council, and leave it with them. If there is any thing wrong in refusing to accept the bonds we do not ask them to do wrong. If it is right they should refuse them let us give them a loud request to refuse. CITIZEN.

THE DIFFERENCE.

The following statistical information appeared in the N. Y. Evening Post, published by Carl Schurz. I think no will charge that it is due to any fanaticism in Mr. Schurz and it may be well for the friends of law and order to ponder it:

Vineland, N. J. is a city of 12,000 souls and no saloons. It has one constable at a cost of $75 per year. The expense of keeping paupers is $400 per year. Total, $475,00.

Yonkers N. Y. is a city of 15,000. It has 145 places licensed to sell liquor, and 70 places where it is sold contrary to law. Its expense for police is $37,000. It has a police judge at a salary of $4,000, a clerk of the police court at a salary of $800. The expense of its paupers is $12,000. Votal $53,800. Allowing for the difference of 3000 in population the cost of maintaining the city of Yonkers is MORE THAN NINETY TIMES as much as that of Vineland. Now let every friend of humanity ponder carefully the above, and then decide the question, once for all, does it pay to perpetuate the liquor traffic. H.

Geo. C. Kober, Esq., Special Examiner of the Pension Bureau, was in town Tuesday on business. He is engaged principally in collecting evidence in rejected and disputed pension claims, a branch of the service to which he is well adapted by long experience. Mr. Kober is ready at a times to give pensioners any information they may wish respecting their claims and interests. His address is Room 3, P. O. Building, Detroit.

This year the office should seek the man. Beware of those who are figuring for nominations for the different township offices this spring. Let the people nominate whom they want.

PERILS OF THE MINE.

Two Men Meet with a Terrible Death in a

POTTSVILLE, PA., March 25.—A terrible mining accident occurred yesterday afternoon at a colliery on the north side slope of the Sharp Mountain. James Kirk, formerly a well-to-do citizen of this place, has been in reduced circumstances for some time past, and to redeem his fortunes commenced work on a vein of coal he found on the mountain. Too poor to employ miners, he and his boys worked the mine alone and had sunk the shaft seventy yards. Forty yards below them was a drift worked by Vincar Fayant, the mouth of which was 300 yards from Kirk's slope. The plan has left in the drift to support the roof as it was first opened were ribbed back. This in ordinary weather would not have affected Kirk's operations, but during the past two weeks copious rains loosened the earth and it commenced sinking. As Kirk was at work in the afternoon a heavy fall occurred in the slope behind him. He called to his sons to run for deep and they returned with Fayant, who realized at a glance his hazardous position, but bravely entered the slope to rescue Kirk. He had almost accomplished this when a boulder weighing half a ton fell on his neck and crushed him. Meanwhile William Lloyd, a miner engaged in dragging out the mangled remains of his employer. The news spread rapidly, and in a few hours a thousand people had flocked to the scene. Everything was done to rescue Kirk, and at seven o'clock his torn and bleeding corpse was hoisted out. In endeavoring to dig out he had pulled down tons of earth and rock on himself. He was a prominent politician and a few years ago was the Republican candidate for Sheriff. He lost his fortune through speculation. He leaves several motherless children. Fayant was thirty years of age. He had a wife and three children. The latter are down with scarlet fever and the widow is prostrate with grief and the shock. Fayant on Saturday predicted Kirk's fate and that of those who went to his rescue. The calamity is the one topic of conversation to-night.

A Reduction in the Price of Mining Causes a Small Strike.

PITTSBURGH, March 25.—There is but one pit on the Monongahela River paying 3½ cents and it was said yesterday that the operators here would make a reduction in a short time. Joseph Walton & Co.'s men in the first pool went out on a strike against the reduction to 3¼ cents, but it is thought they will return to work today, as the out coal as cheap as any other pool along the river. Hays is the only pit paying 3½ cents, and it is said the operators will also make a reduction here in a a few days. As soon as 3¼ becomes the regular price, O'Neal & Co., in the second pool will reduce to three cents as per agreement which they have with their men, in the fourth pool all the mines are at work at 3½. Several operators who were called upon yesterday said there was no increase in the price of coal in the Southern markets. In Cincinnati fourth pool coal sells now at 5¾, first and second pool at 6½ and third pool at 6¾. These prices are about one cent lower than at this time last year.

Murderous Molly Maguires.

PORT RICHMOND, PA., March 25.—A number of notorious outlaws, who are supposed to be in league with the Molly Maguires that find safe refuge in this section, have formed an oath-bound brotherhood, and under the guidance of a blacklisted miner formerly employed in the Monongahela Valley, will visit the disturbed sections of the coal fields of Western Pennsylvania to perpetrate a series of Molly Maguire outrages. Among the banditti are a number of desperate men, who are believed to be fugitive murderers and conspirators, and they will be vigilantly shadowed by members of the detective corps employed by the coal and railroad companies. The chief of the coal and iron police of Clearfield, Washington, Westmoreland and Fayette counties has been privately apprised of the intended visit, and a sharp watch will be kept upon the marauders as soon as they make their advent in these regions.

A Slight Explosion in a Coal Mine at Johnstown, Pa.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., March 25.—There was a slight explosion of fire damp in the mill coal mine of the Cambria Iron Company, at this place, yesterday morning, magnified reports of which have been telegraphed over the country. Three men and a boy was very slightly burned, but none dangerously injured. There had been a small accumulation of gas over Sunday, and when the miners went to work it ignited from coming in contact with the naked lamps. The fan had not yet been put in full motion. The mine is one of the best ventilated in the country and generates but very little gas. The explosion did not damage the mine. Hereafter a watchman will inspect the mine every morning before the miners are permitted to ente.

Fresh Prosecutions at Corning.

NEW LEXINGTON, O., March 25.—Advices from Corning show that the trouble is not over there. John Meyers, commander of the Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, states that he was assaulted, abused and threatened so on Thursday night last by some men indicted for the recent assault on McDevitt that he took refuge in the hall and remained two days without food and then fled to Columbus.

Counterfeit Twenty Dollar Silver Certificates.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The Treasury Department is informed that new counterfeit twenty dollar silver certificates are being circulated in Ohio and Kentucky. The counterfeits bear either the number B1,487,415 or number B1,407 and may be detected in that way.

Floods in Wisconsin.

MILWAUKEE, March 25.—Serious floods are reported from Darlington and Colamine, Dodge County. Pesatonia River has flooded both towns. People have left their homes and railroad communication is stopped.

An Editor Paralyzed.

PROVIDENCE, March 25.—George W. Danielson, editor of the *Journal*, while out driving with his family yesterday afternoon, received a paralytic shock in the right arm and leg.

Hotel Burned.

CARMI, ILL., March 25.—The Boyd Hotel at Grayville and a number of adjoining buildings burned yesterday morning. The loss is not stated.

Epizootic at Dayton.

DAYTON, March 25.—The epizootic prevails here to a remarkable extent and is reported to be worse than ever before.

THE AMERICAN HOG.

Senator Vance's Report on its Restriction

WASHINGTON, March 25.—In the Senate Mr. Vance's minority report from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, submitted yesterday, expresses the opinion that Germany has a right to exclude American hog products on the ground that they are unwholesome if she deems proper, and that this Government is not justified in impeaching her motives. If it be true, continues the report, that our pork is to any extent unwholesome we should endeavor by a system of inspection to remove the cause of the complaint. If it be the fear of trichinosis is only a pretext and that the reason for excluding our hog products is a desire to protect their own producers then we are the last people on earth who ought to complain. After surrounding ourselves for more than twenty years with a protective tariff wall so high as to exclude virtually all products of Germany which compete with ours, it is rather late for us to advocate a retaliation against a Government which merely follows our example. In fact Germany's action is a retaliation, and the cry of stop thief cannot change the true condition of things. We have more to learn. We are not so great and independent as to enable us to defy the laws of political economy and the amenities of trade with impunity. We have been told again and again our true policy was to shut up our manufactories from the competition of the world and that all nations thus excluded would be compelled, nevertheless, to buy our bread stuffs and provisions—that they could not do without them. We are greatly surprised and indignant when one important customer says he can get along without our hog products and forbids their coming in and we propose to retaliate. For what? For simply and frankly forbidding them to be imported. Suppose instead of doing this Germany had imposed a duty of one hundred per cent. on them, which as effectually prohibits their importation, what then? Where would be our so-called retaliation? The undersigned can see no difference whatever in the two methods of prohibition so far as results are concerned, only that one is manly and direct whilst the other is indirect and based on false pretenses. Our great meat industry must indeed be cared for. It with kindred agricultural industries furnishes nearly all our foreign trade and they deserve all Congress can do for them. But this bill does not propose the true way to do it. This way is to remove as far as possible all restrictions upon trade and the enlargement of the market for our farmers products all over the world by liberal treaties and tariff laws.

The Butcher's Association Claim That Western Beef is Doctored With Ether.

NEW YORK, March 24.—The Central Committee of the Butchers' Organization, recently formed for the purpose of effecting a discontinuance of transportation from Chicago and other western cities of dressed cattle, met Saturday night. Speeches were made regarding the matter, and it was maintained that the present time, when warm weather was approaching, was the proper one to begin an earnest effort to stop the traffic complained of. It was insisted, notwithstanding the statements to the contrary, that dressed cattle shipments from the West were "doctored" with ether to prevent speedy decay. It was decided to hold a mass meeting shortly, at which the matter will be ventilated.

The Hot Springs Investigation.

HOT SPRINGS, March 24.—The Congressional Committee closed the investigation of the Government work on Hot Springs Creek Saturday and left for Washington. The allegation of fraud has not been sustained. The preponderance of the testimony shows that the material used was good enough for the purpose. Colonel L. C. How, U. S. E., and Colonel A. A. Fleming, City Engineer, Hot Springs, measured the work and found it a fraction less than estimated, made and collected on by the contractors.

A Presentation to an Architect.

NEW YORK, March 24.—In Brooklyn last night the Very Reverend William Keegan, Vicar General of the Diocese, made a presentation to P. C. Keeley, the well-known architect, of an illuminated address and medal, presented now annually by the University of Notre Dame, of South Bend, Ind., to some literary man, artist or architect who may have become most marked in his special work the previous year. A distinguished company was present at the ceremony.

A Fatal Duel in Mexico.

MATAMORAS, Mexico, March 24.—A duel was fought Friday morning at the Ranche Mexa de Leon, near Huijano, fifty miles south of Matamoras between Juan Diaz, a noted desperado, very dangerous and drunk, and one of the privates in the company of guards commanded by Captain Fernandez. The duel lasted some time, nine shots being fired and both of the principals being killed in the fire.

Redeeming Charred Money.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Thomas Dowling, a quarryman near Menasha, Wis., whose earnings of a lifetime, stored in greenbacks and National bank notes, were nearly destroyed by fire recently, representing $2,690, has been fortunate. The Committee on Charred Money has identified $1,950, and the amount will be redeemed at once. This work has been done by those who were so expert in identifying the money destroyed in the Chicago fire.

Why He Killed His Children.

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 24.—The preliminary investigation near McBean of the killing of five negro children has caused the arrest of the father, Ed Dows. He was trying to raise a crop, and found it difficult to get provisions for his family. He had doubts whether the children were his, and it is suspected killed them to get rid of supporting them.

The Navajos.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 24.—Agent Riordan, of the Navajo Agency in Arizona, who came to this city with a delegation of that tribe, endeavoring to have the boundaries of the reservation extended and defined, has been suddenly called to the agency by a dispatch from the Acting Agent, stating that an outbreak of the Indians is imminent.

A Mine on Fire.

TACOMA, W. T., March 24.—A fire is raging in New Castle Coal Mine, the most valuable of those belonging to the Oregon Improvement Company. The mine has been on fire for eighteen months. The fact that it had obtained mastery over the management had been concealed. It is believed now that it will be necessary to shut down and flood the mine.

The Scott Act in Canada.

OTTAWA, March 24.—Ontario brewers are here again urging that in the bill to amend the Scott act, now before the House an amendment be inserted permitting the sale of beer, porter, lager and light wines in counties that have adopted that act

HEREDITARY TAINTS.

Some Revelations on A Subject Which Concerns the Welfare of the Race and the Happiness of All.

Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

To any one who has studied the laws of life, and especially those which relate to reproduction, an experience such as we are about to relate, will come with special force and interest. The transmission of certain mental traits of prominence, and of certain physical traits of equal prominence, are facts which all acknowledge, but which none can understand. The father may be distinguished, the son an imbecile, or, the parent may be decrepit and unknown, and the child achieve the highest place possible to humanity. But through it all, there will be certain characteristics, which mark the individual as descending from certain ancestors. Too often indeed, these characteristics are infirmities, and often of a physical nature.

These facts were strikingly brought out during a conversation, which a representative of this paper recently had with Mrs. Carrie D. T. Swift, who is the wife of one of our most prominent citizens. This lady related that she inherited from her parents certain tendencies, over which she had no control, and which were in the nature of blood difficulties, assuming the form of rheumatism. Her experience can best be described in her own words. To the writer she said:

"I felt the beginning of this hereditary taint many years ago, in vague pains, which seemed to come unaccountably and at uncalled for times. They were annoying, exhausting, and interfered not only with my duties, but also totally destroyed my happiness. At first, they would be only transient, appearing for a day or two and then disappearing; then again they would come in such violent forms, that it was impossible for me to lift a cup to my mouth. Afterwards, my feet and hands swelled so that it was impossible for me to draw on my shoes or gloves without the greatest effort. I realized what the difficulty was, but seemed powerless to avert it. I finally became so bad that I was confined to the house and to my bed most of the time. My joints pained me continuously and my feet swelled to enormous proportions. Knowing that I inherited this tendency, I had about abandoned hope, when I began the use of a remedy, which was recommended to me as a friend as being specially efficient in cases of a similar kind. To my great gratitude, I found that it relieved me, restored my appetite, and I am able to say that now I have gained forty pounds in weight, feel perfectly well and am in the best possible condition, owing, wholly, to Warner's Safe Rheumatic cure, which was the remedy I used."

"No one would ever suspect you had suffered so, Mrs. Swift, to see you now," remarked the reporter.

"That is what all my friends say. Only yesterday, an acquaintance of mine, whom I had not seen for some time, hesitated, before speaking, and apologized by saying, 'Why, I really did not know you, you have changed so for the better since I last met you, how well you do look.'"

"Have you any objection to giving the name of the party who first mentioned this remedy to you?"

"Not the slightest. It was Mr. R. H. Furman, the photographer."

The newspaper man, after bidding Mrs. Swift good-bye, repaired to the photographic rooms of Mr. Furman, when the following conversation ensued:

"Have you been a sufferer from rheumatism?"

"Well, I should think I had."

"For how many years?"

"Twelve or fifteen."

"Did you try to cure it?"

"Yes, I tried everything, and at last, went to the Hot Springs of Arkansas, and nothing seemed to do me any good until I tried Warner's Safe Rheumatic Cure."

"And it cured you, did it?"

"Yes, completely."

"And you can cordially recommend it?"

"Yes, indeed, more cordially than anything I have ever known of. It is simply a wonderful medicine. I believe that two-thirds of all cases, both acute and chronic, could be cured as I was cured by the use of this remedy. In fact I know a number of persons who have been in the worst possible condition, and are now completely well wholly through its use."

The statements above made are from sources, the authority of which cannot be questioned. They conclusively prove the value of the preparation named and show that even hereditary traits can be removed by the use of the proper means.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.

The April number is more interesting than usual, and is replete with instruction and entertainment. The embellishments are admirable—the colored frontispiece, "The Approach of a Storm," is particularly so. The opening article, "How Uniform Standard Time Came About, abounds with information, and is profusely illustrated. There are also illustrated articles by Walter E. McCann, E. A. Duyckinck, Chas. Von Sas, N. Robinson, Prof. Barrett T. N. Seymour, etc. Etta W. Pierce continues her great serial, "A Dark Deed," and there are short stories, sketches, etc., by John Habberton, W. H. McCann, K. V. Hastings, Henlen W. Pierson and other popular writers. There are poems by Sidney Gray, Jos. B. Dalton, S. Waddington, etc., and a large variety of articles, paragraphs, anecdotes, etc. There are 128 quarto pages and over 100 illustrations in each number, and the price is only 25 cents, or $2.50 per year, postpaid. Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 & 57 Park Place, New York.

Mrs. Richardson, a soldier's widow, of Adrian, went as a witness to Washington, and had the satisfaction of seeing a swindling pension agent, named G. P. Austin, sent up for nine months. Austin had been a clerk in the pension department and "knew the ropes," and was attempting to swindle Mrs. R. by false pretences.

The canvass for raising funds for the new railroad is being rapidly pushed in Hudson.

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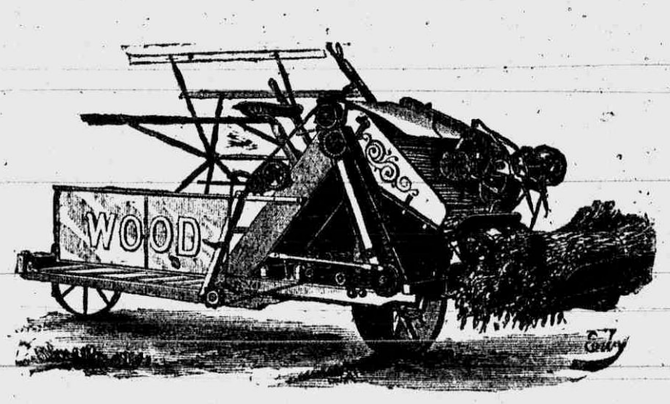

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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J. L. SIGMAN.

FOR SALE.—Two houses and lots on Pottawatamie street (west), very cheap if sold within the next thirty days. Apply to Marshall C. Taylor on the premises.
TECUMSEH, March 24, 1884.

NOTICE.—My wife Sarah, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.
TECUMSEH, March 25, 1884.
WALTER LOCKWOOD.

DRESSMAKING.—I will work at dressmaking or other fine sewing in private families. Leave orders at the Exchange Hotel, Tecumseh.
SARAH TOTTEN.

FOR SALE.—New lumber wagon, one of my make, for sale cheap.
L. B. RICHARD.

SMALL FRUIT PLANTS FOR SALE. Grape vines 10c each. Strawberry, Raspberry, Blackberry and other small fruit plants for sale.
F. D. HILLMAN.

ROOMS WANTED.—Wanted to rent, two rooms on ground floor. Enquire at
HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—One good work horse, weight 1350 lbs., 2 yrs. old, price $100; also one bay mare 6 years old, sound and kind, weight 1150 lbs., price $160. Residence 3 miles north-west of Tecumseh village.
J. F. N. BOWEN.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Jackson, for sale at a bargain if sold soon. For particulars enquire of
J. W. COLE.
Also a good house and lot for sale.

TYPE WRITER.—As good as new, for sale cheap. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

SEED CORN.—Seed corn for sale. Enquire of
E. C. CORYELL.

LOST.—One note given by me to Samuel Jackson for two hundred dollars. The same has been paid. Finder will please return said note to
H. E. WILSON.
HOLLOWAY, Mich, March 19, 1884.

WANTED.—A house and lot in Tecumseh worth from four to five hundred dollars. Will pay cash. Call on
WM. HAYDEN.
O. P. BILLS.

COAL ASHES REMOVED.—Parties wishing to have coal ashes or other rubbish removed, can have the same promptly done by leaving orders at the HERALD OFFICE.

BLASTING—STONE AND STUMP.—Elijah Wilson holds himself in readiness to blast stumps and stones at all times. Leave orders at Whitenack, Bordine & Co's, or at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros'.

FOR SALE.—The Hiram Adams house and lot in Brownville. Call on David Van Tine or Mrs. Adams on the premises.

TO RENT.—A suit of four rooms for small family.
Wm. BRESIE.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE. This farm is about 4 miles west of Tecumseh, comprising about 80 acres, is now offered for sale. Any persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and call upon
E. B. WOOD, Agent.

FOR SALE.—A farm of 56 acres, situated one mile north of Tecumseh, formerly owned by Wm. Bresie. Will be sold at a bargain if taken before the first of April. Good buildings, abundance of fruit and altogether a very desirable location. For particulars enquire on the premises or at the HERALD OFFICE.

ALL PURCHASERS OF

DEERING BINDERS

In vicinity of Tecumseh, can have them adjusted and put in order for harvest of 1884 free of charge, by leaving word with Messrs. Slayton & Son, before April 15, where they will find a full and complete stock of repairs and Deering twine.
JESSE L. BERCH, General Agent.

TO BE LET.—A desirable family residence, known as the T. R. Lovett property, pleasantly situated on the corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets. Possession April 1st, 1884. For further particulars enquire of
CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Malden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to
B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address
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NOTICE.—We have left our books of accounts with Charles Burridge of this village for settlement of accounts due us. Those indebted to us are hereby requested to call at his office and pay such indebtedness to him.
D. B. ANTHONY & CO.
February 20, 1884.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Stacy Brothers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, the junior partner having sold his entire rights in the HERALD office property and business to S. C. Stacy, who assumes the obligations of the late firm, and to whom all back subscriptions and other accounts are to be paid.
S. C. STACY.
TECUMSEH, March 6, 1884. G. N. STACY.

Having assumed the entire ownership and control of THE TECUMSEH HERALD, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the business patronage and favors bestowed on late firm, pledging myself to use my best endeavors to merit the same, and hoping to continue friendly business relations with all my patrons.
S. C. STACY.

The following new rule is announced by the Michigan Supreme Court, to stand as chancery rule 123:

In any case in equity where a defendant shall claim from the complainant any relief which, according to the established course and practice of courts of chancery, might be had by cross-bill, such defendant shall be at liberty by answer to present the facts upon which his equity rests, and to claim by such answer the benefit of a cross-bill, and the court shall have power to give relief upon such answer to the same extent that it might have given it had the cross-bill been filed. But if the cause be such that, if a cross-bill had been filed, the practice of the court would have required it to be sworn to, the answer claiming such relief shall be under oath, notwithstanding an oath thereto may be waived by the bill.

Peterson's Magazine for April is of sterling merit, even more so than usual. It opens with a charming steel engraving. "The Little Gleaner." Then comes a double sized, colored, steel fashion plate; four patterns for D'Oyleys, embroidered, printed in colors; and quite half a hundred wood engravings of fashions, designs for work-table, etc., etc. The stories as usual, are the best of their kind. They lead off with "The Utterly Utter Boston Browns," illustrated; that is full of racy wit. "Peterson," in short, gets better and better. The price is still only two dollars a year. To clubs it is astonishingly low, viz: four copies for six dollars and a half, with an extra copy to the person getting up the club. Or five copies for eight dollars, with both an extra copy and "Tired Out," a splendid steel-engraving, or "The Golden Gift," illustrated, for getting up the club. Specimens are sent, gratis to persons wishing to get up clubs. It is not too late to subscribe for 1884. Address Chas. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 27, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Kies Bros'. have a new card in this week's paper.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in town a day or two last week.

Isaac Magoun, formely of Bridgewater, is the guest of O. Sanford this week.

Daniel Ash, of Grand Rapids, spent a few days visiting friends here this week.

Lavern Ide was home on a flying visit yesterday and gave the HERALD a call.

The old reliable clothing firm of Strong & McNair swing out a new ad. to-day.

Send in your orders for election tickets early and avoid the rush on Saturday.

The Blissfield Common Council have passed a resolution to quarantine a house in Rigas.

We have an interesting letter in this week's issue which Wm. Hayden received from his brother, that will repay a careful perusal.

Among the graduates of the law department at the University this week are Fred B. Wood of this village and Geo. W. Ayres of Adrian.

The Republicans of Macon will hold a caucus at the Mills' school house, Dist. No. 2, on Friday, April 4, at 2 P. M., for the purpose of nominating township officers.

The Democratic and Greenback electors of Raisin will hold a Union caucus at the Town House on Friday, April 4th, at 2 P. M., to nominate candidates for town officers.

Candidates for township offices will please bear in mind that we are in receipt of a fresh stock of gun red paper for "pasters." Slips printed cheaply, accurately and on very short notice.

Lon Chapman has carried the mail to and from the Lake Shore depot since July, 1870, nearly fourteen years. He has now secured the routes to both depots and will continue the service which he has performed so efficiently since 1870.

J. B. Swan is still in Florida superintending his orange plantation. He calls it "Ceylon Orange Grove and Nurseries." His post office address is Sanford, Fla. He will probably remain there untill about the first of May, and possibly longer.

Yesterday was the anniversary of Frank Davidson's marriage. If he and his worthy wife travel together three years longer, he will be prepared to celebrate his silver wedding. May this event come to pass and may we be there to help celebrate.

All members of the Tecumseh Base Ball Association are requested to meet at Wm. DeMott's office next Monday evening, March 31, to elect officers for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting. A. M. STRYENS, Sec.

Charles T. Hewitt, of Toledo, is spending a day or two in town. He has taken a respite from business since December last, having closed his engagement with Messenger at that time. Since then he has taken a western trip, and is now on the look out for a new business location.

The Prohibitionists under the name of "Union" will put a ticket in the field in every township of Lenawee County. They are greatly elated at the prospects. The first town to put a ticket in the field is Palmyra, where the Union folks have a full ticket headed by W. H. Moore, the present Supervisor.

M. P. Brown has a very attractive sign painted on the east wall of his photograph building. Every person coming west on Chicago street sees that sign the first thing and the first word he says is, "Who did it?" Well, Daglish did it, the man who gets up most of the nobby signs in this town.

Last week Mrs. Alex. Robertson, of Adrian, was called to Riga to aid in caring for children of her brother's family, who were suffering from scarlet fever. She was taken ill of the same disease and her death occured Saturday. Her husband, who is a railroad postal clerk, is said to be completely deranged. The lady was held in very high esteem.

Judge Stacy has rented his farm to Henry Brown for a term of years on shares, who has already taken possession. The Judge is now moving his family to Tecumseh and will take up his residence once more beneath the roof of the old homestead which sheltered him so many years. His friends and neighbors will gladly welcome him back. His law office will remain in Adrian.

A burglar made his way into Dick Diver's house, at Deerfield, the other night. He realized a dollar out of an examination of Dick's pantaloons pockets, when Mrs. Diver awoke.—She aroused Dick, and to make his escape it became necessary for the burglar to stand the proprietor of the house on his head in the corner.—This he accomplished after a struggle and vanished.

Muddy roads.

The University calendar is out for [illegible] 85.

Steel rails are to be laid on the Toledo & Ann Arbor road.

Town meeting occurs one week from next Monday, April 7.

The Clinton band boys give an entertainment to-morrow evening.

Wolc. Marsh's little boy fell and broke one of his fingers the other day.

The Board of Supervisors commenced its March session on Monday afternoon.

Ab. Usborne has commenced work on his new building east of the HERALD office.

Horse bills printed with new cuts and borders, at low prices, at HERALD office.

Freight shipments over the M. and O. road at this point are increasing every week.

The residence of J. S. Kies, of Clinton, narrowly escaped destruction by fire one day last week.

A brass band has been formed at Blissfield, and the citizens are encouraging the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Whitney, of Adrian, arrived home last Saturday from their California trip.

George Merritt and Billy Arnold have each purchased new safes of the best make. They are beauties.

The Raisin Republican Caucus will be held at the Town house, in Raisin, Thursday, April 3d, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Union temperance meeting at the M. E. Church last Sunday evening was largely attended and much enthusiasm was manifested.

Mrs. Ell. Hand, of Deerfield, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Munro, of Beloit, Wis., spent Sunday and Monday with friends in our village.

Remember that the admission to Prof. Reynolds' mesmeric entertainment next Wednesday evening has been fixed at the low price of 25 and 35 cts.

Spring elections will soon be here and they have additional interest on account of the fall elections, indicating as they may in some degree, the strength of the political parties.

The ladies of the Methodist church netted $43.15 at their old fashioned New England Supper on Wednesday evening. They wish to thank the buplic for their liberal patronage.

There is likely to be "some fun" at the coming township election, as three tickets will be in the field. The Union party intends to sail in and try its hand in the spring campaign.

The Michigan & Ohio company have began proceedings at Toledo against the Pennsylvania road to secure crossing facilities in East Toledo. The Ohio Central joins with the Michigan & Ohio.

Mr. Whittemore, of Chicago, spent last Sabbath with his brother-in-law, J. H. Osborn, of Tecumseh. Mr. W. lived in Tecumseh when a young man and attended school in the old Court House building.

Reserved seats for Prof. Reynolds entertainment will be on sale at Keil's jewelry store Monday morning at the low price of 50 cents. General admission to the opera house Wednesday evening 25 and 35 cents.

We were afraid the bright weather would have a strong tendency to incubate spring poetry, so we have bought a new waste basket about the size of a coal bin. It is only half full at present but promises to fill up.

The M. & O. railroad have made arrangements with the Wabash road by which a freight car from Detroit is run over their line each day, giving the towns on the first named road the benefit of a daily freight from Detroit.

There will be a public meeting at Macon Grange Hall for a general discussion of the Tariff question, on Friday, April 4th, at 7:30 P. M. Geo. Howell, A. Easlick, R. R. Hall, I. C. Mills and others are expected to do the talking.

Michigan University has students from 36 States and Territories, and from abroad as follows: England 3, two each from the Hiwaian Islands, Japan, Manitoba, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, while Costa Rica sends one.

There was a man in our town who thought himself wondrous wise, he swore by all the fabled gods he'd never advertise. His goods were advertised ere long, and thereby hangs a tale—the ad. was set in nonpareil and headed "Sheriff's Sale."

During the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nash of Adrian, Saturday evening, at the skating rink, burglars entered the house, stole a large amount of jewelry and some $6 or $7 of the funds of the Ladies' Library Association, which she had in her possession.

Dr. Furgeson recently of Coldwater, the gentleman who has bought Patterson's drug store, is now fairly settled in his new quarters and is well pleased with the outlook thus far.—As he designs to become a permanent resident of the place he should receive and doubtless will receive a liberal share of the public patronage in his line of trade.

LETTER FROM CALIFORNIA.

OAKLAND, March 1st, 1884.

You see I struck California just in that freshet when everything was soaked with water, and still pouring. It continued to rain for three days after I arrived, and the consequence was I took a severe cold which has lasted me ever since.

I left here for Los Angeles ten days ago, ran into the mountains and found a tunnel fallen in, and some of the track covered with forty feet of earth that slid from the mountain side, and the rest of the track torn up for miles, so you see I [illegible] trains, all in the same fix, and some of them had been there for two days so you see I did not lack for companionship. They did not at first know the extent of the damage and kept the passengers there in hopes to go on in a few days, but the day we got in they made up their minds to order a retreat, so we backed up to a little town on the plains, called Sumner. Some of us occupied the cars and some the only hotel in the place, and a good many more the saloons. There were about four hundred passengers added to the population of the town and you can readily see that we soon made pressing demands on the culinary demands of the place. In a word we ate them clean out by noon the first day, but I must do them justice by acknowledging that we did not drink them out. At this very interesting state of affairs the superintendent of the road, located at this place, very magnanimously came forward and offered to pay our board so long as we were detained at this interesting place. Well, you can imagine the enthusiasm with which this very generous offer was accepted. We cheered this worthy representative of a still more worthy corporation, and all sallied out to do justice to ourselves for once at any rate in partaking of a good square meal. But then a change came o'er the spirit of our dreams, (like the old Lady of Cranberry Cross) when we got there the cupboard was bare, and not a cracker in the house, nor for that matter, in the town. I for one took a good, hearty laugh. I could afford to for I had a well-filled lunch basket. But there was one thing that began to dawn on the minds of some of them, the matter of drink was very thoughtlessly omitted from the order. Well, seeing there was nothing to eat, and everything to drink, we all embraced the situation, or pretty much all I think, for a happier set of men I never saw as long as the whiskey lasted, and I think it lasted till we left, which was that night at twelve o'clock. The passengers all came back to San Francisco but myself. I stopped at Tulare City on the Tulare plains in San Joaquin valley.

The consequence is I have not heard a word from home yet, as my letters are all at Los Angeles, and I think now I will take a boat from here in a few days and go down. I have to pay my fare over again, but I can not help that as I want to hear from home. By the way, I forgot to mention that I returned to Oakland on the 29th, and I am staying here for the present. Tulare is the finest County of land I ever saw or expect to see again. Tulare City contains about 2500 inhabitants, mostly live men, and all very much interested in the improvements of the town. I stayed here for over a week and rode in all directions from the town. I had supposed we had some of the finest farming land in the whole nation and have been just a little vain about it, but when I came to ride over this County I have to acknowledge that we are nowhere. The land for miles on miles is as level as a floor, and I think I never saw such soil in any country; it is dark, rich marl and from six to eight feet in depth. The timber is all white oak of immense size, from three to four and a half feet through at the ground with a body only about ten or twelve feet high, and then branches out in all directions and will cover about four rods square. The limbs curve and the joints hang down some like a weeping willow. They have much the appearance of a burr oak, and are about as high and contain a power of wood of very good quality, but of very little value for posts or rails. This timber covers part of this land, but there are sections where a tree does not grow. The trees are so few that they do not interfere in the least with cultivating the land. Then to think that this land has laid here for years on years, valued at $1.25 to $4 per acre and no buyers.

Finally one year ago, some parties here in Tulare made up a purse and sunk an artesian well 450 feet deep and struck water which rises ten feet above the surface, and then the boom set in and now there are within ten miles square, fifteen wells, each one capable of irrigating 160 acres of land. The pipes of these wells are eight inches and throw a stream night and day. Now this land is selling from $25 to $30 per acre with a rush. If I had a few thousand dollars I would certainly leave it here. Not a bush or sapling is there in the whole county.

A settler drives onto his land, unloads under a tree, hitches his team to a gang-plow and by the first night has two acres plowed, and in a month it looks like an old farm; the ground breaks up so mellow that the first crop is about as good as any. But the rage is fruit. Trees of all kinds will bear heavily the third year; and such grapes. Well there is no use of my trying to describe it any further, the more I say the further I get from it. But I am completely enchanted with the place. Respectfully,

J. B. COLVIN.

ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

HOTEL WEST END,
SAN REMO, Italy, Feb. 25, 84.

BROTHER WILLIAM:—Leaving Paris on the 28th of Dec., on to Lyons making [illegible] three days, and then on to Marsailles on the Mediteranean, where New Years day overtook us. Among the very enthusiastic Holiday keeping Frenchmen, of course they had lots of good cheer with and without music. Here we remained four days, visiting various points of interest, churches, &c. Leaving we came along east, the shores of the sea on our right, and the Maratined Alps on our left. Halting at Nice, where we remained two weeks and had a most delightful time. Our hotel Continental facing the sea, only a beautiful garden and very ample promenades lay between them. The garden, most exquisite, stocked with a full assortment of tropical plants and flowers, stately palms etc. The sight and sweet murmur of the sea is most delightful and refreshing with the full bright sun of Italy, so genial and warm. Really quite a contrast to our stay in cloudy, rainy England and the chill and varying climate of an early Parisian winter. Close to on our rear the spurs of the Alps reaching down to the sea level, with its pretty valleys deeply cut and their sloping sides thickly clothed with tropical verdure and ripening oranges, lemons and olives. The town is large and well filled with guests from the various countries, English, German French and Americans in abundance to find a delightful retreat from the inclement season. Our hotel was well stocked with Americans from various States, and very pleasant people.

Our next move was still on some twelve miles to Mentone, along the sea and similarly situated, except that the mountains there have a greater height and afforded us splendid donkey rides. At various points zig zag along up their steep heights to a town named Ventumelia, another Castalar high up in these mountains, quaint old Italian villages. On to Genoa, built by the French and the section we came on was full of interest. Passing on the way Monaco and Monte Carlo, the last a famous fashionable gambling resort, and at this time it is in full blast and its product is almost a weekly suicide. Fortunes change here rapidly and frequently. We visited one at two different times. I can scarcely describe its great magnificence. A most elaborate palace, finished in marble and furnished with dazzling mirrors and chandaliers, and the richest furniture and crowded with infatuated gamblers, some nine large tables; men and many women eagerly putting down the cash to see what the little joker will decide; piles of gold, silver and stacks of notes are changing hands. The clang of most splendid music at the same time is performed in the saloons, and the ample grounds surrounding this jugernaut of fortune are embellished on the same scale of magnificence. Fountains, miniature lakes, plants and foliage, and all that art can give to attract and flutter in their victims. This is the only remaining open gambling Hell now in Europe, and public sentiment is crying out against it, but so far they hold open, as this little spot of earth is in the principality of Monaco; its area is so small a quaker hat would at least cover part of its domain, a little patch by the sea, and French territory on each side.

From Mentone we came on last week to Bordighere where we made a half of two days. This is also in many respects like the last, only the mountains tame down and are not so bold. This too is fully stacked with people from abroad. To-day we were out on a drive to a quaint old town called Taggid, some five miles, situated in a valley the nativity of a celebrated Italian writer, Dr. Ruffine. This is also a very pleasant place, only twenty miles from Mentone.

I have still some family work to close out in England, and quite hope to place W. Hayden of 1630 in his proper place on record. I have a late clue that I hope will give something positive. I shall bring home very much matter to show that our ancestors held a very trusted and foremost place among our early English cousins. So with our explorations generally. We hope to use our time and talents that good to others, as well as gratification on our part, shall result. We have studied our route, Pompei, etc., pretty thoroughly and are quite ready to look in upon them.

I beg you will excuse the long gaps between our letters, as we have our journals to write in, and after our day's ramble take a needed share of rest, so as to put us in trim; to consult our guide books and study out language so as to be understood, all takes time.

LEVI HAYDEN.

Adrian Record: The genial foreman of the Union Light being invited to a wedding in Raisin, engaged one of Sickles' good rigs, loaded in his best girl and took in the wedding and the feast. Numerous guests were present and many remained till a late hour, our temperance foreman being one of the late birds. But when he attempted to "hitch up," he made the discovery that another guest, possibly full of the marriage wine, had exchanged buggies and driven off, our friend was therefore obliged to do the best he could and so hitched his horse to tother fellow's carriage and arrived safely home. He turned the rig over to Sickles, who looked the vehicle over and declared himself well satisfied, still [illegible] laying lovely when a telephone message arrived from Tecumseh. It seems that the Tecumseh liveryman wasn't satisfied with the trade his customer had made and demanded restitution or—blood. At last account the Tecumseh weddinger had started for Adrian to get back his buggy. This is the way the Light man tells it. We have to believe it, for is he not a temperance foreman?

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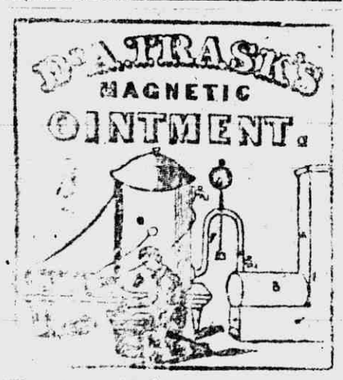

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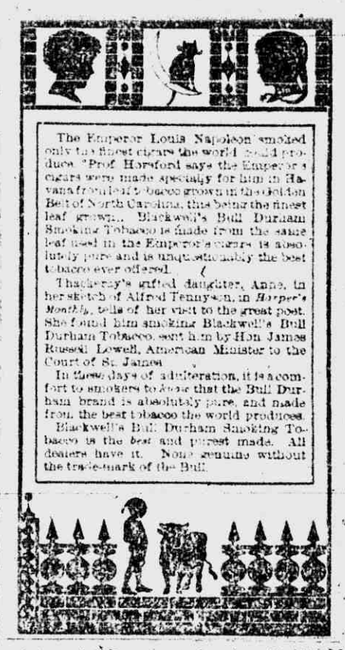

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—There are in Iowa four Methodist Conferences, more than five hundred pastors and over 80,000 members.

—An Indian student at a school in Huntsville, Tex., was recently expelled for packing his clothes in a trunk on Sunday.—*Chicago Times.*

—Of the 2,616,879 pupils at elementary schools in Japan only 764,591 are girls. At the high schools there are only 204 female pupils out of 12,313.

The Brooklyn City Bible Society was organized forty-three years ago. It distributes Bibles in Brooklyn at the rate of 3,000 a year, at an average annual cost of $3 many dollars.

A Scotch clergyman at Ayr, a few days ago, prayed: "O Lord, bless the Church, and the United Presbyterian Church and all the other churches, thou knowest the various nicknames, Lord, by which they are called—bless them all!"—*N. Y. Herald.*

—Henry Ward Beecher said recently: "All the assaults made upon religion have in the end exalted it, purified it, made it more practical," and "that statistics showed that the best men and best citizens are children of devout members of the church."

—Prof. E. J. James, while on a visit to Germany, last summer, asked the professors of twelve German universities: "Do you think that too many young men are studying at the universities?" Almost uniformly the answer was: "There is no doubt of it." "Germany," said one of the professors, "is fostering the growth of a class of professionally educated men for whom there is no room in the professions and who are too proud to go into business of any sort. Result—poverty or suicide."

—People are beginning to ask themselves whether the millions they annually give for public education, a sum which is all the time increasing, are so expended that they produce the best results; and the question is becoming a leading one in other cities besides New York. The conclusions reached are everywhere substantially the same. They are that in trying to do too much we are marring the effect of the whole; and that we should produce better results at much less expense if the instruction given by the State was rudimentary only, but thorough so far as it goes.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—When the late Professor Sophocles was a proctor in Holworthy Hall, Harvard, [illegible] calling up to bed, fell against his door, and upon being interviewed was anything but respectful in his language. Next morning, awakening with remorseful stomach and an aching head, the offender felt it to be the part of discretion to go to the proctor and apologize. He had not proceeded far in his halting explanation, however, before the other interrupted him with the words: "Not yourself, sir? You were drunk, sir! drunk! But you were so drunk as to be curious, and therefore I shall not report you."—*Boston Post.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Some of the mummies in the British Museum have false teeth on gold plates.

—Mrs. Strong was the first cotton-raiser in California, and last year she produced 150 bales.—*San Francisco Call.*

—The late Dr. Wood is said to have once condensed a half column poem into two lines:

"Do you love me?" "No."
"Then I go."

—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—A woman in Georgia wants a divorce because her husband refused to let her know the combination of his safe. For the sake of keeping peace in the family a man should let his wife know the combination of his safe—and keep all his money in bank.—*Exchange.*

—A young man who had been going with a Vermont girl for some time, and had made her several presents, asked her one day if she would accept a puppy. He was awful mad when she replied that her mother had told her it he proposed to her to say no.—*Boston Post.*

—I has allus heard it said dat if yer'll arnly stick ter yer business yer's boun' ter win, but dis ain't true in chery case. When yer tries ter keep a oie goose from settin' yer may take de aigs er way an' stroy de nes, but de goose keeps on er settin' jes ax close ter der nes ashe kan get. Dis shows mighty fine 'termination but mighty po' sense.—*Uncle Remus.*

—An individual applies to the cab company for a situation. "Do you know how to drive?" "Yes, sir." "You know that you must be polite with all your passengers?" "Ah!" "And honest? For example, what would you do if you should find in your cab a pocket book containing $10,000?" "Nothing at all. I should live on my income."—*N. Y. Independent.*

—Cruel—Effie (to Mrs. Belweather, who has just been speaking of Mr. B.): "Why, Mrs. Belweather, I thought you hadn't any husband." Mrs. B.: "Why, of course I have, Effie. Do you mean to say that you don't know Mr. Belweather?" Effie: "Yes, but I didn't suppose he was your husband. I thought you hadn't any. Papa said you married for money, and that was all you got."—*Boston Herald.*

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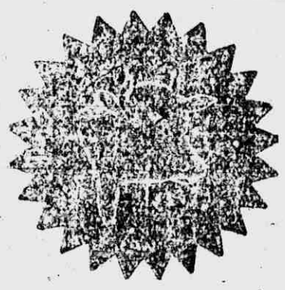

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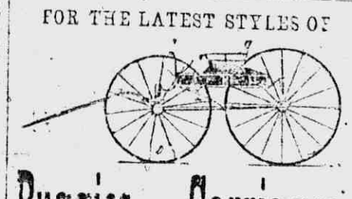

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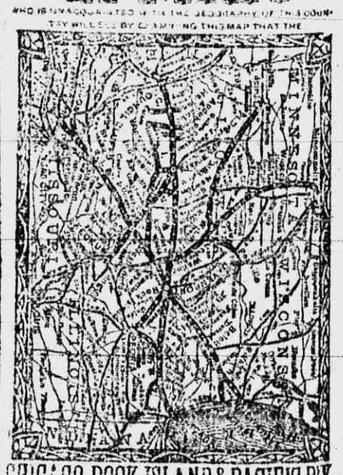

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Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 50 "	3 00 "	2 30 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 18 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 25 "	4 42 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 05 "
Petroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	2 02 "	9 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 14.	No. 18.	No. 48.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 31 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
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GOING WEST. Express.	Mail.	Accom.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
6 15	7 00	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	3 05	10 05	7 45
6 45	6 03	11 02	...Dundee...	2 05	9 04	6 03
6 58	6 27	11 25	...Britton...	1 58	8 41	5 06
7 07	6 31	11 29	...Ridgeway...	1 53	8 37	4 57
7 26	6 44	11 39	...Tecumseh...	1 23	8 27	4 38
7 35	6 55	11 55	...Clinton...	1 06	8 11	4 08
7 50	7 10	12 08	...Cambridge...	12 50	7 58	3 42
		P.M.				
8 22	7 38	12 30	...Addison...	12 30	7 35	3 00
				P.M.		
9 06	7 50	2 51	...Jerome...	12 07	7 18	2 27
9 20	7 57	1 01	...Moscow...	11 56	7 11	2 13
9 35	8 07	1 12	...Hanover...	11 35	7 00	1 18
P.M.						
1 06	8 18	1 23	...Pulaski...	11 35	6 49	1 23
						P.M.
12 00	8 40	1 36	...Homer...	11 10	6 27	12 39
11 42	9 00	2 14	...Marshall...	10 39	5 58	11 26
11 06	9 22	2 38	...Ceresco...	10 25	5 45	11 12
10 40	9 40	2 50	Battle Creek...	10 00	5 25	10 29
10 20	"	3 15	...Augusta...	9 35		9 38
10 02	"	3 32	...Yorkville...	9 27		9 08
9 00	"	4 29	...Richland...	9 19		8 35
8 32	"	4 44	...Monteith...	8 40		7 13
8 20	"	4 24	...Fisk...	8 30		7 03
8 01	"	4 30	...Kellogg...	8 23		7 13
P.M.		P.M.		A.M.		A.M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 01	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley		12 48	6 39
Butler	1 13	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	35.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P.M.	A.M.	
Butler	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 52	
Adrian	4 50	10 07	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 32	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 44	11 18	
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

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GOING NORTH. No. 2. Express.	No. 4. Accom.	No. 6. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
5 31	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 35
5 42	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 20	1 39	4 48
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A Legend of Niagara.

A great want has just been filled. Legends about the Niagara Falls have been so scarce that it will be a great relief to many to know that a new one has been discovered. Not exactly new, either, for it is written on old parchment, and must have been lying where it was found for many years, but, as it has just recently been discovered, it is to the present generation new. While shoveling snow from the steps of the Cataract House just after the recent heavy fall the above-referred-to parchment was found. The following is a free translation of its contents. John Bustle Attaway, who dearly loved a handsome young lady in Buffalo, determined to take his darling to the Falls for a trip. Now, John, like many other Buffalo young men, didn't know much about the outside world and had never been warned to avoid the Niagara Falls hackmen. It was with a light heart that he stepped from the train on that bright May morning, and with Angelina Thompson hanging gracefully on his arm, started gaily for the great cataract, little dreaming of the terrible fate that awaited him and that was destined to bring to so glorious a close a day which seemed to have dawned the brightest of all the days of the year. The couple had gone but a few steps when they were accosted by a hackman, who said:

"Have a hack, sir?"

"No."

"Better take a hack. This is one of the finest, and I'll drive you to all the points of interest."

"No; we will walk."

"Why? Do you mean to say that you're going to make that young lady foot it over those rough streets? If I had as handsome a lady as you have I wouldn't be so penurious as to make her tramp around here and have sore feet for a week."

Now John, as was formerly hinted, had some knowledge of the manly art and the remark about penuriousness grated on his finer feelings. Angelina said

"Oh, never mind him, John."

But John's blood was up. So he put up his hands and gave the impudent hackman one in the neck. In an instant they were surrounded. All the hackmen. Angelina screamed, and that made John nervous, and he could not attend to his counters and guards. The only faint made was by Angelina, and the blows from whips, fists and other missiles that rained on John from all sides made him retreat in dismay. And this, the day that opened so brightly, closed darkly, particularly in the region of John Jackson's eyes. But as he washed the blood from his face and tied Angelina's handkerchief around his throbbing temples, he was heard to mutter: "I will be revenged!"

Several weeks had passed. The cataract was still doing business at the old stand, and waving on high its glorious plume of white spray. The hackmen were also at the old stand. The battle with the young Buffalo man had ceased to be a topic among them, and in the wild rush for worldly gain they had almost forgotten the face of Jackson. A wild shriek pierces the morning air, and the train from Buffalo, with clanging bell and hissing steam, brings up at the depot. John Jackson walks from the train. At his side is a person in female attire, but the person has not the handsome form and smiling face of Angelina. The hackmen, in the aforesaid rush for worldly gain, do not recognize the man.

"Have a hack, sir?"

"No."

"Better take a hack. It's fifteen miles to the Falls."

"No; we will walk."

"Oh, you're a pretty fellow to make that young girl trudge around—"

That was as far as he got. Jack's arm shot straightened. His fist had come in contact with the nose of the speaker. The noble form of the hackman was groveling in the dust. It was at this period that the conduct of the person in female attire became noticeable. There was no scream, and nobody swooned, while the attitude assumed was not a usual one for a lady. The hat dropped forward until it nearly touched the nose, while the fists very large ones for a lady were tightly clenched and the elbows were drawn back, in a Pat Rooney style, which plainly showed that their owner would put up with no nonsense. The other hackmen rushed to the rescue of their fallen companion, but the first to arrive received such a stinging blow from John's companion that he retired in dismay. The second was similarly dealt with, and he also took a back seat. In the meantime John was not idle. He kicked, thumped and otherwise maltreated his antagonist until he felt that the dishonor heaped upon him during his previous visit had been wiped out. Then his companion took his arm, and, looking up into his face with a sweet, seaside-musing smile, said: "Did you see me get away with that red-nosed coon what tried to interfere?" The loving couple went immediately to a hotel, and shortly after they had disappeared through the doorway two young men came out. One of them was John, while the other was a stranger, and carried a small bundle. The woman has never since been seen alive. *Detroit Free Press.*

—Mr. Anthony Rouse, of Chicago, advertised for a wife, setting forth as inducements, a manly form and good bank account. Mrs. Hanson, a blooming widow, claimed the prize and got it. Soon after marriage, Mrs. Rouse said, Mr. Hanson felt a little hurt at her marriage to Mr. Rouse without being divorced from him; so Mr. Rouse paid one hundred dollars to get the divorce; fifty dollars more went to keep Mr. Hanson quiet; a lawyer wanted one hundred and fifty to see the thing through; in two weeks he was shorn of five hundred dollars when, recently, the woman herself lit out. Mr. Rouse calls upon the elements for justice, the law being unable to help him.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Dr. Edward H. Williams, of Philadelphia, is having built on the site of the old Williams mansion at Woodstock, Vt., a library building as a memorial of his father, the late Norman Williams.—*Philadelphia Record.*

Huge Circular Saws.

The largest circular saw that has been sent out of this city recently was exactly six feet in diameter. It was ordered by a match company and went to Michigan. Fifty-two teeth projected from its rim. It is now revolving at the rate of 672 revolutions a minute, and is capable of making a ten-inch to twelve-inch cut with each revolution. It can saw off a forty-foot plank, therefore, in an infinitesimal portion of a minute, though as a matter of fact the frame on which the logs are fed to a saw is adjusted to move at about the speed at which a man can walk. [illegible] there is nothing but a whirr and a shriek to announce the journey of a log's length. This is not a solid sawyer it would have more than one hundred teeth.

It is one of the new patterns in which the teeth are separated from the plate and can be inserted and removed at pleasure. The teeth in the sort of saw of which this monster is a specimen are little curved bits of steel pointed like chisels at the cutting end. They fit into round sockets cut out of the edges of the saw plates, and their little chisel blades project slightly beyond the circle of the plate. There are various inventions in movable teeth for circular saws, and in nearly all of them the circle plays an important part. It looks purely ornamental, but in reality it prevents the steel from splitting with the grain.

Solid saws continue to be made in great numbers, but the inventors of the movable teeth, different patterns of which are made by all saw manufacturers, are deriving fortunes, because new teeth can be replaced for a few cents and in a few minutes, and the body of the saw remains the size it was made, whereas solid saws have to be newly filed and set and sharpened every time they dull, a process that consumes time and requires the services of a sawyer whose skill commands good wages. Every cutting reduces the size of the saw. A seventy-two inch saw is a big one even in Michigan, where the sixty-six inch saw is in common use. There these five and a half foot saws are run at a speed of from 500 to 700 revolutions in Norway pine logs, and they cut as deep with each revolution as the monster above described. The little chisel bit teeth will cut a cut plate during a whole morning day, and an entire set of dull ones can be replaced next day in five minutes for three cents a tooth. Some of the sawdust from one of these great saws was sent from Michigan to the establishment of a great sawmaker in this city. It was esteemed as a curiosity. It was not dust at all, but a mass of little pellets of wood, three-eighths of an inch in thickness. The lumbermen prefer to waste lumber in this way provided they get speed out of their tools. These huge saws are used singly in sawing a rough log into planks. Afterward the planks are reduced to desired widths by edger saws, which are smaller implements revolving together at the proper distances, one from the other.

A saw maker must know whether or not his customer wants to run his purchase at a high rate of speed before the saw is made. Saw makers, in developing a disk of steel into a saw, hammer it so as to leave either a hard or a soft center. A saw that has a soft center will wabble in the middle if a person takes hold of it by the edge and shakes it. If it has a hard center one part will not shake more than another. A saw with a hard center, if driven at a high rate of speed, will not cut straight. Its edge will wabble. But if it has a soft center, and is sent around at a rate of 700 or 800 revolutions a minute, the centrifugal force straining at the center stiffens the saw and keeps the edge steady. To the average mind it would seem that there has been the same straining after ornamental effect in the vertical saws, so odd are the shapes of the teeth. But here, again, the study has been solely to produce strength and cutting power. Some of the vertical saws have dull teeth alternating with the sharp ones. The dull ones do not reach out quite so far as the cutters. Their purpose is to clear the sawdust from before the cutters.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Unconsciousness of Dying Persons.

"A dying man may be burned with a red hot iron and not feel pain," Dr. Crawford said to a reporter. "Consciousness may remain to the dying almost to the dissolution, but generally they lose the power of thought long before actual death. In cases of death in which there seems to be suffering the writhing and spasms are due to reflex muscular action. Fear weakens the nervous system, and, consequently, hastens death; and the reverse of fear may prolong life." The doctor cited a medical report concerning a Methodist minister. He lay on the verge of death, cold and pulseless, and friends around his bed sang his favorite hymn. As they ceased, and while the physicians stood timing the death, the minister's hands moved, and he whispered, "Glory!" Restoratives were administered, and an hour later the man had recovered. He lived many years after that. He said he understood every word spoken at his bedside. Under the nervous excitement and enthusiasm wrought by the hymn, he had exerted his muscular strength, and lived.—*Stockton (Cal.) Mail.*

—A woman who desires a clear complexion must give up having a small waist, unless she has it without lacing. Tight lacing gives one a red nose. And who would not rather have a large waist and a white nose than a small waist and a red nose? Tight lacing also prevents regular circulation, inducing chills, heartburn, and a score of diseases which are far worse, and more disfiguring than a large waist.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—Dr. Koch, who is at the head of the German Commission which visited Egypt for the purpose of studying cholera and its causes, found a special or peculiar species of bacterium in large numbers in the intestines of cholera subjects. He thinks there can be no doubt as to the existence of some relation between these minute organisms and the disease, and he wishes to pursue his studies in India, where the plague rages almost unabated.—*Health Monthly.*

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A dwelling house, the home of a poor family, in the eastern part of Morenci, burned between 2 and 3 o'clock Tuesday morning.

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Many persons when suffering from Rheumatism or Neuralgia remain indifferent to what will benefit them, because they have tried a multitude of remedies in vain. Let no man or woman despond till ATHLOPHOROS has been tried. Says Rev. Charles E. Harris, of New Haven: "Was advised to try ATHLOPHOROS for acute Rheumatism, but paid no attention to it, regarding the specific as among the [illegible] and one other things advertised as cures. But after a time I tried it, and found that it acted like a charm. Have been quite free from the disease ever since."

Mr. McDonnell, of Traverse City the oldest Free Mason in the world, died Monday, aged 104 years.

Hysteria and Nervous Prostration.

We give our readers an extract from a cheerful letter, written by Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, of Richmond, Ind., who says: "Samaritan Nervine cured me of hysteria and nervous prostration." Comment is useless.

The Halfway House, lately burned, will be re-erected between Roscommon and Houghton Lake.

When I began using Ely's Cream Balm my catarrh was so bad I had headache the whole time and discharged a large amount of filthy matter. That has almost entirely disappeared and I have not had headache since. J. H. Summers, Stepney, Conn.

Harry Bell, a school teacher at Mt. Vernon, has been arrested for forging and uttering a $45 order.

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate on the 19th Mr. Miller, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, reported the original joint resolution for the inspection of meats for exportation and prohibiting the importation of all articles of food or drink from countries where contagious or infectious diseases exist, and the report of the committee was adopted. Mr. Edmunds, from the same committee, reported back the joint resolution relating to the rights of citizens of the United States in Turkey, and asked for its present consideration. Mr. Cockrell thought the resolution should be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and after a long debate, in which the Judiciary Committee was appealed to and a more definite report asked, the resolution was referred. A few unimportant amendments to bills were made in the House, and the Senate adjourned. In the House Mr. Cox, from the committee on Foreign Affairs, reported back the following resolution, which was adopted: Resolved, That the House, in entering on the death of Dr. Edward Lasker, was informed it is a tribute of respect to the memory of an eminent statesman who served within the United States and to the spirit of sympathy for the German people. A long discussion followed, in which the House was entertained by a war of words between Messrs. Cox and Randall, the latter charging that Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee had neglected to perform their duty in not reporting a tariff bill, and the former retorting that the Republicans had prevented the Ways and Means Committee from reporting a tariff bill by their factious opposition in the House. The House adjourned without passing any bill.

The Senate on the 20th took up and passed the House bill to increase the salaries of United States District Judges to $3,500, after a debate in which Mr. Morrill opposed the bill as being the entering wedge for the funding of excessive salaries, and Mr. Logan argued that the salaries of Supreme Court Justices should be increased, and that the report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue showed that the income of the Government from internal revenue had increased, and that the salaries of Supreme Court Justices should be increased in proportion. The Senate also passed the House bill to provide for the preparation and publication of the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, and after a long debate the Military Academy Appropriation bill was taken up and passed. The Senate also passed the House bill to authorize a commission to the Secretary of War to negotiate for the purchase of lands for a military station on the Pacific Coast. The remainder of the day was occupied with the Deficiency bill, the House amendments to which were disagreed to, and a committee of conference asked. Among them was Mr. Edmunds, who, notwithstanding his advanced age, is one of the most active members of the Senate. The House bill to provide for the payment of claims for stores and supplies furnished the Army during the rebellion was passed. The Senate also passed the House bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to transfer to the Navy Department the Government property at Mare Island, Cal., and to sell the present site of the Navy Department in Washington. The Senate also passed the House bill to provide for the payment of the expenses of the Electoral Commission and of the support of the Supreme Court of the United States

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RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS

Thos. Lupton has been quite sick for the past two weeks.

Wm. Curry, Jr., of West Milan, aged 20 years, died last week.

Now Mr. Editor, just remember the readers of the Herald at Ridgeway and Britton, would like their papers sent down on the freight Thursday evening.

Both caucuses Saturday afternoon [illegible] nati riot is expected at one of them.

David Harrison is now a resident of the village. To be called squire would likely be very pleasing to him.

Our new hardware store is now well stocked and doing a thriving business. Paints, oils, lime and agricultural implements have recently been added to the stock.

The Detroit and Toledo evening papers have a subscription of about sixty copies here. Dean Loree has the Journal, Sam Arner the News, and Frank Barrett the Bee. Stick to it, boys.

Smith Brothers of Macon, have rented the corner of the old Exchange and are fitting it up for a meat market. Smith always brought us good meat and nothing less then a good market is expected. They will open up in a few days.

Aunt Laura Haviland gave us one of her characteristic addresses last Sunday evening.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society is announced for next week Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Waring.

The church social advertise a griddle cake and maple drip supper at the church, Friday evening of this week. Warm sugar and buscuit will be furnished those who prefer.

"Tink" Smith now lives at the foot of the hill. Sam Helm takes his place in the McMullen house. Sutton moves home. Sedam occupies Fletcher's house. A. Lawton eats and sleeps at Mrs. Coryell's, on the ridge. William Riggs lives in the Larkin house, on West street, until his house is completed. Tom Maynard takes the Santus house, etc.

At the meeting of the Literary Society to be held on the evening of Friday, April 11th, the following program will be presented.

Music—Gospel Song Society.
Prayer—Chaplain.
Music—Ida Arner.
Recitation—Linnie Coryell.
Declamation—Frank Temple.
Reading—A. J. Sutton.
Music—W. E. B. Barrett.
Paper—(Ridgeway Enterprise) Martin Palmer.
Poem—Ella Hall.
Music—J. D. Arner.

RECESS FIVE MINUTES.

Music—Mrs. Warren Jones.
Debate—Resolved, that a good graded school is a greater benefit than a Railroad.
Affirmative—Prof. C. E. Triplet, G. P. Waring. Negative—Rev. Peter Sharp, A. E. Palmer. Opening speakers ten minutes, the remainder five minutes.
Music—Miss Kittie Clark.
Commence promptly at 7:30 o'clock. Admission free, but doors closed during each exercise to avoid interruption. By order Program Com.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The village is mud bound.

There was no Baptist service here Sunday P. M. as intended.

A new sidewalk stretches away from the post office to the depot.

The number of parties engaged in selling agricultural implements here suggests good bargains for the farmers in this line.

School opens again this week for the spring term.

An Anti-Saloon ticket is already arranged in Woodstock, for the coming election. The Democrats confident of success and the Republicans only confident of failure, will each materalize a ticket for the contest. The democratic move is both well qualified and reasonable, the result of previous elections having repeatedly declared the prevailing sentiment of the town in favor of that party; but on the other hand, the republicans, but few in number, can only base any reasonable hope of success on a sensual desire to defeat a third party, and thereby cripple in a measure, its forces, and destroy its facilities for campaign work during the year. We might write a chapter upon the subject of "principles and policy" as applying to this case, but forbear at present.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Town Board balanced up accounts this week.

Henry Mensing made a brief business visit to Toledo this week.

Mrs. Wm. Stephenson is visiting friends in Decatur, Mich., and writes that she will make a visit to Iowa before returning.

Master Sewell Matherson left last Monday for Brooklyn, N. Y., where [illegible] minority of his days.

The Prohibitionists have at the head of their ticket: Albert Dewey, Supervisor, and F. D. Avery, town clerk, and should the Democrats and Nationals fail to unite, they will undoubtedly be the lucky candidates.

How to Have a Happy Home.

Reader if you have a happy home be thankful. It is a boon of which [illegible] prived. Many have never known what it is to have a happy,—indeed many have never known what it is to have any kind of home. Others have had happy homes, and that makes the wretched homes where they now live, all the more intolerable. If you have a happy home prize it. Do nothing to cast a gloom over it. Never carry your business cares into it. Never give vent to the vexations of business life in your home. Do not dwell upon the foibles of the inmates of your home. Be guarded in your words. Above all cherish a deep, warm, devoted love for your family. Spend as much time with them as possible. Do not let business have all your time. Remember that love must have something to feed on.

But if you have an unhappy home you are to be pitied. Yet the evil may not be beyond remedy. It does not necessarily follow that you have made a wrong choice in [illegible] ble may have come in later. Coldness may have sprung up in the home. There is the result of neglect. If married people were as careful of their conduct after as before marriage, there would be no trouble of this kind. The trouble is that after marriage they forget those little tokens of love so common with lovers. Husbands fall into the habit of staying from home, and wives neglect to try to make home attractive. Husbands neglect their wives in company and wives their husbands. It is not strange that such things lead to alienation.

Would you remedy the evil? Then begin as you did when you first began to love. Be kind, be attentive, sit and talk together, and walk together, and ride together as often as possible. Do not think it babyish. It is the most proper thing to do. It will pay you. Get books on home and marriage and place them in your homes. Get all the counsel you can, then follow it faithfully. If you will do these things you may yet have a happy home.—Social Reformer.

Obedience to Parents.

There is nothing so beautiful in the child as obedience. How beautiful it is to hear the little boy, or little girl, say, "No, I cannot, my papa said I must not." Such a child will have the love of every one.

But it is hard for children to obey. They start out from home intending to obey, but they meet with other boys and girls. They come to a game of marbles; they stop and become interested, and they forget that they were to go to the store and back in a hurry. They run over to their neighbors and get into a new game, or on a new sled, and forget that mamma told them to run right back home. How necessary it is for little folks to remember and think if they would be good children.

Not only must they learn to think, but they must learn not to listen to others. The little girl is out on the street. Mamma has told her not to go off any where, but another little girl comes along and says, "I am going down street; come with me." And the little girl disobeys her mamma simply because another little girl asks her to do it. Little boys very often disobey father and mother because some other boy asks them to do so. They meet one of their playmates on the street, and he wants them to go with him down to the pond for just a little while, and they go, forgetting that they were sent down street charged particularly to come straight back. How many boys and girls are led into disobedience in just this way.

It is bad for children to be disobedient. It is bad for parents to allow them to be disobedient. It may be hard to punish them; but if wisely done it is the greatest kindness. No boy can grow up to be a good man without learning obedience. He must learn what it is to submit to law; he must learn to give up his will and serve others. He must learn what penalty means, by suffering the penalty of violated laws. The boy who learns obedience at home will become the upright citizen and the pious christian.—Social Reformer.

Lewis Henion, of Woodstock, has had to pay $18 for the privilege of shooting three quails last January.

Forewarned is forearmed.

You need not sow weeds in order to insure a rank crop of weeds in your garden, or in your field. All you need to do is to neglect to sow good seed and the weeds will come. The surest way to prevent their coming is to prepare the soil and till it before the weeds have a chance to spring up. So with your children. It is not necessary that you corrupt their minds, nor yet that you put them under corrupt [illegible] leave the soil unoccupied and the rank weeds of human depravity will spring up and take possession of the soil. You may guard their young lives and think that you will keep out the weeds, but you cannot, the seed will be sown in spite of you, and unless the soil is preoccupied, it will sprisg up and bear fruit.

What then should be done? Sow the good seed without delay. Do not wait to see if the evil is going to creep in. Sow the seeds of truth and purity and religion so thickly that evil will be choked out. In other words, begin early to instruct your children in morality. Teach them temperance, teach them purity, teach them obedience. Point out to them the evil habits of others and draw lessons from those habits. Let them see the world, but in such a way as to make its vices and its crimes hideous to them. Tell your children about themselves, the requirements of their natures, [illegible] them the dangers before them. It is every mother's duty to talk with her son and her daughter frankly of what they are to be, and what they ought to do. It is the duty of every father to do the same. It is a shame that so many parents refuse to do this. Do not think that they are too young. You cannot begin too early.

On the subject of marriage there is a vast amount of ignorance, because parents do not talk with their children as they would talk with strangers. They do not explain to their boys and girls the objects of life. They do not instruct them as to the principles which should govern them in the selection of a companion. Then they wonder that their boys form attachments which grieve them, or that their daughter takes to those who are unsuited to them. It is not a matter of surprise however. Those children have never been instructed as to what they ought to do, and of course they have groped their way in the dark. No wonder if they have stumbled and fallen. It is useless to make a noise after these things are done. It is only locking the barn after the horse is stolen. Experience shows that it does but little good for parents to protest after attachments are formed. In most cases it only makes the erring one more obstinate.

Believe it, the time to make an impression is before your boys and girls fall in love. Talk to them then and they will hear you. Give them principles and they will apply them. Set before them an ideal and they will measure up toward it at least. Begin at once, put good literature into their hands, influence them in every possible way. It will do good just as certainly as the corn carefully planted, will grow up and bear fruit. Be sure that you do not wait too long and let evil get the start of you. Let your children be armed with wisdom against every power of evil.—Social Reformer.

The Michigan Marriage Laws A Grievous Wrong

In this State a man may marry at the age of 18. A woman may marry at the age of 16. And yet in the eyes of the law they are neither capable of entering into a contract until they are 21. That is they may marry while they are still minors, under the control of parents or guardians. The parents may object, they may feel that the match is ill advised and unsuitable; but they cannot prevent it. The parties may be in capable of providing for themselves, depending upon their parents, yet the parents have no redress, they can only submit to the inevitable and make the best of it. This is the law of Michigan.

We do not hesitate to declare that such a law perpetrates a grievous wrong upon parents and society. What right have our legislators to say that parents shall be responsible before the law for their children until 21, and at the same time take them out from under their control years before that time. If parental responsibility is good for anything, it ought to serve in just such cases as this. Parents ought to possess a veto upon the actions of their children, until the law recognizes them as men and women, responsible for themselves. Children are regarded as minors before the law until 21, for good reasons. They cannot make and enter into contracts, nor convey property because their judgment is immature as a rule. It is found that they suffer in their material interests when permitted to do so. Yet the law comes in and declares that these same minors may contract marriages without consulting anybody. If they are not capable, of making a contract, if they are not capable of bargaining and conveying a piece of land, by what reasoning can we prove them capable of entering into the most important [illegible] of parents and guardians is worth anything at all, it ought to apply to this matter of marriage. It ought to possess a veto upon marriage until the parties are free before the law.

But, as we have said this law wrongs society. We are suffering today—terribly suffering—from the effects of hasty, ill-advised marriages. These result from the marrying of boys and girls, whose judgments are immature. They are not fully developed, their tastes change then they become dissatisfied, unhappy, and in a few years apply for divorce. Hence the large number of divorce cases; hence the desolate homes and blighted lives.

But these laws perpetrate a further wrong. They make it impossible for parties to marry under 18 and 16 respectively, under any circumstances. Parents may assent, they feel that under the circumstances their children ought to marry. But the minister, or the justice who dares to marry [illegible] jured girl and her parents, lays himself liable to a fine of $500.

For the protection of parents in the proper exercise of authority over their children, for the protection of society against the results of ill advised and unfortunate marriages, for the salvation of the unfortunate who have stepped aside from the path of virtue, let our great State of Michigan enact that no marriage can be lawfully celebrated until the parties are out from under parental control, except in cases where it is necessary to prevent greater evils, and then only by the mutual consent of the parents interested. From our observation we feel convinced that the less we have of the marrying of boys and girls, the better it will be for our American society.—Social Reformer.

Children in the Home.

A home without children has much less noise and confusion, undoubtedly. Perhaps it has less care and anxiety. But after all, what is home without children? Ask those who have had them, and lost them, and they will tell you that the light and joy of home seems taken away. With tearful eyes they look on the little chair, and the little cart, and the half-worn shoes, and if they could they would gladly bring back the little ones with their noisy hands and tireless feet, even at the cost of all earthly possessions. Those who have never had children of their own, cannot appreciate such feelings. They think that they are the marks of womanish fears and whims. They flatter themselves that they are much happier without them.

But after all their boasting about their freedom to go and come, and the neatness and order of their home, the fact remains that home is not really home without children, not a child, but children. Truly does the Psalmist say, "Lo children are the heritage of the Lord. Happy is the man that has his quiver full of them." There was something grand about those old patriarchal families of eight, ten and twelve children sitting around the table of our fathers and mothers. And it is not so many of our people beg to look upon such families as a grievous burden. They would be, with the present extravagant notions of living and dress, but they were not in those days of plain simple habits and homes. In some things, certainly, our modern customs are not improvements. This may be set down as one of them.

If our children could be taught to practice industry and economy now, as children were a generation or two ago, it would be a good thing for all concerned. The trouble is now, that in too many instances they are no help to their parents, and think only of having a good time. When they are not at school, they think that they must be out on the streets, or somewhere in the pursuit of nonsense. They will not go to church and sit down and behave through the service, they will not go into company and sit down and behave themselves, and listen to music and reading. It is too prosy for them. They must feed their stomachs on confectionery and their minds on folly, or else they are dissatisfied. What the end of these things is to be, no one can predict. Children, under such circumstances, are likely to prove a heavy curse.—Social Reformer.

The wood shops of the Peninsular car works at Adrian shut down Thursday night. Only a little repair work is being done.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 8, 1884.

POLLY'S ENORMOUS WEALTH.

I'm afraid to ask my Polly
For her heart and hand to-day;
I know my love's all folly—
She's the richest in the land.
I'm a clerk with meager earnings,
She's a jewel of lady pride;
And despite my boldness,
In her presence I am cowed.

[illegible]
Toward the rosiest time of life.
And my wish warts won't be many
If sweet Polly is my wife.
But how dare I importune
Her to share my simple lot,
When, although she's worth a fortune,
I can't share the store she's got?

Her priceless gems are in her face
Diamond eyes and ruby cheeks;
Her hair's her gold, and from trace
Pure silver when she speaks.
Shall I dare turn my steps toward
Brisk matrimony's mart,
And try to buy with my slim hoard
Her million-dollar heart?

—*Harper's Bazar*

MARRIAGE IN CHINA.

Curious Courtship of the Celestials—The Wedding Ceremonies—Young Men Engaged for Years to Girls Whom They Have Never Seen.

The lad is early reminded that his parents want grandchildren as soon and as many as possible. His betrothal generally takes place when he is from seven to twelve years of age, though cases have occurred where preliminary arrangements have been made between parents before their children had seen the light of day. A professional class called go-betweens, who make their living by matchmaking, are employed to carry on the negotiations between the two families, the initiative being taken by the parents of the boy. For the convenience of their clients these go-betweens usually carry in their pocket a list of candidates for matrimony. On being solicited the list is consulted, and a bride is selected according to the age or social position desired, subject, of course, to her parent's consent. The go-between in whose veracity and good judgment implicit confidence is placed, is required to guarantee the respectability of the girl's family, and above all her freedom from lunacy, leprosy, or his word of honor that neither she nor her parents belong to that pariah class called play-actors, boat-people and slaves. The girl's parents also institute similar inquiries if the proposal is entertained. Fortune-tellers are consulted, astrologers cast the horoscope of the pair, deceased ancestors are consulted and appeals are made to the patron deity of maidens. Should any unlucky omen transpire, such as the breaking of a tea cup before her eyes, negotiations would be almost certainly broken off. The fates are perhaps propitious. Cards are then exchanged, containing such particulars as to the exact moment of birth, the name, clan and condition of the intended pair, who in all probability have never yet seen each other and will not for long years to come, and are indeed completely oblivious of these arrangements affecting their destiny.

NO SENTIMENTAL NONSENSE.

The young people are considerably relieved of the sweet embarrassment of first love. All the gush of mutual popping, wooing and tender embraces are shut beyond their sense. They know nothing of sweet walks and poems, of serenades and tête-a-têtes. Their courting and love-letter writing are done for them by their parents. When the betrothal is settled the father of the youth writes a tender epistle to the father of the girl, extolling the maiden's beauties and virtues and expressing his desire to make her his son's wife. This letter is accompanied by boxes containing cakes, pork, bracelets, earrings, hair-pins and other presents, on receipt of which the engagement is consummated and nothing but leprosy, lunacy or unfaithfulness can dissolve the sacred and eternal bond. Next day the lad may die, but the engagement remains unbroken. The unfortunate girl, if she makes any claim to respectability, must remain in virgin widowhood all her days, living at the house of his parents, ministering to their needs as a loving daughter-in-law, confessing ever and anon that her crimes brought her son to a premature grave, and mourning with many lamentations and pseudo-grief over the loss of the unfortunate youth, whom she had never so much as seen, and perhaps never heard of. During the whole period of her engagement she must keep in close retirement in the back apartments. She must be solemnly reserved with the domestics and even with her own brothers and sisters. She may not form any attachments with other girls. She must make no allusion whatever to the other sex, much less make any reference to her unknown beau. She must instantly cover her face with a fan should a gentleman by accident come near her, and when she goes out of doors it must be in a closely covered sedan or boat. Of course girls occasionally rebel against this seclusion, so far as to get some gossipping seamstress to tell her of the outside world or even discourse upon the forbidden topic of matrimony, or to furnish her information upon the personal appearance, home and prospects of her future lord.

CHOOSING THE DAY.

After minor ceremonies and the lapse of a period varying from one to eighteen or twenty years, comes the all-important ceremony of *Ting Hi*. This means selecting the day of marriage, usually some day in the ninth month of their calendar, and no time, labor or expense is spared to insure a propitious day. Fortune tellers, astrologers, deceased ancestors, idols and other oracles are consulted, to whom are submitted the momentous questions of times and seasons for adjusting the positions of the nuptial couch, cutting the bridal garments and stepping into the bridal sedan. When the information has been obtained, it is forwarded to the girl's parents, written on red paper, accompanied by a letter of congratulation and presents of poultry and wine. One of these presents is a basket containing a goose and gander, emblematical of faithfulness, the same birds being said to pair together every season. The bride's father perhaps signifies his approval, and preparations are at once made for the marriage ceremony, which should take place in the course of another month. Immediately after the day is fixed the bridegroom sends the usual pies or cakes, called ceremony cakes, numbering from a score to a hundred and weighing about a pound each, to be distributed among the relatives and friends of the parties. The sum of money agreed upon at the betrothal as the price of the bride or her flower is also sent at the same time. This sum varies from [illegible] to $5,000 for a bride who is fair and pretty and belongs to a good family, a sum so money will be asked which only a rich man can afford. This money, however, must be all returned by the bride's mother in providing her trousseau, household furniture, etc., the bridegroom being only expected to furnish the apartments of their future home.

WEEPING AND WAILING.

For a few days before the wedding day the young lady, who has already been told of the approaching event, gives vent to her grief in orthodox fashion by loud bellowings night and day. The weeping damsel expresses at intervals [illegible] the sonnet of [illegible] regret of being torn forever from her parents and childhood's home. The writer remembers being kept awake for hours by the wails and shrieks of a distracted virgin who was going to be married next day. It is on this last night that the maiden tries on her bridal dress, lights incense before the shrine of her ancestors and prostrates herself in farewell worship before her assembled parents, uncles and aunts. At last the dreadful day arrives. The maiden rises early, bathes perhaps for the first time for two or three months, arranges her hair in matronly style, puts on her bridal garments of gorgeous red silk or satin, sometimes richly embroidered, and a heavy coronet-like head-dress brilliant with red or imitation pearls and precious stones, velvet tassels and fringes, and gold or gilt trappings, which jingle at every step she takes. Her toilet is completed by the large red veil of silk or satin, which completely covers her face from view. It is considered good form to resist the services of her attendants with loud screams and exclamations, any such thing as [illegible] be construed by her chaperon and bridesmaids into an immodest joy at the near approach of wedlock.

THE BRIDEGROOM WAITETH.

The bridegroom remains at home with his friends. He is arrayed in silks and satins, embroidered according to his rank, a red scarf crosses his breast and a brilliant wedding card is worn on his head. He seats himself in glorious state awaiting the coming of the bride. He has already dispatched an elegant bridal sedan, richly gilded and enameled, decorated with kingfisher's feathers and ornamented with gorgeous carvings, which he has hired for the occasion. It is carried by half a dozen men in red tunics and follows in the rear of the procession. It is preceded by gilded pavilions and canopies, red boards with gilt characters representing the academical degrees and imperial honors conferred upon the bridegroom of his ancestors; grand lanterns, splendidly carved and painted, banners, huge fans and state umbrellas according to the rank of the bridegroom's father. The bearers, equerries and musicians that swell the train are all draped in red robes and the whole procession marches along amidst the beating of drums, the clash of cymbals and the screams of clarionets. The procession arrives at the bride's house and is greeted by the dismal howls of females within. A letter written by her husband is now handed to the bride, informing her that the flowery sedan is waiting at her door and inviting her to set out for her new home. Then come sundry exhortations from her parents, exchange of good wishes, protracted partings, chosing songs and vehement protestations from the bride against being taken from her home. This hollow farce is broken up by a bridesmaid casting the veil over the face of the lugubrious bride, while an old hag takes her upon her back in ignominious fashion carrying her out of the door and setting her down in the sedan-chair. The door of the conveyance is then locked and the key handed to the bridegroom's friend. The bands then strike up and the procession returns amidst farewell salvos of bombs and firecrackers, the wonder being that any bride can survive such an infernal din.

COMPLETION OF THE CEREMONY.

Arriving at the door of her new home, she is saluted with more firecrackers. The bridegroom now comes forth with all that dignified bearing and easy carelessness so natural to a well-bred Chinaman, and taps the door of the chair with his fan. The door is then opened and the bride [illegible] thickly veiled from profane gaze, is again carried on the back of a female attendant into her husband's house. She is now a wife, the simple ride in the flowery chair having the mystic power of transforming her into a married woman. The bridegroom now seats himself on a high chair and receives the homage of his dutiful spouse. He then descends, raises her heavy veil, and for the first time gazes upon the face of the girl to whom he has been engaged for the last ten or fifteen years. There follows no rapturous embrace, no word of tender endearment, no look that speaks of love. He simply inspects her for a few moments as he would some piece of furniture, for she is nothing more to him. Sometimes this ceremony of unveiling takes place in the bridal chamber, where they seat themselves side by side, he contriving to sit upon part of her dress, signifying his control and her submission. We take one glimpse of the nuptial couch, hung with slips of paper with such inscriptions as, "May you have 100 sons and 1,000 grandsons," and adorned with orange trees and strings of cash, the symbols of fruitfulness. Heaven and earth, household gods, family ancestors and the parents of the bridegroom are then worshiped by the wedded pair.

THE WEDDING FEAST.

The wedding feast begins in the afternoon and extends over two or three days. Invitations have been sent out weeks before, the guests responding by forwarding a sum of money varying from 100 cash to twenty ounces of silver. This is sent the day before the wedding and goes to defray the expenses of the feast. The banqueting halls are lighted up with scores of prism fringed chandeliers, tables are spread with all kinds of delicacies, hundreds of invited guests, gaudily dressed, throng the room, gargulous groups surround the bridegroom, offering their congratulations, a band of music strikes up and the bride in her wedding robes and tasselled head dress enters the room, supported by two matrons, who guide her heads with speechless reverence to her husband's guests, offering them refreshments, wine and tea. Men and women never feast together, and the most trying ordeal of her wedding days comes when her husband leaves her in the gentlemen's room. She waits upon them in silence, and they in turn chaff her with coarse jests, criticise her appearance aloud and play practical jokes upon her person, often of so cruel a character that if she escapes from the room unscalded or undecorated she may consider herself lucky. She must submit to all this ribaldry and persecution with a calm, placid, unmurmuring demeanor, and any show of either resentment or mirth would be remembered against her discretion for years to come. When the guests have departed she may retire.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

Doing Vanderbilt in Wax.

The Edinburgh Musee, which is a waxworks exhibition building, lately erected in Twenty-third street, by a company of French capitalists, and intended to rival Mme. Tussaud's exhibition in London, is to be under the management of young Mr. Weinschenck. This young man is the nephew of the late manager of the Porte St. Martin Theater in Paris, and has Parisian ideas of great men. He was easily convinced a couple of days ago that Mr. Vanderbilt is a truly great man, and that we are all anguishing to see him done in wax.

Mr. Weinschenck jumped at the proposition. He had got models of all the crowned heads, and all the great thieves and murderers. Now he must have Vanderbilt.

He called at the palace and was admitted yesterday.

He entered the potentate's presence all smiles and shrugs.

"Well," said Vanderbilt, gruffly, "what do you want?"

"Monsieur, your pardon, ee you please," began the waxworks man, "I myself ze honor do to give you some wax."

"Give me some whacks?" repeated Vanderbilt, turning pale and measuring his distance from the button of the electric bell.

"Yes, sare, to do you up in wax. I find you a good subject and just fit for ze wax, and I want to take you from life."

"Do me up? Fit for whacks? This is a crank slugger," said the railroad king, and he touched the button.

"I will place you in a leetle hole, in ze well, all by yourself—right next ze Chamber of Horreur. I will say you out like life wiz my wax."

A tall footman, in red plush knee-breeches, silk stockings, pumps, and a gilt laden cutaway coat, entered at this moment. It was the bouncer of the palace. "Algernon," said the noble lord of the manor, "pounce on this fellow who talks of laying me out with whacks."

"Algernon measured little Weinschenck, who began to grin like a tiger, and hesitated. The city saved him. The waxworks man hit on the happy idea of expressing himself in French. He only wanted to model Vanderbilt for his collection. He was understood and got permission. The monopolist has been "done up" in whacks, and rather likes it.—*N. Y. Star.*

"He Laughs Best Who Laughs Last."

"You've got some nice wood over there in your yard," said a seedy-looking tramp to an Austin Avenue lady.

"Yes," said the lady of the house.

"I would like to carry it in for you," said he.

"My husband intends to carry it in," she replied.

"Well," said the tramp, "I will carry it in and pile it up neat if you will give me my breakfast."

At this offer the lady consented, and the tramp went to work.

After he had carried in a couple of armfuls the lady stepped to the door and found him sitting on the pile with his claws on his knees and his face buried in his hands.

"What is the matter?" said she.

"Oh, lady," said he, looking up, "I am so weak, for I have had nothing to eat since day before yesterday," and he again covered his face with his hands.

This seemed to rouse the lady's sympathy, and she went in and soon returned with an excellent breakfast.

After he had swept everything from the board, he arose and said: "Thanks, my good lady, for this sumptuous repast. Now let me give you this advice: Never again let your sympathy get away with your discretion. I'm off. Ta, ta!" and he walked majestically out the front gate.

The tramp had gone but a short distance when he came back deadly sick.

He seated himself on a curbstone, and a few moments later, having two or three violent spasmodic contractions of the stomach, he lost his ill-gotten breakfast. Indeed his stomach would have followed suit had it not been thoroughly dovetailed to his diaphragm. He believed that he was poisoned, and he became very much alarmed. As soon as he regained strength enough to get to his feet, he slowly retraced his steps and found the lady standing in the front door.

"Madam," he said, in piteous tones, "my breakfast did not stay on my stomach. I believe I'm poisoned."

"That is not to be wondered at," said she. "I suspected your little game, having been caught once before in the same way, so I prepared myself for it by dosing your coffee with tartar emetic. Now let me give *you* a little advice: Never again let your rascality get away with your breakfast. To beat a deadbeat beats everything. Ta, ta!" and she shut the door in his face.

The tramp started sorrowfully down the street wondering, no doubt, where and how he would get a breakfast that *would* stay with him.—*Texas Siftings.*

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral.

No other complaints are so insidious in their attack as those affecting the throat and lungs; none so trifled with by the majority of sufferers. The ordinary cough or cold, resulting perhaps from a trifling or unconscious exposure, is often but the beginning of a fatal sickness. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL has well proven its efficacy in a forty years' fight with throat and lung diseases, and should be taken in all cases without delay.

A Terrible Cough Cured.

"In 1871 I took a severe cold, which affected my lungs. I had a terrible cough, and passed night after night without sleep. The doctors gave me up. I tried AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which relieved my lungs, induced sleep, and afforded me the rest necessary for the recovery of my strength. By the continued use of the PECTORAL a permanent cure was effected. I am now 62 years old, hale and hearty, and am satisfied your CHERRY PECTORAL saved me.

HORACE FAIRBROTHER."

Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., APL. 3, 1884

General News Summary

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

THE Senate on the 26th took up the bill providing for the allotment of lands in severalty to the Indians on the various reservations and extending the protection of the laws of the States and Territories over the Indians; several amendments were agreed to and the bill passed. The House joint resolution appropriating $1,000,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the inundation of the Mississippi River for the ensuing year was passed. The Education bill was then taken up and debated at length, but without action the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. In the House, Mr. Ellis from the Committee on Appropriations reported a joint resolution providing $125,000 of the unexpended appropriation for the relief of the destitute in the district overflowed by the Mississippi and its tributaries; after debate the joint resolution was passed. Mr. Keifer, of Ohio, introduced a bill for the erection of a pedestal for the statue of the late President Garfield in Washington. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the bonded extension bill. A long debate followed, but without reaching a conclusion the committee rose and the House adjourned.

MEMORIALS were presented in the Senate on the 27th from American inventors, protesting against the passage of any act injurious to patentees; from the Legislature of Utah, protesting against the passage of the measures now pending before Congress affecting the interest of that Territory, without a full investigation by a Congressional Committee. Mr. Miller, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, reported favorably the joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to offer a reward of $25,000 for recovering or ascertaining the fate of the Greeley expedition. Bills providing for the payment of a number of private claims were passed. The Senate took up the Educational bill, but without action went into executive session and soon after adjourned. The morning hour was dispensed with in the House, and that body went into Committee of the Whole on the bonded extension bill. After a lengthy debate, Mr. Blount moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill: agreed to—ayes 131, noes 57. The committee then rose and reported its action to the House, where it was continued—yeas 135, nays 85. The bill providing for the retirement of the trade dollar was then taken up, pending discussion of which the House adjourned.

THE Senate on the 28th passed a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to issue a proclamation offering a reward of $25,000 to be paid private parties who shall discover, rescue, or satisfactorily ascertain the fate of the Greeley expedition. Mr. Palmer, from the Committee on Woman's Suffrage, reported favorably a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States prohibiting the denial to citizens of the United States of the right of suffrage to women. Mr. Plumb's resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information relating to the unpaid portion of the war tax of 1861 was agreed to. A bill introduced by Mr. Dolph was passed, amending the Revised Statutes so as to authorize vessels to unload coal, salt, railroad iron, etc., at places other than the port of entry, provided that the peace of unloading be within the collection district and be designated by the Secretary of the Treasury. Consideration of the Education bill was then resumed, but without reaching a conclusion the Senate went into executive session and adjourned until the 31st. In the House Mr. Anderson introduced a concurrent resolution for the final adjournment of Congress at twelve o'clock on June 2, 1884; referred to the Ways and Means Committee. After the transaction of unimportant miscellaneous business, the House went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar. The bill to relieve certain soldiers of the late war from the charge of desertion was discussed at length, and without action the committee rose and the House passed several private bills and adjourned until the 31st.

DOMESTIC.

WHILE workmen were moving a fourton safe in the Arcanal Bank at Pittsburgh on the 26th, the foundation pavement gave way and the safe was precipitated to the cellar beneath, crushing to death George Scrader. The others escaped.

A BILL has been introduced in the Iowa House to appropriate $50,000 to locate and aid in building in Iowa a soldiers' home, a bill for which is now pending in Congress to be erected in a western State.

IT is estimated that John McMahon, the absconding collector of taxes, at Hoboken, N. J., misappropriated $60,000 during the past three years.

A BILL providing that wife-beaters should be publicly whipped was recently defeated in the Massachusetts House of Representatives.

ON the 26th the jury in the case of Hallett Kilbourne against ex-Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson, for alleged illegal arrest and detention, brought in a verdict of $37,000 for plaintiff.

THE New York Legislature passed a bill on the 26th regulating the sale of oleomargarine and other substitutes for butter. The main feature is that requiring conspicuous posting of notices of the character of the stuff sold.

A SUBSCRIPTION has been started at Independence, Mo., to enable Mrs. Frank James to attend the trial of her husband in Alabama for the Mussel Shoals robbery.

HENRY S. CHURCH, the defaulting Chamberlain of Troy, N. Y., who absconded on the 4th ult. with a deficiency of $77,000 in his accounts, was arrested in New York on the 27th and taken to Troy.

THE House Committee on Post Offices and Postroads has decided to report a bill giving letter carriers fourteen days' vacation on pay each year.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR sent a message to Congress on the 27th, recommending an appropriation for the construction of at least three new steel cruisers and the four gunboats already under way, and for the armament of these vessels.

THE Arctic steamer Bear tumbled over on her beam-ends at New York on the 27th on being taken out of the dry-dock. Her ballast had been removed for inspection and repair by the navy yard workmen, and not having been replaced when the dry-dock was flooded to float her out, her top-heavy condition upset her. She will be ready to start on her voyage in search of Greeley when she receives a coat of paint.

LEWIS W. SEAL, a young collegian of Philadelphia, died from the effects of hard training on the 27th. He was noted as an athlete and possessed great skill and endurance, and had been working very hard on a rowing machine, preparatory to entering the college crew. The excessive strain produced spinal meningitis, which eventually caused his death.

A PORTLAND (Me.) dispatch says that a reduction in wages of from six to ten per cent. was ordered on the Grand Trunk Railroad on the 27th. The employes announce that they will strike on both divisions.

THE ice in the Kennebec River at Bath, Me., broke up on the 26th, tearing up about fifteen rods of the railroad track at the station and washing away 75,000 feet of lumber. The flume of Conant's pulp mill was completely destroyed with 25,000 feet of spruce lumber. Conant's loss is $30,000.

THE cyclone that destroyed the village of Scipio, Ohio, on the 25th, besides killing Mr. Winston, fatally injured Mr. E. Kates and seriously hurt Mrs. Stevens. The storm followed nearly in the track of another two years ago across the county to Tollinsville, tearing down all fences, trees, and ruining many farm houses and barns. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

A BOAT containing five men was capsized when passing over Big Falls, near the mouth of Clarion River, Pennsylvania, on the 26th, and William Walker, William Watson and Daniel Fair were drowned. The other two escaped by clinging to the boat.

THE first through train from the City of Mexico arrived at Kansas City, Mo., on the 27th over the Santa Fe road.

DETAILS of the recent cyclone in North Carolina state that at Newton, Catawba County, thirty houses were blown to pieces, the Methodist church was wrecked, and the residence of Rev. Coley, Kilian and Charles Jewett swept away. Mary Shumpecker was killed and fifteen persons were wounded. It was reported from Lenoire, Caldwell County, that a whole family was killed; six ladies are known to be lost. At Mecklenburgh five or six residences were destroyed but no lives lost. The cyclone also passed through Iredell County, doing great damage to fruit and blowing down many houses.

A BILL has been introduced in the New York Assembly prohibiting the sale or exhibition of indecent publications devoted to criminal and police news and containing descriptions calculated to encourage the morals of youth. The offense was made a misdemeanor. A petition was presented from the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children in favor of the bill and in favor of the prohibition of the sale of dime novels.

TEA declined four cents in New York on the 28th, when the failure of L. W. Manford & Co., heavy brokers in coffees and teas, was announced.

MICHAEL CONLIN, a collector of Troy township, near Joliet, Ill., was attacked by three men on the highway on the 28th, who bound and gagged him, robbed him of $1,100 belonging to the township, and taking his horse and buggy, made their escape.

AT Riverside, N. Y., on the 28th, Mrs. Orrin Farrell, in a fit of insanity, shot her two youngest children dead with a rifle and then blew her own brains out.

SECRETARY LINCOLN has ordered the purchase of 100,000 rations for the Mississippi flood sufferers and steamers chartered for their distribution.

WHILE workmen were engaged in taking down a brick building in Cincinnati on the 28th, the walls suddenly fell, burying eight men beneath the debris. Seven three of whom were thought to be fatally injured. August Keichenweister, the contractor, who was inside the building when it fell, was killed.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended the 28th were in the United States 172, Canada 32: total 204, against 213 the previous week.

DURING the first eight months of the present fiscal year the internal revenue receipts were $78,099,320, a decrease of $18,451,260 compared with the corresponding period in 1883. The aggregate receipts for February were $2,030,862 less than in February of 1883.

EIGHT hundred miners of the fourth pool Monongaheia River, struck on the 28th against a reduction of one-fourth cent per bushel on the price of mining.

THREE burglars named Bagley, Hays and Parmenter recently attempted to rob a Galveston (Tex.) bank. The police were waiting for them. Bagley was killed and Parmenter captured after a desperate fight. Hays escaped.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended March 29: Loans decrease, $1,312,000; specie increase, $426,400; legal tenders decrease, $1,186,000; deposits decrease, $2,900,000; circulation increase, $63,200; reserve decrease, $864,675. The banks now hold $7,725,450 in excess of the legal requirements.

JAMES D. FRARY, SON & CO., cutlery manufacturers of Bridgeport, Conn., have failed for $87,000, with assets barely sufficient to pay off their three hundred employes.

THE Secretary of State has telegraphed Minister Lowell at London to express the President's sympathy to Her Majesty, the Queen Victoria, in her bereavement.

A COLLISION between two freights on the Pan Handle Railroad, near Columbus, O., on the 30th ult., wrecked the locomotives and slightly injured both engineers and a fireman.

THERE are now fifteen or twenty "bucket shops," for buying and selling stocks and grain on margins, located in Washington and the ticker has found its way into the Capitol building.

Two freight trains collided on the West Pennsylvania Railroad near Saltsburgh, Pa., on the 29th ult., wrecking a number of cars and instantly killing one of the engineers.

THE nitro-glycerine house of the Repauno Chemical Works, at Thompson's Point, N. J., exploded on the 28th ult., instantly killing Lamont Dupont, vice president of the company; W. S. Hill, superintendent; George Norton, Henry L. Norcross, Louis Levy, employes, and A. Clarson, a traveling salesman of the company. The explosion is said to have been caused by too much heat generated by nitric acid.

LORENZO D. BEAN, a farmer of Spring Arbor, Mich., aged sixty, went insane from brooding over the Crouch tragedy and died on the 28th ult.

THE House Committee on Labor have agreed to favorably report the bill providing that it shall be unlawful for any person in the employ of the United States or any State to contract with any one to hire out the labor of prisoners confined in any prison or jail for the violation of any laws of the United States.

DAVID S. HOLCOMB and Jud Crouch have been held for trial at Jackson, Mich., for the murder of Jacob D. Crouch, Mr. and Mrs. White, and Polley the driver.

AMONG the pension bills passed by the House on the 28th ult. was one allowing the widow of General James B. Steedman, of Ohio, $50 a month, and a bill in favor of Mrs. Sarah E. Seeleye, of Michigan, who served as a soldier for three years and deserted while sick to escape the detection of her sex.

MICHAEL BURNS, an inoffensive and popular waiter at the St. James Hotel, Galveston, Tex., was shot in cold blood in an alley adjoining the hotel on the 30th ult. by Willis Adams. The murderer was arrested, but threats of taking him from the jail and lynching him were freely made.

GREAT excitement exists among the miners throughout the Clearfield and Broad Top districts, Pennsylvania, owing to the announcement that the prominent companies comprising the bituminous coal exchange would reduce all wages in all departments of labor on the 1st. It is stated that fifteen thousand discontented miners are ready to throw down the tools and join in a strike, which will no doubt be inaugurated unless there is some modification or an entire abolition of the new schedule of mining rates. Extended and complicated difficulties, if not lawless and disastrous uprisings are apprehended by the coal and transportation companies.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MRS. KATE N. DOGGETT, widely known in art and literary circles, died recently at Havana, Cuba, of consumption.

AUGUSTUS SCHELL died at his residence in New York on the 27th, of Bright's disease.

MINISTER SARGENT has cabled Secretary Frelinghuysen, declining the appointment of minister to Berlin, and expressing a wish to resign his post at Berlin because of ill-health, and for other reasons which would be explained by letter.

THE Knight Templar degrees were conferred upon Hon. Moses H. Kirby, of Upper Sandusky, O., by Marion Commandery No. 36, K. T., at Marion, O., on the 27th. Mr. Kirby has been a Mason for sixty-five years, and as far as known is the oldest Mason living. He was born at New Halifax County, Va., in 1798, and came to Ohio in 1815. Fifty years from the first time he entered the Ohio Senate he was again returned to serve another term. He became a Mason at Newbern, in North Carolina. He was one of the charter members of Marion Lodge No. 70, and also of Warpole Lodge, Upper Sandusky, serving as Master of the latter for twenty years. His health is excellent, and notwithstanding his advanced age, he has again returned to the practice of the law.

MRS. SHERWOOD STRATTON, mother of the late General Tom Thumb, died at New Haven, Conn., on the 27th.

THE following have been named by Governor Hoadly as directors of the Ohio Penitentiary: D. C. Coolman, of Portage County, for one year; George S. Peters, of Columbus, two years; William S. Robinson, Cincinnati, three years; D. E. Foe, Clermont County, four years; and Ferdinand T. Reuple, of Hocking County, five years.

FOREIGN.

PRINCE LEOPOLD, Duke of Albany, fourth and youngest son of Queen Victoria, died suddenly at Cannes, France, on the morning of the 28th. The Prince died in a fit as he was on the point of starting for Darmstadt to attend the wedding of his niece, the Princess Victoria of Hesse. He was thirty-one years of age.

THE grand National race at Liverpool on the 28th for 1,000 guineas was won by Voltigeur, Prince Soult, Roquefort third.

ON the 28th Lady Campbell was granted a judicial separation from her husband, Lord Colin Campbell, brother of the Marquis of Lorne.

PROFESSOR ELIAS LOENNROT, a distinguished Finland philologist, is dead.

THE war sloop Alert, given to America by England for the Greeley search expedition, has sailed for the United States.

THE immediate cause of the Duke of Albany's death was hemorrhage of the bowels, induced by his recent illness and promoted by undue exercise in dancing. He was standing on a chair at the ball watching a representation of the Battle of Roses, when he was seized with weakness, fell to the floor, cutting his head severely. On reaching his rooms he was taken in a fit and died in a few minutes. The Queen is greatly prostrated by the news, and his young wife is inconsolable.

A LONDON dispatch of the 30th ult. says it was reported that on the 16th General Gordon made a sortie from Khartoum with three thousand men, two guns and a squadron of Bashi Bazouk cavalry, accompanied by three steamers on the river. The rebels were encountered near Haliyeh. Sixty of the enemy's cavalry charged the Bashi Bazouks and put them to flight, causing a panic among the infantry, who also fled in great disorder. General Gordon returned to Khartoum. Notwithstanding this check he declares Khartoum quite safe.

I always keep your medicines in stock. Downs' Elixir is selling better than any Cough medicine I have, and with good results.
C. M. Smith, Druggist, Clarkston, Mich.

Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters give the best satisfaction of any medicine I sell. They have advertised themselves and I warrant every bottle.
N. DeKrief, Druggist, Zeeland, Mich.

Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment, for external use is equally good.

C. W. Jones' paper mill at Dundee, will start this week.

Look out for Your Head!

No matter what parts it may finally affect, catarrh always starts in the head, and belongs to the head. There is no mystery about the origin of this direful disease. It begins in a neglected cold. One of the kind that is "sure to be better in a few days." Thousands of victims know how it is by sad experience. Ely's Cream Balm cures colds in the head and catarrh in all its stages. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Applied with the finger to the nostrils.

The Dundee new $18,000 school house is nearly completed.

Mr. Gough on Silk Hats.

"It would be no violation of the commandment," said John B. Gough. "If a man were to fall down and worship the silk hat, for it is not made in the likeness of anything in heaven, or on earth, or in the waters which are under the earth." Besides it heats the head and causes the hair to fall off. Parker's Hair Balsam will stop this and restore the original color to gray or faded hair. Not oily, not dye, beneficial, deliciously perfumed. A perfect hair dressing. 50c All druggists.

Chicken thieves took 25 pullets from one man in Columbiaville.

The pain and sorrow of a morning were turned into the comfort and pleasure of an evening, in the case of Mr. Edwin Sears, of Provincetown, Mass., by the use of Athlophoros. He writes: "I was troubled with Rheumatism so much that I resolved to try Athlophoros. In the morning I could not walk across the room alone. After taking three doses I was almost free from pain, and could walk as well as ever."

Beware of Frauds.—Be sure you get the genuine Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It cures Colds, Croup, Asthma, Deafness and Rheumatism.

The chances for making a fortune by deceiving the people are so great that many manufacturers of Baking Powder use the columns of the leading newspaper to show comparative tests. We notice one brand, Deland's Chemical Baking Powder, that has never been mentioned or compared with others. Upon investigation, we find a statement on the label which is the best reason in the world why other manufacturers avoid mentioning it. The brand is Deland's Chemical and the statement reads "Pure Cream Tartar and Bi Carb. Soda Only. No filling whatever."

Reported that a new cheese factory will be started at Bloomingdale.

George Campbell, Hopkinsville, Ky, says: Burdock Blood Bitters is the best preparation for the Blood and Stomach ever manufactured.

Bad Drainage causes sickness, bad blood and improper action of the liver and kidneys is bad drainage to the human system, which Burdock Blood Bitters remedy.

M. L. Blair, Alderman 5th Ward Scranton, Pa., stated Nov. 9, '83: He had used Dr. Thomas Electric Oil for sprains, burns, cuts and rheumatism.

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We All Believe

That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

—New York has a woman auctioneer, the only one in America. She comes from England, where it is not unusual for women thus to utilize their linguistic fluency.—*N. Y. Sun*

—California has 900 churches of all denominations and about 1,000,000 of inhabitants.

—In Gainesville, Fla., chickens are killed by snapping off their heads with a whip.

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Rev. E. W. Flower, Episcopal, Greenville, has resigned.

SCROFULA. A medicine that destroys the germs of Scrofula and has the power to root it out is appreciated by the afflicted. The remarkable cures of men, women and children as described by testimonials, prove Hoods Sarsaparilla a reliable medicine containing remedial agents which eradicate Scrofula from the blood. 100 doses $1. Sold by all dealers. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Fortune-tellers find fools at Ovid.

The True Test.

If a man is hungry within an hour more or less after a meal he is a dyspeptic, it shows his stomach is not able to dispose of what he has eaten, but to eat again, and thus impose more work, is absurdity. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidneys and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier a sure cure for ague and malaria diseases. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

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Geo. P. Smith has purchased an interest in the East Tawas Salt and Lumber Co.

St. Johns has a well which has proved equal to a dog pound. Two dogs and two living dogs have been removed from it.

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All work warranted to give satisfaction and prices reasonable.

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A farm of 114 acres, within one mile of Blissfield, good buildings and one of the best farms in that section of the country. Stock and tools sold with the farm if desired. Reason for selling, poor health. For further particulars call at the
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The house and lot and building formerly occupied by D. Davis' Marble Works. Must be placed for some
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Prices low and terms of payment easy. For particulars enquire at the
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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power of sale contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Lenawee, in the state of Michigan, in Liber 99 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of sixteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1623,) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at five o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, viz: All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26) lying north of the center of the River Raisin, and the south half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the Raisin River (so called), all in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D., 1884.

OSCAR F. BILLS,
Executor.
Jan24

ESTATE OF ELLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel Haight, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of her last sickness and funeral and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that he has made advance payments to Charles Stocking, the husband of said deceased, nearly in full of his distributive share of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A True Copy.
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar20

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob G. Roberts, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 29th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the Judge of Probate for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February, 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
mar1 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 25th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 25th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 5th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
mar5 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF LEROY MEAD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Leroy Mead, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cyrus Mead, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of his last sickness and funeral, and of administration of said estate, and is ready to render his final account, and asks that the surplus arising from the sale of real estate assigned to the widow of said deceased be set off to her, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A True Copy.
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar5

ESTATE OF SILAS W. BASS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Lucy A. Bass, administratrix of said estate, praying for the allowance of her final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto, and for her discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 1, 1884.

HUNTING AN ISSUE.

Congress has now been in session about four months, and we may ask what has been accomplished? They have not yet reached the appropriation bills, they have not yet grappled with the much agitated tariff reform, they have not yet taken any steps toward the solution of the Mormon question. It is manifest that a presidential election is approaching and the politicians are afraid to act. It has come to pass that our great political parties have no longer any principles which they think worth maintaining. The democrats are talking about tariff reform, but it is evident from the manner in which they are dealing with it, that they care nothing about tariff reform apart from finding a political issue. The most ardent ones advocate it not from principle, but because they think it will win. They would give it up to-day were they persuaded that it would defeat them. The republicans talk protection, but they too, are hunting an issue. They would not advocate it were it not that they think it will be the winning issue.

Now we do not wish to be understood as belittling the tariff issue. We do not consider it a mere local issue by any means. It is a great problem, and one which is to be solved in the near future by the commercial world. There is reason for difference of opinion upon it. There is difference of opinion, and we must confess after all the discussion pro and con, that it is difficult to say which is the true principle, free trade or protection. There can be no doubt that if national independence and home industry, and wealth are the objects to be sought then we should advocate protection. But if division of labor among the nations as among the individuals of a community is the true policy, if it is best to let each nation do that work which it is prepared to do most skillfully and cheaply, and then exchange with some other nation, which can do some other work of its best, and thus unite the nations together in a perpetual league of friendship by golden chains of commerce, and based as far as possible the feeling of national isolation upon free trade is the true policy. Much may be said on either side. Certainly there is room for discussion. If the parties would take it seriously and deal with it we should have no cause of complaint. It is the degrading endeavor to hoodwink each side at once, which provokes just condemnation.

To be a statesman is to learn to stand as the advocate of great principles. And the statesman was willing to support his principles even if it brought defeat. But alas! what a change there has been since that day! Now the statesman is a politician who has no principles which he cares to maintain. Platforms are still set forth, in beautiful language, but they mean very little. It seems to be understood that they are simply electioneering schemes, to hoodwink plain people and catch votes. So it is that in this day when there are so many living issues before the people, so many grand problems to be solved, our statesmen only consult the interests of party and leave Mormonism and intemperance to flourish, and our finances to drift along in uncertainty and doubt. Pity it is that we have not statesmen great enough to rise above the selfish love of office, and battle for the right, because it is right, willing to stand by it even when the gloom of defeat enshrouds its banner. Until this is done, our statesmen can not hope to fire the American heart and lead our people to great and glorious victories.—Social Reformer.

It takes manufactories to make a town boom, and gentlemen, if you have any interest in the growth and prosperity of your town, you should at least make an effort to get them. If not do just as you are doing and you will have a real nice, quiet town in which you can hear the buzz of the festive blue tailed fly from one end of the village to the other—yea, even the howl of the lonesome canine will be unto you as the roar of many waters.

Schools have been closed at Riga, two miles from Blissfield, owing to ravages of scarlet fever.

DAWN OF PEACE.

The Rabbled-Ruled City Emerging from the Gloom of Anarchy—Order Restored by the Troops.

The Number of Killed and Wounded Now Estimated at Two Hundred—Two Thousand Extra Police to Relieve the Military.

LATEST ADVICES.

CINCINNATI, April 1.—There is no appearance of a relaxation of the preparations for defense. Barricades, barrels and every other sort of material still remain at all the avenues of approach to the county buildings, and behind them stand the militia with guns and fixed bayonets everywhere bristling. The police have been sent away to their regular posts, and are obtaining some rest. Though the general feeling is that there will be no further outbreak, there is not lacking men who predict otherwise.

At the meeting of the citizens' committees appointed by the Mayor a resolution was adopted thanking the Governor and the Ohio National Guard for the efficient aid rendered the civil authorities and pledging support to the Mayor in the course he has adopted and about being to furnish additional means if in the opinion of the Mayor additional force is necessary. Resolutions were also adopted appointing a committee to provide rooms for the use of the courts and recommending that the Court of Common Pleas proceed at once to the trial of criminal cases. The Mayor was requested to select an executive committee of fifteen from the members of his meeting for advice and counsel, to whom all matters should be referred.

It has been ascertained with great satisfaction that nearly the entire record of records in the recorder's office including the records, deeds, mortgages, etc., are saved. A person who had had with the office says there are not more than fifty volumes of the records comprising transactions about three years of the thirty years ago. This will be of a great value considering what else is lost. It is supposed the money in the Treasury vaults and the records in the Probate Judge's vaults are safe, but the safes cannot yet be opened.

The physician attending Briggs Swift says his condition is much improved, though his advanced age, seventy-three years, makes the chances of recovery less. Mr. Swift, with Henry Hanna, were walking up Main Street toward the Court House when at the [illegible] a soldier ordered them to halt. They obeyed. Immediately afterward a gun was discharged in front of them and both fell. Mr. Swift's [illegible] through the thigh of the left leg. He fell in view Mr. Hanna with him was hurried from the excitement.

THE MORTALITY LIST.

The committee of fifteen appointed by Mayor Stephens held a meeting in Pike's Building at noon and decided to increase the force to 2,000 men, enrollment to commence at once, for the purpose of relieving the militia force, to be paid by popular subscription, the contributors to be reimbursed hereafter. A resolution was adopted calling on citizens to organize in each ward for protection and order. The total number known killed is forty-eight. It is thought a number taken home and not reported have died from their wounds. The total number known to be wounded is 128. Many were wounded who could walk to their homes and are not reported. It is thought that between 300 and 500 were more or less wounded.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS WELL GUARDED.

At the jail and city buildings everything is in the most complete state of defense. Across all the streets and all railways approaching the former, the seat of war, the barricades have been strengthened and augmented. The commanding officers are sanguine in their expressions as to no fear of further outbreak, and indeed appearances in the city would lead one to think them perfectly right. The mob seems entirely quelled, and to stand in such wholesome fear of the reckless shooting of the soldiers and the terrible effects of the Gatling gun as to have had a sufficiency of rushing into the jaws of death. The Thirteenth and Fourteenth Regiments, under command respectively of Colonels Picard and Freeman, from Hillsboro and Columbus, seem to be considered the most reliable, and are still on duty guarding the barricades, the point of all the attacks. The entire military force endures the unaccustomed hardships and exposures in a manner befitting even old veterans.

JOINT SESSION OF THE COURTS.

The judges of the Supreme and Common Pleas Courts met this afternoon in general joint session at the Eighth district schoolhouse to consult upon what was best to be done under the circumstances, and as to the most practical arrangements that could be made to proceed with very pressing court business. The county commissioners sent a communication that of the several buildings examined the public library buildings was evidently the best for court room purposes. It was therefore determined to await further action of the commissioners, and the joint session adjourned without anything definite having been determined upon. The commissioners will also immediately engage rooms in some convenient building to be used as offices for the other county officials until the Court House can be rebuilt. They also arranged for an immediate supply of the necessary blank books and stationery, and for clearing away the debris and for plans for repairing the present building. The outside walls and some of the inner ones are still sound. It is now thought that the contents of all the safes are saved. The fireproof material answered all requirements and stood the terrible test very well. The vault of the Probate Court, in which all wills are kept, is in excellent condition.

CONDITION OF THE WOUNDED.

The wounded, with few exceptions, are doing well. At the hospital since the last report: Henry Neimeyer, aged forty, tailor, shot through the right shoulder and lung, and Philip Rabbe, aged forty-seven, moulder, residing in Avondale, shot through the chest, have died. Rabbe's case was a peculiarly affecting one. Wounded as he was, through the lungs, he could hardly breathe. At each attempted inspiration the air would enter the orifice in his back, causing increased agony, to be renewed at each succeeding respiration and inspiration. Thomas F. Green, a colored coachman, and son of Rev. E. W. Green, of Maysville, Ky., also died this morning. Green was shot near Powell's store, on Main street during the attack of the mob upon that place while passing on his way to take a car home. He is spoken of by his former employers as a most exemplary young colored man, and was an Odd Fellow in good standing.

About five o'clock this evening a fatal accident happened in front of the jail. A number of soldiers of the Governor's Guard, Columbus, were lying against the stone wall on the sidewalk asleep, when one of the guns leaning against the wall was knocked down and discharged. The bayonet in falling slightly wounded Private H. L. Stockwell. The ball struck the wall and knocked off a piece of stone, which wounded Okey Armistead, the drum corps sergeant, and the ball then glancing struck Israel S. Gatz in the eye and lodged in his brain. He was removed to the hospital, where, at nine o'clock p. m., he was in a dying condition. Gatz was a clerk in a railroad office at Columbus.

WANDERING THROUGH THE RUINS

of the Court House but the toppling inner walls, hanging iron joist or stair railings as well as the uncertain floors made that too venturesome for most visitors. Photographers and artists were taking views and sketches of the scene. The people

the barricades something in the suggestive fearfulness of those protruding guns and an uncomfortable uncertainty as to whether they might not be discharged upon insufficient provocation took away all the interest to mere sight-seers. People did not like to see a squad collected anywhere in sight of the soldiers, and the policeman's request, "Move on," was always promptly obeyed. The subsistence of the troops at the jail has been comparatively easy, though the first meal taken by the fourteenth Regiment was very unsatisfactory. It was served Sunday morning by placing on the sidewalk barrels of bread, kettles of pickled beef and mackerel filled with coffee. Dry only table was the sidewalk and the only tableware was a tin cup for each man. Since then the men have been fed at a restaurant within the lines. It was observed, with unfavorable comment, that one of the several saloons within the lines was open and doing an excellent business.

The chief topic of conversation among the lawyers who wished about the ruined Court House was the effect upon all legal business of this

DESTRUCTION OF THE RECORDS.

As to real estate titles not much more than inconvenience is expected, as many of the deed records were saved and beside the abstract company has copies of the abstracts of all titles which, with the deeds in the possession of individuals, keep the chain of titles clear. The greatest inconvenience and loss will result from the loss of original vouchers in cases of estate, assignments and trusts in the Probate Court. How to collect taxes is a problem not yet solved. The commissioners have asked to be present when the treasurer opens his safe. This is because there are no means of determining how much money he has there belonging to the county. The destruction of the records of civil suits, while causing inconvenience, will clear up many tangled and tedious cases, and will probably not be [illegible] disaster.

Since the last report

FOUR ADDITIONAL DEATHS

have occurred at the hospital: Fred Bickenhurst, Leroy Simmons, Charles Miller and Andrew Nichols. The exact number of dead and wounded will probably never be ascertained on account of many wounded being carried away by friends, but the number of killed outright or dying at the hospital up to midnight to-night is forty-one, as shown by the city undertakers and the hospital records, and such information from those taken home as could be had, and the number of wounded, compiled from the same source, is 120. They are probably half as many more wounded and not reported.

TROOPS RETURNING.

COLUMBUS, March 31.—Advices from Cincinnati are such that at noon Governor Hoadly has ordered the troops en route to return. The Fourth and Fourteenth Regiments have been relieved and the rest of the troops held in Cincinnati till further orders. The city will be guarded till Wednesday at least.

A New School for Indian Boys.

YANKTON, Dak., March 31.—For several months Bishop Marty, of the Catholic Church of Dakota, has been trying to secure the establishment at Yankton of a Government school for training Indian boys. A fine three-story brick building, which was built for the Academy of the Sacred Heart, but which the Sisters of Mercy were not able to pay for, has passed into control of Bishop Marty. The possession of this building, the nearness of Yankton to the Indian Territory, Bishop Marty's long experience among Indians, and his interest in their welfare, have brought about the success of the movement. Last night forty Sioux Indian boys reached Yankton to become members of the school, which will be similar to the Indian schools at Hampton and Carlisle, and is the only one of the kind west of the Alleghenies. Yankton's public schools are considered the best in the Territory. The Academy of the Sacred Heart is a good school for Catholics. Yankton College, established by the Congregational churches of Dakota, is now in its second year, with seven teachers and 100 students. The addition to the new school will serve to make Yankton the educational center of Dakota.

The Cattle Disease.

ELK CITY, KAS., April 1.—The excitement about the foot and mouth disease is gradually subsiding. Some of our leading stock men who have been on the grounds pronounce it not the old foot-and-mouth disease that injured the live-stock interests of the Old World so badly. Our stock are getting along finely, and we are in hopes that two weeks more will put them on the grass. If our cattle were to take a disease like that in Woodson County, we would put on white paint on the parts affected and drench with Glauber salts. I would not wait, either, for their hoofs to come off or the flesh to slough to the knees. It occurs to me that those cattle must have been badly handed. The stock interests of the State have suffered a good deal from this excitement, very few cattle changing hands, and all waiting for developments, but the trouble is about over and things will soon get back to their old place.

The Manhattan Railroad.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Jay Gould has arranged with the Mercantile Trust Company to purchase from the first preferred stockholders the Manhattan Railway, in whose favor a dividend was declared payable April 1. Their claims to a dividend from the New York Elevated Railway for a like amount in the case of the Merger agreement of the three elevated railway companies should be adjudged invalid.

Oyster Packer Failed.

BALTIMORE, April 1.—Ferdinand H. Sieward, an oyster packer, has assigned. The liabilities are unknown.

Paper Mill Burned.

NIAGARA FALLS, March 31.—Hill & Murray's paper mill burned yesterday. Loss $40,000. Insured.

Stories on the Road.

Commercial Travelers at a Wayside Inn—Something to Put in a Gripsack.

"Gentlemen, I almost envy you the positions you fill; your experience of the world; your knowledge of business; the changing sights you see, and all that you know."

This warmly expressed regret fell from the lips of an elderly pleasure tourist, last August, and was addressed to a semicircle of commercial travelers seated on the porch of the Lindell Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

"Yes, responded a New York representative of the profession, "a drummer lays without his pleasures, but he runs his risks too—risks outside the causes of railroad collisions and steamboat explosions."

"What risks for instance?"

"This, for instance," said Mr. W. D. Franklin, who was then traveling for an eastern house and is known to merchants in all parts of the country. "The risk which indeed amounts almost to a certainty of getting dyspepsia from perpetual change of diet and water and from having no [illegible] was any danger. I say was, for I am all right now."

"No deception on your digestion" broke in a unknown fat sleep-traveler lighting his cigar afresh.

"Not a quarter per cent. But I had to give up traveling for a while. The dyspepsia ruined my paper. Finally I came across an advertisement of PARKER'S TONIC. I tried it and it fixed me up to perfection. There is nothing on earth in my opinion equal to it as a cure for dyspepsia."

Messrs. Hiscox & Co., of New York, the proprietors, hold a letter from Mr. Franklin stating that precise fact. PARKER'S TONIC aids digestion, cures malarial fevers, heartburn, headache, coughs and colds and all chronic diseases of the liver and stomach. Put a bottle in your valise. Prices 50 and $1. Economy in larger size.

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HAY-FEVER

Causes no Pain or Dread. Gives Relief at once. Not a liquid or snuff. Applied with the finger. Thorough Treatment will cure.

Price 50 cents, by mail or at druggists. ELY BROTHERS, Druggists, Owego, N. Y.

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Canned Fruits of all Kinds.

In fact anything in this line can be bought at The Lowest figures.

HENRY McCLURE, Chicago St. Tecumseh, Mich

ESTATE OF STEVENS MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian on Tuesday, the 4th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14 th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar13

ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased, is in part at least, a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for hearing the same.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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Endless variety in School Suits,
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Elegant line Spring Overcoats.

All the latest novelties in

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Prices Lower than ever Before Known.

KIES BROTHERS!

GRAND CLEARING SALE OF

FURNITURE

During the month of April we will have daily sales regardless of cost. We are obliged to do this to make room for our immense stock of Furniture, Trunks Sewing Machines, &c., contracted for.

Come and see us before you purchase. We must unload if we have to do so at a loss. We never had so complete a stock of goods as we have to day, but they must be sold.

Splendid Walnut Bedroom Suits at $30.

SLAYTON & KINNEY

TECUMSEH.

P.S.—A 20c pocketbook given to each person buying $1 worth or more for cash, at our store this week.

DR. GEO. FERGUSON

Late of Coldwater, this state,

Takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Tecumseh and vicinity that he has purchased the

Drug and Grocery Business of J. W. Patterson at the old Patterson store in this Village.

The Doctor is a physician and druggist and is every way competent and reliable in his line of business. The stock is being thoroughly sifted, and every article not actually prime is thrown out.

We have a large and fine line of wall paper, which we invite the people to see for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. We do not expect to sell all the goods sold in our line in the village, but by fair and honorable dealing hope to secure our share of trade.

MY STOCK

In all lines is now complete, having just filled up with the

LATEST STYLES

In Spring and Summer Goods.

The attention of the public is respectfully requested. Call and examine.

JOE WILSON.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED.—A good seamstress to learn tailoring at KIES BROS.

FOR SALE.—Several desirable family residences in village of Tecumseh. Enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

LUMBER WAGON in good condition, for sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

SINGLE BUGGY, almost new, for sale at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

MISS BERT VAN ANTWERP has opened a dressmaking room at J. H. Aten's residence one door south of Council building.

FOR SALE.—One good work horse, 10 years old. Will sell cheap. Enquire of S. T. LEWIS.

C. Hardware, Tinware, Stoves and Tinsmithing and Roofing a specialty. Chain and Suction Pumps. Headquarters for the celebrated Buckeye Plow. Also the Kalamazoo Spring Tooth Harrow. Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich.
D. CORYELL. A. W. LAWTON. H. SMITH.

SCHOOL BLANKS.—A full line of School Blanks kept in stock at the HERALD OFFICE.

A SMALL MANUFACTURING BUSINESS established on a paying basis, for sale cheap. Good reasons for selling. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

30 COTSWOLD SHEEP—About one-half of them ewes in profit, can be bought at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—Lot 6 in block 2 in Kiley's addition to the village of Tecumseh, on Chippewa street (west), very cheap if sold within the next thirty days. Apply to Marshall Taylor on the premises.
TECUMSEH, March 24, 1884.

NOTICE.—My wife Sarah, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.
TECUMSEH, March 25, 1884.
WALTER LOCKWOOD.

FOR SALE.—New lumber wagon, one of my make, for sale cheap. I. B. RICHART.

SMALL FRUIT PLANTS FOR SALE. Grape vines 10c each. Strawberry, Raspberry, Blackberry and other small fruit plants for sale. F. D. HILLMAN.

FOR SALE.—One good work horse, weight 1400 lbs, 12 yrs. old, price $100; also one bay mare 6 yrs old, sound and kind, weight 1150 lbs, price $160. Residence 3 miles north-west of Tecumseh village. J. F. N. BOWEN.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if taken soon. For particulars enquire of J. W. COLE.
Also a good house and lot for sale.

TYPE WRITER.—As good as new, for sale cheap. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

LOST.—One note given by me to Samuel Jackson for two hundred dollars. The same forbidden.
H. E. WILSON.
HOLLOWAY, Mich, March 19, 1884.

COAL ASHES REMOVED.—Parties wishing to have coal ashes or other rubbish removed, can have the same promptly done by leaving orders at the HERALD OFFICE.

PLASTING—STONE AND STUMP.—Elijah Wilson holds himself in readiness to plant stumps and stones at all times. Leave orders at Whitenack, Bordine & Co's, or at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros'.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE. The farm about 4 miles west of Tecumseh, containing about 300 acres, is now offered for sale. All persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and judgment.
E. B. WOOD, Agent.

ALL PURCHASERS OF

DEERING BINDERS

in vicinity of Tecumseh, can have them adjusted and put in order for harvest of 1884 free of charge, by leaving word with Messrs. Slayton & Son before April 15, where they will find a full and complete stock of repairs and Deering twine.
JESSE L. BERCH, General Agent.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Tyler, Bidwell and Maiden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individuals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool ewes and rams will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address
B. J. BIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

NOTICE.—We have left our books of accounts with Charles Burridge of this village for settlement of accounts due us. Those indebted to us are hereby requested to call at his office and pay such indebtedness to him.
D. B. ANTHONY & CO.
February 20, 1884.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing to buy a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to extend to my neighbors and friends my heartfelt thanks for the many kindnesses extended to me during my late bereavement.
D. T. LEWIS.

The Republicans of the township of Tecumseh will meet in caucus at the Council room in the village of Tecumseh, on Saturday, April 5, 1884, at 2 P. M., to nominate township officers, elect delegates to county convention, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.
BY ORDER OF COM.

E. V. DePuy has opened a cigar and confectionery store in the rooms formerly occupied by Mrs. H. E. Stout, where he would be pleased to see all his friends. The store is neatly fitted up and he will carry a good stock.

Services at the Methodist Episcopal Church next Sunday as follows: 10:30 A. M., a sermon to parents; 12 M. S. S. 6:30 P. M. young people's meeting; 7:30 P. M. sermon on the Cincinnati riots. All are cordially invited.
GEO. W. HUDSON, Pastor.

F. D. Brooks of Ann Arbor, has rented the rooms heretofore occupied by C. H. Hopkins, and has opened a photograph gallery there, in connection with Walter Heck. He comes well recommended and hopes to secure a good trade. The firm will be Brooks & Heck.

The temperance people of Tecumseh mean business. The ministers have all preached on the subject with in the past month. On the evening of the 23d of March a union temperance meeting was held in the Methodist Episcopal Church. Petitions are now being circulated among both men and women praying the Council to refuse to accept bonds from the saloon men. Unless there is a weakening on the part of those who are intrusted with this important work, it does seem that the great end will be reached and our saloons shut up. May God hasten the day!

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 3, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The clerk of the weather is getting ready for election day.

The indications all point to a warm contest at the coming spring elections.

Archie Sherrard is in town a few days, circulating around among his old friends.

The April term of the Circuit Court began last Tuesday. The jury has been summoned to attend on the 8th inst.

James DePuy, Esq., of Moscow, Cayuga Co., N. Y., spent last week with his nephew, Frank DePuy, in Macon.

Will Kies returned from his western trip last Saturday looking as hale and hearty as a veritable farmer. His health is fully restored.

It is quite likely that the Democrats will run J. W. Bradner for supervisor of Clinton again this spring and if they do they will elect him.

Frank Bumann has not sold out his business here in Tecumseh but will next week have his teams on the road buying farmers' produce.

Gov. Begole has appointed Thursday, the 24th day of April, as "Arbor Day. Make a note of it and let every man in the community plant a tree on that day.

Blissfield had a blaze last Tuesday. Rhoades Bros.' meat market being destroyed by fire. The building was partially insured but the loss will be considerable.

Next Saturday is registration day. Persons who have moved into town since the last election must register on Saturday or lose their vote at the town election.

Cassius Fisk, of Clinton, is the proprietor of a lemon tree. He recently picked from it a ripe lemon three and one-half inches in diameter, which [illegible] ing.

The ladies of the Methodist church netted $43.15 at their old fashioned New England supper on Wednesday evening of last week. They wish to thank the public for their liberal patronage.

C. A. Thatcher, of Tiffin, Ohio, will make another delivery of fine crayon portraits the first of May. We take pleasure in recommending his work as it has given universal satisfaction to our citizens.

Dr. Stolze will deliver a lecture Sunday afternoon at the Opera House, at 2 o'clock, on "The Moral and Social Effect of What we Eat and Drink."—This is considered one of the Doctor's greatest lectures.

A petition has been forwarded to Washington asking for a daily mail from Onsted on the M. & O. road via Springville and Cambridge to Brooklyn. The people interested are sanguine of success.

The Britton Literary Society will give an exhibition at Macon Grange hall, on Wednesday evening, April 9. A good entertainment and we hope they will draw a crowded house. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Dr. Stolz has just closed a very successful course of Health Lectures at Adrian, running two weeks and has arranged to give six lectures at the Opera House in Tecumseh commencing this Thursday evening, April 3. Opening lecture free. Go early to secure good seats.

It is hoped that only the best men of either party will be nominated for the various offices to be filled at the coming election, so that no matter which ticket wins, good and efficient officers will be chosen to manage the affairs of the township for the ensuing year. This is a matter in which every tax payer should be deeply interested.

Among the first duties devolving upon the new village Council will be the appointment of a marshall. The present incumbent, J. W. Cole, has filled the position admirably, reflecting credit upon both himself and the village. We believe a majority of our citizens will agree with us in expressing the hope that he may receive a re-appointment.

The Social Reformer for March was issued yesterday. It is the best number published thus far, and the publisher has concluded to issue the paper regularly hereafter, once each month, and charge a subscription price of twenty-five cents a year therefor. A wise conclusion. Sample copies sent to any address by writing to Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Tecumseh.

"Aunt Laura" Haviland, of Raisin, although now past the allotted age of three score and ten is enjoying good health. She is now engaged in lecturing on temperance and selling the book entitled 'A Woman's Life Work.' It is a book of thrilling interest, giving her experiences in old slavery times, when her house was a station of the "Underground Railroad." The fugitive slave always found shelter beneath her roof and assistance on his way to freedom. The book will be a valuable addition to any one's library and ought to have an extensive sale.

We have several new Toledo cards this week.

"All Fools" day passed without any serious accident in this town.

Teachers and pupils are enjoying a vacation this week. The spring term will open next Monday.

We are indebted to the Social Reformer for several interesting articles in this week's HERALD.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Masonic lodge to-morrow evening. Let there be a full attendance.

Dr. R. B. House has just returned from the east, where he has been on professional duties.

Our enterprising furniture dealers, Slayton & Kinney, announce a grand clearing sale this week. Read it carefully and profit thereby.

We paid Kelley, Hoxsie & Co., of Holloway a short call last Tuesday and found them prospering. The firm is building up a lucrative trade.

Dr. Geo. Ferguson has a new card in this week's HERALD. He is getting settled down in business finely and is well pleased with Tecumseh.

The Democratic Caucus will be held at the Council Room next Saturday at 3 o'clock, P. M., to nominate a ticket for the ensuing town election.

C. H. Hopkins has gone to Battle Creek, and is thinking seriously of taking up his permanent residence there. Should he conclude to remain there, Battle Creek will secure a first-class artist.

The Gardener's Monthly for April is at hand and it is an extra number. The colored plate of single dahlias is handsome enough for a frame, and the contents are well up to the usual standard. C. H. Marot, publisher, 814 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

The 2d Quarterly meeting for the conference year was held at the Methodist Episcopal Church on the 8th and 9th of March. In the absence of the Presiding Elder the pastor officiated. Nine were received into the church, making a total of 40 since the coming of the present pastor, the 1st of last May.

E. J. Collier of Adrian, has rented for five years the store five doors east of where he is now located. It will be fitted expressly for his business, and his patrons can rest assured of seeing the most complete stock of Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines in the State. He will move in about two weeks.

Our marriage notices contain the announcement of the marriage of John B. Whelan, of Detroit, to Miss Myra Reynolds. The groom is a graduate of our High School and the bride has made many friends since her residence in Tecumseh. It is a good match in every sense of the word. We extend our congratulations and best wishes for a happy and prosperous future.

Clinton News: The big dam at Norvell went out Sunday morning and let a flood of water come rushing down the mighty Raisin. Monday afternoon the water was very high at this point. It washed out the embankment at the west bridge, so that it was unsafe to cross with a team. As a consequence many who had come to town were unable to get home at night, except by making a detour through Bridgewater or Newburg.

A letter received from L. A. Davis of Burlington, Kan., says:

"I notice an item in the HERALD in regard to the cattle plague in Kansas. The facts are these. No plague has broken out among the cattle; cattle are perfectly healthy and hearty, even those that have frozen their feet off are nearly all hearty and well every other way. Wire fence and narrow belts of timber, make poor wind brakes to protect cattle from the sharp, cutting winds in Kansas, with the mud half knee deep. There have been no cattle killed or burned on the account of disease."

Probably nineteen farmers in twenty must buy seed corn for next spring's planting, on account of the failure of the '83 crop to ripen. We must look sharp to the seeds we buy, that they are better than our own, as many unreliable parties will offer inferior stocks, to take advantage of the demand. We suggest that every corn grower should send to Hiram Sibley & Co., the reliable seedsmen at Rochester, N. Y., and Chicago, Ill., for their Catalogue and seed-corn circular. This house makes a specialty of seed-corn and we believe that they will do what they say they will.

OLD MAIL ROUTES.

F. A. Dewey, Esq., of Cambridge, has kindly furnished us with a few statistics in regard to the mail routes of this section in an early day, from which we gather the following:

In the month of January, 1834, the first mail over the LaPlaisance Bay road west of Tecumseh, was carried by stage and Michael Hendershot was driver. In 1834 the first mail was carried to Swansville or Brooklyn, from Springville—then later a mail route was established from Ann Arbor to Jackson via Grass Lake. Then one from Napoleon to Jackson. Then Brooklyn had a side cut from Napoleon. In the year 1871 Mr. Dewey got the mail route through from Cambridge to Brooklyn and it was carried until the year 1882. The first stage wagon west of Tecumseh with mail was in the year 1830, via Clinton to Jonesville, which was the first post office after leaving Tecumseh. Sumner Spofford was driver.

C. C. Tefft has moved into his new residence bought of J. E. Hall.

Geo. Goodrich of Clinton is spending his time now boiling sap. It has not been very good sugar weather thus far.

Philo C. Mills of Adrian, comes over to shake hands with his Tecumseh friends occasionally. We acknowledge a pleasant call from him last Monday.

Jerome Green of Raisin, is raising hogs on a large scale. He has sixty eight sheats now on hand to fatten, which he intends to turn off in August.

A set of platform scales, which he will place in position soon. He will give his personal attention to his farm this summer.

We have been pleased to note the action of the officers in regard to the Crouch murders. They were certainly very tardy in taking up the matter. If they had moved before the man Foy was out of the way they might have been more successful in unravelling the mystery. Then it seems, too, that they might have properly paid more attention in regard to those tracks in the plowed field, at the time of the inquest. And in regard to the failure to investigate more fully the causes of Mrs. Holcomb's death, the public can never feel fully satisfied. Of course the evidence against the accused is only circumstantial; but it would have been well to follow every clue from the first no matter where it pointed. Since the investigation began it has been pushed with commendable zeal, and it is to be hoped that the officers may yet be able to unravel the mystery.

The Cincinnati Riot.

Every lover of peace and order has read with profound regret the account of the riot in Cincinnati. Scores of lives have been lost, a great number have been wounded and thousands of dollars worth of property has been destroyed. For 48 hours the city was [illegible] joice that the authorities resisted the lawlessness so firmly. But at the same time we cannot but sympathize with the spirit which led to the disturbance. It took the wrong course but the principle is right. The laws have been so long trampled under foot by those whose duty it is to uphold them that forbearance has almost ceased to be a virtue. It is the beginning of an earthquake which will convulse the whole country, unless the evils are remedied. Unless our laws are executed and criminals punished the people, maddened by hope deferred and hoping against hope, will rise up like infuriated beasts and involve themselves, and the judges, jurors, lawyers and legislators, who have so long trampled on justice, in one common ruin with themselves.

THE PEOPLE'S CYCLOPEDIA.

Of this, the latest of its class and the production of the greatest scholars of Europe and America, the New York School Journal thus speaks:—"We cordially welcome this new work because it is based on correct principles. It is the cheapest Cyclopedia now published in a form at all acceptable."

Having educated himself, so to speak, to produce such a work, Dr. DePuy has chosen an able corps of assistants. Among them we note Judge Fancher, Prof. Winchell, Dr. Haven, President Alden, Professor Milne, all of whom we know personally to possess the trained powers of mind to fit them to aid in such a work. The others are well known to the public as men of exact, varied, and special knowledge.

We subjoin the following opinions of professional men in this place.

From Prof. D. A. Hammond, Supt. of Schools, Tecumseh.

I have only been able to examine "The People's Cyclopedia" cursorily, but I like it and cheerfully recommend it. I consider it a solid, excellent work, sufficiently full for most purposes, and yet so low a price as to place it within the reach of all the people. Having the Britannica still feel the need of a more compact work, and I gladly avail myself of the opportunity of supplying that need.

From Geo. W. Hudson, Pastor M. E. Church, Tecumseh.

I have examined at considerable length, the People's Cyclopedia, edited by W. H. DePuy, and have no hesitation in pronouncing it the most convenient work of its class in the English language. It gives just the information most needed by business and professional men, and in such form as to be always ready to hand. Then the work is FRESH, being up to date in every particular. Its inexpensive form, too, puts it within the reach of every intelligent family.

From C. M. Woodward, M. D., Tecumseh.

I have examined People's Cyclopedia carefully and at considerable length, and believe that as a work of reference it has no equal, and is superior as such, for the busy man of business, to more voluminous works, and I can earnestly recommend it, as a very valuable work at a low price, to all needing a cyclopedia.

From Wm. H. Babbitt, Pastor Presbyterian Church, Tecumseh.

There is a wonderful amount of useful information of various kinds crowded into the volume of the People's Cyclopedia which I have examined. I do not remember having ever seen a work that contained so much in the same space that was likely to be useful in the office, the study and the home.

SHALL WE HAVE SALOONS?

Until recently, it has been supposed that we must have liquor saloons. It was thought that if a man presented ample, legal, valid bonds to a township board, or municipal council, those bonds must be accepted and permission given to open a saloon. But now a decision has been rendered by the Supreme Court of the State, to the effect that any board or council acting in its official capacity, may simply refuse to accept the bonds which may be presented, without giving a reason why, and that when such a board shall see fit to do so there is also room to doubt in question that official action. This gives to any town, village or city, the right to elect men pledged to refuse to accept any bonds which may be presented.

If now we have saloons, whose fault is it? We can no longer lay the blame on the state. It rests upon us in our cities and villages and towns. If the people wish saloons they can have them just as they have had in the past. If they do not wish them, then all they have to do is to go to caucus, and go to election, and secure such men on the board or council as will refuse to accept bonds. This done, the saloon keeper must strike his tent and take his departure.

Let it not be forgotten that the responsibility now rests with the people. If any place now holds on to the saloons it is because the people wish to do it. It is because they consider the saloons a blessing, or because they wish to lessen their taxes, or because they are too indolent to rise and drive them away. In either case, the people may justly be charged with being partners in the vile business.

But some are afraid that it will injure business if we shut up the saloons. They fear that it will drive trade away. In some places it might be so where there is a large foreign element. But in most places it would not make any perceptible difference in the trade. Some old topers might go away where they could get their bitters. But how much is their trade worth? They are not the paying customers, the saloon keepers get their cash, while the grocer and dry goods merchant have to trust them. Besides, there are men enough in our village who would be kept from drink, and perhaps permanently reformed, to more than make up for all loss sustained. They would become paying customers.

But this ought not to be a question of dollars and cents. The merchant ought not to weigh his dollars against human happiness. Suppose that he does make a few dollars by having the saloons kept open. Can he afford it? Can he afford to become a practical partner in the saloon business in order to make money? If so, why not go into it boldly and let his name appear on the sign. The fact is, we have too much of this making money at the expense of humanity. We stay away from election because we do not wish to injure our trade, we refuse to sign a petition for shutting up saloons, for fear we shall lose a contract, we refuse to identify ourselves with any movement against this crying abomination of our civilization, because we are afraid it will drive somebody from our counters. Is this manhood? It reminds us of the case of the man whose wife had driven him under the bed, and who poked his head out, saying as he did so, "while I have the spirit of a man I will peep." It is a virtual surrender of manhood and conviction to the love of gain. But the strangest thing of all, is to see a member of a christian church, and a professed temperance man putting his name on the bonds of a saloon keeper. How any one can reconcile it with right and duty, we cannot understand. As long as this subserviency to the rum power prevails we shall have saloons. It is not because we are bound to have them, but because we have not the moral courage to get rid of them. When will our business men break away from this bondage and assert their manhood? Whenever they will, we shall see every saloon shut up. More than this, we shall see our communities a great deal more prosperous than they now are.—Social Reformer.

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DIED.

In Macon, March 13, 1884, at the residence of her son Alfred, Mrs. Candace Lewis, aged 77 years. Mrs. Lewis, whose maiden name was DeWell, was born March 1, 1807, in Mendon, Ont. Co., N. Y. She was the youngest of six children, and was married May 5th 1827. In the fall of 1833 Mr. and Mrs. Lewis came to Michigan and settled in Oakland county. In 1852 they removed to Macon, where they lived about fifty-one years. An excellent farm and home are the fruits of their toil and care. At a Fourth of July celebration held at Tecumseh a short time after the war, Mr. & Mrs. Lewis received a large and beautiful bouquet of flowers for having sent more boys to the army than any other one couple of parents in Lenawee county. One was killed in the battle of Gettysburg. For nearly half a century they have been accepted members of the Baptist church. For nearly 20 years Mrs. Lewis has been an invalid through inflammatory rheumatism and unable to attend church services. For several years her sufferings have been very great. Like a traveler worn and weary in the rough journey of life she looked to the approach of death as to a day of release and rest. The expected day came, and the end was peace. The following lines were composed by her, and written in a neatly arranged and carefully preserved family record.

I leave you here a little book
For you to look upon,
That you may see your parents' care
When we are dead and gone.
Give ear, my children, to my words,
Whom God hath dearly bought,
Lay up His laws within your hearts
And print them in your thoughts.

The funeral services were held at the house March 14th, and the remains were placed in the family burying ground at Pennington's Corners. Rev. J. C. Wortley officiated in place of Rev. Milo Smith, who was ill.

An old fashioned, flesh colored profile is pinned on one page of the book.

At his home, in Clinton Township, John A. Gregg. Aged 40 years.

Deceased was born in Groveland, Livingston Co., N. Y. He came to Michigan in 1864, and in 1870 was married to Ann Service and settled on his present home. In his early boyhood he formed no bad habits, and in manhood it was the same. To do right seemed to be his motto, and all who had any business transactions with him found him honest and upright. He was the oldest son of a family of twelve children; his parents, three brothers and six sisters survive him. He was a dutiful son, a kind brother, a loving husband and father, and leaves a wife and four children, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn his loss. He was a member of no church but respected religion in all its forms. The deceased was a modest and unassuming man, of a temperate disposition and exemplary habits, and will be missed in the community where he lived.

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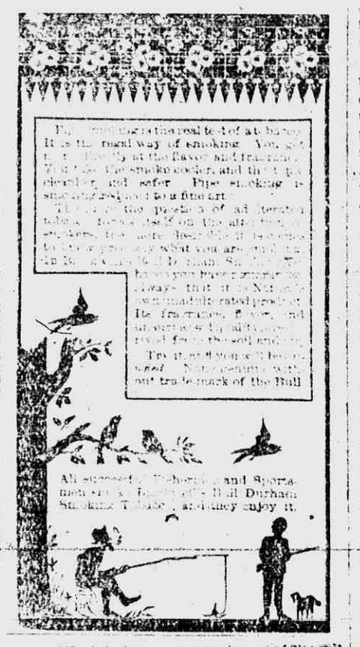

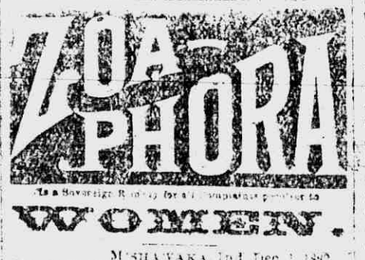

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The machinery of the Post-office Department is a system of cog-fitting parts, [illegible] were it not so, in the new, as truly united period and space allotted this work, in postal cars, could not be successfully accomplished. The interior dimensions of postal-cars vary from whole cars sixty feet in length to apartments five feet five inches in length by two feet six inches in width. The most comprehensive conception of the practical working of the postal-car system can be found in a railway post-office car from forty to sixty feet long. It is in charge of four clerks, one of whom has charge and makes the "trip report," in which is noted connections missed and other irregularities that may occur. The interior of the car is fitted up with a carefully studied economy of space. Occupying one end of the car are cases of pigeon holes or boxes, numbering from 600 to 1,000, arranged in the shape of a horse shoe, for the distribution of letters. These boxes are labeled with the names of the post-offices on the line of road, connecting lines, states and prominent cities and towns throughout the country. A long narrow aisle passes through the centre of the car, on both sides of which are racks for open sacks and pouches into which packages of letters and papers or other mail matter are thrown on the sides above are rows of suspended pouches with their mouths open. By this plan a award of 200 different pouches and sacks can be distributed into between the termini. On one side of the aisle is a narrow counter upon which the mail matter is emptied from the pouches and sacks; this is hinged to the pouch-rack, and can be swung back to enable the clerks to get at the pouches more easily. The space beyond, divided by stanchions, is for the storage of mails and for their separation into piles. The lights in the [illegible] the hatch in order not to lose time in tunnels and dark stations.

The work in the car begins sometimes several hours before the starting of the train. Transfer clerks and porters deliver the pouches and sacks into the car, the label on each being scanned and checked by the clerks to detect if all connections due are received, and that no mail may be delayed by being carried out on the road with the other mail and returned. The two clerks to whom is assigned the duty of distributing direct packages of letters and newspaper mail, including merchandise, empty the pouches, out of which, pouch packages of letters and circulars to be distributed unbroken into pouches and others labeled to this route and different states, which are in turn to be separated into packages by routes, States, and large towns to the letter case. To the clerk in charge is assigned the sorting of such letters as are destined to distant routes or terminal connecting lines, and his associate or second clerk is busy distributing letter mail for local delivery and into separations for intermediate connections. In addition to sorting letters the clerk in charge has the registered mail, which requires special care in its reception and delivery, booking, and receipting therefor. Large pouches of registered mail are also placed in his charge en transit between large cities and representing great value.

The peculiar tooting of a whistle, or the peculiar movement of the train around a curve, warns the fourth clerk of a "catch" station, the letter mail for that Post-office is deposited by the local clerk in the pouch, the train is stopped, the pouch is thrown out at a designated spot and the pouch is dexterously caught without a slacking of the speed of the train. The contents of the pouch thus caught are quickly distributed, and the work goes on. When the station at which pouches are caught are within a mile or two of each other the greater dexterity is needed to assort the mail between stations.

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—Governor Robinson, at his reception in Boston on Washington's birthday, was presented with a printed copy of a hitherto unpublished letter of George Washington. It was written to Nicholas Pike, of Newburyport, author of the first arithmetic published in this country, and acknowledged the receipt of a presentation copy of the work. *Bos on Herald.*

According to the *Lyon Medical*, women practiced medicine and surgery over a century and a half ago. There were then in Lyons forty-three master surgeons and thirteen widows of surgeons in regular practice. All doctors' widows had the right to practice medicine and surgery.

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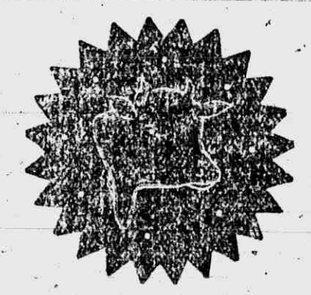

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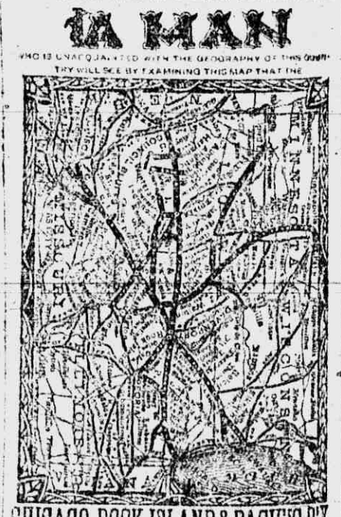

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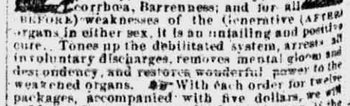

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STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 32 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 15 "	3 35 "
Tecumseh	7 29 "	3 36 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 06 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 12 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 32 A.M.	9 15 P.M.	
Toledo	10 23 "	7 52 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 07 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
6 5	2 00	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	3 05	10 05	7 45
7 45	6 00	11 02	....Dundee....	2 05	9 04	6 03
8 28	6 27	11 25	....Britton....	1 38	8 41	5 06
8 37	6 31	11 29	...Ridgeway...	1 33	8 37	4 57
8 56	6 41	11 39	...Tecumseh...	1 23	8 27	4 38
9 05	6 57	11 55	....Tipton....	1 06	8 11	4 08
9 50	7 10	12 09	...Cambridge...	12 50	7 58	3 43
		P.M.				
10 33	7 33	12 30	....Addison....	12 30	7 35	3 00
				P. M.		
11 06	7 50	12 54	....Jerome....	12 07	7 18	2 27
11 20	7 56	1 01	....Moscow....	11 56	7 11	2 13
11 45	8 07	1 12	....Hanover....	11 45	7 00	1 48
P. M.						
12 05	8 18	1 23	....Pulaski....	11 33	6 49	1 23
						P. M.
12 39	8 40	1 46	....Homer....	11 10	6 27	12 39
1 42	9 09	2 14	....Marshall....	10 39	5 58	11 26
2 05	9 22	2-28	....Ceresco....	10 25	5 45	11 02
2 50	9 40	2 50	.Battle Creek..	10 06	5 25	10 29
3 40		3 13	...Augusta....	9 35		9 35
3 52		3 22	...Yorkville...	9 27		9 08
4 00		3 25	...Richland...	9 19		8 55
4 22		4 14	...Montcalm...	8 40		7 43
5 30		4 24	.....Fisk.....	8 30		7 23
5 51		4 31	....Kellogg....	8 23		7 13
6 5		4 45	Ar..Allegan..Lv	8 10		6 50

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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— Trains run by Central Time. —

GOING NORTH. No. 6. Express.	No. 4. Accom.	No. 2. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A.M.	P. M.	A. M.
5 45	2 00	7 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
5 55	2 05	8 12	Manhattan Junc	9 26	1 39	4 38
5 58	2 18	8 19	Alexis	9 16	1 28	4 30
6 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 22
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 04
6 25	2 55	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	3 59
6 30	3 05	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 50
6 43	3 23	9 04	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 40
6 55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 25
7 08	3 59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 22
7 10	4 05	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 17
7 15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	
					A.M.	
7 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
7 32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
7 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
8 02	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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Pleasant Surroundings.

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But when we consider how much influence our surroundings have in the development of taste, especially in the young, the question of money value should take second rank as a motive for beautifying the farm. We cannot conceive of a botanist or a fine florist having spent his youth away from flowers and from scenes pleasing to the eye. The natural course of his mind toward his chosen work would have been changed if his youthful eye had rested on none but the rude and common place objects around his dwelling-place. It is the duty of parents to educate their children in something more than grammar, geography, reading, writing and spelling there should be a careful training of the mind towards the appreciation of good books, good manners, and the beautiful in nature. The child cannot grow up a boor or a clown in manners or in appearance if it is early taught to love plants and trees, if its eye is early taught to rest with delight and not indifference on a beautiful object or a beautiful scene. Good books are sought when such a taste is cultivated as naturally as water seeks its level.

Poverty and lack of time are the excuses made by farmers for allowing their farms to look as if they had been visited by a small tornado. But improvement in the appearance of the house and its surroundings requires labor more than the expenditure of cash. Those farmers who find time for this work of beautifying are the ones who plan their farm operations well in advance, with an eye to economy in time and the farmers whose places are uninviting are usually those who have no forethought in their farm operations and hence are always "rushed."

A goodly number of farmers that we know of, regret the slovenly and bare condition of their premises do not know how to commence and carry on the work of improvement: for in their childhood they were not surrounded by any better scenes, and they developed no natural taste for the beautiful, and have no skill in the simplest operations of land cape gardening and floriculture. But this may be partially overcome by observation, by attending farmers' meetings where some discussion on the subject is likely to occur, or where he can converse with those who can put him in the right track. An energetic farmer can make his home a thing of beauty if he will.—*Lansing Republican.*

The Best Was Good Enough.

A smiling, well-dressed youth, accompanied by a damsel who was evidently far gone in love, came into a drug store at the South End last evening, and walking up to a cigar case and commandingly placing his gloved hand over the boxes containing the "six-for-a-quarter" kind said "Give me a twenty-five cent cigar."

"Two for half a dollar?" asked the polite druggist.

"Yes, that is the kind, but I will only take one to-night; I have left my case at home and they break up terribly in my pocket," was the reply.

Reaching out a handful of the choice brand to his customer the apothecary wondered just which he had selected one to suit him, and then replacing the rest in their proper box took the proffered twenty-five cent piece and dropped it in his till.

After doing that he furtively took two dimes from a box in his money drawer, and, procuring some matches from a shelf, dropped the money and the lucifers in the young man's hand, saying, as he did so: "Here, have a match?"

This advice was taken by the youth, and when he had succeeded in lighting his purchase and its costly aroma reached the olfactory organ of his admiring companion she turned her love light orbs to his and said in tones of worshipful awe:

"Oh, Charlie how can you afford to smoke twenty five cent cigars?"

When he had assured her that "the best is good enough for me," his conquest was complete and she departed in his company willing to follow him to the ends of the earth.—*Boston Globe.*

How to Tan Sheepskins.

Where farmers kill but a few sheep during the season they can make better use of the pelts than to sell them if they know how to preserve them. For mats take two long-wooled skins and make a strong suds, using hot water when it is cold wash the skins in it, carefully squeezing the lather between the hands to get the dirt out of the wool, then wash the soap out with clear, cold water. Then dissolve a dram and salt each a half pound, with a little hot water sufficient to cover the skins and then let them soak one or two nights or twelve hours, then hang over a pail to drain. When they are well drained spread or stretch carefully over a board to dry. When a little damp have one ounce each of saltpeter and a dram powdered and sprinkle on the flesh side of each skin, rub in well, then lay the flesh sides together and hang in the shade for two or three days turning the under skin up permost every day until perfectly dry, then scrape the flesh side with a blunt knife to remove any remaining scraps of flesh. Trim off projecting points, rub the flesh side with the hands. They will be very white and handsome, suitable for a door or carriage mat. They also make good mittens. Lambskins, or even sheepskins, if the wool be trimmed off even to a half or three-fourths inch long, make beautifully and warm mittens for ladies or gentlemen and the girls with a little practice can make them.

Chinese Beggars.

One can not walk the length of a single street without meeting a ghastly procession of blind beggar-women, each with a hand placed on the shoulder of the preceding one, each with an emaciated infant strapped to her back, tramping along in quest of alms. They have hardly passed by before a group of lepers come hobbling along with puffed, knobby faces, and discolored skin, hideous as are perhaps a mass of running sores and their feet and hands from which fingers and toes have literally peeled off, are simply hideous to behold. Sometimes few girl lepers who protected have found themselves surrounded by a group of leper women clamoring for alms, thrusting a bamboo basket in the stranger's face, or pawing at their clothes until relieved or driven off by the street watchman. Perhaps there is no place in the world where so many monstrosities and such sickening deformity meet the eye as during an hour's walk along a Chinese street. The calm of Chinese beggardom can furnish such examples of distorted faces and crippled limbs as no hospital doctor at home ever beheld or dreamed of. I have seen a poor creature rolling over and over on the pavement with arms and legs withered into mere sticks. Another day there was a victim to elephantiasis, with legs literally swollen to elephantine proportions.

Many of these vagrants are able-bodied men and have adopted a mendicant life either because they can find no work or else because they are too lazy and find begging a more remunerative occupation than honest toil. Some of these vagabonds will make small fortunes by petty thefts, and by begging alone they will make 200 or 300 cash per day, which is at least double the wages of a coolie or day laborer. While traveling on foot one day in a lonely part of the Kwang Tung province I saw before me on the roadside a big, bulky, baleful beggar, dressed in a ragged gown thickly wadded with cotton that peeped from a hundred holes in his rotten garments. His face and limbs were black with the accumulated filth of a lifetime. His thick, black hair hung in tangled masses like a mop over his shoulders and his eyes glared with fiendish ferocity. My flesh began to creep as he approached and I instinctively sought means to avoid him. The field, knee deep in mud. I therefore kept straight on my course, which lay along one of the usual narrow, granite paved highways, so common in South China. He approached me with a determined, nonchalant air, that indicated trouble, and took up his position in the middle of the path, his huge body blocking up the way. He held out his grimy paw and demanded one dollar before I passed. The loathsome brute was covered with diseases and his clothes were teeming with filth and full of vermin.

I offered the usual two cash, which he indignantly refused and commenced to lay hands on my collar, declaring he would strangle me if I refused his demand—a threat which he seemed physically capable of carrying out on the spot. I shook off his squalid arms and he drew back to make another more desperate onslaught. I got ready for him and received him between the eyes. The blow made him reel into the paddy-field, and stung with pain he set up a terrific bellowing. Fearing that his cries would call to the whole detachment of his ragged brethren to the rescue, I took to flight. Looking back, I saw to my consternation that the wretch had recovered himself, had cast away his rags and was pursuing me almost as naked as he was born, at a pace that gave me no chance of escape. With no firearms or weapon of defense, what was I to do? A fist might have been pummeled to a jelly, but no impression would be made on the hide of such a monster. Happy thought. My pipe-case was in my pocket. I drew it forth and pointed it at his face. It appeared a revolver to him. Thoughts of powder, bullet and sudden death dashed across his brain. He, perhaps, remembered that his mother had told him to come home early. In an instant he turned his naked back upon me. Never did a pipe-case work such magical effects before. He paused not to utter one word of adieu. He simply fled.—*Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.*

Some Valuable "Health Hints."

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Don't try to take the right of way from an express train at a railroad crossing.

Don't go near a draft. If a draft comes toward you, run away. A slight draft is the most dangerous.

Don't blow in the gun your grandfather carried in the war of 1812. It is more dangerous now than it was then.

Don't hold a wasp by the other end while you thaw it out in front of the stove to see if it is alive. It is generally alive.

Don't try to persuade a bull dog to give up a yard of which it is in possession. Possession to a bull dog is ten points of the law.

Don't go to bed with your boots on. This is one of the most unhealthy practices that a man, especially a married man, can be addicted to.

Don't call a very large, strong, sinewy man a prevaricator. If you are sure he is a prevaricator, hire another man to break the news to him.

Don't allow the baby to drink the contents of the red lye. Concentrated lye is dangerous, even in very small doses, except to a man who is accustomed to drinking Baltimore corn whisky.—*Omaha Bee (Ind.) Traveler.*

—In December Benjamin Smith, wife and sixteen-year old son lived at Hancock, N. Y. In that month Mrs. Smith was killed by a runaway horse, in January Mr. Smith was run over by a loaded wagon and killed, and recently the boy was killed by the cars.—*Buffalo Express.*

—Miss Fannie Curtis, of Stratford, Conn., who has been bed ridden for twenty years, arose from her bed recently, and walked to church, a distance of half a mile. She attributed her cure to the efficacy of prayer.—*Hartford Post.*

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"You seem to talk freely in regard to your remedies and appear to have no secrets, Mr. Warner."

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STEVENS—CLARK—In Tecumseh, March 26, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Paul Stevens and Miss Ann Margaret Clark, both of Tecumseh.

RICHARDS—RICHARDS—At the residence of the bride's parents in Franklin, March 27, 1884, by Rev. Duke Whitely, Mr. Isaac Brunson of Exton Rapids and Miss Gertrude Richard, of Homer.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 1, 1884:

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Buckwheat Flour ₱ hundred		@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	25	@	30
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	50	@	57
Clover Seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	22
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00	@	5 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 25	@	5 50
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	20
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	10
Oats, ₱ bushel	28	@	32
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	50
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25	@	35
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	1 80
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
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ESTATE OF SAMUEL ARNER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Arner, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Augustus Montgomery, administrator of said estate, praying, among other things, that he may pay the debts of said deceased, the expenses of his last sickness and funeral, and praying for the allowance of his final account and for such further order as shall be deemed large and necessary, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. apr5

ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 2d day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson, guardian of said minor, praying for the allowance of his sixth account as such guardian, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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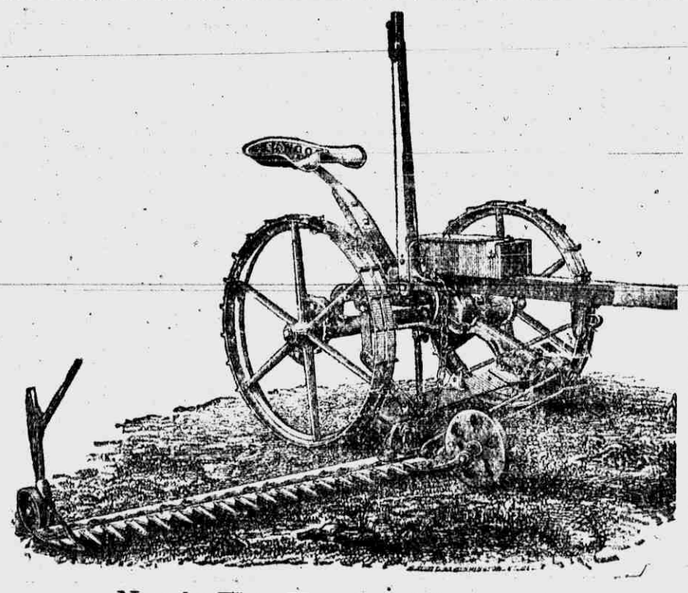

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RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS

The election was quite warmly contested in this town with two tickets in the field, Republican and Democratic. Below are the two tickets in full with the number of votes received by each candidate.

Supervisor—	
Coonrod L. Lowe, D	139
Leonidas S. Palmer, R	145
Township Clerk—	
Jay A. Santus, D	152
Sidney J. Winney, R	118
Township Treasurer—	
Charles R. DuBois, D	155
David Coryell, R	113
Justice of the Peace—	
William H. Arner, D	128
Benjamin Bellows, R	144
Highway Commissioner—	
Joseph Thackray, D	138
Chester A. Linn, R	131
School Inspector—	
John VanVleet, D	159
Charles Fowler, R	115
Drain Commissioner—	
Albert E. Palmer, R	146
Constables—	
John Exelby, D	77
Thomas G. Smith, D	139
Harry Smith, D	164
William Prindle, D	110
Sylvester Clark, R	119
Eddie Sweet, R	120
James Pocklington, R	170
Nathan Dibble, R	131

MACON MOLECULES.

Open Grange meeting on Friday the 11th inst. The following is the program:

Opening Song—Choir.
Recitation—Georgia Baker.
Inst. Music—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Reading—Miss Susie M. Osgood.
Declamation—Albert Boyce.
Song—Mrs. J. W. Osborn.
Reading—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Essay—Miss Sarah L. Hunt.
Song—Miss Nellie Boyce.
Recitation—Miss Maggie Clarkson.
Essay—C. E. Triplet.
Closing Song—Choir.

The National and Republican tickets were run in this town, the latter having 39 majority on headings. Following we present both tickets with the number of votes received by each candidate.

Supervisor—	
James F. Gilmore, R	143
Abram Harrington, N	117
Township Clerk—	
Bradley S. Scudder, R	154
Lester Osgood, N	105
Township Treasurer—	
George Osgood, R	166
Francis W. Yates, N	95
Justice of the Peace, full term—	
John Boyd, R	146
Alexander Easlick, N	113
To fill vacancy—	
John Wiggins, R	150
Fred E. Morrell, N	113
Commissioner of Highways—	
John Stewart, R	120
Cyrus F. Montonye, N	130
School Inspector—	
William L. Stewart, R	160
John H. Baughman, N	101
Drain Commissioner—	
Edwin Howell, R	149
Edwin Howell N	111
Constables—	
Elisha Davis, R	142
Edward Densmore, R	150
Wilber Greenfield, R	149
John W. Sherman, R	146
Wilber Greenfield, N	111
Hershel Miller, N	111
Edward F. Densmore, N	111
Darius Hendershott, N	118

Our population is on the increase.

What makes Will Carter so smiling? A daughter, to be sure.

Thos. Biddle, having rented a farm near Saline, is moving this week.

Will Remington is moving on Dr. Howell's farm.

Jesse Coller moved his family to Milan last week.

Capt. J. Bontecou, of Petoskey, visited friends in Macon last week.

Miss Helm, of Tecumseh, closed her school in the Mills district Friday the 28th. Miss Helm gave entire satisfaction. The district has retained her for the spring term.

Miss Edna McClue will teach a spring term in the Lindsley district, Saline township.

Wednesday, March 26, being Mrs. Lester Coller's birthday, her friends determined to surprise her. Accordingly, a large number, loaded with rich viands, marched to her home, took possession, and reigned victorious from 7 P. M. to 11, when each, wishing Mrs. Coller many more birthdays, returned to his respective home.

Chas. Hendershot and James Cary returned last week from Penn., where they spent the winter.

James Lindsley was married last week to Mary Snobles. Never too late, James.

Ira and Lewis Coller spent Sunday in Milan with their brother.

At the last examination of teachers, Maude Howell passed a very creditable examination. She intends to do her first work as teacher in the Merrit district.

Mrs. Hornbaker died Monday afternoon. She leaves a husband and one child. Mr. Hornbaker has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

[illegible] of Dr. Geo. Howell, Wednesday evening, April 9. A good time.

Carl Mills was thrown from a buggy last Sunday, and sustained slight injuries.

Zoe Pennington left last week for "the Eden of the West." Her intention is to take up land. She has more pluck than many young men.

Surprise parties are becoming contagious. Mr. and Mrs. Hebron Camburn were victimized last Friday evening, it being Mrs. Camburn's birthday. Suffice it to say that Mrs. Camburn was completely surprised, and that all concerned had a good time.

Last Thursday evening about twenty Maconites hied away to Ridgeway to make G. W. Jackson a social visit. A good time as usual.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The Republicans of Franklin elected their entire ticket except James M. Burns for Drain Commissioner on the Union ticket, who had one majority. Below are the candidates chosen:

Supervisor, Daniel W. Love, 61.
Clerk, Thos. M. Camburn, 58.
Treasurer, Elijah Buck, 46.
Justice, Edwin Cook, 52.
Highway Com., John F. Smith, 54.
School Insp., Amos Sayers, 23.
Constables, William Osborne, [illegible] Alden Rundell, 48; Bert Crittenden, 48, Charles Wilson, 48.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Quite a snow storm last Tuesday.

Miss R. S. Moshar returned from Toledo last Monday, after a week's visit at that city.

The dance at Ayres' Hall on the 4th inst., was a success socially but not financially.

The Good Templer's sugar party that was to be given last Monday eve., was postponed till Tuesday the 15th inst., on account of inclemency of the weather.

The Nationals and Democrats had a lively time at their caucus, Thursday of last week, in which many warm discussions ensued, but finally agreed on a ticket which was elected with the exceptions of School Inspector, Drain Commissioner and one constable. The Township Clerk was a tie and decided by chance, the Prohibitionists being the lucky party secured their candidate.

FARMERS' CLUB.

Club met according to adjournment at the residence of Mr. John Fisher, March 28. This being the last meeting of the season, and as usual wound up with a supper, the attendance was large and the program was well carried out. The music was all good, select reading superb and the essay by Mrs. F. C. Rector was one of the best efforts of the season. The supper was no discredit to the farmer's wives of this section.

Club adjourned to meet at Mr. Jacob Everhart's, Friday afternoon, April 25, at 2 P. M.

PROGRAM.

Inst. Music—Anna Everhart.
Essay—Mrs. J. W. Gillespie.
Select Reading—Mrs. R. B. Gillespie.

Question—Does it pay to harrow wheat in the spring and what are the most profitable crops to raise as spring crops?

A full attendance is requested.

Committee on refreshments, Miss Anna Everhart, Mrs. F. C. Rector, Mrs. R. B. Gillespie.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

Baptist Churches do not usually observe Easter, yet many of them occasionally improve it as a favorable opportunity to consider the great pivotal doctrine of the resurrection of the Lord. It is our purpose to observe it with a special service in the evening. It is expected that the service, prepared by Rev. Robert Lowry, will be used. The following is its outline:

1. Organ Voluntary.
2. Anthem—All we, like sheep—
3. Responsive Reading—The Prophecy.
4. Prayer.
5. Hymn—Praise to God.
6. Responsive Reading—The Death.
7. Chorus—Stabat Mater.
8. Responsive Reading—The Burial.
9. Chorus—At Jesus' Grave.
10. Responsive Reading—The Resurrection.
11. Chorus—Christ is risen.
12. Sermon.
13. Chorus—O Lilies, Sweet Lilies.
14. Responsive Reading—The Argument.
15. Hymn—Jesus ascended.
16. Quartette and Chorus—If Christ be not risen.
17. Responsive Reading—The Evidence.
18. Duet and Chorus—O the Tidings.
19. Responsive Reading—The Faith.
20. Chorus—Jesus Enthroned.
21. Benediction.

If you wish a good supper do not fail to attend the "Junior Class Banquet."

Webster defines "Banquet" as a rich entertainment. This is what you may expect from the Juniors.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, April 7th, 1884.

At this regular session Council convened at the regular hour.

Present Messrs. Root, Heesen, Sparks, Bresie, Adams and the Recorder.

Moved and supported that the Council adjourn until Tuesday evening, April 8th, at 7½ o'clock, standard time. Carried.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, MICH.,
COUNCIL ROOM, April 8, 1884.

At this adjourned session there were present Messrs. Root, Heesen, Sparks, Bresie, Adams, Marsden, Bills and the Recorder.

Minutes of the preceeding meetings read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance—

Robert Cairns	$19.60
The Mt. Vernon Lantern Works	21.35

Recommended payment and payment ordered.

The President appointed the following committees for the ensuing year.

Streets—Bills, Bresie, Marsden.
Finance—Heesen, Adams, Sparks.
Cemetery—Bresie, Schoolcraft, Adams.
Fire—Marsden, Bills, Heesen.
Public Grounds—Sparks, Marsden, Schoolcraft.
Health—Adams, Heesen, Bills.
Ordinances—Schoolcraft, Sparks, Bresie.

Report of Street Commissioner of work done by teamster John Mesler accepted and adopted. Also work done by corporation team accepted and adopted.

The Communication of Mrs. F. P. Holmes laid on the table.

Communication from Stacy Bros. [illegible] appointed to assist in correcting proof of the By-laws being printed by said Stacy Bros. The Chair appointed O. P. Bills.

The bonds of C. A. Wright and Baker & Hall, druggists, were laid upon the table until next regular meeting.

A motion to leave the management of the village team and the procuring a teamster for the ensuing year be left with the Street Com. Carried.

Complaint of Dr. Jenkins referred to committee on fire limits.

The Council fixed the bonds of the saloon-keepers at $5,000.

In the matter of the grading of Cummins street, the Agents and Attorney of the now known Michigan & Ohio Railroad, formerly the Toledo and Milwaukee Railway are referred to the committee on Streets, and said committee are to recieve any or such propositions as said Railroad may make and report the same at the next regular meeting of the council.

Alf. James and Albert Hyde were appointed as a Board of Review.

Moved and supported that the Council proceed to appoint the Officers for the ensuing year. Carried, and the following named persons were appointed:

James Moir—Marshal.
Wm. C. Jordan—Street Com.
E. B. Wood—Attorney.
C. M. Woodard—Physician.

Council then adjourned.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

We gathered the following election news from off the C. T. line Monday night. The Dem. Hold ridge in Raisin. Rep. still Love in Franklin. Rep. discovered a fixed star in Clinton; they call it Mars-teller, and something about one James running ahead in Tecumseh.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. Buck, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Garret Darby celebrated their wooden wedding last Thursday.

Highway commissioner Bowen is in Morenci looking after horses.

School commenced in Newburg district last Monday with Miss Church as teacher.

Three C. T. line operators elected to township offices last Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Hicks is very sick. Dr. Jones renders the medical aid.

Mrs. Julia A. Wright, of Ovid, Branch Co., is visiting at J. F. N. Bowen's this week.

Uncle James Updyke recovers very slowly; he has begun to use crutches a little.

The L. S. & M. S. freight office has been connected with the C. T. line, Hughes and Ward both being operators.

It would be interesting if we could know what our ancestor would think of us, and if he would consider that our gains compensated us for losses—that our luxuries balanced our worries. It is certain he would consider our children failures. Not that he would not be as properly proud of them as we are, but he would not understand some of their little peculiarities. He would not know what to make of a young person who had to be fed with amusement and occupation. In his day youth employed itself. But take from our child his book, his weekly paper, his magazine, his patent toys, his bicycle and printing press, take his name from his club, his base-ball from his hand, and what a forlorn, uninferested, unemployed creature is left! In himself how barren are his resources!

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Council No. 9, R. T. of T. will be held this Thursday evening. A full attendance is requested. By order of S. C.

Eternal Vigilance.

It is possible for us to think that whatever other people's children may do, ours cannot go astray. We may think that they are a great deal better than other people's children. This is all right; we ought to think well of our children, we ought to have confidence in them. But when we think that our children cannot go astray we wrong both ourselves and our children. We thereby expose them to danger and temptation from which it is our duty to defend them. If the angels could fall, if Adam and Eve could be led into sin, what folly in us to think that our children are secure? They are only children. And being children they cannot have the discretion of older people. They need older heads to teach them and more experienced eyes to discern for them the way of safety. No matter how good they may be they need the watchful care of father and mother to keep them out of the evil way and lead them in the right way. They cannot find the right way by instinct: it must be by knowledge and experience. But they are unlearned and inexperienced. How important that they receive the benefit of your knowledge and experience. This they can only do by receiving your constant care. Remember that over confidence is always perilous. The over-confident merchant is the one whose accounts are left to take care of themselves. The over-confident commander is the one who leaves the camp unguarded of fails to profit by the advice of others. The successful commander is the watchful commander who cannot be taken off his guard by any movement of his antagonist. The successful business man, is the one who always takes pains to see how his accounts stand. So also the good father and mother are the careful, watchful father and mother, who have confidence in their children, but at the same time, watch over them with jealous care, so as to guard them from the many snares and pitfalls laid for their unwary feet. Parents, remember that as eternal vigilance is the price of liberty, so is it the price of virtue and nobility and purity in children. Remember that the power of evil is ever at work and must be met at every point if your children are to grow up unharmed by them.—Social Reformer.

Second Marriage.

While it is best for widowers with families to seek out companions younger than themselves, it is possible to carry this to an extreme. It is a notorious fact, that widowers of all ages, and conditions, have a wonderful drawing towards young women. It is common for men in their dotage, with families of children grown up, to seek to marry young women. This amounts almost to a mania. The age is made the prime requisite, and if a woman is young and handsome, her general fitness or unfitness is not canvassed at all. Often when the widower finds a young woman ready to listen to his suit, his head is turned, and he does not stop to ask if she has the proper qualifications and disposition to go into his house and care for his children and look after his interests. She is young and beautiful, and that is enough. He shuts his eyes to everything else, he turns a deaf ear to the warning of friends, and the entreaties of children, and marries her in defiance of reason and common sense. * * * * The matter of age should be an important consideration. A man should never think of marrying a mere child to be taken into his family; he should marry a woman old enough, and motherly enough to command the respect of his children. If his children are grown, and he needs a companion for his home, he may as well marry one of about his own age, either a maiden lady, or a widow whose children are also grown. There is no reason why he should marry a young woman. The necessity does not exist in his case. But it is often necessary for a man well on in years, to marry a woman much younger than himself for reasons already given, yet, in these cases men should not choose women simply because they are young but because along with their age they possess other needed qualities. In no case should there be too great a discrepancy in ages; a great deal depends upon circumstances. If a man is youthful and well preserved, he may safely marry a woman much younger in years. Such a man at the age of 45 may safely marry a woman of 30, or 25, or even 20, provided there exists a normal, healthy love between them.—MARRIAGE GUIDE.

The annual shearing will be held Tuesday, April 22d., at the residence of J. Britton, Britton Station. All are cordially invited to attend.

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THE LITTE COAT.

Here's his ragged "roundabout,"
Turn the pockets inside out;
See, his penknife, lost to use,
Rusted shut with apple juice;
Here, with marbles, top and strings,
Is his deadly "devil sling,"
With its rubber limp at last
As the sparrows of the past!
Beeswax, buckles, leather straps
Bullets and a box of caps—
Not a thing of all I guess
E'en these tickets, blue and red,
For the Bible verses said—
Such as this his memory kept—
"Jesus wept."

Here a fishing hook and line,
Tangled up with wire and twine,
And dead angle worms, and some
Slugs of lead and chewing gum,
Blent with scents that can but come
From the vial of rhodium.
Here—a soiled, yet dainty note,
That some little sweetheart wrote,
Dotting—"Vine grows round the stump,"
And—"My sweetest sugar lump!"
Wrapped in this—a padlock key
Where he's filed a touch-hole—see!
And some powder in a quill
Corked up with a liver pill,
And a spongy little chunk
Of "punk."

"Here's the little coat—but O!
Where is he we've censured so?
Don't you hear us calling, dear?
Back! Come back, and never fear;
You may wander where you will,
Over orchard, field and hill;
You may kill the birds, or do
Anything that pleases you;
Ah, this empty coat of his!
Every tatter's worth a kiss!
Every stain as pure instead
As the white stars overhead;
And the pockets—hushes were they
Of the little hands that play
Now no more—but, absent, thus
Beckon us.

—*James Whitcomb Riley.*

"OLD MR. BINNEY."

All their friends had said, when Mrs. Binney died: "Now what a good thing it would be if old Mr. Binney would but marry Miss Bright!"

Miss Bright had not been without her troubles, and very hard ones they had been too; but she bore them with a brave heart, and carried a smiling face, and had a thankful spirit within her, striving always to remember her blessings, and how much they outnumbered any evils she was called upon to bear.

Indeed, to listen to Miss Bright's chosing you would have counted her as one of the luckiest persons ever born. She had had the kindest of friends, the most comfortable of situations, and the girls she had taught were endowed with an amiability of disposition which made it a positive pleasure to be with them. The only accusation she could bring against them was that they were all in such a terrible hurry to grow up and get married, and then Miss Bright's occupation was gone, and she had to step out into the world and find a fresh field for her labors.

As years rolled on, each one adding to the score of Miss Bright's age, these hunting grounds of instructions became more and more narrowed. Children of eight began now where girls of eighteen used to leave off, and history and geography, to say nothing of the parts of speech and grammar, were all so altered, that poor Miss Bright had to acknowledge that at times she really did feel quite confused. "Very soon I shan't be left with anything to teach," she would say, pathetically, and then Mr. Binney's nephew, Joe, or some other good fellow who heard her, would declare she should set up a school for wives, for there never were such wives as the girls whom Miss Bright had brought up. She had taught Joe's wife Sally and her sister, and though since then she had had other situations, at holiday time, or whenever she was seeking employment, she always returned to the house of Dr. Brendon, their father.

When Mr. Binney dropped in, as he frequently did, to inquire after his old friends the Brendons, he, from time to time found Miss Bright there, and happening on the occasion of one of her visits to bring the news that Mrs. Binney was ill, with no one whose business it seemed to be to look after her, nothing was more natural than that Miss Bright should volunteer, and a great comfort they found her.

So sprightly yet unobtrusive was the cheery little woman that Mrs. Binney herself was influenced in her favor, until, with an eye to their mutual comfort, Mr. Binney proposed Miss Bright staying with them altogether. "Why not?" he said. "We could well afford to pay her a salary." But this word salary, acting like magic on Mrs. Binney, seemed to bring her to her senses immediately. She would be very glad to have Miss Bright as a visitor as long as she liked to stay, but as to living with them altogether, "No!" she would not give her consent to that; she had always objected to having in her house a third party. It was then that Miss Bright's friends pulled very long faces, indeed. What would she do? they asked her.

"Oh, something is sure to turn up," she would say, hopefully. "Whenever I have come to my last ebb an opening has been made for me, so I am not going to despair now."

And she said this all the more emphatically, because in spite of her confidence she could not help feeling that a voice which she could not still kept repeating: "What will you do when you grow older? Teaching will get harder than ever." That was true enough, but what else was there for her to do?

When Mrs. Binney died, which happened quite suddenly about a year before, there had been some talk as to Miss Bright going to Mr. Binney as housekeeper, but this proposition had been made without the knowledge or consent of the principal person concerned, who, as soon as the hint was given, negatived it.

Mr. Binney thoroughly appreciated Miss Bright, but he had lost his taste for matrimony; he remembered that he had spent forty excellent years without a wife, and, notwithstanding that he was now a widower, he could not conscientiously say that he felt his state to be so very unhappy.

Susan the cook, respectable and staid, would, he felt sure, manage his household properly, and if it proved that she should give way to extravagance, as people seemed to say, Mr. Binney fancied he could better put up with that evil than with too much of the economy from which he had suffered already.

So all the hopes that on the death of Mrs. Binney, Joe and Sally and the Brendons had cherished for Miss Bright were ruthlessly dashed to the ground. Evidently Aunt B. was not to have a successor.

"If we could but have got her there as housekeeper," said two of these arch-conspirators, "the rest would have been easy." But though they returned to the attack several times, no good came of it. Mr. Binney shared in their regret at the loss of Miss Bright's society, wondered as they did what would become of her, and, his visitors gone, to make his sympathy apparent, he sat down and wrote a kind, little note with a check for £10 folded within it.

Now she is going away altogether, over so far—for Miss Bright had had another piece of news to tell. An old pupil of early days had been recently left a widow; her health was as delicate as her heart was kind, and when she made the proposition that Miss Bright should come and spend the remainder of her days with her it was not entirely of her own comfort she had been thinking. Miss Bright had readily accepted her offer, and she had written to tell Sally that the next week she should come up and see them.

She could only stay a few hours with them when she came. The farewell visit was to be paid later. "But I think," she said as she was going, "I will call on my way home and say good-bye to Mr. Binney in case I might not have another opportunity."

"Do," said Sally, and away she went.

Mr. Binney was at home. He had not been quite well lately; nothing more than a cold, but it had kept him a prisoner. To-day he might have gone out, but he had not felt inclined to, and he gallantly said he was glad to be in, as he should have been sorry indeed to have missed seeing Miss Bright.

"And so you are really going to leave us," he said, and almost regretfully, too. "Well, you will be very much missed. I don't know what the Brendons will do."

"They will not miss me more than I shall them," and the brave little woman made an effort that her voice should not sound shaky; "but you know, Mr. Binney, I am not growing younger, am I?"

"No," he said. "That is true. I was saying the same to myself of myself only to-day."

"Yes, only with men it does not seem to matter, but with women the thought always comes with a little shudder, that when we get old and want quiet and rest and a comfortable arm-chair by the fire there is a doubt whether we shall be able to get them."

Mr. Binney did not answer, and fearing she was saying too much about her own feelings she altered her tone, which had been a little sad, and went on in her usual cheerful way: "But then I ought to feel so thankful that this opening has been made for me. I told them that I knew something would come; it has always done so; I have always been so lucky."

"It's your happy disposition makes you say so, my dear Miss Bright; a cheerful spirit shortens the longest day. I wish I could follow your example. I often feel condemned at my want of contentment—of gratitude, I ought to say."

But that Miss Bright would not allow, she reminded Mr. Binney of the many kind actions he had done, and in her own quiet way thanked him for the thoughtful present he had sent to her.

"No, no, no, now you must not speak of that," Mr. Binney hastily interrupted her, and to give a turn to the conversation he said she "must have some tea," and ringing to order it, he hoped she could stay.

Well, yes, she thought she could spare time for that, indeed, to be plain, she was not in such a very great hurry. The fact had been that Joe had an unexpected holiday, and she saw that, only for her being there, he had come home to go out somewhere with Sally.

"So I hope the little fib I told will be forgiven me, for when I said that I was wanted at home, although it was quite true perhaps, I need not but for that have left quite so early. But it was so nice of Joe to come home. I do love to see husbands and wives companions to each other."

"Ah, indeed, yes, that is the object of matrimony, too often, I fear, lost sight of in our day, by the young and the old, too."

But Miss Bright did not agree. "No," she knew so many united couples. "There were the Brendons now—" but at this moment the tea was brought in, and Miss Bright asked should she pour it out. Her offer was accepted. "Only," said Mr. Binney, "you must take off your cloak, or you won't feel the good of it when you go; and your bonnet, too; wouldn't you feel more comfortable without that?"

Miss Bright said "No," she would not take her bonnet off.

"Haven't a cap with you, I suppose?" said the old gentleman slyly.

"Yes, indeed I have—a present from Sally—and a very becoming one, too."

"Put it on then, and let me pass my opinion."

Miss Bright hastened to obey, and when she came for his inspection the smile on her face and the soft pink in her cheek made her look ten years younger.

"Well," she said, "now what do you think of it?"

"I think if you take my advice you will never wear any other."

"Really," and she laughed softly; "but it is for high days and holidays, you know!" And she tip-toed to look in the chimney-glass, saying that it certainly was a very pretty cap, and then she sat down to pour out the tea. "The best tea things!" she said, admiringly; "I am so fond of pretty china!" And then searching in the sugar basin, she added: "I have not forgotten that you like two lumps of sugar, you see."

Mr. Binney smiled complacently; a feeling of well-being and comfort took possession of him.

Of a certainty it was very pleasant to have a congenial somebody to bear one company, one who could talk well, listen well and hold her tongue well, if necessary. Experience had assured him that Miss Bright possessed each of these good qualities. When she had stayed there when Mrs. Binney was first ill, their evenings had passed very pleasantly, and recalling the things they had done, he asked:

"Do you often play chess now?"

"No, never."

"Cribbage, backgammon?"

"I've no one to play with. That is one thing in my going away," and she swallowed a sigh—"my evenings will be less lonely."

"Ah, yes, I find the time very long after dinner. I don't like to go to bed before half-past ten, although I often feel inclined to."

"And the days draw in so quickly now, there is no afternoon—it is all evening, which reminds me that it is getting time for me to go, for it takes a quarter an hour to get to the station."

"Not in a cab."

"No, but I am going to walk—it is quite fine and dry, and if I feel tired at the Conway road I shall wait at the corner for the omnibus passing."

Miss Bright began to put on her bonnet. Mr. Binney walked to the window, for a minute he looked out, then he rang the bell.

"I shall go as far as the Conway road with you."

"Oh, Mr. Binney! No, pray don't think of such a thing? It might give you a cold, and there isn't the slightest occasion. I am so accustomed to go about alone."

But Mr. Binney remained firm; his hat and coat were brought to him, and away the two set off together. They chatted pleasantly as they walked along. "I shall hope to come and see them all sometimes," Miss Bright said. "I know as long as the Brendons have a home they will take me in."

"And remember that so long as I have a house there will be room for you in it."

"That is very kind of you, Mr. Binney," she said softly. "I am sure I do not know why people are all so good to me."

Mr. Binney apparently was no better able to inform her, and they walked on silently until the Conway road was reached.

"Now, then," said Miss Bright, "here we say farewell," and she held out her hand, but Mr. Binney did not take it; he was engaged in hailing a cab he saw; then he drew out his purse and Miss Bright knew that he intended settling with the man for the fare. She shook her head at him reprovingly.

Mr. Binney gave the directions to the driver and then he held out his hand, hesitated, opened the door and said, "I don't see why I should not go with you as far as the station."

At the railway station they had but a very short time of waiting. Miss Bright stood near the carriage which she had chosen; nothing remained but to say good-by and enter.

"And you will let us hear how you get on?" for she had not said she was coming up again.

"Oh, I shall often write to the Brendons and Sally. You will hear of me through them."

"And I hope so very much that you will be comfortable and happy."

Miss Bright tried to smile, but her eyes filled rapidly, and to hide the tears she half turned away.

"I wish that you were not obliged to go away; couldn't anything be managed for you?"

She shook her head sadly. "No," she said; "I tried everything I could," and here a sob would come, "but nobody seemed to want me."

"I—I want you."—Mr. Binney was stammering out his words excitedly. "Miss Bright, can you—will you stay for me? Could you consent to become Mrs. Binney?"

"Mrs. Binney!—I!"—everything seemed to swim around her—"but, Mr. Binney, such an idea never once occurred to me."

"I am very sure of that," my dear," he said, earnestly, "and it has taken some time to come to me, or I should have made the offer long ago; however, better late than never—that is, if you will accept me."

"Oh, but I think it is too good of you—and you feel sure that I can make you happy. What will the Brendons and Sally say?"

"Say that I am more lucky than I deserve to be for not asking you before. Now, I understand why I wouldn't consent to your being my housekeeper; I was wanting you for my wife, you know."

Miss Bright held up her hands in dismay.

"Oh, my!" she cried. "There's the train off—gone, I declare!"

"What of that if it is?—another will soon follow, and while we are waiting for it, we can arrange our plans and fix the day."

And if any one wishes to know how it all ended, I can satisfy their curiosity by telling them that a more happy, cheery couple never were seen than the present Mr. and Mrs. Binney.—*Temple Bar.*

Hard Times for Drummers.

The drummers have had some hard times of it lately. Three of them boarded a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy train at Monmouth the other day and with long faces began to discuss the situation. "I have sold only three bills of goods in four days," said the Chicago drummer, "and didn't get a nibble in Monmouth." "Neither did I," said the Burlington drummer, "and I haven't made expenses this week." "Now, to show you how funny luck runs," spoke up the St. Louis man, "I'll tell you my experience. I've been out thirteen days now, and hadn't sold a dollar's worth of goods until to-day. In Monmouth I took one solid order." "The thunder you did," ejaculated his unbelieving listeners. "Yes, boys, and I'll tell you how I did it. It's a pointer for you. You know that big Dutchman that keeps a grocery there on the square near the post-office, I s'pose. Didn't you call on him? Well, I did. I was desperate, too, and was bound to sell or talk him to death. I stuck to him three straight hours, boys, but I fetched him. Just as I was getting hoarse he turned around kind o' quick and business-like, and says: 'I poot a stop on this, bye Gimminy! I gif you an orter, und I vant it villed pooty quick, too.! I know ven I'f enoof. I'm no delephone to schtan oop und be dalked at all de day long!'" "Bet it made you feel good," said the Chicago man; "first customer in thirteen days. But what did he order?" "That is the worst of it," replied St. Louis. "He ordered me out of his store!"—*Chicago Times.*

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Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE, April 1.—A resolution was offered and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations requesting the President to institute negotiations with the Government of Spain for reference to an umpire for the decision of the question whether the treaty of 1819 has ceased to be obligatory on the United States, and whether the United States Government is bound in good faith to pay the full amounts awarded by the judicial tribunal to whom the same was referred for payment for losses sustained from forces acting under orders of the United States in 1818 and 1820. Bills to increase the efficiency of the General Land office, and Mr. Morrill's bill for the improvement of coinage, were passed; also a bill directing the Secretary of the Treasury to refund to John P. Wallworth $2,820, the proceeds of a sale by order of General Banks, of certain funds of the Louisiana Bank, of New Orleans, in 1863. The Education bill was taken up, and pending discussion the Senate went into executive session and adjourned.

HOUSE.—Mr. Dorsheimer presented a memorial for a bondholder of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, praying to be heard before the Committee on Public Lands on the bill declaring the forfeiture of land granted, and asking Congress to protect their interests; referred. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill, and the bill was read by paragraphs for amendment. Without action the committee rose. General Grant being present on the floor of the House, a short recess was taken by unanimous consent and he was escorted to the space in front of the clerk's desk, where leaning on one of his crutches, he received the respects of the members, and the Speaker introduced to him the Representatives with whom he had not been previously acquainted. When the House reassembled the Speaker laid before it a message from the President recommending an appropriation of $100,000 for the protection of the levees of the lower Mississippi River. Adjourned.

SENATE, April 3.—Mr. Hoar presented a petition from eight thousand citizens and soldiers of the Western States connected with the National League, praying that a pension of at least eight dollars in money be given to each honorably discharged soldier and sailor of the late war. Mr. Wilson presented a joint resolution from the Iowa Legislature, urging that in view of the rapid absorption of public lands fit for settlement, Congress may take immediate steps to recover the unearned portions of lands granted to railroads. A resolution was agreed to, instructing the Committee on Library to inquire into the expediency of purchasing from the Lewis family for the United States the sword worn by Washington on the occasion of his resigning his commission in Congress. The Senate then took up the Education bill, which was debated at length, but without action adjourned.

HOUSE.—A joint resolution was passed authorizing the Secretary of War to loan flags and camting to the Mayor of Richmond, Va., to be used at the fair in that city in aid for the home for disabled Confederate soldiers. Mr. George, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, reported back a joint resolution which was adopted, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to make an examination into the massacre of Dr. Marcus Whitmore and others in Oregon. The morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Indian Appropriation bill. A motion to strike out the clause appropriating $12,500 for the pay of five Indian inspectors and to insert a proviso abolishing the offices of Indian inspectors and authorizing the Secretary of War to detail five officers of the army, not under the rank of captain, to act as Indian inspectors, was agreed to—91 to 67. After concluding forty-six of the fifty-two pages of the bill, the committee rose and the House then adjourned.

SENATE, April 4.—Mr. Logan presented a petition from the Chicago Board of Trade protesting against the further coinage of silver dollars; also from the Chicago Trades and Labor Assembly, protesting against the repeal of the present patent laws. A bill to authorize the appointment and retirement of disabled officers of the regular army honorably discharged under the act of July 15, 1870, was referred. A joint resolution making an appropriation of $100,000 for the protection of the existing levees on the Lower Mississippi, was referred to the Committee on the Improvement of the Mississippi. The Education bill was then taken up and debated until adjournment.

HOUSE.—The morning hour was dispensed with, and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Indian Appropriation bill. The consideration of the bill having been concluded the committee rose and the bill passed. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar. Some time was spent in considering the bill to relieve certain soldiers of the late war from the charge of desertion, but no final action was reached. At the evening session the House passed eighteen pension bills and adjourned.

SENATE, April 5.—Mr. Garland reported favorably with an amendment the House bill making it a felony for a person falsely and fraudulently to assume to be an officer or employe of the United States, passed. A petition was presented from the California State Board of Silk Culture, praying that Congress establish a bureau of silk culture. Mr. Hoar introduced a bill to reimburse the United States for interest paid on war loans refunded. The Education bill was then taken up, and after a long debate and the adoption of several amendments it was finally passed on motion of Mr. Allison, that the bill be postponed to before adjournment on the 7th. The Senate then went into executive session and adjourned.

HOUSE.—A resolution was reported from the Committee on Naval Affairs and adopted, requesting the Secretaries of Navy and War to report on the feasibility and expediency of constructing an interoceanic waterway for the relief of the Atlantic and Gulf seaboard. The morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Agricultural Appropriation bill. Several amendments were adopted, among them one increasing from $10,000 the appropriation for the distribution of seeds, plants, etc., and then, the committee having risen, the bill passed. The amendments to the House bill making it a felony for any person to fraudulently assume to be an officer or employe of the United States, were concurred in. Adjourned.

WASHINGTON.

THE House Committee on Postoffices and Postroads adopted a resolution on the 4th by a vote of 8 to 2, that it was the sense of the committee that it is inexpedient for the Government either to construct a postal telegraph or purchase any existing line of telegraph.

COL. GEORGE BLISS testified before the Springer Investigating Committee of the House on the 3d that his fees in the star route cases amounted to $59,532, of which he received all but about $8,000.

THE District Grand Jury at Washington have returned an indictment against Frank Langston, son of J. M. Langston, United States Minister to Hayti. The young man is now a fugitive.

THE proprietor of a widely advertised patent medicine recently made an offer to the Postoffice Department to pay the Government $20,000 a year for the privilege of having a small advertisement placed on the margins of the sheets of postage stamps on the part which is torn off when the stamps are used. The offer was declined on the ground that it would be contrary to law.

THE EAST.

THE iron workers at the Douglass Furnace, Prince, Kelly & Co.'s, at the Spearman Iron Company and the Mabel Furnace of Parkins & Co., at Sharpsville, Pa., have all struck because of a reduction of ten to fifteen cents on laborers, iron carriers and fillers. The workers at Middlesex have accepted the reduction.

PETER VIGNE, a prisoner in the lockup at Waterville, Me., on the 2d, set the building on fire and perished in the flames.

SEVEN Poles who were looking for work at Scranton, Pa., on the 3d were struck by a backing engine. Five were killed, and another seriously hurt.

WILLIAM A. HALL, who was recently convicted of forgery and embezzlement while chief clerk to the Controller of Newark, N. J., has been sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary.

LORENZO DIMICK, a well known insurance agent in Buffalo, was arrested on the 4th upon a charge of misappropriating $80,000 in premiums belonging to various companies.

A FORGER was arrested at Pittsburgh on the 3d, who gave his name as Theodore C. Eppelin, of Cincinnati. When arrested he had nearly $4,000 in forged drafts and checks, signed by prominent merchants and manufacturers of Pittsburgh.

FINAL papers for the removal of the Eagle and Banner Cotton Mills from Pittsburgh to Madison, Ind., were signed on the 4th. A. M. Harper, of Pittsburgh, retains the presidency.

BUSINESS failures reported for the week ended April 4 were: United States, 178; Canada, 34; against 204 for the previous week.

THE death of Paymaster Brodhead, of the United States Army, occurred at Boston on the 31. He had recently become insane on account of troubles arising from the theft of Government money in his charge, and had just reached home from his station at Tucson.

BERRY & Co.'s powder mill at Shamokin, Pa., exploded on the morning of the 5th, with a report that was heard twenty-five miles. William Yocum, the superintendent, was fatally burned. Damage over $7,000.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended April 5: Loans increase, $1,305,000; specie decrease, $5,046,000; legal tenders increase, $441,000; deposits decrease, $2,740,000; circulation increase, $57,000; reserve decrease, $3,520,000. The banks held $420,400 in excess of legal requirements.

WHILE tearing down an old house at Springtown, Bucks County, Pa., on the 5th the workmen had removed a portion of the chimney, which was an immense structure of the olden times, when they were horrified to discover a human skeleton in one of the flues. The house was occupied as an inn during the revolutionary war, and the skeleton must have been in the chimney over one hundred years.

WEST AND SOUTH.

A BOILER on the marine dry-dock at New Orleans exploded on the 3d, fatally scalding Robert Matthews, the engineer. Several workmen were blown into the river, and more or less injured.

THE Michigan Saw Works at East Saginaw, Mich., were destroyed by fire on the 3d, including $22,000 worth of new stock. Loss nearly $100,000; insured in twenty-four companies for $44,500.

THE Secretary of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture, who has received reports from every county in the State, says the ave age of growing wheat is ninety-eight per cent. and improving. He also states that the per-centage of wheat now in the hands of producers is seventeen and one-half, and of corn twenty-four. Peaches are severely injured. Apples promise fairly, but small fruits will be short.

WHILE exploring the famous cave at Lookout Mountain, Tenn., recently, Charles Gower and Chrish Schmitzer accidentally extinguished their lantern when about three miles from the entrance, lost their way and wandered around the cave for five days. They were discovered by a party of explorers from Chattanooga, and rescued more dead than alive. Their chances for recovery were considered doubtful.

PEARL CLAYTON, a nine-year-old boy while sliding down the banisters in the State House at Columbus, O., on the 2d, fell off and landed on the stone floor fifteen feet below, receiving fatal injuries.

TWELVE moonshiners were captured by a United States Deputy Marshal and his posse in a recent raid through Green and Casey counties, Kentucky.

ALF. BURNETT, one of the oldest and best known actors on the American stage, died suddenly at his home in Cincinnati on the 4th of heart disease.

WILLIAM PROCTOR, senior member of the firm of Proctor & Gamble, soap and candle manufacturers, of Cincinnati, died on the 4th in his eighty-third year.

WHILE hunting near Port Clinton, O., on the 31 George Saal, a Cleveland (O.) merchant, accidentally shot himself fatally.

THE Iowa Legislature adjourned *sine die* on the 3d.

THE overflowed district between Memphis and Vicksburg is infested with swarms of buffalo gnats, causing great destruction to horses, mules and cattle. It is estimated that over 1,000 head of stock have fallen victims to these pests.

THE tug Peter Smith, of Cleveland, while on her way to Toledo on the morning of the 6th with seven persons on board and two lighters in tow, exploded her boiler when off Vermillion, O. Captain Smith, of Buffalo, and John Perew and James Rancore, first and second engineers, respectively, both of Cleveland, were instantly killed. The four survivors were blown into the lake, and when they came to the surface nothing was to be seen of their three comrades, and all that remained of the tug was a few splinters of boards. Being good swimmers they reached the lighters in safety.

THE Georgia Democratic State Convention to select delegates to the National Convention is called for June 18, and the convention to nominate State officers and Presidential electors August 13.

EX-LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR JABEZ W. FITCH died at his home in Cleveland, O., on the 5th, aged sixty-one.

A FIRE at West Point, Ga., on the 6th burned five stores, two warehouses and 1,000 bales of cotton.

I. KEMPLE'S carriage factory at St. Louis, a three-story brick building, caved in on the 6th and was nearly destroyed. About a dozen employes and their families occupied the upper story, several of whom went down with the debris, but fortunately none were seriously injured.

ON the night of the 4th three masked robbers entered the house of Carl Schultz at Harrisville, Alcona County, Mich. killed his son, beat the father, mother and daughter into a state of insensibility, secured $3,000 in gold and escaped.

FREIBURG & WORKUM'S distillery at Petersburg, Ky., burned on the 5th. Eight hundred head of cattle, a large stock of corn, and whisky in process of manufacture were destroyed, together with several dwelling houses of workmen. Loss $130,000; fully insured.

AT St. Louis on the 5th fire destroyed Broderick & Bascom's wire rope factory and the Frederick barbed wire works, entailing a loss of $60,000; insured for about $25,000.

THE engine of a passenger train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad, struck a wagon containing three boys at the Spring Grove Cemetery crossing, Cincinnati, on the 5th, and all were instantly killed. The boys were sons of prominent citizens of the vicinity. The engine that struck them is the same one that killed six persons near the same place last July.

BY the flooding of the Albright mine, of the Wilmington Coal Company, at Braidwood, Ill., on the 5th, two hundred men had a narrow escape from death. Five Italian miners, who worked in a different part of the mine from the rest, were lost. It was four feet deep, and on being raised to the top many were overcome with exhaustion.

THE Ohio State Board of Agriculture has received returns from 912 township correspondents, which gives the following percentage of the condition of crops as compared with the five years, full average, from 1878 to 1882: Corn feed, value of the crop of 1883, 59 per cent., equaling 57,725,980 bushels, against five years' actual average of 97,348,881 bushels. Wheat flour, value of crop of 1883, 67 per cent., equaling 27,570,000 bushels, against five years' average of 41,005,000 bushels. Crop of 1884 area 98 per cent., condition 85 per cent., giving the probabilities of 34,736,000 bushels, with the average weather till harvest; average rate of seeding last fall (September), 24 per cent.; broadcast, 17; condition of drilled wheat, 88; broadcast, 77; per cent. of damage by Hessian fly, 5; average number of weeks of snow protection, 7; rye area, 93; condition, 94.

MUCH damage is reported from forest fires in Moore, Robeson, Johnston, Cumberland, Pender and Richmond counties, North Carolina. Large turpentine orchards and many new houses, mills, barns and fences have been swept away, and the fires will prove a heavy blow to the lumber industry of that section of the State.

IT is proposed to hold a conference of the leading Democrats of the country at Baltimore, Md., the latter part of April.

FOREIGN.

A FAMINE prevails in the province of Kazan, Russia.

THE night express from Toronto to Montreal run off the track near Wales Station on the 4th, killing the engineer and fatally injuring the fireman. Several passengers were slightly injured.

FIVE Italians, who recently went to work in the lumber regions near Pemoroke, Ont., were found frozen to death, owing, it is supposed, to their ignorance of the way to build a fire, as they were amply supplied with fuel and food.

HERR SCHEFFLER, editor of an Anarchist paper, the *Radical*, at Pesth, who was arrested some time ago, confesses that he was present at the meeting of the Anarchists in Vienna when the murders of Detective Blosch and Police Commissioner Klubeck were planned.

EMPEROR WILLIAM is reported to be dangerously ill.

THE revenue of the Dominion of Canada for the nine months ended March 31 was $23,455,220; expenditures, $20,991,772.

THE cholera has appeared in Cochin, China. Precautions against its spreading are being taken.

THE vessel wrecked off the Shetland Islands in the gale of the 1st, by which thirteen of the crew and two passengers were lost, was the Danish bark Alba. She was bound for Davis Straits.

THE last rites over the remains of the Duke of Albany was observed on the 5th, when the body was placed in the royal vault at St. George's Chapel, Windsor. The funeral was private but thousands of people stood about the grounds with uncovered heads. The royal family were prostrated with grief but the Queen bore herself with fortitude.

Work will begin soon on the new addition to the Central school building in Elk Rapids.

I always keep your medicines in stock. Downs' Elixir is selling better than any Cough medicine I have, and with good results.
C. M. Smith, Druggist, Clarkston, Mich.

Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters give the best satisfaction of any medicine I sell. They have advertised themselves, and I warrant every bottle.
N. DeKrief, Druggist, Zeeland, Mich.

Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment, for external use is equally good.

C. W. Jones' papes mill at Dundee, will start this week.

Look out for Your Head!

No matter what parts it may finally affect, catarrh always starts in the head, and belongs to the head. There is no mystery about the origin of this direful disease. It begins in a neglected cold. One of the kind that is "sure to be better in a few days." Thousands of victims know how it is by sad experience. Ely's Cream Balm cures colds in the head and catarrh in all its stages. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Applied with the finger to the nostrils.

The Dundee new $18,000 school house is nearly completed.

Mr. Gough on Silk Hats.

"It would be no violation of the commandment," said John B. Gough "if a man were to fall down and worship the silk hat, for it is not made in the likeness of anything in heaven, or on earth, or in the waters which are under the earth." Besides it heals the head and causes the hair to fall off. Parker's Hair Balsam will stop that and restore the original color to gray or faded hair. Not oily, not dye, beneficial, deliciously perfumed. A perfect hair dressing. 50c All druggists

There is nothing like Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil to quickly cure a cold or relieve hoarseness. Written by Mrs. M. J. Fellows, Burr Oak, St. Joseph Co., Mich.

—A Kentucky farmer lost four daughters in one day—by marriage.

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Will send prepaid to any address their BAND CATALOGUE, for 1883, 200 pages, 310 Engravings of Instruments, Suits, Caps, Belts, Pompons, Epaulets, Cap-Lamps, Stands, Drum Major's Staffs, and Hats, Sundry Band Outfits, Repairing Materials, also inclusive instruction and Selection for Amateur Bands, and a Catalogue of Choice Band Music.

We feel that we are doing the public a favor in calling their attention particularly to Hood's Sarsaparilla. This is not a patent medicine, but a proprietary article, possessing real curative properties, and its effects upon the Blood are very positive. Spring Debility, Biliousness, Dyspepsia and all troubles caused by impure blood readily yield to this excellent medicine. We think those who give it a trial for that "out of sorts" feeling from which so many suffer and which is peculiar to this season, will be quite satisfied with the results.

A Swede working in L. P. Swift's camp, near Chase, was killed last Saturday by falling upon him.

We All Believe

That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggists, Baker and Hall, are very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge.

Nearly all the cash subscriptions asked for the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern road have been pledged.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

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Battle Creek doesn't work her officials to death. 19 ex-mayors and 5 ex-presidents are still living.

The True Test.

If a man is hungry within an hour more or less after a meal he is a dyspeptic, it shows his stomach is not able to dispose of what he has eaten, but to eat again, and thus impose more work, is absurdity. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malaria diseases. Price 50 cents, of Baker and Hall.

The new Dundee Buckeye chair factory's machinery is expected every day.

Read all the advertisements of spring medicines, and then take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier.

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Magnetic Medicine; a Brain and Nerve Food; Positively cures Night Losses, Spermatorrhœa, Impotency, Nervous Debility, Leucorrhœa, Barrenness; and for all (BEFORE) weaknesses of the Generative (AFTER) organs in either sex, it is an unfailing and positive cure. Tones up the debilitated system, arrests all involuntary discharges, removes mental gloom and despondency, and restores wonderful power to the weakened organs. With each order for twelve packages, accompanied with five dollars, we will send our Guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. It is the Cheapest and Best Medicine in the market. Full particulars in Pamphlet, which we mail free to any address. Sold by all druggists, one package 50 cts., six for $2.50, or sent by mail on receipt of price by addressing the MAGNETIC MEDICINE CO., DETROIT, MICH. Guarantees issued in Tecumseh by Waldo & Doty.

ESTATE OF STEVENS MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Tuesday, the 4th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Edwin B. Wood, guardian of said minors, praying for leave to sell the real estate of said minors in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar13

ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Wednesday the 2d day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson, guardian of said minor praying for the allowance of his sixth account as such guardian now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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J. D. SHOLES,
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Whips, Nets and all kinds of Horse Clothing.
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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Rodes to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D. 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday, the ninth day of April, A.D. 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera House, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following lands or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan, viz: All that part of the west half of the [illegible] lying south of the center of the Baxter ditch (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp drain or ditch, all in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D. 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS,
Executor.
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ESTATE OF ELLEN M. STOCKING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen M. Stocking deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel Haight, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of her last sickness and funeral and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that he has made advance payments to Charles Stocking, the husband of said deceased, nearly in full of his distributive share of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then [illegible] at the Probate office in the city [illegible] show cause, if any there be, why the [illegible] petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said [illegible] give notice to the persons interested [illegible] of the pendency of said petition and [illegible] hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar20

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, in said county, Michigan, on the 29th day of March, 1884, and on the 29th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each day, and that six months from the 16th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
mar1 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 29th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 8th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
mar6 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased, is in part at least a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for hearing the same.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF SILAS W. BASS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Lucy O. Teft, a heir of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Esther Teft, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 10, 1884.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The election was quite warmly contested and a large amount of "slipping" was done, on both sides. An inspection of the figures given in full below will show that the majority of the votes poled were split tickets. Alf James for Supervisor had a walk over, as did Newt. Satterthwaite for clerk. The contest was on full term Justice and Treasurer, and most of the work on both sides was bestowed on these two candidates. The Union ticket received a good vote, more than many people supposed it would.

TABLE OF VOTES CAST.

Supervisor—	
Alfred James, D	344
William H. Osborn, R	169
John S. Kinney, U	75
Township Clerk—	
Arthur E. Kennedy, D	242
J. Newton Satterthwaite, R	300
John J. Orr, U	68
Town Treasurer—	
Horatio Keyser, D	252
Edgar A. Tribou, R	263
August W. Slayton, U	60
Justice of the Peace, full term—	
Charles Burridge, D	293
John L. Schoolcraft, R	233
Walter V. Wimple, U	53
Justice of the Peace, three years—	
[illegible]	[illegible]
Justice of the Peace, one year—	
John W. Benedict, D	272
Horace Weller, R	232
Justice of the Peace, vacancy	
James H. Heck, U	63
James D. Sholes, U	73
School Inspector	
David D. Hammond, D	277
Abner Wilson, R	225
Charles E. Conley, U	77
Highway Commissioner—	
Jerome F. N. Bowen, D	262
Alfred D. Hall, R	243
John J. Neeley, U	71
Drain Commissioner—	
William Bresie, D	264
Henry W. Stevens, R	239
William Kyle, U	72
Constables—	
Thomas Kyle, D	270
Truman D. Kinney, R	251
T. Charles Cummins, R	249
Joseph W. Wooden, D	248
James W. Cole, D	234
Francisco Davidson, D	243
William C. Jordan, R	241
Herbert E. Stout, R	244
James McKinney, U	74
Henry J. Sweet, U	74

The Board of Supervisors.

Following is the political complexion of the new board of supervisors:

City, First Ward—August F. Haas, R.
Second Ward—Edwin Crane, D.
Third Ward—D. A. Bixby, D.
Fourth Ward—J. H. Warren, R.
Adrian—L. C. Baker, D.
Blissfield—George R. Cochrane, R.
Cambridge—C. H. Dewey, D.
Clinton—Stroud Marstellar, R.
Deerfield—Dale Munson, D.
Dover—J. H. Shepherd, R.
Fairfield—Ira Goodsell, D.
Franklin—D. W. Love, R.
Hudson—Ira Swaney, R.
Macon—Frank Gilmore, R.
Madison—John W. Dalton, R.
Medina—Geo. W. Woodworth, D.
Ogden—Fred Bey, R.
Palmyra—W. H. Moore, U.
Raisin—Horace Holdridge, D.
Ridgeway—C. L. Lowe, D.
Riga—Henry Finger, R.
Rollin—Selah H. Raymond, R.
Rome—George W. Fleming, R.
Seneca—W. H. Shearson, D.
Tecumseh—Alfred James, D.
Woodstock—A. M. Sickley, D.

Coldwater Republican: "Last Saturday forenoon Judge Cooley of the Michigan Supreme Court, was in the city and we took the opportunity to interview him regarding the subject of liquor bonds, the surety on the same and the action of the village board or city council regarding them. It has been quite commonly remarked that if such a body should reject such bonds absolute prohibition might prevail and they based their assertion upon a decision of the Supreme Court in this State. The fact is that no Council or Board can refuse to act upon bonds presented. They must act; but the question of sufficiency is left entirely with such body; and if a Council or Board should, in their judgment, deem the bond insufficient on the ground of the character or of the financial ability of the surety then the Court will not interfere to compel such Council or Board to approve the bonds. This, in brief, is the view of the Court; but it in no way releives the Council or Village Board from responsibility in the matter."

Full information concerning the "Junior Class Banquet" will appear in next week's HERALD. Read it and profit by the information there gained.

Rev. St. John, of Clinton paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum last Monday.

OHIO ELECTIONS.

The Strength of the Political Parties Tested in the Local Elections.

COLUMBUS, O., April 7.—Reports received up to midnight indicate that the Republicans have carried the city by about 700 majority, electing a majority of the School Board, one Waterworks Trustee and a Police Commissioner, making three Republican police commissioners, giving the Republicans control of the police, which has heretofore been in hands of the Democrats. The Republicans have evidently made a clean sweep of the city. Accurate returns from fifteen out of the twenty-six precincts show a net Republican gain in these presincts of 340. Hoadly's majority in the city last fall was but 324.

CINCINNATI, April 7.—The election to-day was devoid of interest and the vote was light. The principal officers to be elected were a Judge of the Superior Court, Clerk of the Police Court, member of the Board of Public Works, Director of the Infirmary and members of the Council and Board of Education. Besides the Republican and Democratic, there was a municipal reform ticket nominated. It received a comparatively small vote. One-third of the city heard from at midnight shows a net Republican gain of 150, the comparison being made with a year ago, when the Democratic candidate for member of the Board of Public Works had 740 majority.

At 1:30 returns from half the city have been received. Nothing definite can be said as to the result, but indications are that a portion of the Republican ticket is elected. Richaris, Republican, for the police court, leads the ticket.

YOUNGSTOWN, April 7.—Election to-day gave a perfect sweep to the Republicans, they electing Walter L. Campbell Mayor by 244 majority over Mathew Logan. The Republicans also elected Knight City Solicitor and six Councilmen out of seven, leaving the council Republican by four majority. The Republicans elect eleven out of fourteen on the Board of Education.

CLEVELAND, April 7.—The Republicans won a remarkable victory here to-day, the city giving a Republican majority of about 3,000 for the city ticket. The Council and Board of Education will also be Republican.

MICHIGAN ELECTIONS.

EAST SAGINAW, April 7.—At the city election a light vote was polled. The Republicans elect the Mayor by 409 majority and one Justice of the Peace by 1,554 majority, six of the eight alpermen, six school inspectors and three Supervisors. The Democrats elect the Treasurer by 639 majority, two Aldermen, three School Inspectors and one Supervisor. Saginaw City elects a Republican Mayor, one Justice of the Peace and two of the six Aldermen.

INDIANA ELECTION.

MUNCIE, Ind., April 8.—Returns on township election came in very slowly, in this, Center Township. The entire Republican ticket is elected by 200 majority. The township gave a majority for Hawn of 410. Hamilton township elected a Democratic trustee. The other townships are believed to have elected Republicans. The result indicates slight Democratic gains. This is due to the fact that the Republican nominating election absorbed the entire interest of good workers.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 7.—The township election passed off quietly. A very light vote was polled. Returns are meager, but they indicate the re-election of the Democratic Trustee by a reduced majority. Returns from the State do not show a noticeable change.

ANDERSON, April 7.—Reports from all parts of the county show Republican gains. Two Democratic townships elected Republican trustees. Anderson township gives Campbell, Democrat, 158 majority, a Republican gain of 67.

The Rush to the Fort Ransom Mines.

LAMOURE, Dak., April 7.—The rush to the Fort Ransom gold mines has begun. H. W. Griswold, of Chicago, arrived Saturday last with his family and a party of friends. He appears as confident as ever. Two large lots of rock have been tested. In one instance there was a showing of ten dollars to the ton and in the other over forty dollars of gold and silver. During the winter Mr. Griswold visited some of the Colorado mines to inspect the machinery in use, and he has already had placed on the ground in the Fort Ransom district the best crushing apparatus extant. Prospectors have been in the field for the last two weeks and claims are being staked out everywhere the snow covers the ground. A good hotel and some other business houses have been opened in the town of Griswold. The mining interest bids fair to develop just such a furor as existed last fall. Prospectors are extending their operations into the Bear Creek region and toward Lamoure. There is little chance to secure a promising claim on the Cheyenne except at a fancy price. A member of the Lamoure Mining Company said to-day that he believed the whole country hereabouts would be prospected this season. Lamoure is seventeen miles from the Griswold mines.

A Lawyer Whipped by Milliners.

NORTH LEWISBURG, O., April 8.—This place is excited over a horsewhipping case here Saturday. A. D. Palmer, aged thirty-six, is a prominent attorney and leading citizen of Lewisburg. He has a pretty wife and two children, Cora and Mary Ash[illegible] are handsome milliners of the same town. Palmer has been forcing unwelcome attention on the young ladies. Saturday afternoon he met them on the street, and, as they claim, insulted them. Miss Cora seized a stick of wood and with a whip in the hands of Mary they polished off Palmer. He s[illegible] long enough to feel blood trickling down his face and then fled. There is much talk over the event.

A Wife Beheaded.

ALTOONA, Pa., April 8.—Mrs. L. U. Beach, wife of a prominent physician, was discovered in her room this morning with the head almost severed from the body. The circumstances are so suspicious that the doctor has been arrested. It is said that he has already admitted to a member of the family that he committed the deed. Two large knives and a cleaver, used for amputating purposes, were found beside the victim.

Minister Hunt's Funeral.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The funeral of Judge Hunt, late Minister at St. Petersburg, will take place here to-day with military honors. The pall bearers will be Chief Justice Waite, Admiral Porter, Admiral Rogers, ex-Secretary Blaine, ex-Postmaster General James, Senator Gibson, Judge Bancroft Davis and Judge Peabody.

Proves a Canard.

CUMBERLAND, Md., April 7.—The reports sent hence that a prize fight and general row had taken place at Hyndman, Pa., near the Maryland State line, in which three men were killed and several badly injured, is without any foundation.

ON THE SCAFFOLD.

A Pennsylvanian Dies an Ignominious Death—The Victim Not One of the Murderers.

HARRISBURGH, Pa., April 8.—A strange story is told in connection with the arrest, trial and execution of William E. Delaney, Librarian of the Pennsylvania State Senate. Delaney was recently hanged at Tombstone, Ari., with four others, for the murder of the Bisbee family on the 8th of December.

Captain Delaney is thoroughly convinced that his brother was innocent of the crime for which he suffered death. As soon as John learned that his brother was to be executed he made every possible effort to save him from the gallows. He claims to have secured positive proof that his brother had never been in the place of the murder and that when the Bisbee family was murdered he was in Mexico, over two hundred miles distant. Delaney is said to have been convicted on the testimony of a man (Daniels) who swore that he saw Delaney in his store a few minutes before the commission of the crime. All efforts to get Delaney another trial were abortive. Captain John C. Delaney placed $1,000 in the hands of Father McBride of this city, with instructions to forward the money to the Catholic priest at Tombstone, A. T., to pay a lawyer to take charge of Delaney's case. A reply was received from Father P. J. Gallagher, saying that $10,000 could not secure the services of a lawyer for the intended purpose, owing to the desperation of the men who wanted to see Delaney hanged. On March 22d Father Gallagher wrote to Captain Delaney thus: "The lawyers still refuse to take an appeal because of the dread of the community. The sentiment has changed very much, however, in your brother's favor, as you are informed. There is a direct proof against him yet. I can do nothing unless I can get an appeal taken. I have done all I can."

An unsuccessful effort was made to have President Arthur stay the execution, and Delaney was executed, protesting his innocence. On the day before the hanging Delaney wrote his brother that Daniels, the principal witness against him, had on the previous night shot and killed a man. It is claimed that Delaney's life was sacrificed by men in pursuit of revenge and gain, and that the men whose evidence convicted him received a reward of nearly $1,700. For that amount perjury was committed, besides Delaney had incurred the hatred of lawless men. Delaney is alleged to have located three valuable copper claims in Arizona. Specimens of this ore were received in this city by Captain Delaney and pronounced by an assayer of the richest quality. He was offered $6,000 for the claim, which proposition Captain Delaney told his brother to reject. The bid was increased to $10,000, but was again refused at the request of Captain Delaney. The party who offered these sums became young Delaney's enemy, and involved him in a quarrel with a drunken Mexican woman. While wresting a revolver from the woman, the man fired at Delaney, who, returning the fire, wounded his adversary. A few days later the men met in a cabin when Delaney was again assailed. This time he badly wounded his enemy. Delaney was arrested, but acquitted, the evidence showing that he had acted in self-defense. Threats were then made by the wounded man that he would have Delaney's life, and Delaney thought it advisable to leave for Mexico. During his absence the plot was concerted to implicate him in the Bisbee murder. Delaney's copper claims had been located and perfected under the law, and when he realized that he would be hanged he made a deed of them to his brother John, which was mailed but has not reached its destination. It is believed the deed was stolen from the mail through the instrumentality of those in pursuit of the claims.

ORRIN A. CARPENTER.

He Refuses to Recognize the Right of the Citizens of Lincoln to Order Him to Leave.

LINCOLN, Ill., April 7.—The committee of fifty appointed at the mass meeting here March 26 to "express their views of the subject of crime" convened in the Court House Saturday afternoon, and in a body went to the residence of Orrin A. Carpenter to present him with a copy of the resolutions, among which was "that we demand of the said Carpenter that he leave Logan County without necessary delay."

At the residence Mr. H. L. Pierce, as chairman, advanced to the door and presented the paper inclosed in an envelope, which Mr. Carpenter refused to receive, and it was laid on the floor at his feet, and in response to which he said: "I do not recognize your authority to pass or to present to me any such resolutions, and I refuse to accept them. I have lived a law-abiding citizen in this county for the last thirty years, and I don't know any more about the killing of that girl than you do. I shall use my own judgment and discretion as to my future course. I thank you all for your friendly visit."

The appearance of the procession upon the streets moving in the direction of the Carpenter residence created much excitement, but no demonstration of violence was offered, and no reply was made to Carpenter's refusal to receive the paper, and all is quiet as though the proceeding had not been had. When, where, and how the shocking affair that has so torn up the community will end it is impossible to see or learn. It is reported to-night that suit will be entered against each member of the committee, and it appears from surface indications that the end is far off.

More Grain for the Flood Sufferers.

ELDORADO, Kas., April 7.—A train consisting of twenty-five cars of corn and flour left this city at six o'clock Saturday morning via St. Louis, Ft. Scott & Wichita, Missouri Pacific and Ohio & Mississippi Railways for Cincinnati, being the contributions of the people of Butler County to the Ohio flood sufferers. The train, which contains 10,000 bushels of corn and 4,000 pounds of flour, will be delivered in Cincinnati by the above roads free.

Fatal Family Feud.

GREENSBURG, Pa., April 8.—Saturday night, during a dance at a farm house near Salem, a drunken row occurred in which one man was fatally and three others seriously injured. The fight sprang from an old feud between the McLaughlin and Wagner families, and three brothers of each family took a hand. Elmer McLaughlin struck George Wagner over the head with a paling, splitting open his skull. Wager is living, but the physicians say he cannot possibly recover.

Believed to Have Been Murdered.

STAPLETON, L. I., April 8.—The body of a man found in the woods near New Brighton Saturday last with a sword cane beside it has been identified as that of Carmilio Farachs, a cigar maker of Brooklyn, who was seen Saturday morning going towards Staten Island ferry in company with Antonio Flacomio, a neighbor, and who is believed to have murdered the deceased in a quarrel over business matters.

Stories on the Road.

Commercial Travelers at a Wayside Inn—Something to Put in a Gripsack.

"Gentlemen, I almost envy you the positions you fill; your experience of the world; your knowledge of business; the changing sights you see, and all that you know."

This warmly expressed regret fell from the lips of an elderly pleasure tourist, last August, and was addressed to a semicircle of commercial travelers seated on the porch of the Lindell Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

"Yes, responded a New York representative of the profession, "a drummer isn't without his pleasures, but he runs his risks too—risks outside the chances of railroad collisions and steamboat explosions."

"What risks for instance?"

"This, for instance," said Mr. W. D. Franklin, who was then traveling for an eastern house, and is known to merchants in all parts of the country. "The risk which indeed amounts almost to a certainty, of getting dyspepsia from general shiftlessness in diet and water and from having no fixed hours for eating and sleeping. I myself was an example. I say, was, for I am all right now."

"No discount on your digestion" broke in a Chicago dry goods traveler, lighting his cigar afresh.

"Not a quarter per cent. But I had to give up traveling for a while. The dyspepsia ruined my paper. Finally I came across an advertisement of PARKER'S TONIC. I tried it and it fixed me up to perfection. There is nothing on earth in my opinion, equal to it as a cure for dyspepsia."

Messrs. Hiscox & Co., of New York, the proprietors, hold a letter from Mr. Franklin stating that precise fact. PARKER'S TONIC aids digestion, cures malarial fevers, heartburn, headache, coughs and colds and all chronic diseases of the liver and kidneys. Put a bottle in your valise. Prices 50c and $1. Economy in larger size.

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ESTATE OF SAMUEL ARNER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Arner, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Augustus Montgomery, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of his last sickness and funeral, and praying for the allowance of his final account and for such further order as shall be deemed lawful and necessary, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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DR. GEO. FERGUSON

Late of Coldwater, this state,

Takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Tecumseh and vicinity that he has purchased the

Drug and Grocery Business of J. W. Patterson at the old Patterson store in this Village.

The Doctor is a physician and druggist and is every way competent and reliable in his line of business. The stock is being thoroughly sifted, and every article not actually prime is thrown out.

We have a large and fine line of wall paper, which we invite the people to see for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. We do not expect to sell all the goods sold in our line in the village, but by fair and honorable dealing hope to secure our share of trade.

MY STOCK

In all lines is now complete, having just filled up with the

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In Spring and Summer Goods.

The attention of the public is respectfully requested, Call and examine.

JOE WILSON.

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HOUSE TO RENT.—Situated on Onondaga street. Enquire of H. W. CONKLING.

EIGHT BRAMAH EGGS for setting can be had of the subscriber at the residence of Mr. Hurlbut at 50c per 13. Orders left at Waldo & Son's will receive prompt attention. F. V. HOUTON.

PROF. C. M. VET, Director of the Conservatory of Music, Jackson, Mich., will receive pupils for the violin, cello, flute, cornet, &c. Tuesday at each week. Terms, $1 per lesson. Orders for piano tuning promptly and satisfactorily attended to.

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FOR SALE.—Two houses and lots on Portland street, west, very cheap if sold within next thirty days. Apply to Marshall on the premises. Tecumseh, March 24, 1884.

NOTICE.—My wife Sarah, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date. Tecumseh, March 25, 1884. WALTER LOCKWOOD.

FOR SALE.—New lumber wagon, one of my make, for sale cheap. J. B. RICHART.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher shops in Ann Arbor, for sale at a bargain if taken soon. For particulars enquire of J. W. COLE.

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LOST.—One note given by me to Samuel Clark, for two hundred dollars. The same forbidden paid. Finder will please return said note to me. H. E. WILSON. Tecumseh, Mich., March 19, 1884.

COAL ASHES REMOVED.—Parties wishing to have coal ashes or other rubbish removed can have the same promptly done by leaving orders at the HERALD OFFICE.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE. The farm formerly owned by Joseph Slater, two miles west of Tecumseh, containing about 300 acres, is now offered for sale. All persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and the farm. E. B. WOOD, Agent.

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FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, in the business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

OBITUARY.

The Milwaukee Sunday Telegraph of March 30th contains this beautiful tribute to the late Mrs. Geo. L. Graves. When a little child, in all its precious innocence, is tenderly removed from this world to a better one, we know not from what sin and suffering it may have been saved, and our sorrow is tempered by this reflection; and when one laden with years and good deeds is called hence, we feel that when one's task is finished, 'tis well to lie down for a long rest; but when one whose beautiful life has not yet reached its fullness, is taken away from the work that only she could do, and do well, how almost impossible it is to be resigned to say with the heart, as with the lips, 'Thy will be done.' Such an one was Mrs. Geo. L. Graves, whose sweet earth-life came to its close March 27, 1884. With her life was indeed real and earnest, and ever and always she was, what she seemed to be,

"A perfect woman nobly planned."

No one who ever looked in her face could but feel that it was a face with a soul behind it, and a beautiful soul; no one who came into her presence could but feel the influence of that soul, and of her life in all its grace, and purity. It was this rare, sweet influence, this shining forth of the radiant light within the temple, that raised those who saw her only for a brief time, to exclaim, "what a lovely woman!" and it was the same inherent quality that bound to her with strong affection, and ever increasing admiration those who were privileged to know her well, and only they could really appreciate the loveliness of her mind and disposition, the extraordinary strength and nobility of her character, and while they mourn her loss they will ever be grateful that they knew her, and find in her memory an inspiration toward all in life, that is "good and true, and beautiful."

The deceased was a daughter of Hon. Wm. H. Osborn, of this village. Her childhood was passed amid the scenes of the old homestead near Macon. Her education was finished in the Tecumseh High School. To those who were favored with her friendship in the years gone by, no eulogy is necessary. The tribute to her memory by a Milwaukee friend is not overdrawn. The kindly heart, the genial smile, the devotion to duty, the womanly demeanor of her character captivated her youthful companions and bound her associates to her by the strongest ties. And when she had entered upon the scenes and duties of after years, her beautiful maiden life developed into that of a typical wife and mother. The old friends of Sophia M. Osborn, upon hearing of her demise, will feel the choke of sorrow and shed the tear of sympathy for the bereaved husband and motherless children. But in this dispensation the consolation of friends is a feeble reed to lean upon. The stricken husband will look to the Giver of All Good for guidance, taking comfort in the thought that the spirit of the departed one has only "gone before."

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 10 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Geo. Smith Esq., of Toledo was in town last week.

Harry G. Sherrard spent last Sabbath in Tecumseh.

Remember now, if you wish a treat, the "Junior Banquet" can not be beat.

Lavern Ide, of Detroit, is at home a few days taking a brief respite from work.

The Junior Class of the Tecumseh High School will give a Banquet at the Opera House, Friday evening, April 18.

Hessel Schofield has bought a farm at Morrice, Shiawassee Co., and is moving his family to his new home this week.

Raisin elected Horace Holdredge, Democrat, supervisor, and the balance of the ticket was divided between the two parties.

There will be a called meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No 60, F. & A. M. on Friday evening, the 18th. A full attendance is desired.

John Trann, who is now a member of the "drummer brigade," occasionally takes in Tecumseh on his trips. He was in town Saturday.

TAKE NOTICE—All persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle at once, as I shall leave town soon for another business location.

C. A. KEIL.

The April number of the Baptist Items was issued Tuesday and is fully up to its usual standard of excellence. We are indebted to the Items for a column of news on our local page this week.

Bro. Field is fitting up his office in Bidwell's building, south of Slayton & Kinney's store, and is moving in the material. The first number of the Tecumseh News will be issued next week Thursday.

Frank L. Smalridge, of Detroit, paid Tecumseh a flying visit Tuesday. He is still running a drug store at 702 Jefferson Ave., where he would be pleased to see his Tecumseh friends when they visit the city.

Osborn & Wilson go to Lansing next week to attend the State Shearing Festival. They will take their stock ram "Greasy Bill." Bill's shearing record for three years is, 1st, fleece 22½ lbs.; 2d, 33¾ lbs.; 3d, 40 lbs.

We chronicle this week the marriage of Mr. C. D. Bills and Miss Nettie Faling. Thus another of our young bachelors becomes a benedict. May the union prove a happy one and be blessed with many little responsibilities.

A letter from Rev. G. W. Puddefoot of St. Ignace, says the weather is fine in that section. They had only three rough days in March. The Algomah makes her trips regularly through the ice, while teams still cross the straits on the ice, which is rather a strange sight.

Fred B. Wood now has his "sheepskin," and is an Attorney at Law, fully licensed to practice. With the excellent preliminary training Fred has received, and his extended acquaintance in this section, we predict for him a lucrative and influential practice.

Elliott Gray arrived home from Ireland last Tuesday evening. He left the "old sod" on March 27th and stopped over two days in New York, being just thirteen days on the road. He had a pleasant trip over the Atlantic, although not as quick a one as he has made heretofore.

A new time schedule went into force on the M. & O. road last Sunday. The trains going west run nearly the same as before, but the Eastern trains run considerably later. The connections at Allegan and Monteith and also at Britton with the Wabash will be improved under this arrangement.

Mrs. Spaulding has a lemon tree in her green house which is a curiosity. It contains blossoms, and fruit from the fruit setting to the ripe lemon. She has shipped lemons to both Chicago and Milwaukee. Mrs. Spaulding's stock of flowers is unusually large this spring, and she is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Coldwater Republican: We are sorry that the Dr. has decided to leave us. He was a good citizen, a hard worker in the cause of temperance, and the workingman's friend and moreover a first class physician. This change also takes another family from us, Mr. Frank Ferguson, his son, who will assist his father in the business. We cannot recommend the Dr. too highly to the citizens of Tecumseh.

Prof. C. M. Vet of Jackson, whose card we publish to-day, is a violinist and musician of a high order, and has consented, at the request of several of our music loving people, to come to Tecumseh once a week, on Tuesday, for the purpose of giving instruction here in music. The pupils of the professor must certainly profit by his practical and excellent method of teaching, and in time become excellent performers on their respective instruments. Should the Prof. find more pupils, he will give more time to his visits here.

The election in Clinton resulted in the choice of the entire Democratic ticket except supervisor, Marstellar, Republican, being elected to that office. Following are the officers chosen, with their majorities

Stroud F. Marstellar, Supervisor, 29.
Charles W. Nash, Clerk, 32.
John B. McAdam, Treasurer, 38.
John W. Gillespie, Commissioner of Highways, 32.
David G. Kuder, Justice of the Peace, 36.
R. B. Gillespie, Drain Com., 38.
Wesley R. Keyser, School Insp't r, 36.
Constables—J. C. Burroughs, W. H. Smith, L. C. Gragg, Alfonso Kuder.

A WORD OF EXPLANATION.

Last Saturday evening Jay Santus, of Ridgeway, came to the HERALD office and left an order for the Democratic tickets of that township. They were promptly printed and with the slips he ordered delivered to him. During the progress of the work, another citizen of Ridgeway who claims to be a Democrat, called and asked for fifty extra tickets to be delivered to him privately and to be paid for by himself. We declined to furnish the tickets without an order from Mr. Santus. Later in the evening, about ten o'clock, and after the Ridgeway tickets had gone he returned and insisted upon having fifty extra tickets, and upon our persistent refusal to print them for him, he proceeded to free his mind in very emphatic language in the presence of several bystanders. We do not make this statement by way of apology. When a man does right no apology is necessary. But we make it to show the citizens of Ridgeway that when a committee bring their election printing to the HERALD office, they can expect; not only to receive good work, but to be treated with good faith.

BEEBE VS. AUSTIN.

Two of Tecumseh's Young Sports Indulge in Ten Rounds of Collar and Elbow at Armory Hall.

About 200 of Tecumseh's sport-inclined citizens assembled at Armory Hall last Tuesday evening to witness the wrestling match between Charles Beebe and Daniel Austin, two amateur wrestlers of Tecumseh. It was to be collar and elbow, best two falls out of three, the winner to have the door money. Floyd Bostwick had been selected as referee and Frank Silvers acted as second to Austin while Ed. Prichard performed the same service for Beebe. At 8:10 o'clock the men came on the floor and were introduced to the audience. Austin was dressed in white pants and red stockings with the usual loose canvass jacket, while Beebe wore white pants and brown stockings and jacket. Both men appeared in good shape though a little nervous, it being their first appearance in the wrestling ring. Austin was about an inch the taller, and 12½ pounds heavier than his opponent, still Beebe had a kind of a "git thar" look about him which inspired confidence in his admirers.

Referee Bostwick called time and the men clinched for the first round. Austin acting on the offensive. After considerable play Beebe got a grapevine lock around Austin's leg and threw him on his side. No fall was the decision. Austin then put in some of his fancy steps and tripped Beebe, thowing him three times in succession, but none were declared fair. At the third fall time was called. This round lasted 8 minutes.

The second round was called at 8:21 and the men came up looking as fresh as ever. Beebe led out and got a toe lock but slipped. He got another hip lock on Austin and in the struggle forced him off the carpet. They were put back again and Beebe got him again and threw him on his side. No fall was declared. Time of round 4 minutes.

The third round Austin secured a grapevine lock and threw Beebe square on his back, and the first fall was declared for Austin.

The fourth and fifth rounds were given to by-play and were of little interest. The sixth round Beebe led out with a grapevine lock and laid Austin on his back as slick as any professional could have done it, amid a thunder of applause, and ended that round. Each now had a fall and the excitement ran high. Beebe seemed to be the favorite. The seventh and eighth rounds lasted five minutes and both men went down several times but no fair fall was called.

The ninth round the men came up to the mark looking a little winded. Beebe got a lock on Austin's hip and they both went to the floor, Austin falling under. The crowd called out a fall for Beebe, claiming that Austin broke his hold to save himself, but Referee Bostwick decided it was no fall. The tenth and last round was won very neatly by Austin, who laid Beebe on his back in about a minute, and he was declared the winner of the money.

The usual number of kickers were present and declared the decisions of the referee one sided, but the majority of the audience seemed to be well satisfied with the rulings, which were in every respect fairly given. The receipts amounted to $26.90.

Next Tuesday evening Austin will wrestle with Ed. Prichard at Armory Hall under the same rules for door money.

FROM THE BAPTIST ITEMS.

Bro. Charles McNeil has been quite ill for the past few days.

Master Robie VanWinkle is just recovering from a long sickness.

Four persons were baptized at Clinton last Saturday eve., the 6th inst.

Bro. Millard Marks has removed his residence to the eastern part of town.

Bro. Thompson and family have moved onto the farm of Bro. J. H. Brainble.

Bro. Frank Beemann has removed to the first house north of A. P. Coldington's.

Mr. and Mrs. Burtel, have moved out upon their farm formerly owned by Mr. Brownell.

Bro. T. Mills has decided to remain in the employ of Mr. Shull another year. A good employer and a good employe.

Bro. D. T. Hall was suddenly called week before last to the State of N. Y., to attend the funeral of his grand mother. He was gone about six days.

Mr. O. B. DeWolf did not go to California. Changed his mind and went to Missouri. Mr. and Mrs. DeWolf, Bertha and Winnie are expected home soon.

The house of O. B. DeWolf has been quite a hospital for the past two weeks. Miss Herring, Roy May and Grace have all been sick. All are better now.

Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton are still very feeble. The doctor enjoyed a short visit a few days since, at the home of Rev. M. E. Hayne, a former pastor of this church.

All our young people, who are at College, came home for the Spring vacation. They were well and hopeful. Everybody was glad to see them and they seemed glad to see everybody.

On the 4th inst. a few of the older members of the church paid Dea. J. C. Clough and wife a surprise visit, a token of esteem. The visit was thoroughly enjoyed by all who went.

Frank Benedict left home March 31st for Ohio. He will soon return with a lady whom he will introduce as Mrs. Benedict. He will then be Benedict in earnest: Benedict by name and a benedict because married. We wish them long, useful and happy lives.

Mrs. Vail, Mrs. A. Yawger's sister, returned to her home in Auburn, about two weeks ago. We regretted to have her go. She had been with us so long that we had come to count her as one of our own people. We hope she will spend another winter with us very soon.

Bro. P. B. Swick now enjoys the reputation of an inventor. He has secured a patent for a thill and hold-back strap combined. Its reception by the public is very encouraging. A few years ago a man in Ypsilanti invented a whip-socket, out of which he made his fortune. We wish Bro. S. the same gratifying result.

The Sabbath School in Dist. No. 5, Clinton, which has been closed during the winter months, opened again April 6th. The members of the school hope to secure the services of the village Pastors from time to time, and trust the school will if possible, be more interesting than last summer. It is the prayer of each teacher, that seed here sown will bear much fruit.

Dr. W. E. Burtless, now of Midland, made his Tecumseh friends a short visit last week. He is practicing medicine and surgery at Midland with very unusual success. His business is very large. Fourteen years ago he was an active worker in our Church S. S., and Society. He was largely the introducer of our library system, and was a long time an efficient secretary of the school.

Hot buckwheat cakes, hot biscuit and maple syrup were served by the friends of the S. S., at the chapel March 20th. The entertainment was a new venture, an experiment. It was a success in a small way. If the weather had not been so unfavorable more would have been made. As it is the library fund is a thing that exists in real cash, not simply in the mind of the Supt. It was encouraging to see the young people take hold and work. It was very discouraging to see so many of the older people, who have children to be benefited by the school, conspicuously absent. This ought not so to have been.

Everybody is enthusiastic over the new choir. The singing is inspiring, and then the members of the choir are reliable. It is a rare day when any of them are absent except for unavoidable causes. The Sunday evening song service is growing in interest and excellence. Can any one tell why the singers persist in taking the back seats at the beginning of every service, making necessary a scene every time in order to get them to take the front seats? The cynic says: They do it so as to be coaxed. The wag says: They do it so that the chorister or pastor may have a weekly opportunity of getting up the sheep. But then we have no sympathy with the cynic and wag, nor with the singer, who takes a back seat.

LAND OF GRASSHOPPERS AND CYCLONES.

As promised a few weeks ago, I will try and give a description of our trip to Kansas. We left home March 3d, took the M. S. R. R. to Chicago and Rock Island to Kansas City. Our train from Chicago consisted of ten coaches, three baggage cars, and drawn by two engines. Everybody and his family seemed to be going to Kansas.

On getting off the train at Kansas City about the first man we met was Mr Linch, who was book keeper, and clerk for Spellacy at Tecumseh. He was as much pleased to see some one he knew as we were. Enquired about the Tecumseh boys in general and sent respects to all. He kindly showed us the city, and by the way, it is a young Chicago, containing between eighty and one hundred thousand inhabitants, and is chuck full of business. There is only one depot and that is called the Union, and all trains center there which makes it very convenient for the traveling public. The city is built on the bluffs of the Missouri river, and to a stranger going in on the cars, he would think it was not a very large place, but go up the hill about 200 feet and he will change his mind. The streets are all up hill and down, and are quite a sight. It seems strange so large a city should be built in such a hilly place when there is so much level land in the west. The tickets we bought at Adrian were to Independence Kansas, were first-class and good for forty days, but any one wishing to visit any part of Southern Kansas or Indian Territory, and purchasing the Independence round trip ticket, can if they desire, on reaching Kansas City, by calling on H. E. Moss, ticket agent for the Kansas and Southern Railway, and the payment of $5, exchange the portion of the ticket over this road for what they call the "grand circuit ticket" which carries you over the Kansas Southern to Windfield, and over the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Road from Windfield back to Kansas City, allowing stop-off at all points south of Ottawa on this line and at Wichita, Newton, Peabody, Florence, Emporia, and Topeka, on the A. T. & S. F. Road. This is the route we took and the first stop we made was at Garnet, Anderson Co. Here we took another road to Mont Ida about 12 miles from Garnett, where we enquired for our old friend Henry Wilson. We found he lived only 2½ miles from town, so we walked out to his ranch. Found Henry feeding his sheep, and he had a fine flock of them, about 750, all looking well. He had about 200 fat ones that he expected to ship to St. Louis the next week, said he had lost only two of his flock this winter. He had a good stock of horses, cattle and hogs, and abundance of corn and hay for all. He owns a quarter section of good land all under cultivation, with a nice creek running through it, and timber along its banks, a good house, plenty of fruit, and comfortable sheds for all his stock. We stayed over night at his house and the next day, and were well entertained by himself and wife. Henry is doing well, and I think his many friends in and about Tecumseh will be glad to hear it. He said tell them he would like to see them at his place any time.

Our next move was back to Garnett, from there south to Cherryvale, Montgomery Co., where we again left our route and took another road to Savery, Greenwood Co., where we had relatives. Found them well and prospering. Stayed there three or four days, looked over the country in Elk and Greenwood Counties. Savery is only four years old, but is a lively little town, with two railroads. From Savery to Howard, which is at the end of a branch of the A. T. & S. F. R. From there took stage across to Moline, ten miles, which brought us back on our route again. Moline to Windfield, which is a fine town in Cowley County. Our next stop was at Wichita, Sedgwick Co. Wichita is the liveliest town we struck in Kansas. It is on the Arkansas river and the nicest farming country about there I ever saw. The town is only fourteen years old but is business. They claim 13,000 inhabitants, have street cars, etc. We attended a blooded cattle sale while there. Yearling heifers of the Hereford breed went off like hot cakes, for $300 to $350. Land is high close to town they ask from $50 to $100 per acre, but these places have good buildings and are in good shape. Of course a few miles from town land is cheaper. Wichita had twenty car loads of corn and provisions on the track which they were going to send to the Ohio sufferers. It was to start March 15, the railroad carrying it free. The cars were nicely decorated with flags and designs. One was a pair of grasshoppers hitched to a big ear of corn; on another it is said "we pay our debts."

From Wichita to Newton, Florence, Emporia and back again to Kansas City. Left the city at 6 P. M., steamboats were running on the river, we crossed the Mississippi at Davenport next morning at 6 o'clock and it was froze about two feet thick; quite a change in twelve hours.

Back to Adrian safe and sound. Met Sheriff Bidwell at the depot, who kindly offered to take us to Franklin and save the county one night's board. Thanks to Charley. In conclusion I would say that I was pleased with Kansas and its productions. Healthy climate, good churches, schools and people more sociable than in Michigan. If they have as good crops the next two years, as the last two, a man can go there and double his money in that time.

G. W. K.

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The description we give of this new Tomato is the same as given by a prominent seedsman and from what we saw of it last season we decided to plant largely of it for the early market crop, and can highly recommend it for private gardens. We shall have the plants for sale, growing in small boxes so that they can be taken from the green house and carried any distance and planted when convenient. We shall also have a large supply of plants of all varieties. Early and late Cabbage, Tomato, Celery, &c., for sale in their season at the residences of E. J. Hollister, Tecumseh, and Geo. N. Hollister, South of Comfort's Brick Yard, Raisin.

DIED.

COLEMAN.—At Lake Ridge, April 2nd, 1884, Nelson Coleman, at the advanced age of 77 years.

The deceased was born in Springfield, Otsego County, N. Y., March 17th, 1807, and has been a resident of Lake Ridge since November 1863, where, by his genial and happy temperament he won a large circle of friends. He leaves two sons, also an aged sister and three brothers, two of them older than himself, to mourn his loss. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Boyden of the South Macon Dutch Reform Church. Text, 2nd. Corinthians, 5th chapter 1st verse.

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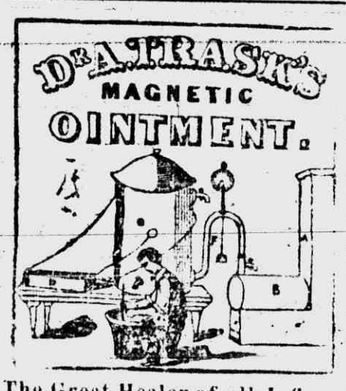

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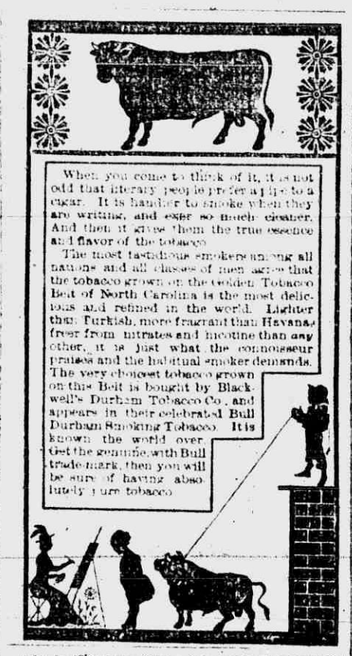

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Feminine Fancies.

Basques are not changed in shape from those worn during the winter, with pointed front, short sides, and square postilion plaited back. The most youthful-looking jerseys have a vest of a contrasting color, made of jersey cloth, such as red, cream, or gray inside black wool jerseys, and their rolling collar and the buttons and cuffs and postilion plaitings are of velvet. A great deal of silver braid and metal bees and butterflies will be used on the velvet collar and cuffs and vests of such garments. Buttons are inconspicuous and small, as they are usually hidden either by a coat vest or by the velvet ribbon bows.

Grape hyacinths are among the most popular of the new spring flowers. In their natural colors, white and a pinkish purple, they are remarkably pretty, and trim most effectively. They are much used for trimming small bonnets of delicate gray.

Straight back breadths are one of the features that promise to find favor, but although the drapery is straight, it is so stiffly lined, is as if so voluminous and is worn over so large a pad bustle that a very bouffant effect is given. Three breadths of silk are thus arranged in two triple box plaits, with an erect heading at the top, which is hooked over the end of the basque.

The only universal feature of new draperies is that the fulness begins at the belt, not several inches below it, as its design primarily is to enlarge the hips, and secondarily to soften the severe outlines of the whole costume; otherwise this drapery may drop down far below the knees, or else be very short, or it may be bunched up in a quite short pouf in the back, with straight box plaiting hanging below this pouf to the foot of the skirt, or else the entire back breadths may hang straight from belt to foot.

The newest jerseys are really short postilion basques, and are fitted by tri'nt darts and side forms precisely as other basques are, their only special feature being the webbing of which they are made, and the fact that they have no lining and are cut so very small that they are easily stretched into a smooth, close-fitting garment.

An important feature of the new costumes is the appearance of fullness and width given to the lower skirt; this fullness is confined to the outside, however, as every French dress is made up on a foundation skirt of silk, alpaca or silesia, which remains very narrow and closely gored, measuring not more than two and three-eighths yards around its lowest edge.

Panniers, flounces, sleeves and Moyenne vests are made of escurial net, which forms a most attractive combination with lustrous silk or satin, and which is more popular at present than ever before. An entire dress of escurial net over satin makes a very handsome toilet.

A striking costume of very pale fawn colored cashmere for spring wear is trimmed with sapphire velvet and blue snot with fawn.

Polonaises are straight princesse dresses in the back, with a basque front that may be pointed, or belted with velvet and a clasp, or else in square coat shape a la Louis Quatorze, with square pockets piped with velvet on each side, and a full lace cravat that reaches from the throat to the waist line. Straight full box plaited back breadths are on some of these garments, while others have the middle forms cut off in a point on the tournure, and to these, gathered in a great roll over the pad, are added three straight breadths of silk that hang to the end of the lower skirt; these breadths are lined with stiff lawn, are caught with a tape underneath sewed across half their length below the waist, and are buttoned (invisibly) to the low skirt on each side near the foot.

The long paletots or jackets, with pointed sides and short backs, once in favor for outside wraps, are now revived in the richest black materials, such as gauze velours, jetted net, and Spanish or thread lace over satin surah linings. If the dress is black, it is well, at this intermediate season, to choose black satin charlaunes, or else merveilleux, and have jetted net for a soft vest, and pulled skirt front with tucked satin side panels and full, long black drapery.

Gowns for visiting and afternoon wear will be made of biscuit cashmere or fine ribbed ottoman cloth, another new material, combined with shot silk, velvet or ottoman broche in various shades of color, the most popular being crimson, chartreon, sapphire blue, or rich mistletoe green.

Every shade of fawn, from the palest biscuit to deep plain brule, will be much in vogue this spring, as also an uncommon "unknown" brown, dark chocolate blended with red, and a new tint of bright, warm green.

The spring hats that have made their appearance are straws, the crowns of which are generally very high and the brims narrow, and the shades so striking as to be obtrusive, and to fall back upon bonnets.

The back breadths of foundation skirts still have the springs across them to make them bouffant and the cushion of hair sewed to the belt in the back is the bustle preferred to all others.

Black silks will be much worn this summer. They will be trimmed with lace in preference to jet and passementerie.

The newest and prettiest feather ornaments for the hair are in white, pale pink and pale blue, and are powdered with gold or silver, and mounted as aigrettes.

Velvet ribbons with satin on the wrong side are quite a feature of trimmings for spring silks.—*Boston Herald.*

—The famous Colonel Crockett was once in company with two men who quarreled, and in consequence of the attempts of the gentlemen present to reconcile them, became so furious that it was thought necessary to control their seemingly impassioned resentment by holding them. Colonel Crockett held one, whose courage he had some reason to doubt, and from whom, during the scuffle, he received a kick on the shins. "See here," said the Colonel, somewhat angered, "if you do that again, I'll let you go." The wrathful man didn't do it again, and the matter was soon honorably ended.

Brother Shinbones Deals.

"Hi yi! ha! ha!" laughed Shinbone Smith as he entered the humble residence of Peter Magull about one o'clock this morning.

"Wha's de matter, Brudder Shinbones?" asked Pete.

"I ben ter Noo Yawk."

And then Shinbones broke down with laughter.

"Wal, tell us all 'bout the cuecus," begged Pete.

"Jes' yo' hole yo' breff a minnit, chile. I ben ter call on Brudder Squeezeout Peabody. When I got dar I fonn' Brudder Wakeup Misery and Brudder Lemuel Patterbury. Dey war' playin' pokah. Did yo' ebber play pokah?"

"Yas, I ben dar," answered Pete, sadly.

"Wal, dey axed me fur ter play, an' I tole 'em dat I didn't know nuffin 'bout de game. Dey 'lowed dat 'twas berry easy fur ter learn, an' dey'd show me how ter play. Wal, I tuk a hand in. Dey lak'd at my hand ebbery time, an' tole me jess how ter let. De funny part on it war dat ebbery time I bet zackly de way dey tole me I got left."

"Doggone me, Brudder Shinbones," exclaimed Pete, "d'dn't yo' know no bettah dan ter do dat?"

"Hyar, now, chile, yo' hole yo' breff till dis hyar darky gets frough. Arter we'd done gone played 'bout 'n hour, I sez to Brudder Wakeup, who war settin' nex' ter me, sez I: 'Brudder Wakeup, I reckon I got dis hyar game 'bout learnt now, so 'f yer don't mind I'll try ter play widout yo' 'sistance.'"

"'Yo'm right welcome, Brudder Shinbones,' sez he.

"'Let de precession wigg'e,' sez I ter he, sez I.

"So we played de nex' hand, an' I held two small pair an' bet like de duce on 'em. Wal, I los' fifty cen's. I didn't say nuffin, 'cause de nex' hand war my deal. De way I shuffled dem dar keerds would 'a' made you tired.

"'Don't wear out de pack,' sez Brudder Lemuel.

"'No, but I want ter get 'em well shuk up,' sez I.

"Wal, I dealed de keerds. Brudder Squeezeout, he put up de ante. Brudder Wakeup he riz it two, an' Brudder Lemuel he doubled it. I seed em' an' went 'em four better. Yo' jess ort ter see dem darkies open deir eyes an' examine deir hands. Brudder Squeezeout, sez he ter me, 'I reckon dat I'll have ter see dat raise an' go yo' one better.' Wal, dey went right on 'round de table raisin' it, an' I stuck right by 'em. Putty soon Brudder Squeezeout begin to look scart.

"'Brudder Shinbones,' sez he, 'yo' got putty good hand, ain't yer?'

"'Fair ter middlin,' sez I.

"Wal, nex' roun', Brudder Squeezeout called me. 'I got a ace high,' sez I. Den dey all looked surprised, an' Brudder Wakeup, sez he ter me, sez he: 'Yo're larnin' putty fast wen yo' know how to bluff.' Den dem blamed fools all showed deir hans. Brudder Squeezeout had fouh twos, Brudder Wakeup had fouh sixes, an' Brudder Lemuel had fouh nines. He reached for de pot, but I sez: 'Hul on, dar!'

"'W'a's de matter wid yo'?' sez he; 'yo' got a ace high.'

"'Yes, sez I: 'but it am de ace of clubs, an' de odder keerds am de king, queen, jack an' ten o' de saine trump.'

"Yo' see, chile, I played that game befoah de wah."—*N. Y. Times.*

Cut Off His Nose.

Paul Varzerau is a barber employed on the North Side. Theresa Barsaloux, a comely young woman, has long been the idol of the tonsorial Paul. But while reciprocating the affections of the young barber, she was fully aware that a few thousand dollars which she possessed in her own right in a measure placed her above a barber beau. While her feelings were thus nicely balanced, there appeared upon the scene a young man bearing the prosaic cognomen of William Brown. He was a traveling man. His bold methods of wooing were more than a match for the timid advances of Paul Varzerau, and he bid fair to win the maiden and her wealth. Paul saw this with many forebodings.

One of Brown's attractions was a remarkably handsome nose, which was his most noticeable feature. Without it he would have been nobody. It was of the Grecian style, white as a pillar of marble, and as smooth. Young women have been known to lose their hearts to a pair of eyes, to a handsome head of hair, and, in instances of intellectual and spectacled young females, to a torchead. But Theresa fell in love with a nose—the nose of William Brown. She confided this fact to Paul Varzerau, and with words every one of which rasped his feelings as he was wont to rasp the beard of his customers, expatiated upon the wonderful influence which this nose exercised over her. When Paul left that evening he had made a fiendish resolve.

Two days later Paul Varzerau stood behind a chair in the barber-shop where he has learned William Brown was in the habit of getting shaved. It was on the afternoon of the third day that the ill-fated William Brown entered the shop and seated himself in Paul Varzerau's chair. There was his nose—cold, white, symmetrical and smooth. "Aha! A few short seconds and I shall be avenged," thought Paul. And he ground his teeth as he stropped the razor. The keen blade cut a hair in twain.

"Be careful and don't get any lather on my nose," quoth William Brown, "no bay rum on my face, either."

"Scaere! The puppy! how proud he is of his nose. But I must be calm and control myself," thought Paul. He mixed his lather and spread it over the face of his customer who had closed his eyes and seemed to be indulging in the luxury of a doze. He shaved one side of William Brown's face and dulled the razor. Paul stropped the razor back to an edge. He then elevated the chin of the unfortunate man and laid bare his throat. The eyes did not open. Paul held the razor aloft a second. Then with a skillful swoop it descended and cut off the nose of William Brown, who did not even open his eyes. Paul Varzerau stood for a moment paralyzed. The razor fell from his grasp, his knees gave way beneath him, and he tottered out of the door.

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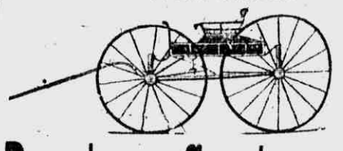

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6.22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail	No. 18 Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7.57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 38 "	9 34 "	5 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 52 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT APRIL 6, 1884.

GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
7 30	5 05	10 10	Lv Toledo Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 09	5 16	11 02	Dundee	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 54	6 2[illegible]	11 27	Britton	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 3[illegible]	11 32	Ridgeway	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	Tecumseh	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 55	12 00	Tipton	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 20	7 10	12 15	Cambridge	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
9 25	7 31	12 40	Addison	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P.M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	Jerome	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	Moscow	1 53	8 44	1 05
11 40	8 07	1 19	Hanover	1 41	8 33	12 37
P.M.						P.M.
12 10	8 18	1 30	Pulaski	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P.M.
1 00	9 00	1 52	Homer	1 06	8 00	11 20
1 22	9 07	2 22	Marshall	12 37	7 32	10 15
1 40	9 22	2 41	Ceresco	12 25	7 19	9 46
1 30	9 40	2 56	Battle Creek	12 05	7 00	9 00
1 45		3 20	Augusta	11 43		8 12
1 33		3 29	Yorkville	11 34		7 53
1 16		3 36	Richland	11 28		7 39
1 25		3 57	Doster	11 08		6 51
1 22		4 16	Montreth	10 49		6 15
1 30		4 27	Fisk	10 39		5 55
1 34		4 33	Kellogg	10 33		5 40
1 45		4 15	Ar Allegan. Lv	10 20		5 15
P.M.				A.M.		A.M.

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 01	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
Butler	1 43	1 05	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P.M.	A.M.	
Butler	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	.....
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

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GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.
— Trains run by Central Time. —

GOING NORTH. No. 4. Express.	No. 2. Accom.	No. 6. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	
5 40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
5 45	2 05	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 26	1 39	4 48
5 53	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
6 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 30
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 22
6 25	2 55	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
6 30	3 05	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
6 43	3 23	9 01	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
6 55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
7 00	3 50	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
7 10	4 05	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
7 15	4 20	9 36	Norvell	7 59	12 02	3 17
				A.M.		
7 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
7 32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
7 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
7 53	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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The above curious sign, hanging in a parlor window of a small house on a street not a hundred miles from the corner of Broad and Walnut, attracted the attention of a *Record* representative yesterday afternoon, and ascending the marble steps he rang the bell. A small colored boy, clad in a claret-colored livery, and the front of whose jacket was almost concealed behind several dozen brass buttons, opened the door.

"I want to see the finger-nail man. Is he in?" questioned the scribe.

"Yes, sah. Step this way, sah," and the sable juvenile led the way into a small parlor, in which were seated two very pretty young ladies and a blonde dude; the former together, the latter off in a corner by himself.

"Take a seat, sah," continued the boy, pushing forth a chair, and then vanishing through the door, which he closed behind him.

After an interval of five minutes, during which the reporter got interested in an article in a copy of the *Atlantic Monthly* for June, 1869, which, with several other specimens of current literature, lay on the center-table, the folding doors of the rear parlor opened and a modest looking young woman came out. She handed a small package to the young ladies, who at once went away, and the blonde dude then stepped forward.

"Aw, Miss Jones, I'm awfully sorry, but I cawn't come to-morrow morning; must go to New York, you know. Won't Saturday do as well? Same time, you know."

Miss Jones acquiesced in the change of time, and the blonde dude departed.

"I was attracted by the sign in your window. May I ask what it means?" asked the reporter.

"Certainly, sir," was the smiling reply; "it means just what it says—finger nails cameoed; that is to say, I will cut a cameo on either of your thumb-nails, portrait, initials, or a crest, just as you choose to have it."

"Is not that something new?"

"It is the very latest idea from Paris, and I am the only manicure in this country who can do it. I studied it for six months there, and only came home about two months ago; but I don't think Philadelphia is up to the cameo idea yet. I have only had three customers for that sort of work. I think I will take an office in New York. I would no doubt do much better over there."

"It seems to be an expensive luxury."

"Well, yes, it is so. To cut a good portrait head on your thumb-nail and then finish it properly I would have to charge fifty dollars; but I could do a crest or a monogram for forty dollars or thirty dollars, or even twenty-five dollars, as I say on the sign."

"What sort of designs have your customers here chosen?"

"All portraits. Two were young men who were engaged and wanted their fiance's portraits done, and the other was a young married lady who had her husband's picture cut. She said it was for his birthday present."—*Philadelphia Record.*

The Czar's Life

Among the "forbidden literature" now circulating in Russia is the story of one of the most dramatic plots ever recorded in the history of political assassination. The narrative is founded on events which are said to have taken place in St. Petersburg shortly after General Gourko had been called from Odessa to act as quasi-Military Governor of the Russian capital. One bright May morning, when the excitement was at its height, the watchful eye of a policeman posted at the top of the Nevsky prospect caught sight of an equipage coming up the thoroughfare at a trot. It bore armorial devices well known in the Russian capital; the coachman was there who persisted in being wigged in defiance of his master's orders, to the great merriment of St. Petersburg jehus; on each side rode the regular escort of six mounted Cossacks, each holding his lance in rest and wearing his ball of forage slung over his shoulder more as if he was campaigning on the Don than upon civil service in the streets of the capital. General Gourko and his escort—the guardian of the peace had easily recognized and hastily saluted his chief, the new Prefect of Police—turned into the cavalry parade, at the top of the Nevsky prospect, and at once made their way into the Alexander Square, on the Neva side of which rose the massive and somewhat fantastic outlines of the winter palace. The equipage having drawn up at the side entrance of the building, the General alighted and rang. On the doorkeeper presenting himself—an officer of the Emperor's private guard—the prefect briefly stated the object of his visit. He desired an immediate conference with the Czar. The hour was early, day having only just dawned. At the same time his business brooked no delay—it concerned the safety of the Emperor himself. The janitor was at first inexorable, expostulating that his imperial master had been already in bed an hour. Yet at last he yielded. Up the broad staircase they went together. They trod on gorgeous carpets, brushed past the wealth of the winter palace in malachite and lapis lazuli, only pausing in their ascent when they had reached a landing giving access to one of the capacious saloons. At this point General Gourko was instructed to wait. At this point, too, the Czar's officer seems to have repented of his decision. The narrative represents him as closely scrutinizing the prefect of police in the growing light, and of subsequently proceeding in the direction of the Emperor's sleeping apartments, in no great haste to arouse royalty from its first slumber. The man did not arouse the Czar at all. What he did was to descend to the guard-room and dispatch a messenger. The man left the palace on the Neva side. He there took a droshky, and drove past the side entrance into the Nevsky. During his absence the Czar calmly slept on; General Gourko impatiently paced the saloon, and the military guardian of the imperial bedchamber went about giving some orders to the palace guards.

In a quarter of an hour the messenger returned. He had been sent to General Gourko's residence, in the Nevsky prospect, and he brought back the information that the Prefect of Police was at that moment in bed. The early visitor was thus an imposter. He was something more, for from his pockets, after he had been seized and pinioned, they drew forth a six-barreled revolver and a two-edged hunting knife. The Czar's life had been saved, yet had hung for a few moments in the balance. The made-up Gourko—the Prefect of Police, imitated down to the minutest details of hair, complexion and wig—might have deceived even the Emperor himself. Not a whit less perfect was the art which had reproduced the Gourko coach and escort. Only the sham Prefect was secured, and not his confederates. Simultaneously with the arrest guards had rushed from the palace to seize the latter. But the equipage had gone, the Cossacks were gone, the coachman was gone. A policeman afterward told how he had seen the cavalcade pass over one of the Neva bridges and disappear in a thoroughfare of Basil Island. The carriage was never found, and, for all that could be ascertained concerning them or their steeds, the six Cossacks may be mounted and riding, lance in rest, to this day. As for the chief actor in the plot, the conspirator who only failed in his impersonation of General Gourko because of his inability to be in two places at one and the same time time, his personality has never been discovered. He is the one mystery which the Nihilists themselves have never been able to penetrate. His secret remains with him, and he keeps it to the present moment, for he is still a prisoner in the island fortress of Peter and Paul.—*N. Y. Herald.*

The Character of Henry V.

E. S. Brooks, in an article on "Harry of Monmouth, the Boy General," in the *St. Nicholas*, thus takes issue with Shakespeare in his estimate of the character of Henry V.:

"But when you come to read in Shakespeare's matchless verse the plays of 'King Henry IV.' and 'King Henry V.,' do not, in your delight over his splendid word-pictures, permit yourself to place too strong a belief in his portrait of young 'Prince Hal,' and his scrapes and follies and wild carousals with fat old Falstaff and his boon companions. For the facts of history now prove the great poet mistaken; and 'Prince Hal,' though full of life and spirit, fond of pleasure and mischief, and, sometimes, of rough and thoughtless fun, stands on record as a valiant, high-minded, clear hearted and conscientious lad. 'And when we reflect,' says one of his biographers, 'to what a high station he had been called whilst yet a boy; to what important commissions he had been intrusted; how much fortune seems to have done to spoil him by pride and vain-glory from his earliest youth, this page of our national records seems to set him high among the Princes of the world; not so much as an undaunted warrior and triumphant hero, as the conqueror of himself, the example of a chastened, modest spirit, of filial reverence, and of a single mind bent on his duty.'

"The conqueror of himself! It was this that gave him grace to say, when crowned King of England in Westminster: 'The first act of my reign shall be to pardon all who have offended me; and I pray God that if He foresees I am like to be any other than a just and good King, He may be pleased to take me from the world rather than seat me on a throne to live a public calamity to my country.' It was this that gave him his magnificent courage at Agincourt, and in the midst of the gorgeous pageant which welcomed him at London, made him refuse to let his battle-bruised helmet and his dinted armor be displayed as trophies of his valor. It was this that kept him brave, modest and high minded through all the glories and successes of his short but eventful life; that made him the idol of the people, and one of the most brilliant figures in the crowded pages of English history."

"Didn't Know It Was Loaded."

The supreme and unutterable idiot who killed a Brooklyn girl the other day because he "didn't know it was loaded" has been arrested. It is a question whether such stupidity as he exhibited is not as bad as deliberate malice. Certainly hanging the wretches guilty of it would be quite as likely to deter others as that penalty deters those who kill from other motives.

He was spending the afternoon with three or four young ladies, and after a pleasant talk asked them if they wished to be mesmerized. He said he was a mesmerist, and they laughingly agreed to put themselves under his influence. They were accordingly seated, and after a few passes he drew a heavy four-barreled revolver from his hip-pocket. The young women were frightened, and prayed him to put up the weapon. He refused, and said he needed it in order to mesmerize them. One of them ran across the room and stooped behind a chair, remarking that she didn't like that kind of slight-of-hand performance. This amused him, and to their consternation he flourished his weapon more than ever, turning it upon Miss Renny. She, being frightened, started to run for the next room. He laughed, cocked his weapon and pulled the trigger. A report was heard, and Miss Renny fell to the floor with a bullet in her forehead. The shock so startled them that nobody moved. Then Riley exclaimed: "My God! what have I done?" Of course, he was "sorry," and "distracted," and "grieved," and "didn't know it was loaded." But it *was* loaded, and he, like so many of his idiotic kind, had fooled with it and taken a life.

Ought not a person endowed with so low an order of intelligence be put where he can do no further harm? When a pet dog or bear or leopard or any other dangerous animal begins to bite and tear those whom it plays with, even in sport, it is generally agreed that they are dangerous and ought to be dispatched. So long as fools can provide themselves with pistols, are they not as perilous as dogs with teeth, or bears and leopards with claws?—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A Chinaman was fined $100 and sentenced to imprisonment for six months at New Westminster, British Columbia, recently, for giving whisky to Indians and taking pay for the same.

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Its Good and Bad Members-The Remarkable Experiences of a Close Observer of its Workings During a Long Residence at Washington.

(Corresponding Rochester Democrat.)

No city upon the American continent has a larger floating population than Washington. It is estimated that during the sessions of congress twenty-five thousand people, whose homes are in various parts of this and other countries, make this city their place of residence. Some come here, attracted by the advantages the city offers for making the acquaintance of public men; others have various claims which they wished present, while the great majority gather here, as the crows flock to the carrion, for the sole purpose of getting a morsel at the public crib. The latter class, as a general thing, originate the many schemes which are neither directed at the public treasury, or toward that revenue which the black-mailing of corporations or private enterprises may bring.

While walking down Pennsylvania avenue the other day I met Mr. William M. Ashley, formerly of your city, whose long residence here has made him unusually well acquainted with the operations of the lobby.

Having made my wants in this particular direction known, in answer to an interrogative, Mr. Ashley said:

"Yes, during my residence here I have become well acquainted with the workings of the 'Third House,' as it is termed, and could tell you of numerous jobs, which, like the 'Heathen Chinee,' are peculiar."

"You do not regard the lobby, as a body, vicious, do you?"

"Not necessarily, there are good and bad men comprising that body, yet there have been times when it must be admitted that the combined power of the 'Third House' has overridden the will of the people. The bad influence of the lobby can be seen in the numerous blood-bills that are introduced at every session."

"But how can these be discovered?"

"Easily enough, to the person who has made the thing a study. I can detect them at a glance."

"Tell me to what bills do you refer?"

"Well, take the annual gas bills, for instance. They are introduced for the purpose of bleeding the Washington Gas Light company. They usually result in an investigating committee which never amount to anything more than a draft upon the public treasury for the expenses of the investigation. Another squeze is the abattoir bills, as they are called. These, of course, are fought by the butchers and market men. The first attempt to forge a bill of this discription was in 1877, when a prominent Washington politician offered a fabulous sum for the franchise."

"Anything else in this line that you think of, Mr. Ashley?"

"Yes, there's the job to reclaim the Potomac flats, which, had it become a law, would have resulted in an enormous steal. The work is now being done by the Government itself, and will rid the place of that malarial atmosphere of which we hear so much outside the city."

"During your residence here have you experienced the bad results of living in this climate?"

"Well, while I have not at all times enjoyed good health, I am certain that the difficulty which laid me up so long was not malarial. It was something that had troubled me for years. A shooting, stinging pain that at times attacked different parts of my body. One day my right arm and leg would torture me with pain, there would be great redness, heat and swelling of the parts; and perhaps the next day the left arm and leg would be similarly affected. Then again it would locate in some particular part of my body and produce a tenderness which would well nigh drive me frantic. There would be weeks at a time that I would be afflicted with an intermitting kind of pain that would come on every afternoon and leave me comparatively free from suffering during the balance of the twenty-four hours. Then I would have terrible paroxysms of pain coming on at any time during the day or night when I would be obliged to lie upon my back for hours and keep as motionless as possible. Every time I attempted to move a chilly sensation would pass over my body, or I would faint from hot flashes. I suffered from a spasmodic contraction of the muscles and a soreness of my back and bowels, and even my eyeballs become sore and distressed me greatly whenever I wiped my face. I became ill-tempered, peevish, fretful, irritable and desperately despondent."

"Of course, you consulted the doctors regarding your difficulty?"

"Consulted them well I should say I did. Some told me I had neuralgia others that I had inflammatory rheumatism, for which there was no cure, that I would be afflicted all my life, and that time alone would mitigate my sufferings."

"But didn't they try to relieve your miseries?"

"Yes, they vomited, physiced me blistered and bled me, plastered and oiled me, sweat, steamed and everything but froze me, but without avail."

"But how did you finally recover?"

"I had a friend living in Michigan who had been afflicted in a similar way and had been cured. He wrote me regarding his recovery and advised me to try the remedy which cured him. I procured a bottle and commenced its use, taking a table-spoonful after each meal and at bed time. I had used it about a week when I noticed a decrease of the soreness of the joints and a general relief. I persevered in its use and finally got so I could move around without limping, when I told my friends that it was Warner's Safe Rheumatic Cure that had put me on my feet."

"And do you regard your cure as permanent?"

"Certainly, I haven't been so well in years as I am now, and although I have been subjected to frequent and severe changes of weather this winter I have not felt the first intimation of the return of my rheumatic trouble."

"Do you object to the publication of this interview, Mr. Ashley?"

"Not at all, sir. I look upon it as a duty I owe my fellow creatures to alleviate their sufferings so far as I am able, and any communication regarding my symptoms and cure that may be sent to me at 506 Maine avenue will receive prompt and careful attention."

"Judging from your recital, Mr Ashley, there must be wonderful curative properties about this medicine?"

"Indeed, there is, sir, for no man suffered more nor longer than did I before this remedy gave me relief."

"To go back to the original subject, Mr Ashley, I suppose you see the same familiar faces about the lobby session after session?"

"No, not so much so as you might think. New faces are constantly seen and old ones disappear. The strain upon lobbyists is necessarily very great, and when you add to this the demoralizing effects of late hours and intemperate habits and the fact that they are found out, in their steals, their disappearance can easily be accounted for."

"What proportion of these blood bills are successful?"

"A very small percentage, sir. Notwithstanding the power and influence of the lobby, but few of these vicious measures pass. Were they successful it would be a sad commentary upon our system of government, and would virtually annihilate one branch of it. The great majority of them are either reported adversly or smothered in committee by the watchfulness and loyalty of our congressmen."

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BILLS—FALING—At the residence of Mrs. P. Bills, Tecumseh, on Wednesday, April 2d, 1884, by the Rev. W. H. Babbitt, Mr. Channing D. Bills and Miss Nettie G. Faling. No cards.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 8, 1884:

Charles, George.	McBride, Isadore
Langthorn, Laura	Orcutt, Y. C.
Lebran, Albert.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., April 1, 1884.

Bailey, S.	Kelly, Mrs. L. G.
Freeman, R.	Lovejoy, Mr. H.
Houghant, Mrs. A.	Laroe, T. G.
Kludt, Mr. H.	Smith, Joseph
Klotz, Mrs. Agnes	Potter, Miss Rhoda

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Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ℔ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ℔ ℔		@	02
Butter ℔ ℔	20	@	25
Barley, ℔ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ℔ bushel	2 25	@	2 50
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ℔ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ℔ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ℔ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ℔ bushel	56	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ℔ doz		@	14
Flour, ℔ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ℔ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ℔ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ℔ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ℔ ℔		@	15
Ham ℔ ℔		@	14
Lard, ℔ ℔		@	10
Oats, ℔ bushel	28	@	35
Onions, ℔ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ℔ bushel	33	@	35
Salt, ℔ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ℔ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed ℔ ℔		@	10
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ℔ bushel		@	99
Wheat, Red, ℔ bushel		@	99

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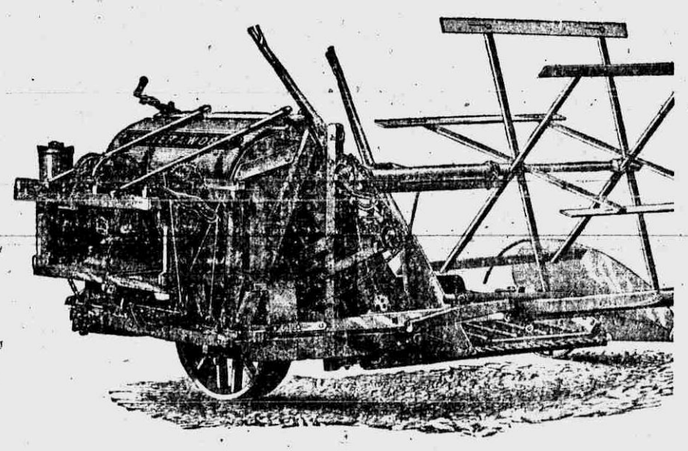

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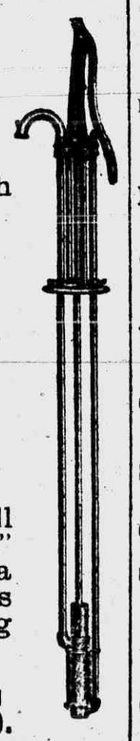

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

MACON MOLECULES.

Maude Howell commenced her school Monday.

Franc Richart is teaching in Clinton township.

A large number was in attendance at the sugar festival last week. Proceeds over $7.

Spencer Morgan intends to go West this week. Horace Greeley's advice is still heeded.

It is rumored that the "Corners" is to have a sidewalk. A good idea after "the mud has dried up".

Since the last change, we receive our mail two days behind time. A nice arrangement! We hope the next change will be to consolidate the Macon and Ridgeway postoffices with headquarters at the latter place.(?)

Frank Odell is making preparations to build an addition to his house.

Carl and Mark Mills leave for Detroit soon, where they will take a commercial course.

Dr. Howell attended the county convention at Adrian last Monday.

In our notice of James Lindsley's marriage, we got the lady's name wrong. It should have been Anna Snauble and not Mary Snobles, as the types made it read last week.

HOLLOWAY HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Eli Chatfield who has been very ill for some time is now improving.

Uncle Libni Kelly was taken last week with a very severe chill, but is now considered out of danger.

Measles and scarlet fever are visiting sections of our community.

Holloway will endeavor to support two butcher shops this summer.

Mr. Thos. Miller, who has just taken his degree as M. D., at Washington, is visiting his friends here.

C. W. Arner began work this week in a hardware store at Wellington, O.

Mr. Sumner Satterthwaite has left the Quaker mill, and will try something else.

Wm. Calhoun has rented his farm and moved into Tecumseh.

Sutton is now a regular station on the Lake Shore, and tickets are sold to and from all points. It has a post office also.

Quarterly meeting services were conducted at the Friend's Church last Saturday and Sunday.

The base ball boys will come out strong this season; two clubs will be organized next Saturday at the village.

Miss Carrie Doty, who has been adjudged a full fledged school ma'am by the board, will begin teaching this week up in Rollin. She entertained a few of her young friends very pleasantly last Friday evening, before going away.

Minnie Jones of Tecumseh, will preside as teacher in the Kelley district.

Maud Simmons began teaching last week in the township of Franklin.

Last Thursday evening the church gave a sugar festival at Mr. Kishpaugh's. The sugar was sweet, the girls noisy, and at last accounts Mr. K's house was still standing.

Miss Eliza Jackson, whom every student at the Raisin Valley Seminary will remember, goes this week to Kansas to live. She leaves behind a host of friends who earnestly wish her every success in her new home in the west.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

John Kerr, Jr., expects to start for Texas in about two weeks.

Several letters have been received from Sewel Matherson and he seems to be enjoying Brooklyn City life highly.

Mr. Oliver, of N. Y. City, still remains at C. E. Jessups' in a critical condition.

C. D. Smith and John Ladd commenced business in Tecumseh last Monday, on a house for J. H. Smith.

The Good Templars' Sugar Party given on last Tuesday evening was quite well attended considering the unfavorable weather.

J. C. Kinney having gained sufficient strength to attend to business, will return to Cincinnati soon.

W. H. Smith is still compelled to use the crutch. Hope to see him able to throw it away soon.

RIDGEWAY RUMBLINGS

Montie Florence is very sick.

Vote Miller called around among his friends last week.

John Houseman has purchased the Sanford lot and is busy repairing. His intention is to make it his home in the near future.

P. W. Cadmus has moved his shop on a lot which he purchased for the purpose, and David Coryell has removed the blacksmith shop in the rear of his store for a store-room. Purdy Haight is to occupy the former for a shoe shop.

The program furnished at the literary last Friday evening was well received and highly commended. With one exception, every person published to take part was present and fulfiled the part assigned with credit.

The Ridgeway Enterprise is now the leading paper of this town and is doing an extended business in its advertising columns. This has resulted so profitable (?) to the editor that a rival publication is seriously contemplated, the advent of which is announced for Friday evening, April 25th.

At the next regular meeting of the Literary Society, to be held Friday evening, April 25th, the following program will be presented;

Devotional Exercises.
Music—Miss Nellie Clark.
Recitation—Miss Lottie Arner.
Declamation—Rev. Peter Sharp.
Music—Mrs. Frank Temple.
Recitation—Miss Luella Wilson.
Select Reading—Harry Wood.
Poem—Dr. D. W. Loree.
Music—A. J. Sutton.
Paper—Miss Kittie Clark.

RECESS, TEN MINUTES.

Music—Miss Allie Arner.
Debate—That frequent elections are conducive to more corruption than honesty. Aff.—A. E. Palmer. Neg.—Geo. D. Arner. Followed by open discussion.

Admission free, but collection taken to meet necessary expenses.

Exercises begin promptly at 7:30. Doors closed during each exercise to avoid interruption.

BY ORDER OF COM.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

"The day is cold and dark and dreary."

The Episcopal church has purchased a new chapel organ.

Geo. Freeze, of Detroit, was in town Monday.

B. O. Randall & Co., are shipping about 25 barrels of eggs a week.

Ed. Stansfield, of Des Moines, Iowa, is here among friends for a few days.

Port Smith has a new partner in the livery business; weight 9½ lbs. Mother and son are doing well.

T. H. Biggins has moved into the Bert Tate house.

James C. McAdams, of Cadillac, this state, was visiting friends in town the early part of this week.

Ed. Van DeMark now occupies the brick dwelling of Nelson Miller.

The Blue Ribbon club gave a supper, followed by an entertainment, at Town Hall, Wednesday night.

J. E. McCollum has moved his stock of clothing into Mr. Clark's building on the North side of the street.

Mrs. Hill and her grandson have moved into Lester Rickerson's house.

A. C. Huntington, formerly superintendent of the woolen mills, was in town Friday and Saturday of last week.

Hanny Ensign has been visiting at D. H. Davis. Mysie McCall of Hanover, Ill., was here also, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas C. Burroughs were the happy recipients of a present last Tuesday. 'Twas a fine boy, about the usual color, and weighed 9½ pounds.

Geo. W. Lewis of South Bend, Ind., who was for a long time superintendent and stockholder of the woolen mills, was here Monday to attend the annual meeting of the stockholders of that corporation.

Mrs. Larzelere has been repairing her residence recently occupied by F. H. Biggins, for her own use. Her grandson, Charles, will live with her.

Some party or parties, with more ambition than brains, sawed two maple trees half off in front of the residence of Mrs. Smith, on Jackson St.; one of them, in consequence, fell down in the storm Tuesday night. If he or they are caught, the extreme penalty for such cases would be too little for so mean a trick.

The annual meeting of the Episcopal Church for this Parish was held Monday night at the church. The officers elected for the ensuing year, were: Wardens, J. S. Kies, Peter Kishpaugh. Vestrymen, W. V. Fisk, E. VanDeMark, E. Slinger, Thomas Mathews, Victor Haywood. Secretary, D. Keyes. Treasurer, Peter Kishpaugh.

The Band assisted by the Dramatic club, played "Out in the Street" to a fair house in Manchester last Friday night. They repeat it here to-morrow, Friday night. The boys are trying to raise money for a new set of instruments which they need. Their show is good, and this community ought to patronize it.

Last Sunday Ab. Ward burned his hands quite badly in his efforts to save a little boy, four years old, whose clothing in some way took fire. The boy's name is Limpricht and is now considered out of danger.

John T. Clark has been putting up a new wind-mill with a derrick 50 feet high; and he proposes to have a tank of 50 barrel capacity raised high enough to force the water into nearly all his fields. He is having a drive well put down to supply the water.

Easter Sunday was appropriately observed by the Churches here. It is a growing custom, not only with the Episcopal church, but with other denominations, to celebrate the event which this day commemorates; and our churches are not behind in this respect. St. John's church was decorated and each Sunday School scholar received a beautiful Easter card. The Congregational church was also decorated, the Sunday School having had an Easter concert. The pastor of the Methodist church delivered a very good Easter sermon, and the Baptist church appropriately held the day with a concert that was well received.

Detroit parties were here last week to look at the woolen mills with a view of purchasing it. The Mill has now been idle for some time and it is generally understood that it will not be started again under the present management. A meeting of some of the stockholders was held Friday night to confer with the Detroit parties; but on account of the price, or for some other reason unknown to the public, no sale was effected. It seems a pity that the mill which has been and can be a benefit to this town should remain dead property. If it remains idle too long, it is liable to become as large a white elephant on the hands of some people in this town as the Biddle house is on Uncle Luther Beecher's of Detroit.

AN HONEST SHOW.

There is something in the tone of the advertising literature, and indeed even in the beautifully colored pictorial bills of the Anglo American Circus of four combined shows, that commends itself to the attention of a reasonable public. It is so full of consistent reasoning that one is compelled to admit that it means just what it says. The extravagant waste of superfluous adjectives and meaningless titles are conspicuous by their entire absence, and to the disinterested observer one is at a loss to conscienciously doubt the sincerity of every promise made. It is an extreme delight to commend to the public such an honest enterprise, and it is only justice to state that it is in all respects a show, meriting the largest patronage. It will attract tremendous crowds too. Tecumseh, Monday, May 5.

AUCTION SALES.

Galusha Case having sold his farm will sell at public auction on the premises two miles east of Springville on town line, known as the Wheeler farm, Friday, April 18th, at noon, one span of mules, 1 horse, mower, grain drill, double harness, household furniture, 2 cows, plows, drags, cultivators, stoves, corn, 150 sheep, quantity of oats, etc. Twelve months credit Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Thomas Quarton having sold his farm will sell at auction on the premises, 3 miles east and half mile north of Pennington's Corner, Macon, on Thursday, April 24th, 50 ewes with lamb and in lamb, 22 yearling sheep, yearling bull, 15 hogs, 1 sow and pigs, 30 chickens, farming tools, wagons, harness, mower, household goods, etc. Twelve months credit. H. W. Stevens, Auctioneer.

Farmers, as much as any class of men in the world, should keep scrap books and fill them with agricultural matter clipped from papers and magazines. Such books are always handy and valuable for purpose of reference. They are indispensable to men who desire to keep well informed in regard to any profession, science or enterprise or to know the tone of public opinion as to current topics of thought. How many farmers will try it? If any should try it for one year, he would not part with that volume for ten times the cost of it.

As spring draws on apace, street corners and dry goods boxes in front of stores are becoming the popular resort of a class of men the world would be better off without. The man of action and the industrious citizen will often wonder what such fellows were created for. The only solution we can give is that they eat as much as anybody and thus prevent an over production of provisions.—Ex.

A Georgia preacher said: "I once loaned a cart and ox to some boys to go to a camp meeting. They tied a nubbin of corn to the shaft so it would be a few inches ahead of the animal's nose. He came near running himself to death trying to get it. Brethren, the devil keeps a dollar *just ahead*, and many of you are killing yourselves trying to get it.

Wauseon Republican: "A returned Dakotian seems to be a little sarcastic in his remarks regarding that country. He says, 'every bunch of willows is a great forest, every pond a lake, every dry ravine a roaring river, every town a county seat, and every man a d——d liar.'"

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 17, 1884.

THE ANCIENT MINER'S STORY.

Oh yes, I'm fixed as solid, sir, as most of folks you seek;
At least the coyote Poverty has ceased to sniff at me;
That mine is worth a million down—that is, it is to-day;
What it might cost to-morrow, though, I couldn't exactly say.

A boy in old Connecticut—this dream I used to hold;
What if the cellar of our house should spring a leak with gold,
And I from there at any time a shining lump could bring?—
I've got a cellar in this rock that's just that sort o' thing.

The sum my father slaved himself for twenty years to pay
I've taken out of that there hole in less than half a day.
If I could lead him up yon path, I'd make him smile, at least;
But his old labor-hardened hands are moldering in the East.

I'd pack my mother up this hill, and open to her view
Enough to give a benefit to all the poor she knew;
I'd pan a heap o' happiness out of her dear old face;
But mother's struck a lead of gold in quite a different place.

My girl? Well, may-be this is soft; but since the question's put
I wouldn't tell this to any one except "a tenderfoot"),
We used to climb those Eastern hills (she was a charming witch),
And prospect on what we would do when I had "struck it rich."

But her old father hadn't the heart to let us marry poor,
And so I shook off Yankee dust and took a Western tour.
My trip it lasted several years. The old man grieved, no doubt,
I swore I never would come back till I could buy him out.

You don't know what it is to hunt and drift from day to day,
To strike a vein that almost shows, then dodges clean away.
You do? Well, yes; but have you starved, and begged, and almost died,
With treasures that you couldn't find heaped up on every side?

And then her letters wandered, like; then tapered to an end;
I wondered on it for a while, then wrote a school-boy friend;
And just as I had struck this mine, and my old heart beat high,
There came a letter up the gulch—it was my friend's reply.

"She's been a-wandering in her mind the other afternoon
She went within the asylum walls, as crazy as a loon."
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A rush across the barren plains, a snail's railroad ride,
And I was in the asylum, too, a-kneeling at her side.

I thought she knew me, just at first; but soon she shrank away
And never looked at me again, whatever I might say,
She wanders round or crouches in a western window niche,
And says: "My love will come to me when he has 'struck it rich.'"

No word or look for me. Oh, but the Eastern hills were cold!
And something seemed to always say: "Go back and love your gold!"
And I came back; and in this hut my purpose is to stay—
A miser, with his treasure bright already stowed away.

I'm President, Cashier and Board of quite a wealthy bank,
With none except myself to please—and no one else to thank;
But nothing makes my heart beat fast—and I am growing old,
With not a thing to love or leave except this pile of gold.

But I have learned a thing or two; I know as sure as fate,
When we lock up our lives for wealth, the gold key comes too late;
And that I'm poorer now than through those happy days in which
I owned a heart, and did not know that I had "struck it rich."

—*Will Carleton, in Harper's Weekly.*

AN INDIAN GIRL'S REVENGE.

The legends of the various Indian tribes of South America furnish no more terrible one than that of Saw-na-da-wa, the "Berry Hunter," a young girl possessed of more than ordinary beauty for one of her race. The daughter of the Chief of the Aburanian tribe of Guatemala, she was naturally proud of her blood and station, and revengeful of an insult to very desperation. Often had she been wooed, but never won. The arrow that was to reach her breast appeared not to have been feathered until Carlos Estalez, an agent for a fur house, took up his abode in the vicinity of her people and filled her ears with a glowing account of how Pocahontas had been respected and treated. Then her pride awoke as it never had before, and she longed for such a position. Her fondness for attention was flattered by his constant visits to the wigwam of her father, and her love of dress pampered by his showy presents. She held her head still higher above her companions passed them with a cold stare and haughty tread, and took but little pains to disguise her determination to become the wife of the white man.

And, so far from other female society that was at all attractive, it was very pleasant, without doubt, for Estalez to coquette with the Indian girl—to have her watch for his coming—to see that she dressed and decorated herself exclusively for him, and to feel that she loved him. But it was a very dangerous pastime. The fox was not more crafty nor the rattlesnake more treacherous and bitter for him if he had made either of them a companion. Yet the girl loved him to adoration. He was by far the most handsome man that had ever trodden her shores; one, in fact, that any girl would gladly have accepted for a lover, bringing, as he did, the charms of education and money to back those of manly bearing and beauty.

During the entire winter he had been attentive to the Indian girl, and with the coming of the warmer months they often floated over the crystal waters of the rivers or wandered through the evergreen woods. At first Estalez had thought nothing of her, save as a pleasant companion; but as the days passed his stay protracted, and orders coming for him to remain another year he began to realize she was very necessary for his comfort, and his liking grew into something very like to love. Then he built a wigwam of much greater pretensions than any in the village, and resolved that she should fill it; in short, be his wife—wife, as such marriages were viewed by him—that is, simply marriages of conveniences, to be entirely ignored by the husband when he departed, no matter though half a dozen half-breed children had the right to call him father.

There was one of the number that constituted Carlos' party that looked more than did a[illegible] and Pedro Miguel had been a trader and trapper among the red men in that locality for more than a score of years. He knew their character too well to judge them otherwise than aright, and he shook his head solemnly as he saw the matter verging toward a climax.

"What are you taking so much trouble about that wigwam for, Carlos?" he asked Estalez one day, as he saw the rude but comfortable structure near completion.

"To live in, Padro," was the answer.

"Wasn't the one you wintered in good enough?"

"No; it was cold and uncomfortable."

"Are you going to live in it alone?" asked the old man, turning his head, as if ashamed of the question.

"Can't tell yet. But there goes the 'Berry Hunter,' and I want to see her."

And he dashed down to the water's edge, hailed her as she was passing in her canoe, jumped in, and was paddled away toward one of the little islands that lined the shore, flashing with their dense foliage like emeralds set in a changing sheen of turquoise.

"There goes a man to his ruin," muttered the old trapper sorrowfully, as he took up his rifle.

Often had he intended to warn Estalez, but he was his superior, and, infirm of purpose, he put off the evil day.

But the young man gave little heed to the words he had so often. From the moment he had seen the Indian girl all other thoughts were banished from his mind. With her light canoe dancing over the waves, and dressed with far more than ordinary brilliancy with scarlet flowers woven in the heavy braids of her intensely black hair, with her eyes lighted at the sight of him she loved, and from whom she hoped so much, with a smile upon her face and sweet words of welcome upon her red, ripe lips, it would have been strange if it had been otherwise.

The little island reached, they moored their canoe, and wandering away from the shore an[illegible] of sight as well as hearing [illegible] lives upon the short and velvet [illegible], mosaiced by myriads of tiny flowers.

"How beautiful you look to-day!" said Carlos, as he took her hand within his own.

"Is the daughter of the red man as fair in the eyes of the paleface as those of his own people?" asked the girl, raising her eyes so as to look him fully in the face.

"There are few as handsome as you are. I know thousands that would give all they have for your figure and eyes and hair."

"But they are like snow, and the daughters of the Aburanians are as brown as the hill-side when the Manitou of the Frost has breathed upon it."

"Pshaw! you are the fairest of all your tribe. You know that I have often told you of Pocahontas. I doubt if she was as white as you."

"And yet was looked up to by the pale-faces?"

"Yes; went to England, married one, and lived in such splendor as you never dreamed of."

Never before had Estalez fully determined upon his plan of action. Now he had made up his mind to win her at all hazards, and throwing his arms around her waist he drew her to his side, whispered burning words of love, and for the first time kissed her. And thus they sat—she loving and dazzled by the splendor he promised should be hers when he returned to civilization, and he forgetful of all but the passion of the hour. With the declining sun they returned to the shore a promised man and wife, though as yet no time had been fixed upon. That was a sweet decision left for the future.

The old trapper, Pedro, saw them as they landed—saw their parting. It was such an one as lovers have indulged in since Eden, and will until the end of time. He saw the tender embrace, could almost hear the kiss, and resolved to be reticent no longer.

"I want you to tell me one thing, Carlos," he said, as they sat by their bright camp-fire, smoking, after a late supper.

"Well, Pedro, what is it?"

"Do you intend to marry that pretty 'berry hunter?'"

"Why? will it make any difference to you?"

"Certainly not, but it will to you, if I don't miss my reckoning, and I am not apt to do it when there is anything of the present nature about the matter. I've lived too long among the Indians not to know them thoroughly."

"Well, I intend to marry her."

"You had better not. She's just as dangerous and treacherous as a poisoned serpent, if she is fooled with."

"What makes you think so?"

"What would make me think there was a snake around if I saw her glide, or a beaver if I saw her dam? I always know what kind of an animal is about the moment I see the tail.

"You are much mistaken about her, Pedro, she loves me to distraction."

"Very likely, now; but I reckon it won't always be so. You don't expect to remain in these woods until you die?"

"No, thank Heaven; another twelve months will see me clear of them forever."

"And what are you going to do with the 'Berry Hunter' when you leave?"

"What makes you ask such a question?"

"To know whether you are going to take her to your home when you leave this locality."

"No, I don't intend to. Hundreds have married—the ceremony is only a mere farce—married squaws before and left them whenever they pleased."

"And you intend to do the same by 'Berry Hunter?'"

"Certainly. Do you think I would be fool enough to take home a wife like 'Berry Hunter?' Oh! no—not by any means."

"Then you had better change your tactics and leave the Indian girl honorably alone. That is all I have got to say, and what in the name of thunder was that?"

His quick ear had heard a slight rustling in the bushes, and in a moment after there was a plunge in the lake.

"It was only a cussed otter," he continued, as he proceeded to arrange the wood upon the fire.

An otter? How quickly he would have changed his mind if he had seen the [illegible] upon the shore at a little distance and darted along the homeward trail, almost as swift and noiseless as the wind. She had listened to every word—knew that she was to be made a wife and then deserted—knew that all the promises of her white lover were lies! Ah! if there ever was a hell raging in a human bosom—ever a brow blacker than a thunder-cloud—it was hers, as she rushed toward her wigwam with her fingers playing convulsively with her long knife.

But the next day, when she met Estalez, she was as calm as a summer morning. She yielded to his embraces—she returned them with interest—she showed her love so warmly that if he had any doubt he was more than satisfied now.

"Come," he said, "tell me when you will be my wife?"

"Let the pale-face be at yonder rock," she replied, pointing to a distant one, "before the sun has drank up the dew. There let him remain until the 'Berry Hunter' comes. She will not be long. Then she will answer."

And so it was decided, and the gray of morning found the white man at the trysting place. But the hours crept along, and he was yet alone.

The sun rose and began beating all around him. Something must have detained the Indian girl, he fancied, and determined to wait yet longer. Suddenly, however, he was aroused by a startling hiss. He turned, and saw a huge rattlesnake crawling up the side of the rock (he was unarmed, and there was not even a stick for defense near.) He would have descended, but was met by another. For a moment he stood, overpowered with fear. Then he saw the scaly monsters crawling up toward him in every direction—knew that the hot sun-rays had lured them from their holes—knew that he was standing over their den, and thousands upon thousands were surrounding him!

"Oh! my God, what shall I do?" burst from his lips in the terrible agony of the moment.

A wild, ringing, almost fiendish laugh rang upon his ears, as if in reply, and, looking up, he saw "Berry Hunter" standing upon a rock high above him.

"Berry Hunter! Berry Hunter! For Heaven's sake, save me!" he shouted, and the answer came back, borne by the winds, to his ears:

"The paleface's tongue is as false as the serpent's. He would have made her his wife and then deserted her. The very night that she promised to be his, she crawled to his wigwam and heard all. She told him to come here—here to the very center of the serpent's den—for his answer. The poisoned teeth and fiery tongues will give it to him. See!"

The pen is powerless to describe the scene that followed. The Indian girl, from her lofty look-out, saw all—saw a human form fighting with countless serpents, whose fangs were driven deep into the quivering flesh. She saw him fight with all the desperation of despair. She heard his prayer for mercy, and answered with horrid, mocking laughter. She saw the maddened wretch, completely covered with a net-work of scaly coils, leap headlong from the rock—knew that she was terribly revenged, and calmly sought old Pedro and told him that his master wanted him. Ah! how the old man shuddered when he found the disfigured corpse, and read at a glance the true history of the matter. His eyes could not be deceived, no matter what another's might be. He made a coffin of bark, and was preparing to bury the remains, when he saw "Berry Hunter" standing at a little distance, laughing and making gestures. This action exasperated Pedro, and he determined upon revenge.

"God forgive me," he muttered between his teeth. "It may be wrong to take a human life, but—"

The ringing of his rifle cut the sentence short, and at the same time an arrow from the unerring bow of "Berry Hunter," who saw Pedro's intention, pierced the old man's heart, while simultaneously a bullet from Pedro's rifle crashed through the brain of the unfortunate Indian girl. Thus closed a tragedy, short but terrible in its ending.

—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

Four Boys Did It.

It was nothing—nothing but the body of a laboring man suspended to a limb of a tree on Seventh street, moving like a pendulum as the night wind swayed it. A woman who was returning from the grocery caught sight of the ghastly spectacle and dropped two bars of soap and a pound of candles on the walk, and ran screaming away. Two boys came along and took a skip through the mud and raised a yell, and the driver of a milk-wagon stopped his horse and rang his bell in a way to bring a dozen householders out doors. A half circle was formed about the tree, a policeman sent for, and a sudden hush fell upon the crowd.

"Probably out of work and driven to it," whispered one.

"No doubt he had trouble with his wife," sighed a second.

"Looks to me like a man who had drained the cup of sorrow to its dregs," said a third.

By and-by a policeman came hurrying along, puffing and blowing and followed by a crowd of boys.

"Stand back—all of you stand back!" cried the officer.

Nobody stood back, of course.

"Now somebody get me a step-ladder."

Fifteen or twenty persons suggested that somebody run for the Coroner, but no one started. A dozen others suggested that it was against the law to cut a body down unless the Coroner was present, but the ladder came and the officer mounted it and opened his knife and commanded:

"Now, then, three or four of you come here to ease the body down when I cut the rope!"

Four or five men stepped out, but they had no sooner seized the suicide's legs than they fell back. In half a minute more the officer backed down the ladder. Then a general titter ran through the crowd, and a small boy called out:

"I seed 'em when they did it! It's a straw-man, and four boys hung him up and runn'd away."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—The New York District Messenger boys have been ordered to wear clean clothes, standing collars and short hair.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., APL. 17, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

IN the Senate on the 9th Mr. Hill, from the Committee on Postoffices and Postroads, reported favorably on the original bill to establish a postal telegraph system. The Senate resumed consideration of the Naval Appropriation bill, but without action went into executive session, and adjourned. In the House, Mr. Hopkins, of Pennsylvania, offered a preamble and resolution reciting, among other things, that the present system of transporting live stock by railroad companies engaged in interstate commerce is barbarous and destructive; that ten per cent. of the animals perish in consequence of this treatment and the flesh of the remainder is unfit for human food; that it is charged that the act of Congress requiring railroad companies to unload stock in transit every twenty-eight hours is persistently violated; therefore, Resolved, That the Committee on Commerce be instructed to inquire whether these evils in fact exist, and to what extent they may be remedied by law, with the power to send for persons and papers and with directions to report at any time by bill or otherwise. The resolution was referred to the Committee on Commerce. The House then went into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of bills for public buildings. After debate the committee rose and reported the Keokuk and Waco bills to the House. Without action the House adjourned.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 10th a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury urging the necessity for a new revenue cruiser for the Alaskan waters, and recommending an appropriation of $175,000 for that purpose. A joint resolution from the Legislature from California was presented, urging Congress to adopt Mr. Sumner's bill relating to the postal telegraph. After the introduction and reference of several new bills, the Senate resumed consideration of the Naval Appropriation bill. An amendment was adopted increasing the amount appropriated to complete the ordnance outfit of the three new cruisers and one dispatch boat, from $400,000 to $500,000. Pending debate on the amendment providing for the construction of steel cruisers, the Senate went into executive session, and when the doors reopened adjourned until the 15th. In the House, Mr. Eaton, from the Committee on Laws relating to the election of President and Vice President, reported back the Senate bill on that subject, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; placed on calendar. The Senate bill to further suspend the operation of section 5,547 Revised Statutes, in relation to the Guano Island, was passed, after which the House went into Committee of the Whole on the public building measures. A number of bills for the erection of public buildings in various localities were considered favorably, when the committee rose and reported to the House. Without further action the House adjourned.

THE Senate bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to offer a reward of $25,000 for rescuing or ascertaining the fate of the Greeley expedition, passed the House on the 11th. The resolution declaring that the charges against H. V. Boynton were not sustained by the evidence and that there was no ground for action by the House, was adopted without opposition. Mr. Henley, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported the bill forfeiting the Northern Pacific land grant; placed on calendar. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Pension Appropriation bill; the bill appropriates $29,684,400 and reappropriates an amount estimated at $66,000,000; the appropriations for the current year were $126,000,000, of which only $25,673,000 was expended for the first half of the year. After debate and without action the committee rose. The Speaker laid before the House a message from the Chief of Ordnance for a permanent annual appropriation of $1,500,000 to provide the necessary armament for seacoast fortifications; referred. At the evening session the House passed five pension bills and adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

THE House on the 12th adopted a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for copies of any correspondence now pending with officers of customs at New York as to interpretation of section 1775, Revised Statutes, and Civil Service law in reference to preference given in appointments to honorably discharged soldiers and sailors. A number of bills were reported and placed on the calendar. At the conclusion of the call public business was suspended, and the House proceeded to the consideration of resolutions expressive of regret at the death of the late Thomas H. Herndon, of Alabama. After eulogies by several members, the House, as a mark of respect to the memory of deceased, adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

APRIL returns to the Department of Agriculture make the winter wheat area about 27,000,000 acres. Compared with the area harvested last year the present breadth is an increase of five per cent. The present area is greater than the census year by more than two million acres, an increase about 1,500,000 acres on the Pacific coast and nearly 750,000 acres in the Southern States. There is a small increase in the Middle States, and a slight decrease in the Ohio basin. The condition of wheat averages 95, one hundred representing the full stand, unimpaired vitality, and medium growth. In April, 1883, the average was 89, and 85 in April, 1881. The April average of the large crop of 1882 was 104.

THE members of the Grand Army of the Republic held a camp-fire at Masonic Hall, Washington, on the evening of the 11th, in commemoration of the operations against Vicksburg. General Joseph R. Hawley presided, and all the posts of the Grand Army in the city were represented in the assemblage. Among the prominent men present were President Arthur, General Grant, Secretary Lincoln, Generals Logan, Hazen, Doubleday, Raum and others. General Logan made the principal address and was followed by short speeches from General Grant and other distinguished actors in the Vicksburg campaign.

THE schooner Nelson Y. McFarland is reported lost at sea and five fisherman drowned.

MEMBERS of the Grand Army at Boston, Mass., have called a public meeting of all soldiers and others interested, at which addresses will be made and contributions received for building a home for ex-Confederates.

Two men, Samuel Reelin and William Shearod, were buried under several tons of earth by the caving-in of a sand bank at Pittsburgh, where they were at work on the 11th. It was an hour before their bodies were recovered, badly crushed, and it is thought death resulted instantly. Both were young men and unmarried.

BUSINESS failures reported for the week ended the 11th are: United States, 175; Canada, 39; compared with 212 the previous week.

FIFTEEN prisoners escaped from the Des Moines (Iowa) jail on the night of the 11th by digging a hole through a thirty-six-inch brick wall. Most of them were serving short jail sentences.

MAIL and passenger service from Mexico to the United States over the Central Railroad has been inaugurated.

THE ice jam in the Penobscot River at Penobscot, Me., gave way on the 11th and logs estimated at 1,000,000 feet broke loose.

OVER $1,000,000 in specie was shipped from New York to Europe on the 12th.

THE certificate of incorporation of the McDonough Telegraph and Telephone Company was filed in New York on the 11th. The Company has a capital stock of $1,000,000. The Company's lines are to run from New York to California, Florida and Maine.

THE prospects are that the wheat crop of the Pacific coast this year will be unprecedented, if the hot north winds of May and June are passed.

THE will of the late Henry Hitchcock, of Galesburg, Ill., bequeaths Knox College property valued at over $75,000.

MAJOR MOGUN of the Salvation Army, New York, was arrested on the 11th on a charge of stealing $800 of the funds of the organization.

THE Amalgamated Association of Pittsburgh, Pa., have asked the manufacturers for a conference to settle the rate of wages. The meeting will probably be held on the 18th.

THE trial of Thomas Samon, at Laconia, N. H., for the murder of Mrs. Ford, James Ruddy and Ruddy's fourteen months-old son last fall, ended on the 11th, and Samon was sentenced to be hanged April 17, 1885.

A FREIGHT and coal train on the Lehigh Valley Road collided near Allentown, Pa., on the 11th. Jacob Delter, a fireman, was killed, and other hands injured. Two engines and a number of cars were wrecked.

AT Oconomowoc, Wis., on the 11th, Mrs. Hannah Dooley and her domestic were found unconscious in their house, having been suffocated by coal gas from a leaky stove. They had lain on the floor forty-eight hours. The servant is dead and Mrs. Dooley cannot recover.

AT a large meeting of distillers at Cynthiana, Ky., on the 11th, an export and guarantee association was formed with a capital of $100,000, most all of which was subscribed by members present.

ON the 11th a blast in the Calumet & Hecla mine in the Lake Superior copper district, killed Thomas Tremberth and blinded Nicholas Johns. Tremberth leaves a family of eight children.

A REWARD of $2,000 has been offered for the recovery of the body of Vedder, one of the principals of the recent Niagara Falls tragedy. It is believed that the body went over the falls, and is now near the entrance to the Cave of the Winds, and can only be reached by lowering ropes over the precipice.

OVER 1,500 coal miners at Irwin Station, Pa., have struck against a reduction.

THE crew of the missing ship Rainier have been found at Ujal Island in the Pacific Ocean. They were wrecked, but the natives cared for them in the kindest manner.

MRS. CHARLES SWEET, seventy-six years old, died at Scranton, Pa., because of a fall from a porch. It is now asserted that her dissolute son-in-law, Theodore F. Hunt, pushed her from the porch in an effort to leave the house the other evening. Hunt is a wealthy merchant.

THREE men entered the hardware store of Adolph Polochek at Chicago on the morning of the 12th, chloroformed and bound Fred. Beadle, the clerk, and robbed the place of several thousand dollars in money and goods. This is the fifth occurrence of the same kind in two years in the same store.

THE body of Doller, the fireman of the coal train wrecked on the Lehigh Valley road on the 11th has not yet been found. He was throwing in coal when the accident occurred, and it is now believed he was thrown into the fire and roasted alive. Over thirty cars were wrecked.

THE sale of the Butler County (Kas.) corn contribution to the flood sufferers took place on 'Change at Cincinnati on the 12th. The prices ranged from two to three cents above the market rates and the aggregate realized was about $7,000.

REPORTS received from 609 townships of Michigan indicate that the winter wheat crop and the clover crop will be about 97 per cent., apples about 90 per cent. and peaches but 50 per cent. of an average.

THE Secretary of War has received a telegram from Major Stickney, of the engineer corps at New Orleans, regarding the condition of the levees, in which he says: The whole line along the Tensas parish front is badly broken. The grade was much too low for this flood and the water poured over the tops of the levees for miles. There are no breaks in the Concordia parish front except on Lake Concordia, where the levee is small. The overflow in both parishes is not as large as in 1882 by three to four feet. From Red River to Profit Island no breaks have occurred. The river is rapidly receding, and it is not probable any other break will occur. The situation is more encouraging than could have been expected two weeks ago and it seems very probable the cotton crop may be raised in Tensas and Concordia.

WHEAT seeding is already in progress in southern Minnesota and Dakota, a week in advance of last year. There will be a substantial increase in the acreage of the territory.

THE Galesburg (Ill.) City Council, by a vote of nine to five, recently increased the saloon license fee from $600 to $1,200, and changed the closing hour from 11 p. m. to 10 p. m.

POSTOFFICE INSPECTOR WOODWARD testified recently before the Springer Committee that the Las Vegas and Venita star mail route cost $30,000 in three years, the revenues for the same period being $700.

IN the trial of Mrs. Anna Shock for cruelty to children as manager of the Home of the Friendless, an institution located at LaGrange, Ill., the jury on the 12th returned a verdict of guilty as to those counts in the indictment relating to eight out of ten children, alleging that she permitted children to be placed in such a situation where their health might be endangered and injured. This convicted her on the lesser charge only.

A FIRE at San Francisco on the 13th destroyed nine buildings forming the principal business block of the city. Loss, $175,000; insurance, $35,000.

A SNEAK thief recently entered the room of Mrs. Swaim, wife of the Judge Advocate General, at the Ebbitt House, Washington, and stole $500 from a purse which was in a small traveling satchel.

EIGHT prisoners in the jail at Gainesville, Green County, Ark., assaulted the jailer, secured arms from his house and escaped. A posse of fifty citizens started in pursuit and a pitched battle occurred, in which over a hundred shots were fired. Breckman, a burglar, was killed, and three other prisoners were wounded and secured. The remainder escaped.

A TRAMP named John Michaels was arrested near Dayton, O., on the 12th who is supposed to be the miscreant that wrecked the Pan Handle train at Beaver's on the night of the 10th.

VICTOR W. CLOUGH, of Genesee, Ill, on the 12th undertook to make one hundred miles in ten consecutive hours upon roller skates for a prize of $25. He accomplished the distance in nine hours and fifty-five minutes, the best time on record.

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Look out for Your Head!

No matter what parts it may finally affect, catarrh always starts in the head, and belongs to the head. There is no mystery about the origin of this direful disease. It begins in a neglected cold. One of the kind that is "sure to be better in a few days." Thousands of victims know how it is by sad experience. Ely's Cream Balm cures colds in the head and catarrh in all its stages. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Applied with the finger to the nostrils.

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When medical science admitted that Rheumatism and Neuralgia had their seat in the blood, it remained to find a successful remedy for the poisonous acid which caused them. That remedy has been found. It has been named ATHLOPOROS, which is a Greek word composed of athlon, a prize, and phero, to bear away, that is "bearing away the prize." And this it does both in promptitude and final efficiency.—Says Mrs. Eliza Evans, of Upper Derby, Delaware county, Penn.: "After the third dose of ATHLOPHOROL I rested better than I had done for months."

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"What risks for instance?"

"This for instance" said Mr. W. G. Franklin, who was then traveling for an eastern house, and is known to merchants in all parts of the country. "The risk which indeed amounts almost to a certainty of getting dyspepsia from perpetual change of diet and water, and from having no fixed hours for eating and sleeping. I myself was an example. I say was, for I am all right now."

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Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D., 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS, Executor.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob G. Roberts, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 29th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 16th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February, 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 5th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
Commissioners.

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenspoor, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased, is in part at least a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York at least six days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for hearing the same.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar13

ESTATE OF SAMUEL ARNER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Arner, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Augustus Montgomery, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of his last sickness and funeral, and praying for the allowance of his final account and for such further order as shall be deemed lawful and necessary, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr3

ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 2d day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson, guardian of said minor, praying for the allowance of his sixth account as such guardian, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 17, 1884.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican County Convention to choose delegates to the State Convention was held at Adrian last Monday. The usual routine of business was transacted and both delegates and a new County Committee were chosen.

DELEGATES.

First District.—Lucius Lilley, T. H. Temple, F. W. Sampson, C. L. Beagle, Peter Fisher, M. Graves, J. R. Cairnes. Alternates, H. W. Stevens, W. S. Wilson, N. L. Pratt, Dr. Parker, Byron Tripp, J. Jacklin, W. Comfort.

Second District.—H. C. Pratt, B. H. Spear, W. A. Underwood, E. A. Harris, A. W. Smith, W. S. Wilcox, C. R. Miller.

Third District.—M. Carpenter, Chas. Brown, A. O. Abbott, C. Knapp, Brackley Shaw, C. A. Blackmar, C. A. Wilson. This district convention suggested the name of Tom. S. Applegate as delegate at large.

The reports from the several caucuses were received and adopted.

W. S. Wilcox nominated Tom. S. Applegate as delegate at large, and he was elected by acclamation.

COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Adrian City—
1st. Ward—A. F. Haas.
2d Ward—A. L. Bliss.
3d Ward—Tom S. Applegate.
4th Ward—J. R. Bennett.
Adrian—Jay Hoag.
Blissfield—A. L. Pratt.
Clinton—E. W. Freeze.
Cambridge—C. E. Jessup.
Deerfield—L. Ormsby.
Dover—J. H. Shepherd.
Fairfield—J. W. Bennett.
Franklin—T. M. Camburn.
Hudson—E. J. Southworth.
Macon—Geo. Howell.
Madison—N. F. Bradish.
Medina—C. C. Morse.
Ogden—A. J. Hodges.
Palmyra—M. T. Cole.
Ridgeway—T. H. Temple.
Riga—E. B. Cantleberry.
Raisin—W. Comfort.
Rollin—J. U. Harkness.
Rome—H. H. Furgeson.
Seneca—D. B. Morgan.
Tecumseh—C. T. Cummins.
Woodstock—O. B. Bowen.

John G. Mason was chosen Chairman by acclamation.

UNION COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Unionists held their County Convention at Dean's Opera House last Saturday with a good attendance. The following delegates were chosen to the State Convention which will be held at Battle Creek, on the 14th of May.

First District.—G. P. Waring, Ridgeway; Edwin Howell, Macon; George Humphrey, Palmyra; Elisha Luke, Ogden; Zach. Cook, Raisin.

Second District.—E. B. Sutton, E. B. Chase, T. F. Moore, D. L. Blackstone, A. B. Clark.

Third District.—Porter Beals, Rollin; Geo. Taylor, Rome; Dr. Bond, Springville; R. B. Sutton, Dover; R. H. Rodgers, Medina.

On motion, the delegates were given the right to substitution, in case they were unable to attend the convention.

From the edition of Messrs. Geo P. Rowell & Co's AMERICAN NEWSPAPER DIRECTORY, now in press, it appears that the newspapers and periodicals of all kinds at present issued in the United States and Canada reach the grand total of 13,402. This is a net gain of precisely 1,600 during the last twelve months, and exhibits an increase of 5,618 over the total number published just ten years since. The increase in 1874 over the total for 1873 was 493. During the past year the dailies have increased from 1,138 to 1,254; the weeklies from 9,062 to 10,028; and the monthlies from 1,091 to 1,499. The greatest increase is in the Western States. Illinois, for instance, now shows 1,009 papers in place of last year's total of 904, while Missouri issues 604 instead of 523 reported in 1883. Other leading Western States also exhibit a great percentage of increase. The total number of papers in New York State is 1,523, against 1,399 in 1883. Canada has shared in the general increase.

No special attention seems hitherto to have been called to the remarkable portraits of American statesmen that have recently been appearing in HARPER'S. They have included so far full page portraits of Washington, the elder Adams, Jefferson, Madison, and Alexander Hamilton, besides several smaller portraits; for the May number we are promised Monroe, Henry Clay, and Rufus King; and Mr. Kruell, the distinguished engraver who has done most of these, is understood to be busy upon the younger Adams, Jackson, Calhoun, Webster, and others. The portrait of Buchanan in the January number may also be mentioned. Many of these have been engraved from original paintings or drawings not before reproduced, and the result is likely to be an American portrait gallery fitly presented in the highest style of the especially American art of wood engraving.

FATAL MINE EXPLOSION.

Two Men Killed and Others Injured—Foul Gasses Collect Through the Carelessness of Some Boys and Ignite Fire in the Miners' Lamps.

ELIZABETH, Pa., April 15.—Shortly after five o'clock yesterday morning an explosion of fire damp occurred in the coal mine of John A. Wood & Sons, near here, killing two men instantly and injuring several others. The dead bodies of James Painter and James Stevenson have just been brought out of the mines horribly burned and blackened. They went to work at five o'clock and had just reached the point where they were when the explosion occurred, the fire damp igniting from their lamps. At first it was thought many others were in that part of the mine and had perished, but it is now certain that they were the only ones killed. William Kent was five hundred yards from the explosion and was severely injured by being violently thrown down. A workman named Simmons, who was half a mile away, was struck on the head by a flying pick and sustained serious injury. A number of others were bruised and cut by the falling debris. Willing workers have been at the scene all the morning, but their labors have been interfered with by the foul gasses and they have only succeeded at noon in reaching the bodies. Both victims are young men of family. Boys playing in the mine yesterday are supposed to have left the trap door open, which allowed the collection of the fatal gas. The explosion fortunately occurred when but few men had gone to work, else the loss of life must have been great.

A BOOMERANG LAW

That Comes Back to Trouble Its Inventors.

NEW ORLEANS, April 14.—The new patent election law prescribed by the Louisiana Legislature to [illegible] use of the people promises to come back to plague the inventors. The law says "that all the names of persons voted for shall be printed on one ticket or ballot of white paper of uniform size and quality, to be furnished by the Secretary of State." As soon as the Republicans nominated their ticket Judge Merchant, the chairman of the Republican campaign committee, a very shrewd politician, lost no time in calling on the Secretary of State and purchasing a very large supply of the ticket paper. The balance of the supply was purchased by a few New Orleans job printers, when it was discovered that the stock was exhausted and not half the county parish Democrats were supplied. This placed the Democratic official in an unpleasant predicament and sent him in haste to this city. How the matter was finally arranged is explained in a card which he publishes in the morning papers here, in which he lets the cat out of the bag by saying: "Owing to the uneasiness felt in regard to the election paper I will state, that in ordering this paper I had it water-lined 'Secretary of State.' This was done for identification only. I ordered two millions of tickets of that kind, basing my estimates upon the Congressional and city election of 1882, leaving a margin of 900,000. At this late date I find that the orders from the country parishes have more than consumed the original amount of paper ordered, so I instructed my agents, Messrs. Brandas & Co., of New Orleans, to receive all the paper of that quality without the water line and use it. They have done so, and have a sufficient quantity of paper for all emergencies. The law does not contemplate that the paper should be water-lined."

Augustus Schell's Will.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Augustus Schell's will filed yesterday gives his wife $200,000 in cash and the life use of his city real estate, and of 100 shares each of the stock of the New York Central, Union Pacific and Chicago & Milwaukee Railroads. Two brothers are given $400,000 each; the five children of a sister $100,000 each; the widow of a deceased brother $50,000. These are the only large bequests. Other relatives and a number of charitable institutions get from $500 to $10,000 each.

Shot His Uncle's Head Off.

ST. LOUIS, April 15.—A *Post-Dispatch* Carrollton, Mo., special says: "Sunday morning Humphrey Bunch and Jesse Glover, farmers residing in the northwestern part of the county, quarreled because Bunch, who was the uncle of Glover, refused to allow the latter's cattle to feed on his pasture. Glover went away, but returned shortly and shot the top of his uncle's head off. The murderer fled but is hotly pursued.

The Strike Near an End.

FALL RIVER, April 15.—The eleventh week of the strike opens with a decided gain for the manufacturers. They are running more machines than at any time during the strike. The manufacturers and workers predict that the strike is approaching an end. The greater part of the funds have been exhausted, and but little is coming in from the outside.

Sustaining the Scott Law.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 15.—Judge Lemon, Commager and Mackey, of the district Court, yesterday afternoon rendered the decision in the Buttzman-Mueller Scott law tax case, that the law is constitutional. They admitted being influenced by the decision of the Supreme Court in the Bennet & Bauder case, in which the law was sustained.

The Filibustering in Cuba.

KEY WEST, April 15.—Mail advices from Havana state that Aguero is receiving everywhere on the road men and horses, having burnt various plantations where help was denied. The insurrection will increase if the troops are unable to capture the parties. Some papers accuse the military authorities of utter ignorance and indifference.

Demonstration of Labor Unions.

NEW YORK, April 15.—The immense demonstration of labor unions at Union Square last night in favor of eight hours as a day's labor passed off quietly. In anticipation of trouble a large force of police was stationed in the adjacent streets and patrolled the square. As the unions marched by the *Tribune* office in going home they stopped and hissed, but there was no unruly action in any direction.

Foundered at Sea.

NEW YORK, April 15.—It is reported that the United States and Brazil Mail Steamship Company's steamer Reliance, running between New York and Rio de Janeiro, has been lost with her cargo, including seven thousand bags of coffee. The passengers and crew are reported saved.

The Legislature of Ohio Adjourns.

COLUMBUS, April 15.—Both Houses of the Legislature adjourned at noon yesterday, after a stormy session. A resolution was adopted appointing a commission to investigate election frauds in Cincinnati.

SOUTHERN FOREST FIRES.

The Most Widespread Destruction Ever Known in South Carolina Counties.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 15.—The forest fires kindled by the gale of last week swept over large areas of the counties of Richland, Lexington, Fairfield, Kershaw, Chester, Sumter, Orangeburg, Clarendon, Williamsburg, Darlington, Lancaster, Marlboro, Coleton, Aiken and Berkeley. The destruction of houses, valuable timber lands, fencing, growing crops and live stock was the most widespread ever known in the history of the State. It is impossible to estimate the amount of damage but it will aggregate many hundred thousands of dollars. In Kershaw County the fires were especially terrific, sweeping over a thickly settled territory, and destroying houses, timber, and fencing for many miles. It was with great difficulty that the flourishing town of Camden was saved, it being for twenty-four hours surrounded on all sides by the flames. Large numbers of cattle and hogs grazing in the woods were roasted alive. Three-quarters of the pine forests in the county were destroyed, thus breaking up the entire turpentine business in that section.

Three churches escaped destruction in a miraculous way. Antioch Church is surrounded by heavy pine forests, and just before the fire reached the immediate vicinity of the church it divided and went around it, joining together on the opposite side and sweeping on with its former fury, leaving the church untouched. At Mount Zion the flames acted in a similar manner, passing close around the church, but harming nothing. At Pine Tree Church the fires passed under and around the building, burning straw, wood and lumber, etc., but doing no other injury to the church. At Sandy Grove the fire went through the church-yard, burning all the fencing, railing, and sheds around it, and the cemetery adjoining the church, but doing no injury to the church itself. The damage in Kershaw County will amount to fully $100,000. In Clarendon and Darlington Counties the damage done to turpentine farmers is irreparable.

RECOVERING THE BODIES.

More Mangled Remains Taken From the Pocahontas Mine.

POCAHONTAS, Va., April 15.—The work of recovering the dead was continued yesterday. During all night the time of the party at work was employed in prospecting and collecting the bodies, and putting them into boxes. Twenty-six bodies were boxed, and at nine o'clock in the morning they were brought out at the fan entry and placed in a row for identification. Of the twenty-six eleven were recognized by relatives or friends. The first was that of Howard Quarles. His wife, who had day after day been watching from sunup to sunset for the body of her dead husband, fell in a dead faint immediately upon recognizing the mangled corpse. She was removed to an adjoining cabin, and received proper attention. The others identified were James Hampsen, known by his shoes; Sam Anderson, by a pair of boots; Henry Miller, by his watch; F. Brown, by his striped pants; Thornton Hicks, by a pocket knife; Robert Pardue, by having a boot and one shoe on; James Pardue, by his mustache; James Whitten, by the size and shape of his head; Charles Johnson, by a ring on his left hand, the ring being identified by his sweetheart, who loaned it to him; Booker Hall by his overalls, jacket and boots. All the above were colored men, and were found side by side in the fan entry. Two mules were taken out of mine this evening. One had a portion of the gear still on, the other was mangled and dismembered. They do not expect to take out any more bodies until day after to-morrow, as the portion of the mine unexplored is under water. Preparations are being made to pump the water out with the engine, and a pipe was put in position yesterday.

A Death-Bed Confession Convicts Sharon's Persecutor of Conspiracy.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—In the Sharon divorce trial yesterday the deposition of H. M. Rrue, of Santa Cruz was read. During the progress of the trial Harry Wells, a witness for the plaintiff, testified that Sharon had, in his presence, introduced Miss Hill to True as "Mrs. Sharon." True, who is on his death-bed, deposed that Wells' testimony was a "put-up-job" between Miss Hill, Wells and himself. It was arranged that Miss Hill should testify to that effect, and he and Wells would confirm it. He became a party to the arrangement, believing he could make money out of it, but being on his death-bed wanted to tell the whole truth before it was too late. He said: "I don't propose to go to my grave with a lie on my lips." He said the counsel for the plaintiff was not a party to the arrangement, but was told of it afterward. True's deposition created a sensation. He is sixty-seven years old. His death is momentarily expected.

Investigating the Riot.

CINCINNATI, April 15.—Coroner Muscroft has begun the inquest on the victims of the late riot. He has selected thirteen, intending to let that examination cover the entire number. So far nothing has been elicited beyond the testimony for the identification of the bodies. It is said the Coroner will not make a searching investigation, leaving that to be done by the special Grand Jury, which began its duties yesterday morning, after being charged by Judge Avery to make inquiry into the late riot, the burning of the Court House and the charges of corruption in connection with the jury that tried William Berner. The testimony before the Grand Jury is given privately and all are sworn to secrecy.

Death From an Anesthetic.

ALLIANCE, O., April 15.—The one case in a thousand in which the administration of an anesthetic produces death occurred yesterday morning at Damascus, a village about seventeen miles east of this place. A gentleman named St. Clair sent for Dr. Farquar for the purpose of having some teeth extracted. The physician came, and at the request of the patient proceeded to administer the anesthetic. Mr. St. Clair at once became unconscious and alarming symptoms made their appearance. The case became desperate, and despite the efforts of the doctor at resuscitation the man expired in a few minutes. No one was present except the physician, and family of the deceased.

Buried Under a Sand Bank.

RANKSVILLE, April 15.—While a young man named Daniel Miller was working in a sand pit near the Brown Manufacturing Company's works yesterday, the bank caved and buried him. On excavating him, it was discovered that his lower limbs had been seemingly paralyzed.

An Attempted Assassination.

LIBERTAD, April 14.—An attempt was made yesterday to assassinate the President of Guatemala. He was slightly wounded.

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"I had 22 quarts of water taken from me caused by dropsy. Ten bottles of Warner's Safe Cure entirely restored me." GEO. B. PEASLEY.
Manchester, N. H.

"A neighbor of mine, W. A. Thompson, has been raised from the dead by the use of your Warner's Safe Cure." JOHN NORTON, P. M.
Summit City, Pa., Feb. 8th.

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Denver, Col. Feb. 19th.

"I want to state how much my husband has improved while taking Warner's Safe Cure. All swelling has disappeared from his limbs; his water trouble is much better and his voice is so improved that he preaches every Sabbath. We are very thankful. The people all around here are taking the remedy, and some are getting well by the use of a few bottles. Multitudes more must have it."
MRS. REV. F. A. SOULE.
Sing Sing, N. Y., Feb. 29th.

"For a score of years I suffered with what the doctors pronounced dilation and valvular disease of the heart, but now I am led to believe that the heart trouble was only secondary and a symptom of other complaints. Frequently I was threatened with death by suffocation, my breath failing me entirely. I became cold and numb, and was as near death as any living person ever has been. This was three years ago and I have ever since enjoyed complete health wholly through the use of Warner's Safe Cure." A. BILDERBECK,
Chicago, March 1st. 28 13 street.

Hudson Post: Arthur Hawkins, Gordon Palmer, and several other young men, were having considerable fun in the barn of Mr. Palmer, east of Medina, by being drawn up to the roof of the barn, and then riding the length of the barn by the railway hay carrier. After several had taken their turn in riding, Archie Hawkins "went over the road," but arriving at the end of the track the rope pulled out, and the young man dropped twenty-five feet to the floor, breaking his arm and dislocating his wrist. Dr. Dodge was called and set the broken bones.

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JOE WILSON.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The homestead farm of the late Samuel G. Conkling, situated in the eastern part of the township of Raisin, consisting of one hundred and sixty acres, being the S. E. ¼ of section 11 in said township, is offered for sale. For terms enquire of the undersigned.

H. W. & H. C. CONKLING,
Executors.

LOST.—On Sunday last between Sand Lake and Clinton, a black and white shepherd dog, answers to name of "Jip." A suitable reward will be given for his recovery.
C. A. KEIL.

SMALL FRUIT PLANTS FOR SALE. Grape vines 5c each, 13 for $1. Strawberry, Raspberry, Blackberry and other small fruit plants for sale.
F. D. HILLMAN.

HOUSE TO RENT, situated on Chicago street. Enquire of H. W. CONKLING.

LIGHT BRAMAH EGGS for setting can be had of the subscriber at the residence of F. V. Horton at 50c per 13. Orders left at Waldo & Doty's will receive prompt attention.
F. V. HORTON.

PROF. C. M. VET, Director of the Conservatory of Music, Jackson, Mich., will receive pupils for the violin, cello, flute, cornet, &c. on Tuesday of each week. Terms, $1 per lesson. Orders for piano tuning promptly and satisfactorily attended to.

MADAM C. M. VET will accept a class of scholars in the French language on Tuesday also. Terms for each class of ten, 40c a lesson to each pupil. Apply to Miss Mabel Hayden or Prof. C. M. Vet, 114 Blackstone Terrace, Jackson, Mich.

ASPARAGUS ROOTS. Conover's colossal, 75 cts. per hundred.
ABNER WILSON.

WANTED.—A good seamstress to learn tailoring at KIES BROS.

FOR SALE.—Several desirable family residences in village of Tecumseh. Enquire of
CHARLES BURRIDGE.

30 COTSWOLD SHEEP—About one-half of them ewes in profit, can be bought at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

NOTICE.—My wife Sarah, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.
TECUMSEH, March 25, 1884.
WALTER LOCKWOOD.

FOR SALE.—New lumber wagon, one of my make, for sale cheap. I. B. RICHART.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if sold at once. For particulars enquire of
J. W. COLE.
Also a good house and lot for sale.

LOST.—One note given by me to Samuel Jackson for two hundred dollars. The same has been paid. Finder will please return said note to H. E. WILSON.
HOLLOWAY, Mich, March 19, 1884.

TYPE WRITER.—As good as new.—for sale cheap. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE. This farm about 4 miles west of Tecumseh, comprising about 399 acres, is now offered for sale. Any persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and call upon E. B. WOOD, Agent.

ALL PURCHASERS OF

DEERING BINDERS

in vicinity of Tecumseh, can have them adjusted and put in order for harvest of 1884 free of charge, by leaving word with Messrs. Slayton & Son, before April 15, where they will find a full and complete stock of repairs and Deering twine.
JESSE L. BERCH, General Agent.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Maiden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable Address
B. J. BIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

BLASTING—STONE AND STUMP.—Elijah Wilson holds himself in readiness to blast stumps and stones at all times. Leave orders at Whitenack, Bordine & Co's, or at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros'.

Dundee people kick because the M. & O. Road refuses to carry passengers from that town to Toledo. The road claims it to be a condition of the contract by which they run over the T. & A. A. from Dundee to Toledo.

Moore & Hutchings, of Adrian, have bought the cigar box factory and business good will of George N. Stacy. This addition to Moore & Hutchings' factory will give them the best business in cigar boxes in Southern Michigan.

If you wish to examine a fine lot of wall paper call at the store of C. A. Wright & Co., and see the display made by Johnny Orr. He knows just how to show goods to the best advantage and he has out-done himself in his wall paper exhibit.

Henry C. Conkling is at home a few days on an indefinite furlough. The freight line he is agent for is now establishing a new route over the Nickel Plate and as soon as the arrangements now in progress are completed he will take the road again.

The Michigan farmer who plants Kansas or Kentucky seed corn will get left at the close of the season with a field of unripened corn on his hands. Plant seed that was raised in about the same latitude as that of Michigan if you wish your crop to ripen.

During the past year 1,313 woodchucks have been killed in Cambridge; at least the township has paid the bounty, $262.60, on that number. The bounty is continued for another year, which would indicate that the pesky little animal is not yet exterminated.

Dr. Thomas Miller, who recently graduated from the Medical Department of Howard University, Washington, D. C., is stopping for a few days at his mother's in Raisin. The doctor leaves next week for Portland, Oregon, where he will locate for the purpose of practicing his profession.

It is certainly very funny to hear a man howling about patronizing home industries, when he uses a rubber stamp to make the most horrible daubs of letter heads and cards with which nice paper is spoiled, or patronizes some cheap amateur who does him a job for a trifle above nothing. Many men's ideas of patronizing home industries are for everybody else to do it.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 17 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Plowing.

Clover sowing.

March winds in April blowing.

Vacant houses are very scarce in Tecumseh.

Deerfield is talking up a fruit drying factory.

Frank Silvers turns out some nobby buggy rigs.

The big show will arrive on Monday, May 5th.

R. L. Baxter was at home a day or two last week.

Boys, save your quarters, the elephant is coming.

House cleaning and yard cleaning is the order now.

Geo. W. Ayres, of Adrian, was in town yesterday.

John Hicks has been spending a few days at home.

The street sprinkler commenced business last Monday.

A good deal of fishing is going on along the Raisin now days.

Judge Stacy is improving daily and will soon be in his office again.

Bro. Carr, of the Dundee Reporter, was in town last Monday and gave us a call.

We acknowledge a friendly call from J. S. Kies, of Clinton, on Saturday last.

Geo. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, is spending a week on the old farm in Newberg.

The new board of supervisors stands 13 Republicans, 12 Democrats and 1 Unionist.

Geo. Stone, of Deerfield, has invented a chicken incubator which proves a success.

Hugh Richard, of Jackson, is spending a few days among his old Tecumseh friends.

V. S. Miller, of North Branch, was in town last week and gave us a very pleasant call.

There was an old fashioned crowd in town last Saturday and business was booming.

Misses Snaube & Holmes will open dressmaking rooms next week over Anderson's grocery store.

The paper mill is undergoing improvements, and is consequently shut down for a few days.

Miss Kate Stevens is the guest of Mrs. H. E. Stout for a few days. Her Tecumseh acquaintances are glad to see her.

Miss Lizzie Smith returned to her home in this village on Monday last from an extended visit to Detroit and Monroe.

The new Blissfield band is giving socials and suppers to raise funds for expenses. They are in a prosperous condition.

Al. Lawrence's new house on Chicago street is nearly completed. It will be one of the finest residences in the village.

The regular annual Cambridge sheep shearing festival will be held at Chas. Greenleaf's on Thursday, the 1st day of May next.

Dr. S. Catlin is keeping step with the march of improvement, having built a new side walk in front of his residence on Pearl street.

Frank Snedicor spent Monday and Tuesday at his home in this village. Frank likes his position in Dundee and reports things flourishing there.

The foundation walls of Usborn's block, adjoining the HERALD building, are completed, and the masons will soon commence piling the brick.

During the past year 104 sheep have been killed by dogs in Blissfield township, and probably those sheep were worth more money than all the dogs in town.

Boys, you had better look a little out while fishing on Sundays. They are watching for you and you will be called upon to answer to Justice Burridge soon.

Dr. John Kost, of Adrian college, who has lately been elected chancellor of Florida University, has already shipped his library of 3,000 volumes to the sunny south.

Willie Wescott has started a ten cent express and will deliver packages to any part of the village on short notice. This is what we have needed a long time, and we wish him success.

A. H. Herron, of the Post & Tribune, was in town last Tuesday. Mr. Herron is engaged in disseminating good Republican doctrine, and he seems to be the right man in the right place.

John J. Orr was not elected town clerk; that is true. But last Sunday night the returning board elected him father of a ten-pound boy baby, and he wouldn't trade that boy for all the town clerkships in Michigan.

An old pair of buckskin gloves was fished out of the rubbish under the counter in A. E. Kennedy's store one day last week. They were carefully wrapped in perfumed paper with a box of blue pills and presented to one of Tecumseh's physicians.

James B. Colvin returned home from his California trip to-day noon.

Al. Heidenrich has returned to Tecumseh. He will play in the T. B. B C. the coming season.

Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy, who has been spending a few days in Tecumseh, returned hom yesterday.

Parties wishing to buy any household goods would do well by calling at the house of C. A. Keil.

Wm. H. Warin and wife left last week for Peoria, Illinois, where they intend making their future home.

There will be a called meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No 69, F. & A. M, on Friday evening, the 18th. A full attendance is desired.

TAKE NOTICE—All persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle at once, as I shall leave town soon for another business location.
C. A. KEIL.

Slayton & Kinney have within the last few days, shipped Furniture to Clinton, Dundee, Cambridge, Lansing and Texas. Good goods and low prices appear to take well.

A state law requires that a census of all births and deaths shall be taken in every township, city or ward between the 10th day of April and the 1st day of June. This census will be for the year 1883.

Inter-Ocean: A single case of hydrophobia will stir the authorities up to kill every unmuzzled dog found in the streets. But delirium tremens may kill scores of men in brown stone fronts and in huts of poverty and the same authorities will hold inquests and sigh over "the mysterious ways of Providence."

An exchange gives the public this gentle reminder: "Never growl because the newspaper fails to give every scrap of news, so long as you never take any particular pains to give any information. The average editor isn't a medium or a mind reader, but gets the news just the same as the milkman gets his milk—by pumping."

Union Light; Many of our ladies are still under the baleful spell of Japanese "crazy" patchwork as all our milliners will testify. Unless a reaction soon sets in, the certainty and swiftness with which the disease fastens itself, will have so far controlled the poor victims that no appeal either to their conscience or affections will arouse them.

As Clinton has no local paper now, the HERALD feels justified in making more of a specialty of Clinton news than heretofore. S. O. Van DeMark has been engaged to represent the HERALD in Clinton. Items of news, orders for subscriptions and job printing can be handed to him, and he will attend to their delivery. Our Clinton friends will be well served.

Adrian Times: The new uniforms for the band arrived yesterday, through the U. S. express company. They are very handsome, and the boys are justly proud of them. The material used is blue broadcloth, and the trimmings are chiefly of gold lace. Gold buttons are also used. The head gear consists of a helmet, surmounted by a white plume, tipped in black.

Morenci Observer: The Seneca post office on being re-established was made a "special office," which implies that it must supply itself with mail matter from the most convenient point, and that the compensation of the carrier must not exceed two-thirds that of the postmaster, and Mr. Nelson, the new appointee, reports that he can get no carrier at that rate; so that office has thus far done no business and the outlook for the future is discouraging.

Grand Haven Herald: Good times are coming. People and especially farmers went into the winter in a despondent state. Economy was made the rule. Its good effects have given heart and hope. Prices of products are improving. Not for years has wheat got through the winter so well. Fruit prospects are good, some sorts never better. The lumber business promises to be the best for years. Both in business and politics the coming season will be one of great activity.

Hillsdale Leader: George Banker thinks the Buffalo cattle market is beyond human understanding. He recently shipped a carload of steers to Buffalo, fat and prime in every point, for which he paid $3.90 per hundred in Hillsdale county. He was forced to take $3.25 for them, but the strangest part is, A. P. Cook of Brooklyn, Mich., bought them at $4.00, and reshipped them to this state, and when the market is favorable will again treat the animals to a ride to Buffalo.

Clinton News: An old letter was picked up the other day down by the old tannery building which bore the date of 1848, folded and sealed without an envelope. The seal had never been broken. It was written by a party in Adrian to a once prominent citizen of this town, long since dead, and was in the nature of a political assessment for services rendered by the writer. The wonder is how the letter came where it was found, out of doors, and as fresh as though written a year ago; also, whether the writer ever got his pay.

The Dayton Hedge Co., have contracted about 200 miles of hedge in this county, to be commenced the present season. The plants for this vicinity arrived last week.

The time for cleaning streets and lawns has come. Let every citizen contribute something to the good appearance of the village by making his own premises as attractive as possible.

S. W. Anderson started for New York last week to buy a stock of goods for his firm, W. & S. W. Anderson & Co. On Friday the house received a telegram announcing his serious illness and his wife left on the first train for New York. Subsequent intelligence received from there states that Seaton is improving, but he is still under the physician's care being prostrated with a severe attack of gastric fever and rheumatism.—Yesterday morning Fred Rosacrans left for New York to complete the purchase of their spring stock of goods, and Mrs. Anderson will remain there until her husband is sufficiently recovered to be able to return home.

The members of Co. C are making arrangements for an amateur theatrical entertainment, which will probably come off about the 12th of May. Harry C. Chapman, who had charge of the play "Driven from Home," which was put on the stage by the G. A. R. a few weeks ago, will assume the management, and carry the leading role in the cast. The plays to be presented will be "Michael Erle" and "The Marble Statue." A committee already has the matter in charge and the cast of characters is being arranged. It is probable that the play "Driven from Home," will be presented one evening. The Armory boys have taken hold of the enterprise with vim, and will spare no pains to make it a success.

Marshall Statesman: A young man presented himself at this office last Saturday morning and enquired concerning the republican ticket for Newton. On being informed that our "devil" was grinding them out at that moment, he placed an order for 100 extra tickets and stated that he would call for them at noon. At 12 o'clock he presented himself, but could show no order from the republican supervisor of that town for the tickets. This subjected him to a vigorous cross examination and it was finally developed that he was one John Hallern, a democratic resident, who wished the tickets in order to play a sharp game on the republicans of that town. He received instead of the tickets a bit of good advice, which if he heeds, will some day make him a good citizen.

Junior Class Banquet.

The Junior Class of the Tecumseh High School will give an entertainment at the Opera House to-morrow evening, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the piano fund. The chief feature of the entertainment will be an excellent supper, served from 5:30 until 9:00 o'clock, and the supper tickets, peculiar in more ways than one, will be sold for the small sum of 25 cents. Ice cream may be had at a trifling extra charge. An elegant cake will be voted to the most popular lady in town. These are only some of the features of the entertainment; to know them all you must come and see, hear, and taste them. No pains will be spared to make this entertainment a success, and we hereby invite the public to attend our "Junior Class Banquet."

EASTER SERVICES.

At St. Peter's Church an early service was held as in former years at 6 o'clock. At 10:30 A. M., a second service was held, during which the two sacraments of Holy Baptism and the Lord's Supper were administered. At 3:30 P. M., an Easter Sunday School service was held, at which cards, bouquets of flowers, easter eggs, and oranges were distributed to the children. At all the services the Church was well filled. The floral decorations were abundant and in usual good taste. The music was appropriate and highly appreciated by the different congregations.

A Special Service was held at the Baptist Church last Sunday evening to commemorate the resurrection of the Lord. It consisted of responsive Scriptural reading and singing by the choir and congregation, beside the regular sermon, the theme of which was "The resurrection of Christ the keystone of our faith". The service used was prepared by the well known composer and Baptist minister, Rev. Robert Lowry, and entitled "Early in the Morning". The logical order of the responsive readings may be seen by their subjects: The Prophecy, The Death, The Burial, The Resurrection, The Argument, The Evidence, and The Faith. Without any attempt at decoration, friends brought in plants and flowers, which were placed on and around the rostrum, imparting an air of joyous freshness, beautifully emblematic of the sweet and inspiring event which the service sought to commemorate. The music and singing were all that could be desired, and linger with many like a sacred benediction. The angelic announcement to the women, "He is risen, as he said", has a glad, glad import.

Adrian reform school for girls, with a capacity of 130, is now accommodating 150. The cottage addition, to hold 65 more will be ready for occupation in a few weeks.

Adrian Record: The new court house was partially staked out this morning and work will probably be commenced next Monday. The clerk's and treasurer's office will be torn off the present old building to make room for the new. The size of the new structure will be 104x125, over all. The basement is to be 9 feet high and the water table 7 feet from the ground. The heighth of the building will be 78 feet from the water table to the top of the roof, and the tower will be 126 feet. One of the contractors, Mr. Allen is now here and is getting ready to commence active work as soon as possible.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Semi-annual meeting of the Adrian district association Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church, will be held at Tecumseh, April 23 and 24, 1884. The following is the Program:

Wednesday Afternoon, 2 o'clock.

Opening Exercise—Pres. Mrs. E. J. Benson, Adrian.
Words of Greeting—Mrs. N. R. Merritt, Tecumseh.
Response—Mrs. Cushman, Manchester.
Minutes of last Meeting—Sec. Miss Franc Baker, Adrian.
Appointment of Committees.
Essay—Mrs. A. Gillett, Grass Lake
Reports of Delegates.
Miscellaneous Business

Evening Session, 7:30.

Devotional, Rev. J. W. Campbell.
Solo—Mrs. W. J. Campbell.
Address, Sketches of Mich. Methodist Missionary Women—Miss Franc Baker, Adrian.

Thursday Morning, 9:00.

Devotional—Mrs. Atkinson, Adrian.
Miss'ry Reminiscences—Mrs. Town, Rollin.
Minutes.
Reception and Address of Fraternal Delegates.
Essay, Christ as a factor in Society—Mrs. A. C. Stalker, Ann Arbor.
Report from Auxiliaries.
Miscellaneous.

Afternoon Session, 2:00.

Young Ladies' Meeting.
Devotional Exercises—Mrs. G. W. Hudson, Tecumseh.
Recitation—Miss Minnie Miller, Adrian.
Solo—Mrs. W. B. Mumford.
Essay—Miss Mary Norton, Hudson.
Recitation—Miss Whedon, Ann Arbor.
Address—Mrs. F. D. York, Dearborn,
Miscellaneous.
Evening Session, conducted by a returned Missionary.

A general invitation is extended to all.

THE WRESTLING RING.

Last Tuesday evening being the time announced for the wrestling match between Daniel Austin and Ed. Pritchard to come off, a representative of the HERALD entered Armory Hall about 8 o'clock on that evening and found a large audience already assembled to "take in" the sport. Manager Silvers announced that the seconds had already been chosen, but no referee had been decided on, and the audience was invited to nominate some one in the house to fill the position. After considerable difficulty Frank Wilson was prevailed upon to accept it. Messrs. Silvers and Bostwick acted as seconds to Austin and Pritchard respectively, and at 8:30 the contestants for public fame (and door money,) in the wrestling ring came on the floor and were greeted by a howl of delight from those assembled.

After examining the jackets, etc., Referee Wilson called time for the first round and the struggle began. The men were pretty evenly matched, though Pritchard was somewhat the taller. After considerable "feeling" Austin succeeded in getting a lock on Pritchard and laid him on his back. The fall was declared for Austin.—Time of round 7 min.

The second round Pritchard acted on the offensive and nearly drove "Oscar Wilde" with his maneuvering. He succeeded in getting him down, but it was no fair fall.

The third round was a little int rest.

The fourth round after about 20 minutes hard work, Pritchard got a toe lock on Austin and threw him. The referee decided it was a fair fa The men were then given 20 minutes for refreshments. The audience seemed to take the hint, and in about two minutes the hall was empty and the reporter was left alone in his glory to wonder if the saloons across the road would realize enough during these 20 minutes to make up for election day last week Monday.

At 9:44 the crowd having returned time was called for the fifth round. The men seemed to be afraid of each other and had to be told several times to stand closer together. Pritchard looked pretty well winded, but Austin stood it like a second McLaughlin. Ten or fifteen minutes were given up to straddling around the ring, pounding each others shins, etc., but at last Pritchard caught Austin off his guard and tripped him down as neat as could be, and the fall was declared in favor of Pritchard, thus giving him two falls out of the three. The door receipts amounted to about $50.

Next Tuesday Austin will try Chas. Beebe another bout at catch-as-catch-can wrestling.

Slayton & Kinney have a new card this week.

He who seeks to build himself up by tearing down others, in the hope of rising on their ruins, can have little merit of his own on which to build.

The Galesburg Enterprise has passed into the hands of H. A. Brown. A. E. Marvin, its original proprietor, is going to start a paper at Addison.

Grand Rapids has a new $10,000 broom company, but the Bissell carpet sweeper company, recently burned out there at a loss of $35,000 above insurance, has not yet decided to rebuild.

C. D. Hildebrand, the reformed outlaw—personal experience and startling exposures. An illustrated lecture of prison life. Opera House, Wednesday and Thursday, April 23d and 24th.—Reserved seats now on sale at Kiel's.

Toledo, O., Journal. It is not often that a criminal who has run a headlong career of crime for 30 years turns reformer, but when he does he has a racy story to tell and some practical points to make. In this role, Mr. C. D. Hildebrand, who is personally known here, having been tried here in 1871, narrowly escaping the penitentiary, is a grand moral success.

NO SOONER, NO LATER.

The date of the Anglo American Four Combined Shows, when once fixed is never changed under any circumstances, and its railroad contracts are made months in advance of the arrival of the various advertising cars. The public is therefore warned not to be misled or confused by any future announcements, as these monster shows will positively exhibit in all its entirety, at Tecumseh, Monday, May 5.

—Adams' Novelty Store is Headquarters for Staple and Fancy Goods. Large stock of Picture Frames. Frames made to order on short notice. Crockery, Glass Ware, Tin Ware, Lamps, Looking Glasses, Bird Cages, Jewelry, Writing paper and Envelopes, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Towels, etc. A large stock of Boy's WAGONS and CARTS which it will pay you to examine before you buy.
Respectfully, W. D. ADAMS.

Please call and look at our goods. Bureaus for $5.00. Trunks for $1.00. Sewing Machines for $18.00. Spring Couches for $5.50. Baby Cabs, $2.50. Camp Rockers, with arms, $3.00. Pillow Sham Holders, $1.00. New style curtain fixtures, a splendid kind for 15 cts. including cord, at
Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh.

—We are bound to suit all; S. W. Temple sells the Ohio and Grand Rapids Plaster at the same price.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at
Brown's Art Gallery.

—Mrs. B. Jones, at her rooms over Adamson's jewelry store, has the most complete stock of Hair Goods ever brought to Tecumseh. Call and examine goods and learn prices.

—Clawson wheat has neither taste or flavor. Heck Bros. do not use it to make their flour.

—Masons and Others Attention.—Sample some of that lime sold by S. W. Temple and you will use no other.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Adrian, wishes to announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she will open a full line of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and a great variety of Millinery, also a large assortment of Hair Goods, on Wednesday afternoon of each week at the Lilley House, Sample Room, No. 22. Ladies' entrance, R. R. street. Hats made over and pressed in all the new shapes. Give her a call.

—For Gale Plows and extras call upon the only authorized agents for this vicinity.
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

—The largest assortment of Pictures, Frames, Mats and Albums, at
Brown's Art Gallery

—Slayton & Son will have a car of Agricultural Salt in a few days.—Leave your orders with them at once.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends or the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

Notice.—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Attention Ladies. Nothing will save you so much labor or give you as good satisfaction as the Champion Creamery. Call on Slayton & Son and examine them.

—Try the flour which has no Clawson wheat and you will get the best flavor and taste. Heck's flour is the kind.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

ATTORNEYS.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Insurance and Collection. Tecumseh, Mich.

EDWIN B. WOOD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Collections and Conveyancing. Office over W. & S. W. Anderson's store, Tecumseh, Mich.

C. A. STACY, Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Office in Underwood Block, Adrian, Mich.

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DRS. S. & H. W. CATLIN, Physicians and Surgeons. Office in Patterson Block, over Hughes & Co's store. Samuel Catlin, M.D., residence corner Pearl and Pottawatamie sts. H. W. Catlin, M.D., residence and office in Patterson blk. All calls promptly attended day and night.

C. M. WOODWARD, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office at Residence, Chicago St.

F. M. CONKLIN, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in Mills' Block, Chicago St.

R. B. HOUSE, M.D. O. Q. JONES, M.D. Drs. House and Jones, Physicians and Surgeons. Office over Lilley, Bidwell & Co's. Bank. Office hours. Dr. House, 1 to 3 P.M., and 7 to 8 P.M. Dr. Jones, 9 to 12 A.M., and 3 to 6 P.M. Prompt attention given to all calls in village or country day or night.

HOTELS.

SILVERS HOUSE, CLINTON, MICH., S. Erskine, Proprietor. Good sample rooms for commercial men. Rates reasonable.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS, H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery; also manufacturers of Tiffany Improved Patent Drain Tile Machine, Sword's Brick Machine, etc.

WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them, $46,138,953.30. Total premiums received, $39,631,785.47. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $6,506,567.54. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unequaled by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $18,950,000. Surplus over four per cent. reserve, $3,022,611.61.

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET, J. W. Cole, Proprietor. Dealer in Fresh and Salt Meats, Fish, Poultry, etc., Chicago St.

DAVE MACHAM, Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser. Shop on Railroad st.

CURRY & ROSWICK, Fashionable Barbers and Hair Dressers, shop in Richard's block, Chicago st.

CHAS. A. WALDRON, Veterinary Surgeon. All orders promptly attended to either by mail or in person. Office at the residence of A. S. Waldron, Tecumseh, Mich.

LILLEY HOUSE, Chicago street, Tecumseh. This house has been recently enlarged by the addition of an elegant new office on Chicago street, and the dining room has been doubled in size. Rates reasonable. W. H. Passmore, Proprietor.

BURNETT HOUSE, Toledo, Ohio. This house has lately been enlarged and refitted, with elevator and other modern improvements, and is a favorite resort for the traveling public. Rates reasonable and graded according to rooms occupied.

RICE'S TEMPERANCE HOTEL
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RATES—$1 to $1.25 per day, single meals 30c, Lodgings 35 to 50 cents.
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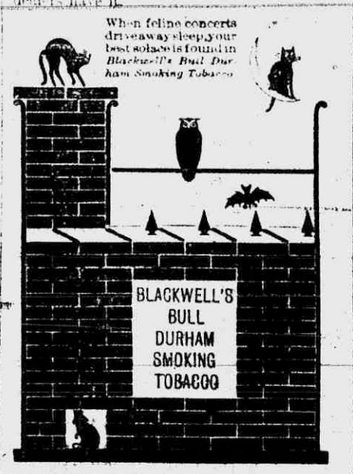

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"I git quite a procush of them things in my chain," continued the barber, with a curious nervous movement, a twitch, rather, as he informed the patient clerk, as she did not intend to purchase. "A friend asked her to look at some silks for her and get a few patterns. Mrs. Shoppington did not mention who this friend was. Possibly she referred to that relative in the suburb.

The clerk begged her pardon, but it was contrary to rules to give patterns. Mrs. Shoppington was very sorry. Her friend would be so disappointed. Then she looked at the silk again, and remarked that "that" would just suit her friend, she was sure. Now, couldn't the clerk break the rule for this once? She wouldn't ask such a thing for herself. But her friend—

The clerk relented and cut off a snip, and having done this, it was the easiest thing in the world to induce him to give patterns of three or four more pieces, for possibly, you know, her friend might prefer some one of the others to the piece which suited Mrs. Shoppington's eye.

Only a remnant.

But a solitary remnant no longer. It now had several companions, as rich and lustrous as itself.

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When she arrived home, after her day of pleasure, she opened her shopping bag, and, with face aglow with joy, displayed to the admiring family the result of her operations.

"There!" she exclaimed, triumphantly, "I've got enough now. I'm going to work on it to-morrow, and I guess you won't find another one in the city that will begin to compare with it."

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What Science Is Doing for Us.

"Clearin' up?" replied the Old Settler. "I hain't been able to see no sign o' any clearin' up yit. It usety be, b'gosh, that ye could go a little by the moon in makin' yer calc'lations 'bout things; but fur all the use the moon is now fur that, ye mowt jest ez well scoop the in'ards out'n a skim-milk cheese, light a taller dip, an' put it in it, an' hang it up on a flag pole. I ben sayin' along during this damp spell: 'Wait till the moon changes, an' this weather'll flop 'roun' with a jerk, an' we'll hev it dryer'n a temper'nce picnic, an coider'n an ic'cle off'n the North Pole.' Wal, the moon changed t'other day, but 'stid o' the weather fetchin' up with a short jerk an' takin' the back track, it just tuck to rainin' all the harder, an' gives me a durn nice record for knowin' a thing or two. I tell ye, b'gosh, that these gastrominers that's a settin' up nights all over the country, pokin' their spyglasses 'round, drawin' bead on a comet every little spell, an' wingin' a new star now an' then, an' a gossipin' 'bout what they imagine they've t'oun' out, like a lot o' ole women at a tea party, is a playin' bob with things in this mundane spear. 'Fore we know'd that they was mountains on the moon things worked all right. We know'd jist w'en to pole our beans an' stick our peas; w'en to 'spect wet weather an' w'en we was gointer hev a drout; w'en to go a fishin' an' w'en to kill our pigs. But now we're gittin' too smart, an' we don't know nothin'. 'Twon't s'prise me a durn bit to wake up some fine mornin' an' find ev'rything drowded out, or burnt up, or knocked pizzle-e-whang, by a comet gettin' on its ear. 'Twon't, b'gosh."—*N. Y. Sun.*

Only a Remnant.

Yes, only a bit of crumpled silk hid away amidst the luxuriant disorder of a lady's shopping bag. A slender slice of shimmering silk in close companionship with a dainty pocket-handkerchief, a button-hook, a very rich portemonnaie with a very poor interior, ten or twenty wrinkled hair-pins, three car-tickets, a recipe or two, a card case, and a miscellaneous assortment of caramels, gum drops, and a dreamy, complex atmosphere of patchouly and hamamelis.

Only a remnant.

But a remnant with a history, a remnant with a future full of romantic possibilities.

That remnant was *e pluribus unum*? that is to say, one of many which were to find temporary accommodation in that shopping-bag, many which were to be got by means similar to those which secured this.

But our business at present is not with them but with this one only: this solitary remnant: this silken hermit.

On the morning of the day which found this remnant in Mrs. Shoppington's shopping-bag, Mrs. S. started out bright and early, arrayed in her best attire and her most insinuating smile. This was sufficient indication that she was bent on a day of pleasure, to-wit, she was going a shopping.

Following the injunction of old, she took no scrip in her purse, or none to speak of. Money is the last thing thought of or needed to the woman on a shopping tour. There is this difference between the sexes, a man buys, a woman shops.

Mrs. Shoppington, her shopping-bag and its contents, including the remnant, the hero of our story, had just emerged from the establishment of Satinsheen & Grosgrain's. Mrs. Shoppington had been successful in that establishment. She had made a goodly beginning, and Mrs. Shoppington was happy.

She had told the clerk that she wished to look at some of his silk. She was better than her word. She looked at all the accommodating clerk showed her, and he showed her the entire stock in trade. Then she informed him that she was not ready to purchase that day. She had not come prepared to buy. Indeed she had not thought of visiting any store, being in a great hurry to visit a relative in the suburbs; but just as she was about passing the door she remembered that she wished to look at some silks, and she couldn't resist the temptation to step in for just a moment. She was very sorry she had put him to such trouble, but would the clerk give a pattern of that lovely silk upon which her eyes lingered so admiringly.

The clerk would, and he did, and hence the remnant in Mrs. Shoppington's shopping-bag, and hence her happy countenance.

But Mrs. Shoppington did not hurry away to the railway station. Possibly she had forgotten her relative in the suburbs whilst feasting her eyes upon those silken temptations, or in her joy over the remnant in her shopping bag.

For she entered the dry-goods house of Hamburg & Co., a few doors away, and went instinctively to the silk counter. She was shown several invoices of the glossy fabric, and then, as in Satinsheen & Grosgrain's, she informed the patient clerk that she did not intend to purchase. A friend asked her to look at some silks for her and get a few patterns. Mrs. Shoppington did not mention who this friend was. Possibly she referred to that relative in the suburb.

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About Pools.

"Stranger," he began, as he shoved his hat back on his head and sat down on a trunk on the platform, "what is this 'ere about these 'ere railroad pools?"

"How?"

"Wall, then, what is a railroad pool?"

"Why, a number of railroad lines put all their earnings into a bag, shake it up and divide even."

"What's that fur?"

"So that all can get a whack at business."

"An' its according to law?"

"Yes."

The man pulled his hat down, rested his elbows on his knees for a "think," which lasted three or four minutes and then suddenly arose and said:

"Stranger, I've been a 'tarnal fool!"

"How?"

"Why, thar's a chap livin' nex' door to me at hum who has allus worked four hours to my one, and who earns a dollar to my quarter, and it has never occurred to me to make him pool our wages and whack up!"—*Wall Street News.*

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Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 14 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 25 "	4 02 "
Adrian	9 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	5 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

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Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
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A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
5 20	5 05	10 10	Lv..Toledo..Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 08	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 50	6 37	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 01	6 31	11 32	....Ridgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	....Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton.....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	....Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				P. M.
10 45	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome.....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow.....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 40	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 05	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 05	8 40	1 52	....Homer.....	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 08	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 40	9 22	2 34	....Ceresco.....	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 20	9 40	2 56	....Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	....Augusta.....	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Doster.....	11 08		6 51
5 22		4 16	....Monteith....	10 49		6 15
5 29		4 27	....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	....Kellogg.....	10 33		5 40
		4 45	Ar Allegan Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.				A. M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 30
Romulus	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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GOING NORTH. No. 2. Express.	No. 4. Accom.	No. 6. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A.M.	P. M.	
5 40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
5 45	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 26	1 39	4 48
5 53	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
6 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 30
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 22
6 25	2 57	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
6 30	3 05	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
6 43	3 23	9 04	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
6 53	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
7 08	3 59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
7 10	4 06	9 30	Milan	8 05	12 08	3 22
7 15		9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
					A.M.	
7 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
7 32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
7 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
8 00	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 05	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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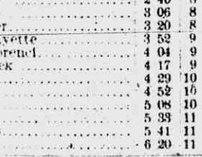

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A Clerical Anecdote.

In the *Century*, Rev Dr. Charles S. Robinson continues his discussion of the annoyances and humors of the musical service in churches, and relates this anecdote: "Glorious Easter was at hand and great preparations were made in the rural parish for its celebration; boughs were twined in the arches of the building; flowers swung in wreaths overhead and shone in beautiful baskets among the aisles; children had been rehearsing carols. All the town came in on that notable morning. It was a scene never to be forgotten. The minister was radiant; his eyes beamed with delight. But a thought struck him: this audience, so happy, so generous, so enthusiastic—would they not hear him a moment for a stroke of business? After the invocation and the first song, he surprised them with a proposition to bring 'Easter offerings' now at once to God's altar, and lift the dear old church out of debt: oh, then there would be a resurrection! The congregation would come up from under its great stone into a new life if they would roll it away! Then the plates went their course, and hearts were touched, and purses were emptied, and the heaps of money lay before the moistened eyes of the relieved pastor as he tremulously thanked a good God for his people's fidelity in response. 'The money is here, I am sure it is,' he exclaimed. 'If there be a little in arrears it can be made up in a day, and now we are ready heartily to go on with the worship of our risen Lord.' So the fixed programme proceeded. A little German had been procured from the metropolis for an annex to the tenor: his solo came in at t is exact crisis of grateful emotion: he rendered it with a fresh aplomb, though the consonants were awkward: 'An' de *det* sall be raised—de *det* sall be raised—an' de *det*—an' de *det*—sall be raised—sa'l e raised in de twinkling of an ay-ee!'

"Now it is quite safe to say that after the congregation went home, the theme of the day was dissipated, and the two events uppermost in everybody's mind were the surprise which the eager minister had sprung upon the people, and the ridiculous appropriateness of the declamatory solo which followed it. On general principles, we have no objection to the collection of money to discharge religious obligation, even in divine service; but it does seem a pity that a humorous episode should be the chief reminiscence of such a solemn occasion."

Pauperizing Cattle.

One of the religious papers, dealing with the subject of mission work in the Western States and Territories, draws an illustration from the experience of men who know all about cattle: In New Mexico, Colorado and Wyoming Territory, and all along those lines of longitude, millions of cattle subsist through all the winter seasons on the native grass without being fed. The cattle kings of Wyoming told me when I was laboring there that, from the severity of some of their winters, they lost from three to five per cent. of their cattle. I asked why they did not keep a supply of hay to help the weaklings through. "Give them hay and they quit work, and their example tends to demoralize the herd—cheaper to let them die." A friend of mine in Nevada, who had a stock ranch, told me once, in the severity of a hard winter, he bought a stack of hay to tide his weakly cattle through a cold snap. His supply of hay was not at all adequate to the length of the winter season, but would sustain life till the snow should pass away and allow the cattle access to the grass; but, to his great disappointment, all the cattle admitted to the hay-stack lay down by it as soon as they filled themselves. Then when hunger returned they would walk to the water-trough and drink, and return to the hay-stack and eat. Thus they spent their days till the hay was all devoured, and there, one by one, they lay down and died.

The next winter was also very severe, and my friend saw that he was likely again to lose a large number of cattle, but, having learned a lesson of wisdom on the distribution of charity, he determined to adopt a different method: so he procured a supply of hay, but kept it entirely out of sight of the herd, and during the very severe weather, he had each "cowboy" sling two bundles of hay across his shoulder, and have them hang down fore and aft of his body, so as to attract the attention of the cattle, and pass quietly among them as they were scattered widely over the plains, and when they found one in a starving condition, just to lay down a little hay and pass on. In that way he did not pauperize, but he did vitalize and keep his needy cattle to work on the line of self-support. He did not lose one that winter.

The Care of Callas.

Now this, I judge, is the scientific treatment to give the calla. Let it have rest from June to September, but do not suffer its rootlets to die or become withered. Look closely at a calla root. It is like a cord of flesh, and each delicate hair is a mouth, through which nourishment is to be drawn for the plant. If the bulb is found stripped of its live and healthy rootlets when time for repotting comes, then two or three months will be taken in supplying a new network before there will be any extra energy to put into blossoms. Here is seen the error of the "drying process." It is a waste of strength and time to suffer the roots to become impaired.

The method I have employed for years is to place the pots outdoors in their erect position, thus insuring to them the watering of the dew and occasional rains, no more, unless there be a long drouth, during which they should be sometimes sprinkled. In September the plants, having then one or two short leaves, are repotted, taking care to preserve all the healthy roots uninjured; regular watering is commenced; two or three new leaves are thrust out and blossoms are secured within a month after repotting. Few callas, under the "drying process," will blossom before January or February. Under the plan here advocated, the "resting process," they are secured in October, and are produced during the longer period in equal plenty and luxuriance.

I have had thirteen blossoms within a twelve-month from a single bulb with but one crown and stalk. Who can show better results than this? I do not permit the younger bulbs to grow, but force all the strength of the plant into one stalk, and am repaid by having my lilies come in pairs, two out of each blossom leaf, one generally showing itself before the other is gone. With my five pots, of a single stalk each, I have had seven blossoms in sight at once, and never less than three.

Single stalks grow in greater luxuriance, producing larger blooms and leaves. By crowding the pots with many stalks, more blossoms will be secured from the same space at your window, but they will be of an inferior order. The true window gardener is not anxious to have so many plants, but strong, and large, and blooming ones. Give me one large calla that blossoms freely rather than a dozen tiny pots.

Do not water callas at the bottom; for no matter how warm the water is, it will be cold when it reaches the roots. It is better to use as warm as the hand will bear, and pour in at the top, letting the old and cold water run off at the bottom. The whole pot is then thoroughly warmed through. Use as little water as may be, else the richness of the earth will be carried off by that which escapes. A little ammonia in the water adds greatly to the vigor and productiveness of the plant.—*N. Y. Independent.*

Glass Printing-Plates.

Many as are the automatic engraving processes that have been proposed from time to time, and successful as some of them have proved when worked with a combination of skill and capital, it is not unlikely that many possible, and even practical methods are destined to make their appearance as years roll on. We have now before us the first number of the *Australian Graphic*, of November 24, 1883, published at Sydney, which forcibly illustrates the fact that there is yet another process available other those hitherto in use. This journal is unique, inasmuch as the whole of its seven full pages of illustration are printed (with type) from relief blocks on glass, at an ordinary letter-press machine. To this first issue we are indebted for the following description:

"The inventor of the process, Mr. Samuel Henry Croker, formerly of Rallton, Tasmania, but now of Sydney, devoted himself for some years to considering how the pictorial press could be supplied with a cheap, rapid and durable means of reproducing drawings. After careful study of current methods, and almost incessant experiment, he at last resolved to take as the basis of a new process the erosive action of fluoric acid on glass. Various metallic substances suggested themselves to the inventor as the material to be engraved, but were rejected in favor of glass, for the reason that the fluoric acid has a vertical or deepening effect only on glass, while in the case of metals it has a lateral or undermining influence as well. And, in point of cost, besides, glass has the very great advantage over all other substances of being inexpensive. To adapt the engraved plate to typographical purposes, it has to be mounted on an iron block, the cementing material being one of the registered features of the process. Thus fixed, it is 'type-high' and ready for printing from. At first sight glass appears too brittle a substance to pass through the printing-machine, but experiment has proved the contrary, and it was not found necessary to carry out the inventor's first intention to print from electrotypes taken of the glass. Not only has experience proved that the risk of fracturing the glass in printing is reduced to a minimum, but it has also shown that the glass has decided superiority over the boxwood used by wood-engravers, in that it is not affected by any variation of temperature. The finer portions of wood-engraving are subject, too, to deterioration through the pressure and damping involved in printing; but the most delicate engraving on glass, will appear as vivid and exact at the last copy of a large impression as at the first."—*Printing Times.*

Courtesy in Public Places.

It is a lamentable fact that one can hardly enter a horse-car, or go to any public place without seeing flagrant disregard of the rules of good manners, and that, too, not only in people who are not expected to know better, but often in the behavior of richly dressed women who doubtless call themselves ladies. The error and vulgarisms alluded to are frequently committed through thoughtlessness or ignorance, and those who are guilty of these improprieties would, doubtless, be surprised and shocked if they were aware of the estimate placed upon them and their breeding by people who formed their opinion from some little act, tone or movement which had wholly escaped their attention. For example, a richly dressed woman enters a crowded car. A gentleman rises and offers her his seat. She takes it without the slightest sign of gracious acknowledgment. We immediately say, mentaly: "She has no manners, no courtesy." She places a small coin between her teeth or lips, showing her want of delicacy, refinement and neatness; but without enumerating the disagreeable things often seen, let us, for the benefit of those who may wish to improve, mention a few common rules of good breeding which are, alas! too often ignored by those who should know better.

It is vulgar to do or say anything that attracts attention. Loud laughing is in very bad taste. Loud conversation while walking with a friend in the street, shopping, or riding in a horse-car, displays a great want of refinement and of good sense. Besides the odiousness of making one's self conspicuous in this way, it is really dangerous, as no one knows what foul germs of disease concealed in the dust of the streets may blow into the mouth, and, lodging in the warm, moist throat, germinate, giving rise to disease, if not to death. For the sake of health as well as decency, therefore, it is better to keep the mouth shut as much as possible. The same considerations will lead a lady to wear a veil. Never talk of personal or private affairs in public places; no one knows who may be your listeners. To speak of your own affairs in public is imprudent and vulgar; to speak of your friends' affairs in public is rude and impertinent. The same remark applies to postal-cards.—*The Household.*

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MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Not a vacant house or store in Laingsburg.

Postoffice established at Luna, Lapeer county.

Forty electric lights will illuminate Jackson by May 1.

Monroe cornet band will dazzle beholders in new suits costing $800.

Corner stone of the new Kalamazoo courthouse will be laid July 4.

Petoskey's new dock is ready for business when the ice leaves the bay.

Battle Creek has a boys' brass band, all its members being under 16.

Settled that Battle Creek will have a street car line to Cognac lake.

C. W. Stevens has bought Gale Bros. stock of hardware at Eaton Rapids.

Western Michigan bee keepers will hold their spring meeting at Berlin, April 24.

H. O. Rose, of Petoskey, has contracted to furnish Grand Rapids parties with 25,000 barrels of lime this year.

Gordon Payne, 10-years-old, son of Reuben Payne, Eaton Rapids, has been missing from home since Monday.

Edward Antrim, once a respected citizen of Grand Rapids, has been sentenced to Ionia for 60 days for stealing an overcoat.

Wm. Fewlass left Mecosta three days ago for Moon's camp, riding a log, on the river. He hasn't got there yet, and it is supposed he is drowned.

Thomas Tremberth was killed and Nicholas Johns blinded, by a blast at the Calumet & Hecla mine, Thursday. The former leaves eight children.

"Uncle Daniel" Goss, a resident of Eaton county for 40 years and a wealthy bachelor, is dead. He leaves no heirs.

Orin Carpenter, dead at Ypsilanti, lived there since 1833 and was one of the charter members of the episcopal church.

Saginaw City methodists have decided to build a new church, to cost about $70,000 and be completed within two years.

Miss Mary Conold, of Kalamazoo, has taken the black veil, at Big Rapids, under the name of Sister Mary Augustine.

Eureka commandery No. 3, knights templar, of Hillsdale, elected officers for the year, Tuesday with Geo. W. Mosher as eminent commander.

The oil excitement at Roscommon continues, and property is changing hands at a lively rate. It is estimated that the well struck will yield 40 barrels per day.

Mrs. Orin A. Derby, of Greenville, was the only one of the original founders present at the semi-centennial of the presbyterians' just celebrated at Niles.

Evidence of the approaching presidential campaign is found in the fact that M. B. Eaton & Co., of Otsego, have orders for one million torch-light handles.

A. I. Beckley, of Battle Creek, has invented a new cot bed on which he has applied for a patent. He will build a factory, employing 20 men for their manufacture.

Jos. C. Heffron, of Lapeer, dismissed from the Pontiac insane asylum as cured, finds that property he formerly possessed worth $1,000 is missing, and asks the courts to help him hunt it up.

A man having letters on his person addressed to D. F. McNickel, Ray, Steuben Co., Ind., was beheaded by the cars at Grand Junction, Van Buren Co., yesterday. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide.

R. B. Caruss, of St. Johns, reports sheep in a very bad condition. He thinks "the loss in sheep within Clinton county will be at least 20 per cent. The loss at the present time in lambs is at least 50 per cent. Two firms in St. Johns have bought about 1,800 sheep pelts since January 1, 1884." He thinks the loss is due to the poor quality of hay.

THE LADIES' FLORAL CABINET, NEW YORK, has among the illustrated articles in its March number two that render it especially attractive. One, on its first page, of a scarlet Lily, the blossoms of which range themselves in a circle at the top of the flower-stalk, making a gorgeous crown. The other of a Floral Arch, illustrating one of the ways by which the lawn can be ornamented aside from bedding arrangements. Various interesting papers are contributed by well-known writers. Mr. Wm. Falconer, formerly superintendent of the Harvard Botanical Gardens, describes how a garden can be made beautiful with a few flowers collected from the woods and meadows. F. Lance tells us of the novelties among Roses grown in this country and abroad. E. D. Stutevant has some interesting facts to give about "Yellow Water Lillies," a subject on which he is an authority. In the department of Home Decorations only such novelties in fancy-work are shown as are easy of execution and require small outlay for materials, a feature which commends it to all ladies. As the season is at hand when Spring Flower Gardens must be made, it is timely to say to our readers that the publishers of the FLORAL CABINET send this year, post free, to every yearly subscriber Two Everblooming Roses, or Ten packets of Choice Flower Seeds. As before stated, any of our readers may have a copy of the CABINET for examination at half price (six cents), by mentioning this paper. Address, Ladies' Floral Cabinet, 22 Vesey Street, New York.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending April 9th.

CLINTON.

Thos. T. Romyen to Francis C. Rector, S ½ n w ¼ sec 18. $6,400.

FRANKLIN.

N. A. Howland to C. H. Pangborn. Land on sec 5. $150.

TECUMSEH.

Welcome Sherman to Laura A. Wilson. Land in village. $600.

J. W. Patterson to N. M. Sutton. Land on sec 33. $8,956.20.

Orrin R. Picket, U. S. expressagent, of LeRoy, Osceola county, was chloroformed, and robbed of $400 by burglars in his room at the Westfall house, Sunday night.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unclaimed for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 15, 1884:

Boulton, Nannie	Hoag, Bethany N.
Fraize, Lena	Ingel, Emilie
Halks, Aletta	Millson, Maggie
Hamilton, Libbie	Osborne, Eliza Ann.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples ℔ barrel	1 25 @ 2 00
Apples, dried, ℔ ℔	@ 04
Butter ℔ ℔	25 @ 27
Barley ℔ bushel	50 @ 60
Beans ℔ bushel	2 25 @ 2 50
Buckwheat ℔ bushel	75 @ 80
Buckwheat Flour, ℔ hundred	@ 5 00
Beef—dressed, ℔ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 07
Calf Skins, ℔ ℔	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	30 @ 35
Corn—shelled, ℔ bushel	56 @ 60
Clover Seed	5 25 @ 5 30
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs ℔ doz	@ 12
Flour ℔ barrel	6 00 @ 7 00
Hogs—dressed ℔ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ℔ cwt	4 75 @ 5 50
Hay, ℔ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey ℔ ℔	@ 15
Ham ℔ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ℔ ℔	@ 10
Oats ℔ bushel	28 @ 35
Onions, ℔ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes, ℔ bushel	33 @ 35
Salt ℔ barrel	@ 1 30
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy seed, ℔ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed ℔ ℔	@ 10
Wool, ℔ ℔	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ℔ bushel	@ 90
Wheat, Red, ℔ bushel	@ 90

PSALMS.

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3. Be thou not afraid when your family is sick, or you have Bright's disease or Liver Complaint, for Hop Bitters will cure you.

4. Both low and high, rich and poor know the value of Hop Bitters for bilious, nervous and Rheumatic complaints.

5. Cleans me with Hop Bitters and I shall have robust and blooming health.

6. Add disease upon disease and let the worst come, I am safe if I use Hop Bitters.

7. For all my life have I been plagued with sickness and sores, and not until a year ago was I cured, by Hop Bitters.

8. He that keepeth his bones from aching from Rheumatism and Neuralgia, with Hop Bitters, doeth wisely.

9. Though thou hath sores, pimples, freckles, salt rheum, erysipelas, blood poisoning, yet Hop Bitters will remove them all.

10. What woman is there, feeble and sick from female complaints, who desireth not health has used Hop Bitters and is made well.

11. Let not neglect to use Hop Bitters bring on serious Kidney and Liver complaints.

12. Keep thy tongue from being furred, thy blood pure, and thy stomach from indigestion by using Hop Bitters.

13. All my pains and aches and disease go like chaff before the wind when I use Hop Bitters.

14. Mark the man who was nearly dead and given up by the doctors after using Hop Bitters and becometh well.

15. Cease from worrying about nervousness, general debility, and urinary trouble, for Hop Bitters will restore you.

ESTATE OF JAMES MILLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Miller, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Thomas Miller a son of said deceased praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Alexander W. Miller, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. apr17

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April A.D., 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of May, A.D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8) of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county, and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 13-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Exchange Hotel lot; thence west on the south line of that lot, three and 18-100 chains to the J. B. Hoag lot, (now Marsh lot); thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated April 15th 1884.

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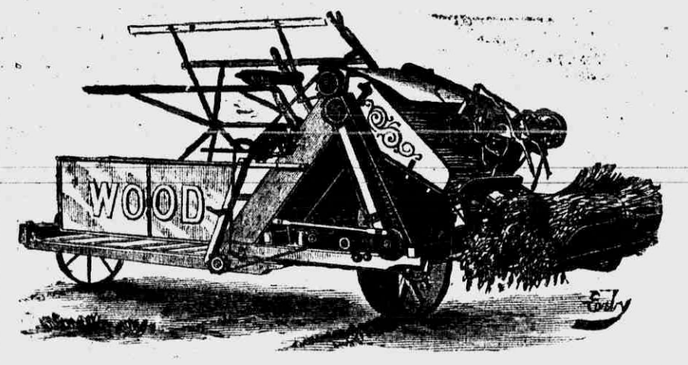

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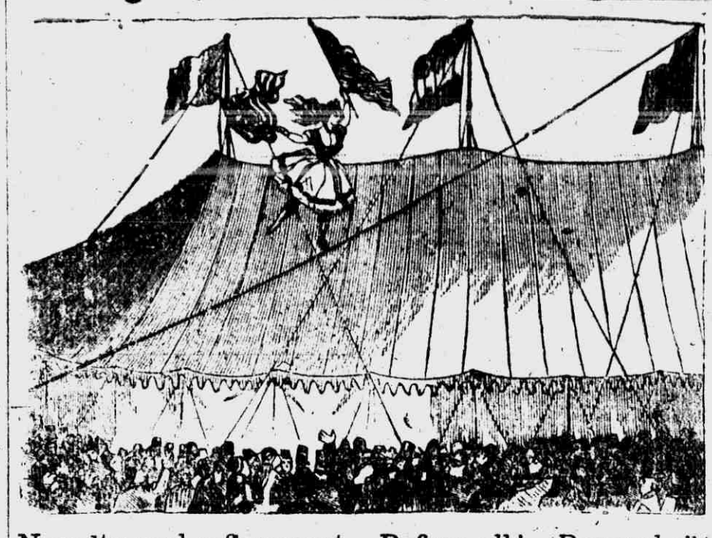

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The Tecumseh Herald.

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CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Now the gardener planteth the leeks and the onions

Net proceeds of the Blue Ribbon entertainment, $27.40.

E. R. Smith is in New York, buying a spring stock of goods.

Chas. Fisk, of Detroit, was in town the latter part of last week.

Now the small boy stops and gazes at the pretty pictures on the fences and buildings. Circus in Tecumseh, May 5th.

Prof. Hammond, of Tecumseh, visited this town last Saturday.

Some of the many friends of Rev Joseph St. John, surprised him with many nice things and some money, last Thursday night.

Hiram Mills, who owns a large ranch in California, is here and on his farm in Bridgewater, and will remain here during the summer.

John T. Clark, in putting down his drive well struck a vein of Anthracite coal six inches thick. The well is now down 80 feet. The old stone well by the side of it was about 40 ft. deep.

Frank Schmitt, brother to Cris., has just arrived from Bruchsal Baden. He will hereafter make his home in the land of the "free and the brave" and of high tariff. He is not like Bismark; he likes the American hog. He can as yet sprechen dutch only.

Charles Parker, who was home for some time with an attack of rheumatism, has recovered and returned to Detroit last Thursday. He is with Root & Co.

Harry Williams, of the firm of The Detroit Music Co., was in town last Friday and Saturday with samples of band instruments. He was here for the purpose of selling the band boys a new set.

Edwin Stansfield, who has been west this last winter, started with his family for Des Moines, Iowa, last Monday. He will make that place his future home.

Those that claim to know all about it, say that the eclipse of the moon this month has been the cause of the late cold weather. We don't pretend to be posted in such matters, but if it is true it is laying a fearful responsibility and the cause of not a few swear words on a shadow.

The low price of wheat brings that cereal in slowly. The crop on the ground for this time of the year is not up to an average in this section.

John Palmer's family, which has been boarding with Mrs. Howell the past winter, has moved back into the Bradner house.

The new council met Monday night and placed the bonds for liquor dealers at $3,500. The bonds last year were $5,000 under which but one saloon was licensed, although it is said by those who claim to know, that under the names of "budge" and birch and pop, something with a stronger smell than these harmless beverages ought to have, was sold in several places. Public sentiment has changed this year and all such places will be licensed and the money put on the streets. The Council has also appointed George Haggart marshall for the coming year.

The entertainment given by the Band last Friday evening was greeted with a very good audience. The play was "Out in the Streets," and as this was the third time the company has played it, they had become quite proficient in the parts. Cos. Davis as "North Carolina Pete" did some very good "ebony" business, and the acting of Miss Lina Jones was worthy a larger stage and better surroundings. A pleasing feature of the entertainment was a quartette—a parody on "Paddy Duffy's Cart" with the "Old Band" as a subject—written and sung by Charley Keyser with a chorus of gentlemen. This gentleman can be complimented on his muse and the commendable manner in which the song was sung. The receipts were about $30

More trouble for the woolen mill and no prospect of its starting soon. It is well known that some of the minority stockholders have long been dissatisfied with the way the mill has been running, and they have recently filed a bill in the Court of Chancery setting forth their grievances. The bill charges the present management with mis-management and violation of the corporation laws, and asks that a receiver may be appointed, the property sold, and the proceeds divided among the stockholders. What the evidence will bring forth, remains to be seen. In the mean time, the mill remains idle, the machinery rusts and Clinton's white elephant grows larger and larger each day.

It is rumored that Clinton will struggle with Tecumseh in a wrestling match within the next 60 days. Clinton's champion is of large stature and caliber as to stomach, and he will wrestle a prominent citizen of Tecumseh; stakes $200 a side, $50 forfeit. We do not know whether the rules allow it or not, but would suggest that the contestants come in to the arena well padded; also that a derrick be erected with a log-chain attachment to use in case of an emergency. According to the Clinton Champion the P. C. of T. will stand no chance of winning the match, and, unlike Banquo's ghost, will "down" before the ability and ponderous strength of his opponent. Our man, at the conclusion of this match, will challenge any one in the world for any amount of money. We suppress the names of these contestants. But if this paragraph excites curiosity in the minds of the curious, they may be able to get some particulars from Dr. Joseph C. Burroughs.

HOLLOWAY HAPPENINGS

Why does not spring stop its fooling, and come along.

The Dayton Hedge Co. will put out fence this spring for our enterprising farmers. Geo. Holloway, Horace Holdridge, and the Boyd Bros., we understand, have invested.

New and commodious sheds are being erected at the church by our village carpenters, Wright and Lewis.

The people of Holloway, have, at last awakened to the necessity of improving the road to the corners. A large tile drain will be put in immediately. The tile are on the ground and work began last Monday. A part of the expense will be defrayed by money already subscribed; it is expected that the township will assume the remainder. Of course it is now in order for the chronic croaker and stingy tax payer to toot his horn. Who will be first to give us a blast?

On last Monday morning a mild specimen of a lunatic rolled out of his nest in Dr. Begel's barn where he had spent the night. A short time after, he appeared at Mac Sleeper's house where he favored the family with a long and eloquent prayer. Mac heard his supplication, gave him bread to eat, and then invited him out to toil a little at the wood pile. Here he gave strong evidences of insanity, by his continuing long and hard work till the middle of the afternoon. He took his departure soon after, no one knows where.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Spring apathy disappears before a day of sunshine, and a move-on mania seems to possess the town.

Buildings that began the village are being transformed into wall-flowers, to make room for new, and a general dissatisfaction with what was, and is, pervades the minds of those who rent homes. The want of houses, built to accommodate people encumbered with children, is a serious inconvenience. The law and the land-lord are especially severe with owners of babies. They may drown them, and they cannot hire a house unless the little ones are non-est. The worst old tumbledown hut to be found is considered too good to be marred by children, and if some one would invest for these unwanted tenants, a shell, to be worn snail-fashion, he could do an immense business, whether wheat goes up or down. The question is not is the mother neat and orderly, or the father addicted to closing doors with his boot-heels, but its have they got children? It is a short catechism, but how it spoils the disposition, hampers enterprise, narrows trade and village growth. Ten families might be admitted into our precincts if they had no children, and some already here are in danger of joining the exodus because of them. Yet, it is men, with large families, who are supposed to work for their maintainance, and who must buy largely from merchant and butcher wherever they find employment.

Now that we are near the throes of a Presidential election, it does seem as if a protective tariff or high license for this branch of hewers, is a public necessity.

Reform is the order here. One business firm of long standing, has become new in title, and one has divided and multiplied.

The Post-office is now the termination of Ennis block, but it may not be next week, as that side of the street is endowed with mushroom proclivities and presents a solid front to the public from corner to street turn and the end is not yet

RIDGEWAY RACKET

What about our grist mill?

Now is the time for the large road scrapers

The farmers are very busy getting in their oats.

Supervisor Lowe is calling on every property-owner for this year's assessment.

Miss Louisa Smith is suffering severly from a nervous derangement.

One of the M. & O. fence-builders came to Dr. D. W. Loree with a smashed finger last Tuesday.

An infant child of Jacob Suydam died last week. The remains were taken to Dundee for burial.

Eddie Helm is quite sick with inflamatory rheumatism.

The Ridgeway items in the Tecumseh News last week mixed things up generally to the amusement of the readers of the sample copies.

Quite a number from this way attended the District Foreign Women's Missionary meeting at Tecumseh this week

Rev. Wm. M Campbell is giving a series of discourses on the history of the temperance reformation. The movement led by father Mathew was the subject last sabbath evening

MACON MUSIC.

Macon Grange No 167 will meet in regular session on Friday the 25th. inst., at 7½ o'clock P. M. All members are requested to be present, as important business will come before the meeting.

M. J. MARTIN, W. M.

The next open grange meeting will be on Friday May 2, at 7½ o'clock P.M. The following full program is expected to be carried out.

Opening Song—Choir
Recitation—Camilla Mead
Inst. music—Mettie Miller
Recitation—Georgia Baker.
Song—Mrs. J. W. Osborn.
Reading—Miss Susie M. Osgood.
Declamation—Albert Boyce
Inst. music—Mrs. Fred Miller
Reading—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Essay—Miss Sarah L. Hunt.
Song—Miss Nellie Boyce.
Recitation—Miss Maggie Clarkson.
Reading—M. J. Martin.
Inst. music—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Recitation—Emma Baley.
Essay—C. E. Triplet.
Song—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Address—Rev. E. W. Borden. Subject—Our World. Some of its wonders and beauties.
Closing Song—Choir.

MACON MOLECULES.

Wm. Langon is improving the looks of his lot by building a new fence in front.

Thomas Quarton has sold his farm, 40 acres to Isaiah Hendershot, and 80 to Mr. Wallace of Oakland Co. Mr. Quarton has purchased a large farm near Birmingham, and will soon remove there. Mr. Quarton is a highly respected citizen, and one whom Macon can ill afford to lose.

Miss Helm, of Tecumseh, commenced teaching in the Mills district last week.

Our supervisor, Mr. Gilmore, is now busy taking the assessment.

Asa Smith and his brother intend to run a meat market at Ridgeway. Success to them.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Did you see the balloon last Saturday?

School commenced in district No. 8 last Monday, with Master Chas. Marr as teacher, who is probably the youngest school master in the county.

James Mason and Anson Ayres have purchased a threshing out fit for $1600 and calculate on having one of the best rigs in the state.

Mr. Azor Blowers a much respected citizen died on the 22nd inst. that being his 70th birthday. Death came quite sudden, but not entirely unexpected.

A temperance lecture was delivered at the M. E. Church last Sabbath eve. by Rev. Mr. Sutton of Adrian.

W. H. Smith has been doing quite a business in the harness line the past week.

But few oats will be sown in this locality this week too cold.

B. J. Bidwell, of Tecumseh, Mich., reports the following sales of Short Horn cattle from his herd.

To J. A. Bonine, Vandalia, Cass Co. Mich., bull, Breadalbane 13th, No. 50,234, Creadalbane 2d, 37,792, out of Myrtle; Vol. 14th.

To T. J. Wildy & Johnstone, of Leslie, Mich., bull, Breadalbane 9th, No. 45,514, by Breadalbane 2d, 37,792, out of Queen; Vol. 12th.

To T. J. Shipman, Albion, Mich., bull, Mazurka's Oxford 36th, No. 52,765, by Mazurka's Oxford 29th, 39,964, out of Minnie 8th; Vol. 21st.

To same, short Horn Cow, Nell 4th, by Breadalbane 2d, 37,792, out of Nell 3d, Vol. 19th, by Mazurka's Oxford, 12,428.

Some fine ones left and for sale now.

The regular mail train on the M. & O. is the midday train east and west which carries all local mails. In addition to this, a closed mail is sent to Toledo on the morning train at 9:57, and one is received from Toledo at 6:41 P. M. This arrangement gives four mails daily on the M. & O. The closed mail between here and Toledo is a great convenience.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Scarlet fever is increasing at Battle Creek

Henry Howard will erect a new sea side resort at Huronia Beach

House of Mr. Benjamin, with contents, burned at Ada last week.

Paw Paw council votes to put the saloonkeepers' bonds at $4,500.

Perry, Shiawassee county, congregationalists will have a $3,500 church.

A club has been organized at Paw Paw for the protection of game and fish

Mrs. Rachel Peck, mother of Rev. Henry Peck, of Albion, died at Cassopolis last week, aged 86.

A Cincinnati syndidate has bought 568 acres at New Mission, on Grand Travers bay, for a summer resort.

Lapeer county sheep breeders and wool growers' club will hold its first annual festival at Metamora, May 6.

Noah Stinchcomb, a young man living north of Charlotte, has been removed to the Kalamazoo insane asylum.

Michael May, wife and child were poisoned recently, at Evart, with canned corn beef. Mrs. M. is still very sick.

Edward St. Arnold, a Frenchman of L'Anse lived 95 years, only to perish by falling into an air hole on the bay.

Second annual convention of the lumberman's missionary association of Michigan, will be held at Bay City, April 29.

C. T. Chapin, formally proprietor of the Cadillac News, will open a large book and job printing office at Cadillac about May 1.

The maple sugar season is over at Nashville, which is in the heart of Michigan's best sugar territory, and the export is very light.

A Port Huron carpenter says he can purchase lumber in Saginaw and ship it to that city 20 per cent cheaper than he can buy it in Port Huron.

Crepin, Murphy & Co., of Whitehall, have sold the entire cut of their mill for 1884, about 30,000,000 feet, to the Chicago lumber company, for some $500,000.

The tramp nuisance is growing very serious about Marshall, some 40 have been sent to jail during the winter, and they are regarded as dangerous citizens.

Calhoun county fairs have been held at Marshall long enough, Battle Creek thinks, and the latter burg has decided to erect suitable buildings and hold the fair there this fall.

An editor of the Norway Iron Chronicle grows dizzy over being presented with a basket of radishes and lettuce, and says they were "as fresh, tender and sweet as the bloom on a maiden's cheek."

The result of the different suggestions will be a bill by Congressman Cutcheon calling for $250,000 for a branch national soldiers' home for Michigan, to which all disabled soldiers shall be eligible for admission.

Dr. Daniel Clark, a physician in the deaf and dumb institution at Flint since its foundation, untill recently, died of inflamation of the bowels. He was pension examiner for 20 years, and member of the school board for 22 years.

A steamboat is now built at Bay City, which will be the largest wooden steamer on fresh water. Her extreme length is 305 feet, length of keel 285, breadth of beam 40, depth of hold 22, lower hold 12, between decks 10. About 1,500,000 feet of white oak and 300,000 feet of pine will be used in her construction. She will be able to carry 3,000 tons of ore, 100,000 bushels of corn, or 2,000,000 feet of lumber and will cost $150,000.

Jacob Brumm, the young farmer of near Charlotte, recently discovered to be a forger, is so ill from the expose that it is not considered safe to proceed with the arrest. The case is a remarkable one, as by industry and good habits Brumm had inspired perfect confidence throughout the community. His brother-in-law, Jacob Upright, a responsible farmer, had signed his notes, and they aggregate 18, amounting to $7,000. The money thus obtained is not yet accounted for.

Henry Willis, of Battle Creek, is a sort of Michigan Lesseps. He is now 80 years old, has been at work four years to get a canal, 112 feet wide and 10 feet deep, built from Lake Michigan to Lake Erie. Such a canal, he says, would admit vessels of 1,000 tons burden, and if built where he suggests, would drain a million of acres of swamp land, making the best of soil for cultivation. He is not in the least discouraged, but is still confident that he will live to see boats crossing southern Michigan.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 24, 1884.

ME AND MARY.

All my feelin's in the spring
Gits so blame contrary
I can't think of anything
Only me and Mary!
"Me and Mary" all the time,
"Me and Mary" like a rhyme,
Keeps a-singin' on till I'm
Sick of "Me and Mary!"

"Me and Mary! Ef us two
Only was together—
Flyin' like we used to do
In the April weather!"
All the night and all the day
I keep wishin' thataway
Til I'm gittin' old and gray
Jest on "Me and Mary!"

Muddy git along the pike
Sence the winter's frozen,
And the orchard's blackard like
"Bloomin" out this season:
Only heard one bluebird yit—
Nary robin nor tomtit:
What's the how and why of it?
S'pect it's "Me and Mary!"

Me and Mary liked the birds—
That is, Mary sorto'
Liked 'em fust, and afterwards
Why I thought I orto.
And them birds—ef Mary stood
Right here with me like she should—
They'd be singin, them birds would,
All for me and Mary.

Birds or not, I'm hopin' some
I can git to plowin'
Ef the sun'll only come,
And the Lord allow it,
Guess to morry I'll turn in
And git down to work agin;
This here loafersin' won't win
Not for me and Mary!

For a man that loves like me,
And is afeard to name it,
Till some other feller, he
Gits the girl—dad-blame it!
Wet or dry, or cloud or sun—
Winter gone, or jest begun—
Out-door work for me or mine,
No more "Me and Mary!"

—*J. W. Riley, in Indianapolis Journal.*

MY FAIR ROAD COMPANION.

At Perote, where we halted for a relay and refreshments, all my fellow-passengers took leave of me, very solemnly assuring me that, if assailed by the ladrones or robbers, it would be much better for me to take matters quietly, and suffer myself to be gentlemanly plundered than to run the risk of having my throat cut for resistance, as I had somewhat boldly proclaimed it was my intention of doing. I thanked them for their advice, and replied that I would take the matter into serious consideration.

At Perote, I repeat, all who had been my companions from Vera Cruz took leave of me, this being the end of their journey in that direction; but there was one new passenger here to go forward, whom, to my agreeable surprise, I found to be a beautiful young lady, some twenty years of age.

Senorita Paula, as I subsequently ascertained her name to be, was indeed one of those rare beauties seldom met with except in works of fiction—tall, graceful, with a profusion of long, black hair—soft, clear, melting dark eyes—features as perfect as ever came from the hands of the sculptor, and with an animation the most fascinating—varying in expression with every changing mood of the intellectual possessor. A glance at her bewitching dark eyes showed me that she was one who was naturally of a social disposition; and as we rattled away from the gloomy town, I took the liberty of opening a conversation.

"They tell me," said I, "that the route between here and Mexico is a very dangerous one to travel."

"There is little to fear," she replied, with a sweet smile and in a melodious tone, "except from the professional robbers, and they seldom harm any one who makes no resistance."

"It seems strange to me," I rejoined, "that you Mexicans should take such things as a matter of course, and deem resistance a very impolite way of treating the knights of the road, instead of boldly asserting your rights and abating the evil by a manly spirit of resistance. For myself, I must consider it the most cowardly of proceedings for any respectable party to set out prepared to quietly gratify the cupidity of the *ladrones*, and unprepared to treat them to their just deserts."

"Every traveler, senor," she replied, "should, before setting out, count the cost of his journey; and, as of course, it is natural he should value his life highly, it seems to me natural that he should pay a certain sum for positive safety, rather than put that life in jeopardy. For instance, in traveling from Vera Cruz to Mexico, if he will first reckon that so much is the fare by the diligencia, and that so much will be required for entertainment on the way, and so much for the contingency you speak of, he will then have the exact cost between the two points; and if he will look at the whole, as the sum total of his journey he will not seem to be robbed by any one party more than another."

"That," I replied, "may be, I believe is, the Mexican mode of doing business, but does not tally with the preconceived ideas of foreigners."

"But every one," replied the fair speaker, "should conform to the customs of the country he visits."

"And do *you*, then, go prepared for this highway robbery, and have you no fear in thus journeying by yourself?"

"Well, senor, what can I do? I am, as you perceive, an unprotected lady, who, for certain reasons am required to make the journey between Perote and the Capital some two or three times a year, and you certainly could not expect me to go prepared to resist an armed band. As to fear, I will not deny I have my share of that, but, so far, I have never met with any rough treatment, and of course I trust to the saints that my fortune will ever be as propitious."

"And have you really been robbed on your journey back and forth?" I inquired.

"I think I have paid my share to the *ladrones* for my transit through their country," she laughed.

"And you expect to continue a repetition of the same for the rest of your life?"

"Who knows?" she replied. "At least I hope to be always prepared."

"And your fellow travelers," said I, "have you never seen any disposed to resist these unlawful acts?"

"Once, senor, an American and an Englishman who were in the same diligencia with me fired upon the robbers, killing one and wounding two."

"And did the robbers fire [illegible]"

"Yes, but fled immediately, and fortunately injured none of our party."

"As I should have expected," returned I. "You were not robbed on that occasion, I suppose?"

"We were not, senor, but the two foreigners subsequently paid dearly for their resistance, for in journeying back and forth both were killed, separately and at different times, near the same spot. You see these crosses by the side of the road, senor?"

"I have observed them frequently, but here they seem to be much more numerous," I replied, looking forth from the vehicle.

"Each stands on the spot where some one has met a violent death," she rejoined: "and, as we go along, I will call your attention to those which mark the places where the foreigners met, theirs."

"Do you know," said I, "that I am resolved to emulate their example, let the consequences be what they may?"

"Holy saints defend us!" she exclaimed; "you are not in earnest, senor."

"Seriously so, I assure you."

"You would only bring certain death upon us both."

"Say, rather, I should lighten the expenses of the journey—for your knights of the road understand retreat as well as advance—and you yourself have acknowledged that firm resistance put them to flight for once."

"But there were numbers opposed to them, senor, and you are only one."

"But, fortunately, I have a couple of revolvers, which, in two good hands, amount to some ten or a dozen shots, and my friends have repeatedly told me I am not a bad marksman."

"Ah, Santa Maria! you will think better of this, senor; the very idea of resistance terrifies me!"

"But not the idea of robbery?"

"Because I have never met with violence."

We continued to converse in a similar strain for some time longer—my fair companion gradually changing the subject, and seeming much interested in myself. I learned that her family name was Valerde, that she was unmarried, that her father and brother were officers in the army, and so forth, and so on: and in return I gave her my own name, stated something of my history, business and prospects, and, [illegible] tive than I would advise any friend to be with any stranger of either sex in a strange country.

As we continued our journey, the conversation gradually changing from one thing to another, Senorita Paula suddenly brought it back to the point where it first opened.

"We are coming upon a dangerous part of the road," she said; "are you still resolved to defend yourself if assailed?"

"With your permission, senorita?"

"I do not think it advisable," she replied; "but still, if such is your intention, I think it no more than right that you should give me a chance to take a part in my defense, since my risk of danger will be as great as yours!"

"And have you really the nerve, after all, to defend yourself?" I inquired.

"If I had the means, senor."

"I have two pistols," said I; "if you will accept of one of them, it is at your service."

"You are very kind, senor—but can I fire it?"

"With ease, senorita;" and producing one of my revolvers, I explained to her the manner in which it was to be used.

"And this, you say, will shoot some half a dozen times?"

"I think it safe to calculate that five charges out of the six will explode, senorita."

"A very formidable weapon, indeed!" she replied; "and with such I can almost fancy we are safe. You have another, you say, like this?"

I produced it.

"What a beautiful invention!" she observed, reaching over and taking it from my hand. Then extending her hands, one of the revolvers in each, she continued: "Armed like this, one might almost count himself safe against a host! You say this is fired in this manner?" she proceeded, cocking one of the weapons as she spoke, and pointing it toward the road.

"Have a care, senorita, or you will discharge it!"

The words were scarcely uttered, when her finger pressed the trigger, and one of the barrels was exploded with a sharp report. A minute after, and while I was gently chiding her, we heard a loud, quick tramp of horses, and several sharp, rapid exclamations.

The next moment our conveyance was stopped suddenly, and we saw ourselves surrounded by some eight or ten mounted men, one of whom, in a loud voice, exclaimed:

"Yield you prisoners, or die!"

"Quick, senorita!" said I, extending my hand; "quick! in Heaven's name give me one of those weapons, for now is the time for decisive action."

"Nay," she replied, putting the weapons behind her, "you will be too hasty! Let them suppose we yield—let them open the door!"

"Oh, no! it will then be too late!"

As I spoke the door was suddenly thrown open and three or four swarthy, heavily-bearded men presented themselves to my view.

"Quick, senorita, for the love of God!" I cried, grasping at her arm.

"Hold!" she exclaimed, instantly presenting one of my own revovers to my head. "Resistance is useless—you are our prisoner!"

"Gracious Heaven!" exclaimed I, perfectly astounded. "*Our* prisoner, did you say? It is not possible that one so fair and lovely as yourself is in any manner connected with these banditti!"

"It is even so, senor," she replied, with one of her most bewitching smiles; still keeping one of my own weapons turned against myself and significantly pointing the other to the door. "You will oblige us by stepping forth and giving yourself into the care of these good gentlemen, who will see that you are treated as a brave man should be, but who will trouble you meantime for any little change and valuables you may have to spare!"

There seemed to be no help for it—the beautiful Senorita Paula Valerde was a spy and accomplice of the *ladrones*. She had entered the diligencia at Perote for no other purpose than to [illegible] condition of things inside and be able to signalize her associates as she passed along, so that they might know exactly in what manner to conduct themselves and make their work sure without risk. By a simple stratagem she had obtained my arms just at the point where she knew the attack would be made, and her discharge of the pistol, as if by accident, was the sign to show them that all was secure.

"I acknowledge myself conquered by being outwitted," said I, bowing to la senorita.

Then turning to the robbers, who had now collected in a body in front of the door of the diligencia, I continued:

"Gentlemen, will you permit me to alight and make you some valuable presents? In the language of your country, all I have is yours."

The leader of the party bowed politely in return and said, with a grim smile:

"Si, senor, we shall be most happy to receive anything which so distinguished a traveler may have to bestow."

With this I quietly stepped from the vehicle, and one quick, searching glance put me in possession of the whole state of affairs.

The diligencia had been stopped in a wild, gloomy place, and the driver was sitting carelessly on his box, taking everything as a matter of course. He might also be an accomplice of the robbers, or he might not; but, in either case, there was little hope of assistance from him—for any attempt of the kind would certainly bring upon him a severe punishment, sooner or later. I glanced up and down the road, where it wound between dark, overshadowing trees, but discovered nothing to give me any hope. The robbers, some eight or ten in number, and all well armed, were collected around me, part of them mounted, and the others standing on their feet, holding their mustangs by the bridle. Looking upon my case as a desperate one, so far as being plundered was concerned, I still retained my presence of mind, and did not wholly despair. True, I had been outwitted and disarmed, and now stood singly between numbers, but the idea of yielding tamely to this outrage was repugnant to my very nature, and I resolved to put any favorable opportunity for defense and retaliation to the strongest test.

"Will you accept this purse?" [illegible] producing one that held several gold coins, and handing it to the chief of the *ladrones*.

"Thank you, senor! you are very kind!" he said, as he took it in his hand, with a polite bow, and chinked the money.

"This diamond pin may prove acceptable to your friend?" I added, as I quietly removed it from the bosom of my shirt, and handed it to the *gentleman* on the left, who received it in the same polite manner. "This diamond ring I trust you will retain as a keepsake," I continued, drawing the jewel from my finger and presenting it to a third. "I beg your pardon, senores!" I pursued, glancing at the Senorita Paula, who, with my pistols still in her possession, was quietly standing within the diligencia, regarding the whole proceedings with one of her sweetest smiles; "I must not forget this beautiful lady! I have here," I went on, at the same time producing the article, "a very beautiful gold snuff-box—set, as you perceive, with diamonds—will your ladyship honor me by accepting this as a slight token of my regard for the pleasure afforded me by your company and conversation?"

"You are a very gallant gentleman, senor!" she laughed, taking the two revolvers in one fair hand and presenting the other.

I reached the box toward her, but my hand trembled a little—and, just as the present was about to touch her fingers, it slipped and fell between us.

"A thousand pardons, senorita, for my awkwardness," I said, as I bent down to pick it up.

Now was the all-important moment of life and death! All were in a measure off their guard; and one quick, furtive glance showed me that the girl still held my weapons carelessly in one hand, with the other remaining extended for the prize. I lifted the box carefully; but, as I raised myself, I gave a wild, startling yell; and as the senorita started back, I, with the quickness of lightning, seized both weapons and wrenched them from her.

To wheel and commence firing upon the party, was now only the work of a moment. The first shot, fortunately, stretched out the chief; the second took effect on the one nearest to him; and by the time the third had been sent on its mission, there arose one simultaneous yell of dismay, and the astounded robbers began to scatter in every direction. I had no disposition to follow them, however; another minute they might rally and turn upon me; and, springing forward, I grasped the reins of a freed mustang, and vaulted into the saddle. One more glance around me, showed me the Senorita Paula upon the body of the chief, her laughter changed to grief, and some of the scattered cowards bringing their weapons to bear upon me.

"Adios, senorita and senores!" said I, bitterly; "he laughs best who laughs last!"

The next moment I was dashing away down the road, the half-rallied robbers pouring after me a volley, but fortunately not touching their mark. They would doubtless have followed me in hot pursuit, but for the wholesome dread they had of my still undischarged weapon.

As it was, I escaped and entered the town of Puebla in triumph; where, it is almost needless to add, a narration of my exploit made me a hero and a lion for the time.

Here I sold my captured mustang and trappings for enough to indemnify me for what I had disposed of in the way of presents; and the next day saw me an inside passenger of the same diligencia en route for Mexico, where I arrived in safety, without any further event worthy of note.

What became of the robbers and their beautiful accomplice I never learned, but the lesson taught me on that journey I have never forgotten; and during the remainder of my stay in that country no pretty woman ever had the honor of being my business confidante, or of getting possession of my trusty and unfailing revolvers.—*Clarence Mowbray*

Rev. Father Wilds' EXPERIENCE.

The Rev. Z. P. Wilds, well-known city missionary in New York, and brother of the late eminent Judge Wilds, of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, writes as follows:

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., APL. 24, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

IN the Senate on the 16th a resolution was agreed to directing the Judiciary Committee to inquire whether Paul Strobach, whose nomination for Marshal for the middle and southern districts of Alabama was rejected by the Senate, and who is now performing the duties of that office, is entitled to occupy the office. The Senate resumed consideration of the bankruptcy bill. A number of amendments were offered and agreed to, after which the senate went into executive session and adjourned. The House dispensed with the morning hour and went into Committee of the Whole on the Morrison tariff bill, which was debated at length, when the committee rose and the House adjourned.

THE Senate on the 17th passed a bill authorizing the managers of the Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers to locate a branch home at some suitable point in either of the States of Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri or Nebraska, and appropriating $250,000 for the purpose. The bill authorizing the Secretary of War to adjust and settle the account for arms between South Carolina and the Government of the United States, and to balance the same by so reducing the overcharge made against the State in 1869 under the act of 1808, so that the amounts paid on account by South Carolina in the last ten years may be taken in full satisfaction of the account, was passed—yeas 20, nays 12. The consideration of the bankruptcy bill was then resumed, but without reaching a conclusion the Senate adjourned. In the House a bill was passed authorizing the construction of a railroad bridge across St. Croix River, in the States of Wisconsin and Minnesota. The morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Pension Appropriation bill. Among the amendments offered was one by Mr. Rosecrans, striking out the provision for the pay of pension agents, and transferring the duties of those officers to the pay department of the army. Pending a vote on this amendment, the committee rose and the House adjourned.

IN the Senate on the 18th Mr. Sherman, from the Committee on Library, reported adversely the newspaper copyright bill, but it was nevertheless placed on the calendar. A bill was introduced and referred providing for the deposit in the Treasury of the receipts from the money order system, and the payment of its expenses from the Treasury. The Senate then took up the Postoffice Appropriation bill. After agreeing to most of the amendments recommended by the committee, the bill as a whole was agreed to. The Senate went into executive session, and when the doors reopened a message from the House announcing the death of Senator Voorhees was laid before the Senate. Remarks in memorial of the deceased were delivered by several Senators, and the Senate then adjourned until the 21st. The House took up and passed the bill limiting the time within which prosecutions may be instituted against persons charged with violating the revenue laws. In Committee of the Whole the bill to relieve certain soldiers of the late war from the charges of desertion was debated and laid aside with a favorable recommendation. The bill for the relief of Myra Clark Gaines was considered, but without coming to a conclusion the committee rose. At the evening session a number of pension bills were passed and the House adjourned.

THE Speaker laid before the House on the 19th a message from the President transmitting several communications from the Secretary of the State, among others one respecting the approaching international conference at Washington for the purpose of fixing the meridian proper to be employed as the common zero of longitude and the standard reckoning throughout the globe, and recommending an appropriation of $100,000 to defray the expenses of the same. The message was appropriately referred. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on bills reported from the Committee on Labor, the first bill considered being that establishing and maintaining a department of labor statistics. Several amendments were adopted, and pending debate on the bill the committee rose and the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

FOUR hundred thousand ounces of silver were purchased by the Treasury Department on the 17th for delivery at the Philadelphia and New Orleans mints.

THE Commissioner of Internal Revenue has appointed Gustave Clemens, of Illinois, revenue agent, vice W. D. Clarke, resigned.

THE horses of Rochester, N. Y., are troubled with a new disease, which the surgeons call black erysipelas. It is confined entirely to the hind feet, and in many cases proves fatal.

AT a meeting at Boston on the 17th of the Arkwright Club of Cotton Manufacturers, it was voted to reduce the working hours in May and June ten per cent., which will reduce the production of cotton goods one-sixth.

THE first steamer of the season arrived at St. Paul from St. Louis on the 17th, and started on her return trip the next day.

THE Secretary of the Navy issued on the 17th, in accordance with the resolution recently adopted by both Houses of Congress, a proclamation offering $25,000 for the discovery and rescue, by any private person or vessel, of the Arctic signal service party of Lieutenant Greeley.

THE House Committee on Postoffices and Postroads by a vote of 10 to 1 on the 18th adopted a resolution declaring it to be the sense of the committee to adopt the contract system of postal telegraph.

BUSINESS failures reported for the week ended April 18 were, in the United States 165, Canada 16, compared with 214 the previous week.

THE shipments of gold from New York to Europe on the 19th were $2,865,000.

THE call for a Prohibition nominating convention at Indianapolis has been signed by 22,000 voters, and it is now probable that a convention will be called and candidates placed in the field.

JOHN G. TELFORD, a passenger on the Iron Mountain Railroad, was robbed of $17,500 near Polar Bluff, Mo., on the 17th by C. M. Dennett. The robber was arrested on the train and the money found in his possession. Dennett has been running as an express messenger on some of the Western roads, but is said to be an Eastern "crook."

THE Washington Monument Commission, at a recent meeting, agreed upon a report to be sent to Congress calling the attention of that body to the fact that the monument will be completed before the meeting of the next Congress. The report suggests appropriate legislation by this Congress to bring to the attention of the State governments the desirability of cooperating in a suitable demonstration at the time of the completion of the monument to celebrate the event.

A WOMAN walked to Pocahontas mine from North Carolina, a distance of 150 miles, to find her husband, who was lost in the mine.

THE agitation against the employment of Hungarians in the mines of Pennsylvania has spread to Wilkesbarre. Rows have been frequent of late, and a violent outbreak is feared.

Two freight trains on the Pan Handle road collided near Wheeling Junction, O., on the morning of the 18th. Both engines and ten cars were wrecked, but no one seriously injured.

TOBE TURNER, who was to be hung at Greenville, Ga., on the 18th for murder, suicided in his cell by strangling himself with a handkerchief a few hours before the time set for the execution.

THE House Committee on Coinage has voted to report favorably the Lacey bill to prohibit the issue of treasury notes for less than $5, and to provide for the issue of silver certificates in denominations of $1, $2 and $5.

THE United States Court at Charleston, S. C., has indicted four ex-deputy marshals for presenting fraudulent accounts.

NEW HAMPSHIRE and Maine towns report floods on hand and to come. The Saco River is higher than in 1870, and rising. At Union, N. H., on the St. Croix River, the new Brunswick pier and two spans of the bridge have fallen.

AT the request of the Secretary of the Interior the Commissioner of Patents has appealed from the decision of the Supreme Court of the District in the case of Hoe vs. Scott, to the Supreme Court of the United States. The point in controversy is the ruling that there is no appeal to the Secretary of the Interior after the Commissioner had decided a patent case.

AT New Haven, Conn., Charles A. Spaulding, suspected of complicity in stealing jewelry, was arrested on the 18th. While the detective was eating lunch Spaulding shot himself five times. The wounds are fatal. He said he could not bear the disgrace of arrest.

TERRIFIC wind and rain storms visited San Antonio, Texas, and Macon, Miss., on the 20th. Much damage was done to houses, fences, crops, stock, etc., but no loss of life was reported.

NEARLY five thousand emigrants landed at Castle Garden on the 20th. Among the number were 200 Mormons brought by the steamer Nevada; they were mostly English and Irish and were accompanied by Mormon missionaries returning home with the fruit of a two years' proselyting tour.

R. H. TURNER, the defaulting ticket agent of the Pan-Handle and Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroads at Mingo Junction, O., who fled to Canada with some $16,000 belonging to the Pennsylvania Company, has voluntarily returned and intends effecting a compromise with the railroad officials by returning the bonds.

SIMON PAPER, a fugitive broker, arrived in New York from Chicago on the 19th in charge of officers to answer an indictment alleging swindling and embezzlement. Dr. J. L. Morris is the victim. He lost bonds valued at over $6,000.

THE committee having in charge the entertainment of the fund for the home for ex-Confederate soldiers in New York report $1,500 worth of boxes and tickets sold.

THREE colored girls in a dug-out on Lake Edwards, near Cairo, Ill., on the 20th were capsized, and Angie Smith, aged fifteen, and Carrie Jones, aged eighteen, were drowned.

WHILE the family of Michael O'Brien, of Erie, Pa., were discussing their evening meal on the 20th a kerosene lamp exploded with great violence, setting everything on fire around them. Most of the burning fluid fell upon a little three-year-old daughter, fairly roasting her alive. The parents were also badly burned.

H. C. FILLMORE and wife, of Fayetteville, guests at the Palmer House, New York, on the 18th, blew out the gas on retiring and were asphyxiated. Mrs. Fillmore died the next day, and her husband was not expected to recover.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended April 19: Loans decrease, $1,096,000; specie decrease, $2,113,000; legal tenders increase, $1,141,000; deposits decrease, $3,601,000; circulation increase, $123,000; reserve decrease, $1,049,000. The banks now hold $2,567,000 in excess of the legal requirements.

IN the United States District Court at Charleston, South Carolina, over 200 cases of violation of the election laws were recently dismissed because, as the District Attorney alleges, of the state of public sentiment.

AT the recent session of the Pennsylvania Wool Growers' Association, representing 74,000 wool growers, resolutions were passed demanding the immediate restoration of the wool tariff of 1867, and pledging themselves not to support any man who voted against such restoration.

AT Reynoldsville, Pa., on the 19th the residence of James Powers, Superintendent of Powers, Brown & Co.'s coal mines, was burned by an incendiary, the inmates barely escaping with their lives. Loss $11,000. Powers had recently received a number of anonymous letters warning him to leave, that his life and property were in danger.

THE new Illinois high license law gives Chicago an annual revenue of $1,500,000 from her saloons.

THE Comptroller of the Currency has authorized the Merchants' and Planters' National Bank of Sherman, Tex., to begin business with a capital of $400,000.

THE 109th anniversary of the battle of Concord was appropriately celebrated at Concord, Mass., on the 19th.

LATEST reports from the winter wheat in Ohio, Illinois, Iowa and Indiana show that the crop is in good condition.

JULIAN MARTINETTE, one of the clowns in Sells Bros' circus, while trying to amuse a tent full of people at Dayton, O., on the 19th, suddenly fell dead in the ring, supposed to be from heart disease.

THREE hundred feet of the snow sheds on the Union Pacific Road at Summit, Cal., fell on the 19th, burying the working train and a number of Chinese. Six dead Chinese were taken out and several others were seriously injured.

THE monastery of Dominican Nuns, the only institution of the kind in the United States, opened at Newark, N. J., on the 19th, with appropriate ceremonies.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Indiana Republican State Convention on the 17th elected the following as delegates-at-large to Chicago: Senator Benjamin Harrison and Richard W. Thompson, by acclamation; Hon. John H. Baker, of Goshen, and Morris McDonald, of New Albany. The delegation was uninstructed and without expressed preferences.

HON. A. J. BROOKS, President of the Prohibition Alliance of Missouri, has called the State Convention to meet at Sedalia, August 19.

AMONG the deaths announced on the 17th were those of Thomas G. Appleton, the noted art critic and connoisseur, at

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The Dundee new $18,000 school house is nearly completed.

Hundreds of persons using Ayer's Hair Vigor, certify to its efficacy in restoring the hair to the health and beauty of youth.

Work will begin soon on the new addition to the Central school building in Elk Rapids.

Mrs. Cole, of Windham, N. H., declares that her life was saved by Hood's Sarsaparilla. She had 37 terrible Scrofulous sores.

Battle Creek doesn't work her officials to death: 19 ex-mayors and 5 ex-presidents are still living.

The True Test.

If a man is hungry within an hour more or less after a meal he is a dyspeptic, it shows his stomach is not able to dispose of what he has eaten, but to eat again, and thus impose more work, is absurdity. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malaria diseases. Price 50 cents. [illegible]

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"Yes, responded a New York representative of the profession, "a drummer isn't without his pleasures, but he runs his risks too—risks outside the chances of railroad collisions and steamboat explosions."

"What risks for instance?"

"Why, for instance, I was a dyspeptic when I was then traveling for an eastern house, and is known to merchants in all parts of the country. The risk which to me amounts almost to a certainty of getting dyspepsia from perpetual change of diet and water and from having no fixed hours for eating and sleeping. I myself was an example. I say was, for I am all right now."

"No discount on your digestion?" broke in a Chicago dry goods traveler lighting his cigar afresh.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Jacob G. Roberts, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 29th day of March, 1884, and on the 8th day of August, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of February, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated February 27, 1884.

JOHN MARGESON,
JOHN BENEDICT,
mar1 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Hiram A. Adams, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 26th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated March 5th, 1884.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JACOB VAN TYNE,
mar6 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased, is in part at least, a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin B. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for hearing the same.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, of Lenawee, for three successive weeks immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. mar13

ESTATE OF SAMUEL ARNER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Arner, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Augustus Montgomery administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of his last sickness and funeral, and praying for the allowance of his final account and for such further order as shall be deemed lawful and necessary, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered: That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
A. H. Briggs Probate Register. apr3

ESTATE OF CHARLES F. PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian on Wednesday, the 23 day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Patterson, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of James W. Patterson guardian of said minor praying for the allowance of his sixth account as such guardian, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. apr24

ESTATE OF JAMES MILLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Miller, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Miller, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Alexander W. Miller, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. apr17

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 24, 1884.

Gen. Logan's boom resembles Hogan's balloon. The gas is almost all out.

The Morrison bill is growing in favor. That or some similar bill will pass the House.

Supposing it should be Blaine against Ben Butler. Wouldn't we have a red hot campaign then?

The House should appoint an investigating committee to examine into the status of Mr Tilden's health.

President Arthur does not talk much, but he is quietly picking up the delegates, and they all go uninstructed.

Edmunds is getting a good show of delegates, and the men who favor the Vermont statesman will be thick and thin friends in the convention.

The revenue reformers of Michigan have another convert in the person of Gov. Begole. Uncle Josiah knows on which side his bread is buttered.

It will be Blaine, Edmunds, Arthur or Lincoln on the Republican ticket. It will be Tilden, Payne, Butler or Sam Randall on the Democratic ticket.

Is there any good reason why war taxation should not be reduced? Doesn't the Morrison bill offer the most feasible plan for its reduction?

Ben Butler is ominously silent, but he keeps his oblique eye on the political weather vane. Ben is never so dangerous as when he is apparently idle.

Blaine's book is ready for delivery. It is rather a singular coincidence that it appears just at the time when delegates are being chosen to the Chicago convention.

Secretary Lincoln leads all competitors for the vice presidential nomination. He will surely draw the second prize, unless his ambition for the first prize shall prompt him to decline it.

By the way, why should not Congress be asked to lay a protective tariff on wheat? With cash wheat at 80 cents in Chicago, this infant industry certainly needs some protection.

Uncle Sam is paying off the public debt at the rate of $14,000,000 per month, and still war taxation continues to heap up still more the surplus in the treasury. Is not this policy one cause of the present business depression?

Three wicked boys went on a spree in Toledo the other day, and one of them was robbed of a large sum of money. It is a foolish thing to go on a spree at any time, but the young men should have known better than to go on a spree in Toledo.

At last accounts, one hundred and fifty members of the House had signified their intention to speak on the tariff bill. Now let them resolve to print their speeches at their own expense, vote on the bill at once, and then proceed to the important business of the session.

The Adrian Times aptly says: The effort of the ultra protection advocates to discredit the views and arguments of those opposed to them by impugning the motives of their opponents, is not calculated at all to help the cause of protection, and it is bad for those using it, as it indicates poverty of argument.

Col. Eldredge has been accused of inconsistency by reason of his vote on the wool question. We see nothing inconsistent about it. He believes in eliminating all protective features from the tariff, but if protection is to prevail, why not give the agricultural class a fair show? If iron and steel and lumber and salt are to be protected, why not protect wool and wheat and turnips and 'taters?

Monday—Samuel J. Tilden is out of the field. Tuesday—The old ticket will surely be nominated. Wednesday—The Sage of Gramercy positively declines. Thursday—It is an open secret among those best informed at Washington that Tilden will be nominated by acclamation. Friday—The talk of Sam Tilden's nomination is the merest bosh. Saturday—Tilden will soon write a letter and define his position.

A HEAVY SNOW STORM

Injures Cattle and Retards Travel in Kansas.

ATCHISON, Kan., April 22.—Snow has been falling steadily nearly all day but melted as it fell. Towards evening the snow turned to rain, which is still pouring down. Reports from Northwestern Kansas say that the heaviest snow storm of the year prevailed there Friday and Saturday last. The trains on the central branch of the Union Pacific road are blockaded by drifts at several points. It is also reported that the stock on the ranges suffered severely; sheep especially, fared badly. One man is said to have lost two hundred head. The season thus far has been most favorable to winter wheat, which promises a fine harvest. Reporters from nearly all parts of the State report heavy snow or rain storms and in some cases sleet. In some sections the water covers the flat or low ground, and farming operations are retarded a week or ten days.

Manitoba's Manifesto to the Government.

WINNIPEG, Man., April 21.—The committee appointed by the combined caucus of the Government and opposition to prepare a platform of procedure for securing recognition of the claims of the province from the Federal authorities is progressing favorably, and an amicable agreement will probably soon be arrived at. The substance of the ultimatum to be presented is a demand for control of our public lands, the management of school lands, the readjustment of the debt based on a population of 150,000, the unrestricted right to charter railways within the old portion of the province, increased representation in the Federal Parliament, and generally to place Manitoba on the same status as the other provinces. The deputation to be appointed to confer with the Federal authorities are also to be instructed to urge, not as rights which characterize the above demands, but as expedient, the extension of the boundaries to Hudson's Bay and the 102d meridian, the extensive and vigorous prosecution of railway work in the province, and a modification of the tariff, the latter especially if Manitoba is not allowed the same sources of revenue enjoyed by the other provinces. The deputation, it is expected, will leave for Ottawa next week, the memorandum in the meantime receiving the earliest consideration of the Legislature.

The Gold Excitement.

DENVER, April 22.—The excitement over the new gold discoveries at Mount Pisgah, near Pike's Peak, is becoming intense. Thousands of men are already in the camp, or on their way, and coming in all directions by hundreds. The miners' union has formed a district named "Golden Valley." Hundreds of claims were staked yesterday, and several large companies are forming here. Leading mining men are becoming convinced that the discoveries are genuine, and the most important in the history of the State. Leadville's charge of salting is believed to be groundless and malicious. The *Tribune's* representative telegraphs to-night: It is not strictly placer ground; it is a gold bearing gravel in gulches, in some places cemented into a hard mass, almost a rock; and in others quite free. The colors are often obtained by washing, and it bears a strong resemblance to the dry placers of New Mexico. The most of the gold is in a combination, but the combination is not uniformly chemical. The best opinion now is that the placers will prove of only secondary importance compared with the lodes sure to be developed.

Sudden Death of a Famous Clown.

DAYTON, O., April 22.—Just as Sells' Brothers show was preparing to leave for Cincinnati Saturday night Julian Martinetti, one of the clowns, dropped dead from apoplexy, caused by over exertion. He was a member of the Martinetti & Ravel Pantomime Company, and has been in the business many years. He was sixty-three years old and resided at Baltimore, to which place his remains were shipped yesterday.

Killed in a Smash Up.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 22.—A freight train on the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Gulf Railway ran into a washout forty miles west of Springfield, Mo., Friday night, almost demolishing the locomotive and nine cars, killing one, and mortally wounding another, a tramp stealing a ride in a box car, and entailing a loss to the company of from $15,000 to $20,000.

The Propaganda Property.

MONTREAL, April 22.—Mgr. Fabri, in a pastoral address to the clergy of his diocese, denounces the confiscation by the Italian Government of the real estate of the Propaganda, and makes an earnest appeal to the faithful to come to the rescue of the fund by a general subscription.

Walsh, the Wanted Witness.

MONTREAL, April 22.—It is understood that Brewster Cameron, who is here, has convinced John A. Walsh, a witness in the Pitt-Kellogg case, that he has no ground for grievance against Attorney General Brewster and Walsh has agreed to go to Washington to-day.

Heavy Washout.

TROY, N. Y., April 22.—High water in Lake Champlain caused the biggest washout ever known on the Delaware & Hudson Railway. Tracks are washed out for miles between Whitehead and Ticonderoga. No trains are running on the division.

General Badeau Non-Committal.

NEW YORK, April 22.—General Badeau arrived yesterday morning. When asked as to the cause of his resignation of the Consul Generalship at Havana, Badeau replied that he was not at liberty to state anything on the subject at present.

Killed in a Storm.

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—A waterspout and windstorm demolished the house of a farmer named Bond, near Lockwood, Dade County, Mo., Friday night, killed one of his children and injured several other members of the family.

Celebrating the Day.

RICHMOND, Va., April 22.—The anniversary ratification of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution was celebrated here yesterday by a parade of the colored military and civic organizations.

Heavy Rain in the Southwest.

KANSAS CITY, April 21.—A slight snow has been falling the greater part of the forenoon, melting on the ground. Advices denote a heavy rain-fall in the Southwest the past week.

Accepted Reduced Wages.

TORONTO, April 21.—The Grand Trunk Railway employes of Montreal and Stratford have accepted a five per cent. reduction for six months.

ON THE VERGE.

A Condemned Man Anxiously Awaiting a Reprieve.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., April 22.—A final effort was made yesterday morning for the respite of John Coyle, who is to be hanged for the murder of Emily Myers, in York County, nearly three years ago. Last week the counsel for the culprit submitted a statement to Governor Pattison from Dr. T. T. Tate, of this city, declaring the murderer to be insane. The object of the reprieve was to afford time for an examination into Coyle's mental condition by a commission to be appointed by the court. With this statement was a letter written by Coyle, who said he could not go to be hanged because of partial insanity. The Governor refused to grant the requested respite. To-day Charles K. Mills, one of the medical experts who declared Guiteau insane, and who expressed a similar opinion in the case of McGinnis, recently hanged in Philadelphia, and Dr. Ernest Goodman, of Philadelphia, visited the cell the murderer, and from his demeanor came to a conclusion identical with that of Dr. Tate. These physicians, with David McConaughy, of Gettysburgh, counsel for the condemned man, visited Harrisburg to night in the hope of persuading the Governor to reconsider his determination not to intertere with the execution of the prisoner. Coyle has a strong belief that he will be reprieved. He appears to be in an excited mood, but has not slept much the past week. The gallows is in readiness for the execution, and unless the Governor interferes he will be hanged about eleven a. m. to-morrow.

Exaggerated Reports About the Cuban Trouble.

NEW YORK, April 24.—A letter from the managing editor of the most important paper published in the West Indies, the *Diario de la Marina*, of Havana, says: "In regard to the situation in this island it has been exaggerated by the statements in the Havana papers. The crisis we are passing through is of consequence rather on account of the effects which it momentarily produces than on account of any far-reaching result which may possibly come about. It is really of no especial importance here, nor does the filibustering movement influence the regular transacting of business. It is hoped that in view of the measures taken by the Government affairs will promptly return to a normal state of prosperity and progress.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, April 22.—The grain markets on Change opened and continued under a good demand from little shorts and better advices from the sea board and foreign markets. After this demand was satisfied, however, the inquiry was slow, and when during the last hour, the big bears led by Ream and Murray commenced pounding the market, values sold down rapidly, closing at the lowest figures of the day. Wheat lost ⅜@1 cent, corn declined ⅛@¼, oats eased off ¼, and the feeling all around was slumpy.

Hog products were quiet, the provision clique giving their attention to grain and other operators being afraid to either buy or sell the stuff. Pork fell 20@22½, lard 7½, and ribs 12 cents.

Murderous Assault.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 22.—A murderous assault was committed in Hubbard, five miles north of this city, Saturday evening, upon John Boyle, an employe at the blast furnace of Andrews & Hitchcock, while at work. Jack Kaleen, another employe, approached Boyle from behind and without any warning dealt him a terrible blow on the back of the head with a sledge hammer weighing ten pounds, knocking him senseless and crushing his skull. The injured man was conveyed to his home and medical attendance summoned. His injuries are regarded as serious. Kaleen, after committing the cowardly act, fled, and as yet no clue has been obtained of his whereabouts.

Starmont Drops Dead.

ALLIANCE, April 22.—Starmont, a thoroughbred stallion, owned by Professor Theodore Armstrong, of Mt. Union, and General W. T. Withers, of Lexington, Ky., dropped dead in his box at Professor Armstrong's breeding stables Monday morning. The cause was supposed to be congestion of the lungs. Starmont was sired by Almont and dammed by Starling, Starling by George Wilkes and Jessie Pepper. He was five years old and considered by turfmen one of the most promising young horses in America. An offer of $6,000 was refused for him a few days ago.

The New Pittsburgh Oil Exchange.

PITTSBURGH, April 22.—The new Petroleum Exchange opened yesterday morning with appropriate ceremonies. Addresses were made by L. H. Smith, President of the New York Exchange, Hon. W. C. Moreland and Captain J. J. Vandergrift. The new Exchange starts out auspiciously with a paid up membership of two hundred and forty-six, entirely free from debt, with $8,000 in the treasury and an annual rental from offices of over $11,000. The structure, which is handsomely decorated and one of the most elaborately finished in the country, cost $175,000.

An Unusual Flow of Immigrants to This Country.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Three thousand four hundred and sixty immigrants arrived at Castle Garden Saturday, the largest number landed this year. Among the steerage passengers were 318 Mormons. Half were English and Welsh and the other half Scandinavians. They were accompanied by seventeen Mormon missionaries returning home after a two years prospecting tour. They go to Utah to-day.

The Whisky Bill.

CINCINNATI, April 22.—A meeting of Cincinnati, Chicago, Peoria, Terre Haute and four other members of the Western Export Association was held yesterday morning. Not being a regular meeting but little more than an expression of opinion could be accomplished. A committee to confer with high wine men was appointed and adjourned to meet in the afternoon. All agree that the prospect of holding the pool together is not favorable.

Making Fast Time.

NEW ORLEANS, April 22.—The special train of the Northeastern Railroad, bringing the Knights of Pythias, made the run from Cincinnati to New Orleans in twenty-three hours and twenty minutes.

Church Burned.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., April 22.—The Methodist Church building at Saginaw City burned yesterday morning. Loss nearly $10,000, insurance $6,000.

NOTICE

The Following Statements are Published for the Benefit of the Public—Read and Reflect.

"I consider that I owe my life to Warner's Safe Cure.
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"I have used eight bottles of Warner's Safe Cure, and honestly believe it saved my life.
A. F. CARLISLE, Editor Clarion. Carlyle, Pa., Feb. 2d.

"I was given up by my physicians to die with dropsy, but Warner's Safe Cure restored me.
D. P. McCARTHY. Virginia, Nev. Chronicle.

"Three bottles of Warner's Safe Cure cured me of severe burning pain in the kidneys, especially at night."
Lodi, Cal. J. M. MENDELL.

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F. B. SEMPLE. Clerk American House. Denver, Col.

"Warner's Safe Cure saved my wife's life when best doctors and mineral springs of the country did her no good."
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"I had enlargement of the heart, which was pronounced incurable, and I was often thought to be dying, but Warner's Safe Cure and Safe Pills restored me to health."
LAFAYETTE WALLINGFORD. East Rochester, N. H.

"Owing to the high temperature of the room in which I worked I contracted a terrible cold that produced serious kidney disorder. Warner's Safe Cure restored me to health."
Exeter, N. H. JAMES BRUCE.

"Warner's Safe Cure has saved my boy's life. Doctors pronounced his the worst case of Bright's Disease they ever saw."
E. B. BUCK. Editor Macoupin County Enquirer. Carlinville, Ills., March 1st.

"I was treated by Doctors Agnew and Webster, of New York, who pronounced me afflicted with Bright's disease. I was bloated exceedingly, but Warner's Safe Cure, I verily believe saved my life."
GEO. C. STEVENS. South Norwalk, Conn.

"I had kidney disorders, indigestion rheumatism and lumbago for three years. I grew worse and felt as though a hundred pound weight was dragging down my liver and kidneys. Warner's Safe Cure has fully restored me."
C. B. De NOYELLES, Albany, N. Y. 640 Broadway.

"Previous to a year ago I was severely afflicted with kidney difficulty. My back ached, my urine was sudsy, and I was in a bad way. I had tried various remedies, but with temporary relief; until I began the use of Warner's Safe Cure, three bottles of which, with the Safe Pills, effectually cured me, and I have not had an attack since."
HENRY HOEHM. Cleveland, O. Captain of Police.

"For years I have had excruciating pains in the small of my back and was not able to raise from bed or be in a sitting posture. The doctors claimed that I was suffering from spinal disease, and I never expected to leave my bed again. Though having no hope of recovery, Warner's Safe Cure was recommended to me, which I commenced taking, and eight bottles have made a permanent cure.
MRS. CHRISTJAHN. No. 28 Thirteenth street. Chicago, Feb. 28th.

"About two years ago I resorted to the use of Warner's Safe Cure, taking in all thirty-two bottles for kidney and uniary affections, and it has proved a complete success, and radically cured the pain in my back. A lady of this country, a confirmed invalid for three years past, with what the doctors here said was internal cancer, beyond all skill and hope, in the doctors' opinion, has been raised almost from the dead by the use of nine bottles of this excellent medicine.
J. H. Hudson. Altoona, Pa. Feb. 27th.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Edward Bodet to Perley Bills (for purchase money) and dated April 1st, A.D., 1876, and recorded April 23d, A.D. 1877, in the office of Register of Deeds, for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of mortgages, on page 25, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-three dollars ($1323,) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover any part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that, on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, A.D., 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the south front door of Dean's opera house, (so called) in the city of Adrian, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, the premises mentioned in said mortgage, the following pieces or parcels of land situate in Lenawee County, Michigan: i. e.: All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), lying north of the center of the Baxter ditch (so called). Also all that part of the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven (27), lying south of the center of the swamp Raisin drain (so called). All in township six (6) south of Range five (5) east.

Dated Tecumseh, Jan. 17, A.D., 1884.

OSCAR P. BILLS, Executor.

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The above sale is hereby postponed until Saturday, April 26, 1884, at the same place and time of day.

OSCAR P. BILLS, Executor.

Dated Tecumseh, April 19, 1884. apr24

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A.D., 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A.D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8) of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county; and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 13-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Exchange Hotel lot; thence west on the south line of that lot, three and 18-100 chains to the J. B. Hoag lot, (now Marsh lot); thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

EDWIN B. WOOD, Guardian of said Minors.

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MARY E. SNAUBLE. CORA J. HOLMES.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately, as my old accounts must be collected.
S. CASSIN, M.D.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The homestead farm of the late Samuel G. Conkling, situated in the eastern part of the township of Raisin, consisting of one hundred and sixty acres, being the S. E. ¼ of section 11 in said township, is offered for sale. For terms enquire of the undersigned.
H. W. & H. C. CONKLING,
Executors.

SMALL FRUIT PLANTS FOR SALE. Grape vines 10c each, 13 for $1. Strawberry, Raspberry, Blackberry and other small fruit plants for sale. F. D. HILLMAN.

HOUSE TO RENT.—Situated on Oneida street. Enquire of H. W. CONKLING.

LIGHT BRAMAH EGGS for setting can be had of the subscriber at the residence of F. V. Horton at 50c per 13. Orders left at Waldo & Doty's will receive prompt attention.
F. V. HORTON.

PROF. C. M. VET, Director of the Conservatory of Music, Jackson, Mich., will receive pupils for the violin, cello, flute, cornet, &c. on Tuesday of each week. Terms, $1 per lesson. Orders for piano tuning promptly and satisfactorily attended to.

MADAM C. M. VET will accept a class of scholars in the French language on Tuesday also. Terms for each class of ten, 40c a lesson to each pupil. Apply to Miss Mabel Hayden or Prof. C. M. Vet, 114 Blackstone Terrace, Jackson, Mich.

ASPARAGUS ROOTS. Conover's colossal, 75 cts. per hundred.
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FOR SALE.—Several desirable family residences in village of Tecumseh. Enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—New lumber wagon, one of my make, for sale cheap. I. B. RICHART.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if sold at once. For particulars enquire of
J. W. COLE.

LOST.—One note given by me to Samuel Jackson for two hundred dollars. The same has been paid. Finder will please return said note to H. E. WILSON.
HOLLOWAY, Mich, March 19, 1884.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE. This farm about 4 miles west of Tecumseh, comprising about 300 acres, is now offered for sale. Any persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and call upon E. B. WOOD, Agent.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

30 COTSWOLD SHEEP—About one-half of them ewes in profit, can be bought at a bargain. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Maiden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. BIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

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BLASTING—STONE AND STUMP.—Elijah Wilson holds himself in readiness to blast stumps and stones at all times. Leave orders at Whitenack, Bordine & Co's, or at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

The Republican state convention is held at Grand Rapids to-day.

A. A. Kennedy, of Battle Creek, paid Tecumseh a flying visit yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. Mumford, of Adrian, is spending a day or two among her Tecumseh friends.

We invite attention to the card of Wheeler & Aldrich, of Adrian, which appears in another column.

Supervisor James is engaged in home missionary work armed with a blue lead pencil and the assessment roll.

David Jones has removed his renovating rooms to the building formerly occupied by P. J. Welling on Railroad Street.

W. D. Adams has something to say of his Novelty stock in to-days HERALD. He has a complete stock of goods in his line.

D. W. Smith, of Adrian town, a former resident of Tecumseh, was in town a day or two this week. He is now engaged in farming.

F. C. Barnes, who was the foreman of the cigar box factory owned by Geo. N. Stacy, left for his home in Coldwater yesterday.

Jas. Cairnes & Son have rented the front portion of the old Agricultural Works building, and will keep on sale the McCormick Harvesting and Mowing machines and a full line of agricultural implements.

The district missionary meeting at the M. E. church which began its sessions yesterday afternoon is well attended, and the meeting thus far has been very interesting. As it is impossible to print today's proceedings in this issue, we shall defer our report until next week.

OBITUARY.

Mary A. Blanford, of the township of Franklin, Mich., and widow of the late John Blanford, departed this life April 21st, 1884, aged 77 years. Her funeral services were held at her late residence, when a very large concourse of people assembled giving evidence of the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Mrs. Blanford had been a member of the Methodist Church for more than thirty years, manifesting throughout an exemplary christian character, and for unabating zeal, elevated religious life and a spotless deportment highly worthy of imitation.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 24 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The street sprinkler is putting in its work.

Dr. Geo. Ferguson has a handsome new sign.

Harry Lee of Cleveland, was at home over Sunday.

Gentle spring caught a severe cold last Monday.

To-day is "Arbor Day." Have you set out a tree?

Blissfield citizens have given their new band a $40 benefit.

Monday, the 5th of May, will be circus day. Make a note of it.

The thermometer was down to the freezing point last Monday morning.

The M. & O. road are graveling the grounds about the freight depot in this village.

We haven't heard of any boys running away from school to go swimming as yet.

The increase of the liquor bonds to $5,000 by the Common Council seems to give general satisfaction.

The street commissioner is putting in some good work cleaning up Chicago street in the business district.

C. T. Chapin, lately the owner of the Cadillac News, will open a job printing office in that city the 1st of May.

Mrs. R. C. Catlin is now living with the family of Geo Curtis, and expects to remain in Tecumseh for several weeks.

F. L. Marks and wife, of Cleveland, were in town on Friday visiting his brother Millard Marks of the firm of Marks & Russell.

Osborn & Wilson exhibited "Greasy Bill" at the state sheep shearing festival at Lansing. His fleece tipped the scales at 36½ pounds.

Fred Rosacrans will return from Watch out for the big circus on Monday, May 5th.

Why not celebrate Decoration Day in Tecumseh this year? The G. A. R., and Co. C acting together, ought to be able to get up a good old-time celebration.

Work has been commenced on the brick walls of Ab Usborne's building adjoining the HERALD office, and the store will be pushed to completion as fast as the weather will allow.

Mrs. S. R. Merritt has returned from her visit to Lockport New York, where she has been spending two several weeks with her son John A. Merritt. John's health has been quite poorly lately but he is now on the gain.

Geo. Adamson will soon move his stock of goods into the store now being vacated by C. A Keil in the corner of the Lilley House block. He intends to make the old corner store the scene of unwonted activity in the jewelry line this season.

The Junior Class banquet at the Opera House last Friday evening was a unique affair, well planned and admirably carried out. The piano fund received an addition of about fifty dollars, which will nearly liquidate the indebtedness now resting upon the piano. Prof. Hammond intends to wipe out the debt before the close of the present school year.

The Adrian and Rome Wool Growers' and Sheep Breeders Association will hold its "Opening Shearing Festival" on Wednesday, May 2nd, 1884, at the residence of Chas. W. Selleck, in Adrian township, on the town line between Adrian and Rome. Shearing to begin at 10:30 A. M. Competition open to all. All are cordially invited to be present and participate.

The first number of the Tecumseh News made its appearance last Thursday evening. It is a neat five column quarto, well printed and well edited. If the initial number is an earnest of what is to follow Bro. Field can rest assured of a good patronage. Tecumseh is continually growing in wealth population and business importance, and we see no reason why the town should not now sustain two good newspapers.

The third degree special of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69 last Friday evening was numerously attended, a number of visiting brethren being present from Clinton and Springville. Joe Smith was raised in good shape and passed the ordeal like a veteran. The Clinton Mason's have a right to expect a return of their call by the Tecumseh Lodge some day. The Clinton Lodge has the reputation of being one of the best working lodges in Southern Michigan.

The following notice is clipped from the Bay City Morning Call of April 15th: The deceased had many acquaintances in Tecumseh who will learn of her demise with sincere regret.

Mary C. Johnson, daughter of the late Judge Franklin and Adaline Johnson, died at the residence of her mother, 904 Sixth street, at 7:15 o'clock yesterday morning. Miss Johnson has for some time past been a sufferer from congestion of the heart and pneumonia. Miss Johnson's parents formerly resided at Monroe, Mich., and she leaves a mother, two sisters and a brother to mourn her loss. Brief service will be held at the house. The body will be taken to Monroe Wednesday morning for interment.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD.—The following letter was received by Rev. Mr. Conley on Wednesday morning. It speaks for itself. I give it verbatim as far as it could be read:

Bear Sir i herd sum Men say that they would far & fether you in (here is a word illegible) before long.
So look out for yourself i beseech you A. friend.

Now if this letter means anything at all it is not from a friend. It is evidently the work of a German from the formation of the letters. Following on the work of Mr. Conley before the council on Monday evening, it looks like a threat. If it is intended for such, it shows the animus of this liquor business. But if these men imagine that they can intimidate Mr. Conley, or the other men concerned, they are mistaken. We are in for the war and propose to stand fire.
GEO. W. HUDSON.

Adrian Times: Wm Robinson, the prisoner who was sentenced to hard labor at Jackson for six years, by Judge Howell, yesterday, for procuring money from a Clinton saloon keeper by false pretenses, is a very ugly villian. After the exposure of the plan to escape from the jail, in which he was to participate, he was in very bad humor. When he was being taken back to jail, after his sentence yesterday, he manifested his ill-nature a good deal, and finally, on reaching the jail, remarked that all the sheriffs in Lenawee could not put him back into the cell in which he has been kept since the attempt at jail breaking was discovered. He is a big bully, and an ugly customer to tackle, and when he braced himself and made his vicious remark, there seemed every indication of a row. Sheriff Bidwell, who had made up his mind that nothing but summary treatment would do the fellow, cooly pulled out his revolver, cocked it, and gave him an invitation to step into his cell, or the alternative of having a hole blown through his ugly carcass. He went in, at a nimble gait.

son is improving, and it is hoped he may be able to return with Fred.

There will be a donation at the parsonage on Thursday evening, May 1st, for the benefit of Rev. J. Phelps. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

John I. Werner is bound not to be behind in the march of improvements and has consequently treated his residence to a new covering of paint. It looks well.

The 26th of this month is the anniversary of the foundation of Odd Fellowship in this country, the first Lodge having been instituted at Baltimore on the 26th day of April.

Everybody should attend J. W. Patterson's sale of household furniture, carpets, etc. Private sale at his residence Tuesday, April 29th. Public sale same place Wednesday, April 30.

Intelligence received here by the friends of E. H. Merritt states that his health is much impaired and he has left Big Rapids for an extended Southern trip in hopes to regain his former physical condition.

The M. & O. road have a gang of men fencing their road at the East end of the line. The fences are now completed about half way from Dundee to Britton. Good substantial board fences are being constructed.

P. C. Mills has been making some great improvements in his property at the west end of Chicago street. The old fences have been removed and the trees and shrubery nicely trimmed. The property looks almost like a new place.

The dog "pizener" is abroad. Last Friday night Matt. Root and C. A. wright both lost valuable dogs by being poisoned. Gus Wright valued his at $100. If the rascal who did the mischief is found out it will go hard with him.

Tecumseh physicians have struck hard times, that is hard times for their business. Both Dr's. Catlin and North say that not within fifteen years has there been as little sickness in this vicinity as at present. Tecumseh is a healthy town.

F. E. Badge, who has been a resident of our town about one year and engaged in the Globe Flouring Mills, goes to Jennison City, Colorado, next Wednesday, where his Brother-in-law has secured for him a good position as bookkeeper.

G. P. Sparks will soon occupy rooms in Lee's block, which have been fitted up expressly for his use. His new quarters will afford an elegant and convenient location for his business which has outgrown the narrow quarters he has been occupying.

C. A. Keil is removing his stock of goods to Toledo, where he will engage in the same business with other parties. Mr. Keil has built up a good trade here and our people will regret his departure. He formerly lived in Toledo and seeks a larger field for action.

John F. Murray, of Detroit, is in town a day or two. Mr. Murray says he is homesick to move back here, whenever he comes to Tecumseh. With our present railroad facilities this would be a convenient point for him. Let him take a printer's advice and move back at once.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Clayton is again without a hotel.

Addison bankers after a milkman.

Circuit Court is in session this week at Adrian.

The old Blissfield band will soon be re-organized.

Cambridge cast 129 Union, votes at the town election.

Easter services were held in most of the Hudson churches.

The Hudson N. M. C. A. is in a prosperous condition.

Work has commenced on the new county Court House.

Residents of Medina can now Hello with the outside world.

The pipe organ in the Adrian College chapel is out of kilter.

The new cheese factory in Seneca is making five cheese per day.

Morenci will have a new iron bridge over the Bean to cost $2,600.

Madison is to have a new town house to cost one thousand dollars.

The G. A. R. of Morenci have taken steps to celebrate Decoration Day.

The Dayton Hedge Company have a force of ten men at work in Seneca.

The Hudson Baptist church had an egg-breaking entertainment last week.

Henry Lancaster runs a free bus from his Clinton hotel to all the trains.

Clayton folks don't like it because the milkman rings his bell on Sunday morning.

A Morenci school teacher has been flogging a pupil and litigation is threatened.

Tank Kee will lecture on the heathen Chinee at Morenci, in the second week in May.

Morenci village will raise about one thousand dollars for corporation purposes this year.

Reports from all sections of the county are favorable for a good wheat crop this season.

pulling door bells after dark and then scampering away.

The editor of the Blissfield Advance is already receiving taters from admiring subscribers.

The new Adrian Band started for New Orleans last Monday with the Knights of Pythias.

A. D. Gilmore of Blissfie'd, wants to attend the Republican National Convention as a delegate.

Henry Jipson, of Blissfield, has sold his village residence and expects to move to Missouri soon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. VanVleet and daughter have gone to Virginia where Mr. VanVleet thinks of purchasing a home.

The fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of Medina will be celebrated at Oak Grove Academy on the 28th of May next.

Under sheriff Hyde is the right man in the right place. Prisoners don't break jail worth a cent while he carries the keys.

North Seneca has a postmaster and a postoffice but no mail, as no one can be found to carry the mail on the terms offered.

Adrian College is prospering. The big boys have organized a base ball club, and have been reprimanded at chapel exercises.

Mr. Roberts of Dover, found a lot of counterfeit quarters and half dollars in his barn recently, and he is now trying to solve the mystery.

The old tannery of Hudson which has been unoccupied for a long time will be remodled and used for a cider mill and fruit drying factory.

One of the editors of the Evening Record lost his diary last week. A typo in the Press office found it and has been taking notes for his love letters ever since.

The April meeting of the Hillsdale and Lenawee Farmer's Union will be held at Church's Corners, Wednesday, April 30th, 1884. An interesting programme is announced.

Clinton pays fifteen cents for woodchuck scalps. A good chance for the boys of the adjoining towns to make something. Three and one-third woodchuck scalps will buy a circus ticket.

The County Treasurer is without a habitation, his corner having been torn down to give place to the new Court House. He will cash county orders now in Whaley & Hoag's shoe store.

The church bells of Morenci were rung last Sunday "on good old fashioned Lord's time," the Observer says. The religious proclivities of the Observer man stick out even in his editorial columns.

The Bohemian Oat men are still perambulating the county selling oats at $10 per bushel. When their Bohemian n(otes) fall due, the farmers who have invested will have a less exalted opinion of Bohemian oats.

Adrian Press: Channing D. Bills and Miss Nellie Faling, of Tecumseh, were married April 2d. Nellie was his principal Faling, while she won't permit her Bills to be discounted or go to protest. We presume that with them as in business circles, there will be a growing demand for small bills.

THE BRITTON SHEEP SHEARING

The fourth annual meeting of the Ridgeway Sheep Breeders' Association was held at the barn of John Britton, at Britton, on Tuesday last. The weather was very unfavorable, a cold raw wind keeping many away, and it was thought best at first not to shear any of the sheep on account of the weather, but after waiting until afternoon it was decided that a few of them should be shorn and at it they went. The attendance of visitors and members of the society was small, but the show of sheep was a grand one, and proved the fact that our Ridgeway farmers are well up in the sheep breeding business, and that they have some of the finest stock in the whole State which they are constantly improving. The whole number of sheep on the ground was seventy four.

Among the entries we noted the following:

I. N. Pilbeam of Ridgeway, showed eight yearling ewes, and seven yearling rams, of his own breeding. He now has on hand on his farm 130 head, 50 of which are registered stock. He owns the celebrated buck "Victor" bred by Q. C. Rich of Vermont, sired by "Centennial." Part of his ewes were bred by C. A. Miller of Marshall. The ewes and rams he exhibited were fine animals, square bodied and showing wonderfully fine fleeces. He has now 20 young rams on sale. His sheep sale of last year amounted to $1,188 50.

A. Linn of Ridgeway, exhibited four yearlings, 8 two year old ewes, 8 yearling rams and his four year old ram "Bonny Jo," a fine fellow and excellent stock getter.

L. V. Dibble of Ridgeway, 2 two year old rams.

Chas. Dibble of Ridgeway, 1 three year old ram.

Chas Pocklington of Ridgeway, 1 two year old ram.

G. W. Underwood of Ridgeway, 1 yearling ewe and 1 yearling ram.

Geo. L. Oliver of Ridgeway, 2 three year old rams.

Sol Smith of Ridgeway, 1 four old buck.

John Britton & Son of Ridgeway, 7 yearling ewes, 4 two year olds and 1 three year old, besides their ram "Rip VanWinkle, Jr." This is a very handsome ram and his breeding makes him a valuable aninal.

Britton & Smith of Ridgeway, 1 four year old ram.

Albert Holmes of Macon, 3 yearlings 1 four years old, 1 three years old, and 1 two year old ewe, besides 1 two year old ram.

W. J. Osborn, 3½ miles west of Tecumseh, exhibited four yearling bucks 2 yearlings, and 2 three year old ewes. He has already shorn 86 ewes which averaged 14 lbs of wool and the weight of fleeces from his rams was from 12 to 27 lbs. He now has a flock of 186 sheep, 60 of which are registered. He has about 90 yearling rams on sale at his farm. The sheep he exhibited were fine in size, style, form, etc., and we should think were as fine as could be produced in the State. His stock is ruled by the ram "Hector," whose record shows him to be a great stock sheep as well as a heavy shearer.

The Tecumseh Artist, Brown, was on the spot and succeeded in obtaining photographs of a number of the rams present.

RECORD OF SHEARING.

P. O. Address.	Sex.	Age.	Weight of Carcass.	Days growth of fleece.	Weight of fleece. lbs	oz
John Britton & Son, Balch	E	3	61	350	12	8
" " " "	E	2	58½	355	11	4
" " " "	E	1	48		11	
W. Osborn, Tecumseh	E	1	51½		10	12
" "	E	1	45½		11	4
" "	R	1	76½		10	12
" "	R	1	83		15	
I. N. Pilbeam, Ridgeway	R	1	59½		11	8
" " "	R	1	59		11	
A. Linn, Ridgeway	R	1	71½		12	
A. Holmes, Macon	R	2	163	355	30	
Britton & Smith, Balch	R	4	138	355	24	

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Simeon Smith has moved in the Lambkins house.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Knight a girl.

Horatio Keyser is vibrating between village and country life.

Com. Bowen is having a bridge built on the Clinton road near Peter Waldrons. Elijah Wilson does the job.

Manager Bowen went down last week to start T. I. Sutton's incubator which is run by electricity.

Beri VanNess has sold his farm to Mrs. A. Wisner and is moving in with Miss Saviers.

C. Wiley has lost five cows and Mrs. Mudgett one from some unknown disease this spring.

F. W. DePuy having rented his farm goes into the lightning rod business with J. F. Hicks.

The farmers who gave their orders to the Dayton Hedge Co., are preparing the ground for the plants.

While at Lansing last week attending the state sheep sheering Festival, J. F. N. Bowen went to Lyons and stopped over night with R. W. Hillman. He found him nicely situated on his new farm and heartily welcomes his old Tecumseh friends.

In a recent number of the Sunday Post we saw printed therein a report of the township board and Highway Commissioners showing the recipts and disbursements. Did it ever occur to our township officers that the tax payers were interested in such reports?

Adrian Press: Some one wanted the Tecumseh Herald to print some extra democratic tickets for Ridgeway, and kicked like a steer, because Stacy refused, because the democratic tickets had been ordered by one of the candidates and taken away. We think the Herald did right. If the other chap wanted a different ticket he should have furnished copy, and given it a name. No one but the regular democratic town committee had authority to print "democratic" tickets. Any other gathering or wing of democrats could have named a ticket, however, and it would have been legitimate work to print it. The kicker evidently wanted to come "sheman igan" on Santus, as was done last year.

NO SOONER, NO LATER.

The date of the Anglo American Four Combined Shows, when once fixed is never changed under any circumstances, and its railroad contracts are made months in advance of the arrival of the various advertising cars. The public is therefore warned not to be misled or confused by any future announcements, as these monster shows will positively exhibit in all its entirety, at Tecumseh, Monday, May 5.

Blaine's boom is forging along at a lively rate now.

—Notice. David Jones has moved his renovating establishment to the store lately occupied by Peter Welling, on Railroad street, and will be pleased to have his friends call and see him. D. JONES.

—Please call and look at our goods. Bureaus for $5.00. Trunks for $1.00. Sewing Machines for $18.00. Spring Couches for $5.50. Baby Cabs, $2.50. Camp Rockers, with arms, $3.00. Pillow Sham Holders, $1.00. New style curtain fixtures, a splendid kind for 15 cts. including cord, at
Slayton & Kinney's, Tecumseh.

—We are bound to suit all; S. W. Temple sells the Ohio and Grand Rapids Plaster at the same price.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at
Brown's Art Gallery

—Mrs. B. Jones, at her rooms over Adamson's jewelry store, has the most complete stock of Hair Goods ever brought to Tecumseh. Call and examine goods and learn prices.

—Clawson wheat has neither taste or flavor. Heck Bros. do not use it to make their flour.

—Masons and Others Attention.—Sample some of that lime sold by S. W. Temple and you will use no other.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Adrian, wishes to announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she will open a full line of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and a great variety of Millinery, also a large assortment of Hair Goods, on Wednesday afternoon of each week at the Lilley House, Sample Room, No. 22, Ladies' entrance, R. R. street. Hats made over and pressed in all the new shapes. Give her a call.

—For Gale Plows and extras call upon the only authorized agents for this vicinity.
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

—Sewing Machines, Needles, Oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

—The largest assortment of Picture Frames, Mats and Albums, at
Brown's Art Gallery.

Slayton & Son will have a car of Agricultural Salt in a few days. Leave your orders with them at once.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—You will find it a pleasant place to call while waiting for friends or the train, at Brown's New Ground Floor Gallery.

Notice.—The best assortment of chairs and furniture at Palmer's chair factory that he has ever had. For sale cheap.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—No guess work. If you want as good flour as is made in the state, get Heck Bros.' complete all roll flour.

—Attention Ladies. Nothing will save you so much labor or give you as good satisfaction as the Champion Creamery. Call on Slayton & Son and examine them.

—Try the flour which has no Clawson wheat and you will get the best flavor and taste. Heck's flour is the kind.

DIED.

CLARK—On Sunday night, April 20, 1884, of pneumonia, William Gladstone, the eldest son of John R. and Ellanor Clark, aged 15 years and 12 days.

ADAMS—In Ridgeway, on Thursday, April 17th, Martha Adams, aged 78 years and 10 months.

She leaves a husband to travel alone the journey of life. Funeral services were held at the Christian church in Ridgeway on Sunday last conducted by Rev. Geo. Price.

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HOTELS.

SILVERS HOUSE, CLINTON, MICH., S. Erskine, Proprietor. Good sample rooms for commercial men. Rates reasonable.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS. H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery, also manufacturers of Dillon's Improved Patent Drain Tile Machine, Sweeney's Brick Machine, etc.

WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid for policy holders since organization and held for them $6,138,359.34. Total premiums received, $6,681,780.67. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $6,306,560.13. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unequaled by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $18,500,000. Surplus over four per cent. reserve, $3,062,641.61.

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CHAS. A. WALDRON, Veterinary Surgeon. All orders promptly attended to either by mail or in person. Office at the residence of A. K. Waldron, Tecumseh, Mich.

LILLEY HOUSE—Chicago street, Tecumseh. This house has been recently enlarged by the addition of an office and new office on Chicago street, and the dining room has been doubled in size. Rates reasonable. W. H. Passmore, Proprietor.

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Lieutenant Ray, who was sent by the United States authorities to establish a signal station at Point Barrow, thus describes the people among whom, and the country in which, for two years, his lot was cast:

The village consists of a few scattering dwellings built in an uncouth and primitive manner, and contains about 150 people. They belonged to a tribe of Esquimaux, or, as they call themselves, Inn. The word "Esquimaux" was practically unknown to the natives, it having been applied to them by the French, when early expeditions were sent to discover the North Pole. The natives do not show a vestige of having made any attempts at civilization, although they are a quiet and inoffensive lot of people. In fact, during his entire stay of two years among them, Lieutenant Ray says he never knew one of them to quarrel with another, nor even saw a child punished. In this respect a lesson might be learned by the more pretentious people of civilized countries. They are not the fat, greasy-looking race pictured by some historians, although robust and healthy. The average weight of the men is about 158 and of the women about 130 pounds. They have a lighter complexion than the North American Indian, and dark-brown eyes. As a rule they are of low stature, not exceeding five feet and four inches in height. Men, women and children dress alike, their garb being constructed of deerskins sewed together with a thong of hide. The greatest objection to them is their uncleanly habits, none of them ever venturing to take a bath. The filth of their infancy is buried with them.

The stories told of them about eating blubber and fish fat are untrue, for do they drink oil, or eat any more than the average inhabitant of Massachusetts. They often, during the long winter, are reduced to eating raw walrus hide, but they willingly share their last mouthful with a total stranger. They are continually struggling for an existence, and live with as little comfort in life than to keep from starving to death. And yet they are seemingly happy, putting but little faith in what is told them of a better land and happier life. They are born, and reared in a life of extreme hardship, suffer untold tortures from cold and starvation, and pass away in happiness. They have little or no religion, no government, no commerce, nothing, in fact, but a miserable existence.

They have learned to use whisky and tobacco, and are very fond of both, they having been initiated into the practice of these habits of civilization by the whalers. Men, women and children chew tobacco. Lieutenant Ray says he has seen a two-months-old baby awake from its slumber, but immediately relapse upon a quid of navy-plug being placed in its mouth. An old squaw will strut about with a quid in the side of either cheek, one sight of which would bring a blush of shame to any jack-tar. After she has thoroughly extracted all the juice she sticks pieces of the weed behind her ears and dries them out for her lord and master to smoke. As a race, though, they are rapidly fading away, and in a comparatively short time will probably become extinct. In a distance of 700 miles along the northern coast there are less than 400 natives. None of these live in the interior, as there is nothing on which they can subsist, but are scattered along the shore, and spend their time in hunting and fishing. In the little village of Oogloomie there were eighteen deaths and only two births in two years, the cause of the deaths being almost entirely from pneumonia. They have no fires whatever, as there is nothing to burn but oil, and in the winter time they are forced to huddle together in order to keep warm.

The huts of the village are all built of wood and are the remains of wrecked vessels which washed ashore. In 1871 thirty-three vessels were wrecked along the coast, comprising almost the entire New Bedford whaling fleet. Last year the steamer North Star, of New Bedford, was caught in the ice and sank in twenty minutes. Fortunately it happened within sight of the station, and Lieutenant Ray and his men saved the entire crew, took them ashore, and cared for them a month, when assistance arrived. In 1879 twelve whaling vessels were sighted in the ice by the natives, but they disappeared and their crews of eighty men were never seen again. Lieutenant Ray and his command are the only party that ever passed a winter with the natives. In 1854 Captain Inglefield, of the English navy, was caught in the ice of Point Barrow while commanding the Plover on an expedition sent to search for Sir John Franklin, but he remained on board the ship.

The country is an absolute desert, without the slightest vestige of timber or undergrowth. For a distance of 200 miles from the shore the land is covered with a peculiar kind of moss, which thaws out in the summer time to the depth of about ten or twelve inches. There are no other signs of vegetation, and in the winter there is no animal life. It is one of the most barren and desolate regions on the face of the earth. It is a very healthy and pleasant climate, despite the extreme cold. The seasons are very peculiar. May 23 the sun rose and did not set again for seventy-two days, it being a delightful season of continuous sunlight. November 16, however, it set, and for a like period of seventy two days there was almost perpetual darkness.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—A Bridgeport (Conn.) dead-beat recently appeared at a drug store in the character of a prospective purchaser of cider barrels. After looking over about thirty he agreed on a price for the whole lot, and had them marked with his own name. It then occurred to him that he had somewhere a fine cider brandy that he would like to trade for the barrels, and to now show the compared with the druggist's and he asked for a sample. He got a large one, and drank it. He decided that his wife's better and would bring it the next day. He never brought it. He has succeeded in getting what he wanted—a free drink.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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It is no great thing if a man who has been carefully nurtured by intelligent parents and then passed through school, college and those additional years of professional study, go directly to the front. But start a man amid every possible disadvantage, and pile in his way all possible obstacles, and then if he take his position among those whose path was smooth, he must have the elements of power. Henry Wilson was great in mastering and overcoming all disadvantageous circumstances. He began at the bottom and without any help fought his own way to the top. If there ever was a man who had a right at the start to give up his earthly existence as a failure, that was Henry Wilson. Born of a dissolute father, so that the son took another name in order to escape the disgrace, never having a dollar of his own before he was twenty-one years of age; toiling industriously in a shoemaker's shop that he might get the means of schooling and culture; loaning his money to a man who swamped it all and never returned any of it; but still toiling on and up until he came to the State Legislature, and on up till he reached the American Senate, and on till he became Vice-President. In all this there ought to be great encouragement to those who wake up later in life to find themselves unequipped. Henry Wilson did not begin his education until most of our young men think they have finished theirs. If you are twenty five or thirty, forty or fifty, it is not too late to begin. Isaac Walton at ninety years of age wrote his valuable book. Benjamin Franklin, almost an octogenarian, went into philosophic discoveries. Fontenelle's mind blossomed even in the winter of old age. Christopher Wren added to the astronomical and religious knowledge of the world at eighty years of age.—*Baptist Weekly.*

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Jackson	6 22 A.M.	8 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 59 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 00 "	2 56 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 29 "	3 28 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	5 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 30 A.M.	5 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 32 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 04 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 14 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
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A. M.	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
5 20	7 05	10 10	Lv ...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
5 38	7 23	10 32	...Dundee...	4 40	10 30	5 00
5 54	7 37	10 47	...Britton...	3 35	10 10	4 11
6 01	7 44	10 52	...Ridgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
6 25	8 04	11 13	...Tecumseh...	3 19	9 57	3 42
6 40	8 17	12 00	...Tipton...	3 02	9 42	3 10
6 50	8 30	12 15	...Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
7 05	8 44	12 40	...Addison...	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 50	...Jerome...	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	...Moscow...	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	...Hanover...	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						P. M.
12 10	8 18	1 30	...Pulaski...	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 16	8 40	1 52	...Homer...	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 08	2 22	...Marshall...	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 48	9 22	2 34	...Ceresco...	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 30	9 40	2 56	...Battle Creek...	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	...Augusta...	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 29	...Yorkville...	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	...Richland...	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	...Dexter...	11 08		6 51
5 29		4 16	...Montelth...	10 49		6 15
5 39		4 27	...Fisk...	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	...Kellogg...	10 33		5 40
6 15		4 45	Ar...Allegan...Lv	10 20		5 15

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 43	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 81	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 45
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	9 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 46	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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C. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

— Trains run by Central Time. —

GOING NORTH. No. 2 Express.	No. 4 Accom.	No. 6 Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express.	No. 3 Express.	No. 5 Express.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A.M.	P. M.	A. M.
5 40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
5 45	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 26	1 39	4 48
5 53	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
6 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne	9 10	1 17	4 30
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria	9 02	1 07	4 22
6 25	2 57	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
6 30	3 07	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
6 43	3 23	9 04	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
6 55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
7 08	3 59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
7 10	4 06	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
7 15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
				A.M.		
7 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
7 32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
7 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
8 03	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo with railroads diverging. At Manhattan with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R.; at Alexis with M. C. R. R., L. S. & M. S., and F. & P. M. R'ys.; at Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S.; at Dundee with L. S. & M. S. and M. & O.; at Milan Junction with W., St. L. & P. Ry.; at Pittsfield with L. S. & M. S.; at Ann Arbor with M. C. R. R.; at South Lyon with D., L. & N., and G. T. R. R.

M. H. BENNETT, GEN'L PASS AG'T. H. W. ASHLEY, GEN. SUPT.

DR. B. F. SNYDER,

DENTIST. 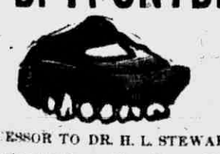 DENTIST.

SUCCESSOR TO DR. H. L. STEWART.

All Dental operations will be executed in a neat and skillful manner. Nitrous Oxide Gas, or vitalized air for extracting teeth without pain. I solicit your patronage, and will warrant all my work.

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TECUMSEH, MICH.

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I have a positive remedy for the above disease; by its use thousands of cases of the worst kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed, so strong is my faith in its efficacy, that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE, together with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease, to any sufferer. Give express and P. O. address. DR. T. A. SLOCUM, 181 Pearl St., New York.

Queer Things in People's Ears.

"You would be astonished," said a skilled aurist in one of the public eye and ear infirmaries," at the large number of children who are brought to us in the course of a week to have something removed from their ears that they have foolishly stuck in them and have been unable to get out again. I have sometimes disposed of ten such cases in an afternoon, and have pulled almost everything out of the human ear that it is possible to get in there—shoe buttons, pieces of slate pencil, candies and wads of paper. Four times out of five the youngster is old enough to know better; but it is a habit that fall into, the same as biting their nails, or scratching their heads. One boy not twelve years old is almost a weekly visitor here. 'Well,' I said, as I saw him come in as usual yesterday afternoon, 'what have you got in there this time?' 'Nawthin' but a bean,' he drawled. 'O, yes, I took it out.

"But I recently met with the most remarkable case of the kind in twenty years' practice. A young woman of twenty-three came in so deaf that I could hardly make her hear by shouting through a trumpet. After removing a great quantity of wax from her ears I found something metallic.

"'What's this,' I said, 'have you been putting something in your ear?'

"'O, dear, no,' she said, 'I am not so foolish as that.'

"Imagine her surprise when I pulled out a smooth, round brass button, with quite a large shank to it. 'This seems to have been in there a great many years!' I said. To my surprise the young woman crouched in the corner in undisguised terror.

"'O, doctor,' she said, 'what is that awful noise?'

"It was nothing but a wagon rumbling by, but I instantly saw what the trouble was. Her hearing had become normal when I removed that button, and she was frightened and bewildered at the jumble of confusing sounds. The ticking of the clock, chirping of the canary, or dripping of water distressed her, and the rustle of her own silk dress made her start with fear. I sent one of the assistants home with her in a carriage, and he said that the clatter in the street so distracted her that he was compelled to hold her in her seat. About a week afterward she came in again——"

"And wanted that button put back I suppose," interrupted the reporter.

"O, no, she was brimming over with happiness, though for a day or two she was afraid to leave the house. But she told me about that button. When I was about eight years old,' she said, 'I was sent to a village church in New England with my grandmother. The sermon was always long and tiresome, and I used to amuse myself by pulling the brass buttons on my cloak. One of them came off on Sunday, and I occupied myself for a time with putting it in my ear and shaking it out again. Suddenly I felt it sink away in there and I could not get it out. I was afraid to tell my grandmother at the time, and soon afterward forgot it. At ten years of age I began to grow deaf and have been getting worse ever since, but I never once thought of that button until you removed it.'"

"Do grown people," asked the reporter, "ever come to you with things in their ears?"

"Frequently, but in most cases it is through no fault of their own. I know one man, a butcher, who comes here regularly in the summer time to have flies removed from his ears. I have taken out six at one time for him. How ever they get there I don't know. He says they fly in; but they don't fly out, I'm sure of that. A man called me out of bed one night to get a Croton bug out of his ear. Now, a water bug will never back. He must either turn around or go straight ahead. This fellow had crawled into man's ear, and, not finding room enough to turn around, went ahead. He was pawing away with his feelers on the drum, causing the poor man fearful agony."—*N. Y. Times.*

New Styles in Revolvers.

"This," said an expert in firearms, "is the old-style of self-cocking revolver, and this is the new." The first was a short, stout, clumsy affair of the pepper-box style in vogue thirty years ago or more. It was loaded with powder and ball, sent home with a ramrod, and the hammer, a flat one, was in view in the usual place. You see it took percussion caps, and when the owner happened to have any to fit it, and the spring was strong enough to make that cap explode, the weapon was good for five shots with five pulls of the trigger. It was a clumsy and most unreliable weapon. It was hard to hit anything smaller than a barn-door at ordinary pistol-shot distance, and when the object was hit it was not damaged much. Here is one a little more modern and a little more sure. The hammer is out of sight and the trigger is ring-shaped. This, too, was heavy, and so complicated that it was very liable to get out of order. Then came the self-cocker, which used cartridges, but the first experiments were failures, and they fell into disuse."

"What was their weak point?" asked the reporter.

"The spring. It did not hold its strength, and after a little use the pistol was apt to miss fire. That naturally drove it out of favor at once, and very properly. That weakness has been overcome, and springs are now so adjusted that the shot is sure every time. The present self-cocker is neat, handy, quick in action and a deadsure thing every time. Is it dangerous? Well, no, not more so than any other kind of a pistol; and in cases where a fraction of a second counts one of these is worth a bushel of hand-cockers. They are a little more dangerous in the hands of a nervous man who does not intend to shoot. I have known of several cases in which persons have escaped conviction for murder on the ground that in their excitement they pulled to hard on the trigger and the pistol went off by accident. But any kind of a pistol is unsafe in such hands, and when we think of the advantages which a quick, reliable weapon gives to a man in an emergency, we are bound to admire the self-cocker. Five shots in three seconds is pretty quick work, but that's what it will do, and do it every time. As a pocket pistol it is as safe to carry as any other kind.—*Boston Globe.*

The Great Landlord.

The third richest man in the Union is John Jacob Astor, the chief owner and heir of the Astor estate. Unlike many millionaires, Astor has both name and riches—a name linked with fabulous wealth for three succeeding generations. The estimated value of the Astor estate is from $90,000,000 to $100,000,000, a veritable mountain of gold. John Jacob and William B. are its sole owners, the former's interest said to be two-thirds.

For nearly a century the title of being "the landlords of New York" has attached itself to them. John Jacob's interest in honest rent and honest money be computed in the thousands.

Among the valuable buildings principally owned by Mr. Astor, as chief heir to the estate is the old landmark, the Astor House, which was sold to his father by his grandfather, the founder of the immense estate, for $1. Its present value is said to be $2,000,000, being assessed at $1,750,000. The Guarantee and Indemnity building, chiefly owned by Mr. Astor, was purchased a short time ago for $1,000,000, while the Astor estate pays taxes on $50,000,000 of real estate situated below Chambers Street, most of which consists of business houses on Broadway and Wall street. There is scarcely a ward, street or avenue in the city in which Mr. Astor does not own real estate, on which the total amount of taxes is over $400,000 annually.

Another point of difference between Mr. Astor and other millionaires is in his investments. In Wall street he never appears as a speculator and seldom as an investor or seller of stocks, bonds or other similar securities. Having an income of ten per cent on the gross amount invested in real estate, he chiefly buys more houses or land when opportunity for good investment offers. In an inventory made of his various properties an item of $6,000,000 in cash appeared as "money in trust companies and banks waiting investment in real estate."

Mr. Astor is a man of striking personal appearance, being over six feet in height, stout, somewhat inclined to corpulence and straight as an arrow. When on the street his quick, elastic step and smiling face, fringed with small, gray side whiskers, invariably attract attention. His dress is simple and surprisingly neat. At business or in the street he wears a black silk hat, black away or frock coat, with trousers to match, comfortable looking shoes always lightly polished, while in his hand usually swings as he walks a large, purple silk umbrella. In summer his costume is changed to a black serge coat and trousers some lighter color, while an easy straw hat rests lightly on his ivory-white hair.

Mr. Astor, though seldom speaking of himself, recently told a friend that although he had completed threescore years, he felt as well and hearty as he did at forty. Benevolence is his striking characteristic, one probably inherited from the founder of the Astor Library. Many of his charities are published, though the actual amount of good done with his ever-ready check-book is little known. In nearly all the charitable institutions of this city the names of himself or wife, and often jointly, appear as large givers. During the winter months Mr. Astor is either at his office at No. 21 West Twenty-sixth Street, or at his home at No. 358 Fifth Avenue. The house is familiar to nearly every resident of Fifth Avenue, and is conspicuous for nothing but its plainness and the spacious grounds which surround it. It is built of fine moulded brick, with trimmings of brown-stone, and has a double stairway leading to the front entrance. The interior compares favorably with any palace.

During the late illness of his wife, Mr. Astor's time was chiefly devoted to cheering her weary hours at the bedside with the same untiring affection he has shown throughout the many years of his married life. His principal recreations are visits to his elegant country seat at Rheinecliffe-on-the-Hudson and yachting. The country seat is an ancient-looking establishment, kept in the finest order, and is a reminiscence of olden time. Well shaded with trees of every kind, its immense lawns and gardens are traversed by long drives and walks.

Here, in the long days of the summer months, Mr. Astor sits on the cool piazza or under some shady trees and reads. He is having built one of the finest pleasure yachts yet launched in the waters of this country, the cost of which is placed at a trifle over $200,000. It will be completed early in the summer.—*N. Y. Morning Journal.*

Two Aged Southern Students.

"We knew in Granville County two aged gentlemen who were farmers and who lived half a mile or so apart. One of them, now in his grave, in his seventy-fourth year sat down and read over for mental solacement and refreshment and for use several leading Latin poets. He was the finest scholar in Shakespeare that has yet lived in the South so far as we know. He was a man of sweetest character, and wrote with considerable elegance. When John C. Taylor fell asleep one of the purest and best of North Carolinians passed to his reward. His neighbor still survives, aged eighty-one years. He, too, is a classical scholar, and reads his Horace in his old age. He is a man of very accurate reading, and is more familiar with Chaucer than any man we have known. He reads the best and only the best. It was only last year that it was our pleasure to publish a very clever contribution from his fertile pen that was as sparkling, fresh and humorous as if it had been written by some gifted man of thirty-five. It was this article that gave the finishing blow to the supposed authorship of "Cousin Sally Dillard," and that showed that Ham Jones had only revamped an old Virginian story.—*Wilmington (N. C.) Star.*

—One of the weather "prophets" up in New Hampshire frankly says that he sits down and thinks and then "predicts what happens to come into his mind." Some other weather-wise people are not as candid, but possibly not more scientific.—*Chicago Times.*

—Boiled barley is quite generally fed horses in England. It is said to have one-third more nutrition than oats.

Camillus, Onondaga Co., N. Y.
Jan. 10, 1883.

Rheumatic Syrup Co:

Gents—I feel it my duty to recommend your wonderful medicine—"Rheumatic Syrup"—to all who are suffering with rheumatism, neuralgia or kidney difficulty.

I have been a great sufferer with rheumatism, caused by kidney difficulty, and have been treated by our best physicians, but they failed to reach my case or benefit me in the least.

I saw in the Auburn papers the names of a number who had been permanently cured by the use of Rheumatic Syrup, and, being acquainted with many of them, I was induced to try it, and to my surprise I found that all pain had left me before I had finished the first bottle. I continued its use for a time, and to-day I am well as ever and feel no more pain or trouble with my kidneys. It has been several months since I discontinued its use, so I know it is a permanent cure in my case.

I can testify that Rheumatic Syrup will do all—yes, more than you claim for it. I am yours truly,

Mrs. Hattie Paddock.

New Prolific Tree Bean.

Having raised them for main crop the past season, I can conscientiously give them the following recommend: On good soil they will yield an average of about 150 pods to the tree, 6 or 7 grains to the pod, and 60 bushels to the acre if planted AS DIRECTED. They closely resemble the Navy Bean, cook in much less time than the Navy, are very white, and of excellent flavor. Having but one stalk in a hill they are much easier cultivated than five to seven stalks of any common variety, and can be left in the hill until all are fully matured, thereby avoiding liability to mould. They should be planted as soon as danger from frost is over, in rows two feet apart, and 15 or 18 inches in the row, more than one stalk in a hill will not do, and if more is planted, thin when two inches high to one plant in a hill, and they will completely cover the ground. About four quarts plants an acre. Try them and for main crop you will grow no other. Net price per quart, 25 cents.

Order at this office, or, at the residence of W. E. GRAY,
North end Union St., Tecumseh, M.

A GOOD INVESEMENT.—One of our [illegible] other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the window and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Austina Schoultz, sister of Herman Schoultz, murdered near East Tawas, is reported to have become crazed by the tragedy, as is also Dennis Grice, an estimated citizen of Tawas City.

U. S. Surgeon Recommends.

Dr. J. M. G. Pheeton, is a U. S. Ex-Surgeon, residing now at Bloomington, Ind. The Dr. writes, to say: "I recommend Samaritan Nervine because it cures epilepsy." Physicians, generally, are its friends.

Buchanan isn't a sleepy town by any means, but it will make 100,000 bedsteads this year.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

R. S. Thompson, prominent Monroe merchant, is about removing to Devil's Lake, Dakota.

Honesty is the best policy and Hall's Catarrh Cure is an honest medicine, hence its success.

The work of transcribing the records for the new county of Arenac is almost completed.

Remove boils, pimples, and skin eruptions, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla to purify the blood.

Hamilton & Foster, of Flint, have sold 40 fine Hereford bulls to an Abilene, Ks., firm.

For Colds, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis and sore throat use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and get the genuine.

Forty converts are the result of J. C. Higgins' revival meetings at Evart.

NEVER NEGLECT a constipated condition of the bowels, or serious results surely follow, such as piles, and impure blood. Use Burdock Blood Bitters.

Flint will have a new roller rink, 70x125 feet in size. It will be of brick.

Quinsy troubled me for twenty years. Since I started using Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have not had an attack. Mrs. Letta Conrad, Standish, Mich.

Rev. E. H. Teal, pastor of the Charlotte baptist church, has resigned.

S. B. Durfey, mate of the steamer Arizonia, had his foot badly jammed. Thomas' Eclectric Oil cured it. Nothing equal to it for a pain relieve.

Jas. Miller, of Ann Arbor teamster, was arrested and fined $5 and costs yesterday for pounding a flagman who warned him against crossing the track in front of a train.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed, to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

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During the last 3 years.
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From 1853 to 1884
Their success has been uninterrupted,
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An infallible remedy for all diseases of the Skin and Blood, such as Tetter, Ringworm, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Pimples & Blotches, and is the best Remedy for all Female Complaints and Weaknesses. It has cured diseases of the Liver and Kidneys when all other remedies have failed.

DO not let your Druggist persuade you to take something else, but if he has not got it, and will not send for it, write to us and we will send it to you by express, prepaid, on receipt of price.

.....One to three bottles of Rheumatic Syrup will clear the system of Bile, and cure any case of Inflammatory or Acute Rheumatism, or Neuralgia.

.....Three to five bottles will cure Erysipelas in its worst form.

.....Four to six bottles are warranted to cure corrupt and running Ulcers.

.....Four to six bottles are warranted to cure any case of Salt Rheum.

.....Five to eight bottles will cure the worst case of Scrofula.

.....From two to four months' use of Rheumatic Syrup will cure any case of Chronic Rheumatism of twenty years standing.

If you have been a sufferer for years, and have used all the remedies you could hear of with no avail, do not be discouraged, for Rheumatic Syrup will cure you.

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RHEUMATIC SYRUP CO., Rochester, N. Y.

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Castoria promotes Digestion and overcomes Flatulency, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, and Feverishness. It insures health and natural sleep without morphine.

"Castoria is so well adapted to Children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 82 Portland Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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When babies fret and cry to turns, What cures their colic, pills their worms? But Castoria.

What quickly cures Constipation, Sour Stomach, Cours, Indigestion? But Castoria.

Favored then to Morphine Syrups, Castor Oil and Paregoric, and Half Castoria!

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CURES Rheumatism, Lumbago, Lame Back, Sprains and Bruises, Asthma, Catarrh, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Diphtheria, Burns, Frost Bites, Tooth, Ear, and Headache, and all pains and Aches.

FOSTER, MILBURN & COMPANY, Proprietors, Buffalo, New York, U. S. A.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, March 21, 1884.

At this regular session Council convened at the regular hour

Present the entire council.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The committee on Finance was allowed time to make a report later in session.

The following bills were referred to the committee on finance.

R. G. Wilson	$2.00
Swan & Satterthwaite	9.52
A. Parish	1.50
Wm. Brown	7.50
T. Elliott	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Thos. Kyle	2.50
Toledo Oil Co	$7.60

At the request of Mr. Bresie the Rev. Mr. Conley was allowed to present petitions asking the council to reject the Saloonist's Bonds. The request was granted.

Moved the petitions be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Moved the petitions be read that contained the names of the voters of the village. Carried.

The Recorder then proceeded to read the names.

The Liquor Bond of Wm. J. Arnold was presented.

Moved the council proceed to ballot to receive or reject said bond. Carried.

The President ordered a ballot which resulted as follows

Whole number of votes cast, 8. For acceptance, 4, for rejection, 3, blank, 1.

The Chair ordered another ballot which resulted as follows

Whole number cast, 8, for acceptance, 4, for rejection, 4.

The result of this ballot being a tie the Chair ordered another ballot which resulted as follows.

Whole number cast, 8, for acceptance, 4, for rejection, 4.

Moved that the consideration of the bond of Wm. J. Arnold be indefinitely postponed. Carried.

Moved that the liquor bonds of I. P. Keyser, Montague & Osborne, Snell & Wallinger be indefinitely postponed. Carried.

Moved that the druggist bond of C. A. Wright & Co. be accepted. Lost.

Moved that the druggist bonds of C. A. Wright & Co., Marks & Russell, and Baker & Hail be indefinitely postponed. Carried.

The Treasurer's report for last year was submitted and referred to the committee on finance.

Communication received complaining of various Poker Rooms in the village, was upon motion, referred to the Marshal.

The finance committee then reported the following bills for payment

H. E. Anderson	$16.77
Thos. Kyle	4.00
W. E. Gray	5.10
W. C. Jordan	27.84
H. Brewer & Co	52.70
J. W. Cole	3.00
A. Packard	1.50
Wm. Brown	7.50
Toledo Oil Co	27.60
Geo. F. Payne	6.50
Swan & Satterthwaite	9.52

Moved that the above mentioned bills be accepted and paid. Carried.

In the matter of the care of the team and procuring teamster, made the following report

TECUMSEH, Mich., April 21, '84.

Your committee desire to report the following, that they have arranged with John Mesler to have the care of the team and to devote his entire time to the corporation for a compensation of $400 per annum, and request that an appropriation may be made for payment of the service in monthly installments of $33.25 each.

OSCAR P. BILLS, }
G. W. MARSDEN, Com.
WM. BRESIE. }

Moved that the report and contract be accepted and adopted. Carried.

The Street Committee also made a verbal report regarding their negotiations with the Agents of the M. & O. R. R. The committee report that they were instructed to receive and consider any or all propositions made by said R. R., looking to a modification of the existing contract between the village and the R. R., but as the R. R. had made no such proposition, the committee could not give the Council any light on the subject.

Moved that the committee have further time to receive any propositions the Railroad may see fit to make and report the same when made to the council. Carried.

Moved that the Council adjourn.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

THE BOHEMIAN OAT CRAZE

A farmer, writing to the Adrian Times, gives his views thus on the Bohemian oat craze. It appears that there is a well organized company somewhere in Ohio, who make a specialty of selling Bohemian oats for seed exclusively. The price is $10 per bushel, no more no less. They enter into a contract with the purchaser to sell for him twice the amount of his purchase of them, retaining twenty per cent. for their services. Thus the man who buys ten bushels pays $100, and they agree to sell for him twenty bushels at the same rate, making $200; but deducting 25 per cent., or $50, so the buyer gets $50 profit, besides the oats left. Now the oats are by no means a profitable crop to raise for feed like ordinary oats, as the yield is ordinarily but about 20 bushels per acre. Ten bushels costing $100 will sow five acres of land, and will produce, say, 100 bushels of oats. The twenty bushels the company sells for him brings him $50 over the cost of seed, and the balance 80 bushels will bring in the market 40 cents, making $32, plus $50, equaling $82. Ordinary oats will produce on the same ground 200 bushels, which at 40 cents, will make $80. While the cost of the seed in the first case is $100; in the latter case it is $4. It seems, then, that the profits of Bohemian oats are not so great over common oats after all.

The company obliges the buyer to enter into a contract with them that he will not sell any of the oats to other parties for less than ten dollars per bushel. The object is to form a combination to keep the price up, so long as men can be found who are willing to pay fool tax. While the bubble floats all is well, but when it bursts, as it will, somebody will get left.

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FITS: All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phil., Pa.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending April 16.

CAMBRIDGE

Henry Smith to Simon Shultis. Land on sec. 15. $1 275.

FRANKLIN

Bert Van Ness to Augusta B. Wisner. Land on sec. 23. $2,340.

R. N. McCollum to Joseph Spaulding. Land on sec. 12. $1,000.

RIDGEWAY

Chas. Underwood to Chas. G. Sutton. Land on sec. 16. $2,000.

TECUMSEH

M. J. Bidwell to John McCandry. Land in village. $200.

Elva A. McClure to Nancy A. Gambles. Land in village. $1,200.

Henry L. Jones to Caroline Sisson. Land in village. $600.

Geo. W. Totten to H. I. and M. Reese. Land in village. $1,200.

Mary E. and E. Turner to John A. Cone. Land in village. $1,500.

Caroline Bills et al. to James A. Curry. Land in village. $675.

WOODSTOCK

Geo. Bates to A. and O. Cheesbro. Land on sec. 34. $1,000.

Albert Cheesbro to Sarah Willet et al. Land on sec. 34. $975.

Joseph Every to Wm. D. Wells. Land on sec. 31. $150.

MARRIED.

LOVE—SPAFFORD.—In Tecumseh, Wednesday evening, April 16, 1884, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Delos S. Love to Jessie L. Spafford.

WIGGINS—ZUSLICK.—In Tecumseh, Wednesday, April 23, 1884, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Daniel R. Wiggins and Miss Julia E. Zuslick, both of Macon.

BETTIS—PALMER.—At the residence of Dr. R. R. Hinsey, in Tecumseh, Wednesday afternoon, April 23, 1884, by the Rev. E. S. Lyon, of Three Rivers, Mr. J. Bettis of New Albany, Ind., and Miss Mary E. Palmer, of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 22, 1884.

Bangs, Fred D	Lee, Jennie
Bates, Wm	McCaw, Alex
Bothwell, George	Norgaard, John
Fourts, Laura E	Turnley, Nelley
[illegible]	Wood, D. B.
Dillenbeck, Miss W.	Warson, W
Keyser, I. P.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected every Thursday morning.

Apples ⅌ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples dried, ⅌ ℔		@	06
Butter, ⅌ ℔	27	@	25
Barley, ⅌ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ⅌ bushel	2 25	@	2 50
Buckwheat, ⅌ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat flour ⅌ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ⅌ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf skins, ⅌ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	50	@	55
Corn—shelled, ⅌ bushel	56	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ⅌ doz		@	12
Flour, ⅌ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ⅌ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ⅌ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ⅌ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ⅌ ℔		@	15
Ham, ⅌ ℔		@	14
Lard, ⅌ ℔		@	10
Oats, ⅌ bushel	28	@	35
Onions, ⅌ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ⅌ bushel	35	@	35
Salt, ⅌ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ⅌ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ⅌ ℔		@	10
Wood, ⅌ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ⅌ bushel		@	90
Wheat, Red, ⅌ bushel		@	90

ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 18th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr24

A-Great-Problem.
TAKE ALL THE
Kidney and Liver
Medicines,
BLOOD
PURIFIERS,
RHEUMATIC
Remedies,
Dyspepsia
And Indigestion Cures,
Ague, Fever,
And Billious Specifics,
Brain and Nerve
Force Revivers
Great Health
Restorers,
IN SHORT, TAKE ALL THE BEST qualities of all these, and the best qualities of all the best Medicines in the World and you will find that HOP BITTERS have the best curative qualities and powers of all concentrated in them, and that they will cure when any or all of these, singly or combined, fail. A thorough trial will give positive proof of this.

Cover Your Heads!

One week ago we opened our new Hat and Cap Department, and although we felt sure of the support of the public in our new venture we were not prepared to see our sales for the week fully double our expectations. Everyone should see our celebrated $1 Hat, which is sold by other dealers at $1.50. This Hat we make our specialty. We purchase such large quantities to supply our different stores that we can well afford to sell them at $1, and still have a fair profit. Our $1.50 Stiff Hats in all the latest shapes, other dealers price $2. Our $2 and $2.50 Hats, from the best makers, and our $3, $3.50, $4 and upwards, are all fine imported English Stiff and Soft Hats. Every line we sell at 50 cents less than elsewhere in the city.

C. R. MABLEY & CO.

Confirmation Suits!

We are showing a Large Stock of Suits for boys to wear when taking their first communion. We are offering special bargains in Boys' Dark Suits in all prices. The assortment of styles and patterns is the most varied and extensive we have had for years. Intending purchasers will save themselves time and trouble by coming direct to our store, for they not only have the advantage of our large stock to select from, but will find our prices lower, our goods better made and trimmed, and our styles newer than you can find elsewhere.

JERSEY SUITS!

We have just received a large consignment of imported English Jersey Suits for boys and children. They are durable and stylish. Every mother is invited to call and inspect them.

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TOLEDO, OHIO.

We are receiving an unusual line of
New Goods this Spring
And at our Usual Low Prices.
NEW STYLES OF ROGERS' SILVER WARE,
Both Hollow and Flat.
Every piece Warranted,
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Baby Carriages.
Also iron and wood wheel velocipedes. Croquet and all Field Games.
WARDWELL & CO.
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Adams' Novelty Store!

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Is headquarters for staple and fancy goods. BIG BARGAINS on the 5c and 10c counters. You can get all the small articles for housekeeping here at nearly one-half the usual prices. Look at our new Hosiery for ladies, children and gents for 10c. We have also a large stock of crockery which we will warrant not to craze or check. Glassware, Tinware, Lamps, Looking Glasses, Brackets, Bible-stands, Books, Dolls, Scrap Albums, Autograph and Photograph Albums, Jewelry, Toys, etc.

Look! PICTURES AND FRAMES. BEST Quire of LETTER (24 sheets) for 10c. Also ½ ream good paper (125 sheets) for 25 Cents.

PINS warranted for one year only ten cents each.

Pictures and Frames. In this department we have a large stock of Pictures, Frames and Mouldings. Frames made to order on short notice and at the Lowest Prices. Black Walnut Cabinet Frames only 10 cts. each. Large frames from 25c to $1.00. LOOK at our BOYS Wagons and Carts, all prices, from 25c to $3.75. It will pay you to give us a call.

W. D. ADAMS,

HEWITT'S BLOCK.

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ANGLO-AMERICAN
SHOWS
COMING TO
TECUMSEH, MONDAY, MAY 5th, 1884.
Combining living representatives, rare and wonderful types of the
Zoological AND Ornithological Kingdoms

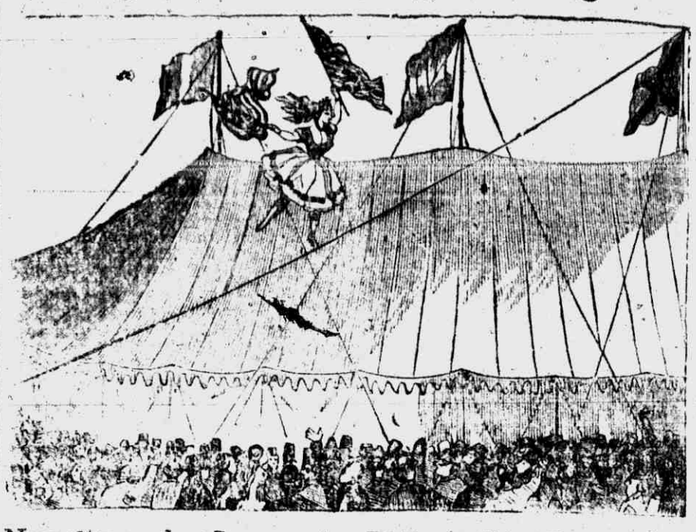

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Requiring an immense expenditure of money. Enormous space to exhibit a collection of gigantic tents, and a vast number of Horses, Elephants, Camels, and every possible auxiliary. Entirely unprecedented in the annals of amusement, and representing the most intensely interesting, thrilling, novel and pleasing exhibits in the world.

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The wild wierd music, which can be heard at the distance of 4 miles.

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ALLIE AND BERNARD,

The Midget Acrobats and Gymnasts, the champion Child Artists of the world.

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THE TITANIC BUBALIPUS, SACRED WHITE CAMEL, AND AMERICAN BORN BABY CAMEL.

THE FIVE GREAT GIANTS

Are with this Giant Aggregation, an Alliance of America's 4 Greatest Shows.

M'LLE LEONORA,
The queen of the Fiery Zone.

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Daw, the Spanish Fire Juggler; Cordello and Van Auken, Champion Leapers; the Three Wahons; Dan Leon, the Sensational Jockey; the Fire Balloon Ascent, and all the great sensations are with the Four Combined Shows, which will positively exhibit at Tecumseh, Monday, May 5.

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TECUMSEH,

MONDAY, MAY 5th, 1884.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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MANAGER.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

CLINTON CLIPPINGS

Very dry.

D. St. John has returned to Jonesville.

The door yards are now under going the annual clearing of rubbish.

O. F. Benjan, of Detroit was in town last Saturday.

Mrs Anson Hulet has been quite sick the past week.

E. R. Smith and wife are expected back from N. Y. next week.

Rev. J. S. Boyden preached in the Baptist church last Sunday morning.

B. O. Randall and Co. took in 70 doz. eggs last Saturday.

Married.—At the Baptist parsonage Apr. 23rd, Thomas C. Soper, of Bridgewater, and Miss Elizabeth Self.

Village president and justice Brown says he has been enlarging his usefulness. He has torn out a partition and made his office larger.

There was no service held in the Baptist church last Sunday evening on account of indisposition of the pastor.

We hear that Tecumseh will grant no license to saloons this year. Instead of "Zwei lager" her citizens will say "Zwei birch."

Mrs. Mary Murry, near Swift, is very low with consumption.

O. W. Heath who was connected with the card room of the woolen mill here while the mill was running, has gone to Cheboygan Falls, Wis. to take charge of the card room in a mill at that place. His family will remain here for the present.

Ellsworth Arnold who is at work in a drug store at Lyons, Ohio, was home the early part of this week.

A lady, Miss Rose, who has studied music in Detroit lately will hold a convention in this town for the little folks and others, to continue two weeks and will close the convention with a grand concert.

The Baptist Association of Washtenaw Co., to which this church belongs, will meet at Saline next Wednesday and continue in session two days. J. W. Payne, the pastor, and others not yet decided upon will be the delegates from this church.

At this season of the year most dogs are without owners, fat cattle look poor in the eyes of the farmer and real-estate is worth about 50 cents on the dollar. The Supervisor is taking the assessment.

Some grown up boys made night hideous and themselves amenable to the law last Thursday night in Bridgewater, by serenading the couple whose nuptials are chronicled above.

"When the old cat is away the kittens will play" was forcibly illustrated by the boys in John Smith and Son's store recently. They have a new force pump and after scrubbing out the store and the dirt off the windows, they turned the hose on one of the older clerks, much to his discomfiture, as he was found in an unenviable place, in a fixed position with not all of his winter clothes on.

D. Woodward has two agricultural implements that are new to this section; one is a very fine two horse corn planter, the other is a hay loader. He claims the hay loader will put all the hay on the wagon two men can take care of. John T. Clark has purchased it and will use it on his large farm this season. Mr. Woodward also manufactures a very good plow and finds a ready sale for all he can make.

Rev. Miller requests us to publish the following notice: Miss Lucia F. Kimball, of Chicago, the National Secretary of the W. C. T. U. for juvenile work, will be in Clinton over Sunday, May 4th, addressing mass meetings: Saturday evening in the M. E. church and Sunday evening in the Congregational church, and talking to the children Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Town Hall.

The band boys now have about $135 towards a new set of instruments. A set such as the boys ought to have will cost about $200. Let the citizens come forward and help raise this necessary amount. The old instruments are out of tune and practically worthless. No one except Dr. Burroughs has ever made a whistle out of a pig's tail and you can't get good music out of those old horns; but there is good timber in the band and if the boys are given a new set, they will make some good music.

Mr. Solomon Parker has gone into the gardening business quite extensively. Your correspondent called at his residence one day this week and found that gentleman and his son, Eddie, busily engaged in transplanting celery plants. The visitor made known his business and the gentlemanly proprietor kindly consented to show him around among the hot beds and admit him into the mystery of raising the largest and nicest plants possible. Mr Parker will make a specialty this season of raising celery. He will put out about two acres of ground with this plant. On the East side of the house is a room enclosed with glass on the three sides that are exposed to the sun. Here the plants are started from the seed. Here was seen growing in little boxes about 100,000 celery plants tomato, cabbage, and other plants innumerable. The owner stated that 2,000 celery plants would grow from the seed in a square foot of earth. As soon as these little plants become about an inch or such a matter in height, they are carefully taken from the boxes and transplanted into beds in the garden back of the house two inches apart, 2,000 plants here occupying about 19 square feet of surface. Mr. Parker will transplant about 50,000 plants in this way for his own use. The amount of time and labor that this will take can easily be computed. The plants will remain in these beds until later in the season when they will be again transplanted into trenches 3 feet apart, and 25,000 plants will be used on each acre of ground. Mr. Parker has also a large number of very fine tomato plants already to bud. He will set out about 400 of these plants and says he shall have this fruit all "ripe red and juicy" on the market early in July. A few of these choice plants will be spared to any that may want them. We were also shown a bed of cultivated water cress, and cabbage plants enough, it seemed, to plant this township. Mr Parker deserves success in his enterprise.

Speaking of Celery reminds us of a clip seen lately, not exactly Shakesperian in metre or merit

At a hotel table sat
Bridget bride and bridegroom Pat
While a city dweller he
Helped himself to celery.

Bridget's eyes with wonder grew
Maddest whispered she confusedly
At that basin beside the way
Actin up that sweet bookay.

A special meeting of the Council was held Wednesday night to act on the bonds of the liquor dealers. The bonds of the different saloonists were accepted and Clinton will this year have three saloons. H. Lancaster at the hotel, Cris. Schmitt in connection with his bakery, and Peter Jacobs and Frank Kirchgessner have formed a co-partnership to carry on the business under the firm name of Jacobs & Kirchgessner.

H. Lancaster, the new and genial proprietor of the hotel, has been making extensive and needed improvements on his property. He has repaired the barn and thoroughly renovated, papered and partly re-furnished the house. The kitchen, under the efficient management of Mrs. Lancaster, sends forth viands that will tempt the most fastidious. We know, we have sampled them. The traveling public can be assured that they will receive as good a meal and as pleasant accommodations here as at any place on the branch.

MACON MOLECULES.

Unto Joe Darrow a son has been given.

Samuel Hatch of Detroit, was in our midst over Sunday.

Last Saturday and Sunday Rev. Mr. Maynard, of Sparta, called on his many Macon friends.

The funeral of Mrs. David Hatch took place last Sunday, at the Baptist church. Rev Mr. Maynard presided.

Last Monday Frank Thomas had three fingers of his left hand cut off by a buzz saw.

Miss Ada Linn of Ridgeway is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Remington this week.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Rev. Alden Wickham came out last week and remained over Sunday, preaching sabbath evening.

Warren Jones has been mumping for the last ten days. The second attack may be looked for the last of the week.

Rev. Thomas Lupton is still very low. It is only part of the time he is able to recognize his friends.

Dr. R. H. Nelson has added to the width of his lot by purchasing on the south.

Purdy Haight, our long looked for shoemaker has arrived. He will open up business in a few days.

Ask Geo. D. Arner about his fishing exploit last Tuesday. The other Geo. can tell you if the former declines.

Church Social this week Friday evening at Mrs. Gove's, one half mile east of Montgomery's corners on the Ridge. There ought to be a good turn-out.

At the next regular meeting of the Literary Society, to be held Friday evening, May 9th, the following programme will be presented, being entirely of a temperance character and promises to be one of the best entertainments yet given.

Opening Exercises.
Music.
Recitation—Miss Clara Temple.
Declamation—George Stanford.
Essay—Mrs David Coryell.
Music—Miss Ida Arner.
Recitation—Miss Blanche Campbell.
Poem—Miss Ella Cadmus.

RECESS.

Music—Miss Velina Underwood.
Debate—"Is it right, or ever expedient to tax or license the liquor traffic?" Discussion open to five minute speeches. No person to speak more than twice until all have spoken that desire. Decision by the house. Admission free. Called to order promptly at 7:30.

BROOKLYN BALLAST

Roller skates and fishing are two aids of peace for skating concentrates the mind on maintaining self equipoise and the other distracts attention from all business but your own consequently there is harmony among those who keep late hours by torchlight, but if there is a predominating ambition, it is to be chaplain of the Brooklyn house. William Hi- who presided there several years, is doing penance for a mashed finger. It has been twice amputated and a favorable result hoped for, though thus far skill has availed little toward a cure. But few are really sick, and some of the healthiest tramp specimens have pilgrimaged this way that ever renounced water. They are supposed by our Editor, to be real mumies, resuscitated by spring poetry. At any rate they belong to the genus, unwashed. No one can tell why they appear, and they fail to account for things that disappear. A good idea has blossomed right out here. A short range telephone line is established between the Townsend house and farm house, and it is expected it will prove the boss plan for folks to keep up acquaintance with home.

ADDISON ATOMS

House and yard cleaning has formed an important part of the village programme of late.

J. H. Lane and wife remove to Jackson this week where they expect to locate.

E. P. Williams and family also journey in the direction of the star. Who is next?

The friends of the Congregational persuasion here formed a local organization some weeks since and announced Sunday morning services hereafter.

No school this week on account of the measels, a large crop of which is reported by the medicine men.

Mr. M. F. Turrell has closed out his hardware business here to G. M. Lewis and proposes to travel in the south with a lung pad.

No object to explore a masonic temple in search of "more light" since the village competition in kerosene oil has reduced the price on that article to a shilling per gallon.

Spence Willey the barber is erecting a cheek-scraper just west of the creek.

Frank Smith, just entering manhood, died of consumption on Friday last. Funeral service was held at the house Sunday morning.

If the Union Light would take a little more pains to write the names of its subscribers, its rays might be more properly distributed at this point.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Last year's large hay crop is fast disappearing.

A few pieces of wheat look well while more of them look as though the bulls and bears had a mortgage on them.

A wind mill on the P. R. Adams place west of town.

L. A. Mudgett went to Addison on the M. & O. to-day.

C. W. Kimball of Adrian has been buying several clips of wool in this section.

Miss Barbara Moon of Bangor, and Miss Matt Doolittle of Wheatland Center, came down on the M. & O. and were the guests of H. A. Welch last week.

W. B. Keyser does not own eight shares in the C. T. Line for nothing as he has become father to a fine boy—the rest of us live in hope. You can approach Wes. by telegraph and in no other way.

Rev. J. H. Maynard of Sparta Center, Kent Co., was summoned to attend the funeral of Mrs. David Hatch of Macon, where he formerly resided, and while here he stopped with his daughter, Mrs. Kate Welch.

Dr. North was called by telegraph at 3 o'clock the other night, and was on hand four miles in the country in just 36 minutes.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Academy News, published by the Michigan Military Academy at Orchard Lake. It is a handsome paper of 16 pages, full of excellent reading matter.

Give Your Children Something to Do.

A good many people practice what has been called the "repressive method" in their homes. They wish their children to be good and obedient, and they seem to fancy that the way to make them so is to restrain them from everything. Here is a little boy, for example, in a pleasant home. He is as full of life as he can be. He is constantly on the lookout for something to do. He skips about the room in childish glee, but his mother says: "Now Johnnie don't run about the room so." Then he begins to sing, but his mother says: "Oh, now Johnnie, don't sing, you make so much noise." Then he gets into the rocking chair and begins to rock. Again his mother comes in with the inevitable, "Now Johnnie, don't be so noisy." Then Johnnie wishes to go up stairs to play but he pleads in vain. Then he asks to go out of doors but is refused. And Johnnie begins to wonder what there is for a little fellow like him to do.

Now we might as well understand that we cannot properly train children by simply putting upon them a lot of restraints. They are brim-full of life. They must do something. They long for nothing so much as to be busy. They will sing and run and jump and play all day long without apparent fatigue. You cannot repress all this life; it must flow out somewhere. If you do not give it proper scope it will burst out and work ruin most surely. Then give your children something to do. Find something which they can do without harm to themselves and with just as little annoyance to you as possible, and then let them do it. Have a room if you can, where they can go and be free to play or sing or turn summersaults as they may choose. Put on their old clothes and let them have a good free time in the back yard occasionally. When they cannot do this, let them play in your home. Bear with the noise and the confusion. Remember that your home is for your children and not for company. But be sure that the sports and plays of your children are innocent. Let it never be said that your children took their first lessons in wrong doing under the roof of father and mother.

A Stranger Coming.

We had really believed that every strange freak of nature conceivable had already frequently become known to the public and for once, at least, the world had settled down to stern uniformity, but the still unexplored jungles of the exclusive Pacific Isles occasionally yield up a treasure that startles science as well as nature. Wild men and women, deformities, &c., have frequently been unearthed to civilization in the past, but we doubt if anything ever so remarkable ever made its appearance before as the Spotted Leopard Man, whose skin is haircloth like a leopard, and dotted with spots of purest white. His appetite is carniverous, and it is said he drinks freely of boiling blood. He is stronger than a dozen common men and easily dislocates a railroad car from its trucks. He is certainly a strange freak, and one that puzzles our learned professors. The Anglo American Four Combined Shows are the first to secure him, and will exhibit at Tecumseh Monday, May 5.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.

The May number contains some particularly notable articles, and is altogether most interesting and edifying. The editor, T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., has two articles, "The Artic Martyrs" and "The Great Freshets" which are of profound interest and admirably illustrated. "Cathedral of our Saviour, Moscow," "Love and Life in Norway," "A Summer Holiday Abroad," "The Pianoforte, Ancient and Modern," etc. are prominent features of the number. They are serial and short stories, essays, sketches, etc., by Rev. E. Barrass, Miss G. A. Davis, Alfreton Henvey, T. I. Meade, J. Alex. Patten and other celebrated writers; poems of great merit; the Home Pulpit, with sermon by Dr Talmage, and miscellaneous articles, etc., entertaining and replete with information. Single copy, 25 cents, or $2.50 a year, postpaid. MRS. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, N. Y.

The Carman Family gave one of the most profitable and entertaining concerts last January in the Baptist Church, ever given in Tecumseh. It is confidently expected that the entertainment to be given, at the same place under the direction of Miss Sarah Rounds, on the 9th inst., will fully equal it.

The people of South Macon are cordially invited to meet at the Reformed Church on Wednesday May 7, at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of building fence, setting shade trees &c. The ladies are expected to provide picnic supper. By order of Consistory.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 1, 1884.

AN OLD, OLD STORY.

A casual meeting—one of merest chance;
An introduction—bows, a smile, a dance.
'Twas thus we met; and little dreamed I then
He would be more to me than other men.
Of course I thought him handsome, bright and gay.

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Veiled,
Was subtle and sleeping, all its secrets sealed.
To meet so coldly seemed a mystery now;
To part so gayly—ah, I wonder how?

To clasp his hand, to hear upon his arm
Yet no soft fluttcrings fill me with alarm;
To stand beside him, close beside his heart,
Nor dream that of my own it formed a part—
'Twas all so natural! Oh, we little know
What fate was shaping, out betwixt us two;
What each to each, what heart to heart might be,
What I should be to him—what he to me.

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A moment when I first had dared to feel
Emotions which my pride would fain conceal,
When sudden thoughts across my mind were cast,
And sudden flutterings made my heart beat fast;
When fancies strange as sweet, and sweet as strange,
Sought shy admittance, through my heart to range.
O timid hopes, soft doubts and tender fear!
O coy concealment from the one most dear!
O burning blushes that unbidden rise!
O faltering tongue, and traitorous tell-tale eyes!
O sweet anxiety, and pleasing pain,
To love, to love; and not to love in vain!
To watch his eyes, and half in wonder see
'Twas always brightest when it met his one;
To mark, when by my side, his tender tone,
His hand's soft pressure when it held my own;
O thus to watch, and wait for him to tell
What my heart whispered that it knew full well!

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A summer evening, calm, and bright and fair.
A moonlit garden, he beside me there;
My trembling hand above my heart was pressed,
To calm its thrills of happy, sweet unrest.
I longed so much his tale of love to hear,
Yet when he spoke was filled with fluttering fear
A fear lest I might all unworthy prove
Of his affection true, of his deep love;
And something of my fears he seemed to know,
His manly voice had grown so soft and low.
Ah! what a tale he whispered in my ear,
So hard to answer, but how sweet to hear!
I could not answer; all my heart seemed filled
With language, but my recreant tongue was stilled.
And oh! so tender was his melting mood!
He clasped my hand—the clasp I understood;
He sought my eyes—but oh! I dared not raise
Those little tell tales to receive his gaze.
"One little word," he said, with fond caress,
I spoke that word, that little word was—
"Yes!"

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A morning when the sunshine seemed to be
The fairest thing on this fair earth to me,
For—so at least old ballads and stories run—
The bride is blessed whom it shines upon.
Assembled friends with presents rich and rare,
A laughing group of girlish bridesmaids fair;
A father—mother, clasping to their heart
The darling child with whom they fear to part,
The daughter who, like timid bird caressed,
Prepares to flutter from the parent nest.
And dearer, dearest to that blushing bride
Is he whose place till death is by her side.
Ah, ever side by side, and hand in hand,
And heart to heart, henceforth those twain must stand.
Then many a fond caress mid tearful smiles;
Bells pealing, holy altar, flower-strewn aisles;
A wreath—a snowy robe—a bridal veil—
A happy bride, who tells this "old, old tale."

—*Florence Nixon, in Chambers' Journal.*

THE NEWS FROM PETERSHAM.

Mrs. Peak had been to Petersham herself to spend Thanksgiving with her niece, and brought the first account of old Mr. Johnson's illness.

Mrs. Jesse Johnson, his daughter-in-law, had come in for a few minutes Thursday afternoon, and had said it was the first time since she could remember that the old gentleman had not been in his seat in church on Thanksgiving Day. And they all felt as if it were a great break.

"He would insist upon setting at the table," said Mrs. Jesse, "but he looked too feeble to be out of his bed. These bad colds take hold of a man of his years——"

After the visitor had gone Mrs. Peak and her niece Martha had talked a good deal about the changes in the family which would be sure to come when Mr. Johnson died.

"I know that Jesse's folks are depending upon getting a lift," said Martha. "Mis' Jesse has hinted as much to me more than once, for she says Jesse's got more than he can carry in his business, and everything would be easy if he only had a little more capital. Truth is, I have an idea that he's teased a good share away from his father now, and the old gentleman isn't so ready as he used to be to further his projects. And there's William, his other son, I know it to be a fact that he is intending to go out West when his father's taken away. He has had a notion of it for a good while; his wife's sister's folks are all out there and doing well."

"They'll be very much missed as a family," said Mrs. Peak; "how Petersham has changed from what it was when I was a girl!"

When she went home the next day she was quite downhearted, and told Asa Fales, who happened to be in at the depot when the train came in and offered to carry her home, that old Mr. Daniel Johnson was breaking up—at least, so his family seemed to think.

Asa Fales was deeply concerned; the two villages were only a few miles apart, and he had been a Petersham boy. It was old Mr. Johnson to whom he owed his rise in the world, and he remembered that he might never have owned this flourishing country store if it had not been for this kind friend's assistance.

Besides, he had been confident of Mr. Johnson's support if he could make up his mind to buy a large tract of woodland which would pay well for being cleared the very next winter. He was already indebted to him, however, and it would be a very different thing if he were the debtor of the eager heirs.

So with all this in his mind he questioned Mrs. Peak, anxiously, and they concluded that Mr. Johnson's end was not far distant.

"Of course he made a great effort to get to the table on account of its being Thanksgiving," said Asa, sorrowfully, "but I'm afraid he'll give right up now. I'd ride over to see him to-morrow, but I can't get away. 'Tis right in my busy time; I'm buying up a great deal of wood this fall, and some of 'em are bringing it in now on wheels instead of waiting for snow."

"The snow does keep off late this year," said Mrs. Peak. "Here it's the first o' December, and there's only been one flurry that was hardly more than a hoar-frost."

They had reached the little gray house behind the lilac-bushes, where Mrs. Peak lived alone, and as she unlocked its side door and went in, it seemed strangely cold and lonely.

"I must look about for a lively kitten," she said to herself; "they're a sight of company, and what trouble it gave would be no harm. I declare it makes me feel lonesome; all the folks I have always been used to knowing seem to be dying off. I always set a good deal by Daniel Johnson."

Two neighbors looked up the road a little later than this through their kitchen windows, and seeing a light in Mrs. Peak's kitchen also, said to themselves that she might be lonely that evening without anybody to speak to, and they would step over and hear the news. They met at the door, each with a shawl over her head and her knitting-work in her hands—and were welcomed most heartily.

Mrs. West, who was very fond of talking, began at once to describe her experiences Thanksgiving morning, when she found that the cats had stolen into the pantry during the night, and mangled the turkey so that it was only fit to be thrown away. It was too late to get another, except a rack of bones fit only for a lantern, that had been left at Fales' store.

"I didn't know what in the world I would do. There was all the folks coming; his sister and all the child'n, and my brother and his wife, and we three at home are middlin' hearty—but there, we made out with the chicken-pie and a spare rib I put right in. It so happened I had one that was thawed. An' I took those cats and soused 'em well in a tub o' water, after I'd give 'em as good a beatin as I knew how. And after a while they stole in half froze, and set by the stove meek as Moses with their paws tucked underneath 'em, and when I'd look at 'em they'd mew at me both together 'thout making a sound. For all I was so worked up, I had to laugh."

They all laughed again at the cats, while Mrs. Peak acknowledged that she had just been thinking of getting a kitten, but such accounts as this were discouraging—and Mrs. West promptly offered her own virtuous pussies, which amused the little company very much.

"You haven't told us yet whether you heard anything over at Petersham," said Mrs. Rogers, the other guest, at which Mrs. Peak's face grew long.

"I had a beautiful visit with Martha," she answered, "but I've been feeling anxious to hear again from old Mr. Daniel Johnson. Jesse's wife came in and said he seemed very feeble. 'He didn't make no effort to get out to meetin' Thanksgivin' Day, and Martha said she'd noticed he looked pale and kind o' wizened up two or three weeks ago.'"

"I suppose the cold weather pinched him up," suggested Mrs. West. "Well, he'll be a great loss."

"I heard from him direct this morning," continued Mrs. Peak, mournfully. "I called to Jesse's oldest boy as he went by, and he said his grandfather wasn't any better. I asked if he was a-bed, and he said 'no.' He's got a sight of resolution; I shouldn't wonder if he didn't take his bed at all."

"I don't see how they'll pay their minister the salary they give him now, when they lose Mr. Johnson," said Mrs. Rogers. "He's always ready to give, and he does what he can for his folks I shouldn't wonder if he hadn't but a little property left, after all he's had to do, and being out o' business for some years now."

"He's kept his money a-movin'," observed Mrs. West. "There aint no such business-man about here, but there's been plenty o' hands reached out to take what they could get. Well, 'tis all over now, he won't last a great while if he's as feeble as you say. His father went just the same way, only kept the house a week, and his bed the last day."

"I should have gone right over to see him myself yesterday," said the hostess, "but it kept raining steady all day, same's it did here, I suppose."

"They'll be likely to have his funeral from the meeting-house, won't they?" asked Mrs. Rogers, solemnly; but nobody could answer her question.

Next day being Sunday, and most of the congregation coming from the scattered farms, there was the usual exchange of greetings and inquiries for news. And in this way the sad story of Mr. Johnson's last illness was spread far and wide before night. And in passing from one to another, the report became every hour more serious. At last some one ventured to say that, judging from what she had just heard, the poor man could not now be living. And the listener felt justified in announcing that Mrs. Smith thought there was no doubt that he was dead.

Late on Sunday night Mrs. West brought the news to Mrs. Peak.

"He heard it from some one who stopped at Asa Fale's, but there weren't no particulars," and Mrs. Peak said one had no idea Mr. Johnson would go so soon. It was a great shock to her, in as much as she had not known of his illness.

"Death is always sudden at the last," said Mrs. West. "I suppose you will go over to the funeral?—it seems a pity you should have come home Saturday, don't it?"

"I shall get ready to go by the first train," answered the old lady, crying a little. "I declare I wish I'd gone there before I come away. It ain't that I think of the expense of going to Petersham twice, for that's nothing at such a time as this, but I can't feel reconciled to not seeing him again. He was a most amiable Christian man; there won't be many dry eyes in Petersham the day he's buried. I've known him ever since I've known anybody."

So by the earliest train next day Mrs. Peak went back to Petersham. Her countenance wore a solemn expression She felt herself to be one of the chief mourners, though her place in the procession would probably not be far from the least afflicted.

As she stepped down from the car, she pulled a very long face, and was surprised to see no signs of the calamity which had befallen the village. She meditated upon the way the world moves on though its best men die—and took her way, to save time, through the back streets to her niece Martha's.

"Well, Martha," she said, sadly, "I'm sure I didn't think I should be back again so soon when I left you. When do they bury?"

"Who?" asked Martha, much amazed. She was busy washing, and was not in the least prepared for her aunt's appearance. She was used to making careful arrangements when she expected guests—being, as her friends said, very set in her ways—and if there was anything she disliked it was a lack of ceremony, even from her nearest relatives.

"I haven't heard of any death," she assured her aunt, who was apparently much astonished.

"Somebody told the Wests last night that Mr. Daniel Johnson had passed away, and Mis' West had come right out to tell me," she explained at last.

Martha began to laugh. "He was out to meeting last night as sure as the world," she said. "He's had a bad cold—you know he's always been subject to fall colds—but he's about again. I heard Jesse's wife fussin' at him about doin' up his throat when we were comin' out o' the meetin'-house last night."

"She was dreadful down-hearted about him, I'm sure, when she come in Thanksgiving night," ventured Mrs. Peak, in self-defense.

"Now, Aunt Peak," said Martha, "haven't you seen enough of Lydia Johnson by this time to know that she always thinks everything and everybody is going to rack and ruin? She was cheerful about the old gentleman to what she is sometimes. To be sure we all know he's getting along in years."

"Seems to me I do rec'lect she is apt to look on the dark side," reflected Mrs. Peak. "But now, Marthy, don't speak to any one of what my errand was in coming over. I've got a little shopping any way that I forgot last week, and folks will think we're dreadful hungry for news over our way."

"It does look like it," chuckled Martha. "But do stop to dinner, aunt, now' you're over—it's coming winter and you may not get started again. 'Tis a pity there aint something else for you to go to—I s'pose you've heard that story about the old ladies that set out for a funeral and found they'd missed the day, and asked the folks if they didn't know of a funeral they *could* go to?"

"Marthy," said her Aunt Peak, "I should think you had no feelin's. It wasn't my fault as I know of that the story got about. I did speak of it to one or two that his son's wife appeared concerned—and when word come that he was gone I only thought she had good reason to be anxious; and he was an old friend, and a leader in church interests, and I thought, natural enough, I'd come right over."

"Don't take it hard of me, joking with you," said Martha, "but it is kind of amusing when you come to look at it and see how stories get made up an' set going out of nothing. Every one o' 'em thinks they tell the truth, and first thing you know there's a lie traveling about fast as lightning," and she turned to her neglected washing, as if no time must be lost.

"I can't get back before two. I'm sorry I happened to trouble you on an inconvenien day, I'm sure," said Mrs. Peak, humbly. "I'll step down the street for awhile and do a few errands, and you mustn't let me put you out. Just a cup of tea and a taste of bread and butter I'll be all I ask for," and Martha nodded and told her aunt not to worry, and to have as good a time as she could.

The old lady's pride had met with a sad downfall—she did not know how to face the people at home. But luckily she was saved the first acknowledgment, as Asa Fales had reached Petersham before her and had found Mr. Daniel Johnson briskly at work by the garden trellis covering his grape-vines.

He had prudently avoided any reference to the next world, and, indeed, had learned the falseness of the story from a Petersham man whom he had met on the road. So he entered at once upon the project of buying the pine woods between Gaytown and Hollis, and found to his great satisfaction that his old friend would be glad to join him if the affair could be well arranged.

Mrs. Peak herself met Mr. Johnson, and could hardly look him in the face when she asked for his health. And when the neighbors came in one after another that evening after she was again comfortably established at home, she said: "You may laugh at me all you have a mind to, but I don't mean to need another lesson like this—I think it's a good deal better to mind what we've got to do instead of livin' on what folks have got to say; but it's hard to teach an old dog new tricks, and I suppose I shall always like to hear what news there is a-goin'."—*S. O. Jewett, in Youth's Companion.*

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 1, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

AMONG the memorials presented in the Senate on the 23d, were joint resolutions memorializing the passage of the pending bill providing for the establishment of a National experimental station in connection with the agricultural colleges; also a resolution of the Ohio Legislature recommending the passage of the pending bill relating to the poisoning of expressmen of the late war. Bills were passed: Providing for the Government control of the Sault Ste Marie Falls Canal in Michigan; amending the Revised Statutes in relation to timber depredations; defining the title and duties of certain officers of the medical department of the army. The bill providing for the extirpation of pleuro-pneumonia and other contagious diseases among domestic animals was taken up, pending debate on which the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. In the House the Kansas contested election case of Wood vs. Peters was taken up, and the majority resolution declaring in favor of the sitting member, Peters, was adopted. Mr. Payson, from the Committee on Public Lands reported a bill to prevent the unlawful occupancy of public lands; placed on calendar. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill. Without action, the committee rose and the House took a recess. The evening session was occupied in debate on the tariff bill. Adjourned.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 24th a communication from the Attorney General asking that immediate provision be made by a joint resolution for the payment of jurors and witnesses for the United States Courts. The sum recommended is $60,000. A number of bills were reported favorably and placed on the calendar. A joint resolution providing that the two Houses will attend the ceremony of the unveiling of the statue of Chief Justice Marshall on May 10, and appropriating $15,000 for the occasion, bills were passed providing for the disposal of the abandoned military reservations, and amending the Revised Statutes relating to trespassers on Indian lands. Consideration of the pleuro-pneumonia bill was resumed, but without action the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. In the House Mr. Mayburry from the Judiary Committee, reported adversely on the Woman's Suffrage Constitutional Amendment; Mr. Reed presented a minority report; both were placed on the calendar. The House went into Committee of the Whole, for the consideration of Senate amendments to the Naval Appropriation bill. The amendment appropriating $400,000 to complete the ordnance for the outfit of the new cruisers was agreed to; the remainder of the amendments were non-concurred in. The committee rose, and the House agreed to the report—yeas 136, nays 96. Adjourned.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 26th a message from the House non-concurring in the Senate amendments to the Naval Appropriation bill. The Senate agreed to insist on its amendment and a committee of conference was appointed. The bill to establish and maintain a bureau of labor statistics was reported favorably and placed on calendar. Mr. Sherman reported favorably the resolution providing for the deposit in the Smithsonian institution of the silk flag presented to the Senate by Joseph Newman, of California, being the first American flag made of American silk; agreed to. A message was received from the House announcing non-concurrence in the Senate amendments to the Postoffice Appropriation bill. The Senate insisted on its amendments and a committee or conference was appointed. Adjourned until the 28th. In the House the morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar. The bill for the relief of Myra Clark Gaines was discussed and laid aside with favorable recommendations. It authorizes the issue of patents for so much of the 38,457 acres claimed by Mrs. Gaines as has not been disposed of by the United States, and provides that she shall be paid at the rate of $1.25 per acre for such as has been disposed of. Fifteen pension bills were passed by the House at the evening session. Adjourned.

IN the House on the 26th the Speaker announced the appointment of conference committees as follows: On the Naval Appropriation bill, Hutchins, Randall and Calkins; on the Postoffice Appropriation bill, Townshend, Holman and Horr. The House then proceeded to the consideration of the special order, being the bill to remove certain burdens of the American merchant marine and encourage America's foreign carrying trade. Several amendments were offered and agreed to, the most important being that of Mr. Cox, providing that iron or steel built steamships of not less than 4,000 tons measurement may be imported free of duty, and that such ships shall be admitted to American registry provided they be the exclusive property of citizens of the United States, and provided that they shall be excluded from the coastwise trade. Adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

THE American Oak Leather Tannery at Cincinnati, the largest tannery in the world, was destroyed by fire on the 24th, entailing a loss of $400,000, and throwing four hundred men out of employment. There were forty-five thousand hides in the factory. Insurance $300,000.

JOHN H. DEANE, a wealthy New York lawyer, assigned on the 24th, giving preferences amounting to over $500,000. Liabilities are said to amount to over $1,000,000. The failure was due to extensive real estate operations, and the shrinkage in that property.

JOHN McELMOYLE and George Gilpin, neighbors, of Gloucester, N. Y., have disputed for years over some property. On the 23d Gilpin shot McElmoyle and then himself. Both may die.

AT Macedonia, O., on the 22d, during the absence of R. East's family, their house took fire and burned, together with $3,000 or $4,000 in Government bonds.

ON the 24th David M. Pelton, President of the Cleveland (O.) Pump Manufacturing Company, was caught by a circular saw in his factory in Cleveland and literally cut in twain. Death was instantaneous.

THE greatest labor demonstration ever seen in Buffalo occurred on the 23d. Over 5,000 people marched in procession, embodying all classes of mechanics. Fully 6,000 people were present in Music Hall, where they were addressed by Hon. M. A. Foran, of Cleveland, O., and others. Resolutions protesting against the action of the transportation lines in Buffalo in driving citizen longshoremen from the docks and wharves and substituting Italian pauper labor, and assuring the longshoremen of the assistance and sympathy of organized labor, were adopted.

WHILE blasting rocks at Morgantown, W. Va., on the 24th, Amos Seldomrick was instantly killed and Robert Howe fatally injured by a premature explosion.

A MEETING of the leading oil producing firms and companies of the entire oil region was held on the 22d in Buffalo. A proposal for curtailing the production when necessary, it is thought, will be adopted at the next meeting. The movement is in the direction of higher priced oil.

FIRES in Connecticut on the 23d destroyed the Washington Flannel Mill at South Coventry, insured for $135,000; and the cotton mills of the Providence Company at Fitchville; loss over $100,000.

CHARLES W. RUGG, the Long Island assassin, was on the 25th found guilty of the murder of Mrs. Maybee and her daughter at Oyster Bay. A motion for a new trial was denied.

THE trial of Frank James at Huntsville, Ala., for complicity in the Mussel Shoals robbery in 1881, ended on the 25th with a verdict of "not guilty." The verdict was greeted with cheers. James was immediately arrested by the Sheriff of Cooper County, Mo.

THERE was a sudden upward tendency in the wheat market at New York on the 25th, prices advancing 2½ cents on May and June. The transactions were heavy and several failures occurred. The advance in prices was the largest in a single day for many years.

[illegible] a local politician of some note, was convicted on the 25th of fraud for trying to extort $2,000 from the St. Louis Brewers' Association and the jury assessed a punishment at two years in the penitentiary.

THE House Committee on Military Affairs will ask for a special committee to investigate the management of the Soldiers' Home at Dayton, Ohio. General Patrick, Governor of the Home, has been charged with overbearing and inhuman treatment of the inmates.

FAILURES reported for the week ended April 25 were: In the United States 168, Canada 21, total 184; compared with 176 the previous week.

A MOB of between forty and fifty men visited the jail at Mt. Sterling, Ky., on the 25th, intent on hanging a prisoner named William Osborn, sentenced to five years for murder. They battered down the doors, but met with such determined resistance from the jailer and two sons, who were well armed, that they left without accomplishing their design.

IN reply to a resolution of the Senate requesting information as to the probable European requirements of grain products from the United States the present year, the Secretary of State says the most liberal allowance for the wheat output necessary to the world's consumption should be that the United States should be drawn upon the present year for 177,000,000 bushels, in round numbers, against 149,000,000 bushels from all other wheat-growing countries. It thus appears that the United States, instead of being controlled by, should be able to control foreign markets.

GEORGE ROFF, convicted in Kansas City of embezzling money from a registered letter, has been pardoned by the President.

SAMUEL KUPPERSCHMEID, a German from Cleveland, O., suicided at Baltimore, Md., on the 25th by leaping from Fayette Street bridge, a distance of thirty feet, into Jones' Falls. He was drowned in two feet of mud and water. Deceased was on his way to Germany and had $100 sewed in his underclothing.

MONTFORD KEIFER, eighteen years of age, son of Rev. Izaiah N. Keifer, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Wooster, O., and a student of Wooster University, committed suicide near Massillon, O., on the 25th by shooting. He was said to have been the brightest scholar in his class, but too close application to study had unsettled his mind.

REPRESENTATIVE STEWART, of Texas, has been directed by the House Committee on Foreign Affairs to prepare a bill providing for the appointment of three commissioners to visit Mexico, Central and South America, and secure information relative to the increasing commercial interests between these countries and the United States. The bill is to contain an appropriation of $70,000.

A MAN named John Brady walked off the west end of the viaduct at Cleveland, O., on the night of the 26th, while the draw was open. He fell a distance of eighty feet into the river, from whence he was soon after rescued without any injury save a thorough drenching.

A COLLISION occurred near Harmarville, Pa., on the West Pennsylvania Railroad, about midnight of the 27th, between a passenger and freight train, by which the firemen and engineers of the two trains were severely hurt, two probably fatally. The trains were running about twenty miles an hour and came together on a short curve. The engines were entirely demolished and cars damaged. None of the passengers were injured.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended April 26: Loans decrease, $3,900,000; specie decrease, $2,535,000; legal tenders increase, $1,144,000; deposits decrease, $4,977,000; circulation increase, $39,000; reserve decrease, $146,000. The banks now hold $2,419,000 in excess of legal requirements.

THE Knights of Labor have filed a petition with the President, requesting that he shall not appoint to the Comptroller of the Currency any man whose appointment is urged by the National Banks, and suggesting the name of Mr. James Gilfillan as a suitable one to be selected.

ADVICES from Western Texas state that large numbers of cattle are suffering and dying for want of water and grass, the drouth having been very severe in that section. Myriads of caterpillars have also appeared and are destroying all kinds of vegetation.

A BOILER explosion in the saw mill of J. R. Lamb, at Liberty Center, O., on the 26th, killed Wallace Hackett, engineer, and William Howe, the head sawyer.

AT Easton, Pa., on the 26th, Amelia Bargets cut the throats of her two children, aged respectively five months and two years, with a razor, and then gave an alarm. As the neighbors rushed in she drew a razor across her own throat, and threw herself beside her children. All three were mortally wounded.

WILLIAM J. PHILLIPS, of the New York Produce Exchange, who recently failed, has absconded. He had forged warehouse receipts for large quantities of flour and done other fraudulent acts.

LUKE PHIPPS, charged with shooting his wife on a ferry boat between Detroit and Windsor last August was convicted of murder at Sandwich, Ont., on the 26th, and sentenced to be hanged June 17.

THE official report of the investigation into the loss of the steamer Steinmann censures Captain Schooneboven for making no observations on the day of the disaster, and for his imprudence in attempting to enter the port of Halifax under the circumstances. The report adds: "It was clearly his duty to haul off shore until able to verify his position and obtain a pilot. To these circumstances can be attributed the loss of a fine ship and the lives of one hundred and twenty-four persons."

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Virginia Republican State Convention on the 24th made Colonel William Lumb permanent chairman, and elected William Mahone, William H. Pleasants (colored), S. M. Yost and Frank H. Blair delegates-at-large to Chicago. The delegates were instructed to vote as a unit on all questions in the convention.

THE Connecticut Republican State Convention met at Hartford on the 23d. Hon. Samuel Fessenden was made permanent chairman. The following were elected as delegates-at-large to the Chicago Convention: John L. Houston, Samuel E. Merwin, Jr., Augustus Brandegee and Frederick Mills.

THE following officers were elected at the thirteenth session of the Supreme Lodge of the World, Knights of Pythias, recently held at New Orleans: Supreme Chancellor, John Van Valkenburg, of Fort Madison, Iowa; Supreme Vice-Chancellor, Howard Douglas, of Ohio; Supreme Keeper of Records and Seals, Judge R. E. Cowen, of Missouri; Supreme Master-at-Arms, George B. Shaw, of Wisconsin; Past Supreme Chancellor, John R. Linton, of Jonnstown, Pa.

[illegible] the Louisiana election indicate 50,000 majority for the Democratic State ticket and the adoption of all the constitutional amendments.

HUGH GAFFNEY, a famous horse jockey and trainer, died at Chicago on the 23th.

THE Michigan Republican State Convention on the 24th selected Hon. M. C. Burch as permanent chairman, and chose R. G. Horr, Julius C. Burrows, William F. Swift and Dr. S. C. Watson (colored) delegates-at-large to the Chicago Convention.

AT the Iowa Democratic State Convention on the 24th J. B. Hill was made permanent chairman. L. G. Kinne, H. H. Trimble, E. H. Thayer and D. M. Harris were chosen delegates-at-large to the National Convention.

THE leaders of the tariff discussion in the House contemplate closing the general debate May 6.

THE State Convention of Massachusetts Greenbackers at Lynn on the 26th ratified the Chicago platform of 1880, and favored the nomination of Ben Butler for President.

THOMAS GAFF, of Aurora, Ind., one of the largest distillers of the country, died suddenly in Cincinnati on the 26th.

FOREIGN.

SIR EDWARD WATKIN, M. P., has offered a reward of £1,000 toward the rescue of General Gordon. He asks the London papers to open a fund for this purpose, when, he says, "£20,000 would be collected in a few hours."

THERE was a revolt on the 23d in the prison at Garsten, Austria, in which are confined a number of educated persons convicted of minor offenses. The outbreak was suppressed by the military after much bloodshed. Thirty prisoners were wounded, seven seriously.

IT was reported at Shanghai on the 23d that the Viceroy of Yaunan had committed suicide.

THIRTY-FIVE cane fields, four huts and many head of cattle belonging to the Congress plantations, in the province of Puerto Principe, Havana, were destroyed by fire on the 23d.

EIGHT THOUSAND emigrants sailed from Liverpool for America during the three days ended the 25th, a majority of them going to Manitoba, although many were booked for Canada and for the northwest States.

IN the budget submitted to the House of Commons on the 25th two important propositions were put forward, first, to degrade the gold standard by increased alloy, and second, to reduce the tax on tobacco.

A FIRE on the 26th on the premises of William Whitely, a dealer in general merchandise in West Bourne Grove, London, destroyed one building and damaged four others. Loss, £250,000.

IT is said that James O'Kelly, M. P., who went to the Soudan as correspondent of the London *Daily News* after the death of Edmund O'Donovan, has been taken into custody by the Egyptian authorities. Suspicious documents were found in his possession, among them letters from Frenchmen to the Mahdi.

THE Mayor of Vienna has received from an unknown donor 100,000 florins, with sealed instructions, which are not to be opened for six years.

LATER.

BY the breaking of a railroad bridge near Cuidad-Real, Spain, on the 28th ult., a train of passenger cars were precipitated into the river. Thirty-eight persons were killed and many others seriously wounded. One of the supports of the bridge was afterward found to be cut, showing that the disaster was the result of malicious work.

THE W. H. Lytle Post G. A. R., of Fort Scott, Kan., have shipped a car of corn to R. E. Lee, Camp Richmond, Va., to aid in building a home for disabled Confederate soldiers at that place. The corn was donated by the members of Lytle Post and the citizens generally, and was shipped on the 28th ult.

FIVE prisoners in the county jail at Beaver, Pa., made a break for liberty on the 27th ult., and succeeded in escaping by knocking the jailer down. Two of them were recaptured, but the others are still at large.

BY the falling of a portion of the new cavalry barracks at Portsmouth, England, on the 28th ult., a large number of convicts who were working on the building were buried in the ruins. Several were killed and thirty more or less injured.

CHARLES H. RUGG, the negro who was convicted of murdering Mrs. Maybee and daughter at Oyster Bay, L. I., has been sentenced to be hung June 6.

A FIRE at Glens Falls on the 28th ult. destroyed Little's Opera House, the Music Hall Building, Presbyterian Church, fifteen stores and thirty offices. Loss estimated at over $150,000.

GENERAL EMERSON OPDYCKE, formerly of Warren, O., died at New York on the 26th ult. from the effects of a bullet wound accidentally received while he was cleaning a pistol.

IT is now said the river and harbor appropriation bill will aggregate at least $13,000,000.

IN the Senate on the 28th ult. Mr. Collum, from the Committee on Railroads, reported the original bill to establish a commission to regulate interstate commerce. The bill is intended as a substitute for several bills relating to the same subject heretofore introduced. The other bills were indefinitely postponed and the bill reported placed on the calendar. A bill was passed to consolidate the Bureau of Military Justice and the Corps of Judge Advocates of the Army. The bill to establish a Bureau of Animal Industry was taken up and an amendment offered by Mr. Plumb, making the amount appropriated for the purposes of the bill $150,000, was agreed to. Without concluding consideration of the bill the Senate adjourned. The House passed the joint resolution for the appointment of Messrs. William H. Franklin, John Cadwalader and W. Hyde to fill the vacancies in the board of managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteers. The bill passed for the sale of a portion of the Fort Hayes military reservation in Kansas. Several bills were introduced and referred, after which the House went into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia. When the committee rose a recess was taken until evening, and debate on the tariff bill was resumed. Adjourned.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 18th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set orth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor, Chester County, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging among other things that the property of said deceased is in part at least, a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and which is past due, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin R. Wood, or some other suitable person. And it appearing to the court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the City of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, and of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for hearing the same.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JAMES MILLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Miller, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Miller a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Alexander W. Miller, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A.D., 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A.D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8), of Henry L. Howe's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said County; and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 16-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Exchange street, thence west on the south line of that for three and 18-100 chains to the J. B. Hoag lot, now Marsh lot; thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 1, 1884

The great political parties are now marshalling their forces for the presidential campaign. Delegates are being chosen and the great chiefs are intently watching their interests as convention after convention manifests its preferences. It is a great pity that the personal of the candidates are so prominent and prominent so far in the background that Mr. Public Weal would be lost in the quarrels. Mere politicians were sought down with a sense of responsibility in the support of great national interests. When personal considerations are made the desire to further some great end, then and not until then is a prospect that the right man will be found to head the ticket. But when it is a mere conflict between men, and the people are the prize, for which the contest is waged, the chances are against the people.

In regard to the local option question, whether under the supreme court decision villages could arbitrarily report bonds and thereby acquire local option, Hon. B. F. Graves, ex-chief justice, writes: "A village under charter adopted a vote of merchants to compel a board to act on the bond, it turned out the board had acted upon it that the process of the application. The supreme court held that on the board's refusing to grant petitioners leave to bond, information in the nature of quo warranto would lie to compel the board to do so. It was not supposed that any person would dispute that proposition, but it was argued that village authorities have a discretion to refuse to grant a license that is good faith. Another point was that village authorities might use their opinion of the policy. * * * There was no doubt of the ruling that the board was authorized to obtain the effect of local option by an arbitrary decision."

Under the direction of the State board of agriculture Dr. Kedzie has obtained from Japan 100 lbs. of sorghum seed early enough for grain to be distributed in small packets to those who desire to test the sugar producing and forage properties of sorghum. Only a few specimens can be sent into any one neighborhood but parties who are supplied with the seed in order of their application, until the stock on hand is exhausted. The directions for planting are as follows: Each package of seed will be sufficient for from one-quarter to one-third of an acre. Prepare the ground the same as for Indian corn. Plant when the ground is warm enough to secure rapid germination, and cultivate in all respects the same as Indian corn. Be sure to keep it free from weeds during its early growth, as it is then a weak plant and easily crowded out by the weeds. Try the growth, especially on sandy soils. At the end of the season report the results to Dr. Kedzie at the agricultural college.—Lansing Republican.

The severe thunder storm generally purifies the atmosphere. The Cincinnati riots have had a similar effect upon the moral atmosphere. They have aroused the legislature, and those who are responsible for the execution of the laws. The courts in Cincinnati have acted with a promptness and decision in dealing with crimes, which presents a marked contrast to the dilatoriness of the past. The legislature of Ohio has promptly inaugurated some very important reform measures. It has repealed the law exempting members of military companies from jury service. This is on the right line. The trouble has been to get good men to serve on our juries. They would get excused on one ground or another and leave only a class for service who had nothing else to do. If we would have our best citizens serve on juries we must not permit them to get excused so easily. The legislature has also reduced the criminal's right of peremptory challenge from 23 to 6. This also strikes at an evil. The prisoner, in the past, could drive all the staunch business men from the panel, by peremptory challenge. We are pleased to note also that a law has been passed, permitting men who have read of the case, to serve on the jury. Put this together with the law repealing some of the exemptions from jury service, and it begins to look as though they may secure good intelligent men to serve on their juries down in Ohio. This will go far toward assuring the prompt punishment of crime in that State. Now let Michigan follow suit.

AFTER THE STORM.

Wrecked Buildings Heaped Up in the Path of Last Sunday's Cyclone.

More Than Fifty Persons Killed and Injured—Not a House Left Standing on the Principal Street of Jamestown, Ohio.

LATER PARTICULARS.

DAYTON, O., April 28.—The cyclone that [illegible] the central and southern portion of the country on the past two [illegible] Tuesday, left desolation and death in its path. The first planet to the southward of Dayton was reached about eight and half-past eight on Sunday, yet details are meagre owing to the path south of Xenia, in many places to have been the most of all these cyclones, but has fortunately been out of their destructive path. The track over which the cyclone passed presents a frightful scene of destruction and death. Farm houses, barns and fences are piled in confused heaps of ruin with uprooted forests and the mutilated bodies of cattle. The hurricane was accompanied by flaming sky and rain. At Beavertown pieces of ice from two to four inches in diameter fell, from the cyclone doing great damage to windows in the town.

It was noticed that during the storm warm and cold winds alternated the cold from the north, and the warm rain, an evidence of the fact that the cyclone was formed by cold north and warm south winds. Reports of the

DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

are even more serious. At Alexander a frame barn blown bodily down from the north, while another of brick gray-stone was blown from the south, the two meeting on Mr. Hardy's farm. At Clay there was a great volume of winds poured down from their center and whirling and twisting started eastward, burning fences and trees in every direction.

It had scarcely gone 100 yards when it struck Mr. Hardy's tenant-house and [illegible] them all. At this place the beds were strewn with counter from barns, sheds and stables that had been torn to pieces by the terrible winds. All the farms along the track of the storm, which is estimated to have been about a quarter of a mile wide, were strewn with boards from sheds and houses along the way. The

PICTURE OF DESOLATION

presented saddens every poor. The farm of Frank Bryner, next in its path, was the scene of great destruction. A fence a quarter of a mile along the road was lifted bodily into the road and a small strip of woods was blown down. One hundred yards west of this two tobacco sheds, one 100 feet long and other 50 feet and a big barn were totally destroyed entailing a loss of $1,000.

Mr. Bryner, who witnessed the destruction of his property says the cyclone came with a roar like a hundred [illegible] at enormous speed. The great tongue reaching from the back part of the house above was like a great [illegible] into the earth, and where the funnel touched the earth clouds of black smoke rolled up to the heavens. As it struck the shed a shriek would like that of a saw striking a piece of lumber resounded. In an instant the air was filled with the debris which had scarcely fallen when all was quiet again and the sun shining. The

ROAR OF THE DESTRUCTIVE MONSTER

could be heard dying away as it cut through the country.

The next farm, that of Hugh Legler, was also severely dealt with by the storm. A new two-story house and two tobacco sheds were destroyed. As the cyclone crossed the Miami River near Carrollton an eye-witness says the water was carried fifty feet high. A strange freak of the cyclone at Jamestown was the destruction of four churches. All the houses on both sides of Xenia Avenue, the main street of the place, are totally destroyed. There is

NOT A HOUSE ON THE STREET

that can be occupied. More than one-half of the town is wrecked. The large warehouse of the Wickershams is a total wreck, and the Baptist Church is also gone, lying in a heap of debris on the site where it stood. The public school building is a total wreck and the Presbyterian Methodist and Christian Churches are all demolished and will have to be rebuilt.

Near Carrollton the tobacco shed and fencing on the farm of J. Guibart, east of the river, and the tobacco sheds of Mr. Yordy, E. Squires, J. Lowry, Mat Dodds, Mr. Leasch, J. Zimmerman and J. P. Kimmel were

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Near Charles Wheatley's the cyclone picked up a young bull and carried him several hundred yards. The bull bellowed furiously while on his aerial journey. At Charles Wheatley's a barn was blown down, and his tobacco shed badly damaged. On the farm of S. and C. Michaels the tobacco shed and stable are a total wreck, and the dwelling house is badly damaged. At M. H. Young's an unoccupied tenant house was blown down and his sugar grove badly damaged. On the farm of William Neble very serious damage was done. On the farm of Edward Wheatley nearly all the farm buildings are blown down. No lives are reported lost, but a number are seriously injured.

The village of Woodburn is a total wreck. Not a house is left standing. At Jamestown it is estimated that upward of

FIFTY PEOPLE WERE INJURED

more or less. The following is a list of those dangerously injured:

John Walker, leg and arm broken.
Mrs. Watson, hip broken.
Mrs. Tim Christopher, internal injuries and badly bruised.
James Christopher (child), badly bruised.
Mr. Reybourn, internally injured and bruised.
Elmer Reybourn, both legs broken.
Edward Wallace, both legs and one arm broken.
Barnie Rodgers, badly cut and bruised about the head.
William Heavy, skull fractured.
Emma Williams, (colored) badly bruised.

A relief committee has been organized in Jamestown, of which Mr. W. A. Paxson is chairman. He sent the following call for relief to Mayor Betteion, of Dayton, to-day:

"To the Mayor of Dayton:

"More than one-half of our town was totally destroyed by the terrible cyclone of the 27th inst. Hundreds of our citizens are in destitute circumstances and in need of relief. Any assistance will be gratefully received.

"W. A. PAXSON."

In accordance with this request Mayor Betteion has issued a call for a meeting of citizens at City Hall to take steps toward giving assistance.

THE SCENE AT JAMESTOWN.

XENIA, O., April 28.—The scene at Jamestown is even worse than expected. The force of the wind was terrific. Houses not entirely demolished were torn in two and lifted from their foundations. The damage is estimated from $150,000 to $200,000. The principal losses are the Methodist Church, $10,000; Christian Church, $5,000; the fair ground, $5,000; A. L. Wickersham, $5,000; Eliza M. Sowsey, $5,000; Mrs. S. Adams, $4,000; fire engine, $5,000; Baptist Church, $3,000.

The individual losses number 136. In many cases the house and its entire contents are all gone. Furniture and bedding were blown into the tree tops a mile distance from the houses. The damage in the country was very great, but particulars are not yet known. The roads are impassable in the direction of the storm. Much live stock was killed. Barns, sheds, fences and trees were swept away. A meeting was held here tonight to organize for the relief of the suffering.

The first house struck by the cyclone was that of Rev. William Stewart. It was a light frame, and was literally torn to pieces and distributed on farms near. Stewart was in the house and is thought to be fatally injured. The city building was blown over upon the bakery of A. B. Smith, crushing it and burying nine persons in the ruins. Four of them, Al. Harbert, George Ballard, Elmore Johnson and Edward Wilson, were seriously injured. There are about thirty-five or forty other persons injured, though not seriously.

The three persons killed at Mr. Jenkins' house were in the act of entering the cellar where others of the family had gone when they were caught against the wall by the falling frame of the house and crushed to death. They are Miss Jenkins, Miss Jones, who was visiting her aunt Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Carpenter, who was making a call when the storm came on.

Hiram Dell was killed while running from his father's house. Miss Bobeler was killed by a falling timber. The cyclone entered the town from the west, followed the main street called Xenia Avenue and was about a hundred yards in width. Debris from the houses was strewn for a long distance east of the town.

Four Bribers Indicted, One of Them an American.

TORONTO, April 29.—The Grand Jury found true bills against Bunting, Wilkinson, Meek and Kirkland, charged with conspiracy to bribe members of the Legislature. Bunting is proprietor of the *Mail*, and his indictment is a severe set-back to the paper. These cases were brought out March 17 last when two members of the Legislature, R. McKim and William Balfour, announced that Wilkinson had paid them $1,000 and $800 for their votes. Other members implicated Kirkland, Meek and Bunting, and their arrests followed. Kirkland is an Wisconsin man, and was in Toronto scheming to get control of some valuable timber land on the boundary between Minnesota and Canada. Wilkinson was a political wire-puller and had a remarkable faculty of obtaining official appointments for his friends.

Insane From a Desire to Marry.

BUFFALO, April 28.—John W. Brayley, of Evanston, Ill., who arrived in this city a few days ago, was arrested Sunday for an attempt at suicide. Brayley showed evident signs of lunacy and was gradually growing worse. He has been taken to the State Insane Asylum a raving maniac. In his rational moments he said that some weeks ago he left his home, having been refused the consent of the parents of a young lady of Evanston to wed her. His uncle purchased him a ticket to Philadelphia, where he had friends, hoping to cure him of his infatuation. While being taken to the asylum he piteously moaned, "O, where is she?" The physicians consider his case incurable.

Incendiary Fire at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, April 29.—Just before two o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in the three-story brick building at the corner of Jefferson avenue and market street, occupied on the ground floor by S. H. Geisel as a grocery and on the upper stories as tenements. The fire spread rapidly, cutting off the stairway and great excitement and terror prevailed among the people in the building, but all were finally rescued by the firemen from windows by means of ladders, nine being seriously injured, though several were slightly burned and nearly suffocated by the smoke. The fire is the work of an incendiary, but the loss is not great.

Easton Turns State's Evidence.

DALLAS, Tex., April 28.—Edward D. Easton, one of the alleged cotton swindlers in jail at Dallas, has agreed to turn State's evidence. For this Easton only gets two years in the penitentiary in the event that Baum and Lobenstein are convicted on the same charge. If they are acquitted charges against Easton are to be dismissed. Easton is to testify to all he knows about the swindle. The prosecution entertains no doubt of the conviction of Baum and Lobenstein.

Michigan Items.

DETROIT, April 28.—Simon Moore, aged twenty-five, a deaf mute from Dublin, Ont., was killed by the cars at Flint yesterday morning. He was walking on the track.

J. H. Smith, of Pinconning, was killed yesterday morning while unloading logs at St. Helen, this State.

R. C. Montgomery, the widely known vessel owner and manager, of this city, died Monday morning of hemorrhage of the lungs.

A False Claim Allowed.

BUFFALO, April 28.—Considerable excitement was caused here on Sunday by the publication of the fact that a claim of about $2,800 had been paid by Ex-Surrogate Zebular Ferris to one Richard Colville in August, 1882, recorded as a brother of of James Colville, deceased, late of Brant, this county. Letters from relatives of James Colville, living at Dundee, Scotland, state that the existence of Richard Colville is unknown to them.

Sensible Chest Protector.

GARELLO, N. C., April 29.—Two prominent colored politicians, Isaac Tiggen and James Porter Spicers, were arrested when about to engage in a duel. Tiggen had on two overcoats and a sheet iron plate fifteen inches square as a chest protector to keep out the cold, as he explained. Bad blood grew out of differences as to Presidential candidates.

Punished for Protecting Her Character.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Sadie Reigh, a young woman who pleaded guilty to having shot and killed Patrick Kingsley, head waiter at the Briggs House for defaming her character, was sentenced to a year and a half in the penitentiary this morning.

The Mississippi Overflow.

NEW ORLEANS, April 28.—The water from Davis Crevasse, nineteen miles above, now covers all that portion of Gretna south of the Morgan railroad track. The water is coming up to within half a dozen squares of the river.

Stock Brokers Fail.

NEW YORK, April 28.—Owens & Mercer, stock brokers, are unable to meet their engagements. Liabilities small.

"THESE ARE MY JEWELS."

That is what Cornelia said of her Gracchi boys, at a sort of Roman tea party, where her associates were boasting of their jewels of the mines about 2,000 years ago.

When a Grecian mob wished to get rid of Socrates, the best and purest man they ever had, long centuries ago, they condemned him to die, under the false charge of "corrupting the youth." Remember, that these were not only heathen, but heathen long centuries ago. Yet Protestant Christian parents, in charity, we hope, to others, seem to have forgotten that it is no sought to be a sense the corrupt the youth.

"Cast not your pearls before swine," saith the proverb of Holy Writ, and yet is not this just what the fathers and mothers of Michigan are doing every day? Who that has a human heart could fail to have had that heart stirred within him while listening to the assertions and developments made at the public meeting recently called at the Central M. E. church for the formation of a citizens' league to enforce our liquor laws and while not only the principal speaker, Mr. Paxton of Chicago, but also Superintendent Howell of our city schools besought the league also to embrace the saving of the children from the temptations of intemperance not only, but of vile literature and vile associations as well?

Fathers and mothers of Lansing, where are your jewels? Where are your boys and girls at night, and who are their associates? You do not know, and you do not seem to care. You send them, perhaps, to the Sunday school, and seem to think that that will answer every purpose. Did you hear Mr. Paxton tell how many Sunday school boys and girls he found enticed into the saloons, on their way home from the Sabbath schools. No, this is not enough.

Thanks, grateful thanks to the noble army of Sunday school teachers, who without hope of reward in this world, care so tenderly for the children committed to their charge, but parents cannot thus throw off from themselves the responsibilities thrown upon them by the Infinite Father, who has made them the especial guardians of those children committed to their care to train and fit for usefulness in life and happiness in the life to come.

Fashion, love of pleasure, and love of gain, are the Molochs before whose hideous image and into whose insatiable maw they are content to throw these priceless treasures, with all their sweet tender sensibilities, palpitating hearts, and boundless capabilities. They cannot consent to sacrifice themselves to the less showy, and therefore less attractive duties and pursuits of looking after and caring for the little ones at home. And it is only when it is too late, that with broken hearts and heaven beseeching lamentations, they awaken to the natural, nay, the almost certain results of their suicidal neglect.—Lansing Republican.

BEAUTIFUL SPRING TIME.

"The time of the singing of the birds has come" once more. How pleasant it seems! How we rejoice in the warm sun and balmy air! But while its light and warmth are around us and the birds are singing and flowers are springing, and field and forest are putting on their beautiful robes, let us ask how it is in our hearts. Is it spring time there? This spring sunshine comes creeping into many unhappy homes, homes in which the "winter of discontent" and unhappiness has not been made summer for many a day. Dear friends, with this returning spring let the spring-time of happiness return to your home. Bring in again the warm sunshine of love, plant the flowers of tender affection, sow the seed of kind words and deeds. It is not too late to banish the winter. Your home may be made a little paradise if all its inmates but set themselves about the task.

While the cold blasts of winter continue, we do not expect opening flowers and balmy breezes. But strange to say, in many homes where the cold cutting blasts of ill-will and jealousy blow, where unkind words freeze up every bud of tender affection, the inmates seem to expect the spring-time and wonder that it does not come. How foolish! We cannot have the spring time in the home, we cannot expect home to blossom and flourish like a paradise without the light and warmth of love.

The following is from the *California Advocate*: "There was not a murder in Wyoming Territory last year, and they have Woman's Suffrage. It is not only an exceptional case in the United States but it is remarkable. Courts of Wyoming are uncommonly prompt in punishing crime. In early times in Laramie and other places the people had to hang a few desperadoes, but after things became steady and women voted, they execute the laws with exceptional care." Let those who expect to bring the millennium by dallying with crime and pitying criminals, answer such arguments as this if they can. The only thing which can check crime is promptness in executing every penalty against it. Where this is done it will decrease.

New Spring Goods!

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Endless variety in School Suits,
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Were we so well prepared to give good bargains and a good assortment of goods as now. Our stock of

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Have a large and popular stock of

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FOR LADIES' WEAR.

Soft Shoes for tender feet. Easy, durable, fashionable and cheap. Mens' fine and course boots and shoes at lowest prices.

DOUBLE STORE,
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DR. GEO. FERGUSON

Late of Coldwater, this state,

Takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Tecumseh and vicinity that he has purchased the

Drug and Grocery Business of J. W. Patterson at the old Patterson store in this Village.

The Doctor is a physician and druggist and is every way competent and reliable in his line of business. The stock is being thoroughly sifted, and every article not actually prime is thrown out.

We have a large and fine line of wall paper, which we invite the people to see for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. We do not expect to sell all the goods sold in our line in the village, but by fair and honorable dealing hope to secure your share of trade.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED.—Experienced canvassers to sell the "Treasury of Song," one of the finest musical collections ever offered to the public. Apply to G. P. SPARKS.

SEED CORN.—Farmers can find good seed corn for sale at my farm 3½ miles west of Tecumseh. W. J. OSBORN.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice. F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

THE HORSE TO PLEASE EVERYbody. Gen. Grant, the celebrated stallion, can be seen at the Exchange Hotel barn, Tecumseh, on Wednesdays of each week. Be sure and call and see him. E. GRAF, Propr.

All my accounts have been left with [illegible] for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. REIL.

STOP THIEF.—Farmers, if you wish hay crook and car, fork, rope and pulleys in your barn; put up in a workmanlike manner, apply at the store of Whitcomb, Bordine & Co., or to J. M. Foote & Son, Clayton, Mich. Agent for the only solid hay track made in the U. S.

DRESSMAKING.—We are now prepared to do dress cutting and fitting, and also to do plain sewing, and to teach both systems for cutting dresses—the Magic Scale and the Taylor System. Rooms in Brewer's block over Henry Anderson's grocery store.
MARY E. SNAUBLE. CORA L. HOLMES.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected. S. CATLIN, M.D.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The homestead farm of the late Samuel G. Conkling, situated in the eastern part of the township of Raisin, consisting of one hundred and sixty acres, being the S. E. ¼ of section 11 in said township, is offered for sale. For terms enquire of the undersigned.
H. W. & H. C. CONKLING, Executors.

HOUSE TO RENT.—Situated on Oneida street. Enquire of H. W. CONKLING.

LIGHT BRAMAH EGGS for setting can be had of the subscriber at the residence of F. V. Horton at 50c per 13. Orders left at Waldo & Doty's will receive prompt attention.
F. V. HORTON.

PROF. C. M. VET, Director of the Conservatory of Music, Jackson, Mich., will receive pupils for the violin, cello, flute, cornet, &c. on Tuesday of each week. Terms, $1 per lesson. Orders for piano tuning promptly and satisfactorily attended to.

MADAM C. M. VET will accept a class of scholars in the French language on Tuesday also. Terms for each class of ten, 40c a lesson to each pupil. Apply to Miss Mabel Hayden or Prof. C. M. Vet, 114 Blackstone Terrace, Jackson, Mich.

ASPARAGUS ROOTS. Conover's collosal, 75 cts. per hundred.
ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE.—Several desirable family residences in village of Tecumseh. Enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—New lumber wagon, one of my make, for sale cheap. I. B. RICHART.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if sold at once. For particulars enquire of
J. W. COLE.
Also a good house and lot for sale.

JOSEPH SLATER FARM FOR SALE.—This farm about 4 miles west of Tecumseh, comprising about 300 acres, is now offered for sale. Any persons desiring to purchase real estate are invited to examine the premises and call upon E. B. WOOD, Agent.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

FOR SALE.—Twenty Village lots for sale on reasonable terms. Well located on Shawnee, Union, Bidwell and Malden Lane streets. Very fine building lots. Time given if requested. Apply to B. J. RIDWELL, Tecumseh, Mich.

SHORT HORNS FOR SALE.—Eight yearling bulls, well bred, and good individual animals. Also some choice cows and heifers and Poland China swine. Forty-seven fine wool breeding ewes will be sold if applied for soon. Terms reasonable. Address
B. J. RIDWELL Tecumseh, Mich.

Ab. Osborne's new building, east of the HERALD office is rushing right along.

John Davis, Esq., and wife of Monroe, Mich., are visiting here with his neice, Mrs. Snedecor.

Tecumseh will celebrate Decoration Day. That is determined upon. Committees will be appointed and all necessary arrangements made next week.

B. L. Baxter is expected home tomorrow. He has business at Ridgeway and Toledo, and will return to Lansing probably about the middle of next week.

The township board held a meeting last evening and made the following appointments: Census Enumerator—F. B. Wood. Health Officer—Dr. L. G. North. Board of Review—Horatio Keyser, E. A. Tribou.

Dr. O. Q. Jones has bought the Geo. Wilson house on Oneida street, between Chicago and Logan, and has taken possession. He will receive professional calls there from persons living in that quarter of the village. The Doctor can now rejoice in having a home of his own.

The time is not far distant when the alleys and back yards should be renovated. The old tin cans, and boots, chicken skeletons, disjoined or otherwise, remains of cats, and the posthumous relics of dogs, old leaves, straw, dry grass, and other remains of like character should be raked away or destroyed by fire. Clean up is the word.

Of Miss Sarah Round's Readings in Detroit, the Evening News says: The young lady's voice is clear, resonant and powerful, and the manner in which she reads Poe's "Bells" did great credit to her as a most accomplished professional." The full program of Miss Sarah Rounds' Readings and Concert will be given next week.

A correspondent offers this: As spring draws on apace, street corners and dry goods boxes in front of stores are becoming the popular resort of a class of men the world would be better off without. The man of action and industrious citizen will often wonder what such fellows were created for. The only solution we can give is that they eat as much as anybody and thus prevent an over-production of provisions.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 1, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

It warms up very slowly.

The paper mill is running again at full blast.

Lots of new side-walk building in the village this spring.

Remember the donation for the benefit of Rev. J. Phelps at the parsonage this evening.

The military boys' entertainment takes place at the opera house on the evenings of May 12 and 13.

Those persons who are not already subscribers to our new Directory can obtain a copy for one dollar.

A few copies of the Tecumseh Directory are on sale at the HERALD counting room at one dollar each.

DeWitt Tallman, of Adrian, does not entirely forget his Tecumseh friends. We received a pleasant call from him on Tuesday. He is as good natured as ever and his residence in Adrian seems to do him no harm.

There is to be a new bridge across the river Raisin at Palmyra and Elijah Wilson has the contract of driving the spiles and building the foundation. Wonder how they found out where to find the best spile driver?

L. F. Wheeler will be in town a few days before going east to work for a large Chicago house at a popular summer resort making views. The people of Tecumseh and vicinity wishing any views taken while he is at home should be prompt in giving orders.

The residents of Pennington's Corners get their mail about two days behind time. The best arrangement for the Macon mail would be a daily mail between that village and Tecumseh, coming to Tecumseh in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

The present High School graduating class consists of six members: Frank Lamkins, May Farley, Mable Guiwitz, Ernest Shepard, Edgar Ide and Will Hastings. They are all excellent pupils. The graduating exercises next June will be fully up to the usual standard.

Mrs. H. E. Stout has received a large and magnificent assortment of new spring goods which she has displayed to the best advantage at her new millinery rooms over Anderson's store. She invites her friends to call and inspect her stock before purchasing, as she is prepared to give unusual bargains this spring.

Number four of the "Social Reformer" was issued from the HERALD job rooms last Tuesday. The paper is a great improvement over its predecessors and looks as "neat as a pin," and the reading matter contained therein is sound and practical. Bro. Hudson is becoming a first-class editor. The present number of the paper will bear the most critical inspection.

Jas. Montague has bought a lot 100 by 50 feet between Lee's corner block and Bird & Havens' livery, and is erecting a two story building thereon, to be occupied by W. N. Snedicor.—It will be fitted up expressly for Mr. Snedicor's use for a bakery and agricultural implement house, he having taken a long lease of the property.—The new building will be exactly what Mr. Snedicor wants for his business.

J. B. Swan returned from Florida last Saturday, looking as bronzed and hearty as though he had taken a trip round the world. He now has two thousand trees on his orange plantation, and is highly satisfied with his Florida investment. It will not only afford him a good winter home but will also, unless appearances are deceiving, be a good financial speculation. There is quite a Michigan colony now where he is located.

C. S. Mail: "Mr. F. B. Deuel is now foreman of the mechanical department of the Sparta SENTINEL. Though having served but a partial apprenticeship at the trade, Mr. Deuel, by hard work and perseverance, has gained in the "art preservative" a knowledge to be envied by many of our "master printers." He succeeds Mr. E. Sliter." We are glad to hear of Finley's prosperity. We know that he has the timber of making a good printer.

G. P. Sparks has moved his stock of musical merchandise and sewing machines and can now be found in his new quarters in Lee's block. He has elegant rooms there, large and conveniently arranged. The people of this section now have what has long been needed, a first-class musical house, and we believe they will respond to Mr. Sparks' enterprise by giving him a good trade. It will no longer be necessary to go abroad for musical instruments.

Orange Judd, Editor of the American Agriculturist for some thirty years, but unconnected with its business management for a year or two past, has lately retired from its editorial department and located in the West. He desires to gather a complete "Postal Card Album" of his old readers and friends, and requests them all to send him now a postal giving their present location and address, naming also, when convenient, the years in which they were his subscribers. Mr. Judd's address is Chicago, Illinois.

The big circus will arrive next Monday.

Gainsley & Co. have put a new floor in their store.

Dr. Geo. Ferguson is treating the interior of his store to a new coat of paint.

A new sidewalk has been laid on the East side of Pearl street adjoining the agricultural works.

Gainsley & Co., have a new hard wood floor in their store, which greatly improves its appearance.

[illegible] Burridge formerly of this village is one of the recently elected trustees of Dundee. He will make a good officer.

We should never be afraid to do that which is for our good or for the good of others, even though we may be ridiculed for it.

A full grown John Chinaman was in town yesterday searching for rooms in which to start a laundry. We have not learned whether he succeeded in finding any.

Dundee Reporter: Dundee having elected a temperance ticket Monday Capt. Nel. White proposes to bring to town his seeding machine and scatter grass seed over the streets.

A letter written last Tuesday from New York states that Seaton Anderson is improving daily and will soon be able to sit up. Fred Rosacrans arrived home to day noon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hand passed the forty-seventh anniversary of their marriage last Sunday. They have been residents of Tecumseh since 1839. May they live to enjoy many more anniversaries.

At the close of service last Sunday evening Rev. C. E. Conley announced that next Lord's day would be the first Sunday of the seventh year of his pastorate, and on that day he would preach an anniversary sermon.

Geo. Adamson has moved into his new quarters on the old Keil corner and will occupy the West side of the store with a magnificent stock of jewelry, watches, etc. He is having another large wall show case constructed which will fill out his space finely. Call and see him, look over his goods and buy.

Mr. Wm. VanCamp has severed his connection with the McConnell Dry Goods House and again takes a position behind the counter at James A. Eaton & Co's. His friends from this section who always trade with "Van" will please bear in mind his change of location, and give him a call when visiting Adrian.

Mr. F. W. Keip, of Toledo, has opened a book and news store in the corner store of the Lilley House block, and will occupy the East side of that store. In addition to books, etc., he will carry a large stock of wall paper. Mr. Keip comes to us well recommended and we have no doubt he will secure a good trade.

Street Commissioner Jordan set at work the other day to find some suspected leaks in the water works. One was found in the hydrant at the M.E. church corner and one in the small pipe leading to the cellar of the HERALD building. Both leaks were mended and no further trouble is apprehended.

John A. Heck left Tecumseh for New York last Tuesday morning and on Saturday next he will sail for Liverpool. He is taking the trip mostly for business purposes to make arrangements for a more extended sale of Heck's celebrated roller flour across the big water. May he have a pleasant voyage and a successful business trip.

Rev. C. W. Knickerbacker, of Wayne, Mich., one of the pioneer Universalist ministers of this state, died last Saturday of heart disease.—The deceased had preached in nearly all the churches of his denomination in Michigan and was known and respected throughout the state. Rev. Dr. Hanson, of Chicago, conducted the funeral services.

James Glasgow's little girl has been suffering for several months with acute rheumatism. A few weeks ago Dr. H. W. Catlin took charge of the case and by skillful treatment and close attention has effected almost a complete cure. Mr. Glasgow feels himself under special obligations to Dr. Catlin for his successful treatment of the case.

Dr. Higgins, the well-known principal of Polypathic school of medicine, Indianapolis, visits Tecumseh on his regular circuit from Friday, May 2d, till Monday, May 5th, and can be consulted at the Lilley House. His unqualified success in the treatment of chronic diseases is too well known in Lenawee county to need mention here. See his announcement elsewhere.

H. E. Stout and Henry Heesen have been admitted to the firm of H. Brewer & Co. C. J. Brewer has been compelled to relinquish his duties in the shop by reason of poor health, and H. W. Conkling expects to take an extended trip west this summer. The admission of Stout and Heesen to a business interest is not only a wise move under the present circumstances but is a fitting recognition of their long and faithful service in the shop.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Adrian District Association of the W. F. M. S. held its semi-annual session with the Methodist Episcopal church in Tecumseh on Wednesday and Thursday Apr. 23 and 24. Mrs. E. J. Benson of Adrian, President, Miss Franc Baker of Adrian, Secretary. The exercises began on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A large number were present from other portions of the district. The president led the opening exercises. Mrs N. R. Merritt of Tecumseh read an address of welcome, and Mrs. Cushman of Manchester responded. After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and the appointment of committees, Mrs. A. Gillett of Grass Lake read an essay. Reports from delegates followed. In the evening, devotions were led by Rev. McMahon of Palmyra, Mrs. Rev. W. J. Campbell sang a solo very beautifully. Miss Franc Baker of the editorial staff of the UNION LIGHT gave a lecture entitled, "Sketches of Michigan Methodist Missionary Women." She labored under great disadvantages as she should have had a stereopticon to give her photographic views, but had to get along with a small magic lantern. But in spite of all she held her audience interested to the close, and gave such a sketch of our missionary women as made us all feel proud of them.

On Thursday morning devotional services were conducted by Mrs. J. Atkinson, of Adrian. Mrs. Town, of Rollin, led an interesting meeting entitled "Missionary Reminiscences." This consisted of individual experiences in the work of organizing and carrying on the different auxiliary societies. Fraternal delegates were next received; Mrs. Rev. W. H. Babbitt and Mrs. E. B. Wood from the Presbyterian missionary societies, and Mrs. Jas. Heck of the Baptist missionary society, of Tecumseh, gave interesting addresses. Mrs. A. C. Stalker, of Ann Arbor, then read an able essay. Subject: "Christ as a Factor in Society."

In the afternoon Mrs. Rev. G. W. Hudson, of Tecumseh, led the devotional exercises. Miss Minnie Miller, of Adrian, gave an interesting recitation. Mrs. W. B. Mumford, formerly of Tecumseh, now of Adrian, sang "If I were a voice," very beautifully, Miss Mary Norton, of Hudson, read an essay, Miss Whedon, of Ann Arbor, gave another recitation and Mrs. F. D. York, of Dearborn, Conference Secretary of the W. F. M. S., gave a thrilling address.

In the evening Rev. Pierce, of Sharon led the devotions. Rev. Oldham, of Detroit, who was born and raised in India as was his father before him, but of English parentage, and who has lived in India until within four or five years, gave a very interesting missionary address. He showed the difficulties of the work. These are 1st. the dissolute lives of Europeans, 2d. the the haughtiness of the English, 3d. the the growing national spirit among the educated. Next he showed what is being done, and made the astounding statement that if we reckon all the Christian workers of every description and creed in India, we have just one to 50,000 of her people. With such scarcity of workers he showed that much has been accomplished. Mr. Oldham intends to return to India in October, and devote his life to missionary work.

We feel that the sessions of the association were very profitable, and shall be glad to meet these workers for God and humanity in the future again.

MR. CHAPMAN'S RETURN.

The really surprising success of our amateur dramatic talent in the recent production of "Driven from Home" has prompted Company C. of M. S. T. to engage Mr. Harry C. Chapman, to whose admirable direction a great deal of the recent success is due, to return. The result of this engagement will be seen on the evenings of May 12th and 13th, when the weird, wonderfully sympathetic English drama, entitled "Michael Earle, the Maniac Lover, or, the Fayre Lass of Litchfield" will be presented by a caste most of whom have already demonstrated their ability, and Mr. Chapman has certainly shown his power of bringing that talent into prominence and giving us as good an evening entertainment as we are in the habit of witnessing from our allotment of professionals.

In the selection of "Michael Earle" the Guards and Mr. Chapman have shown considerable judgment. It is one of those many charming sermons one often hears from the stage, one of those plays one never forgets, and has a moral evident to all. The comedy element is very amusing and is carried through the play by several characters.

The caste is complete and in daily rehearsal, and Mr. Chapman is confident of once more giving our amusement seekers a representation worthy of their patronage and commendation.

Popular prices will prevail.

By request of many citizens, "Driven from Home" will be repeated with the original caste, May 13th.

Hudson will celebrate decoration day with Gen. Geo. Spaulding of Monroe as orator.

THE NORTH PINE WOODS.

MR. EDITOR:—Having just returned from a brief business trip into Wexford and Missaukee Counties, I have thought that perhaps a few minutes of the trip might prove of interest to your readers.

If any one supposes that Michigan is about to run out of pine lumber, they ought to see the miles of logs in all the northern streams almost, and the miles of uncut forests, on every side of you as you go in almost any direction from the county seat of Wexford county.

My destiny was Lake City the county seat of Missaukee county—about 15 miles north east of Cadillac.

I went there from Grand Rapids to Cadillac by the G. R. & Ind. R. R. and then in an open wagon, over hills and through pine forests, often snow and ice in the pine groves on each side of me, and not unfrequently in the road itself. Some four miles from Lake City we struck a sort of frozen marsh and the horses were seldom out of the water after that until about three quarters of a mile from Lake City.

When I left Lake City last Wednesday morning, Muskrat Lake on the east shore of which it lies, was still frozen over. We took a more southern route to Cadillac to avoid the marsh, making the distance about 18 miles, part of the time in heavy pine woods, ice and snow all around—part of the trees in pine barren from which the pine had been cut, leaving the land clean but utterly worthless, and sometimes up and down hills, such as Michiganders never see in the South part of the Peninsula.

For pine lumber, the uncut portion is still valuable, assessed according to stumpage at from $20 to $30 per acre, for farming purposes the land even the best of it, the rolling beach and maple land is almost worthless, at least it would be to me. I would rather have four acres of the poorest land in Lenawee county, than forty acres of the best land I saw up there.

They can only raise the small six weeks corn, must plant after the middle of June to avoid the June frosts and ripen and gather it before the 10th of September, or in all probability it is gone up. White beans will not ripen in the brief space of time allowed to them, three-fourths of them or more, almost uniformly sucumbing to the early Sept. frosts. Hay, so I am told, runs about one-half ton to the acre, and corn 10 to 20 bushels, if it is fortunate enough to escape the frosts at both ends of the season.

The soil, which I measured in several places runs from one-half to three-fourth of an inch deep, the yellow or white sand ad libitum. Potatoes and turnips do well as they always do in northern latitudes.

Lumbering is the only business that pays, and that does pay. Wages now, driving logs on nearly all the small streams $2 per day and board. Narrow guage railroads, or logging railways are laid with iron rails and run by steam, abound, but it seems to me that when the lumbering is done, the men must move out or starve.

In the town of Deerfield, about two or three miles from the village of Deerfield, Lenawee county, is a settlement which par-excellence is called the "black north"—and it is really a curiosity that the two adjoining towns and counties—Cypress in the north of Wexford Co., and Colwell in the north of Missaukee Co. near Manetou on the Grand Rapids and Indiana R. R., is a settlement of nearly 30 families composed almost entirely of emigrants from the "black north" of Deerfield. It is called the Carpenter settlement mostly it is laid upon a birch and maple ridge, and upon one main road east and west.

And by the way, the land we are told, as you get nearer to Lake Michigan, feeling the influence of that large body of water in delaying and modifying the early fall frosts, is made more productive and much more reliable for a crop, and the houses and farm improvements are much better and built more as if with an intent to stay rather than as for a temporary accommodation. As a summer resort the whole country with its noble pine forests and its clean sandy lakes, is beautiful, but as a winter residence inhospitable and destitute.

It is simply lumber, logs and lumber and nothing else—unless it is rowdyism and whiskey. The lumbermen constituting the great working classes get good wages all winter and while driving logs in the spring, but too many of them when their winter's work is done like the sailors of the sea coast, dissipate the most of their hard earned wages, on the road to lock-ups and jails in Grand Traverse, Big Rapids, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Flint, Bay City, Detroit and Chicago.

By request I addressed a crowded house at Lake City, on temperance. I left the next morning, and their not knowing my exact destination, I have no means of telling you how the shot told, but presume I had better not lecture on temperance there again this summer.

Lansing, April 28th, 84. B.

The Farmers of Macon will hold a Sheep Shearing Festival at Wm. Osgood's on Tuesday May 6th. All are cordially invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS.

We tender to the many kind friends our heartfelt thanks for the great kindness they administered to us while under the darkest shadow that ever fell upon our lives in the loss of our darling boy.

JOHN R. CLARK,
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Lines to Willie.

This world of ours is not complete,
Without the childrens' song and noise;
For there's no sound that's half as sweet
As the music of their cheery voice.

Then God bless well in the best of ways,
That when their days of youth are flown;
They may bless your life in after years,
When you are apt to think your joys are gone.

Those earlier days when age creeps on,
To cripple and cram the bending form,
A loving daughter and a tender son
May steer you in the eddying storm.

After that the light will come
In glorious sheen from the land of light;
To shimmer with gold your pathway home,
Far from the murky touch of night.

Then in the long sometime of rolling years,
When cycles are but a round of joy;
Happy we'll be if in those spheres
We can live again with our darling boy.

J. R. C.

Our Tecumseh Directory is completed and is now ready for delivery. We have been subjected to unforeseen delays in the prosecution of the work and it is short of our ideal of what a directory ought to be, but we believe it will be a convenience to all, that it will be found useful in many ways, and that it is a good investment for the subscribers. The books will be delivered as rapidly as possible to those entitled to them. We wish to extend our thanks to all who have kindly favored us with their patronage and aid in the work. A few extra copies are on hand which will be sold for one dollar per copy.

NO SOONER, NO LATER.

The date of the Anglo American Four Combined Shows, when once fixed is never changed under any circumstances, and its railroad contracts are made months in advance of the arrival of the various advertising cars. The public is therefore warned not to be misled or confused by any future announcements, as these monster shows will positively exhibit in all its entirety, at Tecumseh, Monday, May 5.

—Notice. David Jones has moved his renovating establishment to the store lately occupied by Peter Welling, on Railroad street, and will be pleased to have his friends call and see him. D. JONES.

—Please call and look at our goods. Bureaus for $5.00. Trunks for $1.00. Sewing Machines for $18.00. Spring Couches for $5.50. Baby Cabs, $2.50. Camp Rockers, with arms, $3.00. Pillow Sham Holders, $1.00. New style curtain fixtures, a splendid kind for 15 cts. including cord, at
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 15. Mail.	No. 17. Express	No. 49. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3-26 "	3 52 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 08 "	4 52 "
Petroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	9 07 "
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Express	Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	4 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 13 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 05 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A. M.	P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
7 20	5 05	10 10	Lv..Toledo..Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
6 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 17
6 04	6 31	11 32	...Ridgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
5 25	6 41	11 43	...Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 42
6 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton....	3-02	9 42	3 10
6 30	7 10	12 15	...Cambridge..	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
7 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
7 40	8 07	1 19	....Hanover...	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 38	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
7 06	8 40	1 52	....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
7 22	9 00	2 22	....Marshall...	12 37	7 32	10 15
7 39	9 22	2 34	....Ceresco....	12 25	7 19	9 46
7 50	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
8 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
8 33		3 29	....Yorkville...	11 34		7 53
8 46		3 36	....Richland...	11 28		7 39
8 55		3 57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
9 20		4 16	...Montelth...	10 49		6 15
9 30		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
9 51		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 35		4 45	Ar. Allegan. Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.		A. M.		A. M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 39	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 23	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING INTO EFFECT SUNDAY, JAN. 13, 1884.

—Trains run by Central Time.—

GOING NORTH. No. 2. Express.	No. 4. Accom.	No. 6. Express.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1. Express.	No. 3. Express.	No. 5. Express.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A.M.	P. M.	
5 40	2 00	8 05	Toledo	9 30	1 45	4 55
5 45	2 07	8 12	Manhattan Junc.	9 26	1 39	4 48
5 53	2 18	8 19	Alexis "	9 16	1 28	4 38
6 02	2 25	8 29	Hawthorne "	9 10	1 17	4 30
6 10	2 35	8 37	Samaria "	9 02	1 07	4 22
6 25	2 57	8 47	Lulu	8 47	12 48	4 04
6 30	3 05	8 52	Monroe Junc.	8 42	12 42	3 59
6 45	3 23	9 04	Dundee	8 30	12 30	3 50
6 55	3 40	9 15	Azalia	8 20	12 20	3 40
7 08	3 59	9 27	Milan Junc.	8 09	12 10	3 25
7 10	4 06	9 30	Milan	8 06	12 08	3 22
7 15	4 20	9 36	Nora	7 59	12 02	3 17
					A.M.	
7 22	4 40	9 46	Urania	7 52	11 58	3 10
7 32	4 55	9 57	Pittsfield Junc.	7 40	11 50	3 02
7 45	5 20	10 10	Ann Arbor	7 27	11 38	2 49
8 00	5 48	10 32	Leland	7 12	11 23	2 30
	5 58	10 38	Worden	7 06	11 15	2 25
	6 20	10 50	South Lyon	6 50	11 00	2 10

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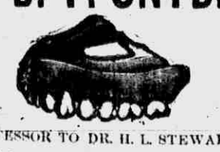

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C. M. ROWE,
Erie, Mich.

Coincident Thoughts.

We noticed recently a newspaper article that questioned Lincoln's title to the now familiar phrase from his famous Gettysburg speech, describing our Government as a "Government of the people, by the people, for the people." The article was a piece of hypercriticism. And, curiously enough, the criticism itself lacked originality. For Bartlett, in his famous "Familiar Quotations," had years before noticed the similarity of the phrase to expressions used by Webster and Parker in speeches delivered by them respectively [illegible] Lincoln's critics not shaken thereby. He gave the idea and expression a place and setting which made it famous. Emerson somewhere says "our best thoughts are borrowed from others," and he also says that "thought is the property of him who can entertain it, and of him who can adequately place it." Lincoln so entertained and placed this thought as to make it his property. He gave it its force and currency.

Literature abounds in such coincidences. Any one curious in such matters can readily satisfy their curiosity by reference to any good book of "quotions." We call attention to several not heretofore noticed, so far as we know. Grant is the author of some famous and current sayings. "Let no guilty man escape," is one of them. This phrase is a part of an endorsement upon a letter concerning the whisky-ring prosecutions, made by him officially, while President. It is characteristic of the man, and undoubtedly original with him. At the same time the phrase is to be found in Ben Johnson's "Cataline," as follows:

The gods
Grow angry with your patience. 'Tis their care
And must be yours, that guilty men escape not.
As crimes do grow, justice must rouse itself."
—*Act III.*

Webster's beautiful figure in describing the power of England, in his speech of May 7, 1834, as "a power which has dotted over the surface of the whole globe with her possessions and military posts, whose morning drum-beat, following the sun and keeping company with the hours, circles the earth with one continuous and unbroken strain of the martial airs of England," is familiar to every school-boy. Bartlett notices the fact that so long ago as 1648, it was said both of the Hollanders and Spaniards that "the sun never sets upon their dominions;" and that Schiller in Don Karlos says, "the sun in my dominion never sets;" and that Walter Scott in his "Napoleon," says, "the sun never sets on the immense empire of Charles V." Yet, no one would seriously question Webster's originality. It has occurred to us as not improbable that Webster's description of England's "military posts, whose morning drum-beat circles the earth," may have suggested Emerson's splended couplet—

"Here once the embattled farmers stood,
And fired the shot heard round the world."

Stranger than all, however, if it be a mere coincidence, is the coincidence in the language employed by Lord Mansfield, in his noted opinion in the case of Somerset vs. Stewart, and the language employed by the poet Cowper in the "Task" on slavery: Lord Mansfield in his opinion on the case said: "The air of England has long been too pure for a slave, and every man is free who breathes it. Every man who comes into England is entitled to the protection of English law, whatever may be the color of his skin." (June 22, 1872.) Cowper says ("The Task," Book II):

"We have slaves at home—then why abroad:
And they themselves once ferried over the waves
That part us are emancipate and loosed.
Slaves cannot breathe in England; if their lungs
Receive our air, that moment they are free,
They touch our country, and their shackles fall."

—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Mr. Smith's Stove-pipe.

Once upon a time there lived a certain man and wife, and their name—well, I think it must have been Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. One chilly day in October Mrs. Smith said to her husband: "John, I really think we must have the stove up in the sitting room." And Mr. Smith from behind his newspaper answered "Well." Three hundred and forty-six times did Mr. and Mrs. Smith repeat this conversation, and the three hundred and forty-seventh time Mr. Smith added: "I'll get Brown to help me about it some day."

It is uncertain how long the matter would have rested thus, had not Mrs. Smith crossed the street and asked neighbor Brown to come over and help her husband set up a stove, and as she was not his wife he politely consented and came at once.

With a great deal of grunting, puffing and banging, accompanied by some words not usually mentioned in polite society, the two men at last got the stove down from the attic. Mrs. Smith had placed the zinc in its proper position, and they put the stove way to one side of it, but of course that didn't matter.

Then they proceeded to put up the stove-pipe. Mr. Smith pushed the knee into the chimney, and Mr. Brown fitted the upright part to the stove. The next thing was to get the two pieces to come together. They pushed and pulled, they yanked and wrenched, they rubbed off the blacking onto their hands, they uttered remarks, wise and otherwise.

Presently it occurred to Mr. Smith that a hammer was just the thing that was needed, and he went for one. Mr. Brown improved the opportunity to wipe the perspiration from his noble brow, totally oblivious of the fact that he thereby ornamented his sevre countenance with several landscapes done in stove blacking. The hammer didn't seem to be just the thing that was needed, after all. Mr. Smith pounded until he had spoiled the shape of the stove-pipe, and still the pesky thing wouldn't go in, so he became exasperated and threw away the hammer. It fell on Mr. Brown's toe, and that worthy man ejaculated well, it's no matter what he ejaculated. Mr. Smith replied to his ejaculation, and then Mr. Brown went home.

Why continue the tale? Everybody knows that Mr. Smith, after making a great deal of commotion, finally succeeded in getting the pipe into place, that he was perfectly savage to everybody for the rest of the day, and that the next time he and Brown met on the street both were looking intently the other way.

But there is more to tell. It came to pass in the course of the winter that the pipe needed cleaning out. Mrs. Smith dreaded the ordeal, both for her own sake and her husband's. It happened that the kitchen was presided over by that rarest of treasures, a good-natured and competent hired girl. This divinity proposed that they dispense with Mr. Smith's help in clearing out the pipe, and Mrs. Smith, with a sigh of relief, consented. They carefully pulled the pipe apart, and, holding the [illegible] lest the soot might fall on the carpet, carried it into the yard.

After they had swept out the pipe and carried it back they attempted to put it up. That must have been an unusually obstinate pipe, for it steadily refused to go together. The minds of Mrs. Smith and her housemaid were sufficiently broad to grasp this fact after a few trials; therefore they did not waste their strength in vain attempts, but rested, and in an exceedingly unmasculine way held a consultation. The girl went for a hammer, and brought also a bit of board. She placed this on top of the pipe, raised her hammer, Mrs. Smith held the pipe in place below, two slight raps, and lo, it was done.

See what a woman can do. This story is true, with the exception of the names and a few other unimportant items. I say, and will maintain it, that as a general thing a woman has more brains and patience and less stupidity than a man. I challenge any one to prove the contrary.—*N. E. Homestead.*

Nose-ology in a Sleeper.

Did you ever notice what a variety of notes the snorers have in a sleeping car? If you cannot sleep, and will but seek amusement instead of discomfort, you will find an analysis of this tone-language very entertaining. It has more variations of time, tone, melody and harmony than a sonata or symphony. I amused myself very satisfactorily in taking to pieces and individualizing the discordant harmonies which issued from the noses of our unconscious fellow-travelers during some of the stops when the noise of the train ceased, and the pattering staccato of the rain accompanied, without drowning, the nasal chorus.

An upper berth passenger, who must have been a person of spare habit, with a high, sharp nose; gave whistling and cheerful little cricket-on-the-hearth notes, like "peep! peep! peep!" From the under berth, and probably a more expansive and belligerent organ, came a vicious, syncopated, slow accompaniment of "snork! snork! snork!" A deep, mellow, long-drawn "whoome—whoome!" from the next section harmonized and consolidated the peep and snork, and was in turn punctuated in the upper berth by a nervous and quick "ex-*ij*-jy, ex-*ij*-jy, ex-*ij*-jy," repeated with pertinacious and disconcerting energy. Somewhere near, and combining with these, came a laborious, long drawn, struggling, force pump note, calculated to awaken the liveliest apprehensions of premature suffocation, like "un-mee-ee-ze! un-mee-ee-ze!" indefinitely repeated, mingled with obligato passages of fugitive clutching after the departing breath, still further vivified to the horrified sense of the listener by another performer in the nasal overture, who, at frequent intervals, interjected despairing catches of "spip-pip-pip-um-m-m-mop-buzzzzh!" interspersed with "slit-slit-slit — boom, boom — beeze, beeze! scatter-whucky!"

At a longer pause than usual—probably at Dayton, as I heard them testing the car wheels—the cessation of all ordinary motion and the substitution of the pounding of the wheels seemed to awaken the desire for original and startling effects among the orchestra. Among the more feeble efforts of the performers already mentioned there arose the mighty diapason of a snorer of the largest tonnage and bottom, whom I had seen (not without apprehension) stowed in an upper berth through the united exertions of himself, the conductor and the porter, with the assistance of a step ladder, which creaked and trembled under the burden. I had been listening in an excited state for the note of that thundering pedal bass, and now it burst forth in all its grandeur, scattering the elements and silencing the whole orchestra as if a Javan earthquake had lit among them. The upheaval was beyond the power of language or letters, but this may give some faint idea of the event: "Whoome! um-mee-ee-eeze! Osh-osh-osh-kosh-kosh! gubble-gubble-gubble! rip! snip-pip! szyshss——SNORK!"—*General Comly, in Toledo Telegram.*

Why Lasker Never Married.

In 1866, Lasker, then in the flower of his youth, and already celebrated as an orator, became acquainted with Miss Russack, the neice of one of Bismarck's warmest friends. Lasker fell in love with her, and his passion was reciprocated. Miss Russack bade her lover to demand her hand of the uncle, who filled for her the place of father. The uncle refused point-blank, saying he would never consent to give his neice in marriage to a man who was the leader of the opposition to his friend Bismarck—Bismarck, whom he held to be one of the greatest of European statesmen. Franziska—such was the fair girl's name—then declared to her uncle that she would renounce her whole fortune in his favor, provided he would allow her to marry. But old Russack was immovable in his resolution. However, returning one day from a visit to his old friend Bismarck, he sent for the young lawyer, and said to him: "I am willing to grant you my niece's hand on one condition, namely, that you pledge yourself to abandon politics altogether and confine yourself, hereafter to your profession of lawyer." Lasker, after a brief interview with the young girl, refused. "We shall wait," he said, "until your niece shall have attained her majority." He did not dare to add—"or until your death." The uncle left Berlin, taking with him his neice Franziska, who died abroad six months later, after having refused the most brilliant offers of marriage approved by her uncle, who even offered to add his own fortune to her own as a dowry. This is why Edward Lasker never married.—*Paris Paper.*

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A liberal reward will be paid to any party who will produce a case of liver kidney or stomach complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure. Bring them along, it will cost you nothing for the medicine if it fails to cure you, and you will be well rewarded for your trouble besides. All blood diseases, billiousness, jaundice, constipation, and general debility are quickly cured. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price only 50 cts per bottle.

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Austina Schoultz, sister of Herman Schoultz, murdered near East Tawas, is reported to have become crazed by the tragedy, as is also Dennis Grice an estimated citizen of Tawas City.

Carry the News.

In the days of billiousness, when your liver is torpid and your skin yellow, remember you have a never-failing friend in Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which is unequaled in purity and efficaciousness. In cases of dyspepsia, costiveness, ague and malaria diseases and diseases of the blood and kidneys, its action is prompt and cure speedy. Price 50 cents.

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A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invogorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Hamilton & Foster, of Flint, have sold 40 fine Hereford bulls to an Abilene, Ks., firm.

The thousands who suffered with Rheumatism and Neuralgia had a hard time of it till the discovery of ATHLOPHOROS. Now they needn't suffer if they don't want to. S. R. Denner, D. D., Third Congregational Church, New Haven, writes thus: "Have long been a victim of Rheumatism. During a recent attack I commenced to take Athlophoros on Friday. Sun- I was in my pulpit. Monday I went to Boston well, and have remained so: You have indeed found a specific."

Forty converts are the result of J. C. Higgins' revival meetings at Evart.

A Long Snooze.

Rip Van Winkle slept a good while, yet his sleep occurred about 50 years ago, when Down's Elixir first attained its reputation, on awakening he would have been able to recognize this friend of the afflicted, and might have taken another twenty-years nap, and waked up to find Down's Elixir at the end of half a century the most popular and the best Cough Remedy known. Also Baxter's Bitters for Bilious diseases, not so old, but good.

Flint will have a new roller rink, 70x125 feet in size. It will be of brick.

The Great American Chorus.

Sneezing, snuffling and coughing! This is the music all over the land just now. And will be until June. "I've got such an awful cold in my head." Cure it with Ely's Cream Balm or it may end in the toughest form of Catarrh. Maybe you have the catarrh now. Nothing is more nauseous and dreadful. This remedy masters it as no other did. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Applied by the finger to the nostrils. Pleasant, certain, radical.

Rev. E. H. Teal, pastor of the Charlotte baptist church, has resigned.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

Jas. Miller, of Ann Arbor teamster, was arrested and fined $5 and costs yesterday for pounding a flagman who warned him against crossing the track in front of a train.

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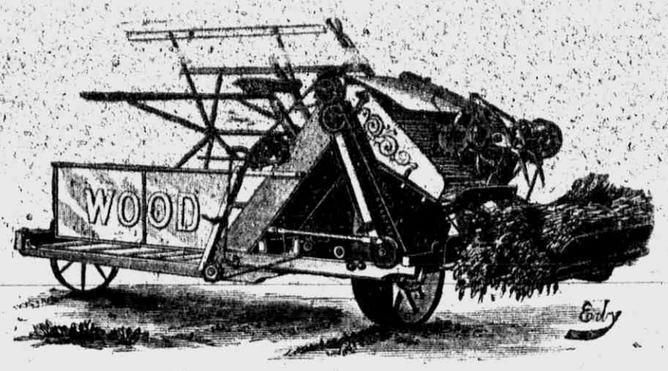

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The tide of immigration setting toward our shores is subject to fluctuations, but there exists no reason to anticipate that during the life of the present generation it will fail to reach the average height of the past ten years. Immigration, therefore, continues to be one of the great economic questions of this country, and it involves a political problem of the highest importance that of naturalization. That our naturalization laws are defective in many respects is notorious, and the demand for their revision will no doubt acquire added force from the publication of an article by Justice William Strong upon this subject in the North American Review for May. In the same number of the Review, Edwin P. Whipple offers a candid judgment of Matthew Arnold as a thinker and as a man of letters. Richard A. Proctor, under the title of "A Zone of Worlds," writes of the vast multitude of the "planetoids" or "asteroids." In "The Railway and the State," Garret L. Lansing essays to prove that the multiplication and extension of railroad lines, and the establishment of new rates of transportation, are accomplished rather than helped by government interference. Prof. Henry F. Osborn, of Princeton College, has a highly interesting article on "Methods of Memory." Helen Hendrick Jackson contributes an essay on "The Mountain of Song." Finally, there is a joint discussion of Washington's Farewell Address by William Godwin Moody and Prof. J. Laurence Laughlin, of Harvard University.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

The contents of the May number are as usual, extremely varied, and in a literary and artistic point of view, in its comprehensiveness and cheapness this magazine is far ahead of its contemporaries. "Latest Auto-vation—Moscow." "The Origin of New York Churches." "The Adventures of Basil A. Mum, Detective." "Morocco and the Moors," etc. Lady Blanche Murphy, Etta W. Pierce, Harry Moore, Fanny Driscoll, Annie Thomas and others contribute delightful serials, short stories, adventures, etc., and the poems are by Charles Mackay, Wade Robinson, R. H. Shepherd, etc. Prof. W. F. Barrett has an admirable article entitled "Geysers," with eleven fine illustrations. The miscellany is large, most interesting and instructive. There are 128 quarto pages, more than 100 illustrations, and a beautiful colored plate frontispiece, "By the Soft Sea Waves." 35 cents a copy; $2.50 a year, post-paid. MRS. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55, and 57 Park Place, New York.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, MARCH 31, 1884.

At this called session Council convened at the regular hour.

Present: Messrs. Root, Hewson, Sparks, Adams, Marsden, Bills and the Recorder.

The object of the meeting was then stated to be the consideration of a communication from the M. & O. R. R. regarding Cummins street. The communication was read and discussed, but being signed by no one as agent of the R. R., was not acted upon.

Moved that the Council reconsider the action upon the liquor bonds. The same were taken up and after considering the sufficiency of the sureties thereon, the following bonds were accepted: W. J. Arnold, I. P. Keyser, James Montague and Albert Osborne, Zack S. Snell and Frank Wallinger.

The druggist's bonds were then considered and accepted as follows: Walde & Doty, Baker & Hall, Marks & Russell, C. A. Wright & Co.

Moved that the Council adjourn.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending April 26:

ADRIAN.

D. F. Learnard to Sampson Whitney. Land on sections 6 and 7. $2,000.

CAMBRIDGE.

Wm. Ousted to Mary J. Mosher. Land on sec. 28. $100.

MACON.

Thomas Quarton to Isaiah Hendershot. Land on sec. 3. $2,200.

Thomas Quarton to C. C. Wallace. Land on sec. 3. $6,000.

RIDGEWAY.

Wm. Randall to F. E. Morrell. Land on sec. 1. $1,000.

TECUMSEH.

Burdick Burtch to O. Q. Jones. Land in village. $2,400.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 1, 1884.

Bailey, Samuel	Hollinger, Mr
Barlow, Samuel	Kellogg, A. H
Blackwood, Robert	Lewis, Jane A.
Crittenden, Clifford	Miller, W. B.
Cooley, Ida	Mowser, J. H. 2
Davis, George W.	Pitts, Levi 2
Gillett, A. J.	Sandbar, James
Hathaway, S.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb		@	4 00
Butter ₱ lb	25	@	27
Barley, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	2 25	@	2 50
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushe	58	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	12
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ₱ lb		@	15
Ham, ₱ lb		@	14
Lard, ₱ lb		@	10
Oats, ₱ bushel	28	@	35
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	33	@	35
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
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ESTATE OF JOHN P. SILVERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 29th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John P. Silvers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of David H. Silvers, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the funeral expenses and expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mal

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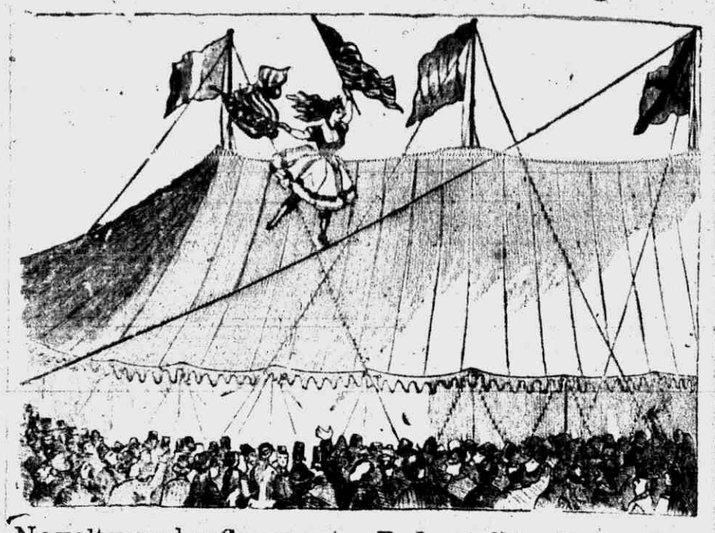

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

E. R. Smith and wife returned from New York, Monday.

This town ought to have a base ball club this season.

E. W. Freese and wife were in Ypsilanti over Sunday with their daughter Fanny.

We here that people on the ridge patronized the circus in Tecumseh Monday quite liberally.

Mrs. A. B. Van DeMark has had a very severe attact of erysipelas in the face the past week. She is now improving.

The Tecumseh News will feel the loss of its correspondent in this place, Dr. W. W. Burchard.

W. C. Rogers has purchased in Cambridge a very pretty pair of small ponies and will put them on the road.

Miss Ella Bartlett has been visiting her cousins, Dr. G. W. Stevens and wife, in Jonesville the past week.

The late rains have improved the looks of wheat very much in this section.

G. W. Kishpaugh who is attending the Medical department in the University at Ann Arbor, was home over Sunday.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Templars next Monday evening. A full attendance is requested.

Miss Augusta Brute has recently painted a very fine landscape piece and has sold it to the board of public schools in Hancock this state.

Chas. Bancroft and wife, of Norvell, were visiting friends in this town over Sunday.

Born.—Unto Mr. & Mrs. Lane, a girl: weight 11 pounds.

Some of the side-walks in this town are in very bad shape and ought to be repaired this summer.

Clinton parties have speared several fine messes of fish in the surrounding lakes and ponds this season.

Brown reports business booming in the harvester line. He sells the champion.

Supervisor Marstellar has about completed the assessment, the value of property in this township will be about the same as last year.

Mrs. Wilder Bancroft, of Norvell, has been visiting her daughter Mrs. McMaster the past week.

J. S. Kies has now about 6 acres into small fruit—grapes, blackberries, and raspberries.

Plowing match last Saturday on Dwight Kies' farm in Manchester. The Gale Sulky and Cassady plows were represented.

Dr. W. W. Burchard, editor of the Clinton Department of the Tecumseh News, died very suddenly Tuesday morning about 4 o'clock. He was a young man and almost a stranger in Clinton, having come here from the state of New York but a few weeks ago. Nothing was supposed to be the matter with him except a slight indisposition caused by the change in climate. He was in and around his brother's drug store Monday evening until nearly 10 o'clock, conversing freely with those there. About 10 o'clock he left the store, went home to his brother's house, conversed a short time with his brother, Dr. J. W. Burchard, read the day's paper a few moments and then retired. About 4 o'clock Tuesday morning Dr. J. W. Burchard hearing a slight disturbance in the house, called, but receiving no reply again went to sleep. A few moments after one of the ladies in the house called the Dr. telling him that his brother had fallen in the hall and had fainted. The Dr. arose immediately and found him there and that life was already extinct. It seems that the deceased had arisen about 4 o'clock, went to the kitchen for a drink and in returning to his bed-room fell dead in the hall between the kitchen and dining-room. No autopsy was held, but it is supposed that the cause of his death was heart disease. The remains were taken East Tuesday afternoon.

A wet Sunday in Clinton is not very inspiring to the ministers, as it usually gives slim congregations. Some of the churches closed their doors and held no service in the evening, but the Methodist church was alive to its business, and was rewarded with a fair congregation for a wet night.

The Third Quarterly meeting of the Clinton and Macon charge, will be held in the M. E. church, Clinton, May 17 and 18. After the sermon on Saturday afternoon, the quarterly conference will be held.

Providence permitting, or as the fathers used to write it, (*Deo volente.*) God willing, the second Sunday in the beautiful month of June, will be observed by the families of the M. E. congregation in Clinton as children's day. Not as a day for mere entertainment, or ceremony, but in the use of such religious exercises, as shall impress upon the minds, the importance of thorough education as the road to greater usefullness. The Centenary program prepared by Rev. D. P. Kidder, of New York, will be used. A collection is taken up at the morning service, recommended by the discipline, to aid the Sunday School fund of the Board of Education in its work of educating young men for missionary work both Home, and Foreign. Last year the Detroit Conference collected on children's day $946.65 and the Michigan Conference $841.54.

A large crowd in town Saturday afternoon and evening and merchants report business good on that day.

One of H. Lancaster's valuable horses has been quite sick.

B. J. Mensing, a young man from Toledo, has taken Frank Wallinger's place in the hotel as clerk. The good wishes of many friends here follow Frank to Tecumseh.

The side walk on the West side of Jackson street the entire length is in bad condition and needs repairing.

Miss Anna Mc Master had quite a severe accident Sunday morning. She was exercising a little on roller skates in the house and fell, breaking her arm twice between the wrist and elbow. Miss Anna should study the 4th commandment.

The Council met last Monday night: No business of importance was transacted. The bad condition of some of our side-walks was talked over, and we hope some action will be taken and the walks improved.

Mrs. Mary Murry who has been sick with the consumption the past year, and whose low state was noticed last week, died Saturday evening. Services were held last Tuesday morning at the Catholic Church, Father Slane of Hillsdale officiating. Relatives from Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo were here to attend the Funeral. The lady was 37 years old, had many friends in this section and leaves a husband and a bright little boy 3 years old to mourn her loss.

Miss Rose has been having a song convention for the little ones the past two weeks at the Town Hall. The aim of the convention has been the culture of the voices of the little ones and a drill in solo and character singing. Miss Rose will give two concerts Friday and Saturday evenings this week. One hundred little voices will be the chorus, and solos, pantomines, and character songs will fill up and make an entertaining evening's program. Wherever Miss Rose has held conventions and given concerts the press speaks very highly of her, and judging from the rehearsals, the public can be assured that the concerts will be good, and that the children will sing to the best advantage under her efficient direction and leadership.

BRITTON BUZZINGS.

Britton's been too busy to buzz.

Joe Exeiby has moved into his new house.

We now have a shoe maker and he is busy too.

Material it now being delivered on the ground for three new store buildings. Two of them will be of brick.

That pile of timber east of Rauch's store will soon take the shape of a cabinet shop.

The lumber being delivered on the west side of the street, north of the M. & O. track, is for a dwelling house soon to go up.

At least two dwellings have been built and are now occupied since we last appeared in this column. One by O. Henderson in the 3rd. ward, and one by Mr. Hunter in the 1st.

John Britton has moved into his house, recently occupied by Charlie Miller, and Will Britton now lives in the big house.

B. A. Beal has an agricultural implement shed south side Chicago St., well stocked and is booming the plow 'biz' just now.

Thieves broke into George Bellows' house a week ago last Sunday while the family were absent, and helped themselves to several articles of wearing apparel and a good dinner.

The scarcity of houses to rent compelled the Wabash Section foreman to go a mile out of town to get a place to live. This ought not to be.

One of the Western Fence Co's. trains is now side tracked here, and we shall soon see the M. & O. track enclosed with a substantial board fence—none of your wire concerns.

Esquire Bellows is still in poor health, and as he is unable to work, we understand he has been committing the marriage ceremony to memory, and working in some flourishes for which there will be no extra charge. Now Labe, Charley and Will you better fix things up at once and see what a double-back-action knot Ben can tie. Might take the whole lot at a discount.

It is say that Detroit parties are after the corner now peopled by the post office, for a hotel and restaurant; and it is to be hoped that this long needed establishment will soon be in full blast, as there is not a day but there are people seeking hotel accommodations and the necessity is becoming greater every day. Don't want any of your one horse board shanty affairs; we want a neat first class house, and just as sure as the world it will be a paying investment to the right man.

The stave yard of Geo. B. Smith & Co., had a narrow escape from fire a few days ago. Caught from a locomotive and was discovered just in time.

Now Mr. Editor, we don't want to take up too much of your valuable space, and are afraid of those big shears, but the fact is Britton is booming right along and full of interest and it wont be many years before Britton will take its place among the towns of Lenawee County. There are a number of items which we shall have to let lay over, but will try and give your readers at least a short letter next week, if we don't get mumps.

HOLLOWAY HAPPENINGS.

The chuck of the corn planter is already heard in the land.

Mr. N. Spencer and wife returned from Ann Arbor Monday, where they spent the Sabbath with their friends.

A lucky farmer he, who has hay to sell—ten dollars per ton in the barn and still they cry for more.

It was a bad day for woodchucks and a good one for the boys, when, at the town meeting, they voted a 15 cent bounty on the ground hog's scalp. Spen. Lester carries five trophies in his belt.

Our base ball nine starts their season's record to the tune of 9 to 3 they played last Saturday at the Raisin Valley with the Adrian College nine and beat them with the above score. They will play again two weeks from that day.

We are convinced that it requires time to learn how to run a patent road scraper as well as how to manipulate a twinebinder, judging from the condition of a newly made piece west of the church. A bad road is better than none; but that is worst of all which has no sod foot path left along the sides.

Hoxsie & Son are about to put into their shop a new boiler and engine of larger working capacity which will much improve their facilities for work. They are now engaged on a large double-cylinder engine. Last week they sold three of their new clay crushers which are used in crushing the stones and pulverizing the clay preparatory to making it into brick and tile.

MACON MOLECULES.

Last Sunday evening the Union Sunday School intended to hold its first concert. On account of inclement weather it was postponed one week.

Miss Addie Crittenden recently passed a very creditable examination before the County Board of Examiners. Her standing would do honor to many experienced teachers. Miss Crittenden is a pupil of the "Corners" School.

Milan Sage has just burned his first tile for this season. His new kiln is ready for use.

A few Maconites made excuses to visit Tecumseh last Monday "to see the elephant" of course. Sold again.

We are glad to report Frank Thomas' hand as improving rapidly.

One of those events that make life happy occurred last Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Osgood. That day was the 25th anniversary of their married life, and accordingly was properly observed.—A large number of friends were present and brought with them many valuable presents. May Mr. and Mrs. Osgood see many more anniversaries.

TIPTON TATTLE.

Manning DeLong having purchased a farm near Byron, Shiawassee Co. has moved thereon, and on leaving, his wife received a vote of thanks from the congregation for her valuable services in the Methodist choir.

Rev. Wm. Clayson will fill the M. E. Church pulpit next Sabbath, in the absence of the pastor.

Mr. Pangburn, the new blacksmith, is having a very brisk run of custom work.

The Methodist Sunday School will re-organize next Sabbath by the election of officers.

John Conlin, the New Store keeper is driving a flourishing business.

The Congregational parsonage is nearing completion and will be a credit to the society.

Edward Conlin has gone to Iowa to canvass the State as a book agent.

Abram DeLong is building an addition to his house.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Little that can interest the public has transpired here during the past week, except a generous rain that has renovated wheat fields and stopped mourning from green spots left. Two Restaurants will be started here; one of them by uncle Calvin Edwards, who seems determined to be useful to the world while he stays. As there are two or three others, and two hotels, none need go hungry, if provided with nickels.

The proprietorship of the Brooklyn house has been confered on J. Ray, and anxiety stopped. Mrs. Edwin Butterfield has removed to Jackson, and other ladies are sighing for change, have sent their parlor furniture to the door-yard and camp out in the summer kitchens, thus demonstrating that even with the weakest, if there is a will, there is a way.

ONSTED ODDS.

Perhaps some of your readers may not know where Onsted is. It is the name of a post office and a prospective village at Cambridge Station on M. & O. R. R., twelve miles west of Tecumseh.

At present our village consists of a depot, water tank and engine house, one store, one blacksmith shop, four or five dwelling houses, a lumber yard, and some half dozen cellars.

Dr. G. Ross, of Rome Center, has just finished his new barn and is now impatiently waiting for his carpenters to come and build his office, when he will come here to commence business.

Jerome Snow, with two assistants, are building the cellar wall for Mr. Glenn's store.

Several masons are also at work laying the foundation for Ed. Harris' house.

Among the applicants for census enumerator in this township, Cambridge, probably none were more surprised than the lucky man, Joseph H. Clayson. There were ten candidates. All were so worthy of the position that the township board were obliged to meet twice before they could make a choice.

Woodchuck hunters will find Tibbs & Avery's store a good place to dispose of the scalps of that animal.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Eddie Helm is still very sick.

Dr. Reynolds was called in council with Dr. Loree this week in the case of Louisa Smith who is still very sick.

Aunt Lydia Miller has been indisposed for the past two weeks and last Tuesday became it sane under the delusion that every body especially her best friends were determined to poison her. She is now with relatives in Macon.

The church social met at the home of Charles Gove last Friday evening and enjoyed a very pleasant time. Mr. and Mrs. Gove have not been in this vicinity long, but a short acquaintance proves them to be a valuable addition to our society.

The Literary Society promises one of its best entertainments this week Friday evening. The discussion will be upon the question "Is it right or ever expedient to tax or license the liquor traffic.

It is now time that our much talked of grist mill began to show up. Those who have made such positive representation during the past six months will be apt to be asked to explain ere long.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending April 30.

RIDGEWAY.

John Britton to William Connel. Land on sec 3. $30.

TECUMSEH.

J. W. Patterson to Robert Elliott. Land on sec. 33. $200.

J. W. Patterson to J. E. Lowery. Land on sec. 33. $200.

J. W. Patterson to J. O'Hara. Land on sec. 33. $200.

F. W. Darling to Virginia E. Conklin. Land on block 5 Hewitt's add to vil. $1,100.

Z. S. Taylor to M. G. Taylor. Land on Hoag's add. to vil. $1,500.

John A. Cone to J. S. Hendryx. Land on block 6 Hewitt's add. $1,200

Collar's "Palace of Music" of Adrian, has been removed a few doors east of his former stand, where you can be accommodated with almost anything that makes a noise, from the click, click, click of the sewing machine needle to the divine harmonies of a Mendelsohn or a Beethoven, as they are mysteriously created by a *grand square* or one of those *upright*, moral, conscientious instruments, until your ravished souls melt in tears of rapture and exquisite sympathy.

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SONNET OF BONNET.

THE BONNET.

I'm a charming Easter bonnet,
And I flourish in the spring,
When, with many a doleful sonnet,
Poets of my coming sing.
I'm as neat as a daisy,
I make all the girls gaspy,
And the ladies oohless I'm a cute little thing.

SHE WHO WEARS IT.

What a fortune pressure bonnet,
With its pretty bows and bows,
I have set my heart upon it,
For it handsome as a rose.
It makes me look pitiful,
But my "hub" will be convinced
When he gazes upon the big bill I expose.

HE WHO PAYS FOR IT.

Fifty dollars for a bonnet!
Well, that really knocks me flat,
For the fluffy stuff that's on it
Is enough to scare a cat.
No wonder there's swearing
When women are wearing
A postage-stamp head gear and call it a hat.

—N. Y. Journal.

WATER IN THE DESERT.

The Most Priceless Treasure of Life to the Arab—Some of the Desperate Struggles for Its Possession—Fighting for the Wells in the Soudan.

The Soudan campaign, from first to last, has been a comment on the vast value of water in the East. One of the most terrible episodes ever recorded in history is the flight of the Torgote Tartars from the Russian frontiers to those of China, about a century ago. Throughout this awful journey across the pathless, waterless desert the Bashkirs and Khirghises followed on the heels of the flying Kalmucks, and the continuous trail of corpses told a fearful story of the unceasing conflict and perpetual massacre. The desperate persistence of the escaping hosts in pushing on was equaled by the frenzied cruelty of those who pursued them, until the ranks of carnage and death so that erected was such that it seemed as if a nation of madmen were flying before a nation of fiends. But the horrible climax was only reached at the end of their two thousand miles of this hideous pilgrimage, when, after a loss of four hundred thousand of their number, the Kalmucks, mad from thirst, came in sight of the lake of Tengis. Hundreds of the pursuers and pursued had already lost their reason from their dreadful sufferings. Thousands were being borne along upon camels and horses, helplessly exhausted by two days' want of water. But as soon as the lake came in view the Bashkirs and Kalmucks alike seemed to forget their pitiless hatreds, and the vast hosts, reduced now to about two hundred thousand, rushed in a body with frantic eagerness to the anticipated solace. In DeQuincey's terrible pages the story is told with consummate tragic force. The Chinese Emperor, happening with a force of cavalry to be at the city sped, saw what was happening, and sent out his soldiers to protect his retreating subjects. But there was time enough before the succor came to accomplish some of the most terrible conflicts ever recorded against man.

In the general rush toward the saving water all discipline and command were lost. All attempts to preserve a rear-guard neglected, the wild Bashkirs rode in among the encumbered people and slaughtered them in wholesale and almost without resistance. Screams and lamentations shrill pierced the progress of the massacre, but none heeded, none pitied, all alike, with faces blackened by the heat and with tongues drooping from the mouth, continued with maniacal haste toward the lake. The Bashkir was affected by the same misery as the wretched Kalmuck, and into the lake the whole vast body of enemies rushed, forgetful of all things but of almighty thirst. The absorption of their thoughts in one maddening appetite lasted for a single half hour, but in the next arose a final scene of parting vengeance. Far and wide the waters of the solitary lake were instantly dyed red with blood. Here rode a party of savage Bashkirs hewing off heads as fast as the swaths fall before the mower's scythe; there stood unarmed Kalmucks in a death grapple with their detested foes, both up to the middle in water. Every moment the lake grew more polluted, and yet every moment fresh hosts came up to the water and rushed in, not able to resist their frantic thirst, and swallowing large draughts, visibly contaminated, with slaughter. Wherever the lake was shallow enough to allow of men raising their heads above the surface there, for scores of acres, were to be seen all forms of ghastly fear, of agonizing struggle, of spasms of death, and the fear of death, revenge and the lunacy of revenge—until the martial spectators, of whom there were not a few, averted their eyes with horror as they rode down to the lake to the rescue of the hapless fugitives.

This, undoubtedly, is one of the most striking instances of catastrophe arising from the absence of water in the desert ever chronicled, but who can not recall, from numerous works of travel, or, indeed, from history, numerous other illustrations of the same fierce peril of thirst? Annals of exploration abound with disasters from this cause, and every desert bears witness against itself in the warning skeletons of man and beast which lie scattered up and down its surface. All the poetry of the nations who live upon the frontiers of these pitiless wastes gathers round the spring and well. Their daily existence, the affairs of tribes, the history of races, are determined by the position and abundance of the local water supply. It is for the possession of the oases and the life-giving trickle of water in the midst of it that the present fights of the pastoral nomads are fought. Their religious writings and precepts of their holy writ are replete with injunction and mandate on the subject of water, its use and abuse, and among the supreme delights of Paradise is the luxury of unstinted springs of cold water. Nor is there any room for wonder that this should be so. We ourselves can not have failed to note how in the recent campaigns in Egypt everything hinged upon the water supply. The army moved in detachments so as to best economize it; camps were pitched so as to utilize it to the utmost; the hours of battle were arranged in obedience to its inexorable and all-important demands. It was at the wells of Teb and of Tamai that the Arabs fought their fiercest. To abandon the spring is significant of loss of country. A civilized race would rally for its last struggle round its capital; the Arab reserves his most desperate courage for the conflict round water. It is to him the central blessing of life; and in all his imagination he can find no other simile for earthly beauty or heavenly bliss than the precious fluid of which nature has been so ruthlessly sparing. The sand is the Arab's ocean, the oases are his ports, and, with all the accuracy of ships' courses, they steer their way over the trackless wastes. To be betrayed from the straight line by a mirage, or driven from it by the attacks of enemies, or delayed upon the road by short supplies, may, as in the case of a vessel, at times compel the voyager to make for some other port than that for which he had started. But the oasis of the stars are always there, and for the rest what matter compass does the Bedouin ask than his camel's amazing power of scent? The dromedary's nose is a needle that never needs readjustment. No accidental attractions make it unfaithful to its duty. A fearful peril attaches, nevertheless, to any deviation from the shortest route; for even these hardened children of the desert find the passage from one spring to another as much as their powers of endurance can bear, and are accustomed to time them so exactly that exhaustion arrives at their journey's end with water-bottle and strength alike exhausted. Nor is it easy in the wide range of human emotions to imagine any more stirring pleasure than the first glimpse upon the horizon of the patch of palms which tells of a spring at their feet, nor any longing more intense than the eagerness with which the solitary traveler presses forward toward the friendly encampment, which his keen sight discovers clustering around the oasis. After days of solitude and utter isolation traveling perpetually in the center of an unbroken circle of glistering sand, the relief of green palm-fronds, of human voices, of rest, must be such a rapture as almost to indemnify the Arab for all the drawbacks of his hard life; and no wonder that the word "water" is the darling of all his language. For it is a veritable miracle-worker. Our soldiers in Egypt were astonished, when tramping along the apparently hopeless desert, to see how luxuriant crops and gardens alternated with bare sand, how a mere rill of water turned the wilderness into a farmstead and charmed up to the surface of the soil all the latent magic of its fertility. In the Saharas of the earth, whether in the Eastern hemisphere or the West, water is indeed a magician, as wonderful in the suddenness and completeness of its work as any genii of lamp and ring. It has the potency of the philosopher's stone, and is striven for as the sum of all that is to be desired. Industry without it is a parasite, a cripple. With it, it possesses a talisman that transfigures everything, makes man a giant, and blesses every wing of his hand. Speaking of parts of Western America, a recent writer says: "Water here is everything that is precious. Without it the sage brush laughs at man, and the horn of the jack rabbit is exalted against him. With it, corn expels the weed, and the long-eared rodent is plowed out of possession. Without it grease wood and gophers divide the wilderness between them. With it, homesteads spring up and gather the orchards about them. Without it, the silence of the level desert is broken only by the coyote. With it come the laughter of running brooks, the hum of busy markets, and the cheery voices of the mill-wheels by the stream. Without it, the world seems a dreary failure. With it, it brightens into infinite possibilities. No wonder then that men here prize it, exhausted ingenuity in obtaining it, fought about it. I wonder they do not worship it. Men have worshiped trees, wind and sun with no greater cause." Change the phrases here and there, and the passage might stand for Asia, for nothing is so striking in many parts of the East, notably Arabia and the eastern provinces of Africa, as the supreme importance of water. It determines localities, regulates their proportions, and controls their prosperity. Just as in the far West men buy and sell water claims, as if they were mines in full work, and appraise each other's estates not by the stock that grazes upon them, or the harvests gathered from them, but by the water-rights that go with them, so in these oriental countries of desert and torrid sun clans measure their wealth by the flow of water within their boundaries, and the importance of all grounds by the amount of irrigating power involved in the issue. Every stream might be a Pactolus, so precious is it; every pool a Bethesda, so great its virtues. To compass the wonder-working thing, all energies, whether of individual or of community, are fiercely employed; and prized above all that Arabs possess is the tribal right to access to a given spring, or the privilege of encampment by a special well. In war it attains, if possible, to a still greater preciousness, for it is then the one absolute essential of the campaign. Our troops, as we have noted, marched in obedience to the dictates of this supreme necessity. Thus, rather than waste a single draught, the cavalry on the night before the fight at Tamai, risked separation from the infantry. Then, also, in Hicks Pasha's disaster, the Arabs, knowing the point toward which all the enemy's desires would be directed, easily planned their destruction. An army, beguiled from the path that led to the widely separated wells of the Soudan, would need to meet no foe to find its doom, for thirst is the swiftest of tortures, and swifter than the onrush of Arab spearmen.—*London Telegraph.*

—"I'm the biggest fool in town," said a disconsolate man. Very naturally some one asked him why. "Some time ago I borrowed ten dollars from a fellow, and since then have been putting myself to great inconvenience in shunning him. To-day I found that the man I had been shunning was not the man I owed and that the genuine article had left town. I despise to be troubled unnecessarily."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—"Pa," asked Walter, "what is a Buddhist?" "A Buddhist my son," replied pa, "is a—well—a sort of horticultural chap—you've heard of budding fruits, you know."—*Boston Transcript.*

A Woman Lawyer.

She came with a whirr, a snap, consciousness and self-assertion that at once was a sort of challenge to battle. O, woman, woman! Don't you know that the day you succeed in making a soldier of yourself you will have to fight for every inch of ground you get instead of having the whole earth given you, as it is now?

She ran around among the chairs and tables and, men like, a little speckled hen that had lost her last little chicken.

Then she fluttered down beside the clerk, slammed down some books and saying, "I am here to make a speech this morning," proceeded to unroll papers and write furiously.

The committee was not yet in session and I, in conversation with a member, incidentally remarked that we had in early days coined gold in Oregon. She shot up, and not even deigning to look on me, she shouted, "And that on the face of the Constitution, which says: 'No State shall coin money or issue bills of credit.'" Then the head dropped, the deft hand flew and the pen rattled over the paper.

The chairman called to order, the lady lawyer was at once on her feet, and, shouting out her purpose to be heard on the momentous Mormon question, on motion of some one, fifteen minutes were allowed for her speech. Catching up her books, bag and manuscript, hastening to the far end of the room, she took position just under the fox and rattlesnake, and, laying down the papers, she crossed her pretty hands and looked at us tranquilly, triumphantly, a long time under her gold-rimmed glasses. This woman, famous in the annals of this city, standing there with folded hands, under the ferocious fox of Oregon, had it all her own way at once. She was pretty to begin with. No bangs, no frizzes, no foolishness at all in her dress or address. Her heavy gray hair was combed back in the old, chaste fashion, and showed a splendid brow and fine, earnest face. All leaned forward and listened eagerly as she began, and as she went on for the first few minutes. Her English, her articulation, her elocution all seemed perfect. I doubt if any man in Congress could use better language or use it with more grace and precision. For the first fifteen minutes no man moved or spoke, but at twenty minutes she began to fail, flounder about, to blunder. She had forgotten her piece. And then, poor dear, she had undertaken to settle the whole stupendous Mormon question, the morality and immorality of it; to expound the Constitution, compare Congress to King George, all in fifteen minutes! No wonder she got beyond her depth. Men got impatient; they began to talk; some giggled as she soared and soared to her final appeal, and got so high that she melted the wax of her wings and fell to the ground there under the gentle rattlesnake and the ferocious fox of the far-off Oregon. Evidently the old member, who had muttered something not complimentary as she first entered, was, like myself, thinking of Rome; for, as she gathered up her papers after forty minutes of able defense of the Mormons, and fluttered to her seat, he settled back and said to himself, "Great Cæsar."

As a faithful chronicler of unique things here at our country's capital, I am free to admit that there are many men, myself among the number, who could not have made to save their lives, such a speech. The only real trouble about it all was in not knowing when to stop. At the end of the twenty-five minutes the chairman had to call her to order. She, woman-like, wanted to have the last word. She was allowed five minutes' more, and took fifteen minutes to end.—*Joaquin Miller, in Washington Post.*

The Successful Book Agent.

"Why, howdo do, Jinks? How spruce you are looking. What business are you in now?" said a retired book agent.

"Same old business—selling books," said Jinks.

"What! still a book agent?"

"Yes."

"And alive?"

"I seem to be."

"Well, I can't understand it. Since I got out of the hospital I have given up books."

"I keep on and am making $20,000 a year."

"How do you manage to escape death?"

"Easy enough. I first introduce myself as an agent of Mr. O'Donovan Rossa and ask for a subscription to the dynamite fund."

"People refuse, of course?"

"Certainly. Then I take out of my pocket a can of brickdust, labeled in big letters 'Dynamite,' and begin to expatiate on its merits."

"Yes."

"They beg me to handle it carefully and put it away. Then I place it in my coat-tail pocket."

"O! ho!"

"After that I open my samples and talk book to them until they buy, and they don't dare to kick me."—*Philadelphia Call.*

—A prominent preacher of Hartford, Conn., is afflicted with the hallucination that he is followed by a specter in black. According to his story it is always with him. Several years ago he moved to San Francisco with the hope of eluding the "ghost," but it was of no use. The object in black followed him during the day and stood by his bedside during the night. Finally he returned to Hartford with the same hope, but the specter still clung to him and has done so ever since. The curious phase of the whole thing is that recently his wife, mother and brother have seen the phantom, but only when he was present.—*Hartford Post.*

—A learned doctor speaking on heart troubles says: "Persons often trouble themselves uselessly about having disease of the heart or lungs, because they have pain thereabouts. These are good signs, generally, as showing that the pains are external to these organs, for there can be no pain where there are no nerves. The fact is, the most certainly fatal affections of these organs give no note of warning by pain until within the last brief hours of life.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 8, 1884.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE, April 30.—[illegible] relating to the Washington monument decoration ceremonies was passed; it appropriates $25,000 to defray the expenses of the celebration. Bills were passed authorizing the Oregon Pacific Railroad to construct one or more bridges across the Willamette River between Salem and the head-of-navigation of the river in Oregon; also to accept and ratify the agreement with the confederated tribes of Flathead, Kootenay and Pend d'Oreilles Indians for a portion of their reservation in Montana required for the Northern Pacific road. The lands surrendered comprise 1,430 acres, for which the Indians receive $16,000, besides $7,625 compensation for damages to improvements. The bill to remove certain burdens on the American merchant marine and encourage the American foreign carrying trade was taken up, pending debate on which the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—A joint resolution was passed authorizing the Secretary of War to loan tents, etc., to the soldiers' reunions and grant condemned cannon for monumental purposes on proper application. The morning hour was dispensed with, and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the tariff bill, debate on which continued throughout the day and at the evening session. Adjourned.

SENATE, May 1.—The bill to release the members of the original Fitz-John Porter court martial from their obligation of secrecy so far as relates to the votes of the members, was, on motion of Mr. Garland, indefinitely postponed. A bill to amend the act of 1883, relating to spurious and adulterated teas was reported favorably and placed on calendar. The Chair laid before the Senate the untinished business, being the shipping bill; debate on the bill was continued up to the hour of adjournment.

HOUSE.—The morning hour was dispensed with. It was agreed that all general debate on the tariff bill should close on Tuesday, May 6. Mr. McKinley gave notice that at the close of the general debate he should move to strike out the enacting clause. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the tariff bill, and pending discussion on the measure the committee rose and the House adjourned.

SENATE, May 2.—Mr. Garland, from the Committee on Territories, reported adversely the House bill requiring Governors of Territories to be for two years residents of the Territories in which they may be appointed; placed on calendar. The Chair laid before the Senate a telegraphic communication from Mr. Wicker, late Collector at Key West, Fla., asking that a full investigation be made into his conduct in connection with his official duties. Mr. Van Wyck offered a resolution, which was agreed to, calling on the Secretary of the Interior for information in regard to the entries of public lands by certain English firms and corporations, which entries, by reports in the general land office are alleged to be fraudulent. The shipping bill was then taken up. Pending debate on the amendment of Mr. Vest, permitting the admission to American registry of ships bought abroad, and the admission of free building materials, the Senate went into executive session, and when the doors reopened adjourned until the 5th.

HOUSE.—The morning hour was dispensed with, and the House in Committee of the Whole resumed consideration of the tariff bill, which occupied the day. At the evening session thirteen pension bills were passed. Adjourned.

SENATE, May 3.—The Senate was not in session.

HOUSE.—On motion, the order for an evening session was vacated and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the bill amending the Chinese Immigration Act. After a lengthy and animated debate, the bill was read by sections for amendments, several of which were offered and voted down. The committee rose and the bill passed—yeas 184, nays 13—and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON.

It is estimated that the decrease in the public debt for April is $5,250,000.

THE House sub-Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads, considering the contract system of telegraphy, have decided to make twenty-five cents the maximum price for twenty words throughout the United States.

THE estimates for the army appropriation bill for the ensuing year were $26,369,103. Amount appropriated $24,250,450, which is $422,850 less than the last appropriation.

THE question whether the Secretary of the Interior has the legal right to entertain and decide patent appeal cases is now awaiting argument and decision before the Supreme Court. The point involved is of the highest importance to hundreds of inventors.

JUDGE WYLIE, of the United States District Court at Washington, on the 1st sustained the motion to exclude the testimony of Price in the Kellogg case, holding that the offense was barred by the statute of limitations. The jury gave a verdict of not guilty.

THE decrease in the public debt during April was $5,252,075; decrease since June 30, 1883, $87,060,474; cash in the Treasury $399,753,2 6; gold certificates, $101,116,20; silver certificates, $116,374,231; certificates of deposit, $15,025,000; refunding certificates, $2,28,450; legal tenders, $346,681,0; fractional currency, $8,985,10.

THE House Committee on Military Affairs have agreed to favorably report the bill providing for the erection of a Soldiers' Home in Michigan, to cost $250,000.

THE total interest-bearing debt of the United States amounts to $1,256,572,350.

THE statue of F. A. Muhlenburg, first Speaker of the House of Representatives, serving from 1789 to 1791, contributed by the State of Pennsylvania, was received at Washington on the 31 and placed in the statuary hall at the Capitol.

THREE PER CENTS amounting to $19,000,000, has been called by the Secretary of the Treasury, embracing the following original numbers: Fifty dollars No. 404 to No. 442, both inclusive; $100, No. 3,388 to No. 3,849, both inclusive and No. 9,474 to No. 9,478, both inclusive; $500, No. 1,586 to No. 1,737, both inclusive; $1,000, No. 13,356 to 14,471, and No. 22,695 to 22,732, both inclusive; $10,000, No. 22,076 to No. 22,953, both inclusive. The bonds will be paid June 20, and the interest will cease on that day.

THE EAST.

BROWNLOW HILL, Scott Hill and Charles Spurlock, the murderers of Alvin Woods and his father, A. J. Woods, at St. Albans, W. Va., recently, were captured in the mountains of Kanawha County, on the 30th ult. The two Hills were subsequently taken from the guard at the hotel by a mob of 500 men and hanged. Previous to the hanging they confessed to the murder of the Woods family, and also to that of Ex-Sheriff Adkins, of Boone County. Spurlock, who was taken to the Charlestown jail, also made a confession, substantially the same as that of his comrades. He says that he and the Hills have been operating for two years, and during that time have killed four men and wounded several.

GEORGE W. TRABUE, General Superintendent of the Southern division of the Western Union Telegraph Company, died at New York on the 1st.

WILLIAM PITT PALMER, the poet author, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 2d, aged eighty.

AN active movement is on foot to effect a consolidation of the National Federation of Trades. Politics are to be entirely eliminated from the organization.

MRS. EMMA BICKEL, on trial at Philadelphia for the murder of William Menow, has been acquitted on the ground of insanity.

A NEW labor organization called the Workingmen's Protective Association in the Connellsville (Pa.) coke regions has been organized with headquarters at Scottdale. It comprises the majority of the laborers of the coke regions, and its object is to protect its members against imported contract laborers, and to sustain the wages against any reduction that may be offered by the operators.

A. BLANEY, chairman of the Natick (Mass.) Selectmen and a legislator, has been held in $2,000 for trial for ballot stuffing.

A VIOLENT wind storm visited Rochester, N. Y., on the 2d, the gale reaching a velocity of seventy-five miles per hour. Several blocks were unroofed, houses blown over, trees torn up by the roots and plate-glass fronts of stores entirely destroyed by the wind. A number of persons on the streets were seriously injured, some probably fatally.

Two laborers were killed and four seriously injured in New York, on the 2d, by the fall of part of the roof of the old theater, corner of Broadway and Fourth Street.

THE steamer B. S. Ford, of the Chester River Steamboat Line, was totally destroyed by fire while lying at her wharf at Chestertown, Md., on the 4th. The passengers and crew had barely time to escape, many of the former losing their clothing.

THE boilers of the Whitney Marble Works at Gouverneur, N. Y., exploded on the 3d, killing five men and fatally injuring two.

FIVE buildings of the Chateauguay Iron Company at Bradley's Pond, near Troy, N. Y., burned on the 3d. It is reported that a man, woman and two children perished.

JUDGE THAYER, of the Philadelphia Common Pleas Court, delivered an opinion on the 3d, admitting Mrs. Carrie B. Kilgore to practice as an attorney in that court. Judge Arnold dissents from the opinion of his colleagues, Thayer and Elcock. The court took the ground that its action was sustained by the common law of right, which the Legislature had not interfered with by statute.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ending May 3: Loans decrease, $1,355,000; specie decrease, $2,218,000; legal tenders decrease, $12,000; deposits decrease, $833,000; circulation decrease, $76,000; reserve decrease, $1,613,000. The banks now hold $86,000 in excess of legal requirements.

THE result of the six-day go-as-you-please walking match at Madison Square Garden, New York, which ended at 8:45 p. m. on the 3d, was a victory for Fitzgerald, who made 610 miles, beating all previous records. Following was the score at the finish: Fitzgerald 610, Rowell 602, Panchot, 563, Noremac 546½, Herty 539½, Vint 430, and Elson 525½ miles.

A FIRE at Williamstown, Otsego County, N. Y., on the 4th, destroyed the Selden House, postoffice, several business blocks, and a number of residences. Loss $75,000.

AT New York on the 4th John Wentz dissolved Paris green in four tumblers, and giving one to each of his three children, aged twelve, ten and eight years, ordered them to drink it. The children ran away and Wentz, who drank it, was soon taken violently sick and died during the night.

WEST AND SOUTH.

AT a fire in Englewood, near Chicago, on the night of the 29th ult., the Sherwood House, a frame structure, burned so rapidly that the guests had to leap from the upper windows in their night clothes. There was, however, no loss of life. A livery stable with twelve horses was consumed. Loss $20,000.

ALLEN INGALLS, one of the burkers who murdered the Taylor family at Avondale, near Cincinnati, February 15, and sold them to a medical college, committed suicide by hanging in the county jail on the morning of the 30th ult., having used for the purpose a piece of cloth torn from his blanket.

STATE Conventions were held by the Republicans in twelve States on the 30th ult., seven of which—Iowa, Nevada, California, Maine, Oregon, Wisconsin and Virginia—instructed for Blaine for President; Massachusetts and Vermont declared for Edmunds, while New Hampshire, Wisconsin and Florida were divided. The Massachusetts Democratic State Convention on the same day endorsed Butler for President, as also did the Greenbackers of Michigan. The Maine Greenback Convention sent uninstructed delegates.

STATE Conventions were held by the Republicans on the 1st in Kentucky, Maryland, Minnesota, Georgia, Colorado, Florida, Texas, North Carolina, Oregon and Nebraska, and in the Territories of Wyoming, Washington and Utah. A large share of the conventions, especially in the Territories and the South, were carried for Arthur, while Maryland, Colorado and Minnesota enrolled themselves for Blaine.

CHARLES S. STURGIS, a Chicago drug clerk, put up morphine instead of quinine, as called for in a prescription, resulting in the death of Mrs. Laura Williams. He was arrested.

ON the 1st, at Roland, Story County, Ia., a man whose name was not learned, attacked his wife with an ax. She called for help, when the brother of the husband interfered to protect her. At this the husband seized his brother and threw him into a deep well. As he did so he either lost his footing or sprang into the well intentionally himself. When the neighbors, attracted by the outcry, arrived on the scene they found the two men at the bottom of the well both dead, while the woman was unconscious. She will probably die of her wounds.

A REDUCTION of twenty to thirty per cent. on rates to prominent points South and West was ordered by the Western Union Telegraph Company on the 1st. All night messages to points as far west as Kansas City will be forwarded at fifteen cents for ten words, and one cent for each additional word. There will be no change in the tariff on eastern messages.

A BOMB containing six pounds of giant powder, with an ignited fuse, was thrown upon the porch of the Crawford House at Colorado Springs, Col., on the 1st, shattering the doors and windows of the hotel and neighborhood. No clue to the perpetrator.

WILLIAM McHUGH, who murdered his wife July 23, 1881, and who had been thrice convicted of the crime but escaped via legal technicalities, was hanged in Cincinnati on the 2d.

A CYCLONE struck the town of Del Rio, Texas, on the 2d, destroying the new Episcopal Church and a number of other buildings. Five persons were severely injured, and one, Charles Schnack, killed.

TWENTY-SIX horses, a number of vehicles and a quantity of hay, were destroyed in a fire in Owsley & Bro.'s livery stable in Kansas City on the 1st.

ASTOR'S new steam yacht, the Nour Mahal, was launched at Wilmington, Del., on the 3d. She is said to be the largest pleasure vessel ever launched in America, and the largest yacht afloat.

A SALE of 914 head of short horn and other high grade cattle and horses was made on the 3d by J. B. Guntry, of Pettis county, Mo., for the aggregate of $34,000. Coppinger and Warner, of Gunnison, Col., were the purchasers.

CAPTAIN H. WARD DART, formerly of Jamestown, New York, was drowned recently near Spokane Falls, Washington Territory. By a singular coincidence the young man's sister was drowned in Chautauqua Lake outlet, eighteen months ago.

THE house of John Duffy, near Independence, Ia., burned on the 3d, and a thirteen-year-old daughter perished in the flames. Both parents were also badly injured, and another child is not expected to recover.

FOREIGN.

FROSTS have blasted the hopes of English fruit growers, and it is probable there will not be more than half a crop this year.

MICHAEL ARTHUR BASS, the great English brewer, died on the 30th ult.

THE troop ship Crocodile has been released from quarantine and entered the Portsmouth harbor. After leaving Bombay eight soldiers were stricken with cholera; six died. The progress of the epidemic was rapid.

THE walls of the burned mercantile house of William Whitely at London fell on the 1st, and fifty men who were engaged in making repairs on the building were buried in the ruins. Several were killed and many severely injured.

THE gold and silver medals provided by the Prince of Wales, for distinction in the classics, the highest gift in the Queen's College University, Kingston, Ontario, were carried off by Miss E. F. Fitzgerald.

A PARISIAN named Victor Martin will leave Paris on the 11th and attempt to walk to Rome and back in fifty days. As the distance by roads is 3,460 miles he will have to make about seventy miles per day.

THE Egyptian Government has offered a Soudanese chief £5,000 to bring General Gordon from Khartoum.

A SANITARY cordon has been established around Bedra, in the Province of Bagdad, where a cubonic plague is raging.

IN the 1,000 guinea race at London on the 2d, six horses ran. Busybody won, Queen Adelaide second, Whitlock third.

EMPRESS ANNA, widow of Emperor Ferdinand IV. of Austria, and aunt of the present Emperor, is dead, aged eighty.

REPORTS from Port Au Prince say that the English schooner Grapple was burned by the natives at Cay Island, $10,000 worth of property confiscated and the crew murdered. A war vessel has been sent there.

THE Oriental Bank of London has suspended payment.

SECRETARY CHANDLER received the following telegram from Lieutenant Emery, commander of the Greely relief steamer Bear, under date of St. Johns, N. F., May 3:—"The ice conditions are considered favorable. The Dundee whalers, Narwhal and Esquimaux, left this week. The Polaria and Arctic sail in a few days, all bound for the North water. The early departure is due to the Greely reward, which they hope to secure."

THE ship Alantine, of Drammen, Norway, was wrecked recently in a northeast gale and sleet storm five miles east of Wolf Island station, Magdalen Islands. She broke up immediately. The second mate is the only survivor.

LATER NEWS.

THE National Convention of Underwriters will be held at Pittsburgh May 28 and 29. Over two hundred delegates are expected to be present, representing all the large cities of the country.

THE College Hospital at Peoria, Ill., was struck by lightning during a heavy storm on the 5th. The building was considerable damaged and the inmates seriously shocked. Lucy Taylor, the matron, so severely that doubts were entertained of her recovery.

A CYCLONE struck the cities of Davenport, Ia., and Rock Island, Ill., on the 5th, doing considerable damage. At Davenport one person was killed and a number of others badly injured, and several buildings leveled. All the buildings on the fair grounds at Rock Island were leveled and fences blown away; three houses were demolished and four persons reported more or less seriously hurt.

THE National Anti-Monopoly Convention is announced to be held at the Briggs House, Chicago, May 14.

AS the Chicago & Eastern Illinois suburban train was leaving South Englewood for Chicago on the morning of the 5th—a dense fog prevailing—a heavy locomotive of the Grand Trunk road, which leaves the city on the same track, plunged into the rear train, splitting the last car and telescoping the other two, piping the passengers in the broken timbers and flooding the interior with steam from the engine boiler. Henry Wilson, engineer of the passenger train, and W. Cockie, of Englewood, were probably fatally injured, and about twenty others seriously hurt.

DURING a violent hail and rain storm at Little Rock, Ark., on the 5th a shed at the old fair ground fell on a large number of convicts employed in brick making. One guard was killed, another seriously wounded, and several convicts injured by falling timbers.

MOSES FRALEY, the St. Louis grain and stock operator, whose suspension was recently announced, has notified his creditors that he is prepared to settle all his accounts by paying 100 cents on the dollar.

BILLS were reported favorably in the Senate on the 5th: Granting a pension to the widow of General Judson Fitzpatrick; to adopt international regulations to prevent collisions at sea; the agricultural appropriation bill with amendments. A bill by Mr. Van Wyck, to restrict aliens and foreign companies and corporations in the ownership of public land and of any land in Territories, was referred to Committee on Public Lands. The shipping bill was then taken up, and pending discussion the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. In the House a bill was introduced to exclude the public lands of Kansas from the operation of laws relating to mineral lands; referred. The Virginia contested election case of O'Ferrell vs. Paul was called up and after a long debate the resolution seating O'Ferrell was adopted by a strict party vote. Mr. Laird introduced a bill for the issue of patents for lands to any Pacific railroad which shall complete its road within thirty days from the passage of the act; referred. At the evening session debate on the tariff bill was continued. Adjourned.

Spring Without Blossoms.

Late in Life to Look for Joy—Yet Never too Late to Mend.

Readers of Hawthorne's "House of Seven Gables" will recall the pathos with which poor Clifford Pyncheon, who had been unjustly imprisoned since his early manhood, said, after his release: "My life is gone, and where is my happiness? Oh! give me my happiness." But that could be done only in part, as gleams of warm sunshine occasionally fall across the gloom of a New England autumn day.

This reads to Messrs. Hobson & Co., Mr. I. H. Titus, of Pennington, N. J., says: I have suffered untold misery from childhood from chronic disease of the bowels and diarrhœa, accompanied by pain. I sought relief at the hands of physicians of every school, and used every patent and domestic remedy under the sun. I have at last found in PARKER'S TONIC a complete specific, preventive and cure. As you an invaluable medicine, which did for me what nothing else could do, is entitled to the credit of my getting back my happy days, I cheerfully and gratefully acknowledge the fact.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 18th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr24

ESTATE OF JAMES MILLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Miller, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Miller, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Alexander W. Miller, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. apr17

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A.D., 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A.D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8) of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the Village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county, and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 13-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Exchange Hotel lot; thence west on the south line of that lot, three and 18-100 chains to the J. R. Hoag lot, now Marsh lot; thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at time of sale.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

EDWIN B. WOOD,
Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JOHN P. SILVERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 29th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John P. Silvers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of David H. Silvers, praying that the final administration account of said deceased may be allowed, and that he be paid the debts and disbursements, the funeral expenses and expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his final account and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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FACTS ABOUT FLORIDA.

The following letter was written by Dr. S. S. Sargent of Rushville, Ind. to Mr. Swan, formerly of this place, while Dr. Sargent during his sojourn in Florida last winter, and regards this letter as the best description of the "Land of Flowers" he has seen in print. We are indebted to Mr. Swan for a copy of the letter.

In a recent number of your paper I see an article from Oregon. If any one will take the pains to look at the map of the United States, and cast their eye diagonally along a line running from Oregon at one extreme end of the same to Florida at the other end, there will be a scope of country traversed, which for diversity of soil and climate cannot be equalled in any part of the known world. This intervening country will produce successfully, any and all of the products which are very common to a temperate and semi-tropical climate. Oregon may have attractions which are excellent of both climate and productions, but the other extreme of this line can boast truly of those that are equal if not superior in its products as well as climate. If one will take another look at the map, at the southeast he will see a long arm that reaches out into the waters, and this neck of land is the peninsula of semi-tropical Florida, a section of our country which is not well known by the average citizen of the North, or West. Until late years it was, and still by many, considered as a land of swamps, alligators, poisonous insects, infested with sickly and deadly fevers, and all of those evils which beset the human race in distant and far off lands, of which we have but slatted knowledge. I, myself, had no knowledge of Florida, until I came here, in fact, was prejudiced against the country, because my ideas and information were at fault, crude and very unsatisfactory. Instead of the low, flat, swampy country, which I had pictured, I found this section, west Orange county, a high, rolling piney, wooded country, where sickness was the exception and good health the rule, clear water lakes abound and the water is excellent, the soil is sandy, but will produce with excellent results, any of the citrous family, as oranges, lemons, etc. The vegetation is peculiar here, being a rich deep green, with thick and flat foliage, which shines like as if it had been varnished by some northern carriage painter. The soil on first glance would seem to be barren of results, but on a closer investigation it will be seen to produce with abundance any and all of those products that are adapted to a semi-tropical and more northern climate.

The orange culture here is in its infancy, but is destined to grow and increase year by year, until the most available lands of Florida will be one continuous and highly productive and remunerative land of groves. The primitive forests are being cleared up with a dispatch not equalled by the early pioneer days of Rush county. On every hand the energy and pluck of some Northern man is marked and decisive. Where but a few weeks ago the original wood land was untouched, now there is an orange grove, every stump and root having been cleared away, the ground is as clean as a new made garden. Five to ten acres are sufficient for one man to own in Florida, as the products from this properly tilled will bring more than the best one hundred acres in Indiana. An orange grove of five hundred trees in full bearing will net the owner from two to five thousand dollars, and they are a never failing crop if rightly looked after. The vegetable garden here is another industry that is very renumerative, if well understood. My friend, Capt. J. P. Wofford, who lives on lake Eustis, has some forty acres in vegetables, and is now shipping tomatoes north, which net him from four to eight dollars per bushel. This is but an example of what every one can do here, with an intelligent understanding of what he wishes to accomplish. The day will soon come when portions of Florida will be the most desirable and richest part of our country with its beautiful groves and magnificent homes near the clear water lakes.

The climate of this distant land to the south, will interest many who are tired of a colder and less congenial country. In this respect, no place in the United States is the climate so equal and free from sudden and extreme changes during all parts of the year. The winters, here, are extremely and pleasantly mild. Frost is an unusual thing, and long, continuous, rainy, cold and disagreeable spells are unknown. Every day is a luxury in this respect, and those who suffer from the cold blasts of a northern latitude, would do well to test a six months residence in this land, where every hour is filled with hope and contentment, which is the offspring of bright days and sunny skies. None can appreciate a winter residence in Florida or comprehend or understand the difference between the climate and that of Central Indiana, until one winter is spent here amid the semi-tropical scenes, land, sunshine and bright days which are almost universal. The immigration to this sunny land is increasing rapidly every year. From the North every State and territory in the union is represented, but in this part of Orange county, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Ohio seem to lead, with New York next, while Indiana is well represented. Other Western States have many who are seeking a more mild country. If the winters are so mild here, it often puzzles those of the North about the summer heat, which, if in proportion to the mild winter, would be so hot that no white man could live here. This would seem to be true to the casual observer but when it is understood and appreciated that Florida is a peninsula, an arm, so to speak, that reaches out into the sea, and this salt water, with constant breezes that play back and forth from other land or the ocean. It will not be so difficult to understand that the summer heat here is not so hot and oppressive as that country north of us for many hundred miles. While the thermometer is up in the nineties, the shade is delightfully pleasant. The gentle breezes wafting across the peninsula, make this climate more bearable at ninety than up in Indiana at eighty, with its oppressive and stilled atmosphere. It is true we have a longer heated term in Florida, but the nights are so pleasant and sleep so refreshing, that one gets up in the morning feeling renewed, and always ready and anxious for the duties of the day.

During my extensive wanderings [illegible] last five years, I have never seen a country which has the attractions both for residence and a place for investments as here in Orange county. One can live and make a livelihood and be more comfortable with less irritation and worry than in any part of this broad land of ours. All nature conspires to fill one with contentment and satisfaction. Money is not picked from off the bushes or dug out of the same without some effort. Yet with a medium amount of judgement, investments can be made that will pay exceedingly well, and many have made money here rapidly during the last five years. This is a new country, comparatively, but railroads and telegraph lines are multiplying with rapid stride. A trip to Florida will soon be one of the luxuries of a northern home, and from it will grow up a young empire here that will give new life and health to many who are now sufferers from those diseases which a colder climate increases. This is a land of many new varied and peculiar scenes. A trip up the St. Johns river, in one of the beautiful steamers, would be a new and strange world to many. On either side is the palm, palmetto, and hanging moss, that impresses the new comer with some degree of awe as well as pleasure. Then when he takes a ride in the cars from this placid stream to the great lake regions, which are composed of lake Eustis, Dora, Harris and Griffin, he sees a sight which utterly paralyzes his former opinion of Florida, and from a "Doubting Thomas" he is changed, as it were, in the twinkling of eye, to an admiring and happily disappointed man. Let those who have an eye to business, pleasure and health move southward to a sunny and productive climate, rather than to the barren and uncertain plains of the West. No land or no people are more open or generous than those of the South. Let those who would come, first spy the land that they may not be disappointed when they come to occupy the country. The children of Israel first spied the Promised Land and afterwards moved in and took possession. Let a word to the wise be sufficient.

DR. S. S. SARGENT.

THE LEWIS AND HIS LAMB. By Pansy. Price 25cts. Boston: D. Lothrop & Co. This capital story was one of the first from Pansy's prolific pen, and so bright was it, so pure, and so healthy in tone, that it sprang at once into popularity, and since that time it has been in steady demand. It was an excellent idea on the part of the publishers to begin their new series of cheap editions of good books with one which is so widely and favorably known. It is a book powerful for good, and one that no boy could read without feeling its influence. The story itself is deeply interesting, the style is fascinating, and the lesson it teaches is skillfully mingled with the incident. By this reduction in the price it will find a multitude of new readers, and particularly among those who need its teachings most.

A TEMPERANCE CALL.

The Prohibitionists of Battle Creek, to all the Prohibitionists of the State, greeting:

In view of the great and growing evil of intemperance, and the alarming power of the rumsellers; in view of the failure of all other means of controlling this evil and the manifest disposition of the temperance people to try prohibition, we invite the friends of prohibition through the state to meet with us in council, at the state convention, called the Union Prohibition party, to be held in this city Wednesday, May 14th. Cheap rates of fare may be expected, and reduced expenses for accommodation will be arranged.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Morenci Observer: Arrangements are nearly completed for the Teacher's Normal School to be held in our village during the months of July and August. The object of this school, as we learn, is to give the teachers and those who contemplate teaching, an opportunity of reviewing, those branches already gone over and taking up any new branches upon which the pupils may wish to prepare for a third, second or first grade certificate. The class in Physiology will be taught by one of the best read physicians in this part of the State, and we can say equally as much in regard to the other teachers.

Wauseon, Ohio, Republican, April 19th: "Reuben Turner, ex-County Treasurer and treasurer of the Bohemian Oats Association, has published a card declaring the oats business a fraud, and offers to repay any who have suffered through his influence."

The date for the presentation of Michael Erle has been changed to Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, May 13th and 14th.

FOREST FIRES.

Citizens Burned Out Without any Shelter.

HOUTZDALE, Pa., May 6.—A large number of people visited the ruins at Brisbin Sunday. Rain dispelled the fears of a renewal of the fire. A strong appeal has been made for immediate aid. Hundreds are compelled to sleep in their clothes, having no bed covers or bedding. Money is needed to provide shelter. The citizens of Houtzdale and neighboring towns are doing their best, but with the population suddenly doubled by the refugees from Brisbin they are unable to do all that is necessary and are compelled to appeal to charity.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., May 5.—The bridge over the Schuylkill River at Roger's Ford burned Sunday. Loss $8,000.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., May 5.—The village of Gilman's Depot is deserted. Nothing remains but smouldering feed in the barns. The residents are compelled to sleep in barns. Many spent the night in a mill, sleeping on the sawdust. They have lost everything.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 5.—There is a fire in the woods of Dartmouth burning from 100 to 200 acres.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 5.—The Pebbley Beach House burned. Loss, $18,000.

FREEHOLD, N. J., May 5.—It is estimated that 1,000 acres have burned here. The damages are $50,000.

[illegible] fires on Long Island were extinguished by rain.

ST. JOHN, Que., May 5.—Blackburn & Rowe's stone and china ware factory burned. Insured for $13,000.

Try Chloroform.

MACON, Ga., May 6.—Mr. J. D. Christian and Miss S. A. Lochlin, of Madison, were to marry last Sunday. That morning Christian received a letter from the lady stating that she had fled; that, as the marriage approached, her dread of the developments of the married state drove her into such cowardice that she could not meet it. She enclosed five dollars to pay Christian's trouble in getting the license. He went in pursuit and found her Wednesday in Oconee County. She fell on his neck with wild kisses and declared that she would never leave him. A second attempt at marriage was made that evening, but, at the last moment, she swooned away with apprehension, and the ceremony was again postponed.

Death of May Thorne.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., May 6.—News was received here Saturday of the death of Mrs. Joseph Kane, in Texas. She was known to the dramatic world as "May Thorne," and was a reader, elocutionist, and singer. Kane was her third husband. Her second husband, from whom she obtained a divorce recently, was Billy Arlington, the minstrel, with whom she at one time performed throughout the Western States. She was a native of Bloomington, and her maiden name was May Musson.

Negro Lynched.

WALTON, Ky., May 5.—About one o'clock yesterday morning twenty masked men went and demanded the keys of the jailer in Burlington, the county seat of Boone County. They then went and broke open the jail, took out Charles Dickerson, a negro, who was arrested last March for burglary, and escaped, but was arrested a week ago in the act of burglary. The mob took him two miles from Burlington and lynched him by hanging.

Indians on Trial.

MILES CITY, May 5.—In the trial of Black Wolf, the Cheyenne chief, and accessories for the burning of the Anderson ranch, Black Wolf was found not guilty. Howling Wolf, White Bear and two others pleaded guilty amidst a scene of excitement, as it is understood that they did this to save others equally as guilty as they. Each will be sentenced to five years.

A Satisfactory Sale.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 5.—The annual sale of the Tennessee Jersey Breeders' Association at Belle Mead Saturday, was the largest ever held in the South. The best butter strains were represented. The total amount the sales are $18,575. The average was forty-three females, $382; average of five bulls $429, which are considered very satisfactory.

A Base Ball Player Who Must Not Play.

ST. LOUIS, May 6.—In the Circuit Court yesterday a temporary restraining order was issued forbidding Tony Mullane to play with the Toledo club. The order was asked for by President Lucas, of the Union club, on the ground that Mullane had broken a contract with that club. The case will be argued on its merits soon.

Reception to a Sir Knight.

MICHIGAN CITY, May 6.—The Michigan City Commandery of Knights Templar Saturday evening extended to Grand Commander Walter Vail, of the Grand Commandery of Indiana, a reception and banquet in honor of his elevated position. A large number of local Knights were in attendance.

The Underwriters' Convention.

PITTSBURGH, May 3.—The National Convention of Underwriters will be held here May 28 and 29. Over 200 delegates are expected to be present from New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Cleveland and all the large cities of the country.

Murdered by the Natives.

BOSTON, May 5.—Reports from Port Au Prince say that the English schooner Grapple was burned by the natives at Cay Island, $10,000 worth of property confiscated and the crew murdered. A war vessel has been sent there.

A Murderer Suicides.

HARRISONVILLE, Mo., May 5.—James Maxwell, a young druggist, arrested Friday night for the murder of his brother-in-law, Newton Safron, was found dead in his cell yesterday morning, having taken poison which was concealed in tobacco on his person.

A Monster Yacht.

WILMIMGTON, Del., May 5.—Astor's new steam yacht, the Nour Mahal, was launched yesterday. She is said to be the largest pleasure vessel ever launched in America, and the largest yacht afloat.

Charged With Malfeasance.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Judge Wallace, in the United States District Court, orders Shipping Commissioner Duncan to show cause why he should not be removed for malfeasance in office.

Cheap Freights on Sugar.

BOSTON, May 6.—All rail lines having reduced the freight on sugar to Chicago and Milwaukee to fifteen cents, the lake and rail routes yesterday lowered the rate to twelve cents between Boston and the above points.

A RAILROAD DISASTER.

A Locomotive Plunges Into the Rear of a Suburban Passenger Train Near Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 5.—A dense fog prevailed over the southern part of the city yesterday morning. A Chicago and Eastern Illinois suburban train left Auburn with passengers coming into the city to business. A stop was made at South Englewood. Just as it was pulling out a heavy locomotive of the Grand Trunk road, which leaves the city over the same tracks, plunges into the rear of the passenger train, splitting the last car and telescoping the other two, pinning the passengers in broken timbers and flooding the interior with steam from the engine boiler. Two persons were probably fatally and about twenty others seriously injured.

Following is a list of the injured:

Henry Wilson, engineer of the passenger train, cut about the breast and face and two ribs broken.

John Carroll, Englewood, ribs broken.

P. J. Murphy, Englewood, badly cut about head and body.

Man named Williams, leg broken.

J. Cahill, Englewood, body crushed.

W. Cockle, Englewood, both legs broken and one eye destroyed.

A. G. Massey, Englewood, head and body injured.

A. J. Hewett, head cut.

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J. McCarthy, internal injuries.

F. Wilson, internal injuries.

M. McGrath, leg crushed.

Nine others were injured, but were removed before their names were learned. It is thought that Wilson and Cockle will die. Engineer Terwilliger, of the Grand Trunk engine, was arrested and locked up in the town of Lake police station, but subsequently released on bonds. He claims that the accident was due to the fog; that he did not see the lights of the train in time to avert the catastrophe.

Attempted Assassination.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 6.—An attempted assassination occurred at the residence of Jacob Good, residing between Morgantown and Newmiddletown, five miles south of this city, about midnight Saturday night. Good occupied a bedroom on the first floor of his home and was awakened by the sound of crashing glass, and found a bullet lodged in his shoulder. An alarm was given, but the assassin, whoever he was, made good his escape. Shortly after the shot was fired two farmers met a stranger riding on horseback, who passed them at a rapid gait, coming from the direction of Good's house, and it is supposed the unknown horseman fired the shot.

Losses by the Forest Fires.

PITTSBURGH, May 6.—Ralph Bagley, President of the Arthur Lumber Company, of this city, returned from the scene of the conflagration in Elk County yesterday morning and reports the devastation great. He estimates the loss in Elk County alone at over a million dollars. The heaviest losers are the mill owners. Hall & Kauff, of Pine Run, lose $50,000, and Dr. L. M. Ott, of Williamsport, $60,000. The mill of William Goetz, of Swiss Mount, is entirely destroyed, together with a number of buildings and a large stock of lumber. Goetz has been missing since Thursday and it is believed he perished.

They Came, They Saw, but he Conquered.

ST. LOUIS, May 6.—A dispatch from Montzerrat, Mo., says a party of white men went to the house of Joseph Hughes, a negro, living two miles from town, Saturday night, with the avowed intention of horsewhipping him for an alleged insult offered by him to a white woman a few days ago. Hughes made a desperate resistance and with an ax inflicted mortal wounds upon Charles Miller and a man named Long. The remainder of the party retired and Hughes surrendered to the authorities.

Indignant Farmers.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 5.—The High Bluff branch of the Farmers' Union, one of the most influential, passed a resolution setting forth that the "Dominion Government having denied us our just rights and treated the moderate requests of our Legislature with contempt, the residents of Manitoba imperatively demand that we shall not remain a party of the Dominion confederation. We hereby call upon the provincial Legislature to claim the right of Manitoba to manage her own affairs and to become an independent British colony."

The Bond Call.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—Following are the original numbers of three per cents. called to-day: Fifty dollars, Nos. 404 to 442, both inclusive; $100, Nos. 3,388 to 3,840, both inclusive, and Nos. 9,474 to 9,478, both inclusive; $500, Nos. 1,586 to 1,737, both inclusive, and Nos. 3,982 to 3,986, both inclusive; $1,000, Nos. 13,356 to 14,471, both inclusive, and Nos. 22,695 to 22,732, both inclusive; $10,000, Nos. 22,076 to 22,953, both inclusive. Total, $10,000,000. The bonds are to be paid June 20, and the interest will cease on that day.

A Murderer Gives Himself Up.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Frank Langston, son of the United States Minister to Hayti, who shot and killed one colored man and wounded another in this city about two months ago, and who has since been absent, was surrendered to the authorities yesterday by his father. Langston disappeared on the night of the shooting, and has been living with his brother in Louisville, Ky., since that time. He came in on a western train yesterday morning, and when father and son met there was a most affecting scene.

Base Ball.

BOSTON, May 6.—The Clevelands lost their second game with the Bostons yesterday—9 to 3.

At Philadelphia—The Chicagos, 12; Philadelphia, 7.

At Providence—Buffalos, 2; Providence, 5.

At New York—Detroits, 1; New Yorks, 3.

Farley Paying Dollar for Dollar.

ST. LOUIS, May 6.—To-day Moses Farley notified all his Chicago creditors that he was prepared to settle all his accounts by paying 100 cents on the dollar and asked them to send their statements, as he wants to clear off his indebtedness.

A Bigamist at Large.

PETERSBURGH, Va., May 6.—S. L. Harley, a bigamist, escaped from the Jail of Nottoway Court House Saturday night and is still at large. The Sheriff has telegraphed to the principal points.

Anti-Monopolists.

NEW YORK, May 6.—John F. Henry announces the National Anti-Monopoly Convention at Briggs House, Chicago, May 14.

New Spring Goods!

We are showing the nicest and largest assortment of

Mens', Youths', Boys' and Childrens'

CLOTHING!

Our Spring Stock is Complete

In Every department.

Endless variety in School Suits,
Childs' Sailor Suits,
Childs' Sailor Waists,
Elegant line Spring Overcoats.

All the latest novelties in

Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Prices Lower than ever Before Known.

KIES BROTHERS!

Sure Cure for Stump!

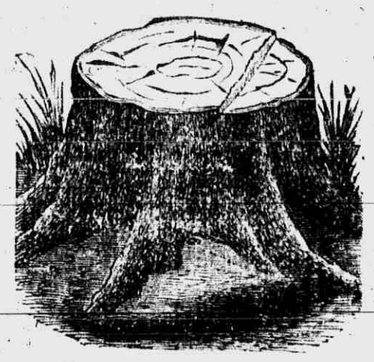

Stump before blasting.

And next week will show the stump after the blast.

THE MINER'S FRIEND POWDER

Is the best and cheapest in use. Agents wanted in every town.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co.,

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FURNITURE

Trunks and Sewing Machines.

During the month of May we want to close out $5000 worth of goods, and to do this we make special inducements.

1st. We propose to undersell all competitors in Southern Michigan. Besides this, during the month of May, 1884, we will give an oil painting, (nicely framed in gilt,) worth from $5 to $12.50, with each and every parlor and bed room suit sold from our store.

NOW IS THE TIME,

We deliver goods free in Clinton, Ridgeway and Franklin.

SLAYTON & KINNEY

TECUMSEH.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED.—Experienced canvassers to sell the "Treasury of Song," one of the finest musical collections ever offered to the public. Apply to G. P. SPARKS.

ROOMS TO LET.—Over Hough & Hosmer's store. Enquire of O. R. DeWOLF.

PLANTS! PLANTS!! PLANTS!!!—500,000 Cabbage Plants. All the best varieties of early cabbage and tomato now ready, sweet potato in immense stock. Late cabbage a specialty. I can furnish in large quantities at low prices. ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE.—A farm of 80 acres situated in Macon, formerly owned by Thos. Quarton. Good improvements, good orchard, good buildings. A bargain. Address or furnished. Enquire of H. W. STEVENS. Agt. for Geo. C. Wallace.

SEED CORN.—Farmers can find good seed corn for sale at my farm 3½ miles west of Tecumseh. W. J. OSBORN.

NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEIL.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice. F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

THE HORSE TO PLEASE EVERYbody. Gen. Grant, the celebrated stallion, can be seen at the Exchange Hotel barn, Tecumseh, on Wednesdays of each week. Be sure and call and see him. E. GRAF, Prop'r.

STOP THIEF.—Farmers, if you wish hay hooks put up in a workmanlike manner, apply at the store of Whitenack, Bordine & Co., or to J. M. Foote & Son, Clayton, Mich. Agent for the only solid hay track made in the U. S.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected. S. CATLIN, M.D.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The homestead farm of the late Samuel G. Conkling, situated in the eastern part of the township of Raisin, consisting of one hundred and sixty acres, being the S. E. ¼ of section 11 in said township, is offered for sale. For terms enquire of the undersigned.
H. W. & H. C. CONKLING, Executors.

HOUSE TO RENT.—Situated on Oneida street. Enquire of H. W. CONKLING.

FOR SALE.—Several desirable family residences in village of Tecumseh. Enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

Chas. T. Hewitt of Toledo is in town.

A nobby new side walk in front of C. A. Slayton's residence.

Read Whitenack, Bordine & Co's. new announcement this week.

Remember the readings at the Baptist church to-morrow evening.

Thanks to Col. Spofford for late copies of the Ohio State Register.

The heavy rains of the past few days will be appreciated by the farmers.

Miss Bessie Church left yesterday noon for Shelby, Mich., to spend the summer with her sister.

Miss Nellie Clark left on the noon train last Wednesday to visit friends at Chelsea and Detroit.

The Ladies' Social of St. Peter's Church will be held on Wednesday evening of next week at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Hicks.

Elijah Wilson has finished his job of stump blasting for N. M. Sutton and is now rooting out a lot of stumps for Israel Schreder.

Ames Stocking, who has been spending several months with his son William, arrived home last Saturday, and will remain in Tecumseh for a while.

Geo. Adamson, our enterprising jeweler, is now firmly located on the "old corner," and has a word to say to the readers of the HERALD this week.

Fred W. Keip, our new book-seller, has an announcement in another column to which we invite attention. Mr. Keip has a large and well assorted stock of goods, and we believe he will secure a good trade.

Mrs. Isaac Collins of Macon, has just received ten life sized portraits of herself and husband. These, together with the portraits furnished Z. Cook, Edmund Hall, Mr. Lilley and many others of our citizens are increasing the popularity of C. A. Thatcher's work. Any one desiring pictures will do well to await his return in July.

STUMP BLASTING!

Last Friday we drove with N. M. Sutton up to his farm to see Elijah Wilson go through the stump blasting process. In one field of the old Patterson farm was an oak grove, which was cut down two or three years ago leaving a number of immense oak stumps, some of which were six to seven feet in diameter. These stumps are all being cleared out with powder. Two or three holes are bored into the root of the stump with an auger, the powder inserted, and a slow match applied. We witnessed the operation at a safe distance on one of the "old settlers." As soon as the match was struck the workmen made tracks for a safe place several rods away. It was the first time we ever saw Elijah Wilson make "double quick" time. When the explosion came that stump was blown to "Ballyhack" in short order. It was shivered into more than twenty pieces, some of them being thrown at least twenty rods away. The victim we saw laid low was the butt of a huge red oak cut a year ago last winter. Mr. Wilson says he will clear the entire field of stumps as thoroughly as though they had been rotting in the soil for twenty years. The "Miner's Friend" was the powder used on this occasion.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 8, 1884.

SPECIAL OFFER.

During the month of May the HERALD will be offered to new subscribers for eight months at one dollar, and every tenth subscription will be refunded. Old subscribers, by paying arrearages to May 1st, and one dollar in addition, will be "counted in" also, and every tenth dollar thus received will be refunded. Our subscription record will be open to inspection that each person may see for himself, whether he be the lucky man. This offer will remain open until the close of business hours on Saturday May 31st inst. and no longer. Pass in your dollars.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Several Adrian people were in town last Monday.

Forepaugh's show bills have made their appearance.

The Clinton band will have a new set of instruments.

What has become of the Tecumseh base ball association?

Forepaugh's white elephant will visit Adrian on the 20th inst.

Dr. Wise has been appointed health officer of Riga. A wise move.

Wm. C. Heck has a new side walk in front of his residence on Chicago street.

Miss Kate Bellinger of Blissfield, captured a six pound pickerel the other day.

F. D. Avery, of Onsted, paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum last Monday.

J. R. Cairnes & Son have a new sign, advertising their McCormick machines.

Addison is enjoying a building boom and twelve new buildings are now going up there.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co. have ornamented their store front with a new "Jewel Stove" sign.

Baker & Hall have put a new plate glass front in their store, which is a very decided improvement.

Mrs. C. V. Hicks, nee Jennie Rosacrans, of Oscoda, is passing a few days with her Tecumseh acquaintances.

Rev. R. Wooden, of Cambridge, favored us with a call last Saturday.—He comes to Tecumseh now over the M. & O.

Have you seen Ed. DePuy's new peanut roaster? It runs by steam and turns out the roasted peanuts to perfection.

Gus Wright's new house on the corner of Evans and Pottawatamie Sts. is pushing along. It will be an ornament to that part of the village.

The Readings and Concert at the Baptist church to-morrow evening will be a first-class entertainment and ought to receive a good patronage.

See Slayton & Kinney's new advertisement. They propose to close out $5,000 worth of furniture, trunks and sewing machines at reduced prices and give presents, ranging from $5.00 to $12.50 each.

H. C. Conkling will sell at the residence of the late S. G. Conkling next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, a quantity of household furniture. H. W. Stevens, Auctioneer. This will be a good chance for bargains.

The Allen examination at Jackson has ended in the discharge of the accused. That side show is now over. The case against Dan Holcomb seems to grow more and more serious, as additional evidence is brought out.

The three card monte man did a thriving business here on Monday.—Several "lambs" were shorn and some men risked their money who should have known better. But there will be no danger of their taking the bait again.

We have received from Chas. S. Fee, Gen. Passenger Agent of the Northern Pacific Railroad, a pamphlet entitled 'The Wonderland of the World.' It is descriptive of the famous Yellowstone Park and other points of interest on the line of the Northern Pacific. The opening of this route will rapidly develope a marvelous country for pleasure seekers and permanent settlers and people who wish to inform themselves about this section should send for a copy. Address, Chas. S. Fee, St. Paul, Minn.

Lenawee county made a good showing at the state sheep shearing festival at Lansing. The second heaviest fleece shorn was from a ram owned by Osborne & Wilson, of Tecumseh. The Michigan Farmer says: "Osborne & Wilson, Tecumseh, Lenawee Co., had the famous New York ram Greasy Bill, of which they are part owners. We have before referred to this sheep. He is an extraordinary animal both from his heavy shearing record and his wonderful constitution. His shering record is as follows: First fleece, 22½ lbs; Second fleece 33¾ lbs; Third fleece, 36lbs. 7 oz. He had a hard season, and it is a wonder he did so well." The heaviest fleece sheared from a ewe taken from a 3 year old owned by W. H. Burton of Addison, and weighed 22 pounds, being 5½ pounds heavier than any other ewe fleece at the festival.

Baker & Hall's soda fountain has commenced gushing for the summer of 1884.

We have a few extra copies of the Tecumseh Directory for sale at one dollar each.

Jim Cole, the "boss butcher," had the first cucumbers of the season on sale Saturday last.

We are under obligations to Congressman Eldredge for several "pub. docs" recently sent us.

Ed. E. J. Leahy, wife and daughter, and Miss Knittel, of Monroe, were the guests of Henry Smith over Sunday.

Remember the change in date of the Michael Erle play. It will be presented on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, May 13th and 14th.

The regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., takes place to morrow evening. Work in third degree. Let there be a full attendance.

County Clerk Hunter passed last Sabbath with his Tecumseh friends. He returned on the morning train Monday, and before doing so invested in a copy of our new Directory.

We intended to be present at the sheep shearing in Macon last Tuesday but the storm at noon disarranged our plans and hence we have no report of the meeting in to-day's paper.

L. F. Wheeler expects to go to the Catskills this summer to take views for B. L. Rider, one of the leading photograph artists of Chicago. Upon his return in September he will probably work in Rider's gallery.

Wm. DeMott is continually enlarging the list of policy holders in the old Northwestern Mutual Life. Several endowment policies which he issued fifteen years ago will fall in this summer. These endowment policies are becoming very popular.

Tecumseh is becoming more and more metropolitan every day. A Chinaman has rented the building belonging to G. W. Grillith, on Pearl street, near his blacksmith shop and will open a laundry there. He rejoices in the poetical name of Tang Lee.

Mrs. Leroy Dibble, of Alba, Mich., has been sojourning among her acquaintances in Franklin for a week or two. Mr. Dibble is running a general store at Alba and is one of the leading business men of that thriving village. Mrs. Dibble returned home last Tuesday.

Last Thursday night Tecumseh was visited with a big blow. Several signs were torn down, while barrels, boxes and other movable articles were promiscuously scattered around. A part of the east wall of Anderson's dry goods store was blown down but no serious damage was done.

The Mich. Elastic Paint & Roofing Co., are doing some large jobs of roof-painting now, having just finished the Quaker mill and other buildings for W. Comfort, are working on the Globe mill and other buildings for Wm. Hayden. Business men appreciate the benefit derived by having their roofs painted.

N. M. Sutton is making extensive improvements upon his Patterson farm south of the village. He is building a large amount of new fence and opening a lane across the entire farm from the railroad to the Adrian road opposite his homestead farm. The stumps in the south-west corner field are being blasted and taking out.

Dr. E. Hause returned from Florida last Friday and will remain here during the summer. He still claims Tecumseh as home, although he has invested all his means in Florida and will make that state a permanent winter residence. The Doctor is highly elated with his business success there thus far and that latitude evidently agrees with both his pocket and his health.

P. B. Swick has obtained the letters patent for his new tug strap. It is a genuine patent with the red ribbon and big seal attached, dated April 29, 1884. Mr. Swick has undoubtedly got a good invention and we hope he has "struck it rich." He will perfect arrangements as rapidly as possible to manufacture the strap and place it on the market or sell territorial rights.

Adrian Press: El. Gray, who run over from the bogs of Ireland to his home in Tecumseh, last week, will soon return. He has a position at Sligo, as general agent for American flour, and disposed of many car loads. He possibly will establish a branch importing house, though that is not yet decided upon, for the shipment of Irish whiskey. He brought over samples, which have wonderfully pleased several parties, and they are considering the question of a regular supply. El. says it will make a man fight or be funny in ten minutes, and after testing it at the republican state convention, Lucius Lilley of Tecumseh, and Jo. Bennett, of this city, determined to order each a barrel, it having no tendency to arouse their combativeness, but imparts to them a spirit of such pleasant hilarity and grim humor that they regard it very favorably. At least this is Gray's version of it, but it is more than likely he is trying to guy somebody, as American whiskey ought to equal any made in the whole world.

COUNTY CONDENSATIONS.

Ogden Center has got the mumps.

Morenci is going to have a bicycle club.

Circuit Court is in session this week at Adrian.

The Deerfield Catholic church has a new pastor.

Medina will purchase four town road scrapers.

The Adrian Band took the cake at New Orleans.

Straw hats are beginning to make their appearance.

The G. A. R. of Morenci will celebrate Decoration day.

The new roller mill at Weston has commenced operations.

These frosty nights and summer days are bad for the wheat.

The Seneca cheese factory is now making ten cheese per day.

The Weston doctors report it "distressingly" healthy in that locality.

The Hudson Gazette man has been feasting on fresh North river shad.

John Kinsel of Adrian will make candy with a gas engine this summer.

Agricultural implement dealers are preparing for a lively trade this season.

The I. O. O. F. band of Blissfield will give a grand concert at an early day.

The Deerfield Good Templars Lodge will meet hereafter on Monday evenings.

The Morenci Common Council are in a muddle over special sidewalk taxes.

The Democratic county convention will be held at Adrian, on Saturday, June 7th.

The German laborers imported by some Morenci citizens are beginning to arrive.

Frank Sutton, an old Morenci boy, owns an interest in the Marine City Reporter.

Morenci has a new band of eleven members with eleven brand new instruments.

Scarlet fever is raging to such an extent in Riga thatth e schools have been closed.

Geo. W. Larwill of the Adrian Times has been appointed Circuit Court stenographer.

The Adrian band since their return from New Orleans have received a purse of $350 from admiring friends.

The "corner drug store" of Adrian is likely to take a prominent part in Lenawee county politics this season.

Dr. McFarland, dentist, of Blissfield, has discovered a new and improved "anaesthetic" which renders tooth-pulling a painless process.

W. A. Underwood of Adrian was chosen one of the delegates from this district to the June Convention at Chicago. He is understood to be for Blaine.

Alderman B. S. Barnes, of Adrian, is building a new furniture factory which will be the best equipped establishment of the kind in Southern Michigan.

A roof has been put over the Adrian water works well and the grounds nicely graded. The supply of water is insufficient, but that is a matter of small consequence.

Arrangements have been made for a special excursion from Adrian to Portland, Oregon, and return via the Northern Pacific R. R. May 21st. For particulars address J. H. Blain, Adrian, Michigan.

The Blissfield Advance came out last week with a new spring dress. We are glad to notice this evidence of prosperity on the part of our Blissfield neighbor. Bro. Samsen runs a good paper and his patrons appreciate it.

Morenci Observer: The Bohemian oat men took their departure from this village last Tuesday morning, promising to be back again to attend to their "patients" in July. They succeeded in doing a snug amount of business in this region.

Since the last job of safe-cracking at North Adams, the business men of that town have very little faith in these inventions as a protection against burglars. One merchant has placed on his safe the following label: "Please don't bu'st it; here is the combination—20, 50, 100."

Hudson Gazette: The sporting fraternity are exercising great vigilance these days to prevent illegal fishing and hunting. A sharp watch is kept upon fishing parties at the numerous lakes in this vicinity, and there is an evident intention to enforce the laws pertaining to these sports.

Hudson Gazette: The town has got back to old time. We are a little out of cog with the P. O. and R. R., but a great deal more in harmony with the habits and ideas of our people generally. Those who labor ten hours or from sun to sun, prefer something like an even start with Old Sol.

Deerfield Record:—Geo. Stone has just run off his second grist of chickens from his patent incubator, which resulted far more successfully than the first. From 204 eggs 172 lively chicks were hatched, or about 84 per cent., which is better than the average number hatched by hens. Mr. Stone has about 450 chicks.

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The Growth and Present Condition of one of Tecumseh's Leading Industries.

One of the most flourishing among the many business interests of Tecumseh at the present time is Heck Brothers' Roller Mill. The "Old Red Mill" as it was known for many years, was the first mill erected in the village. The original mill was built near the present site in the spring of 1828, two years after the first settlement.—French burrs were too costly then and two stones were procured from a large boulder which was found about one mile east of there. The proprietors of the new mill, Wing, Evans & Brown, completed their work on the third of July. On the morning of the 4th Jesse Osborn cut some ripe wheat on his place in the west part of the village, threshed it with a flail, took it to the new mill, where it was turned into flour, and Mrs. Gen. Brown made a batch of biscuit from this flour the same afternoon. The first 4th of July celebration ever held in Tecumseh was on that day. In the summer of 1832 a larger mill was built, having five run of stone, and which was styled the "Red Mill." It was the best flouring mill in the interior of the territory at that time, and farmers brought their grists to its hopper from as far west as Sturgis prairie. The property passed through various hands until February, 1867, when it was destroyed by fire. In June, 1868, Hamilton Brothers bought the property and erected the present building. The sad death of Geo. W. Hamilton, by drowning, made a change necessary, and the present firm came into possession on the 8th of January, 1876.—James H. and William C. Heck have been practical millers for thirty years. They take charge of the mill itself. John A., the third partner has the general business supervision. The firm is an exceedingly strong one, and the business under their control has become very profitable.

The building is forty by sixty-five feet in size, with a full basement story and three floors above. The power is furnished by three large turbine water wheels, one of which runs the rolls, one the machinery, and the third the burr which is used for a feed run.—There are fourteen sets of rolls and the mill is equipped with all the improved machinery and latest inventions applicable to the milling business. The aim of the firm is to keep "up with the times" and adopt every improvement in milling as soon as it appears. The feed burr is enclosed in a separate room by which all the dust arising therefrom is kept from the rest of the machinery. The rolls were put in about one year ago, and since then the mill has been running almost continuously. The present capacity is from two hundred to two hundred and fifty barrels per day. Last summer the "farmers' exchange" system was adopted, by which flour is given in exchange for wheat. Their home trade has more than doubled under this system, and their local custom, including Tecumseh and other towns in this vicinity, aggregated 5,000 barrels during the first four months of this year. They have controlled for some time a large export trade which is constantly increasing. Since the first season of their ownership of this property they have shipped flour quite extensively into many towns of New England—and in 1878 they made their first shipment of flour to Ireland, and since that period scarcely a month has elapsed that has not seen a shipment of "Heck Bros." flour cross the Atlantic. On Saturday last John A. Heck sailed from New York, his destination being Sligo and other Irish cities. He will personally interview his customers on the "old sod" and endeavor to perfect some arrangement for a more regular system of purchases. One embarrassment connected with the export trade is its fluctuating character. Some weeks not an order is booked. Again orders come pouring in which cannot possibly be filled. An arrangement which would enable the miller to furnish a definite number of barrels each week would be a convenience to both purchaser and seller. We confidently believe that Mr. Heck will be successful in his mission.

Three things are necessary to make good flour:—First, Good practical millers. Secondly, Good milling machinery. Thirdly, Good wheat. The first two requisites must be supplied by the miller, the third by the wheat raiser. Eight or ten years ago Michigan flour was a drug in the market. Minnesota flour commanded from ten to twenty per cent. more in Eastern markets than Michigan flour would sell for. Our mills were inferior and the quality of wheat grown here was inferior also. Clawson and other grades of white wheat injured the milling business. Our Michigan farmers are now waking up to this fact. They must grow strong red wheat, if they would furnish our home mills with flour of a grade to compete with Northwest and foreign flour.—Lancaster, Egyptian and Morgan wheat not only make a better but even a whiter flour than Clawson wheat. The "Heck Bros." furnish the first two requisites to the manufacture of good flour; now let our farmers furnish the third. In conclusion we can only wish that this enterprising firm may continue their business for many years to come.

TECUMSEH AMATEURS.

"Micheal Erle" is in constant rehearsal, each member of the company is working hard and consequently everything points towards the production at the Opera House next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, being a most successful affair. The company, with a true eye to business, will give an exhibition drill in front of the Opera House each evening, which will no doubt attract large crowds. The castle of characters is one that will give this play a rendition of which the Tecumseh audiences can well be proud. Mr. Chapman is loud in his praise of the people under his coaching and promises much. Each evening's entertainment is to conclude with one of the funniest of comedies entitled "The Marble Statue" or "The Secret Marriage" which is a guarantee of considerable mirth. Popular prices are the rule and as this is our last edition previous to the production, we wish the boys their deserved success and hope to be able next week to record such.

Five Hundred Riddles.

We have just received a handsome little book with the above title, which contains the material for much fun and home amusment in the way of Riddles, Conundrums, Enigmas, and Hints for Acting Charades. If parents desire to have their children amused, and also amuse themselves, they can not do better than to send for this book. It contains 120 pages, with handsome paper cover, and will be sent by mail, post-paid, to any address, upon receipt of 15 cents, by J. S. OGILVIE & Co., Publishers, 31 Rose Street, New York.

L. B. Ayres has purchased a lot between Lon Chapman's and W. F. Kennedy's, on Pearl street, and has begun the erection of a fine two story house thereon.

The Common Council had a meeting last evening and transacted considerable business. The official proceedings will appear next week.

—Seed Potatoes—Early Gem and Ohio, St. Patrick, White Elephant, Dunmore, Snow Flake, Burbank, &c. Prices low. Slayton & Son.

—Notice. David Jones has moved his renovating establishment to the store lately occupied by Peter Welling, on Railroad street, and will be pleased to have his friends call and see him. D. JONES.

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—We are bound to suit all; S. W. Temple sells the Ohio and Grand Rapids Plaster at the same price.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Mrs. B. Jones, at her rooms over Adamson's jewelry store, has the most complete stock of Hair Goods ever brought to Tecumseh. Call and examine goods and learn prices.

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—Masons and Others Attention.—Sample some of that lime sold by S. W. Temple and you will use no other.

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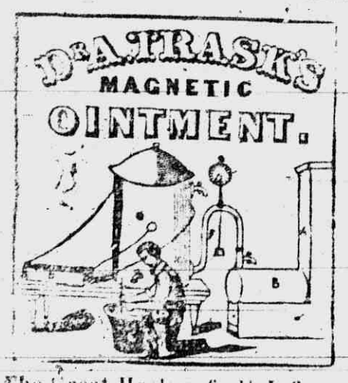

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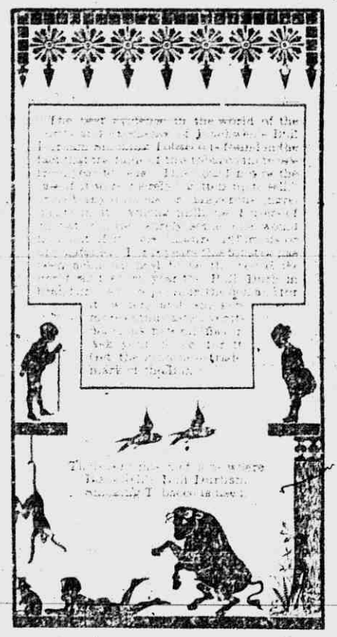

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—The Roman Catholic clergy no longer oppose cremation, which is becoming very common in Italy.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—It is said that eight sons of the late President Nathan Lord were graduated from Dartmouth college during his incumbency of the office. Only one, Colonel Nathan Lord, Jr., now survives.

—An industrial school for colored youth, similar to one at Hampton, Va., is to be established near Jacksonville, Fla. Prominent gentlemen are interested in the scheme.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—The Wesleyan Christian Temperance Union of Ontario has proposed for the entire Dominion a temperance text-book in the schools, and some of the that there will be grabbing.

—Two years ago a Presbyterian Church consisting of one family was organized at Maysville, Kan. It now has sixty members on its roll, of whom twenty-one have been added since last October.—*Christian Union.*

—The free church experiment is being tried pretty widely by the episcopal churches of Boston. Of the twenty-two churches and chapels in that city, thirteen are "free," and in the diocese [illegible] are "free." Through new buildings converted or opened during the past year, all but one are "free."—*Boston Journal.*

—If you ask me why it is that after 1,800 years four parts out of five of the whole globe are without the knowledge of Jesus Christ, and why Christianity is yet a matter of debate, it is because men have stifled the emphasis of the Gospel. They have put for the Gospel things that are not the Gospel, and have never yet, as it were, understood what was the real force of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.—*Henry Ward Beecher.*

—The *Christian at Work* asks the question "Why do females preponderate in the membership of our churches? Out of 52,000 members of the Congregational denomination, 35,000 or 68 per cent. are females, leaving only 17 per cent. males. What is the reason of all this? The Congregational denomination is the only one that tabulates its membership by sexes, but we suppose a like proportion to exist in the other non-Episcopal churches. What is the reason? Do not men become religious as readily as women?—then why? Or does the church not adapt its work as well to men as to women?"

—The "Baptist Handbook for 1884" has recently been published. Among the features of general interest is a summary of statistics of Baptist Churches throughout the world. Since 1878, the first year in which such a summary was compiled, there has been a very marked progress. There were in 1882 31,296 churches, as against 28,501 in 1878; 19,338 ministers and missionaries, as against 17,085; and 2,000,000 members, as against 1,600,000. The net gain from [illegible] churches, ministers and members, fewer than [illegible] in the other years. The demand for the Baptist Year Book is now so great that it is selling at a premium of 50 per cent. for [illegible]. There are 1,800 Sunday-schools [illegible] and 1,600,000 scholars. The papers and tracts and the evangelists reach the figures [illegible]. Arranged under the four grand divisions, the membership is as follows: England, 2,[illegible]; Wales, 78,748; Scotland, [illegible]; Ireland, 1,514.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—"Crooked courtships," says the Philadelphia *Call*, "are not to be called be cause they are sold on tick." It is probable, however, they are watched so carefully.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Emma Abbott says the voice of a prima donna is as delicate as a new-born babe. And the voice of a new-born babe is as delicate as a prima donna. That is to say, it is very loud.—*Boston Transcript.*

Over the piano in the parlor of an Eastern hotel changes a placard in serried as follows: "Inexperienced performers are requested to deny themselves the use of this instrument."—*Chicago Herald.*

—An overflowing ball at Norwich, N. Y., awaited John B. Gough one evening, while hundreds of people unable to gain admittance, were turned from the door. People came many miles to hear him, one man driving over one hundred miles on wretched roads for that purpose only. Then, John B. Gough didn't come.—*Buffalo Express.*

"De man what tries ter do right jes' cause he is afeerd of de debil, may airter awh'le find dat de debil ain' in no great hurry ter punish him, an' den do wrong. I ain' got no respect fur forced ingun. De man what am raised in a hotehouse ain' nigh so sweet an' de fruit what yer gits outen de orchard."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—"Why, Mr. Jenkins, I thought you were in the hospital," exclaimed a pretty Washington girl to her caller. "In the hospital?" he queried, with genuine State Department inflection. "What made you think that?" "Why, papa said at breakfast this morning that he never saw a man shoot off his mouth like you did yesterday."—*Washington Post.*

—A Connecticut Yankee has invented an air-gun which he claims will throw cannon balls ten miles. It strikes us that his air gun is an infringement on a Western cyclone. If the Western papers don't exaggerate, the latter will throw a two-story house twenty-four miles, and the roof of a barn still farther; and the cyclone "scatters" more than the Yankee's invention, too.—*Buffalo Express.*

It was in the editorial room of the London *Times*: "Do you think my foot will have to be amputated, doctor?" asked the editor-in-chief, faintly. "I am afraid so," replied the physician; "it is very badly hurt, but I may be able to save it. How did you manage to crush your foot in this way?" "The boy dropped the proof of one of my editorials on it."—*Philadelphia Call.*

A lady asked a learned professor, if he understood Chinese. He did. "Well, what is 'mouth' in Chinese?" "Mouth is k'ou." A week later the lady suddenly asked the professor: "What is kitchen door in Chinese?" "It is k'ou." "Very remarkable. A week ago you said 'mouth' is k'ou." "Quite so," answered the professor; "what ever opens and shuts is k'ou in Chinese."—*Chicago Times.*

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Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 16. Mail.	No. 18. Express.	No. 48. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 35 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 42 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 55 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 05 P.M.	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 "	10 02 "	7 50 "
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A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
5 20	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
5 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
4 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
4 04	6 31	11 32	....Ridgeway....	3 30	10 06	4 02
3 25	6 41	11 43	....Tecumseh....	3 19	9 57	3 42
3 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
2 30	7 10	12 15	....Cambridge....	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				A.M.
2 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P.M.		
2 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
1 50	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
1 40	8 05	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P.M.						P.M.
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P.M.
12 05	8 10	1 52	....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
11 50	8 22	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
11 30	8 42	2 34	....Ceresco....	12 25	7 19	9 46
11 20	8 50	2 50	....Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
11 05		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
10 55		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
10 46		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
10 35		3 57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
10 22		4 16	....Montcalm....	10 49		6 15
10 10		4 27	....Fisk....	10 39		5 55
10 00		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
9 55		4 45	Ar...Allegan...Lv	10 20		5 15
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	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 26	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 01	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bakersley		12 48	6 39
Butler	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
Butler	2 10	8 05	2 27
Bakersley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 46	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
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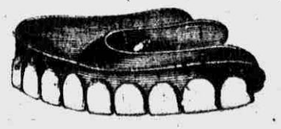

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Judge Andrew Mansette, one of the best known jurists in Arkansas, after an adjournment of the Historical Society, the other night, related the following story to a party of friends who lingered in the chamber of odd old manuscripts:

While a young man, I was not looked upon as one of those hard-working, plodding boys who never fail to make a reputation in youth and lose it in manhood. The fact is I was rather wild, and, by certain people whose lives were spent in the straight jacket of narrow-minded opinion, not regarded as particularly top hint. One, or two of our most prominent arm-rs went so far as to say that I sometimes drank too much, but what quantity in those days was regarded as too much, I was not at that time, and never did I now, ask to determine.

One day I went to town, a little village in the northern part of the State, and yielding to the allurements of metropolitan life, I remained until late in the evening. Night came on shortly after I started home, and with the darkness, a heavy rain. About half way between town and my father's house, stood an old log church, small enough in the day, to say nothing of a night like this, but it afforded the only means of shelter from the downpour of rain. I stopped, dismounted and stood in the doorway, holding my bridle reins. I cast my eye around rather nervously and attempted to penetrate the deep gloom of the interior, for although I was not afraid, yet I felt that strange, unspeakable dread which occasions often cause to settle upon the most courageous of men. After awhile, just a vivid flash of lightning lit up the place, I looked around again, standing near the pulpit, with long hair dishevelled with ghastly face and strange eyes, stood a woman, dressed in robes of flowing white. I was startled, but a moment afterward, when total darkness came again, I persuaded myself that it must have been only a fancy, still I kept my eyes turned back, in dreadful fascination. Another flash. The figure, with arms outstretched, with face of deathly pallor, and with hair streaming in tangled masses, approached slowly down the aisle. I knew that if I ran away and ever told my experience, people would laugh at me, and though by this time I was somewhat frightened, yet I was determined to wait awhile longer and be fully convinced. It was some time before there was another flash, but I stood, gazing intently. The church was again lit with a dazzling glare, and the woman was in a few feet from where I stood, just in the act of throwing her arms around me. My horse snorted and pulled me from the doorway. There was no longer any mistake, and, though this may have been a fancy, my hair pushed my hat off. Anyway, the hat fell, and too terrified to regain it, I sprang upon my horse and dashed away, letting the animal out, as the saying is. How I dashed over logs and among trees without being killed is a wonder, but realizing the road the horse seemed to fly. About three miles from the church lived old Mr. Gantling, with whom I was acquainted, and reaching his house, I dismounted, hitched my horse and almost burst into the room. The old gentleman had not gone to bed, and seeing me in a heated and doubtless noticing myright, he started up and exclaimed:

"Why, Andrew, what in the world is the matter?"

"I've seen a ghost."

"What," with surprise, for he knew that I was not given to superstition. "Have seen a ghost?"

"Yes, sir; at the old church." I then related my experience, during which recital the family gathered around me.

"That was certainly very strange," said the old man when I had finished, "but are you certain that it was not a fancy?"

"I would bet my life on its being a fact. It was a ghost just as sure as you live."

"Well, let's put up your horse. Stay all night, and in the morning, we'll go and investigate."

I couldn't sleep. Every time I succeeded in persuading myself into a doze, that face, with it's startling eyes, unearthly expression and deathly complexion, came up before me. No one ever welcomed the sunlight more than I did that morning, and yet I dreaded to go back to the church.

After breakfast, partaken of heartily by every one but me, the old gentleman and I mounted our horses and proceeded toward the church. I must have presented a comical appearance, for I wore a child's hat above an agitated expression. My hat had not fallen off where I thought it had, or perhaps the wind might have blown it, but we found it in the road, almost covered with the damp earth, which the heavy rain had beaten around it. Just before reaching the church, we met a man who lived in the neighborhood. He seemed greatly distressed. Turning to my companion he said:

"Have you seen anything of my poor, demented daughter? She left home several days ago, although we watched her closely, and has not been heard of since. I could never give my consent for her to be taken to an asylum."

A flash of intelligence, instead of a flash of lightning, now appeared, and Mr. Gantling, turning to me remarked:

"Andrew, she is the ghost you saw in the church last night."

We proceeded to the church, and there behind the pulpit, knelt the poor girl. She had gone crazy on the subject of religion. If my fright had not been thus explained, no reasoning, even unto this day, could have convinced me that I had not seen a ghost.—*Arkansas Traveler.*

—A new plan of dividing the year is proposed by Dr. Théodore Simon, of Auburn, N. Y., who says it should begin with March 1, the beginning of spring. This, he argues, would bring our artificial "civic" year, so called, into harmony with the year of nature. It would begin its "March" with the awakening of plant life; September, October, November and December would, in reality, be the seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth months; and the year would come to a close with February, which would become with more reason what its meaning indicates—a time for expiation.

A Tragic Event.

A Father's Despair and Self-Inflicted Death. His Son's Final Rescue, Too Late to Save His Parent.

The graphic occurrence that is described below is one of the most remarkable episodes in the domestic history of America. It is absolute truth which can readily be verified.

The inhabitants of the pleasant town of Courtland, N. Y., were shocked one morning by the announcement that Mr. Clinton Rindge, one of their most prominent citizens, had committed suicide. The news spread rapidly and aroused the entire neighborhood where Mr. Rindge was so well and favorably known. At first it seemed impossible that any one so quiet and domestic could do so rash a deed, and the inquiry was heard on every side as to the cause. The facts as developed on investigation proved to be as follows:

Mr. Rindge was domestic in his tastes and took the greatest enjoyment in the society of his children and pride in their development. And indeed he had good reason to be proud for they gave promise of long lives of success and usefulness. But an evil day came. His youngest son, William, began to show signs of an early decay. He felt unusually tired each day, and would sometimes sleep the entire afternoon if permitted to do so. His head pained him, not acutely, but with a dull, heavy feeling. There was a sinking sensation at the pit of his stomach. He lost all relish for food and much of his interest for things about him. He tried manfully to overcome these feelings, but they seemed stronger than his will. He began to loose flesh rapidly. The father became alarmed and consulted physicians as to the cause of his son's illness, but they were unable to explain. Finally severe sores broke out on his arms and he was taken to Buffalo where a painful operation was performed resulting in the loss of much blood but affording little relief. The young man returned home and a council of physicians was called. After an exhaustive examination they declared there was no hope of final recovery and that he must die within a very few days. To describe the agony which this announcement caused the father would be impossible. His mind failed to grasp its full meaning at first; then finally seemed to comprehend it, but the load was too great. In an agony of frenzy he seized a knife and took his own life, preferring death rather than to survive his idolized son. At that time William Rindge was too weak to know what was transpiring. His face had turned black, his breath ceased entirely at times, and his friends waited for his death believing that the fiend Bright's disease of the kidneys, from which he was suffering, could not be removed. In this supreme moment William's sister came forward and declared she would make a final attempt to save her brother. The doctors interposed assuring her it was useless and she would only hasten the end by the means she proposed to employ. But she was firm, and putting all back, approached her brother's side and administered a remedy which she fortunately had on hand. Within an hour he seemed more easy, and before the day was over he showed signs of decided improvement. These favorable signs continued, and to-day William B. Rindge is well, having been virtually raised from the dead through the marvelous power of Warner's Safe Cure, as can be readily verified by any citizen of Courtland.

Any one who reflects upon the facts above described must have a feeling of sadness. The father, dead by his own hand, supposing his son's recovery to be impossible; the son restored to health to mourn the loss of his father and the agonized relatives with a memory of sadness to forever darken their lives. Had Clinton Rindge known that his son could recover he would to-day be alive and happy, but the facts which turned his brain and caused him to commit suicide were such as any one would accept as true.

However sad this case may be, the truth remains that thousands of people are at this moment in as great actual peril as William Rindge and in as great danger of causing misery if not death to their friends. Liver and kidney diseases are become the most common and most dangerous of any or all modern complaints. They are the most deceptive in their beginnings and horrible in their final stages. They are far more deceptive than Consumption, and can rarely be detected even by skillful physicians unless a microscopic analysis be resorted to, and few doctors understand how to do this. Their slightest approach, or possibility of approach should strike terror to the one who is threatened as well as to all his or her friends. These diseases have no distinct symptoms, but come in the form of lassitude, loss of appetite, aching muscles and joints, dull head aches, pains in the back, stomach and chest, sour stomach, recurring signs of colds, irregular pulsations of the heart, and frequent dizziness. If neglected, these symptoms are certain to run into chronic kidney and liver or Bright's disease, from which there is sure to be a great amount of agony and only one means of escape, which is by the use of Warner's Safe Cure. The importance of taking this great remedy upon the slightest appearance of any of the above symptoms cannot be too strongly impressed upon the minds of all our readers who desire to escape death and pain and prolong life with all its pleasures and blessings.

The Michigan congressmen have asked the president to appoint Harry S. Smith, of Kalamazoo, visitor to the naval academy at Annapolis.

A Pure and Reliable Medicine—A compound fluid extract of roots, leaves, barks and berries is Burdock Blood Bitters. They cure all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys.

Harry Bell, a school teacher at Mt. Vernon, has been arrested for forging and uttering a $45 order.

For Earache, Toothache, Sore throat Swelled Neck, and the results of colds and inflamation, use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the great pain destroyer.

Navigation is completely opened at Charlevoix. Steam tug Kitty Smoke reached there from Manistee yesterday, for work in the harbor.

A Blessing To All Mankind

In these times when these newspapers are flooded with patent medicine advertisements, it is gratifying to know what to procure that will certainly cure you. If you are Bilious, blood out of order, Liver inactive, or generally debilitated; there is nothing in the world that will cure you so quickly as Electric Bitters. They are a blessing to mankind, and can be had for only fifty cents a bottle.

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Austina Schoultz, sister of Herman Schoultz, murdered near East Tawas, is reported to have become crazed by the tragedy, as is also Dennis Grice an estimated citizen of Tawas City.

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Buchanan isn't a sleepy town by any means, but it will make 100,000 bedsteads this year.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

R. S. Thompson, prominent Monroe merchant, is about removing to Devil's Lake, Dakota.

HUMAN BLOOD.—On the purity and vitality of the blood depend the vigor and health of the whole system. Disease of various kinds is often only the sign that nature is trying to remove the disturbing cause. A remedy that gives life and vigor to the blood, eradicates scrofula and other impurities from it, as Hood's Sarsaparilla undoubtedly does, must be the means of preventing many diseases that would occur without its use. Sold by dealers.

The work of transcribing the records for the new county of Arenac is almost completed.

Sprains, Lameness, Pains and Stitches, Weak Back or Disease of the Spine will be immediately relieved on application of a Hop Plaster over the affected part. It's penetrative power is wonderful. Warranted to be the best made.

Hamilton & Foster, of Flint, have sold 40 fine Hereford bulls to an Abilene, Ks., firm.

Rheumatism is the most subtle and excruciating disease flesh is heir to. Neuralgia, sharper and more erratic, is as much of an enigma. Science has proved very noncommittal when asked to reveal a specific for them. But at last she has consented. Athlophoros is the touchstone she has provided. H. S. Chandler, of The Independent New York, says that "one bottle of Athlophoros entirely cured him of Rheumatism, from which he had suffered for a year and a half."

Forty converts are the result of J. C. Higgins' revival meetings at Evart.

A Long Snooze.

Rip Van Winkle slept a good while, yet his sleep occurred about 50 years ago, when Down's Elixir first attained its reputation, on awakening he would have been able to recognize this friend of the afflicted, and might have taken another twenty-years nap, and waked up to find Down's Elixir at the end of half a century the most popular and the best Cough Remedy known. Also Baxter's Bitters for Bilious diseases, not so old, but good.

Flint will have a new roller rink, 70x125 feet in size. It will be of brick.

The Great American Chorus.

Sneezing, snuffling and coughing! This is the music all over the land just now. And will be until June. "I've got such an awful cold in my head." Cure it with Ely's Cream Balm or it may end in the toughest form of Catarrh. Maybe you have the catarrh now. Nothing is more nauseous and dreadful. This remedy masters it as no other did. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Applied by the finger to the nostrils. Pleasant, certain, radical.

Rev. E. H. Teal, pastor of the Charlotte baptist church, has resigned.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

Jas. Miller, of Ann Arbor teamster, was arrested and fined $5 and costs yesterday for pounding a flagman who warned him against crossing the track in front of a train.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles; Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

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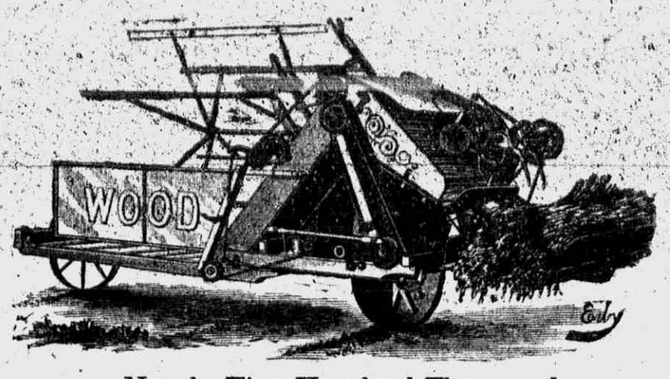

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When babies fret and cry by turns, What cures their colic, kills their worms? But Castoria.

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THE FRENCH METROPOLIS.

We are permitted to take the following extracts from a letter written by Miss Lizzie Hayden to her friends at home

PARIS, April 8, 1884

The weather has been somewhat rainy since we reached Paris. Although we have been here one week to-night we have not seen many of the sights. I know you all at home are just as ignorant as I am about the French names for the public places. To-day we visited the Notre Dame and Sainte Chapelle, the former ranks as the finest French cathedral, its exterior is perfectly very artistic but looks rather cheap, the towers are not completed which gives it a heavy look. The main beauty of the interior lies in the stained glass windows. The supporting pillars are huge and numerous. The ceiling is vaulted and without decoration. There was a funeral service while we were there so we could not see quite as much as we desired, and we were also disappointed about seeing the coronation robes of Napoleon First, they showed us some which they declared to be the same, but they are not a bit like the pictures we have seen, and both uncle and aunt are certain they are not the robes they saw twelve years ago.

Sant Chapelle, but as a monument to the memory, and for the relics of Saint Louis, is a gorgeous little chapel. The sides and end are entirely of stained glass, dados and frescoes glitter with gold and are colored very brilliantly. Its many decorations are more like a theatre than a church. This chapel is the one that stood unharmed amidst the flames that destroyed all the surrounding buildings. They were in ruins twelve years ago when work was begun but have all been rebuilt and enclose the little church like protecting walls. One day we drove about the city by the government buildings, and where the Tuileries used to stand stood the Champ Elysees, prolonged like chanse-bosie a promenade and drive extending from the gardens of the Tuileries to the Triumphal Arch, a distance of about two and three-quarter miles. Passing the arch we turned toward the Bois de Boulogne or park. It resembles an American forest only it is kept in perfect order and no fallen trees or rotten stumps to be seen. It has the prettiest artificial lake, a grotto with waterfall, and all the usual adornments of a park. In extent it greatly surpasses Central Park of New York.

The Louvre is the gallery of art and pictures. The Madeleine, Chaise and Bois Marche are similar to Wacks only far more extensive.

The Colonne Vendome is a monument by a Napoleon made of the cannon of the Austrians and Russians, to commemorate some victory. It is down on the [illegible] and protected again and restored.

The Legislative [illegible] are the Madeleine [illegible] Greek temple.

Last Sunday in the afternoon I went to a place called [illegible] they used to attend when [illegible] in Paris last. It was very pleasant to hear the familiar hymns and prayers and I could almost fancy [illegible] when they sang "Nearer my God to Thee" and "Softly now the light of day" it brought such associations so strongly.

Michael Bernays, a Spaniard, accompanied Henry Hayden and party as courier through Spain and France. If any one anticipates taking a trip through these countries they cannot do better than to communicate with him at Gibraltar, Spain.

HOW TO HELP OUR CHILDREN.

You have seen the tender little vine putting forth its branches at the foot of the majestic tree. It seems to look longingly up to the boughs of that tree, as if it would twine its arms about them. That is where its nature fits it to dwell, but between it and them there is a wide space, how is it to get up there? If left to conquer the space alone it will stretch its arms in vain, it will fall down exhausted and basely fasten itself upon the weeds and blades of grass within its reach. But bend down a bough of that tree within its reach and see how quickly it will fasten upon it and climb up to the proudest heights of that tree.

So with our children. They are not men and women, they are only children, but their nature fits them to rest among the thoughts of men and women to a great extent, if only they can be lifted up to them. If left to conquer the intervening space, they will fall back exhausted and basely fasten upon the noxious weeds within their reach. What they need is a bough bent down within their reach, upon which they may fasten themselves and climb up to the proud height of manly and womanly thought.

The lesson is manifest. We ought to mingle more with our children. We ought to try to enter more fully into their feelings and thoughts. In this way we can get hold of them and lift them up gradually to our level. If Paul could become "all things to all men in order to save some," surely we can get down to the level of our children occasionally in order to lift them up, without any sacrifice of proper dignity. The trouble is that we have too little to do with our children. We do not interest ourselves in their thoughts and feelings. We shove them from us when they come to us with their questions and their troubles, just as though such things were beneath our notice. The result is that our children are left to mingle only with children, think the thoughts of children, and do whatever foolish thing the young dead lion to do. Then we wonder why they grow up to be school boys and school girls, they take no interest in our affairs, despise good literature and good society, and good religion, and good political entertainments, and prize nothing but childish nonsense! Can we wonder that they have no aspirations to great deeds and noble thoughts? We are only reaping the harvest which we have sown. If we would have it otherwise, we must go down to the level of children thought and feeling and help them up to our level.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

P. R. Gillespie raised a barn last Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Keyser of Ypsilanti is visiting at W. B. Keyser's.

On Tuesday one inch and fourteen hundredths of water fell as reported by L. G. North.

Mrs. F. W. DePuy started for an extended visit in N. Y. state last Tuesday.

A letter from Geo. Adams a former student on the C. T. Line now night operator at Mahoning O., on the N. Y. L. E. & W. reports himself as well and business good.

Five years ago Mr. Ruby Wither also lost a pocketbook containing about $150. He made diligent search but failed to find it and gave up for a total loss. Not long since one of his neighbors was passing a certain house and heard a girl talking between two women. One said to the other, "your husband better go and pay Mr. Wither that money he found." This led to the whereabouts and the money was received with compound interest. Moral: Husbands do not take your wives when you find a pocketbook.

Mr. Stone (Sam) of Franklin was in town the Fore and Saginaw Co. by [illegible] of his mother.

Mrs. Wm. Briggs and Mrs. Chas. Fairchild Maynard were the guests of Mrs. R. Maynard Bowen Brothers last week.

Hezekiah Stinson Deputy County Treasurer of Kent Co. died May 5th, after a short illness aged [illegible]. He came to Michigan and settled in Rockford in 48 went to California by the overland route in 53, and in the opening of the war found Line in Missouri where he had a narrow escape with a [illegible] Union sympathies. He served several years in the war, then came back to Michigan, and opened the Stinson House at Rockford. He was Supervisor 12 years, Assessor [illegible] years, and held other offices of trust and honor, and was greatly respected by all. Mr. Stinson will be remembered by many of our oldest residents as formerly of Tecumseh. He married the widow of Judge Hoag, and kept a hotel here for some time.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Friday afternoon, May 9th, at 3 o'clock in the Methodist church. Let there be a grand rallying to the meeting, all temperance women as there is important business to bring before the Society. By order of the President.

MRS. J. H. OSBORN, Sec'y.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining unclaimed for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 5, 1884:

[illegible]	Jones, Marcia
[illegible]	Mc[illegible]
Brown, C. A.	Palmer, R. D.
Ross, Ransey J.	Robinson, L. J.
[illegible]	Still, Angie E.
[illegible]	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., May 1, 1884:

Bower, Mrs. Lettie	Mason, Miss Nell
Hunter, Edward	Nichol, Annie
Hand, E.	Pitts, Jesse
Lewis, Miss Alice	Scholzen, Antone
Mills, Mrs. Ellen	Scholzer, H.
Mills, Mrs. Eliza	Winer, Miss Minnie
Stichel, Annie	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples dried, ₱ ℔		@	06
Butter ₱ ℔	25	@	27
Barley ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Beans ₱ bushel	2 25	@	2 50
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat flour, ₱ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	12
Flour, ₱ barrel	6 00	@	7 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ₱ ℔		@	15
Ham ₱ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	10
Oats, ₱ bushel	28	@	35
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	33	@	35
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 30
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		@	90
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel		@	90

Cover Your Heads!

One week ago we opened our new Hat and Cap Department, and although we felt sure of the support of the public in our new venture we were not prepared to see our sales for the week fully double our expectations. Everyone should see our celebrated $1 Hat, which is sold by other dealers at $1.50. This Hat we make our specialty. We purchase such large quantities to supply our different stores that we can well afford to sell them at $1, and still have a fair profit. Our $1.50 Stiff Hats in all the latest shapes, other dealers price $2. Our $2 and $2.50 Hats from the best makers, and our $3, $3.50 and $4 and upwards are all fine imported English Stiff and Soft Hats. Every line we sell at 50 cents less than elsewhere in the city.

C. R. MABLEY & CO.

Confirmation Suits!

We are showing a Large Stock of Suits for boys to wear when taking their first communion. We are offering special bargains in Boys' Dark Suits in all prices. The assortment of styles and patterns is the most varied and extensive we have had for years. Intending purchasers will save themselves time and trouble by coming direct to our store, for they not only have the advantage of our large stock to select from, but will find our prices lower, our goods better made and trimmed, and our styles newer than you can find elsewhere.

JERSEY SUITS!

We have just received a large consignment of imported English Jersey Suits for boys and children. They are durable and stylish. Every mother is invited to call and inspect them.

C. R. MABLEY & CO.

TOLEDO, OHIO.

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EYE Eye and Ear SURGEON. EAR

145 Summit St., Toledo, Ohio.

General Repair Shop!

F. P. Deuel, Proprietor,

Opposite Hayden's Warehouse.

TECUMSEH, MICH.

Is now prepared to do all kinds of repairing in wood or iron. Moulder's patterns made and castings furnished. Saws gummed, straightened filed and set. Clocks cleaned and repaired and warranted. All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. Charges reasonable.

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ESTATE OF JOHN W. HOUSE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 2d day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John W. House deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Robert B. House, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the persons entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26 day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF MONAGHAN MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Laurence C. Monaghan, minors.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Robert B. House, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors, described in said petition, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Silas W. Bass, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 14th day of June, 1884, and on the 28th day of October, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 28th day of April, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

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CHARLES BURRIDGE,
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CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

C. C. Dell, of Battle Creek, is in town.

Clinton wants a Dentist.

Mr. Coddling has moved his family into Elroy Zimmerman's house.

The band consider their new instruments a very fine set.

Mrs. Sterling, who has been visiting Mrs. D. H. Silvers, returned to Detroit Saturday morning.

A Sunday school has been started in the Lancaster school house east of town.

Rev. Kerridge will deliver an address next Sunday evening at his church, on John Knox and the Covenanters.

The Presbyterian social was held at Mrs. Romeroy's Wednesday night.

It is surmised that one of John T. Clark's blooded cattle got loose recently; at least one of his hired men is around with a piece of beefsteak bound over his left eye.

Clinton has no Dr. of Dental Surgery and yet there are some teeth in this community that need repairing.

Bob, Coddling and his brother Wig, have been at work in the Cotton Mill at Jonesville for a few months past. They have, however, recently returned to this town and report that the mill is about to shut down at that place.

We wish that any one that knows of an item of news interesting to the public would mention the matter to the correspondent of this paper.—There will be better local newspapers in this country, when the community finds out that the average local newspaper reporter is not a mind-reader and that he sometimes even misses a dog-fight, especially when out of town.

Charles Parker has been taking baths in Ypsilanti lately for rheumatism and returned to Detroit last Monday, much improved in health and appearance.

Bean & Underwood, of Adrian, were in town last Saturday.

E. VanDeMark says that he set out a bed of asparagus this spring, and that in just 23 days after the roots were put in the ground he cut a large mess from the bed. The writer of this item owns the same surname as the above gentleman and is bound to say that there was never a liar detected in the entire family.

Harrison Johnson was stricken with paralysis last Sunday afternoon. His speech was taken from him; but he is now reported as improving.

Rev. Joseph St. John has been attending an episcopal convention at Hudson, this week.

The band boys have purchased a fine new set of instruments of the Detroit Music Co. We anticipate some good music in the near future.

Rev. E. W. Miller, of the Congregational church is taking a two weeks vacation and is rusticating among the woodchucks in the northern part of the state. Rev. Miller is like Ezekiel Webster—Daniel's elder brother—and and is death on woodchucks. We do not suppose, however, that Mr. Miller will bring any scalps of those harmless animals back with him and claim the bounty this township pays for them.

The ladies social of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held next week at the residence of Mr. Charles Gadd, north of this town.

Frank Scovell and wife, formerly of this place, but who are now living in South Bend, Indiana, are in town visiting for a few weeks. Mr. Scovell has a position in a woolen mill at that place.

Miss Chase, a teacher in Kalamazoo College and formerly a teacher in the schools here has been in town lately in the interest of the college at Kalamazoo.

The Rev. Mr. Bunnell, from the state of New York has been visiting former parishoners in Newberg and preached in the Baptist church here last Sunday morning.

Mr. Marcroft who worked in the woolen mill here while that white elephant breathed, has lately been in a mill at Worcester Mass., but is now in town spending a few weeks with his family.

Frank Butterfield, of Whitmore lake is visiting Dr. Tuttle.

Dr. J. W. Burchard returned from Dalton, New York, Wednesday noon. Mrs. Burchard remained at Dalton and the Dr. will return there the last of this week or the first of next and will bring his wife and mother back with him. His mother intends to make Clinton her future home.

Al. Van Geisen is in Ann Arbor as a Washtenaw juror for this present term of Court.

The woolen mill has declared a dividend this week of 15 per cent. This makes 4 per cent. dividend declared by this prosperous institution during the last 6 months; and still the wheels stand still.

Dr. J. C. Burroughs, the inventor and proprietor of the well known Hoof and Healing Ointment, has recently compounded another horse medicine that he claims will be a bonanza for horses and for the Dr's pocket. The medicine he calls a Heave Tonic, and reports some very stubborn cases of heaves as cured with it. We wish the Dr. success with it and that his face may become as familiar as Lydia E. Pinkham's.

The concert given last Friday and Saturday evenings by the children under the direction of Miss Rose gave general satisfaction. The choruses showed that they had been well drilled and some of the solos and duetts were rendered in a manner worthy of older singers.

In the "Clinton Clippings" of last week, the HERALD readers were told not by your regular correspondent however that on the previous Sunday evening some of our churches closed their doors on account of the rain. It may be a healthful rebuke to overweening self-puffery to let it be known that on the evening in question more than one of our Clinton churches "was alive to its business and was rewarded with a fair congregation for a wet night." For aught I know it may be true of all our churches that they were open and were rewarded with fair congregations for such a night. J. W. PAYNE,

Baptist. Pastor.

MACON MOLECULES.

Addie Crittenden commenced teaching in the Henry district Monday. We bespeak for this district a number one school.

The concert Sunday evening was very good. The program, which consisted largely of songs and readings, was well carried out.

Lyman Thomas is home again, looking hale and hearty.

Wm. Morgan has been on the sick list for the past few days. He is improving, however.

Thomas Quarton came over from Oakland Saturday, and stayed over Sunday. He seems to be well pleased with his new farm.

Quarterly meeting next Sunday. The services will be held at Clinton.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

On Friday evening, May 23d., the Ridgeway Literary will hold the last regular meeting of the present term. A special effort has been made by the committee to have the following program presented in as brief and entertaining a manner as possible:

Music—Society.
Devotional Exercises.
Music—Miss Ida Arner.
Recitation—Miss Lena Swick.
Reading—T. H. Temple.
Music—Juveniles.
Recitation—Miss Nettie Wilson.
Declamation—(sequel to the above recitation)—Will Allen.
Song—J. DeWitt Arner.
Recitation—Luella Wilson.
Essay—Mrs. W. M. Campbell.
Music—Juveniles.
Poem—Frank Temple.
Paper—The Salmander, a combination of the interests of the Enterprise, Journal of Truth, Recorder and Independent.
Music—Combined Orchestra.

As the society will probably be adjourned during the busy season, this is the last meeting that will be held during the summer, therefore a cordial invitation is extended to all to come to the closing exercises of one of the best Literary Societies Ridgeway has ever had.

Admission Free.
Meeting to begin at 7:30, sharp.

BY ORDER OF COM.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Farmers are very busy getting ready for planting.

George Daniels has lost one of his most valuable horses.

Anson Ayers is repairing his house.

C. E. Jessup took in about 25 wood chuck scalps last week at 20cts. each.

Mrs. O'Brien, of Grand Rapids, was visiting relatives here last week.

Rev. Wm. Clayson officiated as minister of the Gospel at the M. E. church last sabbath.

Mrs. John Brimly has been very sick, but is able to be seen out again.

Mr. James Mullen is troubled with the asthma to such an extent, that he is unable to lie down, and is therefore confined to his chair.

ONSTED ODDS.

The wet weather lately makes us long for the time when our village can boast of sidewalks.

William Onsted is building a new board fence on the south side of the new street north of his residence.

J. Hand, with four or five men, is building a barn for Frank Sheeler, two miles north-west of here.

Several coats of paint on D. A. Skinner's house has added much to its appearance.

Carpenters at work at three places and masons at three places, encourages us to think that we shall soon have a village.

A number of people in this vicinity are suffering with the mumps. W. B. Raymond, our station agent, being one of the number got excused and went to his home in Tecumseh, last Saturday.

Charlie Kimball of Adrian, was in this section last week buying wool. We hear that several parties sold their unwashed wool to him for eighteen cents per pound.

Two young men from Erie County, Penn., have been here prospecting with a view of buying a lot on which to build a store. They have not purchased, but intend to return after looking at some other places.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

On Saturday last, the Manchester Band discoursed music for Brooklynites, and the people at the race ground. They were not afraid of giving away good tunes; and serenaded Frank FitzGerald, a former Manchester boy who seems to hold a place in the esteem of people there, as well as here. Their uniforms would make even plain people look well. The race ground is at present one of the chief attractions for horse fanciers, but the horses have a sorry time of it. Farmers drive beautiful teams here, to bestow surplus admiration on those belonging to jockeys. The Grecian bend attained by the overchecks fills a long felt want between beast and bungle. Jerry VanGeison was winner and is correspondingly happy. Trade waits while farmers plant corn, but building goes on as rapidly as rain allows.

Aunt Chloe Ambler is sick, past recovery. She is one of the pioneers who have lived through Brooklyn's vicissitudes and changes for the better, and prepared herself for the last great change by living a good life.

SILVER WEDDING.

Saturday afternoon, May 3rd, 1884, witnessed a pleasant gathering at the house of Wm. Osgood, in Macon. Mr. Osgood and his wife had traveled down the pathway of life together, and having reached the twenty-fifth station of their journey, their friends assembled to help them celebrate the happy event. A large and joyful company was received and highly entertained. Every one present both old and young seemed to enjoy themselves. After supper was served the company departed with many congratulations for the future; wishing they might live to attend the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Osgood. The gifts were numerous and elegant, a list of which is given below:

Silver cake basket—Mr. and Mrs. Mort Gooding, Miss Addie Gooding Mr. and Mrs. James Clarkson.

Gold-lined goblets—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smalley and D. C. Smalley, Bay City.

Silver sugar bowl—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clarkson and Susie Osgood

Revolving butter dish—Mrs. Martha Osgood, Mrs. F. H. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Osgood, St. John's, Mich.

Fruit knives—Mr. and Mrs. Minor Davidson.

Pickle castor—Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Osgood, Adrian.

Berry dish—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Osgood, Mary Osgood and Sarah Hunt.

Butter dish—Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Milan Sage and Allie Collins.

Napkin rings—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and daughter.

Fruit knives—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson.

Butter dish—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilmore.

Pickle castor—Dr. and Mrs. Morden.

Silver cake basket—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hendershot, Mrs. Edmund Hand, H. E. Hand and Hattie Osgood.

Pickle castor—Mr. and Mrs. John C. Mills.

Butter dish—Dr. and Mrs. Geo Howell.

Fruit knives—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Knight.

Two dollars and a half in silver—Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Osgood, Morenci.

Camp chair—Edd H. Osgood.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Horatio Keyser is moving to Milburn Keyser's farm this week.

School closed in Newburg part of last week on account of the teacher having the mumps.

The genial L. S. Ticket agent, N. S. Satterthwaite, drives a bran new rig throughout. He purchased the horse of Frank Silvers, and the buggy is a Columbus.

W. B. Keyser is building new fences and surveying his farm out and when done will have one of the best laid out farms in this section.

E. C. Coryell is preparing to move his barns down near his new house, which he built last summer, and when done he will have the finest set of buildings on the road. He is also setting out 100 rods of hedge fence.

THE SULTAN'S CHILDREN OF THE DESSERT

A Horse-Racing Hippodrome—Circus in Three Rings—Vast Menagerie—A Wonderful White Elephant—A Gala Day—Grand and Gorgeous Parade. Ho! For Forepaugh's Great Show!

We clip from a neighboring paper the following unqualified endorsement of Adam and his great show: "Mr. Adam Forepaugh is entitled to the credit due a man who has succeeded in organizing and carrying forward a scheme which, beside affording rational enjoyment to the public, really supplies a need. There are thousands, hundreds of thousands, of people who never see anything in the shape of amusement in the form of a spectacle, until the circus comes around on its annual tour. It is an event in their lives. To provide these people with innocent enjoyment and brilliant spectacle; to attract them by devices depicting historical scenes or characters; to show them what may be accomplished by the horse with careful and skillful training; to collect, from all quarters of the globe, animals the mere sight of which is more impressive and interesting than any work on natural history that is to be found in any library; to lay both sea and land under tribute in the aim to make this feature an attraction in itself, requires a judgment, an outlay and a degree of energy that entitles its possessor to our respect. In this way, Mr. Forepaugh is contributing his full share to the enjoyment and instruction of his fellows. His street parade is a glimpse of Paradise to many who are unable to penetrate the mysteries of his great tent, and the marvels disclosed under his canvas excite the wonder of millions of children. It is no easy matter to satisfy the craving of adults, to whom the clowns, the elephants, and monkeys are an old story, by producing novelties and yet retain those perpetual fountains of joy, the clown, the ring-master, the monkey, the bears, elephants—the jests and pranks that surprise children and their elders into laughter. The gilded chariots, the spic and span new costumes, the mighty elephants, the groups of figures illustrating historical incidents, combine to make the finest street parade ever witnessed in this city, while the performances under the canvas are of a very superior order. Then there is the wonderful white elephant, a troupe of Moslem Mamelukes, quarter of a hundred trained elephants, a great circus in three rings, a mammoth menagerie, museum and hippodrome, &c. Nothing like it has hitherto been seen in this State, and take it all in all, Mr. Forepaugh is entitled to the credit of presiding over the best show that has ever visited us. It will exhibit at Adrian, May 20; Coldwater, May 21; Three Rivers, May 26th; Allegan, May 27; Kalamazoo, May 28; Battle Creek, May 29; Jackson, May 30; Ann Arbor, May 31; Detroit, June 2; Port Huron, June 3; Pontiac, June 4; Flint, June 5; Bay City, June 6; East Saginaw, June 7; Lansing, June 9; Ionia, June 10; Grand Rapids, June 11; Big Rapids, June 12; Muskegan, June 13; St. Joseph, June 14.

THE CAMBRIDGE SHEEP SHEARING.

The sheep breeder's association of Cambridge held their regular annual meeting at C. W. Greenlee's residence on Thursday May 1st. The attendance was not as large as usual owing to the rain in the forenoon, but there was a good show of sheep, and at least one hundred persons present to see the show. The interest in sheep-breeding is on the increase in this town and farmers are improving their flocks every year. We present below the entries made and also a record of the shearing.

LIST OF ENTRIES.

F. P. Sheeler, 3 two year old ewes.

V. C. Rich 1 ewe lamb, 3 one year old rams, 2 two year old rams, 1 four year old ram. Rip Van Winkle, as good a sheep as on the ground and far superior to many.

F. I. Kinney, 5 rams 1 three year old, 3 two years old and 1 yearling, 16 ewes, 2 three year old, 6 two year old and 9 yearlings.

Will Osborne, 1 ewe three years old 2 rams one year old, 1 yearling ewe, 2 two year old ewes.

William Wimple, 1 ram four years old, 4 rams two years old, 3 yearling rams, 5 two year old ewes, 1 three year old ewe.

O. L. Short, 1 three year old ram.

Name of Owner.	Sex.	Age.	Weight of Carcass.	Weight of fleece. lbs.	oz.
W. J. Osborne	E	2	69	365	13 9
" "	E	1	57	365	11 4
F. P. Sheeler	E	2	83	367	21 14
" "	E	1	114	363	18 11½
" "	E	2	71	366	19 12
" "	E	2	77	363	18
" "	E	1	78¼	363	18 9½
" "	E	4	127	363	22 8
F. I. Kinney	E	2	68	363	15 6
" "	E	1	71½	365	11 9
" "	E	2	60	363	16 8
Wm. Wimple	E	4	135	363	26 8
" "	E	2	91½	363	13 7½
" "	E	2	90	348	20 12
O. L. Short	E	3	165	365	26 13½

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending May 6th.

CAMBRIDGE.

Wm. Onsted to Caroline F. Stodard. Land on sec 28. $100.

Wm. Onsted to A. P. Kimbal. Land on sec 28. $300.

CLINTON.

Sylvester Erskine to Henry Lancaster. Land in village. $250.

RIDGEWAY.

Betsey M. Sanford to John Housman. Land on sec 5. $600.

TECUMSEH.

Caroline Gwynne to Orville Kemp. Land in Village. $850.

Addison Hardenburgh to S. W. Temple. Land in village. $100

Mr. Merryweather Gives a Few Points on Policy.

"Singular, the ign ran e of some folks about the policy racket," said Mr. Merryweather, who had just come down stairs from his semi-daily interview with Police a r and his tame tiger in the Wesson building, at Griswold and Congress streets.

"Well now," said a customer, whose Mr. Merryweather was getting ready to shine. "I'm one of the unearned. Can I you give me a point or two?"

"Of course I can; but don't you know [illegible]

"Not the first letter of the alphabet [illegible]

"[illegible]

"[illegible] there was so much [illegible] world, but I'll [illegible] a point, and I'll give you a [illegible]

"[illegible]

"[illegible] common in Detroit [illegible] and some of [illegible] The fellows that run [illegible] twenty per cent. of all they get out of the suckers. They have rooms [illegible] town and you can't hardly [illegible] the city that don't write up policy books.

"And what is a policy book?"

It was with a [illegible] Dresson I [illegible] Mr. Merryweather replied.

"Why, a book [illegible] a sort of [illegible] pay [illegible] they write the figures on with a [illegible] between the sheets to make two copies with the help of some black stuff. One sheet goes out to the main office and the other is why the book writer [illegible] percentage. But I was agoing to tell you about the game. You see, at the office where the drawings are they put numbers from one to eighty in the wheel, and twelve of them numbers is drawn out. Now suppose you've got a saddle—"

"What's that?"

"What's what—a saddle?"

"Yes."

"Well, you play three numbers to come out of the wheel, but only two of 'em comes out. That's a saddle, and pays a dividend of $15 for fifteen cents. Fellers play saddles more to enter out than to win, big money, because two numbers is of course more apt to come out than three.

"Now three numbers is a gig. You know there's twelve numbers drawn out an' you add three of 'em your gig takes $200 for $1, or $10 for five cents. That's the lowest ante you can put up—five cents.

"Then there's a horse—that's four numbers—and if you bet 'em you get $5 for $1.

"And there's a capital. That's two out of the first three numbers. If you play them numbers and number five and the [illegible] comes out in the next three that shows up you get $20 for five cents.

"That's all I've learned about policy. I'm not sure that I'd play it myself, though. If I did, I'd make a [illegible] bet on the gig myself and in the end bet on the horse and capital. Do you remember [illegible] Hogan? Why, he struck policy once for $300, and he thought it was too good. [illegible] and [illegible] he played it [illegible] and lost the [illegible] —*Detroit Free Press.*

A Theatrical Agent's Luck.

Two years ago when Billy Deutsch was so much at baccarat, Gambetta came up in the way of conversation only. Deutsch was trying to manage Billy Hope on a trip, came to Paris and said he would quit gambling when he had won twenty francs. It was nothing for him to win a hundred [illegible] francs every night. He lost sometimes, but not often, but one evening he dropped the money inside of ten minutes. At that time he had exactly five sous in the world, and with this capital he entered the Imperial Club down yonder by the Champs Elysees. A young Viscount opened an unlimited bank at baccarat, and Billy Deutsch won 20,000 francs on the turn. The Viscount dealt a card to the right, then one to the left, then one to himself, then another to the right, another to the left and another to himself. "I give," said the Viscount, as he glanced at his two. The player on the right had a ten and two spot. "Give me a card," he said. The banker dealt him an eight-spot. That made him nothing, for ten and two and eight added up are twenty, and it is the last figure which counts. The player on the left of the dealer was Deutsch; he had a face card and a seven-spot, and when he Viscount declared that he would give, Deutsch said "No." His face-card counted for 10, which added to the seven-spot made 17, and as I said just now, it is the last figure which counts. The object of each player is to get nine, or as near that as possible, for nine is the number which "sweeps the deck." Generally a player who has five will not call for a third card; one who calls for another when he had six would be suspected of wrong doing; it is $10 against $1 that seven will win. The viscount had a face-card and a four-spot. Inasmuch as Deutsch would not take another card the viscount naturally supposed that the player had two or better, hence he was obliged to draw or lose outright. He dealt himself a four-spot, and with his eight, beat Billy's seven, thus winning 20,000 francs from the latter. But Deutsch made this loss good later on. Inside of two months he had won 1,200,000 francs. He ran over to New York, had a good time with the boys, then came back to Paris and in less than five weeks had lost every cent he had in the world. He has not yet turned Trappist, and I don't suppose he ever will, for he happens to be a Hebrew.—*Paris Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.*

—A young convert to Mormonism, who recently married into a prominent saint's family, now has eight mothers-in-law.

Goliath at Home.

The home is the clime where the man is great. There he is King, or royal consort anyhow. If he isn't Governor, he is Lieutenant-Governor. He is always sure of some place in the administration. Outside, the world, which is pretty full of great men all the time, may not be particularly impressed with his greatness. It may even ignore him at times, and occasionally sit down upon him. But at home he is always sure of a sympathetic, appreciative and responsive audience. If he happens to be the cleanest, [illegible] there passes current for profound wisdom; his prosiness is looked upon as wisdom; his jokes are always brilliant; [illegible] Nor [illegible] It is true, he sometimes finds jokes are frequently so fearfully and wonderfully made that they cannot be properly understood without [illegible] and of a grandsire, but if he [illegible] the place, the laugh will surely come. A man's jokes and stories are like a pair of skates. He never thinks of them until he wants to use them, and then half the time he doesn't know where they are. But the home audience always knows his stories, whether he remembers half or none of them, and the one he forgets entirely is usually the most highly appreciated. He is a small, rather pleasant tyrant, who is loved for his harmless despotism which pleases him and hurts no one else.

And how comforting to man is the assurance that home is the only place in the world that will remember him when he goeth to his long home and the mourners go about the streets. When we have strutted our brief hour and gone off the stage, little enough the world will miss us. The day we die will be as full of life and song and laughter as was the day when we were born. There is a little widening circle of ripples about the grave when the clod sinks out of sight and when the circling ripples reach the shore they are not felt nor seen; the lake is placid, beautiful, pitiless. Even while the mourners go about the streets, as the slow-moving procession winds up the sorrowful way, sunlight will crown the hills and sparkle on the river, and dance with gleaming feet on solemn crag and whispering tree; the song of birds will glorify the long, bright summer days with sylvan melody; starlight and whip-po'-will, silvery dew drop and chirping katydid, tremulous moonbeam, flickering shadow and murmuring fountain will fill the sleep nights with enchantment; dimpling meadow and golden field and nodding forest will woo the sunshine and defy the storm; other ambitions will tread along the ragged paths where we have walked with bleeding feet; conquest and defeat will crown and dethrone other lives, and on the wreck-strewn shores of Time the drifting sands will cover our names and hide them from the eyes and memories of men. The bells that toll at the funeral will chime at the wedding; we beat the drum, that it speaks mournfully to the grave, and rattling quick-step turtles our merry feet back to the noisy camp; we fade like a shadow and continue not; and as it happeneth to the fool, so it happeneth even to me; and why then was I more wise? For there is no remembrance of the wise more than the fool forever, seeing that which now is in the days to come shall all be forgotten. And how dieth the wise man? As the fool. There is a little while, and the tired hands and busy brain at rest at last forever, the waile face feels not the scorching tears that fall upon it like summer rain drops; fears not the heart-breaking moans nor the pitiful sobs that mourn above the sleeper, and then——

Lo, out in the quiet graveyard where we lie at rest, lovers will come in the days of June, and sit on our lonely graves and wear off the grass, and contract bad poetry and worse rheumatism, while they burden the haunted air with sickly confectionery.

But at home, how will our names be blessed. Our vices, and thank Heaven none of us has one, will be forgotten; our virtues will be magnified and exaggerated until in multiplying they will be multiplied as the stars of heaven and as the sand which is upon the sea shore. At home, greater and greater will we grow from generation to generation, until as time rolls on, the path of our family record will shine more and more unto the perfect day, when the living generation will point with pride to you and me as great great great grandfathers.—*R. J. Burdette, in Burlington Hawkeye.*

An Astonished Cat.

Gautier, the French writer, had a cat which slept on his bed nights, on the arm of his chair daytimes, followed him when he walked, and always kept him company at meals. One day a friend left his parrot in Gautier's charge during his absence. The poor bird sat disconsolate on the top of his stand, while the cat stared at the strange sight. Gautier followed her thought and read there clearly:

"It must be green chicken."

Thereupon she jumped from his writing table, crouched flat, with head low, back stretched out at full length, and eyes fixed immovable on the bird. Parrot followed all the movements, raised his feathers, sharpened his bill, stretched out his claws and evidently prepared for war. The cat lay still, but Gautier read again in her eyes:

"No doubt, though green, the chicken must be good to eat."

Suddenly her back was arched, and with one superb bound she was on the perch, when the parrot screamed out:

"Have your breakfast, Jack?"

Pussy was almost frightened out of her wits. She cast an anxious glance at her master, leaped down and hid under the bed, from which no threat or caress could bring her out for the day.—*Our Dumb Animals.*

—One of the most interesting of the specimens of counterfeit notes in the possession of the chief of the secret service division is a twenty-dollar bill of good appearance, accurate in size and perfect in general effect when viewed at a short distance. A very close inspection of the note reveals the fact that every line in vignette, lathe work, seal, lettering and border, is the stroke of a pen or paint-brush, and the note is entirely produced by hand.—*Boston Herald.*

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

BILLS were introduced and referred in the Senate on the 5th: To promote Ulysses S. Grant, late General of the Army of the United States, upon the retired list of the army; to provide for the adjustment of the accounts of laborers, workmen and mechanics, arising under the eight-hour law; to declare a forfeiture of the lands granted the New Orleans, Baton Rouge & Vicksburg railroad. The Senate resumed consideration of the shipping bill, but, without action, adjourned. In the House, Mr. Rosecrans, from the Military Committee, reported a resolution directing the committee to investigate the present management of soldiers' homes; placed on calendar. Bills were introduced and referred: Authorizing the appointment of three commissioners to visit the principal countries of South and Central America and Mexico, for the purpose of collecting information looking to the extension of American trade and commerce; to establish a branch soldiers' home in Michigan; granting the right of way through the Indian Territory to the Kansas Central Railway Company. The Senate amendment to the House bill repealing the ironclad oath was concurred in. The bill for the relief of Fitz-John Porter, with the Senate amendments, was taken from the Speaker's table, and on motion of Mr. Slocum the Senate amendments were non-concurred in. The Senate amendments to the bill establishing a bureau of animal industry were non-concurred in. Adjourned.

MESSAGES from the House were received in the Senate on the 8th announcing non-concurrence in the Senate amendments to the pleuro-pneumonia bill, and the Fitz-John Porter bill; committees of conference were appointed. The House bill granting pensions to soldiers of the Mexican war was reported favorably with an amendment and placed on calendar. The shipping bill was taken up. Several amendments were rejected, and its consideration completed in Committee of the Whole. The House bill was then taken from the table, and with but slight debate amended to correspond with the bill just agreed to, and passed. Pending discussion on a motion for the appointment of a committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses, the Senate adjourned. The House passed the Senate joint resolution in regard to the ceremonies to be authorized for the completion of the Washington monument. Bills were reported and referred to the Committee of the Whole, providing for the revision, improvement and amendment of the laws relating to patents, and authorizing the appointment of a Missouri River commission. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union. The bill appropriating $1,000,000 for the celebration of the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition at New Orleans was taken up. After an amendment had been agreed to, providing that the sum appropriated shall not be paid until $500,000 had been contributed to the Exposition, the committee rose and the bill passed—yeas 132, nays 87. Adjourned.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 9th a resolution by Mr. Van Wyck, directing the Secretary of the Treasury to withhold the patents for lands on the Puyallup branch of the Northern Pacific Railroad until Congress decides the question of forfeiture of such lands; placed on calendar. The Senate then took up the Indian Appropriation bill and Mr. Dawes explained its provisions. Pending debate on an amendment offered by Mr. Hawley, making the amount appropriated for education in Alaska $25,000 instead of $15,000 as allowed by the House, the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned. The House passed the bill granting an additional pension to the widow of General Francis P. Blair. It grants her $5,000 for her husband's services in organizing troops and increases her pension to $50 a month. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar. Bills for the relief of certain citizens of Henderson, Tenn., for property destroyed and assessments made during the war, were debated at length, but without action the committee rose. The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Secretary of War recommending an additional appropriation of $500,000 for the relief of sufferers by the flood in the lower Mississippi Valley. The evening session was occupied in the consideration of pension bills. Adjourned until the 12th.

IN the Senate on the 10th the Chair appointed Messrs. Miller, of California, and Pendleton as visitors to the next annual examination of the Naval Academy. The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Pension bill, pending debate on which the proceedings were suspended to permit the attendance of the Senators at the inveiling of the statue to Chief Justice Marshall. On the return of the Senators to the Chamber the Senate adjourned. The House was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

JAMES CLARK, confidential clerk of Rudolph Hochhoffer, large commission merchant and Austro-Hungarian Consul at San Francisco, is short in his accounts $80,000, lost in speculations.

THE Garfield Monument Association at Cleveland, O., have received forty-three designs for the Garfield monument, of which eleven are models and thirty-three drawings. These designs are from France, Italy, Germany, England and the United States. Each design has a motto or mark to identify the artist and his work, and is accompanied by a sealed envelope bearing a similar motto or mark and containing the artist's name. The designs will therefore be examined and passed upon without knowing the name of the artist who made it. Arrangements for their examination are now being made by the trustees, and it is not expected a decision will be reached for several weeks.

SAMUEL CALVIN, an old man of Palmyra, O., who had been guilty of forgery, was so overcome with fears of the penitentiary that he suicided by taking morphine.

A TRAIN of twelve cars and an engine were wrecked near Huntington, Pa., on the night of the 8th. No one was hurt.

DANIEL G. H. Tucker, of Lockport, N. Y., aged seventy-eight, for many years Deputy United States Marshal, committed suicide on the 9th by hanging.

FRANKLIN P. NORRIS, a young lawyer of Concord, N. H., died recently in that city from starvation.

A PRETENDED Philadelphia merchant has been swindling the cigar manufacturers of Lancaster county, Pa., out of several thousand dollars.

BY the explosion of a locomotive in the round house of the Missouri Pacific Railroad at Parsons, Kan., on the 9th, two men were blown through the roof and instantly killed, another fatally injured and several severely hurt. A portion of the building was demolished.

AT the convention of Southern Baptists at Baltimore on the 9th, George W. Norton, of Kentucky, was re-elected Treasurer, and Nimrod Long, of Kentucky, was re-elected Auditor. Dr. Burrows offered a resolution to raise $100,000 to relieve religious destitution among the whites of the South.

THE Cincinnati *Price Current* publishes a statement of the condition of winter wheat as follows: Ohio 87, Indiana 90, Illinois 75, Missouri 100, Kansas 105, Michigan 90, Kentucky 95, Tennessee 100, West Virginia 95; average condition of the entire winter crop 96, against 82 last year. The season is backward but the growth is now progressing favorably. Spring seeding is nearly completed in Dakota and Northern Minnesota under favorable conditions, and further south wheat has made a promising start in growth. The area is somewhat increased. The winter wheat crop is estimated at 350,000,000 bushels against a production of 294,400,000 bushels last year, and the spring growth outlook is 135,000,000 bushels against 125,000,000 bushels last year.

AT the annual meeting of the Irish Catholic Colonization Society in Chicago on the 8th, Bishop Spalding, was elected President. A dividend of six per cent. was declared and the treasurer reported assets of $129,176.

DURING a game of baseball at Chillicothe, O., on the 9th the grand stand, containing two hundred people fell, injuring about twenty persons, four seriously.

AT the commencement exercises of the Lane Theological Seminary at Cincinnati on the 8th five graduates received diplomas, which were delivered by Prof. H. P. Smith, Rev. Dr. Arthur Mitchell addressed the society.

BUSINESS failures reported for the week ended May 9 were: United States, 168; Canada, 33.

AT Winston, N. C., on the 9th, a band of about 200 citizens took Henry Sevhim from jail and lynched him. He murdered Mrs. Harrison Reed a few days ago for the purpose of robbery.

WHILE a penitentiary guard was conducting a gang of convicts to the prison at Mt. Sterling, Ky., on the 9th, one of them complained that his handcuffs hurt him. The guard took the handcuffs off for a moment, when the prisoner seized the guard's gun and shot him dead. Three of the convicts then made their escape.

AT the annual meeting of the American Congregational Union in New York on the 8th, the Secretary reported that the total receipts for the year were $105,377; expenditures, $117,514. Money grants were made to 102 churches, and $4,822 for building parsonages.

THE remains of Prof. Samuel D. Gross, of Philadelphia, were on the 8th cremated in the LeMoyne crematory at Washington, Pa. There were no ceremonies at the incineration. The remains were reduced to ashes in two hours.

A JURY was finally secured on the 10th to try McKeague, charged with the murder of the aged Wilson couple at Winnetka, near Chicago. A panel of three hundred well-known and prominent citizens was exhausted in securing twelve men.

RETURNS of the department of Agriculture for May makes the wheat prospect in the United States nearly as favorable as in April. Then the general average was within five per cent. of the standard full average. The May average is 94. It was 83½ in 1883. Barring the changes of the future the winter wheat product will be about 350,000,000 bushels. A few reports of injury by fly have been received, but the average loss from insect ravages will be trifling. Rye promises full as well as wheat; the general average is 96. Meadows and pastures generally are promising, though failing to come up to the standard of healthy growth and unimpaired condition.

NEARLY fifteen thousand people on the 11th witnessed the baptism by immersion of one hundred and twenty colored persons in the Potomac River, near the Washington Monument.

THE trial of Frank Langston, indicted for murder, is set for the 21st inst. at Washington.

AT Quincy, Ill., on the morning of the 10th twenty masked men attacked a train of wagons carrying non-union molders to work under guard of the police. The rioters shot two of the nonunionists, but not fatally. The others jumped out of the wagons and escaped.

J. CASINEA, a Catholic priest on his way to California was robbed of $13,000 on the Texas Pacific train, just as it was leaving Fort Worth on the 11th. The robbers, three in number, crowded on the car platform about the priest, two seized his arms, while another rapidly searched his finding a large pocketbook containing a his money. The robbers then escaped with the plunder.

THE following is a statement of the New York associated banks for the week ending May 10: Loans decrease, $8,576,400; specie increase, $2,844,600; legal tender decrease, $43,300; deposits decrease, $8,303,400; circulation decrease, $27,300; reserve increase, $2,619,150. The banks held $1,655,150 in excess of legal requirements.

A QUARREL between the wives of Dick Crouch and James Sullivan, of Smithland, Ky., on the 10th, resulted in the fatal shooting of Sullivan by Crouch.

HON. BUTLER B. STRONG, who for fifteen years represented the Tioga County district in the Pennsylvania Legislature, committed suicide by shooting himself at his home in Westfield, Pa., on the 10th. Ill-health was the cause.

AT Hackett City, Ark., on the 10th Burt Brown, being called to account by John and Albert Belt for having made some disparaging remarks about their sister, drew a pistol and struck John Belt on the forehead, crushing the skull and killing him. Albert Belt then shot Brown, fatally wounding him. All the parties are prominent men. Brown surrendered to the authorities.

THE oil and paint works of Sherwin, Williams & Co., at Cleveland, O., burned on the 10th. Loss $75,000; fully insured.

AT Rothrocksville, Pa., on the 10th a school house was struck by lightning and two children injured.

TEN tramps attacked three policemen at Mattoon, Ill., on the 10th. The latter used their revolvers freely and two of the tramps were seriously wounded and the remainder captured.

THE Alert, the last steamship of the Greeley relief expedition, left Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 10th amid salutes and cheers.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

REV. C. V. SPEAR, of Pittsfield, Massachusetts, has donated $5,000 to Oberlin College for the purpose of erecting a library building.

AT the Kentucky Democratic State Convention on the 8th resolutions were adopted favoring Hon. J. G. Carlisle for President.

POPE LEO XIII., at the request of the managers in this country of the American College at Rome, has appointed the Very Rev. William Kernan, D. D., now rector and professor of dogmatic theology of St. Charles Berromes Seminary, at Overbrook, Pa., as the successor of the late Right Rev. Mr. Hostlot; and the Right Rev. William O'Hara, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Scranton, Pa., the successor of the late Archbishop Wood.

THE colored Republican Central Committee of New York at a recent meeting endorsed the administration of President Arthur and recommended his renomination. The committee also asked for a more thorough recognition, and suggested that this could be obtained by placing a colored man on the National Republican Committee.

THE committee appointed to investigate the charge of corruption in the late Kentucky Senatorial election reported that no candidate gave or offered any money to secure the election.

THOMAS C. JONES, late conductor on the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Railway, and President of the Conductors' Life Insurance Company of the United States, died at Toledo on the 10th, aged fifty-four.

MIDHAT PASHA died at Constantinople on the 11th from the effects of a carbuncle.

HON. PARK C. DUNYNE, formerly Governor of Indiana, died at Bloomington on the 10th, aged seventy-nine.

REPRESENTATIVE COLLINS has been directed by the House Judiciary Committee to report favorably a joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article Fifteen of the Constitution. The amendment consists in the insertion of the word "nativity" and makes the first section read as follows: "The right of the citizen of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of the nativity, race, color or previous condition of servitude."

FOREIGN.

THE race for the great Cheshire handicap stakes at London on the 8th was won by Holmes' bay filly Perdita II., Wandering Nun second, Whipperin third. There were five starters.

THE steamer Faraday landed the shore end of the cable at Canso on the 8th. Then she laid seventy miles at sea, returned and connected with the shore end, and started for Cape Ann. She expects to complete the cable to the latter place in a week.

DURING the recent trial at St. Petersburg of Black Bann (Nihilists), Dubetski and his daughter the prisoners stabbed themselves, the father fatally and the daughter dangerously.

FROM the district of Placetas, Cuba, it is now conceded that the sugar crop will be equal to that of last year. Although the cane did not grow so large, the yield was more abundant.

JUDGE MATHEW, of Quebec, has pronounced constitutional the act of the Provincial Parliament imposing a heavy annual license on all joint stock companies and banks, and an appeal will be taken to the privy council in England.

THOUGH the population of Colon, which is springing into importance as the starting point of the Panama canal, is only 9,000, yet the death rate averages 150 per month.

OVER nine hundred acres of Connecticut oyster grounds have been destroyed by star-fish since October last.

A ROME dispatch of the 11th says the Pope has confirmed the decree of the Propaganda dividing the diocese of Portland, America, and erecting a new See with the Arch-Episcopal residence at Manchester, New Hampshire. Rev. Denis M. Bradley will be appointed the first Bishop.

A RELIEF expedition to Khartoum starts in July, and will probably number 8,000, including the Indian contingent. It is supposed that the main expedition will proceed up the Nile, the other by the Red Sea.

THE Baroness Coutts has received many entreaties to establish a fund for the rescue of Gordon.

THE bark George Bentley, from Liverpool for Chili, collided with the ship Tuskar, and the latter was sunk. Three of the crew were drowned.

A SERIES of skirmishes lasting ten days between the French Annamite forces and the Chinese pirates at Quangyen have resulted in the French forces capturing a gun and losing one man killed and five wounded.

EGAN, Daly and McDonnel, the alleged dynamiters, on the 10th were duly committed at Birmingham on the charges of treason and felony.

LATER.

A NEW Pennsylvania railroad parlor car on a trial trip collided with a freight train near Altoona, on the 12th. George Arthurs, fireman, Thomas Harris, engineer, and Frank Kinch, brakeman, were badly injured.

THE Controller of the Currency received a letter, on the 12th from Seriba, the examiner in charge of the Marine National Bank, of New York, saying that the bank is insolvent and will have to be placed in the hands of a receiver. Seriba is of the opinion that depositors will receive from seventy-five to eighty per cent.

AT a social gathering in Madison County, Alabama, on the 12th, a quarrel arose between old man Atchley and young Tuckett. Friends of the two men began firing, one of Tuckett's brothers was instantly killed, and another fatally wounded. Atchley received a mortal wound, and his son is dangerously hurt.

THE issue of standard silver dollars for the week ended May 10 is $415,000; corresponding period last year $405,000.

SAUTERMAN & STEWART, grain dealers of Grayville, Illinois, failed. Liabilities $50,000; assets, $25,000.

THE House Committee on Elections, by a vote of six to five, agreed on the 12th to report in favor of seating Wallace, contestant in the Ohio election case of Wallace vs. McKinley.

ADVICES from Durban, South Africa, state that the Usutus attacked the Norwegian mission at Inhlabathi, the 4th inst. Three were killed, though missionaries were spared. The marauders returned in the night and killed all the Christians they could find.

THE Northwestern Car Company, of St. Paul, Minn., has failed, and E. S. Brown has been appointed receiver.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 12th the petition of the American Medical Association praying that steps be taken to prevent a spread of epidemic diseases. Petitions were presented from the Cincinnati Board of Trade and Chamber of Commerce advocating the increased efficiency of the Navy and aid for the New Orleans Cotton Exposition. The Senate resumed consideration of the Indian Appropriation bill, but without action adjourned. In the House bills were introduced and appropriately referred: By Mr. Cox, to place General Grant on the retired list; by Mr. Hewitt, to modify the existing laws relating to duties on imports and internal revenue taxes, and to enlarge the free list; by Mr. Payson, to restrict the ownership of real estate in the territories to American citizens; also to place lumber on the free list; by Mr. O'Neil, exempting from duty raw sugars, molasses, salt, rice, rye, barley, potatoes, oatmeal, currants and raisins, prunes, peas and beans, butter and cheese, live animals, vegetables and chicory. Conference committees were appointed as follows: On the Fitz-John Porter bill, Slocum, Morgan and Steele; on the bill establishing a bureau of animal industry; Hatch of Missouri, Dibbrell and Wilson of Iowa. The House in Committee of the Whole considered business relating to the District of Columbia. Adjourned.

Spring Without Blossoms.

Late in Life to Look for Joy—Yet Never too Late to Mend.

Readers of Hawthorne's "House of Seven Gables" will recall the pathos with which poor Clifford Pyncheon, who had been unjustly imprisoned since his early manhood, said, after his release: "My life is gone, and where is my happiness? Oh! give me my happiness." But that could be alone only in part, as gleams of warm sunshine occasionally fall across the gloom of a New England autumn day.

In a letter to Messrs. Hiscox & Co., Mr. E. H. Titus, of Pennington, N. J., says: "I have suffered untold misery from chills and from chronic disease of the bowels and diarrhœa, accompanied by pain. I sought relief at the hands of physicians of every school, and used every patent and doctor's remedy under the sun. I have at last found in PARKER'S TONIC a complete specific, preventive and cure. All your invaluable medicine, which did for me what nothing else could do, is entitled to the credit of my getting back my happy days, cheerfully and gratefully acknowledge the fact."

Mr. E. S. Welsh, who needs no introduction to the people of Jersey City, adds: "The testimonial of Mr. Titus is genuine and voluntary; only he does not adequately portray the suffering he has endured for many years. He is my brother-in-law, and I know the case well. He is now perfectly free from his old troubles, and enjoys health and life, ascribing it all to PARKER'S TONIC."

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 18th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JAMES MILLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Miller, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Miller, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Alexander W. Miller, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A.D., 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A.D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out lot 67 and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8) of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county, and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 13-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street; thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Ex. Judge Allen lot; thence west on the south line of that lot, three and 15-100 chains to the J. R. Hoag lot, now Marsh lot; thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

EDWIN B. WOOD, Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JOHN P. SILVERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 29th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John P. Silvers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of David H. Silvers, executor, etc., the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the funeral expenses and expenses of administration of said estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JOHN W. HOUSE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 25th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John W. House, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Robert B. House, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration, and is prepared and praying for the allowance of his final account, for assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the parties entitled thereto, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF MONAGHAN MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Robert B. House, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors, described in said petition, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minors, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEH.

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A cable dispatch from John Heck announces his safe arrival on the sod of old Ireland, last Saturday night.

Eli Gray left Tecumseh this morning for old Ireland. He will sail from New York on Saturday in the City of Rome.

The base ball association met last Tuesday evening and elected the following officers for this season:
President—S. W. Bordine.
Vice Pres.—T. D. McKinney.
Secretary—J. L. Schoolcraft.
Treasurer—E. N. Satterthwaite.
Managers—J. L. Anderson, J. Davidson.

A committee was appointed to put the grounds in shape for the coming season. The membership has heretofore been limited to twenty-five. That restriction was abolished and the number is now unlimited. The meeting then adjourned to next Tuesday evening for further business.

Charles Blanchard, son of the late Judge Blanchard arrived in town yesterday and will remain two or three days visiting the scenes of his boyhood. He met many old friends yesterday, not one of whom knew him except James Warren. He is now in business at Cleveland.

COMPANY C'S BENEFIT.

The Dramatic Entertainment given by Company C. was greeted with a full house on Tuesday evening and deserved a better house last evening. Both plays were good ones and they were very creditably presented. When a play is cast well, the battle is half won, and Mr. Chapman showed excellent judgment in casting the characters. When all performed their parts so well, it might seem invidious to single out any one for special praise but we cannot refrain from saying a good word in behalf of the ladies. The characters assumed by them were very finely presented. Michael Erle carried the leading role in the first play admirably, as he always does. The Marble Statue was one of the best after pieces ever put on the boards in this village, and every part from Old Squintum to Jake was acted in a manner worthy of professionals. The play abounds in comical situations. Mr. Chapman and the members of Co. C. have every reason to feel gratified at the successful character of the entertainment. In the matter of finances we hope the boys will do better next time.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 15, 1884.

SPECIAL OFFER.

During the month of May the HERALD will be offered to new subscribers for eight months at one dollar, and every tenth subscription will be refunded. Old subscribers, by paying arrearages to May 1st, and one dollar in addition, will be "counted in" also, and every tenth dollar thus received will be refunded. Our subscription record will be open to inspection that each person may see for himself, whether he be the lucky man. This offer will remain open until the close of business hours on Saturday May 31st inst. and no longer. Pass in your dollars.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Screen doors are putting in their appearance.

Sheriff Bidwell was in town on business last Tuesday.

D. D. Marshall of Detroit, spent last Sabbath in Tecumseh.

W. S. Kimball, of Clinton, was in town last Saturday.

G. P. Sparks has a splendid new counter in his music rooms.

Moses Bartlett, of Clinton, favored us with a call on Saturday last.

Forepaugh's genuine white elephant will be at Adrian on Tuesday the 20th inst.

M. E. Conklin received a car load of the Wood harvesting machines last Tuesday.

Since the late rains the beautiful lawns about the village have donned their mantel of green.

Several members of our Masonic Lodge will attend a special third at Clinton to-morrow evening.

Dr. D. J. Dewey of Washington Iowa arrived in town last week, and will remain several days with his relatives in Tecumseh and Cambridge.

Wm. McCowen, the old reliable furniture dealer of Tecumseh greets the readers of the HERALD with a rousing announcement this week. It will be found on the second page.

F. A. Dewey of Cambridge paid his respects at the HERALD office last week. He attends the meeting of the executive committee of the State Pioneer Society at Lansing this week.

Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt will deliver the 1st. anniversary discourse of his settlement as Pastor, at the Presbyterian church, next Sabbath morning, May 18th. All are cordially invited.

The 24th annual convention of the Mich. State Sunday School Association will be held in Ionia, Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday, June 17th, 18th and 19th. A very interesting program has been arranged, and the aid of several well known S. S. workers secured. A full attendance of S. S. workers from every part of the state is earnestly desired, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

The dismissal of Miss Emma Hall from the Industrial Home at Adrian is causing considerable comment. Her administration of the institution has been very successful so far as the public could judge, and the public are entitled to know the real reasons which controlled the action of the Board in asking for her resignation. Four other teachers in the Home have resigned. The summary action of the Board needs explanation.

Misses Howell, Hardy & Todd of Adrian, accompanied by C. T. Geddes and W. W. Todd came over to Tecumseh last Saturday in the saddle. It was a pleasant ride and the young ladies were not at all fatigued by the journey. They halted at the Lilley House for dinner. Mr. and Miss Todd returned the same afternoon but owing to the threatened rain the remainder of the party stopped over night and rode home the next morning.

The present village council is taking hold of the work with energy, business tact and success. The finances of the corporation are on a sound basis, and the ordinary expenses for the current year will not be large. Why would'nt it be a good time to inaugurate and carry through some improvement of a permanent character? How much would it cost to lay a good block pavement on Chicago street between Pearl and Ottawa? This would certainly be a most desirable improvement, and if it did not entail too heavy an outlay, it would be a feasible one too.

Tuesday morning's Jackson Patriot says: "The case against Henry Holcomb was called at 2 P. M., Monday, in Justice Hunt's office, but was continued to Thursday next, at the same time. The prosecuting attorney stated that he was not in health to proceed to trial at once, and that there were some minor matters that had not yet been arranged. Mr. Richard Montgomery, of Montgomery Bros., attorneys, of Lansing, appeared for the defence and concurred in the postponement. As a matter of professional courtesy, Mr. Hewlett himself looked up the proofs in the case, some of them unsigned, and furnished them to Mr. Montgomery, who returned to Lansing at 4:10 in the afternoon."

The Morenci fire company will soon have new uniforms.

The click of the lawn mower is now heard on the lawn.

There are seven combination gas machines now in use in Hudson.

Cambridge pays a bounty of twenty cents each on woodchuck scalps.

S. W. Cadman of Raisin drew the Organ at De Puy's candy store. His No was 75.

Round trip tickets over the Lake Shore to Adrian on Tuesday next will cost but 50cts.

Dr. M. H. Snyder, of Marshall, spent a short time with his brother Dr. B. F. Snyder, of this village, last week.

Tong Lee's new laundry on Pearl street is now in full operation and he is prepared to washee for Melican man cheap.

Baker & Hall are touching up the front of their store with a fresh coat of paint, that it may harmonize with the new plate glass windows.

L. F. Wheeler has taken two fine landscape views for B. J. Bidwell, one of his residence and one of his business block. They are both beauties.

A. S. Hayden, accompanied by Messrs. Kelly, Vescelius and Whitmarsh, of Milan, visited Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., last Friday evening.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., on Friday evening May 23d. Work in the 3d. degree. Let there be a full attendance of the members.

E. C. Smith and wife, of Toledo, spent Sunday in Tecumseh as the guests of C. M. Burlingame. Ed is still gathering in freight for the Canada Southern.

Tong Lee has given us a copy of the Chinese newspaper which he takes. It is about half the size of the HERALD, resembles the out side of a tea chest in appearance and costs only $5.00 per year.

E. G. Wilson, W. J. Holdridge, and C. B. Luce of Raisin, were appointed a committee to purchase a road machine. After examining several kinds they decided in favor of the Pennock and bought one of that make.

The Wood mower is becoming as popular wherever tried as the Wood binder has. It is cheap, durable and does its work well in heavy and lodged grass. Met Conklin is selling a large number of these mowers this season.

P. S. McKinnon, who fills the position of book-keeper for H. Brewer & Co., has purchased a type-writer and will soon write his business letters in the modern style. Mr. McKinnon fits his new position admirably and has proven himself to be a valuable acquisition to the firm.

The annual report of the village treasurer is printed in to-days paper, from which it will be seen that the village finances are in a sound condition. Not a dollar of indebtedness and several hundred dollars in the treasury. Would it not be a good time now to pave Chicago street from Pearl to Ottawa?

The Readings by Miss Sarah Young at the Baptist church last Friday evening was a success in every respect except financially. Good judges pronounced it to be one of the best entertainments of the kind ever given in this village. It is to be regretted that the committee did not realize a good profit from the venture.

Mr. B. J. Collar's music business is having a very gratifying boom at present. Among his sales this week is an Upright Grand, of the Sohmer make, to Mr. Ira Z. Mason, on College avenue, Adrian, a Square Grand to Mr. H. N. Swartz, of Canandaigua and a Square Grand to Mr. Beardsell, proprietor of Devil's Lake landing, for his Summer House.

The Manchester Enterprise says: Our street commissioner has been doing some fine work on the streets the past week with a patent road machine. Several streets have been turnpiked and put in first-class condition with it. More work has been done already than could have been accomplished in a whole season with plow and scraper, and it has been better done. Such a machine should be owned by the township, as with it the roads throughout the country could be put in splendid shape, and at one quarter the expense of the present way.

John N. Foster, Superintendent of the State Public School at Coldwater, gave us a call last week. He is spending two or three months this summer in traveling about among the former inmates of the school and upon the parents and friends of the present inmates. He came to Tecumseh for that purpose and went from here to Palmyra and Grange, on a similar errand. The School has lately adopted the plan of securing good homes for the inmates of the institution as rapidly as possible, and thus the membership there is kept at a minimum and there is always room for new comers. Families without children, who may wish to adopt a child, will find it to their advantage to correspond with Supt. Foster on the subject. Their wants can soon be supplied from the State School.

The arrangements are progressing favorably for a fine celebration here on Decoration day. The Manchester band and a drum corps have been procured, and Rev G. W. Hudson, of this village will deliver the address. The full program of exercises will appear next week.

If the young girls who are in the habit of flirting with strangers on the streets, could only hear the remarks these wolves make when in conversation with each other, we are of the opinion that some of them would hang their heads in shame. This will apply to every town in the state.—Detroit Journal.

EDITOR HERALD:—I notice, your Holloway Correspondent claims the victory over the College nine in the game played here on May 3d. The game played was the result of a challenge from the College boys to the Seminary boys, and was played by past and present students of the Seminary; with one exception, four of the players belong to the Holloway nine, and made five of the nine talleys, and were without exception good players, thus helping us to win a victory that would have been doubtful without their aid. But the game as played does not belong to the Holloway nine.
Respectfully, FAIR PLAY.

A CORRECTION.

A letter received from Matthew Boyd, of Mancelona, Mich., takes exceptions to the communication of "B" in the HERALD of May 1st., wherein "B" speaks disparagingly of Northern Michigan. Mr. Boyd has lived in Northern Michigan several months and speaks very highly of the prospects in that section. He claims that they have just as good farming land as any in Lenawee County, and that all the staple crops such as corn, oats, wheat, hay, etc., yeild just as well as in Southern Michigan. Mr. Boyd was quite indignant over the statements made by "B" in his communication and asks that they be corrected. As we have no personal knowledge of the facts, one way or the other, we deem it but just that both sides should have the chance to present their case.

MARRIAGE BELLS.

Tecumseh society has been exercised over two matrimonial events during the past week.

On Thursday evening the 8th inst. Mr. Arthur E. Kennedy and Miss Emma A. Satterthwaite were married at the residence of the bride, by Rev. J. Phelps. People have indulged in surmises for some months, but the exact date had been kept a profound secret, and Dame Rumer was cheated out of her usual preliminary gossip on such occasions. No invitations were issued to the wedding, but "at home" cards were transmitted to their friends after the event. The bride and groom both have a large circle of friends here, where they have resided from childhood, who will unite with us in extending our warmest congratulations, and a hearty wish that their matrimonial voyage, so quietly and auspiciously begun, may be a long and happy one.

Last evening Mr. T. D. McKinney was united in marriage with Miss Vesta Freeman at the residence of the bride's mother. The knot was tied by Rev. Mr. Phelps in his happiest manner, and a large and brilliant party of friends enjoyed the occasion. Many handsome bridal gifts were bestowed, which evidenced the esteem in which the bride is held by all who know her. And she has chosen well. The groom is a favorite among our young men and has gained a good place in his chosen occupation. May their future life be as bright as their present prospects are, is the wish of all their friends.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday afternoon, April 25th, the Farmers' Social Club met at the residence of Jacob Everhart. It being a very busy time the attendance was not large, but fair. The business of the meeting was carried out in proper order. The reading by R. B. Gillespie was a good selection, and well read. The essay by Mrs. J. W. Gillespie was one that had been read previously before a small meeting of the club and contained so many good points, that it was deemed well worthy of a second reading. The music was a good selection and well rendered by Miss Anna Everhart. The first part of the Question, "does it pay to harrow wheat in the spring" did not elicit very much interest as none of the members had had much experience in harrowing wheat. The latter part of the question, "what are the most profitable crops to raise a spring crops" elicited considerable interest; but most of the members were of the opinion that corn and oats were the most profitable, and all things considered corn must take the lead. After partaking of an excellent repast the club adjourned to meet at the residence of F. C. Rector, Friday afternoon, May 23d, at 2 P. M., sharp. All are cordially invited. Program for the May meeting is as follows:
Instrumental music—Eva Rector.
Essay—Mrs. F. V. Horton.
Select reading—Emma Schreder.
Vocal music—Minnie Rector, Lizzie Henderson.
Question—What state of maturity is the best time to cut hay for the best results.
F. V. HORTON, Sec'y.

THE OLD GLOBE MILLS.

THE GROWTH AND PRESENT CONDITION OF WILLIAM HAYDEN'S SPLENDID MILL PROPERTY.

How Modern Flour is Made and the Business of a Modern Flouring Mill.

Located on Chicago turnpike near the eastern boundaries of the corporation, is the old Globe Mill property owned and controlled by our enterprising townsman, William Hayden. The inception of this enterprise was due to Stillman Blanchard one of Tecumseh's pioneers, who in the summer of 1836, associated with himself Messrs. Russell & Gardner of Troy, N. Y., purchased six hundred acres of land, sufficient to control the necessary water privileges, and erected the building. The mill was finished in 1839, and cost with real estate, about forty thousand dollars. It proved an unfortunate investment, however, for its projectors, who lost nearly all their property in the venture. In 1847 it passed into the hands of Baylis & Newkirk who ran the mill until 1857. In 1858 Mr. Hayden, the present proprietor bought the property at a bargain, and immediately placed it on a sound financial basis. Mr. Hayden belonged to the original "Forty-niners" who went overland to California in that year. Upon his return he bought an interest in a mill at Jackson with H. A. Hayden, which he sold to purchase this property in 1858. His practical experience in milling at Jackson gave him a good training for the business and he entered upon his new field here fully equipped for the successful career which has awaited him. The theory upon which he has built up the business has been, 1st. To make a first-class mill. 2d, To employ first-class assistants, and keep them.

The water power is one of the best in Southern Michigan. The volume of water is abundant and it has sixteen feet fall. There are three water wheels, one immense overshot, one American turbine, and one Leffel turbine, and the machinery is so arranged as to be run by any one or two of these wheels, should the third one be temporarily disabled from any cause.

The building itself is a massive frame structure with a heavy stone foundation. It is fifty by seventy feet in size with a full basement story and five floors above. The office rooms are in a separate addition at the east end of the building. As fast as new milling machinery appears in the market, it has been utilized in the mill, and Mr. Hayden has always led the van in the introduction of all modern improvements. He was the second miller in Michigan to adopt the Stevens roller process. The mill at present is furnished with the best bolts, cleaners, purifiers, burrs, rolls, etc., which this country can produce. There are seven set of double and two set of single rolls. Besides these are four of the old style burrs which are used for the reduction of middlings. The rollers convert about sixty per cent. of the wheat into flour directly. Then the reduction of the middlings produces the patent process flour, which is the *ne plus ultra* of good milling. Herein is demonstrated the difference between strong red wheat and white wheat. The best grade of Minnesota red wheat will produce over thirty per cent. of patent flour. Clawson will produce about fifteen per cent. of patent.—The two latest inventions introduced are a weigher which is attached to the first set of rolls, and a tallying device attached to the packer. The wheat is weighed when first taken in, then weighed again as it passes thro' the weigher into the rolls, then the flour is measured exactly when conveyed into the packer. Thus it can be ascertained to the fraction of a pound the exact amount of flour which any particular variety of wheat will produce. By this process the miller can tell the exact value of any particular kind of wheat, by the price which the flour will bring in the market. Strong red wheat flour will command $2.00 per barrel more in the Irish market than flour made from Clawson wheat. One of the special "tricks of the trade" and the one requiring the most practical skill is the mixing of red and white wheat in the same lot of flour. Mr. Hayden is continually experimenting in this direction, and some of his most popular brands of flour have been obtained from mixing Minnesota red with Michigan white. In addition to the wheat which is bought at home, large quantities, to the amount of several hundred car loads yearly, are imported from other sections of Michigan and from the western states. The capacity of the mill is now over three hundred barrels per day. Two thousand barrels are frequently turned out between Monday morning and Saturday night.

A word in regard to the employees in the mill. The policy of the proprietor in employing none but first-class men and keeping them has been a wise one. Mr. Jeremiah Root, the business manager and bookkeeper, has filled his present position nearly twenty years, and has been frequently rewarded with an increase of salary. The entire business of the institution moves along like clock work, guided by his methodical hand. The head miller, Geo. S. Wilson, has been 'boss' of the workmen nearly sixteen years and the names of many of the subordinate workmen have graced the pay rolls for more than fifteen years. To the skill and fidelity of his employees, the proprietor attributes, in no small degree, his business success. About twenty hands are constantly employed.

The first year of Mr. Hayden's ownership he shipped out 7000 barrels of flour and bought 5000 bushels of wheat in addition to what was purchased at home. His trade for several years embraced the local sales proper, and shipments to different towns in New York and New England. In 1878 he shipped his first consignment of flour across the Atlantic. For the past five years a large portion of the mill's product has been sold to one firm, J. & E. J. Tighe of Sligo, Ireland. In addition to the flour sold in this vicinity, that firm took the following number of barrels in the first four months of this year:

Jan.—eighteen shipments	5090	barrels.
Feb.—eight "	2355	"
March—twenty-one "	5995	"
April—seventeen "	5136	"

This sketch, although imperfect will give our readers some idea of the mill's workings and capacity. May the burrs and rolls continue to go round each week from Monday morning till Saturday night, and may the shadow of the old "Globe Mill" never grow less.

The Mich. and Ohio R. R. will sell round trip tickets from the following named stations, on Monday May 19th, to those wishing to go to Toledo to attend the Great Forepaugh Show. The fare includes admission to the show, and the train will be held until the close of the afternoon exhibition. Addison, $2.30; Cambridge, $2.00; Tecumseh, $1.60; Ridgeway, $1.50; Brittop, $1.45.

Drs. Flowers, of Grand Rapids, will make a return visit to Tecumseh. Rooms at the Residence of Mrs. Mary Hammond, corner of Chicago and Van Buren streets, Friday and Saturday May 23 and 24 1884. *See Circulars.*

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—Mrs. B. Jones, at her rooms over Adamson's jewelry store, has the most complete stock of Hair Goods ever brought to Tecumseh. Call and examine goods and learn prices.

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"We have all your men in the [illegible] and I think that [illegible]

"What [illegible]

"I think I thought it [illegible] if I had a call [illegible]

"Not [illegible]

"Well, I [illegible] I had [illegible]

"Why, [illegible]

"Well, [illegible]

"Why, [illegible]

"Well, [illegible]

"Why, [illegible]

"Well,

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	9 32 "	5 17 "	
Toledo	10 24 "	6 42 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 55 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	1 42 P.M.
Tecumseh	11 35 "	9 24 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 16 P.M.	10 03 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 38 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 22 "

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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
7 20	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
6 51	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
6 04	6 31	11 32	....Ridgeway....	3 30	10 06	4 02
5 25	6 41	11 43	....Tecumseh....	3 19	9 57	3 42
5 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton.....	3 02	9 42	3 10
4 30	7 10	12 15	....Cambridge....	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
10 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome.....	2 01	8 51	1 20
9 20	8 57	1 07	....Moscow.....	1 53	8 44	1 07
9 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski.....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
11 06	8 40	1 52	....Homer.....	1 06	8 00	11 20
10 32	9 09	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
10 09	9 22	2 34	....Ceresco.....	12 25	7 19	9 46
9 30	9 40	2 56	..Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	....Augusta.....	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Doster.....	11 08		6 51
5 22		4 16	....Monteith....	10 49		6 15
5 39		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	....Kellogg.....	10 33		5 40
6 15		4 45	Ar..Allegan..Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.		A. M.		A. M.

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 01	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bluffton		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
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Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bluffton	3 08	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
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Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 29	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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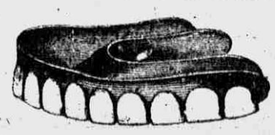

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Fun for the Boys.

At the conclusion of the morning services at the Cathedral Sunday, in Cleveland, a gentleman faultlessly attired in broadcloth and wearing a carefully-brushed silk hat emerged from the church, and, crossing the street to where a number of newsboys and bootblacks were assembled, employed one of the young arabs to black his boots. When the job was accomplished he reached in his pocket and threw the boy a quarter. A newsboy, noticing the gentleman's generosity, ran up and asked him to buy a paper.

"How much do you want for the whole bundle?" asked the stranger, favoring the young merchant with a patronizing smile, and thrusting his hand down into his pocket. The boy hesitated, and shifted uneasily from one foot to the other. "Here," said the gentleman, pulling out a handful of small silver coins, "take this and give me your papers." The exchange was quickly made, and the man started down the street with the papers under his arm. He had gone but a few steps, however, when he returned and gave the papers back to the boy. By this time quite a crowd of street urchins had gathered around the two fortunate objects of the gentleman's generosity, and were regarding him with wide-open eyes.

"I was a bootblack once myself, boys," said he, as he beamed down beneficently upon the ragged coated juveniles, "and I know what a hard time you have to get along. I was a bootblack in New York when I was a boy, and got my first start while handling the brush. Now I'm rich and I like to help the poor boys along. Wait here a moment." With that he went into a neighboring cigar store and had several large bills changed into dimes and quarters. Returning with his pockets bulging with their loads of coin, he squared himself before the crowd, which had by this time augmented by the arrival of more newsboys and bootblacks, and exclaimed: "Now, I want to give you all a chance, so stand off a short distance and when I throw the money out why grab for it." The boys did as directed, and the benevolent individual tossed a handful of coin, quarters and dimes, in and about them. Instantly there was a frantic scramble for the money in which several toughs of the spring-bottom-pants-and-short-hair variety joined, and in fact gathered up a good share of the free lucre. The performance was repeated again and again until about fifty dollars worth of change was exhausted. Then, with a parting smile, in which generosity and good-nature mingled, he turned and disappeared down the street. One of the boys collected enough of the coin to aggregate five dollars, and the others gathered in smaller amounts, ranging from four dollars down. The hoodlums did not leave the field to the boys after the first distribution, but remained and took part in all the subsequent scrambles, the gentleman making no objection. The munificent individual was a rich New Yorker and was stopping at one of the principal hotels.—*Cleveland Herald.*

A Dramatic Incident at Sontay.

The *Saigonnais* narrates a rather dramatic incident which occurred at the capture of Sontay, and brought the resistance of the besieged to an end. The French Admiral, we are told, had taken his stand on some breast-works which had been thrown up near the fortifications, and was personally directing the operations of the attacking forces. In the very heat of the engagement the fire from the town suddenly slackened and soon ceased altogether. The Viceroy of Yun-Nan, it appears, had always believed Sontay to be an impregnable fortress, and when he heard that the French were marching upon it he set out for the place himself, as he wished to be present to witness their defeat, which he regarded as inevitable. Accompanied by the First Lieutenant, or aid-de-camp, of the Chief of the Black Flags, he went from rank to rank encouraging the soldiers, and at length he found himself facing the French Admiral, who in his exposed position, not quite two hundred yards off, presented an inviting target to the enemy. "You have them before you," said the Viceroy, turning to the young officer, "the chief of these bands of barbarians who have sworn to destroy us. You pass for being a skilled marksman; here is an opportunity of proving yourself deserving of your reputation."

The officer put his rifle to his shoulder and took a steady aim at the Admiral; but before he could pull the trigger he fell mortally wounded on the body of the Viceroy, who was shot through the heart almost at the same moment. The news of their death spread immediately through the ranks; the Black Flags fled for refuge to the citadel; and in less than an hour afterward the French flag was floating over Sontay.—*St. James' Gazette.*

That Boy.

Almost every father knows about the inquisitive boy, and frequently has occasions to wish his boys were girls. A North Hill farmer began shaving himself in the presence of his four-year-old hopeful. The boy commenced and kept on with a result somewhat as follows:

"What are you doing, papa?"

"Shaving."

"What you shaving for?"

"To get my face clean."

"Why don't you wash your face to get clean? 'At's the way I do."

"I shave to get the hair off."

"What hair?"

"The hair that grows on my face."

"What hair that grows on your face?"

"My whiskers."

"What are whiskers, Papa?"

"Hair that grows on the face."

"What does the whisker hair grow on the face for?"

"I don't know."

"Why don't you know why whisker hairs grow on the face?"

"Because——"

The interview come to a sudden termination. A long gash and flowing blood was the cause, with the sudden departure of Young America in his mother's arms as an incident.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—A line of railway cars, to be drawn by camels, will constitute one of the peculiar features of travel and transportation in Central Asia.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Nearly one-fifth of all the children in Providence, R. I., of school age, did not attend school a single day during the year 1883.

—Alfred Smith, of Newport, has presented to the Channing Church in that city, as a memorial to his wife, the estate No. 29 Key Street, to be used as a parsonage. It is worth about $20,000.—*N. Y. Times.*

—In Denmark, Bishop Martensen recently examined and ordained two young Esquimaux, who will engage in missionary work in Greenland under the auspices of the State Church of Denmark.

—To the question: "Why did Satan make his approach to Eve and not to Adam?" a religious paper answers: "It may have been because Satan knew that the influence of Eve would be his best help in conquering Adam. Wives are apt to be the most potent pleaders with their husbands.

—It is gratifying to know that the Presbyterian hospital of Philadelphia did not lose anything by its refusal to accept $2,500 from the proceeds of a charity ball. The manager of the institution stood for a principle. Their church pronounced dancing wrong, and they would not accept money that had any suspicion of illegitimacy about it; and an admirer of this spirit has sent the hospital a check for $3,000 to make up the loss.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—The public schools, let it be remembered, send very few out of the large number of criminals in our penitentiaries. Most of them have no education. Very few have had a thorough public school education. The average statistics of the United States show that out of the small per cent. of the people unable to read and write come about one-third of the criminals, and of the remaining two thirds only one in a hundred had been educated in the higher branches.—*Journal of Education.*

—"In the Cabinet circle all religions meet," says the Washington correspondent of the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat.* "The President is a High-Church Episcopalian, although his father was a Baptist preacher, and his sisters are all members of that church. Secretary Folger is a Presbyterian, and sits with the pastor's family in the New York Avenue Church, where Secretary Frelinghuysen and his family, and Postmaster-General Gresham and his family also attend. Secretary Lincoln, like his father, is a Presbyterian, but his wife is from a strong Methodist family, and they generally attend that church. Secretary Chandler and his family go to the Unitarian Church, and are of the advanced and liberal thinkers of that body. Attorney-General Brewster and his wife always worship at the Epiphany, the largest and most fashionable of the Low-Church Episcopal congregations. Secretary Teller and his wife are very devout Methodists."

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—"I could make a fortune if I had a little capital," say numerous young men, but it never occurs to them to go to work and earn the aforesaid capital.

—"Ah!" sighed Brown, "this life is full of disappointments." "Yes," replied Fogg, glancing significantly at Mrs. F., "and some disappointments are full of life."—*Boston Post.*

—A Virginia girl married a tramp, who turned out to be a duke. We've no pity for her. She should have known what he was before she married him.—*Boston Post.*

—How a woman always does up a newspaper she sends to a friend, so that it looks like a well stuffed pillow, is something that no man is woman enough to understand.

—A Williamsport youth sent fifty cents to a New York firm to learn how to keep from swearing, and received in reply: "Don't open your mouth!" he has sworn ever since.—*Williamsport (Pa.) Grit.*

—An Austin man, who has just got out a book of poems, met Gilhooly and the following proceedings were had: "Did you read my new book?" "O, yes, I read it all in the parlor." "My dear sir, I assure you that I laid it aside with a great deal of pleasure."—*Texas Siftings.*

—W. H. Vanderbilt says he never picks up a newspaper that he doesn't see something disagreeable in it about himself. Lend us a half-dollar, old fellow. There's nothing disagreeable about that. We might have asked for a dollar and a half, but this paper is dissimilar, so to speak.—*Merchant Traveller.*

—On the wedding tour: "Don't sit so near the window, darling that we may have the carriage all to ourselves, for there is somebody sure to get in if he sees your pretty face." Thirty years later: "Move up to the window, old woman, so we can have the compartment to ourselves; you will frighten all the other passengers away, you know."—*Detroit Post.*

—A clergyman's daughter, looking over the MSS. left by her father in his study, chanced upon the following sentence: "I love to look upon a young man. There is a hidden potency concealed within his breast which charms and pains me." She sat down and blushingly added: "Them's my sentiments exactly, papa—all but the pains."—*Exchange.*

—"Statistics show that there are at least 11,000 men who can neither play foot-ball nor assist an objectionable visitor to alight from the front stoop," said a sad-eyed Brooklyn bachelor.

"What is the matter with them?" asked his friend.

"They are one-legged," was the cheerful reply.—*N. Y. Journal.*

—Is your sister at home?" asked a St Louis young gentleman of the little brother who answered the bell.

"Yes, she's home," said the boy; "we're goin' to have cocoanut pies for dinner to-morrow, and she's out in the kitchen helpin' mother make 'em."

"Indeed," replied the young man, evidently very much pleased, "and what part of the pie does your sister make?"

"She cracks the cocoanuts with her teeth."—*Philadelphia Call.*

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

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Austina Schoultz, sister of Herman Schoultz, murdered near East Tawas, is reported to have become crazed by the tragedy, as is also Dennis Grice, an estimated citizen of Tawas City.

Persons whose lungs are impaired or have throat diseases should not go to the seashore, as the air is always poisonous to such troubles. Use Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure; it cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, asthma, influenza, and all throat and lung diseases. Montgomery & Co., druggists, Decorah, Iowa, says: "We are having a run on Positive Cure. It gives universal satisfaction." Price 50 cents and one dollar: trial bottles free of Bakes & Hall.

Buchanan isn't a sleepy town by any means, but it will make 100,000 bedsteads this year.

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The work of transcribing the records for the new county of Arenac is almost completed.

A quiet agent, with only one mission to fulfill, came into the hands of Mr. Albert Chandler, of Crumpton, Queen Ann Co., Md. He gave it to his father-in-law, Mr. Goodwin, who was suffering with severe Rheumatism. After a trial he wrote: "It is having a wonderful effect in his case. He regards his possession of it as providential. His wonderful change has astonished the community." The remedy is Athlophoros, a natural antidote for the poison and acid in the blood, whose presence is the precursor and cause of Rheumatic and Neuralgic pains and inflammations.

Hamilton & Foster, of Flint, have sold 40 fine Hereford bulls to an Abilene, Ks., firm.

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Forty converts are the result of J. C. Higgins' revival meetings at Evart.

A Long Snooze.

Rip Van Winkle slept a good while, yet his sleep occurred about 50 years ago, when Down's Elixir first attained its reputation. On awakening he would have been able to recognize this friend of the afflicted, and might have taken another twenty-years nap, and waked up to find Down's Elixir at the end of half a century the most popular and the best Cough Remedy known. Also Baxter's Bitters for Bilious diseases, not so old, but good.

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FOOD.—Some one who is not a French cook, but doubtless knows something about the art, says that Baking Powder should be made from Cream Tartar and Soda only. DeLand & Co., who are large manufacturers of Saleratus and Soda, began the manufacture of their Chemical Baking Powder some time ago on above principles and our merchants are now offering it to an appreciative public. Sold in cans only.

Rev. E. H. Teal, pastor of the Charlotte baptist church, has resigned.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

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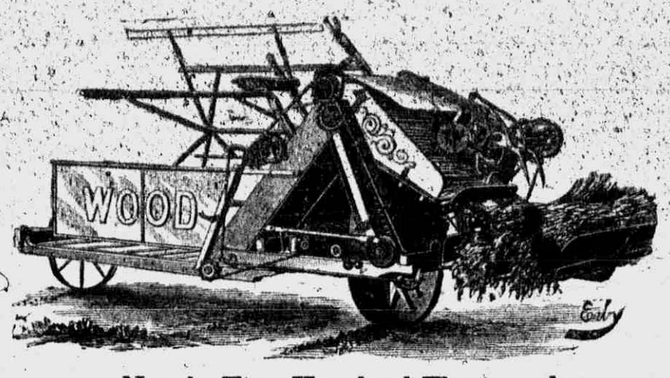

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Beans ₩ bushel	2 25 @ 2 50
Buckwheat ₩ bushel	35 @ 40
Buckwheat flour ₩ hundred	@ 1 50
Bran ₩ hundred	1 00 @ 1 00
Beef Hides	7 @ 8
Calf Skins ₩ lb	7 @ 8
Deer ₩ skin	30 @ 35
Corn ₩ bushel	35 @ 35
Corn meal ₩ bushel	35 @ 35
Cloverseed	5 75 @ 6 00
Chickens dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs ₩ doz	@ 12
Flour ₩ barrel	6 00 @ 7 00
Hogs dressed ₩ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs live ₩ cwt	4 75 @ 5 50
Hay ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey ₩ lb	@ 15
Ham ₩ lb	@ 14
Lard ₩ lb	@ 10
Oats ₩ bushel	28 @ 35
Onions ₩ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes ₩ bushel	35 @ 35
Salt ₩ barrel	@ 1 50
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy seed ₩ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed ₩ lb	@ 10
Wood ₩ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White ₩ bushel	@ 90
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Kalamazoo, May 28.	Lansing, June 9.
Battle Creek, May 29.	Ionia, June 10.
Jackson, May 30.	Grand Rapids, June 11.
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Mat Lancaster, of Brooklyn, stopped with his father, H. Lancaster, over Sunday.

John Nestelle, of Manchester, called on friends in this town last Saturday.

A large number of Clinton people saw the white elephant.

A good many farmers took advantage of the $1 a bushel that was paid for wheat last week, and a considerable amount of that cereal was marketed in this place.

Miss Lucia Kimball will talk temperance in the Baptist church one week from next Sunday.

The Episcopal society is preparing a play, Boots at the Swan's, and intend to present it at one of their socials to be held in the Town Hall in the near future.

Dr. F. B. Adam, who practiced medicine in this town last year, and who now hails from Ann Arbor, called on his Clinton friends last Sunday.

A. G. Burton is making a fine looking roller and land crusher which seems to take very well among the farmers.

Among the mean excuses that men will make to go to a circus, the meanest one is to lay it on to children and say they went to please them.

Children's day will be appropriately observed by the Congregationalists in this place.

D. Keyes and Solomon Brown went to Adrian yesterday morning.

Rev. Kerridge will talk temperance at his church next Sunday evening, taking as a subject, "What the Bible says about Sobriety."

Our people talk of showing their patriotism by holding the largest 4th of July celebration this town has ever had.

Mr. J. D. Kishpaugh visited his brother Peter last Sunday. Mr. Kishpaugh resides in Raisin.

The band boys will try and raise money for uniforms some time this summer.

Harrison Johnson, whose paralytic stroke was reported in these columns last week, is reported as not having made much improvement since his attack.

Thomas Roper has secured the services of a new barber, who comes from Ypsilanti.

A three horse load, tandem style, drove down from Milan to attend the special meeting of the F. & A. M. last Friday night.

The Methodist church has dispensed with congregational singing, and the people now listen to a new choir.

We noticed E. B. Wood of Tecumseh on our streets one day this week.

Dr. J. W. Burchard has returned east for his wife and mother.

Chris Schmitt is repairing and improving the inside of his bakery.

Last Saturday was George Lazell's 55th anniversary in Clinton. This town 55 years ago, he says, contained but 3 or 4 buildings, a few inhabitants, a justice of the peace, and the beautiful farming country surrounding it was a wilderness.

Mrs. Chas. Stoner and her son Eddie, came from Livingston county to visit Ed. Powell in Bridgewater, a few weeks ago, and shortly after arriving here, Eddie was taken sick. After a short but severe illness he died on the 17th inst. and was buried in Clinton the 18th, the funeral services being held at the residence of Mr. Powell.

J. J. White is a model gardener, as well as tailor. One day this week he displayed a bunch of pie-plant, several stalks of which measured over 30 inches.

John Boyce died at his residence in the eastern part of this township last Friday. Funeral services were held at the house last Sunday morning. Mr. Boyce was 89 years old.

Among our citizens who had business in Adrian Tuesday, we noticed E. W. Freese, E. R. Smith, Wm. Silvers, E. Van De Mark, J. B. Hause, Cassius Fisk and Dr. J. W. Burchard.

Rev. Kerridge addressed a large audience at his church last Sunday evening, on John Knox and the Covenanters.

We hear that the council are talking of using a little of the money derived from the saloon licenses in building a sidewalk on Coman street to the cemetery.

Clinton Lodge F. & A. M. held a special meeting last Friday night. We hear that this lodge is considered a fine working one, and at this special meeting, guests to the number of about 60 were present from Manchester, Tecumseh, Brooklyn, Milan, Petersburg and Adrian. They were treated to a bachelors' banquet some time during the evening, expressed themselves as very much pleased with the manner in which they were entertained, and will come again when invited.

The Episcopal social will be held this (Thursday) evening at the residence of B. O. Randall. Ice cream will lead the bill of fare.

The ladies' Baptist social for the election of officers was held last Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Geo. C. Calhoun.

Clinton claims to be one of the best egg markets in this county. Two cents more a dozen have been paid here some days this week, than they were worth in Detroit.

The National Societies of the Baptist denomination are holding their annual session in Detroit. The meetings began Wednesday. Mr. Payne is in attendance.

MACON MOLECULES.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coller spent Sunday in Milan, with their son, Jesse.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge gave a lecture Sunday afternoon on "John Knox and the covenanters."

Rev. Mr. Ready, of Hillsdale college, preached at the Baptist church Sunday, morning and evening.

The ladies of the M. E. church met at Henry Miller's last Friday P. M. to form a Ladies' Aid Society. The society was duly organized with an executive committee of five and Miss Estelle Miller as secretary. The society will hold a session every two weeks.

John Henry a much respected citizen of Macon died last week Thursday. The funeral took place at the late residence of the deceased last Sunday.

We have a shoemaker now—a Mr. Parker, from Adrian. We welcome Mr. Parker to our hamlet and trust that he will get many "bad soles to cobble."

What strange notions some Ridgeway people must have! Can't a young lady from that neighborhood visit Macon without being saluted on her return with "Wish you much joy?"—We will say for the benefit of the curious of that vicinity that hymen has not of late played any of his tricks in our midst.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

The old cottage house on North st. has taken a location next Dr. Nelson's lot and will be made into a public hall.

The genial face of Samuel Sharp is again to be seen at the P. O. If permanent arrangements could be made for him to remain the public would be much better accommodated at the post office.

Rev. G. W. Hudson, of Tecumseh, will exchange pulpits with our minister next Sunday morning.

The next meeting of the Literary Society will be held Friday evening. The committee have arranged one of the best programs that can be produced, leaving out the debate which usually protracts the meetings to an unsatisfactory length.

Rev. D. R. Shire, of Hudson, will address the friends of temperance reform in the lecture room of the M. E. church next Wednesday evening.—His purpose will be first to work up the interest of the Alliance of which he will fully explain the workings and present objects, collect dues, &c., and second, organize, if thought best, a Union club in the interest of legal prohibition. All who desire to understand the present status of the temperance question should be present.

ONSTED ODDS.

Corn planting is nearly over and we are now ready for some warmer weather.

Carpenters commenced work on a house for Wm. Onsted, on Monday last.

Quite a number from this place took advantage of the reduced rates, last Monday, and went to Toledo.

Philo Lonsburg, of Reed City, formerly a resident of this township, has been visiting friends here.

Chauncy Cooper has been making repairs on his house. Frank Jenkins, a painter from Tipton, is there putting on the finishing touches.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Geo. Bangs went to Detroit yesterday and will return Thursday.

One year ago to-day occurred the big snow storm long to be remembered.

Manager Bowen now sends sun time over the line at 8 o'clock P. M., an arrangement which is quite convenient for most of the operators.

David Carson has gone to work for Passmore, in the hotel.

Atwater Mangas has a new swarm of bees out already this spring, something unusual.

S. P. Sheldon, who has been wrestling with the mumps and fever, is able to be out again.

N. M. Sutton has planted 75 acres of corn with a check row planter.

Asher Wilson has 11 acres of potatoes planted and 15,000 cabbage for the early market. He is to the front as boss gardener.

John Burtless, of Franklin, took the M. & O. Monday for Battle Creek. He goes to negotiate for a new threshing separator. John proposes to have a threshing out-fit second to none.

Monday evening, C. T. Line operators were startled by fire! fire! fire! coming over the line. On further inquiry it proved a false alarm, it being reported that Chaplin's rake factory had taken fire.

Meterological report from observations taken at Tecumseh station, by L. G. North M. D., for the week ending Tuesday morning May 20th, 1884

Maximum thermometer, Monday 79°
Minimum thermometer, Tuesday 38°
Rain .80 inches.
Prevailing winds, S. W.
Barometric range, .47 inches.
Maximum Barometer, Friday, 29.20 inches.
Minimum Barometer, Monday, 28.73 inches.

The low barometer occurred Monday morning, preceding the rain. It should be remembered that a meterological day begins and ends at 7 A. M.

TIPTON TATTLE.

At the re-organization of the M. E. Sunday School the following named persons were elected:

Supt.—Abram DeLong
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. Julia Fridd.
Secretary—William Smith.
Treasurer—Mrs. Hattie Hanford.
Librarian—Chas. Kemp.
Organist—Mrs. Josie Kemp,
Choister—John W. VanVolkenburg.

Rev. Van Anthrop of Morenci preached in the Congregational church last Sabbath evening, but according to rumor Rev. Mr. Brown of Kalamazoo is soon to fill its regular pastorate.

Mr. Camburn at the age of nearly 90 years is often seen walking on the streets. He seems to think that his growing infirmities result largely from the fact that he ceased work.

Several cases of mumps in this vicinity are being administered among the juveniles with a full allowance of severity.

Mr. Knight having lingered on the sick list for some weeks is evidently improving.

Mr. Billington's new building is about finished.

Mr. Hanford is repairing his barn.

Fruit trees are splendidly flowered.

The funeral services of Pliny Stout were held in the M. E. church by the pastor last sabbath. The deceased came to his death by a rupture caused by a sudden strain to save himself when falling a few days before. Pliny was only twenty years of age, possessed an amiable disposition, cultivated commendable habits and adorned himself with a most excellent character. He met death without a fear regarding his future, for he was ready for the final hour. The congregation at the funeral was the largest seen in this village for a long time.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Befuddling the understanding is a game which has been played successfully the entire week, and was nicely illustrated Saturday evening at Union Hall, by Harvey the magician. Notwithstanding his explanations, first illusions melted into others, and swallowing cages full of birds or transforming water into wine, appeared as reasonable to the eyes as a self multiplying story of Crouch vineyard to the public ear. In his hands seeming-and being were affiliated sufficiently to produce evanishment of imagination, and if he had been entrusted with that blue box of papers they would have slipped so deftly into the vacuums of no-where that no process of canning could hive them either for burial or resurrection. Just as he is, he isn't; and could be a friend of priceless value to heroes at the great farm.

Mrs. Ambler died early Sunday morning. She has lived near seventy-seven years, and most of that time has been connected with the Baptist church. She will be missed by ministers and missionaries, as well as her family and neighbors. Whoever came to lend a helping hand, in the name of humanity, was ever made welcome to her home, and memory of church and ministers remained after all else faded.

The Clinton Blue Lodge entertained a large number of visiting brethren from Tecumseh, Milan, Manchester and Brooklyn last Friday evening. Five Masters were in attendance and one hundred and twenty brothers. After the third degree meeting was concluded, a bountiful repast was served in the dining room. The Clinton Masons never do anything by halves. The entire affair did credit to the entertainers and was heartily enjoyed by the entertained.

THE SALOON BOND QUESTION.

So much has been said and written concerning the action of the Village Council in regard to the acceptance of the liquor bonds, that as a member of the council, I beg leave through your columns to make a brief statement of my action in the matter, and the motive that actuated me in so doing. In this article I shall notice particularly the editorial contained in the last issue of "The Baptist Home" bearing on this subject.

I claim to be a temperance man. I hate the liquor traffic in all its horrid details, from the bottom of my heart, and believe it to be the curse of the world; the source of nearly all the crime and poverty in the land. I would strike as hard blows, at the right place, the source of the evil, for its abolition, as any man living. But I have ceased to revile and ostracize men engaged in selling liquor made legal by the government. My action in this matter was based on equal justice to all men, on the broad platform of humanitarianism. I believe we are wholly creatures of education and circumstances, and should exercise the broadest charity toward each other. If charity was extended to the erring by those claiming to be gospel temperance people, to the extent it was by Him whom they call Master and profess to follow, and strike at the fountain head of intemperance, instead of at the men appointed to carry it on, their influence would be more widely felt and the cause of temperance would receive an impetus. I believe there are but few men found among the liquor dealers, if treated as men, and uniformly approached in a spirit of kindness and reasoned with as men, not brutes, but what would acknowledge the evil of their business, and in time would fall into the temperance ranks and work might and main for its abolition. But with their business persistently assailed, and the government receiving one of its chief sources of revenue from it, they array themselves against you, just as you would do under similar circumstances. This man is just as much your brother, if there is any truth in Christianity, as the man sanctified and washed in the blood of the lamb, and you should be more solicitous about his welfare, particuly as regards the future. Just so long as you stand rapped up in robes of self-rightousness and say "stand back thou unholy one," you may expect a determined opposition to temperance and the movement retarded. Treat him like a brother and you will heap coals of fire on his head.

I believe that every member of the council acted out his honest convictions, uninfluenced, basing their action on the principle that this traffic is legalized by the government, and no council in equity, has a right to reject bonds presented to them with unexceptionable security. There was but one disenting vote, cast by Mr. Adams. He voted his honest sentiment, the same as the rest of us did. I respect him for it. I respect every man's opinion, no matter how differing from mine, if he is honest in it. It is said in this article that the bonds were acted upon at a special meeting called for another purpose entirely, which is true. They were presented at this special meeting and disposed of, the same as any other business would have been had it been brought before us. It was certainly a more fitting occasion for action than at the regular meeting when you had made every preparation to storm the fort, and force the council to carry out your ideas.

I will state here that I voted for the rejection of the bonds at this regular meeting and offered the resolution for an indefinite postponement for the very purpose of having more time to think about it. It is further said that one of the opposition members was absent not having received notice through the P. O., inferring that the transaction was underhanded and preconcerted. This member was Mr. Bresie, who called on me the day following and expressed his regrets and disappointment at not being present, and seemed to think something was wrong that he did not get a notice. But he said emphatically that if he had been there he would have voted with us, and heartily endorsed the action of the council. Again, that our action was based on the supposition that the closing of the saloons would be detrimental to the business interests. This I deny so far as I am concerned. I do not believe it would have effected business at all. If I had believed it right to vote for the rejection of the bonds I would have done so if it had knocked business into a cocked hat. I wouldn't give a picayune for a man, afraid to act out and speak his honest convictions on any subject when occasion calls for it, regardless of his business.

The council are determined to prosecute any saloon-keeper that violates the law, if sufficient evidence can be obtained to make out a case. We have performed out duty towards them conscientiously, and we expect and demand that they conduct their business strictly within the bounds of the law.

G. P. SPARKS.

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THE SLUGGARD SLUGGED.

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ON A RUNAWAY TRAIN.

Probably no occupation is subject to greater perils, no life more filled with incidents natural in a moments time to develop the dangerous and thrilling experiences than that of a locomotive engineer, and no death is so sudden, or it may be, even, so protracted and horrible in suffering, as that which often falls to the lot of these heroes of the throttle and the lever.

The incident which I am about to relate will serve to illustrate some of the dangers to which I have referred.

It was a sultry day, and tired of my long ride westward, and the heat and confinement of the cars, I took the opportunity, while the train waited for connections, to walk along the road to refresh myself. As I was strolling by the engine, an unusually fine one, I stopped to admire it, and presently began a conversation with the engineer, who seemed good-humored and friendly, and whom I perceived to be a very intelligent man. Seeing my interest in his engine, he presently invited me to take a seat in the cab; and during the half hour we were compelled to wait at the station he gave me many practical points of his vocation, concluding with the following narrative of an experience, without a parallel, so far as I know, in the annals of life on the rail. He said:

"In the summer of '72 I was promoted to passenger engine 49, the same we are in now. It was, and is still, one of the finest and fastest engines on the line. The road had then been built only two or six years, but was already doing a large freight and passenger business.

"The division that I ran over was a long one—a hundred and twenty miles. The 'crews' called it the 'ridge,' because it was up grade from both ends to nearly the middle. The grade was pretty heavy for a part of the way, so when there happened to be a long train an extra engine, called a 'helper,' was ordered out to help the regular engine up the grade. At the top was a lake and a sidetrack where helpers usually took a breather. It was the duty of 49 to take the westbound express over this division.

"One evening there happened to be several coaches of excursionists beside the regular train, and consequently an extra engine, but not the regular 'helper,' as it happened, had been ordered up to help me over the grade. I felt rather uneasy when I saw 'No. 14' back down and couple on in front of me.

"No. 14 was a very good engine, as good as any on the road for power, weight and speed, but she was in charge of an engineer whom I distrusted, Dick Rogers, a large, heavy, but fast and headstrong man, much too fond of liquor. He went on his 'sprees' when off duty, and so had been allowed to keep his place; but it was whispered among the 'boys,' that he had had touches of tremens already.

"You can never quite trust a man with an appetite for liquor; put that down in black and white.

"I became more uneasy when I mounted Dick's engine to talk with him a minute and compare watches, for I detected the smell of whisky in his breath, and saw that his face was red and his eyes bloodshot.

"At length 'All aboard!' was given, the gong struck, and we pulled out. Sidetracks, streets, houses and signal-lights were soon passed. As we got out on the main line, we quickened speed and soon were going up the grade at a rate of about thirty miles an hour.

"The westbound express made but two stops in the entire distance to the 'summit.' We made these all right and on time. Everything was working as well as usual. It had grown dark and as the forward engine prevented my seeing the track ahead, I leaned back after a time on my cushion. My own son, Johnny, was firing for me, then.

"Poor boy! He was only nineteen. I didn't want him to go on the road, but he begged so hard, that I took him on to fire for me. Well, I sat watching him as he now and then replenished the fire, and listening to the drum-like sound of the exhaust. You know that noise; so unvaried and continuous tends to quiet and benumb the senses. I must have sat so for a minute or two.

"Suddenly, Johnny called out to me, 'Aint you running faster than usual, father?' he shouted.

"I started and looked out. The engine was swaying violently; and though I could see but little in the darkness, I knew that we were on the level stretch and getting near the side track, at the summit where No. 14 was to unhook from us.

"What did Dick mean by not slowing up? I at once shut off steam and then sprang on the air brake.

"There was a rapid slackening of speed for a few moments—then a sharp snap and a shrill hiss!

"The rubber hose had burst; the vacuum brakes were useless! and, the speed at once quickening again, we went tearing past the side track and entered on the long stretch of down-grade beyond, where with the patent brake burst, the efforts of both engines would be needed to stop or hold the train.

"Angry and astonished that Rogers could be so utterly careless, I ran to Johnny set the tender brakes, and opened the front window of the cab, to shout to the secondary man ahead. Meanwhile the train-men of color, or some one else, was pulling furiously at the bell cord from the top of the cab. The signals I had ordered the train [illegible] by the sound of the bell, were given [illegible] the engine was blowing [illegible] pressure of steam. Every [illegible] obeyed, at the sound in [illegible].

"All the time we were [illegible] behind Dick's locomotive, [illegible] a wild angle rose from the front engine. [illegible] we were [illegible] through the tries, and I felt we were going faster than ever. I blew again—louder and longer than before. This time it was answered, by three shrieks from the miner whistle, followed by a number of the most awful oaths that ever came out of a human throat!

"I knew then what was the cause of the reckless speed. Rogers was drunk, crazy drunk, and was running away with [illegible]. And we were powerless to stop him.

"What a situation! Yet this was not the worst. As we had not stopped at the summit, we were now running ahead of orders and ahead of time, and were liable to run into a train coming up the line. It was of no use to reverse my engine against the whole force of the train, and that of the other engine besides. Once more I blew the signal for 'down brakes.'

"Just then a light shone ahead. It was the lamp of the station where we usually passed an up-freight. The head-light of the freight was not there! For an instant I felt faint and sick. I saw the terrible danger from which it seemed there could be no escape. The freight usually reached the station before we did, but we were so much ahead of time that it had not yet arrived. Yet it could not be very far away, and with our heavy train running at lightning speed, crowded with passengers as it was, a collision must occur.

"For an instant I felt paralyzed. Then it occurred to me that perhaps the freight might be a little behind time, and possibly had not yet passed the next station below. That was our only chance for life. With trembling hands I tore a leaf out of my memorandum book and wrote:

"'For Heaven's sake, clear the line! We've lost control of the train.—Williams.'

"Wadding this up with a lump of coal in my handkerchief, I left just time to throw it as we swept by the telegraph office at the station. By good luck it hit the door, and I saw the door open as we rushed out of sight. If the freight had not yet passed the next station below, it could be ordered to the side track there and so clear the road for us.

"Just then, through the open window, I saw Rogers' fireman a slight little fellow—coming along the running board beside the boiler of our engine.

"'For God's sake!' he cried, though I could scarcely hear him above the roar—'Stop her! stop her! Rogers is blind drunk! He'll kill us all!'

"I saw now that our only chance for life was to board Rogers' engine, overpower him and get control of it. It was a life and death business. But one man had better risk than a whole train full.

"By this time the conductor and brakeman had come to ward, but were so excited and alarmed that they were good for nothing to help me. They clung to the platform rail on the express car, behind the tender, and shouted 'Stop her! stop her!'

"'Boys,' I said, to Johnny and Jim (Rogers' fireman), we must get aboard that other engine and knock Rogers down. Take the coal sledges and come after me.'

"The prospect of a hand-to-hand conflict with a madman was a terrible one. But I dared not stop to think of my own chances. The heavy bar which reached from my own engine to the other was about six feet long, and the only way to cross over was to get astride the bar and slide along on it. I led the way, first throwing my wrench over on the tender, then I cautiously got down on the bar and began to work my way across. It was a desperate act. The suck and rush of air behind the tender, and the tremendous swaying and jerking nearly threw me off several times. But I kept a tight grip on the bar and got across, climbed upon the tender and made my way over the coal.

"There stood Rogers, steadying himself, as the locomotive leaped and bounded on, with his back to me. He had not seen me; and I determined to wait an instant till he opened the fire-door again, then knock him down and tie him—for I was no match for him physically. I heard nothing of Johnny or Jim, but dared not turn to look for them.

"Suddenly, as I stood there poising myself to spring on Rogers, we swept like lightning round a curve and mercifully heaven! less than a mile down the track gleamed the headlight of the freight!

"Rogers saw it, too, and the awful danger broke through the crazing spell of the liquor. With a strange, scared cry he settled back upon his cushion, limp and helpless.

"But I scarcely noticed him. There was not a moment—even for disabling him. With one bound I was in the cab and blew the whistle, then threw back the reversing lever. The shock of the reverse steam almost lifted the engine from the track and me, from my seat. The big drivers spinning around on the rails looked like circles of living fire, and enveloped the engine in a perfect shower of sparks! Nobly now did old 14 struggle and groan as if herself conscious of the terrible danger.

"'Twas vain! As well might we have tried to stop an avalanche or oppose a flood. Nearer and nearer we came to that dreaded light.

"Onward we drove, and in another moment I saw that to stop was impossible, that the collision would come. Instinctively I closed the throttle and turned to jump. Then I thought of those I was leaving to their awful fate. If I stuck to my post, I could perhaps lessen the shock and save many lives—even if I lost my own. Better one home should be desolate than a score, and again I threw back the reversing lever, bracing myself to meet the shock, when, suddenly, I saw the freight headlight dart—dart to one side!

"Could it be?

"Yes, praised be God for His mercy to us that night, the freight was going on the side-track at that station, and getting the danger, its engineer had barely time to pull up and get by track of the main line when, with diminished speed, we passed by.

"To stop the train and pull Rogers off his engine was the work of a few minutes. The shock which I feared would kill him, had sobered him. When I descended to the cab, I found a sorry, shaken wretch, whose whole energy was spent in long repentance.

"Of the terrible blow was said not a word, for, like a Journal correspondent, in trying to escape the consuming fire, to help his comrades, Rogers had died afraid of. I know in a moment that he must have been crazed. For we were running seventy miles an hour. I was obliged to go on. But two hours later the station-men found him, seven miles back, lying mangled and dead at the foot of some rocks a few yards from the track.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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I agree that the tax of carrying clothes about the waist is utterly unjustifiable, and that the parts that should bear the burden are the shoulders and none other. In this regard women ought to be placed under just the same favorable conditions for movement of the body as men, and the greatest emancipation that women will ever have achieved will have arrived when she has discovered and carried out this practical improvement.

In saying this I do not for a moment wish to suggest that the outward appearance of the feminine dress should be like that of the masculine dress. To the woman, the flowing robe which even trespass a little on the ground, is most graceful, and is signally characteristic of feminine beauty. I would therefore that it should remain in all its gracefulness, but in so far as everything else is concerned, for every circumstance in which health is involved, for warmth, for freedom of movement, for mode by which the dress is carried from the shoulders, I would say: Let the women have all the advantages which now belong to the men.

For any one who will for a moment think candidly must admit that the dress of men, however bad it may be in taste, or in whatever bad taste it may have been conceived, is, in respect to health, infinitely superior to that of women. In the dress of the man every part of the body is equally covered. The middle of the body is not enveloped in a number of close layers, while the lower limbs are left without close clothing altogether. The center of the body is not weighed with a weight which almost drags down the lower limbs and back. The chest is not exposed to every wind that blows, and the feet are not bewildered with heavy garments which they have to kick forward or drag from behind with every advancing step. The body is clothed equally. The clothing is borne by the shoulders; it gives free motion to breathing; it gives freedom of motion to the circulation; it makes no undue pressure on the digestive organs; it leaves the limbs free; it is easily put on and off; and it allows of ready change in vicissitudes of weather. These are the advantages of modern style for the man, and all I claim is that they should, by faithful copy, be extended to the woman, with the one exception of the graceful outer gown or robe, as a supplement to her own superior grace and beauty.

It is told of the late eminent surgeon Mr. Cline, the teacher of Sir Astley Cooper, that when he was consulted by a lady on the question how she should prevent a girl from growing up missmarrers, he replied: "Let her have no stays and let her run about like the boys." I gladly re-echo this wise advice of the great surgeon; and I would venture to add to it another suggestion. I would say to the mothers of England: Let your girls dress like your boys, make no difference whatever in respect to them—give them knickerbockers, if you like—with these exceptions that the undergarments be of a little lighter material, and that they be supplemented by an outer gown or robe which shall take the place of the outer coat of the boys, and shall make them look distinctively what they are—girls clothed cap a pie, and well clothed from head to foot.—*London Lancet.*

Charles O'Conor.

Charles O'Conor was in this city recently and his vanity was mightily tickled by the frequent remark from his friends of "Why, how hale and hearty you look, Mr. O'Conor." The distinguished old lawyer does certainly appear like a man who has taken a new lease of life, and he is delighted when people tell him so. Mr. O'Conor would like to live forever, and if he knew where he could find the fountain of perpetual youth he would go to the ends of the earth for it if necessary. Some years ago Mr. O'Conor was engaged in an important law suit in which many very old people appeared as witnesses. He was struck by the fact that some of these were ninety odd years of age, and that these who owned to sixty and seventy thought themselves yet young. Future inquiry brought out the fact that they were mostly all from Nantucket. He made himself a promise that if ever he could get away from his practice and settle down to the serious business of prolonging his life he would go to Nantucket. Accordingly in Nantucket he now lives, so admirably preserved in the flying brine of that saline atmosphere that his life is likely to be indefinitely continued. Wherever he goes, Nantucket as a place of residence has a boom.—*N. Y. Times.*

—Ex-President Hayes is said to have a more elaborate set of scrap books, classified and indexed, than any other public man in the country. He began the collection of scraps when he was a young lawyer in Cincinnati. When he was President he kept one of his clerks constantly busy cutting and pasting slips from the newspapers.

—A man named Limberger has turned up at Rochester, N. Y., who claims that he hasn't a cent to his name.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 20, 1882.

"Gentlemen: My father, resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

MR. CALL introduced a bill in the Senate on the 14th authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to overrule and reverse the decisions of the inferior officers of the Treasury Department in respect to all matters of accounts; referred to the Judiciary Committee. The Senate took up the bill providing for the establishment of a bureau of labor statistics, and Mr. Blair urged its passage. Pending debate the Senate adjourned. In the House a memorial was presented from the Women's Silk Culture Association for the establishment of a silk culture bureau; referred. Mr. Bland, from the Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures, reported a bill to establish a mint at St. Louis; referred to Committee of the Whole. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill. After debate the bill was read by paragraphs for amendments. Mr. Robinson, of New York, moved to abolish the office of Minister to Great Britain. The motion was lost, and the committee rose. Adjourned.

MR. MORGAN offered a resolution in the Senate on the 15th, directing the Committee on Finance to examine into the causes of the failures of such of the National Banks in the city of New York as have suspended business in May, 1884, and report whether the said failures have to any and what extent resulted from a violation of the laws regarding their conduct, or from giving certificates upon drafts, or by their accepting drafts upon other commercial paper drawn upon them directly or indirectly in evasion or in violation of the laws, and whether any National bank in New York has been engaged since July 12, 1882, in violation or evasion of the laws regulating their conduct, and that the committee have leave to sit during the session and have leave to visit New York and for persons of papers and examine witnesses under oath. A bill by Mr. McCullom to put speculation on the part of officials in National Banking Association was referred to the Committee on Finance. The bill to aid the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition at New Orleans was debated at length, but without action. The Senate adjourned until the 19th. In the House the morning hour was dispensed with and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the diplomatic consular appropriation bill. Upon reaching a vote upon an amendment to the bill, a point of no quorum was raised, and the committee therefore rose. The Senate amendments to the bill for the World's Centennial and Cotton Exposition were concurred in. Adjourned.

THE House in Committee of the Whole on the 16th considered the consular diplomatic appropriation bill. The amendment offered by Mr. Cannon appropriating $110,000 for contingent expenses of the United States Consuls, was lost. After debate the bill was laid aside with favorable recommendation and the committee proceeded to the consideration of the army appropriation bill. The committee rose and reported the bill to the House but no further action was taken. At the evening session the House passed thirty-two pension bills and adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

BILLS were passed in the House on the 17th: Extending until December 31, 1885, the duration of the Court of Commissioners of the Alabama claims; to change the Eastern and Southern Judicial Districts of Texas and to attach part of the Indian Territory to those districts; for the appointment of two additional justices of the Supreme Court of Dakota. The Senate amendment to the Indian appropriation bill was non-concurred in. Pending discussion of the bill to amend the act dividing the State of Missouri into two judicial districts, the House adjourned....The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

THE Secretary of the Treasury announces that the department is prepared to redeem the bonds embraced in the one hundred and twenty-seventh call, prior to date of maturity; June 20, 1884, with interest to date of presentation.

IT is estimated that at least 60,000 Dunkards from all parts of the Union will meet in annual convention at Stillwater Junction, near Dayton, O., the latter part of this month.

THE will of the late John F. Slater, of Norwich, Conn., bequeaths $200,000 to his son-in-law, Francis Bartlett; $1,000,000 in trust to Mr. Bartlett for his daughter, a miss of ten summers; and the residue of his estate valued at over $10,000,000, is left to his son, W. A. Slater, who is about twenty-eight years of age and unmarried.

THE President has issued a proclamation restoring to the public domain the lands set apart by executive order as a reservation for the Jicarilla Apache Indians, in the northern part of New Mexico, embracing 307,000 acres.

AT the first annual meeting of the Ohio Association of ex-Prisoners of War, held at Fremont, O., on the 14th, a resolution was adopted asking the Legislature to memorialize Congress in favor of granting pensions to ex-prisoners of war. Five delegates were selected to the National Association to be held in Detroit August 13 and 14.

THE Papachoag Mill at Worcester, Mass., burned on the 16th. Over twenty persons were injured by jumping to the ground, several of whom it is thought will die. The mill was used for the manufacture of woolen yarn. Loss $150,000; insured for $112,000.

A HEAVY frost was reported in the southern part of Wisconsin on the 16th, which damaged fruit and crops in the lowlands. Water was frozen in many places.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended May 16, were in the United States 182, Canada 27; total 209; an increase of 18 over the previous week.

THREE negroes, Riley Anderson and James and Alfred McCullough, father and son, were executed on the same scaffold at Greenville, S. C., on the 16th for the murder of Lon Griffiths.

BANK EXAMINER SCRIBA telegraphed to Washington from New York on the 16th that he considered the trouble over so far as the associated banks are concerned.

THE Controller of the Currency has directed the bank examiners throughout the country to make a special and thorough examination of all the National banks and to report by telegraph to Washington at once any weakness or violation of the law. The Controller thinks there will be no further trouble in New York, but says there are weak spots in the National banking system in various parts of the country, and he proposes to see that they are strengthened so far as he is able.

THE Newark (N. J.) Savings Institution closed its doors on the 16th. The bank officials claim that the recently suspended firm of Fisk & Hatch owe the Institution a million dollars.

AT Russellville, Ark., on the 16th the horses attached to a wagon with a wedding party ran away, throwing four persons out, killing Mrs. Peller, and dangerously wounding Mrs. Albert Lyons.

IN compliance with an order to reduce expenses wherever possible, 350 men were discharged at the close of work on the 16th in the shops of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad at Reading.

THE fourteenth Quadrennial General Conference of the Methodist Church met at Baltimore, Md., on the 16th. Rev. W. S. Hammond was elected President, and Rev. S. K. Spahr, of the Ohio Conference, Secretary. The statistics of the church show 48 conferences, with 1,409 itinerant and 1,977 local preachers, and 125,611 members. There are 1,813 church buildings and parsonages, valued at $2,988,400. The church has 1,624 Sunday schools, 14,222 officers and 8,832 scholars; missionary collections for the year, $837,475; collections for ministerial education, $35,383; churches built last year, 66; value, $381,165; average value, $1,977; parsonages built last year, 22; value, $43,34.

THE House Judiciary Committee has decided that Congress has no legal right to declare the forfeiture of the land grant of the New Orleans, Baton Rouge & Vicksburg Railroad Company.

A CAR-LOAD, twenty thousand pounds of salmon, were shipped a few days ago from Dallas, Oregon, to New York—the first ever shipped from Oregon. The company guarantee it through time, nine days.

THE English and Scotch owners of twenty-eight thousand acres of mineral lands near Chattanooga have decided to erect two large blast furnaces on the tract with a capacity of two hundred and fifty tons.

EXCESSIVE rains in Texas have been very detrimental to crops of all kinds, especially cotton and wheat.

THE fruit crop in Washington Territory promises to be unusually large this season.

TEN-CENT and nickel subscriptions from all parts of the country are increasing the Bartholdi pedestal fund about $1,000 per week.

PLANTING in many parts of Louisiana is delayed by back water.

THE New York Legislature adjourned sine die on the 16th.

A WAGON bridge costing $50,000 is to be built across the Alabama River at Selma, Ala.

THE flurry that has excited Wall Street during the past week has entirely subsided, and a healthy feeling prevails in the financial circles of all the large cities of the country. A large amount of money was placed in American stocks by English capitalists during the panic.

WILLIAM H. DOANE, a telegraph operator, on the 17th fell from the Grand River railroad bridge at Painesville, O., to the river bed, a distance of over one hundred feet, striking in about six feet of water. He swam ashore, apparently but little the worse for the frightful fall.

A COLLISION occurred between two engines on the New York Central Railroad, near Chittenango, N. Y., on the 17th. Both engines were badly wrecked; George F. Perley, engineer, was killed, and the other engineer and both firemen badly injured.

THE New York & Hudson Railway repair shops at New York were partially destroyed by fire on the 18th. Three passenger cars and three locomotives were burned. Loss $200,000.

FIVE prisoners were publicly whipped at New Castle, Del., on the 16th, a burglar getting twenty lashes in addition to an hour in the pillory.

MEMORIAL services were held on the 18th in the Disciple Church at Wellington, O., over the death of Harry Wood and family who went down in the lost steamer State of Florida. The church was decorated with beautiful floral designs and crowded to overflowing. Rev. F. H. Moore preached an able and appropriate sermon.

THE M. E. General Conference at Philadelphia on the 17th adopted the report of the Itineracy Committee, declaring it inexpedient to take action as to licensing women to preach.

THE tobacco crop in Lancaster county, Pa., has been greatly damaged by frost.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended May 10: Loans decrease, $6,784,300; specie increase, $2,527,600; legal tenders decrease, $1,956,200; deposits decrease, $12,621,500; circulation unchanged, $227,300; reserve decrease, $1,328,428. The banks held $3,127,025 in excess of legal requirements.

THE United States Treasurer on the 17th forwarded $8,000,000 in legal tenders to the Assistant Treasurer at New York for use in case of necessity.

COLONEL J. F. H. Clarborne, historian, died at Natchez, Miss., on the 17th, aged seventy-seven. He had represented Mississippi several terms in Congress, and had in preparation a history of Mississippi and the Southwest at the time of death.

THE New Orleans *Picayune* is printed on paper made from bazassa, the refuse of the sugar cane fiber. It is claimed to be superior to any paper made by any mill in the United States.

A YALE student was expelled last week for stealing books from the library to sell to a second-hand dealer.

IN 1879 the value of animals exported from Boston was a little over $4,000,000; last year it was considerably over $7,000,000. No live hogs have been exported for the last two years from Boston.

THE movement to secure the repeal of all internal revenue tax on tobacco, started by the officers of the New England Tobacco Growers' Association, has taken definite shape. An appeal to the tobacco industry of the whole country was adopted.

ACCORDING to Railroad Commissioner Fink, of New York, railroad freights will continue very low, and rates of east bound grain will probably not advance above fifteen cents per hundred pounds from Chicago to New York.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Democrats of Virginia met in State convention at Richmond on the 14th. John T. Harris addressed the meeting on the subject of the tariff and Danville riots. Delegates were nominated to the Chicago convention.

THE New Jersey Democratic State Convention convened at Trenton on the 14th, Senator McPherson in the chair, and after adopting a platform declared in favor of Tilden and Hendricks.

THE Louisiana Democratic State Convention is called for Baton Rouge June 17.

JULIUS KURZER, editor of the Cleveland (O.) *Waechter am Erie*, died on the 16th at his home in Cleveland, aged forty nine.

GENERAL WILLIAM H. H. TERRILL, Adjutant General of Indiana during the war, and at one time Third Assistant Postmaster General, died at Indianapolis on the 16th of consumption.

DRS. W. X. NINDE, J. M. Walden, W. F. Mallalieu and C. H. Fowler were elected Bishops by the Methodist Conference at Philadelphia on the 15th.

GEORGE C. MOUND, a prominent Maryland attorney, died at Baltimore on the 16th.

VICTOR FISBOURG, a Waterloo veteran, died in New York on the 15th aged ninety-one.

REUBEN FLOY, recently taken to the Madison County (O.) Infirmary, is said to be the oldest citizen of Ohio. He is 106 years of age, and was in the war of 1812. He became paralyzed some weeks ago, but previous to that time did active work.

GENERAL JAMES S. NEGLEY, of Pittsburgh, president of the National Union League, has called a meeting of the National Council at the Palmer House, Chicago, for June 2, in the evening.

IT is said that just previous to his death the late Judah P. Benjamin destroyed all his private papers, leaving no materials for a biography.

CAPTAIN R. W. ANDREWS, of Sumter County, S. C., who will be ninety-three years of age on the 4th of July next, left his home on the 17th for a journey to Boston, Mass., on foot. The Captain is a survivor of the war of 1812, and takes with him a statement setting forth his individuality, his services to his country, age, etc., signed by one hundred reasonable citizens. Upon arriving in Washington he will present this document in petitioning for his pension.

FOREIGN.

THE steamship Illyrian, from Liverpool for Boston, was wrecked on the night of the 15th near Cape Clear light, Ireland. All on board were saved.

A PARIS dispatch says that on the night of the 15th near Landy Depot, on the Plain of St. Denis (where one railway is carried over another,) owing to an error of the pointsman, a freight train on the upper road ran into a siding and was precipitated upon the line beneath at the very moment the express train to Boulogne was passing. The engine driver of the Boulogne train was killed and thirty-one persons injured.

THE Berlin *Tageblatt* of the 16th positively asserts that Richard Muckle, of the Philadelphia *Ledger*, will succeed Sargent as United States Minister to Berlin. Muckle, the paper says, is an Alsatian by birth, but a persona grata to Bismarck.

A CABOOSE on a gravel train of the New Brunswick Railway left the track and rolled over an embankment fifty feet high at Coombe's Brook, Medawask County, New Brunswick, on the 17th. Several men were injured, but none fatally.

CAIRO advices of the 18th state that the preparations for the Khartoum expedition for the relief of General Gordon include equipments for 12,000 men, forty steam launches, 400 shallow draught boats, and seven thousand camels. It is doubtful whether the expedition will be ready to start before the end of August.

THE French Ministry asks for a credit of 38,000,000 francs on account of the Tonquin expedition, and 4,500,000 francs on account of the Madagascar expedition.

THE United States steamer Quinnebaugh left Constantinople on the 21st with the remains of McGahan, the distinguished newspaper correspondent. She will proceed to Lisbon, where the remains will be transferred to the United States steamer Powhattan.

FIRE at Liverpool on the 17th destroyed three cotton warehouses and 3,000 bales of cotton owned by Molyneaux & Taylor. Loss estimated at £100,000.

THE recent order of the French Minister of War, making boxing a part of the regular training of French soldiers, has caused a similar informal order to be given to the English regiments.

PRIVATE advices state that the Malagassy government offers France £1,000,000 indemnity on condition that France shall renounce all claims to the territory in Madagascar.

THE majority of the Czarowitch was celebrated with imposing ceremonies at St. Petersburg on the 18th.

THE Mexican Chamber of Deputies has authorized the President to contract a loan of $30,000,000, covering $8,000,000 already received by the Government.

LATER.

THE National mass meeting of wool growers of the United States met at Chicago on the 19th. Twenty-one States and Territories were represented by 134 delegates, fifty of whom were from Ohio and thirty-eight from Pennsylvania. Columbus Delano, of Ohio, was made President, and R. T. McCully, of Missouri, Secretary. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the act of Congress of March, 1883, reducing the duties on foreign wools, and demanding the restoration of the wool tariff of 1867.

A DISPATCH of the 19th from Constantinople says that a terrible conflagration had visited Bei Bagar, a city of Asia Minor, destroying 950 dwellings, 544 warehouse shops, eleven mosques, fifteen schools of the Khans and 146 other buildings. Eleven persons perished.

NEAR Harrodsburg, Ky., on the 19th, a party of eighteen boys after playing a game of base ball started out in search of wild parsnips, but got hold of deadly hemlock instead. The boys ate freely, and all were taken violently ill. Two died almost instantly, five are in a critical condition and not expected to live, and the others are suffering more or less from the poison.

THE Cincinnati Lead Pipe and Sheet Company's Works burned on the 19th. Loss $50,000. Mrs. Leeds, rooming in the fourth story, was fatally burned; William E. Cook was also severely burned.

THE City Exchange Bank, of Laporte, Ind.; Howell & Co.'s Bank at Spokane Falls, Idaho; and the Planters and Mechanics Bank at Petersburg, Va., failed on the 19th.

THE Erie County Savings Bank, of Erie, Pa., suspended on the 19th. Capital $150,000; liabilities $300,000. The failure is said to be due to oil speculations by the President, who has left the city.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 19th the resolution offered by Mr. Morgan, directing the Committee on Finance to examine the causes of the recent failures of National banks, and whether such failures are due to violations and evasions of law on the part of officers or directors of the banks; referred to Committee on Finance. Bills were reported favorably and placed on calendar. To limit the time within which prosecution shall be instituted against persons charged with violation of the internal revenue laws; increasing the pensions of soldiers and sailors who lost an arm or leg, and for other disabilities contracted while in the service. A current resolution was agreed to, accepting a portrait in mosaic of the late President Garfield, the work of Dr. Salvatta, of Venice, Italy. A message from the House announcing non-concurrence in the Indian appropriation bill was received, and a committee of conference appointed. The bill for creation of a bureau of labor statistics was taken up, pending debate on which the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. In the House the contested election case of Wallace vs. McKinley was postponed, and the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill was taken up and passed—yeas 137, nays 85. The army and District of Columbia appropriation bills passed without opposition. A motion to suspend the rules and adopt a resolution making the Senate bankruptcy bill the special order for June 10, was lost. Adjourned.

Spring Without Blossoms.

Late in Life to Look for Joy—Yet Never too Late to Mend.

Readers of Hawthorne's "House of Seven Gables" will recall the pathos with which poor Clifford Pyncheon, who had been unjustly imprisoned since his early manhood, said, after his release: "My life is gone, and where is my happiness? Oh! give me my happiness." But that could be done only in part, as gleams of warm sunshine occasionally fall across the gloom of a New England autumn day.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 18th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr24

ESTATE OF JAMES MILLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Miller, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Miller, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Alexander W. Miller, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate, apr17

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A. D. 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A. D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided one-fifth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8) of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county; also that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 13-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Exchange Hotel lot; thence west on the south line of that lot, three and 18-100 chains to the J. B. Hong lot (now Marsh lot); thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

EDWIN B. WOOD.
Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JOHN P. SILVERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 29th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John P. Silvers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of David H. Silvers, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the funeral expenses and expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOHN W. HOUSE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 2d day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John W. House, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Robert B. House, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the parties entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 2d day of June next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF MONAGHAN MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Robert B. House, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors, described in said petition, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 22, 1884

Traverse City will have a new grain elevator this season.

Senator Logan has been invited to make a speech at the Paris fair.

The Michigan & Ohio railroad company [illegible] is making an effort to reach Grand Rapids either along the line of the G. R. & I. from Monteith, or direct from Allegan. The company is seriously thinking of making a direct line from that city to Muskegon and probably will if it can be reached by them.

A self-styled "rescued man" thus recommends a cure for drunkenness: "I was one of those unfortunates given to strong drink. When I left it off I could neither eat, work nor sleep. A man of experience advised me to make a decoction of ground quassia, a half ounce steeped in a pint of vinegar, and to puff about a small teaspoonful of it in a little water and drink it down every time the liquor thirst came on me violent. I found it satisfied the cravings, and it suffused a feeling of stamina and strength. I continued this cure and persevered till the thirst was conquered." Mechanics' Worker Sentinel.

The North American Review opens with an article on "Harboring Conspiracy," by Prof. Henry Wade Rogers, who examines, in the light of international law, the diplomatic history of the United States and the national constitution, the question as to how far our government may or must go in suppressing plots against governments with which we are at peace. Henry D. Lloyd, in the same number of the Review shows how every branch of production is coming under the control of "Lords of Industry," corporations and monopolies. Elizabeth Stuart Phelps has an article marked by rare philosophic force upon the "Struggle for Immortality." Other articles of not less importance are "Sociological Fallacies," by Prof. W. G. Sumner; "The Rise and Fall of Authority," by President J. G. Welling; "Walt Whitman," by Walter Kennedy; and a symposium of "Expert Testimony," by Rossiter Johnson, Dr. W. W. Goldsby, T. Colcord Sloane and Dr. Charles L. Dana.

The "Prairie Farmer" Becoming.

The old Friends of The Prairie Farmer, and many farmers all over the West and East, too, will be glad to learn of the good fortune that has come to this time honored Journal, which for nearly half a century 42 years, has been doing good service to and for the agricultural interests of our country. The number of May 3d announces that, henceforth, The Prairie Farmer will be under the Editorial Direction and Business Management of Mr. Orange Judd, who, after more than a quarter century of service at the head of the American Agriculturist, has left his former field to other hands and removed to near Chicago, thousand miles nearer to hundreds of thousands of his older enterprising readers who have preceded him to the West. The number before us gives evidence of the vigor and experience he brings to his new field of work. All who want specimens of the paper as it is, and is to be, and to enjoy its advantages, can have The Prairie Farmer, weekly, from May 1st, up to 1885, by sending a single dollar to Prairie Farmer Publishing Company, 150 Monroe St., Chicago, Ill.

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WOOL GROWERS.

The Convention of the National Wool Grower's Association Meet at Chicago.

Hon. Columbus Delano, of Ohio, Made Chairman—The Opening Address—The Restoration of the Tariff of 1867 Demanded.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—The Wool-growers' Convention to an emphatic success although in its first day's session it has only [illegible] to be desired. The delegations from Ohio are in a majority, and the representatives from that state have strongly shaped the business of the meeting. They have [illegible] that there should be some organization which can work together for the purpose of protection. Among the most prominent wool-growers from Ohio who took part in today's proceedings were: J. L. Higman, of East Liverpool; C. Carter, of Moxahala; Columbus Delano, of Mt. Vernon; Henry Weber, T. E. Skinner, of Redfield; W. N. Cowden, of Quaker City; D. F. McKee, of Brookfield, secretary of the Mahoning Valley Association; A. E. Lee, of Youngstown; S. Harper, of North Benton; W. E. Bundy, of Barnesville; W. P. King, of Pulaski; S. E. Kimball, of [illegible]; W. Sewart, of Springfield; [illegible] Hoge, of Cambridge; John Row, of Salem, member of the State Board of Agriculture; A. R. Campbell, T. S. Gardner, C. Bowman and John Row, of Salem; E. W. Lee, of Carrollton; J. C. Stevens, of Kenton, Vice President of the State Association; W. W. Cowden, S. S. Harper, R. H. Wise, J. B. Copper, J. T. Roberts, James Calvin, [illegible] Carter, S. W. Thomas, F. A. Atkins, J. B. Gibbs, D. Yeager, M. J. Lawrence, S. Harper, J. B. Hoge and James Stitt.

D. Harnsty, of Ohio, was a member of the committee on permanent organization. S. E. Stevens, of the same State, was a member of the committee on order of business. W. W. Cowden, of Ohio, aided in drafting the resolutions.

At the opening session an invitation was received from the wool dealers of Chicago to lunch and it was moved that it be accepted. Whereat O. N. Stewart, of Ohio, arose and raising his voice said: "I object to that. It looks too much like free passes."

"What is wrong with it?" asked Columbus Delano.

Mr. Stewart shook his head significantly and said that apparently nothing was wrong with it. When, however, the wool-growers were endeavoring to get their bill passed in Congress somebody invited them to lunch and the bill failed.

"These are not the same men," said J. S. Stevens, of Ohio, and the invitation was accepted.

A large number of delegates arrived to-night, and it is thought that at least four hundred wool-growers will answer the roll-call at the morning session.

The committee on permanent organization reported Columbus Delano, of Ohio, for president; R. T. McCulley, of Missouri, secretary, and a list of vice-presidents from the wool-growing States. The report was approved. Delano on taking the chair, returned thanks for the honor conferred, sketched the importance of the wool industry of the United States and the necessity of united action for the protection of that interest. He said the development of wool-growing began with the passage of the wool tariff of 1867, and the result had been a reduction in the price of wool to the manufacturer. He urged the necessity of constant work until the restoration of that tariff was secured and politicians brought to terms. He alluded the existing danger of financial ruin looming over the Nation; held that a tariff for revenue was free trade, and was dangerous to the prosperity of the country.

The committee on resolutions made a report, which, after speaking of the injustice inflicted by the act of Congress of March, 1883, went on to declare:

First—That by the census returns for 1880 there were 105,000,000 sheep, and that there is no State where this industry is not pursued.

Second—That the product of wool for the year 1883 reached 350,000,000 pounds, and its value more than $100,000,000, and that the value of mutton resulting from sheep slaughtered for food was over $24,000,000.

Third—That sheep husbandry is an important factor in the prosperity of other agricultural pursuits, because of the utility of sheep in fertilizing the soil and replenishing exhausted lands, so that if abandoned or seriously diminished our entire system of agriculture would be embarrassed, our capacity for the production of meats, breadstuffs and other articles required by our civilization will be seriously diminished, and the great prosperity impaired. We cannot afford as a Nation to endanger a great agricultural pursuit which adds each year directly $150,000,000 to the Nation's wealth, having invested in real estate not less than $500,000,000 of capital, and which contributes indirectly so extensively to the Nation's prosperity.

Fourth—That the act of 1883 reducing duties on foreign wools has seriously injured, and, if continued, will in future diminish if it does not substantially destroy the production of wool and sheep in the United States, and this assertion we sustain by these facts. The report then goes on to show that the clip of 1883 caused a loss of over $16,000,000 to the wool growers, compared with that of 1882, and predicts a much greater loss for 1884, and says the climate and conditions in Australia will compel American producers to abandon sheep raising for other pursuits. It is, therefore,

Resolved, That we will organize as wool growers and sheep breeders and cooperate by means of our National Association, to be aided by State and county associations, and in this way and by all other legitimate methods will do all in our power to restore the wool tariff of 1867 or its equivalent on wools and woolens, and cause to be repealed the unjust, unwise and unequal legislation of 1883 reducing the duties on wools and woolens.

Resolved, That in doing this we will, without reference to former political affiliations, recognize our friends whenever and wherever we find them, and at the polls will sustain only such men and such party organizations as are in favor of protecting and encouraging and sustaining sheep husbandry in these United States by restoring the wool tariff of 1867, or its equivalent.

Resolved, That we favor a wise and comprehensive system of economic legislation best calculated to foster and develop all American industries that can be profitably pursued by our people, whereby employment may be given all laboring classes, not at the prices paid the laboring poor of foreign nations, but at such wages as will secure such educational, religious and social privileges and such physical comforts as the free men of this free Nation are entitled to and ought to enjoy.

Resolved, That we repudiate the doctrine of free trade as a fallacious and impracticable theory, sustained largely by the money of foreign capitalists, who desire the control of our markets for the sale and consumption of goods produced where labor is cheap and money abundant, and we regard as unworthy respectful consideration the theory of those manufacturers who claim that raw material shall be free while their fabrics are protected. We ask with emphasis why the labor required to produce wool is less worthy of protection than labor at the spindle and loom where fabrics of wool are produced?

Resolved, That the long-continued and systematic undervaluation of imported wool, resulting, as it does, in the loss of much revenue to the Government, and robbing the American wool-grower of the protection sought to be conferred by the tariff, and which the Secretary of the Treasury declares will continue under existing laws, demands and should receive the immediate attention of Congress.

The platform was adopted with the following words to the second resolution:

"And that we will not support any party or political candidate until it or he has clearly defined its or his position in favor of the restoration of said tariff."

A committee of five was appointed to draft an address to the wool-growers of the United States and the convention adjourned until 9 a. m. to-morrow.

A Woman Found Dead and Mutilated in a Rochester Lumber Yard.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 19.—At an early hour yesterday morning the dead body of a woman about forty years old was found in Foster's lumber yard on Childs Street, lying on a pile of lumber. The body was still warm and the blood was flowing from the mouth and nostrils, the hands were clinched, and everything gave evidence of a fierce struggle. Near the body was [illegible] of a cigar, some ashes and a piece of chewing tobacco, evidence that a man had been in the company of the woman. The clothing was torn and torn. The corpse was Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, wife of Albert Williams, a carpenter, residing at 37 Sykes Street. At the inquest this evening W. H. Kessell, manager of the lumber yard, testified that he saw Mrs. Williams enter the lumber yard in company with an unknown man about nine o'clock Saturday night, and after waiting half an hour for them to come out he left, thinking they had left the yard by the rear entrance. The deceased left home at eight o'clock Saturday night, telling her family she was going to attend a social meeting. At the post mortem the doctors testified to finding a clot of blood on the heart and numerous evidences of violence [illegible] husband was arrested, but even went so far as to joke with the Coroner's jury regarding the circumstances of the case. After hearing four hours of very sensational testimony regarding the actions and character of the deceased there were such suspicious circumstances attending the case that the Coroner's jury refused to [illegible] a verdict until the case had been more fully investigated by the detectives. Officers think they know who the man was who was last seen with the deceased, and he will probably be arrested. The greatest excitement prevails here over the case, as nearly everyone thinks it is a murder.

M. E. Conference Elects Officers.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—At the conference the Committee on Missions presented a report recommending the adoption of the following:

Resolved, We recommend to the favorable consideration of the General Mission Committee at the next session the subject of the establishment of evangelical agencies at such places among the Roman Catholic population of this Country as they deem expedient and the appropriation of moneys for the same. Such missions to be administered as foreign missions.

After the discussion the report was adopted.

The tellers reported that Rev. Dr. J. M. Reid and Rev. C. C. McCabe were elected Missionary Secretaries.

Rev. Kynett, of Upper Iowa, was elected Corresponding Secretary, of the Church Extension Society.

Rev. Dr. Rust was elected Secretary of the Freedman's Aid Society. Rev. Dr. Vincent was elected Secretary of the Sunday School Union. Rev. Dr. Buckley, of New York, and Rev. Dr. Crooks were nominated for editors of the *Christian Advocate*. Rev. Dr. Lanahan, of Baltimore, was authorized by Rev. Dr. Crooks to withdraw his name. Rev. Dr. Curry was elected editor of the *Quarterly Review*.

A Disastrous Fire.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The repair shops of the New York & Harlem Railroad Company at One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Fourth avenue, took fire yesterday. The building covers a large area, and contains machine shops and workrooms where all repairing of the rolling stock is done. The flames spread rapidly and were soon beyond control, as few fire companies were available. A general alarm was sent out, and with the assistance which arrived the fire was extinguished after four hours of hard work. Three passenger cars and three locomotives were destroyed. Sparks from the burning building set fire to several small dwellings. Loss, $200,000.

Base Ball.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—The Philadelphia nine were beaten by the Clevelands by a score of 5 to 0.

Providence—The Detroits put in their best pitcher, but was beaten by the Providence 4 to 2.

Boston—The Chicagos were again downed by the Bostons in a brilliant contest; score 4 to 2.

New York—The Buffalos were badly beaten by the New Yorks, pounding the pitching of Serad all over the field; score 17 to 8.

A Swindler Going to Prison.

CHARLESTON, W. V., May 20.—George J. Williams, who has been working as a pension agent and mail robbing in Nicholas County, this State, and who obtained in this fraudulent manner about $10,000, was yesterday found guilty in the United States District Court in session here. Williams is well educated and thoroughly posted in the pension and postal laws. There are eight other indictments against him, when all the cases against him are tried. He will probably serve the balance of his life in prison.

The Situation at Key West.

KEY WEST, May 19.—Several lively telegrams have passed between Gov. Bloxham and the State officials here concerning riotous conduct, the Governor apparently insisted that a mob held possession of the city. There is evidently a great mistake, for the town was never quieter. The revenue-cutter Dix confirms the report that Castro's Cuban band congregated near Sugar Loaf Key to the number of a dozen, and went from there in a vessel that came from Nassau.

The Wallace-McKinley Case Postponed.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The contested election case of Wallace vs. McKinley has been postponed and Mr. Randall attempted to secure the passage of three Appropriation bills agreed to in the Committee of the Whole Friday last. To this Mr. Colling objected and the Speaker proceeded to call the States for bills.

Internal Revenue Taxes.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 19.—The movement to secure the repeal of all internal revenue taxes on tobacco, started by the officers of the New England Tobacco Growers' association, took definite shape to-day. An appeal to the tobacco industry of the whole country was adopted.

Suicide of George Studebaker.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., May 19.—George Studebaker, a well-known young man of this county, committed suicide Saturday evening, by shooting himself through the heart. Until recently he traveled for a Chicago book concern.

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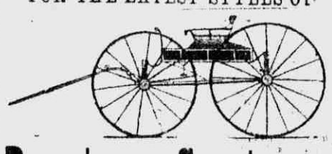

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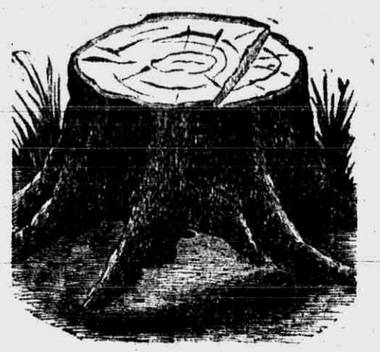

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Spectacles, Gold Pens and a full assortment of Jewelers' Goods.

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Call in, examine my goods and buy.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST.—On Wednesday, between Adrian and Lenawee Junction, an autograph album. Finder please return to Edith M. Webster, Tecumseh, or the HERALD OFFICE.

L. L. WIND MILL.—I am agent for pumps, pipes, tanks, and everything pertaining to a first-class wind mill. If your mill, pump, pipe, or tank is out of repair give me a call. L. M. WALDRON.

ROOMS TO LET.—Pleasantly situated, corner Chicago and Van Buren streets. Enquire on the premises. MRS. M. YAWGER.

WANTED.—Experienced canvassers to sell the "Treasury of song," one of the finest musical collections ever offered to the public. Apply to G. P. SPARKS.

FOR SALE.—A kind and reliable horse, safe for a lady to drive. Single harness, cutter, robe, blanket, etc. Enquire of BROWN, the Photographer.

ROOMS TO LET.—Over Hough & Hosmer's store. Enquire of O. B. DEWGEE.

PLANTS!! PLANTS!! PLANTS!!—500,000 Cabbage Plants. All the best varieties of early cabbage and tomato now ready. Sweet potato in immense stock. Late cabbage a specialty. I can furnish in large quantities at low prices. ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE.—A farm of 80 acres situated in Macon, formerly owned by James Lane. Good improvements, good orchard, good buildings. A rare bargain. Abstract title furnished. Enquire of H. W. STEVENS.

SEED CORN.—Farmers can find good seed corn for sale at my farm 3½ miles west of Tecumseh. W. J. OSBORN.

NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEIP.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice. F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected. S. CATLIN, M.D.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

HOUSE TO RENT.—Situated on Oneida street. Enquire of H. W. CONKLING.

FOR SALE.—Several desirable family residences in village of Tecumseh. Enquire of CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on. JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if sold at once. For particulars enquire of J. W. COLE.

Also a good house and lot for sale.

Monroe will celebrate its one hundred anniversary on the 4th of July next.

On the 21st day of May last year, there was nearly one inch of snow on the ground.

The Democratic State Convention has been called for Wednesday, June 18th, at Detroit.

Burton Parker, of Monroe, and A. W. Smith, of Adrian, will be the Decoration Day orators at Blissfield.

The members of Eaton Post, of Ridgeway, will be provided with dinner at the Lilley House on Decoration Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brewer left Tecumseh this morning for Missouri, where they will visit James C. Murray and family a short time.

Leave your orders for Daily, Weekly and Monthly Periodicals at Keip's. Harper, Century, and Frank Leslie's Monthly for June now in stock.

Co. C. held a special election last evening and the following officers were elected to fill vacancies:

First Lieut.—Thos. Kyle.
Second " —E. A. Doke.
First Sergt.—C. H. Heck.

John Gilchrist met with a severe accident at Summit City last week, by a lever striking him on the head. He is now at home doctoring a wounded face, but expects to be able to return to his duties again next week.

The boys who are catching on the trains between Chicago street and the Lake Shore depot will get themselves into trouble if they persist in it. The depot officials here have been notified to arrest all offenders, and it will be done unless the practice is stopped.

It is announced that the novel by the late CHARLES READE now current in HARPER'S BAZAR, "A Perilous Secret," was completed by him but a little while before his death. Mr. Reade had several times within the past few years said to friends that if he undertook another long novel it would be the end of him, and his fear proves now to have been a true prophecy.

The citizens of Medina will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the settlement of the township at Oak Grove Academy in the village of Medina, on Wednesday May 28th, at 10 o'clock A. M. The committee of arrangements cordially invite the Pioneer society of Lenawee county and all the early pioneers and citizens generally to be present and participate in the exercises of the day. A picnic dinner will be served on the ground.

Morenci Observer: Forty-seven years ago Jeptha Whitman kept the only store in Morenci, and he seems to have done quite a business, and in looking over his day book we find that whiskey, rum and brandy were staple articles in those days. Whiskey was quoted at 88c per gallon; brandy $2.50 and rum $2.00. Just 47 years ago to-day we find Rollin Hill charged with 10 lb. nails, $1.25; Daniel Reed 1 lb. tea, $1; James Aldrich 1 pt. brandy, 31c; Wm. Coulson 1 pt. rum, 25c; Chesterfield Clemens rum, 6c; Wm. Lee, brandy for "bee" 56c; J. Dillingham, brandy, $1.88; Benj. Hornbeck, ½ lb. tea, and this is a fair sample of the charges through the book.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 22, 1884.

SPECIAL OFFER.

During the month of May the HERALD will be offered to new subscribers for eight months at one dollar, and every tenth subscription will be refunded. Old subscribers, by paying arrearages to May 1st., and one dollar in addition, will be counted in also, and every tenth dollar thus received will be refunded. Our subscription record will be open to inspection that each person may see for himself, whether he be the lucky man. This offer will remain open until the close of business hours on Saturday May 31st inst. and no longer. Pass in your dollars.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Did you go to the show at Adrian?

Read F. W. Keip's list of new books to be found in the local notices.

Mrs. Wm. Drake, of Dundee, has been visiting friends in Tecumseh.

Cyrus H. McCormick, of reaper fame, left an estate valued at two millions.

The "Old Honesty" cigar, sold by Will Eccles is prime. Try one and see.

Henry Smith, of our village, spent Sunday last in Youngstown, Ohio, visiting a brother.

The indications all favor a grand observance of Decoration Day at Tecumseh this year.

The new editor of the Petersburgh Journal, went fishing and hauled out a big lizard. What is that an augury of?

Geo. Smith Esq., of Toledo, was in Tecumseh last Friday. It was his 62d. birthday and he came up to celebrate.

The Ladies' Social of St. Peter's church will be held on Wednesday evening next at the residence of Mrs. Corey.

The fire company was called out in a hurry about seven o'clock last Monday evening but it proved to be a false alarm.

C. V. Hicks, of Oscoda, arrived Saturday and remained until Tuesday. Mrs. Hicks will continue her visit a few days longer.

The Dundee supervisor says the assessment of that township falls short $100,000 of last year's figures on account of the failure of farm crops.

W. R. Wooden and family, of Battle Creek, were in town over Sunday. Mr. Wooden returned on Monday, but his family will remain a few weeks.

Peter Phelps of Marquette, after a two year's absence, is at home for a few days. The climate of the Lake Superior region seems to agree with him.

A short meeting of the base ball association was held on Tuesday evening and an adjournment had until next week, when a full attendance is desired.

The colored people of Calhoun Co., are arranging for an emancipation celebration at Battle Creek, August 1, and hope to have Gov. Begole and Fred Douglass with them.

L. C. Blood, of Lansing, arrived in town Tuesday by the overland route, having driven "across the country" with his horse and buggy. After two days of hand-shaking he will start for home on Friday morning.

The fence construction train on the M. & O. is now stationed at the gravel pit west of the village, and the fence builders are at work in that neighborhood this week. Next week they will be in the town of Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Anderson arrived home from New York on Saturday. Seaton stood the journey very well and is gaining every day. Unless he should suffer an unexpected relapse he will soon be able to attend to business again.

John J. Adam has taken the HERALD since the first number was issued on the 25th day of May 1850, and he invariably pays his subscription promptly in advance. He already has a receipt in his pocket for the coming year.

Mr. Ellsworth E. Russell has joined the army of martyrs and became a married man last week, the fortunate young lady being Miss Ella Hyde, daughter of Albert Hyde Jr. Congratulations are in order, of which we freely offer our full proportion.

The hotels at Union City are closed and Wednesday some of the citzens procured oats and sowed the main street, and a drag followed and dragged them in. "What shall the harvest be?" It is on account of the non-acceptance of the liquor bonds.

The Adrian Times announces "by authority" that John K. Boies is not a candidate for Congress this fall, and then it proceeds to administer a big mouthful of taffy to the Honorable John for his disinterestedness and patriotism. 1884 is not 1882, you know.

Mr. Hammond, who has been at work for J. B. Swan on his Florida plantation, has bought property there and will make that state his permanent residence. His family leave this week for their new home. The rooms heretofore occupied by them in Mrs. Yawger's house are to let.

Club Hop at Armory Hall, Thursday evening, May 29, 1884.

Fruit trees are fully attired in their spring garniture of flowers.

The semi-centennial celebration of Medina will be held on Wednesday next May 28th.

John Britton & Son have commenced the erection of a new store at the village of Britton.

Will Eccles makes a prime glass of lemonade. Step in and sample one and judge for yourself.

Tecumseh was a dull day last Tuesday. Everybody had gone to see Forepaugh's white elephant.

This weather is warming the base ball association into life and we can now look for an active season.

Water the currant and gooseberry bushes and be ready to doctor the first insect that makes an appearance.

The Tecumseh soldier's monument will be dedicated on Decoration Day. A full program of the exercises appears elsewhere.

Kalamazoo has secured the State fair this year. The contest lay between that city and Jackson and Jackson got left.

Next Thursday evening the skippers of the light fantastic will skip a joyful skip, for Ollie Hunt's orchestra will furnish the music.

We are requested to announce that a few seats will be reserved for the benefit of spectators at the party next Thursday evening. Grand March at 9 o'clock.

In last week's HERALD a notice appeared that Dr. Flowers would be in town on the 23d. and 24th. He was compelled afterwards to anticipate those dates and was here on the 16th. and 17th. He expects to return at some future time, of which due notice will be given.

Jas. W. Patterson and family will start for California on Monday next. May a pleasant journey await them, and may they return in safety to their old home in the fall. We dislike to believe that they will decide to sever the social ties which have bound them to Tecumseh so long.

The attendance at the Forepaugh show at Adrian, on Tuesday, was not as large as last year. Many persons on the line of the M. & O. road between Addison and Briton, took in the show at Toledo, on Monday, which decreased the attendance at Adrian from this section of the county.

A. M. Bannister of Addison was in town Monday. He is now at home for a time, having recently returned from Central America where he was formerly engaged for nearly two years on the railroad for which Col. Fitzsimmons was at work. He expects to go to California at an early day on a similar engagement.

The 12th. annual reunion of the members of the Old Fourth Michigan Vol. Infantry will occur at Hudson, Mich., on the 20th., day of June next. A cordial invitation is extended to all the comrades to be present. DeGolyer Post and the citizens of Hudson will give the old boys a warm welcome.

Charles Blanchard returned to Toledo Monday, and he was kept more than busy during the four days of his stay here. It is twenty years this summer since he stepped foot on the old sod, and he says he will never stay away so long again. We presume he was no more pleased with his visit than his friends were pleased to see him.

The Deering binder has acquired a standing among the best machines now in the market. Attention is called to the card on the eighth page setting forth the points of excellence of this machine. Williamson & Ketcham are the agents for Tecumseh and vicinity, who will push the sale of this favorite among the farmers. The Deering is in good hands.

While taking an afternoon stroll last Sunday we chanced to pass John Hicks on Union street and took occasion to "drop in" and inspect his new home. His house is now entirely finished and he has been lately putting the last touches upon the lawns and outbuildings. He will have when the grass is fully grown the finest lawn on the street. The grounds are ample to accommodate plenty of shade trees, a number of which are planted. The buildings are all constructed for convenience and use. Mr. Hicks will sell lightning rods and enjoy his new home hereafter, both of which he is competent to do.

Last Friday we were called to Monroe on business, and took supper with our old friend W. H. Sink at the Park Hotel. Mr. Sink has a splendid hotel which is becoming quite a popular summer resort. The house is large and provided with all the modern conveniences, including bath rooms which are supplied with water from the Monroe mineral springs. These waters are especially adapted to the cure of Rheumatism, Dyspepsia and kindred diseases. Fishing and hunting grounds abound in the Raisin and Lake Erie, and special inducements are offered to fishing parties to make the Park Hotel their head-quarters. Health and pleasure seekers will find the Park a good home kept by a first-class landlord.

FROM THE BAPTIST ITEMS.

Bro. John Cashman is still in Detroit.

Mr. J. Cook's family is still in poor health.

Mary Sweet is teaching school in Riga.

Bro. Willis Merritt went to Addison on Thursday, the 15th. inst.

Mrs. Luke Wood is visiting friends near Bronson, we believe.

Bro. Robert Taggart will be home in about a month or six weeks.

Bro. Chas. McNeal has been in quite poor health during the last month.

Carrie Osborne and the pastor and wife attended the Washtenaw Association.

Miss L. Gowdy has accepted the position of organist for the remainder of the year.

Bro. A. P. Coddington was seriously sick about two weeks ago. He is far from well now.

Mrs. P. B. Swick, on the 16th. inst., was suddenly called to Kalamazoo by the illness of her mother.

The pastor and wife and several others expect to attend the anniversary meeting next week.

Mettie Adams is teaching school on the Ridge Road two or three miles north of Ridgeway village.

Mrs. James Heck is in very feeble health. Her lungs seem to be affected, yet not seriously, it is hoped.

Mrs. Gainsley has gone to Schoolcraft to visit friends for a week or two. Hope she will have a pleasant time.

At the last covenant meeting Mrs. Ruth Taylor was dismissed from the church by letter, to unite with the Baptist church at Hart.

Charles Gridley started for Ohio Monday the 12th., to engage in business there. Yet he expects to call Tecumseh home for some time. Glad of it.

Mrs. Burnham, member of the Baptist church at Adrian, has been spending a few days with friends in Tecumseh. She was at church last Lord's day.

At the last covenant meeting Mr. J. H. Heck was elected to membership in the Pastoral Committee in the place of Mrs. H. Baker, whose term of office then expired.

A Baptist brother of Mr. E. B. Mooney has been visiting him for the past two or three weeks. His home is in Pennsylvania. Of course he attended meeting, as all good Baptists always do.

Henry Schofield and wife did not remove to Homer after all. They have moved upon Jas. Patterson's farm, south of town on R. R. st. We wish they would buy it and stay there. Perhaps they will.

C. A. Thatcher has just finished the largest delivery of crayon portraits ever brought to Tecumseh. Mr. John Fisher, Mrs. Peter R. Adams and many others of our church have received his work which gave great satisfaction. He will offer special inducements on his return in July.

The Lenawee Association will meet at Hudson, on Tuesday, June 4th. Our church will be entitled to eight voting delegates this year. It is hoped that many others will go also. The first session will probably commence at 10:30 A. M.; this will enable all who go from here to arrive in ample time by taking the 8 A. M. train.

The youngest child of Mr. & Mrs. J. Kennedy, of Raisin, came very near meeting with a fatal accident on Wednesday, the 14th inst. It went to the leach and drank lye. It had just eaten a hearty supper, so that the lye acted as an emetic. The doctor said this was the only thing that saved it. The next day it seemed to be all right except a very sore mouth. It was a very narrow escape.

"The church in Joliet, Ill., has voted to send its pastor, J. W. Conley, and his wife to the anniversaries and pay their expenses. We would like to hear pastor Conley preach and his wife talk, the Sunday after they return from Detroit. We almost imagine we can hear the Joliet church members thanking God that they were led to make this little investment *for their own sake*."—Michigan Christian Herald.

It is possible that we as well as his own church in Joliet, shall hear J. W. C. preach, as he intends to visit his cousin, the pastor of this church, on his way home.

The anniversary meetings of the American Baptist Publication Society the American Baptist Missionary Union and the American Baptist Home Missionary Society, will commence in Detroit, on Wednesday afternoon, the 21st. inst. This gathering will be composed of representatives from the Eastern, Western, Northern and Middle states. Accordingly it will of necessity be a large meeting, and will be attended by many of the great lights of the denomination. Among many others, Dr. J. E. Clough and Miss Eastman are expected to be present. It is hoped that many from Tecumseh will attend. The meetings were never held in Michigan before and in all probability will not come to us again for many years. Hence it is an opportunity of a life time and should be improved.

MEMORIAL DAY.

The arrangements have been completed for the proper observance of Decoration Day in Tecumseh and unless bad weather should interfere, the exercises will be the best ever held in this village. The exercises will be held on Friday afternoon, May 30th, and will consist of the formal dedication of the Soldier's Monument, followed by a decoration of the soldiers graves.

The following order of Beers Post and program of proceedings gives the details of the program:

Head Quarters, Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R., Tecumseh, Mich., May 1, 1884. Special Order No. 8.

In accordance with the Pass of date order, Friday the 30th day of May will be celebrated as Memorial Day.

It is expected that all comrades of the G. A. R. will honor themselves by paying tribute to the memory of their fallen comrades.

In compliance with Gen. Order Dept. of Mich., the Commander of this Post earnestly requests that the comrades of Beers Post, No. 140 G. A. R., will meet at their post-room on the Sabbath previous to Decoration Day, (May 25th) at 3 o'clock P. M., sharp, to attend divine service in a body, that we may be more fitly prepared to decorate the graves of our departed not only with tributes beautiful and fragrant that must fade, but with Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty that shall live forever.

The churches, Sunday schools and benevolent societies are cordially invited to join with us on that day.

To this end the co-operation of the citizens of Tecumseh and surrounding country are most earnestly invited to participate in the ceremonies of the day.

The ceremonies of May 30th will be held on Military Square. First the dedication of the Soldiers Monument; after which the Procession will reform and march to the cemetery.

By Order of
S. P. HOSMER, Commander.
GEO. W. MARSDEN, Adjt.

THE PROCESSION.

At 1:30 P. M. the procession will form on Chicago street, with the right resting on R. R. street, as follows:

Manchester Band.
Co. C., M. S. T.
Drum Corps.
Eaton Post, No. 222, G. A. R.
G. A. R. Colors.
Color Guard.
Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R.
Delegations from Macon, Clinton, Ridgeway and Raisin.

Will move east to Ottawa street, north to Military Square, where the following program will be carried out.

DEDICATORY PROGRAM.

Music—Band.
Invocation—Rev. W. H. Babbitt.
Music—Choir.
Surrendering the Monument to the G. A. R.—Hon. J. J. Adam.
Acceptance—G. A. R.
Music—Band.
Prayer—Rev. J. Phelps.
Dedication—G. A. R.
Music—Choir.
Address—Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.
Music—Band.
Benediction—Rev. C. E. Conley.

The procession will reform and march to the cemetery, the band halting at the circle and playing a dirge while the graves are being decorated.

A citizen's meeting was held at the Council Building last evening when the following committees were chosen and the final arrangements made for the celebration.

President of the Day—L. P. Tribou.
Marshall—C. A. Slayton.
Committee to Decorate Monument—L. P. Tribou, A. W. Mills, Geo. W. Marsden.
Committee on Stand—Henry W. Stevens, W. C. Jordan, E. A. Hodges.

A resolution was passed requesting the merchants to close their stores between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M.

Also extending an invitation to the Common Council to occupy seats on the platform.

FLORAL COMMITTEE.

Dr. E. Hause, Mrs. Corey, Miss Augusta Whitenack, Mrs. Hardenberg, Mrs. L. I. Bidwell, Miss Fanny Bottum, Mrs. L. P. Tribou, Miss Bertha DeWolf, Mrs. Jehiel Davison, Mrs. A. D. Lawrence, Miss Kate Anderson, Mrs. Chas. F. Smith, Mrs. D. W. Clark, Mrs. Jas. Moir, Miss Anna Powers, Miss Lida James, Mrs. H. S. Lee, Mrs. Christian Coller, Miss Jennie Root, Mrs. Geo. Tiffany, Mrs. D. A. Hammond, Miss Leila Doty, Mrs A. F. Kennedy, Mrs. D. Spaulding, Mrs. Robert Crosby, Mrs. H. E. Stout, Miss Sena Drew, Miss Maggie Smith, Miss Emma Smith, Mrs. P. V. Woodard, Mrs. D. L. Whitenack, Mrs. W. S. Bordine, Mrs. W. Comfort.

The Sunday afternoon services above mentioned, will be held at the Presbyterian church.

Thos. H. Mosher of Springville drove to Tecumseh last Monday afternoon to bring his wife down to take the afternoon train for Norwalk, Ohio. A telegram was sent Sunday night announcing the death of his wife's sister, Newberry Satterthwaite received it early Monday morning and at once forwarded it to Onsted, and the dispatch was nearly six hours traveling from Onsted to Springville. Being then too late to take the M. & O. road Mr. Mosher drove as rapidly as possible to Tecumseh, but arrived too late to catch the Lake Shore train. The telegraph operator at Onsted should be substantially rewarded for his dexterity.

C. R. Henry of AuSable, favored us with a call last Saturday. He was called home to attend his father's bedside in what proved to be his final illness, Mr. Henry having departed this life on Thursday morning. It was a sad visit home, but at the same time one willingly made. The funeral was held on Sunday.

The work on Ab Usborne's new building is progressing rapidly. It will be ready for occupancy by the first of July.

NEW BOOKS JUST RECEIVED.

The Belle of Australia, price $1.50.
A Bachelor's Talk about Married Life, $1.50. Wm. Aikman.
Ballads and Verses Vain, $1.50.
Kittie's Conquest, $1.25.
Vestigia, 1.25. Geo. Fleming.
Life of Fred. Denison Maurice, 2 vols. $5.00.
Fallacies, $1.75.
Mental Evolution in animals. Romances, $2.00.
Folk Lore of Shakspeare, T. F. T. Dyer: $2.50.
Creation, Arnold Guyot, $1.50.
Life of Queen Victoria, $1.50.
Wrecked, $1.25.
For Mothers and Daughters, Cook, $1.50.
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Things Old and New, $1.25.
The Question of Ships, $1.25.
An Anthless Woman, $1.50.
Ladies' Mourning, $1.25.
Round Together, $1.25.
Old Mark Langstowe, $1.00.
Hetherine, Second Sight, Mystery, $1.00.
Cookery for Beginners, Marion Harland, $1.00.
Of the Imitation of Christ, Thomas Kempis, $1.25.
Life and Times of David, 60c.
The Bread Winners, $1.00.
Sermons, First Series, Rev. Phil Brooks, 50c.
French and German Socialism, 75c.
Outpost, Jane G. Austin, $1.00.
A Dangerous Woman, Gilbert Price, $1.50.
Dora Darling, Jane G. Austin, $1.00.
Dearly Bought, $1.00.
The Only One, H. W. French, $1.00.
Lord of Himself, $1.00.
Health and Beauty, $1.00.
Madeline Payne, Great Detective Story, $1.50.
Dont, a Manual of Mistakes, 30c.
Alway, a Manual of Etiquette, 30c.
English as She is Spoke, 30c.
English as She is Wrote, 30c.
May Agnes Fleming's latest, Maud Percy's Secret, $1.50.
Pancy's latest, An endless Chain, $1.50.

Any of these and all other publications sent postpaid on receipt of price of same at F. W. Keip's Book, Stationery and Wall Paper Store, Tecumseh, Mich.

Orange Judd, formerly of New York, has assumed the editorial management of the Prairie Farmer of Chicago. The man who built up the American Agriculturist will not lack for friends in the great and growing west. We have lots of room for such men and want more of them.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Seed Potatoes—Early Gem and Ohio, St. Patrick, White Elephant, Dunmore, Snow Flake, Burbank, &c. Prices low. Slayton & Son.

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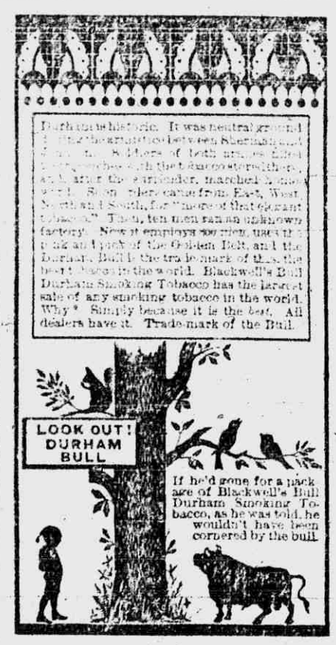

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Dr. Mayo says: There are in the South 4,000,000 whites under twenty-one, of whom nearly half have never attended any school.—*Western Educational Journal.*

—A lady residing in New York City has presented the Princeton Theological Seminary with $150,000 to provide for salaries in the new department of philosophy.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—A clergyman who recently held service in Auburn Prison preached from the text: "Go home to thy friends." His hearers were all willing, but couldn't seem to arrange it.—*Syracuse (N. Y.) Journal.*

—Mr. Hanks, of New Brighton, L. I., finding that his son had been deprived of recess five days for violating a rule of the school, appealed from the teacher to the principal, thence to the trustees, thence to the county commissioner, thence to the State Superintendent at Albany, and in every case was notified that the teacher was right.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—Bishop Hurst of the Methodist Church, said to a number of young men recently admitted to the Methodist ministry by the Newark Conference: "Preach temperance fully and freely, but when you have created the temperance sentiment and made the truth dominant, leave the organization and secular work to others.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—The city of Boston maintains one Normal, ten Latin and High, fifty-one Grammar, and 404 Primary schools. Besides these the following special schools are maintained: One for deaf mutes, two for licensed minors, an evening High school, thirteen elementary schools and five evening drawing schools.—*Forum Herald.*

—Noting the fact that a city councilman of Pittsburgh, Pa., was recently sent to the workhouse for sixty days for disturbing worship in one of the local churches, the *Christian Advocate* admonishes "those rough boys and giggling girls who in some places disturb our worship" to learn a lesson from his fate. As to dealing with such offenders, it says sternly, "Expostulate once privately, once publicly, then turn the disturbers over to the law."

—Considerable excitement has been aroused in the Jewish communities of South Russia by the appearance at Kischineff of an energetic reformer named Rabinowitch. He declares Christ to have been the real Messiah, supporting his theories by numerous citations from the Bible and the prophets. Rabinowitch is an enthusiastic and eloquent preacher, and is winning numerous proselytes. He is anathematized generally by the Jewish press.—*Chicago Journal.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—"No," said a druggist, "there is not such an awful profit in a glass of soda water. You see, the wear and tear on the glass amounts to something."

—A Quaker's advice to his son on his wedding day: "When thee went a courting I told thee to keep thy eyes wide open. Now that thee is married I tell thee to keep them half shut."

—Little Nell—"Why are lightning bugs called 'blessings,' mamma?" Mamma—"'Blessings?' I never heard them called 'blessings.'" Little Nell—"But they are in this book." Mamma—"Are you sure?" Little Nell—"O, yes. Here it is: 'Blessings brighten as they take their flight.'"—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Mr. and Mrs. Buntlin were going out to walk. "Wait," said Mrs. B., "until I go back and get my umbrella." "It isn't going to rain, is it?" asked Mr. B. "Not that I know of. O, I always like to have something along with me when I'm walking." Mr. B. looked bothered, but didn't seek any explanations.—*Chicago Journal.*

—A German has succeeded in accurately photographing a flash of lightning. In order not to be behind the achievements of the effete monarchies of the Old World, an American has caught a life-like photograph of a clap of thunder, and is now experimenting on the rumble of the earthquake.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Astronomers tell us in their own simple intelligible way that the gradual lengthening of the days is due to the "obliquity of the ecliptic to the terrestial horizon." This ought to set at rest the foolish idea that the days are longer because the sun rises earlier and sets later.—*Pittsburgh Telegraph.*

—Metaire, the most fashionable cemetery in New Orleans, was a race course a few years ago. It then belonged to an aristocratic club, which blackballed the president of a lottery company when he made application for membership. By way of revenge he bought the grounds and gave them to the city for a cemetery.—*N. O. Times.*

—"I haven't got any case," said the client, "but I have money." "How much?" asked the lawyer. "Fifty thousand dollars," was the reply. "Phew! you have got the best case I ever heard of. I'll see that you never go to prison with that sum," said the attorney, cheerfully, and the man didn't he went there "broke."—*Chicago Herald.*

—Young minds in America grasp great truths quickly. A New York boy who had had a misunderstanding with one of his playmates was waiting while his mother prepared a green shade for his eye. "Ma," he said, "I wish I was a rich man." "Why, my son?" "Because I'd buy a pistol and shoot Jake Bolter." "But you'd be tried for it just as much as if you were a poor man." "Yes, but I wouldn't be convicted just as much."—*Brook'yn Eagle.*

—A Buffalo janitor kicked a can of nitro-glycerine, and right then, for the first time in his life, became a really active man, inaugurating proceedings by turning a double somersault and knocking out a hod full of mortar and brick with the back of his head at one end of the room. He continued the performance by kicking down the stove, pulling down the chandelier and plowing up the plaster with his nose. When the nitro-glycerine let the old man sit down and take a rest he looked mournfully at the remnants of the fragment of tin that once held the chain lightning, and said to the doctor: "Wal, if that ain't the quickest-tempered stuff I ever saw."—*Philadelphia Republic.*

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Manchester	7 10	3 00	3 8
Clinton	7 20	3 16	3 20
Tecumseh	7 32	3 28	3 32
Adrian	7 52	3 50	3 57
Petersburg	8 07	4 12	4 22
Toledo	10 25	6 15	6 40

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Adrian	8 37	1 50	4 25
Tecumseh	8 52	2 04	4 40
Clinton	9 04	2 16	4 52
Manchester	9 14	2 27	5 02
Norvell	9 24	2 37	5 12
Napoleon	9 35	2 47	5 22
Jackson	10 00	3 10	5 45

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Time Table.

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GOING WEST. Freight.	Mail.	Express.	Accom.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	Accom.	Express.	Mail.	GOING EAST. Freight.
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.			P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
5 30	5 05	10 10		Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50	
7 00	6 03	11 02		...Dundee...	4 00	10 30	5 00	
7 14	6 27	11 27		...Britton...	3 25	10 10	4 11	
8 00	6 37	11 32		...Ridgeway...	3 20	10 05	3 02	
8 25	6 41	11 43		...Tecumseh...	3 19	9 57	2 42	
9 00	6 55	12 00		...Clinton...	3 02	9 42	2 10	
9 30	7 5	12 15		...Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	1 47	
		P.M.				P.M.		
10 25	7 33	12 40		...Addison...	2 21	9 08	1 55	
						P.M.		
11 05	7 50	2 59		...Jerome...	2 01	8 51	1 30	
11 20	7 57	1 07		...Moscow...	1 53	8 41	1 05	
11 40	8 06	1 19		...Hanover...	1 41	8 33	12 37	
P.M.								
12 10	8 18	1 30		...Pulaski...	1 20	8 22	12 10	
							P.M.	
1 05	8 40	1 52		...Homer...	1 06	8 00	11 20	
1 25	8 50	2 22		...Marshall...	12 37	7 32	10 15	
1 40	9 22	2 31		...Ceresco...	12 25	7 19	9 46	
3 30	9 40	2 56		...Battle Creek...	12 05	7 00	9 00	
4 12		3 20		...Augusta...	11 43		8 12	
4 35		3 36		...Yorkville...	11 31		7 53	
4 50		3 50		...Richland...	11 28		7 39	
5 27		4 57		...Dexter...	11 08		6 51	
5 42		4 16		...Monteith...	10 49		6 15	
5 50		4 27		...Fisk...	10 29		5 55	
6 03		4 33		...Kellogg...	10 23		5 10	
6 15		4 45		Ar...Allegan... Lv	10 20		5 15	
P.M.		P.M.			A.M.		A.M.	

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	7 30
Kensington		9 53	4 44
Romeo	10 28	10 03	4 09
York	10 51	10 32	3 43
Rochester		10 55	3 52
Adams	11 36	11 21	3 14
Sidney		11 35	3 20
North Manchester	12 05	11 50	3 10
North Fairview		12 01	3 02
Montpelier	1 02	12 25	2 35
Bloomington		1 08	2 20
Butler	1 43	1 07	1 40
Butler		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Butler	7 15	11 30	
Butler	P.M.	A.M.	
Bryan	2 40	8 05	2 25
Bloomington	3 05	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fairview	3 52	9 28	
North Manchester	4 04	9 39	3 46
Sidney	4 17	9 52	
Adams	4 29	10 05	4 12
Rochester	4 52	10 20	
York	5 08	10 50	4 52
Romeo	5 39	11 11	5 15
Kensington	5 57	11 18	
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

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DIED.

HENRY—John Henry of Macon, May 9th, 1884, at the residence of Typhoid fever. Aged fifty-one years, three months and twelve days.

John Henry was born in the town[illegible] N. Y. Sep. 4th, 1833, where he resided until 1854, when he removed with his wife to Macon, Lenawee Co., Mich., where he resided up to the time of his death. When he first settled in the county [illegible] the land he had purchased upon the present cleared premises of the late residence, adjoining where his personal effects [illegible] Well has the [illegible] been a worthy citizen, and a [illegible] neighbor, [illegible] home [illegible] door. A consistent Christian, a true friend, a noble husband and [illegible] father, were among his many virtues. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his loss, a loss that may be spoken of by all, but felt only and felt alone by Mother and children. No father or husband ever was more [illegible] to more for comfort and [illegible] by wife and children than he, and [illegible] wife or children more dependent on husband and father than they. He was the strong staff [illegible] and they feel now the truth of the [illegible] the true man gone. Is it needless to say we are best prepared to go that the most worthy are taken. The Lord, Lord, the ways are past finding out!

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To the many neighbors who assisted us especially Mr. Winting and others too numerous to mention in the loss of a kind husband and loving father, we extend our sincere thanks with [illegible] blessings, and in the Sweet Home may those who are waiting there and those who are watching here meet inside the beautiful gate and sing together The Well Done Home.

Mrs. John Henry and children.

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Beef, tallow per lb	3	4
Veal per lb	4	5
Lard per lb	8	10
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Hogs, large per lb	3	4
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Hay per load		7 00
Hides per lb	5	6
Ham per lb	12	14
Lard per lb	8	10
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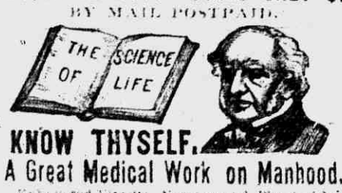

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ESTATE OF ROBERT W. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, held at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 9th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Robert W. King, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Abner Wilson, guardian of said minor, alleging that said deceased died seized of the age of fourteen years, and praying that the guardian now on file in this court may be accepted, that his account as such guardian may be allowed, that he may be ordered to pay over the estate in his hands belonging to said minor to his guardian when appointed, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. ma22

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Southworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of L. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

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In the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Cold weather for the last May.

Geo Freese of Detroit was in town over Sunday.

Some preparations are already being made for the celebration to be held the Fourth.

Bert Roff of Jackson; spent Sunday here with his parents and friends.

Mrs. D. H. Silvers has been quite sick the past week.

Everyone seems busy and news is scarce.

E. A. Clark and one of his employees, Mr. Walker, drove over from Jacksen last Saturday and remained in town over Sunday.

Friends from Kalamazoo have been visiting Mrs. Hixon the past week.

The Congregational Church Social was held at the residence of Mrs. Belding last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mickley and daughter of Adrian, were guests of Mrs. E. VanDeMark last Saturday and Sunday.

People can go to Chicago next week over the Lake Shore at reduced rates on account of the National Republican Convention that opens there the 3d. of June.

The Street Commissioner has commenced work upon the streets.

We learn the Bridgewater band intends to reorganize for the coming campaign.

Farmers are planting over their corn largely. The early frosts last fall damaged the crop for seed.

Six Dollars and eighty cents will purchase a round trip ticket to Chicago next week from this station, and the ticket will be good ten days.

The new Methodist parsonage is just completed, and the pastor, Mr. Kerridge, is moving into it this week.

Wilber Short of Bridgewater, in some way fell off a load of sand last Friday, and was run over. We are glad to report, however, that he was not badly injured.

Dell Goodrich went to North Adams last Saturday and remained over Sunday with friends.

John E. McCollum will move into Mrs. Lancaster's house, which is being vacated by Mr. Kerridge.

Rev. J. W. Payne returned from Detroit last Wednesday where he has been attending the meetings of the National Baptist Societies. Mr. Payne reports the meetings of these Societies as having been very interesting and profitable.

A severe frost seen in this section, this, Thursday morning. The damage done in gardens is large and the corn that was up is probably nipped.

Miss Lucia Kimball of Chicago is announced to be here to talk temperance next Sunday. She will speak to the children in the afternoon at the Town Hall, and in the evening it is intended to hold Union services in one of the churches where she will speak. Miss Kimball is the lady advertised to be here some weeks ago, but failed to appear.

E. VanDeMark who is traveling for a paper house in Canajoharie, N. Y. has not been on the road the last few weeks on account of ill-health.

Dr. G. W. Stevens, son-in-law of Moses Bartlett, is manager of the base ball nine in Jonesville. The Jonesville club is early in the field practicing and expects to play good ball this season.

We understand the Council has decided to rebuild the side walk on Jackson street from Chicago St to the end of John Hause's lot. The walk was built by the property owners, but is to be rebuilt with the public money, for the reason that it is one of the most prominent walks in town, being used by the scholars in our schools and also by some church going people.

William Silvers started for Kansas last Friday to remain there a few weeks. Mr. Silvers went to see the country and may invest some means there.

The township Board of Review completed its duties last Tuesday. The board consisted of David Brooks and A. P. Halladay. No radical changes were made in the assessment as taken by Supervisor Marsteller.

D. Keyes, who is the census enumerator for this township, will begin his duties next Monday.

A number of citizens met at Town Hall last Tuesday evening to perfect arrangements for a celebration the 4th. The matter was talked over and a large committee appointed to raise the necessary funds. This committee will report at the Town Hall next Monday evening, and the full committee will then be appointed and the program and other matters arranged.

Alex. Easlick, of Macon, has just purchased a brand new boiler and fixtures from the Eagle Iron Works of Detroit.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A Soldier's Thanksgiving Service was held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, and a few bouquets gathered for living heroes, who have long been half forgotten while grieving for the dead. A company numbering eighteen, very civil looking men marched after commander H. A. Williamson, from Union Hall, but an empty coat sleeve, limping steps and scars attested to uncivil receptions met with somewhere. Among them was J. Wesch of Jefferson, who spent fourteen months in Andersonville prison and no doubt there were others who had been sufficiently disciplined to be thankful for the May Day Sunshine of 1884. The love of adventure or of fight, pity for the oppressed or the desperation that impels the peace-loving to fight in self-defence, are among the many reasons that induce men to risk sacrifice of life; but all reasons melt in the crucible of Freedom, and blend into reason why we must ever honor the veteran soldier.

The week is so crowded that a few more days are needed to piece it out comfortably. Horses are arriving for the races, that do not fail to bring visitors from far and near, and ladies who are making ready for summer, or Decoration day, choose this time to coax heads of departments to leave home for a day. Of course they don't care for races any more than for Barnham's show, but if they have got to come, just after corn-planting is the time. Underneath these layers of noise and aversion to public brousing is blooming what may possibly produce a fruit called discord.

To take away dooryard fences and mingle with the world at large, is a doctrine supposed to mean, keep yourself unspotted, and gains adherents twice as fast in the new version as the old. It is almost marked as one of the much needed reforms. The beauty of lawn and garden unmarred by pickets, is mapped out with fascinating largeness, and warranted a cure-all for the cow-pasturing enormity, that afflicts by-ways, lawns, country roads, and village streets. I wish to know whether Butler or Begole is to blame for this open-communion law? St. Paul is credited with saying that many things are lawful which are not expedient, and who knows but this is one of them. I don't know how I should feel with my dooryard fence gone, but I have realized a sort of general non-conformity, when a panel got tipped over, or my gate lifted up and cabbage heads nipped off untimely. Accidents of that kind which one has had the caution to provide against, could not be lessened, by offering unlimited inducements to tax-payers, and the inconvenience it might entail on some neighbor whose wandering property never does any particular harm, would not be counted a kindness. Perhaps he helps to keep the highway in order and is entitled to some benefit in return. His children would miss their cup of milk, so he hunts an hour or two for his cow after the day's work is done, not because the road field is cheaper, but because near by farmers cannot or will not rent a pasture. There are only a few such self-sacrificing fathers in any locality, and it seems wicked to exterminate the race. A herd of cattle prowling about the gate is an intolerable plague, but the landscape is incomplete without some to eat the grass that would otherwise grow a carpet for selfishness. Would such stringent regulations be a benefit to any farming community, is a question with two sides, and surely a village is misnamed that allows grass enough to grow in the streets to allure cattle. Reasonable care to prevent intrusion is exacted of all, but forbearance to meddle with privileges that damage neither my conscience or pocketbook is going to be my crowning virtue when I get it learned. One of my chief failings is branching out, when there is nothing to hinder, and if not fenced I might forget to narrow individual interests within proper limits. An escaped pig is a menagerie of mischief I can afford to laugh at when suitable obstructions intervene. To take them away, and court mishap may be lawful, but I doubt that method of living in peace with one's neighbors, and shall not risk the spoiling of my tomato worms with any such nonsense.

TIPTON TATTLE.

Tipton is a modest village having a pleasant appearance and a population of about 25 families, who regulate and administer their own affairs without the intervention of corporate legislature. It is also the chief seat of all the commercial and mechanical enterprises of the entire township in which it is planted. In addition to this, it is most strongly braced on every side by rich farming lands but rarely equalled in general productiveness. Two creditably looking churches loom prominently in the midst of a neat cluster of comfortable residences, two prosperous stores, two blacksmith establishments, one busy wagon shop, the temperance hotel well kept for the benefit of the hungry way-farer, just facing the office where Uncle Sam distributes his piles of literature and various degrees of intelligence. The learned professions are but sparingly represented here as yet. The legal profession does not have a single agent to press its claims upon the public. The medical and the clerical have each one, both of whom seem to be well fed, judging from their physical development. The Tiptonians are entirely exempt from all the disturbances arising from the sale of intoxicating drinks as no such institution exists among them; but they are annoyed sometimes by loads of pleasure seekers hailing from Adrian and elsewhere, who touch at this point on their way to spend and profane the Sabbath at the lakes.

The ground set apart for the burial of the dead in full view of the village appears to good advantage, being neatly kept and well located on a beautiful swell of land exactly adapted to the purpose, so that it is not strange that there should be in all probability, the remains of a larger number of persons sleeping in the cemetery than there are living in the suburbs. Three untimely accessions have been made to this lovely city of the dead during the last week, viz: Pliny Stout who died on the 16th inst., of a rupture, aged 20 years; Carrie Kohler who died on the 20th inst., of scarlet fever, aged 13 months; Mary Alice Bradley who died on the 22d. inst. of consumption, aged 22 years. She had been a member of the M. E. Church about three years and adorned her profession by a patient resignation to the Divine will and at length slept in Jesus and was gathered to his people's rest.

ONSTED ODDS.

A large amount of wheat is being shipped from here. Cambridge farmers know how to appreciate having a market near home.

Mrs. Sarah French, of Hammond, Kent Co., has been visiting friends in this vicinity during the past few days.

Mrs. Desermia and daughter of Ithica, Michigan, are visiting at Mr. Butterfields.

Many farmers are anxiously enquiring how long it will be before the fences will be built along the line of the M. & O.

Miss Mary Lawton of Clayton, teacher in District number five is having excellent success. We understand that the district board have secured her services for the fall term.

The Board of Review were reviewing and revising the assessment roll last week. The road warrants are being made and in a few days every man in town will know just how much he is worth.

The Cambridge correspondent for The Union Light made a mistake last week when he said five gentlemen from the East were at Onsted looking over the locality with a view of putting a store in operation. The number should have been two.

Last Friday afternoon while Mr. Glenn was unloading some window frames for his new store a piece of scantling fell from the scaffold, striking the horses, causing them to run. They were finally captured near the place of starting after unloading their load at several places. Not much damage was done to horses or wagon.

MACON MOLECULES.

To much rain to please the farmers.

Mrs. Avery is dangerously sick, yet we hope that she may fully recover.

Frank J. Dennis died at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Pennington, last Friday. Mr. Dennis had been sick with paralysis a number of months. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Dutton, a graduate of the Theological Seminary at New Brunswick, New Jersey, preached at the Reformed church Sunday evening. We understand that Mr. Dutton has been engaged by this church.

Jesse Coller came up from Milan Saturday and returned Tuesday.

Be prepared to answer about two hundred questions, for the census enumerator will begin his journey next Monday.

The patience of the saints shall be rewarded. Seneca is to have that post-office finally, a Wabash official proposing to stop the train daily to take on and throw off the mail. So they get a station as well as a post-office!

The apportionment of public school money this year in Michigan will be $1.31 per pupil.

PUBLIC MONEYS.

PRIMARY SCHOOL INTEREST FUND.
LENAWEE CO., TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ADRIAN, May 28, 1884.

The following is a statement of the primary school interest fund to which each township and city is entitled, the same being at the rate of $1.31.100 per capita, as apportioned by the superintendent of public instruction. Town treasurer's will call at the county treasurer's office and receipts for the same after June, 1st. 1884.

JAY HOAG, County-Treasurer.

Townships and City	No. children in School census.	Amount Apportn'd.
Adrian City	2,605	$3,412 55
Adrian Township	393	514 83
Blissfield	[illegible]	957 41
Cambridge	327	428 37
Clinton	417	546 27
Deerfield	575	753 25
Dover	338	442 78
Fairfield	713	934 03
Franklin	466	610 46
Hudson	543	711 33
Hudson Village	408	534 48
Macon	371	486 01
Madison	286	374 66
Medina	561	734 91
Ogden	664	869 84
Palmyra	615	805 65
Raisin	541	708 71
Ridgeway	365	478 15
Riga	855	1,120 05
Rollin	457	598 67
Rome	337	441 47
Seneca	731	957 61
Tecumseh	624	817 44
Wood-stock	344	450 64
	14,267	$18,689 77

THE LIBRARY MONEY.
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
LENAWEE CO., TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ADRIAN, May 28, 1884.

The following is a correct apportionment of the library money to which the city of Adrian and the several townships are entitled, as per report of the superintendent of public instruction. Town treasurers will please call at my office and receipt for the same.

JAY HOAG, County Treasurer.

Townships and City.	No. of Children Reported by Supt. Pub. Inst.	Amount Apportioned.
Adrian City	2,605	$220 77
Adrian Township	393	33 30
Blissfield Dist. 1fl, 2fl, 6fl	472	40 00
Cambridge	327	27 71
Clinton Dist. No. 2	265	22 47
Deerfield, Dists. No. 2, 1 fl	289	25 70
Fairfield	713	60 45
Hudson, Dist. No. 5	196	16 61
Hudson City	408	34 60
Macon, Dist. No. 1	102	8 65
Madison	286	23 25
Medina	561	47 55
Ogden	664	56 30
Palmyra	616	52 23
Raisin	531	45 00
Ridgeway	365	30 85
Riga	855	72 45
Rollin	457	38 75
Rome	337	28 55
Seneca	731	61 95
Tecumseh	624	52 90
Woodstock	344	29 16
	12,141	$1,029 00

MICHIGAN STATE PIONEER SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting of this Society, being the tenth anniversary of its organization, will be held in Representative Hall at Lansing, commencing Wednesday, June 4, at 2 o'clock P. M. and continue through the day and evening of the 5th.

The officers are endeavoring to make this one of the most interesting and profitable meetings the Society has ever held, and earnestly request that as many members as can possibly do so, will be in attendance.

The program will consist of Music, Address of the President, Reports of the Officers and Committee, Interesting Historical Papers, interspersed with spirited five minute Reminiscences.

The following historical papers have been promised, and may be expected.

O. Poppleton, Brimingham.—History of Oakland County.

William Fox, Detroit.—Biography of Rev. Charles Fox.

Wm. R. McCornlick, Bay City.—My first visit to Saginaw Valley, fifty years ago.

John H. Forster, Williamston.—Sketches of the early settlement of the copper region of Lake Superior.

Miss Lucy M. Salmon, A. M., Ann Arbor.—The Schools of Michigan during the Territorial Period.

Miss Mabel Randall, Coldwater.—Bishop Chase in Gilead, 1823.

Judge Thomas M. Cooley, Ann Arbor.—Life of D. Darwin Hughes.

Gen. Isaac D. Toll, Petoskey.—An Outline of the March of the 15th U. S. Infantry, War with Mexico, and of some of the Ungagetted Heroes of Company E. of that Regiment.

Mrs. D. L. Case, Lansing.—History of North Lansing.

F. A. Dewey, Cambridge.—The Pottawatomie Indians over fifty years ago.

Prof. J. C. Holmes, Detroit.—Narrative concerning the Knaggs Farm and windmill in Springwells, near Detroit.

Sherman Stevens, Port Washington, N. Y.—Early days in Genesee County.

Prof. J. C. Holmes, Detroit.—History of the "Michigan Farmer."

F. W. Ball or Geo. H. White, Grand Rapids.—Memoir of Hon. John Ball.

Thomas B. Church, Grand Rapids. Early History of Grand River Valley.

E. S. Williams, Flint.—The Treaty of Saginaw, 1819.

E. S. Williams, Flint.—Reminiscences Relating to the Treaty of Saginaw, 1819.

E. S. Williams, Flint.—What I Know about O-taw-war and Ne-war-go.

Geo. W. Knight, Ann Arbor.—Land Grants for Education in the Northwest Territory.—Michigan.

Mr. Bliss, Ann Arbor.—Land Grants for Wagon Roads and Canals.—Michigan.

Remember the Club Hop at the Armory Hall this evening.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 29, 1884.

THE TWILIGHT SONG.

Passing by an humble dwelling
Hidden in the foliage deep,
There I heard a mother singing
As she rocked her babe to sleep;
Soft and low the notes were blended,
By an unseen chair led:
"H-u-s-h, my d-e-a-r, l-i-e s-t-i-l-l a-n-d s-l-u-m-b-e-r,
H-o-l-y a-n-g-e-l-s g-u-a-r-d t-h-y b-e-d!"

Soft the cooing baby answered,
With the sappy kiss of love,
While above the cottage rafters
Watchers from the world above
But the mother sang unbeeding,
Like pressed to the dewy bed:
"H-u-s-h my d-e-a-r, l-i-e s-t-i-l-l a-n-d s-l-u-m-b-e-r,
H-o-l-y a-n-g-e-l-s g-u-a-r-d t-h-y b-e-d!"

When I passed again at nightfall,
Closed and dark the casement there,
And above the humble thresh hold
Hung the black bar of despair.
But in music soft the mother
Sung beside her baby dead
"H-u-s-h, my d-e-a-r, l-i-e s-t-i-l-l a-n-d s-l-u-m-b-e-r,
H-o-l-y a-n-g-e-l-s g-u-a-r-d t-h-y b-e-d!"

Soon my restless footsteps wandered
To a graveyard's tranquil space,
There, in the dark earth of sorrow,
Saw I that fair face
And the tear-choked voice was saying,
By a grave with roses spread:
"H-u-s-h my d-e-a-r, l-i-e s-t-i-l-l a-n-d s-l-u-m-b-e-r,
H-o-l-y a-n-g-e-l-s g-u-a-r-d t-h-y b-e-d!"

Yesterday I walked in sadness
By that home where grief had been,
But the mother's voice was silent,
And in death her face serene;
Far away I heard the whisper
Of a song that Heavenward sped:
"H-u-s-h, my, d-e-a-r, l-i-e s-t-i-l-l a-n-d s-l-u-m-b-e-r,
H-o-l-y a-n-g-e-l-s g-u-a-r-d t-h-y b-e-d!"

—*Mrs. M. L. Rayne, in Detroit Free Press.*

OUT OF THE FRYING-PAN INTO THE FIRE.

Neither tall nor short, neither dark nor fair, with hair between blonde and brown, and eyes that left a doubt as to whether they were gray or hazel. She was just such a little bundle of uncertainties and contradictions as led the imagination captive at the first glance, and offered a constant lure to anticipation.

Whether she spoke or remained silent, whether she walked or sat, expectation hung breathless upon her next word, her next pose. Her eyes, varying as seemed their hue, shone, none the less, with a candid ray that seemed the very light of truth, and her fresh mouth, with its milky teeth showing between the not too-smiling lips, irresistibly suggested the sweetest uses to which lips can be put.

When the heavily-moving vessel had plowed through half the great Atlantic rollers, and the few passengers had all grown heartily tired of each other, when she suddenly appeared for the first time upon deck quite alone, yet calm and self-centered as the small birds that sometimes poised themselves upon spar or bulwark to gather breath for fresh flight.

It was Julius Hilder who had first discovered her, leaning against the companion-way railing, with the air of having just come up or down, he could hardly determine which, looking absently at the tumbling waves.

Julius and his friend, Austin Drake, were sea-faders from a gay party who had made the tour of Southern Europe together. It was Julius who had instigated his companion to desert the others and take the German steamer for New Orleans direct, which then touched at Havre, instead of crossing by a Cunarder, and it had all grown out of the obstinate determination on the part of his sister to attach her party to that of Mrs. Smollett.

Mrs. Smollett was his choicest aversion, a pretentious, intriguing woman, in whom the match-making instinct had been so developed by the effort to establish her own five daughters that it could not rest satisfied with the accomplishment of that gigantic task. She seemed to have an endless supply of nieces, adopted daughters, or protegés of some sort, whom she dangled ostentatiously before the eyes of all eligible bachelors. She had improved a chance meeting with Julius to announce to him a new acquisition, a lovely young creature, whom she was taking home with her from a Swiss Pension.

"Mr. Smollett's own niece, Mr. Hilder, quite like my Fanny at her age. You remember Fanny? She was your first love, I believe," she had said, with her ogling dowager smile, and Julius had felt himself seized at once with an insurmountable aversion to the fair young niece of Mr. Smollett.

In the first heat of his indignation against his sister he had conceived this notable scheme of crossing by the Havre steamer, and though it had not in its development proved to be eminently amusing, he had never omitted to congratulate himself and his companion, night and morning, upon the good sense they had displayed in adopting it.

"No chattering girls or designing dowagers," he would say, as he yawned over his book or the dull game with which they strove to believe they were amusing themselves, "gives a man time to pull himself together and take account of stock, as it were." Still, when on one of those aimless pilgrimages below which formed the only break in the monotony of his occupation, he had nearly run over this pretty young creature leaning against the railings, a thrill of undeniable pleasure had coursed along his nerves and he had felt himself blushing with pleased surprise.

Fortunately, the sea-tan had rendered the blush indistinct, but over the light that shot into his gray eyes the sea-tan had no power, nor yet over the tongue that stammered as he tried to convey his apologies for nearly upsetting her, and his offers of service in conducting her to a seat.

"Thank you," she had answered coolly, "you did not startle me, as I saw you coming, and I am not sure that I want a seat."

There was no more to be said, and her maid appearing at the moment with a bundle of parti-colored wraps, Julius could only lift his hat again and carry out his purpose of going below. As he had no reason for going except that he was tired of staying on deck, and as the deck had now acquired a paramount attraction, he was soon back again.

In the meantime the young lady had made up her mind about the seat, and had found one for herself close against the ship's side, on the weather quarter. It was not a pleasant location, but as she had chosen it, and had wrapped a large shawl about her in an exclusive sort of way, he saw no plausible ground for interfering.

Nothing could have been more discreet and retiring than Miss Elton's behavior, but the perseverance of a man who finds himself bored by too much of his own and his alter ego's society, is an incalculable force against which no woman can successfully intrench herself, and so it was not long before Drake found himself eliminated, as a superfluous factor, from the scene of his friend's enjoyment, whenever Miss Elton appeared on deck. His success, however, was more apparent than real, for although he knew her name, and was allowed to carry her books and her shawl, and arrange her chair in the most comfortable position with reference to the wind, or the sun, he had really made no great progress in her confidence. Who she was, or why she had chosen to make the voyage in this unconventional and eccentric way, remained as great a mystery as it had been on that memorable first day. It was the close of the tenth day, dating from that of his discovery, and Julius sat beside her in that intimate fashion bred of the isolation of the sea.

He had been reading to her, but the story was finished, and a silence had ensued, she appearing to be wrapped in thought and he watching her face with half-veiled glances.

"Three more days and we shall be at home," she said, rousing herself.

"You count the days," he said. "Are you eager to be there?"

"No: neither eager nor reluctant. The voyage has been pleasant, but it will be nice to be on shore again, too."

"What, or rather who is going to make it nice? Anybody in particular?"

She put the question aside with a little wave of her hand.

"You are curious," she said, mischievously.

Julius bit his lip. He was curious, and this was not the first time she had foiled him.

"You want much to know just who and what I am," she went on. "You have made a dozen attempts to find out. Tell me why. What difference would it make to you? If I were to tell you that I am a niece of the Governor of Kentucky—mind, I don't say that I am," she cautioned, as Julius made a gesture of surprise. "I say if I were to tell you so, and add that I am mistress of an independent fortune, would that enhance my value in your eyes?"

Julius drummed upon the arm of his chair, and looked at her in silence.

"Suppose, on the contrary," she went on, impetuously, and with a certain warmth of tone that seemed to spring from injured pride, "I were to tell you that I am an orphan without fortune: that I had just money enough to carry me through the conservatory at Paris, and that I am hoping and expecting to make my living by teaching music, would that lower me in your regard?"

Julius still remained silent, perhaps a little abashed by the results of his own temerity.

"I see that I have embarrassed you," she said, laughing. "I shall not insist upon an answer. I leave you to adopt whichever hypothesis best suits you."

She gathered up her shawl and book as she spoke, and made a motion to rise, but Julius laid a detaining hand upon her arm.

"No, no, you mustn't go yet," he exclaimed, and he fancied he perceived a dewiness in her eyes, as she turned them toward him, which touched him inexpressibly. "I am embarrassed, not so much by your hypothesis as by something in myself. Since you leave me to choose between these hypotheses, I will take the latter. You are, then, an orphan without fortune, hoping and expecting to make your living by teaching music. To prove to you how little I deserve your implied reproach, I will confess what I should have concealed from the Governor's niece. Miss Elton, I adore you."

"Mr. Hilder!" she exclaimed, springing to her feet, with flashing eyes.

"Well," he said, quietly, "you challenged me."

"You are impertinent, sir," and she swept away with dignity.

She remained closely shut in her own cabin during the remainder of the afternoon and until quite late the next morning, when Julius, who had maintained an anxious and impatient watch on deck, found her in the saloon sipping a cup of tea and nibbling a piece of toast by way of breakfast.

"I hope you have forgiven me," he said, taking a seat beside her.

"But I have not," she answered, with decision.

"Which have I offended—the Governor's niece or the orphan music-teacher?" he asked, with a saucy smile.

"Both. It was a daring impertinence to the one and a piece of insolence toward the other."

"Well, I don't see what I'm to do about it. It isn't the sort of thing you can expect a man to take back."

"No," she said, looking absently into her cup, then suddenly realizing that this was not just what she should have said, she hurried to add, amid a confusion of blushes: "That is, of course, you must take it back; at least you mustn't say anything more about it."

"Never?"

"Never."

"But that's impossible."

"Mr. Hilder"

"Miss Elton."

"I think we've had enough of this. It was my fault, I am willing to admit that. It was wretched taste on my part, and I've suffered all sorts of things in consequence." She waved her hand toward her cabin as she spoke, indicating that it was thus her hours of retirement was spent. "Let me go back to the first question," she continued. "You asked me whether there was anybody to make it pleasant for me on shore. There was no reason but my own perversity why I should not have answered at once. No, nobody that I am at all sure will care to make it pleasant for me. I have a dear old uncle who has always been very good to me; but when he hears how naughty I have been I don't know what he will say to me," and she puckered up her white forehead into an expression of compunctious perplexity.

"Well," he said, after waiting some time for her to resume, "is that all?"

"That answers your question, does it not?"

"My question as originally put—yes, I believe it does; but it has been so amplified that you can hardly expect me to be satisfied with that meager answer."

"Amplified! I don't understand."

"Those two ingenious hypotheses, for instance—were they both pure fiction, or which was the true statement?"

"Both pure inventions," she returned, laughing and blushing again. "I am not that bird of rare creature, a Governor's niece, nor yet that more useful and respectable one, a teacher of music. The Governor's niece was just a piece of satire. I traveled a few weeks once in company with such a person, and the constant iteration with which she dwelt upon her title, and the amount of respect it seemed to inspire in the minds of those who heard it, gave me the impression that it was the highest rank an unmarried woman could attain in America. I think the impression must be well founded, too, as I noticed it produced quite an effect upon you."

"Not the effect you imagine. I was startled for a moment, I confess, but simply because of a slight coincidence."

"Coincidence! Do you know her?" and a hot blush and a look of consternation sat together upon the fresh, young face of Miss Elton.

"Never saw her; but there was a plot to make me cross the ocean with such a person and a lot of other women, which I defeated by running away."

"Oh! you ran away?" she breathed the words out in a startled, half-whisper.

"Yes, they went in a Cunarder, and my friend Drake and I slipped off and took the steamer at Havre."

She looked at him with widely-opened eyes for a moment, during which he decided for the fiftieth time that the eyes were brown and not deep gray, as he had decided the other fifty times.

"Why did you run away?" she asked, after a moment's amused consideration.

"Well, you see I was with my sister and two or three others; just a nice little party, all the ladies married; so a fellow didn't have to be always on parade. We had a jolly, comfortable time until we got to Paris on our way home, and there sister took it into her head to join a woman who had been roaming about the continent with a lot of girls on an extensive husband-hunt—one of those women who never look at a single man without picturing him to herself walking up the aisle with a white tie, with half a dozen groomsmen at his back, and who has always just the girl on hand who will walk up the other aisle in white satin and meet him demurely at the altar. I had no fancy for being cooped on a steamer with such an experienced old angler."

"And the Governor's niece was one of the girls?"

"Some Governor's niece, so I heard. Now, what is the naughty thing you've been doing? Come, confidence for confidence."

For sole answer, however, Miss Elton leaned back in her chair and began to laugh immoderately. Julius looked at her for some moments, then catching the infection began to laugh, too, much to the edification of the waiters, who were beginning their preparations for dinner.

"I have no doubt it's awfully funny," he added, as she wiped the tears from her cheeks, "but I could enjoy it more if I knew just the point of view from which you see it."

"Perhaps you could," she replied, demurely, checking an impulse to laugh again. "We seem to be in the way; suppose we move."

"Come on deck," he exclaimed, rising with alacrity and offering his arm.

"Thank you, no. I don't feel quite equal to the deck this morning."

She made him a ceremonious obeisance, and her cabin door had closed behind her before he had fully realized her purpose.

She did not reappear during the day. It was their last day at sea, and Julius was in despair. The jetties' light was in sight when he retired, and when he awoke in the morning the smooth gliding motion of the ship announced that they were in the river. He was in no haste to see the low shores of the Mississippi, in fact he felt at the moment that he hated them; yet he sprang up, dressed with dispatch and mounted to the deck. Everybody was there but the one he sought. He stood near the companion way, watching furtively and starting at every step. She did not come, neither was she at the breakfast table.

The hours glided by, the city rose into view, passengers came on deck with sachels and umbrellas, prepared for going ashore, but still that particular cabin-door remained closed. They were at the wharf, the staging was run out, and a dozen or more citizens rushed across with that strange eagerness so inexplicable to the voyager, whose eagerness impels him in the opposite direction. Julius still maintaining his watch at the companion way, felt himself gently put aside by a tall, gray-haired gentleman, in a brown coat, who went with a careful haste down the brass steps. He heard a little cry, and peering through a sky-light he saw Miss Elton in the arms of the gray-haired gentleman, her head pressed against the brown coat, and her eyes upturned to meet his spectacled gaze.

"Her uncle," he muttered, peevishly, "who the dickens is he anyhow?"

He moved discontentedly to the side and looked at the people hurrying ashore.

"Hello, Julius! Going to spend the night aboard?" cried Drake, coming up with a duly chalked valise in each hand.

"Oh, Mr. Hilder, exclaimed another and more musical voice. "Wait, uncle, I must introduce you: Mr. Hilder has been very kind to me."

"What, Julius! Why, my dear boy, how d'ye? My wife wrote me you were coming over with her." His hand was grasped with a hearty pressure, and he found himself gazing into the spectacled eyes of Mr. Smollett.

"Oh, stupidest of stupids!" he exclaimed, as he thrust slippers and brushes into his valise in the privacy of his cabin. "Bagged by the Smollett ogress after all, by Jupiter!" he added as he gave a last twist to his fair mustache before the misty mirror.—*N. O. Times-Democrat.*

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

A NUMBER of petitions were presented in the Senate on the 21st protesting against Government assumption of telegraph services. Bills were passed for the erection of public buildings at Vicksburg, Chattanooga, Opelousas, La., Portland, Ore., Sacramento, Dayton, O., and Springfield, O.; also bills permitting the erection of bridges at various points. The Chair appointed Messrs. Sherman, Morrill, Allison, Bayard and Lamar members on the part of the Senate of the commission to supervise the dedication ceremonies in connection with the Washington monument. A bill was passed to authorize the issue of the Congressional Record and statutes at large to public libraries. The bill establishing a bureau of labor statistics was taken up, but without action the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. ....In the House the Committee on Agriculture reported adversely the resolution appropriating $[illegible],000 for the purchase of seeds for distribution among the sufferers by the overflow of the Mississippi and its tributaries; also adversely the resolution directing the committee to make investigation of the foot and mouth disease in Maine. Consideration of the English-Pelice contested election case was resumed. After considerable debate, Mr. Hart offered as a substitute for the majority resolution, the resolution of the minority confirming the right of Pelice to the seat. The substitute was agreed to—yeas 121, nays 117. Mr. Springer moved a reconsideration, and pending a vote on a motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, the House adjourned.

BILLS were passed in the Senate on the 23d: Amending the act creating the Northern judicial district of Texas, and providing for the holding of terms of court for the Western judicial district of Texas at El Paso; authorizing the construction of bridges across the river at St. Paul; appropriating $25,000 to compensate the officers and men of the Government steamer J. Don Cameron for losses incurred by the sinking of the steamer on the Missouri River in 1877. Consideration of the labor statistics bill was resumed, pending debate on which the Senate adjourned....The House resumed consideration of the English-Peelle contested election case, the pending question being on the motion to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which the House had agreed to the minority resolution confirming Peelle's right to his seat as a substitute for the majority resolution. The motion to table was lost by a tie—yeas 132, nays 132. A motion to recommit the case to the Committee on Elections was lost, and the motion to reconsider was agreed to—yeas 133, nays 130. The question recurring on the minority resolution it was lost—yeas 125, nays 129; and the majority resolution was adopted by a vote of 130 yeas to 127 nays. Mr. English then appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office. Adjourned.

THE SENATE on the 23d passed the House bill to provide for the muster and pay of certain officers and enlisted men of the volunteer forces; also the annual pension appropriation bill. The Labor Bureau bill was then taken up. Mr. Aldrich moved a substitute, which was agreed to—yeas 38, nays 18—and the bill, as amended, then passed—yeas 55, nays 2. The Utah bill was then taken up, but without action the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned until the 25th....In the House a resolution by Mr. Kellogg, asking for an investigation into the subject of his alleged connection with the star route cases, was referred to the Judiciary Committee. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar. Bills providing for the retirement of Colonel Henry J. Hunt as Major General, and for the payment of quartermaster claims known as Fourth of July claims were laid aside with favorable recommendation. The committee rose and the bills passed. In the evening forty-six pension bills were passed, including one of $50 per month to the widow of General Ord. Adjourned.

IN the House on the 24th, Mr. Hatch of Missouri presented the conference report on the bill to establish a bureau of animal industry, which recommends concurrence in all the Senate amendments. The amount of the appropriation is $150,000 and the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Agriculture is limited to such investigation and such disinfection and quarantine measures as may be necessary to prevent the spread of contagious and infectious diseases from one State or Territory into another, and is prohibited from applying any money toward paying for animals which it is found necessary to slaughter in order to prevent the spread of disease. The report was agreed to. The Senate bill granting permission to L. K. Reynolds, U. S. N., to accept the decoration of the Royal and Imperial Order of Francis Joseph from the Government of Austria, for gallantry in saving the lives of eleven Austrian sailors, was passed without division. The bill restoring Alfred Hopkins to the rank of Captain in the Navy, gave rise to a long debate, but was finally passed. Adjourned.....The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

EX-SPEAKER RANDALL is of the opinion that Congress will adjourn about the 20th of June.

AT a meeting of the depositors of the Newark (N. J.) Savings Institution on the 21st, a letter was read giving assurance that a hundred cents on the dollar would be paid.

ALONZO SMITH was arrested in New York on the 22d for cruelly skinning a calf alive. He was fined $25 and sentenced to twenty-five days' imprisonment.

GENERAL GRANT has placed a mortgage on his property at Washington in favor of W. H. Vanderbilt to partially secure the latter for $150,000 loaned the General in New York. The instrument bears the date of May 7th.

GEORGE H. LEVIS, a Washington broker, has disappeared with from $100,000 to $200,000 belonging to his customers.

BY the upsetting of a row boat in the river at Port Huron, Mich., on the 23d, Charles Mooney, John Ford and Thomas McKwen, all of Chicago and employes of the Grand Trunk Railroad, were drowned.

THE suspension bridge across the Scioto River at Portsmouth, O., fell while some cattle were crossing on the 21st. Mrs. Fulweiler with four children, who were on the bridge at the time, were drowned, and several others injured. The bridge cost $40,000, and is a total wreck.

THE vault in the City Clerk's office in the Bank of St. Louis was broken open on the night of the 21st and everything it contained stolen.

A FREIGHT train collided with the St. Louis Express on the New York Central Road at East Brighton, N. Y., (where the Auburn road branches off,) on the night of the 22d, wrecking the passenger train and injuring sixteen persons, several seriously. Prince Yamashina, of Japan, and three of his troupe who were in the sleeper of the passenger train were slightly injured. The accident was caused by a misplaced switch. The freight train was approaching from the East on the Auburn road, and both trains were running thirty miles an hour.

HENRY HAYS, a desperate character living in Davies County, Ky., was found dead near his residence on the 22d with three pistol shots in his body. Hays had been engaged in several shooting affrays, and warrants were out for his arrest which the officers were afraid to serve.

THE following are the original numbers of the three per cents. called on the 22d, maturing June 30: Fifty dollars, No. 345 to No. 493, both inclusive; $100, No. 2,796 to No. 3,387, both inclusive; $500, No. 1,339 to No. 1,585, both inclusive, and No. 3,987 to No. 3,993, both inclusive; $1,000, No. 12,375 to No. 13,355, both inclusive, and No. 22,733 to No. 22,812, both inclusive; $10,000, No. 21,171 to No. 22,075. Total $10,000,000.

FLOYD L. MAJORS, formerly an Ohio minister, and a graduate of Ann Arbor College in 1870, was hanged at Oakland, Cal., on the 23d, for connection with the murder of two miners named Reynolds and McIntyre.

CHARLES A. HINCKLEY, paying teller of the West Side Bank, New York, has absconded with $96,000 of the bank's funds.

H. C. BLANCHARD, coffee merchant of Richmond, Va., failed on the 23d, with liabilities amounting to $225,000. Among the heavy creditors are Baring Brothers & Co., of Boston, $147,000, and the Massachusetts National Bank of Boston, $50,000. The failure was due to heavy dealings in futures.

THE Penn Bank, of Pittsburgh, resumed business on the 23d. There was no run of consequence, there being nearly as many depositing as drawing out.

IT is said that a New York syndicate has taken all the Government bonds held by Fisk & Hatch, thus relieving the banks and others having loans on the bonds, and placing Fisk & Hatch in a position to adjust their affairs.

THE failures reported for seven days ended the 23d were: United States 212, Canada 20; total 232; an increase of 23 over the previous week.

CROP prospects throughout the West and South and Northwest are very encouraging.

NEAR Portsmouth, Ohio, on the 22d a fire entirely destroyed the house occupied by Samuel Ackerman and family of eight children. The father and mother and eldest daughter Amelia perished in the flames.

JOHN CUMMINGS, a clerk of the Standard Oil Company at Long Island City, is missing since the 16th with $4,000 which he drew to pay the employes. It is stated he is also a heavy defaulter.

THE condition of the winter wheat crop in Illinois as reported to the State Board of Agriculture is better in the northern portion but not so promising in the southern. The average yield is now estimated at ninety-four per cent. in the northern counties, eighty-six in the central counties, and seventy-three in the southern counties. The average of the State will be about eighty-two per cent. of an average crop.

A SCHEDULE for mail service between points in the United States and the City of Mexico has been completed by the Railway Mail Bureau. The service will be daily, and the running time between New York and the City of Mexico will be six days and twenty-three hours, while the return trip will be made in seven days and one hour. The distance is 3,749 miles, 1,224 miles of railroad being in Mexico. The following named cities are on the line of communication: Pittsburgh, Columbus, O., Indianapolis, St. Louis, Sedalia, Mo., Kansas City, La Junta, Col., Albuquerque, N. M., Rincon, N. M. and El Paso, Tex.

BENJAMIN JOHNSON, the accomplice of Allen Ingalls in the murder of the Taylor family at Avondale, near Cincinnati, subsequently selling the bodies to a medical college, was on the 24th found guilty of murder in the first degree. Ingalls hung himself in jail some time ago.

MRS. JAMES HANNA, of Fairview, O., bled to death recently as the result of having a tooth pulled.

AT St. Louis on the night of the 25th, Mrs. Alexander Dumont, in a fit of insanity, procured her husband's razor and cut the throats of her three children, aged respectively three months, four and six years, and then cut her own throat. The two youngest children are dead, but the mother and oldest child may recover.

THE following is a statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended May 24: Loans decrease, $13,461,800; specie decrease, $10,804,100; legal tenders decrease, $4,086,400; deposits decrease, $20,625,400; circulation increase, $126,600; reserve decrease, $9,734,150. The banks now hold $6,609,125 below legal requirements.

A PARTY of five girls entered a boat on the Calumet River, Chicago on the 25th. None of them knew anything about the management of a boat, and during a playful dispute, it was capsized, and two sisters named Bodmunter, aged respectively sixteen and eighteen, were drowned. The others were rescued.

JAMES D. FISH, ex-President of the Marine Bank, New York, was arrested on the 25th upon a warrant charging him with misappropriating funds belonging to the bank to the amount of $1,111,000.

PRESIDENT BROBENDER, of the broken Erie County (Pa.) Bank, returned to Erie on the 24th and made an assignment of all his real estate, stocks and manufacturing interests to Receiver Brady for the benefit of the wronged depositors. When the fact of Brobender's return become known, his residence was surrounded by an angry crowd of victims, and fearing mob violence, he sought the protection of the county jail. The cashier, R. Petit, has been arrested upon the charge of receiving money under false pretenses.

AT the session of the Presbyterian General Assembly, at Saratoga, on the 24th, the report of the Finance Committee showed the receipts of the past year to have been $39,046; expenses, $26,847; leaving a balance to be carried to next year of $12,199.

THE West Side Savings Bank, of New York, suspended on the 24th, caused, it is said, by a run growing out of the $96,000 defalcation of Hinckley, the paying teller. President Moore says the embarrassment is but temporary, and that an early resumption of business may be looked for.

HANLEY, one of the principals in a recent prize fight in Saunders County, Nebraska, after a trial lasting a week, has been sentenced to three years in the Penitentiary.

A FIRE at the Atlantic Oil Works near Philadelphia, destroyed fourteen tanks of oil, the paraffine works and several brick buildings. The flames spread over five acres of ground and endangered the surrounding property. The loss is estimated at $400,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

GEORGE LEAR, ex-Attorney General of Pennsylvania, died at Doylestown, Pa., on the 23d.

THE West Virginia Greenback State Convention on the 22d nominated Judge Edwin C. Maxwell for Governor; J. T. Burt for Auditor; Spencer W. Burm for Treasurer, and J. N. Kendall for School Superintendent. The rest of the State ticket was left for the Republicans to fill, and the two parties will fuse in the fall elections.

PRINCE YAMASHINA, aged sixteen, a member of one of the Imperial families of Japan, with two attendants, and three other young Japanese, arrived in City on the 20th on a tour of observation and pleasure.

ISAAC M. VEITCH, a distinguished Odd Fellow, died suddenly at St. Louis on the 22d. He had been Grand Sire of the Supreme Grand Lodge of the World and Past Grand Master and Past Grand Secretary of the Missouri Grand Lodge.

THE Virginia municipal elections on the 22d passed off quietly. The Democrats were successful at Danville and Richmond. At Petersburg the Republican ticket was elected.

AT the M. E. Conference at Philadelphia on the 22d, Rev. William Taylor, of India, was elected to the episcopacy of Africa, and Dr. B. F. Crary was elected editor of the California *Christian Advocate*.

THE House Ways and Means Committee began the consideration of Hewitt's tariff bill on the 22d. Members of the committee say that portion of the bill relating to a reduction of the tariff will not be considered, but that a favorable report may be looked for on that portion which explains the present law.

THE Democrats of the Fourth Congressional District of Indiana, in convention at Greensburg on the 22d, renominated William S. Holman on the first ballot.

THE Council of the Nebraska Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in session at Omaha, on the twenty-second ballot elected Rev. Dr. Worthington, of Detroit, Mich., Bishop of Nebraska in place of Clarkson, deceased.

THE Trustees of the Central Ohio Insane Asylum have elected Drs. Ira Hamblin, of Dayton, and F. H. Dillman, of Portsmouth, to succeed Drs. Wilson and Crumley, assistant physicians.

MRS. HENRIETTA JUDAH, widow of the late Samuel Judah, once famous throughout the United States as the most brilliant lawyer of his time, died at Vincennes, Ind., on the 24th, aged seventy-six.

FOREIGN.

SEVEN shocks of earthquake were felt on the 21st throughout the Peninsula of Cyzcus, Asia Minor. Several villages were damaged, many houses destroyed and thirty persons killed.

MILNE'S wood yards at Aberdeen, Scotland, were burned on the 21st. Loss £50,000.

A LONDON dispatch of the 22d says the British ship Syria was wrecked off the Fiji Island and seventy passengers drowned.

THE London *News* states that a Canadian loan of £10,000,000 is imminent to assist in the conversion of five per cent. bonds.

IN the English House of Commons on the 21st a bill amending the Irish laborers' act of 1883 was rejected by a vote of 138 to 75. Parnell complained of the opposition offered by Trevelyan, Chief Secretary for Ireland. He said the Government must not find fault if it meets with a little retaliation. "Does the Government," he asked, "mean to wait until the laborers burn the houses over the heads of the dissenting landlords? The laborers have been patient, but it is intolerable that they should continue to live upon mud floors until a commission has investigated their grievances."

IT is reported from St. Johns, N. F., that the French brig Senorine, with fifty-three passengers and nine crew had sunk to the eastward of Great Bank and all on board were lost. She left St. Malo, France, on the 5th of March, laden with a general cargo, bound to Saint Pierre, and succumbed to the gale of the 5th of May.

IT is reported that the Bank of Montreal exported $8,000,000 in gold to New York during the recent financial panic.

THIRTEEN deaths from yellow fever occurred at Havana during the week ended the 24th.

THE Spanish Slavery Abolition Society has petitioned the Minister of Colonies to stop flogging negroes in Cuba. The Minister has promised a stricter execution of the law.

THE English Admiralty has ordered the torpedo flotilla at Chatham and Portsmouth to be prepared for active service.

LATER.

AT noon of the 26th the doors of the Penn Bank at Pittsburgh were again closed, the following notice, signed by the directors, being posted thereon: "Owing to the serious illness of President Riddle and the inability of the directors to consult with him, it is deemed proper to close the bank." It was said the failure to make their balances good at the Clearing House was the prime cause of the closing. It was reported that President Riddle's illness was caused by an overdose of chloroform.

J. D. FISH President of the Marine Bank, recently arrested for misapplying to his own use moneys belonging to the bank, was on the 26th released on $3,000 bail.

THE London newspapers appeal for £1,000 to send a British artillery company to compete in the practice at Quebec.

THE Mayall rubber factory at Reading, Mass., burned on the 26th. Loss $200,000.

ABNER DAVIDSON, aged twenty, Minnie Paltridge, seventeen, and Mary Morton, twelve, were drowned while boating on the Grand River at Galt, Ont., on the 26th.

THE Baptists have resolved to begin missionary work in the Congo River at a cost not to exceed $30,000 per annum.

DURING the holiday games at Chatham, Ont., on the 26th, the grand stand collapsed and 150 people were injured, several seriously, but no fatal results are feared. The injuries consisted of broken arms, legs, and ribs. Some were injured internally.

THE wife of Robert J. Burdette, editor of the Burlington *Hawkeye*, died on the 26th at Ardmore, Pa.

TILDEN G. ABBOTT, late cashier of the Union Market National Bank of Watertown, Mass., has been indicted for forgery and embezzlement.

THE Senate on the 26th concurred in the House amendment to the bill extending the Court of Alabama Claims to December 31, 1885. Bills were reported favorably and placed on calendar: To provide for two additional associate justices for the Supreme Court of Dakota; to forfeit the unearned land grants of the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad and restore the same to settlement. The Mexican pensions bill was taken up and discussed at great length, but without action it went over. The Utah bill was then placed before the Senate, pending discussion of which the Senate adjourned. In the House the Senate amendments to the agricultural bill were non-concurred in. Mr. Hewitt of New York introduced a bill, which was referred, to punish by fine and imprisonment any official of a National bank who shall obtain from the bank with which he is connected any loans for his own benefit, or benefit of any company of which he is a member, by which loss shall occur to the bank. Bills were introduced and referred: Granting pensions to all honorably discharged soldiers of the rebellion when they reach the age of forty-five; appropriating $500,000 for the erection of a home for disabled officers of the Confederate army at Danville, Va. The contested election case of McKinley was taken up, but pending a matter went over for the weather. Adjourned.

Spring Without Blossoms.

Late in Life to Look for Joy—Yet Never too Late to Mend.

Readers of Hawthorne's "House of Seven Gables" will recall the pathos with which poor Clifford Pyncheon, who had been unjustly imprisoned since his early manhood, said, after his release: "My life is gone, and where is my happiness? Oh! give me my happiness." But that could be done only in part, as gleams of warm sunshine occasionally fall across the gloom of a New England autumn day.

In a letter to Messrs. Hiscox & Co., Mr. L. H. Titus, of Pennington, N. J., says: I have suffered untold misery from childhood from chronic diseases of the bowels and diarrhœa, accompanied by pain. I sought relief at the hands of physicians of every school, and used every patent and domestic remedy under the sun. I have at last found in PARKER'S TONIC a complete specific, preventive and cure. As your invaluable medicine, which did for me what nothing else could do, is entitled to the credit of my getting back my happy days, I cheerfully and gratefully acknowledge the fact."

Mr. E. S. Wells, who needs no introduction to the people of Jersey City, adds: "The testimonial of Mr. Titus is genuine and voluntary; only he does not adequately portray the suffering he has endured for many years. He is my brother-in-law, and I know the case well. He is now perfectly free from his old troubles, and enjoys health and life, ascribing it all to PARKER' TONIC.

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ESTATE OF JOHN W. HOUSE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 2d day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John W. House, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Robert B. House, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and amongst the parties entitled thereto and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 2d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayers of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate

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ESTATE OF MONAGHAN MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Robert B. House, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors, described in said petition, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minors, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF ROBERT W. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian on Friday, the 16th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the estate of Robert W. King, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Abner Wilson, guardian of said minor, alleging that said minor has now attained to the age of fourteen years, and praying that his resignation (now on file in this court,) may be accepted, that his final account as such late guardian may be allowed, that he may be ordered to pay over the estate in his hands belonging to said minor to his guardian, when appointed, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A.D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Southworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac F. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Tempie's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. F. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK B. WOOD, Administrator of said Estate.

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Berina D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A.D., 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A.D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8) of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county, and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 18-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Exchange Hotel lot; thence west on the south line of that lot, three and 18-100 chains to the J. B. Hoag lot (new Marsh lot); thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

EDWIN B. WOOD, Guardian of said Minors.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Silas W. Bass, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 14th day of June, 1884, and on the 28th day of October, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 28th day of April, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 29, 1884.

Should the contest between Blaine and Arthur become bitter the chances will then favor some great unknown. The best political prophets are all at sea.

The conflict thickens. The Republican clans will assemble next Monday at Chicago, and before another HERALD goes to press we shall probably know who the Republican candidates will be.

Hayes enjoys this advantage over Grant, says the Utica Observer He will never be charged with having allowed his name to be used by a firm of swindlers. You couldn't get a loan of ten cents on R. B. Hayes' name.

Morenci Observer: It is currently reported that the Hon. J. K. Boies, of Hudson, has withdrawn from the congressional course. His defeat at the last election was a piece of political chicanery that will not soon be forgotten.

A novel temperance pledging was one through with in Cooper Institute, New York, last week, when Co. D, of the 12th regiment, swore off by wholesale. The members of the company marched to the front of the platform and with uplifted hand took the pledge all together.

Blaine and Arthur seem to be neck and neck in the race at the present time. The Republican rank and file in the Republican states are evidently for Blaine. The machine is for Arthur. It is a significant fact that the bulk of Arthur's strength comes from the Southern states all of which will be hopelessly Democratic on election day.

The Toledo Blade has come out in favor of the nomination of Hon. Thomas M. Cooley, of Michigan, for president on the Republican ticket.—The convention could certainly go further and fare worse and it will probably do so. Judge Cooley is no politician and has no barrel, two very important things in a nominating convention.

If the Pennsylvania Bible Society want to double or treble Ingersoll's audiences for a season or two, and to that extent multiply his profits as a lecturer, they will arrest him under the Pennsylvania statute forbidding blasphemy. Ingersoll's stock in trade is notoriety, and if he could only provoke religionists to put him in prison for a week or two, his fortune would be made.

An exchange has the following "o'er true" words about the work of most newspaper editors:

The trouble with the funny men is they don't have time to be funny.—The most of them are newspaper editors. Their lives are one demnition grind. When we have waded through a bushel of exchanges, helped at the spring cleaning, attended to the wood and coal, had a fight with a tramp printer, thrown a dun down a flight of stairs, stood umpire at a dog fight, reported a fire, pied a form, jammed our thumb in a door, put out a clothes line, bought some liver for the dog, taken part in a vestry meeting, and ground out a religious editorial and poem on "A Balmy Day in May," we certainly do not feel a flush of fun flurrying in our soul and bubbling in our inkstand. At least, not much so, unless we have just got a new subscriber and feel recklessly magnified over our good fortune.

The Evening News has these sensible words about the wool tariff:

Two hundred citizens from various parts of the country are in Chicago devising ways and means whereby the remainder of the fifty or sixty millions of the country shall be mulcted for their benefit. The two hundred are wool growers; they want more tariff, and they assume to represent all the wool growers of the country, not two per cent. of whom, we venture to say, know of their having gathered. Outside of four or five States, the farmers do not own two sheep apiece, and even in the great sheep-growing sections the bulk of the stock is owned by a few. All the sheep in the country, divided evenly, would not give each farmer more than 9 head. If the whole tariff proposed by the 200 at Chicago, were so much actual profit to the farmer, he would get about $5 per year out of it—not quite enough to pay the actual tariff levied on two pair of blankets, not half as much as he pays on one suit of clothes, not nearly so much as he pays annually on the nails he uses in mending. To the few big wool growers there may be profit in the wool tariff, but to 90 farmers out of 100, the country over, it is as costly as any other item of the long list of 2,000 articles upon which they pay taxes for other people's benefit.

FAILS A SECOND TIME.

The Penn Bank at Pittsburgh Again Closes Its Doors—Great Excitement Among the Depositors.

PITTSBURGH, May 27.—The Penn Bank closed its doors again at seven o'clock yesterday and posted the following notice on the door: "Mr. Riddle, the President and chief executive officer of the bank, having become suddenly and seriously ill and unable to communicate with the Board of Directors, it is deemed proper to close the bank under the existing circumstances until he sufficiently recovers to be present at an adjustment of its affairs. By order of the Board."

The news of the second suspension spread rapidly and created intense excitement and surprise owing to the fact that everybody had faith in the bank's ability to pay all claims against it. The immediate cause is at present unknown and nothing definite can be learned as the directors positively refuse to be interviewed. Large crowds have been flocking to the bank and the pavement in front is filled with anxious depositors and persons attracted through curiosity. President Riddle appeared to be in his usual health at ten this morning, but half an hour later was prostrated with hemorrhage of the lungs and since then has had three repetitions. He is lying at the Duquesne Club rooms unconscious, with only slight hopes of recovery. Close friends of Mr. Riddle are unable to give an explanation of the sudden turn of affairs. It is said, however, that there has been a heavy run on the bank this morning, principally by checks and that $260,000 were drawn in this way through the Clearing House.

The crash was brought about by the Clearing House throwing out checks amounting to $265,000. According to a statement the directors of the bank had raised $931,000 to pay liabilities of $918,000. It is said that there were $300,000 certified checks out which did not include this and which had to be paid. The banks which loaned the suspended institution funds to tide them over are amply secured.

LATER.—The cause of Riddle's illness is an overdose of morphia or chloroform taken this morning. Physicians are endeavoring to relieve him of the medicine.

Officers have been placed in charge who refuse to permit an audience with any of the board. There is great excitement.

DACOTA'S CAPITAL.

The Feeling at Bismarck Over the Supreme Court Decision—Governor Ordway's Friends Fighting for His Retention.

BISMARCK, Dak., May 26.—The decision of the Supreme Court reversing Edgerton's decision was received in this city with great enthusiasm, although the people had no doubt of the final result and permanent location of the Capital here. The decision sets at rest the possibility of delay and embarrassment to the city. No sooner did the news reach Bismarck than bands of music, bonfires, and general jubilation gave evidence of the feeling of rejoicings. Speeches were made by George P. Flannery, Dr. W. A. Bentley, John A. Stoyell, John Holembach, the Rev. S. H. Thompson, Receiver Francis, and Farmer Wallace. Cheers were given for Governor Ordway, Alexander McKenzie, the Capital Commissioners, and the Supreme Judges. At least 4,000 people assembled around the speakers' stand and the most intense enthusiasm prevailed. A large amount of Bismarck capital has been held in reserve for the decision, and will now be invested in certain business blocks, residences and public improvements. Work will be resumed on the Capitol immediately, and the city will assume a brighter and livelier appearance than ever before. Flags were raised, cannon fired and the city was in a state of great excitement and jubilation all night. It is now an acknowledged fact with all parties at interest that the next Legislature will meet in this city, and elaborate preparations will be made for their accommodation. The Capitol will be completed and Legislative halls finished before fall.

YANKTON, Dak., May 26.—Governor Ordway and his friends are making a strong fight against his removal from office. Attorney General Hughes has filed charges against United States Attorney Hugh J. Campbell for official misconduct in connection with the indictment of Governor Ordway and other matters during the past two years. As Ordway's four years' of office expired two days ago his enemies are wondering why the President does not appoint his successor. It is thought that Campbell's possible indictment will not hasten Ordway's retirement, as Territorial officials do not retire until their successors are appointed.

Manitoba Doesn't Want Our Hogs.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 26.—The Minneapolis & Manitoba Railroad Company has been notified by the Collector of Customs at Winnepeg that no hogs could be imported from the United States to Manitoba for breeding purposes; that the shipment of hogs into Manitoba is forbidden except under regulations providing for their immediate slaughter. For all hogs entered under such regulations bond must be given as a pledge that they will be slaughtered immediately.

Fish Pleads Not Guilty.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Fish, President of the Marine Bank, arrested Sunday, appeared in the United States Commissioner's office yesterday afternoon and pleaded not guilty to misapplying for his own use moneys belonging to a United States bank. The court fixed the bail at $30,000 and Fish produced bondsmen for the amount.

The Ingratitude of Republics Exemplified.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 26.—John Lawrence, who was Farragut's pilot in the battle of Mobile Bay, died in the poor house of Mobile Sunday afternoon after months of suffering. He passed his latter days in great destitution, and his frequent appeals for aid from the Federal Government met with no response.

Damaging Rains in Louisiana.

COUSHATTA, La., May 26.—The heaviest rains on record have fallen here during the past ten days. The river is higher than for a number of years. Crops are suffering and hands are unable to work. All the creeks and bayous are swelling into immense proportions. Planters and business men are very much discouraged.

A Dire Contagion in Kansas.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 26.—Dr. Holcomb, State Veterinary Surgeon, reports that fifteen counties of Kansas are infected with glanders, that three people and fifty head of horses have perished already, and that the dread disease is spreading.

$200,000 Fire.

READING, Mass., May 26.—The Mayall rubber factory was destroyed by fire yesterday morning: loss estimated at nearly $200,000.

STOCKS GENERALLY HIGHER.

The Market Gloomy in the Early Hours but Brighter at the Close.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The vigorous attacks of the bear cliques forced out a torrent of liquidations and made stock speculation gloomy and depressed yesterday morning. Though timidity and distrust prevailed there was a change for the better during the afternoon, when there was quite a scare among the little shorts, who, discovering the heavy oversold condition of the market made a rush to cover and carried Lackawanna up to 95. Great efforts were made to effect a grand rally all around, and, in view of no further bank developments it looked as if it would be successful, though how long it would last no man would venture to cast an opinion.

The upward turn was attributed to Gould and his following and the desires of bear operators to rid themselves of too much company. The change in the tone of the market began about eleven o'clock, and the change from weakness to strength was quite marked. The subsequent advance, and especially in the last hour, left nearly the whole list higher than it closed on Saturday. The most important advances were Burlington & Quincy, 4¼, Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis 2½, Central Pacific 2⅜, Delaware & Hudson 5½, Illinois Central 1, Lake Shore 2⅜, Long Island 3½, Missouri Pacific 3⅝, New Jersey Central 1¾, Northwestern 1½ and 1, Northern Pacific 1 for the common and 2¾ for the preferred, Pacific Mail 1, Reading 1, Rock Island 2¼, St. Paul 2½, Omaha preferred 2¾, Manitoba 1, Texas and Pacific 1, Union Pacific 2, Western Union 1½. The only important decline was Michigan Central, 3 per cent.

The representatives of the Vanderbilt interest say Mr. William H. Vanderbilt has transferred $5,000,000 of Governments into the name of William K. Vanderbilt. Although nothing is said as to the object, it is inferred that the transaction is to protect and strengthen his stocks.

General Manager Hoxie telegraphs to Jay Gould that the Transcontinental agreement has been remodeled, a very little, and again renewed, and Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific have rejoined the association, rates will now be maintained.

An Insane Woman Crushes Her Husband's Skull With a Club.

TOLEDO, May 26.—Word comes from Bowling Green of the horrible murder of Stewart Anderson, a man seventy-five years old, and for fifty years a resident of Wood County. He was killed by his wife, aged sixty-five. The victim was a farmer living four miles northeast of Bowling Green. The murderess is a large power ful woman, who for some time past has shown symptoms of insanity and was under treatment therefor. She is a sister of Dave Phillips who killed Charles Lundy, fifteen years ago, and after being convicted of manslaughter, was imprisoned for a year. Subsequently he became insane, and is now in the asylum at Columbus. The Anderson tragedy is supposed to have occurred about seven o'clock Sunday morning, though no one was present. With a club or a poker Mrs. Anderson battered in her husband's head which was beaten to a jelly. After killing him she dragged the body into another room washed it, and placed a book under his head. She then started for the residence of Dr Whitaker, half a mile distant, but meeting him on the way, got into his buggy and returned home, saying nothing of what she had done. Upon arriving at the house they found her son Val Anderson there. He was told by the doctor to keep close watch upon his mother as she was dangerous. Soon after the son entered the house and found the dead body of his father. His mother acknowledged having killed him; and expressed joy at his death. Mrs. Anderson was taken to Bowling Green in the afternoon and lodged in jail. There is no doubt of her insanity.

Greetings Exchanged.

SARATOGA, May 27.—In the Presbyterian General Assembly, morning session, a resolution was adopted for continuing the correspondence with the Southern Assembly by letter. A fraternal letter from the Methodist General Conference was read and received. A response to the assembly was also read. The recommendation of the Committee on Reduced Representation was adopted. The narrative on the state of the religion of the church and the nicrological report was read. The assembly next year meets at Cincinnati.

The Liabilities of F. Blanchard.

BOSTON, Mass., May 26.—Seven-eighths of the liabilities of S. Blanchard, of Richmond, Va., the wholesale grocer and importer, who failed Saturday for $225,000 are held in Boston. Kidder, Peabody & Co., representing Baring Brothers & Co., admitted they were creditors to the amount of $149,600. President Bigelow, of the Massachusetts National Bank, admitted his bank was a creditor to the amount of about $50,000, but said they were secured.

Base Ball.

CLEVELAND, May 27.—The Detroits were defeated here yesterday by the home nine. The score stood: Clevelands, 2; Detroits 0.

Buffalo—Chicagos, 0; Buffalo, 4.

Philadelphia—Bostons, 10; Philadelphias, 4.

New York—Providence, 10; New York, 4.

The Allegheny-Columbus game at Pittsburgh was postponed on account of rain.

The Presbyterian Assembly Adjourns.

VICKSBURG, Miss., May 26.—The Presbyterian General Assembly adjourned sine die yesterday. Among the last business was a fraternal letter to the Northern Assembly, teeming with the kindliest sentiments, but expressing the firm determination to adhere to the position taken by the last Assembly with regard to the mode of correspondence. A letter of the same purport was sent to the General Synod.

A Distinguished Party.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—A distinguished party left Washington at noon yesterday for Annapolis. It included the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, Committee on Naval Affairs and Appropriations, Admiral Porter, Lieutenant General Sheridan, Ministers of England, Russia, Germany and France, and the Maryland members of Congress.

A Villainous Joke.

NORWALK, Conn., May 27.—A stupid local paper published a long article last Friday stating that there was a steady run on one of the oldest banks in the city. It excited the depositors and started a run which took $30,000 from the Norwalk Savings Bank before the alleged joker explained that he referred to a gravel bank.

Rubber Factory Fire.

READING, Mass., May 27.—The Mayall rubber factory burned. Leeton, knows [illegible]. He has attained at six.

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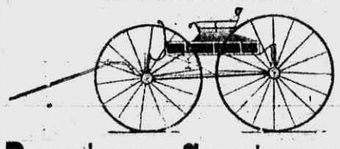

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

DRESSMAKING.—Miss Thompson has returned home from the east, and is ready for dressmaking, cutting and fitting and everything in the line of dresses, at Mrs. Wm. Richards house, at the east door, corner Ottawa and Logan streets.

FOR SALE.—Three desirable residences offered for sale at a bargain if taken within 30 days. One ten acre lot in a high state of cultivation with new house and barn. I'm bound to sell, so if you have any intention of buying property in Tecumseh within a year, it will be to your advantage to call and see me.
L. P. SPARKS.

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Swick & Munger is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued at the old stand by Mr. Munger, who assumes the payment of the firm's debts. All accounts due the firm will be collected by Mr. Swick.
TECUMSEH, May 20, 1884.
P. B. SWICK.
J. A. MUNGER.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One set of Union counter Scales, Howe's Improved. Just the thing for family use. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

PASTURE TO LET.—A good range of clover and grass pasture, about two miles from Tecumseh village. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

I. X. L. WIND MILL.—I am agent for pumps, pipes, tanks, and everything pertaining to a first-class wind mill. If your mill, pump, pipe, or tank is out of repair give me a call.
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ROOMS TO LET.—Pleasantly situated, corner Chicago and Van Buren streets. Enquire on the premises.
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ROOMS TO LET.—Over Hough & Hosmer's store. Enquire of
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SEED CORN.—Farmers can find good seed corn for sale at my farm 3½ miles west of Tecumseh.
W. J. OSBORN.

NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested.
C. A. KEIL.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice.
F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected.
S. CATLIN, M.D.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer.
A. A. KENNEDY.

FOR SALE.—Several desirable family residences in village of Tecumseh. Enquire of
CHARLES BURRIDGE.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if sold at once. For particulars enquire of
J. W. COLE.
Also a good house and lot for sale.

James A. Smyth, of Grand Rapids, is spending a few days in Tecumseh.

The Hudson Hotels have discontinued running hacks to the trains. They get all the custom anyway, and save the expense of running a hack.

Jack Frost paid us a visit last night. He dropped down in spots. Some localities were severely smitten, while others escaped. Small fruits and garden truck were quite seriously effected in some places.

Heman Hand, of South Macon, has a famous cow, which is noted for milk and butter. She produces 15 pounds of butter per week, besides raising a calf and giving plenty of milk for puddings and side-dishes.

The base ball association held a meeting Tuesday evening. Several new members were taken in. The first nine is now filled with one exception and that vacancy will soon be filled. The club will put the best nine on the diamond this season they have ever done, and they are looking forward to a summer of active work.

The third quarterly meeting of the conference year will be held in the M. E. church next Saturday and Sunday. Preaching Saturday at 2:30 P. M., and Sunday at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.—Sacrament at the close of the morning service on Sunday. Rev. W. J. Campbell, Presiding Elder of Adrian District, will meet the Quarterly Conference at 7:30 P. M. Saturday and preach on Sunday.

HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.

The regular graduating exercises connected with the High School will be held in four weeks, or the last week in June. Although the program in detail has not been arranged, the exercises will be similar to what they were last year. The new feature of "Promotion" exercises introduced last year by Prof. Hammond will be repeated this year, and they will probably be given on Wednesday evening, June 25th.

The graduating exercises proper will be held on Thursday evening, June 26th. On Friday will occur the Alumni Reunion. In order that the officers of the Alumni Society may know "who is who," and thus prepare themselves for the reunion exercises, we produce the list of officers chosen at the last annual meeting.

President—Abner Wilson.
1st. Vice—S. W. Anderson.
2d. " —Miss Jennie Root.
3d. " —Miss Grace DeWolf.
Sec'y.—Miss Alice Wimple.
Treas.—J. N. Satterthwaite.
Orator—P. S. McKinnon.
Alternate—Sumner Collins.
Poetess—Miss Lella Doty.
Alternate—" Eunice Davidson.
Historian—Frank Osborn.
Alternate—Miss Julia Snell.
Essayist—Miss Libbie Satterthwaite
Alternate—Miss Clara A. Waldron.
Toast Master—L. P. Tribou.
Ex. Com.—S. W. Anderson, A. W. Mills, J. W. Patterson, Allie McCowen, Mary Anderson.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 29, 1884.

SPECIAL OFFER.

During the month of May the HERALD will be offered to new subscribers for eight months at one dollar, and every tenth subscription will be refunded. Old subscribers, by paying arrearages to May 1st., and one dollar in addition, will be counted in also, and every tenth dollar thus received will be refunded. Our subscription record will be open to inspection that each person may see for himself, whether he be the lucky man. This offer will remain open until the close of business hours on Saturday May 31st inst. and no longer. Pass in your dollars.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Morenci will soon have a war concert.

The Union Light improves with every number.

Fruit Ridge will celebrate the coming Fourth.

Clinton will have a big blow out on the 4th of July.

The Japanese Liniment Co. of Morenci is doing a big business.

A summer normal school will be held in Morenci in July and August.

Memorial Day will be very generally observed throughout the country.

Kesler & Bate's hardware store of Clayton was robbed on the 15th inst.

Harry Stevens now delivers 236 copies of the Detroit Evening News daily.

Our Decoration Day exercises tomorrow promise to be more than usually attractive.

The Morenci Observer speaks lightly of the Union Light. What should Bro. Allen do to be saved?

Rev. B. F. Rapp, of East Ridgeway is delivering a course of Sunday evening temperance lectures.

Several Masons from Clinton and Manchester visited the Tecumseh Lodge last Friday evening.

Mrs. John Hibbard was called to Detroit on Friday last on account of the sickness of her brother's wife.

The village of Hudson employs an assistant engineer at a yearly salary of sixty dollars. What are his duties?

Miss Lizzie Hayden arrived in New York last Sunday, where she expects to pass about a week, and then return home.

The spring trotting meeting of the Chicago Driving Park will be held on June 3d to 7th inclusive. Fifteen thousand dollars in premiums.

Mrs. Dora Powers returned last week from Milwaukee where she has been stopping for some time with her brother's family, Mr. Geo. L. Graves.

P. B. Swick is attending the horse fair at Brooklyn this week, where he will exhibit his new patent tug and sell rights for the same. Success to him.

We notice that Albert Brewer, Dr. Hamilton and Newberry Satterthwaite have each of them purchased one of the celebrated Columbus buggies.

We are glad to see L. D. Dewey on the streets again. His health has been quite feeble during the winter, but this warm weather makes him feel like himself again.

We had a pleasant visit last Friday with Mr. Turner, of the Pontiac Gazette. It was his first visit to Tecumseh and he was very favorably impressed with our village.

The firm of Swick & Munger has been dissolved. Mr. Munger will continue the business at the old stand and Mr. Swick will give his attention to selling his new patent tug.

The Adrian Record says: The Tecumseh Herald believes in block paving, and would be pleased if the council would have some of the streets of the village, so paved. Sensible.

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern will sell tickets to the Republican National Convention, Chicago, for one fare for round trip, from May 30 to June 2nd inclusive; good going on day of date and returning good for ten days.

Morenci Observer: The Wabash train has failed thus far to stop at the Seneca postoffice, as was anticipated; but we hear that an order has been issued for the construction of a platform and crane, and we may expect the office will soon be in running order.

Stone, of Hillsdale, who outraged and murdered an eight year old neice last week, at that place, confessed his crime in court Monday afternoon.—He was given a life sentence and was safe in Jackson before the crowd, which was waiting outside to lynch him, knew of it.

James W. Patterson and family left on Monday for Southern California accompanied by Mrs. Hattie Hurd.—They will go directly to Los Angeles where Mr. Patterson's family expect to remain until fall. Mrs. Hurd may return in a few weeks, as she did not expect to go until recently. May they have a pleasant journey and a safe return home.

Elwood Comfort and daughter of Raisin were in Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

The Wabash and M. & O. lines now catch a good share of the travel between Tecumseh and Detroit.

A large number of our Baptist friends attended the anniversary meetings in Detroit, and they were well entertained.

The first clip of wool for this season came into Tecumseh market Tuesday and was purchased by H. W. Stevens for 24 cents per pound, and one clip of unwashed at 16 cents.

Dr. Hause has been rusticating a few days on the old farm in Ridgeway. As he couldn't go fishing he cut down one of the old apple trees and sawed it up into picture frame wood.

The 12th annual reunion of the members of the old Fourth Mich. vol. infantry will occur at Hudson on the 20th of next month. A cordial invitation is extended to all old soldiers to be present. The people of Hudson propose a warm welcome to all who attend.

Morenci Observer: Last Thursday morning Harvey Sutton, a well known citizen of Gorham, started for Detroit, and in the confusion of changing cars at Lenawee Junction, was run into by the incoming Detroit train and badly injured, one of his hips being terribly smashed in. He was returned by the freight train and left at Ritter's near his home.

The executive committee of the Co. Fair announced that, owing to excessive rent, no exhibition will be held on Lawrence Park this year. It is desired to purchase the Comstock property where the fair may have a permanent home, and the committee publicly appeal for aid in buying this place, asking not a donation, but an investment in a sufficient amount of stock for such purpose.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Conkling started yesterday on their California trip. They go to Lansing first where they will remain over Sunday; thence to Chicago where they will remain until after the convention; thence to Kansas City and Newton, Kansas, where they will spend a few days with John Conkling; thence to San Francisco and Los Angeles. They expect to be absent from home about three months.

The Sunday School connected with the Church of Christ, East Ridgeway, Michigan, will celebrate Children's Day, both forenoon and evening, on the second Sunday in June, at the church. The program for the forenoon will be a "Children's Day Service," and will commence at 9:30. For the evening a temperance concert exercise, entitled, "A Safe Sign," and will commence at 7:30. Everybody is invited.
B. F. RAPP, Pastor.

The Blissfield Advance recounts how a Riga man won the affections of a neighbor's wife till she deserted her husband and went to live with the widower. Then the injured husband went for the widower, and the matter was compromised by a mortgage for two hundred dollars. When the mortgage came due the woman had deserted the widower, and the first husband has now begun a foreclosure. It looks as though there was trouble for the widower.

Adrian Record of Monday: About forty of our citizens presented Miss Emma Hall with an elegant gold watch and chain, as a testimonial of their confidence and esteem. Judge Geddes made the presentation speech, at the close of the exercises at the Home Chapel yesterday morning, at which time Miss Hall made her farewell address. A number of friends were present to bid the superintendent good bye, and wish her a pleasant journey.

Upon taking the morning train on the M. & O. road Tuesday to go to Detroit, a delegation of fifteen or twenty ladies from the M. E. Church of Tecumseh took the same train. We concluded that some one was going to be taken by storm, and upon making enquiries found our conclusions were correct. They were going to Dundee to make Dr. John B. Haynes a surprise visit. They returned on the evening train well satisfied with their trip and visit.

The Michigan & Ohio railroad company are very anxious to run into Grand Rapids. They are negotiating with the G. R. & I. for an arrangement by which they can use the G. R. & I. tracks, and in case these negotiations fall through, they threaten to parallel the G. R. & I road from Monteith to this city. They are also anxious to reach Muskegon and will it is said, extend a line to that city after successfully reaching Grand Rapids.—Grand Rapids Leader.

Monroe Democrat: The Adrian Record says that "there is lots of worse places than Adrian to live in, because a woman was cured of inflammatory rheumatism. The next item starts off with the announcement that a certain lady "was found dead in her bed this morning." There may be found worse places than Adrian for inflammatory rheumatism but we know of no worse place to be found dead. You should not put your praise and "give aways" so close together.

If you would see a fine Threshing Machine, one that saves all the grain without cracking and cleans it ready for market, call at Slayton & Son's and see the Advance just received for Calvin and Frank Davenport. John Burtless has just ordered one.

The committee in charge of the floral arrangements for to-morrow, extend a general invitation to all to donate flowers for the occasion. The headquarters of the committee will be at the Council Building, where all donations of flowers will be received during the day. People are requested to bring their flowers as early in the forenoon as possible.

The new postal notes have been issued to several offices and will soon be put in general use. They are printed on a lilac-colored paper and are smaller than the yellow notes now in use. The date is written instead of being punched and the stamps of the issuing and paying offices are to be placed on the reverse side of the note. The dimes and cents are punched as in the old note, but the number of dollars is shown by printed lines on one end, the note being torn off so that the amount of dollars is read on the last line.

A large cigar manufacturer says: I don't suppose there is a smoker in a hundred who knows the significence of the words on the cigar boxes. They refer to the color of the cigar. For instance, "Colorado Clara" means very light; "Colorado Madura," good medium color; "Madura," dark. Dark is in the heaviest demand, so much as to be in excess of the supply of leaf. Wise smoker confines himself to the lighter brands, or medium at least. Kentucky wants a very dark cigar: Ohio takes a varied grade. Michigan uses light almost exclusively.

Several papers in Michigan are publishing articles to the effect that Mrs. Carlisle Wheeler, who claims to be the daughter of Jacob D. Crouch, was about to commence suit against the estate and would probably obtain possession of the same, as she could prove her mother's marriage, and she would become the sole heir, cutting off all the others. The printed rumor also states that Messrs. Blair and Gibson are her attorneys. This news(!) was forwarded from this city last week by the gatherer of items for the daily papers who heard the rumor but did not take the trouble to verify the reports. Gov. Blair and W. K. Gibson, Esq., state, that they were not aware such suit was to be commenced until they read it in the papers. There is no foundation to the report.—Jackson Citizen.

Hudson Gazette: The editor has a claim against some subscriber for "consequental damages." He borrowed neighbor Smith's beetle to work up some tough sticks. Now that beetle proper had seen much service. It was well battered, and the rings in places were half asunder. The handle was cross-grained, and one-half of it gone from the end clear down. Well, what should happen, but first one ring bu'st and flew off; next the remnant of that handle split; next away went the other ring; lastly, the beetle separated, and the jig was up. We have compromised the matter with Smith. He is to get a block and handle, we are to get the beetle turned and new rings, and the two houses will begin business again with a good weapon. But, we maintain that on the strength of such hard experience we are entitled to damages from some vender of "good, straight, easy-splitting wood."

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Corn all planted and road work is now in order.

Master Robbie King has gone to Missouri to live.

Miss Allie Bradley, of Franklin, died last Friday. She had been a patient sufferer almost three years, being confined to her bed most of the time.

C. H. Thompson and wife, of Mt. Pleasant, Isabella Co., and C. H. Thompson and family, of Marshall, have been visiting their relatives at G. W. Knapp's and S. W. Munger's the past week.

B. C. Knapp lost a valuable cow last week.

Mrs. John Walton, of Lawrence, Kansas, has been visiting at D. W. Clark's and Abner and Henry Wilson's.

Ed Smith's new house on the section is up.

Uncle Jim Updyke keeps his bed most of the time.

McNiel & Quirk have built a pen at the river at Newburg for the use of flock-masters. Admission 25 cents.

Rufus Stacy, of Buffalo, has been rusticating for a few days at his old home.

Meterological report for the week ending Tuesday morning, May 27th., 1884.

Maximum temperature, Wednesday and Friday, 82°
Minimum temperature, Tuesday, 46
Rain, 1.32 inches.
Prevailing winds, S. W.
Barometric Range, .26 inches.
Max. Barometer, Wed. 29.30
Min. Barometer, Mon. 29.04

Tuesday and Wednesday were clear days. The range of the barometer is smaller than usual, with stormy weather.

ABOUT NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

LANSING, May 22, 1884.

FRIEND STACY:—Noticing the communication in the HERALD criticising my letter with regard to the "North Pine Woods," also a similar one in the Deerfield Record, I am inclined to think it quite possible that taking my information second hand, I may have done some injustice to the average soil and climate of that section.

I certainly had no motive or wish to do so. If I could have my way, every acre of land in Michigan would be worth $100 per acre for agricultural purposes, but it would avail very little to call it so, when it is not true.

I myself visited only the Beech and Maple ridge farm, about one and a half miles out from Lake City, and although I found that just as I described it, still perhaps it would not be fair to judge the rest by this. As to the worthlessness of the pine barrens there will be I presume no question nor dispute.

But I am told by reliable men, who have been there and seen the crops, that on some of the Beech and Maple ridges, the land is quite fertile, and that they do raise and mature quite respectable crops, and as to the profit and fertility of the peach and fruit lands, near the Lake, there is and can be no question. The influence of the lake waters puts off the frosts for more than a month after the crops in the interior are cut off by them, and this as all will see in that region, when the summer is all too short any how is a very material consideration.

Still I apprehend, that as I stated before, this whole region must look to lumbering rather than agriculture, as its principal source or prosperity, if not support.

But if inadvertently, or through misinformation I have been led into in any way misrepresenting its actual importance and value, I would as a matter of choice, without complaint from any one, most cheerfully retract any such insinuation even, for it has been the habit of my life, and far better comports with my feelings and disposition, to err if I must err at all, in exactly the opposite direction.

The Old State Pioneer Society holds its next annual meeting on next Wednesday the 4th day of June, and I hope we shall see many of the Old Lenawee Co., Pioneers here at that time.

Frank Dewey, the Lenawee County Pioneer Chairman is now here, also all the Historical Committee from over the State, making ready for that meeting. Perhaps the editor of the HERALD can put in an appearance here at that time, unless he should conclude to attend the National Republican Convention which will be in session at Chicago at the same time.
B.

A CARD.

Having been appointed Enumerator of the Census for the year 1884, and the work having to be completed within the month of June, I have to ask the co-operation of the inhabitants of this Township in order that the census may be completed within the time allowed and that the reports may be full, accurate and complete.

From farmers, whether owning the farms they work or holding under lease, I wish to have for the year ending May 31st. 1884, the number of acres in the farm; rods of ditching; values of farm and buildings; amount paid for wages in doors and out; cattle and stock raised and sold; acreage, production and value of each crop; orchards and their production and value; and amount of growing crops now in.

From manufacturers, and proprietors of productive industries, producing to the value of $200.00 or over annually, I wish to have the amount of capital; greatest and average number of hands employed, hours of labor and wages, average and total; months in operation on full, three-quarters, two-thirds, one-half, and less time; machines used; materials including supplies and fuel, kind, amount and value; productions including jobbing and repairing, kind, amount and value; for the year ending May 31st., 1884. The answers to these questions will be regarded as strictly confidential, and will in no way be made public or open to public inspection, and when the returns reach the Secretary of State they will be so tabulated that the facts relating to individual establishments can in no way be ascertained. "Proprietors of productive industries" includes blacksmiths, shoemakers, coopers, and the like.

I must also learn the number of volumes in each public and private library.

By having the above statistics prepared before the call of the enumerator you will confer upon him a great favor and will meet the requirements of the law.
FRED. B. WOOD,
Enumerator.
Tecumseh, Mich., May 28th, 1884.

Blissfield Advance: A letter was received the other day from the secretary of the Tecumseh base ball association, asking the Blissfield club to come to Tecumseh and play a game Decoration Day. The Tecumsehs evidently are anxious to again test the metal of our boys, and will undoubtedly be given an opportunity before long.

On June 3d, 1884, the Michigan and Ohio Railroad will sell Round Trip Tickets from all stations at which they have agents, to Chicago and return for one fare for the round trip, to enable people to attend the National Republican Convention, which meets in Chicago on June 3d., 1884. Tickets will be good for ten days from date of sale. For further particulars enquire of agents or the undersigned.
H. MCHUGH,
Genl. Pass. Agent.

News comes to us from the town of Raisin, Ridgeway, Macon and Tecumseh, and never returned, now lie mouldering in the dust of some Southern battle field. The Monument Association wish to obtain the names of all such, as well as those who sleep in the cemetery at home, that a complete list of all deceased soldiers for the four towns may be made. People are requested to give the names to S. P. Hosmer who is preparing the list.

Rev. W. G. Puddefoot, of St. Ignace, is busy shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends, all of whom are right glad to see him. We are sorry he cannot stay over Sunday and favor our community with a sermon.—He was an excellent doctor of souls when he lived here and we learn that he is just as good a doctor of souls in his present location.

The services of the Adrian city band are in great demand since their achievments at New Orleans.

—We have one light Triumph Reaper (new) which we will sell at cost. Who is the lucky man?
Slayton & Son.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs; etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Seed Potatoes—Early Gem and Ohio, St. Patrick, White Elephant, Dunmore, Snow Flake, Burbank, &c. Prices low. Slayton & Son.

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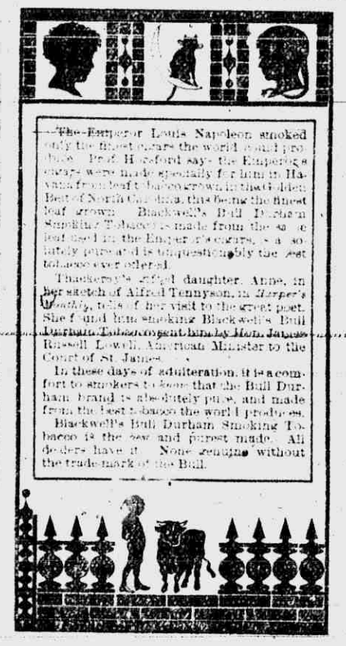

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—A colored Salvation Army has been organized in Charlotte, S. C.

—A lady has presented the New York Presbytery with $69,000 for needy churches.

—The largest hall in San Francisco, built by the Baptists and first occupied by Rev. Mr. Kalloch, of that denomination, has passed to the Spiritualists, who are very numerous in that city.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Dr. Thomas, in his lecture, "Will There be a New Religion?" says that any religion discovered in the future would simply be a modification of the faith, creed and forms of the religion of the present day.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—At the last meeting of the Newark (N. J.) Methodist Episcopal Conference, a committee submitted a report proposing that a centennial endowment fund of $100,000, to be known as the Francis Ashbury Fund, be raised for educational purposes.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—Statistics show a gain of some 300,000 to the Roman Catholic population of the United States for the last year. The number of priests among them is reported at 6,835, with seventy bishops and archbishops. Ecclesiastical seminaries have decreased by nine.

—A petition, signed by Bishop Clark, Protestant Episcopal, and Bishop Henderson, Roman Catholic, was presented to the Rhode Island Senate at its recent session, praying that all prisoners in State Prisons be allowed to worship according to the dictates of their own consciences, but no action was taken.

—Yale College has abandoned the system of marking to determine the standing of students. Instruction is given entirely by lectures and no quizzing is allowed. There will be no syping on examination. If the student wishes to use any unfair means no effort will be made to detect him, nor will any punishment follow open wrong doing except the loss of the student's own self-respect and his instructor's confidence.—*Hartford Post.*

—Philadelphia appears to be fully roused to the necessity of industrial education. President Steel, of the Board of Education, in his annual address the other day said that an industrial school is now one of the greatest needs of that city. There should be such a school, he thought, capable of a commodating 2,000 students. The work-rooms should be ample, and provided with machinery for the manipulation of metal, wood and textile fabrics. All the sciences that apply to the manipulation of these materials into articles of use in our daily life should be taught in connection with their immediate practical application, from the generation of steam to the mixing of dyes.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Chicago boasts of a lady, now ninety-four years old who used to sit in George Washington's lap. The more we hear of George the more we get shocked.—*Phila. Evening Call.*

—Dr. Bernard Carpenter says: "Man commits suicide when he pays no attention to what he eats and drinks." Give me the charge of a person's food, and I will control him morally and physically.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—It is very funny, but as a general rule the waiter in a swell restaurant is about the only person about the premises who doesn't wait for anything. The man who orders the chop does most of the waiting.—*Boston Star.*

—If a man wants peace to reign in the household he should count ten before speaking at times when he feels as if his clothes don't fit him. And on days when the kitchen stove doesn't draw he should count 480.—*Middletown Transcript.*

—A sewing machine agent was recently attacked by a fierce catamount near Milford, Pa. The intrepid agent caught the beast and sold him four new machines and two old ones on the installment plan. The catamount was unable to say no.—*Chicago Herald.*

—"Are you having much practice now?" asked an old Judge of a young lawyer. "Yes, sir, a great deal, I thank you." "Ah, I'm glad to hear it. In what line is your practice particularly?" "Well, sir, particularly in economy."—*Judge.*

—A merchant traveler at dinner requested the waiter to bring him a piece of rare beef, and when it came it was rare, indeed. "Waiter!" he remarked warningly, as he looked at the undone dish, "Yes, sah," responded the darky. "Take this beef out, please, and kill it." The waiter crawled into a napkin ring and disappeared.—*Merchant Traveler.*

Young Blabbitt has been making calls at stated intervals for some time. Sunday night he called as usual, and after waiting an hour in the parlor the girl's little brother came in, and in rather a sheepish manner asked to see Blabbitt's nose. "See my nose," exclaimed Blabbitt. "What do you want to see my nose for?" "Well, Plummer Plunkitt was over last night and Maria promised to marry him, and ma said she thought you'd find your nose out of joint when you called again.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Just tall enough—
She took my coat—I'm rather tall,
And she's not so very;
The steps led upward from the hall;
She stood, the little lassy,
Just balanced on the second stair,
My great coat's burden holding;
And then her head is—the kindest pair—
The colder down were folding.
There never was an eye so clear,
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See how I've grown from loving."
Just tall enough! From eye to eye
Ran horizontal light,
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Yes, tall enough—good night!"

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Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 58 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 42 "
Adrian	8 22 "	4 09 "	9 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	5 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 37 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 32 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
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A. M.	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
5 20	5 05	10 10	Lv..Toledo..Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 31	11 32	...Ridgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	...Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	.....Tipton.....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	..Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome.....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	.....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover...	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	.....Homer.....	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 09	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 49	9 22	2 34	....Ceresco.....	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 30	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 29	....Yorkville...	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	...Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Doster.....	11 08		6 51
5 22		4 16	...Monteith....	10 49		6 15
5 39		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 15		4 45	Ar. Allegan. Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.		A. M.		A. M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 11
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
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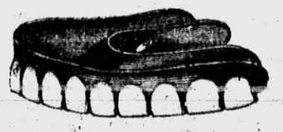

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Saved by His Wife.

A *Times* reporter has secured possession of the facts in a singular case of what was evidently meant to be deliberate murder and robbery, but which was thwarted by the well-grounded caution of the wife of the intended victim. It happened more than a month ago in Colchester, and only a few days before the murder of Harvey Chappell for his money in Le anon, a town adjoining Colchester, but nothing about it appears to have got into the newspapers. Mr. William Rollo, who lives in a rather secluded place on a cross-road in Colchester, had that week drawn five hundred dollars from the bank and had it with him. He was alone, for his wife had gone on a week's visit to her mother, Mrs. Lyman, in Hartford. These facts were known, as such things will be known in rural neighborhoods. On the night in question Mrs. Rollo had returned to Colchester, accompanied by her mother, and her intention to return at that time was not known in Colchester, at least not outside of her house. Just before dawn Mrs. Lyman, who chanced to awake, heard a low and rather dubious rapping on the side door. Waiting, she again heard it unmistakably and then she arose, and going to her daughter's bed-room, wakened her, telling her somebody was rapping. Mrs. Rollo got up, went to the door, and asked: "Who is there?" A mumbling voice answered: "The horse is down, and we want some help." As other help on the main road must have been nearer—provided the stranger had been traveling that road—Mrs. R.'s suspicions were excited, and she said: "Who are you? What's your name?" To this there was no immediate response. At length the name of "Sanford," or something like it was given.

By this time Mr. Rollo had risen, dressed himself and come to the door, intending to go out and assist the stranger. His wife, feeling a deep impression of danger, was resolute against his going without he took his revolver. Mr. Rollo at length acceded to her wish, took his loaded revolver, unlocked the door and went out. He saw nobody, but went on toward the barn, which was at some distance. Turning a corner of the barn he came upon two men who stood behind a big walnut tree. One had a big club.

Rollo, who had been growing more and more angry at every step, and who had now reached a decided pitch of indignation, exclaimed:

"Where is your horse?"

"Oh," one of the men said, as both stepped forward toward him, "he's got up and gone off."

Instantly drawing his pistol and covering the leader, Mr. Rollo, who was now nerved to anything, promptly answered:

"And you two follow him, quick, or I'll kill you in your tracks."

They saw he meant it, and that he "had the drop" on them, too—and the two villains turned and left in a hurry.

After daylight Mr. Rollo and a neighbor followed their tracks in the snow. They followed their tracks five miles to a certain place, but no arrests appear to have been made, and nothing done in the matter. One of the would-be murderers had a striking peculiarity in his heel, as shown in his tracks. This one had followed his companion from the barn almost to the house door, when the other rapped, and had evidently stood ready, if their intended victim had been (as they supposed) alone in the house and had opened the door, to have given the skull-crushing blow that was to have put him out of the way and left the villains free to rummage the house and secure the money.—*Hartford Times.*

Cornering a Bull-Dog.

Early yesterday morning a policeman found a man, arrayed in his night robes, resting in the top of a tree in his yard; while at the trunk sat a huge bull-dog, gazing upward in delight.

"Hello!" yelled the officer, "what are you doing up there?"

"Waiting for the sun to rise, of course," replied the man, sarcastically; "I seem to be having a picnic, don't I?"

"What's the matter with your dog?"

"D'ye see anything wrong with him?" eagerly asked the man, looking down. "If you do it's more than I've been able to see for the last six hours; he looks like a good, sound, healthy dog, don't he?"

"So he does; but how came you in such a predicament?"

"Well, I'll tell you: that dog has been pestering the life out of me, and I've concluded to kill him; so last night I climbed this tree, while having a romp with him, to get his gaze turned up."

"Which you succeeded in," laughed the policeman.

"Yes, I flatter myself that I did."

"But what was your object in getting him to look up?"

"Oh," replied the other, "that's where the secret lies; I've tried poisons of all kind on him, but no go; hired several negroes to drown him, and paid for as many colored funerals; shot at him, and received wounds in return; so I've decided to stay up here and attract his attention, till he breaks his infernal neck looking at me."

"I am not afraid of him," said the officer, "let me club him to death."

"Oh, I'm not scared of him, either," replied the freed man, "but I don't think you can kill him."

The policeman sprang over the fence and soon made short work of the dog.

"Is he dead?" came fom the tree.

"Yes," answered the cop, "he's done for."

There was a scrambling heard, and directly the voice sounded near:

"Are you sure?"

"Yes," impatiently replied the officer.

Another scraping of bark, and the man again asked:

"Are you dinged sure?"

On receiving an affirmative reply the man sprang from the tree and scooted for the house.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

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A Place to Give a Poet Inspiration.

Joaquin Miller, a poet of the Sierras, has just got into his log cabin. I called upon him in it, and found a tall, well-made, blue-eyed man of forty-five, with long, tawny hair flowing out from under his slouch hat, with pantaloons tucked into a pair of fine boots, and a good-natured air of Western wildness, which well accorded with his picturesque surroundings. He received me cordially and kindly showed me over the cabin, saying that for fifteen years he had been wandering about over the face of the earth, and that he was glad to feel that he had at last a place he could call his home.

This cabin is on the heights at the head of Sixteenth street, the great street of the Washington of the future. As Wankeen says: "The President's house is at one end of it and his hut is at the other, but that while he has a cabin the President has only a cabinet." Sixteenth is a great wide street paved with asphalt, and lined alternately with $50,000 mansions and $50 negro huts. The White House, almost bathed by the Potomac and faced by Lafayette Park, is its starting point, and half way up towards Mr. Miller's cabin is a green plat in which a bronze equestrian statue of General Scott looks at the Executive Mansion. The street steadily rises, carrying with it old St. John's Episcopal Church, George H. Pendleton's mansion, negro laborers' cabins, Senator Cameron's great palace, and a like mixture till it reaches the boundary of the town, where there is a jump upward in the shape of a fifty-foot hill or plateau, running back into the country. On this plateau Joaquin Miller has bought a lot and put up one of the prettiest of log cabins.

The lot runs almost to the edge of the hill, and the view is certainly one of the finest in the United States. Mr. Miller says he has never seen anything equal to it, and that if man can write poetry anywhere he ought to be able to write it here. Stand in front of the large yard of the cabin, under one of the great oaks which shade it, all Washington lies before you surrounded by hills which make it look as though the nature around was a mammoth coliseum of the gods and the national capital the scene going on in the arena below. The great white classic Capitol is plainly seen, the Potomac flows on along the edge of the arena, and off on neighboring hills you can look into Alexandria and at the tombstones of Arlington.—*Washington Special.*

Origin of the Name Oregon.

The late Archbishop Blanchet contributed the following interesting paper to the *Oregonian* in 1863. It will be observed that the Archbishop speaks of himself in the third person: "Jonathan Carver, an English Captain in the wars by which Canada came into the possession of Great Britain, after the peace, left Boston June 6, 1766, crossed the Continent to the Pacific, and returned October, 1768. In relating his travels, which were published in 1774 and republished in 1778, he is the first who makes use of the word Oregon. The origin of that word has never been discovered in the country. The first Catholic missionaries—Father Demers, now Bishop of Vancouver Island, and Father Blanchet, now Bishop of Oregon City—arrived in Oregon in 1838. They traveled through it for many years, from South to North, from West to East, visiting and teaching the numerous tribes of Oregon, Washington Territory, and the Brittish possessions. But in all their various excursions among the Indians they never succeeded in finding the origin of the word Oregon. Now it appears that what could not be found in Oregon has been discovered by Archbishop Blanchet in Bolivia when he visited that country, Chili and Peru, in 1855 and 1857. The word Oregon, in his opinion, most undoubtedly had its root in the Spanish word 'oreja' (ear), and came from the qualifying word 'orejon' (big ear). For it is probable that the Spaniards, who first discovered and visited the country, where they saw the Indians with big ears, enlarged by the load of ornaments, were naturally inclined to call them 'orejon' (big ears). The nickname first given to the Indians became also the name of the country. This explains how Captain Carver got it and first made use of it. But the travelers, perhaps Carver himself, not knowing the Spanish language nor the peculiar pronunciation of the j in Spanish, for facility sake would have written it and pronounced it Oregon, instead of 'Orejon' in changing j to g. Such, in all probability, must be the origin of the word Oregon. It comes from the Spanish word 'Orejon.' This discovery is due, in justice, to the learned Dr. George Haygarth, A. M., M. D., of London, a man well versed in the Spanish, whom the Archbishop met in La Paz, Bolivia."—*Portland Oregonian.*

A Negro's Prayer.

Bishop Haven presided over the Texas conference in 1878. One day he scored some of the colored ministers on a too feeble recognition of *meum rom tuum*, and then called on a brother to pray, who responded as follows: "O, Lord, dou am honest, great an' holy; nothing dat am unclean an' dishonest can tuch de. O, Lord, come an' teach all classes an' colors de less on ob honesty; make um honest wid dare tongues, dare feet, dare hans an' dare heads. O, Lord, make um honest inside an' out, in de dark an' in de light. O, Lord, sweet Babe of Bethleheim, come and bress our Bishop front an' tight his ebry battle; send him threw dis world like a pigeon on de wings ob de eagle, an' when de race am run, an' de last battle am fought wid dat ole serpent, de debil, an' dar am no more for him to do in dis world, let him mount de chariot an hab a short ride home; an, dep, Lord, on de plains ob glory, himself all covered wid glory, let him ground his arms near de throne ob de Lamb, an' lib, an' rest, an' shout, forever an' ever."—*Exchange.*

—A Brooklyn woman said to her servant girl, a fresh arrival on the latest boat from Cork: "Bridget, go out and see if Mr. Block, the butcher on the corner, has pigs feet." The dutiful servant went out and returned. "Well, what did he say?" asked the mistress. "Sure, he said nuthin', mum." "Has he got pigs' feet?" "Faith, I couldn't see mum—he had his boots on."—*N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*

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The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Street Committee report that they ordered a coupling for the use of the water works, upon examination it was concluded not to use said coupling but retain it for future use. The Committee also reported upon from the M. A. C. R. R. offering to rebate $ 50 of the $100 to be paid for Cummins St., the committee were instructed to procure the services of Village Attorney and make arrangements to settle the matter of difference regarding Cumminis Street upon the basis of said rebate.

A petition was presented asking for the construction of a sidewalk on the east side of Ottawa Street, referred to the street committee.

The following bills were presented and referred to committee on finance.

Mich Pipe Company	$6.30
R. Cairns	8.75
D. Hubbard	12.00
Wm. Ide	6.30
W. H. Ames	7.50
S. Ames	[illegible]
Wm. Brown	[illegible]
A. Packard	9.75
R. Darrow	[illegible]
D. Frost	4.50
G. Bartholomew	3.75
E. Albaugh	2.00
D. Love	[illegible]
T. Kyle	[illegible]
J. Moir	[illegible]

The Marshal presented the name of Delos Love for the position of Deputy Marshal and Delos Love was elected to that position. An appropriation of $200 was made for the payment of Night Watch during the coming year.

On motion the Council passed the following resolutions.

Resolved. That this Council do hereby require that a sidewalk be constructed along that portion of the east line of Pearl street in the village, which lies along and adjoining the west line of that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee Co., State of Michigan, known and described as follows viz: Lot bounded north by Temple lot and VanTine land, east by Gould & Emerson lots, south by Bidwell's lot and west by Pearl street, said sidewalk to be 4 feet in width, of sound pine plank 1½ inches thick and not to exceed 6 inches in width, laid lengthwise and well spiked down upon sound Burr or White Oak stringers 2x4 inches in size and placed not more than 2 feet apart, and double at joints, subject to the directions of the street Commissioner and to be completed within 30 days from date hereof. In case any default in the construction and completion of said walk as herein directed the street Commissioner is hereby directed to construct said walk and payment therefor shall be required of the owner of said adjoining land.

Resolved. That the Council do hereby require that a sidewalk be constructed along that portion of the east line of Pearl street in this village which lies along and adjoining the west line of the parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, viz: Lot bounded north by Kilbuck street, east by Wilson lot, south by Totten lot, west by Pearl street, said sidewalk to be 4 feet in width, of sound pine plank, 1½ inches thick and not to exceed 6 inches in width, laid lengthwise and well spiked down upon sound Burr or White oak stringers 2x4 inches in size and placed not more than 2 feet apart and double at joints, subject to the directions of the street Commissioner, and to be completed within 30 days from date hereof and in case of any default in the construction and completion of said walk as herein directed, the street Commissioner is hereby directed to construct said walk and payment therefor shall be required of the owner of said adjoining land.

A request was received from the Grand Army of the Republic asking the use of Military square for Decoration Day, the 30th of May next. The request was granted.

A complaint was made that some person or persons had removed a large quantity of soil from the several places in the streets of this village without authority from the proper authorities controlling said streets. The marshal was instructed to take such steps as to discover who the parties were, and when discovered to serve them with a notice to replace the soil so removed.

Also complaint that several of the street lamps of the village had been more or less injured and that steps should be taken to discover who the parties were.

Upon motion the Council authorized the offer of a reward of $10, to be paid to any person furnishing information that would lead to the discovering of the persons committing such depredations.

The Finance Committee reported the following bills and recommended payment.

N. M. Sutton, for oak lumber	$10.[illegible]
H. W. Stevens, labor as police	2.00
D. Hubbard, labor with team	12.00
W. Ide	9.00
W. Ames	7.50
M. Ames	7.50
W. Brown, labor	13.50
A. Packard, "	9.75
D. Frost, "	4.50
G. Bartholomew, "	3.75
R. Cairns, for hay	7.50
The Mich. Pipe Co., for couplings	6.30
James Moir as Marshal	6.40
Robert Darrow, labor	6.00

Moved and supported the foregoing bills be allowed and warrants drawn for the respective amounts. Carried.

Moved that the Council adjourn.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

THE PEOPLE'S CYCLOPEDIA.

Letters of Recommendation from a few of Tecumseh's Literary men.

From Prof. D. A. Hammond, Supt. of schools, Tecumseh.—"I have only been able to examine The People's Cyclopedia cursorily, but I like it and cheerfully recommend it. I consider it a solid, excellent work, sufficiently full for most purposes, and yet at so low a price as to place it within the reach of all the people. Having the Britannica, I still feel the need of a more concise work, and gladly avail myself of the opportunity of supplying that need."

From Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Pastor M. E. Church, Tecumseh.—"I have examined at considerable length the People's Cyclopedia edited by W. H. DePuy and have no hesitation in pronouncing it the most convenient work of its class in the English language.—It gives just the information most needed by business and professional men and in such form as to be always ready to hand. Then the work is fresh, being up to date in every particular. Its unexpensive form, too, puts it within the reach of every intelligent family.

If you are in search of knowledge and want it in the most convenient and available form and at the lowest price, don't fail to examine the People's Cyclopedia of Universal Knowledge. We can give no better idea of the great value of this work, than by quoting the opinions of some of Michigan's best scholars and educators.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending May 20th.

CLINTON.

David Haggart to H. Starrer and J. Nase. West half lot 4, Burnham's survey. $770.

Alice McFaul to E. F. Muir. Part of lot 84. $900.

FRANKLIN.

Zabina G. Mills to Addie M. Macomber. Land on sec 23. $225.

MACON.

C. C. Hendershot to R. and D. Hendershot. Land on sec 11. $900.

Isaiah Hendershot to R. and D. Hendershot. Land on sec 11. $1,200.

Geo. C. Wallace to Geo. G. Force. Land on sec 3. $6,000.

Wm. Q. Burnett to Abram Harrington. Land on sec 17. $9,000.

RIDGEWAY.

Wm. Pocklington to J. A. Pocklington. Land on sec 12. $25.

TECUMSEH.

L. D. Dewey to John Orr. Lots 3 and 4, blk. 11, Hoag's add. $925.

CRAZY PATCHWORK.

Having a large assortment of remnants and pieces of handsome brocaded silks, satins and velvets, we are putting them up in assorted bundles and furnishing them for "Crazy Patchwork" Cushions, Mats, Tidies, &c. &c. PACKAGE No. 1. Is a handsome bundle of exquisite silks, satins and brocaded velvets, all different. Just the thing for the most superb pattern of fancy work. Sent postpaid for 50cts. in postal note or 1 cent stamps. PACKAGE No. 2—Containing three times as much as package No. 1. Sent postpaid for $1.00. These are all of the very finest quality and cannot be equalled at any other silk works in the U. S. at three times our price. They will please any lady. One order always brings a dozen more. LADIES' MANUAL OF FANCY WORK, with 400 illustrations and full instructions for artistic fancy work, handsomely bound postpaid, 50cts. Order now. Address, THE ROCHESTER SILK CO., Rochester, N. Y.

"Maryland, My Maryland."

"Pretty wives and
Lovely daughters."

"My farm lies in a rather low and miasmatic situation, and

"My wife"

"Who?"

"Was a pretty blonde"

Twenty years ago, became

"Sallow."

"Hollow-eyed!"

"Withered and aged!"

Before her time, from

"Malarial vapors, though she made no particular complaint, not being of the grumy kind, yet caused me great uneasiness.

"A short time ago I purchased your remedy for one of the children, who had a very severe attack of billiousness, and it occurred to me that the remedy might help my wife, as I found that our little girl upon recovery had

"Lost"

"Her sallowness, and looked as fresh as a new blown daisy. Well the story is soon told. My wife to day has gained her old time beauty with compound interest, and is now as handsome a matron (if I do say it myself) as can be found in this country, which is noted for pretty women. And I have only Hop Bitters to thank for it.

"The dear creature just looked over my shoulder and says, I can flatter equal to the days of our courtship, and that reminds me that there might be more pretty wifes if my brother farmers would do as I have done."

Hoping you may long be spared to do good, I thankfully remain,

Most truly yours,

C. L. JAMES.

BELTSVILLE, Prince George Co., Md., May 26th, 1883.

DIED.

DENNIS—In Macon, on Friday, May 23d, of paralysis, Mr. Frank J. Dennis, aged 34 years, 7 months and 8 days.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining unclaimed for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 27, 1884.

Albrecht, Chas. J.	Tait, Wm.
Bennet, James	Youngs, Mrs. E. A.
Cheever, Jacob	Netter, Joshua
Franklin, Edd.	Willson, A. D.
Goldstein, David	Willson, Mrs. W. A.
McAlonan, Wm. Blair	Nelson, Nate
McGlencks, Garle	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples ₱ barrel	1 25 @	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@	[illegible]
Butter ₱ ℔	14 @	15
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans ₱ bushel	1 10 @	1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @	80
Buckwheat Flour ₱ hundred	@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear	30 @	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushe	56 @	60
Clover Seed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 75 @	6 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@	15
Ham, ₱ ℔	@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	28 @	35
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25 @	30
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	1 00
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	1 00

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Don't give your orders for Self-Binding Harvesters until you have seen

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The season of 1884 will be another one of triumph for the Deering Harvesting Machinery. This time it is

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OR THEIR LIGHT 2-HORSE BINDER.

The latest and best thing out in Farm Machinery. It weighs but 1,200 pounds, and embodies in itself many new features and improvements, among which are

The newest and simplest knotter known.
A new adjustable reel.
A new raising and lowering device.
A new steel main wheel.
A new iron grain wheel.

It is full of fine points, and is bound to please. It has been thoroughly tested IN THE FIELD, and its success is assured.

THE OLD RELIABLE

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Has received a number of valuable improvements, and will go on giving complete satisfaction in 1884 as it always has done in the past.

Be sure to see these improvements for 1884, before making your order, at the warehouse of

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TECUMSEH, MICH.

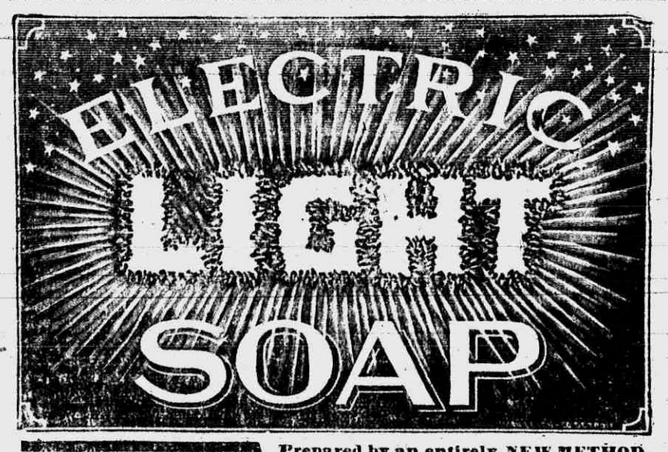

FOUR POINTS

Prepared by an entirely NEW METHOD.
Composed of the PUREST MATERIALS.
WILL NOT INJURE THE FABRIC.
WILL CLEANSE WITHOUT RUBBING.

You can do a large washing without any rubbing: use the boiling process instead. You can save Time, Labor, Fuel, Soap and Clothing.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

Cut up fine and dissolve one half bar in half gallon of hot water. Pour half this dissolved soap into a tub with just sufficient hot water to cover a boiler full of clothes. Then put the clothes in to soak, **rubbing plenty of soap in the most soiled parts.** Be sure that the soaking water is hot; soak the clothes half an hour; stir them occasionally so that they may get the full benefit of the hot suds; pour the remainder of the dissolved soap into the boiler, adding sufficient water to cover the clothes; wring them lightly out of the suds. **Soap the stained spots** and place **loosely** in the boiler; boil 15 to 20 minutes, rinse well, blue and hang to dry. **Do not crowd the boiler too full.** The same boiling water may be used for further boiling by adding a little soap to each boiler-full of clothes. Flannels and prints should not be boiled, only a little rubbing required after soaking. This soap will cleanse clothing as thoroughly as any other without the use of the boiler. We prefer and recommend the boiling process as in itself a cleansing process, saving labor, the wear of the wash-board, and being **the best disinfectant known, it is easier to boil the dirt out than to rub it out.** You can cleanse perfectly the **finest** fabric without injury; the **finest point lace** and **lace curtains.** Soak point lace in hot suds made with this soap, press water out with the hand; boil 3 to 5 minutes in clean suds made with this soap, rinse thoroughly, press carefully between the folds of a towel, roll in a dry towel, and iron between pieces of old flannel. Soak curtains 10 to 30 minutes and boil 5 to 20 minutes, rinse, stretch on frame, or pin every scallop to carpet over a sheet to dry; no ironing required.

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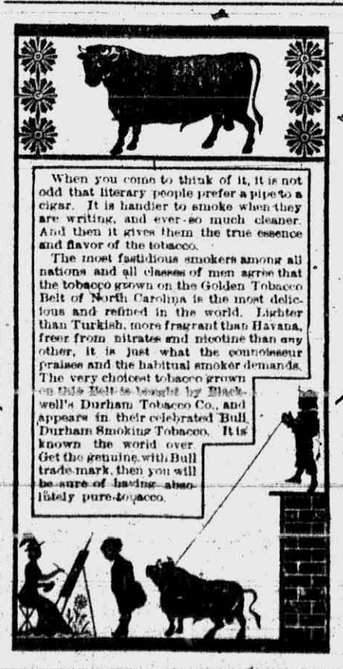

When you come to think of it, it is not odd that literary people prefer a pipe to a cigar. It is handier to smoke when they are writing, and ever so much cleaner. And then it gives them the true essence and flavor of the tobacco.

The most fastidious smokers among all nations and all classes of men agree that the tobacco grown on the Golden Tobacco Belt of North Carolina is the most delicious and refined in the world. Lighter than Turkish, more fragrant than Havana, freer from nitrates and nicotine than any other, it is just what the connoisseur praises and the habitual smoker demands. The very choicest tobacco grown on this Belt is bought by Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co., and appears in their celebrated Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco. It is known the world over. Get the genuine, with Bull trade-mark, then you will be sure of having absolutely pure tobacco.

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Late of Coldwater, this state,

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The Doctor is a physician and druggist and is every way competent and reliable in his line of business. The stock is being thoroughly sifted, and every article not actually prime is thrown out.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

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Trunks and Sewing Machines.

During the month of May we want to close out $5000 worth of goods, and to do this we make special inducements.

1st. We propose to undersell all competitors in Southern Michigan. Besides this, during the month of May, 1884, we will give an oil painting, (nicely framed in gilt,) worth from $5 to $12.50, with each and every parlor and bed room suit sold from our store.

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We deliver goods free in Clinton, Ridgeway and Franklin.

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NEW HATS. All the Latest Styles.

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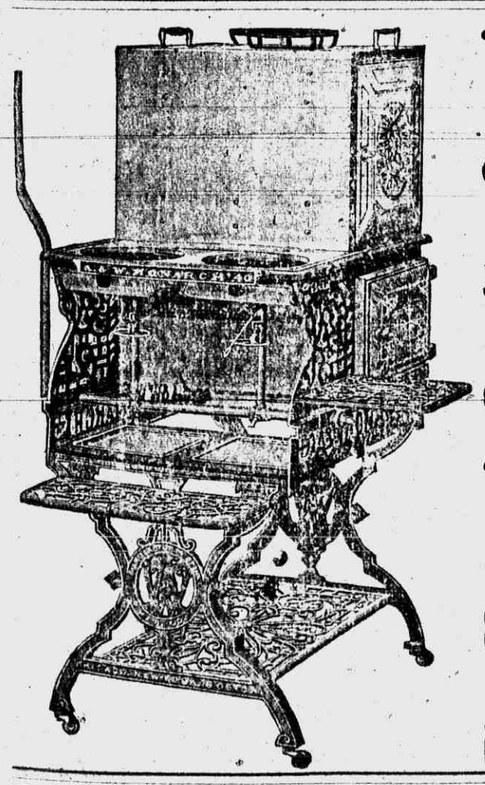

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Mill corner Pearl and Shawnee streets,

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TIPTON TATTLE.

"Childrens Day" is to be observed next sabbath at the M. E. Church when appropriate addresses, readings, recitations and music will be given by the members of the Sunday School.

A dress making establishment under the administration of Mrs. Tuttle has recently come to the front hard by the Post office where ladies desiring fashionable work can be agreeably accommodated.

Mr. Orville Kemp is having his pockets and his lands drained by extensive tiling.

An interesting and prosperous sunday school is held at German school house with Mr. Mixby as superintendent.

Miss Emma Mills has been quite sick with bilious fever but is now some better.

Mr. Wheelan's new barn presents a very neat and imposing appearance.

Rev. Whiteley preaches four times each alternate sabbath.

Many hundreds if not thousands of bushels of wheat have passed here to Tecumseh within the last two or three weeks.

Tipton needs a harness shop, a depot, oal and lumber yards which could hardly fail of success,

Fruit has not been injured in the least by the late frosts.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

For tax payers: please read trespassers in my last weeks letter and charge a mis-spell to the sick printer who is naturally anxious for assessment reform.

Too much wet dampened race course enthusiasm, though there were many nice horses displayed and a fair attendance the last day. There were a few accidents without serious results, and some purses and a gold watch changed owners, without leave.

A hardware salesman recovered his clothes on Friday morning, from the back yard of the Commercial hotel, but $31l. had gone astray. His stock of experience was not diminished so he departed, much wiser than he came.

The races have not proved to be the brilliant financial success anticipated by resident sportsmen, but they regard this deficit as cheerfully as a boy does the woodpile. The reason is said to be, too high premiums were paid. It cannot be expected that an association newly formed can gauge al their ventures with the free and easy precision of older and experienced organizations. There is another reason called thoughtlessness, that has something to do with this case. Probably every stockholder in the Fair ground is liberal enough and just enough in dealing with his neighbors, yet accepts as Turf-gospel the policy of making a few pay for amusement that should be shared among many; because it is endorsed by so many of his predecessors. It is a doctrine that mildews public feeling regarding any scheme, because it can be felt just as well as understood and disintegrates patronage. The catterers to any amusement, moral, religious or worldly, succeed best by sprinkling, immersing, and seasoning their plan with the extract of liberality. Any other spice creates acidity of sentiment. People call Barnum the Prince of Humbugs, but he gives more for the least money, than others, securing the crowd and per cent to sustain a prolonged wheedle. It would be nonsense to ask his admission price at the gate of our village race ground, because the animals possess more of a sameness and are fewer in number. When a man selects only himself, or perhaps a favorite boy, to go with him to the show because the price of admission is too high to afford taking the whole family, he leaves a bad feeling at home and takes selfishness enough with him to spoil a camp-meeting. No one need base expectations of wealth on such patronage. Much depends upon advertising good intentions. The home printer is the one most likely to sow such news broadcast, not only with the additional impetus lent by good will, but he is supposed to have both an interest and pride in stimulating unity of purpose in the direction desired. The more the merrier, and more extended his field of work. To hire workmen in cities, and leave those as competent to home idleness and discontent, is a way to knock the bottom out of village prosperity, warranted to outlast the millennium.

MACON MOLECULES.

Rev. Mr. Carlton preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning. He will not preach at this church any longer.

Lyman Thomas returned to Grand Rapids this week.

Mark Mills and Will Hatch came home from Detroit last Friday to spend a few days.

Mrs. Skinner, one of the pioneers of Macon, died last Friday. Funeral services were held at the house Sunday Rev. Mr. Kerridge officiating.

Mrs. Milan Sage is on the sick list. We are glad to report her as improving.

Mr. Walp has improved the looks of his lot by building a new fence in front.

HOLLOWAY HAPPENINGS.

Nice weather for the corn.

Sumner Satterthwaite started last Monday on a prospecting tour thro' the west, taking in the Chicago convention on the way.

Quite a number of the farmers about here are sending their cream to one of the Adrian creameries. More should try it for it costs nothing and saves you lots of labor.

D. P. Anthony was home over Sunday.

Fred Morley, of Ann Arbor, called on a few of his friends here last Saturday.

Miss Maud Simmonds, who is teaching in Franklin, was home last Sabbath.

Miss Maggie Conlin will close her school next week with a pic nic.

J. E. Arner bagged six woodchucks in one day. Scalps on hand, fifteen.

Where, oh where, is our base ball nine?

Miss Viola Holdridge entertained a company of twenty young people last Friday evening, and all pronounced it a good time.

The young kids in this vicinity will take their sweethearts to Sand Lake next Saturday.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Working on the streets is in order now.

Jack Frost made us a call last Wednesday night and when he made his departure he left his work of destruction behind.

Wheat, oats and grass are looking fine in this section.

Farmers are still planting corn and are complaining of the cutworms, distructive work.

Mrs. Cox has purchased the Harry Larkin place.

Mr. Cheever has bought G. W. Jackson's vacant lot and will soon build a house.

Mr. Eddie Helm and Miss Louisa Smith, who have been very sick, for a long time, are out again.

Rev. D. R. Shire gave a very interesting talk on Wednesday evening of last week, in the lecture room of the church, in favor of the Union party and explained the movements of the alliance, after which the names of 13 voters were secured to the Union Club constitution, but the organization was deferred till the next meeting to take place at the Christian Church at Britton's next week Friday evening and will be addressed by the Rev. Hudson, editor of the Union Light. The club was to meet on next week Wednesday night, but on account of the Rev's absence was postponed until Friday evening, June 13th, when he will address them.

Mr. Wm. Riggs, our blacksmith, has his house nearly completed and ready for occupation.

W. H. Arner is putting on an addition to his house.

Samuel Helm our harness-maker has his store most completed. Geo. W. Arner is putting on the finishing touch with a skillfully managed brush. Geo. is science on the spread.

John Houseman is building and repairing his new home and when it is finished it will be one of the finest residences on Church street.

Miss Amanda Raymond, a highly esteemed school teacher and friend, died at her home in Dixon, Ill.; and her remains were brought here last week Wednesday and laid at rest with departed friends in the Holloway cemetery.

Frank Allen, the M. & O. telegraph receiver has gone to Battle Creek for a few days.

G. P. Waring has the Cottage on its final foundation and will immediately repair it for future use.

Dr. Mead of Dundee, was here one day last week looking for a place to locate and practice.

The Smith Brothers own two wagons on the road now and report business lively. They will as long as they keep as nice meat as they have since they started here.

Miss Ella Jackson and her friend Miss Hattie Smith happily surprised her folks on Thursday night by an unexpected return from Ypsilanti, where they are attending the Normal. Debby got left as usual.

Quite a number took the cars on Friday for Tecumseh to attend Decoration. When is Ridgeway going to decorate?

Jay Santus, the census enumerator of this township has commenced his work. Let the bashful old maid give her age right.

There were a goodly number out to the social last Friday evening. The next social will be held at the home of the treasurer, Miss Ada Linn, on Friday evening, June 13. Fun is the exercise of the evening. A cordial invitation to all.

Miss Libbie Emmonds came back to our village one day last week. She has been with Mr. Scovel at Coldwater for some time. She is as lively as ever.

Prof. H. C. Wilson spent the Sabbath at home.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Meterological report for the week ending Tuesday morning, June 3d., 1884.

Maximum temperature, Monday, 85 deg. F.

Minimum temperature, Thursday, 30 deg. F.

Rain, .05 inches.

Prevailing winds, W.

Barometric Range, .47 inches.

Max. Barometer, Thursday, 29.51.

Min. Barometer, Tuesday, 29.04

Sol. Mangas and Ed. Pawson shear sheep in company this spring.

Some of the wheat in the northwest part of Tecumseh is heading out.

Some of our thrifty farmers are replanting their entire corn crop. Poor seed, cut worms, and presidential canvass was too much for the first planting to survive.

Mrs. B. J. Steller, who has been a long time sick with disease of the heart is thought to be better.

Miss Siegfried, of Sunbury, Pa., is visiting at Geo. Knapp's.

J. W. Patterson has sold several of the lots that were to have been part of Tecumseh's fair grounds. He realized $200 each for them.

E. C. Coryell has James Boyce of Raisin at work with a gang of men moving his barns into a new foundation near the road. He will soon have a very fine place.

R. N. Mc Collum of Franklin is building an addition to his house.

N. S. Satterthwaite spent decoration day at Battle Creek. He went over the M. & O. and took in Goguac Lake and Marshall and had a good time.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Charley Keyes of Grand Ripids has been in town lately.

Episcopal social this (Thursday) evening at the residence of W. V. Fisk.

Clara Bush has been on the sick list.

The first strawberries of the season in this place were served at the Baptist church last Tuesday evening.

Miss Mary Alexander, of Jackson, visited friends and relatives in this town Saturday and Sunday.

The regular meeting of the Council was held last Monday evening.

Rev. Kerridge went to Detroit Monday and called on Dundee friends on his return home Tuesday.

The gross receipts at the strawberry and ice cream festival Tuesday night were $22.50.

Rev. Mr. Payne will occupy the Baptist pulpit in Flushing next Sunday.

If church socials and festivals made people good, there would'nt be a sinner in this town.

A. G. Burton's horse got cast in the manger the first of the week and was found dead in the morning.

John Smith has put a new walk across the street in front of his residence.

Rev. Mr. Miller had a very pleasant trip in the northern part of the state.

Some people think the lectures on temperance delivered by Miss Kimball last Sunday were the best ever heard in this town; while others think they were too thin to mention. Of such is the Kingdom of—temperance.

Childrens' services will be held next Sunday morning in the Congregation al church and in the evening the Sunday school will give a concert.

Mrs. G. W. Lewis, of South Bend, Ind., is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer.

John Gray, who lives on the Macon road, lost a valuable horse Tuesday night.

Democratic Caucus this (Thursday) evening at Town Hall to appoint delegates to attend the County Convention which will be held in Adrian June 7th.

Mr. Roff is repairing his dwelling which was recently damaged by fire.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge will exchange pulpits with Rev. J. L. Hudson of Morenci one week from next Sunday.

And still another Tilden man. Mike Gillen will train him into the democratic ranks; mother and son are doing well.

The ice cream festival at the M. E. church Wednesday was largely attended.

There is a woman in Detroit who has not allowed herself to be seen by man in twenty years; and there are some girls here that think she could remain in this town twenty years longer in the same manner with very little trouble.

W. C. Rogers is showing a new agricultural implement in the shape of a sulky revolving rake.

Wm. Bartlett came home from Ashland to remain a few days, last Wednesday.

The Methodist's of Macon will build an addition to the new parsonage in this town, in the shape of a kitchen.

The Congregational church social will be held one week from this afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Charles Green. All are invited.

Some thief broke into the Catholic parsonage last Saturday night and stole two linen table spreads. The back part of the house was not securely fastened.

On Sabbath morning, June 8th., children's services will be held in the M. E. Church: and in the evening the Women's Foreign Missionary Society will give a mission concert. The day will be regarded as more important than usual, as this year is the centennial of Methodism in this country. At the evening concert Mr. Kerridge will sing a solo, "My Ain Countrie."

Mrs. Charlotte Coe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bradway, died at Caro, last Saturday and the remains were bro't here and placed in the vault Tuesday. The lady was 21 years old.

It is expected that Rev. Mr. Fish, now of Nashville, Tenn., formerly of this State, will preach in the Baptist church next Sunday.

Large and needed improvement has recently been made on the drive on Jackson street.

Mrs. F. G. Beagle and Mrs. Edward Blaidsdell drove over from Blissfield, Sunday, and called on Mrs. Kerridge.

Mrs. O. N. Kelley, of Bay City is in town, called here by the severe sickness of her mother, Mrs. Parks.

A Fourth of July meeting was held last Monday, and an executive committee appointed to arrange the preliminaries for a celebration. This committee made its report Wednesday evening. Another general meeting will be held Friday night.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Working on the road seems to be the main occupation for the past week.

C. D. Smith will commence building a house for Ed. Taylor next week.

A. J. Ayres has improved the looks of his house very much by adding a coat of paint. A. J. Monagan wielded the brush.

Umphrey Egan, Sr., and Helen Kelley got into a fracas one day last week in which the former came out with a broken rib, and Mrs. K. says, "He'l not insult me again on me own premses."

Springville feels quite jubilant over the prospects of the removal of the depot at Onsted to Devel's Lake, and the building of another two miles east. How good the prospects are remain to be seen.

Earnest Ayres, who has been in the employ of Henry Mensing for the past six months, will return to his old home Pittsburg, Pa., soon.

FARMER'S SOCIAL CLUB.

A very pleasant meeting of the Farmer's Social Club was held at the residence of F. C. Rector, Friday afternoon, May 23d., where the program previously arranged was duly carried out.

The discussion on the best time to cut hay was discussed with a good deal of animation, and quite a diversity of opinion upon the subject. The ladies, at the same time, held a meeting of their own and discussed the question of fruit canning I understand with very much animation and a large difference of opinion in regard to some fruits.

After partaking of a plentiful repast the Club adjourned to meet at Putnam's Landing, Sand Lake, June 20th, to have a day of pleasure and recreation. All are respectfully invited to attend and bring their baskets of goodies to spread the table for a picnic dinner.

F. V. HORTON, Sec'y.

The Lenawee Association of the Baptist church met at Hudson on Tuesday and Wednesday. A largely attended and very interesting session was held. The following members were present from the Tecumseh church. Rev. C. E. Conley; Dea. J. C. Clough; Mrs. J. H. Heck; Mrs. Chas. McNeil; Mrs. J. V. DePuy; Mrs. S. Bryan; Judson W. DePuy; Mrs. W. C. Fisher; Miss Mary Herring; Mrs. L. G. North; Mrs. A. P. Coddington; Mrs. R. Adams; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bramble.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 5, 1884.

ROMANCE OF A TILE.

"I'll mark this hat," said a factory girl,
As she sewed her name in the band lining,
"When some fine duke or wealthy earl
Will soon observe how neat the lining;
And who, romantic, as such oft are,
Will offer his rank, his wealth and his love
And beat me away to his castle afar,
Where there's no thread to knot, nor needles to shove."

"I'd say that tin," said the cobbler grim,
As he gazed on the hat in the shop-keeper's case;
"The just the right shape, with its broad curves trim
To hide all the dirt, when I've not washed my face."

Ha! what a surprise 'twill be to old wife
When I enter the door, with a bow and strut,
"I've stared her almost out of her life
To see this chapeau o'erlopping the snout!"

"What! bought a new hat?" said the cobbler's spouse
As she angrily hoisted it off his big head.
"You'd better have gotten some things for the house,
And not be a vanity rob you of bread.
Didn't cost much?—Ha! what's this I see?
A name and address sewn near to the band
Mary Ann Johnson? This must to me
Take that—and take that!"—and his shoulders were tanned.

—*N. Y. Journal.*

MISS ENDICOTT.

Miss Endicott was an old maid. If we are to believe her friends and neighbors she no longer went out to greenhouses, and as for flirting, they said she could not give it up because she had never taken it up.

"Why, I don't believe she ever had such a thing as a proposal in her life," said Mrs. Snow, and Rev. Mr. Snow wondered if it were wrong for a clergyman not to disabuse his wife's mind of such an error. Miss Endicott had accepted the verdict of her friends without a demur, and seemed resigned. What did it signify? If she had never been in love, was it her fault? She had once believed that the time would come, had waited and watched for her Hero; but he had delayed, and now she was passed, and heroes always loved youth and beauty, and she no longer expected him. She had her interests, her poor people, her books, her friends, and if these did not satisfy, she said, nothing would. If he was a little pleased comparing what she had expected of it, it was not because she brooded over all she had missed, and did not enjoy the sunset of the present in regretting the light that never was on sea or land." She loved to see other women with their lovers, and she often thought as she took as much pleasure in the sight of a pretty flirtation as those most concerned. Love making interested her impersonally; she no longer considered herself in the matter, and when met, young and old flocked to her receptions, she took no credit to herself they came to see the pretty girls with the bloom upon their cheeks, and were civil enough to seem interested in whatever she had to say. She did not know there was a change in her face, dependent neither upon youth nor bloom, "a sweet, attractive kind of grace," which even the pretty young girls coveted, in all she said.

"We are going to drive to the Glen to-day," ventured Mr. Lawrence one summer morning, when she was visiting at the country house of her friend Mrs. Turner. "Unless you will drive with me, I shall be obliged to go alone."

"And you don't care for your own society?"

"There is society I love more."

"Oh," put in Miss Hughes, "we needn't go alone, Mr. Lawrence. I heard Miss Scott express her regret that she would be prevented from going with you."

"Miss Scott was mistaken."

"Great old maid," said Miss Scott, as she silently watched Mr. Lawrence and Miss Hughes driving off. Every day there was a little journey hither and yon, and every day it was Miss Endicott to whom Mr. Lawrence attached himself. It was Miss Endicott whom he helped up the steep paths, for whom he found the wild flowers, to whom he gave the humming-bird's nest or the Indian arrow-head, whom he joined on the veranda, with whom he searched the heavens for the comet or tracked the constellations; it was Miss Endicott whom he rowed up the creeks among the meadows, to whom he brought the birds he bagged, to whom he read Matthew Arnold's poems under the lofty pine trees, or Browning on the sea-beach, for whom he sketched the glen.

"Why," pouted Miss Scott, "she is familiar enough to call her 'Vera' already."

"Hush," said their hostess, Mrs. Turner; "she has a right to call her 'Vera,' I suppose; they were engaged once, but she broke the engagement. This is only friendship."

"I did'nt know," declared Miss Scott, "I don't believe in friendship."

"When friendship and love look like love," quoted Miss Hughes. "I must say it's a dangerous experiment for two people who were once engaged to flirt."

"This is not flirtation; it is companionship," said Mrs. Turner.

"Of course he can't be in love with her at her age, too," continued Miss Scott. "Life's only a young man's."

What Miss Endicott thought about it was quite a moot place. Mr. Lawrence was her most intimate friend; they had known each other for years and years. They had been lovers; that is, he had loved her, and she had hoped to love him, and had failed. If she began to suspect that it was not impossible, after all, what then? Many a woman has loved in her maturer years the man whom she only liked in her youth. Was it because years had brought her the capacity for appreciation, insight and understanding? She began to wonder why the tones of his voice had never thrilled her in the old days, why she had not loved him, why he had not been her hero. Was it too late? It seemed not. He waited upon her glances, he loved her neighborhood; if there was a difference in this manner, was it not fear lest he be deluded himself again, lest he might seem to take too much for granted? Mr. Lawrence was hardly thirty; he was merely drifting. It had once been all the world to him to breathe in Vera's presence. They was a charm about her still, but had he a right to be charmed? He assured himself daily that he was not making love—nobody could mistake him. In old days he had been so different, so full of enthusiasm, so devoted—this was only a platonic affair between two hearts which understood each other. Was it not Lamartine who once said "a woman could have no such friend as another woman's lover," or something of the kind? Besides, Vera had never loved him, even in the old times; he had deluded himself for awhile, but it was she herself who had delegated him to the ideal region of friendship when he had poured out his affections upon her. Why should she make any mistake now?

"They had been out gathering wild flowers one afternoon.

"This herbarium," he said, "will be a kind of floral diary to me. I can read the history of the summer days among its leaves. In the days to come we discovered each flower to speak to us, will rise pleasing ghosts before me; we never I open the volume I will see again the paths we followed, the little clouds moving across the sky. I will hear your voice again, your words will echo in my."

"You are becoming a poet," said Vera, as Mr. Lawrence paused, with his eyes fixed on the veranda.

"I know you will be shocked to see me," said the young girl, who stood there smiling and holding out a dimpled hand, "but it is not my fault."

"It is half mine, at least," said Lawrence, taking the hand, and holding it longer than needful, thought Vera.

"Ah, that hateful old herbarium again! How I detest the sight of it! how it bored me! but I must tell you we were driving home from the mountains, Aunty, Harold, and I—Aunty would come this way—and the horses took fright, of course; they know she is timid—just half a mile away, and spilled us out, and bruised her so badly she is unable to go further."

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good, I see," said Lawrence, unfeelingly; "but now that you have taken breath, let me introduce you to my old friend Miss Endicott. Vera, I suppose you have heard that you know—Miss Rose Allen and I are going to take each other for better or worse."

"I am sure it will be all for the better," Vera said.

"That depends upon whether he burns the herbarium or not," laughed Rose, and then they went in to tea, and Vera ate her meal, and drank her chocolate, and talked and laughed with the rest, but in inventory of the charms of Rose, ended herself for having made the grim mistake of thinking that he loved her still. But the world was no longer the cheerful sphere she had known. The sun had set and the stars had not arisen.

"I know he was only making believe with Miss Endicott," said Miss Scott; "she'll be left out in the cold after this with a vengeance. It seems a pity, too, to be disappointed, at her age; but then she had no business to expect anything."

It seemed to Vera, however, as the days went by, as if Rose loved better to sit and bathe her aunt's bruises or read novels to her than to float on the stream in Mr. Lawrence's wherry, or to drive behind his ponies over the hill country, and this preference on the part of his sweet-heart in no wise annoyed Mr. Lawrence.

"They are the queerest lovers," said Miss Hughes. "I do believe he was happier before she came."

One day, when Mr. Lawrence had gone up to town on business for a few hours, as Vera was returning from a lonely walk, passing through a little wood, she heard the murmur of voices.

"But why should you hesitate when you love me, dear?" said a deep tone.

"Because Aunt Hitty will never forgive me for letting Mr. Lawrence's fortune go out of the family, she has set her heart upon it." And just then Vera came face to face with Rose Allen in the arms of a strange young man. "A thousand pardons," she said, a little stiffly.

"Let me tell you, let me explain," cried Rose, as Vera hurried away. "You must think I am such a hypocrite, Miss Endicott. Listen. Aunt Hitty never gave me any rest till I accepted Mr. Lawrence, and I don't think he cared much, either. I think she made him believe I was languishing for love of him. Tom—that is, Mr. Crebore—had no money then, neither had I. She forbade him the house. Since then Tom—I mean Mr. Crebore—has speculated or something, and made enough to begin life with, and now he wants me to break with Mr. Lawrence; but it's so hard to tell a lover you have been mistaken, or that you knew all the while you didn't love him, but just was going to marry him for his money, isn't it? You are his friend, Miss Endicott; you have known him for ages; can't you break it to him for me?" pleaded Rose.

"I break it to Mr. Lawrence?" repeated Vera, all the color fading from her face. "How can I? I would be glad to help you, but—but it will break his heart!" Just then a shadow fell between them, and Mr. Lawrence himself laid a gentle hand on Vera's arm. "No, it will not break his heart," he said, aside. "I have heard it all, Rose. I came out to meet you; they told me at the house that you were walking this way. I am glad to know this before it is too late. Rose, I give you leave to be happy with Mr. Crebore. As for me—"

"You are very good," laughed Rose; "but I doubt if you love me any better than I love you, Mr. Lawrence. It was all a mistake from beginning to end."

"But all's well that ends well."

"Didn't you find Miss Rose?" asked Miss Scott, as Vera and Lawrence returned to the veranda together.

"Yes, I found Miss Rose—and lost her too."

"Where did you leave her?"

"I left her in good hands, Miss Scott."

"I though there was something in the wind," averred Miss Scott, when the facts became known. "Mr. Lawrence was so snappish."

"When *you* jilted me, Vera, I was unhappy," he said, before his departure.

"And now—"

"I shall write you a love-letter from Grasmere."—*Mary N. Prescott, in Harper's Bazar.*

—New York City has 40,000 persons who depend on gambling for a livelihood.—*N. Y. Times.*

Some Indian Customs.

The Poncas number 580, and there are but six half-breeds in the tribe. They have retained their purity of blood in a remarkable degree, and are, as a consequence, purer in morals than either the Kaws or Osages. They at one time had a number of half and quarter bloods in the tribe, but these have nearly all died out, and none have been born to fill their places. The Poncas are gaining numerically year by year since coming to this reservation six years ago. They were moved from Baxter Springs here at that time, but came originally from Dakota. In the matter of civilization they get on slowly. Few of the men and none of the women can speak English. They have a large brick school-house, two and one-half stories high, with basement, capable of accommodating one hundred scholars, and have an annual enrollment of over seventy. There are no laws compelling school attendance. The children are doing fairly, learning to speak English rapidly, and some of the classes are in the Third Reader. Mathematics come easy to them.

Nearly half the men wear civilized clothing, and all Ponca women wear petticoats instead of leggings. The blanket is never wholly discarded, however, and seems to be nearly indispensable for warmth and for sleeping. Nearly all prefer boots and shoes to moccasins in bad weather. In the matter of farming eighty to ninety families will raise considerable corn this season, averaging, perhaps, six to eight acres to each family. The agent thinks there may be eight hundred acres of corn raised this year by the Poncas. They raise some wheat and potatoes, but are sadly deficient in stock of all kinds. Many families have none of any kind, and very few have teams for farming. The tribe is without religious instruction except a Sunday school. There is no mission here of any kind. The men do what outdoor work is done at all. The Government issues about one-third rations of salt, sugar, beef, soap and flour.

The tribe has 101,894 acres of land and $70,000 trust funds at five per cent. They also have a treaty fund of $8,000 per annum for five years yet, for clothing, etc. They have leased seven thousand acres of land to J. H. Sherburn, the licensed trader here, for five years, for $1,700 per annum. He is to fence it all, and is now engaged in that work. Mr. Sherburn came here five years ago a bankrupt, is now lessee of about two-thirds of the reservation, has a fine stock of goods, and nearly two thousand head of cattle.

In preceding letters mention was made of Kaw and Osage polygamy. But a comparison of these tribes and the Poncas and Otoes is greatly to the credit of the former. The Poncas have a number of polygamists—how many could not be definitely ascertained, not are the instances always known. The practice is open and acknowledged, sanctioned by usage and sufferance, and if it has not many open advocates it certainly has few or no assailants. All acquiesce in it; none attack it. The Otoes are worse. Out of about fifty families ten polygamous ones were named as well known, with the admission that there were probably several others. Probably one-third of all the married men in the tribe have more than one wife.

The interpreter, a fat, lazy hulk, sat in the agency store taking his ease while his wives drew several barrels of water from the well to haul home. He then got in the wagon and one of his wives drove the team. Their marriages rest upon agreement, are usually made up by friends, and the young couple have less to say concerning it than any others of the tribe. Friends of the groom propose to the friends of the bride. The question of price then comes in. Ponies, calico, etc., are given by his friends to hers. If any uncle, cousin, or other near relative opposes the match it is delayed or broken off. Usually a few extra presents softens the objections. A feast follows. Separations have not been common in times past, but two cases have occurred in six weeks in which the husband abandoned his wife and children and married another woman. Unless the tribe council breaks up these practices the Government will soon be compelled to take action.

Their funerals partake of the veriest savagery. A prominent Otoe died a week ago. A large crowd of his male friends staid in the woods all night beating a drum and performing incantations. They came to the house of the deceased next forenoon nearly naked, twenty of them having sticks as large as a cedar pencil stuck through the skin and flesh of their arms in many places, and thus naked, bloody and daubed with paint, escorted the remains to the grave with beating of drums and howling of men.

The body was placed in the grave in a sitting position, the mouth of the grave covered over with logs, dirt piled on these, and a horse killed on top of this. The horse must be the best which can be procured, and it is choked to death on the grave. If the dead man had one or more relapses prolonging his sickness, the horse must be tortured in a similarly slow manner. After the burial comes horse-racing and feasting. All friends of the family are expected to make presents of calico and other articles.

An Otoe scandal of the first water has just occurred. A school-girl was recently married to a man much older than herself against her wishes. She soon after ran away with her former youthful lover. The deserted husband was irate and about to follow on the war-path. A council was called, and many of the friends of the runaway couple sat up with him all night attempting to allay his anger. One of them gave him his finest moccasins and leggings, another a brooch, and others still other presents, till he said his heart felt better; his heart was not so bad as it had been, and he finally said his "heart was all right now," and they might come back. "She was dead." This Otoe custom might be a sensible one in some white communities.—*Ponca Cor. St. Louis Democrat.*

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

A bill to remunerize several States for interest paid on war loans was reported favorably in the Senate on the 28th. The Mexican pension bill was taken up, the pending question being upon Mr. Logan's motion to strike out that part of the amendment proposed by the Senate Pension Committee limiting pensions to ex-soldiers and ex-sailors who are dependent in whole or in part on their own labor or assistance from others. A motion to lay the amendment on the table was agreed to—yeas 40, nays 20. A clause of the bill as it came from the House repeals that section of the Revised Statutes that prohibits pensions to soldiers who engaged in the rebellion against the United States, but limits the repeal to cases coming under this act. The Senate committee recommended striking out the citation, but the Senate by a vote of 35 yeas to 23 nays laid the amendment on the table. Pending debate on further amendments to the bill the Senate adjourned. In the House the morning hour was dispensed with, and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the legislative bill. Mr. Cobb offered an amendment increasing collection districts from eighty to sixty-three, and increases the force at the pension office. The bill was then read by paragraphs for amendment. Without reaching a conclusion, the committee rose and the House adjourned.

IN the Senate on the 29th ult. Mr. Beck presented a memorial from the members of the Southern Exposition at Louisville, asking an appropriation of $25,000 on account of Government exhibits. The conference report on the agricultural appropriation bill was submitted and agreed to. The District of Columbia appropriation bill was taken up, discussed and passed. The Senate then went into executive session, at the close of which it adjourned until the 2d. In the House, the Speaker announced Messrs. Dorsheimer, Tucker, Reagan, Collins, Eldridge, Bingham, Cannon and Laird a commission on the part of the House to make arrangements for the dedication of the Washington monument. A bill to prohibit patenting unearned land grants was ordered printed and recommended. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the legislative bill. Several amendments were agreed to, after which the committee rose and reported the bill to the House. The previous question was ordered, but without further action the House adjourned until the 31st ult.

CONGRESSIONAL proceedings were unusually dull on the 31st. The Senate was not in session, and the House consumed the time in business of no general interest. A resolution was adopted authorizing the Committee on Indian Affairs to investigate the disbursement of the Cherokee fund and other matters in the Indian Territory, including fencing of lands for stock raising purposes, after which the time was consumed in discussing a bill granting the right of way through the Indian Territory to the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad, which was finally passed. The House bill was passed restoring the law of 1867 in the matter of appeals from Circuit Courts to the United States Supreme Court in habeas corpus cases. Adjourned.

DOMESTIC.

A BROKEN wheel wrecked a coal train on the 28th near West Melton, Pa., on the Shamokin, Sunbury & Lewisburg road, fatally injuring the fireman, Perry Strauss. Twenty cars were destroyed.

THE Red Cross relief boat John V. Throop left Evansville, Ind., on the 28th, on her last trip up the Ohio with supplies, which she will distribute to the upper end of the Ohio river, where the steamer will be discharged, and Miss Barton and assistants take a train for Washington. This will close the active labors of Red Cross during four months in the floods of the Ohio and Mississippi.

THE M. E. General Conference at Philadelphia on the 28th adopted as the sense of the Conference that divorces shall not be granted except for adultery, and any one divorced for such reason, if he be the guilty party, can not be married again by any minister of the church. The conference also adopted a report declaring it to be the policy of the church that no member of any society within the church shall be excluded from public worship in any and every edifice of the denomination, and no student shall be excluded from any school of the church on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude.

REPORTS made at the annual meeting of the American Congregational Union in Boston on the 28th show the number of churches in Michigan to be 240, Ohio 230, Illinois 250, Iowa 140, Kansas 200, Minnesota 150, Nebraska 100, Dakota 55, Oregon 20, California 100. In 1,200 towns west of the Mississippi River there is no Protestant preaching. The home missionaries occupy that field. In Minnesota there are now eighty churches without a sanctuary and there are 700 regularly organized Congregational Churches in the country that have no meeting houses. Last year $100,000 were raised for the churches. The new West Institution Commission reported thirty-seven schools established, sixty-two teachers and 2,500 scholars. The American Missionary Association reported under their supervision eight colleges, 1,200 schools and 230,000 scholars.

COLONEL J. O. P. BURNSIDE, disbursing clerk of the Postoffice Department at Washington, has been dismissed from office and placed under arrest on the charge of having embezzled $47,000. Of late he had been speculating with Levis, the missing oil broker. It is mentioned as a singular coincidence that Burnside's immediate predecessors, McCartney and Armstrong, were also defaulters.

A FRIGHTFUL accident occurred at Knupp's tunnel on the South Pennsylvania Railroad, in Westmoreland County, Pa., on the 29th ult. While a large force of men were engaged in excavating the tunnel, about 100 feet from the main entrance, a heavy scaffolding gave way, instantly killing nine men and seriously injuring eleven others. The victims were principally Italians.

HEAVY frosts visited portions of Ohio, Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Northern Pennsylvania and Western New York on the night of the 28th ult., causing great damage to fruit, grain and vegetation.

IT was reported in New York on the 29th ult. that President Eno of the Second National Bank, who lost several millions in Wall Street operations, had eluded the officers who were watching to arrest him, and sailed for England.

A BILL to abolish the contract system of labor in the State prison was defeated in the Massachusetts Senate on the 29th ult. Senator Whittier swore he was offered $1,000 to absent himself when the vote was taken on the water and gas bill.

THE Union Deposit Bank of Greensburg, Pa., owned by David Tintsman and John Walker, has suspended. Liabilities $100,000.

FRANK H. CUSHMAN, second teller of the Merchants National Bank at Providence, R. I., has absconded with $5,000 of the bank's funds.

THE Harmony (Pa.) Savings Bank has closed its doors on account of the failure of the Penn Bank, in which much of its money was tied up.

S. S. HALL was convicted at Christiansburg, Va., on the 30th ult. of the murder of C. A. Bowyer in 1870. He was sentenced to be hanged August 8.

DECORATION DAY was observed throughout the country with more than usual manifestations of interest. Fine weather generally prevailed, and city and hamlet vied with each other to do honor to the Nation's dead. At Annapolis, Md., and Fredericksburg, Va., the Union and Confederate veterans united in the decoration ceremonies.

REPORTS from Eastern Ohio and Western Pennsylvania indicate great damage to early vegetables by frosts on the 29th and 30th ult. In some sections ice formed a quarter of an inch thick. Farmers report corn, wheat, potatoes and tomatoes badly frozen.

AT Albany, N. Y., on the 30th ult. a German woman named Caroline Schreifer, while insane from the loss of a bank book, murdered five of her children, and running with the oldest child, nine years old, threw herself in front of a train on the Central Railroad and was killed. The child had an arm and leg crushed and cannot survive.

DWIGHT WEBBER, town clerk and treasurer of Coventry, Conn., and probate judge of the Coventry district has disappeared leaving a shortage of over $6,000 in his accounts.

A CAVE-IN under the track of the Reading Railroad at Turkey Run, Pa., on the 30th ult. imprisoned seven miners. Twelve of six collieries idle. All traffic on the railroad was suspended. The body of a workman buried had not been recovered.

THE gangway of a tunnel in a colliery at Ashland, Pa., caved in on the 30th, burying George Story, a miner. Fifty others escaped.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM E. DOVE, of Company K, Twelfth Regiment United States Infantry, was drowned while crossing the River at Fort Niagara, New York, on the 29th ult.

HON. PETER KISER, formerly a member of the Indiana Legislature, has applied for a divorce from his wife on the ground of cruelty and neglect. They have been living together forty-two years, Mr. Kiser being in his seventy-eighth year.

THE Belmont coal mines in Northern Alabama, have suspended on account of the Grant & Ward failure. U. S. Grant, Jr., was the principal stockholder.

THE shops of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, near Chicago, were partially burned on the 30th ult.

HEAVY frosts did great damage all over New England on the night of the 29th ult. In the strawberry district around Taunton, Mass., the crop is said to be quite ruined. In Northern New Hampshire several inches of snow fell. Around Norwich ice a quarter of an inch formed and all the crops which can be killed by cold were ruined.

TWO boilers in the saw mill of Wood & Thayer in Montcalm County, Mich., exploded on the 31st ult., instantly killing Wesley Ammon, Augustus Newman and M. Mathews, and fatally injuring Charles Sauers. Three other men were also badly injured. It is reported that the wife of one of the men killed was so crazed by the shock that she cut her throat.

THE well-known banking house of D. W. Middleton & Co., of Washington, suspended on the 31st ult., with liabilities of $500,000, and comparatively small assets. The depositors embrace many army and navy officers and newspaper correspondents. Among the heaviest creditors is Mrs. Hutchinson, widow of the late President of the Alaska Fur and Seal Company, who had about $100,000 in the bank.

THE delegates to the convention of coal miners of the third pool at Monongahela City, Pa., on the 31st ult., decided to strike against the quarter cent's reduction in the mining rate. Fifteen hundred men will be affected.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended May 31: Loans decrease, $3,529,000; specie increase, $475,600; legal tenders increase, $2,102,400; deposits decrease, $8,214,000; circulation increase, $56,000; reserve increase, $4,631,500. The banks are $1,977,625 below legal requirements.

A SHORTAGE of $22,000 in the accounts of J. F. Hoyt, cashier of the Butler County Savings Bank at Millerstown, Pa., was discovered on the 31st ult. There will be no criminal proceedings, as Hoyt has turned over all his property, and the firm of Dennison & Hoyt, oil brokers, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors.

D. C. O. HOWARD, charged with robbing a bank at Monmouth, Ill., was arrested at Waukesha, Wis., on the 31st ult. on a telegram from the Monmouth authorities. He confesses his identity, but is reticent regarding the crime.

THE scale of wages for iron workers was signed at Pittsburgh on the 31st ult., by the conference committee of manufacturers and the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers. The result is regarded with great satisfaction in business circles.

For the seven days ended the 31st the failures reported in the United States were 151, Canada 26, total 177: a decrease of 55.

STATE Superintendent of Public Instruction in New York, Hon. William B. Ruggles, has just rendered a decision that religious exercises "constitute no legitimate part of the public schools of the State of New York."

THE firm of Barkley & Hasson, heavy coffee and tea merchants of Baltimore, Md., failed on the 31st. Liabilities over $225,000.

A FIRE in Paducah, Ky., on the 31st ult., destroyed Riekis' store and the Knights Templar's hall. The falling walls demolished three smaller houses. Loss $50,000.

SNOW fell to the depth of an inch on the 30th ult. from Kane to near Irvington, Pa., along the Pittsburgh & Erie Railway.

THE Garfield Memorial Hospital, recently dedicated at Washington, has received a number of liberal donations in the form of free beds. Among others Mrs. Alexander Graham Bell donates $1,000 for a memorial bed to be known as the Schuyler Johnson Bed. All the bed linen needed for the hospital was contributed by Miss Coleman and Mrs. Willcut, wife of the proprietor of the Oneida Mills, New York; and the Wallingford and Middleton Silver Plate Companies, of Connecticut, contributed silver plated ware sufficient to supply the entire hospital.

THE body of the murderer Johnson, hung at Napoleon, O., on the 29th ult., was stolen from the grave with the coffin on the night following the burial.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Wisconsin Democratic State Convention met at Madison on the 28th and organized by electing L. R. Larson, of Eau Claire, as permanent chairman. Strong resolutions favoring a reduction of tariff duties were adopted. Delegates-at-large to the Chicago Convention: William F. Vilas, James G. Jenkins, E. S. Bragg, J. M. Morrow. The delegates are for Tilden, if he will accept.

THE Kansas Democrats met in State Convention on the 28th. John T. Burris was elected chairman. Resolutions favoring tariff reform and declaring for Tilden and Hendricks were adopted. Governor G. W. Glick, W. C. Perry, T. P. Fenton and Thomas Hudson were chosen delegates-at-large.

IT is stated that J. W. Garrett is to retire from the presidency of the Baltimore & Ohio road, to be succeeded by his son.

HENRY HURT, a prominent pilot on the Mississippi River, died at Cairo, Ill.

A FIRE at Cunningham, Mo., on the 28th destroyed a grain elevator, the Wabash depot and six cars.

HENRY D. PARKER, proprietor of the Parker House, Boston, died on the 31st ult., aged seventy-eight.

DR. THOMAS GRIFFITH, distinguished surgeon and physician, died at Louisville, Ky., on the 1st.

SAMUEL M. SHOEMAKER, of Baltimore, ex-Vice President of the Adams Express Company, and one of the pioneers of the express business in this country, died on the 1st, aged sixty-three. He was largely interested in railroads and steamboats all over the country, and owned the largest and most valuable collection of Jersey cattle in the United States. He leaves a fortune estimated at $3,000,000.

FOREIGN.

THERE was a fierce encounter on the 29th ult. between the Kossuth and Government parties near Erlane, Austria. Five persons were killed and many wounded.

THE race for the Derby at Epson Downs on the 28th resulted in a dead heat between St. Gatien and Harvester. Time—2 minutes, 46 1-5 seconds. The race was not run off, but the stakes were divided. This is the first time in the history of the Derby that a dead heat for the first place was recorded.

A LONDON dispatch of the 30th ult. says a serious fire occurred at Phuanpenk, the capital of Cambodia. The whole quarter outside the French concession was destroyed. Among the buildings burned were 105 houses belonging to the King. Three persons perished.

DANIEL T. SULLIVAN and Timothy Harrington, members of Parliament for County Westmeath, have been presented with £700 each from their constituents.

HEAVY frosts were general throughout Canada on the 29th and 30th ult., causing much damage to crops.

THE Earl of Aylesford, the Texas cattle king, had his leg broken in two places while returning from the Derby races. He is said to have been intoxicated.

LONDON was excited on the evening of the 30th ult. by two dynamite explosions, one outside the detective office in Scotland Yard, which blew off the corner of the brick building to the height of thirty feet; the other outside the Junior Carlton Club House in Pall Mall, resulting from a bomb thrown into the basement of the club house at the back of St. James Square. No one was killed though several were injured and property considerably damaged. It is stated that the police have unearthed a large quantity of explosive material in the vicinity of Scotland Yard.

THE Tramway Company's stables at Glasgow burned on the night of the 31st ult. and two hundred horses perished.

THE French Chamber of Deputies, by a vote of 345 to 91, rejected the amendment of Bishop Freppel to the army recruiting bill, exempting from military service young men training for holy orders.

AT Lillie, France, on the 1st the car of a captive balloon, containing twenty persons, fell forty meters. Three of the occupants were killed outright, and the remainder severely injured.

JOHN C. ENO, the absconding ex-President of the Second National Bank, was arrested on the steamship Vancouver on the 31st ult., just as she was leaving Quebec for Liverpool. He refused to be taken to New York voluntarily.

LATER.

THE steamer Wave sank twenty-five miles above Wilmington, Del., on the 1st. The colored cook —— Beebe, Lucy Graham, colored, and Emple Hill, white, were drowned. The accident was caused by the shifting of the cargo while the steamer was rounding.

AT Arkansas City, Ark., on the 2d ex-Sheriff Bankston, recently tried in Memphis for bigamy and discharged, had an affray with a lawyer named Coats, who prosecuted him. Coats was killed and Bankston mortally wounded.

THE decrease of the public debt for May foots up $4,763,241.

THOMAS LAMPSON, of Sebewaing, and Frank Halsey, of East Saginaw, both young men, were drowned at Heisterman Island, in Saginaw Bay, on the 1st by the capsizing of a skiff.

THE miners at the Swank mining district in Washington Territory have held a mass meeting and notified all Chinamen that they must leave the diggings at once.

A DISPATCH of the 2d from Guamas, Mexico, says that five States have declared war against President Gonzales on account of the revenue stamp tax. Troops were being concentrated in the interior.

THE Oregon State elections took place on the 2d. Indications point to the election of Herman, Republican, to Congress by 1,500 majority.

AT the blast furnace of the Cleveland (O.) Rolling Mills, on the 2d, Dennis Bryan and Frank Fauta, laborers, met with a terrible accident. Fauta was knocking out the plug of the big crucible, holding fifty tons of molten metal and the red hot mass escaped so quickly as to surround the two men before they had an opportunity to escape. Both were fatally burned.

THE Senate on the 2d passed the House bill authorizing the construction of bridges across the Wisconsin, Chippewa and St. Croix Rivers in Wisconsin. Mr. Sherman presented a memorial from the Cincinnati Industrial Exposition, asking for an appropriation of $25,000 in aid of the exposition. A concurrent resolution of the Louisiana Legislature was presented, expressing the gratitude of that State to the Senate for the passage of the Blair education bill. The House bill fixing the rate of postage on mail matter of the second class when sent by persons other than publishers or news agents, was passed in the same shape it came from the House, except that the newspaper limit of weight for one cent postage was extended to four ounces. Bills were passed: To establish a forest reservation at the head waters of the Missouri River and headwaters of Clark's Fork of the Columbia River; providing for the execution of Article 2 of the supplemental commercial treaty of November 17, 1880, between the United States and China for the repression of the opium trade. Adjourned. In the House Mr. Eldridge introduced a bill fixing the 23d of June as the date of final adjournment. The legislative appropriation bill with the amendments reported by the Committee of the Whole, was taken up. Most of the amendments were agreed to and the bill passed—yeas 138, nays 46. Pending action on a motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill repealing the internal taxes on tobacco, and brandy distilled from fruits, the House adjourned.

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"Her sallowness, and looked as fresh as a new blown daisy. Well the story is soon told. My wife to day has gained her old time beauty with compound interest, and is now as handsome a matron (if I do say it myself) as can be found in this country, which is noted for pretty women. And I have only Hop Bitters to thank for it.

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ESTATE OF MONAGHAN MINORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s. s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Robert B. House, guardian of said minors, praying for license to sell the real estate of said minors, described in said petition, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of June next, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, and that the next-of-kin of said minors, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy,)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. ma8

ESTATE OF ROBERT W. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 16th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Robert W. King, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Abner Wilson, guardian of said minor, alleging that said minor has now attained to the age of fourteen years, and praying that his resignation (now on file in this court,) may be accepted, that his final account as such late guardian may be allowed, that he may be ordered to pay over the estate in his hands belonging to said minor to his guardian, when appointed, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A.D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Southworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Administrator of said Estate.

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A.D., 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A.D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows. House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eight (8) of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county, and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 13-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Exchange Hotel lot; thence west on the south line of that lot, three and 18-100 chains to the J. B. Hoag lot, now Marsh lot; thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

EDWIN B. WOOD,
Guardian of said Minors.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Silas W. Bass, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 14th day of June, 1884, and on the 28th day of October, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 28th day of April 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

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CHARLES BURRIDGE,
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A NEW VOLUME.

This week's issue of the HERALD is the first number of the thirty-fifth volume. For thirty-four years it has pursued the even tenor of its way. It began its career on a humble basis as a seven column folio, printed on a Washington hand press, with an office not exceeding one thousand dollars in value. It has grown with Tecumseh's growth and strengthened with Tecumseh's strength, until to-day it represents one of the most complete printing establishments in Southern Michigan. In saying this we utter no word of reflection upon the many other excellent newspapers of Lenawee county. No county in the state, of its size, can boast of better newspapers, and we congratulate ourselves upon the fact that the HERALD is enrolled in so good a journalistic company.

Newspapers, no less than other branches of trade, are governed by the pendulum-like movements of business. When farmers, and traders, and manufacturers prosper, newspapers prosper in the same proportion. When business depression overtakes the general community, newspapers feel the effect. Our experience during the past year has demonstrated that fact. But we have no cause to indulge in despondency or forebodings for the future. The present depression will be short lived. There is no reason to expect a repetition of the hard times which followed the panic of 1873. This season's crops promise an abundant harvest. People in all branches of trade are economizing in their expenses, liquidating their indebtedness as rapidly as possible, planting themselves upon a sound and stable basis, and preparing themselves to profit by the general revival which is sure to come at no distant day. The HERALD is fully prepared to meet whatever issue may come, and is fully equipped to respond to all demands that may arise with the return of prosperity. And we look forward to the thirty-fifth year of our existence feeling confident that it will be one of the most prosperous ones in the HERALD'S history.

THE CHICAGO CONVENTION.

Perhaps before this paper reaches its readers, the contest at Chicago will be decided. From the present outlook, it is impossible for an outside spectator to predict the result with any certainty. Two or three facts can be sifted out of the mass of turmoil in which the convention is now plunged which may throw some light on the situation. Blaine has the most personal strength, and is without doubt the choice of the Republican states. Could he carry New York against Tilden? This is doubtful. The Arthur influence will slaughter Blaine if possible. Is it strong enough to accomplish its purpose? Probably. Hence we conclude that Blaine's nomination is not probable although it is certainly among the possibilities. Arthur's strength lies among the office holders and the Southern delegations. He would be the strongest candidate in New York, but a weak one in Ohio. The Blaine influence will antagonize him to the bitter end and possesses both the disposition and strength to defeat him. Hence Arthur's nomination is hardly possible. John Sherman, when the break comes, will gather in the bulk of Arthur's vote and many of Blaine's supporters. He will run stronger than any other man in Ohio and will have a fighting chance in New York against Tilden. The convention will not venture on any dark horse experiment. Any dark horse would be beaten out of his boots with Tilden at the head of the Democratic ticket. John Sherman is the coming man; that is, if the longest heads of the convention shall control its action.

Fully 500 people were in attendance at the semi-centennial observance of the township of Medina, Monday. The exercises were held at Oak Grove academy, near by the ancient village of Medina. The address of welcome was made by Mr. Orson Green, followed by Dr. Hamilton, of Tecumseh; E. D. Allen, of Morenci; Thos. F. Moore, of Medina, and Rev. Warner, of Frontier, the latter to the manor born, having been ushered into the world 49 years ago in the new settlement. Music and an old fashioned dinner completed the exercises. The celebration was a grand success.—Hudson Gazette.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Delegates all Present and the Work to be Begun in Earnest To-day.

Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, Chosen to Preside Temporarily Over the Convention—Organization of State Delegations.

LATEST.

CHICAGO, June 3.—The situation in the Presidential canvass is very much simplified. All the delegations are now on the ground, including New York and Pennsylvania, whose coming has been looked forward to with some interest. The negotiations which were carried forward in the interest of the respective candidates yesterday makes it clear that the adherents of the six candidates, namely Arthur, Blaine, Edmunds, Sherman, Logan and Hawley, have made a fair measure of their strength, and deem that the present aspect of the fight warrants them in standing by their men.

The most ardent of the Arthur and Blaine men do not now claim a majority of the convention. The highest figure mentioned for Blaine is 399 and the highest for Arthur about 325, but conservative advocates put the figures for both under three hundred. This is necessary in view of the stand taken by the Edmunds, Logan and Sherman men. The friends of the Vermont Senator are in high feather over the possibility of his nomination and contend that he has developed unexpected strength in all the Northern and Western States, and has even acquired some votes in Missouri. So strong are they in their faith that a caucus of all their adherents was called this morning. It was attended by all Vermont, nearly all the Massachusetts and New Jersey delegation, a portion of New York, including Andrew D. White, Theodore Roosevelt, John T. Gilbert and George William Curtis, and portions of the Rhode Island, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan delegations. The caucus numbers about eighty-five, and the Edmunds people contend that they hold the balance of power and can summon 100 votes, which, if their estimates are correct, and the Sherman and Logan men stand by their colors, the convention will unquestionably result in a deadlock. Logan forces have been instructed to remain by him, and the Ohio men who are for Sherman, numbering somewhat more than one-half the delegation, declare that all overtures which have been made them have been ignored, and that they will certainly remain by him through the numerous ballots in the present belief that the fight as it stands is to any man.

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE.

The National Republican Committee resumed its session at noon. Joseph E. Lee appeared as proxy for W. W. Hicks, of Florida. The sub-committee reported through Horace Davis, Chairman, to which was referred the case of the contesting delegation from the First Georgia District. The report declares that the committee considered only the proceeding in the district convention as bearing on the prima facie case of the two parties and did not go into the merits of the split prior to the conventions. They find the proceedings of that convention of an irregular and turbulent character with very conflicting evidence as to its merits but the committee deemed on the whole that a prima facie case was with Alexander S. Wilson and Lawrias Blue and their alternates. Mr. Dexeaux moved as an amendment that the matter be referred to the Committee on Credentials and that no name be placed on the rolls. Lost. Mr. Deveraux then moved as a substitute that the names of Johnson and Green be placed upon the roll. Defeated. The report of the committee was then adopted. Senator Jones reported verbally in the matter of the First Alabama district in favor of Messrs. Slaughter and Trest. The report was adopted without debate. Senator Platt reported in the matter of the contest in the Twenty-second Pennsylvania District, putting upon the rolls Magee and Flynn. Adopted without debate. With respect to the contest in the Twenty-first Pennsylvania, the committee recommended that neither Sayres nor Wentling be placed on the rolls. This would leave Mr. West as the only delegate from this district whose seat was not contested. The committee reported that neither Sayres nor Wentling had been regularly elected. Senator Jones asked if the committee intended to disfranchise the district. Mr. Magee thought that as the Presidential preferences of two of the contestants were the same, both should be admitted and given half a vote each. A vote was taken upon the report of the committee and it was adopted.

Mr. Runnells, of Iowa, in the matter of the Sixth New York District, reported in favor of John J. O'Brien and Matthew H. Brady. The report was adopted without debate. In the matter of the Nineteenth New York the same committee reported in favor of George Campbell and Herman Griggs. Adopted without debate. In the matter of the Fifth Kentucky the committee reported in favor of admitting Silas F. Miller and John Mason Brown. Adopted without debate. The same action was taken in favor of Edward Farley and P. C. Bragg. In the matter of the Second Illinois, Senator Aldrich submitted the majority report in favor of admitting W. S. Powell and W. E. Kent. Mr. Kent, of Maine, submitted a minority report in favor of W. H. Rugger. Mr. Cook, of Illinois, moved as a substitute that the names of Ruger and Piper be inserted instead of names reported by the majority of the committee.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN.

Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, has been elected as Temporary Chairman of the Republican National Convention.

There was considerable excitement last night over the selection of Clayton as temporary chairman of the convention. This feeling was confined mostly to the delegates opposed to Blaine, but there were a number of Blaine adherents who express dissatisfaction at the choice of a National committeeman. So intense, indeed, was the feeling upon this subject that a plan is on foot to attempt to defeat Clayton in the convention to-day and elect Hon. B. K. Bruce, colored, Register of the United States Treasury, in his stead. The feeling in some quarters is exceedingly bitter, and that a strong effort will be made to compass Clayton's defeat seems very likely.

A MEMORIAL ADDRESS.

The programme of the Blaine managers for to-day has been mapped out, and the ammunition with which the war will be carried on has been prepared. It consists of a pamphlet or memorial addressed to the National Convention, which memorial will be extensively circulated, 25,000 copies having been stricken off. The circular is as follows:

To the National Republican Convention:

The Republican districts of the State of New York, under the rule of direct popular representation, have declared emphatically for James G. Blaine; and this is their message to the National Republican convention: Blaine can get more votes in the State of New York than any other man, and can carry the State triumphantly. All analysis of the Republican representatives in the National Convention, on the basis of the Presidential vote of 1880, shows that from President Arthur's own State a decided majority of the delegates to the convention are opposed to his nomination; that the overwhelming preponderance of delegates from districts giving Republican majorities is for Blaine; that twelve Republican districts and four Democratic districts are for Blaine; that five other districts send Edmunds or anti-Arthur delegates; while but five Republican districts send delegates for Arthur, the large majority of his support coming from ten Democratic districts; that in the Blaine districts there is an aggregate of 65,718 Republican majorities, against 17,456 Republican majorities in the Arthur districts, with 3,756 Democratic majorities in the Arthur districts.

These facts and figures are conclusive, that in New York as in other States where electoral votes may be given to a Republican candidate for President, the direct Republican expression is in favor of James G. Blaine's nomination; indeed, that he is the accepted leader of the Republican party to a sure victory.

With full confidence that with James G. Blaine as the Republican standard-bearer the State of New York will give him its electoral vote, the undersigned delegates from that State commend the above statement to the favorable consideration of the National Convention.

Anson G. McCook,	Leslie W. Russell,
George A. Bagley,	W. E. Scripture,
R. J. Richardson,	Hobart Krum,
Titus Sheard,	Thomas C. Platt,
Milton Delano,	Edmund L. Pitts,
Carroll E. Smith,	Henry L. Deguid,
D. M. Osborne,	T. A. Youmans,
Lucius N. Littauer,	W. L. Smith,
Norman L. Allen,	Simon G. Mooy,
	Frank S. Smith.

Chicago, June 2, 1884.

The Ohio delegation at its meeting yesterday afternoon did not enter into the question of candidates, but simply organized and elected a member of each committee without any disagreement or contest. The following was the choice: Chairman, J. B. Foraker, Delegate-at-large; Secretary E. L. Lampson, Nineteenth district, member of Committee on Resolutions, William McKinley, Jr., Delegate-at-Large; member of Committee on Credentials, Mark A. Hanna, Delegate-at-Large; member of Committee on Permanent Organization S. Craighead, Fourth district; member of Committee on Rules and Order of Business, Alphonso Hart, Eleventh district; Vice President, Edwin Cowles, Twenty-first district; Assistant Secretary of the Convention, Clarence Brown, of Toledo. Captain A. L. Conger, of Akron, was elected Ohio member of the National Committee to succeed W. C. Cooper. A. C. Hord, of Cleveland, was offered the secretaryship of the delegation, but declined to serve.

The talk to-day has disclosed the fact that there are a good many delegates here who would be glad to cast their votes for General Sherman. He is often mentioned, and never without an admission from all within hearing that he would make an excellent candidate. It is thought by some that if the emergency arises he would reunite the different factions better than his brother John or any one else who had been named.

The Arthur men are building their hopes on securing the Edmunds vote when the distinguished Vermonter is out of the race, and on the other hand the Vermonter's earnest friends, who think that Arthur is already beaten, are expecting that when the "break-up" comes the friends of Arthur will rally around the Edmunds standard. That Arthur is weaker than he was a week ago is apparent, but this may be on account of lack of leadership. Two or three of his most ardent friends admitted to me that Blaine had much better generals here to handle his forces and direct the movements than had Arthur. Instead of endeavoring to solidify the South for him, his friends have been fishing for delegates in the Northwest, where the fishing was poor. Then they had relied too much on the New York business meeting and on the circular issued by some business men in Chicago, but the Blaine men claimed that a Blaine circular would be signed by men of as high standing, and that if a petition for Blaine were circulated in Chicago it would receive the signatures of two-thirds or three-fourths of the Republicans. The Logan men seem to have done Arthur much damage in the South, by seducing his delegates and weakening him where he was strongest.

There can be no question of Logan's popularity and strength among the Southern delegates, white and colored, and especially the colored. The Logan people are more confident than ever, and believe that if his delegates only stick to him through thick and thin they will draw from both Arthur and Blaine enough votes to land him in the White House. That is their hope and expectation. The time may come when Logan can nominate Blaine, but his friends are determined that his delegates shall vote for him on the last ballot as well as on the first, even if the last ballot nominates somebody else.

Arthur's friends do not admit any indications of a collapse, but the opinion is generally gaining ground that the President's strength has sensibly diminished during the last day or two. Virginia's contesting delegations continue to be a bone of contention. Dezendorf, the leader of the straightout Republicans, arrived yesterday. In regard to their position and intentions he said: "We intend to demand admission to the convention at the hands of the convention itself, on the ground that we are the regularly elected and constituted delegation from our State, and to submit and argue our case before the Committee on Credentials, on whose report the convention will finally take action. We believe we have a good case, and no doubt our claims will be duly considered and finally acknowledged. The action of the National Committee in taking an adverse view does not amount to anything. The committee has really no deciding voice. I suppose its action is simply due to the fact that we made no efforts to have the facts laid before it, while one of the Mahone delegation is a member of the committee, whose influence, no doubt, decided the committee, but we have no doubt that the convention will reverse that decision."

Among other prominent accessories of a good, healthy boom are brass bands, glee clubs, special railway trains and printer's ink. The last is employed in a great variety of ways—portraits, placards, posters, newspapers, pamphlets, addresses, badges, etc. Nor should the faithful chronicler of facts omit to mention the demijohns and boxes of cigars, which like the gates of Gospel grace, "stand open night and day." To any one who may wish to study the rise and growth of the boom, Chicago now presents an inviting field, as it contains a number of them in all the various stages of development.

Will Buy Reading Bonds.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 3.—A. J. Drexel & Co. announce that they will buy at par the interest coupons consolidated mortgage bonds of the Reading due in 1911. The total interest due to-day is $600,000. The Drexel Banking House is filled with holders of these coupons who are receiving their money.

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PRESIDENTIAL FAVORITES.

Some Interesting Facts Concerning the Men Who Stand Closest to the Chief Executive.

Visitors who, from curiosity or business, have called at the White House, must have been impressed by the courteous yet systematic manner with which they were received and escorted through the mansion. The gentlemen whose duty it is to receive all persons coming to the White House are Colonel E. S. Dedmore, Mr. John T. Rickard and Mr. T. F. Pendel, and they have occupied their present positions through the various administrations since and even during the war. Mr. Pendel was President Lincoln's body-guard, saw him to his carriage the fatal night on which he visited Ford's theater, and he now has in his possession the blood-stained coat which Mr. Lincoln wore on that memorial occasion. There is not a public man in America to-day who does not know, and who is not known by, these gentlemen, and the reminiscences of public and social life which they can recount would fill a congressional volume. During the weary yet exciting years of the war; through the more painful days of Grant's administration; while Hayes held the reins of government, and when Garfield was shot, it was these men who stood in the executive mansion, welcoming the advent of each new administration bowing at its departure, and receiving both martyrs through its portals.

During that long, hot and never to be forgotten summer when Prerident Garfield lay between "two worlds," the nation became aware of the deadly malarial influence which hung about the White House. But all through that period these three men never deserted their posts for a single day, although each one was suffering intensely. In conversation with the writer, Colonel Densmore said:

"It is impossible to describe the tortures I have undergone. To be compelled to smile and treat the thousands of visitors who come here daily with courtesy when one is in the greatest agony requires a tremendous effort. All that summer I had terrible headaches, heartburn and a stifling sensation that sometimes took away my breath. My appetite was uncertain and I felt severe pains in the small of my back. I was under the doctor's care with strict instructions not to go out of the house but I remained on duty nevertheless. You would be surprised to know the amount of quinine I took; on some days it was as much as sixteen grains."

"And was Mr. Rickard badly off, too?"

"I should think he was. Why; time and again we have picked him up and laid him on the mantel, here in the vestibule, he was so used up."

"Yes," exclaimed Mr. Rickard, "I was so weak I could not rise after lying down without help, and could only walk with the aid of two canes and then in a stooping position. Oh, we have been in a pretty bad condition here, all of us."

"And yet you are all the embodiment of health," said the writer as he looked at the three bright and vigorous men before him.

"Oh, yes," said Mr. Rickard, "we have not known what sickness was for more than a year."

"Have you some secret way of overcoming malaria and its attendant horrors?"

"I think we have a most certain way," replied Colonel Densmore, "but it is no secret. You see, about two years ago my wife began to grow blind, and I was alarmed at her condition. She finally became so she could not tell whether a person were white or black at a distance of ten feet. One of her lady friends advised her to try a certain treatment that had done wonders for her, and to make a long story short, she did so and was completely cured. This induced me to try the same means for my own restoration and as soon as I found it was doing me good I recommended it to my associates and we have all been cured right here in the stronghold of malaria and kept in perfect health ever since by means of Warner's Safe Cure. Now I am not a believer in medicines in general, but I do not hesitate to say that I am satisfied I should have died of Bright's disease of the kidneys before this had it not been for this wonderful remedy. Indeed, I use it as a household medicine and give it to my children whenever they have any ailments."

"Yes, exclaimed Mr. Pendel, "I use it in my family all the while and found it the most efficient remedy we have ever employed. I know of very many public men who are using it today and they all speak well of it."

"I weigh 160 pounds to-day" said Rickard, "and when my physicians told me over a year ago I could not hope to recover I weighed 122 pounds. Under such influences you cannot wonder that I consider this the best medicine before the American people."

The above statements from these gentlemen need no comments. They are voluntary and outspoken expressions from sources which are the highest in the land. Were there the slightest question regarding their authenticity they would not be make public, but as they furnish some valuable truths for all who are suffering, we unhesitatingly publish them for the good of all.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant,

vs.

Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 23d day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershler; thence north-easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershler's land, will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning, being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. jun5

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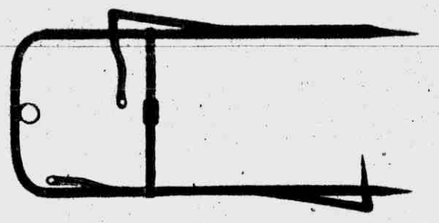

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LOST.—In Tecumseh, on Decoration Day, a girl's necklace with clasp thereon. The finder is requested to leave it at the
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PIGS FOR SALE. Ten white pigs, two months old, for sale cheap. Enquire at my place one mile north of Ridgeway.
JOHN BECKLEY.

DRESSMAKING.—Miss Thompson has returned home from the east, and is ready for dressmaking, cutting and fitting and everything in the line of dresses, at Mrs. Wm. Richards house, at the east door, corner Ottawa and logan streets.

FOR SALE.—Three desirable residences offered for sale at a bargain if taken within 30 days. One ten acre lot in a high state of cultivation with new house and barn. I'm bound to sell, so if you have any intention of buying property in Tecumseh within a year, it will be to your advantage to call and see me.
G. P. SPARKS.

I. X. L. WIND MILL.—I am agent for pumps, pipes, tanks, and everything pertaining to a first-class wind mill. If your mill, pump, pipe, or tank is out of repair give me a call.
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NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested.
C. A. KEIL.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice.
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TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected.
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The Marsden Boot & Shoe stock is being closed out.

Kies Bros. have a new card in this week's HERALD.

Joe Wooden has started his ice wagon. Keep cool now.

Tecumseh vs. Battle Creek, to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock.

Miss Lizzie Hayden reached home from her European trip last week.

Blissfield is preparing for a base ball contest on the Fourth of July.

A. E. Kennedy has a new brand of cigar, Riford's Magic, which is going like hot cakes.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Wood, of Manchester, last Sunday.

The Children's Day exercises at the M. E. Church have been postponed to the 4th. Sunday, June 22d.

Col. Sumner Spofford has lately painted his house and barn and otherwise advanced the beauty of his premises.

C. R. Henry, of Oscoda, Mich., was in town yesterday. He came down on business connected with the settlement of his father's estate.

Will Eccles makes the boss ice cream. The HERALD boys all say so, and they certainly ought to know after their testing of the samples yesterday.

The club-hop at Armory Hall last Thursday evening was well attended, and the young people tripped to Ollie Hunt's music until the "wee sma' hours."

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday morning on the Government and Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Slayton & Son have began work on a new brick addition in the rear of their present building. They need more room to accommodate their increasing business.

Albert Hayden, of Milan, was in town last Monday. The stave mill there, of which he is manager, will soon finish the stock on hand and then take a short rest.

Mr. B. Burtch has bought the steam grist mill property of Wilson Bros., and taken possession. John J. Wilson, one of the former partners, will remain as foreman of the mill.

S. O. VanDeMark is now giving the Clinton brass band a course of lessons. "S. O." is a first-class band leader and the boys will make rapid progress under his instruction.

Charles Keyes, formerly of Clinton, and now a resident of Grand Rapids was in town Monday. He is now travelling for a Masonic Life Association whose headquarters are at Grand Rapids.

The nineteenth annual meeting of the Michigan State Medical Society will be held at Grand Rapids on Wednesday and Thursday of next week June 11 and 12. Dr. I. S. Hamilton of this village expects to attend.

Dr. Hamilton, of Tecumseh, attended the semi-centennial celebration at Medina last week, and was one of the oldest pioneers present. He says he was grandly entertained, and never enjoyed a day's social pleasure better.

The base ball season will open to-morrow with a game between the Tecumseh and Battle Creek clubs.—Game will be called at 4 P. M. Admission to grounds 15 cents, to grand stand 10 cents; ladies to grand stand free.

Mrs. Freeman has now in stock one of the best assortments of millinery goods ever shown in Tecumseh. Would call attention to the late styles in children's hats, and bonnets, flowers feathers &c of which she now has a full stock.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 5, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The Republican politicians are all in Chicago this week.

Go and see the first game on the diamond to-morrow afternoon.

Minor Davidson has been drawn as a juror for the United States Court at Detroit.

School was dismissed last Friday, and both teachers and pupils enjoyed a holiday.

Rev. W. P. Wastell, of Clinton, paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum last Tuesday.

The stores were all closed during the Decoration ceremonies last Friday afternoon.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh lodge F. & A. M. to-morrow evening. Work in third degree.

Claude VanTyne is now the owner of a very fine Columbia bicycle. He is becoming an expert rider.

The interior decorations and exterior painting upon Baker & Hall's store gives a decidedly city air to the place.

The saloon keepers of Adrian paid $50 of the $100 rent which Forepaugh was obliged to put up for the use of Lawrence park.

Most of the stores about the village were gaily attired with bunting last Friday and the national colors were displayed in profusion.

Henry Jones has been the express agent here for twenty-one years and he has never lost a single package through any neglect of his own.

The most beautiful store window on Memorial Day was Gainsley & Co's. The display of red, white and blue silks and satins made an elegant show.

Newberry Satterthwaite owns one of the best steppers in town, and a nobby rig throughout. We had the pleasure of testing the speed of his pony the other day.

A new iron cornice and window caps have been placed on the three stores of Baker & Hall, Geo. Merritt and Wm. Arnold which add greatly to the appearance of the block.

The G. A. R. boys desire to extend their thanks to Mr. E. E. Koch for the free use of lumber used for the Decoration exercises, and to all others who kindly assisted them on that day.

Next Sabbath will be observed as "Children's Day" at the Presbyterian church. Appropriate services will be held in the morning and a Sunday School concert will be given in the evening.

The Ladies' Social of St. Peter's church will meet on next Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. S. W. Temple. This will be a "blue" social, and a pleasant time is anticipated.—A general invitation is extended to all.

A special excursion will leave Adrian for Portland, Oregon, and return, on Tuesday, June 17th. Tickets only $132.00 for the round trip and good for thirty days. For further information address, J. H. Blain, Adrian, Mich.

Elijah Wilson, on Saturday last, finished driving the spiles for the big bridge over the Raisin at Palmyra.—He begins work this week on a new bridge over Evans creek near James Hanford's farm in the west part of this township.

Last Friday afternoon, after the Decoration exercises were over, L. F. Wheeler took a group picture of the members of Beers Post. There were nearly fifty members in the group and it is one of the finest pictures of the kind we ever saw. Nearly every face is perfect. The G. A. R. boys will prize it highly.

To whom it may concern:—If the person who sent me a communication through the mail, under date of June 2nd, will substantiate the allegations contained therein, over his own signature, I will take the necessary steps to try and remedy the evil; otherwise I shall do my duty as I understand it, and take no notice of anonymous letters.
JEREMIAH ROOT,
Pres. Village of Tecumseh.

Thos. Adamson arrived in Tecumseh last Friday evening from the Pacific coast. During his trip he traveled quite extensively through California, Oregon, and Washington territory, having been on the route nearly eight months. At Walla Walla, Washington territory, he met Jack Hendry, who was at one time the head miller in Hayden's mill, and who is now running a mill at Walla Walla.—Tom enjoyed his trip very much and is welcomed home by a host of friends.

Children's day is becoming a fixed institution with some of our churches. Next Sunday will be so observed by the Baptist Church and Sunday School in Tecumseh. There is to be a Sunday School Concert in the evening appropriate to this season of seeding. In the morning a short sermon to the children by the Pastor will be followed by addresses by Dr. Geo. Ferguson and Dr. I. S. Hamilton. Members of the Sunday School will occupy the front body seats. Admission free to all.

OOVER THEM OVER.

A GRAND CELEBRATION OF MEMORIAL DAY AT TECUMSEH.

Formal Dedication of the Soldiers' Monument, And Decoration of Graves at the Cemetery.

The Memorial Day Ceremonies at Tecumseh on Friday last were in every respect worthy of the occasion. The Manchester Cornet band came down on the morning train and at eleven o'clock the band with with a delegation of the G. A. R. proceeded to the M. & O. depot and escorted the Eaton Post up to the Lilley House where dinner had been prepared for them. Shortly after dinner teams began to pour into the village from all directions and the streets were soon lined with people.

Promptly at half past one the procession was formed on Chicago street under Chas. A. Slayton, Marshal, and H. H. Keyser, Assistant, in the following order:

Manchester Cornet Band.
Company C, M. S. T.
Drum Corps.
Eaton Post, No. 222, G. A. R.
G. A. R. Colors.
Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R.
Citizens in Carriages.

The procession moved east to Ottowa street and thence north to Military square where the general exercises of the day were held. The Monument had been beautifully trimmed with floral emblems and a commodious platform had been erected near by. This was reserved for the Officers of the Day, Members of the Common Council, the Choir, the Clergy, Officers of the Monumental Association, and a few of the pioneer residents. Upon arriving at the Monument, the assemblage was called to order by L. P. Tribon, President of the Day, and the following program was then carried out.

Music by the Band.
Invocation by Rev. W. H. Babbitt.
Quartette by Messrs. J. S. Strong and H. C. Conkling, and Mrs. Bidwell and Mrs. Morley.

Hon. J. J. Adam, President of the Monumental Association then formally transferred the monument to the G. A. R. which was accepted by Commander S. P. Hosmer.

This address was mainly a history of the slow progress by which the money was finally raised to pay for the monument erected by permission of the village council on the center of military square.

The first movement towards raising such a fund was commenced about June 17th, 1865, about a month after peace was declared, by starting a Fourth of July dinner, to which the citizens of the six adjoining towns were invited and took more or less part. A statement of the net proceeds of the dinner was afterwards made and published, showing the amount realized to be $264,10.

A great ado was made and talked about the raising of $500 and over by the sale of a large bouquet, sent by a lady in Adrian to be donated to the soldier who had served the longest of any one in the union army. The bouquet was auctioneered off by "Uncle Sim" Davidson to some twenty-six or more individuals at all sums from $25 or 20, 10 or 15, 1 or 2 dollars; but no five dollars of it ever reached any officer of the Monumental Association, or can be found out. In Nov. 1865, $314 was paid over to Webster Anderson, Treasurer of the Association by Geo. W. Ketcham, Ex. Com., and in December same year, $100 was paid in by Tecumseh Lodge, 69, F. & A. M. So that out of over $1200 said to be subscribed by others to the Monument Fund, not over $50 was ever realized and paid over to the Treasurer of the Association, beyond the $264 from the Fourth of July dinner.

From the $414 put into the hands of W. Anderson, Treasurer, he seems to have let it out to the best advantage as shown by the following statement made June 10, 1879:

Int. from Village of Tecumseh,	$237.50
" " G. Curtis & W. Hayden	54,74
" " W. Anderson	95,83
" " U. S. notes	14,21
	$401,78

being the interest received for the thirteen and one half years during which it had laid in Mr. W. Anderson's hands; making with the $414 of principal received by him, the sum of $815,78 for which he holds the receipt of W. C. Fitzsimmons as Treasurer. This was loaned out to Mr. Hayden at 8 per cent. for a while, and afterwards for a time at 6 per cent. Mr. Hayden had paid to Fitzsimmons $129,88 for interest on the money loaned to him. That was left on his Bank book as credited to the Soldier's Monument Fund.

If that interest money paid in by Mr. Hayden had been used, as it should have been, in paying for the monument, there would not have been any necessity for a subscription by Mr. Brewer and others, to make up the amount again to finish the payment for the monument, as follows: H. Brewer, $25,00; John J. Adam, 25,00; W. C. Fitzsimmons, 25,00; Wm. Hayden, 25,00; E. Hause, 10,00, A. Anderson, 10,00; C. A. Wright, 5,00; D. McNair, 5,00; C. A. Slayton, 5,00—$135,00.

The only money now in the hands of the present treasurer is $12,98, being the second dividend on the money left standing to the credit of the Monument Association on the Books of the People's Bank. What furtherdividends may be made from the assets of that bank, or from hundreds of virtually outlawed claims, is not now known and cannot be foretold at present.

Then followed music by the band, prayer by Rev. J. Phelps and the ceremony of dedication by the G. A. R. This ceremony was somewhat extended, but very impressive and appropriate and it was carried out under charge of Commander Hosmer in a beautiful manner.

Rev. G. W. Hudson then gave his address. It was an able effort, and a fitting completion to the exercises of the day. We take pleasure in giving this address to our readers in full.

THE NATION'S DEBT OF GRATITUDE.

MR. PRESIDENT, SOLDIERS OF THE G. A. R., FELLOW CITIZENS, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I think myself happy to be present here to-day, and to have witnessed these impressive ceremonies. I see around me a large concourse assembled to commemorate the deeds of those who laid down their lives in defence of their country. I see before me representatives of all the surrounding towns, men who have contributed of their substance to erect this memorial, and who are here to-day to witness its dedication. I see before me battle scarred veterans who fought and bled in the great army which conquered the rebellion, I cannot be insensible to the honor conferred upon me in being chosen to stand in such a presence.

This, my friends, is a day for devout thanksgiving and gratitude. Wherever the people meet throughout this broad land they meet as citizens of one common country. Wherever they dwell they obey the same laws and respect the same constitution. The same flag floats above them all.

When the dying patriot turns his eyes to behold for the last time the sun in the heavens he does not see that sun shining on the broken fragments of a once glorious union, on states dissevered, discordant, belligerent. On the contrary, he sees that sun beaming down upon a united and happy people, a community of prosperous commonwealths stretching from the Atlantic on the east to the Pacific on the west, and floating over all he beholds the grand old ensign of the Republic with not one stripe erased, nor a single star obscured, flashing out from its ample folds as it floats over sea and land that sentiment dear to every American heart—liberty and union, now and forever, one and inseparable.

But not always has this welcome sight greeted the last gaze of the dying patriot. The time was when traitor hands hauled down that flag in some of these states, ran up another in its stead and declared the union of states dissolved. The time was when the dying patriot closed his eyes and breathed his last, with the old flag obscured by the smoke of a conflict waged for the destruction of the union. To whom are we indebted for the rolling back of the tide of battle and the preservation of the old flag in its pristine splendor? To whom are we indebted to day for the prosperity of this American union?

Doubtless we owe the establishment of this union to the patriots of the American revolution. By their suffering and privation through seven long years of war, by the blood which trickled from their lacerated feet as they marched over the frozen highway, or which was poured like rain on many a hard fought field, they laid the foundation of this Republic sure and strong. We owe much of our prestige on the seas to the brave tars who fought in the war of 1812. It is equally certain that for the growth of our union from thirteen to thirty-eight magnificent states, we are indebted to the hardy pioneers, who, with no capital but their rifles and axes and their own brawny arms, pressed out into trackless forests and brought them under the dominion of civilization. But for the preservation of this union we are indebted to the brave men who rallied around our flag when those who had once fought under its sacred folds were seeking to trail it in the dust. Yes, for the peace and prosperity which we enjoy to-day we are indebted, under God, to the 300,000 men who laid down their lives on southern fields and to those battle scarred veterans who marched home in triumph after the victory was won.

All honor to the statesmen who stood by the ship of state when it was tossed by the fierce winds of rebellion. Great was the service which they rendered to their country. Far be it from me to abate one tithe of a hair from their just meed of praise. Especially will this redeemed nation ever hold sacred the memory of him who was called to take the helm in those troublous times, who fell at the wheel just as the old ship had cleared the breakers and was steaming into the haven of peace. Never can this nation forget the martyred Lincoln. But strong as was Lincoln in his steadfast resolution to support the constitution and preserve the union, strong as were the able counselors whom he gathered around him, they were powerless to stay the onrushing tide of disunion. The air was full of traitorous plots, state after state was withdrawing from the union, traitor hands were hauling down the nation's flag, and traitor bands were taking possession of the forts and arsenals of the government, while they, the sworn defenders of the union, were without armies, without navies, without money and well-nigh without credit. It seemed doubtful at one time whether they would be able to hold even the national capital and carry on the government. And worst of all, many declared and sincerely believed that there was no power under the constitution to bring back the rebellious states.

What was it which first gave courage to our statesmen, and strengthened the hands of our chief magistrate in that trying hour? What was it but the prompt response of the people to the first call for soldiers? How strange seemed that call to arms in a land so long accustomed to the reign of peace! But the old flag had been assailed, and the people felt that it must be defended at whatever cost. Husbands and fathers said, "our country calls, but how can we leave home, who will care for our families?" Wives responded, "obey your country's call, defend your country's flag, die if need, God will care for us!" Mothers gave their sons, and with the spirit of the Spartan mothers of old exhorted them never to turn their backs to the foe. Sisters gave up their brothers and maidens their lovers to become a prey to the disease of the camp and the missiles of the battle field. The echoes of that first call for soldiers had scarcely died away until the ranks were more than full. And still others were clamoring every where to be sent to the front. It was this that made our rulers feel that they had still a country or at least the hope of a country. It was this which inspired them with courage for the gigantic task of conquering the rebellion. The zeal of these first recruits shot the first gleam of light athwart the gloom of the nation's peril.

But the rebellion was not crushed when the ranks of that first call were full. Call followed call in rapid succession, campaign followed campaign, yea, many disasters were mingled with our hardly-won victories. Rank after rank melted away before the deadly missiles of the foe and the almost equally destructive shafts of disease. Every breeze which swept to the north was freighted with deaths of fathers, deaths of husbands, deaths of brothers, deaths of sons and deaths of lovers, until there was scarcely a home in the loyal north over which the wing of the death angel had not cast its shadow, until from all the land there was heard one universal wail of sorrow, like that which went up from the land of Egypt when God smote all the first born of the land from the first born of Pharaoh who sat on the throne down to the first born of the captive in the dungeon. Truly, it did seem that He who scourged Egypt for the oppression of his people, Israel, was scourging us for the oppression of the poor enslaved negro race. Nor was this all. Millions upon millions of treasure were sunk in the vortex of civil strife, excessive burdens of taxation were rolled upon the suffering people. The national debt rose and swelled until it approximated the magnitude of the great burdens of the warring nations of Europe. Never was there a more destructive war. Never did its dread consequences fall more heavily upon a people. The men who were falling at the front were not hirelings sent out to fight our battles for us, but our own loved ones, members of our own households. The treasures which we were spending were not the surplus of a wealthy people, but the hard earnings of the toiling masses.

The fall of '64 came on. For three long years and over the war had raged with varying fortunes. From many hearts the bitter wail was going up to heaven, "How long? O Lord, how long." The soldiers at the front were singing as they sat in their tents and thought of the hot work yet before them:

Many are the hearts that are weary to night,
Waiting for the war to cease,
Many are the loved ones longing for the light,
To see the dawn of peace.

Nor was it sung by the soldiers alone; it was sung amid tears and sighs at home by those who had given up their choicest treasures to become the prey of war, and who were praying for the dawn of peace in order that those who had escaped the harvest of death might return in peace to their homes.

In that dark crisis the presidential election came on. Some did not hesitate to pronounce the war a failure, and counseled the people to vote against the administration which stood pledged to its prosecution. It was an awful crisis. The government was on the rack, the loyal people were bleeding at every pore. How tempting was the suggestion to end the bloody strife, spare the further effusion of blood and treasure, and call home loved ones from the perils of the battle field! "What ought to be done?" was asked by many fathers and brothers whose hearts were as true to the union as the magnetic needle to the pole.

Many knew not what it were best to do. In that dark hour the voice of the soldiers at the front, more than any other argument, turned the tide of discouragement. They knew better than any others the horrors of the strife. Upon them its heaviest burden rested. Had they been actuated by selfish motives they would have sent word to their friends and neighbors at home to vote for peace, that they might lay down their arms and return to their homes. But from all the ranks of the union legions, from the trenches in front of Richmond and Petersburgh, from the trenches in front of Charleston, from the bloody fields around Atlanta, from everywhere, came the stirring words: "No compromise with traitors." "The war must go on." "The union must and shall be preserved." These words fired the hearts of kindred and friends at home. And when election day came an overwhelming majority of the people said, "The war for the union must go on." That verdict of the loyal people echoed in thunder tones throughout the disloyal south and made the confederacy totter to its fall.

I believe that I but voice the sentiment of every patriotic heart when I say, that to the brave boys who were at the front in the fall of '64, more than to any other class of our people, are we indebted for the prosecution of the war to a successful issue. Certainly it was their strong right arm which brought the final victory. This then is the proud record of our brave boys in arms. Their enthusiasm strengthened the hands of our rulers in the dark days of '61. Their unconquerable resolution nerved the hearts of the loyal voters in '64. Their sturdy blows crushed the life out of the slaveholders' rebellion in '65. Said I not truly, therefore that to them we are indebted under God for the preservation of the union?

To-day we are reaping the harvest which those patriotic men so unselfishly sowed, aye, which they watered with their own tears and blood. The dark clouds of war have rolled away, the clash of resounding arms has long since died away. The states which fought so bravely to get out of the union, are now in the union, not as conquered provinces, but as members of the great sisterhood of states, and we are bound together, not by the iron fetters of a military despotism, but by the ties of common interest and nationality. Better still, our people are united and prosperous. We may travel to the most exterior southern border of our great land and we there, find the true hearted, brave American citizen. Those who were lately arrayed against one another in deadly strife now meet and strike hands as fellow citizens and friends. Those who wore the blue go down to the south and are honored and feasted and treated to the best the land affords, by the very men whom they helped to subjugate. Those who wore the gray come north and fare equally well at the hands of their former enemies. The soldiers who fought for the union have their reunions and dedicate their monuments. Those who fought for the south do the same, among themselves. They have sometimes had their reunions and demonstrations decked in their gray, and with their halls draped in the bonny blue flag. But amid it all there is the utmost good feeling. But very few of those who once fought against the union could be induced to-day to take up arms against the stars and stripes. On the 30th of May, in many portions of our country, without doubt, the confederate soldiers will march along side of those who were loyal and true, and they will scatter together the fragrant flowers upon the graves of those who died for the union. Never has the world witnessed such scenes. O, if the spirits of the dead participate in the cares and concerns of this life, then I know that the spirits of those who died for the union, which escaped through the ghastly wounds of civil strife and soared away from earth's conflicts, look down with satisfaction upon these talking of peace between the north and south and feel that they did not die in vain.

Yes, we have a united country, a country from every section of which echoes the song of contentment and the hum of peaceful industry. The bands of our great federal compact bind together willing states, and the burdens of government rest upon willing subjects. But more than this, we have now a free country. Our grand old Declaration of Independence is no longer a beautiful sentiment, but a glorious truth embodied in our national constitution. When the haughty form of the Great Rebellion fell before the sturdy blows and thrusts of liberty loving freemen, the lash of the task master fell powerless to the earth and the shackles fell forever from the limbs of every human being, and for the first time in our history as a nation the heavens bent above and domed a land without a serf, a servant or a slave.

For all these blessings of freedom and peace and good will which we are now enjoying to-day we are indebted to the men who preserved our union, who with courage, with enthusiasm, with devotion never excelled fought the battles of the republic. Never can we forget their noble self-sacrifice. Therefore do the people assemble once a year on this 30th of May with the honored survivors of the union armies, and march with solemn tread to the cemeteries to scatter fragrant flowers upon the graves of our union dead. Therefore do they erect monuments to the memory of these dead.

But now let me not mistake the purpose of this day. We do not carry the flowers to the cemetery with any idea of adding fresh glory to the names of the nation's dead. We might as well think of adding fresh glory to the bright orbs which beam down upon us from the midnight sky. They are far above our praise or our blame. They are the nation's now, forever famous because of what they have done. No! we simply bring these flowers as the free will offering of a grateful people. And how appropriate the simple ceremony, the fragrance of the beautiful flowers beautifully symbolizing the incense of gratitude rising from our hearts in memory of the heroic dead.

Nor do we erect these monuments with the idea that even they can add anything to the glory of the fallen, nor yet with the idea that they are necessary to preserve the memory of the dead.

It was my privilege some years ago to wander through Mt. Auburn cemetery in the suburbs of Boston. As I wandered along the beautiful avenues of that cemetery and noted the costly monuments which mark the precious dust deposited there, I naturally sought the grave of the distinguished Sumner who lies buried there. When I found it, I saw only a simple green mound of earth and a modest slab of marble with the word "Sumner" engraved upon it. I felt at first a sense of disappointment. After having looked upon such costly monuments over the graves of men of less note, it seemed strange. Then I thought with myself, what if there be no monument? Yea what if this grave were unknown and this dust of the great champion of equal rights, buried in the depths of the sea? Would Sumner therefore be forgotten? That name is written upon some of the best pages of our country's history, it is stamped upon the life of this great nation, it shines forth among the loftiest names on our proud temple of fame. What need of a magnificent monument to perpetuate such a name? What monument indeed could do justice to such a name? The simple name is monument enough. That name, as if by magic, presents to the mind of the beholder, a monument grander far than sculptor's chisel ever fashioned, a monument which Sumner fashioned with his own hand.

Even so with the dead whom we honor to-day. No monument can do them justice, much less add lustre to their fame. The simple name "Soldier of the Rebellion" is all the monument they really need to perpetuate their memory. That name, as if by magic, presents a glorious monument which they fashioned with their blows, a race rescued from the thralldom of slavery, a republic rescued from the death throes of disunion. This is a monument which insures them remembrance throughout the ages of the future.

Why then the monuments? To keep fresh our memory of their deeds; to keep alive in our own bosoms the flavor of patriotism. This monument, and the exercises of this Decoration Day are for us and our children to remind us of what others have given for our country, so that when our children ask us about their meaning we can recount to them the noble deeds of the nation's fallen heroes, and thus kindle in the young hearts the flame of patriotic love and devotion to their country.

But are these fragrant flowers and this monument offered only in memory of the dead? By no means. They betoken the gratitude of our people to all who stood in the shock of battle. Soldiers of the rebellion, although your lives have been preserved, you too have lived on the tented field and made the long weary march and stood guard in the silent hours of the night with the stars. You remember to-day the fields of carnage, the ghastly wounds and dying groans of your fallen comrades. Aye, well do you remember, for many of you bear upon you the scars of the awful conflict. You too, left home and friends at your country's call. You too, stood where the battle raged most fiercely. Your empty sleeves and halting gait prove that you laid down your limbs, if not your lives, and poured forth your life's blood, if not your souls, upon the altar of our common country.

Noble battle-scarred company! Your sacrifice was none the less complete because you escaped the deadly missiles of the foe. You are with us only because Heaven decreed you a happier fate than to those on whose graves we drop the flowers to-day.

To you therefore, who still pitch your tents on the broad tented fields of earthly strife, no less than to those who now camp where no martial reveille can ever disturb their peaceful repose—to you no less than to them are due the grateful offerings of a united and prosperous nation. To you no less than to the honored dead are this monument and these fragrant flowers the grateful tribute of a grateful people. Kindly has Heaven smiled upon you indeed, in that it has preserved you from deadly missiles and the shafts of disease, to behold these offerings of a grateful country.

All over our land our soldiers' monuments glitter in the sunlight; all over our land the exercises of this day are calling the people from the busy marts of commerce, and from the scenes of daily toil, to think upon the heroic deeds of the soldier who fought to preserve our union. All over our land mothers are recounting to their children the story of those deeds. Far be the day when these monuments shall crumble. Still further be the day when our people shall forget to assemble and recount the deeds of the brave and drop the fragrant flowers upon their graves.

With such monuments to remind us year by year of the heroic deeds and patriotic devotion of our fathers and brothers, with mothers who shall recount year after year these deeds to their children, we cannot become a degenerate people. Coming generations will catch the inspiration and will stand ready to sacrifice their lives for our country's welfare. Thus the heroic deeds of the past will produce golden harvests of heroism in the generations to come; and thus our heroism and patriotism will keep pace with our national prosperity. The grand old stars and stripes will wave over the teeming millions of coming centuries, from Maine to California and from the lakes to the gulf, with not one stripe erased nor a single star obscured.

Music by the band followed and the benediction was then pronounced by Rev. C. E. Conley. Three cheers were given for the donors to the Monument fund, and three volleys were fired by Company C.

The procession reformed and marched to the cemetery. They halted at the circle and broke ranks, when a squad of the G. A. R. proceeded to different parts of the ground and deposited upon each soldier's grave a beautiful wreath or bouquet of flowers. At the conclusion of this ceremony the military marched back to the village and broke ranks.

The entire program from first to last was carried through without a blemish. The ranks of the G. A. R. Posts and Co. C were full and the boys seemed to have caught the inspiration of the occasion, for they never kept step to the music better. The dedicatory ceremony was grand and beautiful. Rev. Mr. Hudson was "at his best." The choir rendered their quartettes splendidly. The band added new laurels to their reputation. The supply of flowers was ample in quantity and most beautifully designed and arranged.

Beers Post, G. A. R., under whose auspices the celebration was held, have reason to congratulate themselves upon the successful issue of their first observance of Memorial Day.

THE DECORATED GRAVES.

Below is a list of the names of those deceased soldiers, whose remains lie in the Tecumseh cemetery, and whose graves were honored with a floral emblem.

Faron Anderson, F. M. Roberts, Jas. McNair, Alanson Conklin, John Culbertson, Jas. R. Wheeler, Martin B. Pennock, Wm. McCaughn, Jno. Gilbert, Sam'l D. Southworth, Chas. Doke, Stephen Mosher, Emory Waller, Theodore Lereau, William Butler, Alvin Tripp, W. H. Stout, Ira Ladd, W. Warren Estes, Alfred Durling, John Durling, Nat. Jones, Benj. Jones Jas. Morseman, Albert Randall, H. G. House, Wm. Johnson, Abel Harding, Saml. T. Kneeland, W. F. Howe, Asa A. Whitehead, Thomas McClenahan.

These names of deceased soldiers who were buried elsewhere have been given to S. P. Hosmer. He wishes to increase this list and all persons knowing of any such deceased soldier are requested to hand the name to him.

Harlo H. Smith, Co. K., 3d Mich Cav.
Webster Smith, Co. D., 2d Inf.
Jas. C. Eddy, 3d Bat. 3d Mich. Cav.

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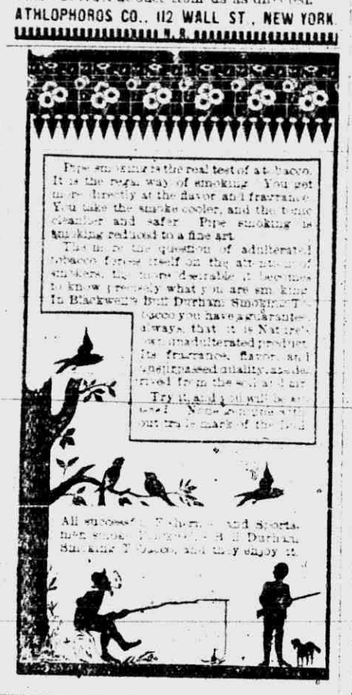

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It is quite a number of years since this old camel story trotted along the sands of time, so as the circus season is approaching it has been suggested that the *Free Press* start the ancient animal on its travels again. This is how it happened: Abou Ben Eli McGuffin, being full of years, died, leaving to his three sons his seventeen camels for the simple reason that he could not take them along with him. The will, duly attested, said the eldest was to have one-half, the second one-third, and the youngest one-ninth of the seventeen camels. The boys were a little perplexed at this, as it seemed to involve the cutting up of a camel, and camels were worth three dollars a day on the Sahara that season. But the boys, if not first-class mathematicians, had level heads and did not go to law to prove the old man insane, but went instead to the good old Cadi Hassan O'Donohue, who had taken a medal at mathematics at Ann Arbor.

"Boys," said the good Cadi, reproachfully, "you should not bother me with these little matters. Ask me a harder one."

But seeing they were troubled, the benevolent old man asked the hostler to trot out his own dilapidated camel, which had seen his best days traveling with Barnum as the Sacred Gnu of Persia.

Placing the aged brute with the seventeen camels the boys had brought along, he said:

"There are eighteen camels. I shall now give you half of the eighteen, which is nine. How does that strike you?"

"It hits me where I live," said the eldest, who was slangy, but withal pleased at getting half of eighteen rather than half of seventeen.

"The next boy shall have one-third of eighteen, which is six. Are you there, Moriarity?"

"You bet," said the boy.

"The next will have one-ninth of eighteen, which is two," and so the third youngster collared his two camels. Thus two and six and nine made seventeen, and still was the good Cadi's aged animal left unsheathed. The people marveled, as the Cadi had given each more than the will called for, which is rather unusual in courts of law. And they said one to another: "That's what it is to be good at figures."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Shinbones Mining Stock.

"War is dis hyar mine?" sez I.

"Right hyar on dis hyar map," sez he, pullin' out a big roll o' papah an' showin' it ter me.

"Now," sez he ter me, sez he, "we am a-goin' ter place dis stock onter de mahket at twenty-five cents a share. But as yo' am a fren' o' my fren' hyar, I'll let yo' hab all yo' can take at ten cents."

Wall, I 'lowed dat he war mighty kind, an' he 'quested me not to mention it. I tole him I nebber guy anything away. I thought I'd better not put de whole treasury in dat one stawk, so I tuk a hundrid shares, makin' ten dollars. Bless yo' haint' dat berry afternoon de stawk went up ter twenty-seven cents. I went ter my fren', an' sez I, "Don't yo' tink I betterah sell out?"

"No, no, shinbones," sez he ter me; "it's a-goin' highah."

Shuah nuff, de nex' day it war up ter thirty cents, an' people war a-buyin' of it like mad. I wanted to sell out agin, but dey sez hole on, an' I kotched a fresh holt and triz right onter it. Nex' day 'twas up ter thirty-three cents, an' I wanted ter sell out agin, but dey say, 'Hole on and yo' git a dollah a share.' Wal, de nex' day I went ober ter de Minin Exchange an' dar I seed a man wot I knowed, an' he sez ter me, "Luk at dat blackboard dar." I looked an' read onter it dat dar war an assessment o' one dollah per share onter my stawk. I went right ober ter my fren's ortis, an' sez I ter he, sez I:

"I want my hundred dollahs."

"Wot yo' talkin' 'bout?" sez he.

"Assessment—dollah a share," sez I, smilin' kinder.

"Luk hyar," sez he, "assessments is war yo' pay us."

"Wot pay yo'? Wot fur?"

"Ter forrard development wuk on de mine. Par's on'y a little hole in de groun' dar now, an' we want ter make it biggah so's we kin git out de gold."

"But I hain't got no hundred dollahs," sez I ter he, sez I: "how's I gwine ter pay yo'?"

"Wal, onder dose cahcumstances, as yo' owe us ninety dollars, we will take back de stawk an' call it square."

"Yes, sah," sez I, handin' him de stawk an' mighty glad ter get rid of it, "but whar does I come in?"

"Yo' don't come in 'tall, yo' go out."

"Go out?"

"Yes, sah, right out'n dat doah;" an' he tuk me by de sho'ldah an' gimme de perlite bounce. An' now yo' know why de Aircicty's got ter bust."—*N. Y. Times.*

—In a late address, Prof. Wiley gave the result of his investigations to decide the question: "How far north may the sugar industry extend?" He believes that the success of the sorghum sugar industry will not be found so far north as many of his friends had hoped and many of his developers prophesied. It is yet early to give a definite answer but at present he inclines to the opinion that the isothermal lines for September, October and November that pass through Cape May, N. J., should be considered the northern boundaries of successful sugar culture.—*N. Y. Post.*

—A little over forty years ago Colonel J. J. Warner, of Los Angeles, Cal., made a visit to his old home at Mobile. While there he made a speech, in which he said the next time he came it would be by rail. The remark was copied in the papers, and was everywhere regarded as a joke or the fancy of an enthusiast. On his arrival in New Orleans the other day, without change of cars, he called the attention of his friends to the "alleged joke."—*N. O. Times.*

—In 1833 Samuel Turner dug a well at Charleston, W. Va., and a few days ago he made a descent into it to look after its cleanliness. The foul air killed him.

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Before I have used one bottle of Ely's Cream Balm I am cured of Catarrh. I could scarcely smell anything and had a headache most of the time.—Henry Lilly, Agt. Am. Express Co., Grand Haven, Mich.

I could scarcely speak; it was almost impossible to breathe through my nostrils. Using Ely's Cream Balm a short time the trouble entirely disappeared.—J. O. Tichenor, Shoe Merchant, Elizabeth, N. J.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for Catarrh. One bottle cured me.—S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	6 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 42 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
5 20	8 05	10 10	Lv..Toledo..Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 02	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 00	4 11
8 04	6 31	11 32	...Ridgeway...	3 30	10 00	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	...Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	..Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 29	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover...	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	.....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 09	2 22	....Marshall...	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 49	9 22	2 34	....Ceresco....	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 30	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	...Augusta....	11 43		8 12
4 32		3 29	...Yorkville...	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	...Richland...	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
5 32		4 16	...Monteith...	10 49		6 15
5 39		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	.....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 05		4 45	Ar.Allegan.Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.		A. M.		A. M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1-02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 42	1 02	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	2 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 14
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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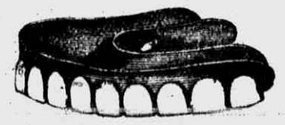
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A Mormon Courtship.

The courtships of the saints are not always romantic affairs. Dr. Sharp, of this city, has four wives, and if he has good luck he will have another before long. During the last few weeks he has had a courtship on hand which has given him great trouble. He employed a girl named Mary White as a servant in one of his families. Mary was a fresh, plump, rosy-cheeked young Mormon. Her father was a saint with two wives. Mary was the daughter of wife No. 1. Wife No. 2 was gay and giddy, and when Dr. Sharp carried Mary back and forth between her father's home and the place of her service, he saw her and bewitched her, as White said. After a while Sharp enticed wife No. 2 away from her husband, and then White got an idea that the Doctor had bewitched him also. Another saint came along who was in the soothsaying business, and he told White that he had something that was good for him, but that it would cost money. The price was agreed upon. White bought the charm, worked it, and the evil spirit of Sharp was exorcised. Just as White was beginning to feel at ease once more, Sharp drove up with Mary and asked permission to make her Mrs. Sharp No. 5. To this the old people objected, for they believed he was possessed of a devil, and they thought he did not support his other wives any too well. When they gave Sharp the reasons for their refusal he was furious, and he took an oath in their presence that he would have Mary.

In the course of time he convinced the old man that it had been ordained from all time that Mary should become his wife; but the old lady said that the doctor had hoodooed her husband once more, and she refused to assent to the union. Then Sharp had a vision or two which he related to Mrs. White. She was still inexorable. Two or three days later he had a revelation that it would be very acceptable to the Lord to have Mary become his wife. It had no effect on her mother. Then Sharp dreamed dreams of mighty import every night, heard tremendous rumblings in the skies, saw a great light, and read many commands written on the fleeting clouds, all to the effect that Mary was his and his only. The old lady's teeth were set tight.

Taking a new tack, the doctor then threatened to summon Mrs. White before the High Council. She told him the Sanhedrim of the saints had no terrors for her. Then he appealed to the Bishop of that ward, and finding him dull of comprehension, he went before the Council with his grievance. Here he found sympathetic listeners. The old Bishop was promptly removed and a new one who believes in marrying off the young women, was appointed. Sharp is on good terms with the new ecclesiastic, and considers himself as good as married already. Mary is now at school at Provo, and Sharp has gone after her. The new Bishop is wrestling with her mother, who now sees the futility of further resistance, and who will in a few days, it is understood, formally consent to the union. In Mormon society this is considered a very romantic courtship. All Mormon love stories begin and end something like the above.—*Salt Lake Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

The Arbutus.

The arbutus is a flower of Nature's giving. Bred, as it were, from stormy skies and fed from the chill of ice and snow, theirs is nothing of the passionate beauty of the rose or the lily's regal stateliness. No gay coloring of greenhouse skill attracts us in these shy, uncultured children of woods and fields. Theirs is a quite another and different charm. Absolutely pure, as are the glacier flowers of the upper Alps; of colorless waxen white, or tinted with a blushlike pink such as might have graced some Puritan maiden's cheek in by-gone days, this is the typical flower of austere and granite-grounded Massachusetts. Their day is a brief one.

If arbutus is welcomed in town or city, its home is still in the country. Hidden in quiet hollows, among sheltering hills, or on deserted wood roads, where the warm spring sunshine creeps tardily in, unseen of human eyes, it most frequently and gladly grows. Nestling to the warm, earthy-smelling ground it springs from, covered with the sere, brown grasses of a dead winter, it lifts to the sun the smile of its white or pinken clusters in prophecy of the summer. It never intrudes. In these quiet nooks it waits always to be sought. Many a city sportsman, prepared to break the Sabbath laws with carefully chosen rods, is ready to forbear whipping unoffending trout brooks with impossible flies and bend over gray moss and little clusters, mindful, perhaps, of numerous promises to his expectant lady friends. To our novice each step is a discovery and a surprise. Treading gingerly, he stumbles on a low-lying, half-hidden cluster. He stoops to pick it. Mindful of feminine injunctions for "long stems" (which has nearly exterminated the flower in once plentiful spots), he pulls vigorously at the tough little vine. When it is his, he finds it enriched with flower buds he never dreamed of, strung along on this slender thread. He stows his prize, and on for the next. It is a chance if he finds himself alone. School children, boys and girls, for the nonce preternaturally quiet, are diligently working on the same errand as himself. At times he must dodge the enshrouding sun-bonnet of a mature damsel, whose basket somehow fills rapidly, if she picks much or little. Under gray skies, in "the uncertain glory of April days," seldom far from sad solemn woods or the twittering of venturesome birds, in a silence broken only by the sounds of awakening Nature or the shout of an occasional "find" the city's supply of arbutus is picked.—*Boston Transcript.*

A Maelstrom of Birds.

"Run wife! Go below, or they'll be dashed to pieces!"

The keeper of the Atlantic City Lighthouse was watching the hydraulic floating lamp in the top of the tall tower last night, and just brushed a speck from one of the plate-glass sashes through which the intense rays from the great fixed light that warned off all floating ocean life from destruction were streaming, when, turning his head in answer to a strange flapping and whirring noise, he uttered the exclamation.

"What shall I do?" asked the plucky little woman, who is in the habit of keeping him company during the early part of his vigils.

"Go for the net! Drive them off. Take my overcoat with you and save all you can!"

In the almost white-heat glow of the lamp, outside of whose radiance everything was impenetrable blackness, a spectacle was presented unequaled in any of Dore's grotesque imaginings. Through the light, like motes in a sunbeam and thicker, than mosquitoes, hundreds of dazed and frenzied birds, of various sizes, were circling and gyrating, performing a mad aerial dance around and round the lantern.

Mrs. Wolf came in directly. "I can do nothing with them," she said, "there are thousands and thousands of them." From out the bulging pockets of the overcoat birds began to fly, now dashing at the windows as if to get out again, and the three or four palpitating feathered mites she held in each hand began struggling to get free. They were of many hues, these Southern travelers thus arrested and carried out of their Northward migratory course, although in the fierce splendor of the illuminated arc outside they had all appeared luminous and white. There were robins, flickers, mud-hens, and a few rail-birds, and one poor little pee-wit, perching itself sociably on its rescuer's shoulder, uttered its peculiar note.

"Did you notice that scarlet tanager in the house as you came up?" asked Abraham Wolf, the keeper, of his guest, the scribe. "Well, that gorgeous fellow got here from the West Indies somehow. I picked him up in the net one night during a heavy thunder storm. The net, you see, is on the land side, where all the birds come, and keeps them from spattering their blood on the glass. But the wild ducks, they tear the net to shreds. We have had a few spring birds the last week or two, but this is the first large flock. Our house during the summer is nearly always full of them. We leave them loose and let them go where they want to. One night my wife and I took over 300 birds alive and let them go next morning. Rail-birds, cat-birds, wood-thrush, thistle-birds, and all the soft-billed fly-catchers are the most numerous, but we get almost every sort. I keep a record of their visits for the American Ornithological Society to help throw light on migration. I like to throw light on anything, you know—it's in my line."—*Philadelphia Times.*

Ducks.

These are easier to raise than chickens, are healthier and will make more of their own living on a farm than chickens.

They lay a large number of eggs, and with the exception of being bad mothers are better on the farm than any other poultry, are more easily kept out of the garden or places where their presence in not desirable. Being voracious eaters they destroy and eat large numbers of bugs that are injurious to growing plants.

It is a mistaken idea that they must have a pond of water for their special benefit. Although such a place may be very pleasant for the ducks, it can not in any sense be deemed a necessity. They generally commence laying in February, and will lay right along. When they are laying they should be confined as they are not particular where they drop ther eggs. If penned every night until eight o'clock in the morning you will have less trouble to secure their eggs. For hatching or setting I prefer hens. A duck rather enjoys running around too much, especially early in the morning when the dew is on, for the health and comfort of young ducks. They must also be protected from spring rains, and this the duck mother does not believe in, as a duck enjoys a good shower next to a pond. When young they must be watched, for if they by any accident get upon their backs they are not able to get upon their feet again without some assistance. They are hearty eaters, and should be fed early and often. Do not neglect them till late in the morning; they should be fed as early as possible. After they start to feather they grow very rapidly, and mature earlier than chickens. They can be picked two or three times during the summer, and on this account are more profitable to raise than chickens, and are really less trouble to raise. They should have plenty of water to drink, placed so that they can have access to it whenever they want it, and if sheltered from the hard spring rains and early dews until they fairly begin to feather they will require very little attention.

For the table they are far nicer than chickens; in fact, a brace of well-fattened ducks roasted nicely and prepared for the table are as good an article to satisfy the hungry man as anything I have tried.—*Cor. Western Rural.*

Snow-Shoes Worn by Horses.

Last Monday, on the line of snow-shoe travel between Del Norte and Summitville, a feat was performed probably never actually accomplished before in the West, or anywhere. The first heavy snow of the past season that blockaded the road between Baker's Station and Summitville caught a span of horses in Summitville, which could not be brought out through the heavy snow. These horses were the property of Mr. Brockman, a freighter, and remained in the camp until last Monday, when they were started for the outside world on snow-shoes. The shoes were made of wood, two inches thick, eight inches wide and eighteen inches long, and were fastened to the horses' feet by means of wires and straps. The fact that a horse steps almost in the same place with its hind feet that it does with its fore feet seemed to render such an experiment out of the question. The shoes were fastened on, however, and after a few days of practice in Summitville the horses learned the modus operandi of the scheme, and on Monday Mr. Brockman rode one horse out over from 50 to 100 feet of snow, while the second horse pulled a sled loaded with provisions over the same course.—*Del Norte Prospector.*

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Battle Creek ladies will give an art and industrial exhibition, beginning June 10. They will endeavor to make it permanent.

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The 15th annual Convention of Detroit Diocese of the Episcopal Church convenes in Flint June 4.

A lady died recently in one of our large cities who is said to have danced with LaFayette. The great General must have devoted most of his time to the art, as this adds one more to the 50,000 reported to have danced with him. It requires a vivid imagination to believe this, but none at all to believe the assertion that ten tin es that number of ladies have used DeLand's Soda and Salaratus, and always with one result. Success in every particular.

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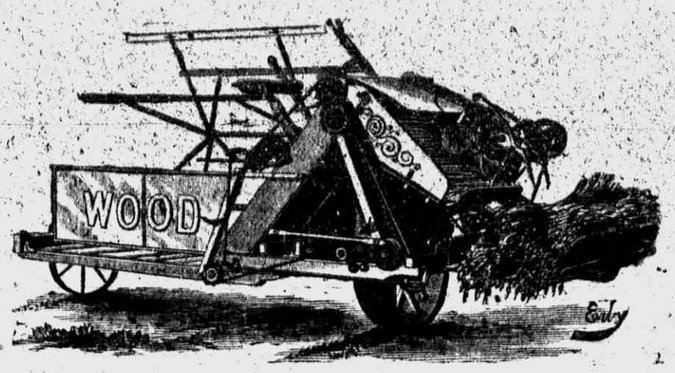

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THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending May 27, 1884:

Estate of Gardner Myers, deceased; order of continuance until May 28, 1884, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased, after taking testimony, an order of continuance was entered until June 18, 1884, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Charles G. Kurtz, deceased; petition for administrator hearing June 24, 1884.

Estate of William Waring, deceased; oath before sale of real estate filed.

Estate of Philip Robinson, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Lorenzo Tabor, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Oren Knowlan, an alleged incompetent person; petition for guardian; hearing June 10, 1884.

Estate of Simeon Tubbs, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Benjamin C. Clark, minor; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of James Osborne, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report filed; affidavit of publication; account allowed.

Estate of Thomas Collins, deceased; [illegible]

Estate of Lucy White, et al., minors; guardian's first account filed; order of allowance.

Estate of Lauren W. Ripley, et al., minors; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of John P. Silvers, deceased; affidavit of publication; account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Samuel Arner, Minor; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John Capp, deceased; affidavit of publication, license to sell real estate; oath before sale; bond on sale.

Estate of John McCollum, deceased; petition for assignment of real estate; order of assignment.

Estate of James H. Sweeney, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until June 23, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Sally M. Herriman, deceased; affidavit of publication; proof, will and probate; bond filed; letters issued; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Noah B. Luke, deceased; affidavit of publication; account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Hugh Ludlow, deceased; affidavit of publication; account allowed; receipts; discharge.

Estate of Samuel J. Bailey, deceased; affidavit of publication; account allowed; receipt; discharge.

Estate of George B. Woodworth, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administratrix; bond $4,000.

Estate of Charles H. Allen, minor; guardian files bond; letters issued.

Estate of Fred. F. Bixby, minor; affidavit of publication, license to sell real estate.

Estate of Henry Kipp, deceased; executrix files bond; letters issued; order allowing time to pay debts.

Estate of John Thompson, an incompetent person; guardian's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, }
Council Room, June 2d, 1884. }

At this regular session Council convened at the regular hour.

Present the entire council.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Committee on finance ask to report later in the evening.

Committee on streets report by the petition asking for a sidewalk upon Ottawa street, and recommend that the said petition be refused, as the majority of taxpayers in that locality did not favor the same. Report accepted and adopted.

Fire Committee report that they had examined the complaint of Dr. Jenkins regarding the storage of gasoline in the vicinity of his premises and according to their judgment there was no grounds for complaint. Upon motion the matter was referred back to the committee for further investigation.

The following bills were reported and referred to the committee on finance.

W. C. Jordan	50 00
E. McWilliams	6 42
E. Slater	2 [illegible]
John Gough	1 50
R. Darrow	5 10
R. Magill	2 [illegible]
Wm. Norcross	2 [illegible]
Wm. Buzzel	11 [illegible]
Wm. Brown	13 50
W. Ide	14 20
D. Hubbard	[illegible]
W. H. Ames	7 10
Morgan Ames	1 [illegible]
Byron Snell	[illegible]
Syd Powell	1 10
J. Gray	10 [illegible]
D. Hamilton	11 [illegible]
M. Preston	13 54
A. James	11 00
H. Keyser	26 00
E. A. Tribon	35 [illegible]
S. C. Stacy	[illegible]

Finance committee recommend the payment of the following

E. Slater, for labor	[illegible]
John Gough	1 [illegible]
Robert Darrow	5 40
R. Magill	2 25
N. Norcross	2 70
W. Buzzle	11 [illegible]
C. Moody	6 [illegible]
D. Frost	6 00
A. Packard	11 10
W. Brown	[illegible]
A. C. Jordan	31 00
W. Ide, team labor	16 20
D. Hubbard "	13 80
W. Ames "	7 40
M. Ames "	12 30
Byron Snell "	4 75
Syd Powell "	11 10
James Orcle "	11 10
D. Hamilton "	11 10
M. Preston, for oats	12 54

Warrants ordered drawn and bills paid.

Marshal reported that the streets that were reported injured had been repaired. Marshal also reported that the saloon of Geo. Keyser was open after hours. Also a light in a room in the Sutfin building. Upon motion the matter was refered to the village attorney with instructions to prosecute the said saloonist if possible.

The Street committee report progress in the matter of the M. & O. R. R.

The Finance committee recommend the levying of a tax of 8½ mills on the dollar for the ensuing year. The same was adopted and the Recorder instructed to spread the tax.

Chairman Bresie of the Cemetery reports necessary repairs at the cemetery and the committee was instructed to make the same.

Moved that the Council adjourn.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending May 27th.

CLINTON.

Wm. T. Silvers to Jas. M. Silvers. Land on secs 8 and 9. $16,000.

MACON.

M. A. Davenport to John Gibson. Land on sec. 2. $2,000.

TECUMSEH.

J. D. Sholes to Ena C. Moir. Part of lots 17 and 18. $200.

J. F. Neithammer to John Lowry. Lot 14, blk 3, McCollum's add. $300.

Geo. Tansley to J. W. Patterson. Land in vil. $200.

WOODSTOCK.

J. H. Rogers to A. L. Pelham. Land on sec 6. $1,800.

John Claney to Jas. Swartout. Land on sec 4. $300.

Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Adrian, wishes to announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she will open a full line of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and a great variety of Millinery, also a large assortment of Hair Goods, on Wednesday afternoon of each week at the Lilley House, Sample Room, No. 22. Ladies' entrance, R. R. street. Hats made over and pressed in all the new shapes. Give her a call.

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—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

Vennor has got through fooling at last and has settled down on a warm weather program.

MARRIED.

WRIGHT—CRAIG.—In Tecumseh, Wednesday, June 4, 1884, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Frederick C. Wright and Miss Lizzie C. Craig, both of Milan.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining unclaimed for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, June 1, 1884:

Brown, Mrs. L.	McAlman, Mathew
Spragg, Hattie	Tenant, Lina
Kopsa, Minnie 2	Watts, J. R.
Lockwood, Nora	Williams, T. C.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., June 1, 1884.

Baker, J. W.	Mullin, Thomas
Balch, Mrs. Clara	Pitts, Levi
Cook, Samuel	Richert, Geo.
French, Mr. Jessie	Schiller, Mrs. Julia
Hurlbut, Howard	Schultzer, Anton
Lawa, Wm.	Wakefield, Benjamin
McIntyre, Jas., Wm. or Anna	Wiber, Minnie
	Zerna, William

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P.M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples ℔ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples—dried ℔ lb		@	[illegible]
Butter ℔ lb	14	@	15
Lard ℔ lb	5	@	6
Beans ℔ bushel	1 70	@	1 [illegible]
Buckwheat ℔ bushel	75	@	[illegible]
Buckwheat flour ℔ barrel		@	[illegible]
Beef—dressed ℔ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins ℔ lb	8	@	10
Corn in ear	50	@	55
Corn—shelled ℔ bushel	58	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 30
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs ℔ doz		@	14
Flour ℔ barrel	5 25	@	6 75
Hogs—dressed ℔ wt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live ℔ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay ℔ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ℔ lb		@	15
Ham ℔ lb		@	14
Lard ℔ lb		@	12
Oats ℔ bushel	23	@	25
Onions ℔ bushel		@	60
Potatoes ℔ bushel	25	@	30
Salt ℔ barrel		@	1 75
Sheep Pelts	80	@	1 00
Timothy Seed ℔ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed ℔ lb		@	10
Wood ℔ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White ℔ bushel		@	1 00
Wheat, Red ℔ bushel	[illegible]	@	1 00

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Seelye & Munger is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued at the old stand by Mr. Munger, who assumes the payment of the firm's debts. All accounts due the firm will be collected by Mr. Swick.

TECUMSEH, May 26, 1884.

P. B. SWICK.
J. A. MUNGER.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

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ESTATE OF JOHN HENRY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 4th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry, late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Sophie Henry, the widow of said deceased praying for the allowance and probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to said petitioner, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of June, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. R. Briggs, Probate Register. j1m5

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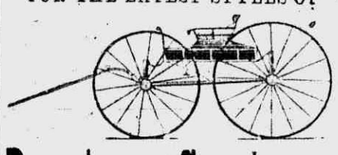

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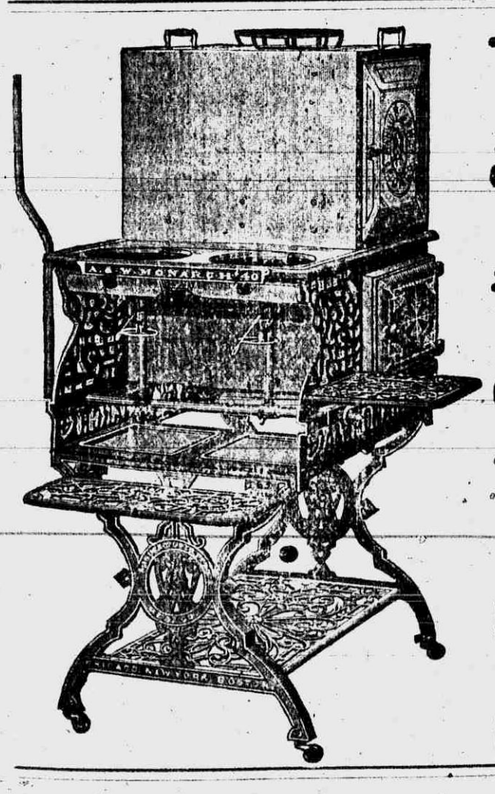

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Whitney's family tent was crowded with the pleased everybody, and another one is coming.

J. D. Sheridan & Co., deem that dull times exact double energy; and accordingly have opened a branch store at Addison this week.

Most of our business men complain that trade is either dull or spasmodic; and farmers say butter is too cheap to be worth the making or eating, yet it takes the usual amount of forethought and work to conduct the first on a narrow guaged track, or procure bread to accompany the other.

More mental anguish is caused by diminutive figures than by decrease of quantity; and people wear poverty-pinned pockets, more because their magnifying glass of inflation has got shivered, than for reasonable reasons.

To a working woman the Panic picture will look gloomy or bright, according to the heart, light she hangs it up in. Some men say we have got to retrench if we expect to escape ruin; produce don't bring anything. That means, their wives can wear last year's hats and the children get along some how, if they wish to lighten the burden that lends the arch too much to manly shoulders. That certainly would leave extra change enough to pay for cigars, and most forms of retrenchment end in smoke. Taken as a class, women of energy don't take kindly to retrenchment because things are cheap. May be its because they don't have leisure to sit on the fence and examine the panic with smoked glass. Butter is as much a necessity at ten cents a pound as at forty, and sugar is sweet whether six cents or twice as much. Neither is a new hat less coveted or becoming because it is only half the price paid last year. True, the price paid for work, or profits of trade are less in figures, but they buy the same quantity. The country is full of goods and produce. To shrink all the comforts of home, and the happiness of a whole summer till it will not fit into the acorn cup of discontent only because commercial values are not written with larger numerals, will never attain popularity enough among women, to convert one from good sense to silly repining.

The average, noted by high figures, may be, and often is as disproportionate as lower rates; but why women should be expected to retrench expenses; because labor, produce, or everything given in exchange for either is cheap, is a puzzle of stinginess not worth fussing with.

RURAL RAISIN.

EDITOR HERALD:

Holloway is the name of a station on the Wabash R. R., and is situated in the township of Raisin, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan.

At certain seasons of the year a considerable amount of stock is shipped from this station, and occasionally a a car load of of wheat. All passenger trains stop when the flag is hung out or when some one wants to get off.

There are about a dozen dwelling houses in Holloway, a store, a blacksmith shop and a foundry. As yet the place contains neither church, school house nor hotel.

This hamlet is at present rather young and diminutive, but its prospects for the future are wonderful.

There is another small place situated at the junction of the M. & O. R.R. with the Ridge Road, called Ridgeway.

This is an old place and in point of population much larger than Holloway, and also possesses greater advantages in the way of schools and churches.

Now these two places, Holloway and Ridgeway, are about four miles apart, and as the houses in both cover only a small area of territory, there is of course between them a space occupied by neither. This space is called Country. Some of the country is in Raisin township and some of it is in Ridgeway township.

Villages or hamlets would thrive but poorly were it not for the country around them, and the future prospects of Holloway and Ridgeway are very much enhanced by their being surrounded by a splendid farming country.

Some time in the far distant future these two small places may become large cities and cover all the fine farms lying between them, but there is yet some country not occupied.

The Raisin Presbyterian church and cemetery are both in the country; they are both known, and the organizations chartered by the above names. Your Ridgeway correspondent talks about the Holloway cemetery, and your Holloway correspondent speaks about the Holloway church as the church at Holloway.

There are many hallowed associations connected with the Raisin Presbyterian church, and the remains of many of the pioneers who made Raisin what it now is, are resting in that pleasant spot called Raisin cemetery. Fifty years ago the church was founded and named. Fifty years ago the ground occupied by the cemetery was set apart for its sacred use.

Render to Holloway the things that belong to Holloway, and to Ridgeway the things that belong to Ridgeway, but please allow some of us who live in East Raisin to worship God in the church of our fathers, the old Presbyterian church, and may we not, after we have served our time here, be "laid at rest" in the Raisin cemetery.

IXION.

ONSTED ODDS.

Frank Sheeler raised a large barn last Saturday.

William Wimple had a horse injured by being hooked by cattle a few days since.

A new barn yard fence adds much to the appearance of Henry Read's place.

The carpenters finished at Dr. Rosses house last Saturday. The lathers are there at work now.

Houses are in good demand here at present. Wm. Knapp moved into Wm. Onsted's new house on Monday last.

Harris & Evans have moved into their new barn where they will live while building their new house.

The township board of Cambridge township met on the 9th inst. and appointed Dr. J. Vaughan, health officer for the ensuing year.

Children's Day was observed at the church last Sabbath. The church was nicely trimmed and the exercises good. Missionary Concert same evening. Both were well attended.

Our neighbor, C. L. Vaughan of Springville, attended the Republican Convention at Chicago last week. He is reported to have said that he wanted to be on hand when they brought on the dark horses. We are sorry not to have an opportunity to vote for our townsman for President.

TIPTON TATTLE.

Having finished their daily labors on the M. & O. R. R., about thirty of the fence builders have taken the trouble of late to present in person their superabundant compliments to the citizens hereabouts irrespective of age, color, or former condition of servitude, and while they have been short in their evening visits and not particularly uncivil in their outward showings, for many of them were quite orderly and even good looking withal, yet we could but wish that the vocabulary from which they lifted a large share of their verbs, nouns and adjectives might be revised corrected and improved.

The "Children's Day" was well observed by the sunday school at the M. E. church last Sabbath. The sweet profusion of floral decoration and the delicate wreaths of evergreens were exquisitely beautiful, reminding one of Bunyan's delectable mountains and the bowery walks of paradise, and although the day was intensely hot and the house crowded, yet the exercises were exceedingly interesting and decidedly successful. The finest specimens of elocution among young people we have ever met are here.

Alice Seaman, after long and toward the last very severe suffering, died on the 7th inst. of inflammation in the region of the heart. Aged 25 years. The funeral services being held at the house on the 8th, by Elder Whitney, after which her remains were conveyed to the cemetery at Tipton to sleep the years away in dreamless repose.

Mrs. Pitcher lost a valuable and her only cow, last Saturday, which became suddenly ill and fell dead in the street.

Mrs. Isaac Smith has just returned home in good health after having spent spent the winter with her son at Evart.

RIDGEWAY RACKET

The heavy rain which came Monday night was much needed and did much good.

Wm. Riggs has moved to his new house east of the blacksmithing shop. He can now easily be found for business night or day.

Mrs. Laura Cheever has purchased the vacant lot of G. W. Jackson on which she will build a dwelling this summer.

Lewis Priest has returned to this town and will open up business with Purdy Haight. This arrangement ought to give us a first class shoe shop.

On account of the temperance meeting at the Christian church on Friday evening, this week, the church social has been adjourned one week. Rev. J. L. Hudson of Morenci addresses the temperance meeting and a large number from this way desire to attend.

Abe Hanford has been making valuable improvements about his new home—the John Waring place. Those in his road district put him in path master and the result is the turnpiking of the road nearly the whole mile, really more than has been done in several years past.

News of the drowning of Arthur E. Kalder near his home in Hillsdale Co. reached us Monday evening. Mr. Kalder taught the winter term of school here and made many friends especially among the young people. He was instrumental in starting the literary of which he was made president and its success was in a great degree due to his exertion and management. He was a young man of unusual promise and his untimely death seems very sad indeed.

"Just remember what I tell you. James G. Blaine will not be the next president of the United States". Geo. D. Arner. Ridgeway, Mich.

The Union party movement seems destined to take, in this locality, beyond the expectation of its most sanguine adherents. It is certain that the liquor traffic fears political organization, against them, more than any thing else and it is now believed by a great many that the nation will never prohibit the business until it is accomplished through a new party movement.

It may be of interest to some at least to know that G. W. Jackson has discovered a medicine that throws mineral water so far in the shade that it is of very little value compared with it. There is one objection to this new drug however; instead of enabling him to attend prayer meeting as did the mineral water, it is feared he will have to absent himself for a time at least, but his friends are anxiously waiting the result hoping for a complete recovery from the delicate state of health which he is now in.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Ed. Clark was home from Jackson the first of the week.

The citizens and band are making great preparations for the celebration of the 4th.

The telephone connection between this place and Detroit is practically useless: at least it is never in good working order.

Rev. Joseph St. John returned from the Diocesan Convention, which was held at Flint last Wednesday, and reports a very pleasant time.

Alonzo Clark went to Chicago for a few days last Saturday.

Mrs. E. W. Miller returned from her trip in the Northern part of the State last Monday.

Rev. Mr. Fisk of Nashville, Tenn., who was expected to preach in the Baptist Church last Sunday, failed to appear, and the Baptist people held no meeting in their church.

D. Woodward has a new sulky plow that is attracting the attention of farmers. The plow is forward of the driver.

A tile sluce-way has been put in the crossing on the street by the Congregational church.

A delegation of Masons from this town will visit their Milan brethren this Thursday evening.

A colored gentleman by the name of Lee was arrested on our streets Wednesday morning for vagrancy and drunkenness, fined $2.00 and costs by Justice Brown, and advised to make himself scarce. He went.

Once more the small boy gazes with rapture at the pretty pictures on the bill-boards and buildings, and this time the circus will hold forth in this town. Next Monday the date and Donaldson's the circus.

It is rumored that orange blossoms will very soon bloom in this community.

E. R. Smith's house on his farm at the school section, is progressing rapidly. It will be one of the model farm houses of this county when completed.

Married—At the residence of G. W. Wilson in this township, last Thursday, by the Rev. J. M. Kerridge. Miss Jennie Smith of this place and Mr. A. Sigler of Adrian.

Donaldson's circus will Sunday in this town.

Rev. J. W. Payne, who has been sojourning a few days at Morenci, will occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday, both morning and evening.

Carl Burton returned from Chicago last Tuesday morning and expects to remain here until Haverley's theater opens in the fall.

Dr. J. W. Burchard has a new safe. The country newspaper reporting business must be improving.

A pleasant time is reported at the Congregational church social held at the residence of Mr. Charles Green last Wednesday night.

Dr. Burchard has on exhibition at his store a very fine general operating case of instruments.

Willard Van Tuyle is in the bank during the absence of Mr. Clark at Chicago.

Dr. Burchard is extensively remodeling his residence.

Rev. J. L. Hudson, formerly of this place, now of Morenci, will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening and at Macon in the afternoon.

The executive committee have been trying to secure Rev. C. T. Allen to orate here the 4th.

The delegates from this town to the county democratic convention were J. W. Bradner, R. B. Mills, George Goodrich and Richard Gillespie.

William Silvers returned from Kansas last week. He seems to be quite favorably impressed with that country. He says that vegitation is far in advance of our own state, and that wheat instead of being less, will be more than an average crop. Kansas has already become famed for the quality and quantity of her corn crop and the climate is pleasant and healthful. Mr. Silvers returns from that country fully impressed with the idea that the west and more especially the plains of Kansas, is the place for young and ambitious men.

At a meeting of the citizens with the band last Monday evening the following officers and committees were appointed to make necessary arrangements for the celebration the 4th. President of the day, David Brooks; Marshall, J. B. Hause; Executive Com. Don Palmer, Bell Mills, David Haggart Jr., A. B. Van de Mark, D. H. Davis; Printing, Leb Pomeroy, Chas. Keyser; George Van Tuyle; Music, S. O. VanDeMark, Charley Clark; Grounds, George Haggart; Bell Mills, Will Muir; Amusements, Dr. J. W. Burchard, Will Muir, George Sherwood; Fire Works, D. H. Davis, H. D. Cutting, Will Wood. The committes are all hard at work and intend to make this year's celebration the greatest in attractions ever held here.

Children's day services were held by two churches here in town, the Methodist and Congregational. Both of these churches were most beautifully decorated and filled with ferns and flowers, and two sermons appropriate for the occasion were delivered in the morning. One pretty feature was the presence of 10 or 12 bird cages in each church. The little songsters in the midst of their new surroundings seemed to think themselves in their native paradise, and filled the air with summer song. The evening services were devoted entirely to music.

A special communication of Clinton Lodge No. 175, F. & A. M. will be held Saturday, June 21st. Work in the third degree. Brothers visiting us will have a cordial welcome. By order of W. M. D. KEYES, SEC.

Clinton Lodge No. 175, F. & A. M., will hold their usual June Festival the 24th inst. Also at 5 o'clock P. M. sharp on the said 24th inst., they will march to the cemetery and decorate the graves of all deceased Masons. Visiting brothers are requested to join with us and as many of the citizens as see fit are cordially invited to join in the procession, which will form on Chicago st. in front of Masonic Hall in the following order: Clinton Band, Masons with white gloves and aprons, Citizens. By order of Clinton Lodge No. 175, F. & A. M. D. KEYES, SEC.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The convention was held at Adrian last Saturday with a good attendance. Resolutions endorsing Tilden and Col. Eldridge were adopted and delegates were chosen to the coming State convention of June 18th, the convention to nominate state officers, and to the congressional convention.

The following County Committee were chosen:

First ward—F. T. Clark.
Second ward—C. E. Churchill.
Third ward—W. C. Hulett.
Fourth Ward—Andrew Schleiman.
Adrian—J. E. Baker.
Blissfield—H. D. Hathaway.
Clinton—J. F. McCollum.
Cambridge—H. R. Case.
Dover—Chas. W. Gilbert.
Fairfield—N. B. Pierce.
Franklin—A. K. Jenkins.
Hudson—Orrin Pierce.
Medina—Edwin Haff.
Ogden—Seth W. Pall.
Palmyra—Chas. R. Kuber.
Ridgeway—J. A. Santus.
Raisin—R. M. Boyd.
Rollin—H. W. Howe.
Seneca—H. S. Wyman.
Tecumseh—Alfred James.
Madison—John Livesay
Rome—F. D. Teachout.
Woodstock—A. M. Sickley.

D. A. Bixby was elected chairman of the committee.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 12, 1884.

JUNE.

Apple-blossoms in the orchard,
Singing-birds on every tree;
Grass a-growing in the meadows
Just as green as green can be;

Violets in shady places—
Sweetest flowers ever seen!—
Roots of starry dandelions—
"Drops of gold among the green!"

Pale arbutus, fairy wind-flowers,
Innocents in smiling floods;
Cowslips with the hollows,
Columbines among the rocks.

Dripping streams, delicious mosses,
Tassels on the maple-trees,
Drowsy insects humming, humming,
Golden butterflies and bees.

Daffodils in gardens no dews,
Fiery tulips flushed with dew;
Crocus-flowers and through the greenness
Show—peeping out at you!

—Harriet E. Wilson, in St. Nicholas.

BURIED ALIVE.

Of all the horrible and appalling calamities that can befall mortal man, we can imagine none more ghastly than that of being buried alive, and well authenticated records have placed beyond a doubt that it has occasionally happened. The case of the lady whose ring, cut from her finger by midnight violators of her tomb, was the means of saving her from a dreadful fate, has been often told. Her son, the eminent Dr L——, born many years after his mother had been buried, was the physician and friend of the family of the writer, one of whose earliest recollections is the hearing the story from the lips of an aged relative, while forming one of a group of small listeners gathered round and hanging with bated breath on the narration. Children love to have the same stories told over and over again in the same words. They like to know what is coming—to watch with thrills of expectation for each detail. And these details, graphically given by one who had them from the very actors in the scene, were weird and vivid. The vault at midnight—the cutting off of the finger—the ghastly terror of the ruffians, when the dead woman sat up in her coffin and blood began to flow—the familiar knock coming to the house-door in the dead of night, heard by terrified maids, who, thinking their mistress's ghost was there, buried their faces, trembling, in their pillows. The bereaved husband lying sleepless in his grief, heard it, too, and started at the sound. "If my dear wife were not gone," he thought, "I should say that was her knock," and when, more faintly it again smote his ear, rising at last and going to the door, he was confronted with the resuscitated woman. All this was listened to with an interest intensified by the fact of its being true.

A curious coincidence respecting this event is that an exactly similar story is recorded in the annals of the family of the Earls of Mount-Edgcumbe. In them we read that the mother of Richard Edgcumbe, created first Baron in 1742, being at the time young and childless, died, apparently, at their seat, Cothele, near Plymouth. She was buried with a valuable ring on her finger, and the cutting this off by violators of the tomb, as in the case of Mrs. L——, restored her to consciousness. Five years afterwards she gave birth to a son.

In the year 1868 a remarkable instance of burying alive occurred at Cambray, in France. M. Marbois, a farmer residing at Sisoy, in that neighborhood, had reared a large family, and acquired by his industry and good conduct wealth and consideration, so that he was chosen churchwarden of his parish, and appointed Deputy-Mayor. He had lived in harmony with his family until the subject of a marriage his eldest son wished to contract became the cause of a quarrel, and brought on fierce disputes between him and his children. Marbois was a man of violent passions, opposition made him frantic; and on one occasion, when the dispute ran higher than usual, he became so infuriated that he rose up and pronounced a fearful malediction upon his family. No sooner had the words passed his lips than his whole frame suddenly collapsed, his face grew livid, his eyes fixed, his limbs stiffened, and he fell to the ground. Medical aid was called in, but all pulsation had ceased. Soon the body became cold, and his death was decidedly pronounced—the cause, a stoppage of the heart's action produced by violent excitement. This occurred on the 13th of January, and on the 16th the interment took place. There had been a severe frost, and the extreme hardness of the ground prevented the grave from being properly dug. It was therefore left shallow, with the intention of deepening it when the thaw should come. By the 23d the ground became sufficiently softened, and men were set to work to raise the body and finish the grave. On lifting the coffin they fancied that they heard a sigh, and on listening attentively they found the sounds of life repeated. Breaking open the coffin, and perceiving that faint actions of pulsation and respiration were going on to a certain extent, the men hurried off with the body to the house of the parish doctor, by whose efforts Marbois was at last restored to consciousness.

When the resuscitated man was able to recall what had taken place, he became overwhelmed with contrition, regarding the fate from which he so narrowly escaped as the deserved punishment of his sin. He sent for the clergyman of Sisoy, whom he entreated to mediate with his children, expressing anxiety to make peace with them and to recall his malediction. The result was a return to mutual understanding and the re-establishment of harmony in the household.

The distinguished physician Sir Henry Marsh used to describe an event which occurred at the beginning of his medical career, many years before he had reached the eminence to which he afterwards attained. He was called in by the family doctor—a country practitioner—to attend upon Colonel H——, struck down suddenly by apoplexy. The fit was a severe one. All efforts to save the sick man proved unavailing; he never rallied, and at the end of a few days, to all appearance breathed his last. On the morning of the funeral the two medical attendants deemed it right, as a last attention, to go and take leave of the remains of their patient before the coffin was screwed down. The family doctor, a jovial florid personage, on whom professional cares sat lightly, had been a friend, and oft-times boon-companion, of the deceased. A bottle of port and glasses stood on a table near the coffin.

"Ah, my poor friend," he said, pouring out a bumper and tossing it off; this was his favorite drink. Rare wine, too. He knew what was good, and never spared it. Many a generous glass we have had together. I'll drink another to his memory," he cried; and another and another followed, until the wine rapidly gulped down, and at so unwonted an hour, began to tell upon the man, and make his eyes glisten and his speech grow thick.

"Why should you not pledge me now for the last time?" exclaimed the excited doctor, while he approached the corpse, and, to Sir Henry's inexpressible disgust at such revolting levity, pressed the glass to the pale lips. The contents went down the Colonel's throat!

Sir Henry stood amazed; his eyes, which he was turning away from the unbecoming spectacle, were riveted on the corpse.

The jovial doctor, sobered in a moment, staggered back. "Can a dead man drink?" he cried.

"Give him more—more!" exclaimed Sir Henry, recovering his presence of mind and seizing the bottle.

A tinge so light that only a medical eye could have detected it, began faintly to suffuse the white face. The doctor tore away the shroud and placed his hand upon the heart. There was no movement, but they lifted the body out of the coffin and proceeded to adopt the measures proper for resuscitation.

Meanwhile, the hearse stood at the door; the funeral guests were assembling outside—carriages arriving, while within, all was commotion and suspense—servants hurrying to and fro fetching hot bricks, stimulants, restoratives, in obedience to the doctors' commands; the latter plying every means skill could devise to keep the flickering spark of life from dying out, and the startled family, half paralyzed by the sudden revulsion, standing around, gathered in anxious, silent groups.

Breathlessly they watched for tidings. For a long time the result seemed doubtful—doubtful whether the hearse before the door, the gaping coffin, the grave-clothes lying scattered about and trampled under foot, all the grim paraphernalia of death, hastily discarded in the first wild moment of hope—might not yet be needed to fulfill their mournful office. But no! Breath, pulsation, consciousness, were slowly returning.

Colonel H—— was given back to his family and home, filling again the place that it was thought would know him no more. And not until five-and-twenty years had passed away after that memorable morning, were his friends summoned—this time to pay him the last tribute.

A young officer returned from China related, apropos of burying alive, the following experience:

"On our passage home," he said, "we had in the transport, besides our own troops, a large draft of French soldiers. Disease soon broke out among the closely packed men, and deaths were of daily occurrence. The French dealt summarily with their dead. As soon as a poor fellow had breathed his last, he was stripped, a twenty-pound shot tied to his heels, and his body thrust through a porthole into the sea. John Bull's prejudices rebelled against such rapid proceedings. When we lost any of our comrades, they were allowed to lie for twelve hours covered with the Union-jack, and the burial service was read over them before they were committed to the deep. One day, a French Sergeant, who had just fallen a victim to the pestilence, was brought up on deck in the sheet in which he had died, to be thrown overboard. The twenty-pound shot had been fastened to his feet and the sheet removed, when, in pushing him through the port-hole, he was caught by a protruding hook or nail at the side, and stuck fast. A few more vigorous thrusts sent the body further through, and in so doing, the flesh was torn by the hook, and blood began to flow. The attention of the bystanders was attracted to this; and, moreover, they fancied that they saw about the corpse other startling symptoms. "The man's alive!" flew from mouth to mouth. In an instant, willing hands were pressing eagerly to the rescue, and before the body could touch the water, it was caught and brought up on deck.

"The French sergeant was one of the soundest men on board the transport-ship when we landed."—*Chambers' Journal.*

Teaching Economy to Children.

A simple rule which has worked wonders financially, and is in many other respects of value, and worthy of the attention of mothers, is this. When the children come in wild with excitement and with strong desire for some entirely unnecessary thing, which you doubt will afford the expected delight, counsel them to wait a week before deciding upon its purchase. A week is a long period of time; many changes may take place in seven days, and probably will in the minds of your children. This experiment has been thoroughly tested, and grateful children have been heard to exclaim: "How thankful I am, mother, that I didn't spend my money for that. If I hadn't waited a week my money would have all been gone," and in one remarkable instance a boy wanted a toboggan, and waited a week before purchasing it, changed his desire, and at the end of the week wished only for a pair of old-fashioned "bobs;" at the end of another week he had decided not to purchase these, but wait and get a bicycle and a pair of roller skates; and by this method of procedure has saved his money, after having enjoyed mentally the possession of one of these articles after another, though after a somewhat delusive and evasive way, and is just thinking of "saving up" for a rifle. Of course this is an extreme case. It is a rule which might be adopted by some parents also with good effect, and I fancy that a great deal of money would be found in the family treasury if each member were to try this plan for a year.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

A Symposium of Fish Stories.

"We were boring at a depth of about three hundred and forty feet on Thursday," said an artesian well-borer," who was working at George Ehret's brewery, "when we struck water. We stopped and put down that 'ar sand-pump to clean out. We hauled her up and emptied her, and one of the boys says, 'Hello! here's a fish!' It was cut up in pieces, but the fins were there and it was fresh. It must have been about a foot long."

"Have you any more fish stories like that?" asked the reporter, looking inquiringly around to each of the men.

"Well, I can beat that," said a good-natured young fellow. "I knowed a man who was borin' an oil well near Bradford, Pa., and, by gum! he drawed up a live fish over a foot long, and it lived a day or two. He was borin' at 400 feet, too."

"Another?"

"Wall, I don't know any fish story," said a powerful young man with bare arms; "but I do know sومthin' purty close to it. I was testin' soil with a lot of fellers about a year and a half ago for the ship canal through Delaware. We were about sixty miles from the coast, and durned if we didn't draw up a pile of oyster shells. They looked just like any ordinary oyster shell, and the inside was white and shiny. They were nearly 200 feet down."

"Is there another?" asked the reporter, as he turned sadly away.

"Hold on a minute," said a bushy-eyed, dust-begrimed old fellow, whose brows had been wrinkled in thought for some minutes, as he raised his head up and assumed a determined air. "I've got one far yer. I was borin' in Florence, Mass., and we had just got through a big, hard rock. We put down the pump just two hundred and twenty-one and a half feet and pulled her out. When we emptied her there were two lizards crawlin' about in the dirt about six inches long. One was black, an' t'other had thirty-eight black and yellow spots. This is a solum' truth. We giv' the lizards to Amherst College, and they've got 'em there yet, preserved in two bottles."

"Can't you beat that?" asked the reporter, turning to the last of the party, a little, gray-bearded man, with small, twinkling eyes.

"Well, I'm an old borer," he answered. "Been borin' nigh on to thirty years, and I reckon I can beat that if anybody kin." The rest of the party grew interested, and looked impatient as the old fellow took out a huge plug of tobacco and gnawed off a generous mouthful. "It was about (spurt) twenty-five years ago. I was borin' (spurt) in Pennsylvany. We had got down to (spurt) almos' one thousand feet, when all of a suddin the drill began to go nice and easy. It was about time to clean out, so we let down the pump and drew her up slowly. She was purty light. Well, she came up, and we took her out keerfully and held her over a trough, and what d'ye think we found in her?"

"O, go on," shouted the others, excitedly.

"Just what we expected. A pile o' dirt and water."—*N. Y. Times.*

The Crime of Suicide.

Under modern statutes it is no longer customary to bury the body of a felo de se with a stake through it, but it is law that if one be an accessory to a suicide he may be convicted of murder. The law has long been settled in England, and there have been numerous trials under it. One of them in London is of a romantic character, where the prisoner was convicted, but was recommended for a pardon. The prisoner was indicted for the murder of a woman by drowning her. It appeared that the prisoner had lived with the deceased for several months previous to her death; they were in a state of extreme distress, and being unable to pay for their lodgings, they quitted them in the evening of the night on which deceased was drowned, and had no place of shelter. They passed the evening together at the theater, and afterwards went to Westminster bridge to drown themselves in the Thames; they got into a boat, the water where the first boat was moored not being of sufficient depth to drown them. They talked together for some time in the boat into which they had got, the prisoner standing with one foot on the edge of the boat, and the woman leaning upon him. The prisoner found himself in the water; but whether by actual throwing himself in, or by accident, did not appear. He struggled to get back into the boat again, and then found that the woman was gone; he then endeavored to save her, but could not get to her, and she was drowned. In his statement before the magistrate he said that he intended to drown himself but dissuaded the woman from following his example. The Judge told the jury that if they believed the prisoner only intended to drown himself, and not that the woman should die with him, they should acquit the prisoner; but that if both went to the water for the purpose of drowning themselves together, each encouraged the other in the commission of a felonious act, and the survivor was guilty of murder. He also told the jury that, although the indictment charged the prisoner with throwing the deceased into the water, yet if he were present at the time she threw herself in, and consented to her doing it, the act of throwing was to be considered as the act of both, and so the case was reached by the indictment. The jury stated that they were of opinion that both the prisoner and the deceased went to the water for the purpose of drowning themselves, and the prisoner was convicted. But the Judge thought it right to submit the direction to the consideration of the Judges. After considering the case, the Judges were clear that if the deceased threw herself into the water by the encouragement of the prisoner, and because she thought he had set her the example in pursuance of their previous agreement, he was a principal in the second degree, and was guilty of murder; but as it was doubtful whether the deceased did not fall in by accident, it was not murder in either of them, and the prisoner was recommended for a pardon.—*Every Other Saturday.*

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(*Continued from last week.*)

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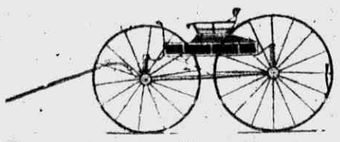

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 12, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

THE House on the 4th passed the Oregon central land grant forfeiture bill by a vote of 130 yeas to 26 nays. The Senate amendments to the bill establishing a bureau of labor statistics were nonconcurred in. Mr. Hopkins, from the Conference on Public Buildings, submitted a report on the charges of corruption or collusion in regard to the selection of a site for the public building in Brooklyn, N. Y., that there had not been produced before the committee a scintilla of evidence reflecting in the slightest degree upon the integrity of the Secretary of the Treasury, the Supervising Architect, or any other officer of the Government. The report was recommitted to the Committee on Public Buildings with instructions to reopen the investigation with open doors, giving to the citizens of Brooklyn the right to examine all testimony so far taken and to examine any witnesses who may be subpœnaed—the committee to report within ten days. The House concurred in the Senate amendments to the joint resolution making an additional appropriation for the relief of flood sufferers in Louisiana. A call on the passage of the bill to forfeit the lands granted to the California and Oregon Railroad showing no quorum, the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

In the House on the 5th bills were passed authorizing the construction of bridges across the Cumberland River at Nashville, Tenn., and the Missouri River at Leavenworth, Kansas. The California and Oregon land grant bill was taken up and passed—yeas 150, nays 10. A bill releasing the Iron Mountain Railroad Company from the obligations of a land grant railroad was passed, after which the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

THE House on the 7th passed the bill forfeiting the unearned Atlantic & Pacific land grants; also bills amending the act to determine the jurisdiction of the United States Circuit Courts and to regulate the removal of cases from State to Federal Courts; authorizing the Academy of Science to receive and hold trust funds for the promotion of science. A resolution was agreed to calling on the Secretary of State for information as to the manner of the expenditure of the money appropriated to defray the expenses of the French and American Claims Commission. A petition from the Grand Army of the Potomac was presented, asking for the establishment of a National Soldiers' Home in some portion of the Gulf States. Mr. Hoblitzell, from the Committee on Reform in the Civil Service, reported adversely the bills to repeal the civil service act; laid on table. The bill repealing the pre-emption and timber laws, and amending the homestead laws was taken up, and after the adoption of one or two unimportant amendments, without further action the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

COLONEL THOMAS BUFORD, who killed Judge Elliott, was brought over from Indiana to Louisville on the 5th poverty stricken and dying. He was returned to the Central Lunatic Asylum, from which he escaped over a year ago.

LIEUTENANT RICE, quartermaster of the United States Army, walked off a train in motion near Mexico, Mo., on the 5th and was instantly killed. He was en route to Chicago for the West. He was in his night clothes when found.

PRIVATE dispatches from Oregon show that the Republicans have fifty-two of the ninety members of the Legislature. The Senate is Republican by four majority. The House is Republican by ten majority. The Republican majority on Representative in Congress is reported by the Chairman of the State Republican Committee in a telegram to Senator Dolph, at fully twenty-five hundred.

THE St. Louis municipal assembly has passed the elevated railway bill, and it is said the project will be speedily carried out. The road will run from the business center to the western limits, with branches to the northern and southern suburbs.

THE schedules in the assignment of A. W. Dimock & Co., bankers, state the liabilities at $2,932,159, nominal assets $3,438,631, and actual assets $2,550,399.

IN the contested election cases of the present Congress the House Committee on Elections has agreed to allow the following sum for expenses of those interested: Massey vs. Wise, of Virginia, $3,500 each; Chalmers vs. Manning, of Mississippi, $2,000 each; English vs. Pelle, of Indiana, $2,000 each; Wallace vs. McKinley, of Ohio, $2,000 each; Watson vs. Frederick, of Iowa, $2,000 each; Wood vs. Peters, of Kansas, $1,000 each; and Craig vs. Shelly, of Alabama, $2,000 each.

POTATO bugs are more numerous than for years in New Jersey, and are destroying potatoes and tomatoes.

A YOUNG whale was caught in the bay at Olympia, Wyoming territory, recently. It was ten feet in length.

HENRY P. ROWE will put down 450,000 bushels of shells on his oyster farm at East Haven, Conn. His losses from star fish, which recently appeared in great numbers, upon his oyster beds, are estimated at $75,000.

PREPARATIONS are being made at Brandon, in Coos County, Oregon, to destroy the sea lions, which are a great detriment to the fishing interests on the Coquille.

OVER 4,000,000,000 gallons of petroleum, valued at $60,000,000, were exported from the United States last year.

A COLLISION occured on the Auburn branch of the New York Central Road on the 6th between the north-bound passenger train and a switching train. The passenger was behind time and running at a high rate of speed, and when near Shortsville met the switch coming on the same track. The trains crushed into each other, wrecking both engines, and the baggage car of the passenger train. Engineer Samuel Bush of the passenger train, was instantly killed, and Fireman McLaughlin fatally injured. Mrs. Shorman and daughter were severely cut and bruised. The accident was due to the carelessness of Engineer Loch Wilson, of the switch engine.

MRS. LONG, of Darlington, Wis., who killed a son of a man named Whittemore, because the boy knew of the criminal intimacy of herself and Whittemore, on the 9th pleaded guilty and was sentenced to life imprisonment. Whittemore is under arrest as an accessory to the crime.

WHEN the body of Miss Hazard, of Cincinnati, was taken from the Hudson at Hastings, N. Y., the undertaker was assisted by Thomas Mooney, who said that all would have to come to that, and as for himself he did not care how soon. Thirty minutes afterward, on his way home, he was killed by a locomotive.

THE New Orleans Sugar Exchange was inaugurated and thrown open to business on the 4th.

THE Salvation Army at Cleveland, O., were arrested by the police and locked up on the night of the 6th for creating a disturbance.

IT is reported that white and black "laws are committing outrages in Beaufort County, S. C., burning houses, destroying crops and stealing stock.

COUNTERFEIT legal tender notes of the denomination of $10 are circulating in New York, several being presented at the Fifth Avenue Bank on the 6th, where they were detected and rejected. The counterfeits are of the series of 1878, and are said to be good imitations of the genuine notes.

BUSINESS failures for the seven days ended the 6th were: in the United States 199, Canada 16; total, 215.

SAMUEL JOHNSON, aged seventy-two years, was recently sentenced at Vincennes, Ind., to two years in the penitentiary for horse stealing. The prisoner is partially paralyzed.

A PROPOSITION is being considered in Boston to make Monday a school holiday instead of Saturday.

AT Defiance, O., on the 6th a woman named Annie Roush, went into the office of the Russell House, razor in hand, and attacked William Myers, night clerk, who was asleep in two chairs. She sprang upon him and cut a long gash in his throat with a razor and fled. She was subsequently arrested and lodged in jail. Myers' condition was considered critical. The woman has a questionable reputation, and a bad feeling had existed between her and Myers for some time.

JAMES COWARD, the last of the victims of Bogan Cash's pistol practice, died at Columbia, S. C., on the 5th, after three months of lingering suffering. He died from bedsores, paralysis, and sloughing. His left hip-joint became dislocated by sloughing, and the muscles and veins were visible.

THE editor of the Norwalk (Conn.) paper, whose foolish article caused a run on the local savings bank, gives notice that he will pay to depositors all interest they lost by withdrawing their money from the bank.

THE yacht Stella, of Philadelphia, collided with a draw-bridge on the Rancocas River a few miles below mount Holly, Pa., on the night of the 8th and sunk. Robert R. Coster, Jr., and Albert Anderson were drowned, but the others were rescued. The accident was caused by the bridge tender, Edward Sterling being asleep and failing to respond to the signals.

THE schooner Fanny Fern was run down on the 7th on her passage from Georges by an unknown outward bound coal steamer. Six of the crew were saved. The drowned are: Captain Jason Olsen, John Hanson, Alexander Sarinson and Benjamin Steele. All have families.

GEORGE ARMSTRONG'S livery stable and a number of dwelling houses at Bainbridge, O., were burned on the 7th. Thomas Armstrong, son of the proprietor, was burned to death trying to get the horses out.

THE Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Company has reduced its rates from Chicago and St. Louis to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington to 40 cents a message.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended June 6: Loans decrease, $7,040,300; specie increase, $270,000; legal tenders increase, $1,855,600; deposits decrease, $5,038,100; circulation increase, $6,000; reserve increase, $3,317,000. The banks held $1,339,500 in excess of legal requirements.

THE New York Grand Jury on the 7th found an indictment against John H. Eno. The indictment has two counts, charging forgery in the second and third degrees in making alterations or false entries in the books of the Second National bank. It is said a writ of extradition will be issued at once for Eno's arrest. The penalty on conviction for forgery in the second degree is ten years in the penitentiary. The Grand Jury also found an indictment for forgery in the second degree against defaulting Paying Teller Hinckley, of the West Side Bank.

FIRE on the 6th destroyed the extensive brewery of D. Lutz & Sons, Allegheny City, Pa., together with the malt-house, ice-house, stables and two dwellings. William Hoffman, an employe, was fatally injured by falling timbers. Loss $80,000; insured for $40,000.

SECRETARY CHAMBERLAIN, of the Ohio State Board of Agriculture, has issued the June crop and stock report for Ohio, based on reports received from five hundred township correspondents. Comparisons are given in percentages, and are made with full average crop or condition: Wheat—acreage ruined and planted, 4 per cent.; condition of rest, 81; area sown, 98; full actual average crop for five years, 1878 to 1882, 41,005,249 bushels; probable total for 1884, with average weather till harvest, 30,519,335 bushels, or 74 per cent. full crop. Rye—Condition, 88. Barley—Area, 78; condition, 85. Oats—Area, 97; condition, 96. Clover—Area, 93; condition, 94. Corn—Probable area, 101; per cent. already planted, 92. Potatoes—Probable area, 95; per cent. already planted, 86. Pastures—Condition, 96. Meadows—Condition, 95. Some damage by frost to corn, potatoes, grape and tender vegetables is reported in fifty-seven out of eighty-eight counties, though probably not very serious. Wheat is thought to be injured. The weather is, on the whole, favorable to crops.

THE Director of the Mint in his annual report on the production of precious metals places the total production during the calendar year of 1883, as follows: Gold $30,000,000, and silver at its coinage rate, $46,000,000. Arizona produced $950,000 gold and $6,200,000 silver; California $14,120,000 gold, $1,460,000 silver; Colorado, $4,100,000 gold, $17,300,000 silver; Dakota $5,200,000 gold, $550,000 silver; Idaho, $1,400,000 gold, $2,000,000 silver; Montana, $1,800,000 gold, $6,000,000 silver; Nevada, $2,520,000 gold, $5,400,000 silver; New Mexico, $28,000 gold, $2,545,000 silver; Utah, $1,400,000 gold, $5,625,000 silver. The remainder was produced principally in Alaska, Oregon, Georgia and North Carolina. This is a reduction of $2,500,000 gold and $600,000 silver from the yield of 1882.

OVER two hundred depositors in the Penn Bank of Pittsburgh have filed a bill of equity against the officers and directors of that institution. The bill charges that by reason of negligence and carelessness of the officers and directors a sum more than sufficient to pay the just claims of depositors was squandered, and for the same reasons the defendants are personally liable to the full amount of the deposits. President Riddle's bail was reduced on the 7th from $100,000 to $30,000, R. S. Stevenson, representing the depositors, signed the bail bond and he was released. The depositors will now take steps to have Riddle testify against the directors in the civil suits.

THE Supreme Court of Tennessee on the 7th rendered a decision affirming the verdict of the Criminal court at Memphis in the case of the State vs. Garvin, in which the constitutionality of the act passed by the late Legislature, making keeping a gaming house a felony was being tested. Garvin was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

THE Tennessee Irish potato crop is ready for shipment.

THE United States Attorney General has authorized criminal proceedings to be commenced against John Hall, late United States Marshal for the Western District of Pennsylvania. The action of the Attorney General is based on a letter from United States District Attorney Stone, of Pittsburgh, who says Hall has not correctly reported his earnings and receipts in his emolument returns, and that he (Stone) is ready to begin criminal proceedings against him. It is said Hall has failed to account for from $200,000 to $400,000.

THE freight steamer City of Fall River went ashore in a fog on the night of the 6th on the rocks of Rose Island, near Newport, R. I., and filled with water. No lives were lost.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Democrats of the Seventh Ohio district have nominated George E. Seney for re-election to Congress, and declared in favor of the Presidential ticket of 1876.

THE Alabama Democrats in State convention on the 5th renominated, by acclamation Governor O'Neal, Secretary of State Phelan, and Treasurer Smith, M. C. Burke was nominated for Auditor.

STATE conventions were held by the Vermont, Maryland and Connecticut Democrats on the 5th. Resolutions declaring for the ticket of 1876 were adopted. The Vermont convention nominated the following for State officers: Governor, L. W. Redington; Lieutenant Governor, N. P. Bowman; Treasurer, Henry Gillett; Secretary of State, H. F. Brigham; Auditor, C. S. Noyes.

CHIEF ISPAIBECKE, of the Creek Indian Nation, was married on the 4th at Washington, D. C., to a white woman named Alma Harrover.

MISS GABRIELLE GREELEY was seriously injured by a runaway horse at Chappaqua, N. Y., on the 7th. Her right shoulder was broken and she was bruised internally.

GENERAL JAMES WATSON WEBB, the veteran journalist, died at New York on the 7th.

COLONEL E. C. ANTHONY, a prominent citizen of Muncie, Ind., and one of the wealthiest men in Eastern Indiana, died on the 8th.

MAINE votes for State officers in September, Ohio and West Virginia vote for State officers in October.

FOREIGN.

THE East London Aquarium, at Bishopsgate was destroyed by fire on the 6th. Of the collection of wild animals some were safely removed from the burning structure, others it was necessary to shoot, and some burned. Among the latter were lions, bears, jackals and monkeys. The roaring of the burning beasts was terrible. The collection of curiosities of Marwood, the notorious hangman, were consumed by the flames.

A WOMAN was arrested on the 4th at Caranda, Hungary, who confessed that she had poisoned four husbands and hundreds of women during the past two years.

IT is said that Earl Granville is preparing a note to the United States Government in relation to the collection of conspiracy funds in this country.

THE Grand Lodge of English Freemasons have unanimously adopted a manifesto declaring that the Pope's recent allegations against Freemasonry are utterly unfounded, and expressing astonishment that His Holiness should have included English Masons in the scope of his denunciations.

AT the London races on the 5th, the Manchester cup was won by Hammond's filly "Florence."

THERE is a rumor in England that the Salvation Army is about to organize a hallelujah bicycle and tricycle corps.

MORELIA, Mexico, recently celebrated her three hundred and forty-third anniversary as a city.

A FISHING schooner, commanded by Neil Shawner, with a crew of thirteen, was wrecked in Trinity Bay, N. B., recently, and all board perished.

LITTLE or no rain has fallen in Cuba the past four months.

LATER.

A PARTY of five strolling Italians were tramping toward Pittsburgh on the railroad tracks on the 5th, and when near Leetsdale, Pa., a freight train came along. Stepping off to avoid it three of them were struck by the Cleveland express coming in an opposite direction. The express was running at a high rate of speed and the victims were hurled twenty feet in the air. Two, Dominic Capri and his son Joseph, were instantly killed, and Dominic Brown fatally injured. The others escaped.

THE large round house and repair shops of the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, St. Louis, Des Moines & Northern and Des Moines & Northwestern Railroads, burned to the ground on the 8th. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. Nine engines were destroyed, also all the machinery stalls in the repair shops together with one passenger coach. The approximate loss is $125,000 with no insurance.

A LAND-SLIDE at a deep cut on the South Pennsylvania Railroad, near Sheepskin Hollow, Pa., on the 9th killed two Italians and seriously injured four others.

SNOW fell to the depth of one inch and a half at Tecumseh, Mich., on the 9th, and it was intensely cold for the season. Dispatches from other parts of Michigan say the weather was phenomenally cold and snow had fallen in many places.

A TERRIFIC rain storm visited Springfield, Vt., on the 9th damaging property to the amount of $50,000. The storm raged three hours. In some places the highways were gullied twenty-five feet deep, and some houses in the village have four feet of mud in them. A barn was blown down, killing William Parker and family and seriously injuring a woman named Bella Spaulding.

MR. BECK submitted a resolution in the Senate on the 9th directing the Judiciary Committee to report back, with its opinion, thereon, the bill referred to that committee in December, 1883, providing for the general removal of political disabilities. The Senate insisted upon its amendments to the labor statistics bill and Messrs. Aldrich, Blair and Bayard were appointed a committee of conference. Mr. Plumb, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported favorably the bill to give California native per cent. of the proceeds of the sale of public lands in that State. Mr. Vance submitted the views of the minority of the Committee on Privileges and Elections regarding the Danville investigation. The Mexican soldiers' pension bill was taken up. Mr. Hoar's amendment providing for pensions for soldiers who fought in the late war for the suppression of the rebellion," was laid on the table—yeas, 25, nays 6. Several amendments were offered and laid on the table, when further consideration of the bill went over. After executive session the Senate adjourned. In the House bills were introduced and referred to amend the act authorizing the formation of national banking associations; to repeal all internal revenue taxes on tobacco. The House went into committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor bill. Without action the committee rose, and the Speaker appointed Messrs. Forin, O'Neill of Missouri, and James, conferees on the bill to establish a bureau of labor statistics. The Senate bill fixing the term of the United States Circuit and District Courts of the Eastern and Northern districts of Texas, was passed. Adjourned.

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ESTATE OF JOHN HENRY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 4th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry, late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Seville Henry, the widow of said deceased, praying for the allowance and probate, of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to said petitioner, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of June, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ROBERT W. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 16th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Robert W. King, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Abner Wilson, guardian of said minor, alleging that said minor has now attained to the age of fourteen years, and praying that his resignation now on file in this court, may be accepted, that his final account as such late guardian may be allowed, that he may be ordered to pay over the estate in his hands belonging to said minor to his guardian, when appointed, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simon H. Southworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK R. WOOD, Administrator of said Estate.

GUARDIAN SALE.

BY virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of Bertha D. Stevens and Harry L. Stevens by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, dated the 14th day of April, A. D. 1884, licensing me thereto, notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the law office of the undersigned in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon all the undivided one-eighth of those parcels of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows: House and lot six rods square from out of and upon the southeast corner of block eighty-six of Henry L. Hewitt's addition to the village of Tecumseh, reference being had to the Record of said addition in Register of Deeds office for said county, and that house and lot bounded by beginning in the west line of Evans street one and 13-100 chains north of the north line of Logan street, thence north on the west line of Evans street to the southeast corner of Ex-Change Hotel lot; thence west on the south line of that lot three and 18-100 chains to the J. B. Hoag lot, now Marsh lot; thence south to land formerly James Wheeler's land; thence east on north line of said Wheeler's land to place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated April 15th, 1884.

EDWIN R. WOOD, Guardian of said Minors.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Silas W. Bass, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Silas W. Bass, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Barridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 7th day of June, 1884, and on the 28th day of October, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 28th day of April, 1884, are allowed by the said Judge for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and allowance.

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STATE PIONEERS AT LANSING.

On Wednesday June 4th, the State Pioneer meeting was held in Representatives Hall in the Capitol, the tenth annual assembly. The front of the speaker's desk and platform was trimmed with nearly 100 vases of fine flowers from the City and the Agricultural College. Also wreaths were woven and entwined by fair ladies of artistic skill. At two o'clock P M Hon. C. I. Walker of Detroit called the meeting to order, which was mostly of business reports for the afternoon.

At evening the hall was brilliantly lighted and every seat occupied by the honored friends of the association with the gallery full of cheerful auditors.

Prayer by Rev. I. Valentine.
Address by President, C. I. Walker.
Territorial Schools by Lucy Salmon.
Recitation, The Old House, Inez Smith.
Music.
Early Days in Genessee County by Sherman Stevens.
Grand River Valley.
Saginaw Valley 50 years ago.
Music. The Old Oaken Bucket.
Old House on Miller's Hill by Ida Longyear.

THURSDAY MORNING.

Prayer by Rev. W. H. Thompson.
Music. Nearer My God to Thee.
Bishop Chase of Gilead 1832, by Mabel Randall.
Land Grants in 1830.
History of North Lansing by Mrs. D. L. Case.
Treaty at Saginaw 1819.
Settlement of the Copper region of Lake Superior.
Music, The Reapers.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Prayer by President Abbot of Agricultural College.
Indians of Saginaw in 1820 by E. S. Williams.
Knaggs Farm and Wind-mill 50 Years Ago by J. C. Holmes.
Indians of Southern Michigan 55 years ago by F. A. Dewey.
Music. Home, Sweet Home.
Memoir of John C. Ball.
Election of Officers.

THURSDAY EVENING.

Prayer by Rev. R. C. Crawford.
Music, Friendship, Love and Truth.
Life of Darwin Hughes by Hon. T. M. Cooley.
Song of Michigan by R. C. Crawford.
Battle of Gettysburg by Mrs. S. F. Summers.
Oakland County by O. Poppleton.
Five minute speeches and anecdotes.
Music, Quartette medly.
Benediction by Dr. Wm. Hayes.

Thus passed Michigan's State Pioneer meeting with a very intelligent company. Eminent men with their wives from many counties. In attendance, Judges of the Supreme Court, also, Ex-Gov. Felch. The officers elected were F. A. Dewey, Cambridge, President; Mrs. Harriet A. Tenney, Secretary; Ephriam Longyear, Treasurer. Executive Committee and Committee of Historians, with Vice Presidents, the same as last year with F. R. Stebbins added for Vice President.

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Battle Creek Republican. The M. & O. will put a work train on their road, at once, and proceed to ballast it. They expect to expend $250 per mile this season. There is a rumor afloat, said to come from reliable sources, that the M. & O. railroad is, to put a switch at the head of Devil's lake and run excursion trains to that place. There are two steamboats on the lake, which will run from Beardsell's landing to the latter place to meet the trains, morning and evening.

Where are you going to celebrate?

MISCELLANEOUS.

—A careless farmer near Dublin, Ga., found a rat's nest in the matted hair of his horse's tail. The young rats were nearly half grown.

—It is claimed that the Missouri Botanical Gardens near St. Louis have a complete collection of living specimens of all the plants mentioned in the Bible.

—In illustration of the Scotchman's love of country the Duke of Buccleuch said: "I would rather die in a snow wreath on the braes of Yarrow than on the softest bed on the shores of the Mediterranean."

—A flower has been discovered in South America which is only visible when the wind is blowing. The shrub belongs to the cactus family, and is about three feet high, with a crook at the top, giving it the appearance of a black hickory cane. When the wind blows a number of beautiful flowers protrude from little lumps on the stalk.

Thomas Edmundson, of Harvard, Neb., hearing that his brother was confined in a Buffalo (N. Y.) insane asylum, immediately took the train for that city, to take his brother home. He had hardly made known his errand in the insane asylum office before he became afflicted with his unfortunate brother's malady, and he is now a raving maniac.—*Chicago Times.*

—The north of Scotland recently came in for the tag end of a shower from Hecla or the other Icelandic crater. Between the Orkneys and the Shetlands ash has fallen so thick that it had to be shoveled off the deck of passing vessels. When Skapta broke out violently some years since the fine dust fell in such quantities over Caithness that it entirely killed the crops.

—The girls with half a chance, and under intelligent guidance, would make as fair intellectual progress as the boys, but it seems to be taken for granted that they have no more intellect than young chickens or kittens, and that it is quite in the fitness of things that they should pose for hours over some millinery plates and be ignorant of nearly everything else under the sun.—*Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.*

—A Detroit wife of three months' standing asks for a divorce, charging that her husband had won her heart and hand by saying in this that he had told her time and again that he was the owner of a horse and wagon, whereas she has discovered that he only has a wagon, and a very bad one at that. What makes her so mad is that she threw away a chance to marry a newspaper carrier, thinking she would be able to screen the other women in the block by appearing in her own turnout on parade days.—*Detroit Post.*

—A Berlin newspaper has got hold of a genuine sensation. It says that an enormous hotel is soon to be built at St. Augustine, Fla. It will be three miles long, six miles deep, and seventy-five stories high. Guests will be taken to their rooms by 500 balloons; the tables in the dining-room will be four miles in length, and the waiters who serve the meals will be on horseback. There will be a cuspidor in the office 100 feet in circumference. The German doesn't often try to be funny, but when he does he means business.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Except for those who may have wealthy friends living in the interior in a favorable locality, Australia has been practically found to be not a suitable place for invalids. Any one who has made acquaintance with a bush hotel would be slow to recommend it as a residence, even to a man in health, and would certainly advise an invalid to avoid it. The most eminent physician in Melbourne has recently stated that, out of hundreds with weak lungs who had consulted him during a period of twenty-five years, not one of those who had remained on the coast had materially improved.

—New York claims to have more than a thousand women who speculate in stocks, grain, oil, whisky and every other way known to the sterner sex, but brokers, as a rule, refuse their custom. The reasons for this were expressed by a broker thus: "Their risks are small, and if they lose—phe-w-w." "But supposing they make a hit?" "Well, then they grow confidential. They tell you they knew it was coming so. They dreamed of a black cat or the baby cried twice in its sleep, or something like that. They swear by their dreams. If a woman has a certain dream and puts her money on that dream, and then the market goes the wrong way, she has been swindled by the operator."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

A Very Much Mixed Family.

A class of marriages that may certainly be regarded as among the eccentricities of wedlock are those unions bringing parties into complex family relations. Mr. Howe tells us of a marriage in Cornwall, in 1828, by which the father became brother-in-law to his son; the mother, mother-in-law to her mother, the mother-in law of the son, his sister-in-law; the sister of the mother-in-law, her daughter-in-law; the sister of the daughter-in-law, her mother-in-law; the son of the father, brother-in-law to his mother-in-law, and uncle to his brothers and sisters, the wife of the son, sister-in-law to her father-in-law, and aunt-in-law to her husband; and the offspring of the son and his wife would be grand-children to their uncle and aunt, and cousins of their father. Says Jefferson "When Lord Dundreary has mastered all the difficulties of this perplexing piece of family history, he may throw daylight into the darkness resulting from the intermarriage of the Hawoods and Cashocks of Kent." This family complication was caused thus: One member of the Hawood family had two daughters, one of whom was married to John Cashick, the father, and the other to John Cashick, the son. The elder Cashick had a daughter by his first wife whom Mr. Hawood subsequently married, and this lady could now claim her father as her son, her sister as her daughter, and her brother as her grand child. This occurred in the seventeenth century, and, with the help of several intermarriages since to further complicate matters, there is not one of the descendants of these families to-day who can clearly define his own position with regard to his relatives of the present generation, much less those of one or two generations preceeding him.—*London Cor. Cleveland Herald.*

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—Mr. Staples, a wealthy citizen of Westport, Conn., has given that town a $50,000 free-school building.

—A new building, costing $41,000, is nearly completed for Biddle University, an institution for the education of colored people, in Charlotte, N. C.

—The Lehigh Presbytery calls attention to the fact that its moderator, elected for the ensuing year, Rev. W. R. Templeton, of Reading, is the first colored moderator in Pennsylvania.

—Boston has set a good example to every other city in declaring that women should receive the same wages as men who do the same work in the public schools.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—The four Philadelphia churches whose members have heretofore been called "Disciples of Christ," resolved at a union meeting held recently to accept the name by which their congregations in other parts of the United States are known—"Christian Churches."

—The English Baptists propose a memorial fund for carrying on Baptist work in Germany, in honor of J. G. Oncken, who, fifty years ago, on April 22, was baptized in the river Elba, opposite Hamburg, and thence began a German reformation against church and state.

—The Sunday-school, as we now know it, is little over one hundred years old. Yet how it has grown! How mighty is the tree, and how widespread are its branches! According to a recent and carefully prepared estimate, the number of children and teachers in the Christian Sunday-school throughout the world is 15,000,000.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—Education improves the general judgment and the reasoning powers. The man of intelligence sees the relation of things in a larger and clearer way, and reasons more wisely and safely, both as to the ends to be attained and the means of attaining them. He is, therefore, fuller of resources for his work, whether it is hand-labor or head-work.—*Journal of Education.*

—The Slater fund of $1,000,000 for educating the colored people of the South has been fortunately invested, and is yielding a handsome income of $60,000, the distribution of which is in the hands of Dr. A. S. Haygood, President of the college at Oxford, Ga. Three thousand dollars have been set aside for educating pupils who were specially bright, and Mr. Slater, the donor, expresses himself as highly pleased with the progress that has been made so far in the work of the fund.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—A Washington writer puts the growth of the Baptists among the colored people as follows: "In 1862 colored Baptists had no church property from Mason and Dixon's line to the Gulf; they now have over four thousand churches, worth more than $3,000,000, and paid for. In 1862 there were 250,000 colored Baptist church members, there now are 800,000. In '62 a colored man who could read was a curiosity; in '84 fifteen newspapers are edited and published by colored men educated in these Southern schools."

Sir John Lubbock and His Dog.

Sir John Lubbock, the distinguished physicist, is trying to teach his dog to converse.

It seems from a letter which Sir John sends to the last number of *Nature* that Van, the dog, is making very satisfactory progress in his studies. He is, indeed, displaying such aptitude for learning that his master intends soon to put him into arithmetic.

The method of instruction adopted is a very simple one. Sir John prints on pieces of cardboard, about ten inches long by three inches broad, such words as "food," "bone," "water," "out," etc. A number of these cards are placed on the floor side by side, so that the dog has several cards to select from, each bearing a different word. Van has now learned to distinguish between those cards, and to regard the bringing of a card as a request.

For instance: "When he is hungry he will bring a 'food' card time after time," says Sir John Lubbock, "until he has had enough, and then he lies down quietly for a nap. Whenever he is thirsty he picks up the "water" card without any suggestion from his master, and brings it with perfect gravity. When he is invited to take a walk he "gladly responds by picking up the 'out' card, and running triumphantly with it before me to the front door." "If through inadvertence he brings a card for something he does not want, when the corresponding object is shown him he seizes the card, takes it back again, and fetches the right one." Sir John therefore concludes, after much observation, that the dog "can not only distinguish between one word and another, but also associate the word and the object."

Van has made this progress in conversation, too, despite many interruptions in the course of the instruction due to his master's frequent absences from home and inability to give more than a little attention to the dog's tuition. As it is, in the opinion of Sir John Lubbock, it seems to be demonstrated that "this method of instruction opens out a means by which dogs and other animals may be enabled to communicate with us more satisfactorily than hitherto."

Sir John Lubbock, indeed, repeats his request that others will co-operate in this work of canine instruction, for, as we have said, he wants to extend the course. "I am now considering," he writes, "the best mode of testing Van in very simple arithmetic." Here, too, in all probability, he will likewise be successful, and we await with interest the reports of Van's progress in learning to cipher.—*N. Y. Sun.*

The Royalty Question.

Fair Customer—"What! thirty dollars for that baby carriage. "It is outrageous."

Dealer—"Well, you see, madam, this is a patent carriage and we have to pay royalty."

Fair Customer—"Royalty?"

Dealer—"Yes, we have to pay royalty on every carriage."

Fair Customer—"Royalty! How deliciously English it sounds. "I'll take it."—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Frank Fleet, who robbed a man of fifty cents on the street in New York has gone up for ten years.

A THRILLING EPISODE.

A Locomotive Engineer's Instinct—How he Saved a Train and How he Saved Himself.

On one of the darkest and stormiest nights of the recent unusual winter, the express on one of the leading New York railroads was moving westward from Albany. The engine's headlight threw a strong reflection in advance, but the storm was so blinding it was almost impossible to distinguish anything even at a short distance. Under such circumstances instinct necessarily takes the place of sight. All seemed to be going well, when, in an instant, the engineer reversed his engine, applied the air brakes, and came to a full stop. Why he did so he could not tell any more than any of us can account for the dread of coming disaster and death, and to the wondering inquiry of his fireman he simply said: "I feel that something is wrong." Seizing a lantern he swung himself down from his cab and went forward to investigate. Everything appeared to be right, and he was about to return to his engine when his eye caught sight of a peculiar appearance at the joint of the rail next to him. Brushing the accumulated snow away he looked a moment, and then uttered an exclamation of horror. The rails on both sides had been unspiked and would have turned over the instant the engine touched them. What inspired this attempt at train-wrecking is unknown, but it was presumed the confederates of some prisoners who were on the train hoped, in the confusion of an accident, to deliver their friends.

Engineer John Donohoe, of Albany, to whose wonderful instinct was due the salvation of the train, when asked by the writer why he stopped his engine, said:

"I can't tell why. I only know I felt something was wrong."

"Do you have these feelings often when upon the road?" continued the writer.

"No, very seldom, although for the past twenty years I have been in a condition to feel apprehension at almost anything."

"How is that?"

"Why, I have been a victim of one of the worst cases of dyspepsia ever known. I have not been confined to my bed, as like thousands of others, I am compelled to work whether able or not. Indeed, when it first began I had only a loss of appetite, a 'aint 'eeling that would not go away and a bad taste in my mouth, but I finally got those terrible craving and knawing feelings that make life so unbearable and are known as general debility."

"What did you do?"

"I tried physicians until I became discouraged. I gave eight different ones fair tests, but none of them benefited me. I then tried proprietary medicines, but they failed, likewise. It looked pretty dark for me so far as any more peace or enjoyment in this world were concerned and I became terribly discouraged."

"You certainly do not look that way now."

"Oh, no, indeed, I am in perfect health now," was the reply "and I propose to continue so. My nervousness is entirely gone: I can sleep nights; the aching numbness has disappeared; the pale, sickly appearance has given place to the color of health, and I have readily put on flesh. This is what has been accomplished by means of Warner's Tippecanoe. If I can be cured after a chronic illness of nearly a quarter of a century I believe all suffering in a similar manner can be restored by using the same great remedy."

Such is the testimony of a man who could detect and remove unseen danger on the road but could not remove the dangers from within his own system until brought face to face with the great preparation above-named which did so much for him and can do as much for all those who require it.

AN EASY PLACE.

A lad once stepped into our office in search of a situation. He was asked:

"Are you not now employed?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then why do you wish to change?"

"O, I want an easier place."

We had not a place for him. No one wants a boy or a man who is seeking an easy place; yet just here is the difficulty with thousands. They want easy work, and are afraid of earning more than their wages.

They have strength enough to be out late nights, to indulge in vices and habits which debilitate them; they have strength enough to waste on wine and beer or tobacco, all of which leave them weaker than before; they have strength enough to run and leap and wrestle, but they think they have not the strength to do hard work.

Will the boys let us advise them? Go in for the hard places; bend yourselves to the task of showing how much you can do. Make yourself serviceable to your employer, at whatever cost of your own personal ease; and if you do this he will soon find that he cannot spare you, and when you have learned how to do work you may be set to teach others, and so, when the easy places are to be had they will be yours. Life is toilsome at best to most of us, but the easy places are at the end, not at the beginning, of life's course. They are to be won, not accepted; and a man who is bound to have an easy place now may as well understand that the grave is about the only easy place within the reach of lazy people.—The Little Christian.

The managers of the Lake Shore road have decided to uniform the employees of the road who come in contact with the public. This will include operators, train men, ticket and freight agents, switch and yard men, etc. The order has not yet been issued, but is expected soon. The road will employ a firm to make all the suits, and they will all be distributed at once. All other large roads thro' the country will also uniform their men.

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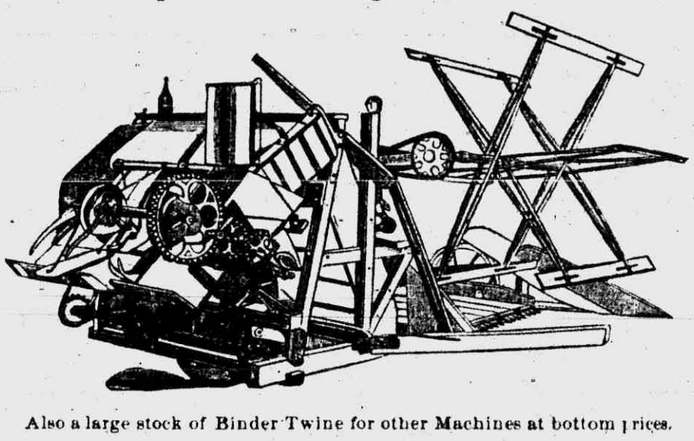

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TECUMSEH, May 26, 1884.

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant.

vs.

Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 8th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, said opera house being the place of holding said court, the premises described in said decree, to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier; thence north-easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land, will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning; being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE.
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. jun12

A BUSINESS FOR SALE.—One of the best conducted and most profitable Butcher Shops in Lenawee Co. for sale at a bargain if sold at once. For particulars enquire of

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-par tnership here tofore existing under the firm name o- Slayton & Kinney is this day dissolved by mu tual consent. The books and accounts will re- main in the hands of J. S. Kinney, who alone is authorized to settle the same.

Dated TECUMSEH, June 11, 1884.

A. W. SLAYTON.
J. S. KINNEY.

PIGS FOR SALE. Ten white pigs, two months old, for sale cheap. Enquire at my place one mile north of Ridgeway.
JOHN BECKLEY.

DRESSMAKING.—Miss Thompson has re- turned home from the east, and is ready for dressmaking, cutting and fitting and every thing in the line of dresses, at Mrs. Wm. Rich- ards house, at the east door, corner Ottawa and Logan streets.

PLANTS! PLANTS!! PLANTS!!!—500,000 Cabbage Plants. All the best varie- ties of early cabbage and tomato now ready. Sweet potato in immense stock. Late cabbage a specialty. I can furnish in large quantities at low prices.
ABNER WILSON.

NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEIL.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice.
F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected.
S. CATLIN, M.D.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wish- ing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

The Marsden Boot and Shoe stock is being closed out.

Mr. Alonzo Turner is not soliciting orders for roof painting for the Michigan Elastic Paint and Roofing Co. We give this notice because some have given him their job supposing we were to do the work.

SLAYTON & SON.

Round trip tourist's tickets to Traverse City, Petoskey, Mackinac Island, Mackinaw City, Sault St. Marie, Marquette and Duluth via the Michigan & Ohio Railroad, are now on sale at the Depot Ticket office at this station, where full particulars may be obtained as to rates, routes &c.

H. U. MATTHEWS, AGENT.

Rev. J. Atkinson, D. D., late pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in Adrian, has been transferred to the Newark Conference and takes charge of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, Jersey City. The church in Adrian is without a pastor at present, and is looking to Bishop Ninde for a supply for the remainder of the conference year.

Mr. Fuller, the telegraph operator on the M. & O. at this station, has been transferred to Jerome. Mr. M. D. Stearns, the general train dispatcher of the road, is now located here and will remain for several weeks. This arrangement makes Tecumseh the most important station on the line of the road between Toledo and Allegan.

The sixth annual opening at Beardsell's Landing will take place on Wednesday, June 18th. The steamer will be run free, and there will be good music for dancing, afternoon and evening. Mr. Geo. B. Beardsell has again assumed the management of the landing, and proposes to open the season by making a gala day of the sixth annual opening.

A. W. Slayton has sold his one half interest in his Furniture Store to J. S. Kinney and has bought in return his one half interest in their fruit farm at Muskegon. Mr. Slayton is still secretary of the Michigan Flooring and Handle Manufacturing Co. This with his wholesale Lumber and Hay business makes him as much business as most men have to see to.

The Evening Express of East Saginaw has been merged into the Morning Courier, and will no longer be published as a separate sheet. Geo. N. Stacy, who controlled an interest in the Express, takes the place of business manager in the Courier establishment, and transfers his interest in the Express to the former paper. The Courier is the leading newspaper of the Saginaw Valley, and his new field of labor will be much broader than the old one. Success to him.

Mr. A. M. Bly, formerly of Detroit, has taken up his residence in Tecumseh, moving into the J. E. Hall house on Oneida street, opposite Chas. Burridge's. Mr. Bly is a practical piano tuner and repairer, and is fully prepared by long experience to give satisfaction. Pianos, organs and all kinds of musical instruments cleaned and tuned. Mr. Bly has his repair rooms in G. P. Sparks' Music House, with whom all orders can be left. He invites people to call at Mr. Sparks' store and look over his references. There is a good field here for Mr. Bly to occupy, and we believe he will fill it with satisfaction to the musical public and with profit to himself.

Following close upon Decoration Day comes Children's Day. This year we notice that the Presbyterian and Baptist churches are to join with the Methodists in celebrating this day with appropriate services. We rejoice that in all these great denominations the children are to be remembered. The children are the hope of the churches and of our country. We cannot afford to ignore them. If we wish them to be interested in us and our work whether in church or state, we must interest ourselves in them. This children's day, therefore, is a step in the right direction. In our village the Presbyterians and Baptists observed the day at the regular time, June 8; the Methodists are going to wait until June 22.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 12, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Many of our people will celebrate the coming Fourth in Monroe.

Another circus June 17th. The greatest twenty-five cent show on earth.

Toledo, Jackson, Monroe and Clinton invite your company on the coming Fourth of July.

Mrs. Hattie Parker and two daughters, of Kane, Ills., are visiting G. S. Spafford and friends.

Strawberries are ripe in this vicinity, and it is said that we are to be blessed with a large yield.

C. K. Spafford, formerly of Tecumseh, and now at work in the Ypsilantian, gave us a call on Tuesday.

The Marsden Boot & Shoe stock is being closed out. Consult the first page of this week's paper for particulars.

The nicest looking cornice in the village is the one recently erected by Will. Arnold, Geo. Merritt and Baker & Hall.

Fred H. Burlingame has been spending a few days at his home in this village. He returned to Dundee this afternoon.

A goodly number of the masonic fraternity of this village go to Milan this afternoon to visit their brethren in that place.

John R. Clark lectures this evening in Buffalo, N. Y., which is the eighteenth time he has appeared in that city this season.

There will be a lemonade social at Macon Grange Hall on Friday, the 20th inst., at 7 o'clock P. M. A good time is expected. Every one is invited.

Do not fail to see the Donaldson circus which is to be here in Tecumseh next Tuesday. It is pronounced by those who have seen it to be the best circus traveling.

The Republicans of Tecumseh will hold a ratification meeting next Saturday evening. Speakers from abroad will be present and they anticipate having a rousing meeting.

H. W. Stevens is buying wool again this season. He has opened an office in his warehouse near the Lake Shore depot, where he will receive wool and pay the highest market price therefor.

The Lake Shore road will sell round trip tickets to the Democratic Convention at Detroit for one and one-third fare, good going June 17th and 18th, and good returning on June 19th.

Dr. E. Hause has secured the sale of several of the choicest lots of land near his Florida home in Sorrento Fla. Parties thinking of locating in Florida will do well to consult him before purchasing.

Detroit Evening News: The Tecumseh Herald has reached its 35th volume, and there are very few papers in Michigan that can beat it for spirit, enterprise, news or typographical excellence.

The corner stone of the new court house will be laid on Saturday the 28th inst. Adrian is preparing to make a gala day of it, which will take the place of the usual Fourth of July celebration.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Press Association will be held at Bay City on Tuesday, June 24th. The session will last two days and at its close a free excursion will be given to St. Ignace and Marquette.

The Ladies Aid Society will give a Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival, Thursday Eve. June 19th, at the parlors of Presbyterian church. Refreshments served from 7 to 9. Price of tickets 25cts. All are invited.

County Clerk Hunter has placed on our table the Proceedings of the Board of Supervisor's for the past year. In addition to the regular proceedings it contains a complete list of all township and county officers and census enumerators.

Will Eccles is selling Ice Cream made from pure cream at the same price which other dealers charge for an inferior article. His prices are, $1,25 per gallon, 35 cents per quart, 20 cents per pint. When you buy of Will you are sure to get the best made.

The fifth number of The Social Reformer appears this week. It is fully equal to its predecessors in excellence and is meeting with deserved success. It cultivates a field which has hitherto lain fallow, a field which should be thoroughly and permanently cultivated.

John A. Heck returned from his trip to Ireland last Tuesday night.—He had a fine trip both ways. He was sick three days on the outward run, but escaped with only one day on the return voyage. The trip will prove beneficial to the firm in more ways than one.

Charles Blanchard arrived in town last Friday and remained over the Sabbath. He has lately obtained a position on the Toledo Sunday Democrat, and it is to be hoped that his duties will occasionally draw him to this vicinity. His old Tecumseh acquaintance will be glad to see him at any time.

All indebted to the *late* firm of W. & S. W. Anderson please call and settle as we are anxious to close our books.

W. & S. W. ANDERSON & CO.

The Detroit Free Press signalized its removal into its new building by issuing a mammoth thirty-six page edition last Sunday, the largest single edition of a newspaper ever printed in Michigan. The old Free Press still leads the van in Michigan journalism, and with its enlarged facilities in the new building it will still further increase its power and prosperity.

A card from Dr. H. W. Catlin reveals the fact that he is now located at 51 Monroe street, Grand Rapids, Mich., and is prepared to practice his profession. Dr. Catlin has received a thorough medical training and since he began practice, he has enjoyed unusual success for a young practioner. While we regret to have him leave Tecumseh, we cheerfully commend him to the people of Grand Rapids and feel confident that he will soon take a leading position in the medical fraternity of that city.

The Spring term of Dist. No. 10, Franklin, taught by Inez Baker, closed June 6th. Following is the report for the term: Length of term, 10 weeks; No. of scholars enrolled, 23; average attendance of scholars, 21; total days attendance, 1008; average, 43¾. Not absent during the term: Addie Lambkins, Bertha Lambkins, Horace Lambkins, Anna Williamson, Charley Williamson, Glenn Jackson, Rezin Welch, Freddie Welch. Neither absent nor tardy, Anna Williamson, Charley Williamson, Glenn Jackson.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The program for commencement week has not been entirely arranged as yet, but the following is a general outline of the exercises.

Sunday evening, June 22d.—Annual sermon by Rev. C. E. Conley at the Baptist church.

Wednesday evening, June 25th.—Promotion Exercises at the Opera House.

Thursday evening, June 26.—Graduating exercises at the Opera House.

Friday June 27th.—Alumni Reunion. The Ex. Com. of the Alumni will meet some time this week to arrange a definite program. It is probable that the Library Association will get up the supper.

ON THE DIAMOND.

The Tecumseh Base Ball Club Ready for Business. The First Game of the Season.

The Tecumseh Base Ball Club is now fully organized and in readiness for the summer campaign. Last week a game was arranged with the Battle Creek club to come off on our grounds, on Friday afternoon, but owing to some unforeseen occurrence the latter club could not come at that time and at the eleventh hour, an arrangement was made with the Adrian College nine to meet our boys that afternoon. The club came over by private conveyance and about three o'clock the game was called with a fair crowd of spectators in attendance. The college nine is a very good one and deserved better success. Our boys were in excellent trim for playing and came out victorious by a score of 28 to 2. We have not space to give a detailed account of each inning and content ourselves with the general score, as follows:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	E
Tecumseh	8	2	4	3	6	2	3	28	4
Adrian	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	14

We hope the College nine will favor us with another visit before the close of the season.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Ben Dove lost a fine colt last week.

Philip Penticost is at work on the addition to A. M. Welch's house.

Brant Roberts has commenced tearing down a part of his brick house preparatory to building this fall.

J. F. N. Bowen has the finest ten acres of corn in this section; it was planted in fall plowing.

Two errors crept in our last week's news. N. S. Satterthwaite should have read J. N. Satterthwaite, and Mrs. B. J. Steller should have been Mrs. B. J. Wells.

Elijah Wilson built the bridge across the county ditch in the west part of the town instead of across the creek. Commissioner Bowen built the one over Evan's creek.

While some Republicans are pleased with the nomination of Blaine others say I am for Butler now, and more Democrats think Ben did not steel the spoons after all.

Martin Wheelan intends to rent his farm and move his family to Florida to live, as his health is much better there than here.

W. B. Keyser's farm is credited with raising the most oats of any farm in Clinton township last season, being 1085 bushels by machine measure or about 1300 bushels by weight.

Ray Bennett Smith, a little boy 21 months old, who lived with his grandmother Mrs. Elmira McCollum, was buried last Sunday. Rev. G. W. Hudson delivered the discourse and the M. E. choir assisted in the ceremonies.

William Waldron has a new windmill. It was put up by L. M. Waldron who is agent for the I. X. L. mill.

C. E. Sawyer of the M. & O. road and W. H. Arthur of the Marshall Statesman were in town Tuesday afternoon and paid their respects at the HERALD Office. Mr. Sawyer is stationed at Marshall, where he has charge of the work on the M. & O. shops.

The Raisin Valley Seminary commencement occurs this year on June 20th. There are five gradutes—four boys and one girl. Dr. Erastus Test, formerly Principal of the Seminary will be present and deliver the address. He specially desires to see all of the students that can conveniently be present, who were pupils of his, while at the Seminary. Arrangements have been made to run a wagon from the Seminary to Tecumseh on Mondays and Saturdays of each alternate week. This will be done at the beginning of next Fall Term and will be kept up during the year for the accommodation of those pupils wishing to go home by way of Tecumseh.

Bay City Tribune, May 7.—Geo. W. Donaldson's Great United Shows organized in Bay City for a tour of Michigan and the southern states, gave its first performance yesterday at the corner of Van Buren and First streets, both entertainments being largely attended. The circus is in every respect first-class, and better by far than many that have shown in this section under the management of more noted showmen. The only thing against the performance is that there is too much of it for the money, and how the proprietors can afford to present the show they do for 25 cents is what the public cannot understand. There are many novel and difficult feats performed by the company that cannot be dwelt upon here. The tumbling, trapeze performing, juggling, slack-wire and contortion acts are some of the best ever shown here. Neil Smith's wonderful troupe of trained dogs are a circus in themselves. Mr. Donaldson has surely secured a company of artists that are bound to fill the tent to the utmost capacity wherever it is pitched. Last evening there was only standing room left, and very little of that.

A VISIT TO THE CAPITOL.

LANSING, MICH., June 6, 1884.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—Having occasion to go to Lansing for another purpose recently, I thought I would make it an excuse for writing a letter to you.

It will hardly be necessary for me to say anything about the country between Tecumseh and Jackson, or between the latter place and Lansing, for nearly every one has been over the road. I will however say that after leaving the immediate vicinity of Tecumseh I did not see a half dozen desirable farms between that place and Lansing. It is especially poor between the latter place and Jackson. This description is confined however to the view as seen from the railroad.

The scene changes however when you reach Lansing. There is no better land, that I have seen, than in the Grand River valley in the vicinity of the Capital.

While at Lansing I attended the annual meeting of that venerable body, The State Pioneer Society, which was honored by such men as Judge Cooley of the Supreme Court, Alpheus Flech, Hon. B. L. Baxter and F. A. Dewey, who was elected president for the ensuing year, and many more from all parts of the State. I cannot give you a further report of their doings but will just say they were very fine indeed.

I began with the purpose of saying something about the Grand Capitol Building, the crown of the State of Michigan which cost fifteen hundred thousand, and looks so solid and firm on its foundation as if it might last to the end of all things. It is built entirely of stone hewn and polished, and the joints where they unite are so chiseled that it makes them quite ornamental. The stone are left of their natural color, a beautiful drab, but as uniform as if they had been painted. It consists of a main building (standing right in the road as you may say on a hill, not a high hill either, right in the center of Michigan Avenue, which is not less than six rods wide, and two wings, and each side is a front making four front enterances. The main building is six stories, including basement cellar. The style is not gothic. The view of Lansing from the dome is very fine indeed. Its position in the center of the avenue makes it a prominent object in all parts of the city and from the vicinity of the Agricultural College three miles away. The avenue, when it reaches the capitol grounds, which consists of about 12 acres, mostly lawn, turns to the right and left, and so passes around them, and is bordered by ornamental trees, mostly maple, and some basswood which grows very freely here. The stories above the first are reached by a lift or hydraulic elevator. Twelve persons can ascend on it at once. I intended to say something more about the interior but find that I don't know enough. I will just say that I feel proud of Michigan since I have seen the capitol.

Yours Respectfully,

J. F. TEMPLE.

A HAPPY PARTY.

TECUMSEH, June 4, 1884.

EDITOR HERALD:—Allow me a little space in your columns to describe briefly a party given May 30th by Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dewey, of Cambridge, in honor of a few of their young friends in Tecumseh. The day was one appropriate to the occasion; the cool breeze somewhat relieved the heat of the sun which would have otherwise been disagreeable. At 11:30 A. M. the party assembled at the M. & O. depot, and honored by the presence of the band, which the village authorities permitted to accompany us as far as the depot. Shortly after 12 M. we were comfortably seated in the cars, riding rapidly westward, and in 29 minutes, by our Waltham, the brakes grafted for Onsted. But before going any further it will be proper to state that the band did not make its appearance at the depot for our special benefit but more on account of the G. A. R. expected from Britton. Our conveyance at Cambridge did not quite meet the train, and we proceeded to inspect the new station. On looking around we met our old friend Walter Raymond, who we were pleased to learn was station agent at that place. He looks as though the business agreed with him and we are confident the company will find in him a competent and trustworthy agent.—By this time a wagon and four horse team were waiting at the platform.—We managed to crowd twenty persons, including baggage, into a common wagon-box and started over hills and valleys, around lakes, and thro' mud-holes, for the residence of A. F. Dewey. Mr. D.'s farm is near a small body of water, known as Dewey's lake, about two miles south and west of the Junction. His residence, recently built, is by far the finest we saw during our stay in Cambridge.—The house is supplied with all the modern conveniences and any one desirious of a good house would do well to pattern after this.

After a short rest, a part of which time was occupied in removing the dust from our clothing, we partook of an excellent dinner with a relish characteristic of Tecumsehites when away from home. Mrs. Dewey is a first-class culinary artist and her efforts to supply our wants in that direction were highly appreciated. After dinner, which was served at 3 P. M., the time was passed in walking, and boating. About an hour before sun set several who call themselves singers found a comfortable seat in a shady place near the house, and made "music in the air." A few of their Cambridge friends were invited in and the evening was passed very pleasantly. At ten o'clock those who were to stop with F. A. and J. Dewey, took their departure. At 12 o'clock we will venture to say that all had retired; but we do not say all was quiet, for it was only until the "Big hours of morning" that we found "Rest for the weary soul."

The next day was as fair as could be desired, though rather warm. The morning was occupied in various ways. Some went to the Junction, others strolled about the premises, while two of the young ladies, amateur equestrians, seemed to derive great pleasure in walking two of Mr. D's. horses up and down the road. The program for the day was to visit Prospect Hill, which is only two miles from Mr. D's. Our four horse team being in readiness together with two spring wagons, we turned our faces toward the hill. Here we found a nice grove, though not very well taken care of, on the summit of the hill which is surrounded lower down by an immense peach orchard. On the highest point of the hill is a tower supplied with a telescope by the aid of which a good view of the surrounding country may be had. Brooklyn is seen very plainly, and Jackson can be seen, though not distinctly.

After dinner we again loaded ourselves into the wagon and made for the station, where we arrived in good time to "brush up" and "dust off" before train time.

In all it was the party of the season and one which will not soon be forgotten. All unite in saying they never saw a more pleasant gathering and never enjoyed a better visit. We cannot thank Mr. D's people too highly for our enjoyment while there. We were promised a similar party on next May 30th., and that the time may pass pleasantly and profitably away and see the same happy and appreciative company there again is the wish of

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

Rev. B. F. Rapp, pastor of the Church of Christ, East Ridgeway, will baptize a number of candidates, converts of last winter's revival, Sunday, June 15th., at 2:30 P. M., in Raisin river close by the bridge near the Globe Mills, Tecumseh, Mich. Should there be others wishing to go forward in this very solemn and impressive ordinance at that time, they will have opportunity.

Rev. A. B. Wood, pastor of the M. E. church in Manchester has had an attack of congestion of the brain. He is wholly incapacitated for work. He cannot remember the names of his most intimate friends. But his friends hope that rest will restore him to his usual mental vigor.

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Mrs. A. E. Ure, of the New York Millinery, Adrian, wishes to announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she will open a full line of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and a great variety of Millinery, also a large assortment of Hair Goods, on Wednesday afternoon of each week at the Lilley House, Sample Room, No. 22, Ladies' entrance, R. R. street. Hats made over and pressed in all the new shapes. Give her a call.

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DIED.

ROBERTSON.—On Saturday June 8th at the home of his son, Prof. Chas. G. Robertson, in Hillsdale, Mich., Mr. Jno. C. Robertson in the 81st year of his age.

The deceased will be remembered by the old settlers of Tecumseh as a pioneer with them, taking his full share of the burdens of pioneer life, and contributing wisely in laying the foundations on which the present social and material conditions of this community are laid.

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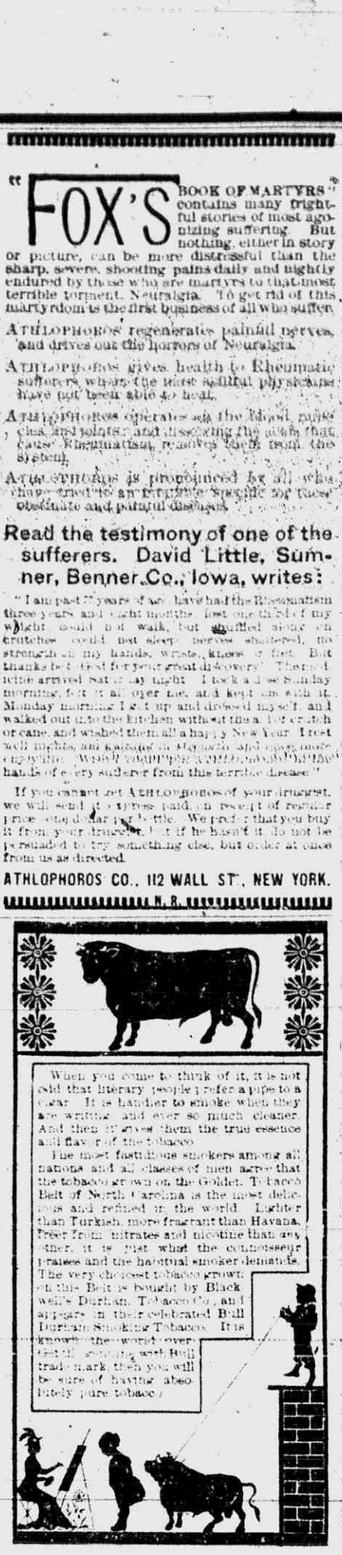

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—Kate Sadborn says "no two women are alike, but the men can be made up in bundles."

—United States Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, is the father of eleven children. —*Chicago Journal.*

—Henry W. Miller, of Worcester, Mass., has, as apprentice and proprietor, occupied his place of business as tin and hardware dealer for seventy years. —*Boston Herald.*

—Mrs. Polly McCleaster, who recently died in Carlisle, Pa., at the age of eighty, was a lineal descendant of Molly Pitcher, of Revolutionary fame. —*Pittsburgh Gazette.*

—Edward King writes from Paris that it is said there a sculptor in Rome is making a statue of Jefferson Davis, forty feet high. It is to be placed on a platform in a palmetto grove in Davis's native State.

—The Queen of Hanover has enough Christian names to start a dictionary. The full list is Alexandrina Maria Wilhelmina Catherina Charlotte Theresa Henrietta Louisa Pauline Elizabeth Frederica Georgina, although some of them may have got away.

Mr. George William Curtis has written Mayor Martin, of Boston, declining to accept the generous sum appropriated as compensation for delivering the eulogy on Wendell Phillips, and saying that in selecting him for the duty the city of Boston conferred on him the greatest honor of his life. —*N. Y. Post.*

—Benjamin Wallace, a New York soap merchant, worth five hundred thousand dollars, was arrested as a vagrant on the beach of Jamaica bay recently. He has given away half his fortune in his insanity; several car conductors were given fifty dollar checks for seats. He gave promissory notes for large amounts to a dozen different people. —*N. Y. Star.*

—David Langdon, of East Rockaway, L. I., is ninety years of age, and says he was never tired but once in his life, and that was in 1812, when on military duty. He was stationed at Sag Harbor, and when the forces disbanded he walked home, a distance of ninety-one miles, without stopping. He has never applied for a pension. —*N. Y. Star.*

—The members of the Mexican Congress wear faultless suits of black. A great many of them also wear white neckties and white gloves, so that the House looks like a full dress party. A recent visitor in Mexico says that almost all of the members are of middle age, with black eyes and black hair. Hardly a gray-haired or bald-headed man could be discovered among them.

—Mrs. Margaret Crocker, of San Francisco, the widow of Judge E. B. Crocker, and a woman of great sympathy and benevolence, has completed and handed over to the trustees an admirably equipped and appointed home for aged gentlewomen at Sacramento. The house and endowments cost $100,000, and Mrs. Crocker intends to add other buildings in the future. —*San Francisco Call.*

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—A penny paper is to be started here to fill a long felt want. Why these wants are made of felt, no one knows, except it prevents their getting warped. Whoof!—*Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.*

—Mrs. Pinaphor thinks telegraphy ought to be much cheaper than postage because the former can perform a job in five minutes which requires the mails from one to six days to accomplish.—*Norristown Herald.*

—A little boy sat on the floor playing. Suddenly he set up a howl. "Henry, what is the matter?" asked his mother. "The cat scratched me." "Why, the cat is not here. When did she scratch you?" "Yesterday." "Well, why are you crying now?" "Cause I forgot it then."—*Arkansaw Traveller.*

"May I trouble you to tell me what time it is?" said a trim old lady at St. Nicholas table d'hote not long ago to her vis-a-vis. "Certainly," said the gentleman addressed, taking out his watch; "it is just seven o'clock." "Thank you," she said; "that's my pill time." A [illegible] was taken and there. *Ex.*

—"Mamma," said a little boy, "this paper says that the latest styles of slippers are trimmed with swan's down." "Yes, dear," replied mamma, "and what of it?" "Oh, nothing," said the little boy, "only if you want to be in style you had better get a pair. There ain't any swan's down on your old ones."—*Philadelphia Call.*

—"What has become of our wonderful crimson sunsets, I wonder?" said Tom. "Why," replied Laura, thoughtfully looking up from the *Bazar*, "I suppose they have all gone out of style. Everything is very quiet and elegant this spring. I knew those winter sunsets were too high-colored to last long. They might do for the evening," she said presently, in a reflective mood, "but they were too loud for the street." And, bending over the description of a new walking suit, she did not see Tom fallen from his chair, staring wildly at her and painfully gasping for breath. —*N. Y. Sunday Courier.*

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"John," said a father to his son, "you have disappointed me greatly. I have given you every opportunity to learn something, but it has been just money thrown away. You are the stupidest young man I ever saw. You know nothing."

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"I never see you with a book in your hand," pursued the father; "you never take up a newspaper; you know nothing of current events. You don't take after your mother or me, for we both got good natural intelligence. What you're going to do for a living is a puzzle to me. There isn't a single earthly thing you can turn your hand to."

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"Why?"

"Why, don't you see, if you didn't know that much you would make an excellent juryman for criminal trials, but your knowing that much entirely disqualifies you. It's a sad case."

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 10 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 42 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
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A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
5 20	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
6 00	6 40	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
6 34	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 31	11 32	....Ridgeway....	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	....Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton.....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	...Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	.....Addison.....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome.....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow.....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski.....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	.....Homer.....	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 09	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 40	9 22	2 34	....Cereso.....	12 25	7 19	9 46
2 50	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Doster.....	11 08		6 51
5 32		4 16	....Monteith....	10 49		6 15
5 39		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 15		4 45	Ar..Allegan..Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.		A. M.		A. M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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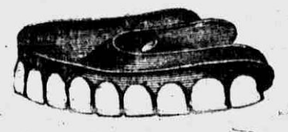
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Fashion Notes.

Among the prettiest of summer garments are the braided gauze jackets lined with silk. They are very short on the side and deeply fringed with chenille mingled with jet tassels and crescents: the sleeves come only to the elbow and the front is a mass of fruit and foliage embroidery, the leaves done in frayed silk, the fruit in beads.

A high waist, with a pointed opening both in the front and back, and an apology for a sleeve, is to be that most in favor for evening wear this summer.

The proper bows for white dresses embroidered in colors have many loops, and contain all the colors of the embroidery. A recently imported French costume had ornaments of this sort made of blue, olive, red and pale yellow ribbons. The embroidery, which was almost a foot deep, was on the two foulard flounces and on the drapery of the short polonaise. An embroidered chemisette, and ruffles of fine silk lace on the edges of the flounces and draperies completed the list of the accessories of one of the prettiest dresses seen this year.

The pretty waistcoats of white corded silk which are worn with black and dark silk frocks are called Beau Brummels. They have wide pocket flaps, with buttons, and are very pretty, but the significance of the name is not clearly apparent.

Fawn-colored parasols, trimmed with lace, fastened here and there by large yellow pearls, and having a frilling of lace set on the lining half-way between the center and the brim, are liked for carriage use in London.

Box plaitings of corded muslins are sewed under the belts of many of the new skirts. The muslin begins at the side seams, and the first two plaits are only folded under for half their width, but at the back they are very full. This arrangement has the merit of not being easily displaced, and is very light.

A very pretty design for a polonaise has each of the two front pieces of the waist about half a yard wide and laid in folds at the center. At the belt these cross, and the upper one curves gracefully and loses itself in the folds. Worth recently alleviated the sorrows of a mourning customer by making her a gown of gray and black satin and black velvet. The skirt had panels of the first material worked with interlaced rings in dull steel beads and bright steel spangles, typical of different depths of affliction: the front was trimmed with bands of lace embroidered in spangles, and a row of satin bows extending down its center. The train was of black satin with a central breadth of velvet and a lining of gray satin, and the waist was of black satin with steel embroidered waistcoat.

A novel use of ribbon not to be despised by any girl who knows that she can afford to wear clothes a little unlike her neighbors, is to knot two strands on the right shoulder, fasten them again on the left side below the waist and knot them there: then take them off, sew lace all along the lower edge, making all the trimming which either waist or skirt needs. This is used on the seaside suits in which red and blue are combined, and the ribbon is usually of the two colors.

Those who like the pretty curves of the zouave jacket, but do not care to wear two waists, imitate them by lace headed with velvet set down the front of a plain basque. A pretty ornament of jet, velvet or ribbon is set at the end of this trimming.

The velvet and embroidered silk chemisettes are only intended for street and carriage dresses, and simulate a rich gown worn beneath the outer dress; but for the house the chemisette should always be of a lighter, thinner material than the gown itself, suggesting that it is part of an underdress.

The way of sewing on laces differs each season. This year they are gathered, then sewed on the wrong side, turned and caught down at intervals, making a puff. Spanish laces for collaraettes are sometimes laid in flat plaits spreading at the outer edge.

Four corded squares resting upon a frill are now thought to be the prettiest finish for the back of a basque. The fronts are sometimes cut in leaf points edged with a lace frill.—*Boston Budget.*

Every Person a Lunatic Now and Then.

The fact that a druggist of this city has ended a human life by putting up wrong medicine awakens much indignation. He says many customers were in the store; he was in a hurry; he put up morphine instead of some similar drug. The inquiry arises whether a clerk is able to fill an order only when he has no customers in the shop? How empty must a shop be in order to secure safety? Must the street in front of the drug-store also be empty? What if a fire-engine goes by? What if a dog-fight occurs while the druggist is reaching for quinine? Is he justified in taking down strychnia? What if his mother-in-law has come to visit him?

Such questions come up and properly; but there is another side to the fact of erring druggists, and that is, that most persons are crazy part of the time. The exceptions are rare. Each one is now and then a fool of the most complete order and species. All the laws and penalties in the world will not avail to make a druggist or anybody else have his full senses through all his life. Crazy moments or seconds will come. A wise man will step backwards off a porch into a mud-puddle, a great philosopher will hunt for the specks that are on his hand or on his forehead, a hunter will sometimes shoot himself or his dog, a barber will often forget his job and slice off a piece of a chin or an ear or the nose. A girl at work at Marshall Field's had been feeding a great cloth-knife for ten years. Last week she watched the knife come down slowly on her hand. Too late she woke out of her stupor with one hand gone. For a few seconds her mind had failed and she sat by her machine a temporary lunatic and had watched the knife approach her own hand.

The man recently murdered on North Clark street in Chicago, saw the enemy come up, with murder on his face, saw him draw a revolver, and, instead of making a lightning spring at the man, he stood bewildered and thus fell dead. His reason left him in the second of his greatest need.

One of the distinguished professors in one of our colleges was teaching near a canal. Walking along one evening in summer he walked as deliberately into the canal as he had been walking along the path a second before. He was brought to his senses by the water and mud and the absurdity of the situation. He had on a new suit of clothes and a new silk hat, but though the damage was thus great he still laughs over the adventure.

Our mail-collectors find in the iron boxes along the streets all sorts of papers and articles which have been put in by some hand from whose motions the mind has become detached for a second. A glove, a pair of spectacles, a deed, a mortgage, a theater-ticket goes in and on goes the person holding on to the regular letter which have been deposited. This is called absent-mindedness, but that is a brief lunacy. A lunatic is a person whose mind is habitually out of balance.

Nothing is more common than for a mind of the highest order to become lost on the cars or on a steamer and to feel for hours that for some reason the train or the boat is going the wrong way. It is one of the most unpleasant feelings that can befall a traveler. A good night's rest may, perhaps, restore the mental rectitude and composure. When one is lost in the woods all the objects of nature seem false. The sun is felt to be wrong, the streams to be unfamiliar. Instances are on record of the inability of a mind thus lost to recognize its own home when it had come to its very gates.

If thus it is the custom of the human mind to become deranged will there not always be instances in which a druggist of the widest knowledge and of the most careful habits shall take down the wrong bottle and deliberately mix a dose of death? The particulars of this recent case are not yet known and there may be a special criminality in the case, but the fact remains that we are all liable to make a blunder that will deeply injure some one, or we are liable to be deeply injured by the wandering mind of the nearest and best friend. Mothers have given the wrong medicine to their children and have caused death in their dreadful anxiety to save life. A physician in this State recently mixed a vial of powerful medicine, and while talking to a friend his infant child reached the medicine, drank it, and died.

Thus wonderful as the human mind is it is not infinite. It has frail moments. The wonder is that so many minds of the millions perform so well their duties. When a train runs from Chicago to New York the passengers are dependent upon the mental balance of quite a mult tude of men. Flagmen, switchmen, telegraphers, engineers, trackmen, bridgemen strung along for a thousand miles, must forget nothing. The mind of each and all must sit upon its noble throne all the hours of the twenty-four and all the days of the year. When we remember that these express-trains will often run for years without meeting with ruin from some bewildered mind we must conclude that, although not infinite, the mind of man is an amazing piece of workmanship. Some will die by its blunders or absence, but the millions will live and sleep sweetly under its faithful and loving care.—*Prof. Swing.*

Basques, Sleeves, Etc.

An attempt to introduce high English darts in the front of dress waists has not been successful here, as the small drooping bust made by low corsets and low darts is more becoming to the slight figures of American women. Many new basques are simply pointed waists, fully whaleboned in back and front, to rest upon the full upper draperies. In regular basques French modistes choose very simple models, and for thin summer fabrics they now omit the position plaiting at the back, using instead four small squares, one square being cut in the end of each of the forms of the back—the two middle forms and the form next these on each side: the squares are corded around, and may be edged with a lace or a satin or a silk frill, which pushes out between the squares in a very pretty way. Three frills of lace or of satin across the middle back forms are a pretty trimming when these forms are elongated in a square basque. The sides of basques are very short indeed, and one stylish way is to cut the fronts in four leaf points, edging them and the short sides with a narrow lace frill, or with narrow drooping satin balls, or else cut beads in one or two rows are laid on the edge, and looped to form tassels between the leaf points. Lace is also used around the entire basque, hanging below it in a very scant ruffle, or else set about its edge with the scallops extending just below. The lace frills for trimming, especially the beaded laces, now head themselves, or at least dispense with all heading by being sewed on their wrong side (after they are gathered), then being turned over, either up or down, as the case may be, and caught at intervals, giving a slightly puffed effect; two rows done in this way are very becoming when standing around the neck of a dress and a single falling row trims sleeves tastefully.

The coat sleeve is preferred to all others, and is high on the shoulders, but not as full there as it was worn last season. Scarf drapery, plain turned-up cuffs of lace or velvet, and the puff that imitates undersleeves, made either of lace or of silk, are the trimmings most used on dressy sleeves, while for similar woolens many rows of soutache are put on quite straight around the close wrist, or else to imitate a square cuff. For the front of the basque a fancy prevails for following the curving outlines of a Zouave jacket with drooping lace, headed by a velvet band, and ending in a rosette or ribbon bow. When this is not done, the shirred front of the dress goods is used in vest shape, or there is a vest set in, or else the dress is cut away in V shape of in a Pompadour square, and there is a chemisette set which may be of the dress material or of lace fully gathered, or it may be of plain embroidery or velvet. There is usually a revers of some kind outlining this guimpe or chemisette, and this extends back to the shoulder seam, and sometimes crosses back of the standing collar.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—The papers are publishing the fact that a brass band gave a concert for the benefit of the flood sufferers, but before the band had finished the first tune the sufferers jumped right back into the water.—*Bismarck Tribune.*

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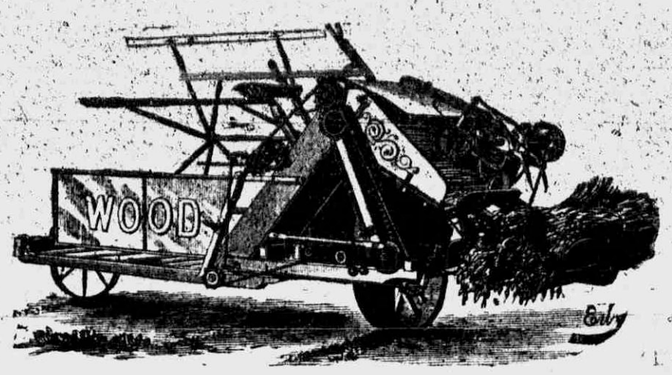

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WRONG HOME INFLUENCES.

Christian people generally and many people who are not professedly christian, wish their children to learn to reverence sacred things. They wish them to love the Sunday School and the services of the church. They are pleased when they find them willing, yea, anxious, to attend the house of God every Sunday.

But many people who are thus anxious about their children, spend a large part of their time at home, criticising, and finding fault with the church and all connected with it. They do not get along well with their brethren and sisters, and at every family gathering they give them an overhauling, dwelling upon, and magnifying their short-comings. They criticise their minister. His sermons are too long or too short, too plain or too aesthetic. His voice is too rough or too low. He does not visit the family as often as it is thought he might, and then he is "lazy" or "neglectful." It is a fact that in many homes, and those called christian too, the children listen to [illegible] week out. The church, the minister, and all connected with them are represented in the most unfavorable light. Seldom do these children hear a word of commendation for any one connected with christian work. And yet parents wonder that their children do not wish to go to church and to Sunday School. They seem surprised that they have to drive them to attend, if they go at all. But it is not strange. It would be strange if it were otherwise. They learn to hate the church; they seek to shun all connection with it. Parents, you may have your grievances, but do not dwell upon them always in your homes. Do not be always finding fault with the church and the minister before your children, unless you wish to drive them from the church and make skeptics of them. Bear your wrongs for the sake of your children, and speak well of those connected with religious work as far as it is possible for you to do so. Look more on the bright side of things, be more charitable and you will not find so much to critise.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

Tuesday forenoon a delegation of over a score of ladies with dinner baskets in hand was seen wending their way through our streets. The report spread about town that it was a company of the Salvation Army who had invaded Dundee to storm the fortifications of sin. To ascertain the mission of the visitors a representative of the Reporter followed the procession to the residence of Dr. J. B. Haynes, and ascertained that it was a party of ladies who had come from Tecumseh for a surprise visit to Dr. and Mrs. Haynes, to see the sights about Dundee and to have a good time. The party consisted of Mrs. Wm. Ide, Mrs. Ford, Mrs. E. R. Crossman, Mrs. Frank Crossman, Mrs. Albaugh, Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Heck, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Cambell, Mrs. Dr. Catlin, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Carrie Potter, Mrs. Geo. Heesen, Mrs. Jno. Heesen, Mrs. J. Neeley, Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Spaulding, Mrs. Haight, Mrs. Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton. Each bringing a supply of edibles a picnic dinner was indulged in at the residence.

During the afternoon the party visited the tent meeting and strolled about town, under the guidance of H. A. Stewart. The advent of the ladies upon the streets again circulated the report of "Salvation Army," and many sinners thereat were filled with fear and trembling.

The ladies returned to Tecumseh upon the 6:02 p. m. train, highly pleased with their visit and elated over the impression they had caused among many regarding the visit. The supply of edibles not being exhausted, and knowing editor's fondness for good things and that their limited means will not permit of their purchase, the ladies arranged a package and sent it to the editor of the Reporter with their compliments. The package sent makes us wonder whether the articles were samples of regular Tecumseh diet, and if so we wish we were a resident thereof.—Dundee Reporter.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

The June number opens with a beautiful colored picture, artistic in design and finish, entitled "A Morning Call." The contents embrace valuable articles—historical biographical, scientific, natural history, etc.—contributed by E. V. Smalley, H. D. Woolfe, Duyckinck, Noel Ruthven, Elsom and other popular authors. Etta W. Pierce continues her great serial, "A Dark Deed," and there are a variety of short stories, sketches, adventures and poems of great merit and exceedingly interesting. Indeed the 128 quarto pages are brilliant with literary and artistic attractions; the illustrations number over one hundred! This remarkable magazine is furnished for 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year, postpaid. Address MRS. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

The Hillsdale Standard last week picked up the following horrible narrative! "Mrs. ——away, while cleaning house, asked her husband to nail up some []; he refused; she looked ++ at him, told him his conduct was without ‖, then beat him with her ** until he saw **. He now lies in a tose state and may soon be a subject for diss§.

OUR YOUNG WOMEN.

Rev. Dr. Howard Crosby in Dio Lewis' Monthly: A primal defect in our social life is the notion that girls have nothing to do. Boys are brought up to some employment, but girls to none, except where pecuniary want compels them. The family that is "well off" has busy boys and idle girls. The young man, after eating his breakfast, starts out to his daily occupation, and returns at the close of the day. The young woman, after eating her breakfast (usually at a late hour), saunters about in quest of amusement. Novels, gossip, shopping, for unnecessary trifles, dressing in three or four different costumes, formal visiting, drawing (if able), and lounging are the elements of the young woman's day. In the evening, by the way of recreation (?) she goes to the theater or ball. This unequal discipline of the sexes is the basis of innumerable evils. It makes the girl careless and selfish; it turns her mind to personal adornment and other frivolous matters as the great concern of life; it takes away the sense of responsibility and produces feebleness and disease in her physical constitution. It also prevents her from asserting her true dignity in the eyes of man; for the life of utility is alone dignified. Women thus brought up in indolence are looked upon by men very much as were the women of the old dark times of the world, as mere playthings, expensive toys, not as counsellors and friends. Marriage in such circumstances belongs to a low, sensual plane and the girl is prepared neither in body nor mind for serious responsibilities and lofty duties which marriage implies. Her training, moreover, or lack of training, has made it necessary for a long purse to apply for her. Economy, helpfulness, cooperation, these are not coming to the new household from this vain source. Dress, drives, entertainments, these will form the staple demands on the young husband. Accordingly in city life, where this class of young women is chiefly found; a young man is greatly to his hurt often kept from marrying by reason of its costomliness, whereas society should be so ordered that marriage would help the larder and not beggar it. We want simplicity of life, frugality, modesty, industry, and system. If we could introduce these virtues in our higher society we should diminish the despair, envy, jealousy, dissipation and suicides of the single, and the bickerings, wretchedness, and divorces of the married. Let our girls have as regular daily duties as our boys. Let idleness be forbidden them. Let recreation be indeed recreation, at proper times, and in proper quantities. Let us open our numerous avenues of female industry, and let every woman be clothed with the dignity of a useful life. Can such a reformation be brought about? My dear madam, begin it yourself. Rule your household on this principle. Have the courage to defy fashion where it opposes. Be a bold leader in this reform, and you will soon see a host of followers glad to escape from the old folly.

MARRIED.

FRENCH—LANDON,—At Tecumseh, June 2d, 1884, by Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, Frank L. French of Poultney, Vermont, to Clarice J. Landon of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

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Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ℔ ℔	8 @	10
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Corn—shelled, ℔ bushel	55 @	60
Clover Seed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ℔ doz	@	14
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Hogs—live, ℔ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay ℔ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ℔ ℔	@	15
Ham ℔ ℔	@	14
Lard, ℔ ℔	@	12
Oats ℔ bushel	28 @	33
Onions ℔ bushel	@	60
Potatoes ℔ bushel	25 @	30
Salt ℔ barrel	@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ℔ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ℔ ℔	@	10
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ℔ bushel	@	95
Wheat, Red, ℔ bushel	@	95
Wool	18 @	25

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarice C. Monaghan, Minors.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884 I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, on the 25th day of July, A.D. 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2-6) of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale, cash.

Dated TECUMSEH, Michigan, June 11, 1884.

ROBERT B. HOUSE,
Guardian of said Minors

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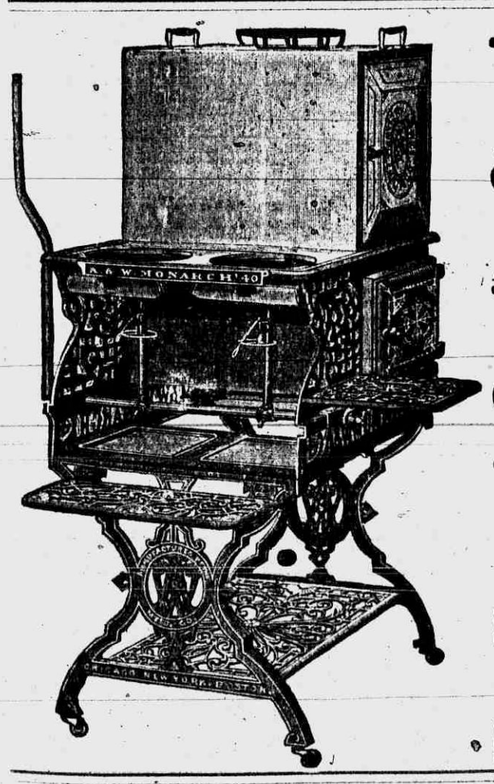

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TIPTON TATTLE.

Something rather unusual is now taking place in this vicinity in the important matter of wells. A few days since Messrs. Cook, Beeby, and Carr, each owning and living on a farm a little more than a mile from Tipton bored for water on their respective lands, when each obtained a furious flow equal to the greatest capacity of a six inch pipe. Simultaneously with these borings a very serious shrinkage was observed in many of the adjacent wells some of which, though more than a mile distant, are said to have fallen six or seven feet in water depth while others have run nearly dry. It is reported however that efforts have been made to lessen the copiousness of these flooding streams, but as yet, we learn they have refused to abate and rush on not stopping even to ask the right of way. Hence the farmers round about begin to inquire after the outcome with a little show of interest.

The Congregational people propose to initiate the observance of children's day in their church next sabbath when an interesting occasion is confidently looked for. Though this people have no stated Pastor, yet they regularly hold religious services and Sunday School every sabbath and are always found to have excellent music under the able leadership of Prof. Alexander.

John Conlin, the enterprising store keeper, in response to a 36 feet bore is now greeted with an ample sparkling stream of water, clear as crystal, and pure apparently as the sunbeam at the very door of his business establishment, and he has thus made a very desirable addition to the inevitable corners.

Mrs. Simmons is having a new roof placed over her tenant house located on church street south.

The fifteen minutes sermons at the M. E. Church Sabbath evenings seem to stand approved.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A new sidewalk stretched across the Brook, from the corner of railroad street to Sanford grange, is the last innovation on mudpuddles. It is edged with a stout precaution where water is deepest, and unless some method is devised for widening our streets the guide rail would be a convenience; not amiss if applied the whole length of them.

There has been no ratification meeting as yet for the new candidates on account of the cold wave, but a late evening wedding has produced a satisfaction that makes amends for the hope deferred. John Kline has been talking to his girl amid difficulties for several weeks, but Friday evening he captured her on the street, invoked the aid of Square Griswold to make her Mrs. Kline, and he took her home for a present to his mother. Its said the lady is pleased with the gift, and the defeated party console themselves with. They did what they could, while the boys burn incense at the expense of the winner.

ONSTED ODDS.

Several men were here last week repairing the water tank of the M. & O. R. R. which had become somewhat damaged by the settling of the piers.

John Onsted expects to commence building a grain elevator in a few days.

Two sisters of Mr. Robert Wooden who have been visiting friends here returned to their home in New York Tuesday.

B. Ellis and wife of Milan have been spending a few days among their friends in this vicinity.

O. L. Short and daughter returned Saturday from the western part of the state, where they had been for a week or two.

While the Rev. Mr. Dennett was driving to the depot last Friday his horse became frightened at the cars and he was capsized and had a narrow escape from being hurt. No serious damage was done.

Last Thursday a large number of friends and relatives gathered at the residence of John Lee to have a good old fashioned visit. Among the number were three brothers and two sisters of Mr. Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Lee were presented with a handsome photograph album.

The mail route from Onsted to Brooklyn has changed hands. Wm. Smith of Springville is the present proprietor. The stage now leaves Springville at eleven o'clock, comes to Onsted, leaves here after the 12:15 train, and goes to Brooklyn, and from there back to Springville.

There is much excitement in this vicinity, at present, caused by an attempt being made to get a station on the M. & O. two miles east of the present station of Cambridge. Your Springville correspondent stated, two weeks ago, that Springville was jubilant over the prospect. We cannot see why it should be thus, as the difference in the distance from Springville would not exceed twenty rods.

EAST RIDGEWAY.

Children's Day, celebrated by the Sunday School connected with the Church of Christ, East Ridgeway, Michigan, on the 2d Sunday in the present month, (June), was a pronounced success, both in the forenoon and evening. The weather all day and evening was all that could be wished for. The church was very gorgeously and tastefully decorated with mottoes, pictures, evergreens and flowers. The congregations were overflowing, and their behavior commendable. The children acquited themselves most grandly in the work severally assigned them. The singers and the birds, (there were eight of the latter), discoursed very sweet music. The hymns and sunday school songs selected were admirably adapted to the occasion, and were well sung by the choir, not only as to time and melody in the tunes, but in distinct enunciation of the words, without which singing is to say the least, very materially marred. From the very strict attention given throughout the entire services, by the hosts of persons present, we take it for granted the people were well entertained and can but believe, that with the arrangement for the day, the decoration of the church not excepted, and with the celebration entire, of Children's Day, God was well pleased, to whom be all the glory, through Jesus Christ, his Son, our Savior. The money gathered for the Children's Mission Work, upon the occasion, amounted to twenty-two dollars. May God bless this monied offering to the enlargement of the borders of our favored religion and the salvation of precious souls. God Bless the Children, and save them from the direful curse of intemperance.

B. F. RAPP, Pastor.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Having occasion to take a short business trip to Addison we boarded the evening train on the M. & O., Tuesday evening, and after a pleasant ride of forty minutes alighted on the long platform at the Addison depot, arriving there just at dark. We passed the night at the M. & O. House, which is the west side hotel, kept by W. H. Terpenning. This house has undergone extensive repairs during the past six months, is well kept, and seems to gather in most of the traveling public. Addison itself is booming right along since the new road was opened. Fred Curtis has opened a banking office which is well patronized, and supplies, to the satisfaction of all, a want which has long been felt in that community. Mr. A. E. Marvin has just moved into town with the material for a newspaper and will issue the first number of the Addison Courier next week.

The telephone line has been extended from Hudson to this place, so that Addison now has connection with the outside world by rail, by telegraph and by telephone. Geo. M. Lewis is putting a new front on his store on the corner west of the M. & O. house, which will make it one of the best looking establishments in the village. Powers & Son are doing a good business, and the Smiths—Smith the merchant and Smith the miller—are both doing a thriving trade. Fred Smiley is well pleased with his experience thus far in the hardware line. I. N. Hathaway is head over heels in farming as usual, and O. B. Bowen is pushing the harness trade notwithstanding his adventure with a burglar on the night of our visit. A. J. Kempton is the happiest man in town, or was when we saw him yesterday forenoon, as his wife had just presented him with a nine pound girl.

Addison was considerably stirred up yesterday morning upon learning that a gang of burglars had paid their respects to several establishments the night before. The thieves made quite an extensive raid but got very little booty except a span of horses and carriage. They broke into Bowen's building, obtained $2.00 in money from his pants pocket and left the pants on the steps of Lewis's store across the river. From Lewis's they obtained a box of cigars and some change from the money drawer.—Smith's house was broken into and two pies taken. A large sledge hammer was taken from the blacksmith shop, the handle of which was sawed off and that with a kit of small tools was found near the bank.

It is surmised that the burglars had designs on the bank safe or the safe in Smith's store, but for some reason were scared away and made no attempt in that direction. A carriage belonging to John Terpenning, and a span of horses and harness belonging to Wallace Wilcox were stolen. Mr. Wilcox arose about five o'clock and at once discovered his loss, and by six o'clock the other depredations were ascertained. A telephone message was sent to Sheriff Bidwell, and officers were started forthwith in pursuit of the burglars, but at last accounts no clue had been found to the thieves or the stolen property.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Alonzo Clark has returned from Chicago.

Mrs. Wilson of Canon Nevada is visiting friends in town.

Chas. Bradley and wife from Battle Creek are visiting Mrs. John Hause.

Geo. McAllister writes from southern Kansas that corn is three feet high.

Miss Lina Jones had a sister visiting her the past week.

Cards are out for the wedding of Norman Watson of Bridgewater and Miss Ellen Wimple of Tecumseh Thursday of this week.

Elsworth Arnold is home from Ohio to attend the wedding of his sister to Mr. John Flick.

The Methodist society hold their first social in the new parsonage Wednesday P. M. of this week.

Dr. Reaves moved to Ann Arbor this week.

Wm. Kishpaugh is home from Ann Arbor to spend the summer vacation.

Mrs. Wilson who owns a farm between here and Tecumseh, is home, and will spend the summer with friends in this vicinity.

Some of the Clinton Masons visited the Manchester lodge Monday eve.

Mrs. Bostedor, of Eaton Rapids, is visiting friends in town.

Calista Brown is visiting in Jackson

The Episcopal society have made arrangements to keep open a restaurant over B. O. Randall & Co's store the 4th.

Mrs. Barton Lazelle, of Jonesville, is visiting her brother, Slade Lazelle, of Bridgewater.

The Baptist social this week, was held at Mr. Watson's, in Bridgewater Wednesday P. M.

Fifty loads of wool were delivered in town last Saturday.

Wm. Bartlett started with a carlord of sheep to his son's in Newago Co., on Tuesday last.

David Woodward is selling hay tedders for forty-two dollars this year.

The Clinton strawberry men are not a little excited over large berries this year. Some very large ones have been on exhibition during the last week at Dr. Burchard's drug store. Delos Cutting brought in a basket that only took thirty berries to make a quart. Ten berries measured over four and one-half inches in circumference and one measured five and five-eights in circumference and weighed three hundred and sixty grains. Then Geo. Gibson presented a quart, which consisted of only twenty-four berries, but were not fully ripe, the largest of which weighed four hundred and sixty grains. Jos. Kies also presented a ripe berry that tipped the scales at three hundred and eighty-seven grains. Mr. Gibson thought he would give his competitors no reason to complain, because his berries were green, so he brought another quart consisting of twenty-eight berries, the largest measuring seven and one half inches in circumference and weighing four hundred and sixty grains. Mr. Gibson is No. 1 so far.

Donaldson's Circus visited this place Monday last and was well patronized. Although some of the company are unable to perform their parts at present and consequently some of the best acts have to be omitted. The show is a creditable one and above the average of circus performances. Mr. Smith's exhibition of trained dogs is probably the best in the country. Mr. Donaldson the proprietor is suffering from malarial fever being confined to his bed at the Lancaster House.

LAYING THE CORNER STONE.

The Programme so far as arranged by the Committee in Charge.

The exercises attending the laying of the corner stone of the new court house will take place on Saturday, June 28th, 1884, at two o'clock p. m., at the court house grounds in the city of Adrian.

The officers of the day are as follows:

President—Hon. John K. Boies, Hudson.

Vice Presidents—First ward, A. H. Wood; Second ward, Jno. A. Mitchell, Third ward, W. S. Wilcox, Adrian, Samuel Tingley; Blissfield, A. D. Gilmore; Cambridge, Samuel Morey; Clinton, Alonzo Clark; Deerfield, Jas. Manning; Dover, H. N. Sword; Fairfield, Cornelius Quick; Franklin, Albert Camburn; Hudson, H. C. Hall; Macon, Geo. Howell; Madison, Geo. L. Crane; Medina, Edwin Haff; Ogden, Benj. Hicks; Palmyra, Geo. Humphrey; Raisin, Alexander Richards; Ridgeway, F. V. Hoagland; Risa, Adam Oreher; Rollin, Jno. U. Harkness; Rome, H. M. Hopkins; Seneca, Casper Rorick; Tecumseh, Wm. Hayden; Woodstock, Manson Carpenter.

Marshal—Charles Bidwell.

Orator—Hon. Thos. M. Cooley, of Ann Arbor.

The exercises in addition to the address by the orator of the day will consist of music and short addresses hereafter to be determined upon. It is hoped that all societies and organizations in the county and the public generally will take part in the exercises and join in the procession on the grounds and an invitation is hereby extended to all such societies, organizations, and to all citizens of the county, to participate in the same. No special invitations will be sent to any one.

All societies and organizations who will participate are requested to send in notice of their intention to Charles Bidwell, marshal, on or before the 27th instant.

It is desirable that the articles to be deposited in the corner stone illustrate, as far as possible, the history of the county and its several townships. Accordingly each township and all societies and organizations having matters of interest prepared are invited to send the same to T. M. Hunter, Adrian, Mich., on or before the 27th day of June. Each of the Newspapers of the county is requested to furnish a copy of its publication for the week ending the 28th of June, 1884, to Mr. Hunter for deposit in the stone.

Dated June 18, 1884.

THE BUILDING COMMITTEE,
By T. M. Hunter, Secretary.
THE CITIZENS' COMMITTEE,
By B. F. Graves, Secretary.

FLORIDA FOR SETTLERS.

The fact that more than 2,000 homesteads have been taken in Florida the past year, is a suggestive item, and is one for the intending settler to make note of, as, at this rapid rate government land will soon all be taken, or at least all that is worth having.

In many portions of the State land that was bought of the government at $1.25 per acre only a year ago, has been already sold at $25; the lucky settler being fortunate enough to locate near the line of a railroad since completed, and opening a market to the North.

It is as a rule, a perfect safe investment to buy any high price pine land in Florida, at the government price; it certainly never will go down, and the portion of the United States that will produce semi tropical fruits and winter vegetables is so limited, that land which will produce them must soon become exceedingly valuable. The fortunes being rolled up by those who settled a few years ago, are well calculated to start the most visionary ideas in underbalanced minds. No one should come to Florida or any other Southern or Western State without first soberly counting the cost. It is a pitiful sight to see poor families with small children arrive in Florida without means or any but the most indefinite idea of what they are to do for a living. It is true, some of this class have achieved success, it would seem, by sheer good luck; but it is against all ideas of common sense to expect more than total or partial failure and suffering, more or less disastrous, according to the pluck, tact and skill of the emigrant. Florida, while being a State full of undeveloped industry, yet needs the same brains, money and skill that her Northern sisters have required to make them so prosperous. It is true that settlers in the extreme sunny south will not have the hardships and suffering incident to emigrating to the Western prairies, with their cyclones and blizzards; neither will unskilled labor bring the returns in Florida that may be secured in Dakota. These, in short are some of those who may reasonably expect to succeed, and vice versa:

THOSE WHO MAY EXPECT TO SUCCEED IN FLORIDA.

First—Those who have a few hundreds or thousands laid up in ready cash, to bridge over the hungry gap between the arrival in a strange country with new ways, and marketing crops or learning the entirely new methods of business.

Second—Those who have a trade, like carpentering, and are willing to work at it while waiting for the grove or garden to bring forth. Shoemakers, tailors, tin and blacksmiths and store keepers are perhaps nowhere better paid.

Third—Those who thrive best in, and enjoy warm weather, and those with a hereditary tendency to pulmonary diseases; those already far advanced had better stay away.

Fourth—Those fond of horticultural outdoor pursuits, and who would be glad to exchange the snow bound North for a climate and soil that will permit them to labor at their vocation the year round.

Fifth—Those who can easily adapt themselves to greatly changed ideas of life and living. Those with a tendency to seeing the dark side, or grumblers, had better keep away.

THOSE BETTER OFF AT HOME.

First—Those enjoying a fair salary, who have not been able to lay by anything.

Second—Those who only have taste or skill as clerks, book-keepers, etc., of which class there is always a surplus.

Third—Those who enjoy the best health and spirits in cool weather; and those who will grumble at a climate whose coldest is at least forty degrees warmer (in winter) than they have been accustomed to.

Fourth—Those expecting to get an easy living by opening saloons, etc. For such persons, Florida is the worst possible place; license high, and local option. Public opinion is greatly against such business.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 19, 1884.

HOUSE CLEANING.

Taking down the pictures,
Dusting off the wall—
"Not at home this morning,
Should there be a call."

Toast and eggs for breakfast—
Things turned upside down—
Wife and girl a jawing—
Husband skips for town.

Taking up the carpet—
Tacks and dust for lunch—
Boy, for asking questions,
Gets from ma a punch.

Washing off the windows—
Doors all open—wide—
She with pail and dust-pan
Used to be my bride.

No fire in the furnace—
Bell goes on a ring—
"Cleaning house to-day, m'm,
First day of the spring."

Night: a doctor setting—
Wife done up in bed.
Husband scoots for drug sto
Clerk asks who is dead.

Night reporter's item,
"Coroner had a ring
For a stiff found floating—
First one of the spring."

Verdict of the jury—
"Death by drowning—
"Suicide from torment,
Caused by cleaning house."

HANDLING THE DEAD.

Forty-Five Years' Experience With Dead Bodies—How Handling the Dead Affects Those in the Business—Old-Time Funerals.

"Hard-hearted? Why, just the contrary. It makes a man tender-hearted. I believe if you'd get the veriest desperado to become an undertaker's assistant he'd be a kind and gentle man in six months. I've been forty-five years in the business and I've never known a man in it who wasn't a kind, good-hearted fellow."

This was said to a reporter by one of the oldest undertakers in the city.

"How do you account for it?" asked the reporter.

"I suppose it's being so constantly in the presence of death. Why, a man would be a brute who could handle many dead bodies without being softened not only in his feelings but in his manner. Some people think our assistants, when they are preparing a body for burial, roll and toss it about like a log of wood. That's a great mistake. They handle it as tenderly as if it were a newly-born baby. A lady once asked me if it were true that our people sometimes dressed a body so carelessly that they stuck pins through the flesh. Now that's ridiculous. I never knew of such a case in all my experience."

"The washing and dressing of a body is always left to the undertaker. I suppose?"

"Nearly always. Sometimes, when a female dies, some aunt or other female relative prefers to do the dressing. When it is left to us we of course consult the family as to the style of dress they desire. We have girls employed here to make burial robes and dresses and they are generally busy. A young lady, who was about to be married, died a short time ago, and as her wedding dress was nearly ready they buried her in that. As a rule we dress a young female in white and middle-aged and old ones in black. Males are dressed in black.

"How do you keep the body in good condition until the time for the funeral? Isn't it necessary to do something to preserve the normal appearance of the features and prevent mortification from setting in?"

"Oh, yes; there are two ways of doing that. One is embalming, and the other is putting the body on ice. Embalming, you know, is done by injecting a fluid into the arteries. An incision is made in the arm and an artery taken up and cut. One end is then bound and the fluid injected into the other. How long will it preserve the body? That I can't say. The makers of the fluid claim that it will preserve it for years in a perfectly natural condition. I've never had an opportunity of testing it—I only know what they say about it. No, I don't know what the fluid is. The manufacturers keep that a secret."

"Is the embalming process expensive?"

"Oh, no; it costs about the same as keeping the body on ice, but some people object to it because it is necessary to make an incision in the arm. Only about twenty-five per cent. of the bodies are embalmed."

"How do you keep a body on ice?"

"Well, we don't keep it actually on the ice; the ice surrounds it and reduces the temperature so low that the body freezes, so to speak. The ice, however, is never in contact with the body. But sometimes, do what we will, dark spots will appear on a body where blood has settled and congealed. Some member of a family has often said to me, on seeing these discolorations, that mortification was beginning, but I have rarely failed to remove them by bathing them in warm water and rubbing them with my hand. That warms the congealed blood and it assumes its natural color or leaves the spot. Not long ago a lady delayed the funeral services of her husband, although the minister and friends were present, until the family physician could be brought to see if he were not really alive. She had noticed a pinkish color on one ear and cheek and couldn't be persuaded that he was dead, notwithstanding the fact that his body had been frozen on ice for three days."

"I have heard that in New York the undertakers, at the request of the family, often paint the faces of the dead to give them a life-like appearance. Is that ever done here?"

"Never to my knowledge. We sometimes have to touch up the discolored spots with a preparation we have, but I could never be persuaded to paint a dead person's face."

"Did you ever know of a person's being buried alive?"

"Never, and I doubt if such a thing ever happened. I've heard of a body's being taken up from the grave and found turned over in the coffin, but I can readily understand how the water that sometimes gets into graves would gradually fill the coffin and float the body out of its proper position. How could a man come to life all smothered up in a grave? It's impossible. I'll tell you what happened to me once, however. I was called in to attend to the body of a man who had died of Asiatic cholera. My assistant and I had washed the body and were preparing to put it on ice, when I noticed both hands—we had crossed them on the chest—move gently down alongside the body, just as if the man had got tired of having them in one position and wanted to change. I was a trifle startled, but I crossed the hands on the breast again more securely, thinking, perhaps, they had fallen over of their own weight. Presently they went back again to the side of the body in such a natural way that I made up my mind the man was not dead. This about two hours after his apparent death. The family were very anxious to have the body put on ice at once, but I invented some excuse for delaying it, said nothing about what I had seen and went after the doctor as fast as I could. He told me that the movement of the hands was a mere muscular action, which proved conclusively that the man had died of Asiatic cholera, contraction of the muscles nearly always occurring after death from that cause. I remember having seen then the body of a young lady who died of cholera, and one of her feet was bent under so that the toes nearly touched the heel."

"There have doubtless been great changes in funeral arrangements and attendants since you began your forty five years' experience?"

"Great changes? I should say so. I remember the time when it was customary among the best families here to provide for the dead a very plain, wedge-shaped mahogany coffin, lined with common cambric muslin. A bundle of shavings was put in under the muslin as a pillow for the head. To show you the difference between then and now, I made a cedar-wood casket a few days ago for a wealthy gentleman to be buried in that cost three hundred dollars. It was elegantly finished, lined with the finest satin and covered with black silk velvet that cost twelve dollars a yard."

"I suppose a man could be decently buried forty years ago for a hundred dollars."

"Seventy-five dollars was considered then a pretty big sum, and that was to cover all the expenses. Now one hundred and fifty dollars is about the average price, but some funerals cost five hundred dollars. In the old days nearly everybody was buried in a churchyard, or some other small burying ground within the city, and the coffin was frequently carried on men's shoulders instead of in a hearse. Very few carriages were used and there were no large cemeteries. Do you know, there are about three hundred burying places in and about Philadelphia? Since the opening of the large cemeteries the smaller grounds are seldom used, but they are all well filled with the graves of people who died in the old times."

"Are metal coffins or caskets much used now?"

"No; the hardwood casket has almost entirely superseded them. That is generally covered with cloth or velvet, though sometimes the hard wood finish is preferred. It has straight sides and is much more slightly than the old wedge-shaped coffin. A great improvement in the outer case has lately been made and is now coming into use. It is a rectangular box made of a material that is not only waterproof but imperishable. The base of the material is said to be a kind of lava, the very stuff the Egyptians used on the cloths they wrapped about the mummies. That's said to be a fact."

"I've heard a good deal about old ladies who attend funerals regularly for the sake of the ride to the cemetery and back; do they keep up the practice?"

"Oh, no; we've got rid of them. They spoiled their own game by coming too often. As soon as we got to know their faces we left them out of the carriages. An old driver told me once that he had the same old lady in his carriage six times in one week, and every time she insisted on being driven to her home after the burial. Another old lady was overlooked and put by mistake in a carriage with some of the family of the deceased, and on the way to the cemetery she asked if it was a lady or gentleman that was dead."

"One more question, please. Is Philadelphia the only city where they bow the shutters with black ribbon for a certain time after a death in the family?"

"Yes, I believe it is; but it is not done here as generally now as it used to be. It was the fashion some time ago to bow them for a year. I think one or two weeks is the present limit. It is an old custom that is falling out of use. Good day. Remember me when you need an undertaker."

"Ah, you are very kind. Many thanks."—*Philadelphia Times.*

The Baboon and the Ostrich.

The baboon was on good terms with all the animals of the neighborhood, but took a great dislike to some ostriches which wandered about and often came close to him, not apparently that they were necessarily unbeloved by apes, but because they did some very evil services unintentionally. He liked to get on a wall under a quantity of straw, which protected him from the sun, and there he dozed away. Now the ostrich has a very bad habit of trying to swallow or peck at everything; nothing comes amiss so that it can be swallowed, and they one and all are constantly poking here and poking there for most curious tid-bits. This was the case with the ostriches in the baboon's neighborhood, and it now and then happened that as they were on the search for a novelty they noticed his fine, stout tail hanging from the top of the wall. Of course the first ostrich which was near gave it a good peck with his strong beak, and doubtless a good pull also. This was a most uncalled-for liberty, and not only woke up the sleeper and hurt him, but also offended his dignity. He awoke full of rage, and before the ostrich could give a second peck at the gristly morsel the furious baboon rushed from under the straw, seized his enemy by the neck, and cuffed his head most soundly. He hated ostriches ever after.—*Cassell's Illustrated Natural History.*

—A plowman in Penn Yan, N. Y., recently unearthed 138 counterfeit American half dollars which had been placed under a stump. The coins were of copper, and were dated 1838.—*Buffalo Express.*

How to Handle Bees.

Some people get into a fury of excitement whenever they see a bee or hear its hum, though it be only intent on gathering a little honey from the nearest flower. They shout and wallop about them with hands or handkerchiefs, as if they were being attacked by an enemy. Such are just the people who generally get stung. Let the bee alone, even though it is buzzing close to your face. In all likelihood it is only satisfied by curiosity. Make a fuss about it, strike it, or get it entangled in your clothes or hair, and blame yourself if you feel its sting. When engaged in collecting honey or pollen from the flowers, no amount of teasing will cause it to sting unless you hurt or entangle it. Even when a swarm fills the air you may safely walk about in the midst of it, only let your motions be slow and deliberate. Should they alight on your hands or face, never mind; they will soon fly again; they are only resting. In such a case go slowly aside, and give yourself a gentle shake or two, but refrain from brushing or beating at the bees. Avoid, however, standing in the line of the flight of bees going from or returning to their hives. At such times they have such an impetus that before they are aware of your presence they get entangled in your hair, and are apt to resent your obtrusiveness. So much for one's passive behavior. Let us now suppose ourselves engaged in necessary action. First let us learn these principles:

1. Bees never attack when their stomachs are filled with honey or other liquid sweet. This is their normal condition when swarming, and therefore they are then harmless, as also when returning laden to their hives.

2. Neither do they attack when thoroughly frightened. We frighten bees by blowing smoke among them, or by rapping rather violently on their hives.

3. When bees are alarmed in a hive by smoke or concussion, their first impulse is to fill their honey bags from their combs.

4. Bees in a hive that is constantly being rapped against will in a few minutes rush bodily out from among their combs into an empty skep or box set over them.

Suppose now we wish to get all the bees out of a common straw hive. We provide the needful empty skep and four wood or iron pins, six or seven inches long, a roll of burning rags, unless we possess a modern bellows, smoker or tobacco pipe, and a stool or empty pail, on which to steady the hive while operating. We now approach the hive, blow three or four whiffs of smoke into the entrance to drive in any loiterers, gently raise the edge from the floor board, and repeat the smoking. Without the least jar, now lift the hive boldly up, and gently turn the mouth upward. If the bees show any sign of being ill-natured, give them a puff occasionally. Set the crown of the hive on to the stool or pail, and see that it is steady, and having the side where the bees are thickest raised an inch or two, now fix the empty skep over the other by sticking two of the pins into the lower hive, about an inch or two below the highest part of its edge, so as to support the edge of the empty skep. The other pins, sharpened at both ends, are placed as supports between the skeps. They will thus touch each other at one side, the other being open so as to give a full view.

Now commence rapping, gently at first, but gradually with more force, against the sides of the lower hive. In a few seconds the bees will commence to run as if for life to the upper hive. Among them may be seen the queen if a sharp lookout be kept. The great art here is in keeping the bees in one continuous steady stream. Once they take a stand it is not so easy to dislodge them. Five to ten minutes should suffice to finish the operation if the room be warm. The driven bees may now be shaken about or tumbled from one hive to another without the slightest risk of stings.

If the weather be cold, or the operation to be performed at a season when there is no unsealed honey in the hive, a little warm syrup should be sprinkled on the bees before commencing to drive.

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In getting bees into a hive we either pour them down in front of it, directing their course to its entrance with a feather, or shake them at once on the top of the frames, and cover instantly with a cloth.

To secure a swarm that has issued and clustered on a tree or bush, we advise, if possible, to cut the branch off after all are settled. If this be done gently, the bees can then be carried to the stand they are to occupy, laid down at the door of their new hive, and directed with a feather, as before; otherwise we hold an inverted skep below the cluster, give the branch one sharp rap, cover the skep, into which the bees will fall, with a cloth, and carry it to its future abode.

To make a simple examination of a colony in a bar frame hive, the quilt is removed, a puff or two of smoke given, and the frames are lifted one at a time, with as little jar as possible. Both sides can be examined; the queen seen and captured if desired, and the entire secrets of the hive discovered without hurting a bee or receiving a sting.—*Dublin (Ireland) Farmers' Gazette.*

A Logician.

"How is it," said a citizen, meeting an acquaintance, "that you manage to wear such good clothes? If you would not expend so much money on dress, you might be able to repay that sum of money you borrowed from me."

"It is evident that you do not understand the situation," the acquaintance replied. "If I did not dress well I could not borrow money. I bought these clothes with the money I borrowed from you. I am out of business, you know, and if I don't keep myself in presentable shape, why, I'd come out at the contracted end of the wind instrument."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

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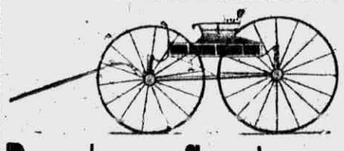

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

MR. VOORHEES offered a resolution in the Senate on the 11th calling on the Secretary for the Interior for information concerning the supplies of beef to Indians laid over for one week. Consideration of the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill was then resumed. After a long debate on the item appropriating $250,000 to cover the necessary expenses attendant upon the execution of the neutrality act, without reaching a conclusion the Senate adjourned. After passing the Senate bill extending the time to commence laying the Atlantic cable, the House went into Committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor bill, consideration of which occupied the day. The appropriation portion of the bill being concluded, the committee rose and the House adjourned.

THE Senate on the 12th passed the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill—yeas 38, nays 2; an addition of $800,000 is made to the bill as reported from the House. The Mexican Pension bill was taken up and debated at length, but without reaching a conclusion on the bill. The Senate went into executive session and when the doors were re-opened, adjourned. The House, in Committee of the Whole, resumed consideration of the River and Harbor bill. After the adoption of several amendments the committee rose and reported the bill to the House, when Mr. Oates moved to strike out the Hennepin Canal clause; agreed to. The bill was then passed—yeas 156, nays 104. The Speaker appointed Messrs. Follett, Hutchins and Cannon conferees for the District of Columbia Appropriation bill. Mr. Eaton called up the Senate bill regulating the electoral count, with the amendment proposed by the House Committee on State Presidential Laws as a substitute. Pending debate on the bill the House adjourned.

THE Senate on the 13th passed the House bill providing for the payment of "Fourth of July" claims. The Chair appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate on the Consular and Diplomatic bill, Messrs. Allen, Hale and Beck; and on the Pension bill, Messrs. Logan, Dawes and Call. The bill to require the payment of $35,555 to the State of Georgia on account of moneys expended by that State for the common defense in 1777, was discussed at length, but without action. The Senate adjourned until the 16th. In the House the Senate amendments to the Consular and Diplomatic and Pension Appropriation bills were non-concurred in. Mr. Townsend submitted a conference report on the Postoffice Appropriation bill, giving the items upon which no agreement had been reached. On motion of Mr. Hoar, the House receded from its disagreement to the amendment increasing from $3,000,000 to $4,000,000 the appropriation for the pay of letter carriers—yeas 115, nays 53—so the Senate amendment was concurred in. The House then insisted on its disagreement to the other amendments, and took a recess until evening, when seventy-six pension bills were passed. Adjourned.

THE House on the 14th resumed consideration of the amendments in dispute between the two Houses upon the Postoffice Appropriation bill, the pending amendment being that incorporated by the Senate appropriating $185,000 for special mail facilities on trunk lines. Finally, on motion of Mr. Horr, the House receded from its disagreement to the amendment and agreed to the same with an amendment increasing the appropriation to $250,000. The House refused to concur in the remaining amendment increasing from $4,000,000 to $4,300,000 the appropriation for railway postoffice clerks. This completed the consideration of the bill, and Pacific Railroad business was taken up. Pending discussion of a bill requiring the Pacific Railroad companies to pay the cost of conveying, surveying, and selecting of lands granted to and earned by those companies, the House adjourned. The Senate was not in session.

DOMESTIC.

THE Washington *Star* claims that recent disclosures show that the failure of the banking house of Middleton & Co. is not only the most disgraceful but the most disastrous one on record. Property left for safe keeping, good margins on stocks, charity funds, all of the deposits, and in fact everything, has been swept away and used by this firm until it is doubtful if it pays a cent or even a mill on the dollar. It is shown that they have been given bonds to make purchases which they have simply passed to their own credit and spent. Efforts are being made to have them indicted for obtaining money under false pretences.

AN attachment has been granted against the property of John C. Eno, the absconding President of the Second National Bank of New York, in a suit brought by the bank to recover $3,185,000, which amount, it is alleged, Eno misappropriated.

AT Williams & Hamilton's sale of short horn cattle at Lexington, Ky., on the 13th, fifty-three head brought an average of $589.

JAMES D. FISH, ex-President of the Marine National Bank of New York, has been indicted by the United States Grand Jury for violation of the banking laws.

THE annual banquet of the Pennsylvania Farmers' Club was held at the residence of Colonel Duffy in Lancaster on the 12th. Among those present were Senators Edmunds, Pendleton, Bayard, J. Donald Cameron, Angus Cameron, Samuel J. Randall, General Simon Cameron, Charles A. Dana, George W. Childs, and the Judges of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

THE project of holding at St. Louis a reunion of both American and Mexican veterans of the war of 1846 and 1847 is cordially endorsed by General Diaz and other prominent Mexicans, as the best opportunity to seal the friendship between the republics. General Diaz says the Mexican Government will aid the project in every way.

THE House Public Lands Committee has agreed to report favorably the bill requiring the General Government to pay the State of California, for school purposes, five per cent. of the net proceeds of all public lands sold within her boundaries since the State's admission. The amount proposed for payment is estimated at $1,000,000.

THE International Sunday School Convention closed its labors at Louisville on the 13th. The following Executive Committee was appointed for the coming year: James F. Funplar, Alabama; O. T. Flint, Arkansas; H. C. Sigler, California; George T. Hays, Colorado; N. H. Hall, Connecticut; E. G. Wheeler, Dakota; J. B. Night, District of Columbia; C. C. McLean, Florida; J. C. Courtney, Georgia; B. F. Jacobs, Illinois; J. S. Morrow, Indian Territory; W. H. Levering, Indiana; S. W. Cole, Iowa; T. B. Sweet, Kansas; A. I. Hobbs, Kentucky; T. W. Flynn, Louisiana; B. T. Snow, Maine; J. B. Thippes, Maryland; Smith Baker, Massachusetts; E. K. Warren, Michigan; Henry Plant, Minnesota; J. B. Streator, Mississippi; W. T. Paxton, Missouri; L. L. Wood, Montana; J. B. Hartwell, Nebraska; John T. Sane, New Hampshire; William Harris, New Jersey; W. A. Duncan, New York; E. A. Ebert, North Carolina; Robert Cowden, Ohio; C. T. Hetsler, Oregon; E. S. Wagoner, Pennsylvania; A. B. McCrillis, Rhode Island; J. W. Lupton, Tennessee; Ira H. Evans, Texas; J. H. Babbitt, Vermont; W. A. Crawford, Virginia; Dexter Horton, Washington Territory. The committee elected officers for 1884-7 as follows: Chairman, D. F. Jacobs, Chicago; Treasurer, L. A. Bigelow, New York; Secretary, James D. Phipps, Baltimore; Finance Committee, L. A. Bigelow, New York, E. S. Wagoner, Pennsylvania, James Phipps, Baltimore. The convention adjourned to meet at a time and place to be appointed by the Executive Committee.

COLONEL NELSON PLATO, Collector of Customs for the Corpus Christi (Texas) district has been placed under arrest charged with being a defaulter to the Government in the sum of $1,770.

THE challenge of Peter H. Conley for a five mile race for $1,000 a side has been accepted by Teemer of Pittsburgh, who names July 4, at Oak Point.

JUDGE EDGERTON granted a motion made to quash the indictment against Governor Ordway in connection with the Dakota Capital removal, on the ground that the Grand Jury has no jurisdiction over the alleged offense of an executive, so far as his official acts are concerned.

THE treaty which has been under consideration in the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, providing for an international copyright and patent system, and which has already been ratified and promulgated by twenty-four governments, was reported adversely by the committee to the Senate, and after a brief discussion was rejected.

DURING a heavy wind storm at Carthage, Missouri, on the 14th the family of Mr. Brunk fled to the cellar for safety, leaving a son, Oliver, aged seventeen, sick in bed, and when they returned after the storm had passed they found him dead from fright.

CURRAN WINSLOW, a twelve-year-old boy, died at Clinton, Ill., on the 15th from the effects of a threatened chastisement by his parents for some small misdemeanor.

THE trial of Attorney T. C. Campbell for the alleged attempted bribery of a juror in the case of William Berner, just before the Cincinnati riot, closed on the 14th with a disagreement of the jury, which stood five for acquittal to seven for conviction.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended June 14: Loans decrease, $6,725,300; specie increase, $2,409,800; legal tenders increase, $2,592,300; deposits decrease, $2,211,600; circulation decrease, $31,000,100; reserve increase, $5,645,000. The banks held $6,984,500 in excess of legal requirements.

THE Lehigh Valley Railroad has purchased 50,000 acres of coal land in Clearfield County, Pennsylvania, for $1,000,000 cash.

A FIRE at St. Paul on the 14th destroyed eight frame houses and a number of sheds on Seventh Street. Loss about $20,000; insured.

THE Omaha (Nebraska) Grand Jury on the 14th indicted Mayor Chase and City Marshal Guthrie for alleged bribery and perjury. It is charged the two officials have been levying a tribute upon the gamblers and prostitutes and received money from contracts. The evidence against them is said to have been given mainly by the gamblers, who claim to have paid and handled the corruption fund.

WILLIAM DANIELS and Cornelius Davis and wife were arrested at Flint, Mich., by the United States Marshal and taken to Detroit on the 14th for examination for counterfeiting. Daniels is believed to be John Rhienehart, the notorious Pennsylvania counterfeiter, under an assumed name. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to a fine of $500 and to imprisonment for ten years. On the premises of the Davis family were found moulds, melting ladles and a large quantity of raw material and counterfeit half dollars. Davis and his wife were held for further examination, in bonds of $3,000 each.

LATEST returns to the Illinois Department of Agriculture give a more discouraging outlook for the growing crops than one month ago. In the central and southern divisions there is much complaint of the appearance of a large amount of chess. In the northern division there is prospect for 94 per cent. of an average crop; in the central division 77, and the southern 64. In average seasons over one-half the winter wheat crop of the State is produced in the southern division and a partial failure of over one-third of the average yield per acre will greatly reduce the crops of the State.

BY the explosion of a boiler used at an oil well in Butler, Pa., on the 15th the engineer, Richard Walker, was killed, and his son, standing near by, received fatal injuries.

THE necessary papers to secure the extradition of John C. Eno, the defaulting President of the Second National Bank of New York, were made out at Washington on the 14th and the officials left with them for Canada. The State Department formally notified the British Minister that requisition had been made for the surrender of Eno.

AN approximate statement of the officers of the West Virginia Bank at Charleston made by the assignees on the 14th, shows the liabilities of the bank to be about $125,000, nominal assets about $160,000. The assignees feel confident that a large part of the indebtedness of the bank will be paid.

AT Montrose, Pa., on the 14th, William H. Cooper, a wealthy banker, was shot three times by Joseph Drinker who then attempted suicide by poison. It was thought both would recover, though Cooper's condition was critical.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Episcopal Convention in session at Reading, Pa., has elected Rev. D. N. S. Rulison, of Cleveland, O., assistant bishop of the Central Diocese of Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM G. MORGAN, defaulting agent of the New York banking firm of Putnam & Earle, was on the 11th sentenced to three years in the Connecticut penitentiary.

COLONEL MORROW whose name figured prominently in the Swaim case in connection with duplicate pay accounts, is to be court-martialed.

A TARIFF Reform League was formed at New York on the 11th with W. B. Anderson, of Rochester University, president. The vice presidents include Henry Ward Beecher, George William Curtis and ex-Governor Robinson. The league is to hold an annual convention. Addresses were made by David A. Wells, General Devins, Thomas G. Shearman and others.

GENERAL CHARLES H. GROSVENOR, of Athens, has been nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the Fourteenth Ohio district.

MRS. MCSWEENEY, wife of John McSweeney, Ohio's great criminal lawyer and orator, died at her home in Wooster on the 11th.

CALHOUN BENHAM, a prominent lawyer of San Francisco, died on the 12th. In the famous duel between Judge David Terry and Senator Broderick, Benham acted as Terry's second.

HON. HEISTER CLYMER, died suddenly of paralysis at Reading, Pa., on the 12th aged fifty-seven years. The deceased served in the Pennsylvania State Senate six years, was Democratic candidate for Governor against Geary in 1866, and served in Congress from Berks District from 1873 to 1881.

THE degree of Doctor of Philosophy was conferred upon Mrs. Elizabeth Boynton Herbert, of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean*, and Sarah Amelia Scull, of Washington, D. C., author of a text book on Greek mythology, by the Wesleyan Female College at Cincinnati, of which they are graduates. A class of eleven graduated.

STEPS are being taken at Cincinnati to organize a Thurman club with a view of attending the Chicago convention in a body to urge his claims for the nomination.

WILLIAM SEXTON, the billiard player, was seriously injured at New York on the 15th by being thrown from a buggy. His left arm was broken in two places and his head badly bruised.

THE Ohio Republican State Central Committee have elected the following Executive Committee: Chairman, J. F. Ogleves; Secretary, J. R. Brown; Treasurer, G. W. Sinks; Charles Foster, J. B. Foraker, M. A. Hanna, C. C. Waddell, S. L. Johnson, James Poindexter, T. Ewing Miller.

FOREIGN.

REPORTS have reached Cairo that the rebels had massacred Hussein Pasha, the Khalifa, commander at Berber, and all his family, besides the garrison, which was faithful to the Khedive, and European traders who remained there.

IT is said that the English sergeants at Suakim have resigned owing to the cowardice of the Egyptian officers and men.

BLACKSMITHS and furriers in Austria recently struck for twelve hours a day and rest on Sunday, and $2.81 per week. At present they work fourteen hours, half day Sunday, for thirty-six cents a day.

IN the English House of Commons on the 12th Woodall's amendment to the franchise bill, in favor of female suffrage, was rejected by a vote of 271 to 135.

NEWS reached London on the 12th that a water spout occurred in Akulsig, Russian Turkestan, on June 2. The river was overflowed, seventy houses destroyed and forty persons drowned.

Two insane men, named Napoleon Voisine and Elsia Joly, recently escaped from the Quebec asylum, and their bodies were found drowned on Beauport Beach.

A FIRE at Winnipeg, Manitoba, on the 12th destroyed a block of buildings valued at $100,000.

THE banking houses of Baring Bros. & Glyn and Mills, Currie & Co., of London, have issued £5,000,000 of the new Canadian 3½ per cent. loan. The minimum price is 91.

RICHARD HOWARD and three companions, names unknown, were drowned in Toronto Bay on the 13th.

A LONDON dispatch of the 15th states that an Arab at Korosko, who claims to be the sole survivor of the Berber garrison, says he was present when the rebels attacked Berber, May 23d. The garrison defended the town two hours, but the rebels forced their way into the city, where they immediately massacred 1,500 men of the garrison and 2,000 of the male population. The women and children were spared. The story is believed by Major Kitchener and the son of Hussein, Pasha Khalifi, Governor of Berber. The fall of Berber is officially credited at Wady Halfa.

SEVEN men were executed on the 14th at Jarez, Spain, for the Blackhand Socialist outrages. Five others were committed to imprisonment for life.

AT London, Ontario, on the 14th four members of the Salvation Army were fined ten dollars each or ten days in jail for beating drums, etc., on the streets. They appeal.

THEBAW, King of Burmah, poisoned the Queen and her mother, and then married the Queen's sister.

IT is reported that El Mahdi is marching toward Dongola with 35,000 troops, and hopes to capture the town before the feast of Ramadan, June 25.

LATER.

WHILE workmen were engaged in sinking a well for a new pumping engine at the Wheeling (W. Va.) city water works on the 16th, the excavation having reached a depth of fifty-two feet, quicksand was noticed oozing into the well beneath the wooden wall. The contractor ordered all men from the well, and all reached terra firma in safety, when the pressure on the wooden shell collapsed it and the earth caved in for a space of twenty-five feet on each side of the well, carrying the hoisting derrick, engine and two men to a depth of forty feet. One man, John Smith, a carpenter, aged forty, of Wellsville, O., was buried beneath the mass. Patrick Scullen, a miner, of East Liverpool, was dangerously crushed, but was gotten out alive.

NEW ZEALAND advices by the steamer Zealander, which arrived at San Francisco on the 17th, says that the British iron ship Syria, from Calcutta to Fiji, having aboard 480 coolies, ran on the Nasali reef and seventy coolies were drowned. All the crew but three are missing.

M. G. NORTON, of Winona, Minn., elected at Chicago as a member of the National Republican Committee for Minnesota, has sent his resignation to the State Central Committee. It is thought the committee will appoint Ex-Governor Davis.

WHILE witnessing a balloon ascension at Bordeaux, France, on the 15th, George W. Roosevelt, United States Consul, was shot by a French soldier, who then escaped. The bullet passed through Roosevelt's hat, contused his head and knocked him over. It is supposed the soldier mistook the Consul for an officer in civilian's dress against whom he had a grudge.

ADVICES from Greenland received in London, on the 16th state that the brig Eleria had been crushed in the ice and ten of the crew were drowned.

A BILL was reported favorably in the Senate on the 16th increasing the appropriation for public buildings in Erie, Pa., from $150,000 to $300,000. Mr. Plumb reported the Army Appropriation bill; it appropriates $25,000 more than the House bill. The report of the conference committee upon the Postoffice Appropriation bill was taken up, and the Senate concurred in the House amendment increasing the amount appropriated for "special facilities on trunk lines" from $180,000 to $250,000; but the three remaining Senate amendments to the bill were insisted upon. Consideration of the Utah bill was then resumed. After debate, without action, the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. In the House bills were introduced and referred: By Mr. Follett, granting 160 acres of the public domain to every honorably discharged Union soldier and sailor of the late war; by Mr. Belford, for the erection of a Union and Confederate Soldiers' Home at Denver. Mr. Lowry, from the Committee on Elections, submitted a report on the contested election case of Campbell vs. Morey, declaring the contestant entitled to the seat; laid over. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Deficiency Appropriation bill. An amendment was adopted, appropriating the following sums for refunding State expenses incurred in raising volunteers: Ohio, $90,246; New York, $54,946; Michigan, $12,345; Massachusetts, $28,639. Adjourned.

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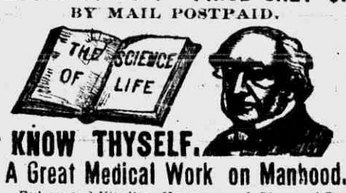

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ESTATE OF JOHN HENRY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 4th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry, late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Seville Henry, the widow of said deceased, praying for the allowance and probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to said petitioner, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of June, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ROBERT W. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 16th day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Robert W. King, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Abner Wilson, guardian of said minor, praying that said minor has now attained to the age of fourteen years and praying that his resignation now on file in this court, may be accepted that his final account as such late guardian may be allowed, that he may be ordered to pay over the estate in his hands belonging to said minor to his guardian, when appointed, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday the 23d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring, deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A.D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Southworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Administrator of said Estate.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant.
vs.
Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 30th day of July 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier, thence north-easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land, will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning, being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

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The Democratic opportunity has arrived. Will the leaders prove themselves equal to the occasion? Time will show.

The prevailing sentiment seems to be that the Democrats have the game in their own hands. Will they possess wisdom enough to hold it?

Blaine and Logan will run a red-fire, sky-rocket campaign, but can they get the necessary votes? This question can be best answered after the election.

The letter of declination of Samuel J. Tilden will stand at the head of the political literature of this campaign. It is safe to say that no letter of acceptance will compare with it.

The Republicans, in their Chicago platform, adopted the plan of trying to please everybody. The result is, they pleased nobody and are likely to lose the election in the bargain.

The Blaine & Logan ticket seems to take differently in different sections of the country. In most of the Western states the ticket will run well. It is weak in New York and New England.

It looks more and more like Benj. F. Butler. Butler's nomination would bring into the Democratic camp half a million of allies. Could he hold a united Democratic support? There's the rub.

The duty of the Democracy is plain. They must nominate a ticket which will command the confidence of thinking, reasoning men in all parties, above all a clean, honest ticket, or go down in defeat.

The Republican hope of success now rests almost wholly upon the Democratic capacity for blundering. This has been a safe reliance in many a past campaign, and may serve them another good turn.

The reception of the Chicago ticket justifies the prophecy made in the HERALD two weeks ago. John Sherman would have been equally as strong in Ohio, and would have led a united Republican party in New York.

Here are half a dozen good Democratic tickets: Cleveland & Hoadley, Cleveland & McDonald, Cleveland & Palmer, Butler & Carlisle, Thurman & Slocum, Butler & Palmer. The last one named is not the least, by any means.

The nomination of Blaine and Logan has relegated the tariff issue into the shades of obscurity. The issue of honest government and administrative reform becomes the paramount one. If the Democracy are wise they will accept the challenge on Blaine's own ground.

Can the Democratic leaders unite the various elements which are hostile to Blaine & Logan on one platform and one ticket? That is the problem for the July convention to solve. The prize to be won is a grand one, and deserves a united and harmonious effort by the best men in the party.

People who flatter themselves that Blaine & Logan can be easily beaten, show little knowledge of practical politics. They will take command of their forces in person, recruits will be welcomed from every possible source, stragglers will be brought in, the commissary department will be kept well supplied and every inch of ground will be hotly contested. They can be beaten, but it will be no holiday task to do it.

Whatever people may think of Tilden's physical condition, his letter of withdrawal shows that his brain has not lost its cunning. It is a masterpiece of political management and a grand literary composition. Jefferson, Jackson, Tilden. Tilden completes the trio. These three will go down in history as the apostles of the Democracy.

Gov. Cleveland's nomination would gather in the independent Republicans of New York. Ben Butler's would draw the Anti-monopolists and Greenbackers. Can a ticket be formed which would harmonize both these elements and unite the straight Democratic vote? To the accomplishment of this task the Democratic leaders should earnestly, unitedly and practically address themselves.

BURIED IN QUICKSAND.

Two Workmen Carried Forty Feet Into the Earth by an Immense Cave-In.

WHEELING, W. Va., June 17.—A shocking and fatal calamity of a unique character occurred here yesterday. Workmen were engaged in sinking a well for a new pumping engine at the city waterworks, and the excavation had reached the requisite depth of fifty-two feet, had been carefully guarded with a curbing of oak plank, and the walling with brick was about to commence, when the quicksand was noticed coming into the well beneath the wooden wall. The contractor ordered all men from the well and all reached terra firma in safety, when the pressure on the wooden shell collapsed it and the earth caved in for a space of twenty-five feet on each side of the well, itself twenty-eight feet across, and carrying the hoisting derrick, engine and two men to a depth of forty feet. One man, John Smith, a carpenter, aged forty, of Wellsville, O., was buried beneath the mass and has not been extricated yet. Patrick Scullen, a miner of East Liverpool, was dangerously crushed, but was gotten out alive.

A large force of men have been working constantly for five hours to recover Smith's body, but the treacherous quicksand caves in as fast as dug out. The situation is dangerous, and a heavy rain would destroy the entire waterworks and much adjacent property. Nobody is to blame, the character of the foundation being unknown. Smith leaves a wife and four children.

Fatal Powder Explosion.

AKRON, O., June 17.—A powder magazine just northeast of this city, owned by Paige Brothers, hardware dealers, exploded with a terrific report at five o'clock yesterday afternoon. A number of boys were playing around it, and one touched a match to a cake of wet powder lying outside. The flash at once communicated to the powder inside through a hole in the corner of the magazine, and a tremendous explosion occurred. Perry Peck, aged nine, was burned to a crisp, his legs being consumed and little left but the charred trunk. Cliff Booth and "Butch" Teeple, aged about twelve, were horribly burned on the arms and side, but not fatally. The clothing of three others took fire and they were blown violently some distance, but succeeded in putting out the fire and were little burned. The magazine contained seventy kegs of damp powder and was about to be abandoned. The building was demolished. The report was heard nearly a mile.

Clifford, the Rendville Lyncher, Makes His Escape from Jail.

NEW LEXINGTON, O., June 17.—The discovery was made some time this forenoon that Jim Clifford, who was in jail for lynching Richard Hickey, had made his escape. Isaac Rhinehart, the jailer, was soon after found at his home intoxicated, stupid, sick, and had probably been drugged. His wife states that he came home late in the night in a delirious condition. Hannagan, Blakely and the two Farrons, who are in jail for the assault upon McDevitt, say that about two o'clock in the night two or three men came to the jail, unlocked the doors, let Clifford out, and then locked them again. The jailer is not in a condition to tell anything at present, but when he recovers may be able to make important disclosures. Clifford was to have had his trial at the present term.

Pittsburgh Oil Certificates.

PITTSBURGH, June 17.—At a meeting of the directors of the Petroleum Exchange yesterday morning, a resolution was adopted that hereafter no vouchers shall be accepted for oil to be delivered or received from any bank not a member of the Pittsburgh Clearing House Association. The action was brought about by a bank last Saturday refusing a check for $60,000 drawn on another bank not a member of the Clearing House Association and demanding cash or a check on a Clearing House bank.

Fatal Ending of a Honeymoon.

FORT SCOTT, Kas., June 17.—Steve Anderson, colored, a fireman in the mills at East Fort Scott, a man of good reputation and recently married, quarreled with his wife Sunday over plans for a proposed fishing party. The woman shut him out of the house. He requested her to open the door, and when she complied shot her three times in the breast with a pistol. He then shot himself in the head and died instantly. The woman died a few minutes later.

Indicted for Accepting Bribes.

OMAHA, June 17.—The Grand Jury yesterday indicted Mayor Chase and City Marshal Guthrie for alleged bribery and perjury. It is charged the two officials have been levying a tribute upon the gamblers and prostitutes and received money from contracts. The evidence against them is said to have been given mainly by the gamblers, who claim to have paid and handled the corruption fund.

Coal Miner's Strike Began.

MONONGAHELA CITY, Pa., June 17.—The general strike of the river coal miners, ordered for yesterday, indicates a lack of unanimity. Work is suspended in several mines but a majority are still in operation. There is no enthusiasm among the miners and one man seems to be waiting on another to take the initiative. Miner officials claim all will be out in four days, while the operators characterize the strike as a failure.

Ore Mines Idle.

EASTON, Pa., June 17.—Depression in the iron trade has caused a falling off in orders for ore from the mines in Williams Township, Northampton County, which supply the Glendon iron furnace. The mines of Sampson, Merworth, Bennett and others shut down. A large number of men are out of employment. Hahn's mines and several others had orders reduced from eighty-five to ten tons a week.

Base Ball.

CLEVELAND, June 17.—The Clevelands defeated the Detroits yesterday by a score of 2 to 0.

Boston—New Yorks, 1; Bostons, 6.
Buffalo—Chicagos, 9; Buffalos, 20.
Providence—Philadelphias, 1; Providence, 13.

The American Navy.

ANNAPOLIS, June 17.—The frigates Constellation and Dale left yesterday, the former on a cruise with cadets of the Atlantic coast, the latter to go to Hampton Roads to repair her hull, which has been found so rotten that it will not hold the rudder and on inspection the bow was found in the same condition.

A Team Struck by an Engine.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., June 16.—George Harris was driving in a buggy with two companions across a railroad track yesterday evening, when a switch engine struck the party, throwing them fifty feet. Harris will die, and the others were badly injured.

POSTAGE REDUCTION.

The Law Reducing the Postage on Newspapers Goes Into Effect.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The new rate of newspaper postage meets with universal approval and the officials of the Postoffice Department believe the reduction which has been brought about without any noise will be even more appreciated when the fact becomes generally known. Almost any eight-page paper, by the old rate, would require two cents postage and, the annoyance to business men, and the public generally to affix sufficient stamps and yet not lose too large a sum by overpayment, has been very great. A newspaper, when the postage was not fully prepaid, invariably found its way into the postoffice waste basket and knowing this fact the sender of a newspaper which he was especially anxious should reach its destination always had to prefix sufficient postage stamps to insure its delivery. It was not like a letter which is sent so long as one rate of postage is paid. The newspaper must be prepaid in full or it does not go. Under the new rates almost any newspaper including a good-sized supplement, may be sent for one rate. The next reform most called for is the reduction of the limit of weight on letters from half an ounce for one rate to an ounce. While the bulk of the letters carried in the mails average less than half an ounce each, now and then one is encountered that weighs more than that limit, and an extra charge is collected, which with the time consumed and labor required in affixing "due" stamps, etc., does not yield enough revenue to make it profitable to the department, and it would be to the advantage of all concerned were the limit extended.

The following is the law enacted by Congress regarding postage on second-class mail matter, which went into effect yesterday:

"Be it enacted, etc., that the rate of postage on newspapers and periodical publications of the second class when sent by others than the publisher or news agent, shall be one cent for each four ounces or fractional part thereof, and shall be fully prepaid by postage stamps affixed to said matter." Approved June 9, 1884.

This act in effect reduces the postage on transient newspapers one-half. The law heretofore exacted one cent for each two ounces or fractional part thereof. The new rate allows a paper or periodical not exceeding four ounces to be transmitted any distance through the mails for one cent.

The Presbyterians.

TORONTO, Ont., June 16.—The Presbyterian General Assembly committee appointed to co-operate with the committee of other branches of the Christian Church with a view to imparting religious instruction in public schools, met Saturday. An overture on party politics was discussed. A motion was passed urging on ministers and members of the church the duty of fostering a more judicial, patriotic and charitable feeling regarding all matters affecting the policies and government of the country. Addresses to the Queen and Governor General were adopted. A resolution praying Parliament to make seduction under promise of marriage and mock marriages criminal offenses was adopted, as also a memorial to the Government praying for legislation against Sabbath desecration by railway companies and the transmission of mails.

A Defective Boiler Explodes, Instantly Killing the Engineer.

BUTLER, Pa., June 16.—A boiler used for pumping the Balridge oil well No. 13 exploded Sunday morning with a terrific report, hurling pieces of the boiler in every direction, demolishing the boiler and engine house, and horribly mangling the engineer, Richard Walker, causing his death in a few hours. His son, who was near his father, was thrown fifteen feet, receiving fatal injuries. A small frame building near by, occupied by Walker, was partially demolished, and his daughter slightly hurt. The cause of the explosion is not known.

The National Rifles Defeated.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 16.—The competitive drill at Lake Minnetonka on Saturday between the National Rifles, of Washington, and company D, National Guards, of St. Paul, resulted in a victory for the St. Paul company. When the St. Paul men returned they were welcomed by a small army of admirers, who were all armed with new brooms, and the broom brigade escorted the victorious company to their armory. The drill occupied forty minutes for each company.

A Protest From Cuba.

HAVANA, June 16.—A number of planters, merchants and others, in Matanzas, sent a dispatch to their representive in the Cortes, instructing him to inform the Madrid Government that they have learned with displeasure of the mere abolition of discriminating duties, and they protest earnestly against a resolution which does not decree the free export of sugar, free trade with Spain and a liberal treaty with the United States.

Work of the Vigilants.

DEADWOOD, D. T., June 16.—Alexander Fiddler, a young man of many aliases, was found near Sturgis, this county, Saturday, hanging to a limb. He and two companions robbed an emigrant family en route to the hills recently, and he is supposed to have met his fate at the hands of vigilants. He bore a bad name and had been several times convicted of crime.

A Destructive Wind Storm.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 16.—A destructive wind-storm swept through the Royer Valley between ten and eleven o'clock Saturday night. Houses and barns in Crawford County and at Woodbine were wrecked. The crops sustained considerable damage.

At Woonsocket, Dakota.

WOONSOCKET, Dakota, June 16.—A fire here Saturday morning, burned one entire block to the ground. The total loss will amount to about $20,000. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

A Contested Seat in Congress.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Mr. Lowry, from the Committee on Elections, submitted a report on the contested election case of Campbell vs. Morey, declaring the contestee entitled to his seat. Laid over.

Drink and the Knife.

CINCINNATI, June 17.—During a drunken row a Bromley, Ky., opposite this city, Sunday, "Red" Merris was fatally stabbed by Jake Free and John Buttner.

Furniture Factory Burned.

TELL CITY, Ind., June 17.—A fire Sunday night burned the Tell City furniture factory. Loss $60,000; insured for $12,000.

HER SECRET TROUBLES.

The Unknown Trials Which a Woman Endured Without Complaint—Why they Vanished.

Near the close of one of the most trying of the few hot days of the present year a pale, careworn woman might have been seen at the window of her dwelling apparently in a condition of complete exhaustion. Her efforts to meet the accumulated duties of her household had been great but unsuccessful, while the care of a sick child, whose wails could even then be heard, was added to her otherwise overwhelming troubles. Nature had done much for her and in her youthful days she had been not only beautiful but the possessor of health such as is seldom seen. But home and family duties and the depressing cares which too often accompany them had proven greater than her splendid strength and she felt at that moment not only that life was a burden but death would be a grand relief. This is no unusual experience. It is, in fact, a most common every day occurance, and a great prayer is constantly ascending from thousands of homes for deliverance from the deadly power which is enslaving so many wives mothers and daughters. And yet these duties of life must be met. No woman can afford to turn aside from the proper care of her home and the ones who are committed to her care, although in doing these duties she may sacrifice her health, possibly life itself. The experience of one who successfully overcame such trials and yet retained health and all the blessings it brings is thus told by Rev. William Watson, Presiding Elder of the Methodist-Episcopal church, residing at Watertown, N. Y. He said:

"My wife became completely run down through overwork and care of a sick member of our household, and I entertained serious apprehensions as to her future. She was languid, pale, utterly exhausted, without appetite, and in a complete state of physical decline. And yet she did not, could not neglect her duties. I have seen her about the house, trying courageously to care for the ones she loved when I could tell, from the lines upon her face how much she was suffering. At times she would rally for a day or two and then fall back into the state of nervous exhaustion she felt before. Her head pained her frequently, her body was becoming bowed by pain and all hope or enjoyment in life seemed departed. What to do we could not tell. I resolved, however, to bring back her life and vitality if possible and to this end began to treat her myself. To my great relief her system has been toned up, her strength restored, her health completely recovered and wholly by the use of Warner's Tippecanoe, which I regard as the greatest tonic, invigorator and stomach remedy that has ever been discovered. I was led to use it the more readily as I had tested the health-restoring properties of Warner's Safe Cure in my own person and I therefore knew that any remedy Mr. Warner might produce would be a valuable one. I have since recommended both Warner's Tippecanoe and Warner's Safe Cure to many of my friends and I know several Doctors of Divinity as well as numerous laymen who are using both with great benefit."

If all the overworked and duty driven women of America could know of the experience above described, and act upon the same, there can be little doubt that much of the pain, and most of the depressing influences of life might be avoided. Such truths are too valuable to remain unknown.

"Rough on Rats" clears out Rats, Mice. 15c.

"Rough on Corns," for Corns, Bunions. 15c.

Thin people. "Well' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures dyspepsia, &c. $1.

"Rough on Toothache," instant relief. 15c.

Ladies who would retain freshness and vivacity don't fail to try "Wells' Health Renewer."

"Buchu-paiba," great kidney and urinary cure.

Flies, roaches, ants, bed-bugs, rats, mice, cleared out by "Rough on Rats." 15c.

"Rough on Coughs," troches, 15c: liquid, 25c.

For children, slow in development, puny and delicate, use "Wells' Health Renewer."

"Rough on Dentist" Tooth Powder. Try it. 15c.

Nervous Weakness, Dyspepsia, Sexual Debility cured by "Wells' Health Renewer." $1.

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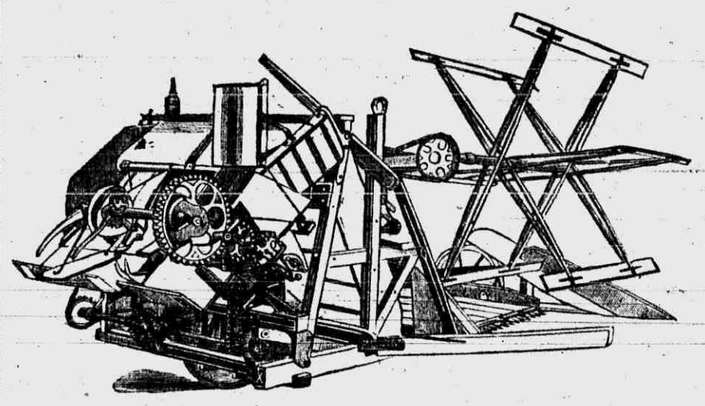

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Be sure to see these improvements for 1884, before making your order, at the warehouse of

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

GREAT REDUCTION IN STEERage passage rates. For the present I will sell steerage tickets as follows: To or from New York and Liverpool, Glasgow, Queenstown Londonderry and Belfast, $15. To or from New York and Hamburg, Rotterdam or Antwerp, $20.
H. L. JONES, Agent

For State Line, Anchor Line, Allan Line and North German Lloyd Line.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership here tofore existing under the firm name of Slayton & Kinney is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and accounts will remain in the hands of J. S. Kinney, who alone is authorized to settle the same.
Dated Tecumseh, June 17, 1884.
A. W. SLAYTON,
J. S. KINNEY.

PIGS FOR SALE. Ten white pigs, two months old, for sale cheap. Enquire at my place one mile north of Ridgeway.
JOHN BECKLEY.

DRESSMAKING.—Miss Thompson has returned home from the east, and is ready for dressmaking, cutting and fitting and every thing in the line of dresses, at Mrs. Wm. Richards house, at the east door, corner Ottawa and Logan streets.

PLANTS! PLANTS!! PLANTS!!!—500,000 Cabbage Plants. All the best varieties of early cabbage and tomato now ready. Sweet potato in immense stock. Late cabbage a specialty. I can furnish in large quantities at low prices.
ABNER WILSON.

NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEIL.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice.
F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected.
S. CATLIN, M.D.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One set of Union Counter Scales, Howe's Improved. Just the thing for family use. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer.
A. A. KENNEDY.

Mrs. A. E. Ure has closed her business in Tecumseh for the season.

On Wednesday morning one of Elder Price's heifers was struck by lightning and instantly killed on his farm in Ridgeway.

C. O. Miller was not as badly hurt in the runaway as was expected; any way he is selling more New Homes than ever. One day last week he started out with "Collers Palace of Music" loaded with sewing machines and sold them all in one neighborhood. Below are the names that purchased the load: James Clarkson, Mrs. John Clarkson, Mrs. Asel Russell, Mrs. Geo. Mead, Mrs. Sidney Howe, Mrs. Geo. Squire, and Mrs. Dudley Macham.

Saline Observer: A little over two months ago a cow belonging to Alfred Miller of this Village, gave birth to an exceedingly small and weak calf, and on Monday last delivered herself of another one, or the second calf within about two months. Both calves are living and doing well. Calf No. 1 is said to have been no larger than a good sized lamb, and was so weak it had to be held in one's lap and fed, but is as stout and frisky now as any. Mr. Miller says he now has four cows and six calves, another cow having lately produced twins.

Married on the 12th inst. at the residence of Mrs. Susan Clark in Ridgeway, mother of the bride, Mr. Frank P. Clarkson of Macon and Miss Nellie Clark of Ridgeway, by Rev. W. M. Campbell. The large company present on the occasion was entertained right royally by Mrs. Clark and her accomplished daughters. After a most delightful social hour, and the presentation by the friends of good-will offerings, many of which were rich, useful and beautiful, the happy couple started on their wedding tour for Macinac, via Wabash R. R., and the elegant steamer "City of Cleveland."

P. T. Barnum says he expects to make a million dollars the coming season. A committee of merchants recently called upon him and asked him to reduce his business experience to writing for the benefit of posterity. Mr. Barnum agreed to do so and it will be printed in book form. One thing, however, he said he would tell them: "You do not, any of you, advertise enough. You ought to invest in printers' ink every day. You are asleep and want your business to run itself. The man who for a year resides in a community and leads a reputable life, even though he be of moderate ability, will grow in the confidence and esteem of his fellows. On the same principle a newspaper advertisement becomes familiar in the eyes of the reader and its presence in the column of a newspaper inspires confidence in the stability of the advertiser."

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to those of our neighbors and friends who have so kindly assisted us during the sickness of our daughter. Their kindness shall never be forgotten.

JAMES GLASGOW.
MARY GLASGOW.

A CARD.

For downright cheek and impudence the card of A. M. Bly, in last week's HERALD is unsurpassed. I wish it distinctly understood that he is not tuning pianos for me, and that he has no business connection with me whatever. He invites you to call at my Music Store and look over his references. Please do so.
June 16th, 1884.
G. P. SPARKS.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 19, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Parties visit the lakes now daily.

Did any one remark that it was hot?

Laverne Ide was at home over Sunday last.

The outlook is good for a big strawberry crop.

This is the weather when corn grows most rapidly.

No meeting of the Council last Monday evening.

Tecumseh does not celebrate on the fourth proximo.

Next Sunday, June 22, will be the longest day in the year.

John Gilchrist is home again from the northern part of the state.

Geo. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, visited the old Newberg farm last week.

There was a goodly crowd on our streets Tuesday to see the circus procession.

Clinton is preparing for the biggest celebration of the 4th of July ever held there.

C. D. Bills and his horse "Hunter" are having a successful trip in the Ohio circuit.

Farmers are expressing themselves very much satisfied with the outlook for abundant crops.

David Van Tyne has lately re-painted his Brownville home, greatly adding to the beauty thereof.

Fred Wood is still on the war path. He says that Tecumseh will show a population of less than 10,000.

The choice of F. A. Dewey, of Cambridge, as President of the State Pioneer Society, was a good selection.

A. W. Slayton and Dr. Stewart went to Detroit on Tuesday and will remain there a few days on business.

Misses Emma and Maggie Smith went to Monroe last Monday and will remain there until after the Fourth.

Frank Snedicor was home from Dundee on Monday and Tuesday.—Frank likes Dundee and the Dundee girls like Frank.

Over sixteen thousand bushels of wheat have been shipped from Onsted station on the M. & O. road since the opening of the road.

Lavern Wheeler has again placed us under obligation for a landscape view of the Lake Shore Depot.—He has a few copies on hand for sale.

A novelty in the baking trade is a loaf of bread that does not require cutting after it is baked. It is shaped like Vienna bread, and so made as to form layers or slices of uniform thickness, which by pulling gently are detached, thus avoiding the use of the knife.

Donaldson's circus which exhibited in this village on Tuesday last, although a 25ct. show gave by far a better entertainment than many of the "greatest on earth" establishments which do so much blowing. If they come to Tecumseh again they will receive a good patronage.

Lavern Wheeler has added two more landscape views to his list. One is entitled "Road Agents in the Black Hills," a view on the bluff near Blood's bridge. The other is an instantaneous view of the Baptismal services at the River Raisin last Sunday, which shows perfectly the immense crowd on the banks. The two views ought to sell.

Hillsdale wanted to celebrate this year. The saloon men were willing to contribute if the celebration would be held on the third of July; but the temperance people wouldn't go a cent on that day, but would have shelled out for a demonstration on the 4th, but the saloons would compel them to go it alone. Consequently the patriotic people of Hillsdale will not celebrate.

Toledo Evening Post.—Mr. Hayden of the Globe mills in Tecumseh, Michigan, on a visit to Ireland not long ago, to look after his flour shipments to that island, was surprised at seeing many Irishmen's pants stamped with the brand of his mills. On closer inspection he found that the patrons of his flour on emptying the duck bags made them into trowsers and other garments. The economy of the Irish free traders should not be overlooked by the American protectionists when studying the advantages of the two antagonistic systems.

Judge S. C. LeBaron departed this life yesterday afternoon, at the advanced age of 76 years. The deceased had been in feeble health for several years, and on Thursday of last week he had a fall which fractured his leg at the hip joint. Owing to the serious character of the break and the feebleness of the patient, it was found impossible to set the limb, and he has been in a critical condition since, until yesterday afternoon, when death put an end to his sufferings. The Judge was one of Tecumseh's pioneer residents, and for many years was one of our prominent business men. The funeral will be attended to-morrow afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Presbyterian church. A fitting obituary notice will appear next week.

The Adrian High School closes this week.

The Deerfield Union School closed last week.

The prospects are favorable for a big apple crop this year.

The wheat crop is looking remarkably well through this section.

The Commencement exercises at the University will be held next week.

Do you note the change of style in wearing the hair? It is "banged" behind instead of before. The girls are tired of Sarah Brum and are trying Sarah Belnap.

Prof. Hammond will retain his position as superintendent of the Tecumseh schools for another year. It is probable that most of the other teachers will also remain.

Morenci will celebrate the glorious fou 1. They advertise an old-fashioned celebration, but how they can do so when the law compels saloons to close they do not explain.

The M. & O. road is now selling excursion tickets to Devil's lake and return when parties of ten or more take the same train. The rate for the round trip from Tecumseh is only 60 cents.

Dr. Samuel Catlin was absent from home two days last week in attendance upon the session of the State Medical Society at Grand Rapids.—The society held a large and enthusiastic convention.

Rev. J. L. Hudson, Editor of the Union Light, gave us a call last Saturday. We are glad to learn that the Light is shedding its rays quite numerously about the county, and is building up a good subscription list.

Many people were in town Saturnay, the fine weather bringing them out. Trade, however, wasn't especially heavy; nor will it acquire its old time activity till the growing crops smile positive encouragement on the agriculturist.

Morenci Observer: The work of removing the old bridge over the Bean in this village will commence next Monday preparatory to the erection of the new iron structure. The new bridge will be ready for use on the glorious Fourth.

Hudson Gazette: Blissfield, Tecumseh, Adrian and Jonesville each have a crack base ball team; Hudson nary. Where are the bold Hudson knights of the bat who not so long ago made the sporting world tremble with their omnipotence in the b. b. field?

Wm. H. Brezee, State Agent of the Detroit Evening Journal was in town last Monday on business connected with that paper. The Journal now has a good list in Tecumseh and desires a larger one. It is one of the best evening dailies circulated here.

The Detroit Post and Tribune has obtained a special Sunday train on all the railroads leading out of Detroit, by which their Sunday morning edition is delivered at all the principal towns of the state early the same forenoon. They deserve a liberal patronage for their enterprise.

Geo. L. Graves, of Milwaukee, has been spending a few days in town among his old friends. His hearty hand-shake is always welcome. Miss Carrie Powers returns home with him to stay a few weeks. He started back Tuesday evening, driving over to Adrian and taking the late train on the Lake Shore.

Round trip tourist's tickets to Traverse City, Petoskey, Mackinac Island, Mackinaw City, Sault St. Marie, Marquette and Duluth via the Michigan & Ohio Railroad, are now on sale at the Depot Ticket office at this station, where full particulars may be obtained as to rates, routes &c.
H. U. MATTHEWS, AGENT.

St. Nicholas comes crisp and bright with splendid contents. The spinning wheel story is continued and is accompanied by, Boys of Migglesville, The Scarlet Teamster, The Boy Hunters, Historic Boys, Queer Game, and a beautiful bit of poetry, entitled "The Brownies' Voyage." St Nicholas is the best youth's magazine published.

Hudson Gazette: We noted last week the spiriting away of a saloon stock from Addison. We learn that Cleveland, who held the mortgage, has got possession of the goods again. It will be remembered they were hauled to Ohio. From there they were shipped to Detroit, Cleveland resiezing them at Grosvenor the moment they crossed the state line.

Morenci Observer: A large number of citizens not connected with any church organization called upon Rev. Mr. VanAntwerp on Thursday and presented him with a purse of $25, as a testimonial of their kind regards as a christian gentleman who, "with malice toward none and charity for all," had always extended to them a kind and generous christian courtesy and respect.

A wire clothes line is an innocent thing if you do not molest it, but when a man is endeavoring to make a hasty retreat through a back yard where one of the domestic essentials is located, and tries to cut it in too with his neck, he will find it a tiresome undertaking even if he succeeds in an instant. Did you ever hear of any person trying it?

Fourth of July enthusiasm is getting to be a very uncertain element in this community.

Dr. E. Fessenden of Dundee, spent Monday night and Tuesday with friends in this village.

Ice water, fans, panama hats, linen dusters, ginger ale, and ice cream, are seasonable this weather.

Children's Day exercises at the Methodist Episcopal church have been postponed until Sunday July 13, on account of the public school exercises.

There will be a strawberry and ice cream social at the Methodist church next Friday evening for the benefit of the Parsonage fund. All are cordially invited.

The man that is known to have plenty of means and pays at long intervals, is "slow pay;" but the fellow that is of very light assets and practices the same thing, is a "dead beat." Do you catch on?

At a station not 100 miles from here a young man and woman were standing on a Michigan & Ohio railroad bridge making love and had to jump overboard to save being run over by the cars. No lives lost.

Hank Jones, our express agent, is selling a large number of tickets to those wishing to go across the ocean, and those wishing to take the trip should see him before purchasing their tickets as he will make the lowest prices.

Onion lunch parties are said to be all the rage now, as safe social gatherings. They are said to have been originated by a member of an Ohio Baptist church, who had only one leg, and didn't like the game of snap and catch 'em, that was so popular.

H. C. Conkling, of this village, has received the agency of Toledo and State of Michigan of the New Nickel Plate Fast Freight Line to New York, Philadelphia, Boston and principal New England points, and has established his office at Room No. 3, Produce Exchange, Toledo.

Nothing like knowing how Billy Arnold's baker has left him, and Billy rolls up his sleeves, and pitches in, and the result is that the customers of the Old Star bakery are being supplied with the very best of bread, pies and cakes. The public would be satisfied if he would do the baking all the time.

Last Monday evening a party of Tecumseh Masons visited the Manchester Lodge and had a most pleasant trip and visit. Frank Silvers best rig took them both ways. The names of those who went are: Dr. E. M. Conklin, J. R. Hialey, J. S. Temple, C. A. Sharp, T. Ralph, Ab. Wilson, J. H. Smith, John F. Wilson, E. Hause, Lewis Mudgett.

Ex Supervisor Cannon, of Deerfield, has on old hen which, having hatched a brood of chickens, he removed across the river to another point, leaving the chicks in care of another hen. What was Cannon's surprise when old mother "biddy" promptly ambled to the river side and without hesitation plunged in and swam across safely, meeting her brood on the other side to the tune of "We shall gather at the river."

The biggest thing yet. Toledo is making arrangements for the biggest kind of a celebration Fourth of July, one that will eclipse all former efforts. The fun will take place at the Tri-State Fair Grounds and will consist of base ball, a genuine race to the clouds in monster balloons, several horse races, and a grand display of day fire works; something entirely new and wonderful. There will be special excursion rates from here, for the occasion.

Adrian Times: Little Charley, youngest son of Sheriff Bidwell, met with an unfortunate accident Saturday evening, by which his left shoulder blade was fractured. The lad was in a box stall with his pony, when the animal crowded him against the side of the stall, with result above mentioned. The pony has been in the habit of rubbing himself against his attendant, through playfulness, and this time unfortunately caught his master unawares. Dr. A. M. Stephenson attended the case, the boy is being able to be about to-day.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The following are the arrangements for commencement week

Sunday evening, June 22d.—Annual sermon by Rev. C. E. Conley at the Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday evening, June 25th—Promotion exercises at the Opera House. All the grades of our schools below the high school will take part in this programme. The general programme will consist of recitations declamations and music, all by the little folks. This will be followed by appropriate grade exercises in which all pupils of each grade will participate. The programme will close with presentation of promotion certificates.

Thursday evening, June 26.—Graduating exercises of Class of '84. Programme will be as usual.

Friday evening, June 27th.—Reunion of the Alumni Association. These exercises will be held in the dining room of the Lilley House. There will be the usual literary programme followed by supper, served by Mr. Passmore. This will be followed by various toasts.

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The Baptismal services which were conducted by Elder Rapp of the Ridgeway Christian Church at the River Raisin on Sunday afternoon last were witnessed by a large gathering of people who lined the banks on both sides. Nearly the whole village, as well as the towns east of us, must have turned out to witness the ceremony. Eight candidates received the ordinance prescribed by the rules of the Christian church.

That modest Quaker, WOOLSTON COMFORT, is no great hand to blow his own horn, but is an enthusiast in his milling business. He has this spring made his mill a complete roller mill—by removing the two remaining run of burrs—and adding two more sett of double rolls, and also adding other new machinery which improves the quality of his flour. We have tested Comfort's New Patent flour and confidently assert that it can't be beat. Whether used for bread, rich pastry or old fashioned ginger cookies, it invariably takes the cake. The cook, at our house, is always good natured when liberally supplied with Comfort's New Patent flour.

Morenci Observer.—The affairs of the Lenawee county agriultural society, are, we think, looking up just now, as under the direction of president Horton negotiations are pending which will doubtless result in purchasing an eligibly situated tract of 33 acre of land near the Wabash depot for the permanent use of the society.—The concern has a balance of near $1,700 in the treasury which with a handsome sum promised by the citizens of Adrian will enable the directors to commence the erection of the necessary buildings for the use of the fair this fall. It is pleasant to know that the county society is in the hands of square business men, and that the leechers who once held sway in its councils have stepped down and out.

Detroit Post & Tribune.—The Lake Shore management is at present trying to decide whether it or the state of Michigan is running the road. The company formerly operated as a part of the Michigan division a line running from Palmyra to near Adrian, and when the Jackson branch was built the Palmyra branch was abandoned save as a side track. The people at the stations on the line appealed to Commissioner Innes and that official commenced proceedings to compel the resumption of freight traffic on the abandoned branch, and there is a fair prospect of a lengthy encounter in the courts. The company's principal claim is that the branch does not pay and that the stations on the line are of no importance. The contest will be watched with keen interest by many, the opinion generally prevailing that the company will be obliged to resume the running of trains on the branch or surrender the right of way.

MASONIC VISIT TO MILAN.

At two or three different times this spring some of the Masonic brethren of Milan have paid the Tecumseh Lodge a visit, and on Thursday last, June 12th, a number of the Tecumseh brethren returned the compliment and accepted an invitation from the Milan Lodge to visit them. John J. Orr took the matter in hand and secured a party of fifteen to attend, as follows: Dr. E. M. Conklin, Geo. S. Wilson, J. H. Smith, C. M. Burlingame, S. C. Stacy, Wm. DeMott, John I. Werner, John J. Orr, John S. Temple, John VanVleet, Wesley Scutt, Jay A. Santus, Samuel Kniffin, John Britton.

The members living in Tecumseh took the afternoon train on the M. & O. and were met at Britton by the Ridgeway delegation. They took the five p. m. train on the Wabash and arrived at Milan just in time for supper. The wants of the inner men having been properly provided for at the Babcock House, our boys "took in" the village, or business portion of it, before the time arrived for harnessing the goat. The session was devoted to a third degree meeting, and the work was admirably performed. The hall was literally filled to overflowing. The candidate will have cause to remember the event of June 12th for a good many months. After the session our brethren were treated to a free lunch and every thing was done by I. S. Hitchcock, W. M. of the Milan Lodge and the other members thereof to make our visit an agreeable one. We were all impressed with the growing importance of Milan in general and with the sterling characteristics of the Milan Masons in particular. At eleven P. M. we took the Wabash train for home, and at Britton were met by one of Silver's best teams which brought us home in good season. All who went enjoyed the trip first rate, and those who remained at home missed the best thing of the season

The Colonels of the various regiments, and the Brigade Staff, of the State Militia, held a meeting at Lansing last week, and fixed the date for the annual encampment for August 9. The Montgomery Rifles, an independent organization of Detroit, were admitted to the State service.

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Mr. Beckleton's bees swarmed the other day, and the new generation, leaving the hive, went over to an adjoining block, and settled in cone-shape on a peach tree. Hiving bees, when not managed skillfully, is a painful performance. The bee does not know that the human family admires his proverbial industry, and often stings the man who seeks to establish a home for the bill collector of sweets. The entire neighborhood was aroused when Mr. Beckleton's bees swarmed, and children, both white and black, assembled to see the fun. Mr. Beckleton was not at home when the insect raister occurred, and the management of the affair was taken in hand by the hired gentleman. A spring wagon with an impromptu hive was brought around. The unsuspecting horse, lashing the flies with his tail, soon attracted a scouting party of bees. The poor animal, stung to desperation, kicked and snorted, and breaking from his fastenings, ran out into the street and pawed the ground. A member of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, came along, and seeing the horse tangled in his harness, but not observing the bees, approached with kind solicitude.

"It's a shame," said he to the hired man, "that you allow this horse to tangle himself in his gear. Whoa! Good Lord!" and waving his hands in the air he struck a trot, while a swarm of bees hovered around his devoted cranium. He ran to the street crossing, thrashing himself with his hat, reaching there just as a car came along. Some of the bees "zipped" the mule, and with a lunge the animal jerked the car from the track and ran against a fence. The only passengers were a fat man who sat reading a pamphlet on the Banting System, and an old maid who carried a little porte-monnaie sachel. A prominent bee went into the ear and drilled a cavity into the fat man's jowl, and a companion buzzed in and saluted the maiden lady on the neck. Banting's book flew out of the window and the beads on the porte-monnaie receptacle rattled as the old maid lifted her skirts and rushed from the car. The pain that a lean man can endure without striking demonstration will bring intensified fits to a fat man, and on this occasion Mr. Banting waddled from the car and fell over a tree box blown down by a recent storm. No sooner had he left the car than a dozen bees followed him. They crawled around his collar, leaving tracks of fire, and delighted themselves by a dance on his bald head. He bawled like a steer, broke down a garden fence, and when last seen, he was traveling towards the equator. The old maid had considerable trouble with her skirts, and her high-keyed shrieks must have rent the neighborhood like the wailings of the equinoctial wind.

When Mr. Beckleton reached home and learned that his bees had swarmed, he went over to assist the hired gentleman.

"Hold on there," he cried. "Don't fight 'em. Let 'em buzzaround. They won't hurt you. See?" as the bees began to buzz around his ears. "Wait a few moments and they'll be quiet." A bee lit on his moustache. "All you've got to do is—Gee whiz! whoop!" He ran against the fence and knocked off his plug hat, and in trying to fight off a bee that showed a disposition to settle on his eye, he trod upon the hat and mashed its crown through the brim into the ground. Everybody ran away and left him and, as he wandered around, he struck the peach tree and jarred the buzzing cone to the ground. Then he knew that man was made to moan; that life is full of sudden pain and cries. That bravery which would prompt a man to rush forward and rescue a fellow-mortal from a swarm of angry bees has not yet been discovered. Man has many virtues but this self-sacrifice is not one of them.

When Mr. Beckleton reached home, after the bees grew weary of his society, he looked like a bloated bondholder, and that evening, as he lay on the floor of his front gallery, a man who saw him said: "Blamed if I don't believe old Thingembobem will swell up and bust." Oh, no; bees will not sting you unless you molest them.—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

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"Well?" said the cold-tea man, expectingly.

"Well what?"

"Why, where does your oil speculation come in?"

"Ain't I got this suit of clothes? Didn't I make 'em on oil? Wasn't I on the safe side of the market? Ain't I ahead of it? What's the matter with you?" and the thin man walked off with dignity.—*Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.*

—Ella Wheeler's marriage had its romance behind it. When the Army of the Cumberland held its reunion in Milwaukee, Mr. Robert M. Wilcox, a young manufacturer from Connecticut, was present. He had read Miss Wheeler's poetry and wished to see her. It happened that she contributed a poem to the occasion and was pointed out to Mr. Wilcox. On his return home he wrote to her, and, though she had never met him, she liked his letter and replied. A pleasant correspondence followed, and soon a meeting was brought about. It proved a case of mutual love at first sight.—*Milwaukee Sentinel.*

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 29 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 02 A.M.	6 12 P.M	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
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A. M.	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
5 30	5 05	10 10	Lv..Toledo..Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 31	11 32	...Kidgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	...Tecumseh...	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	...Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover...	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	.....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 09	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 49	9 22	2 34	....Cereseo....	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 30	9 40	2 56	Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 29	...Yorkville...	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	...Richland...	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
5 22		4 16	...Monteith...	10 49		6 15
5 39		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 15		4 45	Ar. Allegan. Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.		A. M.		A. M.

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	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	.....
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 39	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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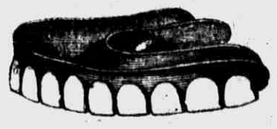

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Concerning Light-Houses.

The loss of two steamships within a short time, (the Columbus and the Daniel Steinmann), by neglecting the friendly warning afforded by the light-house, calls our attention to the importance of these structures. This was fully recognized in ancient times, and the pharos of Alexandria dated three centuries before the Christian era. It was built of stone, five hundred and fifty feet high, and the light could be seen for forty miles. It stood for a thousand years, being eventually destroyed by an earthquake. The earliest of modern light-houses is the tower of Cordovan, one hundred and fifty feet high, which was on the coast of France for nearly three centuries. The Eddystone light-house is well-known in the records of navigation, and being the only one of the four that has withstood the wrath of the elements, it has given its builder fame.

The colonists soon learned the necessity of these structures, and a number were in existence before the revolution. They were of small height, and the illumination was of a defective character. Forty years ago our Government sent a commission to examine the light-house system in Europe, and this gave a marked impulse to the system. At present there are nearly seven hundred light-houses on the American coasts and rivers, and also twenty-five floating-light stations, the total annual expense being $1,889,017. In addition to the above there are nearly six thousand buoys and beacons, which mark danger of less threatening character. The United States is the only Government which imposes no burden on commerce for this costly protection. Foreign vessels reap the benefit, but when our ships enter a French or British port containing a light-house they are taxed for its support. The advantages enjoyed by foreign ships is shown by the fact that fifty Clydebuilt steamers are in the transatlantic trade, and all enjoy the benefit of our light-houses, toward which they contribute nothing, while at the same time their rivalry has crushed our own shipping. The Americanlight-house system is controlled by the Treasury Department, and the coasts are divided into twelve districts, each of which has an inspector. The latter is furnished with vessels which they use in their quarterly inspections, and each is required to report the condition of his district to the "Light-house Board." The latter is formed of navy officers who hold their meetings quarterly in Washington.

Whatever may be the difference in light-house management among various nations, there is now but one method of illumination, and this has given distinction to its author. Fresnel, to whom reference is made, was born in France nearly a century ago, and was bred a civil engineer, but early displayed a taste for general science. In his twenty-sixth year he wrote a very able article on astronomy, and his next subject was the polarization of light, which was followed by another and still more important production. His incessant progress in science gave him distinction throughout Europe, but his greatest discovery was in reference to the illumination. In his thirty-first year he was appointed to the light-house service, in which he soon wrought a complete revolution. Previously the illumination had been produced by reflectors, which was an expensive as well as an inconvenient method. Fresnel perfected the lens method which had been attempted in vain by other scientists, and his success led to its general adoption. He was the most brilliant French inventor of his day, but in the midst of his career he was removed by death, having hardly reached his fortieth year. The Fresnel method has been adapted to headlights for steamers and pierheads as well as for ferries, and is now in general use. It is possible, however, that the electric light may be substituted for light-house purposes. Life in a light-house is, of course, very monotonous, and yet the keepers become so much attached to it that few ever resign. There is no society for the families, no church, no school, no entertainments, but on the other hand there is the companionship with nature and the fascination of the ocean, which never loses its power.—*N. Y. Cor. Troy (N. Y.) Times.*

Western Forest Fires.

"That sniff of burning pines that we got here last night is the first thing that reminded me of home since I left Leadville," said Captain William Kavanagh, an old frontiersman, scout, trapper and miner, in the rotunda of the Lafayette Hotel yesterday. "Of course this fire we had up in the State wasn't a marker in extent to the fires we have up in the Rockies and Sierras, but it's more serious in its consequences. I see by the papers that there was some loss of life and considerable loss of property, while out West the only damage done is the destruction of a few tons of game."

"Do the Indians ever get caught?" was asked.

"Yes, now and then. I remember in '69, when twenty-six Utes were caught in a fiery trap in the Red River country and only one escaped to tell the story, and he died forty-eight hours afterwards from the burns he had received. About two years later twelve red devils were burned to death in the Black Mountains, near Santa Fe, N. M. They belonged to the New Mexico tribe of Apaches and met their fate while being pursued by a party of "Regulators." It was said that the pines were fired by Vigilants, but out West we don't investigate those points very closely, when a redskin is concerned.

"The forest fires in Colorado," continued the Captain, "and throughout the mountain ranges occur twice a year—in the fall and spring. They originate from various causes—sometimes from a prospector's or a hunter's campfire, but more frequently they are fired by the redskins, who use the forest for a dual purpose. When at war with the whites the forests are fired to cut off the approach of the soldiers, and in peace the forests and prairie grass are often set on fire for the purpose of running out the game.

"In 1868 a half-breed Indian scout invited me to join a party of Ute hunters in a hunt down the White River. I accepted the invitation. Our party consisted of fourteen bucks, two half-breeds and myself. I supposed, of course, that we would simply beat the woods for game. Instead of that they formed a circle two miles in circumference and fired the forests in sixteen different places and then fought the flames along the edge of the circle. After working all night chopping down trees and hauling them out of the reach of the flames we went into camp at the opposite side of the White River and waited there, hungry as wolves, for the fire to die out. The third day we wrapped ourselves in wet blankets and started through the forest of blackened and smoking trunks in search of our game. Within a hundred yards we began to pick up the small game. Every man of us was nearly starved to death, and I am free to say that the best relished meal I ever ate was when I scraped a cool spot under the hot pine needles and devoured a roasted woodchuck without salt or pepper or any other of the usual accessories. I suppose we piled up a ton or more of small game, such as rabbits, squirrels and woodchucks, but we tramped for an hour before we found any big game. Then we found it in a heap. Twenty head of deer, a dozen or more of elk, two bears and a stray antelope lay dead along the bed of a little mountain stream that ran through the burned forest. A short distance beyond was the carcass of a female mountain lion, which had died in a vain effort to save its litter of three cubs.

"I have seen scores of big forest fires compared with which these blazes up in the State would look like bonfires; but the most exciting one occurred in October, 1879, when the Leadville boom was at its height. The Ute war, which began during the summer with the massacre of Father Meeker and the employes of the White River Agency, and was followed later by the killing of Major Thornberg and his troops, caused an intense excitement throughout the State. The farmers deserted their ranches and flocked into Denver and Leadville. Even the miners, who are always the last to retreat, left their claims along the range and came to Leadville. This stampede was caused almost wholly by the forest fires which were raging on the opposite side of the Sierra Madre, and which were supposed to have been started by the Utes.

"One night the forests in the direction of Alma were fired and a high wind impelled the flames with almost lightning rapidity towards Leadville. Even the old-timers felt nervous and the town was in an uproar. I walked into the Windsor Hotel and there sat about twenty-five men, armed to the teeth with repeating rifles and revolvers. Miners kept flocking in from the gulches, driven in by flames, which come rolling up the Arkansas Valley and down Big Evans Gulch. By midnight Leadville was shut in by a roaring mass of flame. The mountains which surrounded the basin in which Leadville nestles were mountains of fire. We were literally at the bottom of a burning pit. The heat was so intense that it scorched men's faces a half-mile away from the flames. The Indian fighters were compelled to drop their arms and devote their attention towards saving the town from fire instead of from the redskins. Many cabins on the outskirts of the town were burned, but the greater portion of the camp was saved. For six weeks afterwards both Leadville and Denver were enveloped in a cloud of smoke denser than any that ever hung over Pittsburg. During all this time the sun looked like a ball of molten iron and the moon like a red lamp in an apothecary's window. Millions of feet of lumber were destroyed during the fire, as there are every year along the great Western ranges."—*Philadelphia Times.*

Hawaiian Notes.

The year has been a very dull one so far, through the decline in sugars and the fear that the natives and planters have regarding the effect of the treaty recently concluded between the United States and Mexico. While they have no fear of the renewal and continuation of the reciprocity treaty now in force between the islands and the American Government, still they dread competition with Mexican sugars in the future and prophesy all sorts of commercial cyclones. The truth is that these islands will not and should not yield more than 60,000 tons of sugar annually, the highest exportation so far having been 57,000 tons in 1882. There are 40,000 acres under sugar cultivation in the Hawaiin Islands to-day; it is possible to cultivate 60,000 acres, but no more. In fact, everything has been put into sugar, at all times a dangerous commodity in the market, to the neglect of coffee, which thrives splendidly, and has only a nominal acreage in Kauai, the westernmost island, except in Niihua. Rice will flourish all over the islands, and the Chinese are most useful and adaptable in reclaiming waste lands for this purpose and also for the planting of bananas, mango, and guava trees. Years ago these islands raised splendid cereals, and the flour of the Sandwich Islands was noted for its excellence. So were the potatoes, which now come from Australia and the United States. In fact, the planters have abandoned everything for sugar and are now learning their mistake. Cotton, grapes, vegetables of all kinds grow here bountifully, and there is practically no limit to the field open to prudent and energetic capitalists.

Every business house is closed here on Sundays—saloons, barber shops and stores of all kinds. No wine is sold in restaurants, and those who require it take it in their homes, not at the public bar. There are no hoodlums or foul-speaking juvenile criminals. The husband who deserts his wife or the wife who leaves her husband is punished by imprisonment on the "reef," separated from the main island by water. Prisoners and convicts work on the streets. Everybody goes to church here on Sunday, a habit which at once impresses an American favorably. Each one attends his own place of worship, and those who do not go are few and far between.—*Honolulu Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.*

—Mr. J. H. G. McDaniel, of Pickens, S. C., has a piece of crystallized quartz found in that county which has almost a perfect resemblance to an ear of corn. Pieces of the quartz are in the shape of grains of corn and are stuck together like grains growing on a cob, except that they are not arranged in rows. Many who have seen it declare that it is a petrified ear of corn.—*Chicago Times.*

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Homer people are building new or repairing old houses, but pay no attention to dilapidated sidewalks.

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On account of the sudden changes in the temperature at this season and in this climate, it is almost impossible to keep free from colds and coughs; but a prompt use of N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixer will prevent any serious result from a sudden cold and effect a speedy cure. If you are billious, or have the jaundice, sick headache or dizziness, try Baxter's Mandrake Bitters.

Clare county is growing so wicked that a jail has become a necessity, and ponds will probably be issued to raise money for one.

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"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves, and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

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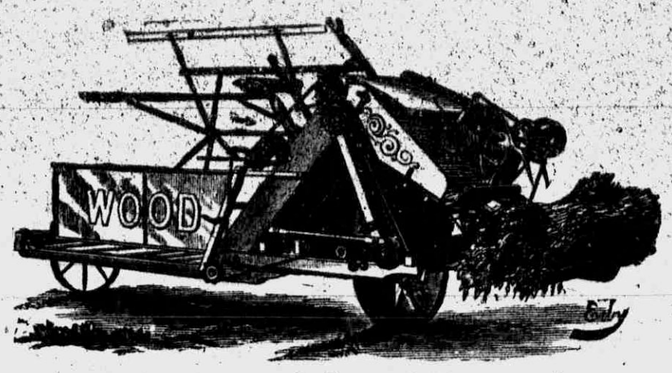

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A mother has no right to bring up a daughter without teaching her how to keep house, and if she has an intelligent regard for her daughter's happiness will not do it.

By knowing how to keep house we do not mean merely knowing how books should be arranged on a center table, and how to tell servants what is wanted to be done. We mean how to get a breakfast, a dinner, a supper; how to make a bed; how to sweep a room; how to do the thousand and one different things which are requisite to keep a house in order and to make it pleasant.

A person who does not know how to do a thing well does not know how to have it done well. No number of servants make up for the want of knowledge in a mistress.

A family employed a girl to do general housework. She came just at night, and the first thing assigned to to her to do was to wash the supper dishes. She washed them in cold waters and without soap.

A gentleman sent home a roasting-piece of beef and a quantity of cut porter-house steaks. When he sat down to dinner he learned that the new cook had roasted the steaks. Yet many a boarding-school miss at the time of her marriage might make either of these mistakes.

Not one woman in a thousand knows how to make bread as good as it can be made. And sour tempers, scoldings, dyspepsia, with its indescribable horrors, and even death itself, not unfrequently result from bad cooking.

Mothers, whatever else you may teach your daughters, do not neglect to instruct them in all the mysteries of housekeeping. So shall you put them in the way of good husbands and happy homes.—The Household.

Save the family and you can save the state; otherwise not. Save the family and you can save the church otherwise not. Therefore I do not do not hesitate to say, great is the state, great and sacred is the church, greater, and more sacred is that divine institution which we call the family.—Joseph Cook.

We have some apostles of a new gospel, pardon the use of the sacred word in such a connection, who tell us that the home is an evil, that marriage is an evil, and that the world will never get on well until both marriage and the home are banished from society, and men and women behave toward one another like beasts. They would abrogate all marriage laws and turn mankind out, not as families but as individuals to form alliances and beget children whenever and where ever they may choose. They would do this, they say, because the home is so often a place of misery, because the family is so frequently a collection of individuals, not bound together by love but by law. We grant that there are many unhappy homes; it is a sad thought; but for this shall we destroy the home? Is it likely that the annihilation of the home would increase the reign of purity and love among men? As well might we expect that the annihilation of courts of justice would strengthen the reign of law and order.—Marriage Guide.

Probably for many households the hours before church are hurried, tumulous and undevout. The family rise late, and breakfast is tardy. The children are harrassed about shoes, gloves, and lost or mislaid articles of dress. The parents have not fully recovered from the fatigue of business or pleasure of Saturday night. The first bell peals out its summons before anybody feels ready to hear it, and the progress to the place of prayer is a scramble to arrive before the opening anthem shall have been concluded. Dr. Arnot of Scotland, used to beg his people to spend the hour before coming to church in reading, meditation and prayer. If it were the habit of our congregations thus prepared in heart to go to the sanctuary, how different might be the impressions made on them by the sermons and public prayers. Had every disciple made the pastor, the week long, the subject of reverent, anxious, earnest prayer, would not the pastor enter his pulpit clothed with power from on high, and would not the benedicion return with ten fold largeness on the worshipers themselves?—Christian Intelligence.

It is not all loss that many women do not marry. The world needs them in many places that will be more and more open to them as intelligence and common sense prevail. There is often great heroism in their singleness. It is seldom because they have voluntarily chosen it, but because they have chosen not to marry where they could not give their hearts. Often they have resisted goodly offers, good men with good prospects, simply because their hearts would not consent to the bonds. Sometimes conscience has forbidden. They could not join in so sacred a life with a man of lower moral life than they lived themselves, and so have heroically chosen to forego the coveted pleasures of domestic life for the sake of a conscience sacred to truth and purity. All honor to such heroism! The world and the homes of the world would be better if there were more of it.—Heart of the World.

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—The Prince Imperial of Austria speaks, it is asserted, every dialect known in the Austrian dominions, except Turkish.

—Thirty States and Territories have more men than women, and seventeen States and Territories have more women than men.—*Chicago Times.*

—A colored preacher in Buffalo gave notice to his congregation recently that he wanted less shouting and more money in the future.—*Buffalo (N. Y.) Express.*

—The city fathers at Olean, N. Y., have instructed the police to compel all boys under the age of fifteen years to vacate the streets after 8 o'clock p. m.

—A five-year-old girl fell from a third-story window in Cincinnati, recently, but a gentleman passing by saw her coming, caught her in his arms, and saved her from any harm.—*Cincinnati Times.*

A couple of Flushing (N. Y.) squirrel-hunters caught a Canadian stoat or ermine, which was nested in a tree. It whipped their dog before they killed it. It is the first known to have been caught on Long Island.

—The adage that "It is an ill wind that blows nobody any good" finds a new illustration in the report that the health record of Cincinnati has greatly improved since the flood cleansed the unwholesome districts.

—Johnson Sides, a Piute Indian chief, says that the order of the Virginia & Truckee Railroad, prohibiting the free riding of Indians, is beneficial to the tribe, and that there are less maimed redskins than formerly.

—Until 1828 not a single steam vessel had visited Maine waters, and the appearance of a puffing, smoking steamer in Casco Bay, in that year, terrified some of the superstitious dwellers on the islands and the coast.—*Boston Post.*

—Lovers of the so-called "blood oranges" will be interested to hear that their favorite fruit having fallen short, certain dealers now prick the skins of ordinary oranges and then subject the latter to a bath of colored liquid.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—A native Jehu at Catskill has fixed up an old Concord coach and painted on the sides the words "Sally Hoe." Nobody has as yet pointed out to him his mistake, and the vehicle is likely to cause many a laugh this summer as it goes up hill and down dale.—*Troy (N. Y.) Times.*

—Miss Jennie Cassedy, of Louisville, who is incurably confined to her bed as an invalid, is nevertheless prominent as superintendent of a flower mission, and now she wants to send bouquets to all the prisons, penitentiaries and reformatories in the United States. She thinks it will humanize the inmates while the flowers last.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—An eccentric hermit woman died recently at Shirley, England, and among her effects an old piano was sold for half a crown. It turns out to be of the year 1730, thirteen years after the making of the first piano in England. Offers of seven hundred and fifty dollars have been made for this antique, which is valuable in the history of piano making.

—One of the only two remaining Roman milestones in Great Britain is in Cannon street, London, the other being in Chesterholm, in Northumberland. There is Roman work about the Tower of London. Until quite recently an old Roman turret was standing within a hundred yards of Ludgate Hill station, and in Cripplegate may yet be seen a splendid specimen of the original Roman wall.

—A report having been generally circulated that a cinnamon bear belonging to Mr. Oram, living in the woods near Fort Montgomery, West Point, N. Y., had been set free, it led to a tragedy recently. A miner who was intoxicated took refuge in Joe Connolly's barn, near by, and one of Connolly's boys, hearing the movement of the man, ran to the house, and, obtaining a shot-gun, fired into the hay where he was lying, and seriously wounded him.—*N. Y. Mail.*

—From a French State paper, lately brought to light, it appears that in 1770 the following Parliamentary decree was solemnly passed and duly registered under King Louis XV.: "Whosoever by means of red or white paint, perfumes, essences, artificial teeth, false hair, cotton wool, iron corsets, hoops, shoes with high heels, or false hips shall seek to entice into the bands of marriage any male subject of his Majesty, shall be prosecuted for witchcraft and declared incapable of matrimony."

—Jonathan Whedock deposited in the New Hampshire Savings Bank, in Concord, March 23, 1833, one hundred dollars bounty money which he had received as a Revolutionary soldier. Two other deposits of fifteen dollars each were added to it April 15, 1834, and April 9, 1835. The money still remains in the bank, and amounted on the first day of January last, with acrued interest, to two thousand and fifty-five dollars and forty-four cents.—*Boston Transcript.*

—Hugh Fagan, a Utica boy, fourteen years old, went to Albany, N. Y., recently to have a huge tumor removed from his neck. The operation, which necessitated an incision seven inches in length, was successfully performed by two doctors. The excised mass weighed nearly two pounds. Fagan showed wonderful grit both before and after the operation, and refused all stimulants. He walked to the hospital, where he will remain until the wound is healed. The operation was witnessed by a number of physicians and students.—*Utica Herald.*

—A very pretty custom, which has since been followed, was introduced at a fashionable wedding recently at the Savoy Chapel Royal, London. The choir formed a procession down the aisle to meet the bride and then walked back before her to their places in the church chanting a bridal hymn. A moral support is thus given to a faltering girl who has usually to walk up the aisle the observed of all observers, and overhearing, perhaps, remarks on the redness of her nose, or some defect in her dress, not very reassuring. After the ceremony the choir again formed in procession and walked before the bride and groom down the aisle to the entrance gate.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending June 19, 1884:

Estate of Herbert O. McMunn, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of John Henry, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing June 30, 1884.

Estate of Leander W. Kimball et al., minors; nomination and petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $1,200.

Estate of George B. Woodworth, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Josiah Lurey, deceased; petition for allowance of account; hearing July 7, 1884.

Estate of Urbane H. Ames, deceased; petition for administrator; hearing June 30, 1884; also a petition for special administrator; order of appointment; bond $8,000.

Estate of Thankful L. Ripley, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

In the matter of Jane L. Decker, an alleged indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum; hearing June 11, 1884.

Estate of Elvira Taylor, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; confirmation of sale.

Estate Warren E. Day, deceased; petition for administrator; hearing July 7, 1884.

Estate of George A. Monaghan, et. al. minors; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; bond $650.

Estate of Francis Stout, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond and letters; appointment of appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Phebe Thompkins, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond and letters; order of time to pay debts.

Estate of Justice Ifland, deceased; affidavits of publication; appointment of administrator; bond $3,000.

Estate of John Dings, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administratrix; bond $3,000.

Estate of John Ray, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond $200.

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, an incompetent person; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale; bond on sale.

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Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, June 16, 1884:

Havens, Carrie	Plank, Robert
Hawk, Mollie	Reeves, Seward
Miller, Allie May	Whalen, Michael

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Barley, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50	@	1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75	@	80
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushe	55	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 75	@	6 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ₱ lb		@	15
Ham, ₱ lb		@	14
Lard, ₱ lb		@	12
Oats ₱ bushel	28	@	35
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	30	@	35
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		@	95
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel		@	97
Wool	18	@	27

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By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2-6) of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale, cash.

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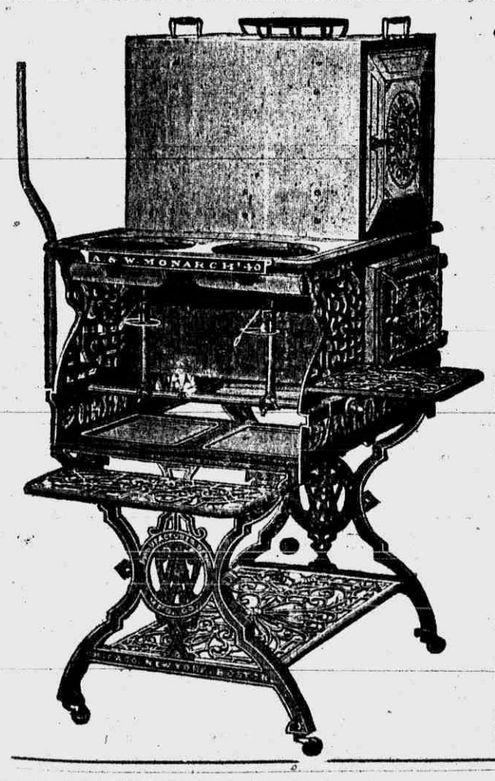

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BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Donaldsons circus drew an immense crowd here Wednesday afternoon and evening, and the day will be long remembered.

It was the bright final, to Professor Pierce's years of labor which have never been clouded by antagonism between himself and students; and it finished Charley Kieber's brief earth life that flitted with laughter singing on his lips. Shifted homes would perhaps express the change better, for who can realize death, that comes like a glint of sunshine. He had lived but eight years; not long enough to develop into a shining example of good or evil, but he would not risk his card of honor in exchange for the circus. He had permission to go, but returned to school instead; saying he would wait until evening to see what to any child is Wonderland. But the mill pond lay between, and leaving his prize on shore he sprang in, daring his two playmates to go deeper. It was treacherous ground and a slip sent him headlong. But a few moments after he ran across the play ground Professor Pierce took him from the water, hundreds of people left the tent and one, his Trapeze to crowd about doctor Jones and help him coax back a heart throb though it was plainly a useless effort. The little boy, that not one of fifty, leaning against line and gate had ever heard of, grasped hearts astray, as he climbed over golden bars. More tears were rained above two little hands filled with flowers, than for all who have said good bye to friends here for many years. It was pitiable to see age that affiliates with childhood, left desolate, and sympathy for the grand parents who had claimed him from infancy would not be repressed. Between their youngest son who had chosen a soldiers fate, and this little one stretched thousands of miles and dreary waiting. The bright little student gave promise of becoming their anchor, when all the rest of a numerous household should have drifted away. But He knows best, who portions tears and aching hearts, and lengthened years. The couplet embodies sentiments of Rev. H. Hughs and few presume to differ, yet it is difficult to see its merciful application to some cases. There are tears and aches not Heaven ordained, I fancy heart aches of aged parents produced by their children's neglect, is one kind, and does not always spring from depravity so highly extoled, as man's heritage. The disposition to neglect them can be acquired so near perfect in training schools of vice that you cannot sort it out from genuine. The school committee is selected from those who are willing to regulate morals by the size of transgressors. Its a fact we dont need to quote scripture to verify what the committee says; they did not organize the school for training right motives into weakness, and strengthen wrong ones; they only supervise and regulate it. That is keeping up the organization to the best of their ability. And how is it regulated?

It is not uncommon to see a man with a child a year or two old tucked under his arm, reeling along the street in fashion that endangers the little one's life every moment, and the spanks it gets are a part of the school discipline. It don't seem as if heaven apportioned tears to that baby as much as the committee that legalized its cry. If you could see the abuse heaped upon its mother in five minutes, you would wonder if anything on earth could induce a woman to leave her husband, or if there would be time enough to ache in, if her years outnumbered Methusalah's.—Such lives as hers are lengthed by the much quoted Timothy plan. It crowds a deal of variety into a short time and probably originated the style of reckoning, one day as a thousand years, or vice versa, I forget which.—The foolish game of the woman shaping her whole life by one mistake is played in every town in the universe and excites little wonder, less sympathy and no respect. If St. Paul had not left behind him definite rules to regulate conduct in such emergencies, the non-divorce amendment ministers are talking to divine decree would seem a trifle compulsory.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

The Twelfth Annual Commencement—A Fine Program Presented.

The commencement exercises at the Raisin Valley Seminary are looked forward to by a large circle of friends as an occasion to be enjoyed. This institution of learning is continually growing in reputation and influence. Their graduating exercises always draw a large gathering of interested listeners. The program presented on Friday last was a very fine one in every respect. The weather was all that could be desired. The main audience room, in which the exercises were held, was tastefully decorated with evergreen festoons and appropriate evergreen mottoes adorned the walls. The room was filled to overflowing, demonstrating the fact that the Seminary is in need of a larger hall for public entertainments. Promptly at ten o'clock the assemblage was called to order by Prof. White, and the program was presented as follows:

Music.
Devotional exercises.
Hidden Beauties—Charles M. Comfort, Tecumseh.
The Philosopher's Stone — Lewis Murback, Berkey, O.
Forests—George T. Stanley, Damascus, O.
Music.
Silent Forces—Hannah Harkness, Adrian.
Caste—William B. Green, Adrian.
Presenting Diplomas.
Address—Erastus Test, M. D.
Music.

The music was given by a quartette of singers from the Seminary, with organ accompaniment. The essays were all finely rendered and showed the result of careful training. The address by Prof. Test was a splendid effort, and will long be remembered by those who heard it. We regret that his modesty prevents us from giving it to our readers in full.

The total membership of pupils during the past year has been 81, of which there was one in the fourth year, five in the third year, twelve in the second year, forty-one in the first year and twenty-two in the preparatory course.

The following constitutes the present corps of officers and instructors:

William W. White, B. S., Principal, German and Natural Sciences.
Maggie E. Newsom, A. B., Assistant Principal, Latin, Algebra and History.
J. H. Douglas, Jr., B. S., Astronomy, Arithmetic and University Algebra.
Thomas B. Eddy, Superintendent.
Elizabeth H. Eddy, Matron.

MACON MOLECULES.

Isaac Pennington is building a large barn.

Mark Mills was home from Detroit Sunday.

The band boys gave an ice cream festival last Saturday evening in Pennington's grove. All enjoyed the ice cream and the music too.

Rolph Mills has exchanged his gig for a fine Moyer carriage. Now look out, ye fair ones.

Miss Maude Howell closed her school last Friday.

Miss Helm closed her school in the Mills' district last Friday. Miss Helm will teach a fall term in this district.

Miss Carrie Knight, of Bridgewater, is visiting relatives in Macon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Osgood are visiting at St. John.

Bradley Scudder has been sick for a number of days. We are glad to report him convalescent.

Next Sunday will be Children's Day at the M. E. church. Rev. Mr. Kerridge will deliver a lecture Sunday evening.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Spring crops never looked more promising than now. Wheat is coming on well with indications of an early harvest.

Mrs. Randall, of Milan, aged 71 years died on the 15th. She had been an invalid for a long time and confined to her bed for 15 years. The funeral was observed on the Tuesday following.

Frank Clarkson and Miss Nellie Clark were married at the home of the bride June 12th. Miss Clark will not change her name very much. The newly married couple took a trip around the Lakes which must be delightful during this warm weather. They have the good wishes of many friends, and we say thanks in acknowledgement of cake received.

The church social are arranging for an ice cream festival this week Friday evening, the 27 inst., to be given on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Robert Houseman. The ladies will please furnish cake. A good time is anticipated and a large attendance is expected.

The meeting of the Union club last week Friday evening at the Christian church proved very successful as the attendance was large and the general interest good. The address given by Rev. J. L. Hudson, of Morenci was one of the best. The club held a special meeting on Saturday evening for the purpose of organizing which resulted in the election of the following officers; President, G. P. Waring; Vice President, Rev. B. F. Rapp; Secretary, Geo. Gripton; Assistant Secretary Martin Palmer; Treasurer, L. E. Hause. An executive committee, one from each school district was also provided for with Dr. D. W. Lorce as chairman. The committee in full and its duties will be given hereafter, when entirely filled. The next club meeting will be July 2nd, the place and speakers will be hereafter announced.

Hot, Hotter, Hottest.

The frequent showers and hot weather makes corn, potatos and oats look fine.

Haying has commenced and if we have a few days clear weather there will be as fine a lot of hay put in as one could wish.

Mrs. Cox is repairing her house recently purchased of Mrs. Jane Thompson.

Mrs. Cheever has commenced the wall to her new house on lot recently purchased of G. W. Jackson.

A. J. Sutton, agent at Ridgeway will sell tickets to all points on the M. & O. R. R. July 2, 3 and 4 good until July 5, for one fare for round trip. Come one, come all and have a ride.

The Smith Brothers have moved part of their market over to Macon, and "Ase" will tend the market here, while "Lank" carves the round for Maconites.

Mr. Robert Houseman met with a painful accident Monday. While tearing down a fence he stepped on a nail and is suffering from the effects.

Mr. & Mrs. G. W. Jackson, Misses Luella Wilson and Ada Loree and Martin Palmer attended the commencement exercises at the Normal this week. Miss Ella Jackson returns home with them.

Miss Kittie Clark is very sick again.

Misses Rhoda and Ida Arner are going to Farmington this week to visit Mrs. Libbie Hatton.

The editor of the Milan Leader, A. B. Smith, and wife, spent the Sabbath with their aunt, Mrs. Jno. Arner.

Mr. F. D. Crossman is canvassing the town for Cram's Atlas with good success.

W. E. Barrett started for Owego, Kan. last Monday. He is going to visit friends, and may be work up the dressmaking trade there. How is it Miss ——?

Owing to the bad weather there was not many out to the social last Friday evening. They will give an ice cream entertainment at Mrs. Robert Houseman's Friday eve., June 27.

The village school closed last Saturday. Miss Wilson has the best wishes of all her pupils and friends here. She leaves for her home at Morenci in a few days.

Children's day was observed last Sunday. The exercises passed off pleasantly and the church was handsomely decorated.

Mrs. Frank Clarkson and wife returned from their trip last Saturday. They had a very pleasant trip up the lakes, taking in Mackinaw, Petoskey, etc.

The Union club gave an ice cream entertainment at the home of Lyman Hause last Wednesday evening and was well attended, although the evening was very unfavorable, keeping away many who had prepared to attend. The proceeds amounted to nearly $20, all of which has been expended in temperance literature to be distributed gratuitously. The club will hold their next meeting at the Free Methodist church Tuesday evening, July 1st. Rev. O. Barfell, Rev. B. F. Rapp, Dr. D. W. Loree, C. L. Lowe and others will address the meeting. Music from new temperance song books will be a pleasing feature of the meeting.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Miss Flora Parker, of Ypsilanti, is visiting friends in town.

Clinton supports three ice cream saloons.

Ed. Clark of Jackson is spending a few days with his parents.

Ella Wellwood, May Morey and Ella Swift, compose the graduating class from the Clinton High School this year.

A delegation of Milan Masons visited this lodge last Saturday night.

The haying season with the farmers has already began.

Where are the young gentlemen that play ball in this town?

Manchester will attempt to elevate a baloon the Fourth, with gas, we suppose; and there are people in this town mean enough to wonder if some of Manchester's citizens intend to furnish the gas.

The Clinton Band now comes out sixteen strong.

Farmers complain that rust will damage the wheat crop considerably this year in this section.

Saline supports two brass bands. This may correctly account for the brass of some of her citizens.

Mell Bull, brother of Mrs. E. VanDeMark was in town the first of the week.

Solomon Brown has been raising the floors and otherwise improving the inside of the Chandler building.

The graduating and commencement exercises of most of the High Schools and Colleges in the State of Michigan will take place this week. Fond mamma's and fair maidens will listen in rapture to the average graduating oration that will contain the usual number of latin phrases; and the graduate himself, in the midst of June flowers and sunshine, with a "sheepskin" under his arm will think that the world will now wag a little more than formerly as he is about to enter it. Such is life.

James Cobb and wife of Norvell, came down Tuesday, called on their many friends here and attended the Masonic festival in the evening.

The Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches will hold union services next Sunday evening at the Baptist Church.

Cos. Davis caught a ten pound pickerel with an angle-worm for bait, one day the first of the week.

Dr. J. W. Burchard tried to improve his complexion on and around Sand-Lake last Friday.

The graduating exercises of the Clinton High School will take place next Friday evening at the Town Hall. The music will be furnished by a quartette selected for the occasion—Miss Laura Clark, Mrs. E. VanDeMark and Messrs. Kerridge and Smith.

The Macon band take great interest in their band and are doing nicely with their music. They will make their debut before the public in Clinton the 4th.

George Freese of Detroit, spent Sunday in this village.

Strawberries in this section have been a very large yield and the size and quality considerably above an average.

We hear that Miss Laura Clark intends to spend part of the summer in St. Louis, Missouri.

Considerable wool has been marketed here this season; 150,000 pounds last week.

Charlie Spafford uses genuine cream for the ice cream that he "turns up." It is as good as the best; we have sampled it.

The Methodist people will hold a festival next Wednesday evening at the basement of their church. Everybody is cordially invited.

Charley Keyes sustained quite a severe accident last Saturday evening while walking by the north side of the hotel he accidently fell into a cellar-way, the door of which had been left open. Mr. Keyes' leg and side were severely bruised in the fall but fortunately no bones were broken.

D. Woodward, besides the farming implements that he manufactures, keeps on hand a general stock of other makers. He sells hay tedders for $42 each.

Charley Davis who lives on the Chicago road west of town has been recently building a fine new barn.

Mrs. David Brooks, while attending the Masonic festival Tuesday evening caught her foot in the matting on the stairs that lead to the masonic hall and fell to the bottom. Her face and side were severely bruised by the fall. The matting on the stairs did not seem to be properly fastened.

Wm. Amspoker has sold the meat market here to Wm. Muir, who took possession last Monday. Mr. Amspoker has purchased an interest in a market at Manchester.

The band came out last Tuesday with new uniforms which they have here on trial. The color is red trimmed with gold, and are handsome. The price seems to us very reasonable, and if the boys want a good suit, we cannot see how they can do any better than to purchase them.

As this is the closing week of the high school, we are reminded that there is no Alumni association of the graduates of our schools. There are enough graduates at present to make such an association both interesting and instructive. Let some of the graduates consider the matter.

Mrs. Grace Smith possesses a Night Blooming Cerius plant that had a magnificent blossom on it last Tuesday night. The plant is three years old and it is a rarity that one of these plants bloom, and then only in the night, as the flower withers with the morning sunlight. Mrs. Smith kept "open house" and all lovers of fine flowers were permitted to view this fair member of the Cactus Family in its fairest state.

The Decoration of the Masonic Graves in our cemetery last Tuesday was a decided success. The procession was large and was led by the band, playing a dirge. The banquet in the evening was attended by over two hundred guests.

A young lad working for Munson King, north of town, was unloading hay, he fell and the wagon passed over him. Both bones in his right leg broke and a severe scalp wound.

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"SPACIALLY JIM."

I was mighty good lookin' when I was young
Pert an black eyed an slim,
With fellers a-courtin me Sunday nights,
'Spacially Jim.

The likeliest one of 'em all was he,
Cutest an' han'somest an' trim,
But I took up my head an' made him a the
chiefest,
'Spacially Jim!

I told I hadn't no 'pinion o' men,
An' wouldn't take stock in them,
But they kep' up a-comin' in spite o' my talk
'Spacially Jim!

I got so tired o' havin' 'em roun',
'Spacially Jim!
I made up my mind I'd settle down
An' take up with him.

So we was married one Sunday in church,
'Twas crowded full to the brim;
'Twas the only way to get rid of 'em all,
'Spacially Jim.

—*The Century.*

A SHATTERED INTELLECT.

"Help! help! help!"

I started to my feet in a tremor of fright as this cry rang through my room, and gazed at the partition wall which divided my apartment from the room next to it in helpless terror. Then I bethought me of the hall, and rushing out there I knocked on the door next to mine.

Silence, followed by a low demoniacal laugh!

"What is the matter?" I called. "Open the door, if you need help."

A voice evidently that of an aged woman, called out:

"Go away!"

Then I could hear her laugh and mutter to herself, and I went back to my room. On the way I met the boy who was janitor of the building.

"Who has No. 27?"

"Some crazy womans," he answered in disrespectful haste, and was gone before I could ask another question.

A mad woman in the next room! Surely fate was unkind to me. I had come here to improve my own mind, and found myself tete-a-tete with idiocy. I could move out, but I had only just moved in, and ducats were as scarce as hens teeth. I was preparing myself for dramatic readings, and spent the most part of my time in the drill work of the profession, with intervals devoted to the rendering of classical music, vocal and instrumental. I comforted myself with the belief that however hard my poor demented neighbor shrieked and raved in her insane delirium, I could drown her out with an opposition bedlam, and I decided to stay where I was and attend to my own affairs.

If I had only done so!

"Mind your own business" is a homely formula, but it is a little classic of sensible, pertinent advice, which we would do well to engrave on the ritual of our daily lives in letters of gold. So much for parenthesis.

I studied aloud. I raved and ranted to develop my voice. I paced my chamber in a long white gown and holding a tallow candle in my right hand, while I strode up and down, repeated in sepulchral tones:

"Out, damned spot, out, I say—one-two, why then 'tis time to—

"Save me! save me! help! help! for God's sake, help!"

I dropped my candle, jumped into bed, and drew the bed-clothes over my head. There I lay and shivered until morning.

Then I saw a pale, still woman with a resolute face, coming out of number 27.

"How is your patient?" I asked hurriedly, as she passed me on the landing.

The woman stared at me a moment as if she did not quite understand.

"The insane woman," I explained.

"Oh, yes, much better, but I cannot stop to talk," and she hastened away while I wondered whether she was a nurse to the mysterious woman shut up there, or a relative, possibly a daughter.

I decided on the latter when I overheard the fond language she used toward the poor demented creature. Never a harsh or reproachful word, but the tender endearments of an affection that was as self-sacrificing as only the strongest filial love can be. And so proud and careful of the unconscious sufferer that no eye was allowed to rest upon her in that wretched state.

I honored and respected such devotion, and soon in my own way I longed to assist the sad and silent woman, who shrank from the advances of strangers, in her labor of love. I began by leaving tiny bunches of flowers at the door. Then small offerings of fruit, and I had a selfish reward in the silence and peace that followed each occasion. I could hear the patient softly laughing or talking to herself, and I even imagined she had learned to expect the tributes of my sympathy. Who knew? It might even act as a new mind cure, this outside diversion from an unknown source.

Several times I had tried to talk with the daughter—as I had decided her to be—but her manner was so reserved, and so strange, that I began to think she, too, was non compos mentis; that they were, in fact, a mad family. But I had learned that she filled a responsible position during the day, and that her whole life was given up to the cheerless society of the wreck whom she protected with such devotion that I had never yet caught a glimpse of her. I felt that to help such a sorrow was a privilege, and I desired no thanks or acknowledgment.

And yet—I will confess it now—it was sometimes hard to bear. The ravings of insanity are never pleasant to listen to, but there was a peculiar weirdness in the muffled cries that rang through the deadening walls.

But there came a climax, as there does to most of the tragedies of life, and it did not come a moment too soon, for I had fallen into a nervous condition that, if I had been a fine lady, would have caused my friends and myself great apprehension. But I am not a fine lady, and the few friends I had lived far away and did not trouble themselves about me. And I had become absorbed, fascinated, haunted by the nameless terror on the the other side of my partition. I too, was beginning to laugh hysterically; to scream "help" and "murder" in my sleep; to mutter, and babble incoherent words. My face had grown white and wild looking. I fancied that every next door neighbor avoided me, as if afraid of me—ha! ha! the idea is too funny!

One evening, just at dusk, I went home from a rehearsal for a performance in which I was to appear, and, all absorbed in my part, toiled wearily up to my room in the fourth story and walked in without unlocking the door, so unconscious was I of my surroundings. But the room was lighted and a woman sat there sewing; the furniture was strange, nothing was mine. I had made a mistake and walked into No. 27. The woman who sat there alone rose as I stamped and stopped back.

"I beg your pardon," I said, as I recovered myself, "but it seems I have made a mistake. I was thinking so busily, I did not notice—"

"Won't you sit down? Take this—"

"I'll kill you! Help! help!" shrieked a discordant voice—the voice that haunted me.

I started in sudden fright; every nook and corner was visible to the eye; the bed was there, white and unoccupied; no one was present except we two.

"*Who* is it? *What* is it?" I gasped, turning pale and sick.

"*My parrot!*" said the woman, calmly, pointing to a gray African parrot sitting sleepily in a cage in the corner. "I dare say she often amuses you with her noise. She is a very tragic bird. I am very choice of her, but some day you may borrow her, if you like her for company."

"I would like to ring her neck," I said and went home.

The next time I met the janitor I asked him how he dared to tell me there was a crazy woman in that room.

"Ale vimmins bees crazy," he said, with a cynical smile. "I tells *her* you vas crazy mit your own selluf."

"Told her I was crazy?"

"Yees, and she was africet, too."

Then I *was* a mad woman. I had been fooled and outwitted by a lout of a boy, and that bird I most despised, a poll parrot.—*Mrs. M. L. Rayne, in Detroit Free Press.*

The New Rich of New York.

The third circle of New York society is based on money—money alone—and so freshly made as to contain a clinging odor of the manner of its making—not always fragrant. Its members are apt to be vulgar, if from no other cause from their pecuniary ostentation and love of display. They have not had wealth long enough to become accustomed to it; consequently they are restless in their desire to advertise a fact which affords them so much shallow importance. As a rule, they are but half-educated, and their manners are defective. They tend to noise, self-assertion, and boastfulness; they rehearse their lives, seldom romantic or enthuling; they strut and swaggar from conceit and consciousness of what they have accomplished. As money is their sole test of worth and significance, they are not squeamish as to the method of its obtainment, and they do not inquire, therefore, too closely into the antecedents and record of the members of their set. They form a kind of bufflo company whose pretensions and extravagance would be diverting, if not repellent. They have the showiest carriages in the park, the costliest clothes, the biggest diamonds, the highest voices, and the worst pronunciation. They are forever advertising themselves in every possible way by word of mouth and by paragraphs in the newspapers. Their dearest ambition is to be thought fashionable, and they are so diligent to this end that outsiders are often made to believe them all that they assume to be.

They are very fond of frequenting the watering places, notably Saratoga—they do not affect Newport, where Knickerbocker or Mayflower blood, backed by a big income, asserts itself—and of attracting attention by their gaudy turnouts and their miscellaneous prodigality. The members of other circles rigorously avoid these shoddyites, as they are commonly called, and the shoddyites have, therefore, little society save of their own sort. This always annoys them, and they spend more lavishly than ever when they make an advance that is repelled, being under the impression that cash is social as well as financial capital, and that its reckless disbursement is a passport to a better circle they are always trying to enter. It is their misfortune that they can conceive of nothing higher or holier than money, and the blunders they commit from this misunderstanding are manifold and momentous. If they were fashionable the prejudice against fashion would not be without reason, for they are odious to every one possessed of self-esteem and delicacy.—*N. Y. Cor. Chicago Tribune.*

A National Fault.

If we could only learn that there are but twenty-four hours in a day. But it is a national fault with us to try to crowd about thirty-six hours into every day. We want to make up ten columns of matter into a nine-column paper. When a hen refuses to sit before she is ready, thus teaching humanity a lesson of patience and the eternal fitness of things, we do not yield to the hen; we construct artificial hatchers and hatch out twelve dozen chicks in forty-eight hours. If plants and vegetables refuse to grow for us as rapidly as we think they should, we force them into hot-beds and make them keep step with the times. We fly past the wind and outstrip the birds with our railway trains; we make water run up a hill; we light our streets without oil, gas or candle; we take the sting out of lightning with platinum tips; when we can't fly we run, and if we have to walk we don't; we simply sit still and telephone. We go up stairs in an elevator, and we call a messenger boy or a policeman or a hack with an electric bell. We won't even make the physical exertion to shout "fire," we press a button or pull down a hook, and a machine gives the alarm for us. We are going to be physically lazy. If it be true, as the scientists say, that unused members and organs disappear, in so many generations the American people will be a nation of men without legs.—*Hawkeye.*

—Utica, N. Y., has started a reading-room exclusively for girls.

Scientific Conceptions and Social Potency.

The first Napoleon's hatred of and contempt for "ideologues" expressed in part the practical man's scorn for mere dreamers, but expressed far more the antagonism of brute force to that subtle ideal force with which it had to struggle in vain. For ideas have their own laws of growth, and as the tender shoot of some vegetable organism will upheave the heavy and rive split the hard rock, so will the development of some new conception often defy the constraints of material compression. The minute egg of the coral animal may grow into an oceanic islet, or, into a reef besides which ships may sail for days, or even into a densely peopled land, with its railways, canals and busy commerce. Similarly, an idea from the brain of some Descartes or Hobbes, some solitary sage of Konigsberg, or a Genevan skull, full of imagination, but empty of morals, may, in the course of a few centuries, transform the aspect of the civilized world. The present is a time when scientific conceptions have a quite exceptional social potency, and we venture to think that some of those who have attained currency merit more attention from non-scientific readers than they have received on account of the relations they bear to temporary politics. We believe that many of the errors of even the most extreme school of Nihilists are the outcome of one recondite and mistaken philosophic idea, apparently quite remote from the sphere of politics. This idea may be shortly expressed as the mechanical conception of the universe. But if we are right in believing that this conception is at the root of such political errors, they have also a common origin from a source much less remote. They may be considered, in the first place, as developments of the main political error of Jean Jacques Rousseau, whose dreams have had results which now threaten so much of Europe with revolution and anarchy. This main political error is the conception that the art of politics is a mere matter of counting heads, one man being absurdly represented to be "as good as another." Hence arises the profound error of regarding a nation as a mere loose aggregate of similar units, instead of as an organic whole composed of a system of mutually related parts (having very different values and very diverse functions) from the family upward. But this imaginary reduction of one national, organic whole into a mass of separate, similar atoms is really but one of many examples of that modern tendency to regard all action as merely mechanical which has increasingly invaded every branch of knowledge, to the profound detriment of morals and religion.—*British Quarterly Review.*

Who's a Hoosier?

A story is told by some of the old residents of the State to the effect that the word was first applied to Indianians about the time when Madison was the center of a large pork trade, and the farmers for a hundred miles around would drive their hogs there in great droves. The peculiar noise that they kept up in driving the swine—sounded something like hoo-ie! hoo-ie! hoo-ie!—led to their being called, by a corruption of the sound, "Hoosiers." The story, if true, would make the origin of the word comparatively recent, and it can not be accepted with credence for the reason that the palmy porkopoly days of Madison were long after the Hoosiers had become known.

The first that is known of the word appearing in print was in 1830, when John Finley, the Wayne County poet, wrote a New Year's poem for the *Journal* entitled "A Hoosier's Nest," in which a description of the pioneer cabin in Indiana is given. The poem, in the light of one of the traditional stories, gives something of an idea of the manner in which the word came into use. The first few lines read:

I'm told in riding somewhere west
A stranger found a "Hoosier's nest,"
In other words, a Buckeye cabin,
Just big enough to hold Queen Mab in.
Its situation—low but airy—
Was on the borders of a prairie;
And, fearing he might be benighted,
He hailed the house and then alighted.
The Hoosier met him at the door,
Their salutations soon were o'er.

It was the custom among the early pioneers in Indiana in traveling through the country to hail a cabin by calling out: "Who lives here?" and "Who's here?" About the time of the treaty of peace with the Indians, in 1818, and when the State was very sparsely settled, travel was attended by great dangers, and no man ever rode away from home without his rifle. As a common precaution of safety, when a traveler saw in the distance the smoke from a camp or cabin fire, he would call out, upon coming within hearing distance, "Who's here?" and from the response he would know if he was among friends. From a corruption of this form of salutation the people of Indiana were called Hoosiers. Doubtless settlers, in writing back to friends at their old homes, would say that they "were among the Hoosiers," and in a few years the appellation sprang into general use. General W. H. H. Terrell, whose researches in the early history of Indiana have been thorough, and who may be accepted as authority, says that this is the true origin of the word, and Governor Wright is credited with saying that it was a corruption of the form of salutation of the early settlers of the Western country. A critical interpretation of Finley's poem seems to give proof of this explanation.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

—Henry F. Waters, the London agent of the New England Historic-Genealogical Society, has discovered among the records of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury the will of Sir George Downing. The Boston *Post* says: "It is an interesting fact that he, a Salem boy, a graduate of Harvard College in the famous first class of 1642, has given his name to Downing Street, known the world over as the official residence of the Prime Minister of England."

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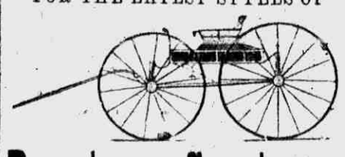

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

IN the Senate on the 18th, after the reading of the journal, which contained allusion to the Fitz-John Porter bill, the Chair stated that no further action on that bill was necessary, than to have the action of the House announced to the Senate. Consideration of the Utah bill was resumed. An amendment by Mr. Hoar to strike out the clause abolishing woman suffrage in the Territory was rejected, and the bill passed—yeas 31, nays 16. Adjourned. In the House a further conference was ordered on the Post-office bill, and Messrs. Townshend, Holman and Horr were appointed on the part of the House. The House proceeded to the consideration of the Pacific Railroad bill known as the Thurman amendment to the bill. A long debate followed, and without reaching a conclusion the House took a recess until the 19th.

THE Senate on the 19th passed a bill to prevent the importation of tea dust into the United States. Mr. Butler's resolution providing for an inquiry into the condition of the New York banks was called up, and after debate the matter went over, and the Mexican Pension bill was taken up, and pending debate the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned. The House met in continuance of the session of the 18th and resumed consideration of the Pacific Railroad bill. An amendment offered by Mr. Thompson was agreed to, to make the aggregate yearly contribution of the Central Pacific Company fifty-five instead of thirty-five per cent. of the net earnings, and that of the Kansas Pacific forty-five per cent. The bill then passed without division. The bill to prohibit the importation and migration of foreigners and aliens under contract to perform labor, was then called up and passed without division. Pending debate on the contested election case of Campbell vs. Morey, the House adjourned.

THE Senate on the 20th agreed to the resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Voorhees, calling for information as to the Indian beef contracts. Mr. Groome presented the credentials of Ephraim R. Wilson, Senator-elect from Maryland, for a term of six years, beginning March 4, 1885. The Mexican Pension bill was taken up. Several amendments were offered and rejected, and without reaching a conclusion the Senate went into executive session and adjourned. The House passed a bill reducing from fifty and twenty-five cents to ten cents the clearance fees levied upon vessels engaged in domestic commerce. Mr. Hutchler, from the Committee on Civil Service, reported a bill to repeal the tenure of office act; placed on calendar. Consideration of the Campbell-Morey contested election case was resumed, and after debate the minority resolution, confirming the right of the contestee to the seat, was lost—yeas 63, nays 139. The majority resolution, seating Campbell, was agreed to, and that gentleman appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office. Mr. Tucker, from the Judiciary Committee submitted a report upon the case of Hallet-Kilbourn vs. Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson; the report recommends that an appropriation be made to pay the amount of the judgment in relief of the defendant; referred to Committee on Appropriations. Adjourned.

DOMESTIC.

THE east-bound passenger train on the Burlington & Missouri River Road went through a bridge near Hubbell, Mo., on the 18th, injuring thirty persons, three or four fatally. It appears that some miscreants had removed the spikes and spread the rails about sixty feet from the approach to the bridge. The engine left the track but crossed the bridge on the ties. The jolting weakened the bridge, causing it to fall, carrying down the entire train.

THE bondsmen of Colonel Burnside, defaulting disbursing clerk of the Postoffice Department, have surrendered him to the authorities.

THE First Comptroller of the Treasury in settling the accounts of Robert C. Morgan (deceased), formerly Disbursing Clerk of the Department of State and Chief of the Bureau of Accounts, discovered a deficit of $12,000. His bondsmen have been called on to make good the account. Morgan was Disbursing Clerk of the State Department many years and was held in high esteem. He died about two months ago.

ABOUT five thousand miners are idle in the Monongahela Valley.

AT Muncie, Ind., on the 18th, Thomas Watling, who went to California during the gold fever of 1849, leaving a wife and three children, returned from the far West and spent the evening with his wife, children and grand-children. Mrs. Walling, who supposed him dead, had, in the meantime married twice, both husbands dying.

COMMODORE C. K. GARRISON, the veteran financier, reputed to be worth ten to twenty millions, made an assignment on the 20th to John T. Terry. The amount involved is supposed to be about $5,000,000, with preferences amounting to $631,000.

THE hearing in the conspiracy case of Cashier Reiber of the Penn Bank, and T. J. Watson, oil broker, was concluded before Alderman Burke at Pittsburgh on the 20th. They were held in $30,000 bail each. Riddle, President of the bank, had previously waived a hearing and given bail for the court.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended June 20 were: United States 182, Canada 23; total 205—a decrease of 23 as compared with the previous week.

THE Rio Grande River at El Paso, Tex., is reported higher than at any time in a quarter of a century.

THE bill appropriating $100,000 to the New Orleans Exposition has passed the Louisiana House.

THE boiler of Fields & Co.'s brick yard at Albany, Ga., exploded on the 20th, killing four negroes.

SECRETARY CHANDLER has ordered a court of inquiry to investigate the frauds recently practiced by means of false vouchers in the bureau of medicine and surgery.

DETECTIVE WOOD has represented to the Secretary of the Navy that he has found evidence of even more extensive frauds in other bureaus of the Navy Department than in that of medicine and surgery.

ON the 19th lightning struck a tank near Bradford, Pa., containing 25,000 barrels of oil, owned by the National Transit Company. Fire consumed the entire contents.

A MAN named Patrick H. O'Brien passed himself off as the brother of the late millionaire, W. S. O'Brien, of San Francisco, and was paid $750,000 out of the estate. He has since died, and it now transpires that he was an impostor. Suit has been begun against his son to recover the amount.

THE safe of John Collins in the township of Peck, Sanilac county, Michigan, was blown open and burglarized on the 19th. Ten thousand dollars cash and securities were stolen. No clue to the thieves.

SEVERAL cases of small-pox were reported in Shelby County, Iowa, on the 20th, originating in a family of emigrants who came through Baltimore and were there given health certificates. Two of the family have died and seven neighbors are down with the disease.

THE nineteenth anniversary of Emancipation Day was celebrated on the 19th by the colored people throughout Texas. Large public meetings were held at Galveston, Houston, Austin, Dallas, Marshall and other points.

GENERAL MILES, commanding the District of Columbia, has detailed Lieutenants Abercrombie, Brumback and Dr. Robinson, with M. Homan, topographical assistant, to explore Copper River, Alaska. The expedition is considered a dangerous one, as the Copper River country is occupied by Indians who have never allowed white men to explore it.

MRS. WARREN, wife of Bishop Henry W. Warren, of Denver, Col., has donated $100,000 to Denver University for the establishment of a department of divinity, to be known as "The Iliff School of Divinity," on condition that others endow a single professorship.

THE Homeopathic Convention at Deer Park, Md., on the 19th was largely attended. The reports showed that there were twenty-six State societies with 2,38[illegible] members; twenty-six general hospitals providing last year for 10,000 patients, and thirty-seven special hospitals, costing $1,700,000, with 5,880 patients.

THE wholesale bakery establishment of A. D. Haseman, at Williamsburg, N. Y., burned on the 22d. A wall of the burning structure fell into the alley way where the firemen stood, and Henry Tyeck, George W. Haight, and Stephen Allen were buried in the ruins. Allen was the first taken out. He was burned and mangled, but alive. The others were dead. The building was entirely destroyed. Loss $100,000. A stable in the rear of the building was also burned, with eight horses.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended June 21: Loans decrease, $2,820,500; specie increase, $2,661,200; legal tenders increase, $269,000; deposits decrease, $413,500; circulation increase, $58,300; reserve increase, $3,033,575. The banks held $10,018,075 in excess of legal requirements.

THE three-mile boat race, over the Hulton course at Pittsburgh on the 21st, between Peter Priddy and George Gang, for a purse of $1,000, was won easily by Priddy. Time, twenty minutes and fifty seconds. Priddy had fifty feet start and won by four lengths.

THE Mormons are stirred up over the House bill just passed the Senate, and the Mormon press and leading citizens denounce the measure as harsh, unjust and tyrannical and in some respects unconstitutional.

THE Sundry Civil Service bill, as completed by the committee, appropriates two and one half millions less than last year, the saving being made in the government printing office, public buildings, internal bureau and local surveys.

FROM all parts of the Pennsylvania oil region reports favorable to the proposed shut down movement are being received, and, except with the wells already under way, work is being suspended in Allegheny, Bradford, the Middle field, and Maxburg. In the latter district all operators but one have joined the movement. So complete is the shut down regarded that some drillers and tool-dressers are preparing to leave the region.

AZARIAH POULIN, chief of the notorious North Lima (O.) gang of thieves, was arrested in that place on the 21st. There are said to be enough counts in the indictments against him to keep him in the penitentiary the balance of his life.

THE steamer Montana, with 500 tons of assorted freight, struck the Wabash Railroad bridge at St. Charles, Mo., on the 22d and sank. She will be a total loss. Part of the cargo was removed.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

BISHOP MATTHEW SIMPSON, one of the ablest and best known divines in the Methodist ministry, died at his home in Philadelphia on the 18th. He was born in Ohio June 10, 1810, and graduated at Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., in 1832, entering the ministry the following year. In 1837 he was elected Professor of Natural Sciences in the same college, and two years later President of Asbury University, Greencastle, Ind. In 1848 he was elected editor of the *Western Christian Advocate*, and in 1852 was made Bishop. During the war he made many addresses in support of the Union. In 1863-4 he made a missionary tour of Europe, and was three times a member of a general conference. Since 1876 he has been living in Philadelphia.

THE Ohio State Prohibition Convention met at Columbus on the 18th and placed the following State ticket in nomination: Secretary of State, E. J. Morris, of Cincinnati; Supreme Judge, J. W. Rosebrough, of Fulton County; Member of Board of Public Works, W. J. Kirkendall, of Jackson County; Presidential electors-at-large, Z. C. Payne, of Columbus; Ferdinand Schumacher, of Akron. A list of delegates were chosen to attend the National Convention, which meets at Pittsburgh July 23.

THE Democrats of the Thirteenth Congressional district of Illinois renominated Hon. William M. Springer for Congress by acclamation.

LOUISIANA and Tennessee Democrats held State conventions on the 18th and elected delegates to the Chicago Convention. The Louisiana Convention declared in favor of the nomination of Tilden.

THE Maine Democratic State Convention met on the 17th. John R. Redman was nominated for Governor, and Payson Tucker, David R. Hastings and James F. Rawson elected Delegates-at-large to the Chicago Convention. A resolution favoring Cleveland for President was adopted.

VERMONT Republicans in State Convention on the 18th nominated Samuel Pingree for Governor; E. J. Ormsbee for Lieutenant Governor, W. H. Dubois for Treasurer, Charles W. Porter for Secretary of State, and E. H. Powell for Auditor.

AT the Colorado Democratic State Convention on the 18th Governor Grant, M. S. Waller and M. D. Crow were elected Delegates-at-large to the Chicago Convention. Cleveland is their probable choice.

THE American-Prohibition party in convention at Chicago on the 20th adopted a platform and nominated S. C. Pomeroy, of Kansas, for President, and J. A. Conant, of Connecticut, for Vice President.

THE Tennessee Democratic State Convention on the 19th selected delegates to Chicago, a majority of whom favor Cleveland. Governor William B. Bate was renominated for the position.

THE Indiana Republican State Convention on the 19th placed the following State ticket in nomination: Governor, W. H. Calkins; Lieutenant Governor, Eugene Bundy; Secretary of State, Robert Mitchell; Auditor, Bruce Carr; Treasurer, R. R. Shield; Attorney General, W. C. Wilson; Superintendent of Public Instruction, B. C. Hobbs.

THE Independent Republican Committee have issued a circular, which will be circulated throughout the country for signatures, calling a general conference to be held immediately after the Democratic National Convention.

ALBERT W. TAYLOR, Frank A. Mansfield, Frederick C. Emerson, F. G. Appleton, Elmer D. Bostwick, Dwight H. Clapp, Daniel Magnus, Benjamin F. Ousley (colored), Alfred E. Colton, Sidney Strong and A. E. Thomson, were the graduates from the Theological Department of Oberlin College at the thirty-first commencement on the 21st.

THOMAS LAVAS, a well-known lawyer and Fenian agitator, formerly a resident of Cleveland, O., died at Chicago on the 23d, from the effects of an accident by which his leg was broken.

FOREIGN.

NEWS has been received at London that while the whaler Chieftain was sailing off the coast of Greenland four boats were dispatched in pursuit of a school of whales. A dense fog arose and the crew were unable to find the ship. They were only supplied with two days' provisions and water. A tempest arose and the boats were separated. The cold was intense. One boat reached land after eight days at sea. The men were in an emaciated and thoroughly exhausted condition, the only nourishment being from sucking ice. It is feared the other three boats containing fifteen men are lost. Only seven men were left on board the Chieftain and great anxiety is felt for her fate.

THE priests and military authorities of Saxony have started a crusade against the Mormons, which will probably result in their expulsion from the province and possibly from the entire empire.

THE death of John Gustavus Droysen, the eminent professor of history at the University of Berlin, is announced. Professor Droysen was born July 6, 1808, at Treptow, Pomerania.

ADVICES from Turkestan state that the Amu Daria River burst its dyke into the Kudshar Canal. A large military camp was destroyed and the fertile country submerged. Many persons perished.

A DISPATCH from The Hague says the Prince of Orange died on the 22d.

THE powder mills at Pontremoli, Italy, exploded on the 22d, killing thirty persons and injuring seventeen others.

IT is estimated that no less than 34,000 people have been converted by Mr. Moody since he began his revival meetings in London last fall.

A DISPATCH of the 21st from Battleford, Manitoba, says the Indians of Poundmakers Reserve seized and beat a Government official, broke into the Government store and stole provisions. About fifty mounted police, sent from Battleford to arrest them, were set at defiance and a fight was expected. The people of Battleford were alarmed, and had organized themselves for self-defence. No arrests.

THE small-pox epidemic continues to increase throughout London. There are now about 1,700 cases in the public hospitals, and new cases are being daily reported at the rate of about seventy-five per week.

THE deaths from yellow fever at Havana for the week ended the 21st were sixteen.

THE shirt and collar factory of Skelton Brothers & Co. at, Montreal, was burned on the 22d. The falling walls killed one man and dangerously wounded another. Loss heavy.

THE German Reichstag has passed a bill which is designed to foster the power of trades guilds. It decrees that all tradesmen exercising any one of the trades which have guilds who refuse to enter the guild of their respective trades shall be prohibited from employing apprentices.

IN the English House of Commons on the 21st the Under Foreign Secretary stated that the last news from General Gordon was of the date of April 12. He said that twenty messengers had been sent for General Gordon by different routes. One messenger who went up the Nile by boat succeeded in entering Khartoum. On his return, bearing General Gordon's answer to the Government he was pursued by rebels and killed.

LATER.

THE oil refinery of George Allen, & Son at Franklin, Pa., was totally destroyed by fire on the 23d, caused by an explosion of gas in the boiler room. The flames spread to the tanks and buildings, which were speedily consumed. Loss, $75,000. The track of the N. Y., P. & O. road for a distance of 100 yards was destroyed. Hugh Carr, superintendent of the refinery, had a narrow escape from a horrible death.

AN explosion of dynamite on the 23d in Brady's tunnel, near Washington, Pa., on the Hempfield extension of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, fatally injured Roger Kane and badly bruised and cut another workman whose name was not learned. The accident was caused by the blast not going off at the proper time.

THE depositors of the New Castle (Pa.) Savings Bank have accepted the proposition of Colonel Wallace to issue certificates payable in one, two and three years, bearing interest. A statement prepared for the depositors showed the assets to be $13,000 in excess of the liabilities. During the run $270,000 have been drawn out in a short time.

A TORNADO visited the town of Fort Madison, Iowa, on the 23d, unroofing a large number of houses, including the Baptist Church and postoffice, and doing much damage. It was accompanied by a heavy rain, which flooded the unroofed buildings, and increased the losses.

REPORTS from Calais, Me., on the 23d state that forest fires were raging north, east and west of that place and all spreading rapidly. The city was surrounded with a dense smoke. Large gangs of men were at work, and more would start out to fight the flames.

A RESOLUTION was adopted in the Senate on the 23d directing the committee on Expenditures of Public Money to investigate the recent defalcations in the department and frauds upon the Navy Department. The Mexican Pension bill was then taken up and its consideration proceeded with. Mr. Sherman spoke in opposition to the bill. Mr. Mitchell offered as an amendment the substance of the pension bill introduced by Mr. Cullom early in May, providing pensions for "invalid soldiers and sailors who have been discharged from the army or navy of the United States after three months service in the war of the rebellion and, for widows and dependent parents of deceased pensioners." Adopted—yeas 32; nays 27. A motion to postpone the consideration the bill until December was lost, and after agreeing to come to a vote on the bill and amendments on the 24th, the Senate adjourned. In the House Mr. Hancock introduced a bill authorizing the funding of the entire bonded debt of the United States in two per cent. fifty-year bonds; referred. The Sundry Civil Service bill was taken up on a motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill. Amendments were adopted: Providing that United States marshals and district-attorneys be paid stated salaries; granting one month's extra pay to House employes; striking out the provision that no speech be printed in the Record that has not been delivered on the floor of Congress; commanding the Secretary of War to sell at public sale the Allegheny arsenal, Pennsylvania, the Augusta arsenal, Georgia, the Indianapolis arsenal, Indiana, Kennebec arsenal, Maine, and Watertown arsenal, Massachusetts. The bill was then passed—yeas 180, nays 35. Adjourned.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 4th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Henry, late of said county, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sarah Henry, the widow of said deceased, praying for the allowance and probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to said petitioner, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ROBERT W. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 16th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Robert W. King, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Abner Wilson, guardian of said minor, alleging that said minor has now attained to the age of fourteen years, and praying that his resignation now on file in this court may be accepted, that his final account as such guardian may be allowed, that he may be ordered to pay over the estate in his hands belonging to said minor to his guardian, when appointed, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring, deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A.D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Smithworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Administrator of said Estate.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant,
vs.
Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 5th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dwan's opera house, in the city of Adrian, in said county, said opera house being the place of holding said court, the premises described in said decree, to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier; thence north-easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land, will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning, being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian, this 5th day of June, 1884.

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THE DISCOURSE.

1 Cor. 16-13. "Quit you like men."

Is man an animal? Unquestionably some men are. They not only possess the physical characteristics of the animal, but they possess, in some instances to a very large degree, the animal nature. They are gross, sensual, selfish and thoughtless. They live for the present and for present gratification. If such men are more than animals, they are animal in their tendencies.

But then the word man is used in a higher sense. We say, "he is a man," meaning that he possesses qualities that do not characterize animals. His soul outweighs his body. He is unselfish, thoughtful and brave. He is just, merciful and magnanimous. In his own estimation himself is not the hub of the universe, but just one of the ordinary spokes. He lives on the level with his fellow men, to co-operate with them and in his turn to support them. He expects, and is fitted, to bear burdens.

Like his body, his spirit is upright. His heart, like his face, looks heavenward, and beats with unfeigned love and devotion to God, who gave it being, preserves its life and directs its ways.

A man, in this sense of the term, is not an organism. He is a spirit served by organs. That part of him which corresponds to the animal is under control. His physical desires are under bit and bridle. They do not run away with him, dashing him into pieces, but he drives, using them to serve his higher and manly purposes. They are his ministers to aid in his development Godward, and in the accomplishment of his projects of philanthropy. Under God he is master of himself.

A man is the crowning work of God. Carlysle said—"he is the miracle of miracles." In what does his glory consist? Not in his duration. The pyramids of Egypt are venerable with the age of more than forty centuries, the mountains, with unnumbered periods. Yet, compared with a man—comparatively speaking the creature of a day—they are as nothing. It does not consist in his strength. The horse, the bird, even the hare will outstrip him. Compared with the beasts of burden and the beasts of prey, he is almost strengthless.

Darwin's doctrine of the "Survival of the Fittest" embodies many elements of truth. It is that in the struggle for existence in the animal world, in their preying upon each other, in their mutual conflicts, the fittest alone survives, the rest perish. This fitness is strength, fleetness and superior sagacity.

But why does man survive? He is engaged in the same struggle, is without towering strength and marvelous fleetness. He survives, because of those qualities that distinguish him as a man—because of his likeness to his Creator. The divine in him is the sure pledge of his continued survival. But only those men who have the divine will survive. Those who are without it and are developing the baser part, the animal part of their natures, will perish—and more, in the world to come they will be the undying witnesses of their own perdition. Men in the higher, nobler divine sense, will alone be grandly and truly immortal. The only perfect man this world ever saw was the God man, Jesus of Nazareth and Jesus the Christ.

In this sense our text is to be understood. "Quit you like men."

I. In the first place let us consider a man's heart. The heart is that which gives direction to the activities which make up the life of its possessor. A steamship is the storehouse of tremendous energy. Its mighty will moves its iron and oaken frame with ease. The engine gives motion, nothing else. It is the rudder that directs its movements.

A human life is the dwelling place of energies, not as great as those of a steamship to be sure, but far more mysterious and subtle. They are mainly the energies of thought—and thought rules the blind energies of matter. Like those of a ship, they are aimless, unless directed. The heart is their rudder—it determines their course.

Look out upon the stream of life, and behold human destines going in opposite directions. Some are moving up stream towards the embowered haven at its source. Others are moving down stream towards the awful cataract that thunders below. So far as we can determine the energies of the one class are no greater than those of the other. Why their opposite directions then? The answer is evident. Their hearts are opposite in character and consequently give opposite directions. The first essential of a true and successful manhood is a right heart—a heart that heads the life up stream towards God. It were better that a steamship had never been built or that it had rotted at the wharf, than to head down stream—that means destruction at the cataract.

These words carry infinite weight when applied to a human destiny. To be under the direction of a bad heart makes life more than a failure—it makes it a calamity, a horrible disaster. Of one the Savior said, "It had been good for that man if he had not been born." (Mar. 26-24.) Certainly these words are true of all men who take the same direction.

If the rudder be right, ships will go up stream, even if the current is strong. Indeed they will go if, in addition to the current, there is a strong head wind. Their progress may be slower and more difficult than that of those which go with the current and before the wind. Nevertheless the rudder is right and they go. Men, in the nobler sense of the term, have right hearts, and go up towards God. Let the heart be right and they will never go over the cataract of perdition. Headwinds and counter currents may retard and increase labor, but nothing more. The great need of all is not a change of circumstances, but a change of heart.

Go into an artist's studio, and you will find him surrounded by models. Whether in painting or sculpture, he strives to imitate them. The more nearly he approaches them in excellence the greater he considers his success. But so long as his work appears inferior to the best models of the greatest masters, he is unsatisfied and toils on. But what artist ever found a perfect model? What genius ever looked upon his work as he put it by and said, "It is finished." "It cannot be surpassed," "It is faultless."

Jesus Christ is the perfect model. He is the archetypal man. In him dwelt all the elements of manhood in their completeness. In his bosom beat the perfect heart of the perfect man. He hated wrong, which is but another name for sin. Was it entrenched? Was it hoary with age? Was it buttressed by the pillars of society? Was it defended by wealth? Was it idolized by respectability? He attacked it without fear and without mercy. He was the relentless enemy of whatever was hostile to his God and to the truest interests of man. He was vigorous, but not harsh. His heart was tenderness itself. His hatred for wrong was no greater than his love for the wrong doer. In his eyes every persistent sinner was an immortal spirit rushing on in madness and blindness towards the bottomless abyss.

A legend has floated down to us from the early days of Roman History. It is this. The earth opened and threatened to engulf the nation. The seers explained that the only rescue from the impending doom was for some one to voluntarialy cast himself into the chasm. Then it would be closed up, and the doomed people would be redeemed.

One of the bravest knights responded, "I will go." The declaration and the deed were almost simultaneous. Leaping in, the chasm closed over him and his people were saved.

This faintly illustrates the self-sacrifice of the Son of God. Stirred by the peril of humanity, his heart moved him to self sacrifice for its rescue. The Roman knight went to his death with the tearful gratitude of those for whom he was to die. Jesus went to his, in spite of the enmity and malice of those he sought to rescue. Manhood does not consist in fame and earthly glory, nor in the praise or acclaim of men. Men are not such as Alexander, Caesar and Napoleon; but such as Paul, Luther, Knox and Williams—men whose hearts were like Christ's. "Quit you like men."

II. In the second place consider a man's intellect. While a right heart is the prime essential to a true manhood, it is not the only essential. Jesus was more than heart. His intellect was the broadest and the profoundest. A steamship would be of no use without a rudder. On the other hand a rudder would be of little account without the ship.

If the heart is the rudder, it must have powers and energies to direct, if there is accomplished any achievement worthy of the name.

A man of intellect is a man of power. A man of trained mental powers, like an athlete, wins. He it is who lays his hand upon the forces of the Commercial World and obliges them to lay their golden treasures at his feet. He accumulates wealth, and wealth is an important element in power. It is not a sin to be rich. Indeed it is a sin not to possess wealth, if one remains poor because he has not the energy to fit himself in mind to acquire it. If it is not a sin to have a strong arm to raise in the defense of the weak and oppressed, it is not a sin to get and hold money to feed the hungry, clothe the naked and to send the gospel, whose teachings are the fundamental law of Commercial and Business prosperity, to the poor and benighted of earth. The love, not the use, of money is the root of all evil.

J. P. Crozer of Philadelphia worked as hard and studied as closely to make money for the promotion of the kingdom of God, as most men do, to make money for hoarding. And institutions of learning and philanthrophy stand in our country as monuments of his manly, his Christly consecration. Wealth is oppressive and detrimental, when it is in the hands of *persons*, instead of the hands of *men*. Vanderbilt and Gould have not the hearts of men. Did they possess them, their millions would bless and not curse, relieve and not distress. It is the duty of every *man*, whom God calls into a life of business to make the most of his opportunities for the glory of God and for the relief and uplifting of humanity. To do this his intellectual powers must be trained, his business faculties must be enlarged by untiring effort and the most assiduous application. These things a man will do.

But I wish to call your attention to the importance of intellectual strength for other purposes, higher and more important.

The conflict of the ages is a conflict of ideas—wrong ideas arrayed against right ideas. The right deserves and needs strong and able champions. It often occurs that a vigorous intellect will clothe an error so attractively that it appears more true than truth itself. It is the old story of Satan's appearing as an angel of light to deceive, if possible, the very elect.

Right and Truth and Justice must have champions equally able. They must have men of thought and of disbernment; men who can discover the joints of their harness and who have the manly heart to thrust the dart into them. The newspaper is upon everybody's table. Its sentiments in the majority of cases become the sentiments of its readers especially when those sentiments are wrong. Let the press be on the wrong side of the temperance reform, as it generally is, let it be irreverent and pass lightly over the things that are sacred, let it send out a covert skepticism, as it too frequently does, and its readers show the effect of the poison. Almost every child in the land spends the most impressible part of his days with the teacher in the Public School.

Is he manly? The child copies it. Is he unmaly? By this I mean, is he immoral or worldly or regardless of the truths and commands of the Bible? Is his conscience elastic and is he without consecration? His pupil is more apt than otherwise to be like him. Whether a man's life be right or wrong, it is contagious.

Perhaps no means of influence is more potent than that of public address. Marshaled thoughts quickened into life by the living voice are almost irresistible. As if under a spell, men are led by them right or wrong. The editor, the teacher and the speaker constitute a sort of a trinity of power. These functions will be performed, if not by men, by those who are unworthy of the name. And persons, who are *not* men, are not going to stand by to see whether *men* will do the work before they take hold. They will spread their poison, if they can. If men occupy these positions, it will be because they are strongest intellectually. Is it manly for a young man who has strong hands, a clear head and right heart, to say I can't fit myself by study to overpower these enemies of God and man by sheer strength and to supplant them? In fact is he a man, if this is his spirit? Twenty years ago young men looked upon the strife around our nation's flag and over the human slave, and felt to imperil their lives for the nation's honor and for human freedom. Is the conflict of ideas of to day any less real, any less important than that conflict of bullets? Will not manly hearts be as strongly moved to champion the cause of right, of humanity, and of God, and also to fit themselves to win? I tell you young men and women, if they are men and women, will be inspired by the trumpet call of duty, to give themselves, by means of study, mental strength, which will enable them to triumph. I plead for higher education, for the academy and for the college. It is said that the professions are overflowing. They are full of failures, but not of successes. I plead for that mental discipline, which will ensure success. "There is room enough on top." "Quit you like men."

III. We will now consider briefly our third point—a man's throne. By throne I mean power. A man—consisting, as he does, of heart and intellect—is a moral ruler. His utterances of truth, quickened into life by his love, win. They produce conviction; they give him followers. His arguments and entreaties are in effect commands, and kindred souls obey. They create and shape public opinion, which at length heaving like an earthquake, shatters to fragments the hoary fastnesses of wrong. Leadership does not consist in office-holding. The holders of office are bt the executives of the sentiment which the leaders have created.

Wendell Philips and Garrison were more truly rulers of this country than Abraham Lincoln. They breathed into the nation the spirit of emancipation; he emancipated in obedience to the nation's will. In the books of American History the name of Lincoln will be forever coupled with that most splendid triumph of human rights and human liberty. But in the books of God, the names of Garrison, Philips and their compeers are written over this moral triumph in letters of living, undying light. They were men—men of conscience and conviction. When they began to speak, they were opposed and set upon by all the baser passions of the human heart. They were maligned, assailed, mobbed, beaten. Citizens hissed them, and their names were by words in the mouths of children. Still they argued and entreated. In time the thunders of battle rolled. Those sharp words were transmited into hissing bullets. Congress resolved, armies mustered, squadrons marched and charged. Whose power was here manifested? The presidents? No. It was the power of such men as Garrison and Philips. No emperor ever sat upon a throne of more absolute, resistless power than theirs—and they never held an office.

The Christian Church is alive with missionary zeal to-day. It was not so a hundred years ago. What has wrought the change? The example, the influence and the words of such men as Carey and Judson. They were men after the model of Christ himself, and in the beginnings of their work they were treated much as he was treated. But they ruled and do rule. The power which emanates this hour from their graves is more absolute than the power which emanates from the man on the Tiber.

The Sage of Portland has dedicated his life to the prohibition of the Liquor Traffic. His country-men have greeted him as they greeted Philips—with hatred, ostracism and ridicule. But his thought is becoming the law of millions. His convictions are sweeping around and through our land like billows of fire. He is ascending his throne. The time is coming, when that power will bid the traffic "Begone" and it will go.

Such is the grandeur of manhood, which is but another word for Christhood. A man is the grandest spectacle of time. Civil and social distinctions are like the waves of the sea. They come and they go and are forgotten. But men, like the mountains of God, endure—like God himself, they endure forever. To be a man is to be like God; for "in the image of God created he him. (Gen. 1-27.)

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The traveler of the present day, as he is hurried along in the lightning express, in its buffet cars and palace sleepers, seldom reverts in thought to the time when the stage coach and packet were the only means of communication between distant points. It is rare that one of the real old time stage drivers is met with now-a-days and when the writer recently ran across Fayette Haskell, of Lockport, N. Y., he felt like a bibliographer over the discovery of some rare volume of "forgotten lore." Mr. Haskell, although one of the pioneers in stage driving (he formerly ran from Lewiston to Niagara Falls and Buffalo), is hale and hearty and bids fair to live for many years. The strange stories of his early adventures would fill a volume. At one time while going down a mountain near Lewiston with no less a personage than General Scott as a passenger, the brakes gave way and the coach came on the heels of the wheel horses. The only remedy was to whip the leaders to a galop. Gaining additional momentum with each revolution of the wheels the coach swayed and pitched down the mountain side and into the streets of Lewiston. Straight ahead at the foot of the steep hill flowed the Niagara river, towards which the four horses dashed, apparently to certain death. Yet the firm hand never relaxed its hold nor the clear brain its conception of what must be done in the emergency. On dashed the hores until the narrow dock was reached on the rivbang, when by a masterly exhibition of nerve and daring, the coach was turned in scarce its own length and the horses brought to a stand still before the pale lookers-on could realize what had occurred. A purse was raised by General Scott and presented to Mr. Haskell with high compliments for his skill and bravery.

Notwithstanding all his strength and his robust constitution the strain of continuous work and exposure proved too much for Mr. Haskell's constitution. The constant jolting of the coach and the necessarily cramped position in which he was obliged to sit, contributed to this end, and at times he was obliged to abandon driving altogether.

Speaking of this perfod he said:

"I found it almost impossible to sleep at night; my appetite left me entirely and I had a tired feeling which I never knew before and could not account for."

"Did you give up driving entirely?"

"No. I tried to keep up but it was only with the greatest effort. This state of things continted for nearly twenty years until last October when I went all to pieces."

"In what way?"

"Oh, I doubled all up; could not walk without a cane and was incapable of any effort or exertion. I had a constant desire to urinate both day and night and although I felt like passing a gallon every ten minutes only a few drops could escape and they thick with sediment. Finally it ceased to flow entirly and I thought death was very near."

"What did you do then?"

"What I should have done long before: listen to my wife. Under her advice I began a new treatment."

"And with what result?"

"Wonderful. It unstopped the closed passages and what was still more wonderful regulated the flow. The sedimen vanished; my appetite returned and I am now well and good for twenty more years wholly through the aid of Warners' Safe Cure that has done wonders for me as well as for so many others."

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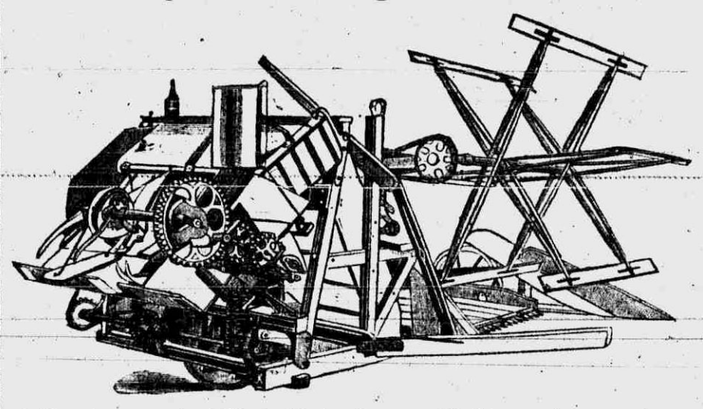

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS.—I wish to sell my entire stock of millinery goods, show cases, counters, tables, etc. regardless of cost, on or before the first of August. Parties wishing to purchase a good business will do well to give me a call. During the time I offer my goods at retail way down in price. Call and examine.
MRS. H. E. STOUT.

FOR SALE.—A good second hand piano, Estey organ and melodeon. For sale at the music house of G. P. SPARKS.

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D. HOLMES.

NOTICE.—Having bought the milk business of L. Martin, I desire to inform the public that I shall take charge of the route on the 1st day of July. I shall reduce the price of milk to 8c per quart until further notice. Milk will also be kept on sale at the store at all times. I am also prepared to deliver daily, fresh bread, pies, cakes etc.
SNEDICOR,
Proprietor of City Bakery.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Slayton & Kinney is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and accounts will remain in the hands of J. S. Kinney, who alone is authorized to settle the same.
Dated TECUMSEH, June 11, 1884.
A. W. SLAYTON.
J. S. KINNEY.

PLANTS!! PLANTS!! PLANTS!!!—500,000 Cabbage Plants. All the best varieties of early cabbage and tomato now ready. Sweet potato in immense stock. Late cabbage a specialty. I can furnish in large quantities at low prices.
ABNER WILSON.

NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEIL.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice.
F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected.
S. CATLIN, M.D.

FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on
JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One set of Union Counter Scales, Howe's Improved. Just the thing for family use. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer.
A. A. KENNEDY.

Miss Minta Morgan, of Hillsdale, is visiting at I. P. Keyser's.

Ed Koch is the happy father of a 5 pound boy born last Saturday.

E. C. Baird, former assistant engineer on the M. & O. road is in town a few days.

Mr. & Mrs. John Whelan, of Detroit, are in town, circulating among their friends and relatives.

The Tecumseh G. A. R's. have accepted an invitation to celebrate the coming Fourth at Monroe.

The L. S. & M. S. R. R. will sell tickets July 2, 3 and 4 and returning good the 5th, for one fare for round trip.

Philip DePuy, of Reading, Hillsdale Co., is now making his annual visit to his nephew Frank DePuy, and gave us a call Wednesday.

Charley Kilburn has left the market business and next Monday morning will commence supplying all who may wish to give him their patronage, with the best of milk. We bespeak for him a liberal share of the public patronage, and guarantee that those who do buy of him will be supplied regularly and with the very best.

Some young Clinton gentleman seem to have better luck fishing on Sunday than did the youth that the preacher caught fishing on that holy day, who, after asking the boy how many he had caught, received the reply that when he got the one he was after and two more, he would have three. A Clinton young man caught a ten pound pickeral last Sunday up in the pious town of Podunk with an angleworm for bait. We suppress the gentleman's name to save his parent's tears for such impiety, but caution him against any such impropriety in the future.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Farmers report weevil in the wheat.

Elisha Woodward, of Franklin, raised a large barn last Monday.

Albert Barnes has been appointed Director to fill vacancy in school district No. 4, Clinton.

In time to celebrate the glorious 4th, at Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Mangus, Jr., a girl.

Uncle Jim Updyke was able to ride to town last Saturday for the first time since he received his injury.

The wind storm of Tuesday blew down fences, trees, and scattered things promiscuously. It blew the doors off from B. C. Knapp's barn, turned his buggy around and then blew it out of the barn.

B. C. Knapp supports a bran new rig throughout. He don't propose to go on foot any longer.

Horatio Kyser and wife spent a part of last week at North Adams, visiting relatives and friends.

George Knapp is the owner of a new Winchester repeating rifle. Woodchucks better not show their heads when he is around.

One of the members of the C. T. Co dug out a woodchuck the other day that was black with a white stripe along its back. He did not stop for its scalp.

T. I. Sutton reports that his incubator is doing first class business. The required heat is obtained by heating water and is regulated by electricity. It has a capacity for hatching from 200 to 250 chickens every three weeks.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 26, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The festive potato bug is having a good time this spring.

Asa E. Stevens, of Chicago, is home for a two week's vacation.

Bert Tribou of Detroit, was at home two or three days last week.

Our job presses are crowded now days to their fullest capacity.

Mr. P. S. Blosser, of Manchester, was in town last Tuesday and favored the HERALD with a call.

Dr. L. H. Goodrich, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

The regular commencement exercises of the graduating class take place at the Opera House this evening.

Mrs. C. M. Burlingame left home Monday morning on a visiting trip to relatives in Coldwater and in Indiana.

Ell Hand caught seven nice pickeral in the Brownville pond on Tuesday afternoon, weighing from 3 to 5 lbs. each.

Sam James, of Detroit, passed last Sunday at his home in this village.—His many friends are always glad to see him.

C. A. Kiel, of Toledo, came up last Saturday and spent Sunday at Sand Lake. A day in the sunshine was good for him.

Uncle James Updike was in town last Saturday for the first time since his accident. We were glad to see him out again.

The farmer weareth a more cheerful countenance and whistles merrily as he guides the cultivator among the springing corn.

Will Hastings was the only Tecumseh boy who went to Ann Arbor for examination preparatory to entering the University.

M. P. Brown is taking lots of photographs these days; at least we printed an express wagon load of cards for him last week.

The next meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., takes place on Friday evening, July 11th. Work in the 2nd degree.

Uncle Ezra Blood and wife yesterday took the M. & O. road for Richland where they will remain a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. F. C. Stoepel, of Detroit, is at home with her parents and expects to remain here for several weeks, probably during the summer.

Billy Eccles furnished the ice cream for the Manchester Alumni Society last week and they pronounced it extra nice. The fact is that Billy knows just how to make the boss ice cream.

Chas. Brewer and wife returned home from their western trip on Friday afternoon last. Charlie reports having had a good time and he looks as though the trip had agreed with him.

Uncle Geo. Sheeler, of Cambridge, came down on the M. & O. road Saturday and spent Sunday with Tecumseh friends. Although nearly eighty years of age he is enjoying excellent health. His son, Frank, now runs the old farm and Uncle George spends his time visiting.

The Baptist Items for June appears this week. It is fully up to the standard of former numbers and contains an interesting exhibit of church news and miscellaneous matter. Bro. Conley has succeeded so well with the first volume that he can well afford to continue the venture.

A Columbus, O., publishing house is sending out circulars offering inducements to agents to solicit for their books and among the things noted upon which the agent is to rely for success are—"the help of God, and the power of truth!" The first person called upon however would pray: "The d——l take you!"

The enterprising proprietors of Hood's Sarsaparilla are the first in the field with a Campaign Card giving an excellent lithographic portrait and sketch of James G. Blaine, the Republican Presidental candidate. The back of the card also gives the last electoral vote, the new apportionment, and other valuable information. Copies may be had by sending stamp to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

We record with sorrow the death of Mrs. Maria Brewer which took place very suddenly, from appoplexy yesterday at one o'clock. She was well as usual up to half past 11, when she was taken and was unconscious almost from the first. Our sympathy is extended to those who have been so unexpectedly bereaved. The funeral services will be held at the house tomorrow at 4 P.M.

Dr. John Webster of N. Y., has been making an extended tour of the west. He is a nephew of Mrs. Ann Finch and John Garlinghouse of this vicinity. He will probably settle down to practice his profession in Bath, N. Y. If as good a physician as he is a fellow, he will in our opinion have a successful life. On his return to N. Y. he was accompanied by Mrs. Finch who will visit her sisters at Bath, N. Y. She will be gone two months, probably.

Dr. Snyder has eclipsed them all in wall and ceiling decorations, and he now has the nobbiest room in town.—Daglish did the work.

We are glad to see Seaton Anderson about again. He is rapidly regaining his health, and will soon take his accustomed place in the store again.

Round trip tourist's tickets to Traverse City, Petoskey, Mackinac Island, Mackinaw City, Sault St. Marie, Marquette and Duluth via the Michigan & Ohio Railroad, are now on sale at the Depot Ticket office at this station, where full particulars may be obtained as to rates, routes &c.
H. U. MATTHEWS, AGENT.

There is an atmosphere of summer all through the July HARPER'S, which is nearly ready for publication. The opening paper deals with the Nile, now in the season of its inundation, and another with the St. Lawrence and its summer resorts; while the approaches to New York, a London suburb, "Harrow-on-the-Hill," and one of the suburbs of Washington, Kendall Green, are the subjects of other articles. Both the serials are very summery; the paper on Bismark gives a pleasant account of his summer life, and one on "Professional Beauties of the Last Century" includes a graphic description of a summer night's party at Ranelaugh Gardens. There is also a paper on cattle-farming at the West, and a poem by Philip Bourke Marston sings of Roses and Nightingales."

The Alumni Reunion will be held at the Lilley House to-morrow evening. A full program of exercises will be presented, which bids fair to be more than usually interesting. The program will consist of the usual literary exercises, to be followed by supper and toasts. Below is the literary program:

Prayer—Rev. J. Phelps.
Music—High School Choir.
Oration—Has No Name—P. S. McKinnon.
Poem—Life's Opportunities—Miss Eunice Davidson.
Music—Scenes that are Brightest—Miss Molly Keip.
Essay—Our Words—Miss Clara Waldron.
History—Classes of '75 and '76.—Miss Julia Snell.
Music, Duet—A Night in Venice—C. F. Field, Miss Molly Keip.
Welcome to Class of '84—Pres. Abner Wilson.
Response—Pres. of Class, B. F. Lamkins.

Dr. Hamilton has in a measure renewed his youth this spring. He went down to Medina on the 28th of last month and took part in the observance of the fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of that village. He was one of the speakers of the occasion, as was also Rev. M. E. Hayne the previous pastor of this church. During the services the fact came out that Dr. H. taught the first school in that section, and Mr. John I. Knapp of Adrian, set himself to collecting the scholars of that first school in Medina, and succeeded in finding some 8 or 10, and when they were arranged in a row they were a very patriarchal looking lot of scholars. He also attended the annual meeting of the State Medical Society at Grand Rapids, June 11 and 12, and had the pleasure of voting for Donald Maclean for president. We are told that he himself was the dark horse that was to come out in case Maclean or French could not be elected. This week he went to Kalamazoo to attend Kalamazoo College commencement and the laying of the corner stone of the Ladies' Hall. Who of our young men act younger?

BASE BALL.

Tuesday's game of base ball between the Tecumseh club and the Experts of Detroit, was won very easily by the home club by a score of 22 to 10. Owing to the rain in the forenoon the game was not called until four o'clock instead of two as advertised. The game was characterized by poor playing on both sides, as will be seen by a glance at the error column. Chapman was on the diamond for the first time this season, and was consequently a little out of practice. McKinney done the firing in good shape and was credited with but two errors, while "the poor Dutch boy" stood behind the bat and took them in with all his old time cleverness. Anderson captured two flies over in left field very neatly, but was no good at the bat. The grounds were not in very good shape for good playing, being wet and slippery. Attendance light.

To-morrow afternoon the Ypsilanti club will play our boys a game, at 3 o'clock P.M. Following is Tuesday's score:

TECUMSEH.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Miller, 3b	6	4	4	4	4	3	4
F. Bostwick, 2b	6	4	1	1	5	2	0
Heidenrich, c	6	2	0	0	9	2	2
Freeman, 1b	6	2	3	3	6	0	2
Chapman, s.s	6	4	3	4	0	2	4
McKinney, p	6	3	1	1	0	1	2
G. Bostwick, c.f	5	2	1	1	1	0	1
Anderson, l.f	5	0	0	0	2	0	1
Baird, r.f	5	1	0	0	2	0	0
Total	51	22	13	14	27	10	16

EXPERTS.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
McFarlane, 1b	5	1	0	0	5	3	2
T. Donaldson, r.f	5	1	1	1	1	0	0
Gregory 3b	5	1	0	2	1	1	0
Woolenweber, c.f	5	2	1	1	1	0	4
J. Donaldson, l.f	5	2	0	0	0	0	1
Linsei, 2b	5	0	0	0	1	1	0
Millenback, c	5	0	1	1	12	2	2
Lawrence, p	4	1	1	1	8	1	7
O'Neil, s.s	4	2	1	1	0	1	3
Total	43	10	5	7	24	9	19

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tecumseh	4	4	3	2	3	1	2	3	4	—22
Experts	0	0	3	0	2	1	3	1	0	—10

FROM THE BAPTIST ITEMS.

Emma Morse is still feeble.

Mrs. Aaron Aten is dangerously sick.

Mr. J. Cook's people are improving in health.

Mrs. Osborn and Carrie have both been sick.

Mrs. J. H. Heck's health is very much improved.

Mrs. J. Elliott has enjoyed a visit from friends from Homer.

Mrs. Dr. Ferguson has gone to her old home in Coldwater for a short visit.

Miss Edith Webster has returned from Ohio. Her health is very much broken.

J. H. Osborn is now on his spring trip. He reports business better than last winter.

Bro. Coad, the new Associational Superintendent, is pastor of the Clayton church.

Willie Des Antels expects to visit us during his summer vacation. Shall be glad to see him.

Mrs. Dr. Fisher is enjoying a visit from friends from Battle Creek, Mrs. Rue and Mrs. Gregory.

Mr. A. S. Clauharty and wife, of Adrian, attended the Anniversaries and the Association also.

Allie J. Coddington has attained the distinction of editor. His paper is "The Shelby Enterprise."

Mrs. H. Miner has been suffering again from a long period of illness.—Her health is now measurably restored.

Miss Kate Yawger, member of the Portland Baptist church, is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. A. Yawger.

The annual sermon before our Public Schools was delivered on the 22d inst., in the Baptist church by the pastor.

Miss Lucy J. Bruner, member of the Baptist church in Springfield, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. M. Zellars, of Tecumseh.

Dr. B. F. Steinhoff and wife expect to leave town about July 1st for a few week's rest, at his old home in Canada and Northern Michigan.

Mrs. H. G. Coleman, member of the Kalamazoo Baptist church, has been visiting her old friend and classmate, of this church, Mrs. H. Brewer.

Miss Mary Sweet, teacher in Riga, spent the 7th, 8th and 9th with her parents. She was in her accustomed place at church and S. S., of course.

Mr. and Mrs. Long, members of the Baptist church at Eaton Rapids, worshipped with us Sunday, the 15th inst. They were visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Horton.

Of our delegation to Kalamazoo College for the past year, two are home this week, viz: J. O. Heck and Eva Daglish. The other two are expected next week.

We regret to hear that Rev. F. L. Patterson, of Hudson, has resigned. He is an earnest and efficient minister, and we shall be sorry to have him leave the Association.

Rev. M. E. Hayne and family hope to spend a few days in Tecumseh.—His old friends will be glad to greet him, and sincerely hope he can stay over Sunday and preach for us.

Of the members of the church the pastor and wife, Dea. J. Margeson and wife, J. Fisher and wife, Mrs. O. B. DeWolf, Dr. Geo. Furgeson, and Mrs. Joanna Hope attended the anniversaries.

Peter Waldron, Sr., is very low. It is feared he will not recover. It is to be sincerely hoped that these fears may not be realized. That all that can be done will be done for his recovery is certain from the fact that he is under the care of Dr. Hamilton.

Quite a company attended the Association at Hudson, viz: The pastor, Dea. J. C. Clough, J. W. DePuy, Mrs. Maria DePuy, Mrs. J. H. Heck, Mrs. Dr. North, Mrs. Dr. Fisher, Mrs. C. McNeil, Mrs. Rufus Adams, Mrs. S. Bryan, Miss Mary Herring, Mrs. A. P. Coddington and J. H. Bramble and wife.

Dr. Mark Fessenden of Dundee, was in Tecumseh a few hours last Tuesday. He reports himself and family well. Has been having trouble with his eyes but they are better now. He came and returned via. the M. & O. Says there is no intoxicant on sale in Dundee except on prescription of a doctor.

On account of increasing Sunday headaches Dr. Steinhoff has been compelled to relinquish his S. S. class. The mantle has fallen on Dr. Geo. Ferguson, whom we feel confident will wear it with credit to himself and with benefit to the class. Dr. Steinhoff's leadership has extended over a period of more than four years of faithful and efficient labor.

Mr. Wm. Daglish, son of J. T. Daglish, who has for several years made Cleveland, Ohio, his home is visiting his father and relatives in Tecumseh. He belonged to S. S. class No. 13, ten years ago. He will find several members of the class still in Tecumseh, but it is doubtful if they ever all meet again. We hope Will's stay may be pleasant, and we feel like saying come often, Will, and stay long.

MR. G. P. SPARK'S LETTER

In the Tecumseh Herald of the 22d ult. appeared a letter from G. P. Sparks, entitled "The Saloon Bond Question," in which, in a most courteous way he reviewed an editorial in the last number of the Items. In the main it was an explanation of his action as a member of the Common Council in voting for the acceptance of saloonists' bonds, in opposition to the expressed wish of 178 voters in and 555 other residents of the Corporation of Tecumseh. For a representative of the people to disregard the earnest prayer of so many of his constituents, the most satisfactory and weighty reasons would naturally be expected.

His reasons are substantially expressed in two sentences. First—"*If I had believed it right to vote for the rejection of the bonds I would have done so.*"

It occurs to us that we would have hesitated to oppose our individual opinion as to the right in the case against the declared opinion of 723 of our fellow townspeople, whose interest in the matter could be certainly no less than our own, and whose known character for candor and conscience is certainly equal to that possessed by the average citizen. True, we would adhere to our own convictions of right in a matter purely personal irrespective of the convictions of all others. But we sincerely believe were we filling an office of trust, placed there by the suffrage of the people, that we ought to carry out the wishes of those who infrust their interests to our keeping, although such action might be in opposition to our own conviction. To do otherwise would be an unwarranted usurpation of power, that would be intolerable in a popular government. But, then if the action required at our hands were so radically opposed to our moral sense, that we could not perform it, the only thing left for us to do would be to resign. This would save us from wrong doing and usurpation alike. Certainly Mr. Sparks will agree with us here, for he is an upright and patriotic citizen.

Second—"*My action in this matter was based on equal justice to all men, on the broad platform of humanitarianism.*"

We fail to see the consistency between this statement and the following: "I hate the liquor traffic in all its horrid details, from the bottom of my heart, and believe it to be the curse of the world, the source of nearly all the crime and poverty in the land. I would strike as hard blows at the right place, the source of the evil, for its abolition, as any man living."

If this last statement is correct, and we believe it is, how could Mr. Sparks base his action on "equal justice to all men, on the broad platform of humanitarianism?" Is it equal justice, is it humanitarianism to deliberately and wilfully perpetuate a traffic that is the curse of the world and the prolific source of so much crime and poverty? Suppose, as may be the case, there be found on our streets the body of a murdered man, killed by a man made drunken in our saloons. Would Mr. Sparks stand over that lifeless form in the midst of the heart-broken family, and repeat "my action was based on equal justice to all men, on the broad platform of humanitarianism?" We believe he would see his error under such circumstances.

At the close of the letter he makes this statement: "The Council are determined to prosecute any saloonkeeper that violates the law, if sufficient evidence can be obtained to make out a case."

While the carrying out of this pledge would not satisfy the petitioners, yet it seems to us that it would allay the suspicion that the Council are not acting in good faith. We hope it may be done, we would rejoice in it.

But two rumors have reached us. We give them for what they are worth. If in any way we misrepresent the facts, it is because we have been misinformed.

Rumor 1—A man was seen to come out of a certain saloon after midnight. The fact was reported to one of the councilmen by one who is willing to step forward as a witness.

Rumor 2—The sound of reveling was heard in another saloon after 10 P. M. This fact also was promptly reported by the man who heard it.

We asked Mr. Sparks if these rumors were true. He replied, "I suppose they are." Yet, fully three weeks have passed away and we have heard of no prosecution. We sincerely wish this matter could be satisfactorily explained. But we do not see how it can be done.
C. E. CONLEY.

Rev. J. W. Payne has resigned the pastoral charge of the Clinton Baptist church. The church positively declined to accept his resignation at first. But he made it imperative and consequently will go. The complimentary resolutions that were unanimously passed, and published in the Christian Herald and also in the Tecumseh papers, were deserved. He is an earnest, conscientious, hardworking pastor. We very much dislike to lose him as a neighbor, and are sure that the church that secures his services will secure a prize.

FIRE, FIRE.

ONE OF TECUMSEH'S MOST IMPORTANT MANUFACTORIES DESTROYED.

The Tecumseh Lumber Company's Mill in Ruins.

As we commenced printing our paper we heard the cry of fire and soon learned that The Tecumseh Lumber Co's Mill was all ablaze, having took fire from the shavings in the engine room. The alarm was given at 2:15 and in less than thirty minutes the entire structure was in ruins, together with a large amount of lumber which was piled in the rear of the the planing mills. By the exertion of our firemen, who done nobly, the dwellings surrounding the fire were saved, although in a damaged condition. Some of the men at work in the second story of the mill had merely time to make their escape, leaving everything except the clothes they had on. Morris Primrose had both of his arms very badly burned. It is impossible to estimate the loss at this writing, as it is not only the intrinsic value of the mill property, but it ends one of Tecumseh's best and most flourishing manufactories.

Wm. Kennedy's house next to the mill was damaged by fire and water about $200 dollar's worth. The furniture was saved, though in a damaged condition. The residence of John Temple west of the mill was cleared of its contents, but was saved also.

LATER.—Mr. Smith was seen and said he estimated the loss at about $15,000 covered by about $7,000 insurance. Mr. Koch, the manager, is in Toledo, but is expected home on the 7 o'clock M. & O. train.

—Call on Slayton & Son and see the Hay Loader. It works complete and saves much labor.

—See the Mason Platform Spring Wagon, the best in town, at Snedicor's.

—Ladies Fine Stationary, Visiting, Regret Cards, Birthday Cards, Scrap Pictures and Shell Paper at Keip's.

—For fine goods in his line don't forget Adamson's.

—Mowers, Rakes and Tedders cheap at Snedicor's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Attention Farmers! Do not be fooled into buying cheep *Binding Twine*. It will not go as far and your Machines will not work as well. We have a supply of both Manilla and Hemp Twine that we warrant to be all right.
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—Come one, come all, and see the Marsh Whitney Platform Binder at Snedicor's.

—A Fine line of Wedding Presents at Adamson's.

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—If you want any thing on your farm come and see me. Will sell you as low as the lowest.
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—We are bound to suit all; S. W. Temple sells the Ohio and Grand Rapids Plaster at the same price.

—Corn Tools of all kinds at Snedicor's.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at
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Dear Sir—I am more than pleased with the effect of your **Zoa-Phora** in our daughter's case. I am surprised to see how she has improved. She is gaining in weight and color, and I think feels better than she ever did; her nerves are steady, and the distress in her chest is entirely gone. I firmly believe that **Zoa-Phora** is all that has saved her life. I am willing you should use my letter, for I can not afford to let what a wonderful cure your medicine is. Yours respectfully,
MRS. SARAH RANDOLPH.

N. B.—This was a case of suppression.

From Mrs. Jonas Silber.
[illegible] Will St., Fort Wayne, Ind.
I have suffered for sixteen years with spasmodic pain in my head and general nervous [illegible] Monday I had a severe attack of [illegible] in my head, caused by weakness and [illegible] exhaustion. I thought I should die. My husband said we would test **Zoa-Phora** [illegible] He gave it to me according to [illegible] for severe cases, and in less than [illegible] hours I had complete relief. I advise all [illegible] who suffer from nervous or sick headache, or any form of female weakness, to use **Zoa-Phora**. There is no medicine to compare with it.
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PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—Miss Lilian Smith, aged twelve years, has opened a shooting gallery in Nevada City, Nev. The young lady is a phenomenal shootist.

—Daniel Wolford and his twelve grandchildren took the temperance pledge at a Cooper Union temperance meeting in the presence of 1,500 people.—*N. Y. Times.*

—Miss Eva Mackay, daughter of the bonanza king, is at the head of a society of young ladies who go about doing what good they can among the worthy and deserving poor of Paris.

—The widow of Chief Justice Spragge, of Toronto, Canada, died of grief for her husband. She had been well until the anniversary of her husband's death, and then took to her bed and died twelve hours later.

—Annie Russell, aged eight years, came from Templemore, Ireland, alone, en route to Mrs. Hussey, Miller's Corners, near Clifton Springs, N. Y. A tag bore her address, and she got to her destination safely.—*Syracuse Journal.*

—Mrs. Dubys, daughter of General W. T. Sherman, owns a plantation at Pass Christian, Miss., and the place is famous for having one of the richest rose gardens in the entire South, exhibiting more than 350 varieties.

—Patrick O'Regan, who was chief officer of the British Coast Guards over fifty years ago, is living on Brewster street, near City Point, Boston, aged one hundred and four years, and good for many more.—*Boston Herald.*

—Consul General Everett Frazer, of the Corean Empire, has displayed the flag of that country at his office in New York. The flag is red, with a central figure called the "Tackin Fire"; otherwise, the "Great Extreme," or "The first great cause, least understood." Around this figure are four groups of lines, representing Heaven, Earth, Fire and Water.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—There is no Judge on the English, Irish or Scotch bench who has attained the distinction won by Judge Daly, of New York, of having held judicial office for forty years. The nearest to it is Lord Fitzgerald, from 1860 to 1882 a Judge of the Irish Queen's Bench, and since a Lord of Appeal. He is sixty-seven years of age. Judge Daly is sixty-eight.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Dr. Henry T. Whitney, a native of Lunenburg, Mass., who, with his wife, has been connected with the mission of the American Board at Foo Chow, China, for seven years, has returned to this country, bringing a Chinese girl, daughter of a wealthy Chinaman, who is to study medicine at Washington, D. C. After completing her education, she expects to return to practice in her native land.

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—A burglar alarm clock went off the other night without arousing the family. It went off with the burglar.

—The dog is not so much below mankind, and is certainly to be congratulated rather than commiserated on one thing—he doesn't have to send his collar to a laundry every week.—*Lowell Citizen.*

—Silver dimes of 1867 are worth thirty cents each. Ah, dear, it seems to us we last dime we had must have been somewhere along in that year. But it was only worth ten cents then. Just our luck.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A colored man came into a Galveston newspaper office and wanted to subscribe to the paper. "How long do you want it?" asked the clerk. "Jess as long as it is, boss; if it don't fit the shelves I kin t'ar a piece off myself.—*Texas Siftings.*

—A ragged little girl in a London school was recently asked why Adam and Eve were turned out of Paradise. She promptly answered: "Because they didn't pay their rent." Her parents had been evicted for non-payment of rent several times within a few months.

—"Boy!" he called as he snapped his fingers at a post-office boot-black, "are you the lad I handed a dollar bill to yesterday to get changed, and you beat me out of thirteen cents?" "No, sir." "Look out! "How do you know you ain't?" "Cause; do I look like a boy who'd beat you out of a shilling when I could walk off with the dollar? Stranger, you must have got hold of some poor lootle kid who's just begun bizness."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A well known oil producer told us yesterday of a rather good thing which occurred when he was a boy. He and several other chaps heard a poor woman in a miserable shanty praying for bread, and it was suggested that they procure a dozen loaves and throw them down the chimney. This was done, and after awhile the boys knocked at the door and asked, "Well, auntie, did the Lord send you any bread?" "Yes, indeed," was the reply, "and he made the devil's children bring it."—*Oil City Derrick.*

—Crushing a serenader.—

A youth went forth to serenade
The lady whom he loved the best,
And at her house his footsteps stayed
Until the moon had gone to rest.

He warbled till the morning light
Came dancing over the mountain's rim;
But no fair maiden blessed his sight,
And all seemed dark and drear to him.

With heart aglow and eyes ablaze
He drew much nearer than before,
When, to his horror and amaze,
He saw "To Let" upon the door.
—*Hoosier Republican.*

Hired Help.

Mrs. Jophlewizzle had hired a new and a very green errand boy and she sent him with a basket and some money to get some groceries. When he came back he did not report and she called down stairs to him.

"John, did you get the cabbages?"

"That's wot you tole me to git," he answered, with a lazy drawl.

"Did you get the potatoes?"

"That's wot you tole me to git."

"Did you get the starch?"

"That's wot you tole me to git."

"Did you get the soap?"

"That's wot you tole me to git."

"Did you get the sugar?"

"That's wot you tole me to git."

"I know that," she shrieked after the same monotonous reply floated up to her for the fifth time, "but did you get them?"

"No, ma'am. I lost the money, and some dang thief uv a boy stole the basket."—*Merchant Traveler.*

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All over the land are going into ecstacy over Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Their unbooked for recovery by the untiring use of this great life saving remedy, causes them to go nearly wild in its praise. It is guaranteed to positively cure Severe Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

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The new roller rink at Eliot is rapidly approaching completion. It will be called the "Casino."

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Without pretending to give an editorial opinion of a remedy of which we know nothing personally, we desire to ask those of our readers who are afflicted with scrofulous or other diseases of the blood, to examine and test the claims of Hoodie's Sarsaparilla. It comes to us with high individual endorsements, is compounded by practical druggists, and is made of materials recognized as valuable by all physicians.

Grigg Post, G. A. R., Homer, will celebrate Decoration Day in an appropriate manner.

Boats, Bicycles and Hay Fever.

With the opening of the season of outdoor sports comes the time of trouble for the poor victims of Hay Fever. For them flowers have no odor, and the summer little of no beauty. To snuff, sneeze and wipe their weeping eyes for three or four successive months:—this is their pitiable portion. There is no help in sea-voyages, there is no help in high mountain air. These only lighten the pocket and leave the disease unabated. But there is a positive cure in Ely's Cream Balm. Try it. If you continue to suffer it is because you neglect a remedy as sure as it is cheap and pleasant.

The new worm that is devastating market gardens does not even spare the onion beds.

FITS—All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phil., Pa.

The reunion of Company A, Fifth Michigan Cavalry, will be held at Romeo, June 11.

The Secret Art of Beauty lies not in cosmetics, but only in pure blood and healthy action of the vital organs, to be obtained by Burdock Blood Bitters.

Sol Pritchard, of Prichardville, shipped 700 dozen frogs to Stanton parties last week.

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Utica will dig for mineral water. Didn't know they had prohibition there.

The three outlets of disease are the bowels, the skin and the kidneys. Regulate their action with the best purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters.

T. H. Creque has rented his hotel in Homer to W. L. Church, of Detroit.

Avoid cheap goods. The Hop Plaster cures pains and aches where other plasters simply relieve. 25c at all drug stores.

Charlotte is making preparations for a baby show about June 1.

Are you Bilious? Try the remedy that cured Mrs. Clement, of Franklin, N. H.—Hood's Sarsaparilla, made in Lowell, Mass.

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P. R. SWICK.
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Cut up fine and dissolve one half bar in half gallon of hot water. Pour half this dissolved soap into a tub with just sufficient hot water to cover a boiler full of clothes. Then put the clothes in to soak, **rubbing plenty of soap in the most soiled parts.** Be sure that the soaking water is hot; soak the clothes half an hour; stir them occasionally so that they may get the full benefit of the hot suds; pour the remainder of the dissolved soap into the boiler, adding sufficient water to cover the clothes; wring them mightily out of the suds. **Soap the stained spots** and place **loosely** in the boiler; boil 10 to 20 minutes, rinse well, blue and hang to dry. **Do not crowd the boiler too full.** The same boiling water may be used for further boiling by adding a little soap to each boiler-full of clothes. Fannels and prints should not be boiled, only a little rubbing required after soaking. This soap will cleanse clothing as thoroughly as any other without the use of the boiler. We prefer and recommend the boiling process as in itself a cleansing process, saving labor, the wear of the wash-board, and being **the best disinfectent known, it is easier to boil the dirt out than to rub it out.** You can cleanse perfectly the **finest** fabric without injury; the **finest point lace** and **lace curtains.** Soak point lace in hot suds made with this soap, press water out with the hand; boil 3 to 5 minutes in clean suds made with this soap, rinse thoroughly, press carefully between the folds of a towel, roll in a dry towel, and iron between pieces of old flannel. Soak curtains 10 to 30 minutes and boil 5 to 20 minutes, rinse, stretch on frame, or pin every scallop to carpet over a sheet to dry, no ironing required.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 119. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Norvell	6 56 "	2 60 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Tecumseh	8 02 "	4 06 "	5 07 "
Adrian	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Detroit	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....
Toledo			.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 12 P.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
7 20	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 04	6 08	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 31	11 32	....Ridgeway....	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	....Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton.....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	....Cambridge....	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 10	....Addison.....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome.....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow.....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski.....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	.....Homer.....	1 06	8 00	11 20
1 22	9 00	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 40	9 22	2 34	....Cereso.....	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 30	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 38	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 52	.....Doster.....	11 08		6 51
7 22		4 16	....Moutelth....	10 49		6 15
5 30		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 51		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 15		4 45	Ar. Allegan. Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P. M.		A. M.		A. M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Mottchel	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 01	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 35
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 20
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Mottchel	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 39	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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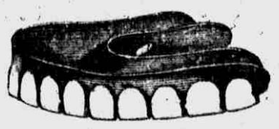

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THE GROWTH OF THE TWIN RELIC.

Mormon Missionaries Arrive from Europe With a Large Number of Converts.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Twenty-five Mormon missionaries, with 301 converts, forty-one Scandinavians and one hundred English, arrived via the steamship Arizona, en route for Salt Lake City, under charge of Chief Elder C. H. Nye. As the steamer reached the dock a roll call was held, and each elder was detailed to his respective post. The young women looked listless as the elders rushed among them giving orders. Elder C. H. Nye said: "The converts I bring are not all recent accessions, some having been members of the church over thirty years who, through lack of means or other causes, have been unable to come here sooner. I am now going back to Utah to remain there, and within a short time of our arrival, a further relay of elders will be sent to Europe to keep up the work. I consider I have been very successful." Referring to the arrest of Mormon missionaries in Vienna Nye said: "I do not contemplate any serious outcome from it. Austria is very intolerant. I look upon the trouble as only temporary, and it is doing our church more good than harm." Nye, on being questioned in regard to the number of each sex he had with him, was very reluctant. Women formed the majority of his party.

Wagner, the Mt. Gilead Murderer, Refused Another Trial.

MT. GILEAD, O., Jvne 24—Wagner, the condemned murderer, received the news of the action of the Supreme Court, refusing him another trial, with his usual stolid indifference. He remarked that a power higher than that of man would take him out of the way before the day of execution arrived. When asked if he meant by that that he would commit suicide, he replied: "Certainly not." Sheriff Modis still allows him the privilege of the jail, and although he does not care to converse much with other prisoners, he can do so if he choose. It will be very strange, with the chances he has of obtaining material to destroy life, if he lives to be hung. His attorney will make a last appeal this week to Governor Hoadly for a commutation of the sentence to imprisonment for life, but will hardly accomplish the desired end.

The Oil Market.

PITTSBURGH, June 24.—The oil trade has not yet recovered from the terrible shaking up it received Friday and Saturday. The feeling yesterday was a trifle better but the undertone was weak and panicky. The refusal of the banks to loan on certificates has had a demoralizing effect on the business and frightened many buyers from investing.

There were no failures on 'Change yesterday, and rumors of financial embarrassment of prominent operators proved groundless. The market opened with sales at 56, advanced to 57, but suddenly broke on reports of a grain failure in Chicago, coupled with a weak stock market and bearish field news, and amid great excitement declined to 53½, when the trade took courage and the market rallied to 55. At one o'clock this afternoon during the decline several large blocks were offered with no takers.

A Cloud-Burst Does Considerable Damage in Montana.

HELENA, Mont., June 24.—Manday a cloud-burst occurred on the mountain side near Corbin, twenty miles south of Helena. A breast of water eight feet deep rushed down the gulch toward Jefferson City, in its course washing away a Chinese house and drowning three occupants, Yay Lany, Hay Wah and Lee Dew. An alarm was telephoned down to Jefferson from Corbin, and part of the people found refuge on a hill near by, while others sought the second floors. The water spread before reaching town, and when it passed through the streets, was not deep enough to sweep away any but a few small frame houses, and nobody was drowned. A quarter of a mile of the Helena & Jefferson Railroad was washed out. Much damage was done to goods in stores and crops on ranches.

Berner's Accomplice to Hang.

CINCINNATI, June 24.—The jury in the case of Joseph Palmer, accomplice of William Berner, yesterday returned a verdict of murder in the first degree. This verdict only emphasises the iniquity of the Berner verdict. Berner and Palmer together killed William H. Kirk, their employer, in his stable, for his money. They both confessed. The proof in both cases is practically the same, yet Berner's jury brought in a verdict of manslaughter. It was this gross travesty of law and justice that produced the excitement which led to the riots and the burning of the court house. Berner has twenty years in the Penitentiary. Palmer must hang.

A Disputed Roadbed.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., June 24.—Trouble is anticipated at Point Marion, a short distance from this place, between the forces of the Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania Central and Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Youghiogheny Railroads. There is only room for one track at that point and the three roads are fighting for it. One hundred Irish and Italian laborers are already at the scene and by to-day it is thought that between four and five hundred men will be gathered there, and when the opposing factions meet trouble is sure to ensue.

Treaty With Canada.

OTTAWA, June 24.—It is reported the Government has arranged a reciprocity treaty with the United States which will shortly be made public. The new treaty will follow the lines of the former reciprocity treaty, admitting natural products and some articles in earlier stages of manufacture. The defeat of the Morrison Tariff bill in the United States House of Representatives is alleged to be largely due to a renewal of negotiations.

The Son Responsible for the Father.

ELKTON, Md., June 24.—A crowd of Italian workmen at Principis attacked, imprisoned and threatened to lynch John Wallace, Jr., son of John Wallace, a sub-contractor on the Baltimore & Philadelphia Railroad, who last Friday received $900 due the workmen and absconded, leaving his son in charge. Sheriff Smith with a posse left to rescue young Wallace.

Stevens' Big Trip.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 24.—Thomas Stevens, a bicyclist who started from San Francisco two months ago for a bicycle tour around the world, arrived here yesterday afternoon in good health and spirits. He will continue his trip to-morrow morning.

Base Ball.

CLEVELAND, June 24. The Clevelands won their second victory over the Philadelphias yesterday by a score of 5 to 1.

Detroit—Providence, 4; Detroits, 3.
Chicago—Bostons, 12; Chicagos, 5.
Buffalo—New Yorks, 8; Buffalos, 3.

FRAIL FINANCES.

Embarrassment of C. J. Kershaw & Co., the Heavy Grain Operators of Milwaukee.

CHICAGO, June 24.—The Secretary of the Board of Trade announced on 'Change this morning that the firm of J. C. Kershaw & Co. had evened up all their trades and would settle all differences at their office. The firm has done a very heavy commission and export business and are reputed as having been on the "long" side of the market, principally in wheat and corn. The firm began paying all differences in full and claim they will be able to meet all demands. The house is a Milwaukee one, and it has constituted a factor in what has been known as the "Milwaukee crowd" in various heavy transactions in the past on the Chicago and Milwaukee Boards of Trade. The effect of the announcement and decline in stocks caused the price of wheat to decline nearly one cent.

Kershaw denies that he has failed. He claims his trades were in an unsatisfactory shape and he desired to close them. He says he will be able to meet all demands promptly. The markets are badly depressed by the effects of the Kershaw announcement and there are rumours of more trouble in New York.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Exchange is 483 to 484½ for long, and 484½ to 485 for short. Money is stringent at 20 to 15 per cent per annum.

General Palmer has resigned from the directory of the Rio Grande.

Huntington says: "The installments of the Morgan Railroad & Steamship Company purchased by him and associates, have been promptly met. The next payment will not mature until July when it will be paid in cash, as every other obligation for which he and associates are responsible."

Return of Ira D. Sankey.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Ira D. Sankey, the evangelist and fellow-worker of Mr. Moody, arrived here on the steamship Britannic, of the White Star Line, yesterday. He is looking hale and hearty, and as brown as a frontiersman. He was accompanied by his wife and two children. Several friends met Mr. Sankey at the pier and hearty greetings were exchanged. In conversation Mr. Sankey said: "I'm feeling a little worn out, but pretty well, as you can see. All I need is a few weeks' rest. We have had on an average three meetings a day for seven months. It was wearing on me. We did not go outside of London. Mr. Moody? O, he's well, but in need of rest. He will be here week after next, I think. We will begin work together here; but just where I cannot say. That will not be decided on until fall. My voice is just as good as ever it was, notwithstanding reports to the contrary. That much you may say for me emphatically."

Mr. Sankey will leave for his home in New Castle, Pa., Monday. His father, Mr. David Sankey, died during his absence in London, and he was called home at this time by matters connected with the estate.

A Serious Fire in the Oil Regions.

FRANKLIN, Pa., June 24.—The oil refinery of George Allen & Son was entirely destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The fire was caused by an explosion of gas in the boiler room and before assistance could be rendered the flames spread to adjoining buildings, which were speedily consumed. The loss is $15,000, on which there is a small insurance. The track of the New York, Pennsylvania Railroad for a distance of a hundred yards was destroyed and passengers between this and Oil City have to be transferred. Hugh Carr, superintendent of the refinery, barely escaped an awful death by being enveloped in the flames.

Perishing at the Post of Duty.

NEW YORK, June 23.—A disastrous fire occurred Sunday in the large wholesale backery establishment of A. D. Haseman, in Williamsburg. The wall of the burning structure fell into an alleyway where the firemen stood, and three were buried in the ruins. Their names are Henry Tyeck, George W. Haight and Stephen Allen. Allen was the first taken out. He was burned and mangled, but alive. The others were dead. The building was entirely destroyed. Loss $100,000. A stable in the rear of the building was also burned, with eight horses.

Fire at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, June 23.—A fire in the paper warehouse of Chatfield & Woods, No. 25 West Fourth Street, started in the cellar, burned the stock stored in the cellar, and caused the first floor to give away and dump its contents into the cellar, but was prevented from extending further. The loss, which is almost wholly on the stock, is $40,000; insurance $100,000. It is not known how the fire originated.

Shot by His Playmate.

WHEELING, W. Va., June 23.—About ten o'clock yesterday morning a serious shooting affray took place between two boys, at Martin's Ferry, just over the river. Joseph Rennard, a boy of eight, and a companion of ten named Graham, were playing, and getting into a scuffle, Graham took a revolver he had and shot Rennard in the left side, inflicting a wound which may prove fatal.

Imprisonment for Life.

CINCINNATI, June 24.—Emil Trumpeter, indicted for murder in the second degree some time ago, pleaded guilty and left to the Court to fix the grade of the crime. The Court heard testimony and yesterday announced in his judgment that it was murder in the second degree. This involves a penalty of imprisonment for life.

Five Prisoners Escape.

FARGO, Dakota, June 23.—Five prisoners escaped from the Clay County, Minn., jail Saturday night. They sprang upon the turnkey, gagged him and secured the keys and fled. They have not yet been captured, and are believed to have fled into Dakota.

Funeral of General McCandless.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 23.—The funeral of General McCandless Sunday afternoon was full of military honors. It was in charge of the Pennsylvania Reserve Volunteer Corps, and the services of burial were under Masonic conduct.

Death of S. F. Hopkins.

DETROIT, June 23.—Samuel F. Hopkins, of St. Clair, eldest brother of the late Mark Hopkins of San Francisco, Cal., died Sunday morning, aged eighty-one.

He Changed His Mind.

MONTREAL, June 24.—Walter Wilson, who left Montreal suddenly on February last on the evening of his wedding has returned. He intends to remain.

A Blessing To All Mankind

In these times when these newspapers are flooded with patent medicine advertisements, it is gratifying to know what to procure that will certainly cure you. If you are Bilious, blood out of order, Liver inactive, or generally debilitated; there is nothing in the world that will cure you so quickly as Electric Bitters. They are a blessing to mankind, and can be had for only fifty cents a bottle.

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Charlotte will be well represented in the Right Worthy Grand Lodge of Good Templars, which convenes at Washington this week.

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Battle Creek ladies will give an art and industrial exhibition, beginning June 10. They will endeavor to make it permanent.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

Cornelius W. Strait, Jackson, celebrated for establishing the Memphis rite of Masonry, died of paralysis, aged 49.

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A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaprilla." A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Homer people are building new or repairing old houses, but pay no attention to dilapidated sidewalks.

No remedy for Rheumatism and Neuralgia ever came before the public so well vindicated by previous experiments and so fortified by influential names as Athlophoros. Rev. E. N. Seelye, Agent of Board of Charities, New Haven, Conn., writes: "Am glad to certify that Athlophoros cured my wife of Rheumatism when all other remedies failed. She has taken but one bottle to effect a permanent cure."

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A lodge of the "National Protective Alliance" has been organized at St. Johns, with 25 members.

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Some of the Homerites have Virginia fever.

On account of the sudden changes in the temperature at this season and in this climate, it is almost impossible to keep free from colds and coughs; but a prompt use of N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixer will prevent any serious result from a sudden cold and effect a speedy cure. If you are billious, or have the jaundice, sick headache or dizziness, try Baxter's Mandrake Bitters.

Clare county is growing so wicked that a jail has become a necessity, and ponds will probably be issued to raise money for one.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire" says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

Stevedores at Muskegon refuse to work at less than $4 a day, and barge owners will pay only $3 50. Consequence: No one works.

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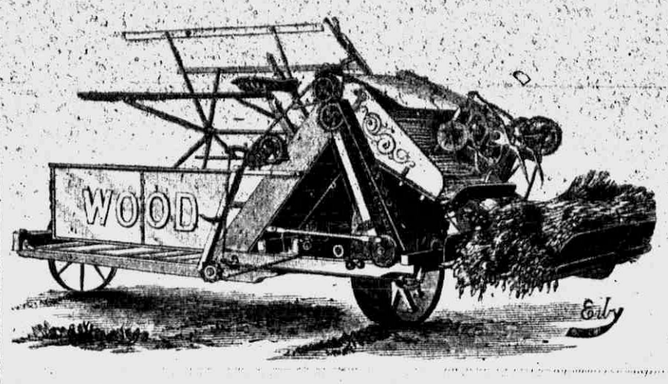

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COMMERCIAL LAW.

Brief Digests of Late Decisions.

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CONSIGNMENT OF GOODS—ATTEMPTED FRAUD OF BUYER—REPLEVIN BY CONSIGNEE.

Wagons were made in Cincinnati and then sent to Michigan. The bill of lading to the purchaser was attached to the draft sent to the local bank for collection. The purchaser applied to the bank for leave to examine the wagons and then removed them to his store, where he undertook to sell them. The President of the bank attached the goods in the name of "makers, but it being shown that the wagons were done without authority, the suit was discontinued, the attachment dissolved and the property returned to the purchaser. The bank then paid the draft and brought an action of replevin, and upon that got judgment. The purchaser carried the case to the Supreme Court, where the judgment was affirmed. Judge Campbell, in the opinion, said: "The payment of the draft was not made upon behalf of the defendant, and we see no reason why the bank has not the same right now that it would have had if the draft had been cashed by it on receipt. It represented the debt on the payment of which the bank was authorized to deliver the property, and it was practically a bailee of the property to obtain the payment and hold it until paid. We think that whether it paid the makers of the draft in advance or no could not concern the defendant who could not lawfully hold the property sold against it or the manufacturers of the wagons. In our opinion the transaction is such as to give the bank all the rights the owners of the wagons had in them. Such dealings can not be subjected to any technical niceties but must be decided on common sense grounds."—West Michigan Savings Bank vs. Howard, Supreme Court of Michigan.

TRADE MARK—INJUNCTIONS—USE OF LIKE NAME.

Manufacturers of hair pins did business under the name of D. F. Tayler & Co., and the pins were well known and had a ready sale as "D. F. Tayler's Hair Pins," and as D. F. Tayler & Co.'s Hair Pins," and the device on the packages, which were made up in pins and yellow papers, were exclusively used by them. Other persons who also made hair pins, got the use of the name of one L. B. Taylor to put on their wrappers and printed on them "L. B. Taylor & Co." adding the words, "Bethlehem, Conn.," and using the same colored papers. In a suit brought for an injunction to restrain the latter the Supreme Court of Errors, of Connecticut, decided in favor of the plaintiffs. Judge Pardee, in the opinion, said: "Though the defendants adopted the label and device and used the colored papers in good faith, believing that they were not infringing plaintiffs's rights, yet an injunction must be granted. Purchasers who read the entire trade mark could not be misled, but it is a matter of common knowledge that many persons are in a greater or less degree careless and unwary in the matter of purchasing articles for their own use, still their patronage is not for that reason less profitable to the manufacturer, and when such persons have knowledge of the good qualities of the plaintiffs hair pins an desire to purchase them the law will not permit the defendants to mislead them. Now, the use of a like name, which was purchased solely for use in this connection, with the other adjuncts, are well calculated to deceive these careless and unwary purchasers, to the serious injury the plaintiff, and they should have the injunction they ask for."

SALE—WARRANTY OF THING SOLD.

A bought from B. two horses, and they died of Spanish fever, or Texas mange. He sued upon an alleged warranty that the horses were "all right, sound and free from disease," and he complained that they were infected with the disease of which they died when they were delivered to him. The defendant said that he had only expressed an opinion as to the health of the animals. The plaintiff was beaten, and he carried the judgment to the Supreme Court of Nebraska, where he was again defeated. The Chief Justice Lake, in the opinion, said: "In determining whether a warranty was intended to be given a decisive test is whether the vendor assumes to assert a fact of which the buyer is ignorant, or merely states an opinion or judgment upon a matter of which the vendor has no special knowledge and on which the buyer may be expected also to have an opinion, and to exercise his judgment. When the language of the warranty is such that it amounts unquestionably to a warranty, its legal effect can not be defeated by any secret intention of the seller, and where the evidence bears no doubt of the legal force of the representation the court may and should declare its effect, but should there be a doubt the jury must determine the meaning and effect of the words."

LIABILITY FOR INJURY.

L. & G. were the owners of 200 pieces of timber, which they caused their servant to pile on a vacant lot, in such a manner that the top of the pile fell off and killed the son of B., who, as administrator, brought suit and was awarded judgment in the lower courts. An appeal to the Kentucky Court of Appeals the lower court was reversed in the following opinion: "The owner of land may retain to himself the sole and exclusive use and occupation of it, but a due regard for the welfare and rights of others makes the owner liable for the negligent use of his property, whereby the person or property of another is injured."

LIFE INSURANCE—WARRANTY OF TITLE—FRAUD.

The implied warranty of a validity of title imputed to one who sells a note will not enable the assignee of a fraudulent life insurance policy to recover on such implied warranty when he himself has been a party to the fraud or cognizant of it.—Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

SURETYSHIP—DEFALCATION.

A surety can not be held bound by any failure of his principal after the discovery of his defalcation, unless he is informed of it.—Court of Appeals of Kentucky.

DIED.

LEBARON—At Tecumseh, Michigan, Wednesday, June 18, 1884, Hon. Sirrell C. LeBaron, aged 76 years.

Mr. LeBaron was born at Woodstock Vt., Jan. 25, 1808. He lived in his native state until he had passed his majority, and engaged at an early age in teaching. The 3d day of June, 1832, he was married to Miss Maria P. Tribon, of Woodstock, Vt., and started at once with his bride for the far west, the then territory of Mich. In a record of his journey he says, describing his ride from Monroe: "Adrian is a pleasant new settlement, 2 taverns, 2 stores and mills, constituting a village." "Tecumseh is a pleasant little village, contains 6 stores, 2 hotels and several mills, one extensive grist mill now building, county town of Lenawee Co. There seems to be considerable enterprise in the place." This pleasant village became his future home and he was identified with its future growth and progress. He was the second clerk of the county under the territorial government and the first one of the county under the state government, after Michigan had been admitted to the union. In 1840 he was chosen to a seat in the Legislature and the same year was appointed a county Judge.

On making their home in Tecumseh Mr. and Mrs. LeBaron connected themselves promptly with the Presbyterian church which had been organized four years previous to their arrival in 1828. He was made clerk of the society at the ensuing parish meeting and for 30 years continued to hold the position, which he resigned on account of ill health Jan., 1884. For 21 years he was teacher of a Bible class, until infirmities constrained him to relinquish that. Such was his connection with the church.

In the cause of education he was prominent and useful. The first grammar school of the county was taught by him from 1832—6. He was closely identified, as director with the High School, when it was connected with the state University and labored hard for its prosperity. Though not a thoroughly bred lawyer, he made himself familiar with the laws of his state and his opinions in legal matters were held in high regard. He was a man of fine commanding appearance, and of strong natural constitution. In disposition he was active and social, fond of wit and humor. Among his papers are found copies of addresses given in his youthful years, on religious moral, and social themes. He was an ardent, outspoken friend of temperance and of prohibition, even in those early days. He gives as a low estimate of the annual cost to the state at that time of the liquor traffic, the sum of $1,250,000.

Some 16 years ago, Mr. LeBaron, after exposure to a hot sun was affected by what seemed a sun stroke, which permanently impaired his health. For the past two and a half years he has been confined to the house. On Thursday, June 13, as he was trying to walk across the floor, his limbs gave way and he fell in spite of helping hands, and fractured the bone of his left thigh. He was borne to his bed and never moved from the position in which he was laid, until death came to his relief, and he sank like an infant, to his rest.

Thus has passed away another of the fathers who deserve so well to be honorably remembered on account of their valuable services and their excellent example. It would not be right thus to let their memory perish. Their sacrifices and their successes should be recorded and recalled. Happy will it be for us, if those now coming on the stage of action shall be as faithful in the discharge of their duties to family and society, state and church, as these, their fast departing fathers were.

OBITUARY

On Sunday June 1st, 1884, Mr John Skinner of Macon, aged eighty eight years buried his wife, Phebe. Mrs. Skinner was born in the state of New York, February 9th, 1804.—Early in life she yielded to the influence of religion and united with the Baptist church. In 1845 she came with her husband to Macon and they both joined the Baptist church at Mooreville and together partook of its communion for nearly forty years. Mr. and Mrs. Skinner were married in 1822 and walked the long walk of life together for a little more than sixty one years. On that quiet June Sabbath afternoon he laid her to rest in mother earth to be a companion of Prophets, Priests, and Kings, soon to lie down beside her. Standing around the coffin and looking upon the peaceful face of the dead, were the husband resting on his cane and bowed with the weight of years, daughters now passed by the meridian of life, sons in the full strength and vigor of manhood grandchildren full of hopeful vigors and great grandchildren in quiet playful innocence. The minister chose an apt selection from the forty ninth chapter of Genesis, "Then they buried Abraham and Sarah his wife, then they buried Isaac and Rebecca his wife, and then I buried Leah."

OBITUARY.

John S. Butterick departed this life on the 21st inst. aged 76 years. He was counted among the early settlers of Franklin, having lived in the township about 35 years. He was a man of very marked business energy, and whether building a house or cultivating his farm, was generally considered the equal of two average men in the visible accomplishments of his ordinary day's work. He had maintained a reputable religious character for a long time, having been an honored member of the Methodist church in this place during the last thirty years. Mr. Butterick came to the close of life with startling suddenness, for after he had passed through the regular routine of his daily business, and in apparent good health and vigor had borne to the house the usual evening product of his dairy, he was instantly prostrated with a powerful stroke of apoplexy on the 19th inst., and remaining perfectly speechless and entirely unconscious until the evening of the 21st. inst., when he quietly passed over to the tearless land where life is not as the hasty dream or as the fleeting shadow, but is a perfected, an enduring and a glorious reality. The funeral services were held at the late residence of the deceased on the 23d inst., and were conducted by the Pastor of the M. E. church, and numerously attended by the sympathizing community, after which the remains were tenderly laid to rest by gentle hands, while the falling tear drops of farewell betokened the severance of such affection and endearing ties as words fail to express, and tho' irreparable here, they are surely restorable in the life which is to come.

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Tecumseh.

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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @ 1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@ 5 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 07
Calf skins, ₩ ℔	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	30 @ 35
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56 @ 60
Clover seed	5 25 @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@ 14
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 75 @ 6 75
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @ 5 50
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@ 15
Ham, ₩ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@ 12
Oats, ₩ bushel	30 @ 33
Onions, ₩ bunch	@ 60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	45 @ 50
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 45
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@ 10
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ESTATE OF SIRRELL C. LE BARON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 23d day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present: Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Delos C. LeBaron, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Edgar A. Lyon, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jun26

(Continued from last week.)

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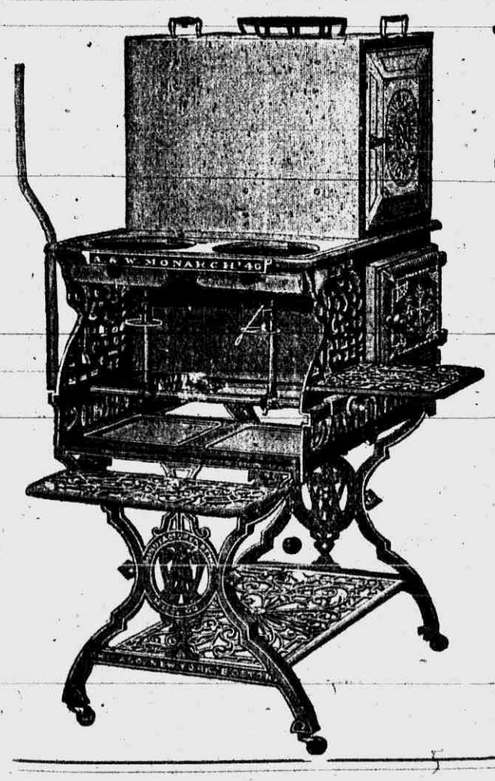

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Long sunny days have come, fraught with repose for all save the sick; and they might get a share if nurses could be induced to swing them in hammocks under the trees, and brighten dullness with a glimpse of green; instead of caging them in bed-rooms to study the everlasting array of bottles, cups and spoons. An invalid's imprisonment is worse than all the diseases ever christened. The half darkened room, selected because of its far off stillness, is too suggestive of being put away, to hold much invigoration. The doctor who prescribes out of door cure, and a robins whistle in place of rhubarb, is the fellow to vote for.

Doctor Palmer has returned from the west, but if the new schoolmaster has been commissioned, his name has not been told yet.

I believe it is expected this year's teachers will teach their pupils the effect of alcoholic stimulant on mental and physical organization. When the plan was first spoken of it seemed like adding the last feather to the weight of their responsibilities. It did not seem probable that children would learn readily, what parents fail to remember, and scientific names, that make physiology a bug bear to advanced students, must be a meaningless jumble to street arabs. One was caught however, and questioned. His ten years of experience was sampled by layers of smut on hands and face, but he answered promptly: Do you mean how it makes 'em do? Cussed, of course: There is no tinge of irreverence about him, you could not add many shades to those on hand, and he shows up most anywhere not wanted. His manners are in keeping with his language, but it is evident, object lessons learned in the home Kindergarten will not require much explanation regarding effects, and the task is but a name.

MACON MOLECULES.

Miss Addie Crittenden closes her school in the East district this week. The patrons of the district speak highly of her school.

Prof. David Howell and son Morris, of Lansing, visited in Macon last Sunday and Monday.

Sumner Collins came home last week to remain a few days.

"Lank" Smith has started a meat-market in Joe Sage's building. This is just what the "Corners" needed, and we wish him success.

"Al" Hendershott is now home from the University, looking as though the study of medicine agreed with him.

We understand that the Enumerator of Macon completed his work last week.

Children's day was observed at the M. E. church last Sunday. As this was the first time children's day was ever observed in Macon, considerable interest was attached to it. The church was handsomely decorated. The exercises consisted mostly of singing, and recitations by the children.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge delivered a lecture Sunday evening on "Sacred Music."

ONSTED ODDS.

Road work nearly all done and the farmers are busily engaged in making hay.

F. Parsons and men are at P. O. Maxwell's, finishing his barn.

Wilmer Knapp commenced working at carpenter work for J. Hand last Monday. This makes John's crew consist of eight men, and still he turns away many jobs.

Frank Jenkins and two assistants are here painting. They are working on Mr. Glen's new store, and Dr. Ross' house and barn.

The fence gang of the M. & O. R.R., which have been here for some time, leave to-day for Iowa. The remainder of the fence is to be built by the other gang, so this town will be the last to be finished.

The Good Templars' ice cream festival at Springville last Friday evening was well attended, and all seemed to enjoy themselves very much. J. H. Gibbs, of Onsted, furnished the ice cream for the occasion.

John Onsted has entered into a contract with the M. & O. R. R. Co., to construct and run a grain elevator at this place. It will be located nearly opposite the dépot, and is to be finished about the first of September. The side track will be extended across the road thus giving more room for cars.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Smith spent last Sabbath at Monroe.

The regular church official Board meeting takes place next week Monday evening. Business of importance needs attention.

Miss Mazey Kelly now takes her turn with the mumps.

Miss Luella Wilson returned to her home at Morenci last Friday. She promised her friends here a visit this fall.

Enoch French and Alfred Mosier were on deck Saturday. Enoch returned without seeing his dulcina while Alfred took his to Addison to spend the fourth.

Dr. D. W. Loree and some of his friends made the prairie farm a visit last week.

The ice cream lawn social last Friday evening was a success in every respect but the cream would have sold better but for the cool wave that was in attendance. Proceeds $10.

Some of the boys have taken a fishing excursion to the lakes this week.

The Union Club meeting at the Free Methodist church Tuesday evening was a good one for the cause. All the speakers announced to speak responded and were listened to with marked attention. The Club received quite an addition to its membership and much encouragement from many who acknowledge the movement to be in the right direction.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

A. Derby had a raising yesterday, Wednesday.

F. C. Rector is building a new stock barn.

Haying is progressing finely and an excellent crop is being secured.

David Reed, of Franklin is moving his family to Holloway this week.

Susie Fisk, of Clinton, has a class in music in the Newburg neighborhood.

Milburn Keyser has purchased a Texas pony and has ordered a telegraph instrument, so if the pony can not disappear fast enough he can resort to electricity.

Not many from this section went to Adrian last Saturday to attend the ceremony of laying the corner stone to Lenawee's new court house. The farmers being too busy in their hay fields at present to attend.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Ray Blanchard, of Saginaw, is visiting in this village.

Thomas Roper has a new barber. This is the third one he has tried during the last three months and he hails from Jackson.

The band will hold a ten cent dance Friday afternoon and evening. Good music, good time. Everybody invited.

The Methodist social was held at the parsonage last Wednesday eve.

Dr. J. W. Burchard spent Tuesday in Detroit.

The committee claim that they have made a very good selection of fireworks for Friday evening.

D. Keyes was taken quite ill Sunday and has been unable to be on our streets as yet this week. We are glad to report, however, that he is improving.

Everyone should witness the grand parade Friday morning. Come early and stay all day.

Mrs. Chas. Fisk, is home with her mother, Mrs. Dorr, and will spend a few weeks here this summer.

Ed. Clark is clerking in his father's bank.

A Leap Year party from this town spent Tuesday at Wampler's lake. A good time is reported.

The double quartette that will assist in the exercises at the grove next Friday, will consist of, Mrs. E. VanDeMark, Miss Laura Clark, Miss Sadie, and Miss Nellie Kishpaugh, and Messrs Kerridge, E. VanDeMark, Smith and Field.

Mr. A. H. St. John drove over from Jonesville Wednesday afternoon and will spend the 4th., in this village.

The band have purchased the uniforms that they had here on trial last week. The suits were very reasonable in price and the boys were lucky in being able to secure such a bargain.

Rev. J. W. Payne started for Chicago last Tuesday and intends to remain in that city about a month.

Mrs. McMaster intends soon to remove her Milliner's stock across the street into the rooms recently occupied by Dr. Recoes.

Miss Ida Fullerton, assistant in our schools, will spend her summer vacation at her home in Ypsilanti.

Dr. Reeves has been visiting friends here the past few days.

The band boys have made arrangements to serve dinner the 4th inst., in D. H. Silver's building on the south side of Main street.

Dr. J. W. Burchard timed the Lake Shore train after it left Woodward Avenue Tuesday evening coming out of Detroit and says that one mile was made in 53 seconds.

McCOLLUMS MOTTOS.

15 reasons why McCollum sells clothing cheaper than other dealers:

1st. Because he adopted the "strictly cash" system in his business.

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9th. He considers one man's money just as good as another's.

10th. He can be found at his place of business every day in the year.

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12th. He sells for one price, to all his customers alike.

13th. He has had eleven years experience in the clothing trade.

14th. He always keeps the latest and best styles.

15th. He sells honest goods, at honest prices, in an honest community, and receives an honest verdict from his customers in return.

Please give me a call. McCollum, Clothier, Clinton, Mich.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Children's day was observed at the M. E. church of Ridgeway, June 22d., 1884, with appropriate exercises. The floral decorations were elaborate and in most excellent taste; the rich profusion of flowers was so arranged and blended, as to combine order and harmony in such perfection that the most pleasing effect was produced. A number of beautiful pictures adorned the walls of the church, and twenty-four canaries added the glee of their sweet songs to the splendid music of the choir and congregation.

The morning exercises consisted of music and an address to the children by the Pastor, which was listened to with close attention and evident interest. In the evening the children came to the front and acquitted themselves admirably in executing a very excellent program, consisting of music, readings and recitations. Rev. Peter Sharp delivered a short appropriate and very interesting address, and was followed by the Supt., Dr. Loree, with a few very appropriate closing remarks. The success of the day exceeded all expectations, and was highly gratifying to all—specially so to those who worked so industriously to make the occasion one of pleasure and profit.

A delightful entertainment was enjoyed at the beautiful home of Mr. & Mrs. Robert Houseman in Ridgeway, on Friday evening June 27th ult. By invitation the Ladies' Church Social held an ice cream and lawn social there, which was largely attended and greatly enjoyed. The evening was beautiful and the accommodations ample and convenient. Mr. & Mrs. Houseman seemed intent on contributing to their utmost, to the pleasure of all present, and they succeeded to the satisfaction of all present.

Purify Your Feathers.

Double the bulk of your beads by getting them purified by the Cold Air Process, of which Messrs. Henry & Varson are the sole proprietors in this state. These gentlemen have lately come from Albion, where they purified over two thousand beds. They guarantee satisfaction in every particular, and the way the feather beds are moving back and forth is a positive guarantee that the people are more than pleased with their work. We are assured that by this process moths or insects of any kind cannot inhabit the feathers after they are purified by the above process, an advantage which is worth more than double what these gentlemen charge for the work.

John Conlin's new bore well at Franklin Center is both a curiosity and a convenience. It is 37 feet in depth from which a stream of clear cold water constantly flows. Mr. Conlin will soon build a good water trough at the well for the benefit of the traveling public. A drink of the water will be a treat for both man and beast on a hot day.

The L. S. & M. S. railroad will sell tickets to Chicago and return, to the Democratic National Convention, at one fare for round trip, tickets good going from July 3 to 8, inclusive, and returning not good after July 18.

Attend the Japanese Wedding at the Opera House this evening.

COMMUNICATION.

The Rev. C. E. Conley and the Saloonists once more and finally.

If you will kindly allow me space in your columns to reply to the Rev. Mr. Conley in last week's issue of HERALD, I will make a finality of this discussion. I dislike newspaper controversies and should have shrunk from it in the first place had not the editorials in the Baptist Items, by insinuation and accusation placed the council in a false light before the community. I stood it as long as my make-up would allow, then reluctantly came to the front, no one appearing to take it up. After receiving a courteous call from Mr. Conley, and making a full and candid statement of facts, I supposed from the apparent candor of the gentleman, that the matter would end with a retraction in his next paper of some of his former misstatements. But in this I was mistaken. He devotes a column to me, voluminous in words, sparse in ideas, and no retractions. Mr. Conley seems to be so permeated with the one idea, temperance, and that the whole curse and responsibility of the liquor traffic rests upon the liquor-seller, that he looses sight of everything else, and cannot grasp the idea of equal rights to all men, that one man's rights are just as sacred as another's, no matter what his position or business. Mr. Conley is a representative temperance man of the day. His error, and that of ultra temperance people generally, lies, in judging their fellow-man from their own stand point. To judge another justly we must place ourselves in that person's position. The reason Mr. Conley is a minister of the gospel and not a saloon keeper, is simply because his education and surroundings placed him in the pulpit. Reversed, George Keyser would be an evangelist and Mr. Conley a saloon-keeper. Had Mr. Conley been born and raised in Turkey he would have believed in the Koran and Mohammed, just as sincerely as he now believes in the Bible and Christ. Seeing then that we are wholly creatures of education and circumstances we should exercise the broadest charity. By nature we have nothing to boast over our brother, be his social position or business what it may. Consider if you were brought into the world under the same conditions as the man you judge, and followed up by the same chain of circumstances, your life and actions would be identicle with his.

I am charged with inconsistency, and made to stand on the lifeless form of a victim of a saloon, midst the heart-broken family, and asked if I would repeat, "my action was based on equal justice to all men, on the broad platform of humanitarianism."

I say emphatically yes. The saloon-keeper is only accessory to that crime. The Government is the murderer of that man. For revenue it has appointed that saloon-keeper, virtually, to perform that very act, and made it legal. Has a city council a right to say he shall not by refusing to accept his bond? I say no. Therefore, I claim to be consistent and that this case is not in point. Is Mr. Conley consistent? I think not. He preaches brotherly love, charity, forgiveness, and passes the saloon-keeper with unconcern and indifference, and suffers him to go down to hell uncared for. If you would meet him with an open hand and heart, you would win him over and your rejoicing would be of a more lasting nature than in his prosecution. As to rumors No. 1 and 2, He says he asked me if they were true, and that "I supposed they were." Now, Mr. Conley's memory must be exceedingly treacherous. I told him in language plain, that they were true, gave him the names of two saloons, the person seen coming out of the saloon, the name of my informant, and further more, that the two cases were reported by the Marshal to the council, and referred to the village attorney with recommendation to prosecute if a case could be made out, and there is where the matter now rests. Mr. E. B. Wood, doubtless, will give you any other information you may desire on the subject. Upon investigation I am of the opinion that the Common Council has no jurisdiction in the matter. It is made the duty of the Marshal to enter complaint before a Justice for the violation of the law. If a case can be made out of the complaint as I understand it, it would then have to be placed in the hands of the Prosecuting Attorney, for action. Any citizen may make complaint. Now as Mr. Conley would rejoice in a prosecution, it seems to me that he is just the man to watch the saloons and work up a case. I believe there is honor enough among the saloon-keepers of this place to respect public sentiment by strictly conforming to the law, in the future. If they will not, however, I will render all the aid in my power to compel them to do so.

G. P. SPARKS.

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MISUNDERSTOOD.

A Fable.

I hold it is a solemn truth which bears a lesson good,
"Tis better not to speak at all than be misunderstood.
In silence there may be a balm, in speech a sting
Perhaps a sin.
Therefore, 'tis best to silent be and always
Be a woman.
And lest you doubt the fact which I so darkly
Only decave,
Please call to mind the story of the Lamb kin
and the Bear.

A lamb kin sported gay and free, he was a
[illegible]
When in his pathway there appeared a Bear
morose and grim
"Good lay," quoth Brum, with a grin, "how
[illegible]
The Lam kin trembled with affright, and only
answered "Ba a."
"And so you dare say 'Bah' to me?" the monster
here [illegible]
"I'll eat you up" and so he did, and thus the
Lamb kin died.

So, I hold it is a solemn truth which bears a
lesson good,
"Tis better not to speak at all than be misunderstood.

—*Stanley Wood, in the Century.*

WHY HER HAIR TURNED GRAY.

"I could an' if I would," said John, "tell you why that young woman's hair turned from brown to white in a single night."

Our eyes followed the slender retreating form of a young woman as he spoke.

"Her lover was drowned?" asked Louise.

"A rain fever," said Robert, as he lighted his cigar.

"She saw a ghost" whispered I.

"Wrong, all of you. Do you want to hear a strange bit of truth?"

Of course we did, so John began:

"It was in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts that there once lived a man—the man who married our heroine. He was tall and lithe and strong and handsome, and she was young and dark and beautiful and gay—for Massachusetts. The tall man wooed and won her, and married her, all within six short months. They nestled down in a farm-house and lived in down east fashion—and baked beans and brown bread on Saturdays or Sundays—which is it?"

"Baked beans on Saturday night and brown bread on Sunday morning," said Louise, with decision.

Yes, and a little talk of Faneuil Hall and Wendell Phillips now and again, an occasional quotation from Emerson, a semi-occasional allusion to Margaret Fuller, daily thoughts of the cousins on Beacon street, etc., etc. These slight occupations, and their great love for each other which was indeed boundless, filled much of their time. There were, to be sure, other business moments when Alicia had I said that her name was Alicia made the cakes, for they lived very simply in the country, and when Nathan was away on his work of collecting, for he combined the duties of County Collector with his legal work in the nearest village, some mile or two away.

It was a very pretty sight to see those two at tea. Alicia wore a blue gown that Nathan much admired, and poured the tea from an old pot brought back by a Salem ancestor from China. The caddy was its mate, that came with it, and Alicia lifted its cover tenderly to reach the mysterious weird dried-leaves that her fairy touch and the warm flame were to transform into a potent charm. On these nights—for it was late in the winter—there would be a fire burning on the hearth, the kitten would purr in the pauses, and Hetty, the girl, as maid servants are called in New England villages, could be heard through the wide chinks of the kitchen door, taking the upper C, with the freedom and ease of a prima donna. Alicia would smile quickly as she heard her, and Nathan would smile more slowly. So, with the sipping of tea and the crackling of toast, the evening meal would progress. Afterward, Nathan's pipe and Alicia's knitting gray stockings always filled up the evening. At nine o'clock a glass of cider and red apples; at 9:30 lights out, and only an old-fashioned dark house loomed against the night. A monotonous life, but a happy one, and happier as time went one. But at last time seemed to stop for Alicia. Nathan was called away on business: would be gone a week, he said. Alicia need not be afraid with Hetty. There was really no danger, if she would be careful in one particular. No stranger was to be admitted into the house on any pretext whatever. Here Nathan whispered: "For my strong box is under the bed in our room, you know, full of county money. I am in the midst of collecting now. Leave the box there. It is safe, but promise that no one shall come in, and now, dearest, I must say good-by." But we draw the veil.

Imagine—or remember a lovers' parting. In these two were lovers only three months wedded, kisses, a tear or two, words, kisses again. Ah, well, the description is like the tea-leaves, stupid, dry, until the fire of love and the fairy touch of affection metamorphose the story of a parting into real separation.

After Nathan was gone Alicia sighed and read poetry, and sang a little to herself, and so the first two days slipped by. On the third day there came up a bad storm, one of those early spring storms, with thunder and hail and other elemental disturbances attached.

In the midst then of this appropriate tragedy music, there tottered to Alicia's door an old man. One arm hung helpless, his limbs trembled he seemed very harmless and weak. But Alicia remembered her husband's words. She gave him the shelter he begged for, in the barn only, although her gentle heart smote her. This was at four in the afternoon. At eight in the evening the storm having settled down upon the lonely land, the lonely farm-house, and the two lonely women, the old man appeared again at the kitchen door. He was old and chilled and hungry. Alicia's heart smote her so hard this time that she opened the door. She bade the old man enter. She gave him food. She sent him up the ladder to the attic for, in spite of the cousins in Beacon street, this was the simple "lift" in the country house, and then she and Hetty took away the ladder in pride and security. The old man was safe, thank Heaven, and so were she and Hetty and the money-box.

But the thought of the money-box worried her. She looked under the bed to see if it were all right. There is something in the mere act of looking under the bed that is disorganizing to the feminine mind. After Alicia had looked, she began to feel a trifle timorous. She went out and listened at the ladder-hole. The old man snored. That sound should certainly have encouraged her, but it didn't.

The combination of a snoring man in the house, a stranger, even, though maimed and halt, and a money-box under the bed, of all places, and a storm raging, and alack and alas! a broken promise to one's husband! this combination was very disagreeable.

Moved by an irresistable impulse, Alicia took from a drawer a pistol belonging to her husband. She had found it accidentally but a few days before in an old trunk of his filled with lachelor belonging. She was glad now that she had moved it down from the attic where the old trunk stood in one corner and the old man snored in another. The sight of the pistol did not perhaps restore her courage, as she had hoped it would, for she put it back with a shudder, threw a hasty glance around the rooms, and with a shrug at her own fears went to the window, pulled up the shade, and looked out. The moon was struggling through the clouds; the long line of roads leading past the house up to a distant hill shone out white from between the dark fences on either side. Up on the hill, a quarter of a mile distant, there was a moving spot—some belated neighbor on his way home to the village probably. Alicia felt comforted. She wondered, idly, who it might be. 'Squire Roberts, perhaps, coming from Widow Hobart's. There was little doubt that that would be a match, though how a widow could ever remarry! She shuddered, then thought of Nathan, and smiled.

Alicia stood at the window to watch the neighbor pass. She had taken down her hair, and it fell in a long braid down her back. She looked very young and girlish, and as she stood she hummed to herself, partly by way of keeping up her rising courage, I dare say—the quaint words of the old Scotch English, and which Nathan, being Scotch himself, was fond of:

He came to his bedside in a shake,
And he found his dame on the floor,
With A kiss for evermore, my love,
Adieu for evermore.

By the way, the spot on the hill-side was growing nearer and clearer. It was not 'Squire Roberts, after all, but men on horse-back—three of them. The woman's country curiosity was piqued. Equestrians on a Massachusetts highway at nine p. m. were an unusual a sight as hobgoblins. As the riders came nearer she saw they were muffled in long black cloaks. A straggling moonbeam strikes across their faces. Great Heavens! They were masked.

For a second there was a wild confusion in Alicia's mind. The money-box, the lonely house! These men had come to rob the county in her husband's absence. Could she resist them? Ah!

Adieu for evermore, my love,
Adieu for evermore.

But then her thoughts grew calmer, she watched the men turn in at the gate. They did not speak or look to right or left. They rode in; they dismounted.

Alicia flew, first for Hetty, and then both of them—women do the last—for the one man within reach. It was all the work of a moment. Down came the old-fashioned bit of male humanity. To him appeals the young, live woman. His brain seemed alive at least. He grasps the situation. Daring thieves knowing of the husband's absence have come for the strong box full of county money. There are three of them.

Says the old man: "Have you a pistol?"

"Yes," replies Alicia.

"Give it to me. Is that the box under your bed?"

"Yes," replies Alicia again.

"All this time the men have beat on the door, but no word has been spoken by them.

"You must trust me," says the old man.

"Yes," replies Alicia bravely. It is all she can do, even though he should play her false.

"Light a candle and bring me the cartridges. I will keep them and reload your pistol if necessary. Stand here at the top of the stairs, so. I am just behind you. Blow out you candle. Soon they will speak and ask to be let in. You must not reply. They will beat in the door. They will break it open. There will be one man who will dart ahead up the stairs—the ringleader, you know. Wait until this man is within three steps of you. Wait until I say 'Fire,' then pull the trigger. That man will fall. The others will run off—that is, they may. It is our only chance. Do you understand it?"

"Yes," replies Alicia again, in a clear, firm tone. All fear has vanished. She is calm and quiet now.

The robbers were beating at the door. The old man was crouched behind her. Hetty in the background moaning out her "Holy Joseph's" and "Blessed Mary's." Alicia erect at the head of the stairs with her husband's pistol in her hand. Ah, her husband! Her heart beat at that thought. Should she ever see him again?

Adieu for evermore, my love,
Adieu for evermore.

The strain was over at last. All went as the old man had prophesied. The door burst open. Up the stairs came a strong man's tread, close up to within three steps of her. Must she shoot? Must she kill? Yes, for her husband's sake.

"Fire," said the old man, in a whisper. Alicia fired. The strong man fell with a groan to the floor below. There was a rush for the door. The others had fled. Through the silence Alicia heard the sound of horses' hoofs on the highway. They were gone. She was saved: so was the money-box. But below in the hall lay that silent, heavy form, no sound after the first moan. "Blessed Mary!" Hetty's voice broke the ghastly stillness again.

"You have killed him," said the old man. "Light your candle and go down and see who he is."

Alicia lighted the candle, and holding it over her head walked firmly down the stairs her black hair, loosened now, fell about her like a mourning veil. As she walked she kept her eyes fixed on the corner of the hall at the foot of the staircase, where the silent figure lay on its back, its hands outstretched under a picture on the wall, a picture of the Christ on the cross. It flashed through the woman's mind then that at least this villain died at His feet.

"Blessed Mary!" began Hetty again.

"Lift the mask," called the old man's voice.

Alicia lifted the mask from the face of the dead man, and saw her husband!

"My God!" said Robert, and threw away his cigar. "The husband! That is a story worth hearing."

John continued: "She did not even faint, poor girl. She sat there by his side on the floor all night without a tear, with her eyes on his face and the sorrowful Christ on the cross above them. But when the neighbors came in with the morning light her hair fell about her ashen face in a white veil, as you see it to-day."

"But how?" asked Louise.

"He had come to rob the county of its money," said John, calmly, lighting his cigar with Robert's stub; "that's all."

"And the old man wasn't a rascal in league with the husband, then?"

"No, no: a worthy tramp. Of course, you thought he was to be a villain," said I explaining.

"And John, afterward?"

"No anti-climax," said John. "Look at her hair and her eyes, and her heart-[illegible] smile, and remember her

For evermore, my love,
for evermore!

for evermore. Even Heaven can not reunite these two," said Louise, who is literal."—*Warren Murdock, in N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*

An Idyl of Hate.

"That horrid Mrs. Sawyer!" said Mrs. Jones, the other day. "I wish she would move out of the neighborhood."

"Well, what do you run there all the time for? I told you how it would be," retorted Mr. Jones.

This was not the kind of sympathy Mrs. Jones expected, and she became ominously silent.

"What has she said about you now?" inquired Jones.

"Oh, it's nothing about *me*," said Mrs. Jones indifferently.

"Who is it about?" asked Jones with evident anxiety.

"It's about *you*," resumed Mrs. J. "She says you're no more fit to run for office than a brindle cat, and if Sawyer votes for you she'd never speak to him again; she says—"

"Never mind," said Jones loftily. "I'm not the least interested in anything a feeble-minded, gossipy woman says."

But the flat-iron had struck home, and Jones left the table with a look on his face that boded no good.

It was hasting day at the Sawyers. If there was anything Mrs. Sawyer prided herself upon, it was the tender, flaky quality of her pastie. Jones knew this.

Mrs. Sawyer was just rolling that tender pie-paste into great sheets of transparent dough, when there came a knock at the door. Mrs. Sawyer answered it, rolling pin in hand. It was Willie Jones who had knocked.

"Please, Mrs. Sawyer," said the innocent child, "pa would like a piece of your pie-crust."

"Certainly, Willie," said Mrs. Sawyer, much flattered, "but it isn't baked yet."

"He doesn't want it baked."

"But he can't eat raw pie-crust."

"He isn't going to eat it."

"Then what is he going to do with it?"

"He said he wanted to mend the harness, an' make hinges on the barn door with it, and—"

The rolling-pin hung fire, and the boy escaped, but the barrier between the houses of Jones and Sawyer can never be broken. It is tougher than the pie-crust.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Progress in North Carolina.

That there has been considerable progress in North Carolina is beyond question. Prior to the war no money crops were planted in the southern part of the State, except a few ground-peas and a little rice in New Hanover, and some cotton in Anson. There was some cotton grown in Edgecombe. Heavy black tobacco was cultivated in Warren and in half a dozen counties to the westward. These were all the "money" crops. Now rice is grown in the northeast. Cotton is cultivated from Catawba along the South Carolina line and up to Halifax, covering one half of the State. Tobacco is grown in nearly all the rest of the State. The mines of the west are greatly developed. Our money crops are worth fully ten times what they were before the war. And yet we accumulate no wealth.

Farming is hardly more profitable than it was before the change. One of the reasons is to be found in the high rate of interest which the farmers pay on their advances. To correct this evil the farmers ought to make their own supplies, buy no provisions, live on the products of their farms, and have the proceeds of their cotton and tobacco crops as their surplus. If they will do this, they will lay up money. Until they make such change they will be poor. They can not be prosperous while paying heavy interest. The question—does farming pay—has been intelligently discussed all over the country, and the answer is invariably the same, it does pay more certainly than any other business if one is prudent and does not permit his substance to go for interest. Government bonds bearing three per cent. are above par; but the farmers pay fifteen to twenty-five per cent. when they buy on credit, and give a lien on their crop. To be sure, under these circumstances they are only working that others may reap the fruits of their toil.—*Raleigh (N. C.) News.*

—A murderer was recently executed in Salt Lake City by a Sheriff who was the son of the murdered man.—*Chicago Times.*

(*Continued from last week.*)

How Watch Cases are Made.

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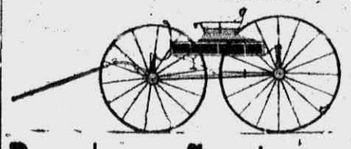

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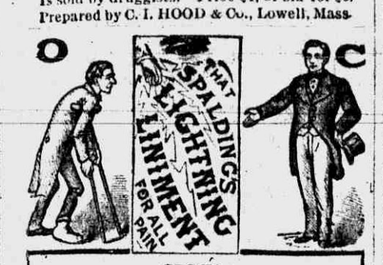

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE, June 25.—Consideration of the Legislative Appropriation bill was resumed. After debate the amendment proposed by the senate committee striking out the clause consolidating the customs collection districts was agreed to. Without further action on the bill the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—A bill was passed authorizing the establishment of a branch of the Soldiers' Home in Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, or Nebraska; the location will be determined by the Board of Managers of the Soldiers' Home. The Hewitt Committee on Ways and Means reported a bill to modify the existing laws relating to the duties on imports and collection of revenue; referred to Committee of the Whole. The Chalmers-Manning contested election case was taken up, and the majority resolution declaring Chalmers entitled to a seat as Representative from the Second District of Mississippi, was adopted without division. Mr. Chalmers then appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office. Adjourned.

SENATE, June 26.—The bill extending to water transportation routes the provisions heretofore extended to land routes only, regarding the immediate transportation of dutiable goods, was passed. The Legislative bill was proceeded with, and the amendment proposed by the Senate Appropriation Committee to strike out the House clause permitting distilleries mashing ten bushels or less of grain per day to run without storekeepers, was agreed to. An amendment was also adopted providing that reports in the Congressional Record shall be an accurate transcript of proceedings and debates in the two Houses of Congress, and that no speech shall be published therein which was not spoken in the Senate or in the House. The bill was then passed. The River and Harbor bill was reported from the Committee on Conference, and ordered printed and recommitted to the Committee. The Senate then went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.—Mr. Bingham, from the Committee on Postoffices and Post roads, reported a bill fixing at two cents per ounce or fraction thereof a rate of postage on mail matter of the first-class; placed on calendar. The bill to forfeit the land grant of the "Backbone" Railroad of Louisiana was taken up. A vote on its passage resulted—yeas 77, nays 121. Pending a motion to reconsider the vote the House adjourned.

SENATE, June 27.—Mr. Mitchell introduced a bill to incorporate the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic; referred. A bill was passed granting the right of way through the Indian Territory to the Southern Kansas Railway. The unfinished business was then laid before the Senate, being the bill providing for the forfeiture of the unearned lands granted the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad Company. A long debate ensued pending which the Senate went into executive session and adjourned.

HOUSE.—The conference reports on the Pension bill and the bill granting the right of way through the Indian Territory to the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad, were agreed to. Mr. Forney submitted the conference report on the Army Appropriation bill. The report announces agreement upon all the items except upon the Senate amendment striking out that portion of the bill which regulates the compensation to subsidized railways or army transportation. The report was agreed to; the disagreement to the amendment indicated was insisted upon and conferees were appointed. The "Backbone" forfeiture bill was taken up, the question being upon a motion to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill was defeated yesterday. The motion to table was agreed to—yeas 124, nays 114; so the bill was lost. Bills were passed: To relieve certain soldiers from the charge of desertion; for the relief of Myra Clark Gaines. At the evening session a number of pension bills were discussed, but without action. The House adjourned.

SENATE, June 28.—The General Deficiency bill was taken up, and an item of $3,500 was added to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse the amount paid for expenses of the commission appointed to go to Louisiana in 1877; an item was also added authorizing the Attorney General to pay Charles H. Reed for services as counsel for the late Charles J. Guiteau, such sum as he may deem just, not to exceed $3,000. The bill was then passed. The House bill was reported favorably upon granting a pension to the widow of General J. Steedman; placed on calendar. A message was received from the President transmitting a communication from the Secretary of the Interior calling attention to the omission of an appropriation for the Bureau of Labor. The River and Harbor bill was taken up, but without action the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Senate amendments to the Legislative bill were non-concurred in. Majority and minority reports on the Fortification Appropriation bill were submitted from the Committee on Appropriations, and referred to the Committee of the Whole. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the business reported from the Committee on Labor. The first bill considered was one providing an adjustment of the accounts of Government laborers, workmen and mechanics, arising under the eight hour law. After a long debate without reaching a conclusion on the bill, the committee rose and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON.

CONSIDERATION of the Fortification bill has been completed by the House Committee on Appropriations, and it will be reported to the House at the first opportunity as agreed upon by the majority of the committee. The bill appropriates $3,070,000. Members of the House Committee are of the opinion that the bills now in conference will be ready for final action by July 3 or 5, and that the House will be able to adjourn on the 7th at the latest.

FOLLOWING are the original numbers embraced in the call for $10,000,000 bonds issued by the Secretary of the Treasury on the 26th ult.: Fifty dollars, No. 315 to No. 444, both inclusive; $100, No. 2,363 to No. 2,795, both inclusive, and No. 9,484 to 9,513, both inclusive; $500, No. 1,151 to No. 3,388, both inclusive, and No. 3,904 to No. 4,008, both inclusive; $1,000, No. 11,089 to No. 12,374, both inclusive, and No. 22,813 to No. 22,857, both inclusive; $10,000, No. 20,302 to No. 21,179, both inclusive. Total, $10,000,000.

THE President has approved the acts granting letter carriers leave of absence and establishing a Labor Bureau.

THE Postoffice Department has been informed by the Italian Government that in view of the outbreak of Asiatic cholera in France mails from this country intended for delivery in Italy must be enclosed in tarred sacks. This precaution is regarded as necessary because the Italian mails from this country pass through England and France. The postmaster at New York has been instructed accordingly.

THE imports for the fiscal year ended June 30 includes over 2,000,000,000 pounds of sugar, about 5,000,000,000 pounds of coffee, and over 150,000,000 eggs. The sugar manufactured here amounted to about 250,000,000 pounds.

THE Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that he will redeem prior to maturity the bonds embraced in the one hundred and twenty-ninth call to an amount not exceeding $1,000,000 per week, paying interest to the date of presentation.

THE Washington monument is now four hundred and seventy feet high. There is one more shift in the iron work to be made, and it will require about a month to complete the work the height of five hundred feet. The work of roofing in will then begin.

THE President appointed E. C. Ferguson Commissioner to represent the Territory of Washington at the New Orleans Centennial Exposition, with A. P. Sharpstein as alternate.

THE vacancy in the Adjutant General's Department caused by the death of Colonel Platts will be filled by the appointment to that position of Assistant Adjutant General Captain Thomas Ward, First Artillery.

THE EAST.

AT a meeting of the Independent Republican Committee at New York on the 25th, Carl Schurz presiding, an executive committee was appointed consisting of Carl Schurz, Horace E. Deming and E. H. Doty, to be increased by two other members, whose duty it shall be to prepare a document addressed to the Republican voters throughout the country, setting forth the reasons why they should not vote for Blaine and Logan. A circular previously issued has been widely distributed.

HORNBECK & Co.'s planing mill, at Greenfield, Pa., was struck by lightning on the 25th and entirely consumed. Loss $80,000.

W. H. JESSUP, assignee of W. H. Cooper, the banker of Montrose, Pa., recently shot by Joe Drinker, reports the assets of the bank to be $235,000; liabilities $400,000.

A SUIT has been begun in the New York Superior Court against James B. Keene for $250,000 on some of his privileges held by W. E. Scoville.

DURING a storm on the 27th ult. nine Italian laborers attempted to cross Carson's Inlet, New Jersey, when the boat was upset and six were drowned.

AN explosion of gas in the Rankin Coal Mine, near Monongahela City, Pa., on the 26th, fatally injured John Pepkie and badly burned Duncan McPherson.

THE four-mile race between Harvard and Yale at New London, Conn., on the 26th, was won by the latter.

YALE has conferred the degree of LL. D. upon Governor Hoadly, of Ohio, and Ellis H. Roberts, editor of the Utica *Herald*.

AT Bethlehem, Pa., on the 27th ult. a hundred-yard foot race between Fred Rodgers, of Trenton, and Harry Wheatley, of Canada, for $1,000 a side was won by Rodgers in 9⅞ seconds.

THE property of the Penn Bank at Pittsburgh has been appraised at about $150,000, and the liabilities are $1,500,000.

THE Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers announce that a National convention will be held at Pittsburgh, August 5. Delegates will be present from all parts of the country where lodges of the association exists.

H. H. BANGS, doing business as the Bay State Casket Company, at Boston, Mass., failed on the 27th ult. Liabilities, $400,000.

A CONFERENCE of colored Democrats, representing the different States, was held in New York on the 27th ult and delegates appointed to the National Democratic Convention at Chicago to endeavor to secure representation for the colored Democratic voters of the country.

E. K. HYNDMAN, for many years a prominent railroad man in Pennsylvania, died at Pittsburgh on the 27th ult. of consumption.

FOR the seven days ended June 27, business failures reported were: In the United States 171, Canada 28, total 199; against a total of 205 last week—a decrease of six.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended June 28: Loans increase, $397,800; specie increase, $469,300; legal tenders decrease, $2,700; deposits increase, $5,460,200; circulation decrease, $14,900; reserve increase, $3,101,550. The banks held $13,119,000 in excess of legal requirements.

O. C. BARROWS, a prominent citizen of Bristol, R. I., and book-keeper of the National Rubber Company, has admitted a defalcation of $5,000. He has been in the employ of the company twenty years.

THE depression in the coke trade and the restriction of the output is seriously affecting the miners and coke drawers in the vicinity of Connellsville, Pa., and Hungarians are rapidly returning to their native country. From twenty to forty of these people leave Connellsville every day for Europe.

WEST AND SOUTH.

NEARLY six thousand applications for press seats at the National Democratic Convention have already been received, only a small proportion of which can be accommodated with desk privileges. Full and complete accommodations for reporting the proceedings will be given the United Press Association.

THE Supreme Court of Ohio have affirmed judgment of the lower court for $4,000 damages against the city of Steubenville in favor of George Metlill, injured several years ago.

NEVIL STEVENS, the river pirate and desperado, who was confined in jail at Leredo, Wayne County, W. Va., and whose companions stormed the jail in hopes of rescuing him, escaped on the night of the 27th ult. His wife had smuggled a small saw into his possession, with which he cut his way out.

ON the 29th ult. the Midland Virginia morning express train ran at great speed upon the bridge over the James River near Lynchburg, Va. The corner of the smoking car struck the upright girders, throwing it from the track, and the Washington and New York sleepers plunged through the bridge into ten feet of water. About forty passengers were in the sleepers, but all were saved. Most of them were taken out through holes cut in the ventilators in the top of the cars. Conductor King was thrown into the river and had two ribs broken, but he swam to the cars and helped the passengers through the windows.

Two horse-thieves named Ed Owens and Si Nickerson, stole eight horses from the Benton & Billings Stage Company at Rock Springs Station, M. T., a few days ago. They were pursued and overtaken by fifteen cowboys and during the fight which ensued Nickerson was shot dead. Owens was captured and hung. Two of the cowboys were wounded.

THE glass works throughout the West shut down on the 28th ult. for their usual two months' vacation. They employ 8,000 men.

THE distillery of Fairbanks & Duenwig at Terre Haute, Ind., burned on the 27th ult. The machinery and 15,000 gallons of liquor in the still and tanks were destroyed. Loss $100,000; insured in fifty-two companies for $65,000.

BY the shutting down of the works of the Illinois Watch Company at Springfield on the 28th ult. one thousand persons are thrown out of employment. The works are to resume September 1. Two reasons are given for the suspension—over-production and the necessity of making some repairs and additions to the machinery.

WHILE a man named Daniels was digging a well at Auburn, Geauga County, O., on the 28th ult. at a depth of forty feet the earth caved in upon him burying him alive.

LEWIS MURPHY, Marshal of Huntsville, O., and his wife, were buggy riding behind a vicious Texas pony in that village on the 29th ult. when the animal ran away. Murphy, who is a cripple, was first thrown out receiving injuries which will prove fatal. The horse dashed on until a heavy gravel wagon was struck, when Mrs. Murphy was thrown to the ground alighting on her head. Her neck was broken and death was instantaneous.

THE daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman, of Wausau, Wis., aged ten years, died from inflammation of the bowels recently, brought on, it is said, by excessive jumping of the rope.

JOSEPH Palmer, the accomplice of William Berner in the murder of William H. Kirk, at Cincinnati, was sentenced to be hanged October 10, 1884. Emil Trumpeter, for the murder of Anthony Delano, was sentenced to the penitentiary for life.

EDWARD MORRISON, aged seventy-two, was killed, and John Dunn and Edward Dawer were badly injured by the falling of a scaffold at a new building in St. Louis on the 28th ult.

CHARLES PARICUT, who recently absconded from Sandusky, O., with $40,000 belonging to his partner, has been heard from. He is in Belgium, and wants his wife to join him.

IN two months' time, the past spring, a trapper killed forty-seven wolves in Emmet, Dickinson and Osceola counties, Wis., for which he received $141 bounty money.

THE residence of the Mayor of Danville, Ill., was entered by burglars on the 28th ult., who stole $500 in money and considerable jewelry.

FOREIGN.

THE Franchise bill passed its first reading in the English House of Lords on the 27th ult.

TWENTY-FIVE deaths from yellow fever were reported at Havana during the week ended June 29.

A MOB attacked the Protestant Mission, at Celaca, Mexico, on the Central Railroad on the 28th ult. and destroyed the furniture and effects. Rev. A. W. Greenman and others escaped to neighboring houses. They were pursued, fired on, and returning the fire, killed one and wounded several of the mob, which then dispersed. The mission party was then protected by Federal soldiers. It is said the Mayor of Celaca encouraged the attack and refused protection.

THE various trade organizations of Toulon have petitioned the Minister of Commerce to extend the dates of acceptance of bills, owing to the general collapse of the local trade caused by cholera.

MORRISON, the telegraph operatory who swindled the Traders' National Bank of San Antonio, Tex., out of $2,200, has been arrested at Monterey, Mexico. His extradition has been referred to the authorities at Washington. The bank has recovered the money.

THE lacrosse match between the Toronto and Shamrock clubs, of Montreal, Canada, on the 28th ult. for the championship of the world, was won by the Toronto, who took the first, third and fourth games.

ADVICES of the 26th ult. received at Paris from Honoi state that the fighting near Langson between the Chinese garrison and the French forces continued two days. Ten Frenchmen were killed and thirty-three wounded. The Chinese Generals Vuon-Gly and No-Ny have 10,000 regulars between Bak Le and Langson. It is reported at Paris that Admiral Courbet has been instructed to demand a public apology of China, as well as indemnity, for the violation of the treaty by the Chinese at Langson, and in case China refuses to grant this a French fleet will bombard Chinese cities.

ALL vessels arriving at Trieste, Austria, from Mediterranean ports are placed in quarantine ten days if the crews are in a healthy condition, and for twenty days if there is any suspicion of sickness aboard.

THE election in Portugal on the 28th ult. for the Chamber of Deputies resulted in a large majority for the Government. The opposition gained thirty-five seats.

LATER NEWS.

AT Brier Hill, near Youngstown, O., on the night of the 29th ult. four children of Mrs. Ann Murphy retired to bed about nine o'clock. About eleven o'clock smoke and flames were seen issuing from their bed-room windows. Neighbors came to the rescue and put out the fire, but not before three of the children, boys, aged five, eight and nine respectively were burned so that they died within an hour. The fourth child, the oldest, jumped from a window and escaped with a few slight burns. The origin of the fire is unknown.

AT the conference of colored Democrats, representing several States, held at New York on the 28th ult., Isaac H. Hunter of New York, Daniel Davis of Connecticut, and James Winnie of Virginia, were chosen delegates to the Democratic Convention at Chicago to represent the colored Democratic voters of the Union.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR has ordered the court martial to meet in New York September 11, for the trial of Judge Advocate General Swaim. General Schofield will be President of the Court.

SEVENTY pool sellers from Coney Island were indicted on the 30th ult. at Brooklyn, N. Y., and held in $1,000 each for trial.

TEN THOUSAND miners in Staffordshire, Eng., have struck against a reduction.

THE decrease of the public debt for June was about 19,000,000. The reduction for the fiscal year, ended June 30, is about $101,000,000. The reduction for the last fiscal year was $137,823,252.

THE coinage executed at the United States Mint in Philadelphia during June aggregated $1,771,455, including 1,140,000 silver dollars, 200 half dollars, 200 quarter dollars, and 250,200 dimes.

MR. SLATER presented in the Senate on the 30th ult. a majority report of the Committee on Public Lands in favor of the bill to forfeit the unearned lands of the Northern Pacific Railroad. Mr. Morgan, from the same committee reported favorably the bill forfeiting the lands granted certain States to aid in the construction of railroads; he also reported adversely from the same committee the bill granting 320 acres of land to each of the survivors of the Mountain Meadow massacre; placed on calendar. The House bill limiting the time within which prosecutions may be instituted against persons charged with violating the Internal Revenue laws to two years, was amended by extending the time to three years, and the bill passed. Consideration of the River and Harbor bill was resumed, and pending debate the Senate adjourned. In the House, Mr. King of Louisiana introduced a bill appropriating $200,000 to be expended by the National Board of Health in preventing the introduction of Asiatic cholera. The conference report on the Indian Appropriation bill appropriates $6,859,402. The House provision for the abolition of the office of inspector and a detail of five army officers to act as inspectors, was stricken out. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Fortification bill. After debate, without action the committee rose and the conference report on the bill to provide for the disposition of abandoned and useless military reservations was agreed to. Adjourned.

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ESTATE OF SIRRELL C. LE BARON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 23d day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present: Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Delos C. Le Baron, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Edgar A. Fitting, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the first day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jun26

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A.D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Southworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Administrator of said Estate.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant,
vs.
Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 30th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier; thence north-westerly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning; being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. jun12

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, Minors.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described on the 25th day of July, A.D. 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2-6) of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale, cash.

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ALUMNI REUNION.

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The executive committee of the Alumni Society adopted a new method this year. The exercises were held in the evening and at the Lilley House, the spacious dining room being set apart for the ceremonies. The literary part of the program was of superior merit, all the appointees being "on time". The essay, history and poem are herewith printed in full, and need no word of commendation from us. The oration was equally good and nothing but Mr. Mc Kinnon's modesty prevents the publication of that. Following is the program as given.

Prayer.—Rev. J. Phelps

Oration—Has No Name. P. S. Mc Kinnon

Duet—Mrs. L. P. Tribou and Miss Jennie Root.

Poem—Life's Opportunities, Eunice Davidson.

Music—Scenes that are Brightest, Miss Molly Keip.

Essay—Our Words. Miss Clara Waldron.

History—Classes of '75 and '76, Miss Julia Snell.

Music—Duet—A Night in Venice, Miss Molly Keip and C. F. Field.

Welcome to Class of '84—Pres. Abner Wilson.

Response—Pres. of Class, B. F. Lamkins.

Supper was then served and this part of the entertainment was well sustained by Landlord Passmore, who seems to have the knack of getting up first class suppers for special occasions. At the conclusion of supper Toastmaster L. P. Tribou assumed charge and presented the regular toasts of the evening which were appropriately responded to.

TOASTS.

Our Alma Mater—Response by Prof. D. A. Hammond.

Our Alumni Association—Response by O. P. Bills.

Class of '84—Response by E. L. Shepard.

Sweethearts and Wives—Response by S. C. Stacy.

Our Absent Members—Response by Miss Condiet.

Our Bachelors—Response by P. S. McKinnon.

The committee then announced the list of officers for the ensuing year which was adopted by the meeting. At a late hour the session adjourned and all who were present voted it one of the best reunions ever held by the Alumni.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—P. S. McKinnon.
1st Vice President—A. W. Mills.
2d. " " —Miss May Farley.
3d. " " —Miss Mable Gniwits.
Secretary—L. P. Tribou.
Treasurer—F. B. Wood.
Orator—Dr. Geo. Howell.
Alternate—D. McNair.
Poetess—Miss Alice Wimple.
Alternate—Miss Leila Doty.
Essayist—Miss Condiet.
Alternate—Mrs. S. W. Anderson.
Historian—Mrs. S. P. Hosmer.
Alternate—B. F. Lamkins.
Toast-master—Abner Wilson.
Executive Committee—Chas. Waldron, Benj. F. Lamkins, Miss Julia Snell, Miss Clara Waldron.

LIFE'S OPPORTUNITIES.

BY EUNICE DAVIDSON.

In this beautiful world, on every hand,
Are given us treasures, rich and rare,
And we as stewards are given our charge
To till, and prune and watch with care,
To scatter seeds with a liberal hand;
To scatter them broadcast day and night
When the earth with dewdrops is overcast,
Or when with sunshine it is bright.

And as we scatter day by day,
Some by the wayside off may fall;
And some upon stony ground be cast,
And some midst weeds both dense and tall.
And some may be scorched by the burning sun,
And some by the briars and thorns choked,
Till to the weary sower's heart,
E'en nature seems provoked.

And as he sows with a moistened brow,
A weary frame and a faint'ring heart,
His soul with a shadow is overcast,
And sorrow and labor seem his part.
No sun casts forth for him its beams,
Around him are shadows dense as night,
And while in his labor he pauses to rest,
In the skies above there seems no light.

If his thoughts could only be read to us,
He would say in tones of dire dismay,
"With an aching frame and an anxious heart,
The seeds I have scattered day by day,
I have scattered freely on every hand;
I have scattered all of my scanty store,
And what shall be gathered in to me
When the long bright harvest days are o'er.

"Many of the seeds that I sowed in pain
Were scorched and dried by the withering sun,
The fowls devoured the larger part
Ere the sowing was scarce begun.
I can see no reaping before me now,
My labor is ended, my seeds are sown:
With faith in the heart I did my best,
And, must I say it—not one seed has grown."

Mistaken man—in a corner far
From the noise and din and toil of strife,
One little seed in the good ground fell,
That will bring forth fruit unto life.
And there alone far hid from sight,—
Shall we say, with none to care at all?
When God with kind and watchful care,
Knows when to earth the sparrows fall.

There buried in the rich brown earth,
And warmed by the genial rays of the sun;
Who from his dome in the heavens above,
Sees that His work is faithfully done.
The autumn rain this warm earth bathes,
And freshens and strengthens the little grain
Which now is blessed by the sun's bright rays,
And cheered by the warm and soothing rain.

And thus encouraged, upward it grows,
Its roots go deep in the loose rich soil;
Its leaflets point toward the heavenly dome,
The little seed has begun life's toil.
Fanned by the autumn's chilling breeze,
And touched by the autumn's hoary frost,
And covered o'er by the winter's snow,
That little seed indeed seemed lost.

And there it nestles the winter through,
Unknown, unsought beneath the snow,
While o'er it storm and winds rage,
And the winds of winter fiercely blow.
Content to fill this lowly place,
Why, the to watch and love and care,
That little plant in night lies
And passes its winter patiently there.

When spring returns with its sun's warm rays
Melting the snow from the hills away,
Its nourishment around the rootlets sink,
Again that plant sees the light of day.
More leaflets to the surface bring,
More rootlets in the earth press down;
Till bye and bye in the harvest time,
That little plant shall gain a crown.

A beautiful crown of golden grain,
Wafted forth in the summer breeze;
When the earth is radiant with flowers,
Ladened and plundered by busy bees.
Then the warm and weary sower comes,
And gathers with joy this golden grain,
And wonders anew in his thankful soul,
If his heart will ever grow weary again.

Now he thought of the weary sowing,
The aching frame and the fainting heart;
His soul with joy is overflowing,
And peace and rest are now his part.
The sun sheds forth for him its beams,
Around him the earth is glad and bright;
And as he gathers this stalk of grain,
The skies above are filled with light.

With a heart rejoicing in love and praise,
He bows him down to the Father of love;
With not a thought of sorrow or pain,
He sends his prayer to the throne above.
Lord, I thank Thee for this golden grain,
For all thy mercies rich and rare:
Help me to scatter more bountifully now,
E'en though in pain I sow my share.

The clouds that darkly o'er him hung,
Are shining and radiant, bright as day;
His troubles and sorrows, and sighs and tears,
To the winds of Heaven have flown away.
In the glad reaping from that little seed,
Hope and courage and peace did find;
And besides, has found to his sweet surprise,
That all the clouds were "silver lined."

And who can tell how many seeds
From this stalk of golden grain,
Another season may bring forth,
When the sower goes out again?
How much good on earth be done,
And strength to the weak they gave;
How many poor and famished ones,
From want and death they save?

How many kindly deeds of love,
How much of truth be said;
How many be comforted and cheered,
Whose hearts within seemed dead?
How many who labor in this world
To uprow the thick sown weeds,
Owe all their life, their health and strength,
To these tiny little seeds?

And who can tell from one stalk of seed,
How many seeds from earth will spring;
How many garners will be filled
With the grain which the harvests bring?
'Tis vast, 'tis hopeless, none can tell
How many sheaves of bright gold grain
Will the worn and weary reaper bring
When he comes from the harvest field again.

In these fields we all are toilers,
Working and watching day by day;
Some days most faithfully sowing,
Other days idling our time away.
And thus we waste our precious spring,
While joy and pleasure fill the day;
Until at last the harvest comes,
And our reaping, time has passed away.

But if with joy we would gather sheaves,
Seed we must sow with a liberal hand;
Sow in sunshine and sow in shadow,
Till thick with seed we have covered the land.
Then patiently, carefully, prayerfully,
Must the thorns from the seeds be thrown;
Must how be tended in their resting place,
Where so long in peace they had grown.

Then must we labor patiently sow,
Day by day, though with a sinking heart;
Though with bending heads and aching brow,
Still we must valiantly bear our part.
For if we work and watch and wait,
How can we in our weakness know
Of the many seeds sown here and there,
Which of the many are sure to grow?

That if the seed in the winter cold,
With none but the Father above to care;
Was covered over by the pure white snow,
And hid from the chilling blasts of air.
And will not He our efforts bless,
Though, 'tis they are clad with pain;
Though we sow the seed with a faltering heart,
And never hope to reap them again.

And though the clouds hang dark above,
And though we sow in the raining rain,
Ours is to sow and to watch and to wait,
Anxiously hoping for golden grain.
And though our hopes fall fast and cold us,
Like the wind toss'd autumn leaves;
Who knows but we in the harvest time
May gather many golden sheaves?

And when we are done with our sowing,
Will we, with doubts and fears,
Look back on our battle of labor and pain
With eyes overflowing with tears?
Will our hearts grow sad within us,
At the sorrows and labor we have?
Will we with joy hail that glad time
When all sorrows and labors are o'er.

Methinks that with joy we will count our toil,
When we strike glad hands on the other shore:
And not one sorrow and not one pain,
Would we take from the heavy load we bore.
But there where sighs and tears never come,
Where an aching head and a weary heart;
Where death and sorrow never are known,
For in this home they have no part.

There will we in gladness dwell,
Secure from all the chilling blasts;
Our weary frame and aching heart
Are now for us, forever past.
And nevermore will we with tears,
Sow seeds in the falling rain;
Our labor is ended, our seeds are sown,
We have reaped our golden grain.

May we at last with our toiling done,
And free from all sorrow and sin;
Rest safe at last in that blest abode,
With our garner well filled in.
And there with the Father of light and love,
And our golden harvest won;
Hear Him in love and mercy say,
"My weary child, well done."

OUR WORDS.

BY CLARA A. WALDRON.

A word is a single part of speech, consisting either of one syllable or more than one; and is the principal medium for the communication of our thoughts and wishes from one to another.

The number and variety of our words have always been a cause of much trouble to those foreigners learning our language. But a rich and varied language may be considered as one of the conclusive proofs of civilization.

Our nation stands first among the nation's of the world; and where can be found a people, who can express their thoughts in more variety of ways than can they, while on the other hand the uncivilized Indians have a very limited number of words, one doing duty for several.

One reason for the variety of terms is, that while we speak what is called the Saxon language, nearly every race on the globe has contributed to the list of words, until one cannot be sure whether he talks Persian, Greek, Chinese, or Choctaw.

Our people need a new word. Instead of making it from roots and stems, as is natural for other nations to do, one is borrowed from our neighbors; and, as is the case with other foreigners, wears for a time a distinctive dress. After a while it becomes naturalized and is admitted to full rights of citizenship. Our music is Italian, our fashions and cookery French, and good old fashioned Anglo-Saxon words have been crowded out to make room for the strangers. It is thought by many that if a person uses short, plain words he must be a man of little thought and education; but it seems to me, if they will give the subject careful consideration they will see where their mistake lies. Why is it that so many of our books and papers are filled with long words and foreign phrases? Because it is thought to be a mark of superior education, and people unwilling to own their ignorance make up in pretense what they lack in reality: never using a common word if they can find one of many syllables, whether it be proper or not. What is more pleasant than to find a selection composed of words one can understand without the aid of a dictionary, or word book close by? Ask a Dr. to explain some disease, or even simply the action of the heart, and in many cases how much wiser is the listener when the explanation is finished than before? Why do so many well educated people fail to interest a company of children when they are talking? Simply because they talk over them, not to them. Their words are so far above what the little ones can understand that they might as well talk Latin or Greek to them in the first place. It requires a person with a large vocabulary to talk plainly to the common people, and they are the majority, as many of the long words, which slip so easily from the tongue may be far-fetched. At the present time unless a person is proof against criticism he had best carefully weigh every word he utters, for how often do we hear a word that is in common use mispronounced or used without reference to its exact meaning. In the last few years there has been quite a revolution in the pronunciation of words, until it has often been said, "one cannot use a last year's dictionary more than an old almanac." This may be reaching a little too far; but it is a fact, that one can be behind the times in pronunciation as well as in other matters; for in some districts the country "school-marm" is expected to be quite as accommodating in this respect as was a certain applicant for a school in regard to the shape of the earth, round or flat, just to suit the parents.

But our language is not losing strength from the introduction of foreign words, from incorrect pronunciation, or from the use of long words; but from the large number of exaggerations, shortened words, and so called slang expressions constantly heard. Slang may not sound so very shocking when heard spoken by loafers on the street corner, but when introduced into conversation every few moments by an accomplished lady it seems 'out of place. The "awful's" and the "splendid's" of our schoolgirls might perhaps be passed over, if we only could be sure that with school-days this form of talking might end. On the contrary, if we listen to the conversation of the youth, we will find everything that pleases them handsome, elegant, or beautiful. If the opposite, horrible, awful, or dreadful. The common occurrences of life are told in a manner befitting a thrilling adventure, until it would seem that if they really had something of importance to relate their vocabulary would be exhausted. But while they are adding to the length of their sentences in one way, they shorten them by clipping the words. I can't is used for I can not, I don't for I do not, and so on for a long list of terms. This is excused by saying that brevity is the aim of the America people. So it is, but while the demand at the present time is for short, pointed sayings and writings, all should remember that the loss of a few adjectives is better than a few letters. But our people are very apt to rush from one extreme to the opposite in all things. While much writing can be omitted, we should not adopt the Spartan rule, which made the use of an unnecessary word a crime. There is a happy medium, and for this all should seek, both in talking and writing. The Saxon language can not alone express our modes and combinations of thought, but never use a Romanic word if a Teutonic one will do as well. Let all our words be strictly moral, grammatical, and pure, free from anger or resentment, for many a word unconsciously spoken lives long after the speaker is forgotten.

"Earth can forge no keener weapon,
Dealing surer death and pain,
And the cruel echo answered
Through long years again.

I have known one word hang starlike
Over a dreary waste of years,
And if only shone the brighter
Looked at through a mist of tears.

While a weary wanderer gathered
Hope and heart on life's dark way,
By its faithful promise shining
"Clearer" day by day."

HISTORY.

BY JULIA SNELL.

Class of '75.

Eugene Wilson. Tom Temple,
Ida Peters. Jennie Root,
Allie McCowen. Hattie Clark.
Julia Anderson, Della Whitenack.

Eugene Wilson continued his studies at the Normal. After completing his course, he went to Mt. Pleasant and taught three years. Aug. 29, 1882, he married a Miss Kittie Fessenden. Since then he has been teaching in Vassar and as his salary is to be increased next year, we conclude that he is a successful instructor.

Tom Temple, after graduating went home and lived at his father's in Ridgeway. In 1878, he married Ella Remington, and at present he is living at the old homestead, with his wife and two children.

Ida Peters, in the winter succeeding her graduation, went to Albany for the purpose of studying music. She stayed three months, then returned to Tecumseh where she remained till May of '77, when she married Mr. Frank Marks, and went to Cleveland. At 824 Scranton Ave. you will find the Marks' family, four in number, nicely situated in their own new house.

Jennie Root pursued her studies at the Normal one year, devoting her attention mainly to music. Upon her return to Tecumseh she commenced teaching music, and her success is proven by the number of pupils continually on her list. She has also had charge of the organ in the Episcopal church for several years.

Allie McCowen, like all the other girls, declares that she has no history. She studied music one year. Spent one year with friends in Grand Rapids, and the rest of the time has been at home or in her father's store.

Hattie Clark. All the information that we have been able to obtain concerning this member of the class is in this postal:

CONSTANTINE, June 25.

Miss Snell—Since receiving yours have been unable to write you on account of ill health, and did not know until to-day that the history of which you spoke was to be of '75 particularly. After graduating I taught two years—then married Prof. J. R. Miller in '77. Have taught one year since my marriage. Have kept house the remainder of the time and by "economy of time" and concentration of study have secured the degree of M. S. from Hillsdale College, beside pursuing my work in painting in oil which I began in '76. I wish I might meet the dear old classmates of '75, but this year will be impossible. Trusting that these few facts may arrive in time to aid you somewhat, I am sincerely yours, MRS. J. R. MILLER.

Julia Anderson showed a desire to be independent and earn her pocket money by clerking for one year, in Adamson's jewelry store, and the three succeeding years in W. & S. W. Anderson's dry goods establishment. In October 1880 she married her cousin John Anderson and now devotes her time to her two children.

Della Whitenack stayed at home till 1880 when she went to school at Ypsilanti, but her strength proved insufficient. She was taken ill and brought home to her father's where she died in September of '81.

Class of '76.

Manie Monaghan. Ada Snell.
Allie Collins. Charles Fisher,
Ada Peters. Mary Frazer,
Chas. Fitzsimmons, Livie Wimple,
Arthur Burnett.

Manie Monaghan commenced teaching soon after leaving school, first in the country, afterward in the primary grades of the public schools of this town, under Prof's Fairfield and Hammond. The past year she has filled a position in a grammar school at Lake Linden.

Ada Snell lived at home until her marriage, Feb. 27th, '76, to Mr. James C. Murray. They lived in Tecumseh till the next December, when they moved to Jamestown where they now reside. The death of their only child, a few months ago, was a severe affliction.

Allie Collins has kindly sent a sketch of her life, as we cannot improve it we give it as it is: "A sketch of my life since '76?" Well it has been very common-place indeed, and I can recall nothing in it that would be of interest to the Tecumseh Alumni, yet such as it is I will endeavor to give:

Like most young graduates upon leaving the Tecumseh High School, I had lofty aspirations and thought nothing would satisfy my ambition but a college education, but my parents thought differently, consequently my school days ended in '76. I then gave my attention to what had been in my career a neglected and untried branch of education, but which was nevertheless of the highest importance, namely—the study of Domestic Economy. To break the monotomy of my daily life, I taught school occasionally, having spent six terms in that vocation. I have also taken several trips but none of them very exensive, having never gone farther east than the Japan Islands or west than the Pacific Ocean. The one event which has most affected my life since '76 was the death of my father in 1880. A loss which I have felt mostkeenly. At this writing I am at my home in Macon with my mother and brother, where—Providence permitting—I expect to remain for the next half century. Unlike the majority of the "class of '76" I still maintain a life of single blessedness, preferring it to one of double wretchedness, and so go to swell the ranks of that vast multitude of females who dote on lap-dogs, white cats, cork-screw curls and purple ribbons.

Chas. Fisher passed the vacation on the farm. Then went to AnnArbor, entered the classical course a freshman. Toward the close of the second year his health failed him; he was obliged to leave school and return to his home near Clinton, where he died September 12th, '78, and thus closed what promised to have been an unusually bright career.

Ada Peters went to Detroit in the winter of '76 and received instruction in vocal and instrumental music, and in '77 she entered the M. E. choir of Adrian. In April '78 she married Mr. Mumford, kept her position in the Methodist choir two years, then went into the Episcopal choir for one year. Is now singing in the M. E. church again.

Mary Frazier decided to become a teacher and devoted the most of her time to that occupation till July 19th, '82, when she married Augustine Wright and retired to domestic life.

Mr. Chas. Fitzsimmons lived in Tecumseh till '82, when he went onto a farm near Lansing. In '81 he married Delia Dingman, and from all accounts is a happy man, a proud father of two children.

Livie Wimple in the winter succeeding her graduation, successfully filled a vacancy in a school near Dundee. In '77 she devoted some time to vocal culture and sang in the Presbyterian Church choir. Nov. 27th, '78 she married Lavern Ridwell, and in the winter of '79 sang her first heart felt lullaby. She is living in a pretty new house on Pearl street, and expects to remain there indefinitely.

Arthur Burnett entered AnnArbor college in the fall of '76 graduating in class of '80. The following three years he filled the chair of English Literature in the Mt. Morris College, Ill. Since then he has been in Europe studying, and is at present in Strassburg, Germany.

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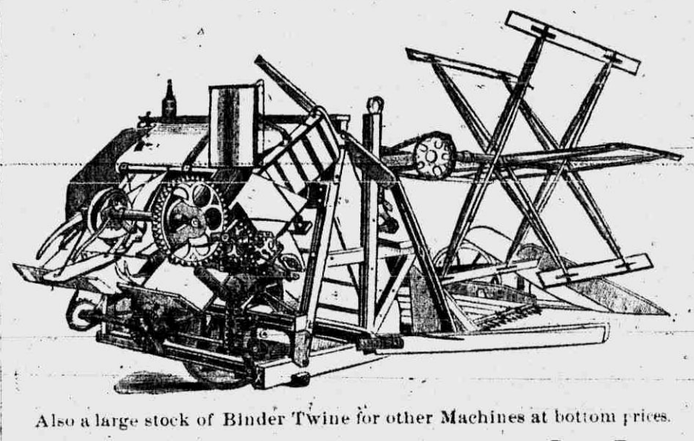

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NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me will please call and settle, on or before the 15th of July, as after that time, all my accounts will be placed in proper hands for collection.
MRS. H. E. STOUT.

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NOTICE.—Having bought the milk business of L. Martin, I desire to inform the public that I shall take charge of the route on the 1st day of July. I shall reduce the price of milk to 6c per quart until further notice. Milk will also be kept on sale at the store at all times. I am also prepared to deliver daily, fresh bread, pies, cakes etc.
SNEDICOR,
Proprietor of City Bakery.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Slayton & Kinney is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and accounts will remain in the hands of J. S. Kinney, who alone is authorized to settle the same.
Dated TECUMSEH, June 11, 1884.
A. W. SLAYTON.
J. S. KINNEY.

NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEIL.

LAWN MOWERS.—I am now prepared to sharpen and repair lawn mowers on short notice. F. P. DEUEL, Novelty Works.

Where are you going to celebrate?

Sid Curtis of Dundee, was in town on Friday last.

Health in this vicinity, in spite of the intensely warm weather, is quite good.

The Tecumseh post office will be closed after 12:30 P. M., Standard time, July 4th.

The next meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., takes place on Friday evening July 11th.

The Free Methodists of Ridgeway will hold their fourth District Quarterly meeting in their church near Ridgeway village beginning July 3rd and continuing over the sabbath. All are invited to attend.

Baker & Hall have just purchased for Dr. Hamilton a set of prescription scales which for beauty and accuracy cannot be surpassed. They are so accurate that the breath of a fly will throw them out of balance.

Adrian Press: Miss Elida James, of Tecumseh, presided at the organ at the class-day exercises, Wednesday at the college, and her effort was very warmly commended and highly appreciated. The young lady is a daughter of Supervisor James, and has musical talent of a high order.

LAST WEEK'S BIG BLAZE.

The conflagation last Thursday afternoon which destroyed the Planing Mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co. was the most disastrous fire that has visited Tecumseh in many months. The total loss will probably approach $20,000, and the insurance is $9,000. This will probably be paid in full, as the total loss is fully double the face of the policies. The adjusters of the companies holding policies all meet the proprietors of the companies here to-day and the loss will be definitely adjusted. The question of rebuilding will then also be decided. The business will undoubtedly be continued here, but whether the company will rebuild on the same corner or buy other property has not been determined as yet. Several of the workmen in the building were injured, two of them seriously. Mr. Morris Primrose and Mr. W. F. Kennedy were both very badly burned. They were in the back part of the shop, and the dense smoke so suffocated them that they reached the stair case with much difficulty and only after tumbling over sash and piles of lumber. All the workmen lost their tools and many articles of clothing. The fire company did valiant service, and saved two or three dwelling houses which would have otherwise been destroyed. Had Mr. Kennedy's house burned it might have taken four more houses South on the same block. The engine was at work from half past two until dark, which gave the capacity of the water tank a thorough test. The water supply was ample, and the tank was probably one third full when the engine ceased work. The property saved from destruction that one afternoon would pay the entire cost of the fire apparatus.

The fire Department have appointed a committee consisting of S. W. Bordine, H. E. Stout, Wm. DeMott, Geo. S. Kies, Fred Rosacrans and W. W. Frasier to interview the Common Council with reference to procuring new hose and with regard to some other matters to promote the efficiency of the Department.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 3, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Do not get drunk to-morrow.

This is rather catching weather for hay makers.

V. B. Crane of St. Louis Mo., is enjoying a brief visit in Tecumseh.

Wool has been marketed here quite freely during the past few days.

The Tecumseh stores will be closed after 11:30 A. M., to-morrow, July 4th.

C. J. Moore, formerly of Tecumseh, now of Detroit was in town over the Sabbath.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, accompanied by his family, is taking a short vacation in Ohio.

James S. Hunt's red, white and blue house on Shawnee street attracts much attention.

Will Tray will pitch for the Mutuals, of Jackson, at the game of base ball here to-morrow.

B. L. Baxter arrived home last week and he will be at home and in Deerfield during the present week.

Miss Lizzie Smith went to Toledo on Wednesday morning for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Wiley, of Chicago, and Mrs. Austin Herrick, of Bangor, are visiting Mrs. James Osborn.

Major Bowen, wife and daughter, of Ypsilanti, were the guests of Capt. A. D. Lawrence two days this week.

The census enumerators have completed their work and are now making their returns to the county clerk.

The Japanese Wedding Ceremony was given in Cincinnati some time since and repeated yielding a net profit of about $1100.

We have received a communication from "A Subscriber," in Macon. If subscriber will give us his real name we shall be pleased to print his item.

Fred B. Wood our census enumerator has completed his task and finds the total population of Tecumseh to be 2325. A very good increase during the last four years.

The next annual meeting of the Southern Michigan Medical Association will convene at the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, on Tuesday, July 8th at 10 A. M.

We were glad to meet Mrs. Thos. R. Lovell, of Chicago, one day last week, who was busily engaged for a few days visiting her many friends in Tecumseh and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lewis returned from their trip in Iowa last Saturday. Mr. D. T. Lewis accompanied them but he remained to spend the summer with his son, Lorengo.

The weevil, that pest of the wheat crop, after an absence of several years, has again made its appearance, and are sufficiently numerous to cause some uneasiness among the farmers in this locality.

Frank Baxter passed the Sabbath with old friends here. He is now engaged as canvasser for R. L. Polk & Co. and expects to begin work in a few days on a new volume of the Michigan State Directory.

A special train will go over the Branch to-morrow to accommodate persons who wish to celebrate at the towns along the line. It will leave Adrian at 7:20 A. M., and will leave Jackson at 6:40 P. M.

There will be a Union service of the Methodist, Baptist, and Presbyterian churches in the Methodist church next Sunday night. Preaching by Rev. W. H. Babbitt, of the Presbyterian church. All are invited.

Dr. Stewart and Gus Slayton are attending the semi annual meeting of the Michigan Flooring & Handle Manufacturing Co., at Summit City. They will also visit Slayton's peach farm at Muskegon on their return.

The first number of the Addison Courier is on our table. It is a neat five column quarto, with a fine show of home news and advertising. Bro. Marvin is bound to deserve success and we have no doubt he will receive it.

Jim Cole, the boss butcher, has donned the white apron and can now be found behind the blocks at the old Headquarters meat market ready to attend to the wants of all. He knows the wants of this community and studies hard to supply them.

Wm. Chiverall met with a serious accident while at work in Brewer's foundry last Monday afternoon. He was engaged in pouring melted iron into a mold, when a spark flew out, striking him in the eye and inflicting a very painful burn. In fact it made him Chiverall over with pain.

The Bills mansion was the scene of a happy family gathering on Tuesday, the occasion being the marriage of Miss Hattie V. Bills and Mr. George Brooks, of East Saginaw. Col. Saviers and family, and Col. Church and family were present, and the old homestead was the scene of a most enjoyable party. The many old friends of Miss Hattie Bills will join us in extending our hearty congratulations. The bridal pair go from here to Saratoga, thence to the sea shore and the White Mountains, for their wedding trip

THE GRADUATING CLASS.

SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT OF THE TECUMSEH HIGH SCHOOL.

The Program in Full as Given at the Opera House on Thursday Evening of Last Week.

The class of '84 numbered six members, four gentlemen and two ladies, of whom May Farley, Mabel Guiwits, and Frank Lamkins graduated in the English Course; Will J. C. Hastings and Earnest L. Shepard in the Latin Course and Edgar L. Ide in the Scientific Course. The program of exercises was fully up to the usual standard and the attendance was larger than usual, if that be possible. As the weather was cool, the immense throng crowded into the Opera House were not half suffocated as frequently happens.

The stage was neatly trimmed with flowers, and the class motto "Step by step we win the heights" appeared on the scene in the rear of the platform. The essays were all well delivered and the musical portions of the program were admirably selected and executed. The floral offerings to the graduates were profuse and beautiful. The task of the ushers in gathering the bouquets was no easy one. The audience retired at ten o'clock in the best of humor, and impressed with the excellence of the evening's entertainment.

PROGRAMME.

Music—Instrumental Duet, Mrs. L. P. Tribou, Miss Jennie Root.
Prayer—Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt.
Music—Quartette—Give me my own Native Isle, Misses. Mabel Hayden, Inez Laing, Messrs Burns, McNair.
Essay—Fancy's Ramble, Mabel Guiwits.
Oration—Law and Liberty, Will J. C. Hastings.
Music—Instrumental Duet—Flotte Bursche, Jennie and Allie McCowen.
Oration—Struggles. Edgar L. Ide
Oration—Free Trade vs. Protection Ernest L. Shepard.
Music—Quartette—Come Where the Cowslip Bloweth. Misses Mabel Hayden, Inez Laing, Messrs. Burns, McNair.
Essay—Happiness, May Farley.
Oration and Valedictory—Wealth, Its Power and Influence, B. F. Lamkins
Music—Solo—Sweet Roses, Miss Mollie Keip.
Presentation of Diplomas—Pres. of Board, D. McNair.
Music—A Night in Venice, Miss Mollie Keip, Mr. C. F. Field.

We present a brief synopsis of the essays as our limited space precludes their publication in full.

FANCY'S RAMBLE.

BY MABEL GUIWITS.

The thought of the essay was an imaginative delineation of life. Infancy was represented as a sylvan lake. Then came the banqueting hall ruled by the goddess of fashion. The next vision was the castle of learning, with three roads leading therefrom, experience, study, and a third which was a combination of the other two. The different travelers on these roads were portrayed. Lastly was old father Time, with his scythe, and a glimpse into the world beyond.

LAW AND LIBERTY.

BY WILL J. C. HASTINGS.

Law and Liberty are terms which might seem opposite in meaning, but this is only apparently so. The character of law and the degree of liberty enjoyed by the people constitute the kind of government. There are three general forms of governments, the despotic, the oligarchic and the republican. The essay illustrated these different forms by historic examples, showing the latter to be the most perfect form in which good law and liberty of the citizen prevail.—Liberty, the encourager of literature, science and art, the promoter of civilization, and the stimulator of patriotism cannot exist unless supported by a code of just law. Those governments, which guarantee full political liberty, are likely to be the most peaceable, orderly and permanent.

STRUGGLES.

BY EDGAR L. IDE.

Sir Joshua Reynolds was such a believer in the force of industry that he believed that excellence in any art might be acquired. Certain it is that many of the most distinguished men in history have begun life in a humble sphere. The greatest men are not those who despise the day of small things, but those who improve their opportunities. The speaker drew historic examples of eminence achieved only after years of struggles. How Columbus discovered America, how our forefathers threw off the British yoke; how Whitney evolved the cotton gin; Robert Fulton the steamboat; Morse, the electric telegraph, and Field the Atlantic cable. The honors are taken by those who succeed. No enemy, no honor. Then let us fight earnestly to gain a name that will live after we are gone.

FREE TRADE VS. PROTECTION.

BY ERNEST L. SHEPARD.

Until within the last half century the protective policy has ruled the world. Free trade has hardly had a chance to try its experiment. Its practical workings may be found to the fullest extent in the trade between the states of our Republic. By constitutional provision no tax or duty can be laid on any article exported from one State into another. The two principles are radically opposite. There can be no compromise between them. The great question now agitating our people is which one will be for the best interest of the land.

HAPPINESS.

BY MAY FARLEY.

We all desire to be happy. It is the aim of every life. Wealth, power, fame and every earthly good are sought because the seeker believes that their possession will bring happiness. The business man, the politician, the scientist all seek the goal of their special ambition expecting to attain happiness beyond. Thus the means of happiness are sought in various directions, and we all look forward to the enjoyment of happiness by and by. All believe in a to-morrow which shall be better than to-day, and "much more abundant." Is it not better to regard the present as the accepted time and make our lives happy while we may. The trivial affairs of life make or mar its happiness, and they come to-day. Whatever comfort and happiness can be obtained from the present, we should thankfully accept and build not upon the hopes of the future.

WEALTH.

BY B. F. LAMKINS.

The tendency of the present time is toward the concentration of wealth. Landed estates are becoming fewer in number and larger in extent. Great railroad monopolies and other like organizations have grown up which control enormous amounts of capital. This concentration of money is an evil, and yet wealth brings many blessings. It is a necessary element in all improvements. It is the foundation on which all business affairs rest. It builds our great cities, erects our schools and colleges, constructs our railroad and steamship lines. There is scarcely a desire of man but what wealth can help to gratify. Pleasure, happiness, and the possession of wealth are with most people synonymous terms. No one can be happy in poverty. How true it is that the love of money is the root of all evil. The speaker then touched upon the evil effects of vast wealth upon public officials, and the corruption that exists in official life. Also the evil resulting from huge moneyed monopolies. The essay closed with a few parting words to teachers and classmates.

LAYING THE CORNER STONE.

The formal ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the new court house took place at Adrian last Saturday afternoon. So far as the literary part of the program was concerned the celebration was a success. Judge Cooley's address was a splendid effort, and the other papers read were both interesting and exactly appropriate to the occasion. The repository in the stone was filled with a large number of interesting documents and copies of all the county newspapers of the current issue. Adrian furnished a fair crowd to witness the exercises, but the surrounding towns were slimly represented. The procession consisted of the Adrian band and the members of the bar, one 2 seated spring wagon and four top buggies.—There are more than a dozen masonic lodges in the county but they were not present. The G. A. R. Posts and military companies did not materialize. The brass bands of the county were detained at home on business.—The Odd Fellows of Lenawee did not appear. The supposition that a committee of citizens had been selected nearly a month beforehand to work up a fitting celebration was evidently erroneous. Such an opportunity for a grand gala day has not occurred since the settlement of the county, and may never occur again, unless some second Silas Doty shall apply the torch to the present building after its completion. Adrian certainly has reason to congratulate herself on the magnificent and elaborate manner in which the celebration as a whole was carried out. Judge Cooley's masterly address, Judge Geddes' interesting sketch, Judge Howell's pleasing "laying of the stone" were worthy of presentation to the largest crowd ever seen in old Lenawee. The people of the county would certainly have responded to the courtesy of an invitation, and a proper effort to accommodate them.

We herewith give a list of the articles deposited in the corner stone and also Judge Geddes' address. Lack of space prevents our giving the other items of the program.

Following is a list of articles which the stone contains:

1. Historical sketch of the Public Schools of the city, compiled by Prof. Wm. H. Payne.
2. Early history of Lenawee county and city of Adrian, by Hon. A. L. Millard.
3. Pamphlet and papers relating to the city of Adrian.
4. Address on Michigan pioneers, by Hon. F. A. Dewey of Cambridge.
5. Proceedings of Lenawee County Board of Supervisors 1883 4.
6. List of county and township officers, prepared by county clerk, T. M. Hunter.
7. History of Church of Christ, Ridgeway.
8. Roster of Scott Post, No. 45, G. A. R., Blissfield.
9. Roster of Blissfield Lodge No. 114, F. & A. M.
10. General review of Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Michigan.
11. List of officers and members of Blissfield Lodge No. 258 I. O. O. F.
12. Calendar of Circuit Court of Lenawee county.
13. Historical sketch of Woodbury Post No. 45 department of Michigan G. A. R.
14. Department of Michigan G. A. R. Roster.
15. Copies of newspapers of the county of current issue, viz: Adrian Times, daily and weekly; Adrian Record, Press, and Union Light; Hudson Post, and Gazette; Morenci Observer, Deerfield Record; Tecumseh HERALD, and News; Blissfield Advance, and the Educational News.
16. Copy of Charter and Ordinances of the city of Adrian.
17. Personal sketch; stenographic and type writing data, by G. W. Larwill, court stenographer.
18. Copies Tecumseh Democrat of Jan. 1, 1926; Tecumseh Village Record of Dec. 17, 1839; Tecumseh HERALD of July 24, 1851, from S. C. Stacy,
19. Calendar of Adrian College.
20. Photograph of phenominal Hairless Calf.
21. Statement in regard to County Treasurer's office, by County Treasurer Jay Hoag.
22. Program of exercises at the laying of the corner stone.
23. List of subscribers to the fund for laying stone.
24. Facts in regard to the old and new Court House, by T. M. Hunter, Esq.
25. Statistics in regard to Probate Court of Lenawee county, by Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
26. Directory of village of Tecumseh for 1883.
27. Photograph of the new Court House, with specifications used in building the same.
28. List of Supervisors of Cambridge, Michigan, from 1836 to 1884, prepared by Hon. C. H. Dewey.
29. Constitution, by-laws and premium list of the Lenawee County Agricultural Society.

These articles were inclosed in a sheet iron box, sealed air tight, and fitted to the cavity in the stone.

JUDGE GEDDES' REMARKS.

The first register of probate was George Spafford (known to all the older residents of the county as cousin George) of Tecumseh.

The second was Dr. Michael A. Patterson, also of Tecumseh.

By virtue of his office the register of probate was also register of deeds; the law at the time requiring deeds or conveyances of land to be recorded in the office of the register of probate of the county in which the lands are located, and the law providing for establishing the office of register of deeds being of later origin.

The first deed on record was recorded February 1st, 1827.

Musgrove Evans, of Tecumseh, was the first judge of probate of Lenawee county, having been appointed to the office by Gen. Cass, then governor of the territory, upon the organization of the county in 1827. At that time the county was embraced in three organized townships—Tecumseh, Logan and Blissfield; Tecumseh at the north, Logan in the center, and Blissfield at the south, extending across the entire county from east to west.

The first probate business performed by Judge Evans, so far as can be ascertained from the records, was an order, made upon application of the late Dr. Michael A. Patterson, praying for the appointment of an administrator upon the estate of Howland Greenhill, deceased, and bears date October 20, 1827.

Nearly a year intervened before a second petition was made, and that was upon estate of William Kedzie, of Blissfield.

Judge Evans held the office seven years, and was succeeded January 1, 1833, by Hon. Seneca Hale, who held the office four years until January 1, 1837. He was succeeded by Alexander R. Tiffany, who held the office from January, 1837, to January, 1845, eight years.

Judge Tiffany was a lawer of learning and ability. He had pursued his legal studies with Hon. John C. Spencer, one of the ablest and best lawyers in New York, and who was subsequently chief justice of the supreme court of that state. Judge Tiffany had some judicial experience before coming to Michigan, holding for some years the office of county judge of Wayne county, N. Y. In 1832, he came to Michigan and settled in the village of Palmyra, which then had every promise of being the future great city of the county. In all the relations of life Judge Tiffany was an honest and true man. He held while living various offices of honor and trust. Among them that of prosecuting attorney, member of the constitutional convention of 1850, was a member of the legislature in 1855, and was the author of several valuable law books. He died in Palmyra, January 14, 1868, having lived a useful and honored life.

He was succeeded by Hon. Consider A. Stacy, who brought to the discharge of the duties of the office, not only talents of the very highest order, but a knowledge of the law, and kindness of heart eminently fitting him for the position. Among the members of the bar of this state very few have occupied a more prominent position than Judge Stacy. Admitted at the age of 20, he commenced the practice of his profession in 1837, in company with Hon. Peter Morey, who afterwards became attorney general of the state. And from the time of his admission to the bar up to the present, has always held a front rank among the lawyers of the state. Among the distinguished men with whom he has been associated as partner, may be mentioned Hon. Fernando C. Beaman, Hon. Thomas M. Cooley, Hon. E. B. Wood, and William A. Underwood, Esq. After his nearly half a century of hard work, he is still engaged in the active practice of his profession. That the people of this county appreciated Judge Stacy, is apparent from the fact that he was three times elected as judge of probate, holding the office for 12 years.

In 1857 he was succeeded by Hon. F. C. Beaman, who, after four years of service, was succeeded by Hon. Robt. R. Beecher. Of all the men who have occupied the position, perhaps Judge Beecher was best known in the county. Of a genial, kindly nature, he made friends wherever he went; sympathetic and warm hearted, he was by nature and habit eminently fitted to counsel those in affliction. He brought to the discharge of the duties of the office, qualities and qualifications rarely found combined in any one man. Nearly all the people of the county personally knew and loved the genial, kindly, jovial and learned Judge Beecher. That this is true, is plainly evident from the fact of his being three times elected judge of probate of the county. He held the office from January 1, 1861, until his death, in 1871. Judge Beecher died in the prime of manhood. For nearly eleven years he was judge of the probate court of this county, by reason of a practice which has, as it were, become settled, in this county, was the counselor and friend of all who had business in his court, doing the work not only of the judge, but counselor as well.

It was to him that the widow in deep distress, the orphan left alone in the cold world, came for counsel, and in their dire distress. It was to him that executors, administrators, guardians, and all, came for instructions and advice. The pressure was too great, the draft upon his sympathies too wearing, and as a result Judge Beecher died before his time. He will always be remembered lovingly by those who knew him.

Judge Beaman, like Judge Beecher, was of a warm hearted, sympathetic nature.

He could but listen to the tales of distress and sorrow that were so often poured into his ears, and his generous heart went out in sympathy to the bereaved orphan and widow, who in their utter inexperience in matters of business and law needed a counselor and friend, as well as legal adviser. And, too, he was an intense worker. The duties of the office had become such as to require constant application and labor. This together with the draft upon his sympathies destroyed his health, rendered him prematurely old, and, he, too, died before his time.

Honest, pure, noble, generous-hearted all man—acting well his part in life's drama.

Upon the death of Judge Beecher, what would be more fitting than that his lifelong friend, that eminent lawyer, a statesman, Hon. Fernando C. Beaman, who had been his predecessor, or should, become his successor, Judge Beaman, who had been judge of probate from January 1, 1857, to January 1, 1861, and in the interim had represented his district and state for ten years in congress, with distinguished honor, was appointed to succeed Judge Beecher, and was elected in 1872 and 1876, and continued to hold the office until the failure of his health rendered him unable to discharge its duties, when, having resigned, Norman Geddes, the present incumbent, was on the 16th day of April 1880, appointed his successor, and at the election in November following, was elected for a term of four years.

Last Friday a game of base ball was advertised between the Ypsilanti and Tecumseh clubs on our grounds, but the Ypsilanti boys failed to come to time. A good crowd had assembled to see the game who were not a little chagrined at the fizzle. To-morrow afternoon a game will be played between the Mutuals, of Jackson, and our club. The Mutuals never back water. People can rely on their being present and can expect a good game.

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Dogs and Curs.

"Fritz" Emmett, the actor, gave, so the free advertisements of that distinguished comedian state, $1,000 for his new dog "Victor." To him who, in the love of nature, holds a boundless reverence for dogs, this may not seem a large price to pay for the biggest dog in the world. And since there must be dogs, it must be owned that the larger, better bred and higher priced dogs are to be preferred. There is a great deal of nobility about a big, well-bred dog. If he does not like you, he does not conceal his dislike. If he growls at you, he walks straight up to you, meets you half way, and shows his teeth right in your face. If he attacks you, he springs at your throat. He will maim you if he can. He may kill you. But he will do it in a brave, direct way. He won't sneak about it. And if the fates have decided that you must take yourself with a dog you rather prefer using a $10 dog. Of course very few men can afford a $1,000 dog, even for his own private biting.

Then there is another kind of dog, which could probably be bought in any market at the rate of about [illegible] dogs for $1. It is a living emolem of utter and contemptible worthlessness. It is a cur, hated by every man save its owner, and the owner is usually as "cornary" as the dog. It is mean, and scurvy, and noisy, and cowardly. If it bites, which it rarely does, it runs after you in the dark and bites your heels. The cur, in his abject vileness, never aspires higher than your heels. If you turn on him and he can not get away, he will kiss your foot, but if you do not see him, he will bite it. His bark is shrill, high-keyed, and can be heard at all hours of the night. He is especially vociferous when a man goes by. He hates as much as he fears anything man or dog, bigger than himself. He always barks from behind the fence and always knows a hole under the house, where he can run and hide. He is hard to hit; if you kick at the dog, you only strain your leg. If you stoop, he will yelp and run and still run and yelp, as though he already felt the stone you did not reach. He is, as it were, raw proof. But he is comparatively harmless. He is base, vile, dirty, and irritating, but his native cowardice keeps him from getting close enough to a man to bite him unless the night is very dark. Everybody hates a cur.

My son, there are curs who wear the raiment of civilization and go upright on their hind legs. If you were a cur, the dog would love you. The moment you begin to rise above them, and they see you are a man, the whole pack will yelp and snarl at your heels. Do not waste time on them, my son. You mustn't kill them, and they don't hurt you. Move on in your own way, mingle only with men, and let the cur yelp for the mean pleasure of the cheaper cur that owns him. Don't waste time on the dog, my boy. There are none in heaven "or without," saith the Good Book, "are dogs," and the fiercest kind of a man is the meanest kind of a dog.—*Bardette, in Burlington Hawkeye.*

Alexander Dumas, the Elder.

Dumas was a great school-boy, who hid under his good humor and boisterous gayety more common sense and true wisdom than fell to the lot of ninety-nine out of every hundred. He was the type of a free lance, who proved the rules of conventionality to be stupid, of a pleasure seeker who might serve as a model to all industrious workers, of a knight-errant ever in quest of the adventures of chivalry, politics and war, who had studied, for his share alone, more than three convents of Benedictines. He was the image of a prodigal who, having squandered thousands in reckless liberalities, left behind him, unconsciously, the heritage of a King. His was the radiant face of an egotist who devoted his whole life to his mother, his children, his friends, his country; of a comrade and easy-tempered father, who threw the reins on his son's neck, and who, nevertheless, had the exceptional good fortune to see himself reproduced while living by one of the best and most illustrious men whom France has ever applauded. His books will be read after his comedies and dramas shall have been withdrawn from the stage. For an age and longer his entrancing stories, wherein life's action never languishes, the style is limpid and brilliant as the crystal of a spring well, and the dialogue crackles like green wood on a fire, will continue to be the joy of the young, the distraction of the old, a refreshment for the wearied, a consolation for the ailing, a delight for all. I have known mature men passably occupied myself, for instance—forget themselves an entire night in the company of the "Chevalier de Maison-Rouge" or the "Mohicans de Paris." I still hear my children quarreling in friendly guise because one has not yet finished the second volume of "Monte Cristo," when the other, who is awaiting his turn, has arrived at the end of the first. From this I conclude that Dumas has lost nothing of his freshness since the days gone far in the by-gone now when he nearly caused the death of one of my school companions. He was a little Spaniard, an *interne* at the pension Massin; he was sleepless, had lost his appetite, and was gradually wasting away as if stricken with home-sickness. Sarcey, who was in the same class and had conceived a friendship for him, asked him one day: "Is it your mother you wish to see?" "No," answered the child, "she is dead." "Your father, then?" "He used to beat me." "Your brothers and sisters?" "I have none." "Why, then, are you so anxious to get back to Spain?" "To finish a book I began reading in the vacation." "What is the name of it?" "Los Tres Mosquieteros." The poor child had the nostalgia of the "Trois Mousquetaires."—*Tinsley's Magazine.*

About thirty monkeys in the Zoological Garden, Philadelphia, died of consumption last winter. *Philadelphia Press.*

—Dr. Handsmith, of London, has discovered a process by which color on marble may be rendered imperishable.

Deep or Shallow Plowing.

The great difference of opinion which exists as to the proper depth to plow land is caused mainly by the fact that no rules can be laid down that will apply to all soils; the fact is, no two fields are alike, therefore every field must be judged by itself; hence the importance of always having the plow guided by a hand that is controlled by intelligence. There are some general principles which, if the farmer would make himself familiar with, he would be able to judge more correctly as to what depth each lot of land should be plowed. It is well to ever keep in mind the fact that nature puts the richest soil at the top, and gradually increases the depth of the richness by adding to the surface. Man, being impatient at nature's slow ways, takes the work into his own hands and attempts to do in one year what it would require nature hundreds of years to do; he does not adopt nature's method, but instead placing the richness on the surface, he puts the plow in and turns the surface under, and at the same time mixes with the soil some fertilizing materials; the result of this at first is to make the upper portion of the soil poorer than before, so that by thus deepening the soil it is done partially at the expense of the surface richness.

It must be evident to every thoughtful person that in our efforts to deepen the soil we ought, if possible, to avoid doing it at the expense of the surface, but should endeavor to increase its richness rather than diminish it. To do this the plow should be run only a trifle below the soil made rich by nature, or by the application of fertilizers. To attempt to deepen a soil more than two inches a year is to attempt what, as a rule, will prove to be an injury to the crop, unless the first six inches of the soil has been made very rich by previous heavy dressings of manure. A soil that has but a few inches on the suface that is rich enough for plant growth, should be plowed very shallow, and deepened but very little at first, if it is expected to get even a fair crop, but land that is already very rich to the depth of more than six inches, may be plowed quite deep, not only with safety, but to advantage. Much depends on the condition of the land and on what the farmer desires to do; if he does not care to enrich his land beyond what its present condition is, he will not attempt to plow the enriched soil, whatever may be its depth, but if his aim is to get his farm in a better condition, he will not only apply more manure than his crop requires, but he will also plow a little deeper each year.

The great mistake is often made by plowing a light soil eight or ten inches deep, when the depth of the soil rich enough for plant growth is not more than four inches; the result of such operation is to turn four to six inches of dead soil to the top, where the roots of the young plants are expected to get their food, and to bury all of the prepared plant food below where it will be united with the air to be conveyed to the growing plants. Thus the crop fails to get as much food as it would if the land had not been plowed more than five inches in depth. Even a liberal application of manure, mixed with the dead earth, will not bring the soil into that condition best adapted for plant growth, because there will not be that fine vegetable mould which plants require to make a vigorous growth, and the manure applied does not decompose rapid enough to furnish plant food as soon as required by the young plants. To prepare the subsoil for rapid plant growth requires time; the simply mixing of small or large quantities of manure with it will not change it at once, but it will be very gradual, requiring several years, therefore it is important that only a very small quantity of the subsoil should be brought to the surface in any one year.

In deepening a soil that is shallow to start with, if economy is to be considered, only such crops should be grown as are adapted to a shallow soil. To attempt to grow a crop of beets or carrots on a soil that is to be plowed only five inches deep, would be very poor management, but Indian corn might be grown on such soil with success. Farmers who have a thin soil that has never been worked deep, are generally opposed to deep plowing, because whenever they plow a field deep it has resulted in a less crop; while farmers who have a deep rich soil believe in deep plowing, they get a much larger crop than their neighbors do by shallow plowing. The reason of this difference is very plain when we understand the different conditions of the soils, and also the different requirements of the crops to be grown.

If the farmer with a poor thin soil would begin in earnest to enrich it by liberal applications of manure, and a very gradual deepening of the soil, he would in time become an advocate of deeper plowing, because he would find that his crops were better than when he plowed light. That there is a depth beyond which it is not profitable or desirable to plow, there can be little doubt, nor is there any doubt but some crops require the land to be worked deeper than others, therefore the farmer has many points to learn before he can know just how deep each field should be plowed, as well as to know how many years he should occupy in deepening the soil and enriching it to the proper depth.

Only a thorough knowledge of plant growth, and of the character of the different soils, together with close observation and long practice, will enable him to plow each field the depth which may prove to be the most profitable for the particular crop it is desired to grow.—*Massachusetts Ploughman.*

—A Philadelphia dispatch says the recent association of superintendents of insane asylums passed resolutions declaring that one-third of our insane people are brought here by foreign immigration, and urging Congress to give attention to this subject, that immigration laws may be enacted, which, while not measurably obstructing the immigration of healthy and self-dependent persons, will effectually prevent the immigration and exportation to our ports of the defective classes of Europe and Asia.

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Jackson	6 40 "	2 32 "	2 00 "
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Norvell	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Tecumseh	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Adrian	10 22 "	6 42 "	...
Detroit	9 02 "	5 17 "	...
Toledo	...	...	...

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	...
Detroit	10 22 "	7 57 "	...
Adrian	11 12 "	8 32 "	4 42 A.M.
Adrian	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 49 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
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A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
5 30	3 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 04	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 34	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 51	11 52	...Ridgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 22	7 11	12 13	...Tecumseh...	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	7 55	12 00	....Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	...Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
	P.M.					
10 22	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P.M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 30
11 25	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 40	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P.M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P.M.
1 00	8 40	1 52	....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
1 25	9 00	2 22	....Marshall....	12 27	7 32	10 15
1 48	9 22	2 41	....Ceresco....	12 25	7 19	9 46
2 20	9 50	2 56	Battle Creek.	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 35		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
4 52		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
5 10		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 22		3 57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
5 32		4 16	....Monteith....	10 49		6 15
5 50		4 27	....Fisk....	10 39		5 55
5 54		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 23		5 40
6 5		4 45	Ar...Allegan...Lv	10 20		5 15
P.M.				A.M.		A.M.

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	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Ionia	...	9 53	4 01
Portland	10 28	10 33	4 39
Muncie	10 51	10 51	4 51
Bunker	...	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 4
Kinderhook	...	11 35	5 26
North Manchester	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fairfield	...	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bluffton	...	12 48	6 39
Butler	1 43	1 07	7 00
Kendallville	...	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	...
	P. M.	A. M.	
Butler	2 40	8 05	2 25
Kendallville	3 06	8 45	...
Bluffton	3 20	8 57	3 05
Montpelier	3 52	9 28	...
North Manchester	4 04	9 40	3 46
North Fairfield	4 17	9 53	...
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Bunker	4 52	10 30	...
Muncie	5 08	10 50	4 52
Portland	5 33	11 11	5 15
Ionia	5 41	11 18	...
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The secret of making good ice cream of any grade, lies in the freezing. The old way of freezing cream, which is still in use among small confectioners, consisted of occasionally stirring the cream while it was freezing in a tin can, set in a tub of ice and salt. A more easy and expeditious method is within the reach of the average housekeeper in these days of patent freezers. The same principle underlies all the best known patents, i. e., the mixing of the cream by a wooden beater, which revolves inside the can by the same motion that slightly changes the position of the can in the outer tub of ice and salt. This freezing mixture should be composed of three parts of crushed ice to one of coarse salt, of which care should be taken that it does not reach high enough around the sides of the can to penetrate to the interior, and so spoil the cream: the water formed in the outer tub by the melting of the freezing mixture need not be drawn off while the cream is being frozen unless it is likely to get into the can, because the water is intensely cold. If it is desired to pack the cream after it is frozen, the water may be drawn off and enough more ice and salt placed around the can to reach nearly to the top. Ice cream packed in this way can be kept over night, or longer, if the freezing mixture is properly renewed. When ice cream is "molded" or packed in the molds of fancy shapes all the openings should be closed with butter, or oiled paper fitted about the apertures of the mold with paste or gum tragacanth.

Ice creams of the most ordinary sort are made with milk thickened with arrowroot or corn starch, in the proportion of a table-poonful to a quart, dissolved in cold water, and then boiled in milk, which is cooled, sweetened and flavored before it is frozen. The sort of ice cream usually made at home is composed of milk, with a small proportion of cream, with eggs and sugar added to it; for instance, dissolve half a pound of sugar in a quart of milk; place it over the fire and let it heat to boiling point; meantime beat three eggs to cream, pour the boiling milk into them and then return to the fire and stir until it begins to thicken; then at once remove it from the fire; stir until it is smooth; then flavor it, cool it, and when it is cool freeze it according to directions given. Frozen custard is made in the same way, only five eggs at least are added to a quart of milk.

French ice cream, thick and yellow, is made by boiling a quart of cream with a long vanilla bean, and then cooling and straining it; then the yolks of two eggs are beaten smooth with three-quarters of a pound of sugar; the flavored cream is then mixed with the eggs and stirred over the fire until it begins to thicken; directly the cream begins to thicken take it from the fire, and stir it for five minutes then cool it and freeze it. —*Juliet Corson.*

How Ben Hardin Fooled a Literary Society.

"Ben Hardin was a brilliant fellow, and he had a strong sense of humor. When he was elected to Congress in 1815 he had already served several terms in the Kentucky Legislature, and was noted throughout the State as a lawyer. He started, however, for Washington dressed in the rough clothing of a frontier State, and he wore the slouch hat and the long buff overcoat of the West. As he was passing through Virginia two young smart-looking fellows overtook him and fell into conversation with him. Hardin saw at their first words that they took him for a greenhorn, and he put on such manners and accent as to confirm their illusion. The meeting took place within a few miles of the town where they were to stop for the night. In the course of the conversation the young bloods told him there was to be a literary society meeting that night, and that if he would attend he might hear some fine speaking, and at this point one of them slyly winking to the other, said: "And perhaps, stranger, you will join the debate yourself?"

"I don't know," replied Hardin. "I have spoke some in old Kaintucky. What mought your question be?"

The question was not new to him. It was one of the leading ones of the day—a political issue upon which he was thoroughly posted. As old Ben Hardin heard it, however, he shook his head and said: "Boys, you will hev to excuse me on thet. I ain't up on thet subject. Now, if it was whether pursuit was better than possession, or some of our old subjects, I allow I'd tackle ye. But about this yere politics I don't know."

After much persuasion, however, he promised the young men that he would attend and he "would say suthin' anyhow." The party separated at the hotel, and the young fellows went off laughing at the fun they expected to have that night. They told their friends, and in a short time the whole town knew of the green Kentuckian's arrival, and when the literary society opened every seat was filled. The exercises went off quietly until the debate commenced, when every one looked at Hardin. He sat quietly until the close. The two young fellows made their speeches, and very fair ones, too. As the second one closed and Mr. Hardin arose, each one in the audience nudged his neighbor, and every face was ready to smile. Their expressions changed however, as old Ben took up the subject and treated it most eloquently. He tore to pieces the speeches of the young fellows who had tried to play the trick on him, and as he was finishing the two were so bored that they got up and left. He referred to them as they went and closed a terrible eloquent peroration by telling the society that he was a Kentucky member of Congress on his way to Washington. At this the society gathered round him and wanted to shake his hand. He chatted with them for a while, and the remainder of his visit was an ovation. The whole town came out to the hotel the next day to see him off, and the smart young fellows were the laughing stock of all. —*Cleveland Leader.*

—A Stratford (Conn.) woman dreamed that she saw her husband kissing a neighbor's wife. She awoke and struck him in the face, breaking his nose.—*Hartford Post.*

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

—Two Western inventors have recently obtained patents for the use of sawdust instead of sand in plastering compositions.

—An Ontario village is lighted with gas made from sawdust, said to be equal to coal gas and free from sulphur.—*Montreal Witness.*

—A man at Enterprise, Miss., has taken out a patent for an invention for hitching a horse to a buggy without any harness except the collar.

—Glass is becoming fashionable as a protection to oil paintings, and as a safeguard against moths and damp, the backs of valuable pictures are covered with rubber cloth.—*Boston Globe.*

—Dr. Wilson, in the *Medical News*, claims to have obtained much better results from the use of the internal membrane of hens' eggs for healing large surfaces in wounds than from either human or rabbit skin.

—Two cases have been reported to an English medical society in which the electro-magnet has been successfully used for removing pieces of iron from the eye. Without the magnet it is thought that the sight of the injured eye must have been lost in each case.

—An exchange says that "by means of an ingenious instrument invented by Dr. Lombard of New York, it is ascertained that a woman's body is warmer than that of a man by three-fourths of a degree, and sometimes as high as one-half a degree, while in no instance has the warmth of a male's body been found to be greater than that of a female."

—The time required for the formation of mineral veins appears to be much less than has been generally supposed. A ditch which was filled up two years ago with common clay containing iron, has just been opened again by Dr. Fleitman, who has found, to his great surprise, that the clay has become white and is permeated by racks filled with compact iron pyrites, these veins being from a twenty fifth to a sixth of an inch in thickness.—*N. Y. Mail.*

—A model of a novel canal-boat has been placed on exhibition by a Cleveland inventor. The boat is to be propelled by a screw, so geared that it can be made to turn by horses or mules traveling in a circle in their stable in the boat. The inventor claims that abundant power can be had in this manner, and that a large saving can be effected, particularly in river towing bills and by the reduction of help; that it would be cheaper than the present method of towing even though no better time were made, but he is confident that four or five miles an hour can be accomplished.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—Hitherto it has puzzled eminent surgeons to account for sudden death caused by apparently inadequate wounds in the heart, such as those made by the pick, without penetration even of a needle. Herr Schmey, a student of the Physiological Institute, Berlin, has, however, discovered that when a needle pricks a certain small spot on the lower border of the upper third of the septum cordis, quite instantaneously the movements of the heart are arrested and forever set motionless in death.

—If any one doubts that the Americans are an inventive people, let him examine the Patent Office reports, which few, however, will do, as they would rather accept the newspaper statements as veritable than wade through a library of shelved and dusty volumes. The patents granted by the Government reach to the enormous number of nearly 300,000. There have been no less than 6,680 patents obtained on the plow alone, about as many on the harvester, and over 8,000 on stoves and furnaces. It sounds singular, in this connection, to hear that 809 separate and distinct ways have been discovered of making a corset.—*Washington Star.*

PITH AND POINT.

—Disparage and deprecate no one: an insect has feeling and an atom a shadow.—*Fuller.*

—An Alabama letter-carrier has just delivered a letter written in 1850. It is not known what reason there is for this extreme haste.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—It has been discovered that the American translation of Nitaw-eg-Ebow, the name of the Indian pedestrian, is Young man-afraid-of-blistering-his-feet.

—"Yes" sighed a broken-down man who had given his signature to oblige a friend, "the most foolish thing I ever did in my life was to learn to write my own name.—*N. Y. Commercial Adviser.*

—A correspondent writes to a country paper that by using phosphate he has had the best corn he ever raised. We have never tried phosphate, but we have found a pair of tight boots to be a very effective corn raiser.—*Buffalo Express.*

—Dumley came into the dining-room and, casting a sweeping glance over the table, ambled down into his chair, and muttered under his breath, "Liver again, of course. We've had liver every morning for two weeks." "What's the matter, Mr. Dumley?" asked the landlady, "aren't you feeling well this morning?" "No, madam," he replied, shortly. "I am suffering with liver complaint.—*Pittsburg Call.*

—"Bridget," said Mrs. Wigglesworth to the new kitchen lady from Messina, "you may lay the table." "Is thy servant a hen that he should do this thing?" queried Mr. Wigglesworth, facetiously, as the door closed. "Why not?" returned his wife, for once coming to time, "she is a Biddy." And Mr. Wigglesworth said "H'm!" and went out to see if his sweet peas were coming up, and found that with the assistance of the neighbor's hens they were.—*Rockland Courier-Gazette.*

—What is my opinion of prudence? It is the head on a nail which prevents it being driven too far in.....What is my opinion of affectation? It is a cheap chromo "touched up" to look like an oil painting.....What is my opinion of bragadocio? It is a linen collar with the starch washed out of it.....What is my opinion of intemperance? It is a fire we kindle in ourselves without a dollar's worth of insurance on the premises.—*Merchant Traveler.*

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In the Hop Porous Plaster the virtues of Fresh Hops are combined with strengthening and stimulating balsams, and its cures of Weak Back, Pain in the Side, Rheumatism and Neuralgia or Pain in the Chest, are simply marvelous, it being more efficacious and thorough than any liniment or liquid remedies. You'll say so after using.

A Charlotte horse has been attacked with hydrophobia, the result of a dog bite received a few days ago, and the mayor has ordered all dogs in the city to be muzzled or shot.

Persons whose lungs are impaired or have throat diseases should not go to the seashore, as the air is always poisonous to such troubles. Use Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure; it cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, asthma, influenza, and all throat and lung diseases. Montgomery & Co., druggists, Decorah, Iowa, says: "We are having a run on Positive Cure. It gives universal satisfaction." Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free of Bakes & Hall.

The Courtright salt well, opposite St. Clair, is down over 1,600 feet, and the borers think it is about time to strike the salt rock, as the Marine City Co. struck salt at 1,633 feet.

HUMAN BLOOD.—On the purity and vitality of the blood depend the vigor and health of the whole system. Disease of various kinds is often only the sign that nature is trying to remove the disturbing cause. A remedy that gives life and vigor to the blood, eradicates scrofula and other impurities from it, as Hood's Sarsaparilla undoubtedly does, must be the means of preventing many diseases that would occur without its use. Sold by dealers.

The Port Huron Blaine and Logan club will blow in $600 in building a wigwam in which to worship the plumed knight and the Big Injun from Illinois.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles; tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

During the past year Elisha and Sally Farnum, of Almont, died, aged 93 and 91 years, respectively. They had been married 72 years.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

About 130,000 pounds of wool, ranging in price from 24 to 29 cents per pound, have been marketed at Charlotte the present season.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles; Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

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Hope college has more hope this year than ever before. For some years it had not hope except in name, and existed mainly on faith.

Remarked by R. C. Joiner, Allen P. O. Hillsdale Co., Mich.: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

The Rev. Chas. E. Piper, formerly of Pittsfield, N. H., but now of Wakefield, R. I., writes: "My wife had been an invalid for years but Baxter's Mandrake Bitters cured her." N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixir always cures coughs, colds and consumption, when taken in season. Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment, for strains, bruises, cuts, swellings, old sores &c., is excellent.

A new catholic church is to be built at Roscommon.

Hay Fever and Rose Cold.

I can recommend Ely's Cream Balm to relieve all persons suffering from Rose Cold and Hay Fever. I have been a great sufferer from these complaints and have used it. I have recommended it to many of my friends for Catarrh, and in all cases where they have used the Balm freely they have been cured.—T. Kennedy, Dry Goods Merchant, Ithaca, N. Y.

A salvation army recruit was run in for being drunk at Port Huron. It takes a deal of grace to get the whiskey out of some folks.

DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder. The statesman made on each label "Made from Grape Cream Tartar and Bi-Carb Soda only. No filling whatever." It cannot be disproved. Test it, try it, and you will use no other. It will make the most delicious pastry is always sure, full weight! healthful and economical.

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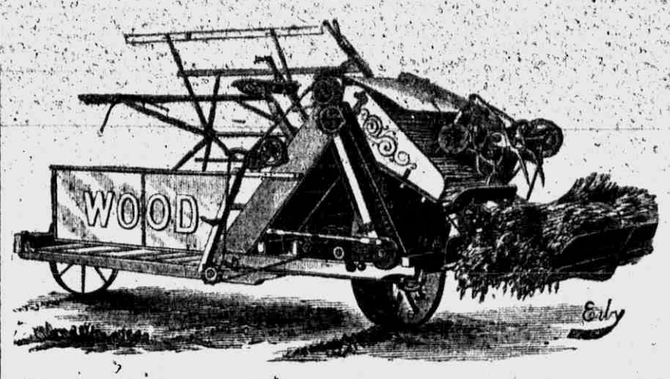

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WILL CLEANSE WITHOUT RUBBING.

You can do a large washing without any rubbing; use the boiling process instead. You can save Time, Labor, Fuel, Soap and Clothing.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

Cut up fine and dissolve one half bar in half gallon of hot water. Pour half this dissolved soap into a tub with just sufficient hot water to cover a boiler full of clothes. Then put the clothes in to soak, **rubbing plenty of soap in the most soiled parts.** Be sure that the soaking water is hot; soak the clothes half an hour; stir them occasionally so that they may get the full benefit of the hot suds; pour the remainder of the dissolved soap into the boiler, adding sufficient water to cover the clothes; wring them lightly out of the suds. **Soap the stained spots** and place **loosely** in the boiler; boil ten to fifteen minutes, rinse well, blue and hang to dry. **Do not crowd the boiler too full.** The same boiling water may be used for further boiling by adding a little soap to each boiler-full of clothes. Flannels and prints should not be boiled, only a little rubbing required after soaking. This soap will cleanse clothing as thoroughly as any other without the use of the boiler. We prefer and recommend the boiling process as in itself a cleansing process, saving labor, the wear of the washboard, and being **the best disinfectant known, it is easier to boil the dirt out than to rub it out.** You can cleanse perfectly the **finest** fabric without injury; the **finest point lace** and **lace curtains.** Soak point lace in hot suds made with this soap, press water out with the hand; boil ten minutes in clean suds made with this soap, rinse thoroughly, press carefully between the folds of a towel, roll in a dry towel, and iron between pieces of old flannel. Soak curtains ten to fifteen minutes and boil ten minutes, rinse, stretch on frame, starch every scallop to curl, cover with a sheet to dry; no ironing required.

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CONGRESS.

The Committe on Public Lands Submit a Report Forfeiting Unearned Lands Granted to Northern Pacific.

The Retirement of the Trade Dollar—A Bridge Across the Missouri at St. Paul—Violating the Internal Revenue Laws.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Mr. Slater, from the Committee on Public Lands, submitted to the Senate a report to accompany the bill forfeiting unearned lands granted the Northern Pacific Railroad. The report, he said, was not unanimous and the minority would submit its views.

Mr. Morgan, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported adversely the bill to grant public lands to the survivors of the Mountain Meadow massacre. Mr. Morgan said the committee was satisfied if a valid claim existed against the Government arising out of the massacre, it was not a claim that should be compensated in public lands, but in money. Calendar.

Mr. Cameron, of Pa., called up his resolution heretofore submitted, discharging the Finance Committee from further consideration of the bill for the retirement and recoinage of trade dollars. On motion to agree to the resolution Mr. Morrill called for the yeas and nays, which resulted—yeas 21, nays 28—and was not agreed to.

The Secretary of the Sen to was directed to ask a recall from the House of the bill to grant the right of way to the Southern Kansas Railroad Company through Indian Territory, in order that the Senate may order a committee conference on it.

In the House Mr. Washburn submitted the conference report on the bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi at St. Paul, agreed to.

Mr. King introduced a bill appropriating $400,000 to prevent the introduction of cholera in the United States.

In the Iowa contested election case of Frederick vs. Wilson the House Committee on Elections, by a vote of 6 to 5, decided to report in favor of Frederick.

Mr. Randall introduced a joint resolution providing that all appropriations for the necessary operations of Government under the existing laws, which shall remain unprovided for after June 30, 1884, shall be continued and made available for a period of five days from and after that date unless the regular appropriation bills now pending shall have been previously enacted and passed.

In the conference report on the Indian Appropriation bill to appropriate $6,500,000, the House provision for the abolition of the office of inspector and detail five army officers to act as inspectors, was stricken out.

The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Fortification bill.

The Senate took up the House bill to limit to two years the time within which prosecutions may be instituted against persons charged with violating the internal revenue laws. It was amended by substituting three years for two and passed.

Bills reported favorably and placed on calendar: To provide for the sale of land belonging to prairie bands of Pottawattamie Indians, Kansas, for the erection of a public building at Akron, Ohio, increasing from $100,000 to $175,000 the amount heretofore allowed for the public building at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of the River and Harbor bill.

A reduction proposed by the Senate Committee in the amount for continuing the improvement of the Kentucky River from $250,000 to $172,000 was disagreed to and the original sum restored.

The debate was then suspended while the House joint resolution was passed providing for the continuance of the present appropriations for five days from June 30.

Forest Fires Doing Great Damage in New England.

BANGOR, Me., July 1.—Heavy forest fires have been raging in the woods at Brownville along the line of the Katahdin Iron Works Railroad. The fire is in the woods prostrated by the gale last fall, and is spreading rapidly. Fires are also reported at Forestville on the European & North American division of the Maine Central.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., July 1.—A fire is raging on Gaylock's Mountain near Adams. Many acres of valuable woodland have been destroyed, and the fire threatens the houses near the boundary line.

QUEBEC, Ont., July 1.—Heavy bush fires are raging in Saguenay district. Fourteen houses were burned at Bale St. Paul.

Burning of an Orphan Asylum.

CINCINNATI, July 1.—St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, situated six miles south of Newport, Ky., caught fire before noon yesterday from a defective kitchen flue and burned to the ground. The church near by was also demaged. The loss to the asylum is $15,000, two-thirds insured. The asylum was in charge of eight sisters of Notre Dame, with fifty-four boy inmates. Although the flames extended rapidly, the boys saved most of their personal effects and walked into Newport this evening, where they are temporarily cared for. The asylum will be rebuilt.

Drowned While Drunk.

ALLIANCE, O., June 30.—A colored man named William Barrett was drowned Sunday in the Mahoning River. He was about forty-five years old and was a resident of Salem. A flask of whisky was found in his boat, indicating that he was probably drunk. The body was soon recovered and an inquest will be held to-morrow.

Breaking Through a Temporary Bridge.

KEOKUK, Ia., July 1.—A construction train on the Chicago, Burlington & Kansas City Railroad went through a temporary bridge over Grand River, near Sumner, Mo., last night. The engine, five cars and the caboose are in the bed of the stream. Ten men are reported missing and others injured.

A Burning Oil Tank.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 1.—A tank containing 20,000 barrels of benzine, at the Crystal Oil Works of the Standard Company, caught fire at nine o'clock last night and is still burning. Several large tanks of oil surround it and it is feared the flames will spread. The loss is estimated at $20,000.

Embezzlement.

BALTIMORE, July 1.—Charles Daughrty, for the embezzlement of money orders in the postoffice, was held for trial in September.

Overcame With Shame.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—John Caldwell shot Mary Kelly dead yesterday for reproaching him with drunkenness. Caldwell was arrested.

GORED BY A BULL.

An Erie County Farmer Torn to Pieces by a Vicious Animal.

SANDUSKY, O., July 1.—A farmer named John Cruise, aged about sixty years, and who resided near Port Clinton, was gored to death on his farm by a bull yesterday. Cruise had only recently purchased the animal, and did not suppose that it was vicious. Having occasion to go from one portion of his farm to another, he started to go "across lots," entering the pasture where the bull was kept. Cruise was simply attired, having on nothing but a straw hat, a red undershirt and a pair of dark red overalls. It is supposed that the bull became enraged at the sight of the shirt and overalls and commenced furiously attacked Cruise, rushing madly upon him from behind, one of the animal's horns striking him just above the left hip and penetrating his body the full length of the horn. Cruise was thrown to the ground, and was then gored and mangled in a terrible manner, the bull using its horns and feet alike. When the body was recovered, a few minutes later, it presented a sickening sight. The deceased leaves a wife, two sons and a daughter. His funeral took place to-day.

Railroad News.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—The main lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad cleared the obstructions caused by the storm and is again open.

The Central Division of the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore Railroad reopened yesterday afternoon.

The Reading Railroad officials announce that they will pay the interest due to-morrow on the general mortgage loan, in other securities, but the payment of the interest on convertible and debentures bonds, the adjustment scrip and junior bonds of the Susquehanna Canal Company have not been considered.

Feared Mob Violence.

FORT WORTH, TEX., July 1.—Charles Herring, the murderer of Dr. B. W. Barradan, was captured Saturday night about five miles north of Fort Worth, and brought to the city. Immediately after crowds began to congregate about the corners and talk of lynching Herring. At twelve o'clock the Sheriff telephoned from the jail that he feared an attack. The jail is heavily guarded, and if an attack is made there will be some bloody work.

Life Sentence for Shooting His Son.

NEW PHILADELPHIA, O., July 1.—John W. Bremer, who was convicted of shooting his son while intoxicated, near Port Washington, in February last, was sentenced by Judge Pearce yesterday morning to the penitentiary for life. John Lawrence, who had just finished a seven years term for burglary, was sentenced by the court for five years for a similar crime.

Dying to Prevent a Mother's Suicide.

HELENA, M. T., July 1.—Yesterday afternoon Mrs. C. E. Kemp, while ill and in great pain, attempted to shoot herself. Her daughter Ella, twenty years old, tried to take the pistol away, when it was discharged, the bullet passing through the daughter's brain, killing her instantly.

Melting Snow in Colorado.

DENVER, Col., July 1.—Reports from the mount in districts throughout the State show all the streams higher than ever before known, caused by the melting snow, which is in some places still five to ten feet deep. The railroads are the principal losers.

An Evangelist Killed by Lightning.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 1.—A thunder storm of great violence visited this city yesterday morning. Evangelist Gaynon was killed by lightning in bed, and other members of his family were injured in the same room while asleep.

The Federal Bank Solvent.

TORONTO, July 1.—A committee of bank men has found the Federal Bank entirely solvent and G. W. Yarger, of the Bank of Montreal, has been chosen general manager.

—Believers in the faith cure now have an organ. It is a monthly journal called the *Triumph of Faith*.

—The women in the smithy town of Lye Waste, England, work in the shops, and are often more muscular than the men.

—Water melons are a profitable crop in Georgia and other Southern States, and an average return of $150 per acre is not uncommon.—*N. O. Picayune.*

—In a recent document put forth by the Associated Charities of Boston, it is stated that the four causes of poverty are drunkenness, ignorance, laziness and pride.—*Boston Post.*

—All the feminine ignorance is not monopolized in this country. It was a London girl who asked if an apiary were not a place in which they kept monkeys.—*N. Y. Mail.*

—The young woman of the period has a deal of responsibility. Dr. Howard Crosby says: "If all young ladies were what they should be, we'd never see a dude or a dog cart."—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Patent benches which can be closed and locked at night, are favored for public use in the down-town parks in New York, where the old benches were used as beds for tramps and loafers. Commissioner Weil favors charging a cent or two for the seats, after the custom in Paris.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The Black Butte and Moccasin "Round up," Montana, have offered a bounty of $8 per head for all bears killed on their ranges. This, in addition to the regular territorial bounty of $8, will make bear killing a profitable industry, as a good large bear will be worth, besides the bounty, about $75.

—A man, during a life-time of fifty years, according to a paper recently read before the Academy of Sciences, Paris, sleeps away an aggregate of 6,000 days, works away the same period, eats away 2,000 days, walks away 800 days, and amuses himself the remainder of his half century on earth.

—The most successful counterfeit of the dime is said to be made of glass mixed with some base metal by a process unknown to ordinary workers in metal and glass. The counterfeit looks exactly like the genuine ten-cent piece, but on being struck with a hammer it is crushed to pieces.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Dried leaves of the bitter orange tree are much used by the inhabitants of South America as a household remedy. An infusion of the leaves is regarded in Brazil as a specific for sick headache, flatulence, indigestion, hysteria, spasms, recent colds and chills and fever. Its free use is considered to promote perspiration.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, June 25, 1884.

At this adjourned session of the Council. Present the entire council.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and upon motion were so amended as to include the name of Arnold Bros. in the Marshal's report as being persons violating the law by keeping their saloon open after ten o'clock at night.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills reported and referred to the Finance Committee:

Sarah Abbie Fisher	$20.00
John McConnell	2.00
W. Conford	2.75
James Moffit	3.00
Chas. Kimmich	3.00
Henry Isaac	2.00
G. Moffit	7.50
Wm. Bryant	10.50
R. Burton	8.00
W. Golden	8.00
Wm. Brown	12.00
A. Packard	10.50
D. Frost	5.30
Wm. Ide	21.00
D. Hubbard	15.00
W. H. Ames	6.00
J. O. Riley	3.00
A. Hyde	1.50
G. P. Sparks	1.25

The committee on Ordinances and By-laws lately ordered printed as compiled, needed a further addition of some late ordinances as passed since the compilation was made and recommend the addition. Upon motion the addition was ordered.

The Recorder reported the taxes of the year as being spread at 3½ mills as ordered by the council, also the bond of the Marshal the amount of which was placed at $6,000 with two good and sufficient sureties. The Bond was then presented with the names of Adelbert W. Mills and Oscar P. Bills sureties; said sureties were approved and warrant executed and the tax roll placed in the hands of the marshal for collection.

A communication received from J. J. Adam offering to sell the village an iron fence to place around the soldier's monument. Refered to committee on Public grounds.

The Marshal reports side walks out of repair.

The Finance committee recommend payment of the following bills:

Horatio Kevser, assessor	$29.00
A. James, board of review	15.00
E. A. Tribou, assessor and board review	31.00
S. C. Stacy, treasurer's report	1.20
" order book	3.00
Council proceedings	5.00
Robt. M. Williams, lumber	7.16
W. C. Jordon, 2½ days labor	1.00
C. Moody, labor	1.50
W. Brizzle labor	10.00
R. Darrow, labor	9.00
W. Gordon, labor	9.00
" " less on poll tax	8.00
Wm. Brown, labor	12.00
A. Packard, labor	10.50
D. Frost, labor less poll tax	6.50
Wm. Ide, team and labor	21.00
D. Hubbard	12.50
W. H. Ames	3.00
J. O. Riley	2.00
G. P. Sparks, piano box	1.25
Albert Hyde, wagon tongue	1.50

Warrants ordered drawn and bills paid as reported. Carried.

Upon motion the Fire committee were instructed to investigate the storage of gasoline in the village and to report next meeting.

Upon motion council adjourned.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

DIED.

BREWER—Suddenly at Tecumseh on Wednesday, June 25th, 1884, Mrs. Maria K. Brewer, widow of the late Horace Brewer, aged 66 years.

Mrs. Brewer was well known and will be long and affectionally remembered in the community where, for so many years she lived. She was retiring in her disposition, but warm hearted and loyal in her friendships. As a professing Christian she was consistent in her deportment and ever ready to lend a helping hand in promoting the welfare of the church with which she was connected. The loss of a beloved husband and, while that bereavement was still fresh, the loss of an only daughter to whom she was devotedly attached, cast a shadow on her closing years. She was bearing bravely her sorrows however and engaged in useful occupation when the stroke fell which closed her life. Up to the hour of eleven A. M. of the day she died she seemed well and cheerful and at one o'clock P. M. she had ceased to breath. Thus was a desire she had expressed not to live to be a helpless invalid, fulfilled. The children who survive her are her two sons Albert and Charles, both of them well known in this community. They, with their families, have the sympathy of many friends in this and other places.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining unclaimed for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, July 1, 1884:

Brewer, Aggie	McVey, Annie
Dickenson, Francis	Rounds, J. F.
Fre, Lizzie	Southworth, Peter
Jones, Caroline	Turner, E. A.
Kepes, C. H.	Vaan, J. G.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

MARRIED.

BROOKS—BILLS—At the residence of the bride's mother in this village, Tuesday, July 1, 1884, by Rev. Theodore Nelson, of St. Louis, Mr. George B. Brooks and Miss Hattie V. Bills, of East Saginaw.

LOVETT—McFALL—At Raisin, June 26, 1884, by Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, Mr. Wm. Lovett, of Raisin and Mary J. McFall, of Adrian.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔		@	06
Butter ₱ ℔	8	@	12
Barley, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50	@	1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75	@	4 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	55	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 75	@	6 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30	@	33
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	45	@	50
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 55
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		@	95
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel		@	95
Wool	18	@	27

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One set of Union Counter Scales, Howe's Improved. Just the thing for family use. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

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"It has become so common to begin an article, in an elegant, interesting style.

"Then run it into some advertisement that we avoid all such.

"And simply call attention to the merits of Hop Bitters in as plain, honest terms as possible.

"To induce people

"To give them one trial, which so proves their value that they will never use anything else."

"The READY so favorably noticed in all the papers.

"Religious and secular, is.

"Having a large sale, and is supplanting all other medicines.

"Friends are declaring the virtues of the Hop plant, and the properties of Hop Bitters have shown great shrewdness and energy.

"In compounding a medicine whose virtues are so palpable to every one's observation."

Did She Die?

"No.

"She lingered and suffered along, pining away all the time for years.

"The doctors doing her no good.

"And at last was cured by this Hop Bitters the papers say so much about.

"Indeed! Indeed!

"How thankful we should be for that medicine."

A Daughter's Misery.

"Eleven years our daughter suffered on a bed of misery.

"From a complication of kidney, liver, rheumatic trouble and Nervous debility.

"Under the care of the best physicians.

"Who gave her disease various names.

"But no relief.

"And now she is restored to us in good health by as simple a remedy as Hop Bitters, that we had shunned for years before using it."—THE PARENTS.

Father is Getting Well.

"My daughters say

"How much better father is since he used Hop Bitters."

"He is getting well after his long suffering from a disease declared incurable."

"And we are so glad that he used your Bitters."—A LADY of Utica, N. Y.

None genuine without a bunch of green Hops on the white label. Shun all the vile, poisonous stuff with "Hop" or "Hops" in their name.

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The book should be read by the young for instruction, and by the afflicted for relief. It will benefit all.—London Lancet.

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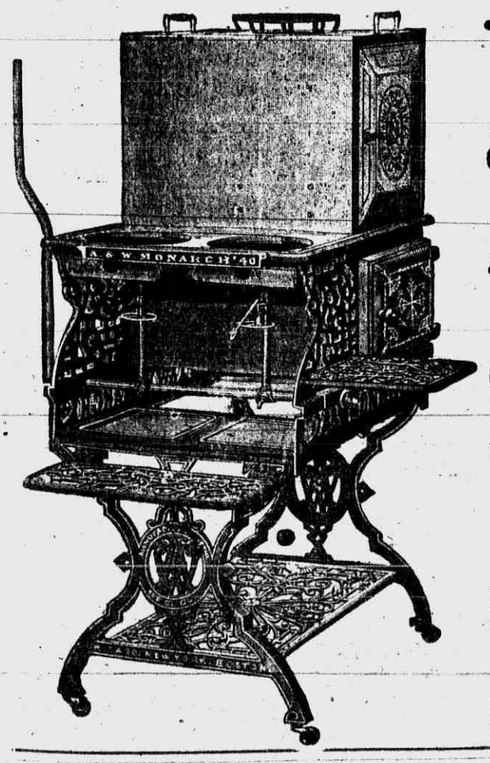

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CLINTON'S CELEBRATION.

A GALA DAY ON THE GLORIOUS FOURTH. FORENOON AND AFTERNOON EXERCISES.

Full Programme of the Day's Doings—Particulars of a Sad and Fatal Accident.

The morning of the 4th dawned fair and pleasant over this little town. The rain during the night had laid the dust and the air was cool and refreshing. At 9:30 o'clock the procession—the first advertised act of the celebration—began to form. Most of Clinton's merchants had been to considerable expense and pains in tastifully preparing wagons to show their goods and wares, and the small boys formed bands whose only virtue seemed to be the most discordant noises. The procession was led by the Macon and Clinton Bands, and but for a sad and fearful accident, an account of which is given below, would have been a complete success. The line of march led down Church street, thence east on Chicago street to the grove.

The exercises at the grove were opened with prayer by Rev. E. W. Miller, after which the bands present played a selection in unison. Rev. Mr. Kerridge read the Declaration of Independence in a clear loud voice, so that every one present listened for once to the fine sentiment and rhetoric of Thomas Jefferson's immortal composition. At the close of the reading of declaration, the double quartette sang the old hymn America, and then the president of the day, Hon. David Brooks, introduced the orator, Rev. Mr. St. John. Mr. St. John's address was well written and delivered, and the audience paid him the closest attention throughout. An abstract is herewith presented:

The speaker introduced his remarks by extending his thanks to the committee for their kind invitation to address them. This is a day when all men can afford to forget their party differences and unite their congratulations for the good of their country, a day when Republican and Democrat, like the fabled Lion and Lamb, can lie down together. This day, at first commemorative of our liberation from a despotic yoke has become sacred with the associations of a century. It is not my purpose to-day to arouse you to a sudden flow of patriotism, so much as to awaken thought in your minds in regard to the real welfare of our country.

Let us reflect on the task which our fathers assumed when they laid the foundations of the republic. To what future did they look forward? To establish the Ideal Republic of history, to found a government at once strong and free, in which the only monarch known should be the people's will. Having thrown off the yoke of foreign bondage, they resolved to "govern themselves." What are the foundation stones upon which the new republic was laid? One of these is "Popular Sovereignty." The people are the source of all political power—Government is created for their good. The collected will of the people is sovereign. Foreign nations laughed at our experiment. They said it would perish before the men who founded it, that it could not survive a century.

Another foundation stone of the republic was "Religious Liberty." America was to be a land where every man could sit under his own vine and fig tree. All men, bond and free, Jew and Gentile, Catholic and Protestant, were to stand on a level.

No taxation without representation was another foundation stone. They also decreed that the constitution itself must be the creature of the people.

Such were the foundations laid. These stones being laid, they were cemented together with the blood of the builders, and our present government is a monument to the courage zeal and deliberation of its founders.

Let us now survey the rising walls of this structure. The work of our public men in the first half century of our nation's life was good, bad and indifferent. Office was as alluring, then as now, and to the average politician it has not yet lost its charms.

The immunities and privileges however which were vouchsafed by the constitution, did not lose their value. Free speech, the ballot, popular representation, these have always been prized in America and enjoyed too.

Passing on to scrutinize the builders of the near past and the present, we have no reason to lose confidence in the ultimate success of our experiment. No age ascribes the full measure of praise which is due to its great men. One hundred years hence many names will be held in reverence which are not as highly honored as they should be to-day. I would as soon crown a live hero as immortalize a dead saint. I claim that we have been living beside great men. We look back to revolutionary times and say, "There were giants in those days." Yes, that is true, but there have been giants in these days. The men who bore our flag during the rebellion were impelled by a motive, and that motive was the preservation of a free representative government.

What is to be the future of the republic? That depends upon ourselves. The stream rises no higher than its source, and as the people in this land are the source of all power, the future of the republic will be determined by them.

To this and coming generations, devolves the responsibility of carying on to completion the ideal conceived by our fathers.

We must keep alive the ideal which animated the founders of the government: popular sovereignty, equality of all men before the law, a civil service whose test shall be merit only, and free schools.

The dangers which threaten us lie in the antagonism between labor and capital, the withdrawal of the wise and cultured from practical politics.

After a piece of music by the Macon band, and the benediction, the crowd went down town to dine and drink beer, if they wanted it and could find it.

The afternoon was devoted to games and races. Mr. Daniel Austin, of Tecumseh, sanded his clothes and plucked a twenty shilling revolver from the top of the greased pole. Mr. Austin also distanced his competitors and took first money in the wheelbarrow race. Will Muir kicked dust in the eyes of all 15 rod runners, and pocketed first money in that race. Eugene Van DeMark ran faster than the rest of the 13 year old boys in the boy's race, and gobbled up the enormous prize of 50 cents.

The fire-works in the evening had been well selected and the display was brilliant. The crowd through the entire day was orderly, and every one seemed to have a pleasant time.

Mr. Frederick Broadbent had his skull crushed and was instantly killed last Friday morning by the falling of a section of a monument from off a wagon that had been fitted out to display samples of goods from Mr. Marsteller's marble works in the procession. The stone was started from its base by the front wheels of the wagon going down into the ditch of the road that had recently been turnpiked at the crossing by Mill st. Mr. Broadbent stood behind the stone and as it fell, grabbed it with both hands and fell with it to the ground, a corner of the stone striking his head just above the temple. Three minutes later the heart ceased to beat. Mr. Broadbent was a native of England and he and his wife have no relatives this side of the Atlantic. The funeral occured Sunday, and was conducted under Masonic rites, the procession being led by the Clinton band. Mr. Broadbent led a quiet inoffensive life and had many friends in this community. He was 46 years old, was a true and consistent Christian, and leaves a wife to mourn his loss.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Best Ice Cream at C. K. Spafford's.

Orange blossoms in this vicinity in the near future.

Chas. Fisk of Detroit is in town this week.

The regular meeting of the Council was held Monday night. The meeting adjourned to meet again Wednesday evening.

Mr. J. B. Laffin is the coming Proffessor that will boss the teaching of the young idea how to shoot in the Clinton Schools next year and he hails from Ypsilanti.

Miss Flora Rich who is teaching near Stanton spent the 4th with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Burchard.

The well on the North side of the Woolen mill brings the Thermometer down to 41°. It is probably the coldest well in town.

Carl Burton is spending a few days at Lyons, Ohio.

The Baptist people will hold an ice cream festival in St. John's vacant furniture rooms next Saturday evening.

Postmaster Rose is visiting friends in Hudson and Brooklyn, New York; and will "take in" Hinsdale, New Hampshire, before he returns home.

Hause Bro's have recently put a new engine in their Cider Mill.

Miss Helen Milspaugh, Assistant in the Romeo schools last year, is spending the summer vacation in Clinton.

Rev. Mr. Munger, of Tecumseh, will occupy the Baptist pulpit in this place next Sunday morning.

John N'Estelle and Clarence Case drove over from Manchester last Sunday to attend the funeral of Mr. Broadbent.

Dr. A. W. Alvord, of Battle Creek, has been calling on his many friends in this village the past week.

The band boys intend to hold a social some evening next week at the residence of Mrs. Pomeroy's. The boys are in debt as yet for instruments and uniforms and will endeavor to square up with the world and pay an hundred cents on the dollar by holding a series of socials. A musical program (of merit, of course) will be presented, and ice cream furnished. Every one and their spare change are cordially invited.

Miss Laura Haggart is spending the summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. Wellwood near Wampler's lake.

Census enumerator, D. Keyes, has completed his duties. The population of the township and village together is 1415, of the village alone, 842, which leaves 573 in the township outside the village. The population of the village in 80 was 927, and of the township 652, a loss of 85 in the village and 79 in the township the past 4 years. This falling off in the village is probably due to the closing of the woolen mill; but the loss in the township outside of the village is not so easily explained. The most probable cause, perhaps, is the increased number of labor saving machines introduced among the farmers and the gradual purchase of small farms by the larger farmers adjoining them.

C. K. Spafford has fitted up the old News office for Ice Cream rooms, and is working up a good trade.

D. Keyes, our census enumerator, has completed his canvass. The population of Clinton township is 573, of the village 842; total 1415.

Henry Luteman celebrated the 4th and no one seemed to object. He celebrated the 5th, also, until late in the afternoon when the village marshall thought he ought to be sheltered and locked him up in one of the smallest rooms in the Town hall. He remained there over Sunday and admitted to Justice Brown Monday morning that he had been drunk and disorderly and paid one dollar fine and costs.

The band boys wish to return their heartiest thanks to the good people of Clinton and vicinity who assisted them in any way the 4th, and especially to those people that donated victuals and to the ladies, that prepared and served them. The band also desires to have known that D. H. Silvers made no charges for the use of his building in which the dinner was served; for which the band is truely grateful and have given Mr. Silvers a vote of thanks.

The Macon band gained many friends and not a few laurels by their gentlemanly behavior and good music here the 4th. For so young a band the general verdict was that they did well.

Mrs. Harland, an old resident of this village, died at her home the morning of the 4th. The lady was in an advanced age, being 80 years old at the time of her death.

A tall young man and his girl, whose names we suppress, thought they would witness the display of fire works Friday night from a rather romantic and secluded spot. Some of the more brilliant pieces of fire works that illumined the heavens and surrounding country disclosed to the assembled multitudes the young man in the act of—yum yum—well, we cannot express what was seen; but at any rate the entire crowd was in danger of turning itself into a kissing bee from sympathy, and only deserted as the music from the ten-cent dance close by struck up.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The glorious Fourth has been gotten over, but the independence that prompted some to warlike demonstration, has degenerated into dependence on mother and the doctor. Eddie Cook and Willie Foster narrowly escaped death, but it is uncertain if Eddie will ever see again. Its the same old story of a toy cannon and lighted match dropped into the powder can. On sober reflection it seems as if money paid for such dangerous playthings would have been better spent in the purchase of some other celebrant. One would think the fashion of buying explosives would have exploded long ago, for their noise leaves no pleasanter memory than a shudder; and to lose eyes, or gain a scar, is an extravagant price to pay for a play-day in one case, and in the other a prize none will envy the winner. Would not a picnic by nearest grove, lake or lawn, with boyish orators to wear the honors; games, good nature, with dinner and supper in the margin and afterglow, be as satisfactory to all parties, as the headaches and heartaches resulting from torpedo temporary insanity?

Its awful to tear ones own head off, of course; and thank goodness we don't have to petition to have the privilege redyed, but unless the work is thoroughly done, it pans out personal desecration more trying to nerves than the Sabbath kind. Ministers are making themselves disagreeable about the kind of Sunday they sketch, would be as near a misfit between Saturday night and Monday morning as a toad put between a hot griddle and snowball for a sandwich. I am sure I should not know what to do with any such day if it came ready made. The weeks spicing unfits most folks for assimilating their dispositions with the fearful calm outlined by the new theology which employs overmuch persuasion and fanatical petitions of bias minded women as weapons to abridge personal liberty and flat out everything. No wonder the powers that be keep out of quorum; it would be the worst fix they could get into. If their well meaning persecutors would stop to think, they would soon know that by law women must petition, pray, and cry about, to insure its being respected, is not popular with its dispensers. Its a good way to amuse women, who sooner or later learn that is about all there is done. There influence is immense but it gets muddled by its representatives. It will take a cute politician to bridge the wide chasm between a whole week of tipsy reveling and Sunday holiness, to make the six days preparatory exercises in street brawl and basement burrow culminate in devout attitude and respectful demeanor on the seventh. I am told Blaine and taxation are the hope of this reform. Tobacco, whisky and women have proved a reliable basis of revenue in the past, and unless his ability to tax should fail, there is small chance of disappointment for his admirers.

TIPTON TATTLE.

The glorious fourth passed away very quietly at the cornors as many of our people went to Adrian, Tecumseh and Clinton to celebrate, while a few ventured a slender reputation at the midnight dance in the region of Sand lake.

Mr. Knight is now very sick and for several days has been confined to his bed. Though his complaint is not definitely defined it is supposed to have resulted from work in the hay field.

The Congregational people celebrated Children's day last sabbath, and are to be congratulated on the success of the occasion. The floral decorations were not gorgeous, but neat, in good taste and commendable. The speaking of the children reflected considerable credit upon themselves and all concerned. The singing gave evidence of superior talent in the direction of music, the house was crowded and all were well pleased.

Traffic in store goods seems to prevail openly and freely at the establishments on the corners during the entire sabbath day in consequence of which the air becomes a little turbulent with the murmuring complaints of those who wish to see the sabbath day respected somewhat in accordance with its benevolent design.

With some gravity of countenance John Conlin is now casting about for some eligible position from which to repel the threatening assaults of an inveterate enemy whose prudence is apt to be realized by the shivering and burning sensations alternately enforced.

The hay crop now being gathered is highly satisfactory both in quality and quantity, and in some instances very heavy, the weather also being splendidly in season.

The wheat fields could hardly be surpassed in the enormous yield which they promise of first class grain and now beckon the farmer to the ready harvest.

Cherries are abundant and ripe and the busy robins have inaugurated the greatest activity in pressing their claims thereupon.

Rev. Whiteley has been having a sharp tussle with the chills, but now apparently he is fairly installed master of the situation.

ONSTED ODDS.

Haying is nearly done in this vicinity and the wheat is about fit to cut.

J. E. Gibbs made another shipment of wool to Boston on Monday last.

Tinners from Tecumseh have been at work at E. Harris' and E. A. Taylor's this week.

These are busy days for our blacksmith, Mr. Charles Marshall.

Frank Glenn, a fireman on the Chicago and North western R. R. is visiting his parents here.

Lieut. B. L. Read, of the U. S. Navy, who has been home on a visit returned to duty on the coast of Maine on Monday last.

R. L. Glenn opened his store on the 3rd. inst. Onsted now boasts of two stores and will without doubt be deserving of the name village at no distant day.

MACON MOLECULES.

Tarred roofs are becoming quite fashionable in Macon.

Many Maconites enjoyed the scenery of Sand lake on the Fourth.

We are glad to see Bradley Scudder in his store again.

Mr. and Mrs. Milan Sage went to Monroe on the Fourth.

Dr. Chambers, of Fort Wayne, Ind., is visiting his sister, Mrs Edwin Howell, this week.

The school board are having a new walk constructed along the school grounds. This will be a decided improvement.

The census just taken shows that Morenci has 1,294 inhabitants, and Seneca township 2,741. Four years ago Morenci had 1,209.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 10, 1884.

SPRING IN THE ALLEY.

She stooped and told him that the Spring was born;
A ring of triumph in her fresh young voice:
For she, poor child, was in her life's glad morn,
And the soft sunshine made her heart rejoice.
"Won't thou not longing for the Spring?" she said;
But the pale sufferer sadly shook his head,

And gazed with yearning eyes upon her face,
Till his pure beauty filled his soul with peace.
Then smoothed her locks and in a fond embrace,
Clasping her slender form, he whispered: "Cease
To sing the praises of the young Spring flowers:
Child of the narrow court! they are not ours!"

O'er the despondent sufferer bending low,
Till her fair tresses swept his throbbing brow,
With tender glistening eyes and cheeks aglow
With joy and hope, she softly told him how,
Not very far away, the golden bees
Wooed the white clusters of the hawthorn trees.

She spoke of twittering birds, and raised her eyes,
Bright with the glory of poetic thought,
To the dark ceiling that shut out the skies,
And lowered upon her, as she vainly sought,
With words of loving sympathy, to cheer
The flickering life that suffering made so dear.

For oh, that life, unlovely though it seemed,
Was the dear object of her fondest love;
Volumes of witching poesy she dreamed,
Morn, noon and evening, as she bent above
His weary form, yet neither light nor bloom
Could tempt her footsteps from that dingy room.

Oft, when she heard his hollow cough, she wept
In the still midnight—how it wrung her heart!
Yea, she could hear it even when she slept,
And often wakened with a feverish start,
Beseeching God, in many a tearful prayer,
To ease the pain that she so longed to share.

Blithely she carolled when the morning sun
Rose over the alley like a blushing bride;
Or grave and silent, like some meek-faced nun,
Plied she her needle by the sufferer's side—
And oh, it was so sweet to toil for him
That her hands trembled, and her eyes grew dim!

Till from those weary hands her work would fall,
And her dim vision could distinguish naught
Save the black spiders crawling on the wall,
And the dead vipers she herself had bought
With the few coppers she had stored away
From her poor scanty earnings day by day.

For when before the market-stall she stood,
Her little purse clasped tightly in her hand,
She needs must purchase—for each dewy bud
Seemed like a messenger from fairy land;
And well her fine poetic fancy knew
The sheltered places where the violets grew.

And when she raised them to her eager lips
With the pure rapture of a little child,
The dewdrops twinkled on their azure tips,
Till the young dreamer bent her face and smiled
With the sweet consciousness that they would bring
Into the meanest slum a breath of Spring.

Returning home her joyous footsteps fell
Like the soft patter of the summer rain:
And oh, one weary sufferer knew it well,
And moaned a welcome from his bed of pain
Close to his breast she crept, and kneeling there,
He twined the violets in her sunny hair.

Charmed from his fretful mood, the sufferer laid
One thin white hand upon her worn gray dress;
"Dear child!" he murmured, while the sunbeams played
Athwart the sick room and each wandering tress,
"Would now the hand fell on the rosy morn,
I, too, am grateful that the Spring is born!"

—*Fanny Forrester, in Chambers' Journal.*

THEIR FIRST QUARREL.

If there was one thing that she particularly disliked it was a dog. Her antipathy to the whole canine species was unreasonable, but like all women she asserted her right to be unreasonable when she pleased, and now she thought it too bad that a dog and a poodle at that should be allowed to disturb the smooth current of their matrimonial bliss. They had been married just a month, had Jack Applegate and Winnie Matthews, and as yet she had scarcely grown accustomed to being called Mrs. John Applegate. That month had been spent in a delightful honeymoon trip, and never had young married people enjoyed themselves more fully, but now on returning home came the first domestic jar. It was all occasioned by a note that Jack found awaiting him. It read:

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.

Dear Jack: Just heard of the happy event. Let me congratulate you. Will send you and your other half a Rocky Mountain poodle by Adams express to commemorate the occasion. With joy to yourself and bride.

FRANK PARSONS.

"Ah," said Jack, on reading the note, "Frank has heard of our marriage. The dear old fellow, and though he is way out in San Francisco yet he is bound to remember us with some kind of a present. Peculiar idea to send us a poodle, eh? Frank always was a little odd. That's how he came to go West and seek his fortune on the Pacific Slope. Now, the first thing that is to be done is to write to the good old boy, telling him that for his sake we will always cherish the gift."

"But," objected Winnie, "you know I can't endure dogs, and poodles especially."

"Yes," said Jack, reflectively, "I know you don't like them, but in this case you might make an exception. Frank is my oldest and best friend."

"Your best friend," interrupted his wife, with an injured expression.

"Of course," he continued, "I mean my best male friend, and what he wouldn't do for me is not worth doing. Why, we roomed together at college, and once he saved my life. I am eternally indebted to him, and his poodle, even though it is an unusual wedding present, should be received with distinguished honors."

"Still I can't endure dogs; I detest the very sight of them."

"But Frank's dog ought to be liked for the giver, and I think it rather inconsiderate in you to make the least objection."

"Inconsiderate!" and Winnie's face flushed. "I'm not at all inconsiderate, and if I don't like dogs I don't, Frank or no Frank!"

"Winnie," slowly remarked her husband, "do not get excited over so small a matter. Of course we will do what we can for the animal. It is not every couple that can start out with a Rocky Mountain poodle, and from what I have heard they are the best watch dogs in the world."

"That is all very true, Jack, but I dislike dogs more than I can tell and I will never be happy with one in the house. To please me you'll give this poodle away when it arrives, won't you, Jack?" and Winnie's tones were soft and pleading.

"Give it away!" exclaimed her husband. "Give away a wedding present! That would be a rank discourtesy. You wouldn't propose to give away any of the rest of the presents, would you? Mr. Forbes' silver set, for instance, or your father's sideboard, or my mother's parlor set? No, no, Winnie, that would never do."

Jack, in fact, thought more of Frank than young men usually do of their chums, and so the bare suggestion of treating his gift with indignity was enough to make him flare up in righteous indignation. That his wife shou'd not share his feelings toward his friend was a matter of surprise as well as of disappointment. Still he was determined that the dog or poodle, whichever it was, should be well treated, and if Frank had seen fit to kindly give it them, they at least would take care of it. His wife not only disliked dogs, but she had hitherto found her husband as tractable as could be wished, and she was not a little vexed to find that her will was not on all occasions his supreme law. It was all the more provoking that he should so stubbornly oppose her, and all for an insignificant poodle. But at all events she believed in a wife asserting her rights, and she had no intention of yielding without a struggle.

"Jack," she resumed, "do you love me?"

"Yes."

"Love me so much that you want me to be very happy?"

"Of course I do."

"And yet you want to bring a great black poodle dog into our home to torment me, for I never could have a moment's peace if there was a dog about."

"But it is a present from Frank."

"And does Frank come before your wife?"

"Winnie, how can you be so cruel? I care more about you than all the world beside."

"And yet you won't do even a little thing to please me."

"You're unreasonable, Winnie, perfectly unreasonable. This poodle, when it gets here, will have come all the way from San Francisco, and if you care anything about me or my friends you would only be too glad to receive it."

And so their quarrel began. Their first quarrel, and they had only been married a month. The outside world may think it a very trivial matter, but to them it was the most serious thing in life. Both were perfectly sincere in the opinion that the other was to blame. She thought that he should be willing to dispose of such a valueless thing as a poodle if she wished it, and he thought that for his old-time friend she should make much of his gift. But it would be a waste of words to attempt to follow the arguments and counter-arguments concerning that poodle, which, for all they knew, might never have left San Francisco. The more his discourse the more the animal appeared as the paragon of all earthly virtues, while she continued to paint it as a blacker and still blacker, ferocious and blood-thirsty wolf. This heated discussion was an inauspicious way of beginning life beneath their own roof-tree, but neither paused to think of that. Finally Jack rose from his chair, and standing up in oratorical fashion, as he did when he was very much in earnest, he said:

"Mrs. Applegate, that poodle is coming, and we must receive it in decent style, so:"

It was the first time in all their married life that he had coldly and formally addressed her as "Mrs. Applegate," and for the moment she felt the blood in her heart chilling. Then her woman nature reasserted itself, and in a voice fully as determined as his, she began:

"Jack, if you wish to destroy the peace of our happy home——"

But Jack was gone, and instead of completing the sentence she walked into the next room and, throwing herself upon the bed, cried as if her heart would break.

Her husband, when he left the house, rapidly walked down the gravel walk they lived in the suburbs and lighting a cigar, began smoking furiously. He did not return until supper, and then the subject of debate was evidence that their quarrel was still uppermost in their minds.

The next day, some hours after Jack had left for business, Mrs. Applegate was surprised to see three or four workingmen prepared with tools and lumber in the yard. Not knowing their business she slipped on her hat, and going out, inquired:

"Going to build a dog-kennel, sum," answered one of the men. "Mr. Applegate said as how he was going to get a Rocky Mountain poodle, whatever that may be, and he left orders this morning for a kennel."

And what could Mrs. Applegate do? She could not order the work stopped or hinder it in any way, as it would be degrading to her self-respect to reveal to these workingmen that she and her husband were not in perfect accord. So she merely nodded, and going into the house listened all the morning to the hammering, and it seemed as if every nail that was driven sent a pang through her heart. Such is the strange perversion of women, however, that she prepared a dinner of those things which her husband particularly liked, and in the little womanly touches about the house she did all she could to make everything attractive. At dinner Jack was unusually jolly, and he tried to make up for her silence by a constant flow of small talk. After the meal he went into the yard and leisurely inspected the nearly completed dog kennel.

"Nice bit of architecture, that," he casually remarked, on returning.

"Oh, Jack!" said his wife, with half a sigh.

"Now, Winnie," he began, "do be reasonable. This thing——"

But he said no more, for she had rushed into another room, and closing the door was lost to sight and hearing. Feeling decidedly uncomfortable, but still with the reassuring consciousness that he was in the right, Jack Applegate left his home without making the least attempt to kiss his wife good-by. With the poodle in his thoughts he went to the office of the express company and asked if a dog for him had arrived. No, no such animal had come. Then he explained to the expressman that he was expecting a Rocky Mountain poodle, and that it might be well fed and cared for on the road he left quite a sum of money. Then he serenely proceeded to business.

Meanwhile at home his wife was as miserable as she well could be. In one breath she blamed herself, in the next he was at fault. She felt that her heart was breaking, and life no longer was as bright as it had appeared during the happy days of the honey-moon. When Jack returned she was still gloomy and depressed. Supper was melancholy enough, and Jack did not allude to the poodle question until it was over.

"I was at the express office to-day," he observed.

She did not reply or even look up.

"Yes," he continued, ignoring her silence, "but there was no news of our San Francis o wedding present."

Then he paused, but still no answer.

"By the way," he went on, studiously not noticing the fact that she was silent, "what do you think will be a good name for the animal? Seeing that he comes from the metropolis of the Pacific slope, wouldn't it be a good idea to call him 'Frisco?' 'Frisco,' 'Frisco,' that's not such a bad name for a dog, is it, eh?"

"Jack Applegate!" cried his wife, with a sudden burst of anger, "you're a cruel, unloving husband," and then she sought the refuge of her chamber, and like the bride of a month sobbed in despair of soul. The world had grown black to her and no longer was there joy or brightness in it.

It would be hard to describe the miseries and discomforts of Jack Applegate and his wife for the next few days. He tried to be buoyant, but all to no purpose; and for her part she was thoroughly unhappy. That such a state of affairs could ever have existed would, but a few short days ago, have seemed impossible. Now it was a sad reality. Every day Jack would call at the express office and inquire concerning the expected poodle, but there was no news of it. Meanwhile he had the name "Frisco," painted on the kennel, which, standing conspicuously in the yard, ever reminded his wife of the deplorable and unspannable chasm that was widening between them.

Not to continue this story to an unreasonable length, let it be said that matters went on thus, growing worse and worse every day, for a full week. Then one morning, shortly after Jack had left for business, what should drive up to the door but one of the large wagons of the Adams Express Company, and Mrs. Applegate signed a receipt in a big book for a bulky bundle which was carried into the hall and there left. It was addressed to her husband, and under the present condition of affairs she did not presume to open it. Ordinarily she would have taken the trouble to have seen what it was, but, as affairs were not at all as they should have been, she allowed the bundle to remain undisturbed where the expressman had thrown it. When Jack returned at noon she told him of it, and he cut the cords and unwrapped the thick papers, she, meanwhile, not wishing to appear curious, retiring to the dining room.

Jack worked several moments before the contents of the package were reached, and then out rolled a glossy, long-haired skin of a grizzly bear, the head with its glaring eyes and horrible teeth being perfect. It was as beautiful a skin as is possible to imagine, and for a moment he stood lost in admiration. Then he noticed that an envelope had dropped from its folds. Picking it up, he read:

SAN FRANCISCO.

DEAR JACK: Hope you'll like the Rocky Mountain poodle. Shot him myself.

FRANK PARSONS.

That was all, but, like a flash, it came to Jack that poodle may have more than one meaning.

"Winnie!" he called, and his voice had the old, loving ring.

She came, looked at the bear skin, read the brief note, and, in a moment, realized it all.

"Oh, Jack!" was all she said, and a moment afterward he held her in his strong arms and their kisses were those of mutual reconciliation.

That night he chopped up the kennel for kindling, and, were it not for the bear skin, which they call "Frisco," there would be nothing left to remind them of their First Quarrel.—*James A. Green, in Philadelphia Call.*

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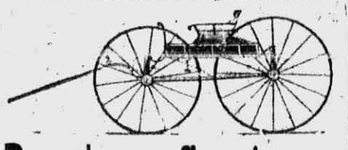

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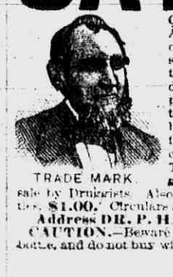

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The salt air blowing in from the sea has thin fingers and a bitter, biting tongue. If it finds a crack where it can creep in between the copper surface and iron skeleton, there will be trouble at once. These metals do not agree together, and where there is salt moisture in the air they seem to quarrel more bitterly than ever. It seems that every joining of points of copper and iron makes a tiny battery, and so faint shivers of electricity would run through all the statue, slowly corroding and eating it into dust. This curious, silent, and yet sure destruction must be prevented, and so every joint throughout the statue, wherever copper touches iron, must be protected with little rags stuffed between the metals to keep them from quarreling. It is the same wherever two different metals touch each other. Imagine what a tremendous battery the Liberty would make, with its tons of copper surface and monstrous skeleton of iron. However, a little care prevents all danger, as provision will be made, of course, for keeping the metals from touching each other. — *Charles Barnard, in St. Nicholas.*

How Roman Women Beautify Their Complexions.

Complexions differ very much with the climate. The English have, beyond a doubt, the most beautiful complexions in the world. American girls possess more beauty of feature, perhaps, but their complexions are not nearly so fine. As one goes further south toward the equator, one sees darker skin and darker hair and eyes, for all these physical characteristics have reference to climatic influences. Upon two things the condition of the skin depends—oil and coloring matter. The skin of a very old man or woman, for want of oil, becomes like wrinkled, dried-up parchment; an Albino has scarce any coloring matter in his hair, eyes or complexion. To finish, I will give you a receipt for beautifying the complexion—the one used by the dames of ancient Rome. Probably it is familiar to many, but there may be others who have never read it. These ladies made a stiff paste of rye four, and covered their faces with it on retiring. In the morning they washed it off with milk (they never used water), and applied a little powder if it was deemed necessary. This, we are told on good authority, is really the best method of improving the complexion that has ever been used, either in ancient or modern times. The rye four is said to positively draw from the skin any marks that may have lingered on it. Moreover, it makes the complexion charmingly soft—an effect which the milk helps to produce. Several Parisian belles adopted this plan, and it is rumored that the Empress Eugenie tried it. At all events the ladies who are known to have followed the receipt of the Romans are also those who have been celebrated for their lovely skins. In spite of the opinion of the clever druggist, this is doubtless very efficacious in softening and bleaching the skin. — *Toronto Globe.*

Believed to Be a Fiction.

Julian Arnold said that "his father, Edwin Arnold, wrote the most of 'Light of Asia' on the cuff of his shirt sleeve, while riding in the cars to and from his office. He says his father went into London every morning, and during the ride would write on his cuff with a pencil. In the evening, after his return home, he copied the lines off on paper, and in this way wrote most of the poem." If Julian Arnold really said that he probably told more lies in those few lines than he ever told in the same space before. This "cuff writing" business, dearly beloved, is a beautiful, but rather gauzy fable that exists in the highly imaginable intellects of young journalists, of some three or four days' experience in the dog tight and fire department of an able journal. A cuff is an awkward thing to write on at best, and it is very seldom that a newspaper man is so reduced for stationery as to be compelled to write poems and leaders on his cuffs. Especially when the "concern" furnishes note books and lap tablets. When you hear a man telling how he took down a three-column speech, at midnight, in a pelting storm, on his cuff, ask him if he didn't see to write his notes by the lurid glare of his nose. The one is quite as probable as the other. No more of this "cuff" business, Julian. It does not need that any man should come all the way from England to tell us such stuff as that. We have some good old romances right here in America. Honestly, we never knew but one reporter who claimed to take all his notes on his cuffs. And we never saw him but once with cuffs on his wrists. And they were so dirty he couldn't make a legible mark on them with anything except a piece of chalk. Call up the next squib.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A moose was recently captured in the forests of the Asotin River, Washington Territory. It was the first ever seen in that part of the country. The Indians succeeded in capturing it after a lively chase.

The College Graduate.

The trouble with the college graduate is that he goes from his college into the world equipped for everything in general and nothing in particular. He doesn't imagine that this is the case. He has far more assurance than he will have six months from now. He is ready and anxious to attempt anything; but he is really, so far as practical money making is concerned, as helpless as an infant.

While he has been acquiring a smattering of many good, but superfluous things, various other young men have been fitting themselves for special kinds of work and have mastered them. It is questionable whether the latter have not chosen better than he. If he needs to work in order to live, and most young men do. He will receive many hard knocks before he is successful, and they will drive from his overstocked head a good deal of the acquired knowledge that is not practically necessary. His dead languages are excellent to have, but they will not earn him his bread and butter. He has various accomplishments, but few of them are of real value in every-day life. He has passed four years as a preface to real life, and at the end of them he finds that he must pass four years more before he can hope to be recognized as the master of any profession.

This young man, gay, confident and happy, thinks, as he steps from the college door, sheep-skin in hand, that he has but to will in order to conquer. The rebuffs that meet him, the disappointments he must undergo, are painful to contemplate. Thousands of young men whom he views from a lofty height, are abler and more successful than he. Their attainments are not so numerous, but they have learned thoroughly the things they know. Life is so short, at its best, that it is worthy of consideration whether they have not acted more wisely than he. They are certainly more successful from a business point of view, and, after all, most men work for money. But their success grates upon his sensitive nerves. He feels for a few years as if he were not sufficiently appreciated. He becomes cynical, and curls his lip as he reflects upon the good fortune of men who have not had his advantages. His acquirements have taught him no philosophy for such a situation. He has met the great enemy, the world, and finds himself thrown, and it gratifies him to think, not that he has deservedly failed, but that the world is a fool, not to say a scoundrel.

However, the young man recovers from this in due season. If the knowledge he won during his college years is of no immediate practical value, it stands by him as he grows older and comforts him in a thousand ways. There is so much to learn that his four years of absorption have furnished him merely with hints; but these hints are valuable, and with his comb properly trimmed and his pretty plumes gone he finds it easy to make them useful. He proposed in the beginning to conquer the world, but he finds after some years of reflection and hard work that one does pretty well if he conquers a bush wherewith to provide shade and shelter. That, however, is the experience of most men, and after all, and regardless of the colleges, the Alexanders, like the poets, are born, not made.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

Tattooing a Fine Art.

"Edwin Thomas, tattooing artist," was the sign that greeted the eyes of a *Tribune* reporter at South street and Old Slip. Two flights up, in a room furnished with a desk and half a dozen chairs, the "artist" was found at work. Three stalwart and sun-browned sailors were lounging about the room. By the window sat Mr. Thomas, holding the hand of a sailor lad, which he was tattooing. A saucer containing India ink, and one containing vermilion, stood on a chair by his side. Into one or the other of these saucers he continually dipped four small needles fastened to a handle, and then pricked away at the back of the boy's hand, on which a belligerent eagle, holding in its talons an American flag, was beginning to appear. The sailor boy and his companions watched the work with interest. "Is the operation painful?" asked the reporter. "Not at all," replied the sailor, and Mr. Thomas, seizing the reporter's hand, pricked the back of it with his needles. The puncture was scarcely felt, but a bright red spot, about the size of the point of a pin, was left.

"Do you do much tattooing?" asked the reporter of the "artist."

"Yes. I have all I can do," was the reply. "I have just returned from Chicago, where I have been tattooing a woman for the show business. She was getting eight dollars a week as a waitress before, and now she gets forty five dollars a week in a dime museum. I have tattooed in all four women who are now in museums, and making from forty five to fifty-five dollars a week. I work here in the daytime and up on the Bowery at night. Most of my customers down here are sailors. I am now tattooing the officers and crew of a British bark. I go aboard of her afternoons, and everybody, from the Captain down, is being decorated. I tattoo more mechanics than I do sailors. Sailors generally like eagles, flags or ships. Here is a design that is also popular among sailors."

The tattooer opened a book containing designs drawn in India ink and vermilion, and showed the reporter a representation of an impossible woman, weeping over an improbable monument on which was inscribed: "In memory of my mother." "The mechanics and laborers, whom I tattoo upon the Bowery o' nights bring me all sorts of designs—they generally furnish their own—and seem to be fond of horses and other animals for decorative purposes. For tattooing any one for the show business I get $200. Such designs as those in the book there range from twenty-five cents to two dollars. After a design is pricked in the red generally puffs up a little for a day or two, but occasions no pain."

The sailors present confirmed Mr. Thomas' words and exhibited their arms and hands, covered with anchors, hearts, ships, mourning pieces and other devices.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Miss Braddon's novels are being translated into the Telegoo language.

About Corkscrews.

The corkscrew is a contrivance to facilitate the removal of corks from bottles. When a cork protrudes from the neck of the bottle far enough to admit of grasping it with the hand or clinching it with the teeth, a corkscrew is unnecessary. But when a cork is flush with the bottle's mouth, or, through unskillful manipulation, has become lodged down in the neck, a corkscrew is not only a convenience, but almost a necessity. The bottle may be emptied of its liquid contents by crowding the cork down through the neck with a pen holder or any other suitable article that may be at hand, but this method of opening a bottle is generally regarded as inelegant.

There are several kinds of corkscrews. That which has been the longest in use is the simplest. For several hundred years it was the best, until a genius added an improvement which brought it to perfection. The primeval corkscrew consisted of a wire, pointed at one end, twisted into a spiral with about five turns, tempered so as to give rigidity to it, and provided with a wooden handle like that of a gimlet. The spiral part of the wire was about two inches long after being twisted, the part left straight was of about the same length, and the wooden cross piece was round, and about three inches in length and half an inch in diameter. The handle was made fast to the metal by putting the wire through a hole in the wood and clinching it. The metal was not burnished, nor was the wood polished or painted. It is safe to say that there never was a corkscrew job which could not have been accomplished with one of these primeval corkscrews.

The name of the inventor of the corkscrew has not been handed down to these generations. He lived before the days of letters patent. It is held by a certain school of theorists that he was no other than Archimedes. The similarity of the corkscrew to the spiral of Archimedes is $r = a$ theta. The corkscrew can not have a constant equation, for the pitch varies not only in different screws, but in the different spirals of the same screw. A corkscrew fashioned after the equation of the spiral of Archimedes, with important modifications, would be serviceable, but there seems to be no sufficient reason for believing that Archimedes invented the corkscrew.

An important improvement in corkscrews is mentioned in the foregoing. In order to comprehend its value, the practical use of the ordinary corkscrew must be understood. The bottle is grasped by the neck with the left hand, the top of the cork is pricked with the point of the spiral, and about six or seven half twists are given to the corkscrew. The body of the bottle is then gripped between the knees, and a lifting force is applied to the corkscrew and through it to the cork. The removal of the cork is accompanied by a sound which may be fairly imitated by putting the left forefinger in the mouth with its end against the inner surface of the right cheek, inflating the cheek, and then removing the finger by a quick push against the yielding right hand corner of the mouth. His perfected corkscrew has the blunt end of the wire brought back through the wooden handle and twisted around the stem of the corkscrew till it comes down to the top of the spiral, where it is wound into a concentric coil. When the spiral has sunk into the cork the blunt end of this coil strikes against the cork near its periphery, and with the purchase thus obtained the cork is turned around in the neck of the bottle and withdrawn far more gently than with the unimproved corkscrew. A good article of the perfected pattern may be bought for about fifteen cents in almost any general store in the country. In a cutlery establishment in the city the price would not be over seventy five cents.

There are other contemplations which are intended to increase the usefulness of the corkscrew or make it more conveniently portable. A metallic contrivance shaped like the bow of a jews harp, is substituted for the wooden handle, and the stem of the spiral is fastened between the ends of the bow with a pin in such manner that the implement may be shut up like a pocket knife. This pattern of portable corkscrew is adapted for excursion or picnics, where there may be bottles of milk to be opened. There is also a very elaborate kind of corkscrew sold in some of the drug stores and cutlery establishments. It is nickel plated and looks as formidable as a toy steam engine. It is so constructed that after it has been adjusted the engineer has only to keep cranking and the cork will be hoisted high and dry. There are a few rules regarding the use of the corkscrew which are generally observed by the elite. The place to the corkscrew is not by the side of the hostess's plate. Champagne bottles are not opened with a corkscrew, nor condensed milk cans, nor cocoanuts. Any person who has tried to take small cucumber pickles from a bottle with a corkscrew will ever afterward endeavor to have a pickle fork a handy one. It does not go to the extreme of having the pickles removed from the original package before they are brought to the table. It may be set forth as a general rule that any attempt to utilize the corkscrew for any purpose other than the removal of corks will result in embarrassment, and had best not be tried except in privacy.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—A. L. Shephard, of Dallas, Tex., visiting at Hartford, Conn., lost a roll of greenbacks amounting to $2,800. He mentioned his loss at the Alpin House and a stranger who was present said he had found a sum of money which he would restore to the owner on proper identification. Mr. Shephard described his missing package in detail and the stranger handed over to him the entire sum. Mr. Shephard offered him a $100 bill, but he declined to take it. He finally consented to accept a $5. "I am broke," he said, "or I wouldn't take anything."—*Hartford Post.*

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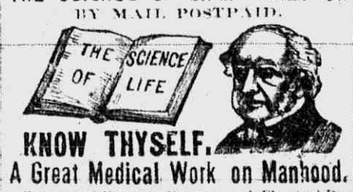

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ESTATE OF SIRRELL C. LE BARON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Delos C. Lebaron, a son of said deceased, praying that the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Edgar A. Tribby, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for hearing said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jun26

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A.D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 5th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Southworth to said William Waring, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, southerly east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southerly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Administrator of said Estate.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant,
vs.
Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 30th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Irish's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, said opera house being the place of holding said court, the premises described in said decree to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the village Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier; thence north-easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land, will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.
E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. jun12

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, Minors.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, on the 25th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2-6) of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale, cash.

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THE CHICAGO CONVENTION.

The Democratic convention in session at Chicago is the largest national gathering ever held by the Democracy. The big guns of the party are all there, the fight is becoming a hot one, and, no outsider can foretell what the issue will be.

The situation as to candidates is very similar to what it was at the Republican convention. It is Gov. Cleveland against the field. Cleveland will have nearly, if not quite half the votes of the convention on the first ballot. If a majority vote would nominate, he would certainly be the nominee, but under the two-thirds rule he may fail. He is strong enough to combine the field against him, and the field may be strong enough to prevent his receiving a two-thirds vote. Dark horses are little talked of. It will be Cleveland, Thurman, Bayard, McDonald or Butler in all probability. If his own state heartily united on him Cleveland would go in with a whirl, but the violent opposition to him at home may lead the delegates to conclude that his nomination would be imprudent. The old war between the New York factions has opened brilliantly and is waged with an intensity which throws their former conflicts into the shade. A rumor was current yesterday that the New York delegation was endeavoring to harmonize on Hewitt, in which case Cleveland will be withdrawn.

Another bone of contention which seems likely to provoke a red hot fight will be the tariff resolution. The platform committee came to a dead lock on the election of chairman, 18 voting for Morrison, and 18 for Converse, a tariff man from Ohio. Two reports may be presented, in which case a tariff war will be precipitated upon the convention which may last a day or even longer. It is not likely that ballots for candidates will begin before to-morrow, possibly not until Saturday. In the ability of its membership the convention is the strongest in the history of the Democratic party. The intellectual lights, the political managers, the heavy weights, and the factional sky rockets of the party are all there. The convention has the power and opportunity to adopt a platform and select a ticket which will revolutionize the politics of the country in November, but the present outlook is not wholly reassuring. The people can only look on with wonder at the battle of the giants and await the final action of the convention.

LOOK TO YOUR MAPLE TREES.

From many parts of the state comes complaint of injury done to maple trees by the presence of an insect or parasite, unknown in this section at least. The parasites are at work on the many beautiful maples of this vicinity, as well as elsewhere, and the question of how to best exterminate them may soon have to be met. An examination of the under side of the branches of these trees will show the existence of this new pest in the presence of a web like substance, each one containing thousands of eggs. An exchange says in a short time lice are hatched and soon the whole tree is covered with a silky fiber of snowy whiteness and the limbs are as barren of leaves as in winter.

The following article, taken from the Chicago Tribune, throws more light on the subject than anything we have seen: "A few days ago there was received at this office specimens of twigs of maple with insects upon them, with a request for information as to what they were. These were forwarded to Prof. Forbes, state entomologist, who pronounced them the adult female of the maple tree bark louse. I have little doubt that in most cases reported of injury to shade trees it is this insect which is doing the mischief. The technical name of the insect among entomologists is the Lecanium Acericola. It is first noticed in the spring as a white waxy scale-like substance adhering to the under side of the twigs. These are the adult females from the previous year's brood. Their development is described as follows, in notes taken at Peoria in 1877: From May 15th to June 2d, the female gradually enlarged from deposition of eggs within the abdomen. June 6th eggs commenced to issue from the abdomen, and deposited upon the twigs. June 15th young lice first discovered, but deposition of eggs by the adult females still continuing. June 17th young lice crawling quite actively and settling upon the under sides of the leaves. July 3d adult female mostly dead. July 10th male pupae easily distinguished. Aug. 20th males and females copulating. Sept. 5th males disappeared; young females on the leaves. Sept. 30th females moving from the leaves and settling down on the sides of the limbs for winter quarters, where they remain in a dormant state till spring.

Remedies.—When first hatched they are weak and can be easily destroyed by almost any poisonous solution sprayed so freely upon the trees as to saturate the foliage. White hellebore has been found effective in the proportions of one pound to twenty gallons of water. A solution of Tobacco and soap is also good, as would also be a solution of arsenic in the proportion of one pound to 100 gallons of water. It should be dissolved in boiling water, and no stock should be allowed to graze under trees sprayed with it, until there has been a sharp rain to wash from the grass what may have fallen upon it. What is known as the Excelsior force pump, sold by all dealers in seeds and implements, costing $8 retail, furnishes probably as cheap and effectual means for spraying trees to destroy the insects as can be found. Readers will notice that the time for attempting their destruction is as soon as possible after the young are hatched, which in 1877 in the latitude of Peoria was about the middle of June.

A LITTLE LENAWEE COUNTY HISTORY.

The Adrian Times presents the following bit of history in connection with the account of the laying of the corner stone on Saturday:

Lenawee county was laid out in 1822, but was attached to Monroe county. The first settlers in the county were Musgrove Evans, Gen. J. W. Brown, E. F. Blood, Turner Stetson, Nathan Rathbone and Peter Lowry, who took up their residence on the land now occupied by the Globe mills, at Tecumseh. The land surrounding them was soon entered by speculators, and settlers having accumulated in sufficient numbers, the necessary preliminaries were taken for the establishment of a county seat. By act of legislature it was placed at Tecumseh, in June, 1824. A court house and log jail were built, and all the county offices were located at Tecumseh until 1835-6, when the central and southern parts of the county having become somewhat settled, it was deemed expedient to remove the county seat to a more central location. The removal to this city did not, however, actually take place until the first Monday in November, 1838. A jail had meanwhile been constructed here, and in 1839 a court house was erected, the land for the purpose being donated by Addison J. Comstock.

The court house of Lenawee county was destroyed by fire on the morning of March 14, 1852, and the records of the county clerk's office were entirely consumed. The records of the other offices were saved, with the exception of a few books and papers. The old court house was located on the lot in the city of Adrian bounded north by Front street, east by Locust street.

On the 11th day of May, 1852, Henry Hart, Robert Parker, P. Stone, J. Cross, I. French and D. S. Wilkinson, donated the ground where the present county buildings stand, the same being erected by Jas. Berry, under contract with the board of supervisors.

The sessions of the circuit court were held in what was known as Odd Fellows' hall, until 1865. In that year arrangements were made for holding court in the "brick church," now known as Dean's opera house, where court is still held and will continue to be until the completion of the new court house on the site donated by the gentlemen above named in 1852.

Since the destruction of the old court house in 1852, the proposition to raise by tax a fund to build a new structure has been several times submitted to the people, but was each time defeated, until on the 7th of November, A. D. 1882, a proposition was carried at the general election then held, to raise $50,000 to build a court house. There were 7,555 votes cast, of which 5,082 were for the proposition, and 2,473 against it.

In October, 1883, a building committee were chosen by the board to carry out the will of the people. Plans and specifications prepared by E. O. Fallis & Co., of Toledo, O., were adopted, and on April 2, 1884, a contract was entered into with Allen & VanTassell, of Ionia, Mich., for the construction of the building for $47,460. Work was at once commenced, and had so far progressed on June 28, 1884, to lay the corner stone.

The prohibitory liquor law recently passed by the Republican Legislature of Iowa has been very comprehensive in its provisions, even providing for the regulation or the transportation of liquors into and through the state, it being made an offense for agents of railroads to receive such goods for transportation unless the consignor delivers to him a certificate signed by the Auditor of the county to which it is to be shipped, that he has authority to sell liquors in such county. The railroads have given notice of their intention to observe the law.

Hudson Post: Shall we lose our maples? This is a question which is interesting our citizens. Maple trees are covered with cocoons, from which it is said there will emerge a worm, which will destroy the foliage and perhaps ruin the trees. This would be a serious damage to the beauty of our village, as the shade trees are largely maple, and it would take years to replace them.

THE DEMOCRACY.

Meeting of the National Convention to Nominate Candidates for President and Vice President.

Telegram from Tilden Declining the Nomination—Meeting of National Committee and the Selection of Committeemen.

TILDEN'S TELEGRAM.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The following is an authentic copy of a communication to Mr. Barnum, chairman of the National Committee, from Mr. Tilden:

GRAMERCY, July 8, 1884.

To Hon. William H. Barnum, Chicago, Ill.:

I have received your telegram informing me of the decision to nominate me for the Presidency and asking: Will you accept an unanimous nomination? And also a telegram from Mr. Manning, saying: It seems absolutely necessary that you should answer Barnum's telegram as soon as possible. Your inquiry was explicitly answered in the negative by my letter of June 10, to Mr. Manning.

S. J. TILDEN.

The receipt of Tilden's telegram to-night created very little comment. All the electioneering of the past forty-eight hours has not contemplated the contingency of Tilden's acceptance, and consequently it made very little change in the situation.

THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

The Democratic National Committee began its session at noon yesterday, Chairman Barnum presiding. The States were represented as follows: Alabama, M. C. Semple; Arkansas, John J. Sumpter; California, James T. Farley; Colorado, T. M. Patterson; Connecticut, William H. Barnum; Delaware, Ingnatius C. Grubb; Florida, Samuel M. Pulliston; Georgia, George T. Barnes; Illinois, W. C. Gondy; Indiana, Austin H. Brown; Iowa, M. M. Ham; Kansas, Charles W. Blair; Kentucky, Newry D. McHenry; Louisiana, B. F. Jonas; Maine, Edmund Wilson; Maryland, Outerbridge Horsey; Massachusetts, Frederick O. Prince; Michigan, Edward Kanler; Minnesota, P. H. Kelly; Mississippi, W. T. Martin; Missouri, John G. Prather; Nebraska, J. Sterling Morton; Nevada, R. P. Keating; New Hampshire, Alvin Sulloway; New Jersey, Orestes Cleveland; New York, Abram S. Hewitt; North Carolina, N. W. Ransom; Ohio, William W. Armstrong; Oregon, A. Noltner; Pennsylvania, William L. Scott; Rhode Island, J. B. Barnaby; South Carolina, F. W. Dawson; Tennessee, Robert F. Looney; Texas, F. S. Stockdale; Vermont, Bradley B. Smalley; Virginia, John S. Barbour; West Virginia, Alexander Campbell; Wisconsin, William F. Vilas.

Mr. Barnes, of Georgia, nominated Augustus O. Bacon of Georgia, for temporary chairman of the convention. Mr. Stockdale, of Texas, nominated Governor Robert B. Hubbard, Texas. Mr. Martin, of Mississippi, nominated Charlas E. Hooker, of Mississippi. The committee proceeded to ballot with the following result: Whole number of votes cast, 32, of which Hubbard received 22, Bacon 9 and Hooker 6. On motion of Mr. Prince the nomination of Mr. Hubbard was made unanimous. On motion of Mr. Hewitt Mr. Prince was elected temporary secretary of the convention.

The following were elected Assistant Secretaries: E. L. Merritt, of Illinois; George W. Guthrie, of Pennsylvania; G. L. Johnson, of Iowa; Robert M. Bashford, of Wisconsin; Charles M. Vallindigham, of Missouri; Henry J. Lynn, of Tennessee; Michael J. Barrett, of New Jersey.

The following were elected Reading Clerks: T. O. Walker, of Iowa; Thomas S. Pettit, of the House of Representatives; Nicholas M. Bell, of Missouri; James E. Morrison, of New York; H. L. Bryon, of Delaware; Ansel Oppenheim, of Minnesota.

The other officers were chosen as follows: Official stenographer, Edward B. Dickson, of New York; sergeant-at-arms, Richard J. Bright, of Indiana.

The committee decided to recommend to the Convention that the rules of the last Democratic Convention govern this body until otherwise ordered, subject to the following modification: "That, in voting for candidates for President and Vice President, no State shall be allowed to change its vote until the roll of States has been called and every State has cast its vote."

As the result of a long discussion, the committee decided that undetached coupons will not be accepted for admission to the convention hall. The committee adjourned till ten o'clock this morning, with no anticipation, however, of having any business on hand.

COMMITTEEMEN CHOSEN.

The following State delegations completed their permanent organization and the committeemen herewith named will be reported to the convention to-day:

The Ohio delegation met at 3 p. m. and John R. McLean was unanimously elected Chairman; R. S. Shields, member of the Committee on Credentials; Durbin Ward, member of the Committee on Permanent Organization; M. D. Shaw, member of the Committee on Rules and Order of Business. A fight then occurred on the admitting of J. O. Converse on the proxy of L. G. Bernard. Converse was admitted by a vote of 26 to 19, a victory for the McLean men. A. J. Warren and J. O. Converse were nominated for the Committee on Resolutions. Converse won by a vote of 26 to 19. This shows the real strength of the two factions for the convention. W. W. Armstrong was elected by acclamation member of the National Committee. Jacob Mueller was elected Vice President by acclamation.

Alabama—E. W. Pettus, chairman; L. Pope Walker, resolutions; H. G. Tompkins, credentials; Joseph F. Johnston, organization; C. L. Scott, vice president; John H. Clisby, secretary of the committee; F. C. Clark, secretary of the convention; member of the National Committee not chosen.

California—Chairman not chosen; H. M. Larve, vice president; J. J. Driscoll, secretary; T. J. Clunie, resolutions; Niles Searles, notification; Lawrence Orcher, permanent organization; member of National Committee not chosen.

Connecticut—T. M. Waller, chairman; Charles H. Andrews, secretary; D. M. Reed, credentials; John C. Byxbee, organization; A. Perkins, vice president; William H. Shields, secretary.

Georgia—General A. R. Lawton, chairman; E. P. Howell, resolutions; W. E. Simmons, credentials; W. T. McArthur, organization; Patrick Walsh, National Committee.

Arkansas—Chairman, U. M. Rose; secretary, W. C. Terry; credentials, C. M. Taylor; resolutions, D. P. DuBal; organization, J. C. Tappan; vice president of the convention, John D. Adams; National Committee, not selected.

Indiana—Chairman, Thomas A. Hendricks; secretary, Harry D. Meyer; credentials, Cyrus F. McNutt; resolutions, G. V. Menzies; organization, John D. Brown; vice president, Peter Lieber; National Committee, not selected.

Kansas—Cheirman, G. W. Glick; secretary, B. J. Sheridan; resolutions, Thomas P. Fender; credentials, W. C. Perry; organization, W. C. Jones; vice president, John Milhan; National Committee, C. W. Blair.

Kentucky—Chairman, F. H. Shirley; secretary, A. J. Bradford; credentials, S. D. White; resolutions, Henry Watterson; organization, Hunter Wood; vice president, Thomas L. Jones; National Committee, Henry D. McHenry.

New York—Chairman, Daniel Manning; secretary, John G. Sears; vice president, William R. Traver; credenslals, Soloman Schell; permanent organization, Abram S. Hewitt.

Pennsylvania—Eckley B. Cox, chairman; Charles Hunsicker, secretary; Malcolm Hay, resolutions; Robert S. Patterson, organization; R. P. Allen, credentials; S. W. L. Dewart, vice president of the convention.

Texas—R. B. Hubbard, chairman; F. H. Hailey, secretary; Silas H. Hare, credentials; W. H. Burgess, organization; D. C. Giddys, resolution; L. C. Alexander, vice president of the conventions; Will Lambert, secretary of the convention; O. T. Holt, member of the National Committee.

Vermont—Chairman, J. C. Burke; secretary, W. A. Richards; credentials, Amos Aldrich; organization, J. D. Hanrahan; resolutions, James A. Brown; vice president of the convention, Frank H. Bascom.

Wisconsin—General Bragg, chairman; R. M. Bashford, secretary; A. K. Delaney; organization; J. G. Jenkina, resolutions; J. M. Morrow, credentials; J. R. Doolittle, vice president for the State; R. M. Bashford, secretary for the State.

Iowa—H. H. Trimble, chairman; D. M. Harris, credentials; E. H. Mayer, resolutions; N. B. Hyatt, permanent organization; W. F. Brannan, vice president; Daniel Farrell, secretary; M. M. Ham, member of the National Committee; L. G. Kinn, committee on notification.

Massachusetts—Hon. Joslah G. Abbott, chairman; J. W. Coveney, secretary; B. T. Lowell, resolutions; John W. Corcoran, credentials; John W. Cummings, organization; Hon. James E. Estabrook, vice president of the convention.

Maryland—John Lee Carroll, chairman; C. J. M. Gwynn, resolutions; A. P. Gorman, National committee.

Tennessee—John F. House, chairman; H. J. Lynn, secretary of the delegation; Albert T. McNeal, platform; John Slack, credentials; S. A. Champion, permanent organization; John L. Williams, vice president.

Illinois—John M. Palmer, chairman; W. H. Barnes, secretary; A. J. O'Conor, credentials; William A. J. Sparks, permanent organization; William R. Morrison, resolutions; S. Corning Judd, National Committee; A. E. Stevenson, notification; Anthony Norton, vice president; Harry Rubens, convention secretary.

Maine—Chairman, C. H. Chase; secretary, R. D. Runlet; credentials, J. F. Rawson; resolutions, D. R. Hastings; organization, Payson Tucker; vice president, Wm. D. Rust; National Committee, Wilson.

Michigan—Chairman, O. M. Barnes; secretary, Arthur A. J. Eddy; credentials, C. P. Black, resolutions, Timothy E. Tarsney; organization, O. W. Powers; vice president, Michael Shoemaker; National committee, Don M. Dickinson.

Compelled to Issue a Commission.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 7.—Judge Simonton Saturday filed an opinion in the case of Jonathan M. Nieman, of Pottstown, against Governor Pattison, an action to compel the latter to grant the former a commission as Justice of the Peace of the Third ward of Pottstown, Montgomery County. Nieman was elected on February last and his commission was refused him on the ground that the ward was not entitled to a Justice of the Peace. Judge Simonton says the borough of Pottstown is entitled to one Justice for each ward and that Nieman's election took place at the proper time. He grants a peremptory mandamus on the Governor, compelling him to issue the commission.

A Colored Chaplain.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The President has appointed Henry Plummer, a colored man, as chaplain of the Ninth Cavalry, one of the few regiments in the service composed of colored men. Mr. Plummer was a field hand in Prince George County, Md., at the time of the emancipation and could neither read nor write. But he got some schooling over there and then came to Washington as a student in Howard University. Postmaster General Creswell gave him a place in the Postoffice Department as janitor and he earned means to carry him through college. After graduation he took a course at Maryland Theological Seminary and has since been a pastor of a colored church in this city.

A Famine Threatened.

SALT LAKE, Utah, July 7.—Grand Junction, Col., being cut off on the east by the washing out of a bridge in the Black Canyon, and on the west by the tearing up of the track by President Lovejoy, is in a tight place for supplies, and a famine is threatened. Bancroft, Superintendent of the Denver & Rio Grande Western had freight sent round this way and was about to give relief when the Lovejoy move prevented it. He telegraphed in answer to inquiries, that the best he could do was to ship to the Gap and thence by team. The Mayor replied that if goods could go that far by rail he would send out teams and haul the thirty-five miles.

Two Worthy Mayors.

NEW LAREDO, Mexico, July 5.—Pablo Quintano, ex-Mayor of New Laredo, has been sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary for participation in the famous train robbery on the Mexican National Railway more than a year ago at La Jarita station, twenty-five miles from New Laredo. Santiago Seguin, the successor to Quintano as Mayor, was arrested a few days ago charged with the embezzlement of public funds, and has been sentenced to a term of penal servitude.

A Forger's Escape From Prison.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 7.—It is learned that C. R. Marshall, the English forger who was arrested in Milwaukee while attempting to pass cleverly executed £50 Bank of England notes and who had succeeded in getting good money for several of them here, escaped from the police station here. It is claimed at the station that he was liberated by a tramp, who stole a pass key and opened the doors.

A Swindler in the Toils.

LAREDO, Mex., July 7.—Young Morrison, who swindled the Traders' Bank on forged telegrams, is in durance in Monterey, and will be so detained until extradition papers can be procured. The Marshal in pursuit of the fugitive acknowledges valuable aid from Mexican judicial and executive authorities.

Forty Dwellings Burned.

MONTREAL, July 7.—Fire in Lachine Saturday destroyed forty houses, principally occupied by poor laborers. Three hundred people are homeless. Loss $50,000. The homeless people are housed in tents. A subscription has been started for their relief.

Mrs. Ammen Dead.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The wife of Rear Admiral Ammen died Sunday.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me will please call and settle, on or before the 15th of July, as after that time, all my accounts will be placed in proper hands for collection.
MRS. H. E. STOUT.

NOTICE.—Prices reduced at Spencer's. Our large head, bust cabinet only $4 per doz; former price $6. Standing or full length, only $1 per doz; former price $5. All card photos $3 for $. These prices continue for 60 days only. Quality of work better than ever before.
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NOTICE.—All my accounts have been left with H. W. Stevens for collection. Prompt settlement of the same requested. C. A. KEIL.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately as my old accounts must be collected. S. CATLIN, M.D.

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CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to those who labored so faithfully in saving my house and property from the fire on June 26th.
JOHN S. TEMPLE.

A Union City man signed a liquor bond as surety and received a lecture therefor last Sunday that will probably linger with him through life. It was delivered by the W. C. T. U. women who marshalled the children's band of hope and proceeded to his residence.

Prof Tice's weather predictions for July: 1st to 3d, threatening weather, accompanied by heavy storms in places; 4th and 5th, fair; 6th to 9th, heavy storms on 7th and 9th, generally threatening; 10th and 11th, fair; 12th to 15th, threatening clouds, and heavy storms about 13th; 16th and 17th, fair; 17th to 21st, with storms about 20th; 22d and 23d, fair; 24th to 27th, generally cloudy and threatening, but heaviest storms about 27th; 27th, fair; 29th to 31st, threatening weather, with local storms. The warmer days will be about 3d, 9th, 14th, 20th, 37th and 31st. The more moderate days will be about 4th, 10th, 16th, 22d and 27th.

EXCURSION TO DEVIL'S LAKE.

The excursion to Devil's Lake next Sunday is under the management of G. W. Lewis. A train will be run over the Wabash from Adrian to Britton, where it will connect with the M. & O. excursion train.

Let every one go. Take your children and have a Grand Pic-Nic in the beautiful grove of this splendid lake, the finest in Southern Michigan. Fine hotels, splendid steamboats and row boats, good fishing, and bathing suits for all. Special arrangements have been made at hotel for dinner and supper.

The following is the time table and price for the Round Trip:

Leave Toledo,	7:00	A. M.	$1.00
" Dundee	7:50	"	.80
" Britton	8:15	"	.65
" Ridgeway	8:20	"	.60
" Tecumseh	8:32	"	.50
" Tipton	8:50	"	.35
" Cambridge	9:05	"	.20

Arrive at Lake 9:20 A. M. Leave Lake at 7:00 P. M., arriving at Toledo 9:20 P. M. Tickets good for this day and train only. Patrons of this Grand Cheap Excursion will have the care of experienced and gentlemanly train men, who will look after every want, and take great pleasure in making all comfortable.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Geo. Knapp played the Cornet at Manchester day and evening.

Another page added to history; Mr. and Mrs. A. Page, a boy.

Mrs. F. W. DePuy has returned from an extended visit in New York state.

H. H. Keyser has been taking out the Texas notions and putting Mich. ideas in Milburn Keyser's pony the past week.

Lute Mudgett is putting his threshing rig in order for the fall campaign.

S. S. Brewster of Hanover, Jackson county, spent the 4th in Tecumseh. He was the guest of W. P. Mather. It has been fourteen years since he was here before.

W. R. Keeney of Flint, is around shaking hands with his old neighbors. He is as enthusiastic as ever over fine wool sheep; he keeps none but Atwood's registered on his farm.

W. B. Keyser will commence his 90 acre harvest this week.

Mrs. B. J. Slater is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. J. Cummins at Jackson.

Ora Bowen spent the fourth at Deerfield with VanVoores.

Mrs. Alice Borland of Normal Park, Cook county, Ill., is visiting at Mrs. L. G. North's with her three daughters.

C. E. Gridley has returned from Ohio.

Mr. A. E. Stevens of Chicago, will bring a short visit in Tecumseh to a close this week and return to that wicked city.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 10, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Haying is nearly completed in this section.

Better be ready and not go, than go and not be ready.

Fred Burlingame is rusticating at his home in this village.

Wages during haying are about $1.50 per day and board.

The grain fields give evidence of the nearness of harvest time.

Miss Lora Reynolds is rusticating at Manchester for a few weeks.

The new Catholic parsonage at Deerfield was dedicated last week.

Dyke Wilkinson, of Jackson, was visiting friends in Tecumseh last Sunday.

Ab Usborne and Tommy Aicken are at Chicago attending the convention.

Mrs. Frebus, of Washington, is visiting her uncle David VanTyne in this village.

Mr. F. C. Stoepel of Detroit was the guest of N. M. Sutton last Saturday & Sunday.

The annual school meeting of Adrian will take place on Monday evening next.

Mr. C. S. Lester will occupy the Baptist pulpit, in this village, next Sunday evening.

C. H. Hopkins of Battle Creek is spending a few days among his old Tecumseh friends.

Mrs. Freeman respectfully requests all who are indebted to her to call and settle the same immediately.

Miss Laura Erwin, telephone operator at Toledo, was in town last Sunday visiting Miss Ella Chiverall.

B. L. Baxter, Esq., who has been spending the past two weeks at home and in Deerfield returned to Lansing on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wynans—nee Hattie Baxter—passed last Sabbath at B. L. Baxter's. Mrs. Wynans will remain in town two or three weeks.

Our enterprising dry goods firm, Gainsley & Co., are making arrangements for their big clearing sale.—Look out for a detailed announcement soon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Brown will attend the National Photographer's Convention, to be held in Cincinnati, one week, beginning July 29th, and will close their place of business during their absence.

C. A. Thatcher has again returned to receive orders for and deliver crayon portraits. Having done work for our people during the past two years with the greatest satisfaction, we take pleasure in recommending him.

Rev. G. W. Hudson will return home the latter part of this week. He has been having a fine time shooting squirrels and has become so sun burned that his parishioners may have trouble in recognizing him. His vacation has greatly benefited him.

Wheat harvest will be generally begun this week. Weevil prevails to considerable extent, but the berry was too far developed to receive much injury. What is known as "blight" affects the crop quite seriously, and must cause a shrinkage of from two to five per cent.

An excursion train will be run from Toledo to Devil's Lake, over the M. & O., next Sunday. The train will leave Toledo at 7:00 A. M., Tecumseh at 8:32 A. M., arriving at the lake at 9:20 A. M. Returning the train will leave the lake at 7:00 P. M. Round trip, from Tecumseh costs only 50 cents.

The children's day exercises at the Methodist Episcopal Church, postponed from June 22, will be held next Sunday, July 13. The pastor will be back from his vacation, and will preach in the morning on "God's Estimate of Childhood." The Sunday School will give a concert in the evening.

Addison Courier: The dredging of the sand bar at Devil's lake is nearly completed. The steamer made her first trip across the bar last Saturday, taking with her the dredge boat and commenced work on the new dock at the Lake View landing, near the Michigan & Ohio railroad on the 30th of June.

G. B. Beardsell, proprietor of the Lake View hotel, Devil's lake, has leased five acres of ground of Mr. Cheesbro, at the north end of Devil's lake, near the Michigan & Ohio railroad, for the purpose of building a dock for the landing of the Steamer City of Hudson, which will make daily connections with trains of that road and his landing.

The wool market has been reasonably lively since the season opened and about 105,000 pounds have been received in all, by the three buyers, A. Hanford, E. G. Cook and H. W. Stevens. They are buying separately, but have taken in about equal amounts. The price paid has ranged on the average from 25 to 27 cents.—There is considerable more wool in this vicinity to be sold and the buyers will be in the market for several days yet.

Harvesting begins this week.

Local news is scarce this week.

Bert Tribou is spending his vacation at his home in this village.

Miss Emma Salisbury, of Addison, paid Tecumseh a visit on Saturday last.

Our military and G. A. R. boys report having had a fine time at Monroe on the 4th.

A good game of base ball can be expected to morrow between the Jonesville and Tecumseh clubs.

Complaints are made that many fields of wheat in this vicinity will be seriously damaged by the weevil.

The crop of sour cherries is the most abundant ever known in the county, and trees are "painted red" with the fruit.

The Monroeville, (Ohio) Spectator says that an inch and a half of snow fell in Tecumseh, Mich., on the 9th of June.

The Wild West and Texas Combination will give an exhibition on the Fair Grounds at Adrian, on Monday, July 14th.

We are indebted to D. R. Gibson of Clinton for a sample of his best honey. His bees evidently understand their business.

C. J. Hendershot, son of Isaac Hendershot of Macon who has been working at Leslie this summer, was at home to spend the 4th.

You do not appear to be very busy at your store, remarked a salesman to a friend. No, thank heaven, the boss has stopped advertising, and we are having a lovely time of it.

About this season of the year the hired man on the farm gets up a row with his employer, gets discharged and paid off, and is then ready to hire out by the day through harvest at good wages. After harvest he will be ready to hire out again by the month.

The Adventists will hold a camp meeting at Jackson, beginning Sept. 18. Some 200 tents will be spread and 4,000 of the faith it is said will attend. The annual meeting of the state society, which includes the state temperance society, the Sabbath school association, missionary and state conference will be held at the same time.

Newspapers, says an exchange, tho' everybody does not seem to think so, are always paid in advance. If the thoughtless subscriber does not do it the proprietor has to do so. The paper and ink manufactures will not wait till a year, or perhaps half a dozen years expire, before they get their pay.—We hope our subscribers who are in arrears will think of this.

The Japanese Wedding at the Opera House last Thursday evening, was witnessed by a good audience, and was certainly the most unique exhibition ever seen here. The Japanese seem to have a way of their own of managing the nuptial ceremony. A good musical program accompanied the wedding, the two making up a very pleasing entertainment. The venture was also a substantial success financially.

Adrian Press: John Gillespie, of Cambridge, was busily engaged in looking over his account book, figuring up profit and loss, while driving along the road a few days since, and while thus absorbed the horse was given free rein. A turkey suddenly flew up from the fence when the horse flew off up the road, Mr. Gillespie flew out upon his head, and the buggy flew into sections, till its maker couldn't recognize it. Hereafter, Gillespie will drive horses when riding, and figure up his accounts on a shingle, when he has time to sit on the fence and see the crops grow.

Hudson Gazette: The trains on the M. & O. road stop regularly now at Devil's lake. What would Dr. Hall and the other visitors to the shores of this quiet and beautiful inland retreat fifty years ago say, were they living, to see pleasure-seekers from Toledo and Central and Western Michigan steping off the cars to spend a few days on the camping ground of old Meteau and Bawbeese. This delightful spot which has for so many years been the resort of our own country people almost exclusively, is accessible to the outside world at last; but will lose none of its charms for a' that.

A THRIVING BUSINESS.

It may not be generally known that Mr. W. H. Ford, who is located in the old Cummins carriage shop on South Railroad street, is building up a large trade in his line. He opened his shop the first of January last. He does painting of all kinds, both outside and inside work on houses, and also wagon and carriage work. As he has an abundance of shop room he possesses unusual facilities for painting wagons and carriages. He paints all the new work made by I. B. Richart, and has a large trade in painting over old wagons and buggies. He makes a specialty of this kind of work, having turned out over forty during the past six months. His price for painting over a wagon or buggy is from $7, to $10, according to the amount of finish required. People in need of this class of work will do well to give Mr. Ford a call. The latch string is always out at his shop. He likes to see his friends and he likes to do their work for them.

Hudson Post: A Tecumseh man has been compelled to relinquish teaching a Sunday school class. Sunday headaches are usually caused by Saturday night "brindles," but we suppose the case in question is an exception.

According to the statistics obtained by the secretary of the state, the average wages paid farm hands per month, with and without board, for the four southern tiers of counties, is $18.24 and $25.28, while that of the entire state is $18.3; and $26.78.

A county Mass Union Convention is hereby called to meet in the city of Adrian on Saturday, August 2nd, 1884, for the purpose of electing a new county committee and also to elect delegates to the state convention to be held at Lansing, Aug. 27. All who are in favor of the suppression by law of the drink shops, are cordially invited to be present.

Adrian Record: Mr. Frank Chaffee, who resides about one mile from the city, is more particular what he fats his hogs on than most people. Last week he turned a big porker into a clover field, in which twelve hens and a turkey each had a brood of young ones, and the animal immediately proceeded to prove that he was a hog by eating every one of the young chickens and turkeys, and by way of dessert, he nearly destroyed a field of new potatoes which was adjacent.

At the alumni exercises at Coldwater, last week, the orator related the following incident: "A young fellow in San Francisco suddenly snatched a kiss from a lady friend and excused himself by saying that it was a sort of temporary insanity that now and then came upon him. When he rose to take his leave, the pitying damsel said to him: 'If you ever feel any more such fits coming on, you had better come right here, where your infirmity is known, and we will take care of you.'"

The executive committee of the agricultural society have authorized the sale of life membership tickets. The object in view is to secure immediate money for the purpose of putting the new grounds into necessary repair. The exhibitors of the county are elated over the idea that they are to have the finest grounds for exhibition in the state, and are making preparations to bring out the finest show that has ever been had in Lenawee county. A new broom sweeps clean, and the society are anxious to meet the demands both of exhibitors and spectators, by making the accommodations as adequate as possible, and for this purpose have issued life membership tickets at $10 apiece, giving the holder all the privileges for life that a regular membership ticket gives annually, viz: Voting power, and at each regular fair, on presentation to the treasurer, the holder receives four admission tickets. It is to be hoped that the friends of the fair will respond liberally. The tickets will be put into the hands of solicitors, and the county will be immediately canvassed.
M. GRAVES, Sec'y.

CARMAN FAMILY.

The people who were so fortunate as to hear these wonderful singers last winter will be pleased to learn that they are again to visit Tecumseh. They will sing in the Baptist Church Thursday evening, July 17th, for the benefit of the Sunday School Library Fund. The price of admission will be the same as last winter, namely, 25cts. In view of the excellence of the singing and the laudable object for which they come, there should be a full house.

Examination for West Point.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, JUNE 27, '84.

A board will convene in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 30th day of July next, for the purpose of examining such young men as desire to become candidates for appointment to the United States military academy for the Second congressional district. Candidates upon entering the academy must be between the ages of seventeen and twenty two. All candidates must be at least five feet in height, free from all deformity and disease. All persons desiring to become candidates can address me at Adrian.
N. B. ELDREDGE.

The Teacher's Institute for 1884.

The State Teachers' Institute for Lenawee county will this year be held at Adrian, beginning at 9 o'clock A. M. of Monday, August 4th, and continuing two weeks. Supt. Z. C. Spencer of Battle Creek, formerly of Tecumseh, will conduct the Institute. All sessions will be held in the High School room of the central school building, corner of Church and Division streets, and will open promptly at 9 o'clock. Teachers are requested to bring text books, as it is intended to put the work into the form of class instruction as far as possible. A Normal class will be organized at the same hour and place, on Monday, July 28th, one week before the beginning of the Institute, and will continue until its close. Instruction will will be given during the first week in Physiology, Arithmetic and Geography, for which a charge of one dollar will be made.

Further particulars, if desired, may be obtained by addressing A. E. Curtis Local Committee, Adrian, Mich.

The celebrated Carman family will give a concert on Thursday evening, July 17th, at the Baptist church.

Mrs. Spaulding has a Night Blooming Cereus that will gratify the curiosity of those who call at her greenhouse Friday or Saturday evening! Many call to note the progress of the singular bud.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Union League on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, 18th inst., in Reform Club Rooms, to transact such business as may come before them. Good speakers in attendance. Come one, come all. ORDER OF PRES.

Population of Adrian. The Record says the following figures, though not official, will be found approximately correct: First ward, 2,200; Second ward, 3,100; Third ward, 1,700; Fourth ward, 2,220; Total, 6,200. This is a gain of only about 1,600 since the last census, four years ago.

Hudson Gazette: The state enumeration of the census of Hudson is finished. Singularly enough the population of our village remains at just the figures of 1880—not one more or less—2,254. The population of the township is given at 3,604. This is a falling off of 2, if the figures include a part of Clayton village (176 in 1880), otherwise a decrease of 178.

Messrs. Henry & Varson, the feather bed renovators, who have secured rooms in Slayton & Son's block, are meeting with the best of success, and are having plenty to do. We have examined their mode of renovating feathers and have no hesitancy in pronouncing their Cold Air Process perfect in all its working, and Henry & Varson are gentlemen and will do honest work for all who give them their patronage.

Even now, when the farmer is calling for help to assist in the hay and corn fields, the miserable tramps stalk through the country begging their living but refusing to work, because they cannot obtain employment at their trade. Sometimes we think they have no trade at all, and only make that an excuse to get something for nothing. Some means should be devised to make these miserable beings work and earn a living.

Monroe Commercial: The weevil is making great destruction in the wheat fields in this locality. Fields along Sandy Creek and up the river Raisin will be utterly destroyed—not worth cutting. We fear the pest will be quite general in its ravages throughout the country. Reports from Ohio say the weevil is also doing its work of destruction in that state. It is now about thirty years since the weevil operated in the wheat fields in this state, and they staid with us about two years.

BASE BALL.

It is very seldom that Tecumseh people see a better game of ball than that played on the afternoon of the 4th., by the Mutuals, of Jackson, and the Tecumseh club. Notwithstanding the many counter attractions around the county in the shape of celebrations, which drew many of our citizens away from home, a large gathering was present to witness the game. The game was called at 2 P. M., by umpire Frazier with the Tecumsehs at the bat, who were put out in one, two, three order, not one of the three men getting to first base, and in fact nobody got to first until the last half of the third innings, when Anderson lifted the ball over in the field, and scored a run before the close of the innings.

The Tecumseh battery consisted of Heidenrich and Kelley, and it is safe to say, no other amateur club in the state sports a stronger one. Will Tray, who pitched for our club last year, did the firing for the Mutuals, with E. Tray behind the bat. Both played a perfect game.

Bostwick, as usual, played an excellent game, scoring three runs without an error. Anderson redeemed his former batting record by knocking the ball all over the diamond. Chapman handled the ball in good shape as short, while Miller got rattled and did some very wild throwing over to first base. The Jackson boys also played an excellent game, their fielding exciting general admiration. In the second innings, Livermore, of the Jacksons, was struck on the head by a wild ball thrown by Kelly, which laid him up during two innings and his place was very creditably filled by Will T. Eccles, who surprised the audience by the manner in which he handled his bat. Will got to first base, but there he "got left." Below we present the score in full.

TECUMSEH.

	A.B.	R.	1.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Miller, 3b	6	1	1	1	0	2	2
F. Bostwick, 2b	6	3	1	2	2	0	0
Kelly, p	3	2	0	0	1	2	1
Heidenrich, c	6	1	2	2	12	1	0
Freeman, 1b	6	0	1	1	7	0	1
Chapman, s.s.	6	1	2	2	0	1	0
McKinney, r.f.	6	0	0	0	1	0	0
Anderson, l.f.	5	1	1	1	2	0	0
Holderman, c.f.	5	1	0	0	2	1	1
Total	49	10	8	9	27	7	5

MUTUALS.

	A.B.	R.	1.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Derby, 1b	5	0	0	0	8	0	0
Morrissy, s.s.	5	0	0	0	2	1	1
Livermore, 2b	4	0	1	1	3	1	1
W. Tray, p	4	0	0	0	2	3	0
Burrell, 3b	4	2	2	2	2	1	3
E. Tray, c	4	1	1	1	7	1	0
Brennor, l.f.	4	0	0	0	1	1	0
Youngs, r.f.	4	0	1	1	1	0	0
Revenaugh, c.f.	4	0	1	1	1	0	0
Total	38	3	6	6	27	8	5

The population of Hudson is 2274, the exact number which it had four years ago.

Rumor says there is a prospect of the establishment at Devil's Lake of a great midsummer religious assembly, similar to those at Chautauqua and Grand Park, to be conducted under the auspices of the Baptists.

"Pa, is that a circus tent"
A little boy inquired:
"To carry it along the street
Must make that woman tired."
"My son, that object on the street,
Is nothing more or less"
Than woman's form, a hoop skirt, and
A Mother Hubbard dress.

One of the most painful accidents of the Fourth occurred in Raisin. A little boy named Bowerman, about 4 years old was with others playing with cattails, which they stuck into gasoline and then set on fire. In some way the gasoline was spilled over upon the little fellow's pants and set on fire. The boy's clothes were not burned, but the gasoline burned fiercely, literally roasting the poor little fellow ere the flames could be smothered. His hands were so badly burned that the flesh sloughed off their backs and the palms were great blisters. His condition is critical, although his physician has hopes of his recovery.

Hello! Hello!! Hello.

Did you hear the news?

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—Brown, the Photographer, will close his Gallery for one week beginning July 28th, to attend the National Convention of Photographers.

—Bring on your buggies to be painted. During the months of July and August I will paint over top buggies for $5, and carriages for $6. Shop at Cummins' old carriage factory. W. H. Ford.

—Do not buy a hay rack until you have seen the Hay and Stock Rack made by I. B. Richart, Tecumseh, Mich.

—If you have an old wagon or buggy that needs a new coat of paint, take it to W. H. Ford's, at Cummins old Carriage Shop, Railroad street, Tecumseh.

—Coal! Coal!—

Before giving your orders for soft coal be sure and call on S. W. Temple agent for best soft and hard coals.

—Call on Slayton & Son and see the Hay Loader. It works complete and saves much labor.

—Ladies Fine Stationary, Visiting, Regret Cards, Birthday Cards, Scrap Pictures and Shelf Paper at Keip's.

—For fine goods in his line don't forget Adamson's.

—If you cannot buy a new buggy in these hard times, get the old one painted over at W. H. Ford's.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Attention Farmers! Do not be fooled into buying cheap *Binding Twine*. It will not go as far and your Machines will not work as well. We have a supply of both Manilla and Hemp Twine that we warrant to be all right. Slayton & Son.

—House painting of all kinds neatly and cheaply done by W. H. Ford. Shop in Cummins' old Carriage Shop on Railroad street.

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—Wall Paper at F. W. Keip's.

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The Rev. J. E. Searles, of New York, is one of the most widely-known and highly esteemed of Methodist ministers.

Mr. Searles says: "I am impressed that it is a duty I owe to those afflicted with Rheumatism or Neuralgia, to say that a remedy has been discovered that is indeed a marvelous success. My son was greatly afflicted with Rheumatism, and suffered so severely that, at times, he was obliged to have morphine injected into his arm to get relief. While in this condition he discovered a remedy which effected immediate relief, and a permanent cure. He has since furnished it to many others with the same result. I have also furnished it to a number of persons suffering with Rheumatism, and the result has been immediate relief and apparent cure. Another effect, I have it. Editor Wm. P. Corbit, pastor of the George st. M. E. Church, New Haven, Conn., who is assuring greatly with this terrible disease. I will give you his own words as written to my son, with authority to publish the fact for the benefit of others suffering with the same disease."

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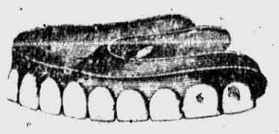

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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—A Church of England divine has just published a biography of Judas Iscariot, intended as an apology for the famous traitor.

—Henry Wheeler, of Hickory Flat, Ga., has never seen a city, and is ninety-four years old. He has 122 grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He never used rum or tobacco.

—Mr. John B. Tolman, a veteran printer of Lynn, Mass., has given the Young Men's Christian Association, of that city, an estate valued at $30,000, stipulating that the income shall be used in promoting the cause of temperance.

—Prof. Gilbert E. Bailey, the well-known geologist, has been reappointed Territorial Geologist of Wyoming Territory. Prof. Bailey is one of the early pioneers and has done much to develop the mineral resources of the Territory and of the Black Hills of Dakota.

—Mrs. Bolton writes in the *Independent*: Great numbers of post-offices in England are managed by women. I said to one in London: "You manage this as well as a man." "We are said to do it better," she replied, "because people say, we are quicker and more patient."

—Miss Constance Bell, a handsome twelve-year-old girl of Boykin, S. C., came home from boarding-school and found Dr. Jasper Benson, an eighty-year-old stranger, sick in her father's house. She nursed the old gentleman, and, at the end of two weeks, as soon as he was able to walk, they were married, the girl's parents giving full consent.

—Of the members of the Twenty-seventh Congress it is said the following are the only survivors: John R. Reading, of New Hampshire; Robert C. Winthrop, of Massachusetts; Hiland Hall, of Vermont; Richard W. Thompson, of Indiana; David L. Tulee, of Florida; William M. Gwinn, of Mississippi (now of California); Harvey M. Watterson, of Tennessee; Robert M. T. Hunter and Alexander H. H. Stuart, of Virginia.

—Ericsson, the inventor, has lived for twenty years or more in the same house in the lower part of New York city. His life is regular and methodical. Rising early, before six, he walks for an hour and after a light breakfast, goes to work on his inventions; from eleven o'clock until four is spent in reading, during which he also indulges in a luncheon; and after an hour's rest, he goes to work on his inventions with another walk through the lower part of the city—generally along the wharves.

HUMOROUS.

—A dandy, wishing to be witty, accosted an old ragman as follows: "You take all sorts o' trumpery in your cart, dont you?" "Yes; jump in! jump in!"

—A young girl began to sing "Listen to the Mocking Bird," and every body in the room rushed hastily out to find a mocking bird to listen to.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—He: "In what respect does billiards change my usual disposition?" She (naively): "Does it change your disposition?" He: "Yes; in billiards I never kiss when I can help it; whereas, ordinarily—" She: "You never kiss if anybody else can help it."

"Mary," said a mother to her daughter, "has Henry proposed yet?" "Not yet, ma, but I think he will before many days." "What makes you think so?" "Because he asked me if you expected to live with me if I married, and I told him no."—*Philadelphia Herald.*

—The father of five marriageable daughters was in town a few days ago trying to buy some four-leaf clover seed to plant in his back yard. He said he had read that when a young girl finds a four-leaf clover it is a sign that she will be married within a year.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Part of the name of the Queen of Hanover is Alexandrina Maria Theresa Henriette Louisa Paulina Elizabeth Frederica Georgina. She has more phenominal handles, but these are all the King uses when he calls her to sew a button on his trousers.—*Jersey City Journal.*

"It isn't possible that you swim, Mr. Jones?" "Yes, madam, I do. Why do you think it so strange?" "Because, Mr. Jones, the idea of your taking to water is very funny." Jones thinks some widows are entirely too sharp, and now is looking for some one else to love.—*Philadelphia Chronicle.*

—A lunatic captured a butcher shop the other night, and with knife and cleaver held three hundred men at bay. In a moment of weakness, however, he attempted to carve a porter-house steak, cut near the horns, and was a vanquished man in five minutes. That a man should be so foolish when life and liberty were at steak.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A young lady from the lower country, who has been visiting in Alturas, Cal., said just before she left there recently, that the people of Modoc County were the most generous she had ever met. During her short stay there she had been offered a half interest in a saw-mill, a barber-shop, a printing-office, a gentleman horse and a livery-stable, respectively, to say nothing of the offer of two or three saloons, ranches and bands of cattle.

The Glacial Period.

The term "glacial period," during which large portions of the earth were covered with ice, is especially applied to the close of the tertiary period, when nearly all of Europe experienced an arctic climate, and whole races of men, animals and plants were driven south or destroyed. This cold snap commenced 240,000 years ago and lasted 160,000 years. Science says it was caused by the increased eccentricity of the earth's orbit influencing ocean currents, and that we have cold spells from the same cause every 15,000 years. Darwin believed it because it enabled him to account for the similarity of plants and animals found in America, Africa, Europe and Australia, and also explained what become of the races of men that inhabited Europe 240,000 years ago, of whom vestiges are traced down to 80,000 years. There have been cold waves occurring at intervals since, but that glacial period was the longest and coldest winter on record.—*Indianapolis Sun.*

An Egyptian Battalion 1400 B. C.

The formation of the battalion for combat was as follows:

The 100 Captains formed the front rank of the battalion, and each Captain had his 100 men in file behind him. A Corporal at the head of each nine men. The chief of each 1,000 men was in front of the center of the two companies, while the Colonel commanding the grand battalion was in front of the center.

The leaders were not mounted on horseback, but were mounted in two-wheeled chariots drawn usually by two horses. In the chariots were carried a supply of javelins and arrows, for the use of the chief, who usually had in the chariot with him a soldier, who held a buckler to cover him from the arrows of the enemy, while he fleas about hurling his bow and spears.

In the early days, and down to the time of Sesostris, the officers and non-commissioned officers carried buckler and swords, while the private soldiers of infantry carried each a buckler and a battle-ax. Sometimes the battle-ax was accompanied by, and sometimes replaced by, a spear.

It is easy to see that Moses drew from the military organization of Egypt that which he adopted for the Israelites, and later on the Greeks their formations. Both these nations took their first lessons in civilization and organization from Egypt.

In the earliest monuments and records of the Egyptian army there is no sign of the existence of the horse as a military animal, while in the monuments of the eighteenth dynasty, the war-horse is everywhere indicated. It is probable that the war-horse was first introduced by the Shepherd Kings, who came in from Syria about 4,100 years ago. It is certain that the horse formed an important agent in the military establishment of Egypt, under the legitimate Kings of the country, 1,700 years before the Christian era, and the lack of monuments erected during the 500 years of struggle between the Shepherd Kings and the Thebans explains easily the lack of record on this subject. Sesostris had at one time 20,000 war-chariots in line drawn by horses.—*General Stone, in Journal Military Service Institution of the United States.*

The Language of Umbrellas.

There is a language of umbrellas as of flowers. For instance, place your umbrella under and and close lovers. To open it quickly in the street means that somebody's eye is going to be put out; to shut it, that a hat or two is to be knocked off. An umbrella carried over a woman, the man getting nothing but the drippings of the rain, signifies courtship. When a man has the umbrella and the woman the drippings it indicates marriage. To push your umbrella into a person and then open it means "I dislike you." To swing your umbrella over your head signifies "I am making a nuisance of myself." To trail your umbrella along the foot-path means that the man behind you is thirsting for your blood. To carry it at right angles under your arm signifies that an eye is to be lost by the man hat follows you. To open an umbrella quickly, it is said, will frighten a mad bull. To put a cotton umbrella by the side of a silk one signifies "Exchange is not robbery." To purchase an umbrella means "I am not not smart, but honest." To lend an umbrella indicates "I am a fool." To return an umbrella means—well, never mind what it means, nobody ever does that. To turn an umbrella in a gust of wind presages profanity. To carry your umbrella in a case signifies it is a shabby one. To carry an umbrella just high high enough to tear out men's eyes and knock off men's hats signifies "I am a woman." To press an umbrella on your friend, saying, "Oh! do take it; I had much rather you would than not," signifies lying. To give a friend half of your umbrella means that both of you will get wet. To carry it home in the morning means "It will clear off."—*Dom Juice's Magazine.*

A Foiled Diplomat.

"George, dear," she said, entering the parlor with her bonnet on, "I guess we'd better take a walk; papa is expecting company to night."

"Very well," added her lover, apprehensively, recalling the expensive consequences of previous walks. Before they had gone half a block, however, an idea struck him and he said:

"I was reading such an interesting article in the paper this morning."

"Yes, what was it about?"

"About the danger of eating ice cream. You can't imagine how many people have died from it, Lizzie. In eight cases out of ten it's rank poison."

"Oh, my, how glad I am you told me, dear," exclaimed the innocent girl, with a Chicago twinkle in her eye; "you buy me a couple of quarts of it and I'll take it home to kill rats."—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—A good amateur actor carried a sachel into a Baltimore groggery, and displayed contents that seemed to be money to the amount of $25,000, at the same time pretending to be demented. A companion soon intimated to the rum-seller that the treasure ought to be taken care of, and agreed to leave it in his possession if he would hand over $500 as security. "But this must be your own money," said the friend, "for nothing in the bag must be disturbed." The sum was eagerly advanced by the saloon man, who, of course, intended to keep the bag, in which he subsequently found nothing but worthless paper.

—South Carolina raises no tobacco. More than one hundred years ago eight thousand hogsheads grown in the State were annually exported from Charleston. Last season the North Carolina yellow-tobacco belt produced crops which, in various instances, netted planters three dollars and fifty cents per acre clear profit. This result, so close to their own homes, is stirring up the South Carolinians to revive tobacco culture wherever the soil is favorable. They see an excellent chance to acquire another cash crop.

—A little girl in town was trying to tell her mother how beautiful a certain lady could trill in singing, and said: "Oh, mamma, you ought to hear her gargle, she does it so sweetly."

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 06 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 22 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 31 "	9 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 32 "	8 50 "
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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A. M.	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
7 20	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
6 51	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
6 01	6 34	11 32	....Ridgeway....	3 30	10 06	4 02
5 25	6 41	11 43	....Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 32
5 00	6 55	12 00	.. Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
4 30	7 10	12 15	....Cambridge....	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 40	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8.33	12 37
P. M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P. M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
1 22	9 00	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
1 40	9 22	2 41	....Cer sco....	12 25	7 19	9 46
1 50	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
2 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
2 33		3 39	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
2 35		3 56	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
2 55		4 57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
3 22		4 16	....Monteith....	10 49		6 15
3 30		4 27	....Fisk....	10 39		5 55
3 50		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
4 00		4 45	Ar..Allegan..Lv	10 20		5 15
P. M.		P.M.		A. M.		A. M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 08
Manchester	10 51	10 31	4 37
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Seven Oak		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bryan		12 48	6 39
Berlin	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	38.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
Berlin	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bryan	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Seven Oak	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 39	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 20	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 47	11 18	
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
3 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
3 34	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 16	4 48
3 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
3 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
3 57	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
4 06	7 58		8 47	4 04
4 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 50
4 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 40
4 35	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
4 43	8 46	.....Aza la.....	8 20	3 40
4 48	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
4 56	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
5 03	9 06	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
5 13	9 24	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
5 19	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 46	3 02
5 26	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 19
5 40	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
5 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
5 50	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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An Appetizing Table.

In food, as in medicine, new prescriptions are offered and old advice discarded constantly; and this is unavoidable while the science of human life is involved in obscurity, and empiricism is our only guide. Probably we err in jumping to conclusions too readily, and trying to make a test of individual experience, or that of nations, allowing too little for modifying circumstances. Rules for diet, therefore, may properly be dispensed with much diffidence, knowing how readily they may be controverted. The effort to reach the best physical condition and conform to the highest authority is creditable; and we do well to notice what seems to agree with us best, what gives us most buoyancy and strength, though it serves only as a rule for ourselves, not for others.

But one can live well on vegetables, and set a beautiful and appetizing table. Vegetarianism implies abstinence from flesh and blood, leaving us milk, cream, eggs, with all the fruits and vegetable abundance that our seasons produce. From spring until late in fall we can have substantial food from our own gardens, as potatoes in variety, early and late peas, beans of various kinds, corn of several sorts with all the dishes made of it; and all through these months we can have relishes in greens, spinach, dandelions, mustard, with lettuces and other salads, cucumbers, beets, tomatoes, etc., etc. Indeed, I think the housewife a very unskilled server of tables who cannot make her family forget the flesh-pots during this period.

In winter we still have vegetables if we raise them and put them in the cellar, while the dried beans, peas and corn, the canned goods, with foreign-grown vegetables, and luscious fruits, from tropical climes, abundant in our markets, all serve to increase our supply and make variety on our tables. All through the year we have the breakfast cereals—steam-cooked white oats, shredded maize and prepared wheat—diminishing labor and improving the bill of fare. We are told of more than twenty ways of cooking eggs, and the combination dishes of vegetables and fruit with milk, cream and eggs are almost numberless. There is plenty to eat, and good eating, too, if one wishes to abstain from flesh and blood: to abjure the slaughter of animals and avoid the effect of their diseases.

Combinations assimilate in the system most is not only good, but delicate cooking. No matter what the food may be, a want of attention or a want of knowledge may spoil it. Many a woman, however, is blamed for poor cooking, when the fault is entirely in the supplies. Whether vegetarians or not, we do well to have vegetables early and late, and of the best kinds, to give variety to our tables, and help us to avoid the excessive use of a concentrated and animalized diet, which, I fancy, will hardly be shown to be good for us. Dr. Andrew Combe thought all that can be sensibly said in regard to diet relates to quality and quantity—the quality should be plain, the quantity moderate.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Wiggins' Dark Moon.

For many years it has been my belief that our planet is accompanied by two satellites, a visible and a dark one, the distance of the latter from the earth being probably double that of the former. The librations of the moon, the irregularity of the moon, the irregularity of her motions in her orbit, and the fact her perigee seldom takes place immediately on the orbit of our earth in advance of the earth's course, are strong evidence of the disturbing influence of a sister satellite. The variation in the time and height of the tides, occasional tides of excessive height without apparent cause, and the frequent occurrence of double tides can not be explained on the hypothesis that the earth is attended by only one secondary. Earthquakes which are caused by unusual planetary attraction frequently occur when it would appear that the force which produced them had not yet reached its climax, and could not till after the moon's conjunction with the sun. The recent earthquake in England occurred two days before the moon was in conjunction with the solar orb, and before she was in perigee, showing that her attractive power must have joined with another and very nearly equal force before she reached the line of her solar conjunction. This earthquake, I predicted, would return with increased violence on May 20. It did so, causing the destruction of many villages and the death of hundreds of people. On the same day occurred the disastrous cyclone in British Burmah. The earthquake, however, did not appear in England, and I am convinced it was moved eastward by the influence of this dark planet. The recent cold wave which passed over America must have been due to this source, and as nearly the same conditions will exist on the 26th and 27th of the present month (June) the same cold wave would appear were it not for the changed position of this dark horse of the heavens.

All great storms should occur after certain planetary conjunctions, whereas they frequently precede them, and it is for this reason that many meteorologists—among them Sir William Thompson—have denied that the moon has any influence whatever in producing storms on the surface of our globe. Years before I published predictions I found that some of my storms would be delayed for several days, others would appear ahead of time, and frequently the heaviest would be annihilated altogether. There were no known planets which could possibly produce this effect, and I was at length forced to the conclusion, as I have said, that our earth is accompanied by a dark satellite. It would further appear that the "dark days" of which frequent mention is made in history—so called because they could not be traced to any solar eclipse—were of such a character as to justify the belief that they were caused by an opaque body intervening between our globe and the sun, for the suddenness and brevity of the darkness could not be interpreted as due to smoke or vapor in the earth's atmosphere.

I am confident that the moon and this dark satellite were in conjunction with the sun, or nearly so, on March 9, 1883, which produced the eruption of the great Java volcano, and caused the storms which I predicted would be—and the London *Times* says it was the greatest storm of the present century. On March 26, 1884, this planet was somewhere in the neighborhood of her inferior or superior conjunction, and heightened the storm on the 27th of that month. Strange to add, I have just received letters from Michigan saying that a solar eclipse was visible in that State on May 16, 1884, at seven o'clock in the evening, when fully one-third of the solar disc was in darkness. As the moon at that moment was twelve degrees south of the celestial equator, and the sun was as many degrees north of it, this phenomenon could not have been caused by our visible satellite. Doubtless it was the passing of this dark planet across the sun's disc.

I have little sympathy with Prof. Proctor and others, who, with the prejudice of the old-school men, persist in declaring that our moon is a dead planet, and is not possessed of an atmosphere. Any one who will take the trouble to look when she is in quadrature will see with the naked eye on a clear night, the whole luminous annulus or ring of light that surrounds her orb, which is proof positive and complete that she is enveloped in an atmosphere similar to our own. The same arguments were used long ago by Dr. Dick and others to prove that Jupiter and other primaries are destitute of atmosphere, while the very fact that they are visible is evidence that they are endowed with atmospheres like that of our own globe, for surely no one is now antiquated enough to believe that life exists throughout space but only in the atmosphere of the planets. The non-existence of a second satellite to the earth is therefore not proved by reason of its invisibility. Its position can only be ascertained by noticing the sudden quenching of stars, and I trust that astronomers, both in America and Europe, will aid in obtaining the magnitude and motion of this lonely wanderer in the sidereal heavens.—*E. Stone Wiggins, in N. Y. Tribune.*

Militia and Mobs.

In most riots the neglect of a few simple principles by both civil and military authorities has caused most of the bloodshed. The militia should be assembled promptly. If this is delayed, their armories may be surrounded and their assemblage prevented. Besides, the knowledge that troops are in readiness strengthens the police and intimidates the mob. They should not be paraded until the last moment. The bayonet and rifle are deadly weapons, and not suited for mere police work. But as soon as there is danger of the police being overpowered the militia should march to their aid, and then all sentimentality should be dispensed with.

A mob is a gang of law breakers, with the criminal class coming to the top as it gains power; and the very existence of society depends upon its being promptly put down. Half-way measures are cruelty. Any militia officer who permits his men to be shot or stoned without resistance deserves a court-martial. A mob never appreciates forbearance. Blank cartridges simply inspire them to fresh assaults. Firing in the air has the same effect, besides killing innocent people at a distance. Volleys are seldom necessary. To detail a few sharp-shooters to pick off the leading aggressors is far preferable. If the thrower of the first brick is shot, as a rule no more will be thrown. Four shots at Cincinnati which killed four leaders dispersed the mob that attacked Powells' gun-store. The same number fired with like effect would have scattered that which attacked the jail, if they had been the first which had been fired by the troops. It must be remembered that no troops will stand being stoned or being shot at without firing in return. If the officers wait too long (as was the case in the Orange riots in New York), some one is sure to fire without orders, bringing on a general fire which unnecessarily destroys many lives. The troops should not allow themselves to be besieged. Strong detachments should traverse the streets, aiding the police in dispersing all crowds and in clearing the streets. The mob, when once broken, will never again collect. If the militia are strong and well disciplined, and it is understood distinctly that they will permit no trifling, their mere appearance is usually sufficient. If their condition is such that the mob do not fear them, many lives have to be sacrificed before peace can be restored.—*Century Magazine.*

Still Another Dodge.

"The coin-thieves, or whatever you want to call them, are up to a new dodge," remarked a Third street banker to a reporter this morning.

"Yes, what is it?"

"Well, you know they formerly punched holes in coins, but when that was stopped by the public universally refusing to take punched silver they set about to find a new dodge. Now they clip the edges of coins. I have just opened a roll containing ten dimes and I find that two of them have been clipped."

Thereupon the speaker exhibited the mutilated coins. From their edges there had been neatly cut off a metal shaving, that was, perhaps, an eighth of an inch in thickness. The work had been done very skillfully, and the cutting was clean and sharp. It is not very probable that one man in ten would have noticed that anything was wrong with the coins, as their rounded outlines were scarcely broken. It was only when one ran his fingers across the serrated edge that it was apparent that a portion of it was gone.

"Yes," continued the banker, "that is one of the cleverest tricks that I have ever detected. I have been looking the matter up recently, and I found that a great deal of coin has been thus clipped. I presume that a dollar is made on about every two hundred dimes that are shaved. Whoever is doing it I must say that he knows how to conceal his tracks."

"When did you discover that coins were being clipped?"

"Only a couple of weeks ago, but I am convinced that it is being done on a large scale. I do not doubt that before long people will refuse to take clipped coins as they do now punched.—*Cincinnati Star.*

—"Mr. Charles Reade left $100,000 in "Hard Cash."

American Institute on Grapes and Wine

A Committee from the Farmer's club of the American Institute appointed to visit Vineyards and Wine Cellars, and examine into American Wine culture report that the wines of Alfred Speer, at Passaic, New Jersey, are the most reliable to be obtained, and that his Oporto Grape makes a Port Wine equal to any in the world. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

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Farmers around Newport are discovering that the weevil is making sad havoc in the wheat fields, and great fears are felt lest the entire crop be ruined.

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Mrs. Crawford, the sister of Jacob Crouch, who was robbed of a large amount a few days ago, kept her money in an old kettle under the sink.

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

An adventist elder has been bounced from the fold because he did not accept Mrs. Ellen White's "visions" as direct revelations from God.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

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There have been five cases of small pox at LeRoy and more are expected, and the town is under quarantine.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 10, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESS.

THE Senate on the 2d insisted on its amendments to the Naval bill and the River and Harbor bill, and conferences were ordered. The Sundry Civil bill was taken up. After debate, the clause providing for compensation by salaries instead of fees for United States Marshals was stricken out. A motion to include Louisville and Cincinnati expositions in the clause providing for participation by the Government in the New Orleans exposition was agreed to. The amount appropriated for the above purpose was reduced from $300,000 to $200,000, and the bill then passed. Adjourned.

In the House a vote was taken upon the motion of substituting the minority Fortification bill for the bill reported by a majority of the Committee on Appropriations, and it was agreed to. The bill as amended by the adoption of the substitute was then passed—yeas 130, nays 6. It appropriates $885,000. The conference report on the bill granting the right of way through the Indian Territory to the Southern Kansas Railroad Company was agreed to. The Speaker laid before the House the President's veto of the Fitz-John Porter bill, and announced that immediate action was in order. Mr. Slocum moved that the bill be passed over the President's objection and demanded the previous question. It was ordered, and the bill passed—yeas 166, nays 78. Adjourned.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 3d the Fitz-John Porter veto message, which was read. The question being, "Shall the bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the President," the yeas and nays were taken, resulting in the yeas 2, nays 2, two-thirds not voting in the affirmative the bill failed to pass. The anti-Chinese bill was called up and passed without amendment—yeas 43, nays 12. Consideration of the bill to forfeit the unearned lands granted the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad was resumed; two or three unimportant amendments were agreed to, and the bill then passed. The Senate insisted on its amendments to the Fortification bill. Also on its amendments to the Sundry Civil Service bill, and committees of conference were ordered. A resolution was agreed to authorizing the appointment of five Senators to examine into the capacity of steel-producing works in the United States to make steel suitable for guns of high power, and plate suitable for war ships, etc. Messrs. Hawley, Miller of California, Aldrich, Morgan and Butler were appointed as the committee. Adjourned. In the House majority and minority reports were presented by the select committee appointed to inquire whether any ex-members had violated the privileges of the House. A motion to lay the whole matter on the table was agreed to—yeas 157, nays [illegible], [illegible] Mr. Morrison's bill was rejected, but upon taking a vote upon the amendments the House found itself without a quorum, and a recess was taken until ten a. m. of the 4th.

THE Senate on the 4th met at eleven o'clock, and listened to the reading of the Declaration of Independence. Bills were passed: Granting a pension to the widow of Thomas Brady; increasing the pension of Colonel Hugh T. Reid; authorizing the President to appoint General Averill to the position of Colonel in the army, and then place him on the retired list of that rank. Messages were received from the House announcing concurrence of that body in the conference reports on the River and Harbor bill, the bill to punish the violations of the Internal Revenue laws, the bill amending the seventy-second article of war, and the bill to consolidate the Bureau of Military Justice and corps of Judge Advocates of the army. The Postal Telegraph bill was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Sherman further consideration of the bill was postponed until the second Monday of December next. The House met in continuation of the session of the 3d. Mr. Willis presented the conference report on the River and Harbor Appropriation bill; agreed to. The bill appropriates $11,826,540. The conference report on the bill limiting the time within which prosecutions may be instituted against persons charged with violating the internal revenue laws was agreed to. Consideration of the Mexican Pension bill was resumed, but without action the House adjourned.

THE bill to establish a commission to regulate inter-state commerce was taken up in the Senate on the 5th and on motion of Mr. Miller of California was postponed till December next. Mr. Logan submitted the conference report on the Fortification bill, to which the Senate agreed. The House bill to prohibit the importation of foreigners under contract or agreement to perform labor in the United States, was postponed till December next. A message was received from the House announcing its agreement to the conference report on the Fortification bill. A recess was then taken until the morning of the 6th when a message was received from the House announcing the final adjustment of the Sundry Civil bill by a recession of the House from its disagreements to the clauses relating to the compensation of United States Attorneys and Marshals, but with sundry reductions of the amounts appropriated by the Senate for fees for those officers. The Senate concurred in the reductions and the bill was thus disposed of. A conference report on the Deficiency bill was submitted, showing that all disagreements had been settled by mutual concession. The report was agreed to. A recess was taken until evening and when the Senate reassembled a message was received from the House announcing the passage of the bill making temporary provision for the naval service. On motion of Mr. Miller of California the amendment was agreed to continuing the appropriation for engines, machinery, etc., of the monitors, and the clause shutting off that appropriation was struck out. The bill as so amended was passed. The Diplomatic and Consular Appropriation bill was vetoed 42, and on motion of Mr. Allison the Senate receded from its amendment appropriating $250,000 for the Nicaraguan waterway project. This disposed of the only remaining subject of difference on the bill. The Senate then went into executive session and soon after adjourned until the 7th. In the House Mr. Rainey submitted a unanimous report from the committee on elections confirming the right of Martin McGinnis to a seat as a delegate from Montana Territory, agreed to. The conference report on the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill was submitted. An agreement was reached on all amendments placed on the bill by the Senate except that of appropriating $250,000 for the Nicaraguan project. The House refused to recede from its disagreement to that amendment and the former conferees were re-appointed. The Mexican Pensions bill was taken up, and a motion to postpone further consideration of the bill until December next was lost—yeas 55, nays 185. The conference committee reported the Sundry Civil bill, and the House concurred in the report. A recess was then taken until the three p. m. of the 6th, at which hour, no conference reports being ready, several three-minute speeches were made on the Mexican Pensions bill, and a further recess taken until evening. At the evening session Mr. Randall presented the conference report on the General Deficiency bill. The bill as agreed to appropriates $6,206,676 being $1,180 in excess of the amount carried by the bill as it passed the House. The report was agreed to without division. Mr. Randall then submitted the disagreeing conference report on the Naval Appropriation bill, and it was agreed to. He then submitted the bill making temporary provision for the naval service for six months ending December 31, 1884, and after a sharp debate it was passed. The conference report on the Legislative bill was presented and agreed to, after which the House took a recess until ten a. m. of the 7th.

DOMESTIC.

THE Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, as reported by the Senate committee, increases the appropriation, as compared with the House bill, in round numbers $3,800,000, making the aggregate appropriation a little over $20,000,000.

A FIRE on the 3d destroyed fifteen buildings, embracing the principal portion of the village of Pemberville, Wood County, O. The loss will aggregate $35,000; insurance light.

THE business failures reported for the six months ended July 1, 1884, in the United States and Canada, number 5,510, compared with 4,673 for the six months previous. The liabilities foot up $124,000,000, compared with $86,000,000 for the same period last year, or nearly double.

AT Chardon, O., on the 4th, some fireworks become ignited by a stray spark and Job Durfee, of Newbury, O., was struck in the mouth by a rocket and instantly killed; John Cleveland, of Burton, O., was hit in a similar manner and expired in a short time.

TO avoid the possibility of importing cholera from France into the United States through the mails, the British Government will be requested to thoroughly disinfect all French mails passing through England to this country.

FOUR men working about the chimney of one of the mills of the Calumet Iron and Steel Works, at Cummings, near Chicago, on the 3d were overcome by gas and died instantly.

COMPLETE reports show that the damage by the recent storm will amount to more than $1,000,000 in York County, Pa., and $258,000 in Cecil County, Maryland. It will cost $20,000 to repair the Chesapeake & Ohio canal.

THIRTY ticket agents of the Manhattan Elevated Road, New York, are implicated in selling counterfeit tickets, and several have been arrested. The counterfeit tickets seized represented nearly $25,000. The Bank Note Company say the counterfeits were better than the original.

AT New York on the 3d John Vandeur, a crippled janitor of Gramercy flats, was sandbagged, red peppered and robbed of $300, by two robbers in a cellar of the flats, who escaped.

ASSIGNEE WARNER on the 3d filed a bill of equity against the directors of the defunct Penn Bank of Pittsburgh to compel them to surrender securities valued at $451,000, appropriated on the day the bank failed to secure themselves against loss for notes given the associated banks at the time the latter loaned the Penn Bank money to tide over the first suspension.

THE President has issued a proclamation warning all persons intending to take forcible possession of the Oklahoma lands in the Indian Territory that the military forces of the United States will be used, if necessary, to remove all such intruders.

THE railroad disaster at Moberly, Mo., proves far more serious than at first reported. A number of bodies were recovered in the wreck, and it is estimated that twelve were drowned and as many more fatally injured.

[illegible] on the 4th, five hundred people were on the grand stand when the roof fell in and the foundation gave way, precipitating the people a distance of twenty feet to the ground below. One boy was killed and a dozen others seriously wounded, and two of them are not expected to live. Mayor Owsley, in trying to prop up the wreck, was struck by a timber and fearfully cut on the head. Several limbs were broken and many otherwise seriously injured.

THE extensive agricultural works of the Newark Machine Company, at Newark, O., were burned on the morning of the 5th. A large quantity of manufactured goods in stock were consumed. The loss will aggregate $450,000, on which there is an insurance of $240,000, divided among forty-five companies. It is supposed the fire originated by a spark from an engine.

THE steamship Gulf of Vincent, from Calcutta, went ashore at Long Beach, Long Island, on the 5th, and is probably a total loss. The crew and passengers, forty people, were saved by the life saving crew. She had a cargo of linseed.

THE first Mexican bull fight on American soil took place at Dodge City, Kan., on the 4th, in the presence of three or four thousand spectators. There were five bull fighters and four animals. One of the matadores was severely injured about the ribs in the final encounter and may not recover.

A VIOLENT wind storm at Rich Hill, Mo., on the 4th demolished the Presbyterian Church, unroofed many buildings, and damaged property to the amount of $20,000. Several persons were injured, but no lives lost.

THE New York associated banks make the following statement for the week ended July 5: Loans decrease, $811,600; specie increase, $5,033,900; legal tenders decrease, $816,300; deposits increase, $4,145,700; circulation increase, $33,000; reserve increase, $3,181,050. The banks held $16,390,050 in excess of legal requirements.

THE store of Howard & Stewart, at Dayton, Tenn., was burglarized of $14,000 worth of goods on the 5th.

KOBLITZ BROTHERS' rag and paper house at Cleveland, O., burned on the 5th. A number of small adjoining buildings were destroyed or badly damaged. Loss about $25,000.

TWO iron workers named George Twohig and Albert Costello, engaged in a duel with sledge hammers at Erie, Pa., on the 5th, and both were terribly injured. Officer Ewing, who went to arrest them, was attacked and badly wounded.

A TERRIFIC wind storm swept over Macon, Sangamon and Christian counties, Illinois, between midnight and daylight on the 5th, leaving a large amount of property, but so far no lives are reported lost. The loss in Sangamon County is estimated at $100,000, while in Macon County it will reach $200,000. Many houses and outbuildings in the path of the storm were completely demolished or badly damaged, a number of animals killed and the crops ruined.

AT Bowling Green, O., on the 4th, Isaac Burket, blacksmith, and two boys, Ed. Osborne aged fifteen, and John Chandler aged fourteen, were terribly burned about the face, breast, and arms, by the explosion of a can of powder while firing an anvil. Their clothes were mostly burned off but they will probably recover. All will be disfigured for life.

C. R. MARSHALL, the English forger, who was arrested at Milwaukee recently while attempting to pass cleverly executed £50 Bank of England notes, escaped from the police station at Chicago on the 5th.

E. L. CHASE won the three mile shell race at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on the 4th, beating John Gilligan.

JACOB WOELLMER, a wealthy farmer aged ninety years, attempted suicide at Erie, Pa., on the 5th by cutting his throat. He cannot recover.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE House Committee on Elections has decided to reconsider its action in the contested election case of Fredericks vs. Wilson, of Iowa, and the latter gentleman will retain his seat.

THE Illinois Democratic State Convention met at Peoria on the 2d and placed in nomination the following ticket: For Governor, Carter Harrison; Lieutenant Governor, Henry Seiter; Secretary of State, Michael J. Dougherty; State Treasurer, Alfred Orendorff; Auditor of State, Walter A. Carlin; Attorney General, Robert McKinley. W. R. Morrison, John M. Palmer, J. C. Black and Lambert Tree were chosen Delegates-at-Large to Chicago.

MRS. MARY A. BINGHAM, wife of Representative Bingham, of Pennsylvania, died at Washington on the 2d after a lingering illness.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR has appointed Henry Plummer, a colored man, as chaplain of the Ninth Cavalry, one of the few regiments in the service composed of colored men. Mr. Plummer was a field hand in Prince George County, Md., at the time of the emancipation, and could neither read nor write. After graduating at Howard University, Washington, he took a course at the Harvard Theological Seminary and has since been pastor of a colored church in Washington.

AMONG the nominations sent to the Senate on the 4th were: John A. Kasson, of Iowa, Minister to Germany; Alphonso Taft, of Ohio, Minister to Russia; John M. Francis, of New York, Minister to Austria; and John J. Jarrett, of Pennsylvania, Commissioner of Labor.

ON the 5th death called away Mrs. Rachel Adler, of New Castle, Pa., at the age of 101 years, and Mrs. Phoebe Peck, of Westfield, N. Y., aged 103 years.

FOREIGN.

THE German Government has given an English firm of shipbuilders an order for the largest torpedo boat ever built.

A DISPATCH of the 2d from Kingston, Ont., says a large number of forest fires are raging in several of the adjacent townships. At the McGill settlement the fire was a couple of miles square and still spreading. Near the town of Mississippi the fire covers fourteen miles one way and three miles another. McLaren's mills and an immense stock of lumber were surrounded by fire.

A DISPATCH of the 2d from Asswam says it is rumored that 12,000 Arabs have attacked and captured Debbeh by assault. It is said 3,000 of the garrison and inhabitants were killed. The Mudir of Dongola and a number of officers have gone in the direction of Debbeh, with what object is not known.

A DISPATCH from Cairo received at London on the 4th says that letters from Khartoum state that the place was captured during the latter part of May without difficulty. There was no massacre. Most of the Europeans turned Mohammedan. Among those who did not was General Gordon, who is quite safe and allowed the freedom of Mahdi's camp. Mahdi himself is at Khartoum. The Europeans are well treated.

THE steamer Faraday has laid two hundred miles of the eastern shore end of Bennett-Mackay cable and returned to Queenstown for coal.

THE Pan Presbyterian Council at Belfast, Ireland, concluded its work on the 2d and adjourned to meet in London in 1888.

THE Shanghai correspondent of the London *Times* telegraphs that war is threatened between France and China, the influential party of China instigating it. Prominent officials such as Tso Tsung Tang, Peng Yu Lin and Marquis Tseng, have resolved to repudiate the French-Chinese negotiations. The French will probably claim an indemnity and demand that the Island of Formosa be pledged to secure its payment.

THE Bartholdi statue was presented to America at Paris on the 4th, Count De Lesseps making the presentation speech and Minister Morton accepting. There was a reception in the evening.

THE Fourth was celebrated in London privately by many Americans and several banquets were given. A grand dinner in honor of the day was given by the Americans in Berlin.

A FIRE at Lachine, Que., on the 5th destroyed forty houses, principally occupied by poor laborers, and three hundred people are homeless. Loss $50,000. The homeless people are housed in tents, and a subscription has been started for their relief.

LATER.

A DISPATCH from Denver, Col., says that Wilson, Carlisle & Johnson's cattle camp in the western part of Laplata County, near the Utah line, was attacked by the Ute Indians on the 3d. Charles Cook and Adolph Lusk, employes of the cattle company, were badly wounded; five Indians were killed and a number wounded. The whites lost eleven horses killed and one hundred stolen. The cowboys were driven off, their camp and outfits burned, and their provisions carried away by the Indians.

ASSIGNEE DAVIES filed an inventory of Grant & Ward, at New York on the 5th, showing the liabilities to be $16,792,567, nominal assets $27,159,998, actual assets $67,174.

A DISPATCH of the 6th from Cairo says the Mudir of Dongola telegraphs that 13,000 rebels attacked Debbeh on the 1st. They were repulsed after severe fighting and heavy losses on both sides.

IN the Senate on the 7th a message was received from the House announcing non-concurrence in the Senate amendment to the bill making temporary provision for the Navy. Mr. Hale moved that the Senate recede from its amendments; agreed to, and the bill passed. The House joint resolution providing for adjournment was amended so as to make the hour for adjournment two o'clock, and passed. A vote of thanks was given Mr. Edmunds for the ability, courtesy and impartiality with which he has performed the duties of President *pro tempore* of the Senate. The Chair appointed Messrs. Sherman and Bayard as a committee to join the committee of the House in informing the President that Congress having finished its business is now ready to adjourn. Messrs. Allison, Hale and Pendleton were appointed as members on the part of the Senate Commission provided for in the Sundry Civil bill to consider the present organization of the signal service, geological survey, etc. In response to an inquiry, Mr. Allison, Chairman of the Appropriation Committee, stated that the appropriations this year would aggregate $103,201,087. This aggregate did not include the appropriation for pensions, which once this year amounted to $66,000,000, raising the aggregate to $259,201,087. After a few farewell remarks by the Vice President *pro tempore* Mr. Edmunds, he declared the present sitting session of the Forty-eighth Congress adjourned without date. The House met in continuation of Saturday's session and in the absence of Speaker Carlisle a resolution was adopted appointing Mr. J. C. S. Blackburn Speaker *pro tem.* during the absence of the Speaker. The House then took a recess, and upon reassembling at 11:55 a. m. adjourned, and the session of Saturday closed. The session of Monday then began, and on motion of Mr. Randall the House concurred in the Senate amendment to the adjournment resolution fixing the hour for final adjournment at two o'clock. Messrs. Randall, Turner of Georgia, and Hiscock were appointed a committee to wait upon the President and ascertain whether he had any further communication to make to the House. A bill was passed increasing the pension of soldiers who have lost an arm at the shoulder joint to the amount received by those who lost a leg at the hip joint. Mr. Randall announced that the committee appointed to wait upon the President had performed that duty, and the President had no further communication to make to the House. Then the Speaker *pro tem.*, wishing each and every member a safe return to his home, declared the House adjourned without day.

Odd, but Even.

It is quite a number of years since this old camel story trotted along the sands of time, so as the circus season is approaching it has been suggested that the *Free Press* start the ancient animal on its travels again. This is how it happened: Abou Ben Fli McGurlin, being full of years, died, leaving to his three sons his seventeen camels for the simple reason that he could not take them along with him. The will, duly attested, said the eldest was to have one-half, the second one-third, and the youngest one-ninth of the seventeen camels. The boys were a little perplexed at this, as it seemed to involve the cutting up of a camel, and camels were worth three dollars a das on the Sahara that season. But the boys, if not first-class mathematicians, had level heads and did not go to law to prove the old man insane, but went instead to the good old Cadi Hassan O'Donohue, who had taken a medal at mathematics at Ann Arbor.

"Boys," said the good Cadi, reproachfully, "you should not bother me with these little matters. Ask me a harder one."

But seeing they were troubled, the benevolent old man asked the hostler to trot out his own dilapidated camel, which had seen its best days traveling with Barnum as the Sacred Gnu of Persia.

Placing the aged brute with the seventeen camels the boys had brought along, he said:

"There are eighteen camels. I shall now give you half of the eighteen, which is nine. How does that strike you?"

"It hits me where I live," said the eldest, who was slangy, but withal, pleased at getting half of eighteen rather than half of seventeen.

"The next boy shall have one-third of eighteen, which is six. Are you there, Moriarity?"

"You bet," said the boy.

"The next will have one-ninth of eighteen, which is two," and so the third youngster collared his two camels. Thus two and six and nine made seventeen, and still was the good Cadi's aged animal left unscathed. The people marveled, as the Cadi had given each more than the will called for, which is rather unusual in courts of law. And they said one to another: "That's what it is to be good at figures."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Shinbones Mining Stock.

"War is dis hyar mine?" sez I.

"Right hyar on dis hyar map," sez he, pullin' out a big roll o' papah an' showin' it ter me.

"Now," sez he ter me, sez he, "we am a-go n' ter place dis stock onter de mahket at twenty-five cents a share. But as yo' am a frein' o' my fren' hyar, I'll let yo' hab all yo' can take at ten cents."

Wall, I 'lowed dat he war mighty kind, an' he 'quested me not to menshin it. I tole him I nebber guv anything away. I tought I'd better not put de whole treasury inter dat one stawk, so I tuk a hundrid shares, makin' ten dollars. Bless yo' hart! dat berry afternoon de stawk went up ter twenty-seven cents. I went ter my fren', an' sez I: "Don't yo' tink I bettah sell out?"

"No, no, Shinbones," sez he ter me; "it's a-goin' highah."

Shuah 'nuf, de nex' day it war up ter thirty cents, an' people war a-buyin' of it like mad. I wanted to sell out agin, but dey sez hole on, an' I kotched a fresh holt and friz right onter it. Nex' day it was up ter thirty-three cents, an' I wanted ter sell out agin, but dey say: "Hole on and yo' git a dollah a share." Wy, de nex' day I went ober ter de Minin' Exchange an' dar I seed a man wot I knowed, an' he sez ter me: "Luk at dat blackboahd dar." I looked an' read onter it: at dar war an assessment o' one dollah per share onter my stawk. I went right ober ter my fren's orfis, an' sez I ter he, sez I:

"I want my hundred dollahs."

"Wot yo' talkin' 'bout?" sez he.

"Assessment—dollah a share," sez I, smilin' k nider.

"Luk hyar," sez he, "assessments is war yo' pay us."

"Wot' Pay yo'? Wot fur?"

"Ter forrard de wclopment wuk on de mine. Dar's on'y a little hole in de groun' dar now, an' we want ter make it biggah so's we kin get out de gold."

"But I hain't got no hundred dollahs," sez I ter he, sez I; "how's I gwine ter pay yo'?"

"Wal, onder dose sahcumstances, az yo' owe us ninety dollars, we'll take back de stawk an' call it squar'."

"Yes, sah," sez I, handin' him de stawk an' mighty glad ter get rid of it. "but whar does I come in?"

"Yo don't come in 't all; yo' go out."

"Go out?"

"Yes, sah, right out'n dat doah;" an he tuk me by de shoulder an' gimme it pe'lite bounce. An' now yo' know why de serciety's got ter bust."—*N. Y. Times.*

—In a late address, Prof. Wiley gave the result of his investigations to decide the question: "How far north may the sugar industry extend?" He believes that the success of the sorghum sugar industry will not be found so far north as many of his friends had hoped, and many of his devotees prophesied. It is yet early to give a definite answer, but at present he inclines to the opinion that the isothermal lines for September, October and November that pass through Cape May, N. J., should be considered the northern boundaries of successful sugar culture.—*N. Y. Post.*

—A little over forty years ago Colonel J. J. Warner, of Los Angeles, Cal., made a visit to his old home at Mobile. While there he made a speech, in which he said the next time he came it would be by rail. The remark was copied in the papers, and was everywhere regarded as a joke or the fancy of an enthusiast. On his arrival in New Orleans the other day, without change of cars, he called the attention of his friends to the "alleged joke."—*N. O. Times.*

—In 1833 Samuel Turner dug a well at Charleston, W. Va., and a few days ago he made a descent into it to look after its cleanliness. The foul air killed him.

—If your silver forks or spoons are stained from using in eggs (as they always will be) rub them with a little dry table salt.—*Exchange.*

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, July 7, 1884.

At this regular session of the Council. Present the entire council.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The fire committee report that they have investigated the storage of Gasoline in the village, and would respectfully report that they find that Gasoline is stored and handled in a careless manner in the rear of Henry McClures grocery, and would recommend that the Marshal be instructed to proceed according to sec. 6 page 38, to abate said dangerous handling and storage. Report accepted and adopted.

The committee on public grounds to whom was refered the matter of the purchase of iron fence from Mr. J. J. Adam, for the purpose of enclosing Soldiers Monument, would recommend that no action be taken at present, in consideration of urgent demands for all the surplus funds for more necessary and important purposes. Report accepted and adopted.

Bills reported and referred to the Finance Committee:

M. I. Wilcox	$25,86
W. C. Jordan	42,00
Whitebeck & Bordine	87,15
John McConnell	51,75

Communication presented by committee from fire department which reads as follows:

To the Honorable, The Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh: Greeting: The Fire Department, by the undersigned committee respectfully represent to your honorable body that in order to make the said department efficient and capable of doing effective work in the protection of the property of the citizens of this village, it is necessary that there be provided for the use of the department at least 500 feet of good new hose; and that for the better protection of property in the business portion of the village there should be built at least two reservoirs. That there should also, for the protection of property in the outlaying portion of the village, other and smaller reservoirs; That there should be provided a suitable Engine House.

All of which is respectfully submitted to the consideration of your honorable body.

S. W. BORDINE,
H. E. STOUT,
GEO. A. KIES,
[illegible],
F. ROSACRANS,
W. W. FRAZER,
Com.

Moved and supported that the fire committee procure at least 500 feet of good hose, the rest of the requests in said petition to be referred to the consideration of the fire committee with instructions to report as speedily as possible. An amendment was made to refer the said petition to a special committee, the Chair to appoint said committer. Carried. The Chair then appointed the present fire committee as said special committee.

A communication received from Henry McClure to enlarge building in the rear of his grocery. Laid on the table.

The Finance committee recommend payment of the following bills:

John McConnell, cemetery	$20,25
Wolston Comfort, lumber	72,10
Mrs. Abbie Fisher, barn rent	3[illegible],50
M. I. Wilcox, oil	25,86
W. C. Jordan, labor	42,00
James Moir police duty	5,25
Chas Albaugh "	2,00
Delos Love "	2,00

Marshal's bond presented properly signed and executed and accepted.

Upon motion council adjourned.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 1, 1884:

Estate of Orville W. DeFolyer, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Samuel Bayles, deceased; receipts; discharge.

Estate of Genevra Forbes, minor; petition for certified letters of guardianship; hearing July 21.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased, bond filed; letters of administration with will annexed, issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Mary Cornelius, deceased; will, proof and probate, bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John Thompson, an incompetent person; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Oscar H. Bellman, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased, affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of John Dings, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Thomas Collins, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Leander W. Kimball et al., minors; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Clark Downer, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Charles G. Kurtz, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Moses Ayres, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $15,000.

Estate of Elizabeth Houghwout, deceased; affidavit of publication, administrator appointed, bond $1,000.

Estate of Gilliman H. Ames, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed, bond $8,000.

Estate of John Webster, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed bond $500.

Estate John Henry, deceased, affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate bond $20,000.

Estate of Elizabeth Guy, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Life at Ebb Tide.

"I am not exactly sick, yet not at all well. You want toning up. The stomach and liver are torpid. Parker's Tonic will set you right safely, surely and at once. It re-vitalizes the blood, invigorates the system.

OFFICERS of the late war who were refused pay for the time between date of commission and official muster, will find it to their interest to communicate promptly and with particulars with McNeill & Birch, Attorneys and Solicitors, Drawer 467, Washington, D.C. No fees in advance; honorable dealing; highest references.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending July 1st.

RIDGEWAY.

Geo. W. Jackson to Laura Cheever, Land on sec. 5. $300.

RIGA.

Gustav Seegert to Peter Jacobson, Land on sec. 24. $15.

TECUMSEH.

Philip Kehoe to J. B. Handershot, Land on sec. 24. $80.

WOODSTOCK.

I. M. Miller to F. E. Curtis, Land in Addison vil. $200.

O. B. Bowen to E. D. Cole, Land in Addison vil. $50.

LETTER LISTS.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., July 1, 1884:

Brooktong, Mr. A. J.	Pratt, Mrs. Addison
Doege, Hermann	Robinson, Franz
Fuller, Henry M.	Snover, Joseph R.
Larkin, Mr. H.	Singer, C. F.
More, Mr. L.	Torney, Mrs. Lucy

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P.M.

MARRIED.

CROSSMAN—HOPWOOD.—At the Baptist parsonage, Saturday evening, July 5, 1884, by Rev. C. E. Conley, Mr. Chas. Crossman and Miss Lou. Hopwood, of Tecumseh.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @ 2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb	@ 06
Butter ₱ lb	8 @ 12
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @ 60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50 @ 1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @ 1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@ 5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 07
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	30 @ 35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @ 60
Clover Seed	5 25 @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@ 14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 75 @ 6 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @ 5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₱ lb	@ 15
Ham, ₱ lb	@ 14
Lard, ₱ lb	@ 12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @ 33
Onions ₱ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	45 @ 50
Salt, ₱ barrel	@ 1 35
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb	@ 10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat White, ₱ bushel	@ 95
Wheat Red, ₱ bushel	@ 95
Wool	28 @ 32

A Great Problem.

—Take all the Kidney and Liver Medicines,
—Take all the blood purifiers,
—Take all the Rheumatic remedies,
—Take all the Dyspepsia and indigestion cures,
—Take all the Ague, Fever and bilious specifics,
—Take all the Brain and Nerve force reviewers,
—Take all the Great health restorers,
—In short, take all the best qualities of all these, and the —best
—Qualities of all the best medicines the world, and you will find that —Hop
—Bitters have the best curative qualities and powers of all —concentrated
—In them, and that they will cure when any or all of these, singly or —combined
—Fail. A thorough trial will give positive proof of this.

Hardened Liver.

Five years ago I broke down with kidney and liver complaint and rheumatism.

Since then I have been unable to be about at all. My liver became hard like wood, my limbs were puffed up and filled with water.

All the best physicians agreed that nothing could cure me. I resolved to try Hop Bitters; I have used seven bottles; the hardness has all gone from my liver, the swelling from my limbs, and it has worked a miracle in my case; otherwise I would have been now in my grave. J. W. MOREY.

Buffalo, Oct. 1, 1881.

Poverty and Suffering.

"I was dragged down with debt, poverty and suffering for years, caused by a sick family and large bills for doctoring.

I was completely discouraged, until one year ago, by the advice of my pastor, I commenced using Hop Bitters, and in one month we were all well, and none of us have seen a sick day since, and I want to say to all poor men, you can keep your families well a year with Hop Bitters for less than one doctor's visit will cost. I know it."—A WORKINGMAN.

None genuine without a bunch of green Hops on the white label. Shun all the vile, poisonous stuff with "Hop" or "Hops" in their name.

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Ever sold in Tecumseh.

A. E. KENNEDY

Sole Agent for Tecumseh.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

PLANTS! PLANTS!! PLANTS!!!—500,000 Cabbage Plants. All the best varieties of early cabbage and tomato now ready. Sweet potato in immense stock. Late cabbage a specialty. I can furnish in large quantities at low prices. ABNER WILSON.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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AND

Ladies' Slippers,

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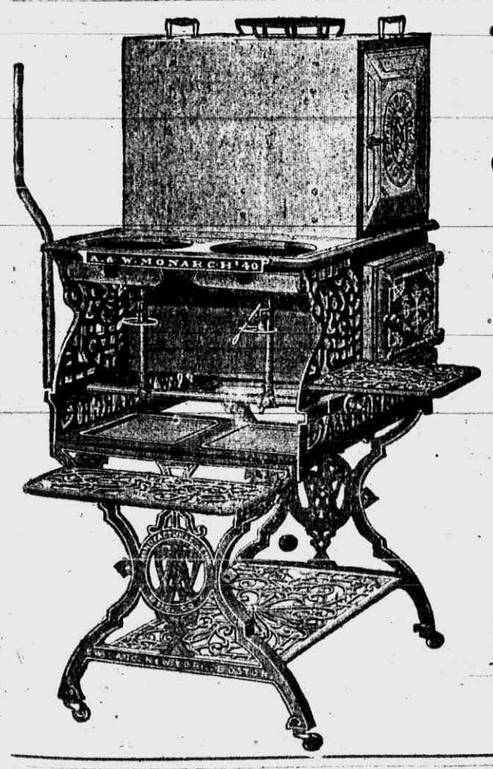

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JOS. H. SMITH,

MANAGER.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Record us one for reform. Our business hours are changed from six to thirteen in the evening, and its lively work to get all the sugar and things packed in transportable order. Sugar is managed easiest.

We have the usual number of city baked visitors, and tramps rusticate in White's woods.

A colored widow who had become discouraged through lack of work, called on a neighbor without telling her intention, and consequently a suicidal scare convulsed Ennisville.

No delegate was sent from here to the great convention, and a general remissness takes the place of enthusiasm among republicans and democrats when nominations are discussed. So many of both parties fuse every day life in the field and workshop that they almost wished General Butler would be our next President. His cross-lot method of settling difficulties has saved time and temper heretofore, and his platform is as easily adjusted on small timbers as large. It is no secret that he considers women as citizens, and its too bad Mrs. Leonard's suffrage reason for divorceing her husband should spoil the aircastles built by factory girls and their carpenter cousins. That Chicago judge must be a good natured fellow, or else he thought Mr. L., such a slimsy affair he invented an excuse to match. If she had asked a decree in order to gain time to crochet, the plea would have been plausable; but to procure the franchise for women, is not only a thin argument, but has ruined Butler's prospects, and prejudiced most every man in creation against granting them the coveted privilege. The sympathy will of course be on his side, for if ever a man needs a home, and somebody to fit him for heaven, its the evening after he has franchised. The ill-timed separation of plank and platform may prove as disastrous to those who rejected it as a Leonard divorce, for whatever the faults may be of the veteran who planed it, he has ever been the champion of those oppressed. His life work has been colored with practical common sense and humanity, that amounts to almost positive proof the reforms most needed would be welcomed and not retarded by making him the head of the nation.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Mrs. Julia D. Freer is very sick but is some better.

J. D. Arner is out again since his lay up for the mumps.

The depot grounds are soon to be put in shape. The low place along the side track is to be drained and filled. Fenner Palmer has the contract to do the grading. A promise was made by the engineer, that the depot building would be raised which will make noticeable improvements.

Mrs. Campbell and Miss Ella Cadmus left for Petoskey Wednesday. The former to stay some time, the latter to return in three or four weeks.

Sid Hathaway's little boy was severely injured Sunday by getting under the horses.

July 30th is the next meeting of the Union Club. Rev. John Chaplin of Dundee will address the meeting. Mr. Chaplin will attend as a delegate the national convention to be held at Pittsburg Penn. next week and will tell us about it.

Rev. De Geer who formerly preached at the Christian Church is calling upon his many friends in this locality. He occupied the pulpit at the Christian church last Sabbath.

Fine weather for haying and harvest.

Miss Kittie Clark is up around again and it is hoped she will fully recover.

Prof. Romyne Miller is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. M. P. Brown of Hanover, is the guest of Mrs. Mary Arner.

Mr. Sammie Arner has gone to Hanover to study telegraphy with Mr. M. P. Brown.

Mrs. Cheever has the frame of her new house up. Wiggins and Heath are doing the work.

Mr. Enoch French spent a few days with his Lady this week.

Mrs. Wm Snedicor is visiting her many friends here this week. Mrs. Snedicor is always welcome.

There were quite a number went up to Devil's Lake on the excursion last Sunday.

The school in Dist. No. 5 closed last Friday afternoon. Miss Florence French the teacher has given good satisfaction. Her ability as a teacher is hard to compete with. She has made many friends since she came here who wish her success in all her efforts through life. She went to her home at Adrian Saturday.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Four ice-cream saloons in this town.

Charlie Parker, of Detroit, is spending a few weeks with his parents.

The inside of the Town Hall is receiving a coat of paint.

L. A. Dudley and wife, of Battle Creek, are visiting friends in this village.

The streets in this city were crowded last Saturday evening.

Miss Mary Kilpatrick has gone to Fowlerville this state and will remain there the rest of this summer.

Most farmers have finished cutting their wheat and the thrashing machine has already begun its yearly duties.

Miss Lizzie Brooks is home from a musical institution in Gault, Canada, for the summer vacation.

All Clinton democrats seem to fall into line and are already heard hurrahing for Cleveland and Hendricks.

The Congregational people surprised their pastor and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, last Monday evening, with a fancy quilt and one dozen solid silver teaspoons elegantly engraved.

Miss Addie Silvers fell from a cherrie tree last Tuesday and broke her arm.

The democrats will "ratify" and raise two hickory poles this Thursday evening. Prosecuting Atty., L. H. Saulsbury and Mr. O'Mealy, of Adrian will be the speakers.

One of Clinton's citizens had two ribs broken in a disgraceful fight in front of the Post office last Monday evening.

John Hause Jr. has reduced the price of ice-cream at his parlors from ten to five cents a dish, and will continue to sell it at this price the remainder of the season. Mr. Hause has furnished ice-cream for this community for the past five years with entire satisfaction. His parlors are nicely furnished and the quality and quantity of his cream will remain the same as when sold at the old price.

ONSTED ODDS.

Wheat is nearly all cut, and much of it drawn in.

G. A. Tracy of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Samuel Morey.

Pearlie Sheeler is visiting her grandmother at Dundee.

Jonathan Hand is to build the grain elevator here, to be finished about the first of September.

Two little daughters of the Rev. G. R. Holt of Jackson, have been spending a few days here.

Mrs. Desermia and daughters, accompanied by Mr. Peter Desermia, returned to their home at Ithica, Mich., last week.

Miss Nora Morey who has been visiting friends in the state of New York for some time past, came home last week.

We have not heard of any orange blossoms around here lately, but John Lee has an apple tree that has a bunch of fresh apple blossoms on the same limb with half grown apples.

Several persons in this vicinity were anxious to buy the first calico dress ever sold at Onsted, and consequently watched for Mr. Glenn's dry goods to come. We hear that Charles Marshall was the lucky one.

To the Mountains and the Sea Shore.

The Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific railroad company, in connection with the Michigan Central, "Niagara Falls route," arranged the present season for three grand excursions via Toledo, Detroit, Niagara Falls, the peerless St. Lawrence, Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa, lake Memphremagog, Bethlehem, Fabyans, the White Mountains, through the Notch and North Conway, to Portland, Maine, and the seashore.

Two of these excursions have already gone, and have been well patronized. The third starts on August 5, and the fare from Adrian for the round trip is $24.35. The tickets are good to return for sixty days. The excursion will be personally conducted by Mr. M. C. Roach, southern passenger agent of the Michigan Central, and Mr. W. F. Bradley, the agent of the Wabash, at Adrian, will cheerfully give any information in regard to the trip.

Battle Creek Republican: A New York State gentleman, who has been visiting in this vicinity, remarked in the presence of our reporter this morning, that his state was at least twenty-five years behind Michigan, in the general use of improved farm machinery. His remark was based upon observation, and he further said that in the futuret "a farmer will have to be some one that is endowed with brains, beyond the capacity of hallooing Gee Haw, or guiding a plow; he would have to be a mechanic to a certain degree." The man is right, and the farmer will endorse his opinion.

Base ball this afternoon.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 8, 1884.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased administrator files bond; letters issued; appointment of appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Justus Tilland, deceased administrator files bond; letters issued; appointment of appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John Kipp, deceased; order appointing commissioner on claims.

Estate of James H. Sweeney, deceased; receipts; discharge.

In the matter of Percy P. Phillips, a wayward child; commitment to reform school at Lansing approved.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners for Bacon drain, township of Ogden; application filed; order for citation; citation issued; hearing July 21.

Estate of John Hoag, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing August 4.

Estate of John S. Buttrick, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing August 4.

Estate of Francis E. Quick, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Reuben H. Shurtz, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of George B. Woodworth, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Josiah Loye, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until August 4, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Warren R. Day, deceased; affidavit of publication; administratrix appointed; bond $5,000.

In the matter of Frederick Roper, a wayward, child; commitment to reform school at Lansing approved.

Estate of Arnold H. Coomer, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment according to decree.

Estate of Francis A. Howard, deceased; petition for probate of will; hearing August 4.

Estate of Abigail D. Hathaway, deceased; resignation of one of the executors filed; order for new bonds; new bonds filed and approved.

In the matter of Polly Johnson, an indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum; order of hearing; affidavit of service filed; testimony taken; order for admission.

Estate of Moses Ayres, deceased, bond filed; letters of administration, with the will annexed; appointment of appraisers and commissioners.

The Census Report.

Adrian City	9,464
Adrian Tp	1,460
Blissfield	2,274
Cambridge	1,096
Clinton	1,423
Deerfield	1,494
Dover	1,355
Fairfield	2,347
Franklin	1,481
Hudson	3,756
Macon	1,237
Madison	1,385
Medina	1,746
Ogden	1,994
Palmyra	1,876
Raisin	1,595
Ridgeway	1,204
Riga	2,253
Rollin	1,557
Rome	1,289
Seneca	2,749
Tecumseh	2,946
Woodstock	1,439

County—Total population 1884, 49,440
Total population 1880 48,343

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending July 8.

CLINTON.

Fred. Sturm to J. S. Gilman. Lot 3 and south half lots 5, and 8, block 5. $1200.

RIDGEWAY.

John Britton to Riley Covel. Land on sec. 3. $78.

John Britton to O. P. Henderson. Land on sec. 3. $75.

The Michigan association of spiritualists will hold their annual camp meeting this year on the Lansing fair grounds, August 7th to 18th. Following are the speakers engaged. A. B. French, Giles B. Stebbins, H. P. Fairfield, Mrs. L. A. Piersoll, J. H. Palmer, Mrs. Sarah Graves, Chas. A. Andrus, and others. Public tests will be given from the rostrum every day, the fire test among the rest. Season tickets $1.00, admission ten cents.

Jackson Patriot. Prosecuting Attorney Hewlett has become an object of interest again to the newspaper fraternity. It is vaguely hinted that he has secured some additional information in regard to the great Crouch tragedy. Perhaps his pilgrimage to Horton on Independence day had something more in it than the simple delivery of the Fourth of July oration.

Marshal Statesman: Work on the M. & O. shops is progressing rapidly. That portion of the walls blown down has been restored and the brick work is entirely completed. Roof trusses are up, and it is expected that the slaters will be at work Monday. It is expected that the building will be ready for occupancy by Sept. 1st.

Deerfield Record: We understand that when the stock of stave and heading bolts now in the yard at Jesse Chamberlin's mill at Sissons, is worked up, the machinery will be moved to this village. This is a good news, and we trust it may prove true. There is evidently a good opening here for a stave and heading factory.

MR. G. P. SPARKS SECOND LETTER.

EDITOR HERALD:—In your paper of the 20th ult., appeared an article headed, "Mr. G. P. Spark's Letter" copied from the June number of the BAPTIST ITEMS. In it we undertook to review that gentleman's published reasons for voting to accept the Saloonists' bonds. As might have been expected, this "review" brought from him a second letter, which appeared in your columns on the 3d inst. Hence we would be glad for space in your present issue.

Before coming to the point we wish to review more especially, permit us to say two things.

1. We deeply regret the "personalties" in Mr. Sparks' last communication. Discussion in public prints can do no good, unless it be confined strictly to principles. When it becomes necessary for the sake of clearness, as it sometimes does, to introduce the name of an opponent or of a third party, it should be done with the utmost courtesy. To do otherwise is to betray weakness.

2. In the last part of his letter (the second) he makes use of these words: "Now as Mr. Conley would rejoice in a prosecution, it seems to me that he is just the man to watch saloons and work up a case."

We are not prepared to say that our duty in this direction is not equal to that of any other citizen. Yet there is one difference between ourselves and Mr. S—, we have never declared through the press that we would prosecute all known violations, as he announced the Council would do.

Now for the point to which we wish to give special attention. In his advocacy of the saloonists' side of the temperance question, he says: *Seeing then that we are wholly creatures of education and circumstances, we should exercise the broadest charity.*

Again: *The reason Mr. Conley is a minister of the gospel and not a saloon-keeper, is simply because his education and surroundings placed him in the pulpit. Reversed, Geo. K., would be an evangelist and Mr. Conley a saloon-keeper.*

We can draw but one inference from these statements, viz: A man's character is invariably the product of his general surroundings, and has but little, if any, responsibility, if it be bad; and consequently is wronged, if he suffers unqualified disapproval.

While it is true that circumstances have much to do with a man's character and history, yet it is not true, that "we are wholly creatures of education and circumstances." Paul and Luther became what they were educated not to be. John Wesley and Roger Williams trampled their circumstances under their feet, and in each case originated a new impulse to human history. Were the doctrine of Mr. S. the correct one, Abraham Lincoln would have spent his life in rail splitting and James A. Garfield would have died in service on the farm and canal. It is the glory of a man to rise superior to his circumstances; and it is done by almost every noble spirit. Moody and Gough are conspicuous examples.

His doctrine is fatalism; every person living in unfavorable circumstances, it deprives of hope, and leaves to despair alone. It is as cruel as the caste system of India. It may be safely said that no one in our land of Bibles and churches, developes a bad character except by choice; and when a man chooses to be bad, he is unworthy of commendation or sympathy. Fifty years ago the seller and drinker of intoxicants were largely excusable; for the dreadful consequences were not generally known. But it is not so now. We have been warned times without number from pulpit, from platform, by the press and in the home, and it cannot be said that any man finds a valid excuse in his circumstances for drinking, or selling, liquor.

But for the sake of argument, let us allow that "we are wholly creatures of education and circumstances." What then? Is it not incumbent upon us to change the circumstances? The circumstances now existing in our town and state are those that tend to make drunkards of our boys and wrecks of our homes. From the saloon comes the breath of moral pestilence, and the dread disorder fastens upon many a bright and promising boy. Should those who hold the doctrine propounded by Mr. S., seek excuses to allow the "circumstances" to remain unchanged? Is it reasonable for them to retain the saloon, saying, "My action in this matter was based on equal justice to all men *on the broad platform of humanitarianism!*" Is it charity to oblige a community to have circumstances that *must* ruin its sons, break its heart and desecrate its homes? It seems to us that untiring, unrelenting war upon these circumstances is "broadest charity." No one who knows us would ever say that we have any ill will against the saloonist as a man. It is his business that we oppose and must continue to oppose until it is no more.

EDITOR BAPTIST ITEMS.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 17, 1884.

CHANGED AROUND.

"Why are you here, my little lad?"
Said a man in a bustling town.
"I am selling papers, sir," 'twas said,
"And my name is Jamie Brown."

"Where do you live, my little lad,
With your locks so crisply curled?"
"I have no home"—the voice was sad—
"Excepting the wide, wide world."

"Have you no friends to hood and shoe,
No mother to find, true?"
"No mother or friends," the child replied,
With his baby eyes askew.

"Where do you sleep, my little lad,
When your papers are not sold?"
"In books and corners, wherever I can,
I cuddle up from the cold."

"Whenever it happens you earn no dinner,
What do you do for food?"
"I live in hopes of better times,
And go without," he said.

"What is your name, my little lad,
You look like a boy of mine,
Who went on a journey past the stars?"
Said the urchin, "I am mine."

"Do you try to be good?" my little lad,
Own truthfully unto me.
"I am sorry, sir, I am sometimes bad,
But I do not mean to be."

"Will you come with me, my little lad,
To my warm and pleasant hearth?"
"I will go with you," the child replied,
"Wherever you wish, on earth."

Together they left the wind-swept street,
And entered a door-way, where
A woman watched with a gentle face,
And a gilt of gold in her hair.

"You have brought the child," she softly said
"He will fill our eyes with joy;
We can love with a tender love the dead,
Yet cherish the orphan boy."

And a kiss, like the touch of a rose-leaf light,
Was pressed on the lone lad's brow,
And he softly cried, "If angels bright
Can ever look here, just now,

"I pray my mother her child may see,
And I hope that yours she's found,
And that both of them know that mothers and boys
Have been only changed around."

And there was a flash and dash of tears
And a wave of kerchiefs white,
And the little newsboy had a home
In the hearts of love that night.

And if oft it could only know the joy
That in such by deeds is found,
So many an orphan would be a boy
Would Aunt Nancy "change around."

—Mrs. G. W. White, in Sunday Leader.

A LESSON FOR A FIRST READER.

I see a book. It is a First Reader. A First Reader is a book for very young children.

And being a book for very young children, containing in a condensed form the milk of its nature, who would have imagined that it ever could have by any possibility become the means of bringing the greatest confusion and vexation to a grown up? But it did. C. Samuella Golden, am that grown up. And I am the author (under the gentle supervision, I frankly confess) of that First Reader.

The way it came about was this. I am always been passionately fond of children. When a little double-shaft specimen of humanity came I adored all the smaller specimens with whom I chanced to meet. At the tender age of six, being the baby then of my own house, I feebly entered the home of one wa a woman one day, knowing her to be absent at the time, and stole her two months old Pat-sey from the cradle in which he was peacefully sleeping, and in spite of his kicks and yells, which I am sorry to say, I managed to carry him safely to our home, fortunately not far distant—and place him in the arms of my very much astonished mother. And when he was rescued and carried away again by his rightful owner, I sat me down in the door with a bang, and opened my mouth to its utmost width, and lifted my voice to its utmost height, and refused most emphatically to be comforted.

This love of little ones did not diminish in the least as I grew in stature and in years. On the contrary, it seemed to increase, and it became as natural for me to talk baby talk and make baby rhymes for every woo darling that came in my way as it was for me to breathe, and for the older youngsters I had always a story ready—some simple thing about simple things, but, by virtue of creation, my own. And having contrived to be an unobserved listener to several of these stories, and having also learned from Sue, his little niece, and "I made up out of my own head" the jingles with which she often sought to entertain him, Mr. Erickson, our school-master—and a very clever fellow, too—said to me one afternoon: "Miss Golden, I have undertaken a task in which I think—nay, I am sure—that you can, if you will, be of great assistance to me."

"And pray what may that task be?" asked I wonderingly.

"The preparation of a First Reader," he replied. "I do not expect the pecuniary results to be princely, though no doubt you would realize enough to compensate you for whatever time you might expend; but the practice would be excellent for you, and perhaps open the way for better paying literary work."

"Literary work," repeated I. "Why I never even dreamed of such a thing."

"Did you not," he said, with a smile "Well, you are not the first person who has remained in ignorance of his or her particular talent until a friend discovered it. But are you willing to give me a helping hand with the book?"

"Most willingly," said I. "Tell me plainly what I am to do, or to try to do and I will begin this very evening."

And I did begin that very evening, and extremely glad I was to do so. For I had already, although April has scarcely set in, trimmed my usual amount of spring hats and bonnets, which—our community not following strictly, for good and sufficient reasons, the decrees of fashion—also included most of the summer ones, thereby cutting off that source of income for four or five months. And it had been highly necessary that another source should be discovered immediately. From which statement we shall naturally infer that the Golden family was golden only in name. It was. Otherwise, of course I mean in a money sense, it was nickelly, and not that to as great an extent as desirable.

Father—well, any kind of steady business seemed to disagree with father consequently he contributed to our support only by fits and starts. Daniel, our eldest boy, worked faithfully as an assistant bookkeeper in a publishing house in New York City, and sent nearly half his salary to mother the first of every month. George, our youngest boy, was clerk with (a hope of some day becoming one of the firm) at the Wildwood general store, and I, as I have intimated above, was the Wildwood milliner. But work as hard as we might, Daniel, George and I, we could do no more, even with the intermittent help from father, than take care of ourselves and the rest of the family in the humblest way. (The rest of the family consisted of mother—a darling—grandmother, another darling—and three of the sweetest, cuddlingest little girls, two, five and six years old, that ever needed to be taken care of.) So, as you may well imagine, I was not only delighted, but extremely delighted, to get the chance of assisting Mr. Erickson with the Reader. And I confided as much to Matt Browster when we were coming home from church together the next Sunday evening. "Because, you see, Matt," said I, "if I succeed with this, may be I can go on writing until"—and I caught my breath at the boldness of the idea—"I am found worthy of a place in the juvenile magazines, and, as a successful writer, I could help the family much more than I can now, for literary work is for all seasons, and millinery only for two or three months out of the whole year."

"You forget," said Matt, "your rich uncle who is coming here from Australia soon, and who will, no doubt, so arrange things that the family will need no help at all from your hands."

"O dear!" said I, "so I did. But he has forgotten us for so many years—ever since I was five, and I was nineteen on my last birthday—that now he has condescended to remember our existence, and promise us a visit, it is no wonder that I can't keep him in mind. And we are not sure that his coming will benefit us any. He may be a cranky old man, and very hard to please. It is more than likely he is, for father (with whom he could never agree, though he is his only brother) tells me he was an unusually cranky young one."

"O, you must make him pleased with you," declared Matt, decisively. "You have an advantage and a great one, over the others. You are his god-daughter, you know."

"I know it to my sorrow," I assented. "Samuella! What a name to give an unfortunate girl baby! If it hadn't been for that saving 'Ella,' what would I have done? Fancy a woman's being called 'Sam' all her life!"

"But you will do your best to get into the old chap's good graces, won't you?" said Matt, coaxingly.

"Well, yes, I will, since your heart seems to be set upon it," I promised, though I wondered at the time why he was so anxious that I should become a favorite of Uncle Sam's. "I'll do everything but give up the Reader."

Matt Browster was chief proprietor of the store where my brother George was clerk, and he was also my acknowledged lover. The latter fact made me the envy of half the girls in Wildwood, for Matt was considered the handsomest and most fascinating young bachelor in the place. He was tall and slender, with very fair hair, light blue eyes, a straight nose, and a small mouth.

Mrs. Leroy, the young wife of old Captain Leroy, looked up to with great respect by three-fourths of the population of Wildwood, because she had her bonnet and gloves straight from Paris—gave it as her opinion that his brow was too narrow, and his chin too receating. "Give me," she said, calmly and coolly, "the school-master, any day, in preference. He is not quite as tall, but his shoulders are broader, so is his forehead, and he has a certain manly look and way about him that is utterly lacking in Mr. Mathew Brewster."

Strange as it may appear, I did not feel as indignant at this adverse criticism of my betrothed (by the way, I had stipulated at the time of my engagement, now two months old, that marriage should not be thought of for at least two years) as some of the other girls did. Nettie Haley, for instance—daughter of Haley, the builder, with a snug little fortune in her own right, inherited from her mother—was particularly wroth.

"She only talks that way," she said, referring to Mrs. Leroy, "because she wants to seem different from everybody else, just as she sends to Paris from this out-of-the-way village for her bonnets and gloves. Why, there's no comparison between the two men. Matt dances beautifully; Mr. Erickson don't dance a step. Matt sings lovely; Mr. Erickson can only join in a bass. Matt has a complexion like a girl's—and Mr. Erickson has one like—like——"

"A man's," I suggested, mischievously, as she paused for a comparison.

"O, pshaw, Ella, what a case you are! And about your own beau, too! But I don't really believe you know"—and here she heaved a deep sigh—"what a lucky girl you are."

"Well, I began the Reader, and soon became so absorbed in my work that everything I cast eyes upon instantly resolved itself into a First Lesson. Did the butcher stop at the door, "I see a man; he is a butcher; a butcher sells meat," immediately flashed through my brain. Did one of my intimate friends call, I greeted her in my mind with, "I see a girl; her name is May" (or Lib, or Molly, whichever it might be; "she comes to tell some news." My very dreams were haunted by like examples. I saw the queerest things. Their names were gibberish. They played strange and ridiculous pranks. But for all that—perchance in consequence of all that—the book progressed rapidly, and the first hundred lessons were almost completed, when mother received a letter from a cousin of hers, dated from the same place in Australia from which Uncle Sam had come. It read as follows:

"DEAR SARAH:—Your brother-in-law starts for Wildwood in a few days. I trust that he will arrive safely, and bring you permanent relief from your pecuniary troubles. You will find him much changed in personal appearance—the result of several hard fights in which he has been engaged—since you last saw him. Never handsome, he is now peculiar-looking. I write this especially to warn you, and to have you warn the others not to allude in the slightest way to the physical blemishes it will be impossible for you not to observe, as any such allusion would have the effect of rousing him to furious anger. With love to Samuella, upon whom he seems inclined to look with favor, and kind remembrances to the rest, I am yours faithfully,

TOM."

And not very long after the reception of this letter Uncle Sam made his appearance. He *was* "peculiar-looking," to use a favorite remark of one of our oldest citizens, "with a vengeance."

His head was bald in spots, as though the hair had been pulled out by great handfuls, and his face was all awry. Add to this the expression of an ogre, and you will not wonder that the children, who had been hastily dressed at news of his approach, were as hastily withdrawn to the kitchen when he arrived. Poor little darlings, we got them away just in time, for their lips had begun to quiver and their eyes to grow big with frightened surprise. "They will get used to him by degrees," whispered my mother, as I gave each of them a reassuring kiss. "And now, Ella dear, go back and do your best to entertain him until our father comes in, while I set about the dinner."

I returned to the parlor. I sat down opposite our visitor. I found a dreadful fascination in his unsymmetrical face. I could not remove my eyes from it. I essayed to speak, but before my mouth was fairly open Uncle Sam bent his shaggy brows and growled: "And so you're Sam, are you? And what do you see that you stare in that way?"

And then the spirit of that First Reader, in spite of all that I could do to resist it, took complete possession of me. I replied slowly and distinctly: "I see a man: he is a queer looking man: he has a crooked nose; he has a crooked mouth: he has a crooked chin: he has crooked eyes: he has an awful scowl: he is a rich man. I am a poor girl. I would rather be a pretty poor girl than a rich crooked man."

And that was the last of our expectations from Uncle Sam. He arose, thundered forth some words which I can not repeat, broke all the mantel ornaments at one fell swoop, and left the house never to return again.

I'll just add, to whom it may concern, that soon after the hopes of a fortune from my godfather were thus destroyed, my engagement to Matt Brewster was broken and that young gentleman married Nettie Haley.

As for me, I was "lucky" enough to become the happy wife of John Erickson. And our First Reader proved a perfect success. *Miss Golden, in Harper's Weekly.*

A Frank Epitaph.

The following epitaph occurs in *The Champion of the East* for January 12, 1880, a newspaper which, I believe, was very short lived. Whether it really exists, or ever existed, on a gravestone, or whether it is but a piece of newspaper satire, I must leave to some Cumbrian reader to inform us:

Copy of a Remarkable Inscription on a Monument Lately Erected in Hockley-town Church, Cumberland.

Here lieth the bodies
of THOMAS BOND and MARY, his wife.
She was temperate, chaste and charitable.
But, she was proud, peevish and passionate.
She was an affectionate wife and tender mother.
But, her husband and child, whom she loved,
seldom saw her countenance without a disgusting frown;
Whilst she received visitors whom she despised
with an enchanting smile.
Her behavior was discreet towards strangers;
But, imprudent in her family.
Abroad, her conduct was influenced by good breeding,
But, at home, by ill temper.
She was a professed enemy to flattery,
and was seldom known to praise or commend;
But, the talents in which she principally excelled were difference of opinion, and discovering flaws and imperfections.
She was an admirable economist,
and without parsimony,
dispensed plenty to every person in her family;
But, would sacrifice their eyes to a farthing candle.
She sometimes made her husband happy with her good humor;
But, much more frequently miserable with her many failings;
insomuch that, in thirty years' cohabitation
he often lamented that, amidst
all her virtues,
he had not, in the whole, enjoyed two years of matrimonial comfort.
At length finding she had lost the affections of her husband,
as well as the regard of her neighbors,
family disputes having been divulged by servants, she died of vexation July 20, 1768,
aged 48 years.
Her worn-out husband survived her four months and two days,
and departed this life Nov. 28, 1768,
in the 54th year of his age.
William Bond, brother to the deceased, erected this stone
AS A WEEKLY MONITOR
to the surviving Wives of this parish,
that they may avoid the infamy
of having their memoirs handed down to posterity with a Patch-work character.

—*Notes and Queries.*

"Don't"—Wake Him Early.

A correspondent of the N. Y. *Morning Journal* having asked it to give its opinion whether a little boy six years of age should be allowed to sleep until eight o'clock every morning, that paper thoughtlessly replies, "Wake him early." If this advice is followed by all the readers of a widely circulated newspaper it is liable to do a good deal of harm. If the boy sleeps until eight o'clock because he does not go to bed until ten or later, the remedy lies not in waking him early, but putting him to sleep early. If he goes to bed early and sleeps late, the fact alone is reason enough for not waking him.

A great deal of harm may be done by applying to growing children the term of "early to rise," "rising with the sun," etc. In old times when artificial light was scarce and dear, and many people were obliged to go to bed with the fowls, lying abed in the morning was a sign of laziness. This tradition has come down with so much force that many still count it a virtue to cut short the sleep of young children, whereas sleep may be absolutely necessary to their health and development.

If a boy who does not sit up late sleeps until eight o'clock, it is a sign that he needs more sleep than most boys; and it is too sweeping, as it is cruel, to say "wake him early." A parent has no more right to starve a child of sleep than of food; not as much, in fact, because a child is often in danger of eating too much, but seldom in danger of sleeping too much; certainly not when his sleep is a part of his regular night's slumber.—*Detroit Free Press.*

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(*Continued from last week.*)

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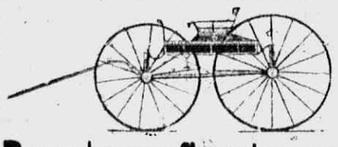

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 17, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

THE discovery has been made that the late W. R. Morrill, President of the Cincinnati & Eastern Railroad, who came to his death recently by falling from the door of a baggage car to the bottom of a trestle near Winchester, had been raising money by fraudulent practices. This gives color to the theory that his death was suicide. His method was to repeat genuine notes given in his favor and use them to obtain loans. It has been found that one note was repeated six times, and his obligations are said to reach $100,000.

THE Secretary of the Interior has requested the Secretary of War to cause the arrest of Captain Payne and such of his party (reported to number 1,500 or 2,000) now upon the Cherokee outlet lands in the Indian Territory as have violated the Revised Statutes, and to expel all other intruders now upon the lands before the movement assumes more formidable proportions.

EXTENSIVE frauds, connected with the sale of school lands have just been unearthed at Dallas, Texas, in which a Doctor Pierce, who has been arrested, figures as principal. The frauds consist of fraudulent and forged applications as actual purchasers. Some six sections in Howard County are included in the steal. The applications are made out to fictitious persons. Dr. Pierce and a notary of Howard County named Wampler are charged with manufacturing fraudulent applications and forging the names of applicants and witnesses. Wampler has also been arrested.

PETIT, cashier of the Erie County (Pa.) Savings Bank, for whom a warrant for embezzlement is out, is in Canada. An attachment was issued in the 11th for $28,000 in the hands of his daughter.

THE National Convention of the Emerald Beneficial Association adjourned at Pittsburgh on the 11th after electing the following officers: President, Rev. F. J. Lentz, Indiana; Vice President, J. C. Golden, Pittsburgh; Treasurer, Thomas Callahan, Virginia; Marshal, Dennis McKenna, Ohio; Sergeant-at-Arms, William Slogel, New York. The next biennial convention will be held at Cleveland.

MALIGNANT diphtheria has broken out among the Indians of the Lac du Flambeau (Minn.) reservation. Fourteen or fifteen have already died, and many more are sick. A physician has been sent to the reservation by the Indian agent at Ashland.

WILLIAM HART, the only person indicted for burning the Court House at Cincinnati during the late riot, was acquitted of the charge of arson on the 11th.

THE Supreme Court of Connecticut has just decided a test case an l affirms the title of Clinton, Conn., oyster growers to valuable submerged lands. The property involved is valued at over $500,000. The litigation has been going on for taree years.

THERE are twelve vacancies in the list of Second Lieutenants of the army after all of the recently graduated cadets have been assigned, and the President will fill them by appointments from civil life.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended July 11: United States 184, Canada 17; total 201.

THE longest flight in this country of a homing pigeon yet recorded has just been flown from Atlanta, Ga., to Keyport, N. J., 725 miles. The bird, a hen, was one of four—all of which were loosed together—that are in training for a thousand-mile journey.

A FEW days ago "Bruiser," the only survivor of the snow-slide near Aspen last March, in which five men lost their lives, arrived at Leadville, Col., and was treated with all the honor of a plumed knight. He is a dog, and was found buried under many feet of snow thirty-three days after the slide.

A FIRE broke out in the Reibly House at Bradford, Pa., early on the morning of the 11th and spread so rapidly that four persons, two women and two children, were unable to get out of their rooms and were burned to death. Two young ladies and two men (one of whom has since died) were badly burned while making their escape, and several business blocks and two dwellings were totally destroyed. The names of the victims are Mrs. Reibly and her two daughters, Mary and Lizzie, aged six and three respectively; Helen Johnson, a domestic, and John Holden, a barber. H. Garwich, Mrs. Reibly's father, Lena Gerwitz and Mary Touhey were severely burned.

THE old and well known banking firm of Everett, Weddell & Co., of Cleveland, O., assigned on the 11th, with liabilities estimated at over $500,000. The assets, principally in real estate, are estimated at $2,000,000, and it is believed all obligations of the firm will be met in a short time.

AT St. Louis on the 11th a four-oared shell of the Modoc Rowing Club, containing four rowers and coxswain, was struck and crushed by the ferry-boat Milliken. One of the crew went down with the shell. The others sprang for the bow of the ferry boat and clung to the guards, but before assistance could reach them two lost their hold, fell back into the river and were drowned.

BY the collision of a freight with a passenger train at Bayeux, France, on the 11th, forty persons were injured.

THE Collector of Customs for the district of Arizona, has notified the Treasury Department that the Mexican Government has entered into an agreement with the steamship company to give a bonus of sixty dollars a head for Chinese laborers, to be landed at Guayaimas, Mexico, under the abor contract.

THREE United States prisoners were executed at Fort Smith, Ark., on the 11th for murders committed in the Indian Territory. Their names were James Thompson, a white man; John Davis, a full blooded Choctaw Indian, and Jack Woman-Killer, alias Gal-Catcher, a full-blooded Cherokee. All confessed their guilt.

AT a meeting of Mexican veterans at St. Louis on the 11th it was decided to hold an international convention of Mexican veterans at St. Louis early in October next. The project meets the hearty approval of President-elect General Diaz, of Mexico, and other prominent Mexican Government officials, and they have promised to send fifty prominent veterans of the Mexican war to the convention. A committee was appointed to take charge of the matter, issue invitations and make all the necessary preparations for the convention.

A FOUR-STORY tenement house on Second Avenue, New York, took fire in the basement on the morning of the 13th, creating a disastrous panic among the inmates. The building was without escapes, and the windows in front of the house appeared to be the only means of escape. Many jumped from the windows, receiving serious if not fatal injuries. John McMahon, who lives on the top floor attempted to lower his wife and baby from the window by means of sheets tied together, but the fabric gave way, and the woman and child come crushing down upon the awning, which broke beneath their weight. Mrs. McMahon fell upon the sidewalk, fracturing her skull, breaking an arm, and receiving severe internal injuries. The infant lodged upon the awning and was uninjured. Mrs. James Morris, Mrs. Lewis Lenton, and several others were seriously injured by jumping from the windows.

AT Dallas, Tex., on the 12th, W. H. Beals and a man named Bowie fought a duel to the death in a room in the third story of the National Hotel. Shots were heard and the young man Bowie was broken into. Both were lying dead, a pistol lying by the side of each, and both shot through the heart and head. Shortly prior to the duel they were devoted friends. A few minutes before the tragedy they had a quarrel, and one was heard to say: "Damn you, I'll kill you." Soon after they retired to their room, when the shots were heard.

A POWDER explosion at Catlin's stone quarry, Burlington, Vt., on the 12th instantly killed Jerry Patrande and his son Frank, and fatally injured Joseph Mascotte. The men were tamping a charge consisting of a keg of powder for a blast when it exploded. The Patrandes were blown sixty feet in the air. Mascotte was thrown fifty feet and buried under masses of stone.

FOUR men were seriously injured and one, Charles Cruz, killed by the upsetting of a car of the gravel train on the Lackawanna railroad on the 12th.

A SKIFF containing eight men capsized in the Monongahela on the afternoon of the 13th, and August Schriber was drowned. The others were rescued with difficulty.

THE damage by fire at Martin, Worn & Co.'s furniture factory, Williamsburg, N. Y., struck by lightning on the 12th, is estimated at $90,000. The insurance does not exceed $65,000.

IT is stated that the contest over the will of the late Henry S. Parker, of Boston, by his widow, has been compromised. The agreement is to give her $10,000 in cash, $6,000 a year, and an interest in the Parker House.

CONSIDERABLE damage to crops from severe hail and rain storms on the 13th is reported from various sections of New England.

THE steamer Charles Morgan, with several hundred German excursionists on board, collided with the steamer Central City about twenty miles below St. Louis on the 13th. The Morgan struck the Central City amidships, cutting her down and she soon sank, but her crew and all on board were taken off safely.

AT Wheeling, W. Va., on the 13th several young men were having photographs taken in a tragic attitude, one of them being in the position as if shooting the other with a cocked revolver. Something startled him and he pressed the trigger, the ball piercing Edward Kitzmiller through the heart. An instantaneous photograph was secured of the dying man, possibly the first instance on record.

AS train No. 7 from Martinsburg, W. Va., was entering Washington on a "Y" switch on the 12th it collided with train No. 12, west bound from Baltimore. Both trains were badly wrecked. Michael Riley, engineer of the Martinsburg train, was killed, and his fireman, Solomon Taylor, badly injured. The engineer and fireman of the other train escaped with slight injuries. Several passengers were severely and a number slightly injured.

AT Conshohocken, Pa., on the 12th John May, a shoemaker, stabbed his daughter seventeen times, then stabbed himself fifteen times and died. The daughter died the next day. She repelled the unlawful advances of her father.

FOLLOWING is the weekly statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended July 12: Loans decrease, $2,791,000; specie increase, $7,760,000; legal tenders increase, $2,101; deposits increase, $9,248,000; circulation increase, $32,500; reserve increase, $7,550,000. The banks held $23,681,000 in excess of legal requirements.

ANDREW YOUNG, President of the National Plumbers' Association, has addressed a card to the members of the National Association suggesting that the master plumbers' associations in every city in the United States render their services as an auxiliary sanitary corps, to be under the direction of the local boards of health, by reporting premises found in an unsanitary condition. Tender of such service is made owing to the fear in the public mind of a visitation of cholera.

ON the 12th the Treasury Department paid the following claims for expenses incurred by State Departments during the war of the rebellion: Ohio, $90,246; New York, $58,946; Michigan, $42,346; Massachusetts, $28,619.

THE Southern Plow Manufacturers' Association of the United States was organized at Louisville, Ky., on the 12th. Barry Coleman, of Louisville, Ky., was elected President and Joseph Speer, of Pittsburgh, Pa., Secretary and Treasurer. A full schedule of prices and discounts for the coming season was agreed upon.

THE boiler at Wolf's portable saw mill, near Millfield, Ohio, exploded on the 12th, demolishing the building and instantly killing Barrack Wolf. Eugene Wolf was struck by falling timbers, and perhaps fatally hurt, while Roy Blackburn was badly cut up and Hawley Howard was scalded almost to death by steam.

THE extensive dry goods and importing house of Halstead, Haines & Co., of New York, made an assignment for the benefit of creditors on the 12th. Liabilities are reported at $2,000,000.

CORONER MUSGRAFT, after nearly three months' deliberation, has just made his return on the Cincinnati riots. He finds that Captain Desmond was killed by the mob, that Corporal Gortz was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun, and that the more than fifty rioters who were killed or died from wounds were killed or wounded by officers of the law in the discharge of their duty, after being warned by the sheriff to preserve the peace or bear the consequences.

WILLIAM G. HOLDEN, a salesman in the employ of the Babcock Fire Extinguisher Company, New York, was arrested on the 12th, charged with forging several large orders for goods and collecting his commission from the company.

OVER three thousand teachers, embracing many of the most prominent educators of the country, are in attendance at the meeting of the National Educational Association, at Madison, Wis. The session will continue until the 18th.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

PAUL MORPHY, the once famous chess player, died at New Orleans on the 10th.

THE Executive Committee of the Independents of Boston has instructed the chairman and secretary to confer by wire, immediately upon the reception of the nominations from Chicago, with the Independents of New York, New Haven, Philadelphia, Buffalo, St. Louis and other places relative to the time and place of holding a National conference. The probabilities are the conference will be held in New York.

AT the commencement exercises of Bowdoin College on the 9th, the degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon James G. Blaine, W. L. Putnam, of Portland; Professor John H. Coffin, of Washington, and Morris C. Blake, of San Francisco.

HON. CHARLES C. WASHBURN, of Minnesota, son of the late Governor Washburn, died at Portland, Me., on the 11th, aged thirty-five.

THE Arkansas Republican State committee decided that it was inexpedient to put a ticket in the field at present, and adjourned to the 24th inst.

THE Republicans of the Twenty-fifth Pennsylvania district nominated A. C. White for Congress on the eighty-sixth ballot.

PROFESSOR PACKARD, acting president of Bowdoin College, died suddenly on the 13th, aged eighty-five.

THE Right Rev. William Jacobson, D. D., Bishop of Chester, England, is dead.

FOREIGN.

A DISPATCH received at Paris on the 10th from Admiral Courbet, says that he has occupied a town on the Chinese coast.

THE interior of the Royal Armory at Madrid was burned on the 10th. Most of the contents were saved.

THE Supreme Tribunal of Hesse has decreed a separation between Madame Kalomine and the Grand Duke of Hesse, recently united in a morganatic marriage.

A DISPATCH of the 10th from Carlscrona, Sweden, says the Prince of Monaco's yacht was wrecked and the crew drowned, but Prince Albert was rescued.

TWENTY-FIVE deaths from cholera were reported at Marseilles on the 10th, and ten at Toulon. Among the latter was the Lady Superior of the Sisters of Charity.

THERE were seventy-four deaths from cholera at Marseilles on the 11th, and one case reported at Paris.

STRICT quarantine is ordered at Havana on vessels from cholera ports.

ADVICES from Winnipeg state that the customs difficulties have been satisfactorily arranged, and there will be no further troubles or delays at the frontier.

FIRE at West Winchester, Ont., on the 12th destroyed Block's flour mills, Chamber's carriage works, Alexander's grocery and several dwellings. It was caused by an explosion of a barrel of coal oil. Loss $200,000.

AN Orange procession at Cleator, near Whitehaven, England, was attacked by Nationalists on the 12th, and serious fighting followed. A telegraph boy was killed and several persons injured. Revolvers and swords were used, stones thrown and windows smashed. The police, armed with swords, finally dispersed the rioters.

THE Paris *Figaro* of the 13th says Patenatre, French Minister to China, has granted the Chinese Ministry of Foreign affairs a delay of two days, but if it then fails to give assent to the terms submitted by France, Admiral Courbet's squadron will bombard the fleets at Shanghai, and Admiral Lespes will disembark his forces at Foo Choo and seize the arsenal there. Two ironclads have left Brest to reinforce Admiral Courbet.

A LONDON dispatch of the 13th says that should the House of Lords reject the franchise bill in the fall the Government will immediately dissolve Parliament and a general election will take place before Christmas.

JUDGMENT was given in the Eno case at Quebec on the 12th, denying an application for the prisoner's extradition.

LATER.

BY the fall of a brick wall at Lawrence, Mass., on the 14th Mary McDonough and Catherine Flaherty, children, were killed, and Katie Horgan was injured.

TWO sons of Thomas Lee, a farmer on Roaring Creek, Pa., and a man named Kohler were killed recently while saving stock from a barn fired by lightning.

THE small town of Mission, San Jose, Cal., was almost totally destroyed by fire on the 14th. Loss $50,000; insurance small. When the water was exhausted claret was used to extinguish the flames to prevent the destruction of the old Mission Church.

THERE were sixty-six deaths from cholera at Marseilles during the twenty-four hours ended at nine o'clock p. m. of the 14th. The scourge is steadily increasing.

WHILE a gang of railroad laborers were at work on an excavation near Parker, Pa., on the 14th, the embankment caved in killing two instantly, and it is thought fatally injuring two more. The victims were Swedes.

SECRETARY FRELINGHUYSEN has instructed by cable the Consular officers at London, Liverpool, Marseilles, Havre, Bordeaux, Bremen and Hamburg to at once appoint competent physicians to inspect all vessels and passengers departing for the United States from the ports mentioned. The Consular officers are also instructed to refuse clean bills of health in all cases except upon recommendation of the sanitary inspector that such bills be given; also to report by cable any case of infectious or contagious disease known to exist on board of a vessel at the time of her departure to the United States. This course is adopted in order that health officers at our ports may take such measures as shall prevent the cholera from gaining a foothold in this country.

WHILE Zachariah Taylor was putting a rod in a reel in the Cambria Iron Works at Johnstown, Pa., on the 14th the red hot rod by some means was thrown over his head and drawn tightly around his neck, almost decapitating him and literally roasting his neck and shoulders. Thomas O'Neil, another workman, sprang to his assistance, and with his bare hands untwisted the rod. Taylor will die, and O'Neil is badly burned.

LIGHTNING struck a circus tent at Barnben, Prussia, on the 14th and killed four persons and injured seven severely. Many others were hurt slightly.

AT Hamden Park, Springfield, Mass., on the 14th William Hanagan's horse "Sour Mash" was driven twenty miles in 57 minutes and 35 seconds by Sam Richards.

A SERIOUS anti-Papal demonstration occurred at Rome on the 14th during the services in memory of Pius IX. The rioters attempted to cross the square in front of St. Peters, but the police and military prevented. Six rioters were arrested.

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ESTATE OF SIRRELL C. LE BARON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 23d day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Delos C. LeBaron, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Edgar A. Tribou, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. jun26

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said William Waring deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, on the 19th day of May, A.D. 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the hereinafter described premises in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Bounded by a line commencing at the northwest corner of land deeded by Simeon H. Southworth to said William Warting, said land now owned by Isaac P. Keyser, thence west on south side of Brown street, continued east, one chain and twenty-eight links to the northeast corner of John F. Temple's lot; thence southwardly parallel with Maumee street, three chains and fifty-six links; thence east parallel with first course one chain and twenty-eight links; thence north to the southwest corner of I. P. Keyser's lot; thence still north on the west line of said Keyser's lot three chains and fifty-six links to the place of beginning. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated May 22, 1884.

FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Administrator of said Estate.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant,

vs.

Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 8th day of July, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershler, thence north easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershler's land, will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. jun12

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, Minors.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, on the 25th day of July, A.D. 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2-6) of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale, cash.

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Both parties are taking a breathing spell now preparatory to the great struggle which will soon begin.

There will be no bolting from Cleveland and Hendricks on the part of the Democrats. The ticket was made to win.

Wait till you see Blaine's letter of acceptance. That will be something for the Republicans to hurrah over, and it is safe to say that it will be interesting reading.

The Convention could not afford to submit to the dictation of John Kelly. Tammany's violent opposition forced the issue, and made Cleveland's nomination a necessity.

Ohio cut a sorry figure as usual. Had Allen been a unanimous democratic Democrat and had a muzzle been put on John Kelly, the "old Roman" would have probably been the nominee.

The game will be played for New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Indiana and the solid South. Who holds the winning cards? That is the question to be decided at the ballot box next November.

Col. Eldridge has returned from Washington. He has made a good record in the Lower House, has performed his duties faithfully and has given satisfaction to his constituents. He has proven himself a worthy successor of Beaman and Willetts. The Democrats owe it to themselves as well as to Col. Eldredge to tender him a unanimous renomination.

The New York Herald is responsible for the following:

He was evidently an enthusiastic Cleveland man. He stood on Broadway expressing his views to a friend with great earnestness. He pounded the end of his umbrella on the sidewalk to emphasize his remarks, and as the Herald reporter passed by, he heard him say:

"Yes, sir, I tell you what, Cleveland will draw the votes of all the independents. The disinfected republicans are all for him."

It is generally understood that Capt. C. R. Miller is in the field for the Republican nomination for Congress. Mr. Miller is well equipped, both by natural talents and by acquired experience, for the position. We can think of no Republican in the district who would make a stronger run, and if elected he would certainly discharge the duties of a congressman with credit. Give us good nominations on both sides and then the people will be well served in any event.

"Quiz" of the Saginaw Courier says: —It was apparent on the surface that the Independent Republican movement exerted a powerful influence in the nomination of Cleveland, and as confidently asserted that he would gain two votes for every one lost. A gentleman from New York states that Mr. Cleveland would draw a pretty solid support from the business interests not only of New York, but other sections of the country. This element was opposed to Mr. Blaine at the outset and would not now support him, since Cleveland eminently suited them. It must be admitted that there is some force in this.

The Springfield Republican says: The nomination of this ticket gives the Democracy an even chance of carrying the country. They have sound candidates upon a good platform. They will have to contend with more or less defection to Butler and Kelly, but the total absence of real grievances on the part of the latter and the prospect of success if harmony prevails will tend to solidify the party vote in New York. On the other hand, the Independent vote, which the nomination of Blaine has lost the Republican ticket, will be cast for Cleveland. The Independents will put up no third candidate, but will heartily support Cleveland and Hendricks. The Democratic nominations therefore stand an even chance of carrying the States of New York, Connecticut and New Jersey, which at present are in Democratic hands, but the campaign will be fiercely contested on both sides and we apprehend that the use of money will be carried to an alarming degree.

THE LAST TICKET.

The following extracts taken from a few of the leading independent newspapers of the land, show how Cleveland's nomination strikes nonpartisan voters. These extracts are all from independent papers of Republican proclivities.

The New York Herald says: The Herald puts at the head of its columns the democratic ticket for President and Vice President of the United States. We congratulate the democratic party upon the work of its convention at Chicago and the opportunity it offers to the American people, through a union of patriotic voters, by whatever name they call themselves—democrats, independents, labor reformers or whatsoever else—to redeem the country from the disgrace and peril to which the republican party has plotted to expose it by the thoroughly bad nominations of Blaine and Logan.

Cleveland's easy nomination on the second ballot yesterday justifies all that we have thought and said of the sound judgment and good sense of this Convention when put to a decisive test of choosing between what is vital, sound and vigorous in the democracy and what is very much the other way, and the Convention is to be congratulated upon the fact that it has named the man who will be the next President.

Parties in this country are to-day at a turning point in their history, and it is for the democracy, if it hopes to impress its convictions upon the life of the nation, to take this turn in the tide at its happy moment or it must remain stranded with the wrecks of its past not over respectable history. The nomination of Cleveland means that the young democracy is determined to take the tide at its flood. We believe also that it is a nomination which will command the approval of the aged and sagacious as well as enthusiasm of the vigorous [illegible]

The Boston Herald says: In nominating Governor Cleveland for President the Democratic party has displayed the wisdom of its opportunity, as the Republican party in nominating Mr. Blaine manifested the audacity of its desires. There are corrupt and dangerous elements in both parties. In the Republican party they have at last prevailed. In the Democratic party they have been beaten down. The Republican party is led by its tail, the Democratic party by its head. With a reform candidate nominated by the Democratic party solely because he is and has always been a reformer and is acceptable to the reform voters, it looks like the beginning of a practical reorganization of parties. It certainly looks like the beginning of the end of the Republican party as at present organized and led. On the whole, a change is desirable. Cleveland will be elected. The independent voters will all support him.

Col. McClure, editor of the Philadelphia Times says: It is the most thoroughly deliberate Convention that has met since the organization of the present parties, with the single exception of the Lincoln Convention that started the Republican revolution in this city nearly a quarter of a century ago. It was not wedded to Grover Cleveland; it was not for him as a man; he had fewer personal acquaintances in the Convention than had any successful candidate since Lincoln. He had no factious support outside of his battle with spoilsmen in his own State; he had no sectional sentiment or interest to rally under his flag. But from East and West, from North and South the most conservative and resolute supporters of honest government united to nominate him as the fittest and best leader of the revolution that public profligacy and debauchery so imperiously invite.

The conflict will be one of the most violent and exhaustive of our political history. The Republicans have their ablest leader. His undiscovered resources are vast and will be employed in desperation. His party has boundless means of political warfare and they will be summoned to the uttermost. There will be money for the venal, honors for the ambitious, plunder for thieves, promises for the weak and flattery for fools; but the very desperation of the strife will multiply and crystalize the forces of reform, and only some monumental Democratic folly can hinder the election of Grover Cleveland.

The August number of DEMOREST'S ILLUSTRATED MONTHLY is usually interesting. Among the many articles that call for favorable notice are "On Foot and Four-in-hand in the Tyrol," "Costume Portraits in the Paris Salon," "At the Whitby Jet Works," "Opportunities for Women," by Jenny June, and "Ernst Moritz Arndt, Poet and Patriot." Ella Wheeler, Eleanor Kirk, and others contribute excellent stories, and the illustrated article on the popular "Crazy Quilt" will prove useful to ladies. "The World's Progress," and the various departments are of interest and utility, and the illustrations excellent. The beautiful oil picture, "A Feather in her Cap," is exceedingly attractive.

FORCED TO RESIGN.

Thomas P. Graham, Chief of the Stamp Division of the Postoffice Department, Accused of Negligence.

A Court-Martial Ordered in the Case of Medical Director Wales—General Swaim Seeking to be Placed on the Retired List.

REQUIRED TO RESIGN.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Through inquiries made at the Postoffice Department in regard to the recent theft of stamps it is learned that Thomas P. Graham, chief of the stamp division, was charged with the duty of seeing that the condemned stamps which were forwarded to the department from the stamp agency were counted and destroyed. The Postmaster General thought Graham's negligent manner in discharging this duty enabled Bruggeman, as a member of the committee appointed to count and destroy the stamps, to steal those which were found in his possession. The Postmaster General, therefore, required Graham to resign, which he did to-day. Moses Bradshaw, a third-class clerk and formerly of the stamp division, was appointed to the vacancy. Graham has been a clerk in the department a long time. His intelligence and integrity were well known by everyone, including the Postmaster General, and his resignation was demanded solely upon the ground of negligence, as stated above.

WHERE THE BLAME LIES.

The Coroner's Jury which investigated the fatal railroad accident on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, near this city, Saturday night, brought in a verdict placing the responsibility for the collision on John Sullivan, the flagman, who displayed a white light to the train which was behind time when he had been signalled to display a red light as an evidence that the track was not clear. Sullivan was arrested.

HE WILL BE COURT-MARTIALED.

Secretary Chandler intends to order a court-martial in case of Medical Director Wales, for inefficiency in the management of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery while he was Surgeon General. It has transpired that while Wales was Surgeon General certain quarters for that bureau at Norfolk and Maryland navy yards were erected which cost very much more than they should have cost, because Wales gave the contract to build them to a friend in Baltimore instead of allowing them to be [illegible] fitend to let up in this matter.

SWAIM'S CASE.

It is understood that friends of Judge Advocate General Swaim, of the army, will seek to have him retired. He has become a wreck physically and mentally in consequence of nervous prostration. His court-martial has been postponed till September, though the efforts of his friends were to have it take place immediately. Of course, if he is retired it will be on account of physical inability, and he will be allowed to draw his retired pay the balance of his life.

The Effects the Cholera Has on Drugs.

NEW YORK, July 15.—A noticeable effect of the cholera outbreak in Europe is the rise here of the price of drugs used in the prevention and treatment of the disease. The demand has been largely stimulated. Opium, which is largely used in compounding cholera mixture, has advanced twenty-five cents per pound in the last few days. It may, however, be questioned whether the rise in opium comes from the scare or the shortness of the crop this year. Sulphate morphine is twenty cents per ounce higher, and oil peppermint has recently advanced. A considerable amount of it has recently been exported. The demand for camphor is increasing, and a rise is expected. Chloride of lime is being largely purchased, and is twenty cents per hundred pounds higher. Carbolic and crystals have advanced from twenty-five to thirty per cent. There is considerable buying by France in England also.

A Statement Promised in the Case of the Federal Bank.

TORONTO, Ont., July 15.—Mr. Yarker, the newly-appointed general manager of the Federal Bank, promises a full statement of the bank's affairs at an early date. He says the assets amount to $12,000,000, spread over the country from Montreal to Winnipeg. There is a good deal of discussion as to who will succeed Mr. Yarker as manager of the Bank of Montreal. Among the names are Mr. Munro, manager of the Chicago branch; Mr. Hebden, assistant manager at Chicago; and it is also stated that Mr. McNider, inspector and assistant general manager, who is now in charge, is willing to take the Toronto agency permanently.

Two Young Women Drowned.

MONTREAL, Que., July 15.—At Valois, a watering place about fourteen miles from Montreal, Saturday evening Miss Ross, daughter of P. S. Ross, of Montreal, and her cousin, Miss Barry, of Glasgow, Scotland, went out in a small boat to bathe. They anchored the boat about 300 yards from shore. Persons watching them saw something was wrong in a few minutes after they entered the water and raised an alarm. Nothing could be done to save them. The bodies were recovered about four hours afterwards.

Base Ball.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 15.—The Buffalos defeated the Clevelands yesterday by a score of 13 to 5.

Providence—Bostons, 6; Providence, 9.

Philadelphia—New Yorks, 3; Philadelphias, 2.

Detroit—Chicagos, 6; Detroits, 3.

A. W. Stuart, of Ayer, Mass., has signed with the Clevelands, and Dupee Shaw, former pitcher of the Detroits, with the Boston Unions.

Gov. Murray's Reception.

OGDEN, Utah, July 15.—Gov. Murray arrived here Saturday evening and was tendered a royal reception by the Gentiles. The demonstration was the grandest ever given to an official in Utah. The city was fairly ablaze with bonfires and torches. The streets were thronged with people. The Mormons took no active part in the reception. The Governor delivered a stirring, patriotic address from the balcony of the Broom Hotel.

Hoffman Convicted.

CINCINNATI, July 14.—John B. Hoffman, who murdered his son Robert in this city January 12, 1883, was this morning sentenced to be hanged October 24, 1884. The Governor will be petitioned to commute his sentence.

Death of a Well-Known Rabbi.

PHILADELPHIA, July 14.—Rev. George Jacobs, pastor of Bethel Emith Synagogue, died this morning.

HE THOUGHT HE HAD TIME.

An Engineer's Carelessness Causes Two Serious Collisions.

NEW YORK, July 15.—A passenger train on the Brooklyn & Coney Island Railway came in collision with an engine and coal car yesterday afternoon near the curve at the Greenwood Cemetery and badly bruised a number of passengers. Charles Merwing, engineer of the coal train, left the depot at Brooklyn, thinking he had time to make the switch outside the city limits before the 2:30 train came along. He met the passenger train coming at full speed just as he turned the curve at Greenwood Cemetery. He reversed his engine and leaped to the ground. Lewis Hart, the engineer of the approaching passenger train, also reversed his engine, but remained at his post. After the collision the coal train with the engine reversed and under full steam backed away. It was seen speeding toward the depot where it crashed into a crowded passenger train. The coal car and engine were thrown from the track. The engine of the passenger train was completely wrecked, and the roof of an open car entirely carried away. Seats were broken and ground together. No one killed outright. Casualties were reported as follows: Frederick Alston, 485 Third Avenue, a severe scalp wound; Henry C. Baven, 79 Hanbury Street, and James Longman, seven years old, 209 Wyckoff Street, injured about head and back; Jacob Brown, engineer of the passenger train, internal injuries, probably fatal; Dennis Murray and John Murphy, Newark, N. J.; Daniel O'Malley, 25 Twenty-second Street, Brooklyn; Mrs. Clara Burns, Brooklyn, and Frank Major, all bruised severely, but none fatally. Charles Merwin, engineer of the coal train, to whose carelessness the collisions were due, has not yet been arrested.

Prohibition in Iowa.

BURLINGTON, Ia., July 15.—Two saloon keepers of this city, Philip Leicht, Jr., and Charles Reinert, appeared before Judge Beck at Fort Madison to resist an application for an injunction to restrain them from maintaing a nuisance by keeping saloons. On consultation the application was withdrawn. In the afternoon a search warrant was issued against Leicht, and two constables searched his place and succeeded in finding nine bottles of beer and half a bottle of stomach bitters, with which they started to police headquarters. During the search a large crowd had gathered in front of the the place, through which the officers had to make their way. As they did so the bottles of beer were snatched from the officer's hands, and when they arrived at the police office they had in their possession one bottle of beer and half a bottle of bitters. The affair caused some excitement and much merriment.

Injured by an Explosion of Gas.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 15.—Yesterday afternoon the natural gas at the Westinghouse well exploded from a leak, seriously and probable fatally injuring drillers Harry Hall and William Vensel. Both men were terribly burned and it is feared injured internally. The derrick took fire, but the flames were extinguished before it was seriously damaged. The Zimmerman well at Brushton, in the East end, struck gas this evening at a depth of 600 feet. Four other wells are expected to reach a vein in a few days. It is reported that oil was struck at Coal Valley, fifteen miles southerly on the Monongahela River.

Killed by an Infuriated Husband.

PIEDMONT, W. Va., July 14.—A message from Bayard, Md., thirty-four miles from here on the West Virginia Railroad, says that a man named Glenn shot and instantly killed a man named Stephenson near that place Friday evening. The message says the tragedy grew out of bad feeling between the men on account of the intimacy of Stephenson with Glenn's wife. Stephenson had been warned to stay away from his wife by Glenn, but was caught in the house by the injured husband, who shot him through the heart.

A Sensation in the Sharon Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 15.—W. M. Neilson, who was chief instigator in the famous suit of Miss Hill against ex-Senator Sharon for divorce, has announced his withdrawal from the case. He says he became aware that certain testimony on which she based her case had been falsified. The falsification consists in changes in the "My dear wife" letters. The word "wife" has been added. The statement creates surprise. The trial will be resumed to-day.

Hung by a Mob—Two Men Killed.

CINCINNATI, July 15.—Dick May, a negro charged with attempt to rape upon Miss Stella Keller within, or near Owensboro, Ky., was taken from the Owensboro jail, and hanged by a mob. The jailor, K. M. Lucas, was shot through the lungs and killed. Lucas fired on the mob from a balcony while they were hanging May in the court yard, killing one of the mob and fatally wounding Dr. Lockhart a prominent physician.

Hamilton College Troubles.

UTICA, N. Y., July 15.—A memorial, signed by 200 graduates of Hamilton College, was presented to C. C. Kingsley, Secretary of the Board of Trustees yesterday, praying that the trustees take steps to settle the difficulties in the college before the opening of the fall term. Secretary Kingsley promised to do all in his power toward the desired end.

Postmaster Arrested for Embezzlement.

PHILADELPHIA, July 15.—Postmaster William T. Bailey, of Camden, New Jersey, was arrested this morning on charges of embezzlement and held in $3,000 bail for hearing Monday. A warrant was also issued for the arrest of Assistant Postmaster Jesse V. Mines for embezzlement.

Buried Under a Land-Slide.

PITTSBURGH, July 15.—A Parker, Pa., special says that while a gang of men were digging along the Allegheny Valley Railway track at the mouth of the Clarion River the hillside caved in and fell on them. Two men were dug out dead and two more will die.

Failures.

NEW YORK, July 15.—The schedules in the assignment of Pearce & Hall, hat manufacturers, filed yesterday, show liabilities of $170,000; nominal assets $111,000; actual assets $81,000.

STAUNTON, Va., July 15.—J. W. Newton, dry goods, failed.

Steamship Ashore.

FOX RIVER, Ont., July 15.—A three masted steamship is ashore two miles below here. There is a dense fog. All the crew is on the banks.

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FOR SALE.—Three houses and lots for sale on time. Enquire of A. W. SLAYTON.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—House of late Hiram A. Adams for sale on easy terms. Apply to E. B. & F. B. WOOD, or D. VAN TINE.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me will please call and settle, on or before the 15th of July, as after that time, all my accounts will be placed in proper hands for collection.
MRS. H. E. STOUT.

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FOR SALE.—A good, cheap house and lot, near business part of village. Anyone wishing a bargain, will call on JOHN SCHOOLCRAFT.

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Strawberries played out.

Whortleberries in the market.

Another cold wave last Sunday.

If you want a good time, go to Put-in-Bay on the 23d.

The extra fat and the extra lean are adapted to the Mother Hubbard dress. A woman of a shape has no business in one.

The cheapest excursion of the season will take place on the 23d via the M. & O. and steamer Chief Justice Waite to Put-in-Bay.

The Union service will be held in the Baptist Church next Sunday evening. Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, pastor of the M. E. Church will preach.

Put up fruit now, so you can "put it down" next winter. Cherries $1,00 per bushel and good sugar 14 lbs. for a dollar. Don't complain.

Children's Sunday was appropriately celebrated at the M. E. Church last Sunday. Floral decorations were quite numerous, and the services both morning and evening were appropriate to the day and occasion.

A NEW HOTEL.

Tecumseh is to have a new hotel. H. S. Lee has for some time been contemplating building an extension upon the North end of his large family residence on Chicago street and converting the new building into a hotel. His plans have finally taken form and ground was broken for the new structure last Tuesday afternoon. The building will be of brick 27x44 feet in size and three stories high, and will fill the vacant lot between Mr. Lee's house and the South line of Chicago street. The location is an admirable one for a hotel, one of the best in the village, and the building itself will be constructed with a view to making it as convenient as possible for hotel purposes. It will be sufficiently central to accommodate the traveling public and yet be out of the hubbub. All four sides of the building will be well lighted. In fact Mr. Lee intends to have the model hotel in this section of the State. The contracts for the work are let and the building will be opened for the traveling public in about sixty days.

A TERRIBLE RUNAWAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rector and Two Young Ladies Thrown From a Wagon and all Seriously Injured.

Last Sunday forenoon Frank Rector and his wife attended Church in the village according to their usual custom. On their return home, they overtook Miss Mary Platt, who is living in Mr. John Rector's family and Miss Nellie Boyce. As Frank had a two-seated buggy he invited the ladies to ride with him, promising to leave them at John Rector's. Just before arriving there his team became frightened, suddenly whirled and turned the buggy bottom side up, throwing all the inmates violently to the ground. The parties got into John Rector's house as best they could and a messenger was dispatched for medical aid. Dr. L. G. North was the first man found and upon arriving at the scene he found four badly bruised patients. Mr. Rector's head and shoulder were seriously jammed and bruised. At first it was feared that his skull was fractured, but luckily such was not the fact. Mrs. Rector had her nose broken and sustained other injuries. Miss Platt and Miss Boyce each had an arm broken. The broken limbs were properly set and the bruises were properly poulticed, and the patients are all doing as well as could be expected. The buggy and horses were considerably demoralized also.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 17, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

It is the "merry harvest time."

A vast amount of hay was secured last week and this.

Harry Chapin is canvassing Adrian for a new directory.

Thanks to D. S. Curtis, for late copies of Washington papers.

Remember the Carman Concert this evening at the Baptist church.

The Detroit Free Press has established a branch office at Jackson.

Miss Julia Snell has gone to James town, Mo., for a few weeks visit.

Jackson has made a gain of 3000 in population during the past four years.

A number of new dwellings are being erected in different portions of our village.

Geo. Adamson has been on the sick list for a few days but he is about again now.

D. D. Marshall of Detroit, was in town Tuesday. He does'nt seem worried over the political situation.

Robert Stretch was at home on a brief visit last week. He is still traveling for the Hartford Steam Boiler Ins. Co.

Miss Jennie Frazer has returned from Lake Linden, Mich., where she has been teaching, to remain during the vacation.

S. W. Clarkson has been engaged as cashier of the first national bank of Ann Arbor, at an advance of $250 a year in salary.

It seems like old times to see Tom Adamson behind the desk once more. He is at work for George, and will remain here until August.

J. S. Kinney has stocked up with an immense show of new furniture and thinks the outlook s favorable for a heavy fall trade in his line.

A County Union Mass convention will be held at Adrian on Saturday Aug. 2d., to choose a new county committee and elect delegates to the State convention.

Philo Mills sustained a severe fall while attempting to climb upon the walls of the new court house in Adrian on Tuesday morning. The back of his head was badly cut.

As soon as the snow is off the ground in the spring, Jim Cole commences to receive vegetables, and he keeps a fresh assortment of all kinds as long as they can be obtained.

Now doth the good housewife and children, armed with tin pails and baskets and dressed in the raiment of tramps, sally forth to the woods in search of whortleberries.

Camping-out parties are now the rage at the lakes, and the parties who go out generally do considerable "raging" about the time the mosquitoes begin to get in their work.

The man with a lung tester may be expected on the street-corner shortly. The use of his instrument is unnecessary during a campaign, when there is always lung testing going on.

Uncle Joe Gray was in town last Tuesday for the first time in two months. He is quite feeble in health now, but always calls to see his friends whenever he comes to town.

The Lenawee County Agricultural Society will hold its 7th annual exhibition, on the new grounds, by the Wabash depot at Adrian, on Tuesday, Sept. 23, and continuing until the 26th.

A Hillsdale lad swallowed a silver quarter on the 4th. He evidently wanted to lay out a little money on his internal improvements, but it took a doctor to save his life all the same.

Miss Maggie McDonald, employed at the Lawrence house, sustained a terrible blow upon the head, Wednesday afternoon, by the falling of an empty barrel from the roof of the building. She was unconscious for twelve hours. —Adrian Press.

The excursion to Devil's Lake last Sunday was well patronized. There were four coaches well filled with passengers, eighty-four tickets having been sold at the Tecumseh station. Another excursion will take place on Sunday the 27th inst.

The editor of the St. Louis Democrat does not tell his friends that he catches his excellent trout with a hook and line, but comes squarely out and acknowledges that they were obtained from a fish peddler. A reform movement has thus set in.

The general business outlook is improving and if crops turn out as well as present promise indicates, sixty days more will inaugurate an era of comparative prosperity. The farmers have just gathered an excellent crop of hay and wheat promises well. Be of good cheer, my brethering!

Further evidences as to the depredation of the weevil, shows that the damage is not as great and as wide spread as was feared. While some fields are ruined, others in the locality are but little damaged, and still others not at all. On some farms one field is found badly damaged, another not touched. They seem to have worked only in spots.

The Democrats of Clinton will ratify this evening.

The I. O. O. F. band of Blissfield have new uniforms.

The foundation for the new Court House is completed.

Congressman Eldredge returned home from Washington last week.

M. P. Brown will receive subscriptions to the Union Light in Tecumseh.

Judge Howell has gone to Sault St. Marie to hold a term of Court there.

Several Tecumseh people attended the "Wild West" show at Adrian last Monday.

A Council has been called to organize a new Congregational Church at Addison.

Al. Stevens was at home last week on a visit. He is traveling for the Saginaw Courier.

Mrs. M. L. Spafford celebrated her eighty first birthday, last Tuesday, at her old home.

Tecumseh now has 99 inhabitants more than Hudson, making Tecumseh the second town in the County.

All the cottages at Sand Lake are occupied and there is a demand for more. Cottages rent for about $10 per month.

Mr. C. S. Lester occupied the pulpit of the Baptist Church last Sunday evening. He made a very favorable impression.

The carpenters and masons are putting the finishing touches upon Ab. Usborne's block, adjoining the HERALD building.

Save 2 per cent by paying your corporation taxes to James Moir, village Marshall before Aug. 1st., at J. D. Sholes' harness shop.

Raynor Lilley and wife of Cleveland Ohio, are taking their summer vacation in Tecumseh and vicinity. They are spending a few days now at Devil's Lake.

It costs Lenawee county $2,500 to take the census of the county. The expense of the city commissioners was $360, and the towns ran from $65 to $160 each.

The Council have voted to purchase new hose for the fire department, and a committee has been appointed to consider the other matters asked for by the firemen.

Adrian Press: The Odd Fellows of this city have instituted a uniformed rank. Ed. Anglin is commander and John Hollister is vice-commander. There are 25 charter members.

L. F. Wheeler has been in Jackson County for a few days past taking Landscape views. Among them is the Crouch homestead, showing the scene of the horrible tragedy on Nov. 21st '83.

F. W. Keip, is becoming acquainted with our citizens and is well pleased with the business patronage he has received since he opened his store here. He has done better than he anticipated thus far.

The night blooming cereus of Mrs. Spaulding, at her green house, was in full bloom on Saturday night last, and was visited by a large number of our citizens. There will be another blossom in a few days.

Adrian Press: The county papers are poking fun at the Adrian citizens for the Corner-Stone fizzle, and we beg them to say no more. Adrian feels the humiliation as deeply as do our friends from the country.

Morenci Observer: Asa A. Kennedy, the only original boomer of Morenci over thirty years ago, is visiting his relatives in this locality. He is actively engaged in the mercantile business at Oxford, Iowa, and doing a prosperous business. He reports that Iowa will produce the grandest crop this year of its entire history.

The Chautauqua movement has been extended to include the young folks, who already have a "Reading Union." They are now to have an illustrated periodical of high character, which will be issued in July by the Publishers of the far-famed Wide Awake magazine, D. Lothrop & Co., who will send it free for two months to any of our readers who may request it.

Adrian Record: A young dude of Detroit, having made some insulting advances to a group of ladies, who were seated in the window of a boarding house, was invited in by them and accepted. The landlady of the house—a large, mascular woman—was called and proceeded to administer a severe drubbing to the puppy, who hastily departed in a dilapidated condition.

Manchester Enterprise: The saloons were open on the 4th in Manchester the same as in most of the towns, as is evident by reading the state exchanges, and as a matter of course people got drunk. The officers succeeded in keeping pretty good order, but some roughs who evidently came here to have a time had to be accommodated, and one Lillis, of Macon, said to be a bad one, attempted to kick up a row at Kirchgessner's and afterward at the dance in the broom factory, and when the officers attempted to put him in the lockup for safe keeping, he fought them so stoutly that he was handled pretty roughly. A friend offered to take him home if the officers would release him, which was done.

Republican congressional convention at Dean's opera house, Adrian, Thursday Aug, 21st.

Dr. J. B. Haynes, of Dundee, was shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends last Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucius Lilley is spending a few days at Devil's Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Lilley of Cleveland.

The school board of Adrian recommends raising $13,000 for school purposes for the ensuing year.

A model new sidewalk has been laid in front of the residences of Dr. Woodward and Prof. Hammond.

A letter from Dr. H. W. Gatlin indicates that he is much pleased with the business outlook at Grand Rapids.

C. L. Waring of Holland, Mich. was taking his summer vacation among his Ridgeway friends last week.

Hoxsie's foundry at Holloway has a new boiler in position and the firm is completing a large double cylinder stationary engine for a saw mill in Ogden.

Mrs. A. J. Bigelow, accompanied by her little daughter Blanche, is the guest of Miss Hattie Stevens this week, and is enjoying a few days reviving old Tecumseh acquaintance. She likes East Saginaw as a place of residence.

Adrian Times: The citizens of Deerfield are now amusing themselves by pitching half dollars, one fellow immortalizing himself the other day by winning $35 at the game. These chaps have never yet been accused of pitching any of their shekles into a church plate.

Adrian Times: Some vandal was mean enough, at some time since Saturday afternoon, to chip pieces out of some of the sandstones at the new court house which have been cut and made ready for the building. The stones are spoiled, but the authorities have a pretty definite idea as to the identity of the desecrating rascals, and it is not unlikely that some arrests will follow shortly.

The Detroit Free Press says the oat crop of Michigan will be an unusually heavy one, according to present appearances, being estimated in some of the large oat growing sections as high as 115 and 120 per cent. of the average yield. Oats and rye are also in fine condition. Buckwheat is being sown in larger acreage than common. Where this crop has been sown it is coming up in fine coedition. Potatoes promise everywhere a large yield this season.

The day is cold, and dark, and dreary, when the small boy gets left. He is bold and aggressive as a butcher's dog, and as crafty and full of guile as a handsome old maid; he is as profane as a parrot in a sailor's boarding house, quick at all kinds of mischief, yet as uncertain about his Sunday school lesson as a new made lord of his pedigree; but when the time comes for him to fill a man's place in the world, he is going to do it with credit to himself and his town.

Morenci Observer: Nearly a score of Adrian college students, immediately after the late commencement, left for northern counties of the State, where they will canvass during the summer to get funds to carry them through another year. They had been carefully drilling for several weeks previous, learning their little pieces from printed matter, which they were able to glibly recite. We may add, no warning was sent ahead to the unfortunate people whom they will invade.

Union Light: The attractions of Sand Lake are budding into more cottages. Mrs. Porter Sword has leased ground and commenced a summer home there. A short time ago and the people must go to the sea side or Petoskey for rest and recreation, but these little numberless lakes sparkling in the sunlight, perfect breastpins of beauty many of them, are being appreciated and the advantages of other summer resorts are being enjoyed without the disadvantages of travel and long distance from home.

This is the season of the year to relate wonderful stories of animal instinct, and we do not propose to be behind the times. We are informed that at a recent church picnic in a rural town in Michigan, a fierce swarm of bumble bees surged out of an old log and attacked the crowd, and for a time it looked as if the entire picnic would be broken up, but an aged deacon had the presence of mind to grasp his bat and announce that he would take up a collection, and it is said that the bees sneaked out of sight as quickly as if they had been human beings.

The management of the Base Ball Association have arranged a game with the Cass of Detroit, at Recreation Park, Wednesday, July 23d., and for the accommodation of parties desiring to witness the game, have arranged for an excursion for that day, via. L. S. & M. S. R. R., leaving Tecumseh on regular morning train. Fare for round trip, Tecumseh to Detroit and return, $1.50. Number of tickets limited. All persons desirous of taking in this excursion are requested to purchase their tickets before Monday evening, July 21st. Tickets to be found at W. & S. W. Anderson's and at Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.

A. W. Slayton is in Detroit looking after his lumber business.

O. P. Bills went to Petoskey last Friday to remain a few days.

Woolston Comfort is putting in a set of platform scales, of the Howe make, at his mill.

The firm of Kelly, Hoxsie & Co., of Holloway, is in a flourishing condition and building up a good trade.

Wm. McCowen does not propose to take a back seat in the furniture business, and is better prepared than ever to fill all orders in his line. Give him a call.

Our citizens should take every precaution to guard against burglars, as they are at the present time throughout the state. Give no encouragement to tramps, by feeding them. Inform them that the poor master will provide for them.

Last Tuesday morning, while Willie Finch, a son of Grim Finch was riding a horse his hat blew off. This frightened the horse and he threw the boy off and stepped on him, cutting some bad gashes in one leg. The injury is not considered dangerous but it is a serious one.

J. H. Underwood of Addison, Smith's head miller, came down on the M. & O. Monday, and while here he paid his respects to the HERALD sanctum. Mr. Underwood says that the Addison mill is booming, and the farmers in his section are happy over the prospects of a good wheat crop. Judging from Mr. Underwood's avoirdupois, the latitude of Addison and his vocation must agree with him.

The Democrats held an informal meeting at Justice Burridge's office last Monday evening and made arrangements for a Cleveland & Hendricks ratification meeting which will come off next Saturday evening. L. H. Salsbury, J. L. O'Mealy and Seth Bean will be invited to address the crowd. Band music will be provided and other accessories to make a good meeting. A committee, consisting of A. James, J. Davidson, G. A. Kies, C. H. Gainsley and Mat Root, was appointed to perfect arrangements and take charge of the meeting. Fred Wood was appointed to procure a hall to serve as a club room and it was voted to take steps at an early day to organize a club.

EXCURSION TO PUT-IN-BAY.

An excursion will run over the M. & O. road to Toledo and thence via. Steamer Chief Justice Waite to Put-in Bay on Wednesday July 23d inst. A special train will run, leaving Tecumseh at 6:57 A. M. and arriving at Tecumseh on the return trip about 9:30 P. M. Fare for the round trip from this station only $1.25. This train will run into the Penn. depot, within a few feet of the dock, hence no transfer will be necessary. The excursion will be in charge of the officers of the M. & O. road who will spare no pains to give those who go a pleasurable day.

BASE BALL.

The Tecumseh club won their fourth game this season last Friday, beating the Jonesville club by a score of 8 to 3. The home club was crippled somewhat by the absence of Heidenrich, who was laid up with a damaged hand, and Freeman. Faatz filled Heidenrich's place as catcher and did excellent work, only allowing one ball to slip through his fingers.—Will Eccles played right field, and McKinney was put on first in Freeman's position. During the first four innings it looked as though our boys were going to get beautifully scooped, the Jonesville having run in three scores; though they were all made by errors on the part of the home team, who did some miserable throwing. McKinney also muffed two balls on first and allowed a man to score.—Kelly was the only man that saved the club from defeat. He was not hit once for a good clean base hit, and if he had had any kind of support the Jonesvilles could have been shut out entirely. Not a man in the visiting team even hit the ball after the fifth innings. In the fifth and sixth innings the home team bunched their hits to good advantage and run in 4 scores, also 1 on the eighth and three on the ninth innings. The Jonesville pitcher was batted all over the diamond, especially so by Miller, Kelly and Geo. Bostwick.

TECUMSEH.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Miller, lb	5	1	2	2	1	2	0
F. Bostwick, 2b	4	1	1	2	1	1	0
Kelly, p	4	0	2	2	1	2	0
Faatz, c	5	1	1	1	17	5	0
Eccles, r. f.	5	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman, ss	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKinney, 1b	5	2	1	2	7	1	2
Anderson, l. f.	4	1	1	2	0	0	1
G. Bostwick, c. f.	4	1	2	3	0	0	2
Total	41	8	10	14	27	11	6

JONESVILLE.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Miller, c	4	0	0	0	7	5	1
Matthews, l.f	4	0	0	0	1	0	2
Case, 1b	4	0	0	0	8	1	1
Hudson, s.s.	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Hoyt, p	3	1	0	0	3	3	2
Demorest, r.f	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gallagher, 2b	3	0	0	0	3	1	1
Howlett, 3b	3	0	0	0	4	1	1
Beckhart, c.f	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	31	3	0	0	27	11	13

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tecumseh	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	3	— 8
Jonesville	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	— 3

Earned runs—Tecumseh 7; Jonesville, 0.
First base on errors—Tecumseh, 3; Jonesville, 2.
First base on balls—Jonesville, 2.
Two base hits—Tecumseh, 4.
Struck out—Tecumseh, 6; Jonesville, 17.
Left on bases—Tecumseh, 8; Jonesville, 1.
Passed balls—Fattz, 1; Miller, 4.
Wild pitch—Kelly, 1.
Umpire—W. W. Frazer.
Time of game—1 hr. 45 min.
Attendance—250.

A BUSINESS CHANGE.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. has changed base somewhat. J. R. McGlone of Toledo retires from the firm, and it will be conducted hereafter by N. B. Bradley and Son, of Bay City, & H. C. Wason & Co. of Toledo, with J. H. Smith of Tecumseh, as local business manager. The Company have rented S. W. Temple's brick planing mill and yard on a five years lease and have already taken possession of the same. Mr. Temple retires from the lumber business, but will continue his coal business as heretofore, his lease to the Lumber Co. reserving the office and buildings used for the coal trade. The new arrangement will be to the interest of all parties. The Lumber Co. obtains first class planing mill fully equipped with the best machinery, at once. Joe Smith, who has been in their employ for several months, will be a tip top manager for them. Mr. Temple's increasing coal trade requires his undivided time and attention, and he will now be at liberty to give it. The only fault we find with the arrangement is the retirement of Mr. Ed. Koch who goes to Toledo and enters the firm of J. R. McGlone & Co. Mr. Koch has become a favorite in our business community since he came here and we shall regret to lose him. We are glad to know however that he steps into a better place in Toledo and we have full faith that he will fill his new position acceptably to all parties concerned.

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who so kindly assisted us at the time of our mother's death and funeral.

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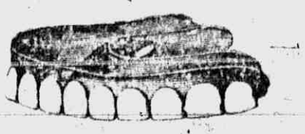

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—Paper bottles are now made on a large scale in Germany and Austria.

—A clay which can be utilized in the manufacture of putty has been discovered in Attala, Miss.

—A Santa Barbara (Cal.) botanist has discovered a species of gooseberry wholly unknown to science, also a new species of olive tree.

—A German paper says that a roof can be made fire-proof by covering it with a mixture of lime, salt and wood ashes, adding a little lampblack to give a dark color. This not only guards against fire, it is claimed, but also is a measure against decay.

—A New Haven man is inventing a new kind of a parachute, which is fastened around the centre of the balloon itself and it is expected to bring the whole affair, including the navigator, down safely if any accident happens to the balloon.—*Bangor Post.*

—There is hardly any safety railway appliance but may be improved, and inventors who are seeking for profitable fields of labor will do well to investigate the cause of railway accidents and devise means of greater safety to life, limb and property.—*Scientific American.*

—Mr. Case, a watchmaker of Franklin, Pa., has completed a locomotive and tender six inches long all told, that has every part complete that is found in a working engine. It is made of gold, silver and steel, and is destined for the New Orleans exhibition.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

—Experiments by Dr. Pehl, of St. Petersburg, go to support the theory that the waters of rivers are purified by the motion (mass or molecular) imparted to the fluid. Bringing waters into rapid motion by means of a centrifugal machine the number of developing germs of bacteria was reduced by ninety per cent.

—The brilliancy in the eyes of cats is caused by a carpet of glittering fibers called the tapetum, which lies behind the retina, and is a powerful reflector. In perfect darkness no light is observed in their eyes, a fact which has been established by careful experiments. Nevertheless, a very small amount of light is sufficient to produce the luminous appearance.—*Detroit Post.*

—The *Photographic Journal* reports an ingenious way to prevent forgery of bank notes. This is no other than the employment of an invisible actinic ink, of which no trace can be seen on the paper or upon the image upon the focusing screen. As soon however, as you come to develop your plate, the word forger appears in bold letters right across the negative.

—The height and velocity of clouds may be determined by means of photography. Two cameras are placed 30 feet apart and provided with instantaneous shutters which are released by electricity at the same moment. The angle of inclination of the cameras and the position of the cloud as photographed are thus obtained, and simple trigonometrical operations give the height and distance from those data.—*Exchange.*

PITH AND POINT.

—Let the light of reason shine through your soul's windows, but keep warm by the fire of affection.

—Fight hard against a hasty temper. Anger will come, but resist it stoutly. A spark may set a house on fire.

—"When er man says dat de laws o' de land jes' bearin' down on him, yer ken mighty nigh allus come to de conclusion dat he is er travin' to git down on de laws."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—"He is very close," was observed by B., "he will's nabobs about a cent." "Well," remarked W., "I have always thought that the less one nabobs about the better."—*N. Y. Ledger.*

—An article in an exchange headed "Costly Misses of the Ball." About the most costly misses of the males that we know of are indigent young men marrying heiresses.—*Boston Post.*

—A Nevada lady took an unfair advantage of her husband's indulgence in a bath, to elope with another man, and the betrayed one expressed a conviction that he had been waiting for an opportunity for years.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Soft soap for all sorts of people: For a lieutenant, call him a captain. For a middle-aged lady, say you mistook her for her daughter. For a young gentleman trying silver, ask his opinion regarding the comparative merits of Meriden and Rappin as razor sellers. For young ladies, if you know their color to be natural, accuse them of painting.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Some people are poetic by nature, but there are others to whom poetical sentiments, language is utter unintelligible. Miss Molly McDude belongs to the latter class. George Smithers has been paying her attention, and a few evenings ago, in a wild rush to the outpurst, he exclaimed: "How fast time vanishes in your company, dearest Mollie! The hours become brief minutes." "How can you tell anything about it? You haven't been looked at your watch," responded the prosaic Molly.—*Texas Siftings.*

—Some stoic writes:

Martha is married to a woman is of many days full of trouble.
In the morning he draws his salary, and in the evening
School, days gone;
It is a tale that is told;
It is vanished, and no man knows whither it goeth.
He is speechless in the chilly garments of his night.
And seeketh the somnolent nurse one.
Wherewith to stop his infant posterity.
He smoketh a cigar or cry.
And draweth the curtain of his offspring.
He seeketh the shekels in the purchase of fine linen
To cover the bosom of his family.
For him stand the gates of the city
Not one suspender.
Yea, he is altogether wretched.

—Actors have a despiriting outlook for next season. Managers anticipate bad business in consequence of the distractions of the Presidential canvass. Not since the introduction of the combination system have fewer performers been engaged nor smaller salaries offered. Those who last season received seventy-five dollars to one hundred dollars a week can only get forty dollars to fifty dollars.—*Chicago Herald.*

Some Indian Customs.

The Poncas number 580, and there are but six half-breeds in the tribe. They have retained their purity of blood in a remarkable degree, and are, as a consequence, purer in morals than either the Kaws or Osages. They at one time had a number of half and quarter bloods in the tribe, but these have nearly all died out, and none have been born to fill their places. The Poncas are gaining numerically year by year since coming to this reservation six years ago. They were moved from Bazile Springs, Dak., at that time, but came originally from Dakota. In the matter of civilization they get on slowly. Few of the men and none of the women can speak English. They have a large brick school-house, two and one-half stories high, with assistant, capable of accommodating one hundred scholars, and have an actual enrollment of over seventy. There are no laws compelling school attendance. The children are doing fairly, learning to speak English rapidly, and some of the classes are in the Third Reader. Mathematics come easy to them.

Nearly half the men wear civilized clothing, and all Poncas women wear petticoats instead of leggings. The blanket is never wholly discarded, however, and seems to be nearly indispensable for a wrap and for bedding. Nearly all prefer boots and shoes to moccasins in bad weather. In the matter of farming eighty to ninety families will raise considerable corn this season, averaging, perhaps, six to eight acres to each family. The agent thinks there may be eight hundred acres of corn raised this year by the Poncas. They raise some wheat and potatoes, but are sadly deficient in stock of all kinds. Many families have none of any kind, and very few have teams for farming. The tribe is without religious instruction except a Sunday school. There is no mission here of any kind. The men do what outdoor work is done at all. The Government issues about one-third rations of salt, sugar, beef, soap and flour.

The tribe has 101,894 acres of land and $70,000 trust funds at five per cent. They also have a treaty fund of $8,000 per annum for five years yet, for clothing, etc. They have leased seven thousand acres of land to J. H. Sherburn, the licensed trader here, for five years, for $1,700 per annum. He is to fence it all, and is now engaged in that work. Mr. Sherburn came here five years ago a bankrupt, is now lessee of about two-thirds of the reservation, has a fine stock of goods, and nearly two thousand head of cattle.

In preceding letters mention was made of Kaw and Osage polygamy. But a comparison of these tribes and the Poncas and Otoes is greatly to the credit of the former. The Poncas have a number of polygamists—how many could not be definitely ascertained, nor are the instances always known. The practice is open and acknowledged, sanctioned by usage and sufferance, and it it has not many open advocates it certainly has few or no assailants. All acquiesce in it; none attack it. The Otoes are worse. Out of about fifty families ten polygamous ones were named as well known, with the admission that there were probably several others. Probably one-third of all the married men in the tribe have more than one wife.

The interpreter, a fat, lazy hulk, sat in the agency store taking his ease while his wives drew several barrels of water from the well to haul home. He then got in the wagon and one of his wives drove the team. Their marriages rest upon agreement, are usually made up by friends, and the young couple have less to say concerning it than any others of the tribe. Friends of the groom propose to the friends of the bride. The question of price then comes in. Ponies, calico, etc., are given by his friends to hers. If any uncle, cousin, or other near relative opposes, the match it is delayed or broken off. Usually a few extra presents softens the objections. A feast follows. Separations have not been common in times past, but two cases have occurred in six weeks in which the husband abandoned his wife and children and married another woman. Unless the tribe council breaks up these practices the Government will soon be compelled to take action.

Their funerals partake of the veriest savagery. A prominent Otoe died a week ago. A large crowd of his male friends staid in the woods all night beating a drum and performing incantations. They came to the house of the deceased next forenoon nearly naked, twenty of them having sticks as large as a cedar pencil stuck through the skin and flesh of their arms in many places, and thus naked, bloody and daubed with paint, escorted the remains to the grave with beating of drums and howling of men.

The body was placed in the grave in a sitting position, the mouth of the grave covered over with logs, dirt piled on these, and a horse killed on top of this. The horse must be the best which can be procured, and it is choked to death on the grave. If the dead man had one or more relapses prolonging his sickness, the horses must be tortured in a similarly slow manner. After the burial comes horse-racing and feasting. All friends of the family are expected to make presents of calico and other articles.

An Otoe scandal of the first water has just occurred. A school-girl was recently married to a man much older than herself against her wishes. She soon after ran away with her former youthful lover. The deserted husband was irate and about to follow on the war-path. A council was called, and many of the friends of the runaway couple sat up with him all night attempting to allay his anger. One of them gave him his finest moccasins and leggings, another a brooch, and others still other presents, till he said "his heart felt better; his heart was not so bad as it had been," and he finally said his "heart was all right now," and they might come back. "She was dead." This Otoe custom might be a sensible one in some white communities.—*Ponca Cor. St. Louis Democrat.*

—The Masons of Philadelphia have the finest temple in the word, and it is said to be the only Masonic building in the country that is given up entirely to Masonic uses.—*Philadelphia Press.*

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Mr. M. E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kan.: Saved his life by a simple Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, which caused him to procure a large bottle, that completely cured him, when Doctors, change of climate and everything else had failed. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, it is guaranteed to cure. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

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Moses Bartow, of Portland, died July 7. He was a member of the legislature from Clinton county in 1865 and 1875.

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Norvell	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Tecumseh	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Adrian	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Petrolea	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....
Toledo			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 31 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
7 20	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
6 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
6 04	6 31	11 32	...Ridgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	...Tecumseh...	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	...Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.		P.M.		P.M.
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P.M.		
1 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
1 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
1 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P.M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P.M.
1 00	8 40	1 52	....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 00	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 40	9 22	2 34	....Concord....	12 25	7 18	9 46
2 50	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
3 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
3 33		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 58
3 40		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
3 55		3 57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
4 05		4 16	....Monteith....	10 49		6 15
4 30		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
4 54		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
5 00		4 45	Ar...Allegan...Lv	10 20		5 35
		P.M.		A.M.		A.M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 31
Britton		10 55	4 52
Clinton	11 36	11 21	5 14
Cold Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bluffton		12 48	6 39
Butler	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P.M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
Butler	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bluffton	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Cold Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	.....
Detroit	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
2 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
2 39	7 19	....Manhattan Junction....	9 16	4 48
2 46	7 27	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 10	4 38
2 55	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 02	4 30
3 04	7 46	.....Samaria.....	8 47	4 04
3 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 42	3 59
3 11	8 15	....Monroe Junction.....	8 30	3 50
3 21	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 26	3 45
3 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 20	3 40
3 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 09	3 25
3 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 06	3 22
3 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	7 59	3 17
3 53	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 52	3 10
3 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 40	3 02
4 05	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 27	2 49
4 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 12	2 30
4 35	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 06	2 25
4 45	10 32	.....Worden.....	6 50	2 10
5 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv.	A. M.	P. M.
P. M.	A. M.			

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About Corkscrews.

The corkscrew is a contrivance to facilitate the removal of corks from bottles. When a cork protrudes from the neck of the bottle far enough to admit of grasping it with the hand or clinching it with the teeth, a corkscrew is unnecessary. But when a cork is flush with the bottle's mouth, or, through unskillful manipulation, has become lodged down in the neck, a corkscrew is not only a convenience, but almost a necessity. The bottle may be emptied of its liquid contents by crowding the cork down through the neck with a pencil holder or any other suitable article that may be at hand, but this method of opening a bottle is generally regarded as inelegant.

There are several kinds of corkscrews. That which has been the longest in use is the simplest. For several hundred years it was the best, until a genius added an improvement which brought it to perfection. The primeval corkscrew consisted of a wire, pointed at one end, twisted into a spiral with about five turns tempered so as to give rigidity to it, and provided with a wooden handle like that of a gimlet. The spiral part of the wire was about two inches long after being twisted, the part left straight was of about the same length, and the wooden cross piece was round, and about three inches in length and half an inch in diameter. The handle was made fast to the metal by putting the wire through a hole in the wood and clinching it. The metal was not burnished, nor was the wood polished or painted. It is safe to say that there never was a corkscrew job which could not have been accomplished with one of these primeval corkscrews.

The name of the inventor of the corkscrew has not been handed down to these generations. He lived before the days of letters patent. It is held by a certain school of theorists that he was no other than Archimedes. The similarity of the corkscrew to the spiral of Archimedes is $r = a$ theta. The corkscrew can not have a constant equation, for the pitch varies not only in different screws, but in the different spirals of the same screw. A corkscrew fashioned after the equation of the spiral of Archimedes, with important modifications, would be serviceable; but there seems to be no sufficient reason for believing that Archimedes invented the corkscrew.

An important improvement in corkscrews is mentioned in the foregoing. In order to comprehend its value, the practical use of the ordinary corkscrew must be understood. The bottle is grasped by the neck with the left hand, the top of the cork is picked with the point of the spiral, and about six or seven half twists are given to the corkscrew. The body of the bottle is then gripped between the knees, and a lifting force is applied to the corkscrew and through it to the cork. The removal of the cork is accompanied by a sound which may be fairly imitated by putting the left forefinger in the mouth with its end against the inner surface of the right cheek, inflating the cheek, and then removing the finger by a quick push against the yielding right hand corner of the mouth. His perfected corkscrew has the blunt end of the wire brought back through the wooden handle and twisted around the stem of the corkscrew till it comes down to the top of the spiral, where it is wound into a concentric coil. When the spiral has sunk into the cork the blunt end of this coil strikes against the cork near its periphery, and with the purchase thus obtained the cork is turned around in the neck of the bottle and withdrawn far more gently than with the unimproved corkscrew. A good article of the perfected pattern may be bought for about fifteen cents in almost any general store in the country. In a cutlery establishment in the city the price would not be over seventy-five cents.

There are other complications which are intended to increase the usefulness of the corkscrew or make it more conveniently portable. A metallic contrivance shaped like the bow of a jews-harp, is substituted for the wooden handle, and the stem of the spiral is fastened between the ends of the bow with a pin in such manner that the implement may be shut up like a pocket knife. This pattern of portable corkscrew is adapted for excursion or picnics, where there may be bottles of milk to be opened. There is also a very elaborate kind of corkscrew sold in some of the drug stores and cutlery establishments. It is nickel plated and looks as formidable as a toy steam engine. It is so constructed that after it has been adjusted the engine or has only to keep on twisting and the cork will be hoisted high and dry. There are a few rules regarding the use of the corkscrew which are generally observed by the elite. The place to the corkscrew is not by the side of the hostess's plate. Champagne bottles are not opened with a corkscrew, nor condensed milk cans, nor cocoanuts. Any person who has tried to take small cucumber pickles from a bottle with a corkscrew will ever afterward endeavor to have a pickle fork at hand, if he does not go to the extreme of having the pickles removed from the original package before they are brought to the table. It may be set forth as a general rule that any attempt to utilize the corkscrew for any purpose other than the removal of corks will result in embarrassment, and had best not be tried except in privacy. *N. Y. Sun.*

—A. T. Shephard, of Dallas, Tex., visiting at Hartford, Conn., lost a roll of greenbacks amounting to $3,800. He mentioned his loss at the Allyn House and a stranger who was present said he had found a sum of money which he would restore to the owner on proper identification. Mr. Shephard described his missing package in detail and the stranger handed over to him the entire sum. Mr. Shephard offered him a $100 bill, but he declined to take it. He finally consented to accept $10. "I am broke," he said, "or I wouldn't take anything."—*Hartford Post.*

—A Maine woman has made two hundred and thirty other words from "incomprehensibility." This is only another instance of the boundless fertility of woman's ingenuity. No matter whether it is with a crazy quilt, an acrostic or an excuse to spend money, a beautiful woman knocks a man out every time.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

A Place to Give a Poet Inspiration.

Joaquin Miller, a poet of the Sierras, has just got into his log cabin. I called upon him in it, and found a tall, well-made, blue-eyed man of forty-five, with long, tawny hair flowing out from under his slouch hat, with pantaloons tucked into a pair of fine boots, and a good-natured air of Western wildness, which well accorded with his picturesque surroundings. He received me cordially and kindly showed me over the cabin, saying that for fifteen years he had been wandering about over the face of the earth, and that he was glad to feel that he had at last a place he could call his home.

This cabin is on the heights at the head of Sixteenth street, the great street of the Washington of the future. As Waukeen says: "The President's house is at one end of it and his hut is at the other, but that while he has a cabin the President has only a cabinet." Sixteenth is a great wide street paved with asphalt, and lined alternately with $50,000 mansions and $50 negro huts. The White House, almost bathed by the Potomac and faced by Lafayette Park, is its starting point, and half way up towards Mr. Miller's cabin is a green plat in which a bronze equestrian statue of General Scott looks at the Executive Mansion. The street steadily rises, carrying with it old St. John's Episcopal Church, George H. Pendleton's mansion, negro laborers' cabins, Senator Cameron's great palace, and a like mixture till it reaches the boundary of the town, where there is a jump upward in the shape of a fifty-foot hill or plateau, running back into the country. On this plateau Joaquin Miller has bought a lot and put up one of the prettiest of log cabins.

The lot runs almost to the edge of the hill, and the view is certainly one of the finest in the United States. Mr. Miller says he has never seen anything equal to it, and that if man can write poetry anywhere he ought to be able to write it here. Stand in front of the large yard of the cabin, under one of the great oaks which shade it, all Washington lies before you surrounded by hills which make it look as though the nature around was a mammoth coliseum of the gods and the national capital the scene going on in the arena below. The great white classic Capitol is plainly seen, the Potomac flows on along the edge of the arena, and off on neighboring hills you can look into Alexandria and at the tombstones of Arlington. *Washington Special.*

Origin of the Name Oregon.

The late Archbishop Blanchet contributed the following interesting paper to the *Oregonian* in 1883. It will be observed that the Archbishop speaks of himself in the third person: "Jonathan Carver, an English Captain in the wars by which Canada came into the possession of Great Britain, after the peace, left Boston June 6, 1766, crossed the Continent to the Pacific, and returned October, 1768. In relating his travels, which were published in 1774 and republished in 1778, he is the first who makes use of the word Oregon. The origin of that word has never been discovered in the country. The first Catholic missionaries, Father Demers, now Bishop of Vancouver Island, and Father Blanchet, now Bishop of Oregon City, arrived in Oregon in 1838. They traveled through it for many years, from South to North, from West to East, visiting and teaching the numerous tribes of Oregon, Washington Territory, and the British possessions. But in all their various excursions among the Indians they never succeeded in finding the origin of the word Oregon. Now it appears that what could not be found in Oregon has been discovered by Archbishop Blanchet in Bolivia when he visited that country, Chili and Peru, in 1855 and 1857. The word Oregon, it his opinion, most undoubtedly had its root in the Spanish word 'oreja' (ear), and came from the qualifying word 'orejon' (big ear). For it is probable that the Spaniards, who first discovered and visited the country, where they saw the Indians with big ears, enlarged by the load of ornaments, were naturally inclined to call them 'orejon' (big ears). The nickname first given to the Indians became also the name of the country. This explains how Captain Carver got it and first made use of it. But the travelers, perhaps Carver himself, not knowing the Spanish language nor the peculiar pronunciation of the j in Spanish, for facility sake would have written it and pronounced it Oregon, instead of 'Orejon' in changing j to g. Such, in all probability, must be the origin of the word Oregon. It comes from the Spanish word 'Orejon.' This discovery is due, in justice, to the learned Dr. George Haygarth, A. M., M. D., of London, a man well versed in the Spanish, whom the Archbishop met in La Paz, Bolivia."—*Portland Oregonian.*

A Negro's Prayer.

Bishop Haven presided over the Texas conference in 1878. One day he scored some of the colored ministers on a too feeble recognition of *meum non tuum*, and then called on a brother to pray who responded as follows: "O, Lord, dou am honest, great an' holy; nothing dat am unclean an' dishonest can tuch de. O, Lord, come an' teach all classes an' colors de less on ob honesty; make un honest wid dare tongues, dare feet, dare hans an' dare heads. O, Lord, make un honest inside an' out, in de dark an' in de light. O, Lord, sweet Babe of Bethlehem, come and bress our Bishop front an' fight his ebry battle; send him threw dis world like a pigeon on de wings ob de eagle, an' when de race am run, an' de last battle am fought wid dat ole serpent, de debil, an' dar am no more for him to do in dis world, let him mount de chariot an hab a short ride home; an, den, Lord, on de plains ob glory, himself all covered wid glory, let him ground his arms near de throne ob de Lamb, an' lib, an' rest, an' shout, forever an' ever."—*Exchange.*

—A Brooklyn woman said to her servant girl, a fresh arrival on the latest boat from Cork: "Bridget, go out and see if Mr. Block, the butcher on the corner, has pigs feet." The dutiful servant went out and returned. "Well, what did he say?" asked the mistress. "Sure, he said nuthin', mum." "Has he got pigs' feet?" "Faith, I couldn't see mum—he had his boots on."—*N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*

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Persons whose lungs are impaired or have throat diseases should not go to the seashore, as the air is always poisonous to such troubles. Use Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure; it cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, asthma, influenza, and all throat and lung diseases. Montgomery & Co., druggists, Decorah, Iowa, says: "We are having a run on Positive Cure. It gives universal satisfaction." Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free of Bakes & Hall.

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The remarkable results in a disease so universal and with such a variety of characteristics as Catarrh, prove how effectually Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the human system. A medicine, like everything else, can be fairly judged only by its results. We point with pride to the glorious record Hood's Sarsaparilla has entered upon the hearts of thousands of people. It has cured of catarrh.

There will be four verandahs on the Elk Rapids school house, but the editor of the Progress prays especially that it be fitted out with some good looking school teachers.

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

A Saginaw man named George Wisner is indulging in such an able-bodied case of the jim jams that the hospital won't hold him, and he has been locked up in the jail for safe keeping.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. 'Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

The four saloon keepers of Chase have been pulled for illegal selling.

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The Osceola county huckleberry crop is a failure this year.

Remarked by R. C. Joiner, Allen P. O. Hillsdale Co., Mich.: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

The Rev. Chas. E. Piper, formerly of Pittsfield, N. H. but now of Wakefield, R. I., writes: "My wife had been an invalid for years but Baxter's Mandrake Bitters cured her." N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixir always cures coughs, colds and consumption, when taken in season. Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment, for strains, bruises, cuts, swellings, old sores &c., is excellent.

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Hay Fever.

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THE NOMINEES.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

THOMAS A. HENDRICKS.

FIRST DAY'S SESSION.

CHICAGO, July 9.—At 12:40 p. m. in the convention was called to order by ex-senator Barnum, Chairman of the National Democratic Committee.

Prayer was offered by Rev. D. C. Marquis, of the Northwestern Theological Seminary. He prayed for a "blessing on this great assembly of representative citizens, that they should be endowed plentifully with that wisdom which is first pure, then peaceable and gentle, and easy to be entreated; that nothing should be done through strife or vain jealousy, but that they should be filled with that charity which is not puffed up and does not behave itself unseemly." He prayed that their deliberations would be guided to such conclusions as would best promote the glory of God and the welfare of the Nation.

At the conclusion of the prayer the Chairman said: "Gentlemen of the Convention—Harmony seems to be the sentiment of this convention. Even the air seems saturated with a desire and a determination to nominate a ticket for President and Vice-President which will be satisfactory to the North and to the South, to the East and to the West; one, in short, such as will harmonize the Democracy throughout the Union and insure victory in November. Harmony, prepared in the deliberations of the National Committee. No effort was made to nominate a temporary Chairman in the interest of any candidate, but, on the contrary, one who shall preside over the deliberations of this convention with absolute impartiality. In that spirit and to that end, I have been directed by the unanimous vote of the National Committee to name the Hon. Richard B. Hubbard, of Texas, for temporary chairman of this convention. As many as favor the election of Hon. R. B. Hubbard for temporary Chairman will say 'aye,' contrary 'no.'

"Hon. R. B. Hubbard, of Texas, is unanimously elected temporary Chairman of this Convention."

Mr. Hubbard, in taking the chair, gave thanks for the honor conferred on him, and which he accepted, not as a tribute to himself but as a compliment to the great State from which he came, a State which was as fair by its loyalty as important in every other. The Democratic party, in all its elements, was the same as it was when founded by the framers of the Constitution, nearly three-quarters of a century ago. Men died as the leaves in autumn, but the principles underlying liberty and self-government were eternal, and the principles that underlie the Democratic party could not perish from the earth, although their authors might cease to be. (Applause.) The Democratic party was to-day as much a party organized for an aggressive war as when victory perched upon its banners. The Democratic party had won the House of Representatives, and would have the Senate but for treason in the Senate chamber itself. (Cheers.) It would have had the Presidency, too, but for the hands of robbers who struck down the expressed will of the people by means of perjury, bribery and corruption. In conclusion, Mr. Hubbard urged that whatever candidates were nominated should be supported loyally, declaring that he who would not support them would not be a good Democrat and hardly a patriot. (Applause.)

The rest of the temporary organization having then been announced, Mr. Smalley, of Vermont, a member of the National Committee, offered a resolution that the rules of the last Democratic Convention shall govern this body, except that in voting for candidates, no State should be allowed to change its vote until the roll of States had been called, and until every State had cast its vote.

Several amendments were offered and an exciting debate ensued on the proposition to abolish the unit rule, the Tammany wing strongly advocating the change, which was finally defeated—651 to 342.

The vote was then taken on the original motion offered by Mr. Smalley, of Vermont, and it was adopted.

The committees on Credentials, Permanent Organization and Platform were then appointed, and the convention adjourned until eleven o'clock this morning.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

CHICAGO, July 10.—At 11:30 o'clock Wednesday Governor Hubbard rapped the convention to order, and the opening prayer was made by Rt. Rev. Bishop McLaren, of the diocese of Chicago, the delegates and the convention generally rising at the request of the Chair.

At the conclusion of the prayer a communication was sent to the chair by J. G. Jenkins, of Wisconsin, to the effect that no report from the Committee on Resolutions could be submitted before to-morrow morning.

Various resolutions and memorials on subjects of female suffrage, land-league affairs, convict labor, sumptuary laws, etc., were then introduced and referred.

The report of the Committee on Credentials was adopted with practically no opposition.

A resolution against polygamy was introduced by Mr. Smith, of Utah, and referred.

Further resolutions were offered and referred to the Committee on Platform.

The report of the Committee on Permanent Organization proposing W. F. Vilas for Permanent Chairman was received with cheers.

The report was adopted, and a committee appointed to escort Colonel Vilas to the chair. Colonel Vilas then addressed the convention, returning thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

Mr. Snowden, of Pennsylvania, offered a resolution for the call of the roll of States, and the placing in nomination of candidates for President and Vice-President.

A motion was made to lay on the table Mr. Snowden's motion to go into nominations now. That question was taken by a vote by States, and resulted 456 in the negative. When the State of New York was reached, its vote of 70 votes was announced in the negative. Mr. Grady challenged the vote, and amid great noise, uproar and hisses, tried to present the original tally. The Chairman, however, refused to hear the roll call interrupted. A Connecticut delegate called attention to the hisses, and asked that the ushers be instructed to enforce order. The Chairman said that the guests of the convention could not be permitted to interrupt its harmonious and orderly proceedings, and directed the Sergeant at Arms to remove any person who should violate the order.

The roll call was then proceeded with to the close. After the roll call, and before the announcement of the result, the Chairman recognized Mr. Grady, of New York, who claimed that the report was at variance with the official tally. The Chairman called on Mr. Manning, Chairman of the New York delegation, to state again what the vote was. Mr. Manning gave it as seventy two nays. The Chairman ruled that he must accept the vote of the New York delegation as a unit, because the State Convention had instructed the delegates to vote as a unit on all questions.

The vote was finally announced as ayes, 222 (nobs, 421). So the convention refused to lay on the table the motion to proceed to the call of States for nominations.

Mr. Caine, of California, moved as an amendment to the motion to add the following: "But no vote shall be taken on the nominations until after the platform is adopted."

Mr. Snowden accepted the amendment, and then the motion as amended was agreed to.

The call of States for nominations for President and Vice-President was then at two p. m. commenced.

Thomas Francis Bayard was nominated by George Gray, of Delaware, seconded by C. E. Hooker, of Mississippi.

Joseph E. McDonald was nominated by T. A. Hendricks, of Indiana, seconded by Joan C. Black, of Illinois.

Allen G. Thurman was nominated by J. W. Breckinridge, of California, seconded by Durbin Ward, of Ohio.

J. G. Carlisle was nominated by J. A. McKenzie, of Kentucky.

Grover Cleveland was nominated by Daniel M. Lockwood, of New York, seconded by C. H. Harrison, of Illinois, and E. A. Jones, of Minnesota. Senator Grady, of New York, spoke against the nomination of Cleveland.

W. B. Cochran, of New York, on behalf of the anti-Cleveland element of that State, spoke in opposition to Cleveland, seconded the nomination of Thurman, creating profound sensation.

Mr. Apgar, of New York, replied to Mr. Cochran, and asserted that the same opposition was made in the St. Louis Convention eight years ago to the nomination of Mr. Tilden, then Governor of New York.

John M. Palmer, of Illinois, moved to suspend the order of business for the purpose of giving a recess. Twice the roll of States was ordered to go on, but the call was not finished, and at 6:40 p. m. the convention took a recess until 10:30 a. m. to-day.

THIRD DAY'S SESSION.

CHICAGO, July 11.—Chairman Vilas called the Convention to order at 11:30.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Rev. George C. Lorimer, of the Immanuel Baptist Church, Chicago.

A communication was received and read from the Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions stating that the committee, notwithstanding assiduous and patient efforts, had not yet been able to complete a platform, and would not be prepared to make a complete report before seven p. m.

The unfinished business of yesterday, being the call of States for nominations, was resumed.

Mr. Mansur, of Missouri, seconded the nomination of Mr. Thurman for the Presidency.

Thomas E. Powell, of Ohio, put in nomination Governor Hoadly, of Ohio.

Senator Wallace, of Pennsylvania, nominated Congressman Samuel J. Randall, which nomination was seconded by Governor Abbett, of New Jersey.

Messrs. Cummings, of Massachusetts, and Youman, of South Carolina, then seconded the nomination of Mr. Bayard.

General Bragg, of Wisconsin, in a speech denunciatory of the action of the Tammany delegates, heartily seconded the nomination of Mr. Cleveland.

The clerk then announced the names of the nominees for President as follows:

Thomas Francis Bayard, of Delaware.
Joseph E. McDonald, of Indiana.
J. G. Carlisle, of Kentucky.
Grover Cleveland, of New York.
Allan G. Thurman, of Ohio.
Samuel J. Randall, of Pennsylvania.
George Hoadly, of Ohio.

The announcements were all received with enthusiastic cheering, but the demonstration was greater when Grover Cleveland was named than in the case of any other candidate. The occupants of the galleries arose en masse and cheered and waved hats and handkerchiefs for several minutes. Many of the delegates also stood up and cheered with the spectators.

When the uproar had subsided the Chair recognized Mr. Hooper, of Tennessee, to move an adjournment. The convention, on motion of Mr. Snowden, of Pennsylvania, instructed the Committee on Resolutions to report at eight o'clock, and adjourned to that hour.

EVENING SESSION.

CHICAGO, July 11.—The session this evening was called to order at 8:35, and R. H. Henry, of Mississippi, immediately presented the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this convention has read with profound regret and intense admiration the statesmanlike and patriotic letter of Samuel J. Tilden, expressing the overpowering and irresistible necessity which constrains him to decline a nomination for the highest office in the gift of the American people, so we, feel, that these truth, force and virtues derived Samuel J. Tilden and Thomas A. Hendricks of the offices conferred upon them by the Democratic party of the Union, we, therefore, declare to our first in the hearts of the Democracy of the country, secondly, that this convention express the Nation's regret that the services of a patriotism so special, so pure, so and abnegation are to be used and rewarded in city and state governments of the great Empire State and not now turned to the American Union of National trust and corruption so long and successfully maintained and maintained by the Republican party at the National capital, to which end a copy of these resolutions be suitably engrossed, and that the Chairman of this convention appoint a committee to wait on the Hon. Samuel J. Tilden and Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks.

The resolution was greeted with loud and long continued applause.

The roll call of the States was called for the presentation of the names of members of the new National Committee and a committee to notify the candidates of their nomination.

On recommendation of the Committee on Resolutions the convention decided that hereafter the National Committee in selecting its chairman need not confine its choice to one of its own members.

THE PLATFORM.

William R. Morrison, of Illinois, said he was directed by the Committee on Resolutions to report the following declaration of principles, and move its adoption. He briefly denounced the Republican party and its platform, the promises of which are declared to be a list of the party's past failures. It then proceeds as follows:

The Democracy pledges itself to purify the Administration from corruption, to restore economy, to revive respect for law, and to reduce taxation to the lowest limit consistent with due regard to the preservation of the faith of the Nation to its creditors and pensioners.

Knowing full well, however, that legislation affecting the occupations of the people should be cautious and conservative in method, not in advance of public opinion, but responsive to its demands, the Democratic party is pledged to revise the tariff in a spirit of fairness to all interests.

But in making reduction in taxes, it is not prudent to injure any domestic industries, but rather to promote their healthy growth. From the foundation of this Government, taxes collected at the custom-house have been the chief source of federal revenue. Such they must continue to be. Moreover, many industries have come to rely upon legislation for successful continuance, so that any change of law must be a very step regardful of the labor and capital thus involved. The process of reform must be subject in the execution to this plain dictate of justice.

All taxation shall be limited to the requirements of economical Government. The necessary reduction in taxation can and must be effected without depriving American labor of the ability to compete successfully with foreign labor, and without imposing lower rates of duty than will be ample to cover any increased cost of production which may exist in consequence of the higher rate of wages prevailing in this country.

Sufficient revenue to pay all the expenses of the Federal Government, economically administered, including pensions, interest and principle of the public debt, can be got, under our present system of taxation, from customs-house taxes on fewer imported articles, bearing heaviest on articles of luxury and bearing lightest on articles of necessity.

We therefore denounce the abuses of the existing tariff, and, subject to the preceding limitations, we demand that Federal taxation shall be exclusively for public purposes, and shall not exceed the needs of the Government economically administered.

The system of direct taxation, known as the internal revenue, is a war tax, and so long as it continues the money derived therefrom should be sacredly devoted to the relief of the people from the remaining burdens of the war, and be made a fund to defray the expense of the care and comfort of worthy soldiers disabled in line of duty in the wars of the Republic, and for the payment of such pensions as Congress may from time to time grant to such soldiers, a like fund for the sailors having already been provided; and any surplus should be paid into the treasury.

We favor an American continental policy based upon more intimate commercial and political relations with the fifteen sister Republics of North, Central and South America, but entangling alliances with none.

We believe in honest money, the gold and silver coinage of the constitution, and a circulating medium convertible into such money without loss.

Asserting the equality of all men before the law, we hold that it is the duty of the Government, in its dealings with the people, to mete out equal and exact justice to all citizens of whatever nativity, race, color or persuasion—religious or political.

We believe in a free ballot and a fair count; and we recall to the memory of the people the noble struggle of the Democrats in the XI.Vth and XLVth Congresses, by which a reluctant Republican opposition was compelled to assent to legislation making everywhere illegal the presence of troops at the polls, as the conclusive proof that a Democratic Administration will preserve liberty with order.

The selection of Federal officers for the Territories should be restricted to citizens previously resident therein.

We oppose sumptuary laws, which vex the citizen and interfere with individual liberty; we favor honest civil-service reform, and the compensation of all United States officers by fixed salaries; the separation of church and State; and the diffusion of free education by common schools so that every child in the land may be taught the rights and duties of citizenship.

While we favor all legislation which will tend to the equitable distribution of property, to the prevention of monopoly, and to the strict enforcement of individual rights against corporate abuses, we hold that the welfare of society depends upon a scrupulous regard for the rights of property as defined by law.

We believe that labor is best rewarded where it is free and most enlightened. It should therefore be fostered and cherished. We favor the repeal of all laws restricting the free action of labor, and the enactment of laws by which labor organizations may be incorporated, and of all such legislation as will tend to enlighten the people as to the true relations of capital and labor.

We believe that the public lands ought, as far as possible, to be kept as homesteads for actual settlers; that all unearned lands heretofore improvidently granted to railroad corporations by the action of the Republican party should be restored to the public domain; and that no more grants of lands shall be made to corporations, or be allowed to fall into the ownership of alien aliens.

We are opposed to all propositions which, upon any pretext, would convert the General Government into a machine for collecting taxes to be distributed among the States or the citizens thereof.

In reaffirming the declaration of the platforms of 1856, that "the liberal principles embodied by Jefferson in the Declaration of Independence, and sanctioned in the Constitution which makes ours the land of liberty and the asylum of the oppressed of every nation, have ever been cardinal principles of the Democratic faith, we nevertheless do not sanction the importation of foreign labor, or the admission of servile races, unfitted by habits, training, religion, or interest for assorption into the great body of our people, or for the citizenship which our laws confer. American civilization demands that against the immigration or importation of Mongolians to these shores our gates be closed.

The Democratic party insists that it is the duty of this Government to protect, with equal fidelity and vigilance, the rights of its citizens, native and naturalized, at home and abroad; and to the end that this protection may be assured, United States papers of naturalization, issued by courts of competent jurisdiction, must be respected by the executive and legislative departments of our own Government, and by all foreign powers.

It is an imperative duty of this Government to efficiently protect all the rights of persons and property of every American citizen in foreign lands, and demand and enforce full reparation for any invasion thereof.

An American citizen is only responsible to his own Government for any act done in his own country or under her flag, and can only be tried therefor on his own soil and according to his laws; and no power exists in this Government to expatriate an American citizen to be tried in any foreign land for any such act.

This country has never had a well defined and executed foreign policy save under Democratic administration; that policy has ever been, in regard to foreign Nations, so long as they do not act detrimental to the interests of the country or hurtful to our citizens, to let them alone; that, as the result of this policy, we recall the acquisition of Louisiana, Florida, California and of the adjacent Mexican territory by purchase alone, and contrast these grand accessions of Democratic statesmanship with the parchment of Alaska, fitted to Tsar of a Republican Administration of nearly a quarter of a century.

The Federal Government should care for and improve the Mississippi River and other great waterways of the Republic, so as to secure for the interior States easy and cheap transportation to tidewater.

Under a long period of Democratic rule and policy, our merchant marine was fast overtaking and on the point of outstripping that of Great Britain.

Under twenty years of Republican rule and policy our commerce has been driven to British bottoms, and almost has the American flag been swept off the high seas.

Under Democratic rule and policy our merchants and sailors, backed by the stars and stripes in every port, successfully searched out a market for the varied products of American industry.

Under a quarter-century of Republican rule and policy, despite our manifest advantage over all other nations in high-paid labor, favorable climates, and teeming soils, despite freedom of trade among and these United States, despite our population by the foremost race of men, and an annual immigration of the young, thrifty and adventurous of all Nations; despite our freedom here from the inherited burdens of life and industry in old-world monarchies—their costly war navies, their vast tax-consuming, non-producing standing armies; despite twenty years of peace—that of Republican rule and policy have managed to surrender to Great Britain, along with our commerce, the control of the markets of the world.

Instead of the Republican party's British policy, we demand in behalf of the American Democracy, an American policy.

Instead of the Republican party's discredited scheme and false pretense of friendship for American labor, expressed by imposing taxes, we demand in behalf of the Democracy freedom for American labor by reducing taxes, to the end that those United States may compete with unhindered powers for the primacy among nations in all the arts of peace and fruits of liberty.

With profound regret we have been appressed by the venerable statesman through whose person was struck that blow at the vital principle of republics, acquiescence in the will of the majority, that he call not perpetuate again to place in his hands the leadership of the Democratic hosts, for the reason that the achievement of reform in the administration of the Federal Government is an undertaking now too heavy for his age and failing strength.

Rejoicing that his life has been prolonged until the general judgment of our fellow-countrymen is united in the wish that the wrong were righted in his person, for the Democracy of the United States we offer to him, in his withdrawal from public cares, not only our respectful sympathy and esteem, but also that best homage of freemen, the pledge of our devotion to the principles and the cause now inseparable in the history of this Republic from the labors and the name of Samuel J. Tilden.

With this statement of the hopes, principles and purposes of the Democratic party, the great issue of reform and change in administration is submitted to the people in each confidence that the popular voice will pronounce in favor of new men, and new and more favorable conditions for the growth of industry, the extension of trade, the employment and due reward of labor and capital, and the general welfare of the whole country.

MINORITY REPORT.

General Butler then made a minority report, and supported it in a half-hour speech. A motion to substitute this report for that of the majority was then defeated by an overwhelming vote.

THE FIRST BALLOT.

The convention proceeded to ballot with the following result:

STATES AND TERRITORIES.	Bayard.	Cleveland.	McDonald.	Randall.	Thurman.	Hoadly.	Carlisle.	Hendricks.	Tilden.	Flower.
Alabama	14	4	1		1					
Arkansas		14								
California					16					
Colorado			5		1					
Connecticut		12								
Delaware	6	1								
Florida		8								
Georgia	12	10								
Illinois	2	48	1	1	1				1	
Indiana		4							8	
Iowa	1	23	1		9					
Kansas	3	11			2					
Kentucky							26			
Louisiana	1	13			1	1				
Maine		12								
Maryland	10	6								
Massachus's	24	5			2					
Michigan	1	14			1					
Minnesota		14								
Mississippi	15	1			1					
Missouri	40	15	1	3	5					
Nebraska	1	8			1					
Nevada					6					
New Hamp		8								
New Jersey	3	4		11						
New York		72			1					
North Caro	22									
Ohio		21			21	2				
Oregon	4	2								
Pennsylvania		5		55						
Rhode Island	2	6								
South Caro	10	8								
Tennessee	8	2	3	1	9				1	
Texas	10	11	1		4					
Vermont		8								
Virginia	9	13	1		1					
West Virginia	2	7		1	2					
Wisconsin	1	12	2		2		1			4
Arizona		2								
Dakota		2								
Dist. of Col.				2						
Idaho		2								
Montana		2								
New Mexico		2								
Utah		2								
Washington		1		1						
Wyoming		2								
Totals	170	592	56	78	88	3	27	1	4	4

Necessary to a choice, 547.

Upon the announcement of the result of the ballot, there was wild cheering for several moments. Repeated attempts were made then to adjourn. A call of States finally secured an adjournment to ten o'clock to-day. The motion was announced lost by 404 yeas to 412 nays. The correctness of the vote being challenged it was verified, and the result found to be 401 yeas and 412 nays. A motion to adjourn to ten o'clock to-day was finally carried, and at 1:30 a. m., the convention adjourned.

FOURTH DAY'S SESSION.

CLEVELAND THE SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE.

CHICAGO, July 12.—The convention was called to order at eleven a. m. yesterday. Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Clinton Locke, of Grace Church, Chicago.

A delegate from the State of Pennsylvania moved that the convention now proceed to a second ballot. So ordered.

Then Mr. Snowden, of Pennsylvania, with thanks to those who had voted for Samuel J. Randall, withdrew that gentleman's name.

The second ballot commenced at 11:20, with the following result: Alabama gave Bayard 14 (cheers); McDonald, 1; Cleveland, 5. Arkansas, for Cleveland, 14 (cheers). California, for Thurman, 16. Colorado, for Cleveland, 6. Connecticut gave Cleveland 12. Delaware, for Bayard, 6. Florida gave Cleveland 6; Bayard, 2. Georgia gave Cleveland 14; Bayard, 10. Illinois gave Hendricks 1. (Here there suddenly broke out a scene of wild, general and enthusiastic cheering and waving of hats, fans and handkerchiefs. It was impossible for the Chair to suppress it, although he tried. Most of the delegates and spectators took part in it. It was the first exhibition of genuine enthusiasm in the convention. It was renewed again and again, and finally the band joined in the demonstration with "Hail Columbia," and other patriotic airs. Embroidered banners were also brought into requisition, and banners were carried around, and, in fact, the Blaine demonstration of five weeks ago was repeated. The interruption of proceedings must have occupied fifteen minutes. Hendricks himself was not present, having left Lake hall just previously.)

At the end of a quarter of an hour, and while the uproar was at its height, Mr. Voorhees mounted the platform and announced that, at the request of the Indiana delegation, he withdrew the name of Joseph E. McDonald for the purpose, at a proper time, of asking the vote of Indiana for Thomas A. Hendricks. This renewed the cheering, which was kept up for still several minutes longer. At length the rest of the vote of Illinois was announced as follows: Cleveland, 38. Now was the opportunity for the friends of the New York candidate, and they availed themselves of it. A delegation from that State rushed to their feet and cheering lustily, while they waved fans, hats and handkerchiefs. The spectators took part in the demonstration, but not to the same extent as in the case of Hendricks. After a while the band joined in with the air, "We'll not go home until morning," which seemed to stimulate enthusiasm. This scene lasted three or four minutes.

Illinois continued: For Bayard, 3; McDonald, 1. Illinois had one vote less than the full number.

Indiana gave Hendricks 30. Iowa gave Cleveland 22, Hendricks 4.

At this point the Pennsylvania delegation asked leave to retire for consultation.

A New York delegate objected, but the Chairman decided that the Pennsylvania delegation had the right to retire for consultation; and it did so amid great excitement.

During the confusion it was announced that another vote had been gained in Illinois for Hendricks; the vote of the entire State stands: Cleveland, 38; McDonald, 1; Bayard, 3; Hendricks, 2.

The call of the roll proceeded. Kansas gave Thurman 2, Bayard 4, Cleveland 12. When Kentucky was called, Mr. McKenzie, who had nominated Carlisle, withdrew that nomination and announced the vote of Kentucky as follows: For Thurman 1; Cleveland 3, Bayard 5, Hendricks 15; (cheers); Louisiana gave Thurman 1, Cleveland 15; Maine gave Cleveland 12; Maryland gave Cleveland 10, Bayard 6; Massachusetts gave Hendricks 12½, Cleveland 8, Bayard 7½; Michigan gave Hendricks 13, Cleveland 13; Minnesota gave Cleveland 14; Missouri gave Cleveland 21, Bayard 5, Hendricks 6; Mississippi gave Bayard 14, Cleveland 2, Hendricks, 2; Nebraska gave Bayard 1, Cleveland 9; Nevada gave Hendricks 5, Thurman 1; New Hampshire gave Cleveland 8; New Jersey gave Bayard 2, Cleveland 5, Hendricks 11; New York gave for Cleveland 72.

Mr. Manning announced that on polling the delegates there were 50 for Cleveland and 22 scattering.

Mr. Cochran asked, in the name of the disfranchised minority of the New York delegation, to have that fact stated and extended in the minutes.

North Carolina gave for Bayard 22. [A delegate stated that there were 6 of the North Carolina votes for Bayard and 6 for Cleveland, but they had agreed on this ballot to cast their votes as a unit. Ohio gave Hendricks 1, Tilden 2, Thurman 22, Cleveland 21; Oregon gave Bayard 2, Cleveland 2, Hendricks 2; Pennsylvania was passed for the present; Rhode Island gave Bayard 2, Cleveland 6; South Carolina gave Bayard 9, Cleveland 8, Hendricks 1; Tennessee gave Bayard 10, Thurman 11, Cleveland 2, Hendricks 1; Texas gave Hendricks 1, Thurman 1, Bayard 12, Cleveland 12; Vermont gave Cleveland 8; Virginia gave Cleveland 13, Bayard 8, Hendricks 2, Thurman 1; West Virginia gave Thurman 2, Randall 1, Bayard 3, Cleveland 6; Wisconsin gave Hendricks 2, Cleveland 20; Arizona gave Cleveland 2; Dakota gave Cleveland 2; District of Columbia gave Hendricks 2; Idaho gave Cleveland 2; Montana gave Cleveland 2; Washington Territory gave Cleveland 2; New Mexico gave Thurman 1, Cleveland, 1. Utah gave Cleveland 1; Hendricks, 1. Wyoming gave Cleveland 2.

The roll-call being concluded, Pennsylvania was called for, and the chairman announced, for Cleveland, 42 (another noisy demonstration, which interrupted the further announcement of the Pennsylvania vote; for Hendricks, 11; Randall, 4; Bayard, 2; Thurman, 1.

CHANGES.

Illinois corrected its vote as follows: For Hendricks, 1; Bayard, 3; McDonald, 3; Cleveland, 37. Kansas changed her vote as follows: For Bayard, 3; Cleveland, 13; Thurman, 2. North Carolina changed her 22 votes from Bayard to Cleveland. (Great excitement and cheering.) Virginia changed her vote as follows: For Cleveland, 23; Hendricks, 1. Georgia changed her vote as follows: For Cleveland, 22; Bayard, 2. At this time all the delegates were on their feet, and many of them were clamoring for recognition. Florida changed her vote as follows: For Cleveland, 8. West Virginia changed as follows: For Cleveland, 10. Maryland changed her 16 votes to Cleveland.

The changes were so numerous and were accompanied with so much uproar and excitement, that it was almost impossible to keep track of them. The Missouri delegation announced a change of its 34 votes solid for Cleveland.

This set off the enthusiasm again. The cheering was deafening, an anchor of flowers was carried to the New York delegation, and a stuffed eagle was carried in procession. The band struck up more patriotic airs, and flags and banners were waved and the excitement gained the fever point, because the Cleveland vote had nearly reached the necessary two-thirds.

At this juncture, when the success of Cleveland was certain, some of the minority delegates left the hall. Outside the artillery began to boom, and inside quite a uproar was tremendous. When the change of California was announced as: For Cleveland 8, Thurman 8.

Mr. Menzies, of Indiana, changed the vote of that State to Cleveland, and moved that the vote be made unanimous. Illinois changed her vote to 44 for Cleveland. Kansas changed, also, for Cleveland 17, saying it They changed, since that he would rule out of order the motion to make the vote unanimous, as then after the result was announced. California changed her vote to 18 solid for Cleveland; South Carolina changed for Cleveland 10, Bayard 8; Texas gave her whole 29 votes for Cleveland; Ohio changed her votes as follows: For Cleveland 27, Thurman 19; Tennessee changed her vote to Cleveland; Iowa transferred her 22 votes solid to Cleveland. At this moment an immense oil painting of Governor Cleveland was carried on the platform waiting to be set up when the vote should be announced, and still the work of changing the votes was going on in the most confused manner.

John Kelly, attended by some of his supporters, left the hall, confused and disgusted at his thorough defeat.

The votes of the States in detail were then gone over and announced by the clerk for verification.

The general result was announced as follows (at 1:10 p. m.):

Whole number of votes cast	820
Necessary to a choice	547
Cleveland received	683
Hendricks	45½
Bayard	81½
McDonald	2
Randall	4
Thurman	4

The question was then put on Mr. Menzie's motion to make the nomination unanimous, and it was carried triumphantly.

Then the mammoth oil painting representation of Cleveland's head and bust was carried in front of the Speaker's stand and exhibited to the enthusiastic spectators, who greeted it with cheers and whistling, and the waving of everything that could be put into requisition for that purpose, while the band played "Marching Through Georgia," "The Red, White and Blue," and other airs. After order was restored the Chairman announced that, the motion to make the nomination unanimous having been carried, Grover Cleveland was declared the nominee of the National Democracy for the next Presidency of the United states. [Cheers.]

A dispatch was read from Governor Hoadly congratulating the convention, the Democracy and the county on the wise thing done, and promising a Democratic victory in Ohio in October and November.

The convention then, at 1:25 o'clock, took a recess till 5 p. m.

THE EVENING SESSION.

The evening session began at 5:30. On motion of Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois, Hon. William F. Vilas, Chairman of the convention, was elected Chairman of the committee to notify the candidates of their nomination.

Nominations for Vice-President being now in order, speeches were made placing before the convention the names of General W. S. Rosecrans, of California; Joseph E. McDonald, of Indiana; John C. Black, of Illinois; and Governor Glick, of Kansas.

Alabama and Arkansas were passed on the call, and Hon. Niles Searles, of California, placed Gen. William S. Rosecrans in nomination.

Senator Wallace, of Pennsylvania, then said:

I rise in my place on the floor of this convention not to place in nomination a Pennsylvanian by birth, but, sir, to place in nomination for the second gift of the American people a man springing from old Pennsylvania's stock, from the western portion of that old commonwealth. This gentleman is conversant with public affairs; throughout his entire life he has known of Government and its details. Not only a statesman, but a pure and upright citizen, the representative of grossest wrong that ever was perpetrated upon the American people! I nominate to this convention as its candidate for the Vice-Presidency of the United States Thomas A. Hendricks.

Upon the mention of this name the scenes of the morning were repeated. The audience stood up and cheered. Mr. Waller, of Connecticut, and Mr. Menzies, of Indiana, both jumped on chairs and tried to attract the attention of the Chair. Mr. Waller started several times to speak, but his voice was always drowned in the uproar. Finally, Mr. Waller was heard, seconding Mr. Hendricks' nomination.

The audience again broke out, and in the meantime Mr. Menzies, of Indiana, who had remained standing, was recognized by the Chair.

Mr. Menzies of Indiana—Let the convention be not mistaken, I speak to it in words of soberness and earnestness, Thomas A. Hendricks is not and will not be a candidate for the Vice-presidency. I am authorized by him to say that.

Mr. Bacon, of Georgia—I desire to ask the gentleman from Indiana if he is authorized to say that Mr. Hendricks will not accept the unanimous nomination from the National Democratic Convention for the office of Vice-President of the United States.

Mr. Menzies turned around to speak to some of his colleagues, and the Chair recognized the gentleman from Connecticut, Mr. Waller. Mr. Waller commenced, when Mr. Menzies turned around and addressed Mr. Bacon, saying: "I will answer the gentleman by saying, in the language of Mr. Hendricks, himself, that he is not and will not be a candidate for the Vice-Presidency."

Mr. Waller, of Connecticut—Mr. Chairman, Connecticut usually has no desire to force on Indiana a candidate against its will; but, sir, this is not an Indiana Convention. (Cheers and laughter.) This is a convention of the country, and the Democrats looking all over the country have a right to take a fit man from any place they may. Connecticut, sir, would not have made at anybody's request a nomination of a man for any office unless they had expressed a little Yankee curiosity as to whether a man would probably take it. It is my mission in this convention says that Hendricks, at this time is not patriotic enough to take a nomination tendered under these circumstances. I will withdraw his name with honor. (Applause.) He does not want this nomination. Every man knows it. He is earnest to the front; and the ticket with the statesman of New York on it in 1844 representing the East, Thomas A. Hendricks, representing again the West, will be, in the opinion of every Democrat who hears me, victorious in November.

Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania—Mr. President, it would not be beneath the dignity of an elected Vice-President of the United States to be a candidate for the place a second time. Thomas A. Hendricks has been once chosen to be Vice-President of the United States. He has been deposed of his office. The Democracy of the Republic demanded him again his name as their candidate, and they will not take no for an answer. (Cheers.) Sir, I move you, that the rules be suspended and that this convention nominate Thomas A. Hendricks, of Indiana, as its candidate for Vice President of the United States by acclamation. (Cheers.)

The nominations of Rosecrans, McDonald, Glick and Black were withdrawn.

Every State and Territory cast its full vote for Hendricks on the roll call with the exception of one in Mississippi for McDonald, four in Illinois, which were not voted, and the thirty votes of Indiana, which asked to be excused, but on the convention insisting upon their voting, her thirty votes were cast for Mr. Hendricks.

When the vote of Indiana was announced for Hendricks it was apparent that his nomination was unanimous, the delegates and the audience seemed to lose their heads in the usual extravagant demonstrations. The whole house was a sea of fluttering colors, formed by waving handkerchiefs of every hue, hats, umbrellas and everything else which could be seized upon by the excited assemblage. The band broke in on the uncertain din with the strains of "Hail to the Chief." A number of delegates seized the standards and bore them to the platform, where they were gathered into a cluster, about which were congregated two or three hundred delegates yelling as if "Cleveland and Hendricks" were just being passed into the Presidential offices. After remaining in front of the platform a few minutes the delegates in charge of the standards formed themselves into a procession and marched around the hall, while the band favored the crowd with "The Star Spangled Banner" and the demonstration, after a continuance of over twenty minutes, was at an end.

The Chair—There have been 856 votes cast, of which Thomas A. Hendricks has received every one, and is declared the unanimous nominee of this party for Vice President of the United states. (Loud and long-continued applause lasting for many minutes.)

At 7, on the motion to adjourn *sine die* was put and carried.

MARRIED.

DE SPELDER—HERRIOTT—In Tecumseh, July 16, by Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, Lev. John A. De Spelder, of Orange City, Iowa, and Miss Ella E. Herriott, of Macon.

LETTER LISTS.

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Beef Hides	5	@ 6 50
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8	@ 07
Corn in ear	30	@ 10
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	50	@ 25
Clover Seed	5 25	@ 60
Chickens—dressed	10	@ 5 50
Eggs, ₱ doz		@ 12
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 75	@ 14
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@ 5 75
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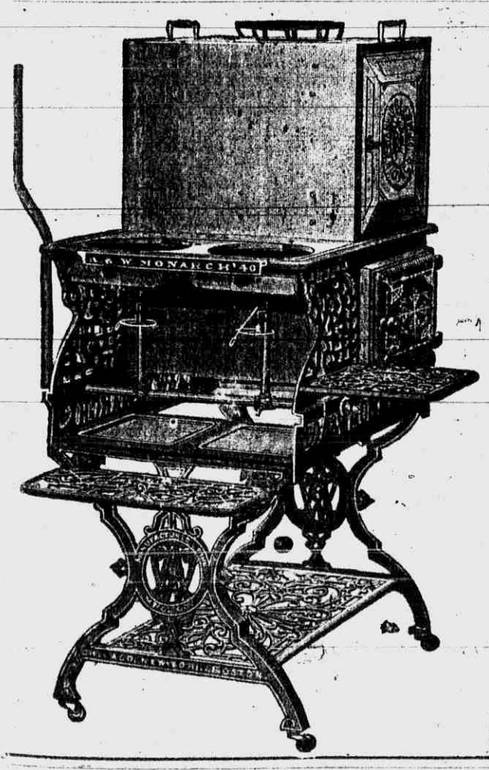

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BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Buried in dust is the latest situation, and it takes so long Sunday morning to exhume a clean face that many remain quarantined at home to avoid spreading Sunday headache infection, thus sparing ministers the vexation of talking to vacant pews, or those that having ears, hear not, and making the church a place wherein laziness entereth not into temptation.

Teachers are encouraged by State law to indulge in vacations, and patch up monotonous existence with rest and stray laughs; yet custom wedges Gospel teachers between sufferance and whimsical liberality, which mostly ties them to vacant pews or dreamy listeners from June to September. My religion is all right if it only has rest enough; and I wish all the ministers may be presented with excursion tickets to the White Mountains, so that for once I can stay at home because I must, and not feel ashamed of myself.

The wild west show either lost some of its cow boys, or else four recuits trying te muster themselves into active service invaded B last Friday. They whirled a nice span of horses around the sign-post, up and down streets, into alleys and around corners, until the poor things were too tired to drink; and varied their performance with an occasional swear and drinking from a bottle whenever a lost hat was captured. The oft repeated question, why such conduct is allowed and saloon keepers not prosecuted and abide within law limitations, awakes recrimination and feud here as elsewhere. Remarks that admit of a general 'blame interpretation' always sound as if meant for me, when I have helped along the mischief, so I sympathize with village councils who accept liquor bonds because saloons draw trade to the village, or for humanitarian reasons, or to encourage cats to chew gum. No matter what excuse is made, quarrelling will not endow a swindler with much courage. The State offers a license for sale, with as many reasons and restrictions tacked to it, as paper on a kite string; and their string of twaddle don't hold any better, so it gets away with us. The village council is the broker that negotiates the sale between State and saloon-keeper. Its a swindle, because it is an inducement to make money in an impossible manner, sugar coated with sophistry that appeals to cupidity and barked with pretense or respectability to give it a commen sense look. He pays three hundred dollars for a permit to sell his goods to everybody, except common drunkards, imbeciles, lunatics and minors, and when his decanters are set up who else is left to sell to. Getting tipsy twice means common, lunatic means of unsound mind, and will any one in possession of one, buy and swallow something to make him a lunatic? Imbecile is weak brained, helpless to contend with evil, or take proper care of ones self. Just the kind for steady trade, and because one is not twenty-one years of age is no reason he should not know whether he wants a drink as well as his grandfather. The State has fooled him out of his money by pretending, first to permit his trading with customers that did not exist; then by classifying all such as would patronize him as contraband. And then, the law does not exact impossibilities so far as he has bought a permit to trade; he does so, and those who have taken his money feel delicate about hindering him.

The prelude to painting tows red is a government tune that sings the same whichever end you begin at. The bible says "whosoever diggeth a pit shall fall therein;" and the pits our State scoops out to catch saloon-keepers money, by selling them a nothing, as something, is fast outgrowing it in size. We all love power. It is nice to be a village council, to say this or that shall be done to make the streets look better, and the license provides the money, says my enthusiastic neighbor. Does it build his sidewalk? No, but it does to the jail, and that too. Yes and provides with tenants. Sometimes it lays a nice cross-walk between churches, or in front of them, and the gift is accepted. It is impossible to build these walks without making steps uncertain wherever they exist, and the economy of providing money that way when reduced to figures, compares favorably with that old lady's who cut and contrived a night-cap out of a sheet.

Josiah White, another of Brooklyn's pioneers died to-day. He lived a long life, and what is better, lived it well, and both he and his aged wife, have ever been earnest helpers of the Presbyterian church through all its sunshine and shadow.

PEABLIE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Most of the wheat is now drawn.

The dry weather is affecting the corn crop.

The Put-in-Bay excursion was well patronized from here.

Mrs. Charlotte Sutton has been very sick again but has nearly recovered.

M. & O. men are repairing the little Raisin bridge.

A Sunday School concert is in prospect to take place next month.

The threshing engine whistle is again heard in the land. The wheat will thresh easy this year and the berry will be excellent generally but the yield will not be as much as last year.

Next week Wednesday coming will be the next meeting of the Union Club. The meeting will be held in the Charles Kniffin school house three fourths of a mile northeast of Britton. Rev. J. R. Chaplin, of Dundee, will address the club and give an account of the National convention which he is attending this week at Pittsburg Penn. Say we call it a ratification meeting.

Cool, dusty, and dry.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richards, of Dundee, spent the sabbath with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sutton.

Mrs. Samuel Rappleye has been visiting her son Erastus at Dundee for a few days. Mrs. Erastus Rappleye had the cancer cut out of her mouth and is quite sick from the effects of the operation.

The boys that broke the chunks out of the base stones of the Church had better make themselves scarce for they are liable to an arrest at any moment.

Mr. Samuel Rappleye had his 40 acre field of hay all put up ready to draw Monday and it is a fine lot of hay.

Geo. D. Arner commenced his school last Monday. Geo. is giving good satisfaction.

The latest is a pink dress cut the mother Hubbard style.

Some of the young folks went to Sand Lake Saturday and report a splendid time.

TIPTON TATTLE.

The Sunday School at the German school house two miles west and one mile south of Tipton, under the superintendency of Mr. Bigsby and Mrs Daniels is probably not surpassed in interest and success by any other school in the entire township of Franklin. Their recent concert was a very fine affair and the whole school is highly worthy of commendation and encouragment.

John Conlin has placed a commodious trough in front of his store into which his recent bore pours a ceaseless stream of pure cold water, so that both man and beast are welcome to a reviving draught that they may go on their way nicely refreshed.

Two junior Levites from Adrian College were here last Saturday in search of a place in which to exercise the functions of the sons of Levi, but with what success we are not informed.

Wheat, though not so heavy as was anticipated, is now all cut and mostly gathered and threshing has already commenced.

Corn, potatoes and garden produce generally are suffering badly for the want of rain, and the empty cisterns are giving serious alarm among the women.

There is to be an ice cream festival at the M. E. Church on Friday evening July 25.

Mr. Knight is having a tedious and discouraging struggle in order to graduate from the sick list.

Miss Wilson, of Adrian, is having vacation and is visiting at the residence of Jabez Fridd.

Miss Mary Rothwell, of Detroit, a life long friend of the Elder and his wife, is visiting at the Methodist parsonage.

MACON MUSIC.

The nomination of Cleveland and Hendricks seems to give entire satisfaction to the party in this section. We look for victory in November.

Edwin Howell threshed the first wheat of the season last week. The quality was excellent, and the yield ordinary.

Mrs. Avery, of Saline township, died last week. Mrs. Avery has been a resident of Saline many years. She was also intimately connected with the social interests of Macon. All unite in extending their sympathies to the bereaved family.

The band boys gave an ice cream festival in Pennington's grove last Saturday evening. A good time as usual. Lots of ice cream and music.

Marriage bells jingled in our midst last week. Rev. J. A. De Spelder, of Orange City, Iowa, and Miss Myrtle Harriott, of Macon, are the happy couple. Both are well known here and are highly respected. We wish them a long and prosperous life.

Rev. Mr. Dutton is permanently located here now as the pastor of the Reformed Church. He seems to be the right man in the right place.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Miss Effie Brown, of Jackson, is visiting friends in this village.

Rev. St. John, Peter Kishpaugh, and E. VanDeMark are taking in the refreshing breezes and fighting musquitos around Wampler's Lake.

No services will be held Sunday evenings in the Episcopal church the rest of the month and during the month of August.

Olie St. Clair, John Briggins, Geo. Gibson, and Lennie Kimball are camping at Wampler's lake.

The next Episcopal social wih be held at Mrs. E. R. Smith's one week from this (Thursday) evening.

Rev. J. W. Kerridge was called to Blissfield Thursday to preach the funeral sermon of A. W. Clark.

P. M. Blakeman fell off a ladder Monday and broke his collar bone.

J. J. White who has been dangerously sick, we understand is slightly improving.

The band boys intend to enter camp at Wampler's lake one week from to morrow (Friday)

Complaint has been made against H. Lancaster for keeping his bar open the 4th inst. He was taken before justice Brown Wednesday and gave bail for his appearance again next Tuesday.

The democratic meeting one week ago to-day was quite largely attended considering that it was a very busy time especially for the farmers. The pole raised the democrats claim is the finest seen in this town since 1844. Mr. O'Mealey made the speech which was generally liked. Prosecuting Atty. Saulsbury had been advertised to speak but failed to put in an appearance.

The Carman family sang in the Town Hall last Tuesday night. The concert seemed to give general satisfaction.

E. VanDeMark raised a fine hickory pole in front of his residence last Friday evening. The crowd that assisted were treated to a lunch.

The remains of Orlando S. Stevens, so familiarly known in this community as Deacon Stevens, were brought here from Memphis this state Wednesday. Funeral services were held in the Congregational church. Mr. Stevens died the 21st inst., in his 87th year; he was one of the oldest pioneers of this town and county and was highly respected wherever known.

THE AUTHORIZED PICTORIAL LIVES OF CLEVELAND AND HENDRICKS.

Announcement is made of the rapid completion of a Pictorial work comprising the Lives of the Presidential Candidates on the Democratic ticket, written by the veteran author, Col. Frank Triplett, and published by N. D. Thompson & Co., St. Louis, Mo., and New York. This work is sold through agents exclusively. It is designed, not only to serve the popular taste and want in giving, exhaustively the facts in the boyhood and manhood of the Candidates—their private Lives and Public Services—but to have a more enduring interest than the ordinary campaign book. To this end the publishers have engaged on the work a corps of skilled designers and engravers to elegantly and profusely illustrate the scenes and incidents in the lives of these eminent men, now so prominently before the people. Personal anecdotes and reminiscences will constitute a leading and certainly a most entertaining and instructive feature of this timely work.

Col. Triplett has marked ability, and enjoys especial distinction as a biographical writer. While exhaustive in the recital of facts, his powers of analysis, and his keen insight into the philosophy of events and measures, give him special prominence among American writers of personal history. It is not too much to say that he is better prepared for the work in hand than any other American author.

The books from his pen, of which several have been published, have met the popular taste and been more than ordinarily successful. They have given him high rank among American authors, and the public men of the day. This has given him unsurpassed facilities for procuring all the material for the work now in hand. As a book of fascinating interest, beauty and profuseness of illustration, and of comprehensiveness of fact, it will commend itself to every voter.

To the book agent this rare combination of authentic history, pictorial illustration and brilliant authorship, will at once suggest the universal demand it will create, and also the advantages in interest, it has over the ordinary campaign book, and the grand opportunity it offers for profitable agency. We advertise it in another column.

J. B. George, of Detroit, Special agent for the Phoenix Ins. Co. of Hartford, was in town yesterday, looking over some of the Phoenix risks in Tecumseh. The company has a good line of policies on its books here.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 15, 1884.

Estate of Welcome Aldrich, deceased; notice of an appeal from claims allowed by commissioners; bond on appeal, order of allowance of appeal.

Estate of Elvira Taylor, deceased; petition for allowance of final account; hearing August 4.

Estate of Phebe Lester, deceased; order of continuance until July 29, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Percy Fitzsimmons, et al., minors; nomination and petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $20,000.

Estate of Asa Russell, deceased; affidavits of publication and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Maria Brown, deceased; petition of appointment of administrator; hearing August 11.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Darius C. Willits, deceased; petition of administratrix to be discharged; hearing August 4.

Estate of Stephen Aldrich, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing August 4.

Estate of Laura A. Huntly, deceased; appointment of guardian ad litem; affidavit of publication, final account allowed; dividend.

Estate of Esther Myres, an alleged incompetent person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing August 11.

Estate of John Bavis, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until August 25.

Estate of John S. Clark, deceased, petition for appointment of administrator; hearing August 11.

Estate of Benjamin C. Cocker, minor; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate of Mary B. Rogers, minor, affidavit of publication; appointment of guardian; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Clara J. Downer, minor; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Zeppania Johnson, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Charles G. Kurtz, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Warren R. Day, deceased, administratrix's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

A PHILANTHROPIC ENTERPRISE.

Having had twenty-five years experience in organizing state and public institutions for insane persons, I have established a new asylum and school at Kalamazoo, Michigan, which is now open for the admission of pupils and inmates.

The school is now in operation and pupils can be admitted at once.

The establishment is organized upon the "COTTAGE PLAN." There are two cottages now, in addition to the main building, and other cottages will be added as needed.

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KALAMAZOO, MICH.

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The August number of this highly popular magazine has as usual, several finely illustrated, interesting papers; serial and short stories, sketches, adventures, poems, etc., contributed by N. Rathven, Alphonse Dudet, Helen W. Pierson, Etta W. Pierce, Evert A. Duyckinck, M. Seymour, Alfred H. Guernsey, Charles Callaway, Oscan van, etc., etc. "Where Cottages are Palaces" has some twenty illustrations of residences, etc., at Newport, R. I. "Lebanon and its Inhabitants," "The Rise of the House of Hohenzollern," "New York During the Revolution," "An Old Continent in the Atlantic," are among the illustrated leading articles. The serial, "A Dark Deed," and several short stories, are deeply interesting and, with the sketches, poems and a choice miscellany, will be found most delightful reading. 128 quarto pages, over 100 embellishments and a handsome colored plate frontis piece are in every number; price 25 cents, or $2.50 a year, postpaid. Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

THAT BRILLIANT METEOR.

Over one hundred and fifty nebulæ which have escaped the vision of previous astronomers have recently been discovered by Dr. Lewis Swift, Director of the Warner Observatory, Rochester, N. Y. One of these is of a most peculiar nature, and seems to be undergoing a wonderful change. Dr. Swift desires to thoroughly investigate the great meteor which appeared on the night of July 3d, and for this purpose requests all who saw it to communicate with him at the Warner Observatory, Rochester, N. Y., immediately, giving the direction of view, motion, color, etc.

The hum of the threshing machine is again heard in the land.

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TO A KATYDID.

Sprite, in leafy covert hid,
"Twixt your "didn't" and your "did,"
Simple folks are quite in doubt
What your talk is all about.

"Did" and "didn't"! That's a clear
Contradiction, Katie dear!
One would think you scarcely knew
Any odds between the two.

"Did"—but what? And where? And when?
"Didn't"—There you go again!
Such a slippery little elf!
After all, what matters it?

Who do you imagine—cares,
Katie, for your small affairs?
Hold your peace; and, for the rest,
We'll conceale you did your best.

If you didn't, more's the shame;
If you did, then where's the blame?
So give o'er. You won't be chid
Though you didn't or you did.

Only—your own counsel keep,
Letting honest people sleep.
If you did, then be it so;
If you didn't, let it go!

— *Caroline A. Mason, in St. Nicholas.*

THE EMPIRE OF SPIES.

Russia's Extraordinary Array of Secret Societies—Spies Watching Spies.

The Holy Synod of Russia has introduced into the Church ritual the following new and extraordinary invocation: "Let us pray to the Lord that He will forgive us our sins and lawlessness, and save us from all furious conspiracies of our foes." While one hundred thousand clergymen are daily repeating this invocation in the forty thousand Russian churches, the laymen, in accordance with the Russian saying: "Trust in God, but fail not to mind your own business," are contriving various means of purging the country of conspirators. But conspirators are not only hard to exterminate, but even to discover. True, in the Czar's country there is a formidable secret political police, a large body of detectives, several regiments of gendarmes, and numberless municipal policemen, yet all of these legions have proved quite powerless to annihilate the, as it were, enchanted "handful of the Nihilists." At length the Autocrat of all the Russians from the top of his throne has called forth the house-owners, the house-porters and other loyal subjects to assist his Government in exterminating the revolutionists. The Czar probably was not aware that in so doing he was resigning his autocratic prerogatives in favor of spies. Thus the Czar's empire has been suspended for the present, and the empire of spies has been set in motion.

During her history, one thousand and twenty odd years, Russia has never before been in such a strange condition as to-day. She has known many a cruel despot, whether in the person of a Tartar Khan or a Muscovite Czar; she has seen the horrors of civil war and of the interregnum; she has suffered by the armed invasion of Tartars, Swedes, Germans, Poles, Frenchmen and Turks, but never before have her people been left at the mercy of venal spies. Such demoralization of the people and disorganization of society as are now witnessed here have preceded only the fall of the Empires.

The Czar's Government now exists not in reality, but only in form, and Russians do not know who to obey, or to whom to look for guidance and protection. There are here a number of secret organizations, each of which claims to be a law to itself and to the rest of the country. All of them are directed, at least apparently, to the undermining of the underground Government, the Executive Committee, and to the support of the overground Government of the Czar.

The Sacred Militia is a secret society formed on the plan of the Nihilist Executive Committee. At its head stand Grand Duke Vladimir and Procureur of the Holy Synod Pobedonostzeff. It has its by-laws, watchwords, secret signs, ciphers, mysterious rites of initiation, oaths, special funds, and numerous agents. It holds a secret court, and sentences to death some of the most prominent Nihilists, such as Prince Krapotkin, Lavroff and Leo Hartman.

The power gained by the Secret Sacred Militia has incited the other magnates of the State to form another secret society. So we have the Voluntary Guards, headed by Minister of the Imperial Household Count Voronzoff-Dashkoff and General Shuvaloff. They aim at guarding the Czar, not only against the revolutionists, but also against the influence of any other person or body. The Sacred Militia, the State Police, and the Ministers included. A large number of the Old Believers have joined the Guards, and in reward for their fidelity have been granted certain religious liberties. The Guards employ hosts of secret agents of their own.

The Provincial nobles, seeing that by open means they could not gain concessions from the Government, have also formed a secret society, the Land Union. The Union has many agents in every province, and it has its own journal, the Volnoe Slovo (Free Word), published abroad. The Union has, indeed, succeeded in inducing the Czar to restore to the nobles many privileges. So successful has it been, in fact, that the "Nobleman's Era," of which Russian newspapers talked so much last year, is now a thing established.

The regular secret police, being thus superseded by the secret agents of secret societies, have found it necessary to form their own secret society, which, while supporting the credit of the regular police, aims to undermine all the other secret bodies, the Sacred Militia, the Voluntary Guards, the Land Union and the Terrorist party, too. The most secret of all secret societies is known under the name of "The Society for the Struggle Against the Terrorists." This society has started abroad its own organ, the *Truth (Pravda)*, which sets out to warn Russians that the Nihilists tend not to a Republic, but to a dictatorship, which in the end will be worse than the autocracy.

Meanwhile the conspirators par excellence, the Nihilists, are going on with their under-ground work, recruiting here and there new members and agents.

The spirit of conspiracy has seized upon the Russians. The reins of the regular Government have been slackened to the last degree. The Czar's Ministers have joined different secret societies, and conspire against each other. Senators, Judges, heads of departments, civil and military officers, and Bishops, all conspire, and every one is surrounded by hosts of spies, friendly and inimical. It seems as though the subjects bound by their oath of allegiance to the Czar had been superseded by spies bound to their purpose by secret oaths. Even the Czar is not free from the spirit of conspiracy. It is said here that he gave no hint of his late journey to Denmark to any of his Ministers, and they learned of his departure only after he was gone. A kind of chaos prevails here, and it would be hard to account for if the late Russian Machiavelli had not given a key to it.

Colonel George Porphirievitch Sudeikin, late chief of the political police, attempted to organize the anarchy that is fast corroding the autocratic regime. His idea was as follows:

"It is plain," he said once to a confidential comrade, "that we can not hunt down, arrest, and annihilate each and every Terrorist; but we can and must abolish that obstinate party, and the best way to do it is to tear asunder the ties that combine its members together for life and death. Let us inoculate them with mutual mistrust, suspicion, and fear, and our task will be accomplished."

Having thus thought out his plan, he boldly attempted to realize it, minding no law, whether human or divine. His power was unlimited, and the amount of money at his command was enormous, and he used both freely. "Buy everybody," he said to his comrades. "Buy Counts, court ladies, Terrorists and patriots, men and women, youths and old men. Buy all of them." His army of spies was monstrous. "If a spy draws his salary and does not do anything it is all right," thought Sudeikin, "for such a man breaks up the line separating honest men from dishonest men, and, again, such a man furnishes a cover for the real spies, for these, too, may say that they only draw their salary and do not spy."

Sudeikin did not believe in honesty. "The question of honesty," he used to say, "is the question of the price one demands for his services." Particularly he valued the services, whether real or imaginary, of the Nihilist informers. In such cases he did not spare the Government coffers. It is said that he succeeded in enlisting in his service some Nihilis agents, and also in introducing some of his faithful spies into the Nihilist camp. He flattered himself that he had fully succeeded. A number of Nihilists were murdered by their own comrades for treason. "Soon they will succumb under general mistrust!" jubilantly exclaimed Sudeikin. "Soon they will be unable to unite for the cause, and we will buy all of them." When he converted, as he thought, a noted Terrorist, Captain Degaieff, his joy knew no limits. He believed that he had put his hand on the Executive Committee itself.

While manipulating his complicated machinery of spydom, Sudeikin did not lose sight of his unsolicited competitors. He watched the Sacred Militia. The Voluntary Guards were carefully followed by his men. He knew everything about the Land Union. He could not suffer that any state officer should precede him in unearthing a Nihilist plot. State-Attorney Dorjinsky once succeeded in arresting a woman in whose possession were found the addresses of several important conspirators. In order to belittle the discovery of the Attorney, Sudeikin quietly warned the conspirators of the danger and the Attorney, of course, could not arrest them. Sudeikin was very ambitious, but the Ministers kept him down. He was chief spy only. He faced all dangers, and yet the Ministers did not promote him even on the occasion of the Czar's coronation, which was virtually insured by Sudeikin. He thought of revenge. Daily he conferred with Degaieff. His conspiracy was of an extraordinary sort. His plan was this: For some reason he would resign. Immediately after that Degaieff would kill Count Tolstoi, the Minister of the Interior, Grand Duke Vladimir, the Chief of the St. Petersburg Military District, and spread terror throughout Russia. Under such circumstances the Czar would recall Sudeikin and give him the extraordinary powers of a dictator. Degaieff, having accomplished such deeds, would be put at the head of the Executive Committee. Thus the pair would rule both underground and overground Russia. But amid such dreams Col. Sudeikin was murdered by the man whom he considered his most valuable tool. The Government has issued the following advertisement:

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Although Russia is full of venal spies, yet Dagaieff's friends are unpurchasable. He has safely made his escape.—*St. Petersburg Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

Few Rich Men in California.

The majority of the people in this State are not rich. There was a time when the glamor of wealth seemed to be over all the State. There are not so many rich people in California to-day in proportion to the population as there are in each one of the older States of the Union. There is less warrant for costly living or for domestic expenditures on the scale of prospective fortunes. Looking to the future one might inquire what are the prospective sources of wealth? There are no more great fortunes to be made in railway construction, few or no great fortunes to be made in mining ventures, the stock boards are no longer prominent. Only the slow processes of wealth are left—agricultures, manufactures and industrial pursuits generally, which are most fitting for a people who are not wealthy, but who have not yet quite forgotten the lives of their fathers and mothers—the domestic economy by means of which large families were well brought up, educated and sent out into the world to make their own way successfully.—*San Francisco Bulletin.*

—My brethren, bear in mind that the advertisement which reads: "Summer boarders taken in," means all that it says.—*Oil City Derrick.*

Saved by His Wife.

A *Times* reporter has secured possession of the facts in a singular case of what was evidently meant to be deliberate murder and robbery, but which was thwarted by the well-grounded caution of the wife of the intended victim. It happened more than a month ago in Colchester, and only a few days before the murder of Harvey Chappell, for his money, in Leanon, a town adjoining Colchester, but nothing about it appears to have got into the newspapers. Mr. William Rollo, who lives in a rather secluded place on a cross-road in Colchester, had that week drawn five hundred dollars from the bank, and had it with him. He was alone, for his wife had gone on a week's visit to her mother, Mrs. Lyman, in Hartford. These facts were known, as such things will be known in rural neighborhoods. On the night in question Mrs. Rollo had returned to Colchester, accompanied by her mother, and her intention to return at that time was not known in Colchester, at least not outside of her house. Just before dawn Mrs. Lyman, who chanced to awake, heard a low and rather dubious rapping on the side door. Waiting, she again heard it unmistakably—and then she arose, and going to her daughter's bedroom, wakened her, telling her somebody was rapping. Mrs. Rollo got up, went to the door, and asked: "Who is there?" A trembling voice answered: "The horse is down, and we want some help." As other help on the main road must have been nearer—provided the stranger had been traveling that road—Mrs. Rollo's suspicions were excited, and she said: "Who are you? What's your name?" To this there was no immediate response. At length the name of "Sanford," or some thing like it was given.

By this time Mr. Rollo had risen, dressed himself and come to the door, intending to go out and assist the stranger. His wife, feeling a deep impression of danger, was resolute against his going without he took his revolver. Mr. Rollo at length acceded to her wish, took his loaded revolver, unlocked the door and went out. He saw nobody, but went on toward the barn, which was at some distance. Turning a corner of the barn he came upon two men who stood behind a big walnut tree. One had a big club.

Rollo, who had been growing more and more angry at every step, and who had now reached a decided pitch of indignation, exclaimed:

"Where is your horse?"

"Oh," one of the men said, as both stepped forward toward him, "he's got up and gone off."

Instantly drawing his pistol and covering the leader, Mr. Rollo, who was now nerved to anything, promptly answered:

"And you two follow him, quick, or I'll kill you in your tracks."

They saw he meant it, and that he "had the drop" on them, too—and the two villains turned and left in a hurry.

After daylight Mr. Rollo and a neighbor followed their tracks in the snow. They followed their tracks five miles to a certain place, but no arrests appear to have been made, and no thing done in the matter. One of the would-be murderers had a striking peculiarity in his heel, as shown in his tracks. This one had followed his companion from the barn almost to the house door, when the other rapped, and had evidently stood ready, if their intended victim had been (as they supposed) alone in the house and had opened the door, to have given the skull-crushing blow that was to have put him out of the way and left the villain free to rummage the house and secure the money.—*Hartford Times.*

Cornering a Bull-Dog.

Early yesterday morning a policeman found a man, arrayed in his night robes, resting in the top of a tree in his yard; while at the trunk sat a huge bull-dog, gazing upward in delight.

"Hello!" yelled the officer, "what are you doing up there?"

"Waiting for the sun to rise, of course," replied the man, sarcastically; "I seem to be having a picnic, don't I?"

"What's the matter with your dog?"

"D'ye see anything wrong with him?" eagerly asked the man, looking down. "If you do it's more than I've been able to see for the last six hours; he looks like a good, sound, healthy dog, don't he?"

"So he does; but how came you in such a predicament?"

"Well, I'll tell you: that dog has been pestering the life out of me, and I've concluded to kill him; so last night I climbed this tree, while having a romp with him, to get his gaze turned up."

"Which you succeeded in," laughed the policeman.

"Yes, I flatter myself that I did."

"But what was your object in getting him to look up?"

"Oh," replied the other, "that's where the secret lies; I've tried poisons of all kind on him, but no go; hired several negroes to drown him, and paid for as many colored funerals; shot at him, and received wounds in return; so I've decided to stay up here and attract his attention, till he breaks his infernal neck looking at me."

"I am not afraid of him," said the officer, "let me club him to death."

"Oh, I'm not scared of him, either," replied the treed man, "but I don't think you can kill him."

The policeman sprang over the fence and soon made short work of the dog.

"Is he dead?" came from the tree.

"Yes," answered the cop, "he's done for."

There was a scrambling heard, and directly the voice sounded near:

"Are you sure?"

"Yes," impatiently replied the officer.

Another scraping of bark, and the man again asked:

"Are you dinged sure?"

On receiving an affirmative reply the man sprang from the tree and scooted for the house.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

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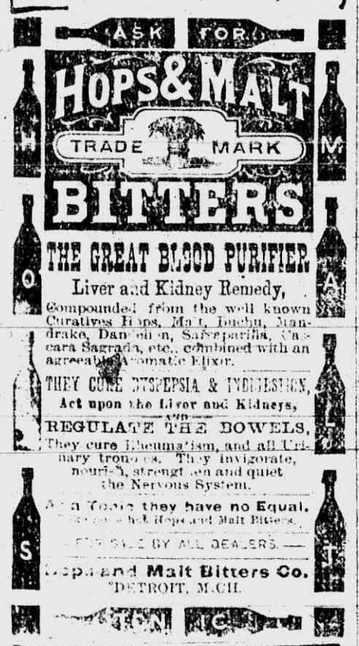

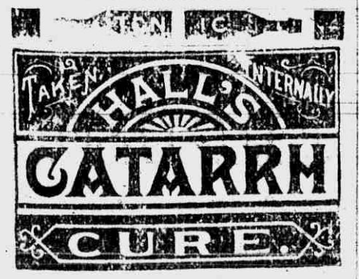

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 24, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

ON the 17th a monument to Nathaniel Sylvester was unveiled at Shelter Island, at the extreme point of Long Island. Sylvester was the first settler of the island, having a patent from Charles II. in 1666. Professor Horsford, of Harvard University, made a touching address.

WILLIAM W. JOHNSON, a prominent citizen and extensive real estate and insurance broker, of Greenpoint, L. I., has disappeared, taking $4,000 to $5,000, the proceeds of sales of property, rents, etc., belonging to others. He leaves a wife and four children. It is supposed that Johnson lost large sums in speculation and fast living.

JEWELRY, pistols, and hardware to the value of $3,000 were seized at New York on board the steamship Niagara, arriving from Havana on the 17th. The goods are of American manufacture, and it is thought they were taken to Havana to be smuggled in exchange for tobacco and cigars.

THE Texas State Comptroller estimates that the reduction in the value of cattle for assessment in the State will approximate ten millions.

THE town of Cedar Springs, near Grand Rapids, Mich., was devastated by fire on the 18th. Nearly the entire business portion and two-thirds of the residences were entirely consumed, including the Wagar House, Johnson & Link's mill, Grand Rapids & Indiana Railway depot, and Cedar Springs House. Two men and one boy were burned in the mill, and one man, a commercial traveler, was burned in the Wagar House. The losses are estimated at $200,000; well insured.

The ice-houses of the Buckeye Brewing Company and J. W. Wasson, on the river below Toledo, O., burned on the 18th. The scow Thatcher, tied to the dock, was also burned; Lawrence Thompson, was fatally burned, and two other men who were on the scow are missing and supposed to have been burned to death.

AT West Point, Ga., Sam Gibson, colored, grossly assaulted his own daughter and was put in jail. On the night of the 18th a party of men broke into the jail to lynch the prisoner. He resisted, cutting six of them severely. The lynchers then shot him dead.

REAR ADMIRAL NICHOLS, Acting Secretary of the Navy, and General Hazen, Chief Signal Officer, had a conference on the 18th, at which it was concluded to suggest to Commander Schley that he bring the survivors of the Greely party from St. Johns to Portland, Me., where they can remain until better prepared to stand a change of climate. Their families can join them at Portland if so desired.

A WELL being dug at the factory of Duke & Sons, Durham, N. C., caved in on the 18th, burying seven men. Three were taken out, one badly injured, but four could not be rescued before life was extinct.

HENRY BLOOM, a Baltimore & Ohio express messenger, was arrested at Pittsburgh on the 18th for stealing a package containing ten thousand dollars. The money was sent from Baltimore to Cumberland. Instead of delivering it, Bloom took it home and offered to divide it with his bondsman. The latter took the money and had Bloom arrested as he was preparing to leave.

A COMPANY has been formed at Pittsburg for the purpose of building and operating a public crematory in the outskirts of that city. It will be modelled after the LeMoyne crematory at Washington, and the furnace will be heated with natural gas.

THE National Teachers' Association at Madison, Wis., adjourned on the 18th after electing F. Louis Solder, of St. Louis, President, and W. E. Sheldon, of Boston, Secretary.

THE schedules in assignment of Carhart, Whitford & Co., clothiers, of New York, were filed on the 18th. The liabilities are $1,556,497; contingent liabilities $189,888; nominal assets $1,516,184; the actual assets are $911,562.

THE banking house of A. & J. C. S. Harrison at Indianapolis, Ind., suspended on the 18th. There are about 400 depositors, some for considerable sums, including $60,000 of city funds.

Two east bound freight trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad collided near Bainbridge, Pa., on the 18th. Twelve cars and an engine were wrecked. No person was injured.

AT New York on the 18th the stores of Stone & Fischer, suit manufacturers; B. Gardner, elastic webs; Goldsmith & Plant, ladies' cloaks, were burned. Loss $36,000.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended July 18 were: United States 182, Canada 23; total 215, against 198 the previous week. The increase is in the Western and Middle States.

JOHN CONNORS, of Troy, N. Y., the alleged murderer of Supervisor Phillip Casey, who has evaded arrest for four years, was captured in Kansas City, and will be taken to Troy to answer for murder in the first degree. Casey was shot while endeavoring to quiet a quarrel between Connors and others.

POSTMASTER GENERAL GRESHAM states positively that letter carriers will receive their leave of absence provided by law.

THE strike of the Monongahela River coal miners is breaking up. Many have resumed work in the third and fourth pools at the reduction, and a few in the second. It is now a foregone conclusion that the strike is a failure.

A GENERAL strike of bricklayers is threatened in New York city. They want a reduction of the hours of labor.

THE Treasury Department on the 18th purchased 355,000 ounces of silver for delivery at the Philadelphia, New Orleans and San Francisco mints.

THE Jersey cow Bomba, No. 10,330, died a few days ago of milk fever, at the farm of her breeder and owner, A. B. Darling, near Ramsey's, N. J., two days after having dropped her fourth calf, a bull, by Darling's Rioter. In the combination sale in May last Bomba's daughter, an 8-month's heifer, brought $5,200 at auction. Her second calf, a bull, sold privately for a similar sum. The owner of Bomba received two cash offers of $15,000 each for her shortly after her notable test, but preferred to retain her.

THE work of laying a large iron siphon under the river at Milwaukee, Wis., is nearly completed. The siphon is part of the special sewerage system, and is the largest submerged pipe in the world, being fifty-two inches in diameter. The system when completed will drain a large portion of the city far out into the lake, and will have cost $500,000.

MRS. B. G. ROOTS, of Tamaroa, Ill., wife of Mr. Roots, member of the Illinois State Board of Education, was killed on the 20th by being thrown from a carriage. Mrs. Roots was sixty-six years old, and had taught for thirty years in Southern Illinois.

IT is claimed the Lincoln monument of Springfield, Illinois, is in a bad state of preservation, and is threatening to fall to pieces. Great dishonesty in the performance of the work is charged.

OVER two thousand saloon keepers in Cincinnati and Hamilton County have not paid the liquor dealers' tax under the Scott law, the time for which expired on the 19th. Suits will be commenced against them at once.

A FIRE at Byers, Macosta County, Mich., on the 19th destroyed 5,000,000 feet of lumber belonging to Oliver Seaman. A mill and other property were saved. The loss is between $60,000 and $70,000; insured for $46,000.

HON. WALTER EVANS, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has decided that under the provisions of the last Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill a deputy collector or clerk already employed in the service can lawfully be promoted to a higher grade of deputyship or clerkship in case of a vacancy in such higher grade.

AT Iron Gate, Virginia, on the 19th Thomas Johnson stripped his step-son and tied his hands to whip him. The boy escaped, ran to the river and jumped in. Johnson followed. The current was swift and both were drowned. The bodies were recovered.

S. S. HUTCHINS, chief clerk in the office of Major O. H. Ernst, of the United States Engineers' Corps, of St. Louis, has absconded leaving his accounts $1,400 short.

SOME boys playing on the river bank at Davenport, Ia., on the 20th unearthed a box containing from seventy-five to one hundred pounds of counterfeit dimes bearing date, as nearly as could be made out, of 1854. The box was rotten, bearing evidence of having been buried for a number of years.

DR. SWIFT, director of the Warner Observatory at Rochester, N. Y., has received intelligence of the discovery of a comet by Professor E. E. Barnard, of Nashville, on the night of the 16th inst. It is in the head of the Wolf, right ascension 15 hours, 50 minutes, 30 seconds, declination south 17 degrees 10 minutes, and is now moving slowly in an easterly direction. It seems to be growing brighter, and is probably coming toward the earth. This is the first discovery in the Northern Hemisphere this year.

THE President has issued a proclamation calling attention to the necessity for more stringent precautions against the introduction of cholera, and urging the greatest vigilance on the part of agents of the Government both at home and abroad. The Secretary of the Treasury has directed the vessels of the revenue marine service to patrol the coasts of the United States, including the Gulf coast, as a precautionary measure. Quarantine will probably be established against Canada and also against Mexico, in which latter place there is reported an epidemic of yellow fever. The epidemic fund, of which there is an unexpended balance of about $78,000, will be utilized by the authorities for these purposes. The Administration has determined to make every possible effort to prevent the introduction of the contagion.

A BOILER used by a company who are sinking a well for natural gas at Mt. Vernon, O., exploded early on the morning of the 20th. Two tramps who were sleeping near the boiler were instantly killed.

A TRAIN on the Valley Road with several hundred excursionists on board, jumped the track near Canton, O., on the 19th. Three or four cars were hurled down an embankment into a pool of water. Quite a number were more or less seriously hurt, and that none were killed seems almost miraculous. The accident was caused by the spreading of the rails.

A PACKAGE containing $7,000 recently forwarded by the Assistant Treasurer at New Orleans by express to the United States Treasurer, when opened was found to contain only $4,000. There were evidences that the package had been opened and resealed during transmission. The loss will fall on the express company.

AT Shaners, Pa., on the 20th Samuel Smith and daughter were walking on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad track, when they were struck by a freight train coming in the opposite direction. Mr. Smith was instantly killed and the daughter, aged fifteen, was fatally injured.

THE excursion steamer Empire State, with nearly 1,300 excursionists from Boston, while returning from a trip along the north shore on the 20th, struck a ledge of rocks and stove a hole in the bottom. The passengers were mostly on the upper deck and no panic occurred. The vessel was at once headed for Gloucester, reaching that port in half an hour, where the passengers were landed without accident, and soon after the boat sank at the wharf.

JACOB CROSBY, a leading citizen of Zanesville, O., has been arrested for forgery. His method was to give notes with forged indorsements. The amount is said to reach $10,000.

THE Derringer Breaker, at Hazleton, Pa., owned by Coxe Brothers, burned on the 17th. Loss $100,000.

THE Surrogate Court of New York has decided that the will of the late James Tilley, giving the second wife $30,000, is void owing to deception and undue influence. She had another husband.

THE New York associated banks make the following statement for the week ended July 19: Loans decrease, $1,213,400; specie increase, $4,119,000; legal tenders increase, $1,745,300; deposits increase, $3,230,100; circulation decrease, $53,200; reserve increase, $4,555,275. The banks held $23,426,795 in excess of legal requirements.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

NEWS has been received at Louisville of the death of Colonel T. O. Shackelford, ex-surveyor of that port, at Gainesville, Fla. He was a prominent politician, and was well known throughout the South.

THE oldest daughter of Matthew Arnold is engaged to be married to Frederick Whiteridge, a New York lawyer.

THE Pope confirmed Father Schultz, of Philadelphia, as pro-rector of the North American College in Rome.

THE name of the American lady killed in the recent railway disaster near Penniston, England, was Mrs. Carrie Edelstein. She was a widow, resided in New York, and was a sister-in-law of J. M. Edelstein, a manufacturer of Harrington, England.

FERDINAND VAN HOCHSTETTERS, the German geologist, is dead.

THE French Government has decorated Dr. Koch with the Cross of the Legion of Honor in recognition of his researches as to the source and spread of cholera.

WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Washington correspondent of the Chicago *Inter Ocean*, has been appointed by the President secretary of the commission to enquire into the commercial relations between the United States and the countries of Central and South America with a view of extending our commerce in that direction.

GENERAL GRANT is residing at Long Branch. He is still lame and will be unable to attend the National Encampment of the Grand Army at Minneapolis.

MISS CLARA BARTON, President, and Mr. A. S. Solomons, Vice President of the American Association of the Red Cross, have been appointed by President Arthur delegates to represent the United States at the Geneva Conference of the International Association, September next.

FOREIGN.

A TERRIFIC storm at Almeda, Portugal, on the 18th damaged the crops to the amount of $100,000.

A PANAMA dispatch states that much sickness prevails there. In one hospital there are over a dozen cases of yellow fever and a hundred of dysentery.

THE Prince of Wales has presented Captain James B. Eads, the well known American engineer, with the Albert medal of the Society of Arts for 1884.

TWENTY-FIVE thousand dollars has been subscribed for the monument to Mozart. The committee on design invite foreigners to compete.

CATTLE shippers at Montreal fearing the introduction of foot and mouth disease from the Western States, where it is said to exist, have asked the authorities to establish a rigid inspection of cattle at the international boundary.

THE financial commission appointed by the Egyptian conference voted unanimously, with the exception of England, to reject the plan for the reduction of the Egyptian land tax and the interest on Egyptian debts.

THE bark Vicksburg, from Quebec for Leith, was wrecked recently near Peutland Skerries. Nine lives were lost.

L. A. ANGELHART, a prominent London merchant, has failed. Liabilities $270,000.

HALF the town of Dulka, Galicia, was destroyed by a fire recently, which originated in a naptha factory.

A RUSSIAN military train on the Baku Railway was attacked lately by Persian robbers, who killed the Cossack guards and wounded the commander.

IT is reported from Tangiers that a French comedy troupe, traveling through Algiers, was massacred near the Morocco frontier.

A DISPATCH from Ottawa, Canada, says there is no truth in the statement purporting to come from Washington that paper and rags supposed to be collected in cholera infected districts of Europe are being imported into the United States through Canadian ports.

THE cholera victims at Marseilles for the twenty-four hours ended at six p. m. of the 20th numbered fifty-seven; and during the same time forty-six deaths were reported at Toulon, and one hundred and seventy cases were recorded at the hospitals. Three fatal cases were reported at Paris. The officials at Marseilles were panic-stricken because of their failure to check the spread of the disease and were fleeing. At Toulon the shopkeepers were closing their establishments and the flight of the residents is universal. The men stationed at the arsenal were leaving. The Ministers of the Interior, Commerce and Public Works, on a tour of inspection of the cholera-infested cities, have returned to Paris. They state that the adoption of sanitary measures is imperative, and that 200,000 francs would be inadequate for relief measures.

THE Scott temperance act was carried by twelve hundred majority in the County of Arthabasca, Canada.

LATER.

A DESTRUCTIVE wind, rain and hail storm swept through Southeastern Dakota, Nebraska and Minnesota on the 21st, doing an immense amount of damage to crops and demolishing many buildings. At Dell Rapids, Dakota, there was great destruction by wind and hail. The Congregational Church and many other buildings were wrecked. Farmers in the vicinity of Sioux Falls estimate the damage to corn at three per cent. Fifteen structures at Sioux City were destroyed, and not a dwelling but is somewhat racked, Merrick, Ball and Hampton counties, Nebraska, suffered severely, and much have was created in the vicinity of Beaver Creek, Minn.

THE southern part of San Joaquin Valley, California, was visited by a terrible conflagration on the 20th. The fire started at ten a. m. in a wheat field. The alarm was instantly telegraphed and telephoned to all available points and two thousand men from different sections rushed to the rescue. The old fashioned prairie way of fighting fire with fire was resorted to and after a desperate struggle of six hours the fire was controlled. Six thousand acres of grain and several large dwellings were destroyed. The total losses are estimated at $150,000; insurance $35,000.

SUITS were brought against four hundred and two saloon-keepers at Cincinnati on the 21st for $100 or $200 each according to the kind of liquor sold. The action was brought on account of failure to pay for the annual license under the Scott law.

THE total number of deaths from cholera at Marseilles since the commencement of the epidemic is 874.

ABOUT 2,000 bricklayers, 3,000 laborers and 200 hod hoisting engineers and framers at New York struck on the 21st because the employers refused to grant the demand that nine hours shall constitute a day's work. Some of the employers have since yielded to the demand, and the strikers feel confident of success.

THE stables of Peck & Bishop, local expressmen at New Haven, Conn., burned on the 21st. Only nine of the forty-eight horses and mules in the building were saved.

SIX dwellings and one million feet of lumber in Corcoran, Richards & Co.'s lumber yard, at Duboistown, Pa., was destroyed by fire on the 21st. Loss about $50,000.

THOMAS STEVENS, who is making a journey over the continent on a bicycle, passed through Cleveland, O., on the 20th. He left San Francisco on April 22, and expects to reach New York about August 1. He will then sail for Liverpool and after reaching the continent of Europe will resume his journey on the tandem wheels, expecting to arrive in Constantinople next September.

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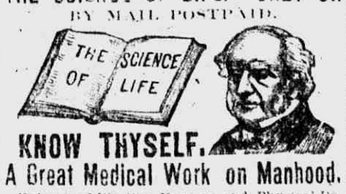

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ESTATE OF MARIA BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday the 10th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert L. Brewer and Charles J. Brewer, sons of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to said Charles J. Brewer or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. July7

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant.

vs.

Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 30th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier; thence northeasterly along the center line of said road to enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land, will contain one acre; thence south to the place of beginning, being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. R. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. jun12

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, Minors.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, on the 25th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2-6) of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale, cash.

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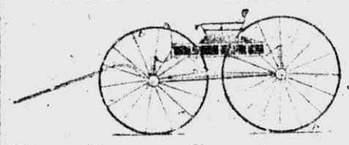

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 24, 1884.

State politics are warming up now. The State Conventions will soon be held.

Gov. Cleveland is an expert fisherman. He can test his skill this fall in angling for big fish.

Thomas Nast, with his big blue pencil, is putting in some telling strokes for the reform Governor.

Gen. Logan's letter is also lengthy, but it seems to attract but little attention from either friend or foe.

The Philadelphia Times suggests that Blaine's letter of acceptance is a stray chapter from his new book.

Grover Cleveland is such a handsome man that the ladies are all wondering why he should be a bachelor.

The next and last national convention will be held this week at Pittsburg, when the prohibitionists will put a ticket in the field.

Political prophets who aught to take the Union party into account, will be obliged to revise their figures before the campaign closes.

There are twenty two letters in Cleveland's full name—Stephen Grover Cleveland—and he will be the twenty-second President of the United States.

Ben Butler is ominously silent. Report says that he has concluded to run, and if he does, it will add very materially to the spice and uncertainty of the campaign.

The Republican nomination for Governor seems to rest between Gen. Alger of Detroit and farmer Luce of Branch Co. Either would make good candidates, but our prophecy is that Luce will get left.

The outlook for a fusion on the State ticket this fall is not encouraging. Perhaps those Democratic editors who have been abusing and slandering Gov. Begole, have some good reason for it, but it would require the aid of a powerful microscope for an ordinary man to detect it.

Boiting is quite fashionable this year. Wm. Purcell of Rochester, declines to support Cleveland and withdraws from the Democratic electoral ticket in New York. Geo. W. Flagg, Secretary of the Massachusetts Republican Committee resigns because he cannot support Blaine.

The Detroit Times hopes that the platform to be promulgated by the prohibitionists this week will not be so long as to take half a day to read it, nor so ambiguous that no one can tell with certainty what it means. The prohibitionists can be depended upon to say what they mean in plain terms touching the issue that interests them most. On other issues, who can throw stones at them if they imitate the older parties and either dodge or straddle?

As Mr. Blaine seems to be apt at figures, the New York Herald propounds this problem for him to solve: Since 1866 Congress has appropriated for the navy, to be used in addition to amounts received from the sale of old materials, over $385,000,000. Between the years 1791 and 1860 the total appropriations were $336,000,000, or nearly $50,000,000 less than those for the last eighteen years. Between 1791 and 1860 we had a navy sufficient for all needs. Where is the navy now? What has become of the money appropriated to build one?

Blaine's letter of acceptance has appeared, and will be entirely acceptable to his political friends. It is a straight forward manly document, such as might have been expected from a man of his ability and political experience. It reads more like a state paper than a letter of acceptance and is chiefly devoted to a labored argument in favor of a high protective tariff. People who believe in a high tariff will find the letter not only interesting but agreeable reading. The letter however is not calculated to win over Democrats or to mollify disaffected Republicans. It leaves the political situation practically the same as before.

WIND, RAIN AND HAIL.

A Disastrous Storm Works Great Damage to Crops in Dakota and Elsewhere.

SIOUX FALLS, D. T., July 22.—Southeastern Dakota last evening was visited by a destructive wind storm, accompanied by heavy rain and in some places hail. The farthest point northwest from which news comes is Carthage, near Iroquois, where a strip of five miles wide was cut by hail. At Dell Rapids, twenty miles north, there was great destruction by wind and hail. The lower story of Crossman Brothers' store spread and let the top story, occupied by the Odd Fellows' Hall, telescope down into it. Other stores were damaged. Two warehouses near the depot, just rebuilt after a recent fire, were blown down. The Congressional Church and schoolhouse were demolished, the spire of the Presbyterian Church blown off, John Paul's lumber yard scattered and a number of dwellings destroyed. Crops are badly cut by hail. Telegraph lines are down. At Stoloff, fourteen miles north, C. E. Bert's store was blown down and the goods scattered over the prairie. Loss, $3,000. At Sioux Falls no hail fell, but the wind did damage to the extent of $2,000. Crops were blown down considerably, but not permanently injured. The greatest damage is to corn; farmers estimate the loss thereon at three per cent. The Valley Spring flax mill of H. C. Gerre was destroyed, also a roller skating rink. A school house was unroofed and the fronts of several business places blown in. Fifteen structures were destroyed, and not a dwelling but is somewhat racked. Lumber stocks were scattered in all directions and Griffith Rogers living two miles north had his house and barn blown down and two children injured, but not dangerously. At Beaver Creek, Minn., some damage was done to grain, houses, barns, windmills, etc. The Norwegian Church ten miles south of Beaver Creek was blown down. A man and a boy were somewhat injured. At Luverne, Minn., a grain warehouse was destroyed. A large livery stable was blown down; twenty-five horses escaped uninjured. A railroad graders' camp was swept away.

OMAHA, Neb., July 22.—A terrific wind and rain storm prevailed here last night and extended throughout the interior of the State. Reports from Merrick, Ball and Hamilton counties show much loss of property and damage to crops. At Grand Island the roof of one of the largest shops of the Union Pacific Railroad Company was blown off. For two miles around Central City small grain was beaten flat to the ground. Hailstones fell as large as walnuts.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 22.—About midnight last night the heaviest rain storm of the season began. Many basements are flooded and foundations weakened. All streams are much swollen. The wind blew a gale, breaking trees and overturning houses. Small grain has been seriously damaged.

National Prohibition Convention.

PITTSBURGH, July 22.—Arrangements are about completed for the National Convention of the Prohibition and Home Protection party, which meets here to-morrow. Lafayette Hall is being thoroughly overhauled, and when the decorations are finished will present an attractive appearance. Not more than a dozen delegates have arrived, but within the next twenty-four hours it is expected all will be on the ground. The Baltimore delegation will be the first to arrive and be met at the depot by a band and a reception will be given. Gideon F. Stewart, Governor St. John and Dr. R. H. McDonald are the most prominent ones spoken of for the presidental nomination, the latter being urged quite strongly. It is said if nominated he will head the campaign fund with a subscription of a million dollars and even if defeated for the nomination will contribute liberally. Frank McDonald, a son, has arrived and is in charge of his father's canvass.

McCaffrey Beats Stewart.

BOSTON, July 22.—The announcement that Dominick McCaffrey, of Pittsburgh, and Jack Stewart, the champion of Canada, would fight four three-minute rounds at the Windsor Theater last night, comfortably filled the place. As soon as the men met McCaffrey feinted with his left hand and then put in a straight right-hander, which knocked Stewart down. Hardly had he regained his feet, when McCaffrey showered such a number of blows upon his face, head and body that he ran from the stage, followed closely by McCaffrey, who finally fought him to a standstill in just forty-five seconds. Stewart dropped his hands and McCaffery was declared the winner. McCaffery then challenged anybody in the world, Sullivan barred, and Kilrain preferred, to fight for any part of $1,000.

The Rescued Explorers.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., July 22.—The collier of the Greely relief expedition, the Lochgarry, left yesterday afternoon for New York. She takes the mail of the expedition and of the Greely survivors. Greely's strength is steedily increasing. He continues to be fed and banquetted by leading citizens of St. Johns. Frederick, Connell, Long, Brainard and Beederbeck are progressing amazingly. The Alert will be dispatched forty eight hours in advance of the Thetis and the Bear, so that the squadron may reach New York simultaneously.

A Peaceable Man Shot.

DANVILLE, Ky., July 22.—President Sexton sixty-eight years old, was shot Sunday night near Junction City, and fatally wounded. A party of four men are suspected of the shooting, but no cause is assigned for the deed, as Sexton was a quiet and peaceable man.

Organizing a Linseed Oil Pool.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 22.—It is stated here that a linseed oil pool, embracing the mills of St. Louis, Omaha, Burlington, Ottumwa and other country points, was formed at a meeting of representatives at Lake Minnetonka, Minn., a few days ago.

First Message Over the New Cable.

BOSTON, Mass., July 22.—A dispatch from Rockport says: The first message over the Bennett-Mackey cable was received here last night. It was to J. W. Mackey, from his children, Willie and Carrie, in Paris.

Fatally Injured by Burning Oil.

URBANA, O., July 22.—A young son of Rev. John Dickerson attempted to fill a lamp with oil Sunday night. The oil ignited and burnt the boy so badly that the attending physician pronounced his injuries fatal.

—Never walk into a parlor at a reception and put your feet on the mantelpiece. It will cause the blood to run to your head.—*N. O. Item*

NINE HOURS.

Over 5,000 Men in New York on a Strike for a Reduction of the Hours of Labor.

NEW YORK, July 22.—About 2,000 bricklayers, 3,000 laborers and 200 hod hoisting engineers and framers struck work yesterday morning because their employers refused to grant the demands that nine hours shall constitute a day's work, insead of ten. The employers who denied the request say they can get other men to take the places, and whether they can or not it will be but a few days when the men will be willing to return under the old terms. Business men who have granted nine hours think the others foolish as they will have to yield in the end. As soon as the men struck they reported at the headquarters of their respective unions. About thirty-five employers allowed the men to go to work on their own terms. Hugh McMahon, who has charge of the erection of the new Cotton Exchange, says: "The building trade is very lively. I do not think the boss builders can afford to have the men go on a strike for any length of time without suffering great loss. Nearly all the large builders will grant the demand."

The strikers claim that they can stand it longer than the employers and will hold out six months.

It is reported that on many of the jobs the men were not out ten minutes before they were told to go to work again. A large number of bosses held out until noon and then yielded, thus leaving not over two thousand men on a strike.

A Negro Naturalized.

WILMINGTON, Del., July 21.—In the United States Court this morning Moses Thomas, forty years of age, a jet-black native of the British dependency of Sierra Leone, on the western coast of Africa, appeared and took the oath of American citizenship. Moses is believed to be the first negro naturalized in Delaware. He was neatly dressed and had an intelligent look, but was unable to write when called upon to sign his name. There are three or four distinct lines tattooed on each of his cheeks, the "tootum" of his tribe. Moses has been in this country nine years, having come here as a sailor. He took out his intention papers two years ago and thought he could vote on them, but upon attempting to do so was challenged.

A Monument for Webb.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., July 21.—The widow of Captain Webb, the English swimmer who lost his life a year ago in an attempt to swim the Niagara River rapids, has purchased a granite monument eight feet in height, which will be placed in Oakwood Cemetery, Niagara Falls, over the remains of her husband. The monument is exceedingly well proportioned, and the cap bears the Masonic emblem "G." On the die is the inscription: "Captain Matthew Webb. Born January 19, 1848. Died July 24, 1883." Mrs. Webb, who is employed at the art gallery beside the rapids where the daring swimmer lost his life, was assisted in procuring this monument by several citizens of Niagara Falls.

A Clean Bill of Health.

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 21.—The Costa Rica steamship Heridia arrived yesterday morning from Central American ports bringing documentary evidence of the non-existence of any kind of epidemic or contagious disease in the seaports of Costa Rica and Nicaragua, and that there has been no case of yellow-fever at Port Limon in the memory of the oldest physician a Bluefields in Nicaragua. On production of this evidence and a clean bill of health the quarantine rules were suspended and the Heridia passed up to this city after four hours delay.

An Old Veteran Suicides.

WOOSTER, O., July 21.—John Duffy, an old veteran of the One Hundred and Second O. V. I., suicided yesterday by hanging at the County Infirmary. Some time ago he lost his wife and soon became slightly deranged, being taken to the Infirmary about two weeks ago. He has been melancholy for several days, but was not considered seriously deranged. He slipped off to the infirmary barn, procured a heavy rope and ended his existence. Being missed a search was at once instituted, resulting in discovering the dead body of the man suspended by the neck from a beam. Deceased was about seventy years of age.

A Collectorship Resigned.

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 21.—George Fury, Collector of Internal Revenue for this State, Saturday tendered his resignation to the President. He is said to desire to be free to make an active political campaign in the Third Congressional District, where the sitting member, Kellogg, has been thrown overboard by the negroes under the lead of Martinet, of Iberia, who himself claims the nomination. Drury has been Kellogg's faithful friend heretofore, and it is presumed if he can save the nomination for him he will do so.

Bottle-Blowers Adjourn.

PITTSBURGH, July 21.—The green glass bottle-blowers' National Convention, which has been in session all the week, adjourned sine die Saturday. William Smith was elected President; James Stroper, Vice President; Fred Munn, Secretary; Benjamin Rubrecht, Treasurer. None of the proceedings of the convention have been made public.

Congressional Convention.

OAK HARBOR, July 22.—At a meeting of the Congressional committee for this district in this place yesterday, Oak Harbor was fixed as the place of holding the convention and Wednesday, August 20, the day. The apportionment of delegates will be as follows: Lucas 78, Ottawa 27, Sandusky 38, Erie 41.

Shot Without Cause.

DANVILLE, Ky., July 22.—Preston Sexton, sixty-eight years old, was shot Sunday night near Junction City, and fatally wounded. A party of four men are suspected of the shooting, but no cause is assigned for the deed. Sexton is a quiet, peaceful man.

Prohibitionists

BALTIMORE, Md., July 22.—The Maryland delegation of sixteen gentlemen, with William Daniels, President of the State Temperance Alliance, left Saturday morning to attend the National Prohibition Convention at Pittsburgh. The delegation comprises Republicans and Democrats.

Drowned at Lake Lucerne.

BERNE, July 21.—Four boats capsized in a storm on Lake Lucerne and ten people were drowned, some of them foreigners.

General Logan's Letter.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—General Logan's latter of acceptance will be published Wednesday morning. It has been mailed to the press.

Advantages of Mixed Farming.

Success in farming consists in knowing how to conduct a farm in the most intelligent manner. In the virgin soil of the West less knowledge is required, as the land is more uniform in its character, and is in condition for successful cultivation without the necessity of enriching it for the time being. The Western farmer has, therefore, a certain advantage over the farmer of the older States, where the original fertility of the soil has been exhausted. Yet the latter may be, and often is, the more successful cultivator of the two, owing to the diversified character of the soil, which by proper management, can be made to yield a greater profit than that of the West. This is done by mixed farming.

The advantages of this system are many, but they are far from being as well understood as they ought to be. They are based chiefly upon the variety of soil, of which we have the upland clays and alluvial loams of the valleys, besides calcareous and sandy soils and reclaimed peat lands. It will be seen that there is a great contrast between the clays and the peat lands, with considerable intermediate variety, each kind of soil requiring for its fullest development a different treatment and crops peculiarly adapted to it. With the land in good condition, under drained where needed, deeply and well cultivated, and rich enough to grow full crops, wheat will do best on clay, corn on the alluvial soil of the valleys, and rye and potatoes on the lighter soil, while barley and oats may be grown successfully on almost all, and best on the strong alluvial and clay loams. The pea will thrive here also, but it seems to do better on limestone soil.

As to the grasses, timothy (Phleum pratense) and red top (Agrostis vulgaris) succeed best in clay, as they require land somewhat moist, and should hence never be put on light sandy soil. Blue grass (Poa pratensis) is noted for its great growth on the rich calcareous loams of the West, but will do well on any deep, rich soil not too dry. So will orchard grass (Dactylos glomerata), doing better than blue grass on sandy soil liberally enriched from the barnyard. Red clover will grow on any good soil well prepared. This is fortunate, as each variety of soil may then be improved by it, and it affords a superior feed.

One of the principal advantages of mixed farming is the keeping of stock, in which the dairy takes the lead. Profitable returns are realized at once, and at the same time the productiveness of the land is increased by the manure that is made, while the keeping of sheep on the broken and less accessible land affords a further profitable income on the investment difficult to be realized in any other way.

Where mixed farming is practiced each part is conducted on a reduced scale, which affords a chance for doing the work well and in good time, and with less interruption from unfavorable weather. The spring grains as well as clover and grass seed may thus be got in earlier, a point of great importance. This gives a chance for planting corn and early potatoes, followed by the preparation of land for buckwheat and soiling crops, the lessened work of each allowing all to be done in sufficient time to begin the most important work of the farm—the harvesting of the hay crop. Where much hay is to be made, as where the dairy is extended, there is always more or less hay spoiled by wet weather, sometimes the greater part of the crop being all but ruined, while the last that is harvested is of little nutritive value from over-ripeness. Hence the importance of getting the crop soon gathered, which the reduced quantity in mixed culture favors. Time is also afforded for attending to the corn crop and other hoed crops. Then come the grains, each of which is taken care of in its turn, and all are harvested in good time for other late summer and early fall work. The number of cows in the dairy being reduced a chance is offered for securing better animals and taking better care of them, whereby the yield of milk is increased and the profit on it. So, too, with sheep. Where the flock is reduced there will be less crowding and better attention can be given, which results in a better quality of wool, and more and larger lambs.

By his mixed system, the Eastern farmer seldom, if ever, fails to secure for at least some of his products a good price, and in the best market in the country. If a drought occur in the latter part of the season he has his early crops that escape it. If his winter grain is hurt, his spring grain may escape, and vice versa. He has the advantage of securing a high price for his barley when not enough is sown to supply the brewer, and if there is an overabundant yield he has it to feed instead of other grain that may command a proportionately higher price. If a cool season affects his corn, it benefits his potatoes. If his corn and late potatoes are hurt by drought late in the season, the early products, like barley and peas, and early potatoes, may be depended on.

Another advantage is the distribution of the work throughout the year. Less hired help is required. One good hand, with the owner, if he is also a good worker, will do about all that is required on an ordinary Eastern farm, with the aid, of course, of implements and machines, a full complement of which can thus be profitably employed.

The chance afforded to turn down sod is one of the chief advantages of mixed farming. By this process the ground is enriched, and a means afforded for improving the land that has been in grain, and is more or less exhausted. As our droughty seasons here allow only a few years to grass, and the same time to grain, there is not that exhaustion of the soil as where grain is made a specialty, hence the land is improved and continues to improve in texture and fertility. Weeds are also better kept down by variety in farming.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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Morenci will have a Music School during the month of August.

A. A. Kennedy of Battle Creek, is in town a day or two on business.

Green apples and the Asiatic cholera are approaching in parallel lines.

We are informed that the excursion, heretofore announced for next Sunday, over the M. & O. has been withdrawn. There will be no excursion train on that day.

Misses Anna Coe and Addie Kelly, of Wauseon, Ohio, were visiting friends in Tecumseh last Tuesday. They are spending the summer at their cottage at Devil's Lake.

The Union Club will hold a business meeting next Friday evening, in Heesen's Hall. After the transaction of the business, D. W. Loree of Ridgeway, will address the audience on the temperance issues of the day. Everybody is invited.

BASE BALL.

Last Thursday's game of ball was a walkaway for the home club, The Franklin's of Detroit came here with the intention of "doing us up" in short order but got left by a score of 10 to 1. Kelly and Faatz did all the work for the Tecumseh's, the fielders hardly getting a chance to touch the ball during the game. The Franklins failed to hit Kelly but for only one base hit.

FRANKLINS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Stokes, 1b	4	0	1	1	11	1	4
Kennedy, 2b	4	1	1	2	0	1	2
C. Stridiron, l.f.	4	0	1	1	2	0	0
Moynahan, r.f.	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
Fury, ss	3	0	0	0	1	3	3
J. Stridiron, 2b	2	0	0	0	6	3	1
Gunn, c	3	0	0	0	5	2	0
Considine, c.f.	3	0	1	1	0	1	0
McInerney, s.s.	3	0	0	0	2	3	1
Totals	29	1	5	6	27	14	11

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	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Kelley, p	5	1	2	2	0	4	1
Bostwick, 2b	5	0	1	1	3	0	0
Heidenrich, s.s.	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
Faatz, c	5	1	0	0	15	4	0
Freeman, 1b	5	2	0	0	8	0	0
McKinney, r.f.	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
Geo. Bostwick, c.f.	3	2	1	2	1	0	0
Anderson, l.f.	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
Blair, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	10	6	7	27	8	1

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Franklins	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—01
Tecumseh	3	1	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	—10

Earned runs, Franklins 1, Tecumseh 2. Struck out, Tecumseh 2, Franklins 14. Flies caught, Tecumseh 3, Franklins 7. Left on bases, C. Stridiron, F. Bostwick, Heidenrich, Freeman, G. Bostwick, Blair. Two-base hits, G. Bostwick, Kennedy. Umpire, W. W. Frazer.

A good crowd, including the Tecumseh nine went to Detroit, to play the Cass Club yesterday. The mercury was up in the nineties still the boys had a pleasant trip. The game itself was won by the Tecumseh's in a score of 13 to 10, but it was not well played on either side. It was one of the poorest games played by our club this season. Below is the score:

TECUMSEH.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Kelley, p	5	2	1	1	3	3	6
F. Bostwick, 2b	5	2	4	5	5	2	2
Heidenrich, 3b	5	1	2	2	0	0	1
Faatz, c	5	3	1	2	6	2	1
Chapman, s.s.	4	1	1	1	2	6	3
Freeman, 1b	4	1	1	1	10	3	3
McKinney, r.f.	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Anderson, l.f.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
G. Bostwick, c.f.	4	2	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	40	13	11	13	27	16	17

CASS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Adams, p	5	2	1	1	3	2	2
Buckenberger, 2b	5	3	0	0	4	3	0
Howard, 1b	5	2	1	1	8	1	2
Gainey, c	5	1	2	2	5	2	3
Pelouze, l.f.	4	0	1	1	1	0	0
Hanrahan, c.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Miller, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	1	2
Robinson, s.s.	4	1	1	2	0	4	0
Sindley, r.f.	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	39	10	7	8	24	13	11

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tecumseh	8	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	*	—13
Cass	2	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	—10

Struck out, Tecumseh 1, Cass 3. Passed balls, Tecumseh 3, Cass 2. Two-base hits, F. Bostwick, Faatz, Robinson. Umpire, W. W. Frazer.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 24, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Billy Eccles' new Mustang pony is quite a flyer.

Blissfield has had but one game of base ball this season.

Tecumseh was literally overrun last Saturday evening.

To-morrow's game of base ball promises to be one of the best of the season.

Heck Bros. ground their first flour from this year's wheat on Friday last.

The thermometer marked 94° in the shade in Tecumseh last Tuesday afternoon.

Masons, remember the next regular meeting takes place on Friday evening, Aug. 1.

The County Teachers institute will begin on the 4th of August and continue two weeks.

Mrs. E. G. J. Leaur and daughter, of Monroe, are the guests of Mrs. H. Smith for a few days.

Comfort took in some new wheat last Saturday which weighed 65 pounds to the bushel.

Dr. Hause is canvassing Tecumseh for Cram's Family Atlas of the World, and is getting lots of subscribers.

The 18th annual reunion of the 11th Michigan infantry will be held at Coldwater, Friday, Aug. 22, 1884.

Lieut. Fred Kisingbury who died of starvation in Greeley's Artic Expedition was an old friend of Mrs. Gus Slayton.

Mrs. C. W. Goodrich and daughter Maude, of Coldwater, are spending a few days in Tecumseh as the guest of Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

Mr. J. Cordley, of Jackson, piano tuner, will be in Tecumseh in a few days, when people wishing their pianos tuned can secure his services.

James McCowen went up to Sand Lake on a "pleasure exertion" Tuesday morning and without doubt he is having gay times at this writing.

C. A. Dunbar, traveling agent for the Post and Tribune favored us with a call last Monday. That paper has lately taken a new business manager, who intends to push the paper with a view to increasing its circulation and influence.

J. C. Bridgeman of the firm of Wardwell & Co., Toledo, accompanied by wife and children, have been taking a trip through Northern Lenawee and stopped a short time at Tecumseh on Saturday last, giving the HERALD office a call.

Rudolph Heesen, who fills a clerkship with McIntosh, Good & Huntington wholesale hardware dealers of Cleveland Ohio, is at home enjoying a two weeks vacation. We are glad to learn that he is doing well. He is looking well, at all events.

The next regular of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 39, F. & A. M., will be held on Friday evening, Aug. 1st. Work in the third degree. Visiting bretheren are expected from neighboring lodges, refreshments will be served and a general good time indulged in.

The Sons of Industry, of Dundee, will run an excursion to Devil's Lake on Wednesday, July 30. Train will leave Tecumseh station, M. & O., at 7:50 A. M. Fare for round trip $1.00, which will include a steamboat ride and use of the grounds for the day.

A. H. French, traveller for J. C. Ayer & Co., of Lowell Mass., was in town Monday. His firm is one of the strongest proprietary medicine firms in this country, and their trade, Mr. French says, is constantly increasing. They believe in the liberal use of printers' ink.

Miss Addie Hicks, daughter of Wm. P. Hicks who formely lived at Newberg, is the guest of Henry H. Keyser for a few days. Mr. Hicks owns a large farm thirty five miles from Portland Oregon, and also owns some city property in Portland. The family are all delighted with their western home.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the Raisin Valley Reunion Association will be held at the Seminary on the 8th of August, 1884. The literary exercises commence promptly at three o'clock P. M. The business meeting immediately follows the exercises, after which a picnic dinner will be held in the grove. Address by Aaron Taylor. Poem by Miss Minnie Westgate.

An "After Harvest Excursion" will run over the Branch from Jackson to Detroit on Tuesday, Aug. 5th '84. The Buffalo and Detroit Clubs will play on that day, which attraction of itself ought to draw a good crowd. A special train will run both ways, passing Tecumseh at 6:50 A. M. Fare for the round trip only $1.25. Further particulars next week.

Deacon O. S. Stevens of Memphis, Mich., died at his home on Monday evening last at the advanced age of eighty-seven years. Henry Stevens went to Memphis on Monday and returned Tuesday night with the remains. The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at two o'clock and the remains were then conveyed to Clinton and deposited in the Clinton cemetery.

The rain has come at last.

The Lenawee and Hillsdale Farmers' Union hold a picnic meeting at Beardsell's Landing, Devil's lake, Aug. 7th.

Geo. Eddy, wife and family of Iowa, are visiting at his father's, Crowell Eddy's, in Franklin. They will remain in the vicinity about four weeks.

The generous hearted people of Clinton raised $600 for Mrs. Broadbent the widow of the unfortunate man who was killed there on the Fourth of July.

Ed Leaur, of Monroe, could not withstand the temptation, so he is added to the population of Tecumseh and takes his meals at Mr. Henry Smith's.

H. W. Conkling and wife returned from their western trip last Thursday July 17. They had a very enjoyable trip, and return with a new lease of good health.

Fin Deuel, foreman of the Sparta Sentinel, passed Sunday last at his home in this village, but was so very busy with his "best girl" that he did not give us a call.

The friends of Cleveland & Reform are invited to attend a meeting at the Council Building to-morrow evening for the purpose of organizing a Cleveland & Hendricks club.

The Corn City Unions of Toledo will play our club on the Tecumseh grounds to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock. Usual price of admission. Look out for a crack game.

New wheat is already coming into the market, and is of excellent quality. The yield is better than was generally anticipated. Straw is light, but the heads are well filled.

Ira Waterman, Dr. A. M. Stevenson and Judge Stacy have been appointed by Congressman Eldredge as a board of examiners of young men for West Point which meets at Adrian on the 30th.

Misses Lula and Manie Monaghan were in town last week a few days. Lula has been teaching at Lyons, Ohio for the past term, and Manie has filled a grammar position in the Lake Linden schools for a year.

Gainsley & Co. have a three column card in to-day's paper announcing their annual clearing sale. This enterprising firm are always in the front rank and bargains can always be found at their counters.

An exchange says, if farmers would feed their sheep a good allowance of sulphur during the present hot weather, while the flies are bad, by mixing it with their salt in about equal parts, and give them all they will eat, it will prevent grub in the head. No charge for this prescription. The old settlers of Michigan can testify to the medicinal qualities of sulphur for other things.

The Veteran, published at Lansing, Michigan, announces that after Aug. 1, it will be published weekly, instead of semi-monthly as heretofore, while its subscription price will remain at $1.00 per year. THE VETERAN, as a paper earnestly devoted to the interests of the boys of '61 to '65, and their heirs, is a grand success, and every old soldier should take it. Address, The Veteran Publishing Company, Lansing, Mich.

We are in receipt of a wedding card announcing the marriage of Mr. Lavern Ide and Miss Katie Drew on the 17th inst. The groom will please accept the good wishes of all the HERALD office boys from oldest to youngest. The lessons he received in the HERALD sanctum are already bearing good fruit. Although unaquainted with the bride, we are glad to be enrolled among the friends of the bridal pair. Happiness to them and theirs.

Last Thursday evening Mrs. H. C. Matthews was married to Mr. Frank J. Loomis at the bride's residence in this village. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Phelps in the presence of a goodly company of friends and acquaintances. The groom resides in Auburn N. Y. where the bride will reside in the future. Mrs. Matthews has a large circle of friends in Tecumseh who extend their hearty congratulations with regrets for her departure.

The supporters of Cleveland & Hendricks held a ratification in this village last Saturday evening. The Clinton band discoursed good music and surprised the crowd with the excellence of their playing. A stand was erected on the corner near Kinney's furniture store to accommodate the officers and others. Wm. Hayden was called to preside and after a few enthusiastic remarks he introduced the first speaker of the evening, Mr. J. L. O'Mealy, of Adrian. Mr. O'Mealy made a fine speech of half an hour's length which pleased the audience and showed that the Democratic Irishmen are for Cleveland & Hendricks. He was followed by Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury in a vigorous speech, which presented a stubborn array of facts in favor of the people's candidates. The crowd was large, attentive and enthusiastic, and the meeting can be set down as an unqualified success. The Tecumseh Democrats have opened the campaign most auspiciously.

HERE AND THERE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN

BY ARTHUR.

A ride by steamboat is always a treat when one is in want of rest and quiet enjoyment. Even on our beautiful Baw Beese near Hillsdale, or Greenwood lake in Lenawee county, a ride in a miniature steamer affords its pleasures to many. The cool breeze that fans the cheek speaks in its own language of tranquil comfort; the shining sun sends its bright beams down to silver the crests of the rippling waves that play about you; in its setting, it paves a long path across the water and gilds it and sets here and there a sparkling diamond drop; the shores that draw near and then recede, seem like a glimpse of life, future, present, and past; the panting of the engine, like the throbbing of the heart, is indicative of the truth that when it ceases the changing scenes on our life shore will cease their seeming motion and the journey's end draw near; the whistle, so clearly sounding, will ring out like the exultant shout of a victor returning from battle. In every change can be found a simile.

An excursion on the St. Mary's river furnishes ample scope for viewing the variety and completeness of nature's grandeur and loveliness. Going from Sault St. Marie toward Mackinaw, the first object of interest which the eye sees is the picturesque old village of St. Mary. It is situated about one mile below the "Soo" (the familiar name of Sault St. Marie) and on the opposite side of the river. Its historical value is only ordinary, but its attractiveness is more marked than its neighbor across the river. Instead of the gloomy sameness of buildings and bare ground of the "Soo," the residences of St. Mary are almost hidden by foliage of the shrubs and trees. Through this dense growth the church spires penetrate, with here and there a partial view of a building. Back of the village is a range of tree covered hills, forming a back ground to the view and completing an already pretty sight. There is nothing grand in this view; but in the calm twilight of a summer evening with this scene before you, one can almost see what Gray has depicted in the first four verses of the elegy.

But we will go on with the journey down the river. On our left is the same expanse of forest that flanks St. Mary. At the right is a long stretch of cultivated land, dotted here and there by houses and barns. About an hour's ride brings us to Sugar Island, noted as being the best fruit producing region in this northern country. It is owned and cultivated by Canadian farmers. It has no other attractions. Soon Lake St. George, an expansion of the St. Mary's, is reached and here we may behold much of nature's rugged grandeur and beauty. Upon the Canada shore, great bluffs rise from the water's edge. A sparce collection of hemlocks cling to the steep face of the bluffs, and at a distance appear like patches of small shrubbery; but going nearer they prove to be equal in height to the largest trees of Southern Mich. Estimating the average height of the trees to be about ninety feet, the crest of the bluffs cannot be less than four hundred feet above the surface of the water. Near the mouth of the Pine river, can be seen the finest landscape picture along the river. Here for a few miles the shore is lined by a neat approach of hills. This verdure-clothed line, beautiful in itself, is broken by the river, which dashing down a declivity here and there flowing tranquilly onward joins the peaceful depths of the St. Mary's. This opening reveals to view another and yet another range. The day I passed this point was variable. Clouds were flying across the sky and a misty fog now and than enveloped all around. For a few moments the mist would be so heavy objects a quarter of a mile away could not be seen distinctly. Then the strong wind would break the expanse of clouds and the sun, struggling to throw its rays through an opening, would light up portions of the scenery and relieve the hitherto dull monotomy of view. Just before reaching the Pine river, the sun was hidden from sight and a dismal mist was drearily falling. Upon the shore, could be dimly seen the uncertain outlines of the landscape. As we reached a point opposite the opening, the sunbeams strained through a rift in the clouds and lighted the river and a part of the area around.

The fog rolled back from the shore and a grand panorama is mapped out before you. The valley of the little river winds its way through line after line of hills and is finally lost to sight in the distance. On either side, the ground rises in long billowy swells and, reaching up at last, to the horizon, seems the calm and peaceful shore line of the turbulent ocean of sky and clouds. Far away the hill-tops are dimly seen through the soft haze, now and then light fleecy clouds intervene. Nearer the magnificent landscape is bathed in a flood of golden light which, sweeping along, dashes its glorious coloring on the landscape, making it glow in intenser beauty. Next a passing cloud throws its shadow on the scene and the bright glow gives way for a more somber shade, and also the shifting curtains of the sky are ever on the move and the scene as often changes.

Viewed at a time when all is sunshine, or when the sky is overcast with clouds, it is ever a sublime picture which once seen can never be described or forgotten.

But we leave the scene spoken of, and the hills have given place on one side to level farming region. On the other can be seen a large area of ground rising from the water's edge and covered with one almost solid rock. Here and there is a seam thro which a scrubby cedar is struggling. With this one exception, not a particle of foliage can be seen on the whole surface, nothing but the dead gray of rock.

Still on we go down the river into Lake Huron, dotted by islands clothed in green, and bearing on its bosom a myriad of vessels; on with the mainland a dim shadow in the distance, on, till late in the afternoon the eastern shores of Mackinac island rise bold and precipitous in the glare of sunlight coming from a cloudless sky. The eastern part of Mackinac is a great bluff, sloping to the surface of the water on the north and ending in a rocky column at the southeast. Viewed from the south, it is different. Next to the dock is a gravelly beach, along which is scattered a line of boats and fishing tackle. In the rear of the beach, is a broad belt of green sward, dotted with residences and summer resorts. Behind and above these is a gravelly terrace, used for a driveway. Back of all and above all is Fort Mackinac, its white walls standing like a vigilant sentinel where it can see, and be seen clearly. Of the attractions of Mackinac Island, a volume would not suffice to describe all.

But soon we leave this place and in a short time we are landed on the dock at Mackinaw city, the northern part of Southern Mich. Here we must wait two hours for the Petoskey train and while the sun is yet above the horizon, we will take a last look toward the places of interest in view. To the north appears St. Ignace, the southern point of the upper peninsula. A little to the east of that is Mackinac, the town and fort in plain view. Farther to the east is Round Island, rising from the surface of the strait like a great bouquet of living green foliage. Beyond Round Island can be seen the forest covered Bois Blanc Island, wild and uncultivated. These combined form a pretty picture in the broad glare of day, but it is when the sun is sinking in the west that it appears in its full effulgence. As twilight draws on the water's become nearly still; the sun goes down leaving a halo on the sky and a golden path on the surface of the water. Everything is then lit up with that lovely color that precedes darkness. Twilight gently draws on and the brightness of day gives way to the soft shading of semi-darkness, That which a short time ago was all aglow with sunlight, is now overhung by a misty veil. The water which was reflecting back the sunbeams, is now a tranquil expanse of light green. The bright sky has taken on a bluish lead color. The island now stands out in dark blue outline between the water and sky. Passing steamers move silently along, leaving long black lines of smoke above and behind. The white walls of the fort, peer indistinctly through the gathering darkness. Dimly through the falling shadows, the point can be seen. The water's move restless to and fro and their gentle murmur touches the ear like the presence of a soothing influence. Their soft splash against the wharf strikes a responsive cord in the undercurrent of unrest and sadness in our being. The stars, shining down so peacefully, seem to gaze on all with a tender loving light. The cool evening breeze fans our brows and its soft caressing touch and zephyr whispers seem to reach all and pervade all with the blessed benediction of peace.

Don't forget that idleness is ruinous to young people. Give your boys and girls plenty to do. It is very easy to run a locomotive when everything is in running order, but after a collision it is quite another thing. Take our advice. Put your boy on the right track and keep it clear. Ten chances to one he will go unhurt until he is twenty-five or thirty; and then—well, you need not break your heart because he breaks his. Accidents will happen, you know, they must come, sooner or later—but later is better. Give him something to do. As for your daughter, as soon as she leaves school her books are thrown aside; and she is expected at once to identify herself with household interests, or to become a lady of fashion, according to circumstances. Better the first than the last; but both are wrong. Give her something to do—something which involves routine. Let her keep up a slender course of study. Give her good books and papers to read. Find her occupation of some kind, or she will soon become restless and uneasy, and ripe for any mischief.

Wake up. Run your town with a vim, or sell out and leave it. Men who are all the time trying to get out of business, or out of town, or out of the country, never build up either. Put some go ahead in business. Run the town for all there is in it. Get up steam and keep it up, or quit the whole thing. Do you want trade? Bid for it. Do you want business men to come to your town, people who come to make it their home? then bury from sight all local differences, all spite. Work no more for a few individuals, but all work for the common prosperity and for mutual benefit. Wake up, rub your eyes and roll up your sleeves and go to work. Don't go to work with fear and trembling, but take it for granted that work will tell. Leave results to themselves and all unite and make the biggest kind of try.—Ex.

Adrian Times: President Horton, of the agricultural society, informs us that surveyors are now at work laying out the race track at the new county fair grounds, and that arrangements are being made for 100,000 feet of lumber with which to begin the erection of the necessary buildings on the grounds. The ground will be in very nice shape by fair time although, of course, all the contemplated improvements will not be completed.

The Lenawee County soldiers and sailors will hold a three days reunion at Devil's Lake Aug. 26, 27, and 28. H. W. Stevens chairman of committee of arrangements has called a meeting of the committee for July 25th at B. F. Graves office in Adrian to make the necessary arrangements.

Morenci Observer: Out of a population of near 10,000, seventy citizens of Adrian attended the annual school meeting of that city last Monday evening, and Morenci, with a population of less than 1,500, was represented by 148 of its citizens at the annual meeting the same evening.

B. L. Baxter of this village is favorably mentioned as candidate for State Senator on the Republican ticket.

Westminster Hall, which now serves as the gateway to the English Parliament, dates back to the reign of William Rufus, in the eleventh century, and since that time it has been the scene of many of the most striking and picturesque events of English history. An American writer, Rev. Treadwell Walden, has accordingly taken "The Great Hall of William Rufus" as the text of a series of pictures of English history, which may almost be said to summarize the political and social development of the mother country in kaleidoscopic fashion. These will appear in four successive numbers of HARPER'S MAGAZINE, and will be richly illustrated, particularly with portraits of the kings and queens of England, from the most authentic sources. For the selection of these portraits, Mr. Geo. Scharf, the director of the National Portrait Gallery at South Kensington, has lent his wide knowledge of historical portraits for the benefit of American as well as English readers. This series in HARPER'S will form a fitting complement to Colonel Higginson's papers on American history, just completed.

Prof. J. W. Cupples of Spring Lake, Ottawa Co., is spending a couple of weeks at the old home with his father, Wm. Cupples. He is Superintendent of the Public Schools at Spring Lake and seems to be giving excellent satisfaction in his chosen calling. His boyhood friends are glad to know of his success.

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WILSON—On the 20th inst., in this village, Agnes, daughter of Rev. G. W. & L. Annette Wilson. Aged ten months and twenty days.

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While he has been acquiring a smattering of many good, but superfluous things, various other young men have been fitting themselves for special kinds of work and have mastered them. It is questionable whether the latter have not chosen better than he, if he needs to work in order to live, and most young men do. He will receive many hard knocks before he is successful, and they will drive from his overstocked head a good deal of the acquired knowledge that is not practically necessary. His dead languages are excellent to have, but they will not earn him his bread and butter. He has various accomplishments, but few of them are of real value in every-day life. He has passed four years as a preface to real life, and at the end of them he finds that he must pass four years more before he can hope to be recognized as the master of any profession.

This young man, gay, confident and happy, thinks, as he steps from the college door, sheep-skin in hand, that he has but to will in order to conquer. The rebuffs that meet him, the disappointments he must undergo, are painful to contemplate. Thousands of young men whom he views from a lofty height, are abler and more successful than he. Their attainments are not so numerous, but they have learned thoroughly the things they know. Life is so short, at its best, that it is worthy of consideration whether they have not acted more wisely than he. They are certainly more successful from a business point of view, and, after all, most men work for money. But their success grates upon his sensitive nerves. He feels for a few years as if he were not sufficiently appreciated. He becomes cynical, and curls his lip as he reflects upon the good fortune of men who have not had his advantages. His acquirements have taught him no philosophy for such a situation. He has met the great enemy, the world, and finds himself thrown, and it gratifies him to think, not that he has deservedly failed, but that the world is a fool, not to say a scoundrel.

However, the young man recovers from this in due season. If the knowledge he won during his college years is of no immediate practical value, it stands by him as he grows older and comforts him in a thousand ways. There is so much to learn that his four years of absorption have furnished him merely with hints; but these hints are valuable, and with his comb properly trimmed and his pretty plumes gone he finds it easy to make them useful. He proposed in the beginning to conquer the world, but he finds after some years of reflection and hard work that one does pretty well if he conquers a bush wherewith to provide shade and shelter. That, however, is the experience of most men, and after all, and regardless of the colleges, the Alexanders, like the poets, are born, not made.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

Tattooing a Fine Art.

"Edwin Thomas, tattooing artist," was the sign that greeted the eyes of a *Tribune* reporter at South street and Old Slip. Two flights up, in a room furnished with a desk and half a dozen chairs, the "artist" was found at work. Three stalwart and sun-browned sailors were lounging about the room. By the window sat Mr. Thomas, holding the hand of a sailor lad, which he was tattooing. A saucer containing India ink, and one containing vermilion, stood on a chair by his side. Into one or the other of these saucers he continually dipped four small needles fastened to a handle, and then pricked away at the back of the boy's hand, on which a belligerent eagle, holding in its talons an American flag, was beginning to appear. The sailor boy and his companions watched the work with interest. "Is the operation painful?" asked the reporter. "Not at all," replied the sailor, and Mr. Thomas, seizing the reporter's hand, pricked the back of it with his needles. The puncture was scarcely felt, but a bright red spot, about the size of the point of a pin, was left.

"Do you do much tattooing?" asked the reporter of the "artist."

"Yes, I have all I can do," was the reply. "I have just returned from Chicago, where I have been tattooing a woman for the show business. She was getting eight dollars a week as a waitress before, and now she gets forty-five dollars a week in a dime museum. I have tattooed tattooed four women who are now in museums, and making from forty-five to fifty-five dollars a week. I work here in the daytime and up on the Bowery at night. Most of my customers down here are sailors. I am now tattooing the officers and crew of a British bark. I go aboard of her afternoons and everybody, from the Captain down, is being decorated. I tattoo more mechanics than I do sailors. Sailors generally like eagles, flags or ships; there is a design that is also popular among sailors."

The tattooer opened a book containing designs drawn in India ink and vermilion, and showed the reporter a representation of an impossible woman, weeping over an impossible monument on which was inscribed "In memory of my mother." "The mechanics and laborers whom I tattoo upon the Bowery nights bring me all sorts of designs—they generally create their own—and seem to be fond of horses and other animals for decorative purposes. For tattooing any one for the show business I get $200. Such designs as those in the book there range from twenty-five cents to two dollars. After a design is pricked in the red generally puffs up a little for a day or two, but occasions no pain."

The sailors present confirmed Mr. Thomas' words and exhibited their arms and hands, covered with anchors, hearts, ships, mourning pieces and other devices.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Miss Braddon's novels are being translated into the Telegoo language.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—A colored Salvation Army has been organized in Charlotte, S. C.

—A lady has presented the New York Presbytery with $60,000 for needy churches.

—The largest hall in San Francisco, built by the Baptists and first occupied by Rev. Mr. Kalloch, of that denomination, has passed to the Spiritualists, who are very numerous in that city.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Dr. Thomas, in his lecture, "Was There be a New Religion?" says that any religion discovered in the future would simply be a modification of the faith, creed and forms of the religion of the present day.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—At the last meeting of the Newark (N. J.) Methodist Episcopal Conference, a committee submitted a report proposing that a centennial endowment fund of $100,000, to be known as the Francis Ashbury Fund, be raised for educational purposes.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—Statistics show a gain of some 300,000 to the Roman Catholic population of the United States for the last year. The number of priests among them is reported at 6,835, with seventy bishops and archbishops. Ecclesiastical seminaries have decreased by nine.

—A petition, signed by Bishop Clark, Protestant Episcopal, and Bishop Henderson, Roman Catholic, was presented to the Rhode Island Senate at its recent session, praying that all prisoners in State Prisons be allowed to worship according to the dictates of their own consciences, but no action was taken.

—Yale College has abandoned the system of marking to determine the standing of students. Instruction is given entirely by lectures, and no quizzing is allowed. There will be no syping on examination. If the student wishes to use any unfair means no effort will be made to detect him, nor will any punishment follow open wrong-doing except the loss of the student's own self-respect and his instructor's confidence.—*Hartford Post.*

—Philadelphia appears to be fully roused to the necessity of industrial education. President Steel of the Board of Education, in his annual address the other day said that an industrial school is now one of the greatest needs of that city. There should be such a school, he thought, capable of accommodating 2,000 students. The work-rooms should be ample, and provided with machinery for the manipulation of metal, wood and textile fabrics. All the sciences that apply to the manipulation of these materials into articles of use in our daily life should be taught in connection with their immediate practical application, from the generation of steam to the mixing of dyes.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Chicago boasts of a lady, now ninety-four years old who used to sit in George Washington's lap. The more we hear of George the more we get shocked.—*Phila. Sporting Life.*

—Dr. Bernard Carpenter says: "Man commits suicide when he pays no attention to what he eats and drinks. Give me the charge of a person's food, and I will control him morally and physically."—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

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The August number, abounding with edifying and pleasant reading, is already upon our table, and is always welcome. "New Zealand and the Canterbury Settlement" is the opening article, by Rev. F. Pember, B.A., with numerous illustrations. The late Lady Blanche Murphy, Rev. E. A. Rand, F. E. Weatherley, James Croll, James Buckham, Alfreton Hervey, Mrs. Alexander, J. Ayes Patten, and other favorite writers, have contributed to this number. The editor, T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., gives some excellent "Advice to Young People," and the Home Pulpit has a sermon of his, "Is Life Worth Living?" There are two interesting serials, and sketches, essays, poems, etc., a miscellany, interesting and instructive, and the usual record of important events, editorial comments, obituaries, etc., etc. Price 25 cents a number, $2.50 a year, postpaid. MRS. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

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Moses Bartow, of Portland, died July 7. He was a member of the legislature from Clinton county in 1865 and 1875.

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Jackson	6 32 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 18 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 25 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 34 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 30 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 20 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 25 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 23 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	6 17 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 32 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	5 50 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
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7 54	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 31	11 32	....Ridgeway....	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	....Tecumseh..	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton.....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	..Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
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12 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P. M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome.....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
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12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski	1 30	8 22	12 10
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3 30	9 40	2 56	.Battle Creek.	12 06	7 00	9 00
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4 33		3 29	...Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	...Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Doster	11 08		6 51
5 227		4 16	...Monteith....	10 49		6 15
5 39		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 52		4 38	....Kellogg	10 33		5 40
6 15		4 45	At. Allegan. Lv	10 20		5 15
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North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
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BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
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STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	2 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	2 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
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5 40	7 24	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 00	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	....Monroe Junction.....	8 40	3 50
6 22	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 32	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 41	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 02	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Norvell.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 52	10 32	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
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An Anecdotal Transmigration.

There is a story about a wedding trip that has been knocking about the country for some time. We have tried to keep it out of the drawer but it is of no use to kick against it any longer. It was first told to the Drawer editor in October, 1883, by a clergyman of strict temperance principles and high character—in fact, a total abstainer—who had it from a friend of his first hand, who had just returned from the West. This friend, mind you, saw and heard what he related and he was a person of undoubted veracity, though, perhaps, as an abstainer, when traveling, not so total as the clergyman. It was, in brief, to this effect. In the car on a train from Toledo to Chicago was a man who sat alone, looking absently out of the window, and appearing dejected. During the passage an accident happened to a newsboy, and the generous passengers passed round the hat for him. The solitary man alone of all the carful refused to contribute anything, not even a quarter. Somebody remarked audibly upon his stinginess, when he turned round and said: "Gentlemen, it may appear strange to you that I give nothing but I haven't a cent of money. The fact is, I was married yesterday, and I am on my wedding trip, and I hadn't money enough to bring my wife along."

In December following the editor of the *Drawer* was seated with two other gentlemen in a library in New York. One of them said "I heard a good story the other day from a friend of mine who has just returned from Europe. Going down the Danube from Pesth last summer, he noticed on the steamboat a melancholy-looking man, who did not appear to care much for the scenery, but leaned over the guards and vacantly regarded the river. Falling into conversation with him, he ascertained that the man was a Prussian. Remarking that the journey did not seem to interest him, the Prussian said: 'No; I'm rather lonesome. The truth is, I'm on my wedding tour, and I could not afford to bring my wife.'"

The editor of the *Drawer* said that it was a good story, and that he began to think it was true, as it was confirmed by so many independent witnesses. Thereupon he took from his pocket a letter which he had received that morning from Paris. In it the writer, a gentleman of culture and travel, said that a curious incident happened to *him* last summer. He and his wife were on a Rhine steamer, when they noticed a melancholy passenger whom all the beauties of the scenery failed to rouse from his dejection. He was an object of interest to them all the morning, and at length the wife's sympathy was so much excited that she proposed to go and speak to the melancholy stranger, and find out the cause of his sadness. The husband said that would be a foolish thing to do, and she might get into trouble. But the wife insisted (for though American women have little curiosity, they have warm hearts), and crossed over to where the stranger stood, and accosted him, and they engaged in conversation. In a few moments the lady returned, laughing. "What is it?" asked the husband. "Why, the man is a South German. He says that he is on his wedding trip, and couldn't afford to bring his wife."

The editor then related the original true story as it was told to him by the T. A. clergyman. So it appeared, on unimpeachable testimony, that the same strange incident happened in the experience of three persons the same year—one near Chicago, one on the Rhine, the other on the Danube? Did it happen to any one of these veracious people? When the editor had raised this question, the third member of the party, who had been silent and had not interfered with the story in any way, said, "I can tell you the real original of that story. Several years ago, in a well-known wholesale house in this city, an old bachelor book keeper, who had been many years with the firm, suddenly announced that he was to be married. The partners gave him a week's holiday, and his fellow-clerks raised a little purse and presented it to pay the expenses of his wedding trip. A couple of days afterward one of the members of the firm went down to Newport, and there, lounging about the Ocean House, and apparently enjoying himself immensely, he saw his recently married old book-keeper but alone. 'Where's your wife?' 'She's at home.' 'But I thought you had money given you for a wedding trip?' 'So I did, but I didn't understand that it was intended to include her.'

Now we are not saying that this is an unwise way of taking what is really one of the most perilous journeys in life, a wedding tour. But what could have induced all these different respectable people to appropriate this particular instance to their own personal observation? It sometimes seems as if people are not what they should be.—*Editor's Drawer, in Harper's Magazine.*

Ingenious Methods Devised for Robbing the Mails.

"A Post-office thief seldom has confederates," remarked Chief Inspector Sharp, of the Post-office Department, as he sat conversing with a group of friends. The conversation had turned to the general subject of mail robberies very naturally after the rather gossippy discussion of the case of young Cook, of the city Post-office, whose arrest for stealing registered letters was mentioned in the *Star* last week.

"Cook was a smart young man," Mr Sharp observed. "He was a graduate of Annapolis and had just taken a leave of ten days when the inspectors tracked him down. They believed that he was the thief, but they wanted to secure the proper evidence. He had announced that he was going to try to pass an examination for admission in another branch of the service, and that if he succeeded he would not return to the Post office. When I found that out, I went to the official in charge of the examination, and said: 'We believe the man is a thief, but we can't prove it. If he passes your examination, he won't come back to the Post office, and we can't catch him.'"

The official said that he would see that he was rejected, and sure enough he was. When the ten days' leave had expired he had nothing else to do, and so he returned to his desk in the Post office. As soon as he had returned he went right to stealing and we soon had him fast enough with our decoy letters in his pocket.

"Cook had adopted a new idea," continued the inspector; "as he thought, a novelty in stealing. He would remove the package containing the money from the registered envelope, and then, after imitating the writing and directions, he would destroy the old envelope and send on the package, minus the money, in this new envelope which he had prepared. Or, perhaps, he would send on the envelope empty. At any rate the inspectors in search of the missing money would not be apt to look for the thief in transitu, but rather at one of the terminii. Cook knew this, and as he was along the line he thought that he was perfectly safe. We finally reached him by comparing the handwriting with that on the fraudulent registered envelopes."

One of the listeners spoke of the ingenuity displayed by postal employes and the new methods of robbing the mails which were constantly being attempted. He suggested that perhaps there was an interchange of ideas among the employes, and what one failed to think of another would supply.

This observation gave rise to the remark of Colonel Sharp's, with which this article begins.

"No," continued the Colonel. "They devise their own methods and work them out by themselves. They lie awake nights thinking how they can hold on to the money which daily passes through their hands, and at the same time avoid detection. The constant thought of an intelligent mind directed to one subject is found to produce results, and so we have the numerous little schemes of the postal clerks. Now take a single example. How is it possible to find out whether a letter contains money? The public, you know, also reflects upon this subject and has devised various little expedients to prevent the discovery of money in envelopes by mere external appearance or by feeling. This question is suggested to a postal employe. Perhaps he has no intention of stealing and he may be working upon the problem as a mere mental recreation or as an exercise in mental gymnastics. So when he goes to bed at night, when he walks about the street or sits at home he ponders upon this problem. Finally it occurs to him that a great many letters come to the office with the ends broken. He knows exactly why the envelopes are broken; that when the distributor is completed letters for one point are gathered together the clerk draws a string about the bundle tightly, so tightly in fact that two-thirds of the letters are cut at the ends by the string. The opening thus made, however, is sufficiently large to enable any one to examine the contents of the letters and ascertain if they contain money. If letters are thus cut by accident they can also be cut purposely, and who is to determine?"

"This is the first stage," remarked the inspector, with a thoughtful smile. "The discovery made the discoverer pauses. The problem solved the student rests. The way lies open to the criminal act. The determination to press along that path is probably only a matter of time. The discoverer is not content with a mere intellectual triumph: the practical results must follow. He breaks an envelope, looks inside, sees no money, and throws it in the mail pouch. He tries another, finds that it contains money, and quietly slips it into his pocket. The philosopher has become a man of action."

"But another man repeats the same result by an entirely different method," and the inspector gazed with unconcern upon the inquiring faces of the listening group. Then he crossed his legs and leaned back in his chair, and the inquiring expression of the listeners changed to one of pleased expectancy.

"The problem occurs to this other man of how to ascertain whether a letter contains valuable contents or not. He thinks about it a great deal and then one day his attention is attracted by a break in the center of the letter. Now that the break is such an unusual thing for that is common enough, the clerk knows, but he notices that when he squeezes it held lengthwise in his hand that the break opens and he can see what is inside of the envelope. That is what he wanted to find out. But how are the drafts made? He picks up a pen and draws it over the back of an old envelope. In the intensity of thought he bears on the pen very hard. It goes through the envelope, and the surprised clerk sees a fac-simile of the breaks he has observed so often in letters coming through the mail. He knows that these are the results of rough treatment or accidents of some nature, but this peculiar break is sufficiently like the accidental breaks as not to attract attention. Another philosopher has approached the domain of the man of action. He makes a practical test of his patent some day, but invites no spectators. It works all right, and he adopts it as a daily source of revenue until one day an inspector taps him on the shoulder and asks him to step down into the Postmaster's room. Then the Government for the first time asserts its claim for a royalty of the receipts of this unpatented contrivance, and the inventor spends several years in paying it."

The inspector looked at the top of his boots, which were elevated considerably higher than his head, in silence, for a few moments, and then gazing around in an absent sort of way, he said, slowly:

"Hinc illæ lachrymæ," and the entire group arose and slowly left the room, for it is well understood in the Post office Department that when Inspector Sharp drops into Latin he has important business on hand and it is time for mere idlers to "mosey along."—*Washington Star.*

—On the tomb of the Emperor William the Silent, at Delft, Holland, is the marble effigy of a spaniel. At the night attack before Mons the Emperor was asleep in his tent, and would probably have been seized and killed had not a favorite water-spaniel sprung upon him and wakened him by barking in time to escape before his tent was surrounded. To his dying day the Prince ever afterward kept a spaniel of the same race in his bedchamber. And he ordered the marble figure of the dog engraved on his tomb.

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"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

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Negro Minstrels.

"I have a reasonable good ear to music," remarks that typical amateur actor, Bottom the Weaver, "he's have the tones and the notes." The tones, though not absolute are now something artistic, but masters of the noisy art are found disposed to sing ever against masters of the more tuneful tuttuarious, at the opposite ends of the semitrite of sable performers, known to the world as negro minstrels.

It is, perhaps, more accurate to say that negro minstrelsy is practically known and loved only in those parts of the world where the English language is spoken. The Dutch cock chaled only in French Bilbiri. States of America—where, in fact, it had its rise some two score years ago. Where the English language is not spoken, there grotesque verbal dislocations of Bradder Rooes somehow fail of their reward indeed, nothing can be more humorously patent than the dignified and puzzled stare of the audience in a Parisian music hall when one of the Ambassadors in summer of the Eldorado in winter—when a pair of blacked up and hopelessly deist Cockneys are attempting an exact imitation of the sayings and doings of the American plantation negro, studied by them at second hand from some Irish-American boy never in his life seen a black, or a cigar-lover. And the same remark applies to gracious than most of the Frenchman there, seven a legend in circulation setting forth the absolute failure of an enterprising American manager at some to invade Germany with a troupe of the peculiarly of the German critics could take to behold it America. At the huge summer hotels where music and dancing are the dining rooms are generally arranged varying in the form, the comp of the full-bodied tuba to the tave, tweet of the octoroon. The waiters of one of these hotels sometimes obtain permission to give a concert, and in the dining room, to which the guests of the hotel are admitted for a price. It was one of these ministrel summer's evenings when we were pleasantly affected and when the curtains were drawn aside, a dozen grinning faces of sable performers appeared in the front of the stage and with joy of the spectators that the musicians were all of a uniform darkness of hue, and that they, genuine negroes as they were, had not resorted to the more elaborate disguises of professional negro ministrels. *Saturday Review.*

Given to Lying.

What is the matter with the human race? What obliges it that ninety people to tell lies out of ninety when they can get no possible benefit from the majority of people consciously intervarious, or are they really dupes of their senses. To said in my search that men are liars. Perhaps it is the result of habit and with scientific precision. Perhaps it is a question of physiology rather than of morals. The human frame is acknowledged to be a wonderful piece of mechanism. The Psalmist admired it but it puzzled him. If he had been a scientist he would have been able to give physiological reasons for the opinion that there is no one perfect man or woman. It is known that no two feet are the same in size and shape, and they deviate differently. They do not bear the same statement alike and of all witnesses the eyes the least trustworthy. It appears to be the most subject to delusions. There is a reason for this. Nature gives to some people eyes which are all of one hue in color they are different in form, different in focus. Not one eye in ten millions is in a normal perfect condition. The focus is either behind the retina or in front of it, and the eye is either near-sighted or far-sighted. What can be expected of such an imperfect organ? It appears to be still worse with the ear. It appears to be not the organ, and nearly everything that passes through it gets a twist. And these two defective machines are allied with probably the most deceitful little member that ever wagged. The tongue. The chief of the tongue to put into sound and speech the so-called impressions obtained through the complicated mechanism of the eye and the ear is a task which the tongue only will perform with a court of justice. And owing to the sympathy of one part of the body with another, the thinking and the feeling of the brain are affected by the tongue, and the tongue will be for the thinking and the feeling. It is a fact that it would tend to remove the defective organs of sense, but it is not the way of nature. It appears to be the way of the tongue. It appears to speak the truth as for a sightlessness person. The consequence of this infection of the pen fingers is that what is not strictly true now and then creeps into print. People are beginning to find out the physical defect, and many persons now will not pay much attention to ladies who read it and repeat it, and, owing to the defects before spoken of, they scarcely ever repeat it as printed. So we all be gone involved in a conspiracy of misrepresentation. *Charles Dudley Warner, in Harper's Magazine.*

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I write this as a Token of the great appreciation I have of your Hop Bitters. Was almost blind, could not see to read at all, and was troubled with a weak back and kidneys. Now I can read the smallest print, my back is well, and I feel like a young man. Yours, FOLKER.

Atlanta Constitution—Mr. Pasta will please fighting in his sanctum and kill 'em. Perhaps he may be made to stop the boy.

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"Bless and strength and

And hardly a day passes but which is all due to Hop Bitters. J. Wesley Jackson, Detroit, Mich.

Note genuine without a wrapper. Sham all the vile, poisonous stuff with "Hop" or "Hops" in their name.

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee—ss. In Chancery.

Lorenzo Bellamy, Complainant, vs. Lorenzo Bellamy, Defendant.

In pursuance and by virtue of an order of said Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, made in the above entitled cause on the 10th day of September, 1881, at the Chancery Office in said City of Adrian, I, the undersigned, Circuit Commissioner, will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the Front Door of the Court House in said City of Adrian, on the 10th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described premises, viz: The East Half of the West Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty-Six (26), in Town Seventeen (17) South of Range Two (2) East, containing Eighty Acres of land, more or less, according to the United States Survey, Situated in the Township of Ridgeway, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, and adjoining said Sadlier on the North, and the premises described in the bill of complaint herein, on the West, and the premises of said Mark Sadlier on the East, and the premises of said Sadlier on the South, and the same upon which said Sadlier now resides, and the same upon which said Sadlier has made his home for the last twenty years, and upon which he has made all his improvements, and upon which he has always lived, and upon which he has always had his home, and upon which he has always had his home, and upon which he has always had his home

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MILAN SAGE, Proprietor.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

When the sun glares, and winds are too lazy to turn poplar leaves silver side up, people who have longed to immortalize their names by good works, wilt into commonplace individuals; so the most that I can do is to send shadows of baked aspirations in lieu of ripened greatness.

Sheridan makes dull trade an excuse to reconstruct his store and Teachout is transmogrifying his into a hotel. The Autograph block assumes form and finish and makes a solid corner.

Schermerhorn, of Hudson, has written up, and another fellow is framing ing a Dime novel about our prosperity and good looks, but any scribe who calls a few weeks hence will imagine he has discovered a new settlement in America, and his two predecessors will find themselves famed for trustworthy inaccuracies.

Our editor's dreams are of Kansas and health, and he has gone to Ottawa to ascertain how much hopeful reality lurks among prairie breezes assisted by a western physician. His is a lung disease that makes rapid progress. Much sympathy and many good wishes follow him. Since his four years residence here, he has rebuilt two dwelling houses and has just finished changing a worthless old paint-shop, that for years has sat like a giant toad-stool in the back alley, to a glass front printing office on main street. He was first to breathe existence into the Fair ground scheme and by precept and example, inoculate the village with new life and its inhabitants with building mania. A new editor occupies his chair while absent, so we can amuse ourselves learning his faults ad-interim.

If the lesson is as brief as one taught those gentlemen who ventured within Prohibition lines last week, we shall have time left. It did not take long for them to solve the problem that the transcendental theorists have outgrown being laughed at; that with age comes size and understanding. Those who have represented their own personal selfishness instead of the public interests, as instructed; and for which they professed such loyalty as begets place and opportunity, have got as many pages to cipher as those women, who forgetful of ancient lore and modern logic, dare to assert themselves a whole item on the list of creation, instead of a human fungus, endowed with irrational proclivities, that a man may attach to his sleeve, and let leak out that it allowed to manage their own business; women would become aggressive, overbearing, faithless to their husbands, oblivious to the claims of their children, spend their time intriguing for offices God never intended them to occupy; or double the weight of some man's vote for no better reason than securing victory for his side, through personal regard. In case two opinions should blossom on one roof-tree they would ripen into dissension and divorce; for a democrat husband and republican wife would surely divide the house against itself, and the tumble predicted for such cases would follow. Some of us are gifted with these shortcomings, and there is no doubt that many would be influenced to vote for wrong because of their personal regard for candidates or their aid-de-camps; but men do the same, and I will patent any means they will leave untried to accomplish the same end. PEARLIE.

ONSTED ODDS.

School commenced in Dist. No. 5 Monday, July 28th. Mrs. Mary Lawton, teacher.

Wilmer Knapp and Ed. Harris are improving the looks of their buildings by painting them.

Work has commenced on the foundation for the new grain elevator. It is to be nearly opposite the passenger depot.

W. B. Raymond, station agent here, returned Tuesday after a vacation of a few days. Frank Allen of Ridgeway acted as agent during Mr. Raymond's absence.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

It rained as usual when Wm. R. Wilson thrashed.

Mrs. C. A. Sharp, of Tecumseh, is the guest of Mr. Peter Sharp.

Tally one for the Union Party. To Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Palmer, a boy.

Mrs. E. A. Wilson arrived Tuesday evening, and the Prof. wears a smiling countenance since.

Penner and Albert Palmer commenced grading the Depot grounds last Saturday.

Prof. Hammond, of Tecumseh, called on Prof. H. C. Wilson Tuesday.

There were 35 that took in the excursion to Put-in-Bay last Wednesday and all but five heaved up Jonah.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Bailey of Hudson made friends here a visit over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Frank Lankin, of Tipton, spent the Sabbath with Martin Palmer.

Miss Uphema Degear is making Miss Sena Coryell a visit.

Mr. Walter B. Raymond, the Agent at Cambridge made friends here a flying call Monday. It is hoped his calls are final.

Mrs. Cheever has commenced painting her new house. Mr. Walter Anderson is doing the work. He is an accomplished workman.

Misses Ada Loree and Ella Jackson, made friends at Dundee a visit last Thursday and Friday.

We are glad to learn that Mrs Erastus Rappleye of Dundee, is improving slowly.

Miss Allie Arner has moved her dressmaking shop in rooms rented of Mrs. M. A. Barrett. When will W. E. B. return to do the basting.

There were some that took in the excursion to Devil's Lake, July 30.

Friends here received a letter from Mrs. Sarah Rappleye, of Oneida, Sully Co. Dakota. She reports things prosperous there. They have commenced harvesting wheat. Oats, corn and potatoes, look fine. Mrs. Rappleye went to Dakota in March, and bought 165 acres of land and is farming it. She likes it very well and her health is improving. She is of the same mind as Horace Greeley. Go West, young man.

Preparations are being made to attend the Union mass county convention next Saturday at Adrian.

Rev. E. B. Sutton state lecturer of the Mich state temperance alliance will lecture in the basement of the M. E. church next Friday evening on Prohibition. He is one of the best speakers on this subject and all should hear him and his version of the history of temperance laws in Michigan. Come be sure.

The meeting announced for the Knifflin school house last evening was postponed till next Tuesday evening when all the arrangements formerly announced will be carried out.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

The whistle of the thresher is no to be heard upon all sides. Mason & Ayres started up their new rig on Tuesday of last week. The thresher is doing excellent work and the engine has no trouble to mount the most difficult hills, without the aid of quadrupeds.

Meeting will be suspended at the M. E. church next sabbath owing to there being quarterly meeting at Tipton.

Jackson Ayres' youngest child has been very sick for the past two weeks, but at this writing is thought to be slowly convalescing.

Austin Whaley, (a carpenter who has been under the employ of J. Hand, whose parents reside in the town of Adrian,) was drowned on Sunday last, while bathing at Deep Lake in the west part of the town. His companion, Mr. Will Boyce, while trying to save him, came near being doomed to the same fate. Fortunately there were parties fishing near by and he was rescued. The most diligent search for the body was at once made but not until evening did they meet with any success. The remains were taken home the following Monday morning.

Morenci Observer: Now is the time when the "numerous" candidate calls on some man or men of "influoence" in every town and blandly asks, "how's my chances here?" The m. o. i., already besieged beyond endurance and anxious to be let alone, assures him that they are doubtless good, and the candidate rushes away highly elated, adding this to the other towns which he has "solid" in the same way. Then comes the convention, and the candidate wonders why in thunder he did'nt get more votes.

"From Maine to California," is the title of a beautiful patriotic song, by Will L. Thompson, whose songs have already reached a sale of over a million copies. It has a very stirring chorus, and will make a splendid campaign song. Everybody will soon be singing "From Maine to California." Send 35 cents to the publishers, W. L. THOMPSON & Co., East Liverpool, Ohio.

Be not deceived. The picnic of the Farmers' Union, to be held at Devil's Lake Aug. 7th, is not the regular Farmers' Picnic Association of Hillsdale and Lenawee counties. Their picnic will be held Aug. 14th. Eminent speakers will be in attendance to address the crowd.

G. A. SMITH, President.
P. W. LEWIS, Secretary.

COUNTY TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.

The Teachers Institute for Lenawee county will be held at Adrian, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, Aug. 4, and continuing two weeks. Prof. A. E. Curtis, Adrian, Local Committee.

It is becoming a well established fact that an interchange of views, such as is given in these Institutes, is of great practical benefit to those who attend them. The teachers that are found in the front ranks of their profession are generally those who take interest enough in their work to avail themselves of such means of improvement.

The institute law, as amended by the last Legislature, allows teachers, whose schools are in session at the time appointed for the County Institute, held under the direction of the State Superintendent, to close their schools during the continuance of such Institute without forfeiting their wages for as many half-days as they are in attendance at the Institute. This removes a cause that has prevented many teachers from attending these Institutes in the past; and in view of the inducements to self-improvement thus furnished by the law, County Examiners and School Boards will exercise wisdom and practice justice by giving preference to those teachers, others being equal, who seek all such means better to prepare themselves for the work of their profession.

It is designed to make the work in these Institutes as practical as possible, and thus meet the wants of the teachers of all grades in their everyday work. At the same time it will be the purpose of every worker to raise the standard of the profession of teaching, and to gain for it that dignity to which it is entitled. Especial attention will be given to such subjects as have been recently added to the list of those in which teachers are required to pass examination before obtaining certificates.

The exercises will be conducted by persons of extended experience, known ability, and eminent success.

The morning and afternoon sessions will be devoted to the discussion of topics of peculiar interest to teachers, while the evening lectures will be of a popular character.

There will be no tuition or enrollment fee. Full particulars in regard to board, etc., may be obtained upon application to the local committee.

Soldiers, Attention!

At a joint meeting of the committees of the Lenawee County Soldier's and Sailors' association, the 18th Michigan Volunteer Infantry and G. A. R. reunion association, held at the office of B. F. Graves, Adrian, on Monday, Comrade G. W. Fleming was called to the chair and B. F. Graves, elected secretary.

On motion, it was resolved that the several executive committees of the different organizations meet at the same office August 8th, for the purpose of reporting progress for the coming basket picnic, to be held, at Devil's lake, Aug. 26, 27 and 28.

It was moved by Comrade Stevens that Lieut. H. M. Cole be a committee for obtaining speakers for the Lenawee county association, and Comrade Spragum be a committee for the G. A. R., and Fred Bay for the 18th regiment. Also that a committee of one on music from each of the organizations be appointed, viz: Lenawee soldiers and sailors, S. E. Graves; G. A. R., F. H. Cobb; 18th regiment, R. H. Baker.

Moved and adopted that Comrade H. W. Stevens be instructed to procure reduced railroad fare over the M. & O. to Devil's lake, and steamboat fare to the landing.

Signed, G. W. FLEMING,
Pres't Lenawee County As'n.
F. H. COBB,
Secretary G. A. R.
FRED BAY,
18th Mich. Vol. Inf't.
H. M. HOPKINS,
H. W. STEVENS,
Chairman Executive Com.

Peterson's Magazine for August, leads off with a capital steel-engraving, "Meetin's Out," from the original picture by E. L. Henry, one of the very best things we have ever seen, and thoroughly American. The tales sketches, etc., are all original, and are unusually good. We have often said that every lady of refinement should take this magazine, and we now repeat the advice. The price is but $2 a year, with great deductions to clubs. Address C. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

This is a family secret and we ought not to publish it, but we feel that it right and proper that the public should know it. Editors actually have to pay money for what they eat and wear, and besides the paper makers have the cheek to charge an editor for the material he gets; but don't mention it.

A CANDIDATE SUGGESTED.

EDITOR HERALD:

As county politics begin to enliven and the merits of available candidates are being mentioned through the press for the various county officers, we desire with becoming fitness to name the name of Cyrus T. Crandall of Raisin for the position of County Clerk. The Republicans of Raisin feel that while they have ever been active and zealous in the interests of the party and having never since its organization been represented by a County official their request at this time should be regarded with consideration. In urging the name of their esteemed townsman they firmly believe in him they present a man thoroughly qualified to fulfill the duties of that office in every particular. Mr. Crandall is a young man endowed with more than an ordinary degree of energy and industry. He has improved the opportunities offered for a thorough education and is possessed of superior clerical abilities and has at different times successfully filled positions requiring clerical responsibility. He is a young man of large personal acquaintance in the County and it is the accepted verdict of those who are the most intimate with him that he has both character and capacity to fit him abundantly for any duties which might devolve upon him.

REPUBLICAN.

AFTER HARVEST EXCURSION.

The first Cheap Excursion of the season will run over the L. S. & M. S. Ry. on Tuesday, Aug. 5, 1884. A special train has been chartered, starting from Jackson ahead of the regular morning train, and arriving in Detroit at 9:30 A. M., giving excurtionists over eight hours in the city, and insuring plenty room for all.

Time Table and Rates for Round Trip: Leave Jackson at 5:50 A. M., $1.50; Napoleon at 6:10, $1.40. Norvell at 6:16, $1.35; Manchester at 6:29, $1.25; Clinton at 6:42, $1.25; Tecumseh at 6:50, $1.25. Arrive at Detroit 9:30 A. M. and returning leave Detroit 5:50 P. M., arriving in Jackson 9:30 P. M.

The train will run on standard time which is 28 minutes slower than local time.

Lovers of the National game will also remember that a game will be played on that date between the Buffalo and Detroit league teams at Recreation Park.

Tickets on sale at L. S. & M. S. Ry. ticket offices after Aug. 1st.

Trains stop at Eldred, River Raisin and Sutton, going and returning.

Adrian Record—Wednesday afternoon a stranger, having the appearance of an honest farmer, entered Ald. Bowerfind's bakery, and professing to be able to speak or write anything but German, induced Mr. Bowerfind's son to aid him in making out a check for $50 on Whitney & Wilcox. Shortly after he entered the clothing store of Mr. Dan Benedict and attempted to get a suit of clothes in payment for which he offered a check for $80 on Tobey & Co., but Mr. Benedict refused to accept it. He then tried to work the same dodge on Wesley & Sons, presenting to them the $50 check; and they also refused it. About seven o'clock he called on Mr. Bowerfind and stated that he wanted to get out of town that night and must get the money on the checks, he induced Mr. Bowerfind to let him have the money on the $50 check. The $50 check purported to be signed by Jake Fisher and the $80 check by Chas. Fischer. When Mr. Bowerfind presented it at the bank yesterday morning, he discovered that it was a forgery. In the meantime, the festive stranger had made himself scarce, and the officers are still looking for him.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending July 22.

CAMBRIDGE.

Wm. Onsted to J. W. Secor. Land on sec 28. $40.

TECUMSEH.

Elmer Hause to F. D. Raymond. Part of lot 27. $350.

WOODSTOCK.

Alvin Joslin to J. E. Joslin. Land on secs 10 and 11. $5,000.

On Tuesday morning last Elijah Harris, a colored man was buried in a well in Adrian. He and a man by the name of Horace Craig were engaged in digging a well, when the earth caved in under the curbing burying Harris about four feet deep. Owing to the disadvantages under which the rescuing party were forced to labor the body was not recovered for about two hours. Mr. Harris was one of the best known colored men in Adrian and was highly respected by every one.

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BLANCHE.

Blanche was our baby, sweet and fair
I used to wonder in days gone by
[illegible]
A boy her elder than ours, and I
Grew fond and proud of her pretty ways;
I learned her prattle to understand
Ah! those were beautiful, hopeful days,
When she lisped the mistake of Babyland.

Here at our cheerful home beside
Sunlighted and blessed like a pretty flower
Her mother's pet and her father's pride,
She grew to girlhood, sweet, pure, and true.
I planned and hoped—while she laughed and
played
While I made her garments with love and
food,
Of wedded her aprons, torn and frayed—
How she would help me when I was old.

A school-girl gay, with a winsome face,
Careless, thoughtless and strong of will
Darting, romping, yet full of grace
And loving kindness, I see her still.
Taking no lessons so dull and drear,
Dreaming of something the girls had said
How little we think of our days when here—
How much we miss them when they have
fled!

Here, in our watchful care secure,
But yet far from the friends she knew,
She grew to womanhood, sweet and pure,
With a soul that was trustful and always
true.
She loved, and her joyous heart was won;
We gave her away, a happy bride,
To one who was worthy to be our son,
And worthy to walk by our darling's side.

And thus, in the morn of her hopeful years,
To the pleasant tasks of her wedded life
She passed with our blessing and our tears,
A faithful wife and a loving wife.
She passed where the fields were fair and
green,
Where the blossoms bloomed and the sun
light shone.
She dropped, she died, and her soul passed
Has peacefully passed to the dread unknown.

Ah! the hours seem long and the nights seem
drear—
Our hearts are heavy with grief and care;
But often we fancy that she is near—
Her beautiful presence seems everywhere.
Here is the room that she neatly kept;
Here are her treasures, sacredly by said;
Here is the bed where she sweetly slept,
Just as she left it, before she died.

I miss the touch of her tender hand—
That soft on my brow used to fall;
The eyes that a mother's love commands,
As strong, as true, as a band of steel.
The sound of her voice is the sweet, glad
Of some new-born pleasure, some future
fair;
The spoiler that barred from her vision
eyes,
Her faithful ears from another's care.

Over the dark and the sundered sea
Where the waves break on the Hyperion
strand,
She has learned the mighty mystery
That only angels can understand;
She was so light in her robe of white,
With a glory crowning her forehead fair;
She went her way and wants by the golden
gates,
To gladly greet us when we come there.

—*Lizzie J. Rice, in Advocate Monthly.*

STORY OF A BANK CHECK.

The Sad Result of a Paying Teller's Mistake—Driven to Lunacy by an Overpaid Check—How a Portion of the Money was Recovered.

What I have to tell is absolutely true. It did happen exactly as I shall try to write it. The only things I will omit are the names of the persons and the place where it happened. I might by lengthening out the story show the play of those fell passions, greed and covetousness, but I trust what I have to say will not lose its point from brevity. The moral is the same old trite one, that honesty is the best policy. When a man is tempted to commit a wicked action it often happens that the injury done another becomes reparable. There is a penalty attached to most transactions which escapes the offender. Retribution follows close. It is now almost instantly, as quickly as an explosion when the hammer of the gun-lock strikes the cap containing the fulminate, or the fire may hang back, but it will come some day or other. This is a longer preamble than I thought would be drawn from my pen, but as I am not a young man I may indulge in such comments, because in the life of any one who has passed the half-century the force of the inevitable consequence usually occurs to him. A man of my age has been long enough in the world to have seen passing before him many a sad drama; he has been present at the very first scene, and has been an unwilling witness of the terrible conclusion.

I suppose few people who have had direct transactions with banks are not aware that errors sometimes happen. The heads of firms rarely are acquainted with such mistakes. It is the business of clerks who have the checks cashed to see that the amounts paid them are correct. Paying tellers, if they do err, are rather likely to pay too much than too little. Should they give more money than the face of the check calls for, if the receiver of the money is dishonest, then the payer does not always hear about it. If he underpays, the demand for the difference is invariably made at once. I am rather inclined to repeat the assertion that in such mistakes as are made in the rush of business it is the commoner error to pay too much. Sometimes a very tired man, whose brain has been too long on the stretch, or who is ill or nervous, mistakes the number of the check for the amount, and pays away some thousands instead of hundreds. I have known this to happen in a New York bank to a young friend of mine. He had sufficient good judgment not to embarrass the paying teller by making any noise about it. He resumed his place in the line, handed back his bank-book, politely requested the teller to look at the check he had presented, the amount he had received, and it was all so quietly done that he made for life a fast friend of a careful and expert bank teller. I have two or three times been overpaid by a bank teller. People who shop have very often mistakes made in their change to their advantage. Need it be said that without waiting an instant restitution should be made?

I was clerk in a house when the incident I am about telling happened. We did a large business in the city of ——, and our check-book was in constant demand. I made out the checks and kept the bank account, but did not have the signature of the firm. Generally for greater security, when the amounts were large, I drew out the money myself. A great many of the transactions we were engaged in required us to pay at once to the individual the hard cash.

The paying-teller of our bank in the business season had all he could attend to. The money to be paid for an agricultural product very much in demand would on some days make the cash disbursements of this bank amount to $70,000. I remembered that on one occasion, looking at the teller, he seemed tired and depressed. Presenting my check for something less than $1,000—wanted by me in five and ten dollar bills—he overpaid me $50. He had counted the money over twice before passing it to me. I recounted the money, found the error, and, being pressed for time, could not return the $50 until after three o'clock. The teller was obliged to me but I noticed he looked a worried look. A month after this we had some balance to pay a customer living out of the city, amounting to $326. A check was drawn for the amount, handed to the teller, and his account balanced. The transaction entirely dropped out of my mind.

Some three months afterward the firm received a letter from this man, which was rather ambiguous of its kind. There was an error, he said, in his account. Would we look over it? At once I examined the books, checked off every item, went through all the debits and credits of his business, and ended by inspecting the final check paid him. My employers, who were very honest and careful gentlemen, were satisfied with the accuracy of the account, and I was instructed to write him a letter to that effect. I did so, as politely as I could, but at the conclusion of my letter I said: "You leave us in the dark, however, as to one thing. Three months have elapsed since our check was given to you. If you had not been paid what was due you we should have certainly heard from you before. Have you been overpaid?" My senior employer, a shrewd business man, looking over my letter, remarked: "Perhaps your question here might not be liked by Mr ——. However, let it go." I mailed the letter. We heard nothing more about it for a month. Then there came a tortuous letter from the man. "His account was wrong," he wrote. "Maybe he had come across some money he could not exactly account for." He did not state how much money it was, or how it happened. It was a mean slander on his part. I knew that. He had a sick-of-a-conscience that I was certain of. The firm consulted with me what they should do. I made up my mind that more money had been paid the man on the check than we were entitled to. I went at once to the house of the bank. I found him ill, nervous and tremulous. "Yes," he said, "my accounts were wrong. There had been a big deficit. I have not slept for months. I am afraid I have overpaid some one. But thank God I have made it up. I mortgaged my house and passed the amount short to the credit of the bank. I must have made a blunder somewhere. But the strain on my mind has been killing me. I feel as if I were no longer fit for the place." He seemed to me to have moments of doubt and uncertainty. "I stick to my place," he said. "Of course I have no recollection of having ever paid that check of $456." I said to him "that I had hopes of getting some of the money back," but I did not like to tell him how. But what I did do was to go that evening to the President of the bank and state the case to him. As it had been through him that I owed my position in the firm he had every confidence in me. My advice was asked. I was forced to declare that I thought the paying teller had better be given another and lighter position. Next day, when I went to the bank, the old teller had been apparently relieved. He was casting up some accounts in the ledger. When I spoke to him across the railing he did not seem to recognize me. Next day I was shocked to learn, through the President of the bank, that such positive indications of mental trouble had been shown by the teller that his friends had thought it wiser to confine him in his house. His accounts had been at once rigorously examined, and were found to be correct. It was perfectly true that he had mortgaged his house, and had paid the amount received into the bank. He had concealed the loss for three months or more from the bank, which was a mistake on his part, but he had been punctilious enough to even add the interest for some ninety days.

Now, I felt absolutely certain that the man to whom the check had been paid must be a rascal. If he had offered restitution it came late—very much too late. My firm gave me my carte blanche to manage the matter as I pleased. I could not have him arrested. As he lived in an isolated part of the country, no efficient summons could reach him. If I had been aggressive before probably not a cent would have been returned. I wrote now a sharp letter. I said that "a very large amount of money must have been paid him over and above the face of the last check given him, which was $456." I stated that "I knew exactly how much it was." I must confess outright that this was a bluff. I was not sure that the teller had not made other mistakes besides this one. I wrote that "unless the money was at once restored I would blast his reputation. If he was inclined to be honest, even at this late date, let him do all he could and send back the whole amount." I thought it wiser not to let him know the mental condition of the teller. I was quite certain that if he knew the teller was out of his mind not one penny would he return. I wrote to him that he "must be in a hurry about it. That only the teller and I knew of it, and that my firm were as yet in ignorance."

At once, by return mail, I had a letter. The sum was not, as we said, what I represented it to be. He made some specious arguments about a man finding a purse, and the description of it not tallying with the actual purse lost or the amount in it. Under such circumstances was a man bound to return it? If I could prove that he had been overpaid I ought to state exactly what was the amount. He might, he added, "never have written me a word about it, and no one would have been the wiser. But he had a conscience," so he said. I replied with a vigorous letter. I confuted his arguments. "He knew," I said, "the moment he had the bank-notes passed over to him that he had been overpaid." A man might find a piece of gold in the dust of the road, and could never tell who dropped it there. But there was no analogy between the two cases. I cried "for immediate restoration, or there would be an exposure." His answer did not come for ten days. "I was mistaken," he said. "He was not aware that he had been overpaid until he got home. Then he did not know of it for a week afterward. It came out then in his accounts." I knew this to be a wicked lie, but it contained at least the written acknowledgment that he had been overpaid. His letter concluded as follows: "This matter has worried me considerably, has taken up a great deal of my time, and time for me is money. Don't you think there should be compensation allowed me, or in other words, can't we make a compromise?" On the back-guard! "It sends a thing would be arranged I will come to the city and pay over to you the money." I am not afraid of the bank. I consider that my transactions have been with your firm."

The money overpaid by the teller had been some $1,000, and he had probably counted out $456 instead of $456. I failed to do it, but I offered the second-sighted his traveling expenses. His reply came promptly. To leave his business was worth a great deal more than that. Then, again, he thought of bringing his wife on with him and enjoying them selves." The up and down of it was that I must offer him a certain amount. "My temptations, you remember, have been very great." I offered him $500. I was disgusted. I felt like going to his place and tackling him myself. "This is my ultimatum," I said. "If I do not hear from you in ten days I will disclose the whole matter, and you will be dishonored." His letter came back promptly enough. "He would take the $500." It wasn't very much. The bank was ever so rich. Corporations had no souls." I consulted with the bank President, who thought it was better to close with the man. Would "it be believed that the wretch and his wife came to —— apparently on a pleasure trip? He had done a sharp and clever piece of business. He had not the least compunctions of conscience. He came to the office of an evening, and I do not hesitate in saying that in his hip pocket there was a revolver. He handed me over something less than $2,000, asserting that the amount received less the traveling expenses and the $500 made up this balance. When the money had been transferred by me to the safe I gave him a piece of my mind. I did not spare him. I heaped on him every insulting epithet I could think of. Then he showed his temper, which was an ugly one. "Now," said I (remember I was twenty-six then, and hotter blood ran through my veins than to-day), "you have wrecked an honest man's brains. That teller of the bank whose money you took, has lost his reason. He will, I am afraid, never be a sane man again. This is your work." That seemed to cow him. "Your repentance comes too late. I hate you so that—God forgive me—had you as much as lifted your finger against me, I should not have hesitated in killing you like a dog, and no jury in the land would have touched a hair of my head. Go out of this city by the early morning train, or I will make you." That wretch left the office like a whipped cur. What was the sequel? A sad one. The bank-teller lapsed into a melancholic condition, which rendered all mental labor impossible. He had some little money, but many friends, and such few comforts as he required were ungrudgingly given him. He died ten years ago. He never did completely recover his senses. As to the canting rascal, his fate was a dire one. Somehow the whole story came out, though I did not divulge it. In that section of country where he lived he was discredited. He took to drink, and became a confirmed inebriate. He neglected his business, and his plantation was sold. His wife sought and obtained a divorce. Two years ago I read that in a brawl in the most degraded quarter of a town in Alabama this man met his death in a negro dance-house.—*N. Y. Times.*

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IN a general fight at a colored picnic at Oakley Grove, ten miles north of Cincinnati, on the 24th, five persons were more or less seriously wounded by bullet or knife. No one was fatally hurt.

FRANK DEWALT, the defaulting Leadville banker, has been sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

A FIRE at Eagle Bay, a new town on the Duluth & Iron Range Railway, on the 23d destroyed seven frame buildings used as saloons. Loss $40,000 to $50,000; no insurance.

AT Plano, Tex., on the 24th, Cora, aged eleven, and Helen, aged two, daughters of John Ransdale, were burned to death by the explosion of a coal oil can, with which the eldest child was attempting to kindle a fire. The bodies were burned to a crisp.

IT was stated at Washington on the 24th that the President would make no appointment to the position of chief of the newly created Labor Bureau at present. A number of candidates are being urged since it has been announced that Jarrett would probably not be appointed.

A TIDAL wave was felt on the 24th in the Menominee and Milwaukee Rivers. It was the most noticeable at "Straight Cut," as the entrance to the rivers is called, where the waters receded three feet, returning in about fifteen minutes. Above the dam in the Milwaukee River, two or three miles from "Straight Cut," swimmers who were standing in the shallow water were completely submerged by the returning water.

A PARTY of outlaws entered a livery stable at Wymore, Neb., on the 24th, and presenting cocked revolvers demanded the horses to be given up. The stable men resisted and compelled the robbers to beat a retreat.

AT a meeting of the auditors of the suspended banking firm of Clinton R. Weeden & Co., Providence, R. I., on the 24th the statement showed the liabilities to be $654,000. Assets, nominal, $597,000. Unsecured liabilities, $270,000. Estimated available assets $128,966.

A CONSTRUCTION train on the Vicksburg, Shreveport & Texas Pacific Railroad fell through a bridge near Delta, Miss., on the 25th, killing Engineer Vanderberg and the fireman. The accident was caused by the rails being torn up for the purpose of wrecking the train.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad Company have purchased one hundred and twenty-five acres of land at Freedom, Pa., from John Conway for $104,000. It is their intention to erect repair shops, round-houses, etc., and make up all east and west-bound freight trains at that point. They will reorganize the freight work and spend $1,500,000 on improvements. The yard will accommodate about seven thousand cars.

THE executive committee of the Lehigh Coal Exchange on the 25th agreed to make no change in the price of coal during August.

THE Coal Miners' State Convention adjourned at Pittsburgh on the 25th after electing the following officers: President, George Harris; Vice President, Louis Hopkins; Secretary, Richard Davis; Treasurer, Thomas A. Armstrong. It was decided to change the name from the Miners' Amalgamated Association to the Miners' and Laborers' Association.

A MOTION was argued in the New York Supreme Court on the 25th to vacate the attachment levied upon the property of Ferdinand Ward in the suit by the Marine National Bank to recover $700,000 loaned by the bank to Grant & Ward prior to their assignment. The application was made on behalf of George C. Holt, the assignee of Ward. The attachment had been granted upon the ground of an alleged fraudulent disposition of Ward's property prior to the making of the assignment. The court reserved its decision.

ON the morning of the 25th locomotive No. 346 on the Lehigh Valley Railroad pushed a freight train from Mauch Chunk to Fairview, Pa. On its return there were four men in the cab, Jacob Hassle, the engineer; his son, John Hassle, brakeman John Armbruster, fireman, all of Mauck Chunk; and Robert Smith, night operator at Nescopeck. At a point near Whitehaven the boiler of the locomotive exploded, instantly killing the two Hassles and Armbruster. Smith, the operator, was pinned down to the track by the tender truck, but before he could be rescued a coal train dashed down the track and plunged into the wreck in which he still lay. Thirty-five cars were more or less damaged and the engine derailed and broken. The body of John Hassle, the brakeman, could not be found. Farm hands at work a mile away say fragments of metal fell about them in the field. No reason has been assigned for the explosion.

THREE children of Joseph Ashley were drowned while bathing in the river at Green Bay, Wis., on the 25th.

FROM statements furnished by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue it appears that the aggregate receipts for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1884, was $121,590,039, a decrease compared with the preceding year of $22,963,305.

CAPTAIN TRAYNOR, in the dory Harold T. Bibber, landed at Martinicus Island, Me., on the 23d, nine days from New York. He proceeded next morning for Bristol, England, in good health and confident of reaching his destination.

C. F. SAUER & CO.'s tannery at Louisville burned on the 25th, involving a loss of $60,000; partly insured. Captain William Herman, of the fire department, fell from the burning building and was seriously, if not fatally injured.

THREE children of Mrs. William Hovey were recently burned to death in a barn at Tannersville, Pa. The mother has become insane.

COLONEL CHARLES MORTON, assistant postmaster of Brooklyn, N. Y., is still missing. His family and friends profess to know nothing of him. The rumor that he has gone to Europe is not verified.

AT San Francisco, Port Collector Sears interprets the amended Chinese restriction act to extend the restriction until 1884, according to section one. This adds two years to the period of restriction of the original act.

RECEIVER JOHNSON, of the New York Marine Bank, on the 26th began the payment of a fifteen per cent. dividend. Three hundred depositors were paid $460,095. The total amount of the dividend will be $800,000.

THE President has appointed John G. Brady, of Alaska, George H. Ihrie, of Pennsylvania, and Chester Seeberg, of California, Commissioners for the District of Alaska, to reside respectively at Sitka, Wrangel and Gunalaska.

FRANK G. VITTUM, Frederick Jones and John Orendorf, youths of good families in the town of Canton, Ill., while fishing recently in a boat above Copperas Creek dam, on the Illinois River, were drawn into a whirlpool, the boat capsized, and all were drowned. The bodies were recovered.

OVER fifty arrests have been made of parties supposed to be implicated in the Lizzie Bradley outrage in the camp on the Monongahela River near Pittsburgh recently. One gang of thirty-two laborers employed on the Baltimore & Ohio Road, were arrested on the 26th; also George Helton and Robert Grimes, of West Elizabeth, Pa. A portion of Miss Bradley's jewelry was found in Helton's possession. The parties will have a hearing August 1.

A CYCLONE visited Cimarron Station, eighteen miles from Dodge City, Kan., on the night of the 26th, demolishing about a dozen houses, including a dry goods store and livery stable. Mrs. Barton and her child were seriously hurt and several other persons received painful injuries.

OFFICER MCLAUGHLIN, of the Minneapolis (Minn.) police, was fatally shot by three roughs named Tony Carteney, Mark German and James Parker, whom he was endeavoring to arrest on the 26th. The prisoners escaped but were afterward arrested and jailed. Lynching was threatened.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL SWAIM has been suspended from duty pending his trial by court martial. It is now thought when the trial comes off he will be called upon to answer charges of embezzlement in connection with the disposition of money raised for the Garfield Monument fund. Colonel Lieber, assistant Judge Advocate General has been ordered to act as Judge Advocate General during General Swaim's suspension.

SILAS HUDSON, James Podgett and Arthur Page, young men, are under arrest for placing logs on the track of the Richmond & Allegheny road at Lynchburg, Va., a few days ago.

A STORM in Eau Claire County, Wis., on the 26th damaged crops and buildings to the extent of $20,000. Hail stones fell which are alleged to have measured six and eight inches in diameter.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York Associated Banks for the week ended July 26: Loans increase, $1,155,500; specie increase, $2,061,100; legal tenders increase, $356,000; deposits increase, $789,400; circulation decrease, $54,200; reserve increase, $2,229,850. The banks held $30,638,125 in excess of legal requirements.

JUAN C. BACKA, of Las Vegas, New Mexico, representing himself as a millionaire cattle dealer, fell among thieves at Cincinnati on the 26th and was drugged, beaten and robbed of money and checks valued at $13,000.

THE first case against the liquor dealers under the Scott law was decided in a justice court at Cincinnati on the 26th in favor of the County Treasurer.

THE Grand Jury at Baltimore on the 26th found a presentment against G. W. Hazeltine for the murder of Mamie Thorpe in that city on the 19th inst., at which time he also shot and wounded Mamie White, both of whom reached Baltimore with him that day from Toronto, Canada.

EIGHTEEN members of the Salvation army were arrested at Rochester, N. Y., on the 27th for singing while parading the streets.

WHILE a party from Chicago were yachting on the lake on the 27th Miss Mamie Lavis fell overboard. Otto Mulhart, though unable to swim, plunged in to rescue her and both were drowned.

THE foundry and machine shops of Tunnecliffe & Co., at Nashville, Tenn., burned on the 26th. Loss $25,000.

JOSEPH MENDALL, of Patterson, N. J., while intoxicated fell from the fourth story window of the Central Hotel at Louisville, Ky., on the 27th and was instantly killed.

A FIRE broke out in the Schrieber House at Millerstown, Pa., on the 26th, caused by a lamp explosion, and before the flames were subdued the entire block, including the hotel, *Herald* office, Odd Fellows' Hall and two stores belonging to a man named Fredericks were entirely destroyed. Loss $30,000; partially insured.

JULIUS HOLWEGG, a Prussian, suicided in a peculiar manner at New York on the 26th. He contrived to have a rifle discharge a bullet in his forehead and two revolvers in his breast simultaneously. Death was instantaneous.

THE United States Commissioner at New York has decided to hold Eugene Bonnas, alias Max Willey, for extradition. Bonnas was deputy postmaster at Stuttgart, Wurtemburg, and is charged with embezzling 40,000 marks belonging to the German Government.

JUDGE COMMAGER, of the Lucas (Ohio) Common Pleas Court, rendered a decision on the 26th in the case of O. Shepherd, vs. Philip Smith, treasurer of Ottawa County, and of Jacob Bolin vs. Joel W. Kelsey, treasurer of Lucas County, being assessment collection cases growing out of the Scott law. In each case the question arose upon a motion to dissolve a temporary injunction enjoining the respective treasurers of the two counties from enforcing by distraint the payment of the assessments upon the business of selling intoxicating liquors. The decision sustains the injunction.

IT is reported that James R. Keene's estate at Newport has been sold to Mr. Fiske of New York, for $80,000.

DISPATCHES of the 28th from Dakota, Nebraska and Minnesota, indicate a good spring wheat crop. James Baynes, statistical agent for Dakota, says the yield will be twenty bushels to the acre, making a total yield of 26,000,000 bushels. Hail storms damaged localities, but the damage was not very general. Daniel H. Wheeler, statistical agent for Nebraska, says winter wheat will yield thirty to forty bushels to the acre and spring wheat twenty to twenty-five. No damage from rust or bugs. The injury by storms was entirely local. H. H. Young, State statistician for Minnesota, says the yield will be 44,000,000 bushels of corn. Oats, barley and rye promise well.

SECRETARY FRELINGHUYSEN has received intelligence from the City of Mexico to the effect that in compliance with the request of the United States Government two Americans, William Harwood and Edward Velach, recently arrested there upon the charges of defaming the President of Mexico, have been released.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE West Virginia Democratic State Convention on the 24th nominated E. Willis Wilson for Governor; Patrick M. Duffy, Auditor, and Alfred Caldwell, Attorney General. The resolutions endorse Cleveland and Hendricks and the National platform.

THE Democrats of the Sixth Missouri district, after a three days' session, nominated John T. Heard, of Pettis County, for Congress on the 289th ballot.

EX-CONGRESSMAN HILL, of New Jersey, died at Morristown on the 24th, aged sixty-four.

IT is persistently asserted in Catholic circles in London that there is great likelihood of Mary Anderson joining the Carmelite nuns.

EX-GOVERNOR WALTER HARRIMAN died at Concord, N. H., on the 25th, aged sixty-seven.

SIR LAWRENCE PEEL, a cousin of Sir Robert Peel, died recently in London. He wrote the life of Robert Peel.

IT is said that James Stephens, ex-Fenian head center, with Mr. Gallagher, propose to visit America for the purpose of advocating the Irish cause.

LIEUTENANT FREDERICK SCHWATKA, of Arctic fame, has resigned from the army and his resignation has been accepted. It is generally understood he intends entering some special duty under a foreign power.

FOREIGN.

ALL meetings of the Salvation Army at Berne, Switzerland, have been prohibited.

AN International Congress to discuss the prevention and cure of cholera is proposed.

THE deer-stalkers, gillies and laborers on the estate of the American millionaire, Winans, near Inverness, Scotland, engaged in a terrible fight a few days ago. A gillie named Campbell killed a laborer named Magillurry. Campbell was arrested.

A SCHOONER landed at Murio, Western Spain, on the 25th with fifteen survivors of the steamer Gijon, which foundered recently in a collision with the steamer Laxham; another schooner landed eight members of the crew and seven passengers of the Gijon at Corrinue.

A PARIS dispatch of the 25th says the negotiations of Minister Ferry and the Chinese Minister in regard to the indemnity demanded by France have been suspended, the Chinese representative adhering to the last offer of 20,000,000 francs. Ferry has conceded China eight days' delay. If, in the meantime, an agreement is not reached the French squadron will seize Foo Chow.

DURING a severe thunder storm at Ulverstone, near Lancaster, England, on the 26th, a gunpowder factory was struck by lightning. A terrific explosion followed, completely wrecking the building and killing three persons, the only occupants of the building at the time.

THE cholera epidemic was thought to be decreasing in Toulon and Marseilles on the 27th. The total number of places in France where the infection has appeared is fourteen. At Arles many persons have become insane through fear. Marseilles is threatened with a meat famine. Many butchers have shut up shop and others find it difficult to procure supplies.

A ST. PETERSBURG dispatch says a passenger steamer on the Volga capsized on the 27th and twenty persons were drowned.

AFTER the council of ministers at Paris on the 26th Prime Minister Ferry held an interview with Li Fong Pao, the Chinese ambassador. It was arranged that China should pay France an indemnity of 20,000,000 francs. A pacific solution of the troubles is now certain.

NINE of the Gijon's crew and four of the Laxham's crew were landed at Gravesend on the 26th.

A NEW expedition to the Congo country has been sent out by the German-African Society from Hamburg. Lieutenant Schulz is the leader of the expedition.

ENGLISHMEN want the restrictions against the importation of Wyoming cattle into England via Canada removed, and are trying to get Government officials to move in the matter. The question is beset with many difficulties.

LATER.

THE Ohio Greenbackers met in State convention at Dayton on the 28th and placed the following State ticket in nomination: Secretary of State, Peter Harrod, of Carroll County; Judge of Supreme Court, James G. Grogan, of Hocking; Electors-at-Large, John Seitz, of Seneca, and David Wells, of Tuscarawas.

MRS. CLARRISSA RUGG, wife of Rev. Henry Rugg, and mother of Charles Rugg, the negro murderer of the Maybee family, died recently at New York, it is said, of a broken heart.

THE Chinese Government has formally asked the United States Government to act as a mediator between it and France in settling the differences which have almost led to a war between the two countries.

SECRETARY FRELINGHUYSEN received a telegram on the 29th ult. from Consul Mason, at Marseilles, saying that there is a marked improvement at that point and Toulon. The average daily deaths from cholera has fallen off from sixty to forty-five at Marseilles and from forty to fifteen at Toulon. The epidemic is severe at Arles and Aix.

AT Greely, Col., on the 28th ult John Shea, a miner, in a fit of jealousy attacked his wife while she was asleep, cut her throat, stabbed her seven times in the chest, then stabbed himself eight times and fell dead. Mrs. Shea cannot live.

R. B. POORE, of Cleveland, O., for the past eight years superintendent for Ohio and Pennsylvania of the American Express Company, died at Old Orchard, Me., on the 28th ult.

A FIRE at Devil's Lake, Dakota on the 28th ult. destroyed forty buildings, including the bank, hotels, stores, saloons and nine dwellings. Fully insured.

AT Put-in-Bay on the 28th ult three colored men were standing on a suspended scaffolding engaged in scrubbing paint from the steamer Pearl, when they all fell into the water. Two were drowned before assistance could be rendered.

THREE inches of rain fell in eight hours on the 28th ult. at Columbus, Miss. The Tombigbee River rose ten feet.

THE Connecticut Republican State Convention is called at New Haven, Conn., August 20 to nominate State and electoral tickets.

GOVERNOR CAMERON has convened the General Assembly of Virginia upon the request of two-thirds of the members of each House, to meet at Richmond, August 13.

JARVIS PATTON, the new Commissioner of Navigation has entered upon the duties of his office.

THE issue of silver dollars for the week ended July 26 was 205,498; for the corresponding period last year, 290,494.

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ESTATE OF MARIA BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday the 10th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert L. Brewer and Charles J. Brewer, sons of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to said Charles J. Brewer or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the fifth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. 3w31

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant,
vs.
Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance, and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 5th day of April, 1884, I, the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 30th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: That parcel of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier, thence north easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land, will contain one acre, the one south to the place of beginning, being on the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant. 3m32

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, Minors.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the land and premises hereinafter described, on the 25th day of July, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2-6ths) of all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the recorded plat of said village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale, cash.

Dated TECUMSEH, Michigan, June 11, 1884.

ROBERT B. HOUSE,
Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH SLATER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 24th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Slater, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of last sickness and funeral, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

John J. Rector, Complainant,
vs.
Delia Shurtz, Harry H. Shurtz, and Joseph Lanning, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1884, I, the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 10th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street, so called, in the village of Tecumseh at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27) and opposite of the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown deceased, thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street till the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day, thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links; thence south one (1) degree and six (6) minutes east fifteen (15) chains and nineteen (19) links parallel with said Maumee street, to the center of said road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27); thence westerly along the center of said last described road eleven (11) chains and thirty-eight (38) links to place of beginning, excepting and reserving therefrom about one and a half acres thereof sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler; also excepting lot numbered 261 sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton; also excepting a further parcel of land situate and adjoining said Saddler lot upon its north side sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler; also excepting and reserving therefrom that parcel thereof conveyed by Wm. Teachout and wife to Elizabeth Jordan by deed bearing date November 19, 1867, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 57 of deeds on page 183 &c., being ten (10) acres of land more or less.

Dated July 23, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 31, 1884.

A Union Club was organized at Clinton last Monday evening with twenty members.

The Prohibitionists have a Saint and a Daniel on their ticket and will shout for home protection and reform.

The tendency of party organs to abuse and scandalize political opponents is aptly touched up by the Morenci Observer thus:

"Are we a nation of rascals?" inquires John L. Hume in the North American Review. Well, John, a faithful reading of Democratic newspapers will make you think that most Republicans are rascals; on the other hand, by reading Republican papers you will think that most Democrats are rascals. As together they make up the biggest part of our country, the answer to your question, of course, must be in the affirmative.

The Prohibitionists are in the field with a ringing platform and a thoroughly good ticket. Their convention, although not as large as the two Chicago conventions, was composed of a fine body of able earnest men. The Union ticket will not run itself this year as hitherto. With the dissatisfaction existing in the old parties, the Prohibitionists have a golden opportunity to make a strong fight with the probability of carrying three or four states.

The New York World says: It is sad to see an alleged Labor organization in Baltimore adopting resolutions denouncing GOV. CLEVELAND for his veto of the Tenement House Cigar bill. That wise prohibitory measure became a law through GOV. CLEVELAND'S assistance. It was declared unconstitutional by the Court of Appeals. Last winter it was re-enacted by the Legislature in a revised form and was signed by the Governor. The managers of Mr. Blaine's "Aggressive Campaign" have started a good many stories of this character, but they do not promise to live long.

The Detroit Evening Journal in its editorial columns says:

The Evening Journal is not a scandal monger.

This its readers well know.

It deprecates attacks upon personal and private character.

And this its readers will know.

In its news columns it relates an old exploded scandal about Grover Cleveland, which is so improbable on its face, that even the Republican party organs decline to pollute their columns with it. The Journal has plumed itself on being a "clean" newspaper. It should now take the Pharisaical stool upon which it has been perching and chop it up into kindling wood.

The Prohibitionists resemble the old abolitionists. If they get licked once, they pick the flint and try it again. In 1872 they ran a national ticket and polled 5,608 votes.—In 1876 their vote reached 9,522.—In 1880 they polled 9,770 votes.—During the past four years they have maintained their organization and developed remarkable strength in several states, notably in Kansas, Ohio, Iowa, and Michigan. In this state in 1882 they secured 6,752 votes for governor, and they claim 50,000 this fall. This number is probably exaggerated, but it is more than likely that the Union ticket will develop sufficient strength to hold the balance of power in this state next November.

The New York Herald says: The Democratic platform does not raise the tariff issue as the main issue of the Presidential campaign, and in this the framers acted wisely. The campaign is not to be fought out on such an issue, because the nomination of Blaine gave prominence to another and more important one—that of honesty and decency in the administration of the Government. We do not want to see the gang of speculators, of lobbyists, of corrupt and swindling contractors who live on the Government's extravagance, of professional office seekers who run any office they can get for all it is worth—we do not want to see these men in power under the lease of one who did not hesitate to sell his influence when he saw an opportunity for personal gain. Here is the real issue—an issue of personal character and honest administration, and that is quite sufficient for one campaign.

HUDSON NOTES.

Business having called us to Hudson last Friday we spent a few hours interviewing some of the leading characters of our neighboring village. The newspapers of course came in for a share of our attention. Bro. Schermerhorn of the Gazette is still at the desk and seems to be happy over the outlook for Cleveland and Hendricks. The Gazette is a first class newspaper of which Hudson may well be proud. The Post also seems to be flourishing. One would hardly suppose, from a look into Bro. Searritt's benignant countenance, that he pens the blood and thunder editorials against the "Adrian political ring". He is enlisted for the war however and intends that the banner Republican town of the county shall have something to say on politics this fall.

The Comstock House is booming and is well patronized by the traveling public.

Henry C. Hall is still in the van in the grocery trade. He runs an advertising sheet of his own, called Hall's Hudson Grocer which has attained a large circulation.

Oren Howe still sells goods at the "lower corner" store, and keeps a large and well assorted stock.

Beardsell's old stand is crowded as usual. The senior partner is now giving his attention to his summer resort at Devil's Lake.

J. K. Boies & Co. are running the old corner store which has supplied the people of Hudson for so many years.

Considerable building is going on in Hudson this summer, and the village has a general appearance of thrift and business enterprise.

CLEVELAND & HENDRICKS CLUB.

The Democrats met at the Council Building last Friday evening for the purpose of organizing a Cleveland Club. H. H. Keyser was made temporary Chairman and F. B. Wood, Secretary. After some informal discussion it was resolved to proceed to the election of officers and the following persons were chosen:

President—Alfred James.

Vice Presidents—A. P. Coddington, E. B. Wood, William Hayden, Wm. Bresie, Minor Davidson.

Secretary—Fred B. Wood.

Finance Com.—H. H. Keyser, J. F. N. Bowen, Jas. A. Boyd, M. L. Root, Ben Garlinghouse.

The Chairman of the finance committee was made Treasurer *ex officio*. This committee is authorized to have charge of all funds and to call to their assistance other members of the club in raising funds for campaign purposes:

Ex. Com.—A. James, D. McNair, G. A. Kies, Jno. Benedict, Jerry Root.

This committee is to have charge of the general business of the club, to procure speakers, superintend meetings, etc.

On motion this committee was instructed to procure a suitable club room.

The executive committee was instructed to make a canvass of the village and township at once.

The club starts off in good shape with money in the treasury.

Our Time of Tribulation.

This is the season of the year that surely and sorely tries the soul of a local scribe in his sorrowful search for news to quiet the hungry cravings of a host of subscribers, who expect to find the local paper full from margin to margin and from head-line to foot-slug with interesting local matter; and if they fail to find it the editor is a blockhead and does not fulfill his mission to the people—so they think. The scarcity of legitimate local matter is the editor's path to perdition. He feels a responsibility resting upon his shoulders heavier than two loads of basswood, cut sled length, and in his efforts to do his duty to the people he departs from the path of truth and rectitude and enters the broad road that leads to ruin, and robs him of his veracity. Necessity is the mother of invention and the local editor is the father of the child. If the sweet angel of fortune smiles on him and makes his heart glad by the announcement of a birth, an elopement, a marriage, a runaway team and a mutilated wagon, he clutches at it with all the eagerness of a brown cow in a cabbage patch. But the angel fails to smile frequently, and the poor editor, like a penniless beggar, knows not where the next local meal is to come from. His imaginations must furnish all deficiencies in the weekly calendar of events until he sinks to the common level of a congressman, and is pointed out as the banner liar of a whole country. Verily, an editor's life is of many days and full of trouble, and he longs to drop the quill and rise to the proud dignity of a Durham calf at a county fair.—Saline Observer.

The New York Sun says: A newspaper in Buffalo has published scandalous charges against Mr. Cleveland, and the Utica Herald compares them with the charges against Mr. Blaine, contending that if the one is a proper subject of discussion the other is. No accusations produced without legal proof after the nomination of a candidate are worth a copper, and the publication of such accusations is a scandal of itself.

PROHIBITION.

Ex-Governor John P. St. John Nominated for President Unanimously.

Hon. William Daniel, of Maryland, Assigned the Second Place on the Ticket—The Platform and List of Officers.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

PITTSBURGH, July 23.—The National Prohibition Convention was called to order at eleven o'clock yesterday morning. Lafayette Hall presented a scene more animated than any seen under its roof since the day thirty-two years ago, when the anti-Slavery National Convention, representing all the free slave States, assembled to initiate an emancipation campaign. The hall is gaily decorated in flags, wreaths, flowers, banners and evergreens. Shields bearing the names of the various States were pendant from the galleries. A sheet of canvas stretched from wall to wall bears this inscription: "Constitutional Convention for the people, by the people." At the right and left of the President's chair are bowers composed of star spangled banners, the Union Jack of old England, National flags of Spain and Italy. Over the chair swings the motto: "Our homes and mothers must be protected." Five hundred men and women wear silken badges as delegates to the National Convention of the Prohibition Home Protection party.

The call of the convention was then read by W. R. W. Nelson, of Chicago secretary.

The address of welcome was delivered by C. L. Rose, of Pittsburgh. He described it as a very great honor and pleasant duty to welcome to Pittsburgh the delegates of the National Prohibition Convention. Never did a party more justly plead for help than his own. Back of them was a century of desolation caused by a legalized liquor traffic. The demands of the age could not be met without a Prohibition party. As Noah's ark would not do for a steamship, neither were old political parties suited to this day. This was the only political party that offered to the women of the Nation equal rights in managing the affairs of the Government. The prohibition harvest could not be gathered without the co-operation of the women. If asked "what is the influence of women in public places," the answer was, "Lucy Hayes." Every Nation was interested in the work of the convention, and when it came to chose a candidate for the Presidency he should be one whose labors have most richly blessed the cause of prohibition.

Gideon T. Stewart, chairman of the National Committee, responded in behalf of the convention. The hall in which they met added, he said, its historic welcome. Nearly thirty-two years ago the anti-slavery patriots assembled in it to organize another National campaign against the collassal crime which then ruled and well nigh ruined the Republic. He thanked the citizens of Pittsburgh for Lafayette Hall for its majestic memories, for its enlightening truths, to teach and inspire them for the great conflict. When he had finished his response to the address of welcome, Mr. Stewart proceeded to deliver the opening address. He referred to the relation between the liquor crime and the slavery crime. The anti-slavery men, he said, were strangely blind to the co-relation of the two evils. Their platform thirty-two years ago was silent as to the parent crime of which slavery was but the natural offspring. When Senator Brown, of Georgia, declared in the Senate some weeks since that African slavery was the product of Northern distilleries, he only echoed a truth shown in the whole history of the African slave trade and slavery. America had poured the destroying curse of the liquor crime on Africa, and by the fiat of avenging justice Africa had poured back the curse of slavery upon America. The two crimes had mutually sustained and strengthened each other. The anti-slavery reformers had lifted the ax of civil liberty to cut down one great branch of the upas tree, which, with its malign shadow, had darkened the republic, and today they met to lay that ax to the roots of the same upas, and to remove the main source of oppression and injustice to labor and of all crime, vice, and ignorance, poverty, debasement and misery. The whole compromise system for the pretended regulation of taxation and moral cultivation of the liquor crime was a sin against God and a crime against man. The arguments in its support were all rotten with wrong and reeking with blood. It was the logic of coiled vipers, flavored with the rhetoric of friends. Its absurdity was equal to its infamy. One of the most prevalent and dangerous forms of compromise with the liquor crime was that "of local prohibition" or "local option." A National crime organized and in control of the Government, demanded National prohibition by a party formed for the purpose. An attempt to reform the National Government and to abolish a ruling crime by merely changing laws and constitutions of States, was as vain as to expect a revolution of the sea by the mere winds that turn its waves. Within State limits constitutional prohibition had accomplished great good, but as opposed to the National crime, they were as impotent as ropes of sand in the teeth of Niagara. There were four nominally prohibition States at the North and half a dozen at the South, and yet, in the late National Republican Convention at Chicago, not a delegate from one of those ten States has dared to sign a minority report on the liquor question, and it was the same in the Democratic Convention. Thus all the Republican and Democratic Prohibitionists were bound as serfs of the liquor power under the lash of their party keepers when the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, represented by the honored and worthy head of Miss Francis Willard, stood at the door of the Republican National Convention pleading for the protection of homes, it was treated with silent contempt. What could more vividly illustrate the object and servility of that party to the liquor power and its perfidy to its own pledges; the anti-Slavery convention of 1852 and the Prohibition Convention of 1884 differed in one important respect. They first ushered in a political party; triumph followed by civil war; this convention came to proclaim glorious peace. Its mission was reunion, republican not in mere form, but in fact, in truth and hearts of all people. As a first and indispensible step to that reunion there must be total absolution of the two political parties. It was of no consequence which of them went first. In the grave of their master, the liquor power, they should both be quickly buried. Year after year the war between the two great political parties was protonged, although these many years the cry from the hearts of all people and all churches had been for a new party of peace and progress. The Prohibition party, called into being, met that cry; reclaimed the policy which bound unity and all religious and moral forces. Prohibition was civil liberty against crime, License was personal liberty for crime. The air was tramped with spirits, illustrious founders, patriots and sages of the republic, appealing to them to forward this mighty cause. From all the battlefields of the Nation, white-winged angels rose to bear their banners from the million graves its martyred heroes; and from unnumbered millions of dark, sad graves those who have been murdered by the liquor crime, pale hands were rising to point the way. Let this convention rise to the grandeur of its mission and do its duty fully, bravely and right, and a grateful future would come to crown its work with faultless glory.

The address was listened to with close attention and occasional plaudits. The reference to Miss Willard was greeted with applause, and her treatment by the Republican convention was greeted with shouts of "shame!" shame!"

The temporary organization was affected in the choice of William Daniel, of Maryland, as Chairman, and Mrs. Woodbridge, President of the Ohio Women's Christian Temperance Union, and Charles S. Carter, of Washington, as Secretaries.

Mr. Daniel in taking the chair spoke of the progress which prohibition was making in the State of Maryland. The general result was that the jails of Maryland were empty, property had appreciated, schools and churches were better filled, and every interest in the State was better promoted. So long, however, as the National Government allowed liquor to be imported, and issued license stamps, the State Constitution and State laws in favor of prohibition could not be enforced.

The General Government as well as the State government must prohibit this gigantic crime. The General Government fostered and protected intemperance throughout the license system, and therefore they must strike at the general good and they could only do that by putting in power the Prohibition party. Neither of the two parties had dared to touch the question in their recent conventions. One of them had found place for the protection of the wool of Ohio, but neither of them had found a place for the protection of the homes of the people. He believed that if the Democrats failed in the coming election, the best elements of that party would come in the Prohibition party and so with the Republican party. The thing for the Prohibitionists to do, was to poll a big vote in the coming election, that would hurt both parties. If the Christian and temperance voters of the country were united today, he believed they would put St. John, or some other good man, in the White House. Many of the politicians would have to swim in cold water. They had been swimming in whisky long enough, and now they would be taught to swim in cold water. If they should get a million votes in the coming election as Governor St. John said they would, they would break the back of one of the two parties, if not of both of them.

They were told, however, that they could not form a party on a single issue, but that depended on the size of the issue. They had put their colors to the front and would never draw them back, but would march up with them. The politicians were against the movement because they knew if temperance got into politics it would get them out. He wanted the Prohibition party in order to cover the bloody chasm between the North and South. Just as long as the Democrats are arrayed against the Republicans the old memories of the war would be fresh and there would be hate, vituperation and bitterness which would never cease until the ranks of the party were broken and this new party came in with the best elements of the North and South. There was victory in the air. It was coming as sure as they lived. This question would not "down." Leaving it out of the platform would not keep it down; never. If true to God and true to themselves they would succeed and would control the Government. He hoped, therefore, that the prohibition cause would have their prayers and their votes.

The band struck up "Where the Old Folks Lie," and there were three cheers for Maryland and her "little giant." The audience sang "Dare to Think, Dare to Do."

The Secretary reported the following representation in the convention: Alabama 2, California 23, Connecticut 2, Illinois 45, Maine 3, Kansas 17, Kentucky 6, Michigan 56, Nebraska 3, Dakota 1, Ohio 34, New Jersey 18, Maryland 10, New York 75, Missouri 10, Tennessee 12, Texas 10, Pennsylvania 58, Wisconsin 55; total, 446.

Miss Willard, President of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, appealed to the convention to listen at this time to the memorial prepared by the Union, and it was read by the Secretary, as follows;

THE W. C. T. U. MEMORIAL.

To the National Convention of the Prohibition party:

We, the members of the Women's Chaistian Temperance Union herein represented by the signatures of our officers, believe that while the poison habits of the Nation can be largely restrained by an appeal to the intellect through argument, to the heart through sympathy and to the conscience through the motive of religion, the traffic in these poisons will be best controlled by prohibitory law. We believe the teachings of science, experience and the "golden rule" combine to testify against the traffic in alcoholic liquor as a drink, and that the homes of America, which are the citadels of patriotism, purity and happiness, have no enemy so relentless as the American saloon. Therefore, as citizens of the United States, irrespective of sect or section, but having deeply at heart the protection of our homes, we do hereby respectfully and earnestly petition you to advocate and adopt such measures as are requisite to the end that prohibition of the importation, exportation, manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages may become an integral part of the National Constitution, and that your party candidate shall be by character and public pledge committed to a National Constitutional prohibitory amendment.

The views and principles expressed in the memorial were adopted by a rising vote.

THE PERMANENT ORGANIZATION

was then announced, with Professor Samuel Dickey, of Michigan, as President. A large number of Vice Presidents, among them several ladies and General Clinton B. Fiske, of New Jersey, and several secretaries, the first among them being Mrs. Woodbridge, of Ohio. The report was adopted, and a committee appointed to conduct Mr. Dickey to the chair Professor Dickey in taking the chair expressed appreciation of the high honor done him. They were here for work, not for words. They were here because they were driven into the work by their powerful convictions. They were not in harmony with those who believed in taxing or licensing the liquor system. They could not let it alone. They believed it ought to be suppressed. There was no hope to be placed in political parties. This Prohibition party stood committed to earnest, independent, political action. Their object was to found and to build up from its foundation an intelligent body of voters whose political thought would be the complete suppression of the liquor traffic. To that work they were pledged, and by that work they expected to stand. With the power of the General Government in their hands it would be weilded wisely and well, and the Nation would be redeemed from the curse of the rum power.

The convention then adjourned until this morning at ten o'clock.

SECOND DAY.

PITTSBURGH, July 24.—The Prohibition convention, under the rules adopted yesterday, met this morning at nine o'clock and was called to order promptly at that hour. The delegates filled the space assigned to them and the galleries were crowded with spectators. A short time was occupied in the singing of hymns. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. Lee, of New York.

The convention then proceeded to the call of States for the nomination of candidates for the Presidency.

When the State of California was called Mr. W. Babcock came to the stand and proposed the name of R. H. McDonald.

When the State of Illinois was called Mr. George C. Christian, of that State, nominated ex-Governor St. John.

Miss Frances E. Willard seconded the nomination of Mr. St. John in a stirring speech, which brought forth loud and long applause.

A delegate from Kentucky and one from Maine seconded the nomination of McDonald, and W. T. Eustis, of Maine, put in nomination Gideon T. Stewart, of Ohio. Mr. Minor, of Massachusetts, also seconded the nomination of Mr. St. John, expressing the belief that he would receive the nomination of the convention on the first ballot, and by an overwhelming majority.

Mr. Michael J. Hanney, of Michigan, seconded the nomination of Mr. St. John.

The nomination of Mr. St. John was also seconded by W. W. Satterlee, of Minnesota, and by Mrs. Mary Hoffman, President of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Missouri.

Mr. Ransom, of New Jersey, seconded the nomination of St. John. The nomination of St. John was also seconded by Hopkins of New York, Finch, of Nebraska. So many good things were said of him by the various speakers that the remark was made on the stage that the audience had been listening to-day to a new gospel of St. John.

When the State of Ohio was called, Mr. Gideon T. Stewart, of that State, came to the platform and said that the presentation of his name as a candidate by the delegation from Maine was against his wish and against his positive request. He had at all times stated that he was not a candidate and would not be a competitor for the nomination. St. John was with the Prohibition party now and forevermore until the death and burial of the liquor crime, and with that assurance he seconded the nomination of St. John.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

FLORIDA LANDS FOR SALE.—A few more of those choice lots in Sorrento, Orange Co., Fla., in size to suit purchaser 2½ to 5 acres, and 10 to 20 acre lots adjoining village. Also 40 to 80 acre tracts within three miles of Sorrento depot and railroad will be sold during the next 30 days for $10 an acre in 40 acre lots. These lands are good orange lands and very cheap. For particulars apply to E. HAUSE, Tecumseh, Mich.

WANTED.—A good farm to rent on shares for a term of three or four years by a first-class farmer. Communicate with M. H. KNICKERBOCKER, Monroe Co., Milan Mich.

YEE BIN, of Jackson has purchased the Tecumseh laundry, and will be pleased to do the work of the citizens of Tecumseh. The best of work and the lowest of prices, satisfaction guaranteed. Laundry on Pearl street. Give him a trial.

LOST—In this village between Henry Stevens house and Steam Grist Mill on Sunday afternoon, July 27th, a small shopping bag containing a wallet, some money and papers. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the HERALD OFFICE.

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D. J. Adams and wife, of Warren, O. are the guests of Abe Hanford.

Albert Brewer, wife and daughter, left for Petoskey on Monday last where he expects to remain a few weeks and engage in fishing and boating.

Mrs. C. M. Burlingame, accompanied by Mrs. C. W. Goodrich and daughter, went to Detroit yesterday on a visit to their brother, Dr. L. H. Goodrich.

Last week Tuesday night some person stole a small pig from Jake Dewey, and Jake wishes that they would invite him to the feast when they have it roasted.

Rev. J. L. Hudson, editor of the Union Light, and pastor of the Methodist church in Morenci, will preach in the Methodist church, in this village, next Sunday, Aug. 3d, on exchange with the pastor.

Sheriff Charles Bidwell met with a painful accident on Tuesday last. In stepping from a road cart his foot caught between the wheel and the brace which holds the step in such a way as to sprain his ankle.

Prof. Eugene Wilson, Principal of the Vassar schools is rusticating at his old home in Ridgeway for a few weeks. He occasionally calls on his old Tecumseh friends. He will return to Vassar about the middle of August.

On August 1st, the M. & O. railway company will run a special train from Toledo to Battle Creek, to accommodate people wishing to attend the Emancipation celebration at Battle Creek. Train leaves Toledo at 5:30 A. M.

Prof. J. W. Cupples and his wife, who have been the guests of Wm. Cupples for several days, leave to-day for their home at Spring Lake. Prof. Cupples has been engaged as Superintendent of the schools there for another year.

The Union Club held a fine meeting last Friday evening which was addressed by Dr. D. W. Loree of Ridgeway. A committee was appointed to send a delegation to the County Mass Convention which assembles in Adrian next Saturday.

Judge Geddes and his son Herbert were in Tecumseh Friday and favored the HERALD with a brief visit. Mr. Herbert Geddes is now connected with the La Foon Record in Dakota. He is running a newspaper and "growing up" with the country.

Francis P. Mann, of Morenci, committed suicide by hanging last week. He was a man of cheerful disposition and in good circumstances and no cause is assigned for the rash act. He tied a rope about his neck and then jumped from a beam in the barn.

Mr. & Mrs. N. F. Wood of Cleveland Ohio, accompanied Wm. A. Wood to Tecumseh to be present at Mrs. Eddy's funeral. Mr. Wood fills the position of Div. Supt. on the Mahoning Division of the N. Y. P. & O. R'y and is one of the leading railway officials of Cleveland.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 31, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Addison wants a brass band.

County clerk Hunter was in town last Sunday.

Thanks to Ed Culbertson for late Minnesota papers.

Only $1.25 for a round trip ticket to Detroit next Tuesday.

Mrs. Hazlett, of Hudson, will speak for Blaine and Logan.

The Deerfield Record wants a base ball club in that village.

Ed Zellars of Ypsilanti, is home in this village, for a few days.

The different hotels at the lakes have plenty of custom now.

Parties from Tecumseh and vicinity visit the lakes almost daily.

The Courier has been writing up the business houses of Addison.

Remember the cheap excursion to Detroit next Tuesday, Aug. 5th.

The contract has been let for the new city hall of Adrian for $13,670.

The Republican county convention will be held on Monday, August 11th.

Dr. Hause has a few choice lots in Sorrento, Fla., for sale, See special notices.

The big farmer's picnic at Devil's lake will be held the last week in August.

Miss Belle Guetchess of Albion, is the guest of Miss Ada Ames fer a few days.

A large party from Brownville went to the Lakes last Saturday and had a splendid time.

The name of Judge Cooley is being mentioned for congressional honors in this district.

A good open buggy, nearly new, can be bought cheap by enquiring at the HERALD office.

M. P. Brown and wife, left home on Monday for Cincinnati, where they will remain about one week.

Bro. Allen of the Morenci Observer withdraws from the Senatorial contest in this county.

The Clinton band will furnish music at the Prohibition ratification meeting this evening.

Geo. S. Field and Chas. Thompson are luxurating in the gentle breezes of Sand Lake this week.

Mr. C. L. Mears and sister, of Charlotte, are in Tecumseh, visiting Rev. C. E. Conley and family.

John Phillips, of Fairfield, a clerk, took a dose of laudanum on Sunday last and died Monday.

Rev. C. E. Conley preached at the Union Service at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening.

Mr. C. H. Gainsley has moved from Evans street to the residence of Horatio Keyser, on Chicago street.

Co. C leaves Tecumseh on Wednesday next for the annual encampment of the State troops at Brighton.

Geo. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, was at home last Monday to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. J. C. Eddy.

The Tecumseh Union Club hold a ratification meeting this evening. The state organizer will be present.

Henry Peck, of N. Y., has been spending a few days at the residence of his uncle Edward Hand, in this village.

A full set of Appleton's Cyclopedia latest edition, in cloth binding, for sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD office.

Tecumseh is to have a new skating rink. Parties are in town looking up a location and making estimates on a building.

Any one finding a lost yellow canary bird will please return the same to the HERALD office and receive the thanks of the loser.

S. W. Sadler, of Big Rapids, arrived in Tecumseh on Tuesday morning.—He was called home on account of the sickness of his mother.

Among the friends from abroad attending Mrs. Eddy's funeral was Mr. L. H. Eddy, of Lorain, Ohio, engineer on the C. L. & W. R. R.

Tribou LeBaron of Toledo, has been rusticating at his old Tecumseh home for a few days. He came on Saturday and returned yesterday.

Mrs. H. E. Stout has gone to Battle Creek to make her sister, Mrs. W. R. Wooden, and family a visit. She will be gone three or four weeks.

Misses Clara and Mabel Hayden are at Marquette, and Miss Lizzie Hayden is at Toledo. All trying to enjoy themselves this hot weather.

A. E. Marvin of the Addison Courier gave us a call last Friday. He seems to be well satisfied with the newspaper outlook in Addison.

Mrs. Thurston Hoover, of Hudson, made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide with morphine last Monday. Family trouble was the cause.

Dr. L. G. North, Mr. C. A. Slayton and Rev. G. W. Hudson, representing the Baptist, Presbyterian and Methodist S. S. went to Devil's Lake yesterday to see if arrangements suitable for a Union S. S. picnic could be made there. We do not know what they will decide upon.

Geo. Freeze, of Detroit, was in town last Friday.

An eel, three feet long, was caught in the river near Clinton the other day.

The threshing season is now fairly on. The yield is good and quality was never better.

Milan Sage, of Macon, is pushing the brick and tile business. Read his card in another column.

Union services will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday evening. Rev. J. L. Hudson, of Morenci, will preach the sermon.

Dr. Steinhoff is now absent on his vacation. He spends three weeks in Canada, a few days at Detroit and Alpena, and will return the last of next week.

About two weeks ago Mr. John E. Schoolcraft went down to Dr. Lairds in Raisin, to make a brief visit and was taken sick there. He returned to Tecumseh yesterday, feeling much better, although not fully recovered.

Eugene Hodges and Fred Chiverall accompany Co. C. to camp next week as cooks. There is no reason now why our boys should not live high during the encampment, and we trust they all will return with two inches of fat on their ribs.

Our genial friend Capt. Foster, clerk of the Lilley House, returned yesterday from an extended trip into New York state and up into Northern Michigan. He is much invigorated from the journey, and the traveling public will be glad to meet Capt. Foster in the hotel office again.

Dell Wood and wife were in Tecumseh from Monday till to day. They came upon a sad errand but among kind friends, who assisted in the last sad rites of their mother's funeral. Dell now fills a responsible position in the N. Y. P. & O. car shops and expects to make Cleveland his permanent home.

Sheriff E. H. Hyde, of Adrian, was in town yesterday in search of an individual who has come out $50 ahead by filling out a grain receipt and selling it after banking hours. Officer Schultz saw the man and talked with him and suspected he was not straight, but not knowing any of the facts at the time he did not detain him.—Jackson Patriot July 27.

Last Friday evening about ten o'clock, Ed. Clark of Clinton, and a man named Miller from Ridgeway, were driving on Evans street and met with quite a mishap. They were going in different directions and failed to turn out far enough in passing and the hind wheels of the buggies locked together with a crash, tearing Clark's wheel off and breaking it to pieces. Miller's hind axletree was bent nearly double. Fortunately no one in either buggy was hurt.

Happening in Adrian last Friday, we spent a few moments with County Clerk Hunter looking over the foundation of the new Court House. The walls are now all up, as far as the water table, and on two sides the window frames of the first story are in position. The work is progressing as rapidly as the proper seasoning of the walls will allow. We are indebted to Mr. Hunter for a fine photographic view of the new building, taken from the architect's plan of the elevation.

NOTICE.—To those of my friends who said they would patronise me if I could furnish them good coal as cheap as any one, I would say that I cannot handle coal at the margin I can get on it, hence shall not begin the business. I notified most of my friends some time ago not to wait for me, and I gave the names of some to S. W. Temple and asked him to speak to them to this effect, and if they wished to patronize him all right. It seems he took it for granted that those were positive orders for coal which they are not, hence this notice.
J. J. NEELEY.

At the blanket race held on Lawrence Park, Adrian, last Saturday, the stallion Banker Rothchilds acquited himself with a great deal of credit. After making a very large season, he trotted and won the free for all class with ease, defeating "Bessy Gay," also the game and speedy little gelding, that can trot on any good track in 2:30 or better. It was the opinion of good judges present that Banker R. can trot a good mile in 2:25 or better. "Lady Garfield," by Banker, also won the three year old race with ease, in two straight heats. Mr. Henry Keyser also showed his grey gelding, by Banker, which is four years old this spring. He can trot in 2:50.

Celery culture at Kalamazoo has grown to mammoth proportions. The Gazette of that place says: "Never since the city earned the title of Celeryville has the crop of that palatable article of relish been so large. Many acres have been added to the land cultivated for its growth, and the quality never was better. The various shippers of celery are doing a rushing business, their orders extending to the most distant places in the country. Texas, Dakota, Colorado and the seashore are daily supplied from Kalamazoo. One firm ships 2,000 dozen daily, and the season is hardly opened. Next month the orders will begin to come in from the heaviest dealers, and it is anticipated that the season will last until March next."

The Morenci band have purchased the old Adrian band uniforms for $75. The first cost of the outfit was $500, which indicates that the Morenci boys struck a good bargain.

The Dundee Gun Club will give its first annual tournament on Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 6 and 7. Arrangements have been made for a good time and for a successful shoot.

On Tuesday next a match game of base ball will be played between the Detroit and Buffalo league teams at Recreation Park, Detroit. You can go to Detroit to see this game on the special excursion train for $1.25.

The next regular of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 30, F. & A. M., will be held on Friday evening, Aug. 1st. Work in the third degree. Visiting brethren are expected from neighboring lodges, refreshments will be served and a general good time indulged in.

Tecumseh will be honored for the first time with the presence of a league base ball team this afternoon. The whole town should turn out to see the game. The HERALD goes to press two hours earlier than usual so we can lock up the office and all hands go to the show.

An "After Harvest Excursion" will run over the Branch from Jackson to Detroit on Tuesday, Aug. 5th '84. The Buffalo and Detroit Clubs will play on that day, which attraction of itself ought to draw a good crowd. A special train will run both ways, passing Tecumseh at 6:50 A. M. Fare for the round trip only $1.25.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ide arrived in town Saturday on their wedding trip. In the evening a reception was given in their honor by the groom's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ide, when a large number of Lavern's old friends paid their respects. The happy pair returned to Detroit on Monday, where their future residence will be.

MR. EDITOR:—Permit me to say to the people of Tecumseh, that I have some acquaintance with the young Chinaman Chi Gin, who is to lecture at the Presbyterian Church on Friday evening, and I can cordially recommend him to their confidence. He and a companion, Huie Kin, were brought from California by Rev. Dr. Ells to Lane Theological Seminary, where for two years they studied for the ministry. They are continuing their studies now in Pennsylvania. They are lecturing in vacation on Chinaand Chinese Customs in order to support themselves. The last number of the Herald and Presbyter of Cincinnati says: "They are worthy of the help of the churches and will compensate the congregations which invite them by their interesting talks. etc." Admission to the lecture 10 cents.
WM. H. BABBITT.

Here is a little item taken from The Daily Inter Ocean, April 12, of Chicago, showing how it pays to raise grapes near Muskegon: "A. W. Slayton has a vinyard not far from this place that he wishes to put some man on—prefers to sell him one-half interest in his Peach, Plump and Grape farm, This is the way the Mowlton farm has paid for the last 5 years; it is a place of 15 acres. The receipts from these 15 acres for 5 years, 1878 to 1882 inclusive, are herewith appended. It should be borne in mind that these are the net receipts after freight and commission for selling are deducted, and the account sales of a Chicago Commission Merchant are open to public inspection to substantiate these figures:

1878	$3,706.76
1879	4,565.17
1880	2,238.07
1881	3,887.06
1882	2,890.83
Total	17,987.89

Deduct from this gross amount $1,000 per year for care of farm, cost of baskets and sundry expenses (a liberal allowance) leaves the sum total of net profits, $12,289.89 or $2,457.57 net annual income.

The management and members of the Tecumseh Bass Ball Association have every reason to be satisfied and encouraged in their efforts to produce a little diversion and avert the regime of quietness that usually reigns supreme in our midst, by liberality and interest evinced by the great majority of the admirers of the National game; while on the other hand it is a source of no little annoyance and surprise at the continual grumbling and fault finding of a small minority (emanating from a source where capital is the most plentiful) especially at the certainly very modest fee which has been deemed necessary to charge at the gate for admission and vehicles, in order to partially assist in meeting the necessarily large expences entailed. These people, although apparently intelligent, seem to be impressed with the idea that the incentive for which the association is working in supporting a club is not for the amusement, but as a source of revenue whereby they may reimburse their own personal exchequer, and that in lending their feeble efforts towards retarding the healthy growth of the organization that they are assisting to destroy some powerful monopoly. What position in history might not Tecumseh occupy if she but had a few more such illustrious and self sacrificing citizens?

Hereafter no admittance will be charged for carriages at regular ball games.

The sixth annual reunion of the soldiers and Sailors of Southwestern Michigan will be held at Battle Creek. August 19—32—four days. A fine program has been arranged and a large attendance is expected.

In 1883 the rank of Michigan in relation to the other states in general production, was third in buckwheat, seventh in wheat, tenth in oats and barley, fifteenth in corn and eighteenth in rye. Illinois is first in corn, wheat and oats, New York in buckwheat, Pennsylvania in rye, California in barley.

A firm in New Jersey has gone into the active manufacture of artificial eggs. Thus one by one the lawful prerogatives of the sedate, matronly old hen are being ruthlessly torn from her by the brutal hand of man. By and by some one will invent a machine for scratching up garden seeds, and then the hen's occupation will be wholly gone.

The Detroit Free Press, 24th inst., says: If the public could only have foreseen the fun, there would have been not less than 10,000 people at Recreation Park yesterday afternoon. There was fun enough to entertain several large chunks and a few basketful of fragments to spare. Most of it was condensed into the first inning, but there was enough distributed through the other eight to prevent them from getting gloomy.

The Cass boys were first at bat, and three bases on call balls, a wild throw, three passed balls, and a scratch hit gave them two runs.

Then the Cass showed what they could do in the way of errors, and the movement was as follows: A passed third strike, a steal, a base on called balls, a passed ball, a hit, another base on called balls, a wild pitch, another steal, a wild throw, another hit, another steal, another hit, another steal, a muffed thrown ball, a wild throw, another passed third strike and two more hits, netted precisely eight runs. After that the Cass boys played a good uphill game, but the hill they raised was too high to climb in eight innings.

BASE BALL.

The Corn City Unions of Toledo were shut out last Friday by the Tecumseh team, by a score of 12 to 0. It was the same old story of "three strikes and out." The same old crowd were present; the same "man with the uniform" on stood behind the catcher, and hugged him so close that every time he turned around he run into the aforesaid man; the same crowd sat out in the right field with an umbrella and opera glass, and the same "small boy" was there continually getting inside the ropes, and as continually getting fired out. The Unions didn't seem to catch on to Kelley's pitching and only made two base hits during the game. The Tecumsehs made six base hits and three two base hits. In the last innings it did look as if the Unions would get a run. There were three men on bases and not a man out. The next batter struck at the ball three times without hitting it, but was not caught out on the third strike, and thus forced the other three men off, and a tripple play was made by throwing the ball to third second and first and putting them out, and ending the game.

The people that attended Tuesday's game between the Mutuals of Jackson and our boys, saw a good game and got their money's worth. It was a splendid game all around although 7 errors were made on our side and five on the Jackson's. The score at end of the ninth innings stood 3 to 0 in our favor. The pitching on both sides could not have been better, not a man getting to first base on balls and neither one making a wild pitch. Faatz did not do as good work as generally, letting two balls pass, while E. Tray let one go by. Kelly struck out 21 men and W. Tray 9. Blair and W. Tray were the only men on the Jackson side that made base hits. Chapman did some heavy hitting, making a one and two base hit, and also making two out of the three scores. F. Bostwick also made a two bagger at the end of the sixth innings.

The following is Tuesday's score

TECUMSEH.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
F. Bostwick, 2b	4	0	1	2	0	1	0
Heidenrich, ib	4	0	0	0	0	0	2
Kelty, p	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faatz, c	3	0	0	0	21	3	2
Chapman, ss	3	2	2	3	1	0	1
McKinney, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Freeman, 1b	3	0	0	0	5	0	2
Anderson, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
G. Bostwick, cf	3	0	2	2	0	0	0
Total	30	3	6	8	27	4	7

MUTUALS.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Blair, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0	1
Morrisey, ss	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
W. Tray, p	4	0	1	1	2	3	0
Livermore, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	2	1
E. Tray, c	4	0	0	0	9	6	1
Burrell, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
McGraw, 1b	3	0	0	0	10	1	1
Youngs, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Byron, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	32	0	2	2	24	14	5

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tecumseh	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	—3
Mutuals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Earned runs—Tecumseh, 2;
First base on errors—Tecumseh, 3; Mutuals, 7.
First base on balls—Tecumseh, 0; Mutuals, 0.
Struck out—Tecumseh, 9; Mutuals, 21.
Two base hits—Chapman, Bostwick.
Left on bases—Tecumseh, 5; Mutuals, 4.
Passed balls—Faatz, 2; Tray, 1.
Umpire—W. W. Frazer.
Time of game—2 hrs.
Attendance—200.

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DIED.

EDDY—On the 26th inst., at the residence of her son in-law, Wm. A. Wood, at Cleveland, Ohio Polly Diantha Eddy, relict of the late Jas. C. Eddy, aged 66 years.

The deceased was born at Earlville, Madison Co., New York, Aug. 15, 1818, and her home was in that village until her marriage in 1838. Soon after she removed to Michigan and lived nine years on a farm at Newburg. The family then moved to Ogden in this county, where they lived five years. Having sold the Ogden farm they moved back to Tecumseh where Mrs. Eddy, except for an interval of a year or two at Cleveland, has since resided.

The deceased was a woman of more than usual ability. She was a devoted wife and mother, of a genial, happy disposition, a great reader, and possessed of a remarkably retentive memory. These qualities made her a general favorite in the family and social circle. And yet it seemed as tho' more than her share of misfortune fell to her lot. She buried four children during her life time, and her husband Jas. C. Eddy, who enlisted in the 3d. Mich. Cav., was shot by a rebel guerilla near Huntsville, Ala., in 1862. She leaves but one surviving child, Polly Wood, who now resides at Cleveland, Ohio.

She left Tecumseh on the 17th of March last to visit relatives in Medina, Ohio, and then proceeded to her new home in Cleveland. At six o'clock on the morning of the 24th, a serious accident befell her which necessitated the amputation of a limb. She never rallied from the shock, and peacefully passed away at five P. M., on the 26th. Her remains were brought to this village on Monday and the funeral obsequies were held at Judge Stacy's residence at four o'clock that afternoon. Rev. Robert Wooden of Cambridge, a personal and religious friend of the deceased for thirty-nine years, officiated, at her own request. Many friends and relatives followed her lifeless form to the grave, in whose hearts the memory of "Aunt Diantha" will ever remain green. While mourning the lose of a fond mother and a kind genial companion, they rest in the assurance that her earthly trials are now over and that she has gone to a better land.

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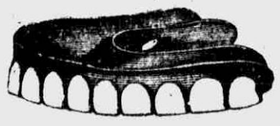
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A Huge Electric Battery.

In erecting the great statue of Liberty, two things had to be considered that seem very trifling and yet, if neglected, might destroy the statue in one day, or cause it to crumble slowly to pieces. One is the sun, the other is the seabreeze. Either of these could destroy the great copper figure, and something must be done to prevent such a disaster. The heat of the sun would expand the metal and pull it out of shape, precisely as it does pull the Brooklyn bridge out of shape every day. The bridge is made in four parts, and when they expand with the heat of the sun they slide one past the other and no harm is done. The river span rises and falls day and night, as heat and cold alternate. The great copper statue is likewise in two parts, the frame work of iron, and the copper covering, and while they are securely fastened together, they can move one over the other. Each bolt will slip a trifle as the copper expands, in the hot August sunshine, and slide back again when the freezing winds blow and the vast figure shrinks together in the cold. Besides this, the copper surface is so thin and elastic that it will bend slightly when heated, yet keep its general shape.

The salt air blowing in from the sea has thin fingers and a bitter, biting tongue. If it finds a crack where it can creep in between the copper surface and iron skeleton, there will be trouble at once. These metals do not agree together, and where there is salt moisture in the air they seem to quarrel more bitterly than ever. It seems that every joining of points of copper and iron makes a tiny battery, and so faint shivers of electricity would run through all the statue, slowly corroding and eating it into dust. This, curious, silent, and yet sure destruction must be prevented, and so every joint throughout the statue, wherever copper touches iron, must be protected with little rags stuffed between the metals to keep them from quarreling. It is the same wherever two different metals touch each other. Imagine what a tremendous battery the Liberty would make, with its tons of copper surface and monstrous skeleton of iron. However, a little care prevents all danger, as provision will be made, of course, for keeping the metals from touching each other. — *Charles Barnard, in St. Nicholas.*

How Roman Women Beautify Their Complexions.

Complexions differ very much with the climate. The English have, beyond a doubt, the most beautiful complexions in the world. American girls possess more beauty of feature, perhaps, but their complexions are not nearly so fine. As one goes further south toward the equator, one sees darker skin and darker hair and eyes, for all these physical characteristics have reference to climatic influences. Upon two things the condition of the skin depends—oil and coloring matter. The skin of a very old man or woman, for want of oil, becomes like wrinkled, dried-up parchment; an Albino has scarce any coloring matter in his hair, eyes or complexion. To finish, I will give you a recipe for beautifying the complexion—the one used by the dames of ancient Rome. Probably it is familiar to many, but there may be others who have never read it. These ladies made a stiff paste of rye flour, and covered their faces with it on retiring. In the morning they washed it off with milk (they never used water), and applied a little powder if it was deemed necessary. This, we are told on good authority, is really the best method of improving the complexion that has ever been used, either in ancient or modern times. The rye flour is said to positively draw from the skin any marks that may have lingered on it. Moreover, it makes the complexion charmingly soft an effect which the milk helps to produce. Several Parisian belles adopted this plan, and it is rumored that the Empress Eugenie tried it. At all events the ladies who are known to have followed the recipe of the Romans are also those who have been celebrated for their lovely skins. In spite of the opinion of the clever druggist, this is doubtless very efficacious in softening and bleaching the skin. — *Toronto Globe.*

Believed to Be a Fiction.

Julian Arnold said that "his father, Edwin Arnold, wrote the most of 'Light of Asia' on the cuff of his shirt sleeve, while riding in the cars to and from his office. He says his father went into London every morning, and during the ride would write on his cuff with pencil. In the evening, after his return home, he copied the lines off on paper and in this way wrote most of the poem." If Julian Arnold really said that he probably told more lies in those few lines than he ever told in the same space before. This "cuff writing" business, dearly beloved, is a beautiful, but rather gauzy fable that exists in the highly imaginable intellects of young journalists, of some three or four days' experience in the dog fight and fire department of an able journal. A cuff is an awkward thing to write on at best, and it is very seldom that a newspaper man is so reduced for stationery as to be compelled to write poems and leaders on his cuffs. Especially when the "concern" furnishes note books and tablets. When you hear a man telling how he took down a three-colum speech, at midnight, in a pelting storm, on his cuff, ask him if he didn't see to write his notes by the lurid glare of his nose. The one is quite as probable as the other. No more of this "cuff" business, Julian. It does not need that any man should come all the way from England to tell us such stuff as that. We have some good old romancers right here in America. Honestly, we never knew but one reporter who claimed to take all his notes on his cuffs. And we never saw him but once with cuffs on his wrists. And they were so dirty he couldn't make a legible mark on them with anything except a piece of chalk. Call up the next scribe.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A moose was recently captured in the forests of the Asotin River, Washington Territory. It was the first ever seen in that part of the country. The Indians succeeded in capturing it after a lively chase.

An Egyptian Battalion 1400 B. C.

The formation of the battalion for combat was as follows:

The 100 Captains formed the front rank of the battalion, and each Captain had his 100 men in file behind him. A Corporal at the head of each nine men. The chief of each 1,000 men was in front of the center of the two companies, while the Colonel commanding the grand battalion was in front of the center.

The leaders were not mounted on horseback, but were mounted in two wheeled chariots drawn usually by two horses. In the chariots were carried a supply of javelins and arrows for the use of the chief, who usually had in the chariot with him a soldier, who held a buckler to cover him from the arrows of the enemy, while he dealt about him with his bow and spears.

In the early days, and down to the time of Sesostris, the officers and noncommissioned officers carried bucklers and swords, while the private soldiers of infantry carried each a buckler and a battle-ax. Sometimes the battle-ax was accompanied by, and sometimes replaced by, a spear.

It is easy to see that Moses drew from the military organization of Egypt that which he adopted for the Israelites and later on the Greeks their formations. Both these nations took their first lessons in civilization and organization from Egypt.

In the earliest monuments and records of the Egyptian army there is no sign of the existence of the horse as a military animal, while in the monuments of the eighteenth dynasty, the war-horse is everywhere indicated. It is probable that the war-horse was first introduced by the Shepherd Kings, who came in from Syria about 4,100 years ago. It is certain that the horse formed an important agent in the military establishment of Egypt, under the legitimate Kings of the country, 1,700 years before the Christian era, and the lack of monuments erected during the 500 years of struggle between the Shepherd Kings and the Thebans explains easily the lack of record on this subject. Sesostris had at one time 20,000 war chariots in line drawn by horses.—*General Stone, in Journal Military Service Institution of the United States.*

The Language of Umbrellas.

There is a language of umbrellas as of flowers. For instance, place your umbrella in a rack and it will change owners. To open it quickly in the street means that somebody's eye is going to be put out; to shut it, that a hat or two is to be knocked off. An umbrella carried over a woman, the man getting nothing but the drippings of the rain, signifies courtship. When a man has the umbrella and the woman the drippings it indicates marriage. To push your umbrella into a person and then open it means "I dislike you." To swing your umbrella over your head signifies "I am making a nuisance of myself." To trail your umbrella along the foot-path means that the man behind you is thirsting for your blood. To carry it at right angles under your arm signifies that an eye is to be lost by the man that follows you. To open an umbrella quickly, it is said, will frighten a mad bull. To put a cotton umbrella by the side of a silk one signifies "Exchange is not robbery." To purchase an umbrella means "I am not not smart, but honest." To lend an umbrella indicates "I am a fool." To return an umbrella means—well, never mind what it means, nobody ever does that. To turn an umbrella in a gust of wind presages profanity. To carry your umbrella in a case signifies it is a shabby one. To carry an umbrella just high high enough to tear out men's eyes and knock off men's hats signifies "I am a woman." To press an umbrella on your friend, saying, "Oh! do take it; I had much rather you would than not," signifies lying. To give a friend half of your umbrella means that both of you will get wet. To carry it home in the morning means "It will clear off."—*Donahue's Magazine.*

A Foiled Diplomat.

"George, dear," she said, entering the parlor with her bonnet on, "I guess we'd better take a walk; papa is expecting company to-night."

"Very well," added her lover, apprehensively, recalling the expensive consequences of previous walks. Before they had gone half a block, however, an idea struck him and he said:

"I was reading such an interesting article in the paper this morning."

"Yes: what was it about?"

"About the danger of eating ice cream. You can't imagine how many people have died from it, Lizzie. In eight cases out of ten it's rank poison."

"Oh, my, how glad I am you told me, dear," exclaimed the innocent girl, with a Chicago twinkle in her eye: "you buy me a couple of quarts of it and I'll take it home to kill rats."—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—A good amateur actor carried a sachel into a Baltimore groggery and displayed contents that seemed to be money to the amount of $25,000, at the same time pretending to be demented. A companion soon intimated to the rumseller that the treasure ought to be taken care of, and agreed to leave it in his possession if he would hand over $500 as security. "But this must be your own money," said the friend, "for nothing in the bag must be disturbed." The sum was eagerly advanced by the saloon man, who, of course, intended to keep the bag, in which he subsequently found nothing but worthless paper.

—South Carolina raises no tobacco. More than one hundred years ago eight thousand hogsheads grown in the State were annually exported from Charleston. Last season the North Carolina yellow-tobacco belt produced crops which, in various instances, netted planters three dollars and fifty cents per acre clear profit. This result, so close to their own homes, is stirring up the South Carolinians to revive tobacco culture wherever the soil is favorable. They see an excellent chance to acquire another cash crop.

—A little girl in town was trying to tell her mother how beautiful a certain lady could trill in singing, and said: "Oh, mamma, you ought to hear her gargle, she does it so sweetly."

Words of Warning and Comfort

If you are suffering from poor health or languishing on a bed of sickness, take cheer if you are simply ailing, or if you feel weak and dispirited, without clearly knowing why, Hop Bitters will surely cure you.

If you are a minister, and have overtaxed you self with your pastoral duties, or a mother, worn out with care and work, or a man of business or labor, weakened by the strain of your everyday duties, or a man of letters feeling your midnight work, Hop Bitters will most surely strengthen you.

If your suffering from over eating or drinking, any indiscretion or dissipation, or are young and growing too fast, as is often the case,

or if you are in the workshop, on the farm, at the desk, anywhere and feel that your system needs cleansing, toning, or stimulating, without intoxicating, if you decide,

that old age, and impure blood, feeble nerves, unsteady faculties warning, Hop Bitters is what you need to give you new life, health, and vigor.

If you are costive, or dyspeptic or suffering from any other of the numerous diseases of the stomach or bowels, it is your own fault if you remain ill. If you are wasting away with any form of kidney disease, stop tempting death this moment, and turn for a cure to Hop Bitters.

If you are sick with that terrible sickness, Nervousness, you will find a "Balm in Gilead" in Hop Bitters.

If you are a frequenter, or a resident of, a malarial district, barricade your system against the scourge of all countries—Malaria, Epidemic, Bilious and Intermittent Fevers by the use of Hop Bitters.

If you have rough, pimply or sallow skin, bad breath, Hop Bitters will give you fair skin, rich blood, the sweetest breath and health. $500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help.

A Lady's Wish.

"Oh, how I do wish my skin was as clear and as soft as yours," said a lady to her friend. "You can easily make it so," answered the friend, "follow my example, I use Hop Bitters." "Why, using Hop Bitters that makes pure, rich blood and promoting health. It did it for me as you observe.

☞ None genuine without a bunch of green Hops on the white label. Shun all the vile, poisonous stuff with "Hop" or "Hops" in their name.

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This is daily bringing joy to the homes of thousands by saving many of their dear ones from an early grave. Truly is Dr King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, hay fever, loss of voice, tickling in the throat, pain in side and chest, or any disease of the throat and lungs, a positive cure. Guaranteed. Trial bottles free. Large size $1.

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Moses Bartow, of Portland, died July 7. He was a member of the legislature from Clinton county in 1865 and 1875.

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Counting some of the inhabitants in surrounding towns, St. Louis finds it has over 3,000 inhabitants.

A Prayer

Goes up from the lips of Rev. C. D. Diggs, Trenton, N. Y., whose wife was cured of Rheumatism of three years standing, by the use of Athlophoros. He writes: "Athlophoros worked like a charm in her case. She was not able to go anywhere for three years. Now she goes everywhere, and is sound as a dollar. Oh that your remedy could be in the hands of every sufferer. May the Lord help you to get it around in this part of the world."

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Muskegon hopes and expects to have a population of 35,000 when the next general census is taken in 1890.

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Total population of Van Buren county by late census is 30,334, being a loss of 463 since census of 1880.

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Thomas Sisely, of Salem, Allegan county, is under arrest, charged with attempting to murder Isaiah C. Gibson, July 4.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	3 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	3 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	2 02 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Deroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 32 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 58 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 18 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
5 20	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 03	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 30	5 00
7 51	6 27	11 27	....Britton....	3 35	10 10	4 11
8 04	6 31	11 32	...Ridgeway...	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	11 43	...Tecumseh...	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 57	12 00	....Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	..Cambridge...	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	...Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P.M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	...Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	...Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 05
11 46	8 07	1 19	...Hanover...	1 41	8 33	12 37
P.M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	...Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P.M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	.....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
2 22	9 09	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 49	9 22	2 34	....Ceresco....	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 00	9 40	2 56	..Battle Creek..	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 20	....Augusta....	11 43		8 12
4 35		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 55
4 46		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		3 57	....Dexter....	11 08		6 51
5 32		4 16	...Montreith...	10 49		6 15
5 40		4 27	.....Fisk.....	10 39		5 55
5 54		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 5		4 45	Ar..Allegan..Lv	10 20		5 15
P.M.		P.M.		A.M.		A.M.

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	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	2 20
Romulous	....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bakersley	....	12 48	6 29
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P.M.	A.M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bakersley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
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5 35	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 40	7 14	....Manhattan Junction....	9 26	4 48
5 46	7 23	....Alexis Junction....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 32	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 56	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	7 56	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	....Monroe Junction....	8 42	3 59
6 22	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 05	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 30	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 32	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 37	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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PLEURO-PNEUMONIA IN NEW JERSEY.

Facilities for Its Spread Afforded by the Trenton Stock-Yards.

TRENTON, N. J., July 29.—The pleuro-pneumonia cases reported from a farm near Hightstown has created great excitement among the cattle-dealers in the State, and especially those in this vicinity. Trenton is the great cattle center for the State. Cattle-raisers in the northern part of New Jersey put their sheep and beef in cattle cars on Monday night or Tuesday morning of each week. The cattle do not reach here as a general thing, until late on Tuesday. The butchers will not take them to their slaughter-houses after four o'clock in the afternoon owing to the complaints made by people residing near the houses. As a consequence, the cattle are often left from twelve to twenty-four hours at the stockyards without food. The railroad companies have more than once sent food out to the yards to be given to the cattle. Inspector Maguire, in an interview to-night, said that the keeping of hungry cattle in close cars for a number of hours bred disease. Mr. Maguire has known cattle to be kept forty-eight hours before being slaughtered. He thinks the present condition of affairs is cause for alarm. Should the cases reported prove fatal the infection will rapidly spread through the State and into New York and Pennsylvania, and from thence go west. Trenton's stock yards would be just the place for pleuro-pneumonia to start and spread. Mr. Maguire is of the opinion that a veterinary surgeon should be appointed at once by the State Board of Health to station himself here and examine all cattle ariving each day. At present all cases of the kind are reported to Prof. Brackett, of Princeton College, and he takes the necessary steps. One case of pleuro-pneumonia, however, in one of the cattle-cars reaching here in the afternoon would spread before Prof. Brackett could be informed. Mr. Maguire hopes the report from Hightown, and a later report from Mount Holly, may prove false. He thinks that precautions should be taken at once, however.

A Shooting Affray Among the Creek Indians.

FORT SMITH, Ark., July 28.—A shooting affray occurred at a dance at Deep Fork, in the Creek Nation, last Wednesday morning at daylight, in which Sam Haines and another Indian were mortally wounded by John Tiger, also a Creek Indian. Haines and Bonie McIntosh were endeavoring to settle an old feud when Tiger came upon the scene drunk, and after a few words began firing into the crowd, shooting Haines in the head and shooting off his nose; another shot took effect in the head of Sam Succie, a bystander, who died the next day. After the shooting Tiger fled, leaving his horse and hat behind, and escaped unhurt, although about twenty-five shots were fired at him. At last accounts he was still at large.

The Iron and Steel Workers.

PITTSBURGH, July 29.—The annual convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers will meet in this city August 5, and will continue in session five days. During the convention action will be taken looking to the strengthening of the association in the East, so as to be able to demand an equalization of wages and privileges next year, also to bring about a conclusion of strikes at Beaver Falls, Pa., Aurora, Ind., and Birmingham, Ala. Men have been out at these points a long time, because the manufacturers refuse the association recognition. There will be no change in the officers. About a hundred and fifty delegates from all parts of the country will be in attendance.

Old Lewis Spencer.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., July 26.—Lewis Spencer, better known as "Chuck-a-Luck," a colored man who had for many years lived in Niagara County, died Thursday night at the county poor-house of senile debility. His age, according to the most authentic records, was 115 years. He was probably the oldest person in the United States. In early life he was a slave in the South, and several years ago, before his memory failed, he could relate many interesting stories of his slavery days, and declared that he could remember the last days of the Revolutionary war. He was at one time a familiar figure at the different hotels throughout Niagara County.

A Monopoly Beaten.

PITTSBURGH, July 29.—In the United States Court yesterday the application for an injunction by the Atlantic Giant Powder Company, of California, to restrain Marquis Hulings, Wilson Barr Howe et al., from infringing upon nitro-glycerine, was dismissed by Judge Acheson on the ground that the method under which the parties have been operating had been distinctly and unequivocally disclaimed by Albert Nobles to whom the original letters patent were is sued. The case has been on trial a long time and excited a good deal of interest as a decision in the plaintiff's favor would have given them a gigantic monopoly.

The Notification Committee at Albany.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 29. Several members of the Notification and National Committees arrived Monday morning and the remainder last night. The formal notification to Governor Cleveland will take place at the Executive Mansion at half-past three to-day. The proceedings will be brief. The chairman will make a short address, to which Cleveland will reply. On account of the limited accommodations at the Executive Mansion none will be present but members of the committee and a few personal friends of the Governor.

The Cowboy Murderer Caught.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 29.—Brookings Boston, the cowboy who killed young Griffin at Elkton, this county, was arrested at Pierre and lodged in jail here. He was visited yesterday by his friends from the camp and an effort to effect his release may be made. Plans are perfected to hold the prisoner from these and to hold him from violence from others at whatever cost.

Three Murderers Arrested.

LANCASTER, Pa., July 28.—Charles Bently, who was shot in the affray at Columbia last Friday, is dead. Henry Cepiinn, who fired the fatal shot, and George Try and Emanuel Burkheiser, as accessories, have been arrested.

Train Wreckers Caught.

LYNCHBURG, July 28.—Silas Hudson, James Padgett and Arthur Page, young men, are under arrest for placing logs on the track of the Richmond & Allegheny Road.

Determined on Murder.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 29.—Andrew Gorman, of Falls Village, was shot and instantly killed at his house at that town Sunday morning by Edward Halstead, who forced his way into the house. Halstead gave himself up.

OHIO GREENBACKERS.

The Ticket Nominated at the Convention in Dayton.

DAYTON, O., July 29.—The State Convention of the Greenbackers was held in the city hall last night to put a State ticket in nomination. John Seitz, of Seneca, was chosen chairman, and upon taking the stand made a lengthy speech, presenting the principles of the Greenback party, and condemning the platform of both Democratic and Republican parties. He claimed that the greenback was the money of freedom, and that gold and silver were relics of barbarism; urged all to support their own organization, and work for that Presidential candidate who was nearest in harmony with their principles. J. W. Northwood, of Columbiana, and George Hofer, of Miami, were chosen Secretaries, and the following committee on resolutions was elected: John Aman, of Hamilton, J. G. Galloway, of Montgomery, J. Brooks of Lake, M. Krumer, of Franklin and J. W. Northword, of Columbiana. While the committee was preparing a report the following State ticket was placed in nomination: Secretary of State, Peter Harris, of Carroll; Supreme Judge, James G. Grogin, of Hocking; Members of the Board of Public Works, William Bangden, of Hamilton; Electors-at-Large, John S. Seitz, of Seneca, David Wells, of Tuscarawas.

Upon the call of districts the following State central committeemen were chosen: Thomas B. Ogden, Hamilton; James Robinson, Clermont; Colonel Lee Watz, of Montgomery; H. A. Ashley, of Clark; Joseph Watson, of Knox; John Seitz, of Senega; D. S. Schwisher, of Licking; D. C. Shidister, of Columbiana; Phi Shear, of Stark. The committee was authorized to fill vacancies.

The following Presidential electors were reported: David Darham, of Clermont; William A. Hardinger, of Clarke; Thomas N. Hickman, of Morrow; J. W. Vail, of Wood; A. B. Laird, of Licking; Phil Shear, of Stark; vacancies to be filled by the district.

At 11:30 p. m. the following platform was adopted:

Resolved, That the State Convention of the Greenback Labor party of Ohio assembled at Dayton, Ohio, indorse the platform adopted by the National Convention assembled at Indianapolis May 24, 1884.

Resolved, That we demand equality of taxation on all lands whether improved or unimproved.

Resolved, That we favor legalization of trades unions and granting them charters.

Resolved, That we favor the instituting of industrial schools for all children until sixteen years of age, so as to accomplish the abolition of children's labor for private employers, realize compulsory education and inaugurate a sensible system of apprenticeship.

Resolved, That this convention condemns the monopolization of the coal and iron lands of the State; the creation of fictitious values largely in excess of the actual cost of transportation lines leading thereto by syndicates and exacting dividends and interest on the same, out of which has arisen the present labor strike in the Hocking Valley; and that the earnest sympathies of this convention are extended to the miners struggling for their rights. We condemn the importation of labor to take their place, and the invasion of the State by armed forces, contrary to the laws of the State, at the instance of such corporation.

Resolved, That the hard times and stringency of the present money market are due directly to the financial system inaugurated and upheld by the power of leaders in the Republican and Democratic parties whereby many are robbed for the benefit of the few.

Resolved, That this is the sentiment of this convention that it is the imperative duty of the National Committee of the Greenback Labor party co-operating with the candidate named at Indianapolis, that it should immediately institute a vigorous campaign, and that the committee should promptly take such action as present and future exigencies may require to maintain and strengthen the organization.

Outraged by Tramps.

DETROIT, July 29.—Emma Kimball, aged fourteen, daughter of a wealthy farmer near Lyons, Ionia County, while walking in a lane near her father's house, between six and seven Sunday night, was attacked by two tramps and outraged. The men fled to Lyons and called for a lunch, but the news of the outrage coming in they left. One hundred citizens searched all night unsuccessfully, but Deputy Sheriff Devrick telephoned from Portland yesterday morning that he was on the track of the villains. If caught and fully identified, lynching is threatened. The neighborhood is greatly excited.

A Lake Disaster.

CLEVELAND, July 29.—A dispatch was received last night by Captain H. J. Webb, of this city, dated at Sault St. Marie, saying that the propeller John M. Osborn had been run down and sunk by the steel steamship Alberta on Lake Superior, off White Fish Point, late Sunday night. The mate, a fireman, cook and five deck hands went down with the wreck in twenty-seven fathoms of water. The passengers and balance of the crew were taken off by her consorts, the schooners Thomas Gawn and Davis, which are now on their way to this city in tow of the propeller Hecla.

Drowned From the Steamer Pearl.

TOLEDO, O., July 29.—At Put-in Bay yesterday three colored men, while scrubbing paint off the steamer Pearl, standing on a suspended scaffolding, turned to watch the steamer Waite go out. All fell into the water and two were drowned before assistance arrived. The other hung on the rudder of the Pearl till a skiff arrived.

Dashing Through a Bridge.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 29.—A special to the *Express* says: The passenger train on the Bedford narrow gauge went through a bridge at Bloomfield, Ind., the entire train going into the river, killing instantly William Hubbetts, of Switz City, Ind., and seriously injuring a number of others.

Abolishing Contract Labor

CHICAGO, Ill., July 29.—The City Council last night passed an ordinance abolishing contract labor for prisoners at the city House of Correction. The inmates of this institution number from 1,000 to 1,500. It has heretofore been self-supporting. If the ordinance goes into effect it will throw the cost of maintenance on the city.

Mrs. Greely on Her Way East.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 29.—The wife of Lieutenant A. W. Greely passed through this city last evening en route from San Diego, Cal., to Portsmouth, N. H., where she expects to meet Lieutenant Greely August 2. The lady is accompanied by her brother, L. S. Nesmuth, and her two children.

Base Ball.

BUFFALO, July 29.—The Clevelands were lowned again yesterday by the Buffalos by a score of 9 to 3.

New York—The home team defeated the Bostons yesterday by a score of 7 to 0.

Chicago—Detroits, 3; Chicagos, 5.

By reason of Boston's defeat Providence goes to first place.

A Dakota Town Destroyed.

FARGO, D. T., July 29.—News reached here yesterday of a big fire at Devil's Lake City, which destroyed forty buildings, including the bank, hotels, stores, saloons, etc. The fire swept everything before it, there being no department.

A Noted Man.

Among the men who have made their names household words within the last half century, stands Mr Speer of Passaic, N J. He is the pioneer Grape grower of this country, and he has demonstrated beyond a doubt that the foreign grapes can be raised here and that as fine wine can be produced in this country as in Europe, and for medicinal uses Mr. Speer's wine surpasses that of the old country. Ladies indicate health and aged people find it to be the best wine they can procure.—Winsted Argus. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

Clark Cole, for 10 years a gate keeper at the Jackson prison, has been discharged.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

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Prof. Lorenzo Dow, of Hillsdale, has been engaged to take charge of the Homer schools.

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The Muskegon booming company has rafted for the season thus far 274,000,000 feet of logs.

Persons whose lungs are impaired or have throat diseases should not go to the seashore, as the air is always poisonous to such troubles. Use Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure; it cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, asthma, influenza, and all throat and lung diseases. Montgomery & Co., druggists, Decorah, Iowa, says: "We are having a run on Positive Cure. It gives universal satisfaction." Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free of Bakes & Hall.

Mrs. Percival Marriott, of Flint, becomes heir to $60,000 by the will of an uncle in England.

A GOOD INVESEMENT.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the window and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

There will be four verandahs on the Elk Rapids school house, but the editor of the Progress prays especially that it be fitted out with some good looking school teachers.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

A Saginaw man named George Wisner is indulging in such an able-dodied case of the jim-jams that the hospital won't hold him, and he has been locked up in the jail for safe keeping.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

The four saloon keepers of Chase have been pulled for illegal selling.

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Have had no return of the complaint.—Charlotte Parker, Waverly, N. Y.

It costs nearly double to manufacture DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder, which is made from Cream Tartar and Soda only, then it does those filled with starch, flour, and other dead weights. Some manufacturers, to avoid the expense of Cream of Tartar, use Ammonia, Alum, Tartaric Acid, &c. You can detect the impure ones by boiling in water a small quantity. The ammonia will produce an odor; alum also, and taste bitter, and the starch and filling will not disappear, while Cream Tartar and Soda will leave clear water.

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PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

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At this stage of the proceedings Mr. Babcock of California, who had nominated Mr. McDonald, came to the platform and said Mr. McDonald was the vanguard and Mr. Stewart was the rear guard, but he could not stand by the action of the convention in nominating Mr. Black and that of Mr. Stewart was nominated by the Maine delegation with the remark that Maine expected to be the vanguard and that the rear guard would be mustered in by the Maine delegation. Mr. Stewart was nominated by acclamation with the remark that the rear guard had just drop P. S. John, and he was nominated for president and vice president, and the nomination of Mr. Black and that of Mr. Stewart was withdrawn by the Maine delegation. Mr. Black was nominated for president and Mr. Stewart was nominated for vice president. Several three speeches for St. John were made, the speech of Mr. Fairbanks, also withdrew, and the nomination of Mr. Black and that of Mr. Stewart was withdrawn by the Maine delegation. Mr. Black was nominated for president and Mr. Stewart for vice president. Several speeches

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Corn and potatoes are looking fine since the rains.

There were not many that went to Devil's Lake on the excursion last Wednesday.

Only seven took in the Emancipation jubilee at Battle Creek last Friday.

Mr. Richard Cadmus left for Mr. John Emmons' at Matamora Kalamazoo Co. last Friday.

Quite a number went to see the game of ball between the Buffalo and Tecumseh boys, and were well pleased with the game.

Those who went to hear E. B. Sutton talk in the interest of Prohibition at Tecumseh, Thursday night, felt well paid.

Master Jimmie Nelson is very sick with typhoid fever

Miss Allie Palmer is visiting her brother Dr. R. H. Nelson. Miss Palmer's health is quite poorly.

Mr. and Mrs. Stearns, the train dispatcher of the M. & O. R. R. were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sutton Sunday.

Mr. Henry Smith and Miss May Bodine of Manchester were the guests of Miss Lou Arner, Sunday.

Miss Lou Arner is visiting friends at Manchester this week. We wonder when that Orange will blossom.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jewett of Ypsilanti, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lucking of Detroit, made Dr. D. W. Loree a visit Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Cuyler Cone, of Hudson, is visiting friends here and in the vicinity this week.

Miss Bell Barlow went to Monroe Tuesday to see friends and get a refreshing breeze from the Lake.

The Republicans will hold their caucus at Britton on Friday evening Aug. 8th to send delegates to the county convention. Wonder why it was'nt held in G. W. Jackson's shop. Oh yes, he is a Unionist.

Rev. E. B. Sutton talked in the interest of Prohibition here last Friday evening to a large and interested audience. Some of his pills were hard for them to swallow.

There were quite a number that attended the convention at Adrian, Saturday and heard Prof. Samuel Dickey speak in the interest of Prohibition.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Green apples and cucumbers make a brisk trade for the Doctor.

C. D. Smith & Co. will commence Jerome Snow's house at Onsted this week.

Samuel Kirby is a delegate to the State Prohibition convention at Lansing, and C. W. Greenleaf a delegate to county convention.

We notice our correspondent to the Exponent says: "A reliable rumor is afloat that a former citizen of this place spent the 4th at Sand Lake in an intoxicated condition, in company with a strange woman, and when he returned to the bosom of his family, he was informed that they did not want him any more. We suppress names for the present."

Now, Bro. correspondent, if this be as you state "a reliable rumor" we don't think that the name should be suppressed, for it may leave a base charge upon an innocent party. If on the other hand it is not a "reliable rumor," it certainly should not be published as such. We believe the rumor to be unreliable and that our correspondent of the Exponent will be ashamed that he ever caused to be published an article upon such a groundless foundation of facts, and hope that he has since been truthfully informed and can make an explanation.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Tariff: what to affix on, and how to collect it, is what agitates, roils and bubbles over the rim of our mess kettle. One dollar is the average valuation of gentlemen's heads, which some deem too much and refuse to pay, consequently the Marshall has a miscellaneous collection of bric-a-brac for sale. One horse and carriage escaped through an opening in a friends port-monaie and found its way back to the owner; but the barbers vacant chair, &c., await the day of doom while he idles away summer days, or pouts about his poll tax at the end of a fish pole. One lady remains in abeyance because search failed to reveal anything that was necessary to conduct her business. The one dollar due for the home protection of herself and three girls is unsecured, though there is a lace apron or two among them, nice enough to be classed as superfluities. Some assert they are too old (some men, I mean), others just won't, and invoke the protection of patron Saints when their statuary is removed, and a few of the Mother Hubbard persuasion ask what do you want to do with the money? Now that is the most provoking of all questions, when a woman finds money I have known the sky to grow cloudy because a man was curious on the subject, but Hubbard curiosity wakes thunder every time, and the irate officer vows that neither age nor infirmity shall thin revenue.

Students have petitioned the school directors to re-enlist Prof. Price. He has been a pleasant teacher, and is a great favorite.

Petty thieving is trying patience hereabouts. Not even a fish is safe in the pan, and ribbons, shoes, dress-goods, money or medicines, are absorbed as with a sponge. Whatever the other incentives to theft may be, the love of dress, minus the love of work, can graft an elastic conscience into healthy constitutions of otherwise pleasant people, and the woman who dresses nicely, without knowing the price of what she wears' is usually without means adequate to maintain her style, and a person that makes merchants watch more than pray. PEARLIE.

ONSTED ODDS.

Miss Luella Holt, of Jackson, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Cora Decker, of Ionia, is visiting at her father's Mr. Chauncy Coop.

Miss Alice Reed is attending the teachers' institute at Adrian.

Two daughters of George Van Alstine, of Port Huron, are visiting at J. O. Maxwells.

Addie Daniels and Jessie Short returned from Jackson last Saturday, where they had been for a few days visiting friends.

The Springville lodge of Good Templars are intending to have a picnic at Devil's Lake August 20th.

Ralph Taylor, of Rome, has commenced to build a harness shop here. His son will manage the business.

The Cambridge F. B. Sabbath School and the Springville Grange held a picnic at Putnam's Landing, Sand Lake, Aug. 5th. The attendance was good and all present seemed to enjoy themselves.

TIPTON TATTLE.

Mr. E. Camburn while cutting oats with a reaper on the 4th inst., allowed his team to stand unguarded a moment, when they started out on a brisk trot regardless of consequences, breaking and scattering parts of the machine in what seemed to be an irregular method of distribution, and though the event was quite serious it was not so bad as it might have been.

The ladies of the Congregational church held an ice cream social at the residence of C. Roberts on the 5th inst., for the benefit of the parsonage not yet finished.

Being quarterly meeting at the M. E. Church last sabbath, Rev. William Pierce of Sharon preached in the absence of presiding elder Campbell.

The Congregational people had preaching in their church both morning and evening last Sunday, and expect soon to have a settled minister, having been without a regular pastor for several years.

Misses Libbie Rice, Josie and Isa Campbell of Sharon, made a welcome visit at the Methodist parsonage on 2nd inst.

Harvesting is about over and the stripped grain fields suggest the near approach of fall, though the late rains have greatly improved the appearance of vegetation not yet matured.

The Sunday School of the M. E. church is to have a picnic in the near future.

Wm. Smith and wife have concluded to offer their place for sale, an excellent little farm of 20 or 25 acres in splendid condition and well located near the railroad station.

The State Fireman's Tournament will be held at Marshall Aug. 15th and 16th. The prizes include $25 to best appearing company in street parade; hand engine contest—first class—first prize $150 and state championship banner valued at $100, second prize $75; hand engine contest—second class $75 and $60; hose race—open to the state only—first prize $125 and state championship belt valued at $100, second prize $75; hook and ladder companies open to the state only—first prize $125 and state championship trumpet valued at $75, second prize $75; steam engine prizes $100 and $50; band contest, $100 and $50; best band drill under command of drum major, $50; sweepstake hose race—open to the world one prize $300 special medal prizes for bicycle races, open to amateurs of Michigan.

Thanks to Col. Curtis for late copies of the Washington Post.

HOW TO WRITE FOR A PAPER.

A good many people are in possession of valuable information that they are deterred from giving to the public through the press, because they do not know exactly how to put it in shape. They have never read a book on composition, and have an idea that no one should write unless he has a good knowledge of rhetoric. Whoever can write a good straight letter to a friend, and give him in that letter the information that he would give to the world through the medium of the press, can generally write an acceptable article for the paper. A good many little blunders in captalizing, misspelling and grammar will be corrected by the compositor; and the proof reader, if he has not positive instructions to the contrary, will finish up the article in such a way as to make it appear to the best advantage. In the matter of punctuation, it is hardly necessary for the writer, unless he is himself good authority on the subject, to give any attention except to make his meaning well understood.

There are a few things, however, that a writer should observe; and by paying attention thereto he will, if there is any point to his article, find himself an acceptable contributor to the paper.

Use paper not more than eight nor less than six inches in width, and leave a blank space at the top for paging or through which the copy hook may be thrust.

Do not write the lines too close to each other, you may wish to interline, in which case you are liable to make your copy indistinct.

Write only on one side of the paper. Of course in writing letters almost everybody uses both sides of the sheet, but in the printing office rules are so generally followed, that unless a compositor's attention was called to the fact, he would hardly find the manuscript on the back.

Write plainly. No flourishes in penmanship receive any credit from the type setter or proof-reader, but a plain, bold hand is the delight of every one who has anything to do with your copy.

Be particularly careful to spell proper names correctly. If you should make use of the names of any of your friends in your articles and they should find them in print spelled incorrectly, they would not be likely to thank you for your interest in their affairs. In this matter the innocent proof-reader has no guide but you: copy.

There are few letters, such as n and u, a and d, g and q, h and b, I and J, S and L, B and K, that look so much like each other in manuscript, that unless their connection with other letters clearly indicates them, they are liable to cause mistakes, and you should be careful about these.

Do not try to make your communications long. Say so much as possible in as few words as possible, without making your articles seem rough. A great many good articles are consigned to the waste basket, just because there is too much chaff for the few grains of good wheat contained in them.

And finally, if you write to your publisher, and he does not see fit to print your article, do not jump at the conclusion that he is prejudiced, or that he wants to work it over and get the credit of it himself, or that he is afraid it may hurt the feelings of some of his friends or patrons, for there may be many good reasons why it should not appear, at least just then.

CADETS FOR WEST POINT.

Last Wednesday was the day designated by Col. Eldridge for the examination of young men desirous of entering the U. S. Millitary Academy at West Point. The examination was held at Adrian, and the committee to conduct the same consisted of the following gentlemen: Prof. Ira Waterman of Hudson; Judge Stacy of Tecumseh; Dr. A. M. Stephenson, of Adrian. The following applicants appeared:

Name.	Residence.	Age.
E. J. Townsend	Litchfield	20
Arthur Howell	Adrian	19
Dennis Van Buren	Dexter	19
Chas. L. Spence	Adrian	18
Clifton T. Geddes	"	18
Joe F. Gaghan	"	18
R. M. Coate	Dundee	20
Jacob Perego	Camden	21
Frank I Muir	Erie	20
James Schermerhorn	Hudson	19
Sigman Goldman	Monroe	17
Chas J. Becker	Bridgewater	18
Albert G. Lombard	Addison	19
Don C. Behman	Riga	18
L. W. Allen	Adrian	21

The forenoon was devoted to physical examination, which was conducted by Dr. A. M. Stephenson. Al were rejected on account of physical disability except Messrs. Howell, Schermerhorn, Becker, Muir and Perego. Mr. Perego was, however, obliged to drop out on account of his age, leaving only four actual contestants in the field.

The literary examination of the four remaining candidates was vonducted in the afternoon by Messrs. Stephenson and Waterman. The committee report that Mr. Becker stood 85 and Messrs. Howell, Muir and Schermerhorn 95 each in their studies, a good showing all around. Their standing being equal, in consideration of the fact that Howell now has a brother in the Naval Academy at Annapolis, and Muir a brother at West Point, Mr. Eldredge designated Schermerhorn for the cadetship.

The committee made the examination quite rigid, as required by the War Department, and the result was very creditable to the mental application and personal aspirations of the young men competing.

Judge Stacy said that of all the classes of young men which he had examined, he had never yet seen a class which was so nearly equal and stood so high in every respect. While the decision is naturally a disappointment, still it is not a cause for mortification, as in every respect they were equal, and they must be satisfied that the decision was not influenced by personal motives.—Hudson Gazette.

UNCLAIMED MONEY.

The "Unclaimed Money, Land and Estates Manual" is the title of a work just published by J. B. Martindale of 142 LaSalle Street, Chicago. It is devoted to the interests of all who are in search of unclaimed property of any kind, or who have an interest in any old estate; and contains the names of over eight thousand persons, supposed to be in America, who if living, or if dead, whose heirs are entitled to estates in this or some other country.

From advance sheets of the work we gather some strange facts in relation to this romantic subject. For instance: By the report of the National Debt Commission for the fiscal year, 1881-82, it appears that the Bank of England advanced to the Government as dividends on unclaimed stock in the bank no less than three and a half millions sterling; and for ten years preceding the amount had been annually about the same. This, as a three per cent dividend, represents the enormous sum of over one hundred and [illegible] or about $586,000,000. The interest on this unclaimed stock is forfeited to the government annually, but the principal is always there awaiting the rightful claimant. The Bank keeps what they call Unclaimed Dividend Books. They are now seven in number and date back to the year 1780, and represent the money deposited in that bank, and for various reasons never called for since the beginning of the last century. They contain the names of over 120,000 depositors, with description as to profession and place of residence of each. These books can be personally inspected and any name searched for.

Advertisements for Heirs at Law, Next of Kin, Owners of Unclaimed Money, etc., which have appeared in the newspapers of the United States, Canada, Great Brittan, France and Germany since the year 1600 have been carfully preserved, classified and numbered, and the names of persons wanted, numbering over 100,000 are in possession of the publisher.

In the list of names published appears this legend. "Helen Sheridan, born about 1800, representatives of supposed to be in America." Sandwiched in with the other 8,000 or more names there is nothing about it that would particularly attract the attention of any one, and yet the author assures us that there is a million and a half pounds sterling awaiting her representatives, should they ever be found. She was probably of Irish parentage, and married a wealthy Scotch nobleman, who died about thirty years ago, leaving her his entire estate, amounting to the above sum. She died some four years ago, intestate and childless, leaving this immense estate to next of kin, should any ever turn up. Mysterious as it may seem after she was dead it was discovered that absolutely nothing was known of either her or her family history. She had, after her husband's death lived the life of a recluse, associating with no one, and scarcely ever seeing any one except her servants. Ireland has been ransacked for next of kin but without success, and it is now believed they are in America. The amount in our money is about $7,500,000.

Mr. Martindale is the author of several well-known law works and was late editor of the American Law Magazine. His name ought to be a sufficient guarantee of the reliability of the work. His plan is to appoint one agent in each township throughout the United States, to assist in collecting information, all of whom will be liberally rewarded for services. The price of the work is $2.00. For further particulars address the publisher.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending July 29.

CLINTON.

D. Woodward to Thomas H. Biggins: land in village. $1,075.

WOODSTOCK.

Wm. Jackson to J. L. Handy: land on sec 4. $640.

N. G. King to J. L. Handy: land on sec 4. $500.

We take pleasure in recommending to mothers an exceptional medicine for their children. No medicine should be given to a child without the mother's full knowledge of its character. CASTORIA is a standard prescription of a distinguished physician—old Dr. PITHER—still living at Hyannis, Mass. A list of its ingredients accompanies each bottle. It is purely vegetable and is not narcotic. It may given without change of diet or fear of harm, and in its effects is superior to Paregoric, Morphine Syrups or Castor Oil, without the dangerous properties of the former or the nauseating effects of the latter. Of this preparation physicians speak in high terms. H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 1126 Oxford, St., Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." ALEX. ROBERSON, M. D., 1057 Second Ave., N. Y. says. Especially adapted to the diseases of children."—Hall's Journal of Health.

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WHO SHE IS.

TO MANY ANXIOUS INQUIRERS.

Who she is I dare not tell;
But I know I love her well,
And I think I always will.
Tho' she frowns up cool or 'cold,
Tho' she smiles to see me sigh,
Tho' she frowns when I pass by—
For a flower more fresh and gay
Never bloomed beside my way.

Who she is you have no clue,
You would love her if you knew!
Not a faultless one I ween
In her figure, face or mind;
Cruel Cupid never saw
In perfection, stain or flaw.
Love can only see the grace
Of the human form or face.

Who she is you must not know.
Pure as new-y-fallen snow.
With a wealth of common sense,
With a rare intelligence;
Always modest in a crowd,
Ever thoughtful, never proud;
Not a creature made by art,
But a woman with a heart.

Who she is I will not say,
Tho' I see her every day.
She is not ashamed to soil,
Handsome hands with honest toil.
She has eyes of truthful blue;
Cheeks that glow with healthful hue,
Like the red carnation's flame—
Warm and cheerful as her name.

Who she is you can not guess,
And I never will confess.
She has hair of lovely brown,
Neat and tasteful making gown,
Simple hat of plaited straw.
Teeth without a stain or flaw,
Daisies nestling on her breast;
Go to sleep and dream the rest.

Who she is you will not hear,
Angels oftentimes are near.
When you think they are afar,
When you know not who they are,
When you, with no thought or care,
Entertain them unaware.
There is nothing more divine
Than this paragon of mine.
—*Eugene J. Hall, in Chicago Tribune.*

COWBOYS ON THE SLOPE.

A Glance at a Modern Terror, Showing That This Necessary Evil Is Not So Black as He is Painted—How Vast Herds of Cattle are Managed by these Nomads.

Beef has been a subject much discussed this spring on account of the high price of the article, and ever since the junction of the Southern Pacific (with the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad) the cowboy has been the favorite theme of the paragrapher and border correspondent. The cowboy is little understood except where he works and plays, and of late the term has been so misplaced that every frontier ruffian who carries a six-shooter and rides a horse is so dubbed, even if he never "rounded up" a steer in his life. Long years ago, before the No-fence law was projected and the country was cut up with railroads, California's beef center was the southern counties of the San Joaquin Valley. Every year the stock-raisers took stock of their possessions, and the real cow-boy was numerous and flourishing. He was by no means the bloodthirsty, murderous, man-slaying creature of late years and the newspapers, and was only a dare-devil in his horsemanship and handling of cattle. True, he generally carried a six-shooter, but it was for his amusement rather more than for his protection, and brawls where blood was shed were more few and further between than they now are within the pales of civilization and street-car lines.

The cowboy was often a Spaniard or a greaser, but equally as often he was a native Californian of American parentage, but burned and tanned to such an extent that the difference between him and his Spanish companions was so slight as to be indistinguishable. His armament comprised an immense saddle, often fantastically decorated with silver, a bridle with a cruel Mexican bit, a hackamore, and a "McCarty," a pair of immense spurs, and a pair of blankets. His clothing occasionally consisted in part of a pair of buckskin leggings, but canvas overalls, a gray-checkered woolen shirt, and a stout, ready-made coat were much more common. In the spring every stock-owner employed from a score to fifty of them, according to his possessions and put them in charge of a foreman or mayordomo, as white and Spanish alike termed their bosses. Indeed, all the cowboys spoke a mixture of Spanish, Indian and English that made the conversation very amusing to the tender foot who might chance to fall in their midst. A horse was always a caballa (Spanish for caballa): a horse-herder, a cavarango: a drive of stock, a rodeo, commonly called "rodeer," and so on through the slang of the trade. The cowboys themselves were always vaqueros, a term which their combination idiom manages to make "buccaroes" out of.

But to resume. When the stock-raisers had engaged their men a number of the most prominent would meet and call a general rodeo, name some naturally favored spot as a rendezvous and also the country to be covered. On the morning of the appointed day the different bands of men would strike camp at daybreak, and, spreading over an immense tract, start for the rendezvous, driving before them every hoof and horn of stock encountered. If the country was thickly populated with bovines a forenoon's drive would gather up from three thousand to ten thousand head, which would be bunched in the most convenient spot for "parting out." The locality selected, if possible, would possess some natural advantages, such as the fork of a river, a bluff, a strip of fence, or something of the sort that would do away with the labor of guarding the herd on one or two sides. A peninsula of some twenty acres on the eastern shore of Tulare Lake, known as "the Pocket," was for many years a favorite spot. The "round-up" completed, it depended on the hour as to further operations for the day. If the drive had been long and successful camp was struck, and two or three men from each camp guarded the band while the others rested themselves and their horses for the labors of the morrow.

Before the dew would leave the grass the smoke of the camp-fires would be seen climbing heavenward, as the cook prepared breakfast of beans, bread baked in a Dutch oven, jerked beef, stewed apples or peaches (without which no meal is complete to the plainsman), and black coffee. By the time it is dispatched the lowing herd is beginning to evince symptoms of restlessness, and the score of vaqueros who stood by the morning watch are having their hands full in keeping their charges in subjugation. Great clouds of dust obscure the morning sun, and from their midst arise the hoarse bellowing of the bulls, the lowing of the cows, and the bleating of the new calves, in a gigantic chorus that makes the scene doubly impressive. The major-domo delegates some of his men for guard duty, others to attend to branding and marking, others to receive the stock from his hands, and still others to assist him in separating out. The men who go with him must be quick-eyed and clever manipulators and thoroughly know every brand and earmark in which their master is interested. At a given signal the herd is assaulted, and, from being impressive, the scene becomes interesting. Ponchos are tightened carefully, for a tumble in the midst of the herd means death, and then the boss and his men force their way into the uneasy mass of hide and horns. The well-trained horses move at a slow walk, and the vaqueros' eyes closely scan every animal that comes within their range of vision. Their master's brand is detected on the hip, flank or shoulder, or an ear-mark or dew-lap is seen that seems familiar.

Two men range themselves on either side of the wearer, and the animal is gently worked out of the drove and into the open. The men who are keeping the mass intact open a small passage, and the animal breaks for the plains and freedom. If the owner is simply branding the additions to his stock, and the "parted out" animal is a bull, or steer, or calfless cow, he, she, or it, as the case may be, will be allowed to go as instinct dictates, and return to the favorite haunts from which it was gathered the previous day. If the owner is selling cattle to fill for the market the animal, if meeting the requirements of the purchaser as previously expressed to the mayordomo, is picked up by one of the waiting vaqueros and run off to a distance of from half to three-quarters of a mile, and there guarded, with subsequent additions, until the parting-out process is completed. If a cow with a calf, two men take them in tow and drive them to where the camp fire has been fanned into a fierce blaze. The cow is separated from her offspring, the little creature's endeavors to return to her being rudely checked by a cast of the riata, and in a moment the men at the fire have the young unfortunate secured by the weight of their bodies. In a moment the red-hot iron imprints the letter or device known as the owner's "brand" deep into the tender hide, the equally sharp knife has inflicted a "cross crop," "half-moon," "upper bit" in the young ears, or a peculiarly constructed "dewlap" in the thick skin of the throat, and the singed, mutilated little wretch joins its mother. Perhaps if the mother catches sight of the damage that has been done her darling she does not wait to be joined, but proceeds to do the act herself; then if she manifests a desire to create unpleasant trouble about the fire, the riata of the horseman must be brought into play. A cast over one of her hind legs, a turn around the horn of the saddle, and the cow does not live who is capable of inflicting any serious injury upon any one, especially when the rawhide rope is manipulated by an expert on a horse trained to his business.

The parting out is accomplished with marvelous quickness, considering the difficult nature of the work, and if branding is all that is desired the immense herd is soon distributed over the plains again. If the owners, or any of them, have sales made, their stock is kept in hand by their men and taken care of in the vicinity of good grass and water until the rodeos are completed. The next day another tract of land is covered, and so on until every owner has gone over the ground or ranges of his stock. These were the general rodeos, and were held annually. Other rodeos were being made constantly by owners who have sold out their brands or bought others, or who desire to make a drive to the market, but they were small affairs compared with the general round-ups. While these were going on there was little time for sport, but when the drove was completed and the line of march taken up for the market the cowboys began to enjoy themselves. The commonest and wildest sport was coyote-hunting, indulged in something after the manner of pool-fishing. Oftentimes the stakes were one dollar a corner, the understanding being that on sighting one of these scavengers of the plains every man who could leave the herd should take after him, and continue the chase until the disreputable beast should be brought down by riata or revolver, or irretrievably escaped. The coyote is not a pet with plainsmen, on account of an irrepressible tendency to steal and chew up everything about a camp, from a saddle to a choice haunch of beef. Consequently, when one of the lean, hungry beasts crops up, and begins to make himself like a long, skeletonic, brown streak on the grass, half the vaqueros are in immediate pursuit, their yells, the merry crack of their revolvers, and the swish of their lassoes form a scene for a border drama that could not be well be put upon the stage. The coyote is a powerfully swift brute, but stands little chance against the hardy mustangs used in stock-hunting, and some lucky spur-wearer is tolerably sure to bring him down in a two or three mile chase. If he does it with his riata, the unfortunate scavenger is dragged down, and, if time is not pressing, the branding-iron is heated, and, in a spirit of facetiousness, his ears are cropped off and the brand of the owner of the stock is applied to his hide. If a pistol-bullet does the work, his scalp is lifted, but in either event the captor collects one dollar from each of his confreres in the chase.

Other sports are delayed until Sunday morning, when the stock is allowed to rest. Then all sorts of feats of horsemanship are indulged in for small stakes. A favorite pastime is to saddle a half-broken mustang, and, after inserting a half dollar in each stirrup, some expert rider will mount and back himself to keep the coins there for five or ten minutes, the horse being incited meanwhile to do his worst by way of rearing, backing, and jumping. Feats with the riata, or lasso, are also amusing. The skill of these nomads with the rawhide rope is wonderful. At a distance of forty feet an expert is unerring in getting his rope over the neck of any animal, and many of them will reach sixty feet. At half that distance the rope will single out any leg of a steer running at full speed and throw him down in a trice. The rope once fast, the work of the horse comes into play. With the tightening of the rope the intelligent little beast plants his fore-legs and awaits the shock of the sudden strain on the horn of the saddle. The steer may plunge and run, but he will never get a position except in front of a horse, the wiry little beast whirling about on his four legs like a pivot, and retreating or advancing as is necessary to keep the rope taut. On the drive during the day one man attends to the horses, generally hamstringing about four to each man in the company. The horned stock are scattered along a couple of miles of country, with the men along either side. At night they are compactly bunched, and a force of five or six men, by continuously riding in a circle in one direction keep them from separating. When the nature of the country will admit, a camp-wagon containing blankets and provisions goes with the party, but when otherwise every man is his own commissary and bed-bearer. Now, the business in California is pretty nearly over, the railroad and farms having forced the stock-raisers to fence immense ranches or else retreat to the foothills, and the work of the California cowboy is nearly ended.—*Alta California.*

Progress Among Redskins.

In the annual report of Mr. W. H. H. Llewellyn, agent for the Mescalero Apache Indians, there is a reference to some curious customs. "It is a fixed law with them," he says, "that the mother-in-law and son-in-law never visit each other, and never see each other, except when it can not possibly be avoided. I am not prepared to say whether this is a step in the direction of civilization or not.

"They are firm believers in witchcraft. Shortly after my first coming among them these people burned an old woman who was accused of practising the black art; but I did not learn of it until last spring.

"In May last great preparations were made to burn another witch. I visited their camp with the agency physician and told them how they would be held responsible if their intentions were carried out. Up to the present time they have refrained from committing this terrible crime. Many people will doubtless be shocked, but when we reflect that these Indians are but a little more than a century behind our Puritan forefathers we should not regard the custom which these savages still retain as so strange after all."

James McLaughlin, the agent at Standing Rock, Dakota, in his report, knocks out a good deal of the popular romance about Sitting Bull. McLaughlin says he is "an Indian of very mediocre ability, rather dull, and much the inferior of Gaul and others of his lieutenants in intelligence. I can not understand how he held such sway over and controlled men so much his superior in every respect, unless it was by his obstinacy and stubborn tenacity. He is pompous, vain and boastful, and considers himself a very important person; but as he has been pampered and lionized so much by the whites since the battle of the Little Big Horn, I do not wonder that he has an inflated opinion of himself.

Describing Sitting Bull's attempt at farming, Agent McLaughlin says that he finally convinced the old man that his war record would give him no standing at the agency, but that the Great Father recognized as the Big Chief the most industrious Indian and the one that did the most good and set the best example among his people. Then Sitting Bull, who is ambitious, decided to go to work, and, taking a hoe, began to help some of the other Indians to plant corn. "I visited him in the field," reports Agent McLaughlin, "and he seemed pleased that I found him laboring; and in reply to my question whether he found farming so very difficult he answered 'No.' I think he has now determined to be a farmer."

Mr. McGillycuddy, the agent of the Sioux at Pine Ridge, Dakota, says: "What earthly inducement or reason can be advanced why an Indian should go to work and earn his own living by the sweat of his brow when an indulgent Government furnishes him with more than he wants to eat and clothes him?"

"Select 8,000 whites of the pauper class, or send 8,000 of the assisted emigrants to this reservation, feed them as you do these Idians, and they would hold a caucus and vote to assassinate the first one of their number who became self-supporting.

"What we require are less supplies and more skilled labor and employes. What can I do as an agent in teaching 8,000 Indians agriculture with only one farmer? It is simply a burlesque. Our Indians are scattered along five creeks over 100 miles. There should be at least five farmers. The same is true of all the other employes. One blacksmith is all we have, one wheelwright, and one carpenter, for 8,000 Indians, and yet we are told that the Indians must be instructed how to become self-supporting.

"When I assumed charge of this agency in 1879 the entire duty of the agent was to act as sort of National poormaster and deal out rations. Since then the Indians have begun farming, erected 625 houses, engaged five hundred in freighting, built 145 miles of telegraph line, raised 1,500 head of cattle, employed 40 mowing machines in putting up hay, kept a saw, shingle, planing and corn mill going, and advanced in every respect in civilization, thereby necessitating an increased force of skilled white employes and instructors, and yet we are limited to $10,000 to pay them all. Without change in legislation and system in appropriating the funds for these Indians, without a change, giving them less food and more instruction, they will not become self-supporting until the Angel Gabriel sounds his call, and those poor heathens awake in the dim uncertain hereafter, when, subsisting upon a light diet of air, there will be no necessity for the self-supporting scheme."—*Washington Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

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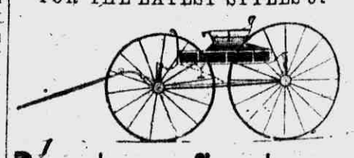

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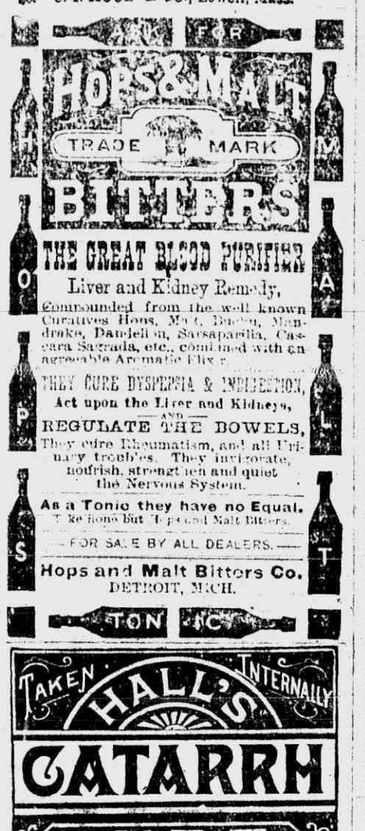

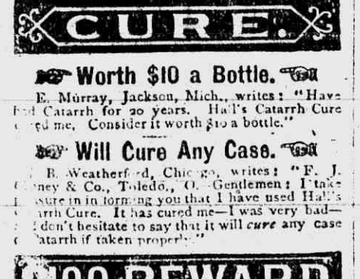

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Rice Culture in the South.

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Almost incalculable areas of it are raised in India and China, the various varieties seeming endless. On the island of Ceylon alone no less than dix varieties are known, but the finest is raised in our own States of North and South Carolina and Georgia, where those vast expanses of low-lying swamp land and heavy vegetable soils render its cultivation comparatively easy and profitable.

The great fields lying low along the river banks are divided into sections, and trunks and canals carry the water to each one separately by smaller ditches, by which they are flooded whenever desired. The rice is frequently sown on the water-covered soil, where it quickly germinates, covering the fields with a beautiful velvet green grassy carpet, which turns a lighter and yellower tinge as it ripens.

As most of the fields have been reclaimed from the rivers near which they lie, they are continually subject to sudden overflows, the utmost vigilance being required to guard against this enemy, which often in one night ruins the fruits of months of labor. Some of the larger plantations cover two and three hundred acres, and employ several hundred men, women and children.

From 1720 to 1730 the export of rice from the Carolinas was 146,980 tons. For 1760 alone 60,000 barrels were shipped. At the outbreak of the war one million acres were under cultivation in South Carolina alone. In 1860 the production was 187,167,032 pounds, but the war almost ruined this immense industry, and in 1870 the combined production of the two Carolinas, Louisiana, and Georgia was reduced to 57,000,000 pounds. A steady improvement, however, toward the old-time prosperity is now seen by comparing the productions of later years with that of 1866, when it had dwindled to the comparatively insignificant amount of 12,002,000 pounds.

Very few besides Chinese and negroes can be kept on the plantations as workers, and owing to the enervating nature of the climate in summer, with its accompanying marsh fevers, the question of labor supply is a very serious one to the planters; but while the old-fashioned methods of cutting, sowing, and transporting still prevail on most plantations numerous labor-saving machines and improvements have been introduced with marked success in the various milling processes.

Many large mills are to be seen on the low shores of the Mississippi, in the vicinity of New Orleans, but those at Charleston and Savannah are perhaps the largest and most complete in their appointments. Many are lofty buildings of brick or iron, their many stories crowded with the latest improved machinery for hulling, dusting, cleaning, burnishing, and packing the grain ready for shipment. Situated at the water's edge, their tall chimneys pouring forth a heavy columns of smoke, their derricks lifting the rough grain from the decks of the river craft, while the elevators, with long-armed spouts, dip deep into and fill the great holds of seagoing steamers with milled grain, the clouds of drifting half dust, the whir of machinery, and hurrying of boats and tugs all present a most charming picture, and unmistakably indicate the rapid revival of one of the most valuable of our Southern industries.—*Harper's Weekly.*

You Can't Afford It.

You can not afford to throw away or waste wood ashes; to expose manure to sunshine and rain; grow weeds; haul manure; raise inferior fruit; keep poor, unremunerative stock; neglect your tools and utensils; use poor seed; get in green hay; have dilapidated, broken-down fences; let boards and nails get out of place; allow the milk to be exposed to dirt and vile odors; use impure water; neglect your personal appearance, always look sour, make home miserable; live on pork twelve months in the year; go without plenty of fruits and vegetables for family use; let your neighbors prepare better produce for market than yourself; work sixteen hours a day and sleep eight; neglect mental culture; neglect raising roots for stock; be cruel to the live stock, slight animals in sickness; farm without a profit-and-loss account; think you are smarter than your neighbors; mortgage your farm; spend five cents a day for tobacco, and do without an agricultural paper; be ignorant of the topics of the day; let insects eat your fruits and vegetables without making a prompt, practical protest; half feed your stock; run your farm without using oil to make things run smoothly; allow decaying organic matter to remain in the cellar; neglect underdraining when necessary; mow twenty acres with a scythe when it can be moved in one-eighth the time with a machine; neglect thorough cultivation; keep the pigs shut up when they can just as well be pastured; have a filthy, objectionable door-yard; let this year's planting of strawberry plants blossom and mature fruit; keep cows, but not a milk record; go without a good fruit garden and orchard; neglect sheep culture; expose the live stock to the burning sun and midsummer's heat; do without a few grapevines; expect to gather figs of thistles; or to let others think for you.—*Ohio Farmer.*

—Two negro women of Concordia Parish, Louisiana, recently fought a duel, the one having a revolver and the other a shot-gun. It was believed, however, that both antagonists shut their eyes during the firing, as neither was hit.—*N. O. Times.*

—An astronomer who believes that the future of the science depends much upon photography estimates that it would take ten years to photograph the heavens.—*Chicago Herald.*

A Woman's Faith.

They were lovers. All the romance and sentiment of the world was theirs. There is something unfathomable in this thing called love. It tyrannizes over body and soul as no other feeling can. It creates happiness from the greatest sorrow, light from the deepest darkness. It builds such castles as money can not buy, and it binds stronger than any chains forged by human hands.

Through her tears as they parted shone such a light of love that he almost dared call her his. She knew that she was loved in return, and that knowledge created a faith in her heart was to endure even to the gates of Heaven and beyond.

"In a year!" he whispered as he left her.

And she answered:

"I will wait a year—a lifetime!"

When a year had passed and no word came from him they tried to shake her faith by creating doubts. Men had inconstancy they sneered; men would wring a woman's heart and have it pity. Tears came to her brown eyes, but again she answered:

"He will come back to me!"

When the one year had become five the old sailors in the taverns and lofts shook their heads and said to each other that the ship had surely been lost, and that her young captain would never be heard of more. Wives felt a pity for the heart longing and waiting through such uncertainty, and they whispered that it would be no sin to love again.

"I shall see him again—he will surely return!" was the answer of faith, with her sorrowful face and aching heart.

The five years became ten. The brown hair was streaked with gray, and the girl's fair face had become the face of a woman who carries a sobbing, wailing misery in her heart. Men showed their cruelty by seeking to awaken a new love; women exhibited their bitterness of heart towards their own sex by ridiculing her faith. But the light of a never dying heroism burned in her eyes as she answered them:

"He gave me his promise—I am watching for his ship!"

And the ten years became twenty. Men and women had gone to their last rest until scarcely one was left who remembered when the lost ship sailed or who was her captain. But there were children who had heard the story, and as they smoothed down the gray hairs with their soft hands they whispered:

"It is so sad. And he was lost at sea."

"Lost!" she answered. "Aye! even though the whole world told me so I should wait and watch for him!"

And the twenty years became thirty. One night when the storm-vexed sea lashed the shore in fury and men uttered brief prayers to God as they turned their faces upon the ships making a brave fight for life, Faith lay dying.

The end had come. A human heart, troubled and bruised and scarred by waiting in vain by hoping, to be ever disappointed, was about to be stilled. For a moment the storm pulled, just as a man draws a long breath before dashing into some great peril. As it screamed and roared again in its vengeance Faith lifted her thin hand and whispered:

"He is coming back to me! I shall see him again and hear his voice once more!"

The nurse moved nearer and whispered kind words, but Faith waved her aside and cried out:

"Do not come between us! I hear his footsteps—he is here! I loved him, and my reward has come at last! Let me clasp his hand—let me look at his eyes."

And again the storm lulled, until the gale died to sobs and whispers, and the roar of the surf sounded miles away. Before the fury gathered itself for a fresh attack two spirits passed out of the old house hand in hand and were afar on the path to Heaven. She had listened, and his footfalls had at last echoed in her ears. She had watched, and her glazed eyes had at last been gladdened. She had waited, and he had come to be with her through the perils of the dark valley.—*Detroit Free Press.*

He Thought It Best to Have a Sure Thing.

"Ezra," said a colored woman to her better half one day last week, "you got two dollahs las' week foh cleanin' up 'bout Master Winfield's house, an' yahd. Where is dat two dollahs?"

"Heah, Phoby."

"You jis' go an' put dat ar' two dollahs in one ob dem banks up on Pine street."

"An'—an'—de bottle's empty, Phoby." And he held an empty black bottle, from the neck of which there was a suspicious emanation of gin. Phoby squinted her eyes at the bottle longingly, but pretended not to see.

"Ezra, we's got to be sabin' ob de money now. Hard times is comin', shuah."

"You's right, Phoby. But dem banks is all got to bust, an' den no money, no gin, no nothin'." And he held the bottle up again.

"Well," she sighed sadly, "pears you's allers right 'bout de financial fairs, Ezra. But jis' go an' put dat ar' money in de bank, and don't spend a cent for rum."

He went out sorrowfully, and she raised the window and called after him:

"Ezra!"

"Hey?"

"Is dem banks bo'n' to bust?"

"Dem banks'll bust sho'ah, woman."

"Dat's too bad; but I don't wan' you to get any rum, mind. Has you got de bottle?"

"Yes, Phoby."

"Well, it's a heap waste o' bottle to bring it back empty, and I guess de banks will bust, Ezra. Hey?"

"Yas, Phoby."

"Whar' you goin' to git dat gin?"

"Some place, Phoby."

"Well, git it den, ef you's bound to contradict me eb'ry time. Nevvah saw suh a obst'nate niggah. Git a quaht, Ezra, heah goes."—*Williamsport Breakfast Table.*

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ESTATE OF MARIA BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday the 10th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alonzo J. Brewer and Charles J. Brewer, sons of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to said Charles J. Brewer, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

Alonzo Clark, Complainant,

vs.

Delilah A. Miller, Defendant.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause, and bearing date the 8th day of April, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 30th day of July, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: That piece of land situate in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, described by commencing in the center of the Ridge Road, where the same is intersected by the east line of land owned by Christian Dershier, thence north-easterly along the center line of said road far enough so that by running at right angles with the same to the said east line of said Dershier's land, will contain one acre, the one south to the place of beginning, being in the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter of section fourteen, in town five south of range five east.

Dated at said city of Adrian this 5th day of June, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. Wood, Solicitor for Complainant. [illegible]

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

IN the matter of the estate of George A. Monaghan and Clarence C. Monaghan, Minors.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minors by the probate court for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, bearing date June 9th, 1884, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the said premises hereinafter described, on the 4th day of July, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided two-sixths (2/6) of all that tract of land situate in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, known and described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) of the [illegible] subdivision [illegible].

Dated TECUMSEH, Michigan, June 11, 1884.

ROBERT B. HOUSE,
Guardian of said Minors.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH SLATER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 24th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Slater, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of last sickness and funeral, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

John J. Rector, Complainant,

vs.

Delia Shurtz, Harry H. Shurtz, and Joseph Lanning, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 10th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street so called in the village of Tecumseh at a point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27) and opposite of the dwelling house formerly owned by John I. Brown deceased, thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day, thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and twenty (20) links, thence south one (1) degree and six (6) minutes east fifteen (15) chains and fifteen (15) links parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27), thence westerly along the center of said last described road eleven (11) chains and thirty-eight (38) links to place of beginning, excepting and reserving therefrom about one and a half acres thereof sold by [illegible] Bidwell to Wright Sadlier, also excepting lot numbered 261 sold to said Bidwell by John Sexton, also excepting a further parcel of land sold to said Sadlier for a burial ground, said Sadlier to keep its north side fenced and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Sadlier, also excepting and reserving therefrom that part thereof conveyed by Wm. Pritchard and wife to Elizabeth Jordan by deed bearing date November 15, 1867, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber [illegible] of deeds on pages [illegible], being ten (10) acres of land more or less.

Dated July 25, 1884.

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Mr. Loudermilk is to be secretary of the Republican assessment committee. A very appropriate and suggestive name.

Cleveland and Hendricks are engaged on their letters of acceptance. They should remember that brevity is the soul of a political letter.

It begins to look as though Gen. Butler had quietly gobbled the "political situation" locked it up in his private office and put the key in his pocket.

Says the Evening News: The Ann Arbor Courier finds a general desire existing in Washtenaw county, to send Capt. Ed. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, to congress. It does not say whether the consent of Monroe and Lenawee has been asked or not—especially Lenawee.

Gov. Cleveland's vetoes are terrible things. When Mayor of Buffalo he vetoed an appropriation of $300 for the observance of Decoration Day, on the ground that the city charter did not authorize the payment of public funds for such purposes. He then suggested that the sum be raised by voluntary subscriptions, which was done, and his own name headed the list with the largest subscription.

The Republican organs' view with holy horror the prospect of a Democratic and Greenback fusion in Iowa and Michigan this fall on state and electoral tickets. But in West Virginia a similar fusion between the Republicans and Greenbackers is hailed as a "magnetic" stroke of policy on the part of Mr. Blaine. And on the strength of this coalition alone the Blaine managers base their claim of carrying that state.

The Republican congressional nomination in this district seems to lie between Capt. Miller, Gen. Spaulding and Capt. Allen. Miller will have Lenawee county solid; Capt Allen will pocket Washtenaw and Spaulding will swing Monroe. Hillsdale will be left to fight for. Personally considered these men are all unobjectionable, but if fitness and political strength are to control the action of the convention, Capt. Miller will be the man.

The Saginaw Courier has these sensible remarks which we respectfully commend to the Detroit Evening Journal. The editor of the Journal should cut them out and paste them in his scrap book:

"The Buffalo Express, a staunch supporter of Blaine and Logan, in an article upon the personal charges against Grover Cleveland, says: "We can no more say, of our own knowledge, that they are false than we can say that they are true. What we can say, based upon our information and judgement, is this: We do not believe that the charges are, in any just sense of the word, true." The express has but rarely, if ever, meddled with the private affairs of public servants, though it has never been merciful with those who have betrayed the public confidence. For the rest, we have never advised any citizen, young or old, to vote for the present or any former Democratic candidate for President. We did advise everybody who could to vote for Mr. Cleveland for Mayor of Buffalo and for Governor of New York. We have never regretted doing so, and do not now regret his election to those places. But if we had then or ever believed his private character to be such as the Telegraph has now printed it, we would never have advised anybody to vote for him for any office." If all party organs, Republican and Democratic, would pursue the same manly course that characterizes the Express, the political atmosphere would be divested of much of its disgusting features, and political campaigns would be the better for it. The editor of the Express is a Republican gentleman who has been intimately acquainted with Mr. Cleveland for many years; he has had abundant opportunity to investigate the life and character of a citizen Buffalo has delighted to honor; he has supported him for the office of Mayor of that city, and subsequently for Governor of the great State of New York; he says he has never regretted having done so. Such being the facts let the scandal-mongers hold their peace, and hold it not only in the case of Mr. Cleveland, but of Mr. Blaine. The public life and record of either of these gentlemen will furnish all the topics for criticism and discussion that honorable people everywhere care to read or engage in.

TEXAS COTTON.

The Crop Throughout the State Seriously in Need of Rain.

GALVESTON, Tex., August 5.—The News to-day will say: "The reports from the growing crops of Texas are by no means favorable. While in some portions in North and East Texas during the past week rain has fallen in a refreshing quantity, still the greater portion of the cotton growing districts is suffering from continued drouth. In Central Texas this is especially the case, and unless rain falls in this district within the coming week the cotton crop will be cut badly. Still, in the large and productive section of the State cotton will stand the drouth well ten days longer. On the Waco division of the Central Railroad, through Falls and McLean counties cotton is still strong and vigorous. Beyond Waco, on the same line of railroad, there has been rain sufficient to make a crop. On the Missouri Pacific from Waco to Austin and again on the line of the Central Railroad from Austin to the Brazo bottoms the cotton is still in a promising condition in all that section of the State, embracing six or eight heavy counties, being able to withstand the drouth for some time to come. The situation is critical at many points, however, but with general rains in the next eight days a full average cotton crop may yet be made. On the line of the Transcontinental Railway, also the two branches of the Missouri Pacific, the prospects are fairly good, while in Southern Texas the cotton is spotted, being fair in some sections and bad in others. Central and portions of Eastern Texas are suffering worse at this time, and unless relief comes soon, this region will be seriously injured as far as the cotton crop is concerned. This is the actual condition at the present writing."

Bishop Grace Resigns and Is Succeeded by Bishop Ireland.

ST. PAUL, Minn., August 5.—Catholic circles are very much interested over the fact that Bishop Grace has issued an address to the clergy and laity of the Diocese of St. Paul that he has resigned the episcopal office to his coadjutor, Bishop Ireland, with the permission and approval of the Pope. The causes for his resignation are given as being failing health and the weight of years, and inability to longer fulfill the heavy and onerous obligations of the office. The letter to the clergy and laity is concise, but full of affection for the people and the clergy over whom the Bishop has presided for a quarter of a century, and during which time the church has had a wonderful growth, increasing from less than 50,000 to over 100,000 population within the diocese. Bishop Ireland was consecrated coadjutor December 21, 1875, and has labored faithfully and zealously ever since, and is now elevated to the full powers of Bishop by right of succession as well as by the right of inheritance through service and ability. Bishop Grace was consecrated July 24, 1859.

Pauper Emigrants.

NEW YORK, August 5.—The Anchor steamship Trinacria, which arrived Saturday evening from the Mediterranean, was boarded in the bay Saturday morning by Emigration-Commissioner Stephenson and two of the Castle Garden clerks. There were but seventy-six Italian immigrants on board. These were cross-examined by the Commissioner and his assistants, and it was found that there were thirty-four of them that might become paupers. Some of these claimed to have friends in this country, but had no money, and did not appear able to care for themselves. They were told that they would not be allowed to leave the ship, but their relatives were telegraphed to. If the latter are able to care for them they will be allowed to land. It is not probable that more than eight of the detained immigrants will be sent back to Italy on the Trinacria. The custom-house officers on the Trinacria have been instructed to watch the detained immigrants and to prevent any of them from going ashore.

Raids by Cowboys and Indians.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 5.—It has been represented to the authorities here that an organized gang of American Indians and cowboys have crossed from Montana into the Canadian Northwest for the purpose of raiding upon the property of settlers between the Cypress Hills and Turtle Mountains. They have on several occasions come in contact with the mounted police whom they put at defiance, carrying off their plunder, generally consisting of cattle and horses, to their rendezvous in Montana. Extra efforts will now be made to put down this system of freebooting, and it is not improbable that the matter will be made the subject of official correspondence with the authorities at Washington with a view to obtaining their co-operation with the Dominion Government in bringing the outlaws to justice.

A Death-Bed Confession.

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 5.—Mrs. Francis Stegall, aged seventy years, died in Goose Creek Township, near Monroe, N. C., a few days ago. On her death-bed she confessed having murdered her husband by pouring molten lead in his ear. Thirty years ago her husband while on a drunken spree died very suddenly, but no foul play was ever suspected. None of the old residents had heard of any suspicious circumstances in connection with the affair. Mrs. Stegall never remarried, but lived rather a solitary life. She made the confession to a clergyman.

A Card from Miss Hill's Attorney.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., August 4.—The *Chronicle* publishes this morning a four column communication from W. M. Neilson, the original attorney of Miss Hill, in her suit for divorce against ex-Senator Sharon. After stating the reason for his withdrawal from the case he reaffirms that the word "wife" in the "My dear wife" letters, is a forgery.

Chinese Immigration.

OTTAWA, Ont., August 5.—The British Columbia Government are dissatisfied at not being represented on the commission appointed by the Dominion Government to inquire into the question of Chinese immigration into the province, which is at present sitting at Victoria. A representative of the Chinese Government has arrived to attend the sitting.

Small-Pox in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. Aug. 5.—Small-pox has appeared at Martin, creating considerable excitement. There are three cases in one family, the head of whom contracted the disease in Cairo.

Death of an Old Pittsburgher.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., August 3.—Robert T. Lynch, editor of the Los Angeles *Herald*, died suddenly of apoplexy last night at Santa Monica. He was a native of Pittsburgh, Pa., and was fifty years of age.

Killing Horse-Thieves.

SALT LAKE, Utah, August 5.—The vigilantes, numbering fifteen or twenty fearless men, hailed the steamer Benton at Fort Hawley last Tuesday to secure some provisions. They did not have much to say other than that they were rounding up the horse-thieves, and had still some work before them. On Sunday they had a fight with the thieves at Bateman's wood-yard that lasted two hours. It seems that a number of the thieves, probably twenty had gathered there to make a stand against the vigilantes. They occupied a cabin and a tent some distance from the house. As a matter of safety, they put out two sentries to look out for the cowboys, but the latter came up and took a position near the house without being seen, and at daylight opened fire on the thieves, protected by trees and stumps. The men in the tent were all killed, and some of those in the cabin, the others escaping. The house and stable were burned. The names of the victims are not known, and, in fact, the details are of a meagre and indefinite order. The James place was totally destroyed by fire, including the wood, and it is believed the father and his two sons were killed. Two or three other wood yards were burned out. The "Avengers" had the names and history of every one of the gang along the river, and they expressed a purpose of not letting up as long as there was one of them left. They expected to apply to the boat on its return trip for additional supplies to "carry on the war."

Got Away With $50,000.

PORTLAND, Oregon, August 5.—Frank Crisble, employed some time as exchange teller at the Portland First National bank, was discovered to be a defaulter, and has fled the country. Recently he asked for a brief vacation, which was granted. Taking his family he left in a very sudden manner for San Francisco. Suspicions were aroused and an examination of his accounts made. Only a partial investigation of the books reveals a defalcation of over $50,000. How much more Frisbie appropriated the officers of the bank are unable to determine at present. It is thought that Frisbie embarked on an Australian steamer at San Francisco and made good his escape. He recently came from Chicago bearing excellent credentials.

Lynched With Neatness and Dispatch.

RATION, N. M., August 5.—Yesterday a Mexican named Juan Costillo outraged a five-year-old daughter of Juan Iafoy. An hour afterwards a number of citizens took him into a stable and gave him a terrible horsewhipping. About two o'clock in the afternoon about thirty Mexicans managed to obtain possession of him and he is now hanging to a limb of a big cottonwood at the door of the little girl's home. The girl will hardly live. The lynching was quietly done at an hour when the deputy sheriff was at dinner. There was no crowd to speak of, and not a particle of excitement.

Drowned on the Way to Texas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., August 5.—During last week's freshet reports were received that a family of immigrants had been drowned in War Eagle Creek while attempting to ford near Evansville. Saturday, the dead team and wagon and the body of one child in a drift, were discovered in the stream below the ford. The outfit has been recognized as belonging to a party consisting of man, wife and four children, who were bound for Texas from Missouri. A search is being made for the remains of the others.

An Old Citizen Gone.

PITTSBURGH, August 5.—Lewis Peterson, Sr., one of Pittsburgh's earliest and most prominent business men, died yesterday morning in his ninety-third year. Mr. Peterson was one of the proprietors of the *Pennsylvania Daily Advocate*, the first daily ever published here, formed the first Board of Trade, manufactured the first cotton and was largely interested in the iron industry of this city. He joined the Masonic order in Philadelphia in 1812 and came to Pittsburgh the year following.

Alabama Election.

MOBILE, Ala., August 5.—The State and county elections in Alabama yesterday passed off quietly as far as yet reported. There being but one State ticket, that headed by Governor E. A. O'Neal, the result can be anticipated. In several counties there were independent candidates for county offices, who have been defeated except here in Mobile, where the Independents obtained, by the help of the colored voters, a large majority over the regular Democracy.

The Fever Stamped Out.

OMAHA, Neb., August 5.—P. P. Shelby, General Freight Agent of the Union Pacific Railway, telegraphs that the infection among the Nebraska cattle was genuine Texas fever, but he believes that it has been completely stamped out. No new cases have been reported during the last two days, and extra precautions have been taken to prevent cattle from coming in contact with the infected spots and trails.

Base Ball.

CHICAGO, August 5.—The Clevelands were defeated yesterday by the Chicagos by a score of 9 to 2.

Detroit—Buffalos, 18; Detroits, 0.

The league clubs all play to-day, Cleveland at Chicago, Buffalo at Detroit, Boston at Philadelphia and Providence at New York.

Narrow Escape at a Fire.

NEW YORK, August 5.—Twenty-three occupants of a tenement on Charlton Street were endangered by fire yesterday morning and narrowly escaped in their night clothes by ladders from the street and by fleeing to the roof. Nearly all were slightly burned but no lives were lost.

A Base Ball Club Disbands.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., August 5.—The Fort Wayne base ball club, of the Northwestern League, disbanded and withdrew from the League yesterday. Financial embarrassment is the cause. The players received their salaries in full.

Rumored Lynching of Ten Negroes.

NEW YORK, August 5.—A special dispatch reports the lynching of ten negroes in Northampton County, Va., by a gang of Italians. The story is improbable and is unconfirmed. The place is remote from the telegraph.

Ross and Teemer Matched Again.

BOSTON, Mass., August 5.—A five-mile sculling match for $1,000 a side, between Teemer and Ross, was arranged to-day by representatives of these oarsmen, the time and place of the race being as yet in abeyance.

STEPHEN B. ELKINS, member of the Republican National Committee, has resigned the presidency of the First National Bank of Santa Fe, N. M., which position he has held thirteen years, in order to give more time to the duties of the campaign.

JOHN B. BANGS, of the well known publishing house of John P. Morton & Co., and one of the most prominent business men of Louisville, Ky., died on the 2d, aged forty-seven.

ROBERT T. LYNCH, editor of the Los Angeles, Cal., *Herald*, died suddenly of heart disease at Santa Monica, that State, on the 3d. He was a native of Pittsburgh, Pa., and about fifty years of age.

FOREIGN.

IT was reported at Shanghai on the 31st ult. that France and China have made a treaty of peace; China is to pay France an indemnity of 5,200,000 taels, also $7,280,000.

THE rebels attacked Suakim in force on the night of the 30th ult. They lost four killed and several wounded. The thermometer registered 120 degrees in the shade, and many sunstrokes have occurred among the troops.

CAPTAIN NEWTON, a passenger in the steamer Laxham, which sunk after the collision with the steamer Gijon, escaped with fifteen Spaniards and landed at Muros, Spain. He reported that immediately after the collision the captain of the Gijon shot himself. The Spaniards, he said, behaved badly. There is no news from the captain of the Laxham.

A SON of the British Vice Consul at Rodosto, Turkey, has been captured by brigands, who demand £7,000 ransom.

A PERSON who hides his name presented the Wesleyan conference at London with a theological library of thirty thousand volumes. The membership of the Wesleyan body was increased during the year by thirty thousand.

MINISTER MORTON has subscribed 1,000 francs toward the fund which the American artists of Paris are raising to present the city with a bronze model of Bartholdi's statue.

AT Airdrie, near Glasgow, Scotland, on the 1st, the magazine of Dickson's collieries was forcibly broken into with pickaxes and sixty-five pounds of dynamite carried off.

IT is reported that the Grand Duke Louis, of Hesse, will abdicate in favor of his son Ernest, under the advice of the Emperor of Germany. His morganatic marriage with Mme. Kolarmine and subsequent divorce have compromised his position.

THE trial of the dynamiters at Warwick, England, was concluded on the 1st. McDonnell, who pleaded guilty to treason and felony, was released on bail, to appear at any time if called upon.

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IN the matter of the estate of John Henry, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Macon Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of September, 1884, and on the 22d day of January, 1885, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 22d day of July, A D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated at Macon, this 22d day of July, 1884.

EBENEZER HARMON
ABRAM HARRINGTON,
Commissioners.

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OFFICERS of the late war who were refused pay for the time between date of commission and official muster, will find it to their interest to communicate promptly and with particulars with McNeill & Birch, Attorneys and Solicitors, Drawer 457, Washington, D. C. No fees in advance; honorable dealing; highest references.

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A. P. CODDINGTON,
Tecumseh, Mich.

FAIR WARNING.—The party who took a sateen covered, lined with red and trimmed with lace, parasol, from my establishment, instead of an inferior one, is requested to return the same immediately and avoid trouble.
FRED P. DEUEL.

CAUCUS.—The Republicans of the township of Tecumseh, will meet in the council building in the village of Tecumseh, on Friday, Aug. 8th, 1884, at two o'clock P.M., for the purpose of electing six delegates to represent the township in the convention to be held in Adrian, Aug. 11, 1884, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
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L. H. HALLOCK, M.D., Physician and Surgeon, Britton, Mich. All calls day or night promptly attended to.

LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

FLORIDA LANDS FOR SALE.—A few more of those choice lots in Sorrento, Orange Co., Fla., in size to suit purchaser 2½ to 5 acres, and 10 to 20 acre lots adjoining village. Also 40 to 80 acre tracts within three miles of Sorrento depot and railroad will be sold during the next 30 days for $10 an acre in 40 acre lots. These lands are good orange lands and very cheap. For particulars apply to E. HAUSE,
Tecumseh, Mich.

WANTED.—A good farm to rent on shares for a term of three or four years by a first-class farmer. Communicate with
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Miss Fanny Aten, of Deerfield, has been visiting friends in this village.

Emory Doke is the happy father of a seven pound girl, born Tuesday last.

Seth Bean and J. K. Johnson, of Adrian, were in Tecumseh last Tuesday.

The Republican state convention will meet at Detroit next Wednesday, Aug. 13th.

Wm. Totten started last Monday for Petoskey where he will remain about a month.

The annual catalogue of the Michigan Agricultural College is received. During the past year there were 171 pupils in attendance.

We are indebted to B. L. Baxter for a copy of "Michigan and Its Resources," the compilation of the State Commissioner of Immigration.

John McKinney has gone to Byersville, N. Y., to remain several weeks among his old friends there. He expects to return in season to vote for Blaine and Logan.

We received a pleasant call this forenoon from E. W. Jackson, editor of the Litchfield Gazette, who is spending a day or two in Tecumseh with his uncle James Jackson.

We return our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the friends who so kindly and generously remembered us in our recent trouble.
MR. & MRS. MORRIS PRIMROSE.

If you want clean, thrifty cabbages, kill the worms which dwarf and ruin them, with a solution made as follows: "To one-half pound, each, of hard soap and kerosene oil, add three gallons of water, mix thoroughly, and apply with a sprinkler."

Janies Schermerhorn, the appointee to the West point cadetship is a son of Editor Schermerhorn of the Hudson Gazette, and he received a portion of his schooling in the printing office. His brother journalists will congratulate him on his success.

The national greenback county convention will be held at the council room in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, Aug. 16th, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention and also to the congressional convention.
J. W. HELME, SR.
Chairman of Co. Committee.
H. F. BAKER, Sec.

The first grand encampment of the Knights of Pythias of Ohio will be held at Toledo next week, Aug. 11th to 14th, inclusive. Special excursion rates will be given over the Lake Shore road. The rate from Tecumseh to Toledo and return will be only $1.00. Tickets on the Jackson Branch will be good going August 12th and 13th. Returning, good on all trains until Aug. 15th inclusive.

Our young friend A. J. Coddington is prospering finely at Shelby, Mich. He is now sole proprietor of the Shelby Enterprise, and is running a strong Cleveland & Hendricks paper. His partner was a Republican and the paper was a neutral one. About three weeks ago he purchased his partner's interest and unfurled the Cleveland banner. The first week after the change he lost four subscribers and added 130 new names to the list.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 7, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

It takes a league team to lay out the Tecumseh base ball club.

The Presbyterian church of Brooklyn is undergoing repairs.

The Clinton band is rusticating for a few days at Wampler's lake.

Bert Watling, of Dundee, has a steam yacht on the river Raisin.

Rev. G. W. Hudson of this village preached in Morenci last Sunday.

Rev. W. Q. Burnett will occupy the Baptist pulpit in this village next Sunday morning.

Rev. C. E. Conley and family left town yesterday for a few day's vacation at Devil's lake.

It is expected that the Detroit league team will play at Tecumseh some time in September.

Wm. Snedecor has moved his bakery to the vacant store one door east of Sholes' harness shop.

Harry Lee has purchased 60,000 brick of Wm. Slayton, of Dundee, for use in his new hotel building.

Tho farmers' big picnic will take place at Devil's Lake on the 14th inst. next week Thursday. Remember the date.

The frame of Lee's new hotel is up and presents an imposing appearance. The work of laying the brick is now begun.

Operations have begun on the foundation for the new skating rink. It will be situated east of Hayden's warehouse.

L. F. Wheeler has photographed the elegant floral pieces which were used at the Masonic banquet last Friday evening.

The young boys of the village have organized a lacrosse club, and have procured the necessary instruments to bat the ball with.

Rev. John L. Trauger, wife and three children, of Columbus, O., are visiting at the residence of Henry Smith, in this village.

Hon. G. P. Waring and Dr. Loree, of Ridgeway, are gaining quite a reputation as good stump speakers. They talk for St. John.

Walter and Annie Powers of this village and Willie Graves of Milwaukee have been visiting the family of A. T. Graves in Cambridge.

The Tecumseh B. B. club will play a game of ball in Jackson to-day and from there they go to Plymouth and Brighton on Friday and Saturday.

Tecumseh's Chinese laundryman is called by Hudson Post 'Tee Dan.' Now, Bro. Scarritt, that's too thin; our washee man is named Yee Din.

J. C. Winnie, of Adrian, was in town yesterday on business. We understand that Mr. Winnie is a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney this fall.

Mrs. Ed. C. G. Leauer, who has been spending a few weeks in Tecumseh as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, returned to her home in Monroe yesterday.

"Uncle Bill" Nixon was 77 years old last Friday, and the event was celebrated in the usual way by Uncle Bill and the boys with the fife and drum in the evening.

Co. C left yesterday morning for camp. The boys never looked or felt better and they anticipate having a pleasant and profitable week. They turned out forty-six, officers and men.

The excursion to Detroit last Tuesday was well patronized. Five coaches were filled and the train was run promptly on time. Many Tecumseh people took advantage of the occasion.

Archie Sherrard, who has been in business at Cleveland for the past few months, has been spending a few days with friends in this village, and yesterday took his departure for Milwaukee, where he enters the employ of a large jewelry firm.

The M. & O. Co. have begun laying a new side track at their station. It is something which has long been needed to accommodate the increasing business at this point. It will be laid on the south side of the main track, east of the depot.

Mr. Morris Primrose has been having a very serious time with the burns which he received at the time of the burning of the Tecumseh Lumber company's planing mill. He is now on the gain however and hopes to be able to resume work at an early day.

The Lady's Aid Society of the M. E. Church in Clinton, will give a New England supper under the beautiful maple trees, on the church grounds, on Wednesday afternoon and evening August 13th inst. The Society is making great efforts to raise money to meet expences, and they (the ladies) hope for the patronage of the business men on that special afternoon and evening to the supper. In the evening at 8 o'clock prompt, an entertainment will be given in the audience room of the church, consisting of music, readings, and recitations. After the entertainment ice cream and cake will be served to all who may so desire.

Wm. H. Osborn of Milwaukee, is visiting his Tecumseh and Macon friends for a few days.

The Republican township caucus will be held to-morrow afternoon to elect delegates to the county convention.

The Reunion of the 18th Reg. Mich. Inf., will take place at Devil's Lake on the 26th inst. The County Soldiers and Sailors will meet there on the 27th and the G. A. R. on the 28th.

On Thursday of next week Aug. 14, the Knights of Pythias of Battle Creek will run a special excursion to Detroit via the M. & O. and Wabash Railways. Fare for the round trip, only $1.35.

One of the happiest events connected with the Masonic banquet last Friday evening, was a present from Mrs. Spaulding, the florist, which consisted of a floral square and compass mounted on a base and composed of flowers of the choicest varieties. The letter G was composed of white and scarlet immortelles, and displayed artistic talent which reflected much credit upon the donor, while the entire piece was very beautiful and was valued at fifteen dollars. A maltese cross from Mrs. Smith's green house at Adrian, was also among the floral offerings, but in point of richness and arrangement was far inferior to Mrs. Spaulding's lovely offering.

ON THE DIAMOND.

The Tecumseh Club Defeated for the First Time this Season by the Buffalo League Nine.

It was a good game of ball that was played last Thursday between the Buffalo and Tecumseh teams, even if it was amateur vs. professional. Everybody expected that the home club would be defeated and of course were not disappointed when the end was reached and the score stood five to one in Buffalo's favor.

About a thousand people were in attendance, a good many coming from Clinton, Adrian, Manchester and other surrounding towns to see the sport. The home team were in good shape, and, considering the odds they had to contend against, played an excellent game. Of course the Buffalos played a good game; its their business to play ball, and they seemed well acquainted with their business too.

The game was called promptly at three o'clock with the Bisons at the bat. O'Rouke knocked a fly into one of the fielder's hands and retired. Rowe had better luck and made a safe two-bagger, stole to the third, and before the close of the innings made a score. Richardson got out on a fly and White struck out.

The Tecumseh side then came in to try their skill at batting a league pitcher's balls. F. Bostwick and Anderson were both put out at first, Kelly got to the second on a passed ball by the catcher, and got home on another one by the same, which tied the Buffalos. Faatz struck out. The second and third innings were goose eggs for both sides, and in fact all the rest of them during the game for Tecumseh.

In the fourth innings Lillie knocked a fly, which was beautifully muffed by Chapman, and got to first; Myers got out at first but sent Lillie to second. Force got out on a fly. Eggler got to first on six balls; Serad made second on a fly, and sent Lillie and Eggler home. O'Rourke struck out. The score then stood three to one in favor of the Bisons. In the fifth innings they run the score up to five on a fly muffed by Anderson. No runs were made after this. The following is the score:

TECUMSEH.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
F. Bostwick, 2b	4	0	0	0	7	1	1
Heidenrich, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	1	2
Kelly, p	4	1	1	1	1	3	0
Faatz, c	4	0	1	1	6	1	0
Chapman, s.s	4	0	1	2	2	2	3
McKinney, r.f	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Freeman, 1b	4	0	2	2	4	1	1
Anderson, l.f	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
G. Bostwick, c.f	3	0	0	0	5	0	0
Total	34	1	5	6	27	9	8

BUFFALO.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
O'Rouke, 1b	5	0	0	0	8	0	0
Rowe, l.f	4	1	2	3	1	2	2
Richardson, 2b	4	1	0	0	3	2	0
White, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
Lillie, r.f	4	2	0	0	0	0	0
Myers, c	4	0	0	0	12	2	2
Force, s.s	4	0	1	1	1	0	1
Eggler, c. f	4	1	1	2	0	0	0
Serad, p	4	0	1	1	0	3	1
Total	37	5	5	7	27	10	6

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tecumseh	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Buffalo	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	5

Earned runs—Tecumseh, 0; Buffalo, 0.
First base on errors—Tecumseh, 2; Buffalo, 5.
First base on balls—Tecumseh, 0; Buffalo, 0.
Struck out—Tecumseh, 13; Buffalo, 6.
Two base hits—Chapman, Rowe, Eggler.
Double plays—Buffalo, 1.
Left on bases—Tecumseh, 3; Buffalo, 4.
Passed balls—Faatz, 2; Myers, 5.
Umpire—W. W. Frazer.
Time of game—1 hr., 30 min.

If Tecumseh played a good game Thursday, they played a miserable one Friday. Every man with one or two exceptions seemed to be rattled or discouraged. G. Bostwick did some excellent fielding, and was about the only man that did anything. Most of the scores made by the Buffalos were made on errors by the home team. Burnham, league umpire with the Buffalos done the umpiring for Friday's game, and he made one horrible decision, calling a Tecumseh man out at first when the baseman was not within 4 feet of his base. We do not give the full score as the error column in the score book was not large enough to hold all the errors made by Tecumseh and content ourselves with the number of scores which was 15 to 3 in favor of Buffalo.

Arthur Burnett, a graduate of our High School, class of 1876, is spending a few days in town.

The Republican County Convention to nominate a county ticket will be held at Adrian on Saturday, August 30th.

The Sunday School connected with the Friends' church of this village had a picnic at Sand Lake on Tuesday last. There was a large company of little folks as well as some older people present, all of whom enjoyed themselves.

Daniel E. Soper, Esq. of Newaygo, was in town Tuesday, the guest of Wm. McCowen. His visit was altogether too short to satisfy his friends. Mr. Soper is flourishing in his present location and is becoming quite a prominent Democratic politician in those parts.

The Union Light of Adrian will soon be merged into a new state organ of the Union party to be published at Detroit. It will appear about Aug. 27th, under the management of A. H. Brown, of Jackson. The Union Light has been ably conducted, but as it has not been a financial success it was thought best by the stockholders to make this change. Its subscription list will be transferred to the new paper.

The following notice is clipped from the Oakland Daily Tribune of July 19th. As one of the contracting parties is a former resident of Tecumseh, the item will doubtless be of interest to our readers. Although many years have flown since Mr. Wastell lived among us, he has a host of friends here who will note his prosperity with pleasure.

At seven-thirty o'clock Tuesday evening last, the marriage ceremony of George F. Wastell to Miss Emma, daughter of Mrs. P. A. Allen, took place at the First M. E. Church. Both the matrimonial aspirants are well and favorably known in this city, and in San Francisco. The groom is in the employ of Murphy, Grant & Co. of San Francisco, the bride a favorite with all that know her. The church had been most elaborately decorated by the young lady friends of the bride. As the wedding organ broke forth in "Mendelssohn's Wedding March" the bridal pair entered the church. They were preceded by the ushers, H. W. Baxter, J. Clayton Hill, Fred. Carrick, and John Parsons; next came Miss Grace Wastell and Bell Allen as flower girls, then Mabel Terry and Bertie Wastell as bridesmaid and best man, followed by the bride and groom. Rev. C. V. Anthony, presiding elder of the M. E. Church, officiated, and soon the bridal pair were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The presents were in great variety.

The Adrian Record of last Monday says: The Teachers' Institute for Lenawee county began its session this morning at ten o'clock. About sixty persons were in attendance but this afternoon the number swelled to nearly 100. Everything tends to the conviction that the coming two weeks will be spent to the profit of those present. Especially does this seem to be true when we remember that the Institute is under the leadership of Supt. Z. C. Spencer, of Battle Creek, formerly of the Tecumseh schools, assisted by Prof. W. W. Wendell and our Prof. Curtis. The mere fact that these gentlemen have charge should convince all that the Institute will be a success. The first things done was to organize and lay out a definite plan of work, which is something like this: Three classes were formed, to be taught by the gentlemen named. The subjects for this afternoon were "Languages," by Prof. Spencer; "History," by Prof. Wendell; and Physiology," by Prof. Curtis. An hour is spent with each class, and then one class changes with another; thus giving each class or section an opportunity to pass through the same drill."

MORENCI NOTES.

We took a trip to Morenci one day last week and spent four hours circulating around that lively village. We confess our surprise at seeing how the village has improved in general appearance and business thrift during the past four years. The business houses in the leading branches of trade will compare favorably with those in the older towns of the county. In the carriage, undertaking and brick making industries, Morenci has outgrown her strictly local patronage and is spreading out for twenty miles around. A call at the Observer office found that establishment flourishing under the charge of the younger Mr. Allen. E D. Allen was down to Fayette on business, but we had a chat with him at the depot as we took the train to return. The Observer is a well equipped office and is ably managed. In fact the present prosperity of Morenci is due, in no small degree, to the influence of the Observer. The Morenci Union Fair is another enterprise which has grown up within the past few years. It has developed into a strong society which has a great influence upon the business of Morenci. It has grown to be an institution of which that village may well be proud. We took dinner at the Exchange and found that the old corner hotel had lost none of its popularity in recent years. We visited some of the principal business houses and found the proprietors all busy. We shall make an effort to visit Morenci again at the time of the fair.

Maj. C. M. Dawes, of Adrian, called at the HERALD office Tuesday last.

Large crowds witnessed the base ball games last Thursday and Friday afternoons.

The regular union services will be held at the Baptist church next Sunday evening.

Ed. Rowland, is playing gentleman now days. He has a felon on his right hand, so he cannot work.

We are indebted to Bert Temple for a fine view of S. W. Temple's planing mill, taken by L. F. Wheeler.

Dan Gibson, of Clinton, has his hands full now taking care of his honey crop. He has over fifty colonies of bees.

Miss Julia Wyrill has gone to her uncle's, Wm. Wyrill's, who lives near Union City, Mich., for a visit of three or four weeks.

Miss Gertie Burnham, who has been spending a few weeks as the guest of Allie and Jennie McCowen returned to her home in Detroit on Friday last.

George Williams, of Clinton, gets to Tecumseh occasionally. He is engaged in house painting this summer, and until recently has had a good run of work. As a house or carriage painter he ranks with the best.

Dr. L. H. Hallock has hung out his shingle, and commenced the practice of medicine at Britton. Dr. Hallock comes well recommended and hopes to merit success in his profession. See his card in another column.

The addition to Temple's planing mill is progressing rapidly. It is of brick two stories high and will increase the capacity of the shop fully half. An extension has been made to the side track which will enable him to unload coal directly from the cars into his coal bins.

The County Pioneer Society will hold its next annual meeting at Ogden Center, on Wednesday, August 27th; among the exercises will be a paper, prepared by Supervisor McComb, on the early settlement of Ogden township.

Addison Courier: Last Friday night, while Sheriff Crandall was doing his chores at his barn, Pat. Dillman, who was his prisoner, made a brake for liberty, but our sheriff was too quick for him and he only ran a short distance when he was captured and taken to Adrian. It is rumored about Hudson and Adrian that Sheriff Crandall was badly pounded while trying to catch the escaped prisoner, but this is untrue. We haven't got that kind of a sheriff up here.

The Union party held a ratification meeting last Thursday evening. It was quite stormy in the afternoon, but the prohibitionists are not at all frightened over a little cold water, and their arrangements were completed just the same. The Clinton band came down to help out on the music, and their part of the program was well performed. The crowd assembled on the corner by Kinney's furniture store and was called to order about eight o'clock P. M. by Rev. G. W. Hudson, who introduced E. B. Sutton, state organizer of the Union party. This gentleman is a pleasing, effective speaker, and held the audience for an hour and a half with a telling speech which gave evident satisfaction to the Unionists present and seemed to displease no one. The meeting was a good one throughout. The Unionists of Tecumseh have opened the campaign in a creditable manner.

MASONIC BANQUET.

Last Friday evening was the "regular" of Tecumseh Lodge No. 59 F. and A. M. The work on hand was in the third degree. Members of neighboring lodges had been invited and when the hour arrived for the Master's gavel to fall the assembled crowd had swelled to such proportions that fifty camp chairs were brought in to furnish seating capacity for the visitors. The degree work was admirably gone through with, W. M, Conklin of our Lodge being assisted by the masters of Clinton and Milan Lodges, David Woodward and I. S. Hitchcock. In the long ante-room adjoining the hall on the South side, tables had been prepared which the Masonic ladies of this vicinity had loaded down with eatables, and after the degree work was closed the visiting bretheren were invited to the feast. The tables accommodated sixty two and they were filled twice and partly filled a third time. The Clinton, Manchester, Milan, Dundee and Adrian Lodges were represented, and Cambridge sent a large delegation, the Masonic fraternity of this town being scattered among different lodges. Altogether there were nearly one hundred visiting Masons in attendance and although our accommodations were severely taxed, we believe they were all properly entertained. Among the table ornaments were three elegant floral pieces, a square and compass and a sickle donated by Mrs. D. P. Spaulding, and a Maltese cross donated by an Adrian florist. The Tecumseh Lodge return their thanks to the visiting brethren for their attendance and hope they may find it convenient to repeat the visit at some future time.

Ben Butler in Detroit.

Ben Butler, the hero of Tewksbury, and a prominent presidential candidate is announced to speak at Recreation Park, Detroit, on Saturday, Aug. 16th. The Knights of Labor have a picnic that day, and in addition to other attractions, they propose to put up several hundred dollars worth of prizes. Gen. Weaver of Iowa, Gen. West of Mississippi, and Asa Parker of Ills., have also promised to grace the occasion with their presence. For the accommodation of the people of this section, an excursion will be run over the Lake Shore, on the 16th, going by the way of the Dundee branch, making the round trip for the low rate of one dollar and twenty five cents. The train leaves Adrian at 7.30 in the morning, and returning, will leave Detroit at 6.00 P. M., precisely. Aside from the attractions offered in Detroit that day, the trip is a very cheap one to those who want to visit the city that day, to do business, or enjoy a visit. The excursions over the Lake Shore have always been safely conducted, and all should avail themselves of this chance. Excursionists can take the regular morning train from Tecumseh, returning by the same in the evening.

A Polite Invitation.

Many people when ordering photographs or other work in the picture line, do not stop to think of the probability of their being able to pay for the work when it was done, and when it is delivered request the artist to wait a day or two for it. I have been waiting for a day or two, for a long time, for some of my customers to settle up for work done and delivered. My creditors want their pay for stock used in doing the work, and their just demands should be promptly met, but there's the rub. If my customers do not pay me, how can I pay my debts? I now politely invite my friends who owe me for work, to settle at once, and by doing so save me a great deal of annoyance and trouble.

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L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
	6 23 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	12 — A.M.
Jackson	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 5 "
Norvell	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 30 "
Nashville	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 30 "	3 36 "	4 02 "
Tecumseh	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Adrian	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Petersburg	9 02 "	5 17 "	
Toledo			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 42 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	8 27 "	4 42 A.M.
Adrian	11 12 "	9 32 "	6 00 "
Petersburg	11 43 "	9 34 "	6 30 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Nashville	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "
Jackson			

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GOING WEST. Freight.	Passenger.	Passenger.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Passenger.	Freight.
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
5 30	5 05	10 10	Lv...Toledo...Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 01	11 02	....Dundee....	4 00	10 33	5 00
7 54	6 57	11 57	....Britton....	3 05	10 10	4 11
8 01	6 31	12 02	....Ridgeway....	3 30	10 06	4 02
8 25	6 41	12 43	....Tecumseh....	3 19	9 57	3 42
9 00	6 55	12 00	....Tipton....	3 02	9 42	3 10
9 30	7 10	12 15	....Cambridge....	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				
10 25	7 33	12 40	....Addison....	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P.M.		
11 05	7 50	12 59	....Jerome....	2 01	8 51	1 20
11 20	7 57	1 07	....Moscow....	1 53	8 44	1 07
11 46	8 07	1 19	....Hanover....	1 41	8 33	12 37
P.M.						
12 10	8 18	1 30	....Pulaski....	1 30	8 22	12 10
						P.M.
1 06	8 40	1 52	....Homer....	1 06	8 00	11 20
1 22	8 09	2 22	....Marshall....	12 37	7 32	10 15
2 40	9 22	2 34	....Cer sco....	12 25	7 19	9 46
3 30	9 40	2 56	....Battle Creek....	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 29	....Augusta....	11 33		8 12
4 33		3 29	....Yorkville....	11 34		7 53
4 48		3 36	....Richland....	11 28		7 39
5 25		57	....Doster....	11 08		6 51
5 32		6	....Monteith....	10 49		6 15
5 40		4 27	....Fisk....	10 39		5 55
5 57		4 33	....Kellogg....	10 33		5 40
6 [illegible]		4 35	Ar 4 20 Lv	10 30		5 35
P.M.		P.M.		A.M.		A.M.

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 35
Blakesley		12 48	6 49
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P.M.	A.M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 35	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 46	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.
3 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
3 30	7 11	....Manhattan Junction....	9 26	4 48
3 40	7 23	....Alexis Junction....	9 16	4 38
3 48	7 35	....Hawthorn....	9 10	4 30
3 55	7 46	....Samaria....	9 02	4 22
6 08	8 06	....Lulu....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	....Monroe Junction....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	....Dundee....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	....Macon....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	....Azalia....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	....Milan Junction....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	....Milan....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	....Nora....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	....Urania....	7 52	3 10
7 05	9 32	....Pittsfield....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	....Ann Arbor....	7 27	2 49
7 35	10 15	....Leland....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 32	....Worden....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 55	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
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Many people do not think that an orchard needs any special care. They do not grow fruit as they grow other crops, or which they carefully prepare the soil and carefully cultivate for the purpose of making the crop both good and many abundant. The orchard, in too many instances, is set out without care and never has any care afterward. It is true that an apple orchard will often do well even under such neglect, but care in the preparation of the soil and good care afterward will pay a fine per cent. of profit for all the money and labor that is expended. The subject of drainage will be the very first to present itself in the consideration of a site for an orchard. Everybody knows that wet land will no answer and nobody would select a low wet field for an orchard site. Many times, however, a portion of a field which elsewhere is all right for an orchard, is too wet for trees, and it is folly to plant trees on that portion unless it is drained. It is of no use to think that, perhaps, they will amount to something even if they are not as good as the balance of the field will produce. Either drain or do not plant the trees, and whenever drainage is attempted for an orchard, or for other purposes, it should be thorough and systematic. No fruit grower should be content with surface drainage. Underdraining is expensive, and much more so than it ought to be, but as we have said so many times, it will pay to underdrain. On our level prairies we can hope for success in apple culture only by thoroughly draining. In many portions of the West, as we need know, the soil is often too wet to grow anything. Millions of dollars are lost every year because drainage has not yet been extensively adopted as its merits would warrant.

Having selected the site with a view to dryness, put the soil in good condition, remembering that when the soil is not too thin, it may be plowed deep with good results. The orchard should never be set on uncultivated land, and that so many orchards have done reasonably well by setting the trees in a space dug in a pasture, is no argument that this is the way to set trees. Thoroughly cultivate the soil, and when it can be done just as well, as not, cultivate it deeply, as we said before, though we do not attach so much importance to trench plowing or subsoiling as some do. The roots will penetrate anyhow, and will at least in a measure prepare the soil for the use of the tree. If there is in the ground in available shape what the tree wants, the roots will find it.

Whether or not to apply manures will depend upon the condition of the soil, and no rule can be laid down that would answer for the vast territory over which the *Rural* circulates. It must be remembered that trees are great feeders. If the soil is worn out, lime with clover as a green manure, will prove very valuable. If on such soils from twenty-five to fifty bushels of slacked lime are applied to the clover, it will both improve the clover, and act directly upon the soil itself. No one thing will do as much to prepare a field of comparatively poor land for an orchard as clover. Its roots penetrate deep into the earth, and disintegrate the soil besides drawing up a vast amount of hidden treasure. Wood ashes will be found valuable either when the soil is being prepared or afterward. Besides these, composts and stable manures are valuable at least in bringing up soils that are comparatively poor. If there is a necessity for planting such soil immediately, thoroughly decomposed compost, mixed with the soil, should be applied about the trees, but the entire surface of the field will also have to be manured afterward several times. Fresh stable manure should never be placed about the young tree.

Now we come to digging the holes for the trees. If the ground is well prepared, as we have indicated, the holes need not be very large, either in width or depth. Some lay great stress upon wide and deep holes, but such holes are a matter of greater expense, and when they are not needed the expense should not be incurred. If the field is in grass the holes should be wide, about as wide as the field, we think. And where a few trees are to be set in grass, why, of course, make the holes large. The holes prepared, take the tree and carefully examine the roots, cutting away mats of fibers and any roots that are bruised or ragged. Now set them out, spreading out the roots carefully and packing the soil about them firmly. Then cultivate for several years.—*Western Rural.*

Living From the Garden.

Gardeners, and above all, farmers, have no business to live meanly, or to think of themselves as obliged to drudge ceaselessly without the indulgences of other classes. One has no business to see town folks having early vegetables and berries a month before his tardy supply comes on, to be out of them in dog days before the merchants and cheap boarding house keepers in the city have begun to see the end of fresh things; he has no need to live on doughnuts and boiled dinners the year round, when others try the changes of spring lamb, fresh fish, boiled chicken salads, ducks and green peas, capons and veal till turkey time comes again. He ought not to see town homes fragrant with flowers, while his wife has only a bunch of syaringa and cinnamon roses, with a tuft of asparagus, to sweeten her parlor when she thinks to pick them. What better right have rich men to sit over desserts of choice pears, plums, grapes and apricots, while he must content himself with a Baldwin apple in midwinter? Who should have a becoming home with its lawn in front, and wide borders of the richest flowers; his house, one story and small, perhaps, yet hung with woodbine, wild grapes and roses against the back ground of orchard and nut trees, spreading their flanking boughs with good effect as if it were a cottage ornee, with its acres of shrubberies. Why should he not have in his garden choice of fruit for the season, strawberries, currants and gooseberries jostling each other in earliest perfection red and black cherries, golden and purple plums, plenty of black caps to make up for the lost strawberries, and grapes as soon as raspberries are over, big blanched salads and peas in succession, as well as his town neighbor who sells him groceries and cotton? Why should he not have as fine pears, peaches, winter apples and grapes at Christmas as well as the President of the horticultural society, and why should not his girls have big French roses and tuberoses as well as the solitary dahlia and China aster, which decorate the yard, and the common geranium indoors? Why doesn't he have a herb bed to make his plain dinner savory, and lavender to sweeten his sheets at night? A poor English cottager will have all these by thrift and contrivance. Why not put it in front of his house, instead of behind it and instead of making his cabbage and potatoes his main features of the place, why not screen them from the road and from sight by a belt of choice fruit trees, and have trees to shelter his cattle outside the barn fence, shutting off all that is unsightly? Why doesn't he raise plenty of fowls, pigeons, and a sheep or two on his lawn, to supply his tables, to find fertilizes for the pining garden, and yield his wife pin money, instead of paying so much to the butcher and buying salt fish by the box? Plants cost money, do they? Your wife spends enough for baking powders weekly to buy a fine tree or choice rose, instead of making good yeast bread as her folks did. She buys a shilling's worth of cheap edging for the pinafores instead of making neat hemmed ruffles, and spoils more cretonne and red canton flannel with bad fancy work than would stock a garden year by year. Then the children must have their five and ten cents worth of candy every time one goes to the store, when fruit would be much better for them, and the money would buy flowers and flower seeds. You might have enough to stock the garden, buying groceries by the month's supply, instead of from hand to mouth, or by taking care of the tools and things you have, so as not to pay so much for repairs. I won't say anything about the fireworks you subscribed for election night, or the excursion that gave your wife a sick headache the week after, nor the jig saw or card printing press you must buy for your hopeful, because the other boys each have one and you are tired of his teasing. Nor of the horse you lost by leaving him sweating at the grocery door one cold day while you stopped just to get a pound of soda and hear what all the loungers had to say. Of course you can't have anything like the rest of folks; it is not in nature, your own nature, that you should.—*Susan Powers, in Vick's Monthly.*

A Flower-Bed Clock.

The Judge's house was over in the French quarter of New Orleans, unattractive outside, but as soon as you got into the broad hall a cool breeze struck you, laden, without exaggeration, with the balm of a thousand flowers. The hall led right through the house and opened into a regular fairyland of flowers—a garden the like of which I had never dreamed of. It was surrounded by a high wall, and had plants in it from every country under the sun. The white-haired old gentleman and a group of grandchildren hanging about him took us about, and the first thing we stopped at was a large oval plot, set out with small plants around the edge. "This," said the Judge, "is my clock. What time is it Clara?" he asked of one of the children. The girl ran around the plot and said it was about four o'clock, and so it was. The four o'clock was in bloom. "In fact," said the story-teller, "the clock was made up of flowers." In the center was a pair of hands, of wood, covered with some beautiful vine, but they had nothing, however, to do with the time-telling.

The plan was this: The Judge had noticed that almost every hour in the day some plant bloomed, and working on this principle he had selected plants of different hours and placed them in a circle, twenty-four in number, and for every hour. For example, at the top of the earthen clock, at twelve o'clock, was planted the portulacca, and he told me that it would bloom within ten minutes of twelve, and rarely miss. At the hours of one, two and three he had different varieties of this same plant, all of which bloomed at the hour opposite to which it was planted. At four o'clock he had our common plant of that name, and you all know how you can depend on that. At five the garden nictago came out, at six the geranium taste and at seven the evening primrose. Opposite eight o'clock he had the bona nox, and at nine the silene noctiflora—all these blooming at or near the time given. At ten o'clock, if I remember rightly, he had a cactus, at eleven another kind, and at twelve the night-blooming cereus.

Half of the year some of the plants don't bloom at all. The plants opposite one and three in the morning were cacti that bloomed about that time, and at three was planted the common salsify, at four the chicory, at five the sow thistle, and at six the dandelion—a rare flower in New Orleans, curiously enough. At seven was a small pond of water in which bloomed the pond-lily.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

—James Joy is the foreman of the quarry of the Kilgour Blue Stone Company, on the Hawley branch of the Erie Railroad. He stepped upon the tail of a rattlesnake that thrust its fangs into his leg with such force that they could not be removed until he had killed the snake. When the snake rattled others showed themselves and about him, and Joy shouted for help. After the battle twenty-eight rattlers, ranging in length from three to five feet, lay dead upon the ground. "Humpy" Williams, a fellow-workman, volunteered to suck the poison from the wound. He did so, and saved Joy's life. Williams is none the worse for his act. The quarry explosions continually unearth snakes from their lodgings among the ledges of rock.—*Chicago Times.*

—A man in Pittsburgh had his mother in law arrested for using his wooden leg as firewood to cook the breakfast. The Judge decided that as the complainant had eaten part of the meal he had breakfasted off his own leg, and the charge was dismissed.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

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A Saginaw man named George Wisner is indulging in such an able-bodied case of the jim-jams that the hospital won't hold him, and he has been locked up in the jail for safe keeping.

His Slippery Glass Eye.

"The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass eye and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turned around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 2, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

THE Treasury Department has purchased 270,000 ounces of silver for delivery at the New Orleans and Philadelphia mints.

GEORGE SMITH, Asbury Hughes and George Hughes, all under twenty-five years of age were hanged at Scottsboro, Ala., on the 1st. They were convicted of both murder and rape. Great excitement followed the hanging, many men mounted the gallows with their caps on and with few struggles. The usage for the first hanging of the death penalty entirely confined for years in Alabama.

AMASA HITT, who is walking from New York to St. Louis, on a wager, passed the half way point at Mexico, on the 31st inst.

A FIRE at Sedalia, Mo., on the 31st destroyed four business houses, three dwellings and a church. Loss $40,000.

THE British steamer Britannia, which left New York for London, was wrecked off Portland, Me., at midnight of the 31st inst.

THE wholesale dry goods house of Leighton & Co., Omaha, Neb., burned up the 31st. Loss $100,000.

THE Lackawanna & Western Railroad freight house at Hoboken, N. Y., and the freight house of the Pacific R. R. Co. at Jersey City, were burned on the 1st inst. Loss $100,000.

THE Acting Secretary of the Treasury has issued a circular warning people against receiving counterfeit silver certificates of the denomination of $10 and upwards, dated 1878, series A, and bearing the signature of Scott and Gilfillan.

THE Mississippi Valley Cattle Growers' Association, in session at Kansas City, Mo., on the 31st, adopted a resolution to the effect that the Texas cattle quarantine regulations should be so changed as to permit the shipment of cattle from the quarantined district to Kansas and Nebraska.

THE Sangerfest of the German singing societies of Pennsylvania and neighboring States closed at Reading, Pa., on the 1st with a monster parade and grand concert. Representatives of all German life and industry.

HEALTH COMMISSIONER DE WOLF, of Chicago, reported on the 1st that so far as the present state of things is concerned, the danger from Texas fever is over, although new arrivals of infected cattle may which were sick or had died on the cars or on their way to Chicago.

JAMES KIRBY and Sanderson Green escaped from jail at Belvidere, N. J., on the night of the 31st ult. When the Sheriff came to lock them in their cells, they knocked him down and beat him senseless, one stole a revolver and they made off.

A TUG steamer Eagle, from Newburg for Albany, burned to the water's edge near Milton, N. Y., on the morning of the 24. The passengers and crew were all landed safely at Milton dock. Some freight was saved. The steamer was then towed to Newburg, and beached. Loss $50,000.

FOLLOWING is the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended August 2: Loans, decrease, $1,406,400; specie decrease, $48,500; legal tenders, decrease, $7,700; deposits decrease, $96,500; circulation increase, $33,900; reserve held $371,900 in excess of legal requirements.

AT the reunion of Federal and Confederate chaplains and members of the Christian and Sanitary Commissions at Ocean Grove, N. J., on the 24, an immense crowd gathered. Addresses were made by General Sherman, Chaplain McCabe, President Stewart and Rev. A. J. Palmer. George H. Stewart, of Philadelphia, was re-elected President, and William P. Stowe, of Chicago, Vice President.

IT is said at the State Department that no request has been made, as far as known, for arbitration by the Government of the United States in the Franco-Chinese trouble.

THE coinage at the mints for July was $4,821,000, of which $2,325,000 was silver dollars.

ACCORDING to the Meteorological summary for July, compiled at the Chief Signal Office, it was the coolest July in the past thirteen years. The condition of the weather was the rule all over the country.

JAMES MOORE, a cripple, who shot and killed his friend Michael Harte, at Cook's Run, near Pittsburgh, a few months ago, was convicted of murder in the second degree on the 31, and sentenced to imprisonment for life. The prisoner is a man who was unable to walk, had to be carried into court to be sentenced.

THE annual reports from all engineers, officers in charge of the coast and harbor defenses have been received by the Chief of Engineers of the Army. They assert that the defenses are falling into decay, and the armament in most instances is almost totally dismantled. The majority of the defenses are in a most miserable condition. The report, when it will, in his annual report, urge an immediate protection of the harbors by batteries and fortifications of modern design.

ASSISTANT POSTMASTER CAMP, of Selma, Ala., was summoned to Atlanta, Ga., to participate in the trial of Chief Postmaster Jones, charged with robbing the mails, while in charge of the Atlanta post office, and was arrested himself on his arrival on the same charge.

ABOUT two hundred and fifty coopers, or nearly half the number of that trade in St. Louis, struck on the 31 for an advance of ten cents per barrel. The bosses say the coopers earn from $3 to $4 per day, and that they have made more than an average of $3 per week the year, and must have more money.

NEW Orleans formed a total of twenty-seven deaths for the week ending August 2 as reported to the American Business Guide, of New York, were in number ninety-five, representing a population of 1,000,000, which shows that the city was divided into wards, $5,000 for cleaning streets, $5,000 for cleaning sewers, $5,000 for cleaning the levees, $5,000 for cleaning the canals, $5,000 for cleaning the lakes, $5,000 for cleaning the parks, $5,000 for cleaning the cemeteries, and $5,000 for cleaning the city hall. The average number of deaths per week was 95

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Mumps at Chas. Culbertson, Jr.'s this week.

Master Teddie Williams went to Coldwater last Tuesday to attend the school for orphans.

Wonder when the girls are going to give the boys that leap year ride to the lakes.

Mr. Sam. Helm has moved into his new shop.

Mr. A. E. Palmer lost a horse worth $150 with the glanders this week.

Miss Ella Cadmus returned home from Bay View last Saturday.

Ask Dr. R. H. Nelson if he pealed his apple tree for a hypopalora.

There will be a Union meeting at the Grange Hall, Macon, on Saturday evening, Aug. 16th. Rev. B. F. Rapp and Dr. D. W. Loree will talk on the issues of the day.

Miss Densmore, of Hanover, is visiting at Wm. R. Wilson's this week.

The Sunday school will give a concert Sunday evening, Aug. 24th, and a very interesting program will be carried out.

Mrs. Erastus Rappleye, of Dundee, is visiting Mr. Samuel Rappleye. Her health is improving.

Rev. H. W. Wright and daughter, of Dundee, called on friends Thursday.

Rev. Jesse Kilpatrick, of Fowlerville, Livingston Co., made friends here a call Friday.

A party of thirty drove up to Sand Lake Thursday and enjoyed a picnic dinner in the grove and a fine ride over the waves.

Rev. E. W. Frazee, of Flint, a former pastor, occupied the pulpit last Sunday evening.

Miss Hallie Montgomery, of Cleveland, O., is visiting her cousin T. H. Montgomery. She came on account of poor health.

ONSTED ODDS.

The oat crop is nearly all secured and every one is ready for a good soaking rain.

George Skinner started for an extended trip in the west, on Wednesday last.

M. P. Wemple received a visit from his father last Saturday.

Henry Sickner has purchased a lot of C. W. Greenleaf and will soon erect a dwelling on the same.

A number of persons in this vicinity are having their roofs painted. M. G. Standclift of Clinton does the work.

The carpenters have the frame of Jerome Snow's house up, and will soon have it enclosed. It will be the finest house built here this summer.

Tuesday afternoon, while Ellison Fulmer was engaged in threshing at Kester Morey's, he had twenty-five dollars in money and a watch and chain taken from the pocket of his coat or vest, which hung in an adjoining barn. Suspicion rests on a young man who was known to leave the premises during the afternoon. We hear that Mr. Fulmer has taken steps to arrest the suspected person, should he be found.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A coolness has come between admirers and Sylvan Scenery, and tho' a few hardy ones presist in dining where spiders make a cup of hot coffee an excuse to suicide, the majority either stay at home and mend torn dresses, or sleep away daylight, in order to be wide awake for the evening dance.

So little real news is afloat that people who can enlarge the loss of a galvanized nickel to the dimentions of a hundred dollar gold coin, are almost a blessings and what is known as small talk is about all that keeps us from rusting. There is a faint plaint about frost bitten vines and spoilt corn, but that only adds dullness to the refrain chirped by cricket and katy-did when we light the evening fire to drive out November chill.

A whisper concerning the Union Light not being a profitable investment has crept through the gloaming, and adds a trifle that don't sweeten the cup of disappointment for those who have an abiding faith that Prohibition journals can be made lively trade papers, during this and coming campaigns. Temperance is a very worldly idol, and the best weapons to kill it with are those sharpened by its worshipers. They are so plenty you can't reach up chimney in the dark without grasping a handful. It is not those who buy license that war need be waged against. It is those who sanctify agents to sell these high priced indulgences to them; and a very large percentage of votes that invest two or three in each community with authority to coin wealth for themselves and want for their neighbors, is the result of thoughtlessness and morbid shrinking from disturbing party land marks. Must be, is the word, for who can believe that men we are indebted to for a thousand acts of kindness, who are courteous, peaceable, and pretty good fellows in general, will forge such chains of disgusting habits, ignorance and brutishness to blight the happiness of women and children, and perhaps germinate ruin in their own homes, with premeditated malicious intent. Nothing but neglect to analyze the result of casting their individual influence on the side of wrong, makes men so tenacious of the right to make fools of themselves and all around them, in case they should ever happen to want to. They make all sorts of excuses perpetuating this kind of slavery, and the saloon-keeper makes but one. His is, I have paid for my license; but he gets up a diverting variety, just the opposite of a lecture on Life in China, compiled from the expense column of foreign missions. His method is worthy of being copied, for it is older than Prohibition, and that is old enough to stop creeping under party wings and coaxing everybody to be its stepmother. A paper with an editorial for those who digest reason, news, nonsense and nerve tonic, for those who will not, would form a union light, even its opponents must buy in order to see where to locate their line of defense.

MACON MUSIC.

The "Corners" is prospering. We now have a barber shop.

The ice-cream festival given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society on the evening of Aug. 5th, was a success in every respect.

David Hatch, who has been away visiting for a number of weeks, returned home recently.

Fred Morley of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Macon friends.

Rev. Mr. Frazee, formerly pastor of the M. E. church here, but now of the M. E. church of Flint, preached to the Macon people Sunday.

A large number of young Maconites hied away last Saturday to regale themselves on the placid waters of Sand Lake. They returned looking regaled.

Hon. George Howell was appointed a delegate to the State convention by the county convention held on Monday.

Mrs. St. John of Clinton, has organized a singing class among the little people, which meets at the school house every week day. After a two weeks' course, Mrs. St. John and her class will give a concert.

Friday Aug. 8th, the Republicans of Macon held their caucuses, and appointed delegates to the district and county conventions.

The following individuals comprise the delegation to the county convention to nominate county officers: W. S. Morden, C. E. Triplet, J. B. Camburn, John Boyd, Jas. F. Gilmore and Ransom Remington. Anxious would-be office-holders may now plead their cause and make known their claims.

The Band boys are making preparations for a bowery dance Friday, Aug. 22. As the boys are all persevering fellows, we predict that everything will be in first-class order.

Ridgeway speakers will address the Prohibitionists of Macon at Grange Hall, Saturday evening, Aug. 16th. As Ridgeway is enthusiastic on the subject of Temperance, we may expect rousing addresses. Turn out and countenance the party that is endeavoring to rid the land of the great curse to society and all good government.

TIPTON TATTLE.

Mr. Hiram Leonard fell into the cellar one day last week, and hurt his head so badly that he has been in a very precarious state of health ever since with the balance of chances strongly against his recovery. But a short time before this fall Mr. Leonard had a very threatening cancer removed from near the eye by a mixture prepared and administered by a farmer who lives at Addison, rendering the cure complete to all appearance leaving a very smooth and healthy looking dent.

Rev. Giddins of Ionia county having preached several trial sermons in the Congregational church, is likely to become the settled pastor thereof.

Joseph White, for a number of weeks has been afflicted with a painful swelling on the side of his face refusing to decline or come to a head.

George Tripp having engaged the village school at Addison, will remove there next week. We congratulate the Addisonians in procuring the services of a teacher so efficient and successful as he.

Miss Minnie Jenkins and Miss Nettie Camburn returned last Monday from visiting friends at Addison.

The Methodist Sunday school picnics at Sand Lake next Saturday.

Miss Sarah Whiteley is spending a few days in Sharon with friends of former years.

RAISIN VALLEY REUNION.

The regular annual meeting of the Raisin Valley Reunion Association was held at the Seminary on Friday afternoon of last week. The weather could not have been more favorable, and the attendance was good, the large Seminary hall being filled at the literary exercises.

At three o'clock the assembly was called to order by Mr Robert Glenn, one of the Vice Presidents, when the following program was presented:

Instrumental Duet.

Impromptu Address by Aaron Taylor. His remarks were somewhat humorous in character and were well received.

This followed a vocal solo and a poem by Miss Minnie Westgate, which was brief but good.

A vocal quartette by four young men was next presented, and then brief remarks were made by Prof. White and others.

The minutes of the last annual session were read and approved.

The election of officers came next, and the following persons were chosen for the ensuing year:

President—Fred Hathaway.
Vice Pres.—Wm. Bartlett.
Rec. Sec.—Libbie Stanley.
Cor. Sec.—Susie Brown.
Treas.—W. A. Sutton.
Marshall—Ralph Webb.
Orator—Celia Jones.
Poetess—Anna Bartlett.
Music Com.—Satie Stanley, Susie Brown, Will Bartlett.

After the collection, the audience was dismissed and the attendants passed an hour or so in social converse, when they were invited to the well laden tables spread beneath the old oaks on the lawn. The picnic dinner was one of the prominent features of the entertainment, and it was heartily enjoyed. E. V. DePuy of Tecumseh furnished the ice cream and confectionery. Not until the sun had dropped behind the western clouds did the last of the visitors leave the grounds.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The republican county convention, held at Dean's opera house, Adrian, last Monday, was one of the largest, most united and most numerously attended gatherings of the kind that have ever assembled there. The representative men of the party were out in force, and it was evident with all that they were determined to present a united and enthusiastic front to the enemy in the coming campaign.

Hon. Samuel Morey of Cambridge, was chosen chairman and D. B. Morgan, of Seneca, secretary.

The committee on resolutions made a report, which report was adopted.

Hon. John K. Boies, of Hudson, was then unanimously named as delegate-at-large to the state convention, by acclamation.

Hon. W. S. Wilcox, of Adrian, was then similarly named as delegate-at-large to the congressional convention.

We append a report of the proceedings in the caucuses:

FIRST DISTRICT.

In the first district M. T. Cole, of Palmyra, was called to the chair, F. W. Freeze, of Clinton, being made secretary.

To the state convention the following delegates were elected: M. T. Cole, Palmyra; Geo. J. Kline, Blissfield; T. G. Chandler, Riga; F. J. Temple, Ridgeway; Oscar Bliss, Deerfield; Geo. Howell, Macon; H. W. Stevens, Tecumseh.

The following delegates to the congressional convention were elected: H. D. Cutting, Clinton; Fred Bay, Ogden; J. R. Cairns, Raisin; R. H. Nelson, Ridgeway; C. L. Beagle, Blissfield; J. E. Weter, Palmyra; E. B. Cantlebury, Riga.

On motion each delegate was authorized to select his own substitute.

SECOND DISTRICT.

John Townsend was chosen chairman and Dr. Allen, secretary.

The following were chosen delegates to the congressional convention: H. A. Colvin, H. N. King, C. E. Weaver, T. M. Camburn, Wm. B. Myers, Hiram Ferguson.

On motion of W. S. Wilcox, the delegation, as a whole, was ordered to fill vacancies that may occur.

The following were chosen delegates to the state convention: George M. Hoch, A. W. Carey, Dr. Rynd, J. G. Savage, Samuel Wilson, H. C. Pratt, John W. Dalton.

On motion of Dr. Rynd, individual delegates were given the power of substitution.

Following were the names presented for delegates to the state convention:

Woodstock—Eugene Woodward.
Rollin—J. U. Harkness.
Cambridge—C. E. Jessup.
Dover—M. P. Stockwell.
Seneca—John C. Porter.
Rome—Ezera Bertram, jr.
Medina—R. H. Rogers, jr.

The names were placed in a hat, the secretary blindfolded, and that of John C. Porter, of Seneca, being drawn out, the others stood as the delegates chosen.

The delegates to the congressional convention were then chosen in the same manner, the following names being presented.

Woodstock—M. Carpenter.
Rollin—B. N. Hathaway.
Cambridge—Samuel More.
Dover—F. Math, Jr.
Rome—Winslow Bates.
Seneca—D. B. Morgan.
Medina—C. C. Morse.

The name of Manson Carpenter was drawn from the hat, and the balance stood as delegates.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending August 9, 1884:

Estate of William Waring, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Joseph Slater, deceased; petition for allowance of final account; hearing August, 1884.

Estate of Mary Cornelius, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Albert Rose, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Percival A. Fitzsimmons, et al, minors; guardian files bond; letters issued.

Estate of George A. Monroe, an et al minor; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of the complaint of Alfred E. Millard vs. Joseph Strach, defendant; summons returned; order of continuance until Aug. 6, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Elizabeth Houghwout, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Phebe Lester, deceased; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Hiram C. Colbath, an alleged insane person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing Aug. 16.

Estate of Clarissa A. Carpenter, an insane person; appointment of appraisers.

Estate of Harriet Jeffery, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing September 8.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners for Garnsey drain, township of Ogden; application filed; order for citation; hearing August 27, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, deceased; petition for administration; hearing September 8.

Estate of Stephen H. Aldrich, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond and letters, appointment of appraisers.

Estate of John S. Butrick, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $1,500.

Estate of John Hoag, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Darius C. Willits, deceased; affidavit of publication; discharge.

Estate of Josiah Love, deceased; order of continuance until October, 1884, at ten o'clock a. m.

Estate of Francis A. Howard, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate, bond $1,000.

The *North American Review* for August contains an article by Justice James V. Campbell on "The Encroachments of Capital" which will command the serious attention of all readers. Richard A. Proctor threats of "The Origin of Comets," and succeeds in presenting that difficult subject in a light so clear that persons who have little or no acquaintance with astronomy can follow his argument. "Are we a Nation of Rascals?" is the startling title of an article by John F. Hume, who shows that states, counties and municipalities in the United States have already repudiated, or defaulted in the payment of interest on an amount of bonds and other obligations equal to the sum of the national debt. Judge Edward C. Loring finds a "Drift towards Centralization" in the recent judgement of the United States Supreme Court on the power of the Federal Government to issue paper money, and in the opinion of the same court rendered in the suit for the Arlington property. Julian Hawthorne writes of "The American Element in Fiction," and there is a symposium on "Prohibition and Persuasion," by Neal Dow and Dr. Dio Lewis.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending August 9.

CLINTON.

Mary Kelly to Mary E. Thomas. Land on secs 31 and 18, Macon. $3000.

FRANKLIN.

B. C. Knapp to Rachel J. Bouck. Land on sec 21. $300.

MACON.

Thos. F. Chase to Thos. A Liddel. Land on sec 6. $1,200.

RAISIN.

H. H. Baker to A. W. Flowers. Land on sec 19. $700.

TECUMSEH.

Egbert Anderson to B. A. Sutton. Land in vil. $560.

A. D. Hall to J. I. and B. J. Rector. Land on sec 22. $300.

Hudson Post. A farmer living south west of this village bought an unbroken mustang last week, but before he reached home was tackled by one of his neighbors, who wanted to trade horses, saying the man with the mustang could do nothing with his newly purchased property. The mustang was taken home and in being handled with a rope threw himself and broke his back. The owner went back and said he could do nothing with the animal, and the trade was consumated, the original owner of the mustang taking another horse and the party traded with went after the mustang, but had to draw it home on a stone boat. He didn't squeal, however.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 14, 1884.

HER BROTHER'S CIGARETTE.

FIFTY YEARS.

Like a raven's wing her locks of jet,
Her soft eyes touched with fond regret,
Tight and severe her mouth is set,
Fondling her brother's cigarette.

FIFTY YEARS SECOND.

Roses, with dewy diamonds set
Upon the sill of the window's parapet,
Worn grace slip turned a match to get,
And lit her brother's cigarette.

FIFTY YEARS THIRD.

Her purple of smoky velvet,
Twined in fantastic filigree,
She layed, laughed, coughed a little, yet
She smoked her brother's cigarette.

FIFTY YEARS LAST, AND WORST,

Her eyes with brim tears were wet,
Her hair grew limp beneath its net,
Her face was crimmed with beaded sweat,
[illegible]

—*R. J. Burdette, in N. Y. Star.*

HAWKS AND FALCONS.

The noble sport of hawking, or falconry, as it is often called, was formerly one in which, according to the earliest English treatise upon the subject, "gentil men and honest persons had greete delite." In this country it is almost unknown, and even in England and France, where up to a century ago it was in high favor, it is practiced by but a few enthusiasts.

To discover the origin of hawking one would have to go back beyond the beginning of history. An English explorer found among some ruins in Asia Minor a sculptured stone representing a falconer with a hawk perched upon his wrist, which must have been made about seventeen hundred years before the Christian era. In China, where almost everything seems to have been known thousands of years before we moderns discovered it, hawking was practiced as long ago as 2000 B. C. Some authorities say that our old friend Ulysses introduced the sport into Greece after the siege of Troy, and others hold that the Turks or the Arabs were the first in historical times to practice it.

Be that as it may, we know that Alfred the Great was fond of hawking, and indeed one of his biographers implies that skill in this sport was a d[illegible] "His skill in hunting and hawking, as well as in all the other gifts of God, was really incomparable." But to trace hawking through the long line of the English Kings, or to relate one-tenth of the many interesting anecdotes connected with it, would be an almost endless story. Let us take its antiquity for granted and see what it was and how it was done.

The words "falcon" and "hawk," though often used without distinction, really apply to two kinds of birds. Both are birds of prey, and both have characteristics very much alike. The falcons are the falcon proper, the merlin and the hobby. The hawks are the goshawk and the sparrow-hawk. The principal distinction in form between the two—falcon and hawks—is that the former have long wings, which, when closed, reach to the end of the tail, while the hawks have short wings, beyond which the tail projects some distance. In their methods of taking their prey, too, there is a difference. The falcon descends upon the object of its pursuit from a great height and with great rapidity, but the hawk pursues its prey and clutches it as it flies, seldom dropping upon it, or "stooping," as it is called, from a height of more than a few feet.

Falcons and hawks are the only birds of prey that can be trained for hunting, and of these the merlin is the most readily trained. Some falconers take the young birds from the nest, when they are called "eyesses"; others prefer grown birds, known as "passage hawks," from their being caught during their passage in their annual migration. The training in each case is much the same, for after the eyess has been allowed to fly "at back"—that is, at liberty—returning every day for food, as its habit is, it has already begun to learn its business by itself, and in tameness it will be far ahead of a passage hawk at the time when the actual training begins. Nevertheless, an old hawk will so her provide sport for its trainer than one that has been handled from the nest, for during its period of freedom it has been obliged to develop its instinct for hunting, and it is this natural instinct that the falconer tries not to subdue, but to encourage and guide for his own purposes.

The first impulse of any one who has caught a bird alive is to put it into a cage; but in the case of a hawk this is never done. He is kept confined, but not by "prison bars." As soon as taken he is blindfolded with a "hood" made of soft leather, and fitting closely over the head, an opening being left for the beak. This is to render him quiet, for, being unable to see, he is not so likely to fight for liberty. Then "jesses" (thin leather thongs) are fastened to his legs, jesses being used for the same purpose as the collar on a dog, while the "leash" (a strap about four feet long) corresponds to a dog's chain.

The hawk-house should be an airy though not a draughty room, and it should be quite dry. The accommodations for the bird are of two sorts—a block and a perch. The former is often made of turf, and is formed by placing two thick sods one upon the other, and passing a stick through them so that it projects a few inches on each side. To the projecting ends is fastened the "leash," thus securely confining the bird. The perch is generally about four feet long and three feet above the ground. It is strongly secured, for the weight of a hawk is considerable, and when it flutters off its perch it exercises no little force. A simple but ingenious arrangement is used to assist the hawk in regaining his position when it has fluttered off the perch. This is a curtain of coarse canvas hanging from the pole as from a curtain rod, up which the bird can climb to his place, and without which, having lost his hold, he would surely hang, head downward, until at last released by death.

But it must not be supposed that the noble falcon passes all his leisure time in-doors; on the contrary, it is necessary for his health that he should be out-of-doors as much as possible, and in a convenient place both block and perch are provided for his occupation in fine weather. When the bird has become tame enough to take his food regularly and freely, and has grown to know his master, the early stages of his training may be begun. His hood is then removed, in order that he may see the "quarry," though the jesses and leash will be required until he is sufficiently well trained to be allowed to fly at large.

When a hawk has learned to jump from the perch to the hand for a piece of meat, and from the perch down to the ground and back again, it is fed with a live bird, generally given. A small bird, often a pigeon, is fastened down by a string to a peg in the ground, and the hawk is allowed to "stoop" to it from the length of the leash. If it kills the live bird it should be allowed to eat it, for it must be remembered that the hawk kills other birds, not out of wantonness, but for food. If it is not hungry, it will not seek to kill the "quarry." Hence a hawk is always taken out hungry both for training and actual hunting. It may be said that although it is necessary to use and kill live birds in the training of hawks, live birds are indeed the natural food of birds of prey, and the hawk, unlike the cat, does not play with its victim, but kills it instantly, hence the small bird suffers no pain.

The training of a "passage hawk" is shorter than that of an "eyess," because the former has already learned his business; indeed, when a bird has been taught to allow himself to be taken up after a flight, he is quite ready to be flown at large. One would think that having been set free from hood and leash, the hawk would bid a long last farewell to his late master and home, and return to the freedom of his native rocks and woods. But this is not the case. If his training has been at once gentle and thorough, he will have become domesticated, and while he may not show much attachment to his master, he will allow himself to be recaptured, for he knows that he is sure of a good home and good living—considerations which weigh heavily with other bipeds and many quadrupeds.

Hawks are flown in England at partridges, grouse, wild pigeons, rooks (a kind of crow), and small birds. Of these the rook gives the best sport, since his size is almost equal to that of the hawk and his flying powers very great. Some wonderful flights have been known, and frequently a strong, well-grown rook, in good condition, has mounted higher and higher in the sky until both he and the pursuing falcon are lost to view—and lost forever, leaving their lives up among the clouds, perhaps, while their bodies fall to the earth no one knows where.—*Sherwood Rise, in Harper's Young People.*

Going to Form a Society.

"I think it is shameful, the way some people talk about their neighbors," said Mrs. Whistleloud to Mrs. Blababout the other day. "If there is anything I do detest, it is folks who talk about their neighbors."

"Yes, it is awful the way some people tattle. There is Mrs. Tellall, over on Prairie street. She goes from house to house and tells all she knows and a good deal she suspects about all her neighbors."

"Yes, and Mrs. Gossiper is even worse than she is. She has something ill to say of everybody she knows."

"And they do say she, herself, is not above suspicion."

"I have heard that she is a grass widow, and that she was such a termagant that her husband could not see a moment's peace."

"And Mrs. Tellall is none too good, either. She has the name of being a mean, hateful old thing."

"I have heard the neighbors say that her husband is jealous of her, and I would not be much surprised if he has good cause."

"I've heard some pretty bad stories about her, and her eldest daughter is but little better, from all reports."

"And some people say that Mrs. Billsinger, her sister, is no better."

"I am not much astonished to hear that, for the whole family is none too good."

"It is too bad about the Solfarino family, aint it?"

"Why, what of them?"

"Oh, the folks that live next door say he beats her awfully."

"Well, that is to be expected. His father is a drunkard, and he could not be expected to amount to much."

"Well, it is a shame for him to beat his wife, but she is nothing to speak of."

"No, I suppose she can't be very refined. Her father was a gambler, if all reports be true."

"And had you heard about Mrs. Obadiah Smith?"

"No; what has she been doing? I half expected a scandal in regard to her two months ago."

"They say she took on awfully when one of her boarders was sick the other day, and it is whispered around that she thinks too much of him for the peace of mind of her husband."

"Yes, I expect it goes pretty hard with him. It is said he has been drinking a good deal lately."

"I just think we ought to form a society to prevent gossiping."

"So do I."

"Let us do it."

"We will."—*Bloomington Throughs Mail.*

The Old, Old Story.

Little Tom—"You are going with us to our picnic, ain't you?"

Young Squipps—"Yes, my dear child. Your sister honored me with an invitation, and I would not miss such an opportunity for the world. By the way, Tom, here is a new silver dollar. Now I want you to tell me something I want to know. Mr. Gayfellow isn't going, is he?"

Tom—"Oh, yes."

Squipps—"Hang him! I thought I would have your sister all to myself today."

Tom—"But you shouldn't want to hang Mr. Gayfellow. He was the one who told sister to invite you."

Squipps—"He? Why what did he want me for?"

Tom—"To carry the baskets."—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Brooklyn, N. Y., now has 700,000 population.—*Brooklyn Union.*

Timely Health Hints.

The farmer, of all men, should enjoy good health. He can have the best and freshest of nature's productions for food and drink; his work is healthful exercise, and the air he breathes is free and pure. Yet statistics show that the life of the farmer is below the average, and that several classes who lead sedentary lives in the city are longer lived than he. This must proceed from a gross disregard of the requirements of health on his part, and if we look at the matter critically we must confess that many of us farmers treat ourselves as if we did not care particularly whether we lived or not. Now I shall, perhaps, say some plain things, and I say them without excepting myself. Do not think that I speak from a high pinnacle of fancied personal perfection. I am quite willing to admit that I am as much at fault as any of my brethren.

We must confess that we are uncleanly about our bodies. All over the surface of the body there are many little glands, opening upon the skin, whose office it is to excrete from the body the particles of broken down, dead tissue. This effete matter is cast upon the skin, and must be frequently removed with soap and water, or it will finally close up the glands, and the dead matter must be retained in the body, producing disease. There are also other glands opening on the surface of the body, whose office it is to pour out an oily liquid. This liquid soon becomes unfit for the purpose for which it is designed, and other must take its place. But unless that first thrown out is removed, it will close up the mouths of the glands, and prevent the exit of fresh matter. It is plain that if no matter fell upon the surface of the body from external sources, frequent ablutions would yet be necessary. But our work is such that the body must continually receive dust from the air. Carrying the horses, milking the cows; plowing, harrowing, or dragging the land; binding or handling the grain, all are attended with the settling of dust upon the body. At this season, when the sweat-glands are unusually active and keep the skin damp, this dust is more than usually liable to adhere to the body. Thus from both within and without the body is contaminated and made unclean. So rapid is the work at this season that the body should be cleansed every twenty-four hours, and it is best to do this when the day's work is done, for then the body's liability to receive dirt from external sources is small, and the functions of the glands can be properly performed during the night, insuring healthful slumber.

But how many of us do cleanse the body each night? I am afraid the truth would be that full as many cleanse the body only once a week, as those that cleanse it once a day. Not one farmhouse in fifty, take the country over, has a bath-room; and I doubt if one farmer's family in twelve has even a bath-tub. This is a sad commentary on our way of living, and explains the prevalence of fevers in the country, where they should be almost unknown.

I know only too well how tired the plowman is at the close of the day, and the fatigue is yet greater if the day has been spent in the harvest field. It seems a great task to drag the wearied body even twenty feet to bed. The thought of going to the trouble and expense of time of bathing may appear almost absurd. But my word for it, that you will be largely the gainer by so doing. To bathe will not require more than ten minutes, and you will have added two hours to your slumber. You have shortened the time for sleep by ten minutes, but you have made slumber so much more sounder and sweeter that you have gained a dozen times the time expended. Try bathing each night for a week, and you will no more think of retiring without first cleansing the body of sweat and dirt than you would of going to bed with your boots on. And remember that while you have gained so much in rest and comfort, you will ultimately gain more in health.

During warm weather meat and oily food should be almost entirely discarded, and fresh vegetables, and ripe fruit should make up the bill of fare. As a people we eat too much meat; yet New Englanders do not sin so greatly in this respect as their Western brethren. Yet it is safe to say that even New Englanders eat too much meat in warm weather. At this season of the year, comfort, which is another name for health, demands that we keep the bodily heat at the lowest possible point while exercising in the hot sun. The bodily heat is produced by a slow combustion, the fuel for which is carbon. Meat and oils are rich in carbon, and when used for food increase the bodily heat. Vegetables and fruits for diet keep the bodily heat at a minimum figure; hence the wisdom of the use of the latter for food. But folly half of the farmers do not have a good garden or a good orchard. It is hard to account for this, for when properly attended to, no other part of the farm is more profitable than the orchard and garden. From a money point of view alone the farmer should be convinced that good policy dictates an early and productive garden.—*John M. Stahl, in New England Farmer.*

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—A countryman went into a saloon for a lunch the other day, and while he was swallowing the feed he heard the telephone bell ring, and the bartender went to the telephone and began to converse with somebody in a loud voice in the German language. The countryman opened his mouth wide, then turned to a city gentleman at the same table and said: "That's the first Dutch telephone I ever heard." The city man said he had one at his house that a Chinaman could talk through, and the countryman was paralyzed.—*Post's Sun.*

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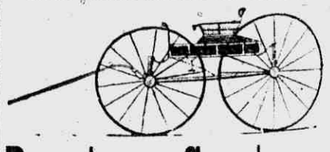

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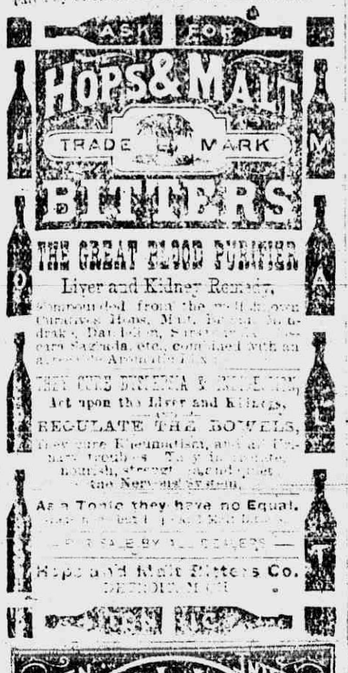

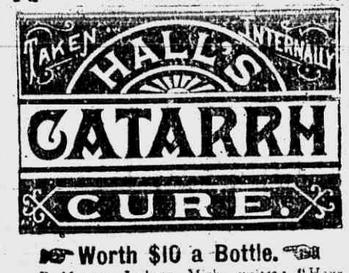

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Brandy Bursting Its Barrels.

The trouble in Egypt affects all Europe, even including the brandy merchants of Russia. The quantity of spirits exported last year from Odessa exceeded that of any previous year. The reason given for this is that last summer an agency was established at Alexandria by the Russian Steamboat and Commercial Company, which undertook the sale of Russian spirits in the Alexandrian market. At the beginning it promised well, and the Constantinople and Greek markets lost for the time being in importance. But owing to recent events things have taken another turn at Alexandria, and a large quantity of Russian spirits have been stowed away in the vaults of the Custom-house to save it from the heat. The effort has been vain, for the heat is bursting the barrels and a recent inspection has shown that the prospects of the Odessa merchants are anything but satisfactory as far as their goods in Egypt are concerned.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

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"Who is it?" asked one of the gentlemen.

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"Is that so? What did he say that was so humorous?"

"Well, last month, you know, my wife and her mother took me down to Houston, to see the Inter-State military drill."

"Yes, I remember seeing you all there."

"Well, when I was buying the tickets, Pete asked me if I was going on a pleasure trip. That struck me as being the most humorous thing I had heard in a long time."—*Texas Siftings.*

Russo-Greek Marriage.

As the marriage service of the Russo-Greek Church differs considerably from that of the English, a glance at its chief features may prove interesting. Nothing can be done in Russia without a passport. The orthodox Russian may neither live nor die without one. It is not to be wondered at, then, that marriage should be preceded by the production of the young people's passports and an exhaustive inquiry into their birth, breeding, station, calling, circumstances, and orthodoxy. The information thus diligently gathered by the priest is put down in the parish registry, and the first thing the bride and bridegroom and their witnesses have to do is to attest its accuracy with their signatures. Then follows the betrothal, once a separate ceremony, and not necessarily gone through in church, but now the immediate prelude to the sacrament of marriage the reason assigned for the change being that in the interval between the two ceremonies the betrothed used sometimes to quarrel and refuse to carry out their mutual promises. The betrothal takes place near the porch, the bride room standing on the right, the bride on the left. The priest takes from him a golden ring, from her a silver one, carries them to the altar, and there deposits them as a sign that the Almighty sanctifies the union. Returning to the young couple, he gives each a lighted taper and pronounces the Blessing. The clergyman invites all present to pray for them, that their love may be perfect, their faith firm, their living pure, their union fruitful. Then, with another prayer, the priest places the gold ring on the bridegroom's finger, the silver on the bride's, repeating over each three times: "N, the servant of God, is betrothed to M, the servant of God, in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, now, ever, and in all eternity, amen." Then he who stands godfather, "who answers for the agreement of the young couple, being himself experienced in married life," removes the rings from their fingers and replaces them, the gold on the bride, the silver on the bridegroom. The church holds that the lighted tapers symbolize spiritual joy and the purity of the motives by which the betrothed are inspired, while the rings signify the indissoluble bond between them. The bridegroom's ring is of gold, the bride's of silver, to show the dependence of the one on the other and her inferiority in matters of right. When the bridegroom accepts the silver ring he shows his willingness to love and cherish his wife, and condescend to her natural weakness. She, on the other hand, acquires a share in the rights, privileges and honors of her husband. The priest prays "that the Lord may confirm their betrothal in the faith, unity of thought, truth and love, and that the Angel of God may go with and before them all the days of their life." Prayer for the Czar and the Holy Synod bring the betrothal to an end. It will be observed that the lighted tapers recall a similar custom amongst the Greeks, and the learned say that the gold and silver rings represent the sun and the moon, whose union the ancient Slavonians held to be symbolized in marriage as their descendants that of Christ and the Church. For the marriage itself the young people advance to the reading desk in the center of the church, and kneel down before it on one kerchief (to signify that henceforth they have but one lot): the officiating priest asks them if they marry of free will and with a thorough appreciation of the importance of the step. Then follow prayers on behalf of the bridegroom and bride, that they may be endowed with all virtues and vouchsafed every blessing, after which the priest places on the head of each a crown "as a reward for the preservation of chastity and as a sign that they may be the originators of a numerous and honorable posterity, and also to remind them that they are first to rule their own passions and then by God's blessing have dominion upon earth, according to the word of the Lord to Adam and Eve."—*Cor. London Standard.*

Summer Jewelry.

Very little jewelry is used with summer toilets; only the necessary articles, such as a breastpin and cuff-buttons, are seen on ladies of refinement with the simple costumes worn in the daytime, with perhaps the exception of bangles and narrow close bracelets. The antique silver pins, coin bracelets and bangles are in favor at present, and there are also short fob chains of dull silver, with a quaint coin on one end to balance the watch and prevent it falling low inside the corsage when there is not a small pocket made for it outside, high on the left side of the dress waist. There are also many Rhine-stone brooches worn at present, while for more costly lace pins are the enameled flower pieces representing a large English violet, a wild rose, a buttercup or daisy, and on these sometimes sparkle dewdrops of diamonds, or else the stamens and pistils are diamond-tipped. Earrings are not worn in the daytime, and only those with jewels and rare stones are fashionable in the evening, with perhaps the exception of fanciful hoops of gold of different colors and of quaint workmanship, of open filigree, or curiously chased, or else beaten or hammered gold. The bangles most used are chains from which a single coin or bar with a Greek inscription may hang, or else there is a charm or coin of some kind pendant from almost every link. The gold or silver bead-like bracelets that lap on the arm are also fashionable. For full-dress occasions the bracelets are a narrow riviere of diamonds, with scarcely any setting visible, or else they are square block-shaped stones that may be of several colors—rubies, emeralds, sapphires, and diamonds—in one bracelet, or else the pearls of various tints are seen in gray, rose, cream, and white shades. Very small scarf pins and brooches of precious stones, representing bees, butterflies, flowers, crescents, etc., are thrust about irregularly in the lace on the dress corsage, and one or two may be put in the velvet bow at the throat of a dressy bonnet.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—The Young Men's Christian Association of Boston has a building which cost $80,000, a membership of 1,316 active members, and 1,619 associate members.—*Boston Journal.*

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The August number, abounding with edifying and pleasant reading, is already upon our table, and is always welcome. "New Zeland and the Canterbury Settlement" is the opening article, by Rev. E. Pember, B. A., with numerous illustrations. The late Lady Blanche Murphy, Rev. E. A. Rand, F. E. Weatherley, James Croll, James Buckham, Alfreton Hervey, Mrs. Alexander, J. Alex. Patten, and other favorite writers, have contributed to this number. The editor, T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., gives some excellent "Advice to Young People," and the Home Pulpit has a sermon of of his, "Is Life Worth Living?" There are two interesting serials, and sketches, essays, poems, etc.; a miscellany, interesting and instructive, and the usual record of important events, editorial comments, obituaries, etc., etc. Price 25 cents a number. $2.50 a year, postpaid. MRS. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

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ESTATE OF RAY B. SMITH.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 4th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John B. Smith, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. Aug7

DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon in the county of Lenawee, will, on the 10th day of August, at the house of M. J. Martin in Macon, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, meet parties for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Drain No. 2, commencing at the s e cor of n w quarter of section No. 17, of the township of Macon, running thence s 109 rods; thence w 40 rods; thence s and west of s 160 rods; thence e and s 93½ rods; and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof, made by me, and now remaining in my office, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned to reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated this 5th day of August, A. D., 1884.

EDWIN HOWELL,
Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. aug7

ESTATE OF JOSEPH SLATER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 24th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Slater, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of last sickness and funeral, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 18th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in Chancery.

John J. Reed, Complainant,
vs.
Delia Shartz, Harry H. Shartz and Joseph Lanting, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1884, I the subscriber, a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 10th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Peck's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county, said opera house being the place of holding said court, the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street, so called, in the village of Tecumseh, at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27) and opposite of the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased; thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about 8 rods 1 chain and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day; thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links; thence south one (1) degree and six (6) minutes east fifteen (15) chains and nineteen (19) links parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27); thence westerly along the center of said last described road eleven (11) chains and thirty-eight (38) links to place of beginning; excepting and reserving therefrom about one and a half acres thereof sold by R. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler; also excepting 2½ acres sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton; also excepting a further parcel of land bounded and adjoining said Saddler lot upon its north side sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler; also excepting and reserving therefrom that parcel thereof conveyed by Wm. Teasher and wife to Elizabeth Ford by deed bearing date November 19, 1867, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 87 of deeds on pages 536 and being ten (10) acres of land more or less.

Dated July 26, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
E. B. Wood, Circuit Court Commissioner,
Solicitor for Complainant.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased, in Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of September, 1884, and on the 22d day of January, 1885, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 22d day of July, A. D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 14, 1884.

The Republicans of Ohio have done one thing which deserves hearty commendation. They have given Keifer the "grand bounce".

And now comes the Chicago Times with a ventilation of Mr. Blaine's private life during the years he was a pedagogue in Kentucky. It has been a secret among newspaper men for some time that a big sensation could be worked up on that line. The respectable papers in both parties however, take no stock in this mud-slinging mode of warfare.

The Buffalo Courier, which occupies a similar position in Buffalo to that of the Free Press in Detroit, publishes a two column article on the Cleveland scandal, in which it literally makes mince-meat of the Governor's slanderers. It proves conclusively that every charge made by the Telegram was false, just as every fair minded man believed from the start.

St. John's turn will come next. The campaign Slanderer is abroad and as soon as the Union movement shall develop enough strength to make it dangerous, some scandal will be manufactured against him. He ran away from home when twelve years old, was married at nineteen and was a widower at twenty. The chapter of his life between twenty and twenty-five would furnish a good field for the scandal-mongers.

Uncle Josiah has made a good governor. He is not an accomplished scholar, neither is his orthography beyond criticism. But he is a strong honest, level-headed man. He has performed his duties faithfully, and it would be an act of base ingratitude to withhold from him the honor of a renomination. The opposition to him is wholly of a personal character and is confined to a few persons who have been disappointed in their political aspirations. With a hearty endorsement from both the Greenback and Democratic conventions he will stand an even chance of being elected. He will certainly run stronger than any new man who might receive the nomination, at the cost of doing an act of injustice to the present Governor.

Ben Butler has finally shied his castor into the ring. Now look out for fun. Opinions differ as to the effect of his candidacy upon the Blaine and Cleveland tickets. The Republicans claim that it renders Blaine's election sure. The Democrats argue that it will benefit Cleveland. The probabilities are these: A Butler ticket will stand a good show of carrying Massachusetts and Michigan, which will take these states out of the Blaine column. It will weaken Cleveland in New York, perhaps sufficiently to give that state to Blaine. It will injure the Republicans five votes to the Democrats one in Ohio, Illinois and Wisconsin, and render those three states almost certain for Cleveland. Butler cannot be elected by the popular vote. That is a self-evident assertion. But he may throw the election into the House, and thus make Blaine's defeat an absolute certainty. Our private opinion publicly expressed, is, that this is the real object of Butler's candidacy.

As the time approaches for holding the county conventions, candidates for the various county offices are making themselves known. Among those mentioned for clerk is the present incumbent, Thos. M. Hunter, who seems to have a decided lead for the Republican nomination. The Republican could certainly go farther and fare much worse for that nomination. Mr. Hunter has filled the position most acceptably. He is well liked both by the legal fraternity and by all others with whom he has had official or business relations. Aside from personal preferences there seems to be an excellent practical reason for keeping him in his present position. He has been associated with the building committee of the new Court House, and more than any other county official has had charge of that important work. The supervisors on that committee, both Republicans and Democrats, were all re-elected last spring, and an application of the same rule would keep Mr. Hunter in his office until the completion of the Court House.

THE EARTHQUAKE.

The Shock of Sunday the Topic of General Conversation in New York and Vicinity.

The Municipal Buildings of Brooklyn, L. I., Rocked in Such a Manner as to Sicken the Inmates—Many Amusing Instances.

COMPARISON OF OBSERVATIONS.

NEW YORK, August 12.—The shock of earthquake felt here and this neighborhood Sunday afternoon was the chief topic of conversation in this city yesterday. A comparison of observations and sensations at the time of the occurrence being made wherever friends or acquaintances met. The excitement in Yorkville was not only great but in some instances amusing. The immense breweries that are located in that section were full of workmen, who, not understanding why their lofty structures should be taken with an insane desire to reel, unless on the principle that they were full of beer, rushed into the streets with bewildered looks. In many of the houses the glass globes were shaken from the chandeliers and shivered to atoms. Most of the flats are provided with huge water tanks on the roof and under the apprehension that these tanks had bursted, the janitors rushed to the roofs while the occupants believing the boiler in the basement had given way rushed to the basement. Another impression prevailed that by some means the dynamite used in excavating Hell Gate had exploded, and there was a rush for the river only to be met with constant inquiries. Sergeant Luerson, who was at 125th street at the time said that soon after the cross-town cars were filled with panic stricken people who had fled from Ft. Lee, many of them under the belief that the palisades had fallen. At Huntington, L. I., a heavy rumbling noise was first heard, followed by such a shaking of the earth that people sitting in their houses could feel them tremble and see the rocking of vases, etc., very distinctly. It lasted about a half a minute. At Hempstead, L. I., a very preceptible shock was felt, shaking all the houses in the place. The occupants generally rushed out of doors fearing their houses were about to topple over. The shock lasted about forty seconds. At Perth Amboy, N. J., the earthquake lasted from five to ten seconds. Glass, crockery and windows were rattled, water was spilled, bricks dislodged from chimneys, but no injury to any person is reported. At Eatontown, N. J., a very severe shock was felt, doing considerable damage and running from west to east. Several women fainted, children screamed and consternation prevailed. At Long Branch a violent shock was felt and lasted a minute. Many people were driven by fear from their houses into the streets. Furniture and crockery in many houses were badly shaken up. In Brooklyn the earthquake shock continues to be the absorbing topic of conversation. Upon all sides people are exchanging their alarming experience. The municipal buildings shook and rocked in such a manner as to sicken several of the inmates, while nearly everybody sought the streets thinking the walls were crumbling. The bell ringer in the City Hall tower says the tower rocked as though about to topple over. Coroner Meininger, who had his watch in his hand at the time, says the shock lasted just seven seconds. He knew what it was, having experienced a shock in 1847. At Norwalk, Conn., the shock lasted nearly a minute, and shook the houses and furniture to such an extent that people rushed from their houses anxiously inquiring its cause. At Yonkers the earthquake was most perceptible on hill tops and along the river's edge. Its apparent motion was from north to south and its duration from five to ten seconds.

PROHIBITION.

The Subject Discussed at a Meeting of Ministers at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 12.—Political prohibition was the subject under discussion at a meeting of one hundred ministers here yesterday. Rev. Dr. S. T. Spear, although a strong Prohibitionist, declared his intention of voting for Blaine and not for St. John, for the reason that the judgment of practical voters has been hitherto overwhelmingly against a Prohibition party. The great body of temperance advocates are opposed, he thinks, to prohibiton as a distinct issue and the strict prohibitionists are so few in number compared with the whole mass of voters that by acting as a separate party, they simply annihilate their own power. Dr. Spear called attention to the fact that the liquor interest has never set up an independent ticket of Presidential candidates who would support the free use of rum, but has allied itself with one of the existing parties and through that alliance sought to secure favorable legislation. In Maine, Iowa and Kansas, he contended, the recent success of prohibition was won by the friends of temperance voting with the Republican party. Absolute prohibition did not furnish a basis broad enough for the perpetuation of a party which could ever gain control of State or Federal Government. Dr. Spear, therefore, argued in favor of an alliance with the party that most encourages temperance, and that party is led by James G. Blaine. This deduction seemed to be well received by the Doctor's brother ministers.

The Amalgamated Association.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., August 12.—The convention of Iron Workers held a session yesterday, the proceedings of which are kept secret in accordance with the rule of the organization. Secretary Martin was seen and while declining an interview remarked that the morning session was occupied mainly in discussing the report of the committee on constitution. He refused to say what alterations had been proposed or adopted. A delegate spoken to afterwards said a portion of the report had excited some very animated discussion. The difficulty between the nailers and the feeders has not yet come up, and some doubt is now expressed as to whether it will. The convention will scarcely reach final adjournment before Wednesday evening. On that day the election of officers for the coming year will be held. It is generally conceded that the present incumbents will be re-elected without opposition.

Sweeping Reduction.

NEW YORK, August 12.—A sweeping cut in rates for both day and night messages is announced by the united telegraph lines which embraces the B. & O., B. & M., and Postal Telegraph and Cable Companies. That the reduction is large can be seen from the fact that on all day messages the charge for additional words over ten in number will be one cent, instead of two cents and on night messages the rate will be fifteen cents for fifteen words and one cent for each additional word. Over 1,800 offices are now controlled by the one management as far west as Kansas City and connections are being rapidly made with for southern points.

POLITICAL.

General John A. Logan Visiting Senator Miller—John Kelly at the Grand Union, Saratoga.

ALBANY, August 11.—General John A. Logan passed through this city at twelve p. m., on his way to Herkimer, where he will visit Senator Miller for several days. A large crowd met him at the depot and Mr. Logan addressed them for some time amid the booming of cannon. At the Executive Chamber it is said no news has been received from Governor Cleveland since his departure for the north.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 11.—There is but little new to report of the various political leaders here. Kelly, the Tammany Chief, remains locked in his room at the Grand Union most of the time and refuses to see any one except his most intimate friends and adherents. The Hon. Thomas F. Grady spent considerable time in Kelly's company, but is very close mouthed and refuses to talk with any one in regard to the course Tammany will pursue in regard to the coming canvass. In fact, he refuses to discuss politics in any shape or form. The report that Kelly wants the second place on the Butler ticket is not believed. Mr. Kelly is also very reticent and refuses to say anything in regard to politics except that Tammany must decide for itself at a meeting of the society next month as to what course it will pursue. It is said that one of the measures to be adopted to bring about the healing process between Tammany and the Clevelandites is the acceptance of Judge Hilton as the compromise candidate for the Mayoralty of New York. Butler's candidacy does not appear to trouble Cleveland men in the least. They say the General will start off with a great hurrah, but before election day his boom will have fluttered out and nothing will come of it.

Missouri Democratic State Convention.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., August 12.—The delegates to the Democratic State Convention which is to be held here to-day have nearly all arrived. The hotel accommodations are very poor and much grumbling is heard on all sides. It is thought that the convention will finish its work and adjourn to-day, but there are several contesting delegations and the fight may be a prolonged one. It is certain that General John S. Marmaduke will be nominated for Governor. There are three ex-Confederates on the slate for nomination. General Marmaduke, Robert McCullough for Register of Lands, and D. W. McIntire for Attorney-General. Charles Hardin is named as permanent Chairman of the convention. The other officers to be nominated are Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor, Treasurer, Judge of the Supreme Court.

Shocking Case of Cruelty.

BUFFALO, August 11.—A shocking case of cruelty to children has just come to light at Tonawanda. Godfrey Detman, fifty years of age, married a year ago a young woman of about twenty-five years. Detman had two children by his first wife and to them the step-mother took a strong dislike. Detman, naturally brutal, was encouraged by his wife to ill-treat the children and it is claimed by neighbors repeatedly struck them senseless to the floor and beat them until blood gushed from their ears, nose and mouth, and locked them in a room and almost starved them. The case was brought to the notice of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and an inquiry resulted in the children being sent to relatives in Canada. Much excitement was caused by the brutality of the parents, and threats of violence had been made when the authorities stepped in.

Brown, Bonnell & Co.'s Mill at Youngstown Resume.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., August 11.—All of Brown, Bonnell & Co.'s mills started up this morning except the nail mill and nail factory. A steady run of three months is assured and every prospect of a permanency. This will give new life to the business interests of the city, which has recently been almost at a stand-still.

The starting of the mills give credence to the rumor that Herbert C. Ayer, who is now in Europe, will likely control the work. The only way he can do it is to lift the debt of over $1,000,000. The hearing to dissolve the corporation of Brown, Bonnell & Co., brought by the Cleveland stockholders, begins on Wednesday next. Henry Crawford, the noted Chicago lawyer, to whom Ayer transferred his interests, will fight the dissolution strenuously.

The Investigation of the Dayton, Ohio, Soldiers' Home.

DAYTON, Ohio, August 12.—The subordinate officers of the Soldiers' Home were examined by the Congressional Investigating Committee yesterday. Sergeant Leechman thought the discipline of the institution was too severe. He himself had not attempted to enforce it to the letter. Sergeant Gannon found fault with the police. He said they were too harsh in their treatment of the men. With the exception of these two witnesses and one or two others, all the testimony of the day was favorable to the present management of the Home, and was to the effect that there is no just cause for complaint. The sergeants say they have orders from General Patrick to treat the men kindly, and that whisky is the cause of most of the trouble.

A Desperado Shot.

GEORGETOWN, O., August 11.—Fred Hochberger fatally shot Warren Goodwin at the house of Samuel McNish at about ten o'clock Saturday night. Goodwin had attended a political meeting and got very drunk. Going home he stopped at McNish's house, roused the family from bed by threatening to search the house, and finally drove them into the orchard. Hochberger came riding up the road and was halted by Goodwin and searched. He then went into the house and McNish begged him to defend him. Goodwin again advanced and Hochberger caught up a double barreled shotgun and emptied both barrels into Goodwin's body. He then came here and surrendered to the officers.

A Locomotive Dashes into a Street Car.

NEW YORK, August 11.—A fatal accident occurred at the junction of Broadway and Atlantic Avenues, East New York at, midnight last night. A "wildcat" engine of the Manhattan Beach railroad dashed into a horse car, No. 22, of the Broadway horse railway which was just crossing the track. There were six passengers, the driver and conductor on the car. A passenger named McCullin, living in Brooklyn, was instantly killed and another passenger, Rudolph Smith, also of Brooklyn, was seriously injured. The car was completely wrecked. The escape of the other passengers was miraculous.

Deadly Duel.

DECATUR, Col., August 12.—William Monaghan and Edward Lindley, settled an old feud at Burleson, this State, yesterday, with pistols. Both fell dead at the first fire.

N. B. Board of Health on Wine

Dr. E. H. Janes, of the New York Board of Health says:

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A NARROW ESCAPE

Of a Massachusetts Engineer—Timely Warning of Mr. John Spencer, Baggage-master of B. & A. R. R.

Sleep after fatigue, and health after disease, are two of the sweetest experiences known to man. Fourteen years is a long time in which to suffer, yet Mr. Peter Lawler of Dalton, Mass., had led a miserable life for that period through the presence of stone in the bladder. That he sought in all directions for a cure is an almost superfluous statement. He did obtain temporary relief, but nothing more. Last January he called on Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who said after examination: "Mr. Lawler, you have stone in the bladder. We will first try DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY before risking an operation." A few days later the following letter passed through the Rondout postoffice:

DALTON, Mass., February 6.

Dear Dr. Kennedy:—The day after I came home I passed two gravel stones, and am doing nicely now. PETER LAWLER.

Dr. Kennedy now has the stones at his office, and they are sufficiently formidable to justify the claim that Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the leading specific for stone in the bladder. In this letter Mr. Lawler mentions that Favorite Remedy also cured him of rheumatism. The subjoined certificate tells its own story.

OLD BERKSHIRE MILLS,
DALTON, Mass., April 27, 1882.

Mr. Peter Lawler has been a resident of this town for the past seventeen years, and in our employ for fifteen years, and in all these years he has been a good and respected citizen of the town and community. He has had some chronic disease to our knowledge for most of the time, but now claims to be, and is, in apparent good health. CHAS. O. BROWN, President.

DALTON, Mass., June 9, 1884.

Dr. Kennedy—Dear Friend:—Thinking you might like to hear again from an old patient, I am going to write you. It is now three and a half years since first I went to see you. As I told you then I was troubled with kidney disease for about fifteen years, and had seven of the best doctors to be found; but I received only temporary relief until I visited you and commenced taking your "Favorite Remedy." I continue taking the Remedy according to your directions, and now consider myself a well man. Very gratefully yours, PETER LAWLER.

Our letter of April 27, 1882, holds good as far as Mr. Lawler's testimony is concerned regarding his health. CHAS. O. BROWN.

DALTON, June 9, 1884.

FLORIDA LANDS FOR SALE.—A few more of those choice lots in Sorrento, Orange Co., Fla., in size to suit purchaser 2½ to 5 acres, and 10 to 20 acre lots adjoining village. Also 40 to 80 acre tracts within three miles of Sorrento depot and railroad will be sold during the next 30 days for $10 an acre in 40 acre lots. These lands are good orange lands and very cheap. For particulars apply to E. HAUSE, Tecumseh, Mich.

WANTED.—A good farm to rent on shares for a term of three or four years by a first-class farmer. Communicate with M. R. KNICKERBOCKER, Monroe Co., Milan Mich.

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LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

MACON BRICK & TILE WORKS.

A SHORT SKETCH OF ONE OF LENAWEE COUNTIES MOST THRIVING INDUSTRIES.

A Saw Mill, a Feed Mill, Sorghum Works and Brick and Tile Factory, all Under One Management.

The Macon Brick & Tile Works are located about half a mile East of Pennington's Corners in the township of Macon. The name of the establishment, although indicating the business done, does not reveal the entire scope of the works. In this article we propose to give a sketch of the works as they are and to show our readers what the business actually is. The present proprietor, Milan Sage, bought a half interest in the property of Israel Pennington and ran it one year with Mr. Wilson. Eighteen years ago in this month of August, John Niblack purchased Mr. Wilson's interest and Niblack & Sage conducted the business about twelve years when Mr. Niblack's death terminated the partnership. Since then—for the last six and one-half years—Mr. Sage has been the sole owner and manager of the concern.

The first brick machine used was a small horse power which turned out forty thousand brick the first season. One of the first tile machines built by H. Brewer & Co. in Tecumseh, was used in these works, which was a crude cheap affair compared with the Tiffany machines now sold by them. The buildings were small and worth but little. The present saw mill is a solid two story structure about forty by sixty feet, with two floors, which is equipped with the best circular saws and other modern machinery. It is one of the best mills in Southern Michigan. The engine room of brick adjoining, contains a fifty horse boiler and forty-five horse engine, which furnish all the required motive power. The saw mill is run about seven months each year. In an addition east of the engine room is a run of stone for grinding feed which is in use about two days each week. In another room near by is a sorghum crusher, which is utilized about two months each fall. Under a shed ontside is one of Cook's evaporators for boiling the sap. Although these branches of Mr. Sage's establishment make a good business, still the main spoke in the wheel is the brick and tile department, especially the latter. He will turn out about 150,000 brick this season and one and a half million of tile. Brewer's improved Tiffany tile machine is the one used. But the best machines made would fail to manufacture good tile without the kind of clay required, and here Mr. Sage has a decided advantage. His clay bank is a bonanza. It is several acres in extent and is a solid stratum of blue clay from ten to fifteen feet in depth, which is taken from the pit directly to the machine. It needs no doctoring or combination with other material. It is without doubt one of the best clay banks in the state. Having the best clay that Michigan soil affords and the best tile machines, it is still necessary to have good drying and burning appliances. He has both. He has two sheds 150 feet long by 28 feet wide and two stories high, and one smaller shed 50 by 24 feet. These sheds are provided with slate floors and the sides can be opened or closed at pleasure. The tile are corded up in these sheds to dry out four or five days and are then placed in the fire kilns. There are two kilns, built of brick, and constructed on the new down-draught plan. Mr. Sage adopted this plan after examining the kilns of the Jackson Sewer Pipe Co., and he finds it a great improvement over the old plan. He gets a much evener burn and with less fuel. The kilns hold about 30,000 tile each. He burns regularly three kilns every two weeks.

It takes fifteen cords of wood for each burning. Mr. Sage keeps all size of tile on hand in any quantity, being 2, 2½, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 inch diameter. The large sizes are coming into use more each year. Many farmers are taking up their small tile and putting in larger sizes. Fifteen hands are kept constantly employed in the concern. Mr. Sage adopts the plan of hireing good men and keeping them, some of his hands having been with him ten years. They have become experts in the business. Every branch of the establishment is as good as money, enterprise and skill can make it, and it bids fare to grow into a business of mammoth proportions within the next ten years.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 14, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lots of excursions and picnics now days.

School commences on Monday Sept. 1st.

Johnny Trann was in Tecumseh on Tuesday last.

H. C. Wilson, of Blissfield, gave us a call on Tuesday.

Woolston Comfort has fifty acres planted to cabbage.

Danforth Keyes, of Clinton, was in town on Saturday last.

Quite a large "hen party" went to the lakes last Tuesday.

Ab. Wilson went to Battle Creek last Saturday on a business trip.

A large party of Brownvilleites will go to Sand Lake to-morrow.

A son of William Platt, of Adrian was killed in a Wisconsin mine, a few days ago.

The Opera House is engaged for a number of dates during October and November.

The Gazette says that Hudson has an esthetic drug clerk who subsists on angel's food.

The Democratic State Convention will be held at Grand Rapids next week Wednesday.

Will Carleton will contribute a long poem, "The Hero of the Tower," to the September Harper's.

Delos Whitenack and wife and Augusta Whitenack are visiting friends in the northern part of the state.

The Republican County Convention for the nomination of county officers will be held on Saturday Aug. 30th.

The Michigan & Ohio has secured through traffic arrangements between Toledo and Muskegon, by way of the Chicago & West Michigan.

The first home raised water melons were brought to town by Fred Frary and were placed on sale at Lew Herning's market. Lew keeps a full assortment of vegetables.

The Detroit Post and Tribune has been denominated the Post, and is advertised as under a new management. The matter still remains however a matter of grave doubt.

There will be a meeting of the citizens of Tecumseh and vicinity in the vacant store of John Usborn on Friday evening Aug. 15th for the purpose of organizing a "Butler club." All are invited to attend.

W. H. Passmore and family left Tecumseh Tuesday afternoon for Detroit, and on Wednesday morning they took a steamer for a trip around the lakes to Chicago. They will be absent about three weeks.

Prof. Hammond leaves town tomorrow for Mt. Pleasant where he will conduct an Institute during the succeeding week. During the last week in August he will be engaged in similar work at Richmond, Macomb Co.

Adrian Press: A word to farmers who are troubled with big or little burdock. Just cut the stalk down even with the ground and then turn on a spoonful of kerosene. It will be good bye burdock, for ever and aye.

The Macon cornet band will give a bowery dance and ice cream social at Pennington's Corners on Friday eve, Aug. 22. Good music in attendance. Dance per set 10 cents. Ice cream 10 cents. The public are cordially invited to attend.

An old cannon, a relic of the war of 1812, and of the battle of the Raisin, which for 10 or 12 years past has been owned by the Monroe foundry, has been bought by the citizens. It will be properly mounted and placed on the public square.

Elder McLean, of Morenci, has bought an unbroken mustang, and the ungodly are making bets as to which will break first, the pony's neck or the worthy pastor's piety. It might be well to state that the preacher is the favorite as against the field.

There was a slight change in the running time of trains on the M. & O. commencing Monday last. Trains now arrive at Tecumseh station as follows: East, passenger, 9:32 A. M. passenger 3:37 P. M. freight, 3:37 P. M. West, passenger, 11:39 A. M., passenger, 6:41 P. M., freight 9:32 A. M.

Few people are aware of the important work now under way in Northern Minnesota, to guard against the dangers of high-water and the inconveniences of low-water in the Mississippi River. A number of lakes in that region are being connected into a reservoir system, which is to collect and feed water as it may be required. A full account of this great engineering work is promised, with illustrative diagrams, in the September Harper's.

The Annual Reunion of three organizations, veterans of the late war, will hold a Basket Picnic at Devil's Lake, as follows: Eighteenth infantry, Tuesday, August 26th. Lenawee county soldiers and sailors Association, Wednesday, August 27th. And Posts of the G. A. R. of Southern Michigan, Thursday, August 28th. Good speakers, good music. A cordial invitation to all soldiers and citizens and their families.

Oysters next month.

Thanks to Elder Price for a basket of very nice apples.

C. T. Gridley is clerking in H. Anderson's grocery store.

Six Detroit cottages are to be built at Sand Lake next year.

The Circuit Court will not be in session until next Tuesday.

The prospects for a good trade this fall was never more promising.

Mrs. Wm. Ives, of Jackson, is visiting her daughter Mrs. L. L. Bates.

Jerome Cleveland went to Devil's lake yesterday for a few days rest and fun.

Farmers who have thrashed complain that the wheat turns out beyond their expectations.

Lon Bean of Jonesville has been spending a few days among his old Tecumseh acquaintances.

Miss Gracie Hobart, of Jackson, is spending her school vacation with her cousin Miss Hattie Bates.

Misses Nellie and Jennie Nyland and Dena Heesen attended the Teacher's Institute at Adrian last week.

Dr. Abe Pelham of Plymouth was in town last week on a flying call. He only remained a part of one day.

Mrs. Abner Wilson entertained her neighbors one evening last week with a beautiful night blooming cereus.

Under the new order of things the gates of the cemetery will be locked at 6 P. M. each day. A very sensible move.

No wonder the gong often rings at Kennedy's. Moreland Bros. & Crane have sold over 70,000 "Golden Bell" cigars.

A steam thresher set fire to the stacks of E. M. Brown, Hudson, and burned 300 bushels of wheat and the separator.

Col. Fowler, of Reading, is going to erect a soldiers' monument in that town, at his own expense, to cost from $1,500 to $2,000.

O. C. Kneale of Fort Wayne was in town last Friday. He is still acting as general agent for the Standard Life Association.

The great Barnum show exhibits at Toledo, August 19th. The M. & O. road will sell tickets at this station on that day at greatly reduced rates.

O. H. DeSales, of Detroit, was the guest of Mr. Gainsley over Sunday. He assisted in rendering some very fine singing at the Baptist church during the evening.

L. R. Gainsley, who is now traveling for an Albany house passed Sunday at his home in this village and assisted in the singing at the Baptist church in the evening.

About twenty young men from Tecumseh spent Sunday in camp at Brighton, with Co. C. They went out on the M. & O. Saturday afternoon and returned Monday morning.

We are in receipt of a complimentary ticket to the next Michigan State Fair which will be held at Kalamazoo Sept. 15th to 19th inclusive. The fair bids fare to be the best ever held in the State.

John R. Clark is now in Western New York and is engaged for many weeks to come. He has a new lecture entitled "The Conflict in Church and State." He has now delivered his "To and Fro in London" 300 times.

Prof. Z. C. Spencer spent last Sunday in Tecumseh as the guest of David McNair. He is assisting in the Teacher's Institute which is in session at Adrian. He was heartily welcomed by his many friends in Tecumseh.

The Tariff question is to be thoroughly discussed in the North American Review. Free Trade arguments will appear in the September number, and Protection views in the October. The ablest writers on both sides have been engaged.

Deerfield Record: Hon. B. L. Baxter of Tecumseh, is spoken of in connection with the Republican nomination for State senator from this county. Mr. B. can rely on a handsome majority in this township, where he is well known, if successful in securing the nomination.

The M. & O. railway company has completed arrangements with the Chicago & West Michigan railway to run its trains through to Grand Rapids and Muskegon, commencing with last Monday. This is a great point and gives this road what it has long desired, an outlet on Lake Michigan.

The national greenback county convention will be held at the council room in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, Aug. 16th, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention and also to the congressional convention.

J. W. HELME, SR.
Chairman of Co. Committee.
H. F. BAKER, Sec.

The eleventh annual meeting of Lenawee County Pioneers, will be held at Ogden Center on Wednesday, August 27th, at 10 A. M. (Refreshments basket picnic.) A cordial invitation is given to all both young and aged. There will be an address by the President and others. Also a historic account of the town by Hon. Supervisor T. McComb.

F. A. DEWEY, President.
E. D. ALLEN, Secretary.

The Clinton base ball club defeated the second nine of Tecumseh last Thursday by a score of 18 to 8.

Rev. H. F. Cochram will occupy the Baptist pulpit in this village, both morning and evening, next Sunday, Aug. 17, 1884.

There will be a lecture in the Methodist Episcopal Church next Sunday at 7.30 P. M. Subject, "Our Brother in the Orient."

A. E. Kennedy and wife returned yesterday from a few days sojourn at Devil's lake. They report having had a splendid time.

A good single buggy, newly painted, practically as good as new, can be bought at a bargain by enquiring at the HERALD office.

A large audience attended the union services in the Baptist church last Sunday evening. Rev. Babbitt gave them a good sermon.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the W. C. T. W. will be held on Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock in the M. E. church—room No. 1.

Sutton Minor, who is on the Cleveland, Ohio, police force, is spending his summer vacation of six days with his father in this village. It is four years since he visited Tecumseh.

Rev. Frazee, of Flint, formerly pastor of the M. E. church in Ridgeway, was in town last week visiting friends. He preached a fine sermon in the Methodist church on Sunday morning.

Fred Hillman has a class of six pupils receiving lessons on the violin. Fred is an enthusiast on the violin and is becoming quite an expert with that instrument. He ought to secure a large class.

Next Sunday will be "Missionary day" in the Methodist Episcopal church. The pastor, Rev. Geo. W. Hudson will preach a missionary sermon in the morning, and take the annual subscription for the support of mission. At 7:30 P. M. he will lecture on the social and moral condition of Oriental people.

Last Monday night the Tecumseh base ball club took the 10 o'clock train and started for a trip around the state in search of glory in the base ball arena. They intend to stay about a week. Tuesday they stopped at Greenville and vanquished that club by a score of 5 to 6, with McKinney and Heidenrich as the battery. Yesteryday the Greenvilles turned around and waxed our boys by a score of 9 to 2.

The grand annual excursion to Detroit over the Lake Shore occurs on Saturday next, August 16. Gen. Benj. Butler, Gen. West, Gen. Weaver, and other distinguished persons will address the workingmen at the Knights of Labor picnic held in Recreation Park on that day. Secure your tickets early and don't fail to go, as the rate is only $1.25, and will not likely be given again this season.

Wm. Bresie, who is chairman of the Cemetery committee in the Council has been elected sexton of the cemetery, and will serve until some good person can be found to take the position permanently. He invites owners of lots to beautify their holdings there, all sod needed for that purpose can be obtained free of charge. Several persons owning lots have not yet procured a deed and he requests all such to call upon him without delay and get a legal deed of their cemetery lots.

"Our Boys in Blue," Co. "C," 1st. Reg't., M. S. T. returned from Island Lake on Tuesday evening last, having accomplished one of the most successful tours of camp duty in the history of the company. The boys were on their good behavior both going and coming and while in camp, and their gentlemanly conduct throughout was not only a credit to themselves but to the town from which they went, and Capt. Fred B. Wood won "golden opinions" from his superior officers. Upon one occasion the following took place while Capt. Wood was approaching a tent where several officers were seated. General Hutchins, Inspector General, arose and greeted him, saying, "Capt. Wood: We at headquarters feel that although you are one of the youngest Captains in the Brigade you are one of the best."

Advertisements are news. Good, fresh advertisements, truthfully says the Albany Press, are not the least interesting and valuable portion of a newspaper. We have been told that a prominent New York journalist hoped to see the day when the profits on the circulation of his paper would be so large that he could dispense with advertising altogether. We think he is mistaken in his opinion of advertising and newspapers. Advertisements are news. They tell the readers what they want to know—where goods can be bought; what they are sold for; who has houses to rent or sell; who wishes to purchase real estate; where employment and labor can be obtained; and a thousand other things they want to know. It is an error to suppose that only editors and reporters supply news worth reading. The skillful advertiser furnishes a good share of it, and if there are any readers who fail to look over the advertising columns of their paper, they miss a great deal of information that would prove valuable to them.—Ex.

A number of the young ladies of Tecumseh held a very enjoyable picnic on the farm of Lute Bates on Tuesday last.

The Detroit Free Press will run a weekly campaign edition for twenty-five cents. Send in your orders at once and thus keep posted on the political issues.

Those wishing to attend Barnum's show at Toledo on Tuesday Aug. 19th, should take the morning train over the M. & O. The fare for the round trip, including ticket to show, is only $1.60 from Tecumseh, and then you can remain until the 20th and return on same ticket.

THE TECUMSEH SCHOOLS.

The Public Schools of this village will enter upon the work of the fall term Sept. 1, 1884. All pupils should be present at the opening of the term and continue until its close. Absence from recitations at any time is detrimental to success. Pupils will be received, however, at any time and classified according to their attainments.

The corps of teachers engaged for the coming year guarantees thorough and careful work. The greatly increased foreign attendance during the past two years attests the growing popularity of the schools outside of the district. Candidates for admission to the different grades are not required to undergo any severe examination, only such as to enable the examiner to determine the grade of work they are qualified to enter upon with greatest profit to themselves.

Those applying for admission to the High School should come prepared to pass an examination in Practical Arithmetic, Spelling, Geography, Eng. Grammar and U. S. History. Non-residents who are not fully prepared to enter the High School will find excellent advantages in the Grammar department.

The courses of study in the High School, three in number, are all laid down upon the basis prescribed by the University. Excellent facilities are offered therefor to those who wish to prepare for college. Graduates of our high school, owing to the high standard of work required, have invariably been successful in their examinations for admission to the University.

Young ladies and gentlemen who wish to fit themselves for teaching will find the work required of them suited to their wants.

All candidates for admission are requested to present themselves at the Supt. office in the Central Building for examination on Saturday, at 9 o'clock A. M. Aug. 30th. Old students are requested to be present at the same place at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of receiving their classification.

PERSONAL.

MR. EDITOR:—My attention has been called to an article in the Detroit Evening News of Aug. 7th, purporting to be a biographical sketch of myself. So far as the facts given are concerned, they seem to have been copied or condensed from my biography given in the Lenawee County Atlas of 1874; but with sundry mistakes. It begins by adding an "s" to my name, which does not belong there. It makes me "Secretary of State," which I never was, instead of Secretary of the State Senate, for three years after the organization of the State government. Since the publication of the Atlas I have ascertained that it was not W. E. Gladstone, who was my fellow student at Glasgow, but his elder brother, Sir Thomas.

I was not the youngest member of the convention of 1835; but was *one* of the youngest. Hon. H. G. Wells of Kalamazoo was younger than I was by two to three years.

As to my "family history being badly kinked" as spoken of, I am not aware of any extraordinary kinks, except what arose from an attempt made some years ago to foist a party of no blood relationship of mine into my family, to the exclusion or damage of one of my own children and heirs, if that could have been accomplished.

As to a pass for myself over the M. S. & N. I. R. R., since I left the road, I value and esteem it more as an acknowledgement by the managers, that I served them faithfully and usefully whilst with them, than for any small sum it might save me in the use of the road.

As to "making lots of money and keeping it," as alleged, that is just the thing that I was never good at. During the late war, besides paying my income and other taxes, I invested all my earnings in U. S. and State war bounty bonds and notes; but most of which I foolishly used in setting up my son and others in business or I might have been worth about twice as much as I am, now. I have, however, contributed always according to my means freely to churches, parsonages, &c., was one of the heaviest contributors to the Soldiers' Monument Fund, and to a hall for lectures, concerts, &c., which was not expected to be, and is not, a paying investment.

Yours Truly,
JOHN J. ADAM.

Miss M. I. Spafford left to-day to visit Devil's Lake and surrounding country, as the guest of Miss Hattie Lane of Wheatland.

On Tuesday, Aug. 19th the Tecumseh B. B. Club will play a match game of ball with "Toledos" of the American Association. Game called at 3 P. M. Admission as usual.

Deerfield Record: Blissfield is said to be one of the political centers of the county, and is a great source for news of that sort of any denomination. It has several residents who think they would fill some of the county offices acceptably to the people and themselves, positively the latter.

Adrian Press: If there's a hotel in the country more fly constructed than the Lilly house of Tecumseh, so far as its entrance is concerned, it should be converted to a store for a man who don't advertise. The stranger who can drive up to the right place and find the ladies' entrance, if he have a lady with him, would make a good chairman of an investigating committee. If he gets to the sidewalk in front and don't tip over, he's a good driver. But possibly we are no judge in these matters, so let it go.

The Methodist Sunday School has added to its helps, a chart on rollers. It consists of a piece of cotton cloth and two rollers in a light frame of wood-work, so arranged that the cloth can be passed, by turning a crank from one roller to the other. On this cloth the Topical title, golden text, and leading thought of the current lesson, are placed to aid in reviewing the lesson. At the end of the quarter all the lessons will be there, arranged in order for quarterly review. The lettering is done with stencils by the pastor. Dr. House planned and built the frame.

Jackson Patriot, Aug. 8: The game of ball between the Tecumsehs and the Mutuals yesterday, for the most part, was one worth going a long way to see. The Tecumseh club are all ball-players, and what is more to the purpose sometimes, they all acted the part of perfect gentlemen during the game and while in the city. The game was called at 3:20 with the visitors at the bat, and up to the last half of the fifth all was well, then Blair threw the ball two feet over the catchers head at the home plate, and Morrisey from short threw low to first, which let in four unearned runs, the only ones the visitors scored. A passed ball in the seventh and a wild throw to third gave the home their only tally. The pitching of Tray was more than the visitors could fathom, while the delivery of the Tecumseh man caused the Mutual batters the utmost concern to find the ball at all, only two base hits being made off him during the game, while the visitors could only find time for a solitary base hit off Tray's pitching, the loss of the game to the Mutuals being due to the errors of Blair and Morrisey. Score, Tecumseh 4, Mutuals 1.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—Brown the Photographer is offering special bargains in pictures, frames and albums during August.

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—A fine line of Albums and Scrap books at Keip's.

—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

—All facilities for grinding feed at Heck's Roller Mills.

—Bring on your buggies to be painted. During the months of July and August I will paint over top buggies for $8, and open buggies for $6.—Shop at Cummins' old carriage factory. W. H. Ford.

—When the bell strikes, all listen, for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy.
A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the voice of the gong.
A. E. Kennedy.

—For fine goods in his line don't forget Adamson's.

—If you cannot buy a new buggy in these hard times, get the old one painted over at W. H. Ford's

—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream.
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MRS. A. F. PARSONS, Editor of the Farmer's Friend, Dallas, Texas, says: [illegible] Hair [illegible] Dandruff [illegible]

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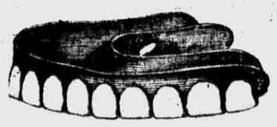

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The Swinging, Gleaming Ax.

The dexterity and precision with which a first-class chopper handles an ax are quite remarkable. Trees three feet in diameter are often cut entirely through and still remain their perpendicular post until a breeze, or some sight shock topples them over. The two gaps on either side meet in a straight line. To the novice, gazing at the many strange things within the province of an ax, in cleaning a piece of farm land it is frequently a situation that the chopper shall construct his stumps to hold a yoke of water in other words, have a concave bowl on their tops to catch rain water and rot them. In the pioneer days the ax is used for nearly every purpose for which a cutting tool is required. With it the chopper trims his short picks, cuts his fuel, thickens his horse and cattle feed, sharpens up his stakes, shanties and outhouses construct his hoes and "go-devils," and even whittles his toothpicks. He gutters chips for drinking cups, axes tobacco for his pipe, throws flying bridges over winter streams, whittles out the checkers for his evening's amusement, and carves the checker board. In a word, it is a part and parcel of himself, and its song is the music of life to his ear.

After laying the pioneer the ax has a long ramble to a new home on the Pacific Slope. In California, on the Coast Range, it enters the famous redwoods, and then indeed another existence is found. In fact its position in society is elevated. Those noble trees, the colossi of the forests, are fast disappearing. But the gigantic stumps still remain to tell of their departed greatness. And enormous stumps they truly are. So much so, indeed, that the ax has stood in the word to overcome them, and the chopper assumes a position which does not compel him to attempt anywhere else. To surround the enormous swell at the base of the tree and commence operations where the average diameter of the trunk may be said to begin, he builds a platform made of stakes with cross-pieces of rails sometimes six or ten feet high, around his victim and thus strengthen, cutting above the bulge or swell. Then an expert hand will simply construct a bole in the trunk, and driving a stake into it, step up on it and commence to hold as he dexterously swings his ax.

Inside of the redwood giants is world famous, and it is a legend of the coast that a woman's ax has been applied to a work on one side of a tree, walked around it and found another chopper who had been at work for a month on the other side. Huge they are, but beautiful wood to chop, carry having the much vaulted the mysteries of unknown wrapped up in their red hearts, and the death-bell woke the forest across seas, in this land agony he plunges down some dark, wooded canyon, crushing all before him, may be heard reverberating in dull tones through the closed halls at all seasons of the year.

But it is not until they press swamps of the South and are relegated that the ax takes to water. In those dark, shadowed and moss-fringed lagoons the chopper becomes amphibious and performs his work, while sullenly balanced in one of the most treacherous of craft, a dugout canoe. Should any one think there is no science required to chop from a dugout, let the skeptic try it. A person, not an inexpert hand with an ax, but a novice at teetering in a canoe, did so and mourned. Once on the Bayou Teche he paddled up to a big tree whose great, bulbous stem reached far under water, and fastened his dugout to the victim, so did his ax and boldly stood erect in the prow. Balancing himself for a moment, until a true equilibrium was attained, he swung back his ax and made a bold stroke at the tree. The dugout attempted a somersault instantly. It shot out of the water at the stern, the effect shut under water at the bow and where the ax went is a mystery to this day.—*San Francisco Call.*

The Stale Pun and the Leading Editorial.

The Horse Editor of a Great Daily once introduced a Stale Pun into a Column where slumbered a Leading Editorial. The Latter, awakened by an Electric Shock from the unwelcome Intruder, rubbed his Eyes and Exclaimed: "What gave we here?"

Abashed, the Pun turned a Somersault over the Form of the Sluggish Giant with the irrelevant remark:

"Here we are again!"

Whereupon the Editorial Soliloquized thus:

"It is a Lamentable Fact that Flippant Folly and Nauseous Nonsense are rapidly taking the place of Dignity and Decorum in Journalism. Fearless Writings and Gritty Punsters now wield the Pen around which so Much once gathered the Halo of Manly Argument and Historical Splendor. It is time to cry a halt."

"Aw, yes; make me tired," said the Pun.

"A halt," continued the Editorial, "Thoughts and Vandals of this incursion threaten not only the Fabric of Legitimate Journalism, but, as we shall attempt to show further on, endanger the very Foundations of—"

"Oh, pull down your vest," said the Pun.

"Of Civil Liberty itself. The Time was when Affairs of State were discussed with a Calmness which befitted their Solemnity; when the Citadel of Error was scientifically besieged, when the Catapult of Journalism hurled huge Masses of ponderous Sarcasm against its Walls, and it was shaken to its Foundations by the Battering Ram of Truth."

At this point an Old Boy, who had been trying for some time to arrive at the "True Inwardness" of His Editorship, caught sight of the Pun, whereupon he fell into such a violent fit of Laughter that the Editorial could not proceed and soon resumed his Lethargic Condition.

MORAL.

Don't get too Close to the mule end of a Pun.—*Washington Hatchet.*

—Cleveland has a fire and accident notification agency which informs a man at home when his place of business is on fire, and it has six hundred subscribers at five dollars per annum each.—*Cleveland Leader.*

Making Over Old Houses.

To those who contemplate "making over" an old house, the famous advice to candidates for maximum is supposed to be always pertinent, "don't." Just as in the one case, in spite of this prohibitory counsel, the children of idleness still continue to marry, and to be given in marriage, so in the other, notwithstanding much apparently disastrous experience, men persist in renovating, remodelling, refitting, enlarging and otherwise attempting to rejuvenate their old houses. They are likely to continue to do so as long as a love of homeliness, as long as family increase in numbers, as long as improving their own worldly condition, and the houses or their fathers bind them to their own wants, it is the commonest thing in the world, and that the making over of an old house has required a greater outlay than would have been necessary to build a new outright, which then still remains in the renovated state is a radical defect to which could easily have been avoided if the building had been new, and yet if this losing experience were well known to be the rule rather than the exception, it is probable that men would still go on trying to improve old houses by patches, amendments and compromises. There are various reasons for this apparent lack of wisdom in management.

Sentimental considerations, though often unacknowledged, are undoubtedly strong. The love of home, however homely, is an Anglo-Saxon instinct of such strength that it seems almost a sacrilege to destroy its vestiges (and, though it may be old fashioned, inconvenient and insufficient to modern needs. Moreover, it is not readily conceded that a well ready and truly constructed house is made to "make over," which is analogous to beginning the foundations and to have a new structure from raw materials. Be it lovely and well-made, it is a sacrilege to pull a house down, from turret to foundation, leaving not one stone upon another. It seems so much more desirable and wasteful than taking it down by degrees, retaining the loved fabric long at a time as the work goes on. Yet every carpenter knows that it is in convenience and less that results from working in this way far more than offset the small amount of rough material that may be saved.

In another apparent motive exists when it is desired to keep the house in the same old place. The occupants alter under the pleasing delusion that they can save cost and trouble of moving by beginning the work of renovation at once and working gradually toward the other extreme, somewhat as the plague creeps across a continent or a cyclone moves across a Western territory, the house being all the while habitable without serious annoyance. Experience is, perhaps, the most efficient teacher on this point. Those who have tried it will generally assent to the old estimate in geometrical progression, with a other term added, that a house consisting of one moving, three moving or more times, and three times remodelling.

But there is another and a more worthy and honorable side to the question of making over an old house, not additions, simply, they are always in order, since of the most enterprising houses in the world having grown with the growth of the families occupying them, their added wings and stories indicating the increased numbers and strength of the household. But aside from alterations that are additions simply, a "made over" house has often run at a stage over, and now one, it has been lived in, its merits and defects, both of which exist in every house that ever was built, have become discovered by actual use and if the right changes are made in the right way it will fit its occupants after its conversion better than a new one. It has somewhat the same superiority, to set forth great things by small, which a suit of clothes that is made to order and tried on before completion, has over a suit that is bought "ready-made."

When a thorough remodeling is undertaken there are two courses, at opposite extremes, one of which, especially as regards the exterior, should always be pursued. Contrary to the common rule, there is danger rather than safety in the middle course. Either the style of the old, provided it ever had a style, should be religiously maintained and reproduced in the additions, no matter how antiquated it may be, or else the old should be treated with entire contempt, making no pretense of preserving any part which is not in harmony with the new. As American architecture has unfortunately little that is worth saving for its own sake, with the rare exceptions that may have historical value, the latter is more likely to be the most promising route, especially when it will cost more to "match" the details of the old work than to make new for the whole.—*Exchange.*

Laborers in Mexico.

Laborers in Mexico fare hard. Thirty cents a day is the common rate of wages, and to that the natives are content to perform the heaviest labor. Farm work, mining, factory labor and domestic service are all alike paid low. The custom of making loans to laborers to be repaid by work is common and tends materially to prevent their social advancement. The large landowners are thus enabled to retain their hands as long as they desire. The latter are not allowed to leave their employment till they have paid their debts, and as that is generally impossible out of wages which are barely enough for support, the debtor continues a virtual slave to his life's end.—*Galveston News.*

—United States Consul Cathin, of Stuttgart, writes to the State Department that, in spite of the numerous attempts to check the tide of emigration from Germany to this country, ninety-seven per cent. of those who emigrate from Germany go to the United States.—*Washington Post.*

The New York and Brooklyn newsdealers have all been forbidden to sell, give away or exhibit any publication devoted to criminal news, or pictures and stories of lust and crime.—*Sun.*

Loss and Gain.

CHAPTER I.

"I Was Laid Sick a Year Ago With Malaria Fever."

"My doctor pronounced me cured, but I got sick again, with terrible pains in my back and sides, and I got so bad I

Could not move!

I shrank!

From 228 lbs. to 120! I had been doctoring for my liver, but it did me no good. I did not expect to live more than three months. I began to use Hop Bitters. Directly my appetite returned, my pains left me, my entire system seemed renewed as if by magic, and after using several bottles I was not only as sound as a dollar, but weighed more than I did before. To Hop Bitters I owe my life."

W. F. FITZGERALD.

Detroit, June 6, [illegible]

CHAPTER II.

"Made a Man of Me After Doctors Failed."

"Neuralgia, dyspepsia troubled me for years in the most terrible and excruciating manner.

No medicine or doctor could give me relief or cure, until I used Hop Bitters.

"The first bottle

Nearly cured me;"

The second made me as well and strong as when a child,

"And I have been so to this day."

My husband was an invalid for twenty years with a serious

Kidney, liver and urinary complaint.

"Pronounced by Boston's best physicians

"Incurable!"

Seven bottles of your Bitters cured him and I know of the

"Lives of eight persons"

In my neighborhood that have been saved by your bitters.

And many more are using them with great benefit.

"Are almost

Do miracles." —Mrs. E. D. SLACK.

HOW TO GET SICK.—Expose yourself day and night; eat too much without exercise; work too hard without rest; doctor all the time; take all the vile nostrums advertised, and then you will want to know how to get well, which is answered in three words—Take Hop Bitters!

⚠ Beware of imitations with a bunch of green Hops on the white label. Shun all the vile, poisonous stuff with "Hop" or "Hops" in their name.

Wide Awake Druggists.

Are always alive to their business, and spare no pains to secure the best of every article in their line. They have secured the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The only certain cure known for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, or any affliction of the Throat and Lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Trial Bottles free. Regular size $1.00.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Moses Barlow, of Portland, died July 7. He was a member of the legislature from Clinton county in 1865 and 1873.

Carry the News.

In the days of biliousness, when your liver is torpid and your skin yellow, remember you have a never-failing friend in Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which is unequaled in purity and efficaciousness. In cases of dyspepsia, costiveness, ague and malaria diseases and diseases of the blood and kidneys, its action is prompt and cure speedy. Price 50 cents.

Counting some of the inhabitants in surrounding towns, St. Louis finds it has over 3,000 inhabitants.

The notion that climate had much to do with Rheumatism and Neuralgia, passed away with the discovery that they were blood diseases, and just as likely to exist in one climate as another. ATHLOPHOROS meets them on their own ground, purges the blood of the poisons which induce them, and effects the most wonderful cures North, South, East, and West, without reference to climate or weather. Says Mr. James Cook, Smithton, Mo.: "Athlophoros has done wonders for my wife's Rheumatism, and is helping others."

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F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, Proprietors of Hall's Catarrh Cure are daily in receipt of testimonials showing wonderful cures. No doubt many are cured who do not testify which is evidence that Hall's Catarrh Cure is a thing that has real merit and can perform all it promises.

Muskegon hopes and expects to have a population of 25,000 when the next general census is taken in 1890.

The Secret Art of Beauty lies not in cosmetics, but only in pure blood and healthy action of the vital organs, to be obtained by Burdock Blood Bitters.

Total population of Van Buren county by late census is 30,334, being a loss of 163 since census of 1880.

Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., writes: Being effectually treated by 17 doctors in California, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Write for proof.

The three outlets of disease are the bowels, the skin and the kidneys. Regulate their action with the best purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters.

A district assembly of the Knights of Labor is to be established at Grand Rapids.

Hood's Sarsaparilla gives an appetite and imparts new life and energy to all the functions of the body. Try a bottle and realize it.

Thomas Sisely, of Salem, Allegan county, is under arrest, charged with attempting to murder Isaiah C. Gibson, July 4.

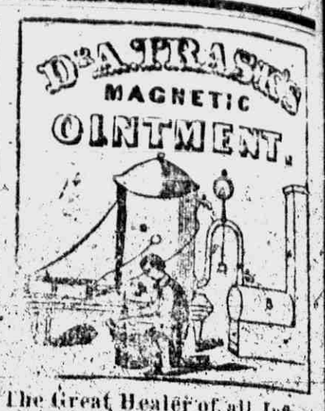

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The most incredulous are convinced, and the most skeptical are compelled to believe in the power of this great remedy.

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All Sores, Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Burns, Sore Throat, Lameness, Rheumatism, Piles, Inflammation of Lungs and Bowels, Bronchitis, Croup, Rheum, Chilblains, Affection of the Spine, Erysipelas, Nervous Irritation, and all disorders attendant with Inflammation.

It never fails to restore the natural functions of the skin and equalize the circulation of the blood. By this means a controlling power is exerted over the most malignant forms of disease. It penetrates to every portion of the human frame, every bone, muscle, vein, nerve and ligament is searched out and made sensible to its soothing and healing influence. Hence it cures pain with internal as well as external diseases.

Over 40 Years.

This Ointment has been used by the people throughout the United States, and our confidence in its qualities is such that we have no space here to insert any of the numerous certificates of cures which we have from all parts of the country, we simply ask those readers of this notice who have never used this ointment, to honestly state their experience, which is equivalent to saying that if but one in a hundred would do this we should be perfectly satisfied with the result. Full directions for use will be found on pamphlet around each bottle.

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For Brain, Nerves, Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Lungs. An Unequaled Invigorant. Cures

DYSPEPSIA,
Headache, Fever, Ague, Chills,
DEBILITY & WEAKNESS.

Nice to take, true merit, unequaled for TORPID LIVER and Night Sweats, Nervous Weakness, Malaria, Leanness, Sexual Decline. $1.00 per bot., 6 for $5.00, at Druggists. E. S. WELLS, Jersey City, N. J., U. S. A.

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Remarkable Cures of Catarrh of the Bladder, Inflammation, Irritation of Kidneys and Bladder, Stone or Gravel Diseases of the Prostate Gland, Dropical Swellings, Female Diseases, Incontinence of Urine, all Diseases of the Genito-Urinary Organs in either sex. For Unhealthy or Unnatural Discharges use also "Chapin's Injection Fleur," each $1. For SYPHILIS, either contracted or hereditary taint, use Chapin's Constitution Bitter Syrup, $1.00 per bottle, and Chapin's Syphilitic Pills, $2.00; and Chapin's Syphilitic Salve, $1.00. 6 bottles Syrup, 2 of Pills, 1 Salve, by Express on receipt of $10.00, or at Druggists.
E. S. WELLS, Jersey City, N. J., U. S. A.

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Ague Cure

contains an antidote for all malarial disorders which, so far as known, is used in no other remedy. It contains no Quinine, nor any mineral nor deleterious substance whatever, and consequently produces no injurious effect upon the constitution, but leaves the system as healthy as it was before the attack.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Jackson	6 10 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Napoleon	6 16 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Clayed	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 26 "	3 62 "
Tecumseh	8 02 "	4 04 "	5 07 "
Adrian	10 32 "	6 42 "	
Detroit	9 02 "	5 15 "	
Toledo			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Detroit	10 22 "	7 55 "	
Toledo	12 12 "	8 32 "	4 32 A.M.
Adrian	12 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	1 00 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 56 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Clayed	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "
Jackson			

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GOING WEST. Passenger.	Express.	Mixed.	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. Passenger.	Express.	Mixed.
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
7 20	5 05	10 10	Lv. Toledo Ar	5 05	11 30	6 50
7 00	6 02	11 02	Dundee	4 00	10 30	5 00
6 54	6 27	11 27	Britton	3 35	10 10	4 11
6 34	6 31	11 32	Ridgeway	3 30	10 06	4 02
6 25	6 41	11 43	Tecumseh	3 19	9 57	3 42
6 00	6 57	12 00	Tipton	3 02	9 42	3 10
5 30	7 10	12 15	Cambridge	2 47	9 30	2 47
		P.M.				P.M.
5 27	7 33	12 40	Addison	2 21	9 08	1 55
				P.M.		
5 15	7 50	12 50	Jerome	2 01	8 51	1 20
5 12	7 55	1 07	Moscow	1 53	8 41	1 07
5 06	8 07	1 19	Hanover	1 41	8 33	12 55
P.M.						
12 00	8 18	1 30	Pulaski	1 30	8 22	12 16
						P.M.
11 06	8 40	1 52	Homer	1 06	8 00	11 20
11 02	9 00	2 22	Marshall	12 37	7 32	10 15
10 50	9 22	2 31	Cer sco	12 25	7 19	9 46
10 40	9 40	2 56	Battle Creek	12 05	7 00	9 00
4 15		3 29	Augusta	11 43		8 12
4 33		3 39	Yorkville	11 34		7 53
4 46		3 36	Richland	11 28		7 39
4 52		3 57	Doster	11 08		6 51
4 59		4 16	Monteith	10 49		6 15
5 09		4 27	Fisk	10 39		5 55
5 14		4 33	Kellogg	10 33		5 49
5 25		4 45	Ar. Allegan. Lv	10 20		5 15
P.M.		P.M.		A.M.		A.M.

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 25	6 45
Blakesley		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P.M.	A.M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 55	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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NORTH. Express Passenger	Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	Manhattan Junction	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	Samaria	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	Lulu	8 47	4 04
6 04	8 15	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 59
6 25	8 30	Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 38	8 37	Macon	8 26	3 35
6 53	8 50	Azalia	8 20	3 40
6 57	8 55	Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
7 00	9 00	Milan	8 06	3 22
7 05	9 09	Nora	7 59	3 17
7 08	9 22	Urania	7 52	3 10
7 16	9 32	Pittsfield	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	Leland	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	Worden	7 06	2 25
7 50	10 35	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	7 00	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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The Rescued Arctic Explorers.

Our telegraph news gives the glad tidings that the search expedition that sailed last winter for the relief of Lieutenant Greely and his party, who have now been absent in Lady Franklin Bay since 1882, and whose safety has been very doubtful, has been a complete success. The precarious position that the Greely party had been placed in was due to the blunders of the Navy Department last year.

In the spring of 1882 the United States Government dispatched a small party of explorers under Lieutenant Greely to Franklin Bay, to remain until the autumn of 1883 to make scientific observations in accordance with the plans determined by the International Arctic Association. As is well known, the other nations succeeded in bringing safely back their respective parties last fall, while the party sent to relieve the American expedition only perpetrated a series of unparalleled blunders, and returned to leave Greely to battle with his second winter in the highest latitude ever reached by any expedition.

The popular notion is that Arctic exploration is reckless, foolish and wasteful, of little importance to the world, and that the men who risk their lives in going to the Arctic regions are hardly worth the risk and expense of rescue. The truth is, that these men devote themselves to the cause of science, and to the benefit of their fellow-men. They go to observe physical phenomena under extreme and singular circumstances, and when fortunate enough to return they give most valuable knowledge to the world. By practical scientists the great value and importance of scientific observations in the Arctic regions have long been acknowledged. Nothing is more necessary for us to thoroughly understand in a country which, like ours, stretches over such an extent of latitude than meteorology. This can not be thoroughly understood, or its laws defined, until we obtain a more extensive knowledge of the physical condition of the polar basin. The unsolved problems of electricity and magnetism are also of world wide interest. Hence all geographical societies and scientific bodies have paid special attention to the scientific equipment of all the recent Arctic expeditions; and while much light has been thrown on purely geographical questions, important results have also been obtained in various departments of physical science.

Hitherto, however, these results have been too isolated and scattered to admit of comprehensive generalization. Each expedition has worked on its own particular lines, without reference to any common system by which alone the key to the interpretation of the phenomena could be obtained. To remedy this state of things the lamented Lieutenant Weyprecht, the discoverer of Josef Land, suggested that the money spent in fitting out expeditions for the purpose of discovering new lands, or attempting to reach the pole, would be more usefully applied in making a thorough physical investigation, on the basis of a common plan, of the lands already discovered. He further proposed that, to obtain this object, the North Pole should be encircled by a corona of fixed observatories, and that two stations should be established in the Antartic Seas. Mr. William Lee Howard, the Arctic voyager, strongly pushed this matter at the International Geographical Congress, and was a strong advocate of Lieutenant Weyprecht's plan. The value of this suggestion was fully recognized by Count Wilczek, a well-known and munificent patron of Arctic enterprise, and to his generous support and active co-operation the fulfilment of the scheme is largely due. Finally the plan was submitted to the Meteorological Congress at Rome. It there met with most favorable consideration, and was referred to an International Polar Conference, which was held at Hamburg; the States represented being France, Holland, Germany, Austria, Russia, Sweden, Norway and Denmark.

The scheme was at last put upon its feet by the promise of the United States to establish two stations, and it was then announced that the eight stations required were secured. By July, 1881, the final arrangements were completed. It was determined that the observations should be commenced at all the stations in the polar regions, as well as those in the temperate zones, as soon as possible after August 1, 1882, and that they should be continued, as far as practicable, until September 1, 1883.

Denmark was established at Godthaab; America sent Greely to Lady Franklin Bay, in Smith Sound (the northernmost of all the stations), Germany was stationed at Cumberland Sound, on the west side of Davis Strait, and England at Fort Rae, in the heart of the Hudson's Bay Territory, near the Great Slave Lake. The United States also had a station at Point Barrow; Russia took up her stand at the mouth of the Lena, and Holland occupied Dickson's Haven, the Russian branch station being at Moller Bay, Nova Zembia. Norway took an easy station at Bosekop, in the Alten Fjord; Sweden selected Spitzbergen, and Austria garrisoned Jan Mayen Island, the most dreary station of the lot, being only a volcano rising directly out of the Arctic Ocean, and when not entirely surrounded by ice is enveloped in a thick, cold fog.

France went far a-field, establishing a station at Cape Horn, while Germany—ever foremost in scientific research—established a third station on one of the islands of South Georgia, in 54 deg. 30 min. south latitude, 41 deg. 21 min. 15 sec. west longitude, some eleven hundred miles east of Cape Horn. The object in establishing stations in the antartic regions was to enable some scientific data to be obtained upon the correspondences or divergences between arctic and antartic phenomena, and to co-operate with the observatories of Cape Town and Melbourne. Thus we had during the years '82 and '83 no less than fifteen expeditions carrying out the full programme of the International Polar Commission, and on the 1st and 15th of each month magnetic and meteorological observations were taken at various permanent observatories, as well as on board numerous ships of war and merchant vessels. Materials for comparison on an extended scale have now been obtained from all parts of the world, and, with the exceptions of the Dutch expedition, which sailed on account of the ice to reach its destination and the United States expedition which has now been rescued, we have the full reports from all the stations. Not only on the score of humanity has it been imperative that Lieutenant Greely's party should be rescued, but the scientific world has been anxiously waiting for problems to be solved, which can only be done when it has the important facts that it was expected that Greely would obtain.—*Boston Transcript.*

Allan Pinkerton's Advice.

Mr. Pinkerton—old Allan, as he was called by his friends—took a great interest in the welfare of young men, and we remember a conversation with him held several years ago under the shade of a noble maple in the beautiful garden of his Monroe street home, which left a lasting impression, and a reproduction of which may encourage many struggling men.

"My youth," said Mr. Pinkerton, "was a continuous struggle. I knew but little of the joys of childhood; my fate was work. When I was old enough to see the distinction between right and wrong—and I think if children are properly educated they will soon realize the difference—I obeyed the dictates of my conscience, and to that I ascribe my success in life. No matter how many temptations were placed in my way I adhered to my principles. In political matters conscience was my guide. Early in life I enlisted in the cause of my native country's (Scotland) freedom and when I came to the United States I became a red-hot abolitionist. I have erred many times in my life, but I have endeavored to right every wrong unwittingly committed.

"Many young men have come to me applying for advice and assistance. My advice has been the same in every instance. If a young man is willing to work and to lead an honest life he will be successful. I have given pecuniary assistance to some applicants, and I acted unwisely. A healthy young man needs no pecuniary assistance from his friends if he has got the get-up in him which makes men of sound principles.

"A number of young men just starting out in life asked me for advice as to what profession or business they should enter. In every instance I admonished them to steer clear of counting-rooms and stores. My experience has taught me that clerks of every description are the most unhappy mortals, as they are expected to live and dress well on small salaries. I know of hundreds of clerks in Chicago who are compelled to steal and pilfer in order to keep up appearances, while industrious young mechanics save a little money every week in the year.

"Many young men from the country are ruined in large cities, and my men could tell you of scores of promising young gentlemen whose honorable existence ended at the bridewell. They came to Chicago with the expectation of finding work, and being disappointed they fell into the hands of thieves and thugs. It seems to me that the newspapers of the country should warn young men against coming to large cities. Of course, some are successful, but to the great majority the step is fraught with danger.

"Young women also should avoid large cities. When they arrive from their country homes they are innocent, and easily fall victims to the professional 'mashers' of the cities. Girls can earn more money in small towns and cities. Thousands of Chicago factory girls and clerks in the dry-goods stores can not earn more than five dollars per week. They have to pay from one to two dollars room-rent per week, which leaves them a balance of three dollars for board and dress. The result of such a life is apparent. Look at our factory girls. Starvation is written upon their faces, or if they escape the marks of hunger you can notice the marks of a shameful life. I have made several efforts to induce the newspapers to call attention to this state of affairs, but have been only partially successful."

The man who gave this timely advice is now at rest forever; but his words should be heeded by the young people of our city and State. We have seen much of the sufferings of strangers in Chicago and other large cities, and can answer for the truth of Mr. Pinkerton's statements. Every year Iowa sends a number of her young men and women to the large cities, and in nine cases out of ten they return penniless and ruined, while at home or in the West they would become valuable and respected citizens.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

The Judge Has Been a Boy.

"I vant a bermit to gill Schneider's tog," said a German woman at the Tombs yesterday.

"Did the dog bite you?" asked the magistrate.

"No, he vos bite my boy Fritz, who vos blaying in de yard, and de dog chased him out and bit der seat from de boy's bants."

"Then the boy wasn't bit at all?"

"No, only de bants."

"Then, there's no danger of hydrophobia," said the Judge.

"But he behaves so funny since," continued the anxious mother. "He can't bear the sight of vater, and he won't drink nodding else but soda vater, root per und such things, und ice cream und cake he eats all day long."

"I know lots of little boys that would try to become insane if they knew they would be fed on ice-cream, cake and soda water," said the Judge, smilingly.

"Maybe ven I get a doctor," said the woman.

"Now, don't do that," said the Judge, interrupting. "The only medicine he needs is taking him across the knees and giving him a strapping whenever he wont do as he is told."

"Vos you sure he wos not grazy?" anxiously inquired the mother.

"I am positive that he is playing you for all you are worth."

"Oh, Fritz, Fritz, vait till I come home," said the woman as she made a bee-line for the door.—*N. Y. World.*

—In the course of a trial at Cleveland recently, in which two women sought to get possession of the same child, the little four-year-old left her doll, and, climbing up to where the Judge sat, placed her arms about his neck and begged him to let her go with her mamma. The mother secured her child.—*Cleveland Herald.*

The cost of pure Baking Powder, made from Grape Cream Tartar and Bi-Carb. Soda, is about double the cost of the average brands offered for sale. DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder is made only of Grape Cream Tarter and Soda, and instead of prize packages, and loud advertising, they seek to give the consumer full value, full weight. Try it and you will find it true.

Clark Cole, for 40 years a gate keeper at the Jackson prison, has been discharged.

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TECUMSEH MICH., AUG 25 1884

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

FRANK E. PHILLIPS was arrested at Providence R. I., on the 20th on a charge of forging the name of Mr. Cornell to a check for $1,000 on the Rockland Bank.

LATE dispatches show that Gardner Wednesday made New York, but not when recently committed suicide was guilty of fraudulent transactions depending about $1,000,000.

THE Agricultural Department's section for the week ending Aug. 18 shows that the weather was generally favorable on the 17th throughout Maine, Vermont, New York, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Kansas and Nebraska. Rain will die. They are needed.

NEWS was received at Pensacola, on the 18th of a terrible disaster among the pine barrens of that city, in the shape of a hurricane. Many people were killed by falling timber, and the Fairy Hunter, a schooner, was blown ashore and broken in two. The crew all got safely ashore. Large quantities of lumber were also blown down.

THE assessment of the property of the Pullman Palace Car Company, which has been made by the Illinois Board of Equalization, amounts to $1,000,000 for the purpose of taxation.

ON the 7th Theodore T. Maury, of Maury & Co., was arrested in Boston on a charge of having forged the name of Mr. Hardy, of Hardy & Co., to a check for $1,000 on the Rockland Bank. He will die. They are needed.

HORACE MANNING, of Ulster county, N. Y., was killed in the 6th by falling through a hatchway in a barn. Young Manning is a nephew of Hon. Evarts Prentice, of Albany.

THE steamer Martha St. Stephens, plying between Brownsville and Arrow Rock, on the Mississippi River, struck a snag at Lamoine's Island in the 6th and sunk in twenty feet of water. Her cargo, one engine and two boilers were removed, and will be saved. The boat was valued at $20,000 and her cargo at $8,000.

THE boiler of a field engine on the farm of Morrison Ill. Independence Day exploded in the 6th, killing Chas. Ellis and Ed. Rice. These men were working at the engine when the accident occurred, which was directly attributed to the carelessness of the engineer.

TWENTY-THREE buildings constituting the western half of the business part of Long Island City, N. Y., were burned on the 6th. Loss $50,000.

A MAN whose name is supposed to be Wm. Sey, from Buffalo, jumped into the rapids at Niagara on the 19th and was carried over the falls.

BY an accident to a train on the Gettysburg & Harrisburg Railroad, near Carlisle, Pa., in the 6th, Frank Sidlinger was killed and Foster Thompson, fireman, scalded.

THE New York associated banks make the following statement for the week ended Saturday, Aug. 16: Loans increase, $768,400; specie increase, $1,000,000; legal tenders increase, $1,000,000; deposits increase, $1,000,000; circulation increase, $50,000; legal tender reserve increase, $250,000. The banks held $35,000,000 in excess of legal requirements.

SEVERAL months ago Benjamin Harrison, a negro agent on the Missouri Pacific railroad, was killed by a bullet in the back of the head near Sedalia, Mo. The railroad company offered $250 reward for the arrest of the murderer, but did not secure the railroad company for $15,000, collected the money and fled to Mexico, where he resides at Durango. The witness who resides at Denison, Texas, has been found. The murderer has been in the same asylum.

JOHNNY JOURDAN, one of the most notorious bank cheaters of the country, was betrayed into the hands of the New York police on the 5th by his mistress, on account of her jealousy of another woman.

THE Light House Board at Washington has information that the electric light apparatus intended for Point Gate has been shipped from Cleveland, Ohio.

DULLNESS of the cotton mills at Fall River, Mass., caused a general scurrying down of nearly all the cotton mills at Fall River, Mass.

SEVERE frosts were general throughout Northern Michigan on the night of the 6th, doing considerable damage to garden stuff.

J. C. S. HARRISON is still under arrest at his residence at Indianapolis. Among the assets of the Jordan bank that been found are a number of checks, which he is believed to have stolen while in special trustee.

THE barber of Allegheny County, Pa., have issued a protective organization, the objects of which is to reduce the hours of labor and do away with Sunday work.

PITTSBURGH distillers are sending their surplus stock of whisky to Europe for storage because the Government still fails to pay the tax. It is stated that the cost of shipping to and from Bremen, next few months, the distillers claim that keep it at Pittsburgh, pay the tax and insurance, would cost $2.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

JUDGE POMEROY JONES, the historian, and a soldier of the war of 1812, died at his home in Westmoreland, N. Y., on the 20th, in the 90th year of his age. He was the oldest specimen of Dartmouth College and had lived from his youth on the same old farm.

CAPTAIN ELIJAH LITTLE, of Muskingum County, has been nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the Eleventh Ohio district.

DR. J. HOOPER SHEPHERD, proprietor of the Cambridge, Maryland, *Chronicle*, died suddenly on the 7th.

IN the Fourth Ohio district, on the 7th Charles Anderson, of Darke County received the Democratic nomination for Congress.

GENERAL JAMES S. NEGLEY, President of the National Union League, has called a meeting of the National Executive Committee at the Astor House on the 22d, for the purpose of fixing the time and place for holding the National Union League convention. It is understood that a number of prominent Republican gentlemen will be present.

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At the late Kentucky election, Hon. Republican, was elected Appellate Judge.

the steamer Amsterdam on the 26th of June, and found her life saving appliances perfect. She had four water-tight bulkheads.

THE charge of embezzlement against Commissioner Dudley, of the Pension Office, the defendant waived examination in Police Court at Washington on the 8th. The defendant was released on bail to be forfeited if he failed to appear for trial.

A SLEEPING car and coaches belonging to Barnum's circus, was nearly destroyed by fire at Massena, N. Y., on the 6th. The car was occupied by human beings, but all got out safely. The loss is about $1,000.

A SPECIMEN of the coal found in the Big Horn Mountains, Wyoming Territory, was recently exhibited at Cheyenne. It was found that it was 3 feet 6 inches thick, and of a good quality. The vein is 20 miles from the Union Pacific railroad

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MACON MUSIC.

Miss Estelle Miller commenced teaching in the Lewis district last Monday. We bespeak for this district an excellent school.

Miss Cora Jackson returned from Leslie last Saturday.

The Union S. School is making arrangements for a picnic in the near future.

We understand that considerable enthusiasm was manifested by the Unionists at Grange Hall, Saturday evening Aug. 16.

Mrs. Milan Sage is visiting her brother at Vermontville.

Rev. Mr. Sutton addressed the people of Macon on the issues of the Union party, Tuesday evening, Aug. 19

Samuel Robinson died at his home in Saline township Aug. 13. Mr. Robinson settled in Washtenaw Co. in an early day, and by hard labor has become a well-to-do farmer. He was a man of unusual integrity of character, always kind and generous to the poor, and active in promoting the welfare of the community in which he lived. These qualities brought about him a large circle of friends, who deeply mourn the loss of this member of society. The funeral was held at the late residence of the deceased, on Friday, Aug. 15., Rev. Mr. Dutton officiating.

On Friday afternoon of last week, a serious calamity befell Frank Kidder, of Saline township. While ploughing Mr. Kidder was kicked in the face by one of his horses. The injuries received were so great that he lived only till Sunday evening. Mr. Kidder leaves a wife and one child.

TIPTON TATTLE.

Rumors are afloat of tall lecturing to be inaugurated at an early day when the people of this vicinity are to have their eyes opened on the great questions of the day by the blazing luminaries sent out to tell us how to vote at the coming election.

House moving has prevailed from the corners to the west end of the village of late, and the friends of the article moved are to be congratulated on the success of the enterprise.

A new blacksmith firm has consolidated and struck out in business in the shop formerly kept by Mr. Mudge. Not less than six professional blacksmiths now reside at Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pangburn are greatly elated having been awarded an eleven pound boy. Selah. He now employs an additional workman in his busy shop.

Lawyer Stearns, of the Adrian Press, visited friends here first of this week and attended the Methodist church Sabbath morning.

The Methodist Sunday School had a grand time at Sand Lake last Saturday when about two hundred persons joined the picnic dinner.

The ever flowing stream at Conlin's corner is a great luxury these dry and scorching days, and scores repair to this crystal fount daily to quench their raging thirst.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Holloway still lives and things are booming. We notice that the Doctor is getting his drug store nearly completed and has already got in enough poison to kill the whole community.

We are glad to see neighbor Gilman falling into line, (viz.) moving his harness shop out on a line with the stores; now the next thing in order is a side walk and then look out for city airs.

Our R. R. is doing a slashing business at present, especially in the line of killing hogs. Wm. Doty had three fine hogs killed one day last week, and common report has it that Al. Macham has got them buried clear across his farm as thick as fence posts. But that don't hurt Al.; he has got lots of them left.

Geo. Holloway has just finished moving his large grain barn from the middle of his farm up by the side of his other barns, which is a decided improvement.

Rev. H. D. Allen, of Hanover, preached at the Friends church, Raisin Center, on the 10th.

Quite a sensation was created the other morning in our usually quiet village by the appearance of W. J. Holdridge with a bottle in his hand going for the doctor as lively as a man of his heft generally gets there. Upon inqury it was ascertained that Frank H. had procured a bottle of medicine of Dr. Begel on the day previous and decided to take a dose the first thing in the morning. But through mistake got hold of a bottle of liniment which had been put up in Adrian. The doctor immediately prescribed an emetic and then proceeded to call up by telephone the Adrian druggist. It being before business hours there was some delay in getting an answer but it came at last stating that it was perfectly harmless and we all rejoiced. But it was too late, Frank had taken that awful emetic and it had to come up. But then it is all right for it may save him from a fit of ague.

The first runaway of the season occurred here on Saturday afternoon. A team belonging to Kelly, Horsie & Co. were left standing at the door of the meat market while the driver went inside to hang up some meat and finding themselves at liberty started off at a lively gate over dry goods boxes and barrels which frightened them into a good sharp run. They made straight for the depot where they struck the platform turning the wagon over and demolishing things generally. Fortunately no one was hurt and the horses escaped with a few scratches.

John Pease has the mumps. Well John, remember the old adage. Better late than never.

Mrs. Phebe Chatfield, the subject of this sketch, was born in Durham, Greene, Co., N. Y., Aug. 8, 1811, died at her home in Raisin, Aug. 14, 1884. Her maiden name was Doty, being a sister of Wm. Doty. She was married to Eli Chatfield, Feb. 2, 1831, and in 1833 they moved to Michigan, which at that time was a wilderness, and located 80 acres of land on section 25 in Raisin, to which they afterward added 20 acres, where they spent the remainder of their days. We have often thought as we have listened as she narrated some of the hardships of pioneer life that it might well be said of her that she had borne the burden and heat of the day, and we rejoice to know that there is a land where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest. At an early age she united with the Presbyterian church, of which she remained an acceptable member until transferred to the church triumphant above. She was the last surviving charter member of the Raisin church, and will long be remembered by those with whom she has been identified in the work of the Master. Her husband, Eli Chatfield, died June 3, 1866, since which she has lived a widow. The past year has been one of misfortune and great suffering to her. July 17, '83, she fell while walking in the yard sustaining a fracture of the forearm which came near terminating fatally. Again, in 1884, she fell on the ice fracturing her hip and receiving at the same time severe injury of the spine which resulted in her death. For the last few weeks she has been the greatest sufferer we ever knew, and when the final change came we said in our heart, "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, yea from henceforth; they rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

The hot dry weather is counting on some of the village wells.

Quarterly meeting next Saturday and Sunday, at the M. E. Church.

The M. E. Sunday school will give a concert next Sunday evening in the audience room of the church, and a very interesting program is being prepared.

The Union club was addressed by E. B. Sutton, state temperance lecturer for the Alliance, at Britton Station last Monday night in the Christian church.

Mrs. Mary and Sammie Arner returned home from Hanover Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pocklington of Addison called on relatives here over Sunday.

Mr. A. B. Clark, Mrs. John Arner and Miss Ida Pocklington were on the sick list Sunday and Monday, but are some better now.

Mr. Geo. Arner has given up painting, and will be found at his office, No. 6 Church St. studying telegraphy. We always thought Geo. would be science with the key.

Messrs Martin Palmer and Geo. D. Arner attended the examination of teachers at Adrian Saturday, and Martin commenced teaching at Britton Station Monday with a school of 28 pupils.

Prof. E. A. Wilson and wife left for Mt. Pleasant last Friday to visit relatives and attend the teachers institute. Prof. Wilson will Superintend the schools at Vasser the coming year.

Miss Florence French spent Saturday Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Chas. Gove. Miss French will not teach the coming winter but will attend the high school at Adrian.

Some of the members of the Union club went to hear the lecture given by E. B. Sutton at Macon corners Tuesday evening. Mr. Sutton will lecture at the Grange hall, Macon, on next Friday evening, Aug. 22.

MACON CENTER.

The temperance ball is rolling in Macon. The Rev. Mr. Rapp, Dr. Loree, and the Hon. G. P. Waring of Ridgeway addressed the people at the Center Saturday evening on the subject of temperance, and in the interest of the Union Party. The Glee Club of Ridgeway gave us some fine singing.

The Rev. Mr. Sutton, State Lecturer addressed the people of Macon Tuesday evening and made a very telling speech to a very large audience, and will address the people at Grange Hall, Friday evening, Aug. 22. None should fail to hear him.

At the regular meeting of Macon Grange, Friday, Aug. 15th, it was resolved that we open our Public Literary entertainments for the fall and winter with an ice cream social which will be held Friday evening, Aug. 29th. All are cordially invited to come out and help to make the meeting what they are designed for, viz: The education and elevation of the agricultural classes, and the building up of society generally. Committee of arrangements for the social, Mrs. Lester Osgood, Mrs. Edwin Howell, Mrs. Richard Clarkson, Mrs. John Sherman, Mrs. Matthew Yates, Mrs. Wm. R. Wilson, Mrs. C. Mead, Mrs. J. W. Baker.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The silence book has been opened and the name, Mary Morrison, recorded on a new page as one gone beyond weariness, to complete her seventeenth summer. Death only added beauty to her fair face, and those left to grieve are spared dreary memories of parting. Schoolmates dropped tears and bouquets into her early grave and her life has been such as others to her stricken family. She was a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Woodin, who attended her funeral, the first at the new Methodist church, and which Elder Smith of Napoleon made a dedicating lesson.

Just now pic-nics are patronized, and farmer gatherings at Clark's and Devil's lake have exceeded all former ones. The summer is lengthened by pieces lost from seasons gone before, and the wish to enjoy past times is epidemic. Judging from experiences tourists relate, camping out differs from cholera, chiefly because the fatal disease has fewer cramps.

Business is slow to regain equilibrium. Some new houses are projected, others are begun, which shows the dificulty of crushing out hope.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending August 9, 1884.

Estate of Hepsabeth Fitzgerald, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John S. Butrick, Sr., deceased; bond filed; letters of admin stration with will annexed issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

In the matter of Edward Winders, a dependent and neglected child; application for admission to state public school; testimony taken and filed; order for admission.

Estate of Warren R. Day, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report; petition for allowance of final account; hearing September 8.

Estate of Benjamin C. Cocker, minor; guardian's bond on sale of real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Fred. F. Bixby, minor; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Chester D. Baker, minor; release of guardian; order of discharge.

Estate of Stephen H. Aldrich, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Benjamin F. Beagle, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Esther Myers, an incompetent person; affidavit of service; appointment of guardian; bond $1,000.

Estate of Maria Brewer, deceased, affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond $20,000.

Estate of Charles H. Adler; minor; guardian's petition for license to sell real estate; hearing September 15.

Estate of Cyrenus Farmer, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing September 15.

Estate of Joseph Carpenter, an incompetent person; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Clarissa Carpenter, an insane person; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John S. Clark, deceased; affidavit of publication; appointment of administrator; bond $20,000.

The attention of our readers is called to the new time table of the Michigan & Ohio railroad, taking effect Aug. 10, 1884. A through coach will leave Toledo at 10 o'clock A. M. on train No. 32, daily, except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich., arriving at Union depot in that city at 6.15 P. M.; also a through coach leaves the Union depot Grand Rapids daily, except Sunday, at 9.15 A. M., via. Chicago & West Mich. Ry. arriving in Toledo on train No. 31 at 5:10 P. M. Direct connections are also made at Allegan without transfer with C. & W. M. Ry. for Holland, Grand Haven, Perrysburg, Muskegon, Whitehall, Montague and Pentwater, and East bound with train No. 31 for Toledo and intermediate points, making close connections at Toledo with railroads diverging for all points East and South.

FIRST ACCIDENT ON THE M. & O.

We clip the following particulars of the first accident which has occurred on the M. & O. last Thursday from the Marshall Statesman.

The first severe accident which has yet occurred on the Michigan & Ohio railway took place about one-half mile west of this city, yesterday morning. Train No. 33, which arrives at 7.32, was coming from Battle Creek at the rate of fifteen miles an hour and had just whistled for this station when the wheels of the truck beneath the tender jumped the track, and in an instant all was confusion. The locomotive ran into a hollow north of the track and turned completely over, falling on the tender and smashing it to atoms. The baggage car was hurled into the air with frightful momentum and one end landed on a neigboring telegraph pole. The pole pierced it and remained protruding from the top of the car. The car was landed directly upon the ruins of both locomotive and tender. Two passenger coaches were dismantled of their trucks and laid crosswise of the track in an upright position. The rest of the train, five coaches, were in the usual condition.

The fireman was thrown from the cabin by the force of the shock to the ground, directly against a barbed wire fence. He declares that the whole affair occurred in a second, and that he only remembers being at his post, while the next instant, without an effort on his own part, he was flying through the air. He picked himself up, none the worse for his adventure besides a few bruises. The engineer, Thomas Russell, of Dunkirk, N. Y., was not so fortunate. Although thrown from the locomotive, he landed but a few feet away. In an unconscious condition he was found, with the escaping steam from the engine pouring over him. He was carried to the Tremont house, where an examination by Dr. J. F. Smiley showed some severe scalp wounds and his left arm broken. He will live, and at last accounts was more comfortable than at first.

The conductor, Harry Buck, was with the baggageman in the baggage car, and both escaped with a few scratches. The coaches were thrown in such shape that no passengers were injured. They alighted from the cars as soon as they settled to a permanent position, as coolly as old veterans, and calmly surveyed the wreck. When the condition of the engineer was ascertained he was tenderly cared for. The travelers must have been amazed at their own safety when they examined the dismantled engine and baggage car. The track was torn up, the ties split and cut into kindling wood and the rails bent as though they were made of whalebone. Taken altogether it was the most bewildering scene of destruction of property, unaccompanied by loss of life, that our citizens ever saw or will see.

The train contained about sixty passengers, all from Battle Creek. It was an excursion given by the Knights of Pythias to Detroit, and passengers were to be picked up at intervening stations. A portion of the excursionists went back to Battle Creek by a train which arrived when the news of the wreck was received, while others preferred to remain here and go to Detroit by the afternoon train.

The scene of the accident was soon a lively one. Hundreds of spectators hurried out, walking the entire distance, while numbers of carriages were used to transport the curious. A wrecking train was sent out from the shops here and operations commenced for clearing away the debris. In the afternoon a construction train arrived bearing forty Italians, who were set to work. It is a work of considerable time, however, and if the track is cleared to-day it will be surprising. The damage will doubtless amount to $25,000 and the company are lucky that no lives were lost.

The exact cause of the accident is a mystery. Many think the rails had slightly spread, while others think a brake-beam must have dropped.

The eleventh annual meeting of Lenawee County Pioneers, will be held at Ogden Center on Wednesday, August 27th, at 10 A. M. Refreshments on the picnic. A cordial invitation is given to all both young and aged. There will be an address by the President and others. Also a historic account of the town by Hon. Supervisor T. McComb.

F. A. DEWEY, President.
E. D. ALLEN, Secretary.

The receipts of wheat at all the commercial centers indicate that the farmers are either disposed or obliged to take low prices for their grain. No. 2 Red in Toledo sold at 81½c for Aug. In Detroit 84½c was the closing figure for spot No. 2 Red. The tendency of prices is still downward, and nothing but a cutting short of receipts and an export and large consumptive demand can create any material advance.

Rev. E. B. Sutton will speak in this county, on prohibition, as follows: Thursday eve., Aug. 21, at Holloway station. Friday eve., Grange Hall, Macon; Saturday afternoon and eve., Raisin Valley; Sabbath, 10½ at Friends church in Raisin Center; Sabbath 3 P. M., Palmyra village; Sabbath eve., at the M. P. church, of Wellsville; Monday eve., at Burnham's hall, in Deerfield.

Subject of sermon at the Christian church in East Ridgeway next Sunday morning will be "The Field of Blood, applied to alcoholism in national and state powers that be."

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG 21, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

CAPTAIN WILSON, of the bark Fluorine, which arrived at Philadelphia from Lisbon on the 15th, reports that when off Julianesha, in latitude 69 deg. 30 min. N., longitude 46 deg. 7 min. W., the lower part of a tent was found by an Esquimau on a piece of floe or drift ice, the upper part of which seemed to have been blown away; also the ends of a stove or provision cask, marked "Jeannette;" the contents of the stove were also marked; a chart and part of a check-book on the Bank of California, both signed by De Long; a pair of oiled trousers of Louis Noros'; a bearskin which covered something of the size and shape of a human corpse, but the Esquimau could not remove the skin to ascertain what was under it.

THREE negroes named Phillips, Jackson and Girod, being put off a freight train near Cass Station, Ga., on the 15th, fired into the cars. Citizens pursued them and ordered them to halt. The latter fired at the posse who returned the fire and all three negroes were shot dead.

ELI GEORGE and Buck Gebhardt, Pittsburgh pugilists, engaged in a bare knuckle prize fight at Lawrenceville, Pa., on the 15th for a purse of $700. The fight took place in a tenement house and was won by Gebhardt in twenty-seven rounds. Both men were terribly punished. George was so weak that he was unable to leave the room.

FOURTEEN coal cars went through a bridge on the extension of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad near Williamsport, Pa., on the 15th, and were completely wrecked. Conductor Reichelderfer was badly injured, and Brakeman James McCarty slightly injured.

AT a reunion of ex-Confederate soldiers at Keeversville, N. C., on the 15th, eight thousand people were present. Senator Ransom delivered an oration, in which he declared it would be a privilege and honor to battle under the stars and stripes. Every reference to the Union was applauded. The whole town was decorated with Union and Confederate flags, and all ex-Union soldiers were invited to participate.

AS Turnkey William Aiken was entering the large door of the county jail at Newark, O., on the 14th for the purpose of locking up the prisoners for the night, he was struck on the head with a bed slat by a prisoner and knocked senseless. The prisoners, seven in all, then made good their escape. Sullivan, the noted burglar, bigamist and horse thief, was among the number. One of the men was afterwards captured.

PETER FOLEY was arrested at Boscobel, Wis., on the 15th, on the charge of eloping with Miss Childs, aged fourteen years. The next morning he was found dead in the lock-up with two bullet holes in his right temple. He leaves a wife and child in the town of Scott, Wis.

AT Pittsburgh on the 15th a writ of execution was issued on the judgment recovered by the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company against the heirs of William Phillip, deceased, for $473,000, and a levy will be made on the property of the defendants. The famous litigation between the railroad company and the heirs of the deceased president has been in the courts for years, and has attracted wide-spread attention.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended the 15th numbered in the United States 203, Canada 17; total 220, as against 233 the previous week.

JOHN MCMAHON, of Brooklyn, for nine years engineer of the building No. 23 Wall Street, New York, occupied by the Leather Manufacturers' National Bank, has absconded with a package containing $20,000, with which he was sent to the Adams Express office. The money consisted of $8,000 in $20 notes of the bank's own issue and $12,000 in bills of various denominations and issues. The package was addressed to a bank at Evansville, Indiana. McMahon was assistant porter and messenger, being a person thoroughly trusted.

Two entire blocks, embracing fifteen places of business at Lampasas, Texas, burned on the 15th. Loss estimated at $200,000; half covered by insurance.

AT Jacksonville, Tex., on the 15th a freight train ran into a hand-car on which were John Gray, a section hand, two ladies, three little children and three section men. They all jumped from the hand car except Mrs. Gray and her two little girls, aged five and seven. Mrs. Gray was very badly bruised, and the entire train passed over the children, cutting off both legs of the elder and one of the other. They will die.

FIVE hundred thousand dollars of British gold bars and $125,000 of American gold coin arrived at New York from Europe on the 16th.

THE will of the late Bishop Matthew Simpson, admitted to probate at Philadelphia on the 15th, bequeaths to the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church one seventh of his estate, in trust for the endowment of an Episcopal chair for a Bishop who shall reside in Philadelphia, provided that, including this bequest, the sum of $50,000 be subscribed for this purpose before the meeting of the next general conference. The remainder of the estate, valued at $100,000, is bequeathed to the Bishop's wife and children.

A ROW-boat containing Miss Belle Ivers, of Marlborough, Mass., and John Lumbie, of Theresa, Ky., was run down by a steamer near Clayton, N. Y., on the 15th. Miss Ivers was drowned, but Lumbie was rescued.

A BROKEN flange caused the derailing of the west-bound train on the Louisville & Cincinnati Short Line, between Zion and Verona, on the night of the 15th. Engineer Hullnagle and Fireman Carr received probably fatal injuries. None of the passengers were hurt.

THE Chief Signal Officer has secured the consent of the Postmaster General to hoist a cold wave flag on the postoffice buildings throughout the country as a signal for the benefit of farmers and others of the approach of cold waves. It will remain in position twenty-four hours after being hoisted.

ON account of depression in trade the green bottle manufacturers at Pittsburgh have decided not to resume the operation of the factories until October 1, which is one month later than usual. The window glass factories will all start about September 1.

ALSON and Graves, two of the convicts who recently escaped from the Kentucky penitentiary, were killed on the 17th by a Sheriff's posse in Woodford County, after a desperate fight, in which George Cassell, one of the posse, was fatally shot. Each of the convicts was armed with a needle gun and five pistols.

A BOILER in the sawmill of William Polley at La Crosse, Wis., exploded on the 16th demolishing the building and injuring four men, one fatally.

ALL the mills at Fall River, Mass., which have recently been closed, resumed work on the 18th.

THE first bale of the new crop of cotton was received at Selma, Ala., on the 16th, and sold at auction at twelve cents per pound. It was nine days behind the first bale last year.

ROVING bands of Cheyennes are reported to be burning the grass in the Powder River Valley, Montana, causing great damage.

FIRE destroyed the greater portion of the business part of Grenada, Miss., on the 17th. Seventy-eight buildings and contents were burned. Loss $300,000. Over half the business portion of Greenville, Tex., was reduced to ashes on the morning of the 17th, including forty business houses, many of them well built brick structures. Among the buildings burned were the court house, opera house, and Ragsdale & Herrino's large agricultural hardware establishment. Loss $60,000; insurance estimated at $200,000.

THE Louisville Southern Exposition opened on the 16th, with ten thousand people in attendance. President Bennett H. Young delivered an address, formally opening the Exposition, and Governor Knott welcomed the visitors.

NEARLY the entire business portion of Anoka, Minn., was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 16th, involving a loss of $1,000,000. Over twenty-two buildings were consumed, including the postoffice, opera house, First National Bank, the Lincoln flour mill and elevator, and many fine business blocks.

THE ocean race between the steamships Arizona, Austral and Servia was won by the first named vessel, which arrived at New York on the 17th, having made the passage from Liverpool in seven days, six hours and fourteen minutes.

THE Commissioner of Internal Revenue has postponed until December 6 the time of his order for the immediate distraint for taxes on spirits, at the expiration of which the warehousing bond shall take effect.

SINCE the Civil Service Commission began its work in July, 1883, upwards of 5,500 examinations have been made, and of the number examined about 1,300 have been given positions. About 1,700 have been examined for the executive department and 3,800 for postoffices and customs offices. About 300 of these have received appointments in the executive department and 1,000 in postoffices and customs offices. It is a notable fact that the new appointees under the civil service rules have been more generally and rapidly promoted than other employes on account of their greater efficiency.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended August 16: Loans decrease, $1,089,700; specie increase, $898,200; legal tenders increase, $625,200; deposits increase, $526,800; circulation decrease, $48,800; reserve increase, $1,391,700. The banks held $32,548,300 in excess of legal requirements.

THE naval court of inquiry appointed to investigate frauds in the Navy Department will reassemble about the middle of October. It is asserted that the investigation has established the fact that frauds involving about $100,000 were perpetrated in the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery long before Surgeon General Wale's time, and were continued under him, and that there were no frauds or irregularities in any other bureau.

MISS CLARA BARTON and ex-Judge Joseph Sheldon sailed on the 16th on the steamer City of Chester, for Geneva, Switzerland. They were appointed by President Arthur as delegates to represent the United States at the International Convention of the Red Cross of the treaty of Geneva. Thirty-three nations will be represented by delegates, who will determine the best methods of caring for the sick and wounded in wars and relieving the distress occasioned by great calamities. The convention assembles September 1.

THE town of Ipswich, Mass., on the 16th celebrated the 250th anniversary of its incorporation. The houses were all decorated, and in the procession, which was very large, were Governor Robinson and staff, Congressman Stone and Major Ben. Berley Poore. The literary exercises included an address by George Haskell, reading of the Scriptures and poems by Harriet Prescott Spofford, and Gail Hamilton.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Missouri Democratic State Convention on the 13th made the following nominations: Governor, John S. Marmaduke; Lieutenant Governor, A. P. Moorehouse; Secretary of State, M. K. McGrath; Treasurer, J. M. Seibert; Auditor, John Walker; Register of Lands, Robert McCulloch.

JUDGE DAVID DERICKSON, the oldest member of the Crawford County (Pa.,) bar, died at Meadville on the 13th in his eighty-sixth year.

JUDGE THOMAN, of the Civil Service Commission, has accepted an invitation to attend the reunion of the soldiers of the Thirty-seventh Ohio Regiment at Wapakoneta, O., on the 6th of September next, and will respond to the toast: "The Old Flag; may it always wave over the united people."

MICHIGAN Republicans in convention on the 13th nominated the following State ticket: General R. A. Alger, Governor; Archibald Butters, Lieutenant Governor; Harry A. Conant, Secretary of State; Edward H. Butler, State Treasurer; William C. Stephens, Auditor General; Minor S. Newills, Commissioner of the State Land Office; Moses Taggart, Attorney General; Herschell Gass, Superintendent of Public Instruction; James M. Ballou, Member of the State Board of Education.

THE Georgia Democratic Convention on the 13th nominated the following State ticket: H. D. McDaniel, for Governor; N. C. Barnell, Secretary of State; W. A. Wright, Controller; R. A. Hardeman, Treasurer; Attorney General, Clifford Anderson, of Bibb. All the nominees except Hardeman are the present incumbents.

THE New York Board of Police Commissioners have reappointed John J. O'Brien, chairman of the Republican County Committee, Chief of the Bureau of Elections for three years.

ALPHONSO HART was nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the Eleventh Ohio district on the 14th.

THE Republicans of the Nineteenth Ohio district met at Warren on the 14th and unanimously renominated Hon. E. B. Taylor for Congress.

ELI KINNEY, one of the oldest Cincinnati bankers, died at Newport, Ky., on the 15th.

REV. DR. JOHN BROWN, the oldest Episcopal minister in New York State, died at Brooklyn, on the 15th, aged ninety-three. He delivered the welcome address to Lafayette at the Masonic reception in New York in 1824.

ACCORDING to returns from the Choctaw Nation, Edmund McCurtain, brother of the present incumbent, is elected Governor of Choctaw by a majority of over two hundred.

A. E. WORTHINGTON was renominated for Congress by acclamation at the Democratic Convention of the Tenth Illinois district on the 15th.

AT Tullahoma, Tennessee, James D. Richardson was nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Fifth district after nearly 300 ballots. Present Congressman Warner was a candidate.

THE Oregon Greenbacks and anti-Monopoly State Central Committee have decided to place in nomination on three electors to be voted for at the coming Presidential election. It is estimated that Butler will receive at least 1,500 votes from Greenback and anti-Monopoly in Oregon.

HON. JOHN POOL, of North Carolina, died suddenly of apoplexy on the 16th at Washington. He was elected United States Senator in 1865, but was not admitted. In 1868 he was re-elected, and served until 1873.

A RESOLUTION was introduced in the Virginia Senate on the 16th looking to a total repudiation of the State debt.

AT the meeting of the National Executive Committee of the Anti-Monopoly organization at Chicago on the 16th, M. A. West, of Mississippi, was nominated for Vice President on their National ticket, of which General Butler is the head.

THE Democratic Convention of the Second Maryland district adjourned *sine die* on the 15th without making a nomination, after taking 1,400 ballots. The matter was left in the hands of the State Central Committee.

FOREIGN.

THE thunder storms which swept over the North of England and Scotland on the 12th were of unexampled severity. Many buildings in Edinburgh, Leith, and other cities were partially demolished by lightning. Dundee was enveloped in dense darkness for an hour. Traffic was suspended. Several persons were killed by lightning, among the number the Earl of Lauderdale, who was overtaken by the storm while riding.

THE French Senate on the 14th voted, 179 to 1, 5,000,000 francs to carry on operations in Madagascar.

CAMILLE FARCY, for a long time editor of *France*, after Girardin, and author of a history of the war of 1870, died at Paris on the 14th.

THREE deaths occurred near St. Petersburg, Russia, on the 15th, caused by blood poisoning induced by stings of flies which had been in contact with cattle infected with kinderfest.

ACCORDING to the supplementary report of the Bureau of Industries for August, a good harvest of the grain crops in Ontario is assured. Fall wheat gives an average of 21.5 bushels, and spring wheat of 18.5 bushels per acre. The aggregate production exceeds last year's harvest by ten and a half million bushels.

A DISPATCH of the 15th from the City of Mexico says a conspiracy against the Government has been discovered which embraces a plot to depose President Gonzales, put in his place Jose Maria Iglesias and to assassinate General Diaz and all the leaders of what is known as the Tuxtepec party. The plot is said to be widespread in the States of Vera Cruz, Pueblo, Morelos and Quheretaro, and there is great public anxiety. A large number of arrests have been made in the City of Mexico, including many prominent personages.

A GREAT sensation has been caused at Vienna by recent robberies of the Austrian mails. Not long ago a letter containing 15,000 florins was abstracted and now a whole mail bag is stolen. The bag contained only valuable and registered letters. In some of the latter were checks amounting to 280,000 florins, sent by the Savings Bank in Pesth.

A SCULLING match between Hanlan and Beach at New South Wales, Australia on the 16th, for £500 a side and the championship of the world, resulted in a victory for Beach by seven lengths.

LATER.

THIEVES entered the parlor study of Rev. Father Mollinger in Allegheny City, Pa., on the night of the 17th and abstracted from a safe three thousand dollars in money and a diamond chalice valued at $1,500.

AT Toledo, O., on the night of the 18th an attempt was made to rob Wilbur Plumb, driver of a Summit Street car, of the money box. The robber not being successful shot Plumb in the neck, causing death in a few minutes. The murderer escaped.

IT is stated that a syndicate of Democratic politicians and capitalists have decided to start a large Democratic daily at Chicago within a few weeks. D. G. Dexter, of the Cambridge (Mass.) *Tribune*, is to be the editor, and it is reported that $500,000 have already been subscribed, with prospects of largely increasing this sum.

CHARLES BAKER, alias Charles Brown, formerly of Washington, an old pension swindler for whom detectives have been searching for a year past, has been arrested at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

COLONEL W. O. BRADLEY, of Kentucky, recently appointed to prosecute the civil suits against the star route contractors, has tendered his resignation. It is rumored that the reason for the resignation is a difference of opinion between the Attorney General and Colonel Bradley as to who ought to manage the cases.

"MARY CLEMMER," (Mrs. Hudson) died at her residence in Washington on the 18th of hemorrhage of the brain.

THE steamer Pottsville ran into and sank the schooner J. A. Moore in Vineyard Sound, six miles from West Chop, Mass., on the night of the 18th. J. Nelson, a seaman of the schooner was killed by the falling of a mast.

SURGEON P. J. WOODWARD, who has been on duty in Washington ever since the war in connection with the Army Medical Museum, and became familiar to the public as the Garfield's physicians, died at Philadelphia on the 18th.

THE Board of United States Engineers has been directed to assemble at Cleveland, O., September 19, to consider questions in connection with the Cleveland breakwater.

JUDGE Thoman, of the Civil Service Commission, says that owing to the large number of appointments being made in the departments, it will be necessary to hold examinations in Arkansas, California, Kentucky, Louisiana, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Texas and Wisconsin.

POSTMASTER A. R. JOHNSON, who mysteriously disappeared from Grantsville, W. Va., a few days ago, was arrested by Government authorities in Covington, Ky., on the 18th. Johnson admits defalcations in his accounts with the Government, but claims that they amount to but few dollars.

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What Ticket-Agents Endure.

More ticket-agents would be found in Heaven but for a certain class of visitors who come in and lead them into ways of profanity by their senseless and time-consuming questions. Instances like the following are common:

"Is this the Cincinnati Southern office?"

"Yes, sir."

"Your sign says Cincinnati, New Orleans, Texas & Pacific."

"That's the same thing."

"Then why do some of your advertisements say Queen and Crescent route?"

"Because the road runs from Cincinnati, the Queen City, to New Orleans, the Crescent City."

"What's the fare to Chattanooga?"

"Ten dollars."

"Both ways?"

"No—one way."

"How much for the round trip?"

"Seventeen fifty."

"When does the next train go?"

"Eight ten."

"What time is it now?"

"Half-past four."

"Slow, ain't it? My watch says four?"

"That's standard time."

"What is?"

"Ours."

"Don't having three hands on your clock mix you?"

"No, sir."

"What did you say the fare was to Chattanooga?"

"Ten dollars."

"Supposin' I was to take two tickets?"

"The price for each would be the same."

"How about five?"

"No difference."

"You've taken a good many people to Chicago, haven't you?"

"Our road don't run there."

"That's so," looking around the walls and drumming on the counter with one hand. "What's the fare from Ocala to Leesburg?"

The tired agent wades through the railroad guide, and after infinite search finds the towns named to be on an obscure Florida road, and figuring on the distance at three cents a mile replies: "About ninety cents."

"How long will it take to get there if I leave to-night?"

Using up a couple of pencils and a ream or so of paper, after hunting up all the railroads and their connections together with the stage lines and boat transfers, the agent says: "Friday night, at eleven o'clock."

"What will it cost altogether from here to Leesburg, sleeping-car and meals together?"

More figuring and another estimate is made.

"That's a good deal, ain't it. Where's the opposition ticket office?"

The agent removes a revolver from his hip-pocket to a shelf under the counter. The weapon is a self-cocker, with stop and fly-back trigger, timed to a sixteenth of a second.

"Were you going to start to-night?" says the agent.

"Well, no. I was thinking that if business keeps up through the summer I might go in the fall to see some of my wife's kin."

Ticket agents get bald soon and die early.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A Fish Acrobat.

One warm afternoon a stroller, coming to the borders of a small pond, threw himself down beside a little tree that leaned over the water, so that its lowest branches were but a few feet above the surface. While reclining in the shade, and idly watching the leaves that fell upon the water and sailed away, the stroller suddenly heard a chirping overhead, and looking up saw on a long limb two small sparrows. Near them fluttering in the air, rising, falling, and now alighting beside them, was the mother-bird. She was evidently engaged in giving the fledglings their first lesson in flying. But the young birds could not be induced to leave their support, they merely raised their little wings and followed their mother out from the tree by edging along side by side on the limb. As she renewed her efforts, the faster they went, until finally they were out on the very tip of the branch overhanging the water which reflected their every movement.

For some time these motions of the mother and young were kept up, and perhaps our observer sank into a doze, for he suddenly became aware that one of the birds had disappeared, that a great splash had occurred under the limb, and that the mother-bird had changed her cries to those of alarm. But it was evident from the mother bird's actions that the little bird had not flown away. The stroller concluded that it had fallen into the water, and he rose to see if he could recover it, when there shot up from the water a long slender fish, that quickly darted through the air and snatched the remaining bird from the limb, falling back into the pond with a splash and whisk of its tail. This startling leap astonished the observer, but it also fully explained to him the disappearance of the other young bird.

The pike was evidently out hunting and spying the birds upon the limb, it had carefully measured the distance and by two vigorous jumps had captured them both. The mother-bird was both grieved and dazed by the sudden calamity that had befallen the fledgelings, and, perhaps fearing a similar fate for herself, she soon flew away.—*C. F. Holder, in St. Nicholas.*

She Appreciated the Serenade.

Will Haven serenaded his girl last night, and when he got through singing the first song a female Irish voice was heard at a front upper-story window, as to-wit:

"Is that you, Bill?"

"Yes. Where's Maude?"

"Faith an' she hain't got home from the ice-cream saloon yet wid Mr. Archer. Give us another song, Bill, the ould folks are out, too. Give us 'Swate Violets.'"—*Kentucky State Journal.*

—They say the upright "choker" collar for men is gradually going out of fashion, which will be pleasing intelligence to thousands of its victims. The gallants of Queen Elizabeth's day were afflicted by similar starched ruffs, which finally attained to such enormous proportions that the fashion died out.

HOME, FARM AND GARDEN.

—The best way to allay sunburn is to bathe the face in cold cream at night.—*Exchange.*

—Breed well, feed well, and then sell well; there is profit in so doing, there is loss in the reverse.

—A bed of parsley a yard square, though small is one of the most useful adjuncts to a garden.

—It does pay, after raspberries have borne two or three crops, to throw a shovelful of manure around them.—*Prairie Farmer.*

—Prof. Dow, an English authority, says that boiled potatoes, mixed with cut straw or hay, may be given to horses of every kind, even when on the hardest work, and this forms a species of food both wholesome and economical.

—No garden can be expected to give satisfaction that is not filled with all the vegetables that may be required. A small space here and there, when properly utilized, will give many delicacies at times when they are most acceptable.—*Field and Farm.*

—Rosettes: Beat the yelks of three eggs very light until they thicken. Add one quart of milk and one tablespoonful of melted butter and a teaspoonful of salt. Mix three teaspoonsuls of baking powder with three cupfuls of flour, and add to the milk and eggs. When all the lumps are beaten out add the whites of the eggs whipped to a stiff froth. Bake immediately in muffin pans in a quick oven.—*The Household.*

—Most horses, in their earlier days, want to bite something in a friendly manner, just as puppies do, without any intention to hurt. It is well to encourage this disposition. If punished for so doing they are apt to misunderstand it, and in the course of time whenever they feel inclined to bite they will do so in a vicious manner. It is stupidity, often brutality, that ruins horses which are not unnaturally vicious.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—To boil an egg so that it is fit to eat, drop it in boiling water and place the vessel, covered, on top of the stove, at one side where the water will not boil. Let it stand eight or ten minutes. By this method the egg will be cooked through and the white will be soft; not the hard, indigestible substance it becomes by the usual method. Even if the egg is left a little too long and becomes hard, it will not be like a hard-boiled egg, as a trial will convince any one.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—To clean lace draw a stocking tightly over a bottle and tie the ends. Lay the lace smoothly over the stocking and tack it in place. Fill the bottle with cold water and put it in a kettle of cold water with shavings of soap in it; set over the fire and boil. If necessary change the water and repeat the process. Rinse in warm water and in cold and set away to drain and dry. Then remove the lace from the bottle, lay it between folds of papers, and press in a large book or under a weight. Thus washed lace may be made to look like new.—*Detroit Post.*

Plant Growth.

The sunbeam has been said to play the most important part in all the changes and evolutions going on in the vegetable world. It is possessed of three distinct functions or powers: i. e., besides being able to supply light and heat, it has actinic force, by which it may produce chemical decomposition and recomposition. This chemical influence of the sun's rays is all-important, as upon it depends the germination of the seed and growth of the plants. It has been conclusively shown that seeds will not germinate in the light, even when supplied with heat and moisture, if the actinic rays are shut off. As these rays are absolutely essential, the importance of not burying the seeds so deeply that they are hidden from them is evident. Of the organic constituents of plants, oxygen, nitrogen, hydrogen and carbon, only oxygen and nitrogen exist as such in the plants, e. g., half the dried weight of a plant is carbon, yet it does not exist as free carbon, but is found in combinations. Any one of these elements, if applied to the plant, will act as a poison. It is common to speak of a soil requiring nitrogen, but the element is presented in the form of a combination, as ammonia or nitric acid, and, to use the latter with perfect safety, it is necessary that it be associated with an alkali, as potash or soda. The presence of nitrogen is absolutely neccessary for plant growth; it is present in great quantities in the air about us, and yet is a costly element to be obtained in fertilizers. As a gas in the air about us it is not utilized by the plant and in the form of ammonia and nitrous or nitric acids, in which it might be of value, there are such minute traces that it is wholly inadequate. Hence the supply must come from the soil, which, as there is often a scarcity, must be assisted by the application of manures or artificial fertilizers. Carbon is supplied to the plant by the atmosphere, in the form of carbonic acid, and any carbonate with the exception of potash or soda is practically of no account to the farmer as a fertilizer. Hydrogen is one of the elements of water, and can be presented to the plant only through this agency, and, entering the plant in this form, it renders the different forms of food assimilable. Great quantities of water are taken up by growing plants, and it has been claimed that one gallon passes through a single plant of wheat in a season, and that the exhalation of water in the form of vapor from the disk of a sunflower amount each day to six or eight ounces. Phosphorus is an essential ingredient in plant food. It combines with oxygen, forming phosphoric acid, and as such enters the plant. The amount of this acid in the soil is frequently so small that it should be supplied artificially. It is found in animal excrement, in bones and in deposits in South Carolina; from these substances superphosphates are made and sold for manurial purposes. Potash is another very important element for the growth of plants, as an example of which it need only be stated that an acre of wheat, producing twenty-five bushels of grain and 3,000 pounds of straw, removes forty pounds of potash; and that a crop of fifty bushels of corn to the acre will remove fifty pounds of this element.—*Farmers' Review.*

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John B. Smith praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick H. Wood or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. Griggs, Probate Register. Aug7

ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the expenses of administration thus far incurred, that the Commissioners on Claims have filed their report in this court, and that the amount of claims against said estate exceed the assets of said estate that has come to his hands as such administrator, that he is ready to file his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, and that said court order the payment of the residue of said assets as a dividend among the creditors and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing on said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. aug14

ESTATE OF CHAS. H. ADLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Frederick Gimbling, guardian of said minor, praying for license to sell the interest of said minor in certain real estate in said petition described, for the reasons and purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. aug14

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

John J. Rector, Complainant,
vs.
Delia Shurtz, Harry H. Shurtz, and Joseph Lanning, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1884, I the subscriber a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 10th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the village of Tecumseh at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27) and opposite of the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day, thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links; thence south one ½ degree and six (6) minutes east fifteen (15) chains and nineteen (19) links parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27); thence westerly along the center of said last described road eleven (11) chains and thirty-eight (38) links to place of beginning, excepting and reserving therefrom one and a half acres thereof sold by B. L. Sidwell to Wright Sadlier, also excepting lot numbered 251 sold by said Sidwell to John Saxton, also excepting a further parcel of land situate and adjoining said Sadlier's premises north side, sold and conveyed by said Sidwell to said Sadlier; also excepting and reserving therefrom that parcel thereofore sold by Wm. Tea husband and wife to Chauncey Lord and deed bearing date November 12, 1881, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee County, Michigan, in liber 57 of deeds on page 36, being ten (10) acres of land more or less.

Dated July 28, 1884.

FRANK E. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.
R. Wendell, Solicitor for Complainant.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of September, 1884, and on the 22d day of January, 1885, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 22d day of July, A. D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated at Macon, this 22d day of July, 1884.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 21, 1884.

FROM DAKOTA

We have been permitted to make a few extracts from a letter received from a lady who has located land at Port Emma, Dickie Co., Dakota. She writes under date of July 31. Her claim is on the east side of the river the James in Dickie county, a beautiful level country, with no stones or hinderances to cultivation. Port Emma on the west bank is always visible. I find this country much more thickly settled than I had expected, on a clear day you can see between two and three hundred shanties and houses from my claim. The soil is a loam, three and a half or four feet deep, beneath this is a sand, then a clay subsoil, which retains the moisture. Our house is nine feet by twelve, one room answering for parlor, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen. I have a coal oil stove, the only article of household furniture I have brought. Our seats are boxes, the larger boxes answering for cupboards. Our table and bedstead are made from some of the boards left from building the house, the bedstead is on hinges, so that we can fold it up against the wall; this we have as the room. Our house has a peaked roof, is shingled, and boarded at the sides, and is better than many.

With the few dishes, carpet and bedding I brought we find ourselves quite comfortable and cosy; you would be surprised to see how cosy. We would think it dreadful to live in this way at home, but one finds many neighbors, situated in the same way, and no one minds it. We have had a beautiful summer, there could not be finer weather, warm, with cool nights; there is almost always a breeze, no matter how warm the day. I am happy surprised and like Dakota far better than I expected. I find that people who wintered here, do not complain of the extreme severity of the weather, one man told me "that there was not a blizzard last winter, but he was out in." I find that those who felt the cold most were those who crowed themselves. The crops here are the this year and still in most instances they cannot be considered a fair test of what can be raised, as most of them were raised on fresh breaking of the sod. I saw wheat a few days since four feet seven inches high, it came up to my shoulders and oats four feet three inches.

My next neighbor planted peas, they ripened he sowed them again, and the plants are now in blossom. In the valley proper, I was told a few days since by a lady who saw it, "corn planted on the twenty-ninth of May is now over my head" and "wheat in the same locality will yield at least fifty bushels to the acre." Think of the little trouble in sowing grain here compared with the east. I think this is a wonderful country, and believe there is a grand future before it; think of all these broad acres ready for the plow. 'Tis to me a wonder land in many respects, thus far I never regret coming, and if it only prove profitable, am sure I never shall. What I miss most of all in this country and a great need here, is fruit, small fruits. I have not had a good dish of strawberries this year, only a few wild ones found on a claim near by, about as large as peas. I am satisfied that they can be grown successfully on this land, if they could be kept over winter, and I believe that could be managed.

The attention of the people generally is turned to raising crops, and I think for the next few years one can find a market for all that could be raised, especially as a railroad will be built within a few miles in a year or less. My idea is to go into the raising of small fruits; it would be something that I could attend to, and I believe it would pay better than anything else I could do. I wish to keep my land, as I think it will increase in value very materially in the next few years.

An exchange truthfully asserts—what has long been a well known fact in all newspaper offices—that all newspapers must be paid for in advance. The payments must be made either by the publishers or the subscribers. Paper and ink manufacturers will not wait a year for their pay. With them it is cash or no paper.

ARCTIC TALES.

Touching Incident of Lieutenant Greely's Retreat Southward From Lady Franklin's Bay.

The Narrow Escape of the Steamer Bear off Berry Island—The Survivors at Portsmouth Yesterday Unattended.

THREE SHIPS SAFE.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 19.—The three ships of the Greely relief party are still at the navy yard. The Thetis is now discharging her stores and Commander Schley is busy settling his business with the Government. The Bear is in a leaking body and will be put on a dry dock for repairs immediately. It appears that she narrowly escaped destruction on the rocks off Berry Island 74 miles off, while working through the shore ice. It was impossible to force a passage through the main part of Melville Bay and the Bear was pushed ahead cautiously as far out from the shore as it was possible to navigate the bay. Suddenly she struck the ice, the shock was terrific, knocking everybody on board down. She grounded off or it is probable she would have been a total wreck near on that coast. A portion of her cargo was carried away. Her forefoot badly injured and her joints completely spring in consequence of the shocks. Her engines are kept constantly at work pumping out the leakage.

HEROIC ACTIONS.

An officer of the Greely relief party gave to a United Press reporter yesterday morning the melancholy story of Sergeant Ellison's protracted illness as he received it from Lieutenant Greely's lips. "The most touching incident of Greely's retreat southward from Lady Franklin Bay," said he, was related to me as follows: "The party was struggling along weak and scarcely able to move. Ellison was helpless and had to be drawn on a sled. They had also 160 pounds of provisions to carry. The load was too much. They could not make any progress and they felt that they must leave poor Ellison to die or abandon their little store of provisions. Ellison saw the dilemma and begged them to leave him and go on with the food, he knew he could no longer be of use in this world. It seemed the wise to do, but the men's hearts were touched and their love for the man would not admit of their leaving him alone to die, so they left the provisions and brought their courade to Cape Sabine. This does not look like a pack of heartless and brutal cannibals. No sir; they are men to the last, every one of them."

SERGEANT LYNN'S REMAINS WILL NOT BE EXHUMED.

PHILADELPHIA, August 19.—The family of the late Sergeant Lynn, of the Greely party, have resolved not to exhume his remains for the purpose of an investigation. A brother of the ill-fated officer stated yesterday morning that the relatives have decided upon this course as the investigation could be of no use to any one, and that they prefer to live in ignorance rather than run the risk of disclosures which would ever be a source of horror.

PRIVATE HENRY'S REMAINS.

NEW YORK, August 19.—Coroner Robinson, of Long Island City, says he will take steps to have Private Henry's body exhumed as soon as he is satisfied of the genuineness of Miss Beck's telegram requesting the investigation. He fears, however, that the authorities of the Cypress Hill Cemetery will demur to his disturbing the body, which is in a part of the grounds used by the Government as a National Cemetery.

DID NOT WISH TO MISLEAD.

Medical Director Sutherland, United States Army, has written the City Board of Health, disclaiming any intention to mislead them in certifying to Private Henry's death as being from starvation, that having been at the time the best information in possession of the army authorities.

THE SURVIVORS AT PORTSMOUTH.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., August 19.—The survivors of the Greely party were in the city yesterday unattended, but refused to say anything of interest. They will depart some time this week. Sergeant Brainard delivered a lecture at Kittery last night. The Tallapoosa sailed yesterday for Boston.

WILL BE EXHUMED.

DELPHIA, Ind., August 19.—The remains of private Whisler will be exhumed here at daybreak this morning by request of his friends. Physicians and reporters will be present.

The Mercury Scores 100.

DOVER, N. H., August 19.—A torrid wave yesterday caused the suspension of out-door work. The mercury stood at 100 degrees at eleven o'clock. Several people were prostrated.

BOSTON, August 19.—Yesterday was the hottest of the season; the mercury at the signal office having reached 93 8-10 degrees above zero. The hottest previous day was June 21, when the mercury touched 92 6-10 degrees.

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., August 19.—Sunday and yesterday the thermometer has ranged from 90 to 100 degrees in the shade. A workman on Music Hall was overcome by the heat and was carried home insensible.

BATH, Me., August 19.—Yesterday was the hottest day since the middle of June, the thermometer registering 98 degrees in the shade. Work was temporarily suspended in several places in the city owing to the heat.

Mass Meeting in Favor of Law and Order

IOWA CITY, August 19.—An immense mass meet of citizens was held in this city Sunday night, at which the rioters' proceeding of last Wednesday was condemned and an organization effected to assist in preserving order and enforcing the laws. There has not been the least disturbance in this city since the outbreak of last Wednesday, and reports about the city being in the hands of a mob being grossly exaggerated. The cases against the ring leaders of the mob will be pushed to the end.

Dryest Known Since 1870.

PLYMOUTH, N. H., August 19.—The Dryest season known since 1870 is now prevailing here. The wells are rapidly drying out, causing much anxiety. The rivers are very low, many being entirely dry. Crops of all kinds are suffering severely. In addition to the dry weather, grasshoppers are destroying what does grow. One man in Bridgewater has caught over one hundred bushels of grasshoppers.

Business Failures.

NEW YORK, August 19.—The West Point Foundery Association and Kemble & Co., of 30 Broadway, have become financially embarassed and their affairs have been placed in the hands of their creditors to decide as to the future of the two concerns.

Meyer & Co., dry goods merchants, of Selma, Ala., assigned yesterday. In the trade the liabilities are reported at about $100,000.

POLITICAL.

The New York Sun on Butler's Letter—Circulars of the Brooklyn Young Republican Club—Organizing a State Labor Party—Congressmen Nominated.

NEW YORK, August 18.—The Sun this morning says, editorially, that General Butler stood with a declaration, which leaves no doubt as to his motives in running for President against both the Republican and Democratic candidates. In the first place he is running in good faith, and with a single view to the ultimate triumph of the principle he upholds. He is neither a starved Republican hard money Democrat. We do not agree with General Butler in some of his opinions. With his hearty contempt for humbug, his uncompromising demand for reform, his hatred of corporation, his genuine devotion to the interests of American men and women, and his true Democracy, the Sun is in thorough sympathy.

There is novelty and interest in General Butler's frank expression of the methods by which he means to make his candidacy count. There is nothing in the constitution which requires that the electoral vote of any State shall be tendered as a unit. General Butler defines a policy which will give full effect to the ballots of his support. His plan is fusion everywhere with the supposed minority, on the understanding that if the fusion ticket prevails the electoral vote shall be divided between Butler and his allied candidate in that State in the ratio of their respective votes. The suggestion carries with it the possibility of the interesting if not astonishing result.

The New York Star this morning says: General Butler has succeeded in producing a very gamey, resonant, characteristic and profoundly interesting document. He urges fusion with the supposed minority on the theory that the electoral vote be divided according to the votes thrown for the respective candidates. This is certainly a seductive and promising plan, which, if carried out, will seriously threaten the chances of the supposed majority in every doubtful State.

BOSTON, Mass., August 18.—The Republican State Central committee issued a call yesterday for the State Convention at Tremont Temple, Boston, September 3. The call invites Republicans and all voters who intend to support the Republican candidate. This excludes the Independents and completely severs them from the Republican party.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 19.—Much interest is expressed in Republican circles as to the possible outcome of the circulars sent out by the Young Republican Club of King's County, requesting the views of members of that organization upon the propriety of holding a meeting to consider the course to be pursued in regard to the Presidency. The absence of President Nichols from the city for the past few days has delayed the opening of many of the replies to the circular received, and it is not likely that any result will be made public until the latter part of the present week.

RICHMOND, Va., August 19.—The leading Republicans met last night to confer in regard to the Electoral ticket. In two districts there are four Electors, two more than the law allows. It was decided to allow the ticket to stand just as it is for the present. General Wickham, for the Straightouts, demanded equal representation on the ticket, but this will not be granted. The conference was harmonious. General Mahone will go to New York today and meet the National Republican Committee.

Elections were held in four districts today to fill vacancies in the Legislature. James Gee was elected to represent George and Surrey counties; and Robert McCandless, the city of Petersburg. The other districts were not heard from. Lybrook's repudiation resolution offered on Saturday was not taken up in the Legislature to-day.

FALL RIVER, Mass., August 19.—A meeting to take preliminary steps in organizing a branch of the State Labor party was had in Spinners' Hall yesterday. Secretary Howard called the meeting to order. A committee of five was appointed to draw a call to the people.

OLEAN, N. Y., August 19.—The Republicans of the First Assembly district yesterday renominated F. K. Kruse, of Franklinville, for member of Assembly.

AUGUSTA, Me., August 19.—Colonel D. K. Hartwig and Alfred Lennox have both been nominated for Congress by the Democrats in the Second Maine District.

Soldiers' Home Investigation.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., August 19.—The Congressional Committee met at the Soldiers' Home yesterday morning and took up the case of Isaac Moulton, submitted by Attorney Hopkins Saturday, in which Governor Sharpe and Dr. Miller, of the Home, were charged with cruel and inhuman treatment of plaintiff. Moulton was sworn. He testified that while sick he was, without reason, thrown into the guard-house for twenty-four hours. The next day he was taken to an insane asylum and upon being examined by a physician was released. When he returned to the Home was refused medicine and clothing, and was not permitted to eat unless he went to the mess hall. The clerk of the Provost office read charges against Moulton of drunkenness and absence without leave. Dr. A. J. Hare testified that he had been surgeon at the Home, and resigned because of disagreement with General Sharpe. Hospital steward McIlvane swore he heard that Moulton was taken to the guard house for threatening to knife an inmate. Other witnesses were examined, but no important testimony was brought out.

Death of a Well-Known Architect.

CLEVELAND, August 19.—Walter Blythe, President of the Board of Water Works Trustees, and for many years a prominent architect in this city, died at the Charity Hospital yesterday morning. A few weeks since he suffered from a severe attack of malarial fever, but soon recovered his accustomed health. On Friday last, from undue exposure to the intense heat of the sun, he relapsed, and congestion of the brain followed, which resulted in his death as above stated.

Lost His Barn, But Escaped With His Life.

CALEDONIA, O., August 19.—A large barn belonging to S. F. Rosencrans, at Latimberville, five miles north of here, was destroyed by fire Sunday night together with nine hundred bushels of grain and forty tons of hay. Rosencrans was in the barn at the time with a sick horse. He had gone to sleep, and would have been burned had not the neighbors discovered the fire and got him out almost suffocated. Loss by fire $3,000; no insurance.

More Fast Driving.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., August 19.—At Narragansett Park yesterday, Frank Work's pair of horses, Edward and Swiveller, trotted against time for a purse of $1,000. Their old record was 2:16¾, and yesterday they trotted in 2:16¼. The first quarter was made in 34¾, the half in 1:07½, the three quarters in 1:42½. Johnny Murphy was the driver.

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6 02	11 34	6 31	Ridgeway	9 42	3 47	4 00
6 32	12 10	6 44	Tecumseh	9 15	3 37	3 35
6 37	12 15	6 47	Clinton	9 11	3 27	3 00
6 45	12 25	7 10	Palmyra	9 02	3 05	2 40
6 54	12 32	7 25	Berry Lake	8 54	2 54	2 25
7 05	12 40	7 35	Addison	8 43	2 40	1 40
7 12	12 45	7 40	Jerome	8 36	2 33	1 10
7 17	12 50	7 57	Moscow	8 30	2 21	12 55
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7 35	1 07	8 15	Pulaski	7 56	2 05	12 25
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8 58	3 28		Jackson		11 50	6 40
9 30	3 45		Mosherville		11 30	6 00
9 50	3 55		Parma		11 17	5 40
9 54	3 59		Keeler		11 11	5 35
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the bank of Lilley, Bidwell & Co. in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 19th day of September, 1884, and on the 18th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated August, 18, 1884.

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DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon in the county of Lenawee, will, on the 21 day of September at the house of Thomas Boyce in Macon at one o'clock in the afternoon meet parties for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Township Drain No. 4, starting across and upon lands situated as follows of said township owned by Thos. Boyce, I. C. Henderson, Daniel Sones and James Hale, and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me, and now remaining in my office for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned to reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessments or benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated, this 21st day of August, A. D., 1884.

EDWIN HOWELL,
Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon.

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ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.—The annual meeting of School District No. 7 of the township of Tecumseh, for the election of one district officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before said meeting, will be held at the Central School Building on Monday, the 1st day of September, A. D. 1884, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated this 21st day of August, 1884.
S. C. STACY, Director.

VALLEY & SCOTT SEED WHEAT. Pure clean wheat $1.25 per bushel, bags 20c, cost, straw, a very fine red wheat.
B. J. BIDWELL.
TECUMSEH, Aug. 20, 1884.

E. H. CAMERON, M.D.—Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office adjoining residence on Franklin st., Clinton, Mich. Specialty of lung and throat diseases.

DRAIN NOTICE.—The letting of drain contracts advertised to come off on the 19th day of August, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the house of M. J. Martin in Macon, is adjourned to August 29th at the same place, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day.
August 19, 1884.
EDWIN HOWELL,
Township Drain Commissioner for Macon.

VALLEY SEED WHEAT.—Last fall I sold Valley Wheat for seed to over fifty different farmers in Southern Mich., and all so far as heard from are enthusiastic in its praise, reporting from five to fifteen bu. greater yield per acre than other kinds on same farm. It is a heavy, hard, large yielding, hardy wheat. Millers like it. Everybody likes it. Pure clean seed for sale.
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Railroad street.

LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

YEE DIN, of Jackson has purchased the Tecumseh laundry, and will be pleased to do the work of the citizens of Tecumseh. The best of work and the lowest of prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Laundry on Pearl street. Give him a trial.

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HERALD OFFICE.

Marin Gregoroff, a native Bulgarian, will lecture in the Methodist church, on Wednesday Aug. 27, at 7:30 P. M. He is a student at Albion College. He will show six different styles of Turk costume, and speak of the customs of his people. Admission 10 cents.

BASE BALL.

The hot weather of last Tuesday kept a good many away from the game between the Toledos, of the American Association, and the Tecumseh club. The game was played according to the rules of that association, where if the pitcher hits a man at bat with the ball while pitching, the striker is given a base; a foul caught on the bound is out. One man on each side was crammed with the ball during the progress of the game, and had the satisfaction of taking first base without any extra exertion on his part. The game was won by the Toledo team—score 9 to 4.

The home nine played a fine game until the fourth innings, when Freeman muffed a ball on first with two men on bases, and letting them score, and in the seventh innings he made another bad break, dropped the ball and lost it in the grass and thus let in another unearned run. Chapman played a splendid game, making four putouts and three assists, without an error. Anderson and G. Bostwick each made a good running catch in the field. Heidenrich had a "game leg" and had no business playing that day.

The Toledos played a fair game, but nothing extra, and if the home nine had kept on playing as good as they did the first three innings, they would have stood a good chance of walking away with the league team.

SCORE.

TECUMSEH.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
G. Bostwick, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	4	1
Heidenrich, 3b	4	1	0	0	1	1	3
Chapman, ss	4	0	1	1	4	4	0
Scott, p	4	1	1	1	1	1	2
Stacy, c	4	0	0	0	3	5	0
Freeman, 1b	4	0	1	1	11	0	3
W. Kinney, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Anderson, lf	4	0	2	2	1	0	1
G. Bostwick, c. f.	3	1	0	0	2	0	1
Total	34	4	5	5	24	15	11

TOLEDO.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Barkley, 2b	5	1	0	0	3	2	0
Meier, ss	5	1	1	1	0	2	1
Welch, c. f.	4	1	3	4	1	0	0
Poorman, r. f.	4	1	2	3	0	0	0
Lane, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mesorky, 3b	3	2	1	1	0	1	1
Sage, 1b	4	1	1	2	15	1	2
Scott, p	4	0	0	0	1	3	2
Mansell, c	5	1	1	1	5	5	1
Total	37	9	9	12	27	14	7

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Runs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tecumseh	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	—4
Toledo	0	1	1	4	0	0	3	0	*	—9

Earned runs—Tecumseh, 1; Toledo 1.
First base on balls—Tecumseh, 1; Buffalo, 1.
Two base hits—Welch, Poorman, Lane.
Empire—McLaughlin.
Time of game—2 hours.

The Tecumseh club went to Adrian yesterday to play an exhibition game with the Toledos. The score as reported from there yesterday afternoon by telephone was to the effect that the Tecumsehs had got scooped by a score of 40 to 8. We wandered around town all last evening and part of this morning trying to find some member of the club in order to see if the report was correct. It was a fruitless search; not one could be found. The whole club, bats and all, had crawled into their hole and pulled the hole in after them. Eminently proper.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 21, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Fall trade ripening.

The School vacation is nearly over.

Base ball as a national sport is fast giving up the ghost.

Horse races and foot races on Bills' track this afternoon.

Harry Snell spent Sunday last at his home in this village.

State fair at Kalamazoo on September 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19.

Fruits are ripening, and cholera medicine goes up in price.

Telepheme is the new word coined to mean telephone message.

A. W. Chiverall has our thanks for late copies of Kansas papers.

94 in the shade was what the thermometer indicated last Sunday.

Quite a party of Tecumseh young ladies are camping at Sand Lake.

E. W. Freese, of Clinton, called at the HERALD sanctum last Tuesday.

Hawkins, of the Deerfield Record, has purchased the Milan Journal office.

Brooklyn people think they should have telephone connection with Hillsdale.

Mis Mary Beihl, of Adrian, passed a few days as the guest of the Misses Smith.

Between this weather and cholera it would be rather a hard matter to choose.

Capt. D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in Tecumseh and Macon over Sunday.

Gainsley & Co's clearing sale is now in full blast and many good bargains are being made.

Our G. A. R. are making calculations on having a big time at Devil's Lake next week.

The new skating rink is now nearly enclosed, and will be ready for business in a very short time.

Jerome Cleveland spent a few days with relatives near Addison last week. He took in the big picnic.

Woodcock shooting is now lawful, but the season for partridges does not open until September 1st.

The Brownvillites, to the number of about forty, spent last Friday at Sand Lake. A good time of course.

Ben Butler did not put in an appearance at the Knights of Labor picnic, in Detroit, Saturday last.

The new hotel of Harry Lee is fast being completed and Tecumseh will soon boast of another first-class hotel.

The doctors report the average health of the village fair considering the unseasonable weather of the past few days.

Mrs. C. W. Goodrich, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Burlingame, returned to her home in Coldwater on Friday last.

Harvey Doty, who has been working at Wolcott, Temple & Co's planing mill, had three fingers of his right hand sawed off last Monday.

Fred H. Burlingame was up from Dundee to his home in this village on Thursday and accompanied the party of Brownvillites to Sand Lake on Friday.

We met Rev. Mr. Conley at Devil's Lake last week. He is spending his vacation at Cottage No. 4, near Beardsell's and seems to be enjoying himself splendidly.

Met Conklin, Jehiel Davidson and N. M. Sutton were among the Tecumseh people who went to Devil's Lake last Thursday and didn't return on the Friday morning train.

Dundee Reporter: Cheever's saloon opened its doors to the public Saturday morning, and liquor of all kinds openly sold. It is reported that a suit for selling without approved bonds is incubating.

Charlie Patterson, of Cleveland, is rusticating among the scenes of his childhood. He likes his business arrangements in Cleveland but says no other place but Tecumseh will ever be like home to him.

The Hillsdale Leader says: "A Tecumseh woman cut her dress from a pattern in a magazine dated 1874, before she discovered that it was'nt 1884, and it took three doctors to tide her over that long, lonely night."

The oat crop harvested is excellent both in yield and quality, and if the corn crop is secured in good condition, our farmers will not have to hypothecate their future crop to buy feed for their stock, as many of them had to do last spring.

We have received a copy of 'Among the Clouds,' which is published on the summit of Mount Washington, date of Aug. 13, 1884, and among the arrivals at the Summit House on the 11th inst., we notice the names of John Fisher and wife of Tecumseh.

Petoskey Record: Wm. Totten, of Tecumseh, Mich., is enjoying his 6th annual visit to Petoskey. He is the guest of his brother P. Totten. He thinks the improvements are very encouraging for Petoskey. One thing strikes him very favorably for the future of the place—the Prohibition movement.

Mr. J. O. Heck is expected to preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning.

Ellery Sisson presented us with a fine watermelon yesterday for which he received the thanks of all hands.

A. W. Slayton reports his wholesale Lumber and Hay business as very lively now, is shipping both in large quantities.

The annual school meeting of this district will be held at the Central School Building on Monday evening, Sept. 1st at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. V. Hicks, of Oscoda, were called here on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Rosacrans. They returned to their home on Monday.

Albert Hyde Sr., has put down a new tar sidewalk in front of his residence. We believe these tar walks will come into general use in a few years.

The landscape about the M. & O. station at the north end of Devil's Lake is decidedly picturesque. Many Tecumseh people know what it is themselves.

Twenty-three members of the Tecumseh G. A. R. went to Battle Creek yesterday to attend the Soldiers' and Sailors' reunion which takes place there to-day.

There will be a meeting of the Union Club, at Heesen's Hall, Friday night, 22d. inst., at 8 o'clock, for such business as may come before the meeting. All are invited, ladies especially. Come one, come all.

By order of Com.

The 4th. Quarterly Meeting of the Conference year will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday. Rev. W. Q. Burnett will preach on Sunday morning. Rev. Geo. W. Hudson will preach on Saturday at 2:30 P. M., and on Sunday at 7:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Temple, Dr. L. G. North and wife, Mrs. A. E. Kennedy, Miss Libbie Satterthwaite, Ben. Garlinghouse and several others had a very pleasurable experience in returning from Devil's Lake last Friday on an abandoned train.

The Butler men met in John Usborne's vacant store last evening and made a good start towards organizing a Butler club. A good number signed the roll of membership, and the meeting adjourned until next week to complete the organization.

D. W. Clark received intelligence last Monday that his brother residing in Leavenworth, Kan., and who had been in New York city on business, had suddenly died there. Mr. Clark met the remains at Toledo and proceeded with them to Kansas.

On Tuesday last a German by the name of August Conrad, committed suicide at Adrian by shooting himself in the forehead. No cause except despondency is assigned for the act.—He was a young man of exceptionably good qualities, about 25 years of age.

The M. & O. road will sell excursion tickets next week during the three days camp at Devil's lake. Tickets from Tecumseh only 30 cents for the round trip, good Aug. 26, 27, and 28, good returning until Aug. 29th. Every one must carry their own provisions. It will be a basket picnic.

Arrangements have been completed for the S.S. excursion to Devil's Lake, Thursday of next week, Aug. 28th, is the time fixed. The excursion will not cross Devil's lake, but will have a basket picnic in a grove near the north end of the lake. Row boats will be procured for the party, and those who wish can cross on the steamer. Fare for the round trip, 25 cents.

Mr. Wm. Bresie, the temporary sexton of the Tecumseh cemetery, says that all persons wishing to improve their lots can have all the soil they may need for that purpose, free of charge. The gates will be closed at 7 in the evening instead of 6, as stated last week. Every person entering the cemetery is requested to read the rules and regulations posted at the front entrance and be governed accordingly.

The weather being so warm in Kansas during July, L. C. Bidwell and wife concluded to get away for a month to the mountains, stopping at Colorado Springs and Manitou, Colorado. Lamont rode horseback to the top of Pike's Peak, 14000 feet high, the two last miles through snow and ice; stayed over night at the Signal house, slept on the floor, saw the sun set and rise. Could see Denver 75 miles, Pueblo 50 miles and Spanish Peaks 50 miles distant. They will go to Denver the 21st., stay at Windsor Hotel one week, back to Anthony, Harper Co., Kan., by Sept. 1st., where he will be happy to see his friends.

BIGGER 'N BARNUM.

The Tri State Fair occurs at Toledo, September 8 to 13. Acres of agricultural machinery in motion; printing; book binding, weaving, rope making, file cutting, etc. The biggest live stock show in the West, and a superb racing program, which includes an offer of $2,000c for "Jay Eye See." Gen. John A. Logan and Gov. Hendricks, Vice Presidential candidates, are expected to be present. Excursion rates from this point.

SWINGING AROUND THE CIRCLE.

A trip around the country is a good thing for a man who is housed up in an office most of his time. Last week Tuesday we set out, with one of Frank Silver's best rigs, to take a breath of country air and call on some of our numerous friends in some of the adjoining towns. The only difficulty we experience in a tour of this kind is our inability to call on all whom we should be pleased to visit, but we try to make the most of the limited time at our command.

Heading our pony towards the northeast we made our first halt at Pennington's Corners. The principal excitement agitating the corners at present is the bowery dance and social to be given this week by the Macon band. The band is becoming quite proficient in music and they propose to give the citizens of that vicinity an opportunity to help their treasury a little, which is in need of funds. They are now building a fine bowery for dancing purposes which will be used at intervals during the fall. B. S. Scudder and W. P. Cotton, the two merchants of Macon, are doing as well as the present dull times allow, and when seeding time is over, they look for a good fall trade. M. V. Sickley is still selling scales although just at present he is taking a few days respite.

We struck Thomas Jacobus's at noon and assisted a gang of threshers in disposing of a good dinner. Mr. Jacobus has a good crop of wheat this year; a fine yield and good quality. Edwin Howell is running the old farm as usual and his friends can always find the latch string out at his house. He was at work that day on Mr. Jacobus's threshing. Milan Sage is up to his ears making brick and tile. As we gave a description of his establishment in last week's Herald, we simply, in this connection, refer our readers to that article.

Cassius Mills is still living on the old Mills homestead. Hannah Mills, the mother of the numerous Mills family, makes her home with Cassius, where she has resided for fifty years the present summer. She is enjoying remarkably good health for a woman of her advanced age, and as she has all the comforts of a nice home, she is likely to remain with us for many years yet.

Chas. V. Skinner is well started in life with a little house well filled, a little wife well willed, and a little farm of forty acres well tilled. He had a splendid wheat crop this year and was feeling so good natured that he went to the big farmer's picnic at Devil's Lake last Thursday. We had a pleasant chat with Charlie while a thunder shower passed over.

John Gibson is renting a farm three miles east of the corners. We struck the threshers at his place also.

We arrived at Mrs. Isaac Collins' about five P. M., and accepted her hospitality at supper. Mrs. Collins has a beautiful home and splendid farm, one of the best in that section of the country. Charles Collins is now managing the farm, and John Gordon, formerly one of Judge Stacy's faithful farm hands, is at work there. Miss Allie Collins, a graduate of the Tecumseh High School is living at home now. Our visit there, although brief, was a very pleasant one and we hope to repeat it at some future time.

Eight o'clock found us at Thomas Murphy's on the Ridge. Tommy is an old acquaintance, having spent three years of his early manhood on Judge Stacy's farm, and we could not decline his kind invitation to put up and spend the night with him. He now owns a farm of 120 acres, all paid for, has a large new barn, one of the best on the Ridge, and a large amount of valuable live stock which is growing into money every year. His barn is 36x64 feet in size, with 20 foot posts, on a nine foot stone foundation with hip roof. A good night's rest and an excellent breakfast the next morning sent us away rejoicing and with a determination to make another visit at some future time.

Frank Whiting was found on the old David Berdan farm, which Mr. Whiting now owns. He has a fine place of 61 acres, which is one of the most productive farms on the Ridge. He is taking a respite from farm labor now in helping along the Butler boom. He says that all the voters in his section of Macon are Butler men.

Granville Mills is enlarging his house this summer into which he will put a furnace heating apparatus and other modern improvements. He will have one of the finest family residences in Macon, when completed.

Z. Fuller is the same contented mortal he always was. He is now enjoying life and putting in drive wells.

J. L. Jackson is still at work with the hammer and the plane. His skilled services are in constant demand and he is now at work on Granville Mills' addition

J. M. Burleson is domiciled in a fine new house on the Saline road. He has an extra farm of 80 acres and will not be compeled to employ a hired man much longer, for he has four smart handsome boys who are rapidly walking along to manhood. Mr. Burleson gave us a pressing invitation to dine with him, which we had to decline with regrets and hurry along.

Jas. Barney is well started on a farm of his own, containing 80 acres. He started life without a penny, and the little property he has accumulated shows what honest deal and industrious habits will accomplish under adverse circumstances.

Henry Miller has a fine farm of 60 acres which has been brought to a high state of cultivation under his practical hand. He is putting in fifteen acres of wheat this fall.

Jas. R. Liddle has sold his north 80 acres and now gives entire attention to his home farm of one hundred acres, which is one of the best in that section.

We called at Jackson Allen's but as he was not at home our visit was deferred.

Our next halt was at Milan Wheeler's. He has a new house and barn and forty acres, which make him a pleasant home. He is seeding 75 acres of wheat this fall, a portion of it on shares upon other farms. He was putting down a drive well which had reached a depth of 94 feet with no water in sight. Our call here was short, but we stayed long enough to demolish a quarter section of Mrs. Wheeler's pumpkin pie.

We stopped a moment at D. H. Silvers and found Dave as happy as ever. He is now carrying on the old homestead farm of 265 acres, and also a clothing store at Manchester. He oscillates between the two as occasion demands and says that he finds plenty of work to do to keep himself out of mischief.

Wm. J. Kelly fills the r[illegible]se carpenter to good accept[illegible] is now employed on Ed. [illegible] farm house, which the la[illegible] building on the section; and he seems likely to have an all summer's job there. From that point Frank's pony brought us home in short order where we arrived at dark.

THE BIG PICNIC.

On Thursday noon we took the western train on the M. & O., road bound for the big picnic at Devil's Lake. A large number of Tecumseh people were on the train, and upon arriving at Beardsell's we found many more of them who had gone up the day before. Several farmer's picnics have been held during July and August, but the great big old mammoth free-for-all picnic came off on the 14th inst. Alighting at the Devil's Lake station we found the little propellor in waiting to carry us to Beardsell's Landing. The boat will accommodate twenty-five passengers and there were nearly fifty on hand to be carried across the lake. A sail boat and large row boat near at hand were called into requisition. Gen. Spaulding and County Clerk Hunter manned the sail boat and steered the craft like experienced mariners. We reached Beardsell's about two o'clock and found the crowd all there; and such a crowd. The hotel, the grove, the lake shore and the fields adjoining were literally swarming with people.

Fifteen hundred feet of tables had been prepared for the picnickers, a large platform was erected and seats prepared for the hundreds in attendance. The total number in attendance was estimatad at from 12,000 to 15,000. Probably the latter figure is not an over-estimate of the number actually on the grounds between the hours of 10 A. M. and 10 P. M., as people were going and coming during the entire day. The exercises at the speakers stand began promptly. The music was furnished by the Adrian City band and the Schumann Vocal club of Hudson. The meeting was called to order by the President, Hon. Geo. A. Smith of Somerset, and the first speaker introduced was Lt. L. H. Salsbury of Hudson. His remarks were right to the point and at their close he was greeted with three cheers. Hon. T. F. Moore, the veteran farmer and granger, followed in a fine speech, and Capt. C. R. Miller and Gen. Geo. Spaulding then addressed the crowd in brief speeches. The Adrian band received the prize of $40. It was resolved to hold the next meeting on the third Thursday of August 1885. The election of officers was then held with the following result:

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED:

Prest.—A. M. Sickley, Woodstock.
Vice Prest.—Wm. Wiggins, Adrian.
Sec'y—Frank Church, Wheatland.
Treas.—V. Schermerhorn, Pittsford.

DIRECTORS:

Jefferson—Chas Luce.
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Moscow—J. B. Nutton.
Hudson—I. E. Phelps.
Medina—P. W. Lewis.
Rollin—L. Chase.
Woodstock—N. Osborn.
Cambridge—M. Reed.
Rome—J. S. Marks.
Dover—H. Swords.
Seneca—A. Manchester.
Adrian—J. E. Baker.
Wright—Thos. Acker.
Ransom—H. Higley.
Pittsford—J. B. Hatfield.
Wheatland—J. G. Patterson.
Somerset—H. Harper.

The usual accessories of a large crowd were present in abundance. The tin-ware peddler, the circular swing man, the bowery dance hall, the sewing machine vender, and numerous other schemes for taking the peoples' money, were on the grounds and did a thriving trade. The steamer City of Hudson was well patronized during the entire day. About five o'clock the tables were again spread and probably half the crowd partook of supper before leaving the grove.

There was a large crowd at the Hotel during the evening and the dance hall was well patronized until a late hour. While strolling about the house at nine in the evening wondering whether the landlord could find a room for us, we met J. F. Payne, who lives on the old Crofoot homestead, half a mile west of Beardsell's, and we accepted an invitation from him to spend the night with him. Upon arriving we found Judge Stacy there, who had spent the day and attended the picnic with Mr. Payne and Mrs. Crofoot. We were most hospitably entertained there. Mr. Payne runs two large farms and is quite a breeder of high-bred stock. He has sold eleven yearling merinos during the season at from $15 to $25 each.

AT ADDISON.

After a delicious breakfast the next morning, Mr. Payne drove us over to Addison, where we intended to take the morning train for home, but found that it had been abandoned, owing to the smash-up at Marshall the day before. Nothing was left but to make the best of the situation, which we proceeded to do.

J. H. Underwood head miller in Smith's mill was found at his post, as good-natured and jolly as of old. The mill is now in good trim, but wheat comes in slowly by reason of the low price paid.

A. J. Kempton is prospering as usual and is building up quite a jewelry trade.

O. B. Bowen holds forth on the same old corner, making harnesses for the people of Western Lenawee.

Fred Curtis has begun work on his new two story brick block, which will be an ornament to the town when completed. It will contain two fine stores, one of which he will use for the bank.

Fred Smiley was smiling at the good outlook for his hardware trade.

The Courier office is flourishing, and has already worked up a fine subscription list.

Powers & Son dispense drugs and medicines, wall paper, etc., and run the express and telephone offices.

Again drafting Mr. Payne's horse and buggy into the service we drove back to Beardsell's and dined with the landlord Mr. B., himself. He was feeling "all tuckered out" after the big picnic the day before, and was taking a much needed rest on Friday. His house is becoming more and more noted every year as a popular public resort. Since the M. & O. established a station at the north end of the lake, his custom has greatly increased. Private parties from abroad visit him more numerously than formerly and excursion parties have increased largely. Mr. B. cut a channel through the sand bar in the middle of the lake and built a dock at the M. & O station at an expense to himself of several hundred dollars. Since Mr. Allen refused to assist in this expense, the steamer no longer stops at Allen's Landing. Although the Hotel was taxed to its utmost on picnic day, still all guests were well provided for, and no one, who wished to remain over night was sent away.

At one o'clock we took the little steamer for the north end of the Lake, which was reached about two o'clock. Here we found a portion of the Tecumseh contingent, who had gone over on the morning boat to take the train which had been abandoned. A portion of them went west to Addison at noon to procure dinner.

The landscape view at the Devil's Lake station is an enchanting one. To the west stretches a large marsh which is seeded down to a thrifty crop of thistles. Perched on the bank north of the track is a small log-house, the lawn in front of which is ornamented with chicken coops, and a four rail fence. To the south lie the placid waters of the Satanic lake. The manufacturing industries of the place consist of an eight by ten shop, in which a maker of axe helves plies his calling. Near the axe helve factory on the north road is located a one story frame house in which Mrs. Sarah Stanley sells lemonade, cigars, candy and cookies to regale the weary traveler. Across the corner from the Stanley House, in the suburbs of the city, is a cabbage patch. The waiting room at the depot is located beneath three walnut trees on the bank. The Tecumseh crowd in waiting was large, handsome and enthusiastic. Ridgeway, Britton and Toledo were also represented. The party arrived at the landing an hour before train time and the train was two hours late. During that three hours, the company took the signs of the city all in. We wound feast our eyes on the landscape a few minutes from the windows of the waiting room, then adjourn to Mrs. Stanley's for lemonade. The landlady is an adept at making lemonade. She grinds four lemons in a four gallon crock seasons the mixture with sugar and then fills the crock with lake water. We regret to say that several young men of our party became quite intoxicated from a too free indulgence in this beverage, but they sobered off on ginger cookies, and a new brand of cigars, known as "Garlinghouse's own". The train finally arrived however, as all trains do which are behind hand, and our company was soon speeding along towards Tecumseh. Two coach loads of passengers found room in one car as far as this station, where the Tecumseh contingent surrendered their accommodations to the passengers bound farther East. The M. & O. company are usually very prompt and regular in their train arrangements, and the delay on Friday was occasioned by the smash up at Marshall, on the preceding day.

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The Literature of Discontent.

If our modern and current literature had to be characterized in a single word, it would probably be most aptly called the "literature of discontent." As a mass, it is a literature with an aim, and that aim, in its broadest statement, is the aim of making people other than they are. The means adopted to this end is that of making them dissatisfied with what they are. The makers of this literature would probably claim that their object is that of making better than they are, and claim for themselves the character of apostles of an angel of reform. Whether the state of affairs actually had in view by these gentlemen and ladies would or would not procure a greater share of general happiness may be left out of view for a moment, while we dwell upon the means adopted to lead up to that state of bliss—namely, that as many people as possible shall be wrought into a state of discontent. It is only a fair summary of the implications of much modern teaching that the mass of mankind may, when all things shall be properly ordered, expect comfort and ease, if not luxury; that hardship may be abolished, and universal well-being established. Yet the preachers of the doctrines which underlie these deductions ignore—are, possibly, themselves often ignorant of—the fact that every man in a civilized state enjoys uncounted and countless privileges, both of material comfort and personal rights unknown, to people less advanced in civilization—unknown, therefore, to the whole series of generations that have gone before. In spite of proof to the contrary the assertion still continues to be made that the rich are growing richer and the poor poorer, against proof to the contrary, the doctrine is taught that poverty is an accompaniment and a fruit of progress; and it is asserted that there are men, or classes of men, amongst who have no share in the gains of civilization—the fact being that all but a small margin of the gains of civilization enters into a common stock, which nobody can appropriate, while that small margin which is appropriated is divided between capital and labor in a steadily diminishing ratio to capital, and a steadily increasing ratio to labor. And still the current of literature flows on—a literature of discontent. And thus far the discernible effects of this literature this doctrine—in political and social life have been purely bad. Happily, the great mass of mankind pays small attention to it, goes about its work, and does its duty in the estate in which it finds itself. But, at the same time preaching has had some effect, and that effect appears to be altogether bad. For the whole of this "humane" morality (as it calls itself) consists in nothing else than exhorting us to put ourselves in other people's stands, according to an ad-nauseam abstraction, which, from its very nature, must also mean putting other people in our stead. "When man ceases thinking on what he has to do," says Dr. Karl Hildebrand, "in order to think that he has to do it, good-bye to all content." But the whole machine of humanity would stop if we wanted continually to put ourselves in the place of others, and endeavor to insure for every one, according to the exigencies of an abstract equality, the same conditions of life. So, in consequence, we stop short at good wishes sufficient to men who, in former times were quite happy in this limited existence and rebelled but little on it, discontented with their lot, but insufficient to change the lot. For the literature of discontent does not press home to them the question: "Is there any other man in the world to blame for the fact that I am poor?" The achievements of the human race have been accomplished by the elite of the race. There is no ground at all in history for the notion that the masses of mankind provided the wisdom and did the work. The dogma that all men are equal (says Prof. Sumner) the most flagrant falsehood, and the most immoral doctrine which men have ever believed. It is, on the contrary, a doctrine of the first moral and sociological importance that truth, wisdom and righteousness come only by painstaking, study and striving. These things are so hard that it is only the few who attain to them. These few carry on human society now as they always have done." And it will be a good thing for human society, and a better thing for the less prosperous classes in it, when these truths come to be recognized by the makers of literature, and some apostles shall arise to enforce the homely doctrine that most people do not know when they are well off. If, on all the face of the earth, there exists a people that is well off, it is the people of California. To them, before all others, it ought to be—but is not, needless to preach the evangel of content, pursuit of the enjoyments that are within reach, the practice of making the best of things. "For there is nothing either good or bad, but thinking makes it so," said Hamlet. And he was a very wise man who wrote. "He that is of contented heart hath a continual feast; a contented heart doeth good, like medicine, but a complaining one drieth the bones." It is not easy to find grounds for believing that the wisdom of the preachers of discontent is any better than the wisdom of King Solomon.—*San Francisco Cal.*

Too Great a Sacrifice.

"Ethelinda Jane," he said, in deep, passionate tones, "will you be mine?"

"If—if I thought you loved me," she faltered.

"Love you!" he exclaimed, wildly, "I adore you. I would wander the wide world over for your sake."

"Then I will be yours, said the maiden, "but only on one condition."

"What is the condition?" he said, in a paroxysm of joy: "name it, name it, and if it was to snatch the burning sun from the cerulean firmament I will agree to it."

"It is not so difficult as that," she said calmly; "it is simply this that you will swear you will never say after we are married that I can't cook as well as your mother."

The young man shook his head and departed sorrowfully. The sacrifice was too great.—*N. Y. Star.*

Rev. Samuel Longfellow expects to finish the biography of his brother, the poet, next spring.

Clay and the Sailor.

Naval officers who were on board the sloop-of-war John Adams, Captain Samuel Angus, which carried Henry Clay to Europe in 1814, used to narrate the following story of his nautical adventures. He was joined at Antwerp by John Quincy Adams and Jonathan Russell, and they sailed on the John Adams to Gottenburg, Sweden. One day Mr Adams persuaded his associates to go up into the foretop with him, knowing that the sailors would follow, according to custom, until they each paid Neptune's tribute of a bottle of rum. Mr. Russell, who had been at sea a good deal, went up over the buttock shrouds, but Mr. Clay followed Mr. Adams through the "lubber's hole." No sooner were they seated on the top than the topmen pounced upon them and tied them fast. Adams and Russell submitted quietly and then on promising to pay the tribute, were released, but Clay resisted vigorously, became stubborn and indignant, and could not be induced to promise anything. His companions left him tied to the rigging and reached the deck. Captain Angus, learning what was going on, instantly ordered Mr. Clay to be released. The Kentuckian came down in a towering rage, and an angry scene followed. He could not be persuaded to look upon the affair as a jest. The consequence was a serious rupture between himself, Captain Angus and the other two gentlemen. With Mr. Russell he became reconciled after a time, but not so with Mr. Adams, to whom it was believed on board the ship, he sent a challenge to fight a duel. No hostile meeting took place, however, and eventually they became friends again. The rupture between Mr. Clay and Captain Angus was never healed. When Mr Clay returned to the United States the gallant Captain was commanding at the Brooklyn navy yard. Mr. Clay, who never forgot or forgave when he could help it, made a strong complaint against the Captain for "unwarrantable conduct in permitting and countenancing at the aforesaid table to official dignity." Captain Angus replied disourteously and was dismissed. He resigned, and was arrested under specific charges from the Secretary of the Navy. The withdrew from the unfortunate sailor an angry remonstrance, and under the excitement of what he deemed a gross injustice, his mind became deranged and he ended the unhappy controversy by committing suicide.—*Rev. Bailey Peck.*

Cholera a Slow Traveler.

An Eastern pestilence which has made its way on foot through Central Asia, which has crossed the Atlantic in the old days of sailing ships, and crossed the Rocky Mountains to the Pacific when San Francisco was no more than a white-walled Spanish mission, may certainly be described as an enterprising and persevering traveler. If cholera could thus travel in the years from 1829 to 1873, what may it not do in these days of rapid transit? But the fact is that the good old times of slow stages, of halting for the night, and of spending weeks and months on the journey, were so much more suited to the ways of cholera, that even the thousand and one opportunities of the age of steam do not make it half so dangerous. If there is one thing less doubtful than another in the natural history of cholera, it is that it leaves the ground, that the breeding-place of the poison is the soil, and that it is always most formidable when it drags its slow length along and leaves a trail behind it. No English invasion of cholera has ever gathered force which did not come to us across the continent, through Russia and Germany. It came by sea from Alexandria to Southampton in 1865, but it was quickly suppressed. It came next year with German emigrants on their way to America, and it became a considerable epidemic. We have always imported it from the opposite shore of the North Sea—into Sunderland from Hamburg in 1848, into the Tyne ports from German ports in 1853, and into Yorkshire and Lancashire from Rotterdam in the early months of 1866. It would almost seem as if a long journey overland were necessary to consolidate its power and give vigor to its constitution. Although the events of 1866 to 1873 show clearly enough that railways and steamboats have not by any means driven cholera out of the field, yet we have learned that it mostly goes with a particular class of travelers. Panic-stricken fugitives, the poorest of emigrants, wayside tramps, and all kinds of hunger-monger in motion are the favorite mania of cholera diffusion. Unfortunately, these things are not yet out of date. The South of France is now witnessing worse scenes of that kind than ever disgraced antiquity or Europe's middle night of barbarism. It is a melancholy satire upon the Age of Science, on the "Cholera-bacilles" and the refinements of technical skill, that the first approach of cholera to the shores of Europe should be met by attempts at concealment on the part of the authorities, and headlong panic on the part of the public.—*London Standard.*

—A sleeping-car porter says the ladies give him a heap of trouble. "Da want lem' a-lie and coffee from the rest'rant, der satchels carried, winduws raised and lowered, an' everything like that. De mos' of 'em says 'Thanks,' but when it comes to quatahs da forget mos' always. Not more'n one in ten gives a po'tah a cent. Wish dere was nothing but geamen travell'n', I do."

The reward of twenty-five thousand dollars voted by Congress for the rescue of the Greely expedition will be covered back into the Treasury unless at the next session of Congress some other disposition of it shall be made. It would seem to be a fair and eminently just proposition to divide this sum among the families of those who perished before the rescue was effected.—*Albany Journal.*

—A factory for the production of artificial teeth is to be established in Utica, N. Y., where masticators will be turned out at the rate of three thousand sets per day, for the low price of $1.50 per set. Crowns for molding teeth, formerly costing $2.50, will be made for fifteen cents.—*Utica Herald.*

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Those languid, tiresome sensations, causing you to feel scarcely able to be on your feet, that constant drain that is taking from your system all its former elasticity, driving the bloom from your cheeks that continual strain upon your vital forces, rendering you irritable and fretful, can easily be removed by the use of that marvelous remedy, Hop Bitters. Impurities and obstructions of your system, are relieved at once while the special cause of periodical pain are permanently removed. None receive so much benefit, and none so profoundly gratefully, and show such interest in recommending Hop Bitters as women.

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Time Tried.

Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which combines the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. It cures promptly, thoroughly and permanently, all coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, bronchitis, hoarseness, incipient consumption, and all throat and lung diseases, healing to the lungs; safe and pleasant for children. Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free of Baker & Hall.

Miss Belle Anderson, of Buchanan, will fill the place of instructor on the violin at the Valparaiso, Ind., normal institute for the next year.

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
[illegible]	6 25	2 12	1 12
Napoleon	6 40	2 35	2 00
Norvell	6 46	2 44	2 15
Manchester	6 56	3 00	2 50
Clark's	7 22	3 16	3 38
Brooklyn	7 30	3 26	3 02
Cambridge	8 02	3 09	3 07
Jerome	10 22	6 42	
Toledo	9 00	3 47	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Jerome	8 32	9 19	
Cambridge	10 22	5 37	
Brooklyn	11 12	8 52	1 42
Clark's	11 45	9 34	4 00
Manchester	11 56	9 44	4 00
Norvell	12 15	10 02	4 50
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	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Junction		9 53	4 01
Jackson	10 28	10 03	4 09
Chelsea	10 51	10 31	4 34
Milan		10 55	4 52
Britton	11 36	11 21	5 14
Adrian		11 35	5 26
Sand Creek	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Morenci		12 04	5 52
North Fayette	1 02	12 25	6 25
Montpelier		12 48	6 39
Bluffton	1 43	1 07	7 00
BUTLER		1 50	2 05
Indianapolis			

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bluffton	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
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Romulous	5 41	11 18	
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7 14	6 14	Manhattan Junction	9 16	4 48
7 21	6 21	Alexis Junction	9 10	4 38
7 35	6 35	Hawthorn	9 02	4 30
7 46	6 46	Samaria	8 47	4 22
8 06	7 06	Lulu	8 42	4 04
8 15	7 15	Monroe Junction	8 30	3 58
8 30	7 30	Dundee	8 26	3 50
8 37	7 37	Macon	8 20	3 45
8 46	7 46	Azalia	8 09	3 40
8 59	7 59	Milan Junction	8 06	3 25
9 05	8 05	Milan	7 59	3 22
9 08	8 08	Nora	7 52	3 17
9 22	8 22	Urania	7 40	3 10
9 32	8 32	Pittsfield	7 27	3 02
9 50	8 50	Ann Arbor	7 12	2 49
10 15	9 15	Leland	7 06	2 30
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To women who suffer from any of the ills peculiar to their sex it is an unfailing friend. All Druggists. One Dollar a bottle, or address Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.

A NARROW ESCAPE

Of a Massachusetts Engineer—Timely Warning of Mr. John Spencer, Baggage-master of B. & A. R. R.

Sleeplessness, fatigue, and health after disease, are two of the sweetest experiences known to man. Fourteen years is a long time in which to suffer. Yet Mr. Peter Lawler of Dalton, Mass., had led a miserable life for that period through the presence of stone in the bladder. That he sought in all directions for a cure is an almost superfluous statement. He did obtain temporary relief, but nothing more. Last January he called on Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who said after examination: "Mr. Lawler, you have stone in the bladder. We will first try Dr. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY before resorting to an operation." A few days later the following letter passed through the Rondout post-office:

DALTON, Mass., February 6.

Dear Dr. Kennedy:—The day after I came home I passed two gravel stones, and am doing nicely now. PETER LAWLER.

Dr. Kennedy now has the stones at his office, and they are sufficiently formidable to justify the claim that Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the leading specific for stone in the bladder. In this letter Mr. Lawler mentions that Favorite Remedy also cured him of rheumatism. The subjoined certificate tells its own story.

OLD BERKSHIRE MILLS,
DALTON, Mass., April 27, 1882.

Mr. Peter Lawler has been a resident of this town for the past seventeen years, and in our employ for fifteen years, and in all these years has been a good and respected citizen of the town and community. He has had some chronic disease to our knowledge for most of the time, but now claims to be, and is, in apparent good health. CHAS. O. BROWN, President.

DALTON, Mass., June 9, 1881.

Dr. Kennedy—Dear Friend:—Thinking you would like to hear again from an old patient, I sit down to write to you. It is now three and a half years since I first went to see you. At that time I was troubled with kidney disease for about two years, and had seven of the best doctors to be found, but I received only temporary relief until I visited you and commenced taking your "Favorite Remedy." I continue taking the Remedy according to your directions, and consider my self a well man. Very respectfully yours, PETER LAWLER.

The letter of April 27, 1882, holds good as far as Mr. Lawler's testimony is concerned regarding the cure. CHAS. O. BROWN.

ABE HANFORD,

General Auctioneer!

All Auction business entrusted to his care will receive prompt attention.

TECUMSEH, - MICHIGAN.

FAIR WARNING.—The party who took a Sateen covered, lined with red and trimmed with lace, parasol, from my establishment, instead of an inferior one, is requested to return the same immediately and avoid trouble.

FRED P. DEUEL.

History of the Alphabet.

How many of the millions that daily use the alphabet ever stop to think of its origin and long history? In the true spirit of a student Isaac Taylor, a well-known English writer on philosophical and philological subjects, has recently written and published in London two stout volumes under the title "The Alphabet: An Account of the Origin and Development of Letters." It is only by help of recent discoveries of early inscriptions and the progress in the art of reading lost languages and deciphering hitherto unknown symbols, that such a well-posted history has become possible. By careful study of the learned essays and scientific investigations of the latest philologists, Taylor has set forth in language of easy comprehension the origin of the alphabet, showing that our own "Roman" letters may be followed back to their very beginning, some twenty or more centuries ago, as he asserts. We have no more letters, according to this account, than those of the Italian printers of the fifteenth century. These were imitated from the beautiful manuscripts of the tenth and eleventh centuries; the lettering of these being derived from the Roman of the Augustan age. Roman letters, in their turn, are traced to these employed at Rome in the third century B. C., and these do not differ greatly from forms used in the earliest existing specimens of Latin writing, dating from the fifth century B. C. The primitive alphabet of Rome was derived from a local form of the Greek alphabet, in use about the sixth century B. C., and that was a variety of the earliest Greek alphabet belonging to the eighth, or even to the ninth century B. C. The Greeks got their letters from the Phenicians, and theirs are clearly traceable in the most ancient known form of the Semitic.

The most ancient of books, a papyrus found at Thebes, and now preserved in the French National Library, supplies the earliest forms of the letters used in the Semitic alphabet. The stone tables of the law could have been possible to the Jews only because of their possession of an alphabet, and thus the Bible and modern philological science unite in ascribing a common origin to the alphabet which is in daily use throughout the world. The nineteenth century B. C. is held by Taylor to be the approximate date of the origin of the alphabetic writing, and from that time it grew by slow degrees, while from Egypt, the home of the Jews during their long captivity, the knowledge of their captivity was carried in all directions where alphabets are now found.

The Aryans are thought to have been the first to bring the primitive alphabet to perfection, and each letter and each sound may be traced, by Taylor's careful analysis through all the changes that have marked the growth, progress, and, in some instances, the decay of different letters of various alphabets. It is an interesting fact that the oldest known "A, B, C" in existence is a child's alphabet, scratched on a little ink bottle of black ware, found in one of the oldest Greek settlement in Italy, attributed to the fifth century B. C. The earliest letters of many later ones are known only by inscriptions, and it is the rapid increase, by recent discoveries, of these precious fragments that has inspired more diligent research and quickened the zeal of learned students in mastering the elements of knowledge of their origin and history throughout the world. As late as 1876 there were found in Cyprus some bronze plates inscribed with Phœnician characters, dating back to the tenth, even the eleventh century B. C.

Coins, engraved gems, inscribed statues, and, last of all, the Siloam inscription, found in 1880, at Jerusalem, on the wall of an old tunnel, have supplied new material for the history. From the common mother of many alphabets, the Phœnician, are descended the Greek and other European systems on the one side, including that which we use and have the greatest interest in; and on the other, the alphabets of Asia, from which have sprung those of the East, Syriac, Arabic and Hebrew.—*The Household.*

Old-Fashioned Furniture.

Quaint "bits" of old fashioned furniture have for a long time past been much sought after, and pretty examples are now to be met with in almost every house of refinement and taste. One occasionally meets with old-fashioned things which from change of circumstances can no longer be used for their original purpose. The silver-forks—which most members of the present generation have never seen—were, when not in use, stored away in a specially made satin-wood or mahogany box, often beautifully decorated with inlaid marqueterie work, and in the better examples the mountings were of chased silver. The interior of the box was apparently solid, with a separate slit for each knife and fork, which, handle uppermost, stood upright. Until recently these beautiful specimens of the cabinet work of a by-gone age could be purchased for a very few shillings each. Some one has discovered that by removing the interior false top and adding divisions for paper and envelopes these old knife-boxes can be easily transformed into choice and covetable stationery cabinets, and dealers are now buying them up, and when transformed are asking almost as many pounds as they gave shillings. Another ingenious person—a lady well known in society—has discovered that the highly polished, old-fashioned double handled, plethoric copper or brass tea urn wherewith our great-grandmothers delighted to adorn the table when their friends assembled to discuss a dish o tea can easily be transformed into a noble table lamp of striking proportions. The urn proper forms the body, and a paraffin lamp, with its ordinary glass receptacle for oil, is fitted into the space formerly occupied by the heater, which with the lid is of course discarded. The projecting spout is likewise banished, and a simple metal boss, with a corresponding one for uniformity on the other side, takes its place. To complete, an extra large shade is fitted over an octagon-shaped wire frame-work of ordinary construction.—*Chambers' Journal.*

—Before the construction of modern machinery for pin-making, pins were so expensive that "pin money" became a household word.

The Care of Bees.

The queen is the mother of the colony. Her only duty seems to be to produce eggs, of which she will often lay twenty thousand in a day. The title "king" is erroneously applied to her, when the drone is meant. Her age varies, but she lives about three years. Although the destiny of a colony depends upon her presence, yet she will thrive some time after her departure; pollen and honey will be gathered as before, but there will be a dwindling away and absence of a ferment mulus. If a queen is lost at the beginning of winter, the colony will probably last until next July. Losses may occur at any time, and if they happen during the honey season the bee will replace them themselves, unless they occur when all after-swarming is given up.

When honey is abundant and the hive full of bees there will be a number of royal cells started. These are usually built near the edges of comb, and project at an angle of about forty-five degrees. They are half an inch in diameter and an inch or more in length. The queens mature in about sixteen to twenty days. Within nine days of maturing the royal cells are capped over and the old queen leads out the first swarm. From eight to nine days—there are exceptions to this rule, sometimes as late as fifteen days—a young queen will come out. If you will go to your hive about this time (morning is best) you will hear her "piping." Owing to their cramped position, she makes a louder noise than her sisters, who are kept in their cell by the boss.

The piping of the queen is of much importance to the bee-keeper. If you hear one of a morning, and the season is good, you may invariably expect a swarm that day or the next. But should all after-swarming be abandoned, the hatched queen will destroy all the others, and in three days will meet the drone. Should she be lost, on this occasion, there can be no other one raised, since they must be produced from the egg or larvæ no older than three or four days. As the old queen left the hive nearly two weeks previous, there would be no eggs or larvæ of the proper age.

The apiarian should be prompt and examine his bees frequently. If there is a dwindling away, ascertain the cause. If eggs or larvæ are found, no further proof will be necessary; if not, a queen should be introduced at once, or a frame of brood given from another hive. Perhaps in examining your hives you have found plenty of drones and drone brood, but no signs of young workers. There is a certain phenomenon connected with this instance. The workers are females, and seem to have no power of producing eggs. Nevertheless, on the loss of their mother, some of them have their structure changed, and will lay eggs. These eggs will only produce drones, no matter in what kind of cells they are laid.

Several of these "worker-layers" may be in a hive at one time. You can tell their presence by the manner in which they lay their eggs. The eggs of a queen are attached at one end to the bottom of the cells, and only one egg is found in a cell at a time. Not so with the worker. I have found as high as seven eggs in a single cell attached in various ways. It would be useless now to give them a queen or queen cell. The bees would not have it so, and the "layers" would destroy either. The remedy is to carry the hive some distance from the stand, remove the frames, one at a time, and brush away all bees. Have a box at the stand to catch them. When they are treated thus the worker-layers, not being out of the hive for so long, are lost. You may now introduce a queen by taking a wire cage without top, press the edges of it into the comb over some honey, so the queen may have food. The bees will cut under the cage and liberate her. Queens may also be introduced by dropping honey on them and putting them in the hives. The bees will forget the strangers and go to licking the honey.—*Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette.*

Burns and Skin-Grafting.

Burns are a great source of trouble to the surgeon in many ways. For instance, if a burn is very extensive there may be great difficulty in getting a cicatrice to form over the whole of it. Cicatrization only begins in the immediate neighborhood of living epidermis, and therefore a burn or ulcer must heal from the circumference to the center. But the further that the cicatricial tissue extends from the margin of the burn the more slowly and the more imperfectly is it formed; and, indeed, it may fail altogether to reach the center. This difficulty has often been met by a small operation called skin-grafting. A piece of sound skin about the size of a split pea is pinched up, say, on the outside of the arm, and the epidermis snipped off with a pair of curved scissors, the scissors just going deep enough to cut slightly into the second layer of skin and draw a little blood. A special kind of scissors has been invented for the purpose that will only take up just the right amount of skin, so that the operation is thus made even simpler still; and if it is skillfull performed it causes only very trifling pain. The little fragment of skin thus separated is then placed gently, with its raw surface downward, on the unhealed surface of the burn. The same thing is repeated again and again till there are many grafts, if the burn is a large one. Isinglass plaster or some other similar material is employed to keep the grafts in position and preserve them from injury. In about four days they should have taken root, and then the covering can be removed. There is now a number of foci from which cicatrization can start; for, as before said, it will begin from where there is an epidermal covering, and there alone. After a time a number of little islands or scar tissues may be seen, which go on increasing until at length they coalesce with one another, and also join that extending from the margin of the burn. This is what happens if all goes well; but, unfortunately, there is a very great tendency for a cicatrice formed from grafts to break down and disappear, so that the result is not by any means always so satisfactory as it at first promises to be.—*Chambers' Journal.*

—Dom Pedro, of Brazil, has reigned fifty-three years. He was nine years old when he ascended the throne.

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Fifty cents a bottle.

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The West Michigan lumber company donated two car loads of lumber to the Newago congregationalists for their new brick church, and paid all charges on the same from Diamand Lake to that place.

Don't fill the system with quinine in the effort to prevent or cure Fever and Ague. Ayer's Ague Cure is a far more potent preventative and remedy with the advantage of leaving in the body no poisons to produce dizziness, deafness, headache, and other disorders. The proprietors warrant it.

A Mr. Nason, of Chesaning, has brought a shipment of southern pine to Saginaw, all the way from the southwestern part of Louisiana. Almost like "carrying coals to Newcastle."

Our Present Blessing.

Our blessings are not appreciated until we are deprived of them. Most notable among them is health, the lack of which magnifies our other burdens. A hacking cough, a severe cold, or any throat or lung disease is very troublesome; but all these may be quickly and permanently removed by Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure. Price 50 cents; trial bottle free.

The Ontonagon and Baraga state road, not built according to contract, has been refused acceptance by the commissioners, and the contractor is trying it over again.

Tired Languid Dull

Exacty expresses the condition of thousands of people at this season. The depressive effects of warm weather, and the weak condition of the body can only be corrected by the use of a reliable tonic and blood purifier like Hood's Sarsaparilla. Why suffer longer when a remedy is so close at hand? Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It will give you untold wealth in health, strength, and energy.

Peter Boltz, the Fruitport wife murderer, is hopelessly insane in Muskegon jail. Five children are left motherless and worse than fatberless by his insane crime.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

Factory men at Buchanan are experiening duller times than ever before, and nearly all are out of employment on account of the shops being closed.

The Dead Line.

Is well remembered by the vetreans of our "late war" but Speer's wine has achieved a wide reputation from its efficacy in the sick room, being one of the most pleasing and comforting beverages that can be given an invalid and at the same time is a powerful strength restorer. For sale everywhere.

Chief of Police Burkhart, of Jackson, is recovering from the savage and brutal attack made upon him by horse-race roughs at the fair ground.

The four saloon keepers of Chase have been pulled for illegal selling.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Piles, Corns, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

The Osceola county huckleberry crop is a failure this year.

Remarked by R. C. Joiner, Allen P. O. Hillsdale Co., Mich.: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

Hay Fever.

I have been a great sufferer from Hay Fever for fifteen years. I read of the many wondrous cures of Ely's Cream Balm and thought I would try once more. In fifteen minutes after one application I was wonderfully helped. Two weeks ago I commenced using it and now I feel entirely cured. It is the greatest discovery ever known.—Duhamel Clark, Farmer, Lee, Mass. Price fifty cents.

Walker, Kent county, is a new post-office, with Horace Austin as post master.

As a sure remedy for Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Dyspepsia, Indigestion Constipitation, Torpid Liver, Biliousness, &c., no medicine is equal to Dr Baxter's Mandrake Bitters. N. H. Downs' Elixir is the oldest and best cough remedy in existence. Bruises, scalds, burns, sprains, cuts, &c., either on man or beast, are speedily cured by the use of Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment.

Jackson prison has 643 convicts.

In cases of Rheumatism or Neuralgia, a specific like ATHLOPHOROS has very often up hill work to do. So many remedies have been tried in vain, that all faith in a cure has fled. But Athlophoros quickly reestablishes faith, and goes right on with its work. William S. Williams, Hartford, Conn. writes: "Had Rheumatism for one month. The efforts of two good doctors were vain. Tried Athlophoros, with speedy relief. Feel well enough to say that I am cured, and that the remedy is one I am not afraid to recommend."

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FOUR POINTS

Prepared by an entirely NEW METHOD.
Composed of the PUREST MATERIALS.
WILL NOT INJURE THE FABRIC.
WILL CLEANSE WITHOUT RUBBING.

You can do a large washing without any rubbing; use the boiling process instead. You can save Time, Labor, Fuel, Soap and Clothing.

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Cut up fine and dissolve one half bar in half gallon of hot water. Pour half this dissolved soap into a tub with just sufficient hot water to cover a boiler full of clothes. Then put the clothes in to soak, **rubbing plenty of soap in the most soiled parts.** Be sure that the soaking water is hot; soak the clothes half an hour; stir them occasionally so that they may get the full benefit of the hot suds; pour the remainder of the dissolved soap into the boiler, adding sufficient water to cover the clothes; wring them lightly out of the suds. **Soap the stained spots** and place **loosely** in the boiler; boil 10 to 20 minutes, rinse well, blue and hang to dry. **Do not crowd the boiler too full.** The same boiling water may be used for further boiling by adding a little soap to each boiler-full of clothes. Flannels and prints should not be boiled, only a little rubbing required after soaking. This soap will cleanse clothing as thoroughly as any other without the use of the boiler. We prefer and recommend the boiling process as in itself a cleansing process, saving labor, the wear of the wash-board, and being **the best disinfectant known, it is easier to boil the dirt out than to rub it out.** You can cleanse perfectly the **finest** fabric without injury; the **finest point lace** and **lace curtains.** Soak point lace in hot suds made with this soap, press water out with the hand; boil 3 to 5 minutes in clean suds made with this soap, rinse thoroughly, press carefully between the folds of a towel, roll in a dry towel, and iron between pieces of old flannel. Soak curtains 10 to 30 minutes and boil 5 to 20 minutes, rinse, stretch on frame, or pin every scallop to carpet over a sheet to dry; no ironing required.

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MACON MUSIC.

Quarterly meeting last Sunday at the M. E. church.

The dance and ice cream festival given by the band boys on the evening of Aug. 22d, was a complete success.

The Union Sunday Schools hold their picnic on Thursday afternoon of this week in Pennington's grove.

Mr. Sutton was greeted with a large audience on the evening of Aug. 19.

Milan Sage has been on the sick list for a number of days. He is convalescent now, however.

Mrs. St. John's concert on the evening of Aug 20, gave entire satisfaction. The little people acquitted themselves well. Mrs. St. John is contemplating the organization of another singing class here. We heartily endorse the idea.

The magic lantern entertainment given at Sage's hall last Saturday evening was a complete farce. When will the people cease to be humbugged by traveling would-be geniuses? When the millenium comes.

TIPTON TATTLE.

The first lecture of the season in favor of prohibition was given on the 20th inst., by Rev. Sutton, in the town hall to a very large audience for the place, when a Union Club was organized of twelve names, half of the number taking stock by the payment of one dollar each. On the 27th inst., the august presence of John Osborn of Tecumseh, is expected to loom before this community in the further defense of the grand object of the temperance alliance. On this great question there seems to be quite an interest growing up hereabouts.

A certain sheriff from Ohio visited this place last week in search of parties supposed to be bearing north with a stolen horse, and offering one hundred and fifty dollars reward for their capture, powerfully inspired a couple of daring and energetic detectives of Franklin, who at once toned up their mighty courage to fever heat and arming themselves with a full supply of threatening weapons dashed off north at a terrible rate, having seen a suspicious looking rig pass hurriedly in that direction but a few hours before, and answering exactly the description given by the sheriff of the stolen property. In sure expectation of an early prize these sagacious detectives bounded over unnumbered miles of dusty roads, shooting their wistful eyes in all directions, and being spurred on by one hundred and fifty dollars waving before their vision, yet they failed to sight the parties sought. But after the lapse of some hours, to the surprise of many, the suspected strangers with the supposed stolen horse were seen to return alone by the same way they went and leisurely put up at the corner for refreshment. On being informed that the Franklin detectives were panting after them the strangers seemed to be considerably amused and at once became quite anxious to have a sight at their pursuers, but after waiting a long while for the return of the hopeful detectives, the patience of the strangers became exhausted, and they very kindly left their address for the special benefit of their vigilant pursuers and reluctantly departed with their suspicious looking horse which happened to be of a different gender from the one the sheriff desired to see.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Mudge is making arrangements to move with his family to reside at Weston.

Miss Frankie Whiteley has closed her school at Cambridge and is now at home.

Mr. Aaron Norcross is sorely afflicted with hay fever.

A child fifteen months old of Mr. B. F. Norcross is near the point of death.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Ak Hoxsie started for Dakota Sunday night to look after a steam engine which he shipped last week.

Some of our people attended the funeral of Dr. Rynd last Saturday.

Mrs. Gilman, of Clinton, made her husband a short visit last week. We understand that she liked the looks of our city better than she anticipated.

Lafayette Spencer's little boy was stung by bees last week producing such alarming symptoms that Dr. Begel was called to attend the case.

Rev. Sutton gave the people of Holloway and vicinity a talk on temperance last Thursday night. There was a large gathering and good order. The most of his remarks were well received; some however seemed to think that his anecdotes were a little out of place seeing that he had Rev. prefixed to his name on the bills.

Mac. Sleeper has become a vender of watermelons which causeth the Doctor to rejoice in anticipation of an epidemic, of cholera morbus. Its an ill wind that blows no one good.

A gang of hands are at work extending the side track as far as Holdridges crossing which has become necessary on account of the long trains which frequently pass at this station. A train of from fifty to sixty-three cars being no uncommon thing.

BROOKLYN BALLAST

The Presbyterian church is regenerate within, and partly without; its benefit social at G. Stranahan's a brilliant success and all concerned happy.

The Prohibition convention at Clark's lake was large. The story is that Mr. Russell spoke three hours on a disagreeable subject and charmed an audience made up of Albinos who have struggled from the ranks of all other political parties. Many of them will no doubt seek the home fold in November, and through fear of loosing identity in the great squirm, either vote for Cleveland or help Butler elect Blaine. There are many shades of color in Prohibition, but the faintest tint of all is the soap-bubble temperance, given as a prescription to aid moderate drinking. It is composed of 99 parts Let us cast all our burthens at the feet of the Lord, or hamper some other fellow and keep him plumb; and I of sufficient judgment to know when to drink a sling. The combination makes a velvety, purring, phosphorescent, generality; as effective for good as a feather for chopping cord-wood. However, it is an admission that wrong should be righted, and having attained form must either grow or die. Another tinge is extracted from faith in our State laws being righteous and all that is wanting is obedience to them.

I wish some one would lend me a copy of these wet regulations, with all the good spots marked. Our Council say: there is no way of evading the State law, and that's why they accepted bonds. If they fib, I am just as proud of them as if there was no difference in our opinions. They have not evaded the State law as they expound it. Some of them are merchants. They have drawn an immense trade, to saloon-keepers, and worn out their own elbows, lounging on counters, and looking on the prosperity they have created for their rivals. If there is a dime left after the carouse they have one chance to a gambler's thousand to get it and be thankful. They would not have had such a lavish, whirligig trade as they have drummed up for their allies, if they had dared to evade the State law, for sober customers are careful of expenses; but there would have been a constant and reasonable demand for goods, money enough to pay for them, and some doctor missed a fee for mending the head broken against my door step last night. They have subdued self-interest sufficiently to take up with a lower place and give the higher to those who choose to occupy and pay rent. They illustrate their good will to men by standing on guard while others eat the melons.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Still without rain.

Mr. A. B. Clark is out again.

Mrs. Estella James of Detroit made her mother, Mrs. Coats, a visit last week.

Hon. G. P. Waring and Mr. G. W. Jackson went to Lansing to attend the Union State Prohibition convention as delegates.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson is visiting friends at Jackson, while Wash is at Lansing.

It has been said that a monkey and drum would collect a larger congregation on Sunday than there is at present. We say send them along then.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoodmaker of Kalamazoo, are making Mrs. Wallace Cadmus a visit.

Quite a number will attend the picnic at Devil's Lake this week.

Mr. Weddie Bush of Brooklyn, N. Y. is spending his vacation at his grandmother's, Mrs. Hall.

Mr. G. P. Waring has made a grand improvement round his residence in the shape of grading and gravel and tar walks.

Mr. Ben Garlinghouse was in our village Tuesday with his $1,000 team; they are a fine span of blacks.

Thanks to the friends of Tecumseh Sunday schools for the invitation to accompany them to the Lake this week, but the invitation was too late to make the necessary arrangements.

Miss May Elginfritz of Monroe, is visiting Miss Belle Barlow this week.

Miss Emily Barstedo of Canada, made her aunt, Mrs. Jacob Arner, a short visit last week.

Friends to the number of 100 made Miss Belle Barlow a surprise last week Wednesday evening. Upwards of fifty were necessarily detained from attending. It was a genuine surprise and a success in every respect. After an hour of social amusement and enjoyment, refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served, after which Miss Barlow entertained her friends with some of her choice music, when her friends wished her many such a happy occasion and departed for their homes.

The concert given by the Sunday school, was largely attended and the exercises passed off nicely. The duet by Misses Jackson and Arner was grand, and the part taken by Miss Nellie Freer was worthy of comment. They will give another concert some time in the near future.

A number of the young people spent the evening very pleasantly at their friend, Miss Ida Pocklingtons, last Tuesday evening. After several hours of social enjoyment and glee, refreshments were served consisting of ice cream, lemonade and cake, followed by music furnished by Misses Barlow, Jackson and Arner, and not until a late hour was home thought of.

ONSTED ODDS.

Albert Daniels Jr. is buying hogs. He intends to ship a carload from here the last of the week.

The work on the grain elevator is progressing. J. Hanf the builder has been sick which has delayed the work some.

The M. & O. R. R. Co. have built stock yards at this place, and John Onsted has purchased and will soon have ready for use a pair of stock scales.

W. B. Raymond, the station agent at this place took a vacation Monday and Tuesday. Frank Allen took his place.

Edward Clark, from Oakland county spent last Sabbath at Nelson Kinneys. Miss Alice Kinney went home with him to visit with her sister Mrs. Clark.

The Western Fence Co. have a force of men stationed here. This will be their last stopping place on this road. The fence will be completed about September first.

William Onsted has staked out more village lots south of his house. Mr. Onsted will be right in the center of the town yet.

As Mr. A. Bedel and wife were crossing the railroad track at the station last Sabbath on their way to church their horse became frightened and overturned the buggy. Strange to say neither were seriously hurt.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF

Dust, hot weather, and flies, make country life unprofitable, and disagreeable.

John Kerr Jr. is in Manitoba, working on the R. R.

George Skinner is in Iowa prospecting.

Peter Bouton will move into Mrs. Skinner's house in a few days, and D. Hubbard will return to the old homestead.

The Lake Mills on account of drouth, can do but very little more than custom work.

The M. & O. R. R. will complete their fence through the town, this week, undoubtedly.

Our Postmaster seems to be considerably bothered, by friendly hand shaking candidates for office. You should not be a delegate to all the Republican conventions, Chas.

Many will take in the Soldiers Reunion at Devil's Lake this week.

Dr. J. Vaughn was a witness of the murder at Wash last Tuesday.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Charley Dell, of Battle Creek, is in town for a few days.

Miss Mary Keyes is visiting friends in Saline and Ann Arbor.

Prof. Laflin, the superintendent of our schools for the coming year, is moving into the house recently occupied by Prof. Smith.

The costume social last Wednesday evening at Mrs. John T. Clark's was largely attended and a good time reported.

Moses Bartlett and B. O. Randall took advantage of the excursion rates by the Lake Shore and have gone to New York.

Miss Lizzie Brooks intends to return to Gault, Canada to persue her musical studies next Monday.

Miss Scribner, of Kansas, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Bruce.

Miss Van Duyn, of Manchester, is spending a few days with Mrs. L. D. Pomeroy.

The Episcopal Social this Thursday evening, which will be held at Mr. Peter Kishpaugh's, will be serenaded by the Band.

Carl Burton, who has been spending the summer here, returned to Chicago last Saturday.

The Culvert across the road in front of the Methodist Church is being raised. A much needed improvement.

The Bridgewater farmers held their annual picnic last Saturday. A large crowd, good music, good speaking, and every one seemed to have a good time.

Prof. W. W. Wendell called on his many Clinton friends last Saturday and Sunday. He remains in Hudson next year.

Rev. Mr. Wallace, of Manchester, exchanges pulpits with Rev. Mr. Miller next Sunday, and will address the Blue Ribbon Club in the afternoon.

TO THE PEOPLE OF LENAWEE COUNTY.

As the time is drawing near for the seventh annual fair of the Agricultural society of Lenawee county, I wish to call your attention to the necessity of earnest assistance from all to help make success surely ours.

You are all aware of the departure or new enterprise we have undertaken, and in which your co-operation is most earnestly desired. Not only as a support and encouragement to your servants who are taking the brunt of the aggressive steps, but as a duty to yourselves and an organization which belongs to you to make successful, and which, if held to first principles is calculated to develop those industries upon which depends your prosperity. Our society has drifted six years without a home to call its own.

Now new light appears. A turn of the wheel of fortune has put us in possession of a fine tract of land well situated and having as many of the desirable qualifications for a first-class exhibition ground as can well be found in one piece of ground. We are confident that a start has been made in the right direction, and as time passes and improvements develop, it will be plain to all.

All will rejoice with the prospects of Lenawee county having one of the most attractive and best fair grounds in the state. Room for every one without being crowded.

Situated near the railroad stations, and all inside the corporation lines of the city.

We do not expect nor can you demand of us that all shall be in first class condition this year.

It takes time to improve such property. We are as a new family moved onto a new farm, and like them with limited resources to command. We must add little by little, move safely and sure. We feel sure that the people of the county will without complaint, get along with even limited accomodations for a short time, if they are on the right road to have in the near future, grounds and buildings in all their requirements.

The officers of the society are working earnestly and faithfully, and desire to see the largest attendance at the coming fair, both in exhibits and people that has ever been witnessed in the county. We should all take an active interest in this matter and contribute to the displays in the various departments of farm stock, seeds, agricultural products, household fabrics, etc., Above all give your moral attendance.

The premiums will be liberal. The accommodations for stock of all kinds will be good. The cottage plan for exhibition buildings will be unique and attractive. We will have a good one-half mile track. The grounds will be well supplied with water. The various railroads coming into the city will carry passengers at reduced rates. This appeal comes to you when we need your assistance, and it is none too soon to commence to calculate for your exhibits and to attend as visitors.

Premium lists will be out in a few days. The director in each township should be sure and get a supply for his locality and see that they get into the homes of the farmers, all who are likely to contribute to the fair. Premium lists will also be on hand at the society's office, with Geo. L. Bennett, opposite Tobey's bank.

Look out for posters and small bills.

GEO. B. HORTON, Pres't

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending August 19, 1884

In the matter of the complaint of Alfred L. Millard vs. Joseph Meach, dependent; order of continuance until August 25, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of John Wilson et al., minors, petition for citation filed; order for citation; hearing September 8, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Hiram C. Colbath, an insane person; affidavit of service filed; testimony taken; order of continuance until August 23, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased; application and notice of appeal from the decree allowing and admitting to probate the will of said deceased; bond on appeal; order allowing an appeal.

Estate of Sirrell C. LeBaron, deceased, bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Charles F. Clark, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond $5,000.

Estate of John J. Nachtrieb, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $4,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending August 19.

CLINTON.

Alonzo Clark to Geo. Belding. Lot 15, block 3. $575.

Fannie C. Flick to E. G. Cook. Land on sec 18. $2,200.

RIDGEWAY.

Jane Thompson to Catharine Cox. Land on sec 32. $700.

THE ALLEN GIRLS.

A NEW ENGLAND STORY.

"If it's bad to have money, it's worse to have none."

BY MISS KATE RICHMOND.

"If it's bad to have money, it's worse to have none," Lydia Allen chanted, as she turned to toss an armful of white work on the table behind her. She was sitting at her sewing-machine, where she had been all day except just the little while she had spent over her lunch. The lunch was dinner as well, since, being a house full of women, cold meat and berries and bread and butter took the place of the ceremonious meal that a man in the house would have made necessary.

Leah made no answer. Leah was putting in gussets and making buttonholes in the shirts that her sister stitched. It was close work, and kept her silent, but then Leah was always quiet.

Kitty tossed her round arms above her head, yawning with a little impatient emphasis.

"I *hate* poverty—don't you Leah?"

"Yes, dear—sometimes."

Kitty stopped with upraised arms to stare at her sister. The even stitches were going in just as rapidly and surely, the slow swings of the low rocking-chair vibrated as steadily, but Kitty felt that her own vehemence meant no more than the few placid, low-toned words.

"We are dreadfully poor," taking up her work again with a sigh.

And Leah said, "Yes, dear," again, and finished a buttonhole without raising her eyes.

They were pretty girls, both of them, but Leah at twenty-four was so gravely sober that to childish nineteen-years-old Kitty she seemed a generation away. Sweet and prim and dainty, she sat in her cool lawn and sewed as if it were an afternoon amusement instead of a struggle for bread and butter.

Kitty's silky, curling hair was twisted up anyhow on the top of her head. She had on an old white sacque, and her feet were thrust into a pair of burst and broken slippers. Kitty could never work except in a condition of disarray, and to-day there had been a special pressure.

There came a ring at the door.

"There!" in dismay. "You'll have to go, Leah, and whoever it is, say I'm out—I'm going out, to pick the strawberries."

Leah was quite used to being left to cover a retreat. She went quietly and opened the door for Richard Mason.

"Isn't Kitty at home?" They had always been schoolmates. "I specially wanted to see her."

"She is out—I mean—she is in the garden."

"Hanging out clothes?"

"As bad as that—picking berries. She won't want to see you, Dick. She has been hard at work all day."

"I understand; but I want to see her. There's to be a picnic at High Rock day after to-morrow, and you are both going."

"Are we?" smiling faintly. She turned and led the way to the sitting-room. Standing there in his handsome young manhood his presence seemed to fill the whole room. Leah looked up at him with admiring eyes.

"What is it?" with a laugh in his ——

"I was thinking—you've grown good-looking since you were a schoolboy."

"Thank you," not disclaiming the fact. "Now I'm going to find Kitty."

"At your own peril," but he took the risk readily enough, and found his way out through the house like one quite accustomed to it.

Leah took up her buttonholes with a weary little sigh.

"'It's worse to have none.'" The nursery jingle rang in her head. Just now Mason's coming made matters worse. He seemed so strong and buoyant, so able to control life. He was poor, too, but he had strength and brains and a man's chance to use them. If his feet were on the lower rungs of the ladder now, there was nothing to hinder his mounting to the leisure and luxury above.

"Six years," she thought, bitterly. "I get furious sometimes. No time for any thing but work. And Kitty's years going just as mine have gone."

The elm shadows were lengthening across the grassy yard. Little breaths of coolness came in at the open windows; a white moon began to show itself palely in the afternoon sky. She folded the last garments of the dozen, gathered up her scattered threads in a methodical fashion, and went out to lay the table for tea.

It was not an elaborate meal. There was bread and butter and plain light cake, and a heaping glass dish of berries. When all was ready, she looked at the table doubtfully.

"Dick will stay to tea," she thought; turning toward the cellar with a thought of the resources there.

"If I do, we shall go without at our lunch to-morrow," setting her lips. It was a trifle, but just now Leah Allen had come to a place where there are no trifles.

Mason was in the garden still. She could hear his voice and the treble of Kitty's laughter. They came in together, and Mrs. Allen followed them. Leah was like her mother in looks and manners; the same soft dark hair and fathomless, untroubled eyes. It was easy to guess what the younger woman would be with twenty more years over her head.

Kitty ran up the steep, narrow stairs to the low-ceiled chamber. Mason went back to the sitting-room with Leah.

"I want you to go. You have hardly been anywhere this summer. Kitty will say yes—with a word from you."

"I do not see—"

"There seems no reason why it should not be a success," ignoring her beginning of an objection, "and George Holland will be there."

"I do not know George Holland."

"That is precisely the strong part of my argument. I want you to know him. He is rich; he is wise; he is the best of good fellows."

Kitty came in then. Her toilets never took long. The disarray was all external. To kick off the ragged slippers and step into a pair of whole ones, to shake out and gather up into one loose coil the lovely hair that rippled and waved and dropped of itself in curly rings about her face, took only a minute. The white wrapper had its own finishings of frills and lace about the neck and wrists; the whole thing was complete in ten minutes. If Leah had the skirt and sacque and slippers to put in place by-and-by, at least Kitty never kept any one waiting.

That night, when Dick Mason had gone with a half-promise that his invitation would be accepted, and Kitty was gossiping in the moonlight with a girl friend, Leah and her mother sat on the cottage porch. Both had been quiet a long time. They had the gift of silence, these two women.

"Mother, if you had your life to live over, would you marry a poor man?"

Mrs. Allen did not answer for a long minute.

"If I loved him," she said, rather faintly.

"Leah did not know that her mother's marriage had been preeminently "a love match." Henry Allen had won her from a circle in which she was sought for and petted. He let her give up all the goods of life because she loved him, and then his fickle fancy tired of her. When he died, five years after their marriage, Mrs. Allen felt that as far as she was concerned life had not been a success. And still she said, true to her womanhood, "If I loved him," to her daughter's question.

"Does it pay, I wonder?" Leah said, again, moodily.

"It depends—a little. There are women—"

"And women," breaking in with a short laugh. "Mother, I shall marry for money—not an idiot nor a scoundrel, but certainly not a poor man."

And Kitty, singing to herself as she ran across the street through the flickering elm shadows, was thinking of the glories of Fanny Gorham's bridal outfit. The afternoon rhyme came to her lips: "If it's bad to have money, it's worse to have none."

And as if some fatality ruled the subject, Kitty repeated her sister's question when they were alone together that night.

"Leah, would you marry a poor man?"

"No," calmly.

"But I thought—" half bewildered.

"You thought I did not believe in mercenary marriages. Well—one learns. I know myself better now."

She went on plaiting the heavy braids with deft fingers, and said no more.

The last bundle of work went away from the house the next day. In the summer lull in business there was leisure in the Allen household.

"Now we can make over our old dresses," Kitty said, as if the opportunity were a privilege. "I am going to finish the last chapter of *Anne*, and write two letters."

"And go to the picnic to-morrow?"

"Yes, if Dick comes again to see about it."

Dick came that afternoon. The arrangement as it had originally stood had been that the two girls were to share the Mason carriage with Dick himself, his mother and sister. But, as Dick informed Kitty with perfect composure, Charley Morse was coming with an invitation. He had passed him on the way. Charley did not know of Dick's arrangement, and Kitty was to take her choice with the old schoolgirl freedom.

"Charley, of course," Kitty said, watching him sharply.

"I supposed so," with perfect good temper. "But I say, Kitty, if you were one of my own sisters—"

"Well, if I were one of your own sisters?"

"Your gown, you know."

"Yes, I know," mockingly. "It's very kind of you, Dick."

The blood ran into his face.

"Of course you know I don't mind. You are Kitty, and that's enough for me, in any thing. But a stranger—and Charley is so fastidious—and he'll be here in a minute."

She thrust out a small ragged foot.

"It is rather awful. I'll go and make myself fine. Don't you be afraid, Dick."

And not another glimpse of her did he get, though he lingered to the last possible minute.

Leah sat and swung placidly in her low rocker. Her cheap, neat-patterned lawn was as fresh as when she put it on three days ago; the lace-work in her slim hands looked elegant trifling instead of having a money value for every inch. Dick's presence did not interfere with her train of thought; they had been neighbors all their lives; she had known him from the day when he attained his first jacket. So whether he talked or was silent it did not matter.

"What a wife you'd make for a poor man," he said, suddenly, out of a long pause.

It seemed as if every one who approached her in some way touched the trouble in her mind. She did not reply, looking at him with a kind of pained smile and going on with her lace.

It looked a very pretty summer picture—the girl in the shady porch, the handsome, idle youth lounging on the steps at her feet. George Holland thought so, driving past.

The stylish horses in their glittering harness, the elegance of the light vehicle behind them, caught Leah's attention.

"Who is it?" she asked, rather abruptly.

"George Holland."

He did not tell her, as he might have done, that Holland, having seen her at church the Sunday before, had left no stone unturned to find her out. If Leah had only known it, the cream-colored bunting over which she had hesitated so long in the buying was destined to be rather an important factor in that summer's history.

She had one of those sweet, pure New England faces, flower-like in delicacy, and yet almost severe in unobtrusive strength. The thoughtful dark eyes were deep and shadowy; her mouth had an unconscious sadness in its sweet curves. In her ivory-hued dress and bonnet she looked not unlike some precious bit of carving in the dusk of the hot, dim church.

George Holland could afford fancies. He was thirty-five, rich, and alone in the world. It was new riches coming after years of grinding poverty. Five years of possession had not worn off the charm of novelty. Perhaps he overvalued his new estate; certainly there were excuses for him if he did.

So Kitty went to the picnic with Charley Morse, and Leah occupied a part of the back seat of the Mason carriage, and chatted contentedly with Mrs. Mason all the way out to the High Rock.

The Allen girls, living all their days in this quiet country village where in childhood at least the lines were not very sharply drawn between the different social grades, had known as school playmates every other girl in the party. There was no question of education or breeding; it was simply the want or possession of money that made the difference between them. As the Allen fortunes had contracted little by little, Leah had dropped out of the village festivities. She could not afford the time nor the strength to keep up the struggle for appearances at the cost it involved. It was easier to accept the life of renunciation that lay before her, to spend her few hours of leisure over a book or her music. The world is all alike down to its very smallest piece. Slip out of the channel, and the current does not go out of its way to follow you. Leah's associates had always been older than herself. Most of them were married now, and that helped to make her feel that she belonged to a bygone generation.

The day was pleasant enough—a good deal like other days. It was only as they were preparing to come home that any thing out of the ordinary happened.

She had met George Holland, and had looked at him with a new standard of measurement in her mind. She found him quietly commonplace, not obtrusive and not young. There was nothing knightly about him. Leah had had her ideals like other girls.

They had waited for the sunset, and now under a white full moon they were starting on their homeward ride.

She stood leaning against a tree-trunk, wondering idly why Dick did not come to summon her. She was quite alone; most of the others had already gone. A step crushed among the crisp moss beside her. She turned with a smile, and it was George Holland.

"Mr. Mason sent me," with grave politeness. "Something has happened to his carriage, and there will necessarily be a change of arrangement about going home. Miss Mason will go with your sister. Will you allow me to drive you?"

Leah's heart gave a quick little bound—a half-guilty one. It was of Holland that she was thinking as he came up, not with any girlish flutterings or specious self-deceiving—just coolly making up her mind with the hard, clear, logical, directness of the New England mental processes.

He had thought as he approached her how sweet and pure and utterly unworldly she looked. And she was saying to herself:

"If he asks me, I will marry him."

There were ways enough. Other girls did as much for the men they cared for, and no one blamed them or thought they had overstepped the bounds of maidenly propriety. And just then his voice sounded in her ears.

For the first few minutes of the ride very little was said. Leah had never had a flirtation in her life. The matter before her was dead, solemn earnest. Her small hands lay lightly clasped in her lap; the soft evening wind blew her hat back on her neck, and she did not replace it. The moon shone full on her face, and deepened the shadows of the long lashes against her cheek.

"I fear I am rather a dull companion," he said, at last. "It has not come in my way to talk to young ladies much."

"Are young ladies different from other people—in their conversational demands, I mean?"

"Yes, rather. That is, I know very little about them; I am not a society man."

"Are you not?" She felt a half-contempt for the self-consciousness that began with an apology.

"No. But," cheerfully, "neither am I an artist or poet."

"I hope you are a good driver," a little sharply.

A rabbit had rushed across the road under the horses' noses. The impatient beasts improved the occasion. They reared and plunged and broke into a dead run. The wood road was narrow and rough; the light vehicle swung from side to side. Leah caught her breath and braced herself in her seat. He was busy with his horses. When he checked them at last, and had time to look at her, apparently she had not moved a muscle. He could not see that the hands lying in her lap were clenched like iron.

"You are a wonderful girl," he said, nonestly. "I expected you to scream. Turn your face to the light and let me see you. How white you are! Were you frightened?"

"Yes."

That was all she said. Her lips were too unsteady. At heart she was a horrible coward, but she had the pluck and pride not to betray herself often.

"Well, there was reason. We had about one chance out of four of not being overturned. As I was saying, I am neither a poet nor a painter."

"I suppose I should be afraid of you if you were. I never knew a man who was either."

"But I *have* learned to drive," smiling, "fortunately for both of us. All my life long it has been the practical that has been uppermost," half sadly.

"I do not know that you need regret that. I think it is the practical that comes first in most lives."

"In your life?"

"Decidedly!" There was a sharp little ring in her voice.

"I have always been a poor man," he said, deliberately. "Does poverty make a man better or worse?"

She caught her breath again, as if she were on the verge of a hysterical outbreak. Perhaps her fright had broken up her unusual calm—Leah Allen was not a woman who turned her life inside out for all eyes.

"I know one woman whose temper is about ruined by it. I am very poor myself."

Perhaps he thought he had gone far enough. His next sentence was as quietly commonplace, as any thing Charley Morse would have said.

Kitty had reached home first. It was quite natural that she should come to the gate to meet them as they drove up. It struck Leah with a kind of surprise, as she realized all at once how very pretty her sister had grown to be. Looking up, she saw her own surprise reflected in Holland's face with a warmer sense of admiration.

Leah's getting ready for sleep was always a protracted process. She had a hundred little old-maidish ways of disposing of her belongings. Kitty, whose room was always a drift of garments, used to curl up on the foot of the bed and gossip over the day's happenings. When Leah reached the last braid Kitty knew her time had come, and fled. To-night Leah was a long time in reaching that last braid, and Kitty was unusually silent.

"Have you had a nice day?" she asked, at length.

"Very nice," abruptly.

"Do you like George Holland?"

Leah was busy folding a ribbon she had worn. She did not answer at once.

"I do not dislike him," in her slow way.

"I am going to marry that man, if I can make him ask me. I am sick to death of this struggle for mere existence. Other girls have time for dress and amusement. I cannot bear it, and I will not."

Leah turned in amusement. Kitty has raised herself on her elbow. She was very pale and her eyes were unnaturally large and bright.

After all, it was only her own determination. She felt herself incapable of reply or remark, turning away again with a weary half sigh.

After that day life seemed to run in a new channel for the Allen girls. Where Mason had come once before, he came twice now, walking into the house at all hours and on all pretences. Holland had been at the house three times before ten days had gone. He did not always talk much; when he did, it was with a curious absence of personality. Leah never had to complain of his self-consciousness in those times. He talked to her and looked at Kitty.

One day there came a note from Mrs. Herrick, Holland's cousin. She had some sort of a lawn party on her mind, and there were invitations for Leah and Kitty.

"Wear your white hunting and tea roses," a pencilled line to Leah said. "I have a special reason."

And Leah wore the white hunting and tea roses, "by request," smiling to herself over her own special reason—the want of another gown.

By contrast Kitty put on some thin black dress, a relic of other years, that with a little silk and lace and judicious bits of jet was pretty still for evening wear.

That night there was good parlor music—a piano deftly played, a violin that seemed to dissolve in the sweet Strauss waltzes. Leah Allen, floating down the long parlors in Dick Mason's arms, with softly flushed cheeks and wide luminous eyes, was something more than just an ordinary pretty girl.

Quiet and colorless as her life seemed, there was in her a vein of something that touched the edge of the realm of art. Like many another woman of our frozen North, she was dumb. She neither sang nor played, and she had not the gift of tongues. By the law of contradiction, perhaps, she danced as if a spirit possessed her feet.

It was three years since her last taste of the one enthusiasm of her life. As the waltz ended she paused a minute by Mason's side as the last strain left them. His arm half held her; she looked up into his face with a sigh of supreme satisfaction. Mason was the best waltzer in town, and the dance had been perfection. He smiled back, understanding her completely. And then she met Holland's eyes fixed on her with a look that drove the blood out of her face.

He hardly said a dozen words to her all the evening. He did not dance, and in the intervals he was with Kitty.

Mrs. Herrick found a minute for a private speech with Leah.

"Don't let that pretty sister of yours flirt with my cousin, unless she is prepared for serious consequences. George never gave up a fancy in his life."

"I don't think Kitty is a flirt," Leah said, thoughtfully.

"Only to put you on your guard, my dear. George Holland is one of those dreadful men who are in dead earnest all their lives through."

After that Leah watched her sister with keener eyes. She made a discovery that took her by surprise. Dick Mason was watching Kitty, too, with a thunderous cloud on his handsome face. It gave Leah a sense of things gone wrong in the world. Dick Mason had always seemed like one of themselves. That Kitty could bring that pained look into his eyes was the last thing she would ever have dreamed.

He came and bent over her chair with an air of confident friendliness that to a looker on might have seemed to have a tender meaning of its own.

"What does it mean? Does she care for that man?"

"I don't know. I'm all adrift. Take me home, Dick. No one will miss me."

But one man at least missed her, and found the zest quite gone from his evening. He got himself out of the house, and taking all his chances in the malarial damp of the summer night, came to a conclusion as the gray dawn crept up the east.

"He never shall have her. Good fellow as he is, he is no more worthy of her than—I am. But I can understand her, thank Heaven, and he never will."

And "he" was Dick Mason, and the "her" Leah Allen.

A month slid by. Mason haunted the house, and Holland's evenings away were the exception. Mason was sulky, Holland cool, watchful, non-committal, Leah silent, and Kitty as brilliant and uncertain as a glancing flame.

"If we were young ladies of leisure, it might be amusing. As it is, does the game pay for the candle?" Kitty said.

They were sewing at midnight, to make up for the afternoon and evening hours. Mason had stopped on his way home from the bank, and had staid to tea. With the twilight Holland had come in.

"It shall pay," answering her own question. "And George Holland is the stake," with a hard laugh and tightening of the lips.

Leah did not answer.

"Not that I care," looking her sister in the face. "If he asks you, Leah, I shall be glad. It doesn't matter much only it seems to be me."

"Yes," Leah assented.

They were not girls to waste words. Matters went on as before. If Kitty drove with Holland one day, and came back to find Mason sitting gloomily beside Leah, why, it was Leah's turn next day, and Mason had the comfort of spending the time in trying to please an absent-minded, preoccupied young woman who seemed not to know either his mind or her own.

Kitty's black dress was in strings; the white bunting was no longer fresh.

"It ought to have lasted another year," Leah said, with regretful emphasis.

"Blessed old dud! It was that dress that procured us the honor of Mr. Holland's friendship, as he tells me once in three days. He has likened you to every thing, from a calla-lily to the Sphinx. It ought to have been you, Leah, I think."

"Do you mean—" quickly.

"No, I don't. He is quite as inscrutable as he was the first day he came here. I wish for Dick's sake he would speak and have it over with."

"For Dick's sake! Kitty, do you care for Dick?"

Kitty's fingers trembled a little over the rent she was darning.

"Care for him? Of course I do. I hope I am good Christian enough to care for all human kind;" and then her voice broke. "What is the use? I know what you mean, Leah. Girls as poor as we are can't indulge in the luxury of 'caring' for a poor man. George Holland has money and is respectable!—and if he asks me to marry him, I shall say yes."

"But, Kitty," hesitatingly, "if you love Dick—"

"That has nothing to do with it. And I don't at all know that Dick loves me. Besides, you said it yourself, you would never marry a poor man."

"But this is different."

"Don't talk about it any more," taking up her work and speaking with cold decision. "Suppose I should marry Dick—I mean in the event of his asking me—what would become of mother and you?"

Leah said no more.

That afternoon George Holland's black horses stood again at the door. Leah was coming down the staircase as he ran up the steps to the open door.

It is a lovely day."

"Lovely," with regretful eyes going beyond him in the afternoon brightness. He saw the wistful look.

"Come and see how pleasant it is on the lake road."

She hesitated a little. Play now meant work by night. But Kitty loved Dick Mason, and if it was true that there must be a sacrifice in the family; and perhaps Kitty might be wrong in her opinion of his preference. She doubted sometimes if Kitty understood him thoroughly. As for her, she loved no one; and then her heart beat hard again.

It took only a breath or two for that and the half-desperate resolve to save Kitty if any womanly art could do it. She raised her eyes to his face—those soft, dark eyes—with all her trouble showing in them. He could not read their meaning, he saw only the shadows.

"You look as if a little of the out-of-doors would not hurt you," he said.

"Thank you. I will go. You will go in to mother and Kitty?"

"No. Thanks. I will stop here. Pardon me—I torbid a toilet," as she turned to mount the stairs again. "We cannot afford the time, you know."

So Leah's shade-hat went on with the afternoon dress—a white one with inexpensive Hamburg trimmings. At the door a cluster of roses, the very last of the season, burned their fragrant red fire. She paused to gather them. The stem was tough; she stooped and bit the stalk with her sharp little teeth. She uttered a low exclamation, and drew her handkerchief across her lips. A thorn had brought the blood.

"Did you hurt yourself?"

"It is nothing," with a short laugh. "One has to take the thorns with the roses;" but the commonplace did not sound so commonplace as she said it.

Half the cluster she twisted into her belt. The other half she fastened at her throat. There was nothing shrinking nor repellent in her manner to-day. He felt it in a half-unconscious fashion. The snow maiden was suddenly alive, with life in her eyes and warm blood burning in her cheeks. Once before he had seen the transfiguration, but that was under the spell of music and—Dick Mason's presence. He looked at the red roses on her breast, and then into her face, with a sense of the harmony between the woman and her flowers.

To all seeming he was busy with his horses' head-gear. She did not know that he had looked at her, even. He seemed to her always cold, unimpulsive, self-absorbed.

Out through the summer afternoon among the shadows of the wood roads to the blue edge of the lake among the hills. Clearly it was his duty to offer some remark to the lady by his side, but for three miles not a word was said. Three miles of silence. Leah stirred a little restively.

"Your village is a pretty place," he said, absently.

"In summer—yes."

"And not in winter? You do not like the country in winter?"

"I know nothing of any thing else. This place has always been my home."

"And you would not care for the city?" waking up to the situation, apparently.

Leah was in a high-strung mood that exaggerated every thing. She was resentfully conscious of his hesitation, his absent-mindedness, the effort with which he brought himself back to her presence.

"It was Kitty he wanted," she thought. "And Kitty doesn't love him, and she does love Dick Mason."

He was saying, "I can fancy, Miss Leah, that you would find your element there. Music, and color and life—the intense, sympathetic life of a crowd. You would like it after a little."

"I should be lost, I am afraid," smiling faintly. "I belong among the half hues, the negatives, I think."

"Who told you that? I don't know of a woman in the world more emphatically capable of deep tones than yourself."

He was quite awake now.

"It is rather unfortunate," dryly. "I am not likely to come in contact with much that this place does not afford."

"When the fairy prince comes you'll scorn the imputation, but then you are dreaming now—you'll be o'er the hills and far away into all kinds of wonders."

"Shall I? I cannot imagine a fairy prince, or one of any variety, coming into Lakeden."

"And till he comes—you'll never marry?" looking away from her.

"I have hardly thought as far as that," coldly. She could not control her voice.

"No, I suppose not. Women are different." He was still looking away from her; his own voice was not cold, rather broken and unsteady. "As for me, I'm no longer a young man. Years ago, when I stood alone face to face with the world, I said to myself that I would never ask a woman to share my struggle. Now that there is no longer any need of hardship, I find that I have hardly the courage to ask a woman to share the easy life that my new riches has opened to me. It seems some way as if I was simply buying a wife."

It was more like a soliloquy than any speech that required answer. Leah did not speak. Was that the way he talked to Kitty?

"Sometimes I am conscious of a kind of pity for myself, as if there were nothing more lonely in the world than my life. I can't even work. I have tried to interest myself in the old pursuits, and there is no motive behind it. I can't do it."

"If I were a *man*, with money, I should neither ask pity, nor feel that I deserved it."

She looked him straight in the face. There was a touch of scorn in the expression of her lips and in the sound of her voice. She began to be interested in him, to the extent at least of wanting him to assert his man's prerogative of dominant strength.

"You know what it is to be poor, you say. But to be poor and a woman—you do not know that!"

She flung out her hands with palms turned outward, this woman who never made a gesture, and then dropped them with a shivering sigh.

"Is it so bad as that?" he asked, gently.

She did not answer him. The horses walking over the sandy road among the pines. There was no sound but the soft crushing of their hoofs and the wheels. This was no unconscious self-betrayal in which he had been indulging. He meant to win this woman for his wife, and if one means of approach failed, he should try another. That he believed Dick Mason loved her did not matter in the least to him. Dick would console himself elsewhere. If she loved Dick, that would have been a different matter—perhaps.

"I think," he said, slowly, "there may be brighter days in store for both of us. Would you marry a man you did not love, Miss Leah?"

The question was so irrelevant, so unexpected! She flung it back at him.

"Would you marry a woman who did not love you, Mr. Holland?"

It took him off his guard a little.

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DALTON, Mass., June 9, 1884.

Dr. Kennedy—Dear Friend:—Thinking you might like to hear again from an old patient, I am going to write you. It is now three and a half years since first I went to see you. As I told you then I was troubled with kidney disease for about fifteen years, and had seven of the best doctors to be found; but I received only temporary relief until I visited you and commenced taking your "Favorite Remedy." I continue taking the Remedy according to your directions, and now consider myself a well man. Very gratefully yours, PETER LAWLER.

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THE ALLEN GIRLS.

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"If I loved her and believed in nerves." He said it slowly; there was a kind of sweetness, almost a solemnity in his voice. It was almost as if he were repeating a vow to himself. "Yes, I think I should be strong enough for even that, and she would love me at last, if patient endeavor could win her."

The tears came into her eyes. There was no purpose in that, George Holland *was* worth something beside his money. She looked up into his face, not trying to hide her own.

Why did he not speak the final words then? He never could tell himself. Perhaps at heart he was a coward, and dared not face defeat. Perhaps it was easier to linger awhile longer in the shadow of uncertainty, rather than meet the bare, hard fact of refusal.

He touched his horses lightly with the whip and they sprang forward. The spell was broken. With the rapid motion they flung all personal subjects behind them. They talked of the hills and Lakeden in winter, and he told her of his life in India and Australia and the ends of the earth.

The next morning, without a word to any one, he went to New York.

When he stood again in Lakeden post-office a week's accumulation of mail awaited him. He was carelessly looking over his handful of letters and papers, standing with his back to a group of loungers on the porch. Out of the hum of voices came as distinctly as if spoken for his benefit the words:

"Both the Allen girls are down with the smallpox."

He felt, as if some one had struck him. He did not turn for a minute, standing quite still. When he had got his balance again, he walked out among the idlers.

"Who is their doctor?" he asked, in a matter-of-fact way.

"Dr. Sprague;" and then there was a silence.

They looked after him as he walked away.

"He was courting the youngest one," some one remarked.

"Bad business for her. She was as pretty as a picture sometimes."

Dr. Sprague was in his office. Holland and the young man had grown very friendly in the few weeks of his stay in Lakeden. The doctor confirmed the story.

"Who is taking care of them?"

"Their mother."

"Yes, of course; but she has help, I suppose?"

"She is quite alone."

"You don't mean that that woman is alone, absolutely alone, in the house with two cases of small-pox?"

"I do mean just that. Remember that you are in the country and among Yankees. Prudence and a traditional horror of the disease will relieve her from all annoyance from callers."

"Where are the Masons?"

"Out of town, unfortunately. Lizzie Mason—the only one at home—and my landlady send in every thing they have to eat. I take it myself."

"But they might get a professional nurse."

"They might—yes, if they had money. But one would have to come from the city, and the Allens are poor—probably you do not know how poor?"

"No."

"They own that place without a cent of income. That is all. Food, clothing, taxes, every thing, those two girls have earned with their needles."

"Good Heavens!"

"Perhaps you can see now that there cannot be any wide margin for the luxuries or even the necessities of life."

George Holland walked twice the length of the narrow office before he spoke.

"There ought to be a man in the house."

"One would be a convenience, certainly."

"And I am going there."

Dr. Sprague looked at him curiously.

"I suppose you see all it involves?"

Holland turned sharply.

"See here. The day before I went to New York I did every thing but ask Leah Allen to be my wife. If she gets well, I shall give her the chance to accept or refuse, as she chooses."

"She can't well refuse. Think twice."

"I don't want her to."

That afternoon Mrs. Allen, half asleep in her arm-chair between the two beds, heard a man's step behind her. She was too worn out to turn her head.

"I've had a hard day, doctor," she said, faintly.

There was no answer. Holland stood looking about the rooms. Every bit of superfluous furniture had been removed. The windows were darkened, but the carpetless floors and bare walls looked comfortless enough. A narrow bedstead stood on each side of the room. Under the white covering of each a motionless figure lay outstretched.

"It is I, Mrs. Allen. I have come to stay with you till this is over."

"You!" in blank amazement. "I don't understand."

"There is nothing very strange. Dr. Sprague told me. I have had the disease, and I am not in the least afraid of it. I have taken the liberty of sending to New York for a nurse. She will be here on the midnight train, and Dr. Sprague will bring her up."

"I don't understand."

"Then you will have to take me on trust," smiling. "I am here, and you can't turn me out. I have a fire under the kettle boiling below. I am a tolerable cook along with my other good qualities, and I shall bring you a cup of tea in a few minutes."

The nurse came that night—a strong-armed, unemotional, skilful machine. But fearful days followed. Help in the kitchen was not of course to be thought of. Holland had all kinds of deft, helpful ways. He cooked with a woman's handiness and a man's skill. Mrs. Allen, busy with her invalid messes and forgetting herself, found food ready for her without thought of her own. The nurse ate with the same mechanical regularity that she did every thing else. Holland and Sprague had more than one interview in pantry and kitchen, and found a good deal of fun in the new attitude of affairs. The doctor was the one channel of communication with the well, untainted outside world.

"How that woman does eat, to be sure!" Holland said, ruefully. "She has ordered beefsteak and onions for to-day. How do you cook 'em?"

"I'll ask Mrs. Smith. It isn't in a book anywhere, I suppose?"

Poor Mrs. Allen! She had given up every thing in her anxiety. They could not even take their beefsteak-and-onion problem to her. And though she knew well enough the tempest of conjecture and criticism and unkindly remark that George Holland's presence in the house would arouse, the nearer misery of these days shut it all out. As for him, he never thought of it. I suppose if he had, he would not have cared. He had lived too long outside of conventionalities.

In the long days when he was not housekeeping he wandered about the still rooms with a strange feeling of treading on sacred ground. Mrs. Allen had given him the freedom of the house with trembling lips. He smoked his cigars wherever he pleased; the feeling of sacredness did not hinder that sort of incense burning.

At sundown one night Dr. Sprague came.

Holland came in from the kitchen. He was in his shirt-sleeves, and there was a dash of flour in his moustache. He looked hot and cross.

"I've been baking biscuit," he said, "and saleratus is the devil."

"Why don't you use baking powder?"

"Because you were not here to send for it."

"I will bring it in the morning. I shall stay here to-night," gravely.

Holland looked at him.

"The turning point comes to-night for both of them," answering the unspoken question. "And the end is doubtful."

He came back to Holland after a while. All night the two men sat in the dimly-lighted porch. At intervals Sprague went to the sick-room. Holland did not leave his chair. The brief summer night went on. He heard the hours strike in the house; the great, slow stars went on and down their short circuit. At dawn, after a longer stay than usual doctor came back.

"They are going to get well," he said, "but how I don't dare think. Next to the way I've struggled for those girls' lives I've fought for their complexions."

"Will you come up now?"

Holland started up. He was still in the house. Indeed the inmates were by no means out of quarantine, though the nurse had gone back, and all sorts of disinfecting disturbances had been going on for some days.

He stood in the room. He knew that the two sisters were there, dressed, waiting for him, but he stood on the threshold without raising his eyes.

"How do you do, Mr. Holland?" It was Kitty's voice, tremulous and high-keyed with weakness. And still he did not look up.

"O, you may look at Leah," Kitty went on, querulously. "*She* won't shock you; but you may keep your eyes off me, if you please."

He crossed the room and took the two wasted hands that Leah held out to him.

"My dear," he said, "I vowed that if this minute ever came, I should ask the question that I left unspoken the last time I saw you. Will you be my wife?"

Kitty sprang to her feet.

"Leah, you sha'n't! George Holland, she is only selling herself to you because we are so poor. You think because she has been so ill and has lost her beauty that she will say yes."

"Kitty!" Leah's voice sounded clear and stern. But Kitty's hysterical excitement was at too high flood to be checked by a word.

"You came into the house when no one else would come: you have kept us from starvation, I believe; and now you spoil it all by this. Leah shall not marry you."

She stumbled back into her chair with a sob.

"You know just how people will talk about us. It is the price we shall have to pay for being kept alive. And you think it will force her to accept you."

Without one other word, George Holland dropped the hand he held, and went out of the room and out of the house. Dr. Sprague was not in his office. He shut himself into an inner room, and waited. The doctor came after he had had an hour for reflection, and brought him a card with a feebly pencilled line over Leah's name:

"Do not go away till I have seen you again."

"So that little termagant has been giving you a piece of her mind. Dick Mason will have his hands full some day."

"Dick Mason?"

"Yes. If you hadn't been the blindest of infatuated owls, you would have seen that he has been jealous as a Turk all summer. That's an old affair."

"Dick Mason and Kitty!"

"Don't you see that Kitty's question cuts both ways? You had better make them understand that you did play Providence first out of humanity, and then offer to marry one of them to save their feelings. You are a wellmeaning young man, but you are an awful blunderer."

"Yes, thank you," reaching out vaguely for his hat. "I'll go up and make it right."

"No, you won't to-day. You've done quite enough for one day."

Mrs. George Holland finished her convalescence on board her husband's yacht. They had been at sea a month, and Leah had learned the secret of keeping her feet even in a half gale.

Looking at her now with the sea-brown on forehead and cheek, unscarred if not so smooth and clear as of old, George Holland was thinking that she looked far younger than in the days when he had first known her. She looked up and caught his eyes fixed on her. She went over to his side; it was in the twilight, and the shadow of the sail.

"George," she said, "there is one question you have never asked me."

"I wonder what?"

"No matter. Look at me"—creeping closer to his side—"I love you, dear."

They wintered in the Mediterranean.

As the weeks passed Kitty—Kitty was with them—got back something of her lost bloom. She had perseveringly refused to see Dick Mason before she left home—poor Dick who had pleaded with all his eloquence. Even his little notes went back unopened. But toward spring she spoke of him once, the first time, voluntarily.

It was not long after that that the yacht made a quick run to Cowes. "To meet a friend," Holland said.

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ESTATE OF RAY B. SMITH.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 4th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John B. Smith, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. BIRDS, Probate Register. Aug

ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin B. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the expenses of administration thus far incurred, that the Commissioners on Claims have filed their report in this court, and that the amount of claims against said estate exceed the assets of said estate that has come to his hands as such administrator, that he is ready to file his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, and that said court order the payment of the residue of said assets as a dividend among the creditors and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of September next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF CHAS. H. ADLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

On reading and filing the petition, of Frederick Gmohling, guardian of said minor, praying for license to sell the interest of said minor in certain real estate in said petition described, for the reasons and purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate
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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

John J. Rector, Complainant.

vs.

Della Shurtz, Harry H. Shurtz, and Joseph Lanning, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1884; I the subscriber a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 10th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the village of Tecumseh, at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27) and opposite of the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day; thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links; thence south one (1) degree and six (6) minutes east fifteen (15) chains and nineteen (19) links parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running easterly and westerly, through said section twenty-seven (27); thence westerly along the center of said last described road eleven (11) chains and thirty-eight (38) links to place of beginning, excepting and reserving therefrom about one and a half acres thereof sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler; also excepting lot numbered 251 sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton; also excepting a further parcel of land situate and adjoining said Saddler lot upon its north side sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler; also excepting and reserving therefrom that parcel thereof conveyed by Wm. Teachout and wife to Elizabeth Jordan by deed bearing date November 19, 1867, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 87 of deeds on pages 183 &c., being ten (10) acres of land more or less.

Dated July 23, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE.
E. B. WOOD, Circuit Court Commissioner.
Solicitor for Complainant.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Macon Lenawee county, Michigan on the 6th day of September, 1884, and on the 22d day of January, 1885, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 22d day of July, A.D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated at Macon, this 22d day of July, 1884.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 28, 1884

The Democratic and National State Conventions did a good work. A strong ticket was placed in the field which will gather in the entire National and Democratic votes of the State. Anybody cannot carry Michigan this year. Should David Preston be the Union nominee for governor, it will be a very interesting three cornered contest.

Grover Cleveland's letter of acceptance has met with a most favorable response. It is not an essay on current political history during the past twenty years, nor is it a dissertation on the tariff. He says just enough and says it in a brief and manly fashion. Every voter in the land will read it, and after reading it, will comprehend what it means. Every line is characteristic of the man.

Capt. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, is the Republican nominee for Congress in this district. The three contestants for the honor were Capt. Miller, of Adrian, Gen. Spaulding, of Monroe, and Capt. Allen. On the first formal ballot Miller's vote was thrown for Allen, which nominated him. Col. Eldredge was renominated by the Democratic convention yesterday.—The contest will be a lively one, but we believe Col. Eldredge will get there.

The recent racket in the editorial rooms of the Detroit Evening Journal has already had a good effect. Witness the following taken from its columns:

It is not the province of the decent newspaper—even the political newspaper—to slander and smirch the private life of an individual simply for the purpose of defeating him for office. This is especially true of the independent newspaper. The Evening Journal is strickly an independent newspaper, and during the campaign, which now promises to be even more torrid than this present August weather, it will preserve its independence pure and simple. Those bitter partisans who take delight in reading of the skeletons that inhabit the closets of public men and the scandals that hang to the coat-tails of Presidential candidates will look elsewhere for their favorite reading matter—they will not find it in the columns of the Evening Journal. If it be asked how it was that this paper has heretofore in one notable instance departed from this principle, it may only be said, at present, that Providence works in an inscrutable way His wonders to perform, and out of clouds of sorrow and curses often come benefits and benedictions.

WHEN THE CAMPAIGN OPENS.

When the campaign opens, none will mistake its meaning. It will not bring to the fore the false or grossly exaggerated scandals which have been the daily food of party organs and party hummers during the last month. It will not present the inquiry when, where, to whom or under what circumstances one candidate was married a generation ago, nor will it consider what mountain of defamation may have been magnified out of a mole hill in the social life of another candidate half a generation ago. Neither such brutal spewings from the campaign liars of the day, nor the general or circumstantial defense of the assailed candidates, will have any important part in the great battle. There will be petty organs and mean orators to retail exploded and nauseating scandals, because they can understand nothing that is nobler or better; but when the campaign opens, the people and the leaders of the people, will hurl the partisan scavengers out of sight and out of hearing, and the issues, the principals of the contest will be discussed, considered and decided with a degree of intelligence and independence unequaled in all past political struggles.

When the campaign opens some weeks hence, party organs and orators will cease the sensational scandal trade, for the good reason that the people of all parties will resolutely resent them. There will then be a demand—a general and imperious demand—for the sober discussion of the problems of honest government, of reduced taxes, of a surplus of scores of millions exacted from the depressed business of the country, and of protection to labor. These are grave problems; problems which directly affect every honest laborer, banker, merchant, manufacturer, and business man in every section of the country, and they will rise above the poisoned mists of campaign scandals and dissipate them like the god of day in his morning flood of light.—Philadelphia Times.

THE TALLAPOOSA.

Commander Mervy Makes His Report Regarding the Sinking of the Vessel.

An Estimate of the River and Harbor Improvements—A Call for $10,000,000 Three Per Cent. Government Bonds.

REPORT OF THE LOSS OF THE TALLAPOOSA.

WASHINGTON, August 26.—Commander Mervy has made his report to the Secretary of the Navy upon the loss of the Tallapoosa: "On August 21, at 11:15, about four miles off East Chop Light, Mass., by collision with three masted schooner, James L. Lowell, the Tallapoosa was sunk. The Tallapoosa lies in nine fathoms of water at high tide. At the time of the collision the Tallapoosa was steaming with one boiler, half-power, against the flood tide and a strong wind from the southwest, and going over the ground about eight and one-half knots per hour. The weather was hazy near the horizon, but clear overhead. The red and green lights of the schooner were sighted about two points on the starboard bow, we showed our green light. To give her more room the Tallapoosa put her helm to starboard. All at once the schooner luffed and showed her red light. The collision was then inevitable. The schooner struck the steamer just forward of the fore rigging on the starboard side, cutting below the water line nearly amidships. It was evident that the Tallapoosa would sink, and every effort was made to clear the berth, deck, foreroom and ward room. All hands were called to abandon the ship, and officers and men went quickly to the boats. The ship sunk bow first, the bow apparently striking bottom before the stern began to sink. Before the stern went down the men were ordered into the rigging. The Executive officer, Chief Engineer and nine men, besides the Commander, took to the rigging. The ship sank in five minutes. The schooner anchored, and the men were picked up in boats and taken to her. The schooner sent a boat to assist. Another schooner also took thirty-six men. The steamer Gate City was hailed and stopped at the time and kindly provided for officers and men, and took them to Wood's Holl. The deaths of Passed Assistant Surgeon C. C. Black and George Foster, landsman, are reported. William O'Donnell and William Jones are also missing, but are known to be safe. As many as could be spared have been ordered to Boston and officers ordered home. The colliding schooner was a large vessel with 1,100 tons of coal on board. She was not seriously damaged, but leaks about the bow, her cutwater and some of her wood ends being started. One officer and seven men were left on board of her for assistance, after being towed into harbor. She declined further assistance.

IMPROVEMENTS AT HELL GATE.

General Newton has made a report upon the work of improvement on Hell Gate under his direction in which he states that little was accomplished last year owing to the absence of an appropriation, but that the arrangements for the final explosion in September, 1885, will be made this year. One million and a half has already been expended on this work and another million will be required and $600,000 will be needed to clear away the debris from the explosion.

RIVER AND HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Captain James Mercer has submitted his annual report to the chief of engineers of river and harbor improvements under his direction. For the improvement of the Hudson River, with a view to making an eleven foot channel to Troy $35,000 is asked to complete the project. For the Rondout harbor, New York, $10,000 is asked, and $20,000 for Buttermilk channel. For the Harlem river improvement $40,000 remains available; for Gowanus Bay $50,000 is asked. For New Rochelle harbors $23,000 and for Port Chester harbor $30,000, for the year ending June 30, 1886, $500,000 is asked to complete the work now in progress at Hell Gate, of this amount $60,000 is to be used in making excavations at flood rock; $180,000 for removing rock at Hell Gate and vicinity; and for removing broken stone after explosion of flood rock $260,000. The amount still necessary for the permanent completion of the entire work $1,602,963.

A CALL FOR $10,000,000.

Acting Secretary af the Treasury, Coon, this afternoon issued a call for ten million three per cent. bonds, to mature September 30, next. The bonds included in this call are as follows: $50 bonds, original No. 307 to original No. 314, both inclusive, and original No. 1312 to original No. 1313, both inclusive; $100, original No. 2256 to original No. 2362, both inclusive, and original No. 9514 to original No. 8548, both inclusive; $500, original No. 1115 to original No. 1159, both inclusive, and original No. 4009 to original No. 4024, both inclusive; $1000, original No. 10620 to original No. 11088, both inclusive, and original No. 22858 to original No. 22913, both inclusive; $10,000, original No. 19338 to 20301, both inclusive. Total, $10,000,000.

Attacked With Hydrophobia.

PAINESVILLE, Ohio, August 26.—Joe Kirby, a citizen of this place, was Sunday night suddenly taken with a fit of hydrophobia. At times he froths at the mouth, growls and barks like a dog and snaps at those about him. His spasms were so violent that it took several strong men to hold him. One physician says it is a clear case of hydrophobia, while others assert that it is the result of over drinking. Kirby was bitten by a dog a year ago. The result is anxiously awaited.

Conductor Killed.

MACON, Ga., August 26.—Details reach this city of a horrible murder on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railroad, at Lambert City. Mr. Gus Raleigh, conductor on a freight train, had some dispute with a negro named Ed. Taylor, who knocked him on the right side of the head with a piece of timber, the blow felling him and throwing him under the passing cars, which crushed his head to a jelly. Taylor is at large.

Steamboats Burned.

SHREVEPORT, La., August 26.—Two river vessels, the wharfboat Maria Louise and the steamer Shields, owned by the Red River Cross Line, were burned to the water's edge yesterday. The flames broke out in the Maria Louise, quickly communicating with the steamer, destroying both boats and cargoes. Loss $35,000; insured in New Orleans agencies. There was no loss of life.

Caught at Last.

ELIZABETHTOWN, Ky., August 26.—H. A. Holdsworth, the forging cashier from this place, after having escaped for one year, was captured in New Orleans and brought here yesterday morning to await trial.

ST. JOHN AND DANIEL

Notified of their Nomination by the Prohibitionists for Presidential Honors.

CUBA, N. Y., August 26.—Ex-Governor St. John and Mr. Daniel were yesterday officially notified of their nomination for the Presidential offices by the Prohibition party. During the day these gentlemen were guests of the Cuba House and the ceremony was witnessed by five thousand people in the open air. The notification committee which consisted of prominent members of the party sat on the platform. Professor Dickey, chairman of their committee, opened proceedings with a few well chosen remarks, informing both gentlemen that they were the choice of the Prohibitionists. Ex-Governor St. John then responded in these words:

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN OF THE COMMITTEE—In receiving this formal notification of my nomination for the highest office within the gift of the people, by the National Convention of the Prohibition party, permit me, despite the fact that the distinction was neither sought nor desired by me, to assure you in view of the unanimity with which it was given, of my high appreciation of the very great honor it confers. There are more political parties in the field to-day than there are political issues. Upon the great question as to what should be done with the traffic in intoxicating liquors, both the Democratic and Republican parties are in favor of making the traffic permanent, while the Prohibition party demands that it be placed under the condemnation of the law. There is an issue, clearly made, and, I think it safe to say that it is the only one to-day that reaches the heart and conscience of the citizens. Upon this issue we go to the people, the source of all prohibition power. Let us appeal to reason rather than to prejudice. Let those resort to personal abuse and scandal who have nothing better to uphold their cause.

The Prohibition party was not organized as a mere threat or menace. It is the outgrowth of a rapidly increasing sentiment against the liquor evil, an evil that the old parties dare not attack, but against which this young party of the people in defense of the homes of the Nation has entered upon a warfare that shall not cease so long as the flag of our country waves its protecting folds over a legalized dramshop. In this struggle let us ever remember that we are accountable to God, that our duty to Him is paramount to our duty to any political party. That political ties will never, in His sight, excuse a ballot for any party that does not stand up firmly for the right. Gentlemen, I accept the nomination.

After the ex-Governor had ceased speaking, Mr. Daniel stepped forward and delivered the following reply:

MR. CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE—I am profoundly gratified for the honor conferred by selecting me as one of the standard bearers of this great reform movement. I accept the nomination for the office of Vice President, and expect to do so more formally by letter hereafter, knowing well it is one of great responsibilities and no little of private sacrifice. I appreciate this honor not only as a personal one, but as a token of appreciation by the convention of the earnest prohibition work that has been accomplished in the State of Maryland. I also appreciate it as an evidence of our brethren of the North and West to obliterate sectional party lines, and to build up a grand Union party composed of the best element on both sides of the line arrayed against the worst element, the representatives of homes against the saloons. This is evident from the fact that I am the first Southern man since the war to receive the nomination for a National position. I hope this action may be the harbinger of a reign of harmony and good will in the land whatever may be the result of this effort as to the number of votes cast. I believe the agitation will be of immense advantage to the cause and the country. I believe the result will be to rivet the attention of the American people upon this liquor traffic as to cause the party adoption of such measures as will overthrow it. I have but to say in conclusion that I shall do all in my power, now and hereafter to bear on this Prohibition standard.

Much cheering was elicited from the vast audience both during the delivery of the speeches and at the conclusion.

The Brooklyn Postoffice Discrepancy.

BROOKLYN, August 26.—Colonel McLeer, the postmaster, said yesterday that he had appointed as his assistant in place of Colonel Morton, who had mysteriously disappeared, Mr. Samuel Smith. Colonel McLeer said he was unable even yet to understand why it was that Morton absconded. It certainly could not have been from the small discrepancies which were discovered in his accounts. He had not received a line from him since he went away, and was surprised to learn that Morton had written from Rotterdam to his wife "that he had gone away to save others." If there were others that he dared to save, it seemed rather inconsistent that he should make that statement now. The closest scrutiny had been made in all the departments of the office, and the only discrepancy found was the small amount in his accounts, which he believed Colonel Morton could explain if he were here.

President of the Conference Suspended.

BALTIMORE, Md., August 26.—At the colored M. P. Conference this morning the members had a lively time over the proposition to suspend the Rev. W. W. Wilson from the Presidency of the Conference pending an investigation of charges of immorality and neglect of duty. After lengthy arguments the question was put to a vote which resulted in the suspension of Mr. Wilson. The whole matter was then referred to a committee.

Humane Inventions at the World's Exposition.

BOSTON, August 26.—George T. Angell, President of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, has consented to organize a department at the World's Exposition at New Orleans, in which will be shown humane inventions for the benefit of animals, and literature and appliances used throughout the world by societies organized for this purpose.

Disease Among Swine.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., August 26.—A strange disease resulting fatally has broken out among swine in Guilford. Several animals have died, and previous to and just after death the hair will turn. The farmers are much alarmed.

Rampant Orangemen.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., August 25.—Hundreds of Orangemen attacked the Roman Catholic Church yacht at Henly harbor, threatened the missionary, Father Lynch, with death, tore down the Papal flag and tarred the yacht.

Will Go Out of the Business.

OTTAWA, Ont., August 26.—The cattle trade with England has proved disastrous to shipping this year, many will go out of the business. One firm has dropped $250,000.

DEATH OF DR. CHAS. RYND.

Dr. Charles Rynd, of Adrian, died suddenly of neuralgia of the heart on Wednesday evening of last week. He was on the streets during the afternoon in his usual health and attended the meeting of the Board of Pension Examiners. About 6 o'clock he drove home to supper, but did not come out again as he complained of feeling unwell and soon went to bed. Between eight and nine o'clock Dr. Kirkpatrick was telephoned for and came. He found Dr. Rynd perfectly conscious, and was assured by the latter that his heart was all right. Dr. Kirkpatrick endeavored to administer a preparation of spirits of ammonia, but the patient declined to take more than a teaspoonful, when he turned over and vomited, remarking, "There that will relieve me, and I'll tell you all about it in a few moments." Dr. Kirkpatrick told him not to talk, the patient then appeared perfectly conscious, and with no thought of serious results. He turned to one side, and without spasm or gasp, hardly without a movement of the eyelids, or a twitch of a muscle, he drew a long breath, and with it his life seemed to pass away. In ten minutes from the time Dr. Kirkpatrick reached his bedside, Dr. Rynd was a corpse.

Charles Rynd was born December 28, 1835, in the County of Donegal, Ireland. In May, 1851, having received for a boy of that age the groundwork of a first-class education, he came to this country alone and went directly to Canada. He worked on a farm, clerked in the store of Hon. T. B. Guest, of St. Mary's and afterwards assumed charge of a large school, which he managed with marked ability and success for five consecutive years. During these years he made good use of his spare time. Under the private tuition of a Presbyterian clergyman he became a good classical scholar. He wrote largely for the Toronto journals and studied medicine under the instruction of Dr. Daniel Wilson of St. Mary's. Dr. Rynd then left the Dominion and entered the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, where he took a thorough course of instructions not only in medicine, but also in the chemical laboratory. While in the University he was the private pupil and assistant of Prof. Gunn. In the spring of 1859 he graduated with honor, and devoted the following summer to hospital practice, settling in Adrian in November of the same year, where he has since resided. He has since his residence in Adrian served four years in the Common Council, where he inaugurated several important measures. He also served as President of the Board of Education. In the spring of 1871 he was nominated by the State Republican Convention as a candidate for Regent of the University, and was elected. He was one of the delegates to the convention at Cincinnati in 1876. He has for many years been the medical examiner of the Pension Bureau at Adrian, and when a board was located there he was continued as a member and chosen President by his colleagues. He was always an indefatigable worker, and by his energy and perseverance secured a very large and remunerative practice. He was a ready writer, a fluent and vigorous speaker, a warm friend to those he esteemed, liberal to a fault, thoroughly independent—in short, a good citizen.

Dr. Rynd was thrice married, and leaves a widow and seven children to mourn his loss.

ESTATE OF PARLEY J. SPALDING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Parley J. Spalding deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles T. Hewitt and Agnes G. Hewitt, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they are ready to file their second account as such executors, and asking for its allowance; and in case it shall prove feasible for them in rendering the same as and for their final account, that it may be so allowed, and a distribution of the residue of the assets of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and in that case for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon in the county of Lenawee, will, on the 30 day of September at the house of Thomas Boyce in Macon, at one o'clock in the afternoon, meet parties for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Township Drain No. 4, running across and upon lands situate on sec. 18 of said township owned by Thos. Boyce, L. C. Hendershot, Daniel Sones and James Hatch; and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me, and now remaining in my office, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned to reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated this 21st day of August, A.D., 1884.

EDWIN HOWELL,

Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. au.21

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.—The republicans of the township of Tecumseh, will meet at the council building in the village of Tecumseh, on Friday, Aug. 29, 1884, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the county convention to be held at Adrian on Monday, Sept. 4th, 1884, to nominate candidates for the various county offices, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus.

BY ORDER OF COM.

LOST.—Strayed from the premises of the subscriber, on Saturday night, Aug. 23, one black pig, weight 75 lbs. A liberal reward will be paid for his return. JAS. GLASGOW.

EVAN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE AND Institute of Rapid Writing and Drawing.—This old reliable Institution of actual business training opens its year Sept. 1, 1884. Twenty-first year of this college in Adrian, Mich. Students wishing situations as clerks, book-keepers, or as travelling salesmen during the year will enter their names immediately. Most of our last year's graduates are now holding good paying positions. U. R. EVANS, Principal.

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ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.—The annual meeting of School District No. 7 of the township of Tecumseh, for the election of school district officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at the Central School Building on Monday, the 1st day of September, A.D. 1884, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

YEE DIN, of Jackson has purchased the Tecumseh laundry, and will be pleased to do the work of the citizens of Tecumseh. The best of work and the lowest of prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Laundry on Pearl street. Give him a trial.

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The watermelon season is fairly on.

Republican township caucus tomorrow afternoon.

Go to Keip's for School Books. Read his new card in another column.

The Deerfield schools commence the year's work on the second Monday in September.

The Republican convention to nominate candidates for county officers will be held next Monday.

There will be an examination of candidates for admission to the Tecumseh High School at the Superintendent's room at the Central Building on Saturday, Aug. 30th, at 9 o'clock A. M. Prof. Hammond would like to meet all old students, as far as convenient, at the same place, between the hours of one and four P. M. for the purpose of classifying them.

BIGGER 'N BARNUM.

The Tri-State Fair occurs at Toledo, September 8 to 13. Acres of agricultural machinery in motion; printing, book-binding, weaving, rope making, file cutting, etc. The biggest live stock show in the West, and a superb racing program, which includes an offer of $2,000 for "Jay Eye See." Gen. John A. Logan and Gov. Hendricks, Vice Presidential candidates, are expected to be present. Excursion rates from this point.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 28, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Delos C. LeBaron, of Toledo, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Remember there will be fun at the Skating Rink this evening.

Mrs. Matilda Codner, of Clinton, is visiting friends in Tecumseh.

Mrs. E. C. Smith, of Toledo, was in Tecumseh Friday and Saturday visiting friends.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. are adding new machinery almost daily to their extensive mill.

Jerry Allen, of Goshen, Ind., last Saturday was shaking hands with his old Tecumseh friends.

Henry Smith and a number of ladies went to Sand Lake on Friday to visit the Tecumseh young folks who were camping there.

Brother Carr, of the Dundee Reporter, paid us a visit on Monday last.—He is printing the best newspaper Dundee has had for years.

The Universalist Aid Society of York will give a social party at the Lake Ridge Hotel, in Macon, on Friday Eve., Sept. 12th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

There will be a meeting of the Union party at Heesen's hall, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. B. F. Rapp will speak in the interest of temperance. All are invited. Come and hear what he has to say.

Mrs. A. Whelan and daughter, of Oakland, Cal., are visiting at Mrs. W. Stout's. Mrs. W. is a sister of Mrs. S. and this is their first meeting in thirty years. It is useless to say that they find something to talk about.

The Hause Bros., have been making extensive improvements in their Clinton Cider Mill. Among other things having put in a new engine, and they will soon be ready to begin the fall season at cider making.

P. B. Swick is at home a day or two. He is on the road most of the time selling rights for his new patent tug, and is meeting with good success. He certainly has a good thing, and as it comes into use the demand for it will increase.

Norristown Herald: A man in Norristown has been fooled so often that he wouldn't read Blaine's letter until he had looked at the bottom to ascertain if it contained the rider, "Use Tones' Cast-iron Bitters. For sale by all druggists."

A dangerous and deleterious counterfeit of the new $1,000 bills is in circulation. We are pleased to announce that the editors of this great republic have been placed on their guard by the proper authorities against receiving them in change.

The Ohio yearly meeting of Friends, which is numerously attended from this section, begins at Damascus, south of Cleveland, the latter part of this week. A car has been chartered and leaves Tecumseh to-day. Fare for the round trip, $6.50.

Manie Monaghan returned very unexpectedly from Cleveland last Thursday night, where she was called by the death of her aunt, in response to a telegram announcing the sickness of her sister Lulu, who was visiting friends in Eaton Rapids.

A literary and musical entertainment will be held at the Baptist Church on Monday evening, Sept. 1. A good program is prepared which will close with the annual farewell social to the "boys" who return to Kalamazoo college. Admission ten cents.

There is to be a sermon next Sunday evening at the Methodist Church on the "Unpardonable Sin, or the Sin Against the Holy Ghost." Rev. Geo. W. Hudson is to preach it. Just what he can say on such a subject is hard to guess; but people can find out by going to hear him.

Prof. J. B. Laflin, the new Superintendent of the Clinton schools has arrived with his family and is prepared to begin work on Monday next. Prof. Laflin is a graduate of the Normal, and comes well recommended, and with a determination to give Clinton a first class school.

Wm. McCowen on Monday sold a large bill of furniture to a gentleman residing in the northwestern portion of Iowa. There is no use of talking; when people in want of furniture examine Mac's stock and learn his prices they are bound to buy of him whether they live in Tecumseh or China.

They sit no more in the parlor, where they sat by the glowing grate but they stand and talk in the starlight fair, as they swing on the old front gate. And the old man weeps; but his bitters tears bring never a balm to his soul; it will cost him more for gates, he fears, than it did last winter for coal.

At the grand opening of the Tecumseh Skating Rink, this evening, Mr. J. A. Hayton, the champion roller skater of Canada and the Northwest, will give an exhibition of difficult evolutions and fancy skating. Music by the Manchester cornet band. Admission 10 cents; use of skates 15 cents.—Doors open at 7:15 P. M.

"Ranch 10" at the Opera House next Monday evening.

Prof. Jas. H. Stevens of Paxton, Ill., is home for a few days.

Cass, of Detroit, vs. Tecumseh are playing ball this afternoon.

The Morenci fair grounds are in excellent condition for this fall sentiment.

Only ten cents will be charged for admission to the Skating Rink this evening.

The Episcopal Sunday School went to Sand Lake on Tuesday last and report having had a good time.

The school census, which has just been taken, shows that there are 615 children in this school district.

If you fail to see "Ranch 10" at the Opera House next Monday evening, you will miss the best thing of the season.

Prof. Condit, for some years past principal of the Morenci schools, has accepted the same position in the Petersburg schools.

The next regular of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., will be held on Friday evening, Sept. 5th.—Let there be a full attendance of the members.

All the children belonging to the Sunday Schools are picnicing at Devil's Lake to-day, and a special train was run over the M. & O. for their convenience.

Mrs. H. E. Stout, who has been spending the past month with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Wooden, of Battle Creek, returned to her home in this village on Friday last.

Dr. Henry Peck, of New York, spent last Sunday as a guest of E. Hand and family. The doctor has purchased a drug store at Independence, Mo., and intends to make that place his future home. We wish him success.

The Detroit Free Press in speaking of "Ranch 10" which is to be at our Opera House next Monday evening says: "Two large audiences witnessed yesterday's performances of 'Ranch 10,' at White's Theater. Sid Smith, as the funniest "Judge" in fact or fancy, is the star of the play this season, and he shines and glimmers and twinkles at every point. Being surrounded by a good company and having one of the best plays of the kind, the ever hopeful but hitherto unlucky veteran seems to have at last struck pay dirt."

The following is the corps of teachers in the Tecumseh Public Schools for the coming year: High School—David A. Hammond, Superintendent; Miss Lillian M. Berkey, A Division; Miss Julia A. Condict, B Division.—Grammar Department—Miss Minnie E. Kinney, Eighth Grade; Miss Emma O. Skinner, Seventh Grade; Miss Grace Willett, Sixth Grade; Miss Nannie Kyle, Fifth Grade. Primary Department—Miss E. May Henderson, Fourth Grade; Miss Grace Parkhurst, Fourth Grade; Miss Julia Snell, East Branch; Miss Hettie McClue, West Branch; Miss Eugenie Church, North Branch.

LAST THURSDAY'S RACES.

A large crowd gathered at Bill's race track last Thursday afternoon to see the race between Henry Keyser's Gray Fly and John Gibson's Birdie G. A foot race between Charlie Snell and W. A. Hoath of Toronto Can. was also one of the attractions, the distance being 75 yards for a purse of $50. It was very easily won in two straight heats by Hoath, who seemed to be an old hand at the business. The equine race was for a blanket, best three heats out of five, and was won by Birdie G. The first heat was trotted in 3:04 Birdie G. winning by a length. The second heat was also won by the same in 2:58. The third heat Gray Fly came in about three lengths ahead; time 2:56. Fourth heat was won by Gray Fly in 2:55. The fifth and last heat was started at 5:15 with Gray Fly leading about half a length, but when at the quarter post she broke and Birdie G. forged ahead and stayed there, coming in about five lengths ahead. Time 2:54.

THE SKATING RINK.

The new skating rink is about completed and will be open to the public this evening. The building is located on Logan Street East of Hayden's warehouse, which will be a very convenient locality, and it is as near the business quarter as a frame building could be erected. It is one hundred and forty five feet in length by forty feet in width, and built in a substantial manner. The floor is a double one with filling between the two layers, which will deaden the sound, and the upper floor is laid in narrow hard wood strips. In tha front end of the building are two dressing rooms, one for gentlemen and one for ladies, and at both ends will be erected seats for spectafors arranged in tiers, amphitheatre style. Messrs Nestell and Cash, the proprietors, have had considerable experience in managing skating rinks, so that the public can rely upon having the enterprise properly managed. A full set of rules and regulations will be adopted for the government of both skaters and spectators, and it will be the aim of the proprietors to furnish a respectable place of amusement which all can attend and enjoy themselves.

Kies Bros. have a new card in this issue of the HERALD.

Wm. Totten returned from Petoskey yesterday. He says he feels fine.

The Adrian Evening Record has suspended. Non support the cause.

The hog market is opening up lively. A heavy shipment was made from here last Saturday.

Capt. W. A. Weatherhead and wife of South Lyons, are visiting friends and relations in the village.

There were eight cars on the excursion train this morning to Devil's Lake and over 800 passengers.

Our millers are paying from five to eight cents more per bushel for wheat than can be procured at any other point.

Rev. G. W. Hudson will speak on the subject of Temperance, in Grange Hall, Macon, Friday evening, Sept. 5, 1884.

Hon. G. P. Waring of Ridgeway was a delegate to the Union State convention held yesterday at Jackson. He returned this morning feeling quite enthusiastic over the results of the convention.

Albert Brewer has returned from his trip to Petoskey. He says it is just the place to visit for a few weeks' solid recreation. His wife accompanied him, and they both enjoyed their sojourn there exceedingly.

Blissfield suffered a big scorch yesterday morning. The fire was first discovered in a large barn back of Geo. Blivin's residence. Although many of the firemen were absent at the soldiers' reunion at Devil's Lake, still the steamer was on hand promptly and did good work. The fire spread to Bartholomew's lumber yard and furniture store, and also took in Carter's hardware and Young's furniture store before it could be stopped. The total loss will probably reach $20,000, with but little insurance.

Adrian Times: The Tecumseh Herald says the landscape about the M. & O. station at the north end of Devil's Lake is decidedly picturesque. We agree with the statement. It is confoundedly picturesque; especially so when the steamer fails to connect with the train and a fellow is left to bask in the August sun, with nothing left to do but wade across to the hotel, or admire the picturesqueness of the whole job, scenery included, until the next train brings the boat, or a chance to go to Tecumseh and get his blisters pricked.

The reunion of the 18th Mich. Inf. at Beardsell's on Tuesday last was well attended, and the three days' reunion was inaugurated by them in fine style. A kind of a social reunion and business meeting was held in the morning followed by literary exercises. Music was furnished by the Blissfield I. O. O. F. band, and short addresses were made by Gen. R. A. Alger, Capt. Miller, Wm. S Wilcox and others. The county soldiers and sailors association had their reunion yesterday, and the G. A. R. take their innings to-day.

Last Tuesday morning, in the township of Adrian about three miles north of the city, an altercation took place between Joseph Rickerd and Bird Vreeland, in which the former was killed. There has been a feud between the two men for some time, and meeting near Vreeland's residence that morning hot words passed between them, when Rickerd hit Vreenland on the head with a stone. Vreeland then turned and struck Rickerd over the head with the butt end of his gun, killing him instantly. A coroners inquest was held yesterday when a verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts. There is much excitement in the neighborhood over the unfortunate affair.

A TENDER MISSIVE.

Book agents should not drop their love letters on the sidewalk. Such tender missives should be placed under lock and key, or consigned to the flames. Our reporter during his rambles one day last week accidently discovered the following epistle which will be very interesting reading to our young lady friends:

AT HOME, JULY 18, 1884.

RESPECTED FRIEND:—Your letter received and its numerous contents very carefully read and considered. Morning of 19th. Just as I got started yesterday in came a horde of young folks and disturbed my meditations. However I will try to finish to-day.

Oh, dear! dear! what shall I do? what shall I do? No eggs to take to market and no place to visit. Oh, dear! dear! Say, I'll tell you what I wish you'd do. When the train goes past here get off, and I will take you to Manchester. Will you do it? Honest now. You wonder what I will say when I get better acquainted with you? Well, I do not know, Can't say.

I am exceedingly sorry agents are such "orful" creatures. Miss —— doesn't object to agents, oh, no! Thank you for your advice in regard to looking out for them. I think I shall.

By the way, what did you mean by "intoxicating package?" Please rise up and explain. I am sorry you aren't going to be in M., Sunday, for you know I would like to see you. I have something to ask you. Hope you will excuse this rambling mixture. Will do better next time.

Now, as soon as you receive this, please sit down and, while the gentle zephyrs make sweet music among the evergreen trees, and the warm summer sun shades his shimmering glances over space and across the lea, tell me all about that "intoxicating package." Very Hastily, ——.

SWINGING AROUND THE CIRCLE.

On Saturday morning, the 16th, we started overland for a trip through Cambridge. Halting a few moments at Tipton, we interviewed John Conlin, and found him all right side up with care. He is doing as well as he could expect in a dull season like the present one. J. A. Tuttle was found at his old quarters. He runs the post office and a good country store also, and has become one of the fixtures of Franklin. Dr. Junkins has recently improved his residence with a fresh coat of paint and has one of the pleasantest places at the center.

Again starting out, we arrived at C. H. Adam's Sand Lake Hotel just in time for dinner. This was our first visit at Adam's during the present season and we were quite surprised to see the improvements that have taken place there. The old boat-house on the bank has been taken away, a twelve foot addition to the veranda has been built on the South and West sides of the House, which serves as a portico and promenade. The roadway is placed further South on the edge of the lake. Mr Adam now has twenty boats at his disposal, including a fine sail-boat, and an abundance of stable room to accommodate horses. His custom this season has increased very largely over that of any preceding year, since he took charge of the establishment. His house is becoming a favorite resort for small parties, not only from the towns in Lenawee County, but from Toledo and Detroit. Detroit has sent several parties this summer and promises a still larger patronage next summer. Parties from Clinton, Tecumseh, Manchester and Adrian find it a most pleasant place for a few day's recreation, and it is equally good for a visit extending over two or three weeks. The rooms of the house have all been engaged since the opening of the season about the first of June. For a cozy quiet resort with facilities for good boating and fishing, the Sand Lake Hotel cannot be surpassed by any summer resort in Southern Michigan. An excellent dinner and a good rest beneath the shade of the veranda, with the lake breeze cooling the heated atmosphere, put us in good humor for pursuing our journey.

C. W. Akin was found at the East end of Wampler's Lake, entertaining a Sunday School picnic from Clinton. He has a fine grove for picnics, which is liberally patronized, and he has a good dance hall, and refreshment stand and a lot of boats, all of which find plenty of customers.

After a short call here, we proceeded to S. J. Walker's, who lives two miles north of Wampler's Lake, where we arrived at supper time and concluded to halt for the night. Sunday was an awful day, speaking with reference to the weather. With the thermometer at ninety-five degrees in the shade we felt like observing the Sabbath as a day of rest, and we succeeded in so doing admirably, dividing our time between S. J. & J. D. Walkers. S. J. Walker had just secured a magnificent crop of oats. He has painted over and fixed up his house this summer and now has a large and commodious farm residence. Jim Walker farms it "up to the handle" as usual. This dry spell is scorching his squash and lima bean patches. Jim put in his time Sunday afternoon and evening praying for rain and eating ice cream.

Monday morning we prevailed on Scove Walker to hitch up his $400 span and take a trip through Cambridge. Our first halt was at the Allen Bros., but as they were away from home and peaches are not yet ripe, we hurried along.

Henry Marr was up to his ears in threshing. He has a good farm of eighty acres, was putting a splendid crop of wheat in the granary, and consequently was feeling in a happy mood.

C. H. Dewey & Son are at their old stand selling goods, buying wool, produce, etc. They have no fault to find with their trade but complain of dull times the same as all retailers do.

Loss Parsons is running the old farm in Woodstock, where he has lived for so many years. He is satisfied with the general situation, although the price of wheat does'nt suit him.

From there we drove over to Brooklyn for dinner. We started out after dinner to call on a few of our acquaintances, but as we found most of them away we got discouraged and quit. We found Helen H. Sisson and Wm. Perry at home; Dr. Jones, A. P. Cook and Col. King away. We went to the Exponent's old rooms and found the office gone entirely, and did'nt have ambition enough to hunt up the establishment, for which neglect we ask the mercy of the court and promise better things next time.

Starting out again, our first halt was at Robert Sherrard's and he too was away from home. Going on to Springville, we found Thos. H. Mosher on deck. He has been putting repairs and new machinery in his mill this season at an expense of over two thousand dollars. His business is good but he suffers from slow collections like all other business men, and he does'nt expect much easier times until the price of wheat rises to a point which will entice it out of the farmer's granaries.

A brief call at Chauncey Cooper's found him on a Casady sulky plow. He has 190 acres, most of which is in cultivation. He has 800 rods of tile drain on his farm. He was plowing a twelve acre wheat stubble field for wheat again. He believes in stubbling in wheat. A few years ago he planted this selon 12 acres to corn and got 100 bushels of ears to the acre, he then took off a crop of oats, which turned 65 bushels to the acre, and then three crops of wheat which yielded 30, 27 and 35 bushels to the acre. Mr. Cooper has not much faith in new-paper farming. He says every farmer must test his own farm, and ascertain by experiment how to grow the best crops.

John Reynolds is still engaged most of his time in buying and shipping live stock, which he ships to Buffalo. It is a dull season now for shippers, but he anticipates a lively fall trade.

Ben Laur is living on the old farm of 180 acres the care of which keeps him busy. He has a fine herd of thorough bred cattle headed by the Duke of Brooklyn, a two year old from A. P. Cook's stock. Among them are two $75 cows and three splendid spring calves. He will exhibit several head of cattle at the county fair this fall.

We found F. I. Kinney about dark on Monday evening, the night before he was blown up by a thresher boiler explosion. It was too dark to examine his stock, but he has a fine head of full-breds and a flock of nearly three hundred sheep. The 3d Duke of Riverside and Lucy 23d are his best cattle. His sheep are from the "Garfield" stock.

A pleasant ride in the cool of the evening took us back to Walker's, where we spent the night. The next morning we took the Jackson branch train at Norvel and arrived home in time for a day's work.

Next Tuesday, Sept. 2d., there will be an excursion to Toledo over the M. & O. R. R. from Battle Creek and intermediate points, affording an opportunity to our citizens of hearing Hon. John P. St. John, the Prohibition candidate for President, who speaks afternoon and evening. Round trip tickets good the 3d. will be sold at the following rates: Cambridge $1.35; Tecumseh $1.00; Ridgeway 85cts.; Britton 75cts.

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—All persons visiting Adrian should for their own benefit, call and examine Cornelius Hayes' well made and durable stock of hand custom made Boots and Shoes of the best quality; he also manufactures men's sewed and French calf and kid boots and shoes to order. Give him a call.

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—Wheat received in store for bread at Heck's Roller Mills.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

—All facilities for grinding feed at Heck's Roller Mills.

—Bring on your buggies to be painted. During the months of July and August I will paint over top buggies for $8, and open buggies for $6.—Shop at Cummins' old carriage factory. W. H. Ford.

—When the bell strikes, all listen; for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy. A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the voice of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—For fine goods in his line don't forget Adamson's.

—If you cannot buy a new buggy in these hard times, get the old one painted over at W. H. Ford's

—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream. A. E. Kennedy.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—House painting of all kinds neatly and cheaply done by W. H. Ford. Shop in Cummin's old Carriage Shop on Railroad street.

DIED.

SWAN.—In this village, on Wednesday, Aug. 20th, of dysentery, Sarah Sutton Swan, youngest child of J. B. and Hannah Swan, aged 10 months.

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Everybody in Maine is familiar with the baggy, yellow boots and shoes called moccasins, which in winter form the favorite footwear of our lumbermen and farmers. These unique boots have a history which dates back to the middle of the century.

The material is common leather, but tanned in a peculiar way. The principal ingredients in the tanning are salt and alum, with a kind of oil. The method is something of a secret known to but few.

Leather thus tanned was first used as lacing for mill belts. It was some time before its utility as boot and shoe material was discovered. In 1851, E. P. Baldwin, who kept a shoe shop in Bangor, obtained some of the leather from Pawtucket, and began the manufacture of the moccasins. In 1852 the business had increased considerably in Bangor, and a manufactory was started in Oldtown. The work in those days was quite crude, and far behind that of to-day in style and finish. In 1855 another factory was started at Bangor, and from this establishment was sent the first pair of moccasins that ever went west to Dubuque. Trade was very prosperous until the opening of the rebellion. Then the business languished, but in 1868 became established upon a permanent basis.

In 1871 the mode of moccasin manufacture was revolutionized by the advent of improved machinery and new ideas. The cut of the leg was altered so as to bring the seam upon the side instead of at the back, and the seam, which formerly made an uncomfortable ridge in the leg, was superseded by the flat lap seam. Much of the sewing is let out at so much a dozen pairs to French Canadian families, who live in the suburbs. The larger part of the stock still comes from Rhode Island, but Bangor is the great centre of the moccasin manufacture, as many pairs being made here, probably, as in all other places combined. At Red Wing and St. Paul, Minn., and Racine, Wis., the manufacture is quite extensively carried on, and it is from these places that Bangor encounters the strongest competition. Over three hundred people are employed here, and the production, which in 1881 was eighty thousand pairs of boots and twenty thousand pairs of shoes, has been increasing yearly.

The tanning renders the leather a perfect non-conductor of water, and, to a considerable extent, a non-conductor of heat and cold. For these reasons the moccasin is popular with lumbermen and farmers, and thousands of Western farmers are supplied from Bangor while our own lumbermen would as soon think of going into the woods without their axes as without moccasins. When new, the boots have an oily feeling, an odor not disagreeable, and are of a bright golden color. The axe artist trudges away in winter in boots to the snowy woods, while the small boy of the city frolics in shoes that are now known as Bangor's golden slippers.—*Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

Once There Was a Spider.

Once there was a spider. There is nothing very startling about this fact unless you are of a nervous turn and the said unruly insect drops down into your face while you are trying to go to sleep, or you are easily cast down by running into his web thrown across a doorway. Spiders are chiefly domestic in their habits in this latitude, and have a weakness for rounding out the corners of rooms and filling the chinks in out of the way places with a substance which, if it had been a little stronger, would have won them an honorable place in the arts and made them as popular as they are now obnoxious.

One evening the individual subject of this history was discovered spreading his nest across an open window that had been raised to give the supper table a more pleasant surrounding, and as he had not proceeded far when his plans were observed, a close watch was kept on his movements and the following notes taken on the process: The upper limit of the web was the half-raised sash, and enough of the space below was taken to make a structure about a foot square, which was mapped out by single lines fastened to the window frame. Inside of this a few strands were thrown, which crossed at the center, where an irregular bull's-eye like case of operations was formed by cross-webs put in very inartistically. The spider then added more spokes to his wheel until he had twenty, and then accomplished the feat of joining these altogether by circular webs about an inch apart. These kept the rays in place like a set of guy ropes, that made a deal of climbing and calculation necessary.

Next, beginning at the outside, this practical acrobat began running circular webs around the structure, about five to the inch, each inside circular tolerably regular as regards the outer one, and all fastened to each cross line by bit of waxy substance secreted by the animal himself. As each preliminary circle was reached it was found more and more that they took a somewhat different direction from the new ones, or, to be exact about it, were thrown about a different center. So as to avoid a ridiculous crossing of these circular lines the first set were taken up and apparently devoured by the workman. Nothing but the waxy points where they had crossed the rays showed where they had been. The spider did not try to spring from one ray to the other or shoot out his web, but took a trip around by the shortest route and waxed the newly span line to the ray before setting out again. Several times he broke off the line and made a trip to the center, where he inspected the work with the air of a master builder, and once was observed to give the whole fabric a mighty shake, as though testing the capacity for holding winged victims and bearing up his own piratical self when he chose to go on a foray. Sometimes on returning to his work he forgot where he had left off, and began in a new place, which left a rather awkward break in the fabric, though it was not conspicuous as a whole.

Nearer and nearer the center work proceeded, until the master-workman came to the conclusion that it would answer its purposes, and suddenly broke off the process of drawing his web out of himself, and settling down composedly at the focus of the affair with a good appetite, doubtless, and an approving conscience, due to one who has labored faithfully, according to his own light, and not greatly the worse for not being obliged to go abroad for building material. Already his efforts had borne fruits, for two giddy flies had dropped into the web and were fluttering in the breeze, as helpless as though held in the spider's claws, but their grim captor was not ready for the supper and let them flutter. He had worked at its best rate for a full half hour, and couldn't exhaust himself further just now by running after game, that was quite safe where it was.

A careful estimate showed that the whole web was not far from sixty feet long, all of which had been evolved from the builder's consciousness and physical self in this short space of time. But it was getting late. The sun had already gone. Suddenly some one shut down the window, bringing ruin on this carefully built fabric and transforming our late industrious architect, pirate and robber into a trembling fugitive, glad to get off at any price. Such is life.—*Buffalo Express.*

Tooth-Pulling Now and Then.

"You might write volumes on the appliances used by dentists in extracting teeth," remarked our informant, "but the simple 'pulling' of a tooth plays the most important part in the dentistry of to-day. Since chemistry and electricity have been pressed into the service of the dentist, the removal of a tooth has become more than a mere question of pulling. You sit down in a comfortable arm-chair, a harmless anæsthetic is applied, and the doctor makes a thorough examination of a diseased part of your anatomy. If hopelessly decayed, he will remove it before you can say 'Jack Robinson;' if help is possible, he will clean the tooth, drill a hole into it, kill the nerve or cover it with a cap provided for that purpose, and fill the cavity. Or he will saw off the crown and put a new one on the root if the latter is not sound."

The reporter was shown a small iron cylinder, about twelve inches in length and four in width. "This cylinder," explained our informant, "contains twenty-five ounces of what we call liquid—more correctly speaking, it is compressed nitrous-oxide gas. In their expanded form, ready for use, the contents of this small cylinder assume the respectable proportion of of one hundred gallons. From four to eight gallons are required for each administration, and the gas is administered either from a gasometer provided for that purpose or from a rubber bag. Nitrous-oxide gas is by far the best anæsthetic. It is absolutely harmless, and just as effective as chloroform or ether."

The drill used at the present day for excavating a tooth is either driven by the foot of the operator, or, better still, by electricity. A four-cell battery furnishes power to a revolving rod which turns two thousand times a minute. The end of the rod is hollow, and into it is fitted a drill which the operator selects from a large number as best suited for the size and depth of the cavity. The operation of the drill has been brought to such perfection that it is possible to drill all around the nerve, then put a cap over it, and over the cap the filling. When the tooth's structure shows that the nerve should be destroyed it is devitalized by a painless process. After the filling process is completed the rough surface of the gold is made even with the rim of the tooth by means of a rapidly revolving, corrugated wheel propelled by the same electric power as the drill. An hour suffices for the entire operation which ten or fifteen years ago consumed half a day, and was then done very unsatisfactorily in most instances.

"What progress dentistry has made can best be seen by a comparison with the old methods," said a dentist who stands in the front rank of his profession in this city. "It is not so long ago that a dentist would stretch the lips of his patient, or rather his victim, apart with his fingers, which were often not too clean, and grope about the mouth with a steel prod until the aching tooth was discovered. This was announced on the part of the patient by a howl of pain. Then the tooth doctor selected from his collection of instruments of torture the old-fashioned "key," making a great rattle in the meanwhile, and making the victim tremble in anticipation. Then the gum was lanced, the patient yelled and blood and saliva ran the towel tied around the neck. The 'sitting' of the key occasioned another howl, and then the butchery commenced. If the victim's jawbone did not break, or the tooth splinter, or the handle of the key twist off, something was bound to give way. Sometimes it was the leg of the operating chair, sometimes the operator's wrist bone, occasionally the offending tooth. Now you sit in a wonderful chair, which, by an ingenious attachment, can be made to assume any height or angle. A saliva ejector, is placed in your mouth; a harmless anæsthetic is administered; your cheeks are stretched painlessly apart with a pair of silver stretchers; the cavity of the mouth is lighted up with an electric lamp, a pair of forceps fitting exactly to the tooth is inserted, and the operation is over in a minute."—*Chicago Herald.*

—A Lowell mill girl thought she had talent with which to become an eminent actress. She saved all she could from her wages for several years, and invested it in a theatrical venture in a small way—all except sixty dollars, which a friend surreptitiously took out of the fund and used in buying in her name a Florida land grant. She returned from her professional tour in a year broken in purse and spirits, and ready to resume work at the looms; but the Florida purchase had happened to appreciate about a hundred-fold in value, and, therefore, she can go to Paris for dramatic education.—*Boston Transcript.*

—St. Bernard dogs are religiously trained. At meal time they sit in a row, each with a tin dish before him containing his repast. Grace is said by one of the monks, the dogs sitting motionless with bowed heads. Not one of them stirs until the "Amen" is spoken. If a frisky puppy attempts to sample his meal before grace is over one of the older dogs growls and gently tugs his ear.

—The most fashionable ladies now wear scarcely any jewelry.—*N. Y. Post.*

"Maryland, My Maryland."

"Pretty Wives,
Lovely daughters and noble men."

"My farm lies in a rather low and miasmatic situation, and

"My wife—

"Who?—

"Was a very pretty blonde—

Twenty years ago, became

"Sallow—

"Hollow-eyed—

"Withered and aged—

Before her time. Among

"Malarial vapors, though she made no particular complaint, not being of the grumpy kind, yet causing me great uneasiness.

"A short time ago I purchased your remedy for one of the children, who had a very severe attack of biliousness, and it occurred to me that the remedy might help my wife, as I found that our little child, upon recovery had

"Lost

"Her sallowness, and looks as fresh as a new blown daisy. Well the story is soon told. My wife, to-day, has gained her old time beauty with compound interest, and is now as handsome a matron (I do say it myself) as can be found in this county, which is noted for pretty women. And I have only Hop Bitters to thank for it.

"The dear creature just looked over my shoulder, and says 'I can flatter equal to the days of our courtship,' and that reminds me there might be more pretty wives if my brother farmers would do as I have done."

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Miss Belle Anderson, of Buchanan, will fill the place of instructor on the violin at the Valparaiso, Ind., normal institute for the next year.

FITS. All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phil., Pa.

What with the electric light and music by the band, the people of Sault St. Marie are in ecstacies and sit up all night to enjoy themselves.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, proprietors of Hall's Catarrh Cure are daily in receipt of testimonials showing wonderful cures. No doubt many are cured who do not testify which is evidence that Hall's Catarrh Cure is something that has real merit and can perform all it promises.

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Monroe will have a fine new two-story brick school house ready for the fall term, and talks of erecting yet another one.

The sage who lit a candle in the day and wisely said "I seek a man," would not be called crazy in these days if he did the same thing to find a strictly pure Baking Powder, and unless he found DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder, might still be peering around. It is made from Cream Tartar and Soda only, no filling whatever. Sold in cans only. Try it.

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STATIONS.	No. 116 Mail.	No. 117 Express.	No. 103 Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	3 10 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 25 "	3 40 "
Tecumseh	6 46 "	2 41 "	3 53 "
Clinton	6 58 "	2 56 "	4 10 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 16 "	4 30 "
Chelsea	7 26 "	3 28 "	4 42 "
Grass Lake	7 37 "	3 40 "	4 54 "
Albion	7 52 "	3 57 "	5 12 "
Marshall	8 22 "	4 28 "	5 45 "
Battle Creek	8 52 "	5 00 "	6 20 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 108 Mail.	No. 114 Express.	No. 102 Accom.
Battle Creek	8 52 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	
Marshall	9 16 "	6 27 "	
Albion	9 37 "	6 52 "	4 12 A.M.
Grass Lake	9 52 "	7 07 "	4 35 "
Chelsea	10 05 "	7 20 "	4 55 "
Manchester	10 18 "	7 34 "	5 08 "
Clinton	10 36 "	7 51 "	5 27 "
Tecumseh	10 51 "	8 04 "	5 42 "
Napoleon	11 05 "	8 18 "	5 58 "
Jackson	11 20 "	8 35 "	6 20 "

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 31
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 25	6 25
Bakeslee		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	38.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bakeslee	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 25	7 05	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 50	4 55
7 40	7 21	Manhattan Junction	9 37	4 48
7 50	7 32	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
7 55	7 36	Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
8 05	7 46	Sahiarla	9 02	4 22
8 10	8 00	Lulu	8 47	4 04
8 14	8 15	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 55
8 23	8 30	Dundee	8 30	3 50
8 36	8 47	Macon	8 16	3 45
8 43	8 40	Azalia	8 20	3 40
8 49	8 59	Milan Junction	8 09	3 35
8 55	9 05	Milan	8 06	3 32
9 00	9 10	Nora	7 56	3 17
9 05	9 22	Urania	7 52	3 10
9 12	9 32	Pittsfield	7 40	3 00
9 18	9 50	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 19
9 30	10 15	Leland	7 12	2 30
9 43	10 32	Worden	6 56	2 22
9 50	10 35	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	6 50	2 10
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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT AUGUST 10, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 42 Mixd	No. 32 Pass	No. 34 Pass	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 41 Mixd
A. M.	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
7 20	10 10	5 10	Lv. Toledo Ar	11 10	5 10	6 50
7 32	11 02	6 05	Dundee	10 10	4 15	4 50
7 41	11 21	6 27	Britton	9 46	3 52	4 09
7 52	11 34	6 31	Ridgeway	9 42	3 47	4 04
8 03	11 39	6 41	Tecumseh	9 32	3 37	3 57
8 05	11 55	6 57	Clinton	9 17	3 22	3 00
8 20	12 08	7 10	Cambridge	9 05	3 08	2 30
8 18	12 22	7 25	Devils Lake	8 51	2 54	1 58
8 15	12 30	7 33	Addison	8 43	2 45	1 46
8 22	12 48	7 50	Jerome	8 26	2 28	1 10
8 30	12 55	7 57	Moscow	8 20	2 21	12 55
8 35	1 06	8 07	Hanover	8 09	2 10	12 30
8 37	1 17	8 18	Pulaski	7 59	1 59	11 55
8 43	1 28	8 10	Homer	7 37	1 38	11 00
8 52	2 05	9 00	Marshall	7 11	1 12	9 36
9 10	2 17	9 22	Ceresco	6 59	1 00	9 20
9 22	2 36	9 40	A Battle Ck. L	6 40	12 42	8 32
1 40	2 50	P. M.	Augusta	A. M.	12 29	7 55
1 50	3 04		Yorkville		12 15	7 38
1 55	3 10		Richland		12 09	7 25
1 52	3 28		Doster		11 52	6 40
2 00	3 45		Monterey		11 30	6 00
2 20	3 53		Fisk		11 27	5 40
2 04	3 59		Kellogg		11 21	5 35
2 25	4 10		Ar. Allegan Lv		11 10	5 15
P. M.	5 10		Holland		10 10	A. M.
	6 10		Grand Rapids		9 15	
	6 15		Grand Haven		9 00	
	6 25		Ferrysburg		8 50	
	6 35		Muskegon		8 35	
	6 20		A Pentwater L		5 50	
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The Arctic Mystery.

The ice zones have possessed a fascination for scientists and men of daring for an indefinite time, though it has been but a comparatively few years that large adventure has attracted general interest to those formidable regions. One of the earliest of the noted explorers was Sir John Franklin, who ventured into the polar realm in 1845, and since the July of that year nothing has been learned of him or his companions. He had then reached Melville Bay, north latitude 77 deg. 48 min. The first expedition for the relief of this party was begun in 1848, and for five years there was an uninterrupted effort to find the whereabouts of the missing men, there being thirty-eight different commands, besides six land expeditions, during that time, the United States Government liberally aiding in the search. In 1860 Dr. Isaac I. Hayes undertook a new exploration. The highest point reached by him was named Cape Lieber, north latitude 81 deg. 35 min., and he received several gold medals for his reward. Captain C. F. Hall began the first of his three voyages in 1860, when it was still believed some of the Franklin party might be alive. He again made the voyage in 1864, a cruise of four years, and his last attempt to solve the mystery of the ice realm was made in 1871, during which he died. In 1879, Lieutenant Schwatka, United States Army, made a sledge journey with good results, and in the same year the disastrous De Long expedition was begun. The sad story of this adventure, with Danenhower and Melville's search, is too new in the public mind, through the recent return of the bodies of the unfortunate party, to form other than a quick prelude to the Greely disaster now so live an interest.

One of the most notable cruises was that made under command of Sir George Nares, in 1876, for the reason that, on the day of May 12, he touched the highest point of North latitude that had ever been reached, 82 deg. 24 min. The results of this expedition were regarded as being of great value and importance, and it is not unconsoling now to think that, in spite of the lamentable mischances of the Greely expedition, American enterprise carried exploration four miles to the north of this point, and determined the mooted question of the extent of Greenland. From this cursory review of some of the more conspicuous voyages, it will appear that the charm and fascination of discovery have led many noble champions to dare dangers that cannot be properly conceived by those whose fortune is within the comprehended limits of ordinary experience. The longing of science to look into the mystic possession of the close-locked secrets of the north has inspired an enthusiastic disregard of the perils and intense sufferings entailed by these apparently improvident missions; and though there has been a strong element of conservative opposition to this hazardous course, where there has not been a public spirit to sanction this purpose of legitimate inquiry private enterprise has furnished the means. Reviewing these exploits of research, and perceiving how much larger is the proportion of disaster to the good obtained, it is no wonder many are strenuously resolved against sympathy with movements that appear so foolhardy if not criminal in their risks of life, and refuse to consider the nobler ends and aims, the holier impulses and desires that rise above the mere love of adventure and take the force of an heroic devotion to the broad interests of mankind.

These voyages are not romances with the men who undertake them, and beyond the interest in the exciting contest with the unknown and undetermined there is a practical value in these courageous attempts to demonstrate and explain certain vital physical phenomena. At such a time as this there is the inspiration of applause and commendation to shut out from thought the inclination to censure and condemn. In the presence of these five men who have come back from the most fruitful achievement of all the daring endeavors to pierce to the polar sea, laden with information that will greedily be received by men who are more interested in ascertaining the governing facts and forces of our world than in the preservation of a few lives, there should be only reverent admiration. While there is something to be learned, the only means by which that knowledge may be acquired must be unsentimentally seized upon. Science is selfish, sacrificial, ruinous in its methods, perhaps, but it is so necessarily. In the subjugation of nature the elements of nature must be understood, and the great region of seemingly useless waste in ice and snow has a relation to the balance of the earth that science should understand, and though scores of years are lost and hundreds of lives sacrificed in the endeavor to gain this understanding, the cost will not be too great if the domain of civilization and commerce may by that means be increased or benefited. The extension and correction of geographical knowledge are matters of incalculable National importance, and through exploration alone may be obtained the material and facts for such changes as have revolutionized in a few centuries the practical world.

After two centuries of futile explorations and appalling disasters the imagined northeast passage was finally discovered, and a triumphant Scandinavian opened a water gate to strengthen commerce. It does not become a country of the magnitude and unsurpassed grandeur of the United States to be behind the world in reaching out to aid and foster science, and we can not afford to give advantages to other countries in matters of such gravity as exploration. Indeed, the resolute energy, unwavering bravery and shrewd, clear, judicial character of the American people fit them for the foremost place in such enterprises, and it is not at all unlikely that the secret of the Arctic will yet be snatched from its ice-floes and chilling desolation to the honor of American discovery. But whether the idea of arctic exporation is to be condemned or not, these heroes of the frozen zone are as deserving of popular laurels as men who storm a deadly breach in war's commotion, and serve as admirable a purpose in the general plan of civilization. Greely and his companions have been rescued by men whose resolute singleness of purpose is as well worth remembering as anything that has occurred in the arctic seas.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

Confessions of a Mosquito.

I am only a mosquito, one of that outlawed class against whom the hands of the entire world are raised in perpetual warfare and slaughter. I come when the buttercups begin to brighten the summer fields, when fragrant clover diffuses its incense on the soft, tropical air and wallas and the stately golden rod trouble in the zephyrs along the river bank. My advent is heralded by the gentle music of my wings. I sing the romance of mosquito life.

Little as I am I strike terror into the hearts of thousands. The moneyed magnate and the impecunious sport tremble alike at my approach. The high-handed tyrant of the household and the political boss acknowledge in me an object of fear. I am proscribed and undergo a species of relentless persecution that would crush many a haughtier spirit. Nevertheless, I bear up under it all and apply myself to my appointed mission, finding ample compensation in the approval of my own conscience. I have seen strong men who have braved the heat of battle—men to whose ears the roar of cannon was music—tremble with terror at my approach. I know my power, but I can't say that I glory in the consciousness of it.

You must know that there are social distinctions made in mosquitodom just as there are in well regulated society, and they are just, strong and immutable. Each mosquito is a creature of circumstances and into whatever channel chance dire ts his life he goes and follows it until death. When I was ushered into this world I had the good fortune to fall under the guidance of a grizzled old fellow, who had done years of honorable service in mosquito life. His wits were as sharp as his bill, and his skin, which was shrunken and wrinkled, was as tough as leather and calculated to resist the most savage assault. There was not a man of note upon the continent with whom he was not intimately acquainted. His recollections of persons and events were simply marvelous, so it was no wonder that I was an object of envy among the youngsters who came up along with me, as such a mentor insured my future success and social standing. I well remember the day when I was about to start forth into the world the old fellow said to me:

"Now, my son, for heaven's sake do not make yourself common and spoil all of your prospects in your first exploits by biting some politician or book agent. If you do your future is irrevocably blasted." And tears stood in my mentor's eyes as he bade me adieu. I took his advice. The first desirable person I saw was a rich bank cashier, who, it is needless to say, was deacon of a church. With a wildly palpitating heart and filled with excitement to such a degree that I couldn't utter a single note, I paid the old fellow my respects. I must confess that I was really pained and shocked at the startling language he used. It is said that a fledgeling mosquito stings ten times harder than an adult. He gave me an awful fright, the deacon did, and I determined to select some other than a strict church man for my next acquaintance. So I lit on a retired merchant and a severe moralist. I experienced the same startling results. I was young and had strong faith in mankind. Inexperience thrown upon a world of humanity moved by so many different forces will soon receive many severe shocks.

Perched on a netting in a fashionable hotel, with bowed head I yielded myself a prey to the doubts which surged upon me, when my old mentor dropped lightly at my side.

"Why so downcast, my boy?" he inquired, as he complacently wiped his mouth. He had just finished paying his court to one of the bluest bloods in the establishment and consequently felt in excellent humor. I explained to him what had happened and how my sensibilities were affected, and finally expressed my determination to devote myself to the canaille, when the old veteran shook with laughter and said:

"Why, son, yours is the experience of every mosquito. Its benefits may strike you as being doubtful when your good home training is taken into view, but the effect will eventually be good. It will teach you the frailty of man, his susceptibility to make a perfect demon of himself in secret while he masquerades as a saint. You will see how hollow most lives are."

I felt comforted by his advice and went about my mission once more, and though my path was literally crowded with curses, some low, some deep, I took it all with the consoling philosophy my adviser had advanced. I only received one shock after the incident I have referred to, and that was one time when I tried to make friends with Henry Bergh. When he felt my bill I had bit on his nose; he uttered something that did nt sound at all like a greeting and struck murderously at me with his palm. He followed up his assault with several savage endeavors to murder me. Just think of it! After that I positively had faith in no one.

My association with the class of people I moved among placed me high in mosquitodom and I was looked upon as one of its shining lights. It grieved me, however, to see how many of my young companions had fallen from the start. One made his debut by associating with an insurance agent and he has imbibed so much of his characteristics that his whole body has a bright, grassy appearance. Another struck a sibulous politician and he has been doing the politicians and other alcoholic gentry since. He is now a sot and unfit for respectable company. So it is very easy to see where the distinctions are made. A few years ago I had the misfortune to bill a dude in mistake for a gentleman and the mere recollection makes me sick at heart.

The summer season is here again and my work begins.—*Philadelphia Times.*

—A soldier in Posen gallantly rescued a lad from drowning not long ago. This act caused him to be fifteen minutes late in coming back to the barracks, and the martinets who held sway there punished his crime by eight days' imprisonment in a dungeon. They held that his first duty as a soldier was to be back in time, no matter who was drowning.

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 28, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

THE Postmaster General on the 21st announced the Government contract with P. K. Ouick, of Springfield, Mass., for furnishing official lead letter and registered package envelopes and tags, because of their inferior quality and not being up to the standard contracted for. The contract was annulled to $8,000.

THE remains of the eminent war correspondent, McGahan, arrived at New York from Constantinople on the 21st and after lying in state in the Governor's room at the City Hall were forwarded to his old home.

A SUNDAY SCHOOL excursion train, consisting of fifteen heavily loaded cars, on the 21st left Streator for Kankakee, Ill. While crossing the Illinois Central track near their destination, the fourth coach was run into by a train on the latter road. James Penn was killed and about a dozen more or less seriously hurt. Two or three will probably die. The engineer of the Illinois Central train claims that his brakes refused to work.

MRS. TREECE, residing near Indianapolis, Ind., on the 21st, prepared biscuits for breakfast and by mistake put arsenic in the dough instead of baking powder, the poison and the baking powder being in cans of the same pattern. The entire family, consisting of Mrs. Treece, her son and daughter, Mrs. Della Walker and Mary Treece, and Amanda Hollingsworth, died in great agony, violently sick. The children died in two hours and the women were conscious to the last.

THE Treasury Department on the 21st purchased 40,000 ounces of silver for delivery at the New Orleans and Philadelphia mints.

DR. SALMON, of the Agricultural Department, has made a report to Colonel Carman, Acting Commissioner, upon the outbreak of pleuro-pneumonia among Jersey cattle in Illinois, in which he says it is the most serious outbreak that has occurred for a long time, and unless prompt action is taken to stop it the Jersey cattle interest in the West will be ruined and pleuro-pneumonia be added. Several of the finest herds in the State are infected. The affected animals in the herd examined are worth $500. Some other animals in these herds are worth more than that, and two of the herds contain very valuable cows. The officials at the Agricultural Department say that this is the first time pleuro-pneumonia has appeared in the West, and every effort will be made to prevent the spread of the disease.

THE steamer Sallie M. Grant, on the 23d struck a snag at the head of Kissing Sun bar, near Madison, Ind., and sank. No lives lost.

BUSINESS failures throughout the country for the seven days ended Aug. 22 were: United States, 207; Canada, 27; total, 234, as against 217 the previous week.

IT has been definitely ascertained that Surgeon J. J. Woodward, of the United States Army, whose death was announced a few days ago, committed suicide by throwing himself from the roof of the Lawrence Street Hospital, Philadelphia. He had been at times insane, and at times was very cunning.

INFORMATION received Deloit on the 22d of a fight between reservation Indians and settlers in La Plata County, Colorado, which lasted five hours, in the 12th he was killed. A man recently arrived from southeastern Utah reports that region infested with warlike Utes, who only wait the movements of the whites to join Ouray in attacking the latter when the latter are in force. The Navajos are also reported to be gathering in great numbers in northeastern Arizona for a raid.

A REPORT has been received at the Treasury Department, from Lieutenant Healy giving the details of the rescue of the revenue steamer Corwin in Behring's Sea and the Arctic Ocean from June to July, 1884. He made diligent search for the schooner Alaska, which sailed from Golden Bay for San Francisco in October, 1883, and believes that there can be no doubt of her loss with all her passengers and crew.

FREE delivery service will be established at the following post offices October 1: Elgin, Ill., five carriers; La Crosse, Wis., five carriers; Decatur, Ill., five carriers; San Jose, Cal., five carriers; Sioux City, Ia., four carriers; Sedalia, Mo., five carriers; Fort Worth, Tex., five carriers; and Eau Claire, Wis., five carriers.

THE American Bar Association closed its session at Saratoga, N. Y., on the 22d. The following officers were elected: President, John W. Stevenson, of Kentucky; Secretary, Edward Otis Hinkley, of Baltimore; Treasurer, Francis Rawle, of Pennsylvania; Executive Committee, Luke P. Poland, Vermont; Stephen E. Baldwin, Connecticut; William Allen Butler, New York. The Secretary and Treasurer are ex-officio members of the committee. A Vice President and a local council of four were elected for each State belonging to the association.

THE Connecticut Peace Convention at Mystic adjourned on the 22d, after adopting resolutions calling for the abolition of the military system in Connecticut and of capital punishment; thanking Gladstone for his efforts to avoid additional bloodshed in Egypt; condemning any attempt to acquire additional territory by the United States by armed force; protesting against the dynamite policy, and commending all the friends of the good cause in Ireland or elsewhere not to use violent threats or carnal weapons so as to delay and prevent success.

AGENT DYER has informed the Indian Bureau that the Cheyennes and Arapahoes abuse boys who have returned from the school at Carlisle, Pennsylvania, not wishing their people to be educated.

THE Northwestern Lumberman's Association, representing $[illegible] capital, held a meeting in Chicago on the 21st, and, after a long debate, resolved that it would not be wise to close the mills before November 1.

ON the 21st tornadoes in Chesterfield County, Virginia, and at Colliery Junction, Pa., on the Pittsburgh & Western Railroad, uprooted many trees, demolished a number of houses and destroyed a great deal of farm property.

AT Springfield, O., on the 20th a son of Isaac Beard was playing with matches and set the house on fire. Before he could be taken out he was burned to a crisp and the father was badly burned in trying to rescue the child.

TWO freight trains collided on the 22d in the west yard of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Columbia, Pa. The caboose and gondola car of the front train and the engine and four cars of the rear train, the latter filled with sheep and hogs, were smashed. The wreck caught fire and was consumed. Upwards of 500 animals were killed, only fifty escaping. No human lives were sacrificed.

THE saw and planing mills of Little & Simmons, at Duluth, Minn., with all their machinery, track and mill outfit, together with 7,000,000 feet of sawed lumber, burned on the night of the 23d. Total loss $[illegible], on which there is about $[illegible] insurance.

THE United States Charge d'Affaires at Rome has notified the State Department of an outbreak of cholera at Spezia. The Consul at Genoa telegraphed that the cholera suddenly attacked Spezia on the 23d. There were sixty-one cases on the 24th, forty-nine fatal.

THE Lancaster (Pa.) Bolt Company assigned on the 23d. Liabilities $[illegible].

A DISPATCH of the 23d from East Tawas, Mich., says extensive forest fires have done great damage to the crops, burning standing grain, hay in stacks, and baking potatoes and burning miles of fences and several farm buildings. It is estimated that 5,000 acres have been burned over in East Tawas. Heavy fires were also raging in the vicinity of Deep River, Mich., destroying fences, hay stacks, and growing timber.

AT Bell's Bend, near Nashville, Tenn., on the 24th Thomas Huling mistook his daughter for a burglar and shot her dead. He was not aware she had got out, and hearing her trying to raise a window he did target two barrels of a gun loaded with buckshot in the direction of the noise with fatal results.

THE total reserve in the United States Treasury on the 23d was $[illegible]. The gold reserve was about $[illegible].

THE Webster County Bank at Marshfield, Mo., assigned on the 23d. Liabilities $[illegible]; assets nominal. All the school, county, city and road funds were deposited in the bank.

THE striking coal miners arrested at Gallitzin, Pa., for conspiracy, have been lodged in jail at Washington, Pa., to await a trial. It is the intention of their wives and children, numbering five hundred, to march to the jail and "fifes of Washington" to demand support and the miners' families say they will starve if relief is refused.

PATRICK HARTNET, for killing his wife in January, 1883, was on the 22d sentenced to be hanged at Cincinnati, December 5. His attorney gave notice that he would appeal to the Supreme Court. Had the sentence been carried out he would have been hanged a year and a half ago.

MINNIE NIXON, aged seventeen, was arrested at Maysville, Ky., on the 23d, charged with stealing a horse in Roberts county, Ky., which she is said to have taken a ride on after the theft of the horse with a gold watch.

THE bodies of all the victims of the recent burning of the steamer Sunnyside near Shanghai, Ind., have been recovered.

AT Hutchinson, on the 22d the elevator of P. Knauff & Son's grain warehouse gave way, and two workmen named Thompson and Peter Knauff were precipitated from the third floor to the cellar, a distance of between [illegible] feet. Both were fatally injured.

A PASSENGER train on the New York & New England Railroad ran off the track near Quinebaug, Mass., on the 23d. One passenger car and the smoker, containing about thirty persons, went down an embankment twenty feet. None were killed outright, but several sustained serious injuries, and all were more or less bruised and chafed.

Eighty-six bales of cotton consigned to [illegible] were burned on the steamboat dock at Troy on the 24th. The loss is about $10,000.

FIRE at Boonesboro, Iowa, on the 23d destroyed eight business buildings and a large canning factory. Loss $25,000; light insurance.

AT Montpelier, Vt., on the 23d Daniel Carr was shot dead while sitting at a desk in his store by Clark W. Sanders. Jealousy of his wife was the alleged cause of Sanders' crime. Carr was sixty years of age and unmarried.

THE New York associated banks make the following statement for the week ended August 23: Loans decrease, $[illegible]; specie decrease, $[illegible]; legal tenders decrease, $[illegible]; deposits decrease, $[illegible]; circulation increase, $[illegible]; reserve decrease, $[illegible]. The banks hold $[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

THE Naval Coal Board, which has been under investigation the comparative merits of anthracite and bituminous coal for ordinary naval uses, have reached the conclusion that semi-bituminous coal, especially of smokeless, is the best for such uses. Anthracite is regarded the second best quality and bituminous as the third.

THE Assistant Secretary of the Interior has refused the request of a number of cattle men on the Oklahoma lands in Indian Territory to remain till they can remove their stock without loss to themselves. He says the cattle men went into the Territory without permission and must suffer the consequences.

MRS. MORTON, wife of the missing Brooklyn (N. Y.) postmaster, admits having received a letter from him written at Rotterdam. In it he says nothing about returning, and states he went away "to save others."

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE official count of the vote for Appellate Judge in the First Kentucky District shows that W. H. Holt, Republican, received [illegible] votes, and R. Riddell, Democrat, 32,283. Holt's majority is 625. The district comprises forty-one counties.

EX-SENATOR THOMAS A. HENDRICKS on the 21st tendered his resignation as a member of the New York Democratic State Committee.

THE Kansas Democratic State Convention met at Topeka on the 21st. A resolution was adopted recommending that the Resubmissionists be given a place on the Democratic ticket. Governor Glick was renominated for Governor, and C. K. Halliday, a Resubmission Republican, was placed in nomination for Lieutenant Governor. The ticket was then completed as follows: Secretary of State, Eugene Hagan; Attorney General, G. F. Smith; Auditor, Hugh V. Gavigan; Treasurer, W. O. Hottman; Superintendent of Public Instruction, S. M. J. Keys; Chief Justice, E. W. P. Campbell; Associate Justice, T. A. Hurd. The platform declares strongly against prohibitory laws, and favors the restoration of public lands to the State for homestead settlement.

CONGRESSIONAL nominations on the 21st were: Republican—J. W. Weaver, First, Joseph Laird, Second, and G. W. E. Dorsey, Third Districts of Nebraska. Democratic—Thomas B. Ward, Ninth Indiana District; John B. Hale in the Second and A. X. Parker in the Twenty-second Missouri Districts; John Brannon, First West Virginia District.

HON. A. M. WEST has formally accepted the nomination for Vice President of the Greenbackers and Anti-Monopolists.

HON. JOHN LEISENRING, a well known engineer, president of several coal companies, and Presidential elector on the Republican ticket, died at Philadelphia on the 22d.

GENERAL LEROY POPE WALKER, the first Secretary of War in Jefferson Davis' Confederate Cabinet, and who gave the order for firing on Fort Sumter, died at his home in Huntsville, Ala., on the 22d.

THE President has appointed Willard P. Tisdel, of Painesville, O., agent for the United States to the Congo Association.

CONGRESSIONAL nominations on the 23d: Republican—Tenth Ohio District, Leon Remore; Tenth Michigan District, Martin Hoberson; Fourteenth Missouri District, Wilson Cramer.

ERWIN M. LEWIS, President of the Farmers and Mechanics' Bank of Philadelphia, died on the 23d.

REV. PETER JEAN BAPTIST BEDARD, a well known Catholic divine of Fall River, Mass., died on the 24th, aged forty-three.

AT a meeting of the Massachusetts Independent Republican State Committee at Boston on the 23d, resolutions were passed endorsing the candidacy of General Butler for the Presidency and accepting his letter as their platform of principles.

COMMODORE SCHLEY has been appointed chief of the bureau of equipment and recruiting in the navy, to succeed Commodore Earl English, resigned.

THE Virginia Legislature on the 23d passed a bill repealing the old election laws, amended so as to adapt the dates to the present time, striking out the word "freeholder," and giving Judges of Hustings and Chancery Courts power to fill vacancies in the offices of judges and registers existing at and since the January term of these courts.

DR. JOHN FITZPATRICK, a hotel-keeper of Quincy, Ill., died recently at the age of ninety-seven years, having never been sick.

FOREIGN.

MESSRS. TAIT, Walker and Stearns have been appointed by the Grand Master of the Quebec Free Masons to examine the abuses said to exist in the Provincial Order and suggest a reconstruction of amicable relations between the English and Quebec Grand Lodges.

AN ultimatum has been sent by the English Government to the Rajah of Tenasserim demanding the release within a fortnight of the crew of the Spanish schooner Nisero, which the Rajah has held in captivity since the vessel was wrecked last November.

AT the conference of the Young Men's Christian Association of the world, in session at Berlin, the managing committee was constituted on the 23d. The American representatives on this committee are D. L. Moody, of Cleveland, O. The other members of the committee are the German Count Lindhams Thomsen and Stoecker, Baron Gertzer of Hamburg, Hedder of London, Lagerfantz of Sweden, Rohnsbourg of Denmark, and Barfeldt of Sweden.

A DISPATCH of the 24th from Shanghai states that the arsenal at Foo Chow was destroyed by the French fleet on the 23d and that seven of the nine Chinese gunboats at that place were sunk. The advices, which evidently came from a French source, state that only one Chinese battery replied to the attack.

A DISPATCH of the 24th from London, England, says that a fire has been raging for three days in Rawa, a town in Austrian Galicia. Three hundred houses are destroyed and 3,000 persons are homeless. Fire also destroyed 34 dwellings and 327 farms in and about the large market town of Razwadi, Austrian Galicia. The harvest just gathered is all consumed. There is a great dearth of provisions in the town.

THE Dominion Government has refused United States cattle shippers permission to transport cattle across Canadian territory. The chief ground of objection is that the Canadian Government would thus be assisting United States shippers to compete with Canadian farmers on the English market.

DISPATCHES received at London on the 24th announce the death of the King of Ashante from small-pox. His funeral services included the sacrifice of three hundred persons.

LATER.

A SEVERE storm visited the Newfoundland coast on the 23d. Fifteen fishing smacks were lost at the outer cove, St. Johns. The schooners Petrel and Elizabeth were lost in White Bay and a fishing smack with four men and two lady passengers was lost off Cape Broyle. It is reported a large number of ships were lost in St. George's Bay.

ST. JOHN and Daniel, the Prohibitionist candidates for President and Vice President, were formally notified of their nomination on the 25th, and accepted in brief speeches. The notification took place at a temperance camp meeting in progress near Cuba, N. Y., at which many of the prominent Prohibitionists of the country were present.

THE Abdallah Park stables at Cynthiana, Ky., owned by W. H. Wilson, were destroyed by fire on the 25th. James Honan, an employe of the stables, and a score of fine race horses perished, among them Long Branch, Chestnut Wilkes, and Jersey Lily. Different owners had horses quartered in the stable. Wilson's residence was saved. He places his loss at $[illegible] and the total loss is estimated at $[illegible], mostly by horses.

A RIOT among thirty Italian laborers near Dixon, Ill., on the 25th resulted in the fatal injury of three and the maiming of a number of the participants.

HEAVY frosts in New England on the night of the 25th caused much damage to crops and garden stuff.

HARMON CITY, Osceola County, Mich., was entirely destroyed by forest fires on the 26th. But two buildings remain. The dock, belonging to Harmon & Crowl, of Cleveland, O., was also burned.

THE inner safe of the First National Bank at Albion, N. Y., was forced by experts on the 25th, but nothing of any value was found. Wagner had made a clean sweep.

AN examination by experts of the Essex County (N. J.) reports for the past twelve years reveal a shortage in one of the sinking funds of nearly $[illegible].

H. A. HOLDSWORTH, the forging cashier of Elizabethtown, Ky., who escaped from that place a year ago, was captured in New Orleans and returned to Elizabethtown on the 25th for trial.

A SHANGHAI dispatch states that the arsenal at Foo Chow was destroyed by the French fleet on the 23d. Seven of the nine Chinese gunboats were sunk. The arsenal cost 42,000,000 francs and the arms and ammunition destroyed were valued at 140,000,000 francs.

SEVERAL hundred Orangemen attacked the Roman Catholic Church yacht at Henley Harbor, N. F., on the 25th and threatened Missionary Father Lynch with death. They tore down the Papal flag and tarred the yacht.

A TOUCHING INCIDENT.

A Young Girl's Dementia—How it Was Occasioned—Some New and Startling Truths.

The St. Louis express, on the New [illegible] railroad, was crowded to its evening recently, when at one of the way stations an elderly gentleman, accompanied by a young lady, entered the cars and finally secured a seat. As the conductor approached the pair, the young lady arose and in a pleading voice said:

"Please, sir, don't let him force me to the asylum. I am not crazy. I am a little tired, but not mad. Oh! no indeed. Won't you please have papa take the buckboard?"

The conductor, accustomed though he was to all phases of humanity, looked with astonishment at the pair as did the other passengers in their vicinity. A few words from the father, however, however, sufficed, and the conductor passed on while the young lady turned her face to the window. The writer chanced to be seated just behind the old gentleman and could not forego the desire to speak to him. With a sad face and a trembling voice the father said:

"My daughter has been attending the seminary in a distant town and was succeeding remarkably. Her natural qualities, together with a great ambition, placed her in the front ranks of the school, but she studied too closely, was not careful of her health, and her poor brain has been turned. I am taking her to a private asylum where we hope she will soon be better."

At the next station the old man and his daughter left the cars, but the incident, so suggestive of Shakspeare's Ophelia, awakened strange thoughts in the mind of the writer. It is an absolute fact that while the population of America increased thirty per cent. during the decade between 1870 and 1880 the insanity increase was over one hundred and thirty-five per cent. for the same period. Travelers by rail, by boat, or in carriages in any part of the land see large and elaborate buildings, and inquire what they are?

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Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear	50 @	55
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @	60
Clover seed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 75 @	6 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ₱ ℔	@	15
Ham ₱ ℔	@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @	33
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	45 @	50
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed ₱ ℔	@	11
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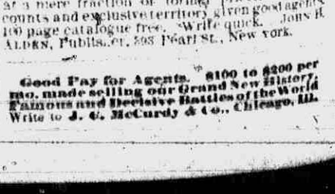

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BROOKLYN BALLAST

A free exhibition of mud larks rivaled the white elephant at Barnum's show, and a fair number of the collection were credited to B.

The new mental elephant on hand is a great unwashed one, strayed from Detroit's zoo, and vexes the minds of our acetic sons of toil; with the eight hours for a day's work problem, and the puzzle attachment of making employers pay the same prices as for ten or twelve, wakes a symphony of swears too wicked for every day music. Its name is Aspiration. It aspires to more leisure, more money, small days works, wee small hours, small families, etc., and unless Providence frowns, a De-Pop-Club will assemble in LaConvenient, every moonlit, starlit, lamplit, and rain-washed night during the period, or until somebody finds out how to wring time enough for studying classical literature from the bread and butter division of day, and enlarge the sinking fund of opportunity, for exercising and developing muscle with billiard ball and cue. There is no end to wrangle because the sun shines early, and the chasm between light and darkness has to be filled by hand. The multitude of complaints concerning this single grievance is enough to make one suspect the master mechanic of the universe has forgotton something; but if women are to be arraigned for the mis-deal, and punished with a numerous old-maid-hood because they persist in taking stray babies to board, its time they deployed on the skirmish line and whistle "I'll come to you, my lad, with a thimble full of truth." It is not the wife and baker's dozen of children that chain a man to poverty and ignorance. It is the full-grown, exacting, limitless family of habits; the girl becomes step-mother to when she marries him; that fills a tenant house with scantiness. They do not abide by the eight hour system.

Whoever smokes one-fourth or one-half dozen cigars a day, drinks the glass of lager with a friend, plays one game of billiards ditto, manages to spend one half dollar of his wages for that day; and $150.50 will board and clothe several babies nicely one year, when the nurse girl does the work from choice. Neither rooms, lights or fire, are extras to be provided for; the man and his wife must have them, or if minus the wife he must pay as much for board and attendance as for tenant house, living, babies and all. It takes years for the children to get there; when grown they are apt to go; but habits are there first, last and all time, hydra headed, multiplying, pleading only for self-indulgence until if wealth was reckoned by the amount spent in their gratification, nine laboring men out of ten would be counted millionaires. Some kinds of work exhaust life rapidly, and it is best to restrain the exaction of selfish employers, but the world would be inconvenienced and lots of shirts left unironed when wanted most, if eight hours constituted a day's work for mother and the hired girl. For the latter to demand the same price for a few hours work as the day's service, would be called nonsensical, especially if supper was not ready until next day. Everyone recognizes the absurdity of being required to pay for more than they receive, and it is almost as irrational to demand as much pay for eight hours work as has formerly been received for ten, if the first was a fair equivilent. How many strikes originate in employers refusing to contribute to the support of habits, is not known; but lots of women die while trying to find out whether they belong to a waste-basket or savings bank. To shirk home cares and throw away children, in order to lessen labor and expense so as to gain time for study and mental culture, is sacrificing the greater to the less and climbing downward.

Nature has decreed that hearts and minds are best cultivated in unison, and the broader the base the firmer the structure. No doubt that is why the D's and G's are fusing to aid Butler in his philanthropic scheme of cushioning a chair for Blaine and enticing Republicans to vote for Cleveland and thus save Prohibitionists from growing freckled. Not all the old maids in christendom have been caricatured as much as General Butler, and now the venom becomes a laurel such as no nation ever before crowned a hero with. The flimsiest pretenses are seized upon and made into an excuse to do his bidding. After all the vituperation, the magnetism of bravely speaking an honest opinion overpowers bluster, and foes and friends alike acknowledge him as drill-master. The political heart beat is regulated by his faulty but interesting letter. One more billet doux and the fame of getting lost during the great eclipse may immortalize the chosen. PEARLIE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

We had a fine rain Thursday.

Mrs. Dr. R. H. Nelson made her sister of Dundee a visit last week.

Mr. Alfred Mosher, of Addison, spent the sabbath with Miss Vina Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Linn made friends at Dundee a visit over Sunday.

Rev. Peter Sharp will preach in the new barn of I. S. Osborn on the prairie next Sunday at 2:30 P. M.

Mr. Hamlin, of Ypsilanti, was the guest of Mr. A. J. Sutton over Saturday.

On Tuesday night of last week fire was discovered in the rear of Dr. D. W. Loree's old blacksmith shop, and on close investigation it was found kerosene oil had been freely used; the flames were extinguished before much damage was done. [illegible] a close call for G. W. Jackson [illegible] shop.

Three cheers fo[illegible]ton for Governor and Cha[illegible] for Congress.

Mr. Henry Smith and Miss Anna Poucher, of Manchester, spent the Sabbath with Miss Lou Arner.

Prof. H. C. Wilson commenced his duties as instructor of the youth at Blissfield Monday.

The annual school meeting was held Monday night, and S. P. Smith was elected Assessor for full term, and then voted to build a new school house to cost $3,000 and to be built the coming year.

Quite a good many went to hear Ex. Gov. St. John at Toledo, Tuesday.

Mr. Phillip Hathaway died at his home Tuesday night and the funeral was held at the house Wednesday at 10:30 A. M. The deceased was one of Ridgeway's first pioneers. He was past 96 years of age.

Those boys that are doing so much shooting around the village had better look a little out which way they shoot or constable Smith will take care of them.

The week of camp meeting passed off very pleasantly with one or two exceptions. Sunday morning Master Frankie Wilcox, of Wellsville, was run over by a horse and died in half an hour from internal hurts. The funeral services were held on the camp ground Monday afternoon. He was taken home for burial. Sunday there were thousands that attended the services and the best of order prevailed.

Rev. Mr. Hudson, of Tecumseh, will talk on the temperance issue at the Grange Hall Macon on Friday night of this week.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Franc Richart commenced teaching in the Baker district last Monday.

Ralph Mills commenced school in Tecumseh Monday.

Sunday School concert at the M. E. church next Sunday evening.

Rev. J. A. DeSpelder and wife arrived in Macon last week. They start for Iowa this week.

Maude Howell commenced her school in the Harring district Monday.

Mrs. Ball, of Douglass, is visiting friends in Macon.

Sumner Collins spent Sunday in Macon.

At the annual school meeting, Henry Miller was elected assessor. A good choice.

Mrs. St. John organized a singing class here last Monday. There is a large attendance.

The ice-cream social at Grange Hall Friday evening was largely attended.

Our school board have been endeavoring for a number of weeks to find teachers. So far their efforts have been in vain. It might be well to import a few pedagogues.

The Republican ticket for county officers nominated Monday gives entire satisfaction in Macon. It will secure a rousing victory in Nov. in this town.

TIPTON TATTLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell are visiting friends in the state of New York.

Wesley Rogers is unable to work, being afflicted with rheumatism.

Rev. Whiteley preaches his farewell sermon next sabbath morning.

The hay fever is becoming a little too common for the comfort of many.

The child of B. F. Norcross was buried last Saturday.

Several farmers have left their wheat fields but partially prepared for the sowing on account of the drought.

Mrs. Wheelan, of California, is visiting her brother Mr. James Hunter whom she has not seen before in more than thirty years.

A goodly number of persons patronized the excursion to Toledo last Tuesday and several others propose to join the excursionists to Detroit next Friday to witness the deplorable wrestling match.

Willie Colvin went to Kansas about a couple of weeks since and was taken suddenly ill with dysentery and died a few days ago in the eighteenth year of his age. Much regret is expressed here in view of his premature death among strangers.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Alonzo Clark returned from Chicago Tuesday night.

The very dry weather is preventing many farmers from sowing as much wheat this fall as they intended.

The Baptist parsonage is receiving much needed repairs.

Some roller skaters in this town speak very highly of the rink that has just been built in Tecumseh.

We understand that the editor of the Tecumseh News some time last week finished the foundation for a structure that, like the tower of Babel, will lean—on the front gate—as it nears completion. It is a girl baby. Now, let some brother in the profuse, like the celebrated Mr. Wegg, drop into poetry. We can't: the above metaphor knocked our muse out in the first round.

While the exposition is open this fall, the Lake Shore will sell round trip tickets to Chicago, including an exposition ticket, every Tuesday for five dollars. The tickets will be good to return up to and including the following Monday. The tickets will be for sale for the first time next Tuesday.

The social at Geo. Wrights last Tuesday evening was largely attended. The Saline and Bridgwater bands were present and discoursed some good music.

Miss Mary Keyes returned Wednesday from a three weeks visit in Saline and Ann Arbor.

Schools opened here last Monday with a full corps of teachers and a larger attendance than ever before at the opening of a fall term. Many foreign scholars are enrolled and the work as begun with the large attendance promises that the year just at hand will be one of the most prosperous in the annals of the Clinton Public Schools.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans held their convention for putting a county ticket in the field on Monday last. There was a large attendance and a lively contest over most of the offices. The convention was called to order by J. G. Mason, on whose motion Capt. C. R. Miller was elected temporary chairman. After a short speech by Mr. Miller the convention got down to work. The several committees were appointed and the meeting adjourned till afternoon. At the afternoon session Dean's Opera House was packed. The committee on resolutions, permanent organization, etc., reported and the work of nominating a ticket was then proceeded with. Judge Geddes was nominated for Judge of Probate by acclamation. As there were several candidates for all the remaining positions on the ticket, nearly the entire afternoon was consumed in balloting. Without giving the ballots in detail we append the ticket as finally made up

Judge of Probate—Norman Geddes.
Sheriff—William Jibbs.
Clerk—Cyrus Crandall.
Register—S. W. Bennett.
Treasurer—Jay Hoag.
Prosecuting Att'y.—B. F. Graves.
Circuit Court Com'rs—Thos C. Sawyer, Geo. W. Ayres.
Coroners—Harlowe Seaver, J. R. Bennett.
State Senator—Mason Carpenter.

At the last republican county convention a committee was appointed to change the basis of representation in future conventions. The committee reported through Mr. John Mason and asked to be allowed to wait until after election before the basis of representation was determined upon, in order that the vote this fall might be taken as a basis of calculation. The members of the county committee and the successful candidates were requested to meet Mr. Mason in the jurors room immediately, and the convention then adjourned.

BIGGER 'N BARNUM.

The Tri-State Fair occurs at Toledo, September 8 to 13. Acres of agricultural machinery in motion; printing, book-binding, weaving, rope making, file cutting, etc. The biggest live stock show in the West, and a superb racing program, which includes an offer of $2,000 for "Jay Eye See," Gen. John A. Logan and Gov. Hendricks, Vice Presidential candidates, are expected to be present. Excursion rates from this point.

THE STATE PROHIBITION PLATFORM.

The following is the platform as adopted by the prohibitionists in state convention:

Resolved, That this convention, recognizing Almighty God as the ruler and governor of all things, and asking his blessing on our work, does this day present to the people a full, clean ticket for officers of the state of Michigan. We ask for it the moral and political support of all who would abolish legalized traffic in intoxicating liquors; all who favor intrusting the affairs of the government to honest, capable and sober men; all who believe in the adoption of the most rigid rules of the civil service reform.

Resolved, That capital is necessary in the employment of labor and laboringmen should look favorably upon the development and increase of capital. But capital with labor is useless. The great army of toilers is the foundation of our prosperity. Their interests and sacred rights should be maintained by appropriate legislation. No one thing will so effectually do this as the suppression of the liquor traffic, and therefore we invite all laboring men to unite with us in pledging ourselves to a favorable action in behalf of their interests and welfare.

Resolved, That we regard it altogether inexpedient for us to indorse the candidates of any other political party to any office, as it tends to weaken our own forces and encourage the political parties who are organically disqualified to deal with the question of prohibition.

Resolved, That we do not believe sex alone should debar any citizen from all the rights of citizenship. We declare ourselves favorable to woman suffrage and will hail the coming of the time when it can be made a distinct and prominent political issue.

Resolved, That we fully indorse the platform of the national prohibition party and will heartily support its candidates.

Resolved, That we call attention of the members of the democrat and greenback parties to the shameful and ignoble position in which the greedy office seekers who control those organizations have placed them. The direct foes to good government never proposed a scheme more destructive of political virtue and prejudicial to the people's interest than the bargain and sale arrangement made by these fusionists for the mere purpose of political spoils. No reform in the existing abuses of the government can take place if we put our state in control of men who trade their votes before election, because they will cheat the people after, and cannot be trusted to bring about those reforms which the people so much demand.

We present a clean issue overshadowing in its importance all others which affect alike the poor and rich man's home. We earnestly appeal to all voters to come with us and by their votes to contribute to a victory which means the grand uplifting of the human race rather than the mere parceling out of spoils as brigands divide plunder which they have gained from a successful raid.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the convention of the republican party at Kalamazoo two years ago and reaffirmed at the late convention at Detroit as a substitute for the report of the committee on platform, upon the subject of temperance, is an acknowledgement of its inability to grapple with the question of prohibition of the liquor traffic, inasmuch as it is a confession that there is no unity upon the subject in its own ranks. Even the demand which it makes for the submission of a constitutional amendment is of very little value as the leading organ of the party of this state frankly confesses that "no state convention can prohibit voters from sending a republican to Lansing who does not favor prohibition or the submission of either." A convention can not bind its local constituencies and therefore we cannot secure the election of proper candidates in a party having such various opinions and convictions upon the subject.

Frank Leslie's Popular Magazine.

THE number for September opens with a timely and able article on "The Presidential Canvass of 1884" with nine illustrations, including portraits of the candidates, etc. Norton Rutherforth has an interesting article, "Across the Pampas," with eight illustrations. Duyckinck's "New York After the Revolution" nine illustrations, "Hunting an Empire's Ghost" by Alfred Trumble illustrated. "The Scientific Schools of the United States," by J. E. Hallock, Ph.D. 12 illustrations; and "Chamounix," by Frederick Daniel illustrated, are noteworthy features of the number. The departments of Fiction, Sketches Adventures, etc., contain contributions by H. Cleveland Ward, Annie Thomas, K. V. Hastings, etc. Etta W. Pierce continues her deeply interesting serial, "A Dark Deed." The poems are by Mrs. Dennison and others. There are also a large variety of short articles, anecdotes, paragraphs, etc; over 100 illustrations, and a beautiful colored frontispiece, "The Bitter with the Sweet." The 128 quarto pages of valuable and delightful reading are sold for 25 cents; yearly subscription $2.50, post paid. Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

A correspondent to a neighboring paper says that "when a frost has hurt the leaves of corn much, the sooner it is cut and shocked the better it will be for both fodder and corn and if the kernels have begun to glaze the corn will ripen."

A gardener recommends tying old newspapers about celery to bleach it. He finds that in this manner he can bleach it better, easier and cheaper than by earthing it up.

he Three Strangers.

BY THOMAS HARDY.

Among the few features of agricultural England which retain an appearance but little modified by the lapse of centuries may be reckoned the high, grassy, and furzy mounds, coombs, or cwms, as they are indifferently called, that diversify large areas of certain counties in the south and southwest. If any mark of human habitation is met with hereon it usually takes the form of the solitary cottage, or some shepherd.

Fifty years ago such a lonely cottage stood on such a down, and may possibly be standing there now. Despite its loneliness, however, the spot, by actual measurement, was not more than five miles from a county town. Yet what of that? Five miles in irregular upland during the long-drawn season, with their sleets, snows, rains, and mists, afford withdrawing space enough to isolate a Timon or a Nebuchadnezzar, much less, in fair weather, to please that less repellant tribe, the poets, philosophers, artists, and others who "conceive and meditate of pleasant things."

Some old earthen camp or barrow, some clump of trees, at least some starved fragment of ancient hedge, is usually taken advantage of in the erection of these forlorn dwellings. But, in the present case, such a kind of shelter had been disregarded. Higher Crowstairs, as the house was called, stood quite detached and undefended. The only reason for its precise situation seemed to be the crossing of two footpaths at right angles hard by, which may have crossed there and thus for a good five hundred years. The house was thus exposed to the elements on all sides. But, though the wind up here blew unmistakably when it did blow, and the rain hit hard whenever it fell, the various weathers of the winter season were not quite so formidable on the coomb as they were imagined to be by dwellers on low ground. The raw rimes were not so pernicious as in the hollows, and the frosts were scarcely so severe. When the shepherd and his family, who tenanted the house, were pitied for their sufferings from the exposure, they said that upon the whole they were less inconvenienced by "wuzzes and flames" (hoarses and phlegms) than when they had lived by the stream of a snug neighborhood valley.

The night of March 28, 182-, was precisely one of the nights that were wont to call forth these expressions of commiseration. The level rain-storm smote walls, slopes, and hedges like the cloth-yard shafts of Seniac and Crecy. Such sheep and outdoor animals as had no shelter stood with their buttocks to the wind; while the tails of little birds trying to roost on some scraggy thorn were blown inside out like umbrellas. The gable-end of the cottage was stained with wet, and the eaves-droppings flapped against the wall. Yet never was commiseration for the shepherd more misplaced. For that cheerful rustic was entertaining a large party in glorification of the christening of his second girl.

The guests had arrived before the rain began to fall, and they were all now assembled in the chief or living-room of the dwelling. A glance into the apartment at 8 o'clock on this eventful evening would have resulted in the opinion that it was as cozy and comfortable a nook as could be wished for in boisterous weather. The calling of its inhabitants was proclaimed by a number of highly-polished sheep-crooks without stems that were hung ornamentally over the fireplace, the curling of each shining crook varying from the antiquated type engraved in the patriarchal pictures of old family bibles to the most approved fashion of the last local sheep fair. The room was lighted by half-a-dozen candles, having wicks only a trifle smaller than the grease which encircled them, in candlesticks that were never used but at high-days, holy-days, and family feasts. The lights were scattered about the room, two of them standing on the chimney-piece. This position of candles was in itself significant. Candles on the chimney-piece always meant a party.

On the hearth, in front of a back-brand to give substance, blazed a fire of thorns, that crackled "like the laughter of the fool."

Nineteen persons were gathered here. Of these, five women, wearing gowns of various bright hues, sat in chairs along the walls; girls shy and not shy filled the window-bench; four men, including Charley Jake, the hedge-carpenter, Elijah New, the parish-clerk, and John Pitcher, a neighboring dairyman, the shepherd's father-in-law, loiled in the settle; a young man and maid, who were blushing over tentative pourparlers on a life-companionship, sat beneath the corner cupboard, and an elderly engaged man of 50 or upward moved restlessly from spots where his betrothed was not to the spot where she was. Enjoyment was pretty general, and so much the more prevailed in being unhampered by conventional restrictions. Absolute confidence in each other's good opinion begat perfect ease, while the finishing stroke of manner, amounting to a truly princely serenity, was lent to the majority by the absence of any expression or trait denoting that they wished to get on in the world, enlarge their minds, or do any eclipsing thing whatever—which now-a-days so generally nips the bloom and bonhomie of all except the two extremes of the social scale.

Shepherd Fennel had married well, his wife being a dairyman's daughter from the valley below, who brought 30 guineas in her pocket and kept them there till they should be required for ministering to the needs of a coming family. This frugal woman had been somewhat exercised as to the character that should be given to the gathering. A sit-still party had its advantages; but an undisturbed position of ease in chairs and settles was apt to lead on the men to such an unconscionable deal of loping that they would fairly drink the house dry. A dancing party was the alternative, but this, while avoiding the foregoing objection on the score of good drink, had a counterbalancing disadvantage in the matter of good victuals, the ravenous appetites engendered by the exercise causing immense havoc in the buttery. Shepherdess Fennel fell back upon the intermediate plan of mingling short dances with short periods of talking and singing, so as to hinder any ungovernable rage in either. But this scheme was entirely confined to her own gentle mind; the shepherd himself was in the mood to exhibit the most reckless phases of hospitality.

The fiddler was a boy of those parts, about 12 years of age, who had a wonderful dexterity in jigs and reels, though his fingers were so small and short as to necessitate a constant shifting for the high notes, from which he scrambled back to the first position with sounds not of unmixed purity of tone. At 7 the shrill tweedle-dee of this youngster had begun, accompanied by a booming groundbass from Elijah New the parish clerk, who had thoughtfully brought with him his favorite musical instrument, the serpent. Dancing was instantaneous. Mrs. Fennel privately enjoining the players on no account to let the dances exceed the length of a quarter of an hour.

But Elijah and the boy, in the excitement of their position, quite forgot the injunction. Moreover, Oliver Giles, a man of fifty, one of the dancers, who was enamored of his partner, a fair girl of 20 young years, had recklessly handed a new crown-piece to the musicians, as a bribe to "keep going as long as they had wind and hand." Mrs. Fennel being the storm began to generate on the countenances of her guests, crossed over and touched the miller's elbow, and put her hand on the serpent's mouth. But they took no notice, and fearing she might lose her character of genial hostess if she were to interfere too markedly, she retired and sat down behind. And so the dance whizzed on with cumulative fury, the performers moving in their planet-like courses, direct and retrograde, from apogee to perigee, till the hand of the well-kicked clock at the bottom of the room had traveled over the circumference of an hour.

While these cheerful events were in course of enactment within Fennel's pastoral dwelling, an incident having considerable bearing on the party had occurred in the gloomy night without. Mrs. Fennel's concern about the growing fierceness of the dance corresponded in point of time with the ascent of a human figure to the solitary hill of Higher Crowstairs from the direction of the distant town. This personage strode on through the rain without a pause, following the little-worn path which, further on in its course, skirted the shepherd's cottage.

It was nearly the time of full moon, and on this account, though the sky was lined with a uniform sheet of dripping cloud, ordinary objects out of doors were readily visible. The sad, wan light revealed the lonely pedestrian to be a man of supple frame; his gait suggested that he had somewhat passed the period of perfect and instinctive agility, though not so far as to be otherwise than rapid of motion when occasion required. In point of fact he might have been about 40 years of age. He appeared tall, but a recruiting sergeant, or other person accustomed to the judging of men's height by the eye, would have discerned that he was not more than five feet eight or nine.

Notwithstanding the regularity of his tread, there was caution in it, as in that of one who mentally feels his way; and despite the fact that it was not a black coat nor a dark garment of any sort that he wore, there was something about him which suggested that he naturally belonged to the black-coated tribes of men. His clothes were of fustian, and his boots hobnailed, yet in progress he showed not the mud-accustomed bearing of hobnailed and fustian peasantry.

By the time that he had arrived abreast of the shepherd's premises the rain came down, or rather came along, with yet more determined violence. The outskirts of the little homestead partially broke the force of the wind and rain, and this induced him to stand still. The most salient of the shepherd's domestic erections was an empty sty at the forward corner of his hedgeless garden, for in these latitudes the principle of masking the homier features of your establishment by a conventional frontage was unknown. The traveler's eye was attracted to this small building by the pallid shine of the wet slates that covered it. He turned aside, and, finding it empty, stood under the pent roof for shelter.

While he stood, the boom of the serpent within, and the lesser strains of the fiddler, reached the spot as an accompaniment to the surging hiss of the flying rain on the sod, its louder beating on the cabbage-leaves of the garden, on the eight or ten bee-hives just discernible by the path, and its dripping from the eaves into a row of buckets and pans that had been placed under the walls of the cottage. For at Higher Crowstairs, as at all such elevated domiciles, the grand difficulty of housekeeping was an insufficiency of water, and a casual rainfall was utilized by turning out as catchers, every utensil that the house contained. Some queer stories might be told of the contrivances for economy in suds and dishwaters that are absolutely necessitated in upland habitations during the droughts of summer. But at this season there were no such exigencies; a mere acceptance of what the skies bestowed was sufficient for an abundant store.

At last the notes of the serpent ceased and the house was silent. This cessation of activity aroused the solitary pedestrian from the reverie into which he had lapsed, and emerging from the shed, with an apparently new intention, he walked up the path to the house-door. Arrived here, his first act was to kneel down on a large stone beside the row of vessels, and to drink a copious draught from one of them. Having quenched his thirst, he rose and lifted his hand to knock, but paused with his eye upon the panel. Since the dark surface of the wood revealed absolutely nothing, it was evident that he must be mentally looking through the door, as if he wished to measure thereby all the possibilities that a house of this sort might include, and how they might bear upon the question of his entry.

In his indecision he turned and surveyed the scene around. Not a soul was anywhere visible. The garden path stretched downward from his feet, gleaming like the track of a small snail; the roof of the little well (mostly dry), the well cover, the top rail of the garden gate, were varnished with the same dull liquid glaze; far away in the vale, a faint whiteness of more than usual extent showed that the rivers were high in the meads. Beyond all this winked a few bleared lamplights through the beating drops, lights that denoted the situation of the country town from which he had appeared to come. The absence of all notes of life in that direction seemed to clinch his intentions, and he knocked at the door.

Within a desolatory chat had taken the place of movement and musical sound. The hedge-carpenter was suggesting a song to the company, which no one just then was inclined to undertake, so that the knock afforded a not unwelcome diversion.

"Walk in," said the shepherd promptly.

The latch clicked upward, and out of the night our pedestrian appeared upon the door-mat. The shepherd arose, snuffed two of the nearest candles, and turned to look at him.

Their light disclosed that the stranger was dark in complexion, and not unprepossessing as to feature. His hat, which for a moment he did not remove, hung low over his eyes, without concealing that they were large, open, and determined, moving with a flash rather than a glance round the room. He seemed pleased with the survey, and baring his shaggy head, said, in a rich, deep voice: "The rain is so heavy, friends, that I ask leave to come in and rest awhile."

"To be sure, stranger," said the shepherd. "And faith, you've been lucky in choosing your time, for we are having a bit of a thing for a good cause—though to be sure a man could hardly wish that glad cause to happen more than once a year."

"Nor less," spoke up a woman. "For 'tis best to get your family over and done with as soon as you can, so as to be all the earlier out of the pangs."

"And what may be this glad cause?" asked the stranger.

"A birth and a christening," said the shepherd.

The stranger hoped his host might not be made unhappy either by too many or too few of such episodes, and, being invited by a gesture to pull at the mug, he readily acquiesced. His manner, which before entering had been scrupulous, was now altogether that of a careless and candid man.

"Late to be traversing athwart this coomb—hey?" said the engaged man of 50.

"Late it is, master, as you say. I'll take a seat in the chimney-corner, if you have nothing to urge against it, ma'am, for I'm a little moist on the side that was next the rain."

Mrs. Shepherd Fennel assented, and made room for the self-invited comer, who, having got completely inside the chimney-corner, stretched out his legs and his arms with the expansiveness of a person quite at home.

"Yes, I am rather thin in the vamp," he said freely, seeing that the eyes of the shepherd's wife fell upon his boots, "and I am not well-fitted, either. I have had some rough times lately, and have been forced to pick up what I can get in the way of wearing, but I must find a suit better fit for working days when I reach home."

"One of hereabouts?" she inquired.

"Not quite that—further up the country."

"I thought so. And so am I; and by your tongue you come from our neighborhood."

"But you would hardly have heard of me," he said quickly. "My time would be long before yours, ma'am, you see."

This testimony to the youthfulness of his hostess had the effect of stopping her cross-examination.

"There is only one thing more wanted to make me happy," continued the new comer. "And that is a little baccy, which I am sorry to say I am out of."

"I'll fill your pipe," said the shepherd.

"I must ask you to lend me a pipe likewise."

"A smoker, and no pipe about ye?"

"I have dropped it somewhere on the road."

The shepherd filled and handed him a new clay pipe, saying, as he did so: "Hand me your baccy-box—I'll fill that too, now I'm about it."

The man went through the movement of searching his pockets.

"Lost that too?" said his entertainer, with some surprise.

"I am afraid so, said the man with some confusion. "Give it to me in a screw of paper." Lighting his pipe at the candle with a suction that drew the whole flame into the bowl, he resettled himself in the corner, and bent his looks upon the faint steam from his damp legs, as if he wished to say no more.

Meanwhile the general body of guests had been taking little notice of this visitor by reason of an absorbing discussion in which they were engaged with the band about a tune for the next dance. The matter being settled, they were about to stand up, when an interruption came in the shape of another knock at the door.

At sound of the same the man in the chimney-corner took up the poker and began stirring the fire as if doing it thoroughly was the one aim of his existence, and the second time the shepherd said "Walk in!" In a moment another man stood upon the straw-woven door-mat. He, too, was a stranger.

This individual was one of a type radically different from the first. There was more of the commonplace in his manner, and a certain jovial cosmopolitanism sat upon his features. He was several years older than the first arrival, his hair being slightly frosted, his eyebrows bristly, and his whiskers cut back from his cheeks. His face was rather full and flabby, and yet it was not altogether a face without power. A few grog-blossoms marked the neighborhood of his nose. He flung back his long drab great coat, revealing that beneath it he wore a suit of cinder-gray shade throughout, large, heavy seals of some metal or other that would take a polish, dangling from his fob as his only personal ornament. Shaking the water-drops from his low-crowned, glazed hat, he said: "I must ask for a few minutes' shelter, comrades, or I shall be wetted to my skin before I get to Casterbridge."

"Make yerself at home, master," said the shepherd, perhaps a trifle less heartily than on the first occasion. Not that Fennel had the least tinge of niggardliness in his composition, but the room was far from large, spare chairs were not numerous, and damp companions were not altogether comfortable at close quarters for the women and girls in their bright-colored gowns.

However, the second comer, after taking off his great-coat, and hanging his hat on a nail in one of the ceiling-beams, as if he had been specially invited to put it there, advanced and sat down at the table. This had been pushed so closely into the chimney-corner, to give all available room to the dancers, that its inner edge grazed the elbow of the man who had ensconced himself by the fire, and thus the two strangers were brought into close companionship. They nodded to each other by way of breaking the ice of acquaintance, and the first stranger handed his neighbor the large mug—a huge vessel of brown ware, having its upper edge worn away like a threshold by the rub of whole genealogies of thirsty lips that had gone the way of all flesh, and bearing the following inscription burnt upon its rotund side in yellow letters:

There is no fun
Until I cum.

The other man, nothing loath, raised the mug to his lips and drank on, and on, till a curious blueness spread over the countenance of the shepherd's wife, who had regarded with no little surprise the first stranger's free offer to the second of what did not belong to him to dispense.

"I knew it," said the toper to the shepherd with much satisfaction. "When I walked up your garden afore coming in, and saw the hives all of a row, I said to myself, 'Where there's bees there's honey, and where there's honey there's mead.' But mead of such a truly comfortably sort as this I really didn't expect to meet in my older days."

He took yet another pull at the mug, till it assumed an ominous horizontality.

"Glad you enjoy it!" said the shepherd warmly.

"It is goodish mead," assented Mrs. Fennel with an absence of enthusiasm, which seemed to say that it was possible to buy praise for one's cellar at too heavy a price. "It is trouble enough to make, and really I hardly think we shall make any more. For honey sells well, and we can make shift with a drop of small mead and metheglin for common use from the comb-washing."

"Oh, but you'll never have the heart to!" reproachfully cried the stranger in cinder-gray, after taking up the mug the third time and setting it down empty. "I love mead, when 'tis old like this, as I love to go to church o' Sundays, or to relieve the needy any day of the week."

"Ha, ha, ha!" said the man in the chimney-corner, who, in spite of the laciturnity induced by the pipe of tobacco could not or would not refrain from this slight testimony to his comrade's humor.

"Now," the old mead of those days, brewed of the purest first yeast or maiden honey, four pounds to the gallon—with its due complement of whites of eggs, cinnamon, ginger, cloves, mace, rosemary, yeast, and processes of working, bottling, and cellaring—tasted remarkably strong; but it did not taste so strong as it actually was. Hence, presently, the stranger in cinder-gray at the table, moved by its creeping influences, unbuttoned his waistcoat, threw himself back in his chair, spread his legs, and made his presence felt in various ways.

"Well, well, as I say," he resumed, "I am going to Casterbridge, and to Casterbridge I must go. I should have been almost there by this time; but the rain drove me into ye, and I'm not sorry for it."

"You don't live in Casterbridge?" said the shepherd.

"Not as yet, though I shortly mean to move there."

"Going to set up in trade, perhaps?"

"No, no," said the shepherd's wife. "It is easy to see that the gentleman is rich and don't want to work at anything."

The cinder-gray stranger paused, as if to consider whether he would accept the definition of himself. He presently rejected it by answering: "Rich is not quite the word for me, dame. I do work, and I must work. And even if I only get to Casterbridge by midnight I must begin work there at 6 to-morrow morning. Yes, hot or wet, blow or snow, famine or sword, my day's work to-morrow must be done."

"Poor man! Then, in spite o' seeming, you be worse off than we?" replied the shepherd's wife.

"'Tis the nature of my trade, men and maidens. 'Tis the nature of my trade more than my poverty. But really and truly I must be up and off, or I shan't get a lodging in the town." However, the speaker did not move, and directly added, "There's time for one more draught of friendship before I go; and I'd perform it at once if the mug was not dry."

"Here's a mug o' small," said Mrs. Fennel. "Small we call it, though to be sure 'tis only the first wash o' the coombs."

"No," said the stranger disdainfully; "I won't spoil your first kindness by partaking o' your second."

"Certainly not," broke in Fennel. "We don't increase and multiply every day, and I'll fill the mug again." He went away to the dark place under the stairs where the barrel stood. The shepherdess followed him.

"Why should you do this?" she said reproachfully, as soon as they were alone. "He's emptied it once, though it held enough for ten people; and now he's not contented wi' the small, but must needs call for more o' the strong! And a stranger unbeknown to any of us. For my part I don't like the look o' the man at all."

"But he's in the house, my honey; and 'tis a wet night, and a christening. Daze it, what's a cup of mead more or less? There'll be plenty more next bee-burning."

"Very well—this time, then," she answered, looking wistfully at the barrel. "But what is the man's calling, and where is he one of, that he should come in and join us like this?"

"I don't know. I'll ask him again."

The catastrophe of having the mug drained dry at one pull by the stranger in cinder-gray was effectually guarded against this time by Mrs. Fennel. She poured out his allowance in a small cup, keeping the large one at a discreet distance from him. When he had tossed off his portion the shepherd renewed his inquiry about the stranger's occupation.

The latter did not immediately reply, and the man in the chimney-corner, with sudden demonstrativeness, said: "Anybody may know my trade—I'm a wheelright."

"A very good trade for these parts," said the shepherd.

"And anybody may know mine—if they've the sense to find it out," said the stranger in cinder-gray.

"You may generally tell what a man is by his claws," observed the hedge-carpenter, looking at his hands. "My fingers be as full of thorns as an old pincushion is of pins."

The hands of the man in the chimney-corner instinctively sought the shade, and he gazed into the fire as he resumed his pipe. The man at the table took up the hedge-carpenter's remark, and added smartly: "True; but the oddity of my trade is that, instead of setting a mark upon me, it sets a mark upon my customers."

No observation being offered by anybody in elucidation of this enigma, the shepherd's wife once more called for a song. The same obstacles presented themselves as at the former time—one had no voice, another had forgotten the first verse. The stranger at the table, whose soul had now risen to a good working temperature, relieved the difficulty—he would sing himself. Thrusting one thumb into the arm-hole of his waistcoat, he waved the other hand in the air, and, with and extemporizing gaze at the shining sheep-crooks above the mantelpiece, began:

Oh, my trade it is the rarest one,
Simple shepherds all—
My trade is a sight to see;
For my customers I tie, and take them up on high,
And waft 'em to a far countree.

The room was quiet when he had finished the verse—with one exception, that of the man in the chimney-corner, who, at the singer's word, "Chorus!" joined him in a deep bass voice of musical relish—

—And waft them to a far countree.

Oliver Giles, John Pitcher, the dairyman, the parish clerk, the engaged man of fifty, the row of young women against the wall, seemed lost in thought not of the gayest kind. The shepherd looked meditatively on the ground, the shepherdess gazed keenly at the singer, and with some suspicion; she was doubting whether this stranger was merely singing an old song from recollection, or was composing one there and then for the occasion. All were as perplexed at the obscure revelation as the guests at Belshazzar's feast, except the man in the chimney-corner, who quietly said, "Second verse, stranger," and smoked on.

The singer thoroughly moistened himself from his lips inward, and went on with the next stanza as requested:

My tools are but common ones,
Simple shepherds all,
My tools are no sight to see:
A little hempen string, and a post where on to swing,
Are implements enough for me.

Shepherd Fennel glanced round. There was no longer any doubt that the stranger was answering his question rhythmically. The guests one and all started back, with suppressed exclamations. The young woman engaged to the man of 50 fainted half away, and would have proceeded, but finding him wanting in alacrity for catching her she sat down trembling.

"Oh, he's the——!" whispered the people in the background, mentioning the name of an ominous public officer. "He's come to do it." 'Tis to be at Casterbridge jail to-morrow—the man for sheepstealing—the poor clock-maker we heard of, who used to live away at Anglebury and had no work to do—Timothy Sommers, whose family were a-starving, and so he went out of Anglebury by the high road, and took a sheep in open daylight, defying the farmer, and the farmer's wife and the farmer's man, and every man jack among 'em. He" (and they nodded toward the stranger of the terrible trade) "is come up the country to do it, because there's not enough to do in his own county town, and he's got the place here, now our own county man's dead; he's going to live in the same cottage under the prison wall."

The stranger in cinder-gray took no notice of this whispered string of observations, but again wetted his lips. Seeing that his friend in the chimney-corner was the only one who reciprocated his joviality in any way he held out his cup toward that appreciative comrade, who also held out his own. They clinked together, the eyes of the rest of the room hanging upon the singer's actions. He parted his lips for the third verse, but at that moment another knock was audible upon the door. This time the knock was faint and hesitating.

The company seemed scared; the shepherd looked with consternation toward the entrance, and it was with some effort that he resisted his alarmed wife's deprecatory glance, and uttered for the third time the welcoming words, "Walk in!"

The door was gently opened, and another man stood upon the mat. He, like those who had preceded him, was a stranger. This time it was a short, small personage, of fair complexion, and dressed in a decent suit of dark clothes.

"Can you tell me the way to ——?" he began, when, gazing round the room to observe the nature of the company among whom he had fallen, his eyes lighted on the stranger in cinder-gray. It was just at the instant when the latter, who had thrown his mind into his song with such a will that he scarcely heeded the interruption, silenced all whispers and inquiries by bursting into his third verse:

To-morrow is my working day,
Simple shepherds all—
To-morrow is a working day for me;
For the farmer's sheep is slain, and the lad who did it ta'en,
And on his soul may God ha' mercy!

All this time the third stranger had been standing in the doorway. Finding now that he did not come forward or go on speaking, the guests particularly regarded him. They noticed to their surprise that he stood before them the picture of abject terror—his knees trembling, his hands shaking so violently that the doorlatch by which he supported himself rattled audibly; his white lips were parted, and his eyes fixed on the merry officer of justice in the middle of the room. A moment more and he had turned, closed the door, and fled.

"What a man can it be?" said the shepherd. The rest, between the awfulness of their late discovery and the odd conduct of this third visitor, looked as if they knew not what to think and said nothing. Instinctively they withdrew further and further from the grim gentleman in the midst, whom some of them seemed to take for the prince of darkness himself, till they formed a remote circle, an empty space of floor being left between them and him—

—circulus centrum diabolus.

The room was so silent—though there were more than twenty people in it—that nothing could be heard but the patter of the rain against the window-shutters, accompanied by the occasional hiss of a stray drop that fell down the chimney into the fire, and the steady puffing of the man in the corner, who had now resumed his pipe of long clay.

The stillness was unexpectedly broken. The distant sound of a gun reverberated through the air—apparently from the direction of the country-town.

"Be jiggered!" cried the stranger who had sung the song, jumping up.

"What does that mean?" asked several.

"A prisoner escaped from the jail—that is what it means."

All listened. The sound was repeated, and none of them spoke but the man in the chimney-corner, who said quietly, "I've often been told that in this county they fire a gun at such times, but I never heard it till now."

"I wonder if it is my man?" murmured the personage in cinder-gray.

"Surely it is," said the shepherd, involuntarily. "And surely we've seen him! That little man who looked in at the door by news and quivered like a leaf when he see'ye and heard your song."

"His teeth chattered, and the heart went out of his body," said the dairyman.

"And his heart seemed to sink within him like a stone," said Oliver Giles.

"And he bolted as if he'd been shot at," said the hedge-carpenter.

"True—his teeth chattered, and his heart seemed to sink, and he bolted as if he'd been shot at." So way summed up the man in the chimney-corner.

"I didn't notice it," remarked the grim songster.

"We were all a-wondering what made him run off in such a fright," latered one of the women against the wall, "and now 'tis explained."

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THE THREE STRANGERS.

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The firing of the alarm-gun went on at intervals, low and sullenly, and their suspicions became a certainty. The sinister gentleman in cinder-gray rouse himself. "Is there a constable here?" he asked in thick tones. "If so, let him step forward."

The engaged man of 50 stepped quivering out of the corner, his betrothed beginning to sob on the back of the chair.

"You are a sworn constable?"

"I be, sir."

"Then pursue the criminal at once, with assistance, and bring him back here. He can't have gone far."

"I will, sir, I will—when I've got my staff. I'll go home and get it, and come sharp here, and start in a body."

"Staff! Never mind your staff; the man'll be gone!"

"But I can't do nothing without my staff—can I, William, and John, and Charles Jake? No; for there's the king's royal crown a painted on en in yaller and gold, and the lion and the unicorn, so as when I raise en up and hit my prisoner, 't's made a lawful blow thereby. I wouldn't 'tempt to take up a man without my staff—no, not I. If I hadn't the law to gie me courage, why, instead o' my taking him up he might take up me!"

"Now, I'm a king's man myself, and can give you authority enough for this," said the formidable person in cinder-gray. "Now then, all of ye, be ready. Have ye any lanterns?"

"Yes—have ye any lanterns?—I demand it," said the constable.

"And the rest of you able-bodied—"

"Able-bodied men—yes—the rest of ye," said the constable.

"Have you some good stout staves and pitchforks——"

"Staves and pitchforks—in the name o' the law. And take 'em in yer hands, and go in quest, and do as we in authority tell ye."

Thus aroused, the man prepared to give chase. The evidence was, indeed, though circumstantial, so convincing, that but little argument was needed to show the shepherd's guests that after what they had seen it would look very much like connivance if they did not instantly pursue the unhappy third stranger, who could not as yet have gone more than a few hundred yards over such uneven country.

A shepherd is always well provided with lanterns, and, lighting these hastily, and with hurdle-staves in their hands, they poured out of the door, taking a direction along the crest of the hill, away from the town, the rain having fortunately a little abated.

Disturbed by the noise, or possibly by unpleasant dreams of her baptism, the child who had been christened began to cry heartbrokenly in the room overhead. These notes of grief came down through the chinks of the floor to the ears of the women below, who jumped up one by one, and seemed glad of the excuse to ascend and comfort the baby, for the incidents of the last half hour greatly oppressed them. Thus in the space of two or three minutes the room on the ground-floor was deserted quite.

But it was not for long. Hardly had the sound of footsteps died away when a man returned round the corner of the house from the direction the pursuers had taken. Peeping in at the door and seeing nobody there he entered leisurely. It was the stranger of the chimney-corner, who had gone out with the rest. The motive of his return was shown by his helping himself to a cut piece of skimmer-cake that lay on a ledge beside where he had sat, and which he had apparently forgotten to take with him. He also poured out half a cup more from the quantity that remained, ravenously eating and drinking these as he stood. He had not finished when another figure came in just as quietly—the stranger in cinder-gray.

"Oh—you here?" said the latter, smiling. "I thought you had gone to help in the capture." And this speaker also revealed the object of his return by looking solicitously round for the fascinating mug of old mead.

"And I thought you had gone," said the other, continuing his skimmer-cake with some effort.

"Well, on second thoughts, I felt there were enough without me," said the first confidentially, "and such a night as it is, too. Besides, it is the business o' the government to take care of its criminals—not mine."

"True; so it is. And I felt as you did, that there were enough without me."

"I don't want to break my limbs running over the lumps and hollows of this wild country."

"Nor I neither, between you and me."

"These shepherd people are used to it—simpleminded souls, you know, stirred up to anything in a moment. They'll have him ready for me before the morning, and no trouble to me at all."

"They'll have him, and we shall have saved ourselves all labor in the matter."

"True, true. Well, my way is to Casterbridge; and 'tis as much as my legs will do to take me that far. Going the same way?"

"No, I am sorry to say. I have to get home over there" (he nodded indefinitely to the right) "and I feel as you do, that it is quite enough for my legs to do before bedtime."

The other had by this time finished the mead in the mug, after which, shaking hands at the door, and wishing each other well, they went their several ways.

In the meantime the company of pursuers had reached the end of the hog's back elevation which dominated this part of the coomb. They had decided on no particular plan of action, and finding that the man of the baleful trade was no longer in their company, they seemed quite unable to form any such plan now. They descended in all directions down the hill, and straightway several of the party fell into the snare set by nature for all misguided midnight rambles over the lower cretaceous formation. The "lynchets," or flint slopes, which belted the escarpment at intervals of a dozen yards, took the less cautious ones unawares, and losing their footing on the rubbly steep, they slid sharply downward, the lanterns rolling from their hands to the bottom, and there lying on their sides till the horn was scorched through. When they had again gathered themselves together, the shepherd, as the man who knew the country best, took the lead, and guided them round these treacherous inclines. The lanterns, which seemed rather to dazzle their eyes and warn the fugitive than to assist them in the exploration, were extinguished, due silence was observed, and in this more rational order they plunged into the vale. It was a grassy, briary, moist channel, affording some shelter to any person who had sought it; but the party perambulated, it in vain, and ascended on the other side. Here they wandered apart, and after an interval closed together again to report progress. At the second time of closing in they found themselves near a lonely oak, the single tree on this part of the upland, probably sown there by a passing bird some hundred years before. And here, standing a little to one side of the trunk, as motionless as the trunk itself, appeared the man they were in quest of, his outline being well defined against the sky beyond. The band noiselessly drew up and faced him.

"Your money or your life!" said the constable sternly to the still figure.

"No, no," whispered John Pitcher. "Well, well," replied the constable impatiently, "I must say something, mustn't I? and if you had all the weight of this undertaking upon your mind, perhaps you'd say the wrong thing too. Prisoner at the bar, surrender, in the name of the Fath—the crown, I mane!"

The man under the tree seemed now to notice them for the first time, and, giving them no opportunity whatever for exhibiting their courage, he strolled slowly toward them. He was, indeed, the little man, the third stranger, but his trepidation had in a great measure gone.

"Well, travelers," he said, "did I hear ye speak to me?"

"You did; you've got to come and be our prisoner at once," said the constable. "We arrest you on the charge of not biding in Casterbridge jail in a decent, proper manner, to be hung tomorrow morning. Neighbors, do your duty, and seize the culprit!"

On hearing the charge, the man seemed enlightened, and, saying not another word, resigned himself with preternatural civility to the search-party, who, with their hands, surrounded him on all sides, and marched him back toward the shepherd's cottage. It was 11 o'clock by the time they arrived. The light shining from the open door, a sound of men's voices within proclaimed to them as they approached the house that some new events had arisen in their absence. On entering they discovered the shepherd's living-room to be invaded by two officers from Casterbridge jail and a well-known magistrate who lived at the nearest county seat, intelligence of the escape having become generally circulated.

"Gentlemen," said the constable, "I have brought back your man; but every one must do his duty. He is inside this circle of able-bodied persons, who have lent me useful aid, considering their honor-ance of crown work. Men, bring forward your prisoner." And the third stranger was led to the light.

"Who is this?" said one of the officials.

"The man," said the constable.

"Certainly not," said the other turnkey; and the first corroborated his statement.

"But how can it be otherwise?" asked the constable. "Or why was he so terrified at sight o' the singing instrument of the law?" Here he related the strange behavior of the third stranger on entering the house.

"Can't understand it," said the officer coolly. "All I know is that it is not the condemned man. He's quite a different character from this one; a gaunt sh—'Tisn't our side ought to say that. That's the doctrine of vagabonds like him, and we be on the side of the law." fellow, with dark hair and eyes, rather goodlooking, and with a musical bass voice that if you heard it once you'd never mistake it as long as you lived."

"Why, souls—'twas the man in the chimney-corner!"

"Hey—what?" said the magistrate, coming forward after inquiring particulars from the shepherd in the background. "Haven't you got the man after all?"

"Well, sir," said the constable, "he's the man we were in search of that's true; and yet he's not the man we were in search of. For the man we were in search of was not the man we wanted, sir, if you understand my everyday way; for 'twas the man in the chimney-corner."

"A pretty kettle of fish altogether!" said the magistrate. "You had better start for the other man at once."

The prisoner now spoke for the first time. The mention of the man in the chimney-corner seemed to have moved him as nothing else could do. "Sir," he said, stepping forward to the magistrate, "take no more trouble about me. The time is come when I may as well speak. I have done nothing; my crime is that the condemned man is my brother. Early this afternoon I left home at Anglebury to tramp it all the way to Casterbridge jail to bid him farewell. I was benighted, and called here to rest and ask the way. When I opened the door I saw before me the very man, my brother, that I thought to see in the condemned cell at Casterbridge. He was in this chimney-corner, and jammed close to him, so that he could not have got out if he tried, was the executioner who'd come to take his life, singing a song about it and not knowing that it was his victim who was close by, joining in to save appearances. My brother looked a glance of agony at me, and I knew he meant, 'Don't reveal what you see; my life depends on it.' I was so terror-struck that I could hardly stand, and, not knowing what I did, I turned and hurried away."

The narrator's manner and tone had the stamp of truth, and his story made a great impression on all around. "And do you know where your brother is at present?" asked the magistrate.

"I do not. I have never seen him since I closed this door."

"I can testify to that, for we've been between ye ever since," said the constable.

"Where does he think to fly to?—what is his occupation?"

"He's a watch and clock maker, sir."

"'A said 'a was a wheelwright—a wicked rogue," said the constable.

"The wheels o' clocks and watches he meant, no doubt," said Shepherd Fennel. "I thought his hands were palish for's trade."

"Well, it appears to me that nothing can be gained by retaining this poor man in custody," said the magistrate; "our business lies with the other, unquestionably."

And so the little man was released; off-hand; but he looked nothing the less sad on that account, it being beyond the power of magistrate or constable to raze out the written troubles in his brain, for they concerned another whom he regarded with more solicitude than himself. When this was done, and the man had gone his way, the night was found to be so far advanced that it was deemed useless to renew the search before the next morning.

Next day, accordingly, the quest for the clever sheep-stealer became general and keen, to all appearances at least. But the intended punishment was cruelly disproportioned to the transgression, and the sympathy of a great many country folk in that district was strongly on the side of the fugitive. Moreover, his marvelous coolness and daring under the unprecedented circumstances of the shepherd's party won their admiration. So that it may be questioned if all those who ostensibly made themselves so busy in exploring woods and fields and lanes were quite so thorough when it came to the private examination of their own lofts and outhouses. Stories were afloat of a mysterious figure being occasionally seen in some old overgrown trackery or other, remote from turnpike roads; but when a search was instituted in any of these suspected quarters, nobody was found. Thus the days and weeks passed without tidings.

In brief, the bass-voiced man of the chimney-corner was never recaptured. Some said that he went across the sea, others that he did not, but buried himself in the depths of a populous city. At any rate the gentleman in cinder-gray never did his morning's work at Casterbridge, nor met anywhere at all, for business purposes, the comrade with whom he had passed an hour of relaxation in the lonely house on the coomb.

The grass has long been green on the graves of Shepherd Fennel and his frugal wife; the guests who made up the christening party have mainly followed their entertainers to the tomb; the baby in whose honor they had met is a matron in the sere and yellow leaf. But the arrival of the three strangers at the shepherd's that night, and the details connected therewith, is a story as well known as ever in the country about Higher Crowstairs.—*Longman's.*

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ESTATE OF PARLEY J. SPALDING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Parley J. Spalding deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles T. Hewitt and Agnes C. Hewitt, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they are ready to file their second account as such executors and asking for its allowance; and in case it shall prove feasible for them in rendering the same as and for their final account that it may be so allowed, and a distribution of the residue of the assets of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and in that case for their discharge.

The court doth ordain that Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the next-of-kin of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin S. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the expenses of administration thus far incurred, that the Commissioners on Claims have filed their report in this court, and that the amount of claims against said estate exceed the assets of said estate that has come to his hands as such administrator; that he is ready to render his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, and that said court order the payment of the residue of said assets as a dividend among the creditors and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF CHAS. H. ADLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s. s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

On reading and filing the petition, of Frederick Gauthling guardian of said minor, praying for license to sell the interest of said minor in certain real estate in said petition described, for the reasons and purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 16th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

John J. Rector, Complainant,

vs.

Delia Shurtz, Harry H. Shurtz, and Joseph Lanning, Defendants.

In pursuance and in virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1884, I the subscriber a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 16th day of September, 1884 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county, said opera house being the place of holding said court, the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the village of Tecumseh, at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27) and opposite of the dwelling house formerly occupied by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day; thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links; thence south one (1) degree and six (6) minutes east fifteen (15) chains and nineteen (19) links parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27); thence westerly along the center of said last described road eleven (11) chains and thirty-eight (38) links to place of beginning; excepting and reserving therefrom about one and a half acres thereof sold by R. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler; also excepting lot numbered 261 sold by said Bidwell to John Sexton; also excepting a further parcel of land situate and adjoining said Saddler lot upon its north side and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler; also excepting and reserving therefrom that parcel thereof conveyed by Wm. Teachout and wife to Elizabeth Jordan by deed bearing date November 19, 1867, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 47 of deeds, on pages 483 &c., being ten (10) acres of land more or less.

Dated July 23, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD,
Solicitor for Complainant.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of September, 1884 and on the 8th day of January, 1885, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 8th day of July, A.D. 1884 are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated at Macon, this 8th day of July, 1884.

FRUNCER HARMON,
ABRAM HARRINGTON,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Sarah C. Le Baron, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sarah C. Le Baron, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the bank of Lilley, Brown & Co. in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 19th day of September, 1884 and on the 19th day of February, 1885 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of August, 1884 are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated August, 19, 1884.

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PROHIBITION COUNTY CONVENTION.

The prohibition county convention met at Dean's Opera House last Saturday with a good attendance.

T. F. Moore called the convention to order and J. H. Osborn of Tecumseh was chosen temporary chairman, and C. E. Mitchell of Fairfield temporary secretary.

On motion of T. F. Moore a committee on credentials was appointed by the chair as follows: T. F. Moore, Adrian, M. P. Brown, Tecumseh, and C. Quick, Weston. The committee on permanent organization and order of business was next appointed and consisted of A. VanOstrand, of Dover, L. R. Damon, Adrian, W. S. Kimball, Clinton.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, of Tecumseh, T. F. Moore, of Adrian, and C. Quick, Weston, were appointed the committee on resolutions.

C. E. Conley moved that all resolutions be referred to the committee on resolutions without debate.

U. R. Evans moved that each representative district name its candidates for the legislature in this convention. This was amended to vote by representative districts. A motion to take an expression of each district as to whether they wished to nominate their candidates to-day or not, was substituted and carried. The first and second districts on being called wished to nominate to-day. The third district wished to wait.

Mr. Waring, of Ridgeway, called on the Lenawee county delegation to the congressional convention to hold an informal caucus in the jury room.

At 11:20 the convention adjourned until 1 P. M.

At one o'clock the convention met again and after prayer adjourned until after the congressional convention. John H. Osborn was made chairman. The ticket nominated was Zachariah Cook of Raisin, state senator; Prof. E. D. Walker of Adrian, judge of probate; J. K. Johnson of Adrian, sheriff; W. H. Moore of Palmyra, clerk; Jos. Kempton of Woodstock, register; C. P. West of Madison, treasurer.

The congressional convention nominated Mr. Chas. Mosher, of Hillsdale, who received 40 votes to 23 for Capt. E. P. Allen.

Geo. Humphrey, of Palmyra, was nominated in the first district and W. K. Green in the second.

No nomination were made for prosecuting attorney or circuit court commissioners. The matter was left with the county committee for action.

PROHIBITION STATE CONVENTION.

The prohibition state convention last week was a large and enthusiastic gathering. A full state and electoral ticket was put in the field, with David Preston for Governor, and a vigorous canvass of the state will be made. The state ticket placed in nomination was as follows:

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ELECTORAL TICKET.

At Large—Rev. John Russell, and Prof. Samuel Dickie.
1st Dist.—Frank B. Cressy.
2d " —Guernsey P. Waring.
3rd " —B. W. Warren, Eaton.
4th " —T. A. Granger VanBuren.
5th " —E. A. Richards, Ionia.
6th " —D. H. Stone, Oakland.
7th " —Mark Corrington.
8th " —E. L. Brewer, Shiawassee.
9th " —O. M. Brunson, Osceola.
10th " —Brent Harding, Bay.

The appointment of an elector for the Eleventh District was left to the State Central Committee who were also empowered to fill all vacancies that might occur.

The platform adopted by the convention appears in another column.

The Pioneers.

On Wednesday, Aug. 27th, the annual pioneer meeting of Lenawee Co. was held at Ogden center; a bright and cheerful day, with an excellent band of music, also a choir of singers to give cheer to the large number, over 300, in attendance. At half past ten A. M. the assembly was called to order by the President, F. A. Dewey. A large number joined the society. A few preliminary addresses was made. At noon dinner was in order and the tables were bountifully spread with genuine good cheer for all, and we will venture to say that Ogden never had a more cheerful thanksgiving party. At two o'clock P. M. officers were elected, most of them continued for another year. There was an address by the president, and a very excellent historic account of Ogden by Hon. T. McComb. Hon A. Gilmore addressed the pioneers, also Mr. Allen and several others. With cherished good will to all, the pioneers had a rousing meeting.

Fashion Items.

Hoop earrings are more worn than any other style now in vogue. It is claimed, however, that these "relics of barbarism," in any form, are soon to be numbered among the things that were.

There is a new way of trimming the armholes of dresses. A piece of medium-sized velvet or ribbon goes entirely round, and the two ends which meet on the top of the shoulder are tied in a graceful looped bow. When the sleeve is a long one, a similar trimming is placed just above the elbow and tied to correspond, but with no ends of any length. The band is frequently repeated at the neck, tying behind.

As full bodices are so general, Swiss bodices are likely to come into use again. Very deep ones are more becoming to the figure than narrow ones, and by deep is meant the genuine sort, such as the Swiss peasantry affect. These are made as formerly of velvet, satin, jetted cloth, or corded silk, and the richest and dantiest for evening toilets are made of white or pale tinted satin, hand-painted, with a tiny blossoming vine, which forms a delicate floral bordering to the entire girdle or band.

An old sunshade stripped of its former cover may be easily recovered to match any costume. Take one of the sections removed and cut as much of the new material as was first used when the old sunshade was new; have them stitched together by machine-sewing, and fasten to the frame. A new lining, if required, is as easily made. The work is not difficult, and will pay just now, when the effect of uniformity in dress details, now so studied, requires a change of parasol for time, place and costume. A little ingenuity and finger dexterity combined go almost as far, and sometimes further, in giving finish and elegance to toilet et cetera.

Feather fans are extremely fashionable in evening dress, and the latest styles from Vienna are made of pure downy white plumage. These are much larger than the oval fans formerly carried. An all-white fan is preferred with a white toilet, but in many cases a cluster of crimson roses, a spray of carnations, or any seasonable flower, is added for the evening to give a touch of color to the otherwise colorless toilet. The fans are hung from the waist in chatelaine fashion.

Stylish young ladies have seized upon the pretty little Russian jacket recently introduced by Mme. Peponsy, of Paris, as a favorite novelty very appropriate to the present season. These jaunty little shapes reach only to the belt in front, and end in a short postillion in the back. Beneath the fronts, which part at the neck, is a plaited vest, which also terminates at the waist line. The sleeves are short, with a chic-looking turn-back cuff of lace or passementerie finishing the lower edge, which, upon most of these jackets, reaches the elbow. The richest model yet seen was made of black Lyons velvet with a very handsome border trimming of jet-beaded passementerie, and a vest of crimson silk laid in flat plaits from throat to belt, and snugly fitted. The most dressy model was formed of a dark shade of Neapolitan red velvet, embroidered in a much darker shade of the same color in silk floss, the design outlined with deep colored ruby beads. The vest was of pale pink corded silk arranged and fitted exactly as the crimson vest just described.

Some very stylish dresses for young girls are now being made in plaid and cashmere. They are very much trimmed with ribbon loops and ends, and some have an added trimming of shot tafletas. One pretty little suit of plaid, in blue and chestnut, has a kilted skirt faced up the kilting to the depth of six inches with chestnut and blue shot tafletas. The tunic—a la washerwoman—has the turned-up portion faced to match, and the bodice is of the plaid, with blouse vest of the tafletas. Another dress of gray cashmere, crossed with crimson, has a facing upon the kilts and tunic of crimson serge. Above these skirts is a Russian jacket of the plaid, with plaited waistcoat of the serge ending at the waist and finished by a ribbon belt of crimson satin, clasped with a silver buckle.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

An Application of Cerebral Knowledge.

The experiments of Nature and of the physiologist are therefore parallel. The only difference is in the order of the observation. The physiologist cuts out a definite part and observes the result. The pathologist observes the result of Nature's experiment by watching the symptoms of his patient, and after the patient's death he can ascertain the position of the part diseased. Now, if the old theory be true, according to which the brain acts as a whole, and its various parts do not posses distinct mental functions, a limited area of disease in one part may impair the mental powers but will not produce the loss of one function. If, on the contrary, the new theory be true—the one to which the anatomical arrangement and the physiological experiments point—that each part of the brain has its own work to do, a limited area of disease will interfere with the work of the part diseased—will produce a loss or impairment of one function, and will not affect all the powers.

The following incident shows that pathology supports anatomy and physiology, and that the location of functions and memories is no longer a matter of question among scientists:

Not long ago a man was brought into Bellevue Hospital, in this city, suffering from fever, headache, delirium and stupor, which had developed after a blow on the head. In addition to these symptoms, he had a paralysis of the muscles on the back of the fore-arm so that he could not raise his left hand. The general symptoms indicated the presence of an abscess in the brain. To the surgeon, familiar with the anatomy and with the physiological experiments upon animals, the paralysis of the arm muscles indicated that the abscess was situated in the part of the brain whose function it was to raise the hand. He therefore sawed through the skull over the supposed site of the abscess, and, although the hole which he made was only large enough to admit his little finger, the abscess was found lying just beneath it, and was emptied.—*M. Allen Starr, M. D., in Popular Science Monthly.*

—Facts that are constantly coming to light—Matches.—*N. Y. Journal.*

The Borrower.

At this very busy season of the year, when harvest begins before corn and potato cultivation ends, the full measure of meanness of the borrower becomes apparent, and the magnitude of the nuisance which he is stands out in bold relief. For at this season there are few tools and implements which are not in daily demand, and it is an exceptional case if accommodating the borrower does not inconvenience him. In the winter, when tools and machines are mostly idle, it is not so bad; but in the hurry and heat of mid-summer, what is more irritating than to run to the barn or tool-shop in a great hurry for some article, search in vain for it in every conceivable hiding place, and then, going to the house, be told that neighbor Brown borrowed it, and all hands must lie idle until it can be fetched?

There are occasional and there are chronic borrowers. The former is to be excused. The best of us find it necessary to borrow at times. Few can keep every implement and machine, the use of which may become necessary, on the farm or about the barn and house. We are forced to borrow; and in return, to lend to some good neighbor similarly circumstanced is a duty and a pleasure. It would generally be very, and needlessly, expensive to be independent of neighbors in this way. But there is the chronic borrower, who is a never-ceasing torment to all decent people, and whose character is so mean that there is no word to give it a fit expression. He has few or no implements of his own, and does not propose to get any so long as he can practice his imposition upon other people. He considers his depredations upon your tools and implements a right, and considers you mean and niggardly if you do not lend to him, no matter how much doing so may inconvenience you. He is arrogant in his requests. Lending to him is giving to him, for he has nothing to lend you in return; and you would not borrow of him if you could. You bestow charity on an undeserving beggar who does not ask but demands. Of all beggars, the chronic borrower is the meanest.

He is also the most thankless. This he shows by his words; better still by his lack of words, and least of all by his actions. The occasional borrower is pretty apt to return borrowed articles as soon as done with them; but this would be beneath what the chronic borrower considers his dignity. You may assure yourself when you have lent him anything, that when you want to use it again, you will have the felicity of going after it. This is very pleasant at all times, but gives its fullest measure of joy at this season of the year, when time is so precious.

The occasional borrower returns articles in fairly good order, and if anything has been broken he tries to repair the damage. Not so the chronic borrower. The article which you have entrusted to his care, or rather his gross negligence, he treats as if neither wood nor iron could positively be broken. And if the article is broken, what does he care? It is not his, and he does not intend to pay for it; therefore he need have no concern in the matter. When you lent him the article you took your chances, and now you can take your broken implement. When you get it mended he would like to borrow it again.

Thus it is that when you have traveled two miles to this neighbors, you feel that your cup is not quite full on the way. When you survey the wreck of what has cost you money, representing your hard labor, and are calmly told, in a matter-of-course way, that "Jim broke it," you feel that a world without a chronic borrower in it would be near the seventh heaven.

But very likely the kind chronic borrower has saved you all this misery by losing the article instead of breaking it. In this case, you are told that the last seen of it "Willie was playing horse with it in the cattle pasture;" and Willie (eight years old, and of poor and dishonest parentage) is sent out to help you hunt for it in the luxuriant growth of weeds in a ten-acre field. A tantalizing search of half an hour convinces you that it is lost.

I have known families who stole the greater part of their living by "borrowing" from their neighbors. They thought nothing of walking a mile for a pound of coffee. Once in a great while they made a feint of returning an equivalent, shrewdly contrived to be enough, and not a whit more, to keep them secure of a continuance of their pilfering. No matter what they could get, it was acceptable. I remember that on a certain occasion a member of one of these families came to borrow some sugar. It was refused her, and she then asked if she could not get sugar, would we not let her have some coal oil! It was apparent that she had come to borrow *something*, and she was not particular what it was.

The chronic borrower is always a lazy, shiftless person. The industrious man or woman takes pride in owning what tools are needed, and will borrow only as compelled. Yet it seems strange that the borrower should be lazy, for, all-in-all, borrowing is a costly affair so far as labor is concerned. It is true that the chronic borrower generally saves himself the labor of returning the articles; but the labor of fetching them whenever wanted, if profitably employed, would more than buy them. This, however, is characteristic of a lazy person.

Borrowing is a necessary evil at times, but none the less an evil. Time, temper and money are saved. A grindstone will cost less than the worth of the time going to and coming from your nearest neighbor's, to make use of his. If the person called upon to lend has more than one implement of the kind sought for, he is sure to give you the poorest, old and dull, and you work at a great disadvantage. Nothing short of sudden emergency or disaster will justify you in borrowing a shovel, hoe, ax, fork, or similar article.—*Country Gentleman.*

—A Prussian General, noted for his severity, was inspecting some military stables. "What do I see there?" he thundered, pointing toward a lot of cobwebs. "Sir," replied a subordinate, whose quick wit saved him, "we keep the cobwebs there purposely, to catch the flies and prevent them from teasing the horses!"

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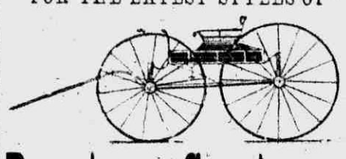

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A NARROW ESCAPE

Of a Massachusetts Engineer—Timely Warning of Mr. John Spencer, Baggagemaster of B. & A. R. R.

Sleep after fatigue, and health after disease, are two of the sweetest experiences known to man. Fourteen years is a long time in which to suffer, yet Mr. Peter Lawler, of Dalton, Mass., had led a miserable life for that period through the presence of stone in the bladder. That he sought in all directions for a cure is an almost superfluous statement. He did obtain temporary relief, but nothing more. Last January he called on Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who said after examination: "Mr. Lawler, you have stone in the bladder. We will first try Dr. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY before risking an operation." A few days later the following letter passed through the Rondout post-office:

DALTON, Mass., February 6.

Dear Dr. Kennedy:—The day after I came home I passed two gravel stones, and am doing nicely now. PETER LAWLER.

Dr. Kennedy now has the stones at his office, and they are sufficiently formidable to justify the claim that Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the leading specific for stone in the bladder. In this letter Mr. Lawler mentions that Favorite Remedy also cured him of rheumatism. The subjoined certificate tells its own story.

OLD BERKSHIRE MILLS,
DALTON, Mass., April 27, 1882.

Mr. Peter Lawler has been a resident of this town for the past seventeen years, and in our employ for fifteen years, and in all these years he has been a good and respected citizen of the town and community. He has had some chronic disease to our knowledge for most of the time, but now claims to be, and is, in apparent good health. CHAS. O. BROWN, President.

DALTON, Mass., June 9, 1884.

Dr. Kennedy—Dear Friend:—Thinking you might like to hear again from an old patient, I am going to write you. It is now three and a half years since first I went to see you. As I told you then I was troubled with kidney disease for about fifteen years, and had seven of the best doctors to be found; but I received only temporary relief until I visited you and commenced taking your "Favorite Remedy." I continue taking the Remedy according to your directions, and now consider myself a well man. Very gratefully yours, PETER LAWLER.

Our letter of April 27, 1882, holds good as far as Mr. Lawler's testimony is concerned regarding his health. CHAS. O. BROWN.

DALTON, June 9, 1884.

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EVAN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE AND Institute of Rapid Writing and Drawing.—This old reliable Institution of actual business training opens its year Sept. 1, 1884. Twenty-first year of this college in Adrian, Mich. Students wishing situations as clerks, book-keepers, or as traveling salesmen during the year will enter their names immediately. Most of our last year's graduates are now holding good paying positions. U. R. EVANS, Principal.
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LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

APPLETON'S AMERICAN CYCLO-pedia. A full set latest edition, for sale at a bargain. Seventeen volumes in cloth binding. For further particulars call at or address HERALD OFFICE.

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A SINGLE BUGGY—Almost as good as new. For sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Geo. Smith, of Toledo, was in Tecumseh yesterday.

A farmer near Hudson, Daniel Root, is the owner of 40 acres of sorghum.

Strong & McNair have a few pointed suggestions in our advertising columns this week.

G. P. Waring, of Ridgeway, is one of the Presidential electors on the Prohibition ticket.

Lowry expects to have 50 baskets of blue plumbs on sale next Saturday, from New York State.

Bert McNair took the school census this year. The census itself was accurately taken and the clerical work of preparing the reports was very neatly done.

The next regular of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., will be held on Friday evening, Sept. 5th.—Let there be a full attendance of the members.

The Herning Bros. will furnish their customers with fresh oysters, spring chickens, and meats of every variety on Saturday next. They keep the finest melons in the market.

A little babe of Mrs. W. Stayer, of Canandaigua, this county, was suffocated last week while in the cradle. The mother, hearing its chokings, ran into the room where it lay, but too late to save it.

An exchange says a hat flirtation is the latest idiocy among the girls. There is no way that you can wear your hat that doesn't mean something. The only way that you are safe is to go bareheaded.

The United States Express Co. have established a money order department which will be a great convenience to the business public. Their rates for orders are very modest, being as follows.

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" "	40.00 & 50.00	.20

The business of the Tecumseh office has increased to such an extent lately that Agent Jones has been obliged to employ a clerk, one of whom will always be found in the office to attend to business connected therewith.

The skating rink was opened to the public on Thursday evening last. The Manchester band was in attendance, a large crowd was on hand notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, and J. A. Hayton the champion roller skater, entertained the spectators by his admirable skating. The rink was well patronized on both Friday and Saturday evenings and on Saturday afternoon. The interior of the building presents a very tasty appearance and it is large enough to accommodate all the crowds that may come. Nestell & Cash, the proprietors, are enterprising young men, and they propose to run a first class place of amusement. The rink will be open for the present on Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays, both afternoon and evening. We believe our young people will reward their enterprise by returning them a generous patronage.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEP. 4, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Politics are beginning to warm up.

Has any one found Jim Glasgow's pig?

Have you visited the new skating rink?

Regular masonic meeting to morrow evening.

Take in the excursion to Detroit tomorrow.

The school book trade was brisk last Monday.

The tin roof is being put on Lee's new hotel to-day

The Crouch murder trial begins at Jackson, Sept. 5th.

Sam James spent Sunday at his home in this village.

The Democratic county convention will be held Sept. 12th.

Rhea at the Adrian Opera House next Monday evening.

School commenced last Monday with a large attendance.

Read the Comcil Proceedings in this issue; they are interesting.

Charlie Patterson returned to his home in Cleveland last Friday.

Remember the temperance meeting at the Opera House next week.

The September term of the circuit court convened on Tuesday last.

Frank Snedecor, of Dundee, was in Tecumseh Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Mason and daughter, of Chicago, are visiting at P. B. Swick's.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heesen enjoyed the scenery of Sand Lake yesterday.

The M. & O. have erected stock yards on their grounds near the depot.

Al. Stevens is home from Saginaw and is now engaged in nursing a sprained wrist.

Fred Deuel at the Novelty Works, is now prepared to do gold, silver or nickle plating in the best of style.

Mrs. W. H. Beaumont, of Cleveland, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Snedicor of this village, for a few days.

The Adrian Record has been purchased by S. W. Beakes, of Ann Arbor, and made its appearance again last Saturday.

The Insane Asylums at Kalamazoo and Pontiac are overflowing, and the Traverse City Asylum will not be finished for a year.

The firm of Drs. House & Jones has been dissolved. Dr. House retains the office rooms over Lilley, Bidwell & Co's bank.

The Republicans hold their first meeting at the Opera House this evening. Speeches by Jasper Packard and Capt. E. P. Allen.

O. C. Bacon & Bro., of the Petersburgh Journal have purchased the Deerfield Record and will continue its publication at the latter place.

The Toledo Business College sustains a high reputation. Read ad. in this issue, and notice that Phonography, short-hand, and Type Writing are special features added.

And now it is Ohio that carries the the palm in the matter of divorces.—One divorce to seven marriages is the Ohio rate; while even in sinful Chicago the rate is only one to twelve.

School directors should be very prompt in making their annual reports to the township clerk before the second Monday in September, or they may loose their portion of the public school money.

Hank Jones' duties as agent of the United States Express has increased to that degree that it became necessary for him to have help, so on Monday last he secured the services of Miss Dena Heesen as assistant.

The graduating class of the High School for the year just opening consists of ten members, as follows:—Frank Hall, Lyster Dewey, Will Hayden, Fred Hillman, Bert McNair, Nellie Reynolds, Rose Hendershot, Mabel Hayden, Maggie Clarkson, May Avery.

The first political banner unfurled to the breeze in Tecumseh this year was stretched over Brown street in front of the residence of J. T. Daglish. It is very neatly painted and bears the names of Butler & West.—Mr. Daglish is bound to let the world know where he stands.

On Friday, Sept. 5th, there will be a cheap excursion from Battle Creek and intermediate stations to Detroit and return, over the Michigan & Ohio and Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Railroads. This excursion affords an opportunity to witness the great double wrestling contest at Recreation Park between H. M. Dufur and J. J. Benjamin, collar and elbow, for the championship belt of the world and $1,000, and Col. J. H. McLaughlin and Geo. W. Flagg, mixed wrestling, for the championship belt of the world and $1,000. Train leaves Tecumseh at 9:32 A. M.; returning leaves Detroit at 7 P. M., standard time, from 12th street depot. The train will be under the charge of that efficient excursion manager, G. W. Lewis, who will do all in his power to make the trip a pleasant one.

Mrs. C. A. Sharp started on a visit, Tuesday, to Bushville, Ohio.

Henry Keyser has sold his mare, "Gray Fly" to L. C. Bidwell for $300.

Charles Strong, of Newton, Kansas, was shaking hands with his old Tecumseh friends one day last week.

The Free Methodist camp meeting near Ridgeway was quite largely attended from Tecumseh Sunday last.

The St. John & Daniels men of Adrian have organized a lively campaign club. Rev. A. Crane is chairman and F. A. Smiley secretary.

Prof. H. C. Wilson has been elected Secretary of the County Board of School Examiners. He goes back to Blissfield this year as Superintendent of Schools.

E. B. Wood is on the sick list. Nothing serious, we understand, but indisposition caused by over work and hot weather. We presume he will soon be about again.

Democratic candidates are plentiful since the Republican county convention. The impression has evidently gone abroad that the Republican ticket can be beaten.

The addition to Temple's planing mill is now completed and the Tecumseh Lumber Company is putting in a lot of new machinery which will greatly increase their facilities for doing first-class work.

We have an unusual large grist of Council Proceedings this week. Owing to the sickness of Recorder Schoolcraft the publication of the proceedings during the past month has been unavoidably delayed.

The first Teachers' Examination for the current school year will be held at Dean's opera house, in Adrian, on Saturday next, Sept. 6th. Physiology will then be required in addition to the other branches for a third grade certificate.

The Star Shoe Company have purchased the Marsden stock of boots and shoes and added a large stock lately bought at mortgage sale at Cleveland, Ohio. Look out for bargains. We call attention to their business announcement elsewhere.

Sheriff Bidwell was in town Saturday. His official term will close on the 31st day of December, and on the first day of January he will occupy his old home in Tecumseh. The county will lose a good sheriff, but Tecumseh will gain a good citizen by the change.

We notice the nomination for County Register of Deeds made by the Prohibitionists falls to Mr. A. J. Kempton, of Addison. Mr. K. is a young man of marked ability, both as a speaker and writer. The county can do worse than elect him to the office named.

A special train of one car and locomotive went up the branch last Tuesday. It contained the ninth fraction of one passenger, that is to say, one tailor. He was engaged in measuring the employees of the road, preparatory to making the new uniforms soon to be adopted.

Bro. Field has no reason to regret his removal to Tecumseh. In addition to an increase of business his wife presented him with a fine girl baby last Thursday. All the printers in Tecumseh, regardless of sex or previous condition, extend their hearty congratulations.

As the excursion train on the M. & O. last Thursday morning was pulling out for Devil's Lake, Mrs. Fred Knight attempted to board the moving train, but slipped and fell between the cars. Dr. L. G. North, who happened to be near, succeeded in pulling her off the track just as the wheels got to her.

A. L. Brewer and Henry Heesen are attending the Iowa state fair this week, and Hudson Conkling is taking in the Ohio fair at Columbus, exhibiting their new Tiffany Tile Machine. They have also engaged space at the Michigan state fair at Kalamazoo. Their machines carry off the blue ribbon wherever shown.

W. H. Passmore has gone north for a few weeks recreation. During his absence the Lilley House is under the management of Capt. Foster, and it is safe to say the house will suffer no detriment under his careful hand. The Captain is a great favorite among traveling men, and much of the popularity of the House is due to the fact of his connection with it.

Our marriage notices chronicle the wedding of Mr. Charles Blanchard and Minnie B. daughter of Hon. John J. Adam, of this village, which took place at Chicago on the 27th ult. The friends of the contracting parties here in Tecumseh extend their congratulation. They began housekeeping the morning after their marriage and expect to make Chicago their future home.

N. M. Sutton has purchased of John J. Adam his Opera House stock. This purchase makes Mr. Sutton the owner of over three-fourths of the entire stock, and the entire management is now in his hands. He has engaged some fine companies already and intends to make a season of amusements this winter worthy of the conveniences the Opera House affords, and worthy of the united and liberal patronage of this community. Success to him.

After a lingering illness of several months, Rufus R. Hall died yesterday afternoon about four o'clock.

Geo. S. Tiffany has placed plate glass windows in his residence, corner Chicago and Oneida streets.

Mrs. S. W. Temple was called to Angola Ind. yesterday morning on account of sudden illness of her mother, Mrs. S. M. Shiel.

We are in receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Sixth annual fair of the Western Mich. Society to be held at Grand Rapids, Sept. 22d to 26th inclusive.

The first number of the Michigan Prohibitionist is at hand. It is a neatly printed, well edited sheet, and will doubtless do a good work in promoting the cause of the Union party.

There will be preaching on Sunday Sept. 7th, on the Big Prairie at I. S. Osborn's new barn at 2:30 P. M., by Rev. Peter Sharp. Subject, Origin of Sin. A general invitation is extended to all.

Several Tecumseh people went to Toledo last Tuesday to hear St. John speak. He was not there in the afternoon but spoke in the evening. Those who stayed over to hear him did not regret it. They were much elated with the man and with his speech. The towns on the M. & O. were all represented at the meeting

Geo. P. Pardington is in town for a few weeks, the guest of S. W. Anderson. George is looking much better than when he left Tecumseh. His father, Rev. R. S. Pardington, will arrive here on the 12th inst., and will remain a few days on his western trip. He will probably occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church on Sunday evening, the 14th inst.

The Petersburg people are trying to organize a stock company and lease twelve acres of ground for a ten year's term, for air purposes, shares to sell at $5.00, and the company to be called "The Union Fair Company," of Petersburg. They want to raise money enough to fence the grounds and put up a building in which to hold their fair this fall.

On September 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, 1884, the Michigan and Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets from all stations at which they have agents to Toledo and return, for one fare for the round trip, with return limit of Sept. 13th, 1884, to enable all to visit Toledo and attend the Tri-State Fare, which will be held on the dates named above. Property for the exhibition at this Fare will be carried at the regular rates to Toledo, and upon presenting freight bills and a certificate from the Fair Association (stating that the property has been on exhibition, and not changed hands) to the freight agent at Toledo, it will be returned free. The above applies to all kinds of property for exhibition, except Speed and Race Horses, upon which the regular rates will be charged both ways.

BASE BALL.

The Tecumseh's Play their Last Game this Season with the Cass of Detroit and get Scooped.

The admirers of the National game in Tecumseh probably witnessed the last game this season at Base Ball park last Friday, when the Cass club of Detroit (ably assisted by the umpire) beat the Tecumseh's seven to two. We presume many sincerely hope it was the last. The audience and the umpire, who was from Detroit, seemed to disagree on almost every decision made by the latter. The crowd should remember that the umpire was young at the business and probably got a little rattled. At any rate he seemed to delight in calling strikes on the home nine whenever any of them stepped up to the plate to bat, whether the ball was pitched over the base or over the striker's head.

The game was called at 3:30 P. M. with Cass at bat. Adams, the first man to bat, was given his base on balls and got to second on wild throw by Freeman. Buskinburger struck out. Wright got to first, and also Pelouze who sent Wright to second and Adams to third, thus filling the bases. All three of them died on bases, as Campau and Weiss both struck out. The Tecumseh's then came to bat. Bostwick and Heidenrich both got out at first and Chapman struck out, or rather the umpire called him out, making a whitewash for both sides.

In the second innings Lawrence was given first on six balls, and got in on a pass ball by Faatz. Beaubian also waited until the umpire had obligingly called six balls and took first base. Adams made a safe hit and got to first. Then Wright thought it would be only right to bring them in, which he accordingly did by making a nice two-base hit, and made the score stand three to nothing in their favor. Kelly then came in and made a base hit and got to second and third on a pass ball by Catcher, and was brought home by McKinney.

The next innings was a goose-egg for both sides. In the fourth innings Chapman got to first base on an error by first baseman and came home on muffed ball by second baseman, making the score three and two in favor of the visitors.

The fifth and eighth innings the Cass scored two tallies each innings.

Monday the law was out on partridges, or ruffled grouse, wood duck, teal duck, mallard duck, or grey duck, and they can be killed until Jan. 1st. Prairie chickens can also be shot in the months of Sept. and Oct.

A big crowd went to the S. S. picnic at Devil's Lake last Thursday, and a more drenched lot of young ones than they were on their return one seldom sees. If any thing will bring a rain in this latitude it is a S. S. picnic. The farmers owe a debt of gratitude to the children for this rainy day. The children can congratulate themselves on the fact that the rain which soaked their dinner baskets was worth millions upon the crops.

The fall season at the Opera House was most auspiciously opened last Monday evening with Sid Smith in "Ranch 10". This is one of the best plays that has ever been put on the boards in Tecumseh, and it was well presented on Monday evening. Ollie Hunt's orchestra furnished the music, which is enough to say on that point. Sid Smith as "The Judge" is immense. He is exactly adapted to that role. As theatrical successes the court scene and the fire scene have never been surpassed in this village. If the Judge will give us another call at some future time we will guarantee him a rousing house.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

The regular annual school meeting of this district convened at the Central Building on Monday evening last. There was a good attendance of tax payers present, and the meeting possessed some of the old time enthusiasm which formerly characterized the school meetings of this district. David McNair, the Moderator of the Board, presided and the first business presented was the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting. The annual report of the Board, was then presented which is given below.

ANNUAL REPORT.

Annual report of School District No. 7 of the township of Tecumseh, Michigan for the year ending Sept. 1, 1884.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Sept. 3d, '83	$1370.28
Mill tax	1524.37
Special tax	3300.00
Foreign tuitions	416.33
Primary money	700.85
Library money	45.34
Dog fund	75.71
Total	$7432.88

EXPENDITURES.

Teacher's salaries	$4700.00
Janitor's salary	384.00
Insurance	378.75
Fuel	548.68
Director's salary	50.00
Incidentals and repairs	419.33
Balance on hand	952.12
Total	$7432.88

LIBRARY FUND.

Amount on hand Sept. 3, '83,	$55.61
Amt rec'd the past year	45.34
Total	$100.95
Expended during the year.	
Three dictionaries	$21.00
Six Vols. Physics and Nat. Phil.	11.00
Balance on hand	68.95
Total	$100.95

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Board of Trustees recommend that the length of time for which school shall be taught in this district during the ensuing school year shall be ten months commencing Sept. 1, 1884, and ending the last Friday in June 1885 and by both male and female teachers.

Also that fifty dollars be raised by special tax to pay the Director a salary for his services.

ESTIMATES FOR THE COMING YEAR.

Expenses:		
Teacher's salaries		$4700.00
Janitor's salary		384.00
Director's salary		50.00
Incidentals		300.00
Repairs		300.00
Fuel		466.00
Total		$6200.00
Estimated Receipts:		
Mill tax	$1500.00	
Primary fund, etc.	800.00	
Foreign tuitions	400.00	
		$2700.00
Special tax		$3500.00

The report was accepted and adopted with no dissent, and the meeting then proceeded to the election of two trustees in place of Lucius Lilley and S. C. Stacy, whose terms expired. An informal ballot was first ordered for a successor to Mr. Lilley. A formal ballot followed which resulted in the election of O. P. Bills, by a good majority. Two ballots—an informal and a formal ballot—were then taken for a successor to S. C. Stacy. A. W. Mills having received a large majority of the votes cast was declared duly elected.

A resolution was presented by Judge Stacy to raise $100 additional tax for the purchase of apparatus. An amendment was offered making the amount $150 and the amendment was adopted. Prof. Hammond has needed additional apparatus for some time, and he will doubtless appreciate the liberal action of the meeting in voting an appropriation for that purpose. The new school year opens very auspiciously. About forty non-resident pupils entered school last Monday, which is considerably in excess of the number last year. There are 612 scholars of school age in the district, being 77 more than last year.

After passing a vote instructing the Board to trim the trees at the Central Building, the meeting adjourned.

The Presbyterian and Methodist churches will unite in a meeting next Sunday evening, in the interest of the American Bible Society. Short addresses will be given by the pastors and others. A collection will be taken for the benefit of the Bible Society fund. The services will be held in the Methodist Church at 7:30 P. M.

Prof. Samuel Dickie, who was chairman of the National Prohibition convention that nominated John P. St John for President, will address the people at Tecumseh, in the Opera House on Saturday, Sept. 13th, at 8 P. M. Also in the Clinton town hall, that evening at 8 P. M. Everybody should make it a point to hear him.

There will be a gospel temperance rally of one week at the Opera House, beginning on Sunday next, Sept. 7th, at three o'clock P. M. The meetings will be conducted by James M. Dunn of Sidney, Ohio. Let there be a grand rally of temperance workers. Admission free. Singers are requested to bring their gospel hymns and take front seats.

John J. White of Clinton, who has been confined to the house by sickness is out again. He was in town this morning and made the HERALD a brief call. Mr. White had a severe attack of peritonitis, and his condition was considered critical for several weeks, but he finally weathered the storm. He expects to attend to his usual business again now, at his merchant tailoring shop in Clinton.

Last evening at the residence of the bride, in this village occured the marriage of Dr. B. R. House and Miss Jennie Boyd. Dr. House has a host of friends in this community who will tender him their best wishes and who will honor the bride for the good judgment, displayed in her choice. The Doctor needs a helpmate, and he displays wisdom in his selection. That the union will prove a happy one is the belief of all who know the parties. Bon voyage.

The architect of the State column of the Detroit Evening News is responsible for the following:

Tecumseh is the most charming village that adorns the banks of the river Raisin. It is situated in the very heart of Michigan's garden of Eden—Lenawee county. It is a dangerous rival of its less attractive sister, Adrian, who is always subject to spasms whenever the old Indian chief's fair name-sake indulges in any new and successful enterprise, or extends an invitation to the Lenawee county agricultural society to come over and hold its fair where the streets are broad and level, and grand stands never fall. Tecumseh has the best flouring mills in the state, which have exported large quantities of flour to Ireland for several years, and the finest high school of any village of its population. Its opera house boasts of the largest stage outside of Detroit. Its churches are built of brick, nicely furnished with upholstery and pipe organs, while St. Peter's episcopal is the first church built in the state outside of Detroit. The principal articles of manufacture are tile machines, chairs, barrels, hosiery, farming implements, cigars, millinery and gossip croquets. It has two weekly papers, one monthly church organ and several more promiscuous papers waiting exchange courtesies with Col. Fitzsimmons. It has three hotels, two railroads, two banks—sound ones with plenty of capital—a fire department, water works, two public parks, a soldiers' monument, five drug stores and seven saloons and the largest and most complete dry goods house south of Jackson. Strangers always remark upon the beauty of the streets, the surplus of ladies from 25 to 60 years eligible for marriage, and the hungry looking set of old bachelors from 30 to 70 who have attained that age in life when they can almost take of themselves. Building is increasing rapidly, and when the town is lighted by gas and paved with asphalt it is feared the Raisin will overflow its banks with Adrian's tears of envy.

—Massillon Cannel—Cleaner, Better and Cheaper than wood for cook stoves and grates. Try it. Sold only by S. W. Temple, Tecumseh.

—Now is the time to get views of your house, store or shop, out door groups, horses or stock, at reduced rates by L. F. Wheeler. First class work from stereoscopic to 16 by 20 inches in size.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—Brown the Photographer is offering special bargains in pictures, frames and albums during August.

—Wheat received in store for bread at Heck's Roller Mills.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

—All facilities for grinding feed at Heck's Roller Mills.

When the bell strikes, all listen, for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy. A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the voice of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream. A. E. Kennedy.

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Office of the Bank of Durham,
Durham, N. C., May 15, 1884.

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Almost needless areas of it are raised in India and China, the various charming seaside gardens. On the Indian Ocean, on ground no less than four times the area of London, but the finest is raised in our own States of North and South Carolina and Georgia, where those vast expanses of low-lying swampy land and rich vegetable soils render its cultivation comparatively easy and profitable.

The great fields lying low along the river banks are divided into sections, and trunnels and canals carry the water to any part of the field at a moment's notice, by which they are flooded whenever desired. The rice is frequently sown on the water-covered soil, where it quickly germinates, covering the fields with a beautiful delicate green grassy carpet, which turns a lighter and yellower tinge as it ripens.

As most of the fields have been reclaimed from the rivers near which they lie, they are certainly subject to sudden overflows, the utmost vigilance being required to guard against this enemy, which often in one night ruins the hopes of months of labor. So far the larger plantations cover two and three hundred acres, and employ several hundred men, women and children.

From 172 to 179 tons of rice from the Carolinas was 14,000 tons, for 1880 alone, 9,000 barrels were shipped. At the outbreak of the war one million acres were under cultivation in South Carolina alone. In 1861 the production was 187,062,062 pounds, but the war almost ruined this important industry, and in 1870 the combined production of the two Carolinas, Louisiana and Georgia was reduced to 70,000 pounds. A steady improvement, however, toward the old time prosperity is now seen by comparing the productions of later years with that of 1876, when it had dwindled to the comparatively insignificant amount of 57,000,000 pounds.

Very few besides Chinese and negroes can be kept on the plantations as workers, and owing to the inherently trying nature of the climate in summer, with its accompanying marsh fevers, the question of labor supply is a very serious one to the planters. But while the old-fashioned methods of cutting, sowing, and transporting still prevail, in most plantations numerous labor-saving machines and improvements have been introduced with marked success in the various milling processes.

Many large mills are to be seen on the low shores of the Mississippi, in the vicinity of New Orleans, but those at Charleston and Savannah are perhaps the largest and most complete in their appointments. Many are lofty buildings of brick or iron, their many stories crowded with the latest improved machinery for hulling, dusting, cleaning, burnishing, and packing the grain ready for shipment. Situated at the water's edge, their tall chimneys pouring forth heavy columns of smoke, their derricks lifting the rough grain from the decks of the river craft, while the elevators, with long-armed spouts, dip deep into and fill the great holds of seagoing steamers with milled grain, the clouds of drifting half dust, the whir of machinery, and hurrying of boats and tugs all present a most charming picture, and unmistakably indicate the rapid revival of one of the most valuable of our Southern industries.—*Harper's Weekly.*

You Can't Afford It.

You can not afford to throw away or waste wood ashes; to expose manure to sunshine and rain; grow weeds, haul manure; raise inferior fruit; keep poor, unremunerative stock; neglect your tools and utensils; use poor seed; get in green hay; have dilapidated, broken-down fences; let boards and nails get out of place; allow the milk to be exposed to dirt and vile odors; use impure water; neglect your personal appearance; always look sour; make home miserable; live on pork twelve months in the year; go without plenty of fruits and vegetables for family use; let your neighbors prepare better produce for market than yourself; work sixteen hours a day and sleep eight; neglect mental culture; neglect raising roots for stock; be cruel to the live stock; slight animals in sickness; farm without a profit-and-loss account; think you are smarter than your neighbors; mortgage your farm; spend five cents a day for tobacco, and do without an agricultural paper; be ignorant of the topics of the day; let insects eat your fruit and vegetables without making a prompt, practical protest; half feed your stock; run your farm without using oil to make things run smoothly; allow decaying organic matter to remain in the cellar; neglect underdraining when necessary; mow twenty acres with a scythe when it can be mowed in one-eighth the time with a machine; neglect thorough cultivation; keep the pigs shut up when they can just as well be pastured; have a filthy, objectionable door yard; let this year's planting of strawberry plants blossom and mature fruit; keep cows, but not a milk record; go without a good fruit garden and orchard; neglect sheep culture; expose the live stock to the burning sun and midsummer's heat; do without a few grapevines; expect to gather figs of thistles or to let others think for you.—*Ohio Farmer.*

—Two negro women of Concordia Parish, Louisiana, recently fought a duel, the one having a revolver and the other a shot-gun. It was believed, however, that both antagonists shut their eyes during the firing, as neither was hit.—*N. O. Times.*

—An astronomer who believes that the future of the science depends much upon photography estimates that it would take ten years to photograph the heavens.—*Chicago Herald.*

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Mr. Moody thinks he shall never leave America again.—*Chicago Journal.*

—The widow of the great novelist, W. M. Thackeray, is hopelessly deranged, and has been cared for by one of her husband's friends for years.

—Joel T. Hart's remains are to be brought home to Kentucky from Italy. Mr. Hart was called by the late Hiram Powers "the greatest sculptor of the world."—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—A company has been formed with a capital of $80,000 to publish an American edition of the London *Illustrated News*, at ten cents a copy. The paper will be revised and edited, and a large amount of new matter relating particularly to American affairs, will be added.

—At a recent literary party in London Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilde made their first formal appearance in London society, the bride of the esthete being attired in an utterly utter gown of white satin, with huge sleeves, a mediæval collar, a girdle of golden filigree, and a chaplet of real white lilies round the head.

—Tyson, who owns or controls most of the hotel news stands in New York, began his career as a barefooted news boy in the streets of New York, and to his credit be it said he is rather proud than otherwise of his small beginnings. To-day he is worth about $[illegible], and he has one of the handsomest country seats on the Sound.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The editor of a London juvenile publication, especially devoted to little girls, offered a prize "for the best selection of a hundred famous women." He received no fewer than 4,366 replies. These weighed close upon a ton. The total number of sheets of paper used was about 292,000. These, we are told, if laid flat on the top of one another would form a pile seventy-seven feet high.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—Mr. Gladstone's career as Prime Minister of England has covered a period of over nine years. Lord Palmerston was not as long in office as Mr. Gladstone. Two statesmen only during the last hundred years have governed the English people for a longer period than Mr. Gladstone. One of these was William Pitt, who held the office for eighteen years and ten months; the other was Lord Liverpool, whose period was fourteen years and ten months.

HUMOROUS.

—Can a man who writes a poem on his hat be described as vers-a-tile?—*Exch.*

—The violin craze which has recently attacked some women was probably caused by a desire to possess a beau.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Man. How many fish have you caught, bub? Boy. Oh! I couldn't count 'em. Man. Why, you haven't caught any, you little wretch. Boy. That's why I can't count 'em.—*Tid-Bits.*

—Recently, in Philadelphia, Mary A. Getz and William Sanner were joined in wedlock. Happy combination.

See in this race for happiness
The husband is the winner;
For he, as usual, gets a sanner,
While Mary Getz a sinner.
—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—"Here, prisoner, stand up there and give an account of yourself," said a magistrate to a man who had been brought before him for drunkenness. The prisoner slowly arose, and steadying himself with great effort, responded: "Your honor, how can you expect an account from a man who has *lost his balance?*"—*N. Y. Ledger.*

—Sweet Innocence.—"Ma, is it wrong to kiss a man you are not engaged to?" Ma.—"Certainly, my dear, very wrong." "There now, that's just what I told them." "Told whom?" "Why, Dick and Jack, and Tom and Charlie, and Arthur and Will, and Bob and Al, and Sam and Gus, and——" But ma had fainted.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—"When Jennie Meets Me at the Gate," is the title and burden of a new song. If the night is clear, When the Stars are Twinkling, Love, keep your weather eye out for the old man, say about the time Our Grandfather's clock strikes ten, for he may be Comin' Thro' the Rye from the village store with Towser in which case you had better get Over the Garden Wall, while she goes in and Pulls Down the Blinds to make pa believe she said her little Now I Lay Me Down to Sleep at nine o'clock.—*Peck's Sun.*

—Last Decoration Day, a member of a school committee in Auburn, Me., asked a class of girls and boys what Decoration Day was for. "To decorate the soldiers' graves," said several in reply. "Why should they decorate the soldiers graves any more than yours or mine?" There was a long silence. One little fellow in the further corner of the room finally put up his hand. The visitor asked him to speak. The boy said: "If you please, sir, I think it is because they are dead and we ain't."—*Golden Days.*

—"For ten years past," said the newboard, "my habits have been regular as clock-work. I rose on the stroke of six; half an hour later I sat down to breakfast; at seven I was at work; dined at twelve, ate supper at six, and was in bed at 9:30; ate only hearty food, and hadn't a sick day in all that time." "Dear me," said the Deacon, in sympathetic tones, "and what were you in for?" And in the awful silence that followed you could hear the hash grate its teeth.—*Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.*

Passing the Toothpick.

The fastidious denizen of the city who engages board for the summer in the country sometimes meets with strange experiences. A writer tells of a friend of his who was recreating at a farm house in the Catskills, the owner of which regarded the toothpick an indispensable article after dinner. Thinking economy in all things is necessary to accumulate a fortune, he imagined that the boarders were possibly not provided with toothpicks, and called out to his son at dinner: "Johnnie, pass the toothpick." The boy produced the called for article and proceeded to make the best possible use of it himself, and when he had finished with it, offered it to the person next to him. It is needless to say the toothpick went no further.—*N. Y. Mail.*

Home Items and Topics.

—"All your own fault,
If you remain sick when you can
Get hop bitters that never—Fail.

—The weakest woman, smallest child, and sickest invalid can use hop bitters with safety and great good.

—Old men tottering around from Rheumatism, kidney trouble or any weakness will be made almost new by using hop bitters.

—My wife and daughter were made healthy by the use of hop bitters and I recommend them to my people.—Methodist Clergyman.

Ask any good druggist if hop bitters are not the best family medicine on earth.

—Malarial fevers, Ague and Bilious ness will leave every neighborhood as soon as hop bitters arrive.

—My mother drove the paralysis and neuralgia all out of her system with hop bitters.—Ed. Oswego Sun.

—Keep the kidneys healthy with hop bitters and you need not fear sickness.

—Ice water is rendered harmless and more refreshing and reviving with hop bitters in each draught.

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Miss Belle Anderson, of Buchanan, will fill the place of instructor on the violin at the Valparaiso, Ind., normal institute for the next year.

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Monroe will have a fine new two-story brick school house ready for the fall term, and talks of erecting yet another one.

HOUSEKEEPERS—Can keep your tinware bright and clean? If you find it difficult use Deland's Soda, which aside from its great merit in other departments, is exceedingly useful in this direction.

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L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117.	No. 119.
Jackson	8 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	12 [illegible] P.M.
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 37 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 15 "	2 04 "	3 45 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	4 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	5 08 "
Tecumseh	7 30 "	3 36 "	5 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	7 02 "
Detroit	10 42 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	1 00 P.M.	10 15 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 120. Accom.
Detroit	7 00 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	9 35 "	.....
Adrian	11 19 "	8 02 "	7 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	8 34 "	8 00 "
Clinton	12 05 "	8 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 35 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	2 30 "	10 38 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	2 58 "	10 57 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 00 "	11 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 25	6 25
Blakesley		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 08
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

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NORTH Express Passenger	NORTH Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH Express Passenger	SOUTH Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv. ..... Toledo ..... Ar	9 30	4 55
5 40	7 24	..... Manhattan Junction	9 16	4 48
5 46	7 23	..... Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	..... Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	..... Samaria	9 02	4 22
6 00	7 58	..... Lulu	8 47	4 04
6 04	8 15	..... Monroe Junction	8 32	3 50
6 07	8 20	..... Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	..... Macon	8 16	3 45
6 33	8 46	..... Azalia	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	..... Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 01	..... Milan	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	..... Nora	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	..... Urania	7 52	3 10
7 02	9 32	..... Pittsfield	7 40	3 02
7 [illegible]	9 50	..... Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
7 [illegible]	10 15	..... Leland	7 12	2 30
7 [illegible]	10 22	..... Worden	7 06	2 25
7 [illegible]	10 27	Ar ..... South Lyon Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT AUGUST 10, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 42 Mixed	No. 32 Pass	No. 34 Pass	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 41 Mixed
A. M.	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
5 20	10 00	5 10	Lv. ..... Toledo ..... Ar	11 10	5 10	5 50
5 40	10 32	5 05	..... Dundee	10 10	4 15	4 50
5 52	11 31	6 27	..... Britton	9 16	3 52	4 09
6 02	11 39	6 31	..... Ridgeway	9 12	3 47	4 00
6 12	11 39	6 41	..... Tecumseh	9 32	3 37	3 37
6 17	11 55	6 57	..... Tipton	9 17	3 22	3 00
6 26	12 02	7 10	..... Cambridge	9 05	3 08	2 30
6 38	12 22	7 25	..... Devils Lake	8 51	2 54	1 58
6 45	12 30	7 33	..... Addison	8 43	2 45	1 46
6 53	12 48	7 50	..... Jerome	8 26	2 28	1 10
6 57	12 55	7 55	..... Moscow	8 20	2 21	12 55
7 02	1 00	8 07	..... Hanover	8 09	2 10	12 20
7 20	1 17	8 18	..... Pulaski	7 59	1 57	11 55
7 28	1 28	8 40	..... Homer	7 37	1 38	11 00
7 42	2 05	9 00	..... Marshall	7 11	1 12	9 30
8 00	2 17	9 22	..... Ceresco	6 59	1 00	9 20
8 32	V 30	9 40	A Battle Crk. L	6 40	12 42	8 32
8 40	2 50	P. M.	..... Augusta	A. M.	12 22	7 54
8 52		10	..... Yorkville		12 15	7 38
8 56		10	..... Richland		12 09	7 25
9 02		28	..... Doster		11 52	6 40
9 10		45	..... Monteith		11 30	6 00
9 20		55	..... Fisk		11 25	5 46
9 31		59	..... Kellogg		11 21	5 35
9 35		10	Ar. Allegan Lv		11 10	5 15
P. M.		30	..... Holland		10 10	A. M.
		10	..... Grand Rapids		9 35	
		12	..... Grand Haven		9 00	
		25	..... Ferrysburg		8 50	
		35	..... Muskegon		8 15	
		20	A Pentwater L		5 50	
		P.M.			A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway daily, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

The Fifth Annual Report of the Director to the Secretary of the Interior Amount of Work Done.

The Public Debt Statement—Reduction During the Month of August of $8,542,852—Custom Receipts for the Month.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

WASHINGTON, September 2.—Major Powell, Director of the Geological Survey, has submitted his fifth annual report to the Secretary of the Interior. It shows that on a whole, more work has been done than during the preceeding year. The districts in which the work has been most expanded are the North and South Atlantic, while in the South Pacific and great basin districts the work has been contracted.

In the North Atlantic district the work of preparing a topographical map of New England is progressing favorably the State of Massachusetts having co-operated with the survey and appropriated $40,000 for that purpose.

In the South Atlantic division about 19,750 square miles have been surveyed. In the Rocky Mountain division, a map has been completed of the Elk Mountain district. The survey of the Yellow Stone Park has been continued with excellent results.

In the Paleontologic division of the report mention is made of the discovery of a remarkable order of birds, furnished with teeth; also an extinct reptile order, the Sauropoda, several species of which are of gigantic size. These discoveries are believed to be of great value to science.

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT.

The debt statement issued from the Treasury Department yesterday, shows a reduction in the public debt during the month of August of $8,542,852. The total debt now, less cash in the treasury is $1,216,526,400 is interest bearing debt. The total cash in treasury is $414,541,952, against which there are current liabilities amounting to $273,469,411, leaving an available cash balance of $141,072,541. The Treasurer's statement shows about $122,000,000 in gold and $121,000,000 in silver certificates outstanding with $163,000,000 gold coin, $51,000,000 gold bullion and about 141,000,000 standard silver dollars in the treasury vaults.

The customs receipts for August were $18,413,708, and internal revenue receipts were $9,506,307 against $18,585,147 and $9,845,889 respectively in August, 1883. While the receipts from miscellaneous sources were $3,446,492 or three-quarters of a million more than in August, 1883.

LABOR'S DAY.

The Laboring Men of New York in Line 20,000 Strong.

NEW YORK, September 2.—Broadway was lined yesterday morning from City Hall to Fourteenth street with people assembled to witness the labor parade. The first division of the parade was composed of printers, building trades union, and bricklayers unions. The second division was made up of cigarmakers and workmen from the furniture and clothing trades. The third division was comprised of butchers, scoopers, and other trades unions. The fourth division was made up of numbers of working men not attached to any organization who had asked permission to the join procession. For weeks the various trades unions have been making untiring efforts to make the parade a success and their labor has not been wasted. It had been anticipated that 20,000 men would form in the lines. This number was fully reached if not exceeded. Both those who paraded and the thousands of spectators were dressed in holiday attire. Each body of men in the procession wore some distinctive badge, cap, apron, or other symbol of their trade to give a uniform appearance. Many of the trades gave illustrations of their occupation. The butchers intended to illustrate their trade by killing innumerable cattle as they went along the streets, but Henry Bergh with a squad of police interfered with that portion of the programme. At Printing House Square the procession was reviewed by Patrick Ford, Henry George, John Swinton, Louis F. Post and a number of others. After the procession had been dismissed the men attended in large numbers the picnics given in honor of the holiday.

Will Change the Place of Meeting.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., September 2.—Major William H. Warner, Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, arrived here yesterday morning. He will call the Committee together this morning to take into consideration the advisability of removing the State Convention from Moberly. Numerous petitions have been sent to the Chairman asking him to change the place of meeting on account of the Moberly Fair Association inviting Frank James to exhibit his two war horses at the fair, which is to be held at Moberly at the same time as the convention. The general belief entertained is that the committee will order the convention to be held in this city.

Man Drowned.

TOLEDO, September 2.—Sunday evening, Martin Fay, went fishing near Elevator No. 4. He by some means lost a portion of his bait, and while in the act of leaning over the side of the boat to recover it, lost his balance, was precipitated into the water, and taking violent cramps, sank before assistance could arrive. After an hour's search the police found his body. This is a very sad case indeed, as the man was in poor circumstances and leaves a wife and five children.

Absconded With the Firm's Money.

BOSTON, Mass., September 2.—Charles Blaine, aged twenty-two, for ten months chief clerk of the Mechanic's Iron Foundry, Boston Highlands, has absconded with several thousand dollars of the companies money. He lived with his widowed mother and was a prominent member of the Y. M. C. A., and neither drank nor used tobacco.

Railway Mail Service Convention.

BUFFALO, September 2.—The United States Railway Mail Service Mutual Benefit Association holds its tenth annual convention in this city, beginning to-day and continuing for four days. A reception will be tendered the visiting delegates at the Genessee House, which will be their head quarters during the meeting.

A Whiskey Pool.

CINCINNATI, September 2.—The agreement establishing a whiskey pool went into effect yesterday morning. The running capacity of the pool will be 57,000 bushels of grain per day, and no distillery can go beyond forty per cent. of its capacity.

AUSTRIAN FLAG.

Letter From Secretary of State Frelinghuysen in Regard to the Action of the Chief of Police of Pittsburgh in Ordering the Removal of the Flag on the Emperor's Birthday.

PITTSBURGH, September 2.—Governor Pattison yesterday forwarded to Mayor Fulton, of this city, a copy of a letter from Secretary of State Frelinghuysen regarding the recent action of Chief of Police Braun, of Pittsburgh, in ordering the Austro-Hungarian Consul to take down the Austrian flag which had been hung out in front of the Consulate in honor of the Emperor's birthday, about two weeks ago. Chief Braun based his action on a city ordinance prohibiting swinging signs, considering that the flagstaff, with flag attached, came under this head. Consul Schamberg refused to take down the flag; Chief Braun then made information against Mr. Schamberg for violating the ordinance, but as Schamberg stood firm, insisting on his right as Consul to display the flag, and threatened to make it a national issue, Mr. Braun did not press the matter. The flag was not removed nor was Schamberg arrested.

Secretary Frelinghuysen's letter to Governor Pattison recites that the Baron Schaefer, the Austrian Minister, has applied to the State Department for interference, after quoting the law showing that Schamberg had a right to hang out the flag. The Secretary requests that the Governor will bring the subject to the early attention of the superior municipal authority of the city of Pittsburgh, advising the Mayor that any proceedings which may have been instituted by the Chief of Police against the Consul should be at once dismissed without any cost or charge to that gentleman and at the same time that a courteous and fitting explanation be made to him.

Mayor Fulton was interviewed last night and said that he was out of the city at the time the flag was ordered down, and would take no steps towards replying until he had legal advice.

Arrested for Poisoning Race Horses.

ST. LOUIS, September 2.—A horse jockey named Thomas P. Redmond, alias Texas Jack, was arrested yesterday morning, charged with poisoning horses at the races. It appears that several horses, whose chances for winning were deemed good, were dosed with laudanum and other poisonous drugs, and thus incapacitated from winning. Several parties have testified that Redmond employed, or sought to employ them to dose horses likely to win. There is great excitement among racing men, and the humane society have taken the matter in hand. Mr. Bryant, owner of "Lady of the Lake," states that Redmond approached his stable man, Whalen, with an offer to give poison to the horse. Whalen appeared to accept the proposition, but straightway notified his employer. It is said Redmond has been expelled from the race track at New Orleans.

Arrested for Obtaining Money Under False Pretences.

MONTREAL, Quebec, September 2.—Harold C. DeWolf, son of Dr. De Wolf, of New York, was arrested here yesterday morning charged with obtaining money under false pretences from W. C. Gale, manager of the Equitable Life Assurance Company. De Wolf has been living luxuriantly at the Windsor Hotel with Bebe Vining, the actress, whom he recently married. Mr. Gale cashed checks for him amounting to $3,500, which are said to be worthless. His father, on being communicated with, has telegraphed that he has no money for an insane son or his deluded victims. The doctor was strongly opposed to his son's marrying Miss Vining.

Terribly Injured in a Runaway.

DOVER, N. H., September 2.—At Salmon Falls Sunday evening, Jeremiah McNamara, Mrs. J. O. Wentworth, Miss Ella Knowlton and Mrs. Herbert Hamilton were going to the residence of James M. Brown, whose only daughter is dead, when the carriage capsized and the horse ran away, dragging the carriage for some distance. All the occupants were terribly injured. McNamara's shoulder blade was broken, Miss Knowlton received bad gashes in the head and body, Mrs. Wentworth and Mrs. Hamilton were cut severely.

Two Little Girls Outraged and Murdered.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., September 1.—Near Flag Springs, Andrew County, Sunday evening, two little girls, aged seven and nine, were brutally outraged and then murdered by unknown men while passing through some woods. One was disembowled and shot and the other's throat was cut. When this was learned great excitement prevailed in the vicinity, and searchers started out to lynch the men if they could find them.

Arrested for Embezzlement.

MILFORD, Mass., September 2.—Atrask Woodbury, aged twenty, ticket seller at the Milford, Franklin & Providence Railroad station, mysteriously disappeared some months ago. The cause was unknown until Saturday last, when he was arrested and held in $2,000 for the Grand Jury on a charge of embezzling $2,800 from the company. Woodbury comes of a good family, but is very wild and has been rescued from many bad scrapes by friends.

Fastest Skating on Record.

BAR HARBOR, Me., September 2.—Edward Whitmore, of Bar Harbor, skated five miles yesterday at the Casino, Bar Harbor against Kenneth A. Skinner, of Boston, the champion roller-skater of America. Whitmore won in seventeen minutes and fifty-eight seconds, the fastest time ever made. Whitmore is only about seventeen years of age.

Heavy Failures.

NEW YORK, September 2.—Dessar, Wise & Co., wholesale dealers in clothing at 557 Broadway, announced their failure yesterday. Their liabilities are reported at about $300,000 but no definite idea of the assets has yet been ascertained. C. C. Russell & Co., well-known bankers of Zanesville Ohio, have also suspended.

Convention of Deaf Mutes.

PERU, Ind., September 2.—A convention of the Deaf Mutes of the West is in progress on the Fair Grounds here. Revs John Chamberlain, of New York, and A. W. Mann, of Cleveland, Ohio, are the principal visitors from abroad.

Found Dead on the Roadside.

WHITE HALL, Mich., September 2.—A man named Joseph Wieler, sixty years of age, residing seven miles north of Mortague, was found dead on the roadside Sunday morning. Cause unknown.

Mills Resuming.

LEWISTON, Me., September 2.—The Lewiston and Bates, Me., mills, employing 2,600 operatives, which have been shut down for a short time, resumed yesterday.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

The West Michigan lumber company donated two car loads of lumber to the Newago congregationalists for their new brick church, and paid all charges on the same from Diamond Lake to that place.

Ayer's Ague Cure, when used according to directions is warranted to eradicate from the system all forms of malarial disease, such as Fever and Ague, Chill Fever, Intermittent, Remittent and billious Fevers, and disorders of the liver. Try it. The experiment is a safe one, and will cost you nothing if a cure is not effected.

A Mr. Nason, of Chesaning, has brought a shipment of southern pine to Saginaw, all the way from the southwestern part of Louisiana. Almost like "carrying coals to Newcastle."

The Proper Way.

To attach a stamp to an envelope is to moisten the envelope and then apply the stamp. Try this. If we all did the proper thing we would use Dr Jones' Red Clover Tonic for dyspepsia costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples ague and malaria disease, poor appetite low spirits, headache, or diseases of the kidneys, stomach and liver. Price 50 cents, of Baker & Hall.

The Ontonagon and Baraga state road, not built according to contract, has been refused acceptance by the commissioners, and the contractor is trying it over again.

The Voice of the People.

The people, as a whole, seldom make mistakes, and the unanimous voice of praise which comes from those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla, fully justifies the claims of the proprietors of this great medicine. Indeed, these very claims are based entirely on what the people say Hood's Sarsaparilla has done, for them. Read the abundant evidence of its powers, and give it a fair, honest trial.

Peter Boltz, the Fruitport wife murderer, is hopelessly insane in Muskegon jail. Five children are left motherless and worse than fatherless by his insane crime.

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

Factory men at Buchanan are experiencing duller times than ever before, and nearly all are out of employment on account of the shops being closed.

A Physician's Pic Nic.

Mr. Alfred Speer, who was the first to introduce the cultivation of the Oporto Grape in this country had a number of New York Physicians to inspect his Vineyards and Warehouses at Passaic, N. J. About sixty doctors took the Erie train. The vineyards are over fifty acres in extent. Here the visitors found the small dark Portuguese and the native Concord grape in abundance.

Among those present were Dr. E. James, of the N. Y. Board of Health, Dr. Alex. B. Mott, of the Bellevue Hospital Medical College; Dr. William H. Haynes, of the Presbyterian Hospital, &c., &c. The wines were pronounced as equal to any produced in the word. N. Y. Tribune. For sale by S. C. Wright & Co.

The four saloon keepers of Chase have been pulled for illegal selling.

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Remarked by R. C. Joiner, Allen P. O. Hillsdale Co., Mich.: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

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For two months in the year Henry Ward Beecher can't preach. In August and September he takes his vacation and endures the onset of the hay fever. A man with hay fever isn't accountable for his actions. He is frantic with sneezing and headache. Every nerve in his skull thrills with distress, and his head is a fountain of tears. He flies only to fly from seaside to mountain top in search of relief. This form of catarrh hay fever Ely's Cream Balm will cure. Placed in the nostrils it penetrates and soothes the affected parts at once, restores the impared senses and erettes healthy secretions. You cannot run away from hay fever, but you can drive it from you by using Ely's Cream Balm.

Walker, Kent county, is a new post office, with Horace Austin as post master.

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Chief of Police Burkhart, of Jackson, is recovering from the savage and brutal attack made upon him by horse-race roughs at the fair ground.

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 4, 1884

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

A [illegible] train on the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad fell into the river near Huntington, W. Va., on the 26th, killing conductor L. A. Moore, who was in the cabooses, and serious injuring Engineer Brook of the passenger train.

A bad state of affairs has been shown to exist in the Planters' and Mechanics' Bank of Petersburgh, Va. The State money deposited, amounting to $[illegible], is not traceable, and with the exception of only $[illegible] the sum of $[illegible] had been and were to be withdrawn.

The treasurer of the United States has forwarded to the Governor of Louisiana free [illegible] of that State to the amount of $[illegible] which were captured at Ha[illegible] by General Sheridan.

The African Methodist Savings Bank suspended [illegible] Cashier Lemle says about [illegible] due depositors, but the assets of the institution are ample to pay all claims in full.

The question of the sanity of Wilbur F. Storey, of the Chicago Times, was submitted to a jury in the Cook County Probate Court, on the 27th, who found that he was mentally incapacitated for the business. A conservator of the estate will be appointed.

A special car [illegible] from the Grand Trunk Railway, [illegible] the night of the 26th ult., [illegible] burned [illegible] a total loss. The car was [illegible] with a [illegible] of Chicago [illegible] Detroit [illegible] Toronto [illegible] Montreal [illegible] Portland [illegible] Boston [illegible]

The Tecumseh Herald.

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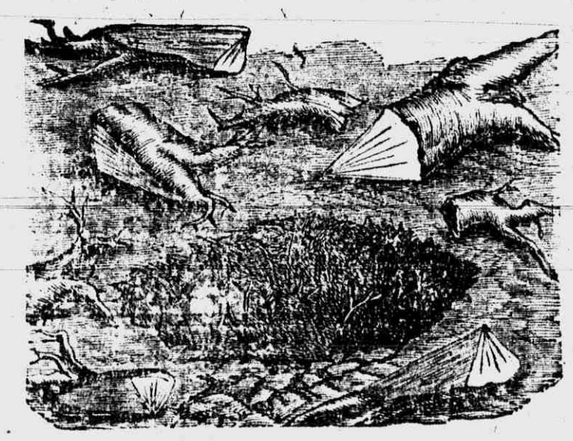

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RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Jay's Float will make us a call about the 20th.

Those who stayed to hear Ex. Gov. St. John speak at Toledo last week Tuesday evening were well paid

The lecture given by Marin Gregor off on the habits and customs of the inhabitants of his native home, Bulgaria, was very interesting and was well attended considering the short notice.

Messrs. Geo. D. Arner, Chas Lowe, Cyrus Underwood and Miss Ida Pocklington commenced school at the Valley Monday

The village school commenced Monday under the supervision of Mr. Wm Steward.

Mr. Joseph Harquail is working up a gristmill interest here For a bonus of $500.00 and a site he will build a mill. The site has been procured and most of the $500.00 pledged, and the work on the mill will begin immediately.

The social will begin its series of entertainments in the near future.

A good many will take in the Tri-State Fair at Toledo this week.

Next week conference is held at Saginaw and Rev. Mr. Campbell will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday

Services at the M. E. church Sunday morning. First bell 9 A. M. Second bell double 10 A. M. Third bell 10.30. Evening services, first bell 6 P. M., second bell 7 P. M. Prayermeeting Thursday evening 7.30 P. M. Choir school Saturday night 7 P. M. sharp. Ringing for a death. Ring the alarm two minutes then give the sex: for a man 4 strokes in intervals of 2 each, for a woman 6 in intervals of 3 each, for a child 2, then toll in respect to age, then give the age in intervals of 10 each. Funeral service: ring first bell one hour and a half before service, second bell half an hour and toll when in sight.

Big Prairie, on which I. S. Osborn owns a fine farm, on which he has a splendid new barn, in which Rev. Peter Sharp preached a grand sermon on the "Origin of Sin" last Sunday were all scenes of delightful inferest to all who went, and saw, and heard for the first time. The gathered and growing crops both indicated a superb soil, and give promise that in a few years there will be one of the richest, and most beautiful farming sections of country on the prairie, to be found in Michigan. Mr. Osborn is developing an elegant farm which at the rapid rate he has hitherto progressed will soon be a thing of beauty, and a joy to its owner. A new school house bespeaks the intelligence and enterprise of the new settlers in that locality. It seemed a strange thing to hold religious service in a barn in these days of multiplied churches, but in this case it was very appropriate, for although surrounded with settlements of half a century of existence, this Prairie, though unsurpassed for richness of soil, has until lately been left in an uncultivated state, consequently no "country church" as yet adorns its beautiful landscape, hence Mr. Osborn invited Rev. Peter Sharp of Ridgeway to hold service in his spacious barn which he fitted up in good shape for the occasion. There was quite a large congregation present, and all seemed interested in the able and impressive sermon, and delighted with the music which Mr. Osborn had taken pains to provide for, inviting some of the Ridgeway musical talent to be present, who acquited themselves admirably, as did also the home talent, for there was some very excellent musical talent in the congregation. On the whole it was a very enjoyable occasion reminding one of the days of yore, when barns, log cabins and the forest were the only temples to be found in which to worship, and the venerable preacher seemed to catch some of the inspiration of the old time fire as memories of fifty years ago were awakened, when in the full strength of his young manhood he was accustomed to preach the gospel in these primitive temples.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The people of this place were startled about five o'clock yesterday afternoon by the report made upon the streets that Mr. Henry S. Williams an old resident of the village had been drowned in the mill pond. The facts surrounding the case are as follows as near as we can ascertain. The old gentleman as it is well known has deen slightly unbalanced in mind for some years, more especially so however upon subjects of a religious or moral nature and during discussions with the author has frequently treated human life as a thing of little value. This mental delusion added to the fact of declining health is thought by some to have impelled him to a premeditated close of life. And yet such a fact is by no means proven by the circumstances. On the other hand this failing strength and the position of the body when found added other circumstances connected with the case which serve to substantiate the theme of accidental drowning as found by the jury. Mr. W. was a man of unparellelled habits of industry, being the most, successful gardener in Western Lenawee. Was strongly devoted to his family, and a neighbor whom no one can utter a word of reproach, was a man of fair education and is the author of numerous poems illustrating his ideas of "cause and effect" in philosophy, both moral and natural. Whatever failings he may have possessed his originality of thought and sincerity of purpose will find few equals. Let us draw the veil of charity over his weaknesses and trusting to the goodness and mercy of Deity believe that Henry S. Williams has found rest from his labors in a world which is purer and better than this. Funeral services to-day at two o'clock.

MACON MUSIC.

The concert that was to be held at the M. E. church last Sunday evening was indefinitely postponed on account of the storm. The rain, however, was more acceptable than the concert could possibly have been.

Addie Crittenden commenced teaching in the Henry district last Monday.

The bowery dance, given under the auspices of the band last Friday evening, was well attended.

Mrs. Milan Sage is visiting relatives in Ohio.

Bradley Scudder has recently changed his place of residence. He now occupies the Finley Harriot house.

Watermelon social at Edwin Howell's last Monday evening. We think, by the way the youngsters dispatched the melons, that it was not a very profitable affair.

Mrs. St. John will give another concert next Saturday evening.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF

Uncle Henry Smith is on the sick list.

John Hand is out overseeing his work again, but is still unable to take a very active part himself.

Hendershot & Richardson is the new firm that will rush business at the cider mill this fall.

C. E. Jessup had his grocery newly shingled last week.—To keep the sun out we suppose.

C. D. Smith and crew have finished up Jerome Snow's house, at Onsted, ready for the plasterers, and returned to Tecumseh.

The Springville Cornet Band made a final effort last Saturday and went to Devils lake to spend Sunday. They report having quite a severe time getting from the M. & O. to Allen's landing, being about four hours. They undoubtedly made up lost time after they arrived.

ONSTED ODDS.

Jacob W. Russell raised a large barn last Saturday.

The grain elevator here was raised on Monday last.

Henry Sickner has his house commenced. He expects to have it ready to live in before winter.

George Stuck, formerly of Grand Rapids, has purchased a lot of J. E. Gibbs and is building a house.

Albert Daniels has purchased two lots of William Onsted and expects to build sometime this fall.

Miss Ella Short went to Jackson last Saturday where she will attend school during the coming year.

R. L. Glenn has had a drive well put down on his place, which although but twenty feet deep, furnishes good water for several families.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

The change of ministers by the Presbyterian church of Manchester, and the Congregational church on Sunday the 31st of August last was enjoyed by the people who attend church here and was an intellectual treat. We congratulate the people on their good fortune in securing the Rev. Mr. Wallace as pastor. May the ministers above named change again and often.

We notice in the last issue of the HERALD a notice of the social and as we think the social spoken of at Bro. Wright's in Bridgewater last week deserves a more extended notice than was given by your correspondent we give you a few items from actual observation. The social was very largely attended; there being from three hundred and fifty to four hundred in attendance. We witnessed while on our way a bright light and as we thought at the time they had procured in some way for the occasion an electric light, and as we neared Bro. Wright's we imagined that Barnum was there with his tents, for in the yard was an immense canvass spread overhead sufficiently large to remind us of Barnum's Big Show. The teams and vehicles in the yard and road reminded us of camp meeting we used to attend when a boy; in short the social was a great success in every way. The music both instrumental and vocal was fine and reflected credit upon the singers as well as the band which were in attendance. All passed off quietly and in good order. We understand the receipts of the evening were from forty to fifty dollars. Long live Bro. Wright.

Our usually quiet little town was the scene of quite a high time and of a good deal of inebriety. All this hilarity was caused by the country people coming to Clinton to witness the sale of a ditch or drain to be sold by drain Commissioner Bruce, who had advertised to sell the Drain to the lowest bidder in sections. The time 10 o'clock brought a large number of ditchers here to witness the sale and to buy a section or two for themselves, and had the sale gone off then all would probably gone off well, but Com. Bruce adjourned the sale until 1 o'clock P. M. which gave all who wished an opportunity to visit the line of the proposed drain and prospect for water which we understand they did, but when the sale was resumed at 1 o'clock it seemed as though in prospecting for water all had struck not water but whiskey for such a time has not been seen in Clinton since the celebrated Catholic picnic of a few years ago. All was pandemonium in the office of S. Brown when the sale was commenced and was confusion until they were turned into the street when passable order was restored and the sale proceeded to the close with considerable spirited bidding which run the price down to very low figures. Hence all was sold and satisfactory security given by all for the digging of the drain at the price bid.

Our new Doctor Cameron recently located in Clinton seems to be a gentleman of fine medical attainments and is fast gaining friends among the good people of Clinton. He is also receiving a share of the patronage.

We notice also that our street commissioner is putting in some very efficient work in the way of sidewalks, graveling the streets, etc.

We notice also that our friend and fellow citizen S. Brown is giving the Chandler block a coat of paint which greatly improves the appearance of said block. May others do likewise.

We notice upon our streets a good many idle persons and boys, white as well as colored, which makes us wish we understood the vagrant law. Tell us.

90° in the shade the past few days.

Mrs. Newcomb Brown, of Jackson, is spending a few days in this village.

Prof. Dickie at Town Hall next Saturday evening.

Mrs. Pomeroy and daughter have returned from a three months visit through the West.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Muir.

New cross-walk across the street in front of the Post-office.

Peter Kishpaugh took a car load of hogs to Buffalo last Tuesday.

Quite a number of our citizens will attend the fair in Toledo this week.

Raisin defeated Clinton in a game of ball at Tecumseh last Saturday. Score 13 to 11.

Mrs. St. John's class in singing will give a concert at Macon Corners next Saturday evening.

This weather induces the average Clintonites to take off both coat and vest, and is probably responsible for increased consumption of beer in this village.

We understand the Clinton High School intends to form a literary society. A praiseworthy idea that we heartily indorse.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kishpaugh buried their youngest child, a little girl three months old, last Monday.

Mrs. E. R. Smith and daughter Blanche, started for Minnesota Thursday afternoon.

At a Democratic Caucus held at the Town Hall Saturday the following gentlemen were given their credentials as delegates to attend the County convention which meets at Adrian next Friday—E. R. Smith, W. B. Keyser, George R. Brown, John Ed. McCollum, W. C. Rogers, W. V. Horton. The caucus at the same time appointed W. V. Fisk, A. B. VanDeMark, David Brooks, George Wilson, D. Keyes, I. H. Schroeder delegates to represent this town in the 1st Representative District convention whenever that shall be held.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A mild protest against Butler's explanation of Tariff benefit is sent forth like a vesper, wail by some leading papers; and he certainly did take that kid to the river brink, and dropped it; but it was fished out alive. There is not a manufacturer, merchant, milliner, or sewing girl, but can if they will answer the question intelligently and truthfully, why Tariff is a government necessity, and how it can be made a curse to the laborer, and a boomerang of calamity to the unscrupulous capitalist, unless gifted with all the tactics of his uncle Harry. The enigma is, that those who have so long trod the way of weariness and privation, persist in misapplying their remedy. Take for sample the two dollars per thousand on lumber, which he said raised the price but one dollar on that made here. What becomes of the other I don't know unless it is the collector's perquisite; but one goes into the treasury, helps pay government expense, leaves that much off the tax roll, and gives our lumberman a chance to add that much extra to the price of his own and get even. Its design is to insure him against loss through unfair competition with those who can procure more work at less wages and less transit expense. So far all is serene. It assesses the great capitalist, to prevent his taking advantage of the lesser one, and forms a general dividend for all tax payers. But if I was a lumberman, I could defeat that good intention, some by my own effort, and more if others in my line of business would help. To the buyer, I could quote tariff as a reason why the market was bare of foreign product, and high wages that was necessary to offer to obtain the great number of workmen to supply increased demand, would compel me to charge more per thousand of course. To the workmen I could preach of markets flooded with Canadian pine manufactured at far less cost. That in order to compete I must cheapen my goods by paying less for labor. The reduction might be very small, but half a dozen counts something and in the end becomes starvation price. A fiddler and whisky-jug is patronized in lumber camps almost as much as the printer. Such men do not read the price current over much, and take their Gospel second hand. A few years of life in dense woods, debarred from all but the primitive requirements of civilization, is not as favorable to the growth of saints now as when St. John took to the wilderness, but the man who sits at the city office desk contracting sale and shipment, becomes an autocrat just the same. The phrase, he works three hundred men, gradually assumes a meaning, like machinery, especially if he adds a covetous nature to haste in amassing wealth. He unites with brother lumbermen in requesting some favor that will protect his trade. It may be infinitesimal if applied to one foot or board, but is an appreciable gain on a month or year's product, so he pays freely to the party who can plead his cause with cunning and champagne. Without special legislation in his favor the tariff excuse could make his trade a channel to widen daily between labor and just renumeration, if he choose to take advantage of his workmen's credulity or necessity, but with legal concessions for bedrock it becomes an artery, tapping every money vein that leads from mind or appetite, to pocket. He can reduce the price of their work and increase the price of everything almost linked with the industry, besides the lumber produced until his giant matures thusly. He sells at good profits to contractors, partly on credit who in time divides time and advance in price among wholesale dealers, who favor the retail merchant likewise. This goes on for years apparently safe, but some drain commissioners are at work all the time and sap the foundation. The men who build their cots beneath the hill, ask credit, and everything in this Republic, except chipmunk holes, wears the tariff saddle girthed on by legislative favor, their wages are absorbed in every direction. They fail to pay; so does the retailer; that leaves the wholesalers assign, the contractor skips out or flats out, and the manufacturers edit another reduction by withholding a months pay, cutting rates, giving due bills, and making what he can on tea and sugar. This leavens the camp with dissatisfaction, and a strike closes the mills. He is fettered with cords of his own twisting, and can resume only by selling the remaining stock for cash. To do so he forces it on the market at half its cost, and that completes his tangle. He can keep what he can snatch and hide, and leave the balance for a receiver and the benefit of science. His workmen are fortunate if paid enough to buy their tickets to day right, and his friends set up the tombstone outcry, overproduction, as an apology.

Tecumseh Herald

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THINGS THAT NEVER DIE.

The note, the tragic, the tender, the
The sacred, or solemn, or mirthful
The impulse to a noble or generous
The dreams of love and truth—
The longing after something purer
The soul's yearning cry
These, by his better brother, Hopes—
These things can never die.

The pledge of a friend, tried and true,
A heart-felt, unbiased
The cordial voice of a friend we love dearly,
That proves a friend indeed—
The sigh for dear departed loved ones,
When, passing, they cast a look
The sorrow of a contrite heart—
These things shall never die.

The memory of a clasped hand,
The pressure of a kiss,
And all the treasured sweet and frail
That make up life's first bliss.
If were a deep, unchanging faith,
And hope, trust and love,
Those bonds have clasped and they have
met,
These things shall never die.

The cruel and the bitter word
That wounded as it fell,
The chilling want of sympathy
We feel but never tell—
The hard repulse that chill's the heart
Whose hopes were bounding high,
In unrelenting record kept—
These things shall never die.

Let nothing pass, for every hand
Must help some work to do;
Lose not a chance to waken love—
Be firm and just and true,
So shall a light that can not fade
Beam in the darkest night,
And angels voices say to thee—
These things shall never die.

—*All the Year Round.*

MIRIAM DOUGLAS.

"I'm sorry to interrupt you, sir, but the lock on your sachel is broken, making the things unsafe, besides being a very shabby old bag, sir, begging your pardon." So quoth Eliza, relict of Josiah Nims, the sexton, to her lodger, Rev. Julius Byron.

"What a bore," exclaimed this gentleman, "when I really haven't the time to attend to anything but these letters!"

"I have an errand which takes me past Piper and Tipson's! I could buy you a new sachel, if you would trust me. Going among all those fine people at the wedding with your lock tied up with a bit of string wouldn't do at all, sir."

"Thank you, Mrs. Nims; I have great trust in your judgment, and should be obliged if you would attend to the matter for me and save my going into town."

As the door closed after his landlady Rev. Julius Byron resumed his writing with a sigh of relief. As he sat leaning his head on his disengaged hand—a hand beautiful enough to atone for plainness in all other features had nature willed him to be plain—Julius Byron was an ideal picture of a student—brown eyes, with a far-away, dreamy look, hair long enough to show a tendency to wave loosely back from the forehead, and a pale, clear complexion set off by a golden-brown velveteen coat, which he wore when in his study. Twenty-nine years old, undeniably handsome, gifted with winning manners and shepherd of a flock most willing to be guided, Julius Byron, as if by a miracle, had escaped being spoiled and petted into effeminacy. His safeguard lay perhaps in a pair of soft eyes which had held him spell-bound for a few rapturous weeks, and the witchery of which had lasted over three years of almost total separation.

Miriam Douglas, dispensing tea and gingerbread to a horde of charity children in the park at Mount Edgecombe, was one of the prettiest and daintiest of modern Hebes, in a muslin dress in colors matching forget-me-nots and her eyes equally well, and with roses at her waist and throat which stole their delicate tint from her cheeks. Miriam was seventeen that day, and the blue muslin was her first long dress, to this the little lassie paid far more attention than to the admiring gaze of two dreamy brown eyes. After the feast there were offerings of flowers, good wishes, and rather too many kisses and embraces from the charity children, and, among her other trophies, Miriam Douglas carried away the heart of Rev. Julius Byron. Had she known this, it would have affected her less than the consciousness that the Barclay girls, her former playmates, were enviously admiring the grown-up womanish arrangement of her bright silky hair.

There were a few tennis parties and five o'clock teas after this, during which Mr. Byron worshipped his divinity from afar. She seemed a little in awe of him and rarely spoke with him more than five minutes at a time. What a delightful task it would be to chase away the timidity from the soft, fawn-like eyes, and how pleasant to think that the sea-shell pink stole to her cheeks from joy at his approach!

Fate, however, cruelly interfered with Mr. Byron's dream of awakening loving confidence in the bosom of this bashful maiden of seventeen. In three short weeks, before he had made any perceptible headway, Miriam was summoned to the bed-side of a dying relative, and Julius Byron was called to a parish in a commercial town.

Three long years this idyl had been in the past and through all this time the memory of Miriam Douglas excluded any other love from the young clergyman's heart, though many were the goddesses willing to be therein enshrined.

He wondered at himself; she had slipped completely out of his material existence; he knew not where she was, or if she were dead, or worse—married. Still with all this uncertainty, he could not forget her, and a voice within him seemed to whisper that they would meet again.

The rapid skimming of his pen over the white page was stayed for the second time by a heavy footstep at the door outside; and Mrs. Nims, panting and crimson from the ascent of the steep stairs, exclaimed:

"There, sir; you could not have found a better or cheaper sachel yourself if you had searched the town from end to end. Piper and Tipson say on their oath that it is a first-rate one, and that you needn't fear exchanging with any one by mistake, for they had only one of the kind. This decided me to take it, for, being rather an absent-minded gentleman, you might easily pick up the wrong bag."

"Thank you, Mrs. Nims, thank you; each time that you do anything for me you give me fresh cause to admire your clever management and forethought."

In the wedding to take place on the following day Mr. Byron felt no particular interest. The contract parties were almost strangers to him, as were also the guests, with the exception of Willis Howard, a schoolmaster of days gone by, and a friend ever since of the young clergyman.

Owing to the illness of the bride's mother, the ceremony was performed at home. It was a pretty wedding, the bride graceful, sweet and pale as a lily in her shimmy, diaphanous drapery; and among the guests was the subdued raiment which prevails when the entertainers exhibit unreservedly the signs of joy and sorrow, the smile and tear both coming from the heart.

After the ceremony Mr. Byron partook himself to a dressing-room to fold his surplice and replace it in the sachel chosen by Mrs. Nims. While so engaged a letter was handed him with the word "immediately" written conspicuously on the envelope. The contents were as follows.

MARLOW HALL, Thursday, 18th.—If Rev. Julius Byron could find it convenient to officiate at a private baptism this afternoon at Marlow Hall, he would confer a great favor on the undersigned. Mr. Byron is requested to pardon the apparent disregard of this notice, as the case is urgent. The 2 p. m. train stops at Portland Station, where a carriage will be in waiting.

STANFIELD MARLOW.

"You will go I suppose?" said Willis Howard, to whom Mr. Byron presently showed his note.

"Of course; one cannot refuse such a summons. It is probably a question of life and death."

"I am due at Uxmore to-night—rather a different errand from yours—a masquerade party. I'm sorry we are not traveling in the same direction."

"I am sorry also. Do you know anything of the people at Marlow Hall, Howard?"

"Never had heard of them before. Are they strangers to you?"

"Entirely so."

"Now good-bye, old fellow; my traps are all stowed away in the train, and I had better follow them. Take care of yourself among those mysterious strangers."

In the bustle and confusion at the station Mr. Byron's sachel was mislaid, but he presently caught sight of the familiar object on a distant table, and felt inwardly thankful for its ungainly proportions and the huge brass diamond which made it so easily recognized.

At Portland a respectably dressed man in charge of a wagonette came forward to meet Mr. Byron, and, during the drive to the Hall, the former discoursed freely upon the existing state of affairs there. A son and heir to the fine estate had arrived, and there had been great rejoicing, but within the past twenty-four hours their joy had been turned to mourning by a dispatch summoning the newly-made father to the death-bed of his only sister in Germany. The young mother seemed to feel a presentiment of misfortune, and she insisted upon the young baby being baptized before the departure of its father. The clergyman of the parish was temporarily absent, hence Mr. Byron's hasty summons. The ceremony would be performed in the chapel connected with the Hall, and would be very quiet, being witnessed only by the father and grandfather of the child, with possibly one or two guests.

After lunching in a somber, richly-decorated dining-hall, Mr. Byron was shown to a bed-room, with the intimation that his services in the chapel would be required in an hour if convenient to him.

There was something strange and interesting about the fine old mansion, so lately a scene of rejoicing, and now silent as an empty church. No members of the family were visible, and the great house seemed deserted, save for a few silent footed servants.

As the time for the baptism drew near, Mr. Byron asked to be conducted to the vestry-room. To make sure that everything was in readiness he opened his sachel, when, to his consternation, instead of drawing forth a neatly folded surplice, he held up before his astonished gaze a doublet and hose of scarlet and gray satin, such as might be seen on the stage in "As You Like It."

Alas for the veracity of Messrs. Piper and Tipson and the credulity of the worthy Mrs. Nims. The so-called unique bag had many duplicates, and Mr. Willis Howard had bought one that very morning in which to stow away his fancy ball costume.

Here was a predicament indeed for Rev. Julius Byron! In desperation he flew to the wardrobe in the vestry-room. Vain hope. Not a shred of the other clergyman's vestments hung there. What was to be done? Even if in extreme cases the church rules permitted the clergy to officiate without robes in the sacred edifice—and for a moment Mr. Byron was too bewildered to think whether this would be permissible or not—how could he explain the annoying mistake to those strangers? They, already so troubled, would think him an untrustworthy, careless trifler.

In his perplexity he rang for the man who had already waited on him.

"Is there a lady in the house with whom I could speak for a few moments?" Mr. Byron asked.

"My mistress' cousin is here; but she does not leave the invalid's rooms for anything just at present."

"Then I will write my message in a note."

He stated the case as clearly as he could on paper, and dispatched the servant with it. In answer the lady sent her maid to inquire if search had been made everywhere in the vestry-room for a surplice. He sent back a word that further search was useless.

After some moments of to him, terrible suspense—for the time was almost come for him to appear in the chapel—the maid returned, and, with deep blushes and a nervous twitching of her apron hem, began:

"My young lady told me to tell you, sir, that, if you would not think it any harm, she would send you her—Oh, no, I don't mean that, sir! She said I was not to say who it belonged to, but she would cut the bands off the sleeves and the lace from the neck, and it would be long, and nobody would notice that it was a night-gown, sir; and, if you didn't mind, sir, I would go and fetch it at once, for there is no time to lose."

The girl's concluding remarks were only too true, and, however much he might have hesitated at her suggestion in cooler moments, he was thankful now for any solution of the difficulty.

"Tell your mistress that I shall be very grateful for the loan she proposes, if she thinks the deception will not be discovered."

The servant vanished, and was soon on the spot again with a snowy linen night-gown. The neck at the back had been torn down to admit broader shoulders, and a linen handkerchief had been hastily stitched in to cover the rent. Most of the ornamentation had been cut away, but enough remained to prove that the garment belonged to a lady of very dainty tastes.

Thankful for this semblance of a surplice and too hurried to feel amusement, Mr. Byron arrayed himself, entered the chapel, and the service began anon. He observed with a sigh of thankfulness that the chapel was very dark, and this enabled him to read without much nervousness. Two gentlemen came forward with the baby and its nurse, and for a brief time during the service the young clergymen saw indistinctly the slender figure of a lady standing in the dimly lighted aisle. Before the end of the ceremony her feelings seemed to overcome her, for she left the church sobbing what might have been a sob, but which sounded strangely like a laugh.

What Mr. Byron feared would be a trying ordeal was soon over, and he reentered the vestry-room with a much lighter heart than when he left it. While disrobing a name in indelible ink on the gown attracted his attention. Perhaps he should have respected his fair benefactress' wish to remain unknown, but the temptation was too strong. He turned to the light and read the name—"Miriam Douglas"—under the tucks and embroidery of the robe which he had just discarded.

Was it a coincidence, or had a kind of fate led him to the shrine of his idol? The uncertainty was not to be borne.

"Will you ask Miss Douglas if she can grant me five minutes' interview before I go?" he said to the girl who came, in great trepidation, for the novel surplice.

In a cosy little reception-room Julius Byron was presently received by her who had been the companion of his happiest dreams during more than three years. The blushing timidness had disappeared, leaving in its stead a graceful, womanly dignity. She was a sweeter, fairer Miriam even than of old, "divinely tall and most divinely fair!"

"Oh, Mr. Byron, how horrified you must be. You signed initials only to your note, and I little imagined to whom I was offering that garment. I recognized you at once in church, and in spite of the solemnity of the occasion I had to laugh. It was such an uncommonly bad fit."

"It was a great boon to me, and I shall be everlastingly grateful to you for coming to the rescue."

A sudden indifference as to the hours of departing trains seemed to take possession of Mr. Byron, and he found himself with a certain amount of magnanimity, accepting an invitation to spend the night at the Hall.

At the conclusion of her visit to her cousin, Mrs. Marlow, Miriam betook herself to the house of a friend, who extended many formal invitations to Mr. Byron as well.

One soft fragrant evening, among the June roses, Julius Byron told his love story, and Miriam listened with a look in her eyes which told her lover that he spoke not in vain. * * *

"How provoked you, in your turn, must have been at finding my surplice instead of the fancy costume," said Mr. Byron to his friend Willis, when they again met.

"I was in a rage at first, I admit," answered Mr. Howard, "but affairs turned out not so bad, after all. I put on the surplice to see how it became me, when one of the maids, catching a glimpse of me through the window, set up a scream, declaring that she had seen a ghost. This brought a lot of visitors out of their rooms, among whom, to my sorrow, was Edith Fuller—my Edith, you know. We had quarreled and parted, never to meet again; but the ridiculous feature of this scene seemed to break the ice between us, and—. Well, Byron, I have blessed the memory of your surplice ever since."

"That contretemps of the sachels was a lucky thing for us both."

"Piper and Tipson and their humbugs forever!" exclaimed young Howard.

Newspaper Editorials in Turkey.

It will be interesting, I think, to the people of such a free country as America to read the extract translation of the language the newspapers have to use in Turkey, no matter what nationality they may be. An Armenian college in Turkey was totaly ruined by fire through some Mohammedan incediaries, and, though the case was quite clear to the courts, yet because of their being Mohammedans the Armenians will find some difficulty in securing their conviction. The following is an exact translation of an editorial of the leading Armenian newspaper, called Arevelk, published in Constantinople, giving an account of this fire, and inviting the attention of the authorities to punish the parties who caused the fire.

"We again publish a minute description we have received of the burning of the Armenian College in the city of Lovrig, begging at the same time the pity and sympathy of his august majesty of our Ottoman fatherly sovereign over this sad ruin of the college, which was built with so much expense and hard labor, and was reduced to ashes in a moment. The good and virtuous will of our august sovereign Sultan Hamid, which is as clear as the sun, and whose sovereignty's motto has always been to give particular care and attention to the great work of education and discipline, according to the requirements of the century, undoubtedly assures us that this ruined condition of the college will invite the august Sultan to be well pleased to wash away, with his fatherly, most pitiful and merciful grace-bestowing drops of favor, the tears of his many hundreds of obedient and grateful children who are in so great need of education."

Editors of American papers would not enjoy being forced to write in that strain.—*Constantinople Letter.*

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GREAT INDIGNATION

Among the Friends of Sergeant Brainerd and Comrades at the Action of Ordering Them to Duty.

Assistant Secretary French Arrives from Europe and Takes Charge of the Treasury Department—Sixth Auditor Appointed.

INDIGNATION EXPRESSED.

WASHINGTON, September 9.—The peremptory manner in which Sergeants Brainerd and Long and Private Connell were ordered back to duty at Portsmouth, N. H., because they proposed to exhibit themselves and lecture to obtain a little extra cash, has aroused some feeling among their friends, and they have a good many among the rank and file who express surprise that Lieutenant Dapenhower, when he returned from the wreck of the Jeannette, should have been allowed to do this very thing without any interference from his superiors. Secretary Hunt considered Dapenhower unfit to join in the search for Delong and he was ordered home and other officers sent from this country to assist Engineer Melville in his work of searching for the ill-fated commander and his companions. Dapenhower went about the country delivering lectures and putting money in his purse, while these survivors of the Greely expedition, who suffered infinitely more and deserves fully as much license as was granted the unfortunate Dapenhower, are at the outset of an effort to make a little money by the lecturing and exhibition business deprived of further leave of absence, and ordered back to duty. The whole business may be degrading upon the dignity that should characterize a public servant, but invidious discrimination is likely to create some comments whichever it occurs.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The President yesterday appointed Robert F. Crowell, of Minnesota, Sixth Auditor of the Treasury vice Ela, deceased, and Elwin A. Clifford, who is now Chief of the Examining Division of the Postoffice Department, Deputy Sixth Auditor.

The acting Comptroller of the Currency has directed Examiner Shelly to take charge of the National Bank of New Jersey, at New Brunswick, and report upon the advisability of appointing a receiver.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury French arrived from Europe yesterday and assumed the duties of Secretary of the Treasury. Assistant Secretary Coon left in the afternoon for Geneva, N. Y., to attend the funeral of the late Secretary Folger.

Secretary Lincoln returned to Washington Saturday evening and was at the department yesterday. He will leave at ten o'clock tonight for Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, accompanying the remains of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Lincoln.

THREE SUICIDES.

The President, Cashier and a Depositor of the National Bank of New Brunswick, N. J., Commit Suicide.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., September 9.—Marion Runyon, President of the National Bank of New Brunswick, cut his throat from ear to ear in a closet of the bank yesterday morning. It is supposed that he was connected with the defalcation of Cashier Hill who committed suicide the other day. The greatest excitement prevails and the front of the bank is crowded with men and women clamoring for their money. The bank did not open yesterday and long before ten o'clock there was a prospect of a big run as it had been whispered that startling revelations would be made as soon as the Bank Examiner began his work. The officials refused all information, but the rumor that the defalcation would reach $500,000, if not more, was generally believed. It is reported that Runyon said before he died: "There is about one million gone." The Bank Examiners were about to arrest him. Runyon has been President of the bank for five years. He was about sixty years of age, and had been a farmer for many years and resided on the homestead about a mile from here. Runyon was not generally regarded as much of a financier, the late Cashier Hill being considered as running the institution pretty much his own way and Runyon not appearing as of much consequence. Runyon leaves a wife and four children. His suicide strengthens the belief of great frauds in the management of the bank. The National bank is in chaos. Over $1,000,000 was stolen by Hill. The city is wild with excitement. Crowds blockade Church street, where the bank stands. Acting Cashier Campbell is expected to be arrested for complicity in the conspiracy.

Walter Carroll, a depositor, also cut his throat. The mob threaten to burst open the doors and is only subdued by a large force of police.

The "Corn Exchange Regiment" Unveils a Monument.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., September 9.—About two hundred survivors of the One Hundred and Eighteenth Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, known as the "Corn Exchange Regiment," and a large number of citizens, gathered here yesterday to attend the unveiling of the Corn Exchange Monument designed to mark the spot where the regiment stood on this famous battle ground twenty-one years ago during the memorable three days' fight. The ceremonies were opened by prayer by the Rev. R. F. McInnes, of St. Mary's Church, West Philadelphia, followed by music, songs and the unveiling exercises.

The National Prison Association.

SARATOGA, September 9.—The National Prison Association was called to order by ex-President Hayes. Prayer was offered by Rev. George W. Hiscock, Chaplain of the Michigan State Prison. A paper on "Inter-State Extradition" was read by Goodwin Brown, of Albany. A committee was appointed to take steps to bring about uniform practice between the States, regulating the extradition of fugitives from justice. Professor Francis Wayland, of Connecticut, read a paper on the "Pardoning Power." He advocated Pardoning Boards instead of having the pardoning power vested in the Executive.

Illinois State Fair.

CHICAGO, September 9.—The thirty-second annual Illinois State Fair opened yesterday morning at the Chicago Driving Park under the most favorable auspices. The entries in all departments are unprecedently large, and the quality of the stock and articles are in keeping with the number of the entries. The exhibit of live stock represent the best specimens of farm animals, and not only have all the States engaged in stock breeding contributed, but the breeders of England, France, Scotland and the Canadies have also exhibits. There will be races each day, and the entries show that some fine sport may be anticipated.

TERRIBLE FIRE.

The Most Destructive Conflagration in Cleveland's History—Fifty Acres of Lumber, Planing Mills and Iron Works Swept Out of Existence—Loss Over $2,000,000.

CLEVELAND, September 9.—The most destructive conflagration which ever visited Cleveland occurred Sunday night, and a large district of the Flats, fifty acres in extent, lying between Scranton Avenue and the Bee Line railway tracks, is laid waste. Great heaps of ashes, ruined walls and shapeless, charred remains are all that is left to mark where stood hundreds of piles of valuable lumber, planing mills, machine shops and iron works.

When the conflagration was at its height it presented a scene of awful grandeur. Dozens of acres of lumber piles ablaze at once, with here and there a large building wrapped in flames beyond the possibility of saving, is a spectacle to inspire awe. The fire got under strong headway in an incredibly short space of time. A spark from no one knows where lodged in a pile of shavings in Woods, Perry & Co.'s lumber yard, situated between Carter Street and the river. A watchman who saw the little blaze between two piles of lumber made all haste to turn in an alarm from the nearest box. The officials of the Fire Department always dread to hear an alarm come in from box 13. Not because they have a superstitious prejudice against the number "13," but because they have felt for years that the location is a very dangerous one on account of the highly inflammable nature of the property there, the difficulty of getting at it and the insufficient number of water pipes. So when box 13 sounded over the line the response of the district battalion was even more than usually prompt, and the Chief and his assistants were on the ground in the quickest possible time. Yet, speedily as the firemen reached the place, it was plain when they arrived that a monster conflagration would ensue, and immediately every available engine in the city was called out, and ere long telegrams were sent to Akron, Canton, Elyria, Sandusky, Painesville, Columbus, Delaware, Youngstown and even as far as Toledo and Erie asking for assistance in the way of fire engines and men to work them. The responses which came from those places straightway were of the most gratifying nature. Each city which had a fire company to spare made haste to start it, and the railway companies furnished special trains to hurry men and machines to the conflagration.

As the fire spread it was deemed a wise precaution to call out the militia for police duty in case their services should become necessary. Accordingly every engine house bell in the city was set ringing and the members of the First Battery, Cleveland Grays and of the Fifth Regiment responded they were ordered to the City Armory to hold themselves in readiness for duty for assisting the fireman and in guarding property from thieves.

The red glare which lighted the sky above the Flats and the wild clanging of fire bells caused the most intense excitement. The entire population of the city was out of doors and it looked as if pretty nearly all the inhabitants were crowded into the streets, on the bridges and along the river docks in the neighborhood of the fire or were occupying every eligible inch of ground on the bluffs which surround the Flats.

The weather had been very dry for several weeks and people were in trepidation for fear that the whole town was doomed to destruction. The fickle breeze first scattered the sparks over the down town district, Monumental Park and Seneca street receiving the heaviest baptism of fire. Then the wind carried the blazing cinders eastwardly and distributed them for two miles or more along Euclid Avenue, Prospect and parallel streets. Some of the lawns presented the appearance of having been dressed with charcoal. The cinders burned while carried about by the wind but on touching any object ceased to blaze. The wind shifted again and smoke and sparks were borne out over the lake. Presently another change came and almost a gale blew from the lake. Then the wind subsided and smoke and sparks ascended in almost a straight direction until the fickle current in the upper air caught those tawny, bright studded clouds and whirled them first one way and then another, tearing them into fantastic shapes and frequently dashing large patches back into the vortex over the Flats. By midnight the sparks were much less abundant, as the lumber to feed the flames became scarcer, and consequently danger was to that extent abated, but in another hour the rapacious flames had crossed the Bee Line embankment, which it was hoped would prove a barrier, and found fresh provender in the lumber yards there.

Although the conflagration was under control by two o'clock, the fire burned all night, and six of the home engines and all the foreign companies were playing on the smouldering ruins all next day. It was a terrible night for the firemen. The intensity of the heat can scarcely be described so that a person can realize it. Yet some notion may be gained from the fact that the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis Railway bridge over the river, which one would suppose was far enough away not to be affected, was swung early in the evening because the heat was perceptibly expanding the iron draw, and it had not been open long before it had lengthened too much to be shut without injury. To such blistering heat were the firemen exposed at short range.

It was necessary for them to wet each other freely and frequently from the streams playing on the fire. It is wonderful that no life was lost and no serious accident happened. Hundreds of citizens braved the danger to assist the heroic firemen.

The progress of the fire may be divided into four chapters. After starting, the flames extended west to the lumber yards of Potter, Birdsall & Co., and east to C. G. King & Co. extending from Scranton Avenue to the Bee Line, and from the river to Cutter Street, eating up thirty-five million feet of lumber, twenty-seven cars of the Bee Line loaded with merchandise and other incidentals, such as office buildings, shanties and stables.

Having swept away this square, the flames leaped across the river on the north and across the Bee Line embankment on the west, and eat their way into the rear of Sherwin, Williams & Co.'s works and G. A. Stanley's lard oil and candle factory on the north, while attacking Hubbell & Westoveris lumber yard on the west. Considerable damage was done here, but the flames were isolated after a desperate fight and their progress was checked in this direction.

Having destroyed everything north of Carter Street, the fire made its way across the street, going south and attacking the Variety Iron Works, Eynon & Co.'s machine shop, House & Davidson's box factory and planing mill and the Howells Coal Co.'s yards, wholly wiping out everything embraced between Carter, Bayford and Vaillard streets and Scranton Avenue. Step by step the flames were fought, but unsuccessfully. The fire burned itself out in a southerly direction and then stopped.

Big skating rink to be built at Ypsilanti.

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Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.

This most interesting publication is conducted with liberality, enterprise and talent; in fact, the name of the editor, T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., is a voucher for its excellence. The October number is filled with contributions in prose and poetry by some of the most popular writers, and the illustrations are numerous and meritorious. Among the contents are articles by Rev. Geo. T. Rider, Mrs. Robbins, A. E. Alexander, Hervey, J. Alex. Patten, etc.; sermons by the editor and D. L. Moody; poems by Mrs. T. K. Hervey, Longfellow, Madeline S. Bridges, etc.; and serial and short stories, sketches and essays, replete with interest. "A Trip Through South Holland," "Historical Attractions of Inwood," "Titian's Religious Paintings," "Children of All Nations," etc., will well repay the reader; indeed, the pages teem with interest, entertainment and instruction. The Magazine should find its way into every family circle. A single copy is 25 cents, or $2.50 a year, postpaid. Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, N. Y.

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It is well to know the best remedy for coughs and colds, soreness of the throat and lungs, consumption and all pulmonary diseases, is Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. It quickly allays inflammation and checks decay.

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ESTATE OF PARLEY J. SPALDING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Parley J. Spalding, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles L. Hewitt and Agnesse Hewitt executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they are ready to render their second account as such executors and asking for its allowance, and it appears shall be expedient for them to render such account at this time and that the balance of said account be by them paid over to the persons entitled thereto and for their services.

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF HENRY D. C. TUTTLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin R. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the expenses of administration thus far incurred, that the Commissioners on claims have filed their report in this court, and that the amount of claims against said estate exceed the assets of said estate that have come to his hands as such administrator, that he is ready to render final account, and asks that the time of allowing and that said court order the payment of the residue of said assets as a dividend among the creditors who are entitled thereto.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing on said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF CHAS. H. ADLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Frederick Ohlhiding, guardian of said minor, praying for license to sell the interest of said minor in certain real estate in said petition described, for the reasons and purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. aug14

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in Chancery.

John J. Rector, Complainant,

vs.

Della Shartz, Harry H. Shartz, and Joseph Lanning, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1884, I the subscriber a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 10th day of September next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of Dean's opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county, (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the village of Tecumseh, at the point of intersection thereof by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27), and opposite of the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day; thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links; thence south one degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodard and now owned by Ezra Day; thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links; thence south one degree and six minutes west about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to place of beginning, excepting and reserving therefrom about one and a half acres thereof sold by B. F. Bidwell to Wright Saddler, also excepting and reserving lot numbered 261 sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton; also excepting a further parcel of said estate and adjoining said Saddler lot upon its north side sold and conveyed by said Bidwell to said Saddler; also excepting and reserving therefrom that parcel thereof conveyed by Wm. Tennant and wife to Elizabeth Jordan by deed bearing date November 19, 1867, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 67 of deeds on pages 183 &c., being ten 10 acres of land more or less.

Dated July 23, 1884.

FRANK E. PAYNE, Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD, Solicitor for Complainant.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of September, 1884, and on the 22d day of January, 1885, at two o'clock P. M. of each of said days, and that six months from the 22d day of July, A.D. 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated at Macon, this 22d day of July, 1884.

EBENEZER HARMON
ABRAM HARRINGTON,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Sirel C. Le Baron, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sirel C. Le Baron, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the bank of Lilley, Bidwell & Co. in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 19th day of September, 1884, and on the 19th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated August, 18, 1884.

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ENTERED AT THE POSTOFFICE AT TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 18, 1884, AS SECOND CLASS MATTER.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 11, 1884.

Timothy E. Tarsney is the Democratic and National candidate for Congress in the eighth district. R. G. Horr is the Republican candidate.—Tarsney and Horr will paint that district red sure.

Tammany Hall is swinging into line and has declared for Cleveland. This sets at rest all uncertainty in regard to New York. That state can now be put in the Democratic column, and put there to stay.

Gen. Butler addressed an immense crowd in Detroit last week and also had large meetings in Grand Rapids and Muskegon. He is stirring up his followers all along the line. He expects to visit Michigan again before the campaign closes.

The Chicago News says Mr. St. John denies the story that he will withdraw. It is indeed a terrible state of affairs when men become so discourteous that they won't get out of the way and give the whole sidewalk and road to their enemies.

Both parties seem to be satisfied with the Vermont election. The Republicans have carried the state by nearly 22,000, and they are pleased.—The Democrats claim the majority should have been 26,000 and so they are pleased. It is a happy election indeed which pleases both sides.

Democratic aspirants for office are popping up all over the county since the Republican county convention.—The Democrats have it in their power to select a ticket to-morrow which will win. Let none but the strongest and best men be placed in nomination, and after the ticket is made let every man pull off his coat and go in to elect it.

The HERALD published several weeks ago that the political prophets who failed to take the Union party into account this fall, would have to revise their figures before election day. Our prediction is already proving true. The Unionists are well organized, have a strong set of tickets, and intend to make themselves numerous between now and election day.

The Greenback congressional convention met in Adrian last week and endorsed Col. Eldredge. He will thus secure the benefit of the Greenback vote which was cast for a third candidate two years ago. His chances are certainly as good at present as those of either of the two other candidates in the field. The fight will be a stubborn one, every inch of ground will be hotly contested, but Col. Eldredge's friends have it in their power by harmonious and earnest work to elect him.

Is it true that a certain methodist clergyman in this district has been employed to canvass the district and attempt to persuade Unionists to cut Chas. Mosher and vote for Capt. Allen for Congress? Methodist ministers, and all other ministers too, should vote as their conviction of duty dictates. That is all right. But when a Methodist minister, or any other minister, hires himself out for pay to travel about among the members of his church, and use his personal influence to wheedle honest voters into voting against their convictions, he puts himself without the pale of honorable men, and illustrates the degraded condition into which politics have fallen.

The Maine election last Monday resulted as was anticipated. The Republican state ticket was chosen. The Republicans claim 16,000 majority; the Democrats concede 12,000. The majority will settle down at about 15,000, which can fairly be called a stand-off. Hayes carried the state in 1876 by 16,577; Garfield in 1880 by 8,858 when the fusion movement was strong. This year the Greenbackers had returned to the old parties, and the entire prohibition vote was in the Republican ranks. In Maine the Republicans stand with both feet on a prohibitory platform. Hence the Prohibitionists of that state can support their own principles and still vote the Republican ticket. Taken all in all the result of the election is about what both parties expected. State pride also contributed largely in giving Blaine a good send-off in his own state.

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The publication of the Union Light for the past few months in the interest of prohibition, has impressed the friends of the cause of the importance of having a local medium through which candid and searching people could become informed upon the greatest question of the day.

Through the courtesy of the proprietor and editor of the HERALD, a committee of the Union Party has assumed the management of one or two columns on this page, which will be known as a Temperance Department, and conducted in the interest of the above ticket which represents the principle of political prohibition.

It is not our intention to misrepresent, exaggerate, or do any mud slinging, as is common in politics, but instead, to discuss fairly and impartially the issue of the Union party. This department will be open to any of its readers for brief articles, pro and con; also for notices for public meetings in the interest of the cause of temperance. All communications must be received Monday of each week, if inserted the same week, but notices of meetings can be used if received as late as Wednesday. Address Temperance Department of Tecumseh HERALD.

STATE TICKET.

For Governor—David Preston, of Wayne.
For Lieut. Gov.—Alonzo Sherwood, of Berrien.
For Secretary of State—Zacheus Chase, of Genesee.
For State Treasurer—A. B. Cheney, of Kent.
For Auditor General—G. E. Downing, of Marquette.
For Commissioner of Land Office—W. W. Barnhart, of Muskegon.
For Attorney General—J. H. Tatem, of Kent.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—J. B. Steere, of Washtenaw.
For Member of state Board of Education—I. W. McKeever, of Allegan.
For Representative in Congress, 2d. district—Charles Mosher, of Hillsdale.

COUNTY TICKET.

For State Senator—Zachariah Cook, of Raisin.
For Judge of Probate—Prof. E. G. Walker, of Palmyra.
For County Sheriff—James K. Johnson, of Adrian.
For County Clerk—W. H. Moore, of Palmyra.
For Register of Deeds—Aaron J. Kempton, of Woodstock.
For County Treasurer—C. D. West, of Madison.
For Prosecuting Attorney—
For Circuit Court Commissioners—
For County Surveyor—C. E. Mitchell, of Madison.
For Coroners—Ira Ladd, Wyron Sweet, Adrian.

FOR LEGISLATURE.

For 1st. District—Geo. Humphrey, Lenawee Junction.
For 2nd. District—William K. Green, of Adrian.
For 3d. dist.—Porter Bean, of Hollis.

Candidates for Prosecuting Attorney and Circuit Court Commissioners were left to be selected by the County committee.

For platform adopted at the State convention see first page of last week's HERALD.

"The Prohibition of the liquor traffic is the demand of the People, and the politicians and statesmen who fail to heed it are only treasuring up for themselves wrath against the day of wrath, political politics, enthusiastic campaigns, notwithstanding. The day has come when men cannot and will not give their suffrage to the party that licenses and protects the liquor crime."—N. Y. Tribune.

Arrangements have been completed for Prof. Dickie to address Prohibition meetings in the county, as follows.

Palmyra—Friday, Sept. 12th, at 2 P. M.
Blissfield—Friday evening, Sept 12.
Tecumseh—Saturday Sept. 13th at 3 P. M.
Clinton—Saturday evening, Sept. 13th.

This will be the only opportunity for the people of Tecumseh and vicinity to hear Prof. Dickie. The surrounding townships should avail themselves of hearing perhaps the best advocate of the Union party movement that Michigan has.

The work of the Prohibition County and Congressional convention held Aug. 30th, was admirably well done. The county ticket is an exceptionably strong one, and will receive special notice hereafter. The congressional candidate, Hon. Charles Mosher of Hillsdale county, needs no special commendation at this time, being known as one of the best friends of prohibition in the State. He was the father of the so-called Mosher bill, which would have given us a prohibitory law six years ago, had it not been for the stubborn opposition made by the old parties, especially the Republican party, in order to save the whisky vote to their respective parties.

Many temperance republicans claim to be much grieved because their nominee for congress, Mr. Allen, was not endorsed by the Prohibitionists. If the prohibitionists were advocating men rather than principles, Mr. Allen might have suited them as he is an advocate of prohibition. But to endorse Mr. Allen as a candidate of the Republican party, the principles endorsed would be those of that party, because he said when accepting the nomination that he "expected to die a Republican." The prominent principle of the Prohibitionist is the prohibition of the liquor traffic. The Republican party opposes this and has instituted and remains committed to a system of regulation which means the permission and perpetuation of this traffic.

To endorse Mr. Allen as a candidate it must follow that the permission and perpetuation of the liquor traffic is endorsed as a principle.

To have done this would have satisfied every member of the Union party in this district, who having followed their honest conviction of right principle, have landed outside of the political party to which Mr. Allen adheres and expects to die in its ranks.

The way for Mr. Allen to get to congress is for the political friends not his enemies.

Resolutions adopted at the County Convention, Aug. 30th, 1884.

With a firm reliance upon Almighty God, and full confidence in the justice of our course, we once more pledge fidelity to the principles of constitutional and legal prohibition, believing, as we do, that this is the only right and successful way of dealing with this greatest curse of Christian civilization.

And in order the better to further this cause we oppose all coalition with parties which either oppose or ignore these principles, and cannot support men who stand upon the platform of, and owe allegiance to, any of these parties, having learned from past experience that such men will act in every trying hour with the party to whom they owe allegiance. In taking this position we do not forget that there are many men acting with the old parties who are with us in heart, but we feel that while they stand where they now are, they are at the mercy of politicians who will not cease to bid for the liquor vote.

Resolved, That it is not in any spirit of revenge that we wage war on all the old parties, not yet with greed for the spoils of office, but with the one grand object of maintaining principles dear to us, even though we should suffer defeat after defeat in their support.

Resolved, That we thankfully accept the action of the state convention in selecting David Preston to be our standard bearer, recognizing in him a strong candidate, and a worthy noble Christian man, to whom we can point with pride.

Resolved, That we recognize in the other nominees of the convention, worthy leaders of the people in the state campaign.

Resolved That we indorse the platform adopted by the convention, and appeal to the prohibitionists of our county to rally to the support of both platform and candidates.

Resolved, That we regard the fusion of the democratic and greenback parties in our state as a sacrifice of their boasted principles for the spoils of office, and invite all honest, upright men in those parties to join us in the support of a party which places principles above spoils.

Resolved, That prohibitionists cannot support the republican party in Michigan, which only votes to submit prohibition to the people, with the reserved right to muster the worst elements of society for its defeat at the ballot box.

Resolved, That we call upon all honest prohibitionists to consider whether they can further the cause of prohibition by supporting a party whose standard-bearer is for prohibition in Maine, but in favor of taxation in the other states in the Union, and ask them to join us in supporting the party whose standard-bearer is for prohibition from Maine to California.

Resolved, That all other issues as between the great parties are secondary to the question of suppressing the liquor traffic, and that in this traffic we recognize the greatest foe of rich and poor, laborers and capitalists, alike.

Resolved, That we appeal to all classes of our people, whether laborers, capitalists or public servants, to join us in this holy crusade against the rum power, the great foe of our common interests, and help us fight until it is taken out of politics and driven from our beloved country.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending Sept. 2.

RAISIN.

G. D. Soper to Conrad Atwell. Land on Sec. 12. $550.

Benj. Kelley et. al. to C. E. Begel. land on sec. 23. $25.

TECUMSEH.

Fred'k Bowers to Thos. Hanley. Land in village. $900.

Albert Anderson to C. M. Minor. Land in village. $300.

CLINTON.

George Calhoun to Joseph S. Kies. 24¼ acres on sec. 4. $2,600.

Joseph S. Kies to Wm. S. Kimball. 18¼ acres on sec. 4. $1,910.

MACON.

Abram Harrington to Hannah J. Lapler et. al. 75 acres on sec. 15. $6,000.

One of the most curious incidents in the history of African slavery in America is the life of Charles Stewart, a slave owned by the Johnsons of Virginia, and afterwards by the Porters of Louisiana, both of them noted as possessors of remarkable racing horses. He was a born trainer and rider of horses, and during his long lifetime has ridden the winning horse at many of the great races down South. He could not write, and knew nothing about figures, but was nevertheless trusted by his owners with the care and transportation of their stock, and the custody of bets and stakes, and he seems always to have come out right. One of the ladies of the Porter family recently took down the story of his life as told by himself, and it will be given, in his own negro dialect, in the October *Harper's*, with a portrait of the old hero of the turf.

Morenci Observer. And now a prominent Medina farmer comes to the front as a victim of the busted Adrian bank, to the music of $1,500. A widow also of the same township laments the loss of her "little all."

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A NARROW ESCAPE
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Sleep after fatigue, and health after disease, are two of the sweetest experiences known to man. Fourteen years is a long time in which to suffer, yet Mr. Peter Lawler of Dalton, Mass., had led a miserable life for that period through the presence of stone in the bladder. That he sought in all directions for a cure is an almost superfluous statement. He did obtain temporary relief, but nothing more. Last January he called on Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who said after examination: "Mr. Lawler, you have stone in the bladder. We will first try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy before risking an operation." A few days later the following letter passed through the Rondout postoffice:

DALTON, MASS., February 6.
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DALTON, Mass. April 27, 1882.
Mr. Peter Lawler has been a resident of this town for the past seventeen years, and in our employ for fifteen years, and in all these years he has been a good and respected citizen of this town and community. He has had some chronic disease to our knowledge for most of the time, but now claims to be, and is, in apparent good health. CHAS. O. BROWN, President.

DALTON, Mass., June 9, 1884.
Dr. Kennedy—Dear Friend:—Thinking you might like to hear again from an old patient, I am going to write you. It is now three and a half years since first I went to see you. As I told you then I was troubled with kidney disease for about fifteen years, and had seven of the best doctors to be found; but I received only temporary relief until I visited you and commenced taking your "Favorite Remedy." I continue taking the Remedy according to your directions, and now consider myself a well man. Very gratefully yours, PETER LAWLER.

Our letter of April 27, 1882, holds good as far as Mr. Lawler's testimony is concerned, regarding his health. CHAS. O. BROWN.
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST.—Tuesday last, between Russell's corner and Thomas Murphey's in Macon, a box containing gold locket and chain, ear-rings, &c. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning the same to the HERALD office.

VALLEY SEED WHEAT.—$1.00 per bush. for next ten days. Address at once as below. T. I. Sutton, Sutton, P. O. Lenawee Co., Mich.

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Tecumseh, Aug. 20, 1884.

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LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

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ALEX. EASLICK'S NEW WORKS ON THE RIDGE ROAD IN THE TOWNSHIP OF MACON.

An Enterprise which Bids Fair to Grow into a Large and Lucrative Business.

All the old residents in this part of Lenawee County have heard of the "Easlick" saw mill, located on the Ridge road in Macon, about two miles northeast of Ridgeway village. Alex. Easlick, the proprietor of the mill, has lived on the old farm for thirty-two years and has run the saw mill for the past twenty-four years. The farm has engaged his attention in summer and the saw mill in winter. Last fall he bought a Tiffany machine of A. Brewer & Co. of this village and began the manufacture of brick. When spring opened in 1884 he erected the necessary buildings and began the manufacture of tile on an extensive scale. The old saw mill serves as a building for the engine and boiler brick machine etc. and will be used for the purpose of a saw mill in the winter season. The engine is a good twenty horse power; the boiler is a new thirty horse power bought this last spring at the Eagle Iron Works in Detroit. The drying shed is 118 feet long by 20 feet wide and two stories. The upper story of the saw mill is also used for drying. There are two kilns for burning, each of which holds about 70,000 brick and 50,000 tile, and one kiln is burned every fortnight. The tile is piled in the middle of the kiln and the outer courses are of brick. At first his clay was taken from a bank near the mill on high ground. It made a good quality of light colored tile. About the 1st of July last Mr. Easlick conceived the idea of digging a hole on the "flats" and trying a layer of clay in that. To his surprise the clay was much heavier and finer than the up land clay. It contains about one part of iron, two parts of fine sand and seven parts of solid blue clay. It burns beautifully and makes a very smooth hard dark red tile which Mr. Easlick claims to be much superior to the old light colored tile. They do not crack or shell at all and make a very handsome, serviceable tile. A track is built from the mill to the clay pit and a car run thereon which is hauled to the mill by a chain and windlass. The clay is dumped from this car into a box, from which it is shoveled into the machine. Alex. McPherson, the burner, has had 18 years experience in the business, and he superintends the kilns, while Mr. Easlick himself superintends the inside work. A full set of hands consists of ten men. The works are situated 2½ miles from Britton station on the Wabash and about the same distance from Ridgeway station on the M. & O. They are located on the "ridge road", which is one of the best highways in this section of the state. Mr. Easlick himself is the postmaster at Lake Ridge, and that of course is his postoffice address. Nearly every farm east of the ridge road and to the lake will be laid with tile within the next ten years, and he expects a ready market for all he can make. He makes and keeps in stock all the standard sizes of tile. He has had ready sale thus far for all the brick he could make, and expects to increase his facilities for brick making next season.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 11, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Telephone manager, John W. Mason, was in town last Monday.

J. T. Daglish will paint your campaign flags and banners in good style.

The recent rains have helped the fall plowing and seeding.

The small boy is more seldom about the streets since school opened.

Harry Lee's new hotel is to be called The Patterson.

B. L. Baxter is at home for a few days.

The celebrated McGibeny family at the Opera House next Tuesday evening, Sept. 16th.

We received a very pleasant call from Rev. D. Whiteley, of Franklin, on Saturday last.

Hudson having arrived at the age of fifty years is preparing for a grand blow out in October.

Rev. R. S. Fardington, of Hartford, Conn., will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday evening.

E. B. Wood is improving rapidly and will be able to resume his business duties again soon.

They call the skating rink mania "zampillarotationism." Guess that's right. Tecumseh has got it.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co. have something to say about the stump blasting business in to-day's paper.

John J. Orr went to Detroit yesterday to attend a Druggists' convention.

Hon. Schuyler Colfax will deliver an address at the Morenci fair, October 2d.

Philip S. DePuy lost a valuable horse last Tuesday afternoon by sunstroke.

Breeze still holds the fort in the editorial rooms of the Detroit Evening Journal.

D. A. Dodge and E. L. Mills, of Adrian, called at the HERALD office Tuesday.

Bring in the news items. There is nothing too small for the ravenous localizer.

S. W. Anderson has gone to New York to make his fall purchases of new goods.

Special meeting of Tecumseh lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., on Friday evening, Sept. 19. Work in the second degree.

Tom Kyle and Chet Haynes have formed a partnership and will shoe horses and iron wagons in company hereafter.

Lavern Wheeler has a sample case of landscape views in the post-office. He is taking large numbers of these views this season.

F. S. Dewey, merchant of Alpena, Mich., has been visiting at his father's, F. A. Dewey's, in Cambridge also with Tecumseh friends.

Miss Emma Conklin, who has been living at Peoria, Ill., with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Barney, for the past two years, returned to her home in this village on Friday last.

The happiest man in Franklin is Dell Cairns, and the cause is an eight pound baby who made its appearance last Friday night. Grandpa Ben Reynolds. How queer it sounds.

O. P. Bills came home from Petoskey last Thursday, filed his acceptance as trustee of the school board and returned on Friday. He will remain there until the hay fever season is over.

The latest in dress for gentlemen is the "Father Hubbard." Simply drop the suspenders and wear the shirt loose over the top of your pants, instead of tucking it in, and you have the "Father Hubbard."

We would not strike a woman under any circumstances, but we must acknowledge that when we see a girl wearing one of those horrible garments known as "Mother Hubbards," we feel inclined to give her a belt.

The McGibeny family which are to appear at the Opera House next Tuesday evening need no commendation from us. They are a wonderful musical family and we trust our citizens will greet them with a full attendance.

On next Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 there will be a game of base ball between a band of Pottawatamie Indians and the Tecumseh club, at Bills' Park, Tecumseh. Admission to the grounds, 25 cents. This will be a very exciting game.

The Baptist pastors of this county met at Devil's Lake last week to talk over the project of establishing a Baptist resort there after the plan of the Chautauqua resort. Mr. Beardsell agreed to give them a free lease for twenty years of enough land for their purposes, and take stock in the enterprise also to the amount of $5,000. It is proposed to raise $50,000 in stock, that amount being considered necessary to erect buildings and put the company on a sound basis.—Rev. C. E. Conley, of Tecumseh, is one of the leading spirits in the enterprise and feels sanguine that the proposed amount will be raised.

Gen. Butler has made one sad mistake. He failed to stop at Tecumseh on his western trip.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mills celebrated their golden wedding yesterday afternoon at their residence in Adrian.

W. B. Keyser, of Clinton, is one of the jurymen in the murder case of Vreeland-Rickard now on trial at Adrian.

Shavings! If you can't rest at Temple's planing mill. These shavings will be given away in any quantity from a half pint to a car load.

The exhibition given at the skating rink by the celebrated boy skater last Thursday evening, was well worth going to see. It was just immense.

Mrs. H. E. Stout has sold out her stock of millinery to Mrs. H. Jennie Brown, of Plymouth. We hear Mrs. Brown intends to reopen the rooms on Monday next.

George Heesen steps to the front with a column ad. descriptive of the bargains to be found at the Union Hall Clothing store. When you buy your new clothes give Mr. Heesen a call.

The firm of Drs. House & Jones has been dissolved. Dr. Jones will remain at the old office over Lilley, Bidwell & Co's bank until further notice. The Doctor will fit up an office on Chicago street within a few days.

Miss Ede Woodward, daughter of D. C. M. Woodward, celebrated her birth day yesterday evening by a party to her youthful friends who were present very nicely entertained.

There was a large attendance at the South Macon church last Tuesday evening to witness the installation of the new pastor, Rev. Chas. S. Dutton. Rev. D. Van Pelt of Long Island, Prof. Dutton, of Hope College, and Rev. Williamson, of South Bend, assisted in the services.

The wearing of the Mother Hubbard dress, unbelted, has been prohibited at Mattoon, Ill., because they scare horses, cause dogs to go mad, turn the heads of worthy citizens, and cause the wooden Indians in front of cigar stores to tumble and throw dust in their fiery eyes.

A large party of young people from Franklin and Tecumseh met at Abner Wilson's last evening and passed a most enjoyable time. A good company, excellent refreshments and plenty of music made up an evening's entertainment for which the guests extend their hearty thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Prof. Samuel Dickie, who was Chairman of the National Prohibition Convention, will address the people at the Opera House in Tecumseh on Saturday next at 3 o'clock P. M. Prof. Dickie is an eloquent speaker, and is justly entitled to rank among the best political orators of Michigan. Turn out and hear the issues of the day discussed.

At the Democratic caucus held last Tuesday evening the following delegates were chosen to the County Convention to be held to-morrow. Alfred James, Geo. A. Kies, H. H. Keyser, James Boyd, Frank Davidson, J. F. N. Bowen. To the Representative Convention: A. P. Coddington, D. McNair, Harry Root, J. W. Benedict, J. Aten, Horatio Keyser.

We have set apart a column or two of the HERALD for the use of the Union party in this vicinity. Since the removal of the Union Light they have no organ in this county. While the HERALD is not a prohibition paper, it believes in free speech and fair play and hence it grants this favor. The temperance department will be edited by a committee of Unionists who will be responsible for what it contains.

The new grounds of the Lenawee County Fair Society, near the Wabash depot, Adrian, are being put in good shape for the coming exhibition. The buildings and fences are completed; water from the city works is to be brought to the grounds; the fine half-mile track is being put in good rig and all other details perfected for an interesting and profitable show of the productions and manufactures of old Lenawee. Remember the dates—Sept. 23 to 26, inclusive.

The Republicans had their first meeting of the campaign at the Opera House last Thursday evening. The Adrian City band furnished music, and speeches were delivered by Capt. Allen and Gen. Jasper Packard, of Indiana. The weather was fearfully hot, which interfered somewhat with the attendance, but there was a good crowd out notwithstanding, and the meeting was a success. We noticed several Adrian Republicans in attendance, also the Hon. J. K. Boies, of Hudson.

Mrs. St. John's Musical Convention at Macon will give a grand concert Saturday evening at Macon Corners. The convention has been largely attended and the large chorus has been in constant drill the past two weeks. Some of the very best local talent will appear in the solo, duett and quartette singing and assistance in instrumental music has been secured from abroad. It is intended to make the concert the event of the season at Macon.

SWINGING AROUND THE CIRCLE.

Week before last we spent two days among our friends in the country and last week two days more. By a slight confusion of dates and a slight draft upon the imagination we can consolidate the two trips into one, and make a respectable chapter of our wanderings.

Starting out one fine morning with the thermometer in the eighties and the determination of making at least fifteen calls that day, we, first, but it was at Isaac C. Hendershot's on the old Saline road, who now owns and lives upon the old Stones farm. Mr. Hendershot lets the boys run the farm while he devotes his time, as of yore, to building barns. He is now at work upon a large barn for John Clarkson in Macon.

Geo. W. Hendershot was found at home and feeling happy. He works a farm of one hundred acres and is getting a good start in life. With his good health and habits of industry he is destined to become one of the best farmers in that section.

Mike Hendershot was not at home so we lost a chat with him. We know he is prospering however—he always has, if we except his investment in the People's bank.

John Clarkson has one of the model farms of Macon, of about one hundred acres. He has a fine residence and builds a new barn nearly every summer. Isaac Hendershot is building the last one at the present time. Mr. Clarkson has good dinners at his house also, as we found out after a personal trial.

Frank DePuy is well fixed and has as fine a farm as any man need ask for. He has a quarter section in the southwest corner of Macon, and although his farm is off the main thorough-fare between Ridgeway and Tecumseh it is a beautiful farm and a most pleasant home. Mr. DePuy's business operations are quite extensive and he takes considerable interest in politics as a pastime.

Frank Davidson's "Brook Farm" makes him a most pleasant home. He has the John Whitenack homestead together with a good slice of "Uncle Sims" old farm. An evening at Frank's with your girl is most agreeably spent. His ambition is to farm it well, enjoy life and bring up his family in the way they should go, and we have every reason to believe that his ambition is fully realized.

Wm. R. Wilson still abides on the old homestead. The children have all left home and started in life for themselves, while Mr. Wilson still runs the old farm of 175 acres and takes an especial pride in raising big wheat crops.

We halted at Sam Rappleye's, hitched the horse under the maples and went to the house. No one was in, but we found two large baskets of pears in the kitchen. We sampled a few of them and filled our pockets, and just then the family dog appeared on the scene. Carlo showed his teeth, elevated his caudal appendage and proceeded to say in the most emphatic dog language that he considered us an intruder, and we'd better light out. So we lit out.

Hastening on we arrived at Mike Martin's at high noon, and accepted an invitation to dine with him. Mr. Martin is managing his new place and also twenty acres on the old farm, having one hundred acres in all to take care of. He also assists Milan Sage every fall in his sorgum business. He has boiled sap for many years and understands all the details of making good molasses. Our visit at Mr. Martin's was a very pleasant one.

Our next stop was at Alex. Easlick's on the Ridge, where we spent an hour in looking over his brick & tile works. The result of our observations is recorded in another column.

We passed a couple of hours to good advantage, circulating around the village of Ridgeway. At the last school meeting, a vote was passed to raise $3000 for the erection of a new schoolhouse, something which the village has needed for many years. The project of a new grist mill is assuming shape, and work upon it will be commenced at an early day. G. W. Clark & Son still hold forth at the old corner store. Peter Sharp, the veteran postmaster of these parts is still at work for "Uncle Sam" and retailing drugs, groceries and notions to a regular line of customers. S. P. Smith has a good trade in the grocery line and seems to be satisfied with the general outlook. Coryell, Lawton & Co., are working up a good trade in hardware, while S. Helm's harness shop has become a fixture in his fine new building.

Warren Jones manages the old Hall farm south of the village. He cultivates 200 acres of land, harvested 34 acres of wheat this year which yielded abundantly. He is very handsomely situated. As our call here was after dark, we had to forego the pleasure of looking over the farm.

G. P. Waring is fully engrossed with business and politics. His new residence is a model of beauty and convenience, and he is now grading down the lawn and putting a fountain in front of the house. He still conducts the undertaking business and owns an interest in the saw mill at Britton. He is an enthusiastic Unionist, being one of the electors on the St. John & Daniel ticket, and is frequently called upon to make speeches in behalf of the prohibition candidates, and they say he makes a first rate speech too.

Wm. H. Arner is still making wagons and dispensing justice as of yore, although business is rather dull now in both lines. Justice court business is not what it was in an early day, when horse trades were of almost daily occurrence and about half of them ended in a law suit. But his Honor holds the scales of justice evenly when litigants give him a chance.

Jay A. Santus is the same good natured mortal he always was and is still town clerk. His friends claim that he has a life lease on that office.

Rev. W. M. Campbell is well pleased with his Ridgeway settlement. He has one of the best M. E. Churches in this district, and the church has never been more prosperous than under his charge. We hope he will be returned to Ridgeway another year.

Samuel Barlow now lives on the old Freer farm, containing about 80 acres, and in addition he owns 60 acres on the old place south of Britton station. Mr. Barlow has not got his present home all paid for, but is getting on finely, and will soon be "out of the woods."

G. Pocklington owns 53 acres of as good land as lays out doors, and has a most pleasant home. He had a fine crop of wheat this season. As he is pretty well along in years he is thinking of selling out and taking a rest. Any one wanting a good home and a small farm would do well to give him a call.

John Larkin, although 77 years of age, is still hale and hearty, and spends most of his time selling the Humbolt washing machine, of which he has worked up a good sale.

Leaving Ridgeway behind we traveled on to Britton, and arrived at John Britton's exactly at noon, where we rested for refreshments. Mr. Britton has a large force of men at work now on his new store, and hence has quite a large family. The store is all completed except some inside finishing. It is a fine two story building, which will be used for a dry goods and general store and post office below, and a public hall above. The hall is 26 by 60 feet in size with an ante-room eight feet wide. It will be used for a G. A. R. hall and for other general purposes. Mr. Britton and J. C. Winnie will open a large stock of goods therein at an early day.

Jos. Exelby is also building a two story "brick veneer" building on the south side of the street. It will contain two large stores, one of which (and perhaps both) will be occupied by Mr. Rauch, who will move his stock from his present building into the new one when completed. The second story of the new building Mr. Exelby will rent for miscellaneous purposes.

J. C. Winnie is the manager of the postoffice, and judging from what people say, he is the right man in the right place.

Will J. Clark runs the depot and express office and has become a fixture at Britton, having taken up his permanent residence there with his family.

Dr. Kallock is becoming acquainted and is getting a good ride. He occupies a neat cottage in the eastern part of the village.

Rev. Borden has a pleasant home about half a mile north of Britton. We stopped there and got a drink of cool water and had a short chat with him. He has charge of the Reformed Church which is located about two miles east of his residence. Both pastor and people are well suited with each other.

C. A. Kniffin has a fine farm of 120 acres with good buildings. He is planting the foundation for a good property. Has five children, three of whom are boys, and he is training them up in the way they should go. He keeps no hired man. He runs the farm with the help of the boys.

Wm. P. Emons has 62 acres of land which furnish him a good living, as he is not ambitious to get rich or to run for the legislature. It is rather singular that some pretty woman does not get an eye on that farm and capture the owner of it. She would gain a prize worth working for.

DELIGHTED WITH FLORIDA

ITS FRUITS AND ITS CLIMATE UNSURPASSED ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD.

Dr. C. S. Hurlbut, of Springfield Mass. writes to "The Homestead," from Welaka, Fla., under date of March 25th, 1884, as follows:

All who go to Florida feel that they have a right to express an opinion of the land and the people, if they have only seen the St. Johns River which gives the traveler about as correct an impression as he would have of Springfield by going through the city at midnight on a Pulman sleeper; and whenever two return laden with choice clusters which they have gathered, ten bring back an evil report. I notice that no lukewarm expressions ever come back from the sunny land—the like and dislike is strong. This is the third successive year that I have traveled over the State, and I have noticed that most of the "dislikers" or grumblers are those who remain on the low swampy lands and live at the "best hotels," such as you find at Jacksonville, Palatka, Sanford, on the St. Johns river. Even at St. Augustine, on the seacoast, the same result is noticed. They came from the land of ice and snow and mud; they have reached a land of perpetual summer, for even the winter months are like May and June in New England.

The future of Florida is great, for the early and semi-tropical products will always command a good price in northern markets. I wish to mention a few cases of many that have fallen under my own observation, showing the results of patience, energy and capital. I can point out to you an orange tree which a lady planted nineteen years ago. Last year she sold the fruit on the tree for a cent apiece. It had 1500 oranges and the packer paid her $15. Fifty such trees would require only one acre of good land. In Eaton grove is one tree, now 50 years old the fruit of one year's crop of which has been sold for $250. If one has money, a grove can be bought that is already bearing, and considered as sure and safe investment as bank stock—perhaps safer. A lady from Chicago purchased a grove on the St. John's river, a few years ago, for less than $6000. Last year she sold the fruit for $5000. It cost only $800 to care for the grove. A gentleman from New York bought a twelve-year-bearing grove of 22 acres for $20,000. He remarked to me, "I had the money in government bonds and I thought that grove would pay better than 4 per cent." The first year he sold his fruit for $2200; the second year for $3700 net; and this year his crop brot him $9000. This grove will continue to produce more and more each year for 20 years with proper care.

Oranges are not all that Florida will produce, but fortunes will be made in other products, as two other cases I will mention will prove. Mr. R., in Volusia county, finished setting 1¼ acres of strawberries Oct. 12, 1882. January 12th, 1883, just three months after setting the plants, he commenced picking his fruit. Up to March 12th he had picked and sold over 3,500 qts, which had averaged $1.25 a quart. Strawberries continue to ripen on the same plants from December to June. A man near Gainesville, six years ago, ran into debt for his land, and, after repeated failures, last year sold 16,000 crates of tomatoes, from which he cleared over $1 per crate.

I cannot close without adding that with all its agricultural wealth and the faith that I have in the future of this great state, the emphasis is to be placed on the climate. To enjoy that one must go there and live there. It is a paradise for children. The pure light and air, the outdoor life, give health and joy even to the sickly ones who are brought here, while those who are born healthy seldom die under twenty years of age. The old and feeble come here, and years are added to life, and life made comfortable. Last year sixty thousand excursion tickets were sold to Jacksonville, and every year the number increases. It will always be the great sanitarium of the United States and the world, for even Italy, with all that has been sung and said of its delightful climate, yields the palm to Florida.

The Gospel temperance meetings began Monday evening at the Opera House under the management of James M. Dunn, of Sidney Ohio. Mr. Dunn is a fine speaker and good temperance worker. The three meetings already held have been well attended, the interest increasing each evening. Over 60 pledges were taken the first evening and nearly as many more Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. The revival will continue during the remainder of the week.

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DENTIST. 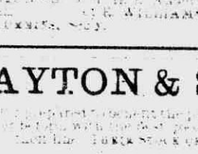 DENTIST.

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What Mr. Corbit Says:

"New Haven, July [illegible]

"Mr. Searles—Dear Sir:—I wish to say for the benefit of all who are suffering with Inflammatory Rheumatism, that your medicine is infallible. I suffered for two months the most excruciating torture; lost 15 pounds of flesh, and was not out of my house for a month. I heard of your remedy, and was almost instantly relieved by it. If there is a specific for disease of any kind, yours most certainly is for Inflammatory Rheumatism in its severest form.

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Modern Samaria.

The modern village is very insignificant. Josephus says that it received its name of Sebastia from Herod, in honor of Augustus. The city has been sacked and plundered times without number. Upon its extreme summit Ahab had its famous ivory palace, and this acropolis constituted the capital of the ten tribes, until they were carried captive into Assyria. The modern remains, which are the finest I have seen in the Holy Land outside of Jerusalem, only date back nominally to the time of Herod, of course, but it is doubtless true that Herod employed much of the material of former ages in creating his splendid structures, in which event the debris represents a pre-Herodian antiquity. Against the city for its idolatry, Micah and Hosea launched forth the invectives of prophecy: "I will make Samaria as a heap of the field, and as plantings of a vineyard, and I will pour down the stones thereof into the valley, and I will discover the foundations thereof." "Samaria shall become desolate; for she hath rebelled against her God; they shall fall by the sword, their infants shall be dashed to pieces," etc. There have been numerous literal fulfilments of these predictions. Looking down into the valleys as we rode around the hill, we frequently discovered broken columns and building rubbish.

We rode completely around the hill, a circuit of about two miles, tracing the remains of Herod's magnificent colonnade.

There were evidently four rows of columns clear around the hill supporting a porch above. The porch has vanished, but a great many of the massive columns are still standing. Other pillars are broken in two, lie prostrate, or are utilized in the construction of stone walls. We counted nearly 100, and Mr. Floyd says that the great majority have either been destroyed by the natives or carted away to Europe to occupy niches in museums. The level place at the extreme top of the hill was adorned by sixteen very large columns. It was doubtless in the general inclosure that the great temple of Baal stood, which was utterly destroyed by Jehu, after he had received the heads of Ahab's seventy sons in baskets at the gate of Jezreel, and mercilessly slaughtered all the priests of Baal, as recorded in the tenth chapter of the Second Kings.

It was very near Samaria that Elisha dwelt when the horses and chariot of Naaman, the Damascene leper, halted before the door of his humble home. Now, as then, leprosy holds carnival in Damascus, and is regarded as incurable as it was by the King of Israel when he rent his clothes under the impression that the audacious Naaman was a tool of Benhadad's to pick a quarrel with him. Grasping, penurious Gehazi was made to inherit the leprosy of the Syrian captain, which "should cleave unto his seed forever." Perhaps some of the modern Nabious lepers are the inheritors of this fearful legacy of Gehazi. My impression is that it was dreadfully stupid of Naaman to put confidence in the word of a native like Gehazi.

What terrible agony there must have been in Samaria during that memorable siege of the indefatigable Benhadad. After having traveled through the Orient it does not seem at all incredible to me that the people resorted to doves' dung for food, until it actually became a costly luxury (II Kings vi., 25).

Not only did Elijah and Elisha work wonders in Samaria, but even the Apostles wrought miracles and preached there. The revival which was started by Philip, who far eclipsed the witcheries exercised by Simon the Sorcerer, induced the Apostles who had remained behind in Jerusalem to re-enforce him by sending Peter and John thither. Then was the Holy Ghost given, which Simon sought to buy with money (the first impulse of an Oriental when he thinks there is no chance of getting a thing as a free gift). We were shown the ruins of an interesting cathedral, known as the Church of St. John, in which, it is claimed, the beloved disciple met his death. These ruins are architecturally interesting.—*Jerusalem Cor. N. O. Times-Democrat.*

Itch.

This is a well-known disease of the skin, inflamed and irritated, appearing in small watery pustules or vesicles, in which a small insect, a species of *acarus*, is found. It is contracted only by contact, though it may be developed by uncleanly habits, by filth of the body, as the first case must have been. It is seen between the fingers especially, and in places exposed to unusual heat or friction. It is believed by standard authors that most of such diseases result from grossness of living, or, as one says, "the absence of water, soap, flesh-brushes and coarse towels, and by the use of fried pork, salt ham, sausages, old cheese, fried cakes, cooked burnt fats of all kinds, stimulating drinks, as hard cider, acid wines, and ardent spirits."

Of course, while prevention is best, something may be done for the removal, though much has been done in the past to drive the disease in, and actually poison the system, such as the application of lead, mercury, arsenic, turpentine, corrosive sublimate, gunpowder and whisky, gin and salts, white and red precipitate ointments, etc., etc., applied with the intention of killing something, while the escape of the patient is a marvel.

Now, it is quite certain that cleanliness will do more good and less harm than these violent poisons, such as application as soap suds, thorough washings, and correct habits. If one can not wait and work for three or four days, and must do something fashionable or "scientific," sulphur applied externally—it need not be combined with lard, but with glycerine, or even water—will effect as much good as the poisonous irritants, and be far safer. A little a fourth of a table-spoonful morning and night, in water—may be taken at the same time, using the soap-suds with great freedom. "Cleanliness is next to godliness." And here I may add, never drive any eruption in; never attempt to make the skin smooth by any doubtful applications.—*Dr. J. H. Hanford, in Golden Rule.*

—A well drained farm is said to improve the health of domestic animals that live upon it.

The Torpedo Bell-Knob.

The Man with the Cold Tea Scheme looked morose and uncomfortable as he masticated a toothpick and corrugated his brow. His looks were so unanimously unsocial that the Thin Man Without a Shirt Collar hesitated to address him. But at last sympathetic fellowship, tinged with curiosity, overcame his hesitancy, and the Thin Man politely inquired:

"Anything wrong, Mr. Gosborn?"

"Nothing special," somewhat snappingly responded the Cold Tea Man.

"Ain't got over your Fourth yet?"

"Ain't been on no Fourth."

"Couldn't you get a patriot's pass to Chicago?"

"Didn't want none."

"Tell us your excitement, Mr. Gosborn," said the Thin Man, persuasively.

"Why, darnfy," said the Cold Tea Man, "I am simply disgusted. The best and most disinterested actions of a man's life are liable to be misconstrued, and oftimes the purest of motives are distorted by circumstances into deliberated wrongs, while our very kindnesses bring us enemies."

"Gosh!" said the Thin Man.

"It's a fact. Yes, sir, a solid fact."

"Look at me. I've got one of the best mothers-in-laws in the world. She's great on putting up preserves and pickles and jams and things, and besides that she makes the finest butter I have ever eaten. She's liberal, too, and keeps Sarah and me well supplied. But like all old people she is whimsical and takes affront easy, and when she ascends to the pinnacle of her ear it's a month of Sundays before she comes down."

"But what has all that to do with unrequited affections?" asked the Thin Man.

"Just this. I'm living in a neighborhood where there are a great many mischievous boys. In fact, the locality is full of them. I don't see what people want with so many boys. Common sense ought to tell them that the market is overstocked, and ——"

"A producers' shut-down movement ought to be inaugurated, you think," suggested the Thin Man.

"Well, yes, somethin' of that sort. You see these little rascals have got in the habit of pulling my door bell just for the fun of hearing me come to the door and swear. It's got to be a terrible nuisance, and Sarah and I put our heads together to find some way to stop it. We just wanted to scare them—not hurt them, you know. At last I invented a great scheme. I bored three gimblet holes just back of the bell knob and put powder in them. Then I fixed a percussion cap on behind, so that when the door knob was pulled it would explode the powder and give the little rascals a good fright."

"That was a great scheme."

"O, yes, it was a great scheme, but it kicked. I fixed it all up to work like a clock, and yesterday afternoon Sarah and I sat quiet in the front hall awaiting for the boys to come and take a pull. Presently we heard a step on the front stoop, and Sarah says, 'There they come!' 'Keep quiet,' says I, 'now there'll be fun.' And just then the door bell was jerked and the powder went off with a fizz and a bang, and there was the greatest clawing, screaming and tumbling down steps that I ever heard in my life. I jumped up and threw the door open, and there lay Sarah's mother in a fit on the sidewalk. She'd just come to town to give us a surprise visit, and had got caught on that infernal door-knob. All the explanation in the world would not satisfy her. As soon as she could stand up she went off vowing we were savages and had made an attempt on her life to get her property, and this year we will have to do without preserves and country butter."—*Philadelphia Chronicle.*

C. O. D.

A man who had not been long in this country was employed as a domestic in a family, and upon one occasion he was sent to the express office to obtain a package. He was about to leave with it when the clerk called his attention to the three letters C. O. D.

Pat had no idea what the letters meant, but he cleverly guessed at them.

"It's all right," he said; "the owld man's good for the money."

"But you know what these letters say, Pat?"

"Indade I do. Call On Dad. It's as plane as the nose on your face."

There is almost a pathetic truth in the understanding conveyed in this old story. Many a man is hounded to death by the unreasonable calls made upon him by members of his family who are educated up to this very end by himself, at first in that fond, slavish spirit of indulgence which the American father displays toward his offspring, as if it were some kind of an unthinking mechanical pet, and afterwards on the unfailing principle that they who sow the wind will reap the whirlwind.

Call on dad.

Business is dull, notes must be met, but appearances must be kept up. Mrs. Shoddy is going to the sea shore. "Our girls" must go, the money is to come out of "Dad."

At first he refuses firmly, but as one reason after another is brought to bear on him, like a battering-ram of persuasion, he gives way. New bonnets and dresses are bought, a railway journey's expenses defrayed, and that is only the beginning. Incidental expenses are always the straws that break the patient camel's back. They accumulate in heaps, stacks, and at last rise to the dignity of a monument, under which lies a pale, peaceful man, no longer pursued by the legend: "Call on Dad."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Where the Best is Made.

They were talking about ice cream. She led the conversation, while George sustained his part in a monosyllabic sort of way.

"No," she continued, brightly, "poor ice cream is worse than none at all."

"Very true," assented George.

"I wouldn't eat ice cream unless I could get the best."

"Nor I."

"Yes, I must have the best or none at all. Do you know, George, where the best ice cream is made?"

"O, yes," he said.

"Where?"

"Europe."—*N. Y. Sun.*

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By relying on testimonials written in vivid glowing language of some miraculous cures made by some largely puffed up doctor or patent medicine has hastene thousands to their graves; the readers having almost in same faith that the same miracle will be performed on them, that these testimonials mention, while the so called medicine is all the time hastening them to their graves. Although we have

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A prominent physician of Pittsburg said to a lady patient who was complaining of her continued ill health, and of his inability to cure her, jokingly said: "Try Hop Bitters!" The lady took it in earnest and used the Bitters, from which she obtained permanent health. She now laughed at the doctor for his joke, but he is not so well pleased with it, as it cost him a good patient.

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Jackson	6 22 A.M.	8 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	6 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 41 "	2 45 "
Ann Arbor	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Dexter	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 05 "
Chelsea	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Grass Lake	7 32 "	3 39 "	4 07 "
Albion	7 42 "	3 42 "	4 12 "
Marshall	8 02 "	4 08 "	4 37 "
Battle Creek	8 22 "	4 42 "	
Augusta	9 00 "	5 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 120. Accom.
Battle Creek	7 35 A.M.	12 P.M.	
Marshall	10 22 "	2 57 "	
Albion	11 12 "	3 53 "	8 32 A.M.
Grass Lake	11 45 "	4 34 "	9 00 "
Chelsea	11 59 "	4 41 "	9 20 "
Dexter	12 13 P.M.	4 52 "	9 30 "
Ann Arbor	12 30 "	5 04 "	9 45 "
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Romulus		9 58	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 39
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bakeslee		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bakeslee	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 32	11 11	5 15
Romulus	5 41	11 18	
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2 50	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
2 58	7 35	.....Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
3 03	7 40	.....San ar la.....	9 02	4 22
3 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 01
3 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 56
3 23	8 30	.....Dundee	8 30	3 50
3 35	8 27	.....Macon.....	8 36	3 15
3 42	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
3 48	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
3 53	9 01	.....Milan	8 06	3 22
3 57	9 09	.....Nora	7 59	3 17
4 00	9 22	.....Urania	7 52	3 10
4 05	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
4 12	9 50	.....Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
4 20	10 15	.....Leland	7 12	2 39
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GOING WEST. No. 12 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 32 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 34 Pass	(Central Time.) STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 41 Mxd
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7 20	10 20	5 10	Lv..Toledo..Ar	11 10	5 10	6 50
7 32	11 02	6 05	....Dundee	10 10	4 15	4 50
7 51	11 34	6 27	....Britton	9 46	3 52	4 09
7 57	11 29	6 31	...Ridgeway...	9 42	3 47	4 00
8 11	11 39	6 41	...Tecumseh ..	9 32	3 37	3 37
8 17	11 55	6 57	....Tipton....	9 17	3 22	3 00
8 23	12 08	7 10	...Cambridge...	9 05	3 08	2 32
8 38	12 22	7 25	..Devils Lake..	8 51	2 54	1 58
8 52	12 30	7 33	....Addison....	8 42	2 45	1 46
9 03	12 48	7 50	....Jerome....	8 26	2 28	1 10
9 12	12 55	7 57	....Moscow	8 20	2 21	12 55
9 20	1 06	8 07	....Hanover....	8 09	2 10	12 30
9 30	1 18	8 18	....Pulaski....	7 59	2 00	11 55
9 37	1 38	8 40	....Homer	7 37	1 38	11 00
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10 07	3 10		.....Richland.....		12 09	7 25
10 12	3 28		.....Doster		11 52	6 40
10 17	3 45		.....Montcalm.....		11 30	6 00
10 20	3 53		.....Fisk.....		11 27	5 46
10 24	3 59		.....Kellogg		11 21	5 35
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GIVE THE BOYS TIME.

The old man sat in the summer sun,
The air was sweet with the clover scent;
More than eighty years old was he,
Full of honor and calm content.
And pleasant yet was the windy wheat,
And the workers, busy among the hay,
And the children's voices, strong and sweet,
In and out of his house all day.

Some of his children were turning gray,
Some had gathered them good and fame;
But, in their lives, a question rose,
All of them still to father came.
It was: "Father, what do you think of this?"
"Do you think it wise for me buy?"
"Will it be prudent now to sell?"

One afternoon a neighbor called.
"Friend," he said, "you've a wonderful way;
Your children all treasure your fathers word;
My boys scarce notice a thing I say."
The old man turned, with a smiling face:
"Give your boys time, and they will do;
I hadn't a son but at twenty years
Knew more than his father ever knew.

"At twenty-five they began to think
Father was not very far behind;
At thirty, in every doubtful case
They were ready to go by father's mind.
Give your boys time; they'll grow to your thought,
Turn to your methods, and follow your way;
Ten years hence they will likely smile
When they think of the boys they are today."

—*Lillie E. Barr, in N. Y. Ledger.*

TAMMANY HALL.

History of a Famous New York Organization, and the Purposes for Which it Was Founded—Interesting Reminiscences of Its Early Days.

Tammany Hall just at present engages considerable attention, and a history of that institution may not prove uninteresting. It has always possessed a bearing on the political history and has passed through many brilliant victories and overwhelming defeats. The predecessor of Tammany was the old organization known as the Liberty Boys, which, previous to the American revolution, flourished extensively in New York. It was the custom of these Liberty Boys to erect liberty poles, as they were called, with appropriate ceremonies, and these proceedings were extremely obnoxious to the British troops. The latter often vented their spleen by leveling these poles to the earth. At first the Liberty Boys were content to remain passive spectators, but as the spirit of opposition to tyranny began to strengthen, they became bolder and conflicts often ensued. These were the first blows struck in a contest that ended with the entire freedom of the colonies from British rule.

The Liberty Boys had many original ballads which they sang around their liberty poles. The most popular song, however, was the "Liberty Tree," composed by Thomas Paine, the author of "The Age of Reason," and published in the *Pennsylvania Magazine*, July, 1775, while Paine was editor of that periodical. The refrain was:

"From the east to the west, blow the trumpet to arms,
Thro' the land let the sound of it flee;
Let the far and the near all unite with a cheer,
In defense of our Liberty Tree."

At the close of the great struggle there were many conflicting views in regard to the form of Government to be adopted. The rich Tories, who still clung fondly to the forms of the mother country, wished a second edition of England's Government. The Whigs, who were allied to the Tories in spirit, differed in their views and wished a consolidated form of Government, with a dictator at its head and a Senate whose members should hold office for life. Both parties desired to return to all the aristocratic features of England. The Democrats desired a constitutional form as the object for which the fathers of the revolution had pledged "their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor." Thus, until the adoption of the Constitution in 1789, there were two parties—the Tories, allied with the Whigs, and the Democrats. After the adoption of the present Constitution the Tories and the Whigs united and were thenceforth known as Federalists. The most prominent leader was General Schuyler, while George Clinton was the acknowledged head of the Democratic party. In May, 1789, was founded the Tammany Society, or Columbian Order. Its character at first was not entirely political, but partook of a benevolent nature. One of the aims was to bring the Indians of the surrounding country to a more thorough knowledge of the advantages of trade. It may be remarked that the number of votes polled in the city of New York the year previous to the formation of the society was only 3,000, while Albany polled 5,000. On July 22, 1790, Alexander McGillvany, a half-breed Cherokee Indian, educated in Europe, arrived in New York, accompanied by a delegation of thirty kings and chiefs. The latter were brought to the city by Colonel Marinus Willet, who had been delegated by General Washington to perform that duty, the object being to make a treaty with the Indians in regard to the purchase of a large tract of land. On this occasion we find the first public appearance of the Tammany Society. The members assembled at the wigwam and marched to the Battery, dressed in Indian costume, and there received the visitors, who were escorted to the wigwam. Among the notable persons present were Governor George Clinton, Chief-Justice Day, Mr. Duane, the Mayor, Mr. Jefferson, Secretary of State, and Mr. Knox, Secretary of War. On October 13, 1794, the society, in commemoration of the discovery of the American Continent three hundred years previously by Christopher Columbus, erected a transparent monument to the discoverer in the Tammany museum. The museum was in the second story of the brick building at the foot of Broad street, which stood in the middle of the roadway and extended from Pearl to Water street. The building was the property of the city, but the authorities had granted the use of the second story to the Tammany Society for the purpose of a museum. The collection consisted of presents made to the society, such as clubs, battle-axes, tomahawks, pipes, etc. It was jealously guarded by the Wiskinskie, or door-keeper. The first person who held this office was Gardiner Baker, who received a small salary and was allowed to exact a fee from every visitor. Everything worked smoothly for a while, but Baker soon began to claim as his right all donations made to the society. Three years of intense excitement followed, until finally a compromise was effected, whereby Baker was allowed to keep the museum during his life on condition of admitting the members of the society without charge. The collection, on the death of Baker, was sold, in a very dilapidated condition, and formed the nucleus of Scudder's Museum, which later expanded into Barnum's Museum. In 1790 the wigwam was situated on the southeast corner of Nassau and Spruce streets. The building was originally erected by an English settler, by the name of Thomas Hale, on the elevated ground in that vicinity. It was a long low frame building, two stories high. In 1670 William Beekman purchased the property of Hale's widow, and used a portion of the building for a brewery. At this period the road to Boston crossed the fields in front of the house. This is now Park Row. The fields were the scene of frequent conflicts between the "Liberty Boys" and the troops. In 1783 the eminence surrounding the spot on which the building stood was cut down, thus leaving the dwelling high and dry. A basement of brick was built and a high porch conducted the visitor to the hall door. It was now a public house and a favorite resort of the "Sons of Liberty." It the bar-room, seated before the ample fireplace, the veterans of the revolution loved to gather and fight their battles over again, doubtless with many ingenious additions.

In 1794 the sign over the main entrance read:

ABRAHAM MARTLING'S TAVERN.

Abraham or "Brom" Martling was a prominent character. He had been a soldier of the revolution, and could tell the most astounding stories of the scenes and battles of this great struggle. He was a large, portly man, and an excellent representative of the old Knickerbocker. His son-in-law, William B. Cozzens, afterward became his partner, and was one of the lessees of old Tammany Hall during its half century of greatness. In 1797 the long room at the rear was built, and also a room on Little George street. The former had an entrance on Nassau street. This long room was fitted up at one time for a theater, and a play called "Bourville Castle" was announced for production. The enterprise failed, and the drama was afterward enacted at the John Street Theater. In 1799 the building on Broad street was demolished, and the Tammany Society secured rooms at Martlings, which then became the first Tammany Hall. For some years the society met in the long room, which was seventy feet in length, with an arch ceiling of blue, with golden stars. In 1802 a tontine was started, the purpose being to build a wigwam. Subscriptions were plentiful, but, as the subscribers failed to advance hard cash, the matter fell through. On April 6, 1808, the Tammany Society proceeded in procession to Wallabout, Long Island, to assist in the ceremony of laying the corner-stone of a vault, in which were to be placed the bones of the martyrs of the prison-ship Jersey. On the completion of the vault, the society again marched to the place and assisted at the solemn services of dedication. May 25, 1808. Old residents of Brooklyn remember the occasion and also the wooden tombstone on Hudson avenue in that city. About this time the subject of a new hall began to be agitated. It was foreseen that a war with England must ensue, and Tammany was thoroughly imbued with patriotic sentiments. A joint-stock subscription was started, and through the exertions of Colonel Rutgers and others the sum of $28,000 was raised. A site was purchased at the southeast corner of Nassau and Frankfort streets and a building erected. The inscription on the corner-stone read as follows:

This stone is laid by
TAMMANY SOCIETY OR COLUMBIAN ORDER,
NUMBER ONE,
on the twelfth day of May,
One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eleven,
the twenty-first year of its institution
and the thirty-fifth of
AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE,
being the first stone of the Building erected for
Preserving and strengthening that Patriotic
chain which unites its members, and
for accommodating their
REPUBLICAN BRETHREN.

At this time Clarkson Crolius was Grand Sachem. The new building was seventy feet high, with a front of sixty feet on Nassau street and eighty-two feet on Frankfort street. The large hall-room, the handsomest in the city at that time, was sixteen feet seven inches high. The general committee room was 25x56, the reading room 25x25. During the war of 1812 Tammany Hall was the headquarters for aiding, assisting and consulting with the friends of American independence. The general committee was composed of the ablest and soundest men of the Democratic party, who were all in favor of the war. The Federalists, on the other side, opposed the war. Mr. Clay and other Commissioners were entertained in Tammany Hall with a grand banquet. After peace was declared the Federalist party was reinforced by the Clintonian party, and in 1817 the Democratic party found itself in a minority in both Houses. The General Committee of Tammany Hall organized a very active campaign, in which Van Buren and Tompkins took part, and in 1820 the Democracy carried the State. Previous to this, in 1812, Hugh Maxwell, who was afterward District Attorney, Jacob Radcliffe, Richard Hatfield and others left the Federalists and united with Tammany Hall. On the final triumph of the Democratic party, Charles King, Johnson Verplanck, James A. Hamilton and others, with their paper, came into Tammany Hall, as did General Wickham, of Orange County. These men wanted power, and soon began to "kick in the traces," and by a powerful effort obtained possession of Tammany and ousted the Democrats. Undismayed by this, the regular Democracy held a meeting in the coal hole of the hall and nominated a ticket. They were successful and carried the Assembly by 2,500 votes. At this Adams and others of the old Democrats withdrew, and left Tammany in a bad condition, but the election of Jackson renewed the power of the Democrats and brought them again to the front. The party remained in power for many years. The necessity for removing up town became apparent to the members of the society in later years, and in March, 1867, the property on Nassau street was sold and a new Tammany Hall was built in Fourteenth street. The site was on the ground formerly occupied by the Medical College, which was burned on May 21, 1865, at the time of the conflagration of the Academy of Music. Of the present strength it is needless to speak, or of the present struggle of Tammany Society.—*Boston Republic.*

Boston Light.

The Boston light is at the very entrance to the channel and the white shaft towers up from its foundations in the reddish-brown rock of the little island like a saint in the desert. Its rays are visible sixteen miles away—one flash every thirty seconds—and with the twin lights of Thatcher's Island in the northeast and Minot's Ledge to the southward—an American Eddystone, pillared in the sea—it defines the position of the harbor to the approaching mariner.

There has been a light here since 1715, for the "general benefit to Trade," but the present tower was built in 1783, after the destruction of the original building by the British as they passed out of the harbor. It has been frequently strengthened and altered, and is now in excellent condition. The walls are six feet thick at the base and four feet at the top. The lantern is nearly one hundred feet above the ground, and is nearly ten feet in diameter. In this glass house a man can stand upright, and in the center of it the illuminating apparatus revolves, emitting its penetrating flashes at intervals of thirty seconds. Under the tower there is a steam fog-horn, which splits the the air with stentorian warnings when the weather is thick, and between the harsh trumpetings of this instrument the ear catches the moaning of the whistling buoy anchored off the Graves, and the tolling of the bell-buoy which floats over the perilous Hardings Ledge.

But the custodians of the light have their Lares and Penates enshrined in the comfortable house which is connected with the tower by a covered passage, and when the curtains are drawn over the windows it is cheerful in there, even though the channel is choked with ice, and the winds blow as if they would rock the pillar with its six-foot walls off its foundations. Music exerts its soothing spell through the medium of an accordeon, played by Assistant-keeper Gorham: and sometimes, when the family join voices in "Hold the Fort" or "The Sweet By-and-By," Keeper Bates, carried away with rapture, urgently cries: "Bear down thar, Edward; bear down on that instrument," as if the accordeon were the pump of a sinking ship, and salvation depended on the vigor of the performer.

The keepers occasionally have more exciting work to do than trimming their lamps and rubbing the moisture off the panes of glass in the lantern. Bates is possessor of the Humane Society's medal. He does not wear it on his breast, as bicycle-riders and roller-skaters wear their trophies; it is stowed away somewhere in a drawer, and he does not care to talk about it. It is, however, a memento of the time when the Fanny Pike, of Calais, was wrecked on the Shag Rocks, the ledge which extends seaward from the point of the Little Brewster. She struck and went to pieces during a very heavy northeasterly snow-storm, and reckless of the tremendous sea, Bates put off in a small boat to rescue her crew, all of whom he saved, with the aid of Assistant-keeper Bailey and Charles Pochaska, a young fisherman belonging to the Middle Brewster.—*W. H. Kideing, in Harper's Magazine.*

Too True to Be Sad.

He was a busy man, and she was a society woman. One evening he suddenly looked up from his paper and said:

"By the way, didn't we have a baby in this house about the time Midland Broad-Gauge went up to ninety-eight?"

"Yes," she said, "Oscar was born the night of the Everingham reception."

"Boy, was it?" he said, with a show of interest. "I had forgotten: must be about seven months old by this time. Where is he?"

She touched a bell, a servant appeared, and she ordered Oscar to be brought into the presence of his sire. Instead of whom the weeping nurse appeared alone, and with many tears confessed that the infant Oscar had been kidnapped in the park six weeks before, and that the most careful search, aided by advertisements in the daily papers, had thus far failed to reveal his whereabouts. Thus we see that wealth is no barrier to sorrow, and even into the homes of the rich and the great trouble creeps with its stealthy tread, and sometimes breaks up a whole evening of enjoyment.—*Burdette, in Burlington Hawkeye.*

Demolition of an Old Structure.

The ancient adobe structure that for two hundred years has served as the principal house of worship in Santa Fe is being razed to the ground by a large force of workmen. Orders have been issued to push the new stone edifice to completion this fall, and to this end the contractors are working with all their might. The walls of the old cathedral constitute an interesting architectural study. They are six feet in thickness, and the timbers used as keys in the wall are as firm to-day as when first placed two centuries ago. Many relic hunters are preserving sections of the adobes that form this aged edifice. The debris is being removed to the Rio Santa Fe, and will be scattered along the bank in order to give the street a better elevation. The stained glass windows representing the twelve apostles, which are to be placed in the new Cathedral, will be shipped from France this summer.—*Santa Fe (N. M.) Review.*

—The father of Charlie Ross has spent $60,000 in the search for his son, and examined over seven hundred cases of boys supposed to be his.—*Pittsburg Times.*

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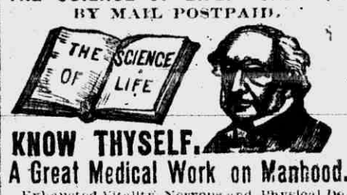

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 11, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

WHILE workmen were [illegible] in blasting rock in the Union Depot at Pittsburgh, for the purpose of widening the railroad tracks, a premature explosion of dynamite occurred, killing William Camp, badly injuring the workmen, destroying and completely wrecking superintendent Pitcairn's private car, which was standing on a side track. No one else was injured.

AT Columbus, O., on the 5th James Greene shot and instantly killed Miss Gretchen Seeling, and then shot Colonel Fair Cockerill. Greene has been paying attention to Miss Seeling, and jealousy was the cause of the crime.

AN Indian who had attempted to shoot Sitting Bull as he was leaving the Opera House at St. Paul, Minn., on the 5th, but the pistol missed fire. The man said he was determined to avenge the death of General Custer.

AT the Free Thinkers' Convention at Cassadaga, N. Y., on the 5th there was a large attendance. Miss Helen H. Gardener spoke to men, women and children. Prof. John Bonnycastle, of Kansas, spoke on Home Worship. In the evening was held a Republican meeting. Resolutions were adopted demanding a complete separation from church and State, taxation of all church property, and that the public services now maintained by the Government.

CASHIER CHARLES HILL, of the National Bank of New Brunswick, N. J., was found dead in his office on the morning of the 5th, asphyxiated by gas. He was twenty years a cashier and well known. Circumstances point to suicide.

A DISPATCH of the 5th from Westchester, Pa., says that pleuro-pneumonia has broken out among the cattle of William T. Hutton, of Westtown township, Chester County. Cows are quarantined.

THERE was a parade of the military of the Grand Army of the Republic and civic societies at Cumberland, Md., on the 5th, in honor of the Society of the Army of West Virginia. A tournament followed. At evening a meeting was held at a wigwam. General George Crook was respected [illegible]. Speeches were made by Ex President Hayes, Governor Hoyt, Judge Johnson, [illegible] McCormick and others. Adjourned to meet at Parkersburgh, O.

A GREAT cave-in occurred in the mining of the Sun at the Enterprise colliery at Wilkesbarre, Pa., caused by the giving way of pillars in the mine. The earth sank twenty-seven inches for twenty acres around, with a noise resembling an earthquake. The caving continued to spread during the day, until it included two hundred and fifty acres, extending from the Susquehanna River to within forty feet of the house of the mine, a distance of half a mile. The mines were not in operation, so the loss of life would have been heavy. The Lehigh Valley Railroad tracks run over the part caved in, and they were knocked out of shape, preventing the running of trains. It will be at least a year before the road can be put in working order again. The loss will reach at least $[illegible].

THE total number of people injured by the falling of the grand stand at Fremont, Nebraska, on the 4th was sixty-four, of which five or six will probably die and thirty were seriously hurt.

FRANK PATTERSON, recently manager of the Asbury Park (N. J.) Opera House, and well known in theatrical circles, was arrested at Philadelphia on the 5th for forging notes to the amount of $2,000.

THE number of business failures throughout the country for the week ended September 5 were: United States 190, Canada 14; total 204, as against 190 the previous week.

KATE SHELZY, the fasting Fort Plain (N. Y.) woman, on the 6th completed the 13[illegible]th day of her fast. She was reported in about the same condition as a month ago.

A FIRE at Raleigh, N. C., on the 5th destroyed two market houses and a number of other small buildings. Loss, $9,000.

DR. L. WATSON LYLE, charged with extensive pension frauds, was arrested in Crittenden County, Kentucky, on the 5th. The authorities have been searching for Lyle for two years and a half. His principal field of work has been in Illinois and Iowa, where he is said to have swindled the people out of $75,000.

THE first rain in twelve weeks fell at Galveston, Tex., on the 5th, allaying the fears of a water famine. In some parts of the city water had for some time been an article of commerce.

AT Taunton, Mass., on the 5th Edward O'Brien recovered $7,500 damages from the Diamond Match Company for the loss of a hand while in the company's employ.

THE skeleton of a mastodon, twelve and a half feet high, the largest except one ever found, has been unearthed near Grand Rapids, Mich.

A DISEASE resembling hog cholera has broken out among the swine in the vicinity of Alexandria, Va., and many have died.

THE Acting Chief Signal Officer has instituted an inquiry as to whether members of the Greely party are really making unseemly exhibitions of themselves at dime museums, or whether they are in a legitimate manner lecturing and entertaining audiences by a narrative of their adventures. If the former is the case, he says their leave of absence will be revoked and they will be ordered to duty, otherwise they will not be interfered with.

THE State Attorney General of New York decides that State prison contractors can not assign their contracts, nor can convicts be employed on other work except by the consent of all parties to the contract.

WILLIAM H. DOWNIE, member of the Chicago Board of Trade, was found dead in the basement of his residence on the 5th with a bullet hole in his head. His brother Charles has been arrested on suspicion of the murder.

AT New Buffalo, Mich., on the 5th, while a party were bathing in the Galien River, Harry Harris, manager of the Western Union telegraph office, and Miss Emma Phillips were drowned.

A DISEASE supposed to be either pleuro-pneumonia or Texas fever has broken out among the native cattle about twelve miles south of Springfield, Ill., and deaths have occurred in several large herds. The State Veterinarian has been ordered to investigate and report.

TEN prisoners out of seventeen escaped from the county jail at South Bend, Ind., on the 5th, by sawing off several bars of the iron grating of a ventilator register in the floor.

AT Dawson, Pa., on the 5th, Samuel Short and W. J. Mullen, heretofore fast friends, engaged in a heated political discussion, when Mullen drew a knife and fatally stabbed Short.

IT was reported in New York on the 6th that Cornelius Vanderbilt, youngest son of William H., who inherited $5,000,000 from his grandfather, had lost all his money in Wall Street and fled to Europe, being unable to settle several large debts.

D. C. NEED was robbed of $1,200 by footpads at Canton, O., on the night of the 6th.

THE Second National Bank of Xenia, O., having made good its impaired capital, has been authorized to resume.

ALL the mills at Fall River, Mass., resumed work on the 8th.

FOREST fires in Talbot County, on the eastern shore of Maryland, have destroyed over two hundred acres of valuable timber.

OTTO D. FERNACH and Hattie and Clementia Brim were boat riding on Lake Cadillac, near Grand Rapids, Mich., on the 5th when the boat capsized. Fernach and Lizzie were drowned. Clementia was rescued in an unconscious condition. The bodies were recovered.

THE first section of a train carrying Dorrit's circus ran off the track of the Glasgow branch of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad on the 6th and eight cars were ditched. One man was killed outright and eight others badly hurt.

THE Florence coal breaker at Pleasant Valley, near Scranton, Pa., burned on the 7th. Loss $70,000.

THE New Brunswick (N. J.) National Bank closed its doors on the 6th, owing to a heavy run which exhausted its surplus. It is not doubted now that Hill, the cashier, committed suicide. His deficiency ranges from $25,000 to $50,000.

THE funeral of Senator Anthony was solemnized in the First Congregational Church at Providence, R. I., on the 8th. A large congregation of representative men of the Nation and State were present, including President Arthur, Senator Edmunds, president of the Senate; Judges of the United States Supreme Court; Governor Bourn and staff and the State officials, and large delegations from local bodies. The ceremonies were very impressive. A long cortege followed the remains to the Swan Point Cemetery, where they were interred.

A PASSENGER train on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad ran over a cow near Wheeling, W. Va., on the 6th and was completely derailed. The engine ran down an embankment. The engineer did not leave his post and was but slightly hurt. The firemen jumped off and was killed. The passengers were all more or less bruised, but none seriously hurt.

SCHEDULES in the assignment of the firm of O. M. Bassett & Co., New York, straw goods, show the total liabilities to be $144,[illegible]; nominal assets, $55,000; actual assets $21,[illegible].

NO. 2 RED WHEAT sold at 79 cents in the St. Louis market on the 6th, the lowest point reached in twelve years.

LADNER BROTHERS, the bankrupt brokers of Philadelphia, did not appear at the adjourned hearing, and the bail was declared forfeited.

THE White Mountain Express struck the East Princeton Stage near Oakdale Station, Mass., on the 6th. Charles Page, a passenger, was killed, and William Colton, the driver, was fatally injured.

JONES & LAUGHLINS, Pittsburgh, iron manufacturers, on the 6th struck a heavy vein of gas at a depth of 1,600 feet.

THE Ohio State Fair last week was a phenomenal success in every particular.

THE General Assembly of the Knights of Labor at Philadelphia on the 6th elected T. V. Powderly, Grand Master Workman; Frederick Turner, Grand Secretary; and George Rufus, Grand Treasurer.

THE value of imports at the port of New York for the week ended August 6 were $7,985,182, of which $2,458,842 were dry goods and $5,526,340 general merchandise. The total imports since January 1 were $[illegible],291,534, against $[illegible] the same time last year.

MAUD S. is in training at Chester Oak Park, Hartford, Conn., for an attempt to lower her record. Her driver, Blair, says she will be ready for the trial about the last of September.

IT is said that Secretary Folger was conscious to within ten minutes of his death. He dictated letters before he died, and read his mail on the morning of the day of his death.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended September 6: Loans increase, $1,454,600; specie decrease, $210,500; legal tenders decrease, $1,258,100; deposits increase, $411,500; circulation decrease, $8,300; reserve decrease, $1,571,475. The banks held $30,539,000 in excess of legal requirements.

SERGEANT JULIUS FREDERICKS, of the Greely party, in an interview at Indianapolis a few days ago, gave the following account of the shooting of Henry: He had been warned several times about stealing food, but he repeated the offense, and finally Greely issued an order for his execution. Three guns were loaded, two with a ball and one with a blank cartridge. Fredericks, Long and Brainard were detailed to carry the order into effect. They took the guns, and found Henry 150 yards away in the act of stealing seal skins. The three men approached within twenty yards, and the ranking man called out, "Henry, we are now compelled to carry out our orders." The men fired, and Henry dropped dead.

J. W. METZLER, a prominent river steamboat man, and Captain J. W. Bourne, Deputy Internal Revenue Collector, quarreled at Vicksburg, Miss., on the 6th, and in the fight which ensued both were mortally wounded.

THE National Prisoners' Association convened at Saratoga, N. Y., on the 7th, Ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes presiding. Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott delivered the annual address. Rev. Dr. [illegible] of New York, and Rev. H. L. Wayland, of Philadelphia, discussed "Christ and the Criminal;" and papers were read on "Inter State Extradition," by Boston Clerk Brown, of Albany, and on "The Pardoning Power," by Prof. Francis Wayland, of Yale College.

IN an interview at Washington on the 6th General Rosecrans, Chairman of the House Committee investigating the various Soldiers' Homes, said that he and his committee had visited Dayton, Milwaukee and Togus, Maine, and investigated the Homes at those places. They found the Homes in fair condition. The report will embrace the testimony of the officers and members of the several Homes, and also of General Franklin, President of the Board of Managers of the Soldiers' Home, and of General McMahon, the Secretary.

G. H. HARGUS, assistant postmaster at Alvin, Ill., was arrested on the 6th for rifling registered letters.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE National party of Massachusetts met in State Convention at Boston on the 4th. About ninety delegates were present. Resolutions were adopted, indorsing the National platform and Butler's letter of acceptance; calling for the union and cooperation of all liberal organizations seeking the success of labor and financial reform; indorsing the Indianapolis nominations and pledging them hearty support.

THE Wisconsin Prohibition State Convention met at Madison on the 4th, and nominated the following ticket: Governor, S. D. Hastings; Lieutenant Governor, A. A. Kelley; Secretary of State, E. G. Durant; Treasurer, C. M. Blackman; Attorney General, F. W. Angel; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Robert Graham; Railroad Commissioner, Henry Sanford.

WALTER RALEIGH BREWER, a distinguished member of the British Association, died at Montreal, Can., on the 5th of typhoid fever.

AT the New Hampshire Greenback State Convention on the 5th George W. Carpenter was nominated for Governor and John F. Woodbury and J. E. Williams for Congress. Resolutions were passed indorsing General Butler and the platform of the National Convention at Indianapolis.

THE Democratic convention of the Third Pennsylvania District on the 4th renominated Hon. Samuel J. Randall for Congress by acclamation.

AT a meeting of the Allegheny County (Pa.) Greenbackers on the 5th, a resolution was passed advocating a fusion with the Democracy of the State. A committee of one hundred was appointed to make preparations for the reception of General Butler on the 20th inst.

WILLIAM MORAN, a widely known Republican politician and publisher, died at Philadelphia on the 6th.

LIEUTENANT DAVID L. BRAINARD and Privates Maurice Connell and Francis Long, of the Greely Arctic expedition, who have been recently exhibited at a Cleveland (O.) dime museum, arrived at Albany, N. Y., on the 7th. The War Department cut short their vacation by ordering them to Fort Warren, in Boston Harbor. Their personal appearance does not show any trace of starvation.

MEMORIAL services for Bishop Pierce, held throughout Georgia on the 7th, were attended by large congregations.

THOMAS SIMPSON, aged ninety-one, a pensioner of the war of 1812, died at Lumpkin, Ga., on the 6th.

FOREIGN.

A FIRE occurred at a sulphur mine in Nicosa, Sicily, on the 4th resulting in the death of twenty persons.

A ROME dispatch of the 5th says a cholera panic prevails throughout Italy. Each town is taking measures of protection regardless of the Government. Sole post guards prevent travelers from entering their precincts until after a quarantine of twenty days. Many have closed their gates. Every one of the villages have established armed cordons. The result is that in many parts of the peninsula anarchy practically prevails, and travel and traffic are greatly interrupted. During the twenty-four hours ended at nine p. m. of the 5th there were 185 fresh cases and eighty-five deaths.

A DISPATCH of the 5th from St. Johns, N. F., reports a destructive southeast gale on the west coast of Newfoundland. At St. Shotts an unknown vessel was lost with all hands. Seven bodies have been washed ashore.

ADVICES from New Zealand state that the large emigrant ship Lastingham, from London to Wellington, New Zealand, was wrecked in Cook Strait on which Wellington is situated. All on board except fourteen of the crew were drowned.

A COPENHAGEN dispatch says that Commodore Hovgaard and the owner of the steamer Dymphna are preparing for another Danish expedition to the Arctic via Franz Josefland. They expect to start next summer.

A FRESH crop of disasters during the late storm is reported from Labrador. The schooners Valeria, Challenge, Isabella, and Jessie with cargoes are total wrecks at Nawtook Bay and Rama. One vessel was lost at Mariners' Island and three of the crew perished.

THE stairs and a portion of the gallery at a circus at Rostoff, Russia, collapsed on the 6th. A panic ensued, and many persons were killed and wounded.

IT is reported that China has called for 25,000 men to defend Pekin, and granted the Minister of War 12,000,000 francs to purchase munitions of war.

THERE were fourteen deaths from yellow fever at Havana during the week ended August 6.

LATER.

RETURNS from the Maine election on the 8th indicate the election of the Republican State ticket by a majority of about 12,000. All the four Republican candidates for Congress are elected and the Legislature is overwhelmingly Republican. The Prohibitory Constitutional Amendment was adopted by a majority estimated at 50,000. A heavy vote was polled.

MAHLON RUNYON, President of the New Brunswick (N. J.) National Bank, cut his throat in the water closet of the bank on the 8th. He is implicated in the thievery of Cashier Hill, who recently suicided, and expected to be arrested when he took his life. He had been President of the bank five years, was sixty years old, and leaves a wife and four children. Runyon's suicide strengthens the belief of great frauds in the management of the bank. It is reported he said before he died, "There is about a million gone." Walter Carroll, a depositor, also cut his throat upon hearing the news. Intense excitement prevailed in the city.

THE doors of the Lincoln Savings Bank at Nashville, Tenn., closed on the 8th. Assets $200,000; deposits $100,000. It is said the depositors will be paid in full, and the stockholders will perhaps get fifty per cent.

JOHN H. WEBSTER, of the well known Detroit firm of Doolittle & Webster, dropped dead of heart disease in that city on the 8th.

AT a convention of the river miners of the Pittsburgh district on the 8th it was decided to continue the strike and to urge the railroad miners to join.

GEORGE OLIVER, colored, was arrested at Savannah, Ga., on the 8th for beating his stepdaughter to death.

THE situation at Naples is very serious. For the twenty-four hours ending at noon on the 8th three hundred new cases of cholera were reported.

SENATOR ANTHONY'S will disposes of about $200,000 worth of property. Most of it goes to relatives, but large bequests are made to Brown University and to city institutions. His employes and some personal friends receive small legacies.

JAMES PATRICK, of the firm of Patrick & Carter, electricians, Philadelphia, died at Sea Bright Station, N. J., on the 7th. Patrick's firm supplies all Government stations with electrical apparatus.

THE boat race between Hanlon, of Toronto, and William Beach, of Sidney, Australia, for the championship and $5,000, rowed on the Parametta River, Australia, August 16, was won by Beach by five or six lengths. An immense crowd witnessed the race.

A LONDON dispatch of the 8th says the crew of the wrecked yacht Mignonette who were adrift for twenty-four days, killed a boy named Parker that the others might live off him. When rescued the men looked like skeletons. They have been arrested and held for trial for murder.

A CARD.

Having been applied to for the use of our Town Hall, to be used for the next six or eight months for a skating rink, of which application very many of our good citizens are aware, and notwithstanding I have told all such that the hall would not be let for such purpose against the wishes of the people who own it and who should have a say in the control of the Hall, and after all these assurances by myself, and also the Council, a good many have warned me of the awful consequences that would follow such renting, all of which I do know. I will only say that the entreaty of my friends reminds me of an old maid who was sitting on the fence where she stood a house now burned down, crying most piteously, when a passer by asked her what was the cause of her grief. She replied that she was thinking that if she should get married and I have a chance and I should have a baby, and it should while at play in this yard fall into that well and get drowned. Oh what an awful thing it would be. So with our friends.

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Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 25	@	6 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 50
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	15
Ham ₱ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30	@	35
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	45	@	50
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
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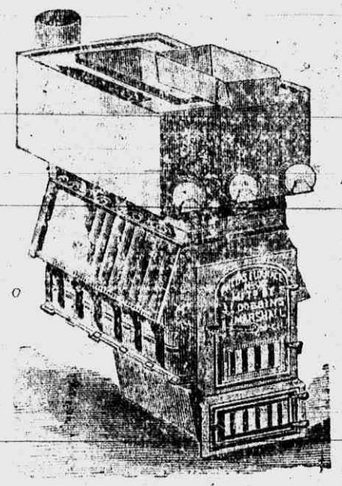

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BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Teachout's hotel is nearly finished and furnished. It is 98 feet long, and few small villages have a larger or nicer transient home.

Continued drouth has interfered with fall sowing, and farmers who leave dusty fallows for an hour's chat with the minister, look discouraged and wonder plaintively if they have not erred in calculating so much plow acreage. They are positively fused—comparatively confused, and their affairs superlatively muddled by overproduction of grain. It requires credulity to accept this story of too much bread material on hand; when so many complain of the need of it. Its cheapness is an excuse for children to go hungry. The error in calculation must extend backward a few years, for when bread was made of wheat at twenty shillings per bushel, there was more of it on the laborer's table. The high price tempted farmers to sow every available acre; but wages corresponded and they schemed to save money. Every machine that would enable them to dispense with human assistance was sought for, and now many large farms are managed by the farmer's own hands, and those in his house Heaven set apart to make pies with. Unless he enlarges his base of operations, so as to give some kind of employment to those supplanted, he divides a legacy of enforced idleness, want and discontent among several of his neighbors, and destroys an unfailing home market for grain, costing him nothing for transportation. This makes him slightly dependent on buyers, his own method places one round above himself on the business ladder, and prices becomes a phantom that soon fades from his jurisdiction. No premeditated plan to compass another's downfall is half as sure of producing the result as a one-sided thoughtlessness concerning their safety. This last is what they have built their trap with. Only think how many more mouths there are now than 20 years ago; consequently more grain is required and more labor to produce it would seem a rational theory. But the laborer dodges between mings and miraculous ways of subsistence. He demands wages higher than they can afford to pay, while environed by difficulties that enclose them hourly in a smaller circle. The machinery was designed to prevent men from becoming drudges, and not to transform them to idlers. The small farmer lets his reapers, drills and threshers rust three-fourths of the year, the same as the rich, and ties up as much money as would buy a small home. Lands lie idle rather than submit them to rent and hand tillage.

Farmers have in this way thoughtlessly arrayed capital against a large branch of labor, and the unment blow proves the unkindest cut of all, because it is coupled with no device for employing people in newer fields. And this is the penalty. Consumption of home produce is narrowed and surety exchanged for chance. Boards of trade regulate prices. If high, he sells and puts his moey where it swells banks to bursting. If low, he s tempted to hire money and wait for a rise. Then if prices sink and keep sinking, foreclosure makes the moneylender richer by one farm, and they name it Overproduction. PEARLIE.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Meeting is suspended for a few Sundays at the M. E. Church.

There is to be a Cleveland and Hendricks pole raised here, one week from next Saturday. Good and able speakers will address the meeting, to which everybody is invited.

Some time ago, in a quarrel, John Kandal drew a pistol on Lark Cole. He is answering for the same offence at Adrian this week.

The proprietors of the Cider Mill are making preparations for a brisk trade this fall. Expect to be ready for business the latter part of next week.

Mrs. T. H. Mosher and Mary Booher are visiting friends and relatives in Hudson this week.

James Mason talks of starting up J. Hand's Brick & Tile yard for a few weeks.

C. D. Smith expects to attend the wedding of his cousin, Miss Dell Hutchins, at Clayton this week.

Our correspondent of the Exponent, says: "There are dangerous symptoms of another attack of a brass band here soon." Why! Has our correspondent been purchasing himself another E flat Cornet or Alto? If so, we think it would be proper to exclaim in the words of the prayer book. "Good Lord, deliver us."

MACON MUSIC.

Mr. Parker, our popular shoemaker, has moved his family to our hamlet. We welcome them.

Hamilton Niblack now occupies the rooms over W. P. Cotton's store. "Ham" is to stand behind the counter for Cotton & Co.

Samuel Hatch and family, of Detroit, are visiting relatives in Macon.

The S. S. concert given at the M. E. church Sunday evening was well attended. The exercises were usually good.

Mrs. St. John gave another concert at the Baptist church Saturday evening. It was a success in every respect, and reflected much credit on Mrs. St John's ability as a musical conductor.

The great ordeal is past. Our school board has finally secured teachers, and school commenced the 15th inst. Miss Wadsworth, of Adrian, is superintendent, and Miss Hattie Smith, of Macon, assistant. We look for a number one school.

Geo. Collins, thinking that he had traveled this mundane path alone long enough, took unto himself recently a wife, in the person of Emma Miller. We congratulate them.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge finished his labors for the last conference year Sunday. Mr. Kerridge has become very popular with Macon people, and we shall gladly welcome him back for another year.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Corn cutting has begun.

Mr. W. P. Cadinus—Bohemian—oats turned 37½ to the acre.

Mr. J. Suydam is one of the sick.

41 tickets were sold for Toledo last Thursday for the fair.

The friends of God, Home, and Native land went to Tecumseh last Saturday to hear Prof. Samuel Dickey talk on the Prohibition issue.

The workingmans concert, a traveling troupe gave an entertainment on Rappleye's square last Monday night.

Mr. John F. Temple is at work improving his house with a new addition.

Mrs. Romyne Miller, of Constantine is visiting her mother. That baby is the boss.

Mr. Robert Houseman was leading a horse behind his buggy when the horse became frightened and jumped in the wheels and threw it over and hurt Mrs. Houseman but not seriously. But broke the buggy badly.

Mr. A. R. Arner got home Tuesday night from a visit with friends at Masillon Ohio.

Mr. Eugene Clarkson, of Detroit, made Miss Belle Barlow a call Sunday.

Rev. Wm. Campbell has gone to attend conference at East Saginaw, this week.

The church social having enjoyed a vacation of a few months, will give a fruit and watermelon entertainment at the church next Friday night. A cordial invitation to all.

Quite a good many attended the McGibeny family entertainment at Tecumseh Tuesday night and were well pleased.

The Ladies Church Social will be held in the lecture room of the M. E. church at Ridgeway on Friday evening, Sept. 19. All are cordially invited. Fruit and melons are to be served.

In the absence of the pastor to attend the annual conference at East Saginaw, the pulpit of the M. E. church, at Ridgeway, will be filled, morning and evening on Sunday Sept. 21st by Rev. Peter Sharp. Theme in the evening, Intemperance—Its remedy. All are cordially invited to attend, and hear the veteran of 74 for the last time.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Who says Holloway is a dead place when we have a political meeting every week? Last Thursday evening Mr. Graves of Adrian, and Mr. Pratt of Blissfield, addressed the people of this place on the issues of the day. The Northern Lights were out in full uniform with torches and banners while the Raisin and Wellsville bands discoursed sweet music to quiet the terrible beating of our hearts, caused by the remarks of the last named speaker. He told us all about the war which was very interesting as we had nearly forgotten it. And the worst of all he prophesied that those terrible scenes would be enacted over again if in the coming campaign the grand old Republican party should be defeated. No wonder that we feel solemn. Cannot some one come and comfort us?

Vern Horsie is sick with typhoid fever.

Al. Horsie writes home from Dakota that he is having good success threshing; twelve to sixteen hundred per day is not very bad, especially where they pay five dollars per hundred.

Alva White is having a bad time with his ear. The Doctor says it is a pretty serious affair.

Lots of people sick with Dysentery in consequence of which the Doctor rejoices.

The chief business on hand in these parts is lowering wells on account of the dry weather. James Lane is having lots of fun with his well.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

The Episcopal sociable was held last week at the house of Bro. Andrew McDermott, and was well attended and a very pleasant time was had.

The Episcopal church edifice is now being repaired, and will be repainted on the inside, and newly papered, and I understand that there is to be an addition built on the south end of the church, all under the supervision of Bro. Ed. VanDemark, which is sufficient guarantee that the church when completed, will be well done and tastefully arranged internally. Success to the enterprise. I would here suggest that I have noticed that nicely cushioned and comfortable seats have a tendency to draw a congregation, and we do know from experience that it will hold the congregation as well as anything else, so Bro. Ed. let your supervision extend to making the seats comfortable—a hint to the wise is sufficient. Long live Bro. VanDemark.

The Baptist Parsonage heretofore spoken of by your correspondent has now assumed a very comely appearance, having been raised a full story in heighth, with a square roof and otherwise improved, until one would hardly know the place, all of which indicates the pluck and perseverance of the society, and may their efforts be appreciated by the community.

Pulverizing the rum power in Clinton was commenced on Saturday night last. He was here and though late when he arrived, he spoke nearly two hours, and only stopped when he thought it was train time, as he wanted to go home that night. Altogether he made a very creditable speech to the two or three hundred people who had expected that both of the old political parties would be broken up, and the rum power completely dissolved, but it still remains to be seen how much good was done by his, (Dickey's talk, or how many votes he made for St. John and Daniels time will tell.

The nomination of our fellow citizen Danforth Keyes, for Register, by the democrats, gives good satisfaction to his party and is considered a good nomination by the republicans and prohibitionists. Mr. Keyes will make a good run—may he be elected, a worthy man to be elevated.

A Royal CHEW, Believe Me!

A challenge. Open to the World. We bar none. On behalf of our "Unknown" Champion Hero Tobacco Chewer, we challenge the World to a Three Days Competitive Tobacco-chewing Contest. To take place at Moreland Bros. & Crane's "Hero" Booth, during the coming Lenawee County Fair, commencing Sept. 24th. The Match to be governed by the following condition, to wit: Hero Tobacco must be used by each contestant. We furnish the tobacco gratis. Prizes as follows will be awarded to the successful candidates: 1st. prize—Hero Championship Badge. Solid Gold. Valued at $25.00, 2d prize—One 8 lb. box of the Celebrated Hero Plug. 3d. prize—One 6 lb. box of the Celebrated Hero Plug. 4th prize—One 4 lb. box of the Celebrated Hero Plug. "And may the best man win." Championship Badge is on exhibition at C. E. Whaley's Jewelry Store, Adrian, Mich. All entries must be made with Moreland Bros. & Crane, before Sept. 24th.

MORELAND BROS. & CRANE.

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The frontispiece of the October number of the *Magazine of Art* will be "The Farmer's Daughter," from W. Q. Orchardson, which attracted so much attention in the recent exhibition at the Grosvenor Gallery.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The democratic county convention, though called for the court house, was compelled for the reason that court was in session to meet, temorarily at the city council room, and gathered after the adjournment of the second district representative convention. It was called to order by D. A. Bixby chairman of the county committee, who called upon Dr. H. S. Wyman of Morenci to preside over the temporary deliberations of the body.

The announcement was made that the court house would be at the disposal of the convention after 1 P. M.

Dr. Wyman briefly returned thanks and A. Chappelle was chosen as temporary secretary.

A committee on permanent organization and order of business was appointed, consisting of Horace Hoxbridge, Raisin; J. B. Clement, Blissfield; Seth Bean, city.

A committee on credentials was appointed, consisting of Ed. Hauf, Medina; W. H. Shearson, Seneca; W. T. B. Scherneerhorn, Hudson.

It was moved by F. T. Clark that a committee of five be appointed to confer with the greenback party, which was understood to be in session somewhere in the city. The motion was carried and a committee appointed as follows: F. T. Clark, city; Dr. Jenkins, Franklin; David Pontius, Dover; J. W. Helme, Jr., city; Homer E. Decker, Rome.

A committee on resolutions was appointed, consisting of, Judge Stacy, Benj. Hicks, Ogden; A. M. Sickley, Woodstock.

The convention then adjourned, to meet at the court house at 1:30 o'clock.

The chairman called the convention to order promptly after the adjournment of the representative convention.

The report of the committee on permanent organization was called for. The report favored Judge Stacy for permanent president, and A. D. Ellis for permanent secretary. It also recommended an order of business for the nomination of candidates for county offices, which left the naming of state senator to the last. The room was crowded, and there was much confusion, so much so that the adoption of the report was omitted.

Judge Stacy on taking the chair proceeded to address the convention, paying it a compliment on its numbers and enthusiasm, and claiming to see in their bright faces auguries for the success of the party.

The committee on credentials reported full delegations and no contests. The detailed reading of the report was dispensed with.

The committee appointed to confer with the greenbackers reported the g. b.'s wanted state senator, register of deeds and county surveyor, and for this price proposed to support a mixed ticket. It seemed to be thot that the demands of the greenback wing were rather exorbitant, but C. Hayes moved that the demands be acceded to. Seth Bean thought it best to give them treasurer instead of register, and give them coroner and one circuit court commissioner. The conference committee was instructed to take Mr. Bean's proposition to the greenbackers, and hold another conference.

The convention then proceeded to nominate a judge of probate. Judge Stacy called Ald. Humphrey to the chair, and proceeded to nominate Edwin B. Wood, of Tecumseh, highly eulogizing his ability and worth. On motion Mr. Wood was nominated by acclamation.

The convention then proceeded to select the remainder of the ticket.

There were several candidates and a lively contest over sheriff, clerk and register. The conference committee reported that the greenbackers would accept senator, treasurer and surveyor, and the report was adopted giving the greenbackers those positions.

The greenback convention met at the Council room at one o'clock P. M. and organized with a good lot of delegates present. After electing C. H. Dewey chairman, and E. H. Baker of Clayton, secretary.

The following committee of five was appointed to confer with the democrats, with a view to fusion: A Wilson, J. Hemingway, Jr., Wm. Queal, Edward Lennox, Josiah Metcalf.

The conference committees from the two conventions met and finally agreed on the terms of fusion which was to give the greenbackers the positions of treasurer, senator and surveyor. The convention then nominated for the three positions

Charles H. Dewey—Senator.
Edward Learnard—Treasurer.
Philip H. Dowling—Surveyor.

The Democrats completed their ticket as follows:

Sheriff—A. K. Whitmore.
Clerk—D. A. Bixby.
Register—Danforth Keyes.
Prosecutor—L. H. Salsbury.
Circuit Court Commissioners—J. W. Helm, Jr; L. R. Pierson.
Coroners—Dr. H. S. Wyman, W. G. Smith.

The Greenbackers then came into the Democratic convention and the combined ticket was unanimously ratified by both bodies by a rising vote.

An adjourned meeting of the Farmer's Social Club will be held at the residence of Mr. John Benedict, Sept. 26th, inst., at 2 o'clock P. M. All are respectfully invited to attend. Music by Mr. and Miss Benedict.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

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THE BALLAD OF THE BABY.

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ENVOY.

With my trusty hands I can build life's way
As I go and sing as the birds are free
And the moral of my song and my lay
Come just to the deed at hand for me.
—Joaquin Miller, in Cosmopolitan.

YARNS BY A HIGHWAYMAN.

A Forty-Niner Who Did Not Go to California to Dig Gold—Robbing the Overland Coach—Neatly Captured by a Woman—Surrendering to an Empty Pistol.

It is the proud boast of Jim Smith that he has passed thirty-three Christmasses in California behind the iron bars of San Quentin. He is not, perhaps, the only former State Prisoner, but he is probably the only one who has been in State Prison for a fraction of every year since '50. He came West with the Argonauts, and never for a moment, notwithstanding his long period of servitude, considers himself unworthy to rank with the rest of them. He thinks they were the most remarkable men of the century, and his modesty does not prevent him from declaring that he was with them. Jim Smith is the patriarch of the prison. He is the guide, philosopher and friend of the younger convicts. He is a model prisoner. So far as anybody has been able to discover, he has but one fault. He can not leave stage coaches alone. Once put him in a place where no stages are to be found and he is an exemplary man.

Smith has not been a prisoner at San Quentin steadily for thirty-three years. He has been out many times, but has returned again so speedily, convicted on the same old charge, that he has not in all that time missed a Christmas dinner behind the bars. They gave him a sentence the last time which will keep him in retirement considerably longer than usual, but no one entertains the thought that he can ever be broken of his habit while a stage coach runs. His failing is so well known that jokers are sometimes cracked with him on the subject, and when he is permitted to converse he will refer to some of his exploits in a way which shows that no amount of punishment can ever convince him that the stopping of a coach and the robbery of the passengers is anything to be ashamed of.

Having a little extra liberty on the Fourth of July, Smith found time and his captors gave him the occasion to talk freely of his past life. He had heard of some recent exploits of highwaymen which filled him with disgust. In the course of a long conversation he said:

"It is enough to make a starter's blood boil to hear about the operations of these sneak thieves who are now working these little country roads. There ain't one in fifty of them that has the sand in him to hold up a thoroughbred. I've plundered members of Congress, judges of the Supreme Court, ex-governors, argonauts, and big men generally more'n once, but these fellows don't know anything about men of that quality—only to dodge them. Staging ain't what it used to be anyway. When the overland stages were running it took a good man to stop them. In the first place they were driven by the most reckless men you ever see, and the men inside of them were true Americans. If they gave up it was because they had to—that was all. The fellows who travel nowadays ain't got the spirit of it, of these fellows who were in the business now never'd get a color.

"I remember once early in the sixties I went out in Calaveras County with two partners to see about a stage that was due just about then. We all had good guns, pistols and knives, and we got them ready to use, for in those days things of that kind were not carried for ornaments. The overland didn't show up as soon as was expected—some accident had happened to it in the mountains—and when it did come it took us a little sudden. We'd been fooling around for several days, and got a little careless, I must admit. One day it was warm and sunny, and we all got scattered, though we had an understanding that, wherever we were, we were to keep an eye on the road all the time, and if any of us discovered the stage, the one doing so was to fire a shot or two as an alarm signal. Along about the middle of the afternoon I heard a gun, and a minute later there came another report that sounded like a volley of musketry. It puzzled me a little, but I grabbed my shooting irons and made for the road. I had just got a good position when I heard another shot a little nearer, and then another volley a good deal louder than the other. Then came the clatter of horses and the roll of wheels—it was the stage. I could see her a-coming. You don't see driving like that these days. She was on two wheels half the time, and when she got near enough to me and the dust lifted a little I could see the gun barrels sticking out of her like quills on a hedge hog. The driver—a hard man that I knew mighty well—had the lines for his leaders in his teeth and those for the wheelers tied to his brake, and he had a pistol in each hand. I never saw a grander sight in all my life. I wanted to stop that outfit single handed, just for the sake of seeing who was in it, but she had got up a tremendous momentum by the time she came abreast of me, and as she fairly shook the earth when she zipped past where I was hiding, I just ducked my head and let her go. I knew by the way she acted that there had been trouble on the road, and I didn't care to make matters any worse just then. She was full of men, and they all had guns. When the dust had settled a little and the noise died out, I crept to the roadway and walked along slowly for a mile and a half, where I found one of my partners with about a pound of lead in him. A little farther on I came on the other one. He wasn't hurt, but he was scared within an inch of his life. He had never been on that road before, and as he said if that was what I called stopping an overland he didn't want to be in one.

"He said there was no stop to them. He had a pistol in each hand, a mark of war with a heavy gun back and he wanted one to intimidate it. Well he came pretty near getting into trouble with his pistols, particularly when he came along so where the other fellow was, but I pacified him afterward by telling him it was all our fault. We hadn't thought to have separated. In those days there were just as tough men inside of the coaches as any you could recruit for the outside, and anybody who got away with them had to be a good one.

"Just after the war I got information to the effect that a number of the boys were going back to the States, and as I knew they had a good deal of dust, I made up my mind that I would have to look upon them. The night before they started they drank heavily, and when they came to get aboard they were all in a helpless condition. I was the first man to discover this peculiarity of homeward bound passengers, and it stood me in a good many hundreds of dollars. You could always get away with a stage a good deal easier during the first twelve or twelve hours of its trip than at any other time. I made no mistake as to the coach I am speaking of, finding out when it would start, took a couple of friends and went out on the road as far as we could get comfortably. Toward evening we heard her a-coming, and we laid low. When she got near enough we jumped into the road and covered the driver. He was a little fat, heavy, like the rest of them, but he was smarter than they were. When he saw us he reined right up, and sat there perfectly still, while one of my men kept watch of him and the other one and myself interviewed the passengers. They were thoroughly surprised, and those who were not too drowsy to resist were too sick. We got half a dozen bags of dust, some watches and a few traps, and then left them. There was a treasure box aboard, which we pried off and undertook to carry away with us. It was mighty heavy, and we didn't make much progress with it before nightfall. Feeling rather tired, we went to sleep, never dreaming of harm; but at daylight when we awoke we heard a racket in the road, and looking out from behind the shrubbery we saw the passengers whom we had robbed the evening before. They were evidently on the war-path for us. I was just motioning to my men to keep still, when one of them, a clumsy cuss, lost his balance, and in trying to recover himself made a noise which attracted the attention of the passengers. They were after us in a minute. We had to abandon the treasure box, and after awhile they got so hot on our trail that we had to drop the bags of dust, too. They fired about a dozen shots after us but when they found the plunder they seemed to conclude that it wasn't worth while following us any further. This little episode taught me another important lesson in my business—that when you get anything from a drunken man that you want to keep you must get out of his reach before he sobers up. That was the case in the overland days, anyhow.

"I came upon a stage once that had a woman in it—a big-boned, red-faced woman. The other inmates showed fight, and it took a shot or two from my party to keep them quiet. We had got just about all there was to be had, and had ordered the driver to go ahead, when the woman threw herself out of the vehicle, yelling: 'I'm one of you.' 'No you don't,' says I. 'I don't know you, and maybe you ain't what you seem.' She then went on to tell me all about herself, and in half an hour she made me believe she was a born robber, who had been wishing all her life to go into the highway business. I rather liked her style, and in a day or two I had come to the conclusion that she might be made useful in overhauling stages. She and I were alone on the road one day, my two partners having fallen behind us a little, when she got to chatting me about shooting at a mark. She said she could shoot better than I could. Just for fun I pinned a piece of paper on a tree and let her take one of my pistols. She fired at the mark, but didn't hit it. Then I loaded her pistol again, and handed it to her, and was just going to load mine, when she says, 'Look here.' She was pointing the weapon at me. Says I: 'Don't do that; it might go off.' 'I know it,' says she, 'and maybe I will want it to go off. Stop loading that pistol, or this one will go off, and I know it.' I thought she was fooling for awhile, but when she gave me the order to march I knew I'd been nabbed. That there woman ran me into Frisco, and I did three years' time on her account.

"I've been caught a good many times, but I never was really ashamed of myself except the last time. I got into bad company, and I ought to have been lynched right on the spot. I had just got out, and had heard a good deal about the fellows who are stopping coaches now without any guns or anything of that kind. I found one of them, and told him he was a chump. Then he said it was cowardly to use firearms when moral suasion would do just as well. He claimed that he could put on a look that would frighten the passengers more than a dozen rifle shots. I had never thought of it in that light before, and, not wishing him to think me a coward, I accepted his challenge to go up in the mountains near the Oregon line for an experiment. We had pistols, but we agreed that we were not to load them. I was a little nervous; but he seemed so confident that I began to feel that perhaps stage robbing had been improved along with many other things. We stopped a coach, and driver smiled and kept still, just as my friend said they always did. I was to keep him covered with my empty pistol while the other fellow ordered the passengers out and stood them up in a row, preparatory to going through them. My friend had got pretty well down the line, and I was admiring to myself that the science had certainly made some progress since my day, when one of the victims hauled off quick and knocked my partner down, jumped on him, took his empty revolver away from him, and began snapping it at his ears. It didn't go, of course, but in a minute the others were on him holding him fast, and the man with the revolver levelled it at me with the order, 'Hold up you hands.' I has always been used to loaded pistols in my stage, and, while I was painfully conscious that mine was empty, I forgot for a moment that the other was so, and up went my hands. Just then the idea of the thing popped into my head, but it was too late. They were on top of me in a minute, and they soon had us both tied up with hitching straps and ropes. Now, that was a nice pickle for a starter to be in, wasn't it—hunting coaches with empty guns and then being captured with one of them? I wouldn't have blamed the Judge much if he'd made it forty years instead of twenty."—*San Francisco Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

"Jist Afore."

"Black-skinned, ignorant, uncouth—what was it to the world if he lay dying? They passed his humble door with careless thought as the dampness of death gathered on his brow, and the children on the corner never once ceased their noisy play as the shadow of death flitted around the open door.

"Chloe?"

Yes, she was there. Old and wrinkled and black, her heart aching, her eyes full of tears, she sat by his bedside alone.

"Chloe, how long ago was it?"

"Nigh on to fifty y'ars, Moses," she whispered. "De same master owned us boaf, we worked togeder in de same cotton fields; we prayed de same prayers an' sung de same hymns togeder in de long ago."

"An' de chill'en?"

"Dead—all dead. It has bin twenty y'ars since de voice of de last one made our hearts beat faster."

"An' we has bin alone?"

"All alone, Moses. Our ole hearts has pained and ached fur de dead an' gone, an' we has sometimes cried out 'come home, chill'en—come back to us!' but de dead can not return."

"An' de time has been long?"

"Yes, honey. We has bin pinin' an' longin'. We has bin on a journey an' hopin' fur de end of de road."

"An' we has bin poo' an' lowly?"

"De same. Hunger an' cold have scered our home fur y'ars an' y'ars, an' de world hardly knows dat we am upon airth."

"An' now, Chloe, I'ze gwine 'way to leave you?"

"Yes, Mose."

"An' de nights will seem darker an' de days longer when I am gone. You'll have another mem'ry to make de h'art ache—another sorrow to dim de poo' ole eyes wid tears. I wish de Lawd had called you fust."

"No, no, Moses. What He doeth am for de best. Men has told you dar' was no God."

"But dar' am, Chloe! I'ze got de feelin' heah in my heart. I'ze got sich peace an' contentment dat I'm sinkin' away like a chile gwine to sleep."

"An' men have scoded at a hereafter fur de soul."

"I'ze driftin' to it," he whispered, as his face lighted up. "I kin see across de dark valley into de glorious sunshine of de speerit world!"

"An' dar' am happiness an' rest for eben sich as us."

"Come cluser, Chloe! Lay your face on mine. I'ze driftin'—driftin'. I'ze partin' wid dis poo' ole body and dis black skin. I'ze leabin' old age—sorrow—hunger an' pain all b'hind. De sunlight from across de valley falls upon your face, an' it am whiter dan snow. It am de sunlight of de hereafter—of Heaven. Cluser, Chloe, I'ze driftin'—driftin'——"

And as she held the hand of the dead and rocked to and fro her face wore a smile of happiness.

"Jist a few days afore me!" she whispered. "Jist long 'nuff to tell 'em dat I'ze ole an' poo an lonely an' want to come up dar so bad. An' de chill'en will be dar, and we'll all be young again, an' Moses will meet me on de bank of de ribber an' tell 'em dat my faith has never wandered nor weakened from all de trials of a lifetime!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

A Burlington Idyl.

As the shades of evening enveloped the huge tree tops in silence and hushed the melodious song of the fresh summer leaves, a young couple entered the park on Fourth street, and reclined upon one of the comfortable and elegant benches prepared for the accommodation of youth. The sweet tunes of the early spring birds and the frolicsome pranks of the frogs in the adjoining fountain made the occasion one of extraordinary interest. "Ah, my beloved Cecilia," began the young swain, "how happy will we be when the church has pronounced its blessing upon our union. Verily, I love to think of the scenes of our future home, where you, my dear, shall be the queen and I the faithful vassal. When, oh when my dearest love, wilt thou be wholly mine?" An enchanting blush passed over the freckled features of the adorable Cecilia. She hesitated, she stammered, but utterance failed her. The faithful lover slowly passed his arm around her waist to support her at this trying moment. Timidly she moved away, but Walter, thinking only of his future happiness, pursued her. A close embrace—a piercing cry and he vanished. Cecilia looked at the disappearing form of her Adonis, and murmured sweetly: "I hast him, it was only a pin! Does the fool think I can hold my red sash together with my hands!" The results of this accident are sad. Walter will nevermore call upon the fair freckled-faced Cecilia; and the loving maiden will never forget the hasty departure and Walter's cry of anguish. (The poetical expressions in this item are Chicago property.)—*Hawkeye.*

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ANOTHER BANK FAILURE.

The N. C. Thompson Banking Company Goes Under for $750,000.

ROCKFORD, ILL., September 16.—This community was startled yesterday morning by the announcement that N. C. Thompson's bank was closed, and that it had suspended payment. A reporter, on visiting the institution, found the following notice posted on the door:

TO MY CREDITORS:—Owing to the stringency of the money market, I am unable to meet my obligations as they mature, and am compelled to suspend. My assets belong to my creditors until their demands are satisfied. Believing from common experience that an assignment would result in unnecessary loss to the creditors, I have determined to apply my assets directly to satisfy the debts if such a course shall meet the creditors' approval. As soon as an accurate list of property and liabilities can be made I shall be glad to meet my creditors in consultation as to how their interests can best be subserved. This suspension will in no way affect the assets of the corporation known as the N. C. Thompson Manufacturing Company.

It is the advice of some of the leading business men of the city, as well as my own judgment, that no assignment should be made. To the utmost of my ability I shall endeavor to save my creditors from loss, and in this endeavor I hope to receive their aid and assistance. My assets, at a fair valuation, I believe largely exceed my liabilities. Please call at the office of the N. C. Thompson Manufacturing Company, 642 South Main St., West Rockford.

N. C. THOMPSON.

It is impossible to ascertain the amount of the assets or liabilities, but it is stated on good authority that he has failed for $750,000.

The assets include stock in the M. C. Thompson Manufacturing Company, which was recently organized, and in which Mr. Thompson has $200,000 of the $250,000 capital stock and notes against farmers for agricultural implements. Mr. Thompson has been in business in this city since 1855, and has done much to build up the city, being largely interested in Rockford's welfare. The depositors in the bank are farmers and laboring people, on whom the loss falls heavily. The bank was his private institution, where he borrowed money to carry on his manufacturing business. By paying a larger rate of interest than the other banks he succeeded in securing quite large sums of money. A statement will be given to the public soon.

Heavy Frosts Throughout New England.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., September 16.—There was a slight frost here Sunday night, in the towns on the west side of the Connecticut River. Considerable damage was done to the late fruits and vegetables. From Greenfield, Mass., to Windsor, Conn., the crops are reported as more or less injured. In the hill districts the frosts did no damage.

PORTLAND, ME., September 16.—As crops are in frosts did no harm here, but in Kennebec County the damage will reach many thousands of dollars.

PITTSFIELD, MASS., September 16.—Heavy frosts Saturday and Sunday nights did much damage in Berkshire County, especially to corn-fodder, which, in view of the exceedingly poor hay crop, the farmers were all depending on for the winter, the price of hay has gone up two dollars since Saturday.

Remains Found in an Unused Well.

NEW YORK, September 15.—The citizens of New Brighton, L. I., are excited over the finding of human remains and a silver watch in an unused well on Jersey street. The premises were occupied years ago by a man named Cunliffe, who suddenly disappeared after a violent dispute with some of his neighbors. Cunliffe was employed in the brokerage business, and it is alleged the neighbors of the unfortunate man speculated under his directions and lost. The quarrel, after which he disappeared, was between himself and three of the losing speculators. It occurred on a stormy night and he was never seen afterward. The affair will be officially investigated. The watch found is said to resemble one worn by Cunliffe.

Steamer Purchased.

PORTLAND, Me., September 16.—It is reported that the Maine Central Railroad has bought the Portland Steamer "Richmond" and "Lewiston." The Richmond will run between Portland and Annapolis, N. S. It is the intention of the Maine Central to build up a large freight and passenger trade between the Provinces and points westward in this way. The Lewiston will probably be fitted up for the accommodation of travel hither from the westward. The Portland line of boats to Mount Desert being withdrawn, the Boston & Bangor remains the only line of boats to this resort.

An Editor Suicides.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., September 16.—George Latham, editor of the Statesville (N. C.) *American*, whose death was chronicled in these dispatches yesterday, committed suicide. Latham had been on a spree Friday; retiring to his room at night he wrote to a friend as follows: "Kindest regards to you. You are the only gentleman in Statesville. All the others may go to h—l." Then drinking his laudanum he went to bed and was found dead the next morning.

Three Fatal Accidents.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., September 16.—Three cases awaited the coroner at once at this place last night. Harry Chaffin, a brakeman on the Pan-Handle, was instantly killed in the yard at this place while coupling cars. James Flynn was struck by an engine and received injuries that caused death in a few hours, and the twelve-year-old son of Thomas Dean was tramped to death by a vicious horse.

She Accidentally Shot Her Mother.

ENGLISH, Ind., September 16.—Saturday evening this town was greatly excited by the announcement that Miss Mattie Sloan, residing north of here, had accidently shot and killed her mother. Miss Sloan was handling a revolver which she thought was empty when it was discharged, the contents striking her mother, passing through her right hand and lodging in her left breast, causing instant death.

Became Suddenly Mad.

NEW YORK, September 16.—Foster Douglass, aged nineteen years, son of John Douglass, cashier in Ruppert's brewery, became suddenly mad yesterday morning without assignable cause or provocation. He was taken to Bellevue Hospital. His case puzzled the physician in charge, who was unable to get at the root of his trouble. During the day he was repeatedly very violent.

Jail Delivery.

DANVILLE, Ind., September 16.—Saturday night three prisoners charged with burglary escaped from jail by sawing out their cells and digging through a brick wall. They are supposed to have gone to Indianapolis.

Sentenced to be Hanged.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 16.—Geo. H. Mills, the wife murderer, was to-day sentenced to be hanged November 7.

HENRY VILLARD.

An Address to the Stockholders of the Northern Pacific Railroad.

NEW YORK, September 16.—Henry Villard has addressed to the stockholders of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company a review of his labors in their behalf, with an explanation of the causes that led to the disappointment of his administration. Mr. Villard states that in the fall of 1880 Chief Engineer Anderson, of the company, submitted an estimate that $20,773,900 would complete the 825 miles of main line. This estimate seems absurdly low now, but it was at the time the only available basis for financial forecast. There was then in the treasury the equivalent of over $40,000,000, which would have completed the line as per estimate and left a large surplus. New estimates, submitted in January, 1882, showed a cost of $24,001,600 for the remaining 770 miles. The increase of twenty per cent. in the cost of 770 miles over that of 825 miles, was explained by higher prices for labor and materials. The resources of the company still seemed on a close calculation, equal to this estimate. Just at this time the company's trouble with the Government about the land grant began. For eleven months no road was accepted by the Government. The company had to dispose of its securities, and was unable to borrow money. Mr. Villard lent it $3,441,000 personally. After describing the struggles of the company, Mr. Villard shows that the main line was finally completed at a cost of $42,980,796, or over ninety per cent. in excess of the chief engineer's first calculation. Mr. Villard, after pointing to the efforts for economy, submits that the reverses befalling the Transcontinental Company and himself were due not to any fault of his, but to the mistakes of the engineering department. He claims that his labors in completing the line have put the company in shape to obtain what money they need, and that if, as he believes, they have $1,000,000 surplus on June 30 next, it will be due to his management.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Chairman of the Massachusetts Republican State Committee Resigns—Congressional Nominations.

BOSTON, September 16.—At a meeting yesterday of the Republican State Committee, Henry Cabot Lodge tendered his resignation of its chairmanship. This was considered, and an unanimous declination to accept it was agreed upon. Thereupon Lodge said he should enter heartily upon the further work of the campaign and do all that in him lies to make it successful. Mr. Lodge's offer to withdraw was because of the fact that he is a Congressional candidate, and of the possibility that it might be felt that he could not do as much in both positions for the good of the party as he might do if he occupied but one.

AUGUSTA, Ga., September 16.—The Republican Convention of the Tenth Congressional District passed a resolution declaring that it was inexpedient to nominate a candidate for Congress.

CAPE MAY, N. J., September 16.—The Democrats of the First Congressional District renominated for Congress Hon. Thomas M. Ferrill by acclamation.

ST. LOUIS, September 16.—The Republicans of the Tenth District Saturday nominated Judge C. A. Newcomb for Congress.

SALT LAKE, Utah, September 16.—John Hailey was nominated by the Democrats of Idaho as Delegate to Congress. An anti-Mormon resolution was voted down.

Frightful Explosion.

PEORIA, Ill., September 16.—An explosion, rivaling in horror the one at the Pekin distillery a day or two ago, occurred at Morton, Ill., yesterday afternoon, causing the death of two and the mortal injury of three others. While the steam power of Volcell, Rossie & Ziediker's wagon manufactory was being used to run a cider press, the engineer permitted the water in the boilers to run too low and committed the error of filling them with cold water. A terrible explosion followed, killing Jacob Slagel, the engineer, and a boy named Briseler. Christian Ackerman, Henry Rossie and George Lowman also are suffering from broken bones and scalds. They will probably die. A number of bystanders were more or less injured. After the explosion the building took fire and burned. The loss is not known.

Annual Contest of Cricketers.

PHILADELPHIA, September 16.—For the thirtieth time the brawny criketers who enjoy citizenship in the Dominion and the States met yesterday morning to begin their annual contest to decide the relative superiority of the Canadians and Americans. The United States players have among their number four of the participants in the recent European tour—Howard McNutt, F. E. Brewster, W. C. Morgan and Rutherland Law. D. L. Newhall is the only member of the family drawn for the match. He captains the team. The other players representing the United States, are W. W. Noble, F. W. Ralston, Jr., Samuel Welsh and D. P. Stoever, all of this city; Ridgeway Moore, of the Staten Islands; C. L. Bixtery, of the Bostons; Longwoods and Hazen Brown, of Pittsburgh.

Prize Fight.

NEW YORK, September 16.—The Turn Halle was crowded last night to witness a six round glove fight, Marquis of Queensbury rules, for $250, between Professor William McClellan and Walter Watson. In the sixth round Watson slung in his right, sending McClellan down in a heap, and when he attempted to rise Watson again sent him down. Then the crowd got on the stage and this gave McClellan time to get up but Watson caught him a terrific crack on the jaw and he fell forward on his face and knees, remaining in that position for a minute, when he was picked up. The battle was given to Watson. McClellan was badly bruised.

Base Ball.

CLEVELAND, September 16.—The Providence defeated the Clevelands yesterday in a score of 10 to 2.

Cincinnati—Boston 3, Cincinnatis 10.
Louisville—Chicagos 11, Louisvilles 7.
Toledo—Baltimore 0, Toledos 6.
Indianapolis—Metropolitans 4, Indianapolis 6.
St. Louis—Virginias 6, St. Louis 7.
Baltimore—Pittsburgh 3, Baltimore 4.

Cholera in British Columbia.

OTTAWA, Ont., September 16.—Late advices from British Columbia state that two cases of Asiatic cholera are reported at Clinton, on the mainland. The announcement has caused great alarm among the Chinamen working along the line of the Canadian Pacific Road.

Forge Shuts Down.

BUFFALO, N. Y., September 16.—The Delaney Forge and Iron Works, located on Perry street, shut down yesterday, throwing 100 men out of employment. Lack of orders is the cause assigned.

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ESTATE OF PARLEY J. SPALDING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Parley J. Spalding, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles T. Hewitt and Agnes G. Hewitt, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they are ready to file their second account as such executors and asking for its allowance; and it each it shall prove feasible for them in rendering the same as and for their final account, that it may be so allowed, and a distribution of the residue of the assets of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and in that case for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edwin S. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the expenses of administration thus far incurred, that the Commissioners of Claims have filed their report in this court, and that the amount of claims against said estate exceed the assets of said estate that has come to his hands as such administrator, that he is ready to file his final account, and asks that the same be allowed, and that said court order the payment of the residue of said assets as ordered and among the creditors thereof for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF CHAS. H. ADLER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

On reading and filing the petition, of Frederick Schilling, guardian of said minor, praying for license to sell the interest of said minor in certain real estate in said petition described, for the reasons and purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said minor, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee in Chancery.

John J. Rector Complainant,
vs.
Della Shurtz, Harry H. Shurtz, and Joseph Lanning, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause and bearing date the 8th day of June 1884, I the subscriber a Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 10th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Lenawee opera house in the city of Adrian, in said county (said opera house being the place of holding said court) the premises described in said decree to wit: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being situate in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Being part of the East half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) town five (5) south of range four (4) east, bounded by beginning at a point in the center of Maumee street (so called) in the village of Tecumseh, at the point of intersection therewith by the center of a road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27) and opposite of the dwelling house formerly owned by John T. Brown, deceased, thence running north one (1) degree and six (6) minutes west along the center of said Maumee street and the line between the east and west halves of said north-west quarter of said section twenty-seven (27) about fifteen (15) chains and twenty-two (22) links to land sold by Robert Culbertson to Josiah Woodward and now owned by Ezra Day; thence east on south line of said Day's said land eleven (11) chains and nineteen (19) links, thence south one (1) degree and six (6) minutes east fifteen (15) chains and nineteen (19) links parallel with said Maumee street to the center of said road running easterly and westerly through said section twenty-seven (27); thence westerly along the center of said last described road eleven (11) chains and thirty-eight (38) links to place of beginning; excepting and reserving therefrom about one and a half acres thereof sold by B. J. Bidwell to Wright Saddler; also excepting lot numbered 261 sold by said Bidwell to John Saxton; also excepting a further parcel of land situate and adjoining said Saddler lot upon its north side sold and conveyed by said Culbertson to said Saddler; also excepting and reserving therefrom that parcel thereof conveyed by Wm. Teachout and wife to Elizabeth Jordan by deed bearing date November 19, 1867, recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 87 of deeds, on pages 183 &c., being ten (10) acres of land more or less.

Dated July 23, 1884.

FRANK R. PAYNE,
Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. WOOD,
Solicitor for Complainant.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Macon Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of September, 1884, and on the 22d day of January, 1885, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 22d day of July, A. D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated at Macon, this 22d day of July, 1884.

EBENEZER HARMON
ABRAM HARRINGTON,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate, for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the bank of Lilley, Bidwell & Co. in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 19th day of September, 1884, and on the 18th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated August, 18, 1884.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 18, 1884.

The latest conundrum in connection with the Detroit Evening Journal newspaper war is this: "What has become of Hubbard's dog?"

The second edition of the Mulligan letters is decidedly interesting reading, although they are not calculated to promote the success of Mr. Blaine's canvass.

Mr. Blaine would have undoubtedly voted on the prohibition amendment at the Maine election, but he felt a sun-stroke approaching, and wisely abstained.

The Bloomington Bulletin states a political fact in this wise. The aggressive way in which Blaine charged the polling place in his home on Monday last and didn't vote for the prohibitory amendment was a caution.

The fusion county ticket will command every Democratic and Greenback vote in the county of Lenawee. There will be no laggards in the ranks this fall. The ticket is a splendid one, from Judge of Probate to Coroners, and it was made to win.

The Republicans and Greenbackers have formed a fusion electoral ticket in Arkansas. We await with anxiety the storm of indignation which will sweep down upon this last fusion movement from the Republican party newspapers of Michigan.

The Chicago News says: It cannot be denied that Mr. Blaine has a well balanced mind. Any man who can stand on the boundary line between the prohibitionists and the whiskyites and maintain his equilibrium was evidently intended by nature for a tight-rope walker or a champion bicyclist.

The county ticket placed in nomination by the Democrats and Greenbackers last Friday is the best and ablest ticket they have placed before the people in many years. There is no poor timber upon it whatever. And it is safe to say that it stands the best chance of success of any county ticket in the field.

The Boston Transcript has this interesting news from Maine: "It is a fine morning, Mr. Blaine," said a neighbor meeting the candidate the other day. "Sir," exclaimed the incorruptible patriot, the weather is an issue which does not enter into the national campaign. I prefer not to discuss it sir.—not to discuss it."

The Chicago News says: And now they say Ben Butler plays a good game of poker. Should think he might. With one eye wide open and looking up as if he had a straight flush and the other drooping and looking at the floor as if he had a kelter or a jally-cooler, how's a man going to know what to do about it?

The New York Independent says: "The present Presidential campaign is the auspicious time to put in practice the golden political principles we have announced. Let it be known and proclaimed north and south and from ocean to ocean that Grover Cleveland and James G. Blaine are not the kind of men now wanted to fill any public office."

And so the Independent stands, like the historical donkey between two stacks of hay, hesitating to choose between Butler and St. John.

The ways of the N. Y. Sun are past finding out. Only five or six years ago it denounced Ben Butler as the personification of all political evil; now it supports him. In 1882 it favored Grover Cleveland for Governor, and nominated him for President after his election to the Governorship; now it opposes him. As late as June last it strongly opposed Thurman's nomination at Chicago on the ground that no Ohio man was a safe candidate, now it claims that Thurman should have been the nominee.

The political arithmetician is now turning his attention to Ohio. That state has given a Republican majority in every presidential election since 1856. Here are the figures.

In 1856	Fremont	16,622.
" 1860	Lincoln	34,388.
" 1864	"	60,055.
" 1868	Grant	41,546.
" 1872	"	37,531.
" 1876	Hayes	7,516.
" 1880	Garfield	34,227.

If Blaine is as strong in Ohio as his friends claim, he should carry the state by as large a majority as Garfield had.

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A UNION RALLY.

Prof. Sam'l Dickie of Albion College gave an address at the opera house, last Saturday afternoon to an enthusiastic meeting in the interests of the Union Prohibition party. The attendance was good and Mr. Dickie's speech of an hour and a half was listened to with close attention. The following abstract contains but a partial report.

The old parties were not representing the people—especially the better element of our people—but were representing the politician and the machine manipulation, the result being the present political evils, therefore it becomes necessary to organize a new party. Democrats cannot give you good reasons why they vote that ticket. Republicans the same. They say we have but one idea. This seems true of the old parties. One has the single idea of getting into power, the other in keeping in power. All history confirms the position that new parties that succeed are organized with one prominent idea, and this charge made against us is an evidence of ultimate success. There is no doubt in a time of peace but the party in power will take care of the general interest of the government, even if it gains the ascendency by adhering to one great living issue. Is this question of Prohibition of the liquor traffic of sufficient importance to be the one great issue of a political party? There are three factors which make up the issues of parties; moral, social and financial. Parties have been organized on each of these separately, but in the question of prohibition these three factors all center, in an exceedingly important sense. What live issue have the old parties which promise better morals, better social life or improved financial conditions? —they have none.

The relation of our leading issue as bearing upon these questions is of the greatest magnitude. The expense of the open dram shop is 940 million annually. Three times the cost of our iron and steel; three times the cost of our lumber product; three times the value of our wool. As much as all of these combined. It is not only a useless financial expense, but what is worse, it brings the human family, a large portion of it, to corrupted morals, social wretchedness and disgraceful poverty.

But we are told that the farmer could not find a market for his grain if Prohibition prevailed. A large portion of our population now go half fed for they spend their money for drink. If it were not spent for drink they would buy enough more meal, flour, &c., made from the farmer's grain to maintain the market. It would be many times cheaper and better for the people of this country to buy up all the grain made into liquor, or the liquor itself and empty it into the ocean, and furnish a living for all the liquor dealers and manufacturers, keeping them in elegant idleness, than to have the poisoned drink strained through the stomachs of our fellow men, making criminals, idiots and paupers for which you farmers are continually taxed to provide for and support.

There are no doubt many good men who sincerely favor the tax system. They say "prohibition does not prohibit," neither does regulation regulate, neither does restriction restrict. I sometimes ask why it is that some ministers and many good men in the old parties talk about regulation, restriction and prohibition, just like the brewers, distillers, saloonkeepers and their patrons do.

The question of prohibition being constitutional has been settled for years. This was settled in the days of Webster and Choate. We are often told that we have no right to interfere with or outlaw the business of liquor selling. It has no right to be called a business. It is a fraud. It debases the drinker, amasses a fortune. It takes a man's money without giving an equivalent. In fact does him an injury.

It is said why not organize a party to stop burglary, arson, murder, and all other crimes of the land. We say whenever robbers, murderers, &c., become able to dictate the action of existing political parties, and have their demands complied with, a party will be organized for the purpose of destroying their criminal work. The dictum of the brewers has had too much to do with the legislation of Michigan, and the whole country for the past fifteen years. The Democrat and Republican parties have been in competition to see which could bow the more gracefully to the dictation of the beer brewers and distillers. We say we must have a new party. We say so because of this yielding to this body and soul destroying creature, both of these old parties must go. Would unite with either of the old parties if they would do anything for us. When the Republicans had their overwhelming majority in this state they could have submitted prohibition to the people but they would not. Now if they would do it they couldn't. Because not strong enough. Slander, mud and slime, characterize the fight between the old parties. Each party would give any amount of testimony to convict the other of nearly all the crimes ever heard charged against a political party. We know both of them are telling more falsehood than truth. There are many good men in both democrat and republican parties and they are coming to us. Some are here to-day ready to cut loose and join us. The democrat party at the Chicago convention said they were opposed to laws which vex the citizen; were opposed to all sumptuary laws, or prohibition.

Republicans say why don't you say more about the democrats opposing prohibition and not pitch into us all the time? Two boys are caught stealing watermelons, and brought into court. The plea of one is guilty. No evidence is taken or needed in his case, nothing remains to be done in his case but give the sentence. The other fellow pleads not guilty and it is the duty of the court to take evidence, etc., to prove his guilt. The democrat party pleads guilty as a whisky party. We have nothing to do with it only to get all the anti-whisky men out of that party. The republican party set up a plea of not guilty, as a whisky party, and says it is a temperance party. Our duty is to discharge it or proceed with the trial. We are proceeding. At the national case, in '72 the republican party in the 16th plank of the platform, called the Herman Raster plank, took a position against the so-called temperance and Sunday laws. Mr. Raster so explained it, soon after. It was done to save the beer vote to that party. The plank has been reaffirmed at each national convention since without any attempt to repeal it. Judging the party by the platform it is against prohibition.

The Chicago Tribune recently said: "more to be feared than Butlerism is the prohibitionists. Prohibition must be prohibited by the republican party."

Geo. Wm. Curtis of Harper's Weekly, before Mr. Blaine was nominated, said "the republican party is not a prohibition party."

The Chicago Inter Ocean says: "The republican party must have nothing to do with this question pro or con."

The Detroit Post says: The republican party is composed of men who believe in high license, some low license, some prohibition, but all loyal to republicanism." With these elements in the party it cannot be a prohibition party.

Another way to judge a party is by its leading men. How is Mr. Blaine? He refused to vote for the prohibitory constitutional amendment on last Monday in his own State, when it was carried by at least 40,000 majority. Mr. Blaine though called the plumed knight, decided to show the white feather on the most important question of the day, and will ever after be known as a prohibition dodger.

The Chicago Tribune reports Buffalo Miller, the acknowledged leader of the Ohio beer brewers and liquor dealers, as saying that "Turner Hall at the 13th session of the liquor dealers congress, resounded with cheers for Blaine and Logan." During an interview recently this same Buffalo Miller remarked, "it is all nonsense to say that Mr. Blaine is not all right." Its platform, its leading organs and its greatest men all unite in proving that the republican party is against prohibition. Do not blame us because these things are so. Blame the party which is only responsible. We are charged with trying to defeat the republican party. It is no part of our business to do this as an end. It may be part of our means. We are told that we ought not to destroy the party which has done so much for the country. We will ask three questions: Have not any number of citizens a right to organize themselves into a political party if they so choose? Yes. Having founded a party have they not a right to support and work for its success? Yes. Can they ever succeed without defeating all the other existing parties? No. Then accord us these privileges is all we ask of the old parties.

Our aim is square at the whisky business, and we are bound to shoot. If your party is hit and gets hurt it cannot be a temperance or prohibition party. We should not support men who still adhere to old parties. They have good men, as good as the best of our men, some of them on their ticket. We set out to support principles before men. We are fully persuaded that the old parties cannot represent our principles, cannot do for us what we want. To help them to oppose what we want will not only stultify ourselves but help our own defeat. Prohibition will never triumph while we vote for a man whose party is committed to perpetuate what we want prohibited. Take the nation as a whole, there is an important sense in which the record of the republican party on the temperance question is worse than the democratic party if possible. While I believe there are more good men in the republican party than the democrat party, yet it is a fact that the democrat party has given the states more prohibitory laws than the republican party has. It is also true that the republican party has repealed more prohibitory laws than the democrat has. At this very hour there is more prohibition territory south of Mason and Dixon's line, where democracy reigns supreme than there is north of it where nearly every state is republican. These are facts of history and cannot be denied. If our republican friends dread to hear them stated, remember and blame the party not us. We do not want any one to think we are partial to the democrat party. We have no more love for one than the other old parties. But we do have a greater respect for the democrat party on the score of candor. It is honest and says it is a whisky party. The republican party says it is a temperance party and lies about it. That is where the difference comes in.

In regard to our state and temperance legislation. In '52 the democrat legislature passed a prohibitory law which was declared unconstitutional, because of being submitted to the people for ratification. In '54, the legislature consisted of democrats, republicans and whigs, no party having a majority; the prohibitory law was then enacted. In '57, the legislature being republican, the search and seizure clause was stricken out of the law. In '61 the republican legislature struck out the wine and beer clause, making those liquors free. In '74, in compliance with the liquor dealers demand what was left of the old law was entirely repealed, and the tax law enacted in its place as suggested by the beer brewers and liquor dealers. In '79 a copy of the Maine law called the Mosher bill, was introduced by Chas. Mosher, at present candidate for congress, and defeated to save the liquor vote to the republican party which then controled the state by an overwhelming majority. In '81 the legislature stood republicans, 117, democrats 16. The people asked by a large petition, to have the question of prohibition submitted for their decision. The people were refused again at the behest of the liquor interests. In '83 the republican state convention demanded submission by the next legislature, and, had all the republicans voted for it the amendment would have been submitted. In their last convention the republican party again demanded submission to catch the temperance vote, but said also "that our course in the past is a safe guide for the future" to hold the liquor vote which it is evident is of more consequence to them than the temperance vote. When the last republican national convention refused to favor the submission of a prohibitory amendment to the people, and by so doing insulted every temperance organization in the land, with its hundreds of thousands of members, St. John our candidate for president declared he would follow no longer the "grand old party" but would by his influence, voice and vote resent that insult and many of you will do the same. It is untrue that a vote is thrown away when cast for principle or in accordance with your convictions. A prohibitionist will throw away his vote if he votes the democrat or republican ticket. Yes worse than that, he will vote to continue a state of things which he does not want. Republicans say the old party will be needed as long as the sectional strife between north and south continued. I want to say, that strife would not exist to-day if it were not for the efforts of the republican party to keep it alive for campaign purposes. The existence of the party to a large extent depends upon the existence and continuance of that strife. Our movement will unite the best citizens of the south with the best citizens of the north, and present a solid phalanx against the rum fiend, and in a very short time the sectional strife of to-day will be among the things of the past. This very state of things demands a new party. The old parties must go.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING EAST.	No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass	No. 41 Mxd
	A. M.		P. M.	
Pentwater	5 50			
Muskegon	8 15		1 25	
Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00	
Grand Haven	9 00		2 05	
Grand Rapids	9 15			
Holland	10 10		3 00	A. M.
Allegan	11 10		5 10	5 15
Kellogg	11 21		5 21	5 35
Fisk	11 27		5 27	5 46
Monteith	11 35		5 35	6 00
Doster	11 52		5 52	6 40
Richland	12 06		6 09	7 25
Yorkville	12 15		6 15	7 45
Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23	8 00
Battle Creek	12 42	6 40	6 43	8 32
Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01	9 10
Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13	P. M.
Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40	11 00
Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.	11 55
Hanover	2 10	8 09		12 30
Moscow	2 21	8 20		12 55
Jerome	2 28	8 26		1 10
Addison	2 45	8 42		1 46
Devils Lake	2 51	8 51		1 58
Cambridge	3 08	9 05		2 30
Tipton	3 22	9 17		3 00
Tecumseh	3 37	9 32		3 37
Ridgeway	3 47	9 42		4 00
Britton	3 52	9 46		4 09
Dundee	4 20	10 10		4 50
Toledo	5 30	11 10		6 50
	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.

GOING WEST.	No. 32 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 36 Pass	No. 42 Xxd
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.
Toledo	10 10	5 10		4 40
Dundee	11 02	6 05		8 00
Britton	11 24	6 27		8 52
Ridgeway	11 29	6 31		9 02
Tecumseh	11 39	6 41		9 32
Tipton	11 55	6 57		9 57
Cambridge	12 08	7 10		10 26
Devils Lake	12 22	7 25		10 48
Addison	12 30	7 33		11 15
Jerome	12 48	7 50		11 52
Moscow	12 55	7 57		12 07
Hanover	1 06	8 07		12 30
Pulaski	1 17	8 18	A. M.	12 50
Homer	1 38	8 40	6 20	1 38
Marshall	2 05	9 09	6 47	2 42
Ceresco	2 17	9 22	6 59	3 10
Battle Creek	2 36	9 40	7 17	3 52
Augusta	2 56	P. M.	7 37	4 40
Yorkville	3 04		7 45	4 57
Richland	3 10		7 52	5 10
Doster	3 28		8 08	5 52
Monteith	3 45		8 25	6 30
Fisk	3 53		8 33	6 50
Kellogg	3 59		8 39	7 04
Allegan	4 10		8 50	7 25
Holland	5 10		10 10	P. M.
Grand Rapids	6 10			
Grand Haven	6 15		11 00	
Ferrysburg	6 25		11 08	
Muskegon	6 55		11 45	
Pentwater	9 20			
	P. M.		A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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Genl. Pass. Agent.

ESTATE OF RUFUS R. HALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 12th day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Mary J. Hall, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Francis Rector, nominated executors in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. sep18

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LUMBER WAGON.—Nearly new and just painted over. For sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to the undersigned are requested to call and settle this month and oblige JOE WILSON.

OUR CIDER MILL is now open and ready for business. Cash paid for apples.
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CHAS. A. WALDRON, Veterinary Surgeon. All orders promptly attended to either by mail or in person. Office at residence, one-half mile southwest of Tecumseh.

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LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between Drs. House & Jones is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the above named firm are requested to call on Dr. House at the old office over Lilly & Co's. Bank, who is authorized to settle all accounts. Dr. Jones can be found at the same office until further notice.
R. B. HOUSE.
O. Q. JONES.

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Boston Brown Bread at Star Bakery on Saturday next.

The North American Review is notable as well for the importance of the topics treated, as for the eminence of its writers.

Chas. Miller and John B. Lawsen, of Adrian, an attachee of the Press, drove over to Tecumseh this morning and remained a few hours.

Dr. H. W. Catlin has been appointed on the Committee of the Practice of Medicine for the ensuing year's meeting of the State Society.

A. O. Crosier, of Ann Arbor, is to spend one week in this county in the interests of the Union party. He is a pleasing speaker and gives an excellent address. His last appointment is for Pennington's corners next week Wednesday evening, Sept. 24th. He will also speak at the DeSpelder church near Joseph Mellon's on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. He will also speak at Springville on Monday, 22d, at 2 P. M., and at Tipton on Monday evening.

Macon Grange, No. 167, will hold its first open meeting for the fall and winter of '84 and '85 on Friday Sept. 26th inst. at 8 o'clock, P. M., with the following program:

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Rec.—Jennie Osgood.
Reading—Mrs. C. V. Skinner.
Song—Mrs. J. W. Osborn.
Essay—Miss Sarah Hunt.
Reading—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Song—Frank Aten.
Rec.—Emma Bailey.
Essay—C. E. Triplet.
Closing Song—Choir.

Mr. S. A. Clauharty, who sold the VanVleet farm a mile South of Tecumseh last year now lives on the "Whaley" farm about a mile west of Adrian. We paid him a short call last Monday and found him nicely situated. He has 160 acres of land, and claims to have the most productive farm in the township of Adrian. His wheat yielded 26 bu. this year and his oats 60 bu. to the acre. He showed us some magnificent specimens of White Elephant, Beauty of Hebron and Snowflake potatoes which he had just been digging.

Mr. Geo. Lewis has made arrangements with the M. & O. R. R. and the Wabash, to carry passengers over both roads to and from the fair from Addison and intermediate stations, via. Britton at excursion rates. Tickets good both ways, Sept. 24th and 25th and return 26th, being the 2d. 3d. and 4th fair days. The association has also made arrangements with the other roads to carry passengers at one and one-third rates during fair. A large excursion will be run from Detroit, also from Butler on the Wabash. The grounds are nearly completed and track will be in good order by opening of the fair. The Secretary will be at his office, with Geo. L. Bennett in the city, every day of the week preceeding the fair to take entries. No pains are being spared to make the fair a grand success.

M. GRAVES, Sec'y.
P. O. Lenawee Junction.

RED VS. WHITE.

The announcement that the Tecumseh Base Ball club would play a game of ball with a nine composed of Pottawatamie Indians last Tuesday drew a good sized audience, who were curious to see if the "noble red man" could handle the bat and ball with as much dexterity as their forefathers could the tomahawk and scalping knife.

The Indians have a good nine and show they have had considerable practice. They got the lead in the game and held it until the ninth innings when by heavy batting the home club run in five tallies and won the game by a score of 13 to 9.

The Tecumseh club did not have their regular nine and did not play their usual game. McKinney pitched with Heidenrich behind the bat. They made 13 runs, 12 base hits with a total of 16, and 13 errors. The Indians made 9 runs 6 base hits with a total of 6, and 17 errors.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 18, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The University opens Sept. 24.

Genuine Vienna Bread at Star Bakery Saturday next.

D. Heale, of Owosso, N. Y., is visiting B. F. DePuy for a few days.

Charlie Arnold, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh Tuesday visiting his brother Will.

The gentle voice of the chimney sweep was heard upon our streets last Tuesday.

Quite a number of our people are attending the state fair this week at Kalamazoo.

John J. Adam spent Sunday last with his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Blanchard, in Chicago.

Rev. Wellington DePuy has been visiting his friends in Tecumseh and vicinity the past few days.

Slayton & Son have received orders for over one hundred car loads of hard coal to be delivered to our citizens.

An excursion train of eight heavily loaded cars of German Lutherans from Adrian went over the Branch last Sunday to Jackson.

We have at our office four sample ears of corn raised by Frank Davidson this season. They are worthy of exhibition at the state fair.

The Raisin Valley Seminary has opened with 73 pupils in attendance, against 44 in attendance at the opening of the fall term last year.

U. R. Evans has begun the fall term of his Commercial College at Adrian with a good attendance of pupils. He has both day and evening classes.

Miss 'Hon' Heesen left Tecumseh yesterday morning for a trip to Beloit, Wis., where she will spend a few weeks as the guest of Mrs. W. H. Passmore, at the Goodwin House.

The skating rink is doing a good business. Thursday has been set apart as ladies' day, and no gentlemen will be admitted on that day or evening without lady escorts.

G. P. Waring attended a meeting of the Union State Committee held at Jackson last Monday. There was a full attendance and the report presented was very encouraging.

The people of Lenawee and vicinity will be favored with the presence of Ex-Gov. St. John at a meeting to be held at Adrian, Oct. 7. The meeting will be well advertised and the arrangements made known next week.

Frederick Fisher, who worked for Henry Smith in the paper mill about six years ago, is now engaged in Bowerfind's Bakery at Adrian. He is well satisfied with his position, and Mr. Bowerfind finds him a most faithful employee.

Beecher Howell, son of Judge Howell, of Adrian, who is a third year cadet at the U. S. Naval Academy, is at home during September spending his annual vacation. He has succeeded admirably in his course thus far and returns on the first of October to begin his fourth year.

Rev. R. S. Pardiugton, of Hartford, Conn., arrived in town last Friday and remained over the Sabbath. He occupied the pulpit on Sunday evening at the M. E. church and preached to a crowded house. His many Tecumseh friends were glad to welcome him and only regret that he could not make a longer stay.

Straws were taken on the M. & O. train last Thursday and Friday which were well loaded to take in the Tri-State Fair, the special attractions being the presence of Hendricks and Logan. The vote Thursday stood Blaine 62, St. John 45, Cleveland 25, Butler 15. Friday—Blaine 53, St. John 44, Cleveland 35, Butler 18.

Now is a good time for the farmer to prepare his ice house. We have shown year after year that he can make no investment more productive of health and comfort. Ten to fifty tons of ice may be put up at small cost, that will be paid in the handling of the milk alone. There will be more butter and better. Eggs can be kept fresh for weeks. Victuals left over may be kept over from day to day, and many other economies practiced. And in case of sickness nothing in the way of accessories to nursing and care is worth so much as ice. Let every farmer make up his mind to have it.

Mr. W. H. Passmore, proprietor of the Lilley House, has purchased the Goodwin House at Beloit, Wisconsin, and took possession last Saturday.—The Lilley House has been very much improved since Mr. Passmore took possession of it, and we have no doubt that he will furnish Beloit with a first class hotel. The Lilley House will hereafter be managed by Capt. Foster who has been connected with the house for several months past, and under his management the house will be kept to the front. Capt. Foster "knows how to keep a hotel," as people have found out since his residence in Tecumseh. We extend to him our best wishes for his success and feel confident that he will merit and achieve it.

Gen. Logan was greeted with a large crowd at the Lake Shore depot in Adrian Tuesday afternoon and responded with a few remarks.

Miss Miller, of Union Home, Mich., who has been visiting friends in this vicinity for the past few weeks, returned to her home yesterday.

We now know why Gus Slayton is building a large house. There is an increase in the family. Edith, a ten pound girl. Parents doing well, so is the baby.

The firm of Drs. House & Jones has been dissolved. Dr. Jones will remain at the old office over Lilley, Bidwell & Co's bank until further notice. The Doctor will fit up an office on Chicago street within a few days.

S. R. Terry returned Tuesday from a few day's visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Welling at their home in Ohio. Mr. Welling is much improved in health and with a few months' rest and outdoor exercise he hopes to be fully restored.

The corn crop in this section is nearly beyond the power of frost to injure it. Although the crop has doubtless been shortened by the dry weather which has prevailed for the last three months, still the yield will be at least average.

Pile the green corn, stalks and all, into your young pigs. Collect all the faulty squashes, pumpkins and melons for the same purpose. This kind of diet is not very fattening, but it can not be equalled for producing growth of frame and muscle, upon which fat can be laid a little later.

The Lake Shore passenger employes are to be uniformed. The new suits of blue cloth and brass buttons are to be supplied about October 15, and a special train with the railway tailors passed through Hudson taking the measures of the men Saturday. The suits cost from $21 to $26, and Vanderbilt don't make a present of them to the men either.

The Chautauqua movement has been extended to include the young folks, who already have a "Reading Union." They are now to have an illustrated periodical of high character, which will be issued in July by the Publishers of the far-famed Wide Awake magazine, D. Lothrop & Co., Boston, who will send it free for one month to any of our readers who may request it.

Mrs. Albert Carpenter, residing about three miles west of Adrian, while drawing water from a well with a windlass, slipped her hold and was struck on the head by the handle of the windlass with such force as to completely stun her and for twenty-four hours she lay unconscious, and up to last accounts she has not been able to speak. It is feared the blow may terminate fatally.

When a home paper visits over twelve hundred families regularly, week by week, in the town and immediate vicinity of its publication, and is borrowed and read by four hundred families more, and a merchant says that it does not do him any good to advertise in its columns, the people must arrive at one of two conclusions, that this merchant has a very peculiar class of customers, or does a very poor business.

If you want to see good times, money plenty and every thing lively, let every man pay up what he owes, or at least pay a part of it [and begin with the printer first.] There is plenty of money in the country, and never a better wheat crop, as well as other kinds of crops, so shell out and distribute your money all around and it will seem and be as plenty as in war times. And people will feel more cheerful and happy if they can see such evidences of prosperity and plenty.

Capt. Foster, the new landlord of the Lilley House, inaugurated his administration with an elegant Sunday dinner last Sabbath. A special bill of fare was printed at the HERALD job rooms for the occasion, and the dinner itself was all that the most particular epicure could desire. We had the pleasure of partaking, with his other guests, and can only wonder how he can afford as good meals at the rates he charges. It is his intention to provide printed bills of fare for dinners regularly hereafter. The Captain will spare no pains to make the Lilley House a favorite both with the travelling public and with regular boarders at home.

Speaking of wheat this year, a friend from Dakota writes: I have been in Tower city a month. We are just upon the divide between the Red River valley and the James River valley, and right in the midst of the wheat raising section of North Dakota.—East of us is the Dalrymple farm, with its 40,000 acres under cultivation.—This year there are two fields of wheat—one of 16,000 and the other of 11,000 acres. When I passed through last week, they were in the midst of the harvest, using 200 harvesters to cut the entire crop. It is estimated that Cass county will harvest 5,000,000 bushels of wheat this year. The yield is enormus, and between Casselton and Fargo, a distance of 20 miles, nothing could be seen two weeks ago except fields of wheat reaching back on each side of the railway just as far as you could see, a distance of six or eight miles, perhaps.

Chas. T. Hewitt, of Toledo, was in Tecumseh yesterday.

Dept. Sheriff Smyth was at Toledo last week on duty at the Tri-State Fair.

R. Morrison has laid a new sidewalk in front of his property on Railroad street.

C. R. Mabley, of Detroit, proposes to subscribe $10,000 toward a permanent exposition in Detroit or he will give $1,000 toward securing the next state fair in that city.

You should never say, I swent. It betokens unpardonable verdancy. Say I am being deprived of my saline and oleaginous fluids through the excretories of my pellucid article with a condensation of moisture upon the superficial exterior.

The clothing dealer, who was a little given to sensational advertising, notified the world that the bottom had dropped out of pantaloons and then did'nt have a rush of trade, and he only made things worse by announcing that clothing had gone all to pieces.

A Butler & West club was organized in this village on the 10th inst., with fifty members. The following are the officers:

President—G. W. Frasier.
Vice Pres.—J. C. Eckles.
Secretary—J. M. Hibbard.
Treasurer—F. P. Deuel.
Cores Sec.—J. W. Cole.

Byron Carlton, who formerly lived in Tecumseh, has recently bought an interest in a blacksmith shop on North Winter street in the city of Adrian, nearly opposite the jail, where he is building up a fine business. He owns a nice little home about a mile north of Adrian near the old Horton corners. His old Tecumseh acquaintances will be glad to learn of his prosperity.

A goodly number of friends and neighbors assembled at the residence of Geo. Griswold to witness the opening of a night-blooming cereus blossom which occurred Wednesday evening, Sept. 10th. The bud commenced opening at 2 o'clock P. M., and at 10 P. M., the flower measured nine and one half inches in diameter. Some coming a distance of four miles declared themselves well paid for the trouble.

Bro. Field has no reason to regret his removal to Tecumseh. In adition to an increase of business, his wife presented him with a fine girl baby last Thursday. All the printers in Tecumseh, regardless of sex or previous condition, extend their hearty congratulations.—Tecumseh Herald.

Thanks, Brother Stacy, we hope we shall be able to extend similar congratulations to yourself some day.—Tecumseh News.

The News does'nt hope any thing of the kind. It knows that Bro. Stacy has taken an oath.—Adrian Record.

The new postal note is made of paper of a faded lilac color, and is printed black on the face and blue on the back. The number of dollars is indicated by the number of stubs attached to it after it is torn from the book.—The chief reason for making the change from the old one—made of bright yellow paper with a broad design in green on the back—was the poisonous character of the ink used on the backing.

S. W. Temple has got out some neat four page circulars containing price quotations of the different kinds of coal he sells. Mr. Temple now controls all the best kinds of anthracite and bituminous coals, and is prepared to make very low figures by the ton or car load. He has a large wholesale trade which is constantly increasing. Parties at home who buy their anthracite coal of him will be presented with enough charcoal to start their fires with.

"Why, sir," said a prosperous, wide-awake farmer, the other day, "if wheat is only 78c and other farm products equally as low, what's the use of grumbling. With the labor-saving facilities we have now I can market my grain at half the former cost. I can make money selling wheat at 75c and I never knew the time when one dollar would buy as much as it will to-day. But farming is like breathing—you have to keep at it, and that right steadily, or you can not live.

Lavern Wheeler has recently taken two large groups on plates fourteen by seventeen inches in size which are beauties. One represents the firm of H. Brewer & Co. with all their employees, numbering thirty six in all. The other represents the hands employed by the Tecumseh Lumber Co., numbering seventeen. Mr. Wheeler is making a specialty now of landscape views and large size groups, and it is needless to say that his pictures are fine ones.

The publishers of the "American Cyclopedia," D. Appleton & Co., are now delivering the annual for 1883. These annual volumes are published regularly each year and contribute a most valuable supplement to the original work. Matters of current interest can be treated much more elaborately in them, than in the original volumes, and hence they are of great value for reference. People who own the set can not afford to do without the annuals when the small expenditure of six dollars per annum will keep them up. If there is no local agent from whom they can be procured, write to O. J. Rowe, Western Agent, 200 Main street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

"The Patterson" is rapidly nearing completion.

Mrs. W. H. Passmore started yesterday for her new home at Beloit, Wis.

While at Adrian last Friday to attend the county convention we called at the Record office to get acquainted with Bro. Beakes. The Record has been much improved during his brief connection with it, and its columns bear witness that an experienced man has now got hold of the helm. Bro. Beakes has a good field for a live independent daily, and judging from present indications we believe he will cultivate it successfully.

The McGibeny Family gave one of their fascinating entertainments to a large and delighted audience last Tuesday evening. They are all musical prodigies. The father, the adult children, and the "little shavers" are all full of music and overflowing with fun, making up a first-class concert troupe in one family. One can pass a most enjoyable evening listening to one of their concerts.

C. W. Taylor will sell at auction on the premises of Andrew Taylor, two miles north and one mile west of Rome Center, on Saturday, Sept. 27th, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following property: Horse, cow, heifer calf, single buggy, single harness, 8 or 10 tons of hay, 150 bushels of oats, 3 acres of corn in shock, 2 hogs, melodeon, Howe sewing machine, buffalo robe, household furniture, &c. Usual terms of sale. Ben. Reynolds, auctioneer.

There will be a meeting of the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, at the residence of Dr. House on Friday evening, Sept. 26th, 1884 for the purpose of organization, election of officers and arranging details for the year's work. Those who have pursued this course of reading for two years past, are more than pleased with it; and all unite in a hearty endorsement and commend it to any who may desire to pursue a course of reading which will prove instructive as well as pleasing. Its object is to awaken an interest in history, travel, literature, science and art, and all who pursue the four year's course of reading will find that it has accomplished its mission faithfully, and they will not be easily pursuaded to abandon reading which is healthful to those who desire to gain knowledge. A cordial invitation is extended to every one who would like to take this course of instruction, or who would like to examine into its merits, to be present at this meeting.

FIFTY YEARS OF WEDDED LIFE

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Philo C. Mills was celebrated at the residence of their daughter, Mrs. H. M. Pomeroy, in Adrian, on Wednesday, Sept. 10th, and was a most enjoyable occasion. Few wedded lives are unitedly prolonged for fifty years, and especially rare are the instances where both are found blessed with such unimpaired vigor of body and mind. Children and children's children to the fourth generation were represented in the company, and all eagerly contributed to the joy of the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Mills were generously remembered with beautiful and valuable gifts from their children and grand-children and many friends. After refreshments were served, a newspaper, yellow with age, bearing date Sept. 10, 1834, was produced, from which Dr. J. W. Keeney, of Franklin, read the marriage notice of Philo C. Mills, of Groveland, N. Y., and Miss Mary Keeney, of LeRoy, N. Y., also at the same time and place, Dr. John Cadman, of Medina, N. Y., and Miss Nancy B. Keeney, of LeRoy. Dr. Keeney and Mrs A. F. Bixby then rose as representatives of the wedding party fifty years ago. A letter of congratulation was read from James P. Cadman, of Chicago, son of Dr. John Cadman, in which he made touching allusion to his beloved parents, now reunited in the spirit land. A letter from D. B. Greene, Esq., of Ypsilanti, the husband of Mrs. Mills's youngest sister, reviewing tenderly the memories, both sad and glad, of a half century, was read by Mrs. Bixby and listened to with great interest, as also other letters from some who remembered the marriage bells of fifty years ago. A short poem inscribed to Mr. and Mrs. Mills, by Prof. A. E. Curtis, was greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Mary Blair, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mills, read an appropriate poem.

Rev. Mr. Little being called upon for remarks, said that his function at marriage festivities had usualy been to do the work, rather than offer congratulations upon the work of another, and thought he should experience less embarrassment and more inspiration under circumstances—probably referring to the inspiration of a fee—but his address was very acceptable. Judge Geddes being referred to as a friend of the "olden time," that gentleman hastened to repudiate the idea that he was a patriarch; in view of future possibilities he preferred to be regarded a young man, but he confessed that his earliest remembrance was of the pleasant relations existing between his own and Major Mills' family in western New York, and during all these intervening years the acquaintance had been to him one of the most valued and intimate of his life. His congratulations were hearty and will long be remembered. A. L. Millard, Esq. and Dr. G. W. Greene, of Ann Arbor, made brief, pleasant addresses, after which "Auld Lang Syne" was sung. Remarks were made by different members of the family, to which the father feelingly responded. An invitation was extended to all to be present at the diamond wedding. A prayer of sweet benediction offered by Mr. Little, and we bade Mr. and Mrs. Mills good night, with the earnest wish that the years of their future might be blessed with truest happiness, and many more wedding anniversaries.

THE VREELAND-RIKARD CASE

On the assembling of the circuit court Monday morning Vreeland was brought in for sentence. He was quite composed when arraigned and asked by the judge if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed on him. He became agitated however, when he attempted to speak. He said: "I have not, your honor, denied or tried to cover up anything in this case. I was compelled to do what I did to defend my own life. In the way I took his, God knows I did not intend to kill him, Rikard." All I can say as to that, I ask the mercy of the court to rest on my wife and child."

The court in passing said he had a due consideration for all the circumstances in the case; the prisoner was a young man with a wife and child and not much means. The evidence, however, showed that he went back to engage in the contest with Rikard. The jury had recommended that mercy be extended and the court felt inclined to be as lenient as possible, although the jury were well warranted in bringing in the verdict they did. He then sentenced Vreeland to four years at hard labor at Jackson.

OTHER SENTENCES

John Lewis, William Parker (commonly called "skinny") and Charles Humphrey, for burglary, were arraigned for sentence. The first two received sentence of six years each at hard labor in the state prison.—Humphrey, however, being adjudged the ring-leader of the gang of crooks that for months has invaded people's houses at all hours of the day and night, had a lean-to of four years added to his term and goes up for ten years. Humphrey had served a three year sentence in the penitentiary and had been at large something over a year.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Prudence Snedicor, wife of Philetus and mother of Wm. N. Snedicor died at her residence in Tecumseh at 7 o'clock Sept. 11th 1884, aged 68 years 1 month and 20 days.

Mrs. Snedicor was born in Orange Co. N. Y. where she lived until after she was married when she moved to Michigan where she has since resided. Her health has been poorly for a number of years but through all of her sufferings she always had great sympathy for those who were afflicted. She will be greatly missed by her husband and children, whom she dearly loved.

Summer lingers in the lap of fall, so to speak.

Hudson will be 50 years old in Oct., and proposes to celebrate.

A new congregational church building is nearly completed at Minden.

A Lodge of knights of labor has been organized at Vassar.

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—Brown the Photographer is offering special bargains in pictures, frames and albums during August.

—Wheat received in store for bread at Heck's Roller Mills.

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—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

—All facilities for grinding feed at Heck's Roller Mills.

—When the bell strikes, all listen, for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy. A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the voice of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream. A. E. Kennedy.

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—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

DIED.

BOYCE.—At Tecumseh, Michigan, on the morning of Sept. 10th 1884, Minnie C. Boyce, sole remaining child of Mr. Isaac Boyce, deceased and Mrs. Clara Boyce, aged 19.

After months of illness patiently borne this dear child was taken gently to her rest. She had planned to engage in her favorite occupation of teaching and to be a companion and helper of her mother. But God ordered otherwise and in his different plans she came to acquiesce. "What we know not, now we shall know hereafter."

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	9 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	9 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	9 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	9 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	9 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 26 "	9 30 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	7 00 "	4 57 "
Berrett	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 00 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Berrett	8 50 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 32 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	9 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	12 55 "	10 37 "	9 05 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36. A. M.	22. P. M.	28. A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 08
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction....	9 16	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 05	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 40
7 32	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
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THE SUBSTITUTE.

"Should you find yourself at leisure,
You will give us so much pleasure"
(Why do people write in measure?)
"If you'll dine with us at eight.
We have asked Pauline Clancarty
And the poet, James Cromarty,
But it's only a small party,
And you mustn't, please, be late."

Thus ran Mrs. Jones' letter;
And, as I'm the lady's debtor,
On the whole, I thought it better
To accept than to decline;
And, besides, the invitation
Seemed to mean appreciation
Of my latest publication
In the literary line.

She, of course, had read my story,
"The O'Tooles of Castle Rory,"
And she coveted the glory
Of exhibiting my phiz.
She was, doubtless, full of rapture
At the prospect of my capture—
'Tis so easy to adapt your
Hopes to anything that is.

Mrs. Jones arose serenely,
And, with manner calm and queenly,
Welcomed me, but whispered, meanly:
"Thank you so much, Mr. Brown.
You have saved us worlds of worry;
We expect Lord McCurry,
And we asked you in a hurry,
As our friend was out of town."

—*St. James' Gazette.*

A HUGE CHARNEL HOUSE.

A Prehistoric Cemetery Discovered in the Ohio Bottoms—Thousands of Bodies Side by Side—Relics of an Extinct Race.

It was a hot day, a very hot day, that your correspondent lay on the broad of his back upon the bank of the Ohio, about a mile and a half below the little hamlet of Rome, or about eight miles below Vanceburg, Ky., on the opposite side of the river. The dense shade of a friendly tree protected me from the fierce rays of the sun, and rendered it possible to cogitate upon the mutability of all things earthly, without confining my reflections exclusively to the apparently melting condition of my too "solid flesh."

Folded carefully up in a piece of paper by my side I had some souvenirs of the past (but of how remote a past I had no more of an idea than an intelligent gorilla) which served to confine my thoughts within the gloomy precincts of those clay tenements the sexton builds, and to the final scene in the serio-comic drama of human life. These souvenirs, however, were very mutable things themselves. That one of them had once been a portion of a human jaw, within whose limits a tongue had once wagged and voiced the war-cries, the rejoicings and lamentations of his people, and that another had once been the part of a human arm, that perchance had wielded a warlike weapon in their defense, there could be no question. But they had no more cohesion than so many lumps of sand and with every touch crumbled into dust. It was to approve some wonderful statements of my casual acquaintance, Mr. James Hiner, of Vanceburg, Ky., that I had trespassed upon the territory of Mr. Robert E. Lockhart, and having found these relics of a departed and forgotten race everywhere about me, mingled with the earth, I had certainly food enough for "reflection melancholic." Bryant's Thanatopsis served to garnish my thoughts with better phrases than I could muster. The opinion had always prevailed with me that when the author describes the living as "but a handful to the tribes that slumber" on earth's bosom, and intimates that even if we should make our graves in the wilderness of Washington Territory "where flows the Oregon," we should lie down with the kings and princes of the earth, the statement should only be received as a sort of poetical guess. But with all these crumbling bones about me I felt inclined to believe that Mr. Bryant is literally correct. "Yes, it makes little difference where we're planted, we shall have plenty of company," I remarked to Mr. Hiner. "But it would undoubtedly make a difference," replied my companion; "a big difference. If you should happen to be planted for your long sleep just beneath where you lie, you would be wofully astonished when Gabriel blows his trumpet at the size and character of the crowd that will pop up in spirit or form out of this ground. I know to a dead certainty that they will be counted by thousands."

"Of course I am prepared to accept your opinion without comment, but the facts on which it is based would render it more satisfactory."

"My statement," replied my companion, "is easily demonstrated, if you are inclined to leave the shade long enough to investigate; or, which is perhaps, better, for I find it rather uncomfortably warm in the sun. I will sit here first and describe, as they say, the lay of the land. To begin, then, this is the Ohio bottom, and therefore a sandy formation made in ages past by the river. From beyond the line of that fence yonder you can see that it gradually slopes toward the water. Had the land been quite level, and had the river not been eating its way during many years into this bottom, gradually shelving off the bank, I should not be able to make the statement, which is beyond the shadow of doubt, that we now stand over a portion of a vast charnel-house, where lie the remains of thousand of human beings. It is the custom among farmers in plowing such sloping light land to throw the furrows to the lower side to prevent washing. This portion has been kept in cultivation a great many years in that manner. Year by year, however, it has washed off all the same. It was several years ago that Mr. Lockhart noticed that on every occasion when he plowed the ground the plowshare turned up what looked like fragments of bones. A closer examination of various specimens rendered it certain that they were human remains. When exposed to the air, however, they soon crumbled into fragments, and are seen no more until the next season's plowing turns up another installment, so that now you can follow the plow and gather basketfuls of these fragments. But those remains are not confined to this sloping bit of land. It is true that the plow doesn't turn up fragments on the higher ground there; but Mr. Lockhart built that fence which incloses it, and, on digging the post-holes, he informs me that his spade turned out these fragments from all of them. Now measure the inclosed space and the slope down to the river. There are not less than eight acres, and from my own personal observation I am satisfied that the bottom has lost off its front into the river not less than four acres, so that it may safely be said that this charnel house over which we stand covered not less than ten or twelve acres. But you will say that although the fragments are over the whole space and numerous, still it may not be an absolute certainty; first, that they are human relics, and second, that they may be numbered by thousands. Fortunately the shelving of the bank settles both these questions at once. Satisfactorily for them they lie in full form and figure in the beds made for them by those who buried them. I don't mean that you can see there well-preserved skeletons. They have lain too long for that but there they are in form and contour, lying side by side, and head to heel, packed in mussel shells, just as they are seen lying closely packed in the shelving bank. I have no doubt they have been laid all over the ground you see, for that alone will account for their being turned up everywhere by the plow, or wherever a spade is thrust in. Now consider, sir, ten acres paved with human bodies, and if you are orthodox enough in your belief regarding a future resurrection, judge whether I exaggerated when I said that the awakening trumpet would marshal you forth in company with thousands of strange companions. No, sir! If I were altogether orthodox and lived in that house, I should not provide such a source of astonishment for any of my race by burying them on the ground."

Your correspondent found Mr. Hiner to be a very truthful and conservative man, and could not avoid being impressed with the conviction that this plot of ground must prove interesting to antiquarians.

"Well, Mr. Hiner, you have apparently given considerable thought to these evidences of a prehistoric race. Have you any theories in regard to it?"

"Why, yes. I have given some thought to it. I have one of its rings with its center mound on my place opposite Vanceburg. Of course we can have nothing but guesses with which to answer the questions when this race came into the valleys of our great rivers, how long it remained, and when it became extinct. However, the more I have seen of these ancient mementoes and relics of the race the more thoroughly have I become confirmed in the opinion that these valleys were once quite densely populated by it. With all their differences, there is a sameness in the histories of all primitive peoples. Among all of them has not the circle been associated with friendly rivalries, feats of daring or agility, or religious ceremonies, or all combined? If they were devoted to religious ceremonies, it was upon the mounds that all could observe them; if of contests of strength or agility, or other exercises, it was from the mounds that those in authority must judge them. The testimony of history is that these circles indicate at least a semi-civilized social state, that had established periodical festivities and ceremonies, religious or otherwise. The universality of these mounds and circles indicate the same observances everywhere, and the unity of the race, while their dimensions would imply that they were designed for the accommodation of large crowds of people. I know of but one of them, that below Portsmouth, O., on the higher ground, built of stone. It looks more like a defensive work than any other, but I do not consider that their prime object. The magnitude of these works—some of them, at least—raises the farther presumption that they were not a nomadic race, and that if they built these they also constructed habitations for themselves in some analogous manner—that is, of earth. Villages, towns and even pretentious cities, such as now exist even in civilized countries, may have been scattered all over these valleys, constructed of materials of which not a vestige could be expected to remain. If these valleys were peopled by such numbers as I believe, of course, neither river nor forest would supply them with food, and a cultivation of the soil must be presumed. I know of but one ear of corn taken from a mound. It was thoroughly carbonized, which accounts for its preservation. That one ear demonstrates agricultural pursuits as well as a thousand. The old Antiquarian Society, whose work I have, was so impressed with Biblical history that it was bound to make out this race to be the descendants of the lost tribes of Israel, and persisted in bringing them here by the way of Behring's Straits. I most potently believed that they came the other way, swarming up the Ohio and Mississippi from the Gulf, perhaps the result of some social revolution among the populations of Mexico. When they came, how long they remained, and how they became extinct, whether by famine, pestilence or war, or why they swarmed southward again, if such be the fact, there is nothing on which to hinge even a guess. What was this? Was it a burial ground for a very large community, or were these the victims of some terrible slaughter in battle? What ceremonial of burial demanded such vast numbers of mussel shells, or did the sharp edges and smooth, hard surface of these prevent wild beasts from unearthing them? These have evidently been laid upon a common level and covered with earth. I suspect they were only fragments of the race who were honored with burial in the mounds. Now, you have the substance of my reflections upon this prehistoric race," concluded Mr. Hiner.—*Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.*

A Handsome Hint.

"You are not at all like Prince Bismarck," said a Brooklyn girl to her bashful sweetheart who timidly pressed her hand at parting, last evening.

With a puzzled look the young man replied:

"No; I—I should hope not. That is, I think so. I—I really don't know what you mean."

"Oh, I don't mean anything," said the maiden, with a pert toss of her head; "only I read the other day that the Prince always kisses a lady's hand when he buds her adieu."

The youth has overcome his bashfulness and is now taking lessons in labial osculation.—*N. Y. Journal.*

Crossing Swine.

The subject is one that will bear a few thoughts upon general principles. Of course there can be no objection to any one experimenting in the crossing of swine, if he is so disposed and is willing to take results as they come. But, except as an experiment, without entertaining any very definite ideas as to what will result, we should not advise a swine breeder who has had no experience in this line, to indulge in it. There has been a great deal of care exercised in creating our present breeds of swine, and it is pretty doubtful if it is worth while to even attempt to get anything better. The admirer of either of the breeds would of course, be quick to say that his was the best breed. That is very natural. But the *Rural* does not think that there is sufficient difference between the most common breeds in aggregate merits to make it important to decide which is the best. Personally, we have always bred Poland-China, and are satisfied with them. But we do not say that they are any better than Berkshire. We have become accustomed to Poland-Chinas, and keeping them is sort of a habit. The Berkshire is a grand good hog, and no man will ever regret investing in the breed. And we are inclined to think that the Jersey Red had better be kept pure, if it is kept at all. We have never had any prejudice against Jersey Reds, except as to their color, and that is only a matter of taste, and ought not to weigh anything as against a really good hog. In fact, we have rather admired the build of the hog, as we have seen it at the fairs, and have been favorably impressed with its merits as they have been described by those who are familiar with them. We have never had the least sympathy with the tirades which have been launched against this breed from some quarters. It has been attempted to be proved that they are no breed at all, but facts have not warranted anybody in taking that position. They transmit their characteristics, so far as we are informed, with as much certainty as either the Berkshire, Poland-China or any other breed does; and that constitutes them a breed. It makes no difference what their origin was, and discussion upon that point is time thrown away. There is the hog, with certain characteristics, which it transmits, and its origin is not of the slightest moment, if we like the hog or do not like it.

It has been said by those who are too enthusiastic in their admiration of other breeds that the Jersey Red is in the direction of primitive swine-breeding and means that those who breed them are going backward instead of forward. The hog itself answers that assertion. Its fine appearance, large size and generally commendable characteristics—as described by its breeders and not generally denied—are all against such a position. In New Jersey, where they have been bred for years, they are satisfactory, and if those who breed them are to be believed, a very profitable hog. Last winter, it will be remembered, we published the weights of individual animals in large herds, and they ranged from about seven hundred to one thousand pounds, if we remember rightly. The herd was a very large one, too. We ourselves, have seen a pen of ten Jersey Reds that weighed about ten thousand pounds in the aggregate. Now, here is the pork, and pork is what we are after. The only question is, what does it cost to produce it, and if it is of good quality? Of course a hog weighing one thousand pounds may not be as profitable as one that weighs, much less, and the pork may not be near as good. Neither of these questions applied to the Jersey Red are we capable of answering. But their breeders, who are reputable men as far as we know, do answer them favorable to the breed; and we know of no reason why their evidence should not be taken; unless it is contradicted by something better than mere theory. If we were breeding Jersey Reds, and they proved to be as satisfactory as they are represented as being, we should never think of crossing them; and if they were not satisfactory we sould not bother with crossing, while there are other good breeds so readily to be had. And we certainly should keep either the Poland-China or Berkshire pure. Still, as we have said before, if a swine-breeder desires to see what he can do, go ahead with the crossing. But we seriously doubt if any gain would be made. We have always opposed, as the reader knows, the crossing of pure bred sheep. We do not believe in it. In this case the object is usually to increase the size of the Merino. Our position is that when the Merino is brought to the largest possible size by careful selection all has been done that profitably can be done in that direction, for we cannot afford to increase the size at the cost of the fleece. It is different, of course, with swine, but still we believe it is best to keep the breeds pure.—*Western Rural.*

The Advantages of Intelligent Poverty.

A successful business man says that the children of home missionaries, and of poorly supported preachers, have better advantages than the children of wealth, and that observant employers know it. They have the advantage of the closest intimacy with a man of education and culture, their father, and with a mother who is his equal, for all practical purposes, in these accomplishments. They are led into the best society of the neighborhood where they live. In these advantages they are not second to the children of wealthy parents. With these they have the great advantage, which the others have not, of being trained in a family where the practice of economy and the cultivation of habits of industry are indispensable. They learn the value of industry by experience, and estimate money by what it costs. It is a fact, our informant tells us, that such young men and young women do find readier access into the avenues of promotion, and beat those who are apparently more favored, in the race in life. Every man or woman, who is a parent, soon ceases to toil for self and works for the children. But money will not give the benefits obtained by the children of educated and pious parents in very moderate circumstances. Such parents already have for their children that which money not only cannot purchase, but that which it pushes out of reach.—*Chicago Interior.*

—Stanley says he has made his last journey to Africa.

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In these times when these newspapers are flooded with patent medicine advertisements, it is gratifying to know what to procure that will certainly cure you. If you are Bilious or have Malaria, or your blood out of order, Liver inactive, or generally debilitated; there is nothing in the world that will cure you so quickly as Electric Bitters. They are a blessing to mankind, and can be had for only fifty cents a bottle.

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The Hart Argus has changed hands. Edgar Palmiter, of Grand Rapids, takes the editorship, and the paper will be the organ of the prohibition party in the future.

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D. A. Starkweather, foreman of the Slaight mill, two miles north of Stanton, was killed by the mill machinery. He leaves a wife and two children.

Eward Crawford, of Ithica, is the latest roller skating rink victim. He broke an arm.

The prevailing opinion regarding the girl of the period is unjust. A few decades back she spun, wove, knit, &c. These things have given way to modern machinery. She has higher planes, is more of an ornament; when in health is beautiful. She takes Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which clears the complection, drives away pimples and cures all diseases of the stomach, liver, and kidneys. Fifty cents of Baker & Hall.

The St. Clair council is still considering the question of waterworks. The plan of drawing from the Oakland hotel tanks does not seem likely to be adopted.

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A big suit is pending in Jackson growing out of the failure of Camp, Morrill & Camp, a heavy dry goods firm, which assigned two years ago.

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Factory men at Buchanan are experiening duller times than ever before, and nearly all are out of employment on account of the shops being closed.

The American Institute on Speer's Wines.

A committee was appointed to visit Alfred Speer's vineyards and wine cellars at Passaic, N. J. The following is the report: "Many will be surprised to learn that within so short a distance from New York City is an enterprise so extensive, of so much importance and so successful:

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A Frey family reunion was held at Mattison lake on the 3d, with 105 Freys present.

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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

IT was reported in New York on the 11th that the body of Private Henry, of the Arctic expedition, had been stolen at the instigation of relatives, so that the story of his having been eaten might be proved or disproved.

JAMES R. SHIPHERD, the victim of whose sentence of fine and imprisonment for peculations while an employe of E. M. Moffitt & Co. was being procrastinated by a petition in error in the Cuyahoga Common Pleas Court, committed suicide by hanging at his residence in Cleveland, O., on the 12th.

WILLIAM W. MESSER, a prominent citizen of East Bloomfield, N. J., and well known throughout the East, while in a fit of temporary insanity on the 12th shot his wife and daughter and then succeeded by shooting himself.

A. M. BOWSER, convicted of murder in the second degree for killing Obadiah Haymaker during the Murraysville (Pa.) gas well riots, and undergoing a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary, has been released on $15,000 bail, pending application to the Supreme Court for a new trial.

BUSINESS failures throughout the country for the seven days ended the 12th number in the United States 192, Canada 29, total 221, as against 203 last week.

APPLICATION has been made by the counsel of the Coal Miners' Association for the release of the sixty-five miners now in jail at Washington, Pa., on the charge of conspiracy, on the grounds that the commitments are defective.

HENRY L. ---, aged ninety-one, who died in Fairfax County, Va., recently, resided for many years near Mt. Vernon. To his dying day he asserted that the vault containing Washington's remains had been violated and the skull carried away to France, where it was sold. He said that the desecration was committed by sailors of a French ship anchored in the Potomac near Mt. Vernon, and the skull, which was taken away, was replaced by another.

THE Treasury Department has addressed a letter to the Commissioners of Immigration and others exercising discretion as to what class of emigrants shall be denied admission to this country, in which they are cautioned to exercise great care in determining what emigrants are likely to become public charges. Those coming from foreign almshouses should in all cases be excluded, but those arriving here in a penniless condition with plans or prospects for their own support, should not be returned.

FIFTEEN of the largest oil refiners in the country are in secret session at Pittsburgh. The object of the gathering is said to be to strengthen their fight against the Standard monopoly.

IN his annual report Land Commissioner McFarland will ask Congress for three special agents, one for each land district, to examine titles and bring to punishment those who make fraudulent entries. He says the present force is entirely inadequate for that purpose.

AT the wedding of S. D. Stoner and Mrs. M. J. Scott at Buruside, Illinois, on the 11th, canned fruit poisoned seventeen persons, including the bride and minister. Three of the victims, John Wilson, Jennie Estinghausen and Mrs. Breeden were not expected to live.

FIRE at East Liverpool, O., on the 12th destroyed N. W. Walker & Co.'s fire brick works, several small out-houses, six Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad freight cars and numerous telegraph poles. Loss $25,000.

AT Beaver, Pa., on the 12th Judge Hice refused to grant a new trial in the case of the city of Pittsburgh against Dr. David Hostetter, an action for the recovery of $300,000 damages from him as bondsman of A. Hartupee, contractor for the erection of water-works. The contract was not fulfilled, and Arbitrator Lowrey decided in favor of the city. The suit involves nearly $700,000.

E. J. SCOTT & Co.'s woolen mills at Portsmouth, O., burned on the 11th. Loss $30,000; fully insured.

THE schooner Dresden collided on the 11th off Cape Cod with the steamer Lorenzo Baker. The schooner sunk. All hands were saved.

THOMAS W. REDMOND, charged with attempting to poison the racing mare, Nora M., at the last meeting of the St. Louis Jockey Club, was discharged in the Criminal Court at St. Louis on the 12th, the prosecuting witness having failed to appear.

J. C. S. HARRISON, the bankrupt Indianapolis banker, has obeyed the order of the Supreme Court and paid over $6,000 of which he was responsible as receiver of the Indiana Banking Company at the time of the Harrison Bank suspension. Of this amount $3,000 was paid by Harris' wife and the balance was raised by his kinsmen. The indictment against him for embezzlement will be annulled.

STAFFORD & Co., of Pawtucket, R. I., manufacturers of cotton yarn, have failed. The firm owned and operated mills at Brighton and Barrowsville, Mass., and Pawtucket and Warwick, R. I., with an aggregate run of of 45,000 spindles. Liabilities about $300,000, and assets estimated about the same.

THE President has turned over to the Interior Department the military reservations at Fort Sandere, Wy., and the barracks at Baton Rouge, La., for disposal under the act providing for the sale of useless military reservations.

THE imports of dry goods into the port of New York for the week ended September 12 were $2,830,229, and the amount marketed $2,979,897. The total imports since January 1 were $89,043,615, against $91,699,919 for the same time last year, and the amount marketed was $86,214,584, against $90,457,813 in 1883.

THE Land Office has prepared for exhibition at the New Orleans Exposition a fine map of the United States, showing the boundaries of the original thirteen States and Territories ceded to the United States by France, Spain and Mexico.

HON. LYMAN F. TRUMBULL and E. G. Asay were on the 12th appointed examiners of the business of W. F. Storey, the insane proprietor of the Chicago *Times*. This concludes litigation for the present.

THE brig Anitoowns, recently arrived at New York, reports a terrible experience from yellow fever. Out of a crew of five and the captain, only one is left besides the captain, and he was down too.

THE first touch of winter was felt in Mount Washington, N. H., on the 13th. The summit was covered with snow and the temperature was twenty-two degrees.

THE explosion of a lantern in the distillery caused the destruction by fire of the two main buildings of the Montgomery Oil Works at Norristown, Pa., on the 15th. Six houses adjoining were also burned. Total loss, $40,000; no insurance. The works were burned last November, having since been rebuilt.

JOHN HARRIS and Michael Cully met a horrible death on the 13th while engaged in sinking a shaft for the Pennsylvania Coal Company at Port Blanchard, Luzerne County. The rope attached to the basket in which they were being lowered broke, and they were precipitated to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of 175 feet, killing them instantly.

PRESIDENT COSTELLO and Secretary Flannery, of the Miners' Association, charged with conspiring to prevent the non-union miners from working in the fourth pool, had a hearing at Pittsburgh on the 13th and were held in $600 bail each for trial in the Circuit Court.

A FIRE at Pierre, Dakota, on the 13th destroyed an entire block, including the First National Bank building, several dry goods stores, and the Palace Theatre. Loss $70,000; half insured.

THE National Association of Fire Engineers closed their week's session at Chicago on the 13th, and adjourned to meet at Long Branch next year, the date to be decided by the executive committee. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, D. E. Sweenie, of Chicago; Secretary, Henry A. Hill, of Ohio; Treasurer, A. C. Hendricks, of Cincinnati.

AT Muskegon, Mich., on the 13th McLane's sawmill, twenty houses occupied by employes and over a million feet of lumber were burned, entailing a loss of $25,000.

A SKIFF containing John Williams, colored, and his three sons, was run down by the excursion steamer Glenwood, on the Monongahela River near Pittsburgh on the 14th. Williams was killed and the boys seriously injured.

FRANK JONES, a lunatic, terrorized the people of Wellington, Kansas, on the 13th by riding through the streets armed with a Winchester rifle and firing into the residences of various citizens. He was finally captured after seriously wounding William Gaines, Street Commissioner, and a small child of J. M. McKee. Jones had recently been brought before a jury to have his sanity passed upon, and since then he had threatened to take the lives of all who testified against him.

THE Phillipsdill well recently struck on Thorn Creek, Butler County, Pa., is said to be the greatest well ever struck; the flow is almost unbroken, the oil rushing from the pipe in a large stream with almost as much force as water from a fire plug.

ON the 15th the floods in the Chippewa (Wis.) Valley were rapidly receding. Devastation was visible in every direction. The total loss will exceed $2,000,000.

THE planing mill of the Fort Madison Lumber Company, at Fort Madison, Iowa, together with a large quantity of valuable lumber was burned on the 15th. Loss $[illegible]

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended September 13: Loans increase, $1,526,800; specie decrease, $4,675,900; legal tenders increase, $317,300; deposits decrease, $943,900; circulation decrease, $89,900; reserve decrease, $1,234,525. The banks held $28,304,375 in excess of legal requirements.

THE schooner J. T. Mott, of Oswego, N. Y., was struck by an unknown craft on Lake Erie, four miles southeast of Colchester on the 12th and sunk in forty-two feet of water. The crew reached Colchester the next morning in a yawl.

THE imports of specie at the port of New York for the week ended September 13 were $9,436, making a total since January 1 of $83,702,953 against $40,832,755 the same time last year.

AN application of depositors for the appointment of a receiver for the defunct Penn Bank of Pittsburgh was refused on the 13th by Judge Ewing, who held that the assignee could maintain the claims which could be collected by a receiver.

CAPTAIN L. C. LEIB, postmaster at Ashland, Pa., was arrested on the 13th, charged with embezzling postal notes and money order funds.

THE boat race between Peter Priddy, of Pittsburgh, and James F. Norris, of Boston, for $1,000 a side, rowed on the Monongahela River on the 13th, was won by Norris by four lengths.

AFTER a suspension of three months the green glass bottle houses of D. O. Cunningham and Inmsen & Co., at Pittsburgh, have started their furnaces. Trade is reported unprecedentedly dull.

CARELESSNESS on the part of the train dispatcher caused two construction trains to collide on the Alton Railroad near Marshall, Mo., on the 13th. The engines and several cars were wrecked, and a number of workmen injured.

THE works of the Granby Mining and Smelting Company at Ossanigo, Mo., burned on the 14th. Loss heavy; including $40,000 worth of new machinery recently added.

OLIVER WORMALD, a Buffalo fresco painter, is perfecting arrangements for going over the cataract at Niagara Falls in a rubber ball for a purse of $1,000. The ball will be of rubber three-fourths of an inch thick, covered with closely braided tarred rope, and fifteen feet in diameter. Wormald expects the ball will receive sufficient momentum to hurl it a considerable distance beyond the falls and he will be picked up by one of the ferry boats plying at the Prospect Park inclined railway.

REGARDING the establishment of the new Bureau of Labor Statistics, the question has been raised whether the President can legally name a new Commissioner in place of Mr. Jarrett, whom he has been led to consider unfitted for the place. Mr. Jarrett has been confirmed as Commissioner by the Senate, and it is now a debatable question whether or not the President can, during the recess of Congress, make another appointment. The tenure of office act allows the President to fill during the recess of the Senate only such vacancies in the civil service as result from death, resignation, or inability to serve, and as there is no such vacancy in this case, it is uncertain how he may proceed.

THE steam tug Frank Somers exploded her boiler near City Point, Va., on the 14th and the boat sank. Captain James Cavanaugh and Fireman Dancey were drowned.

TWO men named Otto Loveland and Ole Strand, of Minneapolis, Minn., were drowned in Lake Minnetonka on the 13th by the capsizing of their boat.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

COMPLETE returns from the Maine election gives the total vote of the State at 142,410. Robie's majority for Governor over Redman is 20,615.

JUDGE JAMES EMOTT died at his home in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., on the 13th. He was Judge of the Supreme Court, the first Mayor of Poughkeepsie, and for twenty-three years President of the Merchants' National Bank of that city.

OFFICIAL returns of the Arkansas election show the vote cast for Governor to be as follows: Hughes, Democrat, 99,972; Bolen, Republican, 55,736; Hughes' majority, 44,136.

T[illegible] to rule the plaintiff to answer interrogatories in the Blaine-Sentinel libel suit was argued in the United States District Court at Indianapolis on the 13th. At its conclusion Judge Woods declined to rule on the motion. This action of the judge leaves it optional with Blaine's attorneys as to answering the interrogatories.

HON. WILLIAM SHERMAN, ex-United States Sub-Treasurer, died at San Francisco on the 12th. He was a relative of General W. T. Sherman, and the possessor of large wealth.

ROBERT HOE, the well known printing press manufacturer, died at his residence in Tarrytown, N. Y., on the 13th of malarial fever, aged seventy years.

C. C. BURGER, of Cleveland, was nominated for Congress by the Republican Convention of the Twenty-first Ohio District on the 13th.

ARCHIBALD WRIGHT, former Judge of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, and for years a recognized leader of the bar in that State, died at Ravenel Springs, Ark., on the 14th, aged seventy-four.

JUAN RAMEN, a Spaniard, who for two months has been elevator man and porter at the Evans House, Springfield, Mass., on the 13th received information through the Spanish Consul at New York that he had fallen heir to an estate valued at $8,000,000 through the death of an uncle.

DR. R. K. ENOS, a prominent citizen of Millersburg and one of the first settlers of Holmes County, Ohio, died at his home on the 13th in the seventy-ninth year of his age.

E. LATHAM, editor of the Statesville *American*, the leading Republican paper in North Carolina, was found dead in bed on the morning of the 14th.

FOREIGN.

A DISPATCH of the 11th from Naples says the situation continues of the most gloomy character. The ravages of the cholera increases hourly, and a feeling of the deepest gloom pervades the city. The misery and suffering among the poor is simply appalling. For the twenty-four hours ended at nine p. m. there were 966 fresh cases and 328 deaths.

AN animated discussion is going on in the English newspapers regarding the killing of the boy Parker by the survivors of the wrecked yacht Mignonette in order to keep themselves alive. The balance of opinion decidedly favors the view that it was a case of justifiable homicide. The prisoners were long the charge on the 12th when they were released on bail.

AT MIDLAND, Ontario, on the 12th, fire destroyed a block of buildings on King street, extending from the Queen's Hotel to Dominion Avenue. Lost, $50,000; partially insured.

THE Great Eastern will sail October 15, bringing from Europe Government and individual exhibits free to the World's Exposition at New Orleans.

A PEKIN dispatch of the 13th to the London *Times* says the reply of the Tsung Li Yamen to the French ultimatum of July 12 deplores the refusal of France to accept America's offer of mediation and says China is willing to submit her case to any friendly power.

THE cotton industry in Lancashire, Eng., is suffering the severest depression in many years. Short hours and only four days in the week are general. Many mills are closed altogether. In the Rosendale district thirty mills have shut down.

ON the 13th Queen Victoria sent a message of condolence to Queen Margherita of Italy, in view of the virulent outbreak of cholera in Naples.

A DISPATCH of the 13th from Bets Cove N. F., reports the caving in of a copper mine resulting in the death of Alonzo Briggs and the serious injury of several other workmen.

THE English Government has sent 16,000 pounds of dynamite to Egypt with the view of exploding a passage-way for the boats through the Nile cataracts.

ORDERS have been issued in Cairo directing the use of the desert route from Debbeh to Khartoum in case the Nile route fails. Agents are securing Upper Egypt buying camels. Over 30,000 of these animals will accompany the expedition.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Sept. 5, 1884.

Present the entire council, except Mr. Bills.

The minutes so amended as to include the instructions to the Sexton to trim the trees in the cemetery according to his taste and discretion.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Fire committee reports repairs necessary at the water works.

The following bills presented:

Wm. Brown	$11.25
Slayton & Son	53.25
J. L. Schoolcraft	50.00

Referred to finance committee.

The following bills recommended for payment by the finance committee.

E. P. Deuel, saw filing	$.00
E. N. Avery, repairs on velocipede	1.20
S. C. Stacy, printing	11.50
Wm. Brown	11.25
J. L. Schoolcraft, spreading taxes for '83	20.00
" " spreading poll tax and furnishing copy amended ordinance	5.00
" " one half year services as Recorder	25.00
John McConnell, balance due	19.53

Petition for side walk on the east side of Democratic street. Refered to the street commissioner for investigation.

Report of former Sexton, John McConnell, referred to cemetery committee. Said committee also to move and repair tool house at cemetery.

The Recorder's resignation taken from the table and accepted and councilman Marsden elected as Recorder Pro Tem.

Moved that the council hereafter meet at 7 P. M., meridian time. Carried.

Council adjourned.

JOHN L. SCHOOLCRAFT, Recorder.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending Sept. 16.

ADRIAN.

J. C. Palmer to Wm Philbeam. Land on sec. 5. $250

TECUMSEH.

Albert Anderson to S. W. Anderson. Land on Hoag add. $50.

MARRIED.

BRYAN—PRICHARD—In this village on the 16th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents by the Rev. J. Phelps, William Henry Harrison Bry and Miss Bessie Florine Prichard.

LOST.—Tuesday last, between Russell's corner and Thomas Murphey's in Macon, a box containing gold locket and chain, ear-rings, &c. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning the same to the HERALD office.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Sept. 16, 1884:

Berry, Mrs. George N.	Langston, T.
Carey, Charles	Ryan, Jerry D.
Currier, F. M.	Somes, John
Cockroll, Henry W.	Turner, Emerson
Johnson, J. C.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @ 2.00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@ 00
Butter, ₱ ℔	17 @ 18
Carrots, ₱ bushel	50 @ 1 00
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50 @ 1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @ 1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@ 3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00 @ 8 50
Beef Hides	8 @ 07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	80 @ 1 00
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @ 60
Clover Seed	5 25 @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@ 14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00 @ 5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @ 6 [illegible]
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @ 5 00
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@ 15
Ham, ₱ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₱ ℔	@ 12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @ 35
Onions, ₱ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @ 40
Salt, ₱ barrel	@ 1 65
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@ 10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@ 75
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@ 75
Wool	18 @ 27

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A CURE FOR GRAVEL.

A Common and Painful Complaint—A Statement you may Confide in

It seems to have been reserved for Dr David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., to accomplish, through his preparation widely known as KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY, what others have failed to compass. The subjoined letter will be found of vital interest to sufferers from gravel and to the general public:

ALBANY, March 20, 1884.

Dr. D. Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—Let me tell you frankly that I have never been partial to proprietary medicines, as I believe the majority of them to be, nothing better than obtaining money from people whom suffering makes ready to catch at any hope of relief. They are mean cheats and delusions. But your Favorite Remedy I know by happy experience to be a totally different thing. I had been a sufferer from gravel for years, and had resorted to many eminent physicians for relief, but no permanent good came of it. About three years ago your Favorite Remedy was recommended to me. I can give you the result in a sentence: I tried it and it cured me completely. I am confident it saved my life. You can use this letter if you think best. Yours, etc.,

NATHAN ACKLEY,

Captain Nathan Ackley was for a long time connected with the Canal Appraisers office in Albany. He is well known and writes for no purpose but to do good to others.

As a medicine for all diseases of the blood, liver, kidneys and digestive organs, Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has fairly won its high reputation. Write if desirable to Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.

ESTATE OF JOHN F. SCHREDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 17th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John F. Schreder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Israel H Schreder and William H Arner, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate and the specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. 8 p18

DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon, will, on Tuesday the 30th day of September 1884 at the house of James Liddle in said township, at one o'clock in the afternoon, meet parties for the letting of contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Township Drain No. 7, beginning lot 6 north of the southwest corner of Section six in Macon, running thence nearly east 140 rods; and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications therefor made by me, and now remaining in my office, for the least sum of money and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned to reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated Sept. 18 1884.

EDWIN HOWELL,
Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. 8 p18

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc., call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

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The public must not accept any but original goods bottled by us, as the imitations are worthless.
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The Tecumseh Herald.

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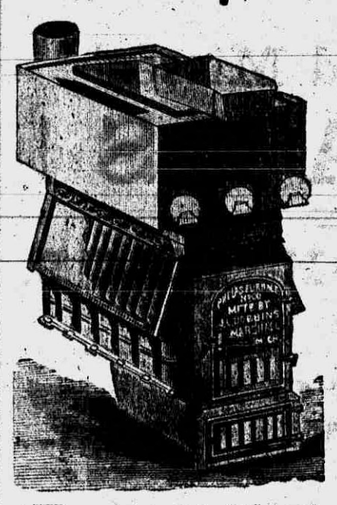

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RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Miss Lena Smith was the guest of Miss Belle Barlow Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Riggs is visiting at Saline this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Palmer of Hillsdale, made their relatives a visit Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burlingame of Tecumseh, called on friends Friday afternoon.

Mr. Geo. Exelby and Mrs. C. B. Sutton are very sick at present.

Mrs. R. T. Bush and Miss Ella Hall of Brooklyn, N. Y. arrived Saturday noon and will make their mother, Mrs. L Hall, a visit.

Choir school Saturday night.

The earthquake last Friday afternoon was felt very distinctly.

Dr. R. H. Nelson and family and Misses Mary and Kittie Clark, visited friends at Raisinville, Monroe Co., Friday and Saturday.

Quite a good attendance at the social Friday night, and all enjoyed themselves eating melons and snapping seeds. Receipts $6,00.

Mrs. Emeline Smith left last week Wednesday to visit friends in Clinton county.

Mr. Willie Allen spent the Sabbath at Jerome with his brother Frank.

Miss Lynda Ransom is home for a few days.

Mr. C. A. Sharp spent the Sabbath with his parents.

Mr. Wm. Pilbeam is getting the material on the ground for a new house. So groweth our city.

Rumor has it that Milan is to have a $10,000 Opera House and that they have a graded school with Eugene Gregory as Supt. and Miss Allie McNeill second primary teacher. They employ 4 teachers and have 160 students.

The M. & O. company have built a convenience for unloading grain and put in a set of scales, and enlarged the stock yards.

Prohibition meeting at Joseph Exelby's new store at Britton next Friday evening, addressed by Prof. E. G. Walker, candidate for Judge of Probate, and Geo Humphrey, candidate for legislature, and A. O. Crosier.

The junior scholars of Miss Belle Barlow's music class enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon at Miss Barlow's Saturday. After a few hours of amusement ice cream, candy and cake were served. She has a class of 11 scholars. She will resume her study in music with Prof. Rupp of Adrian, this week.

MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Dr. Chambers of Ft. Wayne, Ind., is visiting relatives in Macon.

Judge Howell and his son Beecher, visited relatives in Macon last week.

Jo Sage and John Cary are making improvements on their lot by repairing buildings, etc. A good idea.

A few Maconites enjoyed the beautiful scenery of Sand Lake last Saturday. They reported everything pleasant except the dust.

We reported in our last items that Miss Hattie Smith had been engaged as assistant teacher in our school. It seems that she was employed only until another teacher could be secured. As the Board has hired an assistant, Miss Smith retired after having taught one week. If Miss Smith could have been persuaded to remain in the school she would have done excellent work.

The representative district convention, held in Tecumseh last Tuesday, renominated Hon. Geo. Howell, of Macon. He was one of the most efficient members of the last legislature, and consequently he justly deserved renomination.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Verne Hoxie is improving.

Farmers are getting their winter supply of coal; several car loads have arrived.

Mrs. Weeks and Mrs Ramsdell of Hanover, are visiting their sister Mrs. Dr. Begel.

W. J. Holdridge and wife are visiting friends at Williamston.

Conrad Atwell and wife have gone over to Rollin to see about things.

Picnic at Friends Church last Saturday and pleasant time reported.

Geo. Soper moved to Tecumseh last Tuesday. Good bye, George.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Friday was observed as family jar day, and most everybody thought their neighbors in a muss. There was a movement below, indicating removal of props, and some of the nervous ran out doors looking as if they expected every moment to be their next. Opinion is divided as to whether it was an earthquake, the republican party stumbling over Blaine's amendment vote, or that gentleman's tumble to his party's twenty year's temperance racket. If the first, a platform should be built wide enough to cover unexpected opening right away; and if the other, it bodes no good to those who have salamed to whisky, curtisied to prohibition, and winked at a system of make-shift expediency, that comes the pearest to remission of sins, of anything ever made into a dissolving view and fitted to the bottom of a bottle.

Its all on account of overproduction of schemes to enrich a few and send the rest to Texas that this great triumph of art has been framed in glass; yet, some very good men point proudly to their record of republican votes. They began voting for men and methods, representing justice to all, and on the principle of once right always right, have kept right on. If the HERALD was a prohibition paper one could ask what analogy exists between prohibiting a man from selling black men's children at auction and selling men the right to entice his own into slavish habits; but as its columns are only open to topics of general interest, I'll skip the query and ask instead, why all the boys and girls in their town are only valued at three hundred dollars for the lump, and one bright, active, colored boy sold for four times as much in those good old days of patriotism? It was republicanism pure and unsullied, that prohibited black slavery, and it is republicanism adulterated with everything but purity that impels men to sell others the right to demoralize their own children. They may plead mother's influence as a counter-actant of temptation, but the task of hedging her family from the crafts and assaults of the combination is disportionate to the much vaunted weakness of woman, especially if the father by vote and example, makes home sacredness depend on marketing grain at distilleries. They are liable to quakes.

Now that I think of it, why is wheat but seventy-two cents per bushel and hoarded in bins, and beer and whisky firm at five and ten cents a glass, with limited sale of the first, and unlimited demand and supply of the last without danger of overproduction? Perhaps farmers can solve the puzzle, for incompatibility of prices vex them as much as political creeds do editors, only the latter are less color blind. A few months ago leading journals spoke with authority against sumptuary laws that interfered with men's personal liberty, and one even advocated children's voting for beer or no beer, subject to the dictation of parents. Now it modulates personal liberty to drowning one's self, and discourages all attempts at leaving an open hole in the water. PEARLIE.

ONSTED ODDS.

C. E. Marshall has improved the looks of his blacksmith shop by covering it with new siding. He expects to have it painted in a few days.

Wilson Lee, of Eagle, Clinton county, has purchased a lot of J. E. Gibbs and will soon erect a building to be used for a boot and shoe store.

Onsted's base ball players will go to Springville next Saturday to play with the Springville boys. We wish them good success.

James Braynard is painting M. P. Wemple's house and the grain elevator. He also has the job of repainting the church.

Mrs. Vorhees, who was visiting at her daughter's, Mrs. E. Harris, fell downstairs, breaking a shoulder bone, last Sunday morning.

A. O. Crozier, of Ann Arbor, spoke at Springville last Monday afternoon on the subject of prohibition. After the speaking a Prohibition club was organized with fifteen voters and nine ladies.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Our usual quiet town was thrown into a feverish excitement on Friday aftornoon last by an earthquake which for a few moments, frightened quite a considerable number of our quiet citizens. The shock was felt preceptably at several places in town, and especially at the school hall, where the building rocked too and fro, but no harm was done to the building and all was quiet in a short time, and next day all was forgotten. We noticed on the corner, the next day, some parties who seemed to be looking for a suitable place to erect a pole, and when asked what kind of a pole they were going to raise, they seemed to incline to secrecy on the subject, so we concluded that Belva Ann had a party here, but on Tuesday last we noticed they had changed the base of their operations and that they would raise the pole near the Town Hall, and when raised it would float the names of Blaine and Logan.

Frank Brown's tinner has arrived and has gone to work with a will that shows he understands his business and is willing to work. Frank says bring along your work and try him; would also be glad of any jobs of troughing and spouting that may be offered to him.

Mr. Freese has now commenced to demolish the inside of his store preparatory to modernizing the same. May he receive the patronage due so good a merchant as Mr. Freese.

Saxton & Swift have commenced buying apples and are now ready to receive and pay for all the marketable apples they can get. So bring along your apples and get your money.

Hause Bros. are now making cider and are prepared to make more and better cider than ever before. We notice that as Prohibition flourishes cider increases.

We noticed on our streets to-day the genial face of J. M. Kerridge, our Methodist minister, who has returned to Clinton to stay another year. A worthy man and may he be successful in his labors here.

Wednesday afternoon, the pole-raising. The pole itself is a nice, smooth Tamarack, and we understand it measures 135 feet in length. The rain began to fall about the time they got ready to raise, which cooled the enthusiasm of some of the political heros and hindered operations somewhat, but with commendable pluck of the people who had set about doing the business with a will, the pole was raised in good shape, without accident, and now floats a nice large flag bearing the inscription of Blaine and Logan. The pole up in the fore part of the evening, the band discoursed some good music, after which Capt. Allen proceeded to make his speech, and to eulogize the Republican party and the candidates for office, all of which was greedily devowered by the Republicans. Their energy and cheek deserves success.

The Clinton High School Literary Society held its first regular meeting last Friday evening. There was a good attendance and the following program was presented:

Inaugural address—Prof. I. B. Laflin.
Oration—Mr. Geo. McConnell.
Essay—Miss Sinclair.
Recitation—Miss Agnes Kirk.

The meetings of the Literary will be held on Friday evening of each week.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Cider mill is ready for business.

Brick yard will not be started as reported last week on account of inability to procure clay.

Dr. and C. L. Vaughn are entertaining their brother from York State this week.

We quite often hear the remark that our county fair should have been two or three weeks ago, and prevented the drought.

The St. John and Daniel meeting held at Ayres' hall last Monday at 2 P. M. was quite well attended and those that came felt well repaid for the trouble.

The next political speech will be delivered by L. H. Salsbury and Col. Eldridge at 2 P. M. next Saturday.

At about 10 A. M. Tuesday morning last, Mr. Robert Dowling, an aged and respected pioneer of this township died with old age. Deceased had outlived his alloted time by ten years, his 80th birthday being last March.

REPUBLICAN DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The Republican convention for the first district assembled at the Opera House in Tecumseh last Tuesday.

It was called to order by C. T. Crandall, on whose motion Hon. A. D. Gilmore was elected chairman. Willis Hood was chosen Secretary.

Committees on Credentials and permanent organization were appointed, and soon after reported. Their reports were accepted. The temporary officers were made permanent.

On motion of A. W. Mills the convention proceeded to the nomination of a candidate for representative. N. L. Pratt and W. W. Frasier were appointed tellers. An informal ballot was taken with the following result.

George Howell—38.
Thomas Macomb—18.

A formal ballot was then taken with this result.

George Howell—42.
Thomas Macomb—10.

The Chair then appointed a district committee of one from each township.

Clinton—J. W. Burchard.
Tecumseh—A. W. Mills.
Macon—M. S. Morden.
Ridgeway—J. F. Temple.
Raisin—Nathan Spencer.
Palmyra—E. Stafford.
Deerfield—Willis Hood.
Blissfield—Geo. R. Carpenter.
Ogden—H. F. Fuller.
Riga—T. G. Chandler.

The nominee, Dr. George Howell, was then introduced who made a few remarks thanking the delegates for the honor conferred upon him, after which the convention adjourned.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending September 23, 1884:

In the matter of the adoption and change of name of Jessie M. Gee to Jessie M. G. Downer; declaration of intention filed; order of adoption filed; order of adoption and change of name.

Estate of Nancy C. Smith, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing September 29.

Estate of Clarissa A. Carpenter, an insane person; affidavit of service filed; testimony taken; order allowing guardian to expend a part of the principal of ward's property for her support; resignation of guardian and petition for appointment of new guardian filed; hearing October 6.

Estate of Josiah Carpenter, an incompetent persson; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Albert E. Brown, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Joseph Slater, deceased; order of continuance until Sept. 29, at ten o'clock A. M.

Estate of Harriet Jeffrey, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $1,000.

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond and letters; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John H. Wilson, et. al., minors; affidavit of service filed; resignation of guardian accepted; order appointing a new guardian; bond $2,500.

Estate of Willard Smith, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of Sarah L. Drake, an alleged indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum, hearing September 12; affidavit of service filed; testimony taken; order for admission.

Estate of John Kipp, deceased; commissioner's warrant and report filed.

Estate of Joseph Green, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing Oct. 13.

Estate of John S. Clark, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Nancy Reed, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Oct. 16.

Estate of John Thompson, an incompetent person; resignation of guardian and petition for appointment of a new guardian; hearing Oct. 6.

Estate of Herbert M. Temple, et. al., minors; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of David Waltermire, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Parley J. Spaulding, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Sept. 29, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Henry D. C. Tuttle, deceased, administrators' final account allowed; receipt; discharge.

Estate of John Bavis, deceased; executor's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Elvira Taylor, deceased; executor's final account allowed; order of distribution.

Estate of Cyrenus Farmer, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Charles H. Adler, minor; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John T. Comstock, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $5,000.

Estate of Abram Bovee, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report in dower; order of confirmation.

Estate of John J. Nachtrieb, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Selah Woodworth, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

ADRIAN DISTRICT APPOINTMENTS.

The following are the appointments of the Detroit Conference for the Adrian District of the M. E. Church.

Adrian Dist.—Wm. I. Campbell, P. E.
Addison—Alphonso Crane.
Adrian—J. Wilson.
Ann Arbor—R. B. Pope.
Augusta—E. P. Pierce.
Blissfield—E. A. Braw.
Carlton and Sheffield—D. B. Millar.
Chelsea—J. A. McIlwain.
Deerfield—John Wesley.
Dexter—A. B. Wood.
Dixborough—A. W. Stocken.
Dundee—H. W. Wright.
Fairfield—T. L. Osborne.
Franklin—A. B. Storms.
Grass Lake—R. Woodham.
Henrietta—D. W. Giberson.
Hudson—J. L. Hudson.
Lambertville—A. W. Whitcomb.
Lima and Sylvan—W. Pierce.
Manchester & Sharon—D. R. Shier.
Medina—J. Johnson.
Milan and Oakville—O. F. Winter.
Monroe—C. M. Cohen.
Morenci—J. C. Wortley.
Napoleon and Brooklyn—W. M. Campbell.
Palmyra and Raisin Valley—M. H. McMahon.
Petersburg—L. H. Dean.
Ridgeway—W. J. Clark.
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VIRTUE ITS OWN REWARD.

The King of Somewhere loved the Queen
Of Somewhereelse most dearly,
And in his courtier Gobetween
Confided he sincerely.

The courtier was a pleasant man,
Of readiest invention,
And always had some clever plan
To hold the king's attention.

The Queen was coy and hard to please,
As best beseemed her station;
The King upon his bended knees
Must kept in supplication.

No favoring answer would she give,
No smile of sad consenting;
And while the King was fain to live,
Yet life was all lamenting.

At last he prayed his Courtier wise
To aid in his proceeding;
The Courtier's ready wife devise
Plans worthy of his breeding.

He hastened to the haughty Queen,
And praised his Royal Highness;
So wily was this Gobetween,
He chuckled o'er his shyness.

The Queen was softened by his art,
And when her suitor tendered
His royal kingdom (and his heart),
She graciously surrendered.

The King and Queen lived happily,
In hand and heart were wedded;
As for the Courtier—let me see—
Oh, yes—he was beheaded.

—*Stanley Wood, in Century.*

MRS. TOM HARDING.

One of the Season's Nantucket Idyls.

The out-bound steamer from New Bedford, stopping at Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket, swept gayly out of the harbor. Two young women in simple traveling costume sat on the deck and looked down on the many-shaded green waters below—Miss Morgan and Miss Ford. The latter was tall, dignified and blonde, and three years the senior of the petite, dark-eyed friend at her side. It was she who spoke, with just a trifle of annoyance in her voice:

"It's too absurd, Amy. You can never carry out such a plan; you will get into all kinds of scrapes and tell so many fibs."

Miss Morgan, coolly—"What are fibs in a good cause, my dear? You will see it will be the simplest thing in the world, and I do so want to see life from a married stand-point."

Miss Ford—"Then *why* didn't you marry? I'm sure there was Harry Thorndyke—"

Miss Morgan, with fierceness—"Bel, if you ever allude to that again—"

"I won't, dear," said her friend, soothingly, "but since you didn't marry I can't see why—"

"That's just it," answered Miss Morgan, eagerly; "if I had married I should wish to appear single. Come, Bel, I'll chaperone you beautifully. Let me have my own way, won't you, dear?"

Miss Ford, with resignation—"When do you not have your own way, Amy? But you'll repent it, and I shan't have one moment's peace."

"Repent it? Never! Now for a name. Mrs—Mrs— What *is* my husband's name, Bel?"

"I decline all acquaintance with myths."

Miss Morgan, after some thought—"I have it now Bel, dear, let me present you to Mrs. Harding, Mrs. Tom Harding, of Nashville. Nashville is a good far-off place, you know."

Miss Ford tried to frown, but laughed instead and bowed. "Now, Mrs Harding," she said, "perhaps you will find time to look at this charming scenery," and they fell to talking of the beauty of the waves and the white-sailed vessels outlined against the distant horizon.

They sat slightly apart from the crowd of fellow-passengers, and, absorbed in their talk, did not note a single listener, who stole guiltily away as the steamer neared the Vineyard. The listener was a young man, tall and comely, with laughing blue eyes and fine, clear-cut features He wore a suit of well-fitting gray, and carried in his hand a traveling satchel neatly lettered "T. H." His face betokened a little perplexity and much amusement, as he sauntered to another part of the deck, and devoted himself to the pages of a Nantucket guide. He glanced now and then at the young women who had so unwittingly bestowed upon him their confidence, and, as he did so, he smiled.

They talked on in desultory fashion till the summer twilight fell, and the picturesque old town of Nantucket rose in sight. Miss Morgan sprang up from her chair, and, gathering her wrap around her in a careless though not ungraceful way, called her friend: "Come, Bel, I'm longing to begin my new life," and they threaded their way deftly through the crowd to the landing-place below. There they quickly got into a carriage and rolled away through the cobbled-paved streets, with the hoarse notes of the town-crier ringing in their ears. They looked about them eagerly, noting the quaint old houses, and the charming grass-grown streets.

"Oh, Bel," cried Amy, "I'm half sorry we came."

"Why, dear?" asked her friend.

"Because I shall never want to go away again."

They breakfasted gayly the next morning, bestowing but slight attention on their fellow-boarders. They had a map of the island spread out before them, and occasionally invoked the aid of the Nantucket waitress in making their plans for the day.

"There's the old mill, the old house, Surf-side and 'Sconset," said the young woman, conscientiously checking off the spots of interest on her fingers as she spoke, "and Wauwinet, and—"

"Oh, don't, please," interrupted Amy, "don't tell any more I am bewildered now. Bel, what do you say to a walk along shore this morning, and the old mill this afternoon?"

Her friend assented, and they rose from the table and went out in the hall.

"How delightfully free I feel," said Amy, as she stopped at the desk and began to turn over the pages of the register. "I told everybody not to write to me, and I shall write to no one."

She scanned page after page without comment till her eyes rested on the one where she had inscribed her friend's name and her own the night before.

"Bel," she gasped, "look here!" and she turned to her friend a face of horrified surprise!

There were the names she had registered there the previous evening:

Mrs. Tom Harding, Nashville, Tenn.
Miss Isabel Ford, New York.

But beneath them was another in a bold and manly hand:

Tom Harding, Nashville, Tenn.

"How perfectly shocking! What shall I do?"

It was quite late in the afternoon when they climbed the stairs of the old mill, and they found the miller alone. He was an old sailor, brown and weather-beaten, with kindly dark eyes and queer little gold rings, sailor fashion, in his ears. He was a Portuguese, he told them, was born in the Azores, and had spent many years of his life upon the sea.

"Do you like America?" asked Bel.

"Yes, yes, I like it here, it's a big country, but I like better go home to the Azo'. My woman, she have her brother here, and so I stay."

"I hope you will go home some day," cried Amy, impulsively, putting out her hand.

"Oh, yes, I tink so, write you name in my book before you go?" and he proudly produced a register, the gift of some former visitor.

"You write, Amy," said Bel, and the old miller bent over her chair, as she entered:

Mrs. Tom Harding,
Miss Isabel Ford.

He looked at the names curiously a moment and said: "You husband here little while ago. You to meet him when you come?" and turning back to the page before, pointed out:

Tom Harding, Nashville, Tenn.

Amy crimsoned but said nothing.

"It is no you husband?" he persisted.

"Yes—no—I don't know," stammered Amy. "Come, Bel, we must go."

"I tink you catch him if you make haste," said the miller placidly.

They were a little late at supper that evening, and found the chair opposite their own, on whose emptiness they had congratulated themselves in the morning, filled. The occupant was a tall young man with genial blue eyes and clear-cut features. Formalities are blown away in sea breezes, and when he had passed the butter and the cold meat, and Bel had responded with proffers of jelly, they began to converse quite as a matter of course. He said that he had been at Surfside in the morning and out rowing in the harbor later in the day. It was Bel who answered his remarks; Amy sat in silence, occasionally flashing dark eyes at the stranger, as if wishing to wrest from him his name and habitation.

"We were at the old mill this afternoon," she said, with a little abruptness as they were rising from the table.

"Indeed," he answered politely, "it is called an interesting old place, I believe," and poor Amy felt that her remark had been made in vain.

"I'd give anything if I hadn't begun it," she admitted to her friend as they mounted the stairs to their own room; "but I'll carry it out to the end now," she added, defiantly. "If I only knew who that dreadful Tom Harding was!"

Two or three days glided by in uneventful comfort. Mrs. Harding, *nee* Morgan, and Miss Ford loitered about the queer old streets and whiled away pleasant hours in the bric-a-brac shops. It was in one of those that they heard of a museum kept by a sea-Captain's widow, and decided to visit it. The afternoon was rainy and they found the little room well filled.

"Come right in, young women," said a hospitable voice as they passed in the door. "Young man, hand those women some chairs."

They were seated, and after a moment's pause the lecture went on.

"Barnacles from a ship's bottom," said the lecturer, displaying some specimens as she spoke, "of which they form themselves on the ship's bottom and prevent it from sailing."

Amy stifled a laugh behind her fan, and looking around to avoid meeting her friend's eyes, encountered those of the young man who sat opposite them at table. They exchanged a glance of sympathy and amusement

"This," said the widow, "is the head-dress of a chief's daughter worn at boat-racing, of which the materials are found in the palm-tree, and a very beautiful head-dress it is. Will thee put it on, my dear?" addressing Amy.

After a moment's hesitancy, Amy complied, and the curious structure proved not unbecoming to her glowing face and dark eyes.

"Behold thy face.
And think no disgrace,"

quoted the lecturer, offering a small hand-glass as she spoke.

When the exhibition was over, Amy and her friend lingered to ask a question or two, and were called upon to register their names.

"One would think everybody here kept an intelligence office," grumbled Amy, as she again wrote her friend's name and her own baleful title.

And she bade good bye to her hostess—a formality carefully observed by all visitors—the old lady detained her.

"Where does thee live, my dear?" she asked, looking kindly at the pretty young face.

"I am visiting in New York with my friend Miss Ford," answered Amy with an attempt to draw Bel into the conversation, but the young lady was intent on some ivory carvings, and turned a deaf ear to the appeal.

"Is thee a married woman?" next inquired the old lady.

Poor Amy looked up to find the eyes of the young man fixed upon her with decided interest.

"Yes, I think so," she said, confusedly, and was fain to get away.

"Has thee a good husband, my child?"—but the young man came to her rescue.

"Good-bye, madame," he said, holding out his hand. "I have enjoyed the afternoon greatly."

"I am glad thee has, friend, I like thy face. Come again and see me. What is thy name, so that I may remember thee?"

He cast a look of mingled deprecation and amusement at Amy's retreating figure and, answered distinctly: "Harding, Tom Harding, from Tennessee."

Amy did not appear at supper that night, and Miss Ford in answer to Mr. Harding's question said briefly that she was tired.

As they sat in their room that evening, they heard the twang of a guitar in the parlor below, and snatches of song sung in a fine baritone voice.

"Oh, we had such a treat last night, Mrs. Harding," said one of the ladies, meeting her on the stairs next morning, "your husband's singing is charming; we were so sorry you were too tired to join us."

"I haven't any husband," cried Amy, fiercely. "That is," she added, lamely, "he isn't here."

"Oh," said the lady, with a certain inflection. "We all thought from your having the same name, and coming from the same place, and eating at the same table, you know. It is odd, isn't it? Quite a coincidence! One of your husband's cousins, I suppose?" she added, insistently.

"My husband has no cousins," said Amy, and the lady passed on to confide to another guest that she thought "young Mrs. Harding was, to speak as mildly as possible, odd."

Amy said nothing to her friend of this encounter, but proposed a visit to Wauwinet and Coatue in search of shells. As they glided along over the blue waters in the yacht Lilian, she forgot for the nonce the troubles of matrimony and the inconvenient presence of Mr. Tom Harding from Tennessee. Coming home toward evening, they were met in the hall by the waitress who handed Miss Ford a card.

"He asked particularly if one of you ladies wasn't small, with big dark eyes and I told him yes, and then he asked if there wasn't a Miss Morgan here with Miss Ford, and I said, no, there wasn't, and he seemed real surprised when I said there wa'n't only you and Mrs. Harding as come together, and he said he'd call this evening, and he hoped he'd find you as he was going away to-morrow."

Having thus delivered her message, the girl went away, and left them alone. Bel held the card out silently to Amy. She took it mechanically from Miss Ford's hand, looked at it helplessly a moment, and then dropped it on the floor with a little gesture of despair. It bore on its smooth, white surface the inscription—"Harry Thorndyke, New York."

They ate supper in a pensive silence, broken now and then by a remark from Mr. Harding and a brief reply from Miss Ford.

The young man glanced now and then at Miss Ford's companion, but beheld nothing but downcast lashes for his pains.

"I shall be sick this evening, Bel," said Amy, decidedly, as they paused a moment in the parlor, "and you may tell Harry Thorndyke what you like."

"But he didn't come to see *me*, Amy," expostulated Miss Ford.

The woman who deliberates is lost. A tall figure darkened the door.

"Then you are here, after all, Miss Morgan," and Harry Thorndyke shook hands rapturously with poor Amy. "I never was so down in my life as when the girl said you weren't here with Miss Ford. I looked at the register myself, too, and couldn't find your name anywhere."

"Oh, Mrs. Harding," said an expansive voice, and a young lady came hurriedly into the room. "I beg your pardon," as she saw the young man, "but could you lend me a shawl, if you are not going out? No, don't come; I can get it myself."

The gladness died out of the young man's face. "What—what did she call you?" he stammered.

"Mrs. Harding," said Amy, sharply.

"Then you are married?" he said, last.

"Yes," said Amy.

Miss Ford started from her chair, and seemed about to speak.

"And the Mr. Harding whose name is in the register is your husband?"

"Yes," cried the girl, frantically, and the young man turned to go."

"I—I congratulate you," he said slowly, "but I shouldn't have come if I had known," and he went sadly away.

"Oh, Amy, what have you done?" cried Miss Ford.

"I don't know," and she turned toward her friend a face of such utter wretchedness that she forebore further speech.

"How could I do it when I love him so?"

As they left the dining-room the next morning, Amy turned suddenly and addressed Mr. Harding:

"I want to speak to you alone, please. Will you take me for a little walk?"

The young man assented, and they walked almost in silence to the top of the hill that overlooks the harbor. Once there, Amy turned and faced him.

"Mr. Harding, I don't know what you will think of me, but I am the most wretched girl in the world. When I was coming here I made a little plan—"

"Will it make it any easier if I tell you that I know—"

"You know—?"

"Yes, I couldn't help hearing you on the boat," he explained, hastily, "and when I found you had fixed on my name, I was amused, and—"

"Yes, I see—but last night *he* came here, and somebody called me Mrs. Harding, and he asked me if I was married, and I said yes, and he asked if you were my husband, and I said you were, and"—here her voice broke into irrepressible sobs—"he's gone away, and I shall never see him again."

"Shall I go and bring him back?" asked the young man, helplessly, looking down on her bowed head and quivering form.

"Oh, yes, do," she cried, "tell him I didn't marry you—that I wouldn't marry you for anything—"

"If you will tell me his name," said the young man, a trifle grimly, "I will try and make that fact clear to his mind."

"His name is Thorndyke, Harry Thorndyke, and he's going away to-day—"

"Thorndyke, a broad-shouldered young fellow with gray eyes?"

"Yes, that's him," cried Amy, with charming disregard of grammar.

"Can you wait here a little while?" and before she could answer, he was off, going down the hill with light, springy tread.

She stood where he had left her, looking out toward the sea.

An hour later a hand was laid caressingly on hers, and she turned to meet Harry Thorndyke's honest eyes.

"So you are not Mrs. Tom Harding after all?" he said.—*Mary Lyle, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican.*

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DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Narrow Escape of Guests from a Burning Hotel—Several Persons Injured at Asbury Park, N. J.

DOVER, N. H., September 23.—The Half-Way House, a tavern situated on the road between Dover and Great Falls, together with its contents, was completely destroyed by fire Sunday night. Several of the inmates had a very narrow escape from death. The proprietor was absent and Clerk Long in charge was awakened by the smoke. He jumped from the third story to the ground, escaping with slight injuries. He re-entered the house, gave the alarm and four girls and other inmates who would otherwise have perished made their escape. William Berry, a lodger, was so stupefied that he attacked Long and was only pulled out by the aid of several men. John Moulton had his back and head badly burned and others in the building were more or less injured. The origin of the fire is supposed to have originated from a lamp explosion.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., September 23.—A fire broke out in the Riggs cottage on Madison Avenue at eight o'clock Sunday evening. A high wind was blowing from the sea, and in a few minutes the adjoining cottages were in flames. Githen's block on Cookman Avenue was partially destroyed. Ten families are rendered homeless. The loss will reach over $30,000, which is fully insured. During the fire a twenty-foot ladder broke, precipitating three firemen to the ground. Two of the men were severely injured. When the alarm was sounded the Salvation Army barracks was crowded and a panic ensued, women fainted and a rush was made for the exits, causing several women to be tramped on. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

SOMERVILLE, Mass., September 23.—The Middlesex Bleachery and Dye Works, comprising several large buildings, covering two and a half acres and filled with valuable fabrics, were burned yesterday. Loss $200,000; insurance $65,000. The works were the most extensive of the kind in the country and were founded in 1880.

A Candidate Arrested for Murder.

TOM'S RIVER, N. J., September 23.—The mystery surrounding the strange disappearance of James Warnwright, hunter, guide and laborer, who was murdered last Monday morning seems in a fair way to be solved. On Sunday the woods were scoured for several miles around the scene of the murder, hundreds of citizens joining the Sheriff's posse in the afternoon. A party searching was attracted by a strange odor, and discovered the nude body of Warnwright in the water at the source of Cedar Creek, at an old mill. The suspicion that has attached to a prominent citizen, (Mr. E. H. Rockwell,) was considered sufficiently confirmed to warrant his arrest on the charge of murder. He was arrested and committed to jail. The excitement runs high. Rockwell is candidate for Sheriff of this county. The motive of the crime seems to have been the alleged intimacy between Rockwell and the murdered man's wife.

Awards for Niagara Falls Park.

BUFFALO, September 23.—The Niagara Falls International Park appraisers have made the following awards for the property to be taken, together with a voluminous report which will soon be made to the Supreme Court: Goat Island, $525,000; L. C. Woodruff, $156,066; Cataract House, $110,600; A. H. Porter, $2,001; A. H. Porter, $31,071; J. S. Townsend, $12,638; J. S. Townsend, $2,212; J. S. Townsend, $18,158.50; Thomas Hegby, $60,200; pump lot, $4,000; A. H. Porter, $6,440; Wisner, $25,160; A. H. Porter, $10,140; A. H. Porter, $2,780; M. N. Whiting, $9,500; E. J. Townsend, $11,000; E. J. Townsend, $2,070; James Townsend, $3,600; V. M. Porter, $1,200; A. H. Porter, $750; Eliza Church, $6,373; P. A. Porter, $3,500; A. S. Porter's heirs, $8,000; A. S. Porter's heirs, $1,200; A. S. Porter's heirs, $6,530; Hill & Murray, $81,697; streets (city property), $5,835; Prospect Park, $325,000. Total, $1,433,429.50.

Startling Disclosure.

PORTLAND, Ore., September 23.—Investigation of the mysterious murder of A. Pickler, whose body was found a few days ago near Chehalis, W. T., resulted in a startling disclosure. A reliable Indian states that he saw Pickler descending the Chehalis River some days ago; he was closely followed by two white men, who compelled the Indian at the point of their rifles to yield up his canoe. He gave up the boat in which the men embarked and followed Pickler. Nothing more was seen of the men, and a few days later Pickler's body was discovered by a searching party. Pickler had with him $2,000 and a gold watch. There was nothing on the body when found. There is evidence that a very desperate struggle occurred before Pickler was killed. It is believed one or both murderers were badly wounded and are still hiding in the woods. The whole country is aroused.

Belgian Glass Workers at Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, September 23.—According to a telegram received by President Cline, of the Window Glass Workers Association, a party of prominent Belgian glass workers will arrive in this city to-morrow for the purpose of gathering statistics of American glass manufacture. Upon their report will depend largely the maintenance of the International Glass Workers Association in their country. The Belgian committee will also collect statistics of other great industries of America.

Pardoned That He May Die at Home.

ALBANY, N. Y., September 23.—The Governor has pardoned Richard Unger, convicted in the county of New York of burglary in the third degree, sentenced February 21, 1883, to three years imprisonment in Sing Sing. He has been transferred to the State Asylum for insane criminals, the medical superintendent of which, states that Unger is also afflicted with rapidly progressive consumption, and his case is hopeless. He is pardoned that his mother may take him home to die.

Precautions Against Yellow Fever.

NEW YORK, September 23.—Every precaution has been taken by the health officials to disinfect the room at the Hotel Espagnol where Domingo Morales lay sick with yellow fever the greater part of last week. The patient himself was removed from the reception hospital to the hospital at quarantine, where he lays in an extremely critical condition. Dr. Day, the Sanitary Superintendent, said yesterday that he feared no epidemic in consequence of an isolated case like this that has been brought from abroad.

Raising the Tallapoosa.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., September 23.—The steam tug Rescue, with two pontoons of 175 tons floating capacity each, arrived at the wreck of the Tallapoosa yesterday morning. When other pontoons have arrived from the wreck of the State of Maine, an attempt will be made to raise the sunken vessel.

A CIRCUS ROW.

A Fatal Row with Showmen Belonging to Orton's Circus.

ATCHISON, Kas., September 23.—A special says that a serious row occurred between the citizens of Burr Oak, Jewell County, Kansas, and the showmen belonging to Miles Orton's circus Friday night, in which one man was killed and several wounded. The disturbance was raised by a drunken citizen named Elliott, and a general fight occurred. Elliott was arrested and the circus men took their effects to the train. The crowd followed them and just as Mayor Mann had restored order a man named Evans appeared at the depot with a double-barreled shotgun and fired into the train. At this moment the train pulled out and the circus men fired a volley at the crowd, killing J. Long necker, mortally wounding Mayor Mann and slightly wounding a boy. Long necker had not taken part in the row. He leaves a wife and six children. The Orton circus is the same that was in a horrible affair at Greeley, Colorado, some time ago. It was billed to show at Washera, Saturday, and thither about a hundred Burr Oak people went by special train to arrest the murderers. Great excitement prevails at Burr Oak.

Another special from Washington says that sixteen circus men were arrested there by the Sheriff of Jewell County. Saturday afternoon they were taken to Greenleaf by the Sheriff of Washington County. At seven o'clock in the evening 100 men arrived there from Burr Oak, and at last accounts 500 men were at the depot awaiting developments while the circus was performing up town. The Burr Oak people demanded the arrest of Orton and his son. The crowd was orderly.

A Fatal Saloon Row.

HAMMOND, Ind., September 23.—At Hessville, near here, yesterday a party of eight ordered several rounds of drinks in Joseph Hess' saloon and refused to pay for them. This led to a quarrel and a scuffle in which a window got broke. This so incensed Hess that he took up a pitchfork and stabbed a German named James Yearson in the breast and his son, Edward Hess, took up a double-barreled shotgun and fired into the crowd, completely riddling Thomas Welsh in the neck and breast. Half a dozen shots entered just below the heart of George H. Adams, a colored man. James Conley was shot in the right arm. After the shooting was over a hand-car was procured and the wounded brought here. Welsh died on the way. He begged for water and also for his companions to cut his throat, his sufferings were so terrible. Adams cannot recover. Welsh is supposed to hail from New York. Adams was from Irondale, Ill. Conley is from South Chicago and a son of a saloon keeper. All the party were employed in a brickyard near Hessville. Edward Hess, who did the shooting, is about twenty-five years old and works on the railroad as a laborer and bears a hard reputation. He escaped soon after the shooting. He got a hand-car and pulled out toward Chicago, being assisted in his flight by three of his companions.

Indian's Idea of Justice.

SALT LAKE, Utah, September 23.—"White-Eye," the Indian who was on trial at Beaver for putting strychnine in the food of herders near Canab, killing one, was convicted of murder in the first degree with recommendation of a life sentence. One of the Mormon Mountain Meadow's massacre men was the interpreter at the trial. The Indians of his band object to the proceedings, saying that there is no sense in taking the life of "White-Eye," who is a young buck, against that of the murdered man, who was old. Accordingly, they offer one old man of their band in exchange, or they will give six ponies to settle the whole matter. In spite of the declination of the officers they sent for the ponies, expecting when they arrived to turn them over to "White-Eye's" attorney and secure his release.

A Desperado Captured.

FORT SMITH, Ark., September 23.—Jim Wasson, one of the most notorious desperadoes in the Indian Territory, and for whom there was a private reward of $1,000 offered, was arrested near Muskogee, I. T., Wednesday, being taken unawares by his captors. He has been an outlaw several years and is wanted in the United States Court here for a murder committed two years ago. The latter part of July last he and a man named Jerry Lewis murdered a man named Watkins in the Choctaw country, and the murdered man's wife offered $1,000 for Wasson and $500 for Lewis, dead or alive. The reward first offered was $3,000, but was afterward reduced. Wasson will likely be brought to this place, as both murders come under the jurisdiction of the Federal court here.

Scull Race.

PITTSBURGH, September 23.—The postponed three-mile single scull race between Peter Priddy and Edward Claytor was rowed yesterday evening over the Braddock course. Priddy was given a half-length start, and at the end of the first mile was a length ahead of his opponent, the mile being made in the remarkable time of five minutes fifty-five seconds, the fastest on record. After passing the mile stake, Priddy broke down and allowed Claytor to gain the lead, which he kept without much effort and finished easily in twenty-one minutes and five seconds.

Base Ball.

CLEVELAND, September 23.—The Philadelphias and Clevelands played a ten-inning game yesterday, which resulted in a score of 7 to 6 in favor of the Philadelphias.

Toledo—Virginias 2, Toledos 5.
Columbus—Metropolitans 12, Columbus 0.
Cincinnati—Baltimores 0, Cincinnatis 5.
Louisville—Athletics 0, Louisville 3.
Indianapolis—Bostons 7, Indianapolis 8.
Washington—Cincinnati 9, Nationals 0.
Baltimore—Kansas City 4, Baltimore 3.
Boston—St. Louis 8, Boston Unions 16.

Fatal Railroad Accident.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., September 22.—Two freight trains on the Hannibal road collided near New Cambria at half-past three o'clock yesterday morning. The trains were wrecked and three men, including the engineer of the west-bound train, were killed and the conductor of the west-bound train and one other were fatally injured. The names are not yet learned. It is reported the west-bound train was running contrary to orders.

Will Resume.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., September 23.—The National Bank of New Jersey will resume business again on Wednesday morning with unimpaired capital and every depositor will be paid in full. Director Lewis Howell will act as temporary President, and the two vacancies in the directory have been filled by the election of John R. Russell and Peter Runyon.

The Model Farm.

The Keota (Iowa) *Eagle* has at last found a western man who is satisfied with a fifty acre farm. His name is Artemus Fisher, and he lives one mile and a half south of Keota. The *Eagle* tells the story of his management and of his success as follows:

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A Bird that Turns Somersaults.

There's a pretty little bird that lives in China, and is called the Fork-Tafled Parus. He is about as big as a robin, and has a red beak, yellow legs, black tail, and red and-yellow wings. Nearly all the colors are in his dress, you see, and he is a gay fellow. This bird has a trick known by no other birds that ever I heard of. He turns somersaults! Not only does he do this in free life on the trees, but also after he is caught and put into a cage. He throws his head far back, and over he goes, touching the bars of his cage, and alighting upon his feet on the floor or on a perch. He will do it over and over a number of times without stopping, as though he thought it great fun. All his family have the same trick, and they are called Tumblers. The people of China are fond of keeping them in cages and seeing them tumble.

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ESTATE OF PARLEY J. SPALDING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Parley J. Spalding, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles T. Hewitt and Agnes G. Hewitt, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they are ready to file their second account as such executors, and asking for its allowance; and in case it shall prove feasible for them in rendering the same as and for their final account, that it may be so allowed, and a distribution of the residue of the assets of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and in that case for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary J. Hall, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Francis Rector, nominated executors in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. sep18

ESTATE OF JOHN F. SCHREDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 17th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John F. Schreder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Israel H. Schreder and William H. Arner, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and the specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. sep18

DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon, will, on Tuesday the 30th day of September, 1884, at the house of James Liddle in said township, at one o'clock in the afternoon, meet parties for the letting of contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Township Drain No. 7, beginning 100 rods north of the southwest corner of section six in Macon, running thence nearly east 140 rods; and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me, and now remaining in my office, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned to reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated Sept. 18, 1884.

EDWIN HOWELL.

Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. sep18

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of John Henry deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of John Henry, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Macon Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of September, 1884, and on the 22d day of January, 1885, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 22d day of July, A.D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated at Macon, this 22d day of July, 1884.

EBENEZER HARMON,
ABRAM HARRINGTON,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sirrell C. Le Baron, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the bank of Lilley, Bidwell & Co. in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 19th day of September, 1884, and on the 18th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated August, 18, 1884.

LUCIUS LILLEY,
LESTER P. TRIBOU,
Commissioners.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEP. 25, 1884.

The latest sum in mental arithmetic: If it costs $50 to secure a nomination for County Clerk, how much will it cost to secure an election?

John B. Gough, the veteran temperance apostle, who has always voted the Republican ticket, has come out for St. John and Daniel, and he urges all Prohibition Republicans to do likewise.

Master Crandall is not opening his campaign for County Clerk very auspiciously. If the young man expects to "get there" he should take counsel of the older veterans and pay his convention debts promptly.

Wm. H. Wiggins and John G. Mason will make the race in the second representative district of this county. The candidates are both good men and evenly matched. There will be some fun in that district.

The campaign is beginning to warm up in this State. The triangular contest is becoming interesting, and Michigan is looked upon by the best political observers as debatable ground. Public meetings will be started all along the line early in October, and Butler will be here again for three or four days and Blaine will visit us on the 15th and 16th.

Politics in Ohio are warming up to fever heat. Both parties are throwing an army of orators into that state and from now until the date of the State election, Oct. 14th, the battle will be hotly contested in every election district. The Butler and St. John movements have but little strength in that State, so it will be a square stand up fight between the Blaine and Cleveland forces. Both parties realize the importance of the struggle. The Republicans will strive to hold their normal majority, the Democrats will fight to reduce it. The result will have a great influence upon the general election in November, and may indirectly decide it.

MY DEAR MR. TURNER:—You can do me a favor and I know it will give you pleasure to do so. If you can persuade the rural delegates at the County Convention that the interests of the party require my nomination for County Clerk, I would gladly cast an anchor to windward in your behalf. I do not feel that I shall prove a deadhead in the enterprise, if I once embark in it. Owing to your political position you will be able to work it on the delegates successfully. Name your terms. If you can't get an answer in the mail on Monday, let it start on the first mail Tuesday morning. Kind regards to Mrs. Turner.

Sincerely, C. T. C.

Burn this letter.

Senator Bayard, who was Cleveland's principal competitor at Chicago, pays this noble tribute to the reform Governor:

But this is the leading influence in the character of Grover Cleveland as I discern it—not love of money, not to achieve success nor arouse noisy admiration, but chiefly to perform his duty in that station of life to which it may please God to call him. He has done this alike in offices comparatively humble as well as those of great distinction and power, for he has governed the Empire state and 5,500,000 of people honorably, honestly and well for two years. As a son and brother he has done his duty; as a citizen he has done his duty; as sheriff he has done his duty; as mayor of Buffalo he has done his duty; as governor of the State of New York he has done his duty, and, God willing, as president he will do his duty.

Master Cyrus Crandall had an ambition to be County Clerk. This was certainly a laudable ambition. Ben Turner was an old veteran who could pull the wires. But as veteran Turner was a delegate "for revenue only," a free trade was agreed upon between them, by which Turner was to put Master Crandall in nomination, and Master Crandall was to swell Turner's bank account to the amount of fifty dollars. Turner performed his part of the contract. Master Crandall was put in. He thereupon paid Turner $15, and politely requested Turner to charge up the balance to his "profit and loss" account. To this Turner demurred, and straightway sued Master Crandall for the remaining $35. The suit came off last Monday and was adjourned for one week. The public will await the issue with breathless anxiety.

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The time has come to vote for what we want—not for what we do not want.

Six steamers now announce St. John and Daniel as presidential preference in the vicinity of Ridgeway.

At the late election in Maine, Mr. Blaine refused to vote for the prohibitory constitutional amendment which was carried by three-fourths of the entire vote. If Mr. Blaine refuses to vote for prohibition ought not prohibitionists to refuse to vote for Mr. Blaine?

A Practical Matter.

The Adrian Times says: "The prohibitory submission plank in the republican platform does not commit the party to either side of the temperance question." It is true the party is not committed to submission. Right here in Lenawee county, the party nominee for the legislature in the 2d. district, is a bondsman for an Adrian saloon-keeper. Will the editor of the Times please explain in some of its temperance editorials why a saloon-keeper's bondsman would be a good man to "demand" the submission of a prohibitory amendment?

Of Two Evils Choose Neither.

In determining for which party to cast our vote this proverb is often quoted, 'of two evils choose the least.' It is applicable, however, only when there is no other choice to be made. In present politics nearly all will concede the two evils—the Democratic and Republican parties—and if we are obliged to choose between the two there would be reason for proceeding in this manner. But we are not obliged to do this because of an existing third party which has been organized for the purpose of correcting these evils. If truly conscientious and unbiased we will not support either evil, but will cast our vote for clean men, standing upon, and openly supporting right principles—vote the Union ticket.

The Detroit Post is recognized as the best Republican authority in Michigan. The following is taken from its editorial column:

It is interesting to note the relative strength of the Prohibitionists and Republicans. The largest Prohibition vote ever cast in Michigan was in 1883, being less than 14,000. The smallest Republican vote since 1876 was also in 1883, being more than 120,000. The one-eighth part tail wants to wag the seven-eighths part dog.

The Republican leaders have heretofore shown too great attention to the one-eighth. When the party adopted the submission plank favoring the right of the people to settle the question by a majority vote and the Prohibitionists refused to abide by the majority's decision, they deserved no further concession, and if the Post's advice be followed they will get none.

All right. We are sure the "Republican leaders" will follow the "Post's advice". That is just why the Prohibitionists propose to set up housekeeping by themselves.

THE GUNS TURNED.

Our Republican friends are continually telling us that our independent party action will result in a Democratic victory. It is quite evident from the tidings brought us by the daily press that the Prohibitionists are "sticking to their party" as never before in their history; and more, that they are increasing in numbers faster than any other party in Michigan. Hence, if the Republican complaint be true, either the Democrats or Prohibitionists will be victorious in this state next November. It must be confessed, that if the Republicans persist in their independent party action, the Democrats are likely to carry off the prize. But if the Republicans will abandon "their insane purpose to throw their votes away, and will cast them where they can have some influence upon the coming election," the Democrats will be kept out and the Prohibitionists will go in. It remains to be seen whether the average Republican will help the Democrats into power.

How our presidential candidates stand on the question of prohibition:

"I would make the tax on spirituous liquors a permanent resource to all the States as a source of revenue."—Jas. G. Blaine.

"The issue on the temperance amendment to the constitution has been very properly and very rigedly separated from the political contest of the State to-day. I decided not to vote at all on that question."—James G. Blaine.

"Laws unnecessarily interfering with the habits and customs of any of our people which are not offensive to the moral sentiments of the civilized world are unwise and vexatious."—Grover Cleveland.

"To-day this question more than all others reaches the heart and conscience of the people, and the ultimate triumph of the homes of this country, in the struggle against the liquor traffic is only a question of time. It is for us to do our duty and God will take care of the rest. There is no middle ground touching this matter and the man or party that is neither for or against the saloon system of this country is unworthy the support of the people."—John P. St. John.

A CHALLENGE.

At a recent meeting of the state central committee of the union party held in Jackson, Sept. 15, 1884, the following was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Republican speakers are asserting that temperance men would manifest practical wisdom and give substantial aid to the temperance cause by supporting the republican party, therefore

Resolved, That the state central committee of the union party do challenge the state central committee of the republican party to a public discussion of the question at issue. The following is suggested. Let the republican committee select some gentleman to represent them; our committee will do the same. The republican speaker will take the affirmative and our representative the negative of the following:

Resolved, That those citizens of our state who believe in and advocate the legal suppression of the liquor traffic ought at the coming election to support the republican ticket, state and national. The time and place shall be selected by the speakers and the discussion shall be conducted under the usual rules of public debate.

From an Independent Standpoint.

Just now the republican organs are demonstrating the weakness of the prohibition movement in column articles and long interviews with those supposed to have been partial to the prohibition idea. This will have the same effect on the prohibitionist as the condemnation of the abolition movement had on the leaders of that party. The republican organs can do David Preston and all the other prohibition candidates no greater service than to continue their efforts in belittling the movement.—Detroit Evening Journal.

More republican advice concerning the prohibition movement.

What may be the outcome of this agitation in the approaching election it is too soon to say, but that it will have a strong influence it would be folly to deny. That influence cannot be overcome by sneers, or by calling the Prohibitionists "Deputy Democrats," or any other of the choice epithets from the slang dictionary of the Blaine partizans. The temperance men may be entirely mistaken in the policy they are pursuing, but they are obviously bent on pursuing it to the end.—New York Times.

WHY SUPPORT A NEW PARTY.

There are a great many who are interested in temperance work who do not fully understand the present object and purpose of the Union party movement.

The movement for the present at least, is directed toward the inconsistency of our laws, wherein we find it unlawful, under any circumstances, to sell poisoned or adulterated food, but at the same time, for a money consideration the sale of poisoned and adulterated drink, is permitted. To say that our present law allows or permits the sale of poisoned drink, is putting it too easy by far.

The tax or license required of a person to entitle him to the privilege of engaging in the sale of poisoned drink, is not levied under the general tax law on property he may have invested in said drink, but a special tax which buys him the right to engage in such traffic, because, without buying the right, for a stated money consideration, he is prohibited.

This right then to sell, is not simply a permission, but an open agreement with the state, that as soon as the price is paid, said state in return must guarantee that right and protect him in the enjoyment of it. Now if it is right by law to prohibit the sale of poisoned food, can it be right, for any price to allow, guarantee and give protection to the sale of poisoned drink?

To remove this monstrous contradiction in our existing law, is the object and purpose of the Union party.

But some say "the means employed is a mistake. Your third party movement will defeat good men in the only temperance (?) party, and finally the party itself," etc.

Let us see about it. We find in our statute, a law entirely wrong in principle—a law which gives a bad man the right and protection to engage in a bad business.

This law ought and must be changed. The legislature—the law makers—have the only power to change it. The law makers are selected from the people by political parties, and elected by nearly a strict party vote. Every member of the legislature elected is committed before hand to the principles of the party to which he belongs, and is expected in his official acts, to adhere to them or otherwise be open to the charge of unfaithfulness and and treachery.

There is perhaps no question in which party dictation has a greater influence with a legislator, than the question of temperance.

This being true, the only hope of getting the law straight upon this question, is to get a political party to make it an issue, and elect a majority of the legislators, who will be bound by party principles, to bring about such results. This is why Michigan has so long been refused this thing, because, of the two leading parties in the state, one by tradition and outspoken words is unalterably opposed to it, and the other has the record of repealing the law when it was right in principle and enacting in its place the one which now is so offensive to a large majority of her citizens. All of which was done in response to the demand of the liquor dealers of the state. While both of these parties think more of satisfying, and in that way retain the liquor vote, which they now have, than they do of granting the request of nearly 80,000 citizens who a short time since asked for the question to be submitted to them for decision, it is plain to every serious and consistant mind that the wishes and prayers of Michigan's best citizens will avail nothing with either the old political parties.

The policy of serving the Lord as much as possible without offending the devil, will never put a prohibitory law on the statute books of any state.

Let it be remembered then, that the purpose of the Union party movement is to correct laws which are wrong in principle. And that experience and history teaches that no reform, especially in temperance laws, is brought about without a political party being commited to the work.

That neither of the old parties in in this state have ever done anything to satisfy the temperance people, but their action has been such as not to offend the liquor vote which each has succeeded in retaining.

A Mormon Courtship.

The courtships of the saints are not always romantic affairs. Dr. Sharp, of this city, has four wives, and if he has good luck he will have another before long. During the last few weeks he has had a courtship on hand which has given him great trouble. He employed a girl named Mary White as a servant in one of his families. Mary was a fresh, plump, rosy-cheeked young Mormon. Her father was a saint with two wives. Mary was the daughter of wife No. 1. Wife No. 2 was gay and giddy, and when Dr. Sharp carried Mary back and forth between her father's home and the place of her service, he saw her and bewitched her, as White said. After a while Sharp enticed wife No. 2 away from her husband, and then White got an idea that the Doctor had bewitched him also. Another saint came along who was in the soothsaying business, and he told White that he had something that was good for him, but that it would cost money. The price was agreed upon. White bought the charm, worked it, and the evil spirit of Sharp was exorcised. Just as White was beginning to feel at ease once more, Sharp drove up with Mary and asked permission to make her Mrs. Sharp No. 5. To this the old people objected, for they believed he was possessed of a devil, and they thought he did not support his other wives any too well. When they gave Sharp the reasons for their refusal he was furious, and he took an oath in their presence that he would have Mary.

In the course of time he convinced the old man that it had been ordained from all time that Mary should become his wife; but the old lady said that the doctor had hoodooed her husband once more, and she refused to assent to the union. Then Sharp had a vision or two which he related to Mrs. White. She was still inexorable. Two or three days later he had a revelation that it would be very acceptable to the Lord to have Mary become his wife. It had no effect on her mother. Then Sharp dreamed dreams of mighty import every night, heard tremendous rumblings in the skies, saw a great light, and read many commands written on the fleeting clouds, all to the effect that Mary was his and his only. The old lady's teeth were set tight.

Taking a new tack, the doctor then threatened to summon Mrs. White before the High Council. She told him the Sanhedrim of the saints had no terrors for her. Then he appealed to the Bishop of that ward, and finding him dull of comprehension, he went before the Council with his grievance. Here he found sympathetic listeners. The old Bishop was promptly removed and a new one who believes in marrying off the young women, was appointed. Sharp is on good terms with the new ecclesiastic, and considers himself as good as married already. Mary is now at school at Provo, and Sharp has gone after her. The new Bishop is wrestling with her mother, who now sees the futility of further resistance, and who will in a few days, it is understood, formally consent to the union. In Mormon society this is considered a very romantic courtship. All Mormon love stories begin and end something like the above.—*Salt Lake Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

The Arbutus.

The arbutus is a flower of Nature's giving. Bred, as it were, from stormy skies and fed from the chill of ice and snow, theirs is nothing of the passionate beauty of the rose or the lily's regal stateliness. No gay coloring of greenhouse skill attracts us in these shy, uncultured children of woods and fields. Theirs is quite another and different charm. Absolutely pure, as are the glacier flowers of the upper Alps: of colorless waxen white, or tinted with a blushlike pink such as might have graced some Puritan maiden's cheek in by-gone days, this is the typical flower of austere and granite-grounded Massachusetts. Their day is a brief one.

If arbutus is welcomed in town or city, its home is still in the country. Hidden in quiet hollows, among sheltering hills, or on deserted wood roads, where the warm spring sunshine creeps tardily in, unseen of human eyes, it most frequently and gladly grows. Nestling to the warm, earthy-smelling ground it springs from, covered with the sere, brown grasses of a dead winter, it lifts to the sun the smile of its white or pinken clusters in prophecy of the summer. It never intrudes. In these quiet nooks it waits always to be sought. Many a city sportsman, prepared to break the Sabbath laws with carefully chosen rods, is ready to forbear whipping unoffending trout brooks with impossible flies and bend over gray moss and little clusters, mindful, perhaps, of numerous promises to his expectant lady friends. To our novice each step is a discovery and a surprise. Treading gingerly, he stumbles on a low-lying, half-hidden cluster. He stoops to pick it. Mindful of feminine injunctions for "long stems" (which has nearly exterminated the flower in once plentiful spots), he pulls vigorously at the tough little vine. When it is his, he finds it enriched with flower buds he never dreamed of, strung along on this slender thread. He stows his prize, and on for the next. It is a chance if he finds himself alone. School children, boys and girls, for the nonce preternaturally quiet, are diligently working on the same errand as himself. At times he must dodge the enshrouding sun-bonnet of a mature damsel, whose basket somehow fills rapidly. If she pick much or little. Under gray skies, in "the uncertain glory of April days," seldom far from sad solemn woods or the twittering of venturesome birds, in a silence broken only by the sounds of awakening Nature or the shout of an occasional "find" the city's supply of arbutus is picked.—*Boston Transcript.*

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FIRST DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE convention.—The first district Democratic representative convention for Lenawee county will be held at the Council Building in the village of Tecumseh, on Tuesday, Sept. 30th, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M. The district is composed of the townships of Clinton, Tecumseh, Macon, Ridgeway, Raisin, Palmyra, Blissfield, Deerfield, Ogden and Riga. Each township will be entitled to six delegates.
BY ORDER DISTRICT COM.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Library Association of Tecumseh will be held at the Library Room on Monday, Oct. 6, 1884, at 7:30 P. M.
KATE ANDERSON, Secretary.

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LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore exhisting between Drs. House & Jones is this day dissolved by mutual concent. All persons indebted to the above named firm are requested to call on Dr. House at his old office over Lilly & Co's. Bank, who is authorized to settle all accounts. Dr. Jones can be found at the same office until farther notice.
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Be sure and see the three mile race at the Skating Rink next Saturday evening.

The Brooklyn Fair comes off this week—Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

It gives us much pleasure to announce to our village readers that the buckwheat crop is a large one.

The earthquake had no effect on the prohibitionists. They keep right on holding meetings just the same.

Dr. W. B. Town, of Rollin, has been nominated by the Democrats for representative in the third district. All three of the candidates for representative in that district live in the town of Rollin.

Rev. Fidelia W. Gillette will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday, the 28th, at the usual hour. A parish meeting will be held after service to elect delegates to the coming State convention to be held at Grand Rapids, Oct. 7 and 8.

SHAKEN BY AN EARTHQUAKE.

That venerable personage, the oldest inhabitant, has finally been outwitted. Something has at last happened, which has no parrriel in his recollection. A genuine earthquake struck this latitude last Friday afternoon about twenty minutes before three o'clock. Two distinct waves passed over the town a few seconds apart. Door bells were rung, movable articles in houses were shaken, and goods on the shelves of stores were rattled about. No damage was done that we have learned although some timid people were considerably alarmed. The same wave was felt quite generally throughout Ohio, Indiana and Michigan. Our correspondence shows that it was felt distinctly in all the townships of Northern Lenawee.

The following extracts from our county exchanges show how the neighboring towns received the new visitor.

Morenci Observer: The earthquake. Yesterday afternoon a sudden tremenduous shaking of all the buildings in town brought everybody to the street anxiously inquiring what was the matter. For a moment it seemed that the building in which our office is situated would topple over. In the drug store bottles jingled, and the iron-ware rattled in every kitchen in town. The primary department of the schools was closed, and for a while the great shaking up was the subject of conversation everywhere; and no wonder, for it was the first earthquake shock ever experienced in this village. The telephone reported the fact that all the neighboring towns had experienced a shock similar to our own. Beyond the scare and excitement, no damage was done, and we know more about earthquakes than we did before.

Adrian Record: At last! Protectionists have always told us that this country possessed resources for raising anything that any country could raise. Now we know it! This country has produced everything heretofore that any other country has produced except an earthquake. The event of this afternoon proves indisputably that we can raise our own earthquakes. Let us be proud.

At about half past two o'clock this P. M. there was heard a low rumbling noise, accompanied by a perceptible jarring and shaking of the ground. Bottles in the drug stores skiped and danced about, furniture was, in some instances, moved, tinware rattled, people turned pale and a general uneasiness took possession of timid people. Many rushed into the streets and some ready to declare all bets "off" on the election under the impression that this mundane sphere had run about as long as was intended.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 25, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lots of fun at the skating rink.

"The Patterson" will soon be completed.

The county fair will always bring a rain storm.

John F. Murray, of Detroit, was in Tecumseh on Tuesday.

The millers are wishing for rain, so they can do more grinding.

The passenger and freight traffic on the M. & O. is rapidly increasing.

George Smith, wife and little Edna, are spending the week at Ypsilanti.

A large number of our citizens have taken in the county fair at Adrian.

Ab. Usborne's new building is now completed and ready for occupancy.

Morg. Miller, of San Francisco, will please accept thanks for late California papers.

The old corner store of Alf. James is being raised and placed upon a solid foundation.

Fred H. Burlingame, of Dundee, has been spending a few days at his home in this village.

C. A. Thatcher entered his horse at the Tri-State fair at Toledo last week and took the first premium.

G. R Williams, of Milan, publishes a lot of deadbeat accounts for sale.—He will hardly dispose of them.

C. A. Kiel, formerly of Tecumseh but now in business at Toledo, was in town a short time yesterday.

Miss Mame Foster, of Chicago, has been in Tecumseh a few days, the guest of Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

Eight hours is a day's work now at Brewer's foundry. The new order took effect last Monday morning.

The Democratic Representative Convention takes place at the Council Building next Tuesday afternoon.

The friends of Rev. G. W. Hudson will be glad to learn that he has been returned to Tecumseh for another year.

H. Brewer & Co. will exhibit their brick and tile machines at the Indiana State Fair at Indianapolis next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Burroughs and Mrs. H. Packard have returned from a visit of several weeks with friends in Iowa.

Be sure and read the advertisement of W. & S. W. Anderson & Co. on 4th page. They are offering rare inducements to buyers.

Trade is improving. Our streets presented an unusually live appearance Saturday, indicating that business is "picking up."

James McCowen returned home on Saturday last from Detroit where he says he has been having lots of fun for the past few weeks.

Harry Lee and wife took the train Tuesday afternoon for a trip to western New York. They go to visit Harry's old home and have a good time.

The next regular meeting of Tecumseh masonic lodge takes place next week Friday evening. Oct. 3. Work in the M. M. degree. A full attendance is desired.

Although the price of grain is very low, still the price of produce and merchandise is correspondingly cheap and can be purchased about 25 per cent. less than at this period last year.

Mrs. Sarah Stout accompanied by her sister and daughter from Oakland, Cal., left Tecumseh on Monday last for a few weeks' visit in western New York among the scenes of their childhood.

The editor of the Ypsilanti Commercial has been married thirty years—longer than most men have lived.—The most surprising thing about the matter is how a man can live so long and run a country newspaper.

Soap is essential in a political campaign and lie is essential in the manufacture of soap. There will doubtless be a generous supply of both dispensed to the unwary voter between now and the November election.

Miss Lizzie Smith and Miss Louise Phelps left Tecumseh on Tuesday last for Chicago. Miss Smith, after doing Chicago, will continue her trip to Sterling, Ill., where she will spend a few weeks visiting relatives and friends.

All who are interested in the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle are requested to meet on Friday evening of this week at the residence of Dr. House. At this meeting plans of work for the year will be arranged, officers elected and matters pertaining to make the Circle beneficial and pleasant to all its members will be fully discussed and acted upon.

The prince of butchers, Jim Cole, is now taking special pains to furnish our citizens with the very best variety of meats and vegetables that can be procured. If honorable dealing will bring success he is bound to succeed. He finds an occasional spare hour to work up the Butler cause and being the corresponding secretary of the B. & W. club if no other way will bring you he will write you a letter.

Fine weather to-day for the county fair.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, spent last Sunday in Tecumseh.

Mahlon Sherd is home again, having returned from a lengthy visit in Iowa.

A. J. Sinclair, of Adrian, state agent of the Home Ins. Co. of N. Y., paid the HERALD his respects last Tuesday.

The champion fast skaters of the west will give an exhibition three mile race at the Skating Rink next Saturday evening.

James W. Hastings went to Ann Arbor last week and entered the freshmen class at the University.—We wish you success, James.

Having bought out Mrs. Stout's millinery business Mrs. N. R. Brown kindly invites the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity to call and look at the new goods.

Mrs. P. J. Welling arrived in town last Monday, and will remain among her Tecumseh friends a week or two. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Van Tyne.

Daniel T. Lewis, of Lake Ridge, has been spending three months with his son Lorenzo in Iowa, and returned last week. He is delighted with Northwestern Iowa.

A. O. Crozier spoke at Springville on Monday and a Union club of twenty-five members was organized. He spoke Tuesday evening at Tipton, and a number of new names were added to the St. John club.

C. A. Thatcher is as usual leading the trade in Crayon and Ink portraits. He is collecting a very large order to be delivered during the holidays and offers special inducements to any who desire making a fine present.

Among the decisions rendered last Tuesday by the Supreme Court was one affirming the judgment in this circuit in the case of Boyd vs. Conklin. Another page in the Boyd dam history and another victory for the township.

A terrible fire is raging in the Squawfield marshes, near Hudson. The entire community is fighting the flames, but, when last heard from, they were not yet subdued, and several thousand dollars damage had already been done to property.

Adrian Record: A dispatch has been received from the attorney general, instructing the prosecuting attorney to begin the steps necessary to the appointment of a receiver of the Adrian savings bank. Mr. Salsbury promptly began in the matter.

Michigan crop reports show a wheat product of about 26,000,000 bushels, 50,000 bushels better than report at same time last year. Corn yields 89 per cent., potatoes promise 93 per cent., apples 67 per cent. and peaches 13 per cent—an average crop.

Arrangements are in progress for a big Union demonstration at Adrian on the 7th of October. John P. St. John will positively be present, also Preston and Mosher, and other noted prohibition orators. The meeting will be held on the old fair ground at two o'clock, P. M.

The unfortunate depositors who were victimized by the failure of Loomis' bank at Adrian, held a meeting for consultation last Monday evening. A committee was appointed with instructions to employ counsel and take steps forthwith for the appointment of a receiver.

The Evening Journal war has finally ended in the complete surrender or rather collapse of the Brezee faction. Brezee went down with his colors flying, however, and was spunk to the last. The paper goes into the hands of a Republican syndicate, who will run it as an independent paper with a high tariff trend.

John C. Palmer, of Ridgeway, drove to Tecumseh Monday morning last to bring his son to the train. He drove quite fast on the way and as he turned the corner by Kies Bro's store his horse dropped dead in the harness. The horse had been in good health, and he can think of no cause unless he might possibly have overdriven him.

Among our marriage notices will be found the wedding announcement of Chas. H. Brown to Miss Julia Tillapaw. The bride's home has been in Hudson, where the ceremony was performed last Saturday. Charley has made a good choice, and he brought his bride home on Sunday. He will live for the present with his father, Henry Brown, who works Judge Stacy's farm.

The M. & O. road required a bonus of $1500 to build a depot at Tipton and $1000 to build one at Sand Lake crossing. The $1000 has been raised and a depot will be constructed at once at the latter point. $900 has been raised to secure one at Tipton, and the remaining $600 will undoubtedly be forthcoming. Some of the Franklin bonus notes were conditioned on the building of a depot there and of course these cannot be collected unless the depot shall be built. Whether these notes are to be included in the $1500 now asked for we do not know, but presume they are. In that case the farmers near Tipton should have no trouble in raising the required amount.

SWINGING AROUND THE CIRCLE.

Since recording our last swing in the HERALD, we have taken occasion to swing around among our country friends some more. Although the weather has been exceedingly warm, the roads remarkably dusty and every thing terribly dry, we enjoyed our trips, renewed old acquaintance with many friends and formed many new ones.

Starting out with "old grey" and the buggy one fine morning, we halted at E. C. Norcross', who now lives with his father, Aaron Norcross, on the old farm. Eugene is managing his own farm and the old farm, both, which gives him 240 acres to take care of. It is needless to say that he has his hands full. Aaron takes life easy, enjoys himself and talks politics. He is an enthusiastic Cleveland man, but believes in a high tariff on wool.

Thomas Wilson was found on his place south of Tipton, which is rented to Dan Hanford. He is spending his time this summer making improvements on the place, having overhauled the barns and "fixed up" things generally around the farm. As Mr. Hanford was in Tecumseh that day, our contemplated visit with him failed to connect.

Mrs. Fitcher and Frank keep the House at Tipton corners where the best of entertainment is provided for travelers. A good chicken dinner there put us in good trim for an afternoon's work.

C. L. Mudge has sold out his blacksmith shop and is about moving to Weston where he will go into business with his son.

J. A. Tuttle still handles Uncle Sam's mail and has no fears of the removal of the post-office to Sand Lake crossing. Franklin needs the post-office where it is and it will stay there.

John Conlin is happy and contented. He is doing what he can to work up the bonus for a depot at Tipton. We are under lasting obligation to him for a sample of the Adrian mineral water. It is the most fragrant boquet we have had in our sanctum for several months.

B. F. Norcross is nicely situated on a farm of his own containing eighty acres. He has a good home and splendid family, and has every reason to be satisfied with his start in life.

James Kimball lives on the old place of 120 acres. His son Eugene runs the farm, and the other two boys, with John Stout, are running a thresher. James Jr. owns the engine. The threshing business is good this fall, for grain is plenty, it is easily threshed, and the weather has been very favorable.

Going west from Kimballs we aimed for Springville, arriving there at three o'clock P. M. Here we found the whole city torn up over the earthquake. It struck that place at 2.40 o'clock. The crockery in T. H. Mosher's store danced about on the shelves, door bells were rung and little articles on shelves were thrown to the floor. It was a new experience to Springville and something that the oldest inhabitant had never known before. Mr. Mosher complains of the slow times in business. He has been in trade continually for forty eight years, has been through wild cat times, war times and financial crashes, and he never knew collections as slow as they are this summer.

George Dunn, who is running the George C. Monaghan farm, was putting in wheat. He is seeding thirty acres this fall and if we have rain soon he will put in another field. The old farm is looking well under his management and is as productive as ever. The old big pear tree is now in bearing, and the pears are prime.

Andrew Ayers, 2d, lives on the old farm where he has lived all his life, having first seen the light of day on the shore of the lake but a short distance from his present residence. He has a good home, a fine farm of 106 acres, and never gets the Dakota fever.

Wm. J. Pawson has one of the best farms in Franklin with good buildings and all modern conveniences. He has 120 acres and is seeding fifty acres to wheat this fall.

We arrived at C. H. Adam's Sand Lake House just in time for supper, and of course, halted for refreshments. The season for boating and fishing is about over, and his summer boarders have left for their respective homes. And now the dancing season begins. He had a large party that night and the guests had already begun to arrive at supper time. We could not remain to the ball, but have since heard that a large company assembled and that it was a very successful party, about one hundred and fifty couples being in attendance. Mr. Adam knows how to get up a good dance and his parties always draw.

Having done the Western towns, we will now turn our attention to the North and East.

Ed Smith's new farm house on the "school section" is approaching completion and, when finished, will be a decided improvement to the section. Since Mr. Smith purchased the Silvers place he has a farm there of 460 acres, which is ably managed by John Schreder. The new dwelling will accomodate a large family, and will be fitted up with all the modern conveniences.

Wm. Silvers still runs the old homestead near Clinton. Having spent a good many years at hard work, he sold his Newburg farm to Ed Smith and gives his attention now to the home farm of 80 acres. He finds enough there to keep him busy. His son Willie has gone to the Agricultural College at Lansing. He enters this fall and will probably take the full course there.

On another day we started Eastward and halted at John F. Temple's in Ridgeway just about noon. Mr. Temple himself was down on his prairie farm but T. H. Temple was at home at work on the addition to the house. Mr Temple has 60 colonies of bees which demand his attention much of the time. We were entertained at dinner at T. H. Temple's where we unexpectedly met Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Remington, of Tecumseh, who had drived down that forenoon for a day's visit.

A short call at Fenner Palmer's found him in his onion patch. He has one and a quarter acres of onions, from which he expects to take 700 bushels of onions this fall. He is now living in the old place on the Ridge and keeps seven acres of land to till, while the rest of his old farm is now managed by the boys.

John C. Palmer's is just below Fenner's on the Ridge where he has lived for so many years. He has 85 acres to care for. The farm is run by the boys, while "Uncle John" enjoys his new house, takes life easy and reads the newspapers.

Chas. B. Dibble is working the old Chris. Barrett farm of 80 acres and, judging from a short walk over the farm, he is doing his work well. Mr. Barrett began life at the bottom round of the ladder with no assistance but a good wife and his own hands. But, by industry and economy, he hopes soon to have a home of his own.

C. Hoagland has a fine home south of Britton where the latch string is always out for visitors. We had a brief visit with Mrs. Hoagland at Geo. Exelby's.

George Exelby was found in the rocking chair nursing the rheumatism. He has been confined to the house for eight weeks, but is now on the mend and hopes to be on his feet soon. His homestead farm of 180 acres is one of the most productive and best cultivated farms in Ridgeway, and he surely has reason to be proud of his home. We had a pleasant visit with him and advised him to banish that "rheumatiz" at the earliest possible moment.

We arrived at Chas. Underwood's about dark and accepted an invitation to "take tea" with him. Mr. Underwood is "well fixed." He has 20 acres with a fine home on the "ridge". Also 120 acres on the "old place" where J. B. Ousterhout now lives, and the Cecil Clark farm of 60 acres on the Tecumseh road. Between the three places he is kept busy. The Clark farm has been much improved since he bought it and he intends to keep on until he makes a handsome place of it. Mr. Underwood has a model family; a splendid wife, two daughters and one son. The daughters are now at home; his son, Cyrus, is attending school at Raisin Valley Seminary.

NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL

LANSING, Sept. 20th, 1884.

EDITOR OF HERALD:—We have had any amount of sensations here within the last week, but the one yesterday, an earthquake, and a genuine one too, at 3 P. M., was quite a novelty in these parts. It was not much felt in the lower stories of the Capitol Building, but in the upper stories was quite marked—in fact two men came rushing down from the dome very much alarmed by it, and I am informed that for quite a circuit around the capitol it was very preceptibly noticed in the jarring of the doors, and rattling of the windows, and in some instances the glass was broken by it. Of course the shock only lasted one or two minutes and was not I believe repeated.

The contest in the M. E. Annual Conference here over the Prohibition Party Resolutions, was very exciting, and to say the least interesting, but not such as to give one a high idea of their skill as parliamentarians. As it was the better parliamentarians succeeded in wresting the victory from a palpable two-thirds of the ministers who were unmistakably on the other side. Although of course I think the resolutions as finally passed were right, and the only proper and safe thing for a religious body to do.

Politics is just boiling, and all the different parties in the State, and in the Nation are well represented here, and the man who among them all cannot find a party to his mind must be hard to please.

The weather is just beautiful, the woods are gorgeous and the crops are well matured and no frost yet. B.

The County fair is being well patronized this week. It commenced Tuesday and will close to-morrow. We have not been able to attend but we learn that the exhibition has been a very creditable one.

Joe Wilson speaks to the people this week. Read what he says.

A few enterprising and musical young men of Tecumseh have organized a cornet band.

John U. Harkness of Rollin, has been nominated by the Republicans for representative in the third district.

Thanks to Lavern Wheeler for a large landscape view of Chicago street and a similar one of the H. Brewer & Co. group.

Judge Turpie, of Indianapolis, who is the attorney of the Sentinel newspaper in the Blaine libel suit, is a relative of Rev J. Phelps, of this village. Mr. Phelps keeps well posted on the progress of this celebrated case.

The new roller skating rink is well patronized. Every skating night witnesses a good array of skaters and spectators in attendance. Some of our young people are becoming adepts in the art and can cut the "pigeon wing" quite successfully.

A. J. Coddington, proprietor of the Shelby Enterprise, arrived in town Tuesday on a brief visit to his old home. He is well satisfied with his business prospects at Shelby and is running a good newspaper there. He returns this afternoon.

Adrian Record: The case of the Clinton Woolen Mill Company vs. Edwin R. Smith, is still on trial in the circuit court. The case is one of considerable interest and able counsel has been secured by both parties, Judge C. A. Stacy and Bean & Underwood being the attorneys for the plaintiff, and Millard, Weaver & Weaver for the defendant.

A certain married lady of this village and a certain married man, who belong to different families, went to the Jackson House, in Jackson, yesterday and asked for a room, representing themselves as man and wife. They did not obtain one, but obtained a room a short distance away. We are in hourly expectation of receiving news of an elopement.

To those who wish to go to Toledo on Saturday next, Sept. 27th, to hear Hon. James G. Blaine, at League Park, the M. & O. offer the following low rates:

Jerome, and return		$1.50
Addison	"	1.30
Cambridge	"	1.00
Tecumseh	"	1.00
Ridgeway	"	1.00
Britton	"	95

Returning a special train will leave Toledo at 11:30 P. M. for the accommodation of the public.

On Wednesday the 24th was held a reunion of four generations of the Pitcher family at the very pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell's, for the pleasure of themselves and Mrs. Dr. Weber, who will return to Boston in about two weeks. Some pleasant feature of the entertainment were music by Mrs. Cooley and Laura Ford and recitations by Eugene Weber, of Boston, and Nora Desmond, of Cleveland. About forty people were present and a general good time passed.

THE G. A. R. AND POLITICS.

The G. A. R. Posts have been not a little annoyed by the efforts made in some quarters to convey the impression that the organization was used for political purposes. Nothing is further from the truth. To enlighten the public on this point, the Dept. Commander of this state, Rush J. Shank has issued Gen. Orders, No. 5, which contains, among other things, the following.

It is reported that comrades in various sections of the State are wearing the badges of the order on their coats by the side of political badges, thus implying that they as Grand Army men, will support this or that candidate for office. Comrades, this practice cannot be condemned in too pronounced a manner. If we—as an Order—are to maintain our present high standing, we must keep it disconnected from all political organizations. Comrades, don't display your G. A. R. badge by the side of political badges or emblems. Don't attend political meetings as Posts or with your badge in a prominent position. Don't assume to speak for the order when you announce your own political preference. Remember that the G. A. R. is composed of comrades entertaining various views, all having equal rights as citizens and soldiers.

—Massillon Cannel—Cleaner, Better and Cheaper than wood for cook stoves and grates. Try it. Sold only by S. W. Temple, Tecumseh.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

—When the bell strikes, all listen, for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy. A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the voice of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream. A. E. Kennedy.

—The largest assortment of Picture Frames, Mats and Albums, at Brown's Art Gallery.

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TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS, H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery; also manufacturers of Tiffany Improved Patent Drain Tile Machine, Sword's Brick Machine, etc.

WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them $10,138,353.30. Total premiums received, $20,931,785.47. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $6,506,867.13. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years analogized by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $15,500,000, surplus over four per cent. reserve, $3,622,011.61.

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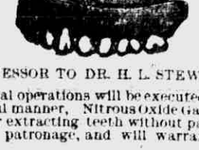

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The Prevention of Forest Fires.

The following article opens up a very interesting and important subject. We are glad to call attention to it. We do not quite agree with the writer as to the time required to grow a pine forest. We once sold at auction a pine growth of forty years for one hundred dollars per acre, for the wood standing, without the land.

Every now and then we read of a fire in the woods which burns up anywhere from a few thousand to a million dollars' worth or more of property; but until these ravages were brought together in one view, by the map about to be published by the United States Census Bureau, it is probable that no one had an adequate idea of the wide range and the vast amount of the damage done.

Without going into particulars, it is safe to say that the prevention of these fires is one of the most serious economical questions. The direct value destroyed is probably greater than that of all the lumber cut—which is not less than three hundred million dollars a year—and the incidental damage is in many cases far greater than the direct. Cutting trees does not necessarily hinder the land from growing more and better ones; in fact, it often helps to that result. But burning them off frequently destroys not only those large enough to be cut, but also a vastly greater number which are not large enough. Worse yet, it not only kills the seed in the ground, but also burns out the vegetable substance in the soil itself, rendering it for a long time incapable of raising anything but fire-weed or brambles, and then, later on, some of the trees least valuable for fuel or timber. In the case of broad-leaved trees, we may say that not less than fifty years, and, in the case of white pine—for which the soil and climate of New England are so peculiarly adapted—not less than one hundred years will generally, under the most favorable circumstances, be necessary before the same trees can be grown again.

Where the underlying slopes are steep this denuding and roasting of the soil often results in its being washed away by rains and if the rock beneath is a hard one, such as granite, it may be centuries before heat, frost and the humbler kinds of vegetable life can so disintegrate and fix it that it will raise trees.

Still further, a great indirect damage is done by these frequent conflagrations, because they make owners of land so uncertain of the future that they are tempted to cut their trees when small and thickly crowded, so as to get as much as possible from them for fuel before fires may destroy them; and of course this uncertainty is also a strong argument against that planting which advocates of forestry urge so earnestly.

The first and most pressing matter then to be attended to is, we are to continue to enjoy a supply of timber, without which we can not long have prosperous civilization, is to make or find a way to prevent, as far as may be, the starting of these fires, and their spread if once they do get under way. For the first we need more stringent legislation, such as making it as much felony to burn woods as houses intentionally, and a criminal offense to set the fires carelessly. Large bounties should be offered for the detection of offenders. Owners of woodland should be compelled to burn or remove all the tops, branches and other debris of logging, and fallen limbs and trees from standing timber. This has been recently urged by a leading lumber journal. Pleasure seekers should not be allowed to enter extensive forests, such as the Adirondacks, without a guide licensed by the State, and he should be held responsible for fires set or left by parties under his charge. Especially railroads should be compelled to put spark consumers upon all locomotives. It is said that three lately built for Vanderbilt work to entire satisfaction. To facilitate the fighting of those fires which do get started, there should be maintained, as in the French forests of maritime pine, frequent roads not less than four rods wide, which should be kept absolutely clear of combustible material.—*Congregationalist.*

Stopped at Niagara Falls.

A man, seemingly about sixty years of age, was telling the people in the waiting-rooms at the Third Street Depot yesterday that he had been East to old Massachusetts to see his sisters, and that on the way back he stopped off at Niagara Falls.

"That's a place I never saw," remarked a woman with a poke-bonnet on.

"You didn't. Well, you've missed the awfulest sight on earth. I was jest stunned."

"What is it like?" she asked.

"Well, there's a river, and the falls, and lots of hotels, and several Indians, and the bridle veil, and land only knows what else. If my old woman had a-been along she'd have wilted right down."

"There's water there I suppose?"

"Oh, heaps of it. It pours and thunders and roars and foams and bumps around in the terriblest manner. You have fit on a shirt-button in a piece of pie, haven't you?"

"No, sir."

"Well, the feeling was about the same—kinder shivery. Why, the biggest man that ever lived ain't half as big as Niagara Falls! Let him stand thar and see that 'ere water tumbling over them 'ere rocks and he can't help but feel what a miserable hoss fly he is. You've fallen out o' bed haven't you?"

"No, sir."

"Well, it's about the same thing, you wake up and find yourself on the floor, and feel as if you had been stealin' sheep or robbin' blind men."

"What portion of the falls did you most admire?" she asked.

"The water, mum," he promptly replied. "If you'd put ten thousand kegs of beer on the roof of this building and set them all running, they couldn't begin with Niagara. It's the terriblest, appallingest thing ever patented."

"Cost you much?" inquired a gentleman.

"'Bout sixty-five cents. It's pooty tight times, and sixty-five cents don't grow on every bush, but I ain't sorry. It's sunthin to talk about for twenty years to come. There's a chap in our town who used to travel with a circus, but he'll have to take a back seat when I get home. Flip-flappin' around in a circus don't begin with Niagara Falls."

"So, on the whole, you were pleased, eh?"

"Pleased! Why, I was tickled half to death! I tell you, if I had one on my farm I wouldn't sell it for no fifty dollars in cash! I've looked into a field what seven hundred and fifty fat hogs was waitin' to be sold for solid money, but it was no sich sight as the Falls. I've seen barns afire, and eight horses runnin away, and the Wabash River on tear, but for downright appalling grandeur of the teriblest kind gim me one look at the Falls. You all orter go thar. You can't half appreciate it till you've gazed on the rumpus."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Fashion Notes.

Fans remain very large.

Crinoline is on the increase.

Draperies grow less elaborate.

The Figaro is the coming jacket.

Small Greuze bonnets are in vogue.

Jetted braids appear among dress trimmings.

Skirts are nearly all gathered in at the waist.

No heels and full gathered skirts are coming in.

Cameo clasps fasten belts to round waisted dresses.

Belts and sashes tied on one side are much in favor.

Satin corsets are easier to wear than those of coutil.

Every woman of fashion has at least one lace toilet.

Braids of all kinds will be much used for dress decorations.

Foulards are the favorite wear of children for fall dresses.

There is a rage at this moment for excessively small bonnets.

Figaro jackets are made of velvet gauze for dressy fall wear.

Jackets of ribbed velvet or velveteen are correct for fall wear.

Handkerchiefs with fancy colored borders remain in high favor.

Stout women look better in gathered skirts than in tight gored ones.

A cheering line in a Paris letter announces that bustles are less prominent.

Silver braid in rows and rings will be the stylish trimming for black cashmere dresses.

At a late fashionable wedding in England the bride's bouquet, composed of white lilies, was large enough to fill a big wheelbarrow.

It is gratifying to learn that corsets are undergoing a change; they are made shorter in the waist and allow more room for the hips.

When the fall traveling dress is not of gray mohair, it is preferred of biscuit or mushroom colored light wool, and dark green or olive velvet collar, cuffs, and parements braided with gold.

The fan must match the toilet and suit the occasion. There are race fans, regatta fans, ball-room and dinner fans, parlor, and theater fans, but no church fans. Fans should never be carried to church.

The Empress of Austria, whose skill in all physical exercises is well known, has organized a school of fencing for young ladies at Vienna. The art is practiced considerably by French ladies, and all French actresses handle the foils with skill.

Some of the new colors found in fall velvets are nutria, castor, beaver, colorado, madura, and Havana cigar browns; also seal and mink fur shades, hazel, a nut shade, and iron rust browns, vert de gris, cresson, and bronze shades of green, and coquecot, or poppy red.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Old-Fashioned Furniture.

Quaint "bits" of old-fashioned furniture have for a long time past been much sought after, and pretty examples are now to be met with in almost every house of refinement and taste. One occasionally meets with old-fashioned things which from change of circumstances can no longer be used for their original purpose. The silver-handled steel, knives and double-pronged or tined forks—which most members of the present generation have never even seen—were, when not in use, stored away in a specially made satin-wood or mahogany box, often beautifully decorated with inlaid marqueterie work, and in the better examples the mountings were of chased silver. The interior of the box was apparently solid, with a separate slit for each knife and fork, which, handle uppermost, stood upright. Until recently these beautiful specimens of the cabinet work of a bygone age could be purchased for a few shillings each. Some one has lately discovered that by removing the interior false top and adding divisions for paper and envelopes, these old knife boxes can be easily transformed into choice and covetable stationary cabinets, and dealers are now buying them up, and when transformed are asking almost as many pounds as they gave shillings. Another ingenious person—a lady well known in society—has discovered that the highly-polished, old-fashioned double-handled plethoric copper or brass tea urns, wherewith our great-grandmothers delighted to adorn the table when their friends assembled to discuss a dish o' tea, can easily be transformed into a noble table lamp of striking proportions. The urn proper forms the body, and a paraffine lamp, with its ordinary glass receptacle for oil, is fitted into the space formerly occupied by the heater, which with the lid is, of course, discarded. The projecting spout is likewise banished, and a simple metal boss, with a corresponding one for uniformity on the other side. To complete, an extra large shade is fitted over an octagon-shaped wire framework of ordinary construction.—*Chambers' Journal.*

—The "heated term" can have no terrors for so cool a character as the editor of the Quitman (Ga.) *Free*, who refreshingly remarks in his valued journal: "The family of the editor of this paper is beginning to return to the hammock plantation in squads of two or three at a time. Our neighbors can resume at once the pleasant and charitable custom of sending in things."

—The oldest member of the Zoological collection at the Regent's Park, in London, died recently, being a black parrot from Madagascar, which was presented to the society in 1830, just two years after the gardens were opened. The bird had therefore lived in the gardens fifty-four years. How old it was when it arrived is not known.

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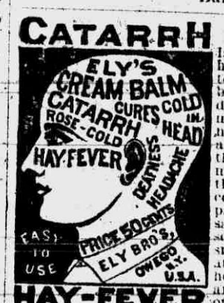

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Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59½ "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	3 42 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	

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STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 138. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	5 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 55 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
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Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	12 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	12 42	1 02	7 00
Indianapolis		3 50	9 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	24.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 50	
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 45
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 22
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	4 46	10 50	4 42
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5 40	7 28	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	Samaria	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	Lulu	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	Macon	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	Azalia	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
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6 51	9 09	Nora	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	Urania	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	Pittsfield	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	Leland	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	Worden	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING EAST.	No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass.	No. 41 Mxd
	A. M.		P. M.	
Pentwater	5 50			
Muskegon	8 35		1 25	
Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00	
Grand Haven	9 00		2 05	
Grand Rapids	9 15			
Holland	10 10		3 40	A. M.
Allegan	11 10		5 10	5 15
Kellogg	11 21		5 21	5 35
Fisk	11 27		5 27	5 46
Monteith	11 35		5 35	6 00
Dester	11 52		5 52	6 40
Richland	12 09		6 09	7 25
Yorkville	12 15		6 15	7 45
Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23	8 00
Battle Creek	12 42	6 40	6 48	8 32
Geresco	1 00	6 59	7 01	9 10
Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13	9 36
Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40	11 00
Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.	11 55
Hanover	2 10	8 09		12 30
Moscow	2 21	8 20		12 55
Jerome	2 28	8 26		1 10
Addison	2 45	8 43		1 46
Devils Lake	2 54	8 51		1 58
Cambridge	3 08	9 05		2 30
Tipton	3 22	9 17		3 00
Tecumseh	3 37	9 32		3 37
Ridgeway	3 47	9 42		4 00
Britton	3 52	9 46		4 09
Dundee	4 15	10 10		4 50
Toledo	5 10	11 10		6 50
	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.

GOING WEST.	No. 32 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 36 Pass.	No. 42 Mxd
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.
Toledo	10 10	5 10		1 40
Dundee	11 02	6 03		8 00
Britton	11 24	6 27		8 52
Ridgeway	11 29	6 31		9 02
Tecumseh	11 36	6 41		9 32
Tipton	11 55	6 57		9 57
Cambridge	12 08	7 30		10 26
Devils Lake	12 22	7 25		10 48
Addison	12 30	7 33		11 15
Jerome	12 48	7 50		11 52
Moscow	12 58	7 57		12 07
Hanover	1 06	8 07		12 30
Pulaski	1 17	8 18	A. M.	12 50
Homer	1 38	8 40	6 20	1 38
Marshall	2 05	9 09	6 47	2 42
Geresco	2 17	9 22	6 59	3 10
Battle Creek	2 36	9 40	7 17	3 52
Augusta	2 56	P. M.	7 37	4 40
Yorkville	3 01		7 45	4 57
Richland	3 10		7 52	5 10
Dester	3 28		8 08	5 52
Monteith	3 45		8 25	6 30
Fisk	3 53		8 33	6 50
Kellogg	3 59		8 39	7 04
Allegan	4 10		8 50	7 25
Holland	5 10		10 10	P. M.
Grand Rapids	6 10			
Grand Haven	6 15		11 00	
Ferrysburg	6 25		11 08	
Muskegon	6 55		11 45	
Pentwater	9 20			
	P. M.		A. M.	

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Wonderful Dakota.

"Speakin' of the perductive soil," said the man from Dakota, "the half has nev r been told. The newspapers have gone jest as fur as they dared, an' though they have shot away under the mark, the editors have bin denounced as three-ply liars by the hull East. Perductive soil? Why, pardner, that don's express it! I remember last fall I was walkin' across my claim an' found a big log-chain about twelve feet long. I dragged it into my shack, an' happened to notice a peculiarity about the hook, the point o' which was in the form of a snake's head. All to once I remembered havin' lost a steel watch chain about two months afore, an', pardner, I hope I may never see that claim agin if that soil hadn't tuk hold o' that chain an' it growed to the size described. Why, sir, it's wonderful"

He gazed around at the faces of the *Herald* staff in search of looks of doubt, but all being serene, he continued:

"One evenin's jest afore dark, my wife looked outen the window an' said: 'John, I believe that calf's stuck down thar in that swampy spot.' I told her I guess not, an' we didn't give the critter another thought. When I got up next mornin' an' went out to do the chores I'm a bald-headed liar from the Jim River if thar wan't a full-grown steer a standin' whar that calf was the night afore, stuck fast in the mud. It was the soil, gents, the pow'ful, perductive soil that had growed that calf into a steer in a single night. It beats the hull world"

He munched at his quid of tobacco a few moments and went on:

"We never think o' settin' hens on eggs out thar. We jest bury the egg in the ground, an' the next mornin' we have a chicken big enough to kill for breakfast. Jim Daniels, a fear neighbor o' mine, is makin' oceans o' money raising telegraph poles. He jest sticks wooden tooth-picks in the ground and gives the soil a lick at 'em, an' when they're big enough for poles he pulls 'em up. He shipped a car-load to Fargo day afore yisterday. That soil 'ud raise the dead. A few weeks ago my wife said: 'Why, John, I b lieye you've took to growin' agin'. I measured myself, an' I hope Gabriel 'll miss me at the final round-up if I hadn't grown six inches in two weeks. I couldn't account for it for some time, till at last I tumbled to the fact that thar war holes in my boots an' I hadn't washed washed my feet doorin' the time mentioned. The infernal soil got in thar an' done its work. Did you see that boy that was with me on the street this mornin'? Looks like he was about eighteen years old. Wal, about two months ago my wife sot our six-months-old kid down in the p owed-ground to play, an' gent, I'll be billy dog-gone if— But you wouldn't believe that if I told it. Yes, it's a wonderful country, gents; a wonderful country! I could sit here fur a year relatin' actual facts, but I must rush out an' do some tradin'. I've got to buy a hatchet to shingle my barn with. I left my old hatchet out over night last week an' in the mornin' it war a full-grown ax. Good-bye."

And he got up and walked out wearing the meek expression of a saint.—*St. Paul Herald.*

Westminster Hall.

Although a surprising change has lately passed over Westminster Hall, both inside and out, it is an error to suppose that the glory of the venerable place has departed for ever. It is no longer the meeting-ground for wigged barristers and the solicitors and clients who used to throng it before the course of judi ial reform transferred them all, bag and baggage, to the Royal Courts in the Strand. An end has certainly been put to its history as a vast chamber for the practice of the law, and no State trial will ever again take place under its roof of Spanish pine. Originally the hall is said to have been built as a banqueting chamber; but if Rufus so designed it, the purposes to which it has actually been put have been widely different. Here Lord Chancellor Moore's trial took place, and hence occurred that touching scene when his son, after the death sentence had been pronounced, rushed forward, and on bended knees besought his doomed father's last blessing. The Duke of Norfolk, Strafford and Charles I. were also tried for their lives between these massive walls. Thr Seven Bishops were acquitted here in James II.'s time; and, to come to more modern days, this was the scene of the famous impeachment of Warren Hastings, and of Burke's oratorical displays. In Nelson's report of the trial of his sainted Majesty, King Charles of unhappy memory, a picture is presented of the scene in Westminster Hall, from which it is plain that in the olden time there was a sort of gallery for distinguished strangers perched in each of the southern corners of the building: in the center, beneath the arms of the Commonwealth, sits the "Lord President Bradshaw," and on his right had none other than Oliver Cromwell. The King himself has his back turned to the audience, and is seated fronting the mace and sword of State, with his royal hat on, in a comfortable chair, with ink and paper before him on a table. Even more quaint is the representation of the trial of Lambert by King Henry VIII. in person, wherein his Majesty is represented as sitting beneath a canopy closely resembling that erected over a modern bedstead, and is evidently engaged busily in ordering everybody about—for his royal hand is outstretched in an attitude of command.—*London Telegraph.*

—It is curious, says an exchange, how few people know the benefit of fruit at breakfast time. A saucer of berries, an orange or banana, pear or apple; at six in the morning will make the sky look brighter and fill the world with sunshine even on cloudy days; and yet many people never think of eating fruit in the morning.

—Mrs. Van Cott, the revivalist, has been engaged in her special work for nineteen years. She is now in her 54th year, and says she is the spiritual mother of 40,000 souls.—*Chicago Journal.*

One animal in ten dies in the cattle cars between Chicago and New York. When the beasts arrive they are slaughtered in their feverish and emaciated condition.—*N. Y. Sun.*

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—It is said there are five genuine signatures of Shakespeare in existence in each of which the name is spelt in a different way.

—Cyrus W. Field was once a clerk in A. T. Stewart's store at two dollars a week. In twelve years he made a big fortune.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The late Alexandre Dumas said that, having traveled all over the world, he had brought back from every country save England a recipe for a new dish and a decoration; from England alone he obtained neither decoration nor recipe.

—James Payn, the novelist, offers his own experience as encouragement to young aspirants for literary fame. He was 32 years of age, and had written many books and a large number of miscellaneous articles be ore he made his first success in literature.

—"Gath," the correspondent, attends strictly to his newspaper work. He does not make his own contracts with his journals. His wife does it 'or him. She, in fact, transacts all his business, while he does the literary labor. His income cannot be less than $15,000 a year.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—London has nearly 2,000 newspapers and periodicals, Paris 1,558, New York and Brooklyn 587. The combined circulation of the Paris publications exceeds that of the London. One-tenth of the circulation of the periodical publications of the globe is enjoyed by Paris publishers.

—Somebody has discovered that John Smith in Latin is Johannes Smithius; in Italian, Giovanni Smithi; Spanish, Juan Smithas; Dutch, Hans Schmidt; French, Jean Smeets; Greek, Ion Skmiton; Russian, Jouloff Skm towski; Pol sh, Ivan Schmittiwcisk; Chinese, Jahan Shimmit; Icelandic, Jahne Smithson; Welch, Ilhon Schmidd; Mexican, Joali t'Smiti.

—One of the most remarkable facts in the recent history of English journalism is the space devoted to American news and to editorial comment thereon. The American department is now a recognized feature of every daily paper, and the quality as well as well as the quantity of the matter referring to the United States has vastly improved.

—The late Jun us Brutus Booth built the Masconome House at Manchester by the Sea, near Boston, for a summer residence for himself and his family, but was forced by numerous applications for board to convert it into a hotel, which his widow, Mrs. Agnes Booth, now keeps and is making more money in the business than she can ever on the stage.—*Boston Journal.*

HUMOROUS.

—"She is a beautiful poem," says a gushing lover. We are glad to hear it. It does not harm a young woman to be well versed.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—A San Francisco naturalist sent a nice cage and a wagon to a friend's house for a fine specimen of ground-hog that was offered him. He received a sausage, and it took him three days to see the joke.—*Exchange.*

—"I have been going around all day, and now I am tired," remarked an exhausted Austin mother. "You are not like a wheel, are you, ma?" asked Tommy. "Why, little boy?" "You are t red after you go around, but a wheel is tired before it goes around."—*Texas Siftings.*

—"Say, Tobbs," said a young fellow, meeting him late in a saloon last night, "you're a lawer and a scholar. Which would be right—I drank blindly, or, I drunk blindly?" "Nezzer's right," said Tobbs, bracing himself up on the counter. "You should say, I'm blind drunk." The witnesses present thought so, too.—*Scissors.*

—Stationery Poetry.

Why did the penholder so tight,
And the paper cutter so?
When Papa Jerry knew 'twaant write
To have a ruler for a beau.

Why did the inkstand idly by,
And note that things wern't straight?
It should have tried to rubber dry,
And make the paper weight.
—*Merchant Traveler.*

—"Why," he pleaded, "our very circumstances bind us together: our similar tastes, our friendship, long acquaintance—" "Yes," she replied, "even age could bind us together." "What age, dearest?" he asked. "Mucilage," answered she, gluemily. A minute later, as he paste up and down the room alone, he realized that his failure was gumplete.—*Life.*

—"Man Pa," complained a little girl, running into the house, "me and Willie wanted nurse to sit down and let us pour sand in her back, and she wouldn't." "Certainly not. She did quite right." "Well, that's what you told her she was to do when she first came." "I told her she was to let you and Willie pour sand down her back?" "Not exactly that, mamma, but you to d her she was to mind the children."—*N. Y. Sun.*

—"I had no idea you were a machinist" said a bright Gotham girl to her escort, an Anglo-maniac of the first degree, as they stood watching the monkeys in Central Park. "Aw, weally, you surpwise me, aw," he stammered, in great confusion. "Will you, aw, do me the favor, aw, to explain your conundwum?" "It is no conundrum, Mr. Addlepate. It's a fact." "But, aw, weally, why d'ye think I'm a howwid machinist?" "Because every time you look in that cage you make a monkey w ench," murmured the cruel maiden. Mr. Addlepate fell back into a baby carriage and was aken to the Home for Incurables.—*N. Y. Journal.*

The Earthquake Nowhere.

Two fashionable New York ladies met, and the following conversation took place:

"Did you feel the shock?"

"I did not perceive it at all."

"Were you asleep when it occurred?"

"No, I was wide awake."

"I suppose you were outside of the range of the earthquake?"

"O, no, I was in New York. I was at the dinner-table at the Fifth Avenue Hotel when the shock occurred. Everybody else noticed it except myself."

"Why, how is that possible?"

"There was a woman from Boston sitting opposite me at the table, eating peas with her knife. The shock I experienced at this breach of etiquette was so much greater than the earthquake that I took no notice of the latter."—*Texas Siftings.*

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 25, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

THERE were 206 business failures throughout the United States reported for the week ended September 20, against 180 the preceding week, and 177, 141 and 96 in the corresponding weeks of 1883, 1882, and 1881 respectively.

GENERAL SCALES, Democratic candidate for Governor of North Carolina, while crossing Cowel Mountain, near Charlotte, N. C., was thrown down a precipice by the upsetting of his buggy and badly hurt. His life was saved by lodging in a tree. The buggy was smashed and horse killed.

THE postmaster of Rock Fort, Arkansas is reported to have absconded, leaving his account with the Government $1,200 short.

WILLIAM H. PAYNE'S large flour mill in New York City burned on the 19th. Loss, $60,000. The offices of three local newspapers, with their contents, on the second floor of the mill were also consumed.

AT Berlin, Wis., on the 19th fire destroyed sixteen frame residences and stores. Loss, $50,000; insurance light.

FIVE prisoners in the county jail at Watertown, N. Y., on the 19th overpowered the jailor, whom they bound and gagged, and securing the keys, made good their escape. The next day one of them voluntarily returned.

FIVE incendiary fires on the night of the 18th excited the citizens of Bellefontaine, Ohio. Among the property destroyed was Dickinson & Co's spinning mill, Starr, Cort & Co's carriage works, and three barns. Total loss $30,000. The fires were at widely different points.

THE dwelling of John Bylow at East Toledo, Ohio, was burned on the 19th and a little four-year-old daughter perished in the flames. In escaping Mrs. Bylow and her babe were badly burned.

JOHN ROGERS, of Bloomington, Ill., has brought suit for $10,000 damages against several parties in that place for an alleged conspiracy to injure the sales of his cattle by circulating false reports about their having pleuro-pneumonia.

A FREIGHT train on the Williamstown branch of the Camden & Atlantic Railroad dashed into the rear car of the Camden accommodation train at the intersection of the two roads, twenty miles below Camden, N. J., on the 19th. The car was demolished and eleven of the occupants, railroad workmen, seriously injured.

A PETITION is being circulated in Pittsburgh, Pa., requesting the Legislature to enact a law providing for compulsory temperance education in all schools supported by public money. It asks that systematic instruction be required in these schools in physiology and hygiene, with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drink stimulants and narcotics upon the human system.

RINDSKOPF BROS. & Co., New York clothiers, assigned on the 19th. Liabilities estimated at $900,000; assets $1,100,000.

THE remains of General B. H. Helm, killed in the battle of Chickamauga, which were brought from Atlanta, Ga., were reinterred at Elizabethtown, Ky., on the 19th with military honors.

Near Bridgeville, Ala., on the 19th, twelve men were putting a roof on a barn, when it fell in, throwing them to the ground. All were seriously injured, three probably fatally.

THE Columbia Valley Bank at Alkali, Oregon, and the Spokane Bank, of Cheney, W. T., owned by J. F. Danford, have both failed and Danford has run away. The indignant depositors have Cashier Ainsworth in their possession and threaten to lynch him if he don't bring Danford back.

DANIEL E. JONES, Deputy Internal Revenue Collector of the Marshall, Texas, district, suicided on a train near Mexia on the 19th. Jones was married and had eloped with the sixteen-year-old daughter of a citizen of Marshall. They were apprehended at Austin, and Jones was in the custody of an officer at the time of suicide.

AT Coal Center, Pa., the suits against the miner's wives for conspiracy have been withdrawn on condition that the women keep the peace in the future, and not interfere with the non-unionists going to work.

THE Connellsville (Pa.) Coke Producers' Association met at Pittsburgh on the 19th. On account of the banking of a number of pig iron furnaces in the East, the ovens were closed on the 18th. The coke manufacturers say they will pull the fires from all the ovens in the region before they will furnish coke at less than the syndicate prices, $1.10 per ton.

CERTAIN Washington claim agents have issued circulars informing postmasters who are entitled to a readjustment of salary under the act of March 3, 1883, that if these claims are not presented before December 1 they will be barred. The postal officials say that there is no authority for such a statement.

THE river steamers Morning Mail and Bonanza were burned to the water's edge at Fulton landing, near Cincinnati, on the morning of the 20th. The fire also communicated to the United States lighthouse tender Lily, lying alongside, which escaped with the loss of her upper works. The Morning Mail was valued at $30,000, and the Bonanza at $24,000. Each was insured for $20,000. The Lily's damage was estimated at $2,000.

SEVEN convicts were whipped at New Castle, Del., on the 20th, in the presence of four hundred people.

JOHN SLIM, a bricklayer, and John Reno, a helper, were suffocated by gas in a sewer at the Edgar Thompson Steel Works, Braddocks, Pa., on the 20th.

A WIDOW named Gait was gagged and robbed in her home at Heath, Mass., on the 20th, the robbers obtaining a large sum of money.

HARRY CLAY, a well-known lawyer and politician and a grandson of the great Henry Clay, was shot and dangerously wounded in a drunken row at Louisville on the 21st.

A RAILWAY train on the Pennsylvania Railroad collided on the 20th with a horse at the Market Street depot crossing, Newark, N. J., fatally injuring one passenger and seriously injuring several others. The horse car was crowded and it is marvelous that the calamity was not greater.

AT Nashville, Tenn., Sam and Will Wells, aged respectively four and two years, were put to bed on the 20th to take nap. Sam carried a box of matches with him, and striking one in the bed both boys were burned to death. The mother and Mrs. Hovie were badly burned in trying to extinguish the fire.

THE court of inquiry appointed to investigate the circumstances of the collision between the Tallapoosa and the Baltimore schooner finds that the Tallaposa did all in her power to avert the collision, complied with the law in all respects, and that the blame for the collision rests with the schooner. The Department has approved of the finding of the court.

FIRE at Muskegon, Mich., on the 18th destroyed the Temple Manufacturing Company's buildings, together with a large amount of stock and lumber. Loss about $60,000; half covered by insurance.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ending September 20: Loans increase, $383,300; Specie increase, $434,900; Legal tenders decrease, $50,400; Deposits increase, $2,135,100; Circulation decrease, $49,800; Reserve decrease, $149,675. The banks held $28,154,700 in excess of legal requirements.

THE collision of a freight and passenger train on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, near Alberquerque, N. M., on the 20th resulted in the death of Engineer W. K. Fisher and Fireman Robert Baxter, of the passenger train, and a freight brakeman, name not learned. The passengers escaped unhurt.

THE Philadelphia *North American* on the 20th celebrated the centennial anniversary of its establishment. It has been under the management of its present proprietors for half a century, who issued a special number commemorating the day.

AT the convention of railroad coal miners of the Pittsburgh district, held in that city on the 20th for the purpose of arranging the city mining rate, it was decided to continue arbitration and leave the matter of wages entirely in the hands of the trades' tribunal. Resolutions were adopted sympathizing with the striking miners along the Monongahela River, denouncing the conspiracy laws of Pennsylvania and requesting their repeal, and urging mine inspectors to make a more careful inspection of mines, as complaints were made that they were in bad condition.

PAULDING, KEMBLE & Co., of New York, manufacturers of machines, assigned on the 20th. Liabilities $301,736; nominal assets $743,361; actual assets $32,025.

BY the collision of two freight trains near Paris, Ky., on the 20th, James Hampton, engineer, was fatally injured and several cars badly wrecked.

THE annual report of the Inspector of Buildings, shows that during the past year 932 brick dwellings and 132 frame dwellings have been erected in Washington, D. C., at a total cost of $3,108,074. This is an increase of 500 buildings over the number erected the previous year, and a larger number than in any year in the history of the city.

AT Dubuque, Iowa, on the 20th John Lange and his wife had a quarrel which culminated in his shooting her through the head, and then himself. He is dead, but she may recover.

ISAAC KINSEY'S block containing the Opera House, Jones & Co.'s dry goods store and other buildings at Milton, Ind., burned on the 20th, entailing a loss of $20,000.

ABOUT half the claims expected against the Geneva award in settlement of the damages caused by the Confederate privateer Alabama have now been passed upon and paid. If the remaining half amounts to as much as those disposed of the total paid will reach $10,000,000. The amount awarded by the Geneva Board of Arbitration was $15,500,000, so that the net gain to the public treasury bids fair to be close on to five or six millions.

THE large new silver vault under the cash room of the Treasury Department at Washington is finished, and the transfer of silver to it began on the 22d. It has a storage capacity of fifty million dollars. The silver now stored in the Treasury, amounting to $5,000,000, will be transferred to the new vault, where will also be stored the surplus coinage of the different mints accumulating every month.

THE acting assistant surgeon at Brownsville, Tex., reports to the Surgeon General of the Marine Hospital Service that there have been no cases of yellow fever at Matamoras, Mex., nor at Brownsville, and that the season at the Mexican Gulf ports has been one of the healthiest ever known. The fever is decreasing at Hersomollo, Mex.

FIRE at St. Louis on the 20th destroyed the Golden Eagle Clothing Store, owned by Browning, King & Co., of New York. Loss on stock estimated at $150,000; insured for $119,000.

THE Merchants' Woolen Mill, at Dedham, Mass., burned on the 20th, throwing five hundred hands out of employment and entailing a loss of $75,000.

A DISPATCH received at Lexington, Ky., on the 21st from Frisbie & Lake, of Cynthiana, says two of their cattle have died, six are sick and others are looking badly. Dr. Solomon, Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, is investigating the matter.

THE Chief Signal Officer has received Lieutenant Greely's report giving the results of the scientific observations and expeditions during the first year of his stay at Lady Franklin Bay. The remainder of his report will be completed in time to be incorporated in the Chief Signal Officer's annual report to Congress.

A SINGULAR disease has recently broken out among the hogs in the northern part of Macon County, Illinois. It is called hog cholera, but the hogs eat heartily, are feverish and die the next day.

THE proprietor of a New York museum has offered the authorities of Vienna $3,000 for the body of Kammerer, the anarchist, who was hanged there recently for complicity in several murders. The offer has been refused.

IT was reported at El Paso, Texas, that a band of Mexicans crossed the Rio Grande at Presidio Del Norte on the 20th, killed three Americans and quickly returned into Mexico. No particulars are yet obtainable.

THE old Government property at Harper's Ferry, on which stood the arsenal and its extensive shops, destroyed during the war, has been ordered to be sold by the Government.

Two deaths from yellow fever occurred at a hospital in Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 20th. The victims were sailors on the British steamer African, which arrived at New York August 19. A case of yellow fever was reported to the New York Board of Health on the 21st, being that of a Spaniard named Morales, who arrived on the steamer Newport from Havana on the 19th.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE President on the 18th appointed Harry Kislingbury, son of Lieutenant Kislingbury, who lost his life in the Greely expedition, as cadet-at-large to the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

RETURNS from all the cities, towns and precincts of Maine give the following vote at the recent election: Robie, 78,912; Redman, 59,061; H. B. Eaton, 8,168; Eustis, 1,101; W. T. Eaton, 97; scattering 16, making Robie's majority 19,851; over all, 15,411. These returns are official, excepting seven towns, which are from reliable sources.

E. C. LARNED, a well known member of the Illinois bar, died at Lake Forest, near Chicago on the 18th.

THE Democratic conferees of the Eleventh Pennsylvania District have nominated J. B. Storm for Congress.

ANTHONY THOMPSON, the oldest and best known colored man of Essex County, New Jersey, and said to be the last survivor of the old slaves of that county, died at West Orange, N. J., on the 18th, in his eighty-eighth year.

THE Women's Christian Temperance Union Convention in its closing session at Middlebury, Vt., on the 19th rescinded a resolution previously passed which endorsed St. John and the woman suffrage plank in the Prohibition platform, many delegates having objected to the dragging of politics into the work of the convention.

JERRY MCAULEY, the well-known city missionary of New York, died in that city on the 18th. He was once a notorious river pirate and ward tough. For several years after his conversion he conducted the Water Street Mission, and latterly has managed the Cremorne Mission on Twenty-third street.

GEORGE W. BUCHANAN, a pioneer of Washington Territory, died at Portland, Oregon, on the 20th, aged ninety years. Buchanan was Captain of the company that attacked and killed the Mormon apostle, Joseph Smith, at Carthage, Ill., in June, 1844; he also took an active part in the Blackhawk war.

GENERAL DUDLEY, Commissioner of Pensions, has resigned his position, and will enter the banking firm of Bateman & Co., of Washington.

CHARLES W. WEST, who several years ago gave $30,000 to establish an art museum at Cincinnati, died in that city on the 21st.

F. B. HAYES, Republican nominee for Congress in the Fifth Massachusetts District, died at Lexington on the 20th.

FOREIGN.

CAPTAIN ALBERT DELYBOAT, a contemtemporary of Commodore Vanderbilt, and said to be the oldest steamboat Captain in the United States, died at his home in Richfield Springs, N. Y., on the 19th.

THE barkentine Tropic Bird, arrived at San Francisco on the 18th from Papeete, Tahiti, brought news that the greater part of the business portion of the town was destroyed by fire recently. Loss $120,000.

THE McGregor iron works at Windsor, Canada, together with the Essex Mills adjoining, were destroyed by fire on the night of the 18th. Loss $80,000; light insurance.

CAPTAIN DUBLEY and Mate Stephenson, of the lost yacht Mignonette, were committed for trial at London on the 19th on the charge of murder. While drifting at sea in a small boat, without water or food, they killed the cabin boy, drank his blood and ate his body, that their own lives and the life of a seaman named Brooks might be preserved. The seaman was released from arrest.

THE Dutch budget shows a deficit of fifteen million florins, which has resulted mainly from the demonetization of silver. It is proposed to place a tax on tobacco.

IT is asserted that England will lend Egypt £8,000,000 to pay the floating debt and the Alexandria indemnity. The balance will be used in the construction of irrigation works.

THE Grand Trunk car works at London, Ontario, were almost entirely destroyed by fire on the 20th. The works cover an area of nearly five acres and include the freight car shops, the passenger coach shed and iron machine shop, all of which with their contents, comprising seven partly finished coaches and cars, and an immense amount of seasoned lumber in the yards, were consumed. Loss estimated at $400,000. Four hundred men were thrown out of employment.

NEWS from General Gordon, which reached Cairo by messenger on the 20th, is to the effect that on the 24th of July his troops signally defeated the rebel army which had been sent against him from Kordofan. Another battle was fought on the 30th of August, which resulted in General Gordon's forcing the rebels to raise the siege of Khartoum, and during which Sheikh Sidi, his son, and their followers were killed.

TEN thousand persons collected at the Cathedral at Naples on the 20th to witness the liquefying of the blood of San Gennaro. The low quarters of the town were illuminated. All the public houses were closed by order of the police.

LATER.

HON. HENRY CLAY, who was shot on the 20th at Louisville, Ky., by Councilman Andy Wepler, died on the 22d. Wepler is in jail.

Two freight trains on the Hannibal Railroad collided near New Cambria, Mo., on the 21st. The trains were wrecked and three men, including the engineer of the west-bound train, were killed, and the conductor of the west-bound train and one other were fatally injured.

THE Middlesex Bleaching and Dye Works at Somerville, Mass., comprising several large buildings, were destroyed by fire on the 22d. Loss $200,000; insurance $65,000. The works were the most extensive of the kind in the country.

CAPTAIN W. P. CLARK, of General Sheridan's staff, probably the most thorough student and writer in the world upon the Indian language, died at Washington on the 22d.

A BROTHER and sister named Chambers were struck by a train on the Pennsylvania Company's railroad near Scranton, Pa., on the 22d. The boy, aged seven, was killed outright, and the girl, aged thirteen, was mortally hurt.

THE Phillips well at Baldridge, Pa., is proving the most productive of any ever struck in the entire oil region. At noon of the 22d it was flowing at the rate of 138 barrels per hour. Thousands visit it daily.

A TWELVE-YEAR-OLD girl of Framingham, Mass., a few days ago packed a valise with diamonds and negotiable bonds to the amount of $75,000 belonging to her mother, a wealthy lady, and started for Boston to meet a young man to elope with him. She was arrested, the valuables recovered and the girl taken home.

THE assignment of the Newcomb-Buchanan Company, one of the most extensive liquor farms in the country, was filed at Louisville, Ky., on the 22d. Liabilities not stated.

THEODORE DWYER was shot and killed in his own house at Butler, Pa., on the 21st by James Peterson. The two men with several friends had been drinking together all the evening, but finally became engaged in a quarrel with the above fatal result. Both were prominent citizens.

BENJAMIN T. O. HUBBARD, the defaulting cashier of the First National Bank of Monmouth, Illinois, was arrested in that city on the 22d, charged with embezzling funds of the bank amounting to $106,000. He waived examination and was held in $10,000 bail to appear at the October term of court. The sum in the complaint is said to be not all of his defalcation, as the real amount which he took from the bank was $118,000, and he also took depositors' money to the amount of $250,000 or more, making a total steal of $368,000.

AT Schenectady, N. Y., on the 21st E. D. Hopkins and wife and two other members of the Bohemian Glass Blowers' Company went out on the Mohawk in a light boat. The boat capsized and Mrs. Hopkins was drowned.

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The October number is even more interesting than usual, the 12 quarto pages being filled with articles, stories, sketches, adventures, poems etc., by some of our most popular writers. The illustrations number over 100 together with a colored plate frontispiece, "The Intoxication of Draught." "The House of Lords," by Noel Ruthven; "A Day at Chiselhurst," by Sarah K. Bolton; "An American Impressario's Experience in British Burmah," by J. Charles Davis, are among the elaborately illustrated articles. The serial "A Dark Deed" is concluded, and there are stories and sketches by M. Norcott, Annie Thomas, Imogene H. Skyes, Agnes James, etc., and some excellent poetry by F. H. Parker, C. Grindrod, Susan K. Phillips, etc. The great merit of this magazine seems to be fully appreciated by the public, and it is really the cheapest and most popular monthly published. A single number is sold for 25 cents, and the yearly subscription is $2.50, postpaid. Mrs. Frank Leslie, publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

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Apples, dried, ₱ lb	@	06
Butter, ₱ lb	17 @	18
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50 @	1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @	1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@	5 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf skins, ₱ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	30 @	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @	60
Clover Seed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00 @	5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₱ lb	@	15
Ham, ₱ lb	@	14
Lard, ₱ lb	@	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @	35
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @	40
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	75
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	75
Wool	18 @	27

GUARDIAN SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minor by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1884, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of November, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided half of all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of a street which starts nearly opposite Brown street in said village and runs easterly from Mill street to Maumee street in said village, seventeen (17) rods easterly from the east line of said Mill street; thence running southerly at right angles with said south line of said street nineteen (19) rods to a point met by producing easterly the southerly line of a lot formerly owned and occupied by Robert Stewart on its own course; thence easterly along said line produced easterly as aforesaid six (6) rods; thence northwardly parallel with first course nineteen rods to said south line of said street running easterly from Mill street to Maumee street as aforesaid; thence westerly along said south line of said street six rods to place of beginning.

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Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent. to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows. Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Walace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parellel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

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Attorney for Assignee. sep25

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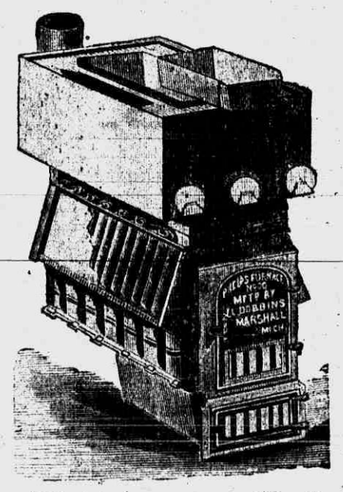

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BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Our Fair began with rain, but Wednesday exhausted the shower programme and the next two days were all of beauty sunshine could burnish. Thursday a great crowd covered the ground, lined the road, made landladies distracted, and found fault because the wild west failed to materalize as promised; but there was twenty five cents worth of attraction furnished for each and all, and good humor prevailed.

I did see the races, and the hour spent in floral hall enables me to speak particularly of but few things. A case of elk, snakes, frogs, birds, lizzards, and fans, attested the whittling skill of T. Wheaton of Napoleon, and some fine rock specimens and Indian relics were also enclosed, making altogether a very artistic curiosity cage. A finely carved clock case and bracket were the work of John Campbell when but fourteen years of age. Birds that retained the beauty of life, in death, were there, and art needlework in variety frescoed the walls. Kensington painting was conspicuous and table-scarfs and screens were plentiful, that merit more than this brief notice.

The editor of the Enterprise came to the front with a case of floral cards true to nature, and a ladder of photographed views of homes happy or wretched; landscapes and tenantry, kept a throng of admirers in a state of squeeze, rendered doubly compact by everybody within hearing of Will Sharp's voice, trying to get near enough to order their favorite song. The telephone harp was out of tune, at least not going just then, but am told its tones have facinated some of our business men. The canned fruit and vegetable department were fair, and the display of stoves extra nice. The flowers were pretty but not as nice variety as the owner usually exhibits. The only sewing machines were the White. They were nice and the operators in charge understood their business well enough, figuratively speaking, to embroider lace with a plow-share. Nearly every place within reasonable distance was represented. The band played well, and please chalk the item, they went home sober.

On the whole, the fair was good, attendance immense, and we regret that many charge the last to trickery. A prohibition lecture was furnished instead of the show, by Rev. Harvey Hodgkiss. A larger number of men attended than usual. They were of all political colors, but listened respectfully while the Elder painted taxation and estimated the value of unkept promises, and faith without works. He has always been an earnest republican, but throws no clubs at candidates, and says he will be satisfied if those who pray for temperance will drop their prayers and votes in the same box. PEARLIE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Numerous of our citizens "took in" the "Plumed Knight" at Toledo Monday.

The fairs and fair sex, attract the attention of our beau material pretty generally of late.

Those of our people who have adopted the St.'s faith announce a pole raising for Friday of this week. Hon. Chas. Mosher will be the orator of the day.

Steps have been taken by our village folks preparatory to securing a village charter and the prospect appears favorable for better order and better sidewalks in the near future.

A bran new boot and shoe store will soon swell the business facilities on the west side of the creek. A Shadow shop will now be in order.

Mr. D. C. Durgin, of Hillsdale College will deliver his famous lecture on Iceland, Saturday evening at this place.

Fred Curtis's new banking building is fast nearing completion and will be by far the finest business block in town.

We learn that our enterprising hardware dealer F. A. Smiley will go east soon to visit his parents.

Our business men now possess facilities for supplying the public with goods and appliances equal to any in the market and at prices to compare favorably with those of any country town in the state, and the only thing necessary to make Addison one of the best business centers in the country in a few years is the patronage of the people. And we have no doubt they will take cognizance of this fact and govern themselves accordingly.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

We had a fine rain at last.

Prof. H. C. Wilson was home over Sunday.

Ridgeway is solid for Holbridge.

Mrs. W. H. Arner is visiting friends at Jackson this week.

Mr. W. R. Wilson is repairing his house quite extensively and will make a fine improvement.

Mrs. Seydan and her child, and Mrs. Dave Coryell have been quite sick for the past week.

Mr. Geo. Boss is very sick and his recovery is doubtful.

W. R. Wilson and T. H. Temple went to Toledo Monday to see James G. Blaine their standard bearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield of Monroe Co. called on friends Monday.

Mrs. C. B. Sutton after a long sickness passed away Saturday morning. The funeral was held at her home on Sunday morning.

Our new pastor Rev. W. J. Clark occupied the pulpit Sunday. We extend the hand of welcome.

Miss Allie Palmer is visiting her brother Dr. R. H. Nelson. Her health is improving slowly.

Misses Wilcox and Johnson were the guests of Miss Belle Barlow Tuesday night; they are college friends of hers.

Misses Lou Arner and Ella Jackson made friends at Pennington's corners a visit the first of the week.

Several went to Britton to hear A. O. Crozier and A. K. Johnson speak on Prohibition Friday night.

Mrs. Dr. D. W. Loree left for St. John, Clinton Co., to visit friends on Tuesday.

The church social will be held at the home of Mrs. Jonathan Hall next Friday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Good music is to be the order of the evening.

Mrs. S. W. Jackson, having gone into the millinery business, would respectfully invite the ladies of Ridgeway and vicinity to call and examine goods and prices.

F. A. Plumbley, of Vermont, addressed a Republican rally Tuesday evening. He told the Prohibitionists that prohibition was a success in Vermont and it was brought about without a third party in 1852. (Not a republican measure there.) He said he did not understand the situation in Michigan, but still offered considerable advice to the Prohibitionists.

Mrs. Emeline Smith returned from her visit in Clinton and Gratiot Co., last Saturday, and reports Mr. Courtland Snedicor and family well. Marshal has gone to Northfield, Minn., to attend school the coming year.

Miss Kittie Clark has commenced her duties as assistant teacher in the village school. It was a wise choice the board made in employing her. We think the kickers against a new school house had better let up, for we need a $5,000 instead of a $3,000 building, with two rooms convenient to accommodate all, and then employ two teachers.

MACON MUSIC.

Farmers are finishing seeding now.

DeWitt Martin has been engaged to teach the winter term in the Culbertson district, Tecumseh township.—Mr. Martin taught this school last winter.

Fred Rogers, of Raisin, will tutor the young minds of the Baker district this winter.

Mark Mills went to Detroit last week to finish his commercial course, which he commenced last spring.

The prohibitionists seem to be alive. They held a meeting on the evening of Sept. 24, in Sage and Cary's hall. A very respectable attendance. A. O. Crozier, of Ann Arbor, discussed the issues of the campaign.

Mrs. Edwin Howell, Mrs. Dr. Howell, together with Mrs. Chambers, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., visited relatives in Northville last week.

Mr. Stebbins, of Detroit, will address the people of Macon at Grange Hall on the evening of Oct. 11. The protectionists should come for they will go away more convinced than ever that they are right. The free-traders should come to hear why a protective tariff is necessary to a country like ours.

Capt. E. P. Allen talked to the people of Macon, Thesday evening, Sept. 30. Capt. Allen "takes well" with Macon republicans, and with some who are not republicans too. Prohibitionists will exhibit much wisdom by supporting him.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

We noticed on our streets on Monday last Mr. Newcomb Brown of Jackson.

The business men of Clinton report business very good and increasing. So may it continue to improve.

The people of Clinton have been listening for a decision of what is known here as the water suit between the Woolen Mill company and E. R. Smith. We understand the case was submitted to the court for decision a week ago but no decision reported yet. It is thought by some that this suit will in some way start the mill again. So may it be.

The Episcopal social at Frank Lancaster's last week was a success in every way. A nice time was had with good receipts in cash.

Clinton is considered a good place for socials, there being one at the lecture room of the Baptist church Tuesday afternoon and there was also a social at the residence of Dr. Burchard in the interest of the congregational church. Both were fairly attended with very liberal receipts at both places.

The political cauldron is beginning to boil in Clinton and they claim (all parties) that there are large numbers of converts to each party. Bob Frazer I understand will orate to the Republicans here Saturday evening the 4th inst. where the Democrats can have a chance to be converted if they will only go and hear him.

Our Drain Commissioner Bruce seems to be the right man in the right place and he is pushing the Drain business put into his hand with energy, and as we think his doings will have a tendency to dry up many (places) persons who are continually drinking to much (not water). May they become dry and more productive.

Ed. Semark our enterprising builder has recently purchased of Alonzo Clark a lot on Benton street upon which he has commenced to build himself a comely residence. He has already the cellar dug and he has also the most of the lumber on the ground for the job and with his usual energy he will have his house completed and ready for occupancy ere the snow falls. Who says Clinton is dead?

Our Public school is prospering finely under the management and control of Prof. Laflin, who the boys say, means business. A word in the future in reference to our Sunday schools.

Our Hotel here is doing a good business but some times turns out a bad job unavoidably. May he be more careful in the future with the country boys.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Our usually quiet village was very much shocked last Sunday morning when it was announced on the street that a dead man was lying in the woods just below the ridge, on a piece of land owned by Horace Holdridge, and notwithstanding the rain was pouring in torrents, everybody made a break for the woods. The facts in the case appeared to be as follows: A man and woman giving the name of Hooper, were tramping through the country from Ohio, going up to Saginaw County where the woman claims that her husband has a son and daughter living. Saturday, just at night, they called at Stephen Palmer's and procured a loaf of bread and some other eatables, and then struck directly through Geo. Riley's fields to the woods to camp for the night. The woman states that they ate their supper as usual and then lay down for the night on the ground. Says she noticed nothing unusual until near morning, probably about three o'clock when she was aroused by hearing him breath in a sort of gurgling manner. She immediately set to work to relieve him with camphor and alcohol which they had with them, but was unsuccessful in her efforts. After daylight she made her way out of the woods and aroused the neighbors, telling them that her husband was dying in the woods and begging them to come immediately to their assistance. Nathan Spencer was notified, who as soon as he arrived, appointed Jerome Green to act as constable. Mr. Green choose a jury from among those present. Dr. Begel was authorized to examine the body, after which the inquest was adjourned to meet at the office of Dr. Begel on Monday at 3 o'clock P. M. The body was then removed to the residence of Mr. Whiting, who very kindly cared for the woman, doing all in their power to make her comfortable as possible under the circumstances. Just before night a coffin was procured, and the remains were interred in the Raisin Cemetery.

At the meeting on Monday, it was decided after taking what evidence could be procured, the deceased came to his death from natural causes. The woman stated that her husband was fifty-five years old, but his appearance would indicate a man of least sixty-five.

She gave her age as eighteen but is probably two to four years older. She has the appearance of a simple inoffensive creature, and it seems a pity that she should have chosen so poor a lot in life. Aunt Jane Kelly with her big heart has offered her a home for the present until some way shall open up for her to gain a livelihood or her friends, if she has any, shall call for her.

Tuesday afternoon the Republicans raised a pole in honor of the Plumed Knight after which Captain Allen spoke very enthusiasticaly to the people on the tariff question, followed by Dr. Howell and others. There was a good attendance which, together with the fine weather and the presence of the Raisin band, brought about a good time for all.

Al. Hoxsie has returned from Dakota looking pretty fair for him. Of course it is understood that Al. never was very good looking.

Vern Hoxsie is now convalescent after a four weeks pull of typhoid fever. That beats Doc. out of another job.

Mrs. Dunham went to Chicago on Tuesday to visit her many friends residing there.

Last Tuesday the little son of Jas. Ash, two and one-half years old, met with a rather serious accident, and the wonder is that he was not killed outright. A wagon containing forty-five bushels of oats and three persons on top of it, passed directly over him, crushing him into the ground. Dr. Begel was called and found the collar bone broken as the result.

TWO NEW WHEAT INSECTS.

I have recently received specimens of an insect—larva of a moth—from Saginaw, Huron and Wexford counties, with the report that it is doing no little damage to the wheat. It is said to "hollow out" the berry by eating the flower. I should like very much to know how general this insect is, how much damage it is doing, when and how it works, and to receive specimens from every place where it has been observed. The caterpillar is light colored, with faint stripes and brown head, and about one half inch long.

I have received from the eastern part of the state some larval insects, hymeopterous, which work above the joints in the wheat straw. In each straw I find from six to twelve of the larvae. They are from one-half inch to two inches above the joint, and the straw where they are found, for a distance varying from one-half inch to more than an inch, is solid instead of hollow. The larvae are imbedded in small oval cells in this solid mass. These cells are little more than one eighth of an inch long. The larva which is yellowish-white, is a little less than one eighth of an inch. It has a few short hairs and 13 joints besides the head. It has very small dark jaws. The pupa is a little longer than the larva. The legs and nine jointed antennae show plainly, color same as larva, antennae darker. The pupae may all turn dark soon. The pupae have just appeared. I have none of the flies yet. I wish to urge the same in regard to this insect as to the other. Let all send information and specimens. By copying this our state papers can help a good cause. These insects are new, and in attacking one of our most important crops may do great harm. The fullest and most speedy investigation is very desirable.

A. J. COOK.

Agricultural College, Sept. 18, 1884.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending September 23, 1884:

Estate of Andrew N. Pope, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Oct. 20.

Estate of Harriett Jeffery, deceased, bond filed, letters testamentaty issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Henry S. Williams, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Oct. 20.

Estate of Johannah Hansen, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

In the matter of the application for the appointment of three special commissioners for N. Weland drain, Riga town-hip; affidavit of service filed; order of continuence until September 26, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of John S. Fleming, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account and discharge; hearing October 20.

EVENING REST. By J. L. Pratt. Young Folks' Library. Boston: D. Lothrop & Co. Price 25 cts. A simple, quiet story, whose character is adequately expressed by the title. Evening rest is the name given to a little hamlet in the Blue Ridge region of Pennsylvania, remarkable for the beauty of its surroundings and the lovely character of its people. Thither goes a young man from the East to visit an uncle whom he has never seen, and his experiences during the stay make up the contents of the book. One incident of the story is strongly dramatic in character. A family party, one of the members being the young man referred to, visit a coal mine. While passing through one of the narrow passages the guide fires a pistol to show the effects of the echo. The concussion of the air starts a loose part of the roof overhead and a portion falls in. The little company is shut up in the earth with little chance of seeing the light again. They have lights, however, and stumble across some tools, and by dint of many hours' hard labor they are at length able to communicate with their friends outside, who are at length able to rescue them. The author, throughout the story, dwells much upon the sweet and tender influences of home. In Evening Rest he creates an ideal household and community, and strives to show how much they have to do with the formation of character.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 2, 1884.

UNKNOWN.

Oh, what can be the glory of that land
That lies beyond our ken,
By poet and by prophet vision scanned,
But baffling word and pen—

Since here within these lovely, perfected days
Which grace and beauty gift,
Such clouds melt slowly in the sun's warm rays,
Such shadows clothe each hill?

How can we picture aught beyond more fair—
The fragrant breath of pine,
Incense from flowers that wave in Summer's air,
Lakes burdened with white lilies, half divine!

Can there be other, grander skies unseen?
Shall there be no more sea,
With its wild sweep of waves, its changeful sheen
And strange, weird melody!

Could we but break the silence, and unveil
The world that lies so near,
Would not the present prove a weary tale
We would not pause to hear?

Aye, it is best, but still the asking soul
Would fain send buoyant wings,
To know what death and change unroll,
And whence such glory springs!

The very breezes murmur of some home,
Curtained from mortal view,
And round our pleasant Summer dwelling roam,
Our longings to renew!

—*Boston Transcript.*

METEORS.

Their Origin and Cause—Where to Look for Them—Historical Notices of Meteorites.

Almost any clear night when the moon is absent, a few meteors may be seen shooting about through the sky. They look like stars, and, with good reason, are often called shooting stars. It should be admitted that the real stars are at very great and mostly unknown distances, and in general, never appear to move with respect to each other; while meteors, or shooting stars, are never seen outside of our atmosphere. But they originally exist entirely outside, being small solid bodies of metallic, or stony matter floating through space, in orbits around the sun, like planets. In this original form they are called meteoroids. And when the earth meets or passes near them they are attracted by the earth with great force and enter the atmosphere with amazing velocity, which develops heat so intense as to set them on fire, and they burn with a most brilliant light, thus giving them a star-like appearance. They generally burn up and vanish while they are yet high up in the sky. Their visible paths are often only a few degrees long. Indeed one is occasionally seen without any apparent motion, because it moves right towards us. Some of the larger ones burn longer, with greater light, and leave a reddish train behind them, which is the red-hot ashes left streaming through the air, and gradually disappears on cooling. Others, still larger, with a brilliant light, nearly reach the earth, and are called fire-balls. Some of these bodies—probably of still greater size—fall to the earth and penetrate the soil without being entirely consumed. Such bodies have been seen to fall and taken up while they were still hot. Others have been heard and found before they got cold. Such bodies are called meteorites—meteoric stones, and sometimes aerolites—stones from the air. Some are much smaller than one's hand, others as large as a good-sized rock, weighing several hundred pounds. A very singular meteorite was found many years ago near the village of Tucson, Arizona. It was removed to the Smithsonian Institution, at Washington, in November, 1863. Its form is that of a ring, about four feet in diameter. One side is much thicker and heavier than the other. Its weight is about fourteen hundred pounds. Meteoric stones have thus been deposited in many of the world's museums, and are valuable scientific curiosities.

These minute planetary bodies wandering through space around the sun, are much more numerous in some places than others, occasionally forming a collective ring, in some parts of which great numbers are met with. And this accounts for the extraordinary meteoric showers on record. I suppose nearly everybody has heard of the wonderful meteoric shower which occurred early in the morning of November 13, 1833. It seemed like all the stars of heaven were increased in brightness and falling to the earth. The alarm which it caused was very great. Wonder how many people would be scared by such an exhibition in these latter days! A similar show, though not so great, was witnessed in 1799—just thirty-four years before; and another still less, though very considerable, in exactly thirty-three years afterwards, viz: November 13, 1866. But it was much more prominent in England than in America.

Sometimes a large meteoroid strikes the atmosphere with such violence as to explode with a loud noise, and break in several pieces, which fly along in their separate tracks. A noted example of this kind was seen by many persons in this State at nine o'clock in the evening of December 21, 1876. When meteorites are analyzed and examined with a microscope, they are found to be composed largely of iron, mixed with other substances, all of which are known to exist on the earth, but in different proportions of combinations. So that a meteorite, as a mass, is different from any other body we know of, although of the same materials differently put together. Besides the group of meteoroids which the earth passes, or penetrates, near the middle of November each year, there is another which we pass about the 10th of August, when we may expect that shooting stars will be more numerous than they are in ordinary clear nights.

Observations for a number of years show that the August meteors generally move in a direction from north to south, and by extending their paths northerly they seem to meet in the constellation Perseus, near the northeastern horizon. This is called the radiant point, and the August meteors are called Perseids. The November meteors are called Leonids, because their radiant point is in Leo. A Chinese record indicates the fall of a great meteorite on January 14, 615 B. C., which "broke several chariots and killed ten men." Another chronicle "informs us that in the year 944 A. D., globes of fire traversed the atmosphere and burnt several houses." A shower of stones fell at Rome in 343 B. C. Perhaps no other single meteorite ever caused so great a sensation, or created so much interest in several ways, as one seen to fall about noon in a wheat-field near Ensisheim, Germany, on November 7, 1492. A strange and loud noise was heard between eleven and twelve in the morning over a considerable portion of Southern Germany and Switzerland, followed by a confused roar, and the fall of a great stone from the air. It was taken from a depth of nearly six feet, and weighed two hundred and sixty pounds. This meteorite was a theme of general conversation for a long time. The Emperor Maximilian talked with the nobles about it, and they decided the occurrence to be a wonderful miracle from God. The stone was ordered to be hung up in the church at Ensisheim, not to be molested by anyone. But the Emperor must have two pieces of it, one for himself and one for the Duke of Austria. Many people came to see the wonder, and it remained in the church for three hundred years. In the turmoil of the French Revolution, 1790, it was removed to Colmar, for greater safety, and afterward restored to its resting place. A fragment of this interesting relic has been secured and placed in the British Museum, and one in the Garden of Plants, Paris.

On the 27th of November, 1627, Pierre Gassendi, a noted astronomer, witnessed the fall of an aerolite surrounded by a halo of rainbow colors. It was in the southeast corner of France, and the stone weighed fifty-nine pounds. He, with others, then supposed it to have come from a volcano. In 1795, December 15, afternoon, a man plowing in a field in the County of York, England, heard a loud explosion, followed by a hissing noise. He looked and saw a stone falling, which went several feet in the ground not far from where he stood. Its weight was fifty-six pounds. In Normandy, Northeastern France, seen passing through the air with a about one o'clock in the afternoon of the 26th of April, 1803, a very brilliant fire-ball was rapid motion, and soon a violent explosion was heard, the sound of which was prolonged five or six minutes. Then fell an immense number of mineral fragments, of which about three thousand were picked up, many of them weighing several pounds, but none more than seventeen. A stone weighing nearly seven hundred pounds and about one thousand smaller ones, fell in Hungary in 1866, and on April 20, 1876, a mass of meteoric iron, nearly eight pounds, fell at Rowton, England. The fall of this meteorite was preceded by a noise like thunder, that shook the air for many miles. It occurred near four o'clock in the afternoon, and was quite hot when dug from a depth of eighteen inches an hour afterward. These are only a few of numerous meteoric phenomena which have been observed at different times in many parts of the world.—*W. Dawson, in Indianapolis Journal.*

Lightning.

At this time of the year one commonly reads of persons struck dead, blind or senseless by lightning; some of the phenomena are very puzzling, especially in cases where persons are but slightly injured.

On June 6, 1881, I was in the open country near the sea between Gosport and Southampton, in a place where there was no shelter. Here I was suddenly overtaken by a violent storm of thunder, lightning and rain. Before I had time to think of escape, the air became darkened by the pouring rain, and to save myself from a drenching I, perhaps foolishly, put up my umbrella; at the same instant I saw a blaze of fire on the right-hand side of my face, the thunder burst the same moment, and a violent wrenching pain seized the fingers of my right hand (which held the umbrella), the pain instantly traveling to my elbow and shoulder, where it ceased. With the exception of a strong pain in the arm like rheumatism for the rest of the day, I felt no further ill effects.

There is a blind beggar sometimes seen about here who carries a label stating that his eyes were destroyed by lightning; there is no iris to either eye; both are quite white. One day lately I asked him how he lost his sight. He said that he was leaving a country public house during a thunder storm, and he received the blow from the lightning at the street door, as he stood on the top of a short flight of stone steps. He could only remember seeing the blaze of the lightning, and being hurled to the ground down the steps into the street. On his senses returning, he was blind. He states that he had a little glimmering sight at the time of recovery, but first one eye and then the other soon became totally blind.

A few years ago several letters appeared in *Nature* regarding the descent of balls of fire in thunder storms. On July 5, 1881, while watching a storm from my windows at 11:30 p. m., I distinctly saw in the south a ball of fire drop from the clouds to the earth. The descent was rapid, but not comparable with lightning, and with an inclination to the east. The ball appeared large, and about one-half or one-third the apparent size of the moon. A carpenter who was working for me at the time, Mr. George Hebb, on calling upon me a few days after the storm, told me (I had not previously mentioned the matter to him) that he had seen the descent of the same ball of fire from Mildmay park while he was walking toward the south. It is the only example I have seen.—*Worthington G. Smith, in Nature.*

—A bright little fellow about eight years of age was very anxious to go to walk with his father. "No," said the latter, "you can't go; you're too little." "Oh, no, papa," he said stoutly, "I'm a big boy." "All right," said his father, "come along." On the way home the little fellow became tired and wanted his father to carry him. "I thought you were a big boy," said his father, pretending to sneer. "I was a big boy when I started out," he said, "but I'm a little boy now." He was carried the rest of the way.—*Boston Globe.*

—It is said that only one small herd of buffaloes remains in Texas.

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HORACE J. FITZ ROTHER."

Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken down with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved his darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude?" Sincerely yours,

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AN ALASKIAN PRIZE.

A Vessel Flying the German Flag Captured While Shooting Seal in the Behring Sea.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., September 30.—The schooner Adele, flying the German flag, arrived yesterday in charge of Lieutenant Lutz from the Aleutian Islands, where she was captured while taking seals. Lieutenant Lutz and two men were detailed last June from the Corwin to remain on Otter Island, in the Behring Sea, and watch for seal catchers. Several vessels were seen bent on either smuggling or sealing, but it was not until September that Lutz made his capture. That day four vessels were in sight, two of which were shooting seals. The Lieutenant with his two men took a boat and rowed out and boarded the Adele. The Captain admitted his business was seal catching and after a little growling submitted to arrest, although the schooners complement consisted of four officers and eighteen men. The officers were all well armed and half the crew were taken to St. Paul to remain until the arrival of the Corwin. The remainder of the crew, consisting of nine Japanese, worked the schooner down to San Francisco. She had on board 250 seal skins and several otter and fox skins and the prize is valued at $10,000. The German flag is undoubtedly a blind, as her Captain, Gustav Erickson, is a Norwegian, two officers are Americans and one is a Swede. The crew are Germans and Japanese. She was built at Hamburg and served as a pilot boat three years at Shanghai and cleared for her last trip from Yokohama, no international complications are likely to arise.

FATAL RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Two Trains Collide on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad—Two Persons Killed and Several Seriously Injured.

GRAFTON, W. Va., September 30.—Passenger train No. 4 and freight train No. 89 on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad collided one mile west of Farmington yesterday afternoon, owing to the freight train being on the passenger train's time. Conductor Tom Turley and Fireman Cornelius O'Connell of train 89 were killed. Engineman George Leonard, of the freight train, and Fireman D. W. Boyd, of the passenger train, were seriously injured. Engineman John Smith, of the passenger train, postal clerks S. C. Sapp and J. F. Adams and a lady passenger, named Mrs. Dwild, were slightly injured. Both engines were badly damaged and four freight cars were considerably damaged. Trains are now running as usual.

Tammany Hall Nominates Candidates.

NEW YORK, September 30.—Tammany Hall held its County Convention yesterday afternoon to nominate candidates for Mayor, Comptroller, District Attorney, President of the Board of Alderman, Judges and a Coroner. John Kelly called the meeting to order, and in a somewhat lengthy address said that as chairman of the Committee on Organization it was his duty to call the convention to order, and carry out the wishes of the delegates, and as he understood it, they intended to hold their convention as the regular Democratic organization of the city and county of New York, without regard to other organizations. Hugh J. Grant was then unanimously nominated for Mayor, and P. Henry Dugro, for Comptroller; George H. Foster, for District Attorney; Hugh F. Daly, Richard L. Larrimore and David McAdam, for Judges of the Court of Common Pleas; General John Cochran, for President of the Board of Aldermen, and Dr. M. T. Messemer, for Coroner.

Funeral of Commodore Fillebrown.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 30.—The funeral ceremonies over the late Commodore Thomas Scott Fillebrown took place yesterday morning at the Commodore's residence at the navy yard and were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Hall, of Trinity Church. There were a large number of naval officers, prominent citizens and ladies, who had been intimate with the deceased in life, present to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory. After the services a marine battalion took charge of the body and the line of procession, in which there were several companies of sailors, formed. As the procession passed down Main Street to the wharf, eleven minute-guns were discharged. The remains were placed on board the Catalfia to be taken to Washington, the home of the late Commodore.

A Close Contested Scull Race.

BOSTON, September 30.—The five mile with three turns, single scull race for $1,000 a side between John Teemer and Wallace Ross, postponed from Saturday, in which Teemer gave five seconds' start, was rowed yesterday afternoon at the Point-of-Pines, in the presence of 5,000 people. The betting, which on Saturday was two to one on Ross, opened in the afternoon two to one on Teemer and closed at five to seven on the McKeesport sculler. The race was an elegant exhibition. Ross led at every turn, but was beaten within fifty feet of the finish. The bow of Teemer's boat crossed the line about four feet ahead of that of his competitor. Time thirty-five minutes. The water was in splendid condition.

Foundation of the New West Virginia State House Fails.

WHEELING, W. Va., September 30—A special received in this city last night from Charleston, states that the foundation to the new State House had fallen in and the structure had been damaged in a large sum. An effort was made to ascert in the particulars, but as the telegraph office at Charleston closes at nine o'clock it is impossible. The State Board of Public Works was convened last evening, but they refuse all information.

Our South American Trade.

NEW YORK, September 30.—The South American Commission met a large number of gentlemen interested in the trade of South America yesterday, for the purpose of hearing their views as to the best means of enlarging and improving it. The Consul General of Peru, was of opinion that the commercial difficulties between the United States and Peru were largely of freights and credits.

Base Ball.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., September 30.—The Athletics defeated the Cincinnatis yesterday. Score 8 to 1.

Pittsburgh—Alleghenys 2, Indianapolis 0.
Brooklyn—Columbus 4, Brooklyns 6.
New York—Metropolitans 7, Louisvilles 1.
Baltimore—Toledos 3, Baltimores 6.
Detroit—Bostons 5, Detroits 0.
Kansas City—Boston Unions 2, Kansas City 5.

Fatal Boarding House Row.

ONTANAGON, Mich., September 30.—During a row at a Swedish boarding house here Sunday night, Andreas Sundin shot William Berg through the heart. The murderer then fled to the woods and is still at large.

THE BELL TELEPHONE SUIT.

The Arguments of Judge Hill and Senator Edmunds—The Case Closed.

NEW YORK, September 30.—Ex-Judge Hill yesterday continued his argument in the telephone suit. He said seventy-three witnesses had identified exhibits B and E (operative telephones) as being in use prior to Bell's first experiment of June, 1875; more than forty had identified them as being in existence prior to the 4th of July, 1874, the date of Bell's alleged conception of the practicability of meeting audible results by the vibration of an armature in front of an electro-magnet, and twenty had testified that they talked through the machines and heard and understood words and sentences prior to June 21, 1875. In reviewing the whole evidence which had been presented Mr. Hill said that 197 persons had testified to a knowledge of the Drawbaugh speaking telephone prior to February 4, 1876. Of these 126 actually saw the instrument and the majority of them had identified the particular machine, or were present when others were successfully talking through them.

Senator Edmunds made the closing argument. He reviewed the evidence to show that Drawbaugh had brought his invention to a point where conversation could be carried on with his neighbors over an electric wire two years before Bell, according to the latters' own statement, had reached the stage of transmitting indistinct sounds, but not audible words. The Senator drew a vivid picture of the old man, contending with poverty, and with sickness in his family, unable to convince capitalists of the value of his discovery, and compared his case with that of the youthful Bell, unhampered by family ties and enjoying the advantage of influential friends after a careful presentment of the evidence. The Senator closed with an eloquent appeal for justice for his client.

100TH ANNIVERSARY

Of the Establishment of African Masonry in the United States.

PHILADELPHIA, September 30.—Yesterday was a gala day among the colored population of this city. It was the one hundredth anniversary of the introduction of Free Masonry among colored men in the United States. The Centennial celebration will last three days, the three departments into which the Masons are divided, each being entitled to a day to parade in. Yesterday morning the parade of Symbolic Masons took place. Last night a grand complimentary reception was tendered to the Grand Officers of Pennsylvania and visiting bodies by the ladies' Centennial Commission at Horticultural Hall. To-day a parade of the Capitular Masons will take place, and in the evening a grand banquet will be tendered the visiting Grand Officers at Horticultural Hall.

BOSTON, September 30.—Yesterday the colored Free Masons celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the establishment of African Masonry in Boston, with a parade of resident and visiting lodges in the morning and with literary exercises in Tremont Temple in the afternoon. They gave a grand concert and banquet at Odd Fellows' Hall last night.

Inhuman Treatment of a Negro.

NEW ORLEANS, September 30.—Trustworthy information has been received from West Carroll parish that a negro named Bob Henderson was arrested last week charged with horse stealing. He was overtaken by a party of whites and hanged by the wayside, but before life was extinct was cut down and was then cut with a sharp instrument from his heels to the back of his head, on both sides. The Sheriff corroborates the statement as to the cutting, or attempted skinning, as some people term it, he having examined the negro. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of the persons who are said to be the parties to this crime. The horse which was alleged to have been stolen had never been disturbed, having been found in its owner's pasture. The Sheriff has been very diligent in bringing the perpetrators to justice. The victim is now at Floyd and the scars on his person corroborate the statement.

A Slight Clash Among Revenue Officers.

KINGSTON, Ont., September 30.—A few days ago the revenue cutter Bibb ran into Charlotte harbor and its officers boarded the schooner Annie Falconer and asked to see the captain, way bills and manifests. The captain did not then have the manifest, and as a consequence the case was reported to Washington. The vessel is liable to a fine of $500. The law on this point is about twenty years old, and has not been enforced for nearly as many years. The officers of the revenue cutter said that as the Canadians are becoming particularly strict the seizure of the Island Belle at Gananoque being cited they intended to enforce the law to the very letter. The mariners here deplore the unfortunate action of the Collector at Gananoque and desire a modification of matters as soon as possible. They said no Government could have acted more leniently than that of the United States in recent years.

The Cattle Plague in Kentucky.

CINNINNATI, September 30.—The cattle breeders of Kentucky having sent a committee to ask Governor Knott to call an extra session of the Legislature to take action looking to the stamping out of the cattle disease, now apparent in the herd of Frisbie & Lake, Saturday received the committee's report to the effect that the Governor declined to call the Legislature, that Frisbie & Lake had agreed to destroy their herd upon receiving payment, and they had been appraised at $28,000. The breeders voted to raise $15,000 to offer for the destruction of the herd, and if received to take such legal measures as could be employed to stamp out the disease.

Feared That She Drowned Herself.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 30.—Nothing has yet been learned of the whereabouts of Miss Sarah Carpenter, who disappeared so mysteriously from her home last Wednesday, although the most diligent search has been made for her in all quarters. It is feared now that while laboring under a fit of insanity, she may have thrown herself in the river. Her mother is prostrated by the shock.

A Riot in Boats.

BRISTOL, Pa., September 30.—A riot occurred Sunday night between the occupants of two small boats from Burlington, which nearly resulted in the death of several of the participants. The party in one boat had stolen it from the other. One man named Fitzpatrick was terribly beaten. All were thrown in the river but rescued.

A Type and Press Company Assigns.

CHICAGO, September 30.—The Rounds' type and press company made a voluntary assignment yesterday to Samuel D. Ward, for the benefit of their creditors. No schedule of assets and liabilities was given with the de-

Roman Remains in London.

Modern London is built on the debris of the London of the times of Julius Cæsar and Agricola, and it is by no means infrequently that 1800-year old relics of the Roman town are found many feet below the surface of the existing streets. There was a rich find recently in the vicinity of Warwick Square at the depth of nineteen feet. The most interesting relic that came to light was hitherto unknown coin of the the year 50, which lay alongside of about a dozen urns containing the products of cremation. Just think of the pangs which dying would have inflicted on those ancients if they had known that their ashes would have been seen and handled by an unknown race eighteen centuries and a half, nearly, after their decease! The most aristocratic urn was of glass and fifteen inches high. Well-executed leaden pots inclosed several of these depositories, and roofing tiles the rest. The use of lead as well as of tin, by the way, has great antiquity in Britain. Herodotus speaks of the production of tin there. Emblems of more or less significance touching the future state appeared on some of the receptacles. Along with the coin of the year 50 were others of dates between 40 and 300. But the Romans left something besides these useless things to be remembered by. They introduced, into Great Britain its chestnut, walnut, peach, pear and cherry trees.

Nervous debility, indicated by loss of memory, universal lassitude, constant fatigue, vivid dreaming, unnatural excitements, fits of dizziness, etc., is quickly cured by using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. This remedy purifies the blood, strengthens the weak portions of the body, quiets the nerves, produces dreamless slumber, and is the only remedy that permanently cures the many distressful ailments resulting from nervous debility.

After the Sunday Dinner.

After the Sunday dinner, what? Well it all depends. A person whose brain is wearied with intellectual work during the week, or whose nervous system is exposed to the strain of business or professional life, ought to sleep within an hour or so after his Sunday dinner, if he can. It is surprising how much like a seven-day clock the brain will work if the habit of Sunday nap be once formed. Nature will take advantage of it as regularly and gratefully as she does of the nightly sleep, and do her best to make up lost time. People on the other hand, whose week of toil is chiefly physical, may well give their minds activity while their bodies are resting. Two sermons and three or four hours of solid reading are a real rest to some on Sunday, while to others such a course amounts to a positive Sabbath-breaking. Sunday is a day of rest, not a day of work, religious or otherwise. It is a day of repose, not for exhaustion. But what the dogmatists on one side and the illiberal liberals on the other are apt to overlook is the fact that all men do not rest alike any more than they labor alike, and what may help one may kill another.

In hundreds of instances where Hot Springs and other treatment failed to cure scrofula and syphilitic disorders, the sufferer has sought and found cure in Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. It enriches the blood, strengthens the urinary and digestive organs, and quickly removes all indications of ill health and blood disease, from a pimple to a running sore, from a headache to a rheumatic pain. Its superiority over all other blood purifiers and strengthening medicines is admitted by all who test its curative effect and influence.

Walker, Kent county, is a new post-office, with Horace Austin as post master.

The blessings of life are many. Live long and be happy. Don't neglect a cough or cold. Keep yourself well clothed in changeable weather, and always keep a bottle of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry in the household. A single spoonful will cure an ordinary cough or cold. Its continued use will cure consumption.

Rev. H. H. Van Auken (congregationalist), of Union City, has at the request of his people withdrawn his resignation.

THE MODEST FATHER.—"Father," began a young Detroiter the other evening, "were you in the war?"

"Yes, my son."

"Was it awful?"

"Yes."

"Lots of dead and wounded men?"

"Yes."

"Did you kill many?"

"Well, I shouldn't like to answer that question."

"Are you very modest, pa?"

"I hope I am too modest to brag."

"That was what Mr. Smith meant, then, when he was telling the men down at the drug store that you hadn't any war record to brag of."

"He did, eh? Smith is a liar!"

"That's what I thought. He told the men that you run so fast he couldn't catch you on horseback, and any boy knows that a horse can catch a man with a stiff knee."

C. A. Wright & Co., will refund the price paid if Acker's Blood Elixir does not relieve any skin or blood disorder. A new, but thoroughly tested discovery.

A mass of copper a rod square and one foot thick awaits hoisting to the surface at the National mine.

A Life Saving Present.

Mr. M. E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kan.: Saved his life by a simple Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, which caused him to procure a large bottle, that completely cured him, when Doctors, change of climate and everything else had failed. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, it is guaranteed to cure. Trial Bottles free. Large size $1.00.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

George Phillips, of Leoni, fooled with a gun and now has less fingers than he had before.

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ESTATE OF RUFUS R. HALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 12th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary J. Hall, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and the administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Francis Kent, executor named in said testament, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. sep18

ESTATE OF JOHN F. SCHREDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 17th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John F. Schreder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Israel H. Schreder and William H. Acker, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate and the specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. sep18

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 4, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnel and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 452, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 28-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parallel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line, thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24, 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL,
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Assignee.
Attorney for Assignee. sep25

GUARDIAN SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minor by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1884, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee county Michigan, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided half of all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of a street which starts nearly opposite Brown street in said village and runs easterly from Mill street to Maumee street in said village, seventeen (17) rods easterly from the east line of said Mill street; thence running southerly at right angles with said south line of said street nineteen (19) rods to a point met by producing easterly the southerly line of a lot formerly owned and occupied by Robert Stewart on its own course; thence easterly along said line produced easterly as aforesaid six (6) rods, thence northwardly parallel with first course nineteen rods to said south line of said street running easterly from Mill street to Maumee street as aforesaid; thence westerly along said south line of said street six rods to place of beginning.

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Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, Sept. 23d, 1884.

FREDERICK OMOHLING,
Guardian of said Minor.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT 2, 1884.

The ladies are considerably exercised in their efforts to ascertain how Mrs. St. John manages to make orthodox mince pie.

Gen. Scott stumped the country in his own behalf and was defeated. Stephen A. Douglas did the same. Horace Greeley the same. James G. Blaine, opens his campaign in a similar manner. Our readers can draw their own conclusion.

Mr. W. G. Smith, of Palmyra, candidate for coroner on the democratic ticket, was formerly a next door neighbor to Senator Lapham, of New York. It is just wonderful how those old Farmington boys will climb up to responsible positions.—Morenci Observer.

Roscoe Conkling, of New York, has finally settled down and announced his intention to vote for St. John. His hostility to Blaine is well known. When asked if he was going to take the stump for Blaine, he replied in his usual sarcastic manner—"I am not engaged in criminal practice."

The Democratic National committee is a very charitable body. It distributes the Mulligan letters gratis along Mr. Blaine's route in Ohio. Thousands of Republicans will thus be given an opportunity to read the interesting Fisher letters who would be unable to get them from any other source.

A ton of anthracite coal costs less in Liverpool than in Philadelphia, within one hundred miles of the mines. Do the mine owners sell coal in Liverpool at a loss? Not much. But the miners are paid 70 cents a ton for digging it out of the earth, while the mine owners grow rich by fleecing home consumers.

Horace Holdridge is the Democratic nominee for Representative in this district. It is needless to say that he is an excellent candidate and will make a strong run. It will be a nip-and-tuck race in this district. Holdridge, Dr. Howell and Geo. Humpersey are all good men; they are all temperance men; they are all well fitted for the position; they all have lots of friends who will work for them. The Republican candidate will not have a walk over this time.

Monday was a big day for Toledo. The Democrats had arranged for a mass meeting to hear P. A. Collins, the eloquent Irish orator of Boston. Blaine was to have been in Toledo on Saturday but the change of program brought him into Toledo on Monday, and hence both meetings were held on the same day. Both parties had monster torch-light processions in the evening and it was difficult to tell which was the largest. Toledo never saw such a crowd before. A large number of Tecumseh people went down to Toledo on the M. & O. road to witness the affair.

"I can't afford to sell my wheat for seventy-five cents," says farmer Jones. "I can raise wheat at a dollar a bushel and have a margin but no man can sell wheat at seventy-five cents and save himself. I shall hold my wheat." This is undoubtedly true. But can you afford to hold your wheat, let your store debts go unpaid, and thus add to the stagnation of business, lose ten per cent of your crop by rats and shrinkage, and run the risk of being compelled to accept seventy-five or eighty cents six months hence? This is the cold practical question which addresses itself to most farmers in Lenawee county at the present time.

Gen. Butler will enter the state from Indiana and make his first speech at Jackson next Saturday evening, Oct. 4. On Monday morning he will speak in Marshall and in the afternoon at Kalamazoo. In the evening he will speak at Lansing. Tuesday morning he will speak and breakfast at Ionia, dine and speak at Petoskey, and speak and sup at Cheboygan. Wednesday the general will speak in Bay City, East Saginaw and Flint, and close the tour in the evening at Port Huron. At every stopping place along the route the platform will be used in making short speeches. This trip of 700 miles is to consume three days and include 10 speeches and 50 or more short talks.

TEMPERANCE DEPARTMENT.

EDITED BY A COMMITTEE OF THE UNION PROHIBITION PARTY.

MOTTO—No License for the Liquor Traffic in any form or for any price.

UNION PROHIBITION TICKET.

For President—John P. St. John, of Kansas.
For Vice President—William Daniel, of Maryland.

TO THE HON. CHARLES MOSHER.

Congressional nominee on the Union Prohibition ticket, Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan.

We the undersigned Prohibitionists of this district, expecting and intending to vote our convictions upon the question of prohibition at the coming election, recognizing that the Prohibition party of the State of Michigan is a vital factor in the politics of the state, demanding such recognition as one of the fixed facts in the history of the common wealth; that the right and privilege of said party to nominate a congressman from that party is unquestioned, but feeling that in the prior nomination of Capt. Ed. Allen by the Republican congressional convention, we have a man, well known to yourself, who represents us in all the material interests of the prohibition cause, and that his election is possible in the event of your withdrawal from the nomination; that in the event of your remaining in nomination, and running against him, a three-fold injury will attach, to wit: Injury to the cause you represent, injury to Capt. Allen and to yourself—that we deprecate the almost certain political slaughter of two such "good men and true," when we need the combined influence of both at present and in the near future:

We, therefore, respectfully submit that, in our opinion, you can best serve the cause of your party by withdrawal of your name from said nomination, and your putting in good work in the canvass for Capt. Allen, thus assisting the one hundred and sixty thousand intelligent people of this Second district to an honest, upright, and temperance congressman for the next two years.

H. Alverson, G. F. Cone, Chas. D. Allen, H. L. Hunn, M. W. Auman, F. L. Vedder, T. W. Tolchard, James Lowell, S. Dillon, A. Caisar.

Hudson, Mich., Sept. 3, 1884.

Mr. Mosher's Reply.

To H. Alverson, G. F. Cone, Chas. D. Allen, and several other citizens of Hudson, Lenawee Co., Michigan:

GENTLEMEN—Your kind communication dated Sept. 3, came to hand this day, and contents noted. I notice with deep interest the reasons set forth why I should withdraw my name from the canvass of the Second congressional district of the state.

Now, gentlemen, I wish to say to you that I was not an aspirant for congressional honors—my name being used against my best wishes in the Adrian Union convention. I was in hopes that the Union party would have left me free at this time, but it seems that other counsels prevailed, and I was made their nominee.

Believing, as I do, that these are momentous times, and that the present time is a critical period in the history of our nation, upon this great question of the suppression of the liquor traffic, and believing that the issue is now squarely before us, and that the time has come when men must take sides; I hasten to give you my position.

I did not leave the Republican party because I desired office, for I had tendered me all that a man in my standing could desire. The Republican party has done me high honors, and I thank them for it. But as a christian man, and a citizen of this commonwealth, I feel compelled to stand up for right rather than party, and come to the rescue of our common humanity.

You, gentlemen, request me to withdraw my name in favor of Hon. E. P. Allen. Now, I wish to say that there is not a man in the Republican party in the Second district for whom I would sooner comply with your request than Hon. E. P. Allen, who I have known only to admire and respect; a man of fine ability and strict integrity. All of this I am more than happy to concede. Yet he belongs to a party I left on account of its adhesion to the liquor power. I have the opportunity of knowing this to be a fact, and that good men are swayed, and few men can stand up against the pressure of party leaders, with the promise of position in the near future tendered, and, knowing the record of the Republican party on the temperance question, in striking from our statute books a prohibitory law by the demand of a very small minority of the people, and enacting the present tax law, legalizing a wrong; and then disregarding the petition of 150,000 people of the state, demanding the passage of a prohibitory law, but catering to the remonstrances of a few thousand liquor men. Then, at the session of the legislature, under the petitions of 100,000 voters of the state, and with scarcely a remonstrance, it was defeated by a small majority in the senate and house. And then, at the last session, after the Republicans had a plank in their platform demanding the submission of the question, and with thousands of petitions flooding the legislature for the submission, nearly one fifth of the senate, and 18 out of 60 Republicans in the house, voted against or were absent when the question came up. If the senate had cast a full Republican vote for the measure, it would have passed that body by two majority. If all the Republicans in the house had voted for the measure, it would have been submitted by seven majority.

Now, I ask in all candor, what is our prospect for removing this terrible evil? Some of the leaders of this party have said to us, that for the perpetuation of this party we must cater to the German vote, or the Democrats would go into power, and then all help for temperance would vanish from the state. They also said that the church vote would stand by the party; and with these two important factors we can hold the state.

Now, gentlemen, will you take the pains to look over the past record of the party, and conclude whether to cast your votes to perpetuate them in power. In view of these facts standing out before me, and seeing no hope of relief in our once beloved party, I resolved to go into a movement, if possible, to unite the entire temperance vote of the state, as the Republican party united the entire anti-slavery vote. And upon this principle the Union party has been founded, with a bright prospect of success in the near future. We have ingrafted as our foundation principle, the prohibition of the liquor traffic.

Now, gentlemen, I do not question your honesty in the request set forth in your petition. Let me propound a few questions: Would you have thought the Republican party wise in its first nominations, as non-extentionists of slavery, to have fused with the Old Whig party, who were in favor of the extension? Does it not appear that it would have been wise with the vital question of non-extension of slavery as the foundation principle? Would it have helped their cause, even if their nominee for congress had been a non-extensionist? Would it have been held by the Republican party to help carry out their principles, or would he have been controlled by his own party?

Now, gentlemen, you say you are members of the Union party, whose foundation principle is the prohibition of the liquor traffic, a party scarcely eight months old, which, it is claimed, has no prospects of success, but a party that is giving a little trouble and considerable anxiety to the liquor traffic in this state, and a party that is pure, for it must be conceded that most political parties are pure in their infancy. Now, can we, in the infant stages of the party, saving nothing of men, and keeping an eye single to principle, for it is principle we are after, and not men, vote to sustain the principles of a party that are diametrically opposed to us? You say in "the event of my remaining in nomination and running against him, a three-fold injury will attach, to-wit: Injury to the cause you represent, injury to Capt. Allen and to yourself."

Does the Republican party represent our interests any more than the Whig party represented the interests of the Republican party? Is not their example worthy of imitation in this respect? They ran a clean ticket; they fused with no party, from the fact that their foundation principle was too sacred to hazzard the attempt, hence the right prevailed. I suppose that many good men were then slaughtered. Now is it not necessary, when a great sin prevails, that there should be a great sacrifice made? We are told in the good Book that "without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sins." I see no reason why I ought not to be willing to bear my share of suffering in a good cause.

I believe that we have a majority of temperance men in this state, and this is virtually conceded by the Republican party else they would have submitted the question.

We have a party with its principle founded on the prohibition of the liquor traffic. Now, if we believe that we have a majority of temperance men in the state, what excuse have they to vote with the old parties? Temperance men can now vote as they talk and pray. Why should we stand divided at nomination time, when by uniting, with our influence and our ballots, we have the opportunity of overthrowing this terrible evil.

In view of the facts, I have concluded to accept the nomination as a matter of duty, rather than choice, and am compelled, through a sense of duty to the cause of temperance in the Second congressional district, to decline your proposition.

With the kindest regards to you, gentlemen, I remain, yours truly.

CHAS. MOSHER.

Mosherville, Sept. 18.

WHAT COULD HE DO?

Even suppose, St. John could be elected, what good would it do; he could not prohibit the liquor traffic? He could fill the high position of President with credit to the Nation, though, which is more than any of the other candidates could do. He could institute Civil Service Reform in a manner which would scarcely be possible to any man who owed his place to scheming politicians. He could give the country a pure administration, set the example of a pious Christian life before the Nation and make the White House a center of Christian influence. If this were all that could be achieved by his election, it would be well worth the best efforts of all the good men in the country to bring it about. But it is not all. St. John would, of course, banish liquor from the White House, and from all State dinners. This would have necessarily a powerful influence on public opinion, not only here, but all over the world, as expressing the deliberate conviction of the most advanced nation on earth, that intoxicants are a curse and not a blessing. St. John's election would not in itself put a stop to the liquor traffic, but any man who doubts that such a triumph must be the death-knell of that traffic does not understand the situation. It would be the triumph of a party pledged to the banishment of the whole business, and that would have a great effect on all future elections. All those who hold aloof now because it "would do no good to vote the Prohibition ticket," would swing around in a body, and with their help in National and State elections, it would not be long before the final triumph. People dearly love to be on the winning side, forgetting that the majority is always on the wrong side at the beginning of any reform movement. The important matter to Prohibitionists is not, however, the immediate result of the present election, but their own deliverance from the bondage to party, and establishment on the solid rock of principle.—*N. Y. Witness.*

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The Sham and the Real.

Every good thing has its hosts of imitators; every genuine article its counterfeits. Bad manners and wicked habits have theirs also, but he who shams the bad never boasts of it, while they who ape the virtues of the good or simulate the genuine never hesitate to place the counterfeit before the public in their most alluring tones. When these people imitate they always choose a pronounced type or popular subject to copy from, and when they claim to be as good as "So and So," or sell an article equal to "So-and-So" the public may depend upon it that Mr. "So-and-So" and his article are always the best of the kind. Thus the sham is always proving the genuine merit of the thing it copies.

A firm of enterprising gentlemen produce and popularize an article of household use, such as the Royal Baking powder, whose convenience, usefulness, and real merit make for itself an immense and universal sale. A hundred imitators arise on every hand and as they hold out their sham articles to the public, yelp in chorus, "Buy this; it's just as good as Royal, and much cheaper." The Royal Baking powder is the standard the world over, and its imitators in their cry that theirs is "as good as Royal" are all the time emphasizing this fact. In their laborious attempts to show by analysis, and, otherwise, that the "Snowball" brand has as much raising power "as the Royal"; or that the "Resurrection" powder is as wholesome "as the Royal"; or that the "Earthquake" brand is "pure as the Royal," as well as by their contortive twistings of chemical certificates and labored efforts to obtain recognition from the Government chemists and prominent scientists who have certified the superiority of Royal over all others, they all admit the "Royal" to be the acme of perfection, which it is their highest ambition to imitate. But the difference between the real and these imitations, which copy only its general appearance, is as wide as that between the paste and the true diamond. The shams pay homage to the "Royal."

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ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edward L. Russell, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of last sickness and burial of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. oc1

ESTATE OF THOMAS MARSHALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Garrett Marshall, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of a instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of October next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered. That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Maria Brewer, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 31st day of October, 1884, and on the 28th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 30th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Oct. 2, 1884.

E. B. WOOD,
P. S. McKINNON,
Commissioners.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

SEED POTATOES.—Pure Early Rose, Clark's No. 1, White Star, St. Patrick, White Elephant and Mammoth Pearl. For sale at reasonable prices. ABNER WILSON.

LADIES TAKE NOTICE.—Having gone into the millinery business again I would invite the ladies of Ridgeway and vicinity to call and examine goods and prices.
MRS. G. W. JACKSON.

CIDER APPLES WANTED.—Cash for cider apples at J. B. Hause & Bros.' mill, at Clinton. We take our apples by weight, 50 lbs. per bush. J. B. HAUSE & BRO.

LUMBER WAGON.—Nearly new and just painted over. For sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

R. B. HOUSE, M.D.—Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office over Lilley, Bidwell & Co's bank, Chicago st. Residence corner Pearl and Logan sts.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Library Association of Tecumseh will be held at the Library Room on Monday, Oct. 6, 1884, at 7:30 P. M.
KATE ANDERSON, Secretary.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses. SLAYTON & SON.

HEADQUARTERS FOR GENERAL Repairing.—Gunsmithing in all branches. Scissors and razor grinding, knife blades replaced, a full line constantly on hand. Saw filing and gumming a specialty. All work receives prompt attention at P. J. WELLING'S OLD STAND, Railroad street.

LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between Drs. House & Jones is this day dissolved by mutual concent. All persons indebted to the above named firm are requested to call on Dr. House at his old office over Lilly & Co's. Bank, who is authorized to settle all accounts. Dr. Jones can be found at the same office until farther notice.
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A SINGLE BUGGY—Almost as good as new. For sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Bright red is quite the rage now—especially with artists who paint towns.

Wednesday, Oct. 8, 1884, is the day for the annual renting of pews at the Methodist Episcopal church. The renting will begin at 2:30 P.M. and continue through the afternoon and evening. The Ladies Aid Society will serve tea from 5:30 to 7 P. M. A pleasant time is anticipated. Those who wish to secure good pews should be on hand promptly.

Adrian Record: The Turner—Crandall case came up to-day before Justice Hulett, when it was expected that one of the most sparkling absurdities of the campaign would be "put on the boards." The entertainment failed to come off, notwithstanding the formidable array of legal talent engaged on either side. The whole affair was peacefully settled and taken out of court, by the payment of Crandall to Turner of a sum which the latter had consented to accept in satisfaction of his services in procuring Mr. Crandall's nomination as county clerk. It gives us no small pleasure to behold politicians settling their differences in this manner. Their little hands were never made to scratch out each others eyes.

The Library Association of Tecumseh holds its first annual meeting at the Library Rooms next Monday evening. It is now a little more than a year since this library was opened to the public and during that time one hundred and seventy-five persons have drawn books therefrom. The whole number of books drawn is three thousand and seventy-one or an average of fifty-nine each week. The amount of money given into the hands of the board by the stockholders was about $650. The number of books purchased and put into the library was 645. Many of the books are read very much and many of them are read very little. But the books were selected with as much care as possible, and with the view of meeting the requirements of those by whom they would be read. There will be presented at the meeting some recommendations by the board and it is desirable that there may be a full attendance of the stockholders and others interested in the matter so that the directors will have their co-operation and support in any new measure that may be adopted. This is the only institution of the kind in the village and should have the hearty sympathy and assistance of all who desire to advance the best interests of our citizens.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 2, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lots of fun at the skating rink.

Butter is scarce and the price is 20 cents per pound.

The Crouch murder trial has been postponed until Nov. 5th.

Let the frost come now if it will. Everything is out of danger.

"Missionary Chapel" is what Irv. Osborn calls his prairie barn.

Blissfield will build two public wells, one on each side of the river.

The Universalist State convention will be held at Grand Rapids next week, Oct. 7, 8, and 9.

N. M. Sutton was relieved of his pocket book at Toledo last Monday evening. Fortunately it contained only $2.00 in cash.

Dr. George Howell, of Macon, is opening his canvass for the legislature in lively style. He has seven cases of diptheria on his hands.

The sorghum and cider mills have all got down to work. The sorghum crop is of extra quality this fall but rather light in quantity.

C. H. Hopkins is at home this week. He is getting a good run of portrait painting at Battle Creek, and has work on hand to keep him busy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carr, of Dundee, made a pleasant call at the Herald office on Monday last. Bro. Carr prints the best paper ever printed in Dundee.

Having bought out Mrs. Stout's millinery business Mrs. N. R. Brown kindly invites the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity to call and look at the new goods.

The next regular meeting of Tecumseh masonic lodge takes place next week Friday evening, Oct. 3. Work in the M. M. degree. A full attendance is desired,

While in Tecumseh a few days ago we called upon Mrs. Chas. Spafford, who was dressed in a Mother Hubbard she had made over 40 years ago. —Manchester Enterprize.

The County fair was well attended during the last two days of the show, the exhibits were creditable and the receipts from all sources amounted to $3,062.10. The total expenses will not exceed 1,800, thus leaving a balance of about 1,200 in the treasury.

Dr. R. A. Everett, of Hillsdale was in town last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Chas. Everett. Robert was a school boy in Tecumseh years ago, and we were glad to see him. He has a large practice in Hillsdale, and seldom gets back to Tecumseh even for a day.

Adrian Record: Rufus Seelye drove to Hudson last Wednesday evening to hear Gen. Packard make a republican speech. He hitched his horse under a church shed and some one stole the rig. It has not been recovered and Seelye thinks he has made a pretty liberal donation to the republican campaign fund.

A Dublin barber gives away a glass of whiskey with each shave, and every time he cuts a man's hair he gives a bottle of stout. If this custom should become popular here, the effects would be terrible. There would not be a head of hair in town and the faces would be scraped "six weeks under the skin."

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson has announced that he will speak next Sunday evening on "The Wonders of Astronomy." It is a big subject, but as he does not make a practice of doing things by the halves, our readers may expect a rare treat if they will go and hear him. Services begin at 7:30 P. M., next Sunday, Oct. 5th.

Next Tuesday Oct. 7th will be known as St. John's day for Lenawee Co. The Ex. Governer will address a mass meeting to be held at Adrian on the old county fair grounds at one o'clock P. M. This will be the only opportunity for our people to hear the great prohibition apostle and, at present, candidate for president.

Hi. Henry is undoubtedly the richest minstrel manager in the world. He owns a score of houses in his resident town and runs his own steam printing house. He has been twenty years a showman and has saved his earnings, besides being successful in other business pursuits. He is plentifully able to retire, but will not do so till he has accomplished his heart's desire—to produce the grandest, costliest, most gorgeous minstrel spectacle the world has ever seen and place it on record as an epoch in minstrel fame.

The unusually low price of wheat is causing a decline in receipts from the west, and many are predicting that farmers will refuse to sell at the present prices. The withholding of one hundred millions of bushels of wheat from market for a year by the farmers of this country, out of the 500,000,000 raised, would result in their receiving more for the other 400,000,000 bushels than they will get for the entire 500,000,000 bushels at present prices. After their pressing obligations are met, we think farmers will not care to throw away the results of their labor.

The days and the nights balance each other now.

Albert Hayden left Milan last week for a trip to Nebraska.

Lucius Lilley spent three or four days last week at Cleveland, Ohio, with his son, Raynor.

As the weather becomes cooler politics grow warmer. Nature has its compensations you see.

Mrs. Yet Erskine, of Battle Creek has been visiting friends in this vicinity for the past few days.

Lew Bates has sold his farm in Raisin and purchased a house in the village, and once more becomes a Tecumsehite.

A Kalkaska editor sees good times in the near future. His income last week rose to the sum total of $1 in cash and a peck of string beans.

A. O. Crozier of Ann Arbor gave the HERALD a call last Friday. Mr. Crozier is doing some effective work on the stump for the Union party.

Saline Observer: It is said hickory-nuts will be very scarce this year, and for years to come because hickory trees have all been utilized for Democratic flag poles.

Rev. G. W. Hudson, of Tecumseh, will lecture on the prohibition of the liquor traffic in the lecture room of the M. E. church, Ridgeway on Monday evening Oct. 6th.

Sugar is cheaper than it has ever been in the memory of the present middle aged generation, and it is supposed that prices have not yet touched bottom The chief cause of the present cheapness is the enormous production of beet root sugar in Europe.

Oscar P. Bills returned last Saturday from his sojourn at Petoskey. As the hay fever season is about over he can safely return to this latitude. His month's visit on Lake Michigan was not only enjoyable but invigorating, and he comes home prepared to resume business with a vim.

Prof. E. G. Walker candidate for Judge of Probate and George Humphrey candidate for the legislature in the first district will address the Union club of Macon at Grange Hall on Friday evening this week. The same gentlemen will address a meeting at Britton on Friday evening next week Oct. 10th.

Rev. R. Wooden of Cambridge has in his possession a copy of the first daily paper ever published in Rochester, N. Y. It is the Rochester Daily Advertiser and was issued Oct. 25th, 1826. It is a five column folio, printed on paper which would now be classed as medium quality of manilla wrapping paper. It is a decided curiosity.

There was a big crowd at the skating rink last Saturday evening to witness the three mile race, in fact about all the rink could accommodate. The race was called promptly on time and was won by Kramer, in twenty and one half minutes. Nineteen times around the hall was reconed a mile, which, however, makes a very long mile.

The house wife should now see to it that the head of the family puts the cellar in apple pie order, and puts into it a bountiful supply of cabbages, pumpkins, potatoes, squashes, beets, turnips and other vegetables that enter so largely and kindly in plentiful and economical living. The man who fails to provide vegetables for his own household is worse than an infidel.

Chancey Cooper, of Cambridge, threshed his oats last Monday. The yield from eleven acres was 660 bushels, machine measure. About a dozen baskets were weighed and they weighed 40 pounds and upwards to each. Mr. Cooper has seeded the same field to wheat this fall. If any farmer hereabouts can show a better yield of oats, let him rise and give his figures.

A young miss was reprimanded by her mother for turning down the gas when her dear Gwage called to see her the evening previous, made reply: "You know pa scolds about the gas bills, mamma, and then you said the other day that 'love is blind,' and Gwage said he believed so, too, so of course we didn't need the light, you see, mamma!" But mamma couldn't see it in that light.

Never before in the history of our State has there been shown so much interest in the breeding of horses as at present. This interest is not confined to any one class, but includes heavy draft, farm horses, roadsters, carriage and trotting stock and to some extent, thoroughbreds. At the State Fair just closed these classes were all well represented, the entries in all classes numbering 520.

Lillian Day, the daughter of a small farmer, named William H. Angell, living a mile west and a quarter of a mile north of Ogden Center, was found dead on Monday morning, in an old straw stack on the farm. She was lying on her face with her arms drawn back as though in a spasm. She had vomited, and the odor of tansey, the drug that caused death, was plainly discernible. The girl was better known as Nellie Day, she was seventeen years old, was married about a year ago, but after living with her at home about six weeks, her husband left her, and she has remained at home ever since.

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith for favors received.

Cranberries are in the market and turkeys will soon follow.

Geo. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo N. Y. is spending this week on the old Newberg farm.

Harry Dunn leaves Tecumseh next Tuesday for Sorrento, Florida, where he expects to spend the winter.

The East India Entertainment at the Opera House on the evenings of Oct. 11th and 12th is said to be of the very best.

Last Saturday Mrs. Wm. H. Arner, of Ridgeway, took the train for Jackson, where she will visit friends for a few days.

Minor Davidson exhibited a herd of ten head of Durhams at the county fair and carried off ten premiums, six first and four second.

Mrs. A. M. Henry, of Lansing, is spending a few weeks among her old Tecumseh friends. She is stopping at her father's, Joseph Tilden's.

On our eighth page to-day will be found a striking and instructive illustration of the comparative worth of the various kinds of baking powders now in the market.

Mr. Leroy Dibble, of Alba, Mich., has been at home about a week visiting his old Franklin friends. He returned yesterday. He is located in business at Alba and is doing well.

We are informed that the letter in last week's HERALD purporting to have been written by Mr. Crandall to Ben Turner does him injustice as many persons suppose it to be actually his letter. We would state in justice to Mr. Crandall that our correspondent got it up as a burlesque letter and we construed it in that way and published the same supposing that every one would take it as a burlesque letter.

Adrian Record: Scove Stacy, of the Tecumseh Herald, has been "swinging" around the country behind the "old grey" and writes about "taking tea" at one place where the farmer was "well fixed." Scove knows better than to take tea at a lean establishment. He adds that his host has "a model family," and incidentally remarks that "the daughters are now at home." "Well fixed," "model family," "daughters at home." Might we infer— O, no—can't be possible.

Hi. Henry's Premium Minstrels will appear at the Opera House, Tecumseh Oct. 8th, in a program of choicest excellence, embracing an entirely new collection of sensational features. This organization is a solid and praiseworthy affair and has a reputation second to none. Among its many features are its costly and elaborate first part circle, dressed in velvet, plush, silk, satin and diamonds, with an orchestra of soloists in gorgeous uniforms, followed by an interlude of brilliant specialties. The entertainment terminating with an hour of genuine Opera, written especially for them, entitled "The Legend of Grey Beard's Rock." Mounted in the most lavish style, with elegant costumes, startling effects, imposing choruses, sparkling melodies, and a gorgeous denouement of glittering splendor, under prismatic colored fires. Nothing like this on so grand and costly a scale has ever been attempted in minstrelsy, and it will be an event long to be remembered. Remember only one visit will be made this season, and tickets for the occasion can be purchased at Adamson's, three days in advance.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

A very pleasant party assembled at Mrs. M. C. Bryan's last Thursday evening to witness the marriage of her daughter Franc to Mr. J. B. Kennedy. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. C. E. Conley in his usual happy manner, which was followed by the usual festivities on such occasions. Evergreen and floral ornaments were displayed in profusion, and the elegant array of bridal gifts testified to the esteem in which the bride and groom are held by those who know them best. Mr. Kennedy has a cage already for his bird, owning a beautiful farm in Raisin, and the bride has long been a favorite among the young people of Tecumseh. The parties began housekeeping in their own home on the day following the marriage. May their life's journey be strewn with flowers, and be as happy in the reality, as the present horoscope appears.

On the evening the of 30th, at the residence of Mr. E. Tindall, Mr. Adelbert E. Smith, of McGregor, Iowa, was united in marriage to Mrs. Endora C. Powers of this village. We have not the pleasure of a personal acquaintance with Mr. Smith. From an acquaintance with his bride extending back for many years since we attended school together in "the old school house," we can heartily congratulate the groom upon his good judgement in matrimonial selection. Mrs. Powers has passed through the shadow as well as the sunshine of life in former years, and her many old friends will extend their greetings and sincere wishes for her future prosperity and happiness. We hope the parties will conclude to make Tecumseh their permanent home.

Beautiful fall weather.

The fall advertising season is opening well.

Kies Bros. have a new advertising card this week.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co. have a new ad. this week.

Dr. W. A. Snyder, of Erie, Pa., is visiting his brother in Tecumseh.

Rev. W. P. Wasell, of Clinton, gave the HERALD a call this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wakefield, of Monroe, were in town Tuesday last.

See what V. B. Snyder & son of Toledo have to say about curtains and carpets in to-days HERALD.

Our readers can rely on seeing a first class entertainment at the Opera House next Wednesday evening.

Be sure and attend the East India entertainment at the Opera House on the evenings of Oct. 11th and 12th.

President Stephens, of Adrian College, will preach in the Presbyterian church, in this place, next Sabbath morning and evening.

Geo. L. Graves Esq., of Milwaukee, arrived in town Tuesday to attend the wedding of his sister, Mrs. Powers. He will return home on Saturday. During his stay here he has been kept more than busy accepting the hospitality of his friends.

Adrian Record: The Tecumseh HERALD has a temperance department on its 4th page. It is edited by a committee of the union party. Of course Mr. Stacy will not be bound by the sentiments of the committee, but for a full description of the evils of intemperance he can say "See our inside"—inside page, of course.

Church Congress Episcopal Church.

The ninth annual congress of the Episcopal church in the United States will be held in Detroit Oct. 7-10th.—A number of the most eminent divines in the country will be present and those who feel interested in the topics to be discussed should make it a point to be present. The exercises will be held at Whitney's opera house. Tuesday morning Bishop Potter of New York city will deliver the inaugural address.

The topic for Tuesday evening at 7:30 is "Authority and Conscience;" for Wednesday, 10 a. m., "The Cathedral System in America;" Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., "Moral Education in Public Schools;" Thursday, 10:30 a. m., "The Confessional;" Thursday, 7:30 p. m., "Is Our Civilization Just to Workingmen;" Friday, 10:30 a. m., "Agnosticism;" and Friday, 2 p. m., "The Mission, and Evangelistic Preaching."

While Harpers and the "Century" Company are filling England with their magazines, it is no more than fair that England should send some of her representative periodicals to this country, and it is only a part of the game of turn-about that Cassell & Co., Limited, should publish two of their magazines with a special eye to the American market. The "Magazine of Art" has been published here for some years past, so that it is looked upon almost as an American periodical. The American edition has an American editor, who gives full American notes at the end of the magazine, and the body articles are international in their interest, and during the coming year they will be even more so. Quite recently "Cassell's Family Magazine" has been introduced to American readers, and has found almost instant favor. This magazine is sold at the absurdly low subscription price of one dollar and a half a year, which is so little for what is in it that I don't see where the publishers get their money back, but I guess they are satisfied. It does not appeal to the same audiences as "Harpers" and the "Century," but to a larger one, and I should not be at all surprised if it got as big a circulation here in time as it has in England, where I believe it outstrips all rivals in this matter.

DEMOCRATIC REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION

The Democratic Convention for the 1st representative district of Lenawee met at the Council Building in this village last Tuesday afternoon with a good delegation from each township. A. P. Coddington, of Tecumseh, was called to the chair and E. W. Scott, of Blissfield, was chosen Secretary. Mr. Coddington upon taking the chair made a brief but good speech.

On motion, a committee on credentials of three was appointed, consisting of

Wm. Corbett, Blissfield.
David Brooks, Clinton.
Wm. Hayden, Tecumseh.

This committee retired, and in a few moments reported. Their report was adopted.

On motion each town delegation was authorised to cast the entire vote of the delegation.

The convention then proceeded to nominate a candidate for representative.

David McNair of Tecumseh, nominated Horace Holdridge of Raisin. Wm. Corbett of Blissfield seconded the nomination. No other name was presented and Mr. Holdridge was nominated by acclamation.

A district committee was then appointed as follows:

Clipton—W. V. Fisk.
Macon—A. Harrington.
Ridgeway—Wm. H. Arner.
Tecumseh—D. McNair.
Raisin—Robert Boyd.
Palmyra—James Steele.
Deerfield—H. H. Osborn.
Riga—W. H. Wise.
Ogden—B. L. Hicks.
Blissfield—E. W. Scott.

The convention then adjourned.

THE MARKET BASKET.

Notwithstanding the "hard times" which nearly every one is complaining of, the average housekeeper with a limited purse can furnish the table with substantial and enticing food at a reasonable cost satisfactory to both herself and he who by the sweat of his brow provides the income whereby it is obtained. A HERALD scribe yesterday visited several of the retail markets and found the vegetable supply large and varied. Potatoes large and mealy, 40 cents a bushel; onions, tear starters, 80 for the same quantity; cabbage, food of friend of the German with its visions of sour kraut, sold at from 3 to 5 cents a head; beans, 40 cts; beets, 60 cents a bushel; sweet potatoes, 15 to 25 cents per half peck; the esculent tomato at 8, and hypocritical cucumbers 10 cents a dozen and the codic thrown in.

The supply of fruit is not nearly so good as it was three weeks ago. The luscious peach has waned and the star of the aqueous watermelon is fast disappearing behind the gathering clouds of rinds, while the succulent cantelope now wears a suspicious look, suggesting that its best uses is for throwing at melodious cats and delusive organ grinders. But all fruit is not that way. Apples are rosy looking and tempting, as well as cheap, selling as low as 12½ cents a peck. Grapes sell at 5 cents a pound.

There are more chickens in the market now that cool weather has come but somehow as the buyers wrestle with the flesh and gravy of the fowls the next day, they cannot forbear the reflection that some dealers will have a great deal to answer for in the next world. If they feed the chickens with half the zeal they feed themselves they would have an annex to their crown and a large pair of wings in the sweet henceforth. Egg-layers can be bought for from 12 to 15 cents a pound.

Eggs sold at 17 cents a dozen, and fresh butter at 25 to 32 cents a pound, according to aromatic qualities of brand.

Staple articles continue firm at scheduled rates.

ONE MAN'S LIFE.

October 3, 1838, was a red-letter day for the democracy—for this day a certain manchild was born in Cherry Valley, N. Y.—He developed cheek till '51—came to Lenawee county, bringing his cheek with him as a permanent investment—split rails—*a la* Lincoln, taught school when he was 18 years old—learned more than the scholars—state normal school in '57—graduated in '62—head filled—great big head, too. In July, '63, enlisted—made lieutenant—fought more than 100 battles in his mind. After the war read law with Norman Geddes, at Adrian—went through Ann Arbor law school, '67—in a hurry—partner of Gov. Greenley same year—elected county superintendent of schools '71—first democrat elected in county in ten years—always been a democrat—party not to blame, though—candidate on state ticket '72—got left—elected justice of peace '75—served four years—in '78 bought Daily Press—paper died next year—in '78 bought Weekly Press—paper still running—opposes Begole—good thing for Begole—made some more enemies—more the better—weighs 200—enjoys good joke—name Stearns—front name Willard. Dar Allen, of Morenci, calls him "Pog Horn"—wanted to be member of board of control of industrial home for girls—too much ladies' man—ladies kicked—Begole appointed another man—Stearns mad—ladies glad—appointed commissioner to world's fair at San Francisco in '86—serving third term as alderman second ward—wants to be governor—have to, want—too modest to ask for it. His greatest fault is his overflowing modesty. When the "kid" earthquake struck Adrian a few years ago he was the only man in town not shaken off his feet—but Tom Navin got away all the same.—*Evening News.*

—Don't be misled by agents offering to furnish you the Light Running New Home Sewing Machines. B. J. Coller, of Adrian, is our only authorized agent for Lenawee Co. New Home S. M. Co., Chicago.

—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 119. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 40 "	2 00 "
Munith	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	2 59 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 25 "	3 42 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 05 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 45 "	[illegible]
Toledo	1 02 "	9 45 "	[illegible]

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 120. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	[illegible]
Toledo	10 02 "	7 57 "	[illegible]
Adrian	11 32 "	9 52 "	4 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 47 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 55 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 10 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27. P. M.	21. A. M.	23. P. M.
Detroit	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulus		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 31
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 23	5 11
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bickeley		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 18	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	3 50	[illegible]	[illegible]

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	26.	22.	24.
Indianapolis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
BUTLER	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bickeley	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Montpelier	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Fayette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Morenci	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sand Creek	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Adrian	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Britton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Milan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belleville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Romulus	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Trains Nos. 27 and 2[illegible] from Chicago to Niagara [illegible] other trains run daily, exce[illegible]

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To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 05	7 05	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 50	4 55
7 14	7 14	Manhattan Junction	9 36	4 48
7 23	7 23	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
7 35	7 35	Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
7 46	7 46	Samaria	9 02	4 22
8 06	8 06	Lulu	8 47	4 03
8 15	8 15	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 55
8 30	8 30	Dundee	8 26	3 50
8 37	8 37	Macon	8 16	3 45
8 46	8 46	Azalia	8 20	3 40
8 59	8 59	Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
9 03	9 03	Milan	8 06	3 22
9 09	9 09	Norvell	7 59	3 17
9 22	9 22	Transil	7 52	3 10
9 32	9 32	Pittsfield	7 46	3 05
9 50	9 50	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 45
10 15	10 15	Leland	7 12	2 30
10 22	10 22	Worden	7 06	2 25
10 35	10 35	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING EAST.	No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass	No. 41 Mxd
	A. M.		P. M.	
Pentwater	7 30			
Muskegon	8 15		1 25	
Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00	
Grand Haven	9 00		2 15	
Grand Rapids	9 15			
Holland	10 10		3 10	A. M.
Allegan	11 10		4 40	5 15
Kellogg	11 21		4 51	5 25
Otsego	11 27		4 57	5 36
Plainwell	11 35		5 05	6 00
Vicksburg	11 52		5 22	6 10
Schoolcraft	12 00		5 30	6 20
Cassopolis	12 15		5 45	7 45
Vandalia	12 22	A. M.	5 52	8 05
Battle Creek	12 32	6 40	6 03	8 32
Jerome	1 00	6 59	7 01	9 10
Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13	9 36
Homer	1 28	7 27	7 40	11 00
Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.	11 55
Hanover	2 10	8 09		12 20
Moscow	2 21	8 20		12 55
Jerome	2 28	8 26		1 10
Addison	2 45	8 43		1 46
Devils Lake	2 54	8 51		2 58
Cambridge	3 06	9 05		3 27
Tipton	3 22	9 17		3 00
Tecumseh	3 37	9 32		3 37
Ridgeway	3 47	9 42		4 00
Britton	3 52	9 46		4 09
Deerfield	4 15	10 10		4 50
Toledo	5 10	11 10		6 50
	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.

GOING WEST.	No. 32 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 36 Pass	No. 42 Mxd
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.
Toledo	10 40	5 10		1 40
Deerfield	11 02	5 05		8 00
Britton	11 21	5 27		8 52
Ridgeway	11 26	5 31		9 02
Tecumseh	11 39	5 41		9 32
Tipton	11 55	5 57		9 57
Cambridge	12 08	7 10		10 26
Devils Lake	12 22	7 25		10 48
Addison	12 30	7 33		11 15
Jerome	12 48	7 50		11 52
Moscow	12 55	7 57		12 07
Hanover	1 06	8 07		12 30
Pulaski	1 17	8 18	A. M.	12 54
Homer	1 38	8 40	6 20	1 38
Marshall	2 05	9 00	6 47	2 42
Tekonsha	2 17	9 22	6 59	3 10
Battle Creek	2 36	9 40	7 17	3 52
Augusta	2 50	P. M.	7 27	4 10
Vicksburg	3 04		7 45	4 57
Richland	3 10		7 52	5 10
Gloster	3 28		8 08	5 52
Monteith	3 45		8 25	6 30
Otsego	3 53		8 33	6 50
Kellogg	3 59		8 39	7 04
Allegan	4 10		8 50	7 25
Holland	5 10		10 10	P. M.
Grand Rapids	6 10			
Grand Haven	6 15		11 00	
Ferrysburg	6 25		11 08	
Muskegon	6 55		11 45	
Pentwater	9 20			
	P. M.		A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 6:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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The Mechanic.

A man who is thorough master of a trade carries his capital in his head. He is independent, and should be self-reliant, as his services will always be in requisition, unless, perchance, he has drifted into some section of the world where trade and manufactures are in a state of decadence. It may be an excellent thing to endow a youth with a splendid education, but often we find such young men failures in a business way. But there is no excuse for a first-class mechanic or engineer ever being found in such an unfortunate plight. The man possessing a good scientific or mechanical education, who can not make his way successfully through life must be composed of very poor material. The good mechanic needs no golden ladder to aid him in rising to success, nor is there occasion for his reliance on social standing, or on the good offices of influential friends to open a path to fortune. Indeed, instead of seeking for friends they will seek him. An expert galvanizer a few weeks since was thrown out of employment, and scarcely had the doors of his mill been closed ere there came a telegram from a mill 1,000 miles away urgently requesting his services there. A representative of an extensive manufactory, in speaking of good mechanics recently, said: "We still have difficulty in obtaining all the expert help we need. This matter sometimes assumes a serious aspect, and we fear often that we can not run our works to their best advantage for lack of the proper assistance."

We here speak of the higher grade of workmen—of men who are proficient and who have mastered their calling; but mechanics who have not risen to eminence, but have acquired a good education, are in most favorable position, better than the horde of ill-[illegible] salesmen and collectors, [illegible] a calling that will [illegible] their hands [illegible] putting them to wear. The *Boston Commercial* [illegible] speaking of the importance [illegible] of the mechanic, very [illegible]

[illegible] ing day makes more [illegible] the fact that we have come [illegible] when the mechanic is [illegible] We have crowded professions [illegible] trades. A chance to fill [illegible] position of sub-assistant clerk in a [illegible] house is eagerly grasped at [illegible] hundred applicants, though the [illegible] received be scarcely more than [illegible] chance to learn the business.' Let a master workman try to obtain an apprentice at three times the salary offered the clerk, and his applicants will be poor alike in quantity and quality. A skilled workman in any trade need never want for hire; he is eagerly sought after by a hundred employers; he is independent of the condition of the market; the skill and cunning of his hand and eye are too valuable to lose, and must be paid whether the products are slowly or rapidly consumed. If business ceases, the master hand is eagerly seized by some rival house, which knows and values the product of his skill. He who would crush down the obstacles to success in our own days must have as well as the wit to see the crevice, the strength to deal the blow. This is an age of the steam-engine, and it is the engineer, not the conductor, who is master."

The men who can do a piece of exact mechanical work, or who can invent a successful working machine or plan its erection, is a valuable member of society. He is a producer, and the world is both richer and better for his presence. His calling demands a fine development of intellectual thought, and, although the mental conception requisite to do a fine bit of mechanical work may not be of the same high order as that required of a sculptor or painter, yet it is of a high degree of merit, and may equal, in special circumstances, the efforts of the best artist in any of the various schools. It is a narrow-minded man who despises the mechanic because of the surroundings of his labor. Those who look down on him are generally men of inferior intelligence, who possess a poor conception of what is worthy of admiration, and whose esteem would be of little credit to any one.—*Jeweler's Journal*

British Guiana Forests.

In the quiet reaches of the river between the cataracts the scenery was extremely beautiful, but the thickness of the forest made it impossible, except when very near the shore, to distinguish the picturesque kinds of vegetation peculiar to the tropics from the vast wall of green which hedged us in. It was only when taking our midday rest, or at our camps for the night, that I was able to study the flora around me and note the beauty and profuseness of its forms. Orchids were abundant enough, and, although I saw no species of great rarity, yet several kinds which were in flower at the time were very lovely. Bromelias and tillandsias grew in thousands, and the immense leaves of the pothos were seen everywhere. In one or two places I noticed the rare and beautiful climbing palm (desmoncus), and in the open parts of the forest were great numbers of caladiums, the variolored leaves of which are so familiar in our hothouses.

Animal life was in no way prominent, although there could be no doubt that the forest was thickly peopled, for at night as we sat around the camp-fire or lay in our hammocks many were the weird sounds that came from the thick jungle near by. The nightly concert was usually started by the 'bo'sun, a large cicada, who sat in the tree-tops and blew a tremulous whistle which could be heard to a great distance. He was followed by the hylas, or tree-toads, who gave vent to every conceivable sound, from that of the sawing of wood to the clanking of many chains, and were accompanied in their vocal efforts by their relations in the marshes, who kept up a deep and not unmusical bass. All night long the goatsuckers never desisted from their melancholy moaning, and once in awhile a strange, mournful wail came from the forest, causing us to start and shiver as we heard it. It was the note of the bird called lost soul. Once or twice the loud, deep roar of the jaguar was heard, and it never failed to cause a panic among the Indians, who invariably moved their hammock poles nearer the water or raised the hammocks higher in the trees to be out of the tiger's reach should he pass our way. Out of all the appalling, blood-curdling sounds that were heard in these tropical woods none could equal the noise that came from the throat of the red-coated, black-faced, howling monkey (mycetes seniculus), the "baboon" of the colony. Occasionally some of these baboons favored us with a little rehearsal during the night, but it was towards morning that the concert itself began, and then, until I became accustomed to it, there was no more sleep for me. Words are inadequate to describe the sound which these animals produce. It is something between a howl and a roar, with an occasional grunt thrown in, the whole being delivered with about the intensity of a fog-whistle, and the concert being participated in by baboons for miles around. When all these fellows are attending strictly to business the result in the way of a noise may be imagined.

Tracks of the tapir were several times seen in marshy places near the river bank, and I sometimes got a shot at flocks of the little, red saccawinki monkeys, which were very common on this river. Iguanas called "Waimucka" by the Indians, frequently tumbled from the branches into the stream when we paddled near the shore, and on two occasions some of our men brought in peccaries, or bush-hogs, which they had shot with their arrows near our camp, and which proved a most welcome addition to our larder, notwithstanding their rankness; but visible game was scarce, and a man would have had a poor living who depended on his gun for support.—*Cor. Chicago Tribune.*

Plant Longevity.

Particularly interesting examples of the evolution of different life terms are exhibited in the geographical distribution of plants. If we consider the whole earth as to its climate, we shall observe that in a few regions near the equator, that have a uniform climate, plants will grow all the year through without manifesting any periodical preferences. This is the case, for example, east of the Andes in Northern Brazil, in Guinea and Java, where the vegetation is green and blooms continuously; where most species become woody and nearly all live long and bear fruit often; while the short-lived, once-fruiting species are in the background. In other tropical regions where a periodical climate is produced by the difference in the motions of the atmosphere, the long-lived plants prevail, and the ground is so occupied with them till the coming on of the dry season that the short lived kind cannot find room upon it. The case is different in those regions where spots become barren of vegetation in consequence of the parching heat. Then when the rainy season sets in, the annuals quickly spring up between the bulbous and tuberous herbs that are able to keep their places through the drought. The short-lived species are of most importance where a warm season alternates with a cold one, and the warm one lasts long enough for them to go within its terms through the whole cycle of their life, from their seed time to the ripening of their fruit. As the warm season becomes shorter the number of annuals is reduced, until finally, when the summer is not long enough for any of them to perfect their seed, they disappear altogether. Thus the persistent, often-fruiting species gain the monopoly on the high mountains and in Arctic regions, but with the difference that in some districts they maintain themselves above the ground through the whole year without protection against the climate, while in others they exist through a long period of rest protected against effects of the cold by means of their perennial parts under the soil or under the cover of an effective shelter.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

They Drove Him In.

The owner of a place on Sibley street appeared in front of the house yesterday morning with a step-ladder and a saw and began the work of trimming up his shade trees. While he was at the first limb a pedestrian halted and queried:

"Going to trim your trees, eh?"

"Yes."

"Um. I see. First-rate time to trim trees. Um. Exactly."

He hadn't got two blocks away before number two came along and called out:

"Going to trim your trees, eh?"

"Yes."

"Ah! I see. Ought to have waited a month later."

The limb was off when No. 3 halted, stood for a minute with his hands in his pockets, and then asked:

"Going to trim your trees, eh?"

"Yes."

"Ought to have done that last month."

No. 4 said that April was the proper month. No. 5 wou'dn't trim a tree except in May. No. 6 thought November the best time of year, and so it went until every month in the year had been named and there were five or six individuals to spare. Before the last tree was finished the seventeenth pedestrian halted, threw away the stub of his cigar and loudly demanded:

"Going to trim your trees, eh?"

The man hung his saw to a limb, got down off the ladder, and spitting on his hands he walked close up to the inquirer and said:

"Supposing I am! What are you going to do about it?"

"Oh, nothing," answered the other, as he dodged around a pile of bricks; "I was simply going to ask you if you used tar or porous plasters to cover up the scars."

The citizen got his saw and ladder and disappeared in the house, and the remainder of the work will be done at night.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—In the shop of a boulevard pastry cook in Paris a young masher questioned the freshness of a tart. The shopkeeper was touched to the quick, and remarked: "I made tarts, young man, a good while before you were born." "I don't doubt it," was the reply, "and this must be one of them."

—Forty-nine out of fifty unmarried school-teachers, who recently took up their abode in Washington Territory, have resigned and accepted—matrimony. There is also a good show for the fiftieth, although she is said to be mortal homely.—*Chicago Tribune*

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In these times when these newspapers are flooded with patent medicine advertisements, it is gratifying to know what to procure that will certainly cure you. If you are Bilious, blood out of order, Liver inactive, or generally debilitated, there is nothing in the world that will cure you so quickly as Electric Bitters. They are a blessing to mankind, and can be had for only fifty cents a bottle.

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The Hart Argus has changed hands, Ed C. Palmiter, of Grand Rapids, taking the editorship, and the paper will be the organ of the prohibition party in the future.

Suffers from the effects of quinine, used as a remedy for chills and fever, will appreciate Ayer's Ague Cure, a powerful tonic bitter, composed wholly of vegetable substances, without a particle of any noxious drug. Its action is peculiar, prompt, powerful, breaking up the chill, curing the fever, and expelling the poison from the system, yet leaving no harmful or unpleasant effect upon the patient.

D. A. Starkweather, foreman of the Slaight mill, two miles north of Stanton, was killed by the mill machinery. He leaves a wife and two children.

Eward Crawford, of Ithica, is the latest roller skating rink victim. He broke an arm.

'Opinions are put little things,' said John Wesley 135 years ago. We think that opinions which are backed by experience are substantial. The masses who use Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure all speak highly of it for coughs, colds, whooping cough, croup, bronchitis, asthma, influenza, and all throat diseases. Its cure is safe, speedy and permanent. Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free.

The St. Clair council is still considering the question of waterworks. The plan of drawing from the Oakland hotel tanks does not seem likely to be adopted.

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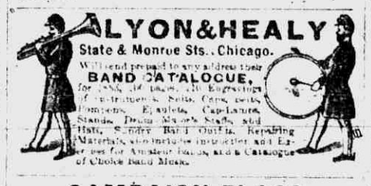

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 2, 1884

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

THE Unitarian National Conference at Saratoga on the 25th elected the following officers: President Hon. Samuel F. Miller, of Washington, D. C.; Vice Presidents, John D. Long, G. W. McCrary, Samuel M. Felton, Horace Davis, George Adams, C. H. Kidder, Fred L. Homer, Norman B. Eaton, Edward W. Clark, George A. Thayer, Rev. J. D. Jones and others; Secretary, Rev. Russell N. Bellows, of New York; Treasurer, William H. Reed, of Boston.

MRS. WILLIAM QUAY, of Mill Village, Erie County, Pa., while driving near there a few days ago, was thrown from the buggy into a high creek and drowned. Two children with her were saved.

AT Kinzua Village, near Bradford, Pa., on the 25th an Italian barber named John Fore was shot and killed by a young married woman named Mrs. James Kavanagh. He was trying to force an entrance into her house during the husband's absence.

F. H. WESTERMAN, chief engineer of the Oregon & Pacific Company, was found dead near Summit, Oregon, on the 24th with a pistol shot through his head. He had been missing several days. It is not known whether he was murdered or committed suicide.

Two hundred members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers left Omaha on the 25th to attend the convention at San Francisco on October 1. They were given a grand banquet. Chief Arthur, of Cleveland, O., made an address.

ALL the pool rooms in Baltimore, Md., were closed on the 29th by order of the Police Commissioners.

THE St. Louis Malleable Iron Company assigned on the 26th. Liabilities said to be $75,000, with assets of $111,000.

THE Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, at a meeting in St. Louis on the 26th, decided upon Leavenworth, Kansas, as the location for the Branch Soldiers' Home. The city donates 640 acres of land as a site and gives $50,000 in aid of the scheme.

SAM HAYS, cashier of the Greenwood Coal Company, on the Cincinnati Southern Railroad, was found dead on the railroad track near Chattanooga, Tenn., on the 26th. He had been murdered and robbed.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended September 27 number for the United States 187, Canada 26, or a total of 213, against a total of 228 the previous week.

AT Litlsfield, Mass., on the night of the 25th Francis Kernochan, President of the Belair Manufacturing Company, was roused from slumber by the barking of dogs. Believing that burglars were about the premises he seized a revolver and on his way to the lower part of the house stumbled, the revolver was discharged, and a bullet entered his right side inflicting a fatal wound.

CONSUL GENERAL MASON at Marseilles, reported to the Department of State on the 26th that the wheat crops throughout Europe are universally large, resembling those in 1882, and that there is no prospect of a rise in prices.

AT a Republican pole-raising near New London, Conn., on the 26th, after several addresses had been made, the flag was run up and as it neared the top of the pole, which was very long and heavy, it caught and stuck fast. Somebody pulled one of guy ropes to loosen the flag, when the pole suddenly split near the base and fell into the crowd. Mrs. Paul Tetrault was instantly killed, and another woman was so badly injured that she cannot live.

THE Secretary of the Navy has issued a general order approving the court-martial sentence of two years suspension on furlough and pay of Passed Assistant Surgeon A. G. Cabell for drunkenness and absence without leave at Tietsin, China, in February last.

JOHN STAGG and his wife Wilhelmina, of Ft. Atkinson, Wis., were on the 26th sentenced to the State prison for life at hard labor for poisoning their infant child. The eighth day of July, each year, being the anniversary of the child's death, Stagg and his wife are to be placed in solitary confinement.

AFTER a strike lasting nearly a year the Stove Molders' Union, of Cincinnati, held a meeting on the 26th and agreed to return to work.

THE National Convention of Insurance Commissioners at Chicago on the 26th elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, John A. McCall, Jr., of New York; Treasurer, Eugene Pringle, of Michigan; Secretary, Charles P. Swigert, of Illinois. Chicago was selected as the place of the next meeting.

DURING the fiscal year ended June 30, 1884, there were 8,543,154 acres of the public lands selected under grants to aid in the construction of railroads, making the total amount of such selections awaiting action at Washington 11,861,695 acres. The mere selection of this land does not pass title but simply indicates the land claimed by the roads under the grants. Action upon these selections is now suspended in the General Land Office, awaiting the action of Congress on pending forfeiture measures.

AT the county fair at Erie, Pa., on the 26th an aeronaut was about to ascend in a balloon when the huge machine shot up with a rush, tearing from the earth the huge wooden supports, one of which fell upon Samuel C. Pherrin, of West Mill Creek, knocking his brains out and killing him instantly. James Wadsworth, of Girard, and W. P. Edwards, of Harbor Creek, were also struck and severely injured. The balloon came down within five feet of the lake.

A CALL for $10,000,000 three per cent. bonds maturing November 1 next, was issued by the Secretary of the Treasury on the 26th. Following are the original numbers: Five hundred dollars—No. 304 to No. 306, both inclusive; $100—No. 2,205 to No. 2,255, both inclusive, and No. 9,549 to No. 9,563, both inclusive; $500—No. 1,091 to No. 1,114, both inclusive, and No. 4,025 to No. 4,047, both inclusive; $1,000—No. 19,013 to No. 19,019, both inclusive, and No. 22,914 to No. 23,019, both inclusive; $10,000—No. 18,-325 to No. 19,337, both inclusive. Total, $10,-000,000.

THE neighborhood of Alton, Pa., was visited by a terrific cyclone on the afternoon of the 28th ult., wrecking many buildings and injuring a number of persons. Between Alton and Big Shanty, on the Erie Railroad, the track was blockaded by fallen trees, and telegraph wires were prostrated in all directions. Dispatches of the 28th ult. from Wellsville, Allegany County, N. Y., report a terrible cyclone at Shongo, a hamlet eight miles south of that city. The whole business part and many private residences were laid in ruins; four persons were killed and many others injured.

A FERRY boat containing some forty passengers capsized at Michigan City, Ind., on the night of the 27th ult., throwing the entire party into the water. Nearly all were rescued, but it is not certainly known how many were lost. Two bodies have been recovered, and search was being made for others.

THE funeral of John W. Garrett took place on the 25th ult. from the country residence of deceased at Montebello, Md. The services were of the simplest character. Fully 12,000 persons were present, including many prominent railroad men from all parts of the country.

ON the 27th ult. two freight trains on the Western Maryland Railroad collided near Fulton, Md., wrecking five cars. Engineer William Quigley was fatally injured, and Henry Kapper, fireman, badly cut and bruised.

A GENERAL exodus of Mormon converts from Lewis County, Tenn., the scene of the recent slaughter of Mormon elders, is now in progress on account of a notification "to leave or suffer death."

BY a collision of freight trains on the 27th ult. near Dunlap, Ill., on the Peoria & Rock Island Railroad, Michael Radigan, engineer, was instantly killed, one of the firemen and a stockman severely injured, many cars badly wrecked and one car of cattle consumed by fire.

THE Rockingham House at Portsmouth, N. H., one of the largest and finest hotels in New England, burned on the 27th ult.

AN incendiary fire on the 28th ult. destroyed the entire business portion of Rathdrum, Idaho, and all of the best residences. Many are left homeless. Loss $75,000, with only $5,000 insurance.

BURGLARS on the 27th ult. robbed the jewelry store of Michaels Brothers, at Brooklyn, L. I., of $5,000 worth of diamonds, watches and silverware. They left a full kit of burglars' tools behind them.

THE United States steamer Powhatan has been selected to take the place of the lost Tallapoosa, and will run between the Southern and Northern navy yards, and carry freight and munitions of war.

A TERRIFIC wind and hail storm passed over the southern portions of Sac County, Ia., on the 27th ult. At Wall Lake the bank building was wrecked and an old man named Strong was killed by a piece of flying timber.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended September 27: Loans decrease, $520,700; specie decrease, $708,200; legal tenders increase, $352,300; deposits decrease, $628,100; circulation increase, $1,600; reserve decrease, $2,826,075. The banks held $27,045,725 in excess of the legal requirements.

INSPECTOR BASSETT, a few days ago began an investigation of the postoffice at Patchogue, L. I. As the inspector entered the front door Postmaster Hammond disappeared through the rear exit and has not been seen since. His accounts are $1,400 short.

THE Black Hill Gas Company at McKeesport, Pa., struck a vein of gas, with a pressure of a hundred pounds, on the 27th ult. at a depth of only two hundred and seventy-five feet.

SAMUEL WALTERS, an ex-Deputy Marshal, was sentenced to two years in the House of Correction at Detroit, Mich., recently for accepting a bribe and releasing a prisoner in his keeping. Walters was a highly respected citizen, and Justice of the Peace at Rocky Comfort, Ark., at the time of the arrest.

THE placing of Rear Admiral Wells upon the retired list increases the number of that grade now on the list to fifty, and outnumbering any other grade represented in the retired list of the Navy. They draw a salary of $4,500 a year each.

BRIGADIER GENERAL NELSON A. MILES has by direction of the President been detailed as a member of the general court martial appointed to meet in Washington for the trial of Judge Advocate General D. G. Swaim and Colonel A. P. Morris, vice Colonel E. S. Otis, of the Twentieth Cavalry, relieved.

ACTING POSTMASTER GENERAL HATTON has issued an order that on and after October 1 all postoffices of the first-class and their stations and branch offices shall be kept open to the public for the issue and payment of money-orders, and for the receipt of matter intended for registration and the delivery of registered matter, until six o'clock p. m. every day, except Sundays and legal holidays.

THE Acting Secretary of the Treasury has accepted the offer of Charles H. Barth to pay $32,700 in compromise of the claim of $100,000, alleged to have been embezzled by him while in the service of the United States as clerk in the Quartermaster General's Department, at San Francisco several years ago.

ROBERT SCHLENGER and H. Myers, of Buffalo, while rowing on the Genesee River at Rochester, N. Y., on the 28th ult. were drowned by the capsizing of their boat.

REPLIES to the circulars proposing a restriction of the pig iron production have been tabulated and put in shape for ready reference. The number of firms agreeing to restrict are as follows: Maine 1, Vermont 1, New York 9, New Jersey 2, Pennsylvania 23, Virginia 5, West Virginia 4, Kentucky 5, Tennessee 2, Georgia 2, Alabama 3, Ohio 24, Indiana 2, Illinois 2, Missouri 1, Michigan 4, Wisconsin 2, Texas 1, Colorado 1. Those declining to restrict are: New York 1, New Jersey 1, Pennsylvania 1, West Virginia 1, Alabama 1, Ohio 6, Wisconsin 1.

SIXTEEN trans-Atlantic steamers sailed from New York on the 27th ult. for Europe. This is the largest fleet that has ever sailed from that port on any one day.

Two printers named William McMahon and George Hough engaged in a fight at Washington, D. C., on the 27th ult., when Hough drew a knife and fatally stabbed McMahon.

AN incendiary fired the extensive yards of the Cleveland (O.) Saw Mill and Lumber Company on Central Way on the afternoon of the 27th ult. The fire was subdued after a loss of $10,000. A baggage car and passenger coach near the Connotton Valley depot was also set on fire and burned at the same time.

A GANG of safe blowers named James Horner, Frank Horner and James Murray, who have been blowing open and robbing safes along the line of the Wabash Railroad, were captured at Peru, Ind., on the 27th ult. by officers of the secret service of the road. A complete set of burglars tools were found in their possession.

C. F. NEEDIC & Co.'s furniture factory at Williamsburg, L. I., burned on the 27th ult. Loss $75,000.

AT St. Paul, Minn., Kellogg & Johnson's shoe factory was destroyed by fire on the 27th ult., entailing a loss of $75,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Republican conferees of the Seventeenth Pennsylvania District on the 25th renominated Hon. Jacob M. Campbell for Congress.

THE Democratic Congressional Conference in the Seventh Pennsylvania District has nominated George Ross, of Doylestown, for Congress.

THE South Carolina Republican State Convention met at Columbia on the 25th and nominated the following ticket: Governor, D. T. Corbin; Lieutenant Governor D. A. Straker (colored); Adjutant and Inspector General, C. J. Stolbrand; Treasurer, C. C. McCov; Secretary of State, R. L. Smith (colored); Superintendent of Education, J. E. Wilson (colored); Attorney General, Samuel W. Melton; Comptroller General, E. A. Sawyer (colored).

A. M. SCALES, Democratic candidate for Governor of North Carolina, who was badly hurt several days ago by being thrown over a precipice in the western part of the State, is still suffering from the shock, and internal injuries of a serious character are feared.

MRS. ELIZABETH B. CROWELL, wife of William H. Crowell, clerk in the Sixth Auditor's office of the Treasury Department, died in the 80th at the Government Hospital of the Insane at Washington. She was the youngest sister of Hon. Ben Butterworth, Commissioner of Patents.

THE Democratic conferees of the Ninteenth Pennsylvania District on the 26th nominated W. A. Duncan for Congress.

COLONEL D. D. McBride, of the Bradford Era, a veteran journalist well known throughout Pennsylvania, died at Montreal, Canada, where he was visiting friends, on the 26th.

THE deadlock in the Democratic Convention of the Second Congressional District of Wisconsin was broken on the 27th ult. on the one hundred and fiftieth ballot, by the unanimous nomination of General Bragg.

ON the way to a fire at Cincinnati on the 28th ult. Chief Bunker's carriage collided with the Babcock extinguisher. The chief was thrown to the ground with great violence, breaking his right arm and otherwise seriously injuring him.

COMMODORE THOMAS S. FILLEBROWNS, Commander of the New York Navy Yard, died suddenly on the 27th ult. of heart disease.

THE President has appointed J. W. Patrick, of Oswego, Kan., Indian agent at the Pottawatomie and Great Nemaha agency, Kansas City.

FOREIGN.

THREE Pullman cars and the private car of Chief Engineer Hannaford, on the Grand Trunk express for Montreal and Boston, were derailed by a broken frog near Pickering Station, Canada, on the night of the 25th and plunged over an embankment twenty-five feet high. Ten or twelve persons were more or less seriously injured, but none were fatally hurt. The coach was smashed into kindling wood, and Chief Engineer Hannaford's coach took fire and burned. The damage to the rolling stock is estimated at $100,000.

THE Canadian Pacific Railroad Company have leased 6,000 feet of public land near the depot at Montreal, on which they will erect two elevators that will hold 1,000,000 bushels of grain. They will cost $400,000, and are to be completed by February 1.

THE excursion steamer Saguenay was turned to the water's edge on the 26th at Pointe-au-Pic wharf on the Lower St. Lawrence. No loss of life. The mails and freights were destroyed. Loss $60,000; insurance $10,000.

ADVICES from British Columbia state that a few days ago two white men undertook to smuggle five Chinamen across the line into the United States on a boat for twenty-five dollars per head. On the trip the boat was driven upon the rocks near Port Gamble and the occupants thrown into the water. The Government officials captured three of the Celestials and sent them back to Port Townsend. The others escaped.

AT a wake at Nerona, Canada, a village on the Kingston & Pembroke Railway, recently, several men got drunk and broke down the bed which contained the corpse and afterwards endeavored to force liquor down the throat of the dead body. Failing in this they threw whisky over the corpse and then departed.

REPORTS of the ravages of cholera throughout Italy for the twenty-four hours ended at nine p. m. on the 26th give a total of 452 fresh cases and 212 deaths. At Naples there were 201 fresh cases and 95 deaths as against 242 cases and 105 deaths for the preceding twenty-four hours. At Genoa there were 51 fresh cases and 20 deaths.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Massillon Cannel—Cleaner, Better and Cheaper than wood for cook stoves and grates. Try it. Sold only by S. W. Temple, Tecumseh.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

MARRIED.

KENNEDY—BRYAN—At the residence of the bride's mother in this village on the 28th inst., by Rev. C. E. Crosley, Mr. Jas. R. Kennedy to Miss Frank A. Bryan.

SMITH—BOWERS—In this village at the residence of Mr. E. Tindall, Sept. 30, 1884, by the Rev. J. Phelps, Mr. Adelbert Smith of McGregor, Iowa, and Mrs. Caroline Enders Powers of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Sept. 30, 1884:

Bortman, A.	Little, Michael
Borney, Martha	Lose, Charles
Colfield, Thomas	Miller, Mettie
Comstock, Adison	Sanchar, James
Edison, Charles	Symonds, Emma
Hope, Ed.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Oct. 1, 1884.

Anderson, Mrs. Betty	Marks, Mrs. Joseph
Beal, George	Moir, Mrs. L.
Brunner, Philetus	McIntyre, Hatmer
Cassell, Joseph	Patch, G. C. (2)
Darrah, Robert	Palmer, T. H.
Durton, Rev. C. S.	Ramsdan, Geo. W.
Howell, Nelo	Sprinkhorn, Ferdinand
Hoagland, Louisa V.	Tripp, Mrs. Mary
Hansbert, D. E.	Vandusen, T. S.
Johnson, John M.	Van Buren, G. E.
Kelley, Mrs. Susan	Wright, H. W.
Keeter, A. M.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	1 25 @ 2 00
Apples dried, ₩ ₩	@ 60
Butter, ₩ ₩	17 @ 18
Beans, ₩ bushel	50 @ 60
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 50 @ 1 75
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @ 1 85
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@ 5 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ ₩	5 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides, ₩ ₩	5 @ 07
Calf skins, ₩ ₩	8 @ 10
Corn meal	30 @ 35
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	50 @ 60
Cloverseed	5 25 @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed, ₩ ₩	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@ 14
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 00 @ 5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @ 5 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₩ ₩	@ 18
Ham, ₩ ₩	@ 12
Lard, ₩ ₩	@ 12
Oats, ₩ bushel	30 @ 35
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35 @ 40
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 35
Sheepskins	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ₩	@ 12
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	@ 75
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	@ 75
Wool	18 @ 25

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COMPARATIVE WORTH OF BAKING POWDER.

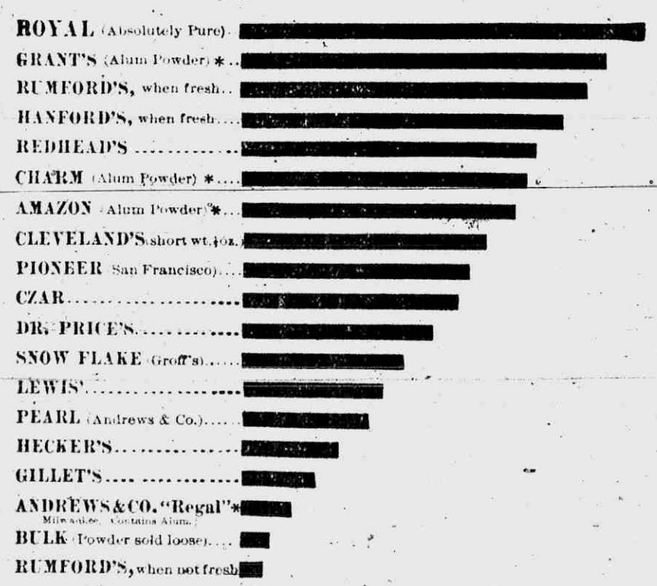

REPORTS OF GOVERNMENT CHEMISTS

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"I have tested a package of Royal Baking Powder, which I purchased in the open market, and find it composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It is a cream of tartar powder of a high degree of merit, and does not contain either alum or phosphates, or other injurious substances. E. G. LOVE, Ph.D."

"It is a scientific fact that the Royal Baking Powder is absolutely pure. "H. A. MOTT, Ph.D."

"I have examined a package of Royal Baking Powder, purchased by myself in the market. I find it entirely free from alum, terra alba, or any other injurious substance. HENRY MORTON, Ph.D., President of Stevens Institute of Technology."

"I have analyzed a package of Royal Baking Powder. The materials of which it is composed are pure and wholesome. S. DANA HAYES, State Assayer, Mass."

The Royal Baking Powder received the highest award over all competitors at the Vienna World's Exposition, 1873; at the Centennial, Philadelphia, 1876; at the American Institute, New York, and at State Fairs throughout the country.

No other article of human food has ever received such high, emphatic, and universal endorsement from eminent chemists, physicians, scientists, and Boards of Health all over the world.

NOTE—The above DIAGRAM illustrates the comparative worth of various Baking Powders, as shown by Chemical Analysis and experiments made by Prof. Schedler. A pound can of each powder was taken, the total leavening power or volume in each can calculated, the result being as indicated. This practical test for worth by Prof. Schedler only proves what every observant consumer of the Royal Baking Powder knows by practical experience, that, while it costs a few cents per pound more than ordinary kinds, it is far more economical, and, besides, affords the advantage of better work. A single trial of the Royal Baking Powder will convince any fair minded person of these facts.

* While the diagram shows some of the alum powders to be of a higher degree of strength than other powders ranked below them, it is not to be taken as indicating that they have any value. All alum powders, no matter how high their strength, are to be avoided as dangerous.

Farmers, Attention!

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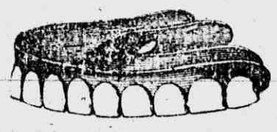

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

C. W. Clough died Tuesday morning. The village has lost a faithful and energetic friend, for he has been first to incite many much needed innovations. Few leave the world with such fearlessness and graceful composure. His remains were accompanied to Oxford, Ohio, by wife and mother; but four children, too small to understand their loss are cared for by friends here and elsewhere, until home doors are again open. Much sickness prevails here, and what will avert second-hand cholera concerns folks more than who will be president. Who knows but a twice reading of Mulligan letters might prove an antidote.

The Republican battle-cry will begin next Tuesday evening, and no doubt Cleveland and Butler echoes will resound soon after. There is no wigwam to dedicate this time, but the hall, without doors added, will hold a fair sized audience. Now that the trial of strength is near, each party will do their best to win converts but if they succeed in repealing the Prohibition scare this time, the conviction will abide with many officials that a few years hence they cannot secure nominations for mouse-trap regulators. Brief happiness is better than none, however, and I wish them bon voyage to the land of rest.

PEARLIE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Fine weather for fall work.

Mr. Frank Allen will hold down Jerome as agent for the M. & O. company.

There were a good many out to the social at Mrs. Hall's on Friday night, and all enjoyed themselves splendidly for it was a fine moonlight evening.

Mr. Enoch French was the guest of Miss Ida Arner Friday and Saturday.

Mr. W. B. Arner husked 40 bushels of corn in 5 hours for Mr. W. P. Cadmus. Who can beat that?

Rev. W. J. Clark and family took possession of the parsonage last Saturday and are busy getting ready to receive calls from friends here.

We wish to say that it is Mrs. G. W. Jackson instead of Mrs. S. W. Jackson that has gone into the millinery business here, as was reported in last weeks HERALD.

There were quite a good many went over to see and hear Ex. Gov. St. John at Adrian Tuesday.

Mr. Wilber is the guest of Mrs. J. D. Freer for the present.

Hon. Chas. Mosher will speak on the Temperance issue at Britton next Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Linn spent the Sabbath at Dundee with friends.

After a sickness of about 48 hours Mrs. G. P. Waring departed this life on Monday afternoon. She was a great sufferer during her short sickness and all was done that could be for her recovery and comfort. She was 35 years of age and the daughter of Mr. Richard Cadmus and was married to Mr. Waring Sept. 16th 1877 by Rev. Geo. Field. She was a true christian woman and a great help in the church. Her many friends will sadly miss her and are in sympathy for the friends in their sad bereavement. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at the church Rev. W. J. Clark officiating.

Mrs. R. T. Bush bought the Garlinghouse Bros. fancy black team and will take them to her home in Brooklyn in a few days.

Wednesday night Oct. 1st it was our pleasure to attend the 50 anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Jackson, of Saline township, Washtenaw Co. At 7:30 friends to the number of 150 or more gathered at their home and after some music by the Macon cornet band and an hour of social amusement a short program appointed for the occasion was carried out.

Solo—"Golden Days"—Mr. Isaac Hendershot, Macon.

Poem—"Golden Wedding"—Miss Wadsworth, Adrian.

Poem—Mr. G. W. Jackson, Ridgeway.

Solo—"50 years ago"—Isaac Hendershot.

Address—Rev. Mr. Dutton, Macon.

Presentation of Gifts—Hon. Dr. Geo. Howell, Macon.

Responce—Mr. Jackson in behalf of his wife thanked the friends for their kindness.

Duett—"Good Night"—Misses Ella Jackson and Ida Arner, Ridgeway.

After which refreshments were served. Mr. James A. Jackson was born in N. Y. State, March 21st. 1810. Mrs. Lovenia Jackson was born in Penn. April 27th 1816, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Arner and united in marriage with Mr. Jackson Oct. 1st 1834. They came to Mich. in 1835 and settled one mile North of Macon village. In 1843 they purchased of the Government 15 acres of the wilderness for a home where they have lived for 40 years. They raised a family of four boys and four girls all living but two and married, Mathias lives at Brockway, St. Clair Co., Washington at Ridgeway, John and Clarley at Macon, William in Arkansas, Alice at Leslie, Ingham Co. The aged couple having traveled lifes rugged path for 50 years look back with pleasure days when the Indian and wolf were their most frequent guests. The string to the latch of the cabin was always out and all were made welcome when within. It is now as it was then the young as well as the old are welcome. And as we see the aged couple worn out by hard toil and misfortune we know that soon we must bid them a last farewell, but hope to meet them with friends gone before on that "Golden Shore" where parting is not known.

MACON MUSIC.

Rev. Mr. Wright, of Dundee, preached at the M. E. church Sunday.

Dr. Chas. Howell of Alpena, and his daughter, Mrs. Nichols of Ann Arbor, visited relatives in Macon Monday and Tuesday.

A few good staunch republicans went to Clinton Saturday evening to hear R. E. Frazier. They reported a good speech for republicanism.

Mary Richart came home from the Normal last Saturday, and stayed over Sunday.

Will Hatch returned to Detroit last week to complete his commercial course.

Oct. 1st. was the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson. To commenorate the event a number of their relatives and friends determined to give them a surprise. Accordingly a large company laden with rich eatables, broke in upon them in the early part of the evening. A literary program, consisting of songs, poems, and speeches was carried out. Refreshments were then served. The balance of the evening was spent in friendly "chat," and in reviewing the events of the last fifty years. Mr. and Mrs. J. were the recipients of a number of valuable presents for which they were very grateful. At a late hour the company dispersed, all seeming to have enjoyed the affair. May Mr. and Mrs. Jackson see many more years, is our wish.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Rev. P. R. Ogden, the Baptist minister, commenced his labors with the Baptist church here last Sunday.

The funeral of Mrs. R. Bartlett who died early on Monday morning last week, was held at her late residence in Clinton, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was largely attended. The Rev. W. P. Wastell officiating.

Seth Bradner has left home and has accepted a position as salesman in a wholesale grocery house. Clinton has furnished more young men for that kind of occupation than any other town of similar size.

The Episcopal social will be held at the house of W. V. Fisk, on Thursday evening, and from the known hospitality of Mr. Fisk, we predict a large attendance and an extra good time with the usual good results.

The Baptist sunday school institute held at the Baptist church on Sunday and Sunday evening last, was well attended and a good and instructive time was had.

The entertainment given under the auspices of the Congregational church held at their church on Wednesday evening of last week was a good entertainment, there being a goodly number of very nice paintings exhibited which was worth the price charged for admittance, but the attendance was not what it ought to have been.

We notice that Mr. Freeze has now his store nicely arranged in the latest style of architecture and is putting his goods upon the shelves in such a way that they make a nice display. Call and see him.

As was expected Robt. Frazer, of Jackson, was on hand on Saturday evening last and lectured at the Town Hall. His speech was mostly in vindication of the nominees of the Republican party and in abuse of the Prohibition party with an occasional hit at the Democratic party. I have not yet heard of any conversions and the Prohibitionists are mad.

As was expected Rev. Ogden the new pastor of the Baptist church commenced his labors with the church here on Sunday last and as we learn made a very favorable impression and we predict for him a pleasant and useful pastorate here.

There were quite a number of our citizens went to Adrian on Tuesday to hear and see St. John and other apostles of the temperance cause, and they report a good time, a large crowd, with the usual number of conversions.

Mr. S. Browy has taken the agency here for the Mass. Mutual Life Insurance Co., and is doing a good business for this popular old company. J. C. Thompson, of Detroit, the general Agent in this state, spent a couple of days here this week.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

J. S. Gilman has moved his family to Holloway at last, and it does one good to see how the old gent's face has shortened up since that event. We no longer hear him singing in that plaintive tone, "No one to love me, no one to cheer me;" but instead of that we notice he is inclined to sing, "Oh! I am as happy as a child with the love of etc. etc."

Improvements still go on. Mac Sleeper is plastering the upper part of his store.

James Sutherland has just erected a snug little barn on his premises which adds very materially to its appearance.

The new opera house of Robert McWilliams is nearly completed. Its architecture is of the Queen Anne style, and taken altogether it is an imposing edifice. Long live the proprietor.

Mrs. Brainard is visiting her parents in Tecumseh.

Al Hoxie fell into the doctor's hands again last week, but managed to kick loose in a couple of days.

Dysentary still prevails. Al Maclean's children have both been down with it but are now convalescent.

Ferris Dunham passed the Sabbath with his people in Hudson.

Dora Cram has returned to her old place in the store of Kelly, Hoxie & Co. after an extended trip through the northern part of the state. The change has evidently done her good and we shall expect her to be a little better natured in the future.

W. I. Scott has purchased a new carriage and harness, and when he dons that stiff hat and hitches up the mustang one would hardly think it was the man we had seen behind the counter all summer shaving ham for customers.

ONSTED ODDS.

Mrs. J. E. Gibbs is visiting friends in Indiana.

A good many from here went to Adrian Tuesday to hear St. John.

A. P. Kimball of Rome talks of moving his saw-mill to this place.

Frank Miller of Grand Rapids spent Sunday and Monday visiting friends here.

Onsted base ball players go to Rome Center next Saturday to play, and to Springville a week from Saturday.

Reuben Fox, who has been working in this vicinity for a year or two returned last Monday to his home in Canada.

Cambridge Prohibitionists will raise a pole at Springville, Saturday, Oct. 11th, at 2 P. M. Hon. Chas. Mosher will do the speaking.

W. B. Raymond, who has been station agent here since the railroad commenced operation, has resigned his position. He expects to engage in some other business.

THE ST. JOHN MEETING.

A large number of our citizens went to Adrian on Tuesday last to hear and see Ex. Gov. St. John, the prohibition candidate for president. They all report a large crowd and a very successful meeting. We take the following report from the Adrian Record:

The prohibitionists of the county are thoroughly aroused. Thousands of people were present to hear St. John. Some, it is true came on of curiosity, but many came to gain new enthusiasm in carying on the prohibition campaign.

The happy looking families of all ages denoted that the party is a family party. They brought their dinners with them, and at noon Lawrence park bore a picnic appearance, and was crowded with feasting families. St. John and Preston arrived about noon. They drove to the Lawrence House, where they dined. At one o'clock the Adrian city band serenaded them and brief speeches were made from the hotel balcony to the listening multitude. The procession at once formed and proceeded to Lawrence park.

On arriving Thomas Moore, of Madison, called the assemblage to order and announced that the exercises would commence with music from the band and immediately after the best band in the country rendered that grand old hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee." Mr. Moore then by a few appropriate remarks complementing Adrian and Lenawee county, as to its culture and fine agricultural products, introduced St. John, of Kansas, who acknowledged the favor by a profuse bow and smiling countenance amid applause.

The attendance was very large, the grand stand being completely filled with interested listeners, and the fair grounds proper were a living mass of people who were all attention to this able orator.

Plenty of entertainments at the Opera House.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 9, 1884.

DOT CANDIDATE.

Whe ish dot takes me py der hand,
Und speaks so awful kind und mild,
Und urges me to join his band?
Dot candidate.

Wh ish dot dresses me very schwed,
Vo on de corner of der street
We haddem just a little schmeed?
Dot candidate.

Who ish dot shiggs awful gay,
Just like a lark all of der day,
Mit dirty wings would fly away?
Dot candidate.

Who ish dot covers ish his head,
Und wishes he vas only dead—
De odder mans gal vin you bed—
Dot candidate.

—*Pennsylvania Herald.*

THE BLUE CHAMBER.

A small party of ladies and gentlemen engaged in conversation were sitting after dinner in the spacious grounds of an ancient manor.

The doors of the mansion stood wide open. The evening breeze whispered and rustled through the branches of the huge lindens, the shadows grew longer and longer, ink-black beneath the leafy roof of boughs, lighter on the patches of turf.

It was a mild summer evening, still, yet full of strange, mysterious sounds; the soft breeze floated into the doors, bearing with it the heavy fragrance of the flowers. In the gathering dusk the members of the group could scarcely see each other.

Conversation languished, passing from subject to subject; no one seemed inclined to enter upon a lengthy discussion.

Suddenly one of the party began to relate an anecdote of a ghost he had seen on an evening like this. The plan was successful. Several tales followed, but the young daughter of the house, Anna, continued to ask for more. It was so amusing to hear these marvellous stories, imagine the white and black specters, moving noiselessly in dense shadow or dazzling moonlight, feel a strange horror chill her blood and then lean against her mother, finding safety in her embrace. She could not endure Candidate Holst's way of taking these stories, his scornful comments tore ugly rents in the dreamy veil in which she wrapped herself.

He was a medical student and had witnessed many similar things in the hospital. It was owing to sickness acting upon different individuals. Either the patient, when his imagination was excited, mistook a towel, on which the moon was shining, for a phantom, and the shrieking of the wind in old houses for ghostly cries and the clank of chains, or the whole affair was pure hallucination. A person in a healthy, normal condition never saw ghosts.

The whole party opposed his view. There was surely some truth at the bottom of all these tales. There was a thousand things which could not be explained by natural causes.

Anna was warmly seconded by Holst's younger brother Hector, who had arrived at the house with him this morning; though he was influenced more by courtesy to the pretty young girl than because he felt any fear of ghosts. He could not bear to have his brother appear to place himself in such contemptuous opposition to a pair of such beautiful bright eyes, so he fought a stout battle against his own convictions.

"The history of such things," said the Candidate, "is contrary to sound sense and reason. They are miserable relics of the darkness of the Middle Ages, which can only check progress. It would be an utterly idiotic proceeding for dead folk to walk abroad and terrify the living. Tradition carries such tales from generation to generation, and if not subjected to severe scientific criticism they retain their vitality and are believed. It is the same kind of superstition as that which makes simple folk afraid to sit thirteen at table. In nine cases out of ten, nothing happens, and there isn't even one person who thinks of the matter. In the tenth, perhaps, one of the company dies, which is certainly in accordance with the course of nature. Instantly it is said: 'You remember; you remember, we sat thirteen at table that day.' So the superstition obtains nourishment for a long time. No, thank God, the fresh breeze of knowledge will sweep away all such things like dank, unwholesome fogs."

"Yes, we old people must be pardoned," the mistress of the house gently interposed, "we don't come so much in contact with the fresh breeze of science as perhaps we ought. We live, they say, wholly in tradition, and this thrives nowhere so well as in an old manor like this. It is very difficult to release ourselves from the ideas in which we were reared, and which our ancestors believed. I am far from what is called superstitious; I have never been in contact with these strange spirits—yet not for all the world would I sleep in the blue chamber."

"The blue chamber!" cried the whole party in tones of astonishment.

"Yes, we have here, as in so many old manor houses, a room that is said to be haunted. Many hundred years ago a man was murdered there, and since then ghosts have taken possession of it. The servants talk of strange sounds and sights; none of them like to pass it after dark."

"I was sitting thinking that I should be delighted to occupy a real haunted chamber," said Holst quietly. "It is a sin to have it remain unused forever. Perhaps I can help dispel this foolish superstition, for I am convinced I shall sleep undisturbed."

At first the mistress of the house would not listen to such a plan, but when the whole party urged and Anna clasped her arms beseechingly around her neck she at last yielded.

Anna thought the scheme wonderfully interesting.

"It is really terrible that you dare venture. Candidate Holst," she said, "but I hope you will look really frightened when you come to breakfast in the morning."

After supper the whole party went to the "blue chamber," which meantime had been put in order to receive the guest. Every corner was examined with the utmost care.

The atmosphere was somewhat oppressive, though the windows were now open. The room was seldom ventilated, and the half moldy air took the liberty of settling in the furniture and curtains. It had evidently always borne the name of the "blue chamber," although the thick carpet was now faded. The furniture was very scanty, but what articles remained were old-fashioned. While time had transformed everything else in the ancient manor, making the stiff carved chairs give way to comfortable armchairs, and the old chimney-place to tile stoves, this room seemed to have preserved its former appearance. It was delivered over to the spirits of the past; none had attempted to drag it into the present. An article that did not contribute least in enabling it to retain its ancient character was the huge, exquisitely carved four-post bedstead, which occupied a large portion of the room. The apartment was the last in one wing of the manor, looking out upon the grove, but so near the ground that a person, by the display of some little agility, might climb up.

"It is not impossible," said Holst, after a thorough examination of the chamber, "that the nocturnal noises mentioned may have been made by vagabonds who settled themselves here for a comfortable night's rest. Victor, do me the favor to get my pistols; they are in my traveling satchel; but don't meddle with the triggers, they are loaded."

Victor went away with a light, and soon after brought the pistols to his brother. The latter primed them freshly, put on new caps and laid them on the table.

"Now, good night, ladies and gentlemen, I wish you all as comfortable a rest as I expect to have myself."

"Good night, wicked Freethinker," said Anna half admiringly. "I hope you will have different opinions in the morning."

As they went out Victor whispered to Anna: "I'll answer for it that he shall be thoroughly frightened."

The door was locked and Candidate Holst remained alone in the blue chamber. The sound of footsteps and voices died away; he listened at the door but all was still.

Going to the window he stood there a few minutes looking at the grove. The soft night breeze stirred the leaves and branches. Only the nearest trees could be dimly distinguished. Beyond all was dense, impenetrable darkness, for there was neither moon nor stars in the sky.

"It's really very rare to be free from Madam Luna," said he, "she is so fond of intruding and playing the spy on sensible folk, spite of drawn curtains. For the rest, this is an uncommonly comfortable room. Probably not one of the whole party will have so good a bed to lie in as my lucky self.

"So a man was murdered here, and for the sake of this legend the room has now stood empty hundreds of years. If one could see a few blood stains or similar horrors—but there's no trace of anything of the sort. What matchless power superstition has, even in our enlightened days! I shall consider it a good deed to drive it from this comfortable stronghold."

Lighting a cigar, he paced to and fro smoking, then walked around the bed and closed his eyes with a half shudder. "How timidly the young girl, Anna, is pressing her pretty face against the pillow at the thought that any human being dares to sleep in the blue chamber. She won't even venture to put out her night-lamp for fear of seeing the frightful white shape that must speedily come up here and destroy me."

While thus soliloquizing he undressed, opened the canopied bed, and resolutely extinguished the lamp.

There was no sound in the room; only it seemed as though he could hear a rustling noise like crickets and a mysterious ticking, as though the famous deathwatch was under the carpet. He lay listening a moment, heard the night wind sigh through the trees and the great clock of the manor strike eleven, then he fell asleep.

At the end of an hour he suddenly started up in bed, having heard a sound like the opening of a door. A strange, shuddering sensation ran through his limbs as he stared fixedly into the room and beheld a white form moving slowly towards the bed.

Terror overpowered him, but the next instant he regained his coolness, and shouted in a firm voice, "Who's there?"

No answer, but the shape remained standing in the middle of the floor.

"Who's there? Answer, or as sure as I live I'll fire," he called again, cocking his pistol.

He was once more the quiet, cold-blooded physician; he had surely heard the creaking of a door; it must be a man, a rascal, a murderer perhaps, but no spectre.

Yet, spite of the pistol's warning snap, the figure did not move.

"Who goes there?" he called again. Still no sound disturbed the silence of the room.

The physician stretched out his arm and fired.

A flash of light illumined the dusky chamber and the report shook the old tapestry. Scarcely had the sound died away when a burst of discordant, jeering, fiendish laughter greeted him, and something hard struck his forehead. It was the bullet.

Seized with terrible dread, he fired the other pistol at the motionless white form—again the frightful laughter echoed through the room and the bullet fell heavily back on his own breast.

With a loud shriek he sank down on the bed.

The form glided noiselessly out of the door.

Early the next morning, while Anna was watering her flowers, Victor came up to her.

"Where is your brother?" she asked.

"He isn't up yet, poor fellow. He has had a terrible fright."

"What was it?"

"If you'll promise to keep silence I'll tell the whole story. To revenge myself on him I played ghost, first taking care to draw the bullets from his pistols that he might not use the weapons recklessly. Wrapped in sheets I visited him and threw the balls back at his head when he fired."

"Nothing could be better!" exclaimed Anna. "But promise me not to speak of it. Your mother might be vexed and he himself must not be undeceived." "Trust me; I'll be as mute as the grave." The physician did not come; breakfast waited in vain. At last some of the gentlemen went to wake him. He lay with his head stretched over the edge of the bed; his mouth was wide open, his eyes were starting from their sockets and his hair was as white as chalk. Life had vanished. His discharged pistols were found by his side. One week later Victor was taken to the insane asylum.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

OWLS.

Owls were never an epicurean feast, but southey once had an owl roasted for dinner, for himself and Mr. and Mrs. Wordsworth; I give the sequel in his own words:

"We agreed there could be no pretext for making owls game and killing them as delicacies; but if ever you eat one, by all means try it boiled, with onion sauce."

An omelet made of owl's eggs is said to be a cure for drunkenness.

At one time the workmen on the Washington Monument were a good deal annoyed to find that a plumb line that reached from the top to the bottom of the shaft was frequently meddled with. At last it was found that an owl had taken up its abode in a part of the shaft that afforded a shelter, and in passing in and out it had disturbed the line.

An owl was once beguiled into a Georgia conference meeting, intent on securing a rat that had run into the room to escape from so persistent an enemy. Dazzled by the light he sailed around a few times and alighted upon the bald head of an old man directly in front of the speaker. It is hardly necessary to say what was the next move, but the presence of the owl may have called to the preacher's mind the presence of Isaiah, who, when he foretold the desolation of Babylon, declared that the house should be full of doleful creatures, and that owls should dwell there.

An owl once seriously disturbed the mourners at a funeral at Beechwood, Ontario. With tender care they had placed the remains in a tomb, and were turning away sorrowing, when they heard a "moan" that seemed to come from the coffin. Hurriedly they broke the casket open, only to find all quiet within, and then it was discovered that the noise they had heard came from owls at the far end of the vault.

Dodsley thought it worth his while to write an ode on the death of an owl, and Broomfield made the bird the subject of his muse. Many persons believe that an owl will keep his eyes so intently fixed on a person walking around him as to wring his own neck off, and it was not until some quick-eyed observer discovered that when the owl had turned his head half round, he whisked it back through the whole circle with the rapidity of lightning, and faced again the person who was experimenting on him.—*Pewaukee Journal.*

Wealth of the Ocean.

Sailing in the John Williams northeast of Lord Howe's Island, at dawn of December 19th last, the ocean swarmed with small fish resembling sprats. Sea birds hovered above, gorging to their hearts' content. Shortly afterward shoals of bonito (Thynnus pelamys) came along in hot pursuit. With half a dozen pearl oyster-hooks, and no bait whatever, in less than an hour we caught one hundred and sixteen bonito, the greater part of which was salted down. Throughout the day we were slowly sailing through a countless multitude of bonito. After Captain Turpie had desired the fishers to cease their occupation (as our salt was done), one or two furtively and cruelly amused themselves by catching these fine fish and throwing them back alive into the ocean. We might easily have caught a couple of thousand before sunset. Throughout the following night the sea was illuminated; for as the bonito rushed through the water near the surface they became phosphorescent—a sight never to be forgotten by those who witnessed it. Toward daybreak, however, a strong breeze sprang up, and we saw no more of those moving masses of fire. The bonito belongs to the mackeral family. It is usually thirty inches in length and twenty inches round; and of a steel-blue color, with four stripes along each side. The flesh is of a dark color, and proved an acceptable change of diet to all on board.—*W. Wyatt Gill.*

The Rewards of Health.

To recreate the body three things are necessary—to sweat, to pant, to feel the heart leap. Let no languid women or effeminate men deceive themselves. If they seek firm flesh, clear eyes and skin, a lion's heart and the carriage of an Arab, they must discommode themselves. The rewards of health are not for sluggards. When athletes, who now number among them most men and some women, dry their pores, they know that the wet and the heat are signs that they are burning and washing waste matter from their bodies. When they exhale their deep breaths, they know that the same process is going on, and that, too, their blood is being renewed. And when their leaping pulses prove that the rich fluid is taking new life to their remotest toe and finger tips, they know the victory is theirs. The blouse and short skirt are not fairly matched against drapery trailed upon piazzas and Prince Alberts displayed in club windows. The prizes of life which can be won go to the physically fit. Whether it is a question of fun, or work, or irritation, dawdlers, dudes and æsthetes, male or female, are not "in it" with those who are masters of their powers. We have no quarrel with those of a different mind. To us the game is seen worth the candle.—*N. Y. Times.*

—Another industry is now open to women. In an establishment on Center street, New York, they are employed as gold beaters. The proprietor asserts that while not equal to men in physical strength they are superior in carefulness and delicacy of workmanship.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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CROP REPORT.

WASHINGTON, October 7.—The cotton crop report for the Memphis district, embracing West Tennessee, North Mississippi, North Arkansas and North Alabama, to be issued to-morrow by Messrs. Hill, Fontaine & Co., will say: "The weather during the month of September has been unfavorable to the growing cotton crop. The hot dry weather, which was a continuance of the drouth extending back through August, prevailed throughout the district until the 20th of September, when excessive rains fell, principally in Arkansas and Tennessee. The drouth had materially affected the plant and the rains which subsequently fell in many localities added to the damage already sustained. The favorable prospects indicated in the July report, which at that time promised an increased yield in this district, have been changed. Cotton in the main has not fruited well, neither has the plant retained its square bolls. From all over the district serious damage is reported from the drouth, rust and excessive rains. These have caused a general revision of the prospective yield which as now indicated will be 17½ per cent. less than last year. The weather since these reports were furnished has been more seasonable, and a continuance of the favorable conditions, together with the late frost, will improve a large proportion of the growing crop, especially in the bottoms, which would reduce the per centage of decrease and probably make the yield in the Memphis district approximate that of last year. Corn has not suffered to the same extent as cotton and there will be ample raised to more than supply the demands of this section of the country.

MERIDIAN CONGRESS.

The International Meridian Congress reconvened at the State Department at noon yesterday and resumed discussion of the resolution proposing to select Greenwich as the prime meridian. The French delegates still insist upon Paris as the prime meridian. Members of the Congress say they are no nearer reaching an agreement than they were on the day they met, and owing to the opposition of the French delegates to Greenwich, doubt whether any agreement will be reached. If it were not for this opposition unanimous action recommending that the line pass through Greenwich might soon be taken.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs has made arrangements for the removal of the Tonkawa Indians from Texas to the Iowa reservation in the Indian Territory.

Secretary Teller left Washington last night for New York, where he will visit the President for a day or two. He will then go to Colorado and expects to return to Washington in about a month. The annual report of the bureau officers of the Interior Department will soon be ready, but the Secretary has decided not to give them to the public until after his return from his western trip.

Suicide of an Immigrant.

NEW YORK, October 7.—An immigrant named Christopher Friedel, committed suicide on the North German Lloyd steamer Frilda, during her recent voyage from Bremen. She left there on September 24. When two hours out Friedel jumped overboard. A boat was lowered and the man was rescued but in an unconscious condition. He was placed in the steerage hospital where he was resuscitated after considerable difficulty. Shortly before the ship reached Southampton and while Friedel was in the hospital he asked the attendant to call his wife. The attendant was not gone more than five minutes, but on his return he found Friedel suspended from the ceiling by his suspenders. He had hanged himself and when discovered was dead. He leaves a wife and seven children. Mrs. Friedel has 2,000 marks with her and has a balance of 4,500 marks with her banker in Germany. She says she was well to do when Friedel married her, and that she had supported him since. They had started for Marietta, Ohio, where they were to have settled on a farm. When Friedel learned that his wife had brought but 2,000 marks with her the vessel was leaving Bremen. He expostulated with her and finally became frantic, it was then he made the first attempt at suicide.

Funeral of Frank Chanfrau.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., October 7.—A funeral long to be remembered in this place was that of Frank S. Chanfrau, the actor, which took place Sunday at one o'clock at his late home in Cedar Avenue. There was no attempt at display, and the services were the simple and impressive ritual of the Episcopal Church, but on every hand there was the most abundant signs of a deep and widespread sorrow for the loss of a man whose life has been exemplary in every respect and whose sterling good qualities have endeared him to everyone. The pallbearers were John W. Albaugh, manager of the Holiday Street Theater, Baltimore; William Henderson, Charles Gaylor, J. H. McVicker, Ham C. Glenn, Oliver Dowd Byron, E. L. Tilton and Dr. J. A. Pemberton.

The Fraudulent Louisville Distillers in Canada.

DETROIT, October 7.—It is now definitely known that Andrew and George C. Buchanan, the fraudulent Louisville, Ky., distillers, who so mysteriously disappeared from that city about September 31 last, are quietly sojourning in Windsor, Ont., opposite Detroit, and that they are contemplating the establishment of a distillery or a large liquor store in that city, providing the necessary licenses can be obtained from the Canadian Government.

Trades and Labor Organization.

CHICAGO, October 7.—Delegates are arriving to attend the annual convention of the Federated Trade and Labor Organization of the United States and Canada, which begins here to-day. The delegates will be welcomed in addresses by the Hon. Julius Grinnell and the President of the Trades Union. There will be a banquet Thursday evening and a public meeting Friday, at which the question of convict labor will be discussed. Four hundred delegates are pected.

Twenty-Six Cows Burned to Death.

BENNINGTON, Vt., October 7.—On Saturday evening a large barn belonging to Warren Clemens of West Dorset, was struck by lightning and totally destroyed. In it were 100 tons of hay and twenty-six cows; all perished.

THE DOMINION.

Sir John McDonald Gone to Europe for Aid for the Canadian Pacific—The Windsor Hotel Burned.

QUEBEC, October 7.—Sir John McDonald has put a definite conclusion to the controversy respecting the location of the eastern extension to the Atlantic of the Canadian Pacific Railroad. The Premier made known yesterday his reasons for declaring that Quebec shall be the summer port and Halifax the winter port of the railway. He says the Dominion has expended millions of dollars in constructing the Canadian Pacific north of Lake Superior which might have been saved but for the determination to avoid the territory of the United States, and to be consistent the Government cannot now yield to the determined efforts of the syndicate to secure the subsidy in Quebec province and the State of Maine to Portland, thus diverting Canadian trade to an American seaport.

MONTREAL, October 7.—Sir John MacDonald, the Canadian Premier, and George Stephen, President of the Canada Pacific Railroad, left yesterday for New York to take the Cunard Steamer for England, with the support of the Dominion Government. Mr. Stephen proposes to establish a line of steamers in connection with the Canada Pacific road between British Columbia and China and Japan. Mr. Stephen says the steamers will be much finer than those sailing from San Francisco, and that the route from Yokohama to Europe, via the Canadian Pacific, will be shorter by three days than by San Francisco. Mr. Stephen will also make financial arrangements for building the Manitoba and Southwestern and other Canadian Pacific branch lines in the Northwest.

KINGSTON, October 7.—The Windsor Hotel was entirely destroyed by fire before daylight yesterday morning, the guests narrowly escaping with their lives. George McMahon, a telegraph operator, jumped from a third-story window and had his leg broken. A female servant was severely burned. The loss is estimated at $40,000. An explosion of gas caused the fire.

FIRE IN A COPPER MINE.

Eleventh Level of the Calumet and Hecla Mine on Fire—Three Men Suffocated—Several Others Injured.

HANCOCK, Mich., October 7.—Saturday night fire was discovered in an idle portion of the Hecla branch of the Calumet and Hecla mine in the eleventh level, between Nos. 3 and 4 shafts, where, for several years, wooden wedges from timber were made. The accumulation of chips and shavings, partly saturated with oil, through some unknown cause, became ignited. Several men sent down Saturday night to use the hose were driven back by the smoke. Thomas Gribble was suffocated and could not be rescued.

Sunday morning, John Rapson, with three other volunteers, descended to examine the pumps and attempt to recover Gribble's body. After going a short distance they were driven back. Rapson was overcome. He was seen to fall back, but his comrades could not return to him. Other volunteers, among them R. Berryman, descended to rescue Rapson's body. Three men were overcome, Berryman made strenuous efforts to save his comrades. He ran to the shaft for air, and returning threw the three men into the car. Then he ran out for more air, and returned and rang the bell. The car raised the three unconscious men. Berryman was almost exhausted. The recovery of the third is doubtful.

There is danger of the fire reaching the tramway, which is saturated with oil and may conduct the fire to the other level. The extent or progress of the fire is unknown. The mine is filled with smoke. The shafts are being closed to prevent a draft. Great fear and excitement prevails. This is the first underground fire in the Lake Superior copper mines, and the first suspension of work in this great copper producer since the strike of 1873. The mine is heavily timbered with pine, which is very inflammable. A large gang have descended to fight the fire.

John McCullough Going to Hot Springs.

ST. LOUIS, October 7.—John McCullough arrived here Sunday morning and went to the Southern Hotel, where he now remains the guest of John W. Norton, manager of the Grand Opera House. Mr. McCullough comes here at the invitation of Dr. J. M. Keller, of Hot Springs. He and McCullough were friends together in Louisville, and believing that a trip to the Springs would be a benefit to the tragedian, Keller invited him there and is to meet him in St. Louis to-day. If after the medical examination Mr. McCullough is found able to stand the trip to Hot Springs, Dr. Keller will take him there immediately. Mr. Norton says that Mr. McCullough shows no signs of softening of the brain and that he converses freely on all subjects. He believes a short season of rest and quiet will place the tragedian upon his feet again.

A Complicated Elopement.

BARRINGTON, N. H., October 7.—Five weeks ago Timothy Capen, a well-to-do farmer, disappeared in company with his son's mother-in-law, Mrs. William Freeman. Capen returned alone in eight days and Mrs. Freeman followed two days after. Both assert that there has been nothing unlawful in their intercourse and that their elopement was designed merely to remove Mrs. Freeman for a time from the cruelty of her husband. The outcome is an odd complication. Freeman sues Capen for $3,000 damages, while both Mrs. Capen and Mrs. Freeman have filed bills of divorce.

A Well-Known Editor to be Married.

WASHINGTON, October 7.—John R. McLean, editor and proprietor of the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, will be married this morning in this city to Miss Emily T. Beale, daughter of General E. F. Beale, of Washington. The wedding will be strictly private and in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the two families. Rev. William E. Leonard, of St. John's Episcopal Church, will officiate. Mr. McLean will leave at once for Ohio and take an active part in the campaign.

Convicted of Appropriating Postoffice Funds.

BALTIMORE, October 7.—In the United States District Court yesterday James C. Dougherty pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling and converting to his own use certain money order funds, amounting to $3,335.84. He was sentenced to three years in jail and to pay a fine of $3,335.84. Dougherty was the clerk in the Baltimore Postoffice Money Department.

They Want Canadian Steamboat Captains.

OTTAWA, Ont., October 7.—In addition to the Canadian contingents sent to Egypt to join the Gordon relief expedition, the Imperial Government has cabled for eight steamboat captains used to light draft vessels to be sent over immediately to join the boatmen at Alexandria. The captains will sail from Quebec next Saturday for Liverpool.

The fault with most all cough preparations is that they contain morphia and are absolutely injurious to the stomach and nerves. That simple preparation of wild cherry bark, called Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, contains no morphia and yet will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other compound. It is the only reliable cure for consumption.

Help Yourself.

People who have been bolstered up and levered all their lives are seldom good for anything in a crisis. When misfortune comes they look around for something to cling to or leap upon. If the prop is not there, down they go.

Once down, they are as helpless as capsized turtles, or unhorsed men in armor, and cannot find their feet again without assistance.

Such silken fellows no more resemble self-made men, who have fought their way to position, making difficulties their stepping stones, and deriving determination from defeat, than vines resemble oaks, or sputtering rush-lights the stars of heaven. Efforts persisted into achievements train a man to self-reliance, and when he has proven to the world that he can trust himself the world will trust him.

It is unwise to deprive young men of the advantages which result from their own energetic action by "boosting them over obstacles which they ought to surmount alone.

Many who long suffered from urinary and digestive diseases, causing nervousness, weakness and debility, after trying bitters, kidney medicines, iron medicines, etc., without benefit, have found permanent relief in from one to three bottles of Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaprilla, the only perfect blood purifier and strengthener. Hundreds of letters to the proprietors have testified to its superiority over the many pretended cures so largely advertised by means of bogus certificates that are bought and paid for.

Astronomy is a beautiful science. We are told that if a railway was to run from the earth to the nearest fixed star, and the fare was one penny for every hundred miles, and if you were to take a mass of gold to the ticket-office equal to twice the national debt—or $3,800,000,000—it would not be sufficient to pay for a ticket to the nearest fixed star aforesaid. If this be the case, it matters very little to us whether such a railway is ever constructed. It would be discouraging to go to the ticket-office with a mass of gold equal to $3,800,000,000, and be informed that the fare was $5,678,032,000. If the ticket agent wouldn't trust until we got back, we'd be compelled to forego the trip.—*Norristown Herald.*

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ESTATE OF THOMAS MARSHALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Garrett Marshall, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of a instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. ow1

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Maria Brewer, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 31st day of October, 1884, and on the 28th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 30th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Oct. 2, 1884.

E. B. WOOD,
P. S. McKINNON,
Commissioners.

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ESTATE OF RUFUS R. HALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 12th day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary J. Hall, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner and Francis Silvester, nominated executor in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOHN F. SCHREDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 17th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John F. Schreder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Israel H. Schreder and William H. Arner, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate and the specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will and praying for the allowance of their final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 8, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 454, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent. to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west, on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parallel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning, excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24, 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL, Assignee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Assignee. sep25

GUARDIAN SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minor by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1884, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of November, A.D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided half of all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of a street which starts nearly opposite Brown street in said village and runs easterly from Mill street to Maumee street in said village, seventeen (17) rods easterly from the east line of said Mill street; thence running southerly at right angles with said south line of said street nineteen (19) rods to a point met by producing easterly the southerly line of a lot formerly owned and occupied by Robert Stewart on its own course; thence easterly along said line produced easterly as aforesaid six (6) rods; thence northwardly parallel with first course nineteen rods to said south line of said street running easterly from Mill street to Maumee street as aforesaid, thence westerly along said south line of said street six rods to place of beginning.

Terms of sale, cash.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, Sept. 23d, 1884.

FREDERICK GMOHLING, Guardian of said Minor.

ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edward L. Russell, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased the expenses of last sickness and burial of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 9, 1884.

Blaine has written another letter of denial, but strange to say, he forgot to say a word about the Mulligan letters.

The fusion county ticket improves with age. As the county canvass progresses, the strength of the ticket becomes more and more apparent. Every nominee has a special fitness for the office he seeks, and every one has personal strength in his own locality. Never, since 1856, have the Democracy of Lenawee County gone into a contest with better candidates to vote for or with brighter prospects of success.

Gov. Cleveland struck the key-note of the campaign, in his brief and manly address to his old neighbors in Buffalo when he spoke these words:

Because I love my state and her people I cannot refrain from reminding you that she should be in the van of every movement which promises a safer and better administration of the General Government, so closely related to her prosperity and greatness. And let me leave you with the thought that your safety lies in impressing upon the endeavor of those entrusted with the guardianship of your rights and interests a pure, patriotic and exacting popular sentiment. The character of the government can hardly rise higher than the source from which it springs and the integrity and faithfulness of public servants are not apt to be greater that the people demand.

Gov. Cleveland paid Buffalo a visit last Thursday and was accorded an ovation such as no man ever received before in that city. Uniformed clubs were present from all the adjoining countries and over seventeen thousand torch bearers were in line. A drizzling rain fell during the entire afternoon and evening but it did not dampen the enthusiasm of the men who had turned out to welcome the reform Governor to his old home. For two hours the procession marched past the Genessee House, formed eight men abreast. It was the greatest demonstration ever witnessed in the state, outside of New York city. Buffalo has answered the malicious, slanderous attacks upon Gov. Cleveland with no uncertain sound.

The Philadelphia Times, an Independant Republican paper, in its comments on the grand Cleveland demonstration at Buffalo, says:

Gov. Cleveland was welcome to Buffalo yesterday by a formal address from a committee of prominent business Republicans, in which they say that "without honesty wisdom is mere craft and cozenage," and they add, obviously as one of their chief reasons for supporting Cleveland for President, that "we prefer an honest Democrat to a dishonest Republican." Mr. Blaine has been greeted by scores of thousands of people in leading centers from Maine to Ohio, but we cannot recall an instance in which Democrats welcomed him with the declaration that "we prefer an honest Republican to a dishonest Democrat" nor can we recall a single instance in which even the most zealous of partisans has introduced Mr. Blaine to a popular assembly as the accepted representative of honest government.

The states of West Virginia and Ohio hold their state elections on Tuesday next, Oct. 14th. The battle in both states is hotly contested, and in Ohio especially it is, without an exception, the most stubborn political fight ever waged in that state. What are the probabilities? West Virginia is properly Democratic. That state should give a Democratic majority of from 3,000 to 5,000. The Greenback fusion with the Republicans will reduce the former majorities there, but still the state should be held by the Democrats by at least 3,000 majority. Ohio is a Republican state. It has never swevered from its allegiance to that party in the presidential year since the party was organized. Four years ago, Ohio gave 19,027 majority in October and gave Garfield 34,000 majority. There is no reason to suppose that Ohio should not hold her own next Tuesday. The Republicans have every advantage in this contest—the speakers, the money, the presence and guidance of both candidates. If Ohio scores less than 20,000 Republican majority next Tuesday, it will be a defeat. If the majority should rise to 25,000 or 30,000, the battle ground will be transferred to New York and Blaine will still have to fight for that state. If Ohio's majority shall drop to 10,000, Cleveland's election will become a certainty.

TEMPERANCE DEPARTMENT.

EDITED BY A COMMITTEE OF THE UNION PROHIBITION PARTY.

Motto:—No License for the Liquor Traffic in any form or for any price.

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For President—John P. St. John, of Kansas.
For Vice Pres't—William Daniel, of Maryland.

LETTER FROM ST. JOHN.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 30, 1884.—The secretary of the national prohibition party furnishes the following letter of acceptance from Governor St. John, the candidate of that party for President of the United States:—

OLATHE, Kan., Sept. 26, 1884.

Hon Samuel Dickie, Chairman of the Committee, &c.,

MY DEAR SIR:—In formally accepting the nomination for President tendered to me by the National Prohibition Convention at Pittsburg, Pa., July 23, 1884, I take the opportunity to state while the honor was neither sought nor desired by me, yet it is greatly appreciated, bestowed as it was by a convention composed of delegates in point of real worth and mental ability were fully equal if not superior to those of any political convention that ever assembled in this country. The war for the Union is over. The rebellion has been crushed. African slavery has been abolished. The old issues have passed away, and with them should go the old prejudices and sectional strife. Today the products of the North and South float in friendly relations in the same channels, under the same flag, every section of our country acknowledging allegiance to the same government.

DUTY OF THE PEOPLE.

There never was a time when our people could better afford to, and when it was more important that they should, stop and think than now. With manufactories shutting down, banks breaking, merchants failing in business, securities unsettled, Western wheat selling at the home market for forty cents per bushel and hundreds of thousands of industrious mechanics and laboring men who are willing to work but can get nothing to do, it seems to me that the time has come for the people, who are the source of all political power, to call a halt and stop and think, for there must be a reason for this condition of things.

The little time and space the old parties can spare after dealing out the full measure of personal abuse and vilification that each seems to think the other merits is mainly devoted to the discussion of the tariff question, ignoring all matters that relate to the moral elevation of the people. I am of the opinion that the manufacturer who, by reason of the depressed condition of business, has been compelled to make an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, will not find relief in the agitation of that question now, nor will the average farmer become enthusiastic over its discussion, with his wheat not worth so much in the bin as it cost him to produce it.

THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

The amount received by the government for duties on imports is less than $200,000,000 annually. There are about 175,000 retail dealers in intoxicating liquors in the United States, each of whom pays to our government $25, in consideration of which sum they are permitted to carry on their business for a term of twelve months. When we add to this the amount paid by distillers, brewers, and wholesale dealers, we find that the interest of the government in the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors is about $80,000,000 annually. This traffic, sanctioned as it is by the laws of our country, costs the people, at a low estimate, a thousand million dollars a year, not to speak of the destroyed homes, debauched manhood, poverty, heartaches, crime and corruption it produces. This disgraceful business should be suppressed, and the enormous sum of money that under the present system is worse than thrown away, saved to the people, and thus a protection would be given to the industries of this country that would enable us successfully to throw our doors open wide to the competition of the world.

A NATIONAL QUESTION.

The republican and democratic parties favor the continuance of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, while the prohibition party demands that the same shall be forever suppressed. Thus an issue is presented to the people in which is involved the protection of every home in the land. It is not a mere local issue either, but it is a national as well as a practical question, upon which a large and respectable body of citizens—against whose convictions party discipline is powerless—have decided to vote, and they will not be found halting between the two opinions touching this matter, but will work and pray and vote against this great evil, until it is driven from our land, never to return. The government is simply a reflex of the individuals composing it. We want an honest, sober people, but we can never have an honest, sober people so long as the government sanctions that which makes its citizens dishonest, drunken and corrupt.

WHAT THE COUNTY NEEDS.

The declaration of principles, which I heartily indorse, as set forth in the platform of the prohibition party, is entitled to the thoughtful consideration and earnest support of all good citizens, without regard to locality or former political affiliation. Our country needs an administration that will rise above mere partizan considerations, and in the selection of public officials make honesty, sobriety and efficiency and not service to party the test. It should be conducted not in the interest of any particular section, party, race or color, but in the interest of the whole people. To accomplish this all good citizens should promptly step to the front and be counted for the right. This is no time for dodging. Moral cowardice will never win, and surely never deserves victory.

Then let us look to God for His guidance, and fearlessly and faithfully do our whole duty, never doubting that He will take care of the results.

Very truly your friend,

JOHN P. ST. JOHN.

The prohibitionists want a prohibitory law. They mean business, they want a party that will make a prohibitory law and sustain it; they want a party that isn't afraid of prohibition in the cities or of whiskey in towns. They want a party composed of men who can be relied upon. They have been democrats or republicans as long as there was anything left in those parties that was of more importance than temperance. Democrats are voting the prohibition ticket because they care nothing for the other tickets of the party. Republicans have stayed by their party till all war questions have been settled and the temperance question is the only great issue of the day with them. They don't care any longer whether republicans or democrats win so long as both parties stand on a beer keg for a platform and wear old rye overcoats.

The Democrats as a party say: No sumptuary laws, no infringement of personal liberty, but high license and no prohibition. That's the party shibboleth; that's its profession. Its members are temperate, but are advocates of license, and moral influence as a means of controlling the liquor traffic. Of course prohibitionists can't expect any aid from them as a party. The republican party is—that's where the shoe pinches; its position is one of those things which "no feller can find out." The republicans living in the towns are strongly in favor of prohibition. They are republicans but outspoken in temperance views. The city republicans are very largely anti-temperance. They drink beer, guzzle tangleleg, and damn prohibition with equal vigor. * * * * * *

In this state, if temperance men were all that prohibitionists want, they should support Begole for Alger takes his nip, and Begole is a red-hot rabid temperance man. But democrats do not ask prohibitionists to support Begole, with any hope of or expectation that he will secure prohibition legislation. He is put forward as a party candidate pledged to his party the same as Alger is and is just as much entitled to the prohibition vote as Alger and no more. Therefore, men who believe in prohibition must stand by the party that openly advocates it, or else merit the contempt of every body for insincerity. If you want to stay a republican, do so, but for the sake of consistency keep your mouth shut about your being a good temperance man and you don't want your party licked by democrats. That's what disgusts all classes. Either fish or cut bait.—Adrian Press.

IS IT RIGHT?

Is it right for men who profess and call themselves Christians to pray "lead us not into temptation," and then needlessly expose themselves to the influence of drinks which have tempted and ruined thousands?

Is it right for men to ask God to "Give us this day our daily bread," and then support a system which licenses men to destroy the good grain by converting it into body and soul destroying drink?

Is it right to build churches, chapels and schools to help save the people, and at the same time license men and women to open shops in which liquors are sold which will destroy the people?

Is it right to license a man to sell drink which will make people drunk, and then fine men and women for getting drunk?

Is it right to license men to make paupers and criminals, and tax sober and virtuous people to pay rates to keep them?

Is it right to derive a revenue out of a system which demoralizes and degrades the people?

Is it right for people to wish the temperance cause success, and at the same time continue to drink and support the liquor traffic?

Is it right for any man or woman who wishes well to their country to stand aloof from the only certain cure for our national intemperance?

The most thoroughly confident and aggressive political party now in the field is the prohibition. Strike a prohibitionists regarding his favorite theme and at once you find him wide-awake, boastful, and if you desire it, ready to "argy" at the "drop of the hat." You may feel that you have no time for this; that business is pressing and you must be off. Not so with the zealot of prohibition. He is ready in a "divine second" to turn the customer in his store over to the clerk and spend half an hour in debate with you, or sit down on a job at $2 per day and take the risk of discharge to "argy" the question of prohibition and set up the most glowing claims of strength and devotion of his party this year.—Adrian Record.

The Adrian Times opens up quite severely upon Prof. Dickie and seems to feel badly because the professor does not advocate the temperance question in a manner to suit the Times.

After reading the recent editorials in that paper one is led to struggle with this question—"Were I to select a man for an example and temperance Apostle for my boy, would it be Mr. Applegate or Mr. Dickie?" It don't require much of a struggle either, to arrive at positive conclusions. The trouble with Tom and prohibition is that he has a horrid fear of the search and seizure clause.

WIDE AWAKE, the coming year, will be strong in the element of romantic adventure demanded by the healthy American boy. Charles Egbert Craddock, who is announced to furnish the leading serial for the *Atlantic Monthly*, furnishes also the leading Wide Awake serial. It is entitled "Down the Ravine," and is a powerful story of life among the young Tennessee mountaineers. The serial by Elbridge S. Brooks, "In Leisler's Times," and its sequel, "The Governor's Daughter," is a true tale of exciting events in the early history of New York City, in which participated more than one brave Knickerbocker boy, along with battery bears, wolves and Colonial guns. There is "A Group of Four True Western Stories," "A Group of Four True New England Stories," and "A Group of Four True Plantation Stories" (the last by Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont), each and all of stirring adventure. Then there is a Hawaiian adventure, "How the Boojums went down the Crater," written by the ten Boojums, and a Buffalo Hunt," by Lieutenant Wood, and "A Dahabeih Wreck," by Julian Arnold, and many other true records of adventure.

The Sham and the Real.

Every good thing has its hosts of imitators: every genuine article its counterfeits. Bad manners and wicked habits have theirs also, but he who shams the bad never boasts of it, while they who ape the virtues of the good, or simulate the genuine never hesitate to place the counterfeit before the public in their most alluring forms. When these people imitate they always choose a pronounced type, or popular subject to copy from; and when they claim to be "as good as" So and So, or sell an article "equal to" So and So, the public may depend upon it that Mr. So and So and his article are always the best of the kind. Thus the sham is always proving the genuine merit of the thing it copies.

A firm of enterprising gentlemen produced and popularize an article of household use, such as the Royal Baking powder, whose convenience, usefulness, and real merit make for it an immense and universal sale. A hundred imitators arise on every hand and as they hold out their sham articles to the public, yelp in chorus, "Buy this, it's just as good as Royal, and much cheaper." The Royal Baking powder is the standard the world over, and its imitators in their cry that theirs is "as good as Royal" are all the time emphasizing this fact. In their laborious attempts to show by analysis and otherwise that the "Snowball" brand has as much raising power "as the Royal"; or that the "Resurrection" powder is as wholesome "as the Royal"; or that the "Earthquake" brand is "pure as the Royal," as well as by their contortive twistings of chemical certificates and labored efforts to obtain recognition from the Government chemists and prominent scientists who have certified the superiority of Royal over all others, they all admit the "Royal" to be the acme of perfection, which it is their highest ambition to imitate. But the difference between the real and these imitations, which copy only its general appearance, is as wide as that between the paste and the true diamond. The shams pay homage to the "Royal."

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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH NORCROSS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 3d day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present: Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Jacob G. Roberts, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all the legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and that no assets belonging to said estate remains in his hands, and praying for the allowance of his final account now on file in this court, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such further order as may be necessary for the final settlement of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF CHARLES HEWITT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 6th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Hewitt, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles T. Hewitt, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid all the expenses in the settlement of said estate thus far incurred, and in part further upon the legacies under said will, and praying for the allowance of his second account (now on file in this court) as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

SEED POTATOES.—Pure Early Rose, Clark's No. 1, White Star, St. Patrick, White Elephant and Mammoth Pearl. For sale at reasonable prices. ABNER WILSON.

LADIES TAKE NOTICE.—Having gone into the millinery business again I would invite the ladies of Ridgeway and vicinity to call and examine goods and prices.
MRS. G. W. JACKSON.

CIDER APPLES WANTED.—Cash for cider apples at J. B. Hause & Bros.' mill, at Clinton. We take our apples by weight, 50 lbs. per bush. J. B. HAUSE & BRO.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses. SLAYTON & SON.

Garlinghouse Brothers, who carried off first prize on best span of matched carriage horses at the county fair, have sold their team to R. T. Rush, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

A new slate roof is being put on the Babtist church. The trustees have made a wise decision in adopting a good and durable roof, even at a greater present cost. The church has needed a new roof for some time.

Dr. Higgins so well known to all in Lenawee county as the successful physician in all deseases of a chronic nature, is on his return from a very successful trip through the northern part of the state, and will be found at his old quarters at the Lilley House, Tecumseh, from Friday, Oct. 10, to Sunday, '12. Come early in his stay and avoid rush of closing days.

Adrian Record: Tecumseh young men have organized a society to be known as the "X. B. D." society and have "hired a hall." We are not in possession of the key to the cabal, but by means of triangulation we have arrived at the solution. "X. B. D." signifies "Xtra Bad Duffers." If this is not correct of course we are willing to be enlightened. We don't pretend to know everything.

FARMERS CLUB.

According to the adjournment of the Farmers' Social Club at the Lakes, the club met at the residence of Mr. Jno. Benedict, Friday afternoon Sept. 26th. There was a good attendance of members and quite a number of visitors from a distance favored the club with their presence. As there had been no programme previously prepared for the meeting, the most of the time was spent in visiting and discussing the questions of the day until about 4 P. M., when the meeting was called to order by the President, for the regular dispatch of business. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by the Secretary, Mr. Geo. Griswold called the attention of the club to the fact that since our last meeting that it had pleased an all wise Providence to remove from our midst by death, one of our esteemed members, therefore

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to draft resolutions expressive of the feelings of the club, whereupon the following were appointed such committee: E. Russell, Geo. Griswold and F. V. Horton, who presented the fol owing preamble and resolutions which were adopted:

Whereas, The Farmers' Social Club of Tecumseh and Clinton has experienced its first loss by death in the person of Rufus R. Hall, who has been one of its worthy meinbers from its first organization, therefore

Resolved, That in the death of Mr. Rufus R. Hall this club has lost a good and worthy member and fellow citizen, we therefore tender our sincere sympathies to the family and friends in their bereavement.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records and presented to the family of the deceased, and also published in the Tecumseh HERALD.

After partaking of a plentiful repast of the luxuries of the table, prepared by the good hostess, the club adjourned to meet at the residence of Austin G. Hall, Friday afternoon, Oct. 24th at 2 P. M., sharp.

Programme for next meeting:
Select Reading—A. G. Hall.
Essay—Mrs. F. C. Rector.
Select Reading—Mrs. F. V. Horton.
Essay—Mr. A. Richard.
Question for discussion—"The feeding and care of stock for profit."

F. V. HORTON, Sec'y.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Trade is growing better.

The lemonade trade is falling off.

Political straws are getting shorter.

Adamson's line of presents cannot be excelled.

Capt. D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in town yesterday.

Newly sown wheat should thrive under the present weather.

Don,t fail to hear Sau Ah Brah Saturday evening at the Opera House.

B. L. Baxter was at home on a flying visit last Tuesday.

Is it not time for some one to stand up and predict a cold winter?

The forest trees have began to put on the gaudy robes of autumn.

It is reported that Mort Hendershot will soon start a paper in Clinton.

Geo. Mangus, of Milan, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Examine those beautiful marble, brass, bronze and plush clocks at Adamson's.

Ell Hand and Geo. Smith captured 10 pickerel in the Brownville pond the other day.

Henry Smith has had a new sidewalk laid in front of his residence on Mill street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strong, of Lawrence, Kansas, are visiting friends in Tecumseh.

W. T. Eccles is papering, painting and otherwise renovating his confectionery store.

Hi. Henry's band furnished our citizens some excellent music on the streets yesterday afternoon.

Geo. W. McBride, of Grand Haven, addressed a Republican meeting at the Opera House on Tuesday evening last.

New Carpets and Rugs—our new fall stock now open—shall be glad to show them. W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

Fin Deuel, of Sparta, arrived home yesterday and returned to-day. He believes that short calls make long friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Buzzard, of Ischua, N. Y., spent a few days visiting George Griswold's and Carl Roberts' families.

The last campaign speech of Capt. Edwin P. Allen, in Lenawee county, will be at the Tecumseh Opera House, Oct. 16, '84.

When you get ready to put up the stove pipe, resolve to whistle while the performance lasts. It will save ugly words.

Kies Bros., Whitenack, Bordine & Co., and W. & S. W. Andersón & Co., have new advertisoments in this week's HERALD.

Quail cannot lawfully be killed except during the months of November and December. Local sportsmen should remember this.

We would call the attention of our readers to the exhibition of fine marble, brass, bronze and plush clocks in Adamson's show window.

Our cloak opening a success—over 50 Cloaks sold the first week—the assortment still very large—come and see them. W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

Mrs. Geo. Mallory, of South Lansing, N. Y., and Mrs. John Cran, of Portland, Oregon, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Geo. Adamson, in this village.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., on Friday evening, Oct. 17. Work in the M. M. degree. A full attendance of the members is requested.

A large crowd attended the Skating Rink last Tuesday to witness the fancy skating of a party of professionals, and seemed to enjoy the evening's amusement.

The long announced cold wave struck us yesterday morning, causing a very rapid fall of temperature, and last night we had the first heavy frost of the season.

Thos. Adamson is devoting his attention to the Optical department of Adamson's establishment, and persons wishing to be fitted with good glasses should call on him.

Hon. Chas. Mosher will address a meeting at Springville, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and at the same time the Prohibitionists will raise a St. John pole.

The Synod of Michigan holds its annual meeting in Monroe this week, and one of its members will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church of this place next Sabbath.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson proposes to have his say on politics anyway. He has announced as his theme, for next Sunday evening, "How We Should Vote." If he can tell in the present campaign, he will put many minds to rest.

A base ball nine composed of High School boys attempted to beat a picked nine from around town last Monday afternoon, but were prevented from so doing by darkness. Five innings were played, the score standing six to seven in the latter's favor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitenack went to Battle Creek on Tuesday to spend a few days.

Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress was exhibited at the Baptist church last Monday evening.

A. W. Slayton is spending a few days on his fruit farm in Muskegon. Move it down here, Gus.

Prof. Laffin has established a flourishing Literary Society in connection with the Clinton High School.

Harry Root is taking a trip to the stations on the M. & O. road this week, buying wheat for Wnf. Hayden.

Hause's cider mill at Clinton is now running regularly, and the apples are pouring in upon them by the car load.

Our citizens will remember that the Stewart-Wilberforce concert company are the same troupe which favored our people with such an excellent entertainment about two years ago.

Frank Bumann received Monday a box filled with oranges and Japanese persimmons from Sorrento, Florida.—Frank owns two orange groves at that place, and as soon as they come into bearing we expect he will supply all his friends without money and without price.

On Wednesday evening next we can safely predict a large audience at our opera house, this being the production of one of the best dramatic sensations and the appearance of the talented young actress, Miss Emma Hendricks. The star and play will be well supported and an enthusiastic audience will no doubt fill the house.

On Tuesday evening next, Oct. 14th, the Stewart-Wilberforce concert company, of Wilberforce University, will give an entertainment at the Tecumseh Opera House consisting of an unlimited collection of the finest camp meeting melodies, together with superb selections of the best secular music of the day, piano and organ solos, dramatic and humorous readings, &c. The variety of the entertainment will rival any thing of the kind ever presented to the public. Do not fail to hear them.

C. W. Clough, Editor of the Brooklyn Exponent, died on Wednesday, Sept. 30. He had been failing in health for several months, and his demise was not unexpected, but still his friends were none the less borne down when the final summons came. He was a young man of exemplary character and of superior newspaper ability. If his life had been spared, a successful business future awaited him in a larger field of usefulness.—His family and friends will receive the sincere sympathy of members of the craft.

It would be good for any person to look at the display of the different kinds of bread and cakes which is made every day at the Star Bakery of Arnold Bros. Their head baker, Mr. Fred Kloffenstein, is a master workman and thoroughly understands the business in all its branches. He informs us that he uses only Heck's pastry flour and that during the many years he has been engaged in the business he has found no better. If he can produce such results from Heck Bros.' pastry flour there is no telling what he could do if he were to use their celebrated patent.

In its last issue the Tecumseh Herald "goes into his hole" in regard to an alleged letter, signed "C. T. C.," which it had printed.—Adrian Times.

Not quite, neighbor. The letter was written as a burlesque letter, it was printed as such, and we venture to say it was construed in that light by every man, woman and child, who had ever read Mr. Blaine's interesting Mulligan correspondence. But we willingly published an explanation, which would set Master Crandall right with his Republican friends who are not posted on the correct political literature of the campaign.

The day Blaine was in Toledo, Jerry Root thought he would "call up" the man from Maine and have a talk with him over the telephone. "Hello, says Jerry, "Hitch me on to the Boody House at Toledo." The connection was made and word went over the wire. "Hello, I wish to interview James G. Blaine of Maine." The reply came back from an attendant, "Mr. Blaine is engaged, send your message to me." "Well sir, the Old Globe Mills here in Tecumseh employ a large force of men, nearly every one of whom will vote for Cleveland, but we have one Butler man in the lot; what will you give for him?" The attendant had business elsewhere just then, and no reply came back.

Adrian Record: M. E. Cole, republican farmer of Palmyra, and Geo. Humphrey, prohibition farmer of the same town, differed in their judgment about the variety to which a certain apple, then under discussion, belonged. Finally the crafty Cole, who knew his ground in advance, proposed to settle the point in this way: If he, Cole, was wrong, he should vote the prohibition ticket at the November election; and if Humphrey was wrong he should vote the republican ticket. The referee decided that Cole was right, and Humphrey is "stuck." Cole has "bulled" the market and Humphrey is a "short" who can "cover" only by getting some one so vote the prohibition ticket in his place.

SWINGING AROUND THE CIRCLE.

Several of the beautiful days which the clerk of the weather has favored us with during the past fortnight have been improved in circulating around among the farmers. With the permission of our readers we will record some of our observations. A newspaper man is always in his element when talking gossip. It is so natural and easy to talk about one's neighbors, and when one can indulge in the gossiping propensity, and mind his own business at the same time it becomes doubly attractive. We confess that these little trips among our country friends are very enjoyable. We get better acquainted with the men, sample the goodies which farmer's wives know so well how to prepare and thus enconomize our own board bill at home, find out the babies names, ascertain where the pretty girls live, and have a jolly time generally.

The present chapter will deal with Ridgeway and Macon residents.

Coonrad Lowe lives about a mile south of Ridgeway village, and works a little farm of 300 acres. He never had better crops than this year, and he has his hands full of business. He is not one of those chronic growlers. He is well satisfied with the current price of most farm crops, but says that seventy-five cents for wheat is altogether "too thin." He has made careful estimates of the cost of raising wheat on several different fields during the past few years, and is convinced that farmers should have one dollar per bushel for their wheat, in order to make wheat raising remunerative. We believe he is right.

Wm. B. Ransom has a snug little home in the suburbs of Ridgeway. Mr. Ransom works about the neighborhood and is always "on a job" for his services are in good demand. Mrs. Ransom has a loom in the kitchen and devotes her attention to weaving rag carpets. She has made a stack of rag carpets during the past two years and is now getting out a very pretty one for Mrs. Wm. R. Wilson.

Dan Allen is threshing this fall. He threshes every fall. Threshing is his business. But he confines his attention to threshing farm crops. He never threshes the children for they never need it. His son Frank is now at Jerome as Station agent on the M. & O. The younger children are good scholars and are brought up in the right path. And Mrs. Allen too is entitled to a good word for our excellent supper there.

Geo. W. Jackson is still hammering away in the well known shop. Mr. Jackson is an enthusiastic St. John man now. Whatever he takes hold of has to move along. He is one of the elders in the St. John church at Ridgeway and he says that the political converts this fall are all on his side.

Morris Kelly has a nice home in the village, and a good farm of about 80 acres about two miles out. Like all farmers this year he feels the weight of close times and low prices, but he is a good philosopher for he takes things as they come and makes the best of them. The boys assist in running the farm.

J. P. Underwood is located just east of Britton. He has a good farm, a fine suit of farm buildings, always drives a splendid team, attends to his knitting and in a few years will have one of the best farms on the turnpike.

Elder Rapp has a neat and commodious home on the corner below the church. He ought to enjoy life, for the flock has prospered under his care during the past two years.

G. W. Underwood has a good place, which he is rapidly converting into a good home. He has lately taken the contract to clean out 230 rods of the big Schreeder Brook drain. He was head over heels in the mud when we called, at work with two scrapers and two teams. There are 1300 rods of ditch in this drain which extends East to the county line. George has one of the biggest slices.

Joe Thackray lives on the old Bramble farm where he has dwelt for eighteen years. Joe is a deciple of Cleveland. He can be "depended upon" in office. He has collected the taxes of Ridgeway for years, and could have the place a dozen years more if he would accept of it. The cares of the office dont make him pine away or lose flesh a particle.

Chas. DuBois has a snug place of 60 acres, and is as happy as a clam at high tide, and he has good reason to be. His farm is all paid for, he has one of the best wives in the county and two smart children, a boy and a girl. He certainly ought to enjoy life.

John Cheever is one of the pioneers of Ridgeway, having moved into that town forty eight years ago. For the past four years he has lived on the Columbus Eaton farm near Britton, but he works both places, being 140 acres in all. Mr. Cheever has a splendid home and family, and is looked up to as one of the most enterprising citizens of Ridgeway.

Geo. W. Smith owns 140 acres of land, has good buildings, a fine new brick house, and is well fixed generally. His farm is cut by the Wabash railway, but he got a good bonus for the damage don him. Mr. Smith has three children, one of whom, a daughter, is now attending school at Raisin Valley Seminary.

Geo. L. Oliver, being an old friend of the family, having worked for Judge Stacy over twenty years ago, of course we could not pass him by. He has a model farm of 140 acres, with a fine house and a splendid family.—His crops this year have been bountiful. He believes in tile drainage, having already put in three miles of tile drain on his farm, and he intends to put in three miles more as soon as possible. He has tested the results of tile drainage in special fields, and gives it as his opinion that the extra crop taken from a field the first season after it is tiled will pay for the tiling. This is especially true if it be a wet season. He is an enthusiastic believer in tile draining and claims that he will have one of the most productive farms in the county, as soon as it is properly drained.

Wm. Randall has rented Jeff Pilbeam's farm on the county line for three years and is getting a good start. At the expiration of his present lease he hopes to be able to buy a place of his own.

Frank Smith works Geo. Exelby's prairie farm. It only contains 300 acres, that's all. Frank was at the rear end of a corn field about a mile long when we called, and we didn't have the moral courage to go out and see him. He has a large field to swing in, and if he doesn't succeed it will be his own fault.

The Gripton Bros. deal in "lasses," that is to say the juice of the sorghum cane. Their new boiling works on Chas. Gripton's farm are the most complete we have seen. They have a fifteen horse boiler and engine, a Cook's evaporator and a finishing vat with a coil of steam pipes in the bottom into which the sap is drawn after it is partly boiled and there finished off. They are crowded with work and are now running night and day.

S. H. Linn is living on the old Flavius Hough farm on the old ridge road, and has a good piece of land which is well tilled. One would hardly expect a sedate looking man of his age to be courting, but so it is. He was on the regular panel for the September term of the Circuit Court. Mrs. Linn knows how to get up a good supper on short notice. If you don't believe it, drop in there some evening as the family are setting down to tea.

John Britton's new store at Britton village is now completed, and he will take possession of the same the last of this week with a post office and a stock of goods.

Thomas Hoagland has made some money at farming anyway, for he is building a beautiful new house on his farm, which will fix him up in nice shape.

Byron A. Beal has 40 acres of land which make him a comfortable home. He devotes most of his time, however to selling agricultural implements for the Ann Arbor Agricultural Company, and has worked up a good trade in the vicinity.

J. A. Hunter lives west of the ridge. He took a wife last Febuary, has now settled down to business and works like a tiger every day. He tills his own farm of 40 acres, his mother's farm of 40 acres, and works Robert Burnett's 40 acres on shares. If hard work and economy will accomplish it, Hunter is bound to get rich.

The foregoing is probably a large enough dose for our readers to take in one week, so we close this chapter.

There was a large crowd at the skating rink last Thursday evening, when the first accident of any consequence happened since its erection. While Mrs. Joe VanNess was skating around the course she suddenly lost her balance and fell, striking her head against the side of the building, giving it a severe bruise. She also hurt her arm. It caused quite a commotion for the time being, and in the excitement the News reporter had the terrible misfortune to lose his false mustache that he was wearing that evening for the amusement of the small boys. After considerable search it was found, and he heaved a sigh of relief as he pasted it in its proper place.

Card of Appreciation.

We all learn some time that "a friend in need is a friend indeed." During the past few days I have fully realized the truthfulness of this quotation, as many friends and neighbors have shown unbounded sympathy which has done so much to lighten the sorrows of a bleeding heart; therefore for myself, as well as for all who mourn the death of the one who was dearest to MY heart and life, I hasten to express many, many thanks.

G. P. WARING.

P. J. Welling and family have again taken up their abode in Tecumseh, and Mr. Welling has opened a repair shop in the old agricultural building opposite the Opera House. We are glad to see his health so much improved and welcome him back to the old home with best wishes for his success.

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LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

The first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Library Association of Tecumseh was held in the Library rooms on Monday evening last. Oscar P. Bills, the treasurer, submitted the following report.

1883.	
Cash received for stock	$645 00
Cash received for fines and temporary members hip	64 70
Total Receipts	$709 70
1883.	
Sept. 18, Rough & Hoesier, books	$29 25
Oct. 2, Stacy Bros. printing catalogues	50 00
" 8, Carpet	24 24
" 13, Tecumseh Lumber co. shelving	8 55
Nov. 4, Postage	10
" " Stove and pipe	15 00
" " Coal	5 00
" " Blank Books	1 95
" " Making carpet	1 86
" 20, County clerk for Incorporating	2 50
" " Railing and incidentals	3 25
1884.	
March 6, Slayton & Kinney Chairs	9 00
" 7, Rent Oct. 1st, 1883 to April 1st '84	25 00
" 13, By paid Lamps and oil	5 40
" 17, Insurance	4 00
Oct. 5, Rent April 1st, to Oct. 1st 1884	25 00
" " Account book	75
" 7, Cash on hand	14 35
	$709 70

The President, P. S. McKinnon announced that there would be three directors to elect for full term of 3 years and two to fill vacancies, also the election of officers. Dr. R. B. House was elected to fill vacancy (2 years) caused by the resignation of Louisa Kaliler and Mrs. Wm. H. Hayden was elected to fill vacancy (1 year) caused by resignation of Jennie Rosacrans Hicks. P. S. McKinnon, A. W. Mills, and Mrs. O. B. DeWolf were elected for full term. The following ing officers for the ensuing year were elected.

Pres.—A. W. Mills.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Wm. Hayden.
Sec.—R. B. House.
Treas.—O. P. Bills.
Collector—Mrs. O. B. DeWolf.

The association carried a motion that tickets should be issued to stockholders entitling them to the privilege of the Library for one year for the sum of one dollar and to those who are not stockholders the same as formerly, namely fifty cents for three months and one dollar and fifty cents for one year. Stockholders will therefore be obliged to procure their tickets on or before Oct. 18, in order to draw books on that date. A committee, of five consisting of A. W. Mills, Mrs. A. P. Lee, Mrs. C. A. Wright, R. B. House and O. P. Bills were appointed to take into consideration the advisability of giving a course of entertainments during the coming winter for the benefit of the association. It is the purpose of the board of Directors if it is thought advisable to give such a course of entertainments to have them first class in every respect and worthy of the patronage of the public. The success of the Library association has been all its most sanguine originators could expect. An average of about 60 books have been drawn every week during the year, and there is no other source of obtaining reading matter in the village in History, Travels, Fiction or Poetry so cheaply as is offerad by this association. There are shares in the capital stock yet untaken and any person can obtain shares at the rate of $5 per share through the collector Mrs. O. B. DeWolf. We earnestly appeal to the public to rally to the support of this association that it may become one of the permanent institutions of Tecumseh, and one of which we all may be proud.

Only a Miner's Daughter.

On Wednesday evening next will be an unusual event in the history of our announcements, the occasion being the appearance of that powerful organization, the 5th Avenue Comedy Company of New York, consisting of an eminent array of well known artists, and the play one of artistic excellence, entitled "Only a Miner's Daughter"—a strong plot—laughable comedy situations and sensational pictures interspersed throughout the play, combining all the elements that please an audience, and sustained by so excellent a company, it will surely be received in our village by a large house. Tickets can be procured at Adamson's after Monday.

Commissioner Innes says the M. & O. railway company have fully decided to build a road from Monteith to Grand Rapids, parallel with the G. R. & I. and thence to Muskegon. The M. & O. people do not find their arrangements with the West Michigan quite satisfactory, and have determined to reach the cities named by a road of their own.—Allegan Gazette.

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—Ink stains may be removed from wood by washing with a solution of chloride of lime in vinegar.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—The object of plowing is not merely to invert the soil but to pulverize it. Old ground is like mortar when plowed wet, and will not break up and become mellow; hence it might as well be planted without plowing at all. Sward ground will be partially pulverized by the elements evolved by the decomposition of the grass roots in the soil.—*Prairie Farmer.*

—Waffles: Three eggs beat well together, then add a little milk, and then beat in flour—half flour and half grits—that has been boiled and cold; just before baking add a teaspoonful of soda.—*Boston Budget.*

—Fried tomatoes: Take ripe tomatoes, cut them in halves and fry them on both sides in hot lard and butter. Place them upon a hot dish and serve. This dish makes an excellent breakfast relish.—*Caterer.*

—Unlike most other fruits, autumn and winter pears should be gathered from the tree before they are fully ripe and kept in the house until they are soft and mellow. They must, however, be kept warm as cold destroys all their best qualities and renders them hard and tough.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

—Few farmers value the common soap water as they should, or really appreciate that it forms one of the most valuable applications to all garden crops. Applied to vegetables—especially celery—it materially aids in their growth, besides making miserable the multitude of worms and bugs that do so much damage. In addition to this it is a good fertilizer.—*Utica Herald.*

—Boiled custard: To every quart of milk eight eggs—leaving out the whites of four. Sweeten the milk to your taste. Beat the eggs well before mixing with the milk; then put on the fire and let come to a boil stirring it all the time; then take it off and strain and flavor; beat the whites of four eggs to a stiff froth, and when the custard is ready to serve float them on top.—*The Household.*

—Rye, oats, barley, buckwheat, peas, beans, Indian corn, wheat, bran, shorts or middlings, oil meal—these are all good food, says the *National Live-Stock Journal*, for fattening sheep. But it is a good plan to give a variety. The writer says the best ration he ever knew was composed of equal parts, by weight, of corn, oats, peas and millet, and to fifteen bushels of the mixture was added one bushel of flaxseed, and all ground together. Two pounds of this with hay gave excellent results.

How to Can Fruit and Save Your Sugar.

I presume all know that there are several kinds of sugar. Cane sugar, grape sugar or glucose, and milk sugar are the principle varieties. Of these cane sugar stands pre-eminent for its sweetening properties, being rated at one hundred, while grape sugar is only rated at forty. In other words, it takes two and one-half pounds of grape sugar to equal one pound of cane sugar. I presume however, that your readers do not all know what is known by every chemist, that when cane sugar and fruit are boiled together the acid of the fruit causes a chemical change in the sugar to take place, which changes the sugar to grape sugar.

I do not suppose they intend to throw away six pounds of sugar out of every ten they use in the preparation of fruit. Yet such is the fact. They have, as a result of the boiling, ten pounds of glucose, which is only equal to four pounds of sugar; and besides this loss the fruit has to a great extent lost its true flavor, and is, of course, inferior in quality to that sweetened with cane sugar. How can fruit be sweeted with cane sugar without making this change or loss of flavor? As that is the principal object of this paper I will answer the question.

First, cook your fruit until it is "done" then, if you have time, let it get cold, and then add your sugar, mixing it well let it stand an hour or more. The sugar by that time will be absorbed by the fruit. If you have not time to wait, add your sugar when it is only partially cool, and you will only lose five or six per cent. of the sugar.

In the making of preserves there are two ways to avoid the loss of sugar. One is to use only glucose and fruits in equal parts, so as to make it of the highest priced sugar. Another way is to cook your fruit as before described, then add one-half a pound of sugar to the pound of fruit and seal up the cans, or steam the fruit when practicable, lay it in the cans and fill up with hot sirup made so as to contain the proper proportion of sugar, and seal. You will then save nearly all the sugar. Preserves made in this way will ferment unless sealed in air-tight cans.

In the ordinary canning of fruit no sugar should be used, as a part of it turns to glucose while hot, and if the fruit in the can ferments through some imperfection in the process, as frequently happens, your sugar is lost entirely. Open your cans an hour or more before meal-time, add your sugar, mix it well and let it stand; the sugar will thoroughly permeate the fruit by that time, and no sugar is lost.

I suppose everybody uses glass cans to a greater or less extent. A good many years ago a lady taught me how to fill a cold glass can with boiling fruit without the danger of breakage. I have seen the plan tried often enough to have entire faith in it.

Place in the empty can a spoon that is long enough to reach from the bottom to the top of the can, pour in your boiling fruit, remove the spoon and seal. The can will not break. Please do not ask me to explain the philosophy of it, as I dislike very much to plead ignorance, so I hope you will ask some of the knowing ones in your vicinity and let me know the explanation.—*Cor. Indiana Farmer.*

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With sickness when it can be prevented and cured so easily
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Having experienced a great deal of "Trouble" from indigestion, so much so that I came near losing my Life!

My trouble always came after eating any food—

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Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until "At last"

I was taken! So that for three weeks I lay in bed and Could eat nothing!

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Columbus Advocate, Texas, April 21, 1883. Dear Editor:—I have tried your Hop Bitters, and find they are good for any complaint. The best medicine I ever used in my family.—H. TALENER.

Rev. P. J. Rutler has resigned his charge of the Mancelona congregational church.

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To attach a stamp to an envelope is to moisten the envelope and then apply the stamp. Try this. If we all did the proper thing we would use Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic for dyspepsia costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples ague and malaria disease, poor appetite low spirits, headache, or diseases of the kidneys, stomach and liver. Price 50 cents, of Baker & Hall.

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F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, proprietors of Hall's Catarrh Cure are daily in receipt of testimonials showing wonderful cures. No doubt many are cured who do not testify which is evidence that Hall's Catarrh Cure is something that has real merit and can perform all it promises.

The Secret Art of Beauty lies not in cosmetics, but only in pure blood and healthy action of the vital organs, to be obtained by Burdock Blood Bitters.

Total population of Van Buren county by late census is 30,334, being a loss of 463 since census of 1880.

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Two real estate offices have been opened up in Battle Creek this week. Business is still booming there.

D. A. Starkweather, foreman of the Slaight mill, two miles north of Stanton, was killed by the mill machinery. He leaves a wife and two children.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc., call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

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Cut up fine and dissolve one half bar in half gallon of hot water. Pour half this dissolved soap into a tub with just sufficient hot water to cover a boiler full of clothes. Then put the clothes in to soak, **rubbing plenty of soap in the most soiled parts.** Be sure that the soaking water is hot; soak the clothes half an hour; stir them occasionally so that they may get the full benefit of the hot suds; pour the remainder of the dissolved soap into the boiler, adding sufficient water to cover the clothes; wring them lightly out of the suds. **Soap the stained spots** and place **loosely** in the boiler; boil 10 to 20 minutes, rinse well, blue and hang to dry. **Do not crowd the boiler too full.** The same boiling water may be used for further boiling by adding a little soap to each boiler-full of clothes. Fannels and prints should not be boiled, only a little rubbing required after soaking. This soap will cleanse clothing as thoroughly as any other without the use of the boiler. We prefer and recommend the boiling process as in itself a cleansing process, saving labor, the wear of the wash-board, and being **the best disinfectant known, it is easier to boil the dirt out than to rub it out.** You can cleanse perfectly the **finest** fabric without injury; the **finest point lace** and **lace curtains.** Soak point lace in hot suds made with this soap, press water out with the hand; boil 3 to 5 minutes in clean suds made with this soap, rinse thoroughly, press carefully between the folds of a towel, roll in a dry towel, and then between pieces of old flannel. Soak lace curtains 15 to 20 minutes and boil 5 to 20 minutes, rinse, stretch on frame, or pin every scallop to exact form, and let dry; no ironing required.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	3 42 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 31 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 55 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 58	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	3 50	9 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

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NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 11	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 22	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 28
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 25
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 06	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 23
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING EAST.	No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass	No. 41 Mxd
	A. M.		P. M.	
Pentwater	5 50			
Muskegon	8 15		1 35	
Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00	
Grand Haven	9 00		2 05	
Grand Rapids	9 15			
Holland	10 10		3 60	A. M.
Allegan	11 10		5 10	5 15
Kellogg	11 21		5 21	5 35
North Fayette	11 27		5 27	5 46
Montelth	11 35		5 35	6 00
Doster	11 52		5 52	6 40
Richland	12 00		6 00	7 25
Yorkville	12 15		6 15	7 45
Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23	8 05
Battle Creek	12 42	6 40	6 43	8 32
Cersco	1 00	6 59	7 01	9 10
Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13	9 36
Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40	11 00
Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.	11 55
Hanover	2 10	8 09		12 30
Moscow	2 21	8 20		12 55
Jerome	2 28	8 26		1 10
Addison	2 45	8 43		1 46
Devils Lake	2 54	8 51		1 58
Cambridge	3 08	9 05		2 30
Tipton	3 22	9 17		3 00
Tecumseh	3 37	9 32		3 35
Ridgeway	3 47	9 42		4 00
Britton	3 52	9 46		4 09
Dundee	4 15	10 10		4 50
Toledo	5 10	11 10		6 50
	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.

GOING WEST.	No. 32 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 36 Pass	No. 42 Mxd
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.
Toledo	10 10	5 10		4 40
Dundee	11 02	6 05		8 00
Britton	11 24	6 27		8 52
Ridgeway	11 29	6 31		9 02
Tecumseh	11 39	6 41		9 22
Tipton	11 55	6 57		9 57
Cambridge	12 08	7 10		10 26
Devils Lake	12 22	7 25		10 48
Addison	12 30	7 33		11 15
Jerome	12 48	7 50		11 52
Moscow	12 55	7 57		12 07
Hanover	1 06	8 07		12 30
Pulaski	1 17	8 18	A. M.	12 5
Homer	1 38	8 40	6 20	1 38
Marshall	2 05	9 09	6 47	2 42
Cersco	2 17	9 22	6 59	3 10
Battle Creek	2 36	9 40	7 17	3 52
Augusta	2 56	P. M.	7 37	4 40
Yorkville	3 04		7 45	4 55
Richland	3 10		7 52	5 10
Doster	3 28		8 08	5 52
Montelth	3 45		8 25	6 30
Fisk	3 52		8 33	6 50
Kellogg	3 59		8 39	7 01
Allegan	4 10		8 50	7 25
Holland	5 20		10 10	P. M.
Grand Rapids	6 10			
Grand Haven	6 15		11 00	
Ferrysburg	6 25		11 08	
Muskegon	6 55		11 45	
Pentwater	9 20			
	P. M.		A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via, C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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Putting Stubble Land to Use.

It is getting to be the practice of some farmers to sow their stubble fields, after the crop is removed, with some strong-growing plant for protecting and otherwise benefiting the land; and the practice, where properly carried out, never fails of success. Besides loosening up the ground and keeping it shaded during the hot dry weather which usually follows, and which is hurtful to land exposed, it is a check upon weeds and furnishes the soil with humus and plant food. It is, in fact, a form of green manuring that does not interfere with regular cropping. Not only is no crop lost, but the land is improved; it is richer and more mellow, with less chance for weeds if the seed sown is clean, the improvement considerably surpassing the expense of the outlay; less manure needs now to be used and less work employed on the land.

Where the soil is not too hard the harrow, weighted, will be sufficient to fit the ground for sowing. A rain, penetrating several inches, will greatly favor this. Where the ground is too hard for the harrow, the cultivator will do the work, which, however, should be finished by the harrow. It is only where the land is quite hard or overrun with weeds that the plow is to be used. The sooner this work can be done after the land is cleared of its crop the better, as it gives a longer time for growth.

Among the plants best adapted for this purpose are buckwheat and the pea, both fast-growing and rich in fertilizing material. They soon occupy the ground, and if sown after wheat or rye, which is harvested earliest, will make a full growth that may be turned down either in the fall or spring. The sowing of either of these crops has proved to be of great benefit, both in mellowing and enriching the ground. Where a good growth has been made, no other manuring in general is necessary. Peas are best put in where the land has been worked by the cultivator, the lines made by the implement allowing of deeper covering which this plant requires for its best development. Follow the sowing with the smoothing harrow, which covers it well. The reverse is the case with buckwheat, which will do equally well if not better when lightly covered.

For crops harvested late in the season, rye is the grain to be sown, but continues its growth till winter to the disadvantage of the weeds. If an early spring crop is to follow the rye should be turned down in the fall; for a later crop, like corn, it may be allowed to grow in the spring, when a heavy crop may be plowed under and with great benefit to the land, and rye is a plant rich in fertilizing matter. The growth of these plants may be materially increased by the use of commercial fertilizers where required by the land, which experiment will determine, and their benefit besides will extend to the crop that follows. There is but little labor or time required in applying them.—*N. Y. Sun.*

The Secretive Turkey

The habits of the domesticated turkey are so allied to those of his wild original congener, and are generally so well known in the districts where this superb table fowl is raised for market, that we need not particularize about his natural characteristics. What is an absolute need for the successful cultivation of turkeys to any extent upon the place is a proper locality, ample room for their range and a little daily care. It is not a difficult thing to do, and turkey-raising is always remunerative if the birds are sufficiently cared for from the outset.

The turkey is of a restless, migratory habit, and loves to wander about during daylight incessantly. They are good foragers if they have pasture and woodland to rove in without stint in the daytime, and at night they are content with a roosting-place in the trees, on high fences, or elsewhere out of doors, in any kind of weather. Thus there is no expense or trouble necessary for providing them with housing or shelter particularly. They are hardy, love the free, open air, are not pestered with vermin generally, and after they "shoot the red," they come forward rapidly, grow thriftily and fatten readily in due season. But they are a secretive as well as a wandering bird. They love to roam away, out of sight, into the woods and brush, and the hens will steal their nests whenever they have opportunity in preference to depositing their eggs within reach of their owners in the best arranged poultry-house in the world. To a certain extent then it is requisite that hen turkeys be indulged in their natural disposition to elude observation; and if their nests in spring-time be located among the shrubbery or in the woods away from the farm-houses in retirement, their eggs will hatch all the better, and the turkeys themselves will be much better contented than if restricted to narrow limits and watched too closely in the laying season. Indeed, the attempt to raise turkeys in confinement can not be successful. They *must* have roaming space (the more the better) to thrive well.—*American Poultry Yard.*

The Locomotion of Shells.

The great cuttle, or strombus, has a veritable sword that it thrusts out, sticks into the ground, and by a muscular effort jerks itself along, making a decided leap. The squids, that are the brightest forms of mollusks, leap entirely clear of the water, often several feet. They are the ink-bearers, and from their ink-bags comes the sepia used by artists, while their bone is the cuttle-fish bone of commerce. Many of the cockles have a method of flying through the water that is quite novel. They are generally beautifully colored, and have long, streaming tentacles, and suddenly, without warning, they dart up from the bottom, and by a violent opening and shutting of their valves rush away with their long, reddish hair streaming after them, presenting a very curious appearance. The shell known as the Lima Niaas is particularly remarkable for these flights, and all the scallops are jumpers and leapers. When placed in a boat they have been known to leap out, and the ordinary scallop has been known to jump out of a pot when placed upon a stove. A description of the different methods by which shells move would fill a volume.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

Among the Criminal Classes.

I am not in the police, but pursued a vocation in St. Giles' for many years which made me somewhat familiar with the ways of the criminal population in the metropolis. As a rule I found their homes poorly furnished; their wives, if they had any, were fond of gin and beer, and their children were often small, wizened, imperfectly developed and very nomadic in their habits. Some female pickpockets whom I knew generally dressed in semi-mourning and wore little jewelry. They often contrived to steal purses containing large sums in notes and gold at the West End, but they were always in a state of terror, and were often sent to prison for two years at a time. Their most genteel looking boys were sometimes dressed to resemble young gentlemen from Eton and Harrow, and sent to pick pockets; but as they could not "work" with gloves on their hands this alone enabled keen-eyed detectives to know them, for no Eton or Harrow "little man" ever walked down Regent street without wearing his gloves. One very clever thief had a glass eye, which he sometimes wore, and at other times kept in his waistcoat pocket, and by suddenly replacing it in certain critical moments he cleverly escaped detection. He always tried for the gold watches of elderly gentlemen, and, as some of his prizes were very costly, he frequently had much money to spend, and he soon spent it on vicious pleasures. He was at last sent away for seven years to a convict prison. Many of the most ingenious pickpockets spent much of their time in prison cells. I knew one who had been nine years out of twelve in jail. Yet I have known men of this class refuse honest employment, because they wished to enjoy their "liberty."

Large gains simply meant large waste. I have known a thief squander £80 in less than a month. Champagne, pheasants, oysters, cabs, theaters, cards and other similar means of distribution made the heap of gold melt like snow. Then he told me they stole each other's money when they could, for there is no honor among thieves. Some members of the criminal classes, however, enjoy wonderful immunity from capture and punishment. I was acquainted with a man and a woman who passed false coin for thirteen years. They lived in one room in a dark court with their four children and were a striking illustration of the truth that honesty is the best policy. It did not matter how much bad coin they contrived to pass, they were always on the verge of starvation. The peace and beauty of a good home were never theirs, nor of the other criminals who lived in the same court. That some thieves often got large sums of money by their depredations was well known. Three of them contrived to rob a lady of her reticule, which contained nearly £3 0, and they succeeded in baffling all pursuit. When they stole bank notes they took them at once to certain agents who gave them £3 for each £5 note, and then sent it off to another agent in a Continental city. One confederate of burglars had a melting pot always ready to dissolve plate, jewelry, etc., and therefore, if a burglar could only reach his house with his spoil, it was soon reduced to molten metal and the burglar could walk off with the proceeds in his pocket. The forgers of foreign notes were often Russians, Poles or Frenchmen, and they mostly lived near Leicester Square.

Much alarm has been caused by burglars having used revolvers. As a rule, a skillful artiste would not do so. A revolver makes a noise, alarms the neighbors and summons a crowd of pursuers. What the burglar wants, when foiled, is to get away unseen, and hence the use of the revolver is not general among clever house-breakers. One of them, who gracefully showed me how easy it was to enter my own house, told me with a smile that a man who used violence did not know his business, and was not one of his "people." He was a very smooth, gentleman himself, and often visited my private house for a little talk. I am glad to say that he became an honest man and gave a kind employer every satisfaction. Forgers were men of another stamp. They had been schoolmasters, clerks, drapers' assistants, commercial travelers, and so on. The cleverest forger I knew was a pretended clergyman, whose history would fill a volume. He forged documents which enable him to preach, to marry people, to become the chaplain of an emigrant ship, and to perform all the sacred functions of his office, but he got seven years penal servitude at last. He was a good scholar, excessively polite, polished in speech, but crafty, false and ungrateful beyond degree. Another was the son of respectable parents and pursued a course of crime against the post-offices for a long time, until at last he found himself in prison. He has sat at my table with friends who paid me an unexpected visit, and they little knew that the chatty gentleman beside them was a convicted forger.

Not a few criminals connected with the commercial classes escaped punishment through compensation to their wronged employers. I have known a father pay nearly £2,000 to prevent his son being sent at once to the Old Bailey; but the wretched young man did not reform after all. Indeed, in some cases, it is better to leave the law to punish the offender; if not, ruin to all concerned comes in the end. Friends who knew of my innocent connection with the criminal classes have asked me to get back their stolen property for them. If I had a personal acquaintance with the thieves there was no difficulty, and in three noteworthy cases I succeeded, and that, too, without making any compensation to the criminals. Visiting thieves' houses was always a hazardous thing, and once certainly I was in great danger, but I terrified my foe by giving him to understand that I knew all about his last burglary; whereupon he collapsed in the most abject style, and vanished. He was a violent scoundrel, and best in prison.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

—At a wedding at Ekaterinoslav, Russia, recently, the bride was sixty-seven and the groom sixty five. Both bride and bridegroom had great-grandchildren by former marriages. The groom's father, one hundred and three years old, and the bride's mother, in her ninety-fifth year, were both present at the wedding.

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Eward Crawford, of Ithica, is the latest roller skating rink victim. He broke an arm.

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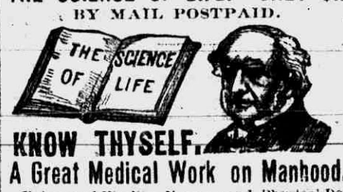

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 9, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

MISS KURTZ, a deputy sheriff of Franklin County, Pa., arrived at Philadelphia on the 3d having in custody two burglars who had been sentenced to the penitentiary. Miss Kurtz was armed with a small sized revolver, but had no trouble with the men, though both are noted desperadoes.

THE colored war veterans of Central New York on the 2d celebrated the thirty-third anniversary of the rescue of "Jerry," a fugitive slave. There was a [illegible] in which the military, [illegible] the survivors of the regiment took part. [illegible] delivered an address.

EXCESSIVE grief over the loss of an infant, her seventeenth child, on the 2d caused Mrs. Theodore Wertleman, of Lyons, of N. Y., to commit suicide by drowning.

SIXTH AUDITOR CROWELL has prepared a statement which shows that the revenue from the sale of postage stamps for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1884, amounted to $[illegible], a decrease of $[illegible] compared with the receipts of the year previous. The total revenue of the Post-office Department for the year was $4,281,8[illegible], or $[illegible] less than the year ended June 30, 1883. An increase in expenditures of $[illegible] amounting to $1,[illegible] over and above the expenditures of 1882-83, is reported, so that this, with the falling off in the receipts, indicates a deficiency of about $[illegible] for the past fiscal year.

THE funeral of the late Commodore Fairbrown took place at Oak Hill Cemetery, Washington, on the 2d. Admirals Almy, Jenkins and Patterson, Commodores Franklin and Queen, Generals Hagner and Palmer and Surgeon General Gunnell acted as pallbearers. The family and a large number of personal friends of the deceased, Secretary Chandler, Commodores Walker and Sealey and many other naval officers were present.

REPORTS of immigration show a considerable falling off as compared with last year. Thus far in 1884, the number of arrivals is about [illegible], being 2[illegible] less than for the corresponding nine months of 1883.

THE public debt decreased $[illegible] during September.

THE temporary machine shops of the Northwestern Railroad at Meridian, Miss., were burned on the 2d. Loss $[illegible].

AT Marion, O., a man named Brown was being tried on the 3d as the Blaine party approached, when a premature explosion took place, fatally injuring George Hamilton.

ALBERT BOWES, the colored janitor of the New Haven post-office, broke the old combination of the letter boxes in the mail boxes. Among those stolen was a registered letter from George Crosby, of New York.

BUSINESS failures reported for the seven days ended the 6th number for the United States 204, for Canada 23; total 227, as against 216 the preceding week.

IN the family of William Hall, a Canadian, Mich., on the 3d five persons were poisoned by eating canned beef. Fears were entertained that it would prove fatal for some and perhaps for all the number.

THE boiler of a steam threshing machine on the farm of Goldich Bros. at Stillwater, Minn., exploded on the 3d, instantly killing Bros. and seriously injuring two others.

MISS GERTIE DONALD was accidentally shot and killed at Alliance, O., on the 2d, while on her way to school.

THE statement of the receiver for the firm of Seymour, Scold & Co., recently filed in the District Court of Washington County, Minnesota, gives the total liabilities of the firm $1,171,766; total assets $1,147,978, leaving an excess of liabilities of $23,788.

BY a collision of passenger trains on the Delaware & Chesapeake Railroad near Clayton, Del., on the 3d, many passengers were considerably shaken but only three seriously injured, namely: Leon Fitzgerald, of Carlinville, Pa., skull fractured; Miss Eliza Hall, Warwick, Md., arm broken; Mrs. Edward Slaughter, injured internally.

THE strike among the coal miners on the Monongahela River is reported practically at an end. Quite a number of miners have already returned to work for two cents per bushel, which is sufficient evidence to lead to the conclusion that all the miners will do likewise for the present.

THE steamship Texan, recently arrived at New Orleans, made the run from Liverpool in sixteen days and ten hours, the fastest time on record.

THE quantity of leaf tobacco sold at Danville, Va., for the year ended the 1st of October was 27,500,000 pounds, and the average price per hundred $15.07.

DOWN to October 1 the movement of freight on the canals of New York was 500,000 tons less than for the corresponding period in 1883.

WHILE driving to a fire at Chicago on the 3d, Acting Chief Fire Marshal Kenyon was thrown from his buggy and fatally injured.

THE earnings of the State prisons of New York for the year ending September 30, exceed the expenses by $[illegible]. There are 2,8[illegible] convicts in the three prisons.

ST. PAUL, Minn., reports that the night of the 3d was the hottest on record in that part of the country, the thermometer never falling below seventy-two degrees all night, and rising as high as eighty at midnight.

No clue has been obtained of the miscreant who fired into the train at Sullivan, Ind., on the 1st, narrowly missing St. John, the Prohibition candidate for President, whom it is thought the shot was fired at.

THE demand for one and two-dollar legal tender notes has fallen off considerably during the past month, and the Treasurer is now able to supply about one-half the amount asked for by the banks throughout the country. The Bureau of Engraving and Printing is now supplying the Treasurer with about $248,000 in notes daily, divided up as follows: ones, $40,000; twos, $48,000; fives, $40,000; tens, $40,000; and twenties, $80,000.

THE Chicopee Manufacturing Company at Chicopee Falls, Mass., announced on the 3d that it should run on three-quarters time, nine hours a day, for five days in the week. All the manufacturing establishments in the village are running on short time.

THE Treasury Department on the 3d purchased 350,000 ounces of silver for the New Orleans and Philadelphia mints.

THE will of the late Private Charles B. Henry, of the Greely expedition, who was shot for stealing provisions, was filed for probate at Chicago on the 3d. It is written in pencil, on a slee of paper about the size of a postal card, and bequeathes all his property, pay due, etc., to his parents, brothers and sisters, and names William Helms, of Chicago, as executor. The will is witnessed by Lieutenant F. H. Kislingbury and Private Joel Bender. A postal card to Mr. Helms tells of the condition of the command, saying that seven had already died, and the remainder expected death.

AT a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the John F. Slater fund, held in New York on the 3d, the agent reported the expenditures in the past year of $13,000 for the education of freedmen in the South. The Board allowed $10,000 for the same purpose next year.

A FIRE at Philadelphia on the 5th destroyed the six-story warehouse of William Hancock with its contents. The building was packed with goods of all descriptions, consisting largely of valuable furniture, plate mirrors and pictures stored by people about town for safe keeping. The goods were owned by six hundred persons. The loss is estimated at $500,000, on which there is full insurance of about $[illegible]. [illegible] were also destroyed by the fire and falling walls.

JONATHAN HICKMAN, a well-to-do farmer of Monroe County, Mo., while partially intoxicated attempted to ford a swollen stream with a horse and buggy on the 4th. Besides himself there were in the vehicle his daughter-in-law and two children, aged seven and four. The current swept the horse off his feet, and the whole outfit went down stream. All were drowned.

THE Mecosta County poor house and asylum at Big Rapids, Mich., burned on the night of the 3d. The paupers and insane inmates were all rescued in safety. The structure was one leased by the county for temporary use, pending the rebuilding of the one burned about a year ago.

JOHN GOODWIN, employed in Diehl & Johnson's fireworks manufactory at Cincinnati, was blown to shreds on the 4th by the ignition of the mortar explosive substance which he was mixing.

A special train on the Panhandle road carrying Mr. Hendricks collided with a hand car near Wheeling, W. Va., on the morning of the 4th during a heavy fog, killing John Franz, a boy of twelve years, and Thomas Waldron, a trackman. The Plumed Knights of Wheeling were also on the train, but none were injured.

A NORTHERN PACIFIC freight train was thrown from the track at Fon du Lac, near Duluth, Minn., on the 4th by a washout. The locomotive, six cars of coal and two empty cars were hurled into the St. Louis River, and the engineer, fireman and one brakeman were thrown into the river with the train and drowned.

W. F. RICHARDS, postmaster at Clarksburg, W. Va., and editor of the *Weekly Telegram*, was shot on the 4th by A. C. Osborne. Cause supposed to be jealousy.

NEAR Binghamton, N. Y., on the 4th a party of boys were out camping, when one George Turner, sixteen years of age, either by accident or design, discharged his musket in a crowd of companions, riddling one, Ernest Gibson, ten years of age, with buckshot and killing him instantly, and wounding another, Jamie Livingstone, in the bowels, probably fatally. Turner, after the deed, ran, but was caught and lodged in jail.

EXPERT accountants report a deficiency of $240,000 in the accounts of the late J. W. Stearns, who was treasurer of Newark, N. J., from 1867 to 1875. His bondsmen will be sued for the amount.

THE forest fires that have been burning for some time past in Dinwiddie and Prince George counties, Virginia, have after much difficulty been extinguished.

STATEMENT of the New York associated banks for the week ended October 4: Loans decrease, $621,[illegible]; specie increase, $2,380,[illegible]; legal tenders increase, $372,000; deposits increase, $516,240; circulation decrease, $64,000; reserve increase, $1,961,[illegible]. The banks hold $29,997,000 in excess of legal requirements.

THE Treasury Department is informed that the United States of Columbia has removed the additional duties of twenty-five per cent. imposed by recent decrees on a certain class of imports and restored to the free list the articles recently taken from it.

THE closing of all the cotton factories at Petersburg, Va., and vicinity in consequence of the scarcity of water throws out of employment over 700 men, women and children, nearly all of whom are actually suffering for want of the necessities of life.

JAMES GRAVES and wife were passengers on the steamer America, which arrived at New York on the 4th. He is a member of the firm of Fox Brothers, jewelers, of New York. He made a declaration in which there was only a few dutiable articles of small value, and was about to leave when the custom house inspector insisted on making a more thorough search of his baggage. He indignantly protested that he had no other dutiable articles, and when the inspector still persisted he fell to the floor in a faint. Graves and his wife were carefully searched and $20,000 worth of uncut diamonds were discovered. Both were held for examination.

AT Uniontown, Pa., on the 5th, William Vandevere stabbed Charles Lally, a miner, instantly killing him. It was a cold-blooded, unprovoked murder, and had not the officers hurried Vandevere to jail after his arrest he would have been lynched.

D. M. BURNS, Secretary of State of California during the Perkins' administration, was arrested on the 5th at San Francisco, charged with embezzlement.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

A GOLD medal for Commodore Schley and a silver medal for Lieutenant Emory, of the Greely relief expedition, have been received from the Massachusetts Humane Society.

A CHINAMAN named Wah Lee Lee Yaw, of Cleveland, O., recently married a white woman, and on the 24 took out his naturalization papers, thus becoming a full fledged citizen of the United States. The first papers were issued at Sandusky, O., in 1869.

THE Prohibition and American parties in Iowa have fused on an Electoral ticket.

IT is said that Mr. and Mrs. Hulskampf, the daughter and former coachman of Mecosini, are living at East Haven, Conn., with the coachman of Congressman C. F. Mitchell in rooms over the stable.

THE National Convention of Drummers of the United States met at Louisville, Ky., on the 2d. There was a large attendance. The convention nominated James Mulhatten, of Kentucky, for President of the United States, and O. T. Collier, of Ohio, for Vice President. A platform was adopted favoring workingmen and drummers, prohibition, and opposing convict and Chinese labor as against free labor.

BENJAMIN THOMAS, a Narragansett Indian, and the last president of the Indian council in Charlestown, was found dead on the 3d near Wood Rive Junction, R. I., having been struck by a train.

HENRY BANCROFT, the historian, celebrated his eighty-fourth birthday anniversary at his home in Newport, R. I., on the 3d. The reception was largely attended by many distinguished persons, and congratulations from all parts of the world poured in.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Oct. 6, 1884.

Present the entire council, except Bills and Adams.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Finance committee requested that their report be deferred until later in the session.

The following bills were presented and referred to the finance committee:

A. Packard, labor	11.6
S. Crowley	1.50
Frank Thompson, labor	11.25
Lon Cook	3.75
Wm. Brown	12.30
B. Scott, do	16.42
W. C. Jordan, gravel, team, services of date	[illegible]
A. A. Dolbear, recording M. & O. R. R. bond	1.00
T. J. Wilcox, 3 bbls oil	25.48
S. C. Stacy, printing	8.50
Swan, sod corning fire, and hose	26.72

Marshal requested an extension of time to collect taxes and make report. On motion, time was granted.

The Sewer committee asked time to report.

Communication was presented and read from Joseph Turner, requesting deed for cemetery lot. Referred to cemetery committee.

Reconsidering the order of report of committee the Finance committee report recommending the payment of the following claims:

M. J. Wilcox	[illegible]
Slayton & Son	53.26
W. C. Jordan, hay	16.12
A. Packard	11.60
J. Crowley	1.50
Frank Thompson	11.25
Lon Cook	3.75
W. C. Jordan	12.00
Wm. Brown	12.30
A. A. Dolbear	1.05
S. C. Stacy	8.50

Report adopted and orders drawn. On motion, the Council then adjourned.

G. W. MARSDEN,
Recorder pro tem.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—We hear B. J. Coller, of Adrian, is making his customers in Tecumseh and vicinity some good bargains. The number of machines and organs he has sold recently are good indications.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at Brown's Art Gallery.

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Beans ₩ bushel	1 50 @ 1 75
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @ 1 00
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@ 3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 6½
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	50 @ 55
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	50 @ 50
Clover Seed	4 [illegible] @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₩ doz	12 @ 14
Flour ₩ barrel	4 [illegible] @ 5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 50 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @ 5 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@ 15
Ham, ₩ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@ 11
Oats, ₩ bushel	30 @ 35
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 40
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @ 40
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 [illegible]
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Turkeys—dressed	[illegible]
Veal	[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]
Wheat, white	@ [illegible]
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	@ [illegible]
Wool	28 @ [illegible]

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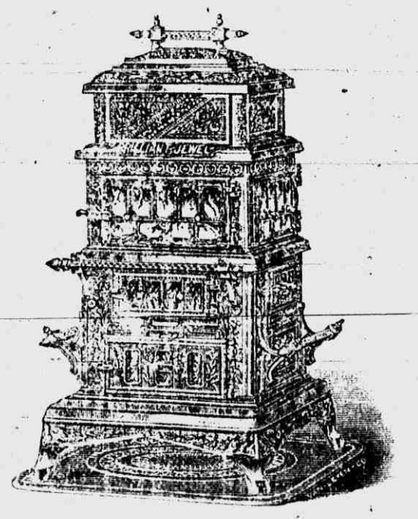

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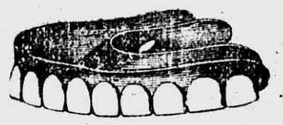

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Frosty nights, and dry days.

Mr. Geo. Boss is gaining slowly.

Mr. Wm. Doty, of Raisin, was on our streets one day last week.

Mr. Chas. Clark was home over Sunday and is looking hearty.

Mrs. Cheever has improved the looks of her place by grading down her lawn.

Hon. Chas. Mosher was the guest of Hon. G. P. Waring Friday night and Saturday forenoon.

Mr. Cornelius Waring was home to attend the funeral of Mrs. G. P. Waring, and spent a few days with his mother, returning to St. Joseph Saturday.

The church social will give a pork and bean festival in the lecture room of the church next Friday evening, Oct. 17th. Supper 15 cents. A cordial invitation to all.

Mr. Wm. Wells, of Addison spent a few days with friends here last week.

Rev. Alden Wickham, of Lima, visited friends here Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Jay A. Santus is visiting his brother Finley, at St. John, Clinton Co. this week.

Mr. Martin Palmer will enjoy a couple of weeks husking and doing general farm work and then commence the winter term of school at Britton.

Our village school is doing finely under the supervision of Mr. Wm. Stewart and his assistant Miss Kittie Clark. They have the best wishes to success from the whole district.

Mr. Alfred Mosher, of Addison, was the guest of Miss Vina Underwood over Sunday. Wonder if he is intending to return thanksgiving in Nov. with a bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Rappleye, of Dundee, attended the funeral of Mrs. Waring last week. Mrs. Rappleye's health is improving quite rapidly.

Quite a good many went to Britton last Friday night to hear Hon. Chas. Mosher and Mr. Geo. Hunphrey talk in favor of Prohibition.

Mr. Ase Smith our butcher went home Thursday night sick, and his brother Lank smiled over the block at his old friends.

Mrs. R. T. Bush and Mrs. Warren Jones left for Brooklyn N. Y. Monday. Mrs. Bush returning home and Mrs. Jones for a visit.

Miss Ella Hall and Weddie Bush started for Dixon Ill. Tuesday to visit friends.

Mrs. Dave Heath and her children took the afternoon train at Tecumseh Tuesday for New York to visit her old home.

Miss Ella Jackson went to Toledo after a new supply of millinery goods Wednesday. Ella is science on the trim.

G. C. Arner went to Milan Monday on business.

Miss Fannie McNeil, of Milan, is visiting her aunt Mrs. John Arner and family this week.

Mr. Eddie Harrison will act as Sexton of the church for the coming year.

Quite a number went to Britton Monday night to hear Capt. E. P. Allen on the tariff question.

While some of our young ladies have become energetic and gone into the dressmaking and millinery business others have taken up poultry and swine speculations.

MACON MUSIC.

Have you heard from Ohio?

The S. S. concert Sunday evening was a success in every particular.

Judge Mills lectured at the Baptist church Saturday evening. He filled the pulpit of the same church Sunday morning.

Quarterly meeting at the M. E. church next Saturday and Sunday. The Presiding Elder, Rev. Mr. Campbell, will preach at Macon Sunday afternoon.

Some Macon republicans went to Detroit Tuesday to see Blaine. They returned well pleased.

Rev. Mr. Dutton has returned to his former home. Rumor has it that he will take unto himself a wife before he returns.

Mrs. Minerva Chapin has moved to the Corners. She occupies rooms in the Biddle house.

Democratic rally at Grange Hall Thursday evening. A grand time is anticipated.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

One would naturally think that Raisin was on the doubtful list by the way the public speakers are following us up. Hon. Chas. Mosher spoke to the people at the friends Church Thursday night, on Prohibition, and on Friday night Bro. Stearns of Adrian, spoke at Holloway on the tariff question. Oh dear, we begin to feel like the Dutch Justice who after he had heard both sides of the case was unable to decide because they differed so much. And now we hear that the Democrats are to have another meeting and expect to raise a pole.

Quarterly meeting services were held at the Friend's Church last Sunday. A big crowd and a good time as usual.

Dr. Begel made his people in Jackson Co., a little visit last week, and in the meantime everybody got well. But Doc is after them again and reports begin to come in of sickness on every hand.

Last Monday while Al. Hoxie was threshing over on his farm, a young man met with a very singular accident. His feet slipped in some way on the table causing him to fall onto the point of his knife. Fortunately however, the knife came in contact with the breast bone, which stopped it in its wild career.

W. J. Holdridge went over to Jackson last Tuesday, ostensively on business, but we more than half believe that he went to show his contempt for the Plumed Knight and us fellows that went to Detroit to see him. Say Warren, what is the use of your acting so during every campaigns.

Mrs. Macham is visiting friends in the north part of the state and Al. is the saddest looking man in Mich, He says it is all on account of the low price of wheat, and if we had not had the same experience in the past we might possibly believe him.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Miss Belle Maxwell of Adrian, visited at Mr. Harry Palmer's, a former resident of Adrian, last week, and was the guest of Mrs. S. Brown over Sunday, and she returned home on Tuesday morning.

Dr. J. L. Tuttle who has been on the sick list for the last two weeks, is now so much better as to be upon the streets again.

We are now assured that the two law suits between the woolen mill company and some of the stockholders, have both been withdrawn, and matters in difference have been amicably settled by the parties in interest themselves. So may it be, and may we soon hear the click of the spindles again.

We understand that Dr. Cameron is receiving a very liberal patronage and that wherever he has been called he has given good satisfaction as to his knowledge of the healing art and that he is a gentleman that anyone may be proud to add to his list of acquaintances.

The business men of Clinton report good sales and business improving, indications of returning prosperity.

Justice courts have been dull for some time past, but are now disposing of some cases for violation of our village ordinances. The boys, big and little, have been running things pretty much their own way for some time back, but now our Marshall seems determined to enforce the law and punish all those who do wilfully violate our village ordinances. Our Marshall will have the support of all good citizens in his endeavors to enforce the law promptly and wisely.

The Episcopal church people are now engaged in repairing and enlarging the church, as was spoken of some time ago. Consequently there was no service in their church on Sunday last nor will there be any service there for some time to come.

Orange blossoms in abundance. As we have been told there will be at least three weddings in the near future. Some one said Albert VanGieson would be married on Thursday eve. next, and we think Miss Sarah Dillingham will be married then too.

The Fighting chaplain as was announced by bill and otherwise put in his appearance and lectured at the Town Hall as per bills. He commenced his speech by saying he was a minister and Presiding Elder as well in some Iowa district and was the first prohibition candidate for Governor of Iowa. The burden of his speech seemed to be to show the Prohibitionists their error in voting for St. John for President, for they might thereby indirectly help to elect Cleveland President whom characterizes as a man unfit for the office and a libertine. The Republicans are not pleased with his effort. His speech taken as a whole was not calculated to do much good but on the contrary to detract from his reputation and usefulness as a preacher of the gospel. His singing was fine. Result one conversion reported and now it is reported that the Prohibitionists will have a Mr. Fanning from Jackson here on the 24th inst. to give the fighting chaplain's speech that kind of a fanning his speech deserves.

The event of the week was the marriage of Miss Lena Kirchgessner of Clinton at the Catholic church of this place to a Mr. Webber, of Chelsea. After the marriage the large company who had been invited to witness the nuptials of the contracting parties, repaired to the residence of the brides father where a bountiful repast had been prepared which I understand was ample for the multitude. May prosperity attend them. May they always be happy and may life's journey be traveled together without alloy.

The result of the Ohio election was a surprise party to many of our citizens. While the countenances of some had the appearance of having lost a mother, the countenances of others were correspondingly cheerful. What is the use of all of this? The country will survive.

BEST BAKING POWDER.

Interesting Tests Made by the Government Chemist.

Dr. Edward G. Love, the present Analytical Chemist for the Government, has recently made some interesting experiments as to the comparitive value of baking powders. Dr. Love's tests were made to determine what brands are the most economical to use, and as their capacity lies in their leavening power, tests were directed solely to ascertain the available gas of each powder. Dr. Love's report gives the following:

Name of Baking Powders	Strength. Cubic Inches Gas. per each ounce of Powder.
"Royal" (cream tartar powder)	127.4
"Patapsco" (alum powder	125.2
"Rumford's" (phosphate) fresh	122.5*
"Rumford's" (phosphate) old	32.7*
"Hanford's None Such" fresh,	121.6
"Hanford's None Such," old	84.85
"Redhead's	117.0
"Charm" (alum powder	116.9*
"Amazon" (alum powder	111.9*
"Cleveland's" short weight ¼ oz.	110.8
"Sea Foam"	107.9
"Czar"	106.8
"Dr. Price's"	102.6
"Snow Flake" (Groff's, St. Paul)	101.88
"Lewis's" Condensed	98.2
"Congress" yeast	97.5
"Pearl"	93.2
"C. E. Andrews & Co's con. alum	78.17*
"Hecker's"	92.5
"Gillets"	84.2
"Bulk"	80.5

*In his report, the Government Chemist says: "I regard all alum powders as very unwholesome. Phosphate and Tartaric Acid powders liberate their gas too freely in process of baking, or under varying climate changes suffer deterioration."

Dr. H. A. Mott, the former Government Chemist, after a careful and elaborate examination of the various Baking Powders of commerce reported to the Government in favor of the Royal brand.

List of Jurors.

Following is a list of the petit jurors as drawn yesterday, for the November term of the circuit court for Lenawee county:

Adrian—1st ward—I. D. Comstock.
" —2d ward,—John McDonnell.
" —3d ward—John N. Adams.
" —4th ward—Geo. N. Allen.
Adrian Township—Perry Gotham.
Blissfield—Henry Griffin.
Cambridge—Wm. Stephenson.
Clinton—Cyrus Hendershot.
Deerfield—E. K. Bliss.
Dover—H. S. Bailey.
Fairfield—Chas. T. Mead.
Franklin—Wm. Crittenden.
Hudson—Wm. Wickwire.
Macon—Richard Collum.
Ogden—George Wilt.
Palmyra—H. M. Parker.
Raisin—Frank H. Chase.
Ridgeway—Charles G. Sutton.
Riga—Manuel McCormick.
Rollin—Edgar S. Brown.
Rome—Dwight Luce.
Seneca—T. T. Snow.
Tecumseh—Horatio Keyser.
Woodstock—Lewis Sanford.

Adrian Record: Betting on the results of the coming elections is now in order, and some novel wagers are being made, as instance the following A prominent republican in this city agrees with a lady of democratic faith, and whose weight is something over 200 pounds, that in case Cleveland is elected president he will wheel her to Tecumseh in a wheelbarrow, and in case Blaine is elected he promises to take her over there with a horse and buggy. Our republican friend's whiskers will be redder than they are now if he should have to do the wheelbarrow act.

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Auction Sale.

The subscriber will sell at public Auction on his farm known as the Lee farm, in Raisin, 2 miles south of Tecumseh, on the Lake Shore R. R., on Thursday, Oct. 30th, 1884, one pair work horses, breeding mare, Banker colt, pair of colts, spring colt, 3 cows, 11 head young cattle, hogs, shoats, sheep, all kinds of farm tools and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms, 12 months credit on indorsed notes at interest.

JOHN HANDLEY.

Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 16, 1884

AT THE MAKING OF THE HAY.

When the whippoorwills are calling,
And the apple-blossoms are falling,
With a tender, taut foreboding
Summer's bush up in the grass;
Where the little stars are peeping
Which above the meadow sweeping,
And the jack-o'-lantern's peering
I will meet my bonnie lass.

I will seek her; I will find her;
I will stay stealthy behind her;
And with kisses I will bind her,
The sole sets the happy day.
And when the barley's heading,
And the summer rose is shedding,
Oh, there'll be a merry wedding
At the making of the hay.
—*Samuel Minturn Peck in Harper's.*

BENEFIT OF EARTHQUAKES.

What Would Happen to the World If They Did Not Occur—The Constant and Persistent Attacks of Ocean—Some Facts Concerning Seismic Phenomena.

At the present time the community is considerably interested in the cause of earthquakes, and scientific men are appealed to for opinions as to the reasons of their occurrence, which opinions are generally given with erudition and in terms of greater or less lucidity. It is very interesting to learn that Prof. Simon Newcomb attributes the occurrence of earthquakes to the cooling of the liquid mass hundreds of miles below the surface of the earth, the consequent contraction of the mass causing a vacuum into which the area above must fall—for "nature abhors a vacuum" as much in the bowels of the earth as upon its surface. However unpleasant this theory may be to the parties living directly over the vacuum, there seems no reason to doubt it—in fact there is no tangible way to refute it.

Other authorities, or theorists, have alleged some undefined and unexplainable connection between earthquakes and the spots on the sun, but they do not meet with favor generally, because, as a rule, people want to know something of the "why and wherefore."

Without in any degree losing our interest in the cause, might we not find it profitable and satisfactory to give some consideration to the results of earthquakes? It may sound strangely to refer to the earthquake as a benefactor to the face of the earth, but according to the ideas of some eminent seismologists it is. Let us analyze rather more fully than people give it credit for. It is the restoring agent, the compensating back action, so to speak, of some very powerful encroachments on earth's domain. Individuals, towns, countries may suffer, cities may be swept out of existence and seaports destroyed by it, but the world at large is the gainer, geographically at least, by every earthquake. And a geographical gain is the gain of the world's inhabitants as a whole. Nature seeks the greatest good of the greatest number. Had there never been an earthquake in the past, mankind would not now be in existence on the face of the earth; should there be no earthquakes in the future, the race would be doomed to extinction in much less time than now, in the ordinary course of events, seems probable.

Why?

If the earth was created, or began its gyrascopical existence as a perfect sphere—as the geologists, who undertake to delve back into antegeologic times assert that it was—or did it, it is palpably evident that its surface was entirely covered with water, presenting the appearance—had anybody been there to see it—of a liquid ball. At that period it was not "the waters under the earth," but the earth under the waters. What other agency than a subterranean force could have elevated portions of the watery bed of this great globular sea above its surface and made it dry land? And for every such elevation there must obviously have been, in accordance with the compensating laws of nature, a corresponding depression somewhere. That the depression occurred first we are bound to believe, if we accept Prof. Newcomb's theory of the cooling of the subterranean liquid mass. The earth's interior being practically filled already with this mass, a rise corresponding in amount to the value of the depression must necessarily occur at some point.

Water is land's greatest enemy, and when continents and islands became formed by this process (which may have been, and probably was, gradual), there began a contest for supremacy between the two elements, a contest which has continued ever since and will continue to the end of time.

How?

The sea is constantly struggling to destroy the land by beating upon and washing away its shores. The process is a slow one, it is true, and many might be reasonably inclined to doubt it, in view of the fact that the changes in coast lines are practically imperceptible in long intervals. There are comparatively few localities whose present topographical lines do not antedate history. But the elements are relentless, and to them centuries are less than minutes are to men—in fact, they know no time. And we are prevented from verifying the destructive action of the sea, on account of the restorative agencies to which allusion has been made, and which are constantly at work to check the encroachments of the ocean. Were it not so, water's power would be cumulative, for the faster the land succumbed the higher the sea would rise, and with its ever increasing rising make more devastating inroads on the constantly-decreasing land.

There are localities, however, where absence of the restorative force allows a study of the truth of this theory, as for instance the Shetland Isles, whose rock ribbed coasts seem, of all others, best calculated to resist the encroachments of the sea. But, subjected as they are to the constant and ceaseless pound, pound of the Atlantic billows, they are disintegrating—slowly in the mind of man, rapidly in the economy of the universe. Notable changes have occurred here even within the scope of history. Sir Charles Lyell says of this locality: "Steep cliffs are hollowed out into deep caves and lofty arches, and almost every promontory end in a cluster of rock, imitating the forms of columns, pinnacles and obelisks."

"The Isle of Stenness," says Dr. Hibbert, "presents a scene of unequaled desolation. In stormy winter large blocks of stone are overturned or are removed from their native beds and carried to a distance almost incredible. In the winter of 1803 a tabular mass eight feet two inches by seven feet, and five feet one inch thick, was dislodged from its bed and carried to a distance of from eighty to ninety feet. But the most of the stone is water worn, a mural pile demonstrating the process of disintegration that is devastating the coast. Ages ago to have been left as a sort of protest against the inroads of the ocean. The chain of which provoked by wintry gales, battered against it with all the force of local artillery, and the waves in their repeated assaults have at length forced for themselves an entrance. This breach, named the Grand of the Navir, is widened every winter by the overwhelming surge, that, finding a passage through, it separates large stones from its sides and forces them no less than one hundred and eighty feet. In two or three spots, the fragments which have been detached are brought together in immense heaps, that appear as an accumulation of cubical masses, the product of some quarry."

In moleness, where the sea has found less resistant material, an immense cavern has been hollowed by the action of the waves to a depth of 250 feet.

The coast of Yorkshire furnishes evidence of the destructive action of the water upon the land, many spots laid down on the old maps as the sites of towns being now simply sand banks. Many places once towns of note are now only recorded in history, among them Ravensperg, which was at one time a rival of Hull and of so much importance as a port that from it Edward Baliol and the confederated English barons sailed in 1332 to invade Scotland, and it was here that Henry IV. landed in 1399 to depose Richard II. This once flourishing seaport now consists mainly of extensive sands, dry at low water."

Rapid decay has also taken place on the shores of Norfolk and Suffolk. A certain inn was built at Sherington and it was calculated that seventy years would pass before the sea would reach the spot, the computations being based upon previous occurrences which demonstrated an average annual loss of one yard of land. But no allowance having been made for the fact that the land sloped from the sea, the devastation was more rapid than had been expected, the premises were swept away in far less time than had been anticipated.

In another way, the action of water tends to encroach upon the land and carry it to sea. One would hardly believe that the rainfalls in the interior had any appreciable effect in this direction, but some eminent geologists assert that the influence of inland rainfalls in this respect is not inconsiderable in the course of time. Instances, according to these authorities, might be referred to, but the limit of space prevents it. It may be going too deeply into the subject to consider that the more earth there is washed into the sea the higher the sea will rise, and the higher the sea rises the larger evaporating surface is presented to the sun's rays, thereby causing a greater rainfall—more cumulative power, by the way. But some writers have not thought this part of the subject too absurd for investigation. It is to be remembered that this little raindrop and this big billow are not going to do their work in a year or a century, and it must be admitted that, without recuperative power or restorative force, the time would some time come when all the land would be under water once more. Water has a very leveling tendency.

But the earth happily possesses a restorative force. What is it?

Earthquakes. Or, what amounts to the same thing, the dynamite power that demonstrates itself in earthquakes.

It has already been suggested that a depression of the earth's surface from whatever cause creates an elevation somewhere. Dig a well, and the removed earth makes the surface higher around it.

It has been ascertained by comparison that, as a general rule, upheavals act most powerfully upon land, and especially near coast lines, while depressions are most likely to occur under the ocean's bed. This provision of nature is favorable to land in two ways. The upheaval strengthens the shore to resist encroachment, while the depression lowers the sea level, according to its depth.

Chili was visited in November, 1822, by an earthquake which was severe and destructive. On the day following the shock it was discovered that the sea had receded from a broad line of coast more than one hundred miles in length. Between the old and the new low water marks fishermen gathered shellfish that they had been able to obtain previously only in the surf. Rocks which had been covered at low water were now dry at half-tide.

A corresponding rise of the land was appreciable along the coast, but it was greater a little way inland than near the shore. A water-mill about a mile from the beach had gained a fall of fourteen inches in one hundred feet. The rise was three and four feet at Valparaiso and Quintero respectively. Similar phenomena occurred in Chili in 1835 and 1837 when the permanent rise was two feet on the first and eight feet on the second occasion.

A remarkable instance of both upheaval and depression occurred at Cutch in 1819. The estuary of the Indus which had been only a foot deep at flood tide, was deepened to eighteen feet. The fort and village of Indree were submerged, the roofs of the houses and the highest objects only being visible. And yet the earthquake was not so land destroying after all, for, at a distance of five or six miles from Sindree, there appeared a long and high mound where there had previously been a low and level plain. This mound ran parallel to the line of depression for fifty miles. Its greatest height was ten feet and its breadth in some places sixteen miles.—*Boston Herald.*

—By a new process of making "rolled-gold" ware 100 pairs of bracelets can be plated with one ounce of gold.—*Chicago Herald.*

Putrefaction in Eggs.

The following conclusions have been arrived at in studying the phenomena attending the process of putrefaction in eggs. It has been asserted by some that if eggs are not shaken they will keep good, but if they are jarred they will spoil in less than a month. Dr. Borne has also declared that no organisms ever occur within an egg, no matter how advanced may be its decay. Dr. Gayon, from his investigations, contradicts this assertion. As to the latter, several organisms were discovered by Dr. Gayon in addled eggs, the more common of which are Bacterium termo, a torulo and an aspergillus. Dr. Gayon does not believe the germs of these organisms do not enter the egg through the pores of the shell, but are present at its formation. The same organisms found in the egg are also discovered in the oviduct and cloaca of some hens, and these prove also to be the more abundant in fertilized than in sterile eggs. On using an injection containing numerous bacteria they were more plentiful in the eggs that followed. These observations offer an explanation of the presence of foreign bodies in eggs, such as insects, small stones, seeds, etc., which have sometimes been known to occur. In the eggs of a hen that had been fed on the refuse of a hennery have been found the germs of alcoholic yeast. It has been clearly demonstrated that the jarring of an egg has no effect in inducing its decay and molds have no influence in causing their putrefaction. It is probable that this depends in a good degree upon the nature of the food taken by the hen. If this be true, and there is no doubt of it, poulterers may receive a useful hint. There is no doubt that the fertility and the purity of the egg depend in a great measure upon the food and the surroundings of hens.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

Stay on the Farm.

The disposition of so many young men to leave the farm and come to the city is not creditable to their intelligence. Every city in the country is overcrowded with this class of helpless young men. They grow up on the farms with no idea of the trials and temptations that beset their class in the large cities. They think they can live in the cities without the toil and drudgery they say is a part of farm life. There are many ways of living in a city, but there is but one honorable way, and that is surmounted with as many trials and hardships as earning one's living on the farm, and that is to earn it honestly. A young man without a trade will find he has to work harder to make both ends meet in the city than on a farm. The young man who thinks the world owes him a living and that the obligation will be cancelled in the cities, makes a mistake that is often learned too late. There is no more room for idlers in the city than on the farm. The criminal class receives some of its most vicious recruits from young men who thought they were too smart to be farmers, came to the city, found they had made a mistake, dropped into bad company, and will end their lives on the scaffold or in the penitentiary. No, young man, you are not too smart for the farm. The smartest man that ever lived hadn't sense enough to reach perfection in farming. Be independent. While there is always something to do on a well-regulated farm, if you have a leisure moment, use it in study or selling the many kinds of goods you will find that are especially made for your benefit. You can always find something to do if you want to work. If you don't, we have no time to reason with you.—*Agents' Herald.*

Keep Your Best for Home.

There is no place where good manners and punctilious etiquette is of more value than in the home. It is the moral agent of good breeding: it is the law that governs the manifestations of kindness and good feeling, and also the law that restrains unkind and ignoble traits of human nature from expression.

Keep your best temper for home. In society, on the streets, in business, everywhere, it is easier to control that attribute, if we guard the hasty word, the peevish tone, the irritating action in the home circle, and study to wound none of its inmates.

Keep your best spirits for home. Nowhere do gloomy and depressed spirits tell so disastrously as at home. The parents may have just cause for anxiety and care, but it is wrong and unjust to shadow the young life of children with anxieties they cannot appreciate, and cares they cannot understand. The tendency to brood over trouble or misfortune increases with its indulgence. So, also, the disposition to be cheerful and happy at all times increases with cultivation. This is by far the most admirable trait. Those who are sunshiny and cheerful in character always have the most friends, and where are friends so true and loyal and so desirable to perpetuate as those of home and family? The old comparison of the bent twig is as true in this case as in any other, and children who grow up in an atmosphere of foreboding of the future, anxieties about the present, and cynical reflections on the motives and actions of people about them, are training a tendency to be miserable and sad, and in their turn cast shadows, instead of sunshine, on the path of all about them.—*National Presbyterian.*

Liquid Manure.

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INTERNATIONAL MERIDIAN CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, October 14.—The International Meridian Congress reassembled yesterday. The proposition advanced by the French delegates favoring the adoption of a neutral meridian was, after discussion, rejected by a vote of three to twenty-one, France, Brazil and San Domingo only favoring it.

The proposition originally offered by Mr. Rutherford, of the United States, favoring Greenwich as the initial meridian was then taken up and discussed.

Mr. Lefaivre opposed its adoption, saying Greenwich was not the scientific meridian, that it implied no progress in any of the sciences, but was merely a commercial standard. As nothing could be gained to science by adopting Greenwich, France, he said, could not make a sacrifice of her own meridian and incur the vast expense consequent upon the adoption of a new one.

Sir William Thompson, of England, was present as a guest, and by invitation spoke in favor of the Greenwich meridian. He argued that it was purely a matter of convenience, and Greenwich answered the convenience of the world better than any other standard meridian.

The resolution favoring the Greenwich meridian was then adopted. Twenty-one nations favored it; one, San Domingo, voting against it, and France and Brazil abstaining from voting.

Mr. Rutherford then moved the adoption of a resolution proposing to count longitude in two directions, east and west, 180 degrees from Greenwich.

Count Lewenhaupt, the Swedish Minister, proposed to count longitude continuously through the whole three hundred degrees. These two propositions were discussed briefly, but without taking a vote the Congress adjourned till this afternoon.

TAXABLE PROPERTY OF NEW MEXICO.

Governor Sheldon, of New Mexico, in his annual report, states that the taxable property of the Territory during the past year has increased $4,000,000. The Territory, he says, is prosperous, schools are increasing, and agricultural and mining interests are flourishing.

THE POSTMASTER GENERALSHIP.

The second ten days' designation of Mr. Frank Hatton as Postmaster General will expire this evening. It is expected that the President will reach here in time to make an appointment before the close of business to-day.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The October term of the Supreme Court of the United States began yesterday with 1,064 cases on the docket. After the admittance of a number of attorneys to practice, Chief Justice Waite announced that the court would begin the call of the docket to-day. The court then adjourned.

Lieutenant General Sheridan returned from the west yesterday. Attorney General Brewster is expected here this morning.

Owing to the decrease of cholera in Europe, the Secretary of the Treasury has requested the department of State to discontinue the services of sanitary inspectors at London and Liverpool. The inspectors in France and Italy will be retained for the present. The Marine Hospital Bureau is informed that the bark Wm. Fisher, from Aspinwall, is in quarantine at Ship Island, and that one of her crew is sick in the hospital there with yellow fever.

Commodore DeKrafft, now on special duty at Washington, will be ordered to succeed Commodore Fillebrown, deceased, in command of the New York Navy Yard.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

A Young Girl Burned to Death—Torn to Pieces by the Machinery in His Mill.

PORTLAND, Oregon, October 14.—Saturday a daughter of Mrs. Henry Ring, living at Patahana, set her dress on fire by accident. The girl was most horribly burned and died in a short time. In a frantic attempt to extinguish the fire, Mrs. Ring was fatally burned.

Frank Frisbie, the alleged defaulting exchange teller of the First National Bank of Portland, has been again indicted on another charge of embezzlement. Frisbie exchanged counsel, entered a plea of not guilty and will fight the case.

Frank Pearson, a prominent pioneer of Washington Territory and owner of a large flouring mill at Walla Walla, became entangled in the machinery of the mill. His body was crushed and torn to fragments.

Jack Conory, who killed J. H. Robbins at Spokane Falls, W. T., was indicted Saturday for murder in the first degree. Conory is in custody and strongly guarded night and day. Lynching is still feared.

True Bills Found Against the Penn Bank Embezzlers.

PITTSBURGH, October 14.—The Grand Jury has been engaged since Friday last in considering the charges of conspiracy against President W. N. Riddle, Cashier Reiber and T. J. Watson, and the charge of embezzlement against Riddle and Reiber in relation to the Penn Bank difficulties. Before adjourning yesterday true bills were also found against Riddle, Reiber and Watson for conspiracy and against Riddle and Reiber for embezzlement of $1,194,152.50 of the bank's funds.

A Defaulter Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., October 14.—Benjamin G. Owens, Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Academy of Music, has defaulted to the amount of about $80,000. He left the city and was on his way to Denver when he was arrested in Chicago by a Pinkerton detective. He broke down completely and admitted his guilt. He consented to return to Philadelphia with the detective and at once boarded the train.

Rev. Adolph Heubach's Funeral.

NEW YORK, October 14.—Over 5,000 people attended the funeral of the Rev. Dr. Adolph Heubsch yesterday morning. The services were held in the Temple Avarath Chosed, at Lexington Avenue and Fifty-fifth Street, of which deceased was rabbi for over eighteen years.

Heavy Gale in Maine.

LEWISTON, Maine, October 14.—At eleven o'clock yesterday forenoon, during a heavy gale and shower, the Picker Mill, at Sabattus, was unroofed and other damage done. At Auburn, Este's Hall was unroofed and many chimneys blown off.

DUEL BETWEEN BROTHERS.

Two Brothers Fight to the Death With Jack-Knives.—Cotton Mills Shut Down Terrible Suffering Among Its Operatives.

NORWICH, Conn., October 13.—Last Wednesday, in an old-fashioned farm house near West Ashford, Windham county, a terrible fight between brothers ended in a murder. Joseph and Andrew Squires quarreled over a wagon trade, and drawing big jack-knives began to cut and thrust one another. Joseph, who was overmatched, received three wounds in the breast, one in the shoulder, another on the arm, several in the back of the head, and a long, fatal cut extending from the back of the ear across the jugular. In his death agony he struggled away toward the door but repeatedly plunged the knife into his brother's head. It was not till another brother arrived and pulled Andrew away that the blows ceased. Joseph died at nine o'clock in the evening. Andrew was arrested next day and Saturday he was committed on charge of murder.

The large Falls Cotton Mills of this place shut down over six weeks ago and will probably remain closed all winter. Between 500 and 600 operators were thrown out and six week's idleness has reduced most of them to destitution. For a while they were allowed "trust" at the company's store, but lately that source of supply has been cut off. What they are to do they do not know. They have no means to migrate to other mill towns and even if they had, the universal stagnation throughout New England promises no benefit from the change. Rows of families are seen at the Selectmen's office daily; many of the women and girls weeping as they apply for bread. In all the mill villages in New England the situation is pretty much the same. The help live from hand to mouth, and rarely save a dollar. When the mills shut down the operative is as helpless as a castaway in mid-ocean. It is the opinion of an observer, whose business has called him to all parts of New England, that the coming winter will witness suffering among the working people unparalleled in the country's history.

The Damage to the Quebec Parliament Greater Than at First Supposed.

QUEBEC, October 14.—The troops placed around the Parliament buildings Saturday night were withdrawn at 7:30 Sunday morning and a strong guard of police substituted. No person was allowed to approach the building during the night and Sunday a most vigorous watch was kept. The excitement is unabated and upwards of 40,000 persons visited the scene of the disaster yesterday. All sorts of rumors are in circulation, one being that four strangers have been prowling around the building and acting in a suspicious manner. A prominent civil employe says he overheard a conversation between three or four men who stated that they would soon have their grievances set right. The police thought last night they had a positive clue. Upon inspection it was found that the hole made by the first explosion was much larger than was at first reported. It is now believed the entire wall of the northeastern portion of the house will have to be taken down at an expense of $25,000. The building will not be completed in time to admit of a session there this year, and Music Hall will probably be leased. The explosion was felt over the entire city. Montcalm Market, a quarter of a mile distant, was shaken to its foundation. Mayor Langture's residence on the opposite side of the street from the Parliament House was badly shaken and nearly all the windows were shattered. Military guard is still kept over the magazines and stores and the cartridge factory.

Captain of an Italian Brig Washed Overboard and Lost.

NEW YORK, October 13.—The Italian brig Emanuele from Balboa July 26, arrived to-day almost a wreck in charge of her first mate, her captain, Mealasiano, having been swept away and drowned in a most terrific storm. The Emanuele has a cargo of iron ore and liquorice root. She had fine winds until September 10th, when a heavy gale sprang up and it was with the utmost difficulty that she could be kept right side up. The darkness was intense and the waves dashed against the vessel with a force that it seemed would shatter her to pieces. The Captain seeing the great danger rushed to the center of the deck, but a gigantic wave carried him overboard.

Fatal Accident in a Cincinnati Hospital.

CINCINNATI, October 14.—An accident occurred at the City Hospital yesterday morning, resulting in the death of Wm. T. Thomas and Christ Turdoest, a patient. The former was attempting to remove the latter to the amphitheatre on a stretcher, and fell through the elevator hatchway, a distance of forty feet with the truck on top of them. Death was almost instantaneous.

An Indian Battle.

MILES CITY, Mont., October 14.—Stockmen from the Rosebud report that forty miles south of the Northern Pacific the Cheyennes, led by Two Moons, Brave Wolf and Little Wolf, had a fight with a band of Piegans on Wednesday, killing one Piegan and wounding several others. The Cheyennes were on the war path, and said the Piegans stole their horses.

Death of a Well-Known Lawyer.

NEW YORK, October 13.—William F. Kintzing, the well-known criminal lawyer, who has practiced at the bar of this State for the past twenty-five years, died yesterday afternoon. He was taken sick Friday last and was attacked with hemorrhage and died.

Peter's Pence.

NEW YORK, October 14.—A letter from Archbishop McCloskey was read in the Catholic churches Sunday, exhorting the members to contribute to Peter's Pence to aid the Holy Father in resisting encroachments of the Italian Government upon his rights.

Guy Wilkes Wins.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 13.—In the trotting match for $3,000 between Guy Wilkes and Adair, of the respective strains of George Wilkes and Electioneer, Saturday, the former won in three straight heats in 2:20¾, 2:20¾ and 2:19¾.

Frightened to Death.

BROCKTON, Mass., October 13.—Mrs. M. R. Reynolds, sixty-nine years of age, was frightened to death by the explosion of a lamp Saturday night. She died within an hour of heart disease.

Ex-President Wolsey Resigns From Yale.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., October 14.—Ex-President Wolsey has resigned from Yale Corporation on account of age and deafness. He is eighty-five years old.

Broke Jail.

SHAWNEETOWN, Ill., October 14.—William Nelson and O. Wilkins escaped from jail Sunday afternoon while the jailer was attempting to put them in their cells. Officers are in pursuit

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Home Politeness.

A boy who is polite to his father and mother is likely to be polite to every one else. A boy lacking politeness to his parents may have the semblance of courtesy in society, but is never truly polite in spirit, and is in danger, as he becomes familiar, of betraying his real want of courtesy. We are all in danger of living too much for the outside world, for the impression which we make in society, coveting the good opinions of those who are in a sense a part of ourselves, and who will continue to sustain and be interested in us, notwithstanding these defects of deportment and character. We say to every boy and to every girl, cultivate the habits of courtesy and propriety at home—in the sitting room and the kitchen, as well as in the parlor—and you will be sure in other places to deport yourself in a becoming and attractive manner. When one has a pleasant smile and a graceful demeanor, it is a satisfaction to know these are not put on, but that they belong to the character, and are manifest at all times and under all circumstances.

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A Rare Talent.

The faculty of drawing out of persons with whom one is conversing the best there is in them—brighter things even than they suppose themselves capable of—is the rare gift with which Nature has endowed some women. George Eliot was a most charming person in conversation, though she was a women of few words, because of her intuitive insight into the thoughts of others. A few words would put her in possession, not of what they said, but of what they would fain have said, and she would so improve upon it that ordinary people went away charmed with her who had made them for once at least feel themselves to be wise. Long afterward, perhaps, she would call to their remembrance the wise or witty things which they could hardly believe themselves to have said, and which they assuredly never would have said but for her quickening influence.

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ESTATE OF THOMAS MARSHALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Garrett Marshall, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of a instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. oc1

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Maria Brewer, late of Tecumseh in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 21st day of October, 1884, and on the 28th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 30th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Oct. 2, 1884.

E. B. WOOD,
P. S. McKINNON,
Commissioners.

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ESTATE OF CHARLES HEWITT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 6th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Hewitt, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles T. Hewitt, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid all the expenses in the settlement of said estate that have fallen due, and to part further upon the legacies under said will, and praying for the allowance of his second account now on file in this court, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such further order as may be necessary for the final settlement of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH NORCROSS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 3d day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Jacob L. Roberts, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all the legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and that the assets belonging to said estate remains in his hands, and praying for the allowance of his final account now on file in this court, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such further order as may be necessary for the final settlement of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 8, 1875, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan in Liber 54 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 54 of mortgages on page 454, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars, and no proceeding at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent, to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Death's opera house, so called on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held, all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows. Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray, thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's land twelve (12) rods; thence east parallel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods. Also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24, 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL,
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Assignee.
Attorney for Assignee. sep4

GUARDIAN SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minor by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1884, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon all the undivided half of all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows. Beginning at a point in the south line of a street which starts nearly opposite Brown street in said village and runs easterly from Mill street to Maumee street in said village, seventeen (17) rods easterly from the east line of said Mill street; thence running southerly at right angles with said south line of said street nineteen (19) rods to a point met by producing easterly the southerly line of a lot formerly owned and occupied by Robert Stewart on its own course; thence easterly along said line produced easterly as aforesaid six (6) rods; thence northwardly parallel with first course nineteen rods to said south line of said street running easterly from Mill street to Maumee street as aforesaid; thence westerly along said south line of said street six rods to place of beginning.

Terms of sale, cash.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, Sept. 22d, 1884.

FREDERICK GMOHLING,
Guardian of said Minor.

ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edward L. Russell, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased the expenses of last sickness and burial of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 16, 1884.

The election of Lt. Salsbury for Prosecutor is a foregone conclusion. He has been a faithful and efficent officer, and the people of Lenawee county will extend his official lease two years longer.

The Democrats hit the nail on the head when they nominated Horace Holdridge for the Legislature in this district. With proper effort we believe he can be elected. Still his competitors are both strong candidates and it behoves Mr. Holdridge to be "hustling about" and improving his time before election day.

A. K. Whitmore and D. A. Bixby were looking after their fences in this section of the county one day last week. They find no holes to stop up or broken posts to reset in this neighborhood. They will not only pole every Democratic and National vote but many Republicans who believe in voting for the best men will find use for their slips.

Among the many excellent candidates on the fusion county ticket, Danforth Keyes, of Clinton, for Register, is one of the best. Mr. Keyes was for many years a prominent business man of that village, has been supervisor several times and has served many years on the school board, and one term in the Legislature. He would fill the position of Register most acceptably.

Edwin P. Wood is making a gallant run for Probate Judge. In natural adaptability and in legal experience both, there is no attorney in Lenawee County better equipped to fill that office creditably. He has enjoyed an extensive practice in Probate Court for many years, with marked ability and success. We have faith to believe that Judge Wood will preside over the Probate office in the new Court House.

Col. Eldredge is not running a brass band campaign this fall, but he is making a quiet and thorough canvass. His record made at Washington proves him to be a careful legislator, and what is as much to the point in these corrupt times—an honest man. Although the Republican vote will be much larger than two years ago, he has the advantage of the full greenback strength, which was cast for a third candidate in 1882. With proper work in his behalf, there would seem to be no reasonable doubt of his election.

We have traveled about the county a good deal during the past month and have been surprised to find that many farmers who will vote a straight Blaine or fusion electoral ticket, will vote for David Preston for Governor. If the campaign runs for the next three weeks in this state as it has been running for the past month, the governorship will lie between Begole and Preston. The action of the typographical unions in boycotting Gen. Alger is likely to cost him ten thousand votes.

The celebrated case wherein Ben Turner was plaintiff and Master C. T. Crandall was defendant has been discontinued. Master Crandall says the plaintiff paid his own costs. Ben Turner, over his own signature, declares the assertion to be a "false, cowardly and malicious statement." We regret to see Master Crandall following in the footsteps of the illustrious "Man from Maine." Having decided to throw an anchor to windward in Ben Turner's behalf, he should have liquidated his convention debt promptly and proceeded with an aggressive canvass.

The Greenbackers are represented on the fusion county ticket by C. H. Dewey for Senator, Edward Learnard for Treasurer and Philip H. Dowling for Surveyor. With Mr. Dowling we have no acquaintance but understand that he is well fitted for that position. Chas. H. Dewey has served his township for many years on the Board of Supervisors and has held other offices of trust. He is one of the most respected citizens of the county, and his nomination adds both personal and political strength to the ticket. Mr. Learnard is one of the young farmers of Franklin. He was a pioneer in the Greenback movement and the growth of the party in his township was due in a great measure to his efforts. No better representative of the younger element in the Greenback ranks could have been found. The Greenbackers on the ticket are most excellent men, whom the Democrats will consider it an honor to support.

TEMPERANCE DEPARTMENT.

EDITED BY A COMMITTEE OF THE UNION PROHIBITION PARTY.

Motto:—No License for the Liquor Traffic in any form or for any price.

UNION PROHIBITION TICKET.

For President—John P. St. John, of Kansas.
For Vice Pres't—William Daniel, of Maryland.

THAT ST. JOHN MEETING.

As our readers are undoubtedly aware Gov. John P. St. John visited Adrian on the 7th of Oct., and the event was celebrated by a "prohibition rally." But concerning that meeting, wide differences of opinion seem to be held. Note the following clippings from different papers:

"St. John *puts in an appearance here but exists no Particular Enthusiasm.*" "*There is no Special Attendance of People in the City.*" "To-day had been largely advertised as St. John's day, and it was designed to make the advent here of the Prohibition candidate for the Presidency the occasion for a grand outpouring of his sect. But in this respect the affair was a failure. A fairly busy Saturday would have seen more people in the city."—Adrian Times and Expositor.

St. John. "A Red Letter Prohibition Day. Crowds of Earnest People from all parts of the County. A Presidential Candidate visits us." "The attendance was *very large*, the grand stand being *completely filled* with interested listeners, and the fair grounds proper were a living mass of people who were all attention to this living orator"—Adrian Evening Record.

Cold Water Politics. The Presidential Candidate, St. John, at Adrian. He is Royally Received by his Lenawee County Admirers. David Preston and Mosher of Mosherville also on hand. Prayers asked for Prohibition. Adrian, Mich. Oct. 7.—This is a great day for the Lenawee county prohibitionists, and a crowd of people variously estimated at from 7,000 to 10,000 is present to hear John P. St. John and other apostles of prohibition. Evening News Correspondent.

"This afternoon I addressed 10,000 people at Adrian, and that was merely a sample of the gatherings which greet me wherever I go."—St. John's speech at Detroit.

St. John in Adrian. It was expected that Adrian would see a large crowd of people on the 7th, the day that St. John was advertised to speak and the expectations were fully realized. * * * There was an immense crowd on the fair grounds at half past one. The speaking was from a platform on the grand stand which was literally packed with people. The crowd in front of the stand extended out far into the park and fully 8000 people heard St. John deliver a speech of great force and strong logic. If the enthusiasm continues we shall soon begin to find it necessary to recognize it as the only political opponent worthy of notice and battle it accordingly.—Adrian Press.

We appeal to every fair-minded man to judge from these statements and from the testimony of his neighbors, who may have attended that meeting, who did the lying. It must be manifest that the Republican organ of this county is not only sold out to the rum power, but is becoming utterly unreliable as a newspaper. A man who will so pervert the facts in regard to a public meeting cannot be a good guide to follow on political questions of importance.

The whole account of that meeting, the sketch of the address and all as given in the Times, was an absolute misrepresentation of what was said and done. Yet the Times labors in the same issue to convince people that he is for "Temperance," and proceeds to exhort temperance men to vote with his temperance party. A temperance party forsooth, with a beer-guzzler at the head of its chief organ in the enlightened County of Lenawee! God save the mark! People will have to conclude that the Times man got his information in regard to that meeting, out of the saloons. Very true they did not have much of a crowd that day. It was not a good day for them.

A Day of Fasting and Prayer for the Suppression of the Liquor Traffic.

PROHIBITION HEADQUARTERS,
CHICAGO, October 7.

To the People of the United States:

In view of the misery and crime resulting from alcholism and of the guilt fastened on people by governments—municipal, state and national—by permitting and even licensing the traffic in poison drinks, the executive Committee of the Prohibition party call upon the people of this country to observe Wednesday, October 29, as a day of fasting, humiliation and confession, and in view of the fact that many all over the land are aroused and realize the enormity of the liquor crime, and are willing to be at cost and pains to put it away, we call upon all Christian believers to unite in prayer to Almighty God that His aid may be given to measures which will result in the speedy putting away of this guilt and suppression of the traffic in alcoholic drinks.

JOHN B. FINCH, Chairman.

THAT MOSHER PETITION.

Editor Michigan Prohibitionist.

In your issue of Sept. 25, we read a petition addressed to Hon. Chas. Mosher, congregational nominee on the Union ticket, for the Second district of Michigan, requesting him to withdraw his name from the ticket, as he can best serve the cause of the Prohibitionists by so doing, and working in the interest of Capt. Allen. The request is signed by 10 of the citizens of this town, claiming to be Prohibition voters. We wish in all conscience that such might be the case, but it is not. Only one of them is identified as an out-and-out Prohibitionist, and he will speak for himself. There is not one Prohibitionist in this town, or hereabouts, in our opinion, that would desire Mr. Mosher to take such a course. As Prohibitionists, we take distinctive grounds, and while we know that many Republicans claim to be Prohibitionists, and while we are willing to accord due respect to the opinions of others, who may differ with us, yet we do not want it understood that the parties affixing their names to the document above spoken of, in any degree represents the Prohibition sentiment of this place.

We feel proud of Mr. Mosher, as our candidate for congress, and we want to thank him, through the columns of your most excellent paper, for the reply he gave to those gentlemen, and assure him that he will have the hearty support of every true Prohibitionist of this place, at least of those whose names are hereto affixed.

N. C. Havens, A. D. Armstrong, L. C. Garrison, Alex. Pierce, G. P. Mills, G. F. Cone, Newton W. Bradley, G. L. Sackett, J. M. Swain, R. Smart, C. M. Lewis, Walter Pixley.

Hudson, Mich., Sept. 29, 1884.

What the Leading Men Say.

Among the leading minds of the country who endorse the Prohibition party and will vote for St. John and Daniel in the present canvass, are such names as the following. Read a few of their utterances:

Rev. Joseph Cook, of Boston. Constitutional Prohibition is a rising tide. I hope to live to see it a successful issue in both state and national politics.

Rev. Jesse B. Thomas, D. D. of Brooklyn. The opportunity seems to be an unmistakably providential one for those who want to root up the upas tree of strong drink, and ought not to be evaded.

Rev. Chas. Deems, D. D., of New York. The one paramount political issue of the day is the destruction of the general liquor traffic. There are a hundredfold more reasons for abolishing the traffic than for abolishing slavery, and the American people will see it yet, and then nothing can restrain them.

Arthur T. Pierson, D. D., of Philadelphia. I am thoroughly convinced that we shall never successfully cope with this gigantic monster except by desperate measures. We must treat liquor selling as we treat other crimes.

Theodore L. Cuyler, D. D., Brooklyn. Preach the two-fold doctrine of moral suppression of the drinking usages, and legal suppression of the dram-shops. The nation is waiting for new and inspiring watchwords, such as civil service reform, overthrow of polygamy, honest government, free education for the negro, and the right of every community to suppress the drinking saloons.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending October 30, 1884:

Estate of Miles P. Morton, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Ansil A. Main, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing October 27.

In the matter of William Lender, an indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum filed; hearing October 6, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Estate of Esther Myers, an incompetent person; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Abram Bovee, deceased; petition for assignment of real estate; order of assignment.

Estate of Herbert L. Baker, minor; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate of Samuel L. Rice, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond, $1,000.

Estate of Samuel L. Rice, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond, $1,000.

Estate of John H. Wakefield; minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing October 27.

Estate of Asa Russell, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing October 27.

Estate of Nancy C. Smith, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond, $6,000.

Estate of Robert I. Dowling, deceased; petit on for proof of will; hearing October 27.

Estate of Parley J. Spaulding, deceased; executor's account allowed; assignment and distribution.

Estate of Charles Rynd, deceased; order of continuance until Oct 2, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Hattie Force, et al., minors; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate of John Cantrick, deceased; affidavit of publication; order determining who are or were, the legal heirs of said deceased.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending Oct. 4.

CAMBRIDGE.

J. E. Gibbs to Wilson Lee. Land on sec. 28. $35.

Wm. Onsted to A. F. Daniels. Land on sec. 28. $75.

RIDGEWAY.

John Cheever to Joseph Hunter. Land on sec. 4. $75.

John Cheever to Helen A. Cannon. Land on sec. 4. $75.

Joh Cheever to W. E. Nivison. Land on sec. 4. $75.

TECUMSEH.

L. A. Davis to J. N. Haag. Land on Chicago st. $700.

The November number of the Magazine of Art will contain articles on "The American Salon," by W. C. Brownell, illustrated with engravings after F. A. Brigman, Wyatt, Eaton, Stewart, Boggs, Grayson, and W. T. Dannat; a second chapter of "Head-Gear in the Fifteenth Century," by Richard Heath; "Out of Town," by J. Penderell-Brodhurst, with illustrations by Allan Barraud; "Betwixt Tavern and Tavern," by Percy Fitzgerald, with illustrations drawn by E. J. Lambert; "Old English Painters," by Edmund Ollier, with engravings after Riley, Walker, Nathaniel Bacon, and Peter and Isaac Oliver; and "French Furniture" by Eustance Balfour.

We would call the attention of our readers to the exhibition of fine marble, brass, bronze and plush clocks in Adamson's show window.

The Board of Supervisors.

October 14—The October session of the board of supervisors, opened at the supervisors room in Dean's opera house, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, a full board being present. The board was called to order by County Clerk Hunter, and the first business undertaken by the board was the election of a chairman. The prominent candidates for the position were Horace Holdridge, democrat, and D. W. Love, republican. Six ballots were taken, without making an election, the vote standing 13 to 13 twice, and 12 to 14 four times. Two members did not vote a portion of the time. Finally a recess was taken, when three more ballots decided the contest in favor of Mr. Love.

The court house committee reported progress on the new court house, after which the board adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

The chairman announced the following as the committees for the year as appointed by him:

Ways and Means—Holdridge, Cochrane, Finger.

Equalization—Sweeney, Shearson, Munson, Sickley, Haas, Bay, Marsteller.

Judiciary—Fleming, Dewey, Warren.

Deputy Sheriff's and Constables' Accounts—James, Lowe, Dalton.

Miscellaneous Accounts—Shepherd, Raymond, Crane.

County Poor and Insane Accounts—Warren, Baker, Haas.

Sheriff's Accounts—Munson, Gilmore, James.

Treasurer's Accounts—Woodworth, Crane, Bixby.

Public Buildings—Cochrane, Shepherd, Goodsell.

Apportionment and Assessment Rolls—Moore, Fleming, Dewey, Goodsell, Gilmore, Bixby, Baker.

County Drains—Finger, Moore, Sickley, Shearson.

Printing—Raymond, Woodworth, Bay.

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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 10th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix of the estate of said deceased with the will annexed, praying for license to sell the estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. oct6

LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

KIES BROTHERS!

Have just put in one of the finest lines of GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS ever brought to Tecumseh.

And are showing the latest styles in Gent's Neckwear, comprising the new shapes of Cutter & Crossett elegant Neckwear which are unsurpassed for style and fit. Elegant line of Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Gloves of all kinds. All shades in Gent's Kid Gloves. Our Driving Gloves are without doubt the best that can be had for the purpose.

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We are offering the best value for 50c, 75c, and $1, that can be had and in finer goods we have all styles red and genuine Scotch wools etc. In wool shirts we have them in both pattern, laced and buttoned, which are elegant, and in cheaper grades for workingmen our assortment is large.

All the leading styles in Cluett's Collars and Cuffs can be found in our store. HATS and CAPS in all the leading styles. For correct and latest styles we call your attention.

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J. S. KINNEY,

TECUMSEH.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST.—Between Fred Morrill's and Tecumseh on Tuesday, Oct. 14, a dark blanket shawl. Finder will please leave at Anderson's dry goods store.

FARMER'S MUTUAL.—The annual meeting of the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Lenawee County will be held in the old Light Guard Armory in the city of Adrian, on Monday, Oct. 27th, 1884, at one o'clock P. M. Members of the company are requested to attend.
GEO. R. ALLEN, Secretary.
Z. COOK, Pres.

DRESSMAKING.—I have opened dressmaking rooms over Nyland's shoe store where I should be pleased to see all wishing work done.
MRS. R. C. CATLIN.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

SEED POTATOES.—Pure Early Rose, Clark's No. 1, White Star, St. Patrick, White Elephant and Mammoth Pearl. For sale at reasonable prices.
ABNER WILSON.

CIDER APPLES WANTED.—Cash for cider apples at J. B. Hause & Bros.' mill, at Clinton. We take our apples by weight, 50 lbs. per bush.
J. B. HAUSE & BRO.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses.
SLAYTON & SON.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between Drs. House & Jones is this day dissolved by mutual concent. All persons indebted to the above named firm are requested to call on Dr. House at his old office over Lilly & Co's. Bank, who is authorized to settle all accounts. Dr. Jones can be found at the same office until farther notice.
R. B. HOUSE.
O. Q. JONES.

A SINGLE BUGGY—Almost as good as new. For sale cheap. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

LUMBER WAGON.—Nearly new and just painted over. For sale cheap. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

This is a rainy and disagreeable day.

The "Celebrated Case" family have moved to Battle Creek.

Seymour Knapp, of Jackson, an old Tecumseh boy, was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Darling, of St. Paul Minn. is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Ford.

Rev. G. W. Hudson speaks in Ridgeway on Tuesday eve. Oct. 21st on Prohibition.

Mrs. Henry Arnold, of Bristol Ind., is visiting her sister Mrs. Welcome Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ford, of Ionia, visited relatives and friends the fore part of the week.

A masquerade is now spoken of as one of the attractions at the Tecumseh Skating Rink for next week.

Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. have a new ad. this week calling attention to the celebrated Garland stoves and ranges.

M. P. Brown says that all a person has to do to cure dyspepsia is to join the Prohibition party and work for St. John.

Mrs. L. C. Blood of Lansing, who has been spending a few weeks at her old home in this village, will return to Lansing to-morrow.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Phelps returned last evening from Indianapolis where they were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Judge Turpie.

The Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle meets at the office of Dr. R. B. House to-morrow evening. Let there be a full attendance of all interested.

Blaine had a grand reception at Detroit last Tuesday. The Blaine & Logan club, of Adrian, attracted particular attention, and was considered the finest in the procession.

Gainsley & Co., Tecumseh's enterprising dry goods firm, have an announcement on the eighth page, which will repay careful perusal.—They are offering extra bargains in dry goods this fall.

As Mrs. Jerre Bowen was driving along Maumee street near the M. & O. her horse became unmanageable and turned so quickly as to overturn the carriage. Mrs. Bowen was thrown to the ground and considerably shaken up but no bones broken.

For getting "full" and creating a disturbance on the street last Tuesday evening a young man from the rural districts was 'run in' to cool off. He was released in the morning and allowed to go his way with an admonition from the justice to reform and vote a straight Prohibition ticket this fall.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our repective places of business at 7:30 o'clock each evening from Monday, Oct. 20th, '84 to April 1st, '85, except Saturday evenings and Holiday week; and also agree to pay 25c. each week for expense of ringing bell for signal to close:

Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.
W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.
Strong & McNair.
Whitenack, Bordine & Co.
George Heesen.
Wm. McCowen.
Gainsley & Co.
Kies Brothers.

The McGregor Times in speaking of the Smith—Powers marriage says:

Mr. Smith is our excellent and efficient superintendent for the C. M. & St. Paul Co. in charge of the McGregor and North McGregor stations. THE TIMES joins with the many friends of the contracting parties in wishing them a long life of uninterrupted happiness, a period of matrimonial blessings that shall prove to their welfare, to the honor and glory of the union so happily consummated. The bridal pair arrived in McGregor on Friday morning. A cordial greeting is extended to Mrs. Smith, with the hope that she may experience the most friendly relations, and indeed, enjoy her home in the Pocket City.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 16, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Fall taxes will soon be ripe.

Lots of plug hats are being worn these days.

The girls of Milan are organizing a cornet band.

Go and spend an evening at the skating rink.

We print daily bills of fare for the Lilley House.

Frank Snedicor was up from Dundee yesterday.

Surprise parties will soon be the order of the day.

"The Patterson" is receiving the finishing touches.

Coal dealers are busy delivering the dusky diamonds.

Harry Snell is at home a few days nursing a broken arm.

Bro. Carr, of the Dundee Reporter, gave us a call on Monday.

"Only a Miner's Daughter," at the Opera House last evening.

Sheriff Bidwell was shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends Saturday.

Examine those beautiful marble, brass, bronze and plush clocks at Adamson's.

L. H. Salsbury will address a Democratic meeting at Macon Grange Hall this evening.

Rev. J. H. Lozier will address a Republican meeting at Britton's on Saturday next, Oct. 18.

Hon. John K. Bois and B. F. Graves will address a Republican meeting at Lake Ridge Oct. 20, evening.

The Stewart-Wilberforce Company gave a first-class entertainment to a small audience on Tuesday evening.

Henry Wickwire, who moved from Raisin to Duvall's Bluff, fourteen years ago, is back to his old home on a short visit.

The Republicans hold a meeting this evening at the Opera House, which will be addressed by Capt. Allen and John K. Boies.

A large number of Republicans from Tecumseh and the surrounding towns attended the Blaine reception at Detroit last Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Catlin has opened dressmaking rooms over Nyland's shoe store where she would be glad to see those in need of that kind of work.

We have searched every nook and corner for local items this week. But, to tell the truth it is very dull, and happenstances are extremely seldom.

Hon. Levi V. Moulton and C. H. Dewey Esq. will address Butler and West meetings as follows: Tecumseh, Oct. 23, Tipton, Oct. 24, Springville, Oct. 25.

An exchange remarks that the skating rink mania is moving west. We should rather say it is moving east, as the west has been afflicted with it ever since it sprang into existence.

Capt. Foster had a big week at the Lilley House last week. Each day's arrivals filled a page of the register, with an extra page thrown in on Wednesday for Hi Henry's minstrels.

Wm. H. Mather and wife left home for Oregon last Tuesday for a visit of several months duration. We presume the readers of the HERALD would like to hear from him occasionally.

Someone claims to have discovered that chloroform will cure cholera. We should think it might. It has been used with good effect as a cure for poverty, disappointment and love, and they are more stubborn maladies than cholera.

Mr. R. Hathaway, of Addison, was in town last Tuesday, the guest of J. B. Swan. Mr. Hathaway formerly visited Tecumseh quite often when he was agent for Appleton's Cyclopedia, but he is now resting from his labors and living with his son, I. N. Hathaway.

The Board of Supervisors met at Adrian last Monday. D. W. Love, of Franklin, was chosen chairman. Several ballots were taken, which were a tie between Mr. Love and Mr. Holdridge of Raisin, but Love was finally chosen. He is the oldest supervisor in service on the Republican side.

W. H. Smith, of Springville, is now proprietor of the Onsted and Brooklyn stage line. We give the time table:

Leave Springville 11:30 A. M.
Arrive at Onsted 12 M.
Leave Onsted 12:30 P. M.
Arrive at Springville 1 P. M.
Arrive at Brooklyn 4 P. M.
Arrive at Springville 6 P. M.
Stage runs daily except Sundays.

Adrian Press: Mr. Isaac Deane of Adrian township has left with us a sample of corn of the white flint variety grown by him this season. It fully sustains the reputation of Michigan for growing fine corn; one of the stalks of only ordinary growth has five fully developed ears of grain of more than ordinary size, most of them being more than a foot in length. Mr. Deane, who is over 72 years of age, has five acres of the above grain which he has raised himself this year, doing all the plowing, planting, cultivating and cutting without help. Pretty good for a man of his years especially as he is not enjoying the best of health.

Beautiful weather for October.

Gus Slayton is in Illinois looking after his lumber interests this week.

Slayton & Son have a large force of men picking and packing apples.

A good number of our Republicans went over to Detroit Tuesday to see Blaine.

When a man starts out to paint the town red he does not do it with water colors.

Mrs. E. A. Tribou is in Detroit where she will remain a few weeks visiting friends.

Mr. Wm. Hess and wife of Quincy were the guests of Mrs. Geo. Everett over Sunday.

Fred Eaton's "Lion Store" of Toledo, has a place in our advertising columns this week.

Geo. W. Ayres and Judge Geddes' son, of Adrian, favored the HERALD with a call last Friday.

Exelby's new hall at Britton will be dedicated on the evening of Oct. 23 by a Democratic meeting.

Britton Post, No. 222, G. A. R., will give an oyster supper and dance on Friday evening, Oct. 25th.

Alf James spent Sunday at his home in this village. He still is in the employ of Sigler Bros., of Cleveland.

The Southern Michigan Congregational conference will meet at Morenci on the 21st and 22d of this month.

The sorghum and cider mills have all got down to work. The sorghum crop is extra quality this fall but it is rather light in quantity.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., on Friday evening, Oct. 17. Work in the M. M. degree. A full attendance of the members is requested.

Thos. Adamson is devoting his attention to the Optical department of Adamson's establishment, and persons wishing to be fitted with good glasses should call on him.

N. B. Bradley, of Bay City, one of Tecumseh Lumber Co. firm was in Tecumseh last week. He expressed himself well pleased with the business outlook of the Lumber Company under the efficient management of Mr. Joe Smith.

The latest in dress for gentlemen is the "Father Hubbard." Simply drop the suspenders and wear the shirt loose over the top of your pants and you have the "Father Hubbard."—Ex.

Why not drop the pants and wear the suspenders? Coldwater Republican.

Adrian Record: The high-joint commission of the school boards of four townships which met to consider the wisdom of carving out a new district for Sand Creek, decided that Sand Creek was putting on too many airs, and refused to chop out the "deestrict."

Morenci Observer: So gratifying was the success of our village fair last week that some of our "solid men" are thinking of investing in the association to the extent of its indebtedness, thus relieving the concern of the last impediment in the way of a grand future of usefulness and prosperity.

The Lenawee County Record is the new weekly edition of the Adrian Record. It is a six column eight page sheet, well filled with local news and presents a very neat typographical appearance. Judging from the initial number it will be a creditable addition to the newspapers of Lenawee county.

Last Thursday evening Mr. Finlay B. Deuel, foreman of Sparta Sentinel, was united in marriage to Miss Loana D. Avery of this village. The groom is one of our Tecumseh boys, who has obtained a good position in a live printing office of Northern Michigan, and the bride is well known here. They departed Thursday evening for their new home. May happiness and success attend them.

The English sparrow is certainly an unmitigated nusance, and should be abated. They have taken complete possession of the trees in this village to the exclusion of every other variety of the chirping feathered tribe. Their annihilation is being discussed in all the larger towns, but how to accomplish it is a matter not easily determined. But all unite in the oppinion that it should be done.

Adrian Record: An Adrian young lady turned on the water of the bath room up stairs and then went to answer a telephone summons. Presently she forgot all about that there was a bath room in the house. The flood was 15 inches deep in the back sitting room down stairs, and still rising when the watery condition of things was discovered. It was at first supposed that there had been a water spout or a dam-break, but finally some one thought of the bath room and rushed up and shut off the flood.

Adrian Record: Holloway children have the toughest kind of constitutions. Take for example the two-and a-half-year-old hopeful of James Ash, who on Tuesday of last week was knocked down and run over by a wagon, weighted with 40 bushels of oats and three persons. The weight flattened the young man to the ground, but he recovered his rotundity like a rubber ball, and beyond having his collar bone cracked and his rennet squeezed considerably, he was not much damaged

Having bought out Mrs. Stout's millinery business Mrs. N. R. Brown kindly invites the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity to call and look at the new goods.

The origin of the word newspaper is said to be found in the old custom of putting at the head of periodical publications the points of the compass, N. E. W. S., showing that information was given from all parts of the world. But this etymology must be regarded as more ingenious than correct.

An effort is making to raise an endowment fund of Five Thousand Dollars for Raisin Valley Seminary. If twenty-five hundred dollars be pledged before the first day of next July, in this section, the same sum will be given by parties in Ohio. Mr. Swan and R. Hathaway began the canvass last Tuesday and propose to hang to the work until the required Twenty-five Hundred Dollars shall be pledged. They ought to have no trouble in securing that amount.

Adrian Record: From the village on the southern border comes the information through the medium of the Observer, that "on Thursday morning of last week two towering pillars of the M. E. church militant, of this village, got into a first-class altercation over the location of a wood pile, and had a beligerent clinch in which one beloved brother cast forth another dearly beloved brother into the streets." Well, what of it? Can't a man have any fun at all after he becomes a Methodist.

Macon Grange, No. 167, will hold an open meeting on Oct. 24th, inst. at 8 o'clock, P. M., with the following programme:

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Recitation—Jennie Osgood.
Reading—Mrs. C. V. Skinner.
Song—Mrs. J. W. Osborn.
Essay—Miss Genevieve Laffer.
Recitation—Georgie Baker.
Inst. Music—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Reading—Miss Maude Howell.
Recitation—Miss Martha Linton.
Essay—Miss Sarah Hunt.
Song—Frank Aten.
Reading—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Recitation—Emma Bailey.
Essay—C. E. Triplet
Closing Song—Choir.

D. Woodward of Clinton, agent of the Niagara White Grape Co., for Clinton, Macon, Tecumseh and vicinity, is receiving orders for vines to be delivered in the spring of 1885. The stock being limited for 1885 delivery, make your order at once. You will get two year old vines under seal of the Co., as all the stock is owned by one company. The price will be kept at present rates for several years; get one or two vines now. Your neighbors will have them as soon as they see yours in bearing, and you can then supply them with vines, double your money, and have the fruit after the Concord is gone. It is said to ripen with the Hartford Prolific and keep to December. I would refer the People of Tecumseh to F. Davidson, H. Osborn, John Fisher, F. Burger, E. G. Cook, and many others that have sampled the fruit and given their orders for vines. Orders taken at Tecumseh by L. M. Mooney.

The litigation which has been pending for several months between the officers of the Clinton Woolen Mill on one side and Edwin R. Smith and others on the other side, has been settled and both suits have been withdrawn. The first suit was commenced by the Mill officers against Mr. Smith to compel him to allow the company to draw water from his race for their use. The second suit was begun by Mr. Smith, Moses Bartlett and other stock holders, and asked for the appointment of a receiver of the company. Judge Stacy and Bean & Underwood appeared for the Woolen Mill officials, and Millard, Weaver & Weaver appeared for Mr. Smith. In the final adjustment the company reserve a strip of land between their mill and Mr. Smith's race and the privilege of tapping the race several rods above the mill to procure clean water. As all suits will be discontinued at once, the Woolen Mills undoubtedly will commence business again at an early day, much to the gratification of the people of Clinton.

The Story of a Hat.

As a distinguishing mark the Tecumseh Blaine and Logan club has adopted a soft gray hat. The hat is attractive in shape and color, and it is not surprising that when Deputy Sheriff John Smith, of Tecumseh, who attended the big republican meetings here on Saturday, stepped into Salsbury and O'Mealy's office, Mr. O'Mealy asked permission to look at his new head gear. The hat suited "Lon's" taste, and being unaware that it was a republican uniform, his admiration led to a desire to purchase. Mr. Smyth is not slow to see the point of a joke, and realizing that to put a republican hat upon a democrat would be an excellent one, he sold Mr. O'Mealy the felt in short order. The purchaser wore his new acquisition about town in all innocence for a time, but, before now, his friends have learned of the sell and are making life a burden for him. Mr. Smyth, meanwhile having secured another hat, has told the tale of his Adrian convert to any number of his Tecumseh friends.—Adrian Times.

A TRIP TO GRAND RAPIDS.

Last week we spent a couple of days in Grand Rapids in attendance upon the Universalist State Convention in session there, having been chosen as delegate from the Tecumseh parish. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Burlingame were the remaining delegates, both of whom attended the convention also.

We left Tecumseh on the noon train via the M. & O. route, and a fine ride of four hours brought us to Allegan. There connection was made with a train on the C. & W. M. Ry. which sped directly to Grand Rapids where we arrived at 6 o'clock P. M. The arrangement between the M. & O. and Chicago & West Michigan roads is a great convenience to the traveling public. A through coach runs directly from Toledo to Grand Rapids, it being just eight hours run between the two places, making it the shortest and quickest route between these two cities. The C. & W. M. is a first class road in every respect and in connection with the M. & O. forms a direct line from Toledo and points on the M. & O. to Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Pentwater and other places in Northwestern Michigan.

Grand Rapids is a beautiful city and is rapidly increasing in wealth and population. It now has more than 40,000 inhabitants, the census of 1880 showing 33,000. It has over two hundred electric lights, an extensive street railway system, a telephone exchange of over 500 subscribers, several fine hotels, a magnificent Union depot and other metropolitan characteristics.—It is largely engaged in manufacturing, having over 600 separate establishments. The chief industry is the manufacture of furniture. Grand Rapids furniture is known the world over. There are 25 factories engaged in this industry. The furniture factories of the city have clubbed together and raised money with which they will erect a building for their own use at the New Orleans exposition. We had the pleasure of visiting one of the leading establishments, The Berkey & Gay Furniture Co. Jas. Wilcox, head bookkeeper of this House, is a son-in-law of Mrs. E. D. Burlingame, and Mr. and Mrs. B. stopped with him during their stay in the city. Through the kindness of Mr. Wilcox we were shown through the establishment. They have an immense four story warehouse on Canal street which is filled with manufactured goods, and two large factories—one on each side of the river, having about four hundred hands in their employ. During our stay we witnessed the process of paying off the hands in one of the factories.

The convention was held at the church on Pearl street. The Grand Rapids parish is a large and influential one, being second only to the Detroit parish in wealth and numbers among the Universalist churches of the state. Both delegates and visitors were royally entertained, for which great credit is due Mr. E. A. Tredway, chairman of the reception commitee. Mr. Tredway is agent of the "Blue Line" freight, and has an office on Monroe street. Every visitor upon his arrival was taken in charge by Mr. Tredway and assigned to a comfortable temporary home. Our lot fell at the Eagle Hotel. This is a new Hotel located on Waterloo street, kept by J. K. Johnston. The landlord is a most genial gentleman, and his House is overrun with custom. It was crowded to its fullest capacity during our entire stay in the city.—The building is heated by steam and provided with all the modern convienences. The cuisine is unsurpassed and the rates are very modest, for a hotel of that class. We advise Tecumseh people who may visit Grand Rapids to try the Eagle.

During the intervals of leisure between the sessions of the convention we busied ourself in hunting up old acquaintances. We found Dr. H. W. Catlin located in a pleasant office on Monroe street, in one of the best quarters of the business section. Bert is evidently doing well. He is enjoying good health and is well pleased with the outlook. We had two or three brief visits with him which were very pleasant. In his practice he has considerable surgery to attend to; which is not only renumerative but gives a new physician a good reputation. We believe Bert will become a fixture in his present location.

We found C. D. Keyes, son of Danforth Keyes, of Clinton, who kindly took us under his wing and piloted us through one of the Masonic Lodges one evening. Mr. Keyes is now general agent of the Masonic Mutual Benefit Association, and is traveling most of the time in the interests of that Society. He makes his home at Grand Rapids and spends a portion of his time in that city.

C. H. McConnell is book-keeper in Shields, Bulkley and Lemon's wholesale Grocery House. This firm has an extensive establishment near the Union depot and is building up a large trade. Charley has a very pleasant and lucrative position which he can doubtless keep as long as he desires.

Grand Rapids is well supplied with newspapers, having five dailies and several weekly and monthly publications. The Evening Leader is the National organ and is a red hot Butler paper. It is doing valiant service for the fusion cause. It is ably edited and is without doubt the best evening daily in the city. The morning Democrat is the Democratic paper, which is now owned and edited by F. W. Ball. The paper has been greatly improved since Mr. Ball assumed control and now has the largest circulation of any daily in Western Michigan. The Leader and Democrat occupy the same building on Pearl street. The Eagle, Times and Telegram, the three remaining dailies, are all apparently prosperous.

During the last evening of our stay we encountered Dan E. Soper of Newaygo, another old Tecumseh boy. He was on his way to Detroit and we only had a few moments conversation with him. On Friday morning just after breakfast, we had the pleasure of greeting Mr. and Mrs. Finlay Deuel. They arrived at the Eagle the night before, and were on their way to Sparta. We then found out that "Fin" had just become a married man. Taking the train at 9:15 A.M. on the C. & W. M. we had a pleasant ride to Allegan and from there over the M. & O. home, arriving in Tecumseh at 3:37 P. M.

THE ELECTION LAST TUESDAY.

The election held on Tuesday in Ohio and West Virginia resulted substantially as the HERALD prophesied last week. West Virginia has gone Democratic by about 9,000 majority. The early returns indicated about 3,000, but as fuller figures came in this morning the majority has grown to over 9,000 and is still rising. The first reports from Ohio yesterday morning indicated a Republican majority of at least 17,000. The large cities in the state, where "soap" could be freely used all reported Republican gains. The figures this morning, as the rural districts are heard from, show Democratic gains. The majority on the state ticket is now reduced to 10,000 and it is tending downward every hour, with a fair prospect of decreasing to the vanishing point. The Prohibition and Greenback vote were practically nothing. They do not figure in the returns at all, as yet. An enormous vote was polled, the largest ever cast in both states.

The result will be most inspiring to the Democracy for with proper effort on their part during the remaining three weeks of the campaign, the election of Cleveland & Hendricks is assured. The Ohio Democrats received the assault of the combined Republican party and stood like a stone wall. They have their war paint on, and will keep up the fight. In November they will be the assaulting party and they have resolved to carry the electorial vote of Ohio for Cleveland & Hendricks. If Blaine, with his enormous advantage, loses 10,000 majority in a Republican state, how can he expect to carry states which are properly Democratic, like New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Indiana, or debatable states like Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, California and Nevada?

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—We hear B. J. Coller, of Adrian, is making his customers in Tecumseh and vacinity some good bargains. The number of machines and organs he has sold recently are good indications.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at
Brown's Art Gallery.

—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Massillon Cannel—Cleaner, Better and Cheaper than wood for cook stoves and grates. Try it. Sold only by S. W. Temple, Tecumseh.

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—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream.
A. E. Kennedy.

—The largest assortment of Picture Frames, Mats and Albums, at
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—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—When the bell strikes, all listen, for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy.
A. E. Kennedy.

—A Great Invention.—A Sewing Machine that runs backward without changing direction of work. No wrong way to run it. 200 machines already sold in Lenawee Co. B. J. Coller is Gen. Agent at Adrian.

—Listen for the voice of the gong.
A. E. Kennedy.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115 Mail.	No. 117 Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 56 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	3 52 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Berolt	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116 Mail.	No. 118 Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 42 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 06 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 30 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bickesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bickesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change, other trains run daily, except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

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NORTH Express Passenger	NORTH Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH Express Passenger	SOUTH Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 35	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
8 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction...	9 26	4 48
8 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
8 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
8 53	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
9 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
9 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
9 23	8 20	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
9 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
9 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
9 42	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
9 46	9 08	..... Milan.....	8 06	3 22
9 53	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
9 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
10 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
10 12	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
10 30	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
10 45	10 32	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
10 50	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING EAST.	No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass	No. 41 Mxd
	A. M.		P. M.	
Pentwater	5 50			
Muskegon	8 15		1 25	
Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00	
Grand Haven	9 00		2 05	
Grand Rapids	9 15			
Holland	10 10		3 00	A. M.
Allegan	11 10		5 10	5 15
Kellogg	11 21		5 21	5 35
Fisk	11 27		5 27	5 46
Monteith	11 35		5 35	6 00
Foster	41 59		5 52	6 40
Richland	12 09		6 09	7 25
Yorkville	12 15		6 15	7 45
Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23	8 00
Battle Creek	12 42	6 40	6 43	8 32
Cresson	1 00	6 59	7 01	9 10
Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13	9 36
Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40	11 00
Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.	11 55
Hanover	2 10	8 09		12 30
Moscow	2 21	8 20		12 55
Jerome	2 28	8 26		1 10
Addison	2 45	8 43		1 46
Devils Lake	2 54	8 51		1 58
Cambridge	3 08	9 05		2 30
Tipton	3 22	9 17		3 00
Tecumseh	3 37	9 32		3 37
Ridgeway	3 47	9 42		4 00
Britton	3 52	9 46		4 09
Dundee	4 15	10 10		4 50
Toledo	5 10	11 10		6 50
	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.

GOING WEST.	No. 32 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 36 Pass	No. 42 Mxd
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.
Toledo	10 10	5 10		4 40
Dundee	11 02	6 05		8 00
Britton	11 24	6 27		8 52
Ridgeway	11 29	6 31		9 02
Tecumseh	11 39	6 41		9 32
Tipton	11 55	6 57		9 57
Cambridge	12 08	7 10		10 26
Devils Lake	12 22	7 25		10 48
Addison	12 30	7 33		11 18
Jerome	12 48	7 50		11 52
Moscow	12 55	7 57		12 07
Hanover	1 06	8 07		12 30
Pulaski	1 17	8 18	A. M.	12 58
Homer	1 38	8 40	6 20	1 38
Marshall	2 05	9 09	6 47	2 12
Cresco	2 17	9 22	6 59	3 10
Battle Creek	2 36	9 40	7 17	3 52
Augusta	2 56	P. M.	7 37	4 40
Yorkville	3 04		7 45	4 57
Richland	3 10		7 52	5 10
Foster	3 28		8 08	5 52
Monteith	3 45		8 25	6 30
Fisk	3 53		8 33	6 50
Kellogg	3 59		8 39	7 04
Allegan	4 10		8 50	7 25
Holland	5 10		10 10	P. M.
Grand Rapids	6 10			
Grand Haven	6 15		11 00	
Ferrysburg	6 25		11 08	
Muskegon	6 55		11 45	
Pentwater	9 20			
	P.M.		A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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Crazy Work and Sane Work.

We were asked lately to join in a raffle for a "crazy" quilt made up of nine thousand scraps of silk and satin set together with much ingenuity of design and niceness of stitching. To the maker and her friends it appeared a monumental labor of taste, industry and artistic talent. To us it stood for a misdirected energy and perseverence too common among women. If it cost but ten minutes to add one scrap to another—an allowance far too small—the quilt represented an outlay of fifteen hundred hours, one hundred and twenty-five working days of twelve solid hours each, or one hour a day for more than four years.

What might not this industrious young woman have accomplished in that time? If she really cared for decorative art, fifteen hundred hours of close study and practice would have developed an admirable and remunerative skill in embroidery or painting. They would have sufficed for the acquisition of a modern language, a sound knowledge of history, poetry, literature, art, music. They might have been exchanged for the important science of housekeeping and kitchen chemistry. Devoted to educational work, their helpful influence could not be reckoned.

The craze for decorative art has wrought certain definite mischiefs with much good. One harm is that busy idleness has been made to seem improving. Cross-stitch dogs with bead eyes on rugs, and parrots in high relief on lamp mats, are now distinctly recognized and shunned as survivors of a "chromo civilization"—wasters of time and slayers of taste. But the makers of Kensington-stitch table-cloth borders, Holbein towel ends, "decorative" waste-baskets, pen-wipers, flat-iron covers, lamp shades, and "gray patchwork" seem to have eaten of the insane root that takes the reason prisoner. Their countless stitches and ugly ingenuity appear to them the fit expression of æsthetic instincts, and they give thanks that they live in the cultivated age which ornaments its whisk-broom holders. Raphael and Leonardo would never have thought of that.

It is the chief misfortune and limitation of women that their aims are petty. When these are conscientiously petty, as in the misguided struggle for decoration, it is naturally difficult to substitute larger ones. The cumulative teaching of all time having been that women should be satisfied with patchwork, mental, moral and manual, it is perhaps unreasonable to expect them to repudiate it. But most women have ambitions, if not aspirations. And most women need to be reminded that the time they daily industriously waste would do for them what it does for men—conquer new worlds.

Last winter a great historian died. His last book, The Conquest of England, was published after his death. For years he had been struggling for life enough to finish the great work he had planned to do. He seized every opportunity of momentary strength, of relaxation from pain, to write. His preceding volume, The Making of England, had been written in the shadow of death. His wife says, in her tender preface, that it was the opinion of his physicians that life was prolonged from day to day, throughout that time, "only by the astonishing force of his own will, by the constancy of a resolve that had wholly set aside all personal aims." It was only when the pen fell from his exhausted hand that he said: "I am weary; I can do no more." "With such sustained zeal, such eager conscientiousness, was his work done, that much of it was wholly rewritten five times." The books themselves are of profound interest, admirable in matter and in manner. But no tale in them is more heroic than the patient, persistent toil that achieved them, in spite of suffering, weakness and natural sorrow.

They who say that civilization waits for the advancement of women entreat them to prefer the intellectual life. But this does not imply constant companionship with books. It was a wise and good saying that "the essence of intellectual living lies not so much in extent of knowledge or in perfection of expression as in the constant preference of higher thoughts over lower." The patient student and historian John Richard Green may stand for one class, the patient contriver and piecer of the "crazy quilt" for the other. It is not high qualities that women lack; it is high directions.—*Harper's Bazar.*

Electrical Oddities.

The big Roosevelt organs in the gallery are run by Edison motors, which are supplied with electricity from a dynamo off the north end of the structure. The current of fluid makes the armature revolve, to the end of which is fastened a wheel, to which the belt of the organ pump is adjusted. The Daft motor is diiferent. It has a worm armature, that is, it is threaded like a screw. This prevents it working too rapidly. Then the end turns upon a bur-wheel, which, in turn, further reduces the rapidity of the revolution and contributes less motion to the wheel of the machinery motor. It is very ingenious. The press which prints the *Electrical World* is run by one of these motors. Few motors have arrangements for regulating speed. A young man named Moore has a curious little contrivance for accomplishing this result. Wanamaker has a tailor shop exhibit, the twenty machines of which are run by motors. Upon the fly-leaf of each machine lies a little iron box about six inches square, with a wire running into it. It has no motion and looks useless but from its lead wires which drive the machine at a high rate of speed. It is the Cleveland motor. Then, besides, a shoe-sewing machine is also run by one of the little iron boxes. Over in the exhibit of the United States Company great iron drills and planes are run by motors. The strangest use to which the electric motor has been applied is tooth pulling. A dentist in Brooklyn has arranged a complete machine, which will lessen human suffering. A pair of forceps protrude from a nickel tube, which is connected with a wire. The forceps are applied to the aching ivory, then the operator touches a spring, a spiral arrangement within the tube winds up in a wink, draws down the forceps like a flash, and in an instant the tooth is jerked from the jaw and cast upon the floor. This Brooklyn dentist has pulled as many as seven teeth in five seconds. He fixed an electrical forceps to each grinder to be removed. Then he touched the springs rapidly in succession, and the patient's mouth was as toothless as a babe's. One use of the motors is highly appreciated at the exposition. That is when they turn fans. The building was very warm on Saturday. Upon the Edison parlor table stood an ornamented fan, which revolved between 4,000 and 5,000 times a minute and created a most refreshing breeze.—*Philadelphia Press.*

Overcoats for Good Dressers.

The single-breasted, fly-front sack, commonly called the "Chesterfield," is the coat par excellence, and will be worn by twenty good dressers where one of any other shape will be seen. In its present form it is a most desirable and beautiful over-garment. For a man of average height the length varies from thirty-nine to forty-two inches, according to the weight of material; the heavy weights, of course, being the longer. They are made to trace the form distinctly, but are not cut so close-fitting as a year ago. The lapels and collar are light; they are made to roll free, and have, as a rule, the silk to show to the end of collar. Velvet collars are extensively used with heavy-weight goods.

Next in popularity comes the Newmarket, the form of which is the same as during the previous season, followed by the surtout, which is of medium length and closes high, and by the box coat, which, made with a fly, will be occasionally seen, but will generally be made double-breasted, with the buttons well backed from the edge, with heavy collar and lapels, and wide flaps on all pockets; edges double stitched wide, and seams laid over and stitched to match the edges.

But the select thing, the overcoat of the club man, the society leader, the genuine swell, is the cape coat in some form. The most popular of these coats is the Inverness—the Inverness pure and simple, just as it was many years ago, and many years ago before them. It is a noble garment, with graceful, flowing lines, which seem to add inches to a man, as well as importance. A splendid garment, that costs a great deal of money, and requires for its successful production the skill of first-class artists.

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Work for Anti-Vivisectors.

The struggle of the scientific investigator against natural forces in some degree resembles the struggle of a people for its liberty. Material laws bind us on all sides, and to secure deliverance from them it is necessary to become acquainted with them. It is our liberty as against the things it is necessary to conquer: and it is not a dear bargain to buy this at the price of a few dogs and a few skinned frogs.

The sentimental spirits who are so much interested in the lot of our victims seem to believe that there is no more important occupation for them. We must undeceive them. There are more pains than joys among the men on this little terrestrial globe. Instead of busying themselves to prevent the researches which are being privately carried on in a few laboratories, let these charitable people make an effort to put down the slave-trade, of which the negroes are the victims by thousands. Or let them endeavor to relieve the misery which prevails everywhere from Greenland to the land of the Hottentots. Let them try to suppress the terrible scourge of war, which has made a hundred thousand times more human victims than all the frogs, rabbits and dogs that have been sacrificed by all the physiologists in the world. There is a task worthy of their activity.—*Charles Richet, in Popular Science Monthly.*

Wouldn't Take Him.

"Will this road take me to Atlanta?" asked a traveler of a "cracker."

"No, sir-ree," replied the countryman, "narry a time."

"That's strange," mused the first speaker. "A man told me a few hours ago that it would."

"He lied, stranger; I've been hyar twenty y'ars, and I hain't seed it tuck nobody annywhar yit; and I don't s'pose she ever will long as folks kin ride an' walk."

"Well, if I follow the road I'll get there, won't I?" smilingly asked the traveler.

"Not much; fer ye kain't foller it, kase she don't move, an' ye kain't foller nothin' what don't move along in fron't of ye."

"But if I travel this route I'll soon reach the city, I reckon."

"Then ye struck it, mister; jes' keep a movin' the way yer go'n an' ye'll git thar after awhile. Mornin' to ye."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

Baskets to Hold Water.

The Eastern papers speak of the splendid uses of the willow fiber for spinning and weaving into cloth, and it is said to be better than hemp or flax. But there is a kind of willow tree that grows on the north slope of the high mountains about eighty miles east of Los Angeles, on the border of the Colorado desert, which is used by the Cabazon Indians to make baskets, light and impervious to water. They are better than any tin, galvanized iron, or any other kind of a receptacle for water. They are used extensively by Mexicans and old settlers, and last, with constant use, a dozen or fifteen years. They are made quickly by the deft fingers of these Indians, and are sold chiefly to tourists, merchants and regular customers. This is a peculiar product of the Pacific coast, and not only a novelty to Eastern people, but also to a great many Californians who do not live where they have ever seen them.—*Los Angeles Herald.*

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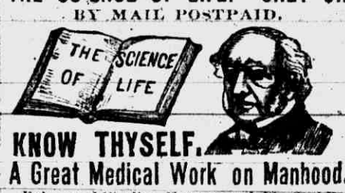

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DIED.

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Apples dried, ₩ lb	@	10
Butter, ₩ lb	17 @	18
Barley, ₩ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 50 @	1 75
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf skins, ₩ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	30 @	35
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56 @	60
Clover Seed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	14
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 00 @	5 50
Hog—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hog—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ₩ lb	@	15
Ham ₩ lb	@	14
Lard, ₩ lb	@	12
Oats ₩ bushel	30 @	35
Onions ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35 @	40
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed ₩ lb	@	11
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	@	75
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	@	75
Wool	18 @	22

ESTATE OF JOSEPH SLATER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 15th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Slater, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Arthur J. Slater, an heir-at-law of said deceased, alleging that he is interested in the estate of said deceased, that the real estate of said deceased has been assigned to the heirs-at-law and devisees of said deceased by said court according to the provisions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and praying that partition and distribution of said real estate may be made among the said heirs-at-law and devisees according to the statute in such case made and provided, and the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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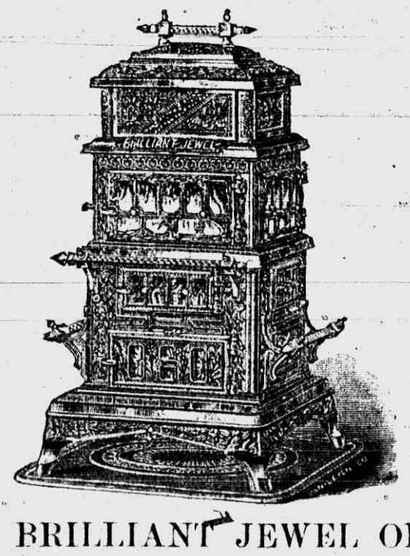

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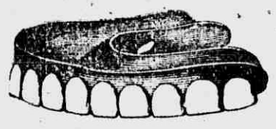

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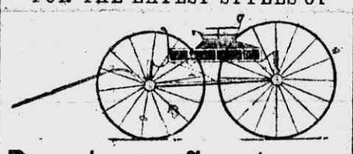

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BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Tuesday evening, Oct. 7th, Hon. J. Clark of Hastings, talked tariff and its attendant blessings to a mixed audience of republicans, democrats and women, numbering less than two thousand. The speaker was not bashful, but there was a conspicuous lessness of confidence in his party winning a glorious victory, than was manifested by political speekers four years ago, and all the enthusiasm would not make a smile for the days before Grant lost his money. It was a very decorous meeting, and Mr. C. talked fast, plain and pleasant of the country that twenty four years ago escaped from Democratic rule with war on its hearth, and depleted treasury, to bathe in the light of freedom and judicious taxation, has developed universal wealth and filled to the brim the national coffer.

Taking off three per cent of the tax on wool was a blunder chargeable to the democrats, and injured farmers by permitting coarse, south American wools and Australian fleeces, that cost nothing but sunshine, to enter the market and crowd out finer and expensive home grades. Butler, he asserted, was the highest protective tax-gatherer of all, but two presidents had died, suddenly as it were, and if the general should be elected and follow his predecessors example the chief office would be filled by Mr. West, who was a rebel, and then what would happen? He did not tell, but if the other three cents wool tax should slip off, and getting drunk become any easier, Brooklyn could not hold together when wild west shows are expected. He advised prohibitionists to unite with republicans, for in no other way could temperance be secured. More whiskey was sold in Kansas now than ever before, showing plainly that prohibition does not prohibit, and though St. John is a good moral man, he is not the man for President.

Mr. Clark is an agreeable speaker. Somebody pays the expenses of such men who are sent out to enlighten people about main issues, side issues and mercy knows what all, so men may not remain in the quandry of not knowing what or how to vote. The somebody has a right to his money's worth, and those, who go to listen save instruction and not illusion. The prosperity of working people is the harp of a thousand strings, just now out of tune, and not quite all political fancy paints it. If England finds free trade its only remedy for making its pauper laborers self-supporting, why not submit ours to the same discipline? Why boast of a full treasury and insist on taxing high enough to defray expenses of war in the long after peace. It looks as if a party that can descend to sugar coat such arguments had converted both main and side issues into twaddle, and relied on a noble name from which vitality has been leached, and the prohibitionist who can sift anything out of such doctrine to further the temperance cause, has an undoubted right to his discovery.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Apples are mostly gathered.

The cold wave struck us some time Tuesday night with rain.

Mrs. Robert Houseman and Eddie Helm are among the sick.

Mrs. Romine Miller returned to her home at Constantine last week Thursday.

Martin Palmer and Miss Ella Jackson are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Palmer at Hillsdale this week.

Miss Ella Jackson's millinery business boometh. She supplied the desires of ladies from Ypsilanti and Dundee with hats &c. last week.

The pews of the church will be rented Tuesday afternoon Oct. 28th.

Miss Fannie McNeil returned to her home at Milan Saturday accompanied by Misses Rhoda and Allie Arner. They spent Sunday and Monday there with friends.

Miss Sena Coryell returned from a visit to Milan last Monday.

Last week Thursday quite a number of Mrs. Cheever's friends from Dundee made her a surprise. Some of the friends here joined in to help make the afternoon a plesant one.

Last week Thursday a cold wave from the North followed by a sly coon in the person of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shipman from Memphis, Macomb Co. who spent a few days visiting friends. George, faithfulness at the forge dosn't make him none the less jovial. He enjoys a joke just as well. They returned to their home Tuesday.

The pork and bean festival passed off quite pleasantly. The treasury was swelled $9,33 larger. The officers of the society for the year.

President—Mrs. D. W. Loree.

1st. Vice Pres.—W. R. Wilson.
2d. " " —Mr. G. W. Jackson.
Secretary—Miss Ella Jackson.
Asst. Sec.—Miss Ada Loree.
Treasurer—Miss Ada Linn.
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" " —Mrs. J. D. Freer.

Rev. J. M. Kerridge, of Clinton, will address the Union club at Ridgeway village next week Wednesday evening. Subject, The prohibition of the liquor traffic.

Mr. Lozier the "Fighting Chaplain" of Iowa, who is under pay by the Republicans to whip into line the prohibitionists had a good audience in the hall last Saturday evening. He convinced the prohibitionists they were doing the right thing, just what he would do if a Michigan man. He disappointed the Republicans and surely insulted the ladies who were present. So it was a bad job all around.

Rev. G. W. Hudson's address to the Union club on Tuesday evening was perhaps the finest political speech we have yet listened to. It carried conviction with it and it being entirely free from any abuse or falsification made a striking contrast with the effort of Mr. Lozier.

The party who desecrated the grave of Rev. Thomas Lupton, in the Ridgeway Cemetery, by taking therefrom a Floral design, are requested to replace the same, without delay, and there will be no more said regarding the theft. Feeling that we are under the protection of the law, we deem it our privilege to insist upon our rights viz. that the resting places of our dead shall be left unmolested. We are not the only ones annoyed in this way, and as these parties are becoming pretty well known, we would advise them to consider their ways, and be wise. COM.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Last Saturday morning Fred Kopka hitched a spirited young horse to his carriage and tied it to the post in the yard while he went into the house to bid Hannah and the baby good-bye. In the meantime the horse concluded that he was wanted at Holloway and made a break for liberty. By the time he had got to the road the buggy and harness were completely demolished. Fortunately, however, the horse escaped without injury, and as Fred has just shipped some hogs he expects to have his money back in a few days.

Uncle Ned Broadbent had a pretty close call on Monday last. He was working in a well for Moses Bowerman and had got down about ten feet when it suddenly caved in burying him up to the waist. Help was immediately summoned and by putting a rope around his body and doing some pretty vigorous pulling he was got out safe and sound. Better to be born lucky than rich.

Dr. Wilson of Hanover, made Dr. Begel a visit on Tuesday.

Democratic rally and pole raising on Friday next.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

The Wilberforce Grand Concert Co., as was announced gave a concert at Town Hall, on Wednesday evening the 15th, which was fine as far as the singers were concerned but we are sorry to say the concert was not patronized as well as it should have been. The receipts were very light.

Alonzo Clark is absent from home. He is spending some little time with his daughter, Mrs. Baker, at Chicago. His son E. A. Clark, is attending to the business of the Bank during his father's absence.

Our enterprising Clothier, Jno E. McCollum has a nice large new stock of goods, and he has them very nicely arranged in the large brick store on the north side of Chicago street, where he is having a nice trade, and he reports No. 1, and improving. He sells for cash.

The future of Clinton is assured as we are to have a skating rink. We noticed as we passed the old and familiar place of D. H. Silvers, several men at work demolishing the inside of the building, and when asked what all this meant, the reply was we are going to have a skating rink. The work has now progressed so far that with the help they have, they will soon have the new floor in, when it will be ready for use, and now who can tell what the future possibilities of Clinton will be with the skating rink and the woolen mills both in operation.

We notice our enterprising citizen E. F. Muir is building an addition to his tenement on Church street.

The printings office talked of for some time past is now assuming shape and will ere long begin business with as we understand, Chas. Spafford as manager, and Blosser of the Manchester Enterprise as motive power. Success to the new enterprise.

Politics are getting warmed up very preceptibly. The Democrats will have speaking in the Town Hall on Thursday evening of this week by Whitman & Manley. Turn out and hear them, they are said to be good speakers. Prohibition on Friday eve.

Rev. E. W. Miller has resigned his pastorate of the Congregational church of this place and has accepted the agency of the State Sunday school. Resignation to take effect Nov. 1st. Success attend him.

The Baptist minister of this place will move his family to Clinton during next week, and will occupy the new parsonage.

Robt. Codling, former machinist and engineer in the Clinton Woolen Mill here, left Clinton on Wednesday morning last for Peru, Ind., where he accepts a similar position in a woolen mill at that place, where he will ere long remove his family.

Mr. and Mrs. James St. John formerly of this place but now of Jonesville are visiting the old homestead and friends here during last week. They were the guests of Dea. Downs while here.

The suit commenced by the village corporation for violation of the village ordinances was allowed to go down by the complainant.

The marriage of our friend David Haggart on Wednesday afternoon caused considerable comment by the old ladies. Is she good looking?

Henry Lancaster, proprieter of the Clinton Hotel has put in some new windows on the west side of the Hotel which adds very much to the looks and appearance of the Lancaster House. A much and long needed improvement. May he never darken the windows and may he also discard the card table.

We notice S. Brown is making some improvements on the old Chandler property, among which is the digging of a well, the old well having failed to supply good water.

J. S. Kies, the president of the Clinton Woolen Mill has gone east on business connected with the above institution, indications of resumption of business as we hope in the near future.

Mrs. Dr. Reeves (Sylvanus Howell's daughter) will soon join her husband in Texas whither he had gone to find a location to commence business in the healing art. Success attend them.

The ladies of St. John's church Episcopal, will hold their social at the residence of Mrs. J. S. Clark. From the known hospitality and faculty of Mrs. and Miss Clark we predict a large company and a good time generally. So may it be. Geo. will be there.

The ministers were all out of town this week when wanted to launch a couple into matrimony. Call on the Esquire.

For St. John, on General Principles.

"We're for St. John, hain't we, Mary?" remarked a western bound passenger as a little party of travelers began to talk politics. His wife, a cheery, happy-looking woman, looked up with a smile on her face and nodded assent.

"Why are we for St. John?" continued the husband. "Well, I'll tell you. We have a pow'ful reason or two for bein' for him, hain't we Mary? We're from Tennessee, you know. Goin' out to Iowa to see Mary's Mother. I'm a Southerner; my wife's a Northern gir. 'Bout four years ago we were running a little farm of our own. It wa'n't all paid for, either. Worst of it was I was a powerful drinker. Old Jem Williams kept store half a mile from our place, an' he sold likker. I spent all my time an' all my money there, didn't I, Mary? Everything was sold off the place, an' a mortgage comin' du to boot. Our horses, wagon, cows, everything, went down to old Jem Williams'. Guess there wasn't much to eat in the house, either, was there, Mary? All of a sudden old Jem shut down on likker. Wouldn't sell a drop; said the school house law had come down on him, and the women were watching night and day. That was a new thing in them parts an' we old topers inquired into it. We found that no likker could be sold within four miles of a school house. My wife here had gone to work an' got some other women interested, an' they built a school house themselves out of an old corn crib. Then they called on the officers to enforce the law. They appointed committees to watch old Jem and pull him up if he violates the statute. Then we had to go six miles to get our likker, and the first thing we knowed there was a school house there too. In six weeks we could not get a drink in the county, all owing to this Northern wife of mine, wasn't it Mary? We had to sober up—no help for it. I went to work and saved my farm from the mortgage. Pretty soon I had a good team, and we began to prosper again. Curiosest thing about it was there was school all winter in that corn crib school house. My wife taught it. Me and a lot more men attended. There I learned to read, write and figure—something I never knew about before. Now, I don't know whether votin' for or even electing St. John would do any good or not, but we are for him on general principles, ain't we Mary?"

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 23, 1884.

WILD ROSE.

"The best laid plans of men and mice,"
The poet says, "gang aft agley,
And though a poet sometimes lies,
In this case truth holds sway.

There was a man, deep in whose soul
Poesie fa ices held sway.
His name was Rose, a pleasant name
With hope or ease of grace.

Unto this Rose the angels brought
A dear, delightful child,
A very bud of promise, and
Too rather called her "Wild."

A WILD Rose, then, she was to all,
The sweetest flower that bloomed and grew
On breezy hill or in woody dell,
Midst dazzles kissed by dew.

The years were numbered one by one
With much of ill and much of good,
Until our Wild Rose, fresh and fair,
Blushed into womanhood.

And then there came the lowering clouds
Of circumstance, the murky fog
Of actual life, and she was wed—
Her husband's name was Hogg.

—*Servant Traveler.*

THE STEERING OF BALLOONS.

Excitement Caused by the Recent Experiment at Meudon—An Alleged Success—The History of Aeronautics—Distinguished Services of Gambetta.

No little excitement has been caused in France by the news that a successful experiment in balloon-steering has been performed at Meudon, near Paris. We are unable to judge the importance of the alleged invention, for its authors are the two military officers in command of the Government aerostatic works, which were instituted under M. Gambetta's auspices, and the technical secrets of their contrivance have, of course, been disclosed to the War Office only. As already reported, the experiment was tried in calm weather and with a balloon of elliptical form, which carried an electric motor, a screw and a rudder. The motor is said to be composed of accumulators which can supply during four hours the power of ten horses, and they are moved by the screw which serves as a propeller to the apparatus. The balloon was made of light, strong silk, and was covered as usual with a netting, to which the car was suspended. All the propelling mechanism was contained within the car, the rudder alone projecting outside, like that of a boat. The car was mounted by Captain Renard, director of the balloon-works, and by his assistance, Captain Krebs, both engineer officers. On being released from the earth the balloon at once rose to a height of about 1800 feet, and, urged by a swift rotary movement to the screw, made a straight course for the Hermitage of Villebon, about seven miles distant as the crow flies. A wind was moving against it at a speed of about eighteen feet a second. Captain Renard worked the propeller, Captain Krebs steered. Villebon had been fixed upon as the goal of the journey, and when this place was reached Captain Krebs waved a flag as a signal that he was going to turn. The spectators, who were a party of officers with some passers-by, attracted by the sight of the balloon, was then amazed and delighted to see the balloon gracefully describe a curve of three hundred meters radius and sail back to Meudon." On approaching the lawn from which the ascent had been made, the balloon ascended in oblique direction and with a steady motion, showing that the engine was completely under Captain Renard's control. When within twenty feet of the ground the machine was eased, reversed, stopped, and a rope being thrown out from the car, the balloon was hauled gently down and touched earth without the slightest shock. The whole journey had occupied about forty minutes.

Such is the description of an experiment on which the Academy of Sciences has so far beencalled upon to offer only congratulations, but no criticism. Without expressing an opinion—since we have no data for doing so—on the value of an invention which has not been submitted to public scrutiny, we may briefly recall what has been the progress of aeronautics since the first balloon rose into the air a little more than a century ago. At this time last year the town of Annonay was celebrating the centenary of ballooning by the inauguration of a monument to the brothers Etienne and Joseph Montgolfier; but the first practical idea as to aerial navigation may be credited to an eccentric character who lived in the seventeenth century, Cyrano de Bergerac. Cyrano wrote a number of fantastic books which were consulted by Swift for his "Gulliver," by Voltaire for his "Micromegas," and by Fontenelle for his "Mondes." In the most popular of these, a "Trip Through the Moon," the hero is made to ascend from the earth by means of bladders filled with hot air. The Montgolfiers improved upon this notion by substituting one globe of silk for several bladders; in other respects their balloon was an adaptation of Bergerac's idea, for it had an aperture at its base into which hot air rose from a charcoal stove in the car. The first hot-air balloon was sent up on the 5th of June, 1783, without a car. In August of the same year an engineer named Charles started a balloon inflated with hydrogen gas. In September the Montgolfiers launched a new fire-balloon with a car in which were placed a sheep, a cock and a duck, who all returned safe to land; and in October the first human aeronaut, M. Francois Pilatre des Rozier, who was afterward killed in crossing from France to England, ascended in a captive balloon tethered to the earth by ropes. In November this adventurous gentleman made his first ascent in a free balloon, and went up to a height of three thousand feet—an achievement which excited the wildest enthusiasm and the most fanciful anticipations. All the practical scientists of Europe became smitten with a craze for aerial navigation; books and pamphlets on the subject were published by the score, and it was believed that a method for steering balloons would be contrived without much difficulty.

The first ascent in England was made from Woolwich in November, 1783; in 1784 a Sig. Lunard started in a balloon from Moorfields, and in 1785 Mr. Blanchard and Dr. Jeffries performed their famous journey from Dover to Calais in two hours. After this no distinct advance was made in ballooning until 1821, when Mr. Green used ordinary coal-gas instead of hydrogen for inflating purposes. The manufacture of hydrogen had been troublesome and expensive, but the substitution of coal-gas enabled balloons to be blown at a comparatively small cost, and from this time they became popular objects of amusement in public gardens. The famous trips of the great "Nassau" balloon, which went up from Vauxhall Gardens in 1836, are still remembered by many living persons with wonder. The "Nassau" was 107 feet in circumference, its full height from car to summit was 80 feet; it was made of 200 yards of crimson and white silk, and contained 70,000 cubic feet of gas. Nine persons could be carried in its car. On one of its first voyages it descended in the Duchy of Nassau, having traveled about five hundred miles in eighteen hours. From Mr. Green's days until now no genuine advance has been made in ballooning. There have been innumerable ascents with many accidents, though not so many of these as might have been expected; and some of these ascents undertaken for scientific ends have yielded interesting observations on atmospheric phenomena. Mr. Glaisher and Mr. Coxwell nearly lost their lives in mounting to a height of nearly 29,000 feet, but, notwithstanding the information obtained from Mr. Glaisher's ascents, the British Association for the Advancement of Science has suffered aeronautical investigation to drop out of their programme. Before dismissing a subject which has always been fraught with the greatest interest, and which, indeed, exercises something like fascination upon every mind, the Association had been fairly harried by papers on balloon-steering from inventors of the kind who have not yet given up trying to square the circle, and we believe the patents that have been taken out for various contrivances in aeronautics can hardly be numbered. However, the problem of balloon-steering has never been regarded even by scientists of the first order as insoluble in theory; it is only in practice that experiments have failed, because it has not yet been found possible to construct a motor combining power with lightness.

If the experiment made at Meudon should prove to be a genuine success, the credit of the new discovery, which opens up an endless vista of possibilities to the imagination, will rest with M. Gambetta, whose faith in the future of aerial navigation could never be quenched. It was he, who, when President of the budget commission in 1878, persuaded the Chambers permanently to endow the Meudon balloon works, which had been instituted for occasional experiments, after the Franco-German war. Balloons were used for military operations in France as early as the battle of Fleurus, in 1794. On this occasion the French employed them to watch the movements of the enemy. The balloons sent out from Paris during the siege of 1870-1 served only to keep the capital in communication with the Provinces. M. Gambetta, who was carried safely toward Tours in one of them, and who was able thereby to organize the National defense, remained unshakable in the opinion that the secret of balloon-steering would be discovered if only a sufficient sum of money was bestowed ungrudgingly on experiments. After the war, an Aeronautical Commission under M. Duphy de Lome was appointed. This distinguished engineer had been director of the Aeronautical Department during the siege, and we must remember that in 1871 he described to the Academy of Sciences a steerable balloon, which was said at the time to be as marvelous an invention as that just made by Captains Renard and Krebs. But, when put to serious tests, this invention was soon found to be useless, and similar failures attended machines subsequently tried by MM. Gillard and Dissandier. It seemed as if some of the balloons were steerable because they got into atmospheric currents going in the direction where their rudders steered. The currents which prevail near the earth's surface afford no signs as to the direction of those in the higher strata of the atmosphere, and it more than once happened that a balloon, raising in its first flight above the course of a contrary wind, appeared to obey the propulsion of the rudder, because it had got suddenly into a current flowing in a different direction. The Government ended by losing its interest in experiments which, after so often being proclaimed as successful, ended in disappointment; and nothing but M. Gambetta's sheer pertinacity wrung from the Chamber of Deputies the grant requisite for carrying on such experiments indefinitely. Captain Renard, the director of the Meudon works, has devoted most of his life to ballooning, and the French Government have certainly treated him very well in placing space, money and scientific appliances of all sorts at his disposal without stint. He has been assisted throughout his labors by a picked staff from the corps of engineers.—*London Times.*

Boston and New York.

As the car swung into Madison avenue from Forty-second street two ladies got aboard. One of them wore glasses and that intellectual contraction of the eyebrows peculiar to the ladies of the Hub. With the true Boston instinct she began talking about books and authors.

"You have read 'Jane Eyre,' of course?" said her companion.

"Oh, yes," said the intellectual lady from Boston. "I have read all her works and like them so much."

The other lady coughed behind her handkerchief and then asked, with a twinkle in her eye: "Have you ever read any of Daniel Deronda's novels?"

"Yes, indeed," said the Boston lady, "all of them. But do you know I think he is almost too analytical?"

"How do you like Adam Bede's writings?" asked the New Yorker.

"Oh, they are lovely. But don't you think they are a little shallow?"

"I have never read them," said the other, behind her fan.

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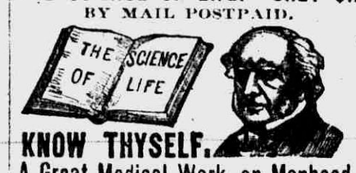

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ELMIRA, N. Y., October 21.—The residents of this city were thrown into a state of great excitement yesterday morning by the report that John Arnot, the millionaire banker, and present member of Congress from this district, had been killed by a gas explosion at his bank. A great crowd of excited and alarmed citizens hurried to the scene and soon the building was surrounded. About nine o'clock in the morning those living in the vicinity of the bank were startled by a loud explosion resembling the discharge of heavy artillery. Nearly every window in the building was shattered by the concussion while in some instances the window sashes were blown out. A subsequent examination showed that the doors of the vaults were twisted and broken, the locks torn off, and other damage done in various parts of the bank, so fearful was the force of the explosion.

At the time of the accident there were in the bank Congressman Arnot and several clerks. Mr. Arnot had gone into the vault to open the inside safe preliminary to commencing the day's business. It seems that the gas had not been turned off on Saturday and had been pouring into the vault from the time the bank closed on that day until Monday morning. Arnot struck a match to enable him to see, and almost instantly there was a terrific explosion. Arnot was hurled from the vault ten feet and struck against the cashier's desk on the opposite side of the room.

When picked up he was almost unrecognizable. His clothes were torn from his body and his face burned and blackened. His whiskers and hair were completely burned off, but, strange to say, he still retained consciousness. The first one to approach him was one of the clerks, to whom Mr. Arnot said that there was no need of sending for a doctor. A doctor was sent for, however, and Mr. Arnot was carried into the private office. The doctor soon arrived and made a superficial examination. He found no serious injuries but expressed the fear that Mr. Arnot had received internal injuries and also that he would lose the sight of one if not both eyes.

He was taken home, and the result of a further examination are anxiously awaited. He is one of the most popular and respected men in the city, and much sympathy is felt for him. He was to entertain Ex-Speaker Randall, who spoke in Elmira last night.

LATER—At two o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Arnot was resting quietly under the influence of opiates. It has been found since that his injuries are much more serious than at first stated, but his physicians say that if he rallies from the shock they have no doubt of his ultimate recovery.

GOVERNOR CLEVELAND

Assaulted on the Street in Albany by a Man Who Wants a Pardon for His Brother-in-Law.

ALBANY, N. Y., October 21.—On his way to the Executive mansion yesterday morning Governor Cleveland was assaulted by Samuel T. Boom, of Elmira, N. Y., who, with his wife, created an excitement some days since in the Executive chamber. Boom lay in wait for the Governor at the corner of Lancaster and Eagle streets, and as he approached addressed him, following up at once with two blows, which were warded off by the Governor. Boom then rushed into the street and reached for a paving stone. As he was picking it up he was seized by a passer-by and held, the Governor quietly passing on.

A large crowd at once collected and in the confusion Boom escaped and entered his boarding house near the scene of the assault where he was followed and arrested. He was taken before Police Justice Gutman who remanded him for examination on Wednesday at three p. m. The Governor was visited by scores of people during the morning. He makes light of the affair. Boom, who is a small delicate man, looks wild but talks rationally. He admits the assault was unjustified, but insists that his wife is dying in Albany and that her illness was greatly aggravated by her fretting about a pardon which she sought from the Governor for her brother some days since. Boom says he has had no sleep for upwards of a week in consequence of her illness, and the attending physician yesterday morning assured him that his wife would not recover. The poor fellow may be temporarily insane, or at least, classed as a "crank."

Boom was at Auburn on September 30. He made no secret of his mission which was to see his brother-in-law, but talked freely of it. Among other things, he said that he had been promised a pardon and that either Cleveland or Stansfield, the District Attorney of Chemung County, had lied to him and that if it was Cleveland he would shoot him.

Death of an Old Slave Aged 110 Years.

FISHKILL, N. Y., October 20.—Prince Crosby, who was the slave and servant of Enock Crosby, who figured as Harvey Birch in Cooper's story of "The Spy," died a few days ago at his residence near Carthage Landing in this town. Some two or three years ago he considered himself to be 104 years old, but some believe that he was 110 at the time of his death.

A Boy Who is Charged With Theft Suicides.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., October 21.—Saturday the fifteen-year-old son of Henry Bernhart, a tailor, of Saginaw City, was arrested for disposing of a gold watch stolen from Joseph Barber three weeks ago. The matter was amicably settled and Bernhardt was released. Yesterday morning at three o'clock he committed suicide by jumping into the Saginaw River.

Fast Ocean Time.

NEW YORK, October 21.—The Guion steamer Alaska arrived Sunday from Liverpool, via Queenstown, having made a very fast passage notwithstanding two day's delay by weather. The trip was completed in six day, twenty-two hours and thirty-two minutes, which is within fifty-two minutes of her best western voyage.

Commodore Kirkland's Daughter Dead.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., October 21.—Miss Anita R. Kirkland, the daughter of Acting Commodore Kirkland, of the Brooklyn navy yard, died yesterday morning of consumption at the residence of her father, aged twenty-two.

Clergymens' Effects Exempt From Taxation.

ALBANY, N. Y., October 20.—Attorney General O'Brien has decided that the personal property of priests and ministers is exempt from taxation, also their real estate to the amount of $1,500.

Neither Blaine nor Cleveland.

NEW YORK, October 21.—Felix Adler, the well-known Hebrew orator and preacher, advised his hearers to refrain, on grounds of public morality, from voting for either Blaine or Cleveland.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

A Serious Failure at San Francisco—Items of News from Oregon.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 21.—The failure of A. W. Bowman, capitalist and real estate broker, which was announced last Thursday, will prove to be much more serious than was at first supposed. It is now pretty well established that the misappropriated moneys placed in his hands for investment will reach half a million dollars. One of the heaviest loosers will, it is said, be Mrs. Harry Bowie, at present in Europe. She was immensely wealthy in her own right and Bowman had absolute charge of her affairs. He was a heavy borrower from the Bank of California, but it is believed the bank is fully secured. It is difficult to get at the facts, as the interested parties refuse to say anything until the assignee has made his settlement. Bowman, who is ill in bed, has been placed under arrest.

PORTLAND, Ore., October 21.—J. J. Hedges, a young attorney of this city, who was convicted a few days ago of forgery, was sentenced to the penitentiary for five years.

The stage was stopped Saturday near Weiser, Idaho, by three masked men under the cover of their rifles. The driver threw out the express treasure box, and he was then ordered to drive on. Several passengers were in the stage, but no attempt was made to rob them. It is not known how much the robbers got. A party of citizens was immediately organized and are in pursuit.

The body of an unknown man was found Saturday near Harrington, W. T., in the midst of dense timber. A few yards distant the body of his horse was found dead. Both bodies were fearfully torn and mangled. There is no clue to the identity of the man. The only solution of the tragedy is that both were attacked by coughars and killed. Tracks of these ferocious animals were found in the immediate vicinity. The whole country is infested with them.

RESERVOIR DAM BREAKS.

The Reservoir on Beaver Brook, Ansonia, Conn., Gives Way—The Inhabitants Escape to High Ground for Safety—No Lives Lost.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., October 21.—Last night about half-past eight o'clock the inhabitants residing in the tenements of the lower part of the village of Ansonia were placed in great fright as they realized that the scenes of a year ago, when the reservoir dam on Beaver Brook burst, were to be re-enacted. The dam supplying the Ansonia Brass & Copper Company has for the past fortnight or three weeks been undergoing repairs and a new flume and sluice way built. To do this it was necessary to build a cofferdam. Suddenly and without warning, last night the latter burst in the center, and about twenty feet of it was washed away. The large reservoir, containing nearly two hundred acres of water, gave way and rushed with fearful velocity down the channel. The alarm spread, and the families occupying the tenements, to the number of nearly one hundred, escaped to higher ground, leaving their dwellings to the mercy of the rushing torrent. No lives were lost so far as known.

A large force of men united in efforts to keep back the water, but without avail, and the water in the reservoir was allowed to run out. The damage is variously estimated at from $7,000 to $10,000, upon which there is no insurance. The large mills of the place were uninjured, the loss falling mainly upon poor workingmen.

The Harrison Wire Works at St. Louis Applies for a Receiver.

ST. LOUIS, October 21.—The announcement that an application for a receiver for the Harrison Wire works had been filed caused a great deal of sympathy for the gentlemen connected with it, Messrs. Fitch, Harrison and Lute. The company had been embarrassed for some time. Fitch, President of the company, is Lieutenant Fitch, the man who married Miss Minnie, a daughter of General Sherman. He loses nearly all his wealth. The rumor that General Sherman backed him is denied. It is not long since that Harrison was worth a million and a half in excess of liabilities. By assigning about the time the St. Louis Ore & Steel Company had a receiver appointed, he could have saved a large amount of his property, but at the urgent solicitation of a number of St. Louis gentlemen, who represented to him the bad effect the assignment would have on the financial situation, he concluded to try to carry his burdens through. It is said that the very men who were anxious that Harrison should sacrifice himself for the public good declined to render any assistance, when he in turn needed it, or he would still be a wealthy man. As it is, he prevented a panic in St. Louis at his own expense. Those who know the condition of the Harrison properties believe that but little will be saved from the wreck.

Gone to Work at a Reduction.

EASTON, Pa., October 21—The machine runners at the Iowa Barb Wire Works, in South Easton, this morning began work at reduced wages. The runners of the three and one-half inch machines were reduced ten cents on one hundred pounds, but to help them make up the reduction each man is given two machines instead of one. In this way they will work twice as hard, and earn about the same wages. The runners of the seven inch machines were reduced from fifteen to twelve and one-half cents for one hundred pounds, or about thirty-five cents a day.

$1,000,000 to be Refunded to Canadian Hay Exporters.

MONTREAL, October 21.—The United States Secretary of State has advised the hay exporters of this Province that the customs duties charged them some years ago are pronounced illegal by the Supreme Court and will be refunded. Claims for over $1,000,000 are filed and many more will follow. A vast number of claims were bought up here for a song by brokers, who will now reap a rich harvest in return for their nominal outlay.

Wall Street Bank Pays Another Dividend.

NEW YORK, October 21.—The receiver of the Wall Street Bank began the payment of a dividend of twenty per cent. to the depositors yesterday, the amount to be paid under this dividend is about $200,000. This makes eighty per cent. which the depositors have received of their accounts, and Ex President Evans says that they will probably be paid in full. It is doubtful, however, whether the stockholders will receive anything.

Miners Strike for an Advance.

COLUMBUS, O., October 21.—The remainded of the miners in the Ohio Central and the Buckeye Creek regions have struck for eighty cents per ton as the mining rate, and will not resume work to-day. This will cut off heavy contributions to their fellow strikers of the Hocking region.

Very Remarkable Recovery.

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ESTATE OF THOMAS MARSHALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Garrett Marshall, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of a instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. oc1

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Maria Brewer, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 21st day of October, 1884, and on the 28th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 30th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Oct. 2, 1884.

E. B. WOOD,
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ESTATE OF CHARLES HEWITT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 6th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Hewitt, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles T. Hewitt, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid all the expenses in the settlement of said estate thus far incurred, and in part further upon the legacies under said will, and praying for the allowance of his second account (now on file in this court) as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH NORCROSS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 3d day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Jacob G. Roberts, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all the legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and that no assets belonging to said estate remains in his hands and praying for the allowance of his final account now on file in this court and that he may be discharged and his bond cancelled and for such further order as may be necessary for the final settlement of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 6, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 81 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 157, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 75-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent, to secure the costs of foreclosure and sale, including an attorney's fee, according to terms of said mortgage I shall on the 23d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by William R. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parellel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL,
CHARLES BRIDGE, Assignee
Attorney for Assignee. sep25

GUARDIAN SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minor by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, bearing date the 5th day of September, 1884, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee county Michigan, on the 8th day of November, A D 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided half of all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of a street which starts nearly opposite Brown street in said village and runs easterly from Mill street to Maumee street in said village seventeen (17) rods westerly from the east line of said Mill street; thence running southerly at right angles with said south line of said street fifteen (15) rods to a point met by producing easterly the southerly line of a lot formerly owned and occupied by Robert Stewart on its own course; thence westerly along said line produced westerly as aforesaid six (6) rods; thence northwardly parallel with first course fifteen rods to said south line of said street; running easterly from Mill street to Maumee street as aforesaid; thence westerly along said south line of said street six rods to place of beginning.

Terms of sale, cash.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, Sept. 23d, 1884.

FREDERICK GMOHLING
Guardian of said Minor.

ESTATE OF ASA RUSSELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Russell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edward L. Russell executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased the expenses of last sickness and burial of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will and for his discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 23, 1884.

BLAINE IS BEATEN.

The Philadelphia Times, an Independent Republican paper, the most influential newspaper in the Keystone state, thus interprets the October election:

We believe that Blaine is beaten. The popular tide as developed in the important October elections, is an unerring index of an adverse current against Blaine, and an adverse Blaine tide in the middle of October, means a Blaine Waterloo in November.

The Ohio Blaine victory is the victory of death. It makes plain the fact that on the largest vote ever polled, with the most lavish expenditure of money known in any state, with Federal officials called from their public duties to work for the party in nearly every precinct, with Blaine leading the battle in exhaustive personal effort for a fortnight, and with the prohibition vote going nearly solid for the Blaine ticket, the thoroughly Republican State of Ohio falls short fully one-half below the voluntary majority of October, 1880, and two-thirds below the Garfield majority.

It is an unerring index that Ohio, with her overwhelming majority for an acceptable Presidential candidate, must be fought over again in November to insure her electoral vote for Blaine. It assures Indiana for Cleveland without a desperate struggle, and it is notice that Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin must be contested as at least remotely doubtful states. It is notice to the leaders of the Plumed Knight that his battle henceforth is against fearful gale and tide; that just when he and his resources are exhausted, the Cleveland leaders come into the field with fresh resources and growing popular sentiment in their favor. We believe, therefore, that Blaine is beaten.

West Virginia was regarded by Blaine as a hopeful State when he entered upon his campaign of desperation in Ohio. The Republican-Greenback fusion has been perfected there under the immediate inspiration of Blaine and the immediate lead of Elkins. The battle was opened with the regular Blaine flourish of trumpets and the regulation extravagant claims of organs. The narrow Democratic margin of from 2,000 to 3,000 against the combined Republican-Greenback vote, was regarded as within the reach of lavish expenditure and a humming campaign. Blaine opened the canvass in person for several days, and nothing was left undone or unpromised or unclaimed, to break the picket State of the South. But West Virginia has largely increased her Democratic vote; largely increased her Democratic majority; swept every Congressional district from the Blaine coalition and almost rivals Ohio's reduced Republican majority with her increased Democratic majority. A solid South and a broken North now confront the Republicans, and we believe that Blaine is beaten.

We believe that Blaine is beaten for one reason, and for that reason he justly deserves to be beaten. He has been heard in Maine, in New York, in Pennsylvania, in nearly every chief center of Ohio, in West Virginia and in Michigan, and he has yet to utter the first word in favor of honest government, of reduced taxation, of repealing the hundred millions of surplus and of restoring the national authority to public integrity and economy. He has not uttered one word that could offend the jobbers of the land; not one word to chill the hopes of banded plunderers; not one word to give assurance that Star Route thieves shall cease to mock justice under the shadows of the Capitol; not one word to recall the nation to an honest ballot and to honest administration. Ohio totters under the hunger for such nourishment from the Republican candidate: West Virginia, with her frugal sons of the mines, the field and the forest, demands reduced taxes and frugal government, and North and South promise to make common cause to restore the national authority to the integrity of Abraham Lincoln. We believe that Blaine is beaten.

The B. & O. Red Book for Michigan is ready for distribution, and in more than one respect, is the most valuable of any of the editions hitherto based upon this State. As has always been the rule, the forwarding of a stamp to C. K. Lord, Baltimore, is all that is necessary to secure a copy, and in fact the only way, as the Red Book issues are all for mail circulation. The present volume is replete with political statistics and condensed data, not only as regards the latest Presidential, State and Congressional elections in this State, but relating as well to elections since admission into the Union. It would be difficult to imagine a more complete showing of past results in the State, or a more neatly put together and printed little book.

The Democrats of Holloway will raise a Cleveland & Hendricks pole on Friday afternoon. Lieut. L. H. Salsbury and C. H. Dewey will address the people on the political topics of the day.

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For Vice Pres't—William Daniel, of Maryland.

HON. E. P. ALLEN REVIEWED.

As our readers are aware, our republican friends have had another meeting and their candidate for Congress in the 3d Dist. has been making a speech. In that speech he made some assertions which need to be examined a little.

In his speech Mr. Allen made the broad assertion that slavery was not abolished through the instrumentality of any party. The abolition party did not play any part in it, for it was disbanded and had disappeared several years before. The republican party did not effect it; they only advocated the restriction, not the abolition of slavery. President Lincoln did not do it; he only gave liberty to the slaves within the bounds of the Confederacy at the time he issued his proclamation. In making such assertions Mr. Allen robs the republican party of its chief glory and the thunder which has overthrown its enemies for twenty years past. If a democrat had made such a declaration, it would have been denounced as a campaign lie, and justly so too. What shall we say of it when it comes from a simon pure republican?

It is not probable that Mr. Allen would have made such an assertion had he not had a very difficult case in court which required "special pleading." He was laboring to convince his jury that a prohibition party is useless and cannot accomplish anything. So he said that the abolition of slavery was brought about not by a party but by the people, by an amendment to the Constitution. Yes, but who formulated that amendment and proposed it to the States? Did not a republican congress do it over the protest of the democrats? And who passed it in the requisite number of States? Did not the republican party do it in every case? And who supported President Lincoln in going as far as the Constitution would permit him in freeing the slaves? Did not the republican party? Suppose there had been no republican party? And suppose that there had never been any anti-slavery organization to educate the people, would the people ever have risen to the height of striking off the fetters of the African slave? In face of such inquiries the assertions of Mr. Allen must pass for the veriest trickery and nonsense.

Again Mr. Allen claims that the republican party is not a whiskey party in practice. He says that it has done all the temperance legislating in this State. Let us see. Very true they enacted the only prohibitory law Michigan has ever had. But before that law was old enough to show what it could do, the same party repealed the search and seizure clause; A little later they repealed the wine and beer clause. Were these changes made in the interest of prohibition? Who dares assert it? Of course they did amend it many times for the better. But in 1875, after the famous Beer Brewer's Congress had resolved that it was a failure they repealed it. But Mr. Allen says the Democrats did it. That is he says, that year the Democrats came very near carrying the legislature, and the solid democratic vote with a small minority of republicans repealed it. But how could that be? The republicans had a small majority. The Governor was a republican. He must have signed that law, or the democrats, with a small minority of republicans would not have passed it over his head.

But Mr. Allen says that every vote for the prohibition party is a vote for the democrats. He says that there are only two parties and that we must vote for one or the other of the two. He seems to say it is decreed by fate that one or the other of these must rule in the future and we cannot help supporting one of the two, vote as we may. Therefore he says, we must choose between the republican and democratic parties. We would ask who has seen the decree that these two corrupt parties are not to be broken up. In the name of a free ballot we protest against any such assertion. It is an attempt to bull-doze conscientious voters, and whip them back into the party traces. When a republican votes prohibition he votes for principles. In no sense does he support the democratic party. What if he should help the democrats for the time? It is only that they may in turn be hurled from power into the oblivion which they have so long deserved.

Several prominent members of the g. o. p. have asked Mr. St. John to withdraw. The apostolic candidate answers in effect that unlike Mr. Neal Dow he is a Prohibitionist on Presidential election years as well as on "off" years; that he is not a Republican with prohibitory annex, an umbrella for fair weather only; a summer hotel that closes as fall comes on; or any other temporary make-shift affair. He thinks the Prohibition party has come to stay. At any rate he has.—Exchang.

PROHIBITION.

We have two systems of education in this country. One hundred and sixty-four thousand public schools educating for God, and one hundred and seventy-five thousand saloons educating for the Devil. For education of our children through public schools, to an honest, sober, Christian manhood and womanhood, we pay annually about $80,000,000. For education through the saloon, the hot-bed of misery, poverty, crime and shame, we contribute about $1,400,000,000 per annum. In other words, for every dollar that we expend to build up through our public schools, we invest $17 to tear down through the saloons.

And yet, in the face of these facts, the saloon system, as well as the public schools, receive the sanction and protection of the laws of the land, and each of the great political parties of to-day, while approving of the schools are too cowardly to oppose the saloons. Such political truckling ought to be condemned by the ballot of every lover of "God, and home and native land." What are we going to do about it? Why, one distinguished politician from the East, without a word against the evil, proposes to divide the revenue received from the liquor traffic among the several states, thus giving it a chance to buy its way into public favor. The idea! Sanction a business that destroys soul and body and robs the people of $1,400,000,000 annually, that the Government may get $70,000,000 revenue from it? What statesmanship? Another equally great politician from the prairies of the West suggests that the liquor revenue be devoted to the education of the youth of the land. In other words, make a public school director out of the Devil, and then expect God to bless such a plan.

But many persons, even some who claim to be Christians, are willing that these soul destroying aliens shall exist as long as they pay for the privilege. In other words, they are for saloons "for revenue only," apparently ignoring the fact that money can never make the great wrong right.

If I possessed the power, I would forever prohibit the importation manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, including wine, ale and beer, as a beverage. But we are told that that would "take away our liberties." Would it? What legitimate liberty, I ask, would it deprive us of?

Just think of it. Four saloons to every church, six bartenders to every preacher, thirty dollars expended for intoxicating liquors for every dollar paid for Christian missions, homes destroyed, manhood gone, graves and prisons filled with the victims of the infamous traffic; then talk to me about the liberty of the citizen finding a lodgment in such a system.

But I am glad that prohibition of the liquor traffic is no longer confined to the narrow limits of only a few of the states. It is to-day a great national question. Our wasted resources, debauched manhood, destroyed homes, and aching hearth cry aloud against this giant evil, the crime of crimes. And woe be unto the political party or individual that shall stand in the way of an indignant and outraged people, as they burst asunder the political shackles that have bound them, and, with a view solely to the good of the whole country, looking to God for his guidance, strike for a purer government, happier homes, and a higher civilization. Our country's flag should know no North, no South, no East, no West; but its protecting folds should cover alike the palatial mansion of the rich, the rude "dug-out" of the pioneer on the plains of the West, or the humble cabin of the black man in the South. It should be the emblem of sobriety and morality, of free schools, a free ballot and free homes, and the highest rights of citizenship for every well disposed human being of proper age from whom we demand allegiance to our Government and obedience to the laws. It should boldly uphold and defend the right, and condemn the wrong, and thus become what its founders intended it should be, the symbol of the highest civilization attainable by man—freedom under Christ.—JOHN P. ST. JOHN.

Temperance vs. Prohibition.

We hope that all who really desire prohibition will note the distinction Republican organs are making between temperance and prohibition. They call themselves the temperance party in contradistinction to the prohibitionists. What does that mean? Why saloons just as we now have. Nothing more, and that is what the Republican party is determined to adhere to as its policy. It has only taken up prohibition when it had to do it or be wrecked on the rocks of popular indignation. Prohibitionists you might as well understand that when you vote with the old party you vote to continue the reign of legalized dram shops,—legalized robbery and murder. You vote to make the State a partner in the iniquitous business of ruining men's bodies and damning their souls. Can you do this with a good conscience? Stop and think.

The statement may as well be emphasized here and now that James G. Blaine will not receive more than one electoral vote from Michigan, and if the St. John boom keeps up he will not receive even one.—Exchange.

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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 10th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, with the will annexed, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased, in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH SLATER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 15th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Slater, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Arthur J. Slater, an heir-at-law of said deceased, alleging that he is interested in the estate of said deceased, that the real estate of said deceased has been assigned to the heirs-at-law and devisees of said deceased by said court according to the provisions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and praying that partition and distribution of said real estate may be made amongst said heirs-at-law and devisees according to the statute in such case made and provided, and the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the Griffiths shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Interfering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection. W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

FARMER'S MUTUAL.—The annual meeting of the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Lenawee County will be held at the Old Light Guard Armory in the city of Adrian, on Monday, Oct. 27th, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M. Members of the company are requested to attend. GEO. R. ALLEN,
A. COOK, Pres. Secretary.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence (old house north of Green house) in Brownville.

SEED POTATOES.—Pure Early Rose, Clark's No. 1, White Star, St. Patrick, White Elephant and Mammoth Pearl. For sale at reasonable prices. ABNER WILSON.

CIDER APPLES WANTED:—Cash for cider apples at J. B. Hause & Bros.' mill, at Clinton. We take our apples by weight, 50 lbs. per bush. J. B. HAUSE & BRO.

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DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between Drs. House & Jones is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the above named firm are requested to call on Dr. House at his old office over Lilly & Co's. Bank, who is authorized to settle all accounts. Dr. Jones can be found at the same office until farther notice.
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LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket-book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

LOST.—Between Fred Morrill's and Tecumseh on Tuesday, Oct. 14, a dark blanket shawl. Finder will please leave at Anderson's dry goods store.

DRESSMAKING.—I have opened dressmaking rooms over Nyland's shoe store where I should be pleased to see all wishing work done. MRS. R. C. CATLIN.

Adrian Record: The Petersburg Journal, which absorbed the circulation of the late Deerfield Record when the founder of the latter escaped to Milan, has decided to print the news from Deerfield as correspondence instead of making a separate publication, as the entire edition, being printed outside the county, is subject to postage. The post-office department snaps onto the editor's pocket book like a mud turtle on a small boy.

Yesterday afternoon at Springville, Mr. Hannibal Osborn, of Franklin and Miss Rachel S. Mosher were joined in marriage by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson of this village. Both parties have lived many years in their respective townships and are universally esteemed. Every one will say at once, upon hearing the news—"a most appropriate match." The bride will have a fine home and she will preside over it with dignity. Hand shaking and congratulations are in order, in which the HERALD heartily and sincerely joins.

Union street is rapidly becoming the "fifth avenue" of Tecumseh. The best residences recently built have been upon that street, and the finest one of all has just been completed by A. W. Mills. The building is an imposing brick structure, with a commodious basement, two full stories and a roomy attic. The main edifice contains a large vestibule, parlor, family room and nursery, and the rear addition contains kitchen, dining-room, bath-room, pantry, and other conveniences. The rooms are large, very high between floor and ceiling and splendidly lighted. The house will be lighted by gas and heated by steam, all the appointments are first-class, and the workmanship of the best order. Theo. Crane was the Superintendent of the carpenter work. Shaw, Kendall & Co., of Toledo, furnished the steam heating apparatus and the plumbing. The Combination Gas Machine Works of Detroit furnished the gas machine. The slate roof was from the firm of Draper & Hass of Toledo. The lumber was furnished by Wolcott, Temple & Co. Mr. Mill's family have just moved in and they are now putting down carpets and getting settled. Taking into consideration location, size, finish and interior conveniences, Mr. Mills has the model family residence of Tecumseh. May he live long to enjoy it. He deserves it.

Another elegant dwelling house has just been completed on Union street by J. H. Smith, the popular manager of the Tecumseh Lumber Co. It is located on the corner of Union and Logan streets, opposite E. B. Wood's residence. The house is two full stories with a fine cellar below. It has a large vestibule, parlor, family room, nursery, dining room and kitchen below and three large sleeping rooms on the second floor. The outside appearance of the house is very attractive and the interior finish is equal to that of any house in Tecumseh. The casings and inside blinds are pine, and the doors of butternut, all finished in hard oil. Chas. Smith had charge of the carpenter work. Mr. Smith has just taken possession of his new home and is getting "settled" as fast as possible.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 23, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Overcoats are fashionable.

Music at the Skating Rink this evening.

Sam and Alf. James were home over Sunday.

John L. Thum was in Tecumseh on Tuesday.

Geo. Smith, of Toledo, was in town on Tuesday.

Dr. Snyder, of Hillsdale, visited his brother here last Sunday.

Ask Brown why the Band went east last Thursday evening.

C. W. Goodrich of Coldwater, is visiting his sister Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

The addition to the Adrian Baptist Church is rapidly approaching completion.

Dr. L. H. Bedell, of Devil's Lake, favored the HERALD with a call last Saturday.

Chas. Albaugh is making great improvements upon his shop on Railroad street.

Geo. Warner, of Waterloo, N. Y., is in Tecumseh, visiting Harry Lee and I. P. Keyser.

Dr. O. Q. Jones has fitted up an office over Kinney's furniture store in Bidwell's Block.

Miss Allie Warren returned from Midland City to her home in this village on Friday last.

Quail can be legally shot during the months of November and December, but not before nor after.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ide, of Detroit, spent last Sabbath in Tecumseh as the guests of Mr. Wm. Ide.

Rev. N. A. Saxton, of Manchester, will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

Last Thursday night a burglar entered the houses of A. K. Waldron and Sam Bryan, west of the village. Nothing was obtained at either place. It was likely the same chap that paid Abner Wilson a visit.

The annual meeting of the Lenawee County W. C. T. U. will be held at the M. E. Church at Morenci, Oct. 29th and 30th, commencing Wednesday at 10:30 o'clock A. M. A full attendance is desirable. Good speakers expected at the evening meetings. M. C. Wood, President. Pastors of churches in the county, please read this notice from their pulpits.

Last Thursday night, Abner Wilson's house was visited by a burglar. About four o'clock Friday morning Mrs. Wilson was aroused by a noise, and upon waking saw a man in the room, apparently searching through the bureau drawers. She woke her husband and the stranger took his departure forthwith, departing without any booty.

Paul Bowen, formerly of Raisin, who is now a clerk in the Treasury Department, at Washington, is at home on a furlough, and will remain in this county until after election. We never saw him looking better. He says politics are red hot now in Washington, but the clerks are obliged to go home if they would exercise the right of suffrage. So Mr. Bowen will stay until after Nov. 4th.

Manchester Enterprise: Chas. W. Akin, was in town yesterday and informed us that he had abandoned Wampler's lake and will be found on the north side of Wolf lake next summer. He owns a strip of land on the lake front, and will put up a hotel there as soon as he is able. He also informs us that he has leased 15 lots fronting the lake, to Grass Lake parties who will build cottages there next Summer.

Adrian Record: Deputy Sheriff John Smith has been freely setting up the cigars for the past day or two on the strength of a report that he had just been married. Smyth protested his innocence in the most solemn and impressive manner, but it "didn't go." His acquaintances wouldn't have it that way, and so he continued on helplessly treating his friends, till the publication of the marriage of John T. Smith—a Smith who does not spell his name with a "y." The newspapers let the official out, and those who were "boning" him for treats have now gone for the other Smith. It is a serious thing to be named Smith or even Smyth.

Last Tuesday evening at S. J. Walker's hospitable mansion in the town of Norvell, Mr. Frank P. Coder, the station agent at Norvell, was united in marriage to Miss Mana I. Walker. Frank has held his position a long time, and is a faithful employee. The bride formerly resided in Tecumseh and attended school here. She is a noble woman and has always been a favorite among her relatives and acquaintances. The array of beautiful bridal gifts attested the esteem in which she is held by those who know her. The wedding was not large, but was a most genial gathering, and the company were superbly entertained. The prayers and best wishes of family and friends will accompany this couple as they set sail upon life's voyage.

Jas. Elliott is at Ann Arbor having his eyes doctored.

Burt and May Spafford are happy this morning—a boy.

The L. S. & M. S. R'y company have erected new telegraph poles through the corporation.

A number of Tecumseh Odd Fellows visited the Dundee Lodge I. O. O. F. last Thursday evening and were royally entertained.

J. H. Underwood of Addison, Smith's head miller, was in town last Saturday on business and favored the HERALD with a short call.

A. W. Slayton and John R. Fowler are getting out a large bill of oak lumber to go to England. The lumber goes to N. Y. by rail.

Eaton Post will give a benefit party at Britton's new hall in Britton village to-morrow evening. There ought to be a good turn out.

A. J. Ayres will begin a series of six club dances at Ayres' Hall in Springville on Friday evening, Oct. 31st. Good music will be furnished. Bill $1.50.

The Adrian Star Lecture Course which succeeded so well last winter will be repeated this winter on a similar plan. The course will soon be made public.

Again the cold winds whistle around as they have done for many ages, and ask of the young man with threadbare pants, O, where's your last summer's wages.

W. P. Deming has opened a new blacksmith shop at Griffiths old stand on Pearl street, where he will be pleased to see parties in need of that kind of work.

Charles Strong, of Kansas, is shaking hands with his old Tecumseh friends, and he finds lots of them who are pleased to see him. He expects to return next week.

Owing to the sickness of Hon. Levi V. Moulton, his appointments in this county have been cancelled. There will be no meeting at the Opera House this evening.

Six members of Addison Post G. A. R. and six members of Eaton Post at Britton were present at the regular meeting of Beer's Post in Tecumseh on Friday evening last.

Although crops are good and everyone feels good to know that such is the case, business is not as flush as it will be when the fat hogs and steers begin to come to market.

Jas. B. Colvin, of Raisin, has a span of two year old, very finely matched, iron grey colts, which tip the scales at 2410 pounds. They will make a dandy carriage team when broken.

H. L. Bull has been in town for the past few days canvassing for a new edition of Polk's State Gazetteer. The coming edition of that work will be the most complete ever published.

It might be well for some of the fathers of Tecumseh to take a stroll around town, long after business hours, and see what their boys are doing and how they are spending their time.

Adrian Record: Because a Hudson man caught a nine-pound pickerel in a mill-pond the other day, a Tecumseh man, stung with envy, couldn't rest till he had cought a ten-pounder in the Brownville pond.

Next week will be the time to store away Celery for winter use. You can get it at Prairie-Side farm for $1.50 per hundred, and $1.75 if delivered in village. Pass in your orders.
H. L. Stewart.

Rev. C. T. Allen, brother of Hon. E. P. Allen, and Pastor of Simpson Methodist Episcopal Church, Detroit, will preach on exchange with Rev. G. W. Hudson next Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal Church. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Frank Smallidge, of Detroit, arrived in town Saturday and remained with his Tecumseh friends until Tuesday. Frank is prospering in business, and now owns one of the finest and fastest carriage horses in the city. One thousand dollars in cash would not buy him.

A noiseless roller slate has been invented, but there is probably no device the ingenuity of man can contrive that will make noiseless the man who uses such skates the first time, and sits down upon the back of his head with his legs shooting heavenward. Nothing but death!

J. W. Lee, who works E. G. Cook's farm in the town of Clinton, raised a piece of corn this year which husked out 110 bushels to the acre. It was the white dent variety. Six ears are now on exhibition at the HERALD office which weigh 6 lb. 14 oz. Who can beat this? Bring on your corn. It will be exhibited free of charge.

The next annual session of Michigan Christian Conference, and Sunday School Institute connected therewith, will be held in East Ridgeway Christian Church, Lenawee Co., commencing Oct. 28, 1884, at 7 o'clock P. M. and will continue over the following Sabbath. The meetings of the conference each day will begin at 9 A. M., 2 P. M. 7 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all persons who can do so, to be in attendance with us.
B. F. RAPP, Pastor.

On and after October 23d 1884, the Michigan and Ohio R. R. Co. will carry passengers only upon regular passenger Trains and upon such specials as may from time to time be run for their accommodation. Conductors of Freight Trains will under no circumstances carry passengers upon their trains.

Prof. Hammond is the happy father of an eight pound boy, who happened around last Saturday morning. Although the Professor's tutorial duties are mostly confined to the high school department it would not be surprising if he gave some attention to the infantry department hereafter. We are happy to learn that the mother is prospering and that the youngster has good lungs.

Adrian Times: The Michigan Overland telephone company, the formation of which we noted the other day, will make an effort to establish an exchange here, and will be represented here by ex-Ald. Secord. The company proposes to charge at the rate of $25 a year for private houses, $36 a year for business places, and desires to place $5,000 of its stock here at a very low price. It will make no extra charge for telephoning in the county, and expects soon to have lines in operation. It claims for its system many superiorities over the Bell telephone, but at present has no line in operation.

John VanVleet is just putting the finishing touches upon a splendid new family residence on his farm between Tecumseh and Ridgeway. The new house is a few rods east of the old one. It is a large square upright, with a wing on the west side, both two stories. There is a cellar beneath the whole house, which is plastered overhead. The rooms are large and pleasant and the interior arrangement is fitted up with a view to convenience as well as comfort. The exterior is painted a handsome drab. The masons finished their work last Friday. The painters have inside work to do which will soon be completed and Mr. VanVleet will take formal possession before the snow flies.

Last Thursday evening the Republicans had a rally at the Opera House which was the most successful meeting of the campaign thus far. The Manchester band came down on the afternoon train to furnish music. About seven o'clock the band proceeded to the home of H. W. Stevens and serenaded Capt. Allen who was stopping there and escorted the speakers up town, and by eight o'clock the opera house was filled with a good crowd. Capt. Allen was the first speaker and the major portion of his speech was an effort to whip the Prohibitionists into the traces. John K. Boies of Hudson followed with a good sound candid speech. It is no flattery to Mr. Boies and only the plain truth to state that his speech was by far the better one of the two. We do not care to criticise either of the speeches. From a Republican standpoint the meeting was certainly a success.

James W. Patterson writes home from Jan Jose, Cal. as follows:

"Our house here is very pleasant. It belongs to a professor who taught in the college here till he was requested to resign, and consequently he was obliged to seek fresh fields and pastures new, so we got his house. There is a large grape vine in the yard and a fig tree with lots of figs on it, so you see, we can according to scripture, sit under our own vine and fig tree. There is also a large English walnut tree with lots of walnuts on it and the children have big times knocking down the nuts which are now ripe. There are three large canneries here giving employment to at least a thousand people, mostly girls, who prepare the fruit for canning. My friend, Mr. Brock Anderson, a Tecumseh boy who came here nearly twenty years ago, is head clerk in the largest cannery here, and he showed me through their establishment last week, and I tell you it was a sight worth seeing. They were canning lots of strawberries which are raised here all the year round. Also such sights of plums, pears, peaches and apricots, I never saw in my life. Some of these they can, and some are dried. In their drying rooms there were bins with hundreds of bushels of dried fruit in them, and beautiful fruit too, as no imperfect fruit is bought by them."

The Library Association, at a recent meeting appointed a committee to take into consideration the feasibility of getting up a lecture course here during the coming winter, with full power to take such action as they deemed proper. The committee have corresponded with several parties and lecture bureaus and find that a good course of five or six lectures will be quite expensive, and as the object of the course is to replenish the treasury of the association, the committee were somewhat in doubt as to their action. They finally hit upon this plan—to get pledges from twenty or more citizens agreeing to make up any deficiency should there be one. Mr. Mills circulated a subscription paper of this kind and in two days obtained seventy signatures. This makes the course a fixed fact. If it proves a financial failure, the signers of the paper bear the loss proportionately. If a success, the Library association will get the benefit of it. Lecturers will be engaged at once. The course will consist of five or six entertainments, a portion of which will be musical in character.

TECUMSEH LUMBER COMPANY.

A BRIEF REVIEW OF ONE OF TECUMSEH'S BEST MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.

Lumber and Building Materials of all Kinds at Wholesale and Retail—Where to Get New Houses and Stores.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co., as at present organized is one of the strongest, best managed and most successful enterprises of Tecumseh. The business was organized on a small scale in 1883, by S. W. Temple, who conducted it for several years. During his ownership a large lumber yard was established on Shawnee street, and a planing mill was erected on the corner of Shawnee and Pearl streets. On the 26th of Oct. 1882, the "Tecumseh Lumber Co." was organized, which bought from Mr. Temple all his stock on hand and leased his lumber yard and planing mill. On the 26th day of June last, the planing mill was destroyed by fire. The loss was nearly $16,000, on which there was $9,000 insurance, which was promptly paid. The company were then in a quandary whether to rebuild on the old lot or purchase elsewhere; but finally struck a bargain with S. W. Temple to lease his new brick planing mill in the rear of and adjoining their lumber yard. On the 1st. of July, 1884, the week after the fire, the company was reorganized with N. B. Bradley & Sons of Bay City, and H. C. Wason & Co., of Toledo, as proprietors, and on the 10th of July this new firm leased Temple's new brick planing mill and took immediate possession.

Their yard, located on Shawnee street near the L. S. & M. S. depot, is about twelve rods square. A fine brick office building is situated at the corner of Shawnee and Railroad streets. A store room and shed fifteen feet wide extend the entire length of the yard on the West side, and there is another large store house for blinds, doors, etc. on Shawnee street. The planing mill leased from Temple is a few rods North and West of the lumber yard, a side track running past the building. It is a substantial brick structure, with large engine room on the north side. A large addition has just been erected on the North side which nearly doubles the capacity of the mill. The building is most solidly built two stories with metal roof, is equipped with one of the finest boiler and engines in Southern Michigan, and a large assortment of the best machines made. It containes one large 26 ft. planer, one Fay moulding and matching machine, one tenoner, one sash machine, one door machine, three blind machines, one scroll-sawing machine, one shaping machine, three sawing machines, one mortising machine and one sand papering machine. A new exhaust fan is attached to all the machines. The firm is now negotiating for a large dry kiln which will be put in very soon.

Mr. N. B. Bradley, the controlling partner of this firm, is doing an immense lumber business at Bay City and proposes to keep the Tecumseh Yard supplied with a large and varied assortment of lumber. All kinds of finished work are kept on hand such as doors, blinds, mouldings, sash, casings, etc. Builders hardware and paints are also kept in stock. Anything wanted—except brick and mortar—to build a new house, can be bought at this establishment, in small or large quantities. The firm keep about twenty men in constant employment, and some weeks have an additional force to keep up with their orders. They are receiving several car loads of lumber, calculating to put up a large stock of finished work during the winter for the spring trade. They have furnished the material for a large number of stores and dwelling houses this season, both in Tecumseh and outside towns.

They are making the windows for the new Court House at Adrian. They have furnished lumber and finished work for Usborne's new store, Montague's new store, and Lee's new Hotel in Tecumseh; two new stores at Manchester; nine new buildings at Onsted, and several new farm dwellings in this vicinity. P. W. Adams bought three car loads of stuff this summer, to build a new house and barn, which were shipped to Delaware where he now resides. Several car loads of factory work have been exported to different points in Ohio and Kentucky this season.

The company when first organized, engaged E. E. Koch as manager. Mr. J. H. Smith entered their employment Sept. 17, 1883, and upon the reorganization after the fire in July last, Mr. Smith became the business manager of the new concern. No better man could have been found for that position. He is a practical carpenter and builder, and thus knows all the details of housebuilding, has built many new houses on contract and is thus posted in business management, is young, energetic, and attentive to business. Under his keen eye and careful management the entire establishment moves along like clock work. Mr. Bradley paid Tecumseh a visit a few days ago and expressed himself as more than satisfied with the manner in which the business is conducted. The company have the money and stock as a foundation, they have fine buildings and machines, they have first class workmen and good business management, and with these they purpose building up the strongest business in their line, in Southern Michigan.

Frank Leslie's Sen ay Magazine

For November will prove of equal interest to the young and the old, the reader for amusement only, and the thinker—in fact, to all classes; for in it may be found something to interest all. The opening is a careful study, By the Rev. Geo. T. Rider, of the University system of education as illustrated in the English Universities of Oxford and Cambridge. An Article on "Hymns and Hymn Tunes," by D. E. Harvey, is both historical and critical. Dr. Talmage has a trenchant expose of the imposture of Spiritualism, and in The House Pulpit he preaches on the Christianized Vote. The Carter Family, Joseph Barnby, and John Francis Barnett, are treated in the Sacred Musicians series. A charming Southern story, entitled "Sophy," is contributed by Mrs. Adelade C. Waldron: and there is a notable article, "Troubadours and Trouveres" with a portrait of Frederick Mistral. The Rev. Geo. W. Nichols contributes a twelfth letter to The Collection Basket, this time treating of the remarkable changes in New York since his boyhood. The number is profusely and handsomely illustrated as usual. Price 25 cents a number, $2.50 per year. Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 & 57 Park Place, New York.

The November number of the Magazine of Art closes the volume for the year with unusual attractions. The frontispiece of the number is from Mr. F. A. Bridgeman's last salon picture, "The Bath at home, Cairo," and is very suggestive of that artist's gorgeous oriental coloring. This picture accompanies an article on "The American Salon," by Mr. W. C. Brownell, who was until he left this country for Europe, the art critic of the New York World. Mr. Brownell is an admirable critic and he has a fruitful subject. Each one of these papers is illustrated with numerous engravings, some of them from nature, others from rare prints and notable paintings. A complete record of the art news of the month, both in Europe and America will be found in its usual place in the Magazine.—Cassell & Company, Limited, New York.

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STATIONS.	No. 115 Mail.	No. 117 Express	No. 119 Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	6 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 52 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116 Mail.	No. 118 Express.	No. 120 Accom.
Detroit	5 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 37 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
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STATIONS.	27. P. M.	21. A. M.	23. P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 38	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 35	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
7 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction...	9 16	4 48
7 19	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
7 18	7 35	..... Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
7 05	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 08	..... Milan	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 16
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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Passenger Time Table.

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Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 56 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A...Toledo ..L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
6 20	9 09	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
6 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 59	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 07		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 17		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 15		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
8 08		3 45	Montetith	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		4 00
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

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The Duke of Wellington's Experiment.

In a ground-floor room in one of the large public buildings of London a man sat writing at a table covered with papers. He was a short, strongly built figure, with a prominent nose, and a face hard and massive as a granite statue, wearing the set look peculiar to men who have surmounted great difficulties and confronted great perils. Few, indeed, had had more practice in both than this man, for he was no other than the Duke of Wellington, and his crowning victory at Waterloo was still but a few years old.

There was the tinkle of a bell outside, and then a murmur of voices in the anteroom, but the Duke never raised his head from his writing, even when his secretary entered and said:

"If it please your Grace, that man with the bullet-proof breastplate has called again, and wishes very much to see your Grace for a moment."

The Duke's face darkened, as well it might, for the man in question was the most pertinacious bore whom he had ever encountered. The bullet-proof cuirass was his own invention, and he never lost a chance of declaring that the safety of the whole British army depended upon the instant adoption of this "unparalleled discovery," which he carried about with him, and exhibited at all times and in all places.

Had this been all, he would soon have been disposed of; but, unluckily, he had contrived to interest in his invention one or two of the Duke's personal friends, and to get from them letters of recommendation which even Wellington could not easily disregard. Something must clearly be done, however; for although the fellow had hitherto been kept at bay, he was evidently determined to give the Duke no peace till the matter had been fully gone into.

For a moment Wellington looked so grim that the secretary began to hope for the order which he would gladly have obeyed, viz., to kick the inventor into the street forthwith. But the next instant the iron face cleared again, and over it played the very ghost of a smile, like a gleam of winter sunshine upon a precipice.

"Show him in," said he, briefly.

The observant secretary noted both the tone and the smile that accompanied it; and he inwardly decided that it would have been better for the inventor if he had *not* insisted on seeing the duke.

In came the great discoverer—a tall, slouched, shabby, slightly red-nosed man, with a would-be jaunty air, which gave way a little, however, before the "Iron Duke's" penetrating glance.

"I am glad to think that your Grace appreciates the merits of my invention," said he, in a patronizing tone. "They are, indeed, too important to be undervalued by any great commander. Your Grace cannot fail to remember the havoc made by your gallant troops at Waterloo among the French cuirassiers, whose breastplates were *not* bullet-proof; whereas, if—"

"Have you got the thing with you?" interrupted Wellington.

The inventor unwrapped a very showy looking cuirass of polished steel, and was just beginning a long lecture upon its merits, when the Duke cut him short by asking:

"Are you quite sure it *is* bullet-proof?"

"Quite sure, your Grace."

"Put it on, then, and go and stand in that corner."

The other wonderingly obeyed.

"Mr. Temple," shouted Wellington to his secretary, "tell the sentry outside to load with ball-cartridge, and come in here to test this cuirass. Quick, now!"

But quick though the secretary was, the inventor was quicker still. The moment he realized that he had been set up there on purpose to be fired at, and to be shot dead on the spot if his cuirass turned out to be *not* bullet-proof after all, he leaped headlong through the open window with a yell worthy of a Blackfoot Indian, and darting like a rocket across the court-yard, vanished through the outer gateway; nor did the Duke of Wellington, from that day forth, ever see or hear of him again.—*David Ker, in Harper's Magazine.*

Homesickness.

Reader, were you ever homesick? When you first left the parental roof and went out into the wide world to hew out a road to fortune and to fame, did you not feel that strange sense of unrest that made it seem impossible that you could live another hour away from home? Where one has not had this experience a hundred have. Well do I remember when, at fifteen years of age, I went out from father, mother, home and friends, and sought an education nearly five hundred miles away. The novelty of my new surroundings in the city, having passed all my life on a farm, sustained me for a month or more, and then, I felt the gnawing at my heart one evening, and for weeks and months it came and came again. I was standing in the front yard at my boarding place, when suddenly a lump arose in my throat and almost choked me. I was looking in the direction of my old home, and my gaze went over the houses along the river, and over the tree-tops on the bluff beyond, and wandered into space, where I saw in imagination, the old fire-side. Mother, dear old mother, was sitting there at her accustomed place, knitting away as if her life depended on "turning the heel" of that stocking. Father was reading the village paper, just as I had seen him do a hundred times. My brothers and sisters were all there as usual, and the cat dozed and purred before the fire of crackling branches, and the back-log of hissing-hot elm rolled from its place and scattered embers here and there, as I had seen it do over and over again. The shouts of the children, the terror of the cat, the hurry of mother to brush the glowing coals from the old rag carpet before they should add to the number of unsightly holes already burned in it, the activity of father in checking the progress of the back-log with his heavy boot, the overturning andirons, the choking smoke and all the accompanying excitement and effort to repair damages, were as I had seen them often; but I was not there to help and an unfathomable longing to go and participate in the dear old scenes came upon me.

What would I have given for the poor privilege of burning my fingers in a futile effort to set up the fallen fire-dogs? How I should have leaped and danced for joy even to have coughed from breathing the smoke! It would have been only second to Heaven to have had mother bind up my blistered fingers and little sister to put her chubby hands upon them and hurt them in her anxiety to find out whether I was shamming. But no: this picture was but a mirage, and I must wait. One day a letter came. It said another sister had been born to me. How very strange I felt. I had a sister I had never seen, and when I talked about it at the table the other boarders laughed at me and said I was homesick. I cried each night when I had gone to bed, and in the morning, my pillow was wet with tears, and at table, my room-mate told of how I had called for mother in my sleep, and so I was laughing-stock again. The lady of the house was kind to me, and, often when she found me weeping, had stroked my hair so like my mother had in years agone, I wept afresh. At last a day came when I was going home. The hours seemed ages, and the minutes to elapse before the train would come, were hours of torture. At last, good-by was said to my new friends, the bell was tapped and I was on the way. The speed was far too slow, and I almost felt that I could go faster if I were afoot. When at last the brakeman called the names of stations that I knew, my heart beat high with overrising hope, and I was in an ecstacy of joy. At last the whistle sounded and the brakeman called the station near my home. The train it seemed would never stop. The platform reached, I sprang off. What change had come upon the world? The buildings I had thought so high two years before were very low; the girls were in long dresses, and my little sweetheart was so tall and slender, shy and blushing, I could hardly speak to her. At home it was the same. Father and mother were more gray, the children larger, and I called the one I'd never seen by the name I'd called the next one older before I went away. The cat was sleepy and inactive, and the fire upon the hearth not half so bright. Alas! a change had come, and home was never home again.—*Bloomington Thrown Mail.*

The Stage Coach in New York City.

When the railroad car took the place of the slow stage-coach, it deprived travel of most of its pleasures. One sees but little of the country as he is whirled rapidly through it amid noise and dust. There is no way in which scenery can be so well enjoyed, as from an outside seat of a stage-coach. The moderate rate of speed allows all the beauties of the scene to be appreciated, and the changes of the road present an ever-varying panorama. Then the stage-coach allowed of social enjoyment, and chat and stories made the time pass pleasantly. What a contrast between the tavern, where the stage-passengers stopped for dinner, and the present railway station with its "five minutes for refreshments!" There is so much that is pleasant and enjoyable in travel by stage that wealthy gentlemen in New York City and vicinity not long ago formed a coaching club, each member of which had a "coach and four." There are now many members of the club. Each has a coach made in the best possible style. The body of each and the running gear is painted in a different style from the others. The horses are carefully selected, and have the most complete harness and trappings. The coaches have seats for six upon the roof, besides a place for the "guard," who with his horn announces the arrival of the coach. The driver is usually the owner of the coach, and there is no little friendly rivalry among the members over their skill in "handling the ribbons." A parade of the coaching club is something well worth seeing, and the club makes occasional excursions to more or less distant points. On one occasion its members, or a part of them, drove to Philadelphia and back, by the stage-route followed before the days of railroads. One member of the club is so enthusiastic a coachman that he runs a daily coach between one of the hotels of this city and a point in the suburbs. He takes passengers at a round price, and thus allows those who are not members of the club to enjoy the pleasures of this mode of traveling. So popular is the Tally-ho Coach that places are engaged many days ahead. The passenger by the coach leaves the city by that beautiful gateway, Central Park; and sees the city melt gradually into the country. His road takes him past beautiful villas as well as primitive farm houses. His senses are soon saluted by the refreshing sea air, and he arrives at his destination prepared to do justice to the ample dinner that awaits him. His destination is Pelham Bay, one of the most charming spots upon Long Island Sound. He here exchanges the varying scenes and sights of the road for one of tranquil beauty. The blue waters of the Sound stretch out in front of him, and the many sailing craft go lazily by, their quiet being in strange contrast to the fussy little steamer that occasionally passes. After a few hours of rest at Pelham Bay the homeward journey is commenced, and the passenger enjoys the same scene in the light of the declining sun, and reaches the starting point just as gas-lights and electric lamps are replacing the daylight, refreshed by the novel mode of travel and the change of air and scene. "But," some may say, "it is very expensive." So it is, but unlike many of the amusements of the wealthy, every dollar expended by the Coaching Club helps some one. The coach maker, the painter, the harness maker, and many other trades are benefited, and even the farmer, who breeds stage horses, has their value increased by what some regard as the extravagance of the Coaching Club.—*American Agriculturist.*

The munificence of Han-Qua, the great Chinese millionaire banker, draws attention to the fact that in China nearly all the bankers are pawnbrokers. Goods are pledged at from a quarter to a half of their market value, and at the end of three years becomes the property of the banker. Legal interest in the Flowery Kingdom is twenty per cent., or as much thereunder as the lender will accept. Bankers' interest runs as high as thirty-five per cent. per annum.

A Wonderful Discovery.

Consumptives and all, who suffer from any affection of the Throat and Lungs, can find a certain cure in Dr. King's New discovery for Consumption. Thousands of permanent cures verify the truth of this statement. No medicine can show such a record of wonderful cures. Thousands of once hopeless sufferers now gracefully proclaim they owe their lives to this New Discovery. It will cost you nothing to give it a trial. Free Trial Bottles at C. A. Wright & Co's Drug Store. Large size, $1.00.

The Hart Argus has changed hands, Ed C. Palmiter, of Grand Rapids, taking the editorship, and the paper will be the organ of the prohibition party in the future.

Though numerous causes may operate to turn the hair gray, all that is needed to restore the natural color is Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair renewer. For more than twenty years its sales have been enormous, but we have yet to learn of its first failure.

Eward Crawford, of Ithica, is the latest roller skating rink victim. He broke an arm.

This extreme tired feeling we have in the spring, fall and during summer denotes torpid liver; we have no appetite and no ambition. Take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic; it corrects these troubles, restores good spirits. It speedily cures dyspepsia, bad breath piles, pimples, ague and malaria diseases. A perfect tonic, appetizer and blood purifier. Can be taken by the most delicate. Price 50 cents.

The St. Clair council is still considering the question of waterworks. The plan of drawing from the Oakland hotel tanks does not seem likely to be adopted.

Catarrh.

Is a very prevalent and exceedingly disagreeable disease, liable, if neglected, to develop into serious consumption. Being a constitutional disease, it requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, effecting a radical and permanent cure of catarrh in even its most severe forms. Made only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

A big suit is pending in Jackson growing out of the failure of Camp, Morrill & Camp, a heavy dry goods firm, which assigned two years ago.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

Factory men at Buchanan are experiencing duller times than ever before, and nearly all are out of employment on account of the shops being closed.

THE FASHIONS.—Fine pastry has become an actual necessity now, and those who use DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder, provide their guists with the most delicious food, without any bitter taste. It is so much more economical than the cheap goods offered that the table can be supplied with fine wholesome food every day in the week. Sold in cans only. Most economical.

A valuable horse owned by Frank Rudd, of Bronson, was nearly ruined a few days ago by colliding with a barb wire fence.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles; Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Remarked by R. C. Joiner, Allen P. O. Hillsdale Co., Mich.: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

I thank God that you ever invented such a medicine for Catarrh. I have suffered for five years so I could not lie down for weeks at a time. Since I have been using Ely's Cream Balm I can rest.—Frank P. Burleigh, Farmington, N. H.

CATARRH.—For twenty years I was a sufferer from catarrh of the head and throat. By a few applications of Ely's Cream Balm I received decided benefit—was cured by one bottle.—Charlotte Parker, Waverly, N. Y.

A beautiful young lady violently sat down on a sharp pointed oil can at the Ithica roller rink Saturday evening. She does not skate any more now.

Read this Advertisement.

ADRIAN, Mich. Jan. 31, '81.

Having sold the goods many years, and they give the best of satisfaction. We had an order for 3 large bottles Down's Elixir last week to be sent to Woodland, California.

J. R. BENNETT & Co., Druggist."

The goods referred to in foregoing letter are N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixir, Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters, and Henry & Johnson's Arpica and Oil Liniment.

The new Advent church at Ithica is inclosed and will be completed about Nov. 1.

FAITH.

In matters of medicine it is said to be half a remedy; but in desperate; tantalizing, chronic diseases such as Rheumatism, it is hard to get up faith. That was the reason why Rev. A. C. Hume, of Indianapolis, preferred to test ATHLOPHOROS in about the severest case he could find before he pronounced upon its merits. He writes: "The case was of Rheumatism of twenty years' standing. The patient could not walk except with two canes or by pushing a chair before him. In a short time after taking Athlophoros he could walk without canes or the chair."

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Having opened our Magnificent New Store, we desire to call the attention of the

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And vicinity to our Mammoth Stock, which surpasses everything ever seen in Toledo.

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We are showing the most complete assortment of Men's Clothing ever offered in Northern Ohio, at prices beyond the reach of competition.

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SUITS.

Invoice after invoice of these goods have been received, until every available space in our large salesroom is completely filled with seasonable goods. Parents should consult their interests and pay us a visit before purchasing.

We are also showing large lines of

Fine and Heavy Overcoats!

At unusually low prices.

We invite your attention to our whole stock, believing an examination will insure your patronage.

J. L. & J. B. HUDSON,
189 & 191 Summit street,
TOLEDO, OHIO.

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TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

We Propose to Present a

No. 9 Home Garland Cook Stove,

With Reservoir and Warming Closet, to the farmer who will bring us 40 ears of CORN weighing the most between this and Nov. 1, 1884. The corn will be tagged with the name of the party who presents it, and on November 4, (Election Day) the corn will be weighed and the stove awarded to the party who furnishes the 40 ears which weighing the most. And a

CLOTHES WRINGER

Will be presented to the party furnished the next heaviest lot.

A SET OF MRS. POTT'S NICKLE PLATED SAD IRONS

to the party furnishing the third heaviest.

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Tecumseh, Michigan.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 23, 1884.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

MISS EMMA GRAHAM, who was arrested at Reading, Pa., and taken to the Lancaster County jail, made a confession to the effect that she had been in the company, for some time past, of the celebrated bandit, Abe Buzzard, in the Welsh Mountains, that State, and also gave the officers a description of the locality in which was a cave containing silks and other valuables stolen by the burglars from various stores.

THE Director of the United States Mint at Philadelphia has prepared from extracts of reports of the money in circulation in thirty-nine of the principal countries, a statement showing that the gold coin circulation of the world has decreased during the year $52,000,000, silver circulation increased $42,000,000, paper money increased $140,000,000. The decrease in the circulation of gold is accounted for by a diminished production and an increased demand for that metal for use in the arts and for ornamentation.

THE President on the 16th signed an order dismissing from the service Captain George T. Olmsted, Jr., who was tried and convicted by court-martial on charges of embezzlement while on special duty in charge of the military telegraph lines in Arizona.

FOUR masked men broke into the residence of Nicholas Helfrick, near St. Boniface, Cambria County, Pa., on the night of the 15th and forced him to give up $1,700 in gold and currency which he had secreted. The robbers are believed to be the same gang which recently entered Farmer Gates' house and compelled him to disgorge $2,000 at the point of a revolver. Several persons suspected will be arrested.

MRS. CATHERINE STIPPA, aged ninety, hung herself at the home of her son-in-law, John Bitner, at Milan, Ohio, on the 16th. They were about to send her to the infirmary.

THE middle span of the bridge across the East Fork River, on the Cincinnati & Eastern Narrow Gauge Railroad, at Batavia Ohio, gave way on the evening of the 17th, as the express was passing over it, and the engine and baggage car and first coach were hurled into the river, fifty feet beneath. The rear coach remained on the sound portion of the bridge. There were forty-five persons on the train at the time and many made miraculous escapes, several leaping into the stream below. Edward Wilbur, engineer, of Sardinia, and Henry Jones, fireman, of Manchester, Ohio, were instantly killed. The following persons were injured: Samuel Carr, skull fractured, will die; Dave Hicks, badly scalded and leg broken, cannot recover; Ben. Moore, bruised about the head and shoulders; Thomas Taylor, nose broken, bruised about the head and shoulders; John Nash, brakeman, leg sprained; Mary Swallun, shoulders bruised; James McCoy, badly cut about the head; Conductor Charles Durham, slightly injured. A number of others received trifling bruises. The bridge was being repaired, but was considered safe.

AN incendiary fire at Montague, Mich., on the 16th destroyed the Opera House block, in which was the postoffice, express office, the *Lumberman* newspaper office, Ripley's drug store and several other business firms. Loss $70,000; partly insured.

BARNWELL & FRENCH'S woolen mills at Foster Station, near Ann Arbor, Mich., were burned on the morning of the 17th, together with 12,000 pounds of wool. The mill had six months' orders ahead. Loss $40,000; insurance not known.

J. B. HOFFMAN, who was sentenced to be hanged at Cincinnati on the 17th for the murder of his wife, was respited by Governor Hoadly until December 16, to enable a full examination by experts as to his sanity.

HOG cholera is prevalent in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pa., to an alarming extent. Israel Caldron lost twenty-five animals, Jack Richmond three, and many other farmers have suffered loss from the disease.

GENERAL MURRAY, Surgeon General of the Army, has submitted his annual report to the Secretary of War. He states that increased appropriations will be required next year for the purchase of artificial limbs and appliances.

MAUD S. was taken to Lexington, Ky., last week in the charge of her groom, Mr. Bair. With the warmer climate it is thought she can lower her record this season.

THE business failures throughout the country for the week ended the 17th reported to the mercantile agencies, number for the United States 192, and for Canada 261, or a total of 218, as against 220 last week.

A LARGE number of people from the surrounding country gathered in Charleston, W. Va., on the 17th to witness the hanging of Charles Shurlock, but as his sentence had been commuted and he was in the penitentiary, the visitors were disappointed. Many hard words were spoken against Governor Jackson for commuting the sentence.

I. R. SWAFFORD, a member of the State Senate of Tennessee, attacked Monroe Hudson, the jailor for White County, that State, on the streets of Sparta, a few days ago, when the latter shot him dead with a revolver. Swafford was a man of intemperate habits and had won an unenviable reputation by killing three or four men, among whom was his father-in-law. He had been in innumerable brawls and his body was covered with scars.

VIGO JANSEN ROSS, Henry Stephenson and Thomas Bawil, charged with robbing two graves in the Colored Union Benevolent Burying Ground, near Washington, D. C., were on the 17th sentenced to jail for one year.

MRS. GEORGE A. MADISON, of Covington, Ky., was found lying on the kitchen floor of her home on the 17th with a hangman's rope around her neck and a bloody hatchet by her side. The affair is a mystery, as there were no persons known to be about the house but her little four-year-old boy.

WILLIAM MCMASTERS, a farmer of Stratford, Vt., whose drinking habits had dissipated his fortune, being dunned by a persistent creditor on the 16th, went to his barn and hanged himself.

THE annual report of the Superintendent of the Hot Springs (Ark.) Reservation, to the Secretary of the Interior, states that a new spring, with a temperature of 165 degrees, or three degrees higher than any other known, has been discovered on the reservation. It is again asserted that the waters of these springs is a specific for alcohol and diseases resulting from the excessive use of tobacco and opium.

THE Lackawanna Iron and Coal Company of Scranton, Pa., has just concluded a contract with the Canada Pacific Railroad for 10,000 tons of steel rails to be delivered in Canada at $28.50 per ton. This is believed to be the first contract of steel rails made by an American firm ever delivered in Canada.

THREE burglars entered the store of Burch & Clark, of Menomonee, Wis., on the night of the 16th, and while rifling the show case attracted the attention of Walter Green, who occupied a room on the second floor. Green opened fire upon the thieves through an opening in the floor, instantly killing one of them. The others escaped. The dead burglar was recognized as being from St. Paul, and a man who recently served a term in the Stillwater penitentiary.

AT Lawrence, Mass., on the 17th an explosion of gas in the naphtha house of the Central Pacific mill destroyed the house, shattered the windows of the mill, and fatally injured Patrick Hard and John Malcolm, the bearers of the lamps which caused the explosion.

WILLIAM LUPP was found dead at the Keister Hotel, Millersburgh, Ohio, on the 17th. He was formerly a prominent merchant of St. Louis, but lost all his fortune through hard drinking. Lupp took three tablespoonfuls of what was thought to be quinine in a glass of beer shortly before he was found dead, but whether that caused his death is not known.

AT Elizabeth, N. J., on the 17th three young men were killed by a train while walking on the track. They are unidentified.

JACOB PELHAM, of Murray County, Ga., had a long chase last month after two mule colts which had been stolen from his premises. He followed the trail through the mountains of Georgia and Tennessee into North Carolina, then back through the mountains to the town of Ellijay, Ga., where he found the thief had disposed of one of the animals. From there he went into Anderson County, S. C., where he found the other. He captured the thief in Pickens County, S. C., who proved to be one James Davis. Mr. Pelham had tracked the rascal twenty-five days, during which time his family knew nothing of his whereabouts. The thief had several times swapped horses on his route, and Mr. Pelham took the back-track for the purpose of returning the horses to their proper owners and recovered his mules without loss to others.

TRAIN wreckers placed obstructions on the track of the Boston & Albany Railroad, near Kinderhook, Mass., on the 18th which threw the express off the track, killing the engineer and severely injuring the conductor, fireman and baggagemaster.

ATTORNEY GENERAL O'BRIEN, of New York, has decided that the personal property of clergymen and priests is exempt from taxation, also their real estate to the amount of $6,500.

THE statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended October 18 shows the following changes: Loans increase, $1,065,000; specie decrease, $557,000; legal tenders increase, $318,000; deposits increase, $835,000; circulation decrease, $132,000; reserve decrease, $447,000. The banks held $31,675,000 in excess of legal requirements.

THE wife of John Isabell, a resident of Austin, Ark., fell in love with a neighbor and eloped with him on the 11th, taking her husband's team of horses with them. They were overtaken by five men, who hanged her companion to a tree and turned her adrift after seizing the horses and all her baggage.

LEE SANG, a Chinaman under sentence to be hanged on the 7th of November next, committed suicide in the jail at Portland, Oregon, on the 19th by hanging himself to a hook in the wall of his cell.

GENERAL SAMUEL LAPPIN, ex-State Treasurer of Kansas, was arrested at Portland, Oregon, on the 18th on the charge of forging $19,000 worth of State bonds in 1874.

A FIRE at Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 19th destroyed two or three buildings on Plymouth street, occupied by a number of small manufacturers, entailing a loss on buildings and stock of about $200,000. The buildings were a part of the Carey estate.

A TEN THOUSAND-DOLLAR model of Captain James B. Eads' proposed ship railway over the Mexican isthmus, was put on exhibition at Pittsburgh on the 18th. It was inspected by a number of prominent railroad men, among whom were Charles S. Clark and Colonel J. P. Andrews, directors in the company which is building the monster railway.

JOHN MCINALLY, a boy aged fifteen years, while walking on a plank over the trestle work of a new bridge at Pittsburgh on the 18th made a mistep and fell sixty feet. When picked up it was found that his skull was fractured and both arms and one leg broken. He lingered in an unconscious condition until the next morning when he died.

A SALOON at Philadelphia was damaged by fire on the night of the 19th, and Thomas Kennedy, a Scotchman, who was sleeping in the place, was burned to death.

THE buildings extending from Eighth to Ninth streets on Vernon Avenue, Long Island City, five dwellings, two stores, and the house of the hose company burned on the 19th. Loss, $30,000; partly insured.

FORTY-ONE horses were burned to death in Rusenbaum's stable at Meridian, Miss., on the 19th. A large mill adjoining the stable was also destroyed. Loss $30,000; insurance light.

IT is reported that Miss Carrie Welton, whose sad death upon Long's Peak attracted so much attention recently, has left her fortune, amounting to between $200,000 and $250,000 to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

THE notorious negro, Anthony Walker, now under sentence of death at Marshall, Texas, for the murder of William Henry, a wealthy planter, last November, made a full confession to Sheriff Perry the other day. Walker says he shot Henry from ambush; that he was hired to commit the murder by Mrs. Henry, who promised him 150 acres of land and $100. He claims that two other negroes are cognizant of the bargain with Mrs. Henry. Walker's confession creates great excitement as Mrs. Henry never has been suspected of complicity in her husband's death. She has always stood very high in the community. Sheriff Perry, with two deputies, started for the Henry plantation to arrest Mrs. Henry on the strength of Walker's confession.

THE clothing store of George F. Montgomery, at Vincennes, Ind., was broken into on the night of the 18th by a gang of fourteen men, who carried away several hundred dollars worth of clothing and jewelry, etc. The men, after making an entrance to the store, fitted themselves out in new shirts, boots, hats, etc., and left their old clothing in the store. The police captured eleven of them just across the river in Illinois. The other three men escaped.

A MOB of masked men attempted to take Sam and Shakespeare Franklin, two negroes, sentenced to a long term in the penitentiary for poisoning five members of the family of C. Smith, from the jail at Senatobia, Miss., on the night of the 19th, but were prevented by the sheriff and his deputies.

THIRTY out of the fifty-four mills at Fall River, Mass., closed on the 20th, throwing 10,000 persons out of employment.

THE United States Court at Indianapolis on the 20th set December 23 as the time at which it will hear the Blaine vs. Indianapolis *Sentinel* libel suit.

A NEW postal convention between the United States and Mexico was signed on the 20th by Postmaster General Hatton, on the part of the United States, and M. Romero, Mexican Minister, on the part of Mexico. The convention now will only require ratification by the Mexican Senate and approval of the President. The new arrangement is to go into effect on January 1 next. Under the convention the postal systems of the two republics, as to their international postal relations, will be unified. United States domestic postage rates and conditions will apply to mail matter for Mexico, except samples of merchandise, ores, etc., packets of which, though liable to domestic rates, are to be restricted to twelve ounces weight.

THE Lockport (N. Y.) Banking Association suspended payment on the 20th. Their liabilities are between $60,000 and $70,000. When they realize upon their securities the managers believe they will be able to pay all the depositors in full.

A NEGRO boy while out hunting recently near Nolansville, Tenn., instantly killed two little girls. The girls attempted to scare the boy by falling upon their knees and giving vent to all sorts of unearthly noises. The boy became frightened and asked who was there. The only response was groans by the girls, when he shot them.

MARRIED.

CODER—WALKER—At the residence of the bride's father, in Norvell, on the 21st inst., by Rev. C. B. Mills, of Hillsdale, Mr. Frank P. Coder and Miss Maggie I. Walker, both of Norvell.

OSBORN—YOSHER—In Springville, Wednesday, Oct. 22, 1884, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Hannibal Osborn, of Franklin, and Miss Rachel S. Mosher of Springville.

WOOD—ANDERSON—In Tecumseh, Wednesday, Oct. 22, 1884, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Franklin J. Wood and Miss Maggie Anderson, both of Tecumseh.

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Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb	@	06
Butter, ₱ lb	17@	18
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50 @	1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @	1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	30 @	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @	60
Clover Seed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00 @	5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₱ lb	@	15
Ham, ₱ lb	@	14
Lard, ₱ lb	@	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @	35
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @	40
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb	@	10
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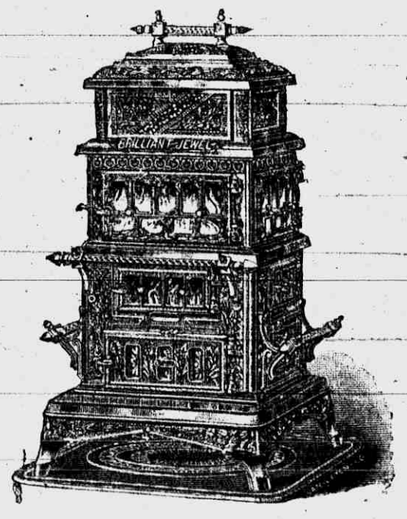

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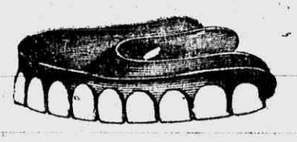

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RIDGEWAY RACKET.

There will be quite a delegation go to Adrian the night of election to hear the returns.

Prof. H. C. Wilson was home over Sunday and is looking hearty.

The young winter last week, with an occasional snow squall on Thursday, made us think of the near approach of winter.

Some of our young folks went to Britton last Friday night to attend the oyster supper and dance given by the G. A. R. Post.

Miss Nellie Rappleye, of Dundee, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rappleye, this week.

Wm. Pilbeam has the frame up of his new house, south of the village.

The additions to J. F. Temple's and Wm. R. Wilson's houses are receiving the first coat of plaster this week.

Most time for election of officers of the Literary.

Martin Palmer commenced the winter term of school at Britton Monday last.

Fred Jones made his brother, Warren, a visit the first of the week.

It is hoped that some action will be taken by the official board of the church, at their next session, in regard to the noise in the hall during service Sunday evenings

Thomas Osborn drew 650 cabbages at one load to the depot Monday. He is loading a car with cabbage and apples to ship to Cincinnati.

Miss Brown, of Raisin, commenced the winter term of school at Pickerel Hill, Dist. No. 5. Monday.

Mrs. Nettie Sink, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. S. P. Smith Sunday.

The Ladies' church social will be held at the home of Mrs. John Arner Friday evening. A cordial invitation to all.

Mrs. Jesse Palmer and Mrs. William Parmelly, of Clinton county, are visiting friends here.

Quite a number went to Holloway on Friday afternoon to attend the Cleveland and Hendricks' rally and pole raising, and to hear Hon. C. H. Dewey and L. H. Salsbury talk on the tariff issue.

A good number went to Britton on Thursday night to hear Williard Stearns, editor of the Adrian Press, talk on the tariff issue from a Democratic view. The meeting was held in Exelby's new hall. The W. A. F. cornet band, of Dundee, furnished the music.

Clifton Geddes, of Adrian, and Misses Wolf, Dever and Wier, of Ohio, were the guests of Miss Belle Barlow Saturday afternoon.

Dave Allison and William Cornell moved back to our quiet village this week. No place like R., you know.

Judge Geddes, of Adrian, was on our streets Tuesday.

Dr. D. W. Loree having longed to see the smiling face of his better-half, who has been visiting her parents in Clinton county for the past few weeks took the 5 A. M. train Saturday for St. John in pursuit, and when the 4 P. M. train on the M. & O. arrived at our village Mrs. Loree came home expecting to surprise the Doctor. But, alas, he was gone and it was not until Monday night, when the Doctor came home, that the smiling faces met, declaring Sunday was so very long and dreary.

The young fellow who whipped his horse so shamefully on Sunday had better "look a little out" or certain persons will enter complaint and cause his arrest for cruelty.

Mrs. David Coryell received some very handsome presents from her Sabbath school class at the Christian church. They consisted of a basket filled with wax fruit and a vase of flowers under a glass cone. A Mr. Pugh also presented her with a whatnot and bible stand. On her birthday her relatives and friends made her a surprise and to show that they appreciated her kindness gave her a set of gold bound china dishes comprising seventy-five, pieces. Her brother, Elmer Hause, presented her with a beautiful bound volume entitled "Gems for the Fireside."

ONSTED ODDS.

There will be a matched game of base ball at Onsted Friday afternoon between Onsted and Rome Center clubs.

Onsted and Wemple are buying considerable wheat. They are also shipping apples to Chicago.

A number of workingmen are working on the new Grange Hall which is being built just north of the church.

The registration board of Cambridge township will meet at Springville next Saturday. Let every voter whose name is not already on the register attend to it.

The firm of Gibbs and Avery has been dissolved. Mr. Gibbs has purchased Mr. Avery's interest, and will conduct the business alone. We wish him success.

Wilson Lee has come here to superintend the finishing of his store. He has it enclosed and will soon have it ready for a stock of goods.

In looking over our little town we cannot help feeling proud of the rapid growth it has made in the past year. There is one thing more that is very much needed and that is a hotel. The right kind of a man would do well to come here and engage in that business.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Over fifty members of the Congregational Sunday School surprised Rev. E. W. Miller and wife with a visit last Saturday evening, at the same time presenting them with a handsome marble top centre table as a token of their regard.

Mr. Miller has lately received the appointment of State Sunday School Superintendent and Missionary—a position which he is in every way well qualified to fill and he will enter upon his new duties early in November. During the two years and a half of Mr. Miller's pastorate here he has won the respect and esteem of all our people. The church and Sunday School especially have reason to regret his departure as he has been untiring in his efforts to build up the society, and to bring the school to its present standard. May his successor prove as earnest and efficient in the good work.

Owing to the democratic meeting at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, the socable at Mrs. Jno. S. Clark's was not as largely attended as was expected. As was predicted Geo. was there and a good time was had.

The Prohibition meeting on Friday evening was very largely attended and the speaking by Fanning was very good and the Prohibitionists and Democrats were pleased alike as you could see by the animated countenances of both Prohibitionists and Democrats. Mr. Oh my. wern't the Republicans mad. How they did writhe when the speaker scored a point against them.

The death of Wm. T. Allen who lived just east of the village and who died very suddenly on last Sunday afternoon and while sitting in a chair, has caused a gloom to settle over the entire community. He was honored and respected by all. He leaves a wife and four sons to mourn his loss. An honest and upright man has died. His funeral took place at the home of the deceased on Tuesday afternoon and was largely attended by sympathising friends and neighbors. Rev. St. John of the Episcopal church officiating. Verily, when a good man dies the people mourn.

Candidates for office are just now more plenty than blackberries and each in turn seems to think that his election to some county office will be the means of saving the country. As some of them will undoubtedly be elected we conclude this county is safe.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Several of our townsmen attended the annual meeting of the Mutual Insurance Company, held at Adrian, on Monday, and W. J. Holdridge was re-elected as a director of the company. Now, people may say there is nothing in a name, but we know that the build of a man makes all the difference in the world. If not, then why is it that Butler and men of that build get all of the offices while us slim fellows have to work and earn an honest living. But never mind, the time is coming when some of these fat men will suffer terribly with heat, and then they will realize that they had their good things in this life.—Luke XVI. 22, 23, 24.

We noticed Dr. Nelson of Ridgeway in town on Tuesday, and the most remarkable thing of all was that he was in Dr. Begel's office, and they appeared to be talking in a friendly manner. We had supposed, up to this time, that the doctors always quarreled when they met. Perhaps the intervening five miles makes a difference.

Dr. Howell of Macon, was in town last Friday, and by the way, we noticed that he took dinner with Doc. also. Take heed, Oh! ye Tecumseh Doctors, and be at peace among yourselves.—Thess. V. 13.

Samuel Rogers has concluded that high and lofty tumbling may amuse the spectators, but is not condusive to health, especially when the tumbler lights upon his head upon the hard ground, falling as he did from a load of stalks the other day. Well, Sam, we are sorry for you, but must reserve most of our sympathy for next week, because there will be lots of men with sorer heads than you have got after the votes are counted.

THE FISHING GROUNDS AT BREST.

We left our pleasant home in Cambridge with horse and carriage, for a few days recreation at Monroe and Brest, passing over the La Plaisance Bay military road, which was in excellent condition.

It was with many pleasant remembrances we called on our friends Frank Davidson of Tecumseh, Rev. Peter Sharp of, Ridgeway, and John Britton of the new city at the R. R. crossing, not omitting our old pioneer friend Cecil Clark, now eighty-six years of age.

We were pleased to note the improvement over the Indian trail which it was our good fortune, at the age of 18, to pass over on foot and alone between Monroe and Tecumseh, full fifty-five years ago. We shall not forget the grandeur of the wild and unbroken forest of over twenty miles without a habitation except the wigwam of the Indians, the rightful owner of this broad domain. Century after century the morning sun had lighted up this noble forest and the parting evening rays had gilded the smoke as it curled aloft from the humble wigwam.

In the pleasant afternoon we came within the limits of the city. It was a pleasure to look on the rock-bottom of the river, and the old grist-mill which is said to have annually ground the corn for over 70 years. We arrived at the city residence of our brother on Cass street, with a true and cordial welcome of the family. We visited at the residence of our honored friend Judge Talcott E. Wing; also, called on Hon Joseph M. Sterling, who has large and beautiful farms near the city with splendid plantations of grapes and a herd of the best blooded stock in the county. On the next morning, with a mild and cheerful October air, we drove out to Brest, passing over the memorial grounds where Gen. Proctor with the British regulars and over 2000 Indians, killed, scalped and tortured the small army of Gen. Winchester, January 22, 1813. We arrived at Brest over a good road of seven miles from Monroe, there met our brother Jesse N. Dewey, who with Joseph B. Dewey owns the long ago far-famed harbor of Brest and adjoining plantations. Here in the harbor lay several fishing boats of a carrying capacity of about four tons each, rigged with two masts and sails. On the shore are 10 or 12 buildings to accommodate those engaged in fishing, and among them is the large refrigerator house, 30x60 feet, where between 25 and 75 tons of fish are annually frozen for the eastern and southern markets. Just outside at anchor one mile off shore, was the splendid passenger steamer "L. Birckhead," of 100 tons burthen. Also in the distance, on the somewhat boisterous waters of Lake Erie, was estimated in different directions, fully 16 miles of seines and "pounds." The sail boats with steamers and seines all belong to the two Dewey Brothers, who employ a large number of men in the fishing business. Their catch has been, from 3 to 4 tons a day, mostly herring and a few sturgeon, with a ready sale for all. When the days become colder the white fish will run and then from 5 to 8 tons will be the usual daily supply from the pounds.

We got aboard the captain's "gig" and were rowed out to the steamer which had two decks, admired cabins, state-rooms and pilot-house. Steam was up and the order was given to slip the cable which was attached to a buoy. Our course was laid for the West Sister Island, then toward Detroit river, then in the neighborhood of the seines and pounds where we saw the fishermen take fully a ton of fish from the pounds. We then steered for a flag-staff near where the anchor lay, and from thence to Stony Creek. Thus was the greater part of a beautiful October day spent on Lake Erie.

Here at Brest were a number of friends and relatives, also our much esteemed friend Mr. Manour, who was an eye witness of the battle of River Raisin and well remembers the scenes of the massacre. He was also chainman for Musgrove Evans at the surveying out of the U. S. military road from Detroit to Chicago, in 1825, and was assistant in laying out the La Pleasant Bay military road from Monroe to Cambridge in the year 1832. He is one of the last survivors of the pioneer surveyors, but strong and vigorous at 80 years of age.

Brest was represented in 1837, on an excellently lithographed and beautifully colored map, as a city with broad avenues, lined with palatial residences and handsome parks. The extended river front had continuous lines of docks, above which towered on either side lofty warehouses, filled with the merchandize of the world. The largest steamers were represented as sailing up past the city, and the docks crowded with large sail vessels, while the streets were thronged with busy life of all nations. The contemplative traveler standing near what was the City Bank, representing $100,000 in its vaults, would never dream how great possibilities had been unrealized in the ruins of the city of Brest.

On our homeward journey, we reviewed the grounds where, 53 years ago last March, we were encamped in the wilderness among the lofty maples for two weeks, employed in making maple sugar, seven miles from the nearest resilience, except those of wolves, bears and Indians.

F. A. D.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 30, 1884.

THE CORN.

The corn the corn,
[illegible] forth in [illegible] upon the tender tow'r;
Oh! how it shoots,
Beneath light boots,
To make man use the wicked words he can not well forego!

The corn, the corn,
The smiling corn!
How many a tongue could tell of woes their tender toes have borne!
How many a maid,
Austere and staid,
Hath vented forth a curse, and saintly men have sworn.

The corn, the corn,
The smiling corn!
There is a lesson to be learnt in every tender shoot;
Corns see the light
Because men fight
To get a foot fixt into a ten-inch boot.

—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

THE SUMMIT OF THE EARTH.

Up in the northern Catskills there is a rock which the guides call "Prospect Point," whose summit affords a wonderful view of the surrounding highlands. You can see the Berkshire Hills and the rocky west-shore of the Hudson, and far in the north the blue heights of the Adirondacks with the dome-like summit of Mount Marcy, the highest mountain in the State of New York. At sunrise the top of that dome often looms like a huge blue cloud above the haze of the horizon, and considering its distance from the Catskills, it seems strange that the height of such a lofty summit is hardly one-fourth of the altitude attained by several extinct volcanoes in the Sierras of Eastern California.

In Central Asia, however, there is a mountain whose elevation exceeds that of the highest California peaks by not less than twelve thousand feet, and whose top, if it could be transported to New York, would tower above the ridge of the Adirondacks like a tall pine-tree above a coppice of hawthorn and hazel bushes. Mount Everest the English surveyors have named that summit of the earth, but the natives call it the Nunaghir—the "Abode of Light," because the morning sun gilds its crest a full hour before the first glimmering of dawn reaches the valleys of the foothills. The best view of its gigantic peak can be obtained from the rocks above the defile of Kaskan, which crosses the main ridge of the Himalaya on the road from Thibet to Northern India.

The Himalaya foothills are clothed with forests of sago-palms, mangos and other tropical trees: eight thousand feet higher up the vegetation resembles that of Northern Canada, and where the last dwarf pines dwindle to mere shrubs, the traveler is still several thousand feet below the highest point of the pass. But that height itself is only a halfway station of the snow region: where tiers of icy precipices rise from the tableland up to a ridge that stretches away to the east, and culminates in a stupendous double pyramid of everlasting snow, the twin-summit of the Nunaghir.

Near the defile of Kaskan there is a little dagakhund, or mountain-house; where travelers can obtain food and shelter, and where English tourists often spend a few days to enjoy a prospect that is supposed to be the grandest mountain-view of the Eastern Continent. To the north the highlands of Turkistan, Afghanistan and Thibet are in full view; in the west the valley of the Upper Indus and its tributaries, which, according to the Indian tradition, were the five rivers of Paradise. In the east the snowy crests of the Himalayas are visible for a distance of several hundred miles; and in the south the terrace land of Northern India extends like a boundless ocean of undulating hills toward the plain of the coast of the Arabian Sea.

On a clear day one can see the towers of Peshawar in the valley of the Indus. The height of Mount Everest above the bottom of the valley is about twenty-eight thousand feet, or more than five English miles, so that a pole five miles long, if you could plant it bolt upright, would just about reach up to the level of the Nunaghir. That same pole would reach to the bottom of the deepest sea, for it is a strange fact that the greatest depth of the ocean corresponds almost exactly to the greatest elevation of the mountains of this earth. But if a nation of giants could build a flight of stairs from the foot-hills to the crest of Mount Everest it would take a traveler at least three days to climb up to the top, for that staircase would be seventy-five miles long and contain about half a million steps.

The native Highlanders have learned to estimate altitudes by the color of the sky. At the height of fifteen thousand feet the hue of the firmament is a deep reddish-blue, higher up it becomes slate-colored and at last almost black, for the bluish tinge of the sky is due to the presence of moisture in the air. On the ridge of the Himalayas the atmosphere is so dry that timber never rots, and the monks of the Buddhistic convents can preserve the bodies of their dead without embalming them.

In looking down from a high mountain upon a large plain the elevation can also be estimated by the extent of the view, for with every thousand feet upward the visible horizon recedes about fifty English miles, so that a person standing on the top of Mount Everest, where no mountain on earth could obstruct his view, would have a lookout of nearly one thousand five hundred miles in every direction. Looking forward and backward by turns he could see (only in dim outlines, of course) regions as remote from each other as the City of New York from the City of Mexico: the boundaries of his horizon would enclose an area of eighty thousand square leagues. Such mountain-ranges as the Mexican Sierras would look like jagged rocks two miles beneath his feet, the European Alps like low foot-hills, and the Adirondacks would seem to blend with the undulations of the plain.

But in reality no human being has ever reached that "summit of the Earth," nor any height within six thousand feet of it. The steepness of the peak is not the chief obstacle, for with ropes and ice-axes the travelers in Switzerland manage to climb up almost perpendicular precipices, but at an elevation of twenty thousand feet above the sea-level the air is so thin that breathing becomes very difficult. People who have ventured to ascend to twenty-two thousand feet have been almost overcome with dizziness and a pain resembling a nervous headache combined with neuralgia, their eyes have grown dim, their ears have rung, [illegible] obliged them to return to a less rarefied atmosphere. And after reaching a height where the air becomes absolutely unendurable for human lungs, the ridge of Mount Everest is still seven thousand feet above you, and it is probably easier to reach the North Pole than the very top of the peak.

Even the ascent of the table-land above the Kaskan Pass is no child's play, but the marvelous sights and sounds of that ice-world amply reward the tourist who has learned to brave the dangers of the glacier-clefts. From the ridge of the plateau which has been called the "Roof of the World," some fifteen thousand square miles of icefields and snow-peaks are in sight, and in spring time the echo of the avalanches resembles the roll of continuous thunder. In midsummer, too, large masses of mingled rocks and ice detach themselves from the cliffs, and in the clear air of the big lands their descent over the steep mountain-sides can sometimes be observed from such a distance that a full minute passes before the reverberation of the hills announces the fall of the ponderous rocks. From the higher ridges the mountaineers hear now and then a sound that resembles the echo of a distant explosion, whose origin, never fully explained, is the subject of many fanciful speculations. It is supposed that the influence of the warm summer days, alternating with the cold nights, expands the ice crust of the glaciers till the strain overcomes its power of resistance and splits it asunder as hot water bursts the shell of an egg. It is certain that the crevasses, or clefts, in the upper glaciers often reach down to the very bottom of the ice-mass, with a horizontal extension of ten or twelve thousand yards. People who have heard the whip-like crack produced by the breaking of the ice on a frozen river may imagine the detonation when a mountain of solid ice bursts open for a distance of seven English miles. Hard winters conceal these clefts with a cover of snow, and make the passage of the glaciers extremely dangerous, but it must be a wonderful sight when the storm-wind raises the snow in drifts that scud over the ice fields in the form of funnels and whirling pillars, and often seem to dance together like specters in fluttering winding sheets.

On clear days the shadow of Mount Everest moves slowly over the table lands of Thibet, and fifty miles north of the Hinialayas there are valleys whose inhabitants fear the south wind (coming straight from the icy highlands) as the people of our prairie States dread a northwest gale. The shadow of the Nunaghir is their sun dial, and in mid-summer its snowy peak is almost constantly in view, as a white pyramid in daytime and as a luminous beacon during the larger part of the night, for in June the rays of the sun linger on its crest till after ten o'clock, and reappear before two in the morning.

No living being, perhaps, has ever been up there, for even the eagles dread the air of the icy heights; but fifty miles west of the peak, where the backbone of the Himalayas rises several thousand feet above the snow-line, troops of wild sheep often cross the ridge at a height where a man would perish with cold. The hill-foxes, too, have accustomed themselves to the rarefied air in a way which shows the power of habit when its influence extends through many generations.

Hunting-dogs are as unable as their masters to breathe the atmosphere of the higher ridges, and even at an elevation of twenty thousand feet they hesitate to go any further, and betray their uneasiness by uttering a kind of coughing bark and rubbing their noses against the snow. But the mountain sheep go several thousand feet higher, and constantly cross the ridge between the highlands of Thibet and the head waters of the Indus. Their favorite pasture-grounds are the valleys at the very foot of the glaciers, where they browse a kind of short, sweet grass that is found nowhere else. Their chase is the favorite sport of the Himalaya mountaineers, but without stratagem and a perfect knowledge of the territory it is almost impossible to approach their haunts, for at the first sign of danger they make straight for the snow-fields and retire to heights where no hunter can follow them.—*Felix L. Oswald, in Youth's Companion.*

Water from Boiled Vegetables.

The water in which green peas are boiled should not be thrown away. It contains much of the saline constituents of the peas, some soluble casein, and has a fine flavor, the very essence of the peas. If to this, as it comes from the saucepan, be added a little stock, delicious soup is produced, requiring nothing more than seasoning. I add a few words in advocacy of the further adoption in this country of the French practice of using as potage, the water in which vegetables generally (excepting potatoes) have been boiled. When we boil cabbage, turnips, carrots, &c., we dissolve out of them a very large proportion of their saline constituents, which are absolutely necessary for the maintenance of health: salts, without which we become victims of gout, rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, gravel, and all the ills that human flesh, with a lithic acid diathesis, is heir to, i. e., about the most painful series of all its inheritances. The potash of these salts existing therein, in combination with organic acids, is separated from these acids by organic combustion, and is presented to the baneful lithic acid of the blood and its tissues, the stony torture-particles of which it converts into soluble lithate of potash, and thus enables them to be carried out of the system. I know not which father of the church invented fast-days and soup maigre, but could almost suppose that he was a scientific monk, who had learned the beneficent action of organic potash salts on the blood, and therefore used the authority of the church to enforce their frequent use among the faithful.—*Knowledge.*

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A Sheriff on the Track of George Furnival Who Murdered Five Persons in Kansas—Crime Throughout the Country.

OMAHA, Neb., October 28.—Sheriff Seibbel, of Nance County, was in the city Sunday on his way to Mississippi after a man supposed to be George Furnival, charged with the murder of Harry Percival, wife and child, and Messrs. Band and Mais, in Nance County, a few weeks ago. Seibbel, who was very close-mouthed, would not state to what part of Mississippi he was going, nor would he say whether the suspected person was in custody or being shadowed. He has received several telegrams from some point in Mississippi and seemed to feel rather confident that the suspect is the murderer.

He took with him a requisition to the Governor of Mississippi for Furnival, and this looks as though the right man had been tracked to his hiding place. During the past week some new developments have been made in the mystery, among which is the discovery of Mrs. Percival and her underclothing, including a chemise, which was found secreted in a corner of the house. The chemise was cut with a knife across the breast, and looked as if torn from the body. The sheriff intimates that others besides Furnival are suspected of being implicated.

DECATUR, Tex., October 28.—L. W. Fambro, a prominent merchant of this place, was shot and killed by William Chambliss of the Glen Hall saloon. The fight was the result of an old feud. Each man fired five shots. Chambliss was arrested.

THIBADEUX, La., October 28.—William Gray, colored, was shot and killed by Wash Lyons on Grand Caillon at a political mass meeting. Gray favored Gay and Lyons supported Kellogg in the Congressional contest. Lyons attempted to break up the mass meeting and fired on and killed Gray. Lyons escaped.

WILMOT, O., October 28.—Three young men, brothers, named Taam, quarreled with a stranger near here Sunday. One brother was being badly whipped, when all three went at the stranger with knives and literally cut him to pieces. His eyes were cut entirely out and his body mutilated in an unspeakably horrible manner. Two of the murders were arrested.

Tragic Death of the Father of Murat Halstead.

CINCINNATI, O., October 28.—Colonel Griffin Halstead, the aged father of Murat Halstead, of the *Commercial-Gazette*, met with a tragic death some time Saturday evening while walking from New London to his home near Paddy's Run, in Butler County, this State. He had been attending a meeting in New London and started to walk home, a distance of over a mile, after the night meeting adjourned. He was not seen alive after that. Sunday morning about eight o'clock an intelligent shepherd dog belonging to the family attracted the attention of one of the grand-sons by running back and forth between the farm-house and a bridge crossing a ravine about two hundred yards from the house, and manifesting a desire for some one to accompany him. The boy went to the bridge and discovered his grand-father lying dead in the ravine. He had stumbled over some rubbish at the bridge and fallen, missing the bridge his head struck the opposite side of the ravine and his neck was broken, causing instant death. He was eighty-three years of age.

Missionaries Murdered in China.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., October 28.—The Arabian brings Hong Kong advices of October 1. A Swatow correspondent under date of September 22, writes that Roman Catholic priests, under French protection, were, on the last week before that, ordered by the Chinese authorities to leave. When those at Choo Chu, Fu had left the place, the Chinese soldiers went to their houses and destroyed everything they could find, and, it is said, outraged the female converts. The mob destroyed, not only the Roman Catholic places of worship, but those belonging to English Presbyterians and other missions. The Wesleyan chapel at Chan Tsung, a large trading mart, a few hours' journey from Canton, was destroyed September 14, by a mob.

A Colored Woman Shoots Her Lover.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., October 27.—About seven o'clock yesterday morning a colored woman named Carrie Johnson, shot and killed her lover, George Watters, at No. 12 Water Street. The cause of the shooting was jealousy. Watters, although a married man with a wife and children, had been keeping company with the woman who shot him for more than a year. The police found the woman fondling and kissing her dying victim. She readily acknowledged the shooting. She and several witnesses were locked up.

118th Anniversary of a Methodist Church.

NEW YORK, October 26.—The 118th anniversary of the founding of the old John Street Methodist Church was celebrated yesterday by special services. Rev. Sandford Hunt, D. D., presided at the love feast in the morning, which was followed by a service of preaching, Bishop Stephen M. Merrill D. D., of Chicago, delivering the sermons. Afternoon and evening sessions were also held. The sum of $1,000 was subscribed throughout the day to pay off a debt on the church of that amount.

An Innocent Boy Released.

WORCESTER, Mass., October 28.—Charles E. L. Briggs, the young postoffice clerk who recently confessed to stealing letters, has been proved innocent. After his arrest he claimed that his confession was extorted by threats and promises. The thefts continued after Briggs' arrest and last Monday a stolen postal note was presented at the postoffice. The theft was traced to Charles Smith, an elevator boy, who has since made a full confession. Briggs' has been released and Smith arrested.

One of the "Puck" Editors Held for Theft.

NEW YORK, October 27.—Mr. Carl Hansen, an editorial writer on *Puck*, was brought up at the Jefferson Market Police Court Saturday morning charged with stealing a pair of diamond ear-rings, valued at $800, from a young lady named Josephine Travers, with whom he had been spending the night. After some evidence Mr. Hansen was held in $1,000 bail, which was furnished by Mr. Koster, of Koster & Bial.

Arrested for the Murder of John Lowry and Wife.

MARSHALL, Mo., October 25.—Sid Thomas, arrested several days ago upon suspicion of being the murderer of John Lowry and wife waived preliminary examination yesterday, and will be given trial at the March term. He was returned to jail.

Voters Registered at Boston.

BOSTON, October 27.—Official returns of registration is 65,969 against 64,221 in 1883.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Eleven Buildings at Logansport, Ind., and the Freight Sheds at Lindsay Destroyed—Other Fires.

COSHOCTON, O., October 28.—The store and dwelling of C. Wolf at Lock Seventeen was destroyed by fire Sunday night. Loss $8,000; supposed to be incendiary; insurance $3,000.

BOSTON, October 28.—The woolen shoddy manufactory of E. A. Hails, at Weston, burned with its contents. Loss unknown.

VINCENNES, Ind., October 28.—A destructive fire at Logansport, Ind., Sunday night burned eleven buildings, including the *Democrat* newspaper office, postoffice, six stores, three saloons. Loss estimated at $200,000; insurance $150,000.

LINDSAY, October 28.—The Grand Trunk Railway freight sheds and storehouses, together with seven loaded cars and a large quantity of grain and other merchandise, burned to-day. Loss $50,000.

OLEAN, October 28.—The filling house at the refinery here burned at six a. m. today. The cause is unknown. Loss $30,000; no insurance. This will throw some 300 men out of employment.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., October 28.—The store of Peter Dunn, on the outskirts of this city, was destroyed by fire Saturday night and while some people were searching through the ruins on Sunday morning they found the charred remains of a man supposed to be Michael Quinn, a young cigarmaker who was seen in the vicinity late Saturday evening in an intoxicated condition.

A MYSTERY SOLVED.

The Remains of Gabriel E. Labell, an Inmate of a Soldiers' Home Found—Executive Clemency Asked.

AUGUSTA, Me., October 28.—Five years ago Gabriel E. Labell, an inmate of the Togus Soldiers' Home, disappeared mysteriously. The last seen of him he was going towards the woods with another man whose name is not known. Shortly before he had received a considerable sum of pension money. Recently a grave covered with flat stones was found in the woods. On Sunday the Deputy Sheriffs opened it and found a quantity of charred human bones. It is believed that the bones are those of Labell and that he was led into the woods, murdered and robbed, the murderer afterward attempting to destroy the body. A short distance from the grave was an excavation where apparently a fire had been made. Small pieces of bone were also found here. Labell belonged in Montreal, Quebec, and has a sister living there.

A petition for Executive clemency in the case of Oscar Blaney, for the murder of Thomas Barrows, has been forwarded to the Governor and Council. About a month ago Blaney was sentenced to death in company with Mrs. Barrows, widow of the murdered man. Mrs. Barrows is not included in the petition.

BARONESS VON BERCKEFELDT,

A Niece of Richard Wagner, the Composer, Found Living in Absolute Poverty on the Outskirts of Chicago.

CHICAGO, October 28.—The discovery was made yesterday that the Baroness Von Berckefeldt, niece of Richard Wagner, the composer, is living in absolute poverty with her husband and five small children in one room of a house on the outskirts. The husband, Baron Von Berckefeldt, a nobleman by birth, once a staff officer in the army of Hanover, next a Captain of grenadiers in the Prussian army and later commander of the seaboard of Dantzig, is, although nearly crippled with rheumatism, working for a dollar a day in a blood fertilizing factory. The lady, whose father was one of the three brothers Brockhause, of the great Leipsic publishing house, alleges in a long story that she was defrauded of her estate, that ill health drove her husband from military service, and that they came to this country to restore their fallen fortunes; that the effort has been unsuccessful and that they are now next door to starving and homeless. Extensive litigation over their father's estate is now, she says, in progress, but her action in promoting the litigation has so estranged her wealthy brothers and sisters that they refuse to give her a penny.

Business Failures.

NEW YORK, October 28.—The schedules of assignment of E. O. Carrington & Co., storage warehouse proprietors, show $30,000 liabilities and $12,000 actual assets.

The schedules of assignment of Wilkin & Black, dealers in tailors' trimmings, show $82,000 liabilities and $78,000 actual assets.

The receiver of the Denver & Rio Grande announces that the interest on the first mortgage bonds due November 1, will not be paid.

CHICAGO, October 28.—The hosiery house of Marks Simon, 111 Franklin Street, was closed up by the sheriff yesterday morning on three confessions of judgment, one to Max Natham for $10,950, one to Henry Adams for $1,050, and one to Abraham Beilman for $2,200.

CINCINNATI, October 28.—John P. Bonte & Co., picture frame manufacturers, No. 14 and 16 Genesee Street, assigned yesterday to Alfred A. Clarke. Estimated liabilities $30,000; assets 18,000.

Wilbur F. Storey Dead.

CHICAGO, Ill., October 28.—It was announced last night that Wilbur F. Storey, veteran proprietor of the *Times*, was dying. Late in the afternoon the relatives and heirs who took the initiative in the recent legal proceedings, applied through counsel to Judge Knickerbocker, of the Probate Court, for an order to see the veteran journalist on the ground that he was in a dying condition. The Judge granted the application, but Hon. Lyman Trumbull, representing Mrs. Storey, at once took an appeal to the Superior Court. This step will prevent the order from going into effect for at least twenty days. While the sufferer's condition, it is stated, by those cognizant of the facts makes his demise but a question of a few hours.

LATER.—Wilbur F. Storey died at his residence, 1834 Prairie Avenue, at 9:45 last night.

The Hazeltine Murder Trial.

BALTIMORE, October 28.—In the Hazeltine case, the State put Dr. Gundrie, Superintendent of the Spring Grove Insane Asylum, on the stand as a witness. He was very emphatic in his opinion that the prisoner was perfectly sane when the murder was committed. Dr. William H. Stokes, physician in charge at Mt. Hope Insane Asylum, testified that he believed the prisoner to have been afflicted with acute mania at the time of the murder. The testimony was then closed and argument began at two o'clock.

Gone to Canada with His Employer's Money.

ST. ALBANS, Vt., October 28.—H. M. Allen, for some time past clerk in Harney's furniture establishment, has gone to Canada with $500 or more of Harney's money. He left numerous other mourners here who had trusted him for some time.

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH SLATER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 15th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Slater, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Arthur J. Slater, an heir-at-law of said deceased, alleging that he is interested in the estate of said deceased that the real estate of said deceased has been assigned to the heirs-at-law and devisees of said deceased by said Court according to the provisions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and praying that partition and distribution of said real estate may be made amongst said heirs-at-law and devisees according to the statute in such case made and provided, and the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust claims and demands against the estate of Maria Brewer, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 31st day of October, 1884, and on the 8th day of February, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 30th day of August, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Oct. 2, 1884.

E. B. WOOD,
P. S. McKINNON,
Commissioners.

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ESTATE OF CHARLES HEWITT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 6th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Hewitt, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles T. Hewitt, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid all the expenses in the settlement of said estate thus far incurred, and in part further upon the legacies under said will, and praying for the allowance of his second account now on file in this court, as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ELIZABETH NORCROSS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 3d day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present: Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Jacob G. Roberts, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all the legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and that no assets belonging to said estate remains in his hands, and praying for the allowance of his final account now on file in this court, and that he may be discharged and his bond cancelled, and for such further order as may be necessary for the final settlement of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 3d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 3, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 157, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent, to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called, on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace L. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parelled with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24, 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL,
Assignee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Attorney for Assignee. sep25

GUARDIAN SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minor by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1884, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided half of all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of a street which starts nearly opposite Brown street in said village and runs easterly from Mill street to Maumee street in said village, seventeen (17) rods easterly from the east line of said Mill street; thence running southerly at right angles with said south line of said street nineteen (19) rods to a point met by producing easterly the southerly line of a lot formerly owned and occupied by Robert Stewart on its own course; thence easterly along said line produced easterly as aforesaid six (6) rods; thence northwardly parallel with first course nineteen rods to said south line of said street running easterly from Mill street to Maumee street as aforesaid thence westerly along said south line of said street six rods to place of beginning.

Terms of sale, cash.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, Sept. 23d, 1884.

FREDERICK GMOHLING,
Guardian of said Minor.

ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 10th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, with the will annexed, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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POLITICAL ARITHMETIC.

Next Tuesday the great political battle will be fought. The hosts on both sides are arrayed in line, all voters have by this time chosen their positions and but little remains to be done except to cast the votes and count them. Could we look into the future and foretell the figures which will be flashed over the wires next Wednesday morning we could relieve many an anxious doubter of much anxiety. But as this is impossible, we can indulge in the harmless pastime of prophesying. A few cold figures will be interesting to say the least.

The logic of the Democratic ticket is to carry the South, New York, Connecticut, New Jersey and Indiana. The last state could be lost or both Connecticut and New Jersey without defeating Cleveland. The loss of New York alone would defeat him. The states which have already held elections have unmistakably shown the drift of the political tide. Arkansas went heavily Democratic, Maine and Vermont heavily Republican, as was expected and conceded. West Virginia and Ohio were stubbornly fought for, on both sides. In the former state in 1880, the Democrats carried it in November by a plurality over Garfield of 41,148 and a majority over Garfield and Weaver of 2069. In October 1884, the Democrats have a clear majority over the combined Republican and Greenback fusion vote of 5,321, more than doubling their majority of four years ago.

The October election of 1880 in Ohio gave the Republicans a plurality of 19,005, Garfield carried the state by a plurality of 34,227 and a clear majority of 27,771. In October 1884, their plurality is reduced to 11,324, while the majority is wiped out and carried to 1,207 on the minority side.

Here is the practical question to be solved in political arithmetic. If the Democrats double their majority in West Virginia and the Republican majority is reduced one half in Ohio, what result will the same ratio of Democratic gain produce in the debatable states? It will carry New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Indiana, California and Nevada by heavy reliable majorities, and there is no reasonable doubt of Democratic success in any of these states. But the Cleveland and Hendricks forces are not content with these. They purpose making a vigorous assault on the Republican fortress in the North west. They intend to carry Ohio, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. Here are a few cold figures applicable to these states. In Ohio the prohibition vote on the 14th inst. was 9,004. The Prohibitionists claim that they will pole at least 20,000 next Tuesday. The count in Cincinnati reveals the fact that 7,000 illegal votes were thrown at the recent election. The deduction of that vote and the increase of the Prohibition vote, will, it is confidently expected, take the state from the Blaine column.

In Michigan in 1880 the total vote was 351,833, divided as follows—Rep. 185,341; Dem. 131,597; Grb. 34,895. Republican majority 18,849. The separate Prohibition vote was 842, practically nothing. The aggregate vote this fall will be ten per cent larger than in 1880 or about 385,000. The Republican majority, at the ratio it held in 1880 should be 21,000. But the Butler vote in Michigan is much larger than the Greenback vote was in 1880. The Democrats have suffered no loss. The Independent Republican vote, although not large will assist Cleveland a few hundred votes. The Prohibitionists will pole at least 25,000 votes. David Preston puts the vote at that figure, while many estimate it at double that amount. If figured at 25,000, it will take 20,000 votes from the Republicans. The increase in the Butler vote over 1880 will be at least 10,000. Independent vote say 5,000, Republican Prohibition vote say 20,000. Total 35,000. Deduct the natural Republican majority figured on the basis of 1880 and we have a balance of 10,000 for the fusion ticket. This is a fair estimate on the electoral ticket. When it comes to Governor, David Preston will pole a vote that will astonish the natives, although we should hardly feel like betting on his election.

The same process of reasoning can be applied with fairness to Lenawee county. The natural Republican majority in this county figured on the basis of 1880 is 1,000. The fusion strength is at least 500 votes more than the Democratic vote of 1880. Estimating the Prohibition vote at 1,000, the Republican loss from that source at 500, this loss with the increased fusion vote will neutralize the Republican majority. The Democrats and Nationals of Lenawee County have every incentive to work without ceasing from now till next Tuesday night. Earnest work will elect the whole or a good proportion of their county ticket.

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For Vice President—William Daniel, of Maryland.

A TRIBUTE TO ST. JOHN.

Mr. Robert J. Burdett, who is known throughout the country as the gagins of the Burlington, Ia. Hawkeye, which is an unwavering Republican party paper, pays the following tribute to the Prohibition candidate:

If Governor John P. St. John should be elected President of the United States, there would be a perfectly unspoiled citizen in the White House. The elevation would not hurt him a particle, and his friends of to-day would still be his dearest friends to-morrow. Unassuming, modest, strong in his friendships and convictions, I believe there is no honester man in public life in America; no man more conscientious, more consistent in his teachings and his practice. Through a long, hard, single-handed struggle with adverse fortunes, St. John at last reached a high place and reaped high rewards, and he has come through his long fight with clean hands, without a smear or a taint upon his character. And strong and pronounced as are his qualities as a leader of men, an executive officer, an orator, the brightest traits of the man's character shine forth most brilliantly in his domestic life, in the social circle. It has often been my good fortune to have him a guest in my home, and no man meets a warmer welcome at its doors. From the little woman whose voice will never bid him welcome to an earthly home again, down to the Prince, the whole house was glad when his well known voice was heard in the hall, and many a long afternoon and merry evening has flown away like an hour with anecdote, reminiscences, argument, suggestion, story of travel and adventures of long ago, dropping from his lips. All children love St. John, and he knows how to talk to them. Some of the best addresses to the little people I ever heard were made by him in the little villages of Ardmore and Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, to the most delighted audiences that ever listened to a Presidential candidate. His voice, his manner, is pleasing, easy, and attractive, his eyes are tender as a woman's, his sympathies quick and earnest, and withal, he carries in his well-poised head a stock of hard, honest, rare, common sense. He comes of good Huguenot stock, as his name indicates, and "Saint" is the quaint and pleasant name by which his near relatives addressed him. He makes friends of men without apparantly trying to win them: where he is best known his strength is greatest, and whether he polls ten thousand votes or ten millions, he will be the same St. John—a big-hearted, clear-headed, honest, consistent man. I am aware, by the way, that the Hawkeye isn't an overwhelmingly St. John paper, but then it is a great broadsouled paper, that rejoices to speak the truth of a foeman worth of its true steel pen.

That's What They Want to Do.

It has been discovered in some quarters that St. John may defeat the Republican party. That is the powerful argument used by Republicans in reproachful accents to men who are acting upon conviction, who have no trades to make, who worship no party and who believe in the right.

An old negro who was perched on the top of a ladder washing windows felt his support tremble, and looking down in alarm he saw a pig vigorously scratching its back against the bottom round. "G'way fum dar!" yelled the excited African, g'way fum dar? You'll be doin' some mischief bimeby!" The pig continued to scratch. It did not care whether the darkey got a tumble or not. It rubbed the ladder until the African came down in a heap.

That is about the attitute of the St. John party as we take it. It has cut loose from all other parties, and it is a matter of supreme indifference to its members whether the Republican darky falls or not. It is going to scratch for reform just the same. When the Prohibitionists put St. John in the field they did not do it with the idea that they were supporting Blaine. They knew exactly what they were about. Blaine and Cleveland are alike to them. They are for neither. They are for St. John. In the course of time our Republican friends will get this thing through their heads. The reason which the organs give for Prohibitionists abandoning St. John is the very one which induces many of them to vote for him. They hope to beat Blaine and swallow up his party. While this scheme may shock some very good people the Herald will remind them that it is a great American privilege. Parties have died and been born again. May be the Republican party is on the eve of a performance of that kind.

Believing that there is no other question now before the people, which is paramount, to this one, is a matter of utter indifference to us which of the two old parties survives, or which one perishes first. Neither of them shall be in power by our act or choice. To vote the Union Prohibition ticket, will help to elect that ticket, and if all will vote their honest convictions, this party will triumph at the coming election.

But, the objector urges, "is it not morally certain that one of the old parties will elect this time, and should we not, therefore, have a choice as to which one it shall be?"

We should entertain no such preference as will lead to support either of them. Besides, nothing is morally certain, in this line, only that which we help to make so. Let us see to it that we help in the right direction, and we may safely trust God for consequences. As Prohibitionists, we have no sympathy with either the Democrat or the Republican party; success of our organization and principles will prove the overthrow of them both and the sooner the better for the country. The choice of evils is the doctrine of devils, and so long as we consent to act upon this policy the devil will not fail to furnish us with the means for an evil choice. If needs be, let us dare to do right, although it may place us for a time in the minority, and let those bear the responsibility of it who from mere policy, "go with the multitude to do evil."—Mich. Prohibitionist.

Who Ought to Vote for St. John.

The young man who casts his first ballot.

The old man who will probably cast his last ballot.

The father whose example will be followed by his sons.

The father who wants to protect his daughter from the curse of being married to a drinking man.

The total abstainer, who does not need saloons.

The drinking man, who feels the tempting power of saloons.

The moderate drinker, who may become a drunkard if the saloons continue.

The rich man whose taxes are greatly increased by saloons.

The poor man, who is compelled to support an army of worthless men because they are rumsellers.

The patriot, who loves his country.

The Christian, who, like the good Samaritan, loves his neighbor.

The minister, whose flock is ravaged by the wolf of strong drink.

The Sunday school superintendent, who is an example to his school.

The teacher, who is the leader of his scholars.

The business man, because the liquor traffic injures his trade.

The landlord, because the rumseller often gets much of the money that ought to be paid for rent.

The railroad official, because liquor disqualities men from properly discharging their duties.

The railroad stockholders, because drunken employes destroy the property of railroads, through carelessness caused by drink.

Travelers, because their lives are imperiled by being in the hands of intemperate men.

Politicians, because the election of St. John will end the rule of rum barons.

Every man ought to vote for St. John, as he is the only candidate who is not compelled to be on the defensive.—Temperance Gazette.

It is much easier to sneer at Prohibition than to point to an instance in history where a question having as much of the heart and conscience of the country behind it has failed to succeed. Within the memory of men who are not yet old it was vehemently asserted that the anti-slavery movement could not succeed. Men sneered at this movement as they now sneer at the prohibition movement. But the heart and the conscience of the country were behind the anti slavery movement. Men were praying for its success in every part of the land. The pulpits of the country sent forth eloquent appeals in behalf of universal freedom, and the cause succeeded. So to-day men and women are praying for the success of prohibition in every part of the land. The pulpits of the country are becoming fully aroused. Eloquent men are pleading with all their powers for the success of the home in its fight against the saloons. All the conditions are favorable to the speedy success of the cause of prohibition, and prohibition will succeed. Within the lifetime of men who will not live twenty-five years longer prohibition will be as completely and emphatically successful as the anti-slavery movement already has been. We advise all our readers to get on the right side of this great question in time to share in the honor of the victory.—Lever.

Prohibitionists, Look To Your Ticket.

The enemies of our cause will use all manner of deception to capture prohibition votes next Tuesday. Let no friend of the cause be decieved by them. Look out especially for spurious prohibition tickets. There will be a special committee of men at the polls to distribute tickets and slips. Take no ticket from any man unless you know him to be a PROHIBITIONIST. This is the grandest opportunity you have ever had to show your strength. Let every man do his duty and make himself a committee of one to see that his neighbor does the same.

The November number of the Magazine of Art closes the volume for the year with unusual attractions. The frontispiece of the number is from Mr. F. A. Bridgeman's last salon picture, "The Bath at home, Cairo," and is very suggestive of that artist's gorgeous oriental coloring. This picture accompanies an article on "The American Salon," by Mr. W. C. Brownell, who was until he left this country for Europe, the art critic of the New York World. Mr. Brownell is an admirable critic and he has a fruitful subject. Each one of these papers is illustrated with numerous engravings, some of them from nature, others from rare prints and notable paintings. A complete record of the art news of the month, both in Europe and America will be found in its usual place in the Magazine.—Cassell & Company, Limited, New York.

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DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon, will, on Monday the 10th day of November, 1884, at the house of Mrs. Henry in said township, at one o'clock in the afternoon, meet parties for the letting of contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Township Drain No. 3, described as follows: Commencing at a point 34 rods west and 22 north of the quarter post on east side of section No. 2, in Macon on premises of Royal Lamb, running thence east and south across lands of Frank Davenport, James Harmon, Anson Harmon, E. Harmon, Frank Whiting, John Warner, crossing the Ridge road near the barn on the premises of John Henry, deceased thence south and east over lands of D. Boyd and Mecker Scudder, whole length of said drain being two miles and twenty-two rods, and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned to reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review

Dated Oct. 30, 1884.

EDWIN HOWELL.

Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. 0c30

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At $16.87, $21.37, and $29.50, elegant Plush Cloaks, worth $25, $35 and $45.
Children's plain and plaid Havelocks, from $1.75 upwards.
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DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of L. Herning & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The market business will hereafter be conducted by S. Herning, who will collect all amounts due the old firm and pay all debts contracted by them. L. HERNING, S. HERNING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 2, 1884.

NOTICE.—Came into my enclosure, about Oct. 20, 1883, one large black sow. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take the same away. JOSEPH TIDEN.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 29th, 1884.

WANTED ON SALARY.—Ten lady and gentlemen canvassers to introduce the new and popular work, "Golden Treasures or a World of Knowledge." Liberal salaries to competent agents. Apply at once or address F. W. CORBET, at Exchange Hotel, Tecumseh, Mich.

BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the Griffiths shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Interfering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection. W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

SEED POTATOES.—Pure Early Rose, Clark's No. 1, White Star, St. Patrick, White Elephant and Mammoth Pearl. For sale at reasonable prices. ABNER WILSON.

CIDER APPLES WANTED.—Cash for cider apples at J. B. Hause & Bros.' mill, at Clinton. We take our apples by weight, 56 lbs. per bush. J. B. HAUSE & BRO.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses. SLAYTON & SON.

A SINGLE BUGGY—Almost as good as new. For sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

LUMBER WAGON.—Nearly new and just painted over. For sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

Register next Saturday.

Lots of music at the Skating Rink this evening.

Judge Geddes, of Adrian, was on our streets yesterday.

The farmer's club report is necessarily deferred till next week.

A new time table of the M. & O., road appears in this week's HERALD.

Grant Hanford is now in Chicago. He has a good position there and is doing well.

Look at the advertisement of the Acme Dime Comedy Company on the first page of the HERALD.

EDWIN B. WOOD.

A Raisin farmer and an Adrian Attorney were conversing on politics the other day when the conversation turned on the nominees now before the people for Judge of Probate. Mr. Wood's fitness for the place was conceded by both, but the Attorney offered this objection to him. Said he, "Mr. Wood is too modest in his charges. He has done a large amount of Probate business during the past twenty years, from which many lawyers would have become wealthy, but he is still a man of moderate means." Well, said the farmer—"That may be an objection with you, but it is the best recommendation I want. I shall vote for him."

In the Northern part of Lenawee County where Mr. Wood is best known no word of commendaton is needed from us. Everybody knows him, everybody respects him, everybody recognizes his eminent fitness for that office. We are not at all surprised but at the same time are gratified to see that he stands equally well in other sections of the county. It gives us pleasure to copy the following item from last week's Adrian Press, which is a merited compliment to a deserving candidate.

On every hand we hear good words for E. B. Wood, our candidate for Probate judge. He is enjoying now a return of good health, and paid us a visit last week. He is making an active vigorous canvass, and no man is worthier of support. He honors the ticket as a man of high character, strict integrity and superior ability. He has been entrusted with more estates as administrator, executor or guardian, than any four other men in the county. He is familiar with every detail of the office and in this respect Judge Geddes has no advantage over him. Scarcely a regular session weekly, of the Probate court occurs, without Mr. Wood being present interested in some case. There is hardly a man in the northern part of the county, who makes a will, but nominates E. B. Wood as executor. Why? Because of their confidence in his unquestioned honesty and his complete familiarity with the business. It would be a graceful compliment to a worthy man to honor him with the office. Judge Geddes is wealthy. He has for six years enjoyed the favors of the people, and leaves a lucrative office business to do so. Mr. Wood is a man of limited means, though he has had the opportunity while in charge of large estates to secure a competency. He has been faithful to his trusts, and is to-day comparatively a poor man. Judge Geddes has held office for many years and has no special claims upon the people for their suffrages. A man in every respect his equal in ability and a knowledge of the duties of the office is his opponent, so the objection cannot be urged that it is not advisable to put in an untried man. We trust our democratic friends will make a special effort in behalf of Mr. Wood.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 30, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Are you registered? If not, attend to it next Saturday.

H. E. Anderson has a new sidewalk in front of his store.

There was a tremendous crowd in town last Saturday.

Go and hear Frank Hurd at the Opera House this evening.

Bro. Carr of the Dundee Reporter, gave us a call on Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Ford, of Ray, Ind., is visiting at Geo. Adamson's this week.

Albert Kennedy, of Battle Creek, spent Sunday with friends in this vicinity.

Adamson, the Jeweler, has just received a splendid lot of French Clocks, which are beauties.

A. J. Kempton, of Addison, is making St. John speeches about the county to good acceptance.

Mr. & Mrs. L. E. Gridley and daughter, of Washington, were visiting at J. D. Sholes' this week.

Several of the enterprising merchants of this village advertise in the Dundee and Addison papers.

Miss L. Loana Stacy is spending this week at East Saginaw on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy.

John R. Clark will deliver a temperance lecture at Macon Grange Hall on Monday evening, Nov. 3, 1884.

Lewis Herning sold out his market interest to his brother Fred, and started yesterday for the northern part of the state.

The Times alleges that there is trouble among the contractors engaged in building the Lenawee county court house.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M., to-morrow evening. Let there be a full attendance of the brethren.

Hon. Frank Hurd, of Toledo, Col. Eldredge and Lt. Salsbury will address the Democracy at the Opera House this evening.

W. W. Frazer has moved his law office into the room formerly occupied by W. R. Wooden, at the head of the stairs, over the post office.

Geo. Adamson has now on hand the finest assortment of diamonds ever brought to Tecumseh. Call and examine them, they are beauties.

Jas. Hastings, accompanied by two other students, walked over from Ann Arbor Saturday and returned on Sunday. Jim seems well pleased with college life.

Bro. Stearns, of the Adrian Press, declines to receive wood on subscription any more. He runs his office now by wind and water power and his house by gas.

Edwin Deming brought to our office on Monday last a potato which is indeed a freak of nature. It represented the head, neck and body of a mink or sea lion.

G. P. Sparks has something to say elsewhere about selling musical instruments cheap. He talks of going to Florida and our people can rely on his doing just as he says he will.

Adrian Times: Clinton is to have a roller rink—not so much for the pleasure it will afford, for Clinton people are beyond that, but more because of the superior astronomical advantages it will afford.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman has now her fall stock of Millinary goods to which she respectfully calls the attention of the ladies of Tecumseh. Her prices are way down and she respectfully asks all to call and examine her goods.

All new residents of this township, who have not already voted, must register next Saturday to enable them to vote on Tuesday next. The board of registration will meet on that day at the town clerk's office, in Bill's Bank.

The farmers predict an open winter; one of their signs being the thin husks on the corn, and that the muskrats are expecting a mild winter, is apparent from the fact that they have not yet commenced building their houses.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Ross celebrated the 30th aniversary of their wedded life last Monday evening. A large number of friends were present and enjoyed a very pleasant evening, going away with the wish that the couple might enjoy thirty years more of wedded life.

The Adrian scientific society recently caught a wild beast and experimented upon him with the use of the vapor of gasoline which acted as an anæsthetic, completely subjugating the animal and rendering him perfectly harmless. P. S.—The animal was a real, living, active, long-tailed mouse.

Chas. Strong started for his home at Lawrence, Kan., last Tuesday, having enjoyed his visit in Tecumseh exceedingly. He is now living in Lawrence, and is finely situated there, owning a block of stores and other city property. His sons, Charley and Fred, each own a farm and has a family of his own. We hope his visits to the old Tecumseh home will be more frequent hereafter.

The Star Shoe company have a new business announcement in to-day's paper. Don't fail to read it.

Miss Lillie Wendler of Youngstown, O., and Miss Emma Smith of Toledo, are visiting at Henry Smith's.

F. W. Kelp is preparing for the fall trade, and unfurls his bulletin to the breeze in this week's HERALD.

Our friends whose accounts are due can do us a great favor by paying at once. W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

The Acme Dime Comedy company is playing this week at Adrian and is highly commended by the Adrian papers.

Prohibition meetings will be held P. M. and evening in Tecumseh this week, Saturday, Nov. 1. John R. Clark and M. J. Fanning.

People who enjoy a good speech should go and hear M. J. Fanning at the Opera House next Saturday evening. He is a "rattler" to talk.

John R. Clark, Tecumseh's temperance orator, is doing some campaign work in Lenawee County this week. He will speak here next Saturday afternoon.

R. Morrison has just finished a job of paper hanging in Dr. Hamilton's parlors which "takes the cake" over anything we have seen lately. It is an elegant job.

M. J. Fanning, who will address the Prohibitionists at the Opera House next Saturday evening, is one of the finest orators in the State. Let everybody turn out and hear him.

Hub Stout received a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother, who is visiting friends in the western part of New York state, and took the afternoon train on Tuesday for that place.

The campaign winds up this week in Tecumseh with meetings by all the parties. Bob Frazer held forth last evening for the Republicans. Frank Hurd talks this evening for the Democrats, and M. J. Fanning will furnish Prohibition music next Saturday evening.

The Adrian papers are enthusiastic in their praise of the Acme Dime Comedy Company which is playing an engagement of a week in that city. The company begins an engagement of a week at the Opera House in this village next Monday evening. The program will be changed nightly and the admission is only 10 and 20 cents.

Prohibition meetings will be held in Tecumseh next Saturday, to be addressed by Michael J. Fanning of Jackson and John R. Clark. Mr. Clark will speak on the corner by Kinney's furniture at 2 o'clock P. M.; Mr. Fanning at the Opera House in the evening. Mr. Fanning is one of the finest stump orators in the state and should be greeted with a rousing house.

Last Tuesday evening a company of thirty school children visited Met Conklin's and passed a pleasant evening in honor of Miss Hattie's birthday. Mr. Conklin came down to the village with his team and took the visitors to his house and brought them safely home again after the party. The little folks voted it a most enjoyable affair and voted thanks to Met Conklin for his hospitality.

A. J. Kempton, prohibition nominee for Register, is winning golden opinions from all parties in the county where he speaks. A large and enthusiastic gathering listened for nearly two hours, at Kelley's corners, on the evening of the 18th, to his logical and pathetic appeals for principle and pure government. We bespeak a liberal vote for this rising young apostle of the "Saint's faith."

Adrian Record: It is a solemn thing to reside along the paths frequented by candidates for county offices and such. Take the case of F. D. Teachout, of Rome, for instance. Last night along in the evening he was set upon by A. K. Whitmore, J. W. Helme, Jr., Fred Wood, A. Chapelle, Henry Bowen and others and obliged to keep them all night. Think of a crowd like that taking possession of your house.

A good crowd assembled at the Opera House last evening to hear a speech from Robert E. Frazer. Mr. Frazer was not "at his best," but his speech was a good one and was well received by the Republican part of the audience. It was not calculated however, to make any converts. He was very severe on the Democrats and very mild on the Prohibitionists, thought that laboring men had no reason to complain of hard times, and that the country was enjoying prosperity.

Auction Sale.

Tom Hanley's lease having almost expired, he will sell at auction on the farm known as the David O'Riley farm, in the township of Clinton, one mile west of Pennington's corners, and four miles east of Clinton, on the Clinton road, Thursday, Nov. 6, 1884, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: Four work horses, 2 year old colt, 3 calves, 2 sows and pigs, 3 shoats a Cheshire boar, 20 sheep, 3 milch cows, 2 lumber wagons, buggy, pair bobs, cutter, hay-rack, wheel-rake, cultivators, plows, harrow, fanning-mill and other farm tools, 18 to 20 acres wheat on the ground, quantity of corn, oats, corn-fodder, and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms, 12 months with good notes at interest. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

FARMERS MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Ins. Co. was held at Adrian last Monday. The meeting was called to order by President Cook. Secretary Allis read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved.

Mr. Cook then read his report, as treasurer, for the past year. It showed the following: Actual assessment for 1883, $10,630.80; required amount to be raised, $10,591.12; surplus of assessment, $49.74.

On those who had sold out and removed from the county during the year, the deficiency was $182.61; $150 had been provided to meet this contingency, so that the shortage on this score was $32.61.

Secretary Allis then made his annual report. The amount now insured in the company was $9,099,490; gain during the past fiscal year, $578,470; number of members at this date, 5,333; number of members added during the past year, 284; number of losses during the year, 45. Fifteen of the losses were from lightning, seven of these occuring on the twenty-first of June. Three losses were barns, four houses, and eight animals in the field. The losses and expenses during the year amounted to $9,846.27.—The amount to be raised on each $1,000 for the coming year is (1.111) one dollar, eleven cents and one mill.—Blissfield is the only town in the county which had no losses during the year just closed.

The report was accepted and adopted. The next business before the meeting was the election of a president and treasurer for the ensuing two years, the two offices being filled by one person.

The first ballot resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes	66
Z. Cook	52
J. M. Green	2
J. H. Green	1
A. W. Bradish	9

On motion Mr. Cook was declared unanimously elected.

The election of a director for each of the five districts of the county then followed.

The representatives from each district, on motion, organized into separate caucuses and presented the following directors, who were elected by the meeting.

First district (Woodstock, Rollin, Hudson, Medina), Wm. Brown, of Hudson; Second district (Cambridge, Rome, Dover, Seneca), James M. Judson, of Dover; Third district (Franklin, Adrian, Madison, Fairfield, A. W. Bradish, of Madison; Fourth district (Clinton, Tecumseh, Raisin, Palmyra, Ogden), Warren J. Holdridge, of Raisin; Fifth district (Macon, Ridgeway, Deerfield, Blissfield, Riga), C. C. Lowe, of Ridgeway.

WEDDING BELLS.

On Tuesday of last week a pleasant company assembled at the residence of Rev. H. Shepard in Burr Oak to witness the nuptials of Mr. W. H. Peters and Miss Florence Shepard. Many guests from aboad were in attendance, among whom were Dr. and Mrs. Peters of Blissfield, Mr. H. M. Temple of Tecumseh, and relatives from Cleveland, Ohio, and Adrian. The affair was a social event of more than usual brilliancy. The company were royally entertained, the bridal gifts were numerous and elegant, while music and mirth reigned supreme. Both bride and groom were for many years residents of Tecumseh, where they have hosts of friends who will join us in extending the usual congratulations and hearty good wishes for their prosperity and happiness. The bride was kindly remembered by her old classmates in Tecumseh, Prof. Fairfield and other friends. We append a list of the wedding gifts received. The parties begin housekeeping at once in their Blissfield home.

LIST OF PRESENTS.

Check for $500.00, Dr. H. Peters.
Brussels carpet and border, marble top table, stand, hanging lamp, chair, book-rack, Mrs. Peters.
Extension table, Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Mumford.
Dining chairs and rocker, Mr. & Mrs. T. Marks.
Plush patent rocker, W. H. Peters.
China tea set, 56 pieces, Mrs. Burrain Clark of Leavenworth.
One doz. silver knives, Mrs. Clark Leavenworth.
Silver salt and pepper castor, Mrs. Dora Derwent.
Two Majelica bread Plates, Frank and Ada Marks.
Bed-room set, Mr. and Mrs. Shepard.
Indexed dictionary, and rest, Mr. and Mrs. Shepard.
Silk Crazy-quilt, M. A. Shepard.
One doz. solid silver teaspoons, and four solid silver desert spoons, H. & E. L. Shepard.
Oil Painting, J. A. Wheeler.
Feather bed and pillows, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wheeler
One doz. silver knives, one doz. silver forks, Mr. & Mrs. Wilcox.
Pickle castor, Royal Wilcox.
Set silver nut picks, Rosie and Althea Wilcox.
Solid silver butter knives, Miss Roxa Wilcox.
Solid silver sugar spoon, Miss Eva Wilcox.
Plush clock, H. M. Temple.
Seven solid tea spoons, Seven of Class of '82.
Ten dollars, Wm. Tilton.
Silver butter dish, S. C. Stacy.
Picture and easel, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kennedy.
Five dollars, Mr. Luther Shepard.
Homer's Iliad, E. B. Fairfield, Jr.
One doz. napkins, Dr. & Mrs. N. H. Kimdall.
One-half doz. silver forks, two towels, Mr. and Mrs. E. Quick.
Tilted silver and painted china Ice pitcher, silver glass Celery dish, Burr Oak Friends.
One-half doz. silver knives, half doz. forks, Chas. Bordner, Burr Oak.
One lamp, Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Anness, Burr Oak.
Plush cabinet album, V. C. Holcomb and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Graves.
Book, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wallace.
One-half doz. silver fruit knives, Mr. C. Caldwell, Eleda Kneeland, Mr. & Mrs. B. O. Graves, Burr Oak.

ACROSS THE CONTINENT.

EDITOR HERALD.—I have been intending to write you ever since my arrival on this coast, but have been so busy sightseeing and moving around, that I have just come to a landing place where I can stop and think of friends so far away. You will remember we started from Tecumseh a party seventeen strong. That is, my wife and sister, Mrs. Hurd, four babies, three trunks, six satchels, and a big lunch basket, the latter crammed with sufficient provender to have fed us all the way to China. Now let me ask you as an unprejudiced observer, how a man whose nervous system has been overtaxed by the cares of business, could expect the aforesaid nerves to return to their normal, healthy condition and have abundant and self sufficient rest when he had two women, four babies, six satchels and a dining-car, in the shape of a lunch basket, to look after, keep together, see that none were strayed or stolen on a journey of three thousand miles across the Continent? Suffice it to say I am the individual who undertook and accomplished this great feat and I still live a monument, as it were, of human endurance taxed to her utmost, but able to rustle as they say here in California. Of our journey I have very little remembrance, it being all mixed up with a horrible nightmare of acrobatic feats with children, satchels, lunch-basket, etc., interspersed with dissolving views of Chicago, Council Bluffs, Omaha and the Rocky Mountains. I really did however, recover sufficiently to get much solid enjoyment out of our stop at Salt Lake City. We took a carriage and drove round to the various objects of interest, rode up on the heights back of the city, where we got a magnificent view of the great Salt Lake Valley, and Salt Lake itself in the distance. I have seen many beautiful views of forrests, lakes, mountains and plains, but I think this one equal if not superior to any of them. On coming down we drove past an ordinary looking enclosure about fifty feet square, surrounded with a common board fence, at one end of which was a very cheap looking iron railing, apparently surrounding a grave; here the driver stopped and we enquired what he was stopping there for? To our astonishment he replied, "to show you the grave of Brigham Young." No stone or costly monument marks the grave of this great man, for he was undoubtedly intellectually great as his works in this wonderful valley will show, and now about two dollars and fifty cents worth of iron railing marks his grave. We asked why this should be, and were told that it was his own request. One cannot help but think what a difference there is between the resting place of this man who was literally the father of a nation and the graves of some of our merchant princes which are marked with such large and expensive monuments. From here we drove to the Mormon Temple and were admitted by the brother in charge. He looked about as sweet as dried peas with one of the most expressionless faces I ever saw. His little speech was evidently all cut and dried, and he rattled it off in a sing-song voice modulated to conform to the musical tones of a cracked fiddle occasionally gaining in power and strength in undoubted competition with the more active cadences of a healthy buzz-saw. His remarks were something like this: "This is the great Mormon Tabernacle, capable of seating fifteen thousand persons. The plans for this building were all made by Bringham Young. This is the largest building in the world with an unsupported roof, that is the roof is made on the principle of an arch with no central supports. This building is also noted for its acoustic properties; if you will go to the other side of the building I will illustrate this for you. First by a whisper, second by scratching my hat with a pin, third by dropping a pin. All of these sounds you will hear with perfect ease, although at such a great distance from me." We accordingly marched to the other side of the immense amphitheatre. Our guide mounted on the platform from which the illustrious Brigham was wont to discourse, and striking his first attitude, threw his chest well forward and hurled a whisper at us which struck us square on the tympanum. It was an old time remark which mothers frequently use in addressing their children: "Do you hear what I say?" Yes, we do, thank you. He now struck his second attitude, holding up a rather dilapidated looking tile on his left hand and drew a pin from the recesses of his outer garment with his right, and gave the aforesaid tile a tremendous scratch from top to bottom. "Did we hear it?" Certainly we did, and began to think that the Old Scratch himself had something to do with producing the one we just heard. He now struck his third attitude, balancing himself lightly on his feet he gently extended his right hand, between the thumb and forefinger of which was suspended a pin; all of a sudden he let it drop and we most undoubtfuly heard it strike; thus was proved to us the wonderful accoustic properties of the Mormon Temple. We were next marched in front of the immense organ and were told there was only one larger in the world. It was built entirely by Mormon mechanics, and certainly does them great credit. We requested the guide to give us a tune, but he said it wasn't his day for music. We next inspected the new Mormon Temple now being built near the old one. This, if ever completed will be a magnificent building, the foundations are immense, and the sidewalls are already over fifty feet high. The only work on it when they have means which are provided by subscriptions of the brethren. The granite used in its construction is quarried out of the mountains by the Mormons. They don't expect to complete the building for years, and the cost of it will run up into the millions. We next viewed the residences of Brigham Young and the principal Mormon elders. These were no great sight, as I have seen hundreds of more beautiful places in Oakland. I was, however surprised to find that among the more wealthy mormons who had a plurality of wives, each wife had a house of her own. Thus you would frequently see in one inclosure half a dozen or more houses each filled with a wife and children, all belonging to the same man. I had supposed they all lived together in one house, but the elders evidently think that no one house is large enough for two families. In the course of our drive a son and daughter of Brigham were pointed out to us, and two more uninteresting ordinary looking people, I never saw in my life. It is said that Brigham left his children one hundred thousand dollars each, so fortunately they don't have to depend on their intellect for a living. After visiting the Theatre, which is a fine new building we were told it was time for us to be on our way, so we drove to the depot and made one more start for the Golden State. Of our travels and adventures I will perhaps give you an account at some future time. With regards to many friends in old Tecumseh, I remain, Yours Truly,

JAMES W. PATTERSON.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Having fitted up rooms over J. S. Kinney's furniture store, I am ready to receive calls. Thanking the people of Tecumseh and vicinity for past patronage and trusting to deserve a continuance of the same in the fution I am. Yours Respectfully.

O. Q. JONES, M. D.

The Acme Dime Comedy Company. Opera House next week. 10 and 20 cents, admission.

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—Go to Adams' Novelty Store for Toys and Fancy Goods.

—Go to Arnold's Bakery for Taffy of all kinds. They manufacture it fresh daily.

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—Mrs. A. E. Ure of the New York Millinery, Adrian, will be at the Lilley House on Tuesday afternoon and evening for a few weeks, in sample Room No. 22, entrance on Rail Road street, with a line of Millinery Goods, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets; also, a stock of Hair Goods. Velvet hats and bonnets made over on all the new frames. Tips and plumes curled to look equal to new.

—Look at the new Hanging and Stand Lamps at Adams' Novelty Store.

—The best Taffy in town is that manufactured at Arnold's Star Bakery.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

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—Listen for the voice of the gong.
A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

MARRIED.

PETERS—SHEPARD.—At the residence of the bride's parents in Burr Oak, Mich., on the 21st, inst., by Rev. B. Shepard, father of the bride, assisted by Rev. J. B. Foster, of Elkhart, Ind., Mr. Wallace H. Peters, of Bursaffield, and Miss Florence E. Shepard.

DIED.

BACON.—In Toledo, on the 23d, inst., Mrs. S. C. Bacon, aged 77 years.

The deceased was the relict of a former partner of Amos Stocking, and lived in Tecumseh nearly years ago. She was aunt sister of Mrs. Terry.

LETTER LIST.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Oct. 25, 1884:

Beans, James	McLean, John
Barnes, Leeman,	Shafer, Mrs. S. M.
Gaunt, James M.	Wicks, Fanny
Mandlett, Nancy,	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED. ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 75 @	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb	@	06
Butter, ₱ lb	17 @	18
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50 @	1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	45 @	1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef Hides	5 @	6
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8 @	10
Carrots, ₱	30 @	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @	60
Cloverseed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₱ doz	14 @	15
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00 @	5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₱ lb	@	15
Ham, ₱ lb	12 @	14
Lard, ₱ lb	8 @	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @	35
Onions, ₱ basket	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @	40
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 50
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord		
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	75
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	75
Wool	28 @	32

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The well-known banking house of H. D. Cooke & Co., at Washington, D. C., closed its doors on the 22d. Liabilities $130,000; available assets, $103,000.

A serenade in honor of his election to Congress was tendered, Patent Commissioner Butterworth, at the Arlington Hotel, Washington, a few nights ago. Addresses were made by Indian Commissioner Price and General Raum.

A few days ago President Arthur forwarded a gold watch, through the Governor General of Canada, to Ezra Reed, master of the bark Brazil, of Yarmouth, N. S., for rescuing the crew of the American schooner Nellie Belle. Captain Reed was drowned some weeks ago at sea and the United States authorities requested that the watch be presented to his widow.

It is reported that chills and fever are almost epidemic in all parts of that city, owing to the bad drainage of the Potomac River. Two-thirds of the State, War and Navy Department employes are on the sick list with malaria.

Sixth Auditor Crowell has prepared a statement of receipts and expenditures of the Postoffice Department for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1884, which shows that during the year the payments exceeded the receipts by $3593,137; last year the receipts were $2,352,189 more than the expenditures.

The Acting Judge Advocate General of the Army has submitted his annual report to the Secretary of War. The report shows an increased number of court martials in all branches of the service, and recommends various minor changes in the rules governing military jurisprudence.

The Examiner in Chief of the Patent Office, has rendered a decision awarding to Alexander Graham Bell priority of invention of the telephone receiver. This was awarded by the Examiner below to McDonough. The point at issue is regarded as the principal feature of the telephone invention.

Favorable responses have been received at Washington to letters addressed to the Governors of Arkansas, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Iowa, Minnesota, and Dakota, soliciting their co-operation and aid in the design to erect at New Orleans a statue of the late Captain Sam Chester Reid, who commanded the United States brig General Armstrong in the memorable battle with a British squadron at Fayal, in 1814, which resulted in saving Louisiana from British conquest.

The President appointed John B. Mead Commissioner to the New Orleans Cotton Exposition for Vermont.

In his annual report, the Second Auditor of the Treasury states that the 37,188 claims, pending in the Pay and Bounty Division include 1,224 claims of Indians who served in the war of the rebellion. He recommends that an appropriation be placed at the disposal of his office to defray the expense of investigating these and other claims of a like character.

THE EAST.

At Philadelphia on the 22d an attempt was made to poison the family of Dr. D. H. Buckingham, a druggist, by placing a quantity of sulphate of copper in the teakettle. It was discovered by the housekeeper, who nearly lost her life in tasting the water. A fifteen-year-old colored boy whom the doctor employed to run errands, was arrested and confessed his guilt, but assigned no reason for the act.

Mrs. W. G. Hill, of Rockland, Mass., died on the 1st of August last. She was under treatment for sleeplessness by Mrs. Dr. Helen Cummins, of Boston, who gave her two bottles of medicine, one of which was a harmless tonic and the other contained two ounces of fluid extract of St. Ignatius bean. The bottles were labelled wrong, and the patient, instead of taking the harmless tonic, took a tablespoonful of the fluid extract of St. Ignatius bean, and died in an hour afterward. The inquest resulted in a verdict of death caused by gross carelessness of the doctress in pasting the labels, and she has been arrested on the charge of murder.

The "Bayfield Savages," Companies A, B and C in the old Nineteenth Massachusetts Regiment, were entertained by Major Ben Perley Poore, the original commander of the battalion, at his residence, West Newburyport, Mass., on the 22d. Lieutenant Greely, who was a private in Company B, was present.

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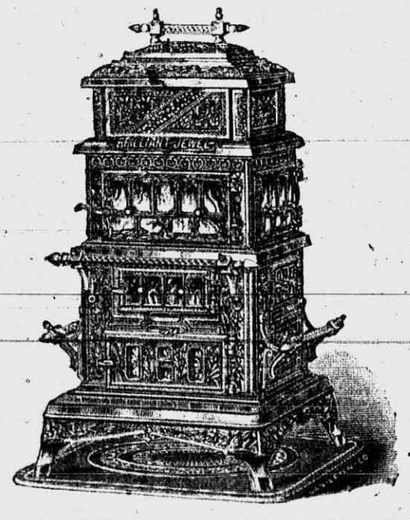

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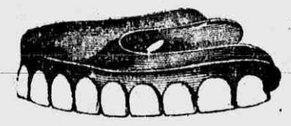

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Chilly, wet day, on election.

Rev. I. M. Kennedy of Clinton, addressed the Union Club at the Hall, on Wednesday night of last week, in the interest of Prohibition.

Miss Ella Jackson returned from a visit to Hillsdale on Friday, and is on the sick list at present.

Those that attended the skating rink at Britton's on Wednesday night report a pleasant time.

The attendance at the social on Friday night was good, and all report a splendid time. The next social will be held at Rev. W. J. Clark at the parsonage on Friday, Nov. 14th. A cordial invitation to all to come and welcome the pastor and family.

Mr. Warren Jones started for Brooklyn, N. Y., with the fancy team that R. T. Bush purchased of the Garlinghouse brothers. He shipped from Britton's over the Wabash.

Prof. W. H. Parker, the wonderful messmerist and phrenologist, closed his lectures here on Saturday night, and left for Addison Monday where he will give a course.

Rev. W. J. Clark went to Flat Rock Tuesday to attend a funeral.

The Prohibitionists held a meeting at Britton, Monday night, which was addressed by Rev. G. W. Hudson and C. E. Conley of Tecumseh.

The following resolutions were passed and adopted by the Ladies' Mite Society, Oct. 31st., on the death of Mrs. Augusta H. Waring, which occurred Oct. 6th, 1884:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in his divine wisdom to remove from our midst our beloved sister, friend and neighbor, Mrs. Augusta H. Waring,

Whereas, She, by her implicit trust in Jesus, simplicity of life and manner and interesting zeal in all works that would upbuild Christ's Kingdom on earth, has left a true record worthy of imitation by us all, therefore

Resolved, That we humbly and submissively bow to the will of Him that "doeth all things well."

Resolved, That while we mourn her departure we have that happy assurance that our loss is her eternal gain; that she only waits with beckoning hand over the river for us to join the society of just men made perfect.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be put upon the Society record; printed in the Michigan Christian Advocate and Tecumseh HERALD and a copy each given to the husband and near relatives of deceased.

R. H. NELSON,
W. J. CLARK,
G. W. JACKSON,
D. A. JACKSON,
NELLIE R. TEMPLE,
MRS. M. A. WILSON. } Com.

MACON MUSIC.

There was a concert at the M. E. church last Saturday evening. The proceeds are to be appropriated for building sheds at the church.

Report says that Capt. Allen is elected by a handsome majority. If this is true, it is a proof of the good sense of the voters of this Congressional district.

Preston received 41 votes in Macon. Still he is not governor.

Robert Cully is reported to be the happiest man in town. It is a boy.

Our school board has engaged a male teacher for the winter term. Better have retained the present incumbent. Frequent changes are very detrimental to the interest of schools.

Sumner Collins spent Sunday in Macon.

Our hamlet is evidently keeping pace with the times. The latest is a skating rink. It is well patronized. Mr. Wheeler, of Leslie is proprietor.

Mark Mills has completed his course in the Detroit Business College, and is now home.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Election passed off very quietly. The rain seemed to cool the ardor of most of the zealous ones. The rain undoubtedly kept some from the polls, there being only three hundred and sixty votes polled while there was some four hundred and seventeen names on the register list. The votes counted showed the following result: 360 in all, of which the Prohibitionists polled thirty four, twenty two of which were formerly Republicans and twelve were from the Democratic party. What few other votes were cast are as follows: In majorities our Townsmen D. Keyes running away head of his ticket scoring 104 majority over his Republican opponent. E. B. was next in majority, polling 84 majority. The Presidential Electors, 51 majority, and now at this writing it is reported that D. Keyes is elected Register. Both parties here seem to think that Cleveland is elected President, while the Republicans are shouting for Blaine and claiming his election. For our part we think it is well that the agony is over, at any rate we ourselves feel that the country is safe.

Mrs. Flick from Hedford, near Cleveland Ohio, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

The State Missionary society will hold its annual meeting with the Congregational church of this place on Saturday afternoon and evening of this week. Certain eminent ministers of their church from this state are expected and an interesting meeting is expected.

The Episcopal church have their church so near completed that they expect to hold service there next Sunday as was predicted. The church presents a very nice appearance on the inside and is the nicest finished of any church in town. So much for Ed. VanDeMark.

We understand that the dwelling house of Chas. Gadd, of Bridgewater, was burglarized on Thursday night of last week of quite a little sum of money taken from the trunk of the hired man, something over one hundred dollars in money.

The chicken pie social at the Methodist church on Wednesday night was very well attended and the supper was excellent, worth twice the price charged, ten cents.

Grand opening of the Clinton Skating Rink with a goodly number of skaters who were regaled with music by the Clinton band.

FRANKLIN RETURNS.

We give the vote cast for leading candidates in this township:

Electors—	
Cleveland	170
Blaine	177
St. John	21
Governor—	
Begole	159
Alger	176
Preston	32
Congress—	
Eldredge	169
Allen	174
Mosher	24
State Senator—	
Dewey	172
Carpenter	171
Cook	22
Representatives—	
Wiggins	188
Mason	159
Judge of Probate—	
Wood	191
Geddes	157
Walker	18
Sheriff—	
Whitmore	178
Jibb	166
Johnson	22
Clerk—	
Bixby	166
Crandall	176
Moore	21
Register of Deeds—	
Keyes	186
Bennett	163
Kempton	17
County Treasurer—	
Learnard	177
Hoag	173
West	16
Prosecuting Attorney—	
Salsbury	174
Graves	175

RIDGEWAY ELECTION.

Below are the figures on election in this township:

Cleveland Electors	165
Blaine "	109
St. John "	37

Governor—Begole, 150; Alger, 107; Preston, 54.

Congress—Eldredge, 157; Allen, 118; Mosher, 38.

Representative — Holdridge, 154; Howell, 121.

Judge of Probate—Wood, 175; Geddes, 107; Walker, 38.

Sheriff — Whitmore, 168. Jibb, 97; Johnson, 46.

Prosecutor — Salsbury, 182; Graves, 104.

County Clerk — Bixby, 156; Crandall, 114. Moore, 41.

MACON RETURNS.

Below are the returns for Macon: President—Cleveland, 146; Blaine, 165; St. John, 23.

Governor—Begole, 143; Alger, 147; Preston, 41.

Congress—Eldridge, 141; Allen, 172; Mosher, 21.

Representative in State Legislature: Holdridge, 140; Howell, 169.

Judge of Probate—Wood, 170; Geddes, 154; Walker, 10.

Sheriff—Whitmore, 156; Jibb, 164; Johnson, 14.

Clerk—Bixby, 144; Crandall, 167; Moore, 22.

Posecuting Attorney — Salsbury, 151; Graves, 172.

CAMBRIDGE RETURNS.

The election in Cambridge passed off quietly and a full vote was polled. We give the result on a few of the leading candidates:

Fusion Electors	158
Blaine "	90
St. John "	59
Governor.	
Josiah W. Begole	155
Russell A. Alger	78
David Preston	73
Congress.	
Nathaniel B. Eldridge	158
Edward P. Allen	93
Charles Mosher	52
State Senator.	
Charles H. Dewey	183
Manson P. Carpenter	69
Zacharias Cook	49
Representative.	
William B. Town	160
John N. Harkness	83
Porter Beal	50
Judge of Probate.	
Edwin B. Wood	166
Norman Geddes	91
Edson G. Walker	50
Sheriff.	
Ancil K. Whitmore	160
William Jibb	76
James K. Johnson	64
Prosecutor.	
Lester H. Salsbury	204
Benjamin F. Graves	91
County Clerk.	
David A. Bixby	154
Cyrus T. Crandall	93
William H. Moore	57

CLINTON RETURNS.

We present the principal figures on the election in this town:

Cleveland Electors	189
Blaine "	139
St. John "	32
Governor.	
Begole	183
Alger	130
Preston	44
Congress.	
Eldredge	195
Allen	135
Mosher	28
State Senator.	
Dewey	188
Carpenter	138
Cook	30
Rep. State Legislature.	
Holdridge	188
Howell	140
Judge of Probate.	
Wood	209
Geddes	135
Walker	28
Sheriff.	
Whitmore	195
Jibb	133
Johnson	41
Clerk.	
Bixby	185
Crandall	127
Moore	32
Register of Deeds	
Keyes	217
Bennett	130
Kempton	25
County Treasurer.	
Learnard	185
Hoag	[illegible]
West	32
Prosecating Attorney.	
Salsbury	136
Graves	207

NEW ORLEANS EXPOSITION.

Director General Burke's Report—The Exhibition Being Overrun with Contributions—Some of the Industries that will be Shown.

NEW ORLEANS, November 4.—Director General Burke has completed his full report of the progress of the preparations for the World's Exposition. The main building has been completed, and the exhibits are now arriving for installation. The extension of Machinery Hall, an iron building, requires only the sash and flooring, making that hall about 1,948 feet in length. But little space remains in the machinery department. The Worthington waterworks were completed yesterday, the water placed in the boilers, and the magnificent plant will be ready on Tuesday to supply three million gallons of water daily. Filtered water is furnished at the rate of 80,000 gallons per hour. Steam will be raised for the purpose of testing the boilers, engines and shafting November 20.

The Horticultural Hall is rapidly being filled with rare plants. Large shipments are arriving from Central America and Florida. Eight thousand Northern and Southern evergreens have been purchased and contributed, and are being rapidly placed in the grounds. The walks will all be completed November 15. The saw mill building, six hundred feet long, was completed yesterday. The building for the Government and State exhibits is the handsomest building on the grounds, and has as much floor space as the Main Centennial building. The Director General notifies the State Commissioners that their exhibits can come along at any time. The building will receive exhibits on the 10th of December. Every State and Territory is now represented. The erection of stables is progressing rapidly, and stalls are being provided to show 1,000 horses. Suitable cattle and horse barns and the stock arena are a half mile from the track. A Wisconsin dispatch says that Jay-Eye-See and Phallas will be exhibited, arrangements being made for noted horses. The stables are 1,800 feet long, and the live stock exhibits the largest ever made before.

Edison's agent has arranged for space for a splendid exhibit and has opened an office in the main building. Six one hundred horse-power engines run their light motor. The agent is arranging to run trains inside the main building around the gallery nearly one mile, and also for roads in the grounds. The Jenny Company commenced foundations for five towers, which with 100 standard arcs and five 36,000 candle power lamps will make the grounds appear as light as day. The Pullman Company have closed arrangements for exhibiting a maniature city of Pullman, 100 feet long and 75 feet wide. The splendid building of the Mexican Commission is nearly ready for occupancy. The Mexican exhibits left the City of Mexico October 31 via the Mexican Central Railroad and El Paso. The Commissioners of France, Mexico, Spain, Brazil, Portugal, Japan, Honduras, Guatemala are here, and arranging for the installation of their exhibits.

Mr. Burke is arranging with Diaz, who will be inaugurated December 1, to adjourn the Mexican Congress on the 10th of December, and also expects the American Congress to adjourn on the 12th of December so that the Exposition can be opened in the presence of the Presidents of the United States, Mexico and the Central American Republics, the heads of departments, and the foreign representatives. The action of the board of management in deferring the opening until President Arthur can inaugurate the Exposition is warmly approved by the community. His warm support of the Exposition is appreciated all over the South, and the management has declared that it will be a source of intense disappointment to the people if it opened without him. The delay will enable the delinquents to get into position and avoid much of the confusion incident to the opening of the Exposition. Mr. Burke reported to the management yesterday that if they would roof the park, over 237 acres, and give him sixty days, the applicants for space would fill it.

The School Master Married McCorkle's Sister.

Knew Dick McCorkle' well, I swar! The ornary little Thug! An' he's got a ranch on the Pecos, you say, an' popular among the cowboys. Great Gosh! I knowd him when he was a flop-mouthed boy. He was a terror, I tell you. We was at school together, me an' him. Pop'lar then? Well, no, not enough to spile him. Why, we boys just despised him. We uster git up in the night to hate him. You see it war this way: The school master wanted to marry his sister—Dick's sister. Dick was a freckled-faced and codfish-eyed plug, an' he never know'd his lessons, but he wasn't licked an' thumped, nor jammed up against the wall, nor batted on the head with a frame of an old slate. The schoolmaster wanted to marry his sister.

"He was let sit with the big girls, an' 'go out' as often as he wanted to. The little spike-haired cur could come late and eat nuts and champ apples in school hours without one word of reproof, an' when he spilled ink on the floor he didn't git a belt on the ear with a McGuffey's third reader. Oh, no. The schoolmaster wanted to marry his sister.

"How we hated that young hoodlum! We tried to lower him in the master's estimation by putting up jobs on him. We were guilty of dead loads of villainy and injustice in our attempts to make the teacher turn on him, but it was always a cold day for us, and we never succeeded, for the school master wanted to marry his sister.

"We couldn't see why the schoolmaster should take revenge on our tender hides, and why we should wear welts and scars while the ignorant nondescript, McCorkle, would put on airs over us, an' would wander singing down the lane with all his imperfections on his red head, an' bring back to the master the tough saplings that were worn out on the jackets of the rest of us. He never got a whack. The schoolmaster wanted to marry his sister.

"I left the school to help in camp on a cattle round-up, an' it was about three months before I came back. The first thing I saw when I got back to school was the master whalin' daylights outen McCorkle with the cover of an atlas. When he had used them up and broke the ruler, he spit on his hands, caught Dick by the ears, and pounded his head against the map of Asia. Then he pulled two handfuls of hair out of his head, and sent him to sit down by the window with the broken pain where the snow was coming in.

"I could hardly believe my eyes. I asked one of the boys what was the meaning of this, an' if it wasn't some mistake.

"'No, no,' says he 'this is regular every day. The master whales Corkey eight or ten times a day now, an' yesterday he hit him with the English language (unabridged) on the head until the jar loosened the fillin' in his teeth. Didn't you know that *the schoolmaster had married his sister?*'—*Texas Siftings.*

Speculating Women.

A Wall Street broker remarked the other day: "Women are the most reckless gamblers in the world. I never yet knew one to come out ahead speculating in Wall street, for they never know when to let go. As speculators, however, they have ten times the nerve of men and they stand their losses with extraordinary fortitude. A striking instance of the hold which gambling gains on any one occurred the other day. A woman came into my office about one o'clock in the afternoon and asked to see me on a matter of importance. I went out to her and found she had traveled all the way down from Springfield, Mass., for the purpose of investing some money. She took a bank book out of her bosom and showed me that she had a deposit of four thousand dollars. While I was talking to her it occurred to me several times that her face was familiar, but I found that it was impossible to place her. Finally I asked her and she seemed greatly surprised that I had forgotten. She recalled the fact that she came to my office nearly twelve years ago with two thousand dollars and began to speculate. She had made ten thousand dollars within two weeks and then suddenly got caught in a flurry and was completely wiped out. She lost every cent that she had. She went back to Springfield and here she is again ready to blow in the rest of her savings. During all these twelve years she saved the money carefully, and every day she has read the stock reports in the newspapers. She has followed the market carefully and her ideas are sound enough on stocks, but there is no chance of her winning. Four thousand dollars won't go far when you speculate with it in big lumps, and the least little turn of the market is likely to send her back to Springfield penniless. This case reminds we of another one I had about a year ago. I was going out of the office about four o'clock in the afternoon on my way home, when I became aware that there was a woman sitting in one of the office chairs staring blankly out of the window. I remembered that she had been there for two or three hours, and made some inquiries. I found that she was a boarding house keeper up town, and a very estimable and deserving woman. She had by hard work succeeding in saving one thousand six hundred dollars and had listened to the persuasions of one of her boarders, a young stock clerk, and had come down to my office and speculated. The money that she had been years scraping together was lost in a day. I almost made up my mind never to operate for a woman again. But what's the use? If I don't do it some one else will, and the 'commish' goes as well with me as any one. At least I think so.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—A Boston lawyer has rooms in a building on a corner. His professional card gives the number on the main street, and if you call in the daytime you find him in a law office. His private card gives the side street number of the same building, and if you call in the evening you go up a different stairway to the identical same room, but it is now a bachelor's parlor. The furniture is specially adapted to the transformation. The desk becomes a sideboard, a lounge is covered with a luxurious leopard skin, and handsome hangings are disclosed.—*Boston Journal.*

Turkish Enterprise.

The foreigners in Constantinople are much amused at the latest exhibition of Turkish enterprise. The pride of the Turkish Government has been hurt by the necessity the European residents have been under, owing to the total inefficiency of the postal service, to have their own post-offices and mail carriage. The French, English, German and other post-offices have long served their nationalities, and their mails have been dispatched on foreign steamers. The Turkish Government determined to end this state of things, and, having organized its post-office department, announced that on August 1st it would close the foreign post-offices in the city. The foreign ambassadors remarked that the abolition of a long-established privilege required a negotiation, and meantime they would not permit any hindrance in the way of the transit of the mails to Europe. The Government did not close the offices, but set it out to show how useless foreign post-offices and foreign mail boats were in Turkish territory. It announced that on August 1st the Turkish mails to Europe would go by a Turkish steamer to Varna to meet the lightning express to Vienna.

The foreigners looked with some amazement and incredulity at this exhibition of Turkish enterprise. The mail train from Varna leaves at six a. m. every Sunday and Wednesday; the distance from Constantinople to Varna is one hundred and forty miles: the mail steamer leaves Constantinople at three p. m. on the previous day, thus having fifteen hours in which to make the connection. This time has been easily made. The Turkish steamer which set out with such a loud proclamation arrived at Varna four hours [illegible] authorities telegraphed to [illegible] mails sent on by special tra[illegible] garded the matter as "arrang[illegible] train ran as far as Bucharest. [illegible] there the agent discovered that there were only accommodation trains to Vienna, and consequently the mails arrived thirty-six hours late. The next mail day the Turks tried again with another steamer. It reached Varna six hours behind time. Again a special train was chartered to reach the Bucharest accommodation trains; but as this sudden demand for transportation to Varna absorbed all the postal facilities, the Asiatic mail for that week was suppressed. It was hoped that the foreigners would not notice this. A grave consultation was held by the authorities, and it was determined to sacrifice everything to make the Varna connection. To avoid the swift current of the Bosphorus the mail steamer was left at the Black Sea entrance and a swift steam launch was dispatched to her with the mail an hour before the usual hour. This change of hour discomfited the post-office. By charging a cent less postage than the foreign offices it had built up quite a business in letters for Europe, but on this day all the customers of the Turkish office took their letters to the other offices which were open an hour later. It was said that the Turkish sacks contained only seven letters; but with these seven letters the steamer started, missed the train at Varna, and the letters were forwarded by special train as before. By this time the whole population of Varna was in the joke and jeered and guyed the Turks when they landed.

On the fourth trial the Post-Office Department had to face the task of reaching Varna in the face of an amused and ridiculing world. This time the steamer did better: it only missed the train by about an hour. On the fifth trial the Turks determined to win: they closed the Constantinople mails two hours before the usual time, and at last did catch the train. In fact, the Turkish mail, with its empty bags, reached Varna only half an hour after the Austrian steamer which had left Constantinople three hours after the Turkish mail closed. The Turks, however, determined to persevere, and they capped the climax of absurdity by announcing that they would receive letters as late as the foreign offices and would send a supplementary mail by the Austrian steamer which runs in competition with their own slow line. Nothing more is heard of closing the foreign post-offices.—*Cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

Is "Choused" Slang?

There's an old bit of history wrapped up in that word "choused," as there so often is in our rich English speech.

You all know how alive England was in the reign of Elizabeth with the spirit of adventure and discovery. The finding of America was still a new wonder to be gossiped about. There were wars and expeditions on every side; and every plucky young Englishman wished to sail away to find a new inheritance with his ship, or conquer an old one with his sword. A great many young fellows, with more ambition than money, offered their services to foreign powers. One of these soldiers of fortune, Sir Robert Shirley, was employed by the Grand Seigneur and King of Persia, and sent on various missions, the most important being a commercial embassy to England. By this time King James was on the throne, and anxious to encourage the trade with Turkey and the East, which Elizabeth's advisers had begun in a small way, about twenty-five years before. So this shrewd Sir Robert sent over a Turkish chiaus, or envoy, in advance of his own coming, to get the good will of the London merchants in the Persian and Turkish trade. The enterprising chiaus exerted himself so successfully that he pocketed some four thousand pounds of their money (a large sum for that time), and ran away with it, leaving his master to stand the loss and the laugh against him, as best he could; for the tavern wits were as much delighted to get hold of a bit of new slang as you are, children, and they adopted "chiaused" (now become "choused") in the sense of "defrauded," just as you boys would now say "chiseled." I suppose. You will find it in Ben Jonson and in Shirley as slang, and in Landor, two hundred years afterward, as good English. So you see, in the etymology of one little word you get a glimpse of English life in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries.—*Gilbert Rankle in St. Nicholas.*

—Boston is considering the feasibility of a one-rail elevated railway that will make a hundred miles an hour easy traveling.—*Boston Post.*

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OUR COAST DEFENSES.

Chief Engineer Newton Wants an Appropriation for Our Sea Coast and Lake Frontier Defenses.

The Commission Appointed to Visit Mexico and Central and South American States in the Interest of Commerce will Leave Soon.

OUR COAST DEFENSES.

WASHINGTON, November 4.—General John Newton, Chief of Engineers, in his annual report to the Secretary of War, says that the sea coast and lake frontier defenses should, if possible, be not less than seven miles distant from the parts defended by them and supplemented by torpedos or submarine mines. What is needed, he says, is a sufficient sum for the purchase of torpedo boats, electric cables and apparatus for all the principal channels when needed. The general improvements of the present time, the report says, requires great improvement in our means of defense. With a proper system of submarine mines to detain the vessels of the enemy under the fire of land batteries, it is thought that with the addition of guns of heavy calibre, properly protected, our harbors can be made impregnable, and the failure to afford such protection, General Newton adds, involves a terrible responsibility. Continuing, he says the guns on shore should be as heavy as those carried by the hostile fleet and the armor of the forts should be much heavier than that of the vessel. The more unprotected batteries should be invulnerable to the fire of the fleet. Iron turrets for the heaviest guns, iron casements for the second class, and barbette or disappearing carriages for the lighter guns and rifled mortar batteries, would constitute the defense of principal harbors. The best gun is of steel bound with steel wire, and is built upon true scientific principles and will not be subject to great improvement in the near future. Thus supplied the fortifications will be in accordance with the most improved principles. It is well understood that modern warfare is sudden and decisive and compels the beaten parties to pay expenses.

A LENGTHY JOURNEY.

The Commission appointed at the last session of Congress to visit Mexico and the countries of Central and South America in the interest of the commerce of the United States, expect to leave New York on the 10th inst. for the City of Mexico. From there they will go to San Francisco where the business men of that city will be heard on the trade with southern countries. The Commission will then go to Guatemala, thence to San Salvador, thence to Honduras, thence to Nicaragua, thence to Costa Rica, thence across the Isthmus of Panama to Venezuela, thence to the United States of Columbia, thence to Ecuador, thence to Bolivia, Peru and Chili, thence across the Andes to Mendoza, thence to the ports of the Argentine Republic, and thence home by the way of the Brazilian ports. In the different countries visited business men and Government officials will be called upon to express their views relative to the improvement of trade with the United States, and the advisability of adopting treaties similar to the late Mexican treaty.

REQUIRED TO GIVE BAIL.

In the habeas corpus case of Charles W. Dempsey, the stationer, indicted here and in Boston on the charge of printing false vouchers, for supplies to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Judge Wylie yesterday rendered a decision requiring bail (which was furnished) for the appearance of the accused in Boston on the 10th inst.

SHIPMENT OF CARP.

The first carload of carp, shipped this season, left Washington last night. The crop this year is unusually abundant, and shipments will be made frequently from this time forward until the work closes in January. About 10,000 carps will constitute a shipment. The car will go to New York City, from there will be distributed through New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and New England. Some of the carp will also be sent to Canada.

The Deadly Revolver.

ZANESVILLE, O., November 4.—While Eddie Cobb, aged nine, and Albert Cerlow, aged seven, were playing at the home of the former's father, Engineer Cobb, of the steamer Mink, on Grant Street, yesterday afternoon, young Cobb espied a revolver lying on a shelf, and climbing on a chair he secured it, and the two began playing with it, each taking turns at putting it to the other's head and snapping the trigger. When it came young Cobb's turn he pulled the trigger, and a bullet entered young Cerlow's head above the right eye. The boy will die. Cobb had been playing with the revolver a few days ago, and the family believed the weapon empty. One chamber, however, happened to be loaded, and the above is the sad result.

Shipments From Saginaw.

EAST SAGINAW, November 4.—During the month of October there were moved by lake from the Saginaw River 100,530,000 feet of pine lumber, 21,583,000 shingles and 6,788,000 pieces of lath. From the opening of navigation to date there has been moved from the river 720,962,000 feet of pine lumber, 139,296,000 shingles and 49,497,000 lath. The lumber shipments exceed those of last year to date by 7,000,000 feet. Freights have advanced and vessels are obtaining $2.12½ to Buffalo and Tonawanda.

They Were Not Drowned.

DETROIT, November 4.—A Mackinac City dispatch says: The three carpenters reported drowned are alive. They left Bay City for New Orleans in a sail boat. The steamship Australasia towed their boat as far as the Manitous, where they were cast adrift. They landed at Callum's mill, six miles above here, where they sold their boat and tools and left by rail.

Ocean Steamer Burned.

NEW YORK, November 4.—Shortly after nine o'clock last night a fire broke out between decks on the steamer Ramon De Herrara, of the Havana line of steamships lying at pier 18, East River. The vessel was loaded with a general cargo and the loss is estimated at $10,000 which is partially covered by insurance.

Guiteau's Assailant Acquitted.

WASHINGTON, November 4.—Wm. Jones, indicted on November 25, 1881, for assault and battery with intent to kill Charles J. Guiteau on the 19th of the same month, was acquitted yesterday. The jury was out thirty minutes.

Maud S. Will Trot Thursday.

LEXINGTON, Ky., November 4.—Maud S. yesterday trotted a mile in 2:18¼, repeating it in 2:13¾. Her trial against her own record is now set down for Thursday.

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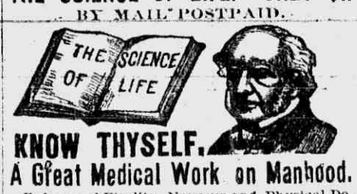

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DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon, will, on Monday the 10th day of November, 1884, at the house of Mrs. Henry in said township, at one o'clock in the afternoon, meet parties for the letting of contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as Township Drain No. 3, described as follows: Commencing at a point 34 rods west and 22 north of the quarter post on east side of section No. 2, in Macon on premises of Royal Lamb, running thence east and south across lands of Frank Davenport, James Harmon, Anson Harmon, E. Harmon, Frank Whiting, John Warner, crossing the Ridge road near the barn on the premises of John Henry, deceased, thence south and east over lands of D. Boyd and Meeker Scudder; whole length of said drain being two miles and twenty-two rods; and that I will then and there proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned to reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Notice is also hereby given that at the time and place of letting of contracts, the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884. EDWIN HOWELL, Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. 6x30

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH SLATER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 15th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Slater, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Arthur Slater, an heir-at-law of said deceased, alleging that he is interested in the estate of said deceased, that the real estate of said deceased has been assigned to the heirs-at-law and devisees of said deceased by said probate according to the provisions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and praying that partition and distribution of said real estate may be made amongst said heirs-at-law and devisees according to the statute in such case made and provided, and the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. oct6

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly, his wife, to David Gouldy, dated the twenty-second day of December, A. D. 1880, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 81 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 492, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called, on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darlings land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parallel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL, Assignee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Assignee. sep25

GUARDIAN SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Charles H. Adler, minor.

By virtue of a license granted to me as guardian of said minor by the probate court for the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1884, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee county Michigan, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the undivided half of all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of a street which starts nearly opposite Brown street in said village and runs easterly from Mill street to Maumee street in said village, seventeen (17) rods easterly from the east line of said Mill street; thence running southerly at right angles with said south line of said street nineteen (19) rods to a point met by producing easterly the southerly line of a lot formerly owned and occupied by Robert Stewart on its own course; thence easterly along said line produced easterly as aforesaid six (6) rods; thence northwardly parallel with first course nineteen rods to said south line of said street running easterly from Mill street to Maumee street as aforesaid; thence westerly along said south line of said street six rods to place of beginning.

Terms of sale, cash.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, Sept. 23d, 1884.

FREDERICK GMOHLING, Guardian of said Minor.

ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 10th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix of the estate of said deceased with the will annexed, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 6, 1884.

THE GENERAL RESULT.

Several States have been so close and the returns so slow in coming in that everything was in doubt until this morning. But the last reports

land by at least 3000 majority. Connecticut, New Jersey and Indiana have also gone for Cleveland beyond a doubt. The South is for Cleveland except Virginia, which is in doubt and claimed by both parties. Wisconsin is claimed by both parties. The table below gives the electoral vote for each ticket, giving Virginia to the Democrats and Wisconsin to the Republicans, where they will undoubtedly be found on the receipt of full returns. Cleveland can lose Virginia and still gain the election. If he carries Wisconsin he will be that much better off.

THE ELECTORAL VOTE.

	Rep.	Dem.
Alabama		9
Arkansas		7
California	5	
Colorado	3	
Connecticut		6
Delaware		3
Florida		4
Georgia		12
Illinois	22	
Indiana		15
Iowa	13	
Kansas	9	
Kentucky		13
Louisiana		8
Maine	6	
Maryland		8
Massachusetts	14	
Michigan	13	
Minnesota	7	
Mississippi		9
Missouri		16
New Jersey		9
Nebraska	5	
Nevada	3	
New Hampshire	4	
North Carolina		11
New York		36
Ohio	23	
Oregon	3	
Pennsylvania	30	
Rhode Island	4	
South Carolina		9
Tennessee		12
Texas		17
Vermont	4	
Virginia		12
West Virginia		6
Wisconsin	11	
	182	219

Total vote, 401. Necessary to a choice, 201.

LENAWEE COUNTY.

We give below a tabulated result of the electoral vote in every voting precinct in the county except Riga.—The fusion majority in this town is twenty-four. The majorities on the County ticket, estimating Riga at twenty-four, fusion, throughout are as follows:

Sheriff — Whitmore	450
Prosecutor — Salsbury	1100
Clerk — Bixby	100
Judge of Probate — Geddes	130
Register — Bennett	270
Treasurer — Hoag	220
Senator — Carpenter	230

ELECTORAL VOTE 1884.

Townships.	Blaine.	Fusion.	St. John.	Rep. Plur.	Dem. Plur.
1st ward,	321	341			120
2d ward,	307	399	20		92
3d ward,	248	187	51	56	
4th ward,	307	172	54	135	
Adrian,	150	200	38		66
Blissfield,	309	218	20	91	
Cambridge,	90	158	59		68
Clinton,	139	189	32		50
Deerfield,	138	155	17		17
Dover,	155	189	36		34
Fairfield,	322	252	65	70	
Franklin,	177	170	21	7	
Hudson,	529	422	51	107	
Macon,	165	146	23	19	
Madison,	177	156	30	21	
Medina,	276	192		80	
Ogden,	344	176		168	
Palmyra,	231	194	40	37	
Raisin,	182	146	69	30	
Ridgeway,	109	165	37		56
Riga,	—	—	—		24
Rollin,	221	114	90	107	
Rome,	180	134	40	46	
Seneca,	307	344	90		37
Tecumseh,	329	349	82		16
Woodstock,	142	195	38		53

THE FIRST DISTRICT.

The result in this legislative district is given below, the plurality in each town being given, with Riga estimated at twenty four fusion. This makes Howells' majority 130 and it will vary but little from that figure.

	Howell	Holdredge
Blissfield	90	
Clinton		48
Deerfield		37
Macon	29	
Ogden	128	
Palmyra	31	
Raisin		25
Ridgeway		32
Riga		24
Tecumseh	19	
	297	167

The Adrian Times' figures out the result on Congress as follows:

	Allen.	Eldredge.
Hillsdale	1,348	
Lenawee	193	
Washtenaw		652
Monroe		800
	1,541	1,452
	1,452	
Allen's plurality	86	

The plurality is small, and it may take the official count to definitely decide the result.

Take the children to the Dime Museum to-night. An entertainment for young as well as old.

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Rev. Washington Gladden whose contributions to the current literature of the day have given him an advanced position as a writer on religious and social questions closes a very able review of the Republican and Democratic candidates for President in the late election with these words. "But one of them will be elected," men say. Not by any help of mine, I answer. My duty to bear testimony against them both is as clear as the sunlight. I would gladly have voted for an Independent candidate. Since none has been offered me I shall vote for St. John. "But your vote will be thrown away." O fools and blind! Have you never heard that there is a God who loves righteousness and hates iniquity? Do you think that a man who votes against a flagrant wrong

There is a day after to-day, and the votes of the men who stand up for righteousness to-day will count in all the future of this country—count a hundred times more than the votes of those who stifle their conscience to serve their party.

Contributions for this department are almost a failure this week on account of the extra demand upon our time since the HERALD's last issue.

The votes cast for St. John Nov. 4th in the county, State and Nation show that the temperance workers have every reason to feel encouraged with the growth of the public sentiment in our favor. Continue your work by subscribing for temperance papers and sending for temperance literature to distribute among your friends.

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Yours, Truly, S. PEPSON.

222 Alexander Avenue.

Mr. Pepson is one of Albany's old and respected residents, and consents to the publication of the above letter.

Dr. David Kennedy, Physician and Surgeon, Rondout, N. Y.

WANTED ON SALARY.—Ten lady and gentlemen canvassers to introduce the new and popular work, "Golden Treasures of a World of Knowledge." Liberal salaries to competent agents. Apply at once or address F. W. CORBET, at Exchange Hotel, Tecumseh, Mich.

LOST—In the village on Saturday evening, July 19, one red morocco pocket book with rubber band, containing amount of money, &c. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to James Colvin, or to HERALD OFFICE.

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In suits and overcoats we have taken great pains in selecting this stock and we can show some elegant designs, and our low prices will astonish you.

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At $4.97 Russian Circulars, fur trimmed, worth $8.50.
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MRS. C. M. WEBSTER.

FOR SALE.—House and lot on Bidwell street will be sold very cheap. Apply at once to
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G. P. SPARKS.

DISSOLUTION.—The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of L. Herning & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The market business will hereafter be conducted by F. Herning, who will collect all amounts due the old firm and pay all debts contracted by them.
L. HERNING.
F. HERNING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 27, 1884.

NOTICE.—Came into my enclosure about Oct. 20, 1884, one large black sow. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take the same away.
JOSEPH TILDEN.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 29th, 1884.

BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the Griffiths shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Interfering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection. W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

SEED POTATOES.—Pure Early Rose, Clark's No. 1, White Star, St. Patrick, White Elephant and Mammoth Pearl. For sale at reasonable prices. ABNER WILSON.

CIDER APPLES WANTED.—Cash for cider apples at J. B. Hause & Bros.' mill, at Clinton. We take our apples by weight, 50 lbs. per bush. J. B. HAUSE & BRO.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses. SLAYTON & SON.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer. A. A. KENNEDY.

Edwin B. Wood made a gallant run for Judge of Probate, and he certainly deserved to succeed. Had his friends in other localities done as well as they did in Tecumseh he would have been elected.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly

THERE are three articles in the November number which render it one of the most interesting yet issued. "Money Panics," by Richard B. Kimball, L.L.D., traces the history of panics from that of 1866 in London, to that of May, 1884, in New York; and Charles Gayarre relates the particulars of "Washington's Surrender at Fort Necessity," in 1754—both articles are finely illustrated. The third feature is the commencement of a thrilling serial story by Mr. Garrett Walker, of New Orleans, entitled "The Death Mark." The author is blind and paralized, and yet with beautiful cheerfulness and energy supports himself upon his writings, which he dictates.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Nov. 3, 1884.

At this regular session the Council convened at the regular hour.

Present the entire Council, except Mr. Sparks.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Committee on finance request to report later in the session.

REPORT OF OFFICERS.

The Street Commissioner filed his report in writing for the month of October, 1884. The amount worked reported as follows: Team work 14 days; hand labor 30 days, 5 hours. Report accepted and placed on file.

Report of Sexton of Tecumseh Cemtery for the months of Sept. and Oct. 1884:

Interments, four. (4.)

Cemetery lots sold the same months accompanied by Treas, receipt:

Wm. Snedicor, Lot 56, Block Y, cash.....$20 00
H. Baker, Lot 15, Block C, cash $10,50, note one year at 7 per cent per annum $39,50 50 00

NEW BUSINESS.

The following claims were presented and referred to the finance committee, to wit:

W. C. Jordan 21½ days labor on streets	$42 00
V. Cook, labor	3 25
George Derby, labor	3 75
Chas. H. Bartholomew, labor	3 75
Robt. McGill, labor	1 88
Dell Packard, labor on bridges	1 00
Wm. Brown, labor	$10 00
Wm. Kyle, work on bridge	3 00
Wm. C. Jordan, freight on oil	2 00
S. C. Stacy, printing Cemetery Deeds	3 00
Robt. Orr, mason work, cemetery office	5 00
M. I. Wilcox, 5 bbls oil	22 23
Jas. Moir, Marshal service, side walks	3 75

Petition of Oliver Sanford and others for a side walk along east line of Maiden Lane from the south line of Kilbuck street to the north line of Cummins street. Referred to Com. streets.

A Petition from Abby I. North and others, on motion, was laid on the table.

Reconsidering the order of report of the Finance committee.

The Finance committee report recommending the payment of the following claims, to wit:

American Fire Hose Co. bill rendered	$453 00
Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.	29 72
W. C. Jordan, street com. ser. to date	42 00
V. Cook	3 25
George Derby	3 75
Chas. H. Bartholomew	3 75
Robt. McGill	1 88
Wm. Brown	10 00
Dell Packard	1 00
Wm. Kyle	3 00
S. C. Stacy	3 00
W. C. Jordan, freight	2 00
Robt. Orr	5 00
M. I. Wilcox	22 23

Report accepted, adopted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts.

Marshal requested further time to report. On motion, time was granted.

On further motion the Council adjourned.

G. W. MARSDEN,
Recorder pro tem.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 6, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The melancholy days have come.

Splendid weather to gather corn.

The cold water brigade fought nobly.

The Democrats had their war paint on.

The Butler vote did not meet expectations.

Capt. Romeyn is at home on a few days furlough.

Chas. Eldredge, of Dundee, was on our streets last Tuesday.

Sumner Collins, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Macon friends.

The wheelbarrow bets, as well as other bets, can be paid now.

Joe Turner voted in Milan and spent Tuesday afternoon in Tecumseh.

The Republicans fought heroically but they could not hold the fort.

Dan Seamen, of Franklin, is putting a new roof on his dwelling house.

Whitmore will be the next sheriff, and he will make a good one too.

A change of programme is announced by the Acme company for to-night.

Both political parties had big blowouts at Adrian on Monday evening.

Last Tuesday was a genuine old fashioned election day, rain and wind in plenty.

Salsbury ran like a thoroughbred, but he has been over the track before and knows how.

We are in hopes the clerk of the weather will do a little better by us now election is over.

B. L. Baxter came down from Lansing last Saturday and remained at home long enough to vote.

Dr. Howell "gets there" by a small majority, but Mr Holdridge made a fine run against heavy odds.

It seems to be a drawn battle in this county, but the Democrats and Nationals did a good day's work.

Don't fail to visit the Dime Museum at the Opera House to-night. An entertainment for ladies and children.

The Democrats of Lenawee County did nobly, although they would have been gratified if they had done better.

Kelly, Hoxie & Co., of Holloway, are having a good trade this fall, notwithstanding the complaint of dull times.

Dr. Begel, of Holloway, has a nice little drug store, and is becoming a fixture in that burg. He desires a good patronage.

When the democrats arose Tuesday and greeted a stormy morning, they put on their waterproofs and took courage. A rainy day is always a God-send for them.

James S. Gilman has moved his family to Holloway, where he has lately started a harness shop. He seems to be well satisfied with the business outlook there.

James Boyd, of Franklin, lost a valuable horse last Sunday. This is the second horse he has lost within three weeks, and it is a serious damage to him as it breaks up his team.

Col. and Mrs. Saviers, of St. Louis, Mich., were in town over Sunday, having been called here by the death of the Colonel's aged mother, who died last week upon the old farm in Franklin.

The Allen Brothers, of Cambridge, attended several fairs this fall with their trotting stock. Beside the home fairs, they have taken in those at Hillsdale and Wauseon, Ohio. They had a successful season, and added to the reputation of their horses.

Having business in Cambridge the other day, we stopped for dinner at Geo. Dunnis'. Found him and the family all at home and the old farm right side up with care. He had fine crops of wheat and corn this fall, and is fatting a large lot of hogs.

Dr. J. W. Keeny, one of the oldest residents of Franklin, died very suddenly last Sunday night. He was in Tecumseh Saturday apparently as well as usual, and attended a funeral in Franklin on Sunday. His death is supposed to have been caused by heart decease. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

The Acme Dime Comedy Company, which is filling a six day's engagement at the Opera House this week, is an excellent troupe and deserves the patronage of the public. It is not a mere novelty company, but a good strong theatrical troupe. Their plays are first class and are finely presented, and yet the admission is placed at a remarkbly low figure and they draw a crowd.

Adrian Record: Two supporters of the two leading parties were overheard last night in a vigorous dispute as to the merits of the different processions. Said one partisan: Why, it took us four hours to pass a certain point up here, jerking his thumb over his shoulder in the direction of the "hill." "Yes, I know it," said the other, "but that point was a gin mill or you would have passed it in ten minutes." His opponent subsided.

Milan now has a Union depot. The thing was accomplished last week.

The Saline Cornet Band will furnish music at the Skating Rink to-night.

Good sleighing in some parts of the northern end of the lower peninsula.

The quality of Winter apples is reported, not so good as in former years.

Buckwheat flour has put in an appearance and the scratching has began.

J. A. Wheeler of Canandaigua, N. Y., was the guest of H. M. Temple over Sunday.

The M. & O. company has just completed a depot, elevator and freight house at Augusta.

Lute Bates has purchased the dray business of Wm. Smallidge, and will hereafter hold himself in readiness to do your toteing.

Ed. Anglim, of Adrian has been made district deputy of the Knights of Pythias for the district comprising Lenawee, Hillsdale and Washtenaw divisions.

Henry Smith will not have to buy more than half the usual amount of fuel for the coming year. He has built a high board fence around his coal and wood yard.

There were quite a number of our leading merchants and their families at the dime museum last evening.—Change of programme to-night. It is a fifty cent show for ten cents.

Col. S. D. Curtis, of Washington D. C. arrived in town last Saturday. He came home to vote; his legal residence being in Clinton. Having exercised the right of an American citizen he will return to his official duties next Saturday.

There will be a social dance at Exelby's Hall, Britton, on Thursday evening, Nov. 27. Music by Dundee W. A. F. orchestra. John Britton and Joseph Mellon, floor managers. Henry Knowles and D. R. Wiggins are the proprietors, and the bill, including supper, is only $1.25.

Adrian Press: John Swift, of Clinton, enlisted some eight or ten years ago in the regular army. He was supposed to be dead, as no one had heard from him since. Last week, however he proved that the battle of life was to the Swift, in his case, and surprised a large number of acquaintances by appearing at his old home.

Everybody should make a careful examination of their stove pipes and chimneys and see that the joints are all tight, and partitions and floors through which the stove pipes pass are well protected from the fire. A fire upon the windy days of last week would have been very disastrous, and a great public and private calamity might be prevented by the exercise of a little individual care and prudence.

The Coldwater, Marshall & Mackinaw railway company has this week transferred the old road bed north from this city, consisting of eighty-seven miles, to the new Toledo, Marshall and Northern company, with the express understanding that the new road shall be built within a specified time. The new road will strike the F. & P. M. road at a point not yet decided upon. Operations, it is expected, will soon begin.

Adrian Record: Farmers predict an open winter because the husks on the corn are thin. Too thin! We've heard that before. The husks on the tramp are thin too, but that has been proved not to denote an open winter. Then we hear that the muskrats are utterly neglecting to build their houses. O, yes. They neglected to build their houses last winter, and we didn't buy much coal. The thermometer went to 40 below and coal up to $8 a ton. Could have got it for $6.75 early in the season except for the muskrats. Blast the "muskrats!"

Adrian Record: Saturday evening Mrs. Joseph Emery and daughter, Frankie, returned from Detroit over the Wabash, where they have been visiting for some time past, and repaired to the Lawrence house for tea, and immediately after supper departed for their rooms over Carey's dry goods store. They had not been home very long when Mrs. Howard Sickles called to spend the evening. About 10 P. M. Mr. Sickles arrived for the purpose of accompanying his wife home, and on entering the apartments Mr. S. found the rooms filled with gas, which had escaped from a square coal stove, and at once remarked that such a thing was very dangerous and hastened to raise the windows and open the doors for fresh air. After this was done it was found that all three ladies had become unconscious from the fumes of the escaped gas. Steps were at once taken for the restoration of the unfortunates. Everything was done that could be. Stimulants were freely used, and a messenger dispatched for Dr. Allen, who arrived a few minutes later, and in course of an hour or so they were out of danger. The ladies are to be congratulated on their recovery, for it is an undisputed fact that they had a very narrow escape from death. This goes to show that we cannot be too careful as regards the safety of our coal stoves at all times. Whole families have been known to be suffocated from coal gas in one night.

The grass is as green as in June.

Mrs. Lucy Williamson of Tecumseh visited in Brooklyn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Coder of Norvell, made Tecumseh friends a short call yesterday.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M., Friday evening, Nov. 14th. Work in 3rd. degree.

James Lowry, Tecumseh's popular Grocer, has a new card in the HERALD this week, to which we invite attention.

Charley Cone, of the Adrian Press, came over to attend the democratic meeting on Thursday and remained two days with his friends.

The amount of money to be raised by tax next year for county and State purposes, is $103,000, which is $20,000 less than that for the present year.

Charley Arnold, who formerly resided in Tecumseh, won the gold-headed cane at the Catholic fair which was in progress at Adrian last week.

A chipmunk lied for lodging at the house of John Grey, in Clinton, and being accommodated he went away in the morning taking Mr. Grey's watch.

The county complete with Riga to hear from, gives Geddes a majority over Wood of about 100. The indications are that Geddes' majority will be just about one hundred.

Miss Manie Monaghan is at home a few days on a visit. She expects to go to Kansas City, Mo., in about two weeks and will probably spend the winter with her sister, Janie Monaghan.

Detroit Journal: It is to be hoped that when the polls close to-day whatever the result may be, the people will do away with an October election and the consequent corruption that disgraced Ohio.

John R. Clark will deliver his celebrated lecture "To and Fro in London" at Adrian Tuesday evening, Nov. 11th, South Haven, Thursday, Nov. 13th. Kalamazoo, Wednesday, Nov. 12th, and at Galesburgh, Friday, Nov. 14th.

Our citizens should not fail to attend the Acme Comedy Company's entertainments at the Opera House, every evening this week. They are good and well worthy of a liberal patronage. Matinee Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The season of the year has arrived when the farmer who did not destroy the weeds can now look on and see the wind blow the seed over the farmer's land, who took great pains to see that no weeds escaped his notice. Is it right?

Advertisers will find it economy in the end, if instead of scattering handbills, they keep a standing advertisement in the newspapers. The bills are hastily looked over and soon destroyed, while the papers enter nearly every family each week, the advertisements thus being kept constantly before the public.

Mr. W. T. B. Schermerhorn, Jr., of Hudson, is a student at Oberlin college. Having been reared in a newspaper office he finds it impossible to refrain from the business; and he has, accordingly, commenced the publication of the "College Programme." The publication not only contains the regular programme of the college entertainments, but a nice assortment of literary refreshments as well.

A serious accident happened to Mr. Will Richardson, at the Springville cider mill. The heavy pressure of apples piled in the chamber caused the floor to break through, crushing Mr. Richardson, who happened to be beneath, breaking his right arm and dislocating the left shoulder. Dr. Vaughan was immediately called, who rendered the needed aid, and the patient is said to be quite comfortable considering the nature of his injuries.

Brooklyn Exponent:—The Silver Lake drain in Woodstock is destined to drain a very nice section of country and is intended to lower the lake about four feet. It will do a great deal of permanent good, enhancing the value of the land that it drains. The drain is being pushed rapidly to completion under the supervision of Jack McCourtie, one of the ablest drain commissioners in Jackson county; which taking into consideration the technicalities of the new law, implies a great deal, but Mr. M. is fully deserving of the compliment.

Adrian Press: Mr. Hannibal Osborn of Franklin, may not vote for Mosher for congress, but he will call Tom Mosher, of Springville, "papa" just the same, for Oct. 22d., he wedded Mr. Mosher's daughter, Miss Rachel, for whom he had waited, lo these seven years. It has been a mystery to us why some of those wide-awake young Cambridge chaps permitted Miss Rachel to go along life's pathway so long alone, but we are inclined to believe the lady had a word to say about it herself, or else Hannibal, like his great namesake of old, proved to be the great general destined to make the attack and compel a capitulation. Well, it makes but little difference for he finds a noble good wife with plenty of energy and no nonsense, and we congratulate both upon the result of their deliberations.

THE RESULT AT HOME.

The election in Tecumseh passed off quietly, although there was a large attendance at the polls during the entire day, and a very heavy vote was polled. The vote cast was 75, being the largest ever polled in the town since Clinton was set off into a separate township. We give below the exact vote on every candidate. The candidate first named is fusion, the second republican, and the third prohibition.

Cleveland electors	327	
Butler "	26	338
Blaine "	339	
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Governor:		
Josiah W. Begole	342	
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Lieut. Governor:		
Matthew H. Maynard	352	
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Auditor General:		
George P. Sanford	350	
William C. Stevens	339	
Orrien E. Downing	85	
Com. State Land Office:		
John H. Dennis	350	
Minor S. Newell	340	
William W. Barcus	85	
Attorney General:		
Frances W. Cook	350	
Moses Taggart	340	
John H. Tatem	85	
Supt. Public Instruction:		
David Parsons	348	
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Horace Holdridge	354	
George Howell	335	
George Humphrey	84	
Judge of Probate:		
Edwin B. Wood	448	
Norman Geddes	264	
Edson G. Walker	61	
Sheriff:		
Ancil K. Whitmore	270	
William Jibb	321	
James K. Johnson	84	
County Clerk:		
David A. Bixby	354	
Cyrus T. Crandall	337	
William H. Moore	81	
Register of Deeds:		
Danforth Keyes	355	
Stillman W. Bennett	338	
Joseph A. Kempton	81	
County Treasurer:		
Edward Learnard	348	
Jay Hoag	344	
Charles D. West	80	
Prosecuting Attorney:		
Lester H. Salsbury	396	
Benjamin F. Graves	334	
Circuit Court Com.:		
S. Willard Beakes	344	
George W. Ayres	341	
Circuit Court Com.:		
James W. Helme, Jr.	343	
George L. Bennett	339	
County Surveyor:		
Philip H. Dowling	343	
James Blair	340	
Charles E. Mitchell	81	
County Coroner:		
Wanton G. Smith	343	
Norton H. Bailey	353	
Harlow H. Seaver	340	
Joseph R. Bennett	340	
Ira Ladd	81	
Myron W. Sweet	81	

FARMERS CLUB.

Friday afternoon, October 24th, the farmer's social club met at the residence of Austin G. Hall, in the central part of Raisin. Although it was a cold raw day, there was a good attendance of members and quite a number of visiting farmers who seemed to feel quite an interest in the proceedings. After spending the usual time in visiting, the meeting was called to order by the President, and the Program was well carried out.

Mrs. Horton read a good selection entitled Imagination. Mrs. F. C. Rector read an essay which was well received, entitled Wonder Why Girls will Read, or, Love Lightens Labor. Mr. A. G. Hall read a selection, How to Cure a Sheep-killing Dog, which, (modus operandi) was very effective. As Mr. Richard was not present, the club was disappointed in not having an essay from his able pen. The discussion of the question, "The Feeding and care of Stock for Profit," was very able, and was participated in by nearly all the farmers present. Mr. E. L. Russell led the discussion. Said if it would pay to raise stock at all, thought it would pay the best to feed so as to keep growing from the time they were dropped until they were fully matured or were sold for the shambles. Thought mill-feed would pay well to feed milch cows in connection with corn-meal, as the meal is too heavy alone. Believe that the cost of raising cattle would approximate 10cts. per day from the time the calf was dropped until they were 2 or 3 years old.

Mr. F. C. Rector would feed so as to keep his cattle growing from the first until he wanted to fatten. Could not tell the best way of fattening for profit. Had tried the Western mode of feeding corn without husking, with good results. Had tied up 14 acres of corn this fall to feed his steers this winter. Said it was a great saving in labor, and thought he got just as good results. Fed his steers all they would eat up clean. Thought the best time to dispose of pigs was in March or April. Sold about half of his in the Spring of '82 at 4½cts. per lb. Sold the balance in the Fall at 7cts. Those sold in the Spring netted him the most clean cash.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie makes his calves gain 50lbs. per month from the time they are dropped until they are two years old, when he fattens them. Raises his calves on skimmed milk with cornmeal and oilmeal. Feeds the meal dry and as soon as he can get them to eat it. Converts all his coarse grain and feed into pork and beef. Thought he had often lost money by not selling his pigs in the Spring as usually they brought about one-third more at that time than in the Fall, which would more than offset what they would gain in weight.

Mr. Fisher can't afford to feed his grain whole. Thinks it a great mistake. Says we can't compete with the west the staple crop is corn, so we must economize in every way we can. Keeps his steers until three years old. Has no trouble in making them weigh 1600 lbs. Generally gets 6cts per lb. for such weights. Begins to think that sheep husbandry don't pay as they graze too close, especially in these dry summers.

Mr. Benedict thought the farmers would make the most profit by fitting for market at all times, so as to take advantage of the market any time they choose.

After partaking of a bountiful repast prepared by our generous hostess the club adjourned to meet again in three weeks, Nov. 14th, evening, at the residence of Mr. F. C. Rector.

PROGRAM FOR NEXT MEETING.

Music.
Select Reading—Mrs. R. B. Gillespie.
Inst. Music—Kitt Griswold.
Essay—Emma Schreder.
Declamation—Garland Gillespie.
Music.
Question—Does it pay to raise Poultry for profit?

Auction Sale.

Wm. H. Allen will sell at auction 2½ miles northeast of Britton on Wednesday, Nov. 12, 1884, at 12 o'clock M., one two-year old colt, one mare with colt, 7 two-year-old steers, 3 yearlings, 1 poland boar, breeding sow, 65 good sheep, 2 milch cows, 3 plows, quantity corn stalks. Terms, 12 mo. with good indorsed notes. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

Look out for thieves. There is supposed to be a gang of them, well organized within a few miles of us.

—We are headquarters for Picture Frames and Pictures at
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—Buckwheat Flour.—Choice new Buckwheat Flour at
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—Go to Adams' Novelty Store for Toys and Fancy Goods.

—Go to Arnold's Bakery for Taffy of all kinds. They manufacture it fresh daily.

—Gloves, Mittens and Woolen Hosiery at Adams' Novelty Store.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure of the New York Millinery, Adrian, will be at the Lilley House on Tuesday afternoon and evening for a few weeks, in sample Room No. 22, entrance on Rail Road street, with a line of Millinery Goods, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets; also, a stock of Hair Goods, Velvet hats and bonnets made over on all the new frames. Tips and plumes curled to look equal to new.

—Look at the new Hanging and Stand Lamps at Adams' Novelty Store.

—The best Taffy in town is that manufactured at Arnold's Star Bakery.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—All kinds of Taffy at the Star Bakery.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

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—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

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—Listen for the voice of the gong.
A. E. Kennedy.

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TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS, H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing, and General Machinery; also, Manufacturers of Tecumseh Plows. [illegible]

WM. DeMOYT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them $96,[illegible]. Total premiums received, $9,931,[illegible]. Excess of interest-receipts over all expenses of management, $[illegible]. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years have averaged by those of any other companies on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $15,500,000. Surplus over four per cent Reserve, $3,[illegible].

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"Alem Grim, of Vail, Iowa, writes: "Athlophoros has helped me much. The pain in my hips is all gone, but some lameness is left yet, and well there might be, for I have been troubled for thirty-five years with Rheumatism."

Mrs. A. B. Baker, of Chicago,

Had rheumatic pains in her back for fifteen years,

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However Great your Disappointments

Try Athlophoros

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express paid, on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle. We prefer that you buy it of your druggist, but if he hasn't it, do not be persuaded to try something else, but order at once from us as directed.

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"In 1857 I took an severe cold, which affected my lungs. I had a terrible cough, and passed blood night and almost slept. Thought it was the end. I tried AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which relieved my lungs, induced sleep, and afforded me the rest necessary for the recovery of my strength. By the continued use of the PECTORAL a permanent cure was effected. I am now 76 years old, have good health, and am satisfied your CHERRY PECTORAL saved me."

BENJAMIN F. BROTHER."
Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last week my little boy became very ill, [illegible] croup; it seemed as if he would die in a few minutes. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was given, and all immediately was well. We thought it was the timely use of the PECTORAL that saved our child's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,

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1[illegible] West 128th St., New York, May 16, 1882.

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[illegible], Miss., April 5, 1882.

"[illegible] enough in praise of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. [illegible] I feel that I owe my life to it. I would long ago have died from lung troubles. F. BRADSON."
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Teaching a Calf to Drink.

Many a reader, man as well as boy, will recognize the truthfulness and enjoy the humor of the following description of experience in giving the calf its first lessons of how to drink properly. We take it from the *Irish Farmers' Gazette*: Those who have had the mournful experience know that there is nothing more trying to the temper than the operation of teaching a young calf to drink. The process is familiar to every man who has brought up a calf from infancy: You seize a pail of warm milk, go into the stable, catch the calf by the ears, back him into a corner and bestride his neck. The idiot rather likes this and while you are reaching for the pail he employs his time in slobbering the corner of your jacket. You discover what the blockhead is about and get [illegible] You have help'd. You feel that way, and let him have it. But the calf can't tell for the life of him why he has been struck, and he gives a sudden and unexpected "bounce." He believes he will go and stay on the other side of the stable, but he doesn't announce this beforehand. He starts on the impulse of the moment, and you can't tell just when he arrives there. You ride along with him a little way. But the laws of gravitation are always about the same. You keeps up with the calf for about a second, but your body doesn't. You slide over the calf, and your back kisses the floor. Your head is soaking in the pail of milk. When you get up you are mad—uncommonly so. Milk runs from your hair, and imprecations out of your mouth, and you solemnly declare that you will teach that calf to drink or break his neck. The calf doesn't know of this resolve, and he glares at you in a stupid fright across the stable. He was not aware that he was the cause of your downfall, and wonders ignorantly what is the matter. You don't try to explain it to him, but furiously catch him by the ears, look back over your shoulder at the milk pail, and back up toward it, dragging the calf after you. The calf is out of wind, and you haven't a particle of grace left in your heart. You are astride the calf's neck, and jamming the fingers of one hand into his mouth, you place the other on the back of his head and shove his nose into the pail, fully resolved to strangle him if he don't drink. The calf holds perfectly still—ominously so—and there is silence for the space of half a minute, at the end of which time the blockhead, who hasn't drank a drop, suddenly makes a splurge, knocks the pail over; you are again reduced to a horizontal from a perpendicular, and when you rise the excitement is intense. You have been soaked with milk, "slobbered" on, and hurt. Not a drop of milk has gone down the brute's throat, and there he stands glaring at you, ready to furnish you with another free ride wherever you want to go. With an affidavit you seize the pail, and hobble out of the pen, fully resolved to let the four-footed fool starve; and thus endeth the first lesson.

History of the Barber's Pole.

In the earlier days venesection was the chief resource of the expert called *in to relieve* the sick. So universal was blood-letting that he who lived by practising the arts of healing was called a "leech." The barber's shop furnished conveniences for practising blood-letting either by the lancet or the application of the leech, and the barber finally added this to the assumed duties of his profession. The appliances were a staff to support the arm, a cord to bind it, and a bowl to catch the flow of blood. These were usually displayed in front of the shop; the bandage being wound around the staff, the cord tied above it, and the metal bowl inverted on the top. After a while these were imitated by an artificial sign. A pole was at first fastened in the ground, wound with the bandage, and capped with the bowl. Then a painted strip of white was put on the pole in place of the linen, and a wooden cap of a metal color surmounted the solid staff. It was natural that the pole should be painted red not only to show the white stripe more plainly, but as suggestive of the use to be made of the bandage. The bowl became a ball, and the brass or pewter gave place to gold or silver-leaf. In some parts of the world the barber still retains his skill in venesection, but bleeding is now the rare exception in medical practice even in the heroic school for treating the sick. But where the barber is no longer a leech, the sign shorn of its significance, is still retained, and the stripes and gilt cap will mark the barber's pole we suppose to the end of time. Its use certainly antedates any complete historical record.—*Journal of Commerce.*

Too Many Farm Implements.

In the great Northwest, as hitherto in Kansas and Nebraska, the reckless purchase of farm machinery, and the failure to properly take care of it, is frequently noted. The new comer, because he can buy his reaper and other machines on credit, purchases freely, with the confident expectation that good crops will enable him to discharge his obligations; but if the crops are not so good, and he is unable to sell as much as he expected, he frequently gets in a close spot financially. Perhaps he has no building beyond a stable for his horses. Boards are expensive. He leaves his machinery in an open lot, with no cover, exposed to all the changing weather. It often results that he can not pay for his machinery, and, furthermore, it is much damaged sooner or later. Do not go to the Western prairies to farm, unless you have enough money to pay for some machinery, and enough money to construct a proper shelter for it, after the season is over. It is an oft recurring and painful sight, as one rides over the prairie, to see these farm implements lying around loose in every direction.—*American Agriculturist.*

—There was really nothing the matter with the young orator but nervousness; nevertheless, when he opened his speech by saying, "My fello fitizens, rumthing is sotten in the Den of Statemark," his friends led him off the platform, and next morning published a physician's certificate to the effect that he was suffering from an acute attack of malarial cerebration.—*Burdette.*

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To permit yourself and family to
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With sickness when it can be prevented and cured so easily
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Having experienced a great deal of "Trouble!" from indigestion so much so that I came near losing my Life!

My trouble always came after eating any food—
however light
And digestible.

For two or three hours at a time I had to go through the most
Excruciating pains.
"And the only way I ever got"
"Relief!"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through until
I was taken
So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!

My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain; their
Efforts were no good to me.
At last I heard a good deal
"About your Hop Bitters!"
And determined to try them.
Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of
One!
Next day I was out of bed and have not seen a
"Sick"
Hour, from the same cause since.
I have recommended it to hundreds of others. You have no such
"Advocate as I am."—Geo. Kendall, Allston, Boston, Mass.

Columbus Advocate, Texas, April 21, 1883. Dear Editor:—I have tried your Hop Bitters, and find they are good for any complaint. The best medicine I ever used in my family.—H. TALKNER.

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The Proper Way.

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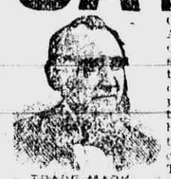
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Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Tecumseh	7 26 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 19 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	5 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 19	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 00
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	.....
BUTLER	2 40	5 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	5 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 08
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 39	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
7 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 26	4 48
7 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
7 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
7 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
8 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
8 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
8 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
8 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
8 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
8 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
8 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
8 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
8 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
9 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
9 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 45
9 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
9 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
9 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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Passenger Time Table.

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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 34 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A....Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
7 20	9 00	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
7 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
7 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 50	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 12		2 50	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 37		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Dexter	11 52		5 52
8 08		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5.50		
A. M.		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

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An Englishman's Night.

Mr. George Lansing, brother of Lord Bencove, came to America some time ago with a party of capitalists, and joined in an enterprise to purchase large tracts of pine lands in Arkansaw. Mr. Lansing, before he met any of the squatters, wrote many amusing letters home concerning them, for, being an Englishman, he imagined that he knew much of these people, and did not think that personal contact with them would extend the already broad territory of his knowledge. He knew a number of English lords, in which he always "wound the squatter up," but he is wiser now.

Several days ago he set out on an expedition to visit a tract of land lying among the hills in a part of the country which had not been viewed by the members of the company. It was suggested that Mr. Lansing should be accompanied by some one who knew the country, but he hooted at the idea, wise owl, and declared that a man who had held his own in the jungles of India, was eminently able to take care of himself anywhere in a bloody American State.

Leaving after Mr. Lansing had gained a rough and rainy populated district, he was overtaken by a rain storm. In vain he sought shelter. Darkness came on, and missing the road, which had narrowed down to a mere bridle-path, he wandered around in the woods, alternately choked by grape-vines and sawed by green-briars. The lurid lightning illustrated the sulphurous imprecations which he called down upon the American Government, and as he lost his hat and was struck on the forehead by his horse, who threw up his head to avoid a briar, he shook his damp hand at the blackness above, and in a loud oath, questioned the purity of our institutions. At last he saw a light glimmering faintly among the dripping trees and tangled underbrush. Slowly guiding his horse in the direction whence came the welcome gleam, he at last reached a low rail fence, surrounding a small log house. Mr. Lansing shouted.,

"Hello, yerself!" exclaimed a voice, as a man poked his head from the door.

"Who lives here?"

"I do."

"Of course. What is your name?"

"What's your name?"

"George Lansing. Does Simon Butt live here?"

"Not at present."

"Where does he live?"

"Don't know."

"Did he ever live here?"

"No."

"Then why do you say 'not at present?'"

"'Cause he don't live here at present."

"My friend, I am wet and—"

"Must 'uv been out in the rain?"

"Yes, I was in all of that heavy shower."

"No, yer wa'n't."

"I say I was."

"I say yer wa'n't." Some o' that shower fell here, an' I know yer wa'n't here when it fell. Good night," closing the door.

"Say, there!" called the Englishman.

"Wall?" opening the door.

"I sa I am wet and—"

"Must 'uv been out in the rain."

"And I'm hungry."

"Didn't had nuthin' to eat, mebby."

"I'd like to stay here until morning."

"All right, help yerself," closing the door.

"Hello, there!" cried the Englishman.

"Hello, yerself!" again opening the door.

"Look here, my good fellow."

"One o' the best fellers yer ever seed."

"Glad to hear it. I am wet—"

"Must 'uv been out in the rain."

"I don't want any of your blasted foolishness, you know. I want to come in."

"All right, never said yer couldn't."

The floor of the little room seemed to be covered with children, and from a bed in a corner a head with long hair protruded. The squatter raked the chunks together—those people always keep a fire, winter and summer—and the cheerful blaze, shooting up the spacious "stack" chimney, invited the stranger to take off his coat and hold his steaming hands out to feel the warmth.

"How far is it to Simon Butt's?"

"Young Simon or old Simon?"

"Either one, I suppose."

"Wall, they live about a mile apart. Old Simon lives on one hill an' young Simon lives on t'other."

"But how far from here?"

"Yer know whar the spout spring is?"

"No."

"Wall, that's bad, fur it's the best water in the curmunity."

"Does Mr. Butt live near the spring?"

"Yo ho, old Simon?"

"Yes."

"Wall, he don't live as close to it as young Simon does."

"How can I find the spring?"

"By goin' to young Simon's."

"But how can I find young Simon's?"

"By goin' to the spring."

"See here, old man, I have fooled with you long enough."

"Thank the Lord," said the squatter's wife, nervously jerking her tangled hair. "Wish yer would git through with yer transaushun an' let a body git some sleep. Tildy, if yer don't keep them hoofs still I'll make yer think yer air pizened."

"Can I lie down here on the floor and sleep?"

"Don't know, podner. Yer oughter know what ye ken do."

"May I, then?"

"Yes, yer may, then or now; it makes no difference."

The Englishman was soon asleep. Early in the morning he was awakened by a "splutter" of hot grease from the frying-pan.

"If yer don't want ter git burnt, git 'round," said the old lady. He stirred around, and soon discovered that he was only a few hundred yards from his destination.

"Why didn't you tell me it was so near?" exclaimed Mr. Lansing.

"Why didn't yer ax?" replied the squatter. "Yer kep' on wantin' ter know how far it was but didn't ax how near. Sich is life. Ye oughter learn how to talk fore yer leave home. Wall, yer good mornin'."—*Olive P. Read, in Drake's Magazine.*

Sir Christopher Wren.

A painter may paint what he will; a sculptor may model what he will; a musician may compose and a poet may write whatever each sees to be best, but an architect can go no further than his clients will follow him. He may make drawings, indeed, but the drawing of an unexecuted building does not even show that it would have been possible to execute it—much less that it would have been satisfactory at all points within and without. Just as a painter's work is a picture, and no the mere outline for a picture; just as a sculptor's work is a statue, and not the mere sketch on paper for a statue; so, but even more thoroughly and emphatically, an architect's work is a building, and not the mere plan or view of a building. His productions, then, it is always in the power of others to influence to an extent beyond that to which the productions of most other artists can be subjected, and the fact will have its weight in any criticism of architecture that means to be fair and just. It is easy to illustrate this from Wren's own practice. Nothing in his parish churches, perhaps, impresses common observers more unpleasantly than the pewing. The worshipers are boxed up in rooms within a room; the height and heaviness and discomfort of the pews are proverbial, and for all these things Wren popularly gets the blame. Yet he is so far from deserving it, that he records his earnest wish to have had benches instead of pews; "but," he says, "there is no stemming the tide of profit, nor the advantage of the pew keepers." We see in Wren, then, a designer of the modern period who was yet a true artist; a man who mastered his style, instead of being mastered by it—to whom it was always a means and never an end. We have seen in him a so-called classicist whose deepest thoughts were all non-classic, whose towers are full of Gothic spirit, and his plans of Eastern inventiveness. We have seen in him an architect deprived of nearly all aids to architecture, yet victorious, and a church builder to whom precedent was nothing and novelty nothing, but reasonableness, expressiveness, and beauty everything. Such was his work; what were his wages? Eng and treated Wren much as she treated Milton, and the price paid for St. Paul's is only worthy to be named with that for "Paradise Lost." The pamphleteers reviled him from their garrets; the great Sir Vistos of the period, who had dabbled in building and thought themselves better architects than Wren by at least £30,000 a year, maligned him when living and perhaps slandered him when dead. The salary he received would by itself hardly have kept him alive to do his work, and half of it was stopped for years by act of Parliament, "thereby to encourage him," so the clause run, "to finish the same with the utmost diligence and expedition." It is the sort of encouragement which in this country artists of all kinds have frequently met with, but Wren's achievements had been so great that it was ultimately felt he deserved something more. He was therefore turned out of the Crown Surveyorship, after more than fifty years' service, without pension or thanks, and his appointment given to one Benson, who is deservedly immortalized in the "Dunciad."—*Contemporary Review.*

Mechanics in Education.

Seeing and feeling are two senses which are more important in aiding to a knowledge of our surroundings than any others, and yet their education is generally neglected until the possessor begins to learn something of mechanics. By mechanics in this connection is intended any attempt to contrive, put together, manufacture or change by manipulation, so that a woman who contrives and fashions a dress out of the unformed and plain material may be a mechanic. The use of mechanical tools cannot be begun too early in life, whether the pupil is to be a practical mechanic or to follow some other calling—there are few vocations that do not demand for success some practical knowledge of mechanics. "The whittling Yankees" possibly owe much of their undisputed position as inventors and good mechanics to the habit of using a pocket knife. A very prominent inventor and superior mechanic recently remarked that the best of his taste as a mechanic was undoubtedly given by his schoolmaster, who was a carpenter and joiner, and who worked at his trade in summer and taught the district school in winter. If a boy did not possess a foot rule, he made one for him from a shingle, or constructed an inch scale. The foot rule and a pocket knife he considered necessary to a school-boy's outfit, and he encouraged his pupils to estimate dimensions by the eye and then verify them by measurement. Wind wheels and water mills were parts of the pedagogue's training, and the click-clack of the one or the other could be heard all about the school house and on the borders of the brook in an adjoining field. Vanes cut from pine boards, toy ships, bird houses, bows and arrows, pudding sticks, and most of the toys used by boys forty years ago were made by the schoolmaster's boys under his direction. To day, besides the prolific inventor named, there are one superintendent of a railroad company, one bridge builder, one Superintendent of a large manufactory, and two architects to be counted from memory who probably received their bent for mechanics from the carpenter schoolmaster.

All these lead lives of usefulness as they are producers, adding to the wealth and comfort of the country and the people; and nothing in their observation education makes them less valuable as members of society. One of our most distinguished pulpit orators was a blacksmith, and many men who are noted for their eminence in literature, divinity, law, medicine, and as educators have had a mechanical training.—*Scientific American.*

These are Solid Facts.

The best blood purifier and system regulator ever placed within the reach of suffering humanity, truly is Electric Bitters. Inactivity of the Liver, Biliousness, Jaundice, Constipation, Weak Kidneys, or any disease of the urinary organs, or whoever requires an appetizer, tonic or mild stimulant, will always find Electric Bitters the best, and only certain cure known. They act surely and quickly, every bottle guaranteed to give entire satisfaction or money refunded. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

The greatest distance ever ridden on a bicycle without dismounting is said to be 230 miles 400 yards. The feat was accomplished in London in 1880.

Time Tried.

Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which combines the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. It cures promptly, thoroughly and permanently, all coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, bronchitis, hoarseness, incipient consumption, and all throat and lung diseases leading to the lungs; safe and pleasant for children. Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free of Baker & Hall.

A fashionable New York barber told a reporter the other day that there are men who have worn wigs for years and their wives do not suspect it.

Hundreds of letters from those using Ayers Hair Vigor attest its value as a restorer of gray hair to its natural color. As a stimulant and tonic, preventing and often curing baldness, and cleansing and soothing the scalp, its use cannot be too strongly recommended.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

A Brooklyn clergyman declares that "the eternal glory of heaven would be incomplete without a background of infinite woe to set it in relief."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

A little act of kindness, like presenting a bottle of ATHLOPHOROS to a friend, lifted him out of great agony and restored him to his place in the grand army of bread-winners. In writing for more of the "Great Rheumatic Remedy," Mr. Wm. J. Mosher, 24 Elizabeth St., E., Detroit, Mich., says: "Obtained a bottle of Athlophoros through a friend. Tried it for my Rheumatism and received great benefit."

Thirty thousand patents were issued last year in great Britain, against only 20,000 in this country. Our inventors must bestir themselves.

Something for all the Preachers.

Rev. H. H. Fairall, D. D., editor of the Iowa Methodist, says editorially, in the November (1883) number of his paper, "We have tested the merits of Ely's Cream Balm, and believe that, by a thorough course of treatment, it will cure almost every case of catarrh. Ministers, as a class, are afflicted with head and throat troubles, and catarrh seems more prevalent than ever. We cannot recommend Ely's Cream Balm too highly." Not a liquid nor a snuff. Applied to nostrils with the finger.

Two men at work on Beech Mountain, near Forestburg, N. Y., killed 51 rattlesnakes, ranging from 18 inches to 4 feet in length.

Doctors and Churches.

Hundreds of doctors who have visited Speer's Vineyards during the wine making season say his Wines have proved to be pure, unadulterated, of fine flavor and tonic properties and unsurpassed for their restorative powers; they prescribe them as very superior wines. The Churches in New York and Brooklyn use the Port for their communion. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

There are still living in Rochester, N. Y., 69 persons who voted at the first charter election, fifty years ago.

Extract from Letter.

"In the winter of 1877 8, I was confined to the house 3 or 4 months and to the bed 4 weeks with Rheumatism. I could get no relief. I began using Henry & Johnson's Arnica & Oil Liniment, and in ten days by the use of half a bottle I was cured. Nathan Jewett, East Haddam, Ct."

Baxter's Mandrake Bitters cure all diseases arising from billiousness. N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixir cures Coughs, Colds and Consumption.

A clay which can be utilized in the manufacture of putty has been discovered in Attala, Miss.

Catarrh.

Is a very prevalent and exceedingly disagreeable disease, liable if neglected, to develop into serious consumption. Being a constitutional disease, it requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, effecting a radical and permanent cure of catarrh in every its most severe forms. Made only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Melon brandy is the newest drink. It was discovered by a Frenchman, and is said to be a potent and seductive liquid, a little stronger than applejack.

Attention, Farmers!

Rubber Market

DEMORALIZED.

Prices Down!

Men's Boston Rubber Boots,

$2.75. $2.75.

Pure Gum Boots,

$3.25. $3.25.

Star Shoe Company.

New Store, New Goods,

LOW PRICES.

Having opened our Magnificent New Store, we desire to call the attention of the

PEOPLE OF TECUMSEH

And vicinity to our Mammoth Stock, which surpasses everything ever seen in Toledo.

Men's Clothing!

We are showing the most complete assortment of Men's Clothing ever offered in Northern Ohio, at prices beyond the reach of competition.

Mens', Boy's Youth's and Children's

SUITS.

Invoice after invoice of these goods have been received, until every available space in our large salesroom is completely filled with seasonable goods. Parents should consult their interests and pay us a visit before purchasing.

We are also showing large lines of

Fine and Heavy Overcoats!

At unusually low prices.

We invite your attention to our whole stock, believing an examination will insure your patronage.

J. L. & J. B. HUDSON,

189 & 191 Summit street,

TOLEDO. OHIO.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 6, 1884

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

HENRY B. TAYLOR, one of the foremost business men of Clinton, Ia., was found dead on the morning of the 20th ult. It is supposed he committed suicide.

TWO stables connected with the brewery of Henry Keuffel, in New York City, were destroyed by fire on the night of the 26th ult. Fifteen horses were burned to death.

THE old Schuyler mansion in Albany, N. Y., with the grounds attached, and the property of General Schuyler, of Revolutionary fame, was sold out in lots on the 29th ult. to a number of persons, for $29,845. It has been rated as worth $75,000. Within the mansion Millard Fillmore was married, and it was the scene of many exciting episodes prior to and during the Revolution.

THE *Reporter* building at Moundsville, W. Va., was destroyed by fire on the 29th ult. It is charged that it was set on fire by political enemies of the editor of the paper.

ONE of the blocks of buildings in Fayette City, Pa., was burned on the 29th ult. Loss $40,000.

AN inquest held on the body of Johanna Mefford, at Philadelphia a few days ago, developed a sad case of death from exposure and starvation. The deceased was the widow of George W. McCord, who was at one time a wealthy hatter in that city. He lost his money through speculations and died, leaving his wife destitute. After pawning the few articles of clothing she possessed, she gradually died of starvation and the effects of the cold.

HORACE DELAND, of Brookfield, N. H., aged about eighteen years, chained himself to a brush-heap near his father's house a few days ago and set the brush on fire, deliberately burning himself to death. His body was discovered the next day. A note was found directed to his parents, saying that he was tired of living. He gave no reason for the act, but it is thought to have been caused by unrequited love.

AMONG the exhibits of the Treasury Department at the New Orleans Exposition will be a fully equipped crew from the Life Saving Service, who will give practical illustrations of the way a wreck is handled, and the lives of a stranded crew saved.

THE new Spanish treaty with the United States abolishes the practice of levying consular tonnage dues in American ports, and promises reform in the Custom House and sanitary rules in the colonies.

A MAN named Spanbling, while working on a scaffold at Evansville, Ind., on the 30th ult., fell a distance of fifteen feet upon a picket fence. One of the pickets entered the body in the region of the pelvis. The stake was sawed off and the man taken to the hospital, where the wood remaining in his body was chipped out. He will not live.

THE lock-up at Edgerton, Wis., was destroyed by fire on the 28th ult. and an insane prisoner named Gunderson burned to death.

BEN HEFFNER, a farmer living near Westminster, O., on the 20th ult. shot and killed his wife, and tried to kill his son, daughter and daughter-in-law. He was arrested. It is thought he was insane.

BUSINESS failures reported throughout the United States and Canada during the week ended the 1st number in the United States 231, Canada 36; a total of 267, as against 278 the preceding week.

JAMES HAMBLIN, an ex-Surveyor of Shelby County, Ky., met his death in a store at Shelbyville on the 29th ult. by taking a dose of strychnine, mistaking it for morphine.

THE model of an apparatus for "lifting vessels over shoals," for which a patent was issued in 1849 to Abraham Lincoln, will form a portion of the Patent Office exhibit at the New Orleans Exposition.

EDWARD HAMMOND was instantly killed and a man named Clark severely injured by the bursting of a bomb, fired during the progress of a political parade at Peoria, Ill., one day last week.

Two iron roofers working on the great elevator at Duluth, Minn., fell one hundred feet from the side of the building to the floor below a few days ago. Both were smashed almost to a jelly, but lived about an hour in terrible agony. Their names were S. M. Turner and Charles Kohnsoha.

THE boiler of a steam thresher on the farm of Daniel Wentz, in Jackson township, Perry County, Ohio, exploded on the 30th ult., killing David Snyder. The barn was fired and consumed, with 3,000 bushels of grain and farming implements. Insured for only $1,700.

SEVEN inmates of the county jail at Beaver, Pa., escaped on the 31st ult. and at last accounts had not been recaptured.

THE coinage of the United States Mint at Philadelphia, for October was $1,411,000. This includes 1,300,000 silver dollars and 101,500 dimes.

IT is rumored that seventeen cattle thieves were recently lynched at Rock Creek, Colorado.

THE People's Bank, at Canton, Ill., owned by C. D. Colbitt, suspended on the 30th ult. Liabilities $100,000; assets estimated at $50,000.

A WHALE sixty feet long and six feet across the tail was found on the shore of Mosquito, St. George, Me., a few nights ago, and cut up and tried out.

THE Cattle Ranch Freehold Land Company of Texas, have issued a prospectus at London, which contemplates the acquirement and settlement of extensive estates in Texas. The capital stock is fixed at $250,000 in shares of five dollars each.

PETER FINKLE, famous during the old Anti-Rent troubles in New York as "Big Thunder," died at Schoharie, that State, on the 30th ult., aged seventy-five years. In 1844 he killed a man at a Sheriff's sale and was sent to State's prison for life, but was pardoned by Governor Young, who had been elected by the aid of the Anti-Renters. He claimed to have obtained the land he occupied by direct grant from the Indians, but was dispossessed by the Supreme Court, which held that the property belonged to the patroon, Stephen Van Rensselaer. Finkle had been in litigation over this land for thirty years.

GEORGE SMITH, on trial at Lancaster, Pa., for the murder of Henry Struck, on the 31st ult. pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree. Winfield Smith, indicted with his brother George for the same crime, was acquitted.

THE Coroner's jury in the Youngstown mine disaster at Uniontown, Pa., rendered a verdict on the 31st ult. that the men came to their death from an explosion of fire-damp, together with the effects of after-damp.

AT Shenandoah, Pa., on the 31st ult. Pat Carney was fatally stabbed by Charles Dougherty while endeavoring to prevent a fight between the latter and Dominick Hope.

THE 367th anniversary of the Reformation was celebrated by the Martin Luther Society in New York on the 31st ult. Addresses were made by Revs. S. A. Wikert and T. E. Roth.

WHILE George Krapasky, John Mallenwitz, and John Daghovich, Hungarians, were cutting coal in a mine breach near Centralia, Pa., on the 30th ult., a large rock fell, killing them.

THE Willow Springs Distillery, near Omaha, Neb., was damaged by fire to the extent of nearly $30,000 on the 1st. The fire nearly destroyed the elevator building and still-house, but the fire-fighting apparatus succeeded in preventing the destruction of the extensive establishment.

THE opening of the New Orleans Exposition has been postponed until the 10th of December.

THE daily production of the Pennsylvania oil fields increased 10,000 barrels during the month of October. This was caused entirely by the new Butler field with its phenomenal wells, the old wells being almost wholly neglected.

THE Canonsburg (Pa.) Iron Company struck a heavy gas vein on the 1st, which throws a flame fifty feet in height.

THE imports at the port of New York for seven days ended the 1st were $8,134,000, of which $3,631,000 were general merchandise, and $1,510,000 dry goods.

THE statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended November 1 shows the following changes: Loans increase, $40,000; specie decrease, $[illegible]; legal tenders increase, $115,000; deposits increase, $29,000; circulation, increase, $55,000; reserve increase, $[illegible]. The banks held $[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

MARY CLIFFORD, aged but two-and-a-half years, a daughter of Thomas L. Clifford, a merchant of Baltimore, Md., followed a servant into her father's room the other day and while the latter's back was turned [illegible] The domestic was startled at a sharp report and turning beheld the child lying on the floor with the smoking pistol in her hand. The ball had entered the cheek and lodged in the chin, killing her instantly.

AT Steubenville, Ohio, Flora Campbell, aged ten years, was left alone near a fire on the river bank on the night of the 2d, and it is supposed she fell asleep and her clothing caught fire and was burned to shreds. When rescued she was so terribly burned that death resulted in a few hours.

THE International Meridian Conference held its final meeting on the 1st. The minutes of the proceedings were submitted and approved, an official copy of which will be delivered to the Government of the United States, and will no doubt be made the basis of a treaty upon the resolution adopting the meridian of Greenwich for a universal initial meridian. Only one nation voted in the negative, San Domingo. France and Brazil abstained from voting.

EX-GOVERNOR FRANKLIN J. MOSES, of South Carolina, who was arrested at Detroit, Mich., several days ago for swindling, attempted suicide by hanging in the jail of that city. Timely discovery saved his life. Later he was brought into court, plead guilty to the charge of swindling, and sentenced to ninety days in the House of Correction.

During the progress of a church fair at Greencastle, Ind., a few days ago, where a shooting gallery was one of the attractions, a Flobert gun was being loaded when the weapon was accidentally discharged, fatally wounding Thomas Richards, a twelve-year-old boy.

N. D. COLBURN, the driver of a tea wagon for R. E. Landon, while driving home to Norwalk, Ohio, on the 1st when near that city was attacked by two highwaymen and robbed of $102.

THREE inches of snow fell at Concord, N. H., on the night of the 1st. There was also a light fall reported from a number of towns in New Hampshire and Maine.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

GENERAL Fitz-John Porter has been appointed a Police Commissioner of New York City.

JUDGE JOHN CLARK, of New Lisbon, O., died on the 27th ult., aged seventy years.

CAPTAIN J. C. BONNYCASTLE, of the Fourth Infantry, Old Army, died on the 29th ult. at Louisville, Ky., of heart disease. He was an associate of General Grant and was widely known.

COMMODORE ALLEN D. BROWN, of the Navy, has been appointed assistant to the Superintendent of the Naval Observatory at Washington.

GEORGE W. SMITH, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Pittsburgh, died in that city after a lingering illness on the 30th ult. The deceased was sixty years of age, member of the well-known firm of Hostetter & Smith, and father-in-law of Hon. Thomas M. Bayne, Congressman from the Twenty-third district of Pennsylvania.

COLONEL J. G. O'NEIL, the noted Fenian who commanded a Tennessee Confederate regiment during the war of the Rebellion, and led the celebrated Fenian invasion of Canada in 1866, had a hemorrhage of the lungs on the street in El Paso, Texas, on the 29th ult. and died fifteen minutes after he was taken to his room in the hotel. He had been in town but a few days. His death was entirely unexpected.

LINDEN COOK, an old and well known manufacturer of Fall River, Mass., died suddenly on the evening of the 30th ult. while sitting on his door-stoop, having just returned from a walk. He was in the seventy-third year of his age, and was treasurer of the Robeson mills and director in several banks. He had been identified with the manufacturing interests of that city for over half a century.

DR. WILLIAM PARET, of Washington City, was elected Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Maryland on the 30th ult.

LIEUTENANT GREELY, commander of the Arctic expedition, was recently initiated a member of the G. A. R. at New York.

SIR MOSES MONTEFIORE is suffering from bronchitis, the result of his recent exertions on the occasion of the demonstrations in his honor.

FRANCIS C. BOWMAN, a well-known lawyer of New York City, died on the 30th ult. He was for some years musical critic of the New York *Post*, and later of the *Sun*. He wrote chiefly for magazines and reviews, and a good part of the work in Appleton's Cyclopædia was done by him. He was also a musical composer.

PRESTON D. JONES, for some years editor and publisher of the Providence (R. I.) *Sunday Dispatch*, was found dead in his room at the Girard House in that city on the morning of the 30th ult. Apoplexy was the supposed cause.

MAJOR ISAAC W. WALKER, a prominent citizen of Richmond, Va., died on the 30th ult. He was an ardent politician, and begged his physician to try and prolong his life until election day so that he might cast his vote. It was his intention to be carried to the polls on a stretcher.

HON. CHARLES JAMES FAULKNER died at his home in Martinsburg, W. Va., on the 1st, aged seventy-eight. He served several terms in Congress from Virginia, was Minister to France under President Buchanan and was chief of staff for Stonewall Jackson during the Rebellion.

GENERAL GRESHAM received his commission as Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit on the 30th ult. and at once took the oath of office. He expects to take his seat on the bench in Chicago on the 6th.

KING LEOPOLD has sent a handsome silver medal to King Humbert of Italy, in recognition of his heroic work during the prevalence of cholera in Italy.

THOMAS W. SAXTON, proprietor of the Canton, Ohio, *Repository*, died suddenly on the morning of the 31st of paralysis of the heart, superinduced by kidney disease, with which he had been afflicted for several years. He had just returned home from the Mount Union Magnetic Springs, in the southern part of the State, where he had been under treatment for two weeks. He was in the fifty-third year of his age.

MRS. VIRGINIA L. FARRAGUT, widow of the late Admiral, died in New York on the 1st, aged sixty-one. She was a daughter of William Loyal, of Norfolk, Va., and became the second wife of the naval hero in 1843. The cause of her death was Bright's disease.

Small Pox and Vaccination.

A writer on vaccination says, "Small-pox and varioloid could be entirely driven from the face of the earth by vaccination and revaccination and re-revaccination at proper times. It is a well settled principle in pathology that two diseases cannot exist in the same [illegible] so, it is admitted that a milder form of a disease will prevent or modify a severer type of a disease of a similar nature.

As an example, a child who has had "simple scarlet fever, or measles, seldom, if ever, afterwards has "malignant scarlet fever," unless, it may be, in some cases where some disease of another character may have eradicated the effect of impression made upon the system by simple scarlet fever, and always prevents small-pox proper. The contagion of small-pox is conveyed from victim to victim across street and from house to house, by the air, and is also conveyed by bed-clothing and wearing apparel of small-pox patients, and by letters written by an affected hand, and in so many ways that it seems almost impossible for the unvaccinated to escape. Persons who have never been vaccinated are liable to take small-pox from small-pox, and from varioloid. Persons who have been vaccinated are liable to take varioloid only from exposure to small-pox, but will not take varioloid from varioloid."

MARRIED.

STEEL—STEWART—At the pastor's residence, October 28, by Rev. E. W. Borden, Mr Samuel Steel and Miss Minnie J. Stewart, both of Macon, Lenawee Co., Mich.

DIED.

UNDERWOOD.—Mary Du Bois Underwood was born in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Nov. 10th, 1835, and died at her home in the town of Newton, Calhoun Co., Oct. 29, 1884, of heart disease.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 1, 1884:

Allen, Fred W.	Jones, Caroline
Bowen, Belle	May, Mrs. L.
Chipman, E. C.	Pearl, Minnie
Jones, Mary L.	Vandecook, Addie
Jones, Lila	Webster, Mrs. A. M.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	1 25 @	2 00
Apples, dried, ₩ lb	@	06
Butter, ₩ lb	17 @	18
Barley, ₩ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 00 @	1 75
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @	1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	6 00 @	6 50
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf skins, ₩ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	30 @	35
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	56 @	60
Clover Seed	5 25 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @	12
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	14
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 00 @	5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00 @	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75 @	5 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₩ lb	@	15
Ham, ₩ lb	@	140
Lard, ₩ lb	@	12
Oats, ₩ bushel	30 @	33
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35 @	40
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 85
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	@	75
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	@	75
Wool	18 @	25

Guaranteed to be the Best

CIGAR

Ever sold in Tecumseh.

A. E. KENNEDY,

Sole Agent for Tecumseh.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED

STOMACH BITTERS

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a fine blood depurent, a rational cathartic, and a superb anti-bilious specific. It rallies the failing energies of the debilitated, & checks premature decay. Fever and ague, bilious remittant, dyspepsia and bowel complaints are among the evils which it entirely removes. In tropical countries where the liver and bowels are organs most unfavorably affected by the combined influence of climate, diet and water, it is a very necessary safeguard. For sale by all Druggists and dealers generally.

MABLEY'S

GLORIOUS SUCCESS.

The unparalleled run on Mabley's Bankrupt Bargains the past week has set the town a talking; certain merchants are green with envy at our bustling, rushing business and wonder why they can't get a share of it. They say it is a shame that we should cut down prices so low that they cannot make a living. We are only exercising a privilege this glorious Republic extends to all—that is, conducting our own business after our own methods.

OUR BANKRUPT BARGAINS

Were purchased from large wholesale firms in the east, who recently failed. Mr. Mabley bought them from 40 to 60 Cents on the Dollar—that is on the original cost of manufacture, so you can see we can sell them lower than other houses own their goods for and yet make a satisfactory profit. Instead of merchants complaining about us they should thank us, for we bring trade here from every county in the district, from all over the state, and as we cannot possibly wait upon them all we afford grumbling merchants a chance of catching those we hav'nt time to wait upon. If they would mark their goods at a fair margin and work of sell more of them they might in time gain some recognition from the people.

We Work for all we Get,

And give the people full value for their money.

We received 25 more large cases of those Bankrupt Goods last week, and this week we intend to offer greater "Drives" than ever. Last week we had a tremendous rush, the goods seemed to "walk away." Our sales were far ahead of the corresponding week of last year. We sold last week

$5.400, $5.400.

This is more than twice as much as any other clothing house in the city received.

We are well prepared for a similar rush this week. Below are a few specimen prices which we will guarantee full 20 per cent. below other dealers' cost prices. Remember these are

Legitimate Bankrupt Bargains!

DOWN GOES THE PRICE OF PANTS.

500 pairs lined heavy cottonade pants at 75c; worth $1.50.
500 pairs lined heavy Humboldt Jeans at $1, worth $1.50.
500 pairs heavy striped union cloth pants at $1.50, worth $2.50.
500 pairs heavy black diagonal cloth pants at $1.50, worth $2.50.
Thousands of pairs at $2, $3, $4, and $5.

Moulders, machinists, brewers, carpenters, blacksmiths, bricklayers, laborers and workingmen of all classes should come and see the fine bargains offered; goods exactly suitable for their trade. We can sell above mentioned goods for less money than they cost to manufacture.

100 DOZ. 75c OVERALLS at 50c A PAIR

SUITS FOR LESS MONEY THAN THE CLOTH COST.

A Vermont Beaver Suit for $5, sold everywhere at $7.
A heavy diagonal for $5, sold everywhere at $8.
A genuine victory Cass for $7, sold everywhere at $10.
A gray Putnam cloth for $9, sold everywhere at $12.
Dozen different styles for $10, sold everywhere at $14.

And for $12, $15, $18 and $20 we can sell you a suit that cannot be bought elsewhere within Five Dollars of the prices we ask. We claim we are honestly entitled to your patronage, because we are giving you more for your money than you can find elsewhere. We also claim, it is your duty to yourselves to buy where the prices are the lowest and goods the best.

Terrible Drop in OVERCOATS!

A warm Boys' Overcoat for $1.50, well worth $2.
A Vermont Boys' overcoat for $2, well worth $2.50.
A Cheviot Boys' Overcoat for $3.50, well worth $5.
Our fine Overcoats are sold in proportion.
The best $5 Mens' Overcoats ever offered.
Our $6, $8, $10, $12, $15, and $20 Overcoats are beauties.

HAT AND CAP SLAUGHTER!

In this department we shall offer several hundred dozen fall and winter caps, all new styles, for men, boys and children. Among our stock, which is undoubtedly the finest ever brought to Toledo, will be found a complete line of Polo and Skating Caps at 25c, 50c, and 75c that are worth twice as much money. You can save fully 25 per cent. on every dollar you leave in our Hat department. A critical examination of our stock will convince you of this fact, and that is all we ask. Don't forget our 20c Jersey Caps. Our 25c and 50c Caps worth double the money.

Furnishing Goods Sacrifice.

The season for a change of underwear is at hand, and our goods are sure to please you. We are selling a Blue Mixed Ribbed Undershirt for 25c that was never made for the money. We have drawers to match. And the value we give for a half dollar is simply immense. For 75c we are giving excellent goods, and our variety at $1 cannot be equaled. They come in so many different styles that we cannot describe them. We say it will pay you to come and see. Socks 20c, 3 pair for 50c, worth twice as much.

Every Department Bristling with Bargains.

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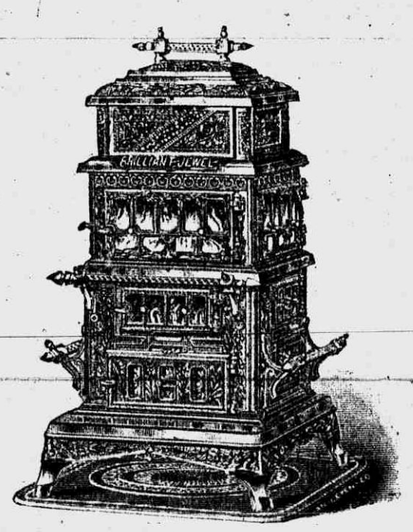

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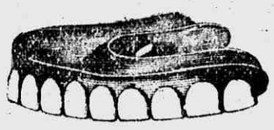

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MACON CENTER

Farmers have their fall work nearly completed. Corn will average about 80 bushels per acre. Potatoes, a medium crop. Wheat looks well.

School commenced the 3d with May Farley of Tecumseh, in the chair.

"Will" Stewart commenced the winter term of school at Ridgeway village the 10th.

Lyman Grady and family started for their home at Caro, Tuscola Co. the 10th, from whence they have been visiting friends, for the past three weeks in Macon and Saline.

John R. Clark made a [illegible] political speech of the campaign at the hall on the evening of the 3d. The "Union Club" will meet at the hall next Monday evening the 17th to jollify over election and reorganize for the next 4 years campaign.

Trumie, only son of Horace Hand, died the 1st inst., after a severe illness the house the 3d. A good boy, and its too bad.

The leading event of the season was the marriage of Ida Wiggins, of Macon to Wesley Exelby of Ridgeway, at the residence of the bride's father the 22d ult. Beside the good supper and social we are able to add the following list of substantials, to wit:

Table spread and doz. napkins—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Exelby.

Set of knives and forks, and lamp—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wiggins.

Bed spread—Mr. and Mrs. John Wiggins.

Bed spread—Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Wiggins.

Table Spread—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wiggins.

Bed spread—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gibson.

Water pitcher and doz. goblets—Miss Hattie Wiggins.

Set silver table spoons—Mr. Joseph Wiggins.

Glass pitcher and goblets—Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Exelby.

Set glass ware—Mr. and Mrs. John Exelby.

$3 in silver—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Exelby.

Paper holder—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Exelby.

Fruit basket—Miss Ella Exelby.

Two towels—Mr. Clarence Exelby.

Tidy—Miss Lizzie Beamish.

Set of dishes—Grandma Britton.

Two table cloths—Mr. and Mrs. John Britton.

Turkish towel—Miss Carrie Britton.

Lamp—Mr. M. D. Britton.

Teapot and bouquet—Mr. and Mrs. M. Yates.

Doz. salt cellars—Mr. John Yates.

Tray, paperholder, and two china cups and saucers—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Underwood and family.

Wash bowl and pitcher—Miss Mary Scott.

Two vaces—Aunt Ann Pocklington.

Lamp—Grandma Linn.

Doz. napkins—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thackray.

One silver castor—Mr and Mrs. James Linn, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Linn, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Palmer.

Majolica butter dish—Mr. Charles Lowe.

Cake stand—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wells.

Farmers are drawing tile from Easlick's tile yards. That's right. To insure an easy, early start and a good crop, all land designed for spring tillage should be tiled in the fall so when the frost goes out, the ground will be left warm dry and mellow.

"Les" Osgood says, that the proper way to underdrain heavy soil is two feet deep and two rods apart, and the larger the tile the better so as to insure a free circulation and good fertalization.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine weather for fall work.

Mr. Converse, the releaving agent on the M. & O., took the election returns here on election night.

The Democrats at Britton had a jollification on Saturday night.

You will remember that Geo. D. Arner said at the time of Blaine's nomination that "James G. Blaine would not be the next President." We wonder if he is a prophet or a son of one.

The village is quiet, waiting for the returns of the canvass in N. Y.

Our friend, Mr. D. Harrison, was so overcome with joy on hearing of Cleveland's election, that when he went to feed his pigs he did not realize the pail was empty until he got to the pen.

The members of the Union Club, and all others interested, will meet at Mr. Lyman Hause's on next Saturday night, to reorganize and talk the future working of the club.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson and Mrs. Dr. D. W. Loree made Mrs. Alfred Lucking of Detroit, a visit Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. John Houseman and wife arrived Friday night and are buisy settling in their new home.

Those that attend the rink at Britton's all take a tumble.

Mrs. Hannah Wilson of Clinton is making her son, William Wilson, a visit this week.

Martin Palmer, Misses Ada Loree, Kittie Clark and Ida Arner attended Miss Anderson's musical class rehearsal at Tecumseh on last Thursday night.

Agent Frank Allen of Jerome, spent the Sabbath at home and at Miss R—.

Eddie Helm is quite sick again.

Weddie Bush returned from his visit to Dixon, Ill., Tuesday night.

The church social will be held at the home of Rev. W. J. Clark on this week Friday night.

Mr. Arnold of Norwalk, O., is here working up a singing class. He will teach a school of 20 nights for $80.00. He will meet all who wish a class on next Monday evening in the lecture room of the church.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Election returns assume the shape of noise, and whenever the telegraph brings hope to either party, it is invariably connected with a hurrah, and not unfrequently with something to make it.

[illegible] proved opportunities, by expounders of adverse doctrines, and though singularly free from personal sarcasm, but little instruction was given about the causes of difference, except by Mr. Pennington. As all have done their best to achieve success, the race should not be spoiled by enjoying winners. Nothing is said here of the Peoples' party or Prohibition. Have they gone to China, dropped out, or got swallowed in the vortex of oblivion? They were, yet seem not, at least in the first flush of victory no one stops to count the Butler mousetraps.

There is one President none can count out, and he has summoned Mr. William Ide to his cabinet.

Doctor Palmer has been dangerously sick but is again on the street.

A great skating rink is growing on the avenue. It is large enough for any amount of suicide, and if nothing should happen before its completion there will after.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

The Democrats of this place and vicinity gave vent to their feelings rejoicing over the result of the election in a grand jollification on Saturday night last in this place. Our streets were enlivened with a grand torchlight and music and a jolly good time was had with their new brooms.

Rev. E. W. Miller preached his farewell sermon to the Congregational church on Sunday last. He goes from here to Big Rapids, this state.

The two most notable events happening since our last batch to you was the death of Mrs. Aaron Bruce and of Mrs. Parks. Mrs. Bruce has been a confirmed invalid for the last twenty years. She died on Friday night of last week and her funeral was held at her late residence on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Osborn of the Baptist church officiating. Mrs. Parks who died on Sunday evening at the residence of J. S. Kies, her son-in law, was one of the pioneers of Clinton as well as one of the oldest ladies of Clinton being as we learn nearly ninety years of age at the time of her death. Her funeral was held at her last place of residence on Tuesday of this week at 2 o'clock P. M. Rev. E. W. Miller of the Congregational church (of which she was a member) officiating.

The Convocation of the Episcopal church here was very well attended by the people who report the presence of quite a number of visiting brethren from different parts of the state. The proceedings throughout were instructive and impressive and no doubt much good has been done.

The St. John's church social will be held on Friday evening of next week at the residence of S. Brown. All are invited. Provision ample will be provided for all who may come. We understand Mr. Brown says "where the spirit of the Lord is, there is and will be liberty." So come all.

Our skating rink does not seem to be the bonanza its founders had expected; however no one hurt and as we judge not much money made yet. Hope they will do better when the weather gets cooler. Sam is a good skater.

Mrs. W. C. Rogers who has been very sick is convalesing and is now very much improved in health and is still improving.

Our enterprising citizen Ed. J. Semark is progressing finely with his new house, which already makes a fine appearance.

Both political parties are settling down to the conclusion that there is to be a change in the administration and speculations are rife as to who will be Post-Master.

The ditch business is getting to be quite a mania and from appearances will soon become chronic. Our drain commissioner (Bruce) is petitioned almost daily to lay out and cause to be constructed a ditch in almost every man's back yard in the eastern part of our township (Clinton). We are sorry to say that we think Commission Bruce in his efforts to find an outlet for the surplus water gets muddled so he is rather flighty to do business.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Farmers are taking advantage of the splendid weather by turning over the sward for crops next spring. This summer can scarcely be called a short one when such fine weather continues on through the Autumn months.

The great presidential conflict of 1884 is over, but whose name shall go down in history as chief magistrate of the Nation for the next four years is not yet definitely known.

A number of changes in real estate have lately occurred in Franklin. Hiram Learnard has sold his farm on the turnpike to Ezra Simmons, and the Learnard family will soon move to Southern Kansas. Thos. Gittus has bought the house and lot owned by Joseph White, and Mrs. Simmons has sold her property at Tipton to Mrs. Conlin.

Martin Whelan and family left Franklin on Monday last for Florida. The community will miss Mart's cheerful face and manner, and it was with evident regret they left their comfortable home, necessitated by the poor health of Mr. Whelan.

Frank Pitcher is buying poultry for F. Bumann.

George Knapp has rented his farm and will move to Tecumseh.

Editor Stearn's illustrated issue of last week was ludicrous in the extreme.

Last Friday the children and grandchildren of Andrew Wilson met at their residence. There were eleven children and thirteen grandchildren, all living within five miles of the old homestead. After partaking of a bountiful dinner Mr. Wilson was asked to open a suspicious looking box which contained an album with cabinet pictures of the children and friends. Mr. Wilson started for Florida on Tuesday last.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Elva Richart closed her school in Bridgewater last week. She will teach the same school this winter.

Chas. Slaight, of Flint, has been engaged to teach the Darling school this winter.

Dr. Geo. Howell was re-elected to the Legislature. The first district of Lenawee will be well represented.

It looks now as though Grover Cleveland would be the next president. So mote it be. We can endure it four years.

Judge Mills preached at the Baptist church last Sunday. We understand that he has been engaged by this church and will hereafter preach once in two weeks.

No one seems to be more jubilant over the result of the election than the political prohibitionist. No one has reason to be more exultant. He accomplished, to a very great extent at least, the object he had in view, viz: to put the democracy in power. Now that the democrats have been quite generally successful, it behoves the political prohibitionist to stand by the democracy, and endeavor to keep it in power.

Auction Sale.

Hiram Learnard having sold his farm will sell at auction at his residence 4½ miles west of Tecumseh, on Tuesday, Nov. 18th, 1884, at 12 o'clock M. the following property: Four work horses, 2 road horses, 1 two year old heifer, 1 yearling heifer, sow with 8 pigs, breeding sow, 6 pigs, 50 bucks, 2 lumber wagons, 2 single buggies, 1 nearly new; land roller, grain drill, 2 wheel cultivators, spring tooth harrow, new corn sheller, cutter, 20 tons good hay, sleighs, plows, 100 bu. good seed corn, 400 bu. corn, 10 acres corn fodder, Royce reaper, household furniture, &c. Terms, 12 months credit with good notes at interest. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Adrian Record: Before election Miles Wheeler bet Col. Eldridge $50 that Ogden township would give Allen 130 more votes than it would give the Colonel. The returns from Ogden showed exactly 128 more for Allen than for Eldridge. The Times, however, printed the majority at 131. The party who brought the returns from Ogden said he knew where there were two mistakes and the vote would be recounted which would make Allens vote over Eldridge 130. The vote was recounted as threatened—an illegal proceeding by the way—and two votes, one for Allen and one for Eldridge, thrown out. This won the bet for Col. Eldridge.

The Adrian Democrats had a jollification meeting last Monday evening. A big crowd attended from Tecumseh.

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TO HER WHO KNOWS.

Because your eyes are blue, your lips are red,
And the soft hair is golden on your head,
And your sweet smiling can make glad the day,
And on your cheek pink roses have their way,
Should I adore you?

Since other maids have shining golden hair,
As bright eyes as the blue sky roves wear,
And other lips can set the day alight,
And other eyes can smile with youth's delight,
Why now believe you?

But if the eyes are blue for me a one,
And if only for me the rose has blown,
And but for me the lips their sweet smile wear,
Then shall you wish me in your golden hair,
I will adore you.

And as my saint, my soul's one shining star
That hauls my darkness from its throne afar
As lights the summer moon the waking sea,
With all I am and all I strive to be,
I know I love you.

Louise Chandler Moulton, in Louisville Courier-Journal.

JIM'S LETTER TO FRED.

DEAR FRED: You have often laughed at me for being so romantic, but I don't mind telling everything to you. You will not betray me to the boys. I have had an adventure. I came down to the [illegible] weeks ago, and I fell in love the same morning. She was a very pretty young lady, with the loveliest eyes, the sweetest mouth, the finest, silkiest golden hair that could be dreamt of. She was walking on the piazza with her father—a portly old gentleman, with gray hair. He wore a big diamond in his shirt bosom and another on his little finger, and was dressed very elegantly altogether, from his [illegible] stockings. She was splendidly dressed, too. Evidently they were rich people. Her costumes were perfect, and she had a new one on every time I saw her, but she would have been lovely in a coffee-bag gown, such as poor plantation darkies wear sometimes. I confess that I followed her about. When she was alone she sometimes allowed me to see that she noticed me. She was quite aware of my admiration, I knew. Such sweet glances she used to give me from under her long, curled lashes were enough to turn a man's head who was as madly in love as I. But when the old gentleman was with her she never glanced my way.

He, I could see, like most rich fathers, objected to her receiving any attention from any one, or being acquainted with any young gentleman. Doubtless, I used to say to myself, he would at last induce her to marry some man as old as himself, disagreeable, obnoxious to her, but very *rich*. He would sell her as Circassian slaves are sold in market to the highest bidder. A poor clerk would have no chance. He would order him from his door.

You know my salary, Fred. I was hopeless.

Still, only to see her now and then was a great joy. I used to wander about the hotel like a ghost at all sorts of hours. I sent her a bouquet by a little waiter, alluding to her as the lady in pale blue, and he gave it to a Gorgon of a female dressed in the same color, by mistake, and that cost me more than I like to say, besides the quarter for his service and the agony of mind I endured.

I tried to get acquainted with the old gentleman, but he pretended not to hear the polite remarks I made about the weather as we met in the reading-room. I was afraid he saw my object.

In fact, there is very little to tell, except that I looked and fell in love, and after that took it out in looking from a distance.

You've said I was sentimental a thousand times, dear Fred, and you were right, I suppose, for all this time I had the strangest fancy in my mind. Imagine the boys in the office knowing of it! But you'll never tell, Fred.

I hoped that I might, some day, be of service to her, and be rewarded by a glance or a word. I hoped that I might even save her life, and so, perhaps have a right to claim it.

She drove in a pony phaeton. She swam like an angel or a mermaid. Sometimes I used to say to myself: Perhaps her ponies would grow restive and run away with her. I, always on the alert, would rush forward, seize the bridle and stop them at the risk of my own life, then would lead them home to the hotel.

The father would rise from his seat and hurry down the walk to meet us.

"My preserver! Thank him, papa!" the young lady would sob.

"How shall I reward you, sir?" he would exclaim.

"By permitting me to call occasionally," I would answer, etc., etc.

Or in the water, in her lovely white and violet bathing-dress, she would suddenly throw up her arms and cry for help. I would plunge into the water, bear her ashore in my arms, and, as I placed her in those of her father, he would ejaculate:

"Ask of me what you will, it is granted!"

And, of course, I would ask for her hand.

"Dreams: the foolish dreams of a love-sick boy!" I hear you say.

Prophetic dreams, Fred. One day it really happened.

No; I have not given my order for the wedding-cards yet, old fellow. What happened was this:

The bathers were in the water. *She* was there, in a new bathing-suit—cream and brown, with a silk cap to match. Her father, as I knew, read his newspaper on the porch. I stood on the beach. Out she went, gracefully and fearlessly. Suddenly she paused and uttered a shriek. All the other ladies uttered shrieks. I saw the bathing-master make toward her. I plunged in, only pausing to throw off my coat and kick off my shoes. I was beforehand with him. I caught her around the waist and struck for shore.

"Thanks awfully," she said, as we reached it. "I'm sorry I scared everybody; but the nastiest black fish flopped right in my face, and I just had to yell."

The language was not elegant, but the voice was sweet, and she was like a rose or a dove, or both.

Papa had come down to the shore. He was pale with fright, and had doubled the newspaper into a great wad in his excitement, and kept dabbing his bald head with it, under the impression that it was his handkerchief.

"Bless us and save us! I expected something dreadful would come of all this splashing about," he spluttered, as he advanced to meet us. "Patty, run in and put on your dry things, and don't go a swimming without me no more. Mr. Whatsitname, I'm greatly obligated to you, I'm sure. If there's anything I can do for you, just say—Good laws, she might have been drowded! Some said she was."

We shook hands.

"You've spilled your pants," he said, in a moment; "and your vest. Here, you go into our place when you go down to New York, and jest hand that in, and suit yourself, to a new pair. Don't say no. I'ain't is pants to any body. Your'n are a nice pair. My name is on the card."

I felt rather hurt, but I would not resent anything from her father.

I looked at the card. It bore the words: "Crump & Co., Clothiers."

"Mr. Crump," I said, and offered him my card, which he took, read through his eye-glass and pocketed.

"Hope you won't catch any cold, Mr. Holly," he said, "and thank you again for going in after my wife so prompt and ready. Mrs. Crump is jest as much obliged as I am."

"Mrs. Crump?" I faltered. "The lady in yellow?"

"Oh, yes," he said, good-naturedly. "She's jest a leetle younger than I am, you know. I think a wife had always ought to be. It's more suitabler than the other way. Don't forget them pants. There make it a whole suit, anything you like."

But I was not in a poetic mood by this time.

"Hang it, sir, do you mean to insult me?" I asked.

The old gentleman stared.

"If you don't want 'em don't take 'em," he said; "but pants *is* pants, and you've ruined yours swimming after Mrs. Crump. No offense meant, I'm sure."

"Good morning, sir," I said and walked away.

The illusion was over; the dream past. The father changed into a husband; my ideal one into Mrs. Crump, who could be nothing to me. Besides she was very ungrammatical.

I am coming home to-morrow. I really do not like the seaside.—*N. Y. Ledger.*

The Nochistongo Pass.

Some people think that the engineers of the Mexican Central traced their line through the Nochistongo Pass, merely obeying a professional pride that impelled them to overcome great difficulties. This pass is famous. It is a huge artificial canal made to drain the Mexican Valley and lead the waters of its salty Lake Texcoco to Lake Tula. It was cut by orders of the Marquis of Salinis, Louis de Velasco, Viceroy of Mexico, in 1608, and under the supervision of the Jesuit Juan Sanchez. It measures nine kilometers—nearly six miles. No curve of the road is less than two hundred meters in length, and the steepest declivity is less than four miles and about one and one-half per cent. in dip. The rails of the Central are steel, with a weight of twenty-seven kilograms per lineal meter. The cramp-irons are fastened with four bolts. The sleepers are oak, two meters and five hundred and fourteen millimeters in length. The ballast of the road is the limestone formation of the pass, that insures its stability. An accident or derailment there could scarcely occur on account of poor condition of rails or roadbed.

Washing away of tracks is amply guarded against by great culverts to lead off the water that may come down on the tracks, while the possibility of land slides is guarded against, as the center of gravity falls inside of the base sustaining the roadbed. Retaining walls occur where sufficient slope could not be given to the bank. The cliffs above the road where landslides were possible have been cut away till danger from that source has been nullified. Though the soil is loose and washes easily, conduits and culverts clear the tracks. The inclines of the banks above and below the track are forty-five degrees, and careful investigation shows them to be as substantial as granite walls. The Central Company also employs two watchmen, who are in the pass all the time, going back and forth.—*Boston Transcript.*

The Value of Slang.

Slang has this value, that it shows how language grows. The English tongue is so vigorous that it seizes whatever it needs for growth, just as it did in its infancy. At that period direct imitations of sounds were constantly made into words, as the young vandals of to-day use "chink" for "money." Farther on in the growth of the tongue it took from ordinary speech these imitative words, and converted them to new uses, just as you say "ticker" for "watch," and "pun" for "advertisement." The contraction of words is another stage, as "mob," now perfectly good English, was at first merely slang for the Latin *mobile*, the fickle crowd, as "cab" was slang for "cabriolet," and "furlong" for "furrow-long," the length of a furrow, and as "nob" is slang for "nobility."

We make words for men' snames in the same way. I suppose "boycotting" may be good English soon. "Martinet," now indispensable, was the name of a historic General over-strict in discipline. "Derrick" was a famous hangman of the seventeenth century, in honor of whom the roughs nicknamed the gallows-like hoisting apparatus, and these are two, only, out of scores of cases.

Many of the words that are now respectabilities of conversation were once gutter children. "Drag," for instance, was a thieves' word for carriage, and "dragsmen" the particular variety of thieves who followed the carriage to cut away the luggage from the rack behind. But "drag" is good English now for a private coach. "Kidnap" was thieves' slang for child-stealing, that is, to "nab a kid." "Tie," for cravat, was as much the slang of low life as "choker" is now. "Conundrum" and "donkey," and "fun" were all slang words, though perhaps not so low. "Bore" was slang and so were "waddle" and "bother."—*Lucia Gilbert Runkle, in St. Nicholas.*

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—A stroke of lightning split open a hollow tree, at Shasta, Cal., revealing a skeleton and clearing up a murder mystery.

—A church spire in Norwich, Conn., was recently utilized by a pair of trapeze performers for an exhibition of their skill.

—Nearly thirty thousand square miles of United States territory are now owned by foreign syndicates and capitalists.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—A skeleton was recently found in Savannah, twenty-two feet underground, with a thirty-two-pound ball and chain encircling the bones.

—Miss Julia Wheeler killed a large rattlesnake in North Carolina. His snakeship's beautiful skin, made into a belt, now adorns Miss Julia's waist.

—Whalebone is becoming more valuable every year, and is now worth about four dollars and a half a pound. Were it not for the bone whale-fishing would no longer be profitable.

—A Newark (N. J.) paper tells of a witness who was called to identify a signature, and who testified that the subscriber could not write his name, "but believed the signature was his."

—The topography of the moon is well known to astronomers, and has been carefully outlined on detail maps. There are five mountains in the moon more than [illegible] in height, the highest measuring 28,975 feet.—*Albany Journal.*

—We may look for an extraordinary severe winter if there is any virtue in the Indian hornet sign. All the nests we have found this year in the woods are built on the ground. When they are suspended from trees and high up it is a sign for a mild winter. Our old prognosticators say they have never known this sign to fail.—*Middlebury Post.*

—Among the edible fishes collected in the waters about Charleston for the New Orleans Exposition, by the State Fish Commissioner of South Carolina, are the following: Amber fish, sailors' choice, croivale, sheepshead, croaker, skipjack, drum, snapper, chub, bream, black grunt, mullett, bass, salmon, trout and black fish.

—A convict of the Massachusetts State Prison, recently discharged, spent three years of his absence locked up behind the bars, within gunshot of his own house and none of his family knew it. Occasionally, from a window, the prisoner got a glimpse of his wife and three children, who mourned over him as lost. He had given an assumed name when arrested.—*Boston Transcript.*

—Thomas Hobson was the first man in England to let out hackney horses. He lived at Cambridge in the seventeenth century. When a man came for a horse he was led into the stable and shown the collection, but was obliged to take the horse which stood next to the stable door. Hence the expression "Hobson's choice" came to signify "this or none." Milton, in 1660, wrote two humorous poems on the death of the old liveryman.

—The etiquette of funerals in Mexico does not permit the female relations of deceased to attend. Only men attend the departed to the church and the tomb. Funerals are so expensive that they often ruin business men. All female relatives, even to cousins and children, must wear deep mourning for two years. During the mourning none of the ladies of the household must be seen in public. Bodies are buried encased in laces and decked with precious stones.

—In Mexico as in Spain and other southern countries, a lady retains her maiden name after marriage, and though she annexes to it that of her husband by means of a de, she is universally known by her own family name. It is considered more courteous to address even elderly married ladies Senorita (Miss), instead of Senora (madame.) The lady of the house is always called by her servants and dependants La Nina (the little girl), though she may have attained the age of eighty.

—There is a sunken forest of white cedar in New Jersey which has been mined for timber over seventy years. The industry of digging the sunken logs is carried on by the people of Dennisville, a village which was brought into existence through the buried wealth of lumber in its vicinity. Over the sunken forest trees of large size are growing, and in many instances these are cut away to reach the more valuable timber three or four feet below the surface. The sunken trees are of enormous size. Their age is a matter of curious conjecture. It is probable they were buried many centuries ago by the action of an earthquake.—*New York Herald.*

What Hurt Him.

He was so hopping mad about it that he had to swallow the lump in his throat three or four times before he could speak English. When the other had patted him on the back and led him around in a circle he began with:

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"Of course."

"I'm worth thirty thousand dollars and I don't owe two hundred dollars in the world."

"Of course not."

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"Certainly; your luminous legal opinion."

"He seemed rather diffident and embarrassed, and as he had not made his wants known up to noon I invited him home with me to dinner. He readily accepted."

"I see."

"After dinner I showed him all over the house, played billiards with him for half an hour, and then brought him back to the office and gave him another fifteen cent cigar and asked him to come to the point."

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—Mozart is to have a monument in Vienna which will cost $50,000.

—If not overloaded, Esquimaux dogs will easily draw a sledge sixty miles a day.

—The boarding house for cats at Battersea, London, receives boarders at the uniform rate of about thirty eight cents a week.

—The smallest pony in the world is the pet of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts-Bartlett. He is five years of age and stands thirteen inches high.

—The northern half of the London Underground Railroad carried during the last six months, 37,029,000 passengers and injured no one.

—The French Government has granted $1,000 a year to the family of the late ex-Emir Abd-el-Kader. There are six widows to share the income and some twenty six children.

—Two hundred and fifty remedies for cholera have been received by the French Academy of Sciences. Each of the senders hope to obtain the Breant prize of 100,000 francs.

—Said Thoreau: I am inclined to think bathing almost one of the necessaries of life, but it is surprising how indifferent some are to it. One farmer who came to bathe in Walden, one Sunday while I lived there, told me it was the first bath he had had for fifteen years.

—While the elderly Baroness Burdett-Coutts appears always in public dressed in the quietest black, her comparatively young husband, Mr Bartlett-Burdett-Coutts, is distinguished for his dressing in clothes of the extremest fashionable cut and of thunderously loud colors.

—Although there are at present only 170 professed vegetarians in Germany they are the possessors of a library of 700 volumes on vegetarianism. They have also lately started a monthly periodical called *Vegetarische Rundschau*. They call themselves "The German Society for Promoting a Harmonious Manner of Life."

—In France there are two Jews in the Senate, three in the Chamber, four in the Council of State, and in the Supreme Council of Public Education. One Cabinet Minister, M. Raynal, is a Jew, and so are ten chiefs of ministerial departments, three prefects, seven sub-prefects, four inspector-generals, four colonels, nine lieutenant-colonels and eleven judges.

—A remedy, or rather a preventive, which at the time was much believed in, was to take during the day, either spread on bread and butter or in some other way, two spoonfuls of salt. This salt acted as a disinfectant, and it was asserted that no one who took regularly his two spoonfuls caught the cholera. I am surprised to hear nothing now of this salt specific.—*London Truth.*

—Dr. Clifford Allbutt thinks that specialism is now being carried so far in London as to lower the usefulness of the medical profession in general. He says, too, that the best specialists show much affectation in refusing to do regular professional work. "A young lady told me lately," says Dr. Allbutt, "that a London physician one hears very known as a lung doctor, but yet one under whom I would gladly place myself for an malady, said to her, having found her lungs to be really sound, he would name another physician who would care for her general health."

A Lake of Fire.

A correspondent of the New York *Times*, writing from Waterloo, an extensive estate in Nassau, describes a curious body of water to be seen there. The lake is nearly one thousand feet long and two hundred to three hundred feet broad. It is an artificial lake, the former proprietor of Waterloo having built it to store green turtles in. The plan was to buy the turtles alive and put them in the lake and let them increase in size and numbers, when they would always be ready to be caught and eaten. Millions of fish could be kept in the lake at the same time, and thus the occupant of Waterloo would always have a good dinner waiting in the yard. The lake's bed is cut out of the solid rock, and is only a few hundred feet from the ocean. It is connected with the sea by a small canal, also cut through the rock, and when the gate in this canal is left open the tide rises and falls in the lake.

It was one of the darkest nights I ever saw. We went into the boathouse and pushed out a heavy rowboat. I took the oars and we pulled off. The first stroke gave me a fine start. There had not been any unusual appearance of phosphorescence on the surface of the water more than is often seen on tropical seas; but as soon as the oars stirred it up they seemed to be dipped in melted gold. There was actually fire there, I was compelled to think. While I was wondering at it, a fish, startled by our splatter, darted across the pond near the surface, and in his trail was left a streak of yellow fire. Then we saw at different places on the surface little vapory clouds of fire flashing and darting about like the northern lights.

"If you have a newspaper in your pocket," said my companion, "lay it out on your lap and splash the water with both oars, to see whether you can get light enough to read by."

I did so, and was able to read the heading and all the large lines without difficulty. I took an oar then and splashed the water, and wherever a drop fell back into the lake was a round spot of fire. There was something startling in seeing so much fire floating about, and I had not the faintest notion where we were. I had gone out upon an unknown lake, in total darkness, and had no idea how large or how deep it was, nor where the current, if there was any, might carry us.

"If you will pull hard and watch the bow and stern of the boat, you will see something curious."

I did so, and was well paid for the exertion. When a boat moves fast there is always a cutting of the water at the bow and a little eddy left just behind the stern. That cutwater and that eddy were of flaming fire. More fish darted about, leaving fiery trails. Indeed, wherever the water was agitated it turned apparently into fire. When the agitation ceased the fire disappeared, except that there was always a little sparkling upon the surface. We

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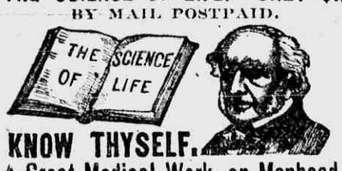

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DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 5, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded on said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 452, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 75-100 dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of paying the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent, to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale including attorney's fees according to law, of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884, at one o'clock in the afternoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called, on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held, all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's land twelve (12) rods; thence east parallel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

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THE GENERAL RESULT.

As full returns are received from the several states and the official returns from New York, the result has settled down as stated in last week's HERALD. Cleveland & Hendricks have received 219 electoral votes and Blaine & Logan 182.

The only state in doubt was New York. Connecticut and New Jersey were safe for Cleveland on Wednesday. Indiana was claimed for Blaine for two days, but the full returns give that state to the Democrats by over 8,000 majority. Wisconsin goes Republican by about 10,000. Virginia gives at least 12,000 majority for Cleveland. West Virginia increases her October majority. Ohio does the same on the Republican side. The Democrats have suffered some loss in Congressmen but will have a majority of about forty in the next house, large enough for any emergency and better on some accounts than a majority twice as large.

The following table shows the popular plurality and the electoral vote in each state:

THE ELECTORAL VOTE.

DEMOCRATIC STATES.

	Plurality.	Electors
Alabama	30,000	10
Arkansas	28,000	7
Connecticut	1,200	6
Delaware	3,000	3
Florida	5,104	4
Georgia	45,000	12
Indiana	8,000	15
Kentucky	15,000	13
Louisiana	20,000	8
Maryland	16,000	8
Mississippi	20,000	9
Missouri	20,000	16
New Jersey	4,112	9
New York	1,234	36
North Carolina	25,000	11
South Carolina	43,000	9
Tennessee	20,000	12
Texas	105,500	13
Virginia	14,000	12
West Virginia	4,000	6
		219

REPUBLICAN STATES.

	Plurality.	Electors
California	500	8
Colorado	4,500	3
Illinois	25,000	22
Iowa	18,000	13
Kansas	17,000	9
Maine	20,000	6
Massachusetts	10,000	14
Michigan	5,000	13
Minnesota	32,000	7
Nebraska	20,000	5
Nevada	1,000	3
New Hampshire	4,000	4
Ohio	11,000	23
Oregon	1,500	3
Pennsylvania	58,000	30
Rhode Island	7,000	4
Vermont	25,000	4
Wisconsin	11,000	11
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RECAPITULATION.

Democratic	219
Republican	182
Cleveland's majority	37

The result justifies the action of the July convention. The ticket was nominated to carry exactly the states which have voted for Cleveland, and it is evident now that no other ticket could have won those states. Blaine's nomination was a blunder. That was manifest within one week after it was made. The problem for the July convention to solve was this: What ticket can hold the Democratic states, and at the same time appeal to Republican disaffection in the debatable states of Connecticut, New Jersey, New York and Indiana? The logic of the situation answered—Cleveland & Hendricks. For once, the Democracy did not blunder. Casting aside personal preferences, addressing themselves to the great question before them, they accepted the challenge conveyed in Blaine's nomination and made a ticket to win.

But with the fruits of victory come also its responsibilities. This is not a mere Democratic success. Thousands of Independents, who cared more for honest government than for party, furnished the balance of power, which flung New York into the Cleveland column. That element should be treated with consideration and fairness. We believe that Grover Cleveland will make a wise, strong, prudent and honest president; that he will call about him a cabinet of able counselors; that our excessive war taxation will be lopped off, and a fair system of revenue reform introduced during his administration; and that the four years of his presidency will be years of national peace and business prosperity.

A novel feature of the December number of The Magazine of Art will be the page contributed by Miss Alice Havers and Mr. R. L. Stevenson, the former supplying a picture setting to a verse by the latter. The page will be printed in color. In the same number will appear the commencement of a description of Hatfield House, the residence of the Marqhess of Salisbury, fully illustrated, and a paper by Mrs. Fawcett on "The New Forrest." An etching by Mr. R. W. Macbeth, will form the frontispiece.

WHAT THE NEWSPAPERS SAY.

Springfield Republican, Ind: — The Republicans must give it up. Grover Cleveland is elected the next President of the United States and will be inaugurated on the 4th of March next. The candidate and campaign of falsehood fall together in mutual ruin. The grand old party—we use the words in no satiric sense—which has governed the country for twenty-four years, saving the Union, freeing the slave and retrieving financial disaster, goes down, not in honor and honors, able defeat, but in disgrace and behind a corrupt, venal and shifty leader. It fell when it nominated Blaine and before a vote had been cast. When it ran up his name to the mast head it insulted the honesty and decency of the entire country; it mistook the whoop of the Chicago mob for the honest convictions and sober character of the people of the United States. By the same act it both necessitated and defied revolution—and revolution has come.

Philadelphia Times, Ind: — The Times yesterday announced that Cleveland is elected to the Presidency. That announcement was made only when the vote of New York was fully ascertained, and subsequent events only confirm the State to Cleveland, as is manfully and patriotically declared by the Albany Evening Journal, the Republican organ of that State.

It is possible that the Gould, Elkins and Davenport desperadoes may persist in the claim that Blaine is elected against the vote they never disputed until they were defeated, but it is so obviously the dictate of fraud that neither the Republican party nor the business interests of the country will tolerate it.

Cleveland has the popular vote of New York; he has the State Board of Canvassers to compute and certify it; he has the popular branch of Congress [illegible] will be accepted and inaugurated as President of the United States.

New York World, Dem: There is no occasion for doubt, excitement or violence. The Governor of New York is a firm, fearless, honest man. The Board of State Canvassers are firm, fearless, honest men. The majority of the House of Representatives is Democratic.

If the proper legal authorities of this State should declare that Blaine has the majority of a single vote over Cleveland, we shall demand that the electoral vote of this State be given to Blaine.

But if the actual ballots now in the ballotboxes show that Cleveland has a plurality, as it is now semi-officially reported, and if the constituted authorities shall so declare, Grover Cleveland must receive the electoral vote of this State.

Obedience to law, submission and prompt submission to the constituted authorities of the State by all parties and all candidates, is the duty of the hour.

Partisan bravado to the contrary is a danger to law and order.

New York Sun, Ind: The people have determined that Grover Cleveland shall be President of the United States. They have so decided, not because they like Cleveland, but because they believe he will be safer than Blaine. They have done it resolutely, deliberately, knowing all about both men. Thanks to the press on both sides, religious and political, the controlling facts in the character and history of each have been pretty clearly brought before the public eye, so that the popular judgement in the case may be described as intelligent and well considered. The people have voted, and their voting is to be respected. Henceforth, until his administration is developed, whatever criticism is bestowed upon Mr. Cleveland should be directed toward his new and not his old performances. There are those who promise that he will prove himself quite equal to the responsibilities of the Presidency. Let us hope, for the country's sake, that this promise may be realized; and we undertake to say that if it should be so, the fact will not anywhere be more cordially recognized than among those intelligent and high minded men who have so earnestly contended against his election.

Chicago News, Ind.: The mutterings of public discontent over the inauguration of President Hayes have hardly died away. New York can not be seized for Mr. Blaine as Louisiana was for Mr. Hayes. It is too near the homes of the great reading, thinking mass of the people. The spirit of resistance to any attempt to vitiate the will of the people by any attempt at trickery is abroad. The sober business sense of the nation, generally too indifferent to political affairs must be against any resort to fraud to retain any set of men now in power. It sees that the danger of defeating the will of the nation is infinitely greater to all pecuniary interests than the success of any party. Parties may come and go, bad men may be elected, unwise policies may be adopted, but so long as the verdict of the people's will is not tampered with at the ballot-box this nation is safe. Destroy confidence in that as the last, final, and unimpeachable arbiter of our government and we have nothing left but the hope of revolution. To the verge of this bitter alternative desperate politicians may bring us. They may go too far. The crowds cheering and chaffing in the streets to-day may by the slightest incident be provoked to violence. So far good nature has marked the rivalry of the two parties, because neither has believed that the other would resort to any means to defeat the popular will once it was ascertained. Should this feeling be turned to anger over any real or fancied wrong, who can fortell the consequences. The Democrats have a popular majority of at least 200,000 in the country in this election. It is not in human nature that they should the second time peacably submit to seeing a republican president inaugurated about whose election there were grave suspicions of fraud.

If there is any patrotism or discretion left in the managers of Mr. Blaine's canvass they will not attempt to tamper with the returns.

Any body can catch cold now. The trouble is to let go, like the man who caught the bear. We advise our readers to keep a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup handy.

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RUM IN POLITICS.

We ask a careful consideration by the temperance people of the following editorial taken from the Toledo Blade of Nov. 8th.

Those who are disposed to treat the Whisky and Beer Interest as a mere passive nuisance, something that is annoying to all and dangerous to some need be instructed as to what it is and what its pretentions really are. It is not a mere nothing, the effects of which are to be felt only by those who are its direct victims. We wish to make it plain that the liquor interest, the great Beer interest especially, is less dangerous to the individual than to the community at large, that the people who are without the appetite are just as much or even more interested in destroying the traffic than those who are. The habitual drinker ruins himself and his family, but the evil does not stop with them and those immediately connected with him.

A brief history of one piece of legislation in Ohio is sufficient to illustrate our meaning.

Two years ago the legislature of the state of Ohio passed the Scott law, which taxed liquor sellers $200 annually. In as much as this legislature was Republican, politically, the ire of the brewing interest was directed at that organization. The Brewer has no politics. He cares nothing for banks, tariffs, internal improvements, or anything of the sort. He has a profit on beer of from $1 to $2 per barrel, and all the interest he has in politics is to insure the continuance of the business, the making of as many consumers of beer as possible, and the privilege of selling to them week-days and Sundays, unrestrained by law.

The Democratic party were not slow to take advantage [illegible] on the part of Republicans. They met the Brewer at a secret meeting, and this bargain was made:—

The Democracy agreed to permit the Brewers to dictate the nominations for the legislature, and the vacancy on the Supreme Bench of the state, that the law should be either repealed or declared unconstitutional.

The Brewers agreed to organize the saloon-keepers in the interest of the Democracy, and to furnish all the money for campaign purposes.

The bargain was carried out by the Brewers to the letter. They raised more money for campaign purposes than had ever been used in a state election, and the Republicans, not anticipating this new element in politics were caught napping. Hoadly was elected Governor and the Democratic candidate for supreme judge and a Democratic legislature.

The Democracy were loth to carry out the infamous bargain. The Democratic legislature balked immediately, and tried to compromise on something less than a repeal of the law, but the brewers would accept nothing less than what they had bought and paid for. The brewers and the legislature quarrelled all the winter, and the legislature adjourned without doing anything.

The Brewers were firm and uncompromising. Before the October election this year they reminded the Democracy of their breach of faith by abstaining from active interference, giving them warning of what would happen in November if the bargain was not carried out. The only way left to do it was by the Supreme court, and the villainous compact was consummated the latter part of October.

A partisan Supreme court, elected by the Brewer's for the purpose, declared the Scott law unconstitutional, which not only frees the Brewers from any further interference, but compels the counties to refund the money already collected, which aggregates, in the state, something over $3,000,000.

What we want to impress upon our readers, is the fact that beer and whisky is a power, which, as parties are divided and are likely to be, holds the balance of power in all the states, controlling not only the legislative and executive branches of the state governments, but the judicial. They control the political actions of the thousands of saloon-keepers, whom they own, body, soul, boots and breeches; they have millions of dollars and the most lucrative business in the world at stake, and they are utterly and entirely without interest in matters political except as it effects their peculiar traffic.

Ohio stands before the world as a state whose executive, legislative and judicial departments are the mere instruments of the liquor interest of the state, elected by this interest, under a bargain to carry out its behests. It is not the farmers, merchants and manufacturers of Ohio who control the government of the state; it is the Brewers and their satellites, the keepers of the saloons. One interest governs the state of Ohio.

Is the interest that makes criminals and fosters criminally the fit repository of the law-making power?

Is the interest which is at war with law and order, with the schools and churches, the proper one to govern a country, the existence of which depends entirely upon the intelligence and virtue of the people?

Is the interest that is hand-in-glove with crime, which is the fountain head of everything that is debasing and degrading, the interest that thrives only upon crime, and which is the parent of disorder, the interest to control the Government?

In Ohio it has seized the legislative and executive departments, and has forced its way upon the supreme bench. For the first time in the history of the state, a judge has been elected, not to construe law, but for the specific purpose of destroying a law. For the first time in the history of the state a partisan decision has been made, by a judge whose election was in pursuance of a bargain.

If this is done in the green tree what will it be in the dry? If this can be done in the state why not in the Nation? If Ohio can be captured by the brewers, what state is safe?

There is but one way to curtail the power of this fiendish interest, and this is to kill it. There is no intermediate way. To license it is to give it as much power for evil as ever, and to make a crime legal and respectable. To attempt any restraint is to give it the sanction of the law. Absolute Prohibition is the only way to rid the country of it. To do anything else is to nurse it, and give it the power to protect itself. The only thing to do is for practical men to take hold of a movement the object of which is to kill the traffic.

A MAN named Wildes was arrested at Ft. Keogh, Mont., a few days ago for smuggling clothing over the line from Canada. Wildes is one of a party whose operations have been through the Northwest taking orders for clothing at very low rates, which orders were sent to the Ontario Clothing Manufacturing Company and then by the aid of half-breeds and others smuggled over the line. The goods were then deposited at the nearest express office, directed to the customers.

THE report that France and China had arrived at satisfactory agreement for the settlement of their difficulties has been confirmed. China recognizes the Tien Tsin treaty, and an armistice has been arranged so as to settle the Tonquin frontier question.

JAMES COMMINS, while attempting to enter the saloon of John Criss, at Akron, Ohio, through the back yard a few days ago, was seized by a black bear which is kept chained in the yard, and was terribly chewed up. The right knee was fairly eaten out, the bones being crushed and tendons pulled out. The leg will be amputated.

PROBABLY the only vote in Indiana for Belva Lockwood was cast at the Sixth ward polls, Vincennes, that State, by Mrs Dr. Mason, a highly respected lady. She walked up to the polls and said she wanted to vote. Her appearance created great surprise, but through courtesy the crowd of politicians stepped back, lifted their hats and allowed her to approach the window. The Inspector asked her what she wanted, and Mrs. Mason replied with a smile, that she wanted to vote for Mrs. Lockwood. She then handed him a little piece of white paper on which was written, "For President of the United States, Mrs. Belva Lockwood." Mrs. Mason then withdrew. The ballot was counted.

REAR ADMIRAL ALEXANDER MURRAY died at Washington on the 10th, aged sixty-six years. He participated in the war with Mexico and in the naval conflicts of the Rebellion.

REV. CHARLES F. BARNARD, an eminent divine of Boston, died on the 10th, aged [illegible] years.

ADVICES from Turk's Island, under date of the 2d, state that the brig John E. Haskell, Captain Paine, sailed from Wavassa, October 11, for Baltimore with guano. She encountered a hurricane on October 14 and sprung a leak, which rapidly increased, and the brig was abandoned on the 16th, and the crew, eight in number, took to the boats and made Caicos Island. In attempting to land the boat was capsized and all on board except the Captain and one sailor named Henry Grant were drowned.

THE final report of the National Cotton Exchange, issued at New Orleans on the 10th, estimates the cotton crop of the United States for this year at 5,726,000 bales, or a trifle larger than last year. Should the prospects of the top crop in certain sections be realized, some 75,000 bales may be added. In Texas there was a large decrease, and in the Mississippi valley the crop is not quite up to last season, but the Atlantic States and Alabama show gains to offset these deficiencies.

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FOR SALE.—House and lot on Bidwell street will be sold very cheap. Apply at once to
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GO EAST FOR FLORIDA.—Now is your time to buy an organ, piano, musical instruments, and sewing machines at bottom prices. A No. 10 upright Chickering and Duplex Ithica piano at wholesale prices. Three desirable houses and lots and my business building will be sold at low figures. Also a 7 year old bay mare, buggies, harness &c. If you want bargains call at once while you have a large stock to select from. Several second hand organs and sewing machines nearly as good as new.
G. P. SPARKS.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

CIDER APPLES WANTED.—Cash for cider apples at J. B. Hause & Bros.' mill, at Clinton. We take our apples by weight, 50 lbs. per bush.
J. B. HAUSE & BRO.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses.
SLAYTON & SON.

A SINGLE BUGGY—Almost as good as new. For sale cheap. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer.
A. A. KENNEDY.

BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the Griffiths shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Intertering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection.
W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

Miss Franc Emory, of Adrian, is visiting in Tecumseh.

See what Adams says about Gold Mouldings in the business notices.

Miss Minnie Keeney has resigned her position as teacher in the public schools.

Mr. J. R. Markle, of Detroit, was in town yesterday, looking up the project of starting an Electric Light plant in Tecumseh. Several merchants were interviewed and a committee will soon be appointed to investigate the subject.

Special religous services are now being held in the Methodist Episcopal Church. Preaching every evening after a short prayer meeting. The pastor is assisted by Mrs. Rev. J. H. Burleson, of Larimie City, W. T., who is an accomplished solo singer. Seats free, and a welcome to all. The meeting will probably continue through next week.

F. W. Corbet, General Agent for W. E. Allen & Co's. publications, has rooms at the Exchange Hotel, where he will be pleased to meet any number of lady or gentleman canvassers, who may wish to engage in a lucrative employment, either on salary or commission. Experienced agents are also wanted to act as general managers.

Macon Grange, No. 157, will hold an open grange on Friday, the 21st, at 7:30 P. M., with the following programme:

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Rec—Cammilla Mead.
Inst. Music—Anna Osborn.
Reading—Miss Maude Howell.
Essay—Miss Nelia Russell.
Song—Miss Josie Clarkson.
Reading—M. J. Martin.
Recitation—Miss Martha Linton.
Inst. Music—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Address—Dr. Geo. Howell.
Closing Song—Choir.

A CARD.

To the Electors of Lenawee County. Your earnest and liberal support in my late canvass for the office of State Senator, as well as the vote you gave me at the late election, demands of me a cheerful recognition to all for the liberal efforts made in my behalf. Although unsuccessful, nevertheless my unalloyed obligation is hereby extended to you all. And I shall in future feel under the most respectful obligation to the voters of Lenawee County for the liberal support given me in the late election.—Cambridge, Nov. 7, 1884.
CHAS. H. DEWEY.

HEDGE FENCES FOR FARMS.

The question of how to fence our farms is becoming a serious one, and the Dayton Hedge Co. of Dayton, O. claim to have settled it in favor of their hedge. A committee of farmers in this state investigated the hedge last summer, and also the responsibility of the company, and at the close of a long report, they say, "We feel that we can freely recommend the Dayton Hedge Co. and their plans to all farmers who need fences." In this committee were C. G. Luce of Coldwater, A. P. Halliday of Clinton, Z. Cook of Raisin, and P. J. VanVleet of Tecumseh. More than 150 miles of their hedge was planted in Lenawee county during the past season, and probably as much more will be set out next summer. This is a matter which farmers will do well to investigate. The fence costs no more than any other good fence, and will outlast, two or three times over, any common rail or board fence. We understand that Dell Goodrich, of Clinton, controls the four townships of Franklin, Clinton, Tecumseh and Macon, and is prepared to receive orders for the Dayton hedge from residents of those townships. It will pay you to see him.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 13, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Masonic meeting to-morrow evening.

Col. Eldredge's official plurality in this congressional district is 53.

Bro. Carr, of the Dundee Reporter drooped in on us last Tuesday.

The Blissfield Advance hangs out a sign, "Official paper of the county."

Dr. Geo. Howell's official majority in the first representative district is 79.

Geo. Lockwood has gone to Fowlerville, Mich., to do the butchering for Lewis Herning.

Rev. E. W. Borden will preach in Britton's Hall next Sunday evening at 7:00.

Eva Clement is at home again. Her friends are glad to welcome her and to learn that her health has been restored.

O. E. Hawkins, of the Milan Journal, was kicked in the forehead by a horse on Friday last. The horse was not injured.

Fred H. Burlingame has returned from Dundee and entered the employ of Dave Macham, where he would be pleased to see all his old friends.

Dr. Haynes and wife, of Dundee, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Tecumseh. John is receiving a good share of the business in that town.

Lewis Herning, wife and little girl left Tecumseh on Monday last for Fowlerville Mich., where Lewis has purchased a meat market. We wish him success in his new field.

Willie Mobbs, the delivery boy of Lowry's grocery, fell down the cellar stairs at the store on Friday evening last and received severe injuries, but he is again at the post of duty.

Mrs. Charles Hicks, of Oscoda, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Asa Rosacrans, arrived in Tecumseh on Friday last. Mrs. Hicks will remain here about two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Chet. Haynes has a fine boy baby. In the heat of the canvass he made a pledge to name the boy after the successful presidential candidate. Chet. voted for Blaine, but he will stick to his word and name the boy Grover Cleveland.

In the fall of 1860 Mrs. Judge Stacy stored away a lot of fine tallow intending to mould it into candles with which to illuminate the house in honor of Stephen A. Douglas's election. Owing to circumstances beyond her control it was not used for that purpose. That tallow has been seasoning in the cellar for twenty four years. Last Tuesday it was taken from its hiding place, Mrs. Charley Brown moulded it into candles, and those candles illuminated the old mansion last evening.

Last Tuesday morning a large party left Tecumseh for Florida, twenty eight in all, consisting of the following persons; Dr. E. Hause, wife and daughter; J. B. Swan, wife and two children; M. Wheelan of Franklin, wife and two children; Mr. Jordan of Macon; Andrew Wilson of Franklin; F. Taylor of Ridgeway; J. Lane and wife of Holloway; Chas. Brooks of Clinton, and John Hiftline of Adrian. Some of these parties go there for a temporary visit, but most of them will remain through the winter. Dr. Hause goes to his plantation at Sorrento; Mr. Swan goes to Kerr City, Marion County, where his orange grove is located.

A pleasant surprise was made Mr. and Mrs. A. Stearns, at their residence on last Saturday evening. The occasion was the 46th anniversary of their wedding day. A beautiful hanging lamp, purchased by their friends, was presented by the Rev. G. W. Hudson, their pastor, in well chosen words. The sweet hymn "Shall we gather at the river" was heartily sung. After many expressions of friendship and esteem had been given, and a season of social entertainment enjoyed, the company retired, leaving the worthy couple in their quiet home.—Mr. and Mrs. Stearns wish to return their sincere thanks to the doners.

Adrian Times: Mr. H. S. Lee, of Tecumseh, is a tall, substantial looking gentleman, who wears a solid pair of whiskers and a genial expression, and his expression, it might be well to state, is fully substantiated by his actions. The only thing his friends record against him is his political complexion. Mr. Lee is the proprietor of the Patterson House, the elegant new hotel, of which Tecumseh people are beginning to make some well founded boasts. The hotel stands on Chicago street, and is a very finished structure throughout. It is provided with all the modern improvements, including the electric call bell system. It has eighteen sleeping rooms. A porch which is 24 feet long and 10 feet wide adds much to the attractiveness and comfort of the house. The building will be ready for business in about three weeks. The house will probably be leased to Landlord Delano, late of St. Clair.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M., Friday evening, Nov. 14th. Work in 3rd. degree.

John A. Merritt, an old Tecumseh boy, is the present Republican County Clerk of Niagara County, N. Y.

Rev. I. A. Eberhart, formerly of Tecumseh, will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday at the usual hour.

C. H. Dewey, Esq., of Cambridge, came down to attend the jollification last evening. He returned home this morning.

Rev. Wm. H. Puddefoot, formerly of Tecumseh, was in attendance at the Congregational Missionary meeting held at Clinton last Saturday.

The official count is progressing in New York. Forty counties have been canvassed and no material change made. It is now thought that whatever contest is made will be in New York city.

Blinn Tallman has placed the HERALD boys under obligation for some new cider. It was the genuine Cleveland & Hendricks article and sweet enough for a prohibitionist to take with impunity.

The Macon Prohibition Club will meet at Grange Hall Monday evening Nov. 17. All who sympathize with the temperance movement are invited to meet with us. Speakers are expected to be present.

Mr. Ephriam Darwin, an old resident of Tecumseh was in town on Monday. He left here in 1845, and has been living in Madison Wis. since 1851. He was here fifteen years ago on a visit, but the town has changed so much during that time that he hardly knew it.

Elegant invitations are out announcing a social party to be given by the "Owl Club" at Armory Hall on Wednesday evening, Nov. 26. As this will be the first dance of the season, there ought to be a good crowd. Supper will be served by the old reliable caterer, W. T. Eccles.

Attention Ladies—To the nice line of felts and trimmed goods, all prices to suit the times. Jersey caps, velvet hats, tinsil bonnets. Also, children's bonnets in a variety of shapes, desirable frames, orders made neat and promptly at Mrs. N. R. Brown's Millinery rooms, over Anderson's Dry Goods Store.

Several of our young men have organized a social club which they have designated the "Owl Club." They have procured rooms over H. E. Anderson's store, which have been nicely fitted up for head quarters. The members intend to conduct their affairs on a high moral plane, and no questionable conduct will be tolerated in the institution. The owl is the bird of wisdom, and the young men design to shape their actions in harmony with their name and trade mark.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

For some time you have not heard from the C. T. but the operators are not asleep. With rush of business, campaign speeches and election returns we get enough to keep the line from getting dull, and we think more of our line every day.

Clarence Cook and the Kimball boys assisted by some of the enterprising young men of Franklin, have worked up an adition to the west end of the line. It will take five miles of wire and one hundred and fifty poles and brackets. The poles are nearly all on the ground and they expect to have them set before cold weather. This will give us communication with Franklin Centre and within two miles of Sand Lake, to which place it will probably be put through next summer. Manager Bowen has already ordered the wire and brackets from the Detroit Electrical works.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hinkson, of Kent Co., are visiting at Ambrose Welch's.

A number of farmers are fall plowing for corn and oats in hopes to get ahead of the white grubs. It is a capital time for such work.

Abner Wilson claims to have raised more marketable cabbages from two acres of ground than any gardener in Tecumseh or Clinton.

Geo. Knapp is moving to town and will occupy Mr. P. C. Mills' residence, on Chicago St.

The country operators on C. T. line are under obligations to the village operators for election news the past week.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Abram Derby is supposed to be afflicted with a cancer.

Wesley Snooks has about completed the laying of stone for a cellar wall for Willis Smith's house.

Horatio Keyser goes to Adrian this week to attend court as a petit juror—pretty old to be courting.

Hiram Learnard has sold his farm being part of the old Merritt farm on the turnpike, to Ezra Simmons. This makes Ezra the largest land owner in Franklin. Mr. Learnard expects to go to Kansas soon.

B. C. Knapp offers to rent his farm and will then move to town. Retired farmers are getting numerous.

M. W. Sweet's men are having some difficulty in digging a well on Milburn Keyser's farm. They have reached a depth of 80 feet and no water.

LUMBER & BUILDING MATERIAL.

THE GROWTH AND PRESENT CONDITION OF THE HEAVY FIRM OF WOLCOTT TEMPLE & CO.

Where to Buy Lumber at Wholesale or Retail. A Large and Successful Business. One of the Strongest Establishments in Southern Michigan.

A large business is a thing of slow growth. Our heaviest and most productive business enterprises do not spring up, like a mushroom, in the middle of the night, but they are the result of years of hard work and careful management. The present firm of Wolcott Temple & Co. and the business controlled by them illustrate this fact. As early as 1865 Chatterdon, Kinney & Co. started a small lumber yard and sash factory at the North end of Pearl street in this village. The business about 1870 passed into A. W. Slayton's hands and afterwards into the control of Slayton & Caldwell. Two of the present partners, Isaac C. Wolcott and John S. Temple, bought the business in 1875, and three years ago Samuel McClure was admitted to the firm. They now own and control one of the best equipped planing mills and one of the largest stocked lumber yards in Southern Michigan.

Their mill is located on Bidwell street, north of the Lake Shore depot and adjoining a side track from which cars can be unloaded directly into their yards. The main building is thirty by one hundred feet in size, with an "ell" on the North side about forty by fifty feet and a separate engine and boiler room, the entire building except the boiler room being 2 stories high. An engine and boiler of large capacity furnish the motive power to run the machinery in the shop. The shop is now furnished with the following machines. One new 28 in. planer, bought two years ago; one new 24 in. planer and matcher; one new 8 in. four side moulder; one smaller moulder; one tenoner; one whittler; one mortiser; blind, slat and boring machines; sand paper machine; and a large assortment of saws and small machinery. One room of the shop in the north addition is rented to James H. Potter for a furniture factory, who leases both the room and the steam power to run his own machinery.

Across the corner from the planing mill is located the office, which is a neat two story building containing the business office and a room for finishing and glazing doors and windows. On the same corner is their main lumber yard, a lot eight by twelve rods in size which is literally packed with lumber, timber, shingles, lath, and all kinds of lumber in the rough. Across the West end of this lot is a covered shed which is used for the storage of mouldings and other light and dry material. A large two story shed for the storage of finished work is located East of the planing mill.

The firm manufacture and sell in large and small quantities building material of all kinds, which includes not only lumber, but lath, shingles, doors, blinds, windows, both sash and ready glazed, and mouldings of all kinds for interior work. Owing to the length of time they have been in business, they have extra facilities for purchasing lumber direct from the mills in Northern Michigan. They buy their lumber in large quantities at lowest cash price, and can sell accordingly. In the line of finished work they have established an excellent reputation. Many of the finest buildings in Tecumseh and surrounding towns, which have been erected within the past ten years, have been furnished from their yards and shops. Among the jobs turned out from their shops during the past summer may be mentioned these. The lumber and interior work for A. W. Mills' new house; the entire bill of lumber for Geo. S. Tiffany's new house on Chicago St; the lumber &c. for the Franklin parsonage; same for residences of George Walter and Joe Cramer of Manchester. They make a specialty of giving figures for farm houses and barns to include everything except mason work. During the past year they have furnished the material for new farm houses and barns in Tecumseh, Clinton, Macon, Ridgeway, Franklin, Raisin, Bridgewater, Blissfield, Saline, Cambridge, Addison, Pittsford, and many other towns in this vicinity. In addition to this local trade they frequently ship an invoice in car load lots into other states.

The firm early adopted the policy of employing good workmen and keeping them. Many of the employees in the shop have been there for ten years or more. The proprietors themselves are all practical men in the business. Mr. Temple has been engaged in that business over ten years and since entering this firm he has been the practical manager of the business. Mr. Wolcott had experience in that direction before he bought an interest in this firm. Mr. McClure has been for years a practical sash, door and blind maker, and he superintends that part of the shop.

The establishment, as now constituted, is admirably equipped for doing a large and lucrative business. First-class managers, the best of workmen, a complete shop, all the latest and most improved machinery and a full assortment of all kinds of lumber. It has taken a place among the most flourishing of Tecumseh's manufacturing industries and is destined to hold that position for many years to come.

LIBRARY LECTURE COURSE.

A Course of Six Entertainments to be Given This Winter—Four of Them Already Engaged.

The committee of the Library Association, having in charge the lecture course, have engaged four entertainments, and have presented their report to the public with an appeal for season tickets.

The first entertainment will be by The Redpath Lyceum Concert Co., on December 6th. The company is composed of the following eminent Solo Artists: Miss Ella M. Chamberlin, Whistling Soloist; Miss Edith Christie, Violin; Mr. Frank G. Reynolds, Humorist; Mr. Frank Gilder, Piano.

The novelty of Miss Chamberlin's whistling solos, in which field she is without a rival, the artistic skill of Miss Christie's violin playing, the rare humor of Mr. Gilder's masterly work as solo pianist and accompanist, have compelled the great popularity which this company has attained. This is a $200 company.

Probably an entertainment of some kind will be given during the last half of December.

On January 1, (New Year,) will appear the celebrated Schubert Quartette, J. L. Johnson, First Tenor, Homer F. Stone, Second Tenor, John R. Tyley, Baritone, Geo. H. Iott, Bass. A $200 company. Assisted by Miss Dora Hennings, Mezzo Soprano, Dramatic.

Miss Hennings ranks with the few great singers of the world, and is equally at home in concert, oratorio or opera. Miss Hennings is a tall, a most superb woman, with graceful, statuesque gesture, and possesses a rare rich full toned mezzo soprano voice, which has been well trained under the best masters. The Chicago Tribune says: "She is a singer of whom America ought to be proud."

About January 20th will appear William I. Marshall, formerly of Montana Territory. Subject—An evening in Wonderland; or, Yellowstone National Park. Illustrated with the Stereopticon. Part 1.—The Geysers and other Wonders of the Fire-Hole Valley. The Scenery of the Upper Yellowstone. The entertainment splendidly illustrated with dissolving Views by the Calcium Light Stereopticon, with brilliant Photographs from Nature.

"Worth a score of ordinary lectures."—Zion's Herald. "Should be repeated in every town in the United States."—N. Y. Observer.

Early in February they will have The Meigs Underhill Combination, consisting of the Meigs Sisters' Vocal Quartette, and Charles F. Underhill Humorous, Dramatic and Dialect Elocutionist, all of New York.

The Meigs Sisters' Vocal Quartette consists of Miss Hattie, first soprano; Miss Jennie, second soprano; Miss Edith, first contralto, and Miss Florence, second contralto. Great care has been taken with their musical education, and they have had for a *maestro* one of the best teachers of the metropolis. They possess rich and sympathetic voices, they sing in unison, and their execution shows the care and judgment that has been exercised in their instruction. Among their selections may be enumerated some of the quartettes of Mendelsohn, Schubert, Schuman, etc. Mr. Chas. F. Underhill occupies a foremost place in the ranks of public readers, and is a great favorite wherever he has appeared. His work harmonizes well with the singing of the young ladies.

Rev. J. H. Vincent, D.D., says: The Meigs Underhill combination spent several days at Chautauqua this season, to the delight of our great audiences. The Meigs Sisters are highly cultivated singers, rendering the most classical music with ease and effectiveness. Their charming part songs can never be excelled at Chautauqua. Mr. Underhill is a remarkable reader, a master of pathos and humor, and has a repertoire apparently inexhaustable. We expect to have them again next season.

The Committee expect to add two entertainments to be selected from the following: T. DeWitt Talmage; Robt. Collyer; Spanish Students; W. M. B. French, Popular Chalk Talk man; Elizabeth Mansfield Irving, Toledo's popular Elocutionist; Miss Helen Potter, Elocutionist and Impersonator; Stuart Rogers, Elocutionist and Impersonator; and others.

The selection will be determined largely by their success in selling season tickets. The proceeds of these entertainments, after paying expenses, will be used in purchasing new books for the Library. The Library now has about 800 volumes, has been well patronized during the first year of its existence, and they hope to make it one of the chief attractions of the village.

They have decided to put the tickets for the course of six first-class entertainments at the very low price of $1.50. Tickets for single entertainments, 35 cents each. Reserved seat ticket for single entertainment 50cts. for sale four days previous to each entertainment. Any holder of a season ticket can secure a reserved seat by paying 10cts. extra.

Evening News: Dave Bixby, one of the sweet singers of the last legislature, is the clerk-elect in Lenawee county. He is not the prettiest man on record but a more truly innocent and guilelessly good natured chap never looked through spectacles.

The M. & O. railroad company has passed into the hands of a receiver. J. A. Latcha, the former President of the road, has received the appointment.

The Democrats of Tecumseh held a jollification meeting last evening, and although the time for getting it up was very limited, and only an impromptu meeting was attempted, it was a very creditable affair. A torch-light procession headed by the Adrian band marched through the principal streets and finally brought up at the opera house where the crowd listened to speeches by C. H. Dewey, Esq. and Judge Stacy. Some of the stores in town were illuminated and a large number of private residences, the following on the line of march: Frank Bunnamy, H. J. Snell, Harry Lee, Geo. Wilson, E. H. Hoag, S. W. Temple, P. C. Temple, C. F. Field, A. Harden burg, E. B. Wood, J. H. Smith, Chas. Gray, Hessie Cupples, John Whitenack, C. A. Stacy, W. Orr, John J. Orr, John Orr, Sr., Morris Hyde, John Hialey, Wm. Hayden, Delos Whitenack, A. J. Palmer, T. P. Keyser, Alfred James, James Boyd. We understand that several other houses were lighted up, but as they were off the line of march we have been unable to gather them.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

The December number received closes the sixteenth volume of this admirable publication, and it is even more than usually interesting. Now is the time to subscribe, and the new volume promises to be one of brilliant character. In the present number "Raffelio Sanzio De Urbino," "The Capital of Georgia," "Schiller, the Poet of Freedom," etc., are prominent articles, beautifully illustrated. Alfreton Hervey still continues the interesting sketches, "Sacred Musicians of the XIXth Century": the editor, Dr. Talmage, has a characteristic article, "The Epidemic of Swindle," and sermon in the Home Pulpit, "The Dumb Prayer Answered." There are also serial and short stories, sketches, essays and poems by favorite writers, and a miscellany abundant and entertaining. The illustrations are numerous and fine specimens of art. The price is only 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year, post-paid. Mrs. Frank Leslie, publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, N. Y.

The November term of the Circuit Court commenced at Adrian last Tuesday, with a large calendar. The first day of the session was consumed in call of calendar, sentencing prisoners who pleaded guilty etc. The jury was called yesterday morning.

—Picture frames at Adams' novelty store. We have received a new line of Gold Mouldings for picture frames in flat and deep pattern, which will be made up at very low prices for goods. Please call and examine.

—Now is the time to get your old cutters painted. Remember W. H. Ford paints them at bottom prices at Cummins' old shop.

—New stock of hanging and stand lamps at Adams' novelty store.

—Buckwheat Flour.—Choice new Buckwheat Flour at
Slayton & Son's.

Go to Arnold's Bakery for Taffy of all kinds. They manufacture it fresh daily.

—Christmas and Holiday goods at Adams' novelty store.

—I wish to say.—Parties wanting work done in my line will find it to their advantage to call on me. I have painted over 80 buggies since the first of January last and my customers have been well satisfied. W. H. Ford.

—Mrs. A. E. Ure of the New York Millinery, Adrian, will be at the Lilley House on Tuesday afternoon and evening for a few weeks, in sample Room No. 22, entrance on Rail Road street, with a line of Millinery Goods, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets; also, a stock of Hair Goods. Velvet hats and bonnets made over on all the new frames. Tips and plumes curled to look equal to new.

—The best Taffy in town is that manufactured at Arnold's Star Bakery.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—All kinds of Taffy at the Star Bakery.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Pictures taken in one second, by the new instantaneous process, at
Brown's Art Gallery.

—Sewing Machines, Needles, oil and attachments at Brown's Art Gallery.

—Massillon Cannel—Cleaner, Better and Cheaper than wood for cook stoves and grates. Try it. Sold only by S. W. Temple, Tecumseh.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream.
A. E. Kennedy.

—The largest assortment of Picture Frames, Mats and Albums, at
Brown's Art Gallery.

—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—When the bell strikes, all listen, for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy.
A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the voice of the gong.
A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS, H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing, and General Machinery; also Manufacturers of Agricultural Implements, Drain Tile Machine, Sweeney's Block Machine, etc.

WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders in course of distribution and dividends to the insured, $[illegible]. Total premiums received, $[illegible]. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses and mortuary claims, $[illegible]. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years compared by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $[illegible]. Surplus over four per cent. reserve, $[illegible].

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET, J. W. Cole, Proprietor. Dealer in Fresh and Salt Meats, Fish, Poultry, etc., Chicago st.

DAVE MACHAM, Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser. Shop on Railroad st.

CURRY & BOSTWICK, Fashionable Barbers and Hair Dressers. Shop adjoining Post Office, Chicago st.

CHAS. A. WALDO, Dentist. All modern processes. Office over Post Office. Chicago st.

HOTELS.

LILLEY HOUSE, Chicago street, Tecumseh. This house has been thoroughly renovated throughout, and is kept as a first-class house. Good sample rooms on the first floor. Rates reasonable. W. H. Lilley, Proprietor.

DURNETT HOUSE, Clinton, Lenawee Co., Mich. This well-known and favorite resort is now under the management of the proprietor, and is a favorite resort for commercial travelers and others. Rates reasonable and accommodations to suit the times. O. Durnett.

RICE'S
TEMPERANCE HOTEL
Cor. Congress & Brush sts., DETROIT, MICH.
RATES—$1 to $1.25 per day, Single Meals 30c, Lodgings 35 to 50 cents.
We have a specialty of Dining and Lunch, ready at 11:30 sharp. Come early and be served promptly.

COOK HOUSE, ANN ARBOR, MICH. E. D. Harris, Proprietor. This popular house has been entirely refitted and refurnished throughout, and is in all its departments a first-class hotel. Special rates to commercial travelers. Free 'bus.

SLAYTON & SON
Are better prepared to show it to the public than ever before, with the best goods in their line. Their stock of
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS!
Is complete, consisting of
PLOWS, (SOUTH BEND, WIARD, OLIVER.) Walking.
THE CASSADY SULKY PLOW.
Kalamazoo Spring Tooth Harrow,
Elwood New Robbins and Buckeye
CULTIVATORS.
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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Dr. Tanner, the faster, has gone to Mexico to live on a ranch.

—Olive Logan is living in Brampton, Eng., and writing a novel.

—There are more than 513,000 volumes in the Congressional library, besides about 170 pamphlets.

—Sutro, the great engineer, is to give San Francisco a public library, to cost several hundred thousand dollars.

—The history of the Rothschilds is being written by a member of the house, who is well known in Paris for his literary tastes and talent.

—Poet Will M. Carleton was recently married and has settled in Brooklyn. His wife's Christian name is Betsy, but they are not reported as "out" so far.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—Great Ben Franklin's memory is honored in the naming of the Society Franklin at Paris. The object of the society is to assist in the establishment of public libraries throughout France.

—The finest trait in the character of the late John W. Garrett was his devotion to his wife. He did three-fourths of his business in his library at home, with his wife at the table beside him.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—At the southeastern corner of Lafayette Square, Washington, now resides the venerable Peter Parker, the first American Minister in China, and in honor of whom, in such connection, the Park Commission have planted immediately opposite a row of genuine Ginko trees from Japan.—*Washington Star.*

—Mat O'Reardon, the song-writer, who died in the Louisville Charity Hospital a few days ago, was the originator of the musical glasses, music produced by rubbing the fingers about the rim of tumblers partially filled with water. He is said to have written the popular song, "My Dream of Love is O'er" soon after he discovered that the love he bore for Alice Oates was not reciprocated.

—In Washington they tell that John McCullough once, when playing there, went out to the hotel at Cabin John's Bridge for dinner, and thoughtlessly tarried there until a quarter past seven, when, for the first time, he remembered that he must appear on Ford's stage as Spartacus at 8:20 precisely. And he was fourteen miles away from that stage. It took five minutes to get the swiftest horse at the hotel harnessed to a light wagon, and there remained just an hour for the drive and to dress in. Mr. McCullough came on the stage only five minutes later, and never played Spartacus better in his life than then.

HUMOROUS.

—A local paper says, rather ambiguously, that the Cornell freshmen class this year will embrace twenty young women.—*N. Y. Independent.*

—"Do cats think?" queries a writer. Yes, they sometimes think that the man up in the window with the night-cap on is a mighty poor shot with a boot-jack.

—"The half dollar of 1825 is not rare," says a Philadelphia authority. Indeed, no. It is the half dollar of 1884 that is rare.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—When Clara was asked what she would do if a nice young gentleman would ask her hand in marriage, she naively replied: "I don't think I'd no."—*Yonkers Statesman.*

—An absent-minded teacher amused her class at the re-opening of a school the other day. Having carefully received the names in the class from each member, she said: "I shall now call the roll, to see if you are all present."

—Mother: "Do hurry up, Robbie; unless you hurry more you'll never be anything of a business man when you grow up." Robbie: "O, yes, I will, ma. When I grow up and go into business, I'll have a lot of clerks to do my hurrying for me."—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Bound to Whistle:

Oh, whistle, daughter, whistle, and you shall have a cow;
I never whistled in my life, and I can't whistle now.

Oh, whistle, daughter, whistle, and you shall have a man;
I never whistled in my life, but I'll whistle if I can.

—It is claimed that a new species of hippopotamus has been discovered on a remote part of the River Nile. This intelligence will be received with a degree of great satisfaction. Next to another professional base-ball club, there was nothing this country yearned for with a more yearning yearnfulness than a new species of hippopotamus.—*Norristown Herald.*

—"What's the matter with your eye, old man; somebody hit you?" "Yes. I told Smith last night that he was no gentleman and he busted me one." "Did you wipe out the insult?" "I didn't, but I went right home and my wife wiped it out as well as she could. I may have to outgrow some of it." "Good day; there comes Smith now."—*Burlington Hawk-eye.*

—The other evening quite a chill was in the air, and George ventured out on Sixth Avenue with his girl. "The night air is chilly," he said, with a little shiver. "If you were more warmly clad I would ask you to have some ice cream but that thin muslin dress, and——" "I am not at all cold!" the girl interrupted. "To be sure I might have thrown something over my shoulders; but, George, dear, think how warmly I am wrapped up in you." At this George's fears gave way, and a few moments later a smartly-dressed waiter was deferentially inclining his ear.—*N. Y. Independent.*

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"Why, don't you take the daily papers at the house?" was asked of a miss of sixteen, who was looking up and down Howard street for a newsboy yesterday afternoon.

"Oh, yes; but about every other morning father suppresses them and we must go without the news."

"Why should he do that?"

"There's probably another elopement with a coachman, and he doesn't want me to see the particulars."

"And so you buy the papers?"

"Just so—all the morning and evening issues, and I read 'em to the last line. Pa is a dear, good old fellow, but if he gets ahead of me he's got to stop the printing presses instead of the papers."—*Detroit Free Press.*

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"At last
I was taken! So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
Toledo	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Morenci	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Clayton	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Berryman	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 12 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Berryman	10 22 "	7 37 "	.....
Clayton	11 19 "	8 52 "	8 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Morenci	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 30 "
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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 10	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 33	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 01	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Bakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Bakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
25	7 05	Lv. ..... Toledo ..... Ar.	9 30	4,55
30	7 14	..... Manhattan Junction	9 26	4 48
37	7 23	..... Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
48	7 35	..... Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
55	7 40	..... Swanton	9 03	[illegible]
59	8 00	..... Lake	8 47	4 04
14	8 15	..... Monroe Junction	8 42	3 59
23	8 30	..... Dundee	8 30	3 50
32	8 37	..... Macon	8 26	3 45
37	8 46	..... Azalia	8 20	3 40
43	8 59	..... Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
46	9 03	..... Milan	8 06	3 22
51	9 09	..... Nora	7 59	3 17
58	9 22	..... Urania	7 52	3 10
67	9 32	..... Pittsfield	7 40	3 02
70	9 50	..... Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
77	10 15	..... Leland	7 12	2 30
85	10 22	..... Worden	7 06	2 25
90	10 35	Ar. ..... South Lyon ..... Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A....Toledo ..L	5 10	11 10	
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	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
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THE OFFICIAL COUNT.

The Canvassing of the Electoral Vote of New York State to be Begun This Afternoon.

Roscoe Conkling Retained by the Democratic National Committee—Sensible Words from Ex-Senator McDonald, of Indiana.

NEW YORK, November 11.—The Republican National Headquarters are practically closed, but the committee has leased the building until the 15th prox. and will there confer until that date. John Vrooman, of the Republican State Committee, said yesterday that the Democrats claim only 861 in the State and that the Democratic investigation of returns in this city had thus far cut down that number by errors in Mr. Cleveland's favor, leaving only 436.

At the Democratic State Committee's Headquarters, however, the statement was made: "We are all right and are only struggling now to save what is already ours."

The Democrats claim to have received a letter from Indiana alleging that John C. New and others had matured a plan to raise the returns in certain counties, and that in Brown's district, in one county, the returns had been raised some hundreds. It also states that in one precinct in Troy twenty affidavits have been secured tending to prove that more Butler votes were cast than were counted.

Hon. Roscoe Conkling has consented to act as counsel for the Democratic National and State Committees in any question that may arise in relation to the pending canvass. Mr. Conkling was in consultation at the Hoffman House last night with a number of lawyers who are also to appear should there be any occasion. Among the gentlemen present were Aaron J. Vanderpool, James C. Carter, Francis C. Barlow, Franklin Bartlett, Francis L. Stetson, Edward R. Bacon, E. Ellery Anderson, Chas. P. Miller and Francis M. Scott.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. November 11.—Hon. Joseph E. McDonald was shown a dispatch from A. P. Gorman to Chairman Henderson yesterday and had the following to say in regard to the political situation:

"I think that proclamation of Mr. Barnum calling upon Democrats everywhere to fire guns, and, in other respects, treat the election of Cleveland as a settled fact, was all wrong. I think, also, that there was no warrant for an exchange of congratulatory messages between Cleveland and Hendricks and that it would have been better if Blaine had not sent any message announcing the belief that the Republicans had carried New York. My opinion is there ought not to be a single gun fired until the result was finally and officially announced. The vote in New York is altogether too close for either party to claim the State with absolute certainty. This is not the time for inflammatory speeches, but good citizens should be prepared to await quietly and calmly a peaceable settlement of the question by proper authorities. My fear is that if a single gun be fired by either party against the other in any of those demonstrations, it might endanger Federal union, and I think everything should be done to allay party spirit instead of inflaming the public by speeches such as some gentlemen have thought proper to deliver in the last few days.

BUFFALO, November 11.—A special from Albany to the *Evening News* says: "There is an air of fixed belief here that a bold and unscrupulous attempt is being hatched to count out Governor Cleveland. Leading Democrats in different parts of the State have been telegraphed to increase their vigilance. The employment of William M. Evarts by the Republicans has led to solicitations that Roscoe Conkling be employed to represent the independent Republicans, who are convinced of Cleveland's election. There is considerable uneasiness here. Men talk determinedly and definitely that they will not submit to any fraud or manipulation of the returns. Governor Cleveland is cool and collected. He is watching events now very closely. Yesterday morning several well-known Democratic lawyers were in consultation with Deputy Attorney General Maynard, and every legal precaution is being taken to insure a fair count. It would take but little to precipitate a crisis.

ALBANY, November 11.—A large number of congratulatory telegrams were received by Governor Cleveland yesterday from prominent men throughout the country and many distinguished persons called on him to pay their respects. The Governor was quite busy all day and retired to the Executive Mansion at six o'clock pretty well tired out. He expresses no fears of the result, being assured that the figures already published cannot be materially changed by the official canvass.

PITTSBURGH, November 10.—In an interview this morning with G. M. Laughlin, and another member of the firm of Jones & Laughlin, of which B. F. Jones, Chairman of the National Republican Committee, is senior member, Mr. Laughlin informed a representative of the *Leader* that no private information had been received by the firm on the situation in New York State since Wednesday last. He says Mr. Jones is a man of the strictest integrity, a very close and careful calculator, and is perfectly satisfied that in no manner could he be influenced or induced to make any statement regarding the correctness of which there was the slightest doubt. "Not only do I believe that Mr. Jones is sincere in his conviction that Mr. Blaine has carried New York State, but that he has the data to base his conviction upon."

BOSTON, November 11.—The total corrected vote of Massachusetts for President and Governor was as follows: President, Blaine, 143,436; Cleveland, 119,240; Butler, 23,866; St. John, 10,200. Total, 296,742. Blaine's plurality, 24,196; opposition majority, 9,870. For Governor, Robinson, 155,097; Endicott, 108,260; McCafferty, (peoples candidate) 23,552; Seelip (pro.) 8,241. Robinson's plurality, 46,837; Robinson majority, 15,044.

ALBANY, N. Y., November 11.—The State Board of Canvassers to canvass the vote of each county will meet in the Secretary of State's office at Albany at noon Wednesday, November 19, and it may take five days for them to complete their work, adjourning over from day to day. This will all depend on whether there is any controversy before the Board. As matters look now, there will be controversies.

NEW YORK, November 10.—General Barlow, one of the lawyers representing the friends of Cleveland in the matter of securing an honest count in this State, said today the situation was simply this: A plurality of the immense vote of this State was confidently claimed for Cleveland and it was probable that in most cases this claim was based on the certified copies of election returns which were filed with the clerks. It would be only natural to suppose that after the returns had been examined and counted over and over again for four or five days there would be no difference in the results obtained by honest men familiar with figures. The fact was, however, that the totals announced by the newspapers friendly to Cleveland showed a variance of several hundred votes from each other, leaving the claims of the Blaine managers out of the question. This being the case it was not impossible that the results of the official canvass would differ somewhat from some of the returns most generally accepted, but any changes were as likely to be in favor of Cleveland as of Blaine, and the former had a margin of from 1,000 to 1,200 or more votes to draw upon. As to the result of the examination of the returns of the city presidential vote made by himself and other lawyers, General Barlow said that his associates did not think it advisable to announce their exact figures. He would say, however, that they made some changes in the vote on both sides, but the difference did not cause any material alteration in the vote as commonly announced, and that it was nothing like the 425 claimed in favor of Blaine.

The *Mail and Express* says: "The members of the Republican National Committee are still unwavering in their belief that Blaine has received a plurality of the votes in this State. They await with perfect composure the result of the official canvass which will be begun in the sixty counties at one p. m. to-morrow. They advise all Republicans to be cool and temperate in action and language and to avoid any exhibition of an inflammatory character. The Democratic scare-crow about altering returns is the silliest nonsense. The returns were filed in the offices of the clerks of the several counties four days ago, and the only alterations now possible is the judicial revision to which both parties must bow. The developments of the past twenty-four hours indicate even better prospects for Blaine than did those of Saturday."

The missing returns of the Twenty-fourth Election District of the First Assembly District has been found. It was unearthed to-day in the Mayor's office among the tally lists which are required to be deposited there. It was left there by mistake by one of the poll clerks on the day after election. The arrested inspectors are not out of trouble yet, however, as the return just found makes only two filed, while the law says three shall be filed. The return found agrees precisely with the figures already published. The envelope was sealed and intact and the return was correct, except that no vote whatever appears opposite the names of the candidates for City Comptroller. The imprisoned inspectors will be arraigned before Judge Duffy in the Tombs this afternoon and remanded until to-morrow. They will then probably be discharged, as they are only guilty of negligence.

Everything is in readiness for the commencement of the official canvass of the votes by the Board of Aldermen, sitting as a Board of Supervisors, to-morrow. The Aldermen will meet at noon to-morrow in the County Clerk's office and organize as a Board of Supervisors, be sworn in and proceed to the City Hall. Some forty clerks will be appointed, as the work this year is very heavy, and the name of each Presidential elector will have to be called out and will consume a great deal of time. The law provides that the canvass shall be completed and transmitted to the Secretary of State within twenty days after election day. It is not probable that any of the votes will be canvassed to-morrow as the board will only organize and make its appointment and map out the work for each succeeding day. Messrs. Miller, Vanderpool, Barlow, Stetson and Stickney will be present during the canvass to guard the interests of the Democrats. The Republicans will probably have William M. Evarts, Clarence A. Seward, General Tracy and Colonel Bliss to see that there is a fair count for Blaine and to meet any objections or legal points that may arise. The canvass will occupy at least ten days, provided no legal complications arise.

DEATH OF AN EMINENT DIVINE.

Rev. Charles F. Barnard, a Well-Known Minister of Boston, Passes Away, Aged Seventy-six Years.

BOSTON, November 11.—Rev. Charles F. Barnard is dead, aged seventy-six. He was a member of the famous 1829 class at Harvard, having for classmates Robert C. Winthrop, Geo. S. Hillard, Oliver Wendell Holmes, Thomas B. Fox, Henry Bowditch, James Freeman Clarke and others. He was a life-long pastor in Boston. He started the first chapel for the children of his neighborhood, and in a month he joined his school to that of Rev. John Pierpoint in the Hollis Street Church, he officiating. He forecast the social element in churches of the present time in a day when no other church or Sunday school in Boston, perhaps in the United States, included in its plan a parlor and playroom with walls covered with classic engravings. He opened a large free public library in the chapel, which, until the opening of the city public library was widely useful. His early efforts in those directions made it easy many years later for the Young Men's Christian Association and Union to succeed. He was also the originator of the Boston public garden and founder of the first public hot house. He originated the American Social Science Association and was instrumental in forming many other philanthropic societies.

Again Shut Out.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., November 11.—The Baltimore & Ohio Express Company has been again denied means of exit from New York City by a notification from the Erie and American Express companies, which by virtue of previous contracts with the Rochester & Pittsburgh Company, control the traffic on the latter road. The Baltimore & Ohio had commenced running a fast freight from New York to this city over the West Shore, thence over the Rochester & Pittsburgh, and the Pittsburgh & Western to New Castle, where it reached the B. & O., but this leaves the B. & O. without facilities of getting freight out of New York westward.

Frank Hurd Will Contest the Election of Romeis.

TOLEDO, O., November 10.—Frank Hurd said yesterday that he has decided to contest the election of Romeis. He claims that he has already discovered errors sufficient to reduce Romeis' majority from 220 to 99 outside of Lucas County. He says there is one error of 99 in Erie County, and that he knows of 51 in Lucas County. He now feels satisfied that he was legally elected.

Horrible Suicide of an Insane Woman.

MILLBROOK, Mich., November 10.—Mrs. W. S. Howd, aged fifty, and for several years a resident of this place, locked herself in a room last evening at an early hour, poured kerosene oil over herself and set fire to it, but was discovered soon after. She died of her injuries this morning. Temporary insanity led to the act.

First Assistant Postmaster General.

WASHINGTON, November 10.—The President this afternoon appointed Governor John Crosby, of Montana, to be First Assistant Postmaster General, which was made vacant by the promotion of Mr. Hatton to the Postmaster Generalship.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

The greatest distance ever ridden on a bicycle without dismounting is said to be 230 miles 460 yards. The feat was accomplished in London in 1880.

Time Tried.

Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which combines the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. It cures promptly, thoroughly and permanently, all coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, bronchitis, hoarseness, incipient consumption, and all throat and lung diseases, healing to the lungs; safe and pleasant for children. Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free of Baker & Hall.

A fashionable New York barber told a reporter the other day that there are men who have worn wigs for years and their wives do not suspect it.

As a purifier, Ayer's Sarsaparilla acts directly and promptly. A single bottle will prove its merits. Many thousands of people are yearly saved from dangerous fevers by the exercise of a little timely care in properly cleansing the system by the use of this remedy.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

A Brooklyn clergyman declares that "the eternal glory of heaven would be incomplete without a background of infinite woe to set it in relief."

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Time is Money.

The harrowing pain of Rheumatism the spending of money, sometimes even to the last dollar, for useless medicines, are bad enough, dear knows. But many cases are aggravated, if not made desperate, by the fact that the sufferer is mind-sick over loss of time, which he cannot afford. Just here the merits of ATHLOPHOROS are most forcibly proved. It operates directly and speedily, and saves time and money which would otherwise be wasted in vain experiments with worthless medicines.

Thirty thousand patents were issued last year in great Britain, against only 20,000 in this country. Our inventors must bestir themselves.

Something for all the Preachers.

Rev. H. H. Fairall, D. D., editor of the Iowa Methodist, says editorially, in the November (1883) number of his paper, "We have tested the merits of Ely's Cream Balm, and believe that, by a thorough course of treatment, it will cure almost every case of catarrh. Ministers, as a class, are afflicted with head and throat troubles, and catarrh seems more prevalent than ever. We cannot recommend Ely's Cream Balm too highly." Not a liquid nor a snuff. Applied to nostrils with the finger.

Two men at work on Beech Mountain, near Forestburg, N. Y., killed 51 rattlesnakes, ranging from 18 inches to 4 feet in length.

Physician's Wine of the Oporto Grape.

Physicians say they have been using Speer's Port Grape Wine for years to the entire satisfaction of their patients and themselves, and take great pleasure in recommending the Port, Burgundy and Claret to the public as the most reliable they can find. The Port is especially recommended for consumptives, the aged and females generally. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

There are still living in Rochester, N. Y., 69 persons who voted at the first charter election, fifty years ago.

Extract from Letter.

"In the winter of 1877 8, I was confined to the house 3 or 4 months and to the bed 4 weeks with Rheumatism. I could get no relief. I began using Henry & Johnson's Arnica & Oil Liniment, and in ten days by the use of half a bottle I was cured. Nathan Jewett, East Haddam, Ct."

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A Georgia paper is inclined to believe that the fancy for Jersey cattle is a craze.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

Lieutenant Greely will make his home in Washington this winter, having engaged a house in the West End. It is expected that he will be one of the social lions.

In the annual report of Colonel McCauley, commandant of the Marine Corps, to the Secretary of the Navy, he states that the marine corps is inadequate, a large number of privates and First Lieutenants being necessary and provision for a rearranging of officers, allowing large numbers of the higher grades, being desirable. The quarters for the troops on short duty are reported to be good except at Norfolk, where quarters for officers are necessary, and an appropriation of $20,000 should be made for improvements.

The treaty for the reciprocal passage of the American and Mexican troops across the boundary line has been extended to October 2, 1885.

The Secretary of the Treasury has received the annual report of Hon. Walter Evans, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1884. The total receipts from all sources of Internal Revenue taxation for the year was $121,[illegible] as compared with $144,[illegible] for the year 1883, $146,528,278 for the year 1882, and $130,229,912 for the year 1881. It is estimated that $115,000,000 will be collected the present fiscal year.

THE EAST.

A charter was issued on the 5th by the Pennsylvania State Department to the Associate Producers' Company of Bradford, McKean County. The company proposes producing and selling oil; capital $1,000,000.

The Opera House at Corry, Pa., was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 5th. The building was owned by O. E. Gleason, whose loss is $12,000 to $15,000, with $5,000 insurance. On the second floor was the office of the Corry *Telegraph*, which was a total loss of $2,000; no insurance.

Dr. James A. Reed, Superintendent of Dixmont Insane Asylum, at Pittsburgh and one of the most prominent men in the country, died suddenly of kidney disease on the 6th.

Abel D. Breed, a merchant of New York, made an assignment on the 6th, giving preferences, and stating to $90,000.

At Strasburg, Pa., on the 6th an explosion occurred in H. Stump & Co's dynamite works, destroying the building and shattering scores of windows for many blocks around. The shock resembled that of an earthquake and people rushed into the streets. Three workmen, Frank Statz, Frank Kapp and Joseph Kraus, were killed and two injured.

A terrible accident occurred at Robesonia, Pa., on the 6th. A number of men were engaged in repairing the stack of Fergus's & White's furnace, when the stack fell, carrying down the scaffold upon which the men were at work. Six were killed and five injured. The killed are Fred Foreman, Monroe Peifer, Henry Foote, Henry Spangler, Joseph Reed and David Beckley. Some of the victims remained buried under the debris until late at night.

George W. Childs gave a Farmers' Club dinner at his country house near Philadelphia on the 6th. Among those present were General Simon Cameron, ex-Speaker Samuel J. Randall, Wayne MacVeagh, George B. Roberts, President of the Pennsylvania Railway; Senator J. D. Cameron, Judges Green and Biddle, and D. O. Mills, R. Lennox Kennedy, and Whitelaw Reid, editor of the New York *Tribune*. Twenty-four gentlemen sat down to dinner.

Papers were filed in the United States Court at New York on the 7th in the suit of Alexander Stewart, lunatic, by his guardian, Benjamin F. Wheelden, against Henry Hilton, for the sum of $200,000, which the complainant alleges is due him as one of the heirs of A. T. Stewart. This is the second time the complaint has been filed, the first bill having been dismissed because the surety for the security of costs was not forthcoming.

At a meeting on the 7th of the manufacturers of Fall River, Mass., a majority were in favor of shutting down next week. Mills representing 1,000,000 spindles have agreed to close.

An elegant silver service was presented to Lieutenant Greely a few days ago by the Greely Testimonial Committee of Newburyport, Mass.

A few days ago the store of L. C. Robinson, of Salisbury township, bordering Welsh Mountain, Pa., was robbed of a quantity of goods. It was suspected that the thieves were negroes connected with the Buzzard gang. On the 7th Constable Bowman found the robbers, four in number. The men attempted to escape and Bowman shot one of them, Jere Green, fatally. John Beab, another of the party, was arrested, and is in jail at Lancaster.

For seven days ended November 7 the business failures throughout the country were: United States 185, Canada 21. Total 206. This is a marked decrease over last week, when the total was 267, and the previous week 258. The decrease arises in New England and the Middle States and New York City.

Fire on the 7th destroyed the wholesale clothing house of Theodore Dissell & Co., at Syracuse, N. Y., causing a loss of $75,000; insured. One thousand workmen are thrown out of employment.

Statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended November 8: Loans decrease, $1,436,000; specie increase, $2,736,000; legal tenders increase, $451,000; deposits increase, $1,094,000; circulation decrease, $185,000; reserve increase, $2,914,000. The banks now hold $34,195,000 in excess of legal requirements.

At the Shenandoah Iron Works in Page County, Pa., three hundred furnace hands and miners went out on a strike on the 8th, owing to the failure to pay two months' arrears of wages.

Michael Hughes, aged twenty-three, waylaid his father while the latter was returning from church at Penn Yan, N. Y., on the 9th and fired seven shots at him with a revolver. Four shots took effect in the old gentleman's body and it was not thought he could live. The murderer escaped in the woods. It is believed the boy's object was robbery.

J. A. Durgin, late Superintendent of the Rhode Island Locomotive Works, and recently chosen Master Mechanic of the New York, Providence & Boston and Boston & Stonington Railroads, was fatally injured on the 8th by being crushed between two cars in the repair shops at Providence, R. I. He was fifty years of age and one of the most experienced and skillful mechanics in the country.

Two men were arrested on the 8th just after setting fire to a house in Berlinville, L. I. One of the men, Carl Schultz, confessed that their purpose was to burn the village.

In the contest for the Mayoralty of New York City, William R. Grace, of the County Democracy, was successful, receiving 90,[illegible] votes, while Hugh J. Grant, Tammany, got 5[illegible], and Frederick S. Gibbs, Republican, 1,[illegible]. Grace's majority over Grant was 1[illegible].

WEST AND SOUTH.

Near Bloomington, Ill., on the 3d George Reed, aged twelve, was accidentally shot and killed by his playmate, aged nineteen, Lou Mason, while the latter was trying to shoot a dog.

The entire business portion of Silver Plume, Colorado, was burned on the 4th, entailing a loss of $120,000. Patrick Barrett, an old resident, perished in the flames. Silver Plume is a small mining town of a few hundred inhabitants, about 30 miles west of Georgetown.

A broken rail wrecked a passenger train on the 4th on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railroad near Chattanooga. The mail and express cars, with their contents, were consumed. No passengers were injured.

At Shelbyville, Ind., on the 6th a desperado named George Alberts was shot dead by John Renner, of Connersville, that State. Renner gave himself up and pleaded self-defense. Alberts was beating his wife and Renner interfered with the result above stated.

While a crowd of people were congregated on the corner of Ninth and Market Streets, Chattanooga, Tenn., on the night of the 5th to hear election returns, some fiend threw a dynamite cartridge at a building. It struck the curb and exploded, tearing up the street and shattering windows. Fortunately no one was injured.

At Chicago on the 6th R. S. Gardner, a magnetic physician, and his wife became involved in a quarrel, when the woman took a revolver and shot him dead. She then placed the revolver to the head of her eighteen-months-old child and blew out its brains, and ended the tragedy by killing herself with the same weapon.

The Episcopal Council of Nebraska on the 6th again elected Dr. Worthington, of Detroit, as Bishop, in the hope that this time he will accept.

Gardner's livery stable at Carrolton, Ind., burned on the 6th. Thirteen valuable horses perished.

The body of Martin McGrath, aged sixty-five years, and a resident of Perrysburg, Ohio, was found floating in the river at Toledo on the 6th. He had been employed on the Dayton & Michigan Railroad for twenty-seven years and was a sober, industrious man. His death is a mystery.

The trial of Joseph Evans for polygamy was begun on the the 5th in the District Court at Salt Lake.

A three-year-old daughter of J. R. Merriam, while playing on the track in front of his house on the 5th was struck by a Baltimore & Ohio train and instantly killed.

While walking along the street in Roanoke, Va., on the night of the 4th Lizzie Wilson, a white girl aged fourteen, was seized and dragged along into a back lot. When parties attracted by her screams reached the spot they found her weltering in her blood, with her throat cut from ear to ear. The murder is a deep mystery.

The mother of the late President Garfield was reported on the 7th to be seriously ill at Cleveland, Ohio. While attending the funeral of her daughter, Mrs. Larrabee, a few days ago, against the advice of her physician, she contracted a severe cold.

At Oberlin, Ohio, on the 7th Walter T. Mills, a rabid Prohibitionist, was arrested for shooting Edward Mitchell. Upon the receipt of a telegram announcing Blaine's election on the evening of the 6th, some students were serenading some of the opposing faction and Mills resented it with a shot. The ball struck Mitchell above the ear.

Gilbert W. Hazeltine, who was convicted of manslaughter for killing Mamie Thorpe, in a house of ill-repute at Baltimore, some time ago, has been sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary.

A boiler in Mead's sugar house, near New Orleans, exploded on the 6th. Edward Eden, engineer, W. Booker, John Jones, Henry Nash, Joseph Richards and Henry Marcelin, colored, were killed, and six others seriously injured.

Policeman W. T. Neely was fatally shot a few days ago by Thomas Evans, son of a prominent and wealthy citizen of Fort Worth, Texas. Neely was a defeated candidate for constable, while young Evans was a warm supporter of Neely's opponent. A feud had existed between the parties for some time.

The strike of the street car drivers at New Orleans ended on the 7th by a compromise. The men demanded $60 per month, and the companies agree to pay $55 for fifteen hours work a day. The former pay was $45 and eighteen hours work a day.

The river steamer Fannie Breeze was burned at the wharf at Madison, Ind., on the 7th. The fire caught from a torch igniting some hay, four hundred bales of which composed her cargo. The fire made such rapid headway that her passengers and crew were obliged to jump into the river to escape. Several of the crew were seriously burned, but no one fatally hurt.

At a meeting of the trustees of Adelbert College, Cleveland, O., on the 7th it was decided to continue the co-education system in that institution.

All the prisoners in the county jail at Jackson, Michigan, were poisoned on the 9th by eating cheese which one of the prisoners purchased. A colored man who was not allowed free access to the cheese afterwards stole a large piece which he ate and from the effects of which he came near dying. The jail physician could not determine what poison the cheese contained, but pronounced it of deadly nature. He thinks the lives of all will be saved.

At Louisville, Ky., on the 8th Mrs. Dan Lannahan was burned to death and her husband's hands were nearly burned off by the woman's dress coming in contact with a fire which they had built in an open pan in their miserable apartments. They were both helplessly intoxicated at the time.

Joseph H. Evans, convicted at Salt Lake of polygamy, was on the 8th sentenced to three years and a half in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $250. He was remanded to the United States Marshal pending appeal.

While eating dinner at a restaurant in Toledo on the 8th, William Peters, of Sylvania, Ohio, became choked by a piece of meat lodging in his windpipe, and before a physician who was summoned could arrive he had expired. It is said Peters was under the influence of liquor when he sat down at the table.

A large part of the business portion of Palatka, Fla., was destroyed by fire on the 8th, entailing a loss of nearly $800,000.

A shocking accident occurred at Mt. Pleasant, near Burlington, Iowa, on the 8th. Professor Jones, superintendent of the city schools, a gentleman friend and five ladies entered a small skiff upon an artificial pond just at the edge of town for a boat ride. The boat was only large enough for three or four, and soon overturned and sank with the load. Superintendent Jones and Miss Ella Carpenter, a teacher in the public schools, and Etta Tolle and Edith Branch, students at the college, were drowned. The other three barely escaped.

The next Legislature of Wisconsin will stand: Senate, 20 Republicans and 13 Democrats; Assembly, 6 Republicans and 94 Democrats.

Rev. James McLeod, of Indianapolis, who recently came from Buffalo, where he was pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian Church, is authority for a report which was given publication, stating that Grover Cleveland is soon to wed a Buffalo lady.

A. P. McCall, General Passenger Agent of the Detroit, Bay City & Alpena Railroad, died at East Tawas, Mich., on the 8th.

Fire on the 9th destroyed the delivery freight depot of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad at Louisville, Ky. Seventy-five car loads of general freight were burned. The loss is fully $100,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

According to an official dispatch of the 3d from Hanoi, Tonquin, a column of French troops sent to Yen overtook and chastised seventy of the rear guard of the Chinese army, then fleeing to the mountains. Another column of French troops is operating in the vicinity of Thain Guyen. The situation on the River Claire is good.

The customs and inland revenue receipts of Montreal show a falling off in October of $120,000 compared with October, 1883. The customs decrease is attributed generally to the dullness of trade, but some claim that it was caused by the Scott temperance act, and the consequent shrinkage of the volume of business in spirits and beer.

The date of the next winter carnival in Montreal, Canada, has been fixed for the week beginning January 26.

The Brussels *Patriote* says that King Leopold was attacked on the 3d with a nervous disorder. His health is much shattered by the anxiety arising from the political crisis.

Four persons were killed and twenty injured at Stafford, England, on the 6th by the explosion of boilers in the iron works.

President Salomon, of Hayti, on the fifth anniversary of his taking the Presidential chair on the 23d ult., granted a full and complete amnesty to all political offenders in the country as well as the exiles.

Advices from Colombia report that a severe shock of earthquake was felt in that country on the 6th. The church of San Pedro at Call was wrecked and another church and several houses suffered severely. Other towns which felt the shock escaped without serious injury.

Near Quebec, Canada, on the 7th a boy named Demers applied a match to a canister of powder. An explosion followed, wrecking the house and seriously injuring himself, his mother and three sisters.

There were one hundred and forty-four new cases of cholera and twenty-two deaths in Paris during the twenty-four hours ended at noon of the 9th.

A colliery explosion near Mons, Belgium, on the 9th caused the death of twenty miners. Five others were seriously injured.

The last surviving son of Mehemet Ali, of Egypt, is Prince Halim, and the Egyptians are willing to hail him as the coming Khedive.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 14, 1884:

Clark, John C.	Mathews, Harris M.
Griswith, Wm.	Seaman, John P.
Hickey, John	Smith, Ella
Jones, Maggie	Tiffany, C. H.
Lamskin, David	Wadsworth, S. M.
Minkie, Sebastian	Wilcox, Geo.

4 Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Nov. 1, 1884:

Allen, Richard	Forsyth, Miss Margie
Aiken, Wm.	Kelley, L. J.
Ayres, John V.	Moir, Mrs. Lewis
Brown, Mrs. Annie	Pingerly, Thos. N.
Bice, Miss Minnie	Russel, Mr. A.
Doyle, Mr. A. F.	Tripp, Mrs. Mary

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @ 2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@ 06
Butter ₱ ℔	17 @ 18
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @ 60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50 @ 1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @ 1 25
Buckwheat flour ₱ hundred	@ 5 00
Beef—dressed ₱ hundred	6 00 @ 6 50
Beef Hides	5 @ 07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	30 @ 35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	56 @ 60
Clover seed	5 25 @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed	10 @ 12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@ 14
Flour ₱ barrel	5 00 @ 5 50
Hogs—dressed ₱ cwt	6 00 @ 6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75 @ 5 00
Hay ₱ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@ 15
Ham ₱ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₱ ℔	@ 12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30 @ 35
Onions, ₱ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @ 40
Salt ₱ barrel	@ 1 35
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@ 10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@ 75
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@ 75
Wool	28 @ 35

CONSUMPTION.

I have a positive remedy for the above disease, by its use thousands of cases of the worst kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed, so strong is my faith in its efficacy, that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE, together with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease, to any sufferer. Give express and P. O. address.

DR. T. A. SLOCUM, 181 Pearl St., New York.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of L. Herning & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The market business will hereafter be conducted by F. Herning, who will collect all amounts due the old firm and pay all debts contracted by them.

L. HERNING.
F. HERNING.

TECUMSEH, Oct. 27, 1884.

NOTICE.—Came into my enclosure about Oct. 26, 1884, one large black sow. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take the same away.

JOSEPH TILDEN.

TECUMSEH, Oct. 29th, 1884.

MABLEY'S

GLORIOUS SUCCESS.

The unparalleled run on Mabley's Bankrupt Bargains the past week has set the town a talking; certain merchants are green with envy at our bustling, rushing business and wonder why they can't get a share of it. They say it is a shame that we should cut down prices so low that they cannot make a living. We are only exercising a privilege this glorious Republic extends to all—that is, conducting our own business after our own methods.

OUR BANKRUPT BARGAINS

Were purchased from large wholesale firms in the east, who recently failed. Mr. Mabley bought them from 40 to 60 Cents on the Dollar—that is on the original cost of manufacture, so you can see we can sell them lower than other houses own their goods for and yet make a satisfactory profit. Instead of merchants complaining about us they should thank us, for we bring trade here from every county in the district, from all over the state, and as we cannot possibly wait upon them all we afford grumbling merchants a chance of catching those we hav'nt time to wait upon. If they would mark their goods at a fair margin and work of sell more of them they might in time gain some recognition from the people.

We Work for all we Get

And give the people full value for their money.

We received 25 more large cases of those Bankrupt Goods last week, and this week we intend to offer greater "Drives" than ever. Last week we had a tremendous rush, the goods seemed to "walk away." Our sales were far ahead of the corresponding week of last year. We sold last week

$5.400, $5.400.

This is more than twice as much as any other clothing house in the city received.

We are well prepared for a similar rush this week. Below are a few specimen prices which we will guarantee full 20 per cent. below other dealers' cost prices. Remember these are

Legitimate Bankrupt Bargains!

DOWN GOES THE PRICE OF PANTS.

500 pairs lined heavy cottonade pants at 75c, worth $1.50.
500 pairs lined heavy Humboldt Jeans at $1, worth $1.50.
500 pairs heavy striped union cloth pants at $1.50, worth $2.50.
500 pairs heavy black diagonal cloth pants at $1.50, worth $2.50.
Thousands of pairs at $2, $3, $4, and $5.

Moulders, machinists, brewers, carpenters, blacksmiths, bricklayers, laborers and workingmen of all classes should come and see the fine bargains offered; goods exactly suitable for their trade. We can sell mentioned goods for less money than they cost to manufacture.

100 DOZ. 75c OVERALLS at 50c A PAIR

SUITS FOR LESS MONEY THAN THE CLOTH COST.

A Vermont Beaver Suit for $5, sold everywhere at $7.
A heavy diagonal for $5, sold everywhere at $8.
A genuine victory Cass for $7, sold everywhere at $10.
A gray Putnam cloth for $9, sold everywhere at $12.
Dozen different styles for $10, sold everywhere at $14.

And for $12, $15, $18 and $20 we can sell you a suit that cannot be bought elsewhere within Five Dollars of the prices we ask. We claim we are honestly entitled to your patronage, because we are giving you more for your money than you can find elsewhere. We also claim, it is your duty to yourselves to buy where the prices are the lowest and goods the best.

Terrible Drop in OVERCOATS!

A warm Boys' Overcoat for $1.50, well worth $2.
A Vermont Boys' overcoat for $2, well worth $2.50.
A Cheviot Boys' Overcoat for $3.50, well worth $5.
Our fine Overcoats are sold in proportion.
The best $5 Mens' Overcoats ever offered.
Our $6, $8, $10, $12, $15, and $20 Overcoats are beauties.

HAT AND CAP SLAUGHTER!

In this department we shall offer several hundred dozen fall and winter caps, all new styles, for men, boys and children. Among our stock, which is undoubtedly the finest ever brought to Toledo, will be found a complete line of Polo and Skating Caps at 25c, 50c, and 75c that are worth twice as much money. You can save fully 25 per cent. on every dollar you leave in our Hat department. A critical examination of our stock will convince you of this fact, and that is all we ask. Don't forget our 20c Jersey Caps. Our 25c and 50c Caps worth double the money.

Furnishing Goods Sacrifice.

The season for a change of underwear is at hand, and our goods are sure to please you. We are selling a Blue Mixed Ribbed Undershirt for 25c that was never made for the money. We have drawers to match. And the value we give for a half dollar is simply immense. For 75c we are giving excellent goods, and our variety at $1 cannot be equaled. They come in so many different styles that we cannot describe them. We say it will pay you to come and see. Socks 20c, 3 pair for 50c, worth twice as much.

Every Department Bristling with Bargains.

FARMERS, We are selling the American Seamless Bags at 17c; the Amoskeag Seamless Bags at 19c and the Stark Seamless Bags at 20c each.

C. R. MABLEY,

TOLEDO, O.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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W. & S. W. ANDERSON'S

Great CARPET Sale

In order to reduce our large stock of Carpets, we offer for a limited time

1000 yds. good Tapestry Brussels, at	75c
1000 yds. best Ingrains, at - -	69c
1000 yds. good Ingrains, at - - -	59c
Best Velvet Carpets, at - - -	1.25

This is a Special Carpet Sale

To reduce our large stock. We advise our friends to buy now. They are real bargains.

STRONG & McNAIR.

Are in daily receipt of new goods for Fall and Winter of 1884-5.

New Cloths,

New Clothing,

New Hats & Caps.

EVERYTHING NEW!

OVERCOATS A SPECIALTY!

Prices low enough to meet the economical demands of the times.

1884. 1884.

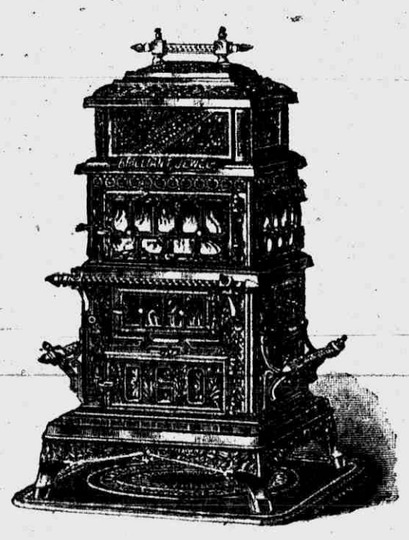

THE BRILLIANT JEWEL OF 1884

TAKES THE LEAD. It has no equal in heating power or mode of construction. Also call and see our Giant Acorn Cook Stove, just the thing for farmers, as it has the largest oven of any cook stove made, and is very low in price. For sale by

Whitenack, Bordine & Co

N. B. BRADLEY, & SONS, Bay City. H. C. WATSON & CO., Toledo, O.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors,

BLINDS & MOULDINGS

of all kinds.

PLANING, SAWING AND MATCHING DONE TO ORDER.

New Brick Planing and Matching Mill on Pearl St., formerly S. W. Temple's.

Office, Yard and Storerooms, corner R. R. and Shawnee streets.

JOS. H. SMITH,

MANAGER.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

HOLLOWAY HICKUPS.

Oscar Johnson is suffering with a couple of fractured ribs caused by falling through the feed hole in the barn and striking on the end of some boards.

Henry Brocket fell down the stairs in Wm. Doty's barn, last week and bruised himself up a little, just to help the doctor probably.

Last Wednesday P. M. Lossing was engaged in building a scaffold over his barn floor, when a piece of timber seven inches square and fourteen feet long, fell to the floor, striking his little boy four years old. Strange to say the boy was not seriously injured except his hand. Dr. Begel was called and found it necessary to put in eighteen stitches to get it in shape. He is now doing well.

Rev. Vaughan and wife attended District quarterly meeting at Milan Saturday and Sunday last.

David Reed has vacated the Soper house and the owner, Conrad Atwell, expects to move in soon.

Prof. Parker, the great mesmerist, has come and gone and no one to shed a tear. Wonder what vagabond will come along next and want the school house to exhibit in. Pity we have not got a cooler to put tramps in.

Strong talk of organizing a society for the prevention of cruelty to children. Who will take the lead?

And now comes another enterprise in the shape of a corset factory. Mrs. Dunham having purchased the right to manufacture a new style of corset has commenced on a small scale, but expects to enlarge her business in the near future, so we are informed. She already has agents canvassing for her who are meeting with good success, as it is an article that recommends itself and sells on sight. Success to you, Mrs. D.

H. E. Wilson is again on the war path with blood in his eye. He has just returned from Buffalo and is loading up again. We always knew that Ersk was sandy.

Mrs. Wm. Fowler was quite seriously injured on Friday last by being thrown from a buggy while out riding. She was taken home and Dr. Begel called, who found her suffering from a broken arm, besides numerous bruises of a less serious nature. The Doctor reports her very comfortable and doing well at present.

Last Saturday morning John Bond and wife concluded that they had traveled life's pathway together as long as was profitable and concluded to quit. Mrs. B., took the train for Adrian and John stayed to keep the house in running order. The talk is that a certain fat man in navy blue is slightly mixed up in the scrape.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Saturday evening after election was so close to glory that bon-fires were kindled and anvils fired, but Sunday stopped the glee. It had not cooled much when Monday night came, and exercises were resumed in a style to encourage the bashful. All the people who ever buy a yard of tape here, came to town, and the rest stayed for fun. Lights a-park, a-low, and a-loft, glistened wherever democrats hang out a business motto or set up a kitchen range, and some say Frank Cook put a night lamp under the stairs as a glimmer of the recess to come to the vanquished. The Cook's and Sheridan's jubilated with all sorts of colored fireworks on Main street, and sent the news as high as rockets could carry. Children paraded with torches, and raised Sam as they pleased, so there were plenty of escapades too comic to print. Some of the republicans forgot or forgave and took part in the game, while others enjoyed the hub-bub good naturedly.

Quiet followed, and then the school exhibition filled the hall with company. Where all commit their lessons to memory perfectly, it seems almost unjust to select any for special commendation, and this was a case where none required prompting. Some had chosen pieces in accordance with their natural proclivities. Star Crowel and the five cucumbers, was a good sample. Anna Sheridan sang both solos sweetly, though much afraid, and Mamie Shuart recited a story of Fredricksburg with good voice and natural manner. Louis Ladd and Matie Adams spoke the comic medley that won loud applause. The closing piece, Pussy Cats are everywhere, in which several little, and some large children took part, was too cute for anything. In such, Willie Miller always forgets he is not proprietor of the show, and leads the choir.

The rink will be dedicated next Saturday night, and then, heart-burn will be epidemic.

ONSTED ODDS.

School commenced in district number five on Monday last, with F. D. Avery teacher.

C. L. Greenleaf has gone to Saginaw. We hear that he intends to spend the winter in that vicinity.

M. P. Wemple intends to visit his old home, near Cleveland Ohio, in a few days. Expects to be gone about ten days.

Wilmer Knapp has moved into Benjamin Hine's house for a few days while he is plastering his own.

Martin Taylor has sold his harness shop to William Parsons and returned to Rome Center.

Henry Sickner, John Secor, Harris and Evans have each moved into their new houses. Jerome Snow will move into his in a few days.

A. S. Dewey, of Cambridge, was in town last Saturday looking at property here, with a view of purchasing and coming here to go into the mercantile business.

Wilson Lee has his store nearly completed. He has purchased a stock of boots and shoes and expects them this week. Mr. Lee expects to keep a good assortment, and sell goods at low prices.

J. E. Gibbs has added much to the appearance in front of his store by grading and drawing gravel. He has also improved the inside by putting up shelves etc.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Somewhat of a squaw winter.

Lots of wood going up to town.

The old people say it has been a long time since they saw as fine fall weather as there has been this fall.

Mr. Philip Parks started for his home in Clinton Co. for a visit Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Sarah Rappleye and Master Lawrence Rappleye arrived home Wednesday morning from their stay in Dakota the past summer.

Mr. Weddie Bush left for his home in Brooklyn N. Y. on Wednesday of last week.

Burt Morley & Co. shipped two car loads of hogs from the station on last week Thursday for Buffalo.

Miss May Weatherwax, of Adrian, has been visiting Miss Vina Underwood and calling on friends here for the past week.

Miss Ella Hand, of Macon, was the guest of G. C. Arner over Sunday.

Misses Ella Cadmus and Ada Linn, attended the Missionary convention at Adrian Wednesday and Thursday of last week, as delegates.

A. R. Arner spent a few days at Jerome with Agt. Frank Allen.

The poles for a telegraph line to Mr. R. Cadmus' residence north of the village will be set in a few days. Then Bertie won't have to go home for his dinner.

The church social will give an Oyster supper in the Lecture room of the church next week Friday night. Supper 25 cts. A cordial invitation to all.

The members and all interested in a Literary the coming winter are requested to meet at the church two weeks from Friday evening to elect officers.

Miss Hattie Montgomery, of Tecumseh, who is spending a few days with her aunt Mrs. T. H. Montgomery who is sick, called on friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jones came home from Brooklyn N. Y. Tuesday noon where they have been visiting friends. Mrs. Jones is now on the sick list.

Our village school is running along smoothly under the management of Supt. Wm. Stewart and assistant Miss Kittie Clark. We wish them every success and guarantee the support of the entire Dist. the coming winter.

The young ladies of the village and vicinity were invited to spend the afternoon with Miss Fannie Swab at the home of Miss Ella Hall, last Saturday, and report a pleasant time. Never mind boys, it will be our turn next year and then I wonder who will get left.

Ed. Ludlow, while driving Mr. Wm. Barrett's team, one of which was a colt, had a runaway. He being so under the influence of strong drink, could not get them stopped until they ran two miles. There was no damage done however.

Mrs. Dr. DeMott, of Flint, has been visiting old friends here the past few days. She taught the village school here upwards of fifty years ago, when G. W. Jackson's shop was the school house. She was then known as Miss Zelinda Holloway, a sister of the late Butler Holloway, of Holloway station Raisin. The Doctor was the physician here thirty years ago and lived where E. C. Van Vleet's new house now stands.

The Union Club met at the home of Lyman Hause last Saturday night and the following officers were elected:

Pres.—Hon. G. P. Waring.
1st. Vice Pres.—Rev. B. F. Rapp.
2d. " " —Justine Lowe.
Sec.—Geo. Gripton.
Ass't. Sec.—Martin Palmer.
Treas.—L. E. Hause.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Dist. No. 1.—G. W. Jackson.
" " 2.—James Smith.
" " 3.—Lon Palmer.
" " 4.—Chas. Kniffin.
" " 5.—Martin Palmer.
" " 6.—Geo. Gripton.
" " 7.—Conrad Atwell.
At large.—Dr. D. W. Loree.

Committee on Music.—Geo. Gripton, Wm. Nivison, Miss. Ella Jackson, Louisa Arner and Ida Arner.

The author of last weeks Macon music is evidently dying very hard. He says "Now that the democrats have been generally successful it behoves political prohibitionists to stand by the democracy and endeavor to keep it in power." His condition must be something the same as the young dutchman who was found kicking his father's corpse. When repremanded he replied "I feels so pad mit grief dat I must do somethings for relief." It must excite sympathy even from a "political prohibitionist" to see an ardent of the g. o. p. kicking its remains by advising the coming great political organization "to stand by the democracy."

MACON MUSIC.

Henry Jacobus and wife, of Ingham Co., visited friends in Macon, last week.

Macon has its wonders. Last week a dwarf elephant made its appearance at the corners. Whether its coming was ominous remains to be seen. Its advent was really strange, but its exit was still more strange. In its hurried departure it lost its trunk, which was found by an officer of the law in the forest adjoining the village.

"A merciful man will be merciful to his beast." The members of the Reformed church, believing this doctrine, are building sheds at their church.

Will Chambers, who has been spending several months in Macon, left for his home in Vassar, Tuesday.

Mr. Spencer, of Raisin, was in Macon last week on business.

The next S. S. concert will be held at the M. E. church one week from next Sunday evening. The program will consist of readings, declamations, essays and music.

Mr. Jourdan left for Sorrento, Florida, last week. He goes with the hope that a change in climate will be beneficial to his health.

Miss Estella Miller has been engaged to teach the Hammond school, Saline, this winter. She taught a fall term in the same district.

A few evenings since, an individual representing himself (?) to be a cigar maker was seen on our streets. He (?) engaged to board with one of our citizens, and afterwards made one or two other calls. Since, if seen at all, he (?) must have been transfigured. Who can divulge the mystery? Wonder if Joe can?

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

Mr. Barnes who preached at the Congregational church on Sunday last is a young man of fine abilities. His preaching was of high order and he made a very favorable impression among the people and we hope the church will extend him a call to become permanent Pastor.

We are of the opinion after hearing the people talk, that our new postmaster, when the time for a change comes, will be either Sam or Wm. Rose. We hope so.

Mr. George Calhoun, in his efforts to procure a well of water, came near getting an artesian well, having obtained plenty of water at a depth of one hundred and thirty-five feet.

We notice on our street Rev. Mr. Bruce, of Syracuse, brother of our townsman Aaron Bruce. He will visit his friends here for a few days.

This fine weather brings a good many people to town, which from the appearance indicates that the said people appreciate Clinton as a place to buy goods. Our merchants report business good.

W. S. Kimball, who bought a part of the old Kies farm this fall, has already commenced business on said piece of land, and his labors already show in the altered appearance of the land in the way of new fences and a cleaning up of rubbish and stones, that Mr. Kimball knows how to farm as well as keep books. May he succeed in making his farm pay.

The corn social at the Baptist church on Tuesday evening last, was well attended and a success financially. The tables, when set, show that the ladies of the Baptist church know and understand the culinary art.

Mr. Thomson, of Detroit, special agent of the Massachusetts Mutual life insurance company, has been in our village during the fore part of this week, assisting their local agent, S. Brown, of this place, who, we understand is doing quite a business in life insurance, having obtained a number of applications during this week.

The pie social at the Methodist church on Thursday night of this was largely attended and all were served pie in large quantity and great variety and we were somewhat surprised to see some of our friends eat pie, not by the piece but whole pies.

Mrs. Ogden, wife of Rev. Ogden of Baptist church joined her husband on Saturday last. She was detained by sickness for several days at Monroe. She is now getting better.

Our newspaper that we spoke of some time ago made its appearance on Monday last. It is a nice little five column paper and is quite newsy. It will appear again in two weeks. Let it come.

Our Drain Commissioner Bruce has just surveyed and located a drain that he has designated as the O'Reily drain in the east part of this township. The commissioner reports the water better in that vicinity with no miasma in the neighborhood. Consequence head clear and business satisfactory. Success to our commissioner in his efforts to find pure and living water.

TIPTON TOPICS.

The depot is still an uncertainty.

Now that the official count has been ascertained, there is no more chance for wagers or argument on the question of who is who. The Prohibs. have to take the blame.

The Cleveland ratification at Tipton on Saturday night which was not held until the most sanguine of the opposition had given up the conundrum was a rattling affair. Anvils were fired, the band played some good pieces, and by the light of a huge bonfire S. C. Stacy looked down on a good sized audience and assured them that the old ship of state would still continue to glide majestically on notwithstanding that the crew who had mained her for twenty-four years, would on the 4th of next March be relieved from duty.

As the days shorten the cold strengthens, and as the nights lengthen Jack Frost gets in his work. We were never good at quoting proverbs, but think we have heard the oldest inhabitant make remarks of this kind.

The work on the new telegraph line which is being extended from Geo. Knapp's through Tipton and west to Jas. Kimball's residence, is progressing.

A very serious accident occurred on Tuesday of this week, Mrs. Carrol Roberts, in company with Carrie Miller, a girl who had been living with her, were on their way home from Adrian. When near S. Wheeler's place their horse became frightened by one owned by Chas. Teachout, which was running away. This caused Mrs Robert's horse to run and both the ladies were thrown from the buggy, and it is said Mrs. Roberts has received such injuries that she is still unconscious, and can hardly recover, while Miss Miller is also severely hurt.

The Great Exposition.

The Exposition at New Orleans is attracting the attention of the press in all parts of the country and abroad. Almost every newspaper has something to sky about the preparations that are being made to further the work of State or local associations. The special representatives of the Exposition commissioned by President Arthur, for the purpose of procuring exhibits have found the newspapers ready to report speeches and print the latest news relating to the World's Fair. This circumstance no doubt springs from the fact that the people throughout the land read with much interest all that is printed concerning this great enterprise. By the widespread influence of the press the Exposition is known and talked about in India, Australia, on the banks of the Congo, in the South American republics, and in the frozen regions of the North. Seeming impossibilities have been overcome, and the scheme limited to a cotton exhibition at first, has been enlarged by degrees till it now embraces a grand exhibition of arts, manufactures, mines, agriculture, and in fact about everything in which the people of to-day are interested. This Exposition is to be opened in December next, covers more ground, has more exhibits entered, than can be recorded of any other World's Fair ever attempted.

Aside from the pecuniary means furnished, the untiring industry of its directors, this marvel of the nineteenth century owes much of its renown to the power of the newspapers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending Nov. 11.

RIDGEWAY.

J. P. Schwab to F. J. J. Kopke. Land on sec. 19. $1,535.

F. J. J. Kopke to James B. Colvin. Land on sec. 19. $1,639.95.

TECUMSEH.

Henry Brown to James McCoy. Land in village. $210.

Tecumseh Herald

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AT A FASHIONABLE RESORT.

Belinda Smith met Nelly Brown,
One lovely summer day.
[illegible]
And thus to her she said:

"I'm happy as the little bird
That carols in the tree,
I'm happy as the butterfly
That flutters through the lea."

"What makes you feel so happy, dear?
Said pretty Nelly Brown:
"Is it your lovely Gainsborough,
Or Mother Hubbard gown?"

"Oh, no," Belinda then replied,
In tender dulcet tones:
"But since last night I've been engaged,
You know, to Harry Jones."

"What Harry Jones?" cried Nelly Brown
As mad as she could be:
"Why, since last Thursday at the hop
He's been engaged to me."

—*Puck.*

FISHES THAT BUILD NESTS.

Secrets of the Sea and Its Queer Finny Creatures—Beds of Gleaming Bubbles Built Upon the Surface of Tropical Oceans—Fishes that Photograph Seaweed on Their Sides.

In a dark corner of the Philadelphia Academy of Sciences may be seen a curious, dark-colored, oddly-shaped fish, imprisoned with a mass of seaweed in a flask of alcohol. The seaweed is covered with white, oval dots, and the label on the bottle reads autenarias. "What do you make of it?" inquired the writer of a friend who was also going the rounds, and who was something of a naturalist. "It isn't very attractive to look at," was the reply, "but it is one of the most interesting of the nest-building fishes."

"So fish build nests?" said a listener. "A great many do," was the reply; "in fact, the fishes are the birds of the sea. The first time I ever saw this fish alive," continued the naturalist, "I was on a schooner bound from Nassau to Key West, and one day there being no wind, a 'dead calem,' as the skipper called it, I had the boat lowered and went over to a large patch of gulf-weed that was floating near at hand. It was the curious sargassum—that goes to make up the so-called Sargasso Sea—and was the abiding place of myriads of curious animals. I soon had a fine collection of crabs and mollusks—all of which were wonderfully marked with the exact hue and tints of the surrounding weed—a provision of nature called mimicry. I was leaning over the stern of the boat with my eyes within a foot of the surface when I observed a slight movement on the part of what I supposed to be a piece of weed, and, thinking there was a crab beneath, I placed my hand beneath it, and to my astonishment, I lifted out an autenarias, this same fellow, or one of his tribe, that is before us. So remarkable was its protective resemblance that I had not observed it, although it was within two feet of me, in fact it seemed to be covered with photographs of the surrounding weed, the blotches of yellow, olive and brown being faithfully copied by the artist of nature.

"As you see in this specimen, the head, fins, the upper or dorsal surface, were all ornamented with dangling barbels of flesh that were exact in their imitation of the sargassum. Thinking that there might be another near at hand, I thrust my hand into the weed and in a moment, disengaged from the rest of the weed a round ball about the size of a base ball. I took it aboard and found it was the nest of the fish. It was made up of bits of weed, wound round about with strings of a jelly-like secretion, evidently from the body of the fish, and all over the leaves and in the interior were fastened the oval white eggs of the builder. I afterwards found many more that ranged in size from an ordinary ball to a foot-ball, but they were all made in the same way, and the fish was, as a rule, lying upon its side on the top of the nest or not far away. The young, when first hatched, find shelter in the interior of the nest, and do not leave it until they are well able to care for themselves.

"Nest-building fishes are by no means rare. Our common stickleback is a well-known example. I have a pair now in my aquarium that are making a nest, that is, the male is, as the female has nothing to do with the domestic arrangements. When the breeding season comes on the male assumes a nuptial garb, is highly colored with pink and red tints, and is so ferocious that few fishes escape from its attacks. The nest is placed either on the bottom or suspended from some rope or twig that hangs overboard, and, having selected the location, the little housekeeper begins to collect sticks and twigs of various kinds after trying them to see if they will float or sink. These are arranged upon the bottom in a regular row and often held in place by stones or pebbles. The foundation completed, the sides are erected, and finally the top is laid on in the same methodical manner.

"When the nest is placed together in this way, the male swings round about it, pressing its abdomen to the sides. If you were near enough you would find that it was winding the nest round about with a thread-like secretion that it took from a pore in the abdomen. Just as in the case of this authenharius, this holds the nest in shape. Now the spindle shaped builder commences a series of rushes, seemingly with the intention of tearing it down again. This is repeated again and again until the fish fairly breaks through the net, and forces a tunnel through the center. This is the finishing touch, and the female is now hunted up and driven into the opening, where she deposits her eggs. This over, the male drives her out, and takes his place over them, fanning them with his fins, and guarding them against enemies of all kinds. This watchful care is kept up until they are hatched, and the young can take care of themselves.

One of the most remarkable nests is built by the Paradise fish of Eastern waters. These are beautiful fishes, decorated with tints of many hues, and actually resembling birds of Paradise. When the nest-building time comes around the fish approaches the surface, takes a bubble of air, carries it below the surface, and then releases it inclosed in a covering of saliva, so that it rises to the surface and appears like a soap-bubble. Another is added to it, and soon a raft of them is seen rising, half an inch in height and sinking several inches beneath the surface. This air-bubble raft catches the rays of the sun during the day, gleaming with iridescent hues, and at night is brilliantly luminous; in fact, a veritable fairy palace.

"[illegible] they are hatched, when the young feed at first upon the soft portions of their nest, moving away only when it falls apart, leaving them at the mercy of whatever enemy may come along. These examples compare with the nests of some of the grebes that have floating nests, and the birds that swing them from the limbs. The fishes that erect nests upon the bottom, however, are in the majority. One of the most interesting is that of the gourami, of the eastern waters of Asia. It is considered a fine food fish, and immense sums have been spent in introducing it to other waters. It attains a length of six feet, but the general size is about two feet and a half.

"In the breeding season the male commences to collect plants much after the fashion of the stickleback, and carries them to some spot where it weaves them into a round ball, leaving a rude opening in the interior for the reception of the eggs. The young come out in good time and are for a long time protected by the male, who follows them up when they attempt to leave the nest, drawing them with its mouth and electing them again into the homestead. Finally, however, they outgrow the patience of the father, and the nest is soon deserted and torn down.

"Many of the fishes build nests like the gulls', mere hollows in the sand or pebbles. Such a nest-builder is the toad fish, that deposits its young in a little hollow and watches over them carefully until they hatch. Long afterwards, the young cling to the rocks about the parent by their egg sacs.

"The salmon deposits its eggs in a shallow depression, as does the trout and various members of the family. The curious lump-fish that is common off our Eastern coast erects a rude nest for its eggs and watches over them until they are hatched. Then the young fasten themselves by their suckers to the mother, and are so carried about, later following her like a brood of chickens. This habit of following the mother is rarely observed among fishes, but is a trait of the catfish, the young of which follow it in a regular swarm.

"One of the most interesting of the nest-builders is the lamprey eel, common in many of our Eastern waters. In this case the male and female both attend to the work, which can readily be observed in running streams. The nest is made up of stones that the eels collect from far and near with their sucker-like mouths. They swim up against the current, fasten upon a stone, and make no attempt to drag it, merely lifting it from the bottom by a convulsive movement, the current moving it down stream toward the location selected for the nest. If the pebble is too heavy, perhaps both eels will take hold, lifting together, until finally the stone is deposited on a pile of others. This is carried on until a heap, perhaps three feet high, is collected, and among them the eggs are deposited and guarded, the young fish that do not resemble their parents living in their "castle" for a long time.

"The nest of the striped dace, a fresh water fish, is almost similar; both the fishes form it by collecting small pebbles which they carry in their mouths and drop one upon another until quite a heap is the result. Among these the eggs are deposited and the young reared.

"The fishes commonly known as suckers—found in many streams—have a similar way of making a home, and, from the habit of carrying stones in their mouths, are called 'stone-toters,' 'stone-tuggers,' etc. The common pond fish is a famous nest-builder. In the early spring their operations can be watched from a boat, the nest being generally formed near shore. Often several fishes are to be observed clearing away the sticks and grasses at the bottom, carrying them some distance away in their mouths. This work accomplished, a slight depression is made or scooped out in the sand, and in it the eggs are deposited, about which the vines and buds of the pond-lily cling, while overhead will, perhaps, be a perfect canopy of the rich flowers, so that the nest is a perfect bower. I have seen as many as ten different nests in a space of ten square feet, the different owners swimming about as if having perfect faith in the good intentions of their neighbors. They have an enemy, however, in the pirate perch, that often completely routs them, and uses the nest for its own purposes. All the sunfishes are nest-builders, one species building in winter when the streams are frozen over.

"In Eastern waters the famous black goby, that can live hours out of water, erects a nest of the seaweed Sastera, and another fish, known scientifically as the aphiocephalus, erects a complicated structure in which its young are reared.

"Among the South American catfishes a number form rude receptacles for their eggs, and others have curious sacs on their bodies to hold their young. On the Amazon and its tributaries many of the border trees are hung with vines, called Lecines, that grow out over the water, drop down, and, as the end meets the stream, take root and grow. In the tendrils floating matter from up the stream becomes caught, and soon a floating garden is the result. Under these a little fish, called the perae, takes its place during the breeding season and here the eggs are placed.

"The giant ceradotus, recently discovered in Australia and famous for its dry land journeys, builds a nest in the sand quite as perfect as that of some birds. So with the protopterus, which forms a nest, and curiously enough, when the dry season comes, burrows in the mud, forming a case lined with a secretion that hardens like plaster and in which cell the fish hibernates until the water comes again. These curious cases have been taken to Europe and there soaked out after a long journey in a closely packed trunk.—*Philadelphia Press.*

Death in the Dish-Rag.

Years ago I was impressed with an article written upon this subject, and I have had it brought to my mind many times since. While I cannot say, from personal knowledge, as the writer of that article did, there is actual "death in the dish-rag," I can say that there is actual *filth* in a good many dish-rags. And what is more surprising, such a cloth is often found in the hands of a [illegible] housekeeper, and who is usually an excellent house-wife in most other respects. I have known women who kept all their best and most comfortable rooms closed from the use of the family, for fear of having something soiled, and who would make you feel most unwelcome were you to leave a print of mud on the floor, or a scratch on the wall or furniture; yet they will use, or permit to be used, dish-rags for weeks at a time, without washing or boiling them, until they are stiff with filth. To say the least, it is not pleasant to think of eating off dishes washed with such a cloth. Such careless habits are entirely without excuse, even among the poorest; for it is not necessary to have a number of cloths, if one is willing to make a judicious use of soap and water. But why a subject of so much importance should be overlooked by women who could afford to buy all the linen they need, and who are, at the same time, scrupulously clean in other things, still remains a mystery to me. However, bad habits, long practiced, have a wonderful effect upon us, and often from home-training, we persist in following in the old groove, failing to see the injurious effects, until our attention has been called to it by others, and even then it is difficult to turn some from the old path, be it ever so crooked. It is most essential then to teach children that "whatever is worth doing at all, is worth doing well."

Next to having food pure and free from all dirt, is the importance of having clean dishes, and, above all, bright knives and spoons. How many housekeepers hang on to the old-German-silver spoons. For my own use, I think brass itself is not much more injurious. Give me tin, wood, iron, white metal, anything, before German-silver, for unless one is extremely careful to keep it always rubbed bright, it is positively dangerous to use it. Carelessness in such things among servant girls has vexed me sorely, and it is my usual custom to burn the dish and stove rags the first thing after I take the work into my hands. I do not mean to say that I imitate the lady who only came down stairs once a week to throw out the stale bread, molded meats and vegetables; but it is very hard for one who has long practiced bad habits, to leave them off in a short time, and, besides, I do not like to tell a girl of the same fault three times a day. Occasionally I find one who is as careful about these things as she is about her other work, but I have observed that this one fault is so common that I can not refrain from writing on the subject. Let me say then to those who have not given much thought to the dish-rag, to consider it well, and remember that all things that have the appearance of cleanliness are not clean, and the use of things that are not clean is not only repugnant to refined tastes, but is often a fruitful source of disease.—*M. L. Hinds, in Rural New Yorker.*

Methods of Applying Manure.

After careful study and experiment I have adopted the rule of using most of my manure at the surface. The only exception to this rule which I make is when I wish to manure very heavily to permanently enrich a garden plot, and then I plough under a liberal coat of manure and top dress in addition. When manure is to be used for wheat, so convinced am I of the superiority of top dressing that I would not allow a man to draw out the manure before ploughing the land if he would do it for nothing. We want the manure applied to the wheat crop so as to act as quickly as possible, for the wheat has a short time to grow in the fall, and it is important that it get well rooted and make growth enough to protect the roots before winter sets in, and the finer the manure is, and the nearer the surface, the quicker its effects will be on the young crop. I am positive that by fining our manure and using it at the surface we can double its value for the wheat crop.

Another and still more important reason for using manure as a topdressing is that with the manure so applied we have a rich seed-bed for clover, which makes a stand and vigorous growth much more certain than if the manure was ploughed under. I believe clover to be the cheapest and best fertilizer within reach of the farmer, and that the clover will furnish a better condition of soil for a succeeding crop of corn or wheat than the manure does. Using manure as a topdressing on wheat when clover is sown—as I believe it always should be—enables the manure to do double duty. First, it largely increases the wheat crop, and second, it grows a fertilizing crop which requires no heavy hauling or spreading, but is just where the farmer wants it without extra labor. The only objection I have ever heard urged against the practice is the extra labor of fining the manure. In reply to this I would say, first, that the plant can not use the manure till it is thoroughly decomposed; second, we save enough labor in drawing to the field in the reduced bulk and increased ease of handling to largely compensate for this labor; and lastly, this fine manure will cover a much larger area than that which is coarse and lumpy.—*Waldo F. Brown, in N. Y. Tribune.*

—Hart County, Ga., boasts of a resident only thirty-five years old who has married three wives inside of eighteen months. The first wife died, and in two months he married again. The second wife lived only a few months, and a few days ago he married a third. —*St. Louis Post.*

—In spite of the summer crusade against the Mother Hubbard, fashion boldly declares that the maligned garments are popular again this season, and a pretty model, made of red and golden brown, crossed with hair lines of pale blue, is perfectly lovely.—*Chicago Times.*

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—The increase in the population of Paris since 1876 has been 251,122. The total population is now 2,239,928. In 1876 the total was 1,988,806.

—The annual consumption of imported and domestic cigars is sixty to every man, woman and child in the United States.—*Chicago Herald.*

—New York sells annually about 100,000,000 pounds of butter, of which the Commissioner of Agriculture claims over one-half is bogus.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—One of the largest sheets of plate-glass ever imported has been placed in position in Pittsburgh. The plate measures 186 inches by 104 inches, and is without a single flaw.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

—There are 2,000,000 acres of coffee fields in Brazil, upon which are 800,000,000 trees. Each tree averages one pound of coffee every year, and 1,000,000 hands are employed in the industry.

—Forty-five years ago the Britannia was considered a remarkable ship. She was 207 feet long, and her tonnage was 1,155. The new Cunard vessel, just launched at Glasgow, is 520 feet long, and her tonnage is nearly 8,000.

—Americans are liberal patrons of French art. In seven years Americans have paid $9,130,000 for French paintings. The purchases have steadily increased from $701,000 in 1877 to $1,750,000 in 1883.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Of the 120,000 miles of road in the United States, 6,000 are in the New England States, 18,000 in the Middle States, 19,000 in the Southern group, 70,000 in the Western group, and 7,000 in the Pacific group.—*Chicago Herald.*

—It is estimated that the population of the United States has increased twelve per cent. since the census of 1880, and the number of voters in the country is now estimated at 14,000,000, of whom 1,500,000 are colored.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Taking fifteen years as the minimum, there were, in 1882, 16,500,000 persons in England and Wales of marriageable age. Of these, 8,750,000 were unmarried and 1,500,000 widows or widowers. The number of married women under twenty years of age was nearly six times that of married men under that age.—*Brooklyn Union.*

—In an address delivered by Sir Richard Temple before the British Association at Montreal, it was stated that the population of the British Empire consists of 39,000,000 Anglo-Saxons, 188,000,000 Hindus and 88,000,000 Mohammedans, etc.—a total of 315,000,000. The area of the empire and its dependencies is 10,000,000 square miles. The number of trained soldiers is 850,000, of whom about 700,000 are of the dominant race. In addition, there are 560,000 policemen in the empire.

WIT AND WISDOM.

—It is easy enough to correct everybody but yourself.—*Whitehall Times.*

—Girls, don't paint. Men know that a pale apple is just as sweet as a red one.—*Philadelphia Bulletin.*

—It is estimated that the average production of maple sugar in the United States is 40,000,000 pounds.

—It is commendable in a man to attempt to reach old age, but highly improper for him to try to overreach it.

—"Nervous Girl" wants to know how to cure "a tickling sensation about the face." Get him to shave off his mustache.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—Maud S. has beaten her own trotting, and the cow Bomba, before she died, beat her own yield of milk. The next rara avis will be a hen which shall beat her own eggs.—*Lowell Courier.*

—Cannibal King (to missionary)—"I think the best thing that I can do is to eat you." Missionary (in earnest protest)—"I do not agree with you, sir." Cannibal King—"Well, I mustn't eat anything that doesn't agree with me."—*N. Y. Sun.*

—She (after they had been married two years—"I guess, Charlie, darling, that I'll try and get a place as table-girl in that restaurant down town where you get your meals." "Why, what in the world possessed you to think of such a thing?" "Because, Charlie, if I was down there with all those pretty girls I know you'd find time to run in and see me two or three times a day." Charlie took the hint.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—A wise Quakeress used to say, in her sermons, that there were three follies of men which always amazed her. The first was, their climbing trees to shake fruit down, when, if they only waited a little, it would fall of its own accord; the second was, that they should go to war to kill each other, when, if they but waited, they would all die naturally; and the third was, that they should run after women, which, if they would not do, the women would be sure to run after them.—*Exchange.*

—Undying Love—

Shall we meet again, love,
In the distant When, love,
When the Now is Then, love,
And the Present, Past?
Shall the mystic Yonder,
On which I ponder,
I sadly wonder,
With thee be cast?

Ah, the joyless fleeting
Of our primal meeting,
And the tearful greeting
Of the How and Why!
Ah, the Thingness flying
From the Hereness, sighing
From above undying,
That faith would die!

Boston Transcript.

—A man who opened a small fruit store on Gratiot avenue the other morning locked the doors on Saturday night and pasted a notice read ng: "Dis blace doan' do some business next vheek." An acquaintance was asking him what the trouble was and he replied: "Vhell, I shtart in mit a capital of ten dollar. Dot vhas all assets und no liabilities. In tree days I make feefty cents profit; but my shtock goes down hill eafer two dollars. In der next tree days I trust oudt eafer two dollar; und my stock goes down hill feefty cents. By Saturday night I vhas most all liability and shust asset enough to pay der rent. I thought it vhas better to close ouds dan to haf some assignee come in und eat up all der apples det vhas left for Sunday."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Intelligent people have quit taking bitters and mineral poisons, have quit doctoring kidneys and liver, nerves and brain, have quit using alcoholic poisons and narcotic nostrums, and now keep themselves and families in perfect health by occasionally using the perfect blood purifier and true strengthener of weak portions of the body, known far and wide as Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla. Any druggist will get it for you.

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Sufferers from nervousness, early decay, etc., if you value life, avoid advertising doctors and medicines that act on kidneys and liver. Be not deceived by the many bogus certificates of cures from paid or imaginary persons. If a weakness of the sexual system is the cause of your distress, Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla will strengthen the parts affected, stop the drain, quiet the nerves, produce dreamless slumber and allow you to regain perfect health. It has cured thousands, and will cure you, for, by purifying the blood and strengthening every weak portion of the body, it removes every symptom of distress.

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Common sense is symmetry of mind, character, and of purpose in the individual combined. It represents man in completeness, harmony, and equipoise. It clothes him with dignity, invests him with power, and stamps him with superiority. It is not genius, for that is often erratic; nor cunning, in its sinuous course; nor tact, with its decline into trickery. Common sense is the embodiment of true manhood. It confers a patent of royalty, though birth be plebian, and exalts men from their lowliest spheres to the highest stations. Not by sudden freaks of fortune or a train of adventitious circumstances are they thus dignified; but step by step, through obstacle and hindrance, they overcome by force of character and the proper force of will power. Common sense is a tremendous force in this lower world. Its power is felt and acknowledged through all the ramifications of governments, society, business, finance science and commerce. In fact it is the history as well as the true philosophy of the ages. It is the salt that has saved humanity from barbarism, and the moving power that has propelled the race onward in its march of progress and civilization.

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Help Yourself.

People who have been bolstered up and levered all their lives are seldom good for anything in a crisis. When misfortune comes they look around for something to cling to or lean upon. If the prop is not there, down they go.

Once down, they are as helpless as capsized turtles, or unhorsed men in armor and cannot find their feet again without assistance.

Such silken fellows, no more resemble self-made men, who have fought their way to position, making difficulties their stepping stones, and deriving determination from defeat, than vines resemble oaks, or sputtering rush-lights the stars of heaven. Efforts persisted into achievements train a man to self-reliance, and when he has proven to the world that he can trust himself the world will trust him.

It is unwise to deprive young men of the advantages which result from their own energetic action by "boosting them over obstacles which they ought to surmount alone.

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A writer in *All the Year Round* says: The Tunisian Arabs have a passion for flowers, and as soon as their spring commences, even the poorest and raggedest may be seen with delicately scented blossom stuck above his ear, the stalk resting amid the folds of his turban and the flower projecting over his dark cheek. I have been told by those who have thirty years' knowledge of these people, that they will, almost go without bread to buy flowers. And there is something in the sight of a gaunt, toil-worn Arab, whose sole garment may consist of a piece of coarse sacking and a ragged old turban, with a bunch of delicate spring blossoms drooping their cool freshness against his swarthy cheek, which stirs a strange mingling of sympathy and pity and admiration.

The perfumes distilled at Tunis have been famous from time immemorial, and I really think the Tunisians are right when they declare that their roses are sweeter than all others. There is one very large, rather pale rose, in particular, from which the famous attar is extracted, which exhales an odor so powerful and yet so delicate that it seems a figure of speech to speak of the "odors of Paradise," and one can understand that the Mohammedan's heaven would hardly be complete without it. But at Tunis it is not only the rose which is made to yield up its sweet breath, to be afterwards imprisoned in cunning little caskets and sparkling crystal flasks enriched with gilding, suggesting to the wandering fancy of the Arabian Nights' haunted traveler (and who is there who is not continually haunted by that wonderful book from the moment he finds himself among Oriental scenes?) the imprisoned spirit of some fairy, in eternal subjection to the powerful genii man. The odors of the violets, jasmine, the orange flower, and many others are extracted with equal skill, and in the bazaars mingle their scents with the perfume of sandal-wood and other sweet smelling woods, whose names I do not know, and with that of the curious most odoriferous dark substance which the natives call amber.

If you go to buy perfumes, the vendor will perhaps offer you a little ivory box (Arabian Nights again!) or porcelain vase containing a scented unguent for the hair, or may be a string of beads to hang around your neck, apparently thinking it of small consequence in what way you perfume your person so that the desired odor is conveyed to the senses. In Arab households incense and sandal-wood are frequently burned on charcoal braizers. The Arabian women of the higher class are extravagantly fond of highly scented earrings, bracelets, etc., and a lady told me that on being introduced into the apartment of a newly married wife she saw suspended on the wall a magnificent kind of necklace, almost as large as a collar of the Order of the Golden Fleece, formed of scented woods and amber, enriched with plates and beads of pure gold, finely worked. This ornament perfumed the whole apartment, and my friend was informed that in well-to-do households it was always to be found in the chamber of the newest wife.

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DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 8, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 452, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof,

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent. to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera-house, so called on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Alice E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's land twelve (12) rods; thence east parellel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 20, 1884

THAT venerable personage, the "oldest inhabitant," can scarcely recall a more beautiful fall than the present one.

The Republicans thought the Prohibition shower did not amount to much. It proved to be a powerful cyclone in New York.

Now that the election is over and the result known by all men, let us turn our attention to business once more and make the wheels of industry hum.

President Cleveland should reserve two of the softest offices within his gift for the Rev. Dr. Ball and the Rev. Dr. Burchard. Their services in New York were invaluable to him. But perhaps, after all, they were only Democratic spies in the enemy's camp.

The following significant straw appeared in the telegraphic news last Wednesday:

CLEVELAND, Nov. 15.—The Cleveland rolling mill company will resume work in all its departments on Monday except in the soft steel mill. Not since the strike of '76 has the mill run to its full capacity. The new move gives employment to 3,500 men, an increase of 1,700 over the force formerly employed.

The New York World thinks that Mr. Blaine himself was the author of his defeat:

He came to New York fresh from his triumphal campaign in the west to magnetize things. He was met with a week of gloom and rain. The big out-door parades which had been arranged for were comparative failures. Then came Burchard on that black Wednesday with his fateful "Rum, Romanism, and Rebellion." This was followed by the Belshazzer Banquet with Jay Gould and the millionaires at night. That finished Mr. Blaine. He probably had a plurality in New York on that memorable morning, but when the newspapers of the next day told the story Mr. Blaine was defeated. Thus, may it be again remarked, everlasting things hang on slender threads.

The Philadelphia Record says:

None of our manufacturers are so foolish as to close business because of their disappointment over the defeat of Mr. Blaine. Some of them may have said so during the excitement of the political campaign, but they will think better of it. In 1844 there was much more grief among the manufacturers over the defeat of Henry Clay than there is over Mr. Blaine's defeat, but none of them suspended business on that account. On the contrary many of them extended their operations under the genial influence of a tariff policy that widened the market for their products. When the excessive taxes on the raw materials of industry are removed the manufacturers of Philadelphia will have reason to rejoice over the change, instead of lamenting it and threatening to suspend business operations. Under the existing policy the seasons of business prosperity have been brief and fitful. When the needless burdens of taxation are reduced, and the enormous surplus piled in the treasury is sent through the arteries of trade, a healthy impulse will be given to business in all its departments.

The result of the election by states, after the completion of the official count in New York, remains exactly as stated by the HERALD on Nov. 6th, two days after the election. The result was in no more real doubt then than it is to-day. Full returns had been received from every election precinct in New York through a dozen different sources, and the figures had become public property on Thursday night, two weeks ago to-day. The only element of uncertainty was this—whether the defeated party would accept the inevitable, as law-abiding citizens should, or attempt to repeat the game of 1876. With the completion of the official canvass in New York that fear is now dispelled. That canvass shows a plurality of 1,195 for the lowest Cleveland elector, over the highest Blaine elector. The plurality for Cleveland, on all the electors but two or three, is over 1,200. The remaining states will proceed to count the votes and give the legal certificates to the Cleveland or Blaine electors as the case may be, and the result will be legally and truthfully declared. Cleveland and Hendricks will receive 219 electoral votes; Blaine & Logan will receive 182.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MORAL REFORM.

Unanimously adopted by the Michigan Christian Conference, at its session held with the Church of Christ, East Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Mich., Oct. 29 to Nov. 1, '84

We, your Committee on Moral Reform, respectfully report as follows:

The past year having added one more to the dark record of intemperance and high handed iniquity in its thousands of forms, by which homes have been made desolate, hearts broken and souls destroyed, therefore

Resolved, That as a body of Christian people, it is our duty to reiterate in the action taken by your honorable body last year, coupled with that expressed in the report of the committee on Temperance, adopted by the Christian Conference of Ohio, at its late session, which report read as follows:

Whereas, The great evils resulting from licentiousness, the use of rum, profanity, Sabbath breaking, and use of tobacco threaten the ruin of our young people in all parts of our land, and,

Whereas, The Bible no where sanctions these evils nor an allowance with them who promise laws of reform, but who continue to do wickedly for the satisfaction of their own individual interests, therefore

Resolved, That we urge our ministers to do more positive preaching against these great evils and that we ask all lovers of Jesus among us, and all whom we may reach, to agitate the subject of moral reform, and to speak much and constantly against these great evils.

Resolved, That we favor the distribution of tons of publications crying down these great evils, and urging a united effort on the part of all lovers of righteousness in the uprooting of vice and iniquity.

Whereas, Alcohol is the monster of man, against which the legislation of both state and national government has forced prohibition for ages past in certain specific cases, protecting Indians, Slaves, Soldiers, Minors, and protecting certain places, such as schools and camp-meetings; and protecting certain times, such as days of election, danger, riots, and otherwise; and,

Whereas, Those who, through weakness, use it in the indulgence of a depraved appetite, yet prohibit its use by their wives, daughters, and servants, and condemn its use by teachers, ministers, and other persons of high moral standing, thus showing when combining this vote with that of acknowledged temperance people) an almost universal voice for prohibition, and making an unmistakable confession of its justice; and

Whereas, This monster evil is suffered by the whole community at the instance of a small minority, not more than fifteen per cent. of the population having any interest in the continuation of the manufacture or traffic; and the evil is not suffered principally or equally by those who drink, whose senses are stupefied, but more largely by their families and an outraged community, adding, besides all the suffering, at least fifty per cent. to the taxes, and penitentiaries; and

Whereas, The traffic can, at most, be desireable to the few who are willing to risk wrecking their own hopes and the happiness of others; therefore,

Resolved, That common equity and humanity demand the prohibition of this inhuman, barberous, and undemocratic traffic, and further

Resolved, That we not only pledge ourselves to prohibition, but that we will use every wise and honest means for the suppression of the manufacture or use of intoxicating beverages.

B. F. RAPP,
J. A. YOUNG,
GEO. ABBOTT.

P. S.—Since the adjournment of conference, a report has been in circulation to the effect that there was strong opposition to the above report in the discussion and in the vote taken in reference to it. Said report is incorrect. One brother said: "while I most heartily endorse the report in the main, I think the words in the last resolve, 'that we not only pledge ourselves to prohibition,' looks too much like binding the conscience which I think should be left free." When an expression by vote was asked for (which was asked of the entire audience, and by a rising vote,) the vote was unanimous in affirming the report, the brother having made the remarks referred to, casting his vote with the balance. B. F. RAPP.

"This ought ye to have done and not left the other undone."

The fish commissions of Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois and Minnesota met at Milwaukee last night and adopted recommendations to State legislatures to pass laws protecting the fish and fish interests of the Great Lakes.—Evening News, Oct. 18.

Those legislatures will no doubt give heed to these recommendations. The fish are of great importance to this country. But what will they do when asked to pass laws protecting the homes of their States from the depredations of the rum traffic? They will answer in effect, the fish interest does not control votes. The whiskey traffic does. The votes of the people are of more importance to us than their virtues, therefore we will work for the one though we destroy the other? I do not complain that our law makers protect our fish interests. I heartily commend them for so doing, but I denounce them for thin moral cowardness when asked to attend to the more weightier matter of the law. The sanctity of one home, or the saving of one boy from rums destruction, is of infinitely more importance to the welfare of this nation than all the fish interests in the United States; and I hope that the time is not long when the people of this State will give our legislators to understand most plainly that to encourage virtue in the people is vastly more to their credit than to license vice.

J. H. O.

The other day we noticed over the door of a saloon the name "——'s Exchange." The thought came to us it was a place of "exchange" but of what? Honor, respectability, home, wife, children, the earnings representing hours of toil, exchanged for dishonor and disgrace, bloodshot eyes and trembling limbs, vicious companions, and a place in the gutter, an abode in the prison cell, and, it may be the gallows. Terrible are the "exchanges" made over the bar of a saloon.—Royal Templars Advocate.

We challenge the defenders of the liquor business to name one good thing that results from the ordinary consumption of intoxicating liquors as a beverage.

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Yours, Truly, S. PEPSON.

222 Alexander Avenue.

Mr. Pepson is one of Albany's old and respected residents, and consents to the publication of the above letter.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

STAMPING.—I have just purchased a new supply of stamps for braiding and embroidery. Will do hand braiding for 3 cts. a yard in set figures. Rooms at the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood. Ladies' dresses, cloaks, and children's dresses stamped on short notice.
MRS. C. M. WEBSTER.

FOR SALE.—House and lot on Bidwell street will be sold very cheap. Apply at once to
JOHN McKENDRY.

OFF FOR FLORIDA.—Now is your time to buy an organ, piano, musical mdse., and instruments of all kinds and sewing machines at bed rock prices. A No. 1 upright pickering and duplex Ithica piano at wholesale prices. Three desirable houses and lots and my business building will be sold at low figures. Also a 7 year old bay mare, buggies, harness &c. If you want bargains call at once while you have a large stock to select from. Several second hand organs and sewing machines nearly as good as new.
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STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses.
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my house and lot and a few vacant village lots in Tecumseh. For prices, terms, etc. call on Chas. Burridge. Splendid chance for a retired farmer.
A. A. KENNEDY.

Remember the Owl Club party next Wednesday evening.

Tax receipts neatly, cheaply and expeditiously printed at the HERALD office.

The Michigan State horticultural society will meet at Ann Arbor December 1, 2 and 3.

The members of the Owl Club are anticipating a fine party on their first effort on Thanksgiving eve.

Wm. Chiverall started last Saturday afternoon for Buffalo, N. Y. He intends securing a job on a railroad at that place.

Chas. W. Akin will open his new skating rink at Brooklyn next Saturday evening. Branch and Curtis, the champion double skaters of Michigan will be present and the Napoleon Cornet band will furnish the music. The rink is 45 by 110 feet in size and one of the best in this section of the state. Charley expects a large turn out on the opening night.

MAKE $20,00 FOR CHRISTMAS.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer twelve valuable rewards in their Monthly for December, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 to the person telling us which is the middle verse of the New Testament Scriptures (not the Revised Edition) by December 10th, 1884. Should two or more correct answers be received, the Reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner December 15th, 1884. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the January Monthly, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penna.

MACON, Nov. 18th, 1884.

"Looker On" would like the writer of Macon Music in last week's HERALD, to name one prohibitionist who is jubilant over the result of the late election. He says, "no one has reason to be more exultant" than the prohibitionist. Will he please state why? Also how he knows that the object which the prohibitionists had in view, was "to put the democracy in power." Also, why "it behoves the political prohibitionist to stand by the democracy, and endeavor to keep it in power."

For our part we believe and thank God for it, that conscience, and love for their fellows, have induced 200,000 votes, in our beloved land, to squarely and honestly give expression to their earnest desire, that this awful curse and cause of suffering, the drink traffic, may be leagaly removed.

LOOKER ON.

A TECUMSEH MAN ABROAD.

John R. Clark delivered his lecture "To and Fro in London" at Kalamazoo last week. The following flattering notice thereof is from the Kalamazoo Gazette. The lecture was given before the Sherwood Society of the College.

The lecture "To and Fro in London," to which a large audience listened Wednesday evening at the Baptist church, was a fine effort and reflects in high favor upon the earnest labor and relative ability of its author, John R. Clark.

So unbroken is the excellence, both of the lecture and its delivery, that it is difficult to give a satisfactory outline; yet we will note a few points.

The lecturer at once dropped his audience in the streets of the world's metropolis, and soon led them from point to point in St. Paul's, with a vivid and lofty description. Then to London bridge, which knows no end to the stream of humanity passing over it; into the streets and houses almost revered from their having known the presence of such men as Dr. Johnson and Wm. Cowper; to the magnificent temples of worship whose central pillars are Dr. Parker and Charles Spurgeon.

Mr. Clark's eulogies upon John B. Gough, General Grant, Abraham Lincoln and Charles Spurgeon, were ennobling and sublime and did honor to the man who, overlooking all ties of nativity, can appreciate true greatness wherever it is found.

The latter part of the lecture consisted of specimens of recitation in Scotch, English, and Irish dialect, and many incidents of the speaker's early life in London, overflowing with humor and pathos.

A man of two countries, England and America; twice a brightener of the understanding, having been formerly a boot-black, twice a man of letters, news-boy and lecturer. Mr. Clark is at once a delight and a marvel to all who hear him.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 20, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Thanksgiving day next Thursday.

Who will give us a Thanksgiving turkey?

Thanks to Morgan Miller for a batch of San Francisco papers.

Coal stoves are cold stove no longer, and the price of coal is going up.

John R. Clark's new lecture is entitled "Rum, Romanism and Rebellion."

Frank Snedigor and his best girl came up from Dundee Tuesday and returned on Wednesday.

The night Lake Shore train on the Jackson branch of the Lake Shore is now carrying the U. S. express.

The Lenawee Co. teachers association will meet some time in December. The exact date will soon be arranged.

The skating rink is constantly growing in popular favor Under its splendid management it is proving a resort for many of our best society people.

A little advise to our roller skaters. For falls: Rub the part affected with a piece of fresh butter, and it will prevent a bruise or discoloration of the skin.

Business has "picked up" very rapidly in town in the past week. Our merchants are enjoying a rushing trade, and the air of contentment and prosperity pervades the town.

The Democrats and Greenbackers of Tipton had a fine "blow-out" last Saturday evening in honor of Clevelands election. Bonfires were lighted, houses were illuminated and a general good time had.

The poor sufferer who has been dosing himself with so called Troches and thereby upset his stomach without curing his cough, should take our advice and use at once Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and get well,

Rev. I. A. Eberhart spent two or three days very pleasantly among his Tecumseh friends last week. Mr. Eberhart now lives at Chicago Lawn, a suburb of Chicago, where he has a large number of village lots for sale.

When others are suffering, drop a word of kindness and sympathy. If they are suffering from a cold, give them Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; a few doses of this valuable remedy will afford instant relief, and a twenty-five cent bottle will cure the worst cough.

Mr. Nestell has sold out his interest in the skating rink to Vincent P. Cash, the other partner, and the latter will have full control of the establishment hereafter. Mr. Cash will continue to run the rink in the unexceptional manner in which it has heretofore been conducted.

Adrian Times: The upper room of the Addison school house has been suffering from a smoking stove, and the Courier advises people to hang their hams there. To do so wouldn't cause much trouble if Addison is so plentifully supplied with hams, figuratively speaking, as some towns are.

Dangerous counterfeit dollars are now cirulating. They are described as being so finely executed as to almost defy detection. They are of a white color, dated 1884, and have a fine, clear and almost perfect ring. The die is excellent, and the size and thickness correspond to the standard silver dollar.

Adrian Times: Yee Din, the Tecumseh washee washee, is entertaining a mongolian cousin who has just arrived from China. It is no end of a picnic to hear Yee Din explain to his countryman that Tecumseh is the most important city in all this Chinaman's plundering ground, because there are more white shirts worn there than anywhere else.

Thursday, Nov. 27, having been recommended as a day of annual Thanksgiving, the Baptist, Presbyterian and Methodist congregations will hold a union service on that day at half past ten A. M. in the Presbyterian church. Rev. C. E. Conley, pastor of the Baptist church, will preach. Members of the united congregations and all who feel disposed to come are invited to join the service.

Brooklyn Exponent: A Napoleon girl in giving her answer "No" to a matromonial proposal, closes her letter with the following peroration: "So live that when thy summons comes to join the matrimonial cara van that moves toward the connubial goal, thou go not like the half paid hired man, begging potatoes, but sustained and soothed by common sense, approach thy doom like one who wraps the cellar door about him and lies down to sweet dreams."

The sale of season tickets for the Library Lecture Course is progressing very satisfactorily. A canvassing committee is at work selling tickets with good success so far. Parties wishing tickets, who are missed by the canvassers, will find them for sale at Adamson's jewelry store. The committee is anxious to dispose of all the season tickets possible to insure the financial success of the course. As the object of the affair is a most laudible one people are requested to lend their aid and buy season tickets liberally.

Thanksgiving one week from today.

Call at the HERALD for your tax receipts.

Adrian will soon have a skating rink. Happy Adrian.

Dr. L. H. Kallock, of Balch, paid the HERALD a call on Tuesday last.

Mrs. John Darling left Tecumseh for Duluth, Wis., yesterday morning.

Mrs. A. Forsyth, nee Mary Eccles, of Dacotah, is visiting friends in Tecumseh.

The buyers are in the field looking up poultry. They say there is not a democratic rooster for sale in the county.

The HERALD was in error last week in giving the name of Wheeler as the manager of the Macon skating rink. Mr. Freeman is the manager.

John B. Pattison of Ridgeway has bought the Vet Erskine house on Potawatamie street and moved his family into the village. Another good family added to the census.

The trial of the celebrated Crouch-Holcomb case is now in progress at Jackson. A jury was secured last week, and the evidence on the part of the people is being given this week.

Fred King and Pulaski King of La Porte, Ind., were in town a couple of days last week, guests of Geo. S. Spafford. Fred is frequently seen in Tecumseh, but his brother has not paid us a visit before in twenty years.

Evening News: A Fort Gratiot man loudly proclaimed that if Cleveland was elected this country would be depopulated. Imagine his supprise when just after he heard of Cleveland's election, his wife presented him with a pair of elegant twins.

Township Treasurers will find it to their advantage to get their tax receipts printed at the HERALD office. Receipts printed in any form desired, with or without stubs, and neatly bound in books. Send in your orders at once as the time is approaching.

Charles R. Henry, an old Macon boy, and now an attorney at Au Sable, has been elected State Senator in the 29th district on the Republican ticket. He has served a term as Prosecuting Attorney of Iosco county most acceptably, His old friends in this vicinity will be glad to hear of his success.

Attention Ladies—To the nice line of felts and trimmed goods, all prices to suit the times. Jersey caps, velvet hats; tinsil bonnets. Also, children's bonnets in a variety of shapes, desirable frames, orders made neat and promptly at Mrs. N. R. Brown's Millinery rooms, over Anderson's Dry Goods Store.

The Detroit Commercial in its issue of Oct. 18, says: "An Adrian republican has an election bet with a lady of that city whereby, in the event of Cleveland's election, he is to trundle her to Tecumseh in a wheelbarrow. If Blaine is elected the gentleman is to have the privilege of riding with the lady to Tecumseh in a buggy."

A. M. Bradley of near Saline, met with a serious accident on Tuesday last. He had hitched up his team at the Exchange barn preparatory to going home, when they started on a run, throwing him out of the wagon and seriously injuring him. He was taken up for dead, but after a few hours revived and was taken to his home.

Geo. S. Tiffany will start for New Orleans in about two weeks, to exhibit his latest tile machines at the World's Exposition there. He will probably remain there two or three months. The exhibit will be a machine now manufactured at Bucyrus, Ohio, and Mr. Tiffany will have charge of putting up the machine and running it a few weeks for the Bucyrus company.

The first Social party given by the "Owl Club" will take place at Armory Hall on Wednesday evening of next week, Nov. 26. Good music will be provided, and no effort will be spared by the members to make it an enjoyable occasion. All our people who are addicted to tripping the light fantastic should attend. The Club will quite likely give other similar entertainments during the winter.

Blissfield Advance: Some evil disposed person or persons Tuesday evening tiped over the pile-driver being used in repairing the west approach to the river bridge, causing it to be very badly damaged. One of the guy-ropes was then tied across the bridge in such a manner that a team coming across stumbled over it one of the horses falling down. Such wretches ought to be given a ride out of town on a fence rail.

The ladies of St. Peter's church will hold their annual bazar and evening entertainment at the Opera House next Thursday afternoon and evening, commencing at 12 o'clock M. Their display of fancy articles is unusually large, varied and fine this year, and admirably suited for Christmas gifts. We hope they will be liberally patronized. The evening entertainment will consist of a drama entitled "Laila", which will be both new and entertaining to young and old. The admission to the evening entertainment will be only 15 cents.

John Trann was in town yesterday. He drops in on his old acquaintances occasionally.

Thanks to Geo. Tiffany for some lithographic views of the New Orleans Exposition buildings.

Every boy in town is reminded by the ice covered river this morning, that the good time is coming.

Landlord Delano, of St. Clair, has closed a lease for "The Patterson" and will soon open the hotel to the public.

Loren Van Antwerp's house on Chicago street caught fire this morning. It was discovered at once and put out before any serious damage resulted.

Geo. Adamson, the jeweler, has taken a large advertising space this week. He has got a corner on the Christmas Presents, and can please all who are looking for something for somebody.

Williams' orchestra of Adrian will furnish the music for the "Owls" next Wednesday evening at Armory Hall, and will give some choice selections from 8:00 to 8:30. Spectator's ticket, 15 cents.

Lenawee County is the banner prohibition county of the State, and the banner county of the Union, with one exception. Allegheny county, New York, cast 44 more votes for St. John than Lenawee did.

Last Sunday at the Exchange Hotel in this village occured the marriage of William P. Carey, of Geneseo N. Y. to Miss Minnie Mertz, of Adrian. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Traudt, the landlord of the Exchange.

Geo. S. Tiffany has just received Letters Patent for a new Clay and Clod Crusher, No. 307,820, issued Nov. 11th, 1884. He calls it "The Masher." He claims this to be the best clay crusher ever invented, and it his design to use it in connection with his latest tile machines.

Mrs. A. E. Ure is offering great inducements in Millinery and hair goods at the Lilley House, room 42, on Tuesday of each week. Next week, Nov. 22, I will sell plumes, tips and fancy feathers at wholesale prices. Fine assortment of trimmed and untrimmed hats and bonnets.

S. W. Temple has built a new coal shed, and added some new brands to the coal he has heretofore sold: among which is the Massillon Cannel, which is the best coal mined, for domestic uses. Mr. Temple is continually extending his coal trade, which has already grown to large proportions.

Last Tuesday afternoon as Mrs. Carrol Roberts, of Franklin, was coming home from Adrian with her hired girl, the two were thrown from the buggy, and Mrs. Roberts was very seriously injured, having her skull fractured and jaw bone broken. She is still in a critical condition and fears are entertained for her recovery.

Since the above was in type we learn that Mrs. Roberts died yesterday morning at 11:30 at Wm. Green's residence where she was taken after the accident. She remained entirely unconscious until death. The funeral services will be held on Friday morning at 10:30 at Mr. Robert's home in Franklin. The girl who was hurt is improving and is now considered out of danger.

Special notice. Millions of books are annually purchased for Christmas and New Year presents during the months of November and December, and among those specially adapted for such presents is The "Golden Treasure, or, a World of Knowledge," a compendium of History, Science, and Art, elegantly bound, beautifully illustrated, containing nearly 800 pages, and retails at only $2,90; about one-half the price usually asked for books of its size. An agent has been appointed to receive orders in this place, and those desirous of purchasing a good book, either for their own home, or to make others glad, should not fail to subscribe. Mrs. S. E. Morse is agent and will be pleased to receive your orders.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hickson returned to their home near Grand Rapids via the M. & O. Monday.

Wm. Wallace having had the misfortune to loose one of his horses, his friends made a plowing bee last week and plowed his next year's corn ground. Good work in a good cause.

Kate C. Mead who is teaching the Newburg school has walked from her home in Clinton a distance of three miles since Dec. 1. Such independence deserves commendation.

Republicans have the satisfaction of seeing the Democrats scramble for the offices. Wonder if there will be any change in track masters.

Solomon Mangas moves into Chas. Wiley's house, and Chas. Henry in the house Mangas vacated on the Mudget place.

Morris Conklin who has been tilling H. H. Keyser's farm for the past two years expects to move to Ellenwood, Ill., in Febuary.

A. L. Mudget and wife, of Somerset, Hillsdale Co., have completed their visit in this vicinity and returned home.

Miss Lute Billmeyer, of Cambridge, was the guest of J. F. N. Bowen last Monday night. She is taking drawing lessons of Mrs. Harry Lee.

ALL THE WAY FROM DAKOTA.

An old reader of the HERALD furnishes the following private letter received from a friend in Dakota.

WINTHROP, DAK., Oct. 5th, 1884.

Please consider this letter beg un and no apologies. My harvest is over, my threshing done. The summer is ended. Geese are plenty. (Frank shot his first one, on the 1st. inst.) We are feeding our hogs wheat and ourselves pumpkin pies, chicken and such game as we have time to shoot. It seems to me that we live fast here, the time goes so rapidly away. Our first frost came on the 23 of Sept. caught us napping—as usual and killed our tomatoes which was a pity. We pulled and piled the vines, and they have been ripening some since. Have had no more frost yet, but can't escape much longer. Corn ripened nicely. I have cribbed about 20 bu. of hard corn. We shall feast on pop corn this winter. I shall have ten or twelve bu. all kinds, red, yellow, and white rice corn. I made an experiment on sweet corn: I planted a black sugar corn, with Stowells evergreen, and the result is a variegated (thats the word) variety with large ears and grains, five eighths of an inch broad, small cob, and a most delicious kind for the table. I will send you a pkg. of seed when it gets thoroughly dry. We succeeded in drying over 120 pounds of sweet corn, and could have dried more but there seemed to be no market for it, and Lide thought we could not use it all. This with six bushels of white beans, I guess will help us to keep fat this winter. Well I raised 258 bushels of oats from 6 acres. 255 bu. of Fife wheat from 15 acres, and 414 of Lost Nation wheat from 25 acres. The L. N. shelled badly when cut. But now with good crops, comes the lowest price for wheat for 25 years. We can get but from 45 to 54cts for wheat, and it requires 62 pounds to make a bushel here on account of imperfect cleaning. One consolation is that flour is cheap, 4,40 a barrel, and groceries generally are very reasonable. Fuel is high. Hard coal 11.25, soft coal $8 per ton. The hail left us mercifully alone this year, though it threatened enough, and actually visited south of Huron, even worse than it did us last year. We saw one cyclone plainly like a tunnel or waterspout, 20 miles to the South of us, visible for half an hour. It was narrow on the ground not over a rod wide, but succeeded in destroying several buildings &c. A small one passed over one corner of my farm, knocked a window out of the school house, unroofed a neighbor's barn, and scared every body. We dove into our cyclone cellar, and peered out at it defiantly. Now for the winter, I have a straw roof on my barn about 16 feet deep. "How is that for high." When the storms rage, should we not be able to feed the horses, they can eat straw for a living, till they eat the roof off from over their heads. Our potatoes are excellent, but not as good as last year, but squash in profusion, and of all kinds. We are loosing some of our good neighbors, as well as some bad ones. This is one great evil in this new country. Some have become tired of a farmers life, some are too roving in their disposition and never intended to stay longer than necessary to acquire a title from the government for land, in order to sell it. I would not advise any one to come here yet, unless for speculative purposes, and a keen speculator can do as well one place as another provided there is plenty of money floating around. People who come here from Iowa and Nebraska say they do not mind the winds nor storms. They are as bad, or worse where they came from. I suppose it is possible to get used to those things. In fact I am less concerned about them than at first, but I always watch an approaching storm cloud with a certain anxiety, and should the gathering clouds assume a whirling motion we "get" for the cellar. It is very singular how storms come up here. There may be a strong wind blowing steadily from the South sometimes for three days. We see a small streak of cloud, half way above the horizon in the northwest. It grows slowly and stretches out in almost a straight line from left to right and appears to be rolling up in a regular wave. When it comes directly toward you, coming always against the wind, it simply means a strong change of wind, and from a warm to a cold temperature, and usually hail. If the bank of cloud moves to the northeast it indicates a storm centre, which if it passes over you will produce winds from all points of the compass within half an hour. In fact a cyclone, or rather whirlwind not yet brought down to a destructive point but gathering and if it does not break up finally concentrates along its eastern course, and does great damage in Minnesota and Iowa. The clouds form here at a great height, and we can see distinctly the rain falling from this dark bank of clouds, outlined upon the clear sky below and beyond it, sometimes for hours before it reaches us. When the cloud finally reaches us, the south wind suddenly ceases, for a few minutes it is perfectly calm, then comes the northwestern with tremendous force. One reason for such large hail stones, is the immense height from which they fall. And the lightning too is immense. A bolt seems sometimes to be half a minute in falling, and sparks seem to fly off from it like sparks from a rocket. One afternoon in August, a terrific storm was passing over. I stood in my door, watching for any whirling signs when a ball dropped a mile to the south, into some wheat stacks and instantly the flames burst forth, and in less than one minute the whole surface of these stacks was ablaze. They burned a day and a night, a splendid bonfire to everyone but to the owner of them. Ten acres of wheat gone in a day. Lightning does not alarm me; I am quite philosophic about it. If it hits me, I wont know what hurt me, and there are a great many places for it to strike and my chance is as good as any, of escape. I presume the coming winter will try our patience pretty well for we shall not have the novelty of wintering in a new country to divert us, and the time will probably seem to pass slower. Also we have become better acquainted with the people here, and that novelty will be gone in a measure.

A GREAT NEWSPAPER.

The Pall Mall Gazette, of London, England, did not overstate the case when it said that The New York Independent is "one of the ablest weeklies in existence." It is as overwhelming as a monthly or quarterly magazine, with all the matter in its many departments. Any monthly might be proud if it could show as distinguished a list of contributors as The Independent. In a single department—its story department—we find, among Englishmen, such contributors as Sir Samuel W. Baker, the celebrated Egyptian explorer; Thomas Hardy, W. E. Norris, James Payn, F. W. Robinson and Henry W. Lucy, the well-known and deservedly popular novelists; while among Americans we notice the names of Edward Everett Hale, Frank R. Stocking, H. H. Boyesen, Sarah O. Jewett, J. S., of Dale, Rebecca Harding Davis and Harriet Prescott Spofford. The Independent printed also, recently, the last story from the pen of the late Ivan Tourgeneff, having secured the only translation from the Russian into English. This department is but a sample of the others. It would seem to us that The Independent offers not only "fifty-two dividends during the year," but, in addition, a stock dividend with each department. We advise our readers to send for a free sample copy.

Auction Sale.

John Britton & Son's lease having expired on the farm known as Francis Coats' farm at Britton station, Mich., will sell at auction, on Tuesday, Nov. 25th, 1884, at 12 o'clock M., 3 work horses, 1 steer, 2 yearlings, 4 calves, 120 high grade ewes, 16 ram lambs, 30 ewe lambs, 9 yearling rams, 25 weathers, sow and 6 pigs, 5 shoats, 6 cows, 30 tons hay, 4000 bundles cornstalks, 350 bu. sugar beets, 2 lumber wagons, double buggy, hay racks, Syracuse 3-horse plow, Gale Plows, 800 bu. corn, harrows, cultivators, bob-sleighs, a Johnson reaper and mower combined, and other farm tools. Terms, twelve months credit with good notes at interest. Abe Hanford, auctioneer. Free lunch served at noon. Come early.

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Buckwheat should be harvested before frost can injure it. Cut it in the morning when the dew is on, to prevent shelling. Thresh as soon as the straw is sufficiently dry, and spread the grain thinly upon the floor, as it may heat in large heaps.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—Potatoes should be dug nearly as soon as the tops have dried down, no matter whether they are intended for marketing at once or to be put in the cellar. If the cellar is cool, dry and dark they will keep better than in the ground, and will not be liable to be spoiled by too much wet weather, as they would be in the field.—*Prairie Farmer.*

—At this season the troughs where stock are watered should be well cleaned, at least once a week. Leaves and sediment rapidly decay in warm weather, and there will be subsequent damage to the health of stock and the purity of milk given by cows. So large a portion of pure milk is water that the quality of water which cows have to drink becomes very important.—*Rural New Yorker.*

—There are various preparations for whitening the hands which can be used without harm. Glycerine, vaseline, cold cream or mutton tallow rubbed in will do much to soften them. Oat meal and corn-meal, both dry and moist, may be used with good effect. The roughest and ugliest pair of hands may be made smooth and soft, if not white, in one month if the owner will but wash them well in warm water every night and rub them well with whichever of these simple preparations suits her best, and then incase them in a pair of loose gloves from which the finger-tips have been cut.—*Chicago Journal.*

Fitting Stock for Winter.

When stock has been fitted for roughing it, which, of course, means feeding up to meet cold weather, the owner is in a position to choose between carrying over to spring or longer, or sending forward to market at any time, that is, if he has fed up to such a state of fatness as will, more surely than any other, enable the animal to resist a low degree of temperature without discomfort. If a thick wall of sawdust around a body of ice preserves it from melting in hot weather longer than a thin wall, then, on the same principle, a thick wall of adipose under the hide of a farm beast protects the animal from readily suffering by exposure to cold. The sawdust in the one case is the non-conductor which prevents an interchange of temperature between the ice within the wall and the hot air without, while, reversing the order, the layer of fat under the hide of the animal prevents the transfer of cold to the inner tissues, being a non-conductor equally efficient with the wall of saw dust in the other case. The wall of fat once placed beneath the hide is, if fair protection be given, somewhat easily held there; while it is hardly possible to put on this layer during winter's cold without extra protection from the low temperature.

Hence the wisdom of seeing to it early in the season, while flesh is easily acquired, that the gain is put on which is sure to be required when the mercury falls low down in the tube. Roughing it is nothing else than instituting a warfare between the tissues of which the animal is made up and the elements without. A moment's reflection will convince any one of the utter wastefulness of dealing out food three times a day in such free quantities as are required if feed is depended on to keep up the animal warmth, reasonably comfortable shelter being denied when the weather is decidedly cold. Dr. Playfair likened the body of a beast to a furnace in which fuel is consumed to produce heat, as the principle is quite like the feeding of farm animals, in so far as the food is given to maintain the animal heat. The continued tendency towards equalization in temperature of bodies and substances in contact, acts upon live animals exposed to contact with the outer air, and hence, when the temperature goes down there is a struggle within the body in its effort to preserve its normal temperature. This effort may be aptly likened to that made to warm a room with a heater, but little fuel being required when the outside temperature is well up for the normal temperature or the animal body is easily maintained under like circumstances without a special provision of food for this purpose.

Fitting stock for roughing it is very unprofitable as a preliminary process, because the term implies exercise. Without the out-door exercise in inclement as well as in all other kinds of weather, the term roughing it would hardly apply. Exercise, in proportion to its extent, calls for increased action of the lungs and heart, and this lung action wastes the living tissues rapidly. It follows that quietness and seclusion are the means to be used for saving the tissues. Therefore to feed up for exposure during winter involves a great waste during the preliminary as it does during the final experiences. But in this day we hope no one will persist in the heterodox notion that it is, in any sense, wise to build up during summer valuable material that is to be ruthlessly squandered during the cold months. With fresh producers, the making of edible flesh is a slow and expensive process, and flesh once put on should in no case be parted with. If domestic animals could be fattened as rapidly as the carnivora are when they are full fed then the task would indeed be easy. But the carnivora eat flesh and tissue having the constituents of their own bodies ready prepared, while domestic animals are built up by a slow process from materials which, while made up of constituents measurably like the body, are still, in the main, quite unlike it. But it is doubtless a wise provision that the flesh counted good for use as human food is put on by a slow process, otherwise it would be flabby and oily; would shrink in the pot and vanish before a cold blast.—*National Live Stock Journal.*

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117 Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Deroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Toledo	9 02 "	6 17 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118 Express.	No. 148 Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 35 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 50 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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Detroit & Indianapolis Division.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous		9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton		10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek		11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette		12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 25	6 25
Blakesley		12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR, & NORTH MICH.

To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	Manhattan Junction	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 24	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	Samaria	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	Lulu	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	Macon	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	Azalia	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	Milan	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	Nora	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	Urania	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	Pittsfield	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	Leland	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	Worden	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A....Toledo ..L	5 10	11 40	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
6 20	9 09	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
6 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 59	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 17		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 37		3 01	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
8 08		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A. Allegan ..L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 16	Holland	10 10		3 00
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A ..L	A. M.		P. M.

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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to cure every case of Fever and Ague, Intermittent or Chill Fever, Remittent Fever, Dumb Ague, Bilious Fever, and Liver Complaint caused by malaria. In case of failure, after due trial, dealers are authorized, by our circular dated July 1st, 1882, to refund the money.

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A STANDARD MEASURE.

Need of a National Legal Standard of Measure for Farm and Garden Products.

It is to be regretted that we have no National legal standard measure for the various farm and garden products. For a few articles, like wheat, flour and bran, the weight per barrel and bushel is the same in all parts of the country, but for all other articles there is no uniform standard, and a man who orders a barrel, bushel, basket, or box of vegetables, fruit, or seed, runs a risk in regard to the quantity he will receive for his money. We have no standard apple barrel, and we believe there are but two States in which a man can demand any fixed weight for a bushel. The result is that a barrel or bushel of apples is an indefinite quantity. In grain it is almost as bad as with apples, for while the California bushel of barley must weigh fifty pounds, and in New York forty-eight, in Louisiana it is only thirty-two pounds. The legal bushel of buckwheat in the different States and Territories varies from forty pounds in Nevada and California to fifty-two in Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska and Kentucky. In New York State forty-eight pounds is a bushel. In Canada fifty pounds of flax-seed is a legal bushel, but in New York and New Jersey it is fifty-five pounds, while in some other States it is fifty-six pounds. With the various kinds of grass seed there is no uniform standard of weight per bushel, for in Washington Territory a legal bushel of timothy seed must weigh fifty pounds, in Vermont forty-two, in New York forty-four, while in Illinois and several other Western States, it is forty-five pounds. The legal bushel of castor oil beans varies from forty to forty-six pounds to the bushel. Shelled corn is almost uniform, although there are two pounds difference between New York and New Jersey. In the former it is fifty-eight pounds to the bushel, and in the latter it is fifty-six; at least these were the legal weights a short time since. In California the legal bushel must weigh fifty-two pounds, but in a large majority of the States fifty-six pounds is the weight. In corn on the ear the weight of a bushel varies from sixty-eight to seventy-two pounds.

In vegetables and roots there is as wide a range of weights per bushel as in grain and seeds. Connecticut, which has long been noted for its onion crop, fixes the weight per bushel of this fragrant bulb at fifty pounds; but Indiana places it at forty-nine, while Illinois, Iowa and some adjoining States call for fifty-seven pounds. Maine and Massachusetts are satisfied with fifty-two pounds, while the Canadians demand sixty pounds for a bushel. In a majori- of the States sixty pounds is a legal bushel of Irish potatoes, but in Maryland, Kentucky and Pennsylvania, it is only fifty-six pounds. Sweet potatoes have no fixed standard, except in about a half dozen States, but the weight varies from forty-six to fifty-five pounds per bushel. Parsnips are supposed to weigh forty-five pounds a bushel in Connecticut, but in the adjoining State of Rhode Island fifty pounds, and in New Hampshire sixty pounds is the legal bushel.

A similar variation in weights and measures is to be found in almost every article produced on the farm, and the only wonder is that our people have so long submitted to such a condition of things, for it must be apparent to every one that a uniform standard of weights and measures would be a benefit to both the producer and consumer. A farmer cannot obtain much information from our market reports so long as a basket of peaches may mean a peck and a half or three pecks, for we find this difference in the size, and yet all go under the general head of baskets. A crate of vegetables may mean a half bushel or more, and even, as we have shown, a legal bushel in one State may be one-fourth less than in another, even in the longest settled parts of the country. Cabbage are usually quoted at so much per head or dozen, but whether they weigh two pounds or ten pounds each is only to be ascertained by a personal examination. All such vegetables should be sold by the pound; then the producer as well as consumer would know upon what kind of a basis the was doing business. As our markets are now conducted, there are not only opportunities, but great inducements for cheating on both sides. That there have been some improvements of late years in regard to size of baskets, crates and barrels we admit, but the really honest dealers can never get possession of our markets until we have a uniform standard of weights and measures.

A few years ago the berries were sent to the market in baskets holding from one-fourth to one-sixth of a quart. These, in a grand measure, have gone out of use, and the pint and quart baskets have taken their place; but with larger baskets for peaches, plums and other fruits, the indefinite and very uncertain sizes still hold their own, much to the disadvantage of the honest producer and unfortunate consumer.

Massachusetts has recently passed a law fixing a standard for measuring cranberries, and it prescribes that the barrel shall hold one hundred quarts and the crate thirty-two quarts, level measure. The barrel corresponds very closely to the New Jersey standard, but the crate is somewhat smaller. Now the cranberries from Massachusetts and those from New Jersey are to be found side by side in our markets, but the ordinary purchaser of this fruit will scarcely be able to distinguish the difference between a thirty-two and twenty-eight quart crate without making a careful measurement, which will seldom be thought of when making purchases of this kind; in fact, our people have become so accustomed to the variation in the sizes of crates, barrels and baskets, that they have no definite idea of how many quarts, pounds or bushels they should hold, even where there is some pretension of following a legal standard.

There certainly can be no reasonable excuse for continuing these multiform weights and measures, for they beget jealousy and dishonesty in the dealer, and in the end are an injury to legitimate trade. The General Government should take up this matter and appoint an able committee to consult with the authorities of the different States and Territories, and endeavor to fix upon some standard for the whole country, and thereby do away with the present confusion, which is likely to exist until we have a general law regulating this matter of weights and measures.—*N. Y. Sun.*

THE MODEL WIFE.

The Woman Whom Husbands Love More Than Their Cigars and Horses.

Scripture, and history, and poetry vie with one another in sounding the praises of the model wife. The man who is blessed with a companion worthy the name of a model wife can snap his fingers in the faces of all the old bachelors that ever breathed and give them points each day in every exalted pleasure that makes life worth living. There is no danger of his applying for a divorce.

Unfortunately for the married men of this generation, the model wives are most all dead. The struggle for existence was too much for them. The ceaseless, silent self-sacrifice needed to build up a model domestic character could only be met and borne as long as there was a living appreciation of the personal laws of duty that underlie all sorts of ideal existence. The men who appreciated model wives, and were in return willing to be model husbands, were so few that the good wives—that is, the model wives—grew discouraged and took to their graves or some more congenial occupation.

The few model wives that are left are cherished by their husbands beyond even their cigars or their horses. The model wife of the workingman, clerk or business man has some appreciation of the ten thousand little labors, petty cares and annoyances that her husband has to go through each day in his workshop or office. She considers that such worrying cares are a part of the duties by which her husband makes a living for himself, for her and for the children, if there are any. And when the husband comes home from his work, tired, perhaps cross, and hungry and out of sorts, she is always ready to meet him with some quiet and gentle good cheer. Her own person is attractive and restful to him. She always has some pleasant scheme in mind to make his home hours delightful to him and so make herself indispensat and a constant joy.

The model wife does not see how many poor and silly or exciting things she can say to her tired husband. If she has anything to ask she waits until he is rested and fed. She invites pleasant people to her home, not to show how many rich things she has, but to make her husband's home hours pass cheerfully. She knows that if she is half a woman no other can displace her in her husband's affections. She is always more attractive in her manners to her husband than to other men. She is the genius of the household. But, unfortunately, most of them are dead.—*Philadelphia Times.*

SOMETHING ABOUT SMILES.

An Earnest Plea for the Use of Anæsthetics in the Photographist's Studio.

There are many vanities of the genus smiles. There's the smile that is child-like and bland, the cultivated smile, and the plebian smile that ripples forth like the first joyous laugh of the boiler-factory, and that spreads out with the gurgle that closes the eyes, trots out the wisdom-teeth, and then shows a roguish dimple in the tonsils.

There might be enumerated also the classical smile, the subdued smile, the parlor smile, the sacred smile, the before-election smile, the after-election smile and the smile that you get two for a quarter, called the twofor smile.

Then we have the stage smile and the portrait smile. Do you call to mind the general smirk which is, in fact, the thin silk overskirt of joy covering the silicia sham of a nameless woe? Do you happen to have about your house the photograph of a friend whose petrified gayety fills your eyes with briny weep?

Joy is something that we can not seize ruthlessly and lead it into the photographer's laboratory by the ear. I've tried that. I always leave my umbrella and my hope behind when I go into the photographer's gilded hall. I can laugh while the dentist pulls out my sound teeth and plugs the poor ones, and I can even be gay while nature and the cucumber of commerce are engaged in mortal combat, but I can not affect a joy that I do not feel why the cast-iron hat-rack of the artist leans against my love of home, and the artist bids me look at a place on the wall that is freckled with lodine.

I am positive that the art of photography is upon the eve of a grand stride toward perfection. Those who have never seen anything on the eve of a grand stride will find little of interest in what I am about to say; but the day is not far distant when no sane man will have his photograph pulled without the administration of an anæsthetic. Cut this out and see if I am not right.—*Bill Nye, in Denver Opinion.*

A Good Hint to Workmen.

The old saying that "a man is taken by the coat that he wears," applies to journeymen plumbers. Show us a man that loses his self-pride as to his appearance, as a general rule he also becomes careless in the work he performs. On the other hand, a man that has a good appearing tool-bag, containing tools requisite and necessary to perform a good job of plumbing, also keeps himself clean and tidy, it is a sure indication that he can perform a good job of work. How often do we have the question put to us by our customers when ordering work done: "Will you send me that last man that done our work?" Why? "O, because he attends to his business; don't fool with the girls; goes about his work in a workmanlike manner, and don't mess and dirty the entire house up, and tear the wood-work of the whole house apart. If you can't send him I would prefer waiting a day or two until you can." Ain't this satisfactory proof to a boss? Yes; and these are the men that study their own interests as well as the bosses', and an ornament to any trade or profession.—*Plumber's Trade Journal.*

A Great Discovery.

Mr. Wm. Thomas, of Newton, Ia., says: "My wife has been seriously affected with a cough for twenty-five years, and this spring more severely than ever before. She had used many remedies without relief, and being urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery, did so, with most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved her very much, and the second bottle has absolutely cured her. She has not had so good health for thirty years." Trial bottles Free at C. A. Wright & Co's Drug Store. Large size $1.00.

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A fashionable New York barber told a reporter the other day that there are men who have worn wigs for years and their wives do not suspect it.

If people troubled with colds would take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral before going to church or places of entertainment, they would avoid coughing, greatly to the comfort of both speakers and hearers. Public speakers and singers find that the Pectoral wonderfully increases the power and flexibility of the voice.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

A Brooklyn clergyman declares that "the eternal glory of heaven would be incomplete without a background of infinite woe to set it in relief."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, uts Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, ancers, Piles: Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co

Witnesses At Hand.

Mr. Alexander Pelcher, 218 Market St., New Haven, Conn., proposes to remove all doubt about the virtue of ATHLOPHOROS in his case, by producing witnesses when required. He writes: "Was stricken with Inflammatory Rheumatism. My daughter mentioned the new remedy called Athlophoros. Immediately sent for some. After taking two doses the pain left me. I slept well, and arose the next morning free from the terrible disease. The one bottle cured me. If any one doubts this I will prove it by several witnesses."

Thirty thousand patents were issued last year in great Britain, against only 20,000 in this country. Our inventors must bestir themselves.

I suffered from acute inflammation in my nose and head—for a week at a time I could not see. I used Ely's Cream Balm and in a few days I was cured It is wonderful how quick it helped me.—Mrs. Georgie S. Judson, Hartford, Conn.

For fifteen years I was annoyed with severe paid in my head and discharges into my throat from Catarrh. My sense of smell was much impaired. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm I have overcome these troubles.—J. B. Case, St. Denis Hotel, New York.

Two men at work on Beech Mountain, near Forestburg, N. Y., killed 51 rattlesnakes, ranging from 18 inches to 4 feet in length.

Europeans Use American Wine.

But few persons are aware of the great amount of foreign grapes raised in New Jersey. Alfred Speer is the largest wine grower of the foreign variety in the country and ships hundreds of cases to fill orders in Europe. His Port Grape Wine is unexcelled and considered by physicians and chemists as the best wine to be procured.—N. Y. Herald. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

There are still living in Rochester, N. Y., 69 persons who voted at the first charter election, fifty years ago.

Extract from Letter.

"In the winter of 1877 8, I was confined to the house 3 or 4 months and to the bed 4 weeks with Rheumatism. I could get no relief. I began using Henry & Johnson's Arnica & Oil Liniment, and in ten days by the use of half a bottle I was cured. Nathan Jewett, East Haddam, Ct."

Baxter's Mandrake Bitters cure all diseases arising from billiousness. N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixir cures Coughs, Colds and Consumption.

A clay which can be utilized in the manufacture of putty has been discovered in Attala, Miss.

Catarrh.

Is a very prevalent and exceedingly disagreeable disease, liable if neglected, to develop into serious consumption. Being a constitutional disease, it requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, effecting a radical and permanent cure of catarrh in even its most severe forms. Made only by C. I. Hood & Co. Lowell, Mass.

A Georgia paper is inclined to believe that the fancy for Jersey cattle is a craze.

Attention, Farmers!

Rubber Market

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Prices Down!

Men's Boston Rubber Boots,

$2.75. $2.75.

Pure Gum Boots,

$3.25. $3.25.

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New Store, New Goods,

LOW PRICES.

Having opened our Magnificent New Store, we desire to call the attention of the

PEOPLE OF TECUMSEH

And vicinity to our Mammoth Stock, which surpasses everything ever seen in Toledo.

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We are showing the most complete assortment of Men's Clothing ever offered in Northern Ohio, at prices beyond the reach of competition.

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Invoice after invoice of these goods have been received, until every available space in our large salesroom is completely filled with seasonable goods. Parents should consult their interests and pay us a visit before purchasing.

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At unusually low prices.

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TOLEDO. OHIO.

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—Rev. S. H. Young recently received ten Indians into the Presbyterian Church at Fort Wrangel, Alaska.

—The Episcopal Diocesan Convention of New York has decided to continue Bishop Potter's salary of $9,000, despite his disability to perform ecclesiastical duties.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Dr. John Hall has his church doors closed and fastened now when he begins his service, so that he and his congregation shall not be disturbed by late-comers.—*Brooklyn Union.*

—The introduction of the optional system in Yale College has been death to Greek and Latin. Students take in their political science, history and mathematics.—*Exchange.*

—The two daughters of John Bell, the candidate for President of Bell and Everett fame, are teaching school at Chestnut Hill, where they keep a young ladies' academy.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—The city of Boston maintains one normal, ten Latin and high schools, fifty-one grammar schools and 404 primary schools. In addition to those the following special schools are maintained: One for deaf mutes, two for licensed miners, an evening high school, thirteen elementary schools and five evening drawing-schools.—*Boston Journal.*

—The "amen corner" has its humorous as well as its solemn features, as in the following instance reported of Dr. Fulton, of Brooklyn. The preacher exclaimed: "Place me upon the polar iceberg, where no verdure greets the eye, and where naught but the white bear's growl can be heard!" when a deep bass voice replied, "A-*men*."—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—If North Carolina newspapers are truthful the churches of that State are the only genuinely fire-proof buildings known. It is declared that in recent large forest fires the flames parted to go around the churches. In one case it is said the fire not only burned up straw, wood, lumber, etc., around the church, but underneath it without injuring the church itself.—*Chicago Herald.*

—The *Japan Mail* says that, as a rule, the educated classes of Japan are without any religion. "Their attitude toward theological questions is one of complete apathy, and while they are content to observe the ceremonies of a religious cult in certain matters of daily life, they quietly but resolutely put aside all the supernatural elements of that cult as things unworthy of serious consideration."

Defective Vision.

An article in the London *Times* by Dr. Brundenell Carter on the influence of civilization upon the eyesight discusses the causes of defective vision among the adults and children of the present day. Dr Carter says that few things are more remarkable than the imperfection of common knowledge about all matters which relate to the use and functions of the eye. One consequence of want of knowledge about vision is that the evolution of the eye has been left to be the sport of accident. In running, in jumping, in rowing, in every game which requires skill, strength and endurance, the young urban Englishman excels; but his sight has been suffered to decline in acuteness by sheer neglect; and the conditions of his life have also produced two kinds of deformity of the eyeball—the short-sighted eye and the flat or hypermetropic eye, each of which constitutes a serious deterioration in the organs of the visual sense. Having explained the nature and causes of hypermetropia, myopia and astigmatism, Dr. Carter mentioned that Dr. Cohn, of Breslau, in the years 1864 and 1865 examined the eyes 10,060 scholars and found 1,630 of them with eyes of defective shape. Of these 1,072 were myopic, 139 were flat-eyed, 23 were the subjects of astigmatism, and 396 were suffering from the results of previous disease. Dr. Cohn further found the faulty shape of the eyeballs, especially in the direction of myopia, increased steadily, both in numerical prevalence and in degree, as school life was prolonged: being least frequent and least pronounced in the elementary schools, more frequent and pronounced in the intermediate, most frequent and most pronounced in the finishing schools. His researches have since been repeated and extended by many other observers, and his results have been fully confirmed in other parts of Germany, in Russia, and in America while the American observations have shown not only that flat eyes have a tendency, from the strain thrown upon them by their defect, to pass into the opposite condition of short sight, but also that this change occurs with the greatest certainity with under ed or unhealthy children, and in schools where sanitary conditions are neglecfed. Dr. Carter concludes by asking whether there is any reason why perfection of sight should not be made a point of physical excellence in all athletic conjests. If such a change were introduced a first effect would be to make people understand what they ought to be able to see. Important good results would not be immediate, nor could they be fully attained except in more than one generation; but it can not be doubted that they would ultimately follow.—*St. James' Gazette.*

Newspapers Afloat.

On board the Hecla, one of the ships belonging to Captain Edward Parry's expedition in search of the northwest passage, a paper was printed called the *North Georgia Gazette and Winter Chronicle.* The first number was dated the 1st November, 1819, and its twenty-first and last the 20th March, 1820. The Great Britain steamer, which started for Australia on the 21st of August, 1852, may claim to have inaugurated the practice of publishing a newspaper on board ship, as a paper entitled the *Great Britain Times* was published every week during the voyage and distributed among the passengers. At the present time these seaborn broadsheets are a scource of considerable amusement and go a long way to relieve the monotony of the passage, as the passengers not only read but supply the articles. Burlesque telegrams, jokes made by the passengers, and all the news, whether social, nautical, or personal, of the voyage, are published in their columns.—*Chambers' Journal.*

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending November 11, 1884:

Estate of Ernest N. Smith et al., minors; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Elizabeth Norcross, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Caroline Wheeler, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing December 1st.

Estate of Agnes Campbell, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters of administration, with will annexed, issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of William Dutton, Deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing December 1st.

Estate of Mary Drake, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $300.

Estate of Walter T. Love et al., minors; guardian's bond filed, letters issued.

Estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Charles Hewitt, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's second account allowed.

Estate of William F. Allen, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing December 1st.

Estate of James H. Bigelon, an alleged incompetent person; petition for guardian; Hearing Nov. 26.

Estate of William Colyer, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing December 1st.

Estate of Adeline K. Hathaway, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Dec. 8th.

Estate of Ancil A. Main, deceased; executrx's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Chas. H. Adler, minor; guardian files bond of sale of real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Joseph Slater, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Nov. 14, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Ellen Hubbard, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed.

Estate of Harlon Page, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed.

Estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased; executor's bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Matthias A. Aten, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing December 8.

Estate of Joannah C. Smith, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Charles Rynd, deceased; widow files waiver of provisions of will.

Estate of Peter Hack, deceased; order extending time six months from Sept. 24, 1884, for payment of debts.

Estate of Robert I. Dowling, deceased; will, proof and probate; bond $1,000; renunciation of executrix filed.

Estate of Lorenzo D. Austin, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John G. Dorner, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Eliza Ann Cutter, deceased; petition for allowance of final account; hearing Dec. 8.

In the matter of the appointment of three special commissioners on Perdy drain, Palmyra township; affidavit filed; citation issued; hearing Dec. 1, at ten o'clock A. M.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 18, 1884:

Adams, G. A.	Lease, G. J.
Childs, W. H.	Langan, C. H.
Church, N.	Middeldunk, A.
Forbe, Julia	Milspaugh, W.
Heath, O. W.	North, W. J.
Gilmore, Frank	Osborne, M. A.
Johnson, Hamilton	Porter, J. R.
Ludlow, Edmund	Smith, Emma
Latty, Emily	Warner, J. G.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔		@	06
Butter, ₱ ℔	17	@	18
Barley, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	1 50	@	1 75
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75	@	1 50
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred		@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushe	56	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	14
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00	@	5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	4 75	@	5 00
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	12
Oats, ₱ bushel	30	@	33
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35	@	40
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 35
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		@	75
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel		@	75
Wool	18	@	27

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TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of said Peter R. Adams, deceased by the Hon. Norman Geddes Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at my residence, corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, on Friday, the 2d day of January, A.D., 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate to wit: The northwest quarter of section one (1), the northeast quarter of section two (2), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section two (2), in Raisin township, Lenawee county, Michigan, comprising four hundred (400) acres of land. Also one hundred and thirty-five (135) acres of land, being the north part of the northwest quarter of section fourteen (14), in Clinton township, Lenawee county Michigan. Also three story brick building and lot in village of Tecumseh, Michigan, lot beginning on the north side of Chicago street, one hundred and fifty-one and a-half feet east from the east line of Evans street at its intersection with the north line of Chicago street; thence east along the north line of Chicago street twenty-five feet; thence north at right angles with Chicago street to an alley; thence west 25 feet, thence south some 89 feet to point of beginning. Also land in village of Tecumseh aforesaid to wit: Commencing at the intersection of west line of Evans street with north line of Kilbuck street; thence north on west line of Evans street nine rods and seven feet; thence west on south line of land in occupancy of Wm. Hayden and others seven rods; thence south on east line of land formerly owned by Nathan Blood nine rods and seven feet, to the north line of Kilbuck street, and thence east about seven rods along the north line of said street to place of commencement. Also lots numbered 75 and 76 on the original plat of the village of Tecumseh, except a parcel 4x8 rods sold off west side thereof. Also parcel of land in village of Tecumseh, Michigan to wit: Commencing on south line of Chicago street at west line of lot owned by Owens near Hayden's mill, thence south from said point on Chicago street twelve rods; thence west five rods; thence north twelve rods; thence east along south line of Chicago street five rods to point of commencement. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated November 17th, 1884.

CORDELIA M. ADAMS,
nov20 Administratrix with the will annexed.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of E. B. & F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of December, 1884, and on the 6th day of April, 1885 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884.

HORATIO KEYSER,
JEROME F. N. BOWEN,
nov20 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Marshall, late of the township of Franklin Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 13th day of December, 1884, and on the 9th day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of November, A D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated November 19, 1884.

DANIEL W. LOVE,
ELIAS DePUY,
nov19 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Rufus R. Hall, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. and F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 13th day of December, 1884, and on the 2d day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of November, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Nov. 12, 1884.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
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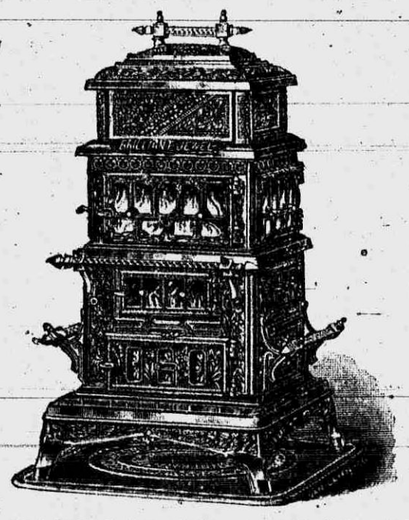

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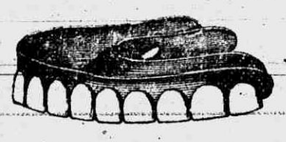

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CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

The social of St. John's (Episcopal) church at S. Browns on Thursday evening last was well attended (there being about one hundred persons in attendance) and all seemed to be well pleased with their evening's entertainment. Receipts $9.

We noticed the Misses Liddle in town the latter part of last week they were visiting at their aunt's Mrs S. Brown. They report lively times at Macon corners with their skating rink and elephant.

Truman Jacobs, an old resident of Bridgewater, but now of the northern part of this state is visiting at his brother-in-laws Emanuel Glimpses in Bridgewater.

Chas. Stoner has recently again become a citizen of Bridgewater having moved his family from Livingston co. into the house vacated a short time ago by H. M. Lazell who has gone to Tuscola county.

There was no preaching in the Congregational church on Sunday last. We understand that arrangements are being made to employ Rev. Mr. Baines who preached for the church a week ago last Sunday as pastor. So may it be.

The skating rink business seems to be improving. We notice some very fine skating, with only occasionally a fall by the inexperienced.

New Drug store. Chas. C. Burroughs has recently purchased the drug store of Dr. Burchard and has commenced business at the old stand of J. W. Burchard. We predict for Charley a very liberal patronage as he is well known in Clinton and he being well raised in the drug business and he has also a thorough training as prescription clerk. People can go to the new drug store, and have their medicine scientifically put up. Charley also keeps a nice stock of all the leading brands of cigars. Go in and smoke.

John Hause and wife are visiting Battle Creek, the former home of Mrs. Hause. They will probably eat Thanksgiving Turkey with their Battle Creek friends.

We learned with surprise of the sudden death (early Monday morning of paralysis) of Mrs. J. R. Severance. It is now only about eleven months since the death of her husband. They lived in Franklin township. Three daughters one married and two unmarried survive their parents, who deeply feel their loss. The funeral of the deceased was at the house and was largely attended by friends and neighbors. Peace to her ashes.

We understand that the VanDemarks have quite a stock of undertaking goods on hand which they are anxious to dispose of.

Thanksgiving Turkeys are making their appearance without a gobble, but they are too high for our reach. Who will invite us to eat Turkey on Thanksgiving day? Don't all speak at once, you might confuse us.

According to the usual custom of our church people here, thanksgiving services will be held at the Methodist church. The Baptist minister, Rev. Ogden, will preach the sermon.

The friends of Mr. Kerridge, the pastor of the Methodist church, will, if all is well, give him a donation in the basement of the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, Dec. 3. This is not to be a part of the salary paid him, which is $500, but a gift from the people. Every one is invited, and the ladies and gentlemen of the church will do all in their power to make it a good social time.

Next Sabbath evening, Nov. 30, the W. F. M. S. Auxiliary will hold its quarterly missionary concert in the M. E. church. Exercises will commence at the usual hour. Mrs. J. L. Tuttle and Mrs. D. E. Palmer are expected to sing solos. Miss Addie Ellis, Miss Mina Muir, Miss Hattie Platt and others, will either read or recite missionary literature. The pastor will read "Mrs. Pickett's mite box." Mr. Geo. Goodrich will have charge of the music. Every one that takes any interest in missionary work are very cordially invited.

MACON MUSIC.

This week is a gentle reminder of winter with all its characteristics.

Spencer Morgan, who has spent several months in the west, is shaking hands with Macon friends. All glad to see Spence again.

Our Ridgeway correspondent's mind must be somewhat unbalanced. Even if we needed relief we have too much respect "to kick our dad" to obtain it. He is a pretty lively "dad" yet, and would resent any such treatment. The Ridgeway correspondent is a good example of a monomaniac. To use a milder term, we should say that he is possessed of but one idea, because he has room for no more. We do not expect to excite sympathy from him, for his sensibilities are so dead that they have lost all power of excitability.

In replying to "Looker On," we desire to say that we based every assertion we made upon the words of the political prohibitionist himself. The prohibitionists pretend to be honest; therefore we must accept all their sayings as correctly expressing their views and wishes. Now nearly every political prohibitionist with whom we had any conversation, said that it was not expected that the Union party could elect any officers this fall, that the principal object the party wished to accomplish now was to defeat the republican party, and thereby to put the democracy into power. They gave as their reasons that the defeat of the republican party would be its annihilation as a party; that, in four years, the people would be so disgusted with democratic rule that the old republicans would then ally themselves with the Union party, and the result of this mixture would be the grand moral party, that would sweep the land with victory. So we say that no one has reason to be more exultant over the election than the political prohibitionist. He wanted to defeat the republican party, and he did it, therefore he should rejoice. If he didn't desire to defeat the republicans and to put the democracy into power, then his words belied his tongue. Having accomplished his object, he should, if consistent stand by the result and endeavor to perpetuate it.

"Looker On" wishes us to name one prohibitionist who is jubilant over the result of the election. If we are not mistaken in the personage of "Looker On," that name should head the list. We have heard many of the "moral party" express joy over the result—some living in Macon, some living elsewhere. In one instance an ardent political prohibitionist, to our knowledge, called in the boys and had a grand "blow out" on a small scale, over the result. And yet he was not jubilant: Strange coincidence! We will admit, however, that there are a few exceptions. Occasionally a man who voted with the Unionists out of curiosity is to be found. He had his curiosity satisfied, and now he feels "blue" over the result. But such characters are few.

In conclusion we repeat that the political prohibitionist has reason to be jubilant, is jubilant, judging from his own words, and ought to stand by the democracy, his faithful ally: and when his political race is run he may have the mantle of democracy as a winding sheet, and lie down to sweet dreams of what might have been.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Mercury got there Monday and registered 10° above zero.

Quite wintry for the past few days.

Mr. John VanVleet moved into his new house Saturday. Mr. VanVleet has one of the finest farm residence in Southern Michigan.

The Christian church at Britton will hold their annual donation at the church Wednesday Dec. 3d, and extend a cordial invitation to all their friends.

Mrs. M. A. Barret had some corn and chickens stole Saturday night from her barn. There are several reports of loosing fowls the past few days.

Mrs. David McNair and C. A. Sharp spent the sabbath with their mother who has been quite sick for a few days but is better now. Carlisle remained until Monday and shook the hands of friends and had a pleasant chat.

Rev. W. J. Clark went to Detroit to hear Mr. Moody the great evangelist on Saturday.

G. P. Waring is making some improvements in his hall and repairing it, and will have it ready for public use in a few days. He will seat it with chairs and build a fine stage. It will accommodate about 300. It is something that has long been needed here.

Mr. Geo. Boss, who has been sick for some time is out on the street again.

Morley & Co. shipped two car loads of hogs to Buffalo from here Saturday.

The poles to the telegraph line from the village to Mr. Cadmus were set Saturday. They talk of running the line to Easlick's tile yard.

That load of colored people that passed through here last week must have been from Georgia or some other southern state, and were fleeing from the bondage the Republicans say will overtake them as soon as Cleveland takes his seat. They might have been representatives for Blaine from N. Y., who knows?

Amusements for the long evenings the coming winter: At Ridgeway, church socials and literaries; at Britton, roller rink and dancing; at Holloway, one man to run away with an other man's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Arner invited their relatives to the village to spend the evening on Saturday, in honor of their 24th marriage anniversary. After an hour of social converse, supper was announced consisting of oysters, etc., after which the friends presented them with a very fine cloth-basket, which was a surprise to them. After a few congratulations, they departed for their several homes well pleased with the evening visit.

FARMERS CLUB.

Friday evening Nov. 14, the farmer's social club met at the residence of Mr. F. C. Rector. There was a fair attendance. The program was good and was well carried out. Select reading by Mrs. R. B. Gillespie was a comic selection and was well read. Essay by Emma Schreder was exceptionally good. The music was good and well rendered.

The question, "Does it pay to raise poultry for profit," was opened by Mr. Horton, who said it was the aim of every farmer to grow those products that would produce the most profit from the least outlay. The speaker did not believe that there was one farmer in fifty that could tell what his hogs or cattle, or even any other product of the farm cost him, or even had any definite idea what his profits were upon the same. The speaker said that they had kept a strict account with their chickens for four years, but could not find the account of only one year, that of 1871. In this account the chickens had been charged with every pound of grain or meal they had been fed, at the regular price of the same in the Tecumseh market, and had been credited with all the eggs laid and the chickens produced at the prices brought at the time they were sold. What damage the chickens might have done was offset with the benefit they had done us in the destruction of insects, worms and refuse about the farm.

The account for that year stands thus:

Chickens Dr. To.	
First acc't. 56 fowls at 50c.	$28.00
Grain, meal and other food	48.73
Total Dr.	$76.73
Chickens Cr. by.	
426 doz. eggs sold, 48 doz. set	$63.33
Chickens sold, 1,111 lbs. at 9c.	100.00
Total Cr.	$163.38
	76.73
Net profit for the year	$86.60

or $1.54 on each chicken kept over.

The above showing was with common fowls and half blood Brahmas. Mr. Horton was confident that nearly every other year when the account was kept that the showing had been better than this particular year.

Mr. F. C. Rector believed that chickens were a nuisance. Said they were all the time underfoot and where they ought not to be and if it were not necessary to have some for eggs and occasionally a chicken to eat he would not have them around.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie thought that any farmer could make about fifty fowls or such a matter, quite profitable. Had not kept any acct. to see what the profit would be.

Mr. A. G. Hall was quite sure that there was more real profit in poultry than in hogs or other stock. His fowls did not do him any damage that he knew of. Thought that no one's garden need be troubled if they would keep a good picket fence around it, a thing that ought to be around every garden.

Mr. Benedict thought that fowls if they were well kept, and cared for, were more profitable than almost any thing else, that is a certain amount. Thought you could over stock with them, as well as any thing else. Thought that one reason why a great many did not make them pay was that they paid no attention to them and let them find their own food and shelter.

Mr. Kehoe would agree with Mr. Rector. Did not believe there was any profit in raising fowls as a money product. Considered them a nuisance if more was kept than for one's own use.

Club adjourned to meet at the residence of Mr. R. B. Gillespie in two weeks Friday evening Nov. 28th. This being our regular meeting for the election of officers there will be only a short program and no subject for discussion.

PROGRAM.

Music—Choir.
Select Reading—George Henderson.
Inst. Music—Ellen Fisher.
Essay—Mr. E. L. Russell.
Dec.—Artie Hall.
Song—Rhoda Benedict.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

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HOW IT HAPPENED.

DOLLY'S STORY.

Yes, it happened all froo me!
This is how it come about:
Paul was going off to sea,
'Cause our Kate and him fell out.
Kate was in the souf quadrangle,
Looking for her silver bangle;
Nip and I were running by,
And we heard her cry and cry.

There were vines, and rows, too,
All about the old stone gate,
And we hided, and peeked froo,
And we saw my sister Kate
Take her pretty diamond locket—
Cousin Paul's gift—out of her pocket,
And she kissed the picture in it
'Bout a hundred times a minute!

We were sorry as could be!
And we tried to skurry past—
(Nip's my furly dog, you see),
But a rose briar held me fast;
Then I saw my cousin Paul
Peeking over the rosery wall,
And he looked so white and grim
I was 'most afraid of him!

So we cuddled down, as close
As two mouses, in the dark!
And I pinched poor Nippy's nose
So he couldn't growl or bark.
While we watched 'em, cousin Paul
Leaning on the rosery wall,
And Kate, solemn as could be,
Letting on she didn't see!

He was staring dow at her,
But she woul-in't l ok or speak;
So I gave the vines a whirr,
And began to laugh and shriek—
While we scampered off and hid—
"Katy did! Katy did!
Katy kissed the pretty locket
She's got hided in her pocket!"

By and by we heard 'em talk,
Cousin Paul and sister Kate,
Coming down the Laurel walk,
Froo the old quadrangle gate;
They were stepping long as s-l-o-w—
And his arm was round her, so—
And I heard him ask her—well,
Guess I promised not to tell!

—Emma Alice Browne, N. Y. Ledger.

A THANKSGIVING LESSON.

How the Family Plate Was Lost, and How Restored.

The town of Locustville is situated on a majestic river, and sufficiently near the city of New York to be deemed suburban. Why Locustville? a Betsy Trotwood might have inquired, as these trees are not numerous in the vicinity. Possibly the memory of the delicate foliage and sweet blossoms lingers in a locality once described by a French translator of Fenimore Cooper, with the aid of his dictionary, in these words: "The stranger alighted before the door of the mansion, and fastened his horse to a large grasshopper." Suffice it that Locustville is modern, pretty, and picturesquely perched on the river bank, with the railroad track below, while the more prosaic element of butcher, baker and candlestick-maker is grouped about the station. The spot is a true paradise of the man of business, who dreams even at desk and ledger of rural repose.

There are cottages painted white, with green shutters, and usually shaded with weeping-willow trees; and eccentric cottages, slate gray in hue, with facings of black and orange; and English cottages of red brick, the casements boasting diamond panes of glass. Nor are nice shades of distinction wanting in this suburban community. The red-brick cottage, as home of a banker, looks down on the modest white one, abode of a mere clerk, while the slate-gray house soars above both, as nest of an æsthetic poet.

The most remote of these residences is Gothic in structure, and all of Locustville resembles the home of the friendly sparrow in the trees of city squares. There is a freshness, a smiling expansiveness, so to speak, about this domicile which arrests attention. The smoke floats up like a banner from a span-new chimney, a crystal bubble of a conservatory sparkles on the left side, and striped awnings flutter over the windows when the sun is hot. There is an entrance gate capable of admitting a wheeled vehicle, with a tiny sweep of gravel leading up to the front door. Nor are external decorations lacking. A diminutive fountain adorns the grass-plot, while a pagoda-shaped summer-house is built on the river-bank. A tree trunk covered with ivy simulates a ruined column, a net-work of twine stretched across the porch still held some sprays of drooping vines in the wild November weather of which we write, trained by the fostering care of the mistress of the house.

Said Pamela, "Have another buckwheat cake, darling."

"Well, no, love; but these corn muffins are excellent," replied Walter.

Then Pamela buttered delicately one of the praised muffins, and presented it to her lord and master, while he partook of breakfast, with his watch placed on the table beside his plate, and his ear alert for the locomotive whistle at the next station, which should warn him to flee on the path of duty cityward. Walter Timbs was book-keeper in the great dry-goods house of Drugget & Co. He adjusted his habit of life with the same regularity that he balanced his accounts. The menage of the Gothic cottage was young, even as the furniture was new. Walter Pamela had not been married a year.

"No, indeed!" said Pamela, rising from the table: "we are to keep Thanksgiving Day—our first Thanksgiving—at home. I made up my mind to that a month ago, and I told papa as much when he invited us to town." She put on a stylish sea-skin cap and coachman's cape to accompany her husband to the cars. Pamela performed this act of devotion with gayety, for she was still more bride than matron.

Walter smiled, and then looked grave. "I wish you would teach Bridget to keep the front door locked, my love," he admonished. "I invariably find the entrance gate half open, besides. Some day a band of gypsies will come along and steal every tea-spoon. Depend upon it!"

"Perhaps they will carry off the grand piano," suggested Pamela, in sprightly vein, and she tripped down the bank to the station. "If Bridget is careless about leaving doors and gates open, she is a perfect treasure in other respects. Have you forgotten Maggy, who spent her time flirting with neighboring gardeners, to the detriment of your dinner? or Catherine, who got drunk and threatened you with a carving-knife?"

"I have not forgotten all those delusive Swedish and German maidens, claimed by stalwart cousins for Western farms just when they learned to make hot biscuit," rejoined Walter.

"Bridget is as honest as the sun, and so ugly that even Mikey, the grocer's boy, has jilted her for a better-looking girl," added Pamela.

Walter bit his lip. "All that goes for nothing if the front door is not locked," he said. "You should enforce it."

"Nonsense!" laughed Pamela.

Locustville awaited the train at the station, for the railway was the centre of life. Young ladies seated in pony-phaetons bade lovers adieu for the day, mothers imparted anxious advice to sons, while paterfamilias kissed the babies. Even Pamela was not insensible to the exhilaration of being ogled by an entire train of cars as she stood there in her coachman's cape and seal-skin cap. She was a handsome young woman, tall and slight, with fine blue eyes, a creamy skin, and rich black hair brushed high from the nape of a very white neck, and arranged on top of the head in a fashion deemed purely American in Europe.

Away went the train, leaving feminine Locustville to a day of quiet routine. Walter Timbs was perturbed as he took his place in the cars. A cloud had chilled his sunshine. Pamela had made very light of his first attempt at asserting authority. What would come of it? Perhaps his nerves had been tried by a business knot of the previous day at Druggett & Co.'s, impossible to untangle. Possibly that last corn muffin was a tax on digestion calculated to produce gloom of spirit.

"She should not have said 'Nonsense!' when I suggested locking the front door," mused the husband, and immediately took an opposite political view to his companion of the same seat concerning the election of a new Mayor.

Pamela retraced her steps until she regained the Gothic cottage. This day before Thanksgiving was to be long memorable to her, yet it began like all other mornings. She washed the delicate cups and saucers, and put them up in the china closet, after the most approved housewifely fashion. Then she played a Strauss waltz on the grand piano, which nearly filled the tiny drawing-room. Afterward she adjusted curtains, patted cushions, and hovered about the plants of the little conservatory, herself a glowing human blossom, for it was inseparable to her ideas of duty at this date to wear a coquettish cap, decked with scarlet bows, a distracting apron, and red slippers. Valuable rings flashed on her fingers, while a pair of diamond solitaires twinkled in her ears. There were wedding gifts, together with the grand piano and the household furniture. Pamela enjoyed her pretty things, and liked to have them scattered about. She was rehearsing the courses of her Thanksgiving dinner, with the aid of a cook-book, when a shadow darkened the window, and a tramp looked in on her, as a famished dog scents a larder. Dull, sodden, brutal and ferocious, according to the amount of drink accessible, here, he was, a creature preying on the peaceful country until such time as frost and snow should drive him to some city den to plot in darkness, crime and robbery. Pamela shivered, then gave him bread and meat. The tramp received the food with an inarticulate growl, and slouched away again to stretch himself on the ground in the sun at a distance from Locustville, and smoke a pipe. Pamela played another Strauss waltz to efface him. The tramp, swarthy, bearded and unkempt, with heavy jaw and strong white teeth like the fangs of a wild animal, remained stamped on her mind, like a phastasm of the night.

After lunch a bustle of preparation for Thanksgiving pervaded the house. The guest-chamber was re-arranged, and windows opened. At two o'clock Pamela came down-stairs, having unlocked the closet of her own room and taken out a bag. This bag contained the family plate. Soon spoons, forks, knives, pepper-castors and sugar-sifters were spread on the dining-table, together with all those trifles in shining metal given by friends at a wedding.

"There will be work enough to do to-morrow, so these had better be brightened a bit now," thought Mrs. Timbs.

Just then Bridget announced that a steamer was passing on the river, with a band of music and soldiers on board. Steamers gay with flags did not pass Locustville at every hour of the day, so mistress and maid ran to the summer-house to see the excursionists. As they emerged from the back door of the cottage to gain the summer-house on the bank, a man entered the gate stealthily, tried the front door, which was unfastened, and penetrated the house. Oh, rare chance of thieves! Silver was outspread temptingly on the dining-table, and the bag from which it had been taken reposed on a table near at hand. The man glanced around, listened, swept the silver into the bag, and departed as he had come. When mistress and maid returned, the family plate was gone. They gazed at each other in speechless consternation. Was the front door unfastened? Well, yes, an hour earlier Pamela had admitted the Maltese kitten.

Walter Timbs was later than usual in coming home that night. He had paused to smoke a pipe with the poet of the slate-gray cottage, and their talk had turned on a tramp lurking along the hedges with his bundle on a stick. "What will become of us, as a country, if these vagrants are landed on us by Europe, to be supported or live by depredation?" Walter had exclaimed. "Could you not a write a poem—on the subject?"

The poet had removed the amber mouth-piece of his Oriental pipe, and answered, "I might make a tragedy of such a theme."

Then Walter had come home and found the house door so firmly bolted that he had much ado to enter.

"I am glad you remember my injunctions, Pamela," he said, briskly.

Pamela looked at the carpet in pale silence. Bridget peered in the door, disappeared, and a crash of falling crockery signaled her return to the kitchen. Confidences froze on Pamela's lips. Should she tell the truth? Never had such a dinner been served in the Gothic cottage as on that day before Thanksgiving. Mr. Timbs raised the lid of the soup-tureen with the eagerness of a hungry man, dipped the ladle into the milk-thickened oyster stew, and exclaimed, sharply: "Take it away!—this soup is burned."

"I never left it no more nor five minutes," asserted Bridget, and sidled off with the tureen, gazing at her master over her shoulder in such a very strange manner that he might have been warranted in believing sudden madness to to have smitten the household.

Pamela played with her spoon. Alas! it was a plated one for every-day use. The chicken was hopelessly raw, the potatoes were cold, the apple-pie scorched to a cinder, with the addition of a flavor of ashes. Humanity, with an empty stomach, asserted itself in the master of the house as he ate a pickle.

"Really, the prospect for Thanksgiving is a lively one, my dear. I hope the banquet may not prove a Barmecidal feast, after all. I should like a Polynesian pudding I once read about. The bread-fruit, ripe plantain, taro, palm or pandanus nut, are rasped, pounded and baked separately. Then a large tray is filled with cocoanut milk, kept simmering by popping in heated stones, and the other ingredients, fresh from the oven, are added. Think of cocoanut milk for a pudding sauce!"

"Perhaps you had better live in Polynesia," snapped Pamela.

The wretched meal concluded, Walter took refuge in a cigar, while Pamela attacked the grand piano in a storm of discords.

"Spare my nerves," groaned the hungry husband, after a time.

Pamela rose and flounced into the darkness of the little conservatory. Her heart ached, tears were ready to overflow her eyes, and her nerves were strung to a tension of excitement by the disaster of the day; but pride still upheld her. The conservatory was dark and fragrant; the young wife moved about with an assumption of indifference, and sang a little tune. The stand of large plants formed a denser foliage at the end, with a recess behind. As she lifted a spray of flowers to inhale their perfume, Pamela saw a man crouching on his hands and knees in the recess. She recognized the shock head of the tramp. Pamela's heart bounded violently, and stood still; the blood ran cold in her veins. She did not scream or fall. In a lightning flash of swiftest conviction she beheld the tramp, discovered, spring forth to stretch Walter lifeless at her feet, if she ceased to sing. Held by this mortal dread, she continued to hum her song; she even plucked a flower from the plant nearest the hidden foe. Then she crept away slowly, faster and faster, until she swung to the door of the adjoining room, slid the bolt with stiffening fingers, and fell in a little heap, gasping: "A man—the tramp—is hidden there!" At the same time there was a noise in the conservatory of falling plants and crash of glass, incident to the tramp's escape through the casement rather than be taken like a rat in a trap.

Walter gathered up Pamela in his arms and placed her on a sofa. Then he gave chase, revolver in hand. Soon all Locustville joined in pursuit of the outcast. Every cottager turned out, to a man, to defend his own hearth-stone. The news flew like lightning that Mrs. Timbs had found a burglar hidden in her conservatory, ready to plunder and murder when the household should have retired to rest. Weapons were snatched up, lanterns lighted, and watch-dogs let loose, as if ever tramp waited under cover of darkness for all such preparations of capture! Even the poet came forth in embroidered dressing-gown and cap, his spectacles polished, and a silver-mounted poniard in his grasp. The tramp had vanished as completely as if the earth had swallowed him, and only the rustling of the wind through the trees and the murmur of the river responded to the shouts of the pursuers. When Walter returned to his abode, flushed with the fruitless search, he found Pamela weeping bitterly on the sofa, while Bridget stood by with her apron to her eyes.

"I am not hurt, my pet, and the rascal will not return," said Walter, lavishing endearments on his wife, for his heart began to melt.

"Oh, it's not that!" sobbed Pamela.

"No, indade, it's not that, thin," echoed Bridget, with a sympathetic howl.

"What is it, then?" coaxed Walter.

"Why, he had been here—before!" cried Pamela.

"He had, jist, bad luck to him!" added Bridget, behind her apron.

"Ah! the tramp had been here before. Did you leave the door open?" pursued Walter, with a deceitful smile.

Pamela swept the handkerchief from her eyes with a tragic gesture. Concealment was no longer possible. "What I have suffered this day!" she exclaimed. "You may as well know the worst at once. The silver is gone, and we are ruined. Oh, those darling spoons with the little curly ends, and that duck of a sugar-sifter shaped like a thistle! I shall never have any more."

"The silver gone!" repeated Walter, springing to his feet. "Let me see with my own eyes, for I can scarcely believe it."

He took a candle, and ran up stairs, followed by Pamela and Bridget. He unlocked the closet-door, and produced the bag containing the family plate.

Mistress and maid were dumb. What did it mean?

"The fact is, I was the thief," explained Walter. "I came home at two o'clock to surprise you, and I found the gate ajar, the door unlocked. I had passed the tramp on the road. Neither of you was in the house. I put the silver in the bag, and carried it to the garret, and later took a chance to put it back safely in the closet. Then I slipped out, and spent the afternoon with the poet, in order to return home at the usual hour."

Pamela stared at him rigidly, but warmth and life began to re-animate her frame. Bridget sniffed.

"Let it be a lesson for the future, my love, to be more careful," concluded Walter, with masculine superiority. "I did not intend to speak until the hour of dinner to-morrow, which would become a true Thanksgiving with the re-appearance of the family plate."

"I wonder you are not shamed of yourself to play such tricks," retorted Pamela, finding voice at last. "So like a thoughtless man! I might be worn gray and worried into a fever with such nonsense! Pity you spoke at all!"

Walter's countenance fell under this volley of feminine indignation, and somehow the result seemed rather lame.

"If I had not stolen that silver the tramp might have got it," he reasoned.

Pamela dreamed that night Walter was cook, in the white apron and cap of a French *chef*, preparing the famous Polynesian pudding, while Bridget had given warning in consequence.

Next morning brought restored peace and sunshine to Walter Timb's interior. Pamela's parents arrived at noon, and of all Locustville the Thanksgiving dinner served in the Gothic cottage was the most enjoyable!

The restored family plate adorned the table, and Pamela's eyes sparkled when they reverted to the treasure. Two notable results became manifest; the front door of the Gothic cottage is always kept locked, and Walter never attemps to enforce marital authority.—*Virginia W. Johnson.*

LADIES DRESSES.

Novelties in Black Wool, Black Poplin and Other Materials.

The novelty in black wool dresses for the street is the use of rough bison cloth trimmed with black yak (worsted) lace, and these are made suitable for young ladies by adding a vest of red satin or of poppy red velvet pinked in rows of scalops, with also straight wristbands of red velvet, and a sailor tie of red satin to fasten the deep fichu-cellar of yak lace. At the foot of the skirt there may be a box-pleating of black velvet lined with red satin, otherwise the stylish dress is of the rough wool laid plainly over a foundation skirt, with apron drapery edged with lace, and the postilion of simple shape has the red vest, etc., just described. The yak piece lace is also used for drapery, and for puffed cuffs that resemble under-sleeves.

Black poplin with red or golden brown satin stripes is used for street dresses. The stripes are pleated with the color underneath for the skirt, and the vest is formed of such stripes. Another fancy is the used of red or gold or mixed metal braids in bayadere stripes across the front and sides of black poplin or cloth dresses. These braids are repeated on the vest, which may be used in a basque or in a polonaise. The polonaises of black cloth dresses are of very long and simple shapes, sloping away on the sides to show the skirt beneath, and draped very fully behind, yet very simply, as in some cases two loops and two buttons do the entire draping. Black Astrakhan borders, either of the genuine fur or the cloth imitation, are much used on these black wool dresses, and are sometimes in conjunction with silver braid. More elegant visiting and carriage dresses are made of the black heavily repped yet soft silks that resemble Irish poplin, and are called either Victorieuse silks or else Bengaline. This silk forms the basque and the bouffant over-skirt, with a lower skirt of plain or figured velvet, which is now laid in three panel pleats in the front, and side pleats behind. As we have already noted, the most elegant black velvet carriage costumes have panels covered with embroidery done on the fabric, with plastrons of thread lace, and usually some jet ornaments.—*Harper's Bazar.*

OBJECTED TO THOROUGHBREDS

An Ohio Man Who Thoughts Ordinary Cattle Were Quite Good Enough for Him.

"What's the use of turnin' things upside down an' your pockets inside out over any thoroughbred or extraordinarily gifted stock? What d' ye want in this part o' country with a cow, for instance, as 'll give a washtub full o' milk several times a day? No farmin' man can, or will, live on milk alone; an' after you've used all the butter for the table an' hair-oil purposes you can, you'll have some left on your hands, an' you can't compete with oleomargarine that has no hair. For every extra pint a thoroughbred gives she consumes so much more feed than yer common ole muley 'll keep fat on, an' give enough milk of a mild blue cloyin' tendency, too. Feed 's worth more to us farmers than milk, lots more. Thaint no successful artificial hay an' corn in market that I've run agin.

"Now, there's my neighbor, J. De Smith, he's been improvin' an' improvin' his strain of cattle till the poor man's actually got nothin' left in the world but that one thoroughbred short-horn. He put in most of his time this summer, almost day an' night, on that short-horn, gittin' him ready for the fair.

"On the road to the fair the short-horn, with his cavortin' an' pawin' round in a red blanket, scared three old farm teams till they ran off with several of the best families in the county. The first day of the fair he kicked a well-known young sprig from Washington Township in the pit of the stomach hard enough to pulverize his watch crystal, who, on recovering sufficient wind, immediately set about diligently spreadin' the report that them kind of cattle wouldn't do at all for this climate. In the grand parade of premium stock he took a two-dollar prize, on the last day he run a horn through the most vulnerable part of the President's pants, terrifyin' him an' gainin' his instant an' influential disapproval.

"'Fore De Smith got home his natural arms was most wrenched off, an' entirely so the arms of his best coat; a holdin' that brute, an' several individuals had thrillingly narrow escapes from abruptly violent ends.

"Now where's the pay in collateral, fun or premiums for sich? I tell ye it don't pay. Give me ordinary cattle an' more of the comforts an' emoluments of farmin' an' more rest, an' I'll be calmly satisfied to forego the pomp an' circumstance of a red card at the fair."
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How to Buy a Horse.

An old horseman says: If you want to buy a horse don't believe your own brother. Take no man's word or it. Your eye is your market. Don't buy a horse in harness. Unhitch him and take everything off but his halter, and lead him around. If he has a corn or is stiff, or has any other failing, you can see it. Let him go by himself a way, and if he staves right into anything you know he is blind. No matter how clear and bright his eyes are, he can't see any more than a bat. Back him too. Some horses show their weakness at tricks, in that way when they don't in any other. But, be as smart as you can, you'll get caught sometimes. Even an expert gets caught. A horse may look over so nice and go a great pace and yet have fits. There isn't a man could tell it until something happens. Or he may have a weak back. Give him the whip and off he goes for a mile or two, and then all at a sudden he stops in the road. After a rest he starts again, but he soon stops for good and nothing but a derrick could move him.

The weak points of a horse can be better discovered while standing than while moving.

If he is sound, he will stand firmly and squarely on his limbs without moving any of them, the feet flatly upon the ground, with legs plump and naturally poised; or if the foot is lifted from the ground and the weight taken from it, disease may be suspected, or at least tenderness, which is a precursor of disease. If the horse stands with his feet spread apart, or straddles with his hind legs, there is a weakness in the loins, and the kidneys are disordered. Heavy pulling bends the knees. Bluish, milky cast eyes in horses indicate moon-blindness or something else. A bad tempered horse keeps his ears thrown back. A kicking horse is apt to have scarred legs. A stumbling horse has blemished knees. When the skin is rough and harsh, and does not move easily to the touch, the horse is a heavy eater, and digestion is bad. Never buy a horse whose breathing organs are at all impaired. Place your ear at the side of the heart, and if a wheezing sound is heard it is an indication of trouble.—*Rural Record.*

The Dishonest Partner.

One of the most frequent and deplorable agents of sudden ruin is the dishonest partner. No business can be managed without mutual confidence between those who conduct it; and though, when we hear that a commercial man has brought himself within reach of the law, we are inclined to doubt if his partner can have been unaware of his malpractices, yet it must be obvious that the dishonesty of one partner too often arises from the unsuspicious simplicity of the other. There are even instances in which no amount of sagacity will save a man from the enterprises of a roguish partner. The following is a very common case: A and B being partners, A dies, and his son succeeds to his share of the business. So long as A was alive the speculative tendencies of B were kept in check; but young A has not the same experience as his father; he has learned to respect B; he looks to him for guidance and if B has made up his mind to extend the business of the firm by new methods, now that he is head partner, the junior partner will generally be a mere tool in his hands. If young A be more fond of pleasure than business he will of course be even less than a tool—a mere cipher, and B will be left to manage matters as he pleases, until he succeeds in his schemes, and proposes to buy A out of the business: or fails and brings A to poverty and disgrace. It is a cruel thing that if B has absconded, A will have to bear the entire brunt of creditors' wrath, and perhaps be criminally punished for his innocence. But partners have learned this lesson so often that it is almost a wonder how any sane man can assume responsibilities without ascertaining the nature and extent of them. It is certainly not for the public interest that the sudden ruin of an honest partner should be pleaded in extenuation of his ignorance or carelessness.—*Chambers' Journal.*

Saved by the Cashier.

A Wall street friend of mine, who has just returned from the West, told me a rather good story yesterday. Said he:

"I went out to the Yellowstone with a party, and we had a curious adventure. There were in the crowd two brokers, a bank cashier, a railroad man and a couple of Englishmen. In a lonely spot we were suddenly held up by four mounted road agents, who, with carbines leveled at our heads, shouted to us to 'put up our hands.' Our party was pretty badly shaken up, I tell you. We were ordered to step out while one of their men ransacked the coach.

"'Look here, men,' said one of the Englishmen, 'you don't want anything of us. We are traveling with just money enough to pay our expenses. This gentleman here is the cashier of the ——— Bank; but he doesn't carry the bank funds with him, you know.'

"The fellows looked at him a moment, then one of them asked of our companion:

"'Are you really a bank cashier?"

"'Yes,' said he, rather faintly.

"Then,' said the leader of the gang, 'then boys, we're off this hunt. Them gentlemen kin go. We recognize a professional when we see him, and we take off our hats to a bank cashier because he's the boss in our line of business. You can have your wallets, gentlemen, and we hope you'll have a safe journey.'

"And, sir, would you believe it, the rascals actually handed back our things intact, lifted their hats to the cashier and dashed off like the mischief. We were rather scarey about traveling in his company after that, but the poor fellow assured us on his soul he had never robbed a bank in his life, and he attributed it all to the fact that a few rascally cashiers had made the banking business disreputable for a person of refined instincts."—*N. Y. Star.*

—Nearly all of the crops are big this year, sugar and rice being the most notable exceptions. The Florida orange crop is estimated at 1,000,000 boxes—350,000 more than last year.—*Chicago Herald.*

No one can be ill if the blood is pure. Yellow Dock and Sarsararilla root have long been recognized by physicians as blood purifiers. Don't be humbugged by the advertisements of the many quack bitters, but occasionally use Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and you will live to a good old age free from all distress of mind and body. Many of our best citizens who long suffered from bad blood indicated by weak kidneys, indigestion, sores, aches, etc., owe their recovery to the use of this remedy.

Long visits, long sermons, long exhortations, and long [illegible] seldom profit those who listen. Life is short. Time is short. Moments are precious. Learn to condense. Prunes are dull if they are only short. We can endure many an ache and ill if it be over soon, while even pleasures grow insipid, and pain intolerable, if they be protracted beyond the limits of reason and convenience. Learn to be short. Lop off branches; stick to the main facts in your case. If you pray, ask for what you would receive, and get through; if you speak, tell your message and hold your peace; boil down two words into one, and three into two. Always learn to be short.

Many who long suffered from indescribable feelings of distress, lame back, aching joints, sores, swellings, weakness of the urinary and digestive organs, unnatural feelings of weariness, headache, nervousness, despondency, sleeplessness, disturbing dreams, partial insanity, etc., after doctoring liver, kidneys, nerves and brain, with the various quack nostrums of the day, and being nearly frightened to death by their alarming advertisements, quietly began using Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and were agreeably surprised to quickly find themselves restored to perfect health. No other remedy equals it.

On one occasion while the English naturalist Gould was wandering along the banks of the Thames with a party of friends, a rare laugh was created at his expense. He had climbed a tree for the purpose of exploring the contents of a nest. On suddenly looking down at a hollow formed by two branches of the tree, and which at the time contained a pool of water, he exclaimed: "As I'm a living man, if there is not a large owl here in this hole, looking straight at me." The excitement was intense, but was instantly turned to a shout of merriment, when the naturalist on putting down his hand to seize the supposed owl, discovered that it was simply the reflection of his own image in the water.

Don't make the mistake of doctoring liver and kidneys to cure consumption. If you will lay all other remedies aside and put your trust in Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, it will surely benefit you. Try it for coughs and colds, and see what an excellent remedy it is.

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Yours, Truly, S. PEPSON.

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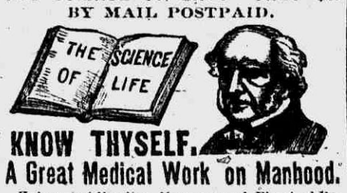

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 6, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 452, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent. to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that piece of land, situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parellel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24, 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL, Assignee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Assignee. sep25

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of said Peter R. Adams, deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at my residence, corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, on Friday, the 2d day of January, A.D., 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate to wit: The northwest quarter of section one (1), the northeast quarter of section two (2), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section two (2), in Raisin township, Lenawee county, Michigan, comprising four hundred (400) acres of land. Also one hundred and thirty-five (135) acres of land being the north part of the northwest quarter of section fourteen (14), in Clinton township, Lenawee county, Michigan. Also three story brick building and lot in village of Tecumseh, Michigan, lot beginning on the north side of Chicago street, one hundred and fifty-one and a-half feet east from the east line of Evans street at its intersection with the north line of Chicago street; thence east along the north line of Chicago street twenty-five feet; thence north at right angles with Chicago street to an alley; thence west 25 feet, thence south some 89 feet to point of beginning. Also land in village of Tecumseh aforesaid to wit: Commencing at the intersection of west line of Evans street with north line of Kilbuck street; thence north on west line of Evans street nine rods and seven feet; thence west on south line of land in occupancy of Wm. Hayden and others seven rods; thence south on east line of land formerly owned by Nathan Blood nine rods and seven feet, to the north line of Kilbuck street, and thence east about seven rods along the north line of said street to place of commencement. Also lots numbered 75 and 76 on the original plat of the village of Tecumseh, except a parcel 4x8 rods sold off west side thereof. Also parcel of land in village of Tecumseh, Michigan to wit: Commencing on South line of Chicago street at west line of lot owned by Owens near Hayden's mill, thence south from said point on Chicago street twelve rods; thence west five rods; thence north twelve rods; thence east along south line of Chicago street five rods to point of commencement. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

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CORDELIA M. ADAMS, Administratrix with the will annexed.

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The course of Gov. Cleveland since the election is in marked contrast to that of Mr. Blaine. The President-elect is a man of but few words, but when he talks he speaks to the point. In a recent interview with a representative of the Boston Globe, he remarked:

It goes without saying that the democratic party is made up of merchants, business and working men, and everybody in it certainly desires good times and realizes that all the people must be prosperous to insure that result. We have 55,000,000 of people, almost boundless resources, hundreds of the strongest financial institutions in the world, thousands of enterprising merchants, the most skillful manufacturers and the most intelligent farmers and workingmen on the face of the earth. Now, surely, a country with these characteristics has every qualification for solid, permanent prosperity. It will be my aim, and the aim of all associated with me in the conduct of affairs at Washington, to give the people of the United States a safe, economical and conservative government. The fact that so many business men and manufacturers and workmen voted with the democratic party in this election shows that they were not afraid of a change in the administration. The democratic party, in its Chicago platform, meant what it said and said what it meant and will carry the provisions of that platform which relate to the business interests of the country into effect.

INDUSTRIAL DEMAND OF THE HOUR.

The Philadelphia Times which has been looked upon as the special organ of the Pennsylvania manufacturers has this article, showing that a wise system of tariff reform is one of the great needs of the country at the present time. This article, considering the source from which it comes, is very significant.

Attention has been called frequently of late to the fact that the census figures of 1880 showed that of the vast amount of goods manufactured in the United States but two per cent. was exported, the remaining ninety-eight per cent. being consumed at home. The manufacturing capacity of the country has steadily increased since that date and in a much greater ratio than the home demand, while the export demand remains about the same. The inevitable result is seen in the scores of idle mills and the thousands of workers out of employment.

The extension of our foreign trade in manufactured goods is greatly to be desired at present. Heretofore American manufacturers could practically ignore this trade, leaving it to the manufacturers of Europe. The home demand for iron, steel, machinery and textile fabrics was equal to the production. Production has outrun demand at last and new markets for the surplus must be sought or the paralysis in trade becomes permanent rather than temporary. Especially is this true of the manufacturing industries of the Eastern and Middle States. The South is manufacturing its own cotton to a rapidly increasing extent and the West is largely supplying its own iron, steel and machinery, instead of purchasing these staples in New York and Pennsylvania, as formerly.

Is there a foreign market, within reach of our Eastern seaports, for which American manufactures may compete with a reasonable prospect of success? We believe there is. To the south of the United States is a country comprising an area of eight million square miles and containing forty millions of people. We purchase largely of their coffee, sugar, tropical fruits, timber, hides and other raw materials. They, in return, get the great bulk of their manufactured goods of somebody else. Of the total three hundred millions of imports of these twenty countries we furnish but a little more than forty millions, or one-seventh of the whole amount. The West India Islands annually import goods to the amount of one hundred and sixteen millions, of which the United States supply less than one-third. Here then at our very doors is a trade of nearly five hundred millions, of which we supply only about seventy millions.

It is to the interest of the manufacturers of this city to move earnestly and promptly in this matter. Whatever advantage in this direction can be secured by an active participation in the New Orleans Exposition should not be neglected. But Philadelphia is a seaport with unusual facilities for building up a trade of its own with our Southern neighbors. The way to a prosperous trade with them is to make it. And when this is once established the way will be open to shake hands with the Pacific countries and islands with their five or six hundred millions of import trade, as soon as the Panama Canal opens a short and safe route to those countries. It will be the part of wisdom and prudence for the business men of the United States to devote the next few years almost exclusively to the extension of our export trade in manufactured goods. The manufacturing as well as the agricultural interests of the country have been stimulated quite enough until more markets are found for the staples we make and grow.

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THE PROHIBITION VOTE.

The attempt to show that the prohibitionists have made no gains over two years ago by a comparison of the votes polled this month with those cast in 1882 is not a fair statement of the case. It is true that in 1882 the prohibition vote in Illinois was 9,068, and that this year it is 11,429, and that in New York the same vote was, in 1882, 25,783, while this year it is only a trifle larger; but it must be borne in mind that 1882 was an off year in politics, when party lines were loosely drawn and men were not forced to meet the influences that are always powerful in a national election. This year the prohibitionists have been traduced, ostracized, and lampooned from one end of the country to the other, and the crack of the party lash has never for a moment ceased to sound in their ears. The men, who, ignoring the appeals of old party and personal friends, the pressure of a heated campaign, and the ridicule of those who were unable to understand the motives that actuated them, walked to the polls and gave utterance to their deep-seated and honest convictions by their ballots, are the men who are always the founders of all great movements among men. Every device known to politics was used to coax and cajole the prohibitionists to return to their party allegiance, and in the event of a refusal to do so every expedient to keep them from the polls was used to its fullest extent. The knowledge that they could not succeed also kept many from voting who disliked to throw away their votes. That the prohibitionists held their own against the bulldozing, obloquy, and abuse they everywhere met shows that their adherence to the principle for which they contended was bassed upon as deep and earnest convictions of right and duty as ever actuated any body of men in a free government. Scores and scores of these men were denounced as abolitionists and black republicans in the early days of the republican party, and the tactics now resorted to by their opponents were tried against them long years ago and failed. In view of all the prohibitionists have had to heroically face since the 8th of June it is simply surprising that they held their own in this vindictive campaign, and the flings and insults they now have put upon them by republicans and the party organs will have no other effect than to solidify their ranks and strengthen their courage.

THE CHIEF DANGER.

Our chief danger is not that the Democrats may get into power and commence a hungry hunt for offices and spoils, as the Republicans expect them to do if they carry the Presidential election. Nor is it that the Republicans may get another four years of power to continue a career of corruption and plunder, as the Democrats dread. Neither of these results, though it might turn out as bad as the opposing party predicts, would be so serious a calamity as that the whole Christian element of the country should be condemned to go on slavishly dividing the vote between parties controlled by trading politicians. We can only, as a people, be preserved from selfishness and corruption by drawing a distinct line between right and wrong in politics as in private life, and eschewing all partnership with evil men and evil methods under whatever pretence. All have, therefore, great reason to be thankful for "prohibition" as a nucleus round which all the good elements of society, south, north, east west, may safely gather a basis of union for all who have the real good of the country at heart, and as a rallying cry to lead a grand crusade of honest principles to glorious victory over the ubiquitous adversary, the liquor traffic.—N. Y. Witness.

ST. JOHN'S CANDIDACY

To the non-believers St. John's candidacy was rather an object of ridicule than aught else. The man's sincerity, as well as the intrinsic merit of his cause, was overlooked in the ridicule heaped upon the weakness of the party. Whilst it is true a great national party ought to have more by far than one issue as the apology for its existence, at the same time whether one believes in the prohibition doctrine or not, nearly every one, whatever his habits or business, does believe in the great underlying reason for agitating prohibition, and that is temperance. Stripped of red tape, prohibition really means "don't get drunk." Whether it goes the right way about it or not to secure what it wants, it is to the credit of the Prohibition Party that it wants nothing but what is good, and for the perpetual good, not only of the nation, but of every individual in it.

The party of Prohibition, in its seeking for individual good, comes nearer being a universal religion than a party, and as such, whilst all may fairly, honorably and wisely differ from it, it is entitled to respect instead of ridicule.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

We have had the license system in this country for more than two hundred years; it has always been, and ever will be, a gigantic fraud and swindle. It has bribed witnesses, courts, jurors and prosecuting attorneys. It has packed the primaries, stuffed ballot-boxes, forged election returns, scoffed at virtue and revelled in vice. It has with its ill gotten gains bought its way into legislative halls. It has sent jurymen reeling drunk into what we call a court of justice. Its disgraceful effects have been seen upon the funeral-train of a martyred President. It destroys home, tramples law under foot, laughs at weeping wives and hungry children, and drives its victims when penniless into the street. It has no conscience, and knows no God, and I am proud to be a citizen of a State where, if manhood and home are to be destroyed through the influence of intoxicating drinks, the destruction will be in violation of rather than by the sanction of law.—Gov. St. John.

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NOTICE to the taxpayers of Franklin. I will be at Tuttle's store on Monday, the first three weeks of December, and Mondays and Wednesdays the remainder of the month. Office hours from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Will also be at home each Friday during the month to receive taxes. ELIJAH BUCK, Township Treasurer.

TAX NOTICE.—To the taxpayers of the township of Tecumseh. I will be at the HERALD office on Friday of each week during the month of December for the purpose of receiving taxes. E. A. TRIBOU, Township Treasurer.

BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the blacksmithing shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Interfering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection. W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

STAMPING.—I have just purchased a new supply of stamps for braiding and embroidery. Will do hand braiding for 8 cts. a yard up. Patterns' Rooms at the residence of Mrs. Isaac Wood. Ladies' dresses, cloaks, and children's dresses stamped on short notice.
MRS. C. M. WEBSTER.

FOR SALE.—House and lot on Bidwell street will be sold very cheap. Apply at once to JOHN McKENDRY.

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STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two good young horses. SLAYTON & SON.

Regular Masonic meeting to-morrow evening.

Our stores are well filled with goods for the holidays.

Wm. Brezie started this morning for Edmore for a week's visit.

There will be a two day's vacation in all the public schools to-day and to-morrow.

Albert Hayden and wife, of Milan, take their Thanksgiving dinner at Wm. Hayden's.

Adamson and Keip have a new double ad. in to-day's paper. They are fully prepared for a large holiday trade.

Hough & Hosmer have a larger stock of jewelry and holiday goods than ever, and they are prepared to offer extra bargains. Read their announcement elsewhere.

Macon Grange, No. 167, will meet in regular session on Friday the 5th of Dec., at 7:30 o'clock P. M. A general attendance of members is requested, as this will be the last meeting previous to election.

By the way, it is not pleasant to reflect that the defeat of the state ticket retires our very efficient state oil inspector. Wherever republicans have retained or regained a grip upon power the "ruling passion" is yet manifest; and it is said the shadows of the long line of applicants for friend Smith's place are enough to cast a gloom over a nature even as cheerful and as hopeful as his.—Hudson Gazette.

The kind sentiments expressed above are thoroughly appreciated by the person for whom they were intended. But Smith is not gloomy. He has been greased sufficiently to slide out gracefully, and is now engaged in holding his sides from bursting with laughter as he views that "long line of applicants" for his place. It is sweet (for some people) to die for the country, sweeter to live for the country, but sweetest to live on it. You fellows, one thousand strong, who want the "file" inspectorship, don't you think so?—Adrian Record.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Northern lights have flushed our skies the past week, but went out in Saturday nights rain storm.

The rink is nice, and about five hundred came to see, hear and skate. Napoleon's band played and good skaters came with them. Branch and Curtis of Hillsdale were voted worthy of their reputation, and gave a good exhibition. The only mischance happened to the Manchester company, who unfortunately took a road which led astray and made them late. They were proficients and improved the time, the managers courteously lengthened. If prizes had been awarded the first would have been carried to Manchester by Nettie Severance. All is well. Brooklyn has another very good public hall, and its christening party was a success.

RAISIN RUMBLINGS.

The young men on the west side of the river will engage in a big hunt on Thanksgiving day.

Our usually quiet community has been stirred up to the bottom with a real live sensation during the past week. Chas. Luce, a well-to-do farmer, has been selling off his personal effects for several weeks preparatory to selling a new patent heater for stove pipes. About a week ago he went to Hudson to establish an agency there and begin business in earnest, Mr. Parker, another well-to-do farmer lives on a farm adjoining Mr. Luce's. About the same time that Mr. Luce started on his heater trip Mrs. Parker went to visit some friends at Blissfield, and neither of them have yet returned to the bosom of their families. Judging from surface indications during the past summer the neighbors have concluded that the protracted absence of the two means something and that they have probably gone into the heater business together. The wife and husband who are left behind have the sympathy of the community in their affliction.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 27, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Beau—— Sn——.

Christmas only 27 days off.

Col. Eldridge left home for Washington last Monday.

Not many people in town Monday and Tuesday. Too stormy.

It is reported that Lloyd Brezee has purchased the Detroit Times.

The Brooklyn roller rink was opened in fine style last Saturday evening.

The trial of Dan Holcomb at Jackson is dragging its slow length along.

Last Sunday was "historical day" among the M. E. churches in this district.

Exelby's Hall at Britton will be dedicated this evening by a Thanksgiving dinner.

The Dundee Odd Fellows will hold a public installation and supper early in January.

We have all got to pay Lon Tribou a visit soon. He receives the taxes this year.

Mrs. E. C. Smith, of Toledo, was the guest of Mrs. C. M. Burlingame, a few days last week.

Dressed pork is coming into market slowly. Farmers are not fairly in love with the price paid.

The "grand bumper degree" given any evening at the skating rink. Lots of fun for those who witness it.

Another change in the Detroit Post. Wm. Stocking the managing editor for years past, has been discharged.

It is reported that the American Express Co. will take charge of the express over the M. & O. after Dec. 1st.

Judge Cooley has a paper in the December North American Review entitled, "Labor and Capital before the Law."

At the Opera House on Dec. 4th will appear a celebrated company in the play of "New York, the story of a great city."

You can begin paying your taxes next Monday at the usual place and save percentage if you cash up during the month of December.

Prof. D. A. Hammond is thinking quite seriously of taking a trip to New Orleans to visit the exposition during the holiday vacation.

M. P. Brown, J. S. Kinney, Strong & McNair and W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., of Tecumseh, swing advertisements in the Addison Courier.

Dundee Reporter: Geo. Kies, of Kies Bros., Tecumseh, was in town Wednesday, showing samples and taking orders for new suits of clothes.

C. H. C. Rynd, mail agent running between Adrian and Monroe, was arrested Monday, charged with robbing the mail, and taken to Detroit.

A year ago last Friday night the Crouch murders occurred in Jackson county, and the year has not yet brought any of the guilty parties to punishment.

Mrs. Wm. Brezee who has been in Cleveland for the past two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Crowell, returned to her home in this village on Monday last.

Look out for the fellows who are hanging around your houses for something to eat. They are quite apt to be burglars spying out weak spots to enter and steal.

A change of fifty degrees is quite a drop even in this latitude. Sunday morning at eight o'clock the thermometer marked 58°. Monday at the same hour it stood at 8°.

Mr. Elliot Sherman, a former Tecumseh boy, was married on Nov. 20 at Grand Rapids to Miss Clara P. Kelly of the latter place. Ell is a dentist now, and we wish him success in his new venture.

Blissfield Advance: Some one hoisted a jug to the top of the prohibition pole Monday night and left it in such a manner that it could not be lowered. Charley Terwilliger and Geo. Baker chopped down the pole rather than see it adorned with a whiskey jug.

Oscar Palmer, when on a visit to Boston four years ago, purchased an old relic, which is a decided curiosity. It is a sheet about two feet by eighteen inches in size, on one side of which is a facsimile of the first newspaper published in America—The Boston News-Letter, dated "from Monday April 17th to Monday April 24th 1704." On the reverse side of the sheet are pictures of the first railway passenger train in America, which ran from Albany to Schenectady in 1831; the first steamboat in the world, which was launched on the Delaware river in 1786; the first steam locomotive, invented by Geo. Stephenson, which was tested in September 1825; the old liberty bell, which proclaimed liberty throughout all the land to all the inhabitants thereof, from Independence Hall on July 4th, 1876; Faniel Hall in Boston; the house in which Thomas Jefferson wrote the Declaration of Independence; and a view of New York City in 1850. He has got it substantially framed, and will preserve it among his household treasures.

The beautiful snow.

"The Patterson" is being rapidly completed.

We "Echo" to the hoot of the "Owl" is what the girls say.

The Hudson skating rink was opened for business last evening.

David Carpenter of Blissfield will spend the winter in Florida.

The I. O. O. F. band of Blissfield have leased Carpenter's hall for one year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Winans, of Toledo, spent last Sunday at B. L. Baxter's.

Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years day all fall on Thursday this winter.

The Morenci School Board have added 125 new volumes to the district library.

Dealers in holiday goods are now getting in their work in the advertising line.

Norm Chatterdon, of Elkhart, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

The Macon band discoursed sweet music at the skating rink Saturday evening.

Adamson has just added another new show case to his establishment. It is a beauty.

Make out your list of papers for the coming year, and we will get them for you at low figures.

Season tickets for the Library Lecture Course are on sale at Adamson's. Procure your tickets early.

Thos. Thurlby of Hudson, was in town last Saturday and Sunday, visiting the Garlinghouse boys.

Union religious services were held at the Presbyterian Church this forenoon. Sermon by Rev. C. E. Conley.

E. A. Tribou, township treasurer, can be found at the HERALD office each Friday during December to receive taxes.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., Wm. Hayden, Heck Bros., Kies Bros. and M. P. Brown advertise in the Dundee Reporter.

The regular annual fair given by the ladies of the St. Peter's church, will come off this afternoon at the Opera House.

Dundee's sportsmen have turned their attention from clay pigeons to wild turkeys with pleasure and profit to the shootists.

The first entertainment of the Library Lecture Course is expected on the evening of Dec. 6th. Procure your season tickets at once.

The HERALD goes to press several hours earlier than usual this week, to give the boys a chance to eat Thanksgiving turkey this afternoon.

Don't sponge your reading from your neighbors, but walk up and subscribe for your home paper, and thus assist in maintaining a home enterprise.

James E. Lowry has been down into Missouri, and returned last Saturday. He brought back with him a few sweet pototoes, one of which weighed 7¼ lbs.

Several of our handsome young ladies have organized an "Echo Club." Never too late to mend. Leap year is almost gone, but there is a chance for some effective work yet.

There is considerable talk among the young men about town of starting a dancing school, as there are a score or more just aching for a chance to learn to trip the "light fantastic."

A. J. Coddington, editor of the Shelby Enterprise was at home over Sunday. He returned on Monday via the M. & O. road. He is well pleased with his present situation and prospects.

Wm. J. Hastings, who is attending the University at Ann Arbor, accompanied by two other students, Mr. Frank Burroughs, of Missouri, and Mr. C. H. Carson, of Iowa, arrived in Tecumseh Tuesday evening, to spend Thanksgiving.

The red mills of Adrian were destroyed by fire yesterday forenoon. The fire department responded quickly but as the mill was an old frame building, it could not be saved. The loss on stock was small. Building and machinery a total loss, on which there was an insurance of $6,000.

The prospectus season is at hand, and the HERALD this week has several new announcements of that kind. The list embraces the Ohio Farmer, the Country Gentleman, Godey's Lady's Book, Harper's Magazine, Harper's Bazar, Harper's Weekly, Demorest's Monthly. Subscriptions will be received for all these papers in connection with the HERALD at club rates.

The Adrian Times has the following notice in which we heartily concur:

Gil. R. Osmun, who has been so long the architect of the state news column in the Evening News, and who has done his work so industriously and well, is to be private secretary to Gov. Alger. Mr. Osmun has all the qualifications necessary for the responsible position, and will, we prophesy, give entire satisfaction, not only to the governor, but to the thousand and one people, from all parts of the state, with whom he will be brought into contact at the executive office.

Brooklyn Exponent: Looking over our books we see a long array of subscribers who owe us. Some are far away, lost to sight although to memory dear. Some are now angels in heaven, but they owe us just the same.

Last Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Zellars were the recipients of a large surprise party. Their friends stormed the house, took possession and passed a very enjoyable evening. "Uncle Billy" Brezie, who is an adept at such business, concocted the mischief.

Great inducements to purchasers of Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines is made by B. J. Collar of Adrian (for Tecumseh and vicinity,) during the holidays. Remember he represents the best makers of organs and pianos made in the world, such as Estey, Cottage and Clough & Warren organs; Chickering, Haines Bros, Sohmer & Co., Christie & Son's pianos. Immense stock on hand.

Tecumseh's enterprising grocer, Henry McClure, has rented one of the new stores in Exelby's block at Britton and will open a branch establishment there at an early day. He will keep a complete stock of groceries and will add some goods in other lines suitable for a general country store. Mr. McClure, by his industry and enterprise, has built up an immense trade here, and we believe he will succeed in his venture.

Winter has come at last and probably come to stay. In view of this fact the following hint from an exchange will come in play:

Cracks in floors, around the mouldboard, or in other parts of a room, may be neatly and permanently filled by thoroughly soaking newspapers in paste made of one pound of flour, three quarts of water, and a tablespoonful of alum, thoroughly mixed. The mixture will be about as thick as putty, and may be forced into the cracks with a case knife. It will harden like papier mache.

Marshall Statesman: Monday evening the second fatal accident since its completion occurred on the Michigan and Ohio railway. Daniel Merrill, an old man, 65 years of age, was walking on the track towards his home in Bedford, when the way freight west overtook him. He paid no attention to the repeated whistles and remained on the rails till the locomotive struck him. He was killed instantly. He leaves a wife and family and a life insurance of $1,000.

Morenci Observer: A woman, of this village, came into Mr. Morgan's office on Wednesday afternoon and told a story of the whipping she had just received from her husband, and the bruises on her face but too plainly corroborated her statement. She wanted his advice on the subject, and on being told that the husband was liable to a fine and imprisonment, woman-like she relented and said she would forgive him this time, but if he ever did it again no telling what would be done.

Adrian Press: If any further evidence were needed that Providence mercifully directed the election of Cleveland, it can be found in the fact that a Tecumseh man declared that he would name his heir expectant and apparent, after the successful candidate for president in case it happened to be that kind of an heir, and it so happened. Now Chet Haynes is an ardent republican, but he heaves a sigh of relief when he thinks that his son can bear the name of an honest man, and in merciful regard for that son we claim that the Almighty took compassion and directed Mulligan Blaine's defeat. Grover Cleveland Haynes, we greet you.

The Marshall Statesman has this to say of the new railroad project from that city north to the straits:

The attitude of the present railroad commissioner, Gen. Innes, has not been favorable to new railroad ventures, but as the expiration of his term of office is near at hand, the last obstacle to the building of the north line will be removed, and we may look for a movement at any time. The affairs of the company are now in exactly the shape desired for a long period back, and advantage will soon be taken of it. The principal owners of the M. & O. want the line pushed north at once. They have the money to build it. They have also unbounded confidence in the project; and now that there is clear sailing, a general order for an advance along the whole line may be issued any day.

"The Masher," which is the name of Geo. S. Tiffany's new patent, is a crusher which may be constructed so as to crush ores, clay, coal, cones, burned fire clay, stone, &c. The difficulty experienced by manufacturers in working fire clay led to its design. It is especially adapted to the crushing of clay clods. As constructed for clay working the Masher opens twelve inches to receive the clay and then closes completely, forcing the clay between the jaws. It will work dry or wet clay so that it will pass through rollers, or be much better prepared for the direct use of the brick or tile machine, or for any grinding or soaking process. The jaws may be readily changed for those of greater or less breadth and thickness. The machines will be adapted to the purposes for which they may be required. Patented Nov. 11, 1884. Mr. Tiffany purposes to work up the sale of this machine as rapidly as possible. We hope he has "struck it rich."

Geo. Faling started for Goshen, Ind., last Monday morning, where he has a position as instructor in a skating rink. The rink is owned by C. D. Bills.

Mrs. A. E. Ure will close her business in Tecumseh for the season on Tuesday afternoon Dec. 2. Millinery and hair goods at reduced prices. Lilley House, room 22.

A Bargain to Farmers. Every progressive farmer needs a good, enterprising, reliable agricultural journal, such as THE OHIO FARMER is, and it is offered at a genuine bargain. See prominent advertisement in this issue headed "Attention, Farmers."

FLASHES BY THE C. T. LINE.

M. G. Updyke is making improvements on his house.

E. G. Cook is digging out old apple trees, building fence and otherwise improving his farm on the Clinton road.

We notice the change of signals at the L. S. & M. O. crossing—one long and two short whistles.

Miss Ella Frost eats turkey at Manchester.

E. C. Coryell has ordered a Perkins windmill.

F. B. Smith of Clinton goes to visit his daughter, Mrs Dorr Draper, at St. Louis, this week.

Mrs. Richard Hicks of North Adams, visited her daughter, Mrs. Horatio Keyser.

Miss Hattie Helm is spending a portion of her vacation at same place.

Sim Smith has purchased a farm near Onsted.

Chas. Mangus and Dick Farley are gaining some notoriety as well as wealth, trapping. They have caught thus far this fall, 134 muskrats, 4 raccoon and 3 minks.

Saturday P. M., in honor of the election of Cleveland and Hendricks, a hickory pole was raised in front of the residence of J. F. N. Bowen.

The following is the meteorlogical report, taken at Tecumseh station by L. G. North, M. D., for the week ending Nov. 25th. Maximum theremometer, Wed. 53°; minimum ther. Mon. 7°; rain, .84 inches; snow, 1½ inches; prevailing winds, S. W.; barometric range .82 inches; maximum barometer, 29.35 inches; minimum bar. 28.53. Sunday's storm was preceded by a remarkable barometric fall of 42 100 of an inch.

GOV. CLEVELAND'S RELATIVES.

Two of them, By Marriage, Reside in Tecumseh Our Citizens will Have Special Interest in the New President.

We clip the following interview from the Evening News:

TOLEDO, Nov. 24.—A reporter called upon Mrs. N. B. Bacon, of this city, to interview her on the various rumors going the rounds of the press in regard to who will officiate as mistress of the White house during the administration of her brother. Mrs. Bacon is a most courteous and cultivated lady, and is much esteemed by those who know her. She seemed greatly amused by the various ludicrous rumors regarding her brother's alleged contemplated marriage, and to a query of the reporter as to whether or not there was any truth in the current report that Mr. Cleveland was to be married, she replied: "The report is entirely without foundation so far as I know, and I would probably know as much about such a step on the part of my brother as any person."

As to the rumors that a widowed sister would be with Mr. Cleveland at the White house, she said: "The plans are not as yet matured, but there are no widowed or divorced sisters. All are married save one. The eldest is Mrs. Hastings, who is at Ceylon, Ind., and of course she is too far away to be considered. The next is Mrs. Hoyt, of Fayetteville, Onondaga county, N. Y. near Syracuse; then myself and Mrs. L. T. Yeomans, of Walworth, Wayne county, N. Y., near Rochester. My youngest sister is Miss R. A. Cleveland, who is with my brother. Her tastes are strictly literary, and since her mother's death she has had a chance to gratify her inclinations in that direction, and I surmise she will be for the most part with my brother."

Mrs. Bacon refuted the many silly, unfounded reports as to the slight affection the sisters felt toward their brother, and said that they had been brought up together and always had the highest regard for him. She is next in point of age to Mr. Cleveland, and spoke feelingly of their companionship. She remarked that her brother is a man who assiduously applies himself to his work, making it a practice of working till midnight; and also, that determination was one of his prominent characteristics, and that not being a politician, he would not allow himself to be swerved from the right by such.

As a matter of interest to our readers we mention the fact that our town is honored with the possession of two relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Bacon. Mr. N. B. Bacon's mother, who recently died at an advanced age, was a sister of Sherman B. Terry of this village and Orrin Terry of Waterville, N. Y., who frequently visits Tecumseh and has many acquaintances here. Mr. Bacon the elder, resided here a few months, many years ago, when N. B. Bacon the architect was a boy. Mrs. P. J. Welling and Mr. Bacon the architect are first cousins, and thus Mrs. Welling is first cousin by marriage to Mrs. Bacon, Gov. Cleveland's sister. Mrs. Bacon is a most estimable woman and has a model home and Mr. Bacon is a man of prominence in his profession.

We esteem it quite an honor that we have a personal acquaintance with them, and have enjoyed the hospitality of their pleasant home.

Our marriage notices announce the double wedding at which Mrs. Chadwick parted with her two charming daughters, Misses Bricena and Adah. The young ladies have moved in society here for several years and have enjoyed the esteem which their worth and accomplishments merited. Mr. Crane is one of our most respected young men, and Mr. Robison, although having but little acquaintance here, stands equally high where he is known. We gladly double our usual allowance of congratulations and heartily wish these parties a bon voyage up the hills and through the valleys of life.

The dance given by the Owl Club last evening was a decided success in every particular. About 35 couples were present and everybody expressed themselves as well pleased. The music was excellent, and the supper at W. T. Eccles' was one of his best efforts. The "Owls" are to be congratulated on their success.

Masquerade at the skating rink, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 9th.

Auction Sale.

James Smith will sell at Auction on the premises 1 mile North and 2½ miles East of the village of Ridgeway, on Friday, Nov. 28th, '84, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: one two year old colt, one mare, two year old steers two year old heifers, two calves, twelve hogs, three cows, 290 bu. corn, 500 bundles cornstalks, lumber wagon, Syracuse plow, twenty tons of Hay, double harness, drag, cultivator, set of bob sleighs, stack of straw, a lot of farm tools, &c. Terms, 12 months credit with good notes at interest. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

Sunshine for Everybody.

A neat monthly publication called The Sunshine Magazine, is becoming quite popular among the ladies, and has readers in most every town. It is a large illustrated magazine devoted to fashions, fancy work, cooking, farming and household matters. Its low subscription price to new subscribers, only 50 cents a year, gives it a large circulation. Sample copies 10 cents. Address, The Sunshine Magazine, Fillmore, Allegany Co., N. Y.

—For a fine Portland or Swell body cutter or a set of Bobs call on—Slayton & Son.

—Light running New Home Sewing Machines at Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian.

—For Games of all kinds go to Keip's.

Newmarkets, ...Cloaks.
Russians, ...Cloaks.
Paletot, ...Cloaks.
Dolmans, ...Cloaks.
Neuhausel Bros., Toledo.

—For Lumber Wagons, very cheap, call at I. B. Richart's.

Underwear, ...Underwear.
Neuhausel Bros., Toledo.

—All kinds of Games for the long winter evenings, at Keip's.

—Brown the Photographer—Has a new invoice of fancy frames, mats and albums, and invites those who are thinking about "Christmas Gifts," to call at once. His line of goods will be found not only suitable but economical, and very acceptable. Secure your negatives as soon as possible that we may have time to properly finish your pictures.

—Estey Organs at Coller's, Adrian.

..... Flannels, ...
..... Flannels, ...
..... Flannels, ...
Neuhausel Bros., Toledo.

—Clough & Warren Organs at Coller's, Adrian.

—Mrs. M. A. Freeman has now her full stock of Millinery goods to which she respectfully calls the attention of the ladies of Tecumseh. Her prices are way down and she respectfully asks all to call and examine her goods.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co. and examine their stock.

White Blankets,
Red Blankets,
Grey Blankets,
Fine Blankets,
Cheap Blankets.
Neuhausel Bros., Toledo.

—Cottage Organs at Coller's palace of music, Adrian.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Massillon Canhel—Cleaner, Better and Cheaper than wood for cook stoves and grates. Try it. Sold only by S. W. Temple, Tecumseh.

—An elegant organ at Coller's Palace of Musiq for $70. Book & Stool.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—When the gong strikes it records the consummation of a blissful dream.
A. E. Kennedy.

—All listen for the clang of the gong. A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the voice of the gong.
A. E. Kennedy.

—Listen for the bell, it is of interest to all. A. E. Kennedy.

—When the bell strikes, all listen, for it registers the fact that a mortal has been made happy.
A. E. Kennedy.

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EDWIN B. WOOD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Collections and Conveyancing. Office over W. & S. W. Anderson's Store, Tecumseh, Mich.

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C. M. WOODWARD, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office at Residence, Chicago st.

E. M. CONKLIN, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in Mills Block, Chicago st.

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L. H. WALLACE, M.D., Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon, Benton, Mich. All calls day or night promptly attended to.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS, H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Stevens Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery, also manufacturers of Tiffany Improved Patent Diamond Tile Machine, Sweet's Block, Tecumseh.

WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization, dividends to the amount of $[illegible]. Total premiums received, $[illegible]. Assets of this best of companies on December 31, 1883, [illegible] Dividends paid policy holders in the past year, $[illegible]. Dividends paid policy holders in the past ten years, $[illegible]. Of any other company on similar plan. Assets January 1, 1884, over $[illegible]. Surplus over 100 per cent. reserve, $[illegible].

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET, [illegible] Proprietor. Dealer in Fresh and Salt Meats, Fish, Poultry, etc. Chicago st.

DAVE MACHAM, Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser. Shop on Chicago st.

CURRY & BOSTWICK, Fashionable Barbers and Hair Dressers, Shop in Redman's Block, Chicago st.

CHAS. A. WALDRON, [illegible] All orders promptly attended to. [illegible] Chicago st.

HOTELS.

LILLEY HOUSE, [illegible] This house has been [illegible] Lilley House [illegible] Chicago and Maumee streets, and is [illegible] Rates reasonable. [illegible] Proprietor.

BURNETT HOUSE, [illegible] newly refitted, with elevator and [illegible] Rates reasonable. [illegible] Proprietor.

RICE'S
TEMPERANCE HOTEL
COR. CONGRESS & BRUSH STS. DETROIT, MICH.
RATES—$1 to $1.25 per day. Single Meals 30c. Lodgings 35 to 50 cents.
We have a specialty of [illegible] always ready at the Sample Room. Commercial trade solicited.

COOK HOUSE—ANN ARBOR, MICH. E. B. Harris, Proprietor. This noted house has been refitted and refurnished, and is conducted by Mr. Harris and has all the modern conveniences. Special accommodations for commercial travelers. Terms reasonable.

SLAYTON & SON

Are better prepared than ever before to supply the public with everything in their line. Their Stock of

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Is complete, consisting of

PLOWS, { SOUTH BEND, WIARD, OLIVER. } Walking.

THE CASSADY SULKY PLOW.

Kalamazoo Spring Tooth Harrow,

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(Three sections in wheels.)

THRESHING MACHINES AND Engines,

Grain Drills, Hay Tedders, Rakes, Forks, Carriers and Hay Rakes, Land Rollers Etc.

STUDEBAKER AND MILBURN FARM WAGONS.

GREAT BARGAINS IN Carriages and Platform Spring Wagons.

Headquarters for Lime, Cement, Salt, Coal, Cal. Plaster and Plastering Hair, Grain, Flour, Feed, and Field Seeds.

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All Dental operations will be executed in a neat and skillful manner. Nitrous Oxide Gas, or vitalized air for extracting teeth without pain. I solicit your patronage, and will warrant all my work.

Office over Strong & McNair's Clothing Store.
TECUMSEH, MICH.

SAWS SAW MILL OWNERS!

I am dealing in and manufacture Reamer, Hay and Planing Knives, and Moulding Bits of every description, made to order at reasonable prices, and warranted in every particular. Saw repairing a specialty. A. MERTZ, Practical Saw Maker, 74 St. Clair Street, corner Washington, Toledo, O.

H. W. STEVENS,
Licensed Auctioneer.

All Auction Business Promptly Attended to.

TECUMSEH, - MICHIGAN.

LUMBER WAGON.—Nearly new and just painted over. For sale cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Lifted Up

A happy surprise it was to Mr. A. R. Norton, of Bristol, Conn., when ATHLOPHOROS put him on his feet, and sent him cheerfully about his business. Let him tell his own story:

"About three weeks ago I was taken with a severe crick in the back. For four days I was unable to turn in bed without help, and when lifted up could not stand on my feet. I was induced to try ATHLOPHOROS, after all the usual remedies failed. In 20 minutes after taking the first dose I could bear my weight upon my feet. In two days I was able to get about and attend to business. In two other cases which have come to my knowledge its use has been attended with the same results."

A poor man in Philadelphia had to borrow a dollar to buy a bottle of ATHLOPHOROS. On account of his poverty his name shall remain a Secret. He had suffered terribly from Rheumatism. He gratefully writes:

"I took my first dose Tuesday afternoon, and on Wednesday, after but seven doses, I had in my shoes not even a single pain. Then I reduced the dose one half and it is the remainder of the bottle. I was able to be steady at work the following day, when I took a severe cold and was unable to use my left hand. I purchased another bottle and by bedtime I found relief. The medicine is all you claim for it."

Investigate ATHLOPHOROS all you please! Find all the fault you choose with it! and yet the fact remains, that it is doing what no other medicine ever could do for Rheumatism and Neuralgia.

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express paid, on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle. We prefer that you buy it from your druggist, but if he hasn't it, do not be persuaded to try something else, but order at once from us as directed.

ATHLOPHOROS CO., 112 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

$11,950 IN CASH GIVEN AWAY

To SMOKERS of Blackwell's Genuine Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco.

This Special Deposit is to guarantee the payment of the 25 premiums fully described in the following announcements.

The premiums will be paid, no matter how small the number of tags returned may be.

Office Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co., Durham, N. C., May 10, 1884.

P. A. WILEY, Esq., *Cashier Bank of Durham, Durham, N. C.*

DEAR SIR:—We inclose you $11,950.00, which please place on Special Deposit to pay premiums on our empty tobacco tags to be returned free. Yours truly, J. S. CARR, President.

Office of The Bank of Durham, Durham, N. C., May 10, 1884.

J. S. CARR, Esq., *Pres. Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co.*

DEAR SIR:—I have to acknowledge receipt of $11,950.00 from you, which we have placed upon Special Deposit for the object you state. Yours truly, P. A. WILEY, Cashier.

None genuine without picture of BULL on the trade-mark.

☞See our other announcements.

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral.

[illegible]

A Terrible Cough Cured.

[illegible] Rochester, Ind., [illegible] 1882. [illegible] AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL has [illegible] a terrible cough [illegible] and should be [illegible] at once.

Croup—A Mother's Tribute.

[illegible] 150 West 126th St., New York, May 16, 1882. [illegible] AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL [illegible] for coughs and colds [illegible] AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL [illegible] Crystal, Mich., March 15, 1882. [illegible] Appleton, Wis., 1882. [illegible] Texas, April 22, 1882.

No case of an affection of the throat or lungs exists which cannot be greatly relieved by the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, and it will *always cure* when the disease is not already beyond the control of medicine.

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Health is Wealth!

DR. E. C. WEST'S NERVE AND BRAIN TREATMENT, a guaranteed specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Headache, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of alcohol or tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Softening of the Brain resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death, Premature Old Age, Barrenness, Loss of power in either sex, Involuntary Losses and Spermatorrhœa caused by over-exertion of the brain, self abuse or over-indulgence. Each box contains one month's treatment. $1.00 a box, or six boxes for $5.00, sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price.

WE GUARANTEE SIX BOXES

To cure any case. With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with $5.00, we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to return the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by

JOHN C. WEST & CO
862 W. MADISON ST., CHICAGO, ILLS.,
Sole Prop's West's Liver Pills.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Rome, N. Y., is Visited by a Fearful Fire—The Town Makes a Narrow Escape.

ROME, N. Y., November 25.—Shortly after ten o'clock yesterday morning fire was discovered in the office of G. V. Selden's lumber yard and planing mill on Front Street. The alarm was quickly given and the fire department soon responded. A strong west wind prevailed and the fire spread rapidly threatening to sweep across the southern portion of the city above the New York Central Railroad. The lumber office and sheds with R. A. Putnam's carpenter shop on Front Street, together with large piles of lumber extending southward through to John Street and the tenement row known as the Long Block, on John Street, were all ablaze by two o'clock, and it seemed as if nothing could save Martin's livery, Whitman & Burrill's dairy depot, the new Temperance Hotel, Schoolmaster's block and Barlham's carriage works. Mayor Mitchell telephoned to Utica for aid, but in half an hour the local fire department had succeeded in heading off the fire at the several points of progress, and the call for aid was countermanded. The property and buildings named, except the easterly end of the Long Block, were consumed. The fire was unquestionably incendiary. G. N. Selden loses about $25,000 and has an insurance of $18,000; Owens, Day & Co., who owned the Putnam shop and the Long Block, lose $30,000, mostly covered by insurance. The families of Jacob Oehm, Robert Orr and Frank Passett, tenants of the Long Block, lost all their household effects. They are poor and had no insurance. The Mayor offers a reward of $500 for the detection of any incendiary. Rome narrowly escaped a terrible scorching.

BROOKLYN, November 25.—A fire yesterday morning in the clothing store of Lewis Jacobs, 390 Fulton Street, caused a loss of $16,000; insurance $10,000.

TERRIBLE CYCLONE.

Passes Over St. John the Baptist Parish, La.—Two Persons Killed and Several Houses Destroyed.

NEW ORLEANS, November 25.—Saturday night a cyclone passed through St. John the Baptist parish on the Mississippi River, just above here, sweeping over a portion of the Whitney, or St. Martin and Malarat plantations, completely destroying all the residences on both places. At the time a large number of persons were in the St. Martin house, including a number of ladies, but all managed to escape but Mr. Anotale Perrett, a young man, who was almost instantly killed. Mr. Malarat, whose residence was also destroyed, was afterward found lying in the yard dangerously hurt, and died from the effects of his injuries. Several other houses and some negro cabins were destroyed. Mr. Malarat was a brother-in-law of the celebrated French writer and historian Michelet, author of the history of "Civilization" and other works.

Confirmations by the New York Board of Aldermen.

NEW YORK, November 25.—Sent to the Board of Aldermen yesterday the nomination of Stephen B. French to succeed to the vacancy left by the expiration of his own term May, 1883, and the Board confirmed the nomination. A Second communication from the Mayor was read nominating John McClave as Police Commissioner to succeed Joel W. Mason, whose term had expired. The nomination of Mr. McClave was confirmed and he was appointed, his term to begin May, 1884. The nominations of French and McClave were wholly unexpected by the Aldermen who were members of the County Democracy. They were taken entirely by surprise and did not know what to say. The Tammany men and the Republicans were prepared for the emergency and voted solidly for the confirmation of the two Commissioners.

General Jail Delivery.

TYLER, Texas, November 24.—A bold and partially successful jail delivery took place here Saturday night. Albert Starnes, a negro murderer, sentenced to ten years imprisonment, was the leader. He and a noted horse thief secreted themselves behind a blanket in the inner hallway. About ten o'clock as jailer Weaver entered the hall to lock up for the night he was set upon, bound and gagged. Taking the key the prisoners were soon released. Among the first out was one H. Howard, a negro awaiting sentence for murder, who gave the alarm, thus interrupting the process of release, but fifteen of the prisoners got away. Pursuit was at once organized but none of the men have been recaptured. Two bloodhounds will be put on the track.

Conflict of Authority in Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., November 25.—A very serious conflict of authorities in Lincoln County, Washington Territory, is feared. At a recent election voters were required to decide whether Sprague or Davenport should be the county seat. The contest was very close and bitter. Sprague claims to have received more votes, but the authorities at Davenport refuse to surrender the county records. Yesterday a sheriff's posse started for Davenport to demand the records. About forty armed men are at Davenport to resist them. A hostile meeting is apprehended.

Horribly Mangled by a Train.

JACKSON, Mich., November 25.—Patrick O'Brien, a cooper of this city, was found on a side track near the Michigan Central depot Sunday morning, mangled almost beyond recognition. His head and right leg were severed from the body, and the brains and intestines scattered along the track for several rods. O'Brien was thirty-five years old. He leaves a widow and three young children in very poor circumstances. As he was temperate in his habits it is thought by many that he was killed by footpads, robbed and subsequently placed on the track to be run over by the cars.

Will Sail Under the British Flag.

PHILADELPHIA, November 24.—The International Navigation Company which recently purchased the four American-built steamships of the American Steamship Company, is seriously considering the running of these steamers under the British flag, as at present. An officer of the company said Saturday that it was solely a matter of protection that now keeps the American flag where it is. Under the British flag these steamers could be run at considerably less cost because British officers and seamen could be employed so much cheaper.

President Arthur has Invited Cleveland to Visit the White House.

WASHINGTON, November 25.—It is announced that following the example set by President Hayes, President Arthur has invited his successor to make the White House his home while preparing for the inauguration.

Downright Cruelty

To permit yourself and family to "Suffer"
With sickness when it can be prevented and cured so easily
With Hop Bitters!!!

Having experienced a great deal of "Trouble" from indigestion, so much so that I came near losing my Life.
My trouble always came after eating any food
However light
And digestible,
For two or three hours at a time I had to go through the most
Excruciating pains.
"And the only way I ever got"
"Relief?"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last"
I was taken "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain, their
Efforts were no good to me.
At last I heard a good deal
"About your Hop Bitters!
And determined to try them."
Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of
One!
Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a
"Sick!"
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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 35
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 25	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis		8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 39	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 38	11 11	5 16
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR, & NORTH MICH.

To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 33	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 11	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
	5 10	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 06	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 [illegible]	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
6 20	9 09	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 12
6 47	9 40	2 17	Cereso	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 50	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 17		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 37		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
8 08		3 45	Montcalm	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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We have Mr. LELAND'S permission to invite all who may desire further evidence in regard to the extraordinary curative powers of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA to see him personally either at his mammoth Ocean Hotel, Long Branch, or at the popular Leland Hotel, Broadway, 27th and 28th Streets, New York.

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HAY-FEVER

ELY BROTHERS, Druggists, Owego, N. Y.

HOCKING VALLEY TROUBLES.

A Number of the Leaders in the Strike to be Arrested—Money Being Raised to Continue the Seige

COLUMBUS, Ohio, November 25.—About forty of the leaders connected with the recent attack on Murray City and destruction of property in the Hocking Valley, are to be arrested. It is feared this action may bring on such a turn of affairs as to demand the aid of the whole State military. The strikers had just arranged for a continued seige by raising subscriptions in New York, Cincinnati and other cities. This will demoralize things all around, and misgivings are generally entertained that a crisis has now come in the Hocking Valley strike.

NEW YORK, November 25.—It was reported at the Central Labor Union's meeting Sunday that nearly $800 had been collected during the week for the Hocking Valley miners. The sparrers are to be interviewed in the cause and a benefit is proposed, at which Sullivan and other noted pugilists will be asked to take part. Mr. Vanatsdale, of Madison Square Garden, said that it was impossible to let them have the Garden free, but if they were short of money Mr. Vanderbilt would chip in the money for the Garden. The matter is still undecided.

Cremation of the Dead.

NEW YORK, November 25.—The United States Cremation Company has laid the corner stone of a large crematory at Mount Olivet, L. I. It is about 200 feet square, and will cost $30,000. The building will be of brick and marble, with furnace in the rear. The retort will be thirty-six inches high, thirty-two inches wide, and nine feet long. The flames will not come in contact with the body. Four hours heating will bring the retort to 2,500° Fahrenheit, at which point incineration takes place. The volatile gases resultant from combustion will be decomposed in the intense heat. It is estimated that forty minutes will be required to consume a body of 100 pounds weight, leaving about four per cent. of pure white pearly ashes. In the basement will be provided a refrigidarium where bodies may await the arrival of friends; an atelier, where an autopsy can be made; a caldarium for possible cases of suspended animation; and an edicularium, or urn room. Above the furnace a temple is to be erected at a cost of $20,000, with a chapel for funeral services. In the center aisle of the chapel will be a catafalque, on which the coffin will be placed, a pall falling to cover it. Then it will be lowered to the furnace below, and the services and incineration proceed at once and the same time.

An Injunction Against Issuing Stock.

TRENTON, N. J., November 25.—An order has been granted by Judge Nixon of the United States Supreme Court, on petition of William B. Dinsmore, citing the New Jersey Central Railroad Company, to show cause why an injunction should not be issued restricting and enjoining the issuing, causing or permitting to be issued any shares of stock or any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of the company to the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company, or their receivers, or to any person or persons. In behalf of the petitioner it sets forth his claim that the provisions of the lease declare the two corporations purporting to authorize the issuance of stocks and bonds is illegal. Questions so raised are now under consideration of the court, that a committee shall be appointed by the company for the issuance of $50,000 of stock and that if it is issued it will increase the number of shares of capital stock, and the indebtedness of the company will diminish in a proportionate degree.

Repudiating an Election Affidavit.

CHICAGO, November 25.—Simon Strausser, Republican Judge of Elections in the disputed precinct of the Eighteenth ward, who, Saturday night, made an affidavit that the figures on the poll book had been changed since his signature was affixed, makes another affidavit, saying that it was procured from him by false pretenses, that he thought it was a transcript of his testimony before the grand jury; that he was sick and under the influence of chloral. He declares that he does not know how many votes were cast for Leman or Brand, and that he saw no evidence of fraud.

New Jersey Legislature Republican.

SALEM, November 25.—The recount of the Senatorial vote of Salem County upon which the completion of the State Senate depends, commenced yesterday. All the townships had been recounted at adjournment with the exception of Salem City. Errors in favor of both candidates have been discovered, but so evenly divided that there is little doubt of the election of Wyatt Mills, the Republican candidate, by about thirteen majority. His election will give the Republicans a majority of two in the Senate and fourteen on joint ballot.

The Plenary Council.

BALTIMORE, November 25.—The Plenary Council discussed the question of divorce yesterday. It is understood that if any change is made in the church rules on this subject it will be toward greater severity. The subject of parochial schools will soon come up. Archbishop McQuade, of Rochester, N. Y., says it is against the rules of the church to send children to public schools when parochial schools are accessible.

The Chicago Paper Company's Building Burned.

CHICAGO, November 25.—The Chicago Paper Company's building, 181 Monroe Street, was burned last night. They lose $65,000. The loss on building is $15,000; Rubel Bros., printers, lose $15,000; Dr. Sykes, patent medicines, $15,000. Other small losses raise the amount to $100,000, partially insured.

An Old Couple Robbed by Burglars.

AKRON, Ohio, November 25.—Jeremiah Fritz and wife, residing at Doylestown, Wayne County, this State, were awakened yesterday morning by two masked men, who pointed cocked revolvers at the old people and demanded their money. Fritz gave the burglars $600, when they departed threatening death if a noise was made.

Strike Against a Reduction.

TAUNTON, Mass., November 25.—Four hundred and fifty weavers of the Whittenden mills quitted work yesterday morning, owing to a cut-down of ten per cent. Work will begin Tuesday morning for the rest of the week, the managers having promised a restoration of wages.

A Dividend.

CHICAGO, November 25.—The Directors of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company yesterday declared the usual dividend two per cent. on the preferred stock and three and one-half on the common stock—payable December 26.

An Answer Wanted.

Can any one bring us a Kindey or Liver Complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure? We say they can not, daily recommending Electric Bitters, will prove. Bright's disease, Diabetes, Weak Back, or any urinary complaint quickly cured. They purify the blood regulate the bowels, and act directly on the diseased parts. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale at 50c. a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

The greatest distance ever ridden on a bicycle without dismounting is said to be 230 miles 490 yards. The feat was accomplished in London in 1880.

Our Present Blessings.

Our blessings are not appreciated until we are deprived of them. Most notable among them is health, the lack of which magnifies our other burdens. A hacking cough, a severe cold, or any throat or lung disease is very troublesome; but all these may be quickly and permanently removed by Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure. Price 50 cents; trial bottle free.

A fashionable New York barber told a reporter the other day that there are men who have worn wigs for years and their wives do not suspect it.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla thoroughly cleanses the blood, stimulates the vital functions, and restores the health and strength. No one whose blood is impure can feel well. There is a weary, languid feeling, and often a sense of discouragement and despondency. Persons having this feeling should take Ayer's Sarsaparilla to purify and vitalize the blood.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Baker & Hall.

A Brooklyn clergyman declares that "the eternal glory of heaven would be incomplete without a background of infinite woe to set it in relief."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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A Georgia paper is inclined to believe that the fancy for Jersey cattle is a craze.

When pain from Rheumatism or Neuralgia is intense, people are apt to throw away a great deal of money in search of relief. They needn't do it. Says G. H. Hotchkiss, 327 Grand St., New Haven, "After enduring intense suffering for six months from Rheumatism, employing four different physicians, without relief, and spending many dollars for medicines, I accidently heard of ATHLOPHOROS, and tried it. Three bottles cured me entirely in less than three weeks' time."

Thirty thousand patents were issued last year in great Britain, against only 20,000 in this country. Our inventors must bestir themselves.

I suffered from acute inflammation in my nose and head—for a week at a time I could not see. I used Ely's Cream Balm and in a few days I was cured. It is wonderful how quick it helped me.—Mrs. Georgie S. Judson, Hartford, Conn.

For fifteen years I was annoyed with severe paid in my head and discharges into my throat from Catarrh. My sense of smell was much impaired. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm I have overcome these troubles.—J. B. Case, St. Denis Hotel, New York.

Two men at work on Beech Mountain, near Forestburg, N. Y., killed 51 rattlesnakes, ranging from 18 inches to 4 feet in length.

Port Grape Wine for the Sick.

We can confidently recommend Speer's Port Grape Wine, which was awarded the highest premium at the Worlds Fair a superior article of wine for the sick and debilitated.

The vineyards and cellars are at Passaic New Jersey, near New York City. Medical Review. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

There are still living in Rochester, N. Y., 69 persons who voted at the first charter election, fifty years ago.

Extract from Letter.

"In the winter of 1877 8, I was confined to the house 3 or 4 months and to the bed 4 weeks with Rheumatism. I could get no relief. I began using Henry & Johnson's Arnica & Oil Liniment, and in ten days by the use of half a bottle I was cured. Nathan Jewett, East Haddam, Ct."

Baxter's Mandrake Bitters cure all diseases arising from billiousness. N. H. Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixir cures Coughs, Colds and Consumption.

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We are showing the most complete assortment of Men's Clothing ever offered in Northern Ohio, at prices beyond the reach of competition.

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Invoice after invoice of these goods have been received, until every available space in our large salesroom is completely filled with seasonable goods. Parents should consult their interests and pay us a visit before purchasing.

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At unusually low prices.

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The Southern Mich. Bee Keepers Association will hold its annual meeting in the Plymouth church chapel at Adrian, Mich., Dec. 3, 1884. Let all bee keepers come and have a good time. F. M. GILBERT, Pres.
A. M. GANDER, Sec.

When a lecturer has worked the ladies of his audience so near to the weeping point that they have gotten out their handkerchiefs, and then suddenly changes his tone and speaks of the merits of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup he is bound to rouse a feeling of indignation.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 21, 1884

Frances, Frank	Lehn, Mary J.
Goodyear, A. A	Mann, Mrs. W.
Hathaway, Sidney	Van Vleet, Emma
Hunt, Sara	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."
FRED ROSAKRANS, P. M.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's mother, Nov. 26, 1884, by Rev. W. H. Babbitt, of Tecumseh, Mr. Theodore H. Crane and Miss Breena Chadwick. Also at the same time and place, Mr. Charles J. Robtson of Manchester and Miss Adah Chadwick.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔		@	6
Butter, ₩ ℔	17	@	18
Barley, ₩ bushel	Nr	@	60
Beans ₩ bushel	1 50	@	1 75
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75	@	1 00
Buckwheat flour, ₩ hundred		@	5 00
Beef—dressed ₩ hundred	6 00	@	6 50
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	30	@	35
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushe	56	@	60
Clover Seed	5 25	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed	10	@	12
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	14
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 00	@	5 50
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	6 00	@	6 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 75	@	5 00
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ₩ ℔		@	15
Ham ₩ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	12
Oats, ₩ bushel	30	@	35
Onions ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35	@	40
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 85
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat White, ₩ bushel		@	75
Wheat Red, ₩ bushel		@	75
Wool	18	@	27

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1885.

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The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Marshall late of the township of Franklin Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 3th day of January, 1885, and on the 9th day of May, 1885 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 10th day of November, A D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated November 19, 1884.

DANIEL W. LOVE,
ELIAS DePUY,
Commissioners.
nov27

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of E. B. & F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of January, 1885, and on the 6th day of April, 1885 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884.

HORATIO KEYSER,
JEROME F. N. BOWEN,
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IN THE MATTER of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Rufus R. Hall, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. and F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on, the 3d day of January, 1885, and on the 2d day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of November, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

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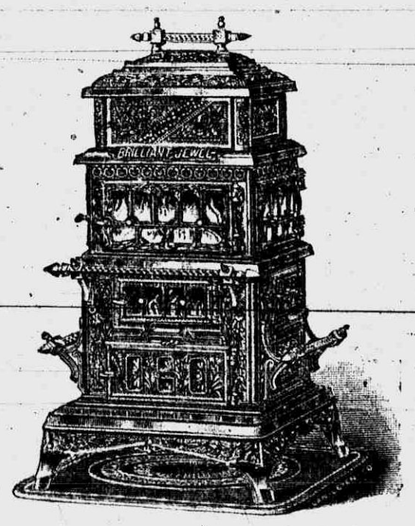

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

It is reported at Britton that our church is not safe, that it is liable to fall at any time. We want it distinctly understood that there cannot persons enough get in at once to cause a smashup. Only a cyclone will ever cause a fall. Oh, ye of little faith at Britton, how long shall we plead with you?

Who ever saw such fine weather for the time of year.

Mr. Joe Pennington is at his sister's Mrs. D. Allen. He has one of Job's comforters on one of his hands to pass the time away with.

Miss Jennie Gordonneer was the guest of Mr. Wallace and Miss Ada Linn, Sunday.

Mr. Oren Parks who has been in Dakota the past summer is here visiting friends.

Mr. J. C. Palmer had a fine spring olt hooked to death last Friday.

Mr. Floyd Florence had the end of his thumb cut off while putting the feeders of a hay press in their proper place. Having passed through several surgical operations before he dressed the wound without a Surgeon's assistance.

Mr. Henry Acherman who has been living at Burt Morley's for the past few years, started for Buffalo Saturday night to visit his mother and spend the winter.

Miss Ella Pattison will make it her home with Mrs. Waring this winter. We are glad to welcome her back again.

The oyster supper was a success in every respect. There was a fine gathering. The society cleared $11,15 above all expenses, and would return their heartfelt thanks to their friends.

Prof. H. C. Wilson, of Blissfield, spent thanksgiving at home.

Miss Carrie Thompson has been visiting her cousin Miss Ella Cadmus for the past few days.

Miss Ada and Mr. Dean Loree, spent Thanksgiving with their sister, Mrs Albert Lucking, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Helm Jr., of Toledo, arrived at his father's on Monday evening. His brother Eddie is very sick and there is no hope of his recovery.

The American Express Co. have charge of the express business here now; the change was made Dec. 2nd.

Mr. Sid Smith, of St. John, Clinton co. made his friends and relatives a visit. He is attending school at Ann-Arbor now.

Mr. Lafe Pocklington and Miss Anna Luce, who were married last week returned from their pleasure trip Monday eve. It does not discourage us to see others made happy if we are not.

The members of the Literary will meet on Friday eve. in the lecture room of the church, and will carry out a short program, after which they will elect officers for the ensuing term.

Rev. W. J. Clack has been suffering with an attack of rheumatism for the past few days.

Mr. Will Clack, son of Rev. Clack, arrived at his father's Tuesday, and will make them a visit.

Miss Belle Barlow, Ella L. Jackson, Kittie Clark, and Ida Arner furnished some music for the Red Ribbon entertainment at Tecumseh on Wednesday eve of last week.

Mrs. and Miss Ella Hall and Mrs. David McNair, of Tecumseh started for Brooklyn N. Y. on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Hall and Ella will spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bush. Mrs. McNair will make them a visit and return about Christmas.

Misses Florence French, May McElroy and Mattie Consaul of Adrian, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gove and Miss Ida Pocklington, from Wednesday until Saturday, returning home on the evening train Saturday, having enjoyed their vacation very pleasantly.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Eight hundred should have been given as the number at our Rink consecration, and the crowd thickens there day and night.

There is talk of having a dramatic entertainment at Union hall, for the benefit of Robert Irwin Post, and talk of most everything else.

Raisin is below pre-eminence yet. One woman skipping out with her affinity is no great thing; for the gentleman had the usual amount of generosity, and paid traveling expenses for two, but when married men resign their office of Presiding Elder and privilege of spanking the children, to go off alone on an unlimited excursion, it places the ladies left behind in an awkward light. Four of the married men in this vicinity, have lately become so tired of their home made harness, as to drop their mantles of responsibility and start on their anniversary wedding trip; but they either possessed too little cash or too much economy, to go in the common style of the valley tourist. One got discouraged by not having his fires built properly, and came home the first week. His wife looks as if his repentance was worse to bear than his transgression. The others were provided with revolvers and things, besides any amount of proof, that marriage and disgruntlement are one and the same. Some of their surplus information was left with friends, along with a slight to the calico club. They did not care enough for any woman, to incur the expense of an extra ticket; so any sympathy left over will be thankfully received.

Thanksgiving was observed properly in spite of these flitting blessings and if any one expects the lady with four or five to mourn, look wilted, run home to pa, and upset the plans of all her relation by donating a baby apiece, they will be disappointed. She will assume her husband's repudiated share in the family, and believing her duty to be, take care of her children first, and let the rest fuss. Will keep the hired man at work, and hinder the other being missed.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Susie Osgood commenced teaching in the Mills district on Monday.

The Corners school closes this week. There will be one week vacation. Mr. Sudborough, of Adrian, will take charge of the higher room for the winter term.

Mr. Freeman left for his home in Leslie Monday morning.

Mary Richard came home to spend Thanksgiving.

Jessie Coller and wife, of Milan, came to Macon to attend the anniversary of Jessie's father and mother.

Frank Augustus started for Hillsdale Co. last Monday.

Last Tuesday, the 27th ult., being Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coller's twenty-fifth anniversary, a number of their friends determined to give them a surprise. Accordingly about ninety broke in upon them in the early part of the evening. The evening was spent in social chat and n reviewing the important changes of the past twenty-five years. A bountiful supper added to the enjoyment of all. At a late hour the company dispersed, all wishing Mr. & Mrs. Coller many more happy years.

Last Sunday was historical day at the M. E. church. Mr. Kerridge gave the history of the Macon church as well he could from the data which he was able to gather from different ones in the place. He referred in a very fitting manner to the ministers who came to Michigan when it was a vast wilderness, and endured the hardships of pioneer life. Altogether the services were very interesting.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Our new corset factory is just booming. Mrs. Dunham has had rooms fitted up over the store of Kelly. Hoxsie & Co., and having secured the services of several practical corset-makers from Detroit, she is now turning them out double quick. We understand that agents are meeting with remarkable success, taking orders through the country, and the probabilities are that more help will be required in a very short time to keep up with the orders as they come in. Who says that Cleveland's election has slaughtered business?

And now another calamity has befallen us as a people. Jack the giant-killer has taken his departure and sorrow has settled down upon us like a London fog. John feels the loneliness of the situation as the burden of the care of the family will fall upon him now. Jack was a good boy and we shall miss him. For a few weeks before he left us his health was very poor and it required an immense amount of whiskey and quinine to keep him up, and we feel it was best for him to seek a warmer clime. In the meantime we shall look for his return with the Spring flowers.

Mrs. Fowler is improving very rapidly and begins to use her hand a little.

Wm. Cox is out again and we notice him down to the post office occasionally. Say Bill, that is better than laying on your back and taking pizen every hour.

Our new blacksmith, Mr. Lewis, is getting a good run of custom. On Monday last he turned away four jobs of horse-shoeing for want of time. That don't look as though Holloway was dead.

B. Kelley & Co., shipped on Saturday last two double-deck car loads of hogs from this station. Looks as if they were a sort of hogish set around here.

Frank Frink of Raisin Center, lost his best horse very suddenly a few days ago. Sorry for you, Frank. And that reminds us a gain of the old proverb, Blessed be nothing.

ONSTED ODDS.

Wilson Lee took a trip to Charlotte last Saturday evening, on business.

George Laur and B. L. Howes have gone to Oceana county.

S. D. Evans hobbles around on crutches. A sprained ankle is the cause.

Mrs. W. B. Knapp spent Thanksgiving at her daughters, in Tecumseh.

Ira Fish commenced school in district number nine, on Monday last.

Charles Hendryx and family, of Franklin, spent Saturday and Sunday at Jerome Snows.

Clarence and Etta Aten have returned from Napoleon. Clarence will go to Franklin to live this winter.

Robbie Glenn claims to be the champion mouse trapper of Onsted. He has caught three in a single night. Pretty good for a small boy.

William Parsons is putting up an addition to the building he recently purchased of Martin Taylor.

C. L. Greenleaf returned from Saginaw after an absence from home of eight days. Been evidently likes Southern Michigan the best.

Wilson Lee has got started in the boot and shoe business here. He says trade opens up good. He wants a good shoemaker, and will give the right kind of a man a good chance.

J. B. Daniels, who has been in Dakota for several years returned home last Friday. We have not heard whether he intends to remain in Michigan long or not. He says it was 22° below zero in Dakota before he left. Looks as if they might have some cold weather by-and-by.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

We were in error last week in our clippings in what we said about the Thanksgiving services. I should have said services would be held in the Baptist church and as was the custom the Congregational minister was to have preached the thanksgiving sermon, but as the Congregational church here are now destitute of a Pastor Rev. Kerridge of the Methodist church preached the annual thanksgiving sermon. The sermon throughout was excellent and abounded in good plain practical common sense, and if all the sermon was personally applied the result undoubtedly would be that all would be made better, but it is too often the case that we think the preaching was for some one else. The feeling is that I am better than thou.

Our skating rink was well patronized on Thanksgiving afternoon and evening. Some nice skating, but the skating of our fellow citizen E. R. Smith caused more merriment than anything else. Mr. Smith fell but did not hurt himself much, but Oh my what a rent in his pants. He went home but the fun went on.

Mrs. E. R. Smith and daughter Blanche visited friends and relatives at Saline on Saturday and Sunday last.

The meeting of the Womans' Foreign Missionary society at the Methodist church on Sunday evening last was well attended and the exercises were instructive and entertaining throughout. There were several solos sung which were well rendered and especially the one sung by G. W. Goodrich and Rev. Kerridge. A liberal collection was taken up.

There will be preaching at the Congregational church next Sunday at the usual hour by the Rev. Mr. Banes who we are told the church have engaged to supply the pulpit the coming year.

We understand the donation for the Rev. Kerridge at the Methodist church was well attended. The supper was nice enough to suit an epicure and the donations were liberal and very generous and were thankfully received.

The High School Literary Society, which has become a healthy and vigorous child since the advent of Prof. Laflin, will give a "paidic" on Friday evening, Dec. 19th. A full program is in preparation and there will undoubtedly be a large turn out.

By contracting a severe cough and cold, I was compelled to give up my daily work and keep to the house. A neighbor recommended me to try a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; it was procured and used; to my astonishment relief was instantaneous.
Edw. W. Clayton, Waverly, Md.

Morenci Observer: The proprietors of the new rink at Adrian seem to be getting things down fine, as they refuse to admit colored people. It is pretty late in the 19th century to thus draw the colored line in a northern city.

WASHINGTON MATTERS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29, 1884.

EDITOR HERALD,—

When I left you, a few days after the recent election, I promised to write you a short letter from here.

Washington is very lively, and we may say it is "very full" of people from all parts of the country; being attracted here by various circumstances, as—the assembling of Congress, and the expectation that there will be many changes of the officials and employees; by the preparations for the dedication of the wonderful Washington Monument, now about completed, and to be finally dedicated with great demonstrations on the 22nd of Febuary next; and by the desire to be present at the inauguration of President Cleveland. It is thought by those who have long resided here, that there will be the greatest crowd and display ever witnessed on such an occasion for many years; though the President elect himself is opposed to any extra display; he is a man of true democratic simplicity and sound sense, having much more regard for the honor of the nation and the welfare of the people than for being lionized himself.

Almost every body that has buildings or rooms to spare, is preparing to entertain visitors to Washington on those two occasions. It is believed by many that there will not be less than half a million visitors in the city during the latter part of Febuary and the first week in March; and that they will leave an average of at least $10 each—some more, some less—making the snug sum of $5,000,000, which will be shared by our hotels, boarding houses, saloons and other business places. The railroad fare will be an average of about the same sum, so that they will be great gainers.

Putting up new buildings, together with enlarging and remodeling old ones, is a lively business just now in anticipation of the great numbers that will be here. Great arrangements for festivities and entertainments are also being made, more than has been noticed for several previous seasons.

There is some consternation among clerks and other employees, in fear that there will be a general change and clearing-out under the new administration, but the more faithful and reasonable have confidence in Cleveland's declared regard for the "Civil Service" law. But it is amusing to note how many clerks we see who declare that "they were in favor of Blaine and Logan, but always wished for Cleveland's election.

But there is a more genuine and well-grounded apprehension upon the part of arrogant and grasping monopolists and great railroad land grabbers, that the "time of good stealing and robbing" is about at an end, and the day of reckoning is not far off. And the high tariff champions have less encouragement than they desire.

I am glad to hear that the Second Mich. district has re-elected Col. Eldredge, because I well know that there was not a more faithful and attentive member than he proved to be, always in his seat, and ever ready to help his constituents in any proper way. Few members have made themselves better liked or secured more genuine respect, than your Representative. We want true, plain, honest democracy, and we have it in him.

In the last number of the HERALD I noticed what is said about the result, as figured up in its columns, on the afternoon of election. You know we looked the table over together, and acquiesced in the prediction that that table would be in accordance with the result; and I think it proves to be so without the exception of a single state.

We are having fine weather and have had an unusually pleasant autumn for farm and garden work in this region; we have had sufficent rain but no disastrous showers or floods, but the old weather-wise people tell us we will have more than the usual amount of snow the coming winter. Congress will convene very full next Monday, many members of both Houses being already here.

D. S. C.

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Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 4, 1884.

"A KISS FIRST!"

"What keeps Bessie so long at the well?"
Mother wonders, but can not tell.
Out by the well-curb Bessie stands;
The pitcher grasped by her chubby hands
Is empty still, while manly trace
Of anger vexes the childish face.
"If I were a boy, I wouldn't tease.
Leave me alone now, Bobby, please."

Up on the well-curb Bobby sits,
A roguish smile o'er his brown face flits.
"I ain't your kind of a boy, you see;
Give me the kiss and I'll let you be.
You're welcome to drain the old well dry,
But a kiss first, Bessie, so say I."
And Bobby is master of well and rope,
So how can Bessie for victory hope?

Slowly homeward little Bess goes,
Her soft cheeks blushing like any rose;
And Bob (the little vexed heart beats fast)—
But the pitcher is full to the brim at last.
There's a moss-grown well near by, and to-day
I heard a gray-haired woman say:
"What keeps Bessie so long at the well?"
Ah! I know, but I wouldn't tell.

For what if two by the well-curb stand,
Bobby and Bessie, hand in hand!
What if a pitcher forgotten lies
At the feet of both! and if two blue eyes
See only the glance of another pair,
And if there are saucy lips that dare
To ask for a kiss! What harm, pray tell,
If Bessie should linger at the well?

—*M. D. Brine, in Harper's Weekly.*

AT SIXTY-FIVE.

Major Weatherbeam's Proposal and Discomfiture.

Sixty-five is not very old. No, indeed.

If one is still straight, with a serviceable eye and a tolerable hearing, in addition to a well-filled pocket-book, why, what is sixty-five?

To count sixty-five distinct summers, and sixty-five mellow autumns, that drowse into peaceful winters and awaken in refreshing springs, is a great privilege. Think of the accumulation of ideas and experiences, of friends and memories. A rare age, surely, to be enjoyed in spite of rheumatic twinges.

Major Weatherbeam, buttoning his elegant fall overcoat about him as he strode down the avenue under the maples, was sure he would not give his ripe perfection for the callow and tasteless experience of the past. He smiled up at the bright foliage, and knocked the head off a straggling aster in his complacency. He found a dime for a little boy peeping, wide-eyed into a candy-shop, and stood still to watch the urchin as he bolted for the door, and nodded in good fellowship to a woman who watched with him amused. The Major's little terrier followed, for once, quite unrebuked, and turned with him up a broad macadamized street at the right. The firm stride traversed two blocks quickly, and paused before a brown stone mansion, with a pine-dotted lawn in front. One naturally puffs a little at the end of a long walk, whether one is sixty-five or not, and if by nature discreet, pauses awhile to regain the breath before venturing to call on ladies. Any tidy man will dust his clothes a little with his handkerchief, and twist his mustache a trifle when he wishes to look well. The Major presses the bell beside the stately door, and stands erect. A little pause follows, in which he listens to the wind running the gamut of elfin melody in those grouped pines; then the heavy doors unfold: a salute no younger man could imitate; an inquiry, and closed doors again, with the Major inside. The mansion is divided in quarters by two huge halls, and a wide fireplace gives forth a glorious radiation of heat and light over the statues and frescoed walls. The Major seats himself before the blaze, and counts the tiles and deciphers the inscriptions about the mantel. There is a rustle of silk skirts, and a tap of feet on the oak stairs. The Major rises, with a sudden rush of blood to the head—not apoplectic, surely—and salutes the red-draped figure through the interstices of the balustrade.

He handed the lady down the last steps and led her across the hall, while a green parrot hopped at her heels.

"Miss Margery"—his voice was like a violoncello—"It is not usual for a business-man like myself to call on a lady of an afternoon."

"Therefore, sir, is the honor all the greater;" poising one toe on the fender to aid her balance in the high-seated leather chair.

"Therefore is the need great, my dear young lady!"

"Oh! ha! ha! ha!" in musical staccato from the high-back chair. At sixty-five one is too dignified to like such a laugh in connection with one's self.

"Yes, Miss Wheatcroft, I felt I could not, in justice to you or myself, remain longer without confessing to you my attitude towards you.

"Oh, how kind of you," very sincerely. "I looked—I looked for you all day yesterday, sir"—a little hurriedly, with the red deepening about the dimples.

The Major's head gave an involuntary jerk. Girls were, once, more decorous. His deceased Julia Ann would never have shown such impulsiveness. Yet it must be confessed 'twas extremely flattering; and then, good heaven, what eyes! The apoplectic symptoms returned.

"Miss Margery, how gracious of you to say so. I'm sure I never hoped—".

"Yes, and I was making all sorts of plans for us two. Poll, come down! Major, she's trying to pull your hair! Look out, sir: she'll scratch you! Here, give her to me! There, Miss Poll; you sit on *my* chair. You can't pull my hair, because I don't reach up high enough—ha! ha! ha—eh, Major?" her teeth gleaming out in the glow from the cedar fire. "Yes, I was thinking, you see, how proud I should be of you. You are so tall, and—now, don't mind, for I'm going to flatter you all the rest of your days—and *so* handsome! And how proud I hoped you would be of me!" (A half-rising attitude on the part of the Major, who is forgetting decorum, and how girls were forty years ago.)

"Oh, Major, you are finding the blaze too hot. How stupid of me to let you roast in that manner. Here, let me put up the screen. Isn't it a pretty one? I embroidered it myself. See, it represents an Italian princess under an ilex tree. I think she looks a trifle like your son, Ned, only, of course, he's not done in Kensington. Well, I was planning that once in awhile, on very grand occasions, you might take me out with you——"

"*Once in a while, madam!*" The Major was a vast substantial protest.

"Oh, I know, of course, what you think you have to say. But don't do it. Besides, we couldn't leave Ned behind *very* often." A lurking laugh in the corners of two brown eyes. "Or, he might go with Aunt Maria, eh? Oh—o—o—o!"

The Major couldn't see anything funny in that common-place arrangement.

"My dear Miss Margery"—(Confound those chairs! A man couldn't move them an inch without getting red in the face, they were so heavy.)—"you are surely determined to defraud me of my share of the conversation, though I can not tell you how relieved I am to find you prepared to receive my overtures. I confess there were moments when I feared you might be less fond of me on account of the disparity of our ages——"

"Why, goodness, it wouldn't seem half so lovely any other way! That's just the nicest part of it!" How that presumptuous firelight clambered up from her little feet to the dimples in her hands and the rosy folds about her neck; and, climbing still, stopped at her rosier lips! Her last sentence, and the fire-light stopping right there, where it did, made the Major gasp.

"This is one of the most delightful surprises of my life," he went on, when he could speak. "I want to tell you how fondly I shall cherish you; how earnestly I shall strive to gratify each wish that you can make; how truly proud I shall be of my beautiful young——"

"Oh, stop! You praise me more than I can ever deserve." Two limpid tears showed through the gathering gloom. "I never dared hope you would receive me so tenderly. I am a-coming right over there, sir—and right behind your chair—so—on my tip-toes, and—put one—little kiss—like *that!*—on your dear old forehead."

The Major grew more agile than he had been for twenty years. Meanwhile Poll had got to screaming "Lord! lord! lord! lord!" and would not leave off.

"Oh, yes, I'm *so* thankful you like me! And we'll all be so happy together, won't we? And we both are grateful, I assure you. Here's the ring he gave me. See! Two beautiful pearls, and that twinkling diamond. Doesn't it look charming in the firelight? Ned said—don't think me silly for telling you—that if you were satisfied with the little wife he had chosen he believed he would go half mad with joy. But really I didn't think he'd tell you so soon, for he felt a little timid about it." A long pause, during which the Major relaxes his fatherly embrace somewhat. Then a venture from the girl: "I'm afraid I've talked too freely with you! Or perhaps you feel sad when you remember Ned is going to belong to me?" The head bows so low that the light climbs to *that* now. "But we'll live somewhere near you and see you every day. Why, *must* you be going? *Can't* you stay to tea? Well, button up your coat well. Now, please give your new child *one* more kiss to tell her that you mean all you have said. Good-bye! Good-bye!"

"Lord! lord! lord! lord! lord!"

How that bird screams. The wind has risen very fast, and the pines strike at each other angrily. There is a promise of a dismal rain, and the dusk hides all of the autumn's beauty and leaves only its leaflessness apparent.

Sixty-five, sixty-five! At that age it is hard climbing a hill in the teeth of the wind!—*Elia W. Peattie, in Current.*

REAL CIVIL-SERVICE REFORM.

How Old Wormwood Goodboy Applied the Rules to His Son, Leonidas.

By the way, you remember young Leonidas Goodboy? Old Wormwood Goodboy's son, nice chap; smart, and well behaved as a rule. He went away to college only last month and came back home last week for ten days' visit. He said it was the "short vacation." Old Wormwood had never been to college in his life, but he surmised that something was short beside the vacation. So one day, after Leonidas had called his mother "Dame" once or twice, and addressed his father as "Governor" and "Gov.," called his sister "gummy," and slapped his little brother, the old man took him away into an exceeding dark and lonesome woodshed, and while he stood there, cutting the buckle off a skate strap in an awfully solemn way, he told Leonidas that since he went away in December, there had been a popular revolution in the house; that the people had successfully inaugurated a through civil-service reform; that it was just a little the thoroughest and civiliest h had ever seen; that the rules of the service were most rigidly and most civily enforced, and that Section 1, Article 1, was that the oldest man in the house was boss; and Section 2, same article, was that sass is sass, whether it came from a tramp, a hired girl, or a college President: that—

"Take off your coat, Leonidas, my son," said old Wormwood; and then and there made a practical application of the rules of the civil service with a directness that showed that his right arm had not forgot its cunning, and that skate strap clove to the roof of Leonidas' scholarly back like cleavs of the forest for number. The applicant was declared admitted, under the rules, and he goes back to college to-morrow, a civilly-reformed boy. He? oh, bless you, no, he doesn't want to go back, but he has to, under the rules, and he doesn't kick. Old Wormwood is going with him.—*R. J. Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.*

—Said an old Colorado miner a short time ago: "They ain't turning out no millionaires in Colorado these days. The crop of bonanza kings is played out. Don't make no mistake. Things have changed mightily out our way. The smart fellows who raked in big stakes in the mines quit the country or went into some more substantial business. The unfortunate devils who thought they had picked up enough to last them forever soon went broke.—*Denver Tribune.*

Value of Knowing How to Graft.

Every farmer's boy should learn to graft. Few occupations give more pleasure or a greater reward. To convert a wild and thorny fruit into one bearing large and delicious fruit is a wonderful and fascinating process. Grafting need not be confined to fruit trees. Ornamental trees and shrubs which are nearly related to each other may be grafted. Several kinds of roses may be grown on the same bush, and differently colored lilacs may be mixed on the same stalk. Grafting is an easy art to acquire. Simply making the cions live is but a part of the operation on fruit trees, however. One must plan for the future top of the tree. He must graft such limbs as should make permanent factors in the top he is building; and while he should avoid grafting too many limbs, he should likewise avoid grafting too few. In either extreme too much cutting for the good of the tree will have to be done. If too few limbs are grafted it will be necessary to cut too many branches off entirely during the process of grafting. If too many limbs are grafted it will be necessary to cut many of them out in a few years to prevent crowding. It must be remembered that a grafted branch will occupy more room than a natural branch, for the cions branch and bush out from the points of their insertion. How many limbs and which ones to graft must be learned by experience and judgment.

The kind of grafting most likely to be practised on the farms is that known as cleft grafting. The process is a simple one. Saw off a limb to be grafted where it is an inch or less in diameter, trim the edges of the "stub" smooth, and split it with a large knife or a cleaver made for the purpose. The cleft should not be more than four inches deep at the most. A wedge is now inserted in the center of the cleft, and a cion is set on each side of the stub. The cions are made of twigs of last year's growth. They should be cut before the trees show any signs of starting in the spring. When the cion is prepared ready for setting it should contain about three buds. The lower end is cut wedge-shaped by slicing off each side of the cion. On one side of this wedge-shaped portion, and midway between its top and bottom, should be left one of the buds.

When the cion is set the bud will be deep down in the side of the cleft in the stub and will be covered with wax, but, being nearer the source of nourishment, will be the most apt of any buds to grow, and it will readily push through the wax. The cion is set into the cleft by exercising great care that the inner surface of the bark on the cion exactly matches the inner surface of the bark on the stub. A line between the bark and the wood may be observed. This line on the cion, in other words, should match this line on the stub. Wax the whole over carefully and thoroughly. Do not leave any crack exposed. Wax which is pretty hard and which must be worked and applied with the hands is commonly best. We have given several good recipes for grafting wax. We would recommend that grafting be not confined to the orchard. Experiment: Try pears or apples on wild crabs and thorns. One must not look for success on trees much different from the cions, but there is room for experimenting and more light is needed.—*American Cultivator.*

The Honey Crop.

The honey crop of the present year is not up to the standard either in quantity or quality. In some localities the so-called "honey-dew" has been so abundant as even to kill the leaves of the trees where it was deposited, and, of course, the bees gathered it in large quantities, and deposited it in the hives, but it is unworthy of the name of honey, not being of the nature of that article at all.

But now comes a worse trouble, and it is of a two-fold nature—we refer to the uses to which this so-called "honey-dew" secretion is put, when gathered by the bees. To sell it for honey will be as damaging to the sale of pure honey as to put glucose upon the market and sell it for honey, and it should not be done under any circumstances. A one-pound section well-filled with this stuff was placed on our desk a few days ago, with the question, "What is it?" It neither has the smell or taste of honey, and is the poorest kind of a substitute for it. To all, then, the *Bee Journal* would say: "Do not undertake to sell it for honey; no matter what the amount may be which the bees have deposited in their surplus honey sections."

The other point of the "caution" which we would give, is this: If the fall crop of honey should be a poor one, the bees may have nothing upon which to subsist during the coming winter, except this secretion of the aphides, misnamed honey-dew, and the result of such a state of affairs may be very detrimental—spreading disease and death all around.

Should there be a bountiful honey crop this fall, it will be indeed "a God-send" to the poor bees—saving the lives of millions. Let us hope that it may be so, especially as the basswood has failed in many places, and the early havest has been, generally, but a very slight one.

In case the fall-harvest is also a failure, there should be a close inspection of the contents of the hives, a general cleaning-out of the aphidæ secretion by the use of the extractor, and a systematic feeding of the bees with sugar-syrup, or good honey, for winter stores.

We give this word of warning thus early, so that no one may have an excuse for neglecting the matter until it is too late and thus entail a severe loss of bees during the next winter.—*Bee Journal.*

—Stewed Beets. Boil them first the usual way, then scrape and slice them, put them into a stew-pan with a piece of butter rolled in flour, some boiled onion and parsley chopped fine, and a little vinegar, salt and pepper. Set the pan over a hot fire, and let the beets stew for a quarter of an hour.—*Boston Budget.*

—The high prices paid in the New York market for snapping and mud turtles has induced many farmers in Rockland and Orange Counties to go into the raising of these animals as a legitimate trade.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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—The prospectus of an electric sweat band for men's hats declares that "it stimulates the imagination, strengthens the memory and greatly augments the working powers of the brain."—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—Thomas Jefferson's tomb, on which the United States Government recently spent $10,000, suffers again at the hands of relic hunters. The breaking of the lock and the defacing of the railing of the inclosure, as well as the chipping of the tomb, are mentioned in a Charlottesville paper.—*Washington Post.*

—Men of science do not hold the popular view that there has been a sufficiency of Arctic exploration. It does not matter whether we go a few miles further north or not, but it is important to obtain exact knowledge about the winds, tides and other physical phenomena of the Northern Hemisphere.—*Chicago Herald.*

—By the roadside near Clyde, N. Y., is a stone five feet long, two and a half feet wide, and sunk deep in the earth. On its surface a concavity or basin has been cut out. It is said to have been used by the Indians two hundred years ago for pulverizing corn. A gentleman of Clyde has a stone pestle used in pounding the kernels.—*Buffalo Express.*

—According to California law a man is a vagrant, no matter what his income, if he consorts with criminals and spends his time in idleness. Alfred Migueron, whose income is $240 monthly, was lately committed as a vagrant for a hearing at a higher court, and $500 bail, which he was willing to put up, was refused.—*San Francisco Call.*

—The *Mechanical World*, of London, says that the United States has the best machinery and tools in the world; and M. Lourdelot, who was recently sent over here by the French Minister of Commerce, says that the superiority of tools used here and the attention to details too often neglected in Europe are elements of danger to European industries.

—Wild animals are very cheap in London just now, and persons desiring to purchase have an excellent opportunity to get them at a low figure. One German dealer has twenty-seven elephants on hand. Tigers have fallen from £200 to £80; a two-horned rhinoceros bought by the Zoological Gardens twelve years ago for £1,250 could now be had for £100; bears can be had for a gift, and lions are open to offers.

—A few days ago as some boys were passing a piece of woods at Pierceville, Madison County, N. Y., they found an old blue shawl in a decaying stump. Within the shreds were wrapped five pocket-books, two jack-knives, half a dozen coarse combs, and a dozen fine combs, the last with date of manufacture, 1851, stamped on each. Probably the proceeds of some long ago burglary. All showed the marks of many years' decay.—*Buffalo Express.*

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The American Agriculturist for December, 1884, rounds out the year with most supurb illustrations, and a very inviting table of contents. The cover is one of great beauty, while numerous full-page and other illustrations to the number of ninety, by Bennett, Forbes, Folsom, and other well known artists, add to the attractiveness of the number. Joseph Harris tells what he saw on a long Western tour, from which he has just returned.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 8, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 452, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent, to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called, on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's land twelve (12) rods; thence east parellel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24, 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL, Assignee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Assignee. sep25

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of said Peter R. Adams, deceased by the Hon. Norman Geddes Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at my residence, corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, on Friday, the 2d day of January, A.D., 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate to wit: The northwest quarter of section one (1), the northeast quarter of section two (2), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section two (2), in Raisin township, Lenawee county, Michigan, comprising four hundred (400) acres of land. Also one hundred and thirty-five (135) acres of land, being the north part of the northwest quarter of section fourteen (14), in Clinton township, Lenawee county, Michigan. Also three story brick building and lot in village of Tecumseh, Michigan, lot beginning on the north side of Chicago street, one hundred and fifty-one and a-half feet east from the east line of Evans street at its intersection with the north line of Chicago street; thence east along the north line of Chicago street twenty-five feet; thence north at right angles with Chicago street to an alley; thence west 25 feet, thence south some 89 feet to point of beginning. Also land in village of Tecumseh aforesaid to wit: Commencing at the intersection of west line of Evans street with north line of Kilbuck street; thence north on west line of Evans street nine rods and seven feet; thence west on south line of land in occupancy of Wm. Hayden and others seven rods; thence south on east line of land formerly owned by Nathan Blood nine rods and seven feet, to the north line of Kilbuck street, and thence east about seven rods along the north line of said street to place of commencement. Also lots numbered 75 and 76 on the original plat of the village of Tecumseh, except a parcel 4x8 rods sold off west side thereof. Also parcel of land in village of Tecumseh, Michigan to wit: Commencing on south line of Chicago street at west line of lot owned by Owens near Hayden's mill, thence south from said point on Chicago street twelve rods; thence west five rods; thence north twelve rods; thence east along south line of Chicago street five rods to point of commencement. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated November 17th, 1884.

CORDELIA M. ADAMS,
nov20 Administratrix with the will annexed.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Marshall late of the township of Franklin Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of January, 1885 and on the 9th day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of November, A.D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated November 19, 1884.

DANIEL W. LOVE,
ELIAS DePUY,
nov27 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ray B. Smith deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of E. B. & F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 13th day of January, 1885, and on the 6th day of April, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884

HORATIO KEYSER,
JEROME F. N. BOWEN,
nov27 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Rufus R. Hall, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. and F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 3d day of January, 1885, and on the 2d day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of November, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 4, 1884

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Ten years ago, on the 15th day of November last past, we purchased the TECUMSEH HERALD of C. M. Burlingame and took possession of the property the same day. Those ten years have witnessed great improvements. We have had our ups and downs, have seen periods of prosperity and seasons of adversity the same as other business men; but viewing the decade as a whole, we have abundant reason to feel satisfied with the present status of the business. The HERALD establishment to-day represents an actual cash investment more than eight times as large as the purchase price which we paid for the property: and we enter upon the eleventh year of our life in journalism with a firmer faith than ever in our ultimate success and a stronger determination to achieve it.

In announcing our plans for the new year, we shall indulge in no flourish of promises. The HERALD has made a record in the newspaper field. Its future can be judged in the light of the past. Our principal aim shall be to make the HERALD a good local family newspaper. General news, state news, and family reading will not be neglected, nor will editorial comment be eschewed. The HERALD is not, and never has been, a neutral paper. It has been, and will continue to be, an independent paper. We shall not shrink from expressing our honest opinions upon all subjects, whenever the occasion may seem to demand it.

Recognizing the tendency of the times towards reduced expenditure and economy in all things, we have arranged our subscription rates accordingly. The price of one copy for one year will remain the same as heretofore. New subscribers handing in their names at once will receive the paper for the present month of December free. All who pay one year in advance at full rates will receive as a premium a fine lithograph portrait of Grover Cleveland, 21x28 inches in size, the retail price of which is $1.00. People who prefer a cash reduction can be accommodated by clubbing with other papers. Our club schedule contains nearly all the papers and periodicals which are generally taken in this vicinity. Nearly every farmer in Northern Lenawee takes from three to six newspapers, and many receive a dozen. Selections can be made from the following list, and by taking several papers at once, a liberal discount will be given from regular rates.

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ALARMED.

The *Champion*, organ of the beer, wine and spirit trade of the northwest, is evidently badly scared. The following two editorials appeared in that journal last week. We give them to our readers and invite a careful perusal of them.

WARNING TO THE LIQUOR DEALERS.

Although the complete returns of the election are not yet at hand, enough we know that in every state the union the Prohibition candidates have received thousands of votes, and with one or two exceptions the gain, being made the more so by the frenzy St. John throws into the stands the self styled workingman's and people's candidate, the irrepressible Benjamin F. Butler. It reaches a total of over 200,000 votes. A similar strength of the Prohibition element was developed by the votes cast for congressional, state executive, and legislative candidates. What of it? Much is that to the liquor trade? It is exactly what the firing of the first cannon of Fort Sumpter, on the 12th April, 1861, was to the United States government: a solemn, forcible, defiant declaration of war, by the simultaneous opening of hostilities. There is no backing out now for either side. The Prohibitionists have shown at this election that they now are enlisted for the war to its bitter end. They propose to crush the liquor traffic out of existence, by fair means or foul, and they have good reason for being sanguine of success. Look at their sweeping victories in Kansas and Iowa, at their progress in Missouri, Georgia, Tennessee, Kentucky and Illinois, where local option and high license prevail, and at their steadily growing strength in a dozen other states, such as Indiana, Ohio, Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota and others. Are you blind? Are you deaf? Are you the fools of whom the Latin Poet said: Quen Deus perdere volait, prius dementat. Whom God wants to punish, he first makes mad, crazy. It would seem so indeed.

The Prohibition flood is now spreading over every state in the union, threatening some of them, ruining others. It undermines the very foundations of every distillery and brewery and shakes like an earthquake every liquor warehouse and every saloon in the land. Do you not hear and feel the Prohibition waves beating against the very walls of your stores, your business places, your family dwellings?

When the Ohio or the Missouri rivers rise and overflow their banks and cover the lands on both sides with debris and ruins, do the riparian inhabitants stand stupidly by to witness the falling down of their houses, barns and stables, the carrying off by the flood of their hens, cattle and grain? Do they smile, stick their hands in their breeches pockets and say to one another: "Well, if my neighbor can stand it I can."

Yet this is exactly the condition of the liquor dealers and saloonkeepers of almost every state in the union today—this is exactly how they act, how they speak. They can't help seeing the wave of Prohibition rolling onto them, they can't help foreseeing the destruction and ruin which will follow, and yet: They quietly look on with their hands in their pockets, a cigar or pipe between their lips, placidly saying, "Well, all we can do won't help us any. What's the use throwing our money away for protective associations. If others can stand it, I can." And the like.

Once more we call your attention to your danger. There was mirth rejoicing, carousing and revelry in the dinning hall of the Babylonian Monarch Belshazzar where the mysterious hand traced on the wall in fiery characters the ominous words, "Mene, Tekel, Upharsin." Neither the king nor his guests took notice of the warning, before moving they were slaughtered, the royal palace plundered and given a prey to the flames, and the Babylonian or Assyrian empire obliterated from the face of the earth.

Saloonkeepers, liquor dealers, brewers, distillers, beware! The muster of the Prohibition hosts, at the late election is your "Mene, Tekel, Upharsin." Rouse yourselves from your lethargy; form your protective phalanxes, fight for your rights, for your business, for your homes; but remember that while a child can easily break a single twig or a small stick, the most powerful men cannot break a bunch of rods tied together. In Union there is Strength. United we stand, Divided we fall.

THE ENDURING ISSUE.

The election is over, and the smoke of the battle is disappearing; and as the atmosphere clears up, we can see standing forth in glaring prominence one representative and distinctive fact, which it becomes the friends of Personal Liberty to heed and keep prominently in mind. This fact is that there is a national Prohibition party organized in this country, which is bent upon carrying forward the temperance agitation to the bitter end. The party which voted for St. John for president "means business." It is enlisted for war, and the fluctuations of presidential campaigns are mere subsidiary incidents in its grand crusade. It has enlisted in its behalf several great religious organizations, with their Sunday schools and their attendant swarm of fanatics, and while the more conservative of these organizations stand firm against the inroads of frenzied agitation and zeal, the fanatical churches with their powerful discipline constitute a great political power. Outside of the democratic and republican parties, and to a certain extent independent of either, this party looms up like a cloud in the horizon of Personal Liberty.

We counsel our friends to stand firm in the future with faith in this great people ever ready to do justice; with faith in our form of government, and our constitutions, statues, and courts. Standing thus firm, and prepared to do all that becomes good citizens to defend and maintain our rights we shall not fail. But, while you "trust in God, KEEP YOUR POWDER DRY."—THE LEVER.

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JOHN S. TEMPLE
ISAAC C. WOLCOTT.
SAMUEL McCLURE.
Tecumseh, Dec. 1, 1884.

TO THE PUBLIC.—Having purchased the lumber business and planing mill lately run by Wolcott, Temple & Co., we are prepared to accommodate all in need of goods in our line, and respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage.
TEMPLE, McCLURE & CO.
TECUMSEH, Dec. 1, '84.

NOTICE to the taxpayers of Franklin. I will be at Tuttle's store on Monday, the first three weeks of December, and Mondays and Wednesdays the remainder of the month. Office hours from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. Will also be at home each Friday during the month to receive taxes.
ELIJAH BUCK,
Township Treasurer.

TAX NOTICE.—To the taxpayers of the township of Tecumseh. I will be at the HERALD office on Friday of each week during the month of December for the purpose of receiving taxes.
E. A. TRIBOU,
Township Treasurer.

BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the Griffiths shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Interfering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection. W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

STAMPING.—I have just purchased a new supply of stamps for braiding and embroidery. Will do hand braiding for 3 cts. a yard in set figures. Rooms at the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood. Ladies' dresses, cloaks, and children's dresses stamped on short notice.
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Sheriff Bidwell was in town last Friday and Monday.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in town a day last week.

Mrs. Chas. Hicks returned to her home in Oscoda last Friday.

Henry Lovejoy, of Adrian, was in town yesterday on business.

The Clinton Local, a new paper published by Chas. K. Spafford, will make its appearance next Saturday.

The friends of the Rev. Mr. Dutton will give him a donation at Grange Hall, Macon, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 9th. All are cordially invited.

Geo. Tiffany started on Monday for New Orleans. He goes thus early to secure a position for his new patent machine at the exposition and be ready for the opening on the 16th.

Patrick Welch, of Schoolcraft, will will speak in the Methodist church Monday evening and give the "reasons why he left the Roman Catholic Church and became a protestant." All are invited; admittance free.

John Miller, of Southport N. Y. is stopping with friends in this vicinity a few weeks. He was called here by the sad death of his daughter, Mrs Carrol Roberts, of Franklin. Mr. Miller formerly owned the Frank Rector farm on the Clinton road, and was county clerk of Lenawee County many years ago. Although many changes have taken place since he left, he finds lots of old acquaintances yet.

The firm of Wolcott, Temple & Co. has been dissolved, Mr. John J. Van Gieson having bought Mr. Wolcott's interest in the concern. The new firm assumes the book accounts of the old, both debts due and obligations, and go right along with the business, Mr. Van Gieson simply taking Mr. Wolcott's place in the concern. We regret to lose Mr. Wolcott from our business circles, but feel assured that the new partner will worthily fill his place.

Money to be Made.

It is said that dull times are not known by the agents for the great publishing house of George Stinson & Co., of Portland, Maine. The reason of this exceptional success is found in the fact that they always give the public that which is keenly appreciated and at prices that all can afford. At present we understand, their agents are doing wonderfully well on several new lines. They need many more agents in all parts of the country. Those who need profitable work should apply at once. Women do as well as men. Experience is not necessary, for Messrs. Stinson & Co. undertake to show all who are willing to work, not hard but earnestly, the path to large success. It should be remembered that an agent can do a handsome business without being away from home over night. Another advantage—it costs nothing to give the business a trial, and an agent can devote all his time or only his spare moments to it. Stinson & Co. guarantee grand success to all who engage and follow simple and plain directions that they give. We have not space to explain all here, but full particulars will be sent free to those who address the firm; their full address is given above.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 4, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Harry Sherrard was at home over Thanksgiving.

You can pay your taxes at the HERALD office to-morrow.

The market has been very well supplied with poultry of late.

The flap jack now has a permanent place on the family bill of fare.

Subscribe for the HERALD to-day and get the month of December free.

Chas. T. Hewitt, of Toledo, was in town Tuesday shaking hands with his old friends.

W. D. Adams, the novelty store man, has opened a branch establishment at Dundee.

Miss Minnie Sutton has gone to Detroit to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Stoepel.

Miss Emma Smith went to Monroe on Saturday last for a few day's visit with friends in that city.

Smith's paper mill is now running on full time and turning out more and better paper than ever.

A full line of New Orleans World Fair tickets via. all Routes are on sale at L. S. & M. S. Ry's. ticket office.

Geo. Werner, of Liberty, Jackson co., spent Thanksgiving with his brother John, in this village, and returned home on Monday.

Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69. F. & A. M. elect officers for the ensuing year at their next regular meeting which occurs on Friday evening, Dec. 26th.

Lavern Wheeler is home again from Chicago and expects to remain a few days. He anticipates going to Detroit soon to work in a photograph gallery there.

Mr. Delano, the new landlord of "The Patterson" has arrived in town and is now engaged in settling. He expects to open the hotel to the public on the 15th inst.

Mrs. D. Coryell will occupy the pulpit next Sabbath morning at the Christian church, East Ridgeway. Eld. Rapp is looking after the interest of the church at Richfield, Ohio.

The country gave thanks last Thursday just as though Blaine or St. John had been elected President. Probably it would have made no difference if Belva Lockwood had been obliged to make up a Cabinet.

The skating rink was well patronized on Thanksgiving day. A large attendance, good band music, and fancy skating made up an attractive program, which was heartily enjoyed by the participants.

The "feather bed men" left town Tuesday last. They did a good business while here, and we heartily recommend them to our sister village of Hudson to which place they have taken their apparatus.

The first message over the new extension of the C. T. Line in Franklin, was sent at 5 P. M., yesterday from Clarence Cook's by Manager Bowen, who is there superintending the putting up of the wire and instruments.

The American Express Co. has taken the M. & O. line and began business last Monday with Geo. Heesen as agent at Tecumseh. Mr. Heesen will keep his office in his store, so both express offices will be in the same building.

Union Thanksgiving services were held in the Presbyterian church in the forenoon, the different congregations of the village uniting. An appropriate sermon was delivered by Rev. C. E. Conley, which was pronounced a very fine effort by those who heard it.

The Ladies of St. Peter's Episcopal church desire to publicly express their acknowledgements to Mrs. Gage and Miss Jennie Root for their untiring efforts to make the Thanksgiving entertainment a success; also to Mrs. Bidwell and Miss DeWolf for their singing, to the young ladies and children who took part, and to the public for their liberal patronage.

W. S. Morse, of this village is canvassing the townships of Woodstock and Rome for Crams' Family Atlas. Mr. Morse has had experience in this business, he has a good work and ought to succeed in selling a large number of books. It is the best atlas for the price that has ever fallen under our notice.

John F. Hicks was at home to spend Thanksgiving, and hoped to remain for several days, but his business called him away again the first of this week. He is having a big run now selling the Howe scales, and has his hands full to fill the orders taken. Mr. Hicks has a good thing and the company have a good agent, and hence it is a pretty good arrangement all round.

Great Inducements to purchasers of Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines is made by B. J. Collar of Adrian (for Tecumseh and vicinity) during the holidays. Remember he represents the best makers of organs and pianos made in the world, such as Estey, Cottage and Clough & Warren organs; Chickering, Haines Bros, Sohmer & Co., Christie & Son's pianos. Immense stock on hand.

Masquerade at the skating rink next Tuesday evening.

Ice skating has taken the place of roller skating to a small extent.

Thanks to Wm. H. Mather for late copies of Portland, Oregon, papers.

Subscribe for the HERALD at once and get a premium portrait of President-elect Cleveland free.

Albert S. Hayden was re-elected to the position of S. W. in the Milan masonic lodge last Thursday evening. He is a good officer.

Lyman Thorp started last Tuesday on a trip through Northern Ohio, to sell the patent parer and corer, of which he has the agency. We hope he will do well, and believe he will. It is just the business for him.

Lucius Lilley Esq. has taken a southern trip for the past two winters, and intends to repeat the experiment again this winter after the holidays. If he can arrange his business affairs to suit him he will extend his next trip into Mexico, California and the Honolulu Islands.

In making out your list of reading matter for the coming year, do not fail to subscribe for that best of magazines for the little ones, "The Nursery," published by Russel Publishing Co., 36 Bromfield St., Boston. The subscription price is only $1.50 a year and it is worth its weight in gold to the little ones.

Ex-Rev J. H. Burnham, who formerly preached in Tecumseh, held a "Liberal" meeting at Adrian last Sunday in Dean's Opera House. He stayed that night with Mr. Moore in Raisin and drove over to Tecumseh on Monday where he was kept busy during the day shaking hands with his old friends.

Macon Grange, No. 167, will hold an open grange social, Friday, Dec. 12th at 7.30 o'clock P. M., in connection with the following programme:

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Recitation—Camilla Mead.
Inst. Music—Mettie Miller.
Reading—Miss Genevieve Laflin.
Recitation—Miss Maude Howell.
Song—Mrs. Chas. S. Dutton.
Declamation—Edgar Rogers.
Inst. Music—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Recitation—Emma Bailey.
Essay—C. E. Triplet.
Closing Song—Choir.

Give us the news. Yes, it is the news and local happenings that we want. Sometimes events of a personal nature occur in the families of our subscribers and others that they would like to have us mention and which we would be glad to notice, but they fail to report and we do not hear of them, and there is disappointment. So we say to all, don't be backward about giving us the news. We are all the time watching for events, but it is impossible to catch everything that flies. If mention is not made it is because it is impossible for newspaper men to be everywhere at once.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—

Where do you buy your thermometers? In your weather item last week you note a change of fifty degrees in twenty-four hours. My thermometer showed a change of only forty-four degrees in the same time.
RAISIN FARMER.

Our item, as originally written, claimed a change of forty-four degrees between Sunday morning and Monday morning. After writing it, we observed an article in the Adrian Record which claimed a change of fifty degrees in the same twenty-four hours, and in reading the proof we changed our figures to correspond. We didn't propose to be scooped on a weather item by a two cent daily of a neighboring town. Not much.

Thanksgiving is a day for rejoicing. We were usually happy on that day, and yet the shadow of disappointment clouded our happiness. We accepted an invitation to turkey and chicken pot pie at the Stacy mansion, and after accepting it, received a kind invite from Capt. Foster to partake of soup, fish and fowl at the Lilley House on that day. The dinners were at the same hour and it was impossible to attend both. If there is ever a time when an editor desires the gift of ubiquity it is on thanksgiving day. We understand that Capt. Foster gave a royal entertainment. He had sixty-one guests from the village, besides a large number of transients. Ninety three persons were fed and several baskets full were gathered up t the close of the feast.

B. J. Coller's holiday music trade opens up big. He sold two grand upright pianos and six organs within the past five days and received several orders for Christmas. The pianos were sold to Joseph Libbs, Railroad street; and T. W. Vandeburg, Comstock street. Organs to Joseph Stockwell, Dover; Clinton literary society; Chas. Terry, Morenci; Mrs. Grames, Deerfield; J. W. Dawson, Canandaigua; St Joseph church. The pianos and organs he represents are Chickering, Sohmor, Haines Bros., and Christie & Son, pianos. Estey, Clough & Warren and Cottage organs. Come early and select, as I have just received a lot of new styles.

Special prices will be given to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity during the holidays. I am going to stay in the business, and parties buying of me will have their instruments and machines looked after as heretofore. B. J. COLLER, Adrian.

During a short visit at Adrian the other day we called to see Fred Clark, the popular manager of the Central Hotel. Fred was feeling happy as usual. He has a good patronage both local and transient, and the "Central" under his management is gaining the reputation of being one of the best hotels in the state.

Rev. Wm. Mellen for 24 years a missionary among the Zulus of South Africa will deliver an address in the Presbyterian church next Sunday night. His subject will be, Africa open to civilization and christianity. He will exhibit a large map and trace on it the routes of recent explorers, including Livingston and Stanley, and will speak of the people and their customs. Mr. Mellen's lecture is said by those who have heard it to be entertaining and instructive. A collection will be taken. He will address the Young Ladies' Missionary Society on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the Lecture room.

Last Friday Michael Hammill Jr., went into Adamson's and priced a silver watch, stating that he wanted to buy one. George gave him the price at $7.00. While Hammill was examining the watch, Geo. was called to the back part of the store and Hammill then vamoused with the watch. He went directly up Chicago street and hid the watch under the culvert at the corner of Chicago and Pearl streets. Adamson soon discovered that the watch had been taken, went out on the street and found Hammill, who said he had concluded not to buy the watch, and had left it on the show case when he left the store. Adamson had him arrested and he gave bail for his appearance to-day. The officers searched him but no watch was found on his person. About three minutes after Hammill left Adamson's store, little Burt Grey was walking down Chicago street and saw a strange man stoop down and apparently put some article under the culvert near the old foundry. When the stranger had gone, he concluded to investigate, and there found the silver watch, which, in due time was returned to the rightful owner. Adamson has his watch and Hammill is under arrest.

THE THANKSGIVING FAIR.

The Annual Fair given by the Ladies of St. Peter's church on Thanksgiving day and evening was a decided success. The fair in the afternoon was well attended and a large quantity of fancy articles was disposed of. The evening entertainment was greeted with a full house. The program was one of much merit and it was very finely rendered. The tableaux were good and the vocal music by Mrs. Bidwell and Miss Grace DeWolf was excellent, of course. The operetta "Laila" has never been presented here before. The three leading characters of Laila, the Beggar Mother and the Fairy Queen were handsomely carried by Misses Mollie Keip, Mabel Hayden and May Woodward, who were assisted by a chorus of thirty young girls representing fairies and mountain children. Miss Jennie Root presided at the piano, Harry Root assisting with the flute in some parts of the play. It is needless to say that Miss Root carried her part to perfection, and to her managememt much of the success of the play can be attributed. A May pole dance at the close made a very pretty finale to the programme. The audience were well pleased with the entire entertainment, and were gratified to know that the financial returns repaid the ladies for their work.

LIBRARY LECTURE COURSE.

The first entertainment of the course to be presented by the Library Association this winter, will be given next Saturday evening by the Redpath Concert Company. This company is one of the very best musical combinations now traveling. It consists of Miss Ella M. Chamberlin, whistling soloist; Miss Edith Christie, violin; Miss Helen M. Howland, soprano; Frank G. Reynolds, humorist; Chas. T. Dennee, pianist. The committee are still short on the number of season tickets sold, and it is hoped that a large number of tickets will be disposed of before next Saturday evening. If any persons who wish to procure season tickets have been overlooked by the committee, they will find them for sale at Adamson's Jewelry store. Among a large number of flattering press notices of the Redpath Company, we cull the following:

The success of the Redpath Concert may be juged from the fact that every piece on the programme, with one exception, was enthusiastically encored and some of them twice. Burlington (Vt.) Free Press.

The concert by the Redpath Concert Co. at the Opera House, Tuesday evening, was the most pleasing entertainment that has visited Canandaigua for many a day. It was well that their printed programme contained only ten numbers, for every performance was so heartily encored that more than double the number was rendered. Canandaigua (N. Y.) Journal.

The Redpath Company was every thing they claimed for it and more, and those of our citizens who hold season tickets were more than compensated for the entire cost of the course by the pleasure afforded them at the entertainment. Washington C. H. (Ohio) Herald.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening, Nov. 28th, the Farmer's Social club met at the residence of Mr. R. B. Gillespie. There was the largest attendance of the season and all seemed to take a very lively interest in the welfare of the club. In fact it was a very enthusiastic meeting. The program was good and well carried out. Select reading by George Henderson, a good selection and well read. The instrumental and vocal music all fine and good selections. The essay by Mr. E. L. Russell was a review of the past of the club and a forecast of the future, and was well written and seemed to just fill the bill. A motion was made by Mr. Benedict that Mr. Russell furnish a copy of it for publication in the Tecumseh HERALD, which, upon a vote being taken, was unanimously adopted. At a former meeting of the club a vote was taken that at our annual meeting the club should reorganize by taking a new list of the members, and that each one upon signing his or her name should pay into the treasury, for running expenses, the sum of ten cents, (all under the age of sixteen exempt from payment.) There were 34 who signed their names and became members of the new organization. On motion a vote was taken that all the members of the old organization, not present, should be considered members of the new for one year at least. Motion prevailed. The Club being organized, proceeded to the election of Officers with the following result:

Pres.—I. H. Schreder.
Vice Pres.—George Griswold.
Sec. and Treas.—F. V. Horton.

Club adjourned for two weeks to meet at the residence of Mr. George Griswold, Dec. 12th, at 7 P. M., sharp.

Program for next meeting:

Music—Choir.
Dec.—Artie Hall.
Song—Mrs. Wm. Waldron.
Essay—Clara Waldron.
Song—Garland and Ara Gillespie.
Select Reading—Mrs. Geo. Griswold
Question—Resolved, That it would pay for farmers to keep farm accounts.
F. V. HORTON, Sec.

E. L. RUSSELL'S ESSAY.

Mr. President, members and friends of the Club:—When my name was called at our last meeting by the committee in connection with an essay, the thought forced itself upon me, that this was our annual meeting, and that I ought to bid farewell to the old year and welcome the new. That I should rehearse the events of the past and anticipate those of the future.

The passed season has been one very favorable to all. No destructive storms have swept over the land. No pestilence has visited us. No contagious diseases have been destructive to live stock. Pasturage has been nutritious and the flocks and herds are thriving. The earth has yielded up her increase in a remarkable degree. While the products of the soil have been abundant the farmer has had very seasonable weather for securing all classes of produce, and we have garnered food for a nation with plenty to spare.

In regard to the old year, as far as our Club is concerned, it has been a year of prosperity. There has been more sunshine than cloud. More joy than sorrow. More health than sickness. More pleasure than pain. Although the cares and labors of life may have rested heavily upon some still none have been reduced to want or suffering. In one instance a dark cloud has rested upon the home of one of the members that has caused real sorrow in the hearts at the home circle by depriving them of a kind husband and loving father, and cast a deep shadow over our club by depriving it of a worthy and beloved member.

But upon the whole the old year has brought much pleasure and enjoyment, and as we recall to mind each familiar face, each friendly greeting, and the many happy seasons, it is with regret we witness its departure and bid it a last farewell.

It is significant of a wholesome period in one's life, and that their lives have not been spent wholly in vain, when they can review past incidents with pride and pleasure, and feel that they have been seasons of not only happiness and enjoyment but of profit. Life becomes monotonous, and its duties burdensome when deprived of recreation and social enjoyment. The farmer in his isolated, condition, if deprived of society, becomes selfish and superstitious. Without food for his thoughts his mind is possessed of but few ideas, and he becomes an individual of prejudice and biased judgment. The heart without proper social culture becomes callous and indifferent to the welfare and happiness of others. In short, without recreation and social enjoyments, the individual, whether man, woman or child, exists but does not live, for the avenues through which pleasure, happiness and enjoyment, light, wisdom and knowledge enter the mind, are mostly closed. Then if mind influences mind, as matter influences matter; if thought develops thought as action develops muscle; if society and recreation are a necessity to human happiness; what can be more appropriate for an agricultural community than a well organized and conducted "Farmer's Social Club," where all, the old, the middle aged and the youth, the farmer, his wife and his children, can meet, and a welcome and a friendly greeting, with mental food and social enjoyment, and above all a wholesome moral atmosphere, more free from censure and evil influences than can be found elsewhere in the whole catalogue of social pastimes.

This we feel and realize has been the influence of the meetings of this Club upon its members. Three years ago we hardly knew our neighbors. We were embarrassed and restrained in each others presence. Some of us, although living in the same vicinity, following the same occupation, whose interests were one and the same, met as strangers. We knew not whether they possessed hearts or not. We entered not into sympathy with their feelings. We realized not that they had their hardships and trials as well as we. We knew not that they possessed bright thoughts, knowledge and information which might be of service to us. We realized only, that if they were prospered more than we were, we envied them.

To-night we meet here and greet each familiar countenance as that of a friend. Embarrassment and restraints have passed away. We fully realize that members have hearts capable of rejoicing with those who rejoice and weeping with those that weep. We have proved that we can learn much from each other how to better our condition as farmers—how to be more manly and womanly, how to be more generous in our thoughts and feelings, and if our neighbors are prosperous, we are taught to follow their example with the feeling and spirit that it can be done, and that if others can succeed in farming, we may also.

The literary and musical features have been entertaining to all, and interesting and profitable to the young. We cannot dispense with them. If more could be added of the same nature to attract and instruct the same class, it would harmonize very pleasantly with our feelings. The social part of itself pays for all efforts and sacrifices (with membership fees including.) The discussions have been profitable and carried on in a friendly spirit with a regard to instruction and improvement. Each year has brought renewed interest, and even if no new features are added, we welcome the new year with a great degree of hope and encouragement, and look for peace, prosperity and happiness in the future.

DEMOREST'S ILLUSTRATED MAGAZINE for December contains not only a great deal of good Christmas literature, but many other well-written and interesting articles on various subjects. "Santiago," "An Old Port and Bit on Shore," "A Canterbury Pilgrimage," and "The Angelic Painter," will repay reading; and the household suggestions are eminently practical and useful. The illustrations are numerous, among which is a fine photogravure of the "Mater Dolorosa" of Dolci. For 1885, we are promised a serial by Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, and another by Mr. Charles Barnard, as well as many new and interesting features.

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—Mrs. M. A. Freeman has now her full stock of Millinery goods to which she respectfully calls the attention of the ladies of Tecumseh. Her prices are way down and she respectfully asks all to call and examine her goods.

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—Listen for the voice of the gong.
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can only be cured by a thorough purification of the blood. If this is neglected, the disease perpetuates its taint through generation after generation. Among its earlier symptomatic developments are **Eczema, Cutaneous Eruptions, Tumors, Boils, Carbuncles, Erysipelas, Purulent Ulcers, Nervous and Physical Collapse,** etc. If allowed to continue, **Rheumatism, Scrofulous Catarrh, Kidney and Liver Diseases, Tubercular Consumption,** and various other dangerous or fatal maladies, are produced by it.

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REPORT OF COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

WASHINGTON, November 27.—Comptroller of the Currency Cannon, has just completed his annual report. That portion of it devoted to National bank statistics shows that during the year ended November 1, 1884, one hundred and ninety-one banks were organized with an aggregate capital of $16,042,230 and with $3,866,230 circulation. Since the establishment of the National banking system in 1863, there have been organized 3,964 National banks, and of this number 2,671 were in existence on November 1 last, the largest number that has been in operation at one time. The corporate existence of 90 banks expired during the year, of which 83 have been extended. The corporate existence of 154 banks will expire during November and December of this year, and 720 banks with an aggregate capital of $189,000,000 will expire during 1885. Eleven banks failed and were placed in the hands of receivers during the year.

The items of resources and liabilities tabulated in the report indicate that the business of National banks during the past eleven years has generally increased. The aggregate liabilities of National banks to depositors and correspondents were reduced during the year more than $94,000,000. This reduction of liabilities and general reduction of loans by banks—which amounted to more than $83,000,000 during the year—was doubtless caused, the Comptroller says, by the financial troubles of last May and the general depression of business.

Upon the general subjects of circulation and refunding, the Comptroller observes that upon the present basis of organization the banks in existence would require a minimum of $880,413,127 of United States bonds in order to continue as banking associations. The time of final payment of the debt is, however, the Comptroller says, yet distant, and with appropriate legislation there will probably be for many years no lack of bonds as a safe basis of circulation. Moreover, no feasible plan with other security has as yet been suggested affording a sound currency, redeemable on demand in specie, and he believes this extremely doubtful, whether after their experience for the past twenty years with the safe and convenient currency issued by the National banks, the people would be satisfied with a currency based on any security than United States bonds.

On November 1 there were $194,190,500 of three per cent. bonds payable at the pleasure of the Government. These bonds will probably be paid within the next two years, even if considerable changes are made in the tariff, and from 1887 to 1891, when the $250,000,000 of four and one-half per cents. mature, there will be no bonds which the Government can call in for redemption. No doubt the accumulation of surplus revenue, if it continues to accrue at the present rate during the four years between 1887 and 1891, together with the revenues of 1892, will be more than sufficient to pay off the four and one half per cents, and from 1892 to 1897 it will be impossible for the Government to use any of its surplus revenues for the payment of its bonds except at the option of their holders.

It is apparent that the Government cannot accumulate and hold its surplus revenues even during the short period from 1887 to 1892 without great disturbance to the business interests of the country. Much less can it do so during the longer period from 1892 to 1907. It appears, therefore, that the foregoing considerations should be given due weight in any plan for the funding of the four per cent. bonds maturing in 1907, and the Comptroller therefore suggests that the principle difficulties of the situation may perhaps be obviated as well as the reduction of interest effected by funding these bonds into others, which shall mature in proportionate amounts at certain fixed intervals. Thus the $738,000,000 of four per cents might be funded into an equal amount of three or two and a half per cent. bonds, one-fifth of which, or $147,600,000, to mature at intervals of five years, the first installment falling due July 1, 1887, and the remaining installments of $147,600,000 each on the first of July in the last year of each succeeding period of five years, viz.: 1902, 1907, 1912 and 1917. The average maturity of these five classes of bonds would be the same as that of the present four per cents, viz.: July 1, 1907.

Whatever course may be deemed expedient by Congress respecting the funding of future payments of the public debt the Comptroller thinks it perfectly safe and that it will afford great benefit to the public, to permit an issue by National banks of circulation to the extent of one hundred per cent. of the par value of bonds deposited, instead of ninety per cent. as at present. Even admitting that the bonds representing the public debt when funded at lower rates might at times be below par in the market the Government would, if forced to redeem the notes of insolvent banks always have the right to cancel the bonds on deposit securing the notes and thus extinguish an amount of its debt equal dollar for dollar to the notes redeemed.

Taxation on circulation, the Comptroller suggests, might be abolished and thus the profit on circulation may be increased to a point which will induce the banks to keep up their circulation to a maximum and stop the contraction now occurring. If this tax be abolished, all of the expenses incurred by the Government in keeping up the National banking system, should be paid by an assessment of the banks.

In concluding this subject the Comptroller wishes to have it distinctly understood that he is not in favor of any measure which will cause inflation. He is of the opinion that the present aggregate paper circulation, made up of legal tender and National bank notes, and of gold and silver certificates, is ample for all the needs of business.

He believes, however, that the sudden contraction of National bank circulation which, without appropriate legislation is imminent, will seriously embarrass the business of the country and that if this contraction is permitted to go on it may result in the entire discontinuance of the issue of notes by National banks. The Comptroller believes that this form of currency which can be increased or diminished in accordance with the natural laws which control business should be continued in preference to any other now permitted by law.

Georgi's Treason.

NEW YORK, November 27.—Count D'Esterhacy, of Hungary said, Tuesday relative to the Vienna dispatch reporting that General Georgi has been exonerated of treason by 280 of his former comrades: "I do not understand how Georgi can escape the charge that he betrayed his fellow revolutionists in 1848. I was present at the last council of war before the surrender. Georgi assumed all responsibility and would hear no advice. He ignobly saved his life and sacrificed thirteen of his Generals and hundreds of his officers. Until Louis Kossuth appends his signature to the document declaring that Georgi was not a traitor, his countrymen will refuse to believe in his innocence."

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My trouble always came after eating any food,—
However light
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For two or three hours at a time I had to go through the most
Excruciating pains,
"And the only way I ever got"
"Relief!"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last"
I was taken
So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
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Efforts were no good to me.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 03 "	4 00 "	4 07 "
Deitroit	10 22 "	6 43 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	5 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 72 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 08
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 01	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11-18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv. ..... Toledo ..... Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	..... Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	..... Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	..... Lulu	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 54
6 23	8 30	..... Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	..... Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	..... Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 08	..... Milan	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	..... Nora	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	..... Urania	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	..... Pittsfield	7 40	3 02
7 30	9 50	..... Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	..... Leland	7 12	2 33
7 45	10 22	..... Worden	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar..... South Lyon ..... Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 40	10 10	A...Toledo L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
9 20	9 00	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
9 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
9 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
9 50	P. M.	2 20	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
9 57		2 26	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
10 07		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
10 15		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
10 22		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
10 28		3 45	Montcalm	11 35		5 35
10 35		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
10 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
10 39		4 10	A...Allegan L	11 10		5 10
10 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 10
11 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 35	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P. M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

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BOTH HOUSES IN SESSION.

The Meeting of the Senate and House of Representatives—Floral Tributes on Members' Desks—Ready for Business.

WASHINGTON, December 1.—SENATE.—Twenty-seven Senators were in their places when the gavel fell at twelve o'clock. The Chaplain, in his opening prayer, alluded feelingly to the deaths of Senator Anthony, Secretary Folger and Representatives Evans and Duncan, and implored that in the new era that they were entering upon the only sectional rivalries might be in the paths of progress.

Senator Gorman's desk was banked up high with flowers. Two floral roosters of elaborate design towered high above his head, one bearing the inscription, "O! such a day! So fought, so followed and so fairly won; came not till now to decorate the times since Cæsar's fortune." Another floral design intimated that this particular desk "was reserved for A. P. G., 1887."

A third rooster of flowers decorated the desk of Senator Jonas. Senator Maxey had an immense "Lone Star"

Senator Lapham beamed from behind a huge horse-shoe of smilax, and the desks of the Vice President, of Senator Ingalls and others bore beautiful floral tributes. Senator Logan was early in his seat, and moved the final resolution to notify the House of Representatives, which Senator Sherman followed by a resolution to notify the President. The credentials of William H. Sheffield, as Senator-elect from Rhode Island in place of Senator Anthony, were ready but Mr. Sheffield was not present. The Senate took a recess until 12:40 to await the President's message.

Amongst the Senators conspicuously absent were Mahone and Riddleberger, of Virginia; Aldrich, Brown, Butler, Call, Camden, Colquitt, Fair, Farley, George, Gibson, Hampton, Jones of Nev.; Kenna, Lamar, Platt, Plumb, Slater, Williams.

Promptly at 12:40 the Senate was rapped to order. Routine business was proceeded with and at 12:45 a message was received announcing that the House was ready to proceed to business and had appointed a committee to wait upon the President. Senators Sherman and Garland were appointed a committee on behalf of the Senate for a like service.

On motion of Senator Ingalls, a resolution was adopted instructing the Committee on Public Lands to report such legislation as might be necessary to remove all fences illegally constructed on the public domain of the United States.

At 12:55 the Senate took a further recess of thirty minutes. At 1:35 p. m. the President's message was announced, and was read by Secretary McCook. Its reading occupied fifty minutes. On motion of Senator Aldrich the Senate at 2:55, as a mark of respect to the late Senator Anthony, adjourned.

HOUSE—As early as 10:30 the galleries began filling up and long before the hour of meeting every seat was filled and the standing room all taken. Crowds clustered around each doorway some distance into the corridor. Many of the desks of members as well as that of the Speaker, bore floral tributes in the shape of baskets, horseshoes, etc. Mr. Murphy, of Iowa, had an elaborate horseshoe bearing the word "Hennepin," as a compliment to his efforts in behalf of the Hennepin Canal enterprise. Mr. Cox, of New York, was complimented for his efforts in behalf of the life-saving service with a floral-ship with a bottle of wine on it. Messrs. Barbour, of Virginia; Mutchler, of Pennsylvania; McMillan, of Tennessee; Keifer, of Ohio; Cannon, of Illinois; Robinson, of Ohio; Valentine, of Nebraska, and Campbell, of Pennsylvania, were among the recipients of floral favors. At precisely twelve o'clock Speaker Carlisle called the House to order and prayer was offered by Chaplain Lindsey. The roll of members was then called by the Clerk.

Two hundred and seventy-two members responded to their names, being fifty-nine more than a quorum.

Mr. Holman presented the credentials of Benjamin T. Shively as successor to Mr. Caskins, of Indiana, and he was sworn in.

Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania; Mr. Cox, of New York, and Mr. Brown, of Indiana, were appointed a committee to wait on the President and inform him the House was ready for business.

At 12:35 p. m. the committee having left, the House took a recess for fifteen minutes. At 1:40 p. m. the committee returned and were immediately followed by Mr. Pruden, the President's private Secretary, with the message. After the reading of the message and accompanying reports had been concluded, the House adjourned. Mr. Aiken, of South Carolina, will announce the death of his colleague, Mr. Evans and Mr. Ementrout, of Pennsylvania, the death of Mr. Duncan. Immediately after the reading of the President's message the House will adjourn as a mark of respect to their memory.

A Treacherous Chinese Convict.

JOLIET, Ill., December 1.—Ling Ap Dwe, the Chinese life convict sentenced from Chicago for murdering another Chinaman two years ago, attempted to kill his cellmate, Ah John, Saturday. Trouble has been brewing between the two for several weeks. Ling Ap Dwe threw Ah John upon the floor and while sitting upon his breast struck him with a hatchet, inflicting a terrible cut on the right side of the head. The wounded Chinaman was carried to the hospital unconscious, but it is thought he is not fatally injured. Ling Ap Dwe was placed in solitary confinement. He is noted for his treachery and is feared by the convicts who have to work near him. It was only six months ago that Ling Ap Dwe attempted to stab to death one John Church a colored convict from Quincy.

Canada Items.

OTTAWA, December 1.—Premier Macdonald has promised to have some measure brought up during the coming session of Parliament to insure protection against the fraudulent practices which have become so frequent on this side of the line in bankrupts giving preference to certain creditors in the absence of any insolvent law.

MONTREAL, December 1.—The Victoria Rifles propose sending a detachment of 200 picked men and a band to take part in the military display on the occasion of the dedication of the Washington Monument, if the Government will give them permission to cross the line.

Prisoners Sentenced.

ALBANY, N. Y., December 1.—W. H. O'Day, aged twenty, who pleaded guilty as one of the parties who outraged Addie Staley in a boat at West Troy June 14, was yesterday sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment. Margaret Ahern, indicted for murder in the second degree for pushing a constable from her stoop and breaking his neck, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

Killed by a Train.

WATERBURY, Conn., December 1.—The train on the New York & New England Railroad, due here at 7:45 Saturday night, struck and killed Bridget Hennessey, aged fourteen, who endeavored to cross the track in front of the engine. She was thrown about sixty feet and killed instantly.

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A Georgia paper is inclined to believe that the fancy for Jersey cattle is a craze.

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In Rheumatism and Neuralgia there is much physical patchwork. The medicines taken have not gone to the seat of the disease. Not so with ATHLOPHOROS. It expels Rheumatism permanently. A case in point—that of William Bradley, 394 Columbus Avenue, New Haven, a driver for Adams Express. He says: "Was driven from my business for three months by an attack of Rheumatism: One bottle of Athlophoros cured me. Have been on my wagon every day since, rain or shine."

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Council Room, Dec. 1, 1884.

At this regular session the Council convened at the regular hour.

Present Messrs. Root, Heesen, Sparks, Adams and the Recorder.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

On Finance—Deferred later in the session.

REPORT OF OFFICERS.

Marshal's annual report upon collecting of taxes was presented and referred to finance committee.

Street Committee report for month of November. Team work eleven (11) days; hand labor five (5) days.

Report was accepted and adopted. Placed on file.

Sexton's report of Tecumseh Cemetery for the month of November as follows. Interments one (1). Paid into the Village Treasury thirty nine dollars and fifty cents.

On motion was accepted and adopted.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of H. Lee was presented asking permission to tap water main to convey water into the Patterson House for use of said house. Referred to fire committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committee.

W. C. Jordan, street commissioner, Nov.	$21 00
P. J. Welling, saw filing	1 50
Wm. Owen, labor	75
Wm. Brown, labor	6 25
Hough & Hosmer, ink and mucilage	35
Chas Burridge, correcting and reviewing cemetery lots	55 00
W. D. Adams, frame for cemetery lot	3 50
G. E. Gray, whiter wicks for street lamps	3 40
S. C. Stacy, cemetery blank receipts and council proceedings, 2 months to Dec 1,	11 00
E. B. Wood, services as Village Attorney	5 00

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The finance committee report recommending the payment of the following claims, to wit:

James Moir	$3 75
W. C. Jordan,	21 00
Wm. Brown	6 25
P. J. Welling	1 50
Wm. Owens	75
Hough & Hosmer	35
Chas. Burridge	55 00
W. D. Adams	3 50
S. C. Stacy	11 00
W. E. Gray	5 40

Report accepted, adopted and orders directed drawn on the Treasurer for the several amounts.

On further motion the Council adjourned.

G. W. MARSDEN, Recorder pro tem.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending November 29, 1884:

Estate of Matie E. Antisdale, et al, minors; nomination of guardian; order of appointment, bond filed, letters issued.

Estate of Cyrenus Farmer, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publication and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing Dec. 22.

Estate of Philip Robinson, deceased; affidavits of publishing commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Andrew N. Pye, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Henry Bourns, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing December 15.

Estate of Katharina Hauck, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing Dec. 22.

Estate of George C. B. Hauck, et al., minors; nomination and petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $1,000.

Estate of Nancy Reed, deceased; petition for allowance of executrix's final account; hearing Dec. 22.

Estate of Joseph Driggs, deceased; application for extention of time for paying debts and closing estate; order extending time.

Estate of John Thompson, an incompetent person; guardian's petition for license to sell real estate; hearing Dec. 29.

Estate of John Rehklau, et al., minors; affidavit of publication; guardian appointed; bond $800.

Estate of Elizabeth Guy, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Willard Smith, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Dec. 8, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of John Phillips, deceased; affidavit for appointment of administrator; hearing Dec. 22.

"SLEEPING LOVE"

A fine steel engraving of Perault's charming picture, "Sleeping Love," has been offered by the publishers of Godey's Lady's Book to every new subscriber for the year 1885. The plate is a very artistic one, beautifully printed on thick paper of a size suitable for handsome framing. The subject, a little dimpled Love, adorned with nothing but his baby charms, is lying on a soft grassy couch, fast asleep among the wild flowers, his round, white limbs approaching the cool umbrage of a pond of water lillies. One little chubby hand rests lightly on his unstrung bow, which is lying near him, while the other hand is resting on his cheek, the plump fingers threading the wavy masses of his floating hair. Under the right arm and shoulder one little downy wing is tucked away, while the other peeps up from his back with pretty suggestiveness. Over head are drooping, shadowy boughs covered with rich foliage, and the background reveals a deep perspective of cool forest shade. The picture is of striking simplicity, yet remarkable composition, and the figure of the "Sleeping Love" himself, with drooping eyelids and softly parted lips that offset the rounded beauty of babyhood, is one of the prettiest you could well conceive of.—Messrs. J. H. Haulenbeck & Co., proprietors of Godey's Lady's Book, have produced this charming picture most successfully.

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PENTECOST—MATTHEWS.—At the Rectory in this village, on Nov. 26, by Rev. J. Phelps, Mr. Jesse Pentecost and Mrs. Nancy Matthews, both of Cambridge.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Dec. 3, 1884:

Collins, James,	Nearns, Viola
Kelsey, Stephen & Son	Taylor, Wm.
Ludlow, Edmund	Thornton, Ella

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSAGRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Dec 1, 1884:

Burges, Geo. B.	Nease, S. E.
Culp, Miss Marenta	Parsons, G. C.
Davis, Hall	Pocklington, Christ.
Fairfield, Minnie	Sanford, Mrs. Amelia
Reaner, Wm.	Springhorn, Fay
Gaster, Mrs Hiram	Thornhead, James
Howell, Nelie	Taylor, Miriam
Howell, Mrs	Vanduser, Annie
Howard, W.	Winton, Fred
Muggleberg, Frank	Whelr, John

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Barley ₩ bushel	50 @	60
Beans ₩ bushel	1 00 @	1 25
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	40 @	50
Buckwheat flour ₩ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₩ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	20 @	25
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	@	40
Clover Seed	3 75 @	4 00
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs ₩ doz	@	22
Flour ₩ barrel	4 50 @	5 00
Fowls—dressed ₩ pair	4 00 @	4 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay ₩ ton	7 00 @	8 00
Honey ₩ lb	@	15
Ham ₩ lb	@	14
Lard, ₩ lb	@	10
Oats, ₩ bushel	25 @	26
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	30 @	35
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat White, ₩ bushel	@	79
Wheat Red, ₩ bushel	@	79
Wool	28 @	27

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Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is a positive cure for malaria, kidney and liver diseases, and for all those ills peculiar to women.

MATTAWAN, N. J., March 3, 1881.

Dr. Kennedy, M.D., Rondout, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—I have used your valuable medicine, Favorite Remedy, in my family for liver difficulty, and find it an excellent preparation, worthy of the recommendation it bears.

MRS. MARGARET HAYES.

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WONDERFUL CHRISTMASSES OF OLD, by Hezekiah Butterworth. Ten drawings by Lungren.

CHILD-LIFE IN VENICE. Two articles, with twenty drawings by Joseph Pennell.

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ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE SUTTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 26th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charlotte Sutton, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harriet Sutton, a daughter of said deceased, praying for the probate of a instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to petitioner, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of December next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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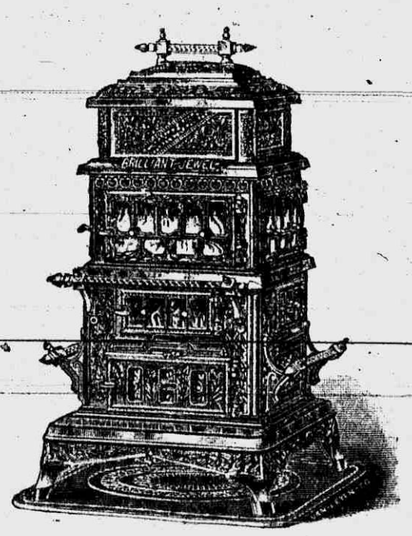

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Quarterly meeting next Sunday.

The Sunday school are making preparations for a concert which will be held the last of the month.

Rev. W. Q. Burnett, of Tecumseh, occupied the pulpit Sunday morning, as Rev. W. J. Clack was not able to attend.

Ben Kelley, H. W. Stevens & Co. shipped one car load of hogs to Buffalo from here on Saturday.

Some farmers are plowing and say it turns over fine.

You can pay your taxes next Friday at the store of S. P. Smith. The treasurer Chas. DuBoise has appointed that the meeting place. The school tax is 68 cents on a hundred valuation.

Mrs. Burt Helm, of Coldwater, came to attend the funeral of Eddie Helm on Saturday but arrived too late. She spent the Sabbath with Mr. and Mrs. S. Helm, returning home Monday.

The Missionary meeting which was held at Mrs. W. P. Cadmus, on last week Wednesday was quite largely attended and all enjoyed a splendid time. Mrs. Cadmus knows how to make folks enjoy themselves.

The lecture given at the church on Thursday night of last week, by the Rev. Mr. Pitcher, a missionary from China, was very interesting.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Vasser, is home having had to close his school on account of diphtheria.

The church social will be held this week Friday night at the home of Dr. R. H. Nelson and a cordial invitation to all.

The little four year olds are turning their wistful eyes towards the old chimney corner to select a nail on which to hang their stocking as Christmas approacheth.

Dr. R. H. Nelson left Monday for Ligonier Ind. to see his sister Miss Allie Palmer, who is very sick.

The Literary elected the following officers for the society at a meeting held last Friday night.

Pres.—Martin Palmer.
1st Vice Pres.—G. P. Waring.
Sec.—Miss Kittie Clark.
Asst. Sect. Miss Ada Linn.
Treasurer—Ella Jackson.

They will hold their first meeting for the term next week Friday evening in the Hall where an interesting program will be carried out.

The additional school tax for the new school house in Dist. No. 1, Ridgeway, has so worked upon the mind of one of the Macon tax payers of the Dist. that while returning home one night last week he got lost in one of Sam. Rappleye's forty acre fields, and says that he was an hour and a half in finding his way out. He thinks he never saw as fine scenery in those parts before and has lived within a short distance all his life.

After a long sickness Eddie Helm passed away on Friday about 11 o'clock. The funeral was held at the church on Saturday afternoon. The remains were laid at rest in the Tecumseh cemetery, Rev. Geo. Hudson, of Tecumseh officiating.

Having a little leisure time, we with some of our friends, made Mrs. W. H. Arner and family, of Raisin, a short visit on last week Thursday. We found them all and enjoyed a very pleasant time. Eddie is running the farm giving his attention mostly to cabbage culture and pork raising. Albert is attending school at Ann Arbor. Charley has a situation with a hardware firm at Wellington, Ohio.

TIPTON TOPICS.

The new Congregational parsonage is nearly completed and will in a short time be occupied by Rev. Mr. Wall from Berrien county, Mich., who has been engaged to labor among the people for the next year. A new furnace has been placed in the church and everything looks favorable for a revival of its former prosperity.

Socials are numerous this fall and well attended.

Dances too are frequent and well patronized.

Albert Morseman and Wyman Wells have returned from their trip to Kansas and express themselves well pleased with the country they have visited.

It is said that arrangements have at last been satisfactorily made with the M. & O. Railway Co., concerning a depot at Tipton, and the work of building grading, etc., will soon commence.

A number of our citizens have the Kansas fever and unless it wears off a year from now will find a good many who are now residents of Franklin living on the fertile prairies of that State, which is destined on account of its great agricultural resources and healthy climate, to become one of the foremost commonwealths in the Union, its grasshopper repudiation notwithstanding.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Rain and mist have quenched the music of November harps, but chilly refrains are preluding the long marked winter.

No news items of general interest are ripe enough to gather, for there is not enough concert of action among us to produce a genuine muss. Everybody is afflicted with self interest epidemic, and scrabbling about in a net-work of financial difficulty racking their brains and damaging the decalogue by trying to map out a plan of economy that will save me and mine. No doubt it will be a nice game, but isn't it most too intricate to play single-handed and merit divine approbation? Forgetfulness of other's woes is the name of it. Our Doctors have diagnosed the disease thoroughly but fail to prescribe a remedy. There is a great deal of enforced idleness at this season, and as hours must be freighted with something, there is a growing demand for amusement. Club dances, skating rinks, masquerades, concerts, and theatres are resorted to by many who can ill afford to bestow patronage because the price of such is too high, and what should become a moral benefit, has a pernicious effect on both pocket and heart growth. The policy that tempts to self-gratification by excluding others, needs an amendment. There is plenty of amusement in the world, but those most in need of it are practically debarred, because the price is not in harmony with their purse. The custom of asking 25 or 50 cents admission fee to a weekly entertainment, is one that enables the rich to attend without detriment to housekeeping, and sets caste to the tune of a very select audience. But how often can laboring men take their families? Not once a month, unless there is retrenchment from the cellar to eaves, and then half the time children are counted out, or only one selected and the rest left to magnify discontent, and mature plans for getting into the show somehow. Yet these people compose the majority, and appreciate amusements as much as any class known. They could spend a reasonable amount of time and money, in enjoying them, if they were conducted on the principle of greatest good to the greatest number. The entertainments are few, for which ten cents is not a fair remuneration for capital invested, in talent or otherwise. Besides it is a price that insures managers full houses, and puts it out of the power of pretty cliques, or fortune's favorites to deal out loss and mortification with which to drape vacant seats, as caprice or prejudice dictates.

Those who sell amusement have great opportunities to cultivate the good or bad, inherent in the natures of those who buy, or to sow broadcast, envy, discontent and ill will among those prudence or penury holds aloof. They can awaken love of right, and cultivate taste for refining influences cheaply and with assured daily pecuniary and spiritual profit to themselves, or they can be human sponges to absorb the coin of society weaklings. But will the rich come if we set a price within reach of all? asks one. It would be the best reason for withdrawal of patronage they ever had; gentlemen please try it and give the children a chance.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

We noticed the familiar face of our townsman D. St. John on our streets during the fore part of last week. He was looking after some business interests here. He will return to Clinton with his business and his family in the early spring. So you see Clinton still has attractions for those who have sought a better place and have not found it.

The Clinton Local made its appearance among our people on Saturday last. It has the appearance of being a sprightly little sheet. It is replete with the news of this and neighboring towns. We bespeak for it a brilliant future and hope it may meet with the success it merits. So come up and subscribe at once and make the proprietor's sum of success.

Some of our people were considerably excited at the conduct of a vicious dog kept by our new comer a Mr. Cooley who recently moved to Clinton from Sand Lake. A short time ago the said dog having bitten two or three of our citizens notice was served on the owner of the dog according to law to kill said dog within twenty four hours. Whereupon the good woman of the house gave the officers permission to sacrifice the dog, and now the dog is dead. He biteth no more and now somebody who killed a valuable dog belonging to Harry Lancaster waxeth hot.

The good people of Clinton are now sympathizing somewhat with the parties of a case of pure domestic infelicity, the parties to which belong in our neighboring township of Manchester. Porter has the fort in peaceable possession while his wife has taken rooms at David G. Service's. May their bliss in separation be equal to the connubial bliss enjoyed in their first marital relations.

The Davises, Dan and Kos, are making nice improvements in the News Office where they will soon commence business. Kos will carry on the Jeweler's business and will keep a full line of jewelry and silver ware suitable for Holiday presents. All who anticipate buying anything in that line for friend or sweetheart will find something there nice and unique in style. Dan will have charge of the confectionary and the culinary department. We bespeak for the boys a liberal patronage. They wish all to understand that the people from the country coming to town on business can always find at their establishment something to eat but nothing to drink but tea and coffee. Oysters in any and every style. You Tecumseh folks remember this when you come to Clinton.

The Sunday school connected with the Congregational church will give a public entertainment at the Town Hall on Monday evening December 15, consisting of select reading, declamations, singing and a short address by the preacher.

The Ladies of St. John's church have now their arrangements completed for their annual fair in the afternoon of Friday the 12th. Entertainment in the evening will consist of tableaux, recitations and drama. The care and labor bestowed upon the drama merits a large patronage from the public, which we think they will receive. From what we know of the ladies having the matter in charge, we can safely say that they will have an excellent supper, which will be served from 5 to 7 o'clock P. M., after which the exercises of the evening will commence. We think we can safely say that the fair and all else connected therewith, will be such that we shall expect to see a large delegation from Tecumseh, who will thereby help to forward a worthy enterprise. Tecumseh friends come along. Supper, 15 cents; entertainment, 15 cents. Come out.

Married at the Baptist Parsonage on Tuesday evening, 9th inst., Charley Keysor and Miss Hattie Codling. May the blessings of Heaven attend them.

Jas. McDermott has quit his position as night watchman in the woolen mill and Fred Wainwright has taken his place as night watcher.

W. S. Kimball's little boy has now a little sister, weight nine pounds, and now Mr. Kimball walks erect and with as much precision as a West Point Cadet.

John Hause has moved his egg-packing business from the office of the Town Clerk into the saloon building formerly occupied by Jas. Carroll near the Railroad on Chicago street. Call and see him and he will convince you that Clinton is the place to sell not only the eggs, but chickens as well.

The social of the Congregational church was held on Wednesday evening of this week and very well attended. The receipts in cash were very liberal.

We understand that the Town Clerk has taken in and drawn orders for nine hundred and eighteen woodchucks so far this year, and still they come. What would the number have been if the township had been twice as wide as it now is? The amount paid so far for woodchuck scalps this year is $137.70, besides the clerk's fees.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Dec. 8, 1884. Gates Smith was plowing.

Albert Barnes has sold his crop of pop corn for 75 cents a bushel.

Mrs. William Wallace is on the sick list.

The Commercial telegraph line is now fourteen miles long.

James Updyke Jr. was one of the parties who sent a correct answer to the Adrian Times chess problem.

Horatio Keyser has had an IXL wind engine erected on Milburn Keyser's place. L. M. Waldron furnished the mill.

S. P. Sheldon has returned from Ill. where he was called to attend the funeral of his father, who died very suddenly.

Deacon Cook, of Franklin, had two bags of wheat stolen Saturday night. Pretty small business stealing wheat at the present prices.

Mrs. John Bunn had a stroke of paralysis last week causing the loss of the use of one side.

Mr. Geo. Raymond and wife are visiting at Clarence Cook's this week.

Miss Etta Spaulding made her sister, Mrs. L. L. Mangas, a visit last week and returned home Sunday.

A. A. Mangas has been called on to assist in doing chores for his uncle, John Hayward of Raisin. Mr. Hayward has been very sick and is still confined to his bed.

ONSTED ODDS.

Missionary concert at the church next Sunday evening.

George Hines is engaged in buying poultry.

Elston Fulmer started for Antrim county, last Monday.

M. P. Wemple returned from his visit in Ohio, last Saturday.

Wilson Lee has engaged a shoemaker, and expects him soon. Thus one more of the needs of the people here will be provided for.

Frank Darling has moved into Jacob Maxwells house, and David Corwin into John Onsted's house, recently vacated by Edward Carruth.

Nelson Kinney returned from Jonesville last Monday, where he had been to see his son-in law, John Mills, who is very sick.

William Onsted has been having his house papered and painted inside. The material used was first class, and all that need be said about the work is that it was performed by James Braynard and Charles Nearing.

L. H. Sheeler and wife were agreeably surprised Saturday evening by receiving a visit from a large number of friends. All had a pleasant time and some valuable gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Sheeler.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending December 29, 1884:

Estate of Hattie Force et al., minors; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of commissioners; guardian's first account filed; order of allowance.

Estate of Charlotte Sutton, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Dec. 29.

Estate of Eveline McWilliams, minor; release of guardian; discharge.

Estate of Martha Jones, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Abraham A. Berry, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Dec. 29.

Estate of Ansil A. Main, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John Renklaw, et al., minors; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Agnes Campbell, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Arthur J. Beardsell et al., minors; guardian's sixth annual account filed; order of allowance.

Estate of William F. Allen, deceased, affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $10,000.

Estate of William Colyer, deceased; affiavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $800.

Estate of William Dutton, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Caroline Wheeler, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until December 8, at ten A. M.

In the matter of the application for the appointment of three special commissioners on Perdy drain, Palmyra township; affidavit of service of citation filed; order appointing commissioners.

Estate of William G. Gilbert, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of William A. Bichner, minor; release of guardian; discharge.

Estate of Barbara Beagle, diseased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Dec. 29.

Estate of Herbert L. Baker, minor; guardian's bond on sale of real estate filed; oath before sale.

Estate of Thomas Fitzpatrick, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

The subject of entertaining and wholesome reading for the family circle is one of practical interest in every household. It cannot be denied that the tendency of the American press is in too large a degree toward sensationalism and in some instances even the sentiments of purity and sacredness is an insufficient barrier against the all-pervading desire of being novel and startling in the presentation of news. The exceptions to this common rule among metropolitan journals of the day are so few as to be worthy of notice when encountered. The CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS is one of the few papers of which it may be strictly said that nothing objectionable to pure thought and morality ever appears in its columns. It is an enterprising paper—none in the West more so—but more than that, it is a clean paper, one which it is safe to take into the family circle. The CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS and the TECUMSEH HERALD will both be sent to any address, for $2.25 a year, postage included. Send subscriptions to this office.

The Coldwater Republican says that Mr. T. H. Moss, "the horse radish man," has commenced to grate 4,200 pounds, or over 100 bushels of trimmed roots of horse radish, raised on a piece of ground 14x15 rods in Coldwater township. He finds a ready market for it in the towns along the L. S. & M. S. and M. C. railroads. Coldwater horse radish is becoming as famous as Kalamazoo celery.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 11, 1884.

I.

Suppose that every wind and breeze
That lightly blows and rustles by
Should only whisper through the trees:
I.

Suppose the sea, the flashing sea,
One sound alone should carry nigh
The shore, and it should ever be:
I.

Suppose the happy, flitting birds,
That warble 'neath the sunny sky,
Should sing (could they indulge in words),
I.

Suppose the fragrant, lovely flowers
Should wear a tint of beauteous dye,
And on each petal we could read:
I.

Suppose the silvery, summer rain,
Feeding the springs and streamlets dry,
Should have this musical (?) refrain:
I.

Suppose the cricket by the hearth,
Whose chirpings wintry storms defy,
One note of cheer should give the earth:
I.

Suppose the thunder's hollow roar
And crash, in empyrean high,
Should have this echo, and no more:
I.

Suppose Niagara, clothed in mist
And pride of glorious majesty,
Should utter always, as we list:
I.

The brilliant stars pursue their way,
The sun its beams does not deny,
They fill their role, but never say:
I.

At her appointed hour the June
Brings roses; yet there is no cry
Of, Look, who walks in blossom shoon?
I.

Yet man, the egotist, will not learn
From Nature, bounteous though shy
Of speech. Good works will honor earn
I.

Need not so often be the great,
Colossal pronoun, if we try
In proper bounds to regulate:
I.

—*Laura Rosamond White, in Cleveland Leader.*

GRANDMOTHER'S STORY.

How She Made a Hiding-Place of a Brass Kettle.

It was a stormy day, and the children were popping corn over the glowing coals in the grate.

Grandma sat with her knitting work near the fire, and the kitten was chasing a great white fluffy kernel around the room with her frisky paws.

"When I was a little girl and lived at the West," said grandma, "my brothers and I used to pop corn in the ashes."

"How could you do that?" said Tom, "I shouldn't think it would have popped at all."

"O, we didn't use coal ashes, but scraped a clear place in front of the great wood fire, put the corn down in little heaps, and then covered each heap carefully with hot ashes, placing a live coal or so on the top, and in a little while they would come popping out all over the floor."

"What fun!" said Meg. "I wish we had a fire-place and a wood fire."

"Grandma," said Bess, who had been reading frontier stories, and was more interested in Indians than popping corn at present, having become somewhat tired of the occupation, "did you ever see any Indians in those days?"

"I saw one, and he frightened me nearly out of my senses."

"O, do tell us about it!" cried all the children in the same breath. "The corn is all popped now, and it will be so nice to hear a story while we are eating it."

"Wait till I count the stitches on my needle, and then, if you will promise not to ask me to tell it over again for a month at least, I will tell you the story."

They promised, and seating themselves in a row, each with a dish of corn in his or her lap, waited impatiently for the stitches to be counted.

"When our family moved to the West," began grandma, "I was only eight years old. It was a pretty, but lonely spot where our little log house was built, in a clearing not far from the edge of the prairie. If you went far enough into the woods or across the prairie, you could hear the wolves howl at night.

"There were no roads for a great distance, only a path or trail, as they called it, and our nearest neighbor lived nearly a mile away.

"When we first went there, we had a great dread of Indians—or at least mother and we children had, though father used to laugh at us, saying that there were no hostile Indians in the region, and the remnant of a copper-colored tribe, which still lingered on the outskirts of the State, would have to run the gauntlet of—I don't know how many blockades to get at us.

"But it was only a very few years before that they were scalping and committing all sorts of depredations within a mile or two of the spot where we were living, and my mother was continually on the lookout for them, though she was very careful not to say anything to frighten us children.

"As for me, I was a nervous, delicate child, and there was not a day during the first six months of our life in this new country that I didn't imagine that I saw one. If a tuft of leaves stirred out in the still twilight, I was sure that it was the feather in an Indian's cap. If I heard the cattle tramping about in the underbrush, I was sure that a whole horde of Indians were coming to ransack the house. If I looked out into the moonlight, every shadow took the grim shape of a chief, tomahawk and all. If I peered up the wide chimney to see the sparks from the fire fly up to the stars on a winter's night, I never failed to encounter twinkling, sly and terrible eyes gazing down into mine."

"Did you, truly?" inquired little Joe, with his mouth agape with astonishment.

"Why, no, Joe. Grandma said she only imagined it all, you know, because she was afraid," explained wise Bess, impatient of the interruption.

"And every night before I went to sleep," grandma continued, "I heard all sorts of noises, which I had no doubt were Indians trying to break into the house, shaking the bolts of the doors or tramping about on the roof over my head. But as time passed on these fears and imaginations gradually wore away, and when summer came even I had forgotten nearly all about Indians.

"It had been a late, cold spring. The rain dripped off the eaves and blurred the windows nearly every day; and when the sky was clear, a chilly wind blew, that frightened back the leaves and blossoms, and stopped the birds' songs in their very throats.

"But when June came, the weather was so lovely that we children played out of doors the whole day long. The flowers seemed to be making up for lost time and crowded everywhere, dressed in all sorts of pretty colors. They peeped through the chinks of our log cabin, climbed to its very roof in pretty, graceful vines, and made it, as crude and clumsy as it was, a perfect bower of beauty.

"I was so weary after those long, sunny days out of doors, that I went to sleep as soon as my head touched the pillow, and heard no more shaking bolts or feet tramping overhead. Mother no longer searched every nook and corner, every crevice and closet, before going to bed; and we often left the house by itself in the daytime, with doors and windows wide open, and nothing but the sunbeams, or perhaps a stray chicken, had ever ventured to stray within.

"One warm afternoon in July, mother and the boys went berrying, leaving me at home alone. Father was at work on what we called the 'burnt land,' three-quarters of a mile away. I had expected to be one of the berrying party; but as I had been out of doors all the forenoon, and was afflicted with a headache, mother thought it would not do at all for me to go out again under the hot sun.

"'You won't be afraid to stay in the house alone, will you, Mary?' said she. 'I don't know what could possibly harm you. I wish you would feed the chickens about four o'clock. Be sure to take the gingerbread out of the oven in about ten minutes, and don't let pussy get her nose into the custard-pies which are cooling in the window.'

"I wasn't afraid the least bit in the world. The sunshine was streaming in at the open door; the birds were singing in the bushes outside, and the speckled kitten was chasing her tail around the kitchen floor. Who would think of being afraid, or even lonely, when everything was so bright and pleasant?

"I took the gingerbread out of the oven. It was what folks called a tin kitchen, an affair with several shelves, which stood before the blaze in the fire-place. Everybody used it in old times, before stoves were plenty.

"Then I covered the fire with ashes, that it might not go entirely out. When it was time to boil the tea-kettle for supper, you could rake the ashes away, and there would still be hot coals under them.

"Then I sat down and rocked by the cool window, where a breeze blew in through the morning-glory vines, and soon fell into a sort of doze. But it was not long before a bumble-bee came in and wakened me, and, glancing out of the window, I beheld a sight which fairly froze my blood with horror.

"It was a tall Indian, dressed precisely as I had seen Indians dressed in pictures, making long, but leisurely strides toward the house.

"He had a sort of topknot feathers on his head, like that of one of our cropple-crowned hens, and I could see that his long, brown arms were quite bare, and looked like copper in the sunlight.

"What should I do? where could I hide myself? My heart was beating so violently that I felt almost suffocated, and I stood for a moment in the middle of the floor, unable to move or think.

"But there was no time to be lost. He was coming so near that I could almost see his face now, and what, oh! what if he should find me when he got into the house!

"It did not once occur to me to bolt the doors; but, if it had, there would have been hardly time for the bolts were very heavy, and it was as much as I could do to move them, and then the windows were all open too, and though they were very small, the Indian might have squeezed through one of them at a pinch.

"I ran wildly toward the bedroom, and was about to creep under the bed. But no, that would not do, I thought. His long arms might reach me there. Then I rushed through the kitchen into the shed, and looked about me in a perfect frenzy.

"Suddenly the huge brass kettle which had been my grandmother's caught my eye, hanging from a beam overhead, and quick as thought I climbed first on to father's work-bench, which stood underneath, thus, obtaining a footing on a wooden peg which was driven into the wall, I managed to swing myself on to the beam, and from thence let myself down into the kettle, which was large enough to hide me completely.

"I had never accomplished such a feat before; but I was a light and nimble child, and in my fear and excitement it seemed easy enough to perform.

"The kettle had not ceased moving after my leap into its brassy depths, when the Indian entered the door. I was sure that he would see it, and gave myself up for lost. I was really paralyzed with fear, and if I had tried to scream, I do not think I could have done so.

"But he evidently did not look up in that direction. He stood stock-still in the middle of the floor for a moment or two, uttering some indistinct words in his guttural Indian tongue. Then I heard him stride into the kitchen, and from thence into the bedroom, still talking away as fast as he could talk. Then I heard him tramping about overhead. He had climbed the ladder into the loft.

"But in a few moments he was back again, investigating the pantry. Mother had been doing a whole week's baking that morning, and the shelves were filled with nice brown loaves of bread, custard and berry pies, a great milk-pan full of cookies, and the gingerbread which I had just taken out of the oven.

"Judging by the sounds which I heard from that direction, I thought he must be eating; and every once in a while there came a deep grunt of satisfaction, as if he had found something that he liked very much. Then, for a little while, there was deep silence, and then, to my great relief, he stole very quietly and swiftly out of the house and away, taking the same path by which he came.

"I peeped out from my hiding-place and saw him disappear in the distance. Then a mist came over my eyes and I lost consciousness. I had been expecting every moment that he would espy the kettle, which was so huge that it generally attracted attention, and proceed to investigate; and now my relief was so great that I was entirely overcome.

"When I recovered my senses I heard my mother's voice calling me:

"'Mary, Mary, where are you?'

"'O, mother,' screamed my brother Cyrus, who always repaired to the pantry the minute he got into the house, 'just look here! All the baking's gone, pies 'n' everything, and there's crumbs all over the floor.'

"'There's been an Injun here,' I gasped, from my perch overhead.

"'I should think so,' said my mother, who gazed up into my white face, the very picture of consternation. 'How in the world did you get up there, child?'

"Just then father came running in quite out of breath.

"'Have you seen anything of an Indian?' he gasped. 'One has been seen running toward the river, laden with stolen property, quilts and coats and things, they say. I didn't know but that he had been making ravages here, as you were all gone berrying.'

"Then I piped up and told my story; but when father stood on the bench and took me out of the kettle, I fainted again in his arms.

"On investigation, it was found that the Indian had not only taken all the bread and cake and pies in the house, but had seized upon a gray patchwork quilt, father's winter overcoat and a bright scarlet petticoat of mother's. The silver spoons and a heavy silver tankard—the very one that is standing on the sideboard now—were all in plain sight; but he probably had no idea of their value and so left them untouched.

"All the men in the settlement immediately turned out in pursuit of the thief; but they did not capture him. And he was never seen or heard of in that region again."—*Susan Hartley Swett, in Golden Days.*

HE SAVED HIS LIFE.

General W. S. Harney Tells How He Once Saved Abraham Lincoln from Death.

Every schoolboy has heard of General W. S. Harney, the Indian fighter, and will be glad to know that the old hero still lives at the age of eighty-four, and, with the exception of a somewhat impaired vision and a slightly defective memory, enjoys excellent health. He is now on a little pleasure tour from his home in St. Louis, and has just married his housekeeper, Mrs. St. Cyr. Both of his daughters are married and living in France. One of them married Count de None, of the French army, and the other, Viscount de Thury, a French gentleman. The son of the General lives in St. Louis. "I was in command in Missouri when the war broke out," said the General to a reporter recently, "and had I not been relieved by President Lincoln in May, 1861, I am sure there would have been no bloodshed in that State; but I never blamed Mr. Lincoln, for he and I were old friends. So much political pressure was brought to bear upon him by Frank P. Blair and others that I suppose he had to relieve me. And yet," continued the General smiling, "Mr. Lincoln never saw me without reminding me that I once saved his life."

"How was that, General."

"Well, said the General laughing, Mr. Lincoln was Captain of a company of volunteers, and I was Captain of a company of regulars during the Black Hawk war. I remember well how Captain Lincoln used to come to our rendezvous, General Taylor's headquarters, and tell stories that amused us immensely. He used to lie on the grass and very frequently would say: 'That reminds me,' and begin a funny story.

"One day Lincoln said to me: 'I say, Harney, let's pick out four or five shots from our commands and go gunning for Indians on our own hook.' 'All right, Lincoln,' said I; 'but do you know anything about Indian fighting?' 'Well, not much, but I am a pretty good shot.' 'That will do to start on,' said I, 'but let me tell you thing—never look for a redskin in front of you; look out for your flanks.' Well, we started out and soon came on signs of redskins. All of a sudden, while I was watching the flanks, I saw an Indian drawing a bead on Lincoln. As quick as I could possibly do so I leveled my rifle and fired. I didn't hit him—at least he didn't fall—and he ran away. Even after that Captain Lincoln insisted that I had saved his life.—*St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

She Wore the Steamer.

A Confederate officer during the war captured a Federal steamer in the Gulf and brought it into Galveston. Federal steamers were not so plentiful as the gossip of the war would seem to indicate; and this prize was to the officer as the apple of his eye.

Being called away to Red River he left the steamer in charge of his wife—she had his power of attorney.

His Red River expedition did not turn out satisfactorily. His troops were overpowered with superior numbers and badly beaten.

Their commander returned hastily to get his steamer and secure reinforcements. On arriving in Galveston he learned to his dismay that his steamer was gone.

"Where's my wife?" he asked impatiently of the servants.

"She gone to Missy C.'s party, Massa," said the oldest and most faithful of them.

Without stopping to dress, he hurried to Mrs. C.'s, covered with dust and mud, and presented himself at the door.

He was shown in. His wife excused herself to her cavalier.

"What is the matter?" she asked.

"Where's my steamer?" said the officer in tones of suppressed excitement.

"Why, here it is, my dear," said his beautiful wife.

And then she pointed to a diamond cross glittering on her fair breast.—*Ingleside.*

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WHOLESALE POISONING.

Two Whole Families Poisoned with Arsenic and Strychnine—Discharged Servants Arrested.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, Va., December 9.—Excitement continues in this county over the recent poisoning at Fort Springs, Drs. Beard, of Anderson, and Crowley, of Lewisburg, are in attendance on the sick, of whom several are still in a precarious condition. Three attempts were made, and arsenic and strychnine were used each time. The families of Matthew Mann and James W. Goodwin, his son-in-law, reside within fifty yards of each other and take their meals together.

November 24 the first attempt was made, the milk having been poisoned, but the acid taste of the strychine prevented the family from drinking it. Mr. Goodwin was made dangerously sick; but the milk was thrown away without examination. On the 27th a second attempt was made. The family partook of biscuit and Mr. Mann and wife narrowly escaped death, still no steps at detection were taken. The last attempt was made Monday night last, at which time the milk was poisoned and was partaken of by all but two persons and twelve members were put in violent convulsions. Dr. Beard, upon examination of the milk, found particles of strychnine glittering on its surface. The adults have been removed from danger, but four children are now wavering between life and death. The use of arsenic and strychnine together prevented certain death.

What lent a mystery to the affair was that every person about the house, including the servants, had been poisoned. A detective worked upon the case, and after three days Esther and Mary Johnson, colored, who lived near by, were arrested and committed to jail. They had been discharged from the employ of the families and were supposed to have been actuated by revenge. They procured the poison separately at Lewisburg and are supposed to have placed it in the milk and flour at night. In their desire for revenge they used too much poison and thus saved the lives of nine out of thirteen persons.

Ida Lewis Connects Herself With the Church.

NEWPORT, R. I., December 9.—Ida Lewis, whose home is in the lighthouse on Lime Rock, and who has rescued many persons from watery graves, became seriously ill a few months ago and thoughts of the hereafter came to her, and she determined, as she says, to serve the Lord if He would give her health. She recovered, and yesterday was received into full fellowship at the Thames Street Methodist Church. In expectation of numerous candidates for membership appearing, the church was crowded, several were given communion and then a frail appearing woman of about thirty-eight years, with interesting features, presented herself. This was Ida Lewis, and she was quickly recognized. When she reached the side of the minister, Rev. Mr. Clark, he did not dispose of her as quickly as the others, but delivered a brief address, pointing out lessons from her courageous life, and referring to the reward which awaits her above. Directly after the service Miss Lewis was driven to her island home.

A Hercules Resisting Arrest.

WHEELING, W. Va., December 9.—Sarah A. Plyman, of Braxton County, one of the most remote mountain counties in the State, swore out a warrant last Friday for the arrest of her husband, Jacob Plyman, who, she said, had beaten and maltreated her shamefully. Henry Duffield and two assistants were sent to Crete's Mountain to make the arrest. The most ample preparations were made to capture Plyman, who is nearly seven feet high, and a hercules in strength. In a little shanty on the side of the mountain the officers found their man and asked him to surrender. He replied by firing with a Winchester rifle. The constables returned the fire, and others in the shanty fired shot-guns, deer-guns and revolvers. The firing was kept up for over an hour, when the officers, all of them severely wounded, withdrew for reinforcements and warrants for those who had assisted Plyman. A squad of deputy constable left here yesterday morning to capture the mountain fortress and bring its occupants to the Braxton Court-house.

Fatal Duel of Rivals.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., December 9.—A terrible tragedy was enacted at McKinney, a small town on the Cincinnati Southern Railway, late Saturday afternoon. Two young men named William Moore and John Adams, were both paying attentions to a young woman. They were fast friends and their rivalry was good natured until two weeks since, when the young lady began to show a decided preference for Adams. This nettled his rival, but he made no complaint. Saturday afternoon the two men went hunting, and finally Moore broached the question of their rivalry. A quarrel ensued, and almost simultaneously the two men stepped back, leveled their guns and fired. Moore fell dead with a dozen buckshot in his head. Adams received a charge of shot in his breast, which caused his death yesterday.

Heavy Snow Storm in Wyoming.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., December 9.—The snow storm, which has covered the ground here to the depth of several inches, was general to the north and west of here and on the line of the Union Pacific, the banks of the snow were so heavy that trains only got through by the use of several additional engines. On Sherman Hill the snow in places had drifted as high as the tops of the coaches, and the train which arrived here Sunday night was several times stranded, but the engines butted their way through. The snow did not pack, otherwise there would be a blockade. The passengers relate some thrilling experiences.

Train Robbers Arrested.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., December 9.—Sunday morning blood-hounds were put on the trail of the train robbers and followed into the city, and before noon Joseph Cook, J. C. Jones, John Clifford, Charles Campbell, and a boy named Parker had been arrested. Jones will probably be released. Three of the men arrested have been identified as having been among the robbers. The State has offered a reward of $1,000 for the capture of the robbers, and the railroad have added a like amount.

Will Make Hats Themselves.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., December 9.—The striking hatters have formed a co-operative hat manufacturing association, and over $5,000 is subscribed to the scheme. A building lot has been bought for $1,300 in cash. A building will be erected at once. The factories are still guarded and manufacturers still profess fear of violent outbreaks.

Found Hanging in the Woods.

COLUMBUS, O., December 9.—Joseph Buchner was found yesterday morning hanging to a tree in the woods west of the Children's Home. Letters on his person indicate that he was from Pittsburgh. The cause of the suicide is unknown.

Rheumatism.

Usually settles in the back or limbs, and often so completely overpowers its victims that all business or labor has to be abandoned. Our readers should remember that Hoods Sarsaparilla is not recommended as a positive specific for rheumatism; its proprietors doubt if there is, or can be, such a remedy. But many people who were most severely afflicted, state that they have been positively cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. The disease if often the result of impure blood,—hence the power of this great medicine over it. Its success in many severe cases justifies us in recommending its use to all sufferers from rheumatism. 100 doses One Dollar.

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Where Did Potatoes Come From?

Nobody knows precisely where the potato came from originally. It has been found, apparently indigenous, in many parts of the world. Mr. Darwin, for instance, found it wild in the Chonos Archipelago. Sir W. J. Hooker says that it is common at Valparaiso, where it grows abundantly in the sandy hills near the sea. In Peru and other parts of South America it appears to be at home; and it is a noteworthy fact that Mr. Darwin should have noted it both in the humid forests of the Chonos Archipelago and among the Central Chilian mountains, where sometimes rain does not fall for six months at a stretch. It was to the colonists whom Sir Walter Raleigh sent out in Elizabeth's reign that we are indebted for our potatoes.

Herriot, who went out with these colonists, and who wrote an account of his travels, makes what may, perhaps, be regarded as the earliest mention of this vegetable. Under the heading of "Roots" he mentions what he calls the "openawk." "These roots," he says, "are round, some large as a walnut, others much larger. They grow on damp soils, many hanging together as if fixed on ropes. They are good food, either boiled or roasted."

At the beginning of the seventeenth century this root was planted, as a curious exotic, in the garden of the nobility, but it was long ere it came into general use. Many held them to be poisonous, and it would seem not altogether unreasonably so either. The potato is closely related to the deadly-nightshade and the mandrake, and from its stems and leaves may be extracted a very powerful narcotic. In England prejudice against it was for a long time very strong, especially among the poor.

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Weight by Measuring.

The following rule for finding out the weight of an animal by measuring may prove convenient: "See that the animal stands square; then take his circumference behind the shoulder-blade—this is the girth. Then measure from the bone of the tail which plumbs the line with the hinder part of the buttock, and direct the string along the back to the forepart of the shoulder-blade; this will be the length. Then work the figures thus: Suppose the girth of bullock 6 feet 4 inches, length 5 feet 3 inches, which multiplied together make 33 square superficial feet; and these multiplied by 23—the number of pounds allowed for each superficial foot of cattle, measuring less than seven and more than five feet in girth—make 759 pounds. When the animal measures less than nine and more than seven feet in girth, 31 is the number of pounds to be estimated for each superficial foot. And suppose a small animal to measure 2 feet in girth and 2 feet in length, these multiplied together make 4 feet, which multiplied by 11—the number of pounds allowed for each square foot when cattle measure less than 3 feet in girth—make 44 pounds. Again, suppose a calf or sheep, etc., to measure 4 feet 6 inches in girth, and 3 feet 9 inches in length, that multiplied together, makes 16 square feet, and these multiplied by 16—the number of pounds allowed for cattle measuring less than 5 and more than 3 feet in girth—make 256 pounds. The dimensions of cattle, sheep, calves and hogs, taken this way, will give the weight of the four quarters of the animal, sinking the offal. A deduction must be made for animals half fat—of one pound in twenty from those that are fat; and for a cow that has had calves one pound must be allowed, in addition to the one for not being fat, upon every twenty."

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by John Kelly and Ann Kelly his wife, to David McConnell, dated September 4, 1876, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan in Liber 84 of mortgages on pages 741 and 742, which mortgage was by instrument in writing dated the 26th day of July, 1883, assigned by the mortgagee to the undersigned, Jane A. McConnell, and such assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 30th day of July, 1883, in Liber 104 of mortgages on page 452, upon which mortgage there remains now due and owing the sum of one hundred seventy-five 78-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the powers and provisions in said mortgage contained, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned, and the interest at ten per cent. to accrue thereon, costs of foreclosure and sale, including attorney's fees, according to terms of said mortgage, I shall on the 22d day of December, 1884 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of Dean's opera house, so called, on Toledo street in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is held) all that parcel of land situate in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point thirty-six (36) rods south of the northeast corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) of town five south of Range four east and on the dividing line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, and at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Sarah A. Darling; running thence west on north line of said Darling's land fourteen (14) rods to land owned by Wallace E. Gray; thence north parallel with said dividing line and along the east line of said Gray's and twelve (12) rods; thence east parellel with first course fourteen (14) rods to said dividing line; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning; excepting and reserving the rights of the public of a highway on the east side thereof, the width of two rods; also excepting and reserving from the lands and premises above described all that portion thereof which has been released from the lien of said mortgage, and which released portion is described as a parcel of land six rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south side of said land in said mortgage described.

Dated September 24, 1884.

JANE A. McCONNELL, Assignee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Assignee. sep25

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of said Peter R. Adams, deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at my residence corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, on Friday, the 2d day of January, A.D., 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate to wit: The northwest quarter of section one (1), the northeast quarter of section two (2), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section two (2), in Raisin township, Lenawee county, Michigan, comprising four hundred (400) acres of land. Also one hundred and thirty-five (135) acres of land, being the north part of the northwest quarter of section fourteen (14), in Clinton township, Lenawee county, Michigan. Also three story brick building and lot in village of Tecumseh, Michigan, lot beginning on the north side of Chicago street, one hundred and fifty-one and a-half feet east from the east line of Evans street at its intersection with the north line of Chicago street; thence east along the north line of Chicago street twenty-five feet; thence north at right angles with Chicago street to an alley; thence west 25 feet, thence south some 89 feet to point of beginning. Also land in village of Tecumseh, aforesaid to wit: Commencing at the intersection of west line of Evans street with north line of Kilbuck street; thence north on west line of Evans street nine rods and seven feet; thence west on south line of land in occupancy of Wm. Hayden and others seven rods; thence south on east line of land formerly owned by Nathan Blood nine rods and seven feet, to the north line of Kilbuck street, and thence east about seven rods along the north line of said street to place of commencement. Also lots numbered 75 and 76 on the original plat of the village of Tecumseh, except a parcel 8x8 rods sold off west side thereof. Also parcel of land in village of Tecumseh, Michigan to wit: Commencing on south line of Chicago street at west line of lot owned by Owens near Hayden's mill, thence south from said point on Chicago street twelve rods; thence west five rods; thence north twelve rods; thence east along south line of Chicago street five rods to point of commencement. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated November 17th, 1884.

CORDELIA M. ADAMS, Administratrix with the will annexed.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Marshall, late of the township of Franklin Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of January, 1885, and on the 9th day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 10th day of November, A. D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated November 19, 1884.

DANIEL W. LOYE,
ELIAS DePUY, Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of F. B. & F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 13th day of January, 1885, and on the 6th day of April, 1885 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884.

HORATIO KEYSER,
JEROME F. N. BOWEN, Commissioners
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Rufus R. Hall, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of F. B. and F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 31 day of January, 1885, and on the 2d day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of November, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Nov. 19, 1884.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
ALSTIN G. HALL, Commissioners.
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ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE SUTTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 26th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charlotte Sutton, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harriet Sutton, a daughter of said deceased, praying for the probate of a instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to petitioner, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate

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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. dec1.

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In announcing our plans for the new year, we shall indulge in no flourish of promises. The HERALD has made a record in the newspaper field. Its future can be judged in the light of the past. Our principal aim shall be to make the HERALD a good local family newspaper. General news, state news, and family reading will not be neglected, nor will editorial comment be eschewed. The HERALD is not, and never has been, a neutral paper. It has been, and will continue to be, an independent paper. We shall not shrink from expressing our honest opinions upon all subjects, whenever the occasion may seem to demand it.

Recognizing the tendency of the times towards reduced expenditure and economy in all things, we have arranged our subscription rates accordingly. The price of one copy for one year will remain the same as heretofore. New subscribers handing in their names at once will receive the paper for the present month of December free. All who pay one year in advance at full rates will receive as a premium a fine lithograph portrait of Grover Cleveland; 21x28 inches in size, the retail price of which is $1.00. People who prefer a cash reduction can be accommodated by clubbing with other papers. Our club schedule contains nearly all the papers and periodicals which are generally taken in this vicinity. Nearly every farmer in Northern Lenawee takes from three to six newspapers, and many receive a dozen. Selections can be made from the following list, and by taking several papers at once, a liberal discount will be given from regular rates.

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Courier-Journal	1 50	2 50
Peck's Sun	2 00	3 00
Burlington Hawkeye	1 25	2 50
The Lever	1 00	2 25
North. Am. Review	5 00	5 50

The Ohio man is not likely to be as numerous at Washington during the next four years as heretofore.

In round numbers, Michigan gave Garfield 185,000 votes; Blaine, 193,000; Hancock and Weaver, together, 166,000; Cleveland and Butler, together, 190,000. The prohibition vote grew from a thousand to about twenty thousand.

The Prohibition state central committee met last week and talked over the situation. They resolved to continue their organization and to call a state convention to meet Feb. 4th, 1885, to place in nomination a ticket for Supreme Judge and regents of the University.

The New York Sun says: The cackling of geese saved Rome. A few glasses of wine and brandy lost the American colonies to Great Britain. A lamp upset by a cow nearly destroyed the city of Chicago. A hoopskirt in one of the battles of the rebellion saved the federal army from a disastrous defeat. Three words uttered by a fool elected Grover Cleveland president of the United States.

The Pittsburg Telegram is responsible for the following: Jay Gould's little boy recently went to visit some country relatives. Early in the morning he arose, and missing his uncle, asked one of his cousins, "Where's Uncle Jabez gone?" "He's gone to water stock," replied Jabez' little boy. "What, so early?" exclaimed little Jay Gould. "Why, my pah never waters stock until he goes down town in the city, 'bout 10 or 11."

The Detroit Times says: The influence of the Cleveland-Butler combination was felt in most of the congressional and legislative contests and in many of the struggles over county officers, and it was an influence not to be despised. Many democratic officers-elect would have been defeated had it not been for the aid of their greenback supporters; and, of course, a number of greenbackers owe their election to democratic votes added to those of their own fellow partisans. In short, the terms of the combination were faithfully carried out by the combining parties; and the spirit of the combination on state officers and electors worked upon divers district and county conventions and produced unions of efforts which were more successful, though no more hearty and sincere, than the main one arranged at Ben Butler's suggestion. Disappointed politicians may "kick," but such are the facts.

The New York World says: Some disappointment probably awaits those persons who expect a wholesale displacement under Governor Cleveland's Administration of present office-holders and clerks in the Government service. So far as the Civil Service law extends it is mandatory, and it must either be obeyed or repealed. According to its provisions all persons who seek clerkships in Government offices where as many as fifty persons are employed must pass an examination at the hands of the various boards constituted for that purpose. This rule applies to all the departments at Washington and to the Post-offices and Custom-houses in the larger cities. More than that, clerks who hold positions under Civil Service rules can not be discharged without cause, and it is not a sufficient cause that other people seek the places they hold. Doubtless there will be many changes under President Cleveland's Administration, but probably nothing like the number commonly expected.

How Things Have Changed.

The Minneapolis Journal records the prophecy that the year 1885 will inaugurate a period of expansion and consequent boom in business that is likely to continue at least for several years, and it charges the present hard times to the remorseless contraction of Republican policy that has been going on for several years past in the rapid calling in of the bonds and the liquidation of the national debt. But the most important item in the argument of the Journal is this:

We have an idea that the policy of the incoming administration of Grover Cleveland will be to reverse, as far as possible, the financial policy of the preceding administrations in the matter of contradiction. A stop will be put to debt paying so far as possible. As few calls will be made for bonds as can be done under the discretion allowed by the law. The heavy surplus in the treasury will be paid out in some manner and circulated among the people. Inflation, so far as the administration can influence it—and it can do a great deal—will take the place of contraction. As soon as money begins to circulate more freely, business will begin to pick up. Goods will begin to move. Trade will revive. A demand for manufactured goods will cause the manufacturing establishments to reopen and to run on full time. In short, a business boom will set in.

The most interesting fact in the foregoing is that previous to the late snow storm on the 4th ult. the Journal, in common with many other papers, argued that the election of Blaine was necessary as a guarantee of good times and the future of business stability.

The coming holidays will be more generally observed than any for many years, and we would remind our readers that a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will prove a most acceptable present.

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FOR SALE. A choice lot of pure-bred Jersey calves of both sexes, at very low prices. Duroc Jersey pigs, $8 per pair. 15,000 feet oak and elm plank, 1,000 feet maple flooring, 8,000 feet bass wood, ⅞ to 1½; 5,000 feet white wood, 1½; a quantity of ash, cherry, and black walnut. JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

CENTRAL HOTEL, ADRIAN, MICH. FRED T. CLARK, PROPRIETOR. This hotel is located on South Main st., near the postoffice, the best location in the city. First-class accommodations and rates reasonable.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Wolcott, Temple & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Wolcott having sold his interest to John J. Van Gieson. The new firm of Temple, McClure & Co. assume all the obligations of the old firm and purchase all debts due the firm. All old accounts, both debit and credit, are to be settled with the new firm.
JOHN S. TEMPLE.
ISAAC C. WOLCOTT.
SAMUEL McCLURE.
Tecumseh, Dec. 4, 1884.

TO THE PUBLIC.—Having purchased the lumber business and planing mill lately run by Wolcott, Temple & Co., we are prepared to accommodate all in need of goods in our line, and respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage. TEMPLE, McCLURE & CO.
TECUMSEH, Dec. 4, '84.

BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the Griffiths shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Interfering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection. W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

OFF FOR FLORIDA.—Now is your time to buy an organ, piano, musical mdse., and instruments of all kinds and sewing machines at bed rock prices. A No. 10 upright Chickering and Duplex Pitch piano at wholesale prices. Three desirable houses and lots and my business building will be sold at low figures. Also a 7 year old bay mare, buggies, harness &c. If you want bargains call at once while you have a large stock to select from. Several second hand organs and sewing machines nearly as good as new. G. P. SPARKS.

STAMPING.—Mrs. H. E. Stout wishes to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that she is prepared to do stamping at all times at her residence 3d house north of Green House in Brownville.

C. A. Sharp is rusticating in Ohio.

The masons elect officers for the coming year on Friday, Dec. 26.

Mrs. C. Patterson returned to her home in this village from Cleveland yesterday.

You can hello! with the Patterson House now, a telephone being placed in there last Tuesday.

Our old furniture dealer, Wm. McCowen has a new proclamation in today's HERALD. Read it.

Hough & Hosmer have a change of card this week announcing their big stock of holiday presents.

J. S. Kinney also is expecting his share of the holiday trade, and tells our readers elsewhere what he can do.

Harley & Co., the leading hatters and furriers of Toledo, have a card in this week's HERALD which will repay perusal.

Geo. Smith saved a little boy by the name of Saxton from drowning in the Brownville pond last week. George should be presented with a medal.

Mary Ellen Chase says there will be three women to one man in Heaven. We are delighted to hear it; no one appreciates the society of the dear creatures more than we do.

Fred. Eaton & Co., of Toledo, have a new card in to-days HERALD, which it will pay to read. This firm has an immense trade and four large stores filled with goods. It is a good place to find bargains.

W. D. Adams has his Novelty store packed with goods for the holiday trade, and makes his formal announcement of the fact in this week's HERALD. It is claimed that old Santa Claus has a business interest in the Novelty store.

White Cleveland paid his subscription to the HERALD last Tuesday. There is nothing very remarkable about that, as White always pays in advance, but this is the fourth year in succession that he has paid for the paper on the 9th of Dec., and this circumstance is worthy of record.

When you go to Toledo, stop at the Burnett House. A gentlemanly landlord, commodious rooms, first-class cuisine, clean beds and polite attendants make a combination for a model public house, and the Burnett has all of these. Besides, their prices are fixed to meet the hard times. Try the Burnett.

The Masquerade at the skating rink last Tuesday evening drew a good crowd of both skaters and spectators. There were 85 maskers and 125 skaters on the floor after unmasking. The grand march was led by Will Eccles and Hannah Heesen who kept the procession in order. It would be useless to attempt to describe the different costumes some of which were decidedly fantastic. The spectators all enjoyed the sport.

The new landlord of "The Patterson" is busily engaged this week putting things to rights and settling the rooms ready for business. The Hotel now begins to assume shape and it will certainly be a very tasty and convenient edifice for a public house. It has an elegant office, reading room, a large and well lighted dining room, a splendid kitchen, lots of cellar room, while the chambers are all roomy and convenient of access. The new portion of the building has been finished in hard oil with wall decorations, and a good share of the old building has been treated in the same manner. Mr. Delano will serve his first meal next Sabbath by a Sunday dinner and will open the House to the public next Monday.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 11, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Milan's citizens are holding meetings looking to the incorporation of that village.

Township Treasurer Tribon received about one thousand dollars of the taxes last Friday.

Whenever you hear an evil report of your neighbor let it be locked up in your breast, don't repeat it.

Read over the prospectuses to be found in other columns of the paper. Something for every one will be found therein.

It is generally conceded that Adamson has the finest jewelry store and the largest stock ever brought to Tecumseh.

Don't get mad when you thoughtlessly leave a door open and some one asks you if you were brought up in a saw mill.

Adrian Record: Stacy of the Tecumseh Herald, desires "the gift of ubiquity." He wants to gobble up two dinners at once.

Miss Lizzie Smith who has been visiting relatives for the past few months at Sterling, Ill., returned to her home in this village on Friday last.

Johny Trann was in Tecumseh over Sunday. There must be some other attraction here than selling oil to bring John here so often on the Sabbath day.

W. H. Passmore arrived here Friday and remained over Sunday looking over matters connected with the Lilley House. He reports himself well pleased with his new home at Beloit, Wisconsin.

Hard times strike every body these days. Even the doctors are effected. At least we judge so from the fact that one of our physicians has so little business to draw his attention that he spends his time searching the records to ascertain whether the other Tecumseh physicians, like himself, have any mortgages on their property.

The Michigan Farmer is no doubt the best agricultural paper for a Michigan farmer to take. If he takes but one rural paper, he should not hesitate a moment in his choice. The paper has always been an admirable farm journal under its present management, and it is better this year than ever. Clubbed with the HERALD.

Adrian Record: The following passage in the testimony of a divorce case is given verbatim, and caused an audible smile on the face of Judge Howell last Saturday. The mother-in-law testified: "He put me and my daughter out of the house and told us to go to h—l; and so we went up to our house." The judge ordered a decree in the case.

The Redpath Concert was given Saturday to a good audience, and one which was thoroughly pleased with the entertainment. The concert was first class in every respect, and nearly every selection was favored with an encore. If the remaining entertainments of the Library Course shall equal this one, they will deserve and ought to receive a liberal patronage.

Evans' Business College, Adrian, is unusually full for this season of year. The special attractions for the student is D. C. Hardy's lightning Short Hand, and Type writing. Also $200,000 in Currency to be used by students in actual business illustrating Banking, Rail Roading &c. &c. Business Scholorships, $30, and the time of the student not limited. Send for Specimens.

Capt. Foster has purchased of W. H. Passmore the lease and good-will of the Lilley House and is now sole landlord and proprietor of the House. Since Mr. Passmore's removal to Beloit, Wis., Capt. Foster has been the practical manager of the House consequently there will be no change. It is no flattery to the new proprietor to say that Tecumseh never had a better landlord. The Lilley House, under his stewardship, will keep the high reputation it has hitherto enjoyed.

A. D. Lawrence has lately been putting the finishing touches on his new residence on Chicago street, and it is now practically completed.—Among the fine residences built in Tecumseh during the past year, it is one of the best. The exterior presents a most attractive appearance and the interior is finished to correspond. The first floor contains a vestibule, parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen and bath-room, and the second floor three large chambers and a track room. The kitchen conveniences must have been planned by Mrs. Lawrence, for there is nothing to be added in that line. The house is heated by one of Dobbin's house furnaces. The exterior is painted drab in various shades which beautifully harmonize and the casings, doors and inside blinds are all dressed in hard oil, which makes a handsome and durable finish. The house is plenty large enough for the family that is to occupy it, and we hope they may live long to enjoy it.

The roller skating fever continues unabated.

Read our announcement for 1885 and club rates in another column.

Mr. J. B. Coller, of Milan, spent a few days last week among his Tecumseh friends.

Willis F. Hood, of Deerfield, is a candidate for deputy oil inspector. Hope he will "get there."

The Rorick cheese factory of Seneca closed last week after the most successful run in the history of the concern.

Ab. Wilson has taken his old place in Clark's grocery store for a few days during the temporary absence of C. A. Sharp.

Dr. A. W. Smith would accept the position of state oil inspector. The Governor-elect could go farther and far worse.

The proprietor of the Petersburg Journal has concluded to buy a new Prouty press, as soon as he can raise money enough to pay the freight. He can get a press on tick, but it takes cash down to meet freight bills.

The first number of the Clinton Local, published by Chas. K. Spafford is on our table. It is a five column folio, well printed and well filled with local news. If the first number is an earnest of what is to follow the new venture certainly ought to succeed.

While in Toledo the other day we dropped in to see Chas. A. Keil who is located in a fine store at 231 Summit Street. We call the attention of our readers to his announcement on the 8th page. He is prepared to offer extra bargains during the holiday season.

Teas now at cost as long as they last. Fine Oolong that have sold for 80cents now to be had for 60 cents. 50c. tea for 40c. 75c. Japan tea at 60c. Genuine English breakfast at 50c. and Gunpowder tea at 70c. Call and see and you will purchase.
W. T. ECCLES.

The Morenci Observer says: "The Bohemian oat men report a great boom in their operations just now, and that all the parties who dealt with them last spring are coming out solidly ahead." They will invest again now, a lot of new gudgeons will bite too, and next fall the whole crowd will get left.

The Detroit Times is pushing ahead under Lloyd Brezee's management. If gratuitous advertising will build up a paper, the Times certainly ought to succeed. Brezee has the sympathy of the HERALD in his fight against the conspiracy against him, with our best wishes for and faith in his ultimate success.

The New York World, under its present management, unquestionably stands at the head of the Democratic press. It is allied to no faction and is the organ of no clique, but is a broad minded, liberal, able and faithful Democratic newspaper. Try the World for one year and see how you like it.

Tecumseh Lodge, No. 59, F. & A. M., is making preparations for a public installation and festival to come off the last week in December. Committees have already been appointed and preliminary work is under way. The exact date has not been fixed upon, but it will be as near St. John's day as circumstances will permit.

Macon Grange, No. 167, will meet in regular session, on Friday, the 19th inst. at 7 o'clock P. M. This will be the last business meeting of the year ending Dec. 31, 1884. The annual election of officers and a board of five directors of Grange Hall association will take place at this meeting.
M. J. MARTIN W. M.

The first meeting of the Union Club since the reorganization will be held in Exelby's Hall, Brittons on Tuesday eve., Dec. 16. Rev. J. W. Kerridge, of Clinton, will address the meeting. His former address was pronounced one of the best talks for temperance to which our people had listened for a long time. It is now fully settled that this question is to be the all absorbing issue of the near future, and is deserving the best attention of all thinking people. Come out and give Bro. Kerridge a good hearing.

The southeastern Michigan, beekeepers association met in Plymouth Church Chapel, Adrian, Dec. 3rd, with about 25 members present. The various questions pertaining to bee culture, such as wintering, overstocking, different races of bees, qualifications of a successful beekeeper, fall brood, care and marketing of honey, etc. were discussed with much interest. The amount of extracted honey reported was 14,000 pounds. Comb honey about 12,000 pounds. Number of colonies reported, spring count, 600.

W. H. Osborne Esq., of Milwaukee, was in town over Sunday. He left home about a week before and had been to Detroit on business, and came out on the Wabash and M. & O. roads Saturday evening. Mr. Osborne is now president and treasurer of the Wisconsin Malleable Iron Co., one of the heaviest manufacturing industries of Milwaukee, an establishment which employs about 200 men. His business has been suffering from the financial depression of the past few months but he looks for a healthy revival of business during the coming year.

John R. Clark delivered his lecture "To and Fro" at Blissfield a few days ago, and the Advance speaks very highly of it.

The Deerfield Star is the name of a new paper. We fear it will prove a fleeting meteor, rather than a fixed star in the Lenawee County constellation.

The two brass bands of Blissfield propose to get up a musical contest. Wouldn't it be a good plan for the Tecumseh bands to get up a musical contest?

A visit to the toy stores, provided you can get through the crowd, will do more to remove all suspicions of the existance of hard times than the most powerful argument.

W. T. Lawrence, the proprietor of the Lawrence House at Adrian will spend the winter in California, and during his absense Dwight A. Whitney will take charge of the house.

From the receipts of the last annual fair, the Morenci U. E. & D. P. Association have paid all interest, premiums and expenses incurred, and $600 on the real estate indebtedness.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Henry Smith fell on the sidewalk and broke the bones of her left arm between the elbow and wrist. Dr. Catlin reduced the fracture and she is now doing finely.

D. W. Clark fell upon the sidewalk, last Saturday afternoon and broke a bone of his left ankle. The fracture is not a serious one, but it will keep him quiet for several days. He is now hobbling about on crutches.

Nat Doke has had two happy spells this fall. One was when Cleveland was elected, and the other was last Thursday night when he was informed that he was the father of a nice girl baby weighing eight pounds.

Joe Mellon and L. Gregory will give a dance at Britton's hall, Britton on Wednesday eve., Dec. 31st. Good Music, and bill only $1.00. An oyster supper will be served also, and all who attend can rely on having a good time.

Adrian Record: Deerfield is in a high state of excitement. The usual quiet of society is about to be broken by three startling occurrences—a new store, a new wedding and a new postmaster. Who said Deerfield was a quiet town?

Morenci Observer: The autographic quilt, which the Congregational ladies have been getting up for some time past, has been disposed of and netted the society over a hundred dollars. The report was made at the Wednesday evening social.

We call the attention to the card in another column of Smith's German Olio, a new remedy for rheumatism. P. J. Welling, who has been a great sufferer from this ailment, has been taking this remedy with the best results. Mrs. P. J. Welling is agent for Tecumseh and vicinity.

Money is accumulating in the New York city banks faster than profitable use can be found for it. Happily the general stagnation in business is thought to be about ended. Money has begun to be distributed among the farmers and will soon have the effect of enlivening trade.

Next Saturday and Sunday is quarterly meeting at the Methodist church. Communion on Sunday and reception of members. A historic lecture on Sunday at 7 P. M. by Rev. Wm. J. Campbell, of Adrian, promises to be very interesting. Subject, Bishop Asbury, the first bishop of the Methodist Church.

Tax-payers who reside in what is called Brownville, have for many years dreamed of an iron bridge, with foot-path separated by a substantial railing, and a connecting link of sidewalk north and south. But it's only dreaming. A few days since Uncle Billy Bresie accidently saw a lady trying to reach the bridge from the north hill, and heard her exclaim "Thank Heaven I have only one more River to cross." The next morning he called on Oscar Bills; an hour later and the fat horses, Will Jordan and his partner commenced to engineer, and before night a neat foot-bridge over the gully, and a gravel walk was the result. Jordan says the improvement is a "starter" for the near future, and we continue to dream of an iron bridge.

B. J. Coller's holiday music trade opens up big. He sold two grand upright pianos and six organs within the past five days and received several orders for Christmas. The pianos were sold to Joseph Libbs, Railroad street; and T. W. Vandeburg, Comstock street. Organs to Joseph Stockwell, Dover; Clinton literary society; Chas. Terry, Morenci; Mrs. Grames, Deerfield; J. W. Dawson, Canandaigua; St. Joseph church. The pianos and organs he represents are Chickering, Sohmer, Haines Bros., and Christie & Son, pianos. Estey, Clough & Warren and Cottage organs. Come early and select, as I have just received a lot of new styles.

Special prices will be given to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity during the holidays. I am going to stay in the business, and parties buying of me will have their instruments and machines looked after as heretofore. B. J. COLLER, Adrian.

George Knapp, who has lately moved into the old Philo C. Mills house on Chicago street, is prepared to give lessons on the violin or cornet. See notice among the specials.

Business has been very brisk for the buyers of pork, grain &c. during the past two weeks, and while prices are not so high as in years past, sale can be found for everything at "live and let live" figures.

Will Hauck and Burt Garlinghouse started for the former's home in Pennsylvania yesterday, where Mr Hauck expects to remain this winter. Burt will take in New York city and see "the elephant" there before returning.

The merchant who thinks he is well enough known by the people to warrent him in not advertising, makes a great mistake. The same merchant loses many sales that are captured by his more enterprising neighbor who uses printer's ink.

Detroit News: The Clinton (Lenawee county) Local is a newcomer in the already well-raked-over newspaper field of that blessed country. It is "neat but not gaudy," as the monkey remarked when he painted the cat's tail a sky blue.

Mr. Cleveland will be the youngest man ever elected to the presidency, except General Grant. Franklin Pierce was a few months older on taking the oath, than Mr. Cleveland will be when he assumes the chief magistracy. The president elect was born March 18th, 1837.

Just now it is a weighty question as to whether the goose-bone or corn husking prophets are right. The former hold that in this winter the snow will lie deep on the cold, cold ground, while the latter insists that the green grass will grow all around. Between the two who can decide?

People who use postal notes should understand that there is no more security in sending them in a letter than than there is in sending bills. The Government does not undertake to make good any loss of these notes. They are merely useful in sending fractional parts of a dollar by mail.

The Michigan & Ohio has been provided with a new lunch system, which is becoming very popular. It consists of lunch baskets arranged with complete sets of table service and furniture. The passenger gives his order from a bill of fare to an agent who goes through the cars. The order is sent ahead by telegraph and on arriving at the proper station a basket supplied with the order and necessary service is brought in.

TO AND FRO.

DEAR HERALD:—

As I stand on the shore looking across Traverse Bay, sniffing a Polar breeze, or something resembling it, I send to you a few items to my native heath in the balmy south.

Traverse City is splendidly located and one might traverse far and wide in the great northern regions and fail to find a more complete little City than Traverse. This City is the result of that characteristic, Grip, Grit and Gumption so apparent in new regions. The citizens are justly proud of the State Asylum for the Insane, recently erected here at the cost of nearly a half a million of dollars.

I am on a test trip to prove the truthfulness of the prediction that Temperance Advocacy in the future will be a stench in the nostrils of the best people in the future. This prediction made after a recent political victory is simply an intimidation which of itself is very spooky; there is nothing in it. Starting at Blissfield, Lenawee Co. on Temperance and a popular theme, the best people were there. And in this region where the feeling is bitter, through the chagrin of defeat great crowds of the very best people were there, and stood during the whole of the meeting in Library Hall on Sabbath evening. If all were of the one party charged with being very favorable now to Temperance then I say, the country should rejoice in hope of the future of that party, but it is not so; the good old party will not desert the cause of truth and if they do the cause will go on. Truth, and Temperance is truth, is like Tennyson's gurgling brook.

"Men may come and men may go,
I flow on forever."

Journeying northward we marked how grandly rapid Grand Rapids is developing, not like the beautiful Damascus of the Bible distinguished for its white marble, surrounded by its lovely olive foliage looking like a pearl set on an emerald in the mellow glory of the sunlight; but it is surrounded as a beautiful city of White Brick. Not the least among many shrines of interest is the humble dwelling of Michigan's sweet singer Julia A. Moore. Her rural home embosomed by stately and whispering pines, inspiring her genius with their humming cadence, makes the home eminently helpful to so lofty and prolific a poetess.

Higher yet as the poet sings he pushes forward to Petoskey Cheboygan, Charlevoix and other points north until "We right about face" toward home, to wish you and yours dear HERALD, a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Cordially,
JOHN R. CLARK.

AN OPEN LETTER.

To counteract the misrepresentations circulated by B. J. Coller, of Adrian, about the White Sewing Machine, which are continually reported to me from all parts of the county. He makes sales of the New Home frequently by falsely representing that the White is not durable, because it is padded, and stuffed with cotton. The padding consists of two small pieces of rawhide riveted to each end of the shuttle carrier to prevent the shuttle making a noise, which makes it the stillest running machine made, and will last, as long as any part of the machine. The stuffing is a small bit of cotton saturated with oil, which the point of the shuttle enters, thus oiling itself. Mayer, Strouse, & Co., of New Haven, Conn., one of the most extensive corset manufacturers in the United States, certify that they have in use 500 White Machines, running 1000 revolutions per minute, and find them the cheapest machines to keep in repair of any they ever had during an experience of 18 years in the corset business. This is the severest test to which a machine can be put. I assert without fear of *honest* contradiction that no other machine will outlast the White. The popularity of the White is a great drawback to my *very honorable* competitor, who vainly imagines that he can overcome it by misrepresentation.

To those who contemplate buying a New Home I will give a pointer. Take off the plate back of the arm; and you will see that like the Singer it is constructed with a gearing or cog-wheels. The least obstruction of any hard substance, or flaw in the iron, will cause the cogs to break. For the proof of this I refer you to Messrs Deuel and Welling as to the number they have repaired. Any machine constructed on this plan is not first-class. Ask any competent machinist.

I will say in conclusion to my patrons and the "people of Tecumseh and vicinity that during the holidays I will give them special prices" which will discount B. J. Coller on anything in the music line. Please get his prices before calling. I respectfully invite you to call and examine the improved *White Sewing Machine* before buying any other. It is the stillest, lightest-running, and equal to any machine made for durability.
G. P. SPARKS.

—E. V. DePuy roasts coffee at his establishment and has it on sale. Call and try some of his fresh roasted and you will have no other.

—Fringed cards for Christmas and New Years, from 5c to $5, at Keip's.

—Holiday Novelties—see prices at Neuhausel Bros., Toledo.

—See those beautiful gold watches for Christmas presents at Adamson's.

—For a fine Portland or Swell body cutter or a set of Bobs call on Slayton & Son.

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—Adamson has the largest stock of diamonds ever brought to Tecumseh.

—Light running New Home Sewing Machines at Coller's Palace of Music, Adrian.

—Solid Silver and Plated ware,—an immense stock at Adamson's.

—For Games of all kinds go to Keip's.

—For Lumber Wagons, very cheap, call at I. B. Richart's.

—Dolls in China, wax, rubber; &c. The largest stock in the County at Keip's.

—Those beautiful French clocks make fine Christmas presents.
At Adamson's.

—All kinds of Games for the long winter evenings, at Keip's.

—For the Holiday trade specially, new goods in every department, at
Neuhausel Bros., Toledo.

—New Goods for Holiday trade now opening at
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—Toys of all kinds for the Holidays at Keip's.

—Brown the Photographer—Has a new invoice of fancy frames, mats and albums, and invites those who are thinking about "Christmas Gifts," to call at once. His line of goods will be found not only suitable but economical, and very acceptable. Secure your negatives a soon as possible that we may have time to properly finish your pictures.

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—Adamson's is headquarters for jewelry of all kinds.

—Estey Organs at Coller's, Adrian.

—Christmas Goods now arriving at
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—Cottage Organs at Coller's palace of music, Adrian.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Great preparations have been made in every department at Neuhausel Bros., Toledo, for the holiday trade, by the display of New Goods, bought especially for that purpose. Come and see them.

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ATHLOPHOROS is the first and only medicine which has carried off the prize as the perfect remedy for Rheumatism and Neuralgia.

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If your druggist does not get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express prepaid on receipt of regular price, $1.00 per bottle. We prefer you should buy it from your druggist, but if he does not keep it, be persuaded to try something good, and address Dupuis as directed.

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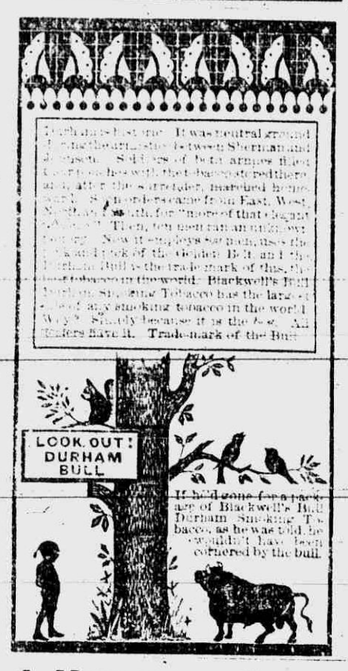

A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "23 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882. Gentlemen—My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few specks which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.

Yours truly, W. M. PHELPS."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

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Six months ago I was completely covered with a terrible humor and scrofulous sores. The humor caused an incessant and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to cause the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. My sufferings were great, and my life a burden. I commenced the use of the SARSAPARILLA in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores healed all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 73 years of age. Many inquire what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Glover, Vt., Oct. 31, [illegible] Yours [illegible]

HIRAM [illegible]."

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA cures Scrofula and all Scrofulous Complaints, Erysipelas, Eczema, Ringworm, Blotches, Pimples, Boils, Tumors, and Eruptions of the Skin. It clears the blood of all impurities, aids digestion, stimulates the action of the bowels, and thus restores vitality and strengthens the whole system.

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NATIONAL AFFAIRS.

The United States Supreme Court Decides Fifty Cents "Head Money" Must be Paid on all Passengers.

Commissioners Appointed to Examine 242 Miles of the Southern Pacific—Back Pay to "Regulars" in the Mexican War.

"HEAD MONEY CASES."

WASHINGTON, December 8.—A decision was rendered by the Supreme Court yesterday in the so-called "Head Money Cases," sustaining the validity of the statute requiring the master, owner or consignee of every vessel arriving from a foreign port to pay the sum of fifty cents for every passenger brought into a port of the United States, who is not a citizen, such sums to be used for the benefit and care of the immigrants and for the regulation of immigration.

General Foster, United States Minister at Madrid, arrived here yesterday, and in the afternoon submitted to the Secretary of State a copy of the Spanish-American treaty relating to trade between the United States, Cuba and Porto Rico.

The President has appointed W. W. Burhans, General Southern Manager of the United Press at Washington; O. O. Stealey, Washington correspondent of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, a Commission to examine and report upon the 242 miles of road recently completed on the line of the Southern Pacific Railroad, of California, between Needles and Yuma, Cal. The completion of this piece of road furnishes another outlet to the Pacific coast by the Atlantic & Pacific road, thus making four trans-continental routes in operation between the Mississippi River and the Pacific coast.

The United States Supreme Court yesterday decided that "regulars" in the Mexican war are entitled to the three months' extra pay granted by act of Congress to volunteers in that war.

The Senate, in executive session, confirmed the following nominations: Thomas O. Osborne, of Illinois, to be Minister Resident and Consul General of the United States to the Argentine Republic; Jehu Baker, of Illinois, to be Minister Resident and Consul General of the United States to Venezuela; Willard P. Tyndel, of Ohio, to be agent of the United States to the States of the Congo Association; Otis P. G. Clarke, of Rhode Island, to be Commissioner of Pensions; Calvin B. Walker, of Indiana, to be First Deputy Commissioner of Pensions; Noah P. Loveridge, of Michigan, to be Second Deputy Commissioner of Pensions.

A THIEVING SET.

A Policeman, Alderman and Several Prominent Citizens of East St. Louis Accused of Robbing the City Clerk's Office.

ST. LOUIS, December 9.—A detective arrived from Springfield, Mo., yesterday, with his prisoner, Charley Clark alias Coleman, the safe-blower, from Chicago. Clark has made a written confession concerning the robbery last May of the City Clerk's office in East St. Louis, in which he details how he and Captain Duffy broke open the vault and stole some $3,000. Duffy was a Lieutenant of Police in East St. Louis at the time, and on the night of the robbery sent the patrolmen of that beat to another part of the city. The same night $10,000 in city scrip was stolen from the vault and although Clark in his written confession denies that he and Duffy got it, he admits as much in his first statement of the matter and implicated an East St. Louis Alderman and two city officials, one of them being one of the most prominent persons of the city.

The story is out, and it seems to be pretty generally believed in East St. Louis that these three officials planned the robbery and that Clark and Duffy executed it. The stub-book containing the numbers of the scrip was also lost in some mysterious manner, so that it was almost impossible to trace up the stolen scrip. Clark says it was sold to a broker on this side of the river, but that he got none of the money. A private railroad detective suspected the East St. Louis officials of St. Louis after the robbery and hired this same Clark, who he knew to be a burglar, to work up the case and find out who the officials were. Clark went over the river and pretended to be working in the matter, but Duffy saw danger in his presence and induced him to leave town. Then the railroad officials began to suspect that Clark was mixed up in it too, and so it turned out. Duffy was arrested Sunday night and it is thought more arrests will follow. Duffy denies the robbery but says that if he goes under several others in good standing will have to go too, but so far he has given no names.

Held for Forging the Pedigrees of Imported Clydesdale Horses.

CHICAGO, December 9.—In the extradition proceedings against Joseph Roeside, of Waukegan, Ill., the noted horse importer, charged with forging the pedigrees of Clydesdale horses imported from Scotland, United States Commissioner Hoyne yesterday afternoon decided to commit the defendant to the county jail without bail to await the action of the Federal executive in the case. The papers will be sent to the Secretary of State to-day. The case has created great interest on both sides of the Atlantic and the Secretary of the English Clydesdale Association was present to push the prosecution.

Death of a Well-Known Divine.

NEW YORK, December 9.—Rev. David M. Halliday, brother of Assistant Pastor S. B. Halliday, of Plymouth Church, died at the latter's residence in Brooklyn, yesterday, aged seventy-seven years. He was graduated from Princeton in 1824. Ill health has prevented him from engaging in pastoral labors for the past eighteen years. During the period of his activity he was widely known in the Presbyterian ministry.

Ghouls Foiled.

NEWTON, N. J., December 9.—The grave of Zachariah H. Price, in the Frankford Plains Cemetery, was opened Sunday night and the casket broken, but before the body could be removed the desecrators were frightened away. Price was a very prominent man in this part of the State, and the object of the ghouls was probably to hold the body for a ransom.

Wants His Salary Reduced.

SOUTHINGTON, Conn., December 9.—The president of the Peck, Stow & Wilcox Company intends to cut down his own salary $1,000 per year, to take place January 1, 1885.

Canada's Premier Arrives.

NEW YORK, December 9.—Sir John A. MacDonald, the Premier of Canada, arrived on the Oregon Sunday.

Downright Cruelty

To permit yourself and family to "Suffer" With sickness when it can be prevented and cured so easily With Hop Bitters!!!

Having experienced a great deal of "Trouble" from indigestion, so much so that I came near losing my Life;

My trouble always came after eating any food—

However light And digestible,

For two or three hours at a time I had to go through the most Excruciating pains,

"And the only way I ever got" "Relief"

Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until "At last"

I was taken "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and Could eat nothing!

My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain; their Efforts were no good to me.

At last I heard a good deal "About your Hop Bitters,"

And determined to try them.

Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of One!

Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a "Sick"

Hour from the same cause since.

I have recommended it to hundreds of others. You have no such

"Advocate as I am." Geo. Kendall, Allston, Boston, Mass.

Columbus Advocate, Texas, April 21, 1883. Dear Editor: I have tried your Hop Bitters, and find they are good for any complaint. The best medicine I ever used in my family.—H. TALENER.

School teachers and school children in Vermont, are not allowed to use tobacco in any form.

Great consternation is manifested in the state of New York, by the manufacturers of Baking Powders. It seems there is a prohibitory law against adulterations the standard being Soda and Cream Tartar only to be used. There are only three manufacturers in the entire state that do not mix starch or flour or some filling, also ammonia, alum, &c. The most important of the three is made by the great manufacturers of Saleratus and soda at Fairport, N. Y., and called DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder. Your grocer has it.

It is stated that the American Tract Society's publications during the year ending with March last aggregated 73,566,000 pages, in addition to seven periodicals with a total circulation of 4,000,000.

Catarrh is a constitutional disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a constitutional remedy. It cures catarrh. Give it a trial.

FITS! All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

The Secret Art of Beauty lies not in cosmetics, but only in pure blood and healthy action of the vital organs, to be obtained by Burdock Blood Bitters.

Total population of Van Buren county by late census is 30,334, being a loss of 463 since census of 1880.

Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., states: "Being ineffectually treated by 17 doctors for Scrofula, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Write for proof.

The three outlets of disease are the bowels, the skin and the kidneys. Regulate their action with the best purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kas., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

The liquor dealers of Philadelphia pay $275,000 in licenses annually.

Tone up the system by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It will make you feel like a new person. Thousands have found health and relief from suffering by the use of this great blood purifier when all other means failed.

It is estimated that there are 40,000 bicycles in the United States.

C. A. Wright & Co. guarantee positive relief for any cough, cold, croup or lung complaint by using Acker's English Remedy, or will refund the money.

California has more suicides than any other State in the Union.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured thousands of cases of rheumatism. This is abundant reason for belief that it will cure you. Try it.

The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

C. A. Wright & Co wish it known that they guarantee Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets to be the best remedy for indigestion ever made, they always relieve headache.

OLDEN TIMES.—The days when our forefathers burned cobs to make Saleratus and Soda, have passed away. The skill and science embodied in the manufacture of the celebrated DeLand's Saleratus and Soda, noted for its purity and strength, with which the finest and most wholesome pastry can be made. Try it.

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Where we have put hundreds of pieces just bought at a sacrifice in New York, at

FROM 50 CTS. PER YARD, UPWARDS.

And includes every shade and quality. Beautiful Satin Rhadames at 75c. Usual low prices, $1.50 for same goods.

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FOUR POINTS Prepared by an entirely NEW METHOD. Composed of the PUREST MATERIALS. WILL NOT INJURE THE FABRIC. WILL CLEANSE WITHOUT RUBBING.

You can do a large washing without any rubbing—use the boiling process instead. You can save **Time, Labor, Fuel, Soap** and **Clothing.**

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Cut up fine and dissolve one half bar in half gallon of hot water. Pour half this dissolved soap into a tub with just sufficient hot water to cover a boiler full of clothes. Then put the clothes in to soak, **rubbing plenty of soap in the most soiled parts.** Be sure that the water is hot; soak the clothes half an hour; stir them occasionally so that they may get the full benefit of the hot suds; pour the remainder of the dissolved soap into the boiler, adding sufficient water to cover the clothes; wring them lightly out of the suds. **Soap the stained spots** and place **loosely** in the boiler; boil forty-five minutes, rinse well, blue and hang to dry. **Do not crowd the boiler too full.** The same boiling water may be used for another boiling by adding a little soap to each boiler-full of clothes. Flannels and prints should not be boiled, only a little rubbing required after soaking. This soap will cleanse clothing as thoroughly as any other without the use of the boiler. We prefer and recommend the boiling process as in itself a cleansing process, saving labor, the wear of the wash-board, and being **the best disinfectent known, it is easier to boil the dirt out than to rub it out.** You can cleanse perfectly the **finest** fabric without injury, the **finest point lace** and **lace curtains.** Soak point lace in hot suds made with this soap, press water out with a board between the folds of a towel, roll in a dry towel, and iron between pieces of old flannel. Soak curtains in 10 to 30 minutes and boil 5 to 8 minutes, rinse, stretch on frame, or pin every scallop to carpet over a sheet to dry; no ironing required.

Be sure and ask for **ELECTRIC-LIGHT SOAP,** and take no other.

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Can positively be cured by using **DR. P. HALL'S CATARRH REMEDY.** A new compound, entirely different from all other preparations. It is in the form of a fine ointment which is easily applied in the nostrils and ears, and reaches the seat of the disease by absorption. Pleasant to the smell, and most efficient in operation. For **Hay Fever,** also impaired **Hearing, Sight, Smell** and **Taste,** produced by Catarrhal disease, it is a positive cure. The most noted Physicians and prominent Druggists all over the land have given it their endorsement. We have the unsolicited testimonials of hundreds of prominent and reliable men, who have been **permanently cured.** Do not be humbugged by nostrums, prepared by unscrupulous parties, but **insist** upon having this Excellent Remedy, compounded by a Physician who has made this disease **a study for 30 years.** Two to four bottles are usually sufficient to effect an entire cure. **Satisfaction guaranteed or Money refunded.** It is a positive **cure for Earache.** For sale by Druggists. Mailed by mail, postpaid, upon receipt of **50c.** single bottle, package of twelve bottles **$1.00.** Circulars and testimonials free.

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CAUTION.—Beware of counterfeits or imitations. The above Trade Mark will be found on every bottle, and do not buy without it.

Rupture

DR. J. A. SHERMAN, of 629 Broadway, N. Y. York, famous for the past 20 years for his successful method of curing rupture without surgical [illegible], is now at his office, St. Louis, Mo., where he will remain to treat patients till the 20th of December. During treatment patients can labor without interfering with the cure, and safety from strangulated rupture. His book, with likenesses of bad cases before and after cure, is mailed for 10 cents. Remember, in St. Louis, offices 404 Market st.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	*6 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 41 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Tecumseh	7 30 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 37 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 59 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 31
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 11
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 28
North Morenci	*12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

*Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

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To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 23	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
6 20	9 00	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
6 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 50	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 17		2 56	Augusta	12 23	A. M.	6 23
7 37		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
8 08		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 10
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A.....L	A. M.		P. M.

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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B. C. TROWBRIDGE.

But Mr. Trowbridge is not alone in his praise of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. Favorite Remedy is a positive cure for malaria as well as indigestion. Read the following from R. A. Campbell, foreman of the sorting room in the Montgomery paper mill:

MONTGOMERY, Orange Co., N.Y., Mar. 4, '84.
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MATAWAN, N. J., March 3, 1884.
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FEATHERS AND BIRD SKINS.

Where the Ostrich, Osprey, Parrot, and Other Feathers of the Trade Come From.

The monthly sale of feathers and bird skins took place at the London Commercial Sale Room, Mincing Lane. To this great center flock buyers of every nationality, for it is the mart of the whole civilized world, and an examination of the stock here exhibited for sale gives a comprehensive idea of what the millinery of the opening season is likely to be in the particular of feathers. Seeing that 376 cases of ostrich feathers and 137,486 birds were disposed of during two of the days of sale, it may reasonably be predicted that for the present at least feathers will continue to be worn in profusion.

The ostrich feathers, which came almost exclusively from South Africa, arrived in their natural state, simply divided into bundles, according to color, length and quality, those from the male bird being either a pure white or black, or a mixture of both, while those of the female are of a uniform drab hue, though in different shades. The peculiarity of color applies to the "boos," or short tail-feathers, and also to the body feathers, the quality of a feather being determined by the size, the firmness of the quill, and the length and richness of the fibres.

There is a very marked difference between the feathers of the birds reared in farms at the Cape and those of the wild ostrich found in the deserts of Egypt; the latter are not so uniformly handsome, the general characteristic being the length and strength of the quill rather than richness and delicacy of fiber. Nevertheless, among the two cargoes brought by the Nepaul and Paramatta there were some magnificent specimens of the wild variety, prodigiously long and thick, being cast by the bird when grown to their full size, instead of being cut at regular intervals, like those reared for commercial purposes.

Osprey-feathers, which are now so largely used in making aigrettes, were conspicuous, but not over-plentiful. Those delicate feather-sprays are a certain extraneous growth from the wing of the Bala buzzard (a species of sea-falcon or eagle). In the natural state they are of a light yellowish brown or snowy white, but are to be procured made up in every shade under the sun. The silky-pointed neck-feathers of the heron, and the soft white plumage that comes from beneath the wings of the African marabou and the Indian adjutant crane, were in great request, as forming an indispensable article of feminine adornment, but the quantities shown were by no means considerable.

If we may judge by the numerous bales of small feathers, principally from the body of the peacock, the rage for feather trimmings is scarcely yet on the wane. All the cases containing these small, fluffy feathers, or "mixed plumage" as they are styled, are destined for the gay capital, and will doubtless reappear in the London market shortly in a new guise as Nouveautes de Paris, having been dressed and made up in the latest mode that fashion dictates.

To specify minutely the number of birds which are imported from Calcutta each month in seemingly inhaustible quantities would simply be to catalogue the denizens of an Indian jungle. It is somewhat perplexing, however, to conjecture what will be done with 44,811 green parrots, even supposing them distributed over two continents; but probably many will be dyed a less vivid color, for it is by no means a modiste's greatest ambition to be true to nature, and an art that admits of blue roses and dog-daisies will readily receive parrots of unknown hues.

It may also be remembered that a large quantity are now introduced into fans, hand-screens, etc. It appears that in spite of the decline of asthetic[illegible] there is still a large market for peacocks' feathers, since on Thursday last seventy-five cases were absorbed in various quarters. A large portion of these cases consisted of the complete skin of the bird, but there were also many hundred bundles of tail-feathers, divided into three varieties—eyes, swords, and fish tails, the last having the appearance of an ordinary feather with the eye cut out, while the swords are those brilliant metallic green feathers which border the tail at each side. There was no lack also of the brilliant blue neck skins, while many cases were filled with wings and body feathers. Other large birds in prodigious quantities were the impeyan and argus pheasants, which could be reckoned by tens of thousands—the former a handsome bird, somewhat larger than an ordinary pheasant, of dark, metallic plumage; the latter, as its name betokens, being covered with white spots or eyes. A small patch of intense red on the breast of the argus pheasant is used solely for the purpose of making flies for salmon-fishing, there being no other feather that can be substituted for this purpose. Of jungle-cocks, which closely resemble our own "brisk chanticleer," there were a goodly quantity, while the various specimens of wood pigeons, doves, quails, partridges, hawks and starlings were sufficiently numerous. Of the tiny humming-bird, considerably over 30,000 have been disposed of in all their glittering variety of ruby, emerald and metallic luster; while numberless small birds of equally radiant and even gaudy plumage, such as the blue-creeper, kingfisher, mantou, golden oriole, jay-tanager and cardinal found a ready market.—*London Warehousemen and Draper.*

—It takes one thousand roses to yield two grains of attar. In the morning the red blooms are collected by hand and d[illegible] into clay stills with twice their [illegible] of [illegible] the water which com[illegible] cool all night, and [illegible] thin film of oil, wh[illegible] morning like crea[illegible] this is the attar, whi[illegible] swept off with a feath[illegible] red to a small vial. After repeating this operation night after night and morning after morning, nearly the whole of the oil has been extracted, the little which it is impossible to separate so flavoring the liquid that it is sold as "rose-water."—*Boston Transcript.*

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking Skeleton. Got a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite and a gain in flesh of 48lbs. Call at C. A. Wright & Co's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottles $1.00.

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Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

The opening number for January, 1885, of this favorite magazine is a remarkably brilliant holiday one; most of the articles are timely and appropriate, and are edifying, instructive and entertaining. "The Angel Chimes; a Christmas Story," "The Dominion of Canada," "A Missionary's Letter to the Youngsters at Home," "Glances at Bible History—No. 1: From the Creation to the Dispersion," and "Religious Art in the Greek Church," are finely illustrated and replete with interest. "Representative Religious Journalists" is a new feature: the Rev. Dr. Errett, of the Christian Standard, is the first sketch, with portrait. In the "Home pulpit" is a sermon by Dr. Talmage, the editor, who has also a characteristic article, "The Drink Evil." Among the portraits are those of the Rt. Rev. Samuel Seabury the first American Bishop, and of Rev. Dr. Paret, recently elected bishop of Maryland—the earliest and latest of American Bishops. The price is 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year, postpaid. Mrs. Frank Leslie, publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, N. Y.

Rural Home remainder this year Free. Our friends ought to consider with care, and promptly accept, the offer made in another column under which THE RURAL HOME can now be had until January 1st., 1885 together with this journal, for one year, for only $2.00. It is the most liberal club combination ever announced by responsible publishers, so far as we are aware. We present it as a special inducement to secure new cash-in-advance subscribers for our own paper, and as a real benefaction to farmers and village folk who desire a thoroughly excellent, reliable and pure farm and family weekly, replete with good reading for every one in the home circle. There is no better edited, winsome and more worthy paper, among scores of valuable ones, than this with which our fortunate arrangement has been made. It has been edited and published by the same men since 1870, and has hosts of friends where longest read.

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The attention of our readers is solicited for the card of the TOLEDO WEEKLY BEE, which appears elsewhere in this week's issue. The publishers of the "BEE" offer their weekly paper to all subscribers who send in their orders previous to the first day of January, 1885, for one year, for the small sum of fifty cents per copy, with an extra copy to each club of 20 subscribers. This places a live paper within the reach of all. Try it one year.

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Beef Hides	5	@	07
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Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel		@	40
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Chickens—dressed		@	5
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	22
Flour, ₱ barrel	4 50	@	5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	4 00	@	4 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	7 00	@	8 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	10
Oats, ₱ bushel	25	@	26
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	30	@	35
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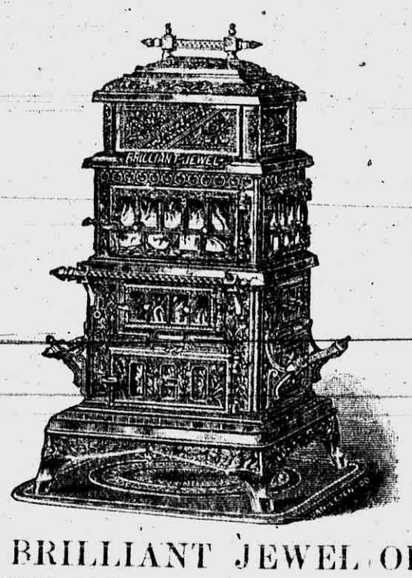

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Wm. Underwood, Sam. Underwood, and Lafe Babcock have sold their valuable horse to Wm. Niveson.

There will be an oyster supper at the Christian church Christmas night. The proceeds for the benefit of the church.

Charley Underwood, Ed. Allen and Nelson Palmer cut and piled fifty cords of wood for Henry Coates in 38 hours. Who beats this?

Henry McClure has opened a new store, stock consisting of groceries and crockery.

Fire broke out in Vern Ousterhout's house, now occupied by Ben. Bellows, but was got under control before doing much damage. Insured in the Farmers' Mutual.

Harry C. Rauch has opened a new drug store. It is something we much needed.

The skating rink in Exelby's hall is a fine success. They skate Wednesday and Saturday evenings. Exelby & Rauch, proprietors.

E. C. Rauch has opened, in connection with his store, a meat market.—He keeps on hand at all times a good supply of fresh and salt meat.

Our shoe shop is locked up for a few days. The proprietor is on the sick list. Get well, John, we miss you.

Our new band is progressing finely. Only one week old and can make as much noise as any of them.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine winter weather.

Once more the merry sleigh bells are heard in our land.

Miss Nellie Gorman, of Saline, visited Mrs. D. Allen Monday and Tuesday.

Burt Ash, of Fairfield, was the guest of Chas. Lowe over Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Maxwell, of Onsted, visited Miss Ida Pocklington Sunday.—They attend school at the Valley Seminary in Raisin.

Miss Ada Loree who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alfred Lucking, of Detroit, returned home Saturday night.

Misses Ella Jackson and Lo. Arner spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. W. H. Arner, of Raisin.

There will be a special school meeting next Monday night at the school house in Dist. No. 1.

The citizens of our quiet village have been a little excited over the mysterious light which was seen about the cupola of the church for the past few days. On Friday night quite a number gathered to learn the cause, and it was found to be a reflection from the lamp on E. C. Van Vleet's dining room table.

Persons wishing to enjoy a pleasure trip can do so by taking a trip on the M. & O. during the holidays. Tickets to any station on the road at half fare for round trip. Christmas tickets will be for sale from Dec. 21 to 25, and good until and including Dec. 31st. New Year's tickets will be for sale from Dec. 28 to Jan. 1, inclusive.

MACON MUSIC.

The season of socials, surprise parties, etc., has struck us, and seems to be progressing finely.

Since the last issue of the HERALD came out, we have been wondering whether any old bachelors will get to heaven.

Judging from certain rumors, a temperance crusade might be beneficial.

School is progressing nicely in the Lindsley district under the control of Mr. Clark.

We don't hear so much about civil service reform these days as we did a few weeks ago. "I want the post office" is the kind of reform believed in just now.

The pound social at the residence of Hebron Camburn's on the evening of Dec. 10th was well attended, and hence was very encouraging to the band boys. The next will be at Mr. Ames, in Saline.

School opened this week with Mr. Sudborough as principal and Addie Crittenden as primary teacher. We bespeak for our district a number one school. The board, we think, has exercised considerable wisdom in selecting teachers. We trust that the patrons of the school will uphold and encourage the teachers in their work. Without doing this, success cannot be expected.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A malignant type of diptheria, has made a little chair vacant in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, near the planing mill. Death was swift to relieve suffering. Much sympathy is felt for the parents, but it was deemed imperative to prevent if possible, the spreading of a disease that has become our annual scourge, and so but two persons stood by the little grave made but a few hours after life flitted. Why this disease can retain its place among us is a mystery. There are few villages where the rules of cleanliness are kept better, yet sorrow comes to one family and happiness to another, alike without warning.

Mrs. Johnson of Kelly's Corners, is a widow, who owns a loom, a small farm and three children, one of them an invalid. She never can spare the money to buy a nice dress like her neighbors, or time to attend a quilting, yet she can get around lively if any of them are sick, and never waits for an invitation to share their sorrows. Last week Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. North decided that she ought to have a benefit, and all the rest said, yes. This is the way it panned out. Seven men brought seven loads of wood; another 4 bushels of wheat, and 20 more sent word she would hear from them in a similar manner. The ladies made up a purse, and J. D. Sheridan dropped two dollars off the price of a cloak so that a hat, etc., could be bought to match. Then they sailed in with a ready-made supper to finish up the wood-bee surprise. Its a little queer, but Mrs. Johnson looks twenty-five years younger since the prank was played. If such friendly donations to those who are not destitute, can smooth out so many lines of care, what would the effect be on those poverty has mildewed? Its a good time to find out, for the poor are always with us. They are of every nationality and color. Some willful parasites; others made so through prejudice and a lack of self-help education. They are in every town.

The Democrats have sighed for wholesale change in administration; and in no branch is change needed more than in effacing want, laziness, ignorance and the motives to commit crime that are inseparable from them. Supervisor Griswold seemed to have a pain somewhere when the printer told he had done gone and paid four hundred dollars to keep ours alive though not comfortable, just in their normal condition, to receive another yearly dole, as it were. No man need die of heart pang on account of Mr. G's extravagance in charity even if he spends four times that amount in 1885. It will look better in print, besides Mr. Covert asserts that women pay three-fourths of the tax in Columbia. If so, they are mainly responsible for the estimate placed on their generosity by sister towns, for the respectability of a community is rated as much by the unhappiness and degradation it tolerates or condones, as by the number of churches and paying communicants. The woman who objects to having her money used to make others happy, after she has paid it to the tax collector should be made a special concern to the minister. We trust that all supervisors who are the representative almoners from women, will be careful and reflect no discredit on our liberality, but in case their natural timidity prevents their making the near by Christmas and New Year a mirage of memory to the waifs, will they do them the favor or sending them to Woodstock?

TIPTON TOPICS.

Now we have winter and no mistake.

A Christmas party will be held at the Hall on Christmas eve., with good music and the promise of good sleighing. A large attendance and a good time may be expected.

The remains of Elisha Hampton and his daughter, formerly residents of Franklin but who died at their home in Nebraska were sent back by Mrs. Hampton and were reinterred in the cemetery here on Wednesday.

The Rev. Mr. Pitcher who has been a Missionary in China for several years gave an interesting and instructive lecture at the M. E. Church on Monday evening on his labors among the celestial heathen.

The Township Treasurer, Elizah Buck receives taxes at Tipton on Mondays of every week. Taxes are so high, especially the county tax, that some are inclined to think a big steal has been perpetrated at the county seat this year, but we can't see how that could be without Stearns of the Press getting onto it, unless it may be he has been so much occupied with election matters that he had no time to look after home affairs.

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FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Brush the dust off that cutter and take your best girl out riding.

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Kate C. Mead closes a successful term of school in the Newburg district this week Friday.

DeWitt Bowen, who has been living in Oakland Co. the past year is visiting at his father's N. K. Bowen.

From the head of the family down to the youngest is unusually good now days. Christmas is most here and they don't want to be counted out.

L. L. Mangus and family visited at L. B. Spencer's in Raisin last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Augusta Durling of Raisin is visiting friends at Tecumseh and Clinton this week.

Frank Osborn preached at the M. E. church in Franklin last Sunday evening.

A brand new dish washer arrived at John Osborn's of Rome last week. John was a former Franklin boy.

The sheriff has been looking after crooked whiskey in Cambridge and reports three places selling without license.

Anson Hollenbeck, of Bennington, is visiting his brother Silas in Franklin.

Concert and jug breaking at Cong. church in Franklin Christmas night.

Rev. Wall is moving into the new parsonage this week.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

As the old year is about to expire, we came to the conclusion to send a few items from Springville, though your correspondent may do likewise. There is but little news to give, taxes being the general cry now.

On Friday last the young people had a social dance at Springville hotel. There will be another on Thursday eve. the 25th inst.

The pulpit of the M. E. Church is occupied by Mr. Storms every Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M. He is a young man of fine abilities and bids fair to be one of the best if he improves with age, this being his first charge.

On Monday the 9th, Miss Helen Queale left for St. Johns to visit her friends there.

On the 4th John Stafford returned from Chicago with his sick sister Mary, who died on Saturday, the 13th, of consumption. The funeral was held on Tuesday at the Catholic church. The hope and expectation of dying at home and of once more seeing her mother, who is an invalid, was fulfilled.

Think the Lake Mills are giving good satisfaction in the article of flour. They have done no merchant work this fall on account of low water.

CLINTON CLIPPINGS.

The Fair of the Episcopal church was well patronized. The sales were quite large and good prices were obtained. We were glad to see so many of the good people of Tecumseh at the fair and the more so as they patronized the fair and also gave a very hearty support to the supper. The entertainment in the evening was all we predicted. The drama Rebecca's Triumph was well rendered and was greeted with hearty applause. In short the fair and all else connected therewith was a success in every way and reflects a good deal of credit upon those having it in charge. Receipts of the fair, supper and entertainment $200.00.

Mrs. Samuel Chandler an old resident of this place, but now of Hillsdale is visiting at her brother's, Mr. S. B. Rose in Clinton.

Our new druggist C. S. Burroughs has increased his stock of drugs &c. and has rearranged the goods until his store presents a very nice appearance and we are glad to say that Charley is receiving a very liberal patronage.

The Literary entertainment given by the Congregational sunday school at the Town Hall was well attended, the House being well filled by both the old and the young. The fee charged at the door was only 10 cents and the entertainment netted $22.70. Who says Clinton is not a religious community?

Mr. Mellon, a returned missionary, from Africa, gave a lecture at the Congregational church on Tuesday evening, subject—History of South Africa. Reciting matters of interest connected with the travels of Livingstone and Stanley, descriptive of the country, climate and of the native inhabitants. The subject was interesting and instructive and deserved a much larger attendance.

It seems as though the starting of the woolen mill is as remote as before the litigation, and before the pipes were laid for pure water.

The churches are making arrangements for Christmas trees on Christmas Eve; consequence, an increased number of scholars in the S. S.

Quite a number of our citizens have been considering the matter of building a new and extensive skating rink, one sufficiently large to accommodate the people, both as a rink and also as a hall for dancing parties, public lectures, etc. The result of their deliberations was the subscribing of twelve hundred dollars stock by responsible parties, which insures the success of the enterprise, so we expect to see a new skating rink in Clinton in the near future.

John E. McCollum our enterprising clothier, reports business good and increasing under his system of cash or leave the goods.

Our Clinton High School Literary Society will give their first entertainment at the Town Hall, on Friday evening of this week.

Barton Lazell of Jonesville, has been visiting friends and relatives in Clinton and vicinity during the latter part of last week and the first part of this week. He has now returned to his home. His father, Geo. Lazell of Bridgewater, accompanying him.

The Davis Bros. at the News office stand are now opening up a nice stock of jewelry. Under the management of Kos are receiving a very liberal patronage, which shows that their effort to please is appreciated by the public. The confectionery and culinary department is being well stocked with everything in that line, and is meeting with well earned and deserved success. The boys are industrious and attentive to business, and from every indication, will build up a nice and profitable business. Remember, you Tecumseh boys, that Dan will get up a dish of Oysters in a way that will tickle the palate of an epicure.

W. C. Rogers is still receiving large lots of poultry, consisting of chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese. The wonder is, where do they all come from.

Notwithstanding the times are hard and money scarce, S. Brown continues to do a nice business for the Massachusetts Life Insurance Company, of which he is agent.

State Sportsmen.

A meeting of the state sportsmen's association was held at Jackson on Wednesday the 10, at which time the special committee on amendments to the game laws, reported in favor of the following amendments:

1. To prevent the use of explosive spears and continuous net for the capture of fish.

2. To make close season for deer from Dec. 15th to Oct. 15th, in both peninsulas. To prevent killing deer by shining.

3. To repeal the law for the protection of English sparrows, and allow the same to be shot from traps.

4. To make possession of game in close season prima facie evidence of violating the law protecting game.

5. To appoint a member of the association to attend the next session of the legislature, to assist in getting the above laws passed, the president having power to employ such person and appropriate funds for his pay.

The report was adopted.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of Mr. A. H. Mershon, a deceased member of the association, were adopted.

Ladies' Floral Cabinet.

The December issue of the FLORAL CABINET opens with a drawing made especially for it entitled "Christmas Greetings" and is followed by some pleasant words from the editors regarding their plans for the new year. The managers hope to attain for 1885, a greater degree of perfection as a Floral Magazine and to this end new names will appear among its contributors and the number of illustrations will be increased

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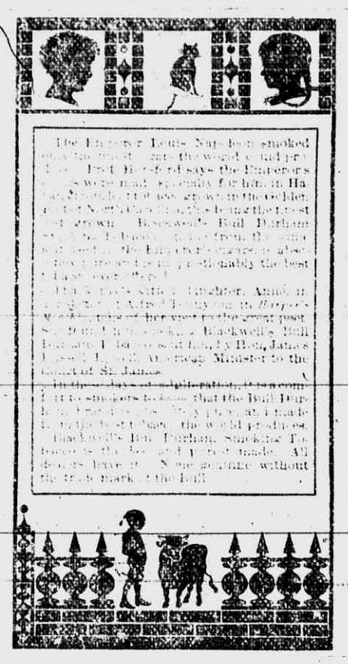

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METHODIST CENTENNIAL.

A Paper by Bishop L. H. Holzy—The Conference to Close With a Love Feast on Wednesday.

BALTIMORE, December 16.—The chair of the presiding officer of the Methodist Centennial Conference was filled yesterday morning by Bishop Hood, of the A. M. E. Church. The session opened with the singing of the hymn "For here my rest shall be," after which prayer was offered by Rev. T. N. Hoyle, of Allegheny City, Pa.

The first order of business on the regular programme was the reading of a paper by Bishop L. H. Holzy, of the colored M. E. Church, of Augusta, Ga., on "Methodist Means of Grace." The preaching of the Gospel he considered the most important means of grace; the camp-meeting is another prominent means, and this means of salvation should never be eliminated from Methodism. The reading of the Scriptures is recommended, and prayer is a most formidable weapon, without which victory cannot be hoped for. Fasting and obedience are also a great means of grace. Class-meetings have been in the past useful in obtaining and retaining the grace of God.

Bishop Andrews announced that the Business Committee had thought it desirable to have a love feast as the finale of the session of the Conference on Wednesday next.

Rev. A. S. Hunt, Secretary of the American Bible Society, read a very interesting paper on "The Aim and Character of Methodist Preaching."

General discussion followed for thirty minutes, when the Conference took a recess until three o'clock.

Bishop Ninde, of the M. E. Church, presided at the afternoon session.

Rev. Alson West, of the M. E. Church South, read a paper on "The Doctrinal Unity of Methodism." He said that God has called men to be preachers. They must be nourished in faith and doctrine. Heresy is almost pernicious evil. It is treason against God.

Rev. R. N. Davies, of Illinois, read a paper on "Guards to the Purity of our Doctrinal Teaching."

The session closed with the doxology and benediction by Rev. John Lanahan. Last evening the delegates were tendered a reception by the Methodist ladies of Baltimore at the Academy of Music.

THE HORAN FAMILY POISONING.

A Young Lady Arrested for Poisoning Her Sister with Strychnine.

WHITE WATER, December 16.—An investigation of the mysterious death of Miss Anna Horan, which occurred on the 2d inst., was made by the coroner and jury Saturday. Soon after the death of Miss Horan her sister Nellie was taken seriously ill, and the report was circulated that she had confessed to having poisoned her sister and other members of the family, and then attempted to destroy herself. These, however, were proven to be without foundation, in fact she was prostrated by her sister's sudden death and is [illegible] to leave her home. At the inquest yesterday afternoon the chemist testified that he had found by an analysis that the stomach of the dead girl contained forty-six one-hundredths of a grain of strychnine, which was enough to produce death. The testimony of the intimate friends of Anna failed to give any indication that she intended to take her life by poison, or otherwise. The jury adjourned to the home of Nellie Horan and took her evidence while she was bolstered up on a couch. She admitted that on Tuesday previous to her sister's death she purchased strychnine at the drug store for the purpose of killing mice. The druggist advised her to use rat poison instead but she insisted on strychnine. This she placed in a drawer where it remained until Thursday of the present week, when she delivered the package to the Sheriff as she had received it from the druggist. The purchase of the poison was testified to by the druggist, and other witnesses were examined by the jury without adducing evidence of important bearing to the case. At nine o'clock the jury retired for deliberation, which resulted in a verdict that Anna Horan came to her death by being poisoned by strychnine, and that the jury considered the evidence sufficiently strong to warrant holding Nellie Horan for examination on the charge of administering the poison.

American Church Missionary Society.

PHILADELPHIA, December 16.—The thirty-fifth annual meeting of the American Church Missionary Society was held yesterday afternoon in the Church of the Epiphany. Its work is a National one and appeals to American Christians everywhere. Rev. Dr. Richard Newton was in the chair and conducted the devotional exercises. The report of the Executive Committee, which was read, stated that during the past year the society has carried a preached gospel and the ministration of the sanctuary to our utmost borders on the Pacific coast, to our most northern fields in Dakota and Minnesota, to our central dioceses, as in Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska, to the South in Tennessee, West Virginia and South Carolina, to the silver mines of Nevada and the coal mines of Ohio. The total receipts for the year footed up $[illegible]. A long list of officers were then elected for the ensuing year.

A Brutal Father's Deed.

ALBANY, December 16.—Yesterday afternoon a terrible attempt to murder occurred at Munday's stables in this city. Nicholas Quirk, a peddler, fifty years of age and his son John, were at the stable putting up their horses. The father, for some unknown cause, became angry with his son and scolded him, the boy retorted, when the father becoming enraged seized a pitchfork, and as the boy turned to run threw it at him with all force. The fork struck the boy in the back just above the lungs and probably injuring the spinal column. The wounded boy uttered a cry and fell to the floor. The horse and other parties in the stable who pulled the pitchfork from the boy's body. Quirk was arrested and committed to await the result of his son's injuries. The boy is at the hospital in a dying condition.

Guilty of Murder in the First Degree.

BUFFALO, N. Y., December 16.—The jury in the case of Peter Louis Otto, who brutally murdered his wife on November 14, brought in a verdict last night of guilty of murder in the first degree. The accused showed not the least emotion nor departed from the stolid, apparently unconscious state that has characterized his bearing throughout the trial. He was remanded for sentence.

Will Strike Against a Reduction.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 58 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 22 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Delaware	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Jackson	8 32 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 22 "	4 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 31 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 55	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4.09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 31
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

Trains Nos. 27 and 28 are daily trains through from Chicago to Niagara Falls without change. Other trains run daily, except Sunday.

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NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction...	9 16	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 03
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	..... Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 05	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 00
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 08	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 23	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 05	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 10
6 20	9 00	1 50	Eckford	1 25	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
6 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 59	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 17		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 27		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 [illegible]
8 08		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		4 10
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 [illegible]
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

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TREE PLANTING.

Not Enough Importance Given to the Subject by the Government or by the People.

Although a great deal has been written about tree planting and its relations to the rainfall of a country, still there does not as yet seem to be enough importance given to the subject by the Government or by the people. In many countries and districts which once were celebrated for their fertility, agriculture can not now be carried on at all on account of the diminished rainfall, consequent on denuding the country of forests and bush. For instance, Palestine, the northern shores of the Mediterranean, Greece and parts of Spain. The mountains of Estremadura and Murcia have been stripped of the forests and there is now no rain there for eight or ten months, which forbids agriculture, while Catalonia and Valencia are covered with wood and possess a moist and productive soil. Prof. Lindley observes of Mauritius: "If this island should in time become barren, it will undergo the fate which usually attends the destruction or absence of forest in countries exposed to great solar heat." Blanqui says of the Cape Verde Islands: "The terrible droughts which devastate them must be attributed to the destruction of forests." On the other hand, in South America the appearance of forest on cleared land was followed by a rising of the waters of Lake Tacaragua. Again, Blanqui says: "In St. Helena the wooded surface has extended and the rain has increased in proportion. It is now double what it was during the residence of Napoleon." The same authority says: "In Egypt recent plantations have caused rain. The rainfall in Egypt was as low as twelve inches in a year, but by planting some millions of trees by Mahomet Ali the rainfall has been brought up to forty inches. When the Mormons first settled in Utah they found the district barren; water had to be brought almost incredible distances in wooden pipes; trees were carefully planted and nourished with the water so brought, and now the district may be termed the garden of the world, and is not dependent on water brought a distance, but enjoys a steady rainfall." In Ascension the replanting of a mountain caused a spring which had dried up after felling the wood to flow again with its former abundance, the wood, having been cut down on the sides of the mountain, had dried up the spring at its base. The following is from "Proctor's Light Science": "We may point out in this place the important connection which exists between the rainfall of a country and the amount of forest land. We notice that in parts of America attention is paid with marked good results to the influence of forests in encouraging rainfall. We have here an instance in which cause and effect are interchangeable. Rain encourages the growth of an abundant vegetation, and abundant vegetation in turn aids to produce a state of the superincumbent atmosphere which encourages the precipitation of rain; the consequence is that it is very necessary to check before it is too late the processes which lead to the gradual destruction of forests. If these processes are continued and the climate has become excessively dry, it is almost impossible to remedy the mischief, simply because the want of moisture is destructive to the trees which may be planted to encourage rainfall. Thus, there are few progesses more difficult (as has been found in parts of Spain and elsewhere) than the change of an arid region into a vegetation-covered district. In fact, if the region is one of great extent, the attempt to effect such a change is almost a hopeless one. On the other hand, the contrary process—that is to attempt to change a climate that is too moist into one of less humidity—is in general attended with not much difficulty. A judicious system nearly always leads to the desired result. It appears to be generally believed that trees produce the following effects: They increase the amount of rainfall. This they probably effect thus: They lower the temperature and thus cause the moisture-laden air first to become visible as clouds, and secondly to be precipitated as rain. They intercept, as it were, tap the vapor-charged winds. They supersede the state of tension and polarization which exists when an electrified cloud is above them by silently discharging the electricity. It is well known that a moderate amount of rain falls upon the ocean far away from land, and it may be thought by some that the absence of trees can not reduce the rainfall to an amount less than the fall at sea, which may be considered the normal fall. That from some cause or other a less amount of rain may fall upon land than sea, is evident from the existence of the rainless districts of North Africa, Mexico and Peru. In order to attract rain it has been shown that the surface must be covered with objects like trees, which produce diminution of temperature."—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

Why Tropical Man is Black.

An interesting communication has been made to *Nature* by Surgeon-Major Alcock, on the reason why tropical man is black. The eyes of many of the lowest animals are generally to be described by means of patches of pigment which form their most conspicuous element. It is suggested that pigment placed behind a transparent sensory surface, such as the eye, increases the stimulating effect of rays of light. The well-known absorbent power of dull black things for heat, and the increased activity of all living matter under the influence of warmth, are points bearing on this question. In the negro the pigment cells are placed in front of the nerve terminations, and here the black pigment in the skin serves to lessen the intensity of the nerve vibrations that would be caused in a naked human body by exposure to a tropical sun; so that the pigment plays the same part as a piece of smoked glass held between the sun and the eye.

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FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Dec. 12th, Club met per adjournment at the residence of Mr. George Griswold. Although it was a cold stormy night the attendance was quite large, with several visitors who became members by joining the club, conspicuous among which were Mr. and Mrs. Hurry of Franklin, and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Smelser of Raisin. Also Mr. John Miller, an old resident of Clinton, or rather Tecumseh before the township was divided, was a guest of Mr. Griswold at the time of meeting. The program was good and well carried out, excepting declamation by Artie Hall, who could not attend in consequence of the sickness of his mother. Music by the choir, one of their best efforts; song by Fred Waldron, "The Old Oaken Bucket" carried the old members back to their childhood days. Essay by Clara Waldron, subject "Language" was a good effort and the sentiment brought out is well worthy of a careful perusal and should be well considered by the heads of families, not only of this club, but all others interested in the education of children. Song by Ora and Garland Gillespie, although sung once before at a club meeting, seemed not to lose its interest. Select reading by Mrs. Griswold, a good selection and well read.

The Question—Resolved that it would pay for Farmer's to keep farm accounts, was participated in by nearly all the members present, although there seemed to be but very few if any that had kept strictly what might be called keeping farm accounts.

Mr. Russell opened the discussion, prefacing his remarks by telling how his wife done her washing, which consisted in dissolving three-quarters of a bar of soap in about a gallon of soft water, adding thereto four table spoons full of kerosene. When thoroughly mixed, put in the clothes with water enough to cover well, and boil. Rinse through two waters and hang out to dry. No sweating over the washboard, and if the matron is musically inclined can occupy her time during the boiling, in playing upon the organ or piano.

Mr. Russell thought every farmer should keep a diary of his operations throughout the year, of every day's work, when applied, and a strict account of all his expenditures and income. With such a diary the farmer could tell very nearly at the end of the year what crops cost the most and what paid the best for the outlay.

Mr. Hurry said he had kept a diary of his business ever since he had been farming. Said it was a great satisfaction to look it over and know what he had been doing. Meant to hand it down to his boys so that they could profit by it if they would. Had found often when he had made the largest outlay for the benefit of crops his income was also the largest.

Mr. Rector had kept debit and credit—was most sorry he had done so this year as he was afraid the balance would be on the wrong side of the ledger.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie had kept a strict account of a plat of ten acres sown to wheat, to know the cost per bushel which counting the crop at 20 bus. per acre, and interest on money invested in land, made the cost 75cts. Was sure corn paid the best.

Several others advanced some good ideas, but none had been to the trouble of keeping farm accounts.

A vote was unanimously adopted that Miss Waldron hand in her essay for publication. She kindly consented to do so.

Club adjourned to meet in two weeks at the residence of Mr. John Fisher, Dec. 26th.

PROGRAM.

Music—Choir.
Essay—Miss Ida Rector.
Inst. Duet—Miss Ellen Fisher and Lizzie Henderson.
Declamation—Henry Horton.
Select Reading—Mrs. F. Rector.
Song—Grace Gillespie.
Question—Pleasures and Profits of Farming as compared with other pursuits in life. Led by E. L. Russell.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

The January number of the *North American Review* is an excellent one. It presents no very famous names among its contributors, but it offers a wide variety of unusually readable articles. We are now so safely over the crisis of the presidential election that men of all parties can consider calmly Bishop Huntington's essay on "Virtuperation in Politics," and it is to be hoped that what they learn from it will not be forgotten four years hence. Under the title "The Reunited South" Henry Watterson presents with great clearness the Southern and Democratic view of the political situation as it now stands. This also is extremely interesting to every citizen, whether he agrees with Mr. Watterson or not. Another question of universal concern which some think will soon make itself a national issue, is that of labor and its compensation; and Col. Hinton, in "American Labor Organizations," shows with what equipment it will take the field.

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Lying on your back, "Assist me."

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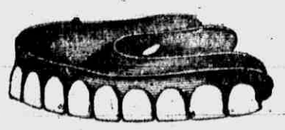

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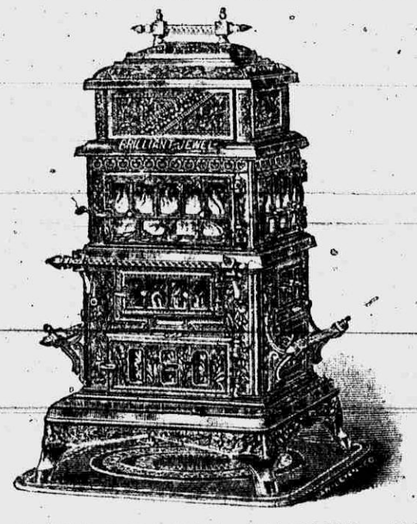

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We hear that Springville has a skating rink. We suppose it will be Onsted's turn next.

S. D. Evans now carries the mail from Onsted to Brooklyn. Leaves here at 12:30 P. M. and returns early in the evening.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Some changes have taken place since we last wrote. John Frary has bought out Ed Lewis in the blacksmith shop and Ed has gone to shoemaking in Sleepers Market where he has very comfortable quarters and would be glad to see his old friends whose underpinning is out of repair.

Wm. Brainard has commenced making brooms again and will soon be ready to supply the market. Wm. knows how to make a good broom and don't you forget it

Wm. Binns has in his possession a shawl which he picked up on the Ridge road last week. The owner can have it by calling at his place.

Some gentlemen were in town last week to adjust the loss caused by fire on Hoxsie's Machine shop. We understand that they gave Mr. Hoxsie some over five hundred dollars. Our citizens may congratulate themselves that there was not a general cleaning out amongst us as would certainly have been the case if the fire had got fairly underway.

Brad. Parker is very sick with typhoid fever. If anybody knows where his wife is they had better send her home to take care of him.

LAKE RIDGE LYRICS.

Business of all kinds at a stand still, except paying taxes. Many complain that public servants are doing better than their masters.

Ed. Densmore has the new floor in the Lake Ridge House completed and opened up with a skating rink Saturday afternoon and evening—about 200 responded.

Church social at John Steels, Tuesday evening the 23d.

The telegraph poles are up from Ridgeway to Lake Ridge, and the wire strung as far as Richard Cadmus The company is awaiting a warm day to complete the line. There will be a meeting of the stock-holders at Richard Cadmus' Saturday evening the 27th.

Macon Grange elected officers the 19th inst. as follows:

M. J. Martin—W. M.
J. W. Baker—O.
C. F. Lafler—L.
A. Russell—S.
J. W. Osborn—A. S.
E. Howell—Ch.
L. Osgood—T.
C. Mead—Sec.
M. Yates—G. R.
Mrs. J. W. Baker—C.
Mrs. L. Osgood—P.
Mrs. J. W. Sherman—F.
Mrs. J. W. Osborn—L. A. S.

J. W. Osborn, A. Easlick, J. W. Baker, L. Osgood and M. Yates—Board of Directors.

Installation of officers in the afternoon of Jan. 9th, with picnic dinner and public meeting in the evening.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine sleighing and lots of snow.

Miss Clara Eddy of the Valley Seminary was the guest of Miss Nettie Wilson Sunday.

Prof. H. C. Wilson, of Blissfield, is home during the holidays.

Mr. Willie Emmons from Mattawan is visiting relatives here.

Miss Libbie Emmons and Allie Arner left Tuesday for a holiday visit with friends at Mattawan and Coldwater.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown made their cousins Mr. and Mrs. Gove a visit over Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Griffin of Dundee are visiting friends here.

The attendance at the special school meeting that was held Monday eve. was largely attended, but nothing of any importance was done.

There will be held a Sabbath school social with a box entertainment for the benefit of the Sabbath school at the Ridgeway M. E. church on Friday eve. Dec. 26. Each lady attending will please furnish a small box containing a lunch for two persons. Each box when sold will entitle the purchaser to share the lunch with the lady whose name is found therein. Boxes 15 and 25 cts.

Miss Bell Barlow attended the entertainment given by the Star society of the College, held at the Plymouth church, Adrian, on Tuesday night of last week.

The Literary on Friday evening was quite well attended and a very interesting program carried out. The following persons were appointed as ex. com.: Hon. G. P. Waring, J. D. Arner, Dr. R. H. Nelson.

Two sleighloads attended the Temperance lecture at Exelby's Hall, Brittons, last week, given by J. M. Kerridge, of Clinton. It being stormy, the attendance was small but the lecture was one of the best. The club will have a lecture every month if good speakers can be had.

The Schubert Male Quartette, of this city, is rapidly winning for itself distinction and appreciation. Its members, Messrs. J. L. Johnson, Homer Stone, John R. Tyler, and George Iott are each admirable solo singers, while collectively their voices harmonize with wonderful perfection. At the Festival Concerts given recently in Dubuque, these gentlemen were a pronounced feature, and gave eminent satisfaction. They have been in constant practice during the past season, and sing now with a precision of attack and finish of phrasing, together with a nicety of shading, which are rarely equalled.—Chicago Saturday Evening Herald.

Adrian is improving. The city now rejoices in the possession of a Chinese laundry man. Heep Seng is his cognomen. Whether he is related to Yee Din, we cannot say, but they look near enough alike to be brothers.

ESSAY.

Delivered before the Farmer's Social Club, December 12, 1884.

It is supposed that these meetings are for the mutual benefit of all who may attend, and those who take part in the exercises, the music, the select reading, the recitations, and especially in the discussions, are expected to furnish either amusement or instruction.

Now, I never could write anything comical, and it is not to be imagined that I could advise these experienced farmers as to the best mode of farming under the new administration. Neither can I direct these skillful housewives in their departments. But, perhaps, each one should write about that which they best understand; if so, a few words regarding a question now agitating our schools may not be out of place; namely, "Language in our schools." Now I do not mean the study of the classics, which once a year furnishes a subject of much discussion at the village school meetings; but the study of Grammer in our country schools, and as applicable to the education of our farmer boys and girls for the farm.

This is a subject which hitherto has been neglected or treated of secondary importance. I said secondary, but that is placing it far too near the front, for the three R's of the old time school, "Reading, Riting and Rithmetic," are in the front ranks.

Now while I believe every farmer should have a liberal education, I think too much attention is given to Arithmetic in preference to other studies. The old fashioned farmer says, my boy must read, write, spell, study Geography if he pleases, and teacher insists on his doing so, but as for Grammar I do not want he should spend his time with it. To the instructors of the school he adds, teach him something practical. Something he will use when out of school. Teach him Arithmetic.

So the child devotes his time to locating the cities of Africa, or in the solution of some problem, involving principles he never will have occasion to use again, while entirely neglecting the principles of his "mother tongue," for he does not believe in Grammar.

With all deference to the opinion of these gentlemen, I should like to ask, how often a farmer uses anything more than the four rudimentary rules, Addition, Substraction, Multiplication, Division, and perhaps a little interest?

While on the other hand, as soon as a child learns to talk he uses language. Henceforth a large part of his waking moments is devoted to this one accomplishment. In whatever form, either orally or in writing, he expresses his thoughts or wishes, it is by language. In the majority, but not all cases, very little attention either at home or in school is paid to his manner of speaking until he begins the study of Grammar. This, if he be forward, is about the age of twelve, usually however nearer fourteen. Now it is expected that no mistakes will occur, no slipping of the tongue, for does he not study Grammar? But should it be thought possible that a few rules of Syntax will overcome the habit of years? This child has all unconsciously to himself and those around him, been contracting a habit, which will cling to him despite his best efforts, for years and perhaps his whole life. By much pains it will seemingly be overcome, only to reappear at some trying moment.

I have heard many well educated people say that they find themselves constantly making Grammatical errors, which slip imperceptibly from the tongue and pen. One of our most noted Presidents, "the self-educated Lincoln," never so far conquered the habits of early years, that he felt like trusting a message to the Senate without first submitting it to a friend for inspection.

A child as soon as he enters school should be corrected for each error. Every class should be a language class. As a certain learned educator has said, "No reason need be given to the pupil only that one form is correct, the other not." But not only in school must this work be done; as one who is with a child for seven hours or perhaps a little over, cannot hope to overbalance the remainder of the twenty-four. It is when a child is at play, or talking free with his associates that the discrepancy of his words will be most plainly noticed.

Hence, a large part of this work necessarily falls on the parents. I recall to mind a child not old enough to attend school, whose language was in every way a model of precision and purity of expression. Her mother was very careful to correct all inaccuracies and as a consequence that child never will have occasion to unlearn the lessons of her childish days. And thus all parents by a little care and watchfulness, can keep their children from acquiring that, which can only prove a source of trouble and annoyance.

If the habit of speaking correctly is formed, precision in writing will follow. A letter may be a model of neatness, the spelling perfect, the writing a gem of art, but a few incorrect expressions will spoil the beauty of it all. Therefore who shall say, that Grammar is not an important study? Teachers have long been aware that a screw is loose in this work; but they are unable to tighten it, until public sentiment undergoes a change and calls for a reform. That that time is slowly coming, there can be no doubt; for already it is noticed in the graded schools; and, it is hoped, will soon find its way into our less changable country schools.

CLARA WALDRON.

Never try to raise a family without a good newspaper, providing it contains the advertisement of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; for this valuable medicine is necessary to keep your children in good health.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 25, 1884.

CHRISTMAS.

A world of white that flushes with the smiles
of morn;
A gladsome whisper breathing what to
earth betell—
The babe—the loving Savior in the manger
born,
And the bell up in the steeple ringing
ding, dong, bell!

A message from the forest clad in key-mail;
A warble from a birdie that he glee must
tell;
A rousing crow from far and near the dawn
to hail,
And the bells up in the steeple ringing
ding, dong, bell!

Oh, gentle breath of kindness on the listening
ear,
Oh, gleaming sky that weaves its pure and
holy spell!
Oh, rippling laugh of childhood waking
everywhere
And the bells up in the steeple ringing
ding, dong, bell!

The patter over all the world of little feet,
Ah! rimmed is wintry earth with joy no
heart may tell!
And so the year is rounded with delight so
sweet,
And the bells up in the steeple ringing
ding, dong, bell!

"A merry, merry Christmas!" pipe the winds
at play;
"A merry, merry Christmas!" echo vale and
dell;
"A merry, merry Christmas!" dancing wavelets say,
With the bells up in the steeple ringing
ding, dong, bell!

—*George Cooper.*

A CHRISTMAS HEROINE.

A True and Romantic Story Told of a Cincinnati Lady.

The writer of this article was assigned to the task of preparing a Christmas story, and, as Christmas is the same as any other day to the hack reparter, and as the reporter couldn't think of anything about Christmas that would be worth reading, he concluded to demand the aid of one of those persons who are always loaded with a fund of stories relative to the private life of prominent people.

"Come with me," said he, as soon as he learned what was wanted, "and I will give you the material of a story that will not only be interesting, but strictly true."

He led the way to a large and handsome dwelling on a street devoted to residences, occupied by solid merchants and their families. The guide and reporter were admitted by a neat-looking servant, and were ushered into a parlor furnished elegantly. Within five minutes a lady, tastefully but richly attired entered the room and graciously greeted the student of secret history, whom she welcomed in a most cordial but ladylike manner. After the reporter had been introduced the guide had a few moments' conversation relative to a piece of property the lady was about to sell, and this matter disposed of a general conversation on the topics of the day followed, in which the hostess took part with a vivacity and grace at once charming and unaffected. The lady was a great reader and lover of fine arts. Her familiarity with books and authors and men of the times showed that she had improved her mind to a high degree. The paintings in the parlors were all admirably selected. The lady, the reporter learned, had traveled extensively in this country and abroad. She spoke French fluently, and had acquired considerable of the politeness for which the French people are celebrated.

At the end of half an hour s chat the reporter and his friend took their departure.

"You have just left the heroine of your Christmas story," said the guide, as the two strolled down the street.

"I supposed as much," said the reporter, "and now for the story itself."

"And now for the story itself," repeated the guide. "You shall have it. The woman you just saw was once a country girl residing on a farm thirty miles from Milwaukee, Wis. At the age of fourteen years she was a loving, confiding, ingenuous child, the perfect picture of the ideal, rosy-cheeked country maid. One day, when she was in her fifteenth year, a middle-aged bachelor, who was in business in Milwaukee, called at her father's house to buy some horses or something—I've forgotten just what. He saw the little country maiden and was struck by her marvelous beauty, as well as her childish simplicity of manner and sensible mien. He took occasion to converse with the little lass and asked her if she would not like to marry him. The child really did not know the full import of his meaning, but she innocently replied that she would be delighted to marry him. He then told her to be a good girl, and that some day he would come and make her his wife. The gentleman went back to his home in Milwaukee, and the country girl resumed her life of humdrum country existence. Christmas time approached, and on Christmas eve our country maiden proposed to hang up a stocking in anticipation of a present. She was blessed with a step-mother, a woman of vicious temperament and a deep hatred for the little beauty, who was so unfortunate as to be under the same roof with her. The step-mother, always on the lookout for an excuse to have a row, seized upon the simple act of hanging up a stocking on Christmas eve to frame an excuse to treat the poor girl to a most violent whipping. The bright anticipations of the happy Christmas entertained by the girl were thus swept away, and she retired that night with her busy brain on fire, as she immediately determined that she would no longer submit to the cruelties of her brutal step-mother. Suddenly she thought of the gentleman at Milwaukee who had said he would marry her, and instantly she made up her mind to go to him. She had no money, and could not get any but that did not stand in her way. At four o'clock on Christmas morning she packed a few articles of clothing in a handkerchief and set out on foot for Milwaukee. It was a frightful undertaking for a young and tender girl, but she bravely pushed on, and at night she reached the city. She was footsore, cold and tired, but not discouraged, for she never dreamed that she was in danger of being disappointed. Her faith in human nature was something sublime, and her confidence in the gentleman who had said he would marry her was as great as though she had known and trusted him all her life.

"The bachelor sat in his cosy private parlor at his boarding-house, which was the best place of the kind in Milwaukee, on the Christmas evening, when his landlady made her appearance leading our little heroine by the hand.

"As soon as the gentleman could recover from his astonishment at the sight of the suffering child before him, he exclaimed:

"'Why, what in the world are you here for in such a sad plight?'

"'I have come to be married!' was the reply, as the child confidingly approached her lover.

"'To get married?'

"'Yes, sir; to marry you.'

"'Well, well, well,' mused the bachelor, as he led the little wanderer to the fire and stroked her beautiful hair. Then turning to the wondering landlady he commanded her to take the child under her protection and make her comfortable.

"'Yes, come, sissy,' said the landlady, 'you are almost perished with cold and hunger.'

"Her shoes were worn through and her feet were covered with blisters. Yet her cheeks were like a peach and her eyes sparkled with brilliancy. She was most beautiful. The bachelor sat for hours musing. The red cheeks and bright eyes of the little country maid haunted him all night. You may not wonder at this, for if you think the lady you saw to-day is beautiful, what must she have been when a girl?

"Within a few days the gentleman married the girl, and as he was well-to-do they lived together in comfort for several years, when the gentleman died. The young widow remained a widow but a short time, when she remarried. This time she was married to a gentleman who made money, but lived liberally, and entertained his friends right royally. This marriage, as the former, was a happy one, and the lady had opportunities to travel abroad. She learned the French language and indulged in the study of art.

"But one day the lady's husband died suddenly while on his way from Cincinnati to Chicago. Thus a second time your heroine was widowed. She had a magnificent wardrobe, but only about two hundred or three hundred dollars in money left. This money was used up in defraying the expenses of her late husband's funeral and paying their hotel bill. She was then left without means, but she kept up her courage. When on the farm she had been taught to sew, and she concluded to turn this part of her education to advantage. Her desire was to go to housekeeping and take cloaks home to make. She had nothing with which to furnish a house, but she went to a friend of her husband and laid the case before him, requesting a loan and offering a jewel as security. The gentleman kindly consented to lend her what money she wanted without any security, and asked how much she required. She innocently replied that she thought she would need at least twenty dollars. The gentleman laughingly informed her that she could not buy anything with twenty dollars, and that she had better take fifty dollars, which she could repay at her own convenience. But the sum of fifty dollars frightened her, and she would consent to accept but the twenty dollars. Supplied with that amount, she rented a small house and bought the simplest outfit for one room that she could purchase at a second-hand store. She had no trouble in securing cloaks, and as she and an assistant could make two of them in a day, at three dollars apiece, leaving the lady a profit of five dollars a day, she soon paid off her debt of twenty dollars.

"After progressing in this manner for some time the young widow's attention was attracted by an advertisement in a daily paper setting forth the fact that an immense number of soldier coats were in an unfinished state in the hands of the United States Commissary, and that hands were wanted to finish them. The widow attired herself in her best and repaired to the Commissary's office, where she met a Government official, who politely asked her what she would be pleased to have. She somewhat surprised the official when she informed him that she wanted to get work on the unfinished soldier coats; but he ceased to wonder that the elegantly attired and beautiful young lady before him sought employment when she related how death had left her a penniless widow, and how she proposed to make an honest living. Of course she was promised all the work she might want, and that evening an express wagon load of coats was sent to her modest little home. The official found it in the line of his duty to call at the young widow's house to see that the work on the coats was properly commenced, and his gallant heart bled when he witnessed the poverty of such a pretty woman as he found the lone widow to be. In time, he was smitten by her charms, and set his brain to work to devise a plan by which he could relieve the lonely creature without insulting her. At length he said to the lady that he could promise her enough work to pay her at least five hundred dollars, and that he would gladly pay her that amount in advance in order that she might furnish her house in a manner that would be comfortable. The widow declined the offer with a charming grace.

"Christmas Day arrived, and the officer called at the widow's modest cottage. Marching up to the pretty widow he addressed her thus:

"'I made a proposition to you a few days ago, and you saw fit to reject it. Now I have another to make, and I sincerely hope that this time you will not decline. I want you to render my Christmas extremely happy by giving me the right to protect you from the inconveniences of poverty. Be my wife.'

"To be sure he said much more, but it is not necessary to repeat all that he did say or all she said, save to say that a second time she found a husband on Christmas, and again she found herself independent to the world. Her new husband added to his already comfortable fortune before the war ended, and again the lady got to travel through foreign lands and gratify her love for study and the fine arts. She is a widow again, but a rich one. And on Christmas Days she never fails to bestow upon the needy presents that give joy to the recipients and happiness to herself. She looks upon Christmas Day as a day of propitious fruition, and is probably happier on that day than anybody you ever saw."

The above is no fancy sketch, but is a strictly true history of a veritable personage who resides in Cincinnati, and the names are withheld for obvious reasons.—*Cincinnati News-Journal.*

NOT SATISFIED.

An Arkansaw Gentleman of Color Who Could Not Get No Satisfaction Out of the White Folks.

"I don't want you any longer," said a white man to a colored gentleman. "I have paid you good wages, but how have you shown your gratitude? By stealing my dove-colored pantaloons."

"Who did, boss?"

"You did."

"Who, me?"

"Yes, you."

"It's mighty hard fur er hones' man ter be 'cuzed dat erway."

"But it is mighty easy to accuse a thief."

"Who's er thief?"

"You are."

"Whoi me?"

"Yes, you."

"Den yer doan wanter hire me no mo'?"

"No. I have enough of you. When I find that a man is not honest, I no longer have any use for him."

"Den you say I ain't hones?"

"I say that you are a thief."

"Who's er thief?"

"You are."

"Who, me?"

"I am half inclined to have you arrested. The proof that you stole the pantaloons is conclusive. You took them to a second-hand store and sold them for two dollars."

"Wall 'fore de Lawd, jes' heah how dis man do talk. I didn' did nothin' o' de kine."

"I say you did."

"Boss, what yer set up dar an' talk ter me dat erway fur. Reckon I oughter know what I got fur de flamed britches. I wouldn' work fur sich er stubburnt white man ez yesse'f is. Good mornin', sah. Come er tellin me whut I got fur de britches, when I was dar at de time, an' knows all erbout it. I'm gwinter quit workin' fur dese cuss folks, 'cause yer kaint git no satisfaction outen 'em, no how.—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

GROWING FOLK.

A Few Common-Sense Reflections on the Conduct of Life.

It is a mistake to take it for granted, as in books and life we perpetually do, that people must always remain the same. On the contrary, most people are constantly changing—growing, let us hope, but still changing—in character, feelings, opinions. If we took this into account we should often be less harsh to judge; less piteously misjudged ourselves. For instance, we resolve always to love our friend and hate our enemy; but our friend may prove false and our enemy kind and good. What are we then to do? To go on loving and hating as before? I fear we can not. We must accept things as they are, and act accordingly. Or, and this is a common case, we may ourselves once have had certain faults which we afterwards had sense to see and correct, yet those who knew us in our faulty days will never believe this, and go on condemning us forever, which is a little hard. And again, we may have started honestly on a certain course, and declared openly certain opinions or intentions, which we afterward see cause to modify, or even renounce entirely. Time and circumstance have so altered us that we are obliged to give our old selves the lie direct, or else to be untrue to our present selves. In short, we must just retract, in act and word, badly or weakly, nobly or ignobly, as our natures allow. And though we have been perfectly sincere throughout, the chances are that no one will believe us; we shall be stamped as hypocrites, renegades or deep designing schemers, to the end of our days. This, too, is hard: and it takes a strong heart and a clear conscience to bear it.—*Miss Mulock.*

Ill-Bred Smokers.

There is no one thing, perhaps, in which the difference between the well-bred man and the ill-bred man more appears than in the manner in which, the place where, and the time when they smoke. The well-bred man does not smoke, nor does he seem to smoke to show off; whereas the ill-bred man very often smokes in a self-conscious manner that seems to say: "Look at me! see how skillfully my lips hold this cigar; how I can shift it from one side to the other without touching it with my fingers, and how I can articulate with it in my mouth; in short, look you what perfect control I have over my labial muscles, and, having seen, admire!" In short, there are many low-bred young men—very many—that appear to smoke only to display their imagined grace and skill; when, in fact, in smoking as they do, where they do, and when they do, they but publish their vulgarity. The well-bred man, on the contrary, the gentleman, the man that smokes only for the love of it, puts but as much of his cigar in his mouth as is necessary in order to draw it, keeps it in his mouth no longer than is necessary, and never fails to remove it when he talks or passes any one to whom he would be respectful, especially a lady. Further, our best bred men never smoke in any street at an hour when it is much frequented.—*Boston Beacon.*

—Alarm is felt in British Columbia at the introduction of opium among the Indians of that Province by the Chinese. Several of the tribes are said to be even more strongly infatuated with the drug than the Chinamen themselves, and will have it at any sacrifice. It is feared that its introduction may lead to serious trouble.

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Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

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My son, I was not born in the lap of luxury. I didn't roll in affluence in my earlier days. Within the memory of men standing, and some of the men now lying within the sound of my voice my check for $50,000 would have lain dormant in the waste-basket in any bank in the land. I did not always dress like a head waiter, or wear diamonds like a clog-dancer. Ah, no. I was poor once myself.

And one time, when I was very poor and comparatively honest, a prominent merchant whose books were adorned by my name was very anxious to send me his autograph at the complimentary end of a receipted bill. I was at that time an enthusiast on the subject of business men's autographs, and had amassed quite a varied collection, including those of well-known characters and operators in the butchering, grocerying, tailoring and shoe-making walks of life. I was quite anxious to add to my collection the autograph of the merchant above referred to, but he held it at what I then considered a very high figure, $65.80. I did not feel justified in paying such an amount for a single autograph. Moreover, I learned through confidential sources, that the particular autograph he was anxious to sell me was not in high demand among autograph hunters, and I hoped it would come down a little.

But it didn't. I received one day a violent and abusive letter from a merchant, in which he accused me of intending to defraud and swindle him; said that I had entered my name upon his valuable books for that purpose, and threatened all sorts of dire things if I didn't come to taw and buy that autograph of him. Then he once more called me a swindler, and signed himself "Yours respectfully."

I hustled around, my boy, for the next week or two, to get that autograph. I wrote until my fingers were numb and I was in ink to the eyes. I got the money—Heaven knows how I got so much money in two weeks in those days. I paid it over to that prominent merchant. I got his autograph on a receipted bill, he thanked me graciously, and—

The next day the hoary-headed old cuss failed, and paid his creditors thirty-three cents on the dollar.

No wonder the old rascal signed himself "Yours, respectfully," when he called me a swindler.

And here I had gone and paid the old gouge $65.80, when by his own rules and practice I should have paid him but $21.93. He was just collecting every cash cent on his books to salt away before he swindled his creditors.

I couldn't understand it then, and I don't understand it now, why the small debtor should be deprived of the privileges that accrue to the big one. You can't understand it either, my boy. It is one of the profound mysteries of our modern civilization. I sometimes wish I had the $44 I overpaid that old wretch, and yet, I don't suppose, at least I hope it would not make me happy. I think it makes me much happier to sit down and expose his rascality and call him names in print. But even that happiness is marred by the thought that he doesn't care for that. His creditors called him worse names than I can think of, and he really did me no wrong. It was a just bill; I owed it; I was in honor bound to pay it, and I did pay it, one hundred cents on the dollar, but what makes me mad as a hornet every time I think of it, was the old thief's virtuous indignation when he was afraid he wasn't going to get my $65 to fail with. This also is vanity.

Well, the same thing happens in this Christian land every day, my boy. There is, so far as I can see, as little honor in commercial circles as there is in politics. And then again, there is just as much. Tammany Hall is as honest as Wall street. About the only man who pays one hundred cents on the dollar is the man who owes less than $100. And, if occasionally he pays 0 on the dollar he has only learned his lesson from the great commercial schools where the small dealer sits at the feet of the great operators and learns all the knavery and cunning he knows.

What I started out to say, my boy, was this: If you are in debt, carry yourself calmly as the great houses do. If you owe a merchant $65, don't be in too big a hurry to pay it. Just let him sweat over it a little while, until you see how much he is going to pay on his own debts. Then you can pro rate with him. I am afraid that is the inference you have already drawn from this rather ill-natured reminiscence.

But, on second thought, I don't want you to do that way. You want to reform this great evil, do you not? Well, the best way to bring about that reform is to walk up and pay that $65 you owe, just the first minute you can collar the money. If you owe it to a rascal, never mind, it is a just debt on your part, and don't keep the conscience of the "assignment" operator. You pay 100 cents on the dollar every time. Then, by and by, as you and your neighbors do this and teach your children so to do, there will arise a generation of men in America who will pay one hundred cents on the dollar, and Canada will become a howling wilderness, untenanted save by the wild bear and the wolf, who will help the wilderness howl.

Bank cashiers will sleep at home and confidential clerks will spend their vacations in town, and a man's salary will pay for everything he gets. But the only way to bring about this preparatory millenium, my boy, is for you to pay that $65 when you owe it every cent of it. No matter how much the other man owes nor how little he pays. You pay your debts, my dear boy, and I will know at least one man to whom I won't be afraid to loan money without collateral security or gilt-edged paper.

"And have I quite forgiven the merchant against whom I felt so bitterly because he collected a just debt?"

Oh! That old fence? Well, no; to tell the honest truth, I haven't quite entirely forgiven him. But one of these days may be I'll meet him in the woods, far from human gaze and hearing, with a big club in my hands. After that I will forgive him. To prove my forgiveness, I will help him to the hospital.

THE HUMAN BLOOD WORM.

A Parasite to Whose Presence in the Human System Death May Often Be Directly Traced.

This parasite, the Filaria Bancroft of Cobbold—Filaria sanguinis hominis of some authors—is second only to the dreaded Trichina spiralis in its interest, producing as it does a long list of diseases in the human system, some of which frequently prove fatal.

The male worm is unknown; the female presents the following characters: Body hair-like, smooth, and of uniform thickness. The head is furnished with a circular mouth without papillæ. The neck is narrow, and the tail blunt. The reproductive outlet is situated close to the head, and the anus just above the extreme tip of the tail. Length, three inches. The embryos attain a length of one two-hundredths inch, and the ova measure about one one-thousandth inch from pole to pole.

The embryo form of the blood filaria was first discovered by Wanchrer in Bahia, in 1866, in chylous urine from a female patient in the Misericordia Hospital there; and six years later Lewis found the embryos in human blood, as well as in chylous urine, and in several organs of the body, notably the kidneys. As an instance of the enormous numbers of this parasite which sometimes infest the human body, the latter author calculated in one case that 140,000 filariae were present in the blood of a single unfortunate patient.

The habitat of the adult parasite above described is the alimentary tract of man. Here fecundation takes place, and, finally, scores of embryos of a worm-like form, and measuring one two-hundredths inch in length, are extruded from the reproductive outlet of the female. These make their way into the blood, and there produce some or all of the following list of symptoms: Chyluria, bloody urine (hæmaturia), wandering muscular pains, elephantiasis—a very common symptom, occurring in more than one-half of all cases—leprosy, and various forms of lymphatic abscess, anæmia, and general ill health, ending frequently in complete destruction of the vital powers and death.

The Filaria Bancrofti has been found in Egypt, Australia, China, India, and South America, and doubtfully in several European countries, and in the Southern United States; certainly, of the ready possibility of the disease being introduced into any temperate or tropical climate there can be no doubt.

In Bahia and in Brazil generally the blood filaria is especially common, 8 1-3 per cent. of the entire population of Bahia, it has been calculated, at some period of their lives harboring this parasite.

Nothing could be more interesting than the mode of propogation of this species of filaria. It is well known that the class of entozoa generally must go through at least one stage of their metamorphoses outside the body of their host, frequently within the body of another animal, and at first sight it is difficult to imagine how this can take place in the case of a parasite which inhabits human blood; but the subject has been entirely cleared up by the laborious investigations of Manson, Lewis, Cobbold, and others. The female mosquito, after gorging itself with blood, repairs to some pool of stagnant water, there to digest its meal, and finally deposit its eggs. Should the victim of the mosquito have been a person whose blood contained filariæ, these parasites are sucked into the digestive tract of the insect, and during the period while its sanguinary meal is being digested the embryos there undergo marked changes, finally developing a four-lipped mouth, and becoming cylindrical in shape, with an abrupt, sharply-pointed tail. When they have attained the proper stage of development they abandon their insect host and take up their abode in the stagnant water. Should a single pair of these microscopic larvæ be introduced into the digestive tract of man through drinking water containing them, or by eating water plants to which they had adhered, they rapidly develop into mature specimens of Filaria Bancrofti, and, fecundation having taken place, a new brood of embryos are produced to populate the blood, cause the diseases above mentioned, and form a new center of this hideous disease.

As the parasite under discussion can only be propagated through the agency of the mosquito or nearly allied blood-sucking insects, it is evident that if the race of mosquitoes were exterminated blood filaria disease would very soon cease to exist; but such a proposition needs only to be stated to show its absurdity, and the only practicable method of preventing the disease is to avoid taking the larvæ into the stomach, by the use of only carefully filtered water—except, of course, where a spring of pure water is the immediate source of supply—or of that which has been raised to the boiling point before being used for drinking or culinary purposes; a temperature considerably below 212 degrees being absolutely fatal to this worm in all its stages of development.

The treatment of blood filaria disease is exceedingly unsatisfactory, no known mode of procedure having any great influence over the progress of the disease; a decoction of mangrove bark is a tropical remedy of great repute; gallic acid has been used with asserted benefit by European practitioners. Fortunately, however, the symptoms appear to be to some extent self-limiting. The percentage of deaths in case of blood filaria disease, calculating from published records, is not high; but this is owing more to the insidious nature of the pathological condition than to its harmlessness to life, death frequently occurring suddenly in the course of the disorder from some acute disease, the latter always running its course rapidly, and often to a fatal termination when the constitution has been broken down by the ravages of filaria. Death may be often traced directly to the presence of this parasite in the blood and it is certain that all severe attacks of blood filaria disease markedly injure general health and shorten life.—*Ralph W. Seiss, M. D., in Scientific American.*

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of said Peter R. Adams, deceased, by the Hon. Norman Geddes Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at my residence, corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, on Friday, the 2d day of January, A. D., 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate to wit: The northwest quarter of section one (1), the northeast quarter of section two (2), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section two (2), in Raisin township, Lenawee county, Michigan, containing four hundred (400) acres of land. Also one hundred and thirty-five (135) acres of land being the north part of the northwest quarter of section fourteen (14), in Clinton township, Lenawee county, Michigan. Also three story brick building and lot in village of Tecumseh, Michigan, to-beginning at the north side of Chicago street, one hundred and fifty-one and a-half feet east from the east line of Evans street at its intersection with the north line of Chicago street; thence east along the north line of Chicago street twenty-five feet; thence north at right angles with Chicago street to an alley; thence west 25 feet, thence south some 89 feet to point of beginning. Also land in village of Tecumseh aforesaid to wit: Commencing at the intersection of west line of Evans street with north line of Kilbuck street; thence north on west line of Evans street nine rods and seven feet; thence west on south line of land in occupancy of Wm. Hayden and others seven rods; thence south on east line of land formerly owned by Nathan Blood nine rods and seven feet, to the north line of Kilbuck street, and thence east about seven rods along the north line of said street to place of commencement. Also lots numbered 75 and 76 on the original plat of the village of Tecumseh, except a parcel 4x8 rods sold off west side thereof. Also parcel of land in village of Tecumseh, Michigan to wit: Commencing on south line of Chicago street at west line of lot owned by Owens near Hayden's mill, thence south from said point on Chicago street twelve rods; thence west five rods; thence north twelve rods; thence east along south line of Chicago street five rods to point of commencement. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated November 17th, 1884.

CORDELIA M. ADAMS,
nov20 Administratrix with the will annexed.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Marshall late of the township of Franklin Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 19th day of January, 1885, and on the 9th day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of November, A D, 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated November 19, 1884.

DANIEL W LOVE,
ELIAS DePUY,
nov27 Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ray B Smith deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of E. B. & F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 13th day of January, 1885 and on the 6th day of April, 1885 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884

HORATIO KEYSER,
JEROME F. N. BOWEN,
nov27 Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Rufus R Hall, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. and F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 31 day of January, 1885, and on the 2d day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 2d day of November, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Nov. 19, 1884.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
AUSTIN G. HALL,
nov27 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE SUTTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday the 26th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charlotte Sutton, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harriet Sutton, daughter of said deceased, praying for the probate of a instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to petitioner, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate

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Weather prophet Wiggins is again on deck.

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There seems to be a lull in the Adrian postoffice war. Let'er lull. The people can stand it.

Old Santa Claus will have lots of friends to-day, and surely the big hearted old gentleman deserves them.

It is to be hoped that gossips will cease Cabinet making long enough to hang up their stockings on Christmas eve.

Blaine's "Twenty Years of Congress" is having a tremendous sale. Over 113,000 copies of the first volume have already been sold.

The good old tale, so often told
Resounds again to young and old:
St. Nick, he bids us all good cheer,
For Christmas comes but once a year.

The dedication of the Washington monument on Febuary 22nd next promises to be the grandest celebration ever held in this country.

Dana, the venerable editor of the Sun, remarks that the prophets are not all dead. Perhaps not, but they are thinning out with remarkable rapidity.

Nearly every state in the Union has a candidate for a position in the new Cabinet, and some have three or four. Michigan has not spoken yet. Michigan is too modest.

The young lady who made seven hundred words out of the word "conservatory," was paralyzed when her mother asked her to make three loaves of bread out of flour.

Wiggins presistently affirms that he has not joined the Salvation Army. Very well, but he certainly ought to. Such an incorrigible old sinner is surely in need of reformation.

The newspapers are busily engaged in constructing cabinets for Governor Cleveland. The man who gives himself the least trouble on this subject seems to be Gov. Cleveland himself.

The sugar interests are opposed to the Spanish treaty, the tobacco interests are opposed to it, the tax-payers are opposed to it. It is safe to say that it will be left to die a natural death.

The old "Liberty Bell" of Independence Hall will be taken to the New Orleans Exposition. It will be guarded en route and while on exhibition by three stalwart policemen from the city of Philadelphia.

Moody and Sankey have made half a million dollars on their revival hymn books. There, we always felt that we had missed our calling. We shall sell the HERALD now and go into the revival business.

A. J. Rawson, of Chicago, has issued a circular, announcing the startling intelligence that this world is coming to end on Sunday, January 4th, 1885. The insurance companies should have known this fact before issuing their calendars for the coming year.

Strikes are very expensive luxuries sometimes. The Columbus board of trade estimates the loss to the coal companies of the strike in the Hocking valley at $1,620,000, the loss to business men outside of the companies at $350,000, to the railroads centering there at $1,710,000, to the furnaces in the valley at $225,000 and to the city of Columbus at $3,511,000. What did the strikers gain by it?

President elect Cleveland has made a good beginning by declining all gifts. Some time since he returned a valuable Newfoundland dog to the donor. Last week one Coughlin, of Binghamton, sent him a five gallon cask of wine, with a gold faucet, and enclosed in a plush-lined walnut case. The gift was promptly returned, and the Governor in his letter says—"My election to office merely obliges me to perform the duties of such office for the compensation allowed. I thought I made my desires on this subject very plain in my recent letter, and I think I must have my way in the matter." It is not likely that he will be subjected to any further annoyance in this direction.

TEMPERANCE AND PROHIBITION.

EDITOR HERALD.—

In your paper of Dec. 18th, I find a communication signed VERBUM SAP, in which the writer discusses the question of "partisan temperance." The article is evidently writen by one who is no tyro in the business and deserves more than a passing notice. "Is the subject of temperance and temperance legislation properly and legitimately a party question?" he asks. He claims to be a "prohibitionist of the prohibitionists," to believe that "no men or set of men can have the moral right to enforce what God has expressly forbidden" and then he opposes any separate party action, having for its object the enactment and enforcement of prohibitory laws.

Your correspondent has fallen into the very common error of confounding two things, which, although of the same generic character, are yet radically different. Is temperance properly and legitimately a party question? Assuredly not. Is temperance legislation or prohibition a legimate party question? Most emphatically it is. Let me illustrate this distinction farther.

Temperance, as defined by Webster, is an "habitual moderation in regard to the indulgence of the natural appetites and passions." Temperance, however, in the most generally accepted sense of that term, means a total abstinence from the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage. But this question—temperance pure and simple—has nothing to do with legislation. Men of all parties and sects advocate temperance. Men who believe in legal prohibition, those who favor high license and low license and no license are found in the ranks of total abstainers. "Moral Suasion" is the instrumentality used to promote temperance of this character. The sole object of temperance reform of this type is to pursuade drinkers to stop drinking, and to induce all men to refrain therefrom. This theory was the basis of the old Washingtonian movement and was the corner stone of faith in the Sons of Temperance and the Red Ribbon clubs. Temperance in this acceptation of the word, is not a party question at all. It is a personal and social question. It appeals to men's reason and judgment and through social organizations furnishes aid to the fallen, to reform and refrain from intoxicating drinks. It needs no legislation and asks none. Whether the state has a prohibitory law or a license law or no law, this reform goes on the same, gathering its converts through the agency of moral suasion alone. I conclude, therefore, that temperance, in the proper sense of that term, is not, and cannot be, a party or political question.

Now, let me ask your correspondent, Why is he a prohibitionist?

His answer, I apprehend, would be substantially this. Because the experience of years has demonstrated the fact that moral suasion alone is powerless to eradicate the evil of intemperance. The liquor interest has grown to be an immense power. It can only be curtailed and regulated by the strong arm of the law. Fighting it with the weapons of moral suason alone is like an attempt to storm a modern fortress with pop guns and Indian arrows. The liquor men smile and go on their way rejoicing. What is the remedy? The enactment and enforcement of a wise prohibitory law. This premise granted, what next? When you talk of prohibition you necessarily talk of legislation, for without legislation there can be no prohibition. The very essence of prohibition is statutory law. But how—in the name of St. Paul and all the prophets—can a prohibitory law be enacted and enforced, without a party organization behind it to push it forward and promote its success? Great reforms are not accomplished by no-partyism. All parties worthy of the name are based on some moral or political principle. Every reform has a humble beginning and is of slow growth. The seed is first sown in isolated localities, then grows and spreads among the people; a definite political dogma is formulated; separate detachments of reformers combine into a party; this party unfurls the reform banner, sends its representatives to our legislative halls and thus weaves the reformation sought and fought for into statutory law. Was any great reform in this world ever accomplished in any other manner? Did any reform ever succeed by toadying to the men who oppose it? Did any reform army ever win a battle by mustering out its own leaders, disbanding its organization and scattering its rank and file among the hostile forces?

In conclusion, I affirm that temperance legislation, whether in the form of license, tax or prohibition, is, and necessarily must be, a party and a political question.

JUSTITIA FIAT.

Coal Oil or Petroleum may be very nice for illuminating or lubricating purposes, but surely it is not the proper thing to cure a cough with. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is looked upon as the standard Cough remedy.

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Everything New, No Old Goods in Stock.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DRESSMAKING.—I have rented rooms over Anderson's dry goods store, where I can be found prepared to do dressmaking in all its branches. Cutting and fitting a specialty.
ANN YAWORR.

ROOMS TO RENT.—A fine suit of rooms over Hough & Hosmer's jewelry store. Enquire at my residence. O. B. DeWOLF.

FOR SALE.—To make room for Jerseys, I will sell my Durham and native cattle, consisting of cows, heifers and steers, all in prime condition. Prices reasonable. Also a few pure bred Jersey bull calves. JOHN P. CLARK.
Clarkson Mich.

MUSIC.—I will give lessons on violin or cornet, to those wishing to learn. Terms moderate. Enquire at residence or address P. O. box 356. GEORGE W. KNAPP.

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This hotel is located on South Main st., near the postoffice, the best location in the city. First class accommodations and rates reasonable.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Wolcott, Temple & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Wolcott having sold his interest to John J. Van Gieson. The new firm of Temple, McClure & Co. assume all the obligations of the old firm and purchase all debts due the firm. All old accounts, both debit and credit, are to be settled with the new firm.
JOHN S. TEMPLE.
ISAAC C. WOLCOTT.
SAMUEL McCLURE.
Tecumseh, Dec. 4, 1884.

TO THE PUBLIC.—Having purchased the lumber business and planing mill lately run by Wolcott, Temple & Co., we are prepared to accommodate all in need of goods in our line, and respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage. TEMPLE, McCLURE & CO.
TECUMSEH, Dec. 4, '84.

BLACKSMITHING.—Having rented the Griffiths shop on Pearl street, I respectfully ask a share of the public patronage in blacksmithing. Interfering horses a specialty. Good wood shop in connection. W. P. DEMING.
TECUMSEH, Oct. 23, 1884.

OFF FOR FLORIDA.—Now is your time to buy an organ, piano, musical mdse., and instruments of all kinds and sewing machines at bed rock prices. A No. 10 upright Chickering and Duplex Ithica piano at wholesale prices. Three desirable houses and lots and my business building will be sold at low figures. Also a 7 year old bay mare, buggies, harness &c. If you want bargains call at once while you have a large stock to select from. Several second hand organs and sewing machines nearly as good as new. G. P. SPARKS.

Merry Christmas to all.

Rube Sholes, formerly of Tecumseh, is visiting his brother Dudley. It is twenty years since he eat turkey in our villlage, but his long residence at Salt Lake has not ruined his appetite.

The Sunday School concert at the Presbyterian church last Sabbath evening was listened to by a fine audiance. The program was a good one and was finely rendered, the musical portion being especially creditable. The entire affair was an excellent substitute for the usual Christmas tree entertainment.

The funeral of W. T. B. Schermerhorn, late of the Hudson Gazette, was held last Sunday afternoon from the Congregational Church in that village. An immense concourse of people attended, far beyond the capacity of the church, and the services were conducted by all the pastors of the place. The remains were the first to be deposited in the new vault of Maple Grove Cemetery.

THE FALL TERM OF SCHOOL.

Last Friday closed one of the most successful terms of school in the record of the Tecumseh schools during recent years. We have obtained from Prof. Hammond a few statistics which will doubtless be of interest to our readers.

The total enrollment during the term in all the departments aggregates 449, divided as follows. The table gives the enrollment and also the per cent. of attendance in each grade.

Grade.	Enrollment.	Per Cent. Attendance.
A High School	36	98
B High School	30	96¾
Eighth Grade	35	97
Seventh Grade	37	98
Sixth Grade	46	97
Fifth Grade	36	96½
Fourth & Fifth Grade	31	98⅔
Fourth Grade	30	98
East Primary	60	97½
West Primary	64	97
North Primary	38	91

The percent. of tardiness has been less than one per cent. of the total attendance, and most of this can be traced to twelve or fifteen chronic cases. The teachers are required by the rules to be in their respective rooms twenty-five minutes before the opening of the morning session, and twenty minutes before the afternoon session, and their faithful observance of this rule has had a marked effect in promoting the punctual attendance of the pupils.

The number of non-resident pupils on the rolls exceeds by far the number of any previous term since Prof. Hammond assumed charge of the schools, and it is doubtful whether the number has ever been surpassed. Nearly $220 in foreign tuitions were received during the term just closed. The final examinations last week showed a high standard of excellence in all the departments.

Teachers meetings are held once each month, at which an essay is read by some one of them on some topic of general interest, followed by discussion. These meetings have proven to be both interesting and profitable.

The teachers in the primary grades also hold weekly meetings of their own, at which matters pertaining to discipline, instruction, etc., in the first four years are discussed.

Owing to the resignation of Miss Minnie Keeney, the Board have been obliged to employ a substitute and have hired Mr. Fred. Hendershot to fill the 8th grade position during the remainder of the school year.

The holiday vacation will close on Saturday, Jan. 3d., and the session will resume on Monday Jan. 5th., with flattering prospects for a successful winter's term.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 25, 1884.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

This is good weather for the coal vender.

Dr. Parker is moving from Adrian back to Blissfield.

Remember the Schubert Concert on New Year's night.

Kies Bros. have a new card this week announcing a slaughter sale.

Save your spare change and go to the Schubert Concert on New Year's night.

The Tecumseh boys attending school at Ann Arbor are all at home for the holidays.

Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Tallman, of Mount Morris, N. Y., are enjoying a few days visit at Ezra F. Blood's.

There will be a leap year party at the skating rink to morrow evening. Now, girls, this is your last chance.

W. R. Wooden will eat his Christmas turkey in Tecumseh. He arrived in town yesterday and will remain until next Monday.

Read all the newspaper prospectuses in this issue. Pick out the papers you want and then call at the HERALD office and subscribe for them.

The Adrian Record asks: "What will the boys and girls find to do during the two weeks of school vacation?" Go to the skating rink, of course. Ask us a harder one.

David Boyd, who has been stopping at Hillsdale for the past few months, has returned to Tecumseh, and will now take his bread and butter and lodging in this neighborhood.

Capt. Foster gives an elegant Christmas dinner at the Lilley House to-day. The menu is all that the most exacting epicure could wish for. He will doubtless have a large family of guests this afternoon.

Will Harding, whose shoulder was broken by an accident a few days ago, is getting along well. It is a bad fracture however, and he will be compelled to carry his arm in a sling for several weeks.

P. W. Adams and wife arrived in town last Thursday and will remain until after the holidays. When they left their home at Middletown, Del. on Wednesday morning, they had beautiful June weather and upon arriving here on Thursday afternoon they found zero weather and sleighing.

Adrian Times: The fellow who was engaged to teach school in district No. 9, Rollin, began business without a certificate and, afterward, circumstances so shaped themselves that he failed to pass before the board of county examiners. The district, being thus minus an educator, has decided to "hire a girl."

The announcement of the Detroit Free Press appears in to-day's HERALD. No eulogy of the Free Press is required at our hands. By common consent it stands at the head of Michigan newspapers, and it is recognized as one of the ablest exponents of Democratic opinion in the Northwest. Republicans who wish to read the other side, can not find a better paper, and every well regulated Democratic family keeps a copy of the Free Press in the house.

We are in receipt of an elegant menu of the Christmas dinner to be given to day at the Burnett House in Toledo. We regret exceedingly that a previous engagement will prevent our attendance. But if landlord Burnett will fill a cracker barrel with the roast duck, baked rabbit, farina fritters, malaga grapes, oyster patties, chicken fricassed and other et ceteras left over and ship the same to our address by express, we will agree to give him a local notice gratis and use extra exertions to take dinner with him on New Year's day.

Adrian Times; Last Saturday, J. K. Boies & Co., the Hudson merchants, utilized an appartment in the upper portion of their store to good advantage. The necessary details were arranged, and every customer who visited the store was invited to the room mentioned and to partake of a cup of hot coffee and some cakes. Over 500 cups of coffee were thus given out and the store realized the largest day's trade in years. Although the amount sold to any one person was small, the day aggregated over $1,000 as the gross receipts of the store. A cup of hot coffee is very grateful after a ride in the cold.

Adrian Times: Saturday morning, just before the board of supervisors adjourned, Mr. Dewey, in behalf of the board, presented County Clerk Hunter with a handsome gold-headed cane. With the presentation, Mr. Dewey made some appropriate remarks, during the course of which he recalled the uniform courtesy and respect with which Mr. Hunter has always treated the board. He presented the cane as a slight testimonial of the high appreciation in which the supervisors hold the out-going clerk. Mr. Hunter, although thoroughly surprised, replied in a hearty manner, and the board adjourned with the best of good feeling.

L. [illegible] Bidwell runs a hack now to t[illegible] O trains

[illegible]ating rink will be open every af[illegible] and eve[illegible] during holiday we[illegible]

W[illegible] Hastin[illegible] of the University is [illegible] his vacation at his home in [illegible] village

A [illegible] Yaw[illegible] has opened dressmaking rooms in the rear rooms over the store of A. [illegible]rson's Dry Goods store.

The [illegible] meeting of Masonic lodge f[illegible] evening. The election of officers for the ensuing year will take pla[illegible]

The public installation and festival by Peninsular Lodge No. 69 F. and A. M. will be given on Friday evening Jan. 2d.

J. M. Bloomer, proprietor of the Toledo Sunday News was in town last Tuesday on business connected with his publication.

Frank Deuel, of South Lyons, arrived at Tecumseh on Tuesday evening and will spend Christmas at his old home in this village.

Dr. H. L. Stewart is at home during the holidays. He is devoting most of his attention now to his lumber business at Summit City, which is prospering.

We are glad to learn that E. B. Wood, Esq., is on the gain and will soon be at his office desk again. His business is now well cared for by Fred B. Wood.

Lyman Thorp is home for Christmas. He is selling his patent parer and corer in Ohio and is meeting with good success. He will return to that state after the holidays.

The second entertainment of the Library Lecture Course, which comes off on the evening of Jan. 1st, bids fare to eclipse the first one, which was a grand opening of the course.

Attention, Ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity. Now is the only opportunity of securing Hats and Bonnets desirable in shape and color. You will find for the next 10 days Felt hats 75cts. $1,25. Best Fur Felts $1,50 at Mrs. N. R. Brown's.

During a short visit at Addison last Saturday we called at the office of the Courier and found Bro. Marvin full of business. He seems to be well satisfied with the progress the Courier has made since he started its publication.

Mrs. Wm. Tilton has a fine lot of house plants, which are in a thrifty condition. They are well cared for and have not been touched by the frost this winter. It would repay any lover of window gardening to call and see them.

Last week A. W. Slayton, Secretary of the Mich. Flooring and Handle Manuf'ng Co., Summit City, Mich., made a large sale of lumber for the company, consisting of birch, maple, elm and black-ash, in amount something over 500,000 feet.

The school in Dist. No. 5, Raisin, taught by Hattie Scoutt, closed last Friday. A large company met in the evening at the pleasant home of Jas. Colvin. Games, recitations by the school, and music, rendered the evening enjoyable to all present.

Adrian Record: Just as freckles have come into fashion we have found in some of our exchanges receipts for removing them. Adrian girls don't hanker after such receipts. The girl without freckles now looks with envious eyes at her more fortunate and freckled sister.

Adrian Record: Work on the court house will go on all winter. Plastering will begin as soon as the weather will permit. All the doors will be made and the finishings will be gotten ready this winter. It is expected that the building will be ready for occupancy by September first, although the contract does not call for its completion before December first.

John J. Neeley who owns a fine farm of 240 acres, two miles from South Boardman in Kalkaska Co., has just returned from a trip to Kalkaska Co., having gone up there to effect a lease of his farm. He was the guest of Sheriff Morrell while there and brought back a few samples of the apples which that county produces. They were selected at random from Mr. Morrell's bins, and are fine specimens of perfect fruit. Mr. Neeley has left a half doz. specimens at the HERALD office. People who are in doubt about apples growing in that latitude should call and see them.

The success of the former masquerade has prompted Mr. Cash to give another party of the same kind at the rink, which has been fixed for Tuesday evening next, Dec 30th. A prize, consisting of a pair of nickle plated club skates, will be given to each of the best gentleman and lady characters represented, to be decided by a committee to be selected by the audience. Good music will be provided. The ladies will mask at the dressing room of the rink which will be reserved especially for their use. The gentlemen will mask at the X. B. D. club room, over VanAntwerp's store, and thence march to the rink. No one, except maskers, allowed on the floor until after nine o'clock. Grand entrance at 7:30. Admission 25 cents. Skates free.

NOTES FROM THE PACIFIC.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 10, 1884.

EDITOR HERALD,—

In my last letter I think I got as far as Salt Lake City in our trip across the Continent. At Ogden we changed cars and embarked on the Central Pacific which runs from here direct to San Francisco. Fifty miles from Ogden we come to Promontory, which is noted as being the place where the Union Pacific building west, and the Central Pacific building east, were joined together with a rosewood tie and gold spike, the latter we are told being driven with a silver hammer. My children wanted to get off and look for the spike but the conductor told them they wouldn't have time, besides he did'nt think they could find it. Beyond Promontory we passed over the Alkali desert, the home of the sage brush and jackass rabbit. This is by far the most unpleasant part of the journey. The soil is a mixture of alkali, salt and sand, the air is filled with alkali dust, your eyes begin to smart, your throat becomes dry and parched and altogether you feel remarkably uncomfortable. This feeling is intensified if you happen to step from your Pullman car into one of the ordinary passenger cars of the train; the difference in ventilation strikes you at once. While in the Pullman it is decidedly unpleasant, in the passenger car it is almost unbearable. But when we consider it a hardship to cross this desert in a Pullman car going at the rate of thirty miles an hour, what must the early Pioneers have suffered crossing this same desert trudging alongside their loaded wagons up to their ankles in sand and dust with clouds of the same flying all around them filling their noses mouth and eyes and clothes with this horrible alkali dust, their teams panting for water, no water to be found for miles and miles in this dreary waste, the road on either side lined with the skeletons of horses and cattle which have perished by the way? Travelers to the Pacific coast may well rejoice that the Rail Road has done away with the old modes of transportation and all their attendant hardships and suffering. In a few hours we shake the alkali dust from our feet and go whirling up into the Sierras. Here is scenery grand, beautiful and majestic, varied by an occasional dash through ten or twenty miles of snow sheds. These sheds are undoubtedly very useful to keep the snow off the track but we found them quite disagreeable necessities, first because they shut off our view of some of the finest scenery in the world, and secondly because they fill with smoke when the train is passing through them, which renders the air unpleasant for breathing purposes. With what intence satisfaction do we draw in full long breaths of the rich bracing mountain air on emerging from one of them, and how soon our joy is changed to woe by a plunge into the next one. Presently our engineer twists the tail of his fiery steed, the Critter utters a yell, which is taken up, multiplied and hurled back by the disgusted mountain peaks, as if in protest for this rude invasion of their solitude. The brakemen shouts Truckee, and then we all rejoice, for our journey is nearly completed; we have crossed the line and have entered the Golden State. From Truckee to Summit, the highest point in the Sierra Nevadas reached by the railway, is fifteen miles and as the train boy remarked "up hill all the way you bet ye." Summit is seven thousand and forty-two feet above the level of the sea. This town will never be a temperance town; it was on a high when it was built and it has been high ever since. At Colfax we had our first introduction to the Hoodlums of California. They are described by travelers in this country as young men with a mission, the said mission being principally to engage in all sorts of mischief, to get drunk as often as possible, and make night hideous with their hoots and yells, and on all occasions to throw rocks and curses at unoffending Chinamen. We had retired for the night and had begun to lay in our stock of "Tired nature's sweet restorer," when as we rolled into Colfax at once arose so wild a yell within that dark and narrow dell, as if all the friends from Heaven that fell had pealed the battle cry of Hell. After Walter Scott has written the above lines descriptive of an unearthly yell, my pen declines to make the effort and I must humbly borrow them for this occasion, being satisfied that they alone justly and fitly describe this war cry of the Hoodlums. Our first thought as we sprang up in bed was of Indian tomahawks and scalping knives. We tumbled out of our berths, ran out on to the car platform and beheld a band of about twenty nondescript looking individuals circling, yelling, singing, hooting, dancing, heads, legs, hands, feet, arms and tongues all combining to produce such an exuberance of noise and motion as would have made a Howling Dervish sick with envy to behold. After resting a moment they joined hands and dancing in a circle sung at the top of their most musical voices the following chorus.

Oh, I am a Hebrew, Hebrew, Hebrew,
Hebrew till I die;
Born and raised in the Hebrew church
And fed on Hebrew pie.

No more sleep for me that night; the elegant refrain of Hebrew, Hebrew, kept ringing in my ears till we rolled into the depot at Sacramento. Here we were met by our brother Dr. William A. Patterson. He is a full fledged doctor now, having graduated at the California Medical College and is exercising unlimited patience while patiently waiting for patients, however he thinks he has got a foothold now, and expects in a few years to work up a fine practice. Talking about doctors I am greatly surprised at the fees they get here for their professional services. Statistics show that there are more doctors to the square inch in this state than any where else, and you would naturally think that competition would bring down their prices, but no sir, three dollars a visit is the price charged by all, good, bad and indifferent. In San Francisco some of them get even more than this; so you see if a doctor gets one good paying patient in the course of the year he need not starve, although the patient might before he gets the doctor paid up. There is no excuse for these excessive charges, as it does not cost but a little more to live here than in Michigan. Eggs, butter, potatoes and sugar are perhaps one third higher while all kinds of fruit, vegetables flour and meat are lower. Clothing, hardware, crockery and the generality of merchandise are just as cheap here as in Tecumseh. Mechanics get about the same wages here as there, two dollars a day being about their limit. But why the doctors charge three times as much as the ordinary eastern fee is past my comprehension. Perhaps by earnest enquiry among the profession I may be able to find out, and if so will give you the benefit of my researches in my next letter.

Yours Truly,
JAMES W. PATTERSON.

Auction Sale.

Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix with will annexed, of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased, will sell at public vendue, at her residence, corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets, in the village of Tecumseh, on Friday, January 2d, 1885, at 10 o'clock A. M. the following property: 400 acres of land on section 2, in the township of Raisin. This will be divided to suit purchasers. Also 135 acres of land on section 14, in the township of Clinton. This is good timbered land with a large quantity of black walnut. Also the three story brick store and lot on the north side of Chicago street in the village of Tecumseh, now occupied by O. P. Bills' bank and other tenants. Also building and lots on the corner of Evans and Kilbuck streets in the village of Tecumseh, known as the old Cummins Carriage Factory property.

Also a portion of lots 75 and 76 of the original plat of the village of Tecumseh, being the vacant lots east of the Central School building. Also a lot twelve by five rods on south side of Chicago street, east of Division street and west of Globe Mill Race, in the village of Tecumseh. Terms of sale—On the Clinton land, one-half cash and balance to suit buyer; on all other property, one third cash and balance on long time to suit the purchasers.
Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

TECUMSEH & FRANKLIN FARMERS' CLUB.

At a meeting held at the residence of Henry Wilson, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 23d., there was an association organized under the above name. A constitution and by-laws were adopted and the following officers were elected for one year:

President—B. Hurry.
Vice Prest.—Lewis Waldron.
Secretary—Henry Wilson.
Treasurer—Hamilton Hoag.

The following were appointed as committee on program: L. Waldron, James Updyke and Mrs. B. Hurry.

The following order of exercises was announced for the next meeting to be held at the residence of B. Hurry on Wednesday evening, Jan. 7th, 1885.

Music—Mrs. Wm. Waldron.
Declamation—Clarence Hurry.
Sec. Reading—Mrs. Walter Osborn.
Essay—Mrs. H. Wilson.
Question—Is farming profitable at the present time? Opened by Mr. James Updyke.

On New Year's night, Jan. 1 next, the second entertainment in the Library Lecture Course will be given at the Opera House by the celebrated Schubert male quartette, consisting of J. L. Johnson, First Tenor, Homer F. Stone, Second Tenor, John R. Tyley, Baritone, Geo. H. Iott, Bass. Assisted by Miss Dora Henninges, Mezzo Soprano. The gentlemen are all first class vocalists and Miss Henninges ranks among the few great singers of the world, and is equally at home in concert, oratorio or opera. Miss Henninges is a tall, a most superb woman, with graceful, statuesque gesture, and possesses a rare rich full toned mezzo soprano voice, which has been well trained under the best masters. The Chicago Tribune says: "She is a singer of whom America ought to be proud."

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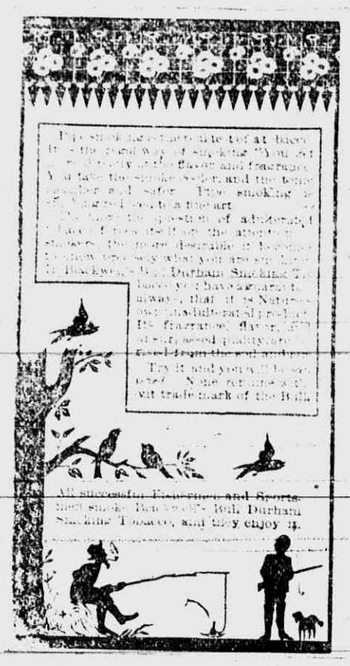

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FALL PIGS.

What to Do to Make it Profitable to Keep Them Through the Winter.

The best method of carrying over fall pigs is a timely question with farmers just now, and should be closely looked into. It is not good policy to have fall pigs, but farmers can not always avoid them. Early spring pigs that can be fattened for market by Christmas are the most profitable; but the farmer will occasionally find a lot of small pigs on his hands, and he must make preparations to winter them over. This should be done in the most economical way. Good shelter should be the first thing provided, and something else besides corn fed. To make the cheapest pork that, when fattened for market, costs the least per pound, the pigs must be crowded from the start. Keeping them growing with the cheapest food is the secret of success. As during the winter a large per cent. of the food consumed is taken up in maintaining animal heat, good shelter is one of the most saving elements in wintering over fall pigs. Where pigs have the run of a good pasturage during the summer or green rye or clover, it requires but little grain to keep them in growing condition during warm weather. But during winter this can not be had and as a consequence an extra amount of other food must be provided. As said before, shelter is one of the essentials in economically wintering over pigs. It should be warm and dry, yet constructed so as to admit of good ventilation. As to feed, I have found corn meal, wheat bran, roots or chopped oats far cheaper food for carrying over pigs than corn fed alone in the grain. A slop made of any one of these, whether fed warm or cold, is more economical than grain. Keep the pigs in a growing condition. It will cost less to keep them growing and maintain animal heat than if they were allowed to run down and then build them up again. Pigs kept in this way will be in good condition to run on the pasture the following spring and summer, and make extra hogs the second winter.—*N. J. Shepherd, in Kansas City Live Stock Record.*

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L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 119. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 30 "	3 36 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 02 "	5 07 "
Berkeley	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 35 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 41 "	5 20 "
Manchester	12 13 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	.....
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 29	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv. Toledo Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	Manhattan Junction	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	Samaria	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	Lulu	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 55
6 23	8 30	Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	Macon	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	Azalia	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	Milan Junction	8 09	3 29
6 46	9 03	Milan	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 08	Node	8 00	3 17
6 58	9 22	Urania	7 52	3 10
7 05	9 32	Pittsfield	7 40	3 00
7 20	9 50	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 40
7 37	10 15	Leland	7 12	2 3
7 45	10 22	Worden	7 06	2 2
8 00	10 35	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 51	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 36	7 40
9 20	9 09	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
9 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
9 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
9 50	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 17		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 37		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 5
8 08		3 45	Montreth	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 2
8 39		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
7 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

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FASHION NOTES.

What Is Being Worn by Ladies Who Keep Pace With the Latest Styles.

All brown furs are in high favor.

The beefeater hat is again worn in England.

Fawn is a lovely color in velvet or velveteen.

High full shoulders are the rule for dressy wraps.

A fashionable and beautiful rare fur is the sea otter.

The long sealskin dolman is the bold winter wrap.

Porphyry is a new shade of red between brick and garnet.

Chenille trimmings are in favor both for bonnets and dresses.

Hudson Bay sable tails form the borders of many fine fur wraps.

Very beautiful are the white felt hats brought out for little children.

The fur-lined circular remains in favor, but it is not a fashionable cloak.

Persian lamb, Astrakhan, and gray krimmer are all popular cheap furs.

In lieu of sealskin jackets short mantles of sealskin will be worn this season.

Necklets of velvet, satin, metal, and all sorts of materials are worn by women, young girls and children.

All fashionable wraps, long or short, are held in at the waist line in the back by straps of ribbon or elastic.

Children's garments retain the puffed Molliere front, and a bunch of shirring in the back is added this winter.

Among new lining furs comes a long, crinkled, white fleecy fur called Chinese.

Muffs are sold to match capes, fichus, collars, and pelerines of seal or other furs.

There is a revival of taste for the delicate æsthetic colors, and the newest jerseys are brought out in these shades.

Scarlet flannel will probably be fashionable this season in Europe, if not here, as it is said to be preventive of cholera.

The fastenings of mantles and cloaks of seal are carved antique heads in wood or stained ivory or fine passementerie.

Capotes and Funchons without strings are worn; but, for all that, a stringless bonnet is not in good taste. If one objects to strings she should wear a hat.

Fichus of velvet, silk, satin and lace—"Manons" they are called in Paris and London—are much in favor, being worn with either low or high necked dresses.

A new woolen lace, colored or ecru, cream and white, run with gold thread, is one of the latest fancies coming from Paris prior to the outbreak of the cholera.

The borders of short sealskin mantles are of mink, with pendant tails, sable tails, brown marten and plucked beaver or otter in dark shades of brown.

Paris has been cleaner, sweeter, more elegant and gayer than ever this fall, but for all that the terrible cholera has invaded it. Where will fashionable Paris go?

Astrakhan cloth is one of the mid-winter novelties; it is of pure wool, with a rough, curly surface in imitation of Astrakhan fur, and comes in black, brown, gray and dark green.

A pretty seal fichu or pelerine brought out this season reaches like a scarf mantle almost to the waist line in the back, and has half-long pointed fronts, is edged with seal fringe, and has a high collar and fancy clasp.

The corsage of dressy evening toilets is frequently formed entirely of white, colored, or black bugle beads woven in the lace foundations so thickly as to cover the surface and forming hexagons, squares and other geometric figures on the same.

Those magnificent shot silks with velvet broche flowers, in cut and uncut pile, are in favor for the court trains of chaperons' dresses. They are combined with plain shot silks to match the grounds of the broche, the plain silk forming all of the toilet save the train, which is frequently detachable.

An exquisite novelty in a bridal dress worn by a Boston bride consisted of a trained robe of pure white satin, elaborately embroidered with fine-cut steel-bead tassels and fringes. These, with the many diamonds worn, gave the toilet the appearance of being powdered with diamonds.

The favorite finish for gentlemen's umbrella handles is the knob of black and yellow called the tiger's eye. The test of an agate is that when struck with another is shows a tiny crescent or circle under the surface. It is well to know this, as imitations of tiger's-eye agates are sometimes sold for the real stone.

The highest novelty in lace window-curtains demands the work of three nations of Europe to make it. The batiste, of which the body of the curtain is made, is manufactured in England. The hand-made lace braids and flowers must come from Brussels, and the arrangement of the same, the designs of curtains and finish must pass through French fingers. *N. Y. Sun.*

BEFORE AND AFTER.

A Married Man's Opinion of the French Tax on Bachelors.

"I notice that they are going to tax bachelors in France," murmured Dora, reading from the paper David had just laid down.

"That isn't right," frowned David, biting nervously at his after-supper cigar: "their lot is hard and unhappy enough as it is."

Dora got up and kissed David at this suggestive remark. They had been married only a few months.

Time swept on in that calm and relentless fashion for which time is celebrated, and Dora is the mother of a six-weeks-old baby. At intervals, also, David is reminded that he is joint proprietor in this family acquisition, which has a studied ambition for sitting up nights in company with its fathers.

"I was thinking," mused Dora softly from her easy chair "I was thinking about that item we were reading last winter. I wonder if they really do tax the bachelors in France."

"I don't know," returned David, who was warming some sort of a mixture in a little tin dish over a spirit lamp, "but," he added malevolently, as he tipped the mixture over just as it was warm, "they ought to make them pay something for the luxury."

And Dora sighed as she asked if it wasn't about time to mix the food.—*Rockland Courier-Gazette.*

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box, by C. A. Wright & Co.

As late as 1840 there were but seven vocations into which New England women had entered; in 1884 the number was 317.

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Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which combines the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. It cures promptly, thoroughly and permanently, all coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, bronchitis, hoarseness, incipient consumption, and all throat and lung diseases, healing to the lungs; safe and pleasant for children. Price 50 cents and one dollar; trial bottles free of Baker & Hall.

Candles of wax furnished by insects specially reared for the purpose provide the most brilliant light known in China.

The muddy, dirty appearance of a grizzly beard should never be allowed. Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers will readily change their color to a brown or black, at discretion, and thus keep up your reputation for neatness and good looks.

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Dalrymple, the famous Dakota wheat grower, says his crop this year cost him about 35 cents a bushel.

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A clock has been invented in Europe which will run five years without either winding or regulation.

The Great American Chorus.

Sneezing, snuffling and coughing! This is the music all over the land just now. And will be until June. "I've got such an awful cold in my head." Cure it with Ely's Cream Balm or it may end in the toughest form of Catarrh. Maybe you have catarrh now. Nothing is more nauseous and dreadful. This remedy masters it as no other ever did. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Applied by the finger to the nostrils. Pleasant, certain, radical.

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DAKOTA TROUBLES.

The Sheriff of Roberts County Asks Governor Pierce for Arms—An Armed Mob Threatening to Burn Travers, the County Seat—Accidental Shooting.

BISMARCK, Dak., December 23.—Another dispatch was received from the Sheriff of Roberts County to Governor Pierce Sunday afternoon from Travers, Dak., as follows:

Your telegram received. We can't get guns for the citizens. There will be an armed mob of 150 organized men, who will be here in twenty-for hours, saying they will burn the town and hang every man in it if we don't give them the balance of the records. Your immediate attention will save property and bloodshed.

The Governor said he looked upon it as an incident in the quarrels between the towns and doubted if a dozen men were engaged in the unlawful features of it; that he should telegraph the Sheriff if any armed mob or other persons gain possession of the property or records unlawfully, to get a warrant for the recovery of the records and for the arrest of the men, and he (the Governor) would aid, if need be, by all the power at his command, to enforce the warrant. But until some more urgent necessity becomes apparent for the use of troops the call will be declined. The courts, he believes, will do exact justice and all will find most satisfaction and certainly most credit for themselves and for the Territory in awaiting judicial action.

WAXAHATCHIE, Texas, December 23.—An accidental shooting occurred yesterday on the farm of A. O. Finley, seven miles north of this place. Two young men, named Goodwin and Angell, were handling an old unloaded pistol. Goodwin snapped it at Angell and the weapon was discharged, sending a bullet through Angell's head, inflicting a mortal wound. In his fright and frenzy Goodwin ran home and swallowed, with suicidal intent, a teaspoonful of morphine. He will no doubt die.

No Truth in the Reports.

MONTREAL, Can., December 23.—The report sent out from here charging gross misconduct on the part of priests and nuns connected with convents, and of priests violating the sanctity of the confession are shown to have been false. The only story that can be at all substantiated is the one in which a priest entered his pulpit under the influence of liquor. The case against Father Pepin, charged with attempting improper liberties with girls who came to him in confession, was dismissed Friday, the evidence against him being contradictory, and, as the judge said, evidently manufactured. The reference to convents seems to be of the same nature, as no names are given and no investigations can be made.

South American Trade Commission.

NEW ORLEANS, December 23.—Ex-Governor T. C. Reynolds, the Hon. S. O. Thacher and Secretary W. E. Curtis, of the South American Trade Commission, have arrived here from the City of Mexico, where the commission spent two weeks. Its sessions were attended by President Diaz, who assured the members that he wished to do everything possible to build up the commercial relations of the two countries. The commission has been at work since September last and has visited New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia and San Francisco. The members will remain here about two weeks and then sail for Central America.

An Eloping Wife Took Everything.

QUINCY, Mass., December 22.—During the temporary absence from home of Samuel Robbins, a blacksmith, who lives here, his wife, Mary, a buxom and pretty woman of twenty-eight, eloped with a border in the family, one Thomas Lord, a good-looking young carpenter. Mrs. Robbins sold everything in the house excepting her husband's clothes and a fe ther bed, which she took with her. She also made an unsuccessful attempt to draw from the savings bank the funds deposited in her husband's name. Robbins and his wife lived unhappily.

Assassinated by Negroes.

GALLMAN, Miss., December 23.—Saturday evening William Sumrall, a respected and wealthy citizen, living near here, was called to his door by three negroes in a friendly tone of voice, and asked to read a letter for them. He began to read, when all three opened fire on him with revolvers. Sumrall fell dead. The murderers then robbed the house of $1,500 and escaped. A posse of one hundred men started in pursuit, but it is not known yet whether the fiends have been captured.

Flint Glassworkers.

PITTSBURGH, December 23.—Over two hundred members of the Flint Glassworkers Union, representing almost every district in the United States, thoroughly discussed the question concerning the recent reduction in the scale of prices. At their meeting in this city Tuesday night, they again resolved not to accept the proferred scale, and will stay out on a strike to the bitter end and that no overtures looking to a compromise, would be entertained.

Forefathers' Day.

BOSTON, December 22.—Forefathers' day was observed Saturday afternoon by the New England Club. At their dinner they entertained Governor Robinson and Lieutenant Governor Ames, Governor Hale, Governor Waller, Governor Bourne, Mayor Martin, President Bruce, of the Senate; Speaker Marden, of the House; Judge Russell, President of the Pilgrim Society of Plymouth, and many others.

A Forger Arrested.

DETROIT, December 23.—James R. Williams, a lawyer and land agent of David City, Neb., who absconded in October last after forging $20,000 in notes, was arrested at Woodstock, Ont., at noon yesterday by S. H. Still, an officer. Williams refuses to to return unless extradition papers are procured. He left a wife and five children behind him in Nebraska.

Pratt's Loss $2,000,000.

NEW YORK, December 23.—It is stated on good authority that the loss to Pratt's Astral Oil Company by the burning of their works yesterday reaches $2,000,000. Their extensive machinery was of the most improved and costly patterns and the stock of oil on hand was enormous, owing to the depression in the trade, which made shipments small of late.

Hotel Building Falls—One Man Killed.

NEW ORLEANS, December 22.—Yesterday morning one of the immense hotels being built near the Exposition was blown down. Frank Green was killed and two others fatally wounded. The men were bracing the building up as it was thought to be unsafe. The loss to the building is heavy.

Hog Cholera.

WHEELING, W. Va., December 23.—The hog cholera, which raged so in this and Brooke County, has abated and is expected to be eradicated within a few days. The disease has now broke out over the river. Seven hogs have died near Bridgeport within the last few days.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Eagle Lye Works ... ...awaukee Burned—Oil Tank Explodes Setting Fire to a Refinery.

BALTIMORE, December 23.—The furniture factory of Graham & Schmitt was partially destroyed by fire Monday evening. Loss $25,000. Captain William Dunn, of Truck Company No. 1, was badly injured.

MILWAUKEE, December 23.—A fire yesterday morning at the corner of East Water and Chicago streets destroyed the Eagle Lye works, and Deforme & Quentin's soap factory. Total loss about $100,000.

NEWARK, N. J., December 23.—Shortly after the workmen quit work at the Union Oil Company's building, Neptune Avenue and Newark Bay, last night, one of the small oil tanks exploded, setting fire to the building. Damage to building and works $30,000; insurance unknown.

CHICAGO, December 23.—Fire last night in the building at 128 and 130 Fifth Avenue, occupied by Albert Stern, dealer in notions and furnishing goods, and Schraeder & Newzelt, pantaloon makers, caused a loss of $25,000; fully insured.

Rescue of a Shipwrecked Crew.

BALTIMORE, December 23.—The steamship America, arriving in this port, reports the full particulars of the rescue of the crew of the Norwegian bark Yugre on her last outward bound trip from Baltimore to Bremen. On December 7, in latitude 43 degrees 30 minutes, longitude 31 degrees, the America noticed a large amount of wreckage afloat and shortly afterwards sighted a dismantled hulk rolling about on the high waves. Through powerful glasses it was seen that a number of men were clinging to the rigging. Five volunteers were soon off to the rescue. It was with the greatest difficulty and heroic struggling with the high sea, that they finally reached the Yugre and took from the rigging the nearly famished crew, composed of the captain and eight men. The rescued men stated that their vessel had been caught in a gale and became water logged. For five days they had subsisted on a little bread soaked in sea water and were nearly exhausted when taken from the wreck.

Prisoner Shot to Death in Jail.

NEW ORLEANS, December 23.—In Madisonville, just across Lake Ponchartrain, William Flutas tendered a fifty-dollar Confederate note to a small boy in a store in payment for goods and went home. The authorities went to recover the goods, but Flutas barricaded his residence and made a desperate resistance with a pitchfork. A number of shots were fired into the building, but Flutas held out twenty-four hours. On his way to jail he swore he would kill every one engaged in his arrest upon release. The threats had their effect, and on Sunday night a crowd surrounded the jail and shot the prisoner to death. He was dangerous and overbearing and had shown symptoms of insanity. He killed a man a year ago but was acquitted.

Yale Sophomore Awards.

NEW HAVEN, December 23.—President Porter, of Yale, announced yesterday morning the names of the following men as winners of the Sophomore Composition prizes: First Prize—William Kent, San Raefael, Cal.; Yan Phou Lee, Fragrant Hills, China; W. L. Phelps, New Haven; J. N. Pomeroy, San Francisco. Second Prizes—A. F. Gates, Lebanon, Conn.; G. E. Hill, Stamford, Conn.; C. H. Ludington, Jr., New York; J. R. Sheffield, Utica, N. Y. Third Prizes—C. L. Brownson, New Canaan, Conn.; R. J. Tenks, Newport, N. H.; J. W. Middlebrook, Wilton, Conn.; J. H. Put, Brooklyn, N. Y.; H. P. Perkins, Harvard, Mass.

Gasoline Tank Explosion.

SOUTH FRAMINGTON, Mass., December 23.—At 1:40 o'clock yesterday morning, while Bradley Childs, manager of Odd Fellows' block, was filling the gasoline tank in the celler, the gas ignited and an explosion followed. Windows were blown out, partitions broken down, show cases smashed and a large stock of crockery destroyed. Twenty feet of the rear brick wall was moved four inches. Childs was badly cut about the head, and the hair burned off. Two boys seated in front of the building were thrown to the opposite side of the street.

Four Thousand Miners on a Strike.

MONONGAHELA CITY, Pa., December 23.—The coal miners all along the Monongahela River, as anticipated, went out on a strike for an advance of half a cent per bushel on the price of mining. By noon it was known at the miners' general office, in Pittsburgh, that the strike had begun in earnest and that nearly four thousand men had quit work. The operators assert rather than concede the advance they will close down their pits indefinitely.

The Weavers Did Not Respond.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., December 23.—All the machinery of the Manville mills was started up yesterday morning but only the operatives in the carding and spinning departments, with six weavers out of six hundred, responded; so it is thought a shut down will again take place. The weavers seem united in their demand, and will not return to work if the cut-down is persisted in.

Arrested for Murder.

NEWARK, N. J., December 23.—Everett Shepardson was arrested late last evening on suspicion of having shot Augustus Gibbings, the farm laborer at Dr. N. H. C. Vail's residence at South Orange, December 13. The prisoner made a statement upon being arrested, but the coroner refused to make it public.

Whole Family Suffocated.

ALBANY, N. Y., December 23.—Burt Earl and family, consisting of his wife and two children, residing at 132 First Street, were suffocated with coal gas Sunday night. When found Earl and the youngest child were dead. Hopes are entertained for the recovery of Mrs. Earl and the other child.

A Candidate for the United States Senate.

ALBANY, N. Y., The *Evening Journal* yesterday printed a letter from William M. Evarts, in which he expresses his readiness and desire to be considered among the candidates for election by the Legislature to the United States Senate from New York.

Arrested for Illegal Voting.

BUFFALO, December 23.—Richard C. Gunning, of the insurance firm of Crosby & Gunning, has been held for trial in $1,000 bail at the next term of the United States Court in Albany for illegally voting in this city at the last election.

Frozen to Death.

MARQUETTE, Mich., December 23.—Thomas Godley, aged fifty years, a wealthy English mill owner, started to go from this place to the village of Harvey, four miles distant, and was caught in a snow storm and frozen to death.

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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	50	@	5
Buckwheat flour, ₩ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	07
Calf Skins, ₩ lb	8	@	10
Corn in ear	20	@	25
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel		@	40
Clover Seed	3 75	@	4 00
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	22
Flour, ₩ barrel	4 50	@	5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	4 00	@	4 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₩ ton	7 00	@	8 00
Honey, ₩ lb		@	15
Ham, ₩ lb		@	14
Lard, ₩ lb		@	10
Oats, ₩ bushel	23	@	26
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	30	@	35
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel		@	78
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Wool	18	@	27

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Ray Conklin and wife, of Manchester, spent Saturday and Sunday in Clinton.

Ned Newcomb, of Blissfield, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mensing, of Tecumseh, have been spending a few days at the Lancaster House.

A short service was held at the M. E. church Sunday evening. The programme which was to be given was postponed till Jan. 4th on account of so few being present, owing to the unpleasant weather.

C. F. Field and family, of Tecumseh, spent Christmas at J. S. Kies'.

Mrs. Loana Tuttle is spending the holidays in Tecumseh with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Cook, and other friends.

Prof. Laflin and family are in Ypsilanti this week.

William Burtless and family ate Christmas dinner at John Hause's.

Mr. E. Palmer came home from Sheboygan, Wis., for a short visit to his family.

S. W. Demuth reports an excellent holiday trade in spite of 'hard times.'

The Episcopal social will be held Friday evening, Jan. 2nd, at the residence of D. H. Silvers. Every one is invited, and teams will be provided all those wishing to come.

Miss Emma Saxton is spending her vacation from school labors at her father's, Dwight Saxton's.

Henry Lancaster has been seriously ill from dyspepsia. He has been confined to the house for several days, but is gaining slowly and hopes soon to be about again as usual.

E. Van Da Mark went to Cleveland last Monday morning. He has been re-engaged to travel for the firm of Adams and Jewitt, manufacturers of paper sacks, of that city. It is the same company for whom he had worked several years previous to his late engagement with an Eastern firm.

Rev. Mr. Barnes, from Williamston, Mich., who has been engaged as pastor of the Congregational church of this place, preached from that pulpit last Sunday morning and evening. He is having the parsonage prepared for his family who are expected here shortly.

John Ed. McCollum has distributed some very handsome cards during the holidays. He is an industrious and ambitious man and seems to be meeting the success which every one wished him when he started in business here.

Clinton is having more than her share of weddings this week. Invitations have already been issued for the marriage of Miss Ella M. Bartlett and Chas. F. Clark, on New Year's eve, and for Miss Sarah Kishpaugh and Will H. Dove, New Year's night.—Further particulars next week.

Silvers and Braman gave a social party Wednesday evening, Dec. 31st, at the skating rink.

The Clinton Local is now making its appearance regularly every Saturday and looks as though it had become a fixture of Clinton. The proprietor, C. K. Spafford, has taken the east room of the Reynold's block and has fixed it up nicely, where he will hereafter print the Local. Success to his enterprise.

C. S. Burroughs continues making needed improvements on his drug store. The latest are new counters extending from the door to the prescription case on the west side, and half the length of the store on the east side. By a few such changes he hopes to make his place of business pleasant and attractive to his customers as well as convenient for himself.

Some of our merchants were the recipients of valuable and useful presents on Christmas day. John Ed. McCollum received from the firm of whom he purchases the greater part of his goods, an elegant chinchilla beaver overcoat. His opposite neighbor, J. B. Hause, was presented, by his partner, D. M. Bainbridge, with a handsome gold watch. His good fortune did not end here however. On going to the Christmas tree which the Congregational ladies had provided for their sabbath school, he found awaiting him another present in the shape of a watch chain from his wife.

The annual supper given by the Masons at their hall on Saturday evening, Dec. 27, St. John's day, was a success in every particular. About eighty persons were present, which, owing to the inclemency of the weather, was many more than were expected; and each and every one enjoyed themselves. The fraternity seem to thoroughly understand the art of making their gatherings entertaining and pleasant. A committee had been appointed the night before to prepare a programme which was carried out very successfully. Part of it was presented before supper and while the tables were being prepared the second time, the period usually spent in impatient waiting, was made to seem unusually short by the remainder of the programme. "Golden Years" was sung by Dr. Burchard and wife and Mr. and Mrs. E. Van De Mark. After that came "Darius Green with his flying machine," by Miss Laura Clark who is always warmly welcomed on the stage by virtue of her well known ability as a reader. Misses Ella Bartlett and Floy Rich sang a duett. Of what followed, the solo by Mrs. Josie St. John and the essay by Mrs. Laflin, which was well written and excellently read, were especially enjoyed. The supper, as usual, was faultless, and all retired to their homes pleasantly impressed with the entertaining qualities of the Masons.

William Davis and wife, of Michigan City, Ind., are visiting relatives in this place.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Our January thaw comes a little "too previous" this time.

Who shall be postmaster? appears to be the question before the village now a days.

Ex. Deputy Sheriff Crandall proposes to build a skating rink here as soon as the weather will permit.

The G. A. R's at this place are on the war path again and announce an elocutionary entertainment to-night, Tuesday.

The few of our citizens who went to Adrian and Hudson to purchase holiday goods return with the announcement that goods are sold cheaper here than at those points. We believe the same is true of staple goods as well.

Christmas passed off here with the usual accompaniments of gifts, oysters and kisses; just as it did when Santa Claus was a kid and first started in his mission.

A gift ladder at the M. E. church was the center of attraction.

A Chrisfmas tree laden with gifts rich and rare was reported at the Kempton homestead, while numerous other private entertainments in the village sufficed to make the day one of which brevity appeared to be the only requisite to perfection.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Quite like spring for a day a two.

How sudden the snow disappeared.

Mrs. E. A. Wilson, of Vasser, arrived at Mr. W. R. Wilson's on Friday evening.

Prof. H. C. and E. A. Wilson and wives are at Lansing this week attending the teacher's institute.

Frank Allen, Agt. at Jerome, spent Christmas with friends here.

Mr. Edgar Freer, of Mason, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Kelly, Stevens & Co. shipped a double deck car load of hogs Monday to Buffalo. They were a very fine lot of porkers.

Miss Mary Swartout, of Norwalk Ohio, is visiting friends here.

Erastus Rappleye and Geo. Covell, of Dundee, are here in the interest of the Bohemian Oat association.

Mrs. Dr. Nelson and Mrs W. J. Clack, went to Dundee Tuesday to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson left Tuesday morning to visit Mr. E. A. Palmer at Hillsdale.

The friends at Britton will give a box entertainment at the Christian church, Britton next Tuesday evening Jan. 6th 1885. The ladies will please furnish a box containing eatables for two. A cordial invitation to all.

The election of officers for the Sunday school will occur next Sunday. Officers, teachers and members of the S. S. board are requested to be present.

The box entertainment given at the church on Friday evening of last week, for the benefit of the Sunday school was a very pleasant time for all present. Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus being present made it very amusing for the little ones. The receipts amounted to $12.00.

Wednesday afternoon of last week relatives and friends, upwards of 50 or more, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Florance to celebrate their fifth marriage anniversary. After a social chat, refreshments were served, consisting of various eatables after which all enjoyed the pleasure of the occasion. The young couple have two fine little boys to welcome them on life's journey. The presents were very fine, and are as follows.

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Ned Newcomb, of Blissfield, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mensing, of Tecumseh, have been spending a few days at the Lancaster House.

A short service was held at the M. E. church Sunday evening. The programme which was to be given was postponed till Jan. 4th on account of so few being present, owing to the unpleasant weather.

C. F. Field and family, of Tecumseh, spent Christmas at J. S. Kies'.

Mrs. Loana Tuttle is spending the holidays in Tecumseh with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Cook, and other friends.

Prof. Laflin and family are in Ypsilanti this week.

William Burtless and family ate Christmas dinner at John Hause's.

Mr. E. Palmer came home from Sheboygan, Wis., for a short visit to his family.

S. W. Demuth reports an excellent holiday trade in spite of 'hard times.'

The Episcopal social will be held Friday evening, Jan. 2nd, at the residence of D. H. Silvers. Every one is invited, and teams will be provided all those wishing to come.

Miss Emma Saxton is spending her vacation from school labors at her father's, Dwight Saxton's.

Henry Lancaster has been seriously ill from dyspepsia. He has been confined to the house for several days, but is gaining slowly and hopes soon to be about again as usual.

E. Van De Mark went to Cleveland last Monday morning. He has been re-engaged to travel for the firm of Adams and Jewitt, manufacturers of paper sacks, of that city. It is the same company for whom he had worked several years previous to his late engagement with an Eastern firm.

Rev. Mr. Barnes, from Williamston, Mich., who has been engaged as pastor of the Congregational church of this place, preached from that pulpit last Sunday morning and evening. He is having the parsonage prepared for his family who are expected here shortly.

John Ed. McCollum has distributed some very handsome cards during the holidays. He is an industrious and ambitious man and seems to be meeting the success which every one wished him when he started in business here.

Clinton is having more than her share of weddings this week. Invitations have already been issued for the marriage of Miss Ella M. Bartlett and Chas. F. Clark, on New Year's eve, and for Miss Sarah Kishpaugh and Will H. Dove, New Year's night.—Further particulars next week.

Silvers and Braman gave a social party Wednesday evening, Dec. 31st, at the skating rink.

The Clinton Local is now making its appearance regularly every Saturday and looks as though it had become a fixture of Clinton. The proprietor, C. K. Spafford, has taken the east room of the Reynold's block and has fixed it up nicely, where he will hereafter print the Local. Success to his enterprise.

C. S. Burroughs continues making needed improvements on his drug store. The latest are new counters extending from the door to the prescription case on the west side, and half the length of the store on the east side. By a few such changes he hopes to make his place of business pleasant and attractive to his customers as well as convenient for himself.

Some of our merchants were the recipients of valuable and useful presents on Christmas day. John Ed. McCollum received from the firm of whom he purchases the greater part of his goods, an elegant chinchilla beaver overcoat. His opposite neighbor, J. B. Hause, was presented, by his partner, D. M. Bainbridge, with a handsome gold watch. His good fortune did not end here however. On going to the Christmas tree which the Congregational ladies had provided for their sabbath school, he found awaiting him another present in the shape of a watch chain from his wife.

The annual supper given by the Masons at their hall on Saturday evening, Dec. 27, St. John's day, was a success in every particular. About eighty persons were present, which, owing to the inclemency of the weather, was many more than were expected, and each and every one enjoyed themselves. The fraternity seem to thoroughly understand the art of making their gatherings entertaining and pleasant. A committee had been appointed the night before to prepare a programme which was carried out very successfully. Part of it was presented before supper and while the tables were being prepared the second time, the period usually spent in impatient waiting, was made to seem unusually short by the remainder of the programme. "Golden Years" was sung by Dr. Burchard and wife and Mr. and Mrs. E. Van De Mark. After that came "Darius Green with his flying machine," by Miss Laura Clark who is always warmly welcomed on the stage by virtue of her well known ability as a reader. Misses Ella Bartlett and Floy Rich sang a duett. Of what followed, the solo by Mrs. Josie St. John and the essay by Mrs. Laflin, which was well written and excellently read, were especially enjoyed. The supper, as usual, was faultless, and all retired to their homes pleasantly impressed with the entertaining qualities of the Masons.

William Davis and wife, of Michigan City, Ind., are visiting relatives in this place.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Our January thaw comes a little "too previous" this time.

Who shall be postmaster? appears to be the question before the village now a days.

Ex. Deputy Sheriff Crandall proposes to build a skating rink here as soon as the weather will permit.

The G. A. R's at this place are on the war path again and announce an elocutionary entertainment to-night, Tuesday.

The few of our citizens who went to Adrian and Hudson to purchase holiday goods return with the announcement that goods are sold cheaper here than at those points. We believe the same is true of staple goods as well.

Christmas passed off here with the usual accompaniments of gifts, oysters and kisses; just as it did when Santa Claus was a kid and first started in his mission.

A gift ladder at the M. E. church was the center of attraction.

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Then January, with a child's grace
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And with her robes that shone like frost
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And swift Sunset began as sunshine in her face
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I saw her turn at the poor man's door;
Her merry greeting rang
Like music through his cottage, and once more
His face grew bright—more bright than ever before—
And lifting up his face to God he sang

I saw her kiss poor tear-worn cheeks, and bring
Light to the mourner's eyes.
I saw the sad turn from their pain and sing,
I saw the weary hearts in Hope's purer spring—
That sweet Siloam that flows from Paradise.

O January! month of joy! we hear
On every side thy voice:
It flows out upon the air with its life and cheer,
The future waits for all men bright and clear—
Each rising sun cries to the world: "*Rejoice!*"

He treasures not our sins who rules in Heaven.
Time with an angel pen,
Each day blots writes that one sweet word
"*Forgiven*"
On every heart that for the right has striven
Peace, kind as snow, makes fair the paths of men.

—*Ernest W. Shurtleff, in Youth's Companion.*

SALLY'S S'POSEN.

A "Right Regular" and "Truly-uly" Happy New Year's Day.

It was the night after Christmas. The dear parents, who had expected to be at home several days before the blessed Christmas eve, were yet detained away; and the children had hung up their stockings and taken them down, too, for the first time in their lives, with no loving parents' smile of surprise, sympathy and joy to enhance the value of each Christmas favor.

"It must have stormed furiously up there, and papa and mamma are snowbound very likely," said Georgie, as he fetched a wood box behind the kitchen stove. "In that case, they may not get away from the mills for another week."

"Oh!" cried both the twin pairs. "It will be Happy New Year before that time. They'll *have* to come home. Merry Christmas hasn't been half merry; and Happy New Year won't be happy at all without mamma and papa."

George and Mary exchanged glances and smiled. They felt as the twins did; but they forebore to say so.

"It is turning colder," Mary said, presently. "Did you split a good lot of wood, Georgie?"

"Yes; and you burn two or three good lots. We must let the dining-room fire go out and contrive to eat in the kitchen. Can't we?"

"I suppose we'll have to," said Mary, with a faint sigh. "It is growing colder every hour. Hear that dismal blast! We must all be as brave as ever we can. Oh! I hope papa and mamma are not worrying about us."

"Bud and I will go to the timber to-morrow, and drag up a big lot of fagots," said Bije. Bud and Bije were the ten-year-old twins. "Mrs. Mason doesn't get any wood but fagots. She says they burn capital. She and Neddy drag them up with a rope."

Mary smiled.

"They live so near the woods, little boy," she said. "Yet you may try to get one load to-morrow; for I am sure I shall need much firing. There, Bije, don't crowd the yeast jug so, or you'll tip it over, and we'll get no light bread to-morrow. You're copying after Jim, coddling down in a corner for a nap. Hop up. Let's have our Bible reading, and then we'll cover up the fire and go to bed."

"Don't get the blues, 'Molly,'" said Georgie. "You never care to go to bed before nine o'clock, unless you're blue over something. Papa and mamma are able to take care of themselves. You know papa said that was a rough country and the traveling accommodations were almost none, even in good weather. Now, it must have stormed up there; and they can't get any one to convey them over to the stage. I think I see just how it is."

"So do I," said Mary. "But it is perplexing. I wish they were here. If they shouldn't get home by New-Year's Day——"

"You oughtn't to cross bridges before you come to 'em," said Bud, sagely, as Mary paused as if impressed with the necessity of discomfort contained in the implied possibility of that small "if."

"Nor sip sorrow through a long tube," put in Bije.

George and Mary looked at the twins in amazement, for a moment; and then both laughed heartily.

"You little Solomons," said Mary. "Where did you get so much wisdom?"

"Mrs. Mason," replied the twins, gravely. "We told her the split wood was most gone, and may be if George couldn't chop faster, and papa and mamma didn't come home pretty soon, we'd freeze to death."

"Oh, you horrid youngsters!" said Georgie, grimacing at Mary.

"And she said then we ought to be very good, so's to be prepared to die if we had to; but that the timber was chock full of fagots, and we could all turn out and drag, same as she did; and we oughtn't to cross bridges before we come to 'em, and nobody but fools would choose to sup sorrow through a long tube."

"Good for Mrs. Mason!" said Mary. "Let's profit by her wisdom. Surely we're not fools, so we'll sup no more on fools' diet. And we won't cross our bridges before we come to them, shall we, Georgie?" "We'll do our very best, and thank God for His blessings, and even if it comes to keeping our New Year's Day without papa and mamma, we'll do our best toward that. Won't we, little ones?"

And the little ones being all wide awake now the Bibles were opened and the reading and the prayers were offered reverently, during service to the good God in whose care the little travelers was left, and at an early hour they were all soundly sleeping.

For three days and nights the snow fell steadily. On the fourth day a furious wind heaped and piled and tossed the snowy drifts. Then the wind shifted and fell, and the fierce, bitter, stinging cold came down.

On the first day, holding Mary to her promise, the twins had worked heroically; and though the snow almost blinded them as they toiled in the teeth of the storm over the half mile of open road that stretched between them and the timber, they accomplished a mighty work, and brought a load of fagots that delighted Mary's eyes.

The little lads were dripping with perspiration, however, and Mary would not let them make a second trip, though they begged lustily, but made them sit behind the kitchen stove till they were thoroughly dried, and she rewarded each with a large apple turnover.

George chopped faithfully for an hour or two every day, and when the fierce cold came, he had a good sized pile of wood. Yet, to his dismay, it consumed away rapidly. The cold was terrible. Frost covered the windows, and in the room where no fire was kept the cold was benumbing. Mary said her fingers felt as if they were freezing, while she hastily made the beds.

"And we're going to have a truly-uly Happy New Year," cried little Sallie, as Mary set about her preparations for the feast in good earnest. "Let's tell s'posens' while we're stoning the raisins and cutting the citron. Won't it be fun?"

And Bud and Bije chiming heartily with the note, Bud at once began to s'pose what *he* would do, if he were a great Indian chief who had snow-shoes that would carry him over the deepest snow that ever fell, and Bije s'posed he was the Governor of the State, and indulged in many amendments to the prevailing order of things. Little Jim s'posed he was sister Mary. In that case he thought he would cook sausages and buckwheat cakes three times a day, and let the children eat all the bits of citron that fell slantwise on the plate.

"Why, most of 'em fall that way!" said Sally. "You'd be a Tom Gip, wouldn't you?"

Then Sally s'posened: and Mary said hers was the nicest and jolliest s'posen of all. "A right, regular Happy New Year's s'posen," George added.

How hard they all worked, and how cherry with chatter the bright kitchen was for two days before the feast.

On the eve of New Year's Day the great turkey was plucked and hung up, the chickens dressed, the pantry shelves stocked with pies and cake and krullers, and Georgie's favorites, raspberry tartlets.

"We're tired; but we're ready for to-morrow," said Mary. "And we *can't* have our New Year's dinner in the kitchen, Georgie. Not if I have to go out in the moonlight and chop wood myself. We must have a dining-room fire."

"Which reminds me," said Georgie, with a mock groan, as he took his cap and mittens and went out. Mary heard the blows of his axe long after the little ones were tucked away in bed.

In the morning a second snow-storm was raging.

"Dearie me!" sighed Mary; "if it keeps on at this rate they will never get home."

"Oh, they will arrive in the spring, no doubt, or by Fourth of July, at furthest," answered Georgie, dryly. And Mary blushed; for she remembered that she had resolved to keep the feast with a cheerful mind. So she sighed no more, but prepared the breakfast, not forgetting little Jim's sausage and buckwheats, for which the small lad was hilariously thankful.

After the morning's reading all hands set merrily to work. Georgie fed the fires, and ran down cellar and up for the vegetables and apples and nuts; and he lifted the heavy pots and kettles, and even tied the legs of the plump turkey when Mary had prepared it for the oven. Bud and Bije brightened the silver and scoured the knives until they shone, while Jim and Sally cracked and picked the walnuts and hickories, and heaped a glass dish with the meats. So busy were they all that the clock struck twelve before they took any heed of time. The dining room blazed cheerily, and the silver and glass on the table sparkled in its light, while in the sitting-room Mrs. Lester's white chrysanthemums bloomed bravely, as if there were no snows nor bleak north winds.

"It is getting milder," said Mary, as she rose from the oven, where she had been basting the turkey, her cheeks all aglow with the heat of the stove. "And now everything is doing beautifully, and I may as well dress for dinner. Come, Sally," she cried. "Dodie will watch the dinner, while we dress up in our pretty clothes. That was part of your s'posen, you know. And then we'll tend stove while Dodie and the boys tidy up."

"O, s'posen my s'posen *does* come true!" almost shrieked Sally, as she sprang to follow her sister to their chamber upstairs. She did scream out delightedly as she entered the room; for lo! a bright fire was blazing on the hearth, and the atmosphere of the room was warm and pleasant.

"Oho, Oho!" she cried, in ecstasy. "Another part of my s'posen has come to pass. Don't you remember, Mary, I said, 'and s'posen when we went shivering and shuddering up to our cold room to put on our pretty clothes, lo and behold somebody had been and made a lovely fire?'"

"You precious little midget!" said Mary, squeezing her tightly in a loving hug. "You shall wear your very best blue sash to-day. You're such a little cheerbody."

"Mary," said the little lass, "I didn't go to sleep right off last night. I prayed to God a long time. I asked Him to make Geordie's arms strong to cut lots of wood—so that may be we could have a nice fire to dress by, and I asked Him to please let you give me the nuts to crack, and—but it's part hasn't come true yet, and the other has. I asked Him to let every bit of my s'posen turn out sure enough. Oh, Mary, won't it be just the sweetest Happy New Year, if He does?"

"Well, it's possible that He may," answered Mary, relenting to the child's sweet hopeful trust, yet expression of doubt, "but we must expect to have no nothing that we ask for, you know. Some things are better kept from us for a while. We must say 'Thy will be done.'"

"I do," said Sally, cheerily. "But I guess God tended to the whole of my prayer, as long as He paid attention to the least specific part of it. I believe my s'posen will come true. And so does Jim."

When the clock struck two, and Mary was smoothing over her mashed potatoes and turnips with nicely-seasoned cream, preparatory to giving them a brown in the oven, and Georgie was arranging the pickles and cranberry sauce on the table, with an eye to the color-effect, and the turkey was done to a turn; when all eyes were on the savory-smelling cooking-stove, a great stamping was heard on the outer porch, and in another moment the door was thrown open, and the fullness of Sally's s'posen was realized, when who should pop in, just in time to sit down in their places, but the dear papa and mamma, who had been kept away so long by the storm, and were not sick, nor lost, nor anything, but just hungry as hungry could be for all the children they had left at home and a big taste of the children's New Year's dinner.

There were happy eyes, merry voices and grateful hearts about that cheerful table. Mr and Mrs. Lester heard with delight of their children's mutual helpfulness and bravery. Both parents and children contributed to the pleasure of the after-dinner hour with stories of their several experiences.

And of all the stories, the sweetest and most precious to the listeners, and the only one twice told, was that of little Sally's Happy New Year's Spoken. For it was the true story of a child's simple faith, and its lesson was received into hearts tender with gratitude and love.—*Mary E. C. Wyeth, in N. Y. Independent.*

THE COST OF TRAVEL.

A Texan Who Speculated Five Years Ahead on a Trip to New York.

A long, raw, specimen "grey," with mud covered boots, and little flakes of cotton dabbled all over his clothes and ornamenting his red, shaggy beard, sidled up to the Union Depot ticket window last Monday, and asked if the ticket agent was in.

"Yes, sir, that's me," responded Charlie Lusk, trying to size up the inquirer. "What can I do for you?"

"Wal, Cap'n, I wanted ter find out the price of a ticket to Noo Yok. Yer see——"

"Yes, sir," interrupted Charlie, with a bland smile. "I see. Forty-four sixty-five is the fare; we can——"

"Wal, Cap'n 'lowed I'd take a trip when I got things sorter settled up like and——"

"Perfectly right; now, Colonel, let me show you some of our routes. We have a splendid line of routes just in," and Charles brought a bundle of folders down on the window shelf. "Now, here's Fort Worth," he continued, tracing the route with his index finger, "you take our road to St Louis, then——"

"As I was sayin', Cap'n," interrupted the stranger, "I thought me an the ole woman and the boys might go to Noo Yok——"

"Oh, yes. How many are there in the family?"

"Countin' me and the ole woman and all of the boys there's eight."

"Eight!" and Lusk's smile grew blander as the corners of his mouth disappeared behind his ears, while he looked up at the ceiling and mentally calculated what his "commish" would amount to. "Yes, Colonel, we can fix you up. When did you want to start?"

"Wal, Cap'n, I don't zactly know," replied the "grey," as he reflectively wiped his nostril on the ball of his thumb, while the agent nonchalantly tried the stamp on a folder to see if it was correctly dated. "The old woman's been diggin' at me to take 'em on a trip when I got paid up. Yes see, I bought everything on credit when——"

"Yes, yes, I know; that's all right. Now what route would you prefer east of St. Louis?"

"Wal, I don't jest know. Yer see, Cap'n, I bought on credit when——"

"Oh, yes, I see. Now we have several choice routes east of St. Louis. What do you say to the O & M.?"

"That's jest it, Cap'n. I'm *owin'* 'em so durn much that I be dad gummed if I think I'll get away for five years; but you might lay them ere tickets one side for me and I'll come and get 'em when I'm paid out. Yer see, I bought——"

The ticket window closed with a bang, and the farmer thoughtfully took a huge bite of navy and turned sorrowfully away.—*Texas Red and Wire.*

Brain Weight Fallacies.

The interesting discussion in regard to the weight of Turgenieff's brain includes an important article on the general subject of the weight of the human brain by M. Nikiforoff, the eminent Russian scientist, according to whom it is a fallacy to assume that the weight of the brain has any influence whatever on the mental faculties. It ought to be borne in mind, he says, that the significance of the brain weight should depend upon the proportion it bears to the dimensions of the whole body and to the age of the individual. It is also equally important to know what was the cause of death, for long disease and old age exhaust the brain; thus showing the slight significance of mere weight.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The season of the year is upon us when regrets are in order from the people who have no evergreen trees and shrubs sprinkled about their homes to enliven the dreary winter aspect.

A Corn-Husking Festival.

How vividly to all those of us who were born in the country comes the remembrance of husking time. We waited for it as the gala day of the year. It was called a frolic. The trees having for the most part shed their foliage, the farmers waded through the fallen leaves, and came through the keen morning air to the gleeful company. Dry husks which had silvered every thing during the night began to melt off of the top o' the corn-shocks. While the farmers were waiting for others, they stood blowing their breath through their fingers or thrashing their arms around their body to keep up warmth of circulation. Roaring mirth greeted the late farmer as he crawled over the fence. Jokes and repartee, and rustic salutations abounded. All ready, now! The men take hold of the shock of corn and hurl it prostrate, while the mice and mice which have secreted themselves there for warmth attempt to escape. The withe of straw is unwound from the corn-shock, and the stocks, heavy with the wealth of grain, are rolled into bundles, between which the husker sits down. The husking-peg is thrust in until it strikes, and then the fingers rip off the sheathing of the ear, and there is a crack as the root of the corn is snapped off from the husk, and the grain disimprisoned is hurled up into the sunlight. The air is so tonic, the work is so exhilarating, the company is so blithe, that some laugh, and some shout, and some sing, and some banter, and some tease a neighbor for a romantic ride along the edge of the woods in eventide in a carriage that holds but two, and some prophesy as to the number of bushels to the field, and others go into competition as to which shall rifle the most corn-shucks before sundown. After a while the dinner-horn sounds from the farm-house, and the table is surrounded by a group of jolly and hungry men. From all the pantries and cellars and perches of fowl on the place the richest dainties come, and there is a carnival and neighborhood reunion, and a scene which fills our memory, part with smiles, but more with tears, as we remember that the farm now belongs to other owners, and other hands gather in the fields, and many of those who mingled in that merry husking scene have themselves been reaped "like as a shock of corn cometh in his season."—*Dr. Talmage, in Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.*

For Want of a Latch.

An old step-ladder lesson, setting forth the sad import of little neglects, is worth a thousand repetitions:

"For want of a nail the shoe was lost;
For want of a shoe the horse was lost;
For want of a horse the rider was lost—
And all for the want of a horse-shoe nail."

This is said to be originally taken from actual history—of a certain aide-de-camp whose horse fell lame on a retreat and delayed him until the enemy overtook and killed him.

Another actual case, embodying the same lesson against the lazy and shiftless habit of "letting things go," is related by the French political economist, M. Say.

Once, at a farm in the country, there was a gate, enclosing the cattle and poultry, which was constantly swinging open for want of a proper latch. The expenditure of a penny or two, and a few minutes' time, would have made all right. It was on the swing every time a person went out, and not being in a state to shut readily, many of the poultry were from time to time lost.

One day a fine young porker made his escape and the whole family, with the gardener, cook and milk-maid, turned out in quest of the fugitive. The gardener was the first to discover the pig, and in leaping a ditch to cut off his escape, he got a sprain that laid him up for a fortnight.

The cook, on returning to the farm-house, found the linen burned that she had hung up before the fire to dry; and the milk-maid, having forgotten, in her haste, to tie up the cattle in the cow-house, found that one of the loose cows had broken the leg of a colt that happened to be kept in the same shed.

The linen burned and the gardener's work lost were worth fully a hundred francs, and the colt was worth nearly double that money; so that here was a loss in a few minutes of a large sum, purely for want of a little latch which might have been supplied for a few half-pence.—*Youth's Companion.*

Use of Arctic Explorations.

In three hundred years there have been some two hundred arctic voyages, for various purposes and with various dates. The Greely expedition was but one of thirteen expeditions. Five hundred men passed two winters within the polar circle, and nineteen of them only were lost. And Lieutenant Ray says that the result of the observations of all these expeditions will be the doubling of the world's knowledge of the magnetic forces. That is to say, as Rev. Brooke Herford states in his admirable sermon upon this subject: "Not one of all the thousand and ten thousand craft sailing to and fro among the many lands of earth but will be a little surer of its compass, a little closer in its reckoning, a little safer, than it ever was before." Is this worth nothing? Is not the risk, the loss, even amply recompensed? But also, as Mr. Herford points out, the moral qualities, the patience, the courage, the self-denial, the faith, the endurance, developed by these Northern researches are incomparable. "There is simply no other chapter in the history of human doings compared with it. Beside it the adventures of commerce and conquest look greedy and base, the stories of chivalry are mere tinsel, the long heroism of the Crusades seems a fevered frenzy." Cui bono? is not an argument to discourage the restless soul which the prospect of peril inspires, nor will the pathetic story of the patient and generous endurance, amid apparently remediless suffering, which the record of the Greely expedition discloses dismay or deter other Greelys from daring the same dangers. The arctic story is one of the saddest, but it is also one of the noblest, in the annals of human heroism.—*George William Curtis, in Harper's Magazine.*

—The *Exlavigator* is the queer name of a new paper just started at Asheville, N. C. The editor informs the public that "exlavigator" means "to strike with a brick."

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—Mr. James Hitt, of Lodi, and Miss Alice Singleton, of Winona, both in Mississippi, were married recently, after an engagement of seventeen years.

—The average salary of the college professors in the United States is $1,530. Every member of the Boston Base-Ball Club receives more than this sum.—*Boston Globe.*

—Miss Emma Larson and her young sister, who rode on horseback from their home in Wisconsin to San Francisco, made the journey in safety without being once molested.—*Chicago Herald.*

—General Dan Macaulay says that the remains of John Wilkes Booth are buried in the family burying ground on the old Junius Brutus Booth farm, a few miles from Baltimore.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—Carl Cauer, the sculptor of the Garfield memorial bust in St. Louis, is fifty-six years old, and has made statues of nearly all the sovereigns of Europe, as well as of other famous persons, those of Kaiser Wilhelm, Francis Joseph, Metternich and Bismarck being perhaps the best known. He has a son, aged twenty-two, who has executed a good statue of Count Moltke.—*St. Louis Post.*

—John Hill, of New Brunswick, N. J., has determined to pay off some of the debts left by his brother, Charles H. Hill, the late cashier of the National Bank. He has sold his horses and carriages, dismissed many of his servants, and is economizing in every way to repair the breach of trust that fell so heavily upon the poor creditors of his brother. It is stated that one of his daughters will teach music so as to assist her father.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Martin Murphy, one of the oldest and best known pioneers of California, died recently at his home in San Jose. He went to the Pacific over forty years ago from Missouri, leading the first emigrant train across the plains. He engaged in cattle raising and continued in the same business to the day of his death, when he owned eighty thousand acres of land in four counties, and was worth over three million dollars. He never invested a dollar in mines or mining stock speculation.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—Sheriff Bishop, of Cloverdale, Cal., recently started to Guerniville, to capture a prisoner. On the way he met a person who asked for a ride. He assented, and in a short time was confiding his mision to the stranger, and wound up by asking him if he would get the prisoner drunk. The stranger agreed, and after tapping the Sheriff for five dollars for expenses in securing the required "drunk," took his departure, with the understanding that he would meet the Sheriff at an appointed time and place. The Sheriff was there at the appointed time, but the stranger was not; and a very good reason he had for not keeping his appointment, as he was the very man whom the Sheriff started to arrest.—*San Francisco Call.*

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—A Massachusetts young lady has had her name changed to Notoriety, because so many men like to court notoriety.—*Hatchet.*

—"A little girl, feeling herself neglected, said to her sister: "I think you had better pay some attention to me, for mamma says nobody knows what I'll do next."—*Waterloo Observer.*

—Mr. Smith (to Mrs. Parvenue, who has been telling him about her new house): "I suppose you will have dumb waiters in the house?" Mrs. P: "No, I shan't. I had a deaf cook once, and I vowed then never to have another crippled servant."—*Life.*

—Hard on Him.—Mistress: "I really can not put up with your voracious appetite any longer, James. Why, even the beasts of the field know when they've had enough, but you never do." James: "Please, 'm, you never tried me!"—*Funny Folks.*

—"Would you like this bound in Turkey?" asked the gentlemanly book agent of his rural customer for 'Scratcher's Universal History of the world.' "Oh, no," was the reply, "no use sending it clear out there; bind it in New York."—*Boston Commercial Bulletin.*

—Little Joe: "Mamma can we take Dickie with us out walking?" Fashionable Mamma: "Certainly. Tell the nurse to dress him." "Oh, I don't mean Dickie the baby. I mean Dickie the dog." "What! Take my dog out such unhealthy weather as this! Of course not!"—*Philadelphia Call.*

—"Look, papa," said a little South Side girl, after gazing at the moon in its first quarter, "the moon is broken in two." Soon after, while crossing the bridge she saw the reflection of the moon in the water, and exclaimed triumphantly: "There is the other piece, papa."—*Oil City Derrick.*

—Near-sighted old gentleman (entering store): "Have you any linen dusters?" Young Snobson (with his most sarcastic manner): "I am not a clerk in this establishment yet, sir." N.-s. o. g.: "Not yet a clerk, eh? Errand-boy, I presume? Well, legs are as good as brains in some departments."—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Johnny, how many hours are there in a day?" asked Colonel Verger of his son, who is attending lectures at the University of Texas. "Twenty-three hours," was the reply. "What has become of the other one?" "I don't know, but I heard the teacher say the days were one hour shorter than they used to be.—*Texas Siftings.*

—"Oh, dear," sighed a woman who was always complaining about her health, and who was never, under any circumstances, without some serious ailment, "I feel so wretchedly this morning. I think I am the most unfortunate woman alive." "Yes," said her husband, sympathizingly, I feel very sorry for you, indeed, my dear. I don't believe there is a woman in the world who enjoys such poor health as you do."—*N. Y. Sun.*

I remarked to an old farmer back in the country, whom I had not seen for several years, and whose farm, in the meantime, had improved wonderfully, that his place was so changed I hardly knew it. "Yes," said he, "I've been fixin' up a little. The old woman pestered me to death about the garden, and so I slicked it up a little, and fixed about the house, and it looked so nice I went at the farm fences and the brush, and saved more manure, and kept killing the weeds, and the crops got better, and so I kept going on, and things do look pretty good now. Wife takes a paper, and I take one, and I get time to read it too, and I used to think that I hadn't time for anything." And so he ran on, seemingly much pleased with what he had done, and his life and his home without doubt the happier for it. Examples of a like kind may be found all over the country.

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Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co.: Gentlemen—About one year ago my daughter commenced taking your Sarsaparilla. At that time she had very little appetite; could take no long walks, and her face was badly broken out with a humor. She was low-spirited; troubled with cold hands and feet; her blood seemed to be poor, and she was in a condition which caused us great anxiety. After taking one bottle of your Sarsaparilla she began to improve; and she now has a good appetite and can take much longer walks. Her humor is nothing compared with what it was one year ago. She is in better spirits, is not troubled with cold hands and feet as previously. And I attribute this improvement in her condition largely to your Sarsaparilla. She has taken six bottles, and intends to continue its use. I was inclined to oppose the trial of it at first. I now have great faith in it as a blood purifier. Very truly yours,

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of said Peter R. Adams, deceased by the Hon. Norman Geddes Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1884, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at my residence corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, on Friday, the 2d day of January, A.D., 1885 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described real estate to wit,. The northwest quarter of section one (1), the northeast quarter of section two (2), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section two (2), in Raisin township, Lenawee county, Michigan, comprising four hundred (400) acres of land: Also one hundred and thirty-five (135) acres of land, being the north part of the northwest quarter of section fourteen (14), in Clinton township, Lenawee county, Michigan. Also three story brick building and lot in village of Tecumseh, Michigan, lot beginning on the north side of Chicago street, one hundred and fifty-one and a-half feet east from the east line of Evans street at its intersection with the north line of Chicago street; thence east along the north line of Chicago street twenty-five feet; thence north at right angles with Chicago street to an alley; thence west 25 feet, thence south some 89 feet to point of beginning. Also land in village of Tecumseh adjoining to wit: Commencing at the intersection of west line of Evans street with north line of Kilbuck street; thence north on west line of Evans street nine rods and seven feet; thence west on south line of land in occupancy of Wm. Hayden and others seven rods; thence south on east line of land formerly owned by Nathan Blood nine rods and seven feet, to the north line of Kilbuck street, and thence east about seven rods along the north line of said street to place of commencement. Also lots numbered 75 and 76 on the original plat of the village of Tecumseh, except a parcel 4x8 rods sold off west side thereof. Also parcel of land in village of Tecumseh, Michigan to wit: Commencing on south line of Chicago street at west line of lot owned by Owens near Hayden's mill, thence south from said point on Chicago street twelve rods; thence west five rods; thence north twelve rods; thence east along south line of Chicago street five rods to point of commencement. Terms of sale published at and before sale.

Dated November 17th, 1884.

CORDELIA M. ADAMS,
nov20 Administratrix with the will annexed.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Marshall, late of the township of Franklin Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of January, 1885, and on the 9th day of May, 1885, at ten, o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 10th day of November, A.D., 1884, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated November 19, 1884.

DANIEL W. LOVE,
ELIAS DOTY,
nov27 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of E. B. & F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 13th day of January, 1885, and on the 6th day of April, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884.

HORATIO KEYSER,
JEROME F. N. BOWEN,
nov27 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Rufus R. Hall, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. and F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 3d day of January, 1885, and on the 2d day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 3d day of November, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Nov. 19, 1884.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
AUSTIN G. HALL,
nov27 Commissioners.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 1, 1885.

The country seems to be laboring at present under a severe epidemic of economy. Every body is trying to liquidate and nobody has any money.

Some people claim that the vice-presidency is a barren reality. And yet Mr. Hendricks kissed forty-six Ohio girls at one sitting a few days ago.

It is thought that the Holcomb trial will last two weeks longer. The Crouch tragedy is getting to be rather an expensive luxury for Jackson county.

Gil R. Osmun has assumed his duties as private secretary to Governor Alger. We shall miss Gil's witty and newsey items in the state columns of the Evening News.

Dr. Mary Walker called upon Gov. Cleveland the other day. As the Doctor, who is a spinster, called during leap year, the Governor wisely slid out of the back door.

The Democratic faction fight in Ohio is likely to deprive that state of a cabinet position. The Ohio Democrats are never quite so happy as when fighting among themselves.

The Republicans have a good working majority in the present legislature. Will they practice what they preach, and give the people a chance to vote on a prohibitory amendment?

The Cincinnati Enquirer observes: Only think what stacks of Christmas presents Grover Cleveland would have received, if he hadn't refused that Newfoundland dog and flagon of rum!

If Uncle Josiah's term lasted about two or three months longer, about one half of the state's prison officials could be dispensed with. Uncle Josiah seems determined to extinguish the closing days of his term.

It is said that more soap per head is consumed in the United States than in any other country. That is not strange. In addition to private consumption, soap is one of the principal motors in this country used in carrying elections.

The date now fixed for the collapse of this sublunary sphere is Monday, Jan. 5. This will be rather rough on the army of Democratic office seekers, but it will be a great satisfaction to the "ins" to go to "kingdom come" before they are turned out.

To young and old, rich and poor, high and humble, handsome and homely, with charity for all and enmity toward none, we extend the compliments of the season to the patrons of the HERALD, and wish them each and all, a happy new year.

The town clerk of Clinton has paid for 918 woodchuck scalps, during the last year. We wouldn't cast any insinuations not at all. But isn't it possible, barely possible that a few Franklin and Tecumseh and Macon and Bridgewater woodchucks may have strayed into the Clinton bailiwick.

Bob Ingersoll, during a recent lecture in Chicago, asked in his most eloquent and sarcastic style: "What minister ever did as much for the world as Darwin?" A wag in the audience yelled out, "Burchard!" The Colonel joined in the roar of laughter that followed and proceeded without comment.

The New York World remarks: Mr. Cleveland regrets Newfoundland dogs, slippers, casks of whiskey, barrels of apples, bald eagles, owls and even hickory canes, but he accepts all the advice in regard to the cabinet given him. This advice, when carefully written out, is placed on a sharp file. The file is about full.

A minority in Plymouth Church is attempting to boycott Henry Ward Beecher for his action in the late political campaign. Persons who have listened to the burning words of the eloquent preacher in behalf of free speech and equal rights will hardly sympathise with this attempt to ostracize him. Beecher made Plymouth Church what it is, but the old veteran is willing to go if his congregation wish to discard him. Plymouth Church without Beecher would soon crumble to pieces.

For the Herald

EQUALIZATION OF TAXES.

As the time approaches when our citizens must pay their taxes, and the incoming Legislature are likely to look over and revise our tax laws, we feel like making a few suggestions upon the subject, namely

That, if this License system, to which we are from principles entirely opposed, is by the voice of the people decided to be continued, then is it any more than just and right, that a strong, effective law should be formulated, enabled and enforced too, absolutely requiring every saloon keeper and seller of intoxicating drinks, in any of its forms, to first give to the public good and ample and sufficient bonds to protect them against all injury not only but all increased taxes and expenses in any way incurred, directly or indirectly, from the prosecution of their business, as the dispensers of intoxicating drinks?

Is there anything unreasonable or unfair about this? Is it right for any one to attempt to make gain out of a business, which largely increases the public expense, and then leave it to others to pay the bill?

But it will be said, that this would ruin every saloonist in the land, and we suppose it would, but what of that? Can it be right for any one to prosecute, and then throw upon the public the expense of a business, which if paid by themselves alone, would result in their financial ruin?

In other words, has any one, in this free country, and with due regard to the greatest good to the the greatest possible number, any right to attempt to make a gain, which only can be made at the expense of others, and can that be a legitimate business which seeks to do this?

We think not. And it seems to us that it is high time that the public at large came to think so too. We have allowed ourselves to be deceived and cajoled in this matter long enough. All this talk about sumptuary laws, and interfering with legitimate rights, and legitimate business is mere subterfuge in view of the actual facts in the case.

No one doubts that the sale of intoxicating drinks entails an enormous expense upon the public, not less than four-fifths of all the criminal and pauper expenses which we have to pay, and not at all commensurate with the small gains secured, and is it, can it be the legitimate right of any one to seek to make these small gains, such expense to those, who have, and can have no possible interest in the business?

The question answers itself, and it seems to us, that it is none too soon for the public to learn to face the facts, and to call things by their right name, and the more those engaged in the business combine, and plot together to force it upon the public, the more resolutely themselves to determine that it shall not be forced upon them.

The power and the remedy are in our own hands, whenever we choose to act, and until we do this choose, we have no one but ourselves to blame for the melancholy results of our own inaction.

VERBUM SAP.

MERRY CHRISTMAS IN MACON.

The Sunday School of South Macon Reformed Church, held a concert on Christmas eve. The evening proved to be fine, and a good audience was present. The following program was rendered:

Voluntary—Miss Martha Linton.
Prayer—Supt. C. S. Foote.
Reading—Christmas Greeting—Miss Neady Russell.
Singing—By the Congregation.
Essay—Miss Sarah Hunt.
Recitation—Emma Bailey.
Duett—Silent Night—Mrs. Joseph Osborne and Miss Josie Clarkson.
Responsive Reading—Luke 2. 8-20.
Singing—The Shepherds—Class of Young Ladies.
Recitation—The Angel's Song—Camilla Mead.
Singing—By the School.
Responsive Reading—Math. 2-1-2.
Recitation—The Three Kings—Miss Martha Linton.
Inst. Music—Miss Hattie Osgood.
Christmas Carol—By the School.
Address—By the Pastor, Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
"Feed my Lambs"—Sung by eleven little girls.
Responsive Reading—Ps. 72-2-17.
Singing—By the Congregation.
Collection.
Doxology and Benediction.

It was the generally expressed opinion that the concert was a decided success. "Feed my Lambs" rendered by eleven little girls was one of the most interesting exercises of the evening. The Pastor's address was to the children. He took them on an imaginary trip with Santa Claus around the world, describing the Christmas customs of various countries on the way. The church was tastefully trimmed with evergreens, and hung with pictures. Thanks are due to the faithful few who took upon themselves the work of decoration.

A druggist in New Richmond, O., Mr. E. J. Denham, writes us the following: "I consider Dr. Bull's cough syrup is the best thing made. I use it altogether in my own family and can therefore recommend it.

Barnum has settled a Connecticut colony in Dakota.

LODGE AND SOCIETY ELECTIONS.

We present below a list of the new officers chosen by the various lodges and societies and sunday schools of the village at their regular annual elections, all of which have been held during the past few days.

TECUMSEH LODGE, F. & A. M.

W. M.—E. M. Cook.
S. W.—Geo. S. Wilson.
J. W.—Abner Wilson.
Sec.—John Shaw.
Treas.—T. D. Mark.
S. D.—Jas. Hoskins.
J. D.—Jas. Sequin.
Stewards—David Sutton, George Crosby.
Tyler—John I. Wagner.

BEER'S POST, G. A. R.

Commander—S. T. Hosmer.
S. V. C.—[illegible]
J. V. C.—[illegible]
Adj.—[illegible]
Q. M.—A. W. Davis.
Surg.—Geo. W. Morgan.
Chap.—A. Hogue.
Officer of the Day—Geo. S. Naylor.
Officer of the Guard—[illegible]

ROYAL TEMPLARS.

Com.—James Mott.
V. C.—Geo. S. Wilson.
P. C.—C. L. Albaugh.
Chap.—James Porter.
Fin. Sec.—M. F. Hedges.
Rec. " —B. F. Steinhoff.
Treas.—L. D. Smith.
Sentinel—Geo. S. Van Fleet.
Herald—Albert Vedder.
Guard—Albert Hyde, Jr.
Trustee—James Porter.
Med. Ex.—J. F. Jenkins, M. D.

REFORM CLUB.

President—James McKinney.
1st. Vice Prest.—Mrs. Merritt.
2d " " —David Branigan.
3d " " —William Ford.
Rec. Sec.—H. J. Sweet.
Fin. Secy—Mrs. J. McKinney.
Treas.—Jerome Cleveland.
1st Marshal—John O'Neil.
2d " " —Wm. Kyle.
Steward—E. Williamson.
Serg't at Arms—Samuel McClure.

ODD FELLOWS.

N. G.—Eugene Hodges.
V. G.—James Honley.
Rec. Sec.—John Hibbard.
Treas.—Ed. Williamson.
Per. Sec.—T. Cummins.
Rep. G. L.—Chas. McNeil.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

R.—C. H. Galusley.
V. R.—Abner Wilson.
O.—Rev. G. W. Hudson.
P. R.—E. J. Hollister.
Sec.—F. A. McNeil.
Col.—D. T. Hall.
Treas.—H. McClure.
Chap.—Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.
G.—G. H. Tansley.
W.—H. W. Stevens.
S.—J. W. Cole.
Representative—E. J. Hollister.
Alternate—J. M. Woodward.
Auditor—C. M. Woodward.
Trustees—D. T. Hall, A. Wilson, H. McClure.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Supt.—Dr. L. G. North.
Ass't Supt.—J. W. DePuy.
Sec.—Geo. Henderson.
Treas.—Miss Carrie E. Osborn.
Librarian—Jas. Beck.
Ass't " —Spencer Leete.
Choister—B. F. Steinhoff.
Organist—Mrs. L. Gowan.

M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Supt.—R. B. House.
Ass't Supt.—B. Harry.
Secretary—Lella Foix.
Treasurer—Hattie Montgomery.
Librarian—Will Waldron.
1st Ass't " —James McGowan.
2d " " —Eva Perry.
Organist—Fred Waldron.

PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Supt.—C. A. Stanton.
Ass't Supt.—P. S. McKinnon.
Lady Ass't. Supt.—Hattie Strong.
Sec. and Treas.—Samuel J. Hiam.
Librarian—Walter Herridge.
Choister—J. S. Strong.

A CHRISTMAS FAMILY GATHERING.

By cards of invitation issued about three weeks ahead by William and Rosilla Bradley, all their sisters and brothers, and some of their descendants were invited to celebrate Christmas of this year at their home in Franklin. Of the seven survivors of Deacon Bradley's large family, all were present except Mr. & Mrs. P. H. Nichols of Battle Creek. By a late accident, Mrs. N., was obliged to resort temporarily to the use of crutches and could not well come. The other six, with their partners, and Almira Bradley, widow of Asahel, deceased, were all present. The six survivors present were Wm. Bradley, Mrs. J. J. Adam, Mrs. Wm. Rundell, Mrs. Electus Rundell, Mrs. C. Cooper and Mrs. S. G. Aten. Robert Cairns and wife, as a brother and sister of the host and hostess, and Henry Wilson and wife as a son-in-law and daughter, were invited and were present. Mr. Frank Edson Bradley, wife and three children, and Childs Wells, wife and son, and Alden Rundell, wife and daughter, were also on hand. The post of Chaplain of the ceremony was filled by Mr. Wm. Caldwell, accompanied by his wife an old friend of the family. Everything went off lively and pleasantly, and all present had a delightful visit which they will long remember.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

The rededication services of the F. W. Baptist church of Rome occurred on the 18th. Prof. Dunn, of Hillsdale, delivered one of his most eloquent sermons. The church, as completed, consists of a kitchen in the rear of the basement, the prayer and conference 30 by 30 and 9 feet in the clear, the addition to the entrance of the church and the auditorium. This latter room with its frescoed ceiling and walls, its stained windows and its carpeted floor presents to the worshiper each Sabbath morning a very inviting appearance. No pains or money have been spared to make the building one of the very best edifices among our country churches. It is pleasant, convenient and substantial. The heating apparatus, from the store of Wilcox Bros. & Co., is a perfect success. The ladies' aid society deserves very much credit for the heroic part borne in the good work. The chairs for the conference room, and the chandelier and carpet for the main audience room, were provided by this society, the latter being from the store of Jas. V. DeFoe. Through the indefatigable efforts of these noble Christian workers, Brothers Stevens and Aldrich, and the wholesouled generosity of our people, we were permitted to dedicate our church free from debt.—Adrian Times.

THE HERALD FOR 1885.

CLUB SCHEDULE.

Outside Publications.	Regular Price.	With the Herald.
Detroit Free Press	$1 00	$2 10
Detroit Post	1 00	2 10
Detroit Echo	75	2 00
Michigan Farmer	1 50	2 50
Michigan Prohibitionist	1 00	2 00
New York Times	1 00	2 25
" Sun	1 00	2 25
" Tribune	1 25	2 50
" World	1 00	2 10
" Herald	1 00	2 35
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 50
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 50
" and Cyclopedia	1 65	3 00
Poultry World	1 25	2 25
The Independent	3 00	4 00
Springfield Republican	2 50	2 50
American Rural Home	1 00	2 00
The Nation	3 00	4 00
Pop. Science Monthly	5 00	5 50
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
" Weekly	4 00	4 75
" Bazar	4 00	4 75
" Young People	2 00	3 00
Godey's Ladies' Book	2 00	3 00
Demorest's Monthly	2 00	3 00
Mag. of Amer. History	5 00	5 50
Scientific American	3 20	4 25
Wide Awake	2 00	3 00
N. Y. Observer (new)	3 15	3 65
The Century	4 00	5 00
St. Nicholas	3 00	4 00
Rural New Yorker (with seeds.)	2 00	3 35
Prairie Farmer	1 50	2 50
" " and Map	2 00	3 00
Farmer's Review	1 50	2 50
Chicago Inter Ocean	1 00	2 25
" News	1 00	2 25
" Tribune	1 00	2 25
" Herald	1 00	2 25
Cincinnati Times	1 00	2 25
" Enquirer	1 15	2 40
" Com. Gazette	1 00	2 25
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 25
" Bee	50	2 00
Courier Journal	1 50	2 50
Peck's Sun	2 00	3 00
Burlington Hawkeye	1 25	2 50
The Lever	1 00	2 25
North. Am. Review	5 00	5 50

Auction Sale.

Ann Pawson will sell at Auction at her residence two miles west and one mile north of Franklin Center, on Friday, Jan. 9th, 1885, at 2 o'clock, M. three cows, 2 coming in early, 1 steer calf, 9 sheep, 3 pigs, set double harness, single harness, lumber wagon, buggy, cutter, span of horses, plow, drag, cultivator, hay rack, shed at M. E. church, Franklin Center. Terms, twelve months credit on good notes at interest. Ben Reynolds, auctioneer.

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ESTATE OF CORNELIUS B. SUTTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Cornelius B. Sutton, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edgar C. Ball, local executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging among other things, that the funeral expenses and administration expenses, and the expenses of administration have been incurred and all legacies and obligations, if any, have been fully paid, and that all of said estate has been paid over and distributed to the parties entitled thereto except such portion as may be now ready to render for distribution and prays that said account may be allowed.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF ERASTUS N. NICHOLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Lucius Foster, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for the allowance of his final and administration account, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate.

Therefore, it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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WANT TO RENT.—A furnished farm of 40 acres or more. Enquire of C. R. BARNSDALE, Clinton, Mich. Box 366.

SELL OR EXCHANGE.—One pair trucks. Will exchange for hay or grain. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

NOTICE.—A great medical aid and wonder will be introduced by Mrs. Mary L. West, Saturday, Jan. 3, 1885, from 2 o'clock until 4 P.M. at the Lilley House. A variety of medicines will be exhibited, consisting of Bitters, Syrup, Liniment, Ointment, Corn Cure, Catarrh Remedies. Also local treatment for females. My medicines are all combined to work together for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Female Weakness, cleansing and purifying the Blood, Kidney and Liver Complaints. I extend a cordial invitation to all married ladies and widows! MRS. MARY L. WEST, M.D., Montrose, Genesee Co., Mich.

FOR SALE.—To make room for Jerseys I offer my Durham and native cattle, consisting of cows, heifers and steers, all to prime condition. Prices reasonable. Also a few pure bred Jersey bull calves. JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton Mich.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Wolcott, Temple & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Wolcott having sold his interest to John J. Van Gieson. The new firm of Temple, McClure & Co. assume all the obligations of the old firm and purchase all debts due the firm. All old accounts, both debit and credit, are to be settled with the new firm.

JOHN S. TEMPLE.
ISAAC C. WOLCOTT.
SAMUEL McCLURE.

Tecumseh, Dec. 4, 1884.

OFF FOR FLORIDA.—Now is your time to buy an organ, piano, musical mdse., and instruments of all kinds and sewing machines at bed rock prices. A No. 10 upright Chickering and Duplex Ithica piano at wholesale prices. Three desirable houses and lots and my business building will be sold at low figures. Also a 7 year old bay mare, buggies, harness &c. If you want bargains call at once while you have a large stock to select from. Several second hand organs and sewing machines nearly as good as new. G. P. SPARKS.

The Annual meeting of the Baptist ladies social will be held at the residence of Dr. I. S. Hamilton on Friday January 2d 1885.

The Cantata of Esther will be given at Adrian to-morrow evening, under direction of Prof. Cady of Ann Arbor, for the benefit of the Adrian Baptist church.

Dr. H. W. Catlin, of Grand Rapids, arrived in town this morning and will remain "in these parts" two or three days. The Doctor is looking well and we are glad to learn that he is doing well.

D. C. LeBaron, of Toledo, paid his old home a brief visit yesterday. A niece from Philadelphia accompanied him who wished to see the country village of which she had often heard.

The HERALD corps of township correspondents has received some valuable additions lately. This department of the paper will be carefully looked to, and improved upon from time to time.

Prof. H. C. Wilson and Miss Aggie Willett of Blissfield were married Dec. 28th. The groom is a graduate of our High School and the bride a sister of Miss Grace Willett, one of our present teachers.

HE WANTED TO GET POSTED.

A tall seedy looking stranger stepped up to the postal order window of the post-office the other day and with the air of a man having a heavy load on his mind, opened a conversation with Bert Waring, the clerk.

"Is this 'ere the post office?"

"Yes Sir."

"Be you the postmaster?"

"No Sir; I am a clerk."

"Dew ye take in letters here?"

"Yes Sir."

"Do ye sell envelopes?"

"Yes Sir."

"And postage stamps too?"

"Certainly, Sir."

"Do ye sell ten cent stamps?"

"Yes, how many will you have?"

"Wall, I don't want none to-day. My old woman has gone up North a visitin' and if she don't get back on time I'm going to write her a rearin' old letter. There is so many eloping these days I thought I'd better prepare for the wust and get posted."

RINK RACKET.

The rink is open every afternoon and evening this week and business is lively.

The polo game, which was played on Thursday evening of last week, was a new feature and something that had not been witnessed in this village before. It was played by the senior and junior clubs of Manchester.

Last Friday evening, the young lady skaters gave a leap year party, which was well attended. The ladies sustained the role assumed by them to perfection, and taken all in all it was one of the best evenings seen at the rink this season.

The second masquerade took place on Tuesday evening and was a perfect success. Some of the characters were finely made up, and a large number of maskers was on the floor. Among the most attractive characters were an Indian chief, sailor boy, Bro. Johnathan, two or three darkies, John Chinaman, a dude, an Irish washerman etc. P. W. Adams, C. M. Burlingame, and J. H. Smith were chosen as the committee to award the prizes. They had a delicate and hard task to perform, as there were so many excellent characters to choose from. The prizes were finally awarded to Levi Hayden, Indian chief, and Emma Aten, Irish woman. The Manchester band furnished good music, as they always do. After the unmasking, a large number of other skaters took the floor and enjoyed the sport. The benches allotted to spectators were crowded.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 1, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Write it 1885 now.

Turn over your newsleaves.

Subscribe for the HERALD now.

This is first-class catarrh weather.

Happy New Year to each and all.

Good resolutions are now in order.

Read our club list in another column.

Have you sworn off to-day? If not, why not?

John L. Tann, was in town over Sunday last.

C. H. Hopkins returned to Battle Creek yesterday.

Mrs. C. J. Brewer and daughter visited Clinton last week.

The Andersons have sold over five hundred cloaks this season.

H. Brewer & Co. shipped a tile machine to Utica, N. Y., last week.

Miss Gertrude Anderson is home from school during the holidays.

Will R. Wooden returned to his home in Battle Creek on Monday,

Lon Tribou received over $3.000 of the township taxes on Friday last.

What did Santa Claus bring you? is the general salutation this week.

Be sure and attend the Shubert concert at the Opera House this evening.

The new band is progressing finely under the tutorship of Prof. Van De-Mark.

Frank Snedicor and wife of Dundee, passed Sunday at his father's in this village.

N. M. Sutton and daughter, Minnie, spent christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Stoepel, at Detroit.

Quite a number of our young people took in the masquerade party at Dundee Christmas evening.

Within the past week we have added a goodly number of new subscribers to the HERALD list.

Christmas morning I. P. Keyser presented his clerk, John Boland, with a $35 new suit of clothes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown are visiting friends at Lansing, where they expect to remain three or four weeks.

Dwight Goodrich and wife, of Mendon, Mich., are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity for a few days.

Met Conklin has taken the agency of the Wood binder for the coming year. The right man in the right place.

A. L. Arner, of Raisin, who is in the Junior Literary class at Ann Arbor is spending his holiday vacation at home.

The Free Methodists will hold services in the Universalist church next Tuesday evening, Jan. 6th, commencing at 7:30.

Miss Jennie Ross, of Battle Creek, and Miss Maggie Ross, of Lansing, passed the holidays with friends in this village.

Robert Stretch came home for Christmas. He made a short visit, however, as he took the road again on Saturday.

Our genial county treasurer Jay Hoag, commenced the new year by taking a wife. A wise man and a good public officer.

Ed. C. Baird, the former engineer for the M. & O. road during construction times, is smiling on his Tecumseh acquaintances this week.

Mrs. S. H. Merritt and Miss Gussie Burlingame, of Cadillac are spending a few days in Tecumseh. Their old friends here are right glad to see them.

If the wicked alone stand on slippery places the entire population of Tecumseh could have been enrolled among the righteous last Saturday afternoon.

David Phelps is spending the holidays at his old home in Tecumseh.—He now fills a responsible position in the Auditor's office of the Pullman car works at Chicago.

Although the holiday trade has been good with most of our merchants it has not come up to that of last year. Considering the stringency of the times, however, they have fully realized their expectations.

Geo. F. Bangs is manufacturing and selling a patent bosom stretcher and self-adjusting ironing board. It is a most useful household article, and the price is only sixty cents. Every family should have one.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raynor Lilley, of Cleveland, ate their Christmas turkey at Lucius Lilley's. Mr. Raynor Lilley's business duties as secretary of the Cleveland-Paper Co. cut his visit short, and he was compelled to return on Friday.

Mr. Geo. Heesen owns a fine clothing store, is agent of the American Express, a member of the Common Council, and is blessed with the possession of three accomplished and charming daughters. Santa Claus visited his house on Christmas and left three elegant gold watches, one for each of the girls. Now, young men, don't all speak at once.

Irv Osborne is making New Year's calls at Britton to-day.

The January thaw arrived a few days ahead of time this year.

Dr. A. L. Dingman, of Lansing arrived in town last Saturday for a brief visit.

Lon Chapman's new feed barn in the rear of the Lilley House is well patronized.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. B. Whelan, of Detroit, have been spending the holidays in Tecumseh.

Hudson thermometers take the cake. One of them has marked 28° below zero this winter.

A. VanAntwerp, who has been at work in Jackson for a few months past, has returned to Tecumseh.

Patrick Murphy and his daughter, Kate, of Clinton, were in town yesterday and favored the HERALD with a short call.

Miss Nellie M. Clark is home from Genesee Seminary, Lima N. Y. to which she will return after some professional work with her father.

Dr. Geo. Ferguson is remodeling the interior of his store, putting in new shelving, drawers etc., which will greatly improve its appearance.

Thos. Murphy and John Gordon, of Macon, paid a holiday visit to Alex. Sherard at his new home in Homer. Alex. has a good farm there and is doing well.

The late cold snap has ruined the peach crop. The peach crop is always ruined at this season of the year, but it pans out pretty well in September.

We print this week a portrait and biographical sketch of Thos. Nast. This new feature will continue for a few weeks at least, and we hope to make it permanent.

Gainsley & Co. our enterprising Dry Goods firm, announce their great annual clearing sale in this week's paper. Read their card on the eighth page. Heed it and be wise.

One of our rich and handsome old bachelors received a christmas present of a silk-trimmed, double-action, self-adjusting, steel-spring corset from the Holloway corset factory.

We send out a large number of sample copies this week to persons who do not now take the HERALD. Those receiving a copy will please consider it a polite invitation to subscribe.

Thos. Wyrill, the Janitor of the school buildings, kept the Central school well warmed during the recent cold weather. The furnaces are in good condition and he knows exactly how to manage them.

In the selection of Mr. Fred Hendershot to fill the vacancy in the 8th grade of the schools, the School Board have acted wisely. Mr. Hendershot is well qualified for the position and we predict his success.

Mr. C. S. Lester preached an excellent sermon at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. Mr. J. O. Heck will occupy the pulpit next Sunday morning. Both of these gentlemen are students at Kalamazoo College.

John R. Clark has commenced the first bureau lecture engagment of his life, embracing the next six weeks and including all the large cities of Canada and some lecture courses in Pennsylvania Ohio and Indiana.

Guy Davidson, Frank Davidson's son, attended the turkey shoot at Macon on the 24th inst. and took down two fine turkeys out of three shots. No use talking. Frank, all boys are smarter than their fathers in these days of internal improvements.

Mr. DeLano, landlord of the Patterson, has made arrangements with Lavern Bidwell whereby his hack line will run to and from the hotel in connection with all trains on the M. & O. road. The hack will also run to Lake Shore trains when guests desire it.

That Tecumseh will have the electric light at an early day is a fixed fact. One hundred lights have been spoken for. A plan is now on foot to organize a stock company here and increase the number of lights and it is more than probable that this last plan will be adopted.

The public installation of officers of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69 F. & A. M. will take place to-morrow evening. The program will consist of music, an oration by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, and the installation of officers by Lucius Lilley, to be followed by social and refreshments.

James Cook, of Raisin, has entered the employ of the Walter A. Wood Harvester Co. He will have the supervision of all local agents in the Eastern portion of Michigan. Mr. Cook is peculiarly fitted for this service, being both a practical farmer and a good business man.

The last, but not least, leap year party of the season was given Tuesday evening at Armory Hall. About thirty couples were present and enjoyed themselves until the we' sma' hours. The young ladies are to be congratulated on their successful management of the party, especially the committee in charge, Misses Lora Reynolds and Nellie Cole.

Read W. & S. W. Anderson & Co's. new ad—cloaks one quarter off.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Anthony, of Raisin, started for a trip to New Orleans on Tuesday last.

John H. Waring, of Paw Paw, arrived in town Tuesday, and will spend a few days circulating around the old stamping ground.

Bert Tribou has been shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends—and he has lots of them—this week. He will return to his business duties on Saturday.

The Installation of Officers of Rees' Post, G. A. R., will be on Friday evening with Commander Underwood of Addison, installating officer. On Friday, Jan. 9th, Commander Hesher will go to Addison to install the officers of the Addison Post.

Capt. Foster gave an elegant dinner at the Lilley House on Christmas day, and he was favored with a large company of transient and home guests. It is needless to say that they were all in the condition of an uncarved turkey when the meal was finished.

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Milton S. Pitzer of Quenemo, Kansas, for an "at home" card. The bride was formerly Miss Janie S. Monaghan of this village, and her many friends here will extend their congratulations. The parties announce themselves "at home" after Dec. 31st. 1884.

Will Harding's injured shoulder has improved so rapidly that he has taken his arm out of the sling, and is able to shake hands again. Will left yesterday for Albion to enter Albion college, where he expects to take a full course of study. We wish him success and have no doubt he will achieve it.

A few of our business men dropped into The Patterson at nine o'clock last evening and indulged in a New Year's Eve. supper. Plates were laid for twenty-six guests. Landlord De Lano proved himself to be *au fait* in getting up evening suppers and dispensing hospitality. Our old Tecumseh friend, P. W. Adams, was one of the company.

The Sunday School of St. Peter's church held their Christmas festivities at Armory Hall last Saturday evening. Supper was served at five o'clock, followed by a May pole, music and social. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, the little folks and the old folks were on hand in goodly numbers, and passed a very enjoyable time.

Meteorological report of observations taken at Tecumseh by L. G. North for the week ending Tuesday morning, Dec. 30, 84.

Maximum tem., Monday, 47° F.
Minimum tem. Wednesday, 3° F.
Rain, .60 inches.
Snow, 2.5 inches.
Prevailing wind, south.
Barometric range, .39 inches.
Maximum Barometer, Thursday, 29.61 inches.
Minimum Barometer, Saturday, 29.22 inches.

Macon Grange No. 167 will meet in regular session on Friday Jan 2d at 7 o'clock P. M. The installation of the officers elect will take place on Friday Jan. 9th, at 1 o'clock P. M. A picnic dinner will be served after the services. All members are requested to be present with their families and friends and participate in an enjoyable time. The Hon. T. F. Moore, of Adrian is expected to be present and act as Installing officer and also to give a lecture in the evening at 7½ o'clock. It is hoped that all in this vicinity will attend this lecture as Mr. Moore is one of the very best Grange lecturers in the field. Admission free.

M. J. MARTIN, W. M.

Yesterday forenoon about eleven o'clock an alarm of fire was sounded, and the whole town was out in less than no time. It proved to be the residence of Geo. Kemp, on Kilbuck street, near the water works. The fire caught in the second story from a defective chimney. John J. Orr seized his Babcock, jumped into a buggy and was on the ground within five minutes after the alarm, and soon had the flames subdued. The engine and hose carts were on hand as soon as they could be hauled through the mud, but their services were not needed. The damage by the fire was slight, but the house and contents were pretty well shaken up. As the wind was blowing a gale at the time, it is fortunate that the fire was got under control at once, or a disastrous conflagration might have followed.

Barton W. Spears, M. D., of the city of New York, is now stopping, with his wife and daughter, with his friends at Brooklyn, Mich. He was the first printer's Devil on the Tecumseh Democrat in 1836. Then he finished his trade with the old Adrian Watchtower. He studied medicine with Dr. Spaulding. He was engaged on the Detroit Free Press, the Columbus, Ohio, Statesman, and the Chicago Times. As a physician he has traveled over the most of Europe and this country. He visited last week in this county, and he was greeted with much favor by his old friends at Adrian and in the county. The great ability and high social qualities of himself and Mrs. Spears, make him a great acquisition to our community, and we hope to see them often among us. We welcome him as an old printer and a progressive American.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The Hudson tub factory is receiving a large lot of logs.

Morenci enjoyed a turkey hunt on skates one evening last week.

The Christmas number of the Boy's Weekly is an eight page sheet.

Addison has a new skating rink, with John Crandall as manager.

The Clinton Local is now located in a new office in the Reynolds block.

Alonzo Clark, of Clinton, is spending a few days in Cincinnati and Chicago.

Hudson cries for a new depot. The present sickly structure is behind the times entirely.

It is expected that the new County Court house will be finished about the 1st of next September.

The new freight and passenger house at Palmyra will be finished and ready for occupancy to-day.

The Clayton people are bound to have a town of their own to be carved out of Dover and Hudson.

It is said that the contractors who are building the new Court House will lose ten thousand dollars.

Blissfield has two roller skating rinks. One of them can take the place of the long talked of roller mill.

The Bohemian oat cause is flourishing at Morenci. The Bohemians had a big oyster supper there last week.

Mr. Frank B. Cressy, the managing editor of the Michigan Prohibitionist, was formerly pastor of the Baptist church at Hudson.

The boys in school district No. 5 of Cambridge have organized an oath-bound pistol-carrying club. Mr. Avery, the teacher, has taken vigorous measures to squelch the new movement.

The Adrian Record of Saturday said: Leap year is nearly over. The girls should take time by the forelock. Would'nt it have been better if they had taken some young man by the forelock.

Sheriff Whitmore will appoint Frank Teachout to the position of Under Sheriff. This is a most excellent selection. Frank is well qualified in every particular and will fill the bill exactly.

The Adrian Record says: Fallet, the marshal of Morenci, tips the scale beam at 325 pounds. Councilman Salsbury does the same thing. Such men add great weight to the dignity of the village government.

The Hudson Gazette will be published by Schemerhorn Bros. sons of the deceased proprietor. They both have a practical acquaintance with the business and will keep the paper up to its present high standard.

Hudson Post: A game of polo, at the roller rink between the professional men is being agitated. The doctors are expecting to physic the lawyers, and the lawyers expect to serve an injunction on the heads of the medics.

The way freight on the Fayette branch was abandoned on Christmas day and about a dozen passengers who intended to go West to eat turkey found themselves in a dilemma. They could view the landscape scenery at Grosvenor all day or foot it to Blissfield or Palmyra.

Morenci Observer: Prof. Wilson's class were practicing the rhetorical exercises at Medina academy on Friday evening of last week and so heavily did the orator come down on the subject that the stove tipped over, and for a few moments there was a sharp panic in view of the possible cremation of those ancient, classic halls. The Prof. however, took matters cooly and soon reduced the flames to their normal condition.

Adrian Record: Judge Howell has rendered a decree in certain drain cases that have been submitted to him. The decree perpetually enjoins the county treasurer from collecting any taxes levied for the construction of said drains. Of course there will be music by the full orchestra and language profane on the part of those who constructed the ditches. This will simply relieve the feelings, but will not add wealth to the pocket-book. The drains in question are the Baxter avenue and Sutton drains of Ridgeway & the Smith drain of Risa.

Adrian Times: Probably the most bashful young man in the county lives in Palmyra township. The family in which he finds a home is blessed with a charming little daughter, of few summers and sunny temperament, of whom the young man is very fond. As the holidays approached he felt the propriety of offering his juvenile friend some Christmas testimonial of his regard and a cudgelling of his brain decided the purchase of a doll. On the "night before Christmas," after the child had retired, he observed her Christmas stocking hung in a prominent position, and that active preparations for filling it were being inaugurated. He thought of the doll. "Mrs.——, I have a doll up stairs which ought to go into the stocking."

"Indeed! How lovely of you. Bring it right along. She will be delighted."

"But—well, but—it—it isn't dressed."

THE BRITTON POST OFFICE.

EDITOR HERALD.—We were surprised to see an article in last week's Adrian Times on the post-master business at Britton. Our republican friend is mistaken in supposing that there are a few anxious democrats who think the 4th of March a long time to wait for the post office. With regard to the petition mentioned the article says: They started a petition of twenty six names; fourteen of them do not get their mail in this office, six were family relatives and two names were unknown, we think the other four were misled. The fourteen, we think had good reason for not getting their mail here; the six family relatives are persons who are a credit to the village of Britton, and some of our republican leaders here are only too glad to borrow money from the relatives when occasions requires. Two names were unknown; there are some names in Britton known too well. As regards the four who were misled, we will not say much about them. All men make mistakes sometimes. If our postmaster had not been misled he would have voted the Democratic ticket and then perhaps the cry would not have been raised, "How are the mighty fallen." O. X.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Ben Dove lost four hogs by hog cholera.

Clinton Gillett of Dundee, has been visiting friends in Tecumseh and Clinton.

Wm. Harding, who had his shoulder dislocated by being thrown from a carriage, is able to be around again.

Last Tuesday Mr. Wm. Mudgett started from town with a load of hay, which he had well bound on. Just as he was turning the road by M. E. Conklin's the wind struck it and turned it over. He got some chains, and with the assistance of neighbors, he drew it back on again. We must be living in a prairie country.

B. P. Noreross has an instrument in his residence, and R. P. Butrick has one ordered.

Rev. Mr. Wall, the new Congregational minister has moved in the new parsonage at Tipton.

Chief Engineer Sawyer of Marshall, was down and surveyed the ground for the Tipton depot.

Freeman Card's little girl is very sick.

S. H. Raymond and wife, and S. Page and wife are visiting friends in Franklin and vicinity.

Chas. Cooley has taken unto himself a wife. Miss Minnie VanValkenburg is the happy bride.

They have commenced the sidetrack at Tipton, and will soon put up the depot and freight house.

Abner Wilson and Mrs. D. W. Clark went to Orland, Ind., whither they were called by the sudden death of Mrs. W. S. Merritt.

This has been a good winter thus far for the wheat crop.

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A FLORIDA PHENOMENON.

A Supposed Volcano Turns Out to be a Series of Sulphuric Pools.

Captain Asher puts out the Florida volcano, and the romance of the poor Seminole lingering in the land of his fathers is lost. At the same time his story adds to the attractions of the lovely land of fruit, flowers and wonders. Perhaps from these sulphuric pools came the healing virtues which laid the foundation for the legend that in Florida flows the waters of eternal youth. Captain Asher was in search of palmetto logs on the Ancilla River when he descried the smoke or cloud from a point in the distance. Remembering the many reports he had heard about this smoke he determined to unearth this mystery, if possible. So calling his crew together and packing up their traps the party pushed their way in small boats up the Ancilla River. They traversed up the river, or creek, for it hardly deserves the name of river, for miles. After ascending from its mouth about twenty-five or thirty miles, he judges, he was brought to an abrupt halt by a rock barrier in front. Upon investigating he found that the river ended and was lost underneath the ground. Seeing that the smoke became more distinct at this point, and seemed straight ahead, he had the boat hauled up to the bank and sprang ashore, determined, if possible, to pursue his investigation on foot. As he sprang on shore he gave an exclamation of surprise. Scattered at various points were huge rocks, towering many feet above his head—a thing unheard of in Florida. Mr. Asher describes some of these rocks as being as large as an ordinary dwelling and apparently hollow, containing much water. He describes them as being of a flinty appearance, and when struck with an iron or steel instrument to emit thousands of sparks. A mile or two further on were seen numerous rocks that were formed into round basins, their sides being smooth and beautifully polished. Mr. Asher sprang upon the top of one of these basins. As his foot came in contact with the flinty substance a hollow sound was emitted from the rock. Calling for a pole, and it being handed to him, he placed it in the center of the basin. What was his surprise on drawing the pole to the top may be easily imagined when he discovered that the rock, being hollow, was filled with a strong sulphuric water. Pursuing their way through the bog on hard ground some distance, then again scratched and bruised by the underbrush, and fighting mosquitoes that seemed to resent this intrusion of their dominion, they presently came to where the river issued from its underground covert and pursued its way onward, to again disappear in the bowels of the earth. Every few hundred yards these pools would make their appearance, and from them would issue white, misty clouds that would ascend heavenward, seeming in the distance to be clouds of smoke. The water in these pools was as clear as crystal and filled with beautiful fish. He caught a great many of the fish and attempted to drink some of the water, but it was unpalatable—nauseating to the smell and taste. He spent several days wandering around these points, and he says he never before thought there was such a place in Florida. He says that the rocks are separated by a distance of about 200 feet, and rear their black, grimy heads to Heaven from a level plain of marshy soil. There are no indications of there having been a hill, much less a volcano, in this section, and the smoke or cloud seen so often is simply the vapor rising from the sulphuric pools.—*Detroit Free Press.*

SHOP SAVINGS.

How Much May be Saved by Judicious Attention to Little Things.

A very suggestive sight was witnessed a short time ago in a visit to a large manufactory of machinery and tools. The outlet to the sink had been closed, and the large drain pipes had to be removed and cleansed. The result of that cleaning was a surprise to the proprietors, although it was not so to at least some of the workmen. If a list of the articles found in the drain pipes and at their outlet in the tail race was made it would be almost like an inventory of the small parts used in the manufactures of the establishment. There were hundreds of pieces of broken files, taps, reamers, drills, parts of machines and tools spoiled in the working, and a wagon-load of cotton waste. The water closets had been used as convenient "catchalls," "scrap heaps" and "glory holes." How much the establishment had lost in this way could not readily be estimated, as much of it must have been swept away by the stream and much of it buried out of sight.

It is surprising how much may be saved in the shop by judicious attention to little things and by handy appliances for saving. An establishment that works up brass and iron in about equal proportions for more than a year mixed the drillings, turnings, and filings of both metals indiscriminately, and dumped them out of doors as useless rubbish to be got rid of. A separating machine was suggested, and now one of the proprietors declares that it paid for its cost within three weeks. It is self-operating, requiring only the occasional supply of the chips and the removal of those already separated. The mixed chips pass through a trough in a thin stream before a revolving cylinder composed of horse-shoe magnets; the brass chips drop in front into a box, and the iron and steel chips are carried on the magnets to the under side, and are brushed off by fixed brushes into another box. Before being separated, these mixed chips were worthless; after being separated the iron chips had a marketable value, and the brass chips a value ten times as great.

In a large manufactory of machine screws, where two barrels of oil a day is not an uncommon amount to use, if all the machines were supplied afresh, three-fifths of this amount—sometimes more—is saved for further use. This is done by a small centrifugal machine. The chips, soaking in oil, are dipped into the little cup-shaped receiver, the cover closed, the belt started, and the oil comes in an almost invisible horizontal sheet against the sides of the enveloping pan and runs into a tank ready for use. The chips are cleaned so nearly that they barely soil the hands.

In a certain machine shop worn out and broken files are placed in a transverse holder on the grindstone frame, held against the face of the stone by springs, given a traverse by a belt and a spiral cam, and the result is bits of smooth steel just adapted for forging, to boring oar cutters and keys, with a further result of keeping the stone trued.

In brass manufactories there is unavoidable waste of the metals in the scoriæ of the melting furnaces, in the rolling mill department, and the wire drawing. Whatever of this waste, with the sweepings, can be gathered is put into large mortars and subjected to the impact of pivoted pestles until the whole is pounded to a dust. Then it is floated in a running stream of water through a chute over riffles, which catch the heavy metallic particles and allow the lighter trash to pass off. The metallic residuum, packed in crucibles, with luted covers, gives back a profitable percentage of solid brass to be reused.—*Scientific American.*

PENSACOLA.

A Quaint Old Southern Town, Full of Interest to Strangers.

If the Southern tourist will leave the beaten tract of travel at Mobile, and go by steamer to Pensacola, he will enjoy a very pleasant break in the monotony of railroading. Mobile and its bay are full of historic landmarks, and when the steamer leaves Fort Morgan, and heads to sea for the short run down the coast, there is much that is of interest in the marine landscape.

The approach to Pensacola, as the Mary Morgan runs in, is of ever-varying beauty. Long lines of sandy beach and dark woodland point in converging lines to the distant harbor. Closer in is the tall light-house pointing finger-like heavenward, with a background of dark trees and peeping cottages, below which runs, like a ribbon of satin, the snow-white beach for miles. Presently the long ocean swell ceases, and we are passing the forts. On the left are the ruins of Fort McRae, now only a few massive arches of tough masonry tottering amid the surges rippling under their gloomy shadows, while opposite is Fort Pickens, gray, straight-faced, and sturdy, crouching, as it were, on the land's end of historic Santa Rosa Island. In spite of its battle record it looks quite modern, with the great guns gazing vigilantly out to sea. In the distance the remains of Fort Barancas lie, sleeping with the memories of General Jackson and the Spanish commandant who blew it up at the capture of the place by the American army in 1812.

As we enter the harbor we find it land-locked and of immense magnitude, its further shores appearing as if on the horizon. It is a shelter for the navies of the world.

To the left appears the town, fronted by the massive buildings of the navy-yard, the great derricks holding aloft boilers for expectant hulls. The size of the place can only be guessed at from the steamer's deck by house roofs and distant spires.

The lower part of the town has an essentially nautical flavor. The sandy streets are filled with a motley crowd of mariners. The talk is of ships and cargoes, and the bell of the Norwegian chapel, nestling almost under the yard-arms of the ships at dock, mingles with the forecastle bells striking the hour, tolled maybe by some ancient quarter-master of a sexton; and strangely out of place seems a back-country ox-cart, whose great broad wooden-tired wheels and crates of "gonies," or land-turtles, rolls silently over the sand.

The wharves are immense structures thickly laced with car tracks, walled in by masses of closely packed shipping whose interlocked spars and masts are as a forest through which a road is cut out. Here the smaller iron steamers, those "ocean tramps," nestle beside the great three-masters to secure a share of the vast forests of lumber annually exported, which by train loads continually pour on the docks.

Out on the broad harbor are fleets of vessels clustered about great timber rafts which have been floated out to them, and from which their gaping holds are being rapidly filled. Tugs are towing out rafts to one's further distant. Here are two just spreading their wings to sail. There is one just arrived and dropping anchor, and in the offing more are inward bound. It is an animated scene rendered doubly delightful by a balmy air, a cloudless sky, and the odors of pine freshly cut.—*Harper's Weekly.*

Shortsightedness.

The original cause of myopia seems to be the application of the eyes to near objects; in other words, the poring over books and handicrafts. When the eyes are directed to a near object they are turned in, or rendered convergent, so that the axes of vision meet upon it, and this position is maintained by a muscular effort which if continued, alters the shape of the eye, in the direction of elongation. Manifestly, the alteration will be most easily effected during youth, when the tissues of the body, including those of the eye, are comparatively lax and distensible, and it will also be most easily effected among those young people whose tissues are exceptionally weak, by reason of inadequate food or of unhealthy descent or surroundings. Badly lighted schools are the great manufactories of myopia, the bad light compelling approximation of the books or other materials of study.—*London Times.*

—A band of gypsies went through the Northwest buying up uncontrollably vicious horses. A stock was thus obtained at trifling cost. Then the attempt was made to tame the beasts. Some of them became tractable through clubbing, but others bit and kicked until two men were killed and several hurt.—*Chicago Times.*

—A shoemaker of Utica, N. Y., has completed a mechanical curiosity, consisting of two houses each six feet square. Inside of these houses are different wooden figures working at trades. There are nearly 200 of these figures. The motive power is a small three horse power engine.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 129. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 30 "	3 36 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 06 "	4 37 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 128. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 32 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	6 02 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 56 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	27.	21.	23.
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
DETROIT	9 40	9 10	3 20
Romulous	.....	9 53	4 01
Belleville	10 28	10 03	4 09
Milan	10 51	10 31	4 34
Britton	.....	10 55	4 52
Adrian	11 36	11 21	5 14
Sand Creek	.....	11 35	5 26
North Morenci	12 05	11 50	5 40
North Fayette	.....	12 04	5 52
Montpelier	1 02	12 35	6 25
Blakesley	.....	12 48	6 39
BUTLER	1 43	1 07	7 00
Indianapolis	.....	8 50	2 05

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	36.	22.	28.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Indianapolis	7 15	11 30	.....
	P. M.	A. M.	.....
BUTLER	2 40	8 05	2 27
Blakesley	3 06	8 45	.....
Montpelier	3 20	8 57	3 03
North Fayette	3 52	9 28	.....
North Morenci	4 04	9 40	3 46
Sand Creek	4 17	9 53	.....
Adrian	4 39	10 05	4 12
Britton	4 52	10 30	.....
Milan	5 08	10 50	4 52
Belleville	5 33	11 11	5 15
Romulous	5 41	11 18	.....
DETROIT	6 20	11 55	6 00

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction....	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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Passenger Time Table.

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GOING WEST. No. 346 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	
	5 10	10 10	A....Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
6 20	9 09	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
6 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 59	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 17		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 37		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
8 08		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		3 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESS.

SENATE, December 23.—Immediately after the reading of the journal the Senate went into executive session and awaited the action of the House on the amended Naval bill and adjournment resolution; but on being notified that the House took no action on the former bill, adjourned until January 5.

HOUSE.—There were less than a hundred members present. Mr. Randall called up the resolution for a holiday recess and the Senate amendment fixing the time from December 24 to January 5, which was adopted, and the House at 12:35 p. m. adjourned to January 5. As the House took no action on the Senate amended Naval Appropriation bill the appropriations for the navy will lapse on and after the 31st of December.

WASHINGTON.

The Board of Trustees of the Columbian University, at a special meeting a few days ago, upon the unanimous recommendation of the faculty of its Medical Department decided to admit women to the study of medicine in the institution with all the privileges of instruction accorded male students.

A circular is being prepared by the Secretary of the Treasury under the terms of which the navy yards throughout the United States will be closed on December 31 and remain closed until appropriations for their maintenance are made by Congress. The workmen will be suspended with the understanding that those whose services are indispensable may continue and take their chances of reimbursement by Congress.

A decision has been rendered by Comptroller Lawrence, in which he held that the Otoe and Missouri Confederate Indian tribes are entitled to receive five per cent. interest on the removal fund provided by the act of March 3, 1881, and expended for their benefit under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior.

The Naval Court of Inquiry appointed to investigate frauds in the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery and to examine the methods of purchasing supplies in the other bureaus, has made a preliminary report that they found no reason to believe the frauds practiced in the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery had extended to other bureaus.

Under the provisions of the recent circular relative to the disinfection of imported rags, the Secretary of the Treasury has appointed Francis McNally and Charles Kanny inspectors of rags at Alexandria, Egypt.

The reports of the Bureau of Statistics to the Secretary of the Treasury shows that during the month of November the exports of the United States were valued at $78,776,666, and the imports at $45,173,792, the excess of exports over imports being $33,602,876. This is a greater excess than has occurred during any previous month of this year.

According to the report of Director J. W. Powell, of the United States Geological Survey Corps, during the season which closed the latter part of November there were surveyed in the New England section 658 square miles; in the Apalachian section, 17,466 square miles, and in the South-western section 15,000 square miles.

THE EAST.

Thomas W. Holder, of Dorchester, Mass., arose from bed on the morning of the 26th, swallowed a dose of laudanum, placed a towel saturated with chloroform over his mouth and returned to bed. He was soon discovered, but died within an hour. He received good wages and was worth $6,000. No cause for the suicide is known.

While enjoying a sleigh ride on the 26th Anna Brown, aged fifteen, daughter of Charles H. Brown, of Keene, N. H., was killed at Ingall's Crossing by a passenger train. The horse was also killed and the sleigh demolished. Her father was engineer of the freight train following the passenger train, and was first apprised of the accident by seeing his dead horse and broken sleigh beside the track.

Thomas Van Valin, aged 104 years and eleven months, died at Syracuse, N. Y., on Christmas Day. He was a pensioner of the war of 1812.

Eleven barges containing 3,000 tons of coal, in tow of the tug Ives, of New Haven, Conn., foundered off Penfield Reef on the night of the 26th. No lives were lost. The coal was valued at $30,000.

Business failures in the United States during the week ended the 26th number 278, against 305 in the preceding week and 260, 242 and 161 in the corresponding weeks of 1883, '82 and '81 respectively.

Mrs. William H. Diefenderfer, living near Shimersville, Lehigh County, Pa., was recently poisoned by soap lye, which got in a cut in her hand, and at last accounts she was at the point of death.

Mrs. Ellen Johnson has commenced action in the Kings County (N. Y.) Supreme Court to recover $10,000 damages from Lydia F. Hannon for enticing her husband, William Johnson, from her and eloping with him to Galveston, Texas. Mrs. Hannon owns property in Brooklyn valued at $10,000, which she is trying to dispose of through an agent at a sacrifice, thereby attempting to defraud plaintiff. Mrs. Johnson is endeavoring to prevent the sale of the property.

The New York Board of Railroad Commissioners have notified the Utica & Black River Railroad Company that if they fail to comply with the orders of the board relative to special freight rates, the case will be reported to the Attorney-General.

Dr. George H. Atkinson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., suffering from blood poisoning, superinduced by a scratch from the nail of a patient whom he was visiting a short time ago, died on the 27th ult.

The statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended December 27, shows the following changes: Loans increase, $1,531,000; specie increase, $1,818,000; legal tenders decrease, $1,102,000; deposits decrease $171,000; circulation decrease, $67,000; reserve increase, $258,000. The banks held $40,944,000 in excess of legal requirements.

The funeral of the orphan children who lost their lives by the late fire at the Brooklyn Asylum, took place on the 27th ult. The charred remains of twenty-one victims were placed in three coffins and taken to the Church of Our Lady of Victory, where they were placed in the main aisle. The edifice and altar were draped in mourning and the church was crowded. Rev. Father Mahony celebrated solemn mass, assisted by Revs. Fathers Creighton and Brosnan. The remains were interred in the Cemetery of the Holy Cross.

Herman Eilsen, a saloonkeeper of New York City, was arrested a few days ago by a custom house official for attempting to ship thirty-one pounds of gunpowder to Cuba on the steamer Saratoga. There was no label or mark upon the bag to show the explosive nature of its contents. Commissioner Shields held Eilsen in bonds of $40,000 for trial.

Secretary Flannery, of the Miners' Union, has declared the Monongahela River miners' strike off, and requests the miners to return to work at former wages.

About forty years ago Sedgwick L. Plummer graduated from Harvard College and from the Dana Law School. His father left him $50,000, which he soon squandered in riotous living, and recently died a pauper in the almshouse at Gardiner, Me.

The loss by the burning of Waterman's furniture factory, Charlestown, Mass., on the 27th ult., is estimated at $95,000; insurance $65,000.

A. N. Curtis, a prominent citizen of Sharon, Pa., and a well known philanthropist, died on the 28th ult., aged fifty-six.

Great destitution is reported among the iron ore miners in Berks and Lehigh counties, along the line of the Eastern Pennsylvania Railroad. Eighty per cent. of all the mines in that district are idle, and the wages of the miners who have work amount to the merest pittance. At least four thousand persons are in destitute circumstances, and many families are reported on the verge of starvation.

The value of imports (exclusive of specie) at the port of New York for the week ended December 27 were $4,907,000, of which $1,440,000 were dry goods and $3,466,000 general merchandise.

One hundred saloon-keepers were arrested at New York City on the 28th ult. for violating the excise law by selling liquor on Sunday.

WEST AND SOUTH.

William Shirker, late teller of the Second National Bank of Ironton, O., who was indicted on nineteen counts for the embezzlement of $26,000 of the bank's money, was found guilty in the United States Court on three counts, charging false entries, whereby the bank lost $3,000.

Near Lazan, Tex., on the 25th Dr. L. H. Cocke, his cousin, Miss Lyons, and their coachman were stopped by a highwayman, who relieved Dr. Cocke of fifty dollars and a gold watch. Miss Lyons wore a diamond brooch and other valuable jewelry, but the highwayman said he did not rob ladies. As he dashed into the woods he shouted to Dr. Cocke, "We shall meet again."

A notorious counterfeiter named Miles Ogle was arrested at Memphis, Tenn., on the 25th. Three thousand dollars in ten-dollar counterfeit bills on the Third National bank of Cincinnati were found on his person. Ogle has already served terms in the penitentiaries of New York, Ohio, and Pennsylvania for counterfeiting.

The La Porte (Ind.) Savings Bank closed its doors on the 25th and was placed in the hands of a receiver. The assets are about $90,0000; liabilities $15,000 less. It is said the depositors will be paid in full.

Judge Evans, United States District Attorney for Texas, returned a few days ago from Fort Bliss, whither he had been sent by the Governor of Texas to look into the title to that property. He thinks the title to the property and about $50,000 worth of improvements are in great danger of being lost to the Government, and says he will be compelled in his report to reflect severely upon the action of certain United States Army officers who located that post some years ago. The title to the entire property is in jeopardy. The heirs, having arrived at maturity, are now pressing their claims. Evans says although Congress recently appropriated $40,000 for improving Fort Bliss the whole improvement is not now worth more than $5,000 or $10,000.

Herman Gowan, alias Henry Holbrook, arrested in Minnesota on the charge of embezzlement of the funds of H. R. Weisner & Co., of York, Pa., whom he represented in Boston, has returned.

Cornelius Aultman, one of the leading citizens of Canton, Ohio, and a well-known manufacturer, died suddenly at his home on the 26th, after an illness of only a few hours.

The dry goods store of John Voght, at Deshler, O., together with several stores adjoining, were destroyed by fire on the 26th. Loss $75,000; probable insurance $40,000.

During a Christmas festival at Summerville, S. C., Mrs. Francis David, a prominent church lady, killed Mrs. Lizzie Way, a beautiful young married lady, by stabbing her with a pair of scissors. She was jealous because of Mr. David's supposed too great admiration of Mrs. Way.

Henry Bunn, a merchant of Stevenson, Ala., on the 26th discharged the contents of an old army musket, loaded with buckshot, through the head of a customer named John Bailey, scattering his brains over the ceiling. The affair occurred in the former's store. Bunn claims it was accidental, though he had previously had trouble with Bailey.

Watt Henry, aged thirty, so brutally beat and pounded his wife in his saloon at Akron, O., on the 24th, that she died the next morning. Henry was arrested.

On the 27th ult. three train wreckers were arrested and jailed at Purvis, Miss. The next night a mob of fifty masked men forcibly entered the jail and took them out and hanged them. The prisoners confessed their crime and said they thought it was a freight train, and decided to wreck it in order to steal what goods they wanted for Christmas. They did not intend to wreck a passenger train, and were sorry it was done. They also admitted wrecking a freight train at the same place for the same purpose one year ago.

While in a fit of mental despondency a few days ago Mrs. Williams, living near Dahlgren, Hamilton County, Ill., threw one of her children, a little girl, into a well and, attaching another still younger to her dress, jumped in herself and all were drowned.

A fire at Racine, Wis., on the morning of the 28th ult. totally destroyed the Blake Opera House Block, a five-story brick, the handsomest and largest building in the city. It consisted of an opera house, hotel, Carey & Flannegan, proprietors; a drug store, owned by W. H. Vilas; a restaurant, owned by Miss Lena Johnson; Wood Bro.'s hardware store, and the Telephone Exchange. Every room in the hotel was filled with guests and the upper story was occupied by servants. Three persons were burned to death. They were Mr. and Mrs. Russell P. Glover, members of the Thompson "Beggar Student" Opera Company, and Mrs. T. A. Patrick, the housekeeper of the hotel, in connection with the opera house. Loss on the building $100,000; insured for $48,000. The occupants of the building all lost heavily, but the exact amount had not been ascertained.

A brutal murder was committed in Jackson, Putnam County, O., on Christmas evening. John Fishback, a man of dangerous character, killed his wife during a quarrel, splitting open her head with an ax. The three sons of the murderer fled for their lives, as he also threatened to kill them.

John Baldwin, aged eighty-five, founder of the Baldwin University at Berea, O., died on the 28th ult. at his home in Baldwin, La. A few years ago Mr. Baldwin went to Louisiana, where he purchased a plantation and founded a college for colored people, and at the time of his death was extensively engaged in the sugar refining business.

Cass Carlin, a prominent citizen of Findlay, O., and his youngest child were killed at Ranch Sixty, near Miles City, Montana, a few days ago. Carlin had the child in his arms at the time and was conversing with the Sheriff of the county, who with a posse was searching the country for a gang of desperadoes. A stray shot passed through the bodies of both, killing them instantly.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

There was considerable disturbance during the election at Panama on the 24th. Several persons were killed and wounded.

The Catholic Church and the house of a priest at Corletos, Galicia, were entered by bandits a few days ago for the purpose of pillage. Failing to get any money they tied the priest in a heap of straw and burned him to death.

At Bally Duff, County Waterford, Ireland, a few days ago the vault of Colonel Hilliers, formerly Inspector General of Police, was broken open and Mrs. Hilliers' coffin taken out and thrown into the glen.

The French Chamber of Commerce recently adopted resolutions protesting against the proposed increase of corn duties by France and declaring itself in favor of free trade.

The eighty-ninth birthday of Professor Leopold von Ranke, the historian, was recognized by testimonials from all parts of Germany.

A Halifax, N. S., dispatch states that the Government steamer Lansdowne arrived there on the 26th bringing intelligence of another disaster on one of the outstretching sand bars, involving the loss of six lives. The French brig A. S. H., from St. Pierre, bound to Boston with a cargo of fish, struck on the north side, two miles from the main station on the 26th. Four men were washed away and lost, and two others were drowned in attempting to reach the shore during the night. The sole survivor reached Halifax by the Lansdowne.

Bottitz Brothers, large corn merchants at Vienna, failed on the 27th ult. and subsequently committed suicide by shooting themselves with revolvers.

The latest intelligence from General Wolseley states that he has decided to abandon his attempt to reach Shendy by the desert route from Korti, thus cutting off the great bend in the Nile. The difficulties of the way seem to him to be too great to be surmounted with the resources at his command. Instead of the desert route he will use the route from Merawch to Berber, likewise through the desert, but much shorter than the other. He has accordingly changed his base from Korti to Merawch. This change places the relief of Khartoum two months further into the future than was expected.

Details of the recent earthquake shock in the Spanish provinces of Granada and Malaga show a far greater loss of life and property than at first reported. Several places were partially destroyed. Official returns from the province of Granada state that 526 persons were killed by the earthquake there, and in Malaga a hundred. In Alhama over 350 bodies have already been recovered. In Periana sixty bodies were recovered. Many persons died from fright.

The French Senate has adopted a clause of the Budget establishing the principle of taxation on religious bodies.

The English postal authorities report that nearly four million Christmas cards were sent and received through London, Liverpool, and Manchester alone.

LATER NEWS.

THE residence of the Hon. W. H. Norris, in Ozark County, Mo., was burned on the 28th ult. and Mr. Norris perished in the flames. The family had all escaped from the house when Mr. Norris re-entered to save an old family relic, but was cut off by the flames and fell suffocated by the smoke. He was burned before the eyes of his wife and children. Mr. Norris had represented Ozark County four terms in the State Legislature and was a highly respected and very popular man.

FOUR young men entered a restaurant at Mt. Pleasant, Pa., on the evening of the 27th ult. and calling for oysters, they directed the cook to put the contents of a bottle they handed him into the stew, which he did. The bottle contained alcohol. They ate the oysters and also drank a quantity of the alcohol sweetened with sugar. Next day they were all taken sick and two of them, Joseph Randolph and Charles Smith, died. The other two are in a dangerous condition.

SAMUEL GEDDES, aged fifty-three years, of Boston, while trying to get out of bed to admit his wife (who had been out nursing a sick friend), caught his feet in the bed clothes and fell to the floor on his head, breaking his neck.

The Locust Gap and Locust Spring collieries, operated by the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company, at Mount Carmel, Pa., have suspended indefinitely. Two thousand men are thrown out of employment.

DEVILLO HUBBARD, a prominent Democratic politician of Marshall, Mich., and a member of the last Democratic National Convention, died on the 29th ult. He leaves an estate of half a million.

THE business portion of Kentland, Ind., was destroyed by an incendiary fire on the 29th ult. Loss about $50,000; mostly insured.

THE Secretary of the Navy on the 30th ult. received a cable message from Admiral Davis at Nagasaki, Japan, announcing the death on board the Trenton of Naval Cadet T. V. Torrey, of Illinois.

THE Coroner's inquest over the body of James Shea, the schoolboy whose death was attributed to injuries at the hands of Miss Bradner, a school teacher, at Nanticoke, Pa., resulted in a verdict that he died of chronic pleurisy. Miss Bradner was fully exonerated, being out of the building at the time the boy fell down stairs.

CHIEF ENGINEER WILLIAM LORENZ, of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad, died suddenly on the 29th ult. while seated at the dinner-table at his home in Philadelphia. Heart disease was the supposed cause.

A SAN FRANCISCO paper has received a dispatch from Lordsburg, N. M., stating that Captain H. W. Howgate passed through there on the 28th ult. en route to the Malone mining camp on the Burro Mountains. The correspondent says he is sure it was Howgate, as he served seven years under him in the signal service.

What a Mississippi Pilot Says:

Capt. D. M. Riggs, who is well known at New Orleans and along the Mississippi river says: "I have been suffering from dyspepsia for the past five years, and from broken rest by severe pains in the bowels and kidneys. I tried every medicine recommended for these diseases without success. At last I used a bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters, which proved a perfect success in my case. It cures all liver, kidney and malarial diseases.

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Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., states: Being ineffectually treated by 17 doctors for Scrofula, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Write for proof.

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It was the German Physiologist, Hoffman, who sumarized the means of reaching great age as follows: Avoid excess in everything; respect old habits, even bad ones; breathe pure air, adapt your food to your temperment; keep a quiet conscience, a gay heart, a contented mind. We think in these times the item of food is very important, and we recommend, to our friends the use of DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder, which is pure. Sold in cans only. Try it and you will use no other.

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The rain falls fast as tears of children. Sighted by Kris Kringle and a wintry sky seems intent on washing away the memory of a Christmas that has in many cases been kept with singing prelude of gladness that no heart could be found so dull enough to vibrate to its transparency.

There was a suitable celebrating breaking affair at the Presbyterian church, which filled their treasury thirty dollars worth, besides leaving over a majority of population that never can be filled again, and the All Saints Sunday-school here, perhaps from and sharpened souvenirs of friendship than ever before. Custom and civil exercises were manifested as of old however though one branch of the hallowed tree was starred with a spirit of unforgiveness as bitter as that which stings to ask the mercy which Governor Begole unlocks prison doors with. Anger blossoms are as conspicuous as sunflowers for church bouquets but I confess a preference for the daisies, sky glimpses, clover perks and meadows and world at large which the Governor flings into dingy cells, and whatever weight of denunciation may be placed on him by those not in digestion of an instrumental quality of mercy, the thankfulness of those who are can tip up. What if it, or any other person, or for place is a little longer too often is inherited away by the vegetal hate that pursues the wrong doer, and so the punishment comes as near with the crime of a greater crime to warrant it is seldom mentioned aloud, but he has not twenty-five years behind the bars is mentioned with vengeance satisfaction, or he has got his just desserts, is said with as much apparent thankfulness as if he in the case of the fellow was thanked an enemy [illegible]

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[illegible] Begole will be [illegible] Mr. Begole would but return, into the world he helped to purify, he can offset additional censure with the gratitude of every woman within reach of a cyclone and the comforting [illegible] but yet revised.

FARMERS SOCIAL CLUB.

Dec. 29th, the Farmer's Social Club met at the residence of Mr. John Fisher. Although Mr. Fisher has one of the largest residences in the township it was well filled with a very enthusiastic audience. The Program heretofore announced was carried out in full. The essay written by Miss Ida Rector, was a kind of forecast of the discussion, as it was a comparison of farm and city life, and was really a good description in itself. Song of Grace Gillespie was both sweet and musical for a child of her age, being only ten years old. Before the club entered upon the discussion of the question, pleasures and profits of farming, as compared with other pursuits in life, Mr. Madison Graves of Palmyra, was introduced and addressed the club upon the question of importing German labor. After hearing the address, the committee on exercises for the next meeting made the subject of introducing German labor the question for our next discussion.

As E. L. Russell was not present the discussion was opened by Mrs. F. C. Rector who said there was no class or occupation as independent as the farmer and did not think the farmer or farmer's wife need to work any harder than those in other occupations. Thought our Michigan the Garden of the World.

Mr. Fisher was brought upon a few and like Moses Sparton. Thinks it is most honorable way of getting a living and believes where machines are used that farming was very profitable.

Mr. Schroder said as a class there was far less percentage of failures among the farmers than any other class of workers, and certainly the pleasures were with the farmers.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie believed there was more money in most other occupations than there was in farming. But people drift into channels to which they are adapted. Had measured himself and found that the farm was his place. Would like to have the millionaires pointed out among the farming fraternity. It is hard work for both men and women.

Mr. Griswold has seen all these fine farms around us brought into the state they now are from the wilderness, and very few of them had ever changed hands because their owners were obliged to sell. In fact there were but very few failures among the farmers whereas of those who engage in the mercantile pursuits about three out of a hundred succeeded. Mr. Griswold takes a great deal of pleasure in farming.

Club adjourned for two weeks to meet at the residence of Mr. John Kinsey, Jan. 9th, at 1 P. M. Exercises for the next meeting:

Music—Choir.
Essay—Fred Rendelshot.
Recit. Music—Grant and Henry.
Duet—Grant Schroder.
Select Reading—Mrs. Johnson Hoyle.
Question—What be both profitable and pleasant for us to import foreign labor? Led by the President.

P. V. HOUTON, Sec.

THOMAS NAST

Thomas Nast, or as he is better known as Tom Nast, who proved such a [illegible] Blaine clever [illegible] was born in Landau, Bavaria, 1840. With his parents he came to the United States in 1846, settling at Arcadia, Ohio. He was of a [illegible] and entered Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper. He and [illegible] had through [illegible] for drawing. He took a six months course of instruction under Theodore Kaufman, and was able to make drawings which were good enough for the wood engravers of that day. Located upon from the advanced position of the art of today, they are to say the least, up to the standard. In 1861 Nast went to England to illustrate the Heenan Sayers prize fight, his sketches appeared upon the N. Y. Illustrated News. Immediately after this he went to Italy to follow Garibaldi and entered Naples with him. He was present at the sieges of Capua and Gaeta and made war sketches for the "Illustrated London News," the "New York Illustrated News" and "Le Monde Illustre" of Paris. Returning to New York he began in 1862 a series of war and political sketches in Harper's Weekly and has since continued upon the staff of that journal. In 1868 he executed for the "Ballo Opera" in New York, 60 caricatures of prominent artists, actors, and politicians. Some of the pictures were 4x6 ft., and all were finished in water color in 30 days. In 1873 he appeared as a public lecturer in the leading cities of America, illustrating his remarks with illustrations upon the board. He has besides his work for Harper's Weekly, illustrated a number of books, among others Nasby's "Swingin Round the Circle," "The Tribute Book" etc. etc. He has made numerous illustrations for "Phunny Phellow." He is under contract to the Harper's at a salary of $20,000 a year. He is a remarkably fast workman and since the death of John Leech undoubtedly stands foremost in the field of political caricature. In the Cleveland-Blaine campaign of 1884 he was unwontedly bitter and for the first time in its history Harper's Weekly became antagonistic to the republican party in a presidential contest. The position of the journal had the effect of alienating many supporters from the republican ranks.

An injunction has been granted by Judge Charles H. Truax, Superior Court of the City of New York, restraining and enjoining Messrs. M. B. Folland and Charles Moss from publishing, issuing, circulating, or selling an edition of Dante's Inferno, translated by Cary, illustrated by Gustave Dore, which from size, form, color and illustrations upon the cover, size, color and form of case in which the same are offered for sale, arrangement of text and notes upon pages, and of illustrations, shall tend to mislead the public into the belief that in purchasing the defendants' book they are getting the said book as published by the plaintiffs, Cassell & Company, Limited, 753 and 741 Broadway, New York. In connection with the above, Messrs. Cassell & Company announce that they are the only authorized publishers of Dante's Inferno and Purgatory and Paradise, and Milton's Paradise Lost with all the illustrations from the original designs by Gustave Dore.

E. Scott (Jr.) favors us with a copy of the Sligo Chronicle containing the death notice of a very aged lady of that city.

On Saturday the 6th inst. died at her residence on the Mall, Sligo, Mrs. Eliza Rutherford, widow of Surgeon James Rutherford R. N. who predeceased her more than twenty years. The deceased lady was a member of a very old Sligo family and was highly esteemed for her kindness and generosity. She reached a very advanced age, supposed to be at least 98 years, but tradition rumors that she had passed 104. Up to within a very short time of her decease Mrs. Rutherford retained her recollection and intelligence. She was well acquainted with many scenes of the French invasion of 98 and could talk of them almost to the last with clearness.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Jan. 1, 1885:

Alexander, Minnie	Mitchell, J. G.
Grey, Edwin	Oliver, Libbie
Fairbrin, Anthony	Turner, Emerson
Kimbrett, C. W.	Youngs, Catharine

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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MARRIED.

SNIPES—DREWYOUR—At Petersburg, on Friday, Dec. 26, by Rev. Wm. Taylor, Mr. Frank E. Snipes and Miss Nettie E. Drewyour, both of Raisin.

WEAVER—CUSHMAN—By the Rev. W. P. Wilson, at his residence, on the 22d inst., Mr. [illegible] Weaver and Miss [illegible] Cushman, both of Macon.

CLARK—BARTLETT—At the residence of the bride's father, in Adrian, by Rev. W. P. Wilson, Dr. [illegible] Mr. Charles F. Clark, and [illegible] Bartlett, daughter of Capt. [illegible]

[illegible] SMITH—At the parsonage, Wednesday, Dec. 31st, by Rev. Wm. W. Holland, Mr. [illegible] and Miss Rosetta Overpatch, both of Tecumseh.

DIED.

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MESSITT—At Ogden, Jan. 2nd, 1885, Alice, wife of Wesley Messitt, in the 40th year of her age.

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TROY, N. Y.

Dr. Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—My daughter was afflicted with a tumor or growth of Fibroids. It produced a wasting pain, so that she could not walk upright. Her physicians pronounced it so bad that an operation was necessary, but fearing I did not survive it, some of the physicians claimed that it was useless to attempt it. In fact, one of them said he did not think she could live a week. Hearing of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, working so thoroughly on the blood I determined to try it, for if the medicine could do what doctors had failed to do and surgeons had refused to undertake, I am sure it would. The result of this trial was the complete cure of my daughter of this dreadful malady. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy alone effected it. We used nothing else, for other things had completely failed. My daughter today enjoys as good health as any girl of her age in the county. My wife also was very poor in health, and had some liver difficulty with which she had suffered a long time until she became very much reduced in flesh. A trial of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy had resulted in the complete restoration of her health, which she had not enjoyed for years. She had gained in flesh and strength and thus secured perfect health, and this is due entirely to Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. As for myself, being engaged in the grocery and commission business, which makes it necessary for me to test the quality of different articles like butter, etc., my sense of taste and my stomach were seriously impaired, everything seemed to taste sour, and I learned of dyspepsia in its most severe form. I tried Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. The first bottle afforded immediate relief, and from that day to this I can say that Favorite Remedy has restored me to perfect health. These are facts which I claim prove that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the best medicine in the world for those afflicted with the above difficulties. If any one in the city of Troy doubts the truth of these statements let him come to me and I will prove them. I have recommended Favorite Remedy to hundreds and with the same good results.

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Robert Codling is at work for Dr. Burchard in his gun factory.

R. R. Kinney who has been at work in Frank Brown's tin-shop for some months past, has gone to Camden Mich. to visit his father. He expects to return in February and has rented Mrs. W. P. Wastell's house on Chicago street.

Prof. Laflin and wife, and Miss Ida Fullerton returned from Ypsilanti Saturday last and school duties were resumed Monday morning. The school seems to be in a more prosperous condition than ever before and the ambition exhibited by Prof. Laflin in trying to make his school pleasant as well as profitable to his pupils, and the deep interest he has in the Literary Society go to show how much at heart he has their welfare.

Mrs. J. C. Burroughs has been quite ill for several days.

The six months baby of J. White has been very sick with inflammation of the lungs and at last accounts was no better.

J. B. Hause attended the funeral of a fourteen year old son of Mr. Manly in Franklin, last Monday.

Mrs. John T. Clark and daughter left Clinton for Blissfield last Thursday for a week's visit to her mother's Mrs. Dr. Newcomb.

S. W. Demuth thinks of enlarging his store in the spring on account of increased trade.

B. O. Randall and Co. are invoicing their stock of goods this week.

Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark and mother, Mrs. Jane VanDeMark, were quite sick with colds the fore part of this week. Mrs. Geo. Kies, of Tecumseh, visited them Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lancaster drove to Tecumseh Sunday to visit their daughter.

The dances at the skating rink do not seem to meet with very great success. The one which was advertised for last Wednesday night has been indefinitely postponed.

C. S. Burroughs and wife expect to go to house keeping soon.

Lovers of the "light fantastic" expect a grand good time the 23d of January. There is to be an old fashioned masquerade party at the Town Hall on that evening. No gloves, no programs, nothing formal to interfere with the perfect enjoyment of all who wish to engage in the pleasure. Geo. VanGieson, Victor Haywood, and Albert Kishpaugh are the executive committee and wish to assure the public that no pains will be spared to make this the event of the season. The older people are especially invited as their presence is always needed to add to the enjoyment of the occasion. As good an orchestra as can be obtained will be there, and supper will be furnished for all. Every one put on a mask and go. Let us make up once more and sustain Clinton's reputation of giving the largest and best parties of any town in the county.

Mrs. J. E. McCollum and Miss Lucretia Reynolds visited Adrian last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Clark returned from their visit to Mt. Pleasant Mich. last Tuesday. A reception will be given them Friday evening, January 9th, at the residence of Mrs. Louise M. Clark.

On Thursday evening January 1st, 1885, a large number of invited guests assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh to witness the marriage of their daughter Sarah to Will H. Dorr. They were married by the solemn and impressive ceremony of the Episcopal church, Rev. Joseph St. John officiating. After the vows and promises that were to bind those two souls together forever, had been given, the united pair received the congratulations of their many friends and relatives. An elegant supper was then served to which every one tried to do full justice. The presents which are always an accompaniment of such an occasion, were unusually rich and costly, showing the high esteem, in which the bride and bridegroom are held by the people of Clinton. The decorations were very pretty and quite novel. A floral hammock was suspended in the arch between the parlors, and above one end of it, a wreath of roses hung by large loops of white satin ribbon. On the wall just above the hammock, in both rooms were the words, "Until death us do part." Among the guests from abroad were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisk of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Celler of Tecumseh, Mr. Wilkerson and family of Dundee, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kishpaugh of Raisin Center. Mr. and Mrs. Dorr left on the evening train for Jackson, from thence to Detroit where they were to spend about a week. We wish them many happy years.

The Rev. St. John of the Episcopal church, will preach on Sunday morning, Jan. 11th, from the text "Wo be unto us if I preach not the gospel." Come out and hear him.

Dr. Cameron has taken the rooms over the store of B. O. Randall & Co., where he now has his office. The public will please take notice. Office hours from 9 to 12 o'clock A. M. and from 1 to 4 o'clock P. M. when not professionally engaged.

TIPTON TOPICS.

The Methodist pastor and wife were not a little surprised on New Year's eve to see a number of friends file into the parsonage with twenty-five yards of new carpet. The carpet was presented to Mrs. Storms in a neat and appropriate speech by Mrs. J. Fridd, as a New Year's present from the ladies of the society. The gift was very acceptable and highly appreciated, not only because of its val- [illegible] cause it was needed, but also especially because it was [illegible] expression of the kindly [illegible] and good will of the people.

The new depot at Tipton is no longer a myth, a visionary scheme, product of a deranged imagination, but is, or rather bids fair soon to be, a veritable reality. The side track is being laid and the foundation for the depot.

Let some enterprising man come into the place and establish a harness shop, a boot and shoe shop or a clothing and dry goods store. There is plenty of room for the place to grow, —but be it understood no saloon will be tolerated.

Who shall be the post-master under the new administration, is the all absorbing question of a number of citizens who are chiefly interested. "Jerry" looks dubious, John looks hopeful, "Dr" thinks perhaps maybe others are thinking about getting some disinterested party to start a petition. Mean while——.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES

Mud! Muddy! Muddiest!

The latest amusement is a bean bag game. The rink is no where now.

As this is the week of prayer the social will hold over a fortnight.

Prof. E. A. Wilson and wife returned to Vassar Saturday to commence his school there Monday.

The Literary Friday night was largely attended and the program was very interesting and was successfully carried out.

Mr. Jonas Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, made friends here a visit last week.

Mr. Geo. Wilber, of Ypsilanti was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Freer over New Years.

Emmet attended the New Year's ball at the Lake Ridge house on New Years as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Gifford, of Vienna, called on friends here New Years. The Doctor is looking hearty.

Mr. Alonzo Webster, of Pittsford, Hillsdale Co. called on relatives last week.

Mrs. E. Rappleye, of Dundee, visited friends here Friday. Her health is very good for her.

Martin Palmer commenced his school at Britton Monday.

Miss Nellie Freer commenced to attend school at Tecumseh Monday and will board with Mrs. C. A. Sharp.

Mr. John Waring, of Paw Paw, formerly of Tecumseh, called on relatives and friends Monday.

Mr. Warren Jones plough'd the last day of 1884 and says it turned over nicely.

It is said that it is the habit of the Martin to change its abode in the winter but it isn't so with a Martin of this place.

The Sunday school board met Sunday after S. S. and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Supt.—Dr. D. W. Loree.
Asst. Supt.—Henry Williams.
Sect.—J. D. Arner.
Asst. Sect.—Miss Ada Loree.
Treasurer—Mrs. G. W. Jackson.
Chorister—G. P. Waring.
Organist—Miss Ella Jackson.
Asst. Organist—Belle Barlow.

Tuesday was seen what is seldom seen, a beautiful rainbow, directly in the North. It was visible about 11 A. M. the plainest.

Our village school commenced Monday with Supt. Stewart and assistant Miss Kittie Clark at the helm.

G. C. Arner went to Milan Monday to visit friends.

Misses Allie Arner and Libbie Emmons returned from their holiday visit with friends at Matawan and Coldwater on Monday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jones went to Ypsilanti Saturday to attend the funeral of their cousin Miss Emma Hall. She was an Indian missionary in New Mexico. She died Saturday Dec. 27th after a short sickness, with heart disease. The remains were sent to her home at Ypsilanti, and the funeral was held at her residence on Pearl St. Saturday afternoon. She leaves a large circle of friends who mourn her loss.

Sunday evening, Dec. 28th, Prof. H. C. Wilson and Miss Aggie Willett of Blissfield, were united in marriage at the M. E. church, Blissfield, by Rev. E. A. Bray, after the evening service. They, in company with his brother, Prof. E. A. Wison and wife of Vassar, attended the Teacher's State Institute at Lansing, Monday and Tuesday, returning to his home at Ridgeway, Wednesday, Dec. 31st. His parents made them a reception on New Years night when friends upward of 50 or more, gathered to congratulate the Prof. and spent the evening very pleasantly. Refreshments were served, after which Misses Belle Barlow and Ella Jackson furnished some music, when all wished the Prof. and his bride a happy journey through life and departed for their several homes. The Prof. returned to Blissfield Friday and commenced his school Jan. 5th, with a new zeal.

The Literary will hold its next meeting Friday evening, Jan. 16, in Waring's Hall, when the following Program will be carried out:

Music—Society.
Prayer—Rev. W. J. Clack.
Recitation—Miss Linnie Corvell.
Declamation—Ellsworth Wilson.
Music—Miss Minnie Barrett.
Reading—Dr. R. H. Nelson.
Recitation—Miss Fannie Schwab.
Music—Lou Arner.
Essay—Miss Ella Cadmus.
Dialogue—By three Boys.
Recess of ten minutes.
Music—Miss Ella L. Jackson.
Debate—Resolved, That the right of suffrage should be given to women. Aff.—Martin Palmer. Neg.—William Stewart.

A collection will be taken to defray the necessary expenses.

BY ORDER OF COM.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

What will the New Year bring me? is a query that doubtless haunts the minds of most of us when we cross time's threshold and hurry forward to meet a baggage train, never derailed by mis-placed switches. As there was no fear of our daily express getting mislaid either, nothing was left to do but patronize rink and theatre. Fancy skaters, Paul and Mamie, exhibited feet-fall and a fair number of skillfully performed tricks on wheels, to a large assembly who gave their money and time freely during holiday week to rolling around the circle.

Monday evening the Firemen were welcomed by a full house, and probably played as well as expected for the hall was again packed Friday night, when the play was repeated. The hall was refitted and scenery painted by McColl for the occasion, and to Robert Irwin Post G. & M. belong the glory and cash. Good music was contributed by Hart Brothers, but the Firemen have a just claim to all criticism offered them, and good natured ly refuse to relinquish their right.

We have no Farmer's Social Club or Literary society organized yet, but people off their skates are debating this question: Is a wife's exclusive ownership of a home, her husband has paid for, or vice versa, as conclusive to the welfare of a family, as equal property interests? Will the Griswold—Fisher—combinations lend us their opinion of one-sided absolute home rule.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Snows, mud, rain, froze.

The Bohemia-noat man is numerous.

The side-track is completed and the depot building is daily expected. It is said to be all framed ready to put together when it arrives. Although the weather was not favorable yet the people turned out and did the grading in four days, last week, with teams and scrapers.

We are pleased to learn by the newspapers, that so many men are resuming work in the factory's of the east, and that nearly all kinds of produce is advancing in price. It begins to look as if we had passed the worst of the hard times. We ought to profit by such lessons.

Charles Manly, whose illness we mentioned last week, died on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. He was about 13 years of age. The funeral was on Monday. Rev. Mr. Storms conducted the service. It was attended by all his school mates, the teacher dismissing school so that the scholars might pay their last respects to their companion who was so suddenly called from among them. The doctors differed as to the nature of his malady, but he suffered terribly.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

The dancing party at Ayer's Hall, on New Year's night, was a failure on account of bad roads.

There is to be a club dance at the Springville Hotel, on Friday evening, the 9th.

The Ayer's Hall is now in order for the Skating Rink, having placed a new maple floor there.

Chas E. Smith of Tecumseh, was here visiting his parents on Sunday.

Anson Ayers is confined to his house with rheumatism.

The Methodist church is still on the increase in attendance under the preaching of Mr. Storms.

Chas. Vaughn and Willie Breese returned on Monday to attend the Raisin Valley Seminary.

Miss M. Booher spent a day last week visiting Mrs. Hannibal Coborn of Franklin, one of her old mates.

The opening of the Springville Skating Rink on Monday evening, was a grand success. There was over one hundred in attendance; some sixty were on skates. Wednesday and Friday evenings there is to be another exhibition.

The past week has been very quiet; bad roads and more or less rain keeps people at home.

H. R. Case has been around and bought the best of the live hogs about here; he shipped a carload from Brooklyn, Tuesday P. M.

Wheat is on the advance, bringing 75cts. in this market. As confidence is restored all things will advance in price.

ONSTED ODDS.

What the young people of Onsted sigh for now is a skating rink.

There is some talk of forming a stock company to build a store to rent.

Benjamin Hines is building an addition to his house.

George Onsted Sr. is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs. L. H. Sheeler has been quite sick but is slowly recovering.

We hear that Henry Sickner offers his place for sale.

Frank Glenn, of Chicago, who came home to visit his parents, was taken sick last Sunday. At present he is better with good prospects for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Daniels have just returned from Battle Creek and Marshall and vicinity, where they have been to visit friends.

Fred Glenn went to Fowlerville nearly two weeks ago with a horse and cutter. As he has not yet returned, we suppose he is waiting for it to snow.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

B. F. Norcross has his instrument in and it works fine.

Can't some one cut in at the corner?

Congregational social at T. M. Hamburn's Thursday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Pawson will have an auction sale of goods on Friday.

School commenced last Monday in the Newburg district with Dave Haggart wielding the rod.

There are now twenty-five operators on the C. T. line.

Farmers are not advertising sales one quarter off, but they are selling wheat on that basis.

Mrs. Almira McCollum returned Saturday from Hudson.

Chas., son of F. and H. Manley, died last Saturday.

A private letter from Mart Whelan, Florida, reported him as settled on his farm there and doing well, but had rather live in Michigan.

Mrs J. F. N Bowen out of curiosity kept a record of her baking for the year '84, which shows it takes something to satisfy the inner man. This is for a family of eight on the average. Loaves bread 437. Pies 173. Doughnuts 845. Cookies 3,003. Cakes 124.—This is saying nothing about meats, biscuit, vegetables, puddings etc.

They have the side track built at Tipton.

The following is the meterological report for the week ending Tuesday, Jan. 6, as taken by L. G. North M. D.:

Max. temperature, Tues. 53°
Min. " " Thus. 5°
Rain .84.
Prevailing winds S. & S. W
Bar. range .81,
Max. barometer, Friday 29.65.
Min. " " Wed. 28.84.

TALK OF THE TIMES.

Under this heading the CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS has introduced a novel and exceedingly valuable feature. In these days of constantly increasing development of telegraphic communication the world over it is becoming more and more a question among newspaper readers as to what they shall *not* read as well as what they shall. The Editor of to-day is expected to save his readers reading as well as to give it. With an understanding of these new conditions the progressive Editor of the CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS presents each week a short, condensed chapter which recounts the world's history during the preceding week, on all the most important subjects of general interest to American readers. The work is admirably done and exactly meets what the busy American reader requires.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 8, 1885

LINES TO MY SPRING OVERCOAT.

Thou hateful thing!
Oh, I could smite thee with a tongue of brass,
But words are futile and so—but out it pass!
For thou art only false as other men,
I hate thee not as I do Lent—thee then,
Early last spring.

Why, false one, see!
Then once was warm enough for any clime
And now, how slight art thou—that sweet
time—
In August last, when sunstrokes filled the
sky,
And for the sake of other coats I wore thee
by:
Thou smotherest me!

And now! the breath
Of chill November makes me wish thee warm:
Dead leaves in shivering eddies 'round me
swarm:
Thou art as cold as frigid Greenland's snows,
And every one who sees thee laughs and
knows
I'm freeze to death.

—*Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.*

SQUAW'S ROCK.

The Tragic Events from Which It Took Its Name.

Those who are acquainted with the upper portion of the Russian River Valley can not have failed to remark a peculiarly precipitous bluff, some five hundred feet in height, which overhangs the western bank of the stream at a point about ten miles north of Cloverdale and six of seven from Hopland or Sanel. Those who have ridden in the stage from Cloverdale to Ukiah at the present day over the new toll-road running along the eastern bank of the river, gain a clear view of this precipitous bluff while passing over that portion of the road known as the Blue Slide—a geological freak which lies just opposite to Squaw's Rock, and has acquired its reputation from the glacier-like movement of the blue clay composing that portion of the river-ward slope, necessitating continued repairs of the roadway, and constituting the acme of thorn in the side of the stage drivers who ply between Cloverdale and Ed River. Either the driver or some fellow passenger, if you happen to be traveling on the stage, will probably volunteer to give you the traditional particulars of how the Squaw's Rock acquired its name. These particulars, however, are usually extremely meagre, and all that seems to be certainly known about the matter is that, some forty years ago—before the discovery of gold, in fact, and when white settlers were few and far between—an Indian maiden was beloved by a white youth, the affection being mutual, but distasteful to the maiden's tribe, who put every obstacle in the way of a union; that the maiden was eventually compelled to marry a suitor chosen for her by the tribe, and that, in a fit of despair, she threw herself, like another Sappho, from the top of the precipice which bears her name, and was dashed to pieces on the bowlders of the river's bed. This poetic legend might still have remained shrouded in historic vagueness had not chance thrown me in the way of obtaining further particulars from an authentic source, which invested the story with a tragic and dramatic force which was not hinted at in its original form.

Some years ago, while living in the neighborhood of Cloverdale, I made the acquaintance of an Indian of more than ordinary intelligence, whose natural reticence was thawed by some services which I was enabled to do him, and whose confidence I won far enough to succeed in making him unfold in a disjointed manner the real history of the occurrences from which Squaw's Rock took its name, and which I now reproduce for the benefit of my readers, weaving the story into a more connected form than was given me by old Santiago.

It was some time in the twenties that John Willard, the captain of a trader, who brought the commodities of civilized life into Monterey, and there bartered them for hides, got tired of his seafaring life, as many more have done before and after him in California, married himself to a senorita with broad acres and fat kine, and settled down into a steady-going rancher in the valley of the Russian River. A son was born to the pair, a stalwart youth, whose robust, out-of-door vaquero life made him both strong and handsome. It was universally conceded that Frank Willard, at the age of twenty, was as fine a specimen of a youth as could be found north of the bay, or, for that matter, south of it either. His free and generous disposition made him as great a favorite with the male portion of the community as his good looks did with the female. Of course, at that susceptible age it was only natural that he should pay particular attention to the latter, and as compatriots of his own station were not numerous in those thinly settled regions, perhaps it was but natural that he should cast his eyes upon such females as there were. The paternal hacienda of the Willards lay in the neighborhood of the Healdsburg of the present day; and to the north in the vicinity of Sanel and Ukiah there dwelt at that time a strong tribe of Indians, remarkable for fine physique and in all respects considerably above the average of Californian aborigines. During one of his equestrian wanderings young Frank Willard came upon one of the rancherias of this tribe, at that time situated upon the western bank of the Russian River, and within a few hundred yards of the precipice now known as Squaw's Rock. It was there that he encountered Benita, daughter of Big Bull, one of the sub-chiefs of the tribe, a maiden of rare beauty, with a complexion as pure and clear as a Castilian and a form of wonderful symmetry and grace. At that impressionable age to see was to love. Young Willard saw his fate, and the flame was reciprocated. But there were the usual difficulties in the way. Not only were the youth's parents scandalized beyond expression at the idea of their son allying himself to an Indian, but the Indians themselves, with true tribal pride, resented the idea of such a union. Still love, as usual, laughed at locksmiths, and Frank's absence from the hacienda upon riding expeditions of questionable utility became more and more noticeable as the weeks wore on. There were stolen interviews with Benita in the chaparral near the rancheria, at one of which the loving couple were surprised by the old chief, when Frank was warned that such interviews must cease forever, under pain of the direst resentment of the tribe. The fair Benita had, he was told, been betrothed to Domingo, a gallant of her race, and the nuptial ceremony was to be performed in the course of a week, on which occasion a grand fandango was to be held, at which the whole tribe would participate. From that time forth Benita was not permitted to go outside the bounds of the rancheria, though a solitary horseman, presumed to be Frank Willard, could still be seen daily riding among the adjacent hills. At length the day of the fandango arrived. The large adobe building in which the orgy was to be held, was filled at an early hour of the evening with as motley an assemblage of squaws and bucks as ever appeared at such a gathering. The weeping Benita was led in, bedecked with as much poor finery as the wardrobe of the tribe afforded, and at her side stood Domingo with a triumphant expression on his coarse and repulsive countenance. Dancing was engaged in around a fire built on the ground in the center of the building (it was winter), the smoke from which ascended in wreaths to the cone-shaped ceiling through a hole in which it issued to the open air. Squaws danced with squaws, and bucks with bucks, as the invariable custom is. Under the influence of agardiente, of which there was a liberal supply, the orgy waxed wild and furious. Suddenly it was remarked that Benita had disappeared while Domingo was engaged in dancing. In an instant a deafening howl was set up, and the motley gathering rushed pell-mell from the building, spreading hither and thither with pine torches and glowing firebrands in quest of the missing maiden. Presently a shout went up from an outlying quarter. A general rush was made thither. Just at the limits of the rancheria stood a horse, on which was seated Frank Willard, while running towards it, and now only a few yards away, appeared Benita. A second or two more and she would have reached the horse and been swung into the saddle by the strong arm of her lover, when, hapless fate! an arrow whizzed through the air, piercing the flank of the animal. With a bound the spirited beast leaped forward, the abrupt movement throwing the poor youth out of the saddle. In an instant he was on his feet, with one arm round the maiden, while with his revolver he covered the approaching Indians. Six shots rang out in sharp succession, and three swarthy forms fell groaning to the ground. But what chance had the poor boy against the superior numbers of the now maddened barbarians? Frank was quickly overpowered, bound with rushes, and a council held over his prostrate body. Some counseled despatching him instantly then and there, but this was overruled by the older heads of the tribe.

After a short consultation, four of the stoutest Indians raised him from the ground and began to bear him out of the rancheria. They took the direction of the river, making straight for the precipice which overhangs it at a height of 500 feet, followed by the entire tribe. Arrived at the edge of the bluff, the two stoutest Indians took the body of the youth by the head and feet, and swinging him backward and forward three times launched him out into the stream, whose hoarse murmur could be heard 500 feet below. The next instant a female figure sprang forward from the throng of Indians that had pressed close up to the brink of the precipice, and, with a wild, despairing shriek, leaped down after the body of her lover.

It was Benita. Her body was found next morning, dashed into an unrecognizable mass upon the bowlders below.

The body of poor Frank Willard was found a few days later some miles down the stream, caught on a snag below where Cloverdale now is. There were no marks of violence on it, as he had been swung clear into the river, which was then in flood, and as the rushes with which he had been bound had been washed off there was no evidence that he had been murdered in the way he was. It was thought he had been wounded while attempting to ford the swollen stream. It was early in the forties when the incident happened. Most of those who took part in it are, doubtless, by this time either dead or dispersed. My informant, old Santiago, did not admit having taken any overt part in the matter, so I could only thank him for his narrative, and for having given new interest to the precipice known as the Squaw's Rock.—*Robert Duncan Milne, in San Francisco Argonaut.*

—The Kansas Supreme Court's decision that a husband is not responsible for slanderous words spoken by his wife when he was not present, seems to assume that he would be responsible if present. It was the old common law right of the husband to restrain his wife's tongue by personal chastisement that made him responsible for his wife's utterances. Since that right has been abolished, there seems to be no basis for holding him responsible for what she says whether he is present or absent. It would be a solemn mockery for the law to presume that the mere presence of a meek and bald-headed husband can silence a wife when she is inclined to do the talking for the whole family.—*St. Louis Post-Dispatch.*

—Proprietor Singerly, of the Philadelphia *Record*, who is singularly fond of real estate investments, owns two hundred and fifty houses in the Quaker City, and proposes to build seven hundred and fifty more, at an average cost of six thousand dollars each.

—To avoid potato scab, select seed free of the scab and plant as much as possible on new soil.

A LAND OF ALL LANDS.

Louisiana the Most Cosmopolitan State on the Continent.

If the great World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition was located in New Orleans for no other reason, the widely diversified and cosmopolitan character of its inhabitants would be reason enough. Not in any other city on this continent are as many nations and peoples gathered together, maintaining their national individual characteristics, and at the same time blending as part of a generous American citizenship.

While Germany and Great Britain are largely in excess of all other nationalities, France is not far behind in point of influence, and these three form the controlling sentiment in our foreign-born element, and are notably powerful in local politics. In our census returns, however, there are no blanks. Any nation that has representation in any State of the Union is represented here. Settled by the French a little more than a century and three-quarters ago, Louisiana early absorbed large numbers of German and Spanish, and East and West India people. Her German coast and lake and Bayou des Allemands bear testimony to the staying qualities of the former. The Spaniards have vividly impressed their individuality upon the most permanent of our past century development, while all over the State, from La Chinch to Barataria, still exist the groups of people, close keeping and isolated, who attest the tenacity of the latter's growth when transplanted upon our soil.

A large Italian colony, many thousands strong, monopolize the retailing of nuts and fruits. Austrians, Turks and Greeks by the hundreds haunt our waterways and gulf coast, our fishing banks and our oyster reefs, where the Chandaleurs doubtless remind them of their own archipelago on the island-dotted coast of the Western Adriatic. The Canary Islanders of St. Bernard divide their time between gardening and fishing. The Frenchmen from the Pyrenees—the Gascons—are the meat-sellers of the markets. The red signs of the industrious Chinese washermen are conspicuous in a hundred places in the city. The colony of Choctaws from their tribal commune across the lake, in St. Tammany, supply the market with baskets and bead-work and herbs and medicine roots. Perhaps the only well-kept Greek Church on the continent is maintained here by the Russian colony, where strangers are welcomed with the traditional hospitality of this faithful people. Of Mexicans, Cubans and Central and North Americans, many hundreds here are our cigar-makers and sellers. A Malay colony was planted on the shores of Barataria Bay many years before the war. They live by themselves under their own strict rules, knowing no law and violating none, selling fish to the city markets, and comfortable in their bamboo-thatched cabins built after the model of those of their ancestors a thousand years ago.

Representatives of the most enlightened of these nations have their social and benevolent organizations—the British, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese, Russian, German, Scandinavian, etc.—and will be prepared to extend to their fellow-countrymen a sincere and hospitable welcome as they come hither to attend the Exposition. No one can come here from abroad without the greeting of his own spoken tongue, and the hearty tender of hospitality's bread and salt—even though they come from far Cathay, from frozen Greenland or the sands of Araby.

In this connection some figures may be interesting. The census of 1880 gives Louisiana a population of about 940,000, of which there is an excess of 2,500 females over males. Of this 940,000, 455,000 are white and 484,000 colored. Of this white 455,000, nearly 55,000 are of foreign birth. Of this 460,000 white people remaining, 342,000 are natives of this State, leaving 58,000 to be credited to the various other States of the Union; 15,000 of this came from Mississippi and 10,000 from Alabama. The other 33,000 are divided among all the other States and Territories. There are 2,800 New Yorkers and 1,300 Ohio people. Massachusetts, Indiana and Illinois each has 600, Maine 300, New Hampshire and Vermont a trifle over 100 each, and so on. The children of these States domiciled in Louisiana, and part of her proud and loyal citizenship are already forming their State associations to welcome hither and care for the people of the places of their birth.

The Exposition will bring to New Orleans for the first time in their lives hundreds of thousands of people to whom all our ways are new and strange—people to whom this is a veritable El Dorado, full of marvelous sweetness of climate and temperature, and of unbounded wealth of agricultural and industrial possibilities. They will be charmed at the social harmony of our community, its complete unity of purposes and interests, and yet astonished that their ideas find tongue in every language spoken in the known world. All nations will find a welcoming voice in familiar tones. Every hillside of New England and every Western prairie has its representatives holding welcome, and all dwelling happily together in a community where each maintains for all others the most complete freedom of thought and action, rendering too happy ever to go away from it the dwellers in this golden Southland of perennial summer.—*Cor. Louisville Courier-Journal.*

A MOLE-CATCHER.

A Man Who Never Grows Weary of His Singular Occupation.

A mole catcher is a picturesque personage, more interesting in his life and surroundings than many better known or prettier types of life. He can hold his own with many gamekeepers and the country characters which abound where leaves are green and fields are plowed and waters are clear, though he has nothing more terrible to hide in the earth than a wooden trap, and all the skill he possesses is his own experience of cunning. He follows his work as silent as the moles themselves, and his humble earnestness would stand many a preacher in good stead. We might, with a little wit, make fun of his old clothes, his leather gaiters, his soiled knees, his battered hat and rough hands, and compare him to a scarecrow; but the moment we talk to him we find what a store of strange observations have been gathered up by those cute eyes, observations which his wife at night by the fireside alone shares, and we begin to consider what an immense debt we dwellers in cities owe this rustic for keeping down the moles and preserving the crops. As you travel on the highway you see the rude mole-catcher down on his knees at work, with his hands in the soil blessing the ground by playing havoc with the black vermin; and wherever the marks of his knees have been the land progresses, and grows green in springs. His hands are so stiff with rheumatics that they can hardly close and his eyes are always among his feet, "as if," he says with a wan smile, "he was in search of half a crown he had lost in his young days." Yet in fact his occupation is an artificial one, and has been brought about by high farming and game preservation. "Weasels," he remarks, "destroy moles like smoke. God has aye one vermin to keep down another!" The gamekeepers having destroyed many weasels, artificial means have to be taken to destroy moles. Looking from the window of a railway carriage at a solitary figure on the fields, you would think he was about the most lonely and wearisome work on the face of the earth; but old Jim says: "Man, I never weary. I'm aye seeing something new. Faith, the moles'll no allow one to be idle or weary. So I whiles think my auld watch has ta'en fright an' leaped an hour or two, the time flees by so quick. You set a man to kill moles, an', faith, he'll never weary." "It's fine," continued he, and the remark was that of a healthy man, "it's fine to be tired at nights after a long and a hard day's work, and to fa' asleep as your cheek kisses the pillow. A hard day's work has a good night's rest." Any open-air work like mole-catching makes one sane-minded and moderate in thought, and gives one a natural life.—*Good Words.*

A RAVENOUS APPETITE.

The Show Elephant That Eats Tobacco and Woolen Clothing.

"Yes, Gypsy here has some queer tastes and habits."

The speaker was the manager of a circus which is quartered in this city for the winter. The Gypsy referred to was a large-sized nine-year old elephant who stood close by, playfully throwing hay over his back. A few minutes before the manager had dropped from his pocket a briar-wood pipe that had seen over a year of service and was by no means sweet. Gypsy saw the tempting morsel, and calmly reached out his trunk for it, put it into his mouth, crunched it up, and while doing so rolled his eyes about with every appearance of satisfaction.

"Gypsy," continued the manager, "has exploded the theory that all elephants hate tobacco. A common idea used to prevail that if a person gave an elephant any of the weed the animal would never forget the insult and would have its revenge if it took years to accomplish it. I have given Gypsy pound after pound of plug and fine-cut, and instead of resenting it he, figuratively speaking, cries for more."

"Has he a fondness for eating any other odd things?"

"Yes. He is like the camel which Mark Twain describes that chewed up Mark's coat. We do not dare to leave any old clothes lying within reach of his trunk. Gypsy will take just about three minutes to get away with a coat. A pair of pants will disappear down his throat in just four minutes, and he will masticate an overcoat in about ten minutes."

"Has he any preferences as to the quality of the goods?"

"I never noticed that it made any difference whether they were imported or domestic, basket pattern or corkscrew. I have remarked, however, that if the garment was old and greasy Gypsy seemed to tackle it with greater zest than if it were new.

"But I wish you could be here in the morning when he gets up. You see, the keeper of the animals makes his bed on the ground in the near vicinity of the cages. Gypsy always lies down on his bed of straw close by. In the morning, when he thinks it is time to be up and stirring, the animal will reach over with his trunk and run it over the keeper. If that fails to awake him the elephant will pull the bed-clothes off, and he will keep that racket up until the man is fully aroused."

"Yes," spoke up the keeper, who stood near, "and he has a bad habit of nearly always waking up about an hour before I am ready to get up. It's no use kicking, though, for he is a very determined animal and always has his own way."—*Philadelphia Times.*

JENKINS' EARS.

How It Caused a War Between England and Spain.

On April 9, 1731, the English vessel Rebecca, Captain Jenkins, is visited by the coastguards of Havana, who accuse the Captain of smuggling military goods. They find none on board, but they ill-treat him by hanging him first to the yard and fastening the cabin boy to his feet. The rope breaks, however, and they then proceed to cut off one of his ears, telling him to take it to his King. Jenkins returns to London and claims vengeance. Pope writes verses about his ear, but England does not choose to quarrel with Spain just then, and all is apparently forgotten. Eight years after some insults offered by the Spaniards to English vessels brought up again, the topic of Jenkins' ear. He had preserved it in wadding. The sailors wept about London wearing the inscription "Ear to ear" on their hats. The large merchants and ship owners espoused their cause. William Pitt and the Nation in general desire war with Spain, and Walpole is forced to declare it. The consequences are but too well known. Bloodshed all over the world, on land and sea. Jenkins' ear is indeed avenged. If the English people were poetical, says Carlyle, this ear would have become a constellation, like Berenice's Crown.—*Contemporary Review.*

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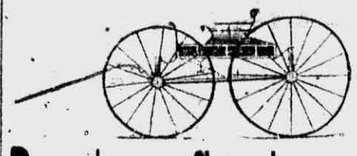

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—The professor of anatomy at Edinburgh University is paid $16,000 a year.

—No student in Tulane University is permitted to pursue more than four studies.

—William H. Vanderbilt has given $500,000 as a building fund to the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Robert J. Burdette, the *Hawkeye* humorist, has presented to the Baptist Church of Lower Merion, Pa., a church bell in memory of his wife.

—The Salvation Army claims that its colors are flying in nineteen different countries, and that it prints eighteen journals in six different languages.

—It is estimated that the South is spending to-day twice as much as it did five years ago for education, and four times as much as it spent in 1870.

—There is a Methodist preacher in Phillipsport, Pa., who travels over forty-five miles on his Sunday circuit, holding four services. His salary is only $200 a year.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

—The conductors of the Palestine Survey Expedition think they have identified the sepulcher of Joseph of Arimathea, in which our Lord was laid after the crucifixion.

—Mr. Ayer, a wealthy grocer of Boston, has built on the Back Bay section of that city a $250,000 pile of granite, the "First Spiritual Temple," to be used by the Spiritualists.

—The benevolent contributions of the Presbytery of New York for the past year foot up a total of $748,874.47. Of this total there was for foreign missions, $82,142; home missions, $88,022; and church erection, $31,562.

—Before the apostles of the New Education proceed further they should devise some policy whereby students, on entering college, may be made to regard their college-work as seriously as an apprentice does his on entering a shop.—*Current.*

—The journal of the Twelfth Annual Council of the Episcopal Diocese of Arkansas gives the following figures: Clergy, including the Bishop, 14; parishes, 18; baptisms, 156; confirmations, 58; communicants, 1,171; Sunday-school scholars, 801; contributions, $12,805.

—The *Christian at Work* says that eight hundred thousand pupils have been taught in the different Methodist schools for the Freedmen during the past year. The receipts of their Freedmen's Aid society have been $450,000, invested in permanent school property; and the receipts of the year are $118,453.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—There are travelers who can not wait for a railroad war of rates. They are bound to go at any rate.

—"Why don't you literary men get rich?" asked a lady of a Bohemian. "I don't know," he replied, "unless it is that dollars and cents never go together."—*N. Y. Independent.*

—Many persons seem to imagine that they are always in an amphitheatre with the assembled world as spectators; whereas, all the while, they are playing to empty benches.—*Monthly Magazine.*

—"If you want to look for heroes in our days," says a woman writer, "you must look for them in the kitchen." That's where the policeman spends most of his time while on duty.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A favorite style: "Well, my daughter, your mother and I have been consulting recently about the windows for our new house. What kind would you like in the parlor?" "O, thank you, papa, for seeking my advice. I should prefer beau windows by all means."—*Boston Budget.*

—Health Hints: Never go to bed with your clothes on. Never sleep with your eyes open. Never drink a cocktail after dinner. Don't look down the barrels of a gun to see if it is loaded. Never kindle the fire with kerosene. Never fool with a buzz-saw. Never try to conciliate a strange dog with kind words.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—A little girl was told that she must not go to the currant bushes—that the currants would make her sick. She said she did not mean to, but Satan tempted her. "Why didn't you pray: 'Get thee behind me, Satan?'" asked her mother. "I did," was the reply, "and he got right behind me and pushed me into the bushes."

—Baby Mine with a Twist:

I've a letter from your sire,
Baby mine, baby mine,
And he says he'll come and see us
If he ever gets the time.
And he thinks far in the distance
He can see a coming day
When his very busy business
Will send him down this way.

And while the engine stops for water
Full six minutes and a half,
He will listen to the music
Of your winsome baby laugh.
Twice already he has seen you,
Twice has kissed your dimpled cheek.
How you grow, you little beauty,
One year old last Wednesday week.
—*Inter Ocean.*

—"Darling," he whispered, as the clock sadly struck two, and he still sat there trying to impress her with his love, "there is one thing I so much desire. Would you let me take something that would be eternally sweet to my remembrance?" "I don't know," she coyly replied, making a move as if to fall on a thirty-cent shirt-front, "but there is one thing you could take that will fill my happy cup to overflowing." "What is it, loved one?" ready to catch her; but only a cold answer came, that sounded like the bottom of a coal-box in December. "You might take your leave."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

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ESTATE OF CORNELIUS B. SUTTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Cornelius B. Sutton deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edgar C. Van Vleet, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased alleging among other things, that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration thus far incurred and all legacies except a contingent legacy, have been fully paid, and that all of said estate has been paid over and distributed to the parties entitled thereto, except said contingent legacy, that he is now ready to render his first account and prays that said account may be allowed.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan1

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Thomas Marshall deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Marshall, late of the township of Franklin, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Franklin, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of January, 1885, and on the 9th day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 10th day of November, A. D. 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated November 10, 1884.

DANIEL W. LOVE,
ELIAS DOPUY,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased, notice is hereby given that for that purpose we will meet at the office of E. B. & F. R. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 13th day of January, 1885, and on the 6th day of April, 1885 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1884, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated Oct. 30, 1884.

HORATIO KEYSER,
JEROME F. N. BOWEN,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Rufus R. Hall, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Rufus R. Hall, late of Tecumseh, in said county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of E. B. and F. R. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 3d day of January, 1885, and on the 3d day of May, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days and that six months from the 3d day of November, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Nov. 19, 1884.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
AUSTIN G. HALL,
Commissioners.
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ESTATE OF ERASTUS N. NICHOLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 26th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Lucius Lilley, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for the allowance of his second annual account, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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The bottom has been struck at last, in trade, and prices are again on the rise.

Will Gov. Cleveland attend John Kelly's political funeral? This question demands an immediate reply.

Gov. Alger can now sympathize with Gov. Cleveland. What a nice thing it is to be a dispenser of the offices.

At last Ben. Butler has been heard from. He denies the rumor that he is about to embark in the book business.

A Republican paper down in Pennsylvania sagely observes that Henry Ward Beecher still expects to go to heaven.

The epidemic which threatened to depopulate the state's prison has happily been checked. Gov. Alger has taken the helm.

The editor of an Ohio paper declares that he wants no more wood on subscription. For a regular diet he prefers some other food.

Among the good things accomplished in the whirligig of the last campaign is the collapse of John Kelly and the crippling of Tammany Hall.

Gen. Grant faced the rebels for four years, and never quailed in battle.—But he is now wrestling with five physicians, and the poor old veteran is getting the worst of it.

Gov. Begole has retired. He has done some good things and made some mistakes. His administration will stand as an illustration of the folly of attempting to make a square peg fit into a round hole.

Gov. R. A. Alger—We take off our hat and tender our politest bow.—May our beautiful state prosper under your guidance and may your name be enrolled among the best of Michigan's governors.

A newspaper philosopher in Kansas says that there is a wide unfathomable chasm between what you want and what you get. That is true.—Blaine *wanted* to get to the White House, but he *got* left.

Sam. Randall is growing aristocratic since his trip through the South.—He appeared in the House last Monday attired in a brand new suit of clothes, with a fashionable stand-up collar on and his boots blacked.

Our legislative Solons have gathered at Lansing and the legislative mill will soon begin to grind. Let us hope that the members will leave their political garments at home. Give us a short, practical, business session.

John R. McLean, of the Cincinnati Enquirer, on the eve of his departure to visit Gov. Cleveland, gave his bride a necklace of forty-one diamonds worth $80,000. Well! Well! This should be a warning to young ladies to choose editors above all other men.

Let congress come to the relief of that noble old soldier, Gen. Grant, without delay. Let party bickerings cease for one day, and let both Houses unanimously pass a liberal pension bill for his benefit. The American Republic must not suffer the disgrace of allowing the foremost soldier of the present age to become an object of charity.

Gov. Cleveland's letter to the civil service reformers has the ring of the true metal. Fidelity to duty and fitness for the position will be the test of official merit. The shibboleth of his administration will be this: Public office is a public trust. If Gov. Cleveland will sharpen his hatchet and hew to this line, he will be the strongest and most popular President since Abraham Lincoln.

The New York Sun observes: And suppose that at the right time it should be made to appear to the satisfaction of Mr. Cleveland that the whole mass of Federal officeholders, "instead of being decent public servants, have proved themselves offensive partisans and unscrupulous manipulators of local party management," wouldn't they all have to be turned out?—Wouldn't everybody be satisfied then, except the men removed? The civil service reformers would be pleased, and the Democrats who got the places would be reconciled, and an era of general good feeling would set in.

MASONIC INSTALLATION.

The Masonic Lodge of Tecumseh held a public installation and festival last Friday evening. The lodge room was tastefully decorated with evergreens and extra seating was provided for those in attendance.

Shortly after seven o'clock the assemblage was called to order and the following program was prosecuted:

Quartette, by Geo. Tansley, James Stevens, Mrs. L. I. Bidwell and Miss Bertha DeWolf, with Miss Jennie Root at the organ.
Prayer—Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.
Address—By Rev. Mr. Hudson.
Solo—Miss Mollie Kemp.
Installation of officers by Lucius Lilley.
Music by Cornet Band.
Refreshments and Social.

The entire affair was finely arranged and very handsomely executed. The music was good, the oration excellent, and the installation ceremony was rendered by Mr. Lilley in his usual happy manner. Among the visiting brethern present was W. David Woodward of Clinton. The list of officers installed appeared in last week's HERALD. The refreshments were abundant in quantity and excellent in quality. In addition to the members of the Lodge and their lady friends a large number of outsiders were present, who seemed to enter heartily into the enjoyment of the occasion. The members of the order certainly have reason to feel satisfied with the manner in which the entertainment was carried out. For the benefit of those who were not present, we have obtained Mr. Hudson's oration, which we herewith present in full.

THE INFLUENCE OF MASONRY.

Upon no theme can we find more diverse, not to say contradictory, opinions than upon Masonry. Many people—good people—and perfectly honest and intelligent are dead sure that the whole system is evil and only evil. They really imagine that it is a kind of Pandora's Box, replete with every evil that can menace the peace of the state and the welfare of society. Other people, just as honest and just as intelligent, speak of the system in the highest terms. They affirm that they know whereof they speak, and and that they find no evil in it at all.

It may, yea it must seem strange to the uninitiated that there should be such diverse opinions about that which is good. They reason something like this: "If the system is clearly good why cannot all people see it alike? People are not accustomed to contend about the sunlight, whether it is light or darkness." Very true, but suppose that some of them are in the dark while others have the light. Those in the dark would hardly be expected to enter into encomiums upon the light they do not see. So with Masonry.

The adverse criticisms upon Masonry come from those who do not know the system. I need not remind you that it is not open to the eyes of the curious. For good reasons it is a secret organization. Now you know that there is a class of people who are trying to pry into every secret, and peer into every unexplored corner. If they are unable to penetrate the veil which obscures their vision, they set imagination to work to fill up the realm beyond with conjectures. And the more impenetrable the mystery, the darker and the more terrible are their conjectures. They deal thus with Masonry. Here they say "is a system which is veiled by the sworn secrecy of its members." It must be an awful system, else why so carefully veiled. Then they conjecture, and surmise, and suspicion. They give imagination unbridled rein. We need not wonder therefore, that they give the system a terrible character. You all know what terrible work a lively imagination can make, when entirely divorced from facts. I am not surprised at the reputation which such people give to Masonry. I am only surprised that they have not painted it darker. I wonder that the *quid nunes* have not painted it as all as a set of terrible beasts, howling about the full moon of every month to regale ourselves on human flesh. Such people are capable of distorting anything which they cannot understand.

The criticisms and opinions of such people have awakened prejudices in the public mind against our Fraternity. There is no disguising the fact that many look upon us with fear and apprehension. They regard us as a kind of "kingdom within a kingdom," an element banded together to promote our selfish interests at the expense of the rest of humanity. Then, of course, we must admit that we have had some unwise defenders, worse still, we have had a great many unw thy members whose lives have brought a reproach upon us. Put all these things together and we can readily understand why many good people should be more or less afraid to have anything to do with us.

I confess to you to-night, that your speaker entered the lodge the first time with considerable of hesitancy and misgiving. I had long held the determination to become a mason, but so many good people had said such hard things about Masonry that I scarcely knew what to think. Some said: "Never enter a lodge; it is evil and only evil, and if you once get in there you cannot break away." Before I gained the consent of my better nature to enter, I had to resolve that if I found it as some of my best friends had warned me, an evil system, I would stop as soon as that fact should become manifest, and quit it forever. You see that I have not turned my back on the system yet. And I here affirm to-night, that I have yet to find the first thing in Masonry opposed to the conscientious discharge of my duties as a man, a citizen and a Christian.

Nor is this all. The more I know of the system, the more I admire it. I suppose that men can be masons without beholding any beauty in its workings. You know there are people who cannot see any beauty in the most exquisite piece of art. They can look on the thundering torrents of Niagara, or the snow capped summits of the Alps without any sense of grandeur and sublimity. Masonry cannot change this. But to him who has the windows of his higher nature open to receive the glimpses of grandeur and beauty and the lessons of wisdom, which struggle for an entrance, the workings of Masonry will ever be a profound study and delight.

Some have said of it "O, it is only a secular selfish institution, a kind of mutual benefit association." Well be it so. I have only this to offer, that if it be "secular" and "selfish," it has a wonderful sprinkling of the "religious" and "spiritual" in it. To some it may be simply a series of unmeaning ceremonies, and many may engage in them with no higher ambition than to gain the friendship and esprit de corps of the Fraternity, and reap what advantages they can from their connection with Masonry. We know that there are men who can see in the religion of Jesus Christ only a low, level, but we cannot, therefore, affirm that Christianity is only a secular institution. No more should any one affirm that Masonry is only a secular institution. I maintain that the system is replete with lessons of wisdom, and its ceremonies instinct with profoundest spiritual truths.

Masonry, as its name implies, is a system of instruction based on the operative masonic art. It makes every man a builder in a higher sense than working in brick and stone and mortar. It makes him the builder of a temple of virtue, it makes him a polisher of human character. It gives every man a work to accomplish. It lays down rules to enable him to accomplish that work. It gives him a goal to be reached. In short it gives every man an object to be attained and an ideal to be reached. It makes every tool of the masonic art an "object lesson" to impress some spiritual duty and truth. How such a system, which sets forth such worthy objects to be attained, and impresses the highest truths in such a simple way, can be called "secular" and "selfish" I cannot well understand.

I have often been asked why so many Methodist ministers are masons. I think I have the answer. Masonry is based on systematic work. It puts "method" into our work by giving us work and laying down rules for its accomplishment. Masonry teaches "method." Therefore it is easy for "Methodists" to be Masons.

Now let me briefly emphasize some of the teachings of Masonry.

IT TEACHES US OUR DUTY TO GOD.

1. The first lesson taught on coming into a masonic lodge is *trust in God*. And it is impressed in such a way as never to be forgotten. The candidate then learns that faith in God lies at the foundation of Masonry and of success in every important undertaking. When he goes further he learns that faith must govern in all his works. He is taught never to mention the name of God except with the profoundest reverence. Here let me remark that I have never been able to understand how any true mason can be guilty of profaning the name of God. It is wholly unmasonic and opposed to the plainest teachings which he has received. Again

2. Masonry teaches *reverence for God's revealed word*. In the lodge room the open Bible is never out of sight. It is recognized as the great Light of Masonry. Moreover, the ceremonies of the lodge trace very largely the thread of Old Testament history. I have no doubt that many who come into the lodge, learn more Bible history than they ever learned in all their lives before.

Thus Masonry is not agnostic, nor skeptical. It believes in divine revelation, in a God who has made known his will. It recognizes the Bible as our guide. It adores God as the great Architect and Governor of the Universe, who has laid down rules in the Bible to govern us in our lives. As the master-builder lays down designs on the trestle-board for his underworkmen, so has God according to the teachings of Masonry, laid down rules in the Bible to govern us, and guide us in the work of life.

3. *It leads to communion with God.* Along with trust in God, the Mason learns the duty of prayer. He is to call upon God to guide him in every undertaking. He is to call upon God for succor in time of danger. He is to implore God's blessing upon his brethern.

IT TEACHES US OUR DUTY TO OTHERS.

But Masonry does not stop with faith and piety. It does not teach a one-sided dogma. It teaches our duty to man as well as to God.

It is thought by some that Masonry affords a kind of protection to wrong doers; that masons are banded together against the state or for one another against the state and everybody else. They are banded together it is true; but Masonry takes it for granted that all who share its privileges will be peaceable, law abiding citizens. Indeed the true mason cannot be the disturber of the peace of society. He cannot plot against the laws of his country. He cannot be a murderer, or a libertine, or a brawler or a drunkard. One of the "lights" of masonry teaches him that he must circumscribe all his desires and keep every passion within due bounds. He cannot be a cheat and a swindler, or a liar or a slanderer, because another light of Masonry teaches him that he should square his life by the rules of virtue and honesty. By the level he is reminded that all men are created free and equal, and that he is not to hold himself above his fellow men. By the plumb he is admonished that he should walk upright before the world and before God. By the trowel he is reminded of the words of the Son of God: "Blessed are the peacemakers," and is admonished that instead of stirring up strife he is to allay strife and spread the cement of kindness in society everywhere.

I repeat it, Masonry lays the foundation of peace and good order in society by its lessons and its influence.

Again, Masonry is a charitable institution. The Mason is not to regard it a burden to serve a brother or to help the needy. He is to hold himself as the servant of all. He is to give of his time and his means to relieve the suffering, as far as he can without injury to himself. Can such an institution as this be detrimental to the welfare of society? Never. But especially is it true that

MASONRY TEACHES US OUR DUTY TO OURSELVES.

The great end of Masonry is to ennoble the individual life. It recognizes the fact that man is sinful, that he is like the rough block of stone from the quarry and needs shaping and polishing in order to fill his place in human society. The great aim of Masonry is to help each individual to shape and polish himself by divine grace and guidance until he is a beautiful, shapely stone, ready for his place in the great temple of human virtue. He is to knock off that evil habit of intemperance, and that other evil habit of profanity, and that other of dishonesty, and that other of lust. He is to discipline his body in useful toil, and his mind in useful study and work, until he is ready to be fitted into the temple of virtue, where there is no unsightliness.

But better than all, the mason has set before him the great fact of immortality. Though he is to polish himself for a place in the temple of virtue he is reminded that he has a greater destiny before him. Scarcely a masonic ceremony but reminds him of the life eternal. He is taught especially that in order to attain that life he must be faithful even unto death. He is made to understand impressively the Savior's words: "Whosoever will lose his life shall find it." From no other source does he behold the doctrine of the resurrection so impressively set forth. He hears constant illusion to the wonderful Temple of King Solomon. He is told that that Temple was built of stones all made ready in the quarries before they were brought to Jerusalem so that no sound of hammer was heard in its building. What a reminder that if he is to have a place at last in the great temple to be reared by the Supreme Architect in heaven, he must be prepared now. He must overcome sin now, he must subdue wicked passions now, he must root out evil desires now, and be all ready for his place in that glorious temple above.

To him who does not receive these lessons, these grand truths from the ancient, the impressive ceremonies of Masonry, they must be simply a routine of useless words and practices. If there be any such mason I pity him with all my heart. I never enter the lodge but these lessons come crowding in upon me, urging me to a more faithful christian endeavor to do well the works of life and be prepared for the temple in Heaven.

Many have said in my hearing from time to time, "If a man is a good Mason he need go no further." I think I can improve upon that. If a man is a good mason he will go further. If he be not a forgetful hearer but a doer of the teachings of his order, he will become a Christian. For to be a true mason, to receive all its lessons and obey all its teachings is to be a Christian.

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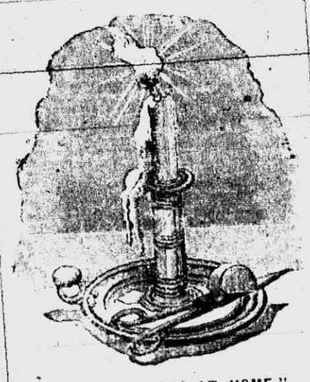

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Tecumseh, Dec. 4, 1884.

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Wm. Heck returned to-day from a few days' visit in Detroit and other places.

Frank Robbins and Miss Anna Robbins, of Cleveland, are in town on a brief visit.

Sheriff Whitmore has only made a few appointments thus far. H. Bowen is Under Sheriff, John H. Smith turnkey, F. D. Teachout and W. W. Burch, deputies.

WEDDING BELLS.

The residence of O. B. DeWolf was the scene of a most happy gathering last evening, the occasion being the marriage of his daughter, Bertha, to Sam A. James, of Detroit. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Mr. Conley. A large company participated in the festivities and all went as merry as a marriage bell. Among the guests from abroad may be mentioned Mrs. H. A. Clark, of Boston, Mrs. and R. Evans, Miss Montgomery, Frank Robbins and Miss Anna Robbins of Cleveland, Sumner Collins of Detroit, and Miss Alma Cogswell of Adrian.—In the array of costly bridal gifts the couple were kindly remembered, not only by family relatives, but by a host of other friends. The gifts included beautiful mementoes from the firm of which Mr. James is an employee and a handsome sum of ready cash from the bride's father. The bridal trip was condensed into a ride to Detroit, where the couple begin their new life to-day in rooms furnished for them by Mr. DeWolf. Formal congratulations and good wishes will but feebly express the sentiments of their friends. Both bride and groom are favorites in our society circles. Never did Tecumseh witness a more appropriate and happy connubial union, and never did a married couple leave our village with a heartier "God-speed," and with more sincere wishes for their temporal and spiritual welfare. May their future days continue to be as bright as the dawn of their married life.

A FINE RESIDENCE.

A. W. Slayton is putting the finishing touches on his new residence and will move early next week. The house is located on North Pearl street in a good quarter, and is one of the neatest in that portion of the village. It is constructed from plans drawn by A. C. Varney, the Detroit architect, who has made the plans for some of our finest buildings. It has a high, roomy basement, divided into two apartments. The ground floor contains a vestibule, parlor, family room, nursery and bath room, kitchen and two pantries. There are four large chambers on the second floor, each of which is provided with a clothes press. A water tank is placed on the upper floor, which is fed from the eaves and from which a pipe leads to the bath room. The kitchen and pantry have all the conveniences which a good housewife could desire, and the doors, casings and all inside wood work is in red oak finished in hard oil, which presents a most pleasing effect to the eye. The timber was culled by Mr. Slayton from his purchases out on the Wabash line. The entire house is heated by a Pearl furnace, every room being supplied with a hot air flue. Henry Mensing, now of Tecumseh, was the sole contractor, and Gas says he did a very satisfactory job. The Tecumseh Lumber Co. furnished the building material. Theo. Crane made the stairs and rail. J. T. Daglish did the oil finishing. Swan and Satterthwaite Bros. furnished the furnace and appliances. The yard in front of the house has been evenly graded and a lawn will be started in the spring. Altogether it is one of the best appointed dwelling houses of which Tecumseh can boast, and the HERALD sincerely hopes that the owner and his genial family may enjoy their domicile for many years to come.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 8, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Joe Wilson is giving his store a fresh coat of paint.

Summer Collins, of Detroit, is in Tecumseh to-day.

Fred Kloffenstein spent Sunday at his home in Ohio.

Mrs. S. M. Hill, of Toledo, is the guest of Mrs. Richard Ford this week.

We are under obligations to Congressman Eldredge for a copy of President Arthur's last message.

The "week of prayer" is appropriately observed this week at the Baptist and Presbyterian churches.

Palmyra has a depot at last and a real live station agent. The ancient town is reviving its youth and putting on airs.

C. E. Triplet, of Macon, will be the assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk in the lower House of the state legislature.

Treasurer Tribou will be at the HERALD office on Saturdays, Jan. 10, 17 and 24, to receive taxes from those who have not yet paid.

Our reliable clothing firm—Strong & McNair—announce a quarter-off sale in to-day's paper. Now is your time to buy clothing cheap.

Mrs. Mary Sands of Adrian started the fire in the cook stove with coal oil, and came very near climbing the golden stairs as the result of her folly.

Several of the G. A. R. boys will accompany Commander Hosmer to Addison to-morrow evening to help install the officers of Addison Post.

We call attention to the advertising card of Kelly, Hoxsie & Co. of Holloway, which appears on the 4th page. They propose selling out at cost figures.

The election of officers for 1885, of Tecumseh Lodge, 870, Knights of Honor, will be held next Monday evening, Jan. 12, at 8 o'clock sharp. Let evrey Knight be present.

Adrian Record: Jim Carey, of Tecumseh has a hairless dog and he already has burned four extra tons of coal in an effort to get the naked pup safely through the winter.

The winter term of the public schools opened last Monday with a large attendance in all the departments. There were several new enrollments of non-resident pupils.

Ed Koch, of Toledo, was in Tecumseh to attend the Masonic festival last Friday evening and remained with his friends here two or three days. He better move back here.

Miss Gussie Burlingame leaves Tecumseh to-day for Chicago and Carthage Mo., for a few weeks' visit. Mrs. S. H. Merritt and little Florence also take their departure for their home in Cadillac to-day.

The G. A. R. Posts of this section are endeavoring to charter a coach to go to New Orleans some time in February. If they are successful in their efforts, a number of the members of Beer's Post will enroll themselves in the company.

Leroy Blood, of Lansing, made a flying visit to Tecumseh yesterday to see Mr and Mrs. Jacob Tallman before their departure for the East. Five groceries have failed in Lansing within the last month, and hence business is hot in Leroy's establishment.

A correspondent of the Adrian Times says that Mr. T. T. Romeyn of Clinton township, who was 85 years old Dec. 27th, can read common print without the aid of glasses. It must be a great comfort to him in his declining years to be able to read so well.

Uncle John C. Palmer, of Ridgeway, although in his sixty-fifth year, is hale and hearty yet. He takes six papers and is always ready to subscribe for another. One of his sons has just entered Hillsdale College and expects to complete a course of study there.

We have received a copy of the Wabash red book, giving a discription of the Exposition buildings at New Orleans and the routes thither via the Wabash line. The Wabash sells tickets over twenty-eight different routes. The rate from Adrian for the round trip is $23.95.

The annual renting of the pews of the Baptist church will take place on Thursday next, Jan. 15th, commencing at two o'clock P. M. and continuing through the afternoon and evening. The ladies will serve a chicken pie supper, commencing at 4 o'clock and continuing through the evening. Everybody is invited.

Rev. G. W. Hudson has announced a series of sermons on the "Ten Commandments." It is to begin next Sunday with a sermon on "Modern Worship of the Golden Calf." Aside from the usual idea suggested by the decalogue, it will comprise the following interesting topics: "Adoration of Images and Relics," Sunday Laws and the Workingman," "Infanticide in America," "The evils of Mormonism," "The Divorce Evil" "Modern Fashionable Thieving" etc. Services begin at 7 P. M.

Wheat and pork are going up, which will make the heart of the farmer rejoice.

The total receipts of the Adrian post office for 1884, postal department, were $13,439 40.

We are indebted to Dr. H. D. Baker for a New Year's copy of the Fort Scott, Kansas, Monitor.

Lavern Wheeler has just completed a fine crayon portrait for Lt. Stanton of the West Lake St. police station, Chicago.

The Free Methodists, having rented the Universalist church for the time being, will hold a series of meetings next week, commencing Tuesday eve. Jan. 13, at 7 o'clock.

Miss Mabel Van Camp is meeting with the most gratifying success at the Cincinnati College of Music. She has sung in two grand concerts since going there and is engaged for two more.

Henry Mensing has taken contracts for building houses for Zach Snell and James Lowry. Mr. Mensing did the carpenter work on The Patterson and has just finished A. W. Slayton's new house.

A St. Louis editor, who started in business forty years ago, is now worth $100,000. His fortune is all due to his energy, industry and frugality and to the fact that an uncle recently left him $99,999.99.—Ex.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Aten were the recipients of many nice presents from their children and friends on New Year's day, the occasion being the birthday of Mr. Aten. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogilvie, Saginaw City, were among the guests.

Chas. Bidwell is a resident of Tecumseh once more. He has cuffed his last prisoner, served his last summons, and is again a private citizen, and a most worthy one. We hope he may find some congenial business in Tecumseh before long.

Mrs. Packard has kindly furnished us with late copies of the Sioux City Daily Journal. From these we learn that Rev. Wm. Grandy, former pastor of the Presbyterian church here, is stricken with a fatal illness and his demise is expected at any moment.

Elbridge Hyde has got out of jail at last. His four years' service as under Sheriff has proven him to be a most excellent officer and he retires with a clean record and esteemed by every one. We sincerely hope he may conclude to make Tecumseh his future home.

The 2d. anniversary of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church, will be held in the church next Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock. Reports will be read and an address will be delivered by Rev. J. B. Little of Adrian. A general invitation is extended.

Mr. Nelson Miller, of Macon, lost a horse last Saturday and concluded it had been stolen. A search was began by Sheriff Whitmore and the horse was found about a mile and a half West of this village. The thief must have become frightened and abandoned his booty.

Jerome Cleveland spent the fore part of last week at Grand Rapids, visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith, and the latter part at Ionia, visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ford. Al. has become quite an artist at sign painting and A. H. Ford may be seen at the bottom of most all the signs in the city.

J. H. Underwood, of Addison, came down last Friday to install the officers elect of Beer's Post G. A. R., which took place on that evening. On Saturday before his return, he favored the HERALD with a short call. Mr. Underwood was highly impressed with the efficency of Beers' Post.

We have a new time card of the Wabash railway line this week. Under the present time table, with the close connection at Britton via. the M. & O. road, people can reach Detroit much quicker and return earlier than by any other route. This is becoming a popular line for Detroit passengers.

We are indebted to N. S. Satterthwaite for a copy of the fourteenth annual report of the Lake Shore Railroad Co. The number of passengers leaving the Tecumseh station in '81 '82 and '83 was 18,511; 21,262, 20,951. The report for 1884 has not yet been compiled. There are now 553 engines on the road, all of them burning coal but one.

The January number of the Gardener's Monthly opens the new year with an array of useful and interesting information which is a surfeit even for that interesting magazine. For gardeners, small fruit culturists and florists it is a *vade mecum* which they can not afford to do without. Send to C. H. Marot, 814 Chestnut St., Phil. for a sample copy.

The new cornet band made its debut in public at the Masonic Installation and they surprised every one with their fine playing. They executed their pieces in a creditable manner. We are heartily glad to see the boys doing so well. They contemplate giving a public entertainment the latter part of January, and we trust our citizens will all give the project their hearty support.

Sam. James carries a baby very genteelly.

The ice harvest commenced last Monday on both ponds.

Vennor predicted a mild New Year's. Comment is unnecessary.

A. D. Gilmore, of Blissfield, was in town yesterday on business.

J. H. Blaine, of Adrian, was in town yesterday, and gave the HERALD a call.

Mrs. P. C. Stoepek, of Detroit, arrived yesterday for a few days' visit at her old home.

"Verbartum" is a new Tecumseh amusement. Will somebody explain what "verbartum" is, anyway.

Dr. H. W. Catlin returned to Grand Rapids on Monday. He was kept busy during his brief stay of four days.

Wm. H. Waring arrived in town Saturday and will remain a few days on a visit. He is well satisfied with his new home at Peoria.

F. A. Dewey, of Cambridge, was in town last Saturday. He was here to find boarding places for two granddaughters who are entering our public schools as pupils.

A. A. Kennedy and his daughter Miss Minnie, of Battle Creek, arrived in town Friday. Mr. Kennedy returned Tuesday but Minnie will remain for several weeks with family friends.

The Prohibitionists have issued a call for a county convention to be held at Adrian on Wednesday, Jan. 14, to elect delegates to a state convention for the nomination of regents and Supreme Court justice.

We understand that the name of John Conlin, of Franklin, is mentioned as a good person for the new postmaster at Tipton. He is a young man of energy and good business capacity and would fill the bill to a dot.

Geo. Adamson has just put in an elegant new counter case to match the third wall case which was put in last summer. We venture to say he now has three of the finest counter show cases to be found in the county.

Wm. Heck of Heck Bros. says the mill started last Monday and will not stop again until July 4th unless something gives way. They have lots of orders ahead. Very well, let the mill go round. It ought to raise the price of wheat a little.

Fred Hathaway, of Addison, was smiling on his Tecumseh acquaintances last Saturday. Fred has been engaged on the Mississippi River survey but is off duty until April next. He enjoys the work first rate and expects to return in April.

The state teachers' association held its annual meeting last week at Lansing. The attendance was very large and the program presented was varied and instructive. Tecumseh was represented at the session by Prof. Hammond, and Misses Berkey, Condict and Parkhurst.

The second entertainment of the Library Course was given on New Year's night by the Schubert Quartette troupe. The members of the quartette are all superior vocalists while the assistance rendered by Miss Dora Henninges rounded out the program to finished completeness. More than one half the selections given were favored with an encore. In addition to the regular season tickets, a large number of single tickets were sold for that evening.

C. R. Mabley in Detroit Journal: "When the firm of Mabley & Co., stop advertising you may know it has decided to go out of business. We believe in it thoroughly, and our business has grown to be what it is simply because we have always used a liberal supply of printers' ink and keep faith with the people. The merchant who buys his goods at a bargain and then lets the people know what he has to offer them is bound to win. The man who never advertises is the drone in the hive of commercial industry."

The editor of the Quincy Herald recently made a trip to Muskegon via M. & O. and compliments the road as follows:

We took the Michigan & Ohio R. R. from Homer, and found it to be first class in every respect. Its rolling stock is superb, its depots models of convenience and good taste, and its employees courteous and obliging. This road has recently adopted the English lunch system, whereby, for fifty cents, and even twenty-five cents an attendant will take your order for a lunch as per bill of fare, and bring it to you when Marshall is reached in a lunch basket specially suited to the purpose, and take charge of basket and dishes after you have finished.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Boyce, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boyce of Macon, to J. Leslie VanDoren, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, on New Year's day. Between sixty and seventy of the friends of both parties were present to witness the ceremony which took place shortly after 11 A. M. After the service, the friends presented their congratulations, and then the bride and groom led the way to the tables which were loaded with good things. Mr. and Mrs. VanDoren left early in the afternoon to take the train for Coldwater, where they expect to spend a week among friends. The bride was tastefully dressed in brown silk, with a bunch of natural flowers at her throat.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Scarlet fever is playing havoc down in Riga.

The Michigan legislature assembled yesterday.

A Chatauqua Circle has been organized at Milan.

Adrian kicks against the new insurance combination.

County Clerk Bixby has appointed T. M. Hunter as his deputy.

Prohibition county convention next week Wednesday, at Adrian.

An Odd Fellows Lodge will be instituted at Addison on the 10th inst.

John Rhoades will probably be appointed deputy sheriff at Blissfield.

Voters will vote the new town of Clayton up or down on the 10th inst.

W. F. Hood, of Deerfield, wants to be deputy oil inspector for this district.

The editor of the Morenci Observer took a holiday vacation "away down East."

Oren Howes and Daniel Carpenter of Hudson, have gone to the New Orleans Exposition.

The Addison G. A. R. Post, had a public entertainment recently which netted handsomely.

There is a lively strife between the two skating rinks at Blissfield and both are well patronized.

Robb, the Adrian champion skater, has received two challenges, one each from Toledo and Pittsburg.

Mr. Van De Mark, of Clinton, the instructor of our new band, is a decided success as a tutor of tooters.

The "five dot" game is a new caper in Adrian society. It is said to be a great educator of one's artistic powers.

Hudson is much elated over the appointment of W. B. Thompson to the position of Second Assistant Postmaster General.

The Addison Courier has commenced the publication of biographical sketches of some of the leading citizens of that town.

The big boys in one of the Fairfield "deestricts" while away their time by jamming rails through the sides of the school building.

Representative Hoxell will make an effort at the present session of the legislature to have some of the defects in our present drain law remedied.

One night last week burglars attempted to enter the house of R. J. Clark, treasurer of Palmyra. Mr. C. has a good dog, which gave an alarm, and the burglar beat a hasty retreat.

Adrian Record: George B. Caldwell, of Nebraska, returned to his old stamping ground, Morenci, and found himself a grandfather. He is 36 years of age, and is probably the most juvenile grand-dad in the United States.

An Exchange says: The foolish man foldeth his arms and saith: "There is no trade—why should I advertise?" But the wise man is not so. He whoopeth it up in the newspapers and verily he draweth trade from afar off.

Hudson Gazette: Fred King's genius has worked out a patent mop.—Fred got his idea from the patent cork of a beer bottle and the machine works like a charm. Some man with capital might make a fortune by manufacturing the article.

Hon. Edwin Willits, at present principal of the Ypsilanti normal school, has accepted the presidency of the State agricultural college, which was lately proffered him. The scope and plan of the institution will be broadened, making it not only a special agricultural school, but thoroughly scientific as well.

Miss Emma Hall, former superintendent of the Girls Industrial Home, died very suddenly at Albuquerque, N. M., last week. Memorial services were held in the morning by Rev. J. B. Little and in the afternoon at the Industrial Home. At the latter service music was furnished by the scholars and remarks eulogistic of the deceased were made by Rev. Little, C. R. Miller and A. L. Millard.

Morenci Observer: Seven young ladies of Morenci, all of them school teachers, were weighed to see what effect their Christmas dinners had had and although our reporter has the list, knowing that the average girl, next to her age, is particular about her weight, he would not dare to print the names or specific weights. He would simply venture to say that the whole seven weighed 947 pounds.—Now where is the town that can beat this? (What they weighed before dinner is unknown.)

The county superintendents of the poor met last week and let the following contracts for the medical care of the poor in the cites and various townships of the county, and also the prisoners at the jail:

County jail, C. Kirkpatrick	$42 00
City poor, C. D. Long	75 00
Blissfield, Dayton Parker	60 00
Dover, J. B. Abbot	18 00
Fairfield, S. C. Ayres	29 00
Hudson, G. W. Rice	60 00
Palmyra, H. J. Griffith	20 00
Raisin, C. E. Begel	30 00
Riga, S. O. Turbett	25 00
Seneca, C. W. Butter	40 00
Tecumseh, E. M. Conklin	24 00
Deerfield, N. D. Yale	23 50

JOSHUA GUMBO'S DOG TAX.

Joshua Gumbo is a worthy citizen of Tecumseh who lives at the corner of Pottawatamie street and Pocahontas alley, in a neat one story cottage, painted sky green with lilac trimmings. He rents the house in which his wife gets the meals and does the washing, and hence has no real estate assessed to him. But he has a small assessment on personal property, which is paid on the last day in the afternoon.

Mr. Gumbo rushed into the HERALD office last week to interview Treasurer Tribou and liquidate his indebtedness to the state. Mr. Tribou looked up the receipt and gave him the amount due, which was $5.81.

"How's this?" said Joshua, "my tax last year was only $2.60. I've got the same organ, the same one hoss wagon, the same stem winding gold repeater. My wife wanted a seal skin sacque for Christmas, that's true, but I haint't been able to buy one. There's been some crooked work here by the Supervisor, and I'll settle his hash for him or my name ain't Joshua."

"Keep cool," said Mr. Tribou, "keep cool. I guess it's all right. Here are the figures:"

Personal property	$2.75
One female dog	5.00
Collection fees	.06
Total	$5.81

An electric shock couldn't have shaken up Gumbo more. "Jerusalem," he roared, "three dollars tax on that black and tan pup. I'll never pay it. I'll appeal to the Supreme Court. That dog will break up my family yet. My grocery bills have been growing higher 'n higher for six months. My wife feeds it on fried oysters, molasses candy and baked chicken. I've remonstrated with Jerusha, and threatened and begged, to no purpose. Last spring I loaned out the dog when the supervisor came round, and Jerusha, the old fool, leaked. She up 'n told him about the black and tan. Women don't know nothing in tax times. Why, Mr. Tribou, I couldn't have felt wuss if my daughter had eloped with a coachman. I've been into some pretty tight places in my life. I've had six children down with the measles at 'onst. I've had my wife apply for a bill just because I let'er go out washin', but I never had nothing break me up so 'afore, never. Ain't there no way to revise that tax roll? Can't I get out an injunction agin the collection of that tax? Can't my wife make complaint afore a Justice and swear it off?"

Joshua Gumbo will die in his tracks
Before he'll acknowledge one cent of that tax.

"This is a free country, Mr. Tribou, and no man's liberty to keep a dog can be taken away from him. I ain't no fool, and I believe that this infernal law taxin dogs is unconstitutional, revolutionary and void. Why, the pup's whole carcass, brass collar and all, ain't worth mere'n a dollar. I'm a law abiding citizen, sir. I'm willin' to pay taxes on property. I've been scrimping a month to lay up $2.60 to pay my honest taxes with. My wife earned $2.00 of it makin' shirts for the clothier, and I scraped up 60 cents myself for acting as judge at a prize shooting match. They told us we'd have better times by bringing about a political change. Good Heavens! is this a specimen of it? Is the American workin' man to be swamped with dog taxes? I'll fight. I'll appeal. I'll—I'll—. You bet." And slamming the door he pranced down Chicago street as though he had been shot from a mortar.

Post-Office Business.

Below is a report of the business done at the Tecumseh post-office during the year 1884, as furnished by postmaster Fred Rosacrans, the figures being condensed from his annual report.

POSTAGE STAMPS.

19383—1 cent	$193.83.
110708—2 "	2214.16.
351—3 "	10.53.
498—4 "	19.92.
1657—5 "	82.85.
358—6 "	21.48.
1010—10 "	101.10.
	$2643.87.
Due Stamps	22.75.
Newspaper Stamps	67.56.
Postal Cards	346.28.
Envelopes	739.09.
Box Rents	540.85.
Total	$4360.40.

—For a fine Portland or Swell body cutter or a set of Bobs call on Slayton & Son.

—For Lumber Wagons, very cheap, call at I. B. Richart's.

—Call and get free samples of DePuy's fresh roasted coffee.

—Massillon Cannel—Cleaner, Better and Cheaper than wood for cook stoves and grates. Try it. Sold only by S. W. Temple, Tecumseh.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receiv prompt attention.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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WM. DEMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for the New York Life Insurance Co. of New York. Was Paid Policy Holders since organization over $[illegible]. Pay Losses Promptly. [illegible] Assets January 1, 1884, $[illegible]. Surplus over [illegible]

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET, J. W. Cole, Proprietor. Dealer in Fresh and Salt Meats, Fish, Poultry, etc. Cash paid for Hides.

DAVE MACHAM, Contractor for Painting and Paper Hanging. Shop on Chicago st.

CURRY & BOSTWICK, Proprietors of the Half Passage, Shop in St. Mary's Block, Chicago st.

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LILLEY HOUSE, [illegible] Tecumseh, Mich. This house has been thoroughly refitted and refurnished, and the dining room has been destroyed by fire. Good Livery connected. W. H. Passmore, Proprietor.

BURNETT HOUSE, [illegible] Mich. This house has been thoroughly refitted and refurnished, with [illegible] and glazed throughout by steam and glazed throughout by steam. Rates $1 to $1.25 per day. Single meals 30c. Lodgings 25 to 50 cents. Omnibus to and from all trains. Always ready to wait on the traveling public. Good livery connected. Special rates by the week. Sample rooms for commercial travelers. Terms reasonable.

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There is no more curious sight in the city than one of the wool auctions which are now being held every afternoon in the Wool Exchange, Coleman street. Imagine a large and lofty room, capable of holding about five hundred people, in the form of a [illegible], the floor above tier, so that all the sitters are plainly visible from the floor, or rostrum—an elevated desk at the bottom of the room. Every seat is numbered, and the highest number is 392. A narrow gallery provides accommodation for the spectators. At 3:30 o'clock nearly every seat is occupied, the demand for them exceeding the supply, and as the clock strikes the hour the auctioneer, or selling broker, takes his place in the tribune. He is a [illegible], self-possessed, good-looking man, with a keen eye, rosy cheeks, and hair parted in the middle. On either side of him sits a clerk—one bald and dark, the other hirsute and blonde. No time is lost in preliminaries; an eloquent wool auctioneer would be an intolerably nasty sauce, and this one is as sparing of words as a telegram from China. Every buyer before him is the busiest of men, and he has to sell £100,000 worth of wool before six o'clock. "Lot 213, ten bales," he says. Simple words, but the signal for a very tempest of excitement. From every part of the room come, as it were, scattered shots in quick succession—"Eight, half, nine, ten, ten-half." Then up spring a dozen, or it may be a score, of eager, earnest men, who shout passionately at the top of their voices, and almost in chorus—"Ten-half, ten-half, ten-half," until it seems as if the roof would split. Some stretch their arms toward the tribune, as if they were threatening a foe; others wave them to and fro, as if they were engaged in mortal combat; others, again, raise them upward, as if they were appealing to Heaven. They yell still more loudly, gesticulate still more wildly, some in their excitement bending forward until they nearly topple over on the seats below. It is a bear garden, a Babel, a scene of indescribable confusion, and to the uninitiated spectator it seems as if the frantic bidders were about to spring from their places and punch each other's heads. But the auctioneer speaks one word, and the storm is lulled; every voice is hushed, every man resumes his seat. That word is "Tomkins." One lot has been knocked down to Tomkins. Without drawing breath the selling broker goes on to the next lot, and then there is another startling roar, followed by an equally sudden collapse. The faces of some of the bidders are a study. One gentleman, with a bald head surrounded by a fringe of black hair, and features manifestly French, gets so excited that you fear he may break a blood-vessel or have a fit of apoplexy. His wide nostrils quiver, his swarthy face becomes dark, he fights the air with his arms and hands bids at the auctioneer, as if he would annihilate him. Near the Gaul is a fair Teuton, stalwart and tall, shouting offers as if he were crying "Vorwarts!" in the smoke of battle, and glaring at his competitors as if he would like to charge down on them as the Uhlans charged down upon the French at Gravelotte and Sedan. Not far from the foreigners sits a gentleman whose cast of features and style of dress leaves little doubt that he is a manufacturer of wool, or stapler, and hails from a northern country. To make his bid more effective he puts his hand to the side of his mouth and gesticulates with the other, but he needs no artificial aid, for he has a voice of thunder and shouts like a Boanerges. But why all this noise? Why can not a wool auctioneer knock down his wares to the highest bidder. All the firms represented at the auction know to a fraction the value of every parcel they wish to acquire, and five, or ten, or a score, as the case may be, are willing buyers of a certain lot at, let us say, a shilling a pound more than they can afford to give. The rule is, when there are several bidders at the same price—and there are generally several bidders—to prefer the one who bids the first, which is practically the one who first succeeds in attracting the auctioneer's attention. In such a contest the feeble-voiced have no chance to come out of it victorious. When the selling broker names the buyer who has caught his ear all the lost subside, like would-be orators in the House of Commons who fail to catch the Speaker's eye. The confidence in the Speaker's impartiality seems to be absolute; he never loses his self-possession, and time is too precious to be wasted in wrangling.—*London Spectator.*

A NEW KIND OF DOG.

One of the Kind that Can Only Be Bought in an Art Embroidery Store.

A wild-looking man who resembled one who had wrestled with misfortune in a catch-as-catch-can hold and been thrown in the contest, went into a Woodward avenue bird store the other day and approached the affable proprietor.

"Look here," he said, "may I take you apart for a moment?"

"Certainly," replied the man of animals, "if you can put me together again."

"Well, here's a letter from my wife—say come out and have something."

They went and had something; when they came back the wild-looking man resumed the letter. "She writes me," he continued, "to get her a white canvas-back dog in cross—"

"Now, you go," said the bird man severely. "Business is business, and I've no time to fool away."

He sat down on the curbstone to rest. He was still reading the letter when a sympathetic lady stopped to look at him.

"Poor man, are you ill?" she asked, kindly.

"Heaven bless you, madam, read that letter. If you can, and will, I am a saved man."

The lady took the letter as if she were humoring the whim of a lunatic and read it over.

"It is easy enough to read," she said. "Your wife, who seems to be an excellent woman, wishes you to buy her a working design in cross-stitch, stamped on a canvas splasher, with crewels to finish it, and send by express at once. I m sure there's nothing about it that isn't plain enough."

"Thank you, ma'am. I'll never forget your kindness. Where did you say the cross-eyed dog on canvas could be found?"

"At any art-embroidery store," and the lady walked away, remarking softly to herself:

"Of all stupids, men are the stupidest. Not to know what cross-stitch is!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

THE FISH TRADE.

The Sons of Cape Cod and Their Enterprise—An Association of Amateur Fishermen.

Ever since the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Bay those treasures of the deep, cod, haddock, halibut, mackerel and the smaller varieties of the finny tribe, such as perch, flounders, smelts, etc., have been a source not only of wealth, but a precious boon in this section of the country in times of need, when agricultural labor produced barren results. The waters which wash the shores of that crooked and sandy peninsula, Cape Cod, in early days were alive with the above-named specimens of a floating population which sometimes by force of numbers darkened the face of the great deep. The great value of these marine productions was soon appreciated by our hardy predecessors, and fishing was for many the most productive branch of industry to which they could resort to sustain life. Cape Cod is supposed to have derived that name from the fish which kept its inhabitants from starving, and which for years was the staple product of the colony. For many years the insignificant port of Hingham, whose harbor is now as dry as its sands at any stage of water, was a scene of busy industry, and it is stated that the manufacture of kits and tubs for salted fish created that great industry which has made Hingham proverbial, viz., the construction of buckets, pails and tubs. It is a very ancient joke that when a native of that town "crossed the river," the villagers remarked, "he has kicked the bucket." All along the shore, way down to the terminus—oceanward of Cape Cod, the hardy fishermen trained their boys to be sailors with such perfection that a Cape Cod boy was preferred above all others by the exporting and importing merchants of Boston, New York, Baltimore and other maritime cities. The finest ships that ever sailed from these ports were navigated by Cape Cod seamen, whose early training was in the fishery business. Fishing for fun and fishing for a living are two vastly different things, a fact which will be readily acknowledged by those who have tried both. Excursionists who make a summer trip over the surface of the vasty deep, with the intention of capturing its scaly inhabitants, seldom "cast their lines in pleasant places." Unless on their return trip they fall in with some professional fisherman in his dingy old tub, of whom they purchase a few cod or perch, they return to the dock empty-handed, yet they generally have a good time.

About the year 1840 a club of amateur fishermen was formed, composed of many lively Boston boys and middle-aged merchants, for the purpose of exploring Massachusetts Bay and catching the biggest cod to be found floating or swimming in its waters. It was called the "Mammoth Cod Association," and every member was expected to do his level best in capturing a leviathan of the deep. Large pools, sometimes amounting to three, five, ten, and even twenty-five dollars, were offered for the first scaly culprit hauled on board. Capturing fish was not, however, the primary object of the amateur fishermen, as some of the yet remaining original members can attest. Several of the committee on "bimbo" and "draw poker" are yet living. Amateur fishing never did amount to much in Boston Harbor or its vicinity; the serious portion of the business was done by those "toilers of the deep" who thereby earned a subsistence.—*Boston Budget.*

STARVATION.

The Effect It Has on the Mental Faculties of Human Beings.

The recent case of cannibalism at sea opens up some curious questions as to the effects of fasting on the moral nature of man. To the superficial observer, death by starvation simply means a wasting of the body, a horrible agony, an increasing weakness, a lethargic state of the brain, and a sleep from which there is no awakening; but is this all that it means? While this is going on, let us consider whether or not the intellectual faculty, and with it the power of distinguishing right from wrong, is not also undergoing a process of wasting and death, even before that of the material part, for, however dangerous it may be to received opinions to associate the material nature of man with the moral nature of our being, we are bound to do so, to elucidate some of the facts connected with this case.

Reasoning by analogy, we find that, in many cases of bodily disease, the state of the mind is the first indicator of the mischief going on in the system. Take even such a simple thing as indigestion, which, as every one must know, is only a manifestation of a deranged stomach, and what do we find? That the lowness of spirits induced by the affection may vary from slight dejection and ill-humor to the most extreme melancholy, sometimes inducing even a disposition to suicide. The sufferer misconceives every act of friendship, and exaggerates slight ailments into heavy grievances. So in starvation, the power of reason seems paralyzed and the intellectual faculty dazed really before the functions of the body suffer, or even the wasting of its tissue becomes extreme. Such being the case, the unfortunate individual is not accountable for his actions, even if they be criminal in character, long before death puts an end to his sufferings.—*N. F. Cooke, in Popular Science Monthly.*

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"At last"
I was taken! "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
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Efforts were no good to me.
At last I heard a good deal
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And determined to try them."
Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of
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Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a
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	6 22 A. M.	2 12 P. M.	1 12 P. M.
Toledo	6 40 "	2 35 "	1 40 "
Napoleon	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 5 "
Normal	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 20 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 18 "	2 38 "
Clinton	7 20 "	3 26 "	2 52 "
Tecumseh	8 02 "	4 09 "	3 47 "
Adrian	10 22 "	6 42 "	
Detroit	9 02 "	5 17 "	
Toledo			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A. M.	6 02 P. M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 55 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 32 "	1 42 P. M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 04 "	5 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 14 "	5 20 "
Macon	12 15 P. M.	10 02 "	6 30 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 38 "	6 50 "
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BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38
North Fayette	3 31	9 28	3 50
North Morenci	3 40	9 40	4 01
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14
Adrian, M.	4 12	10 05	4 25
Adrian, In.	4 13	10 06	4 26
Raisinville	4 20	10 [illegible]	4 34
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52
Lodes	4 43	10 42	5 00
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33
Romulus	5 28	11 18	5 41
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54
Rarcy	5 48	11 43	6 08
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20

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STATIONS.	No. 27.	No. 25.	No. 23.	No. 21.
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Barcy	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Lodes	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 05	11 12
Adrian, M.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, In.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 [illegible]	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
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2 36	8 11	Manhattan Junction	9 26	4 08
2 40	8 24	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
2 52	8 35	Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
2 57	8 40	Samaria	9 02	4 22
3 06	8 50	Lulu	8 47	4 04
3 21	8 55	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 59
3 25	8 59	Dundee	8 30	3 50
3 38	9 06	Macon	8 26	3 45
3 52	9 16	Azalia	8 20	3 40
4 03	9 30	Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
4 06	9 33	Milan	8 06	3 22
4 21	9 48	Nora	7 50	3 17
4 25	9 52	Urania	7 42	3 10
4 37	9 [illegible]	Pittsfield	7 40	3 02
4 42	9 56	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
4 50	10 05	Leland	7 12	2 39
4 57	10 22	Worden	7 06	2 25
5 15	10 40	Ar. South Lyon Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 32	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 42	
	7 39	12 38	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 52	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
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	9 17	2 10	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 03
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			3 01 Galesburg	12 15		6 15
			3 10 Richland	12 00		6 00
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			3 45 Monteith	11 35		5 35
			3 51 Fisk	11 27		5 27
			3 59 Kellogg	11 21		5 21
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			6 10 Grand Rapids	9 15		
			6 15 Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
			6 27 Berrysburg	8 50		2 00
			6 55 Muskegon	8 15		1 25
			9 20 Pentwater	5 50		
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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The following officers of the Society of Naturalists were elected at the session of that body in Washington on the 30th ult.: President, Grove K. Gilbert, of Washington; Vice Presidents, Profs. H. Newell Martin, of Maryland, E. N. Cope and Harrison Allen, of Pennsylvania; Secretary, Charles Sedgwick Minot, of Massachusetts; Treasurer, Charles Ashburner, of Pennsylvania; Members of the Executive Committee, elected from the society at large: R. Ramsay Wright, of Canada, and Samuel Clark, of Massachusetts. The Society adjourned to meet at Boston, December 29, 1885.

Paymaster W. H. Smyth, who disappeared from Savannah with $5,500 Government funds, appeared at the War Department on the 2d and voluntarily surrendered himself to the Paymaster General. He turned over $5,150 of the money carried off by him and his pay for December, $250, and $100 was paid for him by a friend, making the full amount of $5,500. Major Smyth says he went off on a spree Christmas and knew nothing of his actions until he found himself in New York. He then telegraphed his clerk that he would return immediately. He afterward, however, concluded to come to Washington and report to the Paymaster General.

The Comptroller of the Currency reports that the decrease since January 1, 1884, of National bank notes outstanding is $21,194,250, and that the increase in the deposit of legal tender notes since January 1, 1884, is $8,851,815.

It is understood that the War Department has declined to take official notice of the charges preferred by General Hazen against McKeever.

Colonel Stevenson, of the Bureau of Ethnology, who recently spent several months in the West, brought back the largest and most diverse collection of objects illustrating the home life, industries, and religious customs of the Pueblo Indians ever before made. They will be sent to the New Orleans Exposition.

THE EAST.

The employes of the Roxbury (Mass.) carpet factory, numbering eight hundred mostly females, struck on the 1st against a reduction of five to fifteen per cent. and the factory was closed. They first offered to accept half the reduction, which was refused. The factory is the largest manufacturing concern in the highlands, and hundreds of families depend on it for a living.

Samuel Stubbs, a grave-digger, who recently took the contract of removing all the bodies from an old cemetery to a new one near Fredonia, Pa., was soon after taken ill with every symptom of blood-poisoning and can not recover.

During 1884 the coinage at the United States mint at Philadelphia aggregated 52,270,000 pieces, representing a valuation of $16,949,000. Of this amount 1,740,000 were gold pieces, 14,412,000 silver and 796,000 in base coins.

A brakeman named Mason was fatally injured near Hartford, Conn., a few nights ago by being struck on the head with a stone thrown by a tramp, who he had put off the train. Mason was found lying insensible on the top of a car when the train reached New Britain.

A notice has been posted in the Bessemer Steel Works at Homestead, Pa., announcing a reduction (to take effect on the 7th) of the wages of the employes in their rail mill twenty-three per cent., those in the converting mill twenty per cent. and laborers ten per cent. The works employ about one thousand men. The reduction will not affect the operatives who belong to the Amalgamated Association. These comprise a majority of the skilled workmen and about half the total force.

It is said there was a less general observation of the custom of making New Year's calls in New York City than ever before. The streets of the city presented an almost deserted appearance. Comparatively few of the wealthy families received callers at all.

Business failures throughout the United States during the week ending the 3d number 366, against 278 in the preceding week, and 282, 257 and 152 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, '83, and '82 respectively. Bradstreet's Agency reports the number of failures in New York City for 1884 to have been 528, the largest known for six years past, as against 478 in 1883, 369 in 1882, 391 in 1881, 417 in 1880 and 463 in 1879. The total liabilities were $71,543,000 and assets $38,615,000.

A fire at Corry, Pa., on the 2d destroyed the large planing and sash factory owned by the Phœnix Mill Company, together with three adjoining dwelling houses. Loss $23,000.

At Cheneyville, Redford County, Pa., on the night of the 1st Herman Garlic burglariously entered the store of Lewis Lockey. The noise awakened John Gordon, the watchman, who waited until Garlic had robbed the money-till and was leaving with the contents, when he presented a shotgun and ordered him to throw up his hands. Instead of complying the thief grabbed the muzzle of the gun, and attempted to make fight. The gun went off and Garlic fell dead, riddled with buckshot. He was a young man, and his reputation in Cheneyville was above reproach.

There is reliable authority for the statement that the proposed Naval College will not be removed from Newport, but that measures will be taken in a short time to put the college in working order with an able corps of instructors.

A money belt containing $10,000 in English gold was found on the person of an Arab tramp who was arrested at White Plains, N. Y., a few days ago.

Several children were playing on the ice a few days ago at Machang, Mass., when they broke through and two girls of Mitchell Vanzandt and a son of Levi Debraus, aged eleven years, were drowned.

A commission has been received by the New England granite works of Boston, Mass., for a portrait statue of General H. W. Halleck, to be erected in the public park at San Francisco. It will be modeled after the Hampton statue in Central Park, New York. Conrad, the sculptor, is at work on the model.

Mr. J. S. Crawford, Superintendent of the Foreign Mail Service of the Postoffice Department, and Judge William T. Otto, who have been appointed to represent the United States at the International Postal Convention to be held at Lisbon, February 3, sailed from New York on the 6th.

Rev. J. H. Miller, of Beaver, Pa., a superannuated M. E. minister in his eighty-ninth year, was married a few days ago to Mrs. Miller, of Nebraska, who was his sister-in-law. The bride is sixty years of age.

After eight years of litigation the case of William M. Lloyd, a banker of New York, Altoona, Pa., and other places, one of the most notable of bankrupt cases, was settled at Pittsburgh on the 3d, and Lloyd was discharged from bankruptcy. Several millions of dollars are involved.

While bending over a stove on the 4th Peter Beck, aged seventy-five, of Linden, N. J., was suddenly seized with paralysis. In falling he struck and overturned the stove. The coals ignited the old man's clothing, and before help could reach him he was burned to death.

George Dana's nitro-glycerine factory at Westfall, Pa., was blown up on the night of the 3d and two men, Charles Thompson and James Sinning, employes, instantly killed. The factory was blown to atoms.

Ex-Governor Coburn died at his home in Skowhegan, Me., on the 4th, aged eighty-two years. He never recovered from the severe attack of illness at Augusta while attending the electoral college.

An opinion was filed a few days ago by Judge Stowe, of the Common Pleas Court of Pittsburgh, to the effect that the defunct Penn Bank, of that city, was operated under a private and special character, and not under the State banking act of 1850. This relieves the directors of the bank of individual liability for the sums due the depositors. It will be fought in Supreme Court.

The twentieth anniversary of the election of Bishop Coxe to the Bishopric of Western New York was celebrated in all the Episcopal churches at Buffalo on the 4th. The Bishop lectured on the history of the diocese at St. Paul's Cathedral in the evening.

At Troy, N. Y., on the 3d papers were served in an action brought by the city against the ten bondsmen of Chamberlain Church, the defaulter, to recover $20,000, the amount of his bonds. The negotiations for a settlement with the bondsmen were unsuccessful.

WEST AND SOUTH.

Late advices from Northern Texas report but little damage done to stock by the recent cold weather and severe storms. Some herds drifted southward nearly two hundred miles, but they are being gathered up and driven back to the points where they belong.

The December returns of the cotton crop indicate a total production of 6,580,000 bales.

Judge Sage, of the United States District Court at Cincinnati, on the 30th ult. sentenced the following prisoners convicted of violating the election laws at the recent elections: Robert Berry, James Usher and James McLaughlin, convicted of illegal voting, sentenced to six months in the Hamilton County jail; D. Shannon and Ferdinand Noth, same offense, sixty days in jail; Henry Shaeffer and Daniel Kinney, for hindering citizens from voting, six months in jail.

Samuel McMaster, a prominent Republican politician, of Dakota, died at San Francisco a few days ago. He was a candidate for Delegate to Congress before the late Republican Territorial Convention. He leaves a fortune of $250,000.

At Cleveland, O., on the 31st ult. Ruth Gill, aged two years and nine months, daughter of John I. Gill, was shot and instantly killed by Walter Grosshart, a four-year-old boy playmate. The boy had gone into the room where Ruth was at play and in opening a bureau drawer his attention was attracted by a pistol, which he took out and by some means it was discharged with the above result.

The Milwaukee mills manufactured 1,177,676 barrels of flour in 1884, against 875,892 barrels in 1883, an increase of 301,784 barrels.

Information reached San Francisco on the 1st of the wreck of the German bark Lily near Petrolia, Humboldt County, Cal., on December 26. The vessel left Cork October 5 for San Francisco. The first officer, Van Lafner, the cook, G. Brons, and three seamen, F. Pommer, C. Damkef, and D. Burydorf, were drowned. The Captain and others were saved. The vessel and cargo are a total loss.

Statistics of the inspectors of the different tobacco warehouses at Petersburg, Va., show that during 1884 there were sold in Petersburg 5,418,027 pounds of loose tobacco against 6,208,293 pounds during the previous year. The number of hogsheads inspected was 6,632 against 10,790 for 1883.

Leopold Von Sechan was found dead in an apartment in the eastern section of Baltimore a few days ago. He was suffocated by gas generated by a coal-oil stove on which he prepared his food. He was the son of a General in the Saxon army, and came to this country in 1869. In the house was found a bank book with $2,500 to his credit. He is said to have received $200 a month from Germany.

At Dayton, O., on New Year's morning Charles Sellers was "shooting the old year out," and after snapping the trigger several times laid the revolver down. His wife, thinking it was not loaded, in fun pointed it at his back, when the weapon exploded, the ball lodging in his neck. He will probably die.

Professor Barnard, of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., discovered Ericke's comet, on the night of the 2d at seven hours forty-five seconds, Washington time. Its position at the time was right ascension 22h. 56m. and 47s., declination north 49 degrees 1m. and 56s.

The output of gold, silver and lead in the Leadville district for the year 1884 was $12,392,400, an increase of $2,134,400 over 1883, with a number of mines that produced largely in 1883 closed down the greater part of the year on account of the low price of lead. The chief of these was the Silver Cord, one of the heaviest producers of the district. The product of lead alone was 46,800 tons, a considerable increase compared with 1883.

The Baltimore & Ohio has made telegraph rates from Chicago to New York fifteen cents. The same rate has been made by the Mutual Union, and the Postal makes a rate of twenty cents. The Western Union has made no reduction.

At Chicago the local finance committee of the Democratic National Convention held a final meeting on the 2d and subscribed $11,100 to defray the remaining indebtedness. The expenses of the convention amounted to $150,000.

The canning house of the Miami Powder Company, near Xenia, Ohio, exploded on the 2d. Jack Ginn, an employe, was instantly killed and the building was demolished.

A number of country postoffices in Northern Illinois have recently been worked by a sharper with indifferent success, by means of raised postal notes of the old issue. From amounts less than one dollar he has changed them according to his fancy. The postmasters have been generally advised of the trick through the Superintendent of the Money Order Department at Washington. He is described as being about forty years old, nearly six feet high and weighing 160 pounds, with black hair and mustache and of good address.

Barney Krauss, a German barber of Belleville, O., while on his way home from his place of business at an early hour on the morning of the 4th, was ordered "hands up" by three highwaymen, who suddenly stepped in front of him. He promptly responded with three shots from a pistol, one of the men falling, while the others fled. The wounded man was fatally shot through the breast, and proved to be Charles Bradford, a well known citizen of Bellville. He died next day.

Dr. Maxwell, who poisoned his four children at Springfield, O., a few weeks ago, and who has since been confined in the county jail awaiting trial for murder, committed suicide on the 4th by hanging himself with a towel.

Bernard Billings, an inmate of the hospital at La Junta, Col., wandered out on the prairie during a severe snow storm a few nights ago. When found he was badly frozen, and died soon afterwards.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Pope Leo XIII. has consulted the American bishops as to the advisability of appointing an American rector instead of an Italian for the North American College at Rome.

A railway collision at Barnsby Junction, England, on the 1st resulted in the killing of four persons and injuring thirty.

A dynamite explosion occurred on the Metropolitan Underground Railway, London, between Gower Street and King's Cross Station, on the evening of the 2d. The windows of a passing train were shattered and the gas light extinguished. Beyond this there was no damage done. The passengers were greatly terrified, but no one was seriously hurt. The train resumed its journey after a delay of twenty-five minutes.

Madrid dispatches of the 2d report fresh shocks of earthquake throughout Andalusia. The houses left standing in Albama with a population of about 18,000 have fallen, completing the destruction of that place. The buildings in Antiquera, a well-built city of 28,000 inhabitants, were tumbling rapidly and the probabilities were that the place would be destroyed. Other towns also reported fresh shocks and further loss of life. The distress prevailing among the people of Andalusia was terrible. There was a great scarcity of food and medicine, and so panic-stricken had the people become that it was difficult to get men to enter the ruins of the buildings in search of bodies and rescuing the wounded persons from the debris.

General Campenon has been succeeded by General Lovell as French Minister of War. It is announced that General Negrier has won another victory at Chu, routing six thousand Chinese.

The Portsmouth and Plymouth divisions of the Channel Squadron of the British Navy have received urgent orders by telegraph from London to prepare for sea instantly. Most of the crews are away on furlough, but have been summoned by placards and by telegraphic orders to be aboard ship on the 5th. The destination of the squadron is as yet unknown.

Madam Dingler, wife of the Director General of the Panama Canal Company, died recently at Panama from fever. This is the third victim of the climate in the director's family within a year.

A Madrid dispatch of the 5th states that shocks of earthquake still continue to be felt at Veley, Malago and Xeres, and 400 persons had already been taken from the ruins at Albama. Over 500 persons were injured in the latter city alone. It is estimated that 10,000 head of cattle were killed.

LATER NEWS.

A WASHINGTON dispatch of the 6th says that Chief Justice Waite has been very ill for several weeks. Last summer he was stricken with paralysis, but nearly recovered. Two months ago erysipelas attacked his face and head and affects his brain so that he is rarely lucid. His intimate friends are hopeless of his recovery, and the utmost they expect is that he may linger a few months. If he should have a lucid interval long enough to understand the situation, he would probably resign in order to allow his successor to be appointed by President Arthur.

MRS. MARY BECK, of Grafton, W. Va., has confessed that she caused the wreck of the St. Louis express train on the Baltimore & Ohio road near that place on the 30th ult. with the loss of two lives and the destruction of much property. She acted in revenge for the recent arrest of her husband for robbing freight cars.

GENERAL WARREN F. TRUITT, messenger from Oregon with the electoral of that State, reached Washington on the 5th, and delivered the vote to the Vice President. Owing to the snow blockade, Mr. Truitt was compelled to take the trip by the way of San Francisco and the Southern Pacific Railroad.

An order has been issued from the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company indefinitely suspending work at eight collieries in the vicinity of Scranton, Pa. This order throws more than two thousand men and boys out of work.

THE Senate was called to order at two o'clock on the 5th, and the Chair laid before that body the unfinished business, which was the Inter State Commerce bill, Mr. Wilson having the floor. Long prepared speeches were made by Messrs. Wilson and Sewell. The former condemned the centralizing policy of the railroads, and the latter justified the practice of pooling. A message was received from the President transmitting a communication from the Secretary of the Interior recommending that measures be taken to disarm the Cheyenne and other Indians in the Indian Territory and to compensate them for the arms thus taken. The President commended this question to the attention of the Senate as one of great importance. The message was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs. The Senate then went into executive session and soon afterwards adjourned. The first bill introduced in the House under the call of States was a preamble and resolutions by Mr. Herbert reciting that it appears that the President has appointed Hon. John A. Kasson and Henry S. Sanford delegates on the part of the United States to an International African Congress held in Berlin, and that such an alliance as this conference seems to import, is a departure from the traditions of this Nation; requesting the President, if not incompatible with the public service, to state the reasons that impelled him to appoint delegates to said conference, whether there was any limitation placed upon their authority as delegates, whether said limitation, if any, was made known to the conference; whether the President has any information tending to show whether the proposed new State is to be a republic or a monarchy, and whether, in his opinion, the participation of the United States in such a conference would not estop them from opposing any attempt to form a State on the American continent; referred to the Committee on Foreign affairs. There were several unimportant measures brought before the House, but upon its refusal to suspend its rules there was no action taken upon them. Adjourned.

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BAPTIST LADIES SOCIAL

The annual meeting of the Baptist ladies' social was held at the home of Dr. I. S. Hamilton. After the reading of the annual report by a vote of the social, the Secretary was requested to furnish the report for publication.

Annual report, January 2d, 1885.

Dear Sisters, In surrendering my position as Secretary of this society today I feel impelled to speak somewhat of the past. Thirty-two years ago, at July a few of the ladies of this church met at the parsonage of Rev. Thomas McLean, who was then our Pastor, to organize a ladies' sewing circle. The object of the circle was to promote sociability among the members, to encourage each other in our duties as Christians and to raise money to help us in our church work. The society was formed and the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Dr. Hamilton.
Vice President—Mrs. E. L. Benton.
Treasurer—Miss Rachel Hampton.
Sec.—Miss Anna E. Whitmore.

Part of the constitution read that every fortnight we should be one of prayer, thus forming a circle of work and prayer. The person at whose house we met furnished the supper and provided sewing for us to do. We went early and kept busy so that we felt we were indeed benefiting ourselves. Our supper fees went into the treasury to help on with our church work. We often think of those who worked with us in the 32 years, many of whom have finished their works on earth, but whose memories are still dear to us who knew them. Many changes have come to us as a society and as individuals during these years, but we have always worked in harmony and good will together, and, as one after another of our members have fallen by the way, others have come in to fill their places and carry the work forward. We have not been selfish and used all our money for ourselves. Numbers of churches have been benefited by our contributions, many missionaries encouraged by our remittances and many families cared for, and I think we have found it more blessed to give than to receive. At the time of organization it was thought best to hold our annual meeting in January, so the first meeting was held in January 1853, at the home of Dr. I. S. Hamilton, and to-day we are enjoying the same hospitality that has welcomed us for 32 years with I think but three exceptions and it seems to me like coming home to-day, to give an account of our year's work, and to lay plans for future work, and may the blessing of God rest upon the Dr. and his family for their unwearied kindness to us, and may they be preserved to us yet many years.

We are very grateful to our Heavenly Father that he has kept our numbers unbroken through the year. The past year has not been marked by any important or special work; we have held twelve meetings, which have generally been well attended; our officers have nearly always been in their places. In February we had one monumental quilt quilted, furnished two contribution boxes for the use of the church, furnished four side lamps for the upper room, one bracket lamp for the library room, one teaspoper for the use of the committee, prepared and quilt for Miss Palmer's mission school in Burmah, and paid one-half of the expense of the Prayer meeting cards. We had at the commencement of the year $19.79 in the treasury, our collections have been $[illegible], orders have been drawn for $[illegible], leaving in the treasury $100.08, which we expect will be used on church repairs the coming year.

SECRETARY.

After the reading of the report a rising and unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to Dr. Hamilton and his family by the members of the social for their long extended kindness to us.

The following officers were elected for the present year:

President—Mrs. A. P. Coddington.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. H. Crane.
Treasurer—Mrs. O. B. Finch.
Secretary—Mrs. J. Fisher.
Ex Com.—Mrs. J. H. Osborn, Mrs. C. E. Conley, Mrs. J. Heck, Mrs. P. B. Swick, Mrs. Howard.
Collectors—Mrs. J. Heesen, Mrs. L. G. North.

A scientific paper asserts that it is water and not food that makes people fat.

PRINCESS BEATRICE.

On the last day of the year 1884 the betrothal of Princess Beatrice, the queen of England's youngest child, was announced. Princess Beatrice Mary Victoria Feodore was born on the 14th day of April, 1857, and at the decease of the Prince Consort was therefore four years of age. She is one of the most respected and loved of the Royal family of England, having endeared herself to the English people, especially of the poorer classes, by her many acts of charity. Being the youngest child she was the prime favorite of her mother who has always been opposed to the marriage, not wishing to be separated from her. Her Royal Highness the Princess, in her features, is strikingly like unto her mother, and like the rest of the family is of magnificent physique. She is noted for her excellent artistic taste, and is also a very clever artist, many of her water color paintings having adorned at public exhibitions. She is good looking and is inclined to the domestic side of life. Prince Henry Maurice Of Battenberg, her fiancee, is one of the petty princes of Germany who has nothing to be proud of but his pedigree can be traced back to the time when the Teutons were barbarians. It is questionable whether the fact that our ancestors wore bear skin breeches and lived in caves is much to boast of. The Prince was born in 1858, and is, therefore, six years the senior of the Princess. He is a cousin of Grand Duke Louis IV. of Hesse, the husband of Princess Alice, the eldest sister of Princess Beatrice. At one time Dame Rumor had announced the Grand Duke as the betrothed of Beatrice. Prince Battenberg has no estate, and the English people will be called upon to provide the money that will be necessary to maintain the establishments of the young couple.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Jan. 5th, 1885.

At this regular session the Council convened at the regular hour.

Present the entire Council, except Mr. Adams.

Minutes of preceding session read and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Finance—Deferred later in the session.

On Streets—The committee report favorable upon the petition of Oliver Sanford and others, and recommend that the walk be built along the East line of Maiden Lane from the South line of Kilbuck street to the North line of Cummins street, as contained in said petition, within three months from Jan. 1st., 1885. Accepted and adopted.

Finance—The committee on finance to whom had been referred the Marshal's report upon collection of taxes reported that they had carefully examined such report and find it correct and would recommend the acceptance. Accepted and adopted.

REPORT OF OFFICERS.

Street Commissioner filed his report in writing for the month of December 1884. Accepted and adopted.

Sexton's report of Tecumseh Cemetery for the month of Dec., 1884, as follows: Two interments during the month. Report accepted and adopted.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committee:

W. J. Wilcox, 5 barrels oil	$21 70
Sid Powell, scraping snow	3 00
W. Power, " "	3 00
A. H. Chaplin, 1135 ft. oak lumber	[illegible]
W. C. Jordan, 10 days labor at 2.00	20 00
Frank Wood, work on side walks	1 00
Geo. Derby, " "	1 00
W. C. Jordan, freight on oil	[illegible]
Thos. Elliott, blacksmithing	[illegible]
Whitelock, Bordine & Co., hardware	31 [illegible]
Stephen Wilson, balance	[illegible]
T. D. Stokes, repairing, etc	6 60
Brower and Fisher, barn rent	15 [illegible]
Swan & Satterlee, gas, hardware	[illegible]
Tecumseh Lumber Co., for lumber	[illegible]
W. Hayden, brass and lead	[illegible]
Baker & Hall, oil, etc	[illegible]
H. Brower & Co., oils and supplies	[illegible]
Wolcott, Temple & Co., lumber per bill	125 [illegible]
J. Jenkins, hay	[illegible]
James Upjohn, for oats	15 [illegible]

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Finance committee report recommending the payment of the following claims, to wit:

E. B. Wood, village attorney	[illegible]
J. G. Shows, repairing harness, etc	[illegible]
A. J. Wilcox, oil for engine	[illegible]
Sid Powell, scraping snow	[illegible]
W. Power, " "	[illegible]
A. H. Chaplin, 1135 ft. oak lumber	[illegible]
W. C. Jordan, 10 days labor at 2.00	[illegible]
Frank Wood, labor	[illegible]
Geo. Derby, "	[illegible]
W. C. Jordan, freight on oil	[illegible]
J. Bassett, for hay	[illegible]
James Upjohn, oats	[illegible]

Report accepted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts.

Mr. Geo. Heesen asked permission to cut down locust tree in front of his house on the corner of Union and Kilbuck streets. On motion the request was granted.

The Council then adjourned.

G. W. MARSHAL,
Recorder Pro Tem.

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MARRIED.

JAMES—DEWOLF.—On the 7th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, G. B. DeWolf, Esq., by Rev. C. Kavanaugh, Mr. Sam. A. Jaques, to Miss Bertha DeWolf, all of Tecumseh.

COOPER—COX.—At Tecumseh, Jan. 1, 1885, by Rev. W. H. Bartlett, pastor Presbyterian church, James E. Cooper and Miss Anna Cox.

LAWRENCE—BRAYER.—On Jan. 1, 1885, at the residence of the bride's parents, in Macon, by Rev. Elias Smith, Mr. Leslie Van Horn Lawrence to Miss Bessie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brayer.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unclaimed in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Jan. 1, 1885:

Blair, Austin	Craig, Hannah B.
Avis, Joseph	Harmon, J. S.
Barnard, Alfred H.	Hilsinger, D. T.
Cassin, Dr. J. A.	West, Leonard

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Lenawee Co., Mich., Jan. 1, 1885.

Brown, Geo.	Mabee, Mrs. Jane
Dunlap, John	Palmer, Wm.
Lewis, Jesse	Pengelly, Thos. N.
Gower, Geo.	Ryers, Miss Kate
Longhead, Wesley	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P. M.

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Apples, per barrel	1 25 @ 2 00
Apples, dried, per lb	@ [illegible]
Butter, per lb	18 @ [illegible]
Beef, dressed, per hundred	5 00 @ 6 00
Beef, Hides	5 @ 07
Calf Skins, per lb	8 @ 10
Chickens	20 @ 25
Clover Seed, unshelled, per bushel	@ [illegible]
Clover Seed	4 00 @ 4 25
Ducks, dressed	@ [illegible]
Eggs, per doz	@ 22
Flour, per barrel	4 50 @ 5 00
Hogs, dressed, per cwt	4 00 @ 5 00
Hay, clover, per cwt	3 50 @ 3 75
Hay, per ton	7 00 @ 8 00
Honey, per lb	@ 15
Hides, per lb	@ 14
Lard, per lb	@ 5
Oats, per bushel	25 @ 28
Potatoes, per bushel	@ 25
Potatoes, per bushel	30 @ 35
Salt, per barrel	@ 1 75
Sheep, per head	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, per bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys, dressed, per lb	@ 10
Wood, per cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, per bushel	@ 75
Wheat, Red, per bushel	@ 75
Wool	28 @ 35

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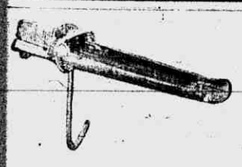

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin, of Tecumseh, made Clinton friends a short visit last Monday.

J. E. McCollum and wife spent Sunday in Manchester the guests of his mother and sister.

The reception given C. F. Clark and wife by Mrs. Louise Clark last Friday evening was largely attended and heartily enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Clark has long held the reputation of giving very enjoyable parties and this one seems to have eclipsed all former efforts.

J. J. White's baby, who has been very sick with inflammation of the lungs, is reported better.

Mrs. Laura Luther, who has been visiting in Tecumseh for two or three weeks, has returned to Clinton.

Miss Mina Muir returned from Detroit last Friday accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Chas. Johnston, and her daughter. Mrs. Johnston will remain here a few days until the arrival of her husband, who expects to make Clinton a short visit.

Oley A. Sinclair has been helping S. W. Demuth invoice his goods this week.

Quite a number of people have been suffering with severe colds within the past few days. Miss Lou Reynolds, Mrs. B. O. Randall, Mrs. Geo. Hard and children all belong on the list of afflicted ones. Miss Laura Clark was also seriously indisposed so that the organist's chair at St. John's church was vacant in the evening. Miss Nellie Kishpaugh took Miss Clark's place through the morning service.

Mr. and Mrs. Will. H. Dorr returned from Detroit last Monday night.

P. C. Smith's youngest child has been very sick with a cold.

Look out for something entirely new in the way of social entertainments in a couple of weeks at the Town Hall.

Mr. Aaron Roff's smoke house burned about four o'clock Monday morning.

Last Saturday night about nine o'clock a fire broke out in J. W. Burchard's gun shop. It was first discovered and the alarm given by Ely McConnell. In an incredibly short time a large crowd gathered and by the prompt use of the Babcock fire extinguishers the flames were soon subdued. The building is situated within a few feet of a shed filled with straw, and the shed is attached to the barn. If the fire had occurred the night before nothing could have saved any of the Dr's. buildings, and it is the opinion of many that the town would have burned. The gentleman claims to have lost thirty dollars in cash, as he left that amount in his pocket book in the shop early in the evening. The question now is—Has any one the right to carry on a business, though it may be on his own premises that is constantly endangering other people's property. Probably an attempt to re-establish the institution will meet with considerable opposition on the part of some of our citizens.

Invitations for the masquerade party to be given the 23rd were issued last Tuesday. The music will be furnished by Van Etten's full orchestra with Boos. The maskers will meet in the rooms over Freese's store. Grand march is at 7:30 and masks will be removed at 9:30. Supper at the Lancaster House. Bill for the dance $1, supper 75cts. The committees are as follows:

Arrangements—George VanGelson, Victor E. Haywood, Albert F. Kishpaugh.

Invitation—Geo. S. Field, Tecumseh, R. W. Mills, Saline, S. Braman, Manchester.

Reception—S. Braman, Manchester, Chas. Thompson, Tecumseh, J. F. Cummins, Franklin.

Floor Managers—Frank Lancaster, Ed. VanDeMark, Porter C. Smith.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Diptheria has removed another little one from the home of Mr. Lawrence, and the dread of the disease spreading produces almost a panic. Every ailment however trifling, is regarded with suspicion, because both cases were of the worst type. Doctors give in learned phraseology the why and wherefore of this plague, and perhaps a mode of escaping unharmed, from contact with it, and which has not failed in one individual case, may be of some benefit if told in plain English; for though often forgotten when wedding presents are expected, its a busy time when an escort is not furnished the same person to where sickness is a safe-guard against intrusion. She has no bookology to offer, nor has she any prejudice in favor of, or against any Pathy or form of treatment for the sick.

Each contains all the good one has time to apply; but she deems anything that makes the patient more comfortable in mind or body, a safe addition to the doctor's prescription. This unskilled nurse bases safety from contagion on a cheap foundation. As there is twice the work to do for sick people, as for well, she drinks tea or coffee and eats twice as often while attending the dangerously sick. There is a double tax on strength, which the system must be steadily trained for, and the nearer one keeps natural the better the ability to resist infection. There is something more to be reckoned. The patient may be racked by every agony, or death may be horribly painless. In either case the effect on the attendant is about the same. Where there is no possibility of recovery, there are few rules to anchor to save smoothing the way all you can. A tired, uneasy feeling overtakes the watchers in a few minutes after entering a room reeking with disinfectants, or worse. Often the first are neglected, and the poisoned air forced into the lungs by a chilly breeze, through an open window. Placing the hands on a patient is unavoidable, but it saps the magnetism from health quickly, and as vitality grows weaker, the fancy that you are absorbing miasma like a sponge grows stronger. To counteract this certainty most people swallow liquor or pep permint at intervals. Some even take kerosene, but nearly all resort to the bottle, no matter how much they believe in Prohibition away from danger. Yet tincture of iron is an antidote for poison, and a few drops taken daily during exposure, is worth all the brandy unsold, if a bath to insure perfect cleanliness accompanies the remedy, and coffee and rolls not neglected. Within a few years there has been several cases of malignant Diptheria in this village that tried the nerves of the doctors and nurses almost beyond endurance. One of the latter believes this: whatever will induce perspiration, whether it be brandy, ginger tea, or catnip, will aid you to catch the disease, or transmit it to others. During the worst of all, the one who stood by the pillow till all was over, followed, the rules above quoted and escaped; but the one a house width from the room depended on the stimulant and contracted the disease; and this has been the result throughout. It is not offered as an infallible gospel, but it answers for one.

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

The weather is about the same, if anything a little more so.

Nothing moving in a business way except now and then a load of wood.

J. G. Miller's team run away Friday throwing him against the fence from which he is quite indisposed.

"Bill" Swick's team became frightened by the cars at Britton, Monday, ran away and demolished his buggy, no other serious damage.

Colds and boils are epidemic.

Joe. Hunter "rocks the cradle."

Miss Phebe Osgood is quite sick with fever.

T. F. Moore installed the officers of Macon Grange, Friday afternoon and gave a public lecture in the evening. A very good house and successful meeting considering the weather.

The new telegraph line from Ridgeway to Lake Ridge is completed, with eleven new instruments, all in tip top running order. The sacks of "good-mornings," "good evenings," "good-nights" and "good-byes," with the business transactions, bits of "chit chat," private conversation, conundrums, the latest of which, "why is a hen immortal?" and roll calls, jig and juber steps, with as many periods, and twice as much that got away, makes a diversified and continuous entertainment. Still amid all this clatter and confusion we managed to start a doctor right out of church, Sunday night, for Mr. Osgood. The capital stock consists of eleven shares of $5 each, (55) and after completing the line, which consists of main wire, office wire, insulators and batteries, there remains in the treasury about $20. So the question of farmers having telegraphic communication with each other and with the outside world is merely a matter of taste, the expense being very trifling. The new line connects with the Ridgeway and Britton line, making a direct outlet.

A. E.

ONSTED ODDS.

Miss Alma Howes is suffering with rheumatism.

D. A. Sickner has purchased another lot of William Onsted.

There are four firms in this town that deal in skunk skins, and strange to say they all have business.

Station agent Spaulding looks happy since his wife and child have returned from their holiday visit at Lyons.

James Braynard, a painter who has done a good deal of work in this vicinity, has moved from Cambridge to this place. He is boarding at C. W. Greenleaf's.

A large number of people surprised Mr. Dennet, pastor of the church, by making him a visit Tuesday. Each one carried something along to show that they had been there.

Wilson Lee has purchased a lot of D. A. Sickner and will move his store across the railroad. He has evidently made up his mind that the climate is too cold so far north.

A complete surprise is what the family of E. R. Kilbury experienced on Tuesday evening, when more than forty relatives and friends visited them without previously sending word. The friends left as a token of their friendship a silver and glass tea set and a handsome arm chair. The visit was on Mrs. Kilbury's fifty-fifth birthday.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Our village sick list has been unusually long of late. The sudden change of weather is thought to be the general cause.

J. D. Sheridan & Co.'s branch store has been withdrawn to Brooklyn.

Work continues to progress on the skating rink notwithstanding the coldness of the weather.

Rev. Alphonzo Crane of the M. E. Church here is conducting religious revival meetings at Prospect hill.

A lodge of Odd Fellows was instituted here on the tenth inst. The secretary informed us that fourteen members are entered on the books.

Addison now boasts of five secret organizations viz. Masonic, Sons of Temperance, Good Templars, G. A. R. and Odd Fellows. We enter in the order organized. Let the anti secret agitators take note.

C. G. Elmore Jr. late of this place reports one hundred and eighty students in the public schools at Millington Tuscola Co. Mr. E. is principal and has three associate teachers.

The Lapeer Democrat of the 7th says that lawyer Frank Millis of that county was admitted to practice in the United States court at Detroit last week. Frank is an old Addison boy and our people will be glad to learn of his success in the profession chosen.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

Miss Helen Queale has returned home from St. John's, where she has been spending the holidays.

It was quite lively times on Friday evening in Springville, on dividing the spoils between the skating rink and the club dance at the Springville Hotel; think the dance came out ahead, though both parties were satisfied. The rink, on Monday evening was not very largely attended, bad weather.

On account of sickness our Mr. Storms was unable to fill the desk at the M. E. Church on Sunday P. M. It was supplied by the Rev. Mr. Wall, Congregationist minister of Franklin. Had a good sermon.

Anson Ayres is improving; hopes to be out soon.

Israel B. Sleeler has been for some three weeks or more suffering from a lame back, so that he is about helpless.

J. B. Ayres returned to Adrian on Monday to attend school, after spending the past week at home.

There is to be a club dance at the Springville Hotel on Friday evening, Jan. 23d.

Jos. H. Smith, of the Tecumseh Lumber Company, is in town.

Cold weather and rough roads are the order of the day.

G. v. Alger has about as many applications for office in this state as President Cleveland will be called upon to fill.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The cold wave gets there this time.

Miss Ella Jackson made friends at Dundee a visit last week.

G. W. Jackson has been on the sick list for the past few days. Too much Turkey was the cause.

Miss Fannie Cone of Hudson, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Mary Kilpatrick of Fowlerville, Livingston Co., called on friends here on Wednesday and Thursday. She was on her way to Clinton, to close out her millinery business there.

Kelley, Morley & Co., shipped a car load of hogs from here Saturday to Buffalo. James Pocklington went to look after the welfare of the porkers.

Miss Vina Underwood left for Toledo Monday, where she will study and teach music.

The Box entertainment that was to come off last week at the Christian church at Britton, was postponed on account of the weather, until next Thursday night, when all are cordially invited to be present to enjoy the pleasures of the evening. By order of Com.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pocklington and family returned Tuesday from a few week's visit with relatives at Perrysburg, O.

The annual donation of the M. E. church will be held on the evening of Jan. 28th, at the church. The committee will meet at the home of G. P. Waring next Monday night to make the necessary arrangements, and desire to see all persons interested to be present. By order of Chairman of Com.

Mr. Waring will have his hall ready to use this week, and the Literary will hold the dedicating services next Friday evening, and will carry out a very entertaining program, consisting of Declamations, Recitations, Music, &c. The woman suffrage question will be discussed in its proper meaning. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and see the new Hall, as it is a public convenience that the place has long been in need of. It will be seated with opera chairs, and has a fine stage 10x22 ft., and is handsomely papered in the latest European style. The hall will be known as the Cottage Hall, North Church St.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Mrs. Quirk, the miller's wife at Newburg mills, is dangerously sick.

D. C. Bowen who has been living in Oakland Co., for the past year has concluded that Old Lenawee is good enough for him, and Willis Smith has gone after his goods. He will move into one of E. C. Coryell's houses.

Madison Graves of Lenawee Junction, has been canvassing among the farmers for the purpose of introducing German laborers, both male and female.

The C. T. Line saves many a ride to town after the doctor although it does not save the doctor any travel.

The frame house on Washington Allen's farm and occupied by Elijah Allen, was burned about eight o'clock Monday night. Operators on the line saw the fire and located it within a short distance. We understand that nearly everything was lost.

Fred Fuller, of the Toledo Telegraph school, is visiting at B. F. Norcrosses.

A little son of Robert Carr's, in Franklin, fell on the stove last Saturday and was badly burned.

William Penticost's little girl has a broken arm.

To Geo. Tripp and wife—a girl—George happy.

Mrs. John Bunn is suffering with another paralytic stroke.

The frame for the depot at Tipton is up.

Geo. Knapp went to Manchester to play the cornet last Monday night.

Frank Davidson is working up an eastern extension to our line. With such men as Frank and Minor taking hold we may soon be in communication with Ridgeway and Britton.

Miss Minnie Kennedy of Battle Creek, is visiting at Abner Wilson's.

The following is the Meterological report for the week ending Tuesday Jan 13th, as taken by L. G. North, M. D.

Max. Therm—Tuesday, 47°
Min.—Monday, 8°
Rain 69 inches.
Prev. Winds, S. W.
Bar. Range, 1.94 inches.
Max. Bar. 29.49.
Min. Bar. 58.36.

The variation of the barometer has been remarkable being more variable than the weather itself.

The Detroit Times very pertinently says:

One of the silliest things a business man can do, is to distribute his advertisement on a handbill. Ten thousand will cost as much, and more, than good advertisement in a good newspaper, but they will not reach one-sixteenth part of the readers that the paper will. Several boys will be given a quarter each to distribute the bills, and in order to get through quickly they will throw them away, put them down sewers and into the ash barrel. Not one man in twenty will take his hands out of his pocket to read a handbill, and in a short time the 10,000 bills are scattered to the winds to become the prey of the rag picker.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending Dec. 9.

CAMBRIDGE.

James Seger to C. E. Marshall. Land on sec. 28. $165.

FRANKLIN.

W. R. Keeney et al to J. R. Keeney, Land on sec. 29. $5,000.

We have a portrait and biographical notice in this week's HERALD of Michigan's rising young poet, Will Carleton.

Tecumseh Herald

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A MILLION HEIR.

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Express'd to marry [illegible] Hardy there
White as [illegible] for teeth,
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And [illegible]

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In her [illegible]
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With a [illegible]

She [illegible] the way
While I [illegible]
I vow that [illegible] of short shaver
Her father [illegible]
And [illegible]
His son-in-law and [illegible] to fr[illegible]

—*Detroit Journal.*

A COLORADO TRAGEDY.

A Miner Kills and Robs a Man and Discovers His Own Brother.

Ever Haunted by the Memory of His Horrible Crime the Murderer Returns and Hangs Himself at the Scene of the Tragedy.

It was one of Colorado's marvelous June days. The golden god of day sailed on in his turquoise sea with not a single cloud to shadow his brilliancy. Nature, in all her gorgeous livery of green, was in one of her most joyous moods, scarcely a zephyr disturbing the leaves of the cottonwoods and pines, and the only sounds heard were those of the lark, whose glad notes, as she twittered from bush to bush, were accompanied by the sad minor tones of the curfew, the shrill monotony of the grasshopper's chirp and the endless "peck" of the myriads of prairie-dogs, whose little brown heads and cunning features peeped from the numerous mounds of their village. These were the only signs and sounds of life on Badger Gulch; yet evidences of civilization were not wanting. Sluices and flumes, shovels, picks and a dismantled rocker were to be seen on the edge of the bank in the bed of the gulch, while some hundred yards distant, on the edge of a cottonwood grove, stood, bathed in the heavenly sunshine, a log-cabin, rough in its construction but picturesque in its surroundings.

Outside on a bench were utensils for cooking, rude but fitted for the rough hands of men and the simple wants of miners. These were the only evidences of the recent presence of humanity visible outside the cabin, nothing to indicate the horrible presence within, where, lying on the floor of the one room that had answered all the purposes of the simple housekeeping, was the body of a man whose white face gleamed with an unearthly pallor in the dim light from the small window, from the pool of blood surrounding the head and its mass of golden hair. The fixed, horrible stare of the blue eyes, the ugly, gaping wound in the forehead from which the life had for some time ceased to ebb, all told the fearful story of murder, whose motives was only too plainly visible in the inverted and empty pockets, and the absence of everything valuable on the body, save one article, a small medallion, which had been apparently jerked partially from the neck of the wearer and then, for some unknown reason, left. In the violence with which it had probably been snatched the spring had been pressed, disclosing in face of a beautiful, loving woman with the same fine eyes and fair hair of the wearer, whose colors had flood on the glass almost of the art of the features of the portrait. Yet this man, whose beardless face and smooth features indicated that his boyhood days were scarcely passed, had been handsome. Nothing inside or outside the cabin gave any direction of the perpetrator of the foul crime.

The mournful cry of the curlew came floating down the gulch on the gentle breeze which was now rising. Occasionally a frightened cottontail scurried to his warren in the sumbrak thicket, and the never-ceasing whirr of the grasshopper were the only signs and sounds of life. Presently horsemen came galloping over the trail, crossed the gulch and [illegible] to the cabin, seeking refreshments. Knocking at the door and receiving no answer, they lifted the latch and pushed back the obstruction, which they found, to their horror, to be the corpse of the murdered man, dead apparently for some hours. After searching, but in vain, for some evidence of his identity, they went outside and saw the prints of horses' feet, evidently recently made and showing that their course lead up the gulch. Examining their guns and ammunition, the strangers, who were one each of stray cattle, started on a full gallop up the gulch and over the divide, their expedition was readily managing the track of the fugitive, until reaching the main road to Denver, which was on the top of the ridge, where it was lost in the numerous others which had traversed over it that day. Reluctantly they gave up the chase and turned their horses toward Breckinridge, where they gave the alarm. The murderer, however, was never caught, notwithstanding the hue and cry that was raised.

Just one year later some travelers stopped at the deserted and now supposed to be haunted cabin. In fact, for several succeeding nights a light had shone through the one window far out into the night, and belated travelers had seen shadows flitting in the interior, yet no one had the hardihood to enter those ghoulish precincts after nightfall. On this June day, however, everything was apparently the same as that day one year ago. The lark was singing his bright song, the curlew doling its bell-like, mournful tone, the grasshoppers and prairie dogs were keeping up their incessant sounds, but all else was still. Dismounting, the elder horseman said: "Bill, I wonder if we will have the same luck we had when stopping here one year ago?" His companion answered: "I don't know; they told me at the camp below the cabin was haunted; that lights and strange sounds are seen and heard in the cabin after nightfall; one man saying that some evenings since, having to pass here, he heard groans and the sound of some one imploring for his life and then followed blows and groans, after which all was dark, so we may expect to see some. Hallo! Let's open the door, anyway."

The door creaked on its hinges and, looking into the shadowy room from the bright sunlight, nothing, at first was seen. Then, simultaneously from both, a cry of horror. There, hanging from one of the rafters, was the form of a man, whose protruding tongue and eyes and blackened face gave ghastly evidence of death by strangulation. An examination showed that the cord was fast around his neck, and, looking around, they saw a folded paper on the one table in the room, which, by the strange story it told, made the manner of death and its motive perfectly clear. On a number of closely written pages, directed "To whoever finds this," was a remarkable narrative, as follows:

"Oh, the horrible remorse of the murderer of the man who, in defiance of all the laws of God and man, takes the life of his fellow-being! Sleeping or waking, alone or among men, the terrible vision of his crime haunts him ever; but for the fratricide, damned for here and for eternity, there is no rest, no hope. I was the son of a Presbyterian preacher in an Eastern town. Although I had received a good education I was always of a wayward and restless disposition, and at the age of twenty-eight, in spite of the tears and prayers of a loving mother and the express commands of my father, I left my pleasant home and came West, excited by the numerous stories of danger and adventure among the Indians. Besides my parents, I had a sister several years younger and a baby brother scarcely five years old. After a terrible, rough experience as a teamster and miner, I managed in the latter pursuit to acquire several thousand dollars in California. I then embarked in the cattle business, fencing in a small range, and taking the worn-out cattle which had pulled the heavy teams across the plains, feeding and caring for them a number of weeks, at the end of which time they would be in good condition and I would sell them for a good sum in San Francisco. As my herd increased I enlarged my ranch, which was in a beautiful valley near the mountains.

"One day there was a tremendous freshet, the greatest ever known since the country was settled. All my cattle were drowned, and I was again a beggar. I wandered over the West, mining in the gulches with rather poor success. At last, driven by continual bad luck, I fell into evil ways and gambled and drank, and many a time near starved. Every new mining excitement found me one of the first in camp, but I had become as dissolute and unprincipled as the worst, and would shrink at no crime. Finally came the Pike's Peak and other Colorado excitements, and I found my way here. For a time I was moderately successful as a gulch miner, but the pay streak ran out, and I bitterly realized one day that my stock of provisions was gone, with nothing to replenish it. While in this embittered state of mind, feeling that luck was against me, and in the most desperate frame, a stranger came to my cabin one day and sought shelter and lodging. I told him he was welcome to the lodging, but that I had nothing to eat. Not dreaming of the terrible temptation he was placing before me, he quietly unbuckled a belt from around his body and emptied out a considerable store of gold coin, saying we could soon remedy the deficiency. How I gloated over the wealth he had exposed, and the demon possessing me I suddenly raised a huge club and felled him to the floor. A moment after I would have given worlds to undo the cowardly crime when I saw his fair golden hair dabbling in a pool of blood on the floor.

"Fearing that some one would soon come and discover me I quickly rifled his pockets and noticed a gold chain around his neck. Pulling this out, a locket was attached to the end of it, which, as I jerked it out, opened, disclosing the face of my mother. At the same moment I glanced at an envelope that was in one of the pockets and realized the horrible fact that I had slain my own brother, my baby brother, who twenty years before had put his arms around my neck and kissed me before I left home. At once I seemed possessed of all the demons of hell. Rushing from the house I jumped on my brother's horse, started on a mad gallop up the side of the gulch on to the high ridge beyond, until reaching the main road. I never drew rein until I reached Denver. Thence, after a very short stop, I took the trail south, traveling through Colorado, New and Old Mexico in various ways, but going always ever haunted by the memory of the horrible crime. Thus I have traveled with no peace save that of the damned, seeking danger in every form, but always coming out unscathed, until wearied out by my life of horror, trying in vain to escape the awful images continually conjured before me by my excited brain by an influence for which I could not account, I found myself at the end of a year at the scene of my great crime. With the beard of Cain on my brow, I suffered untold agonies and resolved to end it all.

Inclosed in this strange communication was the address of his parents, with a request that the finder of his body should communicate the fate of the mother to their parents. *Denver News.*

"Well," he said to the minister at the conclusion of the ceremony, "how much do I owe you?" "O, I'll leave that to you," was the reply. "You can better estimate the value of the service rendered." "Suppose we postpone settlement, then, say for a year. By that time I will know whether I ought to give you one hundred dollars or nothing." "No, no," said the clergyman, who is a married man himself, "make it three dollars now." *Detroit Post.*

A Chinaman who was arrested for drunkenness frankly expressed a common disposition. He said: "He no worker, but like drinkee allee same." —*Chicago Times.*

THE OLD, OLD STORY.

That Anecdote That Mr. Sawsage Tried to Relate and the Exasperating Obstacles He Met With.

I think that one reason there are so few good story tellers among us is that the listeners are, in many instances, so wearily and stubbornly unappreciative that it tends towards discouraging the skillful narration of pass class anecdotes.

There were four of us together coming across the divide a few years ago, and this principle was then and there exemplified. Gideon Gregg and myself, with a casual acquaintance, would have enjoyed the long ride if it had not been for a man named Sawsage, who had only recently escaped from some low-priced educational institution. He had acquired a few cast-iron facts of the cyclopædia variety, and with the odor of the valedictory all through his clothes he was making a tour of the coast and Colorado. He was what you might call one of those really statistical, brainy young reservoirs of information, who burst forth from the alma mater with the intention of going to Congress in two years, but finally compromise the matter forty years later by running for Overseer of Highways and getting snowed under about 137 majority.

When Gibbon saw Mr. Sawsage get on the stage he said to me, in a low voice: "Nye, we are undone. Sawsage will, doubtless, endeavor to relate some anecdote to us on the way, and then I shall commit an atrocious crime."

But he didn't do so the first ten miles. He contented himself by shedding other information and explaining things that he had just found on his physical geography and stunning us with the hard words that always float around in the aquarium which young men refer to as their brains.

Finally, however, some one reminded him of a story. Gregg tried to turn the conversation, but it was of no use. Said he: "It seems that many years ago a traveler or tourist of some description, whose name is immaterial—"

"Funny name," said Gregg. "Don't you think so, Gibbon?"

"Yes. Foreigner, probably. I knew a man named Jimmy Terrial once, though."

We discussed the name for four or five miles, and then allowed Sawsage to proceed.

"Well, as I was going to say, this tourist, traveler or sojourner was propounding inquiries relative to the climate, changes and isothermal—"

"Now, pardon me," said Gibbon, "but are you sure that word is not pronounced isotnaermal?"

I ventured to remark that isothermal was the correct accent, while Gregg sided with Sawsage. From a quiet discussion this grew into a regular row which lasted at least ten miles. Then we allowed the narrative to proceed.

"Well, at least to make a long story short, the traveler and a native of this country—"

"Remember his name?" asked Gregg. "We've got the other man's name. We ought to have this one."

"No," says Sawsage. "I didn't give the tourist's name, you remember."

"I beg pardon, said Gregg. "I don't want to seem curious and all the time kicking up a row with a comparative stranger, but you certainly gave us the other gentleman's name."

We then had a long and highly-enjoyable quarrel, during which Gibbon and I challenged Gregg and Sawsage to fight us in a dark room, each man to be blindfolded and armed with an adze. Best man to pay all funeral expenses and scrub out the room next day.

To this Gregg agreed, but Sawsage said he was "a very expert adzeman, and wanted to apologize.

Gibbon and I hesitated. Finally we agreed to think it over, but in the meantime we begged Sawsage to go ahead with his story, as we would reach the home station in five minutes more.

At last he made out to tell the story that Adam found under the currant bushes when he went into the Garden of Eden, about the place where the year was divided into "nine months winter and three months late into the fall."

At the station Sawsage went on east by the train, and we took No. 3 for Salt Lake City. On the way Gregg, Gibbon and I each sent a telegram to Mr. Sawsage separately, which read as follows, to wit:

"P. Ptolemy Sawsage, care Conductor No. 4: I have heard that B. C. story of yours before. Cobbet.

And we had, too. *Bill Nye, in San Francisco Ingleside.*

A Clever Peacock.

Landlord Thomas Brown, of a hotel at Stapleton, Staten Island, owns a big peacock named Pete, which is a great pet in the neighborhood. Pete has attained a local reputation through a trick of hopping up on the bar and dipping its bill in a glass of ginger ale whenever a customer is willing to pay twenty-five cents to have Pete join in the treat. Mr. Brown says one bitter cold night a year ago he found Pete perched on the roof of the house nearly frozen. He took him to the hay-mow and left him there. Ever since that time Pete roosts in the hayloft. A few months ago Brown got a mate for the bird. Last summer Pete discovered that Brown's bed-room window was directly over the roof of an extension back of the house. He got in the habit of coming there and tapping with his beak on the window pane, until Mrs. Brown gave it some delicacy to eat. Pete soon taught his mate to come there, too, after the good things. He always waited until she was served first. On Friday night last, when it was terribly cold, and about midnight, there was a great clatter at the bedroom window. Pete was there. He looked half frozen. Brown opened the window and lifted him in. Then he shrieked as only a peacock can. He pecked and flew at the window. Brown opened it and away he went, chattering and scolding. He flew to the roof of the barn and looked down at the haymow door. Some of the men had accidentally shut Pete out from his mate. *N. Y. Herald.*

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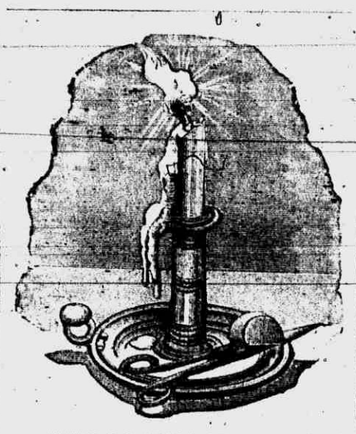

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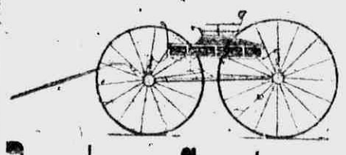

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ONE ELK AND FIVE MEN.

They Have a Stout Struggle and the Elk Did Not Get the Worst of It.

A desperate struggle occurred Saturday afternoon between Mr. D. L. Pope and a large elk owned by Mr. D. J. Frazee, and kept on his farm. Mr. Frazee shipped from the far West, about five years since, at a cost of about $180, a pair of elks, male and female, which he has kept in a park of about two acres; fenced with a high rail fence the road fence forming one side of the park. They were supposed to be docile pets and not vicious, a portion of the park being an orchard from which people were accustomed to gather fruit without molestation, and no one had ever been attacked by them. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Pope, accompanied by the tenant on his farm, Mr. R. I. Harper, met a boy with a horse and wagon, who said the elks were out in the road and he could not get by them and had to turn back. Pope and Harper soon met the elks, the male in advance, in the middle of the road, and about forty rods from the park. Mr. Harper got out of the carriage, took the whip, and attempted to drive them back, when the male put down his head, presenting his horns, and gave a sniff, rather indicating a disposition to show fight. Mr. Pope told Harper to get a club and let the elk have it. He then got out of the carriage himself, and went to the fence and procured a piece of rail to assist in driving the elk back, when Mr. Harper hit him with a club and he gave back a few feet. Pope followed him up, flourishing his rail. Harper then picked up a club and hit the elk on the horns. The brute seemed to know that Pope was unarmed and rushed upon him in an instant with all the fury of a maddened bull. Pope, seeing no chance for retreat or weapon at hand, grappled with the sharp horns of the infuriated beast, but the rush was so powerful and impetuous that he was thrown to the ground, and it seemed impossible that he could escape being killed by the sharp horns being thrust into him; but, by seemingly superhuman efforts, he kept them from piercing him through, and was partially raised from the ground by his firm grasp upon the horns, when he gained a position directly in front and between the two large horns. By a desperate effort he forced the animal's head down, bringing the points of the sharp antlers upon the ground, with head curbed under, so that his nostrils came in contact with the underside of his neck, in which position the elk could not go forward with him, but he could back up, dragging Mr. Pope along. Mr. Harper, who was unable up to this time to render any assistance, got hold of the end of the long horns back of Mr. Pope, the elk continuing to drag them around in the road, struggling fiercely.

Rev. Mr. Fairbank's wife, living about 600 rods away, saw the struggle and gave the alarm, and the reverend gentleman, who is very strong and able-bodied, went to their assistance, taking hold of the end of the other big horn from Harper; but the infuriated brute continued to drag all three men about the road and ditch, they not daring to let go of him, when Mr. Punderson, living still further away, came to their assistance. The elk made a desperate effort to free himself, and shook them all off but Pope, who hung to his position and held for dear life. The others soon caught on again and forced the sharp antlers into the ground three or four inches, and after a time Mr. E. W. Fox came with a log-chain, which was hitched about the animal's neck with a slip-noose and drawn up tight for the purpose of choking him down, but his struggles and kicking and striking were so desperate that all were in imminent danger, and they decided to let go and jump away from him, and let him go with the chain tightly drawn around the throat and thrown over one horn. Showing no more inclination to fight, and with the aid of two more recruits, the elk was driven into the park and left wearing the chain as a trophy of his first battle. The battle lasted fifteen or twenty minutes. Rev. Mr. Fairbanks had his right wrist sprained, and Harper is feeling sore from the strain. Mr. Pope was not aware that he was seriously injured, although his right leg and ankle pained him severely, and on getting off his boot it was found that the elk had thrust one of his antlers through the heavy cowhide boot near the instep.—*Cleveland Herald.*

OIL AND SOAP.

The Romance of a Poor Young Woman and a Rich Young Man.

Frederick Page Cobham, a young Englishman, came to this country within the past decade almost penniless, but determined to gain a fortune in the oil fields. After the first year of toil and economy, through which he struggled in order to accumulate a moderate "stake," he never met with a reverse. His very first investment brought him tenfold return, and for successive years his growing wealth multiplied in geometrical ratio. Meantime Frederick Page Cobham grew lonely. He longed for companionship and, being of æsthetic tastes, he yearned for beauty as well. It was while in this mood that he heard that Philadelphia was a city far famed for the fascinating grace, the perfect features, and the golden hearts of its young women. He resolved to come, to see, and, if possible, to conquer.

In the morning he secured a colored valet, arrayed himself in purple and fine linen, and sallied forth in his career of conquest. Near Broad and Chestnut streets he was attracted by the throng of ladies passing in and out of a large and well-known dry goods store. He entered, but the shoppers, lovely as they seemed, were soon eclipsed in his romantic eyes by the saleswomen. He gazed, but was in perplexity as to what could be done, when he suddenly met an old friend whom he had known ever since his arrival in America. The friend held a responsible position in the store.

After the first greetings were over Cobham asked his friend to present him to some one of a bevy of shop girls clustered behind a counter which was laden with toilet soap.

"Which one?" asked the friend.

to his valet, and rehearsed the oratorical:

"May I have the pleasure of calling on you?"

"Oh, you quite frighten me," she answered. "Still your friend here speaks so highly of you—well, I shall be glad to see you to-morrow evening."

With this step gained, Cobham felt that he would soon win the battle. He was cordially received at the home of the girl's father (who is a butcher), Thomas B. Pauline, living at 124 North Tenth street. One call followed another and presents followed presents. He could not buy too much at the store where he first had met Miss Pauline, and every day he sent his valet back to the hotel from these shopping expeditions fairly loaded. In less than a week he had carried Miss Pauline's heart by storm, and they were engaged to be married.

Her parents were poor, and they could not afford to buy a suitable trousseau. This, however, Mr. Cobham declared could easily be remedied. She should have all the silks and satins, all the gold and silver ornaments, all the little but costly refinements of the toilet she wanted. As for the bills, he would settle them all himself. Three weeks flew by; the bride's outfit was complete, and on Thanksgiving Day they were married quietly at the bride's home. Meantime Mr. Cobham had bought a seat in the Petroleum and Mining Exchange, and had gone into business, intending to make his permanent residence in Philadelphia. They went upon a brief but happy wedding trip, and soon after their return moved from the Lafayette to a cosy, quiet house on Fifteenth street, above Arch. Their honeymoon is still unclouded.—*Philadelphia Press.*

HUNTING A CHOLERA GERM.

An Exciting Chase of the Only Comma Bacillus in This Country.

Dr. Edward O. Shakspeare has the only specimen of the comma bacillus, or Asiatic cholera germ, in America. It is securely caged in a glass jar, and the lid is covered an inch deep with sealing wax. It is kept locked in a little cabinet in Dr. Shakespeare's consulting room. A few days ago it was exhibited at a meeting of the County Medical Society, and its owner was jokingly admonished not to let it escape, as in the open air microbes are said to multiply at the rate of one million a day. The comma bacillus was wagging its tail in quite a lively manner, as if eager for liberty. It beat its head against the glass, and swam all around the jar, looking for some aperture by which it might regain the open air. It was captured about three months ago in France. During its confinement it has lived on a piece of dried beef about the size of a pea.

Yesterday morning Dr. Shakspeare was entertaining a practitioner from Pottsville, and, as an intellectual treat, he offered to show him the only cholera germ on this side of the Atlantic. At first the country doctor felt nervous, but after awhile his fears were overcome and the jar was produced. Suddenly the owner of the microbe uttered an exclamation of surprise and alarm. The germ was nowhere to be found. The jar was empty.

"That durned thing's escaped," shouted the man from Pottsville. Then he added with excitement: "What does it look like?"

"For all the world like a tadpole," answered the doctor, breathlessly, hardly knowing why the question was put. "Only smaller."

In a moment the Pottsvillian's head was under the table. He panted out to Dr. Shakspeare a request to shut the door, and then commenced to scour the room for the microbe. "If the thing gets out," he said, pale with fright, "the cholera will be here, and it'll be our fault."

"I've got it," suddenly cried Dr. Shakspeare, while the hunt was progressing, had returned to the bottle and taken another peep. The microbe had climbed to the top of the jar and was hidden in the crevice between the lid and the neck. The gentleman from Pottsville threw himself back in a chair and took ten minutes to recover his breath. Then he curiously examined the object of his search. "You'd better kill it," he suggested.

"That's a good idea," the owner of the germ exclaimed. Then with a powerful chemical he deprived the dangerous organism of life, so that his neighbors may no longer be harassed with dread of its getting at liberty.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—A mad dog was killed by a gentleman from Massachusetts the other afternoon at the corner of Houston and Mulberry streets. While the people were hurrying to get out of the rabid animal's way the Massachusetts man picked him up by the nape of the neck and cut his throat with a penknife, saying: "That's the way we do it in Massachusetts."—*N. Y. Journal.*

—Make it a condition that a talker must know what he is talking about and he will not say much.—*N. O. Picayune.*

DEATH OF REV. WM. GRANDY.

Mr. Geo. Heesen and Mrs. Packard have received from Rev. J. A. De Spelder late copies of the Sioux City Journal announcing the demise of Rev. Wm. Grandy, formerly of Tecumseh. One number contains an interview which the reporter held with Mr. Grandy on New Year's day in which the stricken man says:

"I am looking and feeling better than you expected to see me? Yes, but I shall not live long. At first it seemed hard that I must leave my family, but they will be cared for I know—can care for themselves—and now I am ready. I do not dread to die. When you ask, 'If a man die shall he live again?' I am not able to give the reason but I know I shall live again—know it as well as I know that I hold this orange in my hand, though in a different way. I know that what I have preached is true, that Christianity is true, and that when I die, which will be soon, I shall go home. You and I have always understood each other pretty well. Tell my friends how it is with me."

And the reporter went out from his New Year's call on this Christian soldier, who is wounded so irrecoverably, feeling that he has been with one very near the Kingdom.. It may, perhaps, seem not in good taste to write so particularly of the condition and talk so much of this beloved pastor, but that so many are asking how it is, and how Mr. Grandy feels now that he knows he has but a little while to live, seems sufficient reason for this plain statement.

From a lengthy obituary notice in the Journal of the 6th, we glean a few extracts which will be of interest to the Tecumseh friends of the deceased.

Rev. Wm. Grandy died a few minutes before midnight on Sunday.—His physician, Dr. J. M. Knott, and a few near friends were present. Mr. N. Dickey, brother of Mrs. Grandy, arrived a few moments after death had come. Within a few minutes of the last he was conscious, feebly pressing her hand, and smiling as his wife bent over him. Then the breathing grew weaker, and the life here went out as a flame that has burned all its fuel. Possibly if he could have chosen the day, it would have been as it was—on Sunday, and the communion day in his church. The usual words of regret do not come in this case. All who knew him well were persuaded, as he was, that for him to die was gain, and when it was a question of a few days more or less of suffering they will agree with him that it is best as it is.

William Grandy was born of Irish parents at Cavan, Ont., June 30, 1842. His father, a farmer and the holder of considerable landed interests, and mother, both survive him. Both parents were and are exemplary Christians. His mother, in particular is spoken of by those who know her as a most devout woman, and to her teachings and example is due in a great measure the fervent belief of the son. After attending the common schools of the neighborhood until 18 years old, the subject of our sketch became a student at the grammar school at Milton, Ont. Leaving that he attended the academy at Toronto, graduating with the highest honors, and then entered the theological institute of that city. During his four years' course at this seminary he was married to Miss Margaret A. Dickey. The marriage was at Toronto on Aug. 18th, 1865. To this union, which proved a most happy one, six children were born, Meta, Percy, Lulu, May, Fred and Ada. These, with their mother, survive to mourn the most considerate of fathers and kindest of husbands.

Leaving the theological seminary in 1866, his first settlement was at the town of Galt, near Toronto. In 1869 he was settled as pastor of the first Presbyterian church at Lansing, Mich. Here his health broke down by repeated attacks of ague and he took a rest of eight months and then settled at Brighton, Mich.

In '74 he left Brighton to take charge of a small church in Detroit, then but recently organized. This, under his pastorate, was built up into a flourishing society, and Calvary church, Detroit, will long stand a monument of this most efficent worker. During his pastorate here he founded the Trumbull Avenue mission, the first meeting being held in the parlors of his residence, and had the gratification of seeing this work grow into a flourishing church.

Serious sickness in his family induced a removal to a country charge. Two of the most eminent physicians of the city urged that for the sake of his children's health he should go into the country. He went to Tecumseh, Mich. to take charge of the Presbyterian church of that village, the third largest society of the denomination in Michigan, remaining there a little less than four years. His children did not fully regain health and physicians advised an entire change of climate. Early in 1882 he left home for Fremont, Neb. While stopping t that town he received a letter from Dr. J. M. Knott, of this city, a gentleman then unknown to him, asking him in behalf of the Presbyterian church of this city to stop here and preach on his way back. The Presbyterian church was then without a pastor, Rev. E. H. Avery having recently left to accept a call to Vinton. It was a case of love at first sight. The people, after seeing and hearing him, wanted him to come. He, too, liked Sioux City. On April 29, he arrived in the city, accompanied by his beauty, and the next day, Sunday, preached his first sermon as pastor of the first Presbyterian church of this city. Of his ministry here there is no need to say much, its events are too recent and well known. He came quice and deservedly to the front rank of popular favor, as he had done wherever he had ministered,—not only in those things that have to do with the moral advancement of the race, but in more material objects as well he was active. Citizens remember with gratitude that when the work of securing the business college, which Sioux City is now proud, stopped but half done, it was Rev. Mr. Grandy who pushed the project to a successful completion. He planned to make Sioux City his home, and had bought a site for a residence with the intention of building, but his plans were interrupted by sickness. On Christmas day he had been very low. He did not want to die on children's day, he said. Even in his longing to go home he was considerate of others, and did not want to mar the enjoyment his children might otherwise have in Christmases hereafter by having that day made the anniversary of their father's death. Afterwards he frequently asked his physician "How long?" and on Sunday was happy when told there was not long to wait now. "Rounding into port," he said. As mentioned at first, his mind remained clear, and he seemed conscious of what was going on around his bed till within a few minutes of the last. No such eloquent sermon was preached that Sunday as the sermon to be read of all men in the trustful death of this Christian minister. His sincerity, kindness, ready sympathy and sterling integrity, as well as his fervent piety, will remain a pleasant memory to all who knew him.

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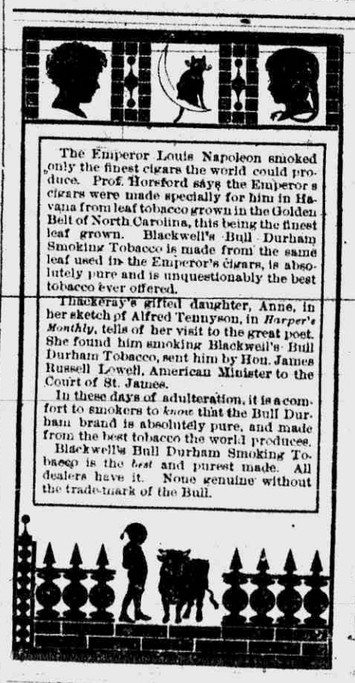

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Commander Hosmer and six other members of Beers' Post helped install the officers of the Addison Post. They were royally entertained while there and speak in the highest terms of the Addison Post.

The first sermon of Rev. G. W. Hudson's Sunday evening lectures was given last Sabath evening. The attendance was good for a rainy evening and the discourse was one of Mr. Hudson's best efforts.

In our notice last week of the James DeWolf wedding, it was stated that among the gifts was a cash present from the bride's father. This does injustice to Mr. Alfred James, the father of the groom. The cash in hand was furnished by both the interested fathers, Mr. James and Mr. DeWolf.

HO! FOR NEW ORLEANS.

The G. A. R. Post of Tecumseh are working up an excursion to New Orleans. They wish to obtain enough pledges of passengers to fill two cars. If the required number can be had, or about 80 passengers in all, the coaches will be secured and the excursion will leave here about the 20th of February. The plan is this. One ordinary coach will be taken for the G. A. R. men and other male passengers who wish to economize, and this car will be switched off at different places on the route to enable the company to visit some of the battle fields of the rebellion. The second coach will be a modern hotel and sleeping coach, which will be used both for boarding and lodging purposes from the time of starting until the return, and which will be left at the Exposition grounds during the stay at New Orleans, thus saving time and expense in going to and from the Exposition. This coach will be used for family parties, and either gentlemen or ladies who may desire first-class accommodations.—We understand that about one half the required number have already pledged themselves to go. Full information respecting fare, route, etc., can be had by calling on E. J. Hollister or S. P. Hosmer.

A BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE.

It is perhaps somewhat late in the season, but yet not too late, to notice C. A. Wright's new dwelling house on the corner of Pottawatamie and Evans streets. The house occupies the old vacant corner west of the homestead residence of the late Moses Wright, where Col. Spofford now resides. It is one of the most eligible locations for a fine dwelling in the entire village. The house is constructed in modern gothic style, two stories high, with roomy basement, and a showy cupola. The roof is covered with slate, and the exterior is painted in dark shades, which is the prevailing style at present. The first floor contains a vestibule, a large double parlor, a family room and bath room, a dining room and kitchen. The second floor has four large fine chambers. The windows are of plate glass, all hung on weights, and all fitted with inside blinds. The doors and interior wood work are of light colored woods finished in hard oil. The rail of the main stair case is an elaborate piece of joiner work done in black walnut. The house is heated with a Pearl furnace, with a hot air flue leading into every room on both floors. Salmon Crane took the job of construction on a contract and furnished everything. The furnace was put in by Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. Mr. & Mrs. Wright are now fully settled in their new home and are most pleasantly situated. "Gus" has reason to congratulate himself. He has a good business, a fine house, a splendid wife and a smart baby. What more does a man need to make him happy?

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 15, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Who will be the deputy sheriff from Tecumseh?

Wm. McCowen shipped a large bill of furniture to Ferrysburg a few days ago.

John Mason, district telephone manager, was in town Monday on business.

James B. Colvin of Raisin, has been on the sick list for a few days, but he is out again now.

Elder Geo. Price of this village officiated at the funeral of M. A. Willett at Pittsford, Hillsdale Co., on the 6th inst.

The Queen skating rink at St. Louis, owned by Col. L. Saviers, formerly of this village, burned last Friday night.

Henry Ward Beecher, in the February number of the North American Review, will discuss the question whether clergymen should "meddle with politics."

Ministers and justices of the peace who fail to return marriages solemnized by them are liable to criminal prosecution. These should be the last parties to violate the laws.

The business of the American Express Co. at this place is constantly increasing, and Geo. Heesen fills the position of agent in a manner which is most satisfactory to his patrons.

Frank Buman has lately received a lot of lemons, oranges, grape fruit and pine apples from his Florida grove. We had the pleasure of sampling some of the best specimens the other day, and they were prime.

Frank Silvers will hereafter run a hack to the Lilley House in connection with all trains on the M. & O. road. The hack will do a general business, also running to Lake Shore trains and private houses when parties desire it.

The libel suit against the editor of the Milan Journal by the Bohemian oat men resulted in a disagreement of the jury. The sympathies of the community in general are very largely with editor Smith, and his subscription list has received a big boom lately.

Salmon Crane returned last Friday from St. Louis Mo. where he has been spending the last three months with his son Charles. Charley has an important clerkship in the general passenger department of the Wabash Railway. Mr. Crane enjoyed his visit there very much.

At the time that the Rev. Mr. Hudson delivered his historical sermon, our columns were so overloaded with holiday advertising that we had no room for that kind of matter. We take pleasure in publishing a few extracts now. We believe our readers will coincide with us in saying: Better late than never.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. did a large and satisfactory business during 1884, and they are now filling up their yards with a heavy supply of lumber. With the anticipated revival of business in the Spring, they expect a largely increased trade during 1885. J. H. Smith, the present manager, fills his new position most acceptably.

The new cornet band have engaged the services of Mr. Jaynes, of Manchester, as teacher, who will give them a course of lessons. He gave his first lesson Tuesday evening. The band are also preparing to put an amateur theatrical on the stage. The plays selected are, "Two much for good Nature," and "Poor Pillicoddy." These plays, if properly cast, will make a first class entertainment.

A new game, called the "Printer's Delight," is the latest. It is played in the following manner: Take a sheet of white paper and put your autograph on it: then fold it around sufficient currency to pay a year's subscription to the HERALD, put it in an envelope, write our name on the outside, stick one of Uncle Sam's little red chromos on the corner, drop it in the postoffice, and we will risk the consequences.—Exchange.

An important event in the history of the State university this year, will be the publication of a complete and accurate history of the institution from the first land grant by congress in 1804, to the close of the year 1883. It is the work of Miss Farrand, who has lived among the 40,000 books of the university library so long that she has become familiar with her subject; having had every advantage in the way of position and acquaintance that could be afforded.

M. P. Brown has loaned us a few San Francisco papers which he received from his uncle, Mr. Justin Gates, a resident of that city. The New Year's number of the Chronicle is a mammoth sheet giving a sketch of the business progress of that city during the past year. He also received one of the tickets voted at the late election which is a curiosity. It is eighteen inches long by five wide, printed on colored paper. The name of each candidate and the office he is running for are printed on one line and numbered. There are 66 numbers on the ticket.

A. W. Slayton has two residences to sell on monthly payments of $10.00.

C. D. Birls is managing a skating rink at Goshen Ind., and is making money.

A good strong Odd Fellows Lodge was instituted at Addison last Saturday evening.

The next entertainment of the Library Lecture Course will come off on Friday, Jan. 23rd.

Every young man and woman should attend Cleary's business college, Ypsilanti, Mich.

The newly elected officers of the Odd Fellows Lodge were duly installed on Tuesday evening.

The hall of the Lake Ridge Hotel has been converted into a skating rink. Lake Ridge is booming.

The aggregate expense to Jackson County for the trial of Dan Holcomb was $20,000, and Dan was acquitted.

J. B. VanEtten, of the Addison Courier, was in town last Tuesday. We had a pleasant chat with him. Call again, Jay.

J. S. Kinney is attending the annual convention of the state funeral directors association, which is in session yesterday and to-day at East Saginaw.

Frank Silvers has received a new hack direct from the city of Toledo. It is a daisy. He will run it to all trains in connection with the Lilley House and to all private houses.

Brooklyn Exponent: Young men with new $40 cutters are no better than the rest of poor humanity, but how like the old scratch stock would go up on those individuals if it should happen.

David [illegible] has his clothes cleaning [illegible] pairing establishment in Marsteller's building on Railroad street, next door to Marsh's meat market. People who want their clothes overhauled should give him a call.

The Detroit evening News says: "Capt. C. R. Mullen has charge, by assignment, of Ben Farmer's boot and shoe store at Adrian." Oh, Dear! that a prominent congressional candidate should be called a mullen! But such is fame.

S. B. Terry, of this village received intelligence last Friday of the death of his eldest brother, Edmund Terry at Waterville N. Y. The deceased had many acquaintances in this vicinity who will learn of his demise with sincere regret.

We have just received a large invoice of job type and border suitable for all kinds of invitation cards and other small work. The HERALD job rooms will be kept up with the times, and, with good material and good workmanship, will continue to turn out first class work.

H. Brewer & Co. have just built a clay crusher on an entirely new pattern. It is designed to crush clay and separate the stone. They have applied for a patent on it, which they will undoubtedly obtain. One of the complete machines was shipped to Springfield, Ill. last week for exhibition at the brick and tile convention.

The report has gained currency that Frank Bumann paid too much for poultry last December and lost heavily. That report has no foundation. Mr. Bumann's business last year was as large as usual and considering the stringency of the times was entirely satisfactory to him. He continues to pay the highest market price for poultry, butter & eggs, and buys more than any other dealer in the county.

Adrian Press: Last Sunday night two or three young colored boys were at the Baptist church on North Broad St., and very drunk. One, a boy named Smith, was carted home unconscious. Abe Mitchell figured as one of the leaders, having a bottle of whisky which he passed around freely. The chaps were in Eisele's saloon and Eisele had a fine of $10 and costs to pay to Justice Hulett. Abe is under arrest, and it looks as though the kinks would be taken out of him too. It is more than likely that some of these law breakers will have occasion to try Sheriff Whitmore's bill of fare very soon.

H. U. Matthews received notice Monday of his appointment as "Northwestern Agent" of the M. & O. Co. with office at Muskegon, Mich. The office of contracting agent, heretofore held by R. W. Innes of Grand Rapids, has been abolished, and the territory covered thereby will be under the charge of the Northwestern Agent. Mr. Matthews began his railroad experience as assistant in the freight office of the L. S. & M. S. at Tecumseh. When the M. & O. opened their Tecumseh depot he was appointed manager of both the ticket and freight offices at this station. By his attention to business, his gentlemanly deportment with the patrons of the road, and his aptitude for mastering the details of railroading, he has established the reputation of being one of the most efficient subordinate officials on the entire line of the road.—His promotion has been well earned, and we believe the company will find him equally faithful in the new position he is about to assume. The best wishes of our business community will go with him. His transfer takes place to-day.

The last day of grace for paying taxes is approaching.

Kies Bros. announce the continuance of their slaughter sale until February 1st.

A small detachment of the Salvation army invaded the village yesterday afternoon.

Harry Stevens circulates 203 copies of the Evening News in Tecumseh.—Good for him.

Sap buckets till you can't rest.—Read Swan & Satterthwaite Bros.' new card for particulars.

W. D. Adams announces a quarter off sale this week. Now you can buy notions at rock bottom rates.

The Star Shoe Co. proclaim a quarter off sale in to-day's paper. Now is the accepted time to get shod.

H. C. Matran, the new station agent at the M. & O. dept. assumes his duties to-day. He comes from Toledo.

Alice Tilden has gone to Lansing to spend the remainder of the winter with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Henry.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman respectfully asks those indebted to her to call and settle within the next ten days as she needs her money.

Miss Anna Robbins of Cleveland, will remain in Tecumseh about four weeks. It will take her longer than that to finish her visit.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold a social at the residence of Wm. H. Osborn, on Friday evening, Jan. 16.

The prohibition county convention held at Adrian yesterday was largely attended, and a disposition was manifested by those present to paddle their own canoe.

There will be a special meeting of Macon Grange Thursday Jan. 22d at 7 o'clock P. M. Mrs. A. J. Sutton, lecturer of Pomona Grange will deliver a lecture, and give instructions in the secret work of the order. All members are requested to be present.

Kyle & Haines have purchased from the Peter R. Adams estate the old Cummin's Carriage factory property. They will transact a general carriage and wagon and blacksmithing business, doing all kinds of repairing and new work also. They will have a splendid building and location, and hope to build up a large business. They will take possession of their new quarters about the first of February.

M. P. Brown returned last evening from Hillsdale where he attended the annual meeting of the Michigan Mutual Benefit Association. Over forty delegates were present and a very satisfactory showing was made by the Company's officers. A meeting of the members in this vicinity will be held on Saturday evening, Jan. 17th, at 8 o'clock, in Dr. Catlin's office, to enable them to hear a full report of the meeting.

The pastor and young people of the M. E. church will give a young people's social in the lecture room and parlor of the church on Wednesday evening, Jan. 21, 1885. A treat of ice cream and cake will be served. A short musical and literary program will be given. Admission free. The young people of the congregation and their friends are cordially invited. Object, a good time and better acquaintance among the young people.

Tecumseh Lodge No. 870 Knights of Honor, at their meeting on Monday evening, elected the following officers:

D.—D. T. Hall.
V. D.—A. W. Armstrong.
A. D.—H. W. Stevens.
G.—Wm. Jordan.
C.—S. Whittier.
R.—C. A. Slayton.
F. R.—L. G. North.
T.—D. McNair.
G.—S. W. Bordine.
S.—F. Chiverall.
P. D.—M. P. Brown.
Med. Ex.—Dr. L. G. North.
Lodge Trustees—D. McNair, C. H. Gainsley, F. Rosacrans.

AN EVENING IN WONDERLAND.

On Friday evening, the 23rd inst. the third lecture of the Library course will be given by Wm. I. Marshall. The lecture is entitled "An evening in Wonderland. Among the views presented will be the upper basin of the mammoth hot springs, and other scenes in the Yellowstone National Park; the Mormon temple and tabernacle; the Yosemite valley and the big trees of California; the celebrated hot geysers of Wyoming. The entertainment is splendidly illustrated with dissolving views of photographs from nature by the calcium light stereopticon. This is Mr. Marshall's eighth season in the lecture field and he has gained a national reputation. He has sixteen lectures, in his repertory and this is considered one of his best. Read what the press says of it:

"Worth a score of ordinary lectures" Zions Herald.

"Should be repeated in every town in the United States." N. Y. Observer.

"As instructive as it is facinating." Boston Journal.

"A most enjoyable entertainment" Chicago Inter-Ocean.

"A splendid exhibition." N. Y. Evening Post.

Single tickets 35 cents; with reserved seats, 50 cents. Season tickets for the remaining four entertainments $1.00. For sale at Adamson's. Special rates for school children to this entertainment.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

They have barrel races at the Blissfield skating rink.

The Holloway corset factory is doing a thriving business.

Ben Farmer, a shoe dealer of Adrian, failed on Saturday.

Riga is progressing in the arts and sciences. That town has a skating rink now.

Jacob Fischer, of Adrian, broke a leg last Friday by stepping from the side walk.

A. A. Sprague, of Hudson, dealer in hats, caps and gents furnishing goods, has failed.

Mrs. Col. Ellredge expects to join her husband in Washington before inauguration day.

The Bohemian oat men are making a raid on Franklin. Don't sign any Bohemian notes.

Mrs. Jennie Wetmore and John H. Navin have been appointed administrators of the estate of the late C. I. Wetmore.

The county horticultural society, of which D. Woodward, of Clinton, is the newly elected president held a meeting yesterday.

The Lenawee Co. teachers association held a meeting at Dean's Opera House last Saturday. The attendance was light.

Adrian is happy again. They had a double mammoth Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe there last evening, and all for ten cents a ticket.

Two girls escaped from the Industrial Home last saturday evening—They were soon overhauled by the officers and brought back.

Mr. Allen, of Allen's Landing, will sell his present hotel and erect a new house the coming summer at the North end of Devil's Lake.

H. D. Pegg, of Morenci, finished his eighteenth year in the drug business on New Years day, and is still pegging away at the same trade.

Five cents for a shave, and ten cents for hair cutting at Blissfield. What ruinous prices! That's lower than wheat at seventy cents a bushel.

Hudson Gazett: At Martin & Scott's: Tonsorial artist—"Dye your hair, sir?" Customer—"No, I'm too young." Artist—"The good dye young, you know, sir."

The teacher's association of Ogden, recently discussed the all-absorbing question: "Shall the young men be allowed to sit with the girls?" Their dicision has not yet been announced.

A buckeye boy named Geo. E. Divins was married on New Years day to Miss Sarah L. Gander of Adrian. That young lady is a gander no longer. Time will decide whether she is a goose.

Adrian Record: Not an insurance agent in Adrian but has joined the compact! What a record! Now let some man with backbone and fighting qualities start an agency. The people will sustain him.

The Morenci Observer says: A prominent citizen of Medina is using his second half hundred bottles of a well-advertised medicine, for his rheumatic ills.

No wonder the poor fellow has the rheumatism.

The post-offices in this county to which postmasters are appointed by the president are salaried as follows: Adrian, $2,500 salary and $1,975 clerk hire; Blissfield, $1,100 salary; Hudson, $1,800 salary and $650 clerk hire; Tecumseh, $1,729 salary.

Morenci Observer: There are patent knitters and knitters, but Scofield's invention eclipses them all. He is making rapid sales thereof, and will manufacture them extensively. One of the wood cuts he is to have engraved will represent a pretty Morenci girl manipulating the knitter.

Hudson Post: Chas S. Hampton, of Harbor Springs, Mich., editor of the Northern Independent, spent Sunday in Hudson. He will remain in Lansing for a time, having been elected to the legislature. Although elected on a fusion ticket, he is probably the most thorough Greenbacker in Mich. Mr. H. was formerly a Hudson boy, and his public career is watched with interest by those who knew him here.

Following are the newly elected officers of the county horticultural society.

President—D. Woodward, Clinton.
Vice President—F. J. Hough, city.
Secretary—S. B. Mann, Lenawee Junction.
Treasurer—A. Sigler, city.
Librarian—Dr. W. Owen, city.
Executive committee—Peter Collar, Wm. Wickham, Jr., city; J. T. Clark, Clinton; N. J. Strong, Fairfield; E. W. Allis, Madison.

The unfortunate citizen who holds a drain order now days is kept guessing whether he will get his pay or not. The uncertainties of the drain law, together with the superior advantages which the initiated have over the uninitiated to "shove" orders, leaves the average holder of an order with an opportunity to grow wiser as he grows older. This is not always satisfactory, but seems to be the only alternative.—Blissfield Advance. The editor of the Advance is said to hold a nice bunch of the orders, over which he holds daily religious services.—Adrian Record.

MRS. GUMBO'S CRAZY QUILT.

Jerusha Gumbo is Joshua Gumbo's wife. Jerusha is a faithful, tearful, timid little body, whose life has been a constant warfare with poverty. The humdrum drudgery of meal getting and washtub music and children's teething has whitened her locks, and bent her form. At eighteen years of age she was a blue-eyed rosey-cheeked buxom lass, who topped the scales at two hundred and ten pounds. Now she weighs only two hundred and sixty.

Joshua is a spare man, who stands six feet three in his stockings, and who has to stand squarely facing the sun, in order to cast a shadow. His avoirdupois is eighty three pounds and ten ounces. His life has been a constant warfare with Jerusha. They always view everything through spectacles of a different color. She spends her leisure moments in laying plans for procuring household comforts and devising ways and means to get rich. He spends his in upsetting them. Joshua is hard of hearing, that is, his auricular sense is seriously impaired. His ear drums fluctuate. Sometimes he hears and sometimes he does'nt. If a man offers to pay him five dollars his hearing is remarkable acute. If a man duns him for five dollars, he can scarcely hear a word, even with the aid of an eighteen inch trumpet.

The other evening, after Joshua had filled the coal stove and Jerusha had wiped the last dish they sat down for their usual evening's spat.

"Now then, Joshua," said she, "there is one thing I wish to have settled. The sun has set and the moon has risen on our married life for over thirty years. I have taken six children through the measels, and chicken pox and mumps and diptheria. I have made bread from borrowed flour and loaned doughnuts and bought steak on tick to keep the family moving, but the era has at last arrived when I shall insist upon adopting some means to procure a crazy quilt. All the genteelest families in town are reveling in the luxury of a crazy quilt. Red-headed Mrs. Smith on Shawnee street has a beauty, with all the colors of the calicoscope. Mrs. Brown who lives in the gossip-roofed house on Wyandotte street has two of them. It would make your eyes weep for joy, Joshua, to gaze on those quilts. Mrs. Robinson, who presides over the French standard-roofed edifice on Pottawatamie street, has three. And now, do you hear, I say? I must and shall have a crazy quilt."

"What'n thunder do you wan't of raisins 'n milk? I s'pose its for that black and tan, aint it. You feed it on fried oysters and molasses candy and quail on toast. Now I s'pose you want a dessert of raisins 'n milk."

"Hush, Joshua, and open your ears. I said I wanted a c-r-a-z-y crazy q-u-i-l-t quilt."

"Oh, eye! yes, a crazy quilt. What's that?"

"Good gracious, as Shakespeare says: What fools these men folks be. It is difficult to describe it, Joshua, but once seen it is never forgotten. It is unlike anything else in the air, upon the earth or in the sea.

It is a bed covering of variegated pattern, made up of rectangular triangles, and oblong parrellelograms, and obtuse hypothenuses. It contains eleven hundred separate patches in twelve hundred different colors, and stitched together with thirteen hundred different styles of stitch. If you should run a geometry, a calico factory, a chinese dictionary and paint shop through a sausage machine, it would'nt begin to make as handsome a comfortable, as a modern crazy quilt. And its crowning beauty is its cheapness. A few of your old clothes, Joshua, a full package of diamond dyes and a quilting bee will secure this coveted luxury. Have you forgotton our old sparking days, Joshua, when we used to hold father's front gate on the hinges, while the pale faced moon listened to your tale of love and the cricket was cricketing on the lawn, how you vowed a solemn vow that if I would become Mrs. Gumbo, I should never ask a favor of you in vain?

"Hang it, women will be women, I s'pose. But if you kin git up that air quilt with a bee so it wont cost nothing, why sail in, that's all."

Joshua emptied his pipe, split the kindlings and retired. Happy Mrs. Gumbo fell asleep in her chair while making out an invitation list for a quilting bee.

Marstellar has concluded to stock up his marble works and David Jones the tailor, will have charge thereof.

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—Call and get free samples of DePuy's fresh roasted coffee.

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—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—Mrs. Ezra Abbott has presented to the Harvard Divinity School the greater part of her late husband's theological library. The gift includes nearly 4,000 volumes.

—Charles B. Richards, a workman and later a superintendent in Colt's Pistol Works, Hartford, has been chosen to fill the chair of Dynamics in Yale College.—*Hartford Courant.*

When a visitor at the Carlisle Indian School asked a young Cheyenne girl if she was a member of a church, she answered: "Not much; just a little."—*Philadelphia Times.*

—The Yale Freshmen have been measured with the following results: Average height, 5 7.5 inches; circumference of chest, 35 inches; breadth of shoulders, 16 inches; weight, 134.4 pounds. The average age of the class is 19 years 1 month and 11 days.

—The Boston School Committee has found it necessary to caution teachers against sending to the home of absent pupils to inquire as to the causes of absence. Many of those absent have been found suffering from contagious diseases, and there has been danger of infection by exposure of the pupil sent to inquire.—*Boston Post.*

—The next American author to be introduced into the French schools is Emerson. Unlike Longfellow, whose works were especially adapted for the girls' lycees, Emerson, as a more difficult author, is to be reserved for the presumably more robust intellects of young men. The task of editing and explaining the writings of the philosopher will naturally be greater than that of illustrating the narratives of the poet.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Edward Everett Hale has been telling a Boston audience how he would run a school. He would recognize each boy's drift. Then he would have half-time and full-time courses; that is, complete courses requiring only thirteen weeks' attendance, as well as courses covering a period of forty-six weeks. This would be half-time study, but it would be concentrated, and a boy could begin one year just where he left off the preceding. We should gain regularity where now we have irregularity; we should know our work, and the boy would have time to earn something.—*Boston Journal.*

—Secretary Teller shows in his annual report that the Indians are making commendable progress in education. During the past year new school-buildings have been erected at several of the agencies. Five new boarding-schools and twelve new day-schools have been added to the list. There are now eighty-one boarding schools, seventy-six day schools, and six industrial or manual labor schools under Government control. Fourteen boarding and four day-schools are supplied with teachers and other employes by some one of the various religious denominations, the Government paying a stipulated price for the care and education of the children therein. There are also twenty-three schools maintained by churches and associations without expense to the Government.

WIT AND WISDOM.

—The New York *Graphic* says that in the play of "A Wooden Spoon" a young man makes love to four beautiful young lady actresses. We should call that a "brass" spoon.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Too cautious. He—"I am going to take away a bottle of salt water as a memento of this watering place." She—"But don't fill it too full, or it will slop over on us when the tide comes in."—*Fliegende Blatter.*

—Janitor (to his wife who has hung the water-pail on the gas-jet)—"Bridget, me darlin', did Mr. Levystraus tell ye to put this pail on the gas?" Bridget—"No Pat; but he was after sayin' that the gas was laking, shure!"—*Washington Hatchet.*

—Why is Castle Garden like a she bear? Because, ignorant one, it is chiefly valuable for the fur on her. This is believed, on account of its age, its dotage, in fact, to be one of the questions the Queen of Shebear asked the solumn 'un.—*Burdette.*

—"'Ellow, Ed. 'ow's this about your brother 'Arry?" said one Englishman to another on Fifth avenue. "I 'ear 'Arry 'as a broken 'art because the 'orse 'e 'as been ridin' is dead." "It's true, Georgy, every word of it. The doctor thinks 'e 'as ossification of the 'art."—*Philadelphia Chronicle-Telegraph.*

—Jim Terry, of San Antonio, induced a local publisher to bring out a book of poems. Every once in a while he would call on his publisher and talk to him by the hour. Finally the publisher said to him: "You remind me very much of your book." "In what respect?" "I can't get rid of either of you."—*Texas Siftings.*

—A heavy pounding on the floor above caused young Mr. Staylate to inquire of the girl on whom he was calling: "Are your folks tacking down carpets this evening?" "Oh, no," she replied; "it's only papa putting on his heaviest boots, and ——" "Good evening!" interrupted the youth, as he dashed out of the door like a circus clown through a hoop.—*N. Y. Journal.*

—A haberdasher one day, standing, as was his wont, at his door, under the sign of the Golden Lamb, was accosted by a townsman and a neighbor. "Good morning, Andrew," says the passing townsman, "what be you thinking of?" "I was thinking," said the haberdasher, glancing at his sign, "as how the lamb is a picture of innocence." "Yes, friend Andrew, but that one of yours is a picture of gilt."—*Scottish American.*

—There is a story told by an eminent Judge, still living, though retired from the bench, which illustrates the importance of a voluntary confession better than the most elaborate argument. A prisoner tried before him for larceny had admitted his guilt when apprehended, but at the trial was defended with great persistency by able counsel. "Gentlemen," said the Judge to the jury, "the prisoner says he is guilty. His counsel say he is not. You must decide between them." Then, after a pause, he added: "There is just one thing to remember, gentlemen. The prisoner was there, and his counsel wasn't."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

What Has It Done for You?

The sceptical Mr. Bradlaugh was once lecturing in a village in the north of England and at the close challenged discussion. Who should accept the challange but an old bent woman, in the most antiquated attire, who went up to the lecturer and said: "Sir, I have a question to put to you." "Well, my good woman, what is it?" "Ten years ago," she said, "I was left a widow, with eight children unprovided for, and nothing to call my own but this Bible. By its direction, and looking up to God for strength, I have been enabled to feed myself and family. I am now tottering to the grave; but I am perfectly happy, because I look forward to a life of immortality with Jesus in heaven. That's what my religion has done for me. What has your way of thinking done for you?" "Well, my good lady," rejoined the lecturer, "I don't want to disturb your comfort; but"—"Oh! that's not the question," interposed the woman; "keep to the point, sir. What has your way of thinking done for you?" The infidel endeavored to shirk the matter again, the feeling of the meeting gave vent in uproarious applause, and Mr. Bradlaugh had to go away discomfitted by an old woman.—*The Lutheran*

Very Remarkable Recovery.

Mr. Gen. V. Willing, of Manchester, Mich., writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, so helpless that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two Bottles of Electric Bitters, and is so much improved, that she is able now to do her own work." Electric Bitters will do all that is claimed for them. Hundreds of testimonials attest their great curative powers. Only fifty cents a bottle at C. A. Wright & Co.

Cost of Bringing up a Boy.

A clergyman who has been discoursing about boys has devoted considerable attention to the cost of these somewhat necessary individuals, and he estimates the expense of bringing a good boy, with all the advantages of city life, to the age of fifteen, at about $5,000. These figures are about doubled by the time the boy is of age, if he goes through college. A bad boy, arrived at the age mentioned, costs fully as much, even if he has not been to college, and the computation, as the reverend gentlemen suggests, does not include the value of the mother's tears and father's gray hairs. Most men who have brought up boys will agree that the estimate is not too high.

Every day adds to the great amount of evidence as to the curative powers of Hood's Sarsaprilla. Letters are continually being received from all sections of the country, telling of benefits derived from this great medicine. It is unequalled for general debility, and as a blood purifier, expelling every trace of scrofula or other impurity. Now is the time to take it. Made by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell Mass. Sold by all druggists.

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"Relief!"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last"
I was taken! "So, that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain; their
Efforts were no good to me.
"At last I heard a good deal
About your Hop Bitters!
And determined to try them."
Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of
One!
Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a
"Sick!"
Hour, from the same cause since.
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"Advocate as I am."—Geo. Kendall, Allston, Boston, Mass.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 00 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 23 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 32 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 43 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 13 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

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NORTH. Express, Passenger	NORTH. Mail, Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express, Passenger	SOUTH. Mail, Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction..	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 38	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 48	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	..... Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 54	9 09	..... Nora	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	..... Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
	5 10	10 10	A....Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 40	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
6 20	9 00	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
6 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
P. M.		2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 35
		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 10
		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESS.

SENATE, January 7.—Mr. Plumb presented a memorial from the Oklahoma settlers complaining of their expulsion by the army of the United States, and asserting that this action was taken in the interest of a certain cattle syndicate, who, without authority of law, had fenced in these lands and were using them. They prayed that Oklahoma might be organized as a Territory. Mr. Plumb sustained their cause and urged that the Committee on Indian affairs should decide at the earliest date whether these lands could be opened to settlement. Mr. Morrill called up his resolution declaring that the Constitution conferred upon the Legislature, sitting with open doors, the sole power of regulating laws in relation to revenue, and that so-called reciprocity treaties with nations of inferior population, including a large surrender of revenue, were untimely and should be regarded with disfavor. Mr. Morrill made a lengthy speech against the continuance of the custom of considering treaties with closed doors, at the close of which Mr. Lapham gave notice that he would also address the Senate on the subject of commercial treaties at an early day. The Senate then resumed the consideration of the Inter-State Commerce bill and without taking any action adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Chair laid before the House a communication from the Secretary of the Navy recommending an appropriation of $2,000,000 for the establishment of a gun foundry and the purchase of steel, in accordance with the recommendation of the Gun Foundry Board; referred. On a demand for the regular order, the Reagan Inter-State Commerce bill came up as the unfinished business. Several amendments were offered and adopted, when the bill was ordered printed and the House adjourned.

SENATE, January 8.—Mr. Allison, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, offered as a separate bill all the legislative provisions inserted by the House in the Pension Appropriation bill for the next fiscal year, regulating the fees of attorneys and claim agents; prohibiting the payment of any fee until the claim was allowed; and limiting the fee to $10, except in case of special contract. Mr. Lapham then delivered a speech on commercial treaties in reply to Mr. Morrill. He contended that the views advanced by that gentleman, though plausible, were founded on an erroneous view of the Constitution. The treaty making power, he said, was not exclusively executive nor exclusively legislative, but partook of the character of both. He advocated in general terms the extension of our commerce. The drift of his remarks being favorable to the ratification of both the Spanish and San Domingo treaties. The Senate then went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Inter-State Commerce bill came up as unfinished business, the preceding question being on Mr. Hammond's amendment that the Commissioners shall not be appointed until the 5th of March. The amendment was adopted, only twelve negative votes being cast. After the rejection of several other amendments the bill was put on its passage and carried—yeas 162, nays 75. The contested election case of George H. Craig vs. Charles M. Shelley, of the Fourth Alabama District, was called up, and Mr. Craig was declared entitled to the seat. Adjourned.

SENATE, January 9.—A bill was passed, authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to transfer one of the vessels of the Greely relief expedition to the Treasury Department, to be used as a revenue cutter and to retain the other two (including the ship presented by Great Britain) for the use of the navy. At the request of Mr. Harris, Mr. Morgan withdrew his motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill forfeiting a portion of the lands granted to the Oregon Central Railroad was passed the other day; so the bill, with the Senate amendments, will go back to the House for concurrence. The Senate then resumed consideration of the Inter-State Commerce bill and a motion to strike out from the first section the provision that the Commission created by the bill should be composed of representatives of the different interests involved was adopted by a vote of 26 to 23. The bill went over and the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned until the 12th.

HOUSE.—Mr. Curtis, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, reported the resolution introduced by Mr. Belmont on the 5th, calling upon the President for information concerning the participation of the United States in the Congo Conference; adopted. Also two resolutions introduced by Mr. Holman calling on the Secretary of State for information in relation to the alleged arrest of T. J. Monahan by Mexican authorities; adopted. The House then went into a Committee of the Whole on the private calendar, Mr. Cox in the chair. Among the bills passed was one authorizing the Secretary of War to turn over to the Interior Department certain parts of Camp Douglas military reservation, and a bill to pay officers of the army for services actually rendered during the war. A night session was held and twenty-five pension bills were disposed of.

SENATE, January 10.—The Senate was not in session to-day.

HOUSE.—The House refused to dispense with the morning hour and committees were called for their reports, among which was a bill to authorize experiments of lighting the navigable waters by electricity; also appropriating $100,000 for the completion of the pedestal for the Bartholdi Statue of Liberty. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill, but without taking any action the committee arose and the House adjourned until the 12th.

WASHINGTON.

Rev. William Paret, elected to succeed Bishop Pinkney, of the diocese of Maryland, was consecrated in the Epiphany Church, Washington, on the 8th, with imposing ceremonies.

The House Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures have decided to report adversely upon Mr. Buckner's bill to suspend standard silver dollar coinage for three years.

The Board of Naval Academy Officers, appointed to investigate the conduct of the Cadets who visited Washington during the holidays, have recommended the dismissal from the navy of Cadet George B. Tennant, of Michigan, who while intoxicated, accidentally discharged a revolver, the bullet wounding Frederick H. Sparling, an ex-Cadet.

President Arthur has accepted the resignation of Paymaster Smyth, whose recent disappearance from his post in Savannah, while on a Christmas spree, attracted so much attention.

The annual statement of the Director of the Mint shows that during the past year the coinage, less recoinage, has been: Gold, $23,726,852; silver, $28,119,978. The imports of United States coin were: Gold, $4,239,876; silver, $725,150; a total gain of $57,491,648. The Director estimates that $4,875,000 of United States gold and $216,000 of silver coin were melted for use in the manufactures and arts, and six million trade dollars, constituting a part of the silver circulation in previous years, have been withdrawn from circulation. The exports were: Of United States gold coin, $11,878,154; silver coin, $522,431, a net gain of gold coin of $11,213,573; in silver coin, $22,106,697. This added to his estimates of the total amount in the country on January 1, 1884, makes the circulation on the 1st of January, 1885, $563,000,000 in gold and $264,000,000 in silver, a total of $827,000,000.

Colonel E. E. Rice, who was United States Minister to Japan under the administrations of President Pierce, Buchanan, Lincoln and Grant, died at Washington on the 11th, aged sixty-four years. He was a native of the State of Maine.

Mr. Charles Taylor, (colored), who studied law at Harvard has been admitted to practice at the New York bar. Mr. Taylor is the second colored man ever admitted to that bar.

A party of four boys broke through the ice while skating on a pond at Pottsville, Pa., on the 9th and were drowned. Two were sons of Albert Hoover and Jacob Kraus, and the other two were sons of a colored porter at the Merchant's Hotel at that place. The bodies were recovered.

No news has been received of Captain Traynor and Fritz Federman, who sailed from St. Johns for Liverpool in the dory. They are now out 106 days. The wife of the Captain thinks he is lost.

Charles W. Scofield, ex-President of the Utah & Pleasant Valley and the Wabash & Jordan railroads of Utah, was arrested at New York a few days ago on an indictment for obtaining money under false pretenses.

The Red Ash Coal Company at Wilkesbarre, Pa., have suspended work at Nos. 1 and 2 collieries for an indefinite period, throwing nearly a thousand men and boys out of employment.

Captain Charles W. Folger, only son of the late Secretary of the Treasury, died at Geneva, N. Y., on the 11th, aged forty.

The Farmers' Bank of Elizabethtown, Pa., owned by Samuel Eady, closed its doors on the 10th. Mr. Eady confessed judgment to the amount of about $27,000. The bank's liabilities will probably aggregate $80,000. The assets are unknown but the depositors will lose heavily.

The boiler of the steam tug Mike Dougherty exploded near Elizabeth, Pa., on the 10th, demolishing the vessel and instantly killing William Haller, steward, and William Matthews, deck-hand. Gardner Jackson, the Captain, was badly scalded, and two others of the crew slightly hurt.

The following changes are shown in the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended January 10: Loans decrease, $1,734,000; specie increase, $7,309,000; legal tenders increase, $2,422,000; deposits increase, $8,431,000; circulation decrease, $136,000; reserve increase, $6,723,000. The banks held $47,644,000 in excess of legal requirements.

W. H. Vanderbilt, who obtained a judgment against General Grant for $150,000 lent him to ward off the failure of the Marine Bank, on the 10th bought in the real estate and presents of the General named in the bill of sale. He then presented the property to Mrs. Grant for her separate estate, but she declined to receive it. Mr. Vanderbilt wrote to Mrs. Grant saying that he desired to turn all the property over to her except that the swords and other testimonials received by General Grant should be presented to the Government as memorials of his fame, but she still refused to accept.

Carnegie Bros. & Co.'s Union Iron Mill at Pittsburgh will soon resume in all departments, giving employment to several hundred men.

"The World Travel Company," with a capital of $250,000, was incorporated in New York on the 10th. The object of the company is to afford every facility to travelers in Europe and all parts of the world for their comfort and easy transportation.

WEST AND SOUTH.

Ex-Senator Bruce, chief of the department of colored exhibits at the New Orleans Exposition, states that the Colored Commissioners' Educational Conference has been postponed to February 12.

Warren Coffee and Julius Magno, miners, were badly burned on the 8th by an explosion of gas in the coal bank of Heatherington & Kelly, at Bellaire, Ohio.

J. McMullen's residence at Boston Store, Montgomery County, Ind., was destroyed by fire on the night of the 7th. The next day the remains of Mr. McMullen and his wife were found in the ruins. There is suspicion that they were murdered and the house set on fire.

Ex-Lieutenant Governor James M. Bingham, of Chippewa Falls, Wis., died on the 8th after a short illness. He was fifty-one years of age and one of the most distinguished lawyers in the Northwest.

A case of small-pox was discovered in the emigrant car of a snow-bound train at Huntington, Ore., a few days ago. All the exposed passengers will be quarantined until the 21st inst. If new cases should break out the quarantine will be extended until the danger is over.

Four hundred striking miners at Angus, Iowa, attacked a gang of forty men who had displaced them, as they were coming from the pits on the 8th, and drove them entirely from the town. They were all pretty roughly handled and some severely injured. The strikers then returned to the Snake Creek mine and attacked a boarding house at which a number of non-unionists were stopping. The occupants rushed out the back door and attempted to escape, but they were pursued by the mob who kept up a constant firing at them. One of the escaping party was killed and a number wounded.

The Excelsior Iron Works, at Cleveland, Ohio, owned by Stovering & Fleming, was destroyed by fire on the night of the 8th. Loss about $65,000; insurance $21,000.

At a party given by Miss Annie Von Fosson, at East Liverpool, Ohio, twelve persons were poisoned, one of whom, Alice McBane, aged six, died next day. The others are in a fair way to recover, excepting Mrs. Collins, an aged lady of over eighty, who is still in a critical condition. It is supposed that a paper of "Rough on Rats" was put in the coffee by a domestic, as a very thick and heavy substance was found in the bottom of the coffee-pot.

The Republican caucus of the Nevada Legislature on the 9th nominated Hon. John P. Jones for United States Senator to succeed himself.

Hon. George G. Vest has been nominated by the Democrats of the Missouri Legislature for the second time to the United States Senate.

Vicar General Brandt died at Covington, Ky., on the 9th. He has been overworked since the death of Bishop Tebb.

At Stoughton, Wis., on the 8th John Stelnsby, a Norwegian, in a fit of anger with his young married daughter, poisoned her and her babe, both the victims dying in great agony. The murderer then armed himself and fled to the woods, where he was being hunted by a sheriff's posse.

Joseph L. Jacks, aged eighty-two, of Edwardsburg, Cass County, Mich., whose funeral occurred there on the 9th, was the first Clerk of that county, appointed by General Cass, then Governor of the Territory, in 1831. He was afterwards an officer in the Black Hawk war.

The failure of the Bank of Augusta, Ga., is announced. The capital stock of the institution is $160,000. Depositors, it is said, will be paid in full. The bank's charter was issued before the wa

A fire at Nashville, Tenn., on the 10th, destroyed the freight and passenger depots, all the sheds, one hundred loaded cars and all the freight in the depot, together with Lincke's Hotel. Nearly all the books were saved, but all the old road records are destroyed. The total loss on the depot is $150,000; wholly uninsured.

Near Jacksonville, Fla., on the 10th two Pullman cars on the Pensacola & Atlantic Railroad were telescoped by a freight train. The Pullmans were completely wrecked and six passengers badly injured.

In the Northwestern lumber regions last year there was a total cut of 2,534,298,000 feet of lumber, 1,059,354,000 shingles, and 659,000,000 lath, an increase over the cut of 1883 of 437,812,000 feet of lumber, 202,694,000 shingles, and 85,000,000 lath. The stock on hand December 1 aggregated 1,795,700,000 feet of lumber, 424,998,000 shingles and 310,277,000 lath, an increase over the total of December 1, 1883, of 6,000,079,000 feet of lumber, 50,012,000 shingles and 199,514,000 lath. The anticipated log supply is placed at 2,619,866,000, of which 1,522,500,000 represent new logs.

The projected bull fights at New Orleans by fierce Mexican animals, which were lately imported, will not take place owing to the opposition of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

While the jailer was feeding the prisoners at the county jail at Denton, Tex., on the 10th, one of them threw cayenne pepper in the jailer's eyes, then liberated the others. Later in the evening all the escaped prisoners were recaptured by the town police except one.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

It is officially stated that nine hundred lives were lost in Granada alone by the recent earthquake. King Alfonso has increased his personal donation to $20,000. Emperor William, of Germany, has telegraphed his sympathy and a large donation. The relief fund is increasing wonderfully. Dispatches received from Motril show that the shocks at that city on the 5th were more severe than indicated by the reports. A church and convent and fifty houses collapsed by the seismic shocks, but fortunately no one was killed, as the people had abandoned them and sought places of safety on the first shock being felt.

A circular has been issued by the Canadian branch of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club, extending a cordial invitation to all curlers in America, on behalf of the Royal Caledonian Club, who will be able to compete in all District Medal matches and share all other privileges enjoyed by members of the Club in Canada.

Two more shocks of earthquake were felt at Granada on the 8th. Only 500 persons continue to occupy houses in that city. The rest of the population are living in tents or camping in the open air.

Official reports place the number of persons made homeless by the earthquakes at Granada and Malaga at 43,000. Fourteen hundred have been killed and 900 wounded.

It is officially announced that the German corvettes off the Cameroons coast have had a battle with the natives, the latter being routed with great loss of life.

Mme. Clovis Hugues, who was on trial for the murder of her traducer, at Paris, was acquitted on the 8th. She made a neat speech in thanking the jury for their verdict.

Commenting on the recent attempted assassination of Phelan, at New York, the London *Times* expresses the hope that it will be found possible to arrest O'Donovan Rossa in connection with the affair. It does not doubt that American law will make short work of him if once his guilt can be proven, and the time of his downfall has probably arrived. All the papers comment ironically upon Rossa's absence from his office at the time of the tragedy, and dilate upon the care with which he avoids any danger to his own person.

News reached Guyamas, Mexico, by courier on the 11th that the entire town of Pinos Altos has been destroyed by fire, and that hundreds of people are houseless.

LATER NEWS.

A REPORT was current at Pittsburgh on the 11th that while digging a cellar at Braddocks, Pa., near the scene of Braddock's defeat, a number of workmen had unearthed an old chest containing gold to the amount of several hundred thousand dollars.

HON. JOHN S. MARMADUKE was formally sworn in as Governor of the State of Missouri on the 12th by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in the presence of both Houses of the Legislature. The ceremonies were brief and simple.

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD, late nominee of the Equal Rights party for the Presidency, sent a petition to the Senate on the 12th asking that the votes cast for her in the several States be counted. She says if the 1,336 votes cast for her in New York State were counted as they should be, Grover Cleveland would not receive the electoral vote of that State.

GENERAL J. S. ROBINSON on the 12th presented his resignation to the Governor as member of Congress from the Ninth Congressional District of Ohio, and at noon was sworn in and entered upon his duties as Secretary of State.

A FEARFUL boiler explosion occurred at a sawmill situated on the Weigel Tract, on the opposite side of the river from Williamsport, Pa., on the 12th. Two persons, Peter Houser and Thomas Purvis, were killed and six others, including Daniel Brobst, the owner, were severely injured. The explosion was caused by a lack of water in the boiler.

ANNIE VAN FOSSEN, the young woman accused of poisoning the Van Fossen and McBane families, of East Liverpool, Ohio, waived a preliminary hearing and pleaded not guilty on the 12th and was remanded to jail on the charge of murder in the first degree. No other deaths have occurred and the victims are all in a fair way of recovery.

PROFESSOR LAWRENCE DEAN ENNIS, dean of Harvard Scientific School, died at his residence in Cambridge, Mass., on the 11th, aged sixty-six.

MR VAN WYCK, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported favorably in the Senate on the 12th the House bill to prevent unlawful occupancy of the public lands, with an amendment authorizing the President to use civil and military force to remove illegal fencing. Mr. Mitchell introduced a bill to increase the pensions of widows and minor children from $8 to $12 a month and providing that mustering into the service should be prima facia proof of soundness. Senator Hawley's resolution calling for General Sherman's historical statement filed in the War Department was then taken up and discussed until adjournment. Considerable business of an uninteresting nature was transacted during the morning by unanimous consent. The committee on the District of Columbia was then recognized and a number of bills were reported, among which was one providing for a commission to codify the laws of the District, which passed. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill, but no quorum being present soon adjourned.

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TROY, N. Y.

Dr. Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—My daughter was afflicted with a severe growth of Fungus. To remove it we had resorted to almost every remedy and consulted the most prominent surgeons and physicians. Dr. ——, of Troy, said that a surgical operation would be necessary, but fearing fatal results I hesitated. Some of the physicians claimed that it was caused by one thing and some by another. The Fungus was prominent and disfigured her looks. Having heard of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy working so thoroughly on the blood I determined to try it, to see if this medicine could do what doctors had failed to do and surgeons had hardly dared to undertake. I can say in truth that the result of this trial was the complete cure of my daughter of this dreadful malady. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy alone effected it. We used nothing else, for other things had completely failed. My daughter to-day enjoys vigorous health and to Favorite Remedy alone is the credit due. My wife also was very poor in health, due to some liver difficulty with which she had suffered a long time until she became very much reduced in flesh. A trial of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy had resulted in the complete restoration of her health, which she had not enjoyed for years. She had gained in flesh and strength and thus secured perfect health, and this is due entirely to Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. As for myself, being engaged in the grocery and commission business, which makes it necessary for me to test the quality

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening Jan. 9th the Farmers' Social Club met at the residence of Mr John Rector The night was cold and very windy and the roads very rough. Still there was a fair attendance of farmers and young people The program arranged by the committee at our last meeeting was well carried out. Music by the choir was very good and convinced us that singing could be performed well without the accompaniment of an instrument. Essay by Fred Heinder hgt, title, The hired man, was well written and contained many good points. Instrumusic, Grant and Henry, was received with a good deal of favor and was encored.

The question, Will it be both profitable and pleasant for us to import foreign labor on the farm, engaged the attention of nearly all the farmers present. This question was suggested to the club after hearing a lecture from Mr Graves, of Palmyra who is engaged in the introduction of Germans as farm help, both men and women. The secretary corresponded with six different parties who had procured such help through the agency of Mr. Graves. They all seemed to be well satisfied with the experiment and pronounced their help good, reliable, industrious and honest. Some were going to send for more help for the next season while others did not think it advisable in the present depressed state of labor, and while so many were out of employment, to import any more foreign labor, yet they all agreed that they thought they received full as much or more labor for the money than they did when they employed American help. They said that the difficulty of making them understand on account of the language was overcome in a month or two. But the farmers of this club differed materially in their ideas in regard to the profit of getting that kind of help. Mr. Schreder opened the discussion, saying even if they would perform as much work as our American help there would be a very great difficulty in making them understand what you wanted done and how you wanted them to do it. Thought for a good part of the first season they would have to be shown and the showing would all have to be done by signs which would not be very pleasant. He prefers American help upon his farm to any imported.

Mr. A. D. Hall said the labor question was one of the most difficult questions that we had to deal with. Thought if we could obtain just and honest labor for the amount we had to pay our American boys that such labor would be far more satisfactory to us. But thought there were far too many instances where such labor was not obtained. In a political point of view did not think it advisable to import too many foreigners, yet something had to be done as the past season's wages were altogether too high at the present prices of produce.

Mr. F. C. Rector thought it would be better for us to get the German help. Said we could not get such help as we used to, they wanted too much wages and didn't care to do much work. We would have to import cheaper and steadier help or let the farm stop. Our American boys wanted to run to town too often and run too much nights. You cannot depend upon them.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie said that the worst feature with our help was their running so much both to town and nights. When they run nights they were not good for much for a day or two afterward and when they went to town they would congregate together and talk over matters how they were used where they worked and would rehearse what privileges they took of their employer and if one took privileges another thought he might and this soon made a bad state of affairs. Said he believed the farmer or employer was to blame in a great measure for all this. When we hire a hand should give that hand to understand just what was expected; that we should not allow this running and as soon as it was commenced stop it and if not stopped at once discharge the hand if you suffered by it. Thought if this plan was followed strictly, it would soon do away with so much unsteadiness.

Mrs. F. C. Rector said she supposed a good many thought she felt above associating with the hired man or having her family associate with them. That is not so. She could associate with them when they are men but when they are rowdies she would not, nor allow her daughters to. She never ill treated any of their help, but she was sorry to say that there were some she could not associate with. Did not like the idea of having to resort to German help. Thought it would be very trying.

Mr. Griswold thought there would be no very great trouble to make the Germans understand. Show them any particular thing you wanted done, you would not have to show them again. Said he thought Mr. Graves had got their wages for the first year altogether too high. A considerable more than double what they get in Germany. They would have to learn to do work in our way which was not as they do it in their native land.

Mr. Horton did not like the idea of importing so many foreigners into this country. Thought the establishment of so many emigrant agencies a mistake, the agencies supported by the tax payers of the state or nation to entice the foreign population into our country to sap what ought to be kept as an inheritance for the children of American citizens. It is a notorious fact that nearly all our public domain has been gobbled up be foreigners, squandered on railroads and absorbed by the cattle kings and land grabbing monopolists. It seems as though our government had made all the haste possible to dispossess themselves of our public lands. But if it is desirable to import farm laborers, let them be by all means Germans as they are the most steady and reliable. The wages which we have been paying are altogether too high. Farmers can not pay such wages, and live at it. They must be reduced. But the wages at which these Germans are proposed to be furnished are still worse $130 a year and board which is nearly $17 per month for the eight months that most farmers need farm help. The wages which they get in Germany is from 3 to 5 dollars per month, and they ought not to get here more than from 5 to 7 dollars the first year. Club then adjourned for two weeks to meet at the residence of I. H. Schreder on Friday evening, Jan. 23 Program for next meeting

Singing—Choir.
Music—Grant and Henry.
Select Reading—Anna Everhart.
Question—Would it be more profitable to sell our cream than to make it into butter?

The thanks of the club are due Mr. Wm. H. Mathers for favors received from California.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

WILL CARLETON.

Among the younger American poets, there is perhaps none better known or universally admired than Will Carleton. It is a singular fact that the western poets seem always to strike a new vein of thought or feeling. It is useless for the pedagogues to point out the faults of Carleton's poetry and tell us that his verses are not properly constructed here or ungrammatical there, for they pointed out the same errors in Poe, they showed us where the great Dickens was at fault, in fact everyone whom the people admired was faulty in their eyes. But notwithstanding this, Dickens touched the heart strings of his readers, they wept or laughed at his bidding, and so it was with Edgar A. Poe. Say what his maligners will, the author of Ulalume, the Bells, the Raven and Israfel stands higher in the estimation of the people, than if they had let his memory rest in peace. Even so it is with Carleton. He is also a master hand in sounding the human heart strings. He was born near Hudson, Lenawee Co. Mich., in 1845 and was bred as farmer's boys usually are. His desire for knowledge however, led him to walk 5 miles to the district school where he studied Latin, algebra, etc. etc. In 1865 he entered college helping to defray expenses by teaching school. Graduating in 1869 he joined the editorial staff of a Chicago paper and later became editor of the Detroit Weekly Tribune. In 1868 he wrote his first poem "Fax" and at his graduation in 1869 "Rifts in the Clouds." In 1870 for Decoration Day he wrote "Cover Them Over." In 1871 his master piece, "Betsy and I are out" appeared and soon after "How Betsy and I made up" and "Over the hills to the poor-house." In 1873 he produced "Farm Ballads" and in 1875 "Farm Legends." In 1881 "Farm Festivals" appeared, all of which were handsomely illustrated. Some of his work gives evidence of hasty production, but taken all together Carleton is a poet of which Americans can justly be proud.

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THE HERALD FOR 1885.

CLUB SCHEDULE.

Outside Publications.	Regular Price.	With the Herald.
Detroit Free Press	$1 00	$2 10
Detroit Post	1 00	2 10
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Michigan Farmer	1 50	2 50
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" " Sun	1 00	2 25
" " Tribune	1 25	2 50
" " World	1 00	2 10
" " Herald	1 00	2 25
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 50
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 50
" Cyclopedia	4 65	3 00
Poultry World	1 25	2 25
The Independent	3 00	4 00
Springfield Republican	1 50	2 50
American Rural Home	1 00	2 00
The Nation	3 00	4 00
Pop. Science Monthly	5 00	5 50
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
" Weekly	4 00	4 75
" Bazar	4 00	4 75
" Young People	2 00	3 00
Godey's Ladies' Book	2 00	3 00
Demorest's Monthly	2 00	3 00
Mag. of Amer. History	5 00	5 50
Scientific American	3 20	4 25
Wide Awake	2 00	3 00
N. Y. Observer (new)	3 15	3 65
The Century	4 00	5 00
St. Nicholas	3 00	4 00
Rural New Yorker	2 00	3 35
" (with seeds)		
Prairie Farmer	1 50	2 50
" " and Map	2 00	3 00
Farmer's Review	1 50	2 50
Chicago Inter Ocean	1 00	2 25
" News	1 00	2 25
" Tribune	1 00	2 25
" Herald	1 00	2 25
Cincinnati Times	1 00	2 25
" Enquirer	1 15	2 40
" Cin. Gazette	1 00	2 25
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 25
" Bee	50	2 00
Courier-Journal	1 50	2 50
Peck's Sun	2 00	3 00
Burlington Hawkeye	1 25	2 50
The Lever	1 00	2 25
North. Am. Review	5 00	5 50

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan 6, 1885.

Estate of W. T. B. Schermerhorn, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Jan. 26, '85.

Estate of Wm. H. Pocklington, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Mary Cornelius, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Charlotte Sutton, deceased; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Catharine Ryan, deceased; petition for appointing of administrator; hearing Feb. 2, 1885

Estate of Sylvester Ellis, deceased; petition for sale of personal property; order authorizing administrator to sell.

Estate of Laura A. Wilson, an alleged incompetent person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing Jan. 20, 1885.

Estate of Eliza G. Rogers, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator, hearing Feb. 2, 1885.

Estate of Charles G. Kurtz, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of David Cooley, Jr., deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Feb. 2, 1885.

Estate of Zephaniah K. Johnson deceased, affidavit of publication; executors final account allowed; assignment according to provisions of will.

Estate of Benjamin W. Drew, deceased, petition for proof of will; hearing Feb. 2, 1885.

Estate of Charles J. Cunningham et. al. minors; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Jan. 13, 1885:

Andrews, Horace	Kriedler, Samuel
Boyd, Lilla	Spencer, L. H.
Coles; Lilla	Whipple Henry

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Beef Hides		@	07
Calf skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	10
Corn in ear	20	@	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel		@	40
Clover Seed	4 00	@	4 25
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	22
Flour, ₱ barrel	4 50	@	5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	4 00	@	8 00
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	7 00	@	8 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	15
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	14
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	8
Oats, ₱ bushel	25	@	28
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	30	@	35
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
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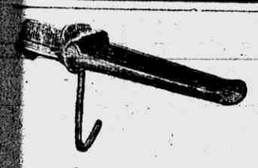

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Miss Lucretia Reynolds retires from service in B. O. Randall's store during the dull season.

J. W. Bradner returned from Oregon last week, where he has been visiting his sons.

A costumer from Detroit will be in town next Friday to furnish masquerade costumes to all who desire to obtain them in that way. Spectators at the masquerade party will be charged an admission fee of fifteen cents.

John Smith & Son are advertising goods to be sold very cheap for the next few days. Twenty-five yards of calico can be bought for one dollar. Seven fine linen handkerchiefs for the same price. Good worsted dress goods at ten cents a yard, and shoes, gloves, hats, caps, etc., in the same proportion. To those wishing to supply themselves with the above named articles this is an opportunity not to be lost.

Mrs. Ed. Rowland, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton friends last Thursday.

J. B. Hause has kept several men busy for the last week clearing the snow from the ice on the river in order to allow the ice to freeze to a greater depth. He seems to understand the necessity of "making hay while the sun shines."

Last Friday evening a very pleasant surprise party was given Albert Van Gieson and wife. About forty of the friends and neighbors were present, which number would have swelled to a hundred or more had the weather been more propitious.

The ladies of St. John's church will give a "pink tea" social at the Town Hall, Thursday evening, Jan, 29th.—Fifteen cents will be charged at the door, for which sum an excellent supper will be given, and something new in the line of entertainments. Every one who attends will receive a present before leaving the hall. This is no chromo scheme. Every one is invited.

B. G. Swift shipped his last car load of apples to Indiana last Saturday.

A family by the name of Cooley, who have been living in the Reynold's building, were sent last Monday to Detroit by the overseer of the poor. Their former home was in Windsor, to which place they wish to return.

Mrs. George Fisher has been quite sick for several days, but is at present slowly recovering.

Main street was well filled with teams last Monday, and business seemed to be lively in spite of the unusual cold weather.

George S. Field, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday in town. We are always glad to welcome him back to Clinton, if only for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eccles drove up from Tecumseh Sunday, as did several others, presumably to enjoy the fine sleighing.

Miss Laura Clark went to Tecumseh Wednesday morning to spend a few days with Mrs. E. G. Cook.

The two youngest children of Rev. Mr. Barnes have been suffering with severe colds.

Rev. J. M. Kerridge received a letter this week stating that Mr. Simeon Ellis is very ill and his death is expected at any time. He is with the family of J. L. Hudson, of Hudson, Mich., formerly pastor of the M. E. church of this village.

We understand that the pupils of the High school, and the first and second grammar departments, received a severe shock last Monday afternoon. Perhaps Prof. Laflin will explain matters to inquiring minds.

A CARD.

The undersigned desire to return sincere thanks to their many friends for their kind sympathy and assistance during the severe sickness of our dear little one, who we are happy to say is improving.

JOHN J. WHITE.
ETTA L. WHITE.

Clinton January 20th, 1885.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Brainard was called to Tecumseh on Sunday by the death of her mother which occured quite suddenly and unexpectedly during the forenoon. Although her disease was consumption and the physician had held out no hope of recovery, yet when the final change came it was like a flash of lightning from out the clear sky. She was the mother of ten children who, together with a most tender and loving companion, are left to mourn her loss. She was an exemplary mother and a true wife, having shared with her husband the trials and privations of pioneer life when they were striving by industry and economy to accumulate some of this world's goods to comfort them in their old age. Three years ago they purchased a home in Tecumseh where they have since resided with every facility at hand to spend the remainder of their days in peace and comfort. But alas, the cruel master knows no pity and He has snatched from their embrace one most dearly loved, and the light and joy of the household. May the Lord who doeth all things well comfort the bereaved.

We miss the visits of our sprightly music teacher, Miss Vina Underwood, of Ridgeway, who we learn has gone to Toledo to pursue her studies in music both vocal and instrumental. She has had twelve scholars in this vicinity during the past summer and fall who seem much pleased with this efficient teacher. We judge they will also miss her at Ridgeway where she was serving her third year as organist of the pipe organ in the M. E. church. She was also chairman of the music committee for the Literary.

Mrs. Dr. Begel has been visiting friends in Hanover the past week.

Some six or eight weeks ago a man and woman by the name of House came through here from Detroit and seemed anxious to find a place to do work for their board. Their story was about as follows: They were married at Peru, Ind. some time last summer and went from there to Detroit to find work. When winter overtook them being out of work and money they concluded to tramp back to Peru where their people live.—When they arrived here the woman was too footsore to go further, and as H. E. Wilson was in need of a chore boy, he took them in. The woman proved to be such a nuisance that on Wednesday last they concluded to pay her fare to Peru to get rid of her, the man agreeing to stay till the 1st of April. The next day Mr. Wilson's people went away and left him to look after the chores. Upon returning home after dark they discovered the stock all in the yard and upon investigation found their man had gone and rigged up from head to foot in clothes that did not belong to him. It is possible that Erskine wasn't mad, but his face looked awfully that way when he came up to take the train for Adrian to put the officers on his track. Guess Ersk never heard of the fable of the man who took the snake in to thaw him out by his fire and when his snakeship got thoroughly warm he was very anxious to bite the man who had befriended him.

Wouldn't be surprised if it would prove exceedingly unhealthy around here for tramps in the future.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Our Dramatic Club were presented with complimentary tickets to the Out in the Street, given by the Napoleon company, Wednesday evening, and endured freezing in a good cause. The rink was well filled, their scenery much nicer than ours, and each actor played better than most of those who make copying other people's lives a profession. If a blunder occurred it was turned to a lucky hit by John Harrison, who is the pink of sable artists. A wooly chignon and dash of blacking, developes a heap of awkward drollery, and shows plainly that he masquerades when wearing a light complexion. The music was such as even Alexander may be proud of, and those seated back of the front tiers of benches overcame the want of staging by standing.

The cold wave has submerged us in snow, and many wonder what will become of the tramps if the blockade continues. The question regarding free hotels for them, lately discussed in the Evening News, has aroused negative sympathy among our gentlemen tax-payers, and they resolve to spoil the tramping business from now out. We don't know how it is to be done, but of course where there's a will there's a way. They had made up their slate with a "we won't," when a man came along, carrying a valise and two children, the oldest about three years old. The man was well dressed but had no money, or inclination to tell where he came from or whither bound. The babies cried for something to eat, and quashed argument that time. They sent for the Supervisor, who gave orders for supper, bed and breakfast, which was had, and then the trio went somewhere. Then came a crippled shoemaker from Chicago, who hoped to find a cousin and work in Detroit. He had roomed in school houses and straw stacks during his pilgrimage, had eaten nothing but snow for two days, and looked bad generally. To leave him out of doors was so near murder, they had to find a place and supper for him. Next came some ramblers who looked frowzy, dirty, cold, but not discouraged. They were given a furnished room at the jail, and had their tea sent in. They would have frozen out of doors; besides no one wanted them out star gazing. There is difficulty in fitting logic to our tramp's circumstances. Its worse than being taxed to pay for their board; so the payers have adjourned to smoke, and wait for the News to figure.

MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Cornelia Westfall, who has been quite sick with a spinal fever, is better now. It is hoped by her friends and relatives that she will soon recover.

Mrs. Hon. Geo. Howell returned from Lansing on Monday, Jan. 19th.

Miss Nellie Robinson who has been very sick with pleurisy, is some better. Dr. Morden in attendance.

Macon School district No. 1, having the number of scholars required by law to entitle it to a library, will soon have an addition of about thirty volumes to its present one. Most of the old volumes have been taken out and never returned, so that there is a very poor showing at present.

Miss Zoe Pennington arrived home from Dakota last week. She reports cold weather and is very much pleased with the country.

Another social hop at the Dew Drop. It is to be hoped that its financial success will be greater than the last.

Next week there will be a donation at the residence of Lester Coller for the benefit of Rev. Mr. Kerridge. Mr. Kerridge is well worthy a large donation, and we trust that there will be a large attendance, and that each one will contribute liberally.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge will commence a series of meetings Thursday evening of this week. We trust that he will meet with great success, but in order that his meetings may be interesting and beneficial, it is necessary that the people, especially the members of the church, should turn out and give him their support.

ONSTED ODDS.

Mr. George Onsted, one of the pioneers of Cambridge township, died last Saturday morning. Funeral services were held at the church Monday at twelve o'clock.

The stage route from here to Brooklyn has again changed hands. Eugene Groger, of Springville, having bought out S. D. Evans, and commenced carrying the mail last Monday.

As soon as the snow began to come Fred Glenn started north after his horse and cutter. He returned Monday without them, having sold the horse and left the cutter.

There is a young lady visiting at George Greenleaf's. She acts as if she intended to stay for sometime. If she lives until Jan. 14, 1901 she will be sweet sixteen.

On Monday while a young man of this place was hauling wood he stepped to the roadside to get a whip. Before he had secured it he made up his mind he did not need the sprout. O. S. Burcham stopped the runaway team before any damage was done, and Bliss will be more careful next time.

Onsted is getting to be so crowded that people live in the streets. Wilson Lee started to move his store last Thursday. He got it within a few rods of the railroad track when he was overtaken by the snow storm. The building remains there yet, and Mr. Lee hopes we will have an early spring.

Last week Wednesday there was a family visiting party at Jerome Snows to witness the marriage of their daughter Franc to Mr. A. F. Maxwell. Tuesday evening of this week a reception was given for the young couple at J. B. Maxwell's. Archer and Franc are very popular young people and we unite with their many friends in wishing them a long and happy married life.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The week opens here with the mercury down 16 degrees below zero.

Sleighing is getting quite good, and farmers have commenced to haul logs to the saw mills in good earnest.

The furniture business now held for sale by Mr. R. J. Eaton, at this place, affords an excellent opportunity for some enterprising man to make money.

Addison now boasts of four watchmakers or "tinkers." Will the editor cite us to another town of equal size possessing a greater number of persons engaged in the "small business." We want to extend them a vote of sympathy.

A shadow shop is the newest thing in order. The printer, dentist, barber, boot-black and newsboy all cater to the good people as seemeth them good; but no man dares risk his camera in the matter of focusing up the village phiz as yet. "Whosoever will, may come."

The Addison Courier wades grandly into the matter of "writing up" some of its illustrious patrons, and thereby attracts considerable attention. As the scribe is an ardent lover of adventure, the killing class, doctors and soldiers, very naturally become the objects of attention, and while the gleanings are spicy and readable, we know that this class of subjects must sometime become exhausted and common folk become the material upon which he will manipulate. Now we never pilled a pioneer or shot a Johnny; no, not even so much as watched the operation at a safe distance; but the remembrance of other deeds which have associated themselves with our history causes an appropriate uneasiness at the thought of our time coming. But some generous soul has assured us that editors are human, hence we close our eyes and resign ourselves to fate.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine sleighing and lots of snow.

Mercury registered 16° to 20° Monday and Tuesday mornings.

Trains all late so far this week.

The ice harvest has commenced and it is about 12 inches thick and as clear as crystal.

The adjourned annual school meeting will be held at the school house in Dist. No. 1, one week from next Monday evening, Feb. 2nd, and all the voters are requested to be present.

The Literary on Friday evening was largely attended, and the program was a success in every particular. The song by the little folks was very fine and well rendered. Miss Kittie Clark is a splendid teacher of young folks for such an occasion.

The committee met on Monday evening and made the necessary arrangements for the annual donation, which will be held at the church next week Wednesday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. Fred Jones is visiting his brother, Warren Jones.

Quite a good many children about the village are sick with colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Riggs went to Saline Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of her sister, which took place on Wednesday.

The church social will be held at the home of Mr. Frank Davidson on Friday evening of this week. A cordial invitation to all.

Now that Leap Year is past and gone the young ladies of our village are showing their bravery by giving ladies' tea parties. Last week Friday afternoon Misses Allie and Ida Arner entertained the ladies of the place with a tea party, and on Tuesday afternoon Miss Ella Jackson did likewise. We believe they call them Hen parties. Never mind, Boys, it is a long road that has no end.

The last meeting of the Literary society held at Waring's Hall, Jan. 16, was well attended and an interesting program was carried out, notwithstanding the stormy weather. The next meeting will be held at the same place on Friday evening, Jan. 30th, when the following program will be presented:

Music.
Secretary's report.
Recitation Miss Lottie Arner.
Reading—Mrs. R. H. Nelson.
Music—Miss Flora Smith.
Recitation—Miss Sena Coryell.
Declamation—A. E. Palmer.
Music—Miss Ida Arner.
Reading—A. R. Arner.
Essay—Thomas H. Temple.

RECESS.

Song—J. D. Arner.
Charade.
Dialogue.
Music—Miss Belle Barlow.
Tableau—Reaper's Song, (whistling chorus.)

The program after recess, it will be seen, is varied from the usual order, but we think it will be the more interesting for that. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to come and see the new hall and encourage the society. Admission free, but a collection will be asked for to defray expenses.

By Order of Ex. Com.

Macon Grange, No. 167, will hold an open meeting on Friday, Jan. 30th, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., with the following program:

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Recitation—Jennie Osgood.
Essay—Nelia Russell.
Inst. Music—Emma Miller.
Reading—Susie M. Osgood.
Song—Mrs. Chas. S. Dutton.
Recitation—Emma Bailey.
Address—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Recess.
Question for discussion—Bohemian Oats.

The Agricultural Society of Lenawee County will hold its annual meeting on Friday, Jan. 30, at 10 o'clock A. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the success of the county fair.

M. GRAVES, SEC.

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ONE AND TWO.

If you to me be true,
Or I be true to you,
The world will move, I think,
Just as it used to do.
The clouds will hurry with the moon,
The sun will kiss the sea,
The wind to the trees will whisper,
And laugh at you and me.
But the sky will not shine so bright,
The clouds not seem so white,
To one as they will to two,
If I think you had be not kind
And I had best be true,
And left the old love go on,
Just as it used to do.

If the whole of a page be read,
If a book be finished through,
Still the world may read on, I think,
Just as it used to do.
For other lovers will come
The places we have passed,
And the treacherous end of the binding
Will glitter unto the last.
It opens only to one book,
And one may not read the book—
So I think you had better be kind,
And I had best be true,
And let the reading go on,
Just as it used to do.

If we who have sailed together
Fall out of each other's view,
The world will sail on and think,
Just as it used to do.
And we may be rocked by stars
That flash from different skies,
And another M. Love's pirates
May capture my lost prize.
But sailing long time together
Can better the tempest weather
Than any other two,
So I think you had better be kind,
And I had best be true,
That we together may sail,
Just as we used to do.

—Boston Transcript.

"IT WAS AN ACCIDENT."

Careless Mishaps That Might Have Been Avoided.

Perhaps it was an accident, but it does not follow that the accident is excusable. A man comes hastily along the sidewalk, looking neither to the right nor left, and pushes you into the gutter, or hits you in the eye with his umbrella. It is possible that he is civil enough to say: "Excuse me, sir!" and it would be considered *uncivil* for you to reply: "I wish that you would be a little more careful." Another tumbles down stairs and breaks his leg, expecting a great deal of sympathy from his friends, while if he had only put one foot before the other with proper deliberation the accident would not have happened. Another falls from a precipice and is killed; if he had kept at a reasonable distance from the edge his life would not have been sacrificed. Another gets his hand caught in a circular saw and loses his arm; if he had been careful the calamity would have been as sided. These are familiar illustrations of what comes of heedlessness.

A railway train strikes another at full speed; both are demolished and many lives are lost; it is reported as an "accidental collision," but it is an accident that might have been prevented. The walls of a building fall and bury a certain number of people in the ruins; it is said to be an accident, but if the edifice had been properly constructed the walls would not have given away. A house takes fire and burns to the ground, and if it is not the work of an incendiary, it is announced in the papers as an "accidental conflagration," whereas, if the flues had been as they should be, or the box of matches had not been exposed to the rats, or the smoker had not emptied his pipe into the straw, the insurance company would not have been called to make the loss good. A powder mill accidentally blows up, an accident that would never be likely to happen if the workmen did not become careless and no intruder was ever allowed on the premises. All these things are accidents, inasmuch as they were unexpected and unforeseen, but not in the sense of being without an efficient cause, and in most cases the antecedent cause was preventable and somebody, therefore, is responsible.

There are phenomena in nature which are spoken of as accidental, such as the transmutation of species, the spontaneous springing up of a new order of trees over a surface from which another sort had been removed, the appearance of new colors in flowers, the four-leaved clover, hybrids, monstrosities, and so on; but whether we are able to detect it or not, we are certain that everything in nature is subservient to law; there are no accidents in that region. There was a time when the movements of the wind were supposed to be capricious; while the direction in which it will blow on the morrow is now predicted with a fair degree of certainty. The deluge of rain, the long and withering drought, the striking of the thunderbolt, the malarial pestilence in the atmosphere, in former days, were attributed to chance, or, perhaps, to the interference of malign spirits. We have risen to a higher conception of what is going on around us.

"All nature is but art, unknown to thee;
All chance, direction, which thou canst not see."

There is a law which determines even the turning up of dice, and it has been ascertained by experiment that, when two friends throw dice together for a certain number of times, the aggregate result will be about the same on both sides. The drawing of lots is more fortuitous, and comes nearer the common notion of chance or pure accident than anything else.

Great discoveries and inventions are sometimes attributed to accident. Newton happened to see an apple fall from a tree, and this revealed the law of gravitation. Galileo observed a hanging lamp swinging in the chancel of a church, and so discovered the principle of the pendulum. Watts saw the lid of the teakettle rise and fall, and the steam-engine followed; but thousands of people had seen apples fall and lamps swing and lids rise, without any result. It is intelligence which transforms these accidents into causes. Once in awhile a discovery is made by what may properly be called an accident, as in the instance of the experimentalist who, in trying to bleach his rubber-aprons, found out that the substance itself was changed in character by the action of the power to which it was exposed. This result was accidental beyond all question.

Success in life is often attributed to chance. Fortune seems to favor one man more than another; the variation in stocks which makes one person rich, ruins another; but, as a general rule, men do not blunder upon riches, and the few who do, are very apt to blunder back into poverty. It is not always the wisest who prosper most, but there is likely to be some peculiar gift, or knack in making money, existing in the make-up of the successful man, which his unfortunate neighbor does not possess. And it may be that the former is willing to resort to expedients, which the other would not imitate for all the gold of Golconda.

The attainment of office and station is not the result of accident. It is very possible that the successful aspirant does not merit the honors which are showered upon him, but they do not drop upon him out of the clouds. One who has reached the highest pinnacle of fame may seem to be only "the accident of an accident," but it is not the idle wind that has blown him to the top; it may be the machinery of party, the mighty derrick that lifts so many dead weights up to the high places for which they are so poorly fitted, at any rate, it is something besides accident.

Great social changes and political revolutions are sometimes attributed to accident; the tide of battle may be turned by a fit of indigestion, or a slight delay in delivering a message, or, perhaps, a change in the wind. Rhode Island was the last State that entered the Federal Union, and the story goes that the vote which finally settled the matter was determined by the fact that a certain member of the Legislature, known to be opposed to the measure, was detained at home for the purpose of repairing his pig-pen. It is not, however, to be supposed that the little State would have held out much longer, irrespective of the pig-pen.

Crimes are not infrequently detected by some little accident, but only on condition that the trifling circumstance falls under the eye of a shrewd and intelligent observer. Dr. John Donne, a famous divine and poet, who lived three hundred years ago, was strolling about in his church-yard while the sexton was opening a grave, and as he happened to throw up a skull Dr. Donne observed a rusty nail protruding from the temples, which he removed and put in his pocket. Upon inquiring who it was that had been buried there the sexton informed him that it was a jolly old soul, much given to drink, who was found dead in bed one morning after a carouse the night before. "Had he a wife?" asked the doctor. "Yes," was the reply. "What character does she bear?" "A very good one; only the neighbors reflect on her because she married the day after her husband was buried." This was enough for the doctor, who, under the pretense of visiting his parishioners, called on the woman; when he asked her several questions, and among others, what sickness her husband died of. She gave him the same account he had before received, whereupon he suddenly opened his handkerchief and cried in an authoritative voice, "woman, do you know this nail?" She was struck with horror at the unexpected demand, instantly owned the fact, and was brought to trial and executed. Dr Donne's happening to walk in the church-yard just as this skull was thrown up, may be regarded as accidental, but if he had not been an observing man it would have resulted in nothing.

There are what we call "happy accidents," as when a man makes only one great speech, or writes only one good poem, or performs one brilliant feat, and then relapses into obscurity. One striking jet, and the fountain is exhausted. The wonder is, whatever made the waters gush out at all, and we call it a happy accident. The same phrase is applied to the child "who is born with a silver spoon in his mouth," although he may have to eat ashes before his life is over. It used to be considered a happy accident when one drew a prize in a lottery, while the general impression now is, that it would be better if everybody drew blanks.—*Bishop Clark, in N. Y. Ledger.*

JUDGE AND JURY.

How an English Judge Dismissed a Jury and Their Verdict.

An opinion is gaining ground that jury verdicts are no more certain to be just than the decision of Judges who have been trained to weigh evidence. Perhaps it is this conviction which secures acquiescence in the practice described as follows by C. H. Stephens: "But and this is another difference between the real and the ideal in the jury system, we have in a large number of cases the more extraordinary spectacle of a jury solemnly sitting through a trial for the purpose of listening to the evidence and forming their own opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the accused, and then being instructed by the Court as to the verdict they shall find. It is, as every one knows, the most common of occurrences for the Judge to lecture the jury upon their verdict and then refuse to receive it. That the Judge should be more correct than the jury is not impossible, but then wherefore the jury? In an English case in which the jury had brought in 'guilty' Mr. Justice Maule addressed the prisoner as follows: 'Prisoner at the bar, your counsel thinks you innocent; the counsel for the prosecution thinks you innocent. I think you innocent. But a jury of your own countrymen, in the exercise of such common sense as they possess, and it does not seem to be much, have found you guilty, and it remains that I should pass upon you the sentence of the law. That sentence is that you be kept in imprisonment for one day, and as that day was yesterday, you may now go about your business.'"—*Popular Science Monthly.*

—Everybody knows how the sudden cessation of a thundering band of music causes remarks to be shouted out in a tone like a locomotive whistle. The other night at a hop the band crushed out a few final bars and suddenly stopped, when the voice of a lovely little thing in pink was heard screaming at the top of her lungs: "Don't my bustle hang nicely?"—*Chicago Tribune.*

A LIFE OF HARDSHIPS.

A Providence Boy's Experience as a Deserter from the French Army.

The *News* printed, on Saturday, a story of a boy who enlisted in the French army and deserted three times. The names were withheld because the parents desired to keep to themselves the greatest trouble of their lives. But now as they have decided to appeal to the Secretary of State for assistance in getting their son out of the army, it were better that the names be given, that they may have the sympathy, at least, of those who know the facts. The father's name is Simon Herion, a Prussian, who came to this country about fourteen years ago. He is employed in the Wanskuck Mills, is a citizen of the United States, and is highly esteemed for his industry, his Christian character and worth. His wife is a Swiss, who lived on the French side of the Confederacy. Hence, the father speaking German and the mother French, the boys (Henry and John) became fluent in the use of both. It is unnecessary to repeat the story of the boys' wanderings. It closed with the fact that Henry, the elder brother, had been recaptured after his third desertion and led back to prison. News has been received that he was sentenced to fifteen years' hard labor with the chain-gang. There are three French military posts in Algeria. At one of these Henry is held. They live in tents, and the fare is wretched. The guard has orders to shoot any one who attempts to desert. But every one of them can be bought.

When Henry was recaptured after one desertion he was kept 120 days in an underground dungeon, given only bread and water, and a little dirty soup once a week. The hardships through which he has passed seem almost incredible. When John reached Algeria he went into the country to find the farmer for whom Henry worked. The farmer was away on a two days' journey. John waited for his return, and learned that Henry was in a place near the coast through which John passed. As he stated in the other account, John reached this place to see Henry led away by a French officer. If he had not lost two days waiting for the return of the farmer, he would have found Henry before the officer discovered him, and he might have escaped. John at once started for home, and is expected every day. Henry Herion is a minor, not twenty years of age, and on this ground an attempt will be made through the Secretary of State to effect his release.

Since writing the above it has been learned that the son John has this morning reached his home in Wanskuck. He left Algeria on November 22.—*Providence News.*

A FIREBALL.

An Intrepid Doctor Notes Its Course Along the Earth.

A few years ago Dr. Tripe was watching a very severe thunder-storm when he saw a fireball come quietly gliding up to him, apparently rising from the earth rather than falling toward it. Instead of running away, like a practical man, the intrepid doctor held his ground quietly and observed the fiery monster with scientific nonchalance. After continuing its course for some time in a peaceful and regular fashion, however, without attempting to assault him, it finally darted off at a tangent in another direction, and turned apparently into forked lightning. A fireball, noticed among the Glendowan mountains in Donegal, behaved even more eccentrically, as might be expected from its Irish antecedents. It first skirted the earth in a leisurely way for several hundred yards like a cannon ball; then it struck the ground, ricocheted, and once more, bounded along for another short spell, after which it disappeared in the boggy soil, as if it were completely finished and done for. But in another moment it rose again, nothing daunted, with Celtic irrepressibility, several yards away, pursued its ghostly course across a running stream (which shows, at least, there could have been no witchcraft in it), and finally ran to earth for good in the opposite bank, leaving a round hole in the sloping peat at the spot where it buried itself. Where it first struck it cut the peat as if with a knife and made a broad, deep trench which remained afterward as a witness of its eccentric conduct. If the person who observed it had been of a superstitious turn of mind, we should have had here one of the finest and most terrifying ghost stories on the entire record, which would have made an exceptionally splendid show in the "Transactions of the Society for Psychical Research." Unfortunately, however, he was only a man of science, ungifted with the precious dower of poetical imagination; so he stupidly called it a remarkable fireball, measured the ground carefully like a common engineer, and sent an account of the phenomenon to that far more prosaic periodical, the *Quarterly Journal of the Meteorological Society.* Another splendid apparition thrown away recklessly, forever!—*Cornhill Magazine.*

Farmers as Business Men.

It is popularly supposed by a large class of farmers that none but business men need to acquire a knowledge of business forms and rules. To their mind the business man occupies a position similar to the lawyer and the doctor; he learns his trade and proceeds to get a living by it. This class of men believe that business forms are unintelligible, whereas they are very simple. He is as respectful at the mention of the words "percentage," "draughts," "bill of lading," invoice," as he is when he hears the family physician talk Latin. But every farmer is a business man. He has crops to go to market; he wants to sell to the best advantage; he has to sell oftentimes on credit, and he is continually buying. To all intents and purposes he is a business man. It would seem very desirable, however, that the younger men, who are one day to fill the places of the present generation, should learn how to handle with ease and accuracy the business forms and methods which commercial men by long practice and experience have reduced to a system.—*Boston Globe.*

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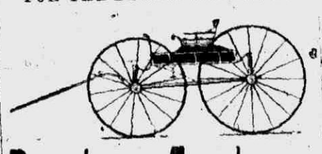

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—It costs over $8,000 a year, it is said, to keep and clean the crown jewels of England.

—The sun shone in London 974 hours out of a possible 1,000 during 1883. This was an average of 2.7 a day.

—The oldest restaurant in Christendom is the Rothskeller, in Bremen, Germany. It boasts nearly seven centuries of continuous existence.

—It is claimed that a new variety of hippopotamus has been discovered on a remote part of the river Nile. It is named and was hitherto unknown.

—Of 600,000 widows in India under sixteen years of age prohibited by law from marrying again, 20,000 are less than fourteen years old and 78,000 less than nine.

—Three hundred camels have recently been imported into Australia, and more are to follow soon. Should they thrive, multiply and prove useful, it is predicted by enthusiasts that the time may come when they will be introduced into Southern Europe and even into England.

—An English writer remarks that in an age which is fond of celebrating "centenaries" and "quincentenaries" it seems strange that no one has proposed to celebrate the "millenary" of the taking of London from the Danes by King Alfred, which occurred in the year 884.

—A neat little story is told of Marshal von Moltke, illustrating his love of flowers. The other day he left Ragatz, in Switzerland, with a large bouquet. At the Austrian boundary the officials refused to pass the bouquet on account of the phylloxera quarantine, whereupon the General changed his route and took another railway.

—The Paris police are making vigorous efforts to put down betting-houses, and the other day three bookmakers were fined various amounts by the Tribunal of the Seine. The reasons given by the President for the conviction of the offenders are somewhat curious. Betting-houses, he remarked, must be governed by the same law as gaming-houses, "because the majority of the public who frequent these places are not competent to form a rational opinion as to the relative prospects of the horses, and, therefore, betting is a game of chance."

The Fall of Bacon.

May 3, 1621. The fall of Bacon, Lord High Chancellor of England, on this memorable day, brought with it no concentrated or sensational scene in Westminster Hall, and yet the world agrees that it was a spectacle for both angels and men. As an event it was melancholy enough, but as a trial it was without the presence of the offender. When summoned to the bar, he sent his confession in his stead. When personally sought, he could only say: "It is my act, my hand, my heart. Oh, my lords, spare a broken reed!" When the sentence was given he lay sick in his bed. It was the anguish of a great mind working death to a mean spirit.

He had reached the goal of what was, to such a one as he, an inadequate ambition. He had reached it through his genius as a lawyer, an orator and a statesman. But he had reached it also through his crouching arts as a courtier. He lowered it even in his own mind, by the means which he employed to get it. High as it intrinsically was as an office in the state, he was equal to a higher in the service of the world, and yet he could be tempted by its empty dignity and emolument in such a service as that of King James. He could lay aside the pageant of his thoughts for the pomp of this position. What has been called the most exquisitely constructed intellect ever given to man could yet be led aside by a judgment and perception so weak as to see meaning and glory in show and sham. The reflection of his strange infirmity is apparent in the very record of his imposing induction into his place. A letter of the time says: "To the Hall, besides his own retinue, did accompany him all the lords of his Majesty's Council and others, with all knights and gentlemen that could get horses and foot cloths.' 'He was accompanied," says Chamberlain, "by most of the nobility, with other gallants to the number of more than two hundred horses, besides judges and the Inns of Court. . . . . Both queen and prince sent all their following, and his other friends did their best to honor him." When he had arrived at his place, he made a speech to the multitude who had been attracted to the Hall. This might have done for the first day, and might well have been a spontaneous testimony of the public pleasure at the elevation of one already so illustrious; but he enjoyed, he desired it too much himself 'how unlike Sir Thomas More in the self-same position under a greater and more showy king!—for he tried to keep up this splendid state, "exceeding all his predecessors in the bravery and multitude of his servants." The real grandeur of his office—what an incongruity in in the author of the "Essays" that he did not see it—was in its purity, not its pomp; and it was in trying to maintain its pomp instead of its purity that he fell.

If he did not rise to this conception, the people did; if he was dazzled by his own display, the people were not. It was one of the tremendous events of the time, that their moral sense was equal to his overthrow. When the Commons impeached him at the bar of the Lords, it was the revolt of the people not so much at what he had done as at the bribery and corruption which filled the court of the King, the keeper of whose conscience he was. When his own conscience was set free by this enlightenment, he said: "I was the justest judge that was in England these fifty years; but it was the justest censure in Parliament that was there these two hundred years." That was the very point to which the public sentiment had risen, and it caught him where he ought not to have been. His meanness had made him the scape goat of the King, when his greatness ought to have made him the sacrificing priest for the people. He crouched beneath the charge, not only from timidity and conscious guilt, but at the earnest desire of the frightened despot frightened at an attitude of the Commons which revealed their consciousness of strength; frightened lest a worse insition into wide-spread corruption should be provoked; frightened at what Bacon himself had prophesied, that if the attack upon him should be successful, the next movement would not stop short of the throne. If he had stood his trial, he himself, amid such an atmosphere, might have escaped, but it would have precipitated the revolution which was close at hand. Such was the significance of Bacon's forced exit from Westminster Hall.—*Rev. Treadwell Walden, in Harper's Magazine.*

Palovzean Funeral Customs.

In the grave-yards of the Palovzes, in the counties of Forsod and Hoves, may be seen here and there pyramidal monuments of stone, with niches in their sides for images of the saints. They are a survival from the ancient heathen altars of these people, the Kumanians of old, which were erected in honor of the sun-god, and to this day also may be seen on many of the houses of the Palovzes the symbol of the pyramid with Baal's eye, the use of which has come down from generation to generation, without the peasants knowing what it means. Children who die still-born, or without having received baptism, are buried as near as possible to the pyramidal monuments. It is a part of the folk-lore of the Palovzes that the little ones who are laid to rest near these Baal-pillars will at the end of seven years come out from their graves, when, if some good soul will come near them and utter the baptismal formula, they will immediately become little angels and go to heaven; but if the baptism is not given they will have to wait seven years longer for another opportunity to be released. Many other reminiscences of Baal-worship survive among these people. The mother who has lost a young child wraps her head, as a sign of mourning, in a fiery red cloth. The former prevalence of cremation is indicated in the custom of burning the clothes which the deceased wore last. The tear-jugs of the ancients may still be found in the houses, of exactly the old form and size, but destined to a quite different purpose. Another peculiar custom at the funeral feast is to lay a plate with salt and bread upon the table, for the use of the soul of the departed one, if it should appear in the circle of friends.—*Popular Science Monthly.*

Plants in Literature and Superstition.

The earliest folk-lore of India described a tree whose fruit eaten by the birds made them immortal, in such a manner as to suggest the tree of life, which with us has become a household word. Nor hern mythology had a tree which was wide as the universe. The gods met under its shadow, and guardians, which typified past, present and future, protected the sacred growth. When the sacredness of the tree was so early an article of religious faith we can no longer wonder at the reverential feelings the Druids had for the oak trees; nor that Bryant should have been inspired to write that great invocation which begins:

"The groves were God's first temples."

Study of that poem might add breadth to the character of even a professional naturalist. It could hardly fail to warm one neglected side of his nature—the emotional. Poetical allusions to plant life are not all weakened by the license of inaccuracy. Tennyson's "In Memoriam" contains in that address to the Yew tree, which begins, "Old warder of these buried bones," three clear statements of scientific facts, that is, one in each third line of each stanza. Of these the second one is a distinct statement of the doctrine of cross-fertilization.

"Evangeline" contains at least one hundred and fifty allusions to plant life. And the scene in the Bayou of Plaquemine, even if it lacks the accuracy of science, is nevertheless an effective picture of the dreary surroundings. His "Sea Weed" is exquisite in measure and euphony

"When descends on the Atlantic
The gigantic
Storm wind of the Equinox,
Landward in his wrath he scourges
The toiling surges,
Laden with seaweed from the rocks."

Lee Hunt's "chorus of flowers" is philosophy as well as poetry. The same might be said of Burns's "Address to the Daisy." Lowell's verses on the dandelion give a complete picture of child-life in spring. Tom Hood's poem, "Flowers," contains allusions to nearly every human trait. Read Bayard Taylor's lines on the "Palm," where, after his sweetheart and his horse, the Arab says:

"Next to ye both, I love the Palm,
With his leaves of beauty, his fruit of balm;
Next to ye both, I love the tree,
Whose fluttering shadow wraps us three
With love, and silence, and mystery."

The last stanza of Fenner's "Gulf Weed" appeals to every human heart and to every restless mind that seeks a wider sphere.

Burns' "Petition of Bruar Water," in charming measure, explains the relation between shade of the trees and the conservation of rainfall. So, too, does his poem on John Barleycorn tell the tale of the human fall as reached through a deluge of Scotch whiskey, while James Smith uses the fabled upas to illustrate the gin curse of England.

"Brittania this Upas Tree bought of Mynheer,
Removed it through Holland and planted it here:
'Tis now a stock plant of the genus wolf's bane,
And one of them blossoms in Marybone lane."

It is somewhat remarkable in all that Shakspeare has written, how few are his allusions to plant life. True, there are many of them, and always wonderfully forcible, but, as compared with Bryant, they are not common.

He seldom appeared to need them for his own ideas, but used the plants more when he touched on the opinions and superstitions of others. "Macbeth" contains some of his choicest allusions. Root of hemlock, slips of yew and Birnam wood, all are pungent with meaning. So, too, is the phrase, "'tis in his buttons," in the "Merry Wives of Windsor."

The "Midsummer Night's Dream" in one sense hinges on the relative strength of supernatural force residing in the pansy and in the bud of Angus Castus.—*Prof. Lathrock, Fairmount Park Lecturer.*

A STRANGE PHENOMENA.

What an Eye-Witness Has to Say About the Underground Fires Now Raging in Highland County, Virginia.

Among the recent arrivals in the city was Mr. Edward B. Elder, of Highland County, Virginia. Of late there have been reports from that section of the country of a strange phenomena which was said to have been witnessed in the mountains a few miles from Monterey Court House, Highland County, where the earth was said to be one burning mass. The fact that Mr. Mullatton was known to be in another quarter of the globe gave the story some credence, and more especially so as it was vouched for by responsible men. A reporter, learning of Mr. Elder's arrival, went in search of him last night to see if he knew anything concerning the matter. He was found comfortably ensconced in a cushioned chair at the Galt House, talking to some friends. When asked if he had heard of the strange performance nature was said to be guilty of, he replied:

"It is certainly true, and is the most remarkable thing I ever heard of. From present indications I should say that we are likely to have another edition of Mount Vesuvius produced in the mountains of Virginia. The phenomena consists of fires which seem to be raging under the earth, on top of the peaks in Highland County, and the ground for a considerable distance seems to be a smoldering mass. The first heard of it was a report brought by a boy who claimed to have walked over the place which was on fire. The country around is almost inaccessible, and it is very seldom that any one ventures so far up on the mountains, therefore it was only by accident that the discovery was made. A few days ago the boy, who was in search of some lost sheep, wandered on foot among the hills, until he got several miles from home. All at once he felt the air grow warmer, and experienced a strange sensation, as if some burning substance was beneath him. He was on an elevated plateau, probably a quarter of a mile square, on the top of one of the small mountains. At first he was greatly alarmed and started to run away. His curiosity overcame his fear, however, and he stopped to see if he could find the cause of the unusual warmth. He stooped and placed his hand on the earth, and was startled to find that it was so hot as to almost blister his flesh. He did not pursue his researches any further, but proceeded at once to his home, where he told of the strange occurrence. No faith was put in the narrative, and it was thought by the neighbors that the youth was going crazy.

"The news finally reached the town of Monterey, and some scientifically-inclined persons determined to investigate. Procuring the boy for a guide, they went to the place and found that all he had stated was true. When they returned they told even a more wonderful story than that told by the boy. This produced a great sensation throughout the immediate country, and a great many persons were nearly frightened out of their wits. The superstitious were of the belief that the day of judgment was close at hand and began to make preparations to respond to the call of the trumpet, which they momentarily expected to wake the silence of the mountains. I lived some distance away, but when the news reached me I determined to satisfy myself. After nearly a day's travel over the rough mountain road, which wound around cliffs at the foot of overhanging rocks, I arrived within a short distance of the region. I here left my horse, and, together with a couple of friends who had accompained me, proceeded as best I could to the place indicated. I had heard exaggerated stories, and was almost prepared for anything, but I must confess that I was greatly startled. The earth for yards around seemed to be a smouldering heap and was as hot as an oven. In places a hard crust had formed over the clay, and large fissures made by the heat. The air seemed very dense and foggy, and in many places a bluish smoke broke through holes in the earth and spread over the mountain tops. We dug down to the depth of probably three feet and came to a yellowish sort of clay which was almost as soft as putty. When a shovelful was thrown out on the ground it smoldered like a heap of ashes, and a quantity of smoke seemed to rise from it. It was very hot, and glowed with a strange brilliancy, which lasted for hours. We tried the experiment of digging down in a number of places, and always with the same results. The deeper we went the more pronounced was the phenomena, and we found it difficult to stand over the opening. How long this has been in progress no one knows, and the most learned are baffled for a reason. It looks as if a volcano was at work and ready at any moment to burst an opening through the earth and throw out its volume of smoke and fire. Hundreds of people have visited the place, and all have come away more mystified than ever."—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday the 28th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Lucius Lilley, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for the allowance of his second annual account, now on file in this court.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF CORNELIUS B. SUTTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 29th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Cornelius B. Sutton, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Edgar C. Van Vleet, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging among other things, that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred and all egacies except a contingent legacy, have been fully paid, and that all of said estate has been paid over and distributed to the parties entitled thereto, except said contingent legacy; that he is now ready to render his first account and prays that said account may be allowed.

Thereupon it is ordered That Monday, the 26th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 22, 1885.

Gov. Alger ought to make a good record. He owns a ten thousand dollar team.

A Louisville man was arrested the other day for stealing a hot stove. When will these Southern outrages cease?

The roll of the House of Representatives for the forty-n'nth congress—which begins its session next December—shows 182 Democrats, 140 Republicans, 1 Greenback Democrat, and 1 Greenback Republican.

The trial of Dan Holcomb for complicity in the Crouch murders has ended in his acquittal. The people have their own views on the subject, nevertheless. The general verdict will be, Guilty, but not proven.

Ex-Gov. Begole's recommendation in favor of establishing a pardoning board is entitled to the most serious consideration. No man in Michigan is better qualified to elucidate that subject, than the retiring governor.

Some people claim that the increase of murders in this state is due to the abolition of capital punishment. Is not the abuse of the pardoning power a more prolific cause of the evil? It is the certainty of punishment, rather than its severity, that curtails crime.

There are but few absolute free traders in this country, but there are a great many revenue reformers. If those, who favor the abolition of war taxes and a wise revision of the tariff, are to be stigmatised as "free-traders" the name will soon become very popular.

The Adrian Times has solved the riddle. It says: The real cause of Blaine's defeat has been discovered. He traveled all one Sunday during his campaigning. Up to this violation of the fourth commandment his chances seemed most flattering, but afterward disasters were incessant.

Ex-Gov. St. John strikes out from the shoulder. He challenges the parties who accuse him of bribery to produce their proof. Newspaper charges did very well during the heat of the campaign, but they are very stale reading now. Produce your evidence, gentlemen, or hold your peace.

Gen. Grant, it is said, objects to receiving a pension, but he should be cared for by the government, nevertheless. As soon as the formalities of legislation can be complied with, he should be restored to his old rank in the army and placed on the retired list. Congress can do justice to him and respect his wishes at the same time.

The Buffalo Courier says: "A mathematical official estimates that if Cleveland should busy himself for a year and do nothing but remove Republican officers and appoint Democrats to the vacancies he could not complete the task in that time. There are now about 100,000 office-holders in the country, and if the President were to devote ten hours a day during the three hundred working days in a year, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, he would have to make changes at the rate of 333 a day, or more than one every two minutes, to make a clean sweep.

The New York Times states the whole case in this brief paragraph: "Intent only upon maintaining protective duties at their highest, Mr. Randall denounces the internal revenue taxes and demands their removal as a short and easy way of making high duties an imperative necessity; and he either ignores or is wholly indifferent to the fact that the abolition of $140,000,000 of internal taxes would not only prevent all reduction of duties, but would make it necessary for the Government to borrow money to meet its current expenses and provide for the sinking fund."

The Adrian Record is responsible for the following statement, and its correctness is vouched for by a leading prohibitionist of this village:

It is not generally known how near Allen came to receiving the endorsement of the prohibition congressional convention last fall. That he did not receive it was his own fault. Just before the meeting of the convention, a letter was written him by a leading Adrian prohibitionist, who was in common with others at that time an Allen man, asking him if he wished or would take the nomination from the prohibitionists. The letter was written in good faith and a reply requested in time for a statement to be made to the prohibition congressional convention. Allen never deigned to reply to this letter and by the silent contempt with which he treated it, alienated enough friends to lose him the nomination.

IN MEMORIAM.

The Albuquerque, New Mexico, Journal contains the following beautiful tribute to the memory of Emma A. Hall, which will touch a responsive chord in the hearts of many dear friends of hers, who live in this vicinity:

Miss Emma A. Hall, matron of the Albuquerque Indian school, died suddenly yesterday at 3 o'clock of heart disease. The body was sent east last evening after services by Rev. Menaul.

Miss Hall came to our city from Michigan last October to take a position in the school. She had the appearance of a strong, healthy, vigorous woman, and no one would have expected that in two short months she would be called to her eternal home. She was a lady of culture and refinement, pleasing in her person and manner, and at once won the esteem and regard of her associates. She seemed especially fitted for the work, a great sympathetic nature, a gentle and winning manner, and at the same time a firmness and decision of character making her a real mother to the numerous children under her care. She was in the truest sense of the words a sweet sister of charity. Without ostentation she devoted her life to ministering to the wants of the needy and afflicted. For several years she had charge of the State Reform School for girls, at Adrian, Mich., and she was also matron of the Institution for the deaf, dumb and blind, at Flint.

Her sympathies were aroused on behalf of the Indian children, almost as unfortunate in their mental and spiritual blindness as those she had spent so many years in caring for and she left a large circle of warm and loving friends and relatives to spend her strength for their good. Upon her arrival here she entered heart and soul into the work and displayed marked aptness for it. She was a physician by nature, and the sick and wounded found in her a tender friend and a skilful nurse. She seemed to feel that she was liable to be called suddenly from her earthly work, and in perfect faith she chose to be about her Master's business until He called her.

At a meeting of the faculty of the Albuquerque Indian school, held Dec. 27, 1884, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased God in his mysterious providence to remove from our midst our beloved friend and fellow worker, Emma A. Hall: therefore,

Resolved, That in the death of Miss Hall the school has sustained no ordinary loss. Although with us but a short time, she proved herself a most earnest worker, efficient and faithful in her duties, showing her devotion to the work in which she was engaged, especially in her care of the sick.

Second. While we sorrow for our beloved sister, so uniformly kind, attentive and thoughtful, yet we believe that her beautiful life has only been transferred beyond the veil into the Holy of Holies; and while she can not return to us, our prayer is that at the call of the Master, we may be prepared to go to her.

Third. To the friends and relatives of our beloved and late co worker we express our sincere and heart-felt sympathy, and pray that they may be sustained in their hour of great affliction, and that they may cling to their Heavenly Father for aid and support as He alone can give.

Fourth. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the friends of the deceased.

A WORD ABOUT THE EXPOSITION.

An Ogden farmer writing to the Adrian Times has this to say about the New Orleans Exposition:—

As far as I have looked it over, the show must certainly be a success, when it is placed in position. There is much yet to be done before people can conveniently get through the buildings. There are hundreds of people at work, some finishing the building, while others are moving heavy cars from place to place, unloading large boxes, and placing the contents in their proper locations. On inquiry I am informed that the exposition will not be in fair running order until near the first of February, at which time the weather will be much milder than it is now. Those wishing to see the largest collection of the world's industries aggregated at one place, should not fail to come to New Orleans then. We think that Solomon, with all his wisdom and collections, would be but a mere side-show compared with this.

As to routes, everyone can choose for themselves, but having traveled over both, we think the Cincinnati route is preferable, from the fact that there is no scenery by the Chicago route worth noticing except one mud hole nearly four hundred miles long. There is plenty to eat here, at reasonable rates, at this time.

The traveling public—to which all may belong some day or another—will read with a living interest Professor Thomson's article in the February "Popular Science Monthly" on "The Sight and Hearing of Railway Employees," in which is described the system of tests that has been adopted by the Pennsylvania railroad. The system is simple and sure, has been satisfactory to the men, and in its results, has added vastly to the efficiency of the railway service and the security of passengers. In "The Larger Import of Scientific Education," Major Powell claims preference for such education. Lucy M. Hall, M. D., offers some excellent observations on the Physical Training of Girls." Other articles equally worthy of mention with these will be found in this number. New York: D. Appleton & Co. Fifty cents a number. $5 a year.

Cassell's Family Magazine is strong in its fiction. There are few more attractive serials running in any magazine than "Sweet Christabel" by Arabella M. Hopkinson. There is a large installment of this and of "A Diamond in the Rough," by Alice O'Hanlon. Then there are shorter stories for those who like to take their fiction at one mouthful. The hero worshiper will find much to his taste in the facsimiles from "Our Autograph Book," and the practical minded will find much valuable information on "The Secret of Making Clear Soups."—Cassell & Co., Limited, New York, $1.50 a year.

FRANKLIN & TECUMSEH FARMER'S CLUB.

The last meeting of the "Franklin and Tecumseh Farmer's Club" was held at the residence of B. Hurry. After admitting several new members the following program was carried out.

Song—Mrs. Will Waldron.

Declamation—Clarence Hurry.

Select reading—Mrs. Walter Osborn.

Poetry, entitled, "The old way and the new.

Essay—Mrs. Henry Wilson, "Monday's work."

The Question,—Does Farming pay at the present time? was opened by Henry Wilson, who took the ground that good farming paid even at the present low prices of produce and showed figures of Dr. and Cr. account on ten acres of land which showed a good profit.

W. S. Osborn claimed there was no money in farming and gave figures which showed a balance on the wrong side of the ledger. The discussion was taken part in by nearly all present, and it was finally concluded that farming paid about as well as any other branch of business at the present time. The following program was given out for the next meeting which is to be held at the home of Mr. H. Hoag, on Wednesday eve., Jan. 21st.

Music—Choir.

Recitation—Maud Poucher.

Select Reading—Mrs. H. Hoag.

Essay—Mrs. B. Hurry.

Question—Are farm wages proportionate to the price of produce at the present time? Opened by Hamilton Hoag.

HENRY WILSON, Sec.

Essay read by Mrs. Henry Wilson:

I do not expect to give much information to the lady members of the club, but thought I would give my method of doing work on Monday, and perhaps some others would give theirs, and in this way we would get some new ideas.

As I usually keep help it is the girls work to get the breakfast, while I dress the children, and attend to the milk, before sitting down to breakfast. I like to have the boiler filled with nice clean rainwater, and set over the fire so as to heat while we are at breakfast. As soon as breakfast is over, I put my beds to air while we are washing.

Having assorted the clothes that are to be washed, I put my flannels to soak in luke warm water, not making a very strong suds. I will say here before going any further, that I use patent soap, ball blueing, a tin washer, and a good wringer. I then put my first tub of white clothes to soak in hot suds. I give the flannels a good pounding with the washer, then rub them on the wash-board, and ring; then rinse them in soft water of the same temperature as they were washed in.

When it is very cold weather I hang my flannels on the clothes-bars in the house to dry. Also my colored starched clothes; the flannels finished, I put the second tub of white clothes to soak in hot suds. By this time the morning work is finished, the boiler refilled, and we are now ready to use the washer and rub the remainder of the clothes. I boil only the most soiled clothing. I suds my clothes in hot water, and blue them in cold water. I usually get the sweeping, moping, and lower sleeping-rooms attended to before dinner. If the clothes dry on Monday, which they do with but few exceptions, I bring them in, dampen and fold, ready for ironing on Tuesday. What time I have aside from housekeeping, etc., I spend in knitting, or some light work, or reading.

A CHRISTMAS GIFT.

EDITOR HERALD.—The Presbyterian church of this place sent at Christmas time two boxes of clothing, books, etc., to Rev. Mack G. Johnson a minister to the Freedmen, at Columbia, S. C., and I myself one of the race to which he ministers. He has sent a letter of acknowledgment from which I take the following extracts for publication:

My dear brother, you have no idea how much good the things will do these poor children and people. Many will be made comfortable during this cold weather through the Christian charity of our Northern friends. You spoke the truth when you said you and your people have much to bear; yet you have no idea what many of my people have to go through and suffer. It is true that they are not compelled to make bricks without straw, under the lash of the task masters. But their condition is just as deplorable and in some cases worse. Though a young man, I have lived under the old and new dispensation and have some experience of both. I was born a slave and remained so until a Moses in the person of Sherman came. The deliverance of the Israelites was not all that Moses had to do. He stood by them, until they crossed the Red Sea, and then he guided them through the wilderness. My dear brother, I feel that we have not crossed the Red Sea yet. We are hemmed up. Before us is the sea of ignorance. On either side of us are the great mountains of poverty and superstition. Behind us, prejudice and injustice. We need the aid, prayers, and sympathy of Christians and philanthropists. May God bless those who feel our case, and raise up others who will lend a helping hand in removing these mountains and assist in leading these six millions of souls to the promised land.

In the hope that these statements may have the effect of awakening a wider sympathy for these poor Freedmen, Yrs. Truly,

WM. H. BABBITT.

Prof. Simon Newcomb, of Washington, will have a paper describing "The Lick Observatory of California," with illustrations, in the February Harper's. The story of the making of the great telescope, for which the observatory was built, and that of the life of the great California millionaire who gave it, belong to the truth which is more interesting than fiction.

GUMBO CATCHES THE FLORIDA FEVER.

Joshua Gumbo did'nt rise with the lark yesterday morning. In fact, it was exceedingly doubtful for some time whether he would rise at all. Jerusha got up and started the fire according to her usual custom, and then proceeded to thaw out the rest of the family. Mrs. Gumbo is an enthusiast on hygiene. She believes that an ounce of hygienic prevention is worth a pound of pills the year round. Among her hobbies are a frequent application of soft soap and rain-water and a plentiful supply of fresh air. To secure the latter she always raises the bed-room window upon retiring. The first move made yesterday morning was to look at the thermometer. The bulb had bursted during the night and the fluid had leaked down into the cellar. The indicator marked forty degrees below zero and no mercury in sight. The tea-kettle had frozen up on the cook stove and was split in twain. Sammy and Sally were rolled up in a Buffalo robe behind the wood-box. The black and tan, which had a bed in the coal-scuttle, was as stiff as a mackerel on the upper deck of an Arctic exploring vessel. Joshua was fixed in a horizontal position by a dozen or more stalactites and icicles, which had formed between his mouth and the ceiling. The "solids" seemed to predominate in that house yesterday morning. Even the pint bottle of old rye, which Joshua kept in the clock for medicinal purposes, was as solid as a brick bat. Jerusha finally restored the children to consciousness and cut Gumbo loose from his icy prison. By the aid of hot blankets and hot drops the man was gradually brought to life, but he did not recover his speech until after supper. He then uncorked himself and boi'ed over.

"The fact is," said Gumbo, as he put the last hickory knot in the cook stove, "my mind's made up. I can't and shan't live in this climate no longer. Why, hang it, it takes all a man's earnins here to pay taxes and buy coal'n wood. I'm going to Floridy. It ain't snow one day and rain the next, and forty b'low the next, down thar. They don't have only one rain storm a year down thar. It begins rainin on the fust day 'o Jenniwary and jest rains 'n rains 'n rains till the fust day 'o Feb'wary and then quits. By that time the wells gets filled up so they'll keep runnin till the next New Years. For 'leven months in the year the sun don't stop shinin at all. And such wegetation. Why, hang it, things can't help growin' down thar. Things jest grows 'n grows 'n grows. Tud-stools grow as big as a wood shed in one night. Why, hang it, look at the bannanner trees down thar. The tree'll make yer houses, and the bark'll make yer bed quilts, and the leaves '" make yer clothes, and the bannanners 'll feed the hull family. A hundred stems of bannanners, that would fill a butter firkin grows on one tree. And then jest look at the oranges 'n the lemons 'n the persimmonses 'n the huge grape-wines as big as a meetin' house down thar. Why, hang it, they harvest four tomater crops a year and they raise speckled beans as large as hen's eggs down thar. They don't do no cookin' for folks lives on cold wittles, or if they want to steep the tea, they jest set the tea-kettle out on top 'o the pump 'n let 'er bile. Why, hang it, you kin leave the winder up all night long down thar. They don't have no black 'n tans down thar. Alligators is the household pets, and they don't add nothin' to the grocery bills. Why, hang it, they pick up their own livin' and grow fat on wisitons 'n pickanninies. Look at Doctor Hause 'n Ben Swan. They're jest rollin' in wealth 'n oranges down thar. No more zero weather in mine, Jerusha. I shall make a vandue of our household truck next Saturday, and the first day 'o Febwary 'll see the Gumbo's in the land 'o oranges and alligators, or my name ain't Joshua, you bet!"

The window was left down last night. Mrs. Gumbo is hopeful that a January thaw will set in before Saturday, and that Joshua's mind will undergo a change. She is making preparations for a quilting bee.

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Until March 1st we will sell the following goods at ¼ off our regular prices to reduce stock:

Tin ware, crockery, glass ware, lamps, albums, pictures and frames, (also frames made to order at ¼ off,) jewelry, gloves and mittens, mirrors, toys and wax dolls at almost any price. Also as an extra inducement to customers we will give an oil painting worth $5 to the person buying the most goods till March 1st.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

COCKERELS FOR SALE.—I offer for sale a few choice Light Brahma Cockerels from Fletcher's yards, Belmont, Mass.
FRANK DAVIDSON.

LAND FOR SALE.—180 acres of good land on Sec. 21, Ridgeway. Will divide to suit purchasers. Easy terms of payment.
W. J. ANDREWS.

WANTED.—I want to exchange one span of mules, one hay press, tread power and cutting box for hay. A. W. SLAYTON.

FOR SALE.—Two set of bobs astonishingly cheap at RICHART'S WAGON SHOP.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Having failed to sell my property and arrange my business so as to leave for Florida this winter I have determined to remain permanently in Tecumseh. I intend to put in a large and complete stock of all kinds of musical instruments and notes early in the spring. I have left in stock 1 Royal, 1 Estey Organ, and one Ithaca Upright Piano, which I will sell at reduced prices, as I wish to open with an entire new stock. I now offer for sale my orange grove in Florida, 10 acres, 700 trees, best budded varieties, 4 years planted, located near Norwalk in Putnam Co. This is a rare opportunity to invest in an advanced orchard. Object in selling—to concentrate my means here, now that I have decided to locate permanently. G. P. SPARKS.

WANTED AT COLDWATER.—A girl by name Lottie Fisher aged 12 years, who was stolen in March 1881. Any information leading to her whereabouts would be gratefully received. Other papers please copy. Address,
A. E. SOFIELD, Coldwater, Mich.

SPECIAL REQUEST.—We desire very much to balance all book accounts before Feb. 1st next, as at that time we open a new ledger. Now if we have accommodated you with credit, and you cannot pay us before Feb. 1st, will you please acknowledge the favor by giving us your note till you can, and oblige
SLAYTON & SON.

FOUND.—A small sum of money which the owner can have by proving property and paying for this notice. J. S. KINNEY.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Brick house situated on Railroad street near M. & O. crossing. Enquire of A. RAYMOND.

SELL OR EXCHANGE.—One pair trucks. Will exchange for hay or grain. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

C. E. Triplet, of Macon, is home from Lansing for a few days, but will return to the Capital the last of the week.

Lydia McNiel left home to-day for Chicago, where she intends to remain several months with the Rev. I. A. Eberhart's family at Chicago Lawn.

Every lady in the county should try a box of the Genuine Putz Pomade in cleaning silver or other ware. It can be procured at the groceries, drug and hardware stores. It is the finest thing ever in the market.

Mr. H. C. Matrau, the new station agent at the M. & O. depot, has taken possession. He is thoroughly posted in the business, and a perfect gentleman withal. We commend him to the good wishes of our business men and the traveling public.

The January term of the Circuit Court convened at Adrian on Tuesday morning. The new Sheriff and Clerk were at their posts of duty. The calendar was called and a disposition made of some of the criminal cases. The jury was called yesterday.

The Rev. Wm. Grandy, former pastor of the Presbyterian church in this place, having recently died at Sioux City, Iowa, a memorial discourse will be delivered by the present pastor, Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, next Sabbath morning at the ussual hour of morning service.

A letter received yesterday from J. G. Stevens of Belvidere, Ill., which was written on the 19th, states that their thermometer marked 30° below that morning. Mr. Stevens is a son of the late Deacon O. S. Stevens and lived in Clinton. He is now conducting a large dry goods and notion store at Belvidere.

OFF FOR DELAWARE.

P. W. Adams dropped into the HERALD office last Tuesday morning to shake hands previous to his departure for home. We invited him to a seat in the big arm chair by the coal stove and plied him with a few questions about Delaware.

"The truth is," said he, "after three seasons spent in the genial climate of Delaware, I can hardly enjoy a twenty degrees below zero temperature. Of course I like to return to Michigan and visit my old neighbors and friends about Tecumseh, but as a permanent home I am well satisfied with "little Delaware." My farm of 212 acres is located but a short distance from Middletown. There is a railway station near by and the river boats pass up and down the bay only three miles distant. I can go to Philadelphia and back the same day by either rail or steamer, and can go to New York and return the same day by rail. Navigation is open the year round. The soil of Delaware is just as well adapted to staple crops as that of Michigan. We raise wheat, corn, oats, rye, etc. in abundance.—All these crops yield bountifully, and in addition we raise immense quantities of garden truck and small fruits. Our water communication gives us the best facilities for transporting perishable fruits and vegetables to the northern markets and we find ready sale for every thing the farm produces. It is quite likely that I shall return to Michigan some time to live but for the present I shall remain where I am. I leave for home this afternoon and shall take my mother down with me to remain till spring. You must come down and see me next summer sure. Better come in peach time. I have 2,000 peach trees on my farm in full bearing, and peaches and cream are as common an article of diet in my house as pork and beans in Boston." Pulling his cap down over his ears he shook hands and departed.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 22, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Why is'nt Tecumseh given a deputy sheriff?

Twenty degrees below zero. How is that for a mild and open winter?

Cheap enough! The *Chicago Weekly Herald* is sent fifty-two weeks, postpaid, for One Dollar.

Moses Bartlett, of Clinton, was in town Monday, and paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum.

E. C. Smith, the Chicago agent of the Canada Southern Line, paid Tecumseh a flying visit last Saturday.

Edward Comfort, of Raisin, who has been stopping at Barnsville, Ohio, for the past few months, is home again.

H. Brewer & Co. are represented at the brick and tile convention which is being held at Springfield, Ill., this week.

Addison has no clothing store now. Her citizens can come down on the M. & O. and buy their clothing at Tecumseh.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman respectfully asks those indebted to her to call and settle within the next ten days as she needs her money.

Since last Monday morning we have listened to about three hundred and fifty observations—more or less—concerning the weather.

Mr. Will Bowen, of Adrian, has purchased Jim Cole's big ice house on the Brownville pond, and will engage in the ice business here next summer.

Our enterprising grocer, Henry McClure, has a new card in the HERALD. He wishes to call especial attention to his large stock of crockery and glassware.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eccles did some very fine skating at the Adrian rink one evening last week, for which they were highly complimented by the Adrian papers.

James W. Patterson has tired of the California climate and will return to Tecumseh with his family early in April, satisfied that Tecumseh is a good enough home for him.

The Legislative journal comes to our sanctum regularly. It is hardly a success as an illustrated paper, but is as thrilling as a continued story and as entertaining as Webster's unabridged dictionary.

Mr. J. A. Hughes, agent of the L. S. freight office, has kindly furnished us the following report of the business transacted at this station during 1884:

Freight received, 16,530 tons—revenue, $19,812.45. Freight forwarded, 12,843 tons—revenue $22,492.17.

L. A. Bryan, of Homer, was in town last Friday. Mr Bryan is general agent for the Buckeye mowers, reapers and binders, controlling ten counties in southern Michigan, and he is preparing to push business in his new territory during the coming season.

A large crowd of Ridgeway and East Tecumseh farmers assembled together last evening and took John VanVleet by storm. His capacious new house was filled to overflowing, and the company passed a most jolly evening. It was a complete surprise, but Mr. and Mrs. VanVleet acquitted themselves to the full satisfaction of their guests.

The members of the Michigan Mutual Benefit association met at Dr. Catlin's office last Saturday evening and listened to a report from M. P. Brown who attended the annual meeting at Hillsdale last week as a delegate from Tecumseh. He represented the Association to be in a safe and flourishing condition. An effort will be made to increase the membership here.

Adrian Times: Freeman Rice dropped dead while in his barn, two and a half miles north of Clayton, about to begin milking. He was found in about half an hour, the milk pail still on his arm. An autopsy was held Sunday afternoon by the family physician, Dr. Abbott, of Clayton, with Drs. Nix and Dodge, of Hudson. Heart disease was discovered to be the cause of death. Mr. R. has been a prominent man of Hudson township for the past thirty years. He was justice of the peace for a number of years. He leaves a wife and three children.

An exchange has the following forcible address to those who think the home papers should be just as cheap as the city weeklies that are made up at slight expense from dailies: "Do the city papers give you any home news? Nothing. Do they contain notices of our churches, schools, meetings, improvements and hundreds of local matters of interest which the home papers publish without pay? No. Do they ever say a word calculated to draw attention to your county and its numerous thriving towns, and aid in their progress and enterprise? Not a word, and yet there are men who take such contracted views of the subject that unless they got as many square inches of reading matter in their home paper they think they are not getting the worth of their money. It reminds one of the person who took the largest pair of boots in the box because they cost the same as a pair much smaller that fitted him.

Vet Erskine will receive our thanks for late Battle Creek papers.

Miss Frankie Jones is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. S. Dingman, at Lansing.

George Adamson started last Friday for Elkhorn Wis., for a few weeks rest and recreation.

C. A. Wright & Co., have recently placed in their store two new elegant counter show cases.

Don't forget the Marshall lecture at the Opera House to-morrow evening. It will be illustrated with the stereopticon.

Mr. & Mrs. Hill of Knowlsville, N.Y. are spending a few days at Lucius Bates'. Mrs. Hill is a sister of Mrs. Bates.

The pew renting at the Baptist church last week passed off very satisfactorily. The revenue was well maintained considering the hard times.

J. C. Weeman of Dundee is manufacturing Mill's improved broom and mop holder which is said to take on sight. Address as above for full particulars.

Mr. George A. Barnes, Mayor and also Banker of Olympia, Washington Ter., has been visiting his cousin Bradford Jones at this place, not having met before in 47 years.

When the thermometer is 20° below zero then prepare for a flood. Billy Jordan has been doing some good work cleaning out the gutters, making ready for the thaw when it comes.

The third entertainment of the Library Lecture course comes off tomorrow evening. Secure your tickets at once. Season tickets for the remainder of the course only one dollar.

The second lecture of Rev. Mr. Hudson's Sunday evening course was given last Sabbath. Our young people, as well as the older ones, would find it to their advantage to attend these lectures.

Harry Lee, of this village, has bought the Ben Farmer bankrupt shoe stock at Adrian and taken possession. Harry is always on the look out for big bargains in boots and shoes.

John Heck has already began his purchases for the erection of a fine residence on Chicago street during the coming summer. His lot is the second one west of Mrs. Horace Brewer's and is a fine location.

Uncle Abraham Cramer of Medina, fell from a load of lumber one day last week and a wheel passed over his neck. Uncle Abraham does'nt mind such trifles however, and the next day, he was drawing lumber again as usual.

The old Judd house in Adrian, now occupied by Wm. Van Camp as a boarding house, caught fire Monday evening from the furnace in the basement. It was speedily extinguished however and but little damage done.

The Adrian Record of Monday says: "Some thermometers registered as low as thirty degrees below zero this morning." Give us the name of the manufacturer, neighbor. We want to buy a gross or two of those thermometers.

A woman's rights woman recently declared in a speech that "woman is a silent power in the land." This will be news to a great many married gentlemen. She is a power, sure enough. But is it not drawing pretty strong on the imagination to speak of her as "silent."

While at Addison a few days since we stopped at the Commercial Hotel, kept by John Carnes, and advise all our friends to do likewise. His house is situated near the M. & O. depot, and his tables are furnished with the best the market affords. When you go to Addison remember the Commercial.

Mr. W. C. Rockwood of Greenville, in this state was visiting with his brother in Franklin last week. Mr. Rockwood is one of the leading business men of Greenville, having made that place his home for seventeen years. He is spending a couple of weeks among friends in Franklin and Adrian.

An exchange says: "We throw away too much money." Jes so! All newspaper men do it. You see they have great gobs of money—more than they know what to do with, and being generous hearted they scatter it around promiscuously. P. S.—It is principally scattered around among delinquent subscribers.

Concerning advertising a wealthy and prosperous firm writes as follows: "We have for many years studied the art of advertising, and still it remains a marvel to us that there is not a hundred times more of it. We never yet knew a man to advertise his business liberally and steady that it did not pay. Yet there are thousands of manufacturers and men, having articles which they declare ought to be 'in every household in the country,' who advertise as gingerly and closely as though they had at heart no faith in it at all. How can they expect to get their goods anywhere unless some knowledge of the article first gets into the family newspaper? If we waited till people learned from their neighbors, we might wait for years before the most useful inventions became known."

Good weather for harvesting ice.

John J. Adam took a trip to Chicago last week.

Harry Snell was at home last Saturday and Sunday.

Alonzo Clark, of Clinton, has returned from his Southern trip.

Revival meetings are being held at the Baptist church this week.

Col. Curtis has placed us under obligations for a bunch of Washington papers.

Chas. Crossman fills his new position of clerk in the Lilley House most acceptably.

Sol. Brown and S. F. Marstellar of Clinton favored the HERALD with a call last week.

The Free Methodists are holding a serious of revival meetings at the Universalist church.

The M. & O. freight going west last Monday consisted of two sections. Business is booming.

F. D. Avery, of Onsted, gave the HERALD a call last Saturday. He is now teaching in the Onsted district.

Wm. H. Mather is enjoying himself on the Pacific coast. He remembers us occasionally with San Francisco papers.

Edgar D. Davenport, a son of John Davenport, who owned the Evans Lake house in Franklin for several years, died at Gainesville, Texas on the 28th ult.

The young folks of Tecumseh will indulge in another dance Friday evening of next week Jan. 30. It will come off at Armory Hall and the music will be furnished by Hunt's orchestra of Adrian. As the bill is only $1.00 they will doubtless have a big crowd.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. are laying in an immense stock of all kinds of building material, and are receiving several orders to be filled with the opening of spring. The manager, Mr. J. H. Smith, is looking for a good trade during the coming season.

The chicken pie festival held at the Baptist church last Thursday evening netted $35, which, with previous pledges and donations from the ladies, will amount to enough to cancel the debt on the organ. Miss Gowdy has been retained another year as organist.

A new sextette band has been formed in Tecumseh, composed of the following musicians, which will be called Knapp's cornet band:

Geo. Knapp—1st Cornet.
John Richard—2nd Cornet.
Fred Hillman—2nd Alto.
J. H. Smith—1st Tenor.
Fred B. Wood—Baritone.
Bert Conklin.—Tuba.

Dr. W. E. Burtless, an old Tecumseh boy, has been practicing his profession at Midland for several years past and when he concluded to change his field of labor a few days ago and move to St. Clair, the indignant Midlanders rose in their might and caned him with an elegant gold headed cane.

Dr. Ayres, of Weston, went out to attend a patient last Sunday night, and upon returning home he was so chilled with the cold that he died in a few moments after getting into the house. He was in good health and it is supposed that the severe cold stopped the circulation. Buffalo overcoats are good things for the doctors these days.

A new feature in the shape of a program was presented at the skating rink last Thursday evening. It was put up in a neat frame and consisted of two marches, in couples, ladies alone, in couples—ladies choice; and in couples—no passing. The different parts were of fifteen minutes duration. It seemed to please everybody and will doubtless prove a successful feature of the rink.

The Tecumseh Reform Club is not dead yet, by any means. A HERALD reporter dropped into their hall last Monday evening (with no intentions of signing the pledge) and found a large audience present listening to a very interesting program which consisted of recitations by the younger folks and also select reading by John O'Neil and Miss Nannie Kyle, concluding with remarks by John Osborn. Considerable interest is being manifested in the club and it has received several converts during the past month.

Hudson Post: It was Sunday, and the lord of the mansion in one of Hudson's aristocratic suburbs had ordered the wife of his bosom to provide a dinner suitable for a king. But when the banquet was spread and the family had gathered round the festive board the savory odor of soup greeted the nostril, and the eye failed to rest on roast turkey or quail on toast. At this the head of the family was filled with wrath, and spilled the soup on the brussels carpet, kicked the furniture about and turned his wife out into the cold world, locking the door. She went to a neighbor's, and after a time returned, but the door was still locked and the gentleman was holding the fort. A second attempt to enter the citadel was also met with a refusal, but a threat from the neighbor to bring an officer caused the gentleman to relent, the bolt was drawn and the lady admitted, and peace reigned in the mansion, which but a few hours before was the scene of discord and soup.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Addison wants to be incorporated.

The Morenci roller mills are offered for sale.

A reading circle has been organized at Addison.

Clinton sportsmen go fishing these days. It must be fun.

The Clinton town hall will be the scene of a masquerade to-morrow evening.

The postmaster at Ogden Center has become a democrat—since the election.

James W. Bradner, of Clinton, is sojourning a few weeks in Washington territory.

A farmer's institute is in session this week at Manchester, yesterday and to-day.

Clayton, having voted to become a separate township, will now establish a hoop factory.

Brooklyn has a young ladies club called the "Hush" club. Now hush and hear the gossip.

The truce in the Adrian post-office war is ended, and the battle is raging with increased intensity.

The Court House building committee are taking estimates for lighting the court house and jail by electricity.

At the last skating masquerade in Morenci, the maskers were all attired in Mother and Father Hubbards. Oh, My!

Fred Fisk and wife of Morenci, who have been taking a trip around the globe, are expected home some time this week.

"The young cry for it, the middle-aged sigh for it, and the old must have it." This refers to the Hudson skating rink.

The Record speaks in very complimentary terms of Lamont Rowland's skating at the Adrian rink. Lamont handles himself well on rollers for a boy of his age, being only seven years old.

Hudson Gazette: Rev. Hudson's friends burst in upon him last Monday evening. The purse and larder of our esteemed ministerial friend were made much heavier and the hearts of all participants made lighter by the visit.

Senator Carpenter of this county, has been made chairman of the state senate committee on agricultural interests, and a member of the committees on the state library, supplies and expenses, horticulture, and industrial school for girls.

Hudson Post: A Hudson doctor shakes hands with people when returning from the rink, and asks if they are hurt. He has so far been rewarded by having been called to fix two dislocated wrists. He is on the way to wealth.

Clinton Local: Miss Mamie Spafford of the Manchester Enterprise and Miss Stella Cleveland of the Tecumseh Herald and Mr. Joseph Platt, of Tecumseh, were among the rolling perambulators at the Clinton rink Saturday evening.

After a lively tussle, the township of Clayton is pretty near an assured fact; *i. e.* the *populus* have so decreed it, and if the board of supervisors approve, both Hudson and Dover will lose six sections on the east and west ends respectively, but Clayton will gain a town-house and a great deal of convenience for her voters.

Representative Wiggins has been placed by speaker Clark upon house committees on private corporations and on supplies and expenditures; Representative Town, upon the committees on public health and on the reform school for girls, while Representative Howell finds a position on the committee on the liquor traffic and on the Michigan asylum for the insane.

The editor of the Morenci Observer, E. D. Allen, who has been in somewhat failing and precarious health for several months, departed on Wednesday for St. Louis, Mich., where he will undergo a course of treatment at the mineral springs. His family and friends are hopeful that he may, by the rest and the physical aid which he seeks, be fully restored to his former health.

Over 37,000 lbs. of poultry have passed through the hands of Wm. Rogers, the Clinton poultry man, this fall.—Clinton Local. We don't believe the citizen who nabbed editor Tallman's ducks, at Hillsdale, would allow that amount of poultry to pass through his hands, without securing a choice fowl or two. Why didn't William bring his hands suddenly together a few times?—Hudson Gazette.

At the Prohibition county convention held last week the following delegates were chosen to the state convention:

First District—Z. Cook, G. P. Warring, E. G. Walker, M. P. Brown, Edwin Howell, Byron Niles, Samuel Young.

Second District—W. K. Green, E. B. Sutton, C. E. Mitchell, M. W. Sweet, P. B. Chase, J. H. Cole, Wm. Benson.

Third District—Wm. Lamb., George Baker, A. J. Kempton, E. J. Stoddard, W. H. Pratt, B. Webster, Al. Dewey.

At Large—J. L. Hudson.

SIGNAL SERVICE.

The M. & O. Railway have made an arrangement with the U. S. Signal Service whereby the company will transmit all signals free of charge to all stations on their line, if the communities will be to the expense of getting a suitable pole and signal flag and procuring some person to do the work. In a circular just issued to agents, the company say:

We are perfectly willing to aid in protecting the farming community surrounding our stations from the effects of cold storms upon stock and crops, if they will undertake to furnish the necessary appliances and attendants. To this end I wish you would see a few of the leading and representative men adjacent to your station, and ascertain whether they will canvass their community and procure means for erecting a pole and furnishing a white flag with black center, for furnishing these signals. If so, arrange with some business man in their community to whom we can deliver the weather reports and who can raise the signal indicative of cold waves and frost. If this is done by the community at your station, we will deliver all signals received from the United States signal service.

Would'nt it be a good scheme for the Council to take hold of this matter? The expense will be trifling, and some village officer can easily do the necessary work.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Rev. Ira Camburn, of Ypsilanti, brother of T. M. Camburn, of Franklin, died last week.

Miss Hattie McNeil visits at J. F. N. Bowen's this week.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tripp, Franklin,—a girl.

Quite an enjoyable company met at Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mangas' last Tuesday, it being in honor of their tenth anniversary. Among others there were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Spencer, of Raisin, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spaulding and family, of Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. DePuy and daughter, of Macon, and Mrs. N. K. Bowen, of Clinton. In due season the hostess led the way to the dining room to partake of roast turkey and other delicaces which always accompany such occasions. It is needless to say every one did ample justice and all had a good time and then departed leaving a number of suitable presents in honor of the day.

The following is the meteorological report as taken by L. G. North M. D. for the week ending Tuesday, Jan. 20.

Max. thermometer, Fri. 28°.
Min. " " Mon. —18°.
Snow 12 inches.
Prevailing winds S. W.
Range of barometer .56 inches.
Max. " " 29.56 "
Min. " " 29.00 "

The annual meeting of the Commercial Telegraph Co. will be held in the office of the president, Dr. R. B. House, on Monday, Feb. 2, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M. L. G. NORTH, Sec.

ANOTHER NEW HOUSE.

We paid Rev. James Vincent a brief call yesterday for the purpose of inspecting his new dwelling house recently finished. He owns a lot seventy feet by twelve rods in size, located on the corner of Union & Killbuck streets, next door South of Chas. Bidwell's and across the street from Geo. Heesen's. The house is a large two-story frame with a wing in the rear. It has a large well lighted cellar with cement side walls and floor. The first story contains a vestibule, parlor, sitting-room and family room, (these last three can be thrown into one by folding doors) a dining room, pantry, kitchen and woodshed. The kitchen and pantry are admirably arranged, both being next the dining-room. The second story contains three large chambers, two of them with clothes-presses. The interior wood work is all done in pine and finished in hard oil. The exterior is painted in light shades with dark trimmings, which present a pleasing effect. It is one of the neatest residences on Union street, and the interior arrangement makes it a most convenient dwelling. The work was done by C. M. Minor on a contract, who furnished everything and did all the labor. Although the contract was a verbal one, every detail of the work was carefully completed, and Mr. Vincent is more than pleased with the manner in which it was done. Mr Vincent intends making this his permanent home, but he holds himself in readiness to fill temporary pulpit engagements, as opportunity may offer. We congratulate Mr. Vincent and his estimable wife on having so beautiful a home which they can call their own.

—For Lumber Wagons, very cheap, call at I. B. Richart's.

—Call and get free samples of DePuy's fresh roasted coffee.

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—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS. H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery; also manufacturers of Tiffany Improved Patent Drain Tile Machine, Sword's Brick Machine, etc.

WM. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them $46,198,558.20. Total premiums received, $20,931,785.47. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $8,306,367.74. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years unequaled by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1882, over $18,856,000. Surplus over four per cent reserve, $3,622,611.01.

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HORACE FAIRBROTHER."
Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved our darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,
MRS. EMMA GED[illegible]."
159 West 128th St., New York, May [illegible], 1882.

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PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—The richest man in Colorado is Governor Evans, and he sizes up at only three millions.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Colonel Ingersoll is said to have made $25,000 from fifty lectures during the past few months.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—The Prince of Wales is only forty-five. But if you count his age on the little darky's plan, by the fun he's had, he'd be most three hundred, says the Boston *Globe.*

—President Arthur is said to be looking better than at any time during his term of office. His complexion is clear, and his color good, a marked change from one year ago.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Colonel A. S. Johnson was the first native of Kansas to be elected to the State Legislature, and Mr. Edward P. Greer, recently chosen to that body, is the second. All other Kansas lawmakers have been natives of other States.

—A farmer near St. Helena, Cal., raised this season a pumpkin he estimates would weigh fully three hundred pounds. He has taken out the inside, leaving only a shell, which is used for and completely shelters his big Newfoundland dog.—*San Francisco Call.*

—Ben Perley Poore, the veteran correspondent, is credited with inaugurating the wheel-barrow bet for elections about thirty years ago. He lost a bet and in payment wheeled a barrel of apples from his farm in Newbury to the Tremont House, Boston, a distance of forty miles.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Robert McPhun was arrested in Louisville, Ky., charged with forgery. He was a newspaper man, and his name would indicate that he edited the humorous column.—*Boston Star.* When we learned that McPhun had got into trouble, we predicted that some unconscionable paragraphist would McPhun of his name.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Miss Ollie Price, one of the sweetest young ladies, will soon launch that giddy young fish, Clem Hutchinson. I understand that it will be no brilliant illumination or sumptuous feast affair, but with puritanic simplicity, amid the ancient walls of her Uncle Gabe's domicile, they will be made one. May the good work go on and on.—*Adairville Siftings.*

—There is soon to be erected a monument over the grave, in Clarendon, Vt., of Theophilus Harrington, who was from 1803 to 1813 a Supreme Court Justice in that State, and died in the office. It was he who first officially refused to return fugitive slaves to their masters, replying to a slave-hunter who asked him what proof of ownership he would require, "I want a bill of sale from God Almighty."—*N. Y. Times.*

—Robert Stephenson left no family behind. His wife died many years ago, and he remained a widower, so that the direct line from George Stephenson, the eminent engineer, has died out. James Watt, the noted inventor, left no descendants. It appears that the men noted for mechanical genius like many of those famous in literature, science and government, leave no children to perpetuate their names. Shakespeare, Milton, Bacon, Newton, Harvey, Pope, Mansfield, Pitt, Fox, Gray, Cowper, Collins, Thompson, Goldsmith, Congreve, Hume, Bishop, Butler, Locke, Adam Smith, Bentham, Davy, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Sir Thomas Lawrence, Byron, Lord Clyde, and others well known to fame have no representatives now living.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—"If he refuses to pay for it, I will," said a bystander in a saloon. The first man refused to pay, and so did the speaker—as he had said he would.

—"Well, now, that sticks in my crop," remarked the old farmer, as a customer showed him over six bushels of twigs and branches extracted from a ton of his best hay.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—A misunderstanding: His master—"Did you take those boots of mine to be soled, Larry?" Irish valet—"I did, sor; and see the thrifle the blag'yard give me for'm!—said they were purty nigh wore through!"—*London Punch.*

—Arabella—"Mary, you've been drinking again." Mary—"Oh, no, mum: not drinking, mum. The doctor says I'm threatened with the zebra spiral mengetus, and recommended me to take a little cronic as an anecdote."—*Boston Beacon.*

—Immaterial.

A little cloud,
An oath aloud,
A broomstick's flight, aerial;
Another swear,
A clutch at hair—
The rest is immaterial.
—*Erratic Enrique.*

—"Why do you wear your beard mutton-chops?" was asked a commercial traveler by a friend. "Because," was the philosophical answer, "in the first place it hides my cheek, and in the second place it gives my chin full play."—*Chicago Tribune.*

—"You must come and see me, my dear," said a lady to a little girl of her acquaintance. "Do you know my number?" "O, yes, ma'am," responded the innocent child. "Papa says you always live at sixes and sevens."—*N. Y. Journal.*

—The verdict: First Irishman (waiting in the corridor, to his friend, rushing in from the court)—"What's Tim got?" Second Irishman (in a breathless whisper)—"For loife!" First Irishman—"For loife! [With emotion.] Och, sure, he won't live half the thoime!"—*London Punch.*

It was an Arizona man. With steady hand he filled the can; for, as usual with him, he filled the chalice to the brim. Appalled, affrighted and dismayed to see the wholesale liquor raid, the gentleman behind the bar, in trembling tones, exclaimed, "Look hyar! You are mistaken, pard, I'm thinking. That isn't cider that you're drinking!" The stranger's face grew dark and sad, he looked as though he had it bad. In tones of grieving, mild rebuke, he said with a reproachful look: "You're mighty right, stranger: Good heavens! I wouldn't drink that much cider for fifty dollars."—*Burdette*

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Is a very prevalent and exceedingly disagreeable disease, liable, if neglected, to develop into serious consumption. Being a constitutional disease, it requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, effecting a radical and permanent cure of catarrh in even its most severe forms. Made only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

Nutrition food is essential as a means of restoring a consumptive to health. A medicine that will strengthen the lungs and soothe all irritation is also necessary. Such a remedy Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. It is the only preparation of Wild Cherry that gives complete satisfaction. It quickly cures coughs and colds.

Prof. Wiggins the Canadian weather prophet, has joined the salvation army.

Having been troubled with a very bad Cough for about two years and having tried almost every cough mixture that was ever made, I have found none that has given me such great relief as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and I earnestly recommend it to all afflicted.
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California has more suicides than any other State in the Union.

Fifty-eight million dollars is the estimated value of the finger rings of this country actually worn, and still there are people mean enough to go hacking and coughing because they do not want to invest 25 cents for a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Girls of a marriageable age are worth $16 a piece in Japan, with few takers.

Charles A. Roberts, of East Wilson N. Y., had thirteen scrofulous ulcers on his face and neck. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured them.

The town of Dulcigno lies on the Turkish side of the Adriatic sea, at a point opposite Rome and Naples, midway between each. It is called in that quarter of the earth Dool-cheen-yo. About 8,000 people live there, and are the effete descendants of the most formidable band of pirates that ever existed. It is a very old town. One hundred and sixty-seven years before Christ the city surrendered to the Romans, and received exemption from taxation, and its freedom. From 1500 to 1600 the pirates held full sway, and in 1718 a great battle was lost there by the Venetians.

A good cook never loses sight of the fact that DeLand's Saleratus and Soda are the best.

Logical deduction: She was a Boston lady of culture. She stood watching a canal boat loaded with ice, as it was being locked into the canal from Lake Champlain. "What is that boat loaded with?" "Ice," was the reply. "Oh, my!" she exclaimed, "if the horrid stuff should melt the water would sink the boat."

The Secret of Wealth.

Broken down invalids do you wish to gain flesh, to acquire an appetite, to enjoy a regular habit of body, to obtain refreshing sleep, to feel and know that every fiber and tissue of your system is being braced up and renovated. If so commence at once a course of Golden Seal Bitters. In one week you will be convalescent. In a month you will be well. Don't despair because you have a weak constitution. Fortify the body against disease by purifying all the fluids with Golden Seal Bitters. No epidemic can take hold of a system thus forearmed. The liver, the stomach, the bowels, the kidneys, are rendered disease proof by this great invigorant. Ruinous bills for medical attendance may be avoided by counteracting the first symptoms of sickness with these Bitters. They are recommended from friend to friend, and the sale increases daily. We warrant a cure. They are a positive cure also for all female complaints. In these diseases they have no equal. Take no others. Sold by Baker & Hall and C. A. Wright & Co.

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With sickness when it can be prented and cured so easily
With Hop Bitters!!!

Having experienced a great deal of "Trouble" from indigestion, so much so that I came near losing my Life!
My trouble always came after eating any food—
However light
And digestible,
For two or three hours at a time I had to go through the most
Excruciating pains.
"And the only way I ever got"
"Relief"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last"
I was taken! "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain, their
Efforts were no good to me.
At last I heard a good deal
"About your Hop Bitters!
And determined to try them."
Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of
One!
Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a
"Sick"
Hour, from the same cause since.
I have recommended it to hundreds of others. You have no such.
"Advocate as I am."—Geo. Kendall, Allston, Boston, Mass.
Columbus Advocate, Texas, April 21, 1883. Dear Editor:—I have tried your Hop Bitters, and find they are good for any complaint. The best medicine I ever used in my family.—H. TALKNER.

There are 90,000 illiterate persons in Massachusetts.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10.02 "	7 20 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8.50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 40	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 18
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5-26	11-35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

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To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction...	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	..... Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	..... Azalia.....	8 23	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	..... Milan	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	..... Nora	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania	7 52	3 10
7 05	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 10	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 05	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 27	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	6 31	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	6 41	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 10	12 08	Cambridge	3 08	9 05	
	7 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	7 33	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 50	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 57	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 07	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
	8 18	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
A. M.	8 10	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 40
6 20	9 09	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 25
6 33	9 22	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 13
6 47	9 40	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 01
6 59	P. M.	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 17		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 23
7 26		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 15
7 45		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 09
7 52		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 52
8 00		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 35
8 25		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 27
8 33		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 21
8 39		4 10	A. Allegan....L	11 10		5 10
8 50		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
10 10		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 00		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 08		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 25
11 45		9 20	Pentwater	5 50		
A. M.		P.M.	A L	A. M.		P. M.

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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FOUND OUT.

How Dr. Bethune Proved That a Man May Be a Good Parson and a Good Fisherman at the Same Time.

The late Dr. Bethune, of Philadelphia, was "a brother of the angels." With old Izaak Walton he thought: "God never did make a more calm, quiet, innocent recreation than angling." No more cheerful companion could be found than he with whom to "whip" a trout stream. His humor bubbled over, his wit flashed, and the longest sojourn in the woods failed to exhaust his stock of good stories.

On one occasion, however, he found himself an unwelcome guest, and was coldly received by the man who was accustomed to entertain visitors. He had gone to a noted trout-stream in the interior of Pennsylvania, and sought lodgings with a man who had long served as a guide to strangers.

The man at first repulsed him, and refused entertainment, saying: "I attended a protracted meeting last winter, and became religious. The Lord forgave my sins, and I joined the Methodist church. I don't intend to keep company any longer with the class of men that come here to fish."

But the doctor's pleasant manners won him over, and he finally consented to take the stranger in and to show the way next morning to the trout-stream. When they returned, late in the afternoon, the man said, frankly:

"Doc, I like you," and slapped him familiarly on the shoulder.

"What do you like me for?" asked the doctor.

"Well, doc, I'll tell you. We've been out a'most all day; we haven't caught much, you fell in and got wet, and I haven't heard you swear once."

The doctor smiled inwardly at this dubious compliment, but said nothing to betray his profession.

After supper, as he was sitting outside the cottage, the man came to him and said, with a little hesitation: "Doc, since I jined the church I've had prayers every night. We are going to have them now, and may be you wouldn't object to come in."

Dr. Bethune heartily accepted the invitation. He listened attentively to the stammering reading of a chapter in the Bible, and joined lustily in an old-fashioned Methodist hymn. The host watched him closely and then said, in a doubtful tone: "May be you wouldn't mind leading us in prayer?"

The doctor prayed in the simple and earnest manner which those familiar with him will never forget, and then went out again to the porch and solitude.

The host soon joined him, and, looking him steadily in the face, said:

"Doc, I suspicion you."

"What do you suspect me of? Nothing bad, I hope?"

"Oh, no, nothing bad. May be I'm wrong, but I kind o' suspect you are a minister."

"What makes you think I'm a minister?"

"Well, I'll tell you. I haven't heard you swear once since you came. Then you joined us in the hymn as though you liked it. Then the way you prayed made me most sure you're a minister."

Dr. Bethune laughed heartily at the man's simple earnestness, and confessed that he had been found out and was a minister. They had good times together, and both of them enjoyed telling the story in later years. — *Youth's Companion.*

BURROS AND CANOES.

A Couple of Yarns from Schneider's Little Back Room in the Rear of the Grocery.

Blifkins has been spending the past summer in the Southwest, but returned to Detroit to vote. On the evening of his arrival an informal reception was held in Schneider's little back room. The guest of the occasion had been dilating at considerable length upon the sights he had seen on his trip, and the dangers he had encountered and survived, and particularly his first and only attempt to ride a burro; an attempt that terminated in about thirty seconds and confined him to the house for a week. He concluded with the declaration that if he was going to California he would walk every step of the way in preference to trying to ride a burro there.

"Oh, shucks! It's easy 'nough to ride any long-eared hoss that ever bucked. Just you wait till you've mounted a birchbark canoe, Blif, and you'll walk when you want to go to Windsor."

The assertion came from Bill Matson, who was slowly but surely groping his way towards the bottom of a bootleg of beer.

"You're talking about something that you don't know nothing about, Bill."

"No, I ain't, Blif. As the married school-ma'am said when she reached down for her slipper to spank her own youngun, I've had 'sperunce."

"You don't mean to tell me that any down-East Yankee like you ever navigated a birchbark canoe, do you Bill?"

"I didn't say I had, Blif."

"What are you talking about, then?"

"But I tried it once, jest as you tried to ride the donk; and I got off quicker'n you did."

"Tell us about it, Bill!" shouted the reception committee, and one of them motioned to Schneider that Bill's schooner should make another voyage to the keg.

"When I was a boy, down in New York, there wa'n't a chap in our diggin's that I couldn't throw in a wrastle, lick at rough-and tumble, out-holler, or do up in any fashion. I brought that consait with me to Michigan, but it had a bad chill afore I'd been here a week and died inside of a month. The funeral occurred jest about the time I tried to git acquainted with a canoe.

"It was up to the Soo. I'd been there two or three days a-watchin' them pesky Injuns come a-whoopin' in with their loads of fish, standin' up in their canoes and a-splurgin' away with a long-tailed paddle, fust on one side and then on t'other, and I jest thought as how I'd buy me a canoe and show the varmints how a white man's back looked when he was a-rowin'.

"I paid a tarnal rodskin fifteen dollars for his canoe, pulled off my coat, stepped in, picked up the paddle, and gave a sweep on one side jest kerzackly as the Injun did. You needn't never ask me how it happened boys, for I don't know. I thought the durned thing turned over and sunk, but when I come to the top and climbed up on the dock, there was that pesky canoe settin' right there on the water, lookin' right at me, as innercent as a sheep, and not a drop of water in it.

"'Ugh!' grunted a big, strappin' Injun, 'white man catch fish like otter!'

"And then the pesky rascals commenced a-laffin' as if 'twas funny. In the somewhat exciting incidents of the next ten minutes I was quite busily engaged. When the excitement was over a couple of us was purty near used up, and that consait I'd brought all the way from York State was deader'n a mallet. I hain't been half as smart sence as I was afore."—*Detroit Free Press.*

COULD NOT SEE IT.

People in India Who Are Not Anxious to Better Their Condition.

Having gathered the head men around him, Dr. Bellew proceeds to catechise them in a paternal fashion as to the sanitary condition of their villages. Learning from them that they are generally healthy except in the autumn, when the season changes, Dr. Bellew observes: "But you are generally free from sickness, I see, when the weather is dry?" "Yes," replies the spokesman of the lambardars; "we have no sickness to speak of, except after the falls of rain, and worst of all when the season changes in the autumn." Being asked if they never thought of taking any measures for remedying this, the lambardars gave the following characteristic reply: "How should we? We are God's creatures, and in His hands. God is almighty, and His ways are inscrutable. He provides for and cares for us." Quite admitting the truth of these remarks, Dr. Bellew nevertheless inquires whether this was any reason for their neglecting to provide for their worldly welfare when it was assailed by unnatural causes produced by themselves and capable of remedy by themselves. "God only knows," sighs the lambardar. "The Sirkar is very beneficent to us poor subjects, and you are all very wise. Perhaps you will tell us?" Dr. Bellew does tell them, and after pointing out minutely the faults of their dwellings and food, the lambardar remarks: "Yes, this is plain enough, and reasonable. But, sir, we poor people get accustomed to this bad air and don't suffer any inconvenience from it, as you do who live in big houses and well-kept surroundings." On Dr. Bellew attempting to drive "this mistaken notion" out of their minds, he receives a reply that might well floor any ordinary sanitary officer: "Well, sir, we have always lived as we do now, and our forefathers before us. In their time nobody thought of these things, and our villages were much more filthy than they are now." Undaunted, Dr. Bellew perseveres with his task. He carefully reasons with his audience, and fancying he has convinced them, prepares to go. But the zaildar hangs about dissatisfied, and, on being questioned as to the cause, rejoins: "We agree with all you have said, sir, and are prepared to carry out every one of your suggestions; but, sir, you have given us no orders, and without official authority we can do nothing." Then, for the first time, does Dr. Bellew express surprise. He reminds the zaildar that he and the lambardars have several times during the conversation admitted having received orders for over three years. Not being able to carry the subject further, however, Dr. Bellew can only advise these men to fulfill their duty. Meanwhile, without direct Government pressure, a "horribly filthy puddle only fit for pigs to wallow in," and scattered heaps of dung and ashes and filth of all sorts," will continue to disseminate disease among the people.—*Bombay Gazetteer.*

SEAL-SKIN GARMENTS.

The Latest Styles in Mantles, Jackets and Sacques.

Short mantles of seal-skin are among the new garments this winter. Some of these are in the shapes just noted for long garments, but are cut as short as a visite or a mantilla, falling usually longer in front than behind, where they merely cover the tournure. The short Gretry and Galatea are graceful and warm-looking when trimmed with a mink border with pendent tails, or with black marten, or the handsome three-quarter plucked beaver bands. There are also untrimmed seal visites that are very youthful and dressy-looking, while others have passementerie ornaments on them, and clasps of carved wood or stained ivory representing two antique heads; still others are edged with a fringe made of seal-skin balls tied in meshes of silk cords.

Seal-skin jackets are shown in small sizes, smoothly fitted as Jersey waists are, and are known as Jersey jackets. These are for quite young ladies, are worn without any trimming, and cost as low as $75 or as much as $250. The popular seal sacque, which is always useful for long drives, for the country, and for general wear, is now made less clumsy in shape by being fitted more closely in the back and sides; the fronts remain loose and straight, and have a coat collar that may be turned up about the throat, or else turned down to form lapels. They measure from thirty-seven to forty-one inches in length, and when well fitted are very handsome either plain, or widely bordered, as many of them are, with black marten, natural 'coon, beaver, or sable-tail trimmings. Hudson Bay sable borders with tails in rows, and the narrow heading that is needed to complete them, are very effective on these sacques. In selecting seal garments the purchaser should make sure that in every part the pile of the fleece is made to turn upward, as it will then naturally drop downward and disclose its rich depths; when brushing or stroking this fur, the movement should also be upward. The reader is also again warned against allowing seal-skin to be dampened; but when this happens, fur must not be dried by artificial heat, but by hanging out-of-doors, or else in a cold room.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—A West Virginia woman of thirty-five eloped with her adopted son, aged twenty, to whom she had been a mother for ten years.

A HUMAN BAROMETER.

An Old Soldier's Ability to Foretell Storms Through an Injured Leg.

The surgeons of the Jefferson college hospital in this city, writes a correspondent from Philadelphia, have been very much interested recently in a somewhat unusual case that has been in their hands for treatment. It is that of a man who may be described as a human barometer. So far, however, from boasting of his power to foretell changes in the weather, the patient, whose name is Frederick Guyer, went to the hospital in hopes that the surgeons might cure him of his malady. During the war Guyer was Captain of Company D, Ninth New York Volunteers. Early in the morning of the second day's fight in the Wilderness he was struck by a Minie rifle ball, which penetrated his right leg three inches above the knee. The engagement was so hot at the time that his comrades could render him no further attention than to place him under a tree somewhat out of the direct line of fire, and there he remained for thirty-six hours, when a change of front by the Federal lines left him in Confederate territory, and he was taken prisoner. The rebel surgeon into whose hands he fell insisted upon amputating his leg, and the operation was roughly performed by candlelight, the limb being taken off at the thigh.

"Six or seven days after that," said Captain Guyer to the *Times'* correspondent this morning "I began to feel severe pains in the stump, and have never been wholly free from suffering since. The sensation is apparently in the foot. I have never felt any pain that seemed to come from the thigh, or, indeed, from anywhere above the ankle. There is usually a twitching sensation, such as a man experiences in the electric bath, at the point where the great toe joins the foot. Sometimes there is a similar feeling in the little toe; then, again there is a burning sensation across all the toes, and occasionally a pain in the heel. Before my treatment in the hospital I could always tell by the increased severity of the pain when we were going to have a storm. It was especially severe just before a north or a northeast wind began to blow, but when there was a big storm coming my toes would begin to ache three or four days in advance, and as the storm approached the pain would become so intense as to almost set me crazy. You remember the big electric storm we had three years ago, when the aurora filled the sky at night, and all the telegraph wires were disarranged. I was living then in West Twenty-eighth street, New York, and felt the storm coming three days before it appeared. I suffered more at that time than on any other occasion. The pain grew more severe as the storm approached, seemed to vary with its distance and its fluctuations, and reached a climax just before it broke. Then the painful sensations began to pass away, and in a few hours, while the storm was still raging, I was at ease again. I could always foretell any change in the weather, either from fair to stormy or from stormy to fair, and could also tell its severity. A local storm or one of light magnitude affected me but slightly, while a general storm was announced by its unpleasant forerunners according to its magnitude; and, similarly, I knew by the relief from pain when clear weather was coming. Since leaving the hospital I have been comparatively free from pain, though I still feel occasional twitches."

The operation performed on Captain Guyer was as remarkable as his disease. It consisted of the removal of a number of large bulbous formations from the stumps of the nerves. Bulbs about the size of the middle finger of the average man's hand and nearly an inch long were cut off from the greater and lesser sciatic nerves, and smaller formations were removed from other nerves. In all six of these abnormal growths were found and removed. The patient was kept in the hospital four weeks, and was discharged about two weeks ago, though he still reports periodically for examination and treatment. The wounds made by the scalpel are healing nicely, and the doctors think that when the inflammation subsides no more pain will be felt. The patient is about forty-five years of age, of slender build, and, aside from his peculiar malady, is in good health. He has never worn an artificial leg, but has always used crutches. Dr. John H. Brinton, the operating surgeon, is preparing a monograph on the case for publication in a medical journal.—*N. Y. Times.*

The Tooth Factory.

The domain of the dentist is about to be disputed. A great discovery has been made which will revolutionize the whole business and emancipate the sufferers. A factory has been established, with plenty of capital to back it, for the purpose of making artificial teeth by machinery. All that any one who is troubled with his teeth will have to do will be to get them all pulled out. Then he can purchase a brand new, machine made set and be exempt from toothache all the rest of his life. There is, of course, nothing new in the making and using of artificial teeth, but it will be easily seen that the manufacture by machinery presents great advantages. When the making of watches by machinery was started there were many protests that the new way would never be as good as the old. But the exactness soon attained, and the convenience of having the parts interchangeable, brought about a revolution, and the factory watches now rank above the hand-made. The same advantages will be had in the factory teeth. If one set gets broken, or comes out, an exactly similar one can be ordered from the factory at very small cost. If the plate gets cracked it can be replaced in the same way. All that will be necessary will be to give the number of the plate, and a new one, precisely like the old, will be sent by return mail.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

—A farmer on Russian River, California, ten years ago owned one hundred acres of wheat land from which he derived an annual profit of $1,000. He cut it into five-acre tracts and sold it to hop and fruit growers. Now the same one hundred acres supports eleven families and yielded this year a profit of $32,000, a single acre producing $600 in plumbs.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

A Good Many Failures.

During the year 1883 there were 10,508 failures in business in the United States and Canada. Some of these were big concerns, and some were very small. Failure is sorrowful business to any man, especially if it is his health that fails. A great many times 10,508 people fail in health in the course of a year. Many of them might be saved if they would take Brown's Iron Bitters, the great family medicine and restorer of wasted health.

As late as 1840 there were but seven vocations into which New England women had entered; in 1884 the number was 317.

A Walking Skeleton.

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SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

Since your correspondent's last notes we have been stormed in by cold from 5 to 26 below zero. On Friday evening the skating rink was a success, but closed in a heavy snow storm.

There were no services at our church on Sunday afternoon.

On Monday the funeral of George Ousted took place at the Methodist church which was crowded by a large concourse of mourners and citizens of the town. He was one of the oldest and best citizens. His father with a large family of grown-up children, came into this town in 1836, and they have all made their mark in the improvement of the town. There are but three of them left. Mrs. Geo. Shefler, Mrs. Milton Palmer and Wm. Ousted.

On Monday eve. the rink was well attended; they are now to open on Monday and Friday evenings.

The Springville band are expecting to visit Tecumseh rink on Thursday evening.

Our farmers are wearing smiling faces on the prospects of the rise of wheat and hope it will come to one dollar.

S. Shultis is busy looking up the balance of the town tax. He says it comes in slow.

Eugene Groger is now running our daily mail. He leaves Springville at 11 A. M. for Onsted, and on arrival of mail at 12:10, thence back to Springville, to Brooklyn and thence back to Springville.

The Lake mills are doing a large custom business, grinding feed in large quantities daily and the flour is giving good satisfaction. In the past year H. R. Case has had over 60 tons of corn ground. He is now feeding cattle 100 bushels per week, all ground; has a fine lot of steers, about 75, fitting them for spring market.

The club dance at the Springville hotel takes place on Friday evening.

TIPTON TOPICS

As your correspondent sat down, pencil in hand to record the items of interest that have transpired in this vicinity during the past week he thought so little has happened out of the ordinary routine that it would be better to make no report at all. But when we meet our acquaintances if we have nothing of importance to communicate we do not sit in silence. If nothing else, the weather furnishes an ever ready topic of conversation and surely the weather for the past week has been untoward enough to start our tongues a wagging. Our principal occupation lately has been to keep the Ice King from intruding in our domiciles, but in spite of all our efforts he is not satisfied with all out doors for his domain, and house plants and cellar stores have suffered by his cruel touch. We quote the thermometer 32° below zero as the coldest. We don't want to be below, we hate to be so low, but we have not heard from all the precincts in the county yet and if some of the veracious chroniclers will drop 10 per cent from their reports we are willing to take ½ off.

Mrs. John Bunn, who has been sick for about a year and several weeks ago had a stroke of paralysis, is beginning to slowly improve in health.

T. M. Cauburn received a telegram on Tuesday with the intelligence that his brother, Rev. Ira Cauburn, who lived near Detroit, was dead. The deceased was well known by all the old residents of Franklin. The funeral will be held on Friday at 11 A. M. at the Center.

Miss Gertie Wheaton, Miss Katie Jenkins and Miss Tina Vanvalkenburg are attending school at Addison this winter. Henry Conlin, who spent the fall term at Adrian College, has also gone to the first named place to receive instruction the remainder of the winter.

Whether we agree with Mr. Beecher or not, few men can speak or write on any subject of public interest with so great a certainty that everybody will want to know what they say. In discussing the question as to how far ministers may properly go in politics, which he does in the NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW for February, the great preacher shows himself to advantage perhaps all the more because it is a matter that touches him personally as well as professionally. In the same number of the Review, the question, 'How shall the President be Elected?' is ably treated by five happily chosen writers, viz: two United States Senators, Dawes and Vance; a college president, F. A. P. Barnard, of Columbia; a New York lawyer, Roger A. Pryor, and a well-known journalist, William Purcell. The substantial agreement of four of them on the same point is significant. "New Departure in Education," and many other articles.

The *Magazine of Art* for February is certainly a superb number. In both illustration and letter press it is very rich. The frontispiece is a sunrise, in colors, of the Downman's portrait of Lady Maria Waldegrave, which gives us an excellent idea of her piquant beauty. The opening paper on "Artist's Homes" describes the House and studio of W. Pettie at Hampstead, by Helen Zimmern, and leads us to reflect on the change in the manner of life of artists now-a-days from that of the out-at-elbow-lodge-in-a-garret-race of the past. To many readers the most interesting paper in the number will prove to be Miss A. Mary F. Robinson's biographical and critical sketch of Mr. Elihu Vedder.—Cassell & Co., Limited, New York. $3.50 a year.

GEO. WM. CURTIS.

Geo. Wm. Curtis, L. L. D., the editor of Harper's Weekly was born at Providence, R. I. Feb. 24th, 1824. After leaving school he was for a year employed as clerk in a mercantile house in New York, and in 1842 was placed, together with an older brother at the Brook Farm Socialistic Institution, in West Roxbury, Mass. He remained here eighteen months, when he was transferred to a farm near Concord, where he remained another eighteen months. In 1846 Mr. Curtis went to Europe, residing mainly in Berlin and Rome, and subsequently visiting Egypt and Syria. Returning to America in 1850 he published "Nile Notes" being sketches of his observations in Egypt. This was followed in 1852 by "Howadjie in Syria." In the meantime he had connected himself with the New York "Tribune" and had become one of the editors of Putnam's Monthly. The failure of this magazine, involved him in financial difficulties from which he was fifteen years in clearing himself. He lectured on social and aesthetic topics throughout the country and became a regular contributor to Harper's Magazine. He also edited the "Easy Chair" department in that magazine. In 1857 Harper's Weekly was started and Mr. Curtis soon became its principal editor. When the civil war broke out this journal took decided political tone and became the organ of the republican party. In 1868 he was a presidential elector on the republican side. He advocated the election of Grant and in 1871 was appointed by him to membership of the commission to draft rules for the reformation of the Civil Service. He opposed the third term scheme of Grant and was influential in securing the nominations of Hayes and Garfield. He is an urgent supporter of all civil service reform measures. In 1877 he was elected a delegate to the Convention to revise the Constitution of New York, and also a supervisor of Public Schools. He published "Lotus Eating," "Prue and I," "Trumps," etc. He was sent to the republican national convention of 1884 and opposed the nomination of Mr. Blaine. When Mr. Cleveland was nominated in Chicago, Mr. Curtis announced himself as his supporter and thus led the revolt against the election of Blaine.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan 13, 1885.

Estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Benjamin F. Beagle, deceased; order extending time for paying debts and closing estate.

Estate of Edwin Johnson, deceased; order of continuance until Feb. 17, 1885, at nine o'clock A. M.; petition for appointment of special administrator; order of appointment; bond $800.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Daniel S. Wilkinson, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing Feb. 2.

Estate of Justus Iffland, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Augusta Greenwald, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Abram A. Berry, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration with the will annexed issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John Capp, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; distribution; discharge.

Estate of Charles I. Wetmore, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrators appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners; special administrator files warrant and inventory.

Estate of Wendell Fuller, deceased; affidavit of publication; assignment; discharge.

Estate of George A. Hathaway, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrators, *de bonis non* with the will annexed, appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order allowing time to pay debts and close said estate.

Estate of Albert A. Rose, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report filed; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until February 23, at ten o'clock A. M.

Estate of Xayer Kastel, deceased; affidavit of publication; administration appointed; bond $2,000.

Estate of William F. Pierce, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator of said estate, with will annexed, appointed; bond $4,000.

Estate of Delila L. Rogers, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment.

Estate of John W. Giles, minor; affidavit of publication, late guardian's account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Moses Ayres, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Nancy Patterson, an incompetent person; affidavit of service and testimony taken and filed; order appointing a guardian; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Lewis Goodremont, deceased; affidavit of publication, administrator appointed; bond $2,000.

Estate of Peter Y. Mecereau, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Another of the interesting papers on the curiosities of natural history, so brilliantly illustrated by J. C. Beard, will appear in the February Harper's describing "Guardian Birds" who care for other animals.

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Beans ₱ bushel	1 00 @	1 20
Buckwheat ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Buckwheat flour, ₱ hundred	3 00 @	3 00
Beef, dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef hides	5 @	6½
Calf skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	10
Apples, green	20 @	25
Corn, shelled, ₱ bushel	@	40
Clover Seed	4 00 @	4 25
Chickens—dressed	@	10
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	22
Flour, ₱ barrel	4 50 @	5 00
Hogs—dressed ₱ cwt	4 50 @	5 00
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay ₱ ton	7 00 @	8 00
Honey ₱ ℔	@	15
Ham ₱ ℔	@	11
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	7
Oats ₱ bushel	25 @	27
Onions ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes ₱ bushel	30 @	35
Salt, ₱ bar el	@	1 75
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@	10
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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 12th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix of said estate, with the will annexed, alleging among other things, that she has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that all legacies bequeathed in and by said will have been paid, except residuary legacies and certain legacies held in trust, and praying for the allowance of her first annual account, now on file in this court, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto, according to the provisions of said will.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan22

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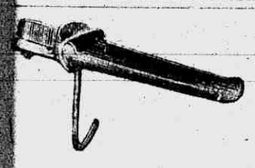

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CLINTON CHAPTER

Newcomb Brown, of Jackson, has been visiting in Clinton for a week or two.

Arthur VanGieson and sister, of Jackson, came down to attend the Masquerade and are spending a few days with relatives in Bridgewater.

Miss Kate Clark, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday at E. W. Freese's.

Sam Braman, the proprietor of our skating rink, has accepted a position as clerk, offered him by the Tuomey Bros. of Jackson. We are sorry to have Mr. Braman leave us, as he has made a pleasant addition to our society here, but wish him success in his new position.

Chas. Thompson is home for a vacation during the dull season.

George Freese arrived from Detroit Friday noon, returning Monday. He has been re-engaged by the firm of J. K. Burnham & Co. for another year.

The remains of Sheen Ellis were brought here from Hudson last Friday noon for burial. The funeral was held at the M. E. church. Rev. Allen of Detroit, had been sent for to attend the funeral, and he with Rev. Hudson of Hudson, and Rev. Hudson of Tecumseh, and Rev. Kerridge of Clinton conducted the services. The several pastors talked of the good old man, taking no text.

M. J. Cummins, of Jackson, spent Sunday at his old home, a few miles west of here.

The Sunday School children of the M. E. church enjoyed a sleighride to Manchester last Saturday. On their return an excellent dinner which the ladies had prepared in their absence, was given them in the basement of the church.

The Masquerade party passed off very pleasantly last Friday evening, with the exception of the music. Many were disappointed at Boos' non-appearance, but their disappointment might have been considerable lessened had the remaining members of the orchestra played as they were expected to, and are fully capable of doing, and otherwise conducted themselves as gentlemen. They have probably furnished music for the last dance of this generation in Clinton. The maskers numbered about twenty couple. Many of the spectators joined the party after the unmasking so that there were just enough dancers to make a pleasant company and they were not too crowded. The most complete disguise worn by a lady must be credited to Mrs. J. L. Tuttle, who was dressed as a "little brown jug." The gentleman who longest remained a mystery to the lookers-on was Ben Ellis, who was disguised as a woman. The supper furnished at the Lancaster House was excellent in every particular. Every one is pleased with the party given by the boys, who by the way were fortunate enough to make about one dollar over and above all expenses. The list of the maskers is as follows:

Mrs. P. C. Smith—Sheet and pillow case.
Mrs. George Hard—Card suit.
Mrs. Ed. Van DeMark—June.
Mrs. Ed. Smith—Sunrise.
Mrs. Frank Thompson—Night.
Mrs. W. D. Van Tuyle—Squaw.
Mrs. J. E. McCollum—Fancy Costume.
Mrs. J. L. Tuttle—Little Brown Jug.
Mrs. S. F. Marstellar—Queen of Hearts.
Mrs. David Haggart—Domino.
Mrs. Allen Bartlett—School Girl.
Mrs. Charles Clark—Domino.
Miss Lina Jones—Archery costume.
Miss Lou McDermott—Queen of Hearts.
Miss Hattie Updike—Queen of Diamonds.
Miss Blanche Smith—Tissue paper suit.
Miss Clyde Marstellar—Tissue paper suit.
Miss May Hunt—Red Riding Hood.
Miss Nellie Kishpaugh—Gypsy Queen
Miss Maggie Biggins—Domino.
Miss Lizzie Dillingham—Domino.
Miss Lora Reynolds—Domino.
Miss Kittie Ebbitt—Domino.
George Field—Clown.
Allen Bartlett—Colored Gentleman.
Albert Kishpaugh—Black & White.
George Van Gieson—Sheet and pillowcase.
J. L. Tuttle—Yankee.
Victor Haywood—Military costume.
Ed. Van DeMark—Turk.
Mr. McIntire—Cowboy.
Ben Ellis—Woman.
Will Silvers—Scotch Laddie.
Charlie Beecher—Prince.
Charles Clark—Domino.
Dick Stevens—Domino.
Wilber Dillingham—Band costume.
Ellsworth Arnold—Jew.

Who Struck Billy Patterson?

For several days we have been deliberating as to whether the article in last week's News, relative to Dr. Burchard's perseutions, were worthy of notice, or, if indeed it were more advisable in justice to the HERALD and its Clinton correspondent, to reply to it. Let it be distinctly understood from the first that we have no apologies to offer, and whatever we may have written in regard to this matter, we are ready to stand by, and if necessary prove. In the first place we did not call Dr. Burchard's "establishment for inventing a steam injector," a gun shop. We gave it the more distinguished appellation of gun factory. Our reasons for calling it this, were as follows: When the building in question was being refitted, we were informed that the owner had applied for and received a patent on a gun-lock. Then we heard he had ordered a large number of gun barrels, some fifty or more. The next information we were privileged to receive was that he had strong hopes of making a breech loading gun that would shoot ten miles and kill. These and many other remarks, coming directly from Dr. Burchard himself, led us to believe that his principal occupation in the "hours not occupied in administering to the wants of sick people" was gun manufacturing. Hence when we had occasion to speak or write of it, it was by the name above stated. If the Clinton correspondent of the HERALD cannot be called a modern George Washington, we fail to see how the local editor of the Clinton department of the News can lay claim to the name of "Truthful James" or John, as the case may be. In his article, "Gunshop on the war path," he says that J. E. McCollum told him that he did *not* know who the HERALD correspondent was, unless it was Solomon Brown. On interviewing that gentleman, he (Burchard) told him that he had heard that he (Brown) was the correspondent, when he had heard no such thing, only that he *might* be. On Mr. Brown suggesting that C. S. Burroughs or his wife might write for the paper, he immediately betook himself to Mr. Burrough's presence and confronted him with the startling announcement that he or his wife wrote for the HERALD, when according to his own words in his conversation with Mr. Brown he had only *suggested* their names, in all probability to get rid of him. The unusual amount of ambition exhibited by Dr. Burchard in his search for the unknown, is certainly worthy of a nobler cause and better success. In regard to our being too ashamed to have our name revealed, we have yet to learn what we have written to the HERALD to cause us to feel in that way. Whatever business we may have with the paper, we are not so ashamed of it as to be obliged to send our wife to transact it for us, but when we have any disagreeable or unpleasant matter on hand, such as quizzing an editor in regard to his correspondents, a matter which is usually considered private, we will try to manage it for ourselves and not ask her to do that which we would scorn to do. We believe that is all we have to say this time, but if Dr. Burchard chooses to continue his search and meets with success, we are willing to meet him *armed*. Our strong right arm has so far served us well, so that we have faith to depend upon it in any emergence.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Mrs. Alma Swain, who is said to be the first white woman that lived in this village, was buried from the Baptist church on Wednesday morning. Though small of stature, she must have possessed strong physical endurance to out live the hardships of pioneer life, and retain a finely cultivated intellect, undimmed by eighty years clouding, until a few weeks before death. She was one of those uncomplaining Spartan mothers who made the best use of life possible, no matter what trouble assailed, and refuted the charge that age is dark and unlovely, by ever keeping about her a girlish tastefulness in dress and manner, toned and mellowed by sunset years.

Intense cold is the plaint, but the rink was crowded as a summer resort at Thursday evening's masquerade. Gentlemen donned Mother Hubbards and sun-bonnets, and the way those skirts swung was a caution. Charlie Fabrie and Herbert Hart sported amazing costumes of their sisters or aunts, made doubly feminine by long white hair and bangs, surmounted by such loves of bonnets as would spoil a Saint with envy. Their attendants were Frank Fitz G. and Love, one representing Santa Clause and the other Hans VonSpreadon'. Of course they were just sweet. Hart made a conquest of the Irish dude who carried a fan, and rejected attentions so demurely that the dude was almost persuaded a girl was hid in the trappings, and when time to unmask came waited anxiously for information before he dared be really and truly Tom Beech again. A priest mingled with the publicans, blacks and whites, and raised Ned with alike freedom, for no body cared much what prank was played because each was unknown to the neighbors. Fred A. looked as if he expected the face of his best girl to materialize, when a broom brigade cap was lifted, but the lady proved to be Mrs. Emma Roberts of Manchester, and the most graceful skater present. Everybody laughed, but the girls say its unfair to usurp their dress when they cannot retaliate by exchange.

The Hush Club is not the secret society its name indicates, and has given up hiving hornets until next spring.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Woodstock's time-clerk has been somewhat under the weather of late with the all prevailing colds.

The friends of Mr. J. H. Underwood are pressing his claims to the postmastership. Mr. U. is trustworthy and popular with all classes and we see no reason why he would not make an excellent official.

Mr. C. Gunn is making vigorous efforts to prepare for "biz" at his brick yard during the coming season.

N. B. Pratt is collecting material preparatory to erecting a new house in the spring. Mr. P. has the only pioneer log house in the neighborhood.

Rumor says that Professor Tripp of our village schools, is now the father of a bouncing dish-washer; now providing this be true, we hereby tender our congratulations; if not, an apology for giving it publicity.

Revs. Crane and Armstrong of the Methodist and Congregational societies commenced a series of religious revival meetings Sunday. Said meetings may continue some weeks and we trust may produce beneficial results.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

How is this for an open winter?

The snow is about 16 inches deep on the level.

Only one train over the M. & O., on Monday.

Miss Hattie Montgomery of Tecumseh called on friends Friday.

Miss Mary Kilpatrick is visiting friends here this week, and will return to her home at Fowierville in a few days.

Mr. Orville Lee of Kalamazoo, has been visiting his cousin, Mrs. G. W. Jackson, for the past few days.

There was not many out to the social Friday night it being so stormy, but those that did attend enjoyed the evening very pleasantly.

Mr. Sam Helm, Jr., is at his father's very sick and his recovery is doubtful. His wife came Tuesday evening to take care of him.

The social will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Williams, on Friday evening of next week.

Mr. Jacob Arner found a live toad in the street near the church, Thursday morning of last week, and it was 14 degrees below zero at the time.

Twenty or more of the young people of the village were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. T. H. Montgomery on Saturday night in behalf of Miss Fannie Cone, their cousin.

Silence is the pass-word, Mr. Correspondent to the Lenawee Record, in matters concerning your brother correspondents.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Larkin a four pound girl.

We don't wonder that the HERALD correspondent from Macon, did so much kicking before election at the position of the prohibitionists, for he had a finger in the Representative pie, you see.

The chorister of the church choir desires that all the old members and those that are members at present, and all persons interested in a choir will please meet in the lecture room of the church, on Saturday evening, to choose a chorister and an organist.

School meeting next Monday night, and it is the desire of the board that the voters will be present.

The Literary on next Friday night promises to be the best of the season.

Miss Belle Barlow is under the doctor's care, and it is hoped is not dangerous.

Mr. Harry Smith, who has been a third partner in the firm of Coryell, Lawton & Co., has withdrawn from the firm and hired out to them for a year by the day, to work at tinwork. The firm will be known as Coryell & Lawton. The firm have made a wise choice in keeping Mr. Smith. Mr. Smith is one of the best tinsmiths in Southern Michigan and we are glad he is going to stay with us.

ONSTED ODDS.

Missionary social at J. B. Maxwell's Thursday.

Allen McAllister has moved into a part of D. A. Sickner's house.

Joseph Keeney, of Franklin, shipped four horses from here to Marshall last Saturday.

Frank Glenn, after a visit at home of about three weeks, returned to Chicago Monday.

I. Teachout, of Rome Center, shipped four carloads of sheep from here last Saturday.

Sleigh rides with an occasional capsizing is the order of the day now.

E. Spalding, our station agent, has stretched a wire from the depot to his boarding house where he has an instrument.

There is a considerable sickness in this vicinity at present. Our popular doctor G. W. Russ has some long rides this cold weather.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Miss Susan McConnell, of West Adrian, is visiting at Mrs. Almira McCollum's.

Mrs. Sarah Shaw, of Adrian, visited friends in this vicinity the past week.

Detroit and Adrian papers write items from C. T. Line Flashes and print them as original news.

Albert Morseman, of Franklin, entertained a party of friends last Friday. A good time and a good place to have it.

J. R. Keeney shipped four very fine horses to Marshall last Saturday over the M. & O. The Tipton depot is nearly completed.

Mrs. Tripp's baby is very sick.

Social at Congregational church, Franklin, Thursday afternoon and evening.

Remember the annual meeting of C. T. Line stockholders next Monday, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

The following is the meteorological report as taken by L. G. North M. D. for the week ending Tuesday, Jan 27.

Max thermometer, Sat. 54°.
Min. " " Thurs. —20° below.
Snow 6 inches.
Prevailing winds S. W.
Range of barometer .81 inches.
Max. " " Thurs. 29.63.
Min. " " Mon. 28.82

The thermometer was below zero six consecutive mornings, viz: from the 18th to 23rd inclusive.

BOHEMIAN OATS.

A friend of ours who lives in Macon has received the following letter from a party in Ohio, which puts the Bohemian oat business in its true light. Mr. Montgomery is a responsible man, and the original letter in his possession can be inspected by any one who desires to see it. The last number of the Michigan Farmer has an article ventilating the business in a very happy manner, which it would be well for farmers to read.

FREDERICK, O., Jan. 14, 1885.

Mr. E. G. Montgomery, Cone, Mich. Dear Sir:—In reply to yours of Jan. 8th, I would state that I have had some experience in the Bohemian Oat business, and have made considerable inquiry in addition to my own experience and taken all together I find it is one of the Grandest Swindles that ever was perpetrated on the farmer's of this section of the country. I would say that the agents ought to be treated as land pirates and driven from every community when offering Bohemian Oats for sale, for I will assure that every man that invests will have bought his wit at a dear rate. And what I have said in the foregoing would be the testimony of all that I have conversed with on the subject. You may tell your neighbors that it is a colossal swindle.

Respectfully,
ROBERT WEISNE.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening, Jan. 23, the Club met at the residence of Mr. I. H. Schreder per adjournment. The night was so cold and stormy that but very few put in an appearance, yet the program previously arranged was very well carried out. The recitation by Gracie Gillespie was superb. Kittie Griswold's essay was also a good production. There were so few present it was thought best not to discuss the question until our next meeting which occurs two weeks from the above date, or February 6.

Program for next meeting:
Music—Grant and Henry.
Essay—Eva Rector
Declamation—Frank Gillespie.
Select Reading—Anna Everhart.
Essay—Ellen Fisher
Chip Basket—Minnie Rector.
Singing—Choir
Question: Would it be more profitable to sell our cream than to make it into butter? Led by E. L. Russel.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

The Agricultural Society of Lenawee County will hold its annual meeting on Friday, Jan. 30, at 10 o'clock A. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the success of the county fair.

M. GRAVES, SEC.

B. D. Nichols and A. Linn will give a Social Party at Britton's Hall tomorrow evening, Jan. 30th. Music by Edwards' Orchestra. Floor managers, Joe Mellon and H. C. Smith. Bill 50 cents.

FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—Mule meat is a favorite dish in Paris, and brings high prices.

Lydenchere hears of an English boy who had delirium tremens at eight years of age.

Leeds, England, has a Society for the Suppression of Noisy Trades in Residential Districts.

A case of poisoning from eating pudding made in part of inodiff bread is recorded in the London *Sanitary Record*.

Snakes are never found in the Island of Iona, off the west coast of Scotland, although they do exist in the island of Mull, only three miles of a little distant.

—At Ta San Sinan, China, the Governor selected his recruits as follows: He first flung a bench six Chinese feet wide, and all those that were able to jump it were enlisted into the corps.

Prince Bismarck never uses any pens save those made of goose-quill, and dries his writing with blue sand. Steel pens and blotting paper he deems inventions of the enemy.

A village in Leicester, England, claims the coming giantess. Although just fourteen years of age she is six feet five inches in height, weighs 252 pounds, and has apparently only just begun to develop.

The population of the Southern cities in Italy is found to be increasing a third faster than that in the northern cities, including the Alps, caused chiefly by emigration from the latter to South America.

A French scientist, Mons. E. Krasen, has sought to demonstrate that certain anomalies in the distribution of plants, according to altitude, must be due to a comparatively recent change in the elevation of the mountains on which they grow.

The railway up Vesuvius has already paid for itself; the trains, which ascend night and day, are well patronized by native and foreign sight-seers, all strangers ascending now days, whereas formerly a foot ascent was so irksome that only the daring undertook the round trip.

—A benevolent society, called a "Mouthful of Bread," has been started in Paris. Its object is to render temporary assistance to those who are out of work. A lump of bread and a glass of water, flavored with vinegar, are given to all who ask for relief. The vinegar is put in the water to kill the microbes, which swarm in the foul Seine water.

—A new species of wild horse, found in Central Asia, has been brought to St. Petersburg. It is met with in troops of five to fifteen, led by an old stallion. The species has highly sensitive powers of hearing, smell and sight, and is very shy and fleet. The long hair of the tail does not begin till about midway down the tail. On the short, erect mane there is no forelock, and there is no dorsal stripe.

—A traveler in South America says every window in Rio Janeiro has a woman in it. The measure of the respectability of a funeral there is the number of mules to the hearse. After a hard rain in Rio the streets are flooded, and big negroes earn tips by carrying ladies and gentlemen from one dry spot to another. It is said the only place a Brazilian does not smoke is his coffin. The common beast of burden in Rio is the head, after the Holland style.

LEPROSY.

Two Rare Cases of the Terrible Disease That Have Lately Appeared in New York.

Several weeks ago in these columns was given the sad story of a young lady of fashion in this city who had been visited with a strange disease, diagnosed as leprosy by her physician and by experts, one of whom was a member of the visiting staff of Mount Sinai hospital in consequence of a wild night's frolic with a couple of adventurous companions in an opium den connected with a Chinese laundry on Third avenue. The diagnosis of leprosy has been sustained, not only by the concurrent opinions of all the experts who have been called into the case, but also by the whipcord enlargement of the ulnar nerve. This significant symptom was already distinctly defined under the finger when ten days ago, acting under the advice of her physician, the beautiful patient sailed for Europe with a view of consulting the best medical authorities in the great foreign centers of scientific activity. Another case of the same kind, not less sad than the preceding, ones nor less certain in its symptoms, although of obscurer origin, is now under the observation of a group of practitioners. The victim is a promising and brilliant actress, as beautiful in person as she is fascinating in manner, of English extraction, and belonging to a family that has already furnished somewhat distinguished notabilities of the stage. The young actress arrived in this city about a fortnight ago, and is staying with her mother in private, denying herself in her morbid sensitiveness to all her former friends and acquaintances. The history of the case, as furnished by her attending physician, is as follows: In the latter part of June last, on the eve of her departure from the city with a light comedietta and comic opera company, the young lady, whose name is withheld for obvious reasons, noticed one morning at her toilet a strange purple blotch, rather larger than the ball of her thumb, beneath her right eye. It was of irregular contour, and extended from apo tha dwy beneath the orbit some distance beyond the external margin. Rehearsals were in progress. She was studying very hard, and she attributed the appearance to late hours and overwork, smoothed and painted it over with rose-water and bismuth, and thought no more of it for the day, other than to be careful that the painting was efficient. Contemporary with this she began to bore ness troubled with want of sleep, and when at last, the long-sought for oblivion came, she started and full of starts. Twice in the days of these embryotic days of the disease her mother was awakened by sleepily footsteps moving about the house, and with rare courage for a woman, she pressed her daughter with open, but unseeing eyes, wandering from room to room, trying one door after another with silent hand. These nocturnal wanderings were succeeded by mornings of nervous lebetude. In this condition, with others of the company, she set out on her dramatic tour, from which, she anticipated great results, in the latter part of June, and was soon gathering abundant plaudits and press notices and, what is better, a full harvest of cash in the cities of the Southwest. She arrived in New Orleans, lauded and feted out. While performing in one of the large towns in that vicinity she was suddenly prostrated with the ephemeral fever, high fever, with snatches of delirium, and the familiar rose-colored eruption which has been so often described by such experts as Prof. Sturgis, Dr. Tilford, Dr. O'Donnell, and others, who have witnessed the onset of the malady, ushered in by a severe and prolonged rigor. The local practitioner diagnosed the case as one of climatic fever, in the severer forms of which eruptive phenomena resembling scarlatina are not unusual. For ten consecutive days this internal consuming flame burned without intermission; but on the tenth day, to the wonder of the local practitioner, suddenly subsided, the vapors of delirium clearing away from the excited brain and leaving the patient feeble as an infant, but free, apparently, from all malarial symptoms. Meanwhile stranded by the illness of one of its leading members, the company had lingered impatient to be at work, grumbling and discontented. But, though convalescent according to the rules of the medicine, neither stimulants nor tonics, decoctions of beef or of brandy and quinine availed to restore the wasted and still wasting constitutional energies. A substitute had to be engaged and by slow stages, sick, disappointed disheartened, the young actress returned to her home. It befell, by one those curious coincidences that render human life such a riddle to the unbelieving, that the case came under the purview of an adept in leprosy, whose training in one of the great centers of the disease had educated his eye to the detection of all its subtle signs. "The story of the blotch under the eye, the bloated features, and the significantly whitish pallor of the skin; the sudden and terrible fever, with red spots, followed by sudden, but only apparent, convalescence; the subsequent debility, malaria, and general failure; the elongated, hard, red tubercles on the shoulders, which the patient showed me, wondering how they came; the numbness of the hands—all these," said the young man to the *Mercury* reporter, who, having heard of the case from an acquaintance of the victim, was referred to her physician for information, "were things as familiar to me as the Roman alphabet. I shall call other physicians before finally announcing the verdict so terrible to hear and bear, but, between you and me, there is no more question about the nature of the disorder than about a case of scarlatina or the measles. The poor thing is in the beginning of the third, or tubercle, stage of leprosy. Practitioners call this the second stage. How did she contract the terrible taint that is gnawing away her beauty and life? I have questioned her cautiously. She denies having visited any opium-smoking haunt just before the blotch came or at any previous period. There was a lodger in the house, her mother says, in May and June last, who had just such reddish tubercles on his shoulders and neck as are now appearing in the case of her daughter. If the mother is correct in her description, the young man was a leper, and must have been aware of it, and that his presence in the house was a source of imminent danger. I am satisfied that the disease is leprosy, and that my patient ought to be isolated immediately for the protection of the family and her friends."

The young actress has canceled her engagements for the fall season, and proposes to make a voyage to Europe as soon as arrangements can be effected for her mother to accompany her.—*N. Y. Mercury.*

A Newspaper Fable.

A $ Mark and a ¢ were one day left close together on the Imposing Stone, and the $ Mark coughed in a Pompous way and observed:

"I am constantly used to designate the Wealth of the World."

"And I," replied the ¢, as he Bristled up in the Promptest Manner, "am symbolic of Liberty."

"By means of me," continued the $ Mark, "the Printer can change 1,000,000 Grains of Sand into $1,000,000."

"Yes; but Heaven's vaults are studded with Stars, and I am frequently used in Print to represent Unknown Quantities."

"They were still boasting when the Apprentice came up and Inquired the Cause of the Excitement. Having Received an Explanation, he said

"Both are of so little use that I'll chuck you into the pi case."

MORAL.

Any man may set his own value, but the Trouble is to make other men Believe in his figures.—*Detroit Free Press.*

The Crow (N. Y.) *Telegram* says there is a man in Cohoes who has the habit of carrying a needle in his mouth continually. No matter whether eating, drinking, sleeping or awake, the needle is always in his mouth, and when excited or talking earnestly he will roll the needle around in his mouth similarly to a man chewing tobacco. He stated that he contracted the habit some years ago, but can give no cause for it, and that when one needle gets corroded so bad that it breaks he procures another.

—A dinner was given to ten gentlemen at the Bellevue, Philadelphia, the elegance of which is a subject of much talk in fashionable circles. The menus were in the form of a book of antique leather with a solid silver clasp. There were nine pages to the book, each page representing a course, and beautifully illuminated in oil. The gossips say these dainty books of the gastronomic library cost ten dollars each.—*Philadelphia Times.*

THE JUICE OF THE GAGUS.

A More Deadly Lethal Drink Than Any Known to Civilization.

"Do you know what that is?" said the Captain of a bark lately returned from a cruise in the Southern seas. He held in his hand what appeared to be a gnarled panel, barely a pole thick to the size of a policeman's club.

"This comes from Gaupti Island, near the Mariane group. I have navigated the South Seas for many years, and I never saw it growing upon any other island. And I don't think you will find any sailor or native who hails from those waters but will behave when I tell you what this stick is. It is juice to we sailors, but not to what the juice is called. I've heard these long-eared scientific fellows call it by a name a yard long, but I might as well have tried to reef a mainsail alone as to reel it around my mental windlass. Gagus is good enough for me.

"Who planted it?"

"Why, bless me, that's the way it grew," cried the skipper, with a laugh. It is a species of cactus, and grows only to my knowledge on Gaupti Island. The island is a small one, but is well populated by natives of the Malay race. In the interior this plant grows wild, flourishing especially in the rocky soil. It looks beautiful when growing, as you may judge by the bright hues with which this is spotted. The main stalk is covered with sharp, nettle-like protuberances, and a prick from one of them will cause more pain than a handful of red-pepper thrown in your eyes. When young the plant consists of but one stalk, which shoots up straight to a height of four or five feet. It is a brilliant scarlet in hue. Toward winter a number of offshoots spring out until the thing looks like a broom, stood upright. Green and purple specks then appear all over it. A grove of gagus shrubs is a very pretty sight. But it is the properties of the plant which distinguish it. Opium is a potent drug, but I will back the extract from the gagus stalk to effect more damage on the human system than all the opium in the world. The natives cut the plant in the early spring. After they have gathered a sufficient quantity they put it in large bowls and crush it with huge stones. A grayish sap runs out freely, and this they collect and drink after letting it ferment, which it does easily. One drink of a pint is enough for an ordinary man, but I have seen natives drink more. Within half an hour after imbibing it the drinker becomes perfectly stupid and lies around like a log. The spell lasts a day or more, during which time the natives say they live in paradise. I have known sailors to try it, but they never tackled it twice. Three years ago I had a man in my crew who was driven crazy by one drink. If you could see some of the terrible examples of gagus drinking in Gaupti you would be horrified. The first effect of the liquor is to soften the bones, and gradually eat them away. There are natives there, the victims of gagus, who are indeed boneless and unable to walk or use their limbs. They then begin to wither away like this stalk until they die in misery and convulsions. Immediately after death, the head of the corpse becomes soft as pulp, no bones can be felt, the skull is completely eaten away. The body then begins to swell as though it were inflated with gas and immediate burial is necessary."

"How long does it take to thus devastate a human being?"

"Usually two years will finish the hardest man. Oh, the suffering of the slaves to the drink are terrible."—*San Francisco Call.*

A TALK ABOUT COWS.

Some Points Which Farmers and Dairymen Will Do Well to Study Over.

I do not design in this article to pass upon breeds, although I shall refer to some of them, but I shall call attention to several points, which in my judgment, the farmers' cow ought to possess. She should be of good size that she may produce a calf that will be profitable to raise for beef if a male, and also that she herself may be profitable turned into beef as soon as by age, her milking powers show signs of failing, and here I wish to make this point. A majority of farmers keep their cows too long. I believe that except in the case of those which prove extraordinarily profitable for milk or butter, or possess some qualities which render them superior, it will be more profitable to fatten cows at from five to eight years old than to milk them longer. If you will look at the market reports in any of our papers you find the poorest grade of cattle quoted at from $1.75 to $2.25 per hundred, and in the same papers you will see good fat cows quoted at from $4 to $5 per hundred. In visiting the stock yards I have seen pens of old bony cows, with wrinkled horns and protruding hips, and have ceased to wonder at these low quotations. Aside from the difference of two cents per pound or more in price at selling time, these cows have often been kept for some years at a loss, and if sold five or more years sooner this double loss might have been avoided. If a cow milks hard or does not prove to be gentle, I never milk her more than one season. If she is a fair, ordinary cow, I turn her for beef when in her prime, but occasionally I find a cow that possesses such a combination of valuable qualities that I keep her to old age, and I have kept such cows at a profit till nearly twenty years old.

Another point I will make is, that for the farmer it is more desirable that the cow give a large amount of milk, than that it be very rich. I know this is contrary to the general opinion, and that the fact that a small quantity of milk will make a pound of butter is ordinarily considered decisive of a good cow. I affirm that for the farmer the cow which gives four gallons of milk a day, from which ten pounds of butter a week is made, is worth more than the one which produces the same amount of butter from two gallons of milk per day. The average price of butter is so low that when we take into consideration the labor to produce and prepare it for market, there is often a greater net profit from the skim milk fed to stock than from the butter. If I have described the cow most profitable to the farmer, she certainly is not a Jersey, for most of this breed are undersized and give but a moderate quantity of very rich milk. In addition to this, her milk, though rich in butter, is quite poor after it has been skimmed, so that it is worth much less for feeding than that of some other breeds. I have found it a decided advantage to the quality of the product to have one Jersey cow to sell two or three others in the herd, as their milk gives butter of a better color and finer texture than that of most other breeds.

After careful experiment I conclude that as a rule more profit can be had from a cow that comes in fresh in the fall than in the spring. Thus a cow has run dry on pasture for two months or more in the summer, she is usually in better flesh and condition for calving and giving milk than if she comes in in early spring after months of dry feed. 2. Again, the cow that calves in the fall goes on fresh pasture just at the time she would begin to shrink in her milk, and the season of flush milk is prolonged. 3. The average price of butter is considerably greater from October to May than from May to October, so that we can make a greater profit from the cow that is fresh in the fall. The most disagreeable season of the year to milk, and the hardest to make a good quality of butter is during the heat of summer, and at this season it is wise to produce only what the family requires. 5. I find a fall calf can be raised with less trouble than one born in spring, for the reason that it does not require the same care to winter a calf that is a full year old, and has had an entire season on grass, that it does the spring calf weaned in the fall, and must spend six months on dry feed before it goes to pasture. The profitable way to fatten a cow is to fatten and milk at the same time. If you do not breed the cow she can usually be milked at a profit from eighteen months to two years, and occasionally you will find one that can be milked a much longer time. A cow in her prime, say from six to eight years old—that has given milk a year or more can be milked all winter and dried the first of April, and in four weeks go to the butcher at the season of the year when beef is always scarcest and highest in price. The fattest cows I ever sold were milked up to the day the butcher took them, and I calculated that the milk through the winter paid the entire expense of fattening. I have often bought in the fall a thrifty cow, with the marks of a good feeder, that under the treatment she was receiving, was giving but three or four quarts of milk a day, but under full feed, soon increased to two gallons and kept up the flow till she went to the butcher in the spring, and I usually sell at an advance of from $12 to $25 above cost. The quality of the milk from a full-fed farrow cow is very superior to that from a fresh cow. I have found this plan of milking for a long time without breeding especially valuable with old cows. Occasionally one gets hold of a cow that possesses so many valuable qualities that he wishes to keep her as long as possible. After such a cow passes her prime, breed her to come in in the fall when in good order, and then feed so as to keep her up and milk as long as she will pay for keeping. I have milked for thirty-seven months, and have known cases where a cow has been milked for five years without breeding.—*Waldo F. Brown, in Country Gentleman.*

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The Very Smart Young Man Who Talked About What He Was Going to Do.

A wholesale house in Detroit, in which the firm consists of four partners, with a solid old gentleman at the head, took on a new traveler a few days ago. He was engaged and packed off without having seen the senior partner, and he probably didn't care a cent whether such a person existed or not. He was coming in over one of the roads on a recent Saturday, and had taken a seat in the smoker to enjoy a fifteen-center, when a fellow-traveler asked him how business was, and what firm he represented.

"Business is infernal dull, and I represent the house of Blank & Co., Detroit," was the answer.

"Pretty solid house?"

"Oh, yes; but rather cranky."

"Going to be with it next year?"

"Well, that will depend. When I get in I'm going to ask for a position in the store. I'm fitted for almost any place there, and I'm going to push myself."

"And then you'll work for promotion?"

"You bet! and if things come around right I'll have an interest in the old ranch inside of two years."

"Eh! how's that?"

"Well, the old crank who furnishes the doubloons to keep the business booming has two marriageable daughters, and I'm going to be his son-in-law or break both legs trying. I've got the luck to succeed, and you can bet a new hat on me any day in the year."

The conversation died away very soon after that, and in a little time the traveler was left to the comforts of his cigar. He thought no more of the matter until he walked into the Store Monday morning to report. The first man his eyes rested upon was his fellow traveler on the train, and the old gent had his hat off, and seemed very much at home. He bowed to the drummer, and he smiled, and he went to the door and called after him in a forgiving tone, but the man escaped, and has not been seen in Detroit since.—*Detroit Free Press.*

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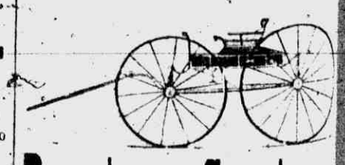

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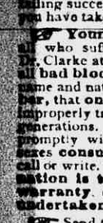

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Celery in Winter.

Many people grow celery for family use, who find it very difficult to keep it for winter, the chief difficulty being to prevent its rusting. Now, if kept out of doors, there is not much trouble, but laid by, in almost any form in the root cellar, celery will rarely last very long in good condition. Usually amateurs make the mistake of having it all earthed up together and on, whereas, to keep well late in winter, the earthing up must be deferred as late as possible, and only enough to keep the stalks from spreading and getting out of shape. For market purposes, the earliest here is usually dug in July, and it is generally somewhat smaller and inferior in other respects to what may be called the main crop, which comes in late in September and on through the month of October and November, after which the winter crop may be said to begin.

In this neighborhood, where a large quantity is grown, it is not safe to have much of it unprepared in winter quarters later than the middle of November. The opposite practice will sometimes cost the grower great loss by a single frost. It is not because celery fails to stand several degrees of cold, say ten or fifteen, but it is unsafe to risk much more than this. This is particularly true of that in the best condition for late keeping, having the green much exposed.

The place selected for keeping celery must be free from standing water. If not certain as to this for a depth equal to the habits of the celery, it is necessary to raise the plants above surrounding level. Choose a dry day, take up all the celery, with what roots and soil will cling. Make a trench the depth the celery is high, and wide enough to form a bed that will hold say a dozen stalks. Set them in this trench as nearly perpendicular as possible, and as close together as they will stand; pack soil just enough to these to keep the next row apart, which proceed to place in the same way as the first, and so on until all are in position. When completed, one has a bank of celery and earth, with the tops of celery just peeping out. Here it may remain until signs of very sharp frost appear, when some litter must be placed over every part of the bank, sufficient to keep the frost from penetrating more than a few inches into the soil. Yet there must not be so heavy a covering as to cause any danger of heating. Choose warm spells to get as many stalks as are likely to be wanted for a week's use, and you may have celery the greatest part of the winter.

For small family beds, instead of a dozen stalks wide, the trench may be made only three, or a quantity to suit the demand. By this means, very small and late celery is often put away and sold, or used in the family late in the winter or in early spring.—*Prairie Farmer.*

Cheap Cellar for Storing Roots.

Those who raise large quantities of roots for feeding out through the winter are often troubled a good deal in finding storing-room where they may be safely kept. The cellar under the house is usually too small and not at all convenient to the barn. Every stock-raiser should have his root-cellar either under or near the barn.

Owing to the low situation of the barn and other reasons it is not always possible or convenient to have the cellar under the barn. In such cases a cellar or frost-proof storing-room built mainly above ground and after the following description will be found both cheap and satisfactory.

If the ground is high enough dig down three feet the size desired. 12x20 feet makes a good large cellar, and 10 x 16 feet will do for 600 or 800 bushels. Get on hand a lot of small logs or poles from six to ten inches in diameter, with which to build the portion above ground. Cut the poles for each side three feet longer than the width or length of the excavation. Place the first two poles on flat stones or blocks back a foot from the edge of the hole dug, and upon opposite sides. Flat the ends with the axe and lay two cross-poles as you would in starting a log-house. In these end pieces, one foot from the end, cut notches for the next hole to lie in. With each round set the side-poles in a foot, which will give a regular slant to the roof, and make a very strong frame for the weight that is to come upon it. The end that is to contain the door should be carried up the same as the sides.

Cover this frame with culls or common lumber, laying the boards on up and down. Next put on a heavy layer of marsh hay or straw to keep the dirt from coming in contact with and rotting the lumber. Over this put a foot of earth, and if they can be had without too much trouble, a covering of sods. A shute should be provided for filling the house, and a small ventilating flue for winter. The end where the door is located should be double-boarded and filled in with sawdust and cut straw. There should also be a double door, although I have used such a cellar with only a single door, without having the roots frozen.

A storing-house of this kind, if well made, will last eight or ten years, and give as good satisfaction as one costing $100.—*Indiana Farmer.*

Hot-Beds.

How to build fire-heated hot beds for profit should be regulated by the nature of the crop to be grown in them, whether lettuce, radishes, spinach, early carrots and the like, or decorative plants, as geraniums, roses and bedding plants, also on their nature—brick or wood—and the extent desired by their owner. The kind of heating apparatus—hot water pipes or smoke flues—must also be considered. We prefer hot water.

Let the situation be a sunny one, open to the south, and sheltered from the north, northeast and northwest; if there is no natural shelter, a board fence would be of great benefit; it would promote the growth of the plants, save fire-heat and some time in covering up. For early vegetables, beds covered by three or six feet sashes are as good as any; one man can handle these sashes, whereas were they larger two men would be needed.

Board or plank pits three to three and a half feet deep at the back and two and one-half to three feet at the front and sunk under the ground level about two feet would be quite serviceable. Let this frame be floored nine inches under the surface level. In the chamber under the floor, which is a little over a foot deep, two three-inch hot water pipes should be placed; these will give what bottom heat would be required. If the bottom of the pipe chamber were floored with old boards, a good deal of heat would be economized. Then fill the pit to the ground level (nine inches deep) with soil, and plant your crop.

Top heat may be given by a row of one inch hot water pipes running along inside, at top and bottom of the frame. Straw mats and shutters should also be used as an outer covering in the case of cold nights, as only a mild heat should ever be kept in the pipes.

Of such a bed as this you may have as many rows as you please, letting them run parallel with each other and at intervals of two or more feet. A series of small greenhouses, heated from above ground, may, after all, be the most desirable, as they certainly are in the case of pot plants.—*N. Y. Herald.*

Pointless Conversation.

Family life is apt to fall into narrow grooves, and family talk to degenerate into vapid discussion of persons or trifles, too often, unluckily, sharpened by ill natured satire. Each member of the family is likely to chatter of his or her favorite pursuit until the table talk resembles a London street where each vendor cries his wares, without regard to the ears, intelligence or feelings of the others. Nothing stunts the growth of a child's mind or debases its aim more that such habits.

A summer visitor to the country describes the conversation among the people at the farm, as follows. At breakfast:

Joe—Father, Sam Prather says as his calf weighs more'n ourn.

Father—Sho! [A long pause.] How much does Sam Prather say his calf weighs more'n ourn?

Joe—I dunno.

At dinner: Father—I see Sam Prather down ther, Joe. He says his calf does weigh more' ourn.

Joe—Sho! How much did he say?

Father—I dunno.

Joe—Sam Prather's a fool!

At supper: Joe—Father, Sam Prather told Jem that his calf weighed more'n ourn.

[A long pause.] Father—I'd like him to prove that.

Joe—I don't think he kin. He never see our calf, an' his'n is killed and eat up.

Father—Sho! [A long pause.] You kin tell Sam Prather for me, Joe, that if his calf warn't killed an' eat, it wouldn't weigh more'n ourn.

Now, of course, it is lamentable enough that rational human beings should spend any part of their time in conversation so empty of ideas and so utterly aimless as that. But if our critical townsman could read his own morning talk set down in cold print, while he would find the subject discussed different—it might concern a rise in this railway stock of a quarter of a cent, or the fall of cottons of the same amount—it might prove to be just as inane and just as pointless—the overflow of a mind perpetually running in one narrow current. Could one find any wisdom or wit or shrewd common sense in it which would help or cheer those who heard it?

What is the remedy?

Some pursuit in common, a book read aloud, a charitable work, the study of the bees or dogs about them—anything, in short, that will break down the fence that shuts the family into the incessant observation of a few people and a few trifling ideas.—*Youth's Companion.*

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"They give an air of refinement to a house."

"Vhell?"

"I don't say that they keep out cholera altogether, but you can't point to a house in Detroit provided with them which has had a case of cholera."

"Vhell, dot vhas so."

"In buying them you help a poor man to reach the bed-side of his dying wife in Buffalo."

"Yes."

"You add at least two hundred dollars to the value of your place."

"Yes."

"They are not a burglar alarm but when a burglar finds them in the windows he turns away disconraged."

"Dot vhas good."

"The air which enters your house is strained as it were, and must therefore be free of chips, gravel, sand, dust and other substances deleterious to health."

"I see."

"And you will take 'em?"

"My freudt, vhas dose fly screens like a watch dog? If some boys come in der alley dose dey raise a big row und let me know?"

"Of course not."

"If I come home in der night und der front door vhas locked und I can't get in, does dose fly screens make it all right?"

"No, sir—no, sir. How can you expect any such things from fly screens?"

"Vhell, I doan't know. I guess you better moof along to der next corner. Everypody says I vhas sweet-tempered and kind, but if a man come along und impose on me und take me for some greenhorns, I let myself oudt und knock him so far into next Shanuary dot fly screens doan' keep him warm."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A handsome income is made by a Frenchman at Berlin, who has introduced the Parisian system of window cleaning by contract. He charges two shillings a month, and has six thousand customers in the German capital alone, where he employs forty men.

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—King County, Washington Territory, has one woman Justice of the Peace and one woman Constable.

—Dorcas the weather prophet, says that if a potato is left in the ground after the vines are dry it will lose its flavor.

—The Western Union Telegraph Company has three thousand, eight hundred and forty-nine stockholders.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—In no other city in the country do as many women make their living by keeping boarders as in Washington.—*Washington Star.*

—A horse at Cisburne, Tex., got into his master's poultry yard and devoured thirteen young chickens, which he found in a box there, feathers and all.

—If you have any oyster plates in the house throw them into the alley at once. They are no longer in fashion. You must eat your oyster soup from a bowl.—*Detroit Post.*

—Idaho claims a population of eighty-eight thousand and shows an assessment roll of nine million dollars as an evidence that she is able to maintain a State Government.

—Mr. Thomas Meehan, who has been visiting the Alaska glaciers, reports a torrent a hundred feet wide and three or four feet deep flowing winter and summer from under the Muir Glacier there.

—A lady in Nashville, Tenn., keeps five cats, two dogs, two canaries, a monkey and a swearing parrot, and yet she is very indignant at her neighbors because they think that this domestic menagerie is a nuisance.

—Captain Chetwynd, of the British Navy, who has been pouring oil on troubled waters, concludes that although it may be of great use to ships in an open sea, it is of no practical advantage to life-boats having to pass through large breakers.

—The advertisements of furnished houses to let in a Washington paper indicate that the lowest price a desirable house can be procured for is seventy-five dollars a month and the highest three thousand, seven hundred and thirty-three dollars.

—There are now about one million and two hundred thousand domestic servants in this country, who annually earn about two hundred and sixteen million dollars. In England the same number of servants would earn only ninety million dollars.

—The interesting fact has been demonstrated by Mr. Arthur Searle that the Milky Way is about two magnitudes brighter than the mean brightness of the sky, and a square degree of the Milky Way must give between five and six times as much light as an average square degree of the rest of the sky.—*Boston Budget.*

—One scarcely thinks of coral as growing under the ice-swept and foggy seas of the Newfoundland banks. Yet on the eastern slope of Banquereau is an area of bottom, several miles in extent, so covered with a growth of coral that trawls set upon it are rarely recovered. The fishermen call it the "stone fence," and avoid it as far as possible.

—A boy was caught stealing currants, and was locked up in a dark closet by the grocer. The boy commenced begging most pathetically to be released, and after much persuasion suggested: "Now, if you will let me out and send for my father, he'll pay you for the currants and lick me besides." The grocer could not withstand this appeal.—*Chicago Herald.*

—The body of the elephant is nearly naked, but the mammoth, an extinct species, had a covering of long, woolly hair. Elephants live in large herds, and subsist on foliage and grass. There are but two living species, the Asiatic, with long head, concave forehead, small ears and short tusks; and the African, with round head, convex forehead, large ears and long tusks.

—Dr. Marey, of Paris, has succeeded in measuring the motive power of the human body as developed in every movement. As one of the results of his studies he shows that something is gained in the power of walking by quickening the pace from forty to seventy-five steps per minute. But the latter number is the extreme limit; with a greater number of steps power is lost instead of gained.

QUEER PAYMENTS FOR LAND.

Three Grains of Pepper or a Snowball at Midsummer to Pay the Rent.

The term "pepper corn rent" is a familiar one to us all, and instances of such a rent having been fixed are neither few nor far between. Thus, Bermeton, in Durham, was held by the service of three grains of pepper yearly; Finchley, in Middlesex, by the annual rent of a pound of pepper corn; Highgate, in Denbigh, was leased for a term of five hundred years at the annual rent of one pepper corn; and for a fortieth part of one night's fee in the manor of Leyham, in Suffolk, Phillippa Ross rendered "one capon and the third part of one capon, and the third part of one pound of pepper." A similar custom was that of Pokerly, in Durham, which lands were held by one clove on St. Cuthbert's day, in September, for all other services." All the foregoing examples of services may be rendered as, to some extent, reasonable, though inadequate as payment for the lands held; but many of the services rendered appear to be purely arbitrary and capricious, as when a farm at Brook House, in Yorkshire, was held by the payment of a "snowball at midsummer and a red rose at Christmas." Roses often appear in these services. Lands in Crendon, in Buckinghamshire, were held by the "service of one chaplet of roses at Christmas." For the manor of Fulmer, in the same county, Sir Marmaduke Darel rendered one red rose yearly; as did Ralph de Belvoir for lands in Mickelham, Surrey, and Sir William Sandes for the manor of Stene and Hinton, in Northampton. Lastly, certain lands at Haine, in Surrey, "were held of the men of Kingston upon condition of rendering to the said men three clove gillidowers at the king's coronation," and perhaps the single clove referred to above, as if it were a spice, should rather be regarded as a similar flower.—*Cassell's Family Magazine.*

The Weather

Lieut. Charles W. McKim, Portland Ky., states: "For twenty years I suffered with rheumatism. During the bad weather my suffering was terrible. I was about to give up. Some one suggested the application of St. Jacob's Oil. I tried it and its relief was rapid. In half an hour I could stand up. I no longer suffer with the pains."

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Prof. Wiggins the Canadian weather prophet, has joined the salvation army.

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Fifty-eight million dollars is the estimated value of the finger rings of this country actually worn, and still there are people mean enough to go hacking and coughing because they do not want to invest 25 cents for a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Girls of a marriageable age are worth $16 a piece in Japan, with few takers.

Candles of wax furnished by insects, specially reared for the purpose provide the most brilliant light known in China.

I have found, "says Addison," that the men who are most fond of the ladies, who cherish for them the highest respect, are seldom the most popular with the sex. Men of great assurance, whose tongues are hung lightly, who supply the place of ideas, and place compliments in the room of sentiment, are their favorites. However time makes many changes. The ladies see their mistake, and are as wise in their preferences, as they were when they stopped buying poor Baking Powder and bought Deland's Chemical Baking Powder.

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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 19th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix of said estate, with the will annexed, alleging among other things that she has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, that all legacies bequeathed in and by said will have been paid, except residuary legacies, and certain legacies held in trust, and praying for the allowance of her final account, and for an order in the court for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto according to the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulation in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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SOMETHING ABOUT THE EXPOSITION.

Mr. Geo. S. Tiffany returned from New Orleans last week. He dropped into the HERALD office a few days since and favored us with an account of his experience while there.

"I had a very pleasant time," said he, "during my visit, at least in some respects. The exhibition was opened too early. The buildings are some of them still incomplete, and exhibitors are still coming in. The opening, in my opinion, should have been postponed till the first of February. By that time every thing will be in readiness for the visitors to enjoy the exhibition. As to the exposition itself, it is certainly a big show and one worth going a long way to see. In the line of natural products, it is doubtless the finest display yet seen in this country. The machinery department is not so complete, but still that is very creditable. I was there about five weeks and during that time I gained some acquaintance with New Orleans and the people there. What the South most needs to-day is an influx of Northern capital and enterprise. They have abundant resources, but that section is comparatively undeveloped. The agriculture of the South is entirely behind the times. I didn't see a good farm between New Orleans and the blue grass region of Kentucky. The people of the Crescent city are very polite and hospitable to strangers, although I do not fancy their peculiar political methods. The ruling classes carry things there with a high hand. I was well pleased with my visit however, and would advise all, who can spare the time and money, to visit the exposition. I left my business there in charge of an assistant, who will attend to it, but I may return myself in the spring. If the excursion, now talked of from here, should take place I shall probably avail myself of that chance to go down again and take my boys with me."

The lecture given by Wm. Marshall last Friday evening was replete with information and was a most happy word picture of the beauties of "Wonderland." The scenic illustrations were the finest ever presented in this village. Mr. Marshall introduced his lecture by showing the civilizing influence of the Pacific railroads, and the marvelous impetus which the opening of these roads had given to the settlement and development of the "new Northwest." He then proceeded with the aid of his stereopticon views to give his audience an introduction to the wonders of Yellowstone park, and other places of interest in Dakota and Montana. On Saturday evening he gave a second lecture, dealing mostly with scenes in California and Colorado. There was a good audience in attendance on both evenings, but we regret to say, not what the excellence of the bill of fare invited. Two more lectures of the course remain, and it is certainly to be hoped that they will be more liberally patronized.

One of the most attractive articles in the handsome February Magazine of American History is Rev. Dr. Vermilye's sketch of the "Early New York Post Office," accompanied with several admirable illustrations. The portrait of Ebenezer Hazard, Postmaster, and Postmaster-General, never before published, will be greatly prized by picture collectors. Alfred Frederick's sketch of the primitive "locked box," and "Letter Carrier of the Olden Time," is his best. The second illustrated article, by the eminent scholar, Horatio Hale, describes the great Mohawk Chief, George H. M. Johnson, with a graphic and fascinating account of his life, and work among the Six Nations. Col. William Howard Mills contributes new and interesting material concerning "Benedict Arnold's March through Maine to Canada." T. J. Chapman, A. M., gives an instructive paper on "Early Virginia Claims in Pennsylvania." Hon. Chas. Gayarre discusses the character of Andrew Jackson, furnishing extracts from private letters never before given to the public. Notes, Queries, Replies, Societies, and Book Notices, conclude an exceptionally good number of one of the very best monthly publications in the country. Price, $5.00 a year in advance. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York City.

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DOES FARMING PAY?

The Essay below was read by Henry Wilson, at the last meeting of the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club:

Mr. President and members of Farmer's Club—I have a few figures to present you upon this subject, as to whether farming pays at present prices. I will take for an illustration a rotation of crops on 10 acres of good land that is in a fair state of cultivation, assuming at the start that it be a clover sod. I would manure first well, then plow in the spring from 7 to 8 inches deep and work well. I think we often make a great mistake in not fitting our corn ground enough. We are apt to get in a hurry to plant, but a day or two will make no percentable difference in the end. Right here let me say the main secret of a good corn crop is thorough cultivation. In the fall if my own is ripe or is likely to be ripe by the 15th of September I would cut up and drill, first by cutting strips for shocks, then drilling and putting 28 rows to a shock, 14 on each side. Before drilling cultivate twice in a row with a good spring-tooth cultivator, then drill, husk and get the corn off as soon as possible. Roll in the spring being sure to go the same way as you will reap. As soon as possible after your wheat crop is off plow the same depth as at first; this will trough your manure to the surface and will insure a good catch for clover. If there are any hard knolls I would top dress with some rotten manure. Also, I think salt 200 pounds to the acre is an excellent thing and pays well for the outlay which is about $6.00 for 10 acres. Now for the figures to the proof whether this will pay at the present time, which I claim it does, as my figures will show. First on corn crop, ten acres of land:

Rent at $4.50 per acre	$45.00.
Hauling manure, 100 loads	15.00.
Plowing 5 days, man & team	12.50.
Fitting " " "	12.50.
Marking and planting	4.00.
Seed	2.00.
Tending, cultivating 6 times over 2½ days each, at $1,75	26.25.
Cutting, ten days	10.00.
Husking 650 bu. at 3c	22.50.
Hauling corn and fodder	11.00.
Total cost	$160.75.
By 750 bu. corn at 25c	$187.50.
2500 bundles fodder, 2½c	62.50.
Income	250.00.
	160.00.
Profit	$90.00.

We will now figure on the second year's crop which will be wheat put in after corn, which I calculate will average 20 bushels to the acre:

Rent of land	$45.00.
Fitting, man & team, 2 days	5.00.
Drilling 1 day	3.00.
Seed, 15 bush at 75c	11.25.
Cutting at $2 per acre	20.00.
Hauling, 2 men & team 2 dys	7.00.
Threshing 200 bush at 8c	16.00.
Hauling 4 loads to market	5.00.
Total cost	$112.25.
By 200 bush. wheat at 75c.	$150.00.
Straw	25.00.
Total income	$175.00.
	112.00.
Profit	$63.00.

Now the third crop of wheat, I should calculate on at least 25 bush. as I consider with this rotation it is as good as a summer fallow. It is very important to plow as early as possible after the first crop of wheat is off the ground.

Rent	$45.00.
Plowing	12.50.
Fitting, 10 days man & team	25.00.
Drilling, 1 day	3.00.
Seed, 15 bush at 75c	11.25.
Harvesting and threshing 250 bush at 20c a bush	50.00.
Marketing	6.00.
Total cost	$152.75
By 250 bush. wheat at 75	180.50.
Straw	25.00.
Total income	212.50.
	152.75.
Profit	59.75.

Making a total profit in 3 years for 10 acres of $212.75.

So I claim with other branches of farming, there is a good profit. Let us take sheep. Take 50 good sheep, 40 ewes and 10 weathers, grade merinos that will average 8 lbs of washed wool, which last fall could be bought for $2 per head, and a good registered merino ram at $25. Outlay at beginning of winter, $125.00. We will assume that we have 5 months to feed during the year; thus we have 50 sheep

To 5 tons hay at $8	$40.00.
Corn, oats and bran, 75 bush at 27c per bu. ½ bu. a day	20.25.
Washing and shearing 10c.	5.00.
Grazing 7 mos. at 10c, head	35.00.
Interest on $125 a 6 per cent	7.50.
Total cost	$97.75.
By 400 lbs of wool at 25c	$100.00.
35 lambs at $2.00	70.00.
30 loads of manure at 50c.	15.00.
Fertilizing land in summer	10.00.
Total income	$195.00.
	97.75.
Total profit	97.25.

So you see for three years work on 10 acres of good land we have the snug little sum of $212.75 placed to our account in the bank. On this basis it is easily figured what the profit of an 80 acre farm will be in three years, giving 10 acres for timber and 10 acres for highway, garden, fences, etc., viz: $1276.50; or in other words, a man can at the present time with $2000 buy an 80 acre farm and pay the other $4000 in 10 years and have $25.50 per year to repair his fences and buildings.

The Brown Chemical Co., Baltimore Md., the owners of the celebrated Brown's Iron Bitters, have just issued a beautiful *Hand Book* and *Almanac* for ladies, and a complete and useful *Memorandum Book* for men. These publications are attractive, containing a great many valuable and interesting things. They are furnished free of charge by druggists and country store keepers, but should they not have them the Brown Chemical Co. will send either book on receipt of a two cent stamp to pay postage.

TO FARMERS OF LENAWEE.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—You have a county of superior farms, owned and occupied by first-class farmers; farmers of much intelligence; and not much can be said or written about farming, that they do not already well know; but there are some matters which, though they understand well enough, they do not always think of and fully heed; hence, it may not be useless to call their attention to some of these points, worthy of careful attention.

By recent official reports it appears, the bushels of corn, oats and wheat product of 1884, exceeds that of any previous year but the acreage sown is larger in proportion than the increase of bushels, and this shows that the yield, per acre, is not up to the average of that of many previous years; surely, a showing not highly creditable to the methods of farming practised by a majority of the farmers of our country.

Now, by pursuing a system somewhat different (as below described) a decided improvement would be secured, and greater profits and comforts would be realized by the operators.

Our country has been and is being sadly shorn and deprived of timber—its forests—by which droughts, storms, and ill-health are increased; ceasing to clear the timber lands together with the more generous planting of forest seed and nuts, and carefully cultivating young trees, on all farms, will largely obviate those evils and very soon result in handsome profits as well as more delights and comforts to the homes, who adopt the system.

Perhaps it is not generally known that the growth of most varieties of young timber is equal to from 10 to 15 per cent. annually, which is greater than the average profits of most farm crops, which cost so much expense and labor; therefore, it is wise to plant trees. Besides the better climamatic and health effects of growing trees, forests, the several American woods are constantly being applied and utilized for new and greater number of purposes—both of use and ornament; hence, good timber is yearly becoming more valuable, the supply being less adequate to the increasing demands; than formerly; therefore, the forests should be spared, and more trees planted in the settled portions of our country.

This policy will naturally lead to another highly beneficial result, namely, fewer acres will be plowed and cultivated for grain crops, and those acres will be better cultivated in order to get the same quantity of produce from the fewer acres of land. It is better to apply the sufficient labor and obtain a thousand bushels of grain from twenty acres than to obtain the same from 30 or 40 acres; this proposition every one will admit correct.

This leads us to top-dressing or mulching as really the best manurial system. Look to the forests, the wild meadows, and other places for nature's processes, and we shall see that she does all her manuring on the surface; She drops the leaves there, to shelter the plants and roots from frosts and scorching sun; the grass and weeds lop down and perform the same service; and then to rot and go down to fertilize the soil, and make food for growing crops. Years of experience and much observation satisfies us, that top-dressing, by fine manures, in the fall on winter crops and meadows, is one of the most valuable practices that farmers can adopt; it is nature's plan, and generally she is the best guide in all matters of plant growth and husbandry. More anon.

D. S. C.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending Jan 20, 1885.

Estate of John Thompson, an incompetent person; guardian files bond on sale of real estate.

Estate of Henry Bourns, deceased; petition for administrator to be authorized to sell personal property; order of sale.

Estate of Margaret Sherrard, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Joseph Green, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; confirmation of sale; order of continuance for allowance of administrator's final account until February 23, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of John T. Comstock, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased; order extending time six months for paying debts and disposing of said estate.

Estate of Polly Antis dale, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Francis Stout, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased; petition for allowance of administratrix's first account; hearing February 16.

Estate of John Stange, deceased; order of continuance until January 26, at one o'clock P. M.

Estate of Elizabeth Guy, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavit of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Louis C Smith, et. al., minors; petition for allowance of guardian's account; hearing Feb. 16.

Estate of William Colyer, deceased; petition for allowance for support of widow; order of allowance.

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DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Cory, Gill, Lawton, & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on by Cory Gill & Lawton, who assume all liabilities and collect all outstanding claims.
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SPECIAL REQUEST.—We desire very much to balance all book accounts before Feb. 1st next, as at that time we open a new ledger. Now if we have accommodated you with credit, and you cannot pay us before Feb. 1st, will you please acknowledge the favor by giving us your note till you can, and oblige
SLAYTON & SON.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Brick house situated on Railroad street near M. & O. crossing. Enquire of A. RAYMOND.

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Prof. Jehosophat Brown, with the assistance of Atlas Bostwick, Chicago st. tonsorial artist, appearing with the Prof's hat on, drew a large crowd at the opera house last evening. They appeared in many characters. Bostwick has left the band we understand and will travel with the professor, giving exhibitions in all the principal cities. Lady Temple has been engaged as advance agent and started this morning for Newburg to bill the town.

The next entertainment of the Library course will take place on Feb. 12th, being a concert by the Meigs—Underhill troupe. The Meigs Sisters' Vocal Quartette consists of Miss Hattie, first soprano; Miss Jennie, second soprano; Miss Edith, first contralto, and Miss Florence, second contralto. Great care has been taken with their musical education, and they have had for a maestro one of the best teachers of the metropolis. They possess rich and sympathetic voices, they sing in unison, and their execution shows the care and judgment that has been exercised in their instruction. Among their selections may be enumerated some of the quartettes of Mendelssohn, Schubert, Schuman, etc. Mr. Chas. F. Underhill occupies a foremost place in the ranks of public readers, and is a great favorite wherever he has appeared. His work harmonizes well with the singing of the young ladies.

From the Rev. J. H. Vincent, D. D.:—The Meigs—Underhill combination spent several days at Chautauqua this season, to the delight of our great audiences. The Meigs Sisters are highly cultivated singers, rendering the most classical music with ease, and effectiveness. Their charming part songs can never be excelled at Chautauqua. Mr. Underhill is a remarkable reader, a master of pathos and humor, and has a repertoire apparently inexhaustable. We expect to have them again next season.

RINK RACKET.

The Springville band discoursed excellent music last Thursday evening which was enjoyed by a large crowd of spectators. Six couple from Adrian and some from Clinton were present.

The new band stand in the north end of the room is a long needed improvement and Knapp's sextette band christened it last Tuesday evening. By the way, they make first class music.

Another improvement is the new automatic program. It is placed over the office window with a cord attached, so that Manager Cash may "pull the string" and a drop will fall disclosing the exercise to be skated.

The Manchester band will furnish music this evening.

A. W. Haight and Ben Garfinghouse rinkulated at Adrian last Saturday evening.

The stormy weather kept a good many from attending the rink Tuesday evening to see the "orange race," but those that were there thoroughly enjoyed the sport. There were ten contestants in the race. A row of about fifty oranges were placed on the west side of the room and the ten boys were to see which could skate around the room and secure an orange the most number of times. The general scramble began about 9:15 and within three minutes every orange had disappeared, and upon investigation it was found that Alfred Heesen had come out ahead, he having captured five of the toothsome articles.

Next Tuesday evening the ladies are expected to take part in a similar engagement and show their skill at picking up oranges.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 29, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

A. A. Kennedy, of Battle Creek, was in town over Sunday.

P. S. McKinnon is spending a few days at his old home in Canada.

Gainsley & Co's annual clearing sale has been more than usually successful this month.

E. J. Hollister has made an engagement to travel for a seed firm and sell garden seeds.

Geo. Keyser has sold out his saloon business to Jacob Cheever, and has gone to Canada.

Quite an epidemic of whooping cough is prevailing among the children of the village.

Henry Mensing has got started on James Lowry's new dwelling house at the foot of Pearl street.

The cantata of Queen Esther will be presented in Morenci for the benefit of the several churches.

The branch of the Salvation Army serenaded Alva Parker at the corner grocery yesterday afternoon.

Dr. E. M. Conklin went to Detroit Tuesday to attend the session of the state Grand Lodge F. & A. M.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton left home last week for a California trip expecting to be gone about two months.

Geo. Adamson returned home from Elkhorn, Wis., last Monday night, feeling much better for his trip.

The young people of the M. E. church had a very enjoyable gathering last week Wednesday evening.

A Bohemian oat mill is talked of in Morenci. This can take the place of the roller mill which has shut down.

Slayton & Son are doing a big coal business this winter. Their delivery team is on the go from morning till night.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co., are putting a dry-kiln into their planing-mill, which will be a great assistance in their business.

Mr. Fred W. Gray of San Francisco, is visiting his uncle, Mr. H. W. Conklin of this city. Fred is the son of H. M. Gray of the old firm of Hood & Gray.

Prof. Brown is organizing a violin class. He is an expert musician and executes nothing but Italian music. Lovers of music should avail themselves of this opportunity to learn how to fiddle.

Curry & Bostwick have received a visit from the painter and paper-hanger. The interior of their barber-rooms has been newly painted and the walls covered with elegant paper of modern design. A newly painted barber pole ornaments the sidewalk.

We are indebted to Mr. A. W. Mills for a few geological specimens which he obtained from Mr. Marshall, the lecturer. There are several lava garnets and rocks from the hot springs in Yellowstone park. They will be prized as valuable addition to our collection of bric-a-brac.

Mrs. S. L. Henry has been in Lansing a few days, assisting at the sick bed of her son A. M. Henry, who has been dangerously ill for some days. His disease has been broken now and Lon has so far recovered that his mother felt safe in leaving him. She returned home on Tuesday.

We call attention to the column advertisement on the eighth page of Orr Bros., setting forth the excellencies of their Putz polish Pomade. As a polish for metals, this is said to be superior to anything ever offered in this market. It is an imported article, made in Germany, and the Orr Brothers have the agency for this section.

While at Adrian the other day we dropped in to see B. S. Barne's new furniture factory. He has a large brick three story building, with immense boiler and engine to furnish motive power and keeps about twenty hands in constant employ. He intends to erect a large addition in the spring. He has plenty of orders ahead and does not owe a dollar.

Woolston Comfort, proprietor of the Raisin Mills, made an assignment last Monday to Edgar A. Tribou for the benefit of his creditors. The event was a surprise to nearly every one. Woolston has been struggling with a heavy load of debt for several years, and has finally been compelled to succumb. He has turned over all of his property to the assignee, and the creditors will have the full benefit of all that can be realized out of it. Woolston has a host of friends who will deeply sympathize with him in his misfortune. Tecumseh can hardly afford to lose men of his character, and it is hoped that some arrangement can be made which will enable him to resume business. The assignee is making out a full statement of the assets and liabilities of the concern. Mr. Tribou is an experienced, careful business man, who will give his entire attention to a settlement of the affairs, and the creditors can rest assured that their legal rights will be protected, and that every dollar possible will be realized out of the assets for their benefit.

A. J. Chappell of Adrian, was in town yesterday on business.

Miss Grace DeWolf is taking lessons in vocal music at Cleveland.

Allen P. May, of Kalamazoo, succeeds Austin Blair, Jr., as manager of the Adrian rink.

Miss Eunice Davidson received a surprise party last Tuesday evening. The company were finely entertained.

The dance at Armory Hall will commence at 8 o'clock sharp with a promenade waltz, by Ollie Hunt's orchestra.

Frank Silvers, has received the appointment of deputy sheriff at Tecumseh. A most excellent selection. Let us shake.

Several couples of young people from Tecumseh and Adrian enjoyed the hospitality of the Patterson last Sunday evening.

Four couples from Tecumseh, attended the masquerade ball at Clinton last Friday evening, and all report an excellent time.

Mrs. W. H. Peters and sister, Miss Mary Shepard, of Burr Oak, arrived in Tecumseh on the noon train. They are the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Albert Hyde.

Two more days in which to pay your taxes. The books are now at the bank of Lilley, Bidwell & Co., and L. P. Tribou is empowered to receive all taxes.

Miss Mabel VanCamp, of Adrian, who has been taking a musical course at the Cincinnati College of music, is expected home about the middle of February.

County Clerk Bixby is settling down to his work handsomely. His previous experience renders it very easy for him to acquaint himself with his new duties.

"Considering the hard times," is one of the standing lines in all good newspaper offices now. Fifty electrotypes of this line would save a pile of type-setting in every issue.

The youngest child of the Rev. S. K. Spahr died at Cincinnati last Monday. The funeral services were held at the residence of Mr. Z. Cook, in Raisin, on Tuesday afternoon.

It is very interesting to spend two hours one of these mornings shoveling the snow from one's sidewalk, and have the next door neighbor, down town, leave the snow on his walk.

But few farmers are in town this week as the roads are badly drifted. A traveling man started for Jim Cairn's in Raisin last Tuesday and had to drive through five or six fields to get there.

James Lowry has a new card in today's paper. He sells ocean tickets over two steamship lines, and sells groceries and crockery cheaper than the cheapest. Call on him and be convinced.

The morning train East was abandoned on the M. & O. road last Monday and the morning train West was abandoned on Tuesday. Too much snow on the track. The trains run yesterday as usual.

Adrian Press: Several Dundee parties came up here Wednesday evening to see the Bohemian Girl. They supposed she was president of the Bohemian Oat scheme, and got left of course. "The very idea."

A large number of invited friends gathered at the residence of Mrs. D. P. Anthony, of Raisin, last Thursday evening, to attend a party given by the F. L. Lodge, of that place. Of course everybody passed a very pleasant evening and went away wishing they would repeat the experiment at an early day.

Ex-County Clerk Hunter was admitted to the bar last Saturday. The examining committee, which consisted of Messrs. Millard, Salsbury and Watts, made a very flattering report, and T. M. Hunter is now enrolled on the list of Lenawee county attorneys. Tom deserves the best of success in his new calling, and we have full faith that he will achieve it.

John J. Adam and H. W. Stevens with Ex-Sheriff Bidwell went to Adrian last Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of R. J. Bradley. As Mr. B. was for many years chief of the fire department of Adrian, the present firemen of the city turned out in a body and with a long procession of the prominent citizens of Adrian, and relatives of the deceased from Franklin and Cambridge, joined to pay their last respects to his memory.

Sixteen pupils of the High School took a sleigh ride to Adrian last Saturday afternoon and paid their respects upon John and Elva Tallman who live on Michigan Avenue. It was a jolly load, composed of these young gents and ladies: John L. Richard, Bert McNair, Mabel Hayden, Sena Homer, Fred Hillman, Edgar L. Ide, Will. Hayden, Arlie Merritt, Rose Hendershott, Chas. Burns, Lyster Dewey, Etta Conkling, Anna Dewey, Cynthia Dewey, Allie Rice, and Inez Laing. They were royally entertained by Mr. & Mrs. Tallman, and were treated to a sumptuous supper. Feasting, music and merth reigned supreme during their stay. It was the handsomest sleighload of young people that we have seen since our youthful days.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The Adrian rink will soon be lighted with electricity.

Potato races are the latest dodge at the Milan skating rink.

The G. A. R. Post of Blissfield will give an annual ball about the 23d of February.

Most of the Adrian lawyers are in Lansing this week attending the Supreme Court.

Eighty-six foreign subjects were transformed into American citizens in this county last year.

Hudson has organized a boating club, and they will boat it next summer on the classic Bean.

The last Saturday's edition of the Adrian Record contained six pages. It was a very newsy sheet.

The interior of the Adrian skating rink has been painted, to cover up the crayon images on the walls.

The wrestling match between Mclaughlin and Moth takes place this evening at the Adrian opera house.

Henry McClure's new store at Britton is booming right along. Business is not dull with him by a long shot.

Adrian Record: Is Adrian infested with "knights of the green cloth?" Has the gambling mania broke out in this city?

Prof. I. B. Laflin, of Clinton, suggests that the teachers of the towns in this section shall organize a teacher's association.

The Hudson school closes up during this zero weather. It is easier to dismiss school than it is to keep the building warm.

A Hudson man has struck the best definition of "progressive euchre." It is, he says, "a game which takes all night to play."

Sixty bags of pea nuts were received by one Hudson dealer last week. Peanuts are cheaper than pork and beans for a regular diet.

Representative Howell has given notice in the House that he would at some future time introduce a "bill for the location and construction of drains."

The hackmen of Adrian object to the big stones placed at the street corners. Don't complain, gentlemen. It makes work for the carriage menders and blacksmiths.

The late C. I. Wetmore, of Adrian, held a $10,000 life insurance policy in the Equitable of New York, and the amount has been paid over to the widow of the deceased.

The annual meeting of the Lenawee County Mutual Protection Society will be held at the council room Adrian, on the 2d day of February at one o'clock P. M. All are invited to attend.

Blissfield Advance: The late proprietor of the Blissfield skating rink, C. L. Glines, left several unpaid bills to be settled, taking his departure on an early train Wednesday morning. The Advance is one of the victims.

The Blissfield advance says: We must have what is due us on account and subscription, and we will have it, too. Look out for business, now. Our collector is around.

Easy, neighbor. Don't get excited. Collections are slow these days.

Hudson Gazette: Adrian's enterprise is fast fading away. Travelers now coming in on late trains nearly freeze to death in getting down town. The depots are out in the rural districts, and hacks can't make enough for running to trains.

Hudson Post: Dr. Dodge had to dodge around pretty lively last week. On five consecutive nights he attended five parties in five different townships, and had the census enumerator followed him he would have been compelled to record five names, single entry: no twins.

Hudson Gazette: "People are complaining about hard times now-a-days," said Mr. Ezra Ames the other day, "but I can recall the time when it was harder work to live than it is now—way back in the 30's, when a man split rails all day for fifty cents and paid twenty-five cents to get a letter out of the post office!"

Adrian Press: Stacy, of the Tecumseh Herald, stated lately that Burchard, editor of the Clinton department of the Tecumseh News, run a gun shop, to which Mr. Burchard takes vigorous exception. Perhaps Stacy should have used the vowel "i" in gun as the doctor insists he was working on a "steam injector."

Adrian Record: Rome farmers are said to be freely biting the tempting bait held out by the Bohemian oat swindlers. In their eagerness to make money without work, many are lining the pockets of these designing agents with ten dollar bills. That man is foolish, who pays ten dollars for a bushel of ordinary oats, speculation or no speculation.

Dundee Reporter: Dundee, the other evening, came near losing its lamp lighter, Joe Ward. He was filling a lamp, a portion of the gasoline spilled upon his clothing and when the match was applied to the burner the flame communicated to his clothing and he was enveloped in flames. A snow bank under the lamp quenched the flames and saved Joe from cremation.

CLINTON JOURNALISM.

The young disciple of Æsculapius, who holds down the Clinton end of the Tecumseh News, has been trying his 'prentice hand at burlesque. His delicate nerves have sustained a violent shock at a brief account of the "gun shop" fire which appeared in these columns. So he arms himself to the teeth and sets out on an exploring expedition in search of the HERALD correspondent. We regret that the young man should have adopted the shot gun policy so early in his literary career. He should remember the fate of the DeYoungs in San Francisco. He interviews four citizens of Clinton in his search, without success. His interview contains many funny things and some true things. The trouble is, the true things are not funny and the funny things are not true.

He calls upon his friends in the Clinton Local to pay up at once as a "change in business demands it." We infer from this that he is about to relinquish pill peddling and devote his entire attention hereafter to his editorial duties. A wise decision. A young man of his literary and shot gun proclivites will find journalism a much more congenial calling. Why, this brilliant young physician is a bigger man than the editor himself. Bro. Field, with becoming modesty, is content to have his name appear at the head of the editorial column in plain nonpareil caps. The medical assistant has his name printed in pica French Clarendon. The statements made by the persons interviewed demand but little notice. They are all honorable men. They all take the HERALD and, with the exception of Dr. Cameron, they have all paid their subscription. The latter objects to a bill we rendered for a card. We respectfully jog his memory. His professional cares have unhinged his recollection. He paid us $2.00 for a card—not $2.50 as he states. If he should send the same card to the Free Press and the Free Press should return a bill ten times as large as ours, he would be greatly shocked at the overcharge. And yet the bill of the Free Press might be the cheaper one of the two. The HERALD does not claim to compete in advertising rates with papers having one-third or one-half its circulation. The News fixes its rates on business principles and they are doubtless equitable and just. The HERALD does the same. Herein we have an illustration of the difference between medical and newspaper ethics. Newspapers base their charges on the services rendered. An old physician of forty years practice charges one dollar a visit. An impecunious medical fledgeling, who rarely gets a chance to kill a patient, charges the same fee.

The editorial doctor intimates that we are ashamed of our Clinton correspondent. We are happy to state that we are not ashamed of him. He is not a doctor. Many good correspondents prefer to remain *incog.* Some seek to gratify their vanity by having their name in job type at the top of the column. Tastes differ on this point. Tyroes in the business are apt to crave that kind of cheap-John notoriety. Our Clinton correspondent is a reputable citizen of that village, who is abundantly able to take care of himself, as his letter in this week's paper will show.

In this connection we beg leave to supply a missing link which the medical editor has omitted in his interview. Owing to his engrossing editorial duties he could not spare the time to visit the HERALD and make a demand in person for our correspondent's name, so he delegated his wife to perform the task. Mrs. Burchard called at our office early last week and made known her errand. She performed the duty in a very skillful and lady like manner, and we were almost persuaded, by her winning smile and pleading voice, to override professional courtesy and good faith, by granting her request. We confess that we were on the ragged edge for several minutes, hesitating to choose between a stern adherance to duty and a desire to please a handsome woman. But discretion finally triumphed over impulse and we wisely refrained.

We owe the Burchard a debt of thanks for his interview with the Cameron. It gives us a pointer. The HERALD strives to keep abreast of the times and to adopt all improvements within reach. If a Tecumseh paper is incomplete without a medical editor to properly balance the after end of the sheet, then the HERALD must have a medical editor, and the Cameron is our man. With the Burchard on the News staff and the Cameron on the HERALD staff wouldn't there be fun, though, at the Clinton end of the line?

Following is the programme of the Lenawee county horticultural society, at the February meeting:

Grape culture, including pruning—Dr. W. Owen.

Is the English sparrow beneficial?—B. W. Steere.

The relation of poultry raising to horticulture—E. W. Allis.

Has the time come that apple growing is no longer profitable?

Question box.

The society wishes to express its earnest gratitude to the Adrian Times and the other city and county papers for their very kind notices of the meetings and reports of the discussions etc. of the last meeting.

Word has been received that 15 couple or more, from Adrian, will take part in the hop at Armory Hall, tomorrow eve.

At the request of a personal and business friend we print a temperance story this week, which will be found on the eighth page.

C. A. Wright & Co., are making extensive changes and improvements on the interior of their store. It will be fitted up in elegant style.

John B. Whelan, of Detroit, and Webb Frazer, of Tecumseh, had a legal set to before Justice Hulett, of Adrian, last Tuesday.

A pleasant social gathering of young people assembled at Mr. and Mrs. A. Rice's in Raisin, last evening, in honor of Miss Allie Rice's seventeenth birth day.

A Woman's Home Missionary Society has recently been organized by the members of the M. E. Church of Tecumseh. The first regular meeting of the society will be held on Saturday at 3 o'clock P.M. in room No. 1 of the church. An invitation is extended to all the women of the congregation. BY ORDER OF COM.

SCHOOL SIFTINGS.

The geometry class, having finished plane geometry, have taken up the review preparatory to taking a final examination upon that portion of the work.

The natural philosophy class, having completed the advance work, will spend the remainder of the year in a careful review.

The classes in physiology and civil government finish those studies this week and will take up botany and book-keeping next month.

The monthly examinations will take place on Friday of this week.

The attendance of foreign pupils is increasing. Every non-resident pupil in attendance last term has returned and there are five new enrollments in that class. The tuition already received this year aggregates as much as the entire sum received during the school year ending Sept. 1st, 1884.

Social Gathering.

"Compliments of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morsman. Friday, Jan. 23, 1885. At home." brought a company of relatives and friends to their home in Franklin on that day. All of Mrs. Morsman's, nee Isabella Wells, brothers and sisters with their families were present, excepting M. F. Hunter's wife, of Pawnee Co., Kansas. Among those present were A. J. Sayers and wife, Childs Wells and wife, Miss Sarah Wells, Wyman Wells, John Burtless and wife, Frank Bradley and wife and Charles Kemp and wife. From abroad were Ambrose Welch and wife and W. B. Keyser and wife of Tecumseh.

The day was spent in social intercourse, music etc., and must have left a shining spot on the checker-board of life among those present. In time the guests were invited into the dining room to a sumptuous repast prepared by the hostess, to which all did ample justice. As the shades of night came on, the guests were reminded that the day was drawing to a close, and they took their departure home, feeling well paid for their cold ride on one of the days of Michigan's "open" winter.

OHIO LUMBERMEN VISIT MUSKEGON.

At the annual meeting of the union association of Lumber Dealers of Ohio which was held in Springfield, Ohio, last week, a communication from the Board of Trade of Muskegon, Mich., was received, inviting the association to visit that city in a body. At the same time an invitation was extended to the members of the association by the Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western, Wheeling and Lake Erie, Michigan and Ohio, and Chicago and West Michigan Railroads to participate in an excursion to Muskegon over the lines of their respective roads. Both invitations were unanimously accepted and on the morning of Jan. 22d., about 250 members of the association left Springfield by special train on I. B. & W. Ry., arriving in Toledo by the Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R., about noon, where a fine dinner was served by one of the most popular caterers of Toledo, which had been arranged for by the obliging officials of the Wheeling & Lake Erie and Mich. & Ohio Railroads in the waiting rooms of the elegant passenger depot occupied by these companies.

After dinner the party, accompanied by Messrs. B. McHugh, Gen'l Freight and Pass'gr Agt., and H. H. Mitchell, Ass'nt Gen'l Freight and Pass'gr Agt. of the M. & O. and officials of the Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R. left Toledo by special train on the Mich. & Ohio R. R. to Allegan, thence to Muskegon via the C. & W. M. R'y, where they arrived the same evening and were the guests of the citizens of the largest lumber manufacturing city in the world. The rest of the week was spent in inspecting saw mills, lumber yards, etc., and enjoying the hospitality of the lumbermen. Returning the party left Muskegon on Sunday morning by special train over the same route by which they came, highly pleased with their trip.

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PITH AND POINT.

—"Brown, what did you clear by that speculation?" "I cleared my pockets," said Brown.

—The revised Chicago grammar teaches: Positive, corn; comparative, corner; superlative, busted.—*Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette.*

—George: Yes, a "complete letter writer" is a handy volume to have, but make sure that your girl hasn't the same book.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—A murderer gave a seance to a batch of dudes the other day, and threw up the engagement in disgust because he hadn't sufficient material to work on.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—"I never argy agin a success," said Artemus Ward; "when I see a rattlesnaix's hed sticking out of a hole I beat off to the left and says I to myself that hole belongs to that snaix."

—"The New York market is extensively supplied with foreign eggs." We thought our fathers cast off the foreign yolk for good more than a hundred years ago.—*Boston Transcript.*

—A solemn old scientist printed the fact that by bathing the feet in tepid water a man could double his circulation, and now all the editors are having tanks fitted to their office stoves.

—A thrilling adventure is thus described by a boy poet:

"A chubby little sister
Was scrubbing at a tub;
A chubby little brother
Came up to help her rub;
The chubby little brother
He fell in, with a cry;
The chubby little sister
She hung him up to dry."

—A gentleman whom it would be flattery to call homely remarks to a child at a house where he is visiting: "Well, my fine boy, what do you think about me, eh?" The child gags himself with his fingers and remains silent. "Come now," says the visitor, kindly, "why won't you tell me what you think of me?" "'Cause I don't want to be whipped."

Admiral Duncan's address to the officers of his fleet, when they came on board his ship for his final instructions previous to the memorable engagement with Admiral de Winter, was couched in the following laconic and humorous manner: "Gentlemen of my fleet, you see a very severe Winter fast approaching, and I have only to advise you to keep a good fire."

—"Hello, Smith, what's up?" cried Brown to his friend, who, fresh from a wrestle with a stove pipe which had resisted all efforts to put it in place, stood at the window with soot on his hands and wrath on his brow. "Nothing's up," snarled Smith, "it's all down and wants putting up." "I see," said Brown, "these are not piping times of peace, they are times of piecing pipe."—*Current.*

—"Look heah, Ransom," said an old negro to a young fellow, "I doan' min' yer 'sociating wid my daughter, but I druther yer wouldn't come roun' my house no mo'. Time 'fore de las' what yer was heah, I missed er water bucket, an' de las' time de bridle was gone, an' now, ez I has a use for de saddle, I druther yer wouldn't come heah. I doan' say dat yer ain't hones', fur de Lawd knows I b'lebes yer is, but such cuis things happens while yer is in de neighborhood, so jes' ter please er ole man, what ain't enjoyin' very good health, please doan' come roun' dis house no mo'."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

BEES AND WASPS.

What a Naturalist Has to Say About These Insects.

Grant Allen does not agree with the common estimations of these insects. In describing some "Queer Flowers," in the *Popular Science Monthly*, he says:

Now, the fact is, we are all a little tired of that prig and Aristides among insects, the little busy bee. We have heard his virtues praised by poets, moralists and men of science, till we are all burning to ostracise him forthwith, for the sake of never more hearing him called industrious and intelligent. He and his self-righteous cousin, the ant, are in fact a pair of egregious Pharisaical humbugs, who have made a virtue of their own excessive acquisitiveness, and have induced Solomon, Virgil, Dr. Watts, and other misguided human beings to acquiesce far too readily in their preposterous claims. For my own part, I never was more pleased in my life than when Sir John Lubbock conclusively proved by experiment that they were both extremely stupid and uninventive insects, with scarcely a faint glimmering of brotherly love or any other good ethical quality.

The wasp, though undoubtedly an irascible and ill-balanced creature, and a chauvinist of the fiercest description, is yet a person of far more width of mind and far wider range of experience in his own way than the borne and conventional bee. His taste, in fact (like the taste of that hypothetical person, the general reader), is quite omnivorous; while he does not refuse meat, he has an excellent judgment in the sunny side of peaches, and he can make a meal at a pinch off the honey in more than one kind of wasp-specialized flower. But the peculiar likes and dislikes of wasps have produced a curious effect upon the shape and hue of the blossoms which owe their traits to these greedy and not very æsthetic insects. Your bee has a long proboscis and a keen sense of color; so the flowers that lay themselves out on his behalf store their honey at the end of a long tube, and rejoice in brilliant blue or crimson or purple petals. Your wasp, on the other hand, in his matter-of-fact Philistine fashion, cares for none of these things: he asks only plenty of honey, and no foolish obstructions in the way of getting it. Accordingly, wasp-flowers are remarkable for having a helmet-shaped tube, exactly fitted to a wasp's head, with abundant honey filling the bottom of the bell, while in color they are generally a peculiar livid reddish brown, more or less suggestive of a butcher's shop.

—A Georgia paper relates a case of a fox standing his ground, fighting a dog and a man in open ground until killed—the first time a fox was ever known to face danger when there was a chance to run away.

Beauty.

Young man, don't marry a girl because she is pretty. Will beauty satisfy you through the life-long journey, to the exclusion of those moral qualities, mind and heart? Will beauty alone cook your dinner, train your children and prove a true solace in the hours of weary toil and trial—the lot of every man on earth? The poet has said:

"Beauty is a doubtful good, a gloss, a flower,
Lest, faded, broken, dead within an hour."

Wed not yourself to that which time will surely snatch from you, leaving the aged eye, withered cheek and vacant mind. Study well the character and capabilities of your choice. See to it that she possesses a mind capable of grasping the ordinary questions of the day; and that a portion of her time is spent in reading something besides fashion notes and novels. And above all, be assured that she is well disciplined in those virtues without which, home is wretched. Sweetness of temper is not incompatible with firmness or moral courage, and a woman possessing these attributes will not belong to the rapid, "wishy-washy" sort; but on the contrary the class who develop into noble wives and mothers, faithful in friendship, and devout Christians, capable of exerting both at home and in society, the best of an influence for the right and for virtue.

If to these high and independent qualities is added beauty, then your choice is indeed blessed of God. Take such a one to your heart, and while loving and cherishing, fail not to prove yourself worthy to be the possessor of such a priceless gem.

Indian Names in Wisconsin.

Our readers are aware that most of the names of places in this vicinity are derived from the Indian tongue, some of them having been altered somewhat for the sake of euphony, as, for instance, Peshtigo for Pe-she-ti-go. We interviewed our old friend Captain Powell, the other day, who is well along in years, and was born here, and is almost as familiar with the Indian language as the Indians themselves, and he gave us the following as the significations of some of the names of the places in this vicinity:

Suamico—The yellow sand.
Oconto—The place of the pickerel.
Pensaukee—The place of the brants.
Peshtigo—Snapping turtle.
Menominee—Wild rice.
Menekaune—The place where the lodges are; literally, the village.
Escanaba—A flat rock.
Manitowoc—The dwelling of the spirit.
Kewaunee—The name of a kind of duck.

Thus it will be seen that the Indians named places after some peculiarity of the location; or, as in the case of Manitowoc, after some superstition. Most of the American names are utterly meaningless, as applied to the locality, and we like the Indian plan the best.

Take for instance, Appleton, Seymour, New London, Preble, etc., which convey no idea whatever. Bellevue is better, but it is French, and is duplicated in other languages, as, for instance, Buena Vista, in Spanish. Fond du Lac is good and conveys an idea.

Oshkosh perpetuates the name of an Indian chief, and Marinette that of an Indian woman and both are very good.—*Green Bay Advocate.*

"Men invite the devil in at every angle and then prate about the garden of Eden and the fall of man."

"A patient and humble temper gathers blessings that are marred by the peevish and overlooked by the aspiring."

"Excess in apparel is another costly folly. The very trimming of the vain world would clothe all the naked ones."

A man has not time to subdue his passions, establish his soul in virtue, and come up to the perfection of his nature, before he is hurried off the stage.—[Addison.

Some men dare much, but it is because they are in their place. As long as I am in my place I am safe. The best lightning rod for your own protection is your own backbone.—[Emerson.

"Only the spur of the moment. These accumulated it is that makes the impulse and impetus of the life of genius. These are the spongioles and rootlets by which the trunk is fed. If you neglect the moment—if you cut off your fibrous roots—what but a languishing life is to be expected."

The philosopher should be a man willing to hear every suggestion, but determined to judge for himself. He should not be biased by appearances, have no favorite hypothesis, be of no school, and in doctrine have no master. He should not be a respector of persons, but of things. Truth should be his primary object. If to these qualities he adds industry, he may indeed hope to walk within the veil of the temple of nature.—[Faraday.

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Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
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Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	....

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Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 24 "	5 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
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Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
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Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
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Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
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Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 13	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

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STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 46	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

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To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
7 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 20	7 11	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 16	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 17	4 04
6 11	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Ousted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 29	Addison	2 45	8 42	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	P. M.
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	8 00
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 48
6 32	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 33
6 37	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 21
6 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 03
7 15	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 37	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 35
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 29
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 12
8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 55
8 24		3 45	Montetth	11 35		5 47
8 33		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 37
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 25
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		3 00
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		2 05
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		1 20
11 55		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

TRAIN CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo—With all Railroads diverging. At Dundee—With T., A. A. & G. T. At Britton—With Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific. At Tecumseh—With L. S. & M. S. At Jerome—with L. S. & M. S. At Hanover—With L. S. & M. S. At Homer—With L. S. & M. S. (Lansing Division), and Air Line Division of the Mich. Central. At Marshall—With M. C. R. R. At Battle Creek—With Chicago & Grand Trunk and M. C. R. R. At Montetth—With Grand Rapids & Indiana. At Allegan—With Chicago & West Mich. and L. S. & M. S.

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ABOUT FURS.

Sealskins, Otters and Beavers Now the Leading Furs in the Market.

To be warmly clad is not only an absolute necessity, but it is also a fact that many a doctor's bill and many a human life may be saved by wisely preparing in the early fall for the cold and wintry weather which is sure to come. And what article of dress is at the same time so suggestive of elegance and luxurious warmth as the garment of fur? It is true that furs are apt to be esteemed as luxuries which can only be indulged in by the rich. But although the first cost of a good fur garment may seem to be extravagant, we should also remember that furs are standard goods, which do not go out of style like cheaper articles of dress. A handsome sealskin sacque or dolman may be worn for many successive winters, and when it has finally lost its pristine beauty it may still be utilized by cutting it over for the little folks or making it up into trimmings. Thus it will be easily perceived that a good fur cloak is not only the most comfortable and the most elegant, but it is also the cheapest cloak any woman can possess.

Fashion has been as busy in dictating styles for furry garments as in other articles pertaining to a lady's wardrobe. As different races of animals become extinct before the merciless hunter's path, the fashions in skins are necessarily changed. The various grades of marten, which were so popular a few years ago, are now seldom seen; and the same is true of other once favorite furs. Sealskins, otters and beavers are now the leading furs in the market, and nothing could be more elegant or more comfortable than the garments manufactured from these skins. The seal-skin sacque promises to be a favorite style for years to come, as it has been for several years past. The best sealskins are of English dye. Very elegant sacques are also made of Hudson Bay otter—of the finest quality—and the beauty and durability of these garments are not to be exceeded by any other. The otter has a still richer and longer nap than the seal; it is darker in color, makes a heavier garment, and costs about one-third more than the sealskin. Many wraps are handsomely trimmed with bands of beaver, either dyed or in the natural color. The sealskin sacque for young misses is made of the best quality of English dressed sealskin, handsomely lined with quilted satin and finished with a sailor collar and cuffs. The sacque for women, on the other hand, is cut with a shawl collar, has cuffs, is richly lined and has four sets of fur buttons and loops. The French paletot is a style that is much admired. It is an elegant fitting, easy and graceful garment, with loose sleeves. This handsome wrap, which is preferred by many to the sealskin sacque, is made of the best quality of English dressed sealskin, and richly trimmed with golden brown beaver. Another favorite style of wrap in sealskin is the long and close-fitting ulster. This very stylish cloak is made of the best quality of English dressed sealskin, handsomely lined, and finished with collars and cuffs.

But the most elegant of all garments manufactured at present in furs is the dolman. There are two styles, the American and the French. The former is made of the best quality of English-dressed sealskin, and trimmed with the natural colored or golden-brown beaver. The lining is handsomely quilted in embroidery patterns, the style of which is entirely new. The French dolman is similar in shape but richer in finish.—*American Queen.*

GLASSWARE.

An Interesting Account of the Manufacture of Different Kinds of Glass.

Bohemian glass is made with carbonate of potash, as pure and as rich as possible. Hydrate of potash of 54 to 56 degrees is the best for use. Potash used for glass making is extracted from the residuum of beet-root sugar making. In Bohemia a potash extracted from wood ashes comes from Hungary. America also furnishes a good article. All potash used in glass-making should especially be free from soda, as it tends to give glass a green color.

Soda has taken the place of potash to a great extent. It is used as a carbonate or sulphate. Carbonate is yet used in the manufacture of table ware, but in the making of plate and window glass, bottles, etc., the sulphate is almost entirely used, owing to its cheapness. By adding a small quantity of charcoal to sulphate of soda it is decomposed much more easily.

In the manufacture of flint glass lead is used in red oxide form, or sometimes a litharge, but the red oxide gives the best results. Red lead furnishes oxygen, which escapes in melting, and serves to refine the glass and burn the organic matters which may be contained in the mixture of materials. Red lead is prepared from the purest of leads coming from England and Spain, which are comparatively free from the oxides of iron, copper, etc. Lead is used in this country for glass making, by those manufacturers who make a superior quality of glass.

In the manufacture of plate, window or white glass, lime is used as a carbonate or slaked.

It is important that sands should be selected with care, as impure silica has the most detrimental effect upon the color of glass. This is especially important in the manufacture of fine tableware, plate, and window glass. All sands should be free from iron, as this is the fruitful source of the green coloration of all glasses. In Bohemia quartz is used instead of sand. It is first heated, then thrown into water; this breaks it into many pieces, which are subsequently reduced to fine powder by mechanical action in wooden mortars with quartz pestles. By this means the introduction of iron is avoided.

France and Belgium, for the manufacture of fine wares, uses the Fontainbleau sand, not far from Paris; also the sands of Nemours, Chantilly, and from the province of Champagne. These sands are used for flint, plate, and first quality of window glass.

English sands contain a considerable proportion of iron. Silex is sometimes used instead of sand for fine wares. For plate glass making sand from the isle of Wight is used, but for the best qualities of glass the English manufacturer has to import sand from France and this country. Bottle manufacturers, on the contrary, seek sands containing iron and clay, on account of the elements they contain acting as a flux.

Silica is found in the shade of quartz, rock crystal, sand-stone, and quartz sand in the crystalline form; in silex or flint stone in the amorphous state. Silica is one of the most abundant natural substances; it is insoluble in water; and resists the action of most chemicals. Among the acids only one, hydrofluoric acid, is capable of decomposing it; this acid decomposes and dissolves glass entirely. Silica, although infusible at the highest temperature of furnaces, has nevertheless been fused by the use of the oxhydrogen blow pipe. Silica combines with all bases, alkalies, such as potash, soda, and with metals, lead, and bismuth. These give it the property to form vitreous compounds. Lime, magnesia, alumina, form with it infusible compounds; the latter, however, mixed with silicates of potash, soda, or lead, furnishes compounds which are suitable for the work of the glass-blower. It is glass proper. If two infusible silicates are mixed together, they nevertheless produce fusible glass. Fine plate glass has been made with a compound of sand, slaked lime, and carbonate of baryta. This glass, as fine as ever made, contains, on being analyzed: Silica 46.5, baryta 39.2, lime 14.3: total 100.

To produce a glass requiring as little fuel as possible, the glass-maker should introduce as many bases as possible in his mixture, such as potash, soda, lime, magnesia, alumina, oxide of iron, these, however, more particularly in bottle-glass, where color is not so much an object as cheapness. Per contra, in making pots the clay should be as free as possible from a mixture of bases. Simple silicates, such as silica and alumina, are preferable.—*Glassware Reporter,*

SPRINGS.

How They Should Be Treated to Secure All Their Benefits.

An adequate supply of water conveniently located is of great importance in the country, where a great quantity is necessarily used.

A natural, never-failing-water supply should be utilized whenever it is possible. This can often be done in undulating sections, where a spring is situated higher than the point at which it is to be delivered; and no matter whether it be conveyed in wood, iron or lead pipe, always place the pipe below the action of frost. See also that the inlet pipe is below frost, easy of access and provided with a wire or perforated tin strainer, and place the outlet or discharge pipe where it can be readily protected from freezing by a covering of straw, and uncovered when all danger of frost is over. If by laying a pipe a quarter of a mile from the spring to the house or barn you can obtain a sufficient supply of good water, do not fail to do it, forgotten the expense of digging a well will be quite as much.

By all means satisfy yourself that the supply of water is continuous, and that the flow is full alike in mid-summer and in winter. Also first determine the amount of flow by sinking a barrel or hogshead at the fountain-head, for instances frequently occur both of an increase and a decrease over the usual visible surface overflow. Decide this very important point, therefore, before much expense is incurred. If the dwelling is situated higher than the barn, pass the pipe to the dwelling first, letting the overflow, if a tank be used there, pass on to the barn, or extend the same pipe to that point, regulating the supply of both places by means of a stoep-cock.—*L. D. Snook, in N. Y. Examiner.*

A DOMESTIC ROW.

Dispute in a Printing-Office, in Which the Shears Were Not Even Mentioned.

One morning the Washington Hand-Press in a Printing Office suddenly flew its Frisket and called out in a loud voice:

"Hear ye! hear ye! But for me the *Banner* could not be issued each Week!"

"Just hear that! sneered a Case of Burgeois over by the Window. "Where would be the Paper but for its Type?"

"And they never Printed a Paper yet without ink," added the Roller in a Glue and Molasses voice.

"Well, I don't want to Appear Egotistical," observed a Bundle of White Paper lying on the floor, but if you knew how hard it was for the Editor to raise the Cash to buy me, you'd Imagine I was of some little Account Around here."

"Gentleman," added the Imposing Stone, in a marble voice, "I don't claim to own all the corner lots in Town, but if the Chases, Shooting-Stick, Mallet, Quoins and myself were to go on a Picnic-I'd like to see the *Banner* go to press—I would!"

The Gordon Jobber, Box Stove and several of the Galleys were getting ready to chip in when the Editor entered and asked the cause of the Row. The matter was explained by the Card-Cutter in a Calm and Unbiased manner, and the Editor replied:

"Each and every one of you are valued in your Respective Places, and all combined go to help issue the Leading Newspaper of this county—circulation (when a circus agent comes along) 6,000 copies—Wood Received on Subscription, as Heretofore."

MORAL:

And the Shears lay right there in Plain Sight and were not even mentioned.—*Detroit Free-Press.*

A Cape Vincent (N. Y.) man learning to play the cornet has picked up brick enough in the front yard and on the balcony where he sits to practice to lay a pavement all around his house. He hopes to be able to build a brick hen house this summer if the neighbors do not all move out of the neighborhood.—*Buffalo Express.*

Franklin as a Writer.

His pen was as ready as his purse in the service of all human kindness. And what a pen it was! It could discourse metaphysics so clearly and lucidly as to make them seem plain moralizing. It could tear a sophism to pieces by a mere query: It could make a simple tale read like a subtile argument. He could be grave and he could be gay in a breath. He could spend as much wit and humor on a "Craven Street Gazette"—which was meant only to amuse an old landlady, away from home, and probably out of joint before her return from Rochester—as on a State paper designed to fire America and sting England. In another tone, he translates into human language, for the amusement of a court lady, the reflections, in the garden of her house, of a gray-headed ephemera, full seven hours old, on the vanity of all things. His "Petition of the Left Hand," might have been composed by Addison. In it, the left hand bewails the partiality which educates the right hand exclusively. Some of Franklin's fables and tales have been so absorbed into the thought of the world that their source is absolutely forgotten. Only in this way can we account for what was doubtless an unconscious plagiarism by an eminent sanitary authority, last year, of Franklin's "Economical project for Diminishing the cost of Light." The economy consisted simply in rising at six o'clock instead of nine or ten. Ideas such as Franklin's never become superanuated. Not every one who uses the expression, "to pay dear for one's whistle," knows that the dear whistle was a purchase made by Franklin, when seven years old, with a pocketful of pence. Franklin's store was too abundant for him to mind, though some of his fame went astray. "You know," he tells his daughter, "everything makes me recollect some story." But it was not recollection so much as fancy. His fancy clothed every idea in circumstances. When the illustration had served its turn, he was indifferent what became of it. Franklin did injustice to himself when he fancied he wanted any such mechanical aid. His English had been learned from the "Pilgrim's Progress," and the "Spectator." It had the force of Bunyan without his ruggedness. It had the serene light of Addison with tenfold his raciness and vigor It sparkled with sarcasms as cutting as Voltaire's, but all sweetened with humanity. Many of his inventions or adaptions—such as "colonize"—have been stamped, long since, as current English. But he did not covet the fame of an inventor, whether in language, in morals, or in politics. In language, he was even declared a foe to innovation. Writing to Noah Webster, in 1789, he protests against the new verbs "notice," "advocate," and "progress." He had as little ambition to be classic as to be an innovator in English. He wrote because he had something at the moment to say, with a view to procuring that something should at the moment be done.—*Edinburgh Review.*

The Youth of Our Land.

There really ought to be some law against the sale of dime novels to young boys. Instances occur almost daily where the minds of young boys have become so distorted by reading trash that they are ready to slaughter their fellow beings in large quantities. A boy who reads about some avenger of the prairie who chops and splits his cord and a half of Indians regular every day, or some pirate whose scuppers run off enough blood every minute to make a hundred dollars worth of blood sausage, gets into an abnormal condition of mind and is wholly unfit for the solid work and low wages of real, every day life. He begins to accumulate pistols, daggers and other old junk, and longs to run a poniard into some false Spaniard, and twist it around, while he hisses through his set teeth some drivel that he has read in a novel. Such a boy will not hoe corn. Near Peru, in Illinois, the other day, a sheriff found a cave where a number of these boys whose minds had become inflated, had established a sort of pirate's glen. The pirates were not at home, being away probably on an expedition to capture a dark-eyed Spanish beauty, or a bantam or shang-hai beauty, and the sheriff entered the place and took an account of stock. All around were the sinister looking weapons of death and the treasures and spoils of war, and among them were twelve bottles of lemon beer. This in itself ought to teach boys that there is no such thing as realizing what novels tell about. There never was a novel yet that told about the duke pacing back and forth with a clouded brow in the elegant drawing room of his castle, and then going to the sideboard and draining a flagon of lemon beer. Not any. The duke always drains a flagon of fine old Rhenish wine, seven hundred years old before he sets out to mutilate a couple of townships of people. A boy ought to see by this that if he is going to try and follow the duke's example he will have to use old Rhenish wine instead of lemon beer And where would be the fun in slaughtering those two townships of people with a skin full of lemon beer or pop? It would be insipid. And not only that, but ridiculous. Suppose the duke should draw his rapier to run a person through the body, and just as he was about to say, "Die, villain," the gas from the lemon beer should come up in his nose. He would feel like a fool. A boy who reads a novel, and becomes all wrought up and excited, never thinks of this. Neither does he think who it is that writes the novel. If he could see the author of the novel—who is some poor devil in a New York garret, who has starved himself half to death for money to buy whisky, and who changes his quarters every month to save rent—he would be ashamed to be seen reading such stuff. The poor broken down scribbler who writes about the brilliant diamonds of inestimable value that flashed upon the bosom of the countess, is probably wearing a sheet of writing paper for a shirt front.—*Peck's Sun.*

Wonderful Efficacy.

Some people are slow in telling what good things have been done for them but Mr. John P. Daly, of Gillisonville, S. C., says he takes great pleasure in testifying to the wonderful efficacy of Brown's Iron Bitters in dyspepsia, fever and ague, and general debility of the system. He has personally experienced the most satisfactory results from the use of this valuable medicine Make a memorandum of this, all ye whose systems are run down. Brown's Iron Bitters will cure you.

"When worthy men fall out, only one of them may be faulty at first, but if strife continue long, commonly both become guilty."

Stop that cough, by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral—the best specific ever known for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It will soothe the rough feeling in the throat and give the vocal organs flexibility and quality, and enable you to breathe and speak clearly.

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A clock has been invented in Europe which will run five years without either winding or regulation.

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The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, uts Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, ancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co

West Virginia is no longer an October state.

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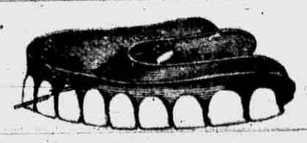

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"If there are angels on earth, you are one," said the man, "God bless you!" and putting a bill in the hands of the waiter, said: "Please accept this from me as a token of my regard and esteem. The kindness I can never repay. And to you, who never yet are in need, you will find one a true friend at the same time. Long live the noble and good!"

Pressing her child by the hand she turned to go, but pausing at the door, said:

"God bless you, gentlemen. A poor, heart-broken woman for the kindness and courtesy you have shown her. Before any one could reply she was gone.

A silence of several minutes ensued, which was at length broken by the proprietor, who exclaimed:

"Gentlemen, my boy was right and I have sold my last glass of whisky. If any of you want more you will have to go elsewhere."

"And I have drank my last glass of whisky," said a young man who had long been given up as entirely beyond the reach of those who feel a deep interest in his welfare as sunk too low ever to reform. "There is a temperance organization in this city called the Temple of Honor, and at their next meeting I shall send in my name to be admitted. Who will go with me?"

"I, I, and I," several exclaimed in chorus, and fifteen names were added to his.

True to his word, the owner of the saloon in question was [illegible] stock the next day, and is now engaged in a business with his family, and is [illegible] with the [illegible] and prosperous.

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"Mamma," said the little child, who I understand had been spoken to by some of the gentlemen present, taking hold of her mother's hand, "these gentlemen wish me to sing 'Little Bess' for them. Shall I do so?"

"Yes, my darling, if they wish you to."

They all joined in the request, and persuaded her to do so, when she sang in a sweet, childlike way the following beautiful song:

[illegible]

Did you ever think how many you know
Are made happy by the same as before
The heart of a mother and the smiles of a child
Make home happy and sweet
Then why not try to make others happy and glad
Instead of drive out and frown as we do?

[illegible]

Let's be happy and good as we go through life
Scattering sunshine and flowers in the path
Of those we meet daily in this world of care
Then when our last sun sinks behind the dark hills
And we are called to our long home to rest
When our last breath is drawn
Our spirits will be
Where there is no more sorrow nor pain.

[illegible]

The scene I shall never forget to my dying day, and the sweet sweet sounds of her voice still rings in my ears, and every word of the song as it dropped from her lips, sank deep into the hearts of those gathered around her.

With her golden hair falling carelessly around her little shoulders, her face of almost ethereal beauty, and looking so trustingly and comforting upon the gentlemen around her, her tearful eyes illuminated with a light that seemed not of the earth, she formed a picture of purity and innocence worthy the genius of a poet or painter.

At the close of the song many were weeping; men who had not shed a tear for years, now wept like children. One young man who had resisted with scorn the pleading of a loving mother and the entreaties of friends to strive to lead a better life, to desist from a course that was wasting his fortune and ruining his health, now approached the child, and taking both her little hands in his, while tears streamed down his pale cheeks, exclaimed with deep emotion,—

"God bless you, my little angel! you have saved me from ruin and disgrace, from poverty and a drunkard's grave.

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JOHN G. CARLISLE.

John G. Carlisle, speaker of the present house of Representatives, was born in Campbell Co., Ken., Sept. 5 '35. His early life possesses no particular point of interest. He was compelled to work hard for a living, and his education was mostly attained in the unpretentious atmosphere of a district school, as opportunity afforded. He was a hard student and before he had attained his majority he was earning his living by teaching school. He employed his leisure hours in reading law, and little by little qualified himself for the bar, to which he was admitted in 1858, when but 23 years of age, after a term in a dingy law office, and has since, when not in the national or state service, devoted himself to his profession. In 1859 he was elected a member of the Ky. House of Representatives. During the Secession he inclined to the northern side and was a firm believer in the Union. In 1864 he was nominated as a presidential elector on the Democratic ticket, but declined the honor. In 1866 he was elected to the Senate of his native state and again in 1869. He was present as Delegate at Large from Ky., at the National Democratic Convention, held in New York City in 1868. His nomination for Lieutenant Governor of Ky. in 1871 by the Democrat, Conservatives, caused him to resign his seat in the State Senate, and being elected he served from 1871 to 1875 in that position. He was chosen a Democratic Elector at large for Ky. in 1876. Chosen to represent the famous Covington District in Congress it was soon evident that his constituents had made no mistake in their selection. He was proven a well informed competent, able and diligent member, a skilled debater, and an excellent orator. After an exciting canvass in which his skill for strategy was admirably tested he was elected Speaker of the Forty Eighth Congress, over Sam J. Randall. As to his honesty and capability we concerned Carlisle is the peer of his leading competitors. When a pronounced Revenue Reformer he can scarcely be termed an absolute free trader. He has never concealed his opinions and his CAUSE stand on the question of the Tariff may be gleaned from one of his speeches in which he says: "In the broad and sweeping sense which the use of the term generally implies I am not a free trader, of course that is palpable. I at least should think I will add that in my judgement it will be years yet before anything in the nature of free trade would be even so practical for the United States. When we speak of this subject we refer to the approximate free trade, which has no idea of crippling the growth of home industries, but simply of scaling down the inequalities of the tariff schedule where they are out of proportion to the demands of that growth. After we have calmly stood by and allowed monopolies to grow fat we should not be asked to make them bloated. Our enormous surplus revenues are illogical and oppressive. It is entirely undemocratic to continue these burdens on the people for years after these requirements of protection have been met, and the representatives of these industries have become enriched and wealthy. This is the general position on which I stand. The rest is a mere matter of detail, to be settled with judgment, discretion and caution, but at the same time in a perfectly fearless spirit. The true policy of the Democracy is to meet the issue in a solid phalanx."

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[illegible]	Wood, Mrs. Frank
[illegible]	Wilson, Mrs. [illegible]
Burger, Eli	Weismuh, W. H.
Hess, Mrs. Frank	W——, James
Hodge, Mrs. [illegible]	

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ESTATE OF WM. H. POCKLINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Francis Pocklington and Arthur Pocklington, administrators, praying for the license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, and the respondents to authorize the administrators to sell the interest of said deceased in said real estate, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned to the parties entitled thereto and for their use.

It is ordered that Tuesday, the 24th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said state, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden, at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said Petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.

A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. jan29

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT has been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mary E. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, to Francis Kingsley, of the township of Deerfield, County and State of Michigan, bearing date November 22d A. D. 1880, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annual at six per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 23, A. D. 1880, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee, in Liber 90 of mortgages on page 76, and said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsley to William K. Choate, of Adrian, city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 15th A. D. 1881, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds, for Lenawee county, aforesaid, in Liber 104 of Mortgages, on page 60, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice the sum of eight hundred and seventy-five dollars, principal, and [illegible] dollars in proceedings to foreclose having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A. D. 1885, at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage, and the interest accruing thereon from the date hereof, and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, and known and described as the south half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town [illegible] south, of range five (5) east containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE, Assignee.

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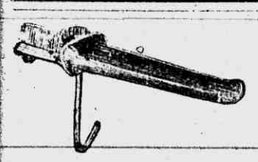

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES

The groundhog did not see his shadow Feb. 2; just the same.

Was it a hot wave that struck us Tuesday?

Miss Daisy Riggs is quite sick at present.

Dr. Begel and wife from Holloway, were in our village Saturday.

Miss Mary Kilpatrick returned to her home at Fowlerville, Saturday.

Miss Libbie Loree of Stanton, Montcalm Co., is visiting at her uncle's, Dr. D. W. Loree.

Rev. W. J. Clack is suffering intensely from an attack of neuralgia.

Mr. Geo. Clark, Jr., is visiting his relatives and friends here.

Prof. H. C. Wilson and wife and her mother, Mrs. Willett, of Blissfield, spent a part of Saturday and Sunday at his father's, Mr. W. R. Wilson.

W. E. Barrett, who has been in Kansas the past eight months, came home on Wednesday of last week on business. He is very well pleased with the country there and will return in a few days. Wonder if A—— will accompany him.

As the pastor was not able to occupy the desk Sunday morning, Dr. D. W. Loree read a sermon. There was no service in the evening.

A sleigh load of youngsters went over to the Valley Seminary Saturday and got some of the students that attend from here, and spent the evening with Miss Ida Pocklington. They say the tip-over is what took the cake.

The attendance at the donation Wednesday night was very good. The receipts amounted to nearly $90.

Put this in your diary that January 1885 was the the first January since the new cemetery was bought, that there was not a burial during the month.

The hall was packed to the fullest capacity Friday night. The exercises passed off with interest and success. The declamation by David Gibson was what took the house down.

Those who failed to see Mrs. Waring's cala lilly missed a treat. It was in full bloom last week and was a beauty.

On Saturday afternoon the young ladies of the village enjoyed the afternoon very pleasantly at the home of Mrs. Waring in behalf of Miss Ella Pattison. They report having a pleasant time. Tea was served at the usual hour and Jumbo kept up the interest and amusement the rest of the time.

The social this week will be held at the residence of Mr. H. Williams on Friday evening, and they desire to see all their friends present.

Mr. J. F. Temple has a half-crown silver piece dated 1707. It was in the reign of Queen Anne.

There were some who were opposed to the new school house who forgot the time of school meeting.

The adjourned annual school meeting of Dist. No. 1 was held on Monday evening at the school house. The $1,000 already assessed and partly collected for the the new house is by a two-thirds vote to be returned to the tax payers, and the board will give an order on the town treasurer for the $1,000 already assessed. The kickers with their leaders seem to think they have done a wise thing, but it is a question if the money can be retained in the way they desire. G. W. Jackson, the director, and Dr. R. H. Nelson, moderator, resigned their office at the close of the meeting. A special meeting will be called immediately to fill the vacancies.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY PROGRAM.

The society will hold its next regular meeting Friday evening, Feb. 13, when the following program will be presented:

Music—Society.
Secretary's report.
Reading—Lizzie Clack.
Declamation—Sammie Arner.
Recitation—Emma Bailey.
Music—Lela Sutton.
Declamation—Geo. Sanford.
Recitation—Jennie Osgood.
Inst. Music—Emma Miller.
Reading—Chas. Gove.
Essay on Man.
Recess.
Music—Jennie Underwood.
Debate—Resolved, That the success of Temperance Reform depends as much upon Woman as Man.
Aff.—D. W. Loree, A. E. Palmer.
Neg.—G. P. Waring, W. J. Clack.
Music—Ella Jackson.

All those interested in hearing a good debate should not fail to be present, as a special effort is being made to make that part of the program entertaining.

All political argument excluded. Admission free.

BY ORDER OF EX. COM.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

F. L. Couch, of Bay City, arrived in town Saturday afternoon, remained here until Monday morning, when he left for Tecumseh intending to return home Monday noon. Mr. Couch meets with many a hearty hand shake when visiting Clinton.

Mrs. Albert Lutkins died at her home last Wednesday after an illness of several weeks. The funeral took place Friday. The remains were placed in the Benton cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Olmstead and their two children, of Orwell N. Y. visited in Clinton last week. Mr. Olmstead is on his way to New Orleans. He will first accompany his wife to Coldwater, where she will remain until his return from the south. Mrs. Olmstead is better remembered by her friends here as Ida Davis.

The pink tea social was held as advertised, in the Town Hall last Thursday evening and was said to be quite a success. The program was opened with a recitation by Miss Laura Clark, entitled "The Lost Heir." Miss Blanche Smith then sang "Over the Garden Wall," which was very much enjoyed by the audience. Mrs. C. S. Barroughs followed with the recitation "A Brave Child," and the last on the program was a solo "Janette" by Mrs. Josie St. John. Each one rendered their selections in a very creditable manner as was shown by the applause which followed each performance. Supper was then served in pink dishes which were given to every one present, to be kept as souvenirs. We understand that the orange race was won by Mrs. E. VanDeMark, and in the cigar race, two of the contestants, Thomas Matthews and Charlie Becker were fortunate enough to obtain the required number of cigars so the whole number was divided equally between them.

The children of the Congregational and Episcopal Sunday schools were made happy by a sleigh ride to Tecumseh last Saturday. On the return of the former party the Annual Missionary meeting was held at Mrs. S. W. Demuth's and the children were treated to popcorn, candy, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eddy, of Vinton Iowa, arrived in Clinton last week. Mr. Eddy is to have the management of his father's farm. They will live in the house formerly occupied by P. C. Smith.

Miss Lina Jones has returned from her visit to Battle Creek.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

There has been but little news in these parts the past week, the extreme cold weather being the chief topic of conversation.

The skating rink had a good attendance Friday last. They have come to the conclusion to open it on Wednesday evening of each week.

The last club dance of the season comes off on Friday evening, the 6th. A large turn out is expected.

Thursday afternoon our citizens were shocked by the arrival of the body of W. W. Bloomer who left here in good spirits that morning in company with Mrs. C. E. Jessup to attend a birthday party at J. K. Jeffrey's of Rome. When half a mile west of Rome Center they upset the cutter, but no one was hurt. After righting the cutter Mr. Bloomer went to the horse's head to fix the bridle and suddenly fell back without a struggle dead. His remains were buried under the charge of the Brooklyn Lodge of F. & A. M., on Sunday. Services by Rev. Mr. Crane of Addison. He had resided here for the past seven years, was a genial kind man and had no enemies. His age was 65 years.

We wish to tender sincere thanks to Brooklyn Lodge F. & A. M. for their kindness in taking charge of and attending the funeral of our worthy brother W. W. Bloomer on Sunday, the 1st day of Feb., 1885, and to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy with us in our affliction.

MR. & MRS. CHAS. E. JESSUP.

[The following letter reached us too late for publication last week.—ED. HERALD.]

The past week has been but a repetition of the past extreme cold with an abundance of snow, highways and rail roads blockaded, making business dull.

The club-dance last Friday evening was a grand success, also, the skating rink, but on Monday evening, on account of the extreme cold but few were out.

Our citizens for the past week have been engaged in filling their ice houses with a splendid article; it is now about 18 inches thick.

Our mails for the past week have been from one to two days late. Our M. & O. road have had more than they could do to keep open but they work with a will.

I see by the papers that there has been a bill introduced in the legislature to return to the old standard of 110 degrees fire test for kerosene oil, which I think just. We would have better oil for light at a cost of at least three cents per gallon. I am in favor of a kerosene tariff for the benefit of the government. It is all right, but when it goes to monopoly like the Standard Oil company the people object. The saving to consumers would be quite a sum in the State.

I learn by the papers there is quite an excitement in Adrian as regards the appointment of Postmaster. I do think if there is any one man more entitled to the same than others, it is Willard Stearns. He has ably sustained a democratic paper for the past years for this county. He took the paper when the democratic paper was in a hopeless minority, and it was about to pass in its checks, and in opposition had the Times, which had all the government patronage including the revenue of the post office to sustain it. It would assist the Press office in making it a still more valuable paper for the Democratic cause in the county.

Wednesday morning 26 below zero.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

[This letter came last week too late for publication. It must have come by way of Chicago, as it was two days on the road.—ED. HERALD.]

Mrs. Begel and both children returned from Hanover sick with catarrhal fever. Miss Jennie was confined to the bed for a couple of days. Doc talks of persuading some of the neighbors to go up there in hopes of their getting sick. A very good scheme it seems to us for getting pay for medicine which he gave his own folks.

F. S. Dunham has moved his family to rooms over the store and Mr. Frarie, the Blacksmith, expects to occupy the house which Mr. Dunham has vacated as soon as he gets back from Jonesville, where he has gone for his goods.

Mrs. Chauncy Saxton is sick with pneumonia.

James Ash bought a cow about ten days ago for which he paid fifty dollars. During the first night after getting her home she got down in the stable herself in such a manner that she died in a few days.

Fred Crowell and Miss Emma Johnson, members of the Friends Church at Hanover, attended the quarterly meeting at Raisin Valley last week, after which they visited Benj. Kelley. Looks as though Uncle Ben was a pretty good fellow by the way people come and stay with him, and perhaps again, it is the kind of hash he serves up that attracts them.

The people of Holloway are at last blessed with a dance house of which they are justly proud. It is not often that such an enterprise is thrust upon the people without warning. There are only two things lacking now to make our town a success, viz: a skating rink and saloon. Who will come to our rescue?

It is a little surprising what a business has sprung up in our midst of late in the way of shipping dressed meat. W. J. Scott and Wm. Kelley are shipping dressed veal and chickens to Detroit. Fred Kopka, Geo. Sherman, Geo. Hayward, P. M. Laying and others are slaughtering cattle and sheep for the Toledo market where they take it with their teams thereby saving freight and commission. They all look good natured, so we judge they are doing well.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Ella Day, returned from Ohio last week.

Maude Howell will attend the Normal this term.

Jesse Coller, of Milan, was in town last week. He will remain in Milan another year.

The mill-yard is nearly full of logs. This looks as though there will be business for Mr. Sage for a time, at least.

The hop at the Dewdrop last Friday evening was well attended. We presume it was a financial success.

It is asserted by some people here that the snow is several inches deep by actual measurement.

Hon. Geo. Howell and wife returned from Lansing Monday evening to remain about a week. Mr. Howell, I learn, is on the committee to visit the asylums, and this being the week for visiting these places, he is enabled to spend a day or two with us.

John Day was quite seriously injured at Sage's mill Monday last. While working at the mill he made a mis-step and fell several feet, and struck across a piece of timber, injuring his side and hip. Fortunately Dr. Morden just at that time was passing the mill and so was enabled to give prompt assistance. I learn later that he is not any better. All hope for his speedy recovery. His daughter Ella had returned a few days previous from a long visit in Ohio.

The people who attended the donation at the residence of Mr. Collar Thursday evening of last week enjoyed a very pleasant time. It netted over fifty dollars.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Business on the boom.

The station-house is completed and substantial stock yards are being constructed. The former is a neat and commodious building and a credit to the people who have aided in its construction, and to the M. & O. R.R. Co. as well.

B. C. Knapp occupies the store so suddenly vacated by Jerry Tuttle, and Jerry has gone where the wood-twire bindeth, much to the chagrin of various wholesale firms in Detroit, Toledo and Adrian, who have sent several attorneys to investigate. They can find the place where he used to was, but where, oh where is he now? A number of our townspeople mourn his departure to the tune of divers sums of greater or less amount.

Revival meetings on alternate evenings are held at the churches.

Dell Goodrich, agent for the Dayton Hedge Co. says he has orders for nearly five miles of hedge fence in Franklin.

On Wednesday Al. Morseman and Burt Crittenden hitched up their teams and took the children of the Center school in two sleigh loads to visit the octagon school in Adrian township. A great many are taking advantage of the fine evenings and roads by sleigh-ride parties.

BRITTON BUDGET.

A lecture for the benefit of Eaton Post G. A. R. will be given at Britton's Hall, Britton on Tuesday evening Feb. 10th by J. S. Preston, chaplain of the Michigan Department G. A. R. Subject—My Experience in Southern Military Prisons. The lecture will be illustrated by a large painting showing nearly life size representations of Rebel Guard and Union prisoners and a diagram of Andersonville on a scale of 33⅓ feet to the inch, which is pronounced by able critics who were in that prison as the best and only perfect representation of Andersonville and its surroundings that they had ever seen. The lecturer comes highly recommended and sustained by the most flattering press notices. The entertainment is for the benefit of Eaton Post. Admission 15 cents; children 10 cents. Let the hall be filled. The object is a most worthy one. By order of,

JOHN BRITTON, Commander.
ALBERT EATON, Adjutant.

THREE HOURS AT HOLLOWAY.

Having occasion to visit Holloway the other day, we went down on the M. & O. to Britton and thence over the Wabash to Holloway. We availed ourselves of the opportunity to look around the city a little.

Kelly, Hoxsie & Co., are doing a good business and are meeting with good success in their quarter-off sale. Ben. Kelly devotes his time mostly to buying and shipping stock.

Jas. S. Gilman has a nice harness shop and seems to be well supplied with custom.

Dr. Begel has a fine country drug store, and is working up a good practice in that vicinity.

We called at Chester Clark's and arrived there just in time to partake of a good dinner. Mr. Clark is well fixed to enjoy life, has a fine farm with good buildings, and is looked upon as one of the solid citizens of the place.

We made a short call at Mrs. James McIntyre's. Mrs. McIntyre is now selling cream to the Adrian creamery and is much pleased with the new arrangement. She began May 9th, 84, and from that date to the present time, the cream has brought from 14c to 23c per lb. It ranges about three cents above the price of butter.

We found Edmund Hall confined to the house by sickness. He has lived on the same farm forty-nine years the 10th day of this month, and has never been sick but three times. We are glad to state that he is on the gain, and will soon be out again as usual.

We called at Ben Kelly's and John Gordon's but found them away from home.

Having met Dr. North at Mr. Hall's we accepted an invitation to ride home with him. On the road home we halted a moment at Mrs. Wickwire's to enquire after her husband's condition. Mr. Wickwire is still prostrated with paralysis, having been a hopeless invalid for three years, and his wife has a pretty hard time in taking care of him. She has lived on the farm they now occupy 52 years the 27th of next May, and has been thro' all the privations of pioneer life.

The roads were somewhat heavy but the weather was delightful that afternoon and we enjoyed our sleigh-ride home very much.

WITH MANY DIAMONDS.

How a Man Who is Half Dude, Half Cowboy Makes a Show of Himself.

John L. Lighthall, a lawyer, registered from Denver, D. T., has been attracting considerable attention for three days past. The people were given to understand by his exploits in the magnificent and wonderful jewelry which they wore, and could not get into the dining-room, the walks from the corridors without being delayed by gaping boys. In appearance he is a cross between the cowboy of the West and the swell young man of the East. He is about thirty-five years of age and six feet tall, of a nervous, wiry build. His hair, which is curled black, is cut straight across his forehead, and falls in a mass to his shoulders. His clothes are of a fashionable cut, and of rather loud pattern. He wears whole strings of bright watch-chains, ornamented with diamonds, there being fifty-four goodly-sized stones in the set of buttons. His visit to Cincinnati was for the purpose of adding some more stones to his already large collection of jewels. He generally wears more diamonds than any other man in this country, or any other, for that matter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lighthall welcomed a reporter yesterday and seemed nothing loath to show their jewels, which were rather conspicuously displayed. "I am sorry," said he, "that I did not know you were coming, for I would have had some of my small boys and my horses on a show. But this scarf-pin is worth looking at," pointing at the same time to a ring. "Sister of diamonds more than one carat, which almost hid a gaudy necktie which swathed his throat.

"This is probably the largest pin in the United States," he continued. "It contains one hundred and seventy-nine stones, one of which, as you see, weighs six carats. They are clear fully set and the entire workmanship is almost perfect. It was originally a ring, but is too small to come to wear."

"Did you order it made?"

"No. It was the last order of a diamond broker in St. Louis, whose name was Maus. It is said that he went crazy, and I guess he did for no same man, unless he was as eccentric as I am, would order such a ring. Maus took a handful of stones into a workshop and told the foreman to make the finest ring possible out of them, and this is the result."

Lighthall professes to have been fond of jewels ever since a boy, and for the past ten years, since he has been able to gratify his desires in this direction, has been making an extraordinary collection of precious stones. He wears them, he says, because he likes to be odd. Of late years he has been much among the Indians in the West, and affects the manners and actions of a cowboy. He has a sombrero which cost him over two thousand eight hundred dollars. Clusters of diamonds and other gems decorate the crown and rim of the hat, and it is probably the only hat in the United States that is kept in a safe. The same man, just to gratify an ambition to be conspicuous, wore a suit of clothes the buttons of which were made of ten dollar gold pieces. The jewelry which he wore yesterday, in addition to his glaring scarf-pin and diamond vest buttons, consisted of four big rings, a massive gold chain, and three large badges or medals, which were pinned on his vest-front. The setting of one ring was a topaz said to be the largest in the United States. Another was a beautiful sapphire, surrounded by four large diamonds. The others were diamond clusters and were only noticeable on account of their unusual size and the width of the stones.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A TUSSLE TO THE DEATH.

The Way a Wounded Coyote Fought Tooth and Toe-Nail for Its Life.

Traver, who drives the Bullion stage, had quite an adventure with a wounded coyote on his trip out last Saturday. Just on the other side of the Hot Springs he saw a coyote standing in the road, some distance ahead of his team. Having his rifle with him, Traver fired at the beast and wounded it in the breast, also breaking one of its fore legs. He then drove up to where the coyote was kicking around in the dust of the road and got down from his wagon to finish the job by knocking Mr. Coyote on the head. As he started around the head of his team the coyote made a dash at the nearest horse's leg, which he was about to seize when met by the heavy boot on Traver's right foot. This seemed only to increase the savageness of the beast, which now turned upon the driver, attempting to get at his throat. Traver succeeded in keeping it at bay until he got back into the wagon. He then commenced to put a cartridge in his rifle, but had hardly got started when, happening to look around, he saw the coyote upon the wagon and not two feet from where he stood, making toward him with snapping jaws and bloodshot eyes. Not having time to finish loading Traver clubbed his rifle and by a lucky blow knocked the beast off the wagon. The coyote again made the attempt to reach him, but the gun was soon loaded and its contents sent into the body of the now thoroughly maddened beast. Traver says he doesn't want any more wounded coyote.—*Elko Free Press.*

A Celestial Joke.

The love of fun is not unknown among the serious-looking Celestials who during the last few years have been collecting in some parts of our Australian colonies. A storekeeper, wishing to advertise his articles in the Chinese language, engaged a celestial to paint him a sign, expecting of course, that it would be a very enticing one.

It did not answer his expectations, however, for the only perceptible effect it had on "the relations of the sun and moon," as the Chinese term themselves, was to excite a grin of the broadest dimensions. At length the storekeeper, by a considerable bribe, obtained a translation in English of the advertisement, and found it to be as follows: "Don't buy anything here; storekeeper a rogue."—*Manchester Times.*

GENERAL INTEREST.

—Nearly all the winter resort hotels in Florida are conducted by Northerners.

—"La France" roses sell at four dollars a dozen buds in New York. The new rose, "The Sunset," sells at six dollars a dozen.—*N. Y. Sun.*

In Madagascar no one could read sixty years ago, but now there are nearly 50,000 on the island who have some part of the Bible and read it.

A new industry has developed in Florida—that of raising forage grasses on the low lands. The Kentucky blue grass has been both transplanted and grown there with great success.

—All the rooms in the hotels at Monterey, Cal., are engaged by Eastern visitors for the entire winter, and it is also said that the number of Eastern men of means who are looking for vine and fruit land in Southern California is double the average.

—The *Virginia Chronicle* says that recent soundings have discovered several large cavities at the bottom of Lake Tahoe resembling in shape the craters of extinct volcanoes. In their vicinity a gentle current setting toward them is very perceptible.

—A sensitive Ohio girl is ill from nervous prostration. She worked in a millinery shop, where great numbers of little birds were used in trimming bonnets, and she grieved constantly over the victims of fashion until her health gave way to the strain.—*Cincinnati Inquirer.*

—Bob Burdette pictured in Boston the other night, and one of the young ladies who heard him said if she could get him alone somewhere in the dark she would hug him. The humorist has left the lab. The cold wave from the West was even more telegraphic.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—When the drill struck the granite in boring an artesian well near Atlanta, Ga., the thud of the ponderous instrument could be heard at Clarkston, ten miles away. A ledge of rock of the same formation crops out in the town, which transmits the sound of the falling drill.—*Chicago Times.*

—A red-cheeked boy named David Saltzman, an interpreter at Castle Garden, only thirteen years of age, speaks six languages—English, Polish, Hungarian, Bohemian, German and Russian. He crossed the Atlantic alone two years ago, and secured his present position soon after his arrival.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—A Norwich (Conn.) gentleman made a most remarkable shipment to the Bermuda Islands the other day. It was a barrel of ordinary gravel. It seems that his father is a resident of the Bermuda Islands, and a raiser of poultry. There is no gravel on the islands suitable for the biddies' digestive organs, hence the shipment.

—On Lake Apopka, Florida, there is a lemon grove containing three thousand trees, all of the choicest varieties. They are all budded upon orange stocks. It is claimed that lemon growing will soon rival orange growing, as a Florida industry, and that lemons promise to be a more profitable and easier matured fruit than oranges.

—The gorilla does not build a house or shelter (in this he is inferior to chimpanzee or orang), nor does he attempt to use the gun he has seized or broken. All attempts to keep a gorilla in captivity, even in Africa, have as yet failed. It starves, or dies of, it would seem, a—broken heart. Even young ones die in a few weeks.—*Chicago Herald.*

—In 1838 were begun the first trustworthy records of the average length of life of the English-speaking race, and, comparing that data with the present, it is shown that there has been an addition of eight per cent. to the female life and five per cent. to the male. This increase has been attained principally by fewer deaths, which means fewer maladies and better health.

—The Fort Worth (Tex.) *Gazette* says of the Staked Plain, a plateau in Northwestern Texas and the eastern part of New Mexico, covering forty thousand square miles, that its steppes "are no longer the barren deserts of the geography. Wells of splendid water are being dug, and the welcome fluid springs up at any time after a depth of twenty feet has been reached. This water not only supplies stock, but enough is expected to be obtained to use successfully for irrigating purposes."

—Ginseng is supposed by the Chinese to be possessed of wonderful medicinal virtues, especially in the way of miraculously prolonging the life of the dying, and there is a popular belief—possibly arising from the resemblance of the root to the body of a man, with two prongs representing his legs—that the wild ginseng has the power of going from one place to another underground, like a living animal. There are various kinds of ginseng used in China, namely, the Corean, Japanese, American and native.

—For the Saratoga monument at Schuylerville the Government has appropriated $70,000, the State Legislature $25,000, and $10,000 has been raised by private subscription. A plat of four acres within the line of Burgoyne's intrenchment has been bought, and a granite shaft of one hundred and fifty-five feet there erected, on a bluff overlooking the famous field of surrender. It remains to place in the outside niches the statues of Gates, Schuyler and Morgan, leaving Arnold's niche expressly vacant, and to record within the shaft, on bronze and terra cotta tablets, the leading incidents of the Revolution.—*Troy Times.*

—Dr. Malins, in a recent lecture at Birmingham, said that the brain requires twelve hours of sleep at four years old, gradually diminishing by hours and half hours to ten at fourteen, and thence to eight hours when the body is full grown and formed. Goethe, in his most active productive period, needed nine hours, and took them; Kant—the most laborious of students—was strict in never taking less than seven. Nor does it appear that those who have systematically tried to cheat nature of this chief right have been in any sense gainers of time for their work. It may be a paradox, but is not the less a truth that what is given to sleep is gained to labor.

"FUTURES."

The Farmers' Duty to the Youth and to American Agriculture.

The thoughtful and intelligent deplore the evils to society and individual lives resulting from such numbers of the rural population, among them a large per cent. of the young, who abandon agriculture and seek employment in other pursuits than dwelling the everflowing current, so rapid, manufacturing centers and crowded cities. Is the promise of pecuniary gain larger and more certain? Are the opportunities for social pleasures more? To those reared in the country, too oft the clamor and strenuous activities of the town deceive the imagination and mislead the mind. They know nothing of the privations and hardships incident to city life, and do not so fully as they ought appreciate the advantages of their country homes till perhaps the lesson has been learned through long and bitter experience. We must overcome this urban inclination—which farmers everywhere observe and regret—by interesting the young people in the work and management of the farm, and in working with us in adorning and beautifying the home.

Farm life is made too monotonous; there is too little effort to awaken and train the fine sensibilities. The energy of the household is too often devoted to the one purpose of accumulating dollars and cents. Continuous cheerless toil bears especially hard upon the young. In the absence of provision to supply the demands of their nature for variety and change, they either grow listless, lose energy and ambition, and become mere farm drudges; or they break away from this unreasonable servitude and plunge into the great outside world, exposed to all its snares. But more of intelligence, that comes through improved educational advantages, together with improved farm machinery, is teaching the farmer that muscle alone is not the only requisite to the best success.

Agricultural literature is a potent influence in breaking down that prejudice and ignorance which so long enslaved and degraded agriculture, and is demanding for it just recognition as the noblest, most useful and inviting of human occupations. These enlightened views of agriculture are the factors that in the future are to induce our young men to pursue with hopeful intelligence the tilling of the soil. Farmers may do much to encourage in their boys a love of rural life by making the home attractive in all its surroundings; also by inducing them to take an interest not only in the necessary work, but in the planning of the work and sharing with them its fruitful returns. This will give employment to mind as well as to hands; the drudgery of doll, thoughtless toil will be avoided and the farmer, as age comes on, will have the heart-warming satisfaction of seeing his sons growing up to the inheritance, with health of body and vigor of mind; becoming intelligent farmers and citizens, a comfort and support to his declining years.—*H. L. Leland, in N. Y. Tribune.*

CHANGING FEED.

The Kind of Food Which Ought to Be Given to Cattle, Sheep and Hogs in the Winter Season.

As winter approaches and pastures cease to furnish succulent fodder the food of animals is necessarily changed from green and fresh to that of a dry and less digestible nature. It is important that this change should be gradual. One of the supplies which have been abundant this year, and which may be used to advantage in this gradual change, is second-rate apples, or those which are not smooth and fair enough for market or for the table, but which will be equally good for horses and cattle, sheep and swine. Instead of allowing them to rot under the trees they may be gathered and stored in heaps and protected till the approach of severe freezing weather with a thick coat of straw. They may be given in moderate quantities at first and afterwards increased according to the supply. Cows are sometimes fatally choked in their greediness to eat when they first have access to them, but the danger is small after they receive them regularly; but as they are easily sliced or chopped in two caution would indicate avoiding any danger. Horses are fond of apples, and a moderate ration does them good, as dry fodder takes the place of the more succulent. Turnips and carrots answer the same purpose. Since the introduction of ensilage animals fed on it suffer less from exclusively dry feed; but as many farmers do not open their silos until in January something to go between grass and ensilage is desirable. The farmer who keeps an eye to the proper feeding of his animals can use safely such materials as he possesses, if he keeps before him the chief necessity of avoiding sudden changes of food.

It is important in this connection, to provide comfortable quarters against the approaching cold; to secure stables and other places of shelter against cold currents of air, to give animals dry and clean places for eating and rest, and to be sure that they have pure water to drink. Provision for all these requisites must be made before winter closes up the opportunity.

In making all these provisions for winter, the requirements for spring feeding must not be overlooked. As soon as the first warm weather approaches, a gradual supply of succulent food should be given, and increased before turning to grass. We have found nothing better than parsneps. The great advantage of this over other root crops is that the roots may be left in the ground all winter, and in fact they are better for it. The crop is easily cultivated, its spreading leaves shade the ground and keep down weeds, and on rich soils it yields several hundred bushels to the acre. The roots may be plowed and pulled out in spring as required for feeding at intervals from the time the ground is thawed till the grass is a foot high.—*Country Gentleman.*

—In selecting a dairy cow pay some attention to the size of the udder and teats. Very small teats can not be easily grasped. A good milch cow has deep flanks, velvety skin and the milk veins prominent.—*Albany Journal.*

AN ARMLESS WOMAN'S FEATS.

Writing, Threading a Needle, and Feeding Herself With Her Toes.

"Now, let me show you what I can do. Please wait here in just a moment. Thread a needle." Of course I can see; and suiting the action to the word, Mrs. Thomson picked up a fine needle with the large and second toes of the right foot, held it rightly between the tips, and taking some yarn in her left foot, held the end in her mouth. In a small, smooth space on the wall she fastened the needle, and then, with a pencil held in her right foot, she wrote a few words, the more easily than a pencil held in the hand. Next she took a handkerchief, folded it, and, holding it with her right foot, wiped the pen with it. Then she held the pen with her right foot while with her left she gathered the threads with ease, and, commencing to sew as fast as any lady, sat the sitting room chairs with her soft hands. Her right eye giving her some trouble during this work, she deftly pushed back the spectacles which she wore, and with the second toe rubbed the eyelid. Then she leant forward and brushed back a few stray hairs from her forehead. Taking up the pen between the large and second toe of her left foot, and holding a slip of paper with her right toes, she wrote in a feminine hand, small and rather neat: "He that lends to all shows good will but little sense. Ann E. L. Thomson. Born without arms, December 23, 1869, Ga." This written, she put the pen down, took up a blotter with her left foot, placed it over the writing and dried the ink. Taking up a pair of large scissors with the large and third toe of the left foot, she cleverly cut out the portion of the paper on which she had written.

"Here comes my dinner. Now you can see me eat not that it's such a sight, but you may find it odd to see one eat with toes instead of fingers."

Mr. Thomson spread over a napkin on the platform, and placed on it the dinner of a person in good health. Mrs. Thomson turned around in her seat, took up a cup of tea in her foot, stirred it up with a spoon held in her right toes, and half leaning, half raising the cup to her lips, drank of the tea and placed the cup on the platform. Then she grasped a flat-handled silver knife in her left toes, caught a fork between the first two toes of her right foot, and cut some steak into pieces. Part of it was tough, but she had no more trouble in cutting it than an ordinary person would have. A piece of meat held on the fork was transferred to her mouth, and was followed by a piece of bread broken from a slice by her large and second toes.

As soon as she had finished this novel meal, Mrs. Thomson continued: "I forgot to tell you about my schooling. O, yes, I went to school. The pupils were kind, and I had a little raised platform for my use. I held my books in my toes, and read and studied as well as the rest of the girls. I held a slate in my right foot and the pencil between the toes of my left and managed to figure as well as anyone. My right limb is shorter than my left, and I learned to write with my left foot, as you have seen. I learned all that was taught in the common schools of Georgia before the war."—*Detroit Times.*

IRON ROADS.

Is It Likely That Our Roadways Will Ever Be Built of Metal?

The co-efficient of friction in the case of a cart or wagon on a very good road indeed is about one-thirtieth of the load—that is to say about seventy-four pounds to the ton; and the co-efficient of friction in the case of a railroad car is about 1-250th of the load—that is to say about eight pounds per ton. From which figures it is apparent that the advantages in traction on the smooth surface of an iron rail over those of the very best road that can possibly be constructed stand to one another as seventy-four to eight.

So far from the roads in the most of the American cities being the very best that can possibly be constructed they are notoriously bad and very rough in surface. And as the American wheel, with its lightness in structure and thinness of tire, is destructive of the best roadways that can be constructed in the ordinary way, the probabilities are that a lower co-efficient of friction than something very considerably above seventy-four pounds to the ton will never be reached on our roads and highways.

Under these circumstances it must have often suggested itself to many the feasibility of assimilating the case of the ordinary carts and carriages on the streets to that of the tramway cars. In the case of these latter friction is reduced to its lowest possible limit; but it is done at the expense of cutting up the streets terribly and injuring them greatly for ordinary traffic.

Although it would be out of the question to lay down lines of rails in the streets on which all carts and carriages could travel; yet there is one way out of the difficulty which must have often occurred to the minds of many as possible, namely, by constructing a roadway of one single rail, or, in other words, constructing it entirely of iron. We are not aware that this has ever been tried anywhere in a satisfactory manner, although we have an impression that cast-iron was, at one time, tried in a certain way in St. Louis. No doubt there would be some objections to it; but still we can not think of any, at the moment, which could not be equally urged against many of the approved road-making materials ordinarily in use. Iron would be hard indeed for the hoofs of horses; but then, nothing could be harder than granite, which is so much preferred.

Anything that would reduce the friction on our roads from about eighty, as it is at present, to eight pounds per ton would certainly be worth a trial, even if it entailed such a revolution as the setting up at our doorway of a veritable, Eisenbahn, or Chemin de Fer, or Via Ferri.—*Midland Industrial Gazette.*

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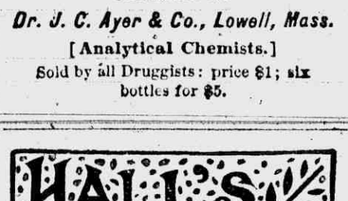

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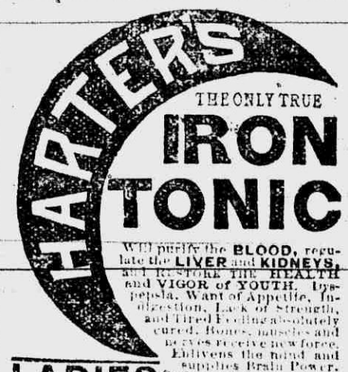

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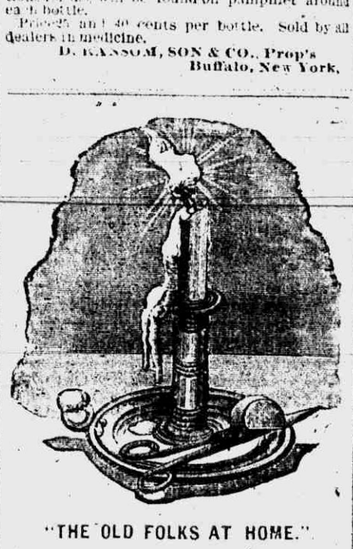

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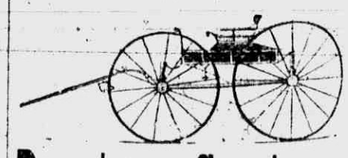

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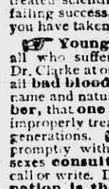

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GOING HOME.

How Great Things Grow Little in Our Sight as We Grow Older.

Reader, if you ever left home and went to a great city to seek fortune and fame, or lodging at police head quarters, then come home on a visit after a year or two, did you notice how low the houses once so tall in your eyes appeared?

When fifteen I went forth in the world and found myself at the end of the second day four hundred miles from home in a larger city than I had ever seen. I was soon familiar with its principal points of interest and only lack of funds with which to purchase postage stamps kept me from delaying my school-mates in Illinois with glowing accounts of my wonderful adventures and my bar-breadth escapes.

I remember the first time the fire department was called out after my advent in the city. It was before the extinguishing had become a profession as it is to-day, and the Tiffin department was a volunteer affair, which hauled the old "Seneca Chief" steamer by hand, and ran a hook-and-ladder truck and hand engine by the same motive power.

I was struck with the apparent inefficiency of the outfit, and yearned to right the numerous errors I thought I detected in reducing Penner's barn to ashes. If there is anything a boy with the accumulated wisdom of fifteen long and weary years rankling in his bosom, can detect better than another it is an error in some great enterprise like burning a house or barn, and he is not slow in righting the great wrong to the best of his ability. I thought the fellow that held the helm of the hook-and-ladder truck did not understand his business, so I walked up to him and seized one horn of the dilemma. I never exactly knew whether I fainted, suffered a stroke of paralysis or was kicked by a mule, but when I recovered from my temporary indisposition I was lying on my back in the mud, and one of my eyes had lost its cunning. It was in mourning nearly two weeks after that.

Ever since that occurrence, I have known more about the line of policy pursued by accomplished firemen than I ever knew before. I believe I learned about as much concerning fires on that occasion as I ever care to know, for I wandered around after rising from the scene of my downfall, until I collided with a somewhat persistent stream of water that the hoseman evidently thought useless for any purpose except to extinguish the ardor of over-smart boys. I have since observed that all well regulated fire departments have an engine for that express purpose. A fire has no charms for a first-class fireman, if there is a boy with ideas far in advance of his years in the crowd of bystanders. I have seen a whole department of firemen let thousands of dollars turn to ashes right in front of them, while engaged in dampening the irrepressible ardor of youth. In my opinion it is the duty of every city to pass ordinances prohibiting boys from running to fires, in order that firemen may have time to throw a little water on the fire.

With all my inexperience and advanced ideas, I survived the shocks and rebuffs of an unappreciative world and was spared to return to my home, restoring light, life and comfort to the languishing household. When the train pulled into my father's post-office address—that is about all there was of my native village—I was surprised at the lowness of the two-story brick house that constituted its business district. I had though it the very impersonation of architectural altitude in the good old days, but on my return it seemed a very small affair.

So it was with the hopes of high position among my old school-mates, which I had banked seven or eight stories high before I came home. I found that all that remained of them was the basement, and instead of looking up to me, as I had fondly anticipated, they slapped me on the back in the old familiar way, and when I resented such familiarity they said I was stuck up—and they were right.—*Through Mail.*

CARRYING THE BANNER

One Way in Which Poor Men Earn Their Bread in a Large City.

"Do you want yer banner carried?" said an indigent fellow to the proprietor of a fifteen-cent eating-house on State Street yesterday.

"No, I've hired a man for the winter."

"I'll do it for grub," again remarked the fellow.

"No, don't want any one."

"What did he mean by 'carrying the banner?'" queried a reporter of the proprietor.

"What did he mean, eh? 'Tis a long story, but I'll give it to you in a nutshell. Do you see that fellow coming up the street," pointing to a man with a bill of fare on his breast.

An answer in the affirmative was made.

"Well, that's carrying the banner. I hire those fellows for carrying my bill of fare, and I've found it to be a good method of advertising."

The reporter bade the proprietor adieu, and was soon in conversation with the banner-carrier. "It's a tough business, but I can't starve," said the latter. "It's the only work I can get to do, as I'm too old to go laboring. All I get is fifty cents a day an' my board, but there are five hundred fellows after the same job. I'm hired for the winter."

"Are there many in the profession?"

"There are over one hundred on the West Side carrying the banner, and they says they's paid well. On this side it is new, but the boys is catchin' on. After all, it's not bad: you get three square meals a day, and can lodge for ten cents; there's forty cents profit."

"Do you save it?"

"Never saved a cent in my life; fifteen years ago I had a hotel on Jackson Street, but the fire busted me. I'se 'specting to brace up soon an' get some good clothes. Then I'll travel."

"What's your name?"

"Slurk, sir; yes, Col'nel Slurk's my handle," and the banner-carrier, with a restaurant bill-of-fare hanging from his shoulders, passed on his way.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—John Wesley's copy of the Bible was in use at the recent Centenary Methodist Conference in Baltimore.

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An Extraordinary-Looking Village in the Wilds of Persia.

Our special correspondent with the Afghan Commission thus describes an extraordinary-looking village which he passed at the distance of one hundred miles from Teheran:

"We had not proceeded far on our way when vestiges of the former condition of things met our eyes. It was at a place only one hundred miles from Teheran that we first realized the dreadful state of danger in which the people had lived. We found a most remarkable village at which we encamped. Supposing no information could have been procured, and an archæologist had come upon it by accident, he would have had a profound puzzle to unravel and explain. The name of the village is Lasgird. The people ascribe an immense antiquity to it, and say that Lasgird, the last, a son of Noah, drew on the ground the "gird," or circle, which is the plan of the structure. The hero of this legend is not very familiar to Biblical scholars in the West, but he is not unknown in Afghanistan. The Colosseum at Rome, although an oval, would convey some idea of the general appearance of Lasgird, only it must be conceived as built of mud, which is almost the only building material of this country. It should also be recollected that the one belongs to a period of good architecture, of which it is a celebrated monument, while the other may be said to be entirely destitute of any pretensions of this kind.

"The rude mud walls are thick and solid all round at the base, and rise some thirty or forty feet, where there is a line of doors, with here and there a small window between them. By means of projecting beams, or branches of trees, over which smaller branches are laid, a kind of gallery is produced, bearing a strong resemblance to those simple forms of birds' nests which are formed of sticks placed on the upper branches of trees. The wonder is how the eggs do not roll over, or that the chicks do not tumble down to destruction. So it is with the galleries of Lasgird—there is no protection on the edge, yet we saw women and children, sheep and goats upon them—a more frail and dangerous looking arrangement it would be hard to conceive. There are two tiers of houses all round, and in some places there appeared to be three. All had these galleries in front, either to communicate with the next house, or, as some did not communicate, they were only of use to come out upon to sit or work, or for the children to play upon; to us these places seemed the brink of destruction, while to the women and children it all appeared as safe and comfortable as if they had been monkeys. Of course there was no getting up to these galleries from the outside; that would have suited the Turkomans. The means of going up were all on the inside. In some cases there are rough steps of mud, and in others there are inclined planes, half ladder and half road, made in the same way as the galleries. These lead up to galleries communicating with the houses, which were an exact repetition of those on the outside, the only difference being that they were not so high up, and there were walls at places which did duty as a parapet, hence the certainty of falling over did not seem quite so great from the inside as on the outside. While looking at this strange structure from one of these upper galleries, an old woman, of at least seventy years of age, passed me, with a child stuck in some primitive way on her back; a few yards from me was one of these means of ascent, formed with sticks, with the remains of mud hanging to it. It would have done for fowls to go up to their roosts upon. She clambered up on this to the gallery above, but that was not her destination; her house was one up still, higher in a corner, and to reach it she had to crawl up on the edge of a crumbling mud wall, not above eighteen inches wide, on her left hand was a perpendicular descent, enough to make anyone dizzy, and death at the bottom of it if a fall should occur; although the other side there was only a few feet, if the old creature had slipped, the chances are that she would have rolled down, and fallen over the gallery with the baby on her back. The old lady went up very steadily, and reached her crow's nest in perfect safety. I could not help thinking that a few generations of this kind of thing would undo all our development, and that we would go back again to our original Simian condition.

"The dwellings of the people were all in the upper part of the great circle, and the center was filled up with strange moss structures, which are now falling to decay, as there is no longer any danger from the Turkomans. These places were for containing the grain of the village and for receiving the live stock of the villagers when a raid occurred. One of a number of wells was pointed out to us within a circle, and we were told that they had three or four which were always kept in good order, in the days of danger. There is only one entrance to this circle, and that is by a small entrance scarcely four feet in height, to which there is a stone door working with a pivot and socket similar to the ancient stone doors found in the Hauran and other parts of the Soudan. The stone door of Lasgird is a very rude one, being eight inches thick in some parts, and it tells its tale of the existence of great danger and the necessity for protection. Sir Peter Lansden had a long conversation with the Khet Khodah and some of the principal villagers, and it seemed that they not only ascribed the origin of Lasgird to the son of Noah, 'Nu,' as they called him, but they likened their strange dwelling place to the Ark. Extreme theologians, who identify the church with the Ark, say all who were in the Ark were saved, all without were destroyed. This was exactly the case with Lasgird. When a chupao took place all who got in were secure; all who were left outside became victims. A chronic state of war existed, and this fortified village was the result. The Government either could not, or would not, defend the people, and they had to take means for their own safety."—*London News.*

—Two small tart apples are a toothsome addition to the stuffing of a roast duck or goose.

A Possible Relic of De Soto.

The Tallahassee (Fla.) *Floridian* says: A few years ago, about two miles east of Tallahassee, was found a ponderous spur of unique and curious workmanship, the like of which has not been seen in modern times. The burr was one and a half inches in diameter, and the bar proportionately heavy. On either side of the rowel dangled small pendant bells, that gave forth a tinkling sound in response to each step of the wearer—doubtless some steel-clad and bonneted Marion of the long ago. Not many days since, while parties were plowing near the identical spot, a solid, and hapless mass was turned up, which, upon due examination, proved to be an iron stirrup of ancient pattern, as heavy and as massive as the spur spoken of first, and firmly imbedded in a thick coating of clay and rust. When this was removed, the stirrup was found to be in a remarkable good state of preservation. The sides represent two Ethiopian figures standing upon the foot-rest, leaning forward facing each other, while they support with outstretched arms what forms the top of the stirrup, or that part connected with the leather. So unlike are both these relics to anything known to the generations of this day and time, and, both being found so near the same place, it is not unreasonable to ascribe them to the same era and individual. Nor is the supposition at all improbable that one of the knightly followers of De Soto, lured on through this then unknown region and wilderness, like that dauntless son of Spain, by a thirst for the yellow heaps of gleaming gold that loomed up ahead of them in vain visions and heated fancies, here fell a victim to the tomahawk and scalping knife of the wronged and revengeful red; and no doubt, some one of the "Tallahassee Tribe," of which "Tiger Tail" claimed to be a descendant, boasted, as he displayed at his belt a yet bloody scalp, that he had "killed a pale-face."

The druggist who hesitates now is lost for the winter. He should sling together some sweet oil and liquorice and bring out his cough cure at once. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup does not pay him enough profit.

Japanese Life.

The Japanese is the cleanest of mankind. Cleanliness is, so to speak, more than godliness with him. Though he has no soap, he washes all over at least once a day—he worships but once a week. His candles are made of vegetable wax. He uses a cotton coverlet, well stuffed and padded, for bed covering and mattress. A sort of stereoscope case—made of wood—makes his pillow. He resorts to that, and so does his wife and daughters, that their carefully arranged hair may not be disturbed during sleep. No head-covering is used by the Japanese. No nation dresses the hair so tastefully. Usually it is with the men shaved in sections. They are coming now to wear it in European fashion. They are adopting all European customs.

On levee day I saw the reception at the Mikado's palace in Yeddo. Every one presented had to come in full dress. That dress does not become the Japanese figure. He looks awkward in it. His legs are too short. The tails of his claw-hammer coat drag on the ground, and the black dress trousers wrinkle up and get baggy around their feet. His European-fashioned clothes have been sent out ready-made from America or England, and in no case did I notice anything approaching to a good fit. Yet he smiled and looked very happy though he could not get his heels half way down his Wellington boots, and his hat was either too large or too small for his head. He always smiles and looks pleasant. Nothing can make him grumble, and he has not learned to swear. He is satisfied to be paid his due, and never asks for more. As a New York cabman he would be a veritable living curiosity.

Poison Ivy.

The poison ivy is very poisonous to some persons; they are poisoned by not touching it at all, or even, it is said, passing near it, while others may handle it without being affected by the contact in the least. The poisonous property of the plan is owing to a volatile acid; its effect is an acute inflammation of the skin, often accompanied by a great swelling. The effects remain sometimes for months before the poison is completely removed from the system. The usual remedies are cooling purgatives and an external application of lead water. An application of a solution of hops has been known to prove an effectual remedy when all other remedies failed. The plant has sometimes been mistaken for Virginia creeper, to which it bears no slight resemblance. The distinguishing feature is that the poison ivy has three leaflets, whereas the Virginia creeper's leaves have five leaflets. Persons have been poisoned by mistaking the poisonous for the harmless species. This plant is of the genus *rhus* or sumac. There is also an upright plant that is poisonous.

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War's dread alarms, carry terror to the hearts of peace-loving citizens, but it is safe to say that the number of lives annually sacrificed to liver complaint, in its various forms, greatly exceed those of the most destructive battles. George L. Martinez of Nicaragua, writes: "During my last visit to New York I was presented with half a dozen bottles of Mishler's Herb Bitters, and I cheerfully testify that less than two bottles cured me of liver complaint of five years' standing."

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Excruciating pains.
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"Relief"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last"
I was taken! "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain; their
Efforts were no good to me.
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"About your Hop Bitters!
And determined to try them."
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One!
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ESTATE OF PETER R. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 19th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter R. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cordelia M. Adams, administratrix of said estate, with the will annexed, alleging, among other things, that she has paid the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that all legacies mentioned in said will have been paid, except residuary legacies and certain legacies held in trust, and praying for the allowance of her first annual account, and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to and among the persons entitled thereto according to the provisions of said will.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heir-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. jan29

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 23d A. D. 1879 to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 26 A. D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 98 of mortgages on page 38, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 18th A. D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 104 of Mortgages on page 343 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A. D. 1885, at two o'clock p. m. of that day, at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest, as provided therein from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE,
Assignee.
jan30

ESTATE OF WM. H. POCKLINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 22d day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, of Francis C. Pocklington and Abraham Masten administrators of said estate, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred have been fully paid, and praying for the allowance of their final account, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned to the parties entitled thereto and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the 24th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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A CALL FROM AN OLD FRIEND.

Last Tuesday afternoon we were quite surprised when Capt. David Boyd, of Greeley, Colorado, dropped into the HERALD office. The Captain was a schoolmate of ours years ago, and will be remembered by many of our older citizens who admired his industry and enterprise in working his way through a High School and University course. He left Tecumseh fifteen years ago, and went to Greeley, Colorado, where he bought a farm and commenced at once "to grow up with the country." That he has succeeded in his undertaking is attested by a few facts which he stated in reply to our inquiries:

"I bought a small farm," said he, upon arriving at Greeley, near the then infant settlement, and a village lot. I have kept my residence in the village, but a few years ago I sold my farm and purchased a larger one six miles out, and now own a fine farm of 480 acres, the care of which keeps me busy. I have three children, all girls, the eldest of whom is a member of the present graduating class of the Greeley High school. The town is just about the size of Tecumseh, and we have a fine graded school there the full course of study being twelve years, the same as your school. Having a little leisure I concluded to visit my old home. I left Greeley about three weeks ago and went direct to New Orleans, where I spent a week very pleasantly at the Exposition. I then turned my face toward Michigan and arrived here last Saturday during the zero weather. I expect to remain here and in Macon during the present week, and shall start for home on Monday next."

The captain is enjoying excellent physical health, and seems but little older than when he left here. His old taste for literary pursuits clings to him still, and he finds time, aside from his farming, to gratify his inclination in this direction. He has served several years upon the School Board of Greeley and was largely instrumental in building up its graded school. Last year he was president of the State Teacher's Association of Colorado. During the last annual session held at Denver he delivered an address entitled "The Ethical Imagination," which was highly commended by the Denver press, and provoked a good deal of comment from teachers and theologians. The Captain has been circulating around among his Tecumseh friends for the past two days and will visit his brother, John Boyd in Macon, the latter part of the week.

A CONLEY REUNION.

A correspondent of the Pontiac Gazette writing from Troy, Oakland Co., gives an account of a family reunion at the home of Stephen G. Conley, in which Rev. C. E. Conley of this village participated.

On Tuesday last, January 13, our much respected neighbor, Stephen G. Conley and wife, was happily surprised. Early in the day their daughter, Mrs. Newel Daniells, of Livingston county, arrived at the old homestead, and suggested to her aged parents that they prepare their toilet, "for I have come to visit you." With not a little urging they acceded to her request. Soon his neighboring friends began to put in their appearance, with baskets loaded with rich delicacies. "What does all this mean?" inquired Mr. Conley. "I don't understand this, but nevertheless I am happy to see you all," soon thereafter, a son, the Rev. Chas. E. Conley and wife, arrived from Tecumseh, to the great delight of the parents. "Now I fully understand, and duly appreciate the entire arrangement," says Mr. Conley. "This is the 50th anniversary of my wedding day; I am indeed happy to see you all. Make yourselves at home." And you may rest assured we did so, and a more pleasant and agreeable afternoon, we have not enjoyed this many a day. The tables were soon arranged for dinner, literally loaded with the most tempting viands. The guests, to the number of 25 or 30, were soon seated at the tables, where they made the inner man glad. Stephen G. Conley was born in Canada, December 17, 1806, and while a small boy moved with his father to Jefferson county, New York. Married, January 10, 1835, to Miss Eliza A. Allen, who was born February 1818, in Montgomery county, New York. Mr. Conley and wife settled in Troy, Michigan, October 16, 1845, was a cooper by trade and worked at that business some ten years after settling in Michigan. In 1849 he bought a small farm, 27 acres, it being the S. part N. W. ¼ of section 15, where he has continued to reside to the present time. Mr. Conley has been a member of the M. E. church for the last 58 years, one of the pillars, strong and always in good standing.

AN INCIDENT OF THE REBELLION.

Mr. E. N. Pierce of Waverly, Mass., has sent us a copy of the Boston Daily Globe containing the following reminiscence of the war in which Capt. Amos P. Foster, now landlord of the Lilley House, figured as the leading character. We feel assured that it will be interesting to Capt. Foster's many friends in Tecumseh and hence we give space to the entire article:

"There was a gathering at the house of Mr. Elisha N. Pierce, of Waltham, last Wednesday evening, to welcome the new year, and the host, to entertain his guests, told an exceedingly interesting story. He said that while on a trip out West last summer he met, as clerk in the Lilley House, at Tecumseh, Mich., Captain Amos Foster, who had been all through the war and had earned the reputation as being one of the bravest officers in the navy. It was this meeting which recalled to him the following story.

It was in April, 1865, that I was attached to the Comodore Perry, under Captain Foster, lying on James river about one half a mile above the Dutch Gap canal. The lines surrounding Lee's army were being drawn tighter and closer and the final blow was about to be struck. On that morning it was my watch on deck. About 4 o'clock Captain Foster, who had been taking an hour's rest, came up from his cabin and asked me if I had heard any firing up the river during his absence. I told that I had not. He thought in silence a moment and said: "Mr. Pierce, I would not be surprised if the end of all this would come within the next twenty-four hours."—Scarcely had he spoken when a sheet of flame shot into the air, followed by a tremendous explosion.

"There," exclaimed the captain, "goes a rebel iron-clad." Two similar explosions followed immediately. After waiting further development Captain Foster ordered his gig away, and, going ashore, climbed to the top of the "Old Crow Nest" signal tower, from which an excellent view could be obtained for miles around. In about an hour the captain returned on board, and in a few minutes the flag-ship signaled the Perry, "Get under way. Take the lead to Richmond. Be very careful of torpedoes."

The old boat had borne the brunt of several severe fights, and that she was now going to clear the James river of torpedoes made the officers and crew hope that they would be the first to reach Richmond. The boatswain's whistle called all hands to weigh anchor, and in a very short time the Perry commenced to move up the river. Boats were sent out in advance. As the old ship made progress up the stream, a little chip was seen floating on the water. It was a torpedo float. The boat crews went to work cutting lines and wires until the infernal box was brought to the surface, then cut open and the contents spilled into the river. In this way fifty-one torpedoes were removed and the James opened to navigation.

On our way we saw large bodies of Confederate soldiers. On one occasion Captain Foster hailed them and found that they were remnants of the famous General Pickett's brigade. Touching at the bank we took them all on board and asked them where their guns were? One of them exclaimed "Damn the guns, we have had all the gunning we can stand." The prisoners were removed to Fort Brody. When the Perry reached Fort Darling she ran aground on obstructions placed across the river. Orders were given the chief-engineer to pay no attention to the engine bells, but to force the vessel forward and backward as hard as possible until she was worked off. There we were, work away, when the United States steamship Malvern, which was Admiral Porter's flag-ship, came up astern of us. We then learned for the first time that President Lincoln was on board, and had made his arrangements to accompany the fleet to Richmond. It being impossible for the admiral's vessel to go by us he determined to take the President to Richmond in his barge. The boat was lowered. The President and Admiral taking seats in the stern sheets, while Lieutenant Barnes, with a body guard of marines, followed in the Malvern's first cutter.

Between the Perry and the shore was a very narrow channel of deep water, and through which the admiral intended the boats to pass. The place however, was found too narrow to use the oars, and so, backing water a little, the crew pulled hard, thinking by the power thus obtained the boat would pass through. The admiral did not take into account the current, however, and those in the boat were surprised to find themselves drifting in the direction of the steamer's immense wheel. Just at this moment the engineer turned the lever, and in a moment the engines were churning up the sea to the alarm of the boat's crew.

The president shouted "Stop her" and the admiral followed suit. The uproar immediately reached the ears of Captain Foster, who with one bound reached the engine room hatch and shouted to the engineer to reverse. In a moment this was done and the boat was safe. When the barge had backed out of her perilous situation—the admiral, rising and blowing the water out of his mouth, called out: "Where is the captain of this vessel?"

"Here I am," said Captain Foster, leaning over the ship rail.

"Well, sir," said the admiral, indignantly, "when you back off from here don't you attempt to go to Richmond, but anchor down below and allow the other vessels to go up before you."

Without a moment's hesitation the captain, in his usual tone of voice, responded, "Aye-aye, sir," and in a moment more the boats went on. After working the engine for some time without avail the captain squeezed the three tugs, which he had used in clearing the river, through the channel. A large hawser was then attached to the Perry from each of the tugs and the captain gave the order that when he waved his handkerchief the tugs should go ahead at full speed. The handkerchief dropped, the tugs started, and the old Perry, putting on all steam, crashed through the obstructions, and in a moment more was floating on the broad stream. Continuing the journey under the full head of steam Richmond was reached, and the Commodore Perry was the first ship bearing national colors to drop anchor before the city. A few hours after the Malvern hove in sight and dropped anchor near us.

At evening the admiral, in company with the president, who had passed the afternoon in the rebel capital, returned on board his vessel, and the greatest ordeal of the whole campaign was now before Captain Foster, as he was obliged to go on board the flag-ship and report the presence of his vessel to the admiral. As he left in the gig his face looked a trifle paler than usual, but his great dark eyes showed determination to face the music like the man that he was. Going on board he was met by Fleet Captain Bruce, who whispered in his ear, "You'll get hell, old fellow, for coming up here." His presence was communicated to the "orderly" at the cabin door, who announced to the admiral that "Captain Foster had come aboard to report." He was accordingly asked into the cabin, where he saw the president and the admiral seated at a small center table. Saluting both, Captain Foster said: "Admiral, I have the honor to report the arrival of the United States steamship 'Commodore Perry, at Richmond."

The admiral, in a very stern voice, replied: "Captain Foster, I thought I told you not to come up to Richmond."

The captain answered: "Sir, I did not understand you so. I thought you told me that when I backed off not to attempt to come up here."

"Well," returned the admiral in the same stern voice, "what of it?"

In the same measured accents which characterized the whole conversation, the captain answered: "Sir, I did not back off, I ran her over bow first."

The admiral turned all shades of red, but before he could utter an accent "Old Abe" saw the joke, and laughingly arose and offered his heartiest congratulations to Captain Foster. The admiral immediately cooled off, and rising said: "Sir, you can now go on board of your vessel; I will see you concerning this matter in the morning." That was the last that ever came of it.

At this point the bells in the steeples struck out 1884 and welcomed 1885.

FRANKLIN AND TECUMSEH FARMER'S CLUB.

The meeting of the "Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club" held at the residence of Hamilton Hoag, on Wednesday eve., Jan. 21, was largely attended, and the following program was successfully carried out:

Music—Club.
Recitation—Maude Poucher.
Essay—Lena Van Ness.
Select Reading, The Newsboy's debt—Mrs. H Hoag.
Essay—Mrs. B. Hurry.

The question for discussion (Are farm wages in just proportion to prices of produce) was opened by Mr. H. Hoag, who took the ground that the wages which were paid for farm help last season were too high, thought farmers should control the matter of farm wages the same as those engaged in other business enterprises, and that there should be a reduction of 25 per cent next year from wages heretofore prevailing. Abner Wilson thought the high prices of labor prevailing for the last five or six years, was largely due to the large amount of rail roads which have been built in the last ten years in the United States, thought there would be a reduction in the next season of from 30 to 40 per cent in the price of farm wages. W. S. Osborn thought we should discriminate in favor of first-class help, some men would earn from ¼ to ½ more than others by working for their employer's interests. The question was discussed at some length by other members of the club, also by the ladies in relation to help in the house, with the general opinion that farm wages were altogether too high in proportion to the price of produce. Meeting adjourned to meet at the residence of Mr. W. S. Osborn, on Wednesday eve., Feb. 4, with the following program:

Music—
Recitation—Jennie Osborn.
Essay—Mrs. Bell Mathews
Rec.—Herbert Munger.
Select Reading—Mrs. Abner Wilson.
Question for discussion, The winter care and management of farm stock. To be opened by George Swarts.

H. WILSON, Sec'y.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

From the Adrian Record of Monday we clip the following.

At about half past six o'clock last night occurred a mysterious and deadly assault upon George Dwyer, the assistant operator at the Western Union telegraph office in this city. At six o'clock operator Putnam left for home, leaving Dwyer alone in the office. About half an hour afterward the messenger boy returning, found Dwyer on the floor in the back room of the office, faintly crying "take him off, take him off." Over his temples were two places where he had been struck with something heavy, his pockets were turned inside out, and as he lay convulsively twitching on the floor, he would say, "You didn't get my money, anyway." Four dollars and one cent were found, which from its condition was supposed to have been tightly clutched in his hand. It was not until after nine o'clock that Dwyer recovered consciousness enough to tell a connected story.

After Putnam left, Dwyer received a message, which he telephoned to the parties to whom it was sent. His story is that while turning from the telephone some one who had approached him from behind, struck him a heavy blow on the temple, stunning him, and that while in a dazed way, was trying to defend himself, the person grabbed him by the wrist and struck him once more and over the other temple. He remembered nothing more. On Saturday Dwyer had received his half month's pay from the company, but only had seven or eight dollars about him at six o'clock last evening.

The Legislature is taking a vacation this week to allow the Committees to visit the state institutions.

JOSHUA GUMBO'S SUBSCRIPTION.

There is no little business transaction which better illustrates a man's character, than the manner in which he pays his newspaper subscription.

John Jones, a well to do farmer, walks in, pulls out his weasel skin, asks for a receipt for the coming year, throws down a ten dollar bill to be changed, takes his change with a smiling countenance, remarks that wheat is outrageously low, but pork and beef even the thing up, leaves a local item or two and walks out.

Peter Smith, another farmer, comes in during the dinner hour and wants to trade a load of water soaked wood worth about one dollar, for two dollars which he is in arrears on the paper, consumes half an hour discussing the matter, thinks his wood is worth more than the paper anyway, and finally leaves with emphatic instructions how to stop it.

Lucius Brown, who is a man with a family, comes in with a business air, makes out a list of reading matter which comprises the HERALD, a New York illustrated paper, a Detroit weekly, two agricultural papers, a magazine for his wife, and a juvenile sheet for the children, and asks, "How much for the lot?" We give him the figures and he plunks down the cash. The trade is completed in five minutes and he goes on his way rejoicing over the fact that he will have plenty of reading matter during the year and that it is all paid for.

Yesterday afternoon Joshua and Jerusha Gumbo called to settle up their subscription account. As usually happens on these occasions the woman did most of the talking.

"We have come in," said Mrs. Gumbo, with a cracked voice and tearful countenance, "to look over and see how we stand. I take a pride in perusing good literature and always make it a point to keep some good newspaper in the house. It keeps the children quiet after supper to read the patent medicine cuts and divertisements, and the paper is so handy to cover up the bread pan over night. I like your paper exceedingly well with one exception. I like the story and the local news from all the towns round about, and the dog fights and runaways, and the lectures and Uncle Tom's Cabin shows, and the rink racket—Mr. Gumbo has become infected with the rink fever and says he is bound to learn how to roll on skates—and the beautiful inscriptions of the new houses that are erected—Mr. Gumbo and I intend to build an elegant mansion as soon as our financial liabilities will permit—and the visitors and parties, and the weddings and funerals—you have heart-rending obituary poetry sometimes which does my very soul good to shed tears over—but I decline in totum to devour the patent medicine notices. I am not a believer in patent medicines. I practice the system of hygiene in my family. If you would print them all on one page, I could skip that page, but they are all mixed in. I cannot peruse the ancedotes and the scientific extracts without stumbling over a lot of patent medicine notices, and sometimes I read half way through a nice ancedote and then discover to my disgust that its nothing but a patent medicine notice. If you wouldn't mix them in so, it would be all right, but you don't use any discretion about this matter. But I suppose you are paid for them and I can skip them, only don't mix them in with the anecdotes hereafter. I think you should make the patent medicine men pay enough for their patent notices so you could afford to sell the papers for fifty cents a year. What is the present hiatus of our account, sir?"

"You are three years in arrears, Mrs. Gumbo, which would be $4.50. Add $1.50 for a year's advance subscription and the total account is $6, which will carry you till the first of January."

"Jerusalem," said Joshua, unbuttoning his overcoat and taking off his cap and gloves, "six dollars for a newspaper? Why, hang it, what d'ye take me for? I aint no banker. Good heavens, that's more'n than the cost of a bar'l o' flour. How d'ye expect a man to live in these hard times, if you make him pay three years on a paper all in a lump? I'll law it. Why, hang it, haint you got no gratitude? Haint I read your paper for three years 'n loaned it out to the nabers? Haint I got you a dozen new names on Pochahontas alley? Haint I run down all the tother newspapers in this county of Lenawee and run your'n up? What in thunder d'ye run a paper for anyway? Why, hang it, if you didn't have no subscriptions you wouldn't have no advertisin.' I s'pose you want to charge half price for advertisin' and make it up out of old subscribers. This hull newspaper business is a fraud. Why, hang it, you haint got no business tact. If you sent out your papers free, your subscription list would keep growin'n growin 'n growin, and advertisin would keep comin' in 'n comin' in and rates would keep goin' up 'n goin' up, and your readers would grow happier 'n happier. Why, hang it, young man, you don't know nothin. I've got a bill of $8.00 agin' you for workin' up new names, and you can plank down the $2.00 balance or I'll slap a warrant to you. I've got through foolin'—No hifalutin' editor can impose on Joshua Gumbo. Why, hang it, Jerusha's bin waitin 'n waitin 'n waitin' for three hull weeks to get a piece 'o caliker to begin quiltin' with and now you want to rob me out 'o six dollars. I'll swar out an injunction. I'll petition the Common Council. I'll collect that $2.00, young man, or my name aint Joshua, you bet!"

As the fighting editor was not in, and as the literary editor had an obituary notice to write up for to-day's paper, our reporter, prevailed upon the Gumbos to call again next Saturday morning, when an effort will be made to close up a settlement.

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LOST.—On Chicago st., Jan. 26, a sheep-skin glove with buck-skin hand. Finder please leave at HERALD OFFICE.

NEW SEWING MACHINE for sale cheap at the HERALD OFFICE.

REPAIR SHOP.—I have opened a shop in the old Agricultural Shop opposite the Opera House, where I would be pleased to see all old customers, and as many new ones as may see fit to patronize me. Please bear in mind I make saw filing a specialty, and all those who have any saws that need gumming or filing, would do well to call on me before going elsewhere. All work warranted. Saws gummed, filed, and set for one dollar.

P. J. WELLINO.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Coryell & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be settled up by Coryell & Lawton, who assume all liabilities and collect all outstanding claims.

D. CORYELL,
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Mr. Smith will remain with the new firm, and will be ready to work at all those needing anything in their line.

BLISSFIELD, Jan. 20th, 1885.

COCKERELS FOR SALE.—I offer for sale a few choice Light Brahma Cockerels on Fletcher's yards, Belmont, Mass.

FRANK DAVIDSON.

LAND FOR SALE.—130 acres of good land on Sec. 21, Ridgeway. Will divide to suit purchasers. Easy terms of payment.

W. J. ANDREWS.

FOR SALE.—Two set of bobs astonishingly cheap at RICHART'S WAGON SHOP.

SPECIAL REQUEST.—We desire very much to balance all book accounts before Feb. 1st next, as at that time we open a new ledger. Now if we have accommodated you with credit, and you cannot pay us before Feb. 1st, will you please acknowledge the favor by giving us your note till you can, and oblige

SLAYTON & SON.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Brick house situated on Railroad street near M. & O. crossing. Enquire of A. RAYMOND.

SELL OR EXCHANGE.—One pair trucks. Will exchange for hay or grain. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

Isaac Wolcott is assisting Harry Lee at the Ben Farmer shoe store.

Mrs. Meever, of Ann Arbor, has been visiting at her mother's, Mrs. Wm. Tilton's, for a few days. On Tuesday evening last a number of Mrs. Cheever's old acquaintances paid their respects at Mrs. Tilton's residence and a happy evening was passed in recalling old reminiscences.

RINK RACKET.

"Every body skate."

Knapp's band will be at the rink this evening.

One of the best grand marches we have seen this winter was led by Walter Powers and Hannah Heesen Tuesday evening.

L. F. Wheeler invented the new program.

Manager Cash talks of putting in a new gallery at the south end of the rink in the spring and having fancy bicycle and skating exhibitions.

A large crowd attended the rink Tuesday evening, sleighing parties from Clinton and Franklin helping to swell the army of skaters.

The skating of Mr. A. Heywood, of Grand Rapids, was very much admired. He executes a great number of fancy movements and seems to be perfectly at home on rollers.

The orange race Tuesday evening was a decided success, and we think an improvement on the one last week. Of course accidents were expected, but when a young lady prefers to sit on the floor and pick up her orange, it is only a matter of taste. There were but few of such cases. Seven young ladies put their best foot on the mark, and at the word go made a grand rush for the oranges. All were splendid skaters and made good time, but Miss Rose Miller seemed to be the most expert and was the first one to get around, and also to get the largest number of oranges, she having seven. Miss Roland came next with six, and the rest of the ladies secured from three to five each.

THE BAND BENEFIT.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band are preparing an entertainment which will be given in about two weeks. It will consist of music and the two plays heretofore announced. The object is to raise funds to purchase some new instruments and music. We hope the boys will be well patronized. Below we give the cast of the two plays to be presented.

"TOO MUCH FOR GOOD NATURE."

Romeo Jafier Jenkins—in love and pleased with ruin. L. F. Wheeler.
Mr. Adolphus—who intends to have a good time, but nearly gets into a serious fix. Will Blood.
Mr. Spaulding—a mesmerist who has trouble in getting subjects. Walter Fowler.
Matilda J. Chummy—the object of Jenkins affections. Eva Clement.
Mrs. Chummy—who thinks Jenkins ought to be strangled. Stella Cleveland.
Mrs. Adolphus—who thinks her hubby is tricky. Irene Schreder.
Miss Precise—who sees and understands. Emma Conklin.
Betty—the pertinacious housemaid who seems bound to help Mr. Adolphus into a fix. Mrs. Ed. Hand.
Mrs. Jones—who will not have her daughter mesmerized if she knows it. Geddie Spaulding.
Mrs. Spaulding—a woman of animal organization and extraordinary bumps. Walter Heck.
Miss Belinda Ann Jones—willing to be mesmerized. Charlie Whittier.

"POOR PILLICODY."

Mr. Pillicody—afraid his wife's first husband will turn up alive. Mr. L. F. Wheeler.
Capt. O'Scuttle—whose appearance makes poor Pillicody want to shuffle off this mortal coil. Harry Tansley.
Mrs. Pillicody—glad to forget her first. Nellie Reynolds.
Mrs. O'Scuttle—jealous of the bluff old captain. Mrs. Ed. Hand.
Sarah Blunt—Pillicody's right bower; a little off on addition. Eva Clement.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 5, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Kies Bros. inventoried their clothing stock Monday and Tuesday.

Strong & McNair are taking an inventory of their stock this week.

Robert Pitchet, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was in town Monday and gave the Herald a call.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band will accompany manager Cash to the Lake Ridge rink next Monday night.

W. & S. W. Anderson have a new card in to-day's paper. Now is the time to make ready for spring and summer.

Geo. Tansley, Mr. J. S. Kinney's undertaker, went to Addison last week for the purpose of purchasing Eaton's furniture store. The trade will probably take place soon.

We have a new sewing machine at this office which we will sell cheap for cash—one quarter off. Any person wishing to buy a new sewing machine, will do well to call and examine it.

For people wishing to attend inauguration day at Washington, March 4th, the M. & O. railway will sell round trip ticket from all the principal stations commencing February 28th, 1885.

Hotel business seems to be booming. On looking over the register of the Lilley House last Monday, we found that 78 commercial men registered there last week besides 45 from city and country.

Mr. Jonathan Sprague, of Ann Arbor, Past Grand Master of the I. O. O. F., was in Tecumseh last Tuesday attending the lodge. He is introducing a revised digest of the Constitution and By-Laws.

Miss Sunderland, aged twenty, of Dundee, Mich., attempted suicide last Friday night because her father refused to permit her to attend the roller skating rink. She took an ounce of laudanum, and was with difficulty restored.

The senior class of the Tecumseh High School consists of seven members: Frank Hall, Will Hayden, Mabel Hayden, Rose Hendershot, Bert McNair, Lyster Dewey and Maggie Clarkson. The following have been chosen officers:

President—Frank Hall.
Vice Pres.—Rose Hendershot.
Secretary—Mabel Hayden.
Treasurer—Bert McNair.

"Yes," she said to her escort, as they glided around the rink, "I do love roller skating. When we are sailing around this way my soul seems to be floating toward heaven, and—" By some mistake in the program, at this point both her soles floated away toward heaven, while the rest of her smote the hard wood floor with a mighty smote.

Miss Mabel VanCamp, who will return to her home sometime during the present month, has been engaged to teach a number of musical aspirants in Adrian. No doubt she could be secured by her Tecumseh friends to teach a class here. With her great talents and thorough culture much benefit would accrue to the musically inclined among our young people by a course of lessons from her.

Last Friday afternoon just before dark a man was seen driving a team up the Lake Shore track towards the creek bridge. A section hand started in pursuit and overhauled him as he got to the bridge. He had driven through the cattle guard on the north side of Bidwell street and up the track to the bridge where the team stopped and refused to go further. The man's name was Wood and lives near Clinton. He had got bewildered and taken the wrong road.

A letter from O. H. Kellogg, who lives at Otsego Lake in this State, says: "We are said to be on the highest portion of land in Michigan, at an altitude of about 1,100 feet above the Saginaw Valley, and for that reason we have plenty of snow, more than any other county in Michigan. January has been a very cold month; the snow is about two and one-half feet deep, and mercury on the 28th, indicated forty below zero. How is that for an open winter?"

Commander S. P. Hosmer says the prospect is very favorable for the New Orleans excursion which he is engaged in working up. Only twenty-five more pledges are needed to insure it. Many ladies have handed in their names, and all who may wish to go can rely upon receiving first-class accommodations. Mr. Hosmer has secured quarters in New Orleans where board and lodging can be obtained for $1.50 per day. He recently wrote to the G. A. R. officials in the Crescent City making enquiries about board, etc., and in the letter of reply the writer says: The department Commander, Col. Wm. Roy, sends his best wishes and hopes your boys will come. He sends fraternal greeting to all G. A. R., and says the G. A. R. of the Gulf will try and entertain them all. Parties who wish to join the excursion should hand in their names to S. P. Hosmer without delay. It is expected now that the excursion will start about March 1st.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band were out serenading last Friday evening, and made excellent music.

A party of young folks to the number of twelve, took a sleigh ride to Springville last Monday evening, and enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Winnie Rogers.

Will Smallidge, James Curry, John Hibbard and M. M. Clark visited Dundee Lodge of Odd Fellows on Monday evening, at which time, the Dundee and Milan lodges were consolidated.

Geo. Kies had a telephone conversation with Bay City, Tuesday evening. He heard their talk distinctly, but they could not hear all he said. The message must have come via Jackson.

The Club Hop at Armory Hall was not the only party in town last Friday evening as many can testify to having a good time at the party given by Thos. Boyd at his residence west of the village.

The next entertainment of the Library Lecture Course will be given on Thursday evening of next week, Feb. 12th, by the Meigs-Underhill troupe. It will be the best entertainment yet given and we hope to see a crowded house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith of Chicago have been in town three or four days. They were called here on a sad errand, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Smith's father. It was a great satisfaction to her however, to be present during the last hours of his illness.

The young people of the M. E. Church have organized a lyceum and elected the following officers:

Pres.—Rev. G. W. Hudson.
1st. Vice Pres—Miss E. O. Skinner.
2d. " " —Ellsworth Russell.
Sec. & Treas—Hattie Montgomery.
Chaplain—Mrs. G. W. Hudson.

During a call at Clinton yesterday we met Dr. Cameron and learned from him that the interview with him as published in the News of the 22d, was grossly exaggerated and that he was misrepresented. Of course it would be unfair to hold a man responsible for words that he never uttered or for language which originated in the imaginative brain of a correspondent. We take the first opportunity after learning the facts, to make amends to Dr. Cameron for the allusions to him in our retort of last week, and to place him right before the public.

John Wilber is generally a peaceable citizen, but when he is full of hard cider and whiskey he is not near so peacable. He was in that condition last Tuesday afternoon when he went into Cheever's saloon, and immediately got into a row with a man from Dundee. Pool balls seemed to be his only weapon of offense and they were soon lying thick and fast in every part of the bar room, until every body was glad to seek safety in flight and he was soon "monarch of all he surveyed." He stepped out on the curb stone and invited any one to come in and take a drink—of pool balls—but no one seemed inclined to accept the invitation until Marshall Moir came when Wilber was gathered in and taken to the cooler to cool off.

Last Saturday 13 young people of Adrian, from the families of Cambarn, Tallman, Crittenden, Lewis, French and Teachout, determined to pay their respects to the Misses Rector at their home between Tecumseh and Clinton. They prevailed upon Mr. DeWitt Tallman to take them over in a big sleigh. The day was delightful and the sleighing good, and about five o'clock they arrived at Mr. Rector's. Mr. Tallman rounded the corner with the tooting of the horn and with a grand flourish equal to an old time stage driver. The Misses Rector gave them a cordial welcome, and Mrs. Rector proved equal to the occasion in providing refreshments.—With fun and frolic the evening passed quickly, and at ten o'clock, amid laughing good-byes and three cheers for the Rectors and a toot of the horn, the jolly party started homeward.

Progressive euchre is the latest fashionable game, and is springing into popularity about as fast as the roller skating craze. Below is appended a description of the game and its peculiar features:

"Progressive Euchre" is considerably in vogue now in the West as a means of evening entertainment. Here is the way it is played: In the game there are any number of people; but twenty-four who are equally divided: ladies and gentlemen give the best satisfaction. There are then six sets in all, four at each table. The table at the head of the room is the post of honor and the set seated there governs the play. When a game is finished a bell is rung at the first table: Then the two at each table who have won a game move to the next table ahead. This gives a constant change of parties and overcomes the old way of sitting at one table for an entire evening, unpleasant to some extent to those who wish to be sociable to all friends alike. The great object in progressive euchre is to reach the first table and there hold position by winning as long as possible. Although if one couple loses it moves to the foot, as in the old-fashioned spelling matches. The sport is said to be very exciting. A prize is sometimes awarded to the ones winning the most games.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Rev. St. John, of Clinton, on Saturday.

Grant Hanford is at home on a short visit. He expects to return to Chicago in a few days.

John Saxton, of Clare Co., has been in town a few days, having been called home by the death of his mother.

There was an old fashioned crowd in town last Saturday. The streets were overflowing and business was booming.

C. M. Minor & Son have taken the contract to build Zach. Snell's new house. Temple McClure & Co furnish the lumber.

Tecumseh is getting to be quite metropolitan. It has two brass bands now, and will soon have a second skating rink.

Thos. H. Cowley, of Dundee, has been spending a few days among his Tecumseh friends. He was the guest of Henry Brown last Sunday.

Adrian Times: "Rinkerlate is what the Tecumseh Herald calls it." Not quite. "Rinkulate" is the word. It is not found in Webster at present, but will be incorporated in the next edition.

Manager Sutton, of the Tecumseh Opera House, has decided to put in a new floor suitable for roller skating and establish a skating rink there. It would be a splendid room for skating purposes.

We are indebted to Mr. A. H. Ford for a copy of the proceedings of the 13th annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Association, held at Ionia, Jan. 22-25. The meeting was largely attended and very interesting.

The Free Methodists are holding a series of revival meetings at the Universalist church, which are well attended. They are conducted by Rev. J. A. Ferris, of Jackson, who is an experienced and successful revivalist.

A. P. Codington sold a fatted cow to Herning the other day, which was a six year old half blood Holstein. The carcass made prime beef. People who think Holsteins can not be well fattened should try a slice of the beef.

Mr. Clarkson and H. W. Stevens have favored us with a sample of Bohemian oats. From a careful examination of them through a magnifying glass, we should say that they would make excellent material to pack eggs in.

Clinton Local: We were informed by one of our neighbors that he had 50 bushels of pototoes deposited in a cellar in the village which had stood the weather up to Monday very well, but the cold snap of Monday made them fit timber for bullets.

The Babtist revival meetings are increasing in interest. They are in session each evening this week except Saturday, and will be continued next week. It is expected that Rev. Farmer, of Hudson, will assist the pastor during the coming week.

The Sunday School of St. John's church, Clinton, took a sleigh ride to Tecumseh last Saturday. There were several large sleigh loads of both old and young and they all enjoyed themselves splendidly. It was a beautiful afternoon for a sleighing party.

E. J. Hollister is selling seeds for Isaac F. Tillinghart, of La Plume, Pa. During his absence, the New Orleans excursion enterprise is left in the hands of S. P. Hosmer. We understand that only about twenty-five more pledges are needed to insure the excursion.

R. H. Armstrong has bought a talking machine.—Hudson Gazette. Would not a wife have answered as well and come cheaper?—Adrian Record.—Hardly. A talking machine can be shut off at pleasure, while a wife, like Tennyson's brook, runs on and on forever.

The Club Hop at Armory Hall last Friday evening was a success in a social point of view. Ollie Hunt furnished excellent music, and the participants voted it a most enjoyable party. The attendance, however, did not meet expectations and the committee had to make a voluntary assessment to defray the expenses.

Kyle & Haynes are moving into their new shop—the old Cummins' Carriage Factory—this week, and they will be all ready for business in their new quarters to-morrow. Persons who have been patronizing their shop will please make a note of their removal. With their enlarged facilities, they hope to largely increase their business, and it will be their aim to merit it.

The Orr Bros. are meeting with fine success in selling their Putz Pomade. The greatest trouble they find is the competition of bogus articles which are flooding the market. This polish is made only in Germany, and is imported. None is genuine without the name of Adalbert Vogt & Co., Berlin, Friedrichsburg on the cover. People who wish this polish are cautioned against counterfeits. A German lady who lives at Lake Ridge has used the original article in Germany and knows all about it. The Putz-Pomade is now sold by all the dealers in Tecumseh and the agents are having many calls for township and county rights. They intend to work it for all it is worth.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Mrs. Col. Eldredge goes to Washington this week.

The Bohemian oat men are making a raid on Hudson.

The Adrian Art Loan is to be opened to the public to day.

Morenci is agitating the project of building a new city hall.

A female book agent has been creating a sensation at Morenci.

The Society of Friends have taken steps to organize a church at Adrian.

The farmers up in Rome are investing quite liberally in Bohemian Oats.

The Hudson tub factory is preparing for a big business the coming season.

Chas. Draper, of Riga, has been held for trial at Toledo for circulating "the queer."

The Michigan Farmer prophecies that wheat will be one dollar a bushel before June.

A meeting was called at Hudson to organize a relief society, and two persons were present.

The Democratic state committee have called a convention to meet at Bay City on the 28th inst.

Blissfield boasts of the fact that not a business failure has occured in that town during the past year.

Blissfield people wait for the marshal to shovel the snow from their side walks, but the marshall don't shovel.

Clinton boasts of twenty widows. Some are old and some young. Some are handsome and some homely. But most of them are well off and have a home large enough for two.

Ten magazine readers of Hudson have formed a syndicate, each member paying $5.00 for one of the best monthlies or weeklies, and all having the privilege of reading the entire ten.

Congressman Eldredge, who is on the Washington Monument committee, is sending his friends a beautiful lithograph invitation to attend the dedication ceremonies on the 22d inst.

Hudson Gazette: An enterprising Hudson merchant anticipates things. He sold a couple of stoves to a brace of newly-married young men, and then presented each one with a rattle-box.

Adrian Press: Fairfield has thermometer thieves. Their meanness is about as low below zero as mercury can mark it. So thinks Jerry Ferguson whose heat marker suddenly disappeared lately when he was away from home.

Evening News: Allen P. May, the new manager of the Adrian roller rink, is organizing an "Adrian circuit" in southern Michigan and northern Ohio and Indiana, similar to the Princess circuit, recently established in central and northern Michigan.

Adrian Record: A party of 14 young people had a very pleasant sleigh ride Saturday. They started at two o'clock for the home of Mr. F. Rector beyond Tecumseh, arriving at half past four. At 7 o'clock they were furnished with a very welcome supper of oysters. The remainder of the evening was devoted to games. The party enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

Morenci Observer: We learn that Marshal William Follett finally received last Saturday, the coveted appointment of deputy sheriff in this part of the country. His first official act, upon being sworn in, was to proceed north in search of Morenci's late "detective," "Bill" Miller, who left his wife and left with another man's "female" some weeks since.

One of our merchants bought 30 eggs from a woman and got 2 for 1c. which would make 15 cents. He bought 30 eggs from another lady and got 3 for a cent, which would make 10 cents, or a total of 25 cents for 60 eggs. They put the eggs together, counting 2 for 1 cent and 3 for 1 cent, which would make 5 for 2 cents, which would make the 60 eggs cost 24 cents. What became of the 1 cent? Let some one answer.—Ex.

Adrian Press: Hudson school boys are too sharp for the pedagogues. One day last week the rooms didn't get warm. The boys in the back part of the house complained of freezing cold floors, and the thermometer showed a freezing temperature. School was dismissed, and the boys went off sliding down Piety hill, or skating on Sobriety pond, and were warm as toast, and when the master came to investigate he found a chunk of ice had been put on the bulb of the thermometer. That school room will be warm enough hereafter.

Hudson Gazette: They have watchmakers and tinkers four at Addison; also doctors, lawyers, editors, bankers, dentists and what not, but nary a photographer has dared to plant himself in that thriving village. During the building of the railroad, no doubt, the outside world got the impression that Addison was full of hard cases, and in consequence no man wanted to trust his camera before such toughs. However, we can assure them to the contrary. No better-looking fellows can be found than Fred Curtis, John Stewart, Dr. Bullen, Editor Marvin, Dr. Hyde and Hank Terpening, and every one of them A 1 business men, too.

The leading question in Clinton this week is: Who struck Billy Patterson?

Mrs. N. M. Sutton stopped at Newton, Iowa, last week to visit E. H. Hoag and family on her trip to California.

The following dispatch was received at midnight last night over the M. & O. Cold wave coming, temperature will fall from 14 to 20 degrees in next 24 to 36 hours.

The Lenawee Co. Grange will hol its annual meeting for the election o officers, &c., at Workingmen's Hall in the city of Adrian, on Thursday the 12th day February at 10 A. M.

Mr. E. A. Tribou, the assignee of Woolston Comfort, has completed a schedule of the assets and liabilities of the concern, and it makes a very favorable sho wing. If the real estate can be sold for what it is worth, the creditors will fare much better than usual in such cases.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Sim Smith is hauling timber from Newburg to his place at Onsted for the purpose of building a house.

With the mercury down to 20 degrees below zero it is a cold time for young doves, but Ben Dove, of Newburg has one nevertheless. It is a boy.

A company assembled at Ambrose Welch's last Friday to visit, eat oysters, etc.

Two and a-half to three cents rather low to sell for sheep, and not many are selling at those prices, preferring to hold later.

Mrs. D. B. Thompson, of Ann Arbor, is visiting at Horatio Keyser's this week.

The annual meeting of the company was held last Monday and the following officers were elected: President, R. B. House; vice president, O. P. Bills; secretary, L. G. North, treasurer, W. B. Keyser, general manager, R. J. W. Bowen. The company now has 15 miles of line and 19 instruments. The company has built in the past year five miles of new line, and the total number of shares now sold is 66, at $10 each. It paid a specific tax of $10 65 the past year to the state. Probably in the spring it will be extended east to Ridgeway, and west to Sand Lake, as it is now within two miles of the lake. The rate of ten cents for each message was raised to twenty cents.

A CARD.

To the kind friends who aided us by word and deed and shed their tears of sympathy with us at our father's funeral, we tender our heart-felt thanks.

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The children of Dorinda Saxton desire to express their thanks to the many friends who kindly extended their aid and sympathy during the last illness and funeral obsequies of their mother.

Emigrant Rates Cheaper than Ever. For the present I will sell steerage tickets, good from Ireland, England and Scotland to Tecumseh, Mich., for $16.35. Now is the time to send for your friends. These low rates can not last long. H. L. JONES.

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How Women Who Live Away From the Centers of Fashion are Able to Cut Their Garments as Stylishly as Those in the Big Cities.

One often hears of the severe fashions of "the olden times" of plain skirts and bodices, fine in material for simply constructed, even for "the Sunday best," and yet one can but wonder at astonishment to see the contrast a few years have brought about. Wondering how the great transformation had taken place, a reporter called on a large fashion-bureau to learn the cause. Having stated his object he was conducted to a room of neatly clad, well-mannered young ladies, each occupied with a number of pretty girls, all apparently engaged in cutting and fitting paper.

"What, ladies, do you make these patterns for?" he inquired of the nearest one, who was busily cutting out a pattern.

"Why, sir, we make them for dressmakers who are able to afford dressmakers bills, and who want to keep up with the fashions, but are at a loss to know what to do. The inventive genius of man came to the rescue with paper patterns. The idea gave rise to a large business, which was taken up by a few companies, generally in connection with the sale of sewing-machines, the latter furnishing the advertising power and the latter the two departments. Since then several houses have started independently, and one large firm has even given up the machine department, paper patterns having absorbed all the capital, time, and attention of the company."

"Will you tell me how the patterns are made?"

"When a design has been submitted—designs or styles is a profession by itself—either made up from paper or shown from a French drawing or plate, and has been approved, competent artists imitate the design in cheap muslin, simply basting the parts together, yet being exceedingly careful to obtain a perfect and well-fitting model from which the pattern may be copied. These models, to insure a suit and stylish fit, are fitted to a live model, who wears the ghostly dress till every plait is properly adjusted and the garment made to correspond exactly with the original design. The cloth model is then sent to the description-writer, who carefully rips it apart, at the same time marking each portion that it may be exactly replaced from the directions she writes to accompany each pattern. Next comes the grader, who takes the dissected garment and sets an exact pattern of each part, putting in all the notches and perforations as marked upon the cloth by the description-writer. The latter by this time has sent the directions to the printer, who is fast making ready the envelopes to hold the pattern when completed."

"How are they made to fit different persons?"

"The grader, who has a system of measurement known only to the profession, prepares separate patterns or duplicates of the garment properly enlarged or diminished to suit both great and small. He sends these pasteboard patterns of the different sizes to the cutters, who stand before large tables with immense sheets of tissue paper in layers of fifty spread before them. The pattern is then marked upon them and cut with large shears, and then is handed to girls, who with trained fingers rapidly fold and place them in the envelopes now in waiting.

"Much art work is required in an establishment of this kind, as the cloth model, after fitting, has to be sketched by skillful artists, who are to bring out in the most graceful manner the curves, folds, and various novelties represented in the fashion, to make as acceptable a wood-cut as possible to use in the illustrated catalogue, upon the envelopes and other advertising mediums. Most houses issue a fashion paper, a few spicy and catching notes from the outer world helping the circulation of what without these would be a pure advertising sheet."

"Are these patterns much sought after?"

"Over a million of patterns are sold yearly by one house, agencies being established all over the world, though it is conceded that the most substantial orders are from the growing West and from towns where the facilities for obtaining reliable styles are few and feeble. A love of being a la mode lies either latent or expressed in the heart of every woman, and to the favored one living in the city a walk down the leading street or avenue brings to the mind of both young and old some new idea of dress, with which the country girl can only be blessed by the advent of a city visitor or by the fashion papers brought by the kindly mails. These papers are eagerly waited for and grasped on their arrival. Each new styles is conned and criticised, and the want of the heart filled and happiness made complete by the knowledge that a few cents will bring the requisite pattern and full directions for the making of the garment desired."

"How many new styles are brought out a month?"

"From fifteen to sixty new styles are manufactured monthly, and these sometimes form a nucleus for a two hundred-page magazine partially made up of styles, articles on art decoration, practical housekeeping, etc., forming still another solid medium for farther circulation of the styles manufactured. Twice a year styles are "killed" in order to keep the stock reduced to the proper number. The undesirable fashions are easily detected on examining the orders, which reveal sometimes a fickle and changeable public taste. A stroll through an establishment like this, described is interesting as illustrating a manufacture well repaying the happy inventor of the discoverer of a want long felt and supplied with the little oblong envelopes containing the mysterious angles, curves, and curious shapes of brown tissue, dotted and notched, called paper patterns."—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

—The Buffalo *Commercial* comes to the rescue of the Niagara Falls hackmen, and declares that "unless a visitor is a fool he can easily bargain with a courteous, intelligent driver for a ride upon the most favorable terms."

—Roses killed in the garden by cold weather come again on the cheeks of the dear girls who are wise enough to stomp and walk in the open air.

ADVICE TO A YOUNG MAN.

Some Serious Words from a Man Who Usually Writes Very Funny Articles.

I turn over the leaves of an old note book, the pages of which I filled half a score of years ago. On one page I find this note.

"My [illegible] and [illegible] with crowds of people [illegible] to the [illegible] book where I read [illegible] and [illegible] and the [illegible]

And now which page do you turn to this page in the note book, do you know, my boy, how glad I am that I wrote down the words I did? There was no shadow of fear or dread over my little home then. There was no reason why I should feel so tenderly toward the heavy and dusty that stained and wrinkled my pages, and ever kept me from using them for a week at a time, was there? And indeed there was. Indeed there was. Be kind to your books, my boy. Because your books, my son, though you crowd the literary treasures of the world upon your shelves, can never creep into your heart as your wife will, some day, when you find the girl whom the gods have designed shall crown your home. Because we can all always hold the hearts that love us dearer than the petty annoyances of this life. Because the hasty word you speak in [illegible] or impatience may rankle and sting in your heart to rankle for a century ago. Because [illegible] if I could, I would have my [illegible] in all the world just to [illegible] hands that all the [illegible] where I said, [illegible] assent my mind for [illegible]. Hold your tongue and your pen, my boy. Every time you are tempted to say an ugly word, or write an unkind line, just stop [illegible] and twenty years, and think how it may come back to you then.

Let me tell you how I write mean letters and bitter editorials, my boy. Some time, when a man has pitched into me and "cut me up rough" and I want to pulverize him, and wear his gory scalp at my girdle and hang his hide on my fence, I write the letter or editorial that is to do the business. I write something that will drive sleep from his eyes and peace from his soul for six weeks. O, I do hold him over a slow fire and roast him. Gall and wormwood drip from my blistering pen. Then, I don't mail the letter and I don't print the editorial. There's always plenty of time to crucify a man. The vilest criminal is entitled to a little reprieve. I put the manuscript away in a drawer. Next day I look at it. The ink is cold. I read it over and say, "I don't know about this. There's a good deal of bludgeon and bowie knife journalism in that. I'll hold it over a day longer." The next day I read it again. I laugh, and say "Pshaw," and I can feel my cheeks getting a little hot. The fact is I am ashamed that I ever wrote it, and hope that nobody has seen it, and I have half forgotten the article or letter that filled my soul with rage. I haven't been hurt. I haven't hurt anybody, and the world goes right along, making twenty-four hours a day as usual, and I am all the happier. Try it, my boy. Put off your bitter remarks until to-morrow. Then when you try to say them deliberately you'll find that you have forgotten them, and ten years later, ah, how glad you will be that you did. Be good-natured, my boy. Be loving and gentle with the world, and you'll be amazed to see how dearly and tenderly the worried, tried, vexed, harassed old world loves you.—*Robt. J. Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.*

HE STOPPED THE CAR

The Young Man Who Took a Ridiculous Method of Winning a Bet.

The car was going down French's hill, and there were a few jovial passengers aboard. At Prospect street a lady got out. A young man, who, with a few of his friends, were having a bit of quiet fun and had evidently been enjoying themselves, said: "I'll bet cigars for the crowd that I'll stop the car without ringing the bell, speaking to the driver or conductor or asking anyone to stop it."

"O, you'll go outside and slap hold of the brake. You're too smart, you are," remarked one of his companions, smilingly. "You'll cut yourself if you don't mind."

"No, siree. I'll do no such thing. I'll neither touch the brake, nor ask anyone to touch it for me, and I won't ask anybody to stop the car."

The bet was taken.

Up jumped the car-stopper, and seizing one of the straps tugged at it as hard as he could.

The conductor saw him, and concluded that the man was a greenhorn who wanted to get out and was yanking at the wrong tag. He stopped the car and threw open the door.

The man had sat down again.

"Don't you want to get out here?" said the conductor.

"O, dear, no."

"Then why did you pull the strap?"

"I was [illegible] it was firm enough to [illegible] if I happened to come long in the car some night, when I couldn't get a seat."

The door slammed, and the conductor said something as he leaned against the rear brake. It was something not very complimentary to such learned fooling.

But the man had won his bet. He had stopped the car.—*Pittsburgh Advance.*

—A director of a journal American is struck of apoplexy some instants before his paper goes to come out. His family talks to summon a medicine to make him live two hours or more. The moribund, with calm: "Two hours or more! It would be the journal of evening that would have the freshness of the news. Never!" And he is dead himself, heroically.—*Paris Gaulois.*

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Tarvell	6 46 "	2 41 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 14 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Clayton	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Adrian	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	8 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 38 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Adrian	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Clayton	11 12 "	8 52 "	7 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Tarvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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Butler	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Ligonier	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Wolcott	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Lakeville	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Montpelier	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Pioneer	3 22	9 16	3 38	
Hicksville	3 34	9 28	3 50	
Florence	3 46	9 40	4 01	
North Florence	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Seneca	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Sand Creek	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Ar	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Adrian, Lv	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Raisin Center	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Holloway	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Britton	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Clones	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Milan	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Whittaker	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Willis	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Belleville	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Romulus	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Wayne Jand	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
Delrey	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15
DETROIT				

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Wayne Jand	5 54	9 55	3 53	[illegible]
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Clones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Wooddon		12 10	6 05	12 14
Winkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Lakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
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8 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
8 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 16	4 48
8 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
8 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
8 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
9 00	8 00	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
9 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
9 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
9 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
9 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
9 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
9 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
9 51	9 09	.....Norvell.....	7 59	3 17
9 58	9 22	.....Franklin.....	7 52	3 10
10 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
10 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
10 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
10 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
10 50	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
A. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
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	5 15	10 10	A....Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 00	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 04	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Opsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	P. M.
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6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 48
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 33
6 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 21
6 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 03
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 35	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 35
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 29
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 12
8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 55
8 24		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 47
8 33		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 37
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 25
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9 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		2 05
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		1 20
11 35		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		
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ARABIAN SUPERSTITIONS.

A Glimpse at the Folk-lore of the Mohammedans.

Among the many cruel and superstitious customs practiced by the ancient Arabs, and one to which Mahomet effectively put a stop, was that of burying their female children alive, which was apparently most often done to avoid the expense of their maintenance, though sometimes from a mistaken idea of sparing them a life of trouble or disgrace. The following proverbs: "An excellent son-in-law is the grave," and "To bury daughters is an act of mercy," sufficiently indicate the Arab feeling on this point; and even to the present day a Bedawi, if asked how many children he has, replies by only enumerating his sons, for, as a Sinai Arab once said to the writer, in their eyes—El Benat battelch—"Daughters are good for nothing." A terrible story is told of Kais ibn Asim, a chief of the tribe of Taim, who, finding that one of his daughters had been saved at birth and brought up in another family unknown to him, got possession of her and buried her alive. They relate that the only tears that this man was ever known to shed was when he kissed his little daughter before consigning her to her living tomb and she brushed the grave dust off his beard.

THE KING AND THE MADMAN.

A certain King went to visit a madhouse and found there an intelligent-looking youth, who, after replying sensibly to a number of questions put to him by the sovereign; at length addressed the latter, saying: "You have asked me many things; I will now ask you one. At what period does a sleeper enjoy his sleep most?" The King reflected awhile and said: "While he is actually sleeping." "That can not be," said the madman, "for he has no perception while asleep." "Then; before he goes to sleep," said the King. "How can one enjoy anything," said the madman, "before it comes?" "Then," said the King, "after he has been asleep." "Nay," said the madman, "a man can not be said to enjoy a thing that has passed away." So pleased was the King with the other's wit that he determined to make a companion of him, had a table set out in front of the window of the madhouse, and bade his attendants hand a cup of wine to himself and one to his mad friend. "You drink your cup," said the latter, "that you may become like me; but if I drink mine, whom shall I be like?" The King, on hearing this speech, threw away the cup, and remained a total abstainer for evermore.

A CUNNING FOX.

Two travelers had halted in the desert, and had just killed a couple of fowls for their dinner. Before they could dress the birds the hour of prayer arrived, and they turned like good Moslems, to their devotions. A fox, who had been skulking in the neighborhood, seeing them thus engaged, came boldly up and carried off one of the fowls before their eyes. Prayers over, they began lamenting their loss, when, to their amazement, they beheld the thief at a little distance, dragging his tail submissively behind him, and holding the fowl in his mouth. He then deposited it on the ground and slunk away, with every sign of repentance and contrition. They at once hailed the occurrence as a miraculous testimony to their own piety, and ran to pick up the fowl which had been strangely restored to them. On reaching the spot, however, they found that Reynard had only restored the skin with the feathers on, and in the meantime had slyly stolen around to their camp fire and made off with the remaining moiety of their dinner.—*Palmer's "Desert of the Exodus," p. 182.*

A QUICK-WITTED SHEPHERD.

"A certain shepherd had a dog of which he was very fond, and which having, to his great grief, died, was buried by him with every mark of affection and regret. The cadi of the village, whose ill-will the shepherd had in some way incurred, hearing of this, ordered him to be brought before him on the serious charge of profanity in having mocked the ceremonies of the Mohammedan religion and buried an unclean animal with sacred rites. On being asked what he had to say in his defense, the prisoner thus addressed the magistrate: 'If your reverence will be pleased to hear my story, you will, I am sure, excuse me. My dog's mother died when he was quite a puppy, and he was brought up by a she-goat of my flock, who adopted him. When she died in her turn she left him all her property, consisting of several fine young kids. Now, when my poor dog was taken ill and found himself at the point of death, I asked him what I should do with the kids which belonged to him, and he replied: "Give them to his reverence the cadi." I thought the animal so sensible for this that I gave him Moslem burial.' 'Quite right,' said his reverence. 'What else was the lamented deceased pleased to observe?'"

A CLEVER EPIGRAM.

Animals play an important part in the folk-lore of the Arabs as of other nations, and the Mantik ut tair, or "knowledge of the language of birds and beasts," is regarded as the greatest divine gift, and was expressly vouchsafed, according to the Koranic legend, to Solomon, the son of David. Apropos of this the Egyptian poet, Beha-eddin Zoheir, has written a clever epigram:

A foolish atheist whom I lately found
Alleged philosophy in his defense;
Said he: "The arguments I use are sound."
"Just so," said I, "all sound and little sense.

"You speak of matters far beyond your reach,
You're knocking at a closed up door," said I.
Said he: "You do not understand my speech,"
"I'm not King Solomon," was my reply.

—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Recent researches show that electioneering was carried on in ancient Pompeii very much as at the present day. Inscriptions have been found informing the public that "a vote for Lentulus is a vote for honest government," and asking all patriotic citizens to vote for "Balbus, the true friend of the people."

—One of the new engagement rings has a garnet heart on it.

MISCELLANEOUS.

—A Connecticut woman sent a feather cushion to endow a chair at Princeton College.

—The recent earthquake did a good thing at Rocky Glenn, Conn., where it had before that been impossible to reach water by digging wells. After the shock the wells filled and the supply has since been abundant.—*Hartford Post.*

—A Bostonian writes: "I cured myself of an annoying habit of stammering by inhaling a deep breath between every few words and by never allowing myself to speak unless the lungs were fully inflated. A little careful attention soon made the practice a habit, and now I never stammer unless much excited."

—Connecticut papers relate that in two instances at least in that State, during the recent campaign, young men applied for marriage licenses to Town Clerks whose heads were turned by politics, and were given first naturalization papers, the mistake not being discovered until bride and groom had presented themselves to the clergyman.

—A man started to ride home recently from San Jose, Cal. His road lay for miles through fields of pumpkins and squashes. The constant pumpkin panorama finally dethroned his reason, and he reached home a maniac, crying: "See the squashes! see the squashes!" He had to be straight-jacketed and sent to the asylum.—*San Francisco Call.*

—Lace is lavishly worn again, but in this century the demand for it is confined to woman, whereas in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries men, too, expended huge sums on ruffles and wristbands. In 1690 the expenditure of William III. for lace was $8,015; in 1694, nearly $10,000; in 1695, $12,000. Queen Anne also lavished money on Mechlin and Brussels.

—New York raises annually five bushels of Indian corn for each of her inhabitants, six and a half bushels of potatoes, over two bushels of wheat, a half bushel of rye, seven and a half bushels of oats and a ton of hay. She supplies each person with nearly two pounds of cheese and twenty-two pounds of butter annually, and a pint of milk every day in the year from her dairy herds.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The effect of cocoaine, the new anesthetic, upon the eye is to produce insensibility to pain. A drop is put on the eye-ball, and within a short time the surgeon is able to perform, without hurting the patient, what would otherwise be the most agonizing operation. The drug has been "cornered," and the small quantity in the country is held at $6,000 per pound.—*Chicago Journal.*

—The good people of Rochester, N. Y., were awakened out of their dreams one night recently by a sound which resembled that of the firing of a cannon. Rushing to the spot from whence the sound issued it was found that a barrel of cider had exploded, sending cider, staves and hoops in all directions and actually undermining one of the brick piers of the house under which the barrel of cider was situated.—*Buffalo Express.*

—It is much easier to be polite and neighborly than to fly into a passion when things do not suit you. Take this note as an instance, addressed by a lady to a neighbor:—"Dear Madame—Your children, who are numerous, and appear to be disorderly, no doubt deserve the frequent doggings you give them; but, as my nerves are weak, I write this to ask you if you can't do something to 'deaden' the sound—say strychnine!"—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—The territory of Russian Siberia, one and a half times as large as the United States, has belonged to Russia three centuries, yet of the 4,000,000 inhabitants nearly one-half are still pagans. Paganism is fostered by the home Government. The pagan priests are allowed to collect and burn the copies of the Bible with which the missionaries supply the converts, and no missionary may baptise without the authority of the pagan civil authorities, who are allowed to do almost anything to drive Christians from the country.

CONCERNING PATENTS.

Information on a Topic in Which Every Person in the Country is Interested.

The United States Patent Office, as a rule, rarely refuses a patent for any device that has not already been patented. Although the law provides that any device offered for patent should be new and useful, yet there are thousands of articles patented that are certainly not new, although the doubt of their usefulness may be waived. To procure a patent, an inventor, or one who claims to be an inventor, files a specification and drawing of his alleged invention, which he may possibly have copied from some old book or device long in use and presents these to the Examiners who pass upon it. A Patent Office Examiner is not necessarily an expert, for he is appointed more from political motives than from any other qualification, and as the fees of the office are the most considerable object the patent is granted as a matter of course. The consequence is that a deluge of worthless patents and a great many fraudulent ones are spread like a flood over the country, to the great inconvenience of the public. It is in this way that thousands of articles of domestic use and of use in agriculture are patented, notwithstanding that they have been in service for scores of years, and those persons who have been using them for a long time are threatened with claims for royalty, or suits at law to enforce payment if the claims are objected to. In such cases there is no help but to pay the small sums demanded, although in the aggregate these amount to millions of dollars every year. A patent costs, in all, about $60, and this is all the outlay required to give an unprincipled person the power to tax the public at his will. The patent system has been no doubt of incalculable value, but this irritating and injurious defect in it has grown to such proportions that the whole system is suffering in popular estimation. Probably a change will be effected very soon and relief will be afforded. In the meantime patience must be exercised, although it is hard to be patient with such an evil.—*New York Times.*

Visiting—Hired Girls.

Once on a time I went to spend the afternoon with a neighbor friend, and my visit turned out nothing but apologies, with now and then something said between. She said she had put off baking on account of some sewing she wanted to finish, and thought she would bake in the afternoon. She had to chase the hens and search the barn to get some eggs to bake a cake, as the day before she had sent all she had to market. And then all her wood was outdoors in the rain and snow, and was slow to burn; consequently the cake got sad before it was baked. Her knives and forks she had laid aside in the morning; they then had to be scoured, and then as soon as it got a little dusk she thought of her lamps which had to take its share, etc. But, farmer sisters, here let me say that if ever I am found in such a fix, I will make the best of it, and let visitors eat the same as I do, and try to visit one-half the time any way. I think the better way is to do all necessary work in the morning, and let sewing go until afternoon, as nine-tenths of the visiting people would rather have their chat and partake of a cup of good hot coffee, and plain bread and butter, than to have nick-nacks.

I always have thought that housewives needed help just as much as the men, and think so yet. Let a man get in a hurry and his first thought is, hire a man to help him out, and it is all right. And how many are the times that his worked-down wife is hurried and worried and no help ever thought of for her; and if she should speak of hiring a girl at two dollars, or one and a half a week, the man will say "This girl business counts up like Sam Hill." All this time he keeps his man week in and week out, costing him from five to six dollars a week, and only works from sun to sun, while a girl works from sun until ten at night.—*Gemma Bedot.*

It May Yet Be True.

When Jules Verne wrote his romance "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," he found it necessary to construct a cigar-shaped steamer that would travel under water while her crew could breathe with the same ease they could on land. If Mr. Verne had waited a few years he might, perhaps, have saved himself the trouble of inventing this submarine craft, as he might then have found it in actual operation. It is at present only proposed to apply a recent invention to a diver's helmet in the following manner: The apparatus, after having been fastened over the nose and mouth of the diver, when he wishes to breathe the air out of his lungs he does so in the ordinary way, and it goes down the tubes into the bottom of the front filter. It then filters through the caustic-charged sponge in front, and passing along an outlet at the top, is ducted over the diver's shoulder into the other case, through which it filters in the same way, and then, ascending into the helmet, mixes with the oxygen that has been let in from its store chamber, and is ready to be breathed again into the diver's lungs. Mr. Fleuss states that if he could only exist under the water, he could remain there for a whole day; as it is, he walked for a quarter of a mile under the sea at Ryde, and when at Brighton he went down during stormy weather into five fathoms of water. This being the case, it is a simple matter to apply the principle to the air-tight submarine ship. The devices for sinking it or for raising it to the surface of the water would be easily arranged, so we may soon have our enterprising excursion managers offering a trip along the bottom of the river to Lake Erie—single tickets, 50 cents; lady and gentleman's ticket, 75 cents.—*Detroit Free Press.*

How Chickens Get Out of Shells.

Take an egg out of a nest on which a hen has had her full time, carefully holding it to the ear; turning it around you will find the exact spot which the little fellow is picking on the inside of the shell; this he will do until the inside shell is perforated, and then the shell is forced outward as a small scale, leaving a hole. Now, if you will take one of the eggs in this condition from under the hen, remove it to the house or other suitable place, put it in a box or nest, keeping it warm and moist, as near the temperature of the hen as possible which may be done by laying it between two bottles of warm water upon some cotton or wool,) and lay a glass over the box or nest, then you can sit or stand, as most convenient, and witness the true *modus operandi.* Now watch the little fellow work his way into the world, and you will be amused and instructed as I have often been. After he has got his opening, he commences a nibbling motion with the point of the upper bill on the outside of the shell, always working to the right (if you have the large end of the egg from you, and the hole upward,) until he has worked his way almost around, say with one-half of an inch of in a perfect circle; he then forces the cap or butt end of the shell off, and then has a chance to straighten his neck, and thereby loosening his legs somewhat, and so, by their help forcing the body from the shell.—*American Farm Journal.*

The art of fermenting the Oporto Grape into wine in this country has been brought to a greater degree of perfection by Mr. Alfred Speer, of New Jersey, than by any other person. The Claret and Burgundy are very popular as dinner wines and the Port and Burgundy as evening wines as well as for the communion table and for invalids. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

Fourteen Wonders of the World.

The seven wonders of the world, in ancient times, were the pyramids of Egypt, the Pharos of Alexandria, the walls and hanging gardens of Babylon, the temple of Diana, the statue of the Olympic Jupiter, the Mausoleum of Artemesia, and the Colossus of Rhodes.

The seven wonders of the world in modern times are the printing press, the steam engine, the telegraph, the daguerreotype, the telephone, the phonograph, and the electric light.

The so-called "Seven Wonders" of the ancients were mere trifles compared with those of the present time. The Brooklyn bridge, for example, would make the hanging gardens of Babylon a mere toy, while the whole seven wonders put together would sink into insignificance could the builders have seen a lightning express train at full speed.

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In the summer and fall of 1876 when we had the heavy centennial travel, the constant jar brought on acute attacks nearly every week and I thought I should have to leave the road. But I kept at work until the next spring, when I grew so much worse that I could virtually eat nothing, and concluded that my labor and my life too, were about over.

Remember that I had tried every medicine I heard of, and had been treated by some of the best physicians in Taunton and Lowell. At this critical time Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was recommended to me. It was new to me, and with my experience of medicines you can easily forgive me for saying that I had not a particle of faith in it.

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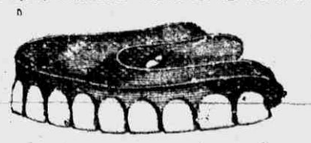

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CITY REPORT FOR JANUARY

Report accepted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts.

In the matter of cutting down locust trees in front of Mr. Van Pyne's residence in Brookville was left in the hands of the street committee.

H. Conley, then adjourned.

G. W. MARSTON,
Recorder Pro Tem.

ROBERT GARRETT.

Robert Garrett, the president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad is the son of the late J. W. Garrett who preceded him in the management of that great trunk line. The Baltimore and Ohio was built to draw the western trade to Baltimore. This trade was diverted from the Monumental City by the building of the great canals Philadelphia and New York were re- [illegible] the lion share of the trade. The first meeting to further the project was called in 1827 and the road was opened to Wheeling in 1853. The first stone was laid in 1828 by Charles Carroll one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. The house of Robert Garrett and sons was found ed in 1840 and was originally a wholesale grocery house. Here J. W. Garrett received his commercial education. When the Baltimore and Ohio had reached Wheeling its finances were in a deplorable condition. The house of Garrett and Sons bought largely of the bonds, which were offered at low rates. This marks the first [illegible] of the current family with the road. J. W. Garrett was made president of the road in 1858. Since then the stock has sold at the enormous price of $327.00 per share. The house of Garrett and Sons still exists as a banking establishment under the management of T. Harrison Garrett. Robert Garrett at the time of his election to the presidency of the road was twenty seven years of age. He is a graduate of Princeton college and has spent several years in Europe. He has made a special study of railroading and management. He [illegible] to the first vice presidency and during the illness that terminated in the death of his father was practically at the head of the great corporation. The Baltimore and Ohio has extensive western connections and is continually extending its lines. The stock is held by private persons and it is extremely rare that any of it is offered for sale. The Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph Co. the only rival to the Western Union is a corporation of Robert Garrett. He is interested in a number of banks and other financial institutions. He is a robust physique which enables him to perform the jerks one duties of his office without physical injury to himself.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for week ending January 23, 1885.

Estate of Chas. F. W. [illegible] deceased. Letters of administration issued for support of widow and family order for allowance.

Estate of Chas. A. Giles et al., minors, guardian files petition for license to sell real estate hearing Feb. 24.

Estate of William F. Pierce deceased bond filed letters of administration with will annexed issued order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Hebert E. Williams deceased all basis of publishing and posting commissioners notices, commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of William H. Pocklington deceased petition for allowance of executrix final account hearing Feb. 24.

Estate of Viola Helme, minor ward guardian filed, order of discharge.

In the matter of Edward Kelley, a defendant and neglected child application for a mittance to the state public school testimony taken; order for a trial on.

Estate of Peter Y. Mercereau, deceased will and inventory filed.

Estate of Eliza Sethriny, deceased administrator's final account allowed, of assignment distribution.

Estate of Anna H. Waterbury, deceased petition for allowance of administrators final account hearing February 24.

Estate of Tompkins D. Jermain, deceased affidavit of publication and administrators appointed bond filed letters issued appointment of commissioners and appraisers petition for allowance for support of widow and family order of an allowance.

Estate of Cornelius B. Sutton, deceased affidavit of publication [illegible]

Estate of Douglas D. Jermain, deceased petition for guardian order [illegible] bond [illegible]

Estate of Austin N. Nichols, deceased affidavit of publication executor's bond account allowed.

Estate of Wm. T. B. Schenck, deceased affidavit of publication, administrators appointed, bond filed letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Solomon Smith, deceased affidavit of publishing and posting notices commission commissioners notices commission warrant and report filed.

Estate of Jacob Boyer, deceased petition for proof of will hearing February 24.

Estate of Michael Klein, deceased petition for appointment of administrator hearing February 24.

Estate of Levi Cross, deceased, affidavit of publication executor's account allowed.

Estate of Marcus M. Cross, an insane person, affidavit of publication, guardian's annual account allowed.

LETTER LIST.

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DIED.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Wheat	[illegible]
Corn	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Potatoes	[illegible]
Butter	[illegible]
Eggs	[illegible]
Lard	[illegible]
Tallow	[illegible]
Hay	[illegible]
Wood	[illegible]

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

[illegible]

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

Finance—Deferred later in the session.

REPORT OF OFFICERS

Street Commissioner filed his report in writing for the month of January. Report accepted and adopted and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committee.

PUTZ-POMADE!

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TESTIMONIALS

Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 12, 1885.

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Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 12, 1885.

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F. J. WELTING, Gold & Silver Plater.

Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 12, 1885.

ORR BROS.—Have used your Putz-Pomade to good advantage.

Respectfully, Enoch & Hosier, Jewelers.

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GEO. E. APPLETON, Jeweler.

Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 9, 1885.

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A. ANDERSON & SONS, Grocers.

Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 12, 1885.

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Respectfully, W. & S. W. ANDERSON & CO., Dry Goods and Carpets.

Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 29, 1885.

Having used the Putz-Pomade in polishing and polishing metal fittings on harness, I can honestly recommend it as the best article for the purpose I have ever used.

CHAS. RIDDELL, Ex-Sheriff.

TECUMSEH, Mich., Jan. 12, 1885.

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John Kelley—"Best ever used."

Fred Eaton—"The best polish we ever used."

V. O. Fox—"Stainless polish for [illegible]"

Chas. Hummel—"Best I have tried."

[illegible] Mrs. Ex-Mayor Goodale, Ex-Ald. Chas. Geo. H. Wicks, Ex-Mayor Goodale, Ex-Ald. Chas. Geo. H. Allis, Ex-Mayor Rice, Ex-Ald. S. Hollis, Mrs. Dr. Allis, Ex-Mayor Rice

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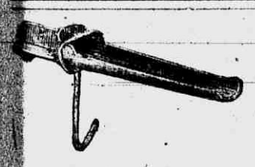

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Richard Jones, formerly a Clinton boy, now a builder of skating rinks in Canada, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Powell.

The Episcopal social will be held at the residence of Jos. St. John, Thursday evening, Feb. 12. This will be the last social before Lent and it is hoped it will be well attended.

The supper given by the Congregational ladies last week was excellent, but not as well patronized as it should have been. Many were disappointed in the lecture given by Prof. Mc Louth. He had a fair audience but did not seem to be in the right mood for lecturing.

Miss Florence Rich has gone to Jackson where she has obtained a position as book keeper.

Albert Nimocks, of Newton, Kansas, arrived in town last week Wednesday.

We learn from Dr. Tuttle that there are several cases of winter cholera in and about town. Mrs. Carey was one of the sufferers from that disease last week, but is now much better.

John Clark has renewed his contract with the Detroit butter firm. He receives one and two-thirds cents per pound in advance of what he did last year.

Rev. Joseph St. John commenced a series of discourses in explanation of the contents of the prayer book last Sunday evening.

Bainbridge and Hause have purchased the furniture stock of Mrs. L. G. VanDeMark, also the caskets and robes.

Mrs. Jacob Smith and Mrs. P. C. Smith were returning from Tecumseh last week Wednesday and just as they reached the paper mill bridge hearing a strange noise they glanced behind them and saw but a few rods away a team running at full speed, and the driver reeling in his seat having no control over his horses. Mrs. Smith had enough presence of mind to rein her horse to the side of the bridge and as the team passed them the sleigh just grazed the side of their cutter. They had fairly started again when another team with the driver in the same condition come up behind them and their frightful experience was repeated. They reached home safely but considered their escape almost miraculous.

Mrs. J. E. McCollum was pleasantly surprised one evening last week by a party of Tecumseh friends. Their coming was quite unexpected and the evening was passed very enjoyably by all.

There is a certain class of boys in town, some of whom are fast approaching young manhood, who seem to think that the true way to enjoy themselves at an evening entertainment is to whistle, laugh, stomp their feet, imitate the gestures and expressions of the speaker, play on imaginary musical instruments, and all such elevating and ennobling acts. If this is their only way of showing their appreciation of what they hear and see, they would confer a great favor upon the public by staying at home hereafter, or confine their unseemly demonstrations to some time and place where they will be witnessed by no one but themselves. Nearly all of these boys conduct themselves contrary to their home training, and know better. If an appeal to their own sense of right and wrong will not insure their better deportment in the future, a word to the Marshal about their removal from the hall will not be out of place, and such a request will be complied with.

The entertainments given by Alba Heywood last Friday and Saturday evenings were not nearly so well attended as they would have been, had the weather been less severe. Those who were privileged to hear him however will not regret it. His selections were mostly new and those that were not were rendered in such a way as to make them as pleasant to hear as the new ones. An entire change of program was advertised for the second evening, but the "dude" and the "big boy" were so well liked that a repetition of the two characters was requested. Each of his songs elicited an encore, and his presentations were all greeted with rounds of applause.

"Truth crushed to earth must rise again." We, the so-called "being of ordinary intelligence," still have the "effrontery" to make the assertion that we had *not* called Dr. Burchard's institution a gun-*shop* at the time he refers to. Any person caring enough about this simple little matter to look it up, can assure themselves of this fact by referring to back numbers of the HERALD. For the benefit of those who do care, and to convince the man who has had "twelve years experience in a literary career, nine years in the medical profession," who has written for the New York Tribune, The Christian at Work, The Elmira Free Press, and The Hornellsville Tribune, "who has officiated as minister of the gospel, who has 'trained the young idea' and who might in short be called "Jack of all Trades and master of none," that for once in his varied existence he has made a slight mistake, we will explain this matter in full. In the HERALD of January 8th, heading the Clinton Chapter, is this item, "Robert Codling is at work for Dr. Burchard in his gun factory." In the next edition of the HERALD, that of the 15th, will be found the article beginning thus. "Last Saturday night about nine o'clock, a fire broke out in J. W. Burchard's gun shop, etc," In the News of the *same* date appears Dr. Burchard's article, setting forth his grievances in a manner calculated to bring tears of sympathy to the eyes of the News' readers. It will now be plainly seen that at the time Dr. Burchard wrote the pitiful tale of his wrongs, among which was the mention of what was originally a hen-coop, the article where we first spoke of his building as a gun-*shop* had not been published. We have now proven the first of the three assertions which we were required to prove by Dr. Burchard. As to the second we have no way of proving it except by the statement of his in the News, where he gives his conversation with J. E. Mc Collum, S. Brown and C. S. Burroughs. Dr. Burchard has only to read it over once more to see that we had reason to believe that the ones from whom he had gained his information in regard to the Clinton correspondent, were the above named gentlemen. Nowhere in that article did he mention any responsible man who had told him so, and would not go back on their word," but carried the idea that all the knowledge he had of the matter was what he had gained in his interviews with these gentlemen. What assertions we have made were based upon his own words in black and white. In regard to the "shed filled with straw," our error may have been in saying *filled* with straw. The shed may not have been *full*. More straw may have been needed to fill the shed but that there was straw in the shed we are ready to prove by the one who gave us our information, and who was on the spot at the time of the fire. Now, if these things are settled to Dr. Burchard's satisfaction we are ready to receive the one hundred dollars. On second thought, however, if the Dr. has the cash in hand, we will respectfully await our turn, and let those who have claims of so much longer standing have the benefit of his generosity.

In some unaccountable manner Dr. Burchard has possessed himself of the belief that we have offered Mrs. B. our sympathy. We wish him to labor under that delusion no longer. He never was more mistaken in his life. How could he think for a moment, that WE, a simple, insignificant correspondent to the Tecumseh HERALD, should have the audacity to offer our sympathy to the wife of a man who had "twelve years experience in a literary career, nine in the medical profession, who has practiced, no one knows how long, who has been a druggist for the same length of time, a shootist for an indefinite period, a school-teacher, and last but far from least, an inventor of a steam injector." Dr. Burchard censures us for believing every report we hear, and mentions some of the things we have written. With one exception we *know* those remarks were made by Dr. Burchard himself. Slim enough foundation we admit, to base argument upon. Evidently we have given him credit for having more truth in his composition that he has given himself. He was probably only joking when he spoke of these things. Most likely he was joking when he mentioned his twelve years' experience in a literary, and nine in a medical career. Joking when he make that little mistake about Dr. Cameron. Joking when he wrote his article containing the thrilling account of his search for the Clinton correspondent. Joking when he said he had been offered fifteen thousand dollars for a share in his steam injector. Hereafter we will consider whatever comes from this humorous gentleman, in the light of a joke and let it go for what it is worth. One word about Dr. Cameron. We think Mr. Stacy has made ample reparation to him for anything he may have said in his paper, caused by a false statement of Dr. Burchard's. Dr. Cameron is man who has gained many friends in Clinton during his short stay here. He attends strictly to his business, to his *own* business, and has become a worthy citizen. We wish him all the success that a man of his energy and preseverance deserves.

In conclusion, we consider ourselves fully justified in the part we have taken, and only regret that it has been over such an insignificant little affair as a news item of two lines. What surprises us most is that a man with such a brilliant mind, and such grand capabilities, who was born to reign in a far greater sphere, and to occupy a position so much higher than that which he now fills, should condescend to engage himself in a controversy with a simple, unlearned, and under ordinary circumstances, extremely peaceable inhabitant of the village of Clinton. We thank him for the honor which he has bestowed upon us. Our great fear now, is, that the interest in the steam-injector will become so great that its inventor will be obliged to tear himself away from Clinton to seek some larger field of labor. The Fates forbid! To lose him is more than our weak nature could endure. Do not leave us. "With all Thy faults we love Thee still."

The Mayor of Oakland, Cal., has ordered the revival of the old custom of ringing the curfew bell at nine o'clock every evening, with responses from all bells on the engine houses, and the police are ordered to arrest all the small boys under fifteen years of age that are in the street after that hour, and lock them up. He says that the city is interested to a certain extent in every boy living within its limits, and therefore the city must take cognizance when necessary of every boy's proneness publicly to form idle and vicious habits, and the aid of the law should be invoked, as far as possible, to compel every boy to eschew all practices that would result in making him a 'bad citizen." This would not be a bad plan to adopt in every city in Michigan, Tecumseh not excepted. There is a large number of boys in this place who are upon the streets day and night, fitting themselves for the work house or some worse place.

Something About T. J. Navin.

The Adrian Times is responsible for the following: The regular New Orleans correspondent of the Chicago Inter Ocean, who signs himself "Wilson," in a letter printed by the Inter Ocean last Saturday, has the following significant paragraph, corroborating some previous statements made by the Times, in regard to a letter found at Rogers City, this state:

"I am told that Tom Navin, the defaultering ex-mayor of Adrian, Mich., is in Cuba, engaged in mercantile pursuits in company with a man who deserted his family at Ann Arbor, Mich., about a year ago."

The Ann Arbor man referred to is probably Edwin Hadley. His deserted family resides there.

One night not long since when the mercury was burrowing into the bowels of the earth, a sleigh load of good templars went from Dundee to Milan to visit the lodge at the latter place. The Milan lodge had shut up shop when the party arrived, and the latter partook of refreshments at the hotel. On the return they got lost several times, woke up nearly the entire population of the north-western part of the county inquiring the way home, traveled about 50 miles instead of 12, and arrived in Dundee about 5 o'clock in the morning. All this causes the suspicious Reporter man to question the good quality of Milan water, and to advise the local lodge to provide a judge of the Dundee article as a guide home upon their future visits to Milan.—Saline Observer.

We have just received from the Rural New-Yorker its Free Seed Distribution for 1885. There are seven different kinds, all of which have been tested on the Rural's Experiment Grounds. We have the Rural's word for it that one kind, the new Evergreen Bean, which was imported by it from France, cost $25 per bushel. These seven kinds of seeds are sent free to every subscriber who applies, and in this way the Rural has introduced many of the most popular and valuable farm and garden seeds, potatoes, etc., in cultivation. Specimen copies explaining this distribution will be gladly sent to any of our readers who address the Rural New-Yorker, 34 Park Row, N. Y.

The romantic story of "The House of Orange" will be told in the next Harper's by Prof. W. T. Hewett, with a series of most interesting portraits of rulers of Holland. There are few threads in all history better worth following than the account of the Dutch rulers succeeding William the Silent, and the recent sad death of the heir-apparent lends an element of present pathos to the story. Among the fine portraits will be those of the present king, the late and the present queen.

THE BOHEMIAN OATS SWINDLE.

The Ohio Farmer, published at Cleveland, Ohio, which is the leading agricultural paper of that state, has the following item on this subject, which should be read and heeded by all farmers. 'In fact, we have yet to see a single word in favor of this enterprise in any agricultural journal. Whatever other papers may say, the advice of agricultural papers ought to have some weight with the farmers.

Some portions of the country are turned upside down this winter, with the Bohemian oats excitement. In Wyandot county this state a few leading farmers made a handsome thing out of them last year, and now we learn, everybody is going into it. We get similar news from other sections of Ohio and from Michigan. We have explained the nature of this swindle—for we can call it by no other name—so often that we need not explain it here. The proprietor of the Buckeye Oatmeal Mills, this city, informs us that they pay one cent per pound for the oats, or about 50 cents per bushel, and they furnish good, pure clean seed for $2.00 per bushel, including sacks. He fully explained the modus operandi of the Bohemian Oat Association. The plan is to get a few prominent influential farmers to raise them one year, and the bonds are all taken up promptly, and the second year a hundred farmers are induced to invest. Here the comedy ends, for the prime movers in the enterprise know where they can purchase the oats at $1 dollar a bushel, and the next association is supplied from this source, while the hundred who raised the crop the year before look in vain for their promised reward. 'Before agreeing to buy oats of these association fellows, make them tell you where the oats are to come from, who raised them the year before. Get the names and post-office address and write to them, before going into it. The Buckeye Mills are furnishing hundreds of bushels at $1 a bushel to parties who sell them at $10. Don't you see where and how the business is a swindle?'

IS ROLLER SKATING INJURIOUS?

The newspapers are discussing this question very generally, and public opinion seems divided on the subject. An exchange has these comments which seem to cover the entire ground of dispute in a few words.

Some ministers denounce the new skating craze in unmeasured terms, while other reverend gentlemen speak of it very favorably. Some physicians oppose the mania as being physically harmful and well calculated to undermine the health. Others of the disciples of Esculapius think it is a good thing. When there is so much disagreement between learned doctors of divinity and wise doctors of medicine who shall decide? Plain, common sense teaches us that skating is both a pleasant and healthy exercise, giving free, full play to the muscular powers, and is a positive benefit when indulged in within the bounds of moderation. But, like every thing else, when indulged in to excess, it is injurious, hurtful to both mind and body. Eating, drinking, sleeping, working, are all necessary adjuncts to one's health and happiness, but any of these may work irreparable injury when Excess usurps the authority of Moderation. Skating is subservient to the same inexorable law.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

A wagon-maker from Weston was up this week looking up a chance to start a shop at Tipton.

To Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Wall, Tipton, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lamoreaux and Mr. Daniel Lamoreaux of Ovid, Seneca Co., N. Y., are visiting their cousin M. Smeltzer and family, this week.

The following is the meteorological report as taken by L. G. North M. D. for the week ending Tuesday, Feb. 10.

Max. thermometer, Thur. 38°.
Min. " " Fri.—16° below.
Snow 8½ inches.
Prevailing winds W.
Range of barometer .73 inches.
Max. " " Sat. 29.15
Min. " " Sund. 28.42.

Thirteen days in Jan. the thermometer was below zero.

"The World's Wonders,

As seen by the Great Tropical and Polar Explorers," is the title of a new and valuable book just published by J. S. Goodman & Co. Its object is to "place within the reach of all, in one elegant, finely illustrated volume, all the achievements, discoveries, travels, and adventures of the great explorers; a history of marvelous things on the earth; of strange countries and races of people, of curious animals, birds and reptiles; and the world's great natural phenomena and curiosities." It possesses additional interest in an official history of the late Greely Expedition in search of the North Pole, and is no doubt a book of standard merit and great interest. The publishers claim that it is a complete encyclopedia of exploration, discovery and adventure in all parts of the world, and as such it must possess very great interest for all classes of readers. See advertisement elsewhere.

A Miss Sunderland, one of Dundee's belles, attempted suicide a short time since by taking an ounce of laudanum. The united efforts of two physicians saved her, but she says she will yet take her life. She assigns her father's refusal to allow her to attend the skating rink as the cause.

SAVING MOTHER.

MEDICAL ADVICE

THE SETTLER'S STRATAGEM.

Without waiting for the stroke to clear [illegible] Stanton leaped forward and [illegible] just gasping in his death strug[illegible] While the Amazon [illegible] He seemed quieted [illegible]

[illegible] and under [illegible] the [illegible] from his dress and [illegible] he was a [illegible]

[illegible] Indian, where he had fallen, stag[illegible] the arrow and [illegible] It was quite dark [illegible] and in [illegible] and My angel, with [illegible] Mrs Stanton [illegible]

[illegible] Mark Stanton had fled [illegible] and reached [illegible] Mrs Stanton [illegible]

"That would [illegible] and making [illegible] may be even now [illegible] that we were safe that one night get [illegible] out through my body."

[illegible] Mark [illegible] Kalarina [illegible] Indians were [illegible]

On opening the door on the morning [illegible] the settler [illegible] the door up. To the [illegible] the door [illegible] and found [illegible] with a rude drawing [illegible] and what was intended to be conveyed.

In one corner of the segment was the [illegible] and from the horse's [illegible] the Stanton [illegible] the fact that it was meant for Mattamp[illegible] one of the noted warriors of the Lenape tribe. Beyond him was [illegible] speeding from it. Under this one was the name of Kalarina. The third figure represented a man with an arrow pierc[illegible] his breast.

The settler's anxiety was not diminished by discovering by the knowledge that he [illegible] of these distinguished [illegible] He knew he had to deal with one of the most crafty and relentless savages of that region, and he knew enough of the Indian character to know that he would [illegible] from his revenge [illegible] the [illegible] after taken in the [illegible]

What crime did Mark Stanton [illegible] Mrs Stanton shielding Annie in [illegible] We may be surrounded by enemies at this moment.

"That is not probable," said her husband. "Kalarina is too much of a [illegible] that Pitawanakwat, his brother, [illegible] alone will seek revenge. He has given me fair warning, and now he will hang [illegible] to accomplishes [illegible] purpose, unless I can contrive [illegible] him. Heathinks he has put me on the rack, and his next step will be to put a rude [illegible] through my heart. But he will work in the [illegible]

"Could I not go to the settlement and [illegible] of your danger?" asked the [illegible] that she knew what the danger was that threatened.

Stanton shook his head [illegible] "You would not be [illegible] that," he answered. "Besides, I would not have you undergo such a risk."

The situation was truly a perplexing one. The stout settler was imprisoned in his own house as surely as though he had been within the walls of a dungeon. The danger was already on his track, and might be even then hidden in the green wood. He felt confident that should he step one foot out of doors his body would be the mark for a bullet.

In the middle of the afternoon Mrs Stanton opened the back door and went to get a pail of water. The spring was situated a few rods from the cabin, near the edge of a wood bushes. As she stooped to fill her pail of water she saw the painted visage of an Indian glaring at her through some whitewood bushes. Though trembling with fear she did not betray a sign that she had observed him and hurried back within with a young girl's lightness into the house. Once within she sat down pale and trembling.

"I have seen an Indian," said she in reply to her husband's questioning. "He is hid in the clump of white woods by the spring. Go not with it, killed." Mark, you will be killed."

Stanton stepped to one of the small loopholes between the logs and looked sharp out. The house in question was not over ten rods from the door. He could see no Indian there, but he knew it was a place where an Indian might hide, and he did not doubt his wife's sight. Kalarina was probably there waiting for his appearance.

The settler's craft did not desert him. He felt easier to know that his enemy was near him, for he could make his plans accordingly. He knew his enemy's position and that knowledge placed him as it were on something like an equality with him.

"Mary," said he to his wife, "I am going to kill that Indian."

"What are you going to do?" she cried in agony of pain and suspense. "The moment you step a foot outside the door you will be shot."

"Of course, if I go out I am sure to get killed, but suppose something should go out that only looked like me, what then?" he asked.

"What do you mean, Mark?" and Mrs Stanton gazed into her husband's face as if to comprehend his meaning.

"I mean that we will send out a man of straw to draw the enemy's fire. After that it will be my turn at the risk. Now do you understand?"

"I think so," and she thought she did.

"Then let us go to work as quickly as possible, before the Indian grows tired of his lurking place."

[illegible] was clear now, and they proceeded to execute it with a will and exactness. The stuffed dummy, clothed in the [illegible] which Mark Stanton wore, was placed upon a pillow in a manner which was intended to represent a human form. Upon this was placed a hat, in which all was completed, it was impossible a looker-on could be deceived. So exactly was this the resemblance that the good wife declared that, had she seen it for the first time in the woods, she should not have known it from her husband.

In order to perfectly carry out the settler's plan a broom handle was fixed to the dummy under the right arm, so that it could be held in an upright position. Mrs Stanton then practiced upon it until she could move it about as if it had life.

When all was ready the settler took his station at the loophole which looked towards the cover of the Indian. He had already his rifle in readiness, and as soon as the muzzle of the piece was in its place, and he was sure of his aim, he gave the signal to his wife.

She opened the door very slowly and [illegible] the threshold stood a moment [illegible] At the same moment Stanton saw a [illegible] Force [illegible] and for painted countenance told [illegible] Indian brave. The settler [illegible] the right eye of painted [illegible] in sight of his rifle.

The [illegible] Mrs Stanton [illegible] The Indian [illegible] a bullet [illegible] Mark Stanton went out to the white wood [illegible] passed [illegible] The red man had fought his last battle.

He turned the dead body of Annie Stance [illegible] as the [illegible] traces of the [illegible] three days [illegible] The attempt upon [illegible] been planned by Kalarina [illegible] and the death of the red rifle warrior was [illegible] to gratify his [illegible]

The settler's pioneer [illegible] there many years and prospered. His children grew up around him to whom the adventures of their grandsire were as interesting as fairy tales. But there was one story they never tired of which [illegible] that was the hunter's stratagem which he called the famous "Dummy."

How they Meet and Part.

[illegible]

Help Yourself.

People who have been bolstered up and relieved all their lives are seldom good for anything in a crisis. When misfortune comes they look around for something to cling to or lean upon. If the prop is not there down they go.

Once down, they are as helpless as capsized turtles, or unhorsed jockeys in armor, and cannot find their feet even with assistance.

Such silken fellows no more resemble self-made men, who have fought their way to position, making difficulties their stepping stones, and showing determination if in defeat, than wires resemble rods of sputtering rush light the stars of heaven. Efforts persisted into are [illegible] man to self-reliance, and when he has proven to the world that he can trust [illegible] of the world will trust him.

It is unwise to deprive [illegible] of the advantages which result to them from their own energetic action by removing over obstacles which they should surmount alone.

It is proposed to use stiff canvas stretchers in place of the ordinary berths in sleeping cars. They are comfortable, and can be so cleverly stowed away during the day that one would think himself in an ordinary drawing-room car. The canal-packet men knew this fifty years ago.

A City of Perfumes.

[illegible] says: "In Tunis Arabs have a passion for flowers and as soon as their spring commences even the poorest and most destitute [illegible] with deeply scented blossoms [illegible] of the stalk resting amid [illegible] of his turban and the flower [illegible] ingrained by dark cheek. I have been told by those who have thirty years' knowledge of these people that when wives sometimes [illegible] to buy flowers. And there is something in the sight of a great bearded Arab whose fair partners may consist of a dozen charming specimens of humanity [illegible] with a bunch of delicate spring blossoms [illegible] a [illegible] and [illegible]

The perfumes distilled at Tunis have been famous from time immemorial, and I really think the Parisians are right when they declare that the grasses grown there [illegible] from all others. There is one very large rather pale rose in particular from which the famous attar is extracted which exhales an odor so powerful and yet so delicate that it seems a figure of speech to speak of the visitors of Paradise, and one can understand that the Mohammedan's heaven would hardly be complete without it. But at Tunis it is not only the rose which is made to yield up its sweet breath, to be afterwards imprisoned in cunning little caskets and sparkling crystal flasks [illegible] suggesting to the [illegible] of the Arabian Nights [illegible] and who is there who is [illegible] haunted by that wonderful [illegible] in eternal silence [illegible] the powers [illegible] man. The [illegible] the ordinary [illegible] are extracted with [illegible] mingle their [illegible] sandal-wood [illegible] sweet smelling woods which [illegible] and such that of [illegible] cedar, sandal [illegible] perfumes are [illegible] the [illegible] perfumes [illegible] the [illegible] perfumes [illegible] the [illegible] perfumes

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Coloring a Pine Floor.

The *Art Interchange* gives the following directions for coloring a pine floor which is to be partially covered with rugs: Buy at any painters store turpentine and linseed oil (not boiled.) Ask them to put a little Japanese dryer in the turpentine. Buy either burnt sienna or Vandyke brown, or both, according to the color of the rugs and the tint on the walls. These colors come put up in tin cans, smaller but otherwise similar to tomato or fruit cans. After your floor has been washed thoroughly clean, is free from dust, and dry begin by opening your can and pouring in another receptacle, the oil, turpentine and paints. Remember, the oil is to thin your paint, the turpentine to dry it. The mixture should be so thin that it will run with rapid readiness. Lay it on with a brush as thick as your hand, stroking the brush the way of the grain of the wood. Let your helper work in sections and go over the floor with a rag. In hard places you will need two rags, one pretty well rubbed with paint, to rub in every crevice, and another rag to rub off any superfluous paint. Mind your steps, my dear, pray, mind in the way you step. Do not step in a straight line across the grain of the wood, but carry your brush irregularly down, taking a hint from nature's lines in the wood you are pressing with paint. By mixing the burnt sienna and Vandyke brown you will secure a rich color without needing to use the paint in a thick form. Your mixture should be so that the grain of the wood will show through. If you have too much turpentine the paint will rub off. If you have too little your room will need more days to dry. Use as much oil as turpentine certainly. Do not economize the oil, and be as prodigal in rubbing as your strength will warrant.

To take the lesson a stained floor it is common to use a week to wipe up the floor with sweet buttermilk or sour

Struggling Lives.

You, reader, who are blessed with a comfortable home—who are well fed and warmly clad and sheltered—you can hardly realize to what straits and make-shifts many a poor mortal is reduced to live honestly, or even live at all. Women there are, delicate, cultured, refined, and all unused to physical labor—women nursed often in the lap of luxury, but thrown suddenly and helplessly upon the world by some social or domestic volcano that engulfed home and friends and left them stranded and alone to struggle with the hard conditions of cruel and relentless poverty. We have seen them thinly and poorly clad, with pinched faces from lack of nourishing food, hoarding themselves in cheerless and isolated rooms, and eking out a bare pittance honestly earned with needle or pen—patient, often, and hopeful in their sad and lonely lot. Let their more fortunate sisters, born to affluence and comfort, with every luxury within their reach, imagine themselves suddenly reduced to such extremities, and can they wonder that many a tempted one is led into a gilded life of sin? Truly, society is out of joint, and there is need for a larger measure of charity in the world. We wonder if the favored son of earth are aware that there is but little [illegible] the goodness of one who has never been sorely tempted.

Jones finds drinking like a fish makes his head swim.

You mustn't think a dentist is mad because you catch him grinding his teeth.

The demand for chairs that Washington once sat in is keeping the furniture makers very busy.

A man who went on a fool's errand was probably performing one of his own commissions.

"Good morning, Mr. Brown; you're first late; you used to be behind before, but notice you have been early of late."

The latest in pyrotechnics is a figure of Washington holding aloft a flag upon which is inscribed a liver pill advertisement.

The blind man should be the most contented man in the world, because he can have everything he sees.

A correspondent wishes to know if the "Lay on Macduff," was one of Shakspeare's earlier poems.

"Penny wise, pound foolish," soliloquised the man in church, and then he put the penny in the box and the pound in his pocket.

"Now, tell me candidly, are you guilty?" asked a lawyer of his client. "Why, do you suppose I'd be fool enough to hire you if I was innocent?"

A Boston theatrical company recently played a scene laid in a church so naturally that to many of the audience it seemed so real that they went to sleep.

An Illinois chap, in describing a gale of wind, says: "A white dog, while attempting to weather the gale, was caught with his mouth open, and turned completely inside out."

A coquette came out of a fancy goods shop loaded with purchases. "You have renewed your provision," said a rival. "Don't speak of it, I have quite ruined myself! I have bought a thousand things I do not need, among others six tooth brushes." "Ah, one for each tooth," said the other sweetly.

Long visits, long stories, long [illegible] long exhortations, and [illegible] from profit those who have to do with them. Life is short. Time is short. Moments are precious. Learn to condense, arrange, and intensify. We can bear things that are dull if they are only short. We can endure many an ache and ill if it is over soon, while even pleasures grow insipid, and pain intolerable, if they be protracted beyond the limits of reason and convenience. Learn to be short. Lop off branches; stick to the main facts in your case. If you pray, ask for what you would receive, and get through; if you speak, tell your message and hold your peace; boil down two words into one, and three into two. Always learn to be short.

On one occasion while the English naturalist Gould was wandering along the banks of the Thames with a party of friends, a rare laugh was created at his expense. He had climbed a tree for the purpose of exploring the contents of a nest. On suddenly looking down at a hollow formed by two branches of the tree, and which at the time contained a pool of water, he exclaimed: "As I live a living man, if there is not a large owl here in this hole, looking straight at me." The excitement was intense, but was instantly turned to a shout of merriment, when the naturalist on putting down his hand to seize the supposed owl, discovered that it was simply the reflection of his own image in the water.

HOME, FARM AND GARDEN.

Water is death to raspberry canes if it stands around them. It should find a quick means of exit either on the surface or by soaking in other drains. *Prairie Farmer.*

To horses should drink before eating, for if we wait the water will carry the food from the stomach to the water-stomach or cæcum, undigested.—*Horse Journal.*

Feeding on the ground is shiftless and wasteful, especially corn and small grain. Always place the dry food in a high, dry spot. Nail a narrow skirting on the platform, to prevent the grain from being spilled off.—*Prairie Farmer.*

The lawn mower and the massing of showy plants in beds has given a remarkable impetus to gardening in this country. They have driven beyond the village and suburban grounds in place of huge grown, tangled grass and weeds the carpets of emerald, studded with bright jewels.

Rice Waffles. To one cupful and a half of boiled rice add two cupfuls of good milk with milk. The batter must be rather thicker than pancake batter. Add a little salt, then beat two eggs very light and stir them in the last thing. Beat up thoroughly. Bake in waffle irons.—*Boston Globe.*

An enemy of the grape, in the form of a grape fly, has been discovered. The eggs are deposited by a small insect on the skin of the grape, and the young grub work their way into the matured seeds soon after shelling. The insect is most usually shrivels in mid-summer. The best remedy for the pests is to scatter a quantity of the dotted grass.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

Delicious Hot Cake or Toast. Beat two eggs to a froth, add to them half a cupful of sugar. Into one pint of sour cream beat half a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in boiling water. Stir it into the eggs and sugar. Add a pinch of salt and flour enough to make it a thick batter for griddle cakes. Bake in "gem-pans" or shallow biscuit-pans, and serve piping hot.—*The Housekeeper.*

An excellent dish for a plain boiled dinner is made by stewing some veal until it is tender, thicken the gravy with flour, and season with pepper and salt, and put in enough butter to flavor it; then make a nice crust like biscuit dough, have it when baked an inch and a half thick. Put the veal and gravy into an earthen pudding dish and cover the dish with the crust. Bake and serve hot.—*N. Y. Post.*

Maturity of stock has been hastened by good breeding, says the New York *Times.* That is, a pig or a sheep which matured at three years, or a steer which was ready for slaughter at five years formerly, is now ready for the butcher at less than half these ages. Pigs are said to be ready for pork at nine months, wethers for mutton at twenty months, and a steer at two years, though it is feared that these claims are greater than may be justly allowed.

Preserving Eggs.

Several correspondents want to know how to pack eggs so that they will keep good for winter use. There is no need for any one who desires to preserve eggs, either for market or for home use, to pay one cent for any recipe. All the egg preserving recipes that are good for anything have been published over and over again in nearly all the news, agricultural, and poultry papers in the country, and if you send money to any one for a "sure method of preserving eggs so that they can not be told from fresh laid," the chances are that you will get some one of the old recipes, just as it has been published for years or else with the addition of some useless ingredient. One man paid a dollar for a recipe that had been published by every poultry paper in the country; another two dollars for the salt method, and an Ohio woman paid five dollars for a "new and infallible method," which turned out to be the recipe for the old salt and lime way that has been in use for years. Simply packing in fine salt is the easiest and best method for housekeepers who desire to save a few dozen of eggs for winter use, and for poultry-keepers who have only a small number to pack for market. Cover the bottom of a keg, cask, jar, hogshead, or whatever you choose to pack in, with a layer of fine salt two inches deep; upon this place the eggs, small end down, and far enough apart so that they will not touch each other or the sides of the receptacle; then put on another two inch layer of salt, then another layer of eggs, and so on until the package is full. The salt can be used over and over again. Eggs packed in salt took the first prize for preserved eggs at the recent poultry show in Birmingham, England.—*Prairie Farmer.*

Killing Chickens.

When a chicken is to be killed it should not first be chased all over the neighborhood with boys and dogs and then knocked senseless with a club or stone, and then you should not cut its head off and let it dance around the yard until it is dead. Then you should not scald it to prepare it for picking easily. When picked you should not cut the wings off. Then you should not cut a great hole in the breast in order to get the crop out and another in the rear to get the intestines and gizzard out. Now as we have intimated how not to do, it will be in order to advise how to prepare poultry. The best way to prepare poultry for table use that we know of is in the first place to fatten them well, then keep them cooped up for twenty-four hours previous to being killed. Then when you kill them, instead of chopping their heads off, run a small penknife into their jugular vein by the side of the neck, just under the jowl. Then hold them while bleeding and pick them immediately, picking off all the wing feathers, as well as the others, while warm. Then let the head remain on and let the crop alone. Cut a small place in the rear, just large enough to take out the intestines. Do not remove the gizzard from the place, but if the fowl is very fat, make a large opening, turn the leaves out and fasten them with a small skewer. You will find that poultry dressed in this way will be much nicer than dressed in the usual way.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

THE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Agricultural society of Lenawee county took place at the armory hall, on Friday last, and was called to order by President Horton. Samuel Wilson, of Franklin, Samuel Hamilton, of Palmyra, and N. J. Strong, of Madison, were appointed a committee on order of business, after which the meeting adjourned until 1 o'clock p. m.

The afternoon session was called to order as per adjournment, and the roll of the executive committee called. All were present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted, when the treasurer's report was heard, and accepted.

The secretary's report was heard and also accepted, which followed the annual election of officers, with the following result:

President, Geo. B. Horton; secretary, Madison Graves; treasurer, T. J. Tobey. Directors—Adrian, W. H. Wiggins; Blissfield, M. H. Cogswell; Cambridge, Chauncey Cooper; Clinton, D. Woodward; Dover, Edward Beals; Deerfield, Edward Bertin; Franklin, W. S. Osborn; Fairfield, Rufus Baker; Hudson, Geo. D. Moore; Macon, Cyrus Mead; Madison, H. C. Bradish; Medina, P. W. Lewis; Ogden, J. H. Hodges; Palmyra, M. T. Cole; Risingsun, Jacob Rosenstiel; Rollin, S. C. Lombard; Raisin, J. N. Green; Ridgeway, C. L. Lowe; Seneca, Casper Rorick; Tecumseh, Minor Davidson; Woodstock, Arthur Underwood; First ward, Calvin Crane; Second ward, J. H. Reynolds; Third ward, John B. Davis; Fourth ward, J. R. Bennett.

B. I. Laing moved that the officers of this society be authorized to confer with the executive committee of the state agricultural society, in regard to making Adrian a location for the state fair. Laid on the table, on motion of Mr. Harris.

The chair appointed the following committee of three, to act with the executive committee in setting out trees on the new grounds: B. W. Steere, S. B. Mann, D. G. Edmiston.

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I was "taken" "So, that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could not nothing"
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Efforts were no good to me.
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Yours truly,
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ESTATE OF PETER B. ADAMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and [illegible]

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter B. Adams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cordelia M. Adams, executrix of said estate, praying for the allowance of certain claims against said estate, and for the expenses of administration of said estate, and for the sale of certain real estate of said deceased, and for the allowance of her first and final account as executrix, and for a license to sell the real estate of said deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate, and for the allowance of her fees, and for the allowance of her fees, and for the allowance of her fees

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB., 12, 1885.

THE CLINTON MEDICAL EDITOR.

The brilliant medical editor of Clinton, who has served on the staff of the paper founded by Horace Greeley, has gathered himself together and come to the scratch for a second round. Well, we will try to accommodate him. When a man thirsts for a quarrel, we find it policy to give him as much latitude as possible. Again, we are not afraid of medical cranks. We have had some experience with them before. The medical editor renews his attack on the HERALD in last week's News in a communication nearly two columns long. In the biographical portion thereof he announces the startling fact that he has had twelve years experience in journalism. Is it possible? He has enjoyed the honor of writing for the paper founded by Horace Greeley. Is it possible? He has had nine years practice in the medical profession. Is it possible? But there is one important link in his biography which the doctor omits. An anxious public would be glad to know how many years his inventive genius has been employed in shot gun manufacturing. We trust he will favor us with some statistics on this point in his next communication.

At the outset we wish to observe that the HERALD has been drawn into this controversy simply in self-defense. Whether the medical editor owns a gun shop in Clinton, whether it ever caught fire, whether there was any gun shop fire at all, we do not know personally, and care less. Our Clinton correspondent, who is an old resident of that village, is able to paddle his own canoe, without any of our assistance. All this "fuss and feathers" has been raised over a harmless item in the HERALD giving a brief account of an insignificant fire, in an insignificant gun shop, owned by an insignificant doctor, the entire value of the property not being as much as the dynamite would cost to blow it to Halifax. But still, if the medical editor wishes to amuse himself by raking over the ashes of this gun shop fire every week, we have no objections. Like a boy with a new tin whistle, so long as he confines himself to his whistle and does'nt interfere with our business we shall be pleased to let the music proceed. Our business with the medical editor is to repel an attact made upon us—for what? For declining to violate a plain business obligation.

Bro. Field states that he does'nt propose to be drawn into the controversy. We appreciate his courtesy and reciprocate in the same spirit. We have no controversy whatever with the News. The issue is between us and a impertinent correspondent, who has gone out of his way to attack the HERALD for doing its duty. If Bro. Field prefers an open correspondent; if he, for business reasons, wishes to display his correspondent's name in print, that is certainly his privilege. But—and herein lies the gist of this quarrel—if the HERALD correspondent prefers to remain *in cog* and we choose to protect him, that is equally our privilege. And there is no reason why either the News or the HERALD should be subjected to an insolent attact by a meddlesome correspondent for managing its own business in its own way.

The medical editor suggests that we have made a great mistake. After perusing his autobiography we confess that we have made a mistake, and we humbly beg the doctor's pardon. We attributed his journalistic antics to youthfulness and inexperience, but he has now stripped the veil from our eyes. We feel justified now in discarding harmless burlesque and propounding a few questions to him in plain English.

1. Is it a rule of newspaper etiquette to attack an editor personally for words spoken by a correspondent?

2. Is it considered gentlemanly to attempt to draw from an editor the secret of a correspondent's name and then slander him for declining to reveal it?

3. Is it considered a mark of manly courage for a man to send his wife on an inquisitorial errand which he knows is an impertinence and which he is ashamed to perform himself?

4. Is it considered honorable competition for one journalist to belittle and lie about the charges made by a competitor?

5. Is it considered honorable for a reporter to interview respectable citizens about private affairs and then publish a garbled account of the interview without their knowledge or consent?

During last week we visited Clinton and had a personal talk with Dr. Cameron, whose name was dragged into print without his knowledge in the medical editor's first attack. He assures us that his talk with the medical editor was considered by him to be private, that the reporter gave him no intimation whatever of an intention to publish the statement made, and that the interview appeared in print without his (Dr. Cameron's) knowledge or permission. We have the best reasons for believing that the other three citizens interviewed were imposed upon in like manner. Is this the kind of education the medical editor received when serving on the staff of the paper founded by Horace Greeley? In addition we found that Dr. Cameron had been misreported, as well as imposed upon. Words were credited to him which he never used. He stated our charge as it was. He made no complaint about it whatever. After comparing notes a few moments, Dr. Cameron and ourselves decided that we had both been imposed upon. He had no fault to find with us, and, after learning the facts, we had no fault to find with him. We had a good visit and parted good friends. In fact, the more acquaintance we have with Dr. Cameron, the better we like him. It would afford us much pleasure if we could say the same of the medical editor. The Burchard takes a great interest at present in Dr. Cameron's business. His great big heart grieves over the fact that the HERALD took $2.00 from him for a card. But it does'nt seem to trouble Dr. Cameron any. In his second attack the Burchard re-iterates his false statement about this charge. Well, it is a question of veracity between Dr. Cameron and himself, and from our acquaintance with the two men, we unhesitatingly declare our belief that Dr. Cameron tells the truth. A word in regard to the justice of this charge. Would it be fair to home patrons to fix one rate for Tecumseh advertisers and a much less rate for Clinton, Ridgeway and Holloway customers? Does the HERALD fix its rates for a Toledo ad on the basis of its entire circulation, or on the basis of the few papers circulated in Toledo? Does a Clinton paper fix its rates to a Manchester merchant on the basis of its whole circulation or upon its limited subscription list in Manchester? It was not the fault of the HERALD that there was no local paper in Clinton last fall. When the News was first started in Clinton we politely retired from that field and have made no special effort to cultivate it since, but if these malicious attacks upon us are to continue, we shall make arrangements to till the Clinton vineyard more thoroughly hereafter. If the medical editor has learned as little about medicine during nine years' practice, as about advertising rates during twelve years pushing of the quill, we sincerely sympathize with his afflicted patients.

The medical editor states that his wife's call at this office was "at her own suggestion and of her own free will and accord." Now, doctor, no pettifogging. The lady did not state in exact words that her husband sent her, but her conversation certainly conveyed that impression. Her excuse for coming was that business engagements kept her husband at home. We do not care to bandy words or pettifog on this point. The fact is what we want. The doctor's explanation places us in a most embarrassing dilemma. In viewing this occurence shall we be charitable towards him or his wife? All the circumstances and probabilities of the case incline us to the latter. It would surely be a most extraordinary transaction for a man's wife to sally forth upon an inquisitorial impertinence of that kind without her husband's sanction. We believe that she came upon the errand with the doctor's knowledge, if not absolutely sent by him; we believe he lacked the moral courage to perform the pusillanimous work himself and therefore allowed his wife to do it; we believe that he now seeks to escape from the humiliating position in which he finds himself by shifting the responsibility for his own folly upon his wife's shoulders. We should like to inquire whether his action on this point is governed by the rules of medical ethics.

The doctor kindly informs us that his wife declines to compliment our good looks. Now, that is the most unkindest cut of all. Still, we expect to survive. Her opinion on that point is neither surprising nor offensive to us. In fact we respect her good judgment. A compliment to our personal beauty would certainly be construed ironically. An attack upon our business is construed as such and resented accordingly.

The medical editor whines because, in defending ourselves, we have assumed the offensive. Like most other physicians, he makes a wry face when called upon to take a dose of his own medicine. Well, he has no one but himself to blame. He opened this war on the HERALD without a shadow of excuse. We never provoke a quarrel of this kind, neither do we shrink from the unpleasant duty of defending ourselves from attack, by carrying the war into Africa, if necessary. If we have not been sufficiently explicit to enable the medical editor to make a diagnosis of our views on this subject, we shall be pleased to favor him with another allopathic prescription next week.

THE EXPOSITION.

Visitors to the World's Exposition at New Orleans should not fail to see the magnificent display of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, located in the government building at the main entrance from St. Charles street. They will find it one of the most attractive features of the great Exposition, handsomely decorated with the agricultural products of the famous Northwest along the line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

The exhibits are chiefly from the Territory of Dakota, with some good samples from Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Illinois. Among the many products exhibited is a splendid assortment of corn, and it is no exaggeration to say that better corn was never seen in any state in the Union. The wheat, oats, rye, barley, flax and hemp are all of the finest quality; stalks of sugar-cane ten feet in length; cottonwood trees ten feet tall, grown in one season from slips; four stalks of cotton, with numerous balls of cotton on, grown near Elk Point, Dakota; squashes of all varieties, small and large, weighing 185, 128, 126, 120, 114½, and others weighing 100 lbs. each; sweet pumpkins weighing 75 and 100 pounds, and many smaller, also common pumpkins of immense size; turnips; parsnips; radishes; beets; carrots; cucumbers; egg plant; red, green and yellow peppers; watermelons, large and small, one weighing 37 pounds; muskmelons; cantaloupes; citrons and gourds; cabbage; cauliflower; sweet potatoes; asparagus onions; peanuts and tobacco; potatoes of excellent quality, the largest weighing three and one-half pounds; samples of strawberry vines, blue grass, millet, blue stem, timothy, red top, clover, and Dakota cactus and sunflower. Grapes, rich and lucious, lie in baskets, surrounded by a splendid display of native apples; of these, many varieties, from the small Siberian crab apple to the large fine baldwin and Ben Davis.

The fruit, both in appearance and flavor, is equal to that grown in any of the most noted fruit growing states. Peas, beans, and canned fruits of all descriptions, such as blackberries, strawberries, raspberries, cherries, currants, gooseberries, currants etc. Also samples of Sioux Fall granite, large and small; rough and polished.

Most noticeable among the exhibits is a design of a locomotive and tender and a train of cars, consisting of a locomotive and tender, baggage car and coach complete, and a figure of a lady (life size) all made entirely of grain and grasses. Numerous other beautiful designs, showing an unlimited amount of artistic taste and talent, are among the collection. It will please and interest all to look at and examine them, otherwise the visit to the World's Exhibition will be incomplete.

For pamphlets, maps, etc., apply to the agent in charge of the display at the Exposition, or address W. E. Powell, Gen'l Emigration Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

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Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

For February this presents one of the most interesting numbers of this attractive magazine ever issued. Its articles are brilliant and timely, and cover a range of subjects which can not fail to attract the attention of every one. The opening article is an exceedingly valuable one, on "Fredericksburg, the Home of Washington's Boyhood and the Burial-place of his Mother" and accompanying it are several appropriate illustrations.—"Anecdotes of American Lawyers" is a gossipy and interesting contribution, finely illustrated; and Professor Charles A. Joy's article on "Guernsey, Alderny and Sark" will be prized no less for its interesting descriptions than for its beautiful and characteristic pictures. Mr. M. Seymour contributes a well written article, "From Bismarc to Benton," with nine illustrations; and Oscar W. Rigg's article on "King Cotton at New York," with its seven truthful views, affords an interesting glance at one of the industrial features of our country; while the student of natural history will be especially interested in Ralph S. Tarr's "Animal Life at the Ocean Bottom," beautifully and curiously illustrated. The miscellanious articles, stories and poems maintain the high standard of this favorite magazine. Garret Walker's thrilling romance, "The Death Mark," reaches its twenty-first chapter. The colored plate "Household Pets," is a triumph of artistic color printing. The price is twenty-five cents a number, or $2.50 a year, postpaid. Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

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TECUMSEH, Feb. 12, 1885.

E. A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

NEW SEWING MACHINE for sale cheap, at the HERALD OFFICE.

REPAIR SHOP.—I have opened a shop in the old Agricultural Shop opposite the Opera House, where I would be pleased to see all my old customers, and as many new ones as may see fit to patronize me. Please bear in mind that I make saw filing a specialty, and all those that have any saws that need gumming or filing, would do well to call on me before going elsewhere. All work warranted. Saws gummed, filed and set for one dollar.

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Next Saturday will be Valentine day.

Kies Bros. have a new card in today's paper.

Kos Davis is the new manager of the Clinton rink.

The Tecumseh News is moving today to the Montague building on Ottawa street.

Our veteran Clinton correspondent makes up for the shortage from other towns this week.

Miss Carrie Powers, who has been attending school in Wisconsin, is home for a short stay.

Jerome Cleveland has been quite sick for the past two weeks but is improving at this writing.

Next Saturday is Valentine's day. The postoffice clerks will be busy passing out the tender missives.

The band benefit entertainment has been postponed, but will probably come of the last week in this month.

Dyke Wilkinson, of Jackson, U. S. Express agent on the Branch, was visiting friends in Tecumseh, last Sunday.

We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Adrian Art Loan. We shall endeavor to use it before the exhibition closes.

M. W. Goodrich and Frank Page have started a cigar box factory.—They have both had experience in the business and ought to succeed.

Hugh Richard, of Jackson, was shaking hands with his old Tecumseh friends the first of the week. We acknowledge a friendly call from him on Tuesday.

Lansing had a scorch Tuesday night. Dr. A. L. Dingman was one of the sufferers, and the drug store owned by J. D. Shull, now a resident of Tecumseh, was burned.

The rising generation have had a little taste of "ye olden time" this week. From Monday evening till Wednesday evening without a mail or a daily paper from any direction.

Elwood Comfort and daughter, of Raisin, are spending a few weeks at San Jose, Cal. They have rented rooms and are keeping house by themselves. As Miss Comfort has considerable leisure time she has been attending the sessions of the State Normal school, with both pleasure and profit.

Addison had a serious scorch last Thursday. The M. & O. house, Eaton's furniture store and Powers & Son's drug store were all consumed. The fire caught in the furniture store while Gill Eaton was at dinner and the store was shut. The full particulars of the fire have undoubtedly been sent by our Addison correspondent but the stoppage of trains on the M. & O. has delayed the letter.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 12, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Polo at the rink Wednesday night.

Tecumseh is getting behind the times. We should organize a progressive euchre club.

Our township department is rather slim this week. Trains all blocked in and no mails received.

"How's your thermometer this morning?" has been the general salutation the past two days.

Thank you, if this be a sample of Dakota weather, we have no desire to emigrate to that blessed country.

Temple McClure & Co. shipped out 22 loads of lumber one forenoon last week, 16 of which went to one man in Milan.

Maggie Glasgow entertained a few of her friends at a birthday party yesterday. The little folks had a jolly good time.

The Nationals have called their state convention at Lansing, on Feb. 25th. The Democrats assemble at Bay City the same day.

Geo. W. Lewis, of Adrian, was in town last Monday making arrangements for the wrestling match which is to come off on the evening of the 14th inst.

The revival meetings at the Baptist church continue this week, except on last evening, when the meeting was omitted on account of the severe weather.

The Manchester and Adrian polo teams are old players and all who wish to see a good game of polo should not fail to attend the rink next Wednesday evening. Music by Knapp's band.

Correspondents are specially requested to write names plainly. It is often impossible to make out names as sent in, and errors consequently occur in spite of our efforts to prevent them.

Lavern Wheeler has been drafting a crayon picture representing a news boy on the run, for the Saginaw Courier. It will be used as an original from which to take lithograph copies for advertising purposes.

The young man who will loaf about town, dead-beat his way among his associates, obtain credit from merchants by falsifying, and attempt to live generally beyond his means, is one that will bear watching under all circumstances and in all places.

A sleigh load of students from the Raisin Valley Seminary visited M. P. Brown last Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Brown performed their part as host and hostess to the satisfaction of the company. After supper the young people made a call at the rink.

A letter from "our old friend, Goliah," Mr. John R. Rosebrough, states that he is now residing in Ann Arbor and enjoying himself. The weekly visits of the HERALD are appreciated, being equal to a long letter from home every week.

Will D. Robbins was shaking hands with his old Tecumseh friends last Friday. He went from here to Adrian but returned Saturday night and remained over the Sabbath. Will is yet in the employ of Sigler Bros, of Cleveland and likes his position. His duties keep him on the road most of the time.

We wish to announce to the public that we have a notary's commission in our safe, and are prepared to do swearing with neatness and dispatch. To meet the hard times we have adopted the "one-quarter off" rate. Now, do not misconstrue this; when we say "one-quarter off" we do not mean the whole quarter, but 6¼ cents.

Lavern Bidwell has bought a fine new genuine hack, but the continued sleighing for the past few weeks has compelled him to keep it housed up. It is a beauty however, and in due time will be run to all trains. The axles are made the ordinary carriage length, so it can be used for occasional trips into the country, as well as around the village.

Evening News A Hebrew soap peddler in the streets of Petersburg took in four men $5 worth each by doing up a $10 bill in paper and throwing it into a paper bag 10 feet off. He then offered the bag and contents for $5; bag opened, contained a piece of red paper and four cents.—The brilliant financier started for Deerfield, and the fool killer is wanted to follow him up.

The Adrian Record of last evening has the following: Mr. B. W. Chapman, conductor of the Adrian accommodation, which left Detroit last night and arrived in this city at noon today, was seen at the Lawrence by a Record man, and Mr. C. says: "I had about the worst experience during my railroad career last night. I was 18 hours making a run of 65 miles and shall never forget it. We encountered huge drifts of snow, which had to be shoveled away before the train could move. One finger of my right hand is frozen stiff, also my ears and the right side of my neck, but we arrived and I am glad of it." "Do you go out again today?" "No siree, I dont.—To-morrow, however, I will start my train as usual, 7:45 standard time."

Will you be my Valentine?

Be sure and see the polo game next Wednesday evening at the rink.

E. A. Tribou, assignee of Woolston Comfort, has filed a $50,000 bond in the County Clerk's office, with J. S. Strong and B.J. Bidwell as sureties.

A whip thief has been getting in his work in Riga village. Treat him to some of his booty—catching him first of course—and he won't steal any more immediately.

The Hudson Post thinks that when you want to see an upright citizen of Rollin you must go to Rollin, for all Rollin citizens are not in that condition when they come to Hudson.

The annual crop of valentines is coming to the front in about the same shape as usual. The show windows are full of them, and the woods are full of dudes who will receive them gratis.

H. L. Jones, agent of the U. S. Express Co., has distributed among his business patrons, a pamphlet containing a list of all offices and points reached by that company in the United States.

The M. & O. officials have inspected Muskegon harbor, and it is probable that the road will be extended to Muskegon next summer and a line of steamers run between that point and Milwaukee.

The Tecumseh hotels had a bonanza Tuesdey night. The P.M. train south on the Lake Shore was held here till yesterday, and our hotels had to keep the train load of passengers over night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. James, of Detroit, arrived in town Saturday. Mr. James will spend a few days in this vicinity on business connected with his house; meanwhile Mrs. James will remain in Tecumseh.

Yesterday morning was the coldest of the season. At six o'clock several thermometers about town marked 30° below. At eight o'clock the thermometers in front of Whitenack's and Geo. Merritt's stores marked 25° below.

Managers of roller skating rinks say that ladies should never try to learn to skate with high heeled shoes. A shoe with a common sense heel is far preferable and the wearer is not near as liable to fall. No doubt the fair ones will take note of this.

The Clinton Local of last week contains a fine leader upon the duty of every community to sustain their home newspaper. It is excellent both in language and sentiment, and our Clinton friends would further their own interests by heeding its advice.

The Record asks: "Why could not an association of the graduates of Michigan University be organized in Adrian?" We second the motion, with this amendment. That all graduates in the county be invited to participate, and a Lenawee association be organized.

The Meigs—Underhill concert which was advertised for this evening will not take place, the date having been cancelled. The troupe asked to have the date changed to Saturday evening, which the committee did not feel justified in doing, so the engagement was cancelled for the present. A new date will probably be arranged for some time in March.

The "open winter" has proved to be one of the severest experienced for a number of years. Its terrors and rigors have resulted in unnumbered fatalities. Many people throughout the West have been frozen to death, caught in the terrible blizzards that prevailed between the Mississippi and Pacific, while cattle, sheep and hogs have been frozen by thousands. But not only has the severe winter been attended with fatalities in the west.—All over the country hardly a day has passed for the last month or more that does not bring the intelligence of some one dying from want, destitution, starvation and freezing.

James W. Cole is propeietor of the Central Meat Market. Many years experience in the business, a good location, a thorough acquaintance with all the farmers of Northern Lenawee, and a liberal method of doing business, form a combination that holds the lead in his line. His market is always supplied with the best of meats and fish and he keeps a full supply of garden truck and vegetables in their season. The proprietor proposes to keep up with the times in his business and intends to sell more meat than ever during the coming season. His aim is to keep all his old customers and gather in new ones as fast as they come.

The Adrian Times says: If Judge Cooley will accept a nomination as member of the supreme court there is no doubt about his receiving it at the hands of the republican convention, by aclamation. There is a suggestion that his nomination be endorsed by all the parties, and the way in which leading democrats speak of the proposition makes it very prboable that that party would readily support him. Such an endorsement would be but a fitting compliment to the eminent fitness and worth of the man.

We most heartily commend this proposition. Let the people of Michigan honor the man by a unanimous election, whose legal learning and social accomplishments have reflected so much honor upon the State.

Go and see the grand wrestling contest at the Opera House next Saturday evening.

Mr. Henry Burnett started for Cleveland, Ohio, last Saturday, where he has a position in the high school of that city.

Rev. C. E. Conley is quite ill with an attack of erysipelas. He was obliged to remain out of the pulpit last Sunday. The attack however is not considered serious, and he hopes to be about again soon.

The storm of Monday and the blizzard of Tuesday extended over all the northern states. Trains were blockaded and snow bound on all the roads. No regular trains left Chicago on Tuesday upon any railroad.

A violent storm, one of the worst of the season, passed over this section on Monday, and on Tuesday we were given a foretaste of a genuine Dakota blizzard. Business has been dull during the week in consequence.

The East Saginaw Daily Courier appeared last Sunday in an entire new dress. It is a model newspaper, ably edited and skillfully managed, and the fact of its investing in a new suit in these close times shows that it must be thriving. The Courier will continue to hold the lead in the Saginaw Valley.

Mr. Wm. Kniffin and Miss Edith May Morrell were united in the bonds of matrimony on Wednesday evening, Feb. 4th, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. B. F. Rapp, of Balch. The presents to the wedded pair, which were both ornamental and useful, were numerous, and were by them duly appreciated.

In the appropriate column will be found the announcement of the marriage of Mr. Isaac C. Wolcott to Miss Sarah E. Swartout. Both the contracting parties have been well and favorably known in this community for many years. They have chosen wisely. We can unite with their friends in extending our heartiest congratulations, and an earnest wish that their happiest anticipations may be fully realized.

Mr. G. W. Lewis has arranged a grand wrestling match, which will take place at the Tecumseh Opera House on Saturday evening next, Feb. 14th. At that time Andre Christol, of France, Ex-Champion United States Græco-Roman, and Chas. Moth, Prussian Champion, will wrestle for a purse of $200. Best three in five, Græco-Roman, Catch-as-catch-can.—They will wrestle until the entire finish. Admission fifty cents to all parts of the house. Reserved seats at Adamson's. Doors open at seven. Performance begins promptly at eight.

George Tansley goes to Addison his week and will soon open a furniture store there in the building formerly occupied by Fred Smiley. His son, Harry Tansley, will assume his father's position as undertaker for J. S. Kinney. Mr. George Tansley will attach an undertaking department to his Addison store. He is a graduate of the Cincinnati embalming school and is thoroughly posted on all the details of that special line of the furniture trade. He is also a good business man and a most genial gentleman. We commend him to the good wishes of the Addison people with confidence that he will be a valuable acquisition to that community. Tecumseh's loss, in this case, will be Addison's gain.

RINK RACKET.

Knapp's sextette band made first-class music last Tuesday evening, if it was cold weather.

George Farnsworth of Adrian attended the rink last Thursday evening.

Next Wednesday evening the Manchester polo team will play a game of polo with the Adrian team at the Tecumseh rink. As both are first-class clubs, a good game is looked for. Knapp's band will furnish the music.

Saturday afternoon seems to be the time for the young man from the country and his best girl, and they were there in full force last Saturday.

That Tecumseh has a large number of good skaters cannot be denied. From the old married man down to the youngster of six years, all are regular attendants at the rink, and all are becoming quite expert on rollers, and a good evening's entertainment can be had by taking a spectator's seat and watching the skaters go around. Among the gents there is W. T. Eccles, who is an easy skater, is "catching on" to lots of fancy tricks, and in leading the grand march, probably has no equal in Tecumseh. Then Walter Powers, Harry Stevens, Al. Heesen all are perfectly at home on skates and improving every day. Young Mont. Roland is small but he gets there every time, and can go through as many steps as any of them. As for Reed and Smith it's their business to skate good and to teach the young ladies also. One of the most graceful lady skaters is Miss Dena Heesen, and her sister, Miss Hannah, is another. Maud Eccles is the fancy skater among the ladies, and Rose Miller carries the medal as the swiftest one. Mrs. Burt Conklin, Misses Cora Jones, Stella Cleveland, Eliza Jones, Mrs. Bidwell, all are easy and graceful skaters.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The "spellin skule" is having a big run down in Morenci.

Ira Weyburn has been appointed deputy sheriff at Hudson.

Col. Bob Ingersoll lectured at Adrian last Monday evening.

The Addison rink will be ready for rollers the last of this week.

The Adrian Art Loan was opened to the public on Saturday last.

The Day Bros. are the new landlords at the Central Hotel in Adrian.

Dr. and Mrs. N. H. Kimball, of Adrian, will visit New Orleans this month.

Adrian wants a big charity ball, but Hudson will be satisfied with a new depot.

Wm. Jibb, of Morenci, has been appointed deputy oil inspector for this district.

The dances at the M. & O. house in Addison will have to be postponed for the present.

The Democratic County Convention has been called for Saturday, the 21st inst.

Eight couples of Tecumseh young people visited the Adrian roller rink last Thursday evening.

The Hudson flour mill has froze up: that is, the water has froze up, and without water the mill refuses to grind.

B. C. Knapp has bought the Jerry Tuttle stock of goods at Franklin Centre and will continue the business at the old stand.

The weather clerk favored this latitude with a snow storm last Monday for a change. It looks now like a run of sleighing.

Morenci had only one representative at the Adrian wrestling match. We regret that Morenci should be so lacking in enterprise.

Rev. E. G. Nock, rector of Christ's Church in Adrian, has resigned, and the vestry have accepted his resignation. He goes to Ionia.

Bro. Spafford of the Clinton Local bought a sausage the other night at the meat market, and while preparing to pay for it, some one made off with the sausage. That celebrated medical, journalistic, shot-gun manufacturer should be watched.

Hudson Gazette: The Bohemian oat men are in our midst. If the State press have it right (and they seem to be pretty general in their warnings to farmers to touch not, handle not,) the yeoman who indulges will repent it more sorrowfully than he did the worst wild oats he ever sowed.

Adrian Press: Some one broke a back window in Wentz's bakery, on North Main street, about 11 o'clock Wednesday evening, passed into the store part, broke open the till and got about $1.00 in pennies. Blood on the money drawer, showed that the thief cut his hands with the glass.

Hudson Gazette: People in this vicinity always knew Addison by the cognomen of "Coontown," and until late years the place was more familiarly known by that name. The place got this appellation in the Clay campaign, when all Addison was almost a unit for that statesman, and as the coon skin was an emblem of that party, hence the name.

Hudson Gazette: The teacher desired to impress upon her scholars the penalty of evil-doing. "Johnnie, where would you go if you should steal?" "To Canada," responded Johnnie, quickly. In the Trinity S. S. of this place, a teacher asked one of her cherubs last Sunday "who St. John was?" "He is a Prohibitionist," was the sanguine reply of the youngster.

The Adrian Times gives this reason why progressive euchre parties are so popular. "It is because they are inexpensive, informal, and afford ample opportunities for sociability, visiting, entertainment and amusement. I think it is fortunate that the simple game has been inaugurated. It leaves a great deal of money which would have been spent in formal receptions for more practical purposes."

An exchange says: "The latest swindle bobbing around the country proves to be a man with a corn sheller. He calls and begs to set up a sheller; the request is granted, when the man leaves it to be tried and takes a receipt for it; another man comes along and the receipt proves to be a note for three or four times the value of the sheller. Who will be the first in this part of the country to bite? Don't miss the chance. It will make you feel so well, and will give your neighbors a chance to laugh at you and pronounce you a fool."

Dundee Reporter: Thomas Lodge of Dundee and Custer Lodge of East Milan, I. O. O. F., were duly consolidated Monday evening by Past Grand Master Sprague, of Ann Arbor, specially deputized by the Grand Master to perform the work. The consolidated Lodge continues as Thomas Lodge, No. 211. The officers elected and installed were the same recently installed by Thomas Lodge with the exception of Vice Grand, Benj. F. Paine of Custer Lodge being elected to that position. By the consolidation Thomas Lodge receives an increase of about 15 members.

RAILROADING IN SNOW DRIFTS.

Not in many years has such a railroad blockade occurred as was occasioned by the last storm. On the M. & O. road there has been a total suspension of all trains since Monday, and on the Lake Shore since Tuesday morning.

The situation on the M. & O. has been briefly this: The freight train eastward, which left Allegan on Monday morning got stalled in a snow drift near Monteith and remained there two days. The west bound passenger train Monday noon stuck in a snow drift two miles this side of Ceresco. The snow plow went up the road Tuesday morning and was engaged Tuesday and Wednesday in extricating this passenger train. The Monday freight westward went to Homer and returned to Toledo the same evening. The trains on this road will resume running on the regular schedule to-morrow.

On the Lake Shore road there was fun. The Tuesday morning freight train north went up the road as usual although late. The noon passenger train north came to Lenawee Junction and remained there that afternoon and all night, and then went on to Adrian. Heavy drifts had filled the track near John Hanley's and T. I. Sutton's, south of the village during the day Tuesday. About noon the snow plow was started from the Junction and came through to Tecumseh. It then started back and got stalled in a big drift opposite Joshua Taylor's farm. The engine of the south bound freight was then summoned from up the road, and the two locomotives went south to extricate the snow plow. But the snow plow was too much for the two locomotives and the three remained in the drift till Wednesday morning. Early Wednesday morning a car load of shovelers was dispatched from Adrian, and by noon the imprisoned train was shoveled out. The snow plow then came back to this village and on north to Jackson. The afternoon passenger southward Tuesday P.M. came as far as this station and remained here over night. It left here about two o'clock yesterday afternoon with one coach and a gang of shovelers and got through safely to Lenawee Junction and Adrian about five o'clock. The Tuesday noon train northward went up the road about five o'clock yesterday afternoon. The track is now cleared and trains are running to-day as usual.

Yesterday forenoon, taking a horse and cutter and an office boy to drive, we started for the scene of operations near John Hanley's. When opposite the Patterson farm the horse halted in a heavy drift. He could neither back out nor turn round and we were compelled to unhitch, turn the cutter round and hitch the horse on again. The boy was sent back with the horse and cutter and we started down the track on foot. About half a mile out we met Joe Russell, who had footed it from Lenawee Junction. He came from Toledo on the Tuesday noon train, on his return from Buffalo with a load of cattle, and had been waiting at Lenawee Junction till yesterday morning, when he got hungry and started for home on foot. From him we learned that the snow plow was at Sutton's. Thinking that a walk of four miles to see a gang of shovelers shovel snow would be paying too dearly for the whistle, we retraced our steps and interviewed the railroad officials at home.

—FOR SALE: A fine 80 acres of land, being the west 80 of the Stephen V. Miller farm in Macon township, one and one-half miles from Ridgeway and four and one-half miles east of Tecumseh. About seventy acres under plow, balance good timber. No buildings. Fine soil, cultivation and water. Thirty-two acres wheat on the ground. Price, $75.00 per acre, wheat included. One-half or two-thirds payment would give immediate possession. A bargain for somebody. Address L. C. Miller, Pratt, Pratt Co., Kansas, for further particulars.

—When in need of blacksmithing of any kind, call and see us at our new shop—the old Cummins Carriage Factory. Kyle & Haynes.

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Talmage on Tobacco.

Rev. De Witt Talmage, in a sermon said of tobacco as follows:

"One reason why there are so many victims of this habit is because there are so many ministers of religion who smoke and chew. They smoke until they get bronchitis, and the dear people have to pay their expenses to Europe. They smoke until the nervous system breaks down. They smoke themselves to death. I could name three eminent clergymen who died of cancer in the mouth, and in every case the physician said it was tobacco. There has been a clergyman whose tombstone was all covered up with eulogy, which ought to have had the honest epitaph 'Killed by too much Cavendish!' Some of them smoke until the room is blue, and their spirits are blue, and the world is blue, and everything is blue.

"Time was when God passed by such sins, but it becomes the duty of the American clergy who indulge in this narcotic to repent. How can a man preach temperance to the people when he is himself indulging in an appetite like that? I have seen a cuspidore in a pulpit where the minister would drop his cud before he got up to read 'Blessed are the pure in heart,' and to read about 'Rolling sin as a sweet morsel under the tongue!' and in Leviticus to read about unclean animals that chew the cud. I have known presbyteries and general assemblies and general synods where there was a room set apart for the ministers to smoke in. I have seen ministers of religion, their beards anointed not with holy oil, such as ran down Aaron's beard, but with poisonous saliva. Oh! it is a sorry spectacle, a consecrated man, a holy man of God, looking around for something which you take to be looking for a larger field of usefulness. He is not looking for that at all. He is only looking for some place where he can discharge a mouthful of tobacco juice!

"I am glad the Methodist Church of the United States in nearly all its conferences has passed resolutions against this habit, and is is time that we had an anti-tobacco chorus in the Presbyterian Church, and the Episcopal Church, and the Baptist Church, and the Congregational Church. About sixty years ago a young man graduated from Andover Theological Seminary into the ministry. He went straight to the front. He had an eloquence and personal magnetism before which nothing could stand; but he was soon thrown into the insane asylum for twenty years, and the doctor said it was tobacco that sent him there. According to the custom then in vogue, he was allowed a small portion of tobacco every day. After he had been there nearly twenty years, walking the floor one day he had a sudden return of reason, and he realized what was the matter. He threw his plug of tobacco through the iron grates, and said—'What brought me here? What keeps me here? Why am I here? Tobacco! tobacco! O, God, help! help! and I'll never use it again.' He was restored. He was brought forth. For ten years he successfully preached the gospel of Jesus Christ, and then went into a blissful immortality.

"There are ministers of religion to-day indulging in narcotics, dying by inches, and they do not know what is the matter with them. I might, in a word, give my own experience. It took ten cigars to make a sermon. I got very nervous. One day I awakened to the outrage I was inflicting upon myself. I was about change settlements, and a generous wholesale tobacconist in Philadelphia said if I would only come to Philadelphia he would, all the rest of my life, provide me with cigars free of charge.

"I said to myself, if in these war times, when cigars are so costly, and my salary is small, I smoke more than I ought to, what would I do if I had gratuitous and illimitable supply? And then and there, twenty years ago, I quit once and forever. It made a new man of me, and though I have since then done as much hard work as any one, I think I have had the best health God ever blessed a man with. A minister of religion can't afford to smoke."

The Leading-Strings Fallacy.

From the moment a child is born, he is treated on the principle that all his instincts are essentially wrong, that nature must be thwarted and counteracted in every possible way. He is strapped up in a contrivance that he would be glad to exchange for a straight-jacket, kept for hours in a position that prevents him from moving any limb of his body. His first attempts at locomotion are checked; he is put in leading-strings, he is carefully guarded from the out-door world, from the air that would invigorate his lungs; from the sports that would develop his muscles. Hence, the peevishness, awkwardness, and sickliness of our young aristocrats. Poor people have no time to imitate the absurdities of their wealthy neighbors, and their children profit by what the model nurse would undoubtedly call neglect. Indian babies are still better off. They are fed on bull-beef, and kicked around like young dogs; but they are not swaddled, they are not cradled, and not dosed with paregoric; they crawl around naked, and soon learn to keep out of the way; they are happy, they never cry. If we would treat our youngsters in the same way, only substituting kisses and bread for kicks and beef, they would be as happy as kids in a clover field, and moreover they would afterward be hardier and stronger. Every week the newspapers tell us about ladies tumbling down stairs and breaking both arms; boys falling from a fence and fracturing their collar bones. From what height would a young Comanche have to fall to break such bones—not to mention Southsea Island children and young monkeys? The bones of an infant are plastic; letting it tumble and roll about would harden the bony tissue; guarding it like a piece of brittle crockery makes its limbs as fragile as glass. Christian mothers reproach themselves with neglecting their duty to their children if they do not constantly interfere with their movements, but they forget that in points of physical education Nature herself is such an excellent teacher that the apparent neglect is really a transfer of the pupil to a more efficient school.

A FEMININE DEFENDER OF TOBACCO.—In support of his stand unearths an article written by Margaret, Duchess of Newcastle, some two hundred years ago. In defense of the seductive weed that lady wrote: "It composes the mind, it busies the thoughts, it attracts all outward objects to the mind's view, it settles and retents the senses, it cheers the understanding, strengthens the judgment, spies out errors, it exasperates follies, it heats ambition, it comforts sorrow, it abates passion, it excites to noble actions, it digests conceptions, it creates fancies, it quickens wit, and it makes reason pleader and truth judge in all disputes or controversies between right and wrong."

Some Physical Fruits of Idleness.

The mind should be always occupied; it is strengthened and preserved in a healthy state by work, whereas it decays or becomes impoverished by disease; or what is even worse, since it is impossible to keep the brain absolutely at rest, its powers should be partially employed, or they react on the system, and give rise to the nondescript ailments, physical, mental, and moral, known as hysteria. This term almost implies that I am thinking of the female sex; certainly, it is to women especially that the want of occupation applies. Young men are forced to get their living whether they like it or not; but a large number of young ladies in a family have absolutely nothing to do. Those brought up in the country have this advantage, that they may always make work for themselves; the village children may be otherwise taught and cared for; bringing not only a blessing upon them, but a healthy body and mind to the benefactor. In town the condition of middle-class girls is to me pitiable. They are too genteel to follow any occupation; they are often too many in a family to assist in domestic duties; they have returned home with some very poor accomplishments; their knowledge of French and German is not sufficient to allow them to converse in those languages; with music just enough to indulge in doleful song or play badly on the piano. They dawdle through the day in a listless way, and fall victims to a thousand little ailments which the doctor is supposed to put right by physic. And the most curious thing is that, should the instincts of the girl force her to put some of her energies into use, she is likely as not to be thwarted by her mother. I am a daily witness to this, and when young ladies are brought to me for advice, the invariable story is that they are overtaxing their strength; the maternal instinct being so perverted that it has become with many the belief that every movement means fatigue, and absolute rest is the way to ensure health. It is against this very erroneous view that I am now preaching. These mothers do not come to the doctor for advice, but come to dictate to him; and they say, "I want you, doctor, to insist on my daughter not playing the organ at church, for it is too much for her; or having the children's class once a week, for she is always ill after it; but order her to have her breakfast in bed, and a glass of port wine about 11 o'clock." It is this fanciful care on the part of parents which is so injurious for the very energy of young people would command them to occupy themselves. I do not know that girls are worse than boys in respect of idleness; for probably the latter would not work unless obliged, and even for them an occupation is good, quite apart from that at which they earn their daily bread.

Sun-Spot Suppositions.

Enthusiasts who make a special study of sun-spots and attendant phenomena believe that the corner-stone of a new science is being laid by discoveries pointing to an intimate connection between solar and terrestrial meteorology. Just what the connection is they are not yet able to clearly define, although electricity is suspected of being the agent through which the effects are manifested upon our planet. It is known that the gaseous envelope of the sun is affected by eruptions of such prodigious magnitude as to be utterly beyond our power of conception, these disturbances appearing to us in the form of rapidly changing spots and protuberances. The eras of the spots—or sun-storms—occur at remarkably regular intervals, a complete cycle of the various stages of activity from maximum to minimum and again to maximum being performed in about eleven years—the so-called "sun-spot period." The sun-spot physicists claim a coincidence of the periods of maximum spots and years of great atmospheric and physical disturbance in the earth. The year 1881 was one of great solar disturbances, while it was marked by violent storms and earthquakes upon our globe. Further than this, these scientists claim to have recently detected by simultaneous observation minor atmospheric changes as the result of corresponding movements in the sun. Many difficulties attend these observations, but the Astronomer Royal for Scotland and others believe that the state of the sun will some day become an important factor in weather forecasts and like calculations.

Home Politeness.

A boy who is polite to his father and mother is likely to be polite to every one else. A boy lacking politeness to his parents may have the semblance of courtesy in society, but is never truly polite in spirit, and is in danger, as he becomes familiar, of betraying his real want of courtesy. We are all in danger of living too much for the outside world, for the impression which we make in society, coveting the good opinions of those who are in a sense a part of ourselves, and who will continue to sustain and be interested in us, notwithstanding these defects of deportment and character. We say to every boy and to every girl, cultivate the habits of courtesy and propriety at home—in the sitting room and the kitchen, as well as in the parlor—and you will be sure in other places to deport yourself in a becoming and attractive manner. When one has a pleasant smile and a graceful demeanor, it is a satisfaction to know these are not put on, but that they belong to the character, and are manifest at all times and under all circumstances.

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Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 26 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 23 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 37 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 52 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 01
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	8 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	8 40	9 22
Hand	5 51	9 53	8 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 01
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 33
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 01
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction...	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 31
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 05	9 33	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 40
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	P. M.
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	8 00
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 48
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 33
6 37	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 21
6 53	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 05
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 37	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 35
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 29
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 12
8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 55
8 21		3 45	Montcalm	11 35		5 47
8 33		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 37
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 32
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		3 00
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		2 05
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		1 20
11 55		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P. M.	A L	A. M.		

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This is a wicked world, and man is dreadfully mortal. Let us take him just as he is, not as he ought to be. In the first place, he is very weak. The wife must spend the first two years in discovering all these weaknesses, count them on her fingers, and learn them by heart. The fingers of both hands will not be too many. Then let her study up these weaknesses, with a mesh for every one, and the secret is hers.

Is he fond of a good dinner? Let her lighten the mesh around him with fragrant coffee, light bread and good things generally, and reach his heart through his stomach. Is he fond of flattery about his looks? Let her study the dictionary for sweet words, if her supply gives out. Does he like to hear her talk about his brilliant intellect? Let her pore over the encyclopædia to give variety to the depth of her admiration. Flattery is a good thing to study up at all hazards, in all its delicate shades, but it must be skillfully done. The harpy who may try to coax him away will not do it absurdly. Is he fond of beauty? Here's the rub—let her be bright and tidy; that is half the victory. Next, let her bang her hair metaphorically and keep up with the times. A husband who sees his wife look like other people is not going to consider her "broken down."

Though it is a common sneer that a woman has admitted that her sex consider more, in marrying, the tastes of her friends than her own, yet it must be considered ludicrous that a man looks at his wife with the same eyes that other people do. Is he fond of literary matters? Listen to him with wide open eyes when he talks of them. A man doesn't so much care for a literary wife if only she will be literary enough to appreciate him. If she have literary inclinations let her keep them to herself. Men love to be big and great to their wives. That's the reason why a helpless little woman can marry three times to a sensible, self-reliant woman's none. Cultivate helplessness. Is he curious? Oh, then you have a treasure; you can always keep him, if you have a secret and only keep it carefully.

Is he jealous? Then, woman, this is not for you; cease torturing that fretted heart which wants you for his own, and teach him confidence. Is he ugly in his temper, and faultfinding? Give him a dose of his own medicine, skillfully done. Is he deceitful? Pity him for his weakness, treat him as one who is born with a physical defect, but put your wits to work—it is a bad case. It is well not to be too tame. Men do not waste their powder and shot on hens and barnyard fowls; they like the pleasure of pursuing wild game—quail and grouse and deer. A quail is a good model for a wife—neat and trim, with a pretty, swift way about it, and just a little capricious. Never let yourself become an old story; be just a little uncertain.

Another important fact is, don't be too good; it hurts his feelings and becomes monotonous. Cultivate a pleasant voice, so that this very mortal man may have his conscience prick him when he is in jeopardy; its pleasant ring will haunt him much more than would a shrill one. It is hard to do all this, besides taking care of the babies and looking after vexatious household cares, and smiling when he comes home, but it seems necessary. "To be born a woman is to be born a martyr," says a husband who for ten years has watched in amazement his wife treading the winepress of her existence. It is a pitiful sight to some men.

But if the wife does not make a study of these things, the harpy will, to steal away the honor from his silver hairs when he is full of years and the father of sons and daughters. At the same time, gude-wife, keep from trying any of these things on any mortal man but your own. These rules are only evolved in order to "keep a husband." The poor, weak creature would rather be good than bad, and it is woman's duty to hold him by every means in her power.—*The Argonaut.*

Shoulder of Veal Braised.

Buy a shoulder of veal, which, according to the locality of your butcher, will cost you from eight to fourteen cents a pound. And let us say just here, that on account of the quantities of immature veal thrown on the market, you had better be sure of your butcher and pay fourteen cents than to buy a suspicious article for eight. Untrimmed it will weigh seven or eight pounds. Have every bit of bone taken out and put them aside for stock. Make a pint bowl full of dressing, flavoring according to taste, but not strongly with any one condiment. Insert this in the pocket made by the butcher. Dot it all over with pieces of butter as large as a hickory nut. About two ounces will be sufficient, and season with pepper and salt. Bits of very nice dripping may be placed in the four corners of the pan. Dredge thoroughly with flour, and place in a good oven. Baste occasionally with the gravy made by the butter, but add no water until the meat is well browned. This will be from half to three quarters of an hour, when you may add a large cupful of boiling water. Baste every fifteen minutes until done. It will require about two hours. Carve down straight through the middle and cut to both ends; serve with spinach. This is a most economical and delicious dish. What is left may be sliced and heated in the sauce, or minced and used for a salad.

A Rare Talent.

The faculty of drawing out of persons with whom one is conversing the best there is in them—brighter things even than they suppose themselves capable of—is the rare gift with which Nature has endowed some women. George Eliot was a most charming person in conversation, though she was a women of few words, because of her intuitive insight into the thoughts of others. A few words would put her in possession, not of what they said, but of what they would fain have said, and she would so improve upon it that ordinary people went away charmed with her who had made them for once at least feel themselves to be wise. Long afterward, perhaps, she would call to their remembrance the wise or witty things which they could hardly believe themselves to have said, and which they assuredly never would have said but for her quickening influence.

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Useful Recipes.

Rye Breakfast Cakes.—Two cups of rye meal, one-half cup of sweet milk, one teaspoonful of soda, and a little salt. Bake at once in gem pans.

Lemon Butter for Tarts.—Lemon butter is excellent for tarts. It is made as follows: One pound pulverized white sugar, whites of six eggs and yolks of two, three lemons, including grated rind and the juice. Cook twenty minutes over a slow fire, stirring all the while.

Parsley Sauce.—Wash a bunch of parsley in cold water, then boil it for six or seven minutes in salt and water; drain it, cut the leaves from the stalk and chop them fine. Have ready some melted butter and stir in the parsley; allow two small tablespoonfuls of leaves to one-half pint of butter. Serve with fish and with boiled fowls.

Baked Apple Pudding.—Six apples well stewed, quarter of a pound of butter, half of it stirred into the apples while hot; add sugar to taste; when cold add six eggs well beaten to the apples. Pound and sift six crackers, butter your dish and put in a layer of cracker and a layer of the prepared apple, and thus until you have filled your dish; let the cracker be the upper layer and put the remainder of your butter in small bits upon it. Bake half an hour.

Sauce Tartare.—Mix the following ingredients with a pint of good mayonnaise, and keep the sauce cool until wanted for use: One teaspoonful of chopped shallot or white onion, one tablespoonful each of finely chopped capers, parsley, and pickled gherkins; in the spring and summer add one tablespoonful of chopped green tarragon; in the winter substitute the sprig of tarragon which is always placed in the bottles containing capers, and which, of course, must be finely chopped.

Beef a la Mode.—Take ten or twelve pounds of beef, (rump,) and lard the meat through with ten long pieces of fat bacon; then put it into a long earthen pan with a calf's foot, four onions, two carrots, (if large cut in slices,) a bunch of parsley, two bay leaves, two sprigs of thyme, two cloves stuck into one of the onions, half a teaspoonful of pepper, one of salt, four wine-glasses of sherry, four wine-glasses of water, and a pound of steaked bacon cut in squares; put a cover over the pan, and make it air-tight with a paste of flour and water around the edges; place it in a moderate oven for four hours; then take it out of the pan and dress it upon a dish with vegetables; pass the gravy through a hair sieve and pour it over the meat and serve. This dish is the best eaten cold, when it should not be taken from the pan or the pan opened until nearly so.

Practical Proverbs.

I wouldn't gin a cent for de man who quotes old proverbs an' adopts second-han' mottoes,' began Brother Gardner, of the Detroit Limeklin Club, as the crunching of harvest apples suddenly ceased. "Dis am an aige fur ebery man to hold his own plow, an' who am content to let some one else hold it must be satisfied wid cobs in place of co'n. Ef I was so poo' an' low-down dat I had to pick rags, I would have my own maxims an' mottoes. Instead of sayin' 'Doan' put off till to-morrow what kin be dun to-day,' I would have it: 'Now, ole man, you git right up 'n dust, an' sling mo' rags dis week dan any odder chap kin in a month.' De odder day I met Comeback Jones. You know he am 'bout sixty y'ars old, an' bout as hard up as a woodchuck in a b'ar's grip. I axed de ole man how he was keepin' up wid de purcheshun, an' he replied, "Wall, ize mighty hard up; but dey say it am a long lane dat has no turn." Jist fink of an ole man did one No. 13 in de grave waitin' fur a turn in de lane to bring him heaps to eat an' lots to w'ar?—All frew life he has carried dat second-han' sayin' wid him, an' am yet a believer in it. Why didn't he have one of his own? If he had said forty years ago: "Doan' foller any lane, but cut across-lots," de wolf wouldn't be arter him to-day. A man who hes de will to make a motto hes de pluck to make it a success. 'Buckle down to bizness' am a better motto dan any book kin give ye. Let me, in closin', quote some of de mottoes an maxims belongin' to members of dis club:

Sir Isaac Walpole—'Doan' drap fifteen cents in reachin' fur a dollar.'

Waydown Bebee—'When ye can't dig frew a wall climb ober it.'

Giveadam Jones—'Git dar,' if it takes a leg.

Pickles Smith—'Ye can't swim a ribber by sittin' on a bank.'

Samuel Shin—'Set yer alarm-clock fur six in de mornin'.'

Trustee Pullback—'If de road am up hill, stiffen yer back-bone a little mo'.'

Kyan Johnson—'De man who w'ars his hat on his ear shows de empty side of his head.'

Brutus Jackson—'Hoe co'n wid yer hans and arms 'stead of yer mouf.'

Elder Toots—'Take a job at fust sight, but doan' trade hosses till ye fink it ober.'

Writing for the Press.

There are thousands of young folks who long to write for the papers and get well paid for it. From the first they think they ought to receive three or four dollars a column, valuing their attempts by the labor expended upon them rather than by their capacity for pleasing the public. Now to get handsomely paid one must write handsomely; to write handsomely one must know what the public knows, or would like to know, and be able to tell it in such a style that the public will be eager to hear it. There are thousands who long to write, but have no special aptitude or preparation or resource for writing, just as there are thousands who long to be rich, but cannot compass their desires in that direction, and thousands who long to be beautiful, and vainly exhaust fashion, corsets and all that in the attempt. Meantime, those who are bound to succeed at writing, and "have it in them," to succeed, will keep on steadily and quietly at their books and pens, climbing up slowly, it may be, but steadily, to place and pay, first deserving success and then attaining it—just as men grow rich by small accretions at first and larger accretions afterward. There is an immense reading public, and there must be an immense army of writers to supply the demand. As education and intelligence advance, the demands on writers for higher grades of literary work and newspaper work, will advance, and the more difficult it will be to fill the highest place of honor and emolument in the world whereof the pen is the power. But the lists are open to all, and some must surely succeed. Why not you as well as another?

"Mamie," said he, and his voice was alarmingly low, "will you be my wife? Will you cling to me as the tender vine clings to the—" "Yes, I catch on," said she.

How Does He Sleep?

One of the most important things to know about any man upon whom you are going to place any dependence, is how he sleeps. Sleeplessness may sometimes be involuntary. There may have been some shock to the man's nerves which has made him insomnolent; but sleeplessness is more frequently voluntary. Men choose to push their studies or their work into those hours when they should sleep. It does not matter for what cause any man may do this, the mere fact of not sleeping spoils his case. He may spend his nights in the theater, in the study, or in the "protracted meeting." It will make no difference; the result to the body will be the same. The sleep was not had, and for that the man must pay.

One man may do with a little less sleep than another; but, as a general rule, if you want a clerk, a lieutenant, a lawyer, a physician, a legislator, a judge, a president or a pastor, do not trust your interests to any man that does not take eight good, solid hours of sleep out of every twenty-four. Whatever may be his reason for it, if he does not give himself that he will snap sometime just when you want him to be strong.

The intellectual and moral connections of sleeping have, I think, not been sufficiently appreciated. Men and boys have been praised for "burning the midnight oil." Now this "midnight oil" is a delusion and a snare. The student who is fast asleep at eleven o'clock every night and wide awake every morning at seven o'clock is going to surpass another student of the same intellectual ability who goes to bed after twelve and rises before five. In sleep, the plate on which the picture is to be taken is receiving its chemical preparation, and it is plain that that which is the best prepared will take the best picture.

Men who are the fastest asleep when they are asleep, are the widest awake when they are awake.

Great workers must be great resters.

Every man who has clerks in his employ ought to know what their sleeping habits are. The young man who is up till two, three and four o'clock in the morning, and must put in his appearance at the bank or store by nine or ten o'clock and work all day, cannot repeat this process many days without a certain shakiness coming into his system, which he will endeavor to steady by some delusive stimulus. It is this way that many a young man begins his course to ruin. He need not necessarily have been in bad company. He has lost his sleep; and losing sleep is losing strength and grace.—*Rev. Dr. Deems.*

Splendid Honors.

The public should note the fact that the only proprietary medicine on earth that ever received the supreme award of Gold Medal at the great International Word Fairs, Industrial Expositions and State Fairs, is St. Jacobs Oil. After the most thorough and practical tests, in hospitals and elsewhere, it has universally triumphed over all competitors, and been proclaimed by Judges and Jurors, including eminent physicians, to be the best pain-curing remedy in existence.

Missed the Train.

It was a colored man. His back was all dirt, one tail of his coat was gone, and every button had been ripped off his vest. He had two limps and a hitch as he came out, and there was a new French shade of sadness in his voice as he toed the mark and said:

"I missed de train, sah."

"Yes, it looks like it. Is your name Gen. Scott Green?'

"Yes, sah."

"What train did you miss?"

"I doan' just remember what train it was."

"Whar was you going?"

"Down the road."

"What road?'

"Dat's what I can't 'member, sah."

"Well do you remember of getting on a drunk?'

"No, sah. Maybe I called fur lemonade an' dey gin me whisky, but I doan' zackly 'member it. All I recollect is dat I missed de train.'

"I think you got the train all right. You were training around pretty lively when the officer got hold of your collar."

"I allus walks in my sleep, sah."

"Well, that's bad for you. You broke a window, kicked in a doo, and raised a big row. Have you observed the state of your wardrobe?"

"I has deserved dat I'm all broke up, sah. Dis suit ob close cost me seben dollars cash, an' I doan't believe it would sell fur six. Did dey roll me down sta'rs?"

"No; you resisted arrest and the officer had to mop you around a little."

"He did? I wish I'd bin dar to seen de fun. Kin I step out an' see my pardner 'bout two minits?"

"No, sir; you can step up to the workhouse for sixty days."

"Shoo! Why, dat upsets me from gwine to Bufferler.'

"Can't help that. Please fall back."

"Can't I settle dis lawsuit fur fifty cents?"

"No, sir. The omnibus will be along for you in about twenty minutes. Call the next case.'—*Detroit Free Press.*

Experience vs. Inexperience.

It is a matter of regret that in introducing Hood's Sarsaparilla, its proprietors are obliged to overcome a certain distrust by some people who have unfortunately bought worthless compounds mixed by persons ignorant of pharmacy. Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co. are reliable pharmacists of long experience and they make no claims for Hood's Sarsaparilla which cannot be substantiated by the strongest proof. And we say to those who lack confidence, read the unsolicited testimonials in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla and then prove its merits by actual personal test. We are confident you will not be disappointed, but will find it a medicine of great value, which can be implicitly relied upon. 100 Doses $1.

HOW TO CURE SORE THROAT.—"One who has tried it" communicates the following seasonable item about curing sore throats to the New York *Herald*: "Let each one of your half million readers buy at any drug store one ounce of camphorated oil, and five cents worth of chlorate of potash. Whenever any soreness appears in the throat put the potash in half a tumbler of water, and with it gargle the throat thoroughly; then rub the neck thoroughly with the camphorate oil at night before going to bed, and also pin around the throat a small strip of woolen flannel. This is a simple, cheap and sure remedy.

The three outlets of disease are the bowels, the skin and the kidneys. Regulate their action with the best purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters.

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There are 90,000 illiterate persons in Massachusetts.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says, "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven booxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

It is authoritatively stated that the precentage of short-sighted children in Germany is three to thirty.

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West Virginia is no longer an October state.

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Alfred Speer, whose salesroom is at 16 Warren Street, New York, has large vineyards near Passaic, N. J., is extensively engaged in preserving Unfermented Grape juice from the Oporto Grapes and supplies it to many religious societies for Communion purposes. The following is from Dr John Ellis, who has written several works on Bible wine: "The writer obtained from Mr. Speer a bottle of his Unfermented Wine in February, 1883, and found it a very pleasant and nutricious wine. Mr. W. J. Parsons and the writer put a portion of this wine into a retort and distilled and condensed about one third of the contents of the retort. The distilled had neither the smell nor taste of alcohol, nor did chemical tastes indicate any trace of alcohol. Here then we have the unfermented wine actually in the market which the writer thinks is far more palpatable than fermented wine and is unp luted by leaven." Many religious societies are using this wine.

The railway up Mt. Vesuvius has more than paid for itself.

No other medicine is so reliable as reliable as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for colds, coughs, and all derangements of the respiratory organs tending toward consumption. In all ordinary cases it is a certain cure, and it affords sure relief for the asthmatic and consumptive, even in advanced stages of disease.

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Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1.
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Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., states: Being ineffectually treated by 17 doctors for Scrofula, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Write for proof.

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ON THE ENGINE.

Running a Locomotive While Deathly Sick—Something the Passengers Did Not Know—A Physician Saves an Engineer.

TAUNTON, MASS.

Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR: I am an engineer on the Old Colony Railroad, and run the Fall River boat train between Fall River and Lowell, residing in Taunton. For ten years I suffered everything but death from dyspepsia. Often I had such blinding sick headaches that I could scarcely see. I think this was due partly to irregular habits of eating and partly to the jar of the engine. Sometimes my head would stop like neuralgia, and again the pain would settle in my eyes, which would feel as big as a man's fists. My breath was very offensive, and my food soured as soon as it entered my stomach. In fact my stomach felt as though it were a great raw and sore surface, and what a gong it gave perhaps you can imagine.

In the summer and fall of 1876 when we had the heavy centennial travel, the constant jar brought on acute attacks nearly every week and I thought I should have to leave the road. But I kept at work until the next spring, when I grew so much worse that I could virtually eat nothing, and concluded that my labor and my life too, were about over.

Remember that I had tried every medicine I heard of, and had been treated by some of the best physicians in Taunton and Lowell. At this critical time Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was recommended to me. It was new to me, and with my experience in medicines you can easily forgive me for saying that I had not a particle of faith in it.

I had taken it but a few days when I began to get better. The raw and sore feeling left my stomach, and the snapping pains left my head, and soon I was all right, and have been ever since. It is the only thing that ever did me the least good, and it drove every ache, pain and discomfort completely out of my body. Now I keep Kennedy's Favorite Remedy with me on my engine, and it goes wherever I go.

Why, I believe Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will cure anything. One night a while ago, John Layton, an engineer who runs the main line boat train from Boston, came on my engine sick as death. He was worn out with work, had a high fever, and was so nervous he almost broke down crying. "Nonsense, John," I said, "cheer up, I've got something on my engine that will set you up in a fifty." I took out a bottle of Favorite Remedy, lifted his head and gave him a good dose. He went to bed. Two days after I saw him looking healthy as a butcher. "Dan," he says, "what was that stuff you gave me the other night?" "It was Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, Rondout, N. Y.," said I. "Well I don't care whose Remedy it is, it's the thing for a man on the railroad." So say we all.

Yours, etc., DANIEL FITTS.

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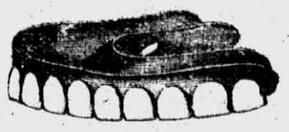

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FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening, Feb. 6. The Farmers' Social Club met at the residence of Mr. John Gillespie when the following program was carried out:

Music—Grant and Henry.
Essay—Eva Rector.
Declamation—Frankie Gillespie.
Select Reading—Anna Everhart.
Essay—Ellen Fisher.
Chip Basket—Minnie Rector.
Singing—Choir.

The entire program was so well performed that comment from the Secretary is entirely unnecessary. The question, Would it be more profitable to sell our cream than to make it into butter, was discussed by nearly all the farmers and farmer's wives present. Mrs. F. C. Rector had written to parties in Pittsfield who had sold their cream during last season, and who replied, saying that they thought they obtained more for their cream than they could have got by making it into butter. Mrs. Rector had also visited the creamery at Adrian to ascertain if they would come as far out as Clinton township provided they could get any considerable amount, and also how much they would pay for it. She ascertained that they would, and that they would pay as much for the cream that would make a pound of butter as the market price of the butter at the time of gathering the cream. Some parties had talked with Mr. Rossell of Rossa, who sold his cream last summer. He said they got more for their cream than they could have obtained if they had made it into butter, and more than it was to their entire satisfaction. The most of the ladies present were in favor of selling their cream if they could sell it so as to realize enough to make their own butter. Mrs. Rector wished all those who would sell their cream to hand in their names to the Secretary. The following gave in their names: Mrs. F. C. Rector, Mrs. George Griswold, Mrs. R. B. Gillespie, Mrs. F. H. Green, Mrs. Wm. Waldron, Mr. Kellogg and others who will undoubtedly sell when they become satisfied that they can get as much for their cream as they can by making it into butter. Club adjourned to meet in two weeks at the residence of Mr. Jacob Everhart, Friday evening, Feb. 20. Program for next meeting:

Inst. Music—Anna Everhart.
Essay—Grace Gillespie.
Declamation—Phillip Hendershot.
Chip Basket—Lizzie Henderson.
Select Reading—Emma Schreder.
Singing—Choir.
Question for discussion—Is soiling more advantageous than pasturage?

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

THE ADRIAN ART LOAN.

The Adrian art loan opened Saturday evening under very favorable auspices. Located, as the "Loan" is, in the new Rowley building on South Winter street, and only a step from Maumee, the place must be popular, for where so much superior art is to be conveniently visited, there are people enough in Adrian and the surrounding country who will evince an appreciation of it. The attendance on the opening evening was in full corroboration of the above statements.

At 7 o'clock the doors were unlocked, Mr. Fred H. Knapp being located at the ticket office, and Mr. C. N. Turner received the pasteboards at the door. Three Vanderpoele electric lights made the elegance of the interior very apparent, and caused every portion of the walls to be available for the exhibition, so that from the frowning savage in the rear of the ticket office, around the entire room, to the 56 years old dress behind the door keeper, every foot of space is enabled to be occupied fully and completely.

With so much to admire and praise it will be impossible to particularize to day, at the same time too much cannot be said in favor of the energy and good taste which have so largely contributed to the success of the affair. The display does not consist entirely of the products of the painter's brush, many objects of interest from distant portions of the globe being exhibited. The Chinese exhibit, alone, is well worth the price of admission. Taken altogether the art loan promises to be a valuable institution in Adrian for the next few weeks.

The pictures have all been plainly numbered, and the catalogue, which is now in the hands of the printer, will be ready for distribution in a short time, when the enjoyment of the sights or will be greatly enhanced. Arrangements are being made for various excursions from other towns, so that it is likely that the loan will be attended by a large number of visitors from out of town. It richly deserves to be.—Adrian Times.

$1 00 for 50 cents. Any reader of this paper who will send 50 one cent stamps to the American Rural Home, Rochester, N. Y., before March 15, 1885, will receive that handsome paper, postage free, until Jan. 1, 1886. The Rural is a large eight page, forty-column Weekly paper, now in its fifteenth year, the cheapest farm journal in the world. The price is $1 00 a year in advance, but the above offer of 50 cents in postage stamps will be accepted if sent in before March 15, 1885. This special offer will not appear again in this paper. If you want the Rural Home, subscribe at once. Send for sample copy, and see what a bargain is offered.

Fence builders will do well to read the following. The courts have decided that no boundary fence can be made of barbed wire without the consent of the persons owning the adjacent land, and any man who puts a barbed wire fence along the highway, renders himself liable for all injuries resulting to stock passing along said highway.

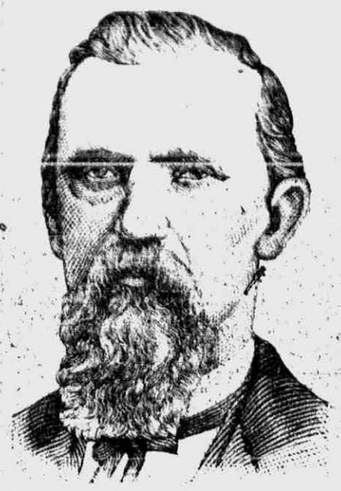

O'DONOVAN ROSSA

Few men have been fortunate enough to receive the amount of gratuitous advertisement that O'Donovan Rossa has. Although the journalists on this side of the Atlantic, almost without exception, treat him and his pretentions with contemptuous indifference, he is in England considered as the instigator of all schemes intended to further the cause of Ireland. For years the English press clamored for the punishment of Rossa, as the only effectual means of putting a stop to the dynamite outrages that occurred in England. His real name is not O'Donovan Rossa but Jerry Donovan. He was born in County Cork, Ireland in 1845. He lost his father in 1847 and the family were forced to relinquish their holdings in June of that year. Young Donovan started a grocery store and continued in the business until 1865 when he was arrested for being connected with the Phoenix Society, an organization which was the nucleus of the Fenian brotherhood. He was cast into prison. In 1866 he was again taken into custody and was not released until 1870. After his release, in the latter year he made his way for New York and there went into hotel business. He started the Irish Bystander, a journal which soon became the recognized organ of the Irish party in America. The connection of Rossa with the Land League made his name familiar to every one in the United States. His office became the rendezvous of the so called dynamite party, and his paper published a list of contributors to the fund for the liberation of Ireland. The attempt upon the life of Captain Phelan in Rossa's office is fresh in the memory of the public, and it is believed that Rossa knows more about the motives of the crime than he is willing to tell. His shooting by Mrs. Dudley following so closely upon the other crime, lends greater prominence to the already tragic affair.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending February 3, 1885:

Estate of Lucy D. Ross, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing March 2.

Estate of Gilman H. Ames, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Warren R. Day, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Daniel O'Conner, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing March 2.

In the matter of the adoption and change of name of Jessie M. Gee Downer; declaration of intention filed; testimony taken; order of adoption.

Estate of William F. Allen deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Xaver Kastel, deceased; bond filed, letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Edmund S. Garnsey, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's first account; hearing March 2.

Estate of John W. Keeney, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Freeman Rice, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing March 2.

Estate of Lucretia Rice, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing March 2.

Estate of Harrison D. White, deceased; bond filed, letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Eliza G. Rogers, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of David Cooley, Jr., deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Catharine King, an alleged incompetent person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing February 24.

Estate of Catharine Ryan, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $1,200.

Estate of William F. Pierce, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Daniel S. Wilkinson, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's final account allowed; discharged.

Estate of Mary Ryan, et al, minors; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing March 2.

Estate of Benjamin W. Drew, deceased; affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate; bond $500.

Estate of Ralph N. Chamberlin, et al., minors; nomination of guardian; order of appointment, bond $400.

Estate of Martha Jones, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing March 2.

Estate of Samuel W. Hagaman, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing March 2.

Estate of James H. Bigelow, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing March 2.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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Wm. Lang to J. M. Lang. Land on sec. 29. $3,000.

D. A. Sickner to Wilson Lee. Land on sec. 28. $45.

Wilson Lee to L. M. Charles and C. Marsh. Land on sec. 28. $20.

Wm. Olsted to F. A. Daniels. Land on sec. 28. $55.

FRANKLIN.

Louisa Vanderpool to Albert Vanderpool. Land on sec. 31. $4,000.

MARRIED.

KNAPP—MORRIS.—On the evening of Feb. 4th, at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. F. F. Morris, by Rev. B. F. Rapp, Mr. Wm. Knapp and Miss Edith May Morris.

WOLCOTT—SWARTOUT.—In this village on the 3rd inst., by Rev. F. Eccles, Mr. Isaac C. Wolcott and Miss Sarah E. Swartout.

DIED.

ROMEYN.—At his residence in Clinton township, on the 9th inst., Thomas T. Romeyn, aged 85 years, 1 month and 13 days.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Feb. 6, 1885:

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Buckwheat Flour, per hundred	1 00 @	1 50
Potatoes, per bushel	50 @	60
Beef, Hides	5 @	6c
Calf skins, per lb	8 @	10c
Corn in ear	20 @	25
Cornmeal, per bushel	@	40
Clover seed	4 25 @	4 50
Chickens—dressed	@	10c
Eggs, per doz	@	20
Fowls, per pair	1 50 @	2 00
Hogs—dressed, per cwt	5 00 @	5 50
Hogs—live, per cwt	3 50 @	4 00
Hay, per ton	5 00 @	8 00
Honey, per lb	@	12c
Ham, per lb	@	14c
Lard, per lb	@	10c
Oats, per bushel	25 @	30c
Onions, per bushel	@	50c
Potatoes, per bushel	25 @	30c
Salt, per barrel	@	1 75
Sheepskins	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, per bushel	@	1 50
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Burnett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William Q. Burnett, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Charles Burridge or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday the 9th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. 6t-12

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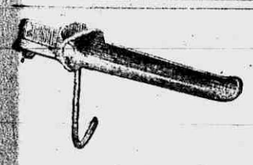

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CLINTON CHATTER.

Mrs. Geo. A. Kies, of Tecumseh, spent Monday and Tuesday in Clinton.

Bainbridge and Hause attended the funeral of T. T. Romeyn last Friday afternoon.

C. S. Burroughs has just put in a stock of Seaside Libraries, in pocket and ordinary editions, which he will rent or sell.

Mrs. Port Smith was quite sick last week but we are pleased to learn that she is much better.

Thomas Matthews took a sleighload of ladies out to Mrs. James Stewart's last Tuesday afternoon. They report a very pleasant ride and call.

Miss Blanche Smith has commenced a course of vocal lessons under the instruction of Mrs. Josie St. John.

J. B. Hause and wife start this week for Washington, D. C., to be present at the dedication of the Washington Monument. He will visit his sister-in-law, Miss Lizzie Roff, and we believe he intends to remain there until after the inauguration.

Mr. Will Wood and Miss McCall were married last Thursday evening at the bride's home in Flat Rock, Mich. Mrs. Wood, was formerly a Clinton girl and will be warmly welcomed here by her many friends.

The little daughter of Prof. J. B. Lallin, has been quite ill. About three weeks ago she had the misfortion to fall on the stove burning her hands and arms badly. Shortly after she had chicken pox, and has since had a siege with ear-ache. She is now improving, however.

Mrs. Judd, mother of William Judd, of Bridgewater, was taken suddenly ill last Monday night. Dr. Burchard was summoned and pronounced the case paralysis.

The program at the Blue Ribbon Club last Sunday afternoon was unusually interesting. Contrary to the usual custom we believe all who had promised to take part in the exercises were present. The program consisted of choruses, solos, readings, and recitations. We are glad to see so much interest kept up in this organization. It speaks well for the rising generation and the future welfare of this place.

Mr. William Bartlett is visiting Clinton this week.

Last Friday afternoon as a couple of gentlemen from Tecumseh, who had driven up here in the forenoon, were preparing to start for home, the horse became unmanageable and ran down Tecumseh street and by John Smith's cross-walk, turned suddenly, throwing both men out in the snow. No one was hurt and the gentlemen soon took a fresh start and we should think from the appearance of things when they left Clinton that they were likely to reach home safely.

ADDISON ATOMS.

[This letter reached us too late for publication last week.—ED. HERALD.

We were somewhat amused to notice an editorial jotting copied in last week's HERALD from a previous issue of the Hudson Gazette, in which the editor effects to submit an original summary of the people and propensities of our village. Now we have no objections to his so doing, provided he will remember to give us due credit for such of the facts produced as he gleans from our correspondence to the HERALD. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

The most destructive fire occurred here Thursday of last week, that has ever been known in the history of the place. Three valuable structures were reduced to ashes within two hours time, and property to the value of over ten thousand dollars destroyed. At about half past one o'clock in the afternoon the alarm of fire was sounded, and people rushed to the street from all directions, only to find the fire fiend in full possession of R. J. Eaton's furniture and notion store, which was located just west of the creek, on West Main Street. Owing to the combustable nature of its contents, the building was entirely enveloped in flames before an entrance could be effected to rescue the contents. Power & Son's drug store, which stood within a few feet of the burning building, was soon to be doomed to a like fate, and the crowd which had by this time swelled to nearly a thousand people, at once set to work removing its contents, and succeeded in securing about one-fourth of the same in tolerable fair condition, but were prevented from doing anything further by the advancing flames and intense heat.

The Exchange Hotel, a large and well fitted structure, standing on the corner of the block, and about ten feet from the drug store, was next to succumb to the all destroying element. Vigorous efforts were made to prevent this result by drenching the hotel with water, and pushing the wall of the other building from it, but to no avail. Just as victory seemed to appear possible, the flames were seen climbing each other up the heated side and along the cornice of the hotel and for a few moments the excitement was intense. The wind was blowing steadily from the north east and huge sheets of flame shot far out in the street threatening the large stores of G. M. Lewis & Son as well as numerous other places on the south side of the street. Water was used freely on the roof and sides, and another half hour sufficed to proclaim the fact of safety to the remaining portions of the village, and what but two short hours previous was one of the finest business blocks in town, was a mass of smouldering ruins.

The building first named was valued at $800, and the contents at about $2,500 as we are informed by Mr. H. S. Eaton, who was manager. The total amount of insurance is reported to be $2,100. The Michigan Bell Telephone Co. also loose an entire office.

The entire loss to Power & Son will reach fully $2,500. Insurance on stock and building is about $2,000.

The Exchange Hotel is a total loss to Mr. Terpening, there being no insurance whatever. As to the origin of the fire, no satisfactory solution has been produced as yet. Many theories are extant upon the probable or possible source, but still the real cause remains as it doubtless will, shrouded in mystery.

On the evening of the same day there was no little excitement occasioned in Wheatland township, about two miles west, and one mile south of this place by the appearance of a wild animal of the carniverous species, and about three or four times as large as a full grown domestic cat. While Mr. M. Lewis and his brother Mat were passing the Bannister burying ground between this place and North Wheatland in a cutter, the animal sprang out from the road side and attempted to seize the horse by the throat, but as the horse showed fight also, the animal retreated to the hitching-post in front of the fence, and after running along to one end of it, stopped and remained still for a moment. Mr. L. being anxious to learn more of the strange intruder pursued it with his whip, but the animal held his ground with threatening growls and Mr. Lewis wisely withdrew. The animal is probably a wild cat or a young lynx, and the neighborhood excitement he occasions causes an appropriate suspension of all dog fight and society gossip.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

[This letter was snow-bound and failed to reach us last week.]—ED. HERALD.

Charles Sykes, the ten year old son of widow Sykes living on the Wells place with Brad Parker, is very sick with typhoid fever.

Kelly, Hoxie & Co., have sold their goods to Osgood & Dennison of Adrian and are now taking an inventory of the stock on hand. Sorry to part with old friends, but then, if the new firm will just chalk down what few things we shall need to keep soul and body together, we will endeavor not to complain. And why not? Everybody knows that time is money.

Floyd Florence has bought the blacksmith shop and proposes to go into business for himself. That's right, Floyd; nothing ventured, nothing had. But then the question arrises, what is Johnnie going to do?

Mrs. Dora Crum is at home for a while to rest up and also to give the snow a little time to settle.

Wm. Brainard went to Buffalo with stock last week, and expects to go again this week if the weather softens down a little. Says he went across the river, below the falls, on the ice which in some places is seventy feet thick, a large amount of which is produced by the spray.

The dissecting of a dog claiming several owners by the physiology class one day last week, has caused a little ripple of excitement throwing several persons into violent paroxysms of grief. We hope for the sake of peace that the boys will desist from killing any more female perps.

Chas. and Philo Lassing drove some fine steers to Toledo last week. Charlie says he can outrun any steer in Lenawee county, provided always that he don't fall down in the snow.

Burt Mize has been granted a lay off for a few days on account of poor health. The trouble seemed to be that he could not find time to tend to the telegraphing and do justice to his nose at the same time.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

T. W. Beckett, of the Brooklyn House, has a new wife, and Laura Stowler a sprained foot. The first was acquired at Jackson, the latter at French's rink, and it is safe to say her repentance has begun and if it continues as long as the lameness, will not be transient. Two or three other ladies are disfaciated by sprained wrists and promiscous tumbles, but the yet fortunate disregard the warning.

A snow storm has closed avenues to trade and there is lively complaining of dullness in business except among doctors who are wading among drifts, hunting for turn overs while on their way to visit the sick.

Sudden changes from cold to colder has produced lung troubles, but the epidemic slowest of cure is Word poisoning.

O. Vaughn, of Springville, is said to be located here. He has been a weekly visitor enough to get acquainted with our ladies, and having accepted them merits no more sympathy than any other wifeless fellow.

Charley Lawrence has been missing at roll call for several days. He is wanted to answer present for saying he could stick a certain village into one corner of his favorite town, and leave room enough for the New Orleans Exposition, which is all the same as scandal. A few talk of going to New Orleans, but not any trunks packed yet. If those who have time and money to invest in sight seeing would but tell of things seen instead of committing to paper the indefinite whole, we might get some idea of the world, shipped on consignment, but the vast array seems to daze them and in attempting to tell all at once they bewilder imagination. Glittering generalities make readable letters, having learned it is nice, a description of one palm tree so we may know how it looks, is worth more than enlogies to home stayers.

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

This beats the oldest inhabitant for an open winter. Snow two feet deep on an average and mercury down among the twenties.

The Ridge and north and south roads are drifted full, men are shoveling and teams tramping to work a way through.

Ed. Osgood started for Britton with a load of live hogs the 7th inst. upsetting on the Ridge in a snow drift and with the assistance of several neighbors succeeded in reloading and returning home a chilled lot.

Henry Karcher from near Addison was snowed in at his father's during last week.

Our mail carrier did not put in an appearance from the 7th to the 17th inst.

E. R. Olds started for New York the 8th but got snow bound at Nora where he remained until the 14th when he resumed.

Rev. Dutton, while returning from a funeral at Macon the 9th, got stuck in the snow near Grange hall, leaving his horse and footed it home.

We might relate numerous other similar incidents; in fact the rule is to upset several times in going a few miles. Frozen feet, fingers, ears and noses are also the rule.

Those depending on green wood are in a bad fix.

Stock is suffering considerably from the extreme cold.

Easlick's mill yard is full of logs, but the mill has been shut down during the recent sad affliction of the family.

We notice that Easlick has come out with a new card discounting the price on his premium red tile 10 per cent and white tile 20 per cent during the next 40 days, and giving farmers their dinner and teams to hay. That ought to move tile when the weather and roads will permit.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

No mail was the cause of our delay last week.

Not much of an open winter is it? Wednesday and Thursday morning of last week were the coldest of the season. Mercury tumbled to 30 and 35.

We had no mail over the M. & O. from Tuesday noon of last week until Sunday.

A. R. Amer and Wm. Allen went to Jerome and got snow bound a week ago Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Simmons and her son Don, of Dundee, visited friends here a week ago Saturday.

Mr. Volney Miller was in our village last week and is looking hearty.

Last week Tuesday was something of a genuine Dakota blizzard. We have no love for Dakota now.

The social will be held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Gove this week Friday evening. The committee on conundrums will report and extend a cordial invitation to all.

Mr. Sam Branigan and Miss Jennie McClure of Tecumseh, called on friends here a week ago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richard of Dundee, visited friends here last week.

The missionary society held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Dr. Loree on Wednesday, Feb. 4th. The attendance was good. Refreshments were served according to the rules and regulations of the society, and all report a pleasant time.

Mr. Ezra Smith, of St. John, Clinton Co., who is attending school at the university, visited friends here Friday.

The Sunday school enjoyed a sleigh-ride to Tecumseh Saturday. The ladies had a grand dinner ready for them on their return.

A number of young folks took a sleigh ride Saturday afternoon to Dundee and spent the evening at Miss Nellie Rappleyea's. They report a pleasant time.

The special school meeting for Dist. No. 4, which was called to fill the vacancies of Director and Moderator, was held on Monday night. Dr. R. H. Nelson was elected Director and T. H. Temple Moderator, by two thirds vote.

Mrs. Richard Wiggins after a short suffering sickness, died on Monday night of last week at her father's, Mr. Alex. Easlick. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon at the house. Rev. W. J. Clack officiated and the young friends of the village furnished the singing.

Mrs. Cornelius Exelby, who has been sick for a long time with consumption, passed away on Monday night of last week. The funeral was held at the house on Thursday afternoon. Rev. W. J. Clack officiated. She leaves a husband and mother and a little babe a few weeks old, who mourn her loss.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. Sanford Hause, who has been failing for a long time, passed away. He was an old pioneer, 79 years old. The funeral was held at the church on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. B. F. Rapp preached the discourse.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY.

On Friday evening, Feb. 27, the literary Society will give a public entertainment at Waging's hall. The program is being carefully prepared and in character is more like an exhibition than any heretofore. The dialogue alone will take nearly an hour and promises to be well presented as the characters are well chosen. This undoubtedly will be the best entertainment ever given by our local talent. The following is the program.

Music—Musical Museum.
Recitation—Miss Nellie Freer.
Dec.—David Gibson.
Music—Miss Ida Arner.
Rec.—Miss Ella Cadmus.
Reading—Miss Ada Loree.
Song—J. D. Arner.
Oration—G. H. Hill.
Poem—Frank Temple.
Music—Juveniles.
Paper—G. P. Waring.
Music—Miss Ella Jackson.
Recess.
Music—Comb Orchestra.
Dialogue—Too Much of a Good Thing, nine characters.
Music—Miss Belle Barlow.
Tableaux.

This entertainment will be given to obtain funds to defray the expenses of the past term. An admission of 15c or family tickets for 50c will be charged. Commence at 7:30 promptly.

EX. COM.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Rev. A. A. Wall of Tipton will preach a sermon to the children next Sabbath to be illustrated by blackboard sketches.

This cold weather is hard on windmill piping as M. D. Alexander and S. V. Hollinbeck have already found out.

Congregational Social at John Joseph's, Franklin, to morrow, Friday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Margaret Mudgett has been very sick but is some better now.

Dr. Hamilton was summoned by telegraph to visit Mrs. James Osborn of Franklin, last Sunday. She is reported better at this writing.

Frank Buck of Franklin has a very sick child.

The Newberg school closed three days last week on account of the severe cold.

The oldest individual scratches his head and tries to think when it was colder than last week, but young America is ahead this time.

N. K. Bowen was summoned by C. T. wire to attend the funeral of Mrs. Julia Wiggins of Lake Ridge. And also, Mr. Albert Barnes to the funeral of Dr. McFarlane of Blissfield, but neither could get there on account of the bad condition of the roads.

Uncle Tom's son resides at Adrian. Perhaps that is the reason why colored people are excluded from the rink.

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MY LEGACY.

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—*Detroit Free Press Weekly.*

MAGIC REVEALED

Mysteries of Ledgerdemain and Second Sight Explained.

Key to the System by Which a Blindfolded Person May See—Some of the Tricks Which Won Success for Heller.

A few years ago the amusement-loving "public" of New York were aroused beyond measure by the second-sight performances of Robert Heller. They were the talk of the town for many days, because they seemed to be outside the pale of ordinary feats of legerdemain, and to have an almost supernatural character. The distrust was better expressed in any authoritative way than current conversation in the ordinary mind, which, as every one formed his own pet theory as to how it was done, which theory was generally upset subsequently by Heller himself.

He (Heller) other did some remarkable things in the way of second sight. He could take a quart of milk that was brought to the theater for the express purpose of puzzling him, and Miss Heller (Heller's blindfolded wife) would tell its name, color and date. While he held the watch in his hand, she would describe its appearance and even give its number, and, lots of all sorts, in the audience opened a book at random Miss Heller would tell the number of the page at which it was opened, and read the contents of the page. This trick especially made credulous New Yorkers believe there was some unknown power at work in the mental or psychological make-up of Miss Heller or Robert Heller, and they were anxious to know how the thing was done. Letters were written to the newspapers purporting to disclose the secret, but falling widely short of the real truth; magazine articles were published on the subject; theatre parties and social clubs found an interesting topic of discussion in this mighty problem; but everybody after awhile, decided, with Dundreary, that it was one of those things that "no fellow can find out."

Robert Heller fully realized the popular perplexity on the subject, and he would occasionally in his witty, chatty style pretend to give the secret away, something after this fashion, at the close of an entertainment: "Ladies and gentlemen: You may say this is magnetism, spiritualism, rheumatism, or what you please, but you will probably decide after all that it is simply Hellerism." This sally, after the curiosity of the audience was whetted with the expectation of being able to pluck out the heart of the mystery, usually brought down the house, and everybody left the theatre with the pleasant sense of having been delightfully puzzled beyond their powers of comprehension.

So long as Heller could make a fortune out of the second-sight business it is not at all strange that the story of his art was never accurately told, and that many bright minds puzzled themselves over it and never discovered the truth is testimony to the remarkable system which was mastered by him and his apt pupil, Miss Heller. It is the purpose of this article, however, to give in brief such an insight into Heller's methods as will enable the veriest tyro to at least understand how the trick was accomplished, even if he should not have the natural ability and quickness of perception to master its details sufficiently well to repeat it before a parlor full of amazed listeners. The disclosures herein made come substantially from a well-known young amateur of Brooklyn, Mr. Harry S. Livingston, who learned from Heller's own lips some of his well-known secrets and from E. J. Dale, who was an assistant of the magician on the stage, or a "confederate," as cynical spectators would say, for some time, and was the assistant of Mr. Livingston for two years. Mr. Livingston, who has followed the pursuit of scientific magic purely from a love of the art, and is seen in public only in connection with entertainments for "sweet charity's sake," has in his $10,000 collection of magical apparatus many articles used by Heller in his performances in the old hall in Twenty-fourth Street, now known as the Madison Square Theater. As Heller is dead, and Miss Heller is reported to be in London delighting Englishmen of the world and American tourists in the role of a dispenser of beverages that delight the interior man, no harm can evidently come to any one by a plain recital of the whole matter. The few magicians who pretend to possess the gift of second sight have much simpler systems, which are far less surprising to the average spectator than Heller's, and in comparison are puerile and unworthy of consideration.

Heller had several methods of performing the trick, which he would change from night to night to prevent discovery at the hands of those persistent persons who attended his seances every evening in order to finally discomfit him by a discovery. By using several methods a night everybody would be more mystified than ever. In the first place, Heller formed as a class [illegible] relations a list of over ten [illegible] persons, [illegible] Heller and his [illegible] the [illegible] which [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] Miss Heller [illegible] Heller [illegible] Heller [illegible]

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KINDLING WOOD.

A Great Industry in New York City That is Little Thought About.

With winter comes kindling wood. And what an immense amount of it, too! The fires in furnaces, stoves and grates are constantly going out, and as constantly require relighting. The rattle of the sticks dumped from the cart down the coal hole is a sound almost as familiar as a campaign cheer, while in front of every grocery are tall columns of the more aristocratic kindling that is tied up in round bunches and piled one on top of the other.

By the uninitiated kindling wood is considered a mere bagatelle in household arrangements, a convenient domestic economy that utilizes all the odds and ends of wood that will accumulate and otherwise would prove a nuisance. But the odds and ends don't supply the demand, or begin to. The manufacture of this insignificant article is a great and growing industry that employs hundreds of men and consumes as many cords of wood in this city every day.

Where is it all made?

A *Herald* reporter went to see. Most of the yards are on the West side, in the vicinity of Gansevoort Market, yet there are others, and no inconsiderable number, either, scattered along both water fronts from the Battery to Harlem River.

The reporter, searching for a yard, threaded his way through those narrow, dirty and obstructed streets that branch out of the old Greenwich village, and are cut short in their bewildering course by the North River. The peculiar odor of pine and fresh cut wood greeted him as he went along. Within a couple of blocks of the river was a long row of straggling sheds, with a tall brick chimney rising from their midst. The buildings, chimney and everything connected with the establishment was painted lead color. Sawdust floated everywhere, and the hum of buzz saws drowned all other sounds. Under the eaves of a one-story building were eight little roofs projecting over eight apertures, from which tiffed streams of kindling wood were tumbling into eight carts drawn up underneath. In less than ten minutes a cart was filled, and its place quickly taken by others that were constantly arriving, the streams never stopping meanwhile. Through an archway further down an intermittent procession of one-horse carts was filing up from the docks loaded with straight grained and sound looking cord wood. The reporter followed, a cart into the enclosure.

"Is this all going to be kindling wood?" is the first thought that strikes a beholder. The place was only typical of dozens of others. A description of one will answer for all. A large yard, nearly filled with tiers of cord wood, that rise in steps from the height of a man to over a score of feet. On the steps are laborers, with blue blouses and overalls, passing up the sticks to other laborers above. Under the sheds are rows of sawing machines, from which the chunks, as they come out, are dropped into a slide that places them into an upright position under a "splitter," an arrangement of crossed knives that descend with trip hammer force on the end of the stick. From each cutter is a revolving belt, with brackets attached, that carries the split wood away and dumps it in the carts outside.

In another building are the bundlers, the men who make up the little bundles of short sticks. Each bundler has a reservoir in front of him with an opening in the bottom, from which he takes the pieces to fill the gauge by which they are measured. The deftness displayed by the bundlers in picking out sticks that fit the required crevice, and the rapidity with which they fill the gauges, are remarkable. When full, a lever power is applied by the foot, and the bunch squeezed down to dimensions of about, a foot in diameter. By an ingenious arrangement a cord is in constant readiness to be knotted around the bunch.

"It is a rather odd economy that kindling is made out of one of the most expensive timbers—Virginia pine," said an old dealer.

"What does it cost?"

"Never less than six dollars a cord. It is all brought up here from Virginia in sloops. But it is getting higher and less plentiful each year, and it is only a question of a short time when the supply will give out altogether."

"What will you do then?"

"Oh, get it from some remote point. The center of wood supply has gradually been moving away from New York and the consumption of wood done away with as much as possible."

"The time was," he continued, "when every New York family used to have an open wood fire, and cheerful embers glowed on many hearths—the center of everything home-like. Now we are a city without hearths, and with much less of a home feeling about our abodes than of old. In those days the fuel was brought down from the banks of the Hudson, and it was possible to burn it prodigally and still not be extravagant."

"How much wood is used now in kindlings?"

"I can only give you an idea of what the factories use—and that will surprise you."

"There are about fifty factories in the city. They each use on an average about twenty cords a day at this season. That is, one thousand cords of first-class pine timber are used every day to light the fires in this city. The poor have to stand the brunt of it, too. They have not the room to store a load and so buy it by the bunch at an enormous profit to the dealers. The bunches, which are made from the waste, are sold at from one to two cents each, about four times their actual value. The poor use the most expensive wood to light their fires and pay more for it than the rich. And they will have to pay still more soon, when we are compelled to bring the wood from Manitoba or some other out of the way place."—*N. Y. Herald.*

—The Supreme Court in Ottawa, Ont., has decided that a divorce obtained in New York is valid in Canada.

The Model Farm.

The Keota (Iowa) *Eagle* has at last found a western man who is satisfied with a fifty acre farm. His name is Artemus Fisher, and he lives one mile and a half south of Keota. The *Eagle* tells the story of his management and of his success as follows:

He keeps one team of horses, three first class cows, and a nice little drove of the best hogs. He milks his cows for the creamery, and they made him nearly $200 last year; will perhaps do better this year. He will sell $500 worth of hogs this year, and have thirty stockers to keep over. He has $200 worth of hay stacked to sell; has an abundance of hay and grain to keep his stock in first-class condition during the winter. He keeps everything in apple-pie order about his farm; his cows revel in clover up to their eyes; he attends to feeding, watering and milking as regularly as the clock strikes, hence he gets the best results with the least possible feed. He keeps his stock under cover, and never allows any animal to shiver in the fence corners. He has a barn that is a model of convenience and economy. It is snow-proof, and as warm as the old kitchen. He has a first-class selection of fruit—not a large orchard, but a choice selection of the varieties that thrive and bear the best in this locality. Everything about the farm bears marks of intelligence, thrift and economy. Besides making a living for himself and the "old lady," he will sell at least $800 worth of stuff off his fifty acres this year, and not be exceeding former years either. There is no rush or hurry about this model farm. Everything goes off quietly and regularly. The expenses are very small and the gains sure.

Observe the Birthdays.

Let the birthday of each member of the family be always remembered when it comes. Let there be something a little out of the ordinary routine in the arrangement of the table; cookies fashioned as Johnny likes them best; one of Frank's favorite plum puddings, or Julia's special liking, a loaf of ginger cake; or a wonderful lemon pie, such as only mamma can make.

Then there must be presents. Sometimes people may think they cannot be afforded; but reflect. The little one needs shoes, dresses, aprons and many other things. Purchase one or more for the birthday. It will seem just as much present to the recipients as though they were not obliged to have it.

Next come schoolbooks and storybooks, a set of furs or a pair of skates, should the birthday occur in the winter, a pretty little dinner-basket, or, if the parents can afford it, a little gold band for one of the white fingers, a necklace, a watch with a shining chain, or the pony that has been wished for so long.

Encourage the little ones in giving to each other, and also remember father and mother's birthday; believe me, it will be bread cast on the waters; the days will only be a few ere some returns, and there will be a never-failing supply of pleasure as long as you and your children live.

Roman Remains in London.

Modern London is built on the debris of the London of the times of Julius Cæsar and Agricola, and it is by no means infrequently that 1800-year old relics of the Roman town are found many feet below the surface of the existing streets. There was a rich find recently in the vicinity of Warwick Square at the depth of nineteen feet. The most interesting relic that came to light was hitherto unknown coin, of the the year 50, which lay alongside of about a dozen urns containing the products of cremation. Just think of the pangs which dying would have inflicted on those ancients if they had known that their ashes would have been seen and handled by an unknown race eighteen centuries and a half, nearly, after their demise! The most aristocratic urn was of glass and fifteen inches high. Well executed leaden pots inclosed several of these depositories, and roofing tiles the rest. The use of lead, as well as of tin, by the way, has great antiquity in Britain. Herodotus speaks of the production of tin there. Emblems of more or less significance touching the future state appeared on some of the receptacles. Along with the coin of the year 50 were others of dates between 40 and 300. But the Romans left something besides these useless things to be remembered by. They introduced into Great Britain its chestnut, walnut, peach, pear and cherry trees.

Feathered Slaves

No people are more ingenious than the Chinese in the minor arts of life. That they have succeeded in training birds to fish is a striking example of their ingenuity and patience. Instead of carrying nets, the fishermen provide themselves with a large number of cormorants which perch on the edge of the boats. It is a curious spectacle to see these creatures engaged in fishing, diving into the water and always coming up with a fish in their beaks. As the Chinese fear the vigorous appetites of their feathered servants, they fasten around their necks an iron ring, large enough to allow their breathing but too small to admit of the entrance of the fish they seize; to prevent their straying about in the water and wasting the time desired for their work, a cord is attached to the ring and to one claw of the cormorant by which he is pulled up when inclined to stay too long under water. When tired he is permitted to rest for a while; but if he abuse the indulgence and waste his time, a few strokes of the bamboo recalls him to duty, and the poor diver resumes his laborious occupation. In passing from one fishing ground to another, the cormorants perch side by side, so as not to disturb the equilibrium of the frail vessel.

Location of New School-Houses.

Select a site that is accessible to fresh air and sunlight; those facing to the West and South are the most desirable. 2. See that the location is elevated; not low and damp. 3. If in a city, ascertain whether the building is on natural or "made" soil. The latter is very unhealthy. 4. Have as much open ground around the school-house as possible. A school-house with a yard however small is much more pleasant than one without a yard; and have a garden if possible. 5. Ascertain with a certainty that the drainage is good. 6. Observe whether there are any bodies of stagnant water, or other contaminating influences near, and whether the prevailing direction of the wind will carry unwholesome vapors to the school-house. 7. Never choose a location so thickly surrounded with trees that the sun can never penetrate the rooms. Such places are very unhealthy. 8. Be sure that the water supply is abundant and pure in every respect.

A Pretty Story.

"I believe in a providence," said Victor Hugo to a company gathered around him in the Rue de Clichy, "because I am a providence myself." Being asked for an explanation, the poet replied: "We caught a mouse yesterday evening. His death sentence was already pronounced, when my little granddaughter, Jeanne, with eyes glistening with tears begged for the life of the gray prisoner. Her mother hesitated whether to listen to the dear little advocate or not, and in her doubt said, 'Grandfather shall decide.' So they came to me. For a moment I held the power of life and death over the diminutive creature, and I thought: The heavenly providence may find itself in my situation when the fate of a being of a higher order is to be determined. Naturally I set the mouse free, for when a man undertakes the role of providence on a small scale, he should at least imitate generosity."

What the Sexton Sale.

Mr. Lewis Edwards, Sexton of Mt. Vernon Place Church, Washington, D. C., certifies that for several months past he had been suffering with a severe cough which distressed him day and night. He was very much debilitated, with constant pains in his chest. After trying various remedies he used the Red Star Cough Cure, which gave him entere relief.

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Excruciating pains,
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Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last!"
I was taken! "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
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Efforts were no good to me.
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Columbus Advocate, Texas, April 21, 1883. Dear Editor:—I have tried your Hop Bitters, and find they are good for any complaint. The best medicine I ever used in my family.—H. TALKNER.

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ESTATE OF HENRY BURNETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian on Friday the ninth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Burnett deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William C. Burnett, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Charles Burnett or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday the 23d day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BROOS, Probate Register. feb12

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel E. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan and bearing date November 22d A.D. 1879 to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent, which mortgage was recorded November 26, A.D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 90 of mortgages on page 785, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 18th A.D. 1880, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 101 of Mortgages, on page 33; and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof: notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A.D. 1885, at 9 o'clock A.M. of that day, at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and State of Michigan and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-nine (29) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE,
Assignee.
Jan30

ESTATE OF WM. H. POCKLINGTON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday the 2d day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Pocklington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Francis C. Pocklington and Abraham Masten, administrators of said estate, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred have been fully paid, and praying for the allowance of their final account, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned to the parties entitled thereto and for their discharge.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Tuesday, the 24th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Calvin Lawrence, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Hough & Hosmer, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 16th day of March, 1885, and on the 25th day of July 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Feb. 3, 1885.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB., 19, 1885.

AMERICAN BOYS ON THE FARM.

The following communication comes from a friend who feels aggrieved at some strictures made upon hired men at a recent meeting of the Farmer's Social Club. We think our friend has misconstrued some of the remarks made, but as the question has two sides to it, we deem it but fair to give the "American Boy" a chance. We hope to see this question more fully discussed at some future meeting of the Farmer's Club.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—Few sources of information accessible to me give more pleasure than the privilege of seeing your paper once a week. In fact it is about the only medium through which I am informed of the Local News, being bared, 1st. partly by my occupation, 2d. by my inability of taking part in many social entertainments that are organized in our midst, 3d. by the strict society line which is being drawn. What education I have, I obtained at a district school before I was fifteen years old. Since that time I have taken care of myself and given to my kindred and other benevolent institutions such amounts as I could spare from my meager earnings: I say meager when compared to the profits obtained from the product of my labor, for I am a hired man as the farmer's club of Tecumseh calls us. And now, Mr. Editor, it is of this club that I wish to speak and I hope you will not consider this article an intrusion on the patrons of your paper. It has become a proverbial saying throughout the country that neighborhood scandals, domestic unpleasantness, and sensational articles of any kind have never been allowed to appear in the HERALD and the course the management has taken has made the paper an enviable reputation that many of the state papers might covet. Now, inasmuch as the hired man was not represented at the club on the 9th inst. only by an agent of pauper laborers from Europe, I ask the privilege of being heard. One member says "Better get German help, could not get such help as we used to; they wanted too much wages, did'nt care to do much work, would have to import labor or let the farm stop; our American boys wanted to run to town too often and run too much nights; you can't depend upon them." Now, I ask that member of the club to qualify his assertions or answer the following questions.

When you hire a man by the month do you specify how many hours a day he shall work? Is'nt it a fact that the statute provides that ten hours shall be a day's work? Is'nt it a fact that a month hand, many times during the summer, works from twelve to sixteen hours a day? Don't you expect your men to work from five o'clock in the morning until about noon, from May until September? Do you consider that he gives you 7 or 8 solid days work in those ninety days that you do not so much as thank him for? That is for the forenoon. Where I have worked for the last four years we have quit at six in the evening and suppose you do the same. It is probable then that the boy wants to run. What has the boy to amuse himself with? If you have a library, does he have access to it? If you have company does he dine with them. Is he allowed in the domestic circle, as one of the family? What is there about your premises to keep them there or, in your own language, to keep him from "running?" If you have failed to secure good help, you are only to blame. You assail the American boys: you say you cannot depend upon them. I resent it as an "American boy," a boy without a father or a home, my father having died while in the service of the U. S. during the late war, fighting to protect your property, and to leave me the rights and privileges of an American citizen. Who make the laws of our country to day? Who fill the offices of trust and honor? Who are our skilled mechanics? Who have been our Presidents since we have been a Nation but American boys? And it has just become apparent to your mind that you cannot depend upon them. Get your German laborers, my dear sir, and shut yourself up on your farm and the world will not miss you.

AMERICAN BOY.

The Blissfield mill dam has been repaired and the mill will soon be grinding again.

THE REFORMED CHURCH IN AMERICA.

MR. EDITOR—Having had occasion recently to prepare for my people a sermon on the Reformed Church, I have condensed the main facts into this article, thinking the subject might be of interest to your readers.

This church, formerly called The Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, had its origin in the Netherlands, at the time of the Reformation. Under Philip II. of Spain the Christian churches of the Reformation were subjected to the fiercest persecution, and called themselves "The Churches sitting under the Cross." Feeling the need of concerted action, they met in a Synod at Wesel, 1568, and adopted as the expression of their faith the Belgic Confession, prepared by Guido de Bres, 1561. Rules of order were also drawn up and agreed to. These formed the beginnings of a constitution. At a subsequent meeting of the Synod, the Heidelberg Catechism was also adopted as a standard. In 1618-19 was held the great Synod of Dort, international in its character, for delegates were present from many foreign countries. The "Articles" of this synod were received as a further expression of the faith of the churches. Just about at this time New York was settled by the Dutch, who brought with them their own ideas of the church. The Dutch church continued to grow with the increase of emigrants from the old country, but until 1792 the church in this country had no separate existence, being simply a part of the classes of Amsterdam. In the above named year, constitutional independence was secured, the church ceasing to be dependent upon that in Holland. Provision was made for the education of ministers here, and for their regular ordination. The churches spread over Long Island and the eastern and central portions of New York, and throughout New Jersey, where they still flourish. More recently they have been established among the settlements of Hollanders in western Michigan, in Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa and Dakota. Except in the newer settlements, the Dutch language ceased long since to be used in the services, but it is still retained to a large extent in the west.

There are at present in the denomination, 520 churches, 549 ministers, 45,398 families, 81,800 members, 716 sabbath schools with 89,911 scholars. The contributions of the church for the last year were, for benevolent purposes, $224,144.78, and for congregational purposes, $936,390.23.

The form of government of the church is Presbyterian. All ministers of the church stand on the same ecclesiastical footing. The officers, in addition to the pastor, are elders and deacons, chosen for the term of two years, who, with the minister, form the Consistory, the local governing body of the church. The next higher body is the Classis, composed of one minister and one elder from each church in a certain district. The Classis of Michigan comprises all the English speaking churches of the denomination in Mich, and one in Indiana. Next comes the Particular Synod, embracing all the Classis in a certain region. The Particular Synod of Chicago is composed of all the Classis of the West. Finally we have the General Synod, formed of delegates from every classis in the denomination. An event of peculiar interest to the church was the meeting of this body at the west for the first time in the history of the church. The meeting was held at Grand Rapids in this State, in June last.

The benevolent institutions of the denomination are as follows: a Board of Education which gives aid to young men studying for the ministry, a Board of Publication, a Board of Domestic and one of Foreign missions. Three missions are maintained by the church, one in China, one in India, and one in Japan. The missionary force consists of 20 missionaries, 28 assistant missionaries, besides native ministers and helpers.

Its educational institutions are: Rutger's College at New Brunswick, N. J., with 15 professors and 129 students; Hope College at Holland, Mich. with 7 professors and 150 students in college and grammar school; two or three academies; Hope Theological Seminary at Holland, Mich., recently re-established after a suspension of some years; and The New Brunswick Theological Seminary with 5 professors, and 45 students. The organs of the church are the Christian Intelligencer, published weekly in New York; The Sower and Mission Monthly, and the Gleaner. The Characteristics of the church are: A sturdy adherence to sound orthodoxy; a liturgy, the use of part of which is obligatory; instruction of the youth in the Heidelberg Catechism, and its public exposition, which is required of its ministers; and responsibility of its ministers to Classis for soundness in the faith, and faithfulness in the discharge of pastoral duties.

Yours Truly,

CHARLES S. DUTTON,
Pastor Reform Churches of Macon and South Macon.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

Begins a new serial story entitled, "What She Made of Her Life," especially written for its pages by Mrs. Lydia Hoyt Farmer, of Cleveland, Ohio. This story will continue for about eight months. A notably interesting and timely article is "Alaska, Past, Present and Future," with eight characteristic illustrations. Musical readers will be much gratified with "The Message of Music to Man," Meyerbeer, Lindpainter and Volkmann in "The Sacred Musicians Series," The Bach Bi-centennial," "The Music of The Rose of Sharon," and "Mr. Gladstone on Sacred Music." Dr. F. W. Conrad, of the Lutheran Observer, is the representative religious journalist depicted in the number. "Buddhist Worship and Liturgy" is an exceedingly interesting article, and many will be interested in "Beaconsfield and Gladstone," in which these two English statesmen are compared and contrasted. Dr. Talmage has a characteristic sermon, "From Dungeon to Palace," on the subject of Joseph; and the same subject is treated in the "Glances at Bible History." There are many other good articles and poems, and fine illustrations, which we have not the space to particularize. Published by MRS. FRANK LESLIE, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York, at 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year, postpaid.

Democratic county convention next Saturday, Feb. 21st.

MRS. GUMBO'S QUILTING BEE.

Jerusha Gumbo's earthly ambition is in a fair way of being realized. She has been diligently at work for a month, during the leisure hours which could be spared from building fires, turning slap-jacks and wiping the baby's nose, sending out invitations for a quilting bee. Upon rummaging the bureau drawer she found fifty sheets of mourning paper with envelopes to match, which were left over after little Bobby's funeral, and she utilized these for invitations. After searching all the form books which were accessible, she adopted this style as the most polite and practical.

"Your company is respectfully and tearfully solicited at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Gumbo, corner of Pottawatamie street and Pocahontas alley, on Wednesday afternoon and evening, Feb. 18th, to assist in the manipulation of a crazy quilt. Each guest is politely requested to provide herself with a thimble, a paper of needles, a spool of colored thread, a pair of pocket scissors, a piece of mince pie, a doughnut and a few cucumber pickles. No presents expected."

Fifty of these were deposited in the post office last week and at two o'clock yesterday afternoon the guests began to arrive. At three o'clock the Gumbo mansion was literally a bee hive of industry. Grandma Brown, who came to this village when Michigaff was a territory and who had assisted in quilting bees in the old Peninsular House fifty years ago, was accorded the post of honor to superintend the work. She divided the company into six squads of eight each and gave each squad a special branch of the business. Squad No. one was to cut the curtain calico into patches, No. two was to sew the patches together with colored thread; No. three had charge of making the lining out of Joshua's old clothes; to No. four was alloted the task of preparing the cotton batting for the filling; No. five had charge of stretching the quilt upon the frame and sewing it together; and to No. six was assigned the important duty of attaching an elegant border of fancy buttons. The way the scissors flew, and the needles run, and the tongues wagged was a caution. All the neighborhood gossip was thoroughly discussed and enough domestic news was gathered to fill the columns of the HERALD for six months. Taken altogether it was the newsiest party that has assembled in this city since the war.

At six o'clock the picnic lunch was served and at seven the work was resumed.

The frame was put up and the quilt was stretched in the kitchen. Mrs. Gumbo, with her usual foresight, had opened the trap door of the cubby-hole in the ceiling to secure better ventilation. Sammy and Sally, who were hustled about under foot, driven from pillar to post and given no chance to see the show, quietly slid up stairs, passed through a small door into the unfinished kitchen attic and stationed themselves on the rafters over the cubby-hole. Here they could listen to the chin music unmolested and feast their eyes upon the beautiful scenery below.

At nine the work was nearly finished. The patches had all been united, the stitches all taken, the buttons all sewed on; nothing remained but to pull out the basting thread and detach the quilt from the frame. Mrs. Gumbo, with tears in her eyes and her best lace cap on, returned thanks to the guests for their kind attendance, for their skillful labor, and for the cold lunch they had left behind. "Ladies," said she, "this is the happiest moment of my chequered existence. For thirty years I have gazed into futurity with a longing for a quilting bee, which has never been satisfied. I can now associate with the first families in the subbubs, and mingle with the *elite* of society. My cup of enjoyment is full. That quilt would take the first premium at the New Orleans Industrial Expo——"

At this juncture Sally slipped from her seat on a rafter, struck the lath and went through the ceiling. Sammy, in his frantic effort to save her, missed his hold and went through too, and both struck plump in the middle of the quilt, carrying most of the ceiling with them. The scene in that kitchen beggars description. A railroad collision would be a tame affair in comparison. Grandma Brown fainted away and fell into the wood box. Peggy Jones yelled "murder." Susie Smith shouted "fire." Mrs. Bascom leaped upon the kitchen stove and screamed, "Good Lord, deliver us." Sammy and Sally started a bawling match. The quilt was split from corner to corner and the frame shivered into a dozen pieces. Sister Peters, who is an ardent adventist, dropped upon her knees and exclaimed, "I felt it in my bones; the end has come at last." The clock was shaken from the mantel, struck Miss Wiggins on the head and bounded into the flour barrel, taking the lady's wig along. Joshua's bottle of old rye was broken, and the contents emptied into Mrs. Hooper's lap. Nancy Noodle was knocked senseless with a big patch of plastering. Mrs. Bolus fainted and fell against the stovepipe which went rolling over the floor distributing its load of soot amongst the guests. In their haste to escape, some of the ladies were badly trampled upon. During the melee the milk-safe was upset. Mrs. Gumsolus yelled till she was hoarse. 'An earthquake has struck us, an earthquake has struck us.' Mrs. Gumbo at first was paralyzed with fright. On recovering her speech she exclaimed: "Joshua, Joshua, come to me now." The hubbub soon aroused the neighbors, who hastily began to clear away the debris and care for the wounded. A telegram, a telephone, and a special messenger were dispatched simultaneously for Dr. Burchard. Order was finally restored and the guests did not stand upon the order of their going, but went at once. Joshua was at the lodge last night and did not witness the catastrophe. Our reporter left the scene before his arrival.

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Country Gentleman	2 50	3 50
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 50
" " and Cyclopedia	1 65	3 00
Poultry World	1 25	2 25
The Independent	3 00	4 00
Springfield Republican	1 50	2 50
American Rural Home	1 00	2 00
The Nation	3 00	4 00
Pop. Science Monthly	5 00	5 50
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
" " Weekly	4 00	4 75
" " Bazar	4 00	4 75
" " Young People	2 00	3 00
Godey's Ladies' Book	2 00	3 00
Demorest's Monthly	2 00	3 00
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.—The Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will meet in the Council Room in said Village, on Saturday, the 28th day of February, A.D., 1885, for the purpose of the registration of the voters' names.
GEO. MARSDEN,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 17, 1885. Recorder pro tem.

CAUCUS NOTICE.—The electors for the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will hold a caucus in the Council Room of said village, on Saturday, Feb. 28th, 1885, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating officers to be voted for at the annual election of said village on Monday, the 2d day of March, 1885.
GEO. MARSDEN,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 17, 1885. Recorder pro tem.

VILLAGE ELECTION.—The annual election of the Village of Tecumseh will be held in the Council Building in said village on Monday, the 2d day of March, A.D., 1885.
GEO. MARSDEN,
TECUMSEH, Feb. 17, 1885. Recorder pro tem.

WANTED.—A married man to work on a farm by the year. Address Box 472, Tecumseh, Mich.

SEWING.—I will sew by the day during cold weather, in the country or city. Leave directions on the slate at Mrs. Wm. Richard's residence, east door near Central School building.
MISS BETSEY THOMPSON.

ESTATE OF WOOLSTON COMFORT, ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—The undersigned will keep his office with C. A. Stacy, in the HERALD building, in the village of Tecumseh, where he can be found during business hours until further notice.
TECUMSEH, Feb. 12, 1885.
E. A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

NEW SEWING MACHINE for sale cheap, at the HERALD OFFICE.

REPAIR SHOP.—I have opened a shop in the Old Agricultural Shop opposite the Opera House, where I would be pleased to see all my old customers, and as many new ones as may see fit to patronize me. Please bear in mind that I make saw filing a specialty, and all those that have any saws that need gumming or filing, would do well to call on me before going elsewhere. All work warranted. Saws gummed, filed and set for one dollar.
P. J. WELLING.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Coryell, Lawton, & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on by Coryell & Lawton, who assume all liabilities and collect all outstanding claims.
D. CORYELL,
A. W. LAWTON,
H. SMITH.
Mr. Smith will remain with the new firm and hopes to do work of all those needing anything in their line.
RIDGEWAY, Jan. 20th, 1885.

LAND FOR SALE.—130 acres of good land on Sec. 21, Ridgeway. Will divide to suit customers. Easy terms of payment.
W. J. ANDREWS.

FOR SALE.—Two set of bobs astonishingly cheap at RICHARTS WAGON SHOP.

SELL OR EXCHANGE.—One pair trucks. Will exchange for hay or grain. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

RINK RACKET.

The latest to learn—Wm. DeMott.

A large delegation of Adrian folks came over to witness the polo game last evening.

Anybody with half an eye could see a considerable difference between the grand march of last Thursday night and that of Saturday night.

The Manchester polo team is a good one, but has to take a back seat for Adrian.

The largest audience of the season turned out to see the polo game last evening between the Adrian and Manchester teams. The game was short, but sharp, the Adrian club winning by three straight goals. Another goal was played for an exhibition, and was also won by the Adrians. Both clubs are good ones, although the Adrians have the advantage of being older and more experienced players.

Mr. Chas. E. Dudley, the wonderful boy bicyclist, will give an exhibition of fancy bibycle riding at the rink next Saturday afternoon at 4 P. M., and in the evening at 8 o'clock. Master Dudley is but 15 years old and one of the best bicycle riders traveling. In addition to the most difficult feats on both wheels, he rides only the large wheel with one hand, with the backbone removed, etc. The admission has been placed at 15c. Skates 10c. The Adrian Times of Dec. 3, '84, has the following in reference to his riding:

The largest audience that has yet assembled at the rink was at that popular resort last evening to witness the wonderful bicycle performances of Chas. E. Dudley, the 15-year-old boy who has won so enviable a reputation as a bicyclist. The audience comprised a large number of our best citizens. With all his difficult mounts, riding performances, dismounts and other feats, it seems impossible that Mr. Dudley can be excelled.

The school teacher's race at the rink has been postponed on account of the aurora borealis portending an unusual quantity of polaric frigidity in the circumambient atmosphere. Clear the floor and form for the grand march!—Hastings Democrat.

The roller skating craze has struck the married ladies of Bay City hard. Matinees of their own, to which the giddy girls are not admitted. The husbands are expected to stay at home and tend the babies.—Muskegon Reporter.

Adrian Record: Even the legislature is capable of licensing knowledge and improving themselves in the art of skating. An Adrian visitor to Lansing last week visited the rink and was delighted to there behold a goodly representation from the lower house—among whom was the Hon. W. H. Wiggins—on wheeles for the first time. They sprawled around and fell down just like ordinary mortals, greatly to the diversion of spectators. When Mr. Wiggins "went to grass" all in a heap a Wayne representative on skates shouted, "The gentleman from Lenawee has the floor." Presently down went the Wayne man and Wiggins, brushing the chalk off from his coat, shouted savagely, "The gentleman from Wayne has the floor." The rink is a good place to shake off the perplexity of legislation, and the legislature is learning to skate.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 19, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Clinton will soon have a new dentist.

Blissfield has a flourishing literary society.

Adrian wants her city charter amended.

The Scientific Society of Adrian is prospering finely.

Mrs. Perley Bills returned last week from a western trip.

The village election will take place on Monday, March 2d.

A lyceum has been organized in the Blissfield east side school.

John R. Clark will lecture at Fairfield next Saturday evening.

Mr. J. W. Nelson has assumed control of the Morenci roller mills.

The village registration board will meet on Saturday, Feb. 28th.

Morenci is agitating the project of a new village Council Building.

M. McDougal, of Bridgewater, was in town yesterday on business.

Our exchanges are all filled with accounts of the terrible storm last week.

Dr. and Mrs. N. H. Kimball, of Adrian, started last Monday for a trip to New Orleans.

The Hudson Gazette says: "If two bands are a criterion for the brass and prosperity of a town, Tecumseh is 'gittin thar.'"

The progressive euchre club met last evening at Henry Smith's. Next Wednesday evening it will meet at H. E. Stout's.

Street commissioner Jordan has been doing a good job cleaning out the gutters on Chicago street preparing for a thaw when it comes.

Another cold wave struck us last Sunday night. The mercury dropped over 40° between 8 o'clock Sunday evening and 8 o'clock Monday morning.

The item of "twenty widows in Clinton" has been going the rounds of all the papers. It is amusing to notice the different comments made thereon.

The Battle Creek News, which was burned out, expects to resume publication soon. Until then, the regular subscribers are supplied with the Sunday Morning Call.

The series of sermons at the Methodist church has reached the 7th commandment. Subject next Sunday, at 7 P. M., "Adultery, or the importance of fidelity to the marriage vow."

Hudson is to have two charity balls. The ladies will manage one and the G. A. R. Post the other. There is considerable rivalry between them, but it is rivalry in a good cause.

Morenci Observer: The "old maids and maidens" of Medina have postponed their entertainment until some future indefinite date. There was a lack of gentleness in the weather for the gentle females.

The following Tecumseh people were invited to the Governor's levee which took place at the Princess Rink Detroit, last Thursday evening, J. R. Cairns, Thos. R. Kyle, A. D. Lawrence, Geo. Merritt, B. F. Reynolds.

Mr. Asel C. Smith, of Macon, went to Grand Ledge, Mich., last Friday for a few days' visit with his daughter, Mrs. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are well pleased with their location at Grand Ledge and have a fine home there.

A Hudson hardware merchant thus sums up his trade last week:

"Well, I did remarkably well yesday. A fellow came in and bought a key for 5 cents—and that was the extent of trade. The following day was a bad one, for the fellow who bought the 5 cent key brought it back and demanded his money. Trade, did you say? Let's talk about the weather."

Mrs. D. P. Spaulding has a lemon tree in her greenhouse which contains blossoms, half-grown lemons and ripe fruit. Four fine lemons were plucked from it lately, one of which was left at our office. It is a fine specimen of that tropical fruit, 9½ inches in circumference and as fair to the eye and delicious to the taste as the best Florida lemon.

The benefit entertainment to be given by the Tecumseh band has been fixed for Friday evening Feb. 27th. Two plays will be presented, the cast of characters in which has already been given. The persons to take part are among our best amateur performers, and people can rely upon seeing and hearing a good theatrical entertainment. Citizens of Tecumseh, turn out and give the boys a rousing house—They deserve it.

The company controlling and operating the Bell telephone in this state, has stretched a copper wire between Lansing and Detroit, and another between Jackson and Ann Arbor. Another will be strung between Detroit and Toledo, and another between Detroit and Ann Arbor. The wire is four sizes larger than that generally used, and over it conversation can be heard with almost startling distinctness.—Manager Mason is making an effort to have a copper wire strung to connect Adrian with Detroit via. Tecumseh.

DeWitt Tallman, of Adrian, was in town last Tuesday on business.

D. P. Anthony arrived home from New Orleans last Saturday night.

Geo. Bostwick started last Saturday night for Eaton Rapids to visit his old home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ide, of Detroit, spent last Sabbath with their Tecumseh friends.

Frank Pitcher gives a Washington's Birth day party at Knapp's Hall, Franklin Center, this evening.

Rev. C. E. Conley is daily improving from his indisposition but he is not yet able to be about the house.

Burt Garlinghouse arrived home from New York City last Friday evening. City life seems to agree with him.

Three freight trains passed over the branch Sunday. One of them was a "double header" with 31 car loads of coal.

The lumber for the new floor of the Opera House is going through the planer, and the floor will be laid in a few days.

Mrs. A. A. Kennedy, of Battle Creek, who has been visiting friends in Tecumseh for a week or so, departed for home on Monday last.

Armory Hall was the scene of a pleasant party last Friday evening. About a dozen couples "triped the light fantastic" until the small hours of morning.

The first train on the M. & O. since last week Monday went down last Saturday night at 11:30. It consisted of one box car and caboose. A passenger train was run Sunday.

Harry Hanford, of Detroit, is taking a week's rest and recreation from his business duties among his Tecumseh and Franklin friends. Harry is head book-keeper in the large carriage establishment of Theut & Lutz and is doing finely. He came out last Saturday and will return next Monday.

Dr. H. W. Catlin, of Grand Rapids, was taken seriously ill with an attack of pleuro-pneumonia on Monday of last week. His father, Dr. Samuel Catlin, was summoned by telegram and went out there Saturday, returning Tuesday morning. The attack was a serious one, but has been broken and his father now considers him out of danger. Bert's many friends here will hope for his speedy recovery.

Clinton Local: Rev. W. P. Wastell, met with an accident last Saturday that came very near being a serious one for him. He slipped when going from the house and struck his head against the door step, and was for a time, unconscious. He hardly knew how or when he returned to the room he had left but a short time previous; but we are glad to be able to announce that he has entirely recovere om the injury.

The following extract from a letter written by J. H. Darling, a friend and subscriber in Minnesota, touches the right chord. He looks upon his newspaper subscription in a business like manner. "Don't be backward in notifying me whenever my subscription expires. It is my intention to pay promptly in advance, but don't always keep track of the dates and need to be reminded when the time comes around to renew."

Adrian Record: A long, lank, green fellow, looking like a peeled banana, sloped into Justice Hewlet's office yesterday while the justice was enjoying a fine Havana. He had come all the way from Tiffin, O. After the usual preliminary inquiries he stated that he wanted a certificate. "What for," said the justice. "Oh, for a weddin'," said the man. "Where's your girl?" "Down in Ohio—the old man wouldn't let her come." So. I thought I'd get the certificate. Date it back to last June." The fellow was informed that it would be necessary for the girl to be present at the marriage. He put back to Ohio after the girl, with the avowed determination of getting a Michigan certificate.

Orr Brothers, of Tecumseh, are making quite a stir over the agency of a polish called Putz Pomade, and regard it as a new thing. A gentleman has sold it in this city for the last twelve months, and sells the genuine imported Prussian article.—Adrian Press.

Orr Brothers wish to state that they are the sole agents in this vicinity of the genuine Putz-Pomade. The popularity of their article is attested by the fact that they have sold several gross to Adrian dealers, and it is giving the best of satisfaction wherever used. Whatever gentlemen in Adrian are selling the "genuine imported Prussian article" have obtained their supply from the Orr Brothers. There is a spurious article in the market, but it bears no comparison to the genuine, as anyone can demonstrate for himself by trying the two. The Orr Brothers are pushing the sale of the "genuine article," and they will soon drive all spurious and inferior polishes out of the market. The Pomade is not a new preparation, having been discovered in 1878, and the secret of its manufacture still remains on the other side of the ocean. Adrian parties have tried to procure the agency of Putz-Pomade from the importer but have in each case been referred to Orr Brothers, who have sole control of this territory.

Yesterday was Ash Wednesday.

Harry Snell was at home over Sunday last.

How much does Capt. Foster charge for breakage?

Freight trains were run on the M. & O. last Sunday.

J. L. Traun paid Tecumseh a flying visit last Saturday.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark, of Clinton, paid Tecumseh a visit yesterday.

The two Polo teams both registered at the Lilley House yesterday.

Who struck Billy Patterson? is still the leading question in Clinton.

The prohibition state convention will be held at Lansing Feb. 25th.

B. J. Coller, of Adrian, was in town last Saturday on special business.

Fancy bicycle riding at the rink next Saturday afternoon and evening.

John Nestell, formerly manager of the Tecumseh rink, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Geo. Saxton, of Cayuga Co., N. Y., visited Mrs. Biglow and daughter last week.

The Ridgeway Sunday School took their annual sleighride to Tecumsen last Saturday.

Has Geo. Bostwick left town on a matrimonial errand? We have heard such a report and fear that it may be true.

Miss Mabel VanCamp, of Adrian, has finished her course in the Cincinnati College of Music and returned home.

E. W. Rappleye, of Dundee was in town yesterday. He is still managing the old Alex. Stowell farm near that village.

Curry & Bostwick have placed a cigar show case in their rooms and keep a line of choice cigars for sale at retail. A good idea.

A fine gull was shot on the Globe Mill pond the other day which has been "put up" by G. P. Sparks. Mr. Sparks is quite a taxidermist.

Geo. Exelby, of Ridgeway, has so far recovered from his rheumatism as to be out again. He was in Tecumseh last Friday for the first time in several weeks.

Tecumseh has a progressive eucher club at last. There are twelve charter members, all residing between the creek and the river. The Brownvillians are ahead.

Admirers of fancy bicycle riding should not fail to see Master Chas. E. Dudley, the 15 year old boy bicyclist at the rink next Saturday afternoon and evening. Admission 15 cents.

Chas. A. McNeil is in attendance upon the State Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows which is in session this week at Kalamazoo. He is the duly elected representative of the Tecumseh Lodge.

August Miller, of Lake Ridge, has left at this office a curiosity in the shape of an ear of corn. It consists of one large ear surrounded by ten little nubbins all attached to the central ear, making eleven separate ears of corn on one stalk.

Adrian has organized a base ball association and an effort will be made to raise $2,500 which will enable them to join the Michigan League. If this matter is successful, the following named cities will constitute the Michigan Base Ball league: Adrian, Bay City, East Saginaw, Grand Rapids, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Muskegon, Flint.

Capt. Henry Romeyn arrived in town last Thursday night. He received a telegram announcing his father's death on Monday evening, Feb. 9th. He left Fort Keogh at two o'clock Tuesday morning and arrived here Thursday night just in time to attend the funeral, which was held on Friday. He left here on Monday afternoon for Lyons, N. Y., with his father's remains for final burial.

The recent cold snap has been a severe test on the school furnaces, and upon the Janitor's patience, but both stood the test without flinching.—This is the thirteenth winter that Thos. Wyrill has acted as school janitor, and he has never known as severe a spell of weather during that time. The buildings, however, were kept warm, and it was not found necessary to dismiss school a single hour.

The band entertainment will be given at the Opera House, Friday evening Feb. 27. It is expected that Mr. Alba Heywood will add to the attraction by giving a couple of his impersonations. The boys are negotiating with Miss Mabel VanCamp and it is probable that she will sing a selection. Lavern Wheeler is to have the management of the stage, so we may expect some fine settings, especially in the green house scene in "Poor Pillicody."

Clinton Local: On Friday last Mr. Ezra DePuy got out his team and took a load of ladies to Tecumseh for a sleighride, and upon their return they stopped at Mr. Cobbs where the Missionary Society were in session and took tea, and with one voice they declare it altogether the most pleasant occasion of the season, and unite in pronouncing the repast one that was hard to excel. It was furnished at 5 cents per meal, and the receipts were $2.35.

The thermometer registered 20° below zero again on Tuesday morning. Yesterday morning it was only 11° below.

The Bohemian Oats Association is one of the grandest swindles in the country. Secretary Chamberlain, of the Ohio State Board of Agriculture, says that he knows of a farmer in Summit county who has held three hundred bushels of those oats three years, the Association refusing to take them off his hands.—Central Ohio Review.

Here is a weather item for the "oldest inhabitant" to cut out and paste in his scrap book. The record was made by Dr. North. We have talked with several of the older settlers within the past day or two and they all unite in saying that the like has never been known before in this part of the state, the thermometer below zero for ten mornings in succession:

Tuesday,	Feb. 10,	6°	below.
Wednesday,	" 11,	25	"
Thursday,	" 12,	6	"
Friday,	" 13,	30	"
Saturday,	" 14,	23	"
Sunday,	" 15,	2	"
Monday,	" 16,	5	"
Tuesday,	" 17,	16	"
Wednesday,	" 18,	11	"
Thursday,	" 19,	4	"

Mr. J. S. Strong has been repainting and renovating the interior of his residence on Union Street. Every room in the house has been newly papered and the principal ones have been provided with new carpets also. The main hall, double parlor, family room, kitchen and four rooms on the second floor have all been newly papered, both side walls and ceiling. The greater part of the house is done in gilt goods, color, bronz and embossed gilt, finished with first-class borders and gilt moulding. Each room is finished in a different style of paper, to harmonize with the carpet and other furnishings. The interior casings and all wood work is also treated with a fresh coat of hard oil. The paper was furnished by C. A. Wright & Co., and the hanging was done by F. McNeil assisted by E. Blessing. Mr. Strong has a most elegantly furnished dwelling, and he intends to hold the position of having one of the finest residences on Union Street.

THE NEW ORLEANS EXCURSION.

The excursion to New Orleans which has been worked up during the past month, will start on Monday the 2d. day of March. Enough pledges have been secured to warrant the chartering of the necessary coaches, but there is still room for a few more passengers. Although the trip has been arranged with reference to the wants of the G. A. R. boys, still many other citizens will go and also quite a number of ladies. Ladies who may wish to visit the Exposition need have no hesitancy about going with this company. They will be well provided for and will enjoy every convenience necessary to make the journey a pleasant one for them. Persons who may wish to go, or those who desire further information will call upon S. P. Hosmer, of this village, who is prepared to give full particulars, including rates of fare, routes, cost of living at New Orleans, etc. It will be the best opportunity the citizens of this vicinity will have to visit the Exposition at a cheap figure and in a way to enjoy themselves to the best advantage.

THE WRESTLING CONTEST.

The "rassling" contest at the Opera House last Saturday evening was not very largely attended, but those who did go witnessed a good exhibition of strength and athletic skill and were well pleased with the entertainment.

At eight o'clock Knapp's band opened the exercises with some good music, after which manager Lewis made a few remarks and proceeded to introduce the principals and seconds. M. L. Root had been selected umpire for Moth and Frank Wilson for Christol. Mr. Holdridge, of Detroit, acted as referee.

Moth was 26 years of age, six feet and one in. in height and weighed 195 pounds. Christol was 28 years old, five feet, five inches high, and tipped the beam at 162. Both men were stripped to the waist and made a display of muscle calculated to strike terror to the heart of an ordinary man. Moth appeared in white tights and red trunks and Christol wore flesh colored tights and black trunks.—The toss for falls was won by Moth, who chose, Graeco Roman, and won the round in 17 minutes. The second round, catch-as-catch-can, was finished in ten minutes, in which Christol came off victorious. The third was won by Moth and the fourth by Christol, making them two falls each. In the fifth and last round both men went at it hammer and tongs, and one would have thought they were wrestling for a purse of $500. After a hard struggle of about fifteen minutes Moth succeeded in downing his opponent, and was declared the winner of the contest.

The fact of the contest being held on Saturday evening and the awful weather making it impossible to circulate the bills in the country, contributed to the small attendance. Mr. Lewis furnished a good entertainment of the kind and deserved a better house.

AN INTERESTING NEWSPAPER RELIC.

Mr. Geo. S. Tiffany, of this village, possesses an old family relic which is a great curiosity, and is highly prized by him. It is a copy of "The Canadian Constellation," No. 47, of the date, June 21, 1809. The paper was four column folio, columns 15 inches in length, and was published weekly at Niagara (Upper Canada) by S. & G. Tiffany, terms $4 per annum. One of the partners composing the firm was Mr. Tiffany's father's father, and the other was his wife's father's father. One of the firm was the first public printer of Upper Canada. The relic has come down to the present owner from Mrs. Geo. Tiffany's father.

We had the pleasure of inspecting the relic yesterday and noted down a few items which will doubtless be of interest to our readers. It contained news from England for the month beginning March 23d and ending April 23d. The budget of English news contains lengthy dispatches from Lord Nelson and Sir Sidney Smith, who were commanding the British forces on the Mediteranean, giving the terms of a convention between the Grand Vizier and the French general Kieber, by which the French were to evacuate Egypt. The latest news from Boston was dated May 27th.

Among the home items we find this significant paragraph. "A candidate for this county for the ensuing election has been heard to declare that he will not give any liquors or dinners to the electors." A patriotic declaration surely, and one which shows that the liquor question was a troublesome one, even in that early day.

Among the advertisements is this notice: "Ten dollars will be given to any person who will give information to the printers, so that the person or persons may be brought to justice who stole a calf from a lot near the Presbyterian meeting house on Wednesday night last." Calves must have been valuable property in those days.

In the news miscellany is this item. "In the present scarcity of provisions soup shops are established in various parts of London for the accommodation of the poor, where that article is sold to them at a very low price and the following is the bill of a Scotch bricklayer to the treasurer of the soup society for hanging a copper at one of these shops.

The *genteelmen* of Great Marlow dr. to A. B. To hanging a *cooper* for to make *soup for the poor*, £0-15-6."

The word "copper" in the above signifies a copper kettle, and the Scotchman's orthography in his bill makes it read "cooper."

As the season for auctions approaches, we remind the farmers that the place to get their sale bills printed is at the HERALD office. Persons getting their bills printed at the HERALD office will receive a notice in the paper without charge. Abe Hanford's and Ben Rynolds' dates are kept at this office. Any date given for either of them by us will be honored. This arrangement frequently saves people much time and trouble in hunting up an auctioneer.

—FOR SALE: A fine 80 acres of land, being the west 80 of the Stephen V. Miller farm in Macon township, one and one-half miles from Ridgeway and four and one-half miles east of Tecumseh. About seventy acres under plow, balance good timber. No buildings. Fine soil, cultivation and water. Thirty-two acres wheat on the ground. Price, $75.00 per acre, wheat included. One-half or two-thirds payment would give immediate possession. A bargain for somebody. Address L. C. Miller, Pratt, Pratt Co., Kansas, for further particulars.

—The Light Running New Home.
B. J. Coller, Adrian.

—When in need of blacksmithing of any kind, call and see us at our new shop—the old Cummins Carriage Factory. Kyle & Haynes.

—Those Diaries for 1885 at Keip's must be sold regardless of cost.

—The Light Running New Home.
B. J. Coller, Adrian.

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I was remitted to Portland Prison on the 8d of February, 1881. Shortly afterwards, through the kindness of the Governor, a young blackbird came into my possession. For some months I relieved the tedium of my solitude by efforts to win the confidence of my companion, with the happiest results. He would stand upon my breast as I lay in bed in the morning and awaken me from sleep. He would perch upon the edge of my plate and share my porridge. His familiarity was such that, on showing him a small piece of slate-pencil and then placing it in my waistcoat pocket he would immediately abstract it. He would perch upon the edge of my slate as it was adjusted between my knees, and, watching the course of the pencil as I wrote, would make the most amusing efforts to peck the marks from off the slate. He would 'fetch and carry' as faithfully as any well trained dog. Towards evening he would resort to his perch, the post of the iron bedstead, and there remain silent and still till the dawning of another day, when his chirrup would again be heard, like the voice of nature before the herald of civilization—the clang of the prison bell at five o'clock. One evening as Joe sat upon his perch it occurred to me to constitute him chairman and audience of a course of lectures, and with him constantly before me as the representative of my fellow creatures, I jotted down what I have subsequently reproduced in the following pages.

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The infirmary garden in Portland Prison was aglow with the bloom of the late summer flowers which the Governor had kindly permitted me to sow in the early portion of the year. The English Ivy, with which Julius Caesar, a fellow-prisoner, used to sleep by the storm-beaten cliffs of Dover, as they dash against the rock-bound coast, was in unmolested bloom. From the bedstead upon which the great carved pieces of oak and the exquisite picturesque shadows of the Dorsetshire cliffs flung out upon the boundless sea. Away beyond the green fine appeared harvest fields and homesteads nestling into the distance and so sadly suggestive of what imprisonment was not—liberty, home and friends! contrasting as that so intensely between the bleak cloud and the rose which coloured the lowest mental pain in the punishment of penal servitude. It was a day which would fill one's whole being with a yearning to be liberated—a day of sunshine and warmth and beauty, and the moment had arrived when my resolution to give freedom to my little feathered exiled could no longer be safely postponed. I opened his door with a trembling hand, when quick as a flash of lightning he rushed from the cage with a wild scream of delight, and in a moment was beyond the walls of the prison. The instinct of freedom was too powerful to be resisted, though I had indulged the fond hope that he would have remained with me. But he taught me the lesson, which can never be unlearned by either country, prisoner or bird—that nature will not be denied and that liberty is more to be desired than fetters of gold.—"*Leaves from a Prison Diary.*"

COUNTERFEIT NOTES.

New Processes by Which They Are Made and How to Detect Them—Photography's Aid Called In.

"The photographed counterfeit bank bill is very common," said John S. Dye, Government counterfeit detective, yesterday. "There are two processes, called the 'old' and the 'new.' By the old process the whole of the back of the note is copied and appears in black on the photograph. It is then tinted with pens and brushes by hand. The black, however, can be seen under the tint, which on the seal is blotted and covers the white lines which appear in the genuine note. The numbering is also blurred with color and the whole of the tinting on the back of the note is badly done and incomplete.

"The detection of the photographed counterfeits depends upon a critical observation of their character and appearance. Unless they are perfectly new, they are off color and show the reddish brown, peculiar to faded photographs. By the new process the seal, numbers and color-work on the back, whether pink, carmine, chocolate or green, are first entirely removed from the note to be imitated. A negative is then taken from the black which remains. To produce the color-work an engraved plate of the seal, and the tinted part of the back are used and the tints are clearly surface-printed in their places. The numbers are also printed in colors from separate engraved figures used in combination and changeable. These figures are well done and run in a series, and, unlike the spurious bills made by the old process, are really dangerous.

"All genuine bills are printed from plates made four in a set and letters respectively A, B, C and D, except in a few cases where certain banks have been supplied with bill-lettered respectively E, F, G and H. These are called 'check letters' and appear in various places upon the face of notes or bills, according to their issue and denomination. Now here is the description of a five-dollar counterfeit bill, taken in New York City a few days ago: Check letter A, series 1875, act of March 3, 1863, Treasury number B3429232, plate 22, John Allison, Register; A. U. Wyman, Treasurer. It is one of the 'old style' photographs, printed on plain paper, coarse and heavy. The seal and cyloid work are very pale and the numbering fair. The lithe-work on back and in two counters on the face is so blurred that hardly a line can be seen. The green ink and red numbers are very good so far as the shade of color goes. The note on face has a blurred appearance and is very dark. It is of the same length as the genuine bill. The counterfeit is not dangerous, but well calculated to deceive the inexperienced. Immigrants are the most frequent dupes.

"One of the cleverest engravers of counterfeit plates of modern times is Charles F. Ulrich. In 1875 he lived at Sixth and Cumberland streets in this city. A man named Henry C. Cole was his business partner, and Jacob Ott, a German lithographer, did the printing. In 1877 Ulrich went to live with the Ott family at Oak Lane on the North Penn Railroad, and there finished the plate of a fifty-dollar counterfeit. In the same house the bills were printed. These were imitations of bills on the Central National Bank of New York City and the Third National Bank of Buffalo, N. Y. It so happens also that all the fifty dollar National Bank counterfeits, including eight different banks in the State of New York—seven of which were in the city—were printed from one engraved plate. The simple change from one bank to another was done by the use of skeleton plates.

"One hundred thousand dollars worth of these bills was printed in Ott's house. The greater part of them was sold by Cole and carried to Germany by J. E. Conkling and John Baker and there passed off on the bankers and people. None of them were put in circulation in the United States before they had been circulated in Germany, nor until a large number of them were brought back all at once to New York by immigrants on the German steamer Herder, May 22, 1878.

"The discovery was made by W. Hoffman, the expert at the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, at which office a fifty-dollar bill on the National Broadway Bank, of New York City, had been tendered by a Mr. Joseph. He claimed to have received the bill from Israel & Co., bankers at Hamburg, and the emigrants on the Herder were soon found passing similar counterfeits. Subsequently each steamer from Germany brought quantities of these bills, which were 'shoved' in Europe until the capture at Munich of J. E. Conkling and his associates."

"Are there any other methods of counterfeiting besides photography and engraving?"

"Oh yes, but they are easily detected, being generally clumsily executed. There are lithographs, etchings and pen-work counterfeits, spurious one dollar and two dollar United States Treasury notes are of this kind, and it is only on account of their small denomination that they have any circulation. Then, again, the vignette heads are oversoubally cut from notes of small value, the back removed and the face neatly cemented over the inferior work of poor counterfeit fives, which are thus made passable."

"How are the public to discriminate between genuine bills and forgeries?"

"Well, of course, therein lies the possibility of successful forgeries. If the general public was so well acquainted with the appearance of genuine bills as instantly to be able to detect spurious ones the counterfeiter's occupation would be gone. Whenever a counterfeit (with the exception of a photographic, lithographic, acid etching, or pen-made one, any of which frauds should be detected at a glance) of a National Bank bill appears, the genuine bill is as rapidly as possible withdrawn from circulation. The fact that a counterfeit has been 'shoved' is published as soon as it is discovered and it is the duty of everybody to thereafter refuse or be very careful in accepting bills of that denomination. We are even now expecting that in a short time a new spurious bill will be 'shoved.' We have not yet traced it to its origin, but we have our eyes open and are on the look-out."—*Philadelphia Times.*

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"Any more novelties?"

"Yes, we make what we call 'a return corn-ball,' with elastic attached, which retails for a penny. And we are putting corn of assorted flavors into lace bags of many colors. These retail at five cents per bag. In the last four years we have gotten up no less than eight different styles of penny popcorn prize-packages. For Christmas we get up plain white and red and white sugared corn, of assorted flavors, for stringing. These strings of corn, as you know, are largely used for decorating Christmas trees. We have also what are called coarse corn cakes, made with pure Porto Rico molasses, and put up in glass-front cans, and a ground or fine corn cake, also made with molasses, and put up in tin boxes. The latter are especially for the Southern and Western trade, but there is also a large demand for them in New England."

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Petersburg	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	6 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 34 "	4 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24 A. M.	No. 22 A. M.	No. 26 P. M.	No. 28
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27 P. M.	No. 25 P. M.	No. 23 P. M.	No. 21 A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

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P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	.....Manhattan Junction.....	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 24	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 00	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 11	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	..... Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 54	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 06	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 35	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	P. M.
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	8 00
9 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	7 48
9 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 33
9 47	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 21
9 50	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 03
10 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
P. M.	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 35
15		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 29
52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 12
58		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 55
21		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 47
23		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 37
29		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 25
40		4 10	A....Allegan ...L	11 10		3 00
		5 10	Holland	10 10		
11 55		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		2 05
11 13		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
11 55		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		1 20
A. M.		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		
		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

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Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESS.

SENATE, February 4.—The oath was administered to the Senator from Michigan. A communication was received from the Secretary of War recommending the legislation necessary to place General Grant on the retired list of the United States army. Mr. Hill offered a concurrent resolution which was adopted calling on the Secretary of the Interior for certain reports of special agents on lands in New Mexico. The Interstate Commerce Commission bill was taken up and passed—44 yeas, 12 nays. The bill for the recoinage of the trade dollar was then called up and discussed until adjournment.

HOUSE.—Under the new rule to consider bills to which not more than ten members objected, a number were presented, but as there was the legal objection to all of them, they went over. The committees were called for reports and a number of bills were placed on the calendar. The House then went into committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor bill, which was discussed until adjournment without action. A night session was held, but as there was no quorum present no business was transacted.

SENATE, February 5.—A bill was introduced by Mr. Sherman to provide for the striking of medals to commemorate the completion of the Washington Monument; referred. Mr. Plumb called up a bill to quiet title of settlers on the Des Moines River lands in the State of Iowa. The reading of the exceedingly voluminous report on the bill occupied the time till two o'clock, when the unfinished business, being the bill for the redemption and recoinage of the trade dollar, was taken up, Senator Bowen having the floor, which he occupied in his remarks until adjournment.

HOUSE.—A resolution was offered and adopted requesting the President to cause copies of all communications which have been received respecting the Congo Conference, and especially copies of the text of the commission or power sent by the Government to each of the three American plenipotentiaries or agents, to be immediately transmitted to the House. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor bill, and when thirty-two of the 1,200 lines of the bill had been gone over the Committee rose and the House adjourned.

SENATE, February 6.—Mr. Sewell offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of War to report the Senate whether any plans or preparations have been matured by the engineer corps of the army or War Department for defending the harbors of our sea coasts and lakes by torpedoes or otherwise, in case of sudden war with any foreign power, and if torpedo stations have been established with the care contemplated for such defense; referred. Mr. Ingalls, according to notice given, moved an amendment to the Senate rule that prohibits general legislation on appropriation bills, the amendment being to permit such legislation as may be germane or relevant to the subject matter of the bill. After a discussion on Mr. Ingall's resolution, the whole subject was referred to the Committee on Rules. The Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill was taken up with the Senate amendments, which were agreed to without objection, and the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.—An adverse report was made on the joint resolution, tendering the thanks of Congress to Commanders Schley and Coffin and Lieutenant Emory, of the Greely relief expedition; laid on the table. Private business having been dispensed with the House went into Committee of the Whole Mr. Hammond in the chair on the River and Harbor bill, which was discussed until a late hour without making any headway, as only seven of the fifty pages of the bill had been gone over.

SENATE, February 7.—A joint resolution was passed accepting, in the name of the United States from W. H. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Grant, and tendering thanks therefor, the trophies presented to General Grant by the different nations of Europe. The resolution provides that they shall be placed in charge of the Librarian of Congress until a suitable Library building is built. The bill creating a Department of Agriculture was presented and placed on the calendar. The House bill providing a retired list for privates and non-commissioned officers was passed—yeas 37, nays 5. The private pension bills were then taken up and discussed until adjournment.

HOUSE.—Another attempt was made to have a number of bills passed under the new rule, but as there was the required number of objections to all of them they went over and the House went into Committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor bill. Various amendments were made to the bill but they were all voted down, and the Committee rose and the House adjourned without making any headway on the bill.

WASHINGTON.

The Chief Justice of the Dominion of Canada was granted the privilege of the United States Senate on the 4th, and was introduced to the Senators individually by Justice Gray, of the Supreme Court.

The Democratic National Committee will hold a meeting in Washington March 2.

A bill was reported favorably in the Senate on the 6th, granting the widow of General George H. Thomas a pension of $2,000 per year.

The Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill, which was completed by the House Appropriation Committee on the 5th, provides for the appointment by the Speaker of a Commission of five members of the Forty-ninth Congress to consider the system of Indian education and the manner of expending the appropriation for that purpose, and also to consider the best means of utilizing the Yellowstone Park for the benefit of the public. The Commission is requested to report to the next Congress.

The dairies kept by members of the Greely party during their encampment in the Arctic region have been made public by General Hazen. They show that insubordination and discontent prevailed to some extent and that an occasional theft was practiced. Lieutenant Greely writes that he would have ordered the offenders killed had he thought such action would have been upheld. The diaries, generally, confirm the rumors which have from time to time arisen respecting the difficulties which existed during the encampment.

It is expected that after communicating with President-elect Cleveland, President Arthur will issue a proclamation convening the Senate in extra session on the 4th of March, for the purpose of considering Cabinet and other nominations. Four years ago President Hayes issued about a week before going out of office a proclamation convening the Senate in executive session on the day that President Garfield was inaugurated. The Senate simply met after the inaugural proceedings were over and adjourned until the following day, when the President sent in his Cabinet nominations.

THE EAST.

George Washington Bowen, the celebrated claimant in the Jumel will case, died at Providence, R. I., on the 6th, in his ninety-first year.

Arthur Sherburne Hardy Cheney, Professor of Mathematics at Dartmouth College, son of Hon. Alpheus Hardy Cheney, of Boston, and author of the novel "But Yet a Woman," has been offered the Presidency of Bowdoin College. He has, however, declined the offer.

It is stated by the officers of the Provident Life and Trust Company, of Philadelphia, that the peculations of their defaulting clerk, Glenmore Todd, recently arrested and held in $10,000 bail, will not reach as high a figure as $150,000 and may be considerably less. The exact amount can not be stated until the property recovered from the defaulter, consisting of stocks, bonds and real estate, can be realized upon. It is said that Todd kept the accounts of depositors entirely correct and covered his fraud by an ingenious system of bookkeeping.

Nearly five hundred employes of the Lowell Manufacturing Company, at Lowell, Mass., chiefly weavers and boys, struck on the 6th against a decrease of ten per cent. in wages, and were ejected from the yard.

Traces of poison have been found in the stomachs of John Sullivan and his wife, who were recently found dead in Ansonia, Conn., and the theory of murder by the wife and her suicide is supported by the medical opinion that the husband died twenty-four hours before his wife. The woman imagined that her husband was unfaithful and would desert her, or dying, would leave her but a widow's third of the small estate which was in his name.

At Scranton, Pa., on the 6th Daniel Kullman, an employe in the Lackawanna Coal Company's nail mill, was adjusting a belt connected with the machinery when his clothing caught in the shafting, which was making several hundred revolutions a minute. He was torn to pieces and instantly killed.

Governor Pattison, of Pennsylvania, on the 6th issued a warrant for the execution of Edward Brotheras, of Luzerne County, on April 7. Brotheras was convicted of the cowardly murder of a man named Nichols, under the mistaken impression that he had wrought the ruin of a niece of the culprit.

THE rolling and plate mill of the Nashua (N. H.) Iron and Steel Company was destroyed by fire on the 7th. Loss, $50,000; fully insured.

The value of imports at the port of New York (exclusive of specie) for the week ended February 7 were $5,831,000, of which $3,892,000 was general merchandise and $1,931,000 dry goods.

The house of William Foster, of Pulaski township, Lawrence County, Pa., was entered by burglars on the night of the 7th. After binding and gagging Foster and his family the thieves ransacked the premises, taking $100 in cash and jewelry valued at several hundred dollars. The robbers then went to the barn and taking a horse and buggy drove off.

The Philadelphia *News* urges the Pennsylvania Legislature not to pass the bill appropriating $10,000 for the New Orleans Exposition, declaring that the expenditure would be worse than useless, "as the exhibition is already considered a failure." It says: "Over $2,000,000 have already been spent on the Exposition, yet it is disorganized and incomplete. Not a cent of all the money has been accounted for, and the management is now asking for $250,000 to pay debts already incurred, part of which is needed at once to pay the employes, who threaten to strike unless paid at once.

Statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 7th: Loans increase; $900,000; specie increase, $3,666,000; legal tenders decrease, $2,033,000; deposits increase, $2,075,000; circulation decrease, $207,000; reserve increase, $1,114,000. The banks held $54,985,000 in excess of legal requirements.

WEST AND SOUTH.

The National Stove Manufacturers' Association, at its meeting in Chicago on the 5th, resolved to make the prices for the current year the same as during 1884.

While Sheriff Shivers and a Mr. Boatwright, both citizens of Worth County, Ga., were conversing together on the 4th, they were seen to draw revolvers and, taking hold of each other, fired. Both men fell dead, their arms locked together.

The Union Pacific and Central Pacific Railroads have co-operated to establish a fast freight system between Chicago and San Francisco via Omaha. One thousand air brake cars are ordered to be running by March 1. Through freight transportation will then be reduced to eight days.

William Iliffe, a blacksmith residing in Maryland, has fallen heir to $4,000,000 and an earldom.

The house of Richard Kealy, at Bay City, Mich., was entered by burglars on the 5th, who chloroformed the family, secured $141 in cash, a lot of jewelry, and took a gold ring from Kealy's finger. The theft was not known till the next morning.

A fire at Mt. Sterling, Ky., on the 6th destroyed the opera house and a number of adjoining buildings, entailing a loss of $50,000.

Five members of the Marmaduke family at Marshall, Mo., were reported dangerously ill on the 6th. Mrs. L. Marmaduke, mother of the Governor, her two daughters—Mrs. Yerby and Harwood—Leslie Marmaduke and Miss Celia Harwood, the future mistress of the Executive Mansion, were all confined to their beds with serious illness.

The District Court at Cincinnati has modified its decision in the Campbell disbarment case. The original decision ordered Campbell to pay the costs on all the charges. The latest decision compels the relators to pay the costs on about one-half of the charges, the defendant paying the remainder.

The D. W. Miller Carriage Company, of Cincinnati, has assigned. Liabilities, $160,000; assets, $125,000.

The house occupied by Mike Burns, a few miles from St. Charles, Minn., burned on the night of the 5th. Mrs. Burns saved two children, but two girls, aged seven and eleven years, perished.

Nine convicts were whipped at New Castle, Del., on the 7th, eight for larceny and one for burglary. Later, a negro received twenty lashes and stood for an hour in the pillory. Others received ten lashes.

A boiler explosion at the flouring mills of J. C. Harris in Montgomery, Ind., on the 7th fatally scalded the engineer, John Mattingley, and seriously damaged the building.

S. S. Merrill, General Manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, died at Milwaukee on the 8th.

Henry Kessler, a well-known citizen, ex-Sheriff of Cincinnati, and at one time a member of the Ohio Legislature, died on the 7th.

G. Cassard & Sons' extensive pork-packing establishment at Baltimore, Md., was completely destroyed by fire on the morning of the 8th, involving a loss of $100,000. Four firemen were injured by a falling wall, one or two seriously.

The extensive distillery of Christian Pepper, at Lebanon, Ill., one of the largest in the State, burned on the 8th. The building and contents were a total loss.

The attempted poisoning of the family of Judge Nottingham, at Perry, Ga., a few days ago, created intense excitement in that place. The son of the cook, aged fourteen, confessed that he had placed a large quantity of morphine in the milk for the purpose of killing the whole family, as his mother told him "Dere was too many white folks in de world, and it was time to get shet of some of dem." The guilty woman and her son are in jail.

Pinkney H. Walker, Judge of the Supreme Court for the Fourth District of Illinois, died at his home in Rushville, that State, on the 8th. For two weeks he had been suffering from a carbuncle on the back of his head, which affected his brain and caused death. His age was sixty-nine.

An ordinance has been adopted by the Keokuk (Ia.) City Council licensing the saloons to sell beverages not prohibited by the State law. The license was fixed at $100 per year. A resolution passed recently to enforce the State law was rescinded. The saloons will take out licenses and continue to do business until interfered with by private individuals.

The bronze statute of General Frank P. Blair, ordered by the city of St. Louis, was successfully cast at the Cincinnati Art Foundry on the 7th in the presence of a large assemblage of citizens interested in art. The model was the work of W. W. Gardner, of St. Louis.

It is said that Governor Ireland, of Texas, will ask General McClellan to represent Texas on the joint commission proposed by Congress to decide whether Greer County belongs to the United States or to Texas. The question involves property valued at $50,000,000.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

It was stated at the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Sugar Refining Company a few days ago that the losses on the year's operations was about $200,000, and the dividend was accordingly passed. The loss was caused by buying heavily early in the spring when sugar was down, in expectation that it would rise very shortly, but instead of doing so it kept depreciating. The coming year is brighter, as the market is steadily advancing.

Bismarck's organ, the *North German Gazette*, urges that an Anglo-German squadron be dispatched to the Congo to vindicate the neutrality laws, and the character of the International African Association.

The prize of $500 offered by General Wolsely for the best time made by any division of the Nile expedition between Harras and Debbeh has been awarded to the Royal Irish Brigade.

On arriving in Rome a few days ago, Michael Davitt went to the hotel chiefly patronized by English travelers and residents. Upon his presence becoming known the English guests notified the landlord that they would not sit at the table with the Irish agitator. Mr. Davitt thereupon withdrew from the hotel.

It is stated that Austria has been asked to join Germany and Russia in the formation of an International Extraditional League, based on the principles of the treaty recently completed between Germany and Russia for the mutual extradition of Anarchists.

Twelve sailors belonging to the French fleet at Matson were shot on the 8th for having engaged in a mutiny on board one of the ships.

It is reported that many of the friendly tribes in the Soudan are showing signs of defection from the British cause since the receipt of the news of Gordon's capture. This is especially true of the powerful Kabbabish tribe. It is feared that if the defection becomes complete it will enable El Mahdi to prevent Wolseley's retreat or reinforcement, at least by the Nile route.

Advices from West Africa state that the Ahwoondi tribe recently attacked Quitta, on the north Guinea gold coast. The natives of Quitta and Houssa were assisted by the English police under Captain Campbell in driving the invaders back. There was a desperate conflict in which three of the white men were killed and Captain Campbell dangerously wounded. Three hundred natives on both sides were slain.

LATER NEWS.

RICHARD SHORT, who stabbed Captain Phelan in O'Donavan Rossa's office a New York City a few weeks ago, was admitted to bail in $3,000 on the 9th, Dennis Corbet becoming his bondsman. Short received a letter from Cork, Ireland, a few days ago, announcing the death of his wife in that city on the 19th of January.

THE jury in the Murphy murder case at New Orleans failing to agree upon a verdict were discharged on the 9th. The jury stood eleven for acquittal and one for conviction.

A MEETING of the board of underwriters and the representative members of the various insurance companies doing business in Pittsburgh will be held shortly for the purpose of considering the advisability of advancing premiums twenty-five per cent.

THE Presbyterian Minister's Association, of Pittsburgh, at their meeting on the 9th, considered the subject of roller-skating rinks. A paper prepared by the Rev. J. T. Gibson was read and adopted as the sentiment of the association and ordered printed in the church papers. The reverend gentleman enters a most vigorous protest against the skating rinks, earnestly exhorting all Christians to cease following the multitude unthinkingly.

THE Kansas Legislature on the 9th passed a joint resolution condemning the action of the State Commissioner at the World's Fair at New Orleans in joining with others in inviting Jefferson Davis to participate in the reception of the Liberty Bell.

THE remains of Ephraim Doolittle and Andrew Bezer were found in the ruins of the starch factory which burned at Peoria, Ill., on the 8th. The loss by the fire will reach $100,000; half insured.

THOMPSON DERR, General State Agent of the Franklin Fire Insurance and Pennsylvania Fire Insurance Companies, the Philadelphia, Hanover, New York, and other companies, died at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on the 8th, at the age of fifty-one. He leaves a fortune of $700,000.

THE Chairman of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reported favorably in the Senate on the 9th a bill increasing the appropriation for the erection of a public building in Pittsburgh to cost $1,500,000, which was passed. Mr Cameron (of Pa.) submitted a resolution directing the Committee on Finance to inquire whether any part of the surplus revenue of the Treasury could be beneficially expended for the purpose of reviving American shipping by allowing rebates on tariff duties now imposed. The bill making it unlawful to enclose lands upon the public domain, better known as the Anti-Fencing bill, was taken up and discussed until the morning hour had expired when it went over and the Anti-Silver Coinage bill was called up, and Mr. Beck took the floor and reviewed at length the circumstances connected with the coinage of the trade dollar, and argued in favor of its retirement. At four o'clock the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned. The House immediately after the expiration of the morning hour went into Committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor bill, and after discussing it at length adjourned without reaching a vote.

From the Corporal.

From the Marine Barracks, Pensacola, Florida, Corporal Ben. Barger writes of the benefits of Brown's Iron Bitters in that malarious region. He says: "I have used several bottles and must say I am greatly benefited by using it. Several of my comrades use Brown's Iron Bitters, and you may rest assured they all think it is the greatest thing on earth." This kind of testimony comes from all quarters concerning Brown's Iron Bitters, the best tonic.

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In the summer and fall of 1876 when we had the heavy centennial travel, the constant jar brought on acute attacks nearly every week and I thought I should have to leave the road. But I kept at work until the next Spring, when I grew so much worse that I could virtually eat nothing, and concluded that my labor and my life too, were about over.

Remember that I had tried every medicine I heard of, and had been treated by some of the best physicians in Taunton and Lowell. At this critical time Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was recommended to me. It was new to me, and with my experience of medicines you can easily forgive me for saying that I had not a particle of faith in it.

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Why, I believe Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will cure anything. One night, a while ago, John Layton, an engineer who runs the main line boat train from Boston, came on my engine sick as death. He was worn out with work, had a high fever, and was so nervous he almost broke down crying. "Nonsense, John," I said, cheer up, I've got something on my engine that will set you up in a jiffy." I took out a bottle of Favorite Remedy, lifted his head and gave him a good dose. He went to bed. Two days after I saw him looking healthy as a butcher. "John," he says, "what was that stuff you gave me the other night?" "It was Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, Rondout, N. Y.," said I. "Well I don't care whose Remedy it is, it's the thing for a man on the railroad." So say we all.

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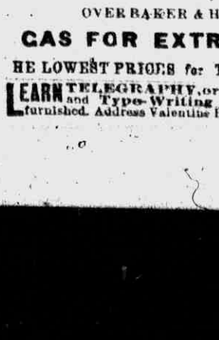

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OBITUARY.

Thomas Theodore Romeyn was born at Johnstown, N. Y. December 25, 1799, of Holland and Scotch Irish ancestry. The family name has been known in Europe since the 12th century, and the first bearer of it in this country settled in New York in 1661. The subject of this sketch being of the sixth generation in the land. The family has been represented in the clerical, medical and legal profession, having furnished, since its advent in the new world, twenty five ministers of the Gospel, and the name has been in one pulpit that of the First Reformed church of Hackensack, N. J., for three quarters of a century. Some have carried swords in every war the country has seen since their first arrival, and one fell with the colors of his regiment the First New York, in his hands at the Redoubt gate of the City of Mexico.

His grandfather Rev. Thomas Romeyn was settled at what is now Fonda, Montgomery county, N. Y. when it was frontier town and was then far farther west than any settlement in that state. The paternal grandfather of Mr Romeyn was John Mason of Coleraine, Ireland, and an early settler at Cherry Valley, Otsego county, N. Y. He was a staunch patriot, a member of the provincial congress of New York, and its first chaplain, was specially obnoxious to the tories, and in the destruction of Cherry Valley by them and the Indians in 1778 was eagerly sought for as an object of vengeance, but escaped with his family.

Levi, the father of Mr Romeyn removed to Lyons, Wayne county, N. Y. they a stalwart boomer in the midst of an almost unbroken wilderness, and in early years Mr. R. resided forty years, when 1856 he removed to Mt Tabor, and purchased the farm on which he has since resided.

Living up to manhood in a new country, his opportunities for education were limited but he was an assiduous student of standard literature, and he had an ardent love of the better class of poetry. Could repeat cantos and scores from memory and find an appropriate quotation from some poet, to locally figure, for almost every occasion. It was his custom to rise early, and much of his reading was done at that hour. His memory was wonderful, and after he had passed "threescore and ten" he contributed a series of local historical articles for an eastern paper, ranging through over one hundred numbers, surprisingly accurate and entirely from memory.

A whig in politics, down to the organization of the republican party, he never sought office, but was never backward in advocating his principles and his accurate reading and tenacious memory made him a formidable antagonist.

For more than half a century he had been a consistent member of the Presbyterian church, and, till hindered by his last illness, a constant attendant at divine service. Almost his only expressed regret was that he could no longer enjoy church privileges. For several years he has been obliged to use crutches, on account of a fall which fractured his hip, and was during the last years, entirely unable to walk. Of herculean frame and endurance, he long resisted the approach of the destroyer, and lived long after anyone supposed he could do so. In the latter part of his illness he often expressed a desire to depart and be at rest, and that as he had lived "without fear and without reproach."

The funeral services were held at the residence of the deceased in Clinton township on the 13th inst. and the remains were placed temporarily in the vault of the Tecumseh cemetery. Last Monday afternoon they were conveyed to the train and taken to Lyons, N. Y., to find a final resting place by the side of old friends who had gone before. The deceased was the last representative of his family, of his own generation, to pass over to the other shore.

IN MEMORIAM.

Died in Clinton township, on Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1885, Thomas Hendershot, aged 48 years. The deceased was born at the homestead where his entire life was spent. More than twenty-five years ago he lost his health, since which time he has remained an invalid, bearing his afflictions with cheerfulness and without murmuring, and on which account, the sympathies of his relatives and the community were centered upon him. He lived a quiet unobtrusive life, always reciprocating the love and affection which were bestowed upon him by friends and associates. For years he had been the companion and solace of his aged father, whose head is silvered over with the frosts of many winters, and who is now deprived of the last remaining one in his household. Many times has the death-angel entered this family circle, and elder ones, and infants have been removed, and now again the breach is opened which time cannot heal.

The funeral took place at the family residence on Sunday the 8th. Rev. Mr. Kerridge officiating. One sister and three brothers with their father are left to mourn their loss. And now we can follow our friend no farther; the footsteps we so gladly welcomed, the familiar voice, the pleasant smile, the bright expression of the mild eye, we shall see and hear no more.

"Till we pass down the deep dark valley
And greet him on the other shore."

COM.

Mrs. Amanda Keeney, wife of J. R. Keeney, died at the residence of her son in Riley, Michigan, Feb. 9th, 1885, aged 63 years. The deceased for the last 40 years was a resident of Franklin or Cambridge, as the wife of J. P. Keeney, 46 years. She leaves a family of nine sons and daughters, all married. The bereaved husband mourns the loss of a truly good wife. When we look over the record of near and dear friends who have left to be no more, it is right and just to say a few words to commemorate their worthy acts. Our friend and neighbor for full forty years, in the home circle, at church, or sunday school, a very exemplary lady; for many years superintendent of the sabbath school, always one of the leaders in singing; she had many strong friendships, and upon her departure a deep gloom settles down on sweet memories in scores of households for her Christian graces and estimable character. She was a worthy member of the Episcopal Church in that and other circles will be mourned and missed. Farewell, friend of our friends, friend of our children, whose virtuous life and example has left a legacy far richer and more enduring than purest gold or precious gems. The funeral was held at the church in the township of Cambridge, where she had been a member for about thirty years, Rev. Henry Hoyle officiating. Her vacant chair and the church were draped in mourning with many beautiful inclosed flowers. F. A. D.

Died at the parental home in Lake Ridge, Mich. February 9th, 1885, of pneumonia, Mrs. Julia E. Wiggins, wife of D. R. Wiggins, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Easlick, aged 21 years, 2 months and 2 days. The funeral services were conducted at the house on the 11th inst. at one o'clock P. M. and the remains deposited in Lake Ridge cemetery. Rev. Clark of Ridgeway officiating.

She had been married only about ten months, and had not yet left the old home, and being the oldest of a family of five children was the admitted leader in many of the household affairs especially was this the case in the laundry, sewing and musical departments. In connection with her labor studies, she acquired quite an extensive musical education to which she naturally aspired. The mellow tones of the piano, and the melody of song in connection with her young companions, greatly enlivened the varied social family gatherings. Her active mind and correct orthography, like an ever ready encyclopedia guided the pen of your humble correspondent. Her unassuming friendship and generous social nature endeared her to all. Few have passed away with stronger attachments, or left behind deeper sorrow. The family circle has again been broken. Julia has gone. Sad indeed for husband, parents, brothers and sisters.

In behalf of the near friends we would extend our kindest regards to the many friends and neighbors, who so ministered so lovingly administered to our varied wants in this sad affliction. Turning out through wind and storm, with the mercury 20° to 30° below attending at the bedside of dying friends, braving the highways of the terrible drifts, ladies walking long distances where teams could not be driven—and the Ridgeway choir, who rendered such acceptable service—coming miles to assist in the last sad ceremonies—for all of whom we tender our sincere and most grateful acknowledgements.

D. R. WIGGINS,
MR. and MRS. A. EASLICK
AND FAMILY.

Godey's Lady's Book for March presents some very strong attractions. Beside the steel illustration of the story, "Another Alternative," there is a very pretty wood-cut furnished this month, and a novel colored work design. A new story by Miss Rollston, called "Janie," opens in this number. "Under Grey Skies" progresses toward an interesting climax, and Helen Mather's "Dreaming of the Weird Motive," a strong story by M. R. Housekeeper, is one of the unsuccessful MSS. entered for the prize competition. Mrs. V. Sheffey "Haller's" laughable charade, "Dining Room," is concluded this month and several new departures are made in the editorial columns. Godey's comes out every month with some fresh attraction. One would think in time its resources would be exhausted, but they seem to increase and multiply. The latest enterprise of Messrs. J. H. Haulenbeck & Co., the publishers, is the award of books to every person who secures a new subscriber, one book for every subscriber secured. These books are all catalogued and a free choice is allowed. The list comprises many of the standard works of the best authors. It is truly wonderful that for the small price of $2.00 the publishers can afford to furnish their magazine for one year, and a book premium costing in the stores from one to two dollars. But this is one of the problems that Godey's Lady's book has solved successfully, and we accept the result with complete satisfaction. Subscriptions may commence any time.

Representative Howell has written a letter to parties in Blissfield relative to his new drain law in which he says:

I do not think we can have a law so simple as the Ohio law. In Ohio the township and county have the right to take private property for the public benefit. In this state private property can only be taken for the use of the public by a jury of 12 or three commissioners appointed by a court of record. The present law is so defective that it is not safe for a commissioner to attempt to construct a drain. I hope to remedy the matter and at least give you a law that will be clear and easily understood and concise in its meaning, one of which all appeals will have to be made after the commissioners have made their determination in the case and before the work of construction begins, but you know that no legislature can provide against the carelessness of drain commissioners.

Auction Sale.

Dudley Macham's lease having expired, he will sell at Auction on the old Myron Curtis farm, 3½ miles north-east of Tecumseh, Wednesday, Feb. 25, '85 at 12 o'clock M., the following property: one four year old bay gelding, 1 bay mare, 1 mare with foal, 1 work mare, 2 yearling steers, yearling heifer 3 calves, 4 poland china breeding sows, 6 shoats, 17 ewes, 10 lambs, 2 good milch cows, 1 yearling colt, 4 tons hay, Jackson wagon nearly new; 2 top buggies, one nearly new; 1 set double harness, 2 set single harness, Wood mower, 150 bu. corn, 200 bu. oats, wheel hay rake, 2 plows, scotch harrow, wheel-cultivators, 3 hand cultivators, three horse whiffletrees, hay rack, etc. Also, 12 acres of wheat on the ground. Terms, 12 months credit on good notes at interest. Abe Hanford, auctioneer

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DOES FARMING PAY?

FRANKLIN, Feb. 16, 85.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—If you will allow us a little space in the Herald we would like to make a few comments on the article published in your issue of Feb. 5th, headed "does farming pay at present prices" We don't wish to pose as a sore head farmer crank, but have been through the mill, and claim to know what we are talking about. Whether it pays or not, farmers as a rule must keep right on until it does pay. Shifting from one business to another hardly ever pays in the end. There are men that will succeed in most anything they undertake. For example, there is a young man in Franklin but thirty-four years of age, who has an $18,000 farm paid for, and he didn't inherit it either; but that is an achievement but few obtain. The figures in the article make an eighty acre farm produce an income of $1,300 a year. It is figured on a basis of sure crops and no allowance made for drouths and failure of crops that can't be avoided, such as cut worms eating the corn, weevil eating the wheat, etc. A man with years of experience and plenty of money in his pocket to buy all necessaries will make a farm produce much more than one without those means and heavily in debt; but the one with small means is the one which we started out to advise. It is policy for any young man who likes farming to get a farm, for there he is free from the vices and temptations of city life, and is not dependent on any one's trade or patronage. If he has $2000 buy what land that will pay for and no more. A big mortgage on a farm is a tyrannical yoke that will make life burdensome and drag you into a premature grave. Then to succeed, pay as you go; eschew all outside speculations, never sign a paper for a stranger, do your own thinking and work to win, and you will win. The HERALD and other county papers are to be complimented for giving the farmers due warning of the new swindles and dodges.

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THE DETROIT FREE PRESS.

Several weeks ago The Free Press began the issue of a distinct Monday paper to its subscribers in the city, thus furnishing them on the morning of every day in the year with the latest news from all quarters. The reception of the paper was so hearty that steps were taken to place subscribers in the country on an equal footing with those in the city. This has been done, and subscribers to the Daily Free Press, whether in city or country, get the seven daily issues of the paper.

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Macon Grange, No. 167, will give an entertainment on Tuesday, Feb. 24th, at 7:30 P. M. The following is the program:

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Rec.—Jennie Osgood.
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Dec.—Edgar Rogers.
Inst. Music—Emma Miller.
Rec.—Martha Linton.
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Reading—Susie M. Osgood.
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Buckwheat, ₰ bushel	1 00 @	1 00
Buckwheat flour, ₰ hundred	3 00 @	3 10
Corn meal, ₰ hundred	3 00 @	3 10
Beef—dressed, ₰ hundred	5 @	6 50
Beef, Hides	6 @	07
Calf Skins, ₰ lb	8 @	10
Corn in ear	20 @	25
Corn—Shelled, ₰ bushel	45 @	45
Clover Seed	4 00 @	4 75
Chickens—dressed	6 @	7
Eggs, ₰ dozen	17 @	20
Flour, ₰ barrel	4 50 @	5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₰ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₰ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Horse—live, ₰ cwt	7 00 @	8 00
Hay, ₰ ton	6 @	10
Honey, ₰ lb	6 @	14
Hem, ₰ lb	6 @	10
Lard, ₰ lb	6 @	10
Oats, ₰ bushel	26 @	30
Onions, ₰ bushel	50 @	60
Potatoes, ₰ bushel	30 @	35
Salt, ₰ barrel	1 25 @	1 25
Sheepskins	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₰ bushel	1 75 @	2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₰ lb	6 @	10
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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. Mat Lancaster and children, of Brooklyn, are at the Lancaster House.

Ed. Clark started last week Wednesday for Denver, Colorado.

The M. E. social was held last Wednesday at Munson King's in Bridgewater. Considering the distance and the weather, quite a number were present.

Teachers and pupils enjoyed a half-holiday last Monday. Prof. Laffin and his corps of teachers recognized an excellent opportunity for sleigh-riding of which they were not slow to take advantage.

Miss Lou Reynolds visited Mrs. Will Anspoker, of Manchester, last week Wednesday.

Mrs. William Demuth has been suffering with neuralgia for the past week. She was better at last account.

Clinton has an acquisition in the shape of a dentist. Dr. Finch, of Toledo is in town every Friday, and those wishing dental work done will find him at their service at Dr. Cameron's office over Randall's drug store. He has already done some good work, as Ezra DePuy can testify.

The Baptist society held their social last Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. H. M. Keyser. The weather was very favorable and a goodly company was present.

John T. Clark is busily engaged in cutting and drawing his wood from the river bottoms.

We hear that Mrs. Bigelow, the elocutionist, who gave an entertainment here under the auspices of the Literary Society, is soon to be here again. Everyone who can, ought to go, for she is well worth the patronage of all who enjoy fine readings and recitations.

Miss Hessie Cupples, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. E. McCollum.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge was called about four miles east of here last Sunday to visit Mrs. David Hibner who is not expected to live.

Mrs. H. Lancaster has been quite sick for the past two weeks but is at present improving.

Mrs. William Matthews received the sad intelligence of her mother's death in England, last week.

Dr. Cameron reports a very good office trade.

E. W. Freese has received some of his spring goods and would be pleased to have his customers examine them and learn prices. He has also just been putting in a new stock of ladies' shoes to the amount of six hundred dollars. All the new styles, and prices to suit "hard times."

Rev. Jos. St. John went to Detroit Monday to be present at the consecration of Rev. Dr. Worthington, Bishop of Nebraska.

The funeral of Mrs. Judd whose sickness was reported last week was held at William Judd's last Monday at twelve o'clock. The remains were placed in the vault. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. Carmer of Clinton, and Mrs. Charles Crane, of Bridgewater. Six years ago Mrs. Judd had a stroke of paralysis and has not been able to walk since that time. She was eighty years of age.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The unusual severity of the weather for the past few weeks has caused the southern fever to rage to a considerable extent here.

The prevailing business at this point is to keep the stove from freezing up and to take weather notes now days.

Dave Hirshman, late with J. D. Sheridan of Brooklyn, has opened a fine line of clothing and gent's furnishing goods in the Swartout block, which he offers at prices which will never fail to stun or astonish.

Dr. Wm. Brown's new drug store is fast nearing completion and when done it will be the finest we have seen in the county.

Last week was remarkable in its record of failures here. The young people's reading circle failed to materialize on Wednesday evening, the union prayer meeting on Thursday, and the Lodge of I. O. G. T's. on Friday night.

Crandall's new skating rink opened on the 19th inst, and has been the nucleus around which the chink and leisure favored people have centered ever since.

Life insurance agents say they are going to "change off," and a surgical institute will probably be the new engagement. Truly the natural fitness of things is admirable, and an eye to "biz" just as necessary an element in the compound of success.

ONSTED ODDS.

[This letter failed to reach us in time for our issue of the 19th.]—ED. HERALD.

News scarce and snow plenty.

Surprise party at P. O. Maxwell's Tuesday night.

There seems to be a good many on the sick list at present.

There has been an abundant ice harvest which is about completed.

C. L. Vaughn has removed his dentist office from Springville to Brooklyn. He talks some of starting a branch office here.

The board of school inspectors have appointed C. E. Jessup township librarian in place of C. L. Vaughn, who has resigned.

Mr. Ira Fish closed his school in district number 9 last week. They say Ira is an excellent teacher and has given good satisfaction.

Mrs. Katie Fulmer started Monday, Feb. 8th, for her new home in Antrim county. She started in a bad snow storm and we have not heard whether she has reached her destination yet or not.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Poor sleighing for the amount of snow.

Mrs. Sarah Rappleye spent sabbath with Mrs. Erastus Rappleye and family of Dundee.

Rev. S. M. Fowler of Kalamazoo, addressed the Union club, at the Hall, on Wednesday evening of last week, in the interest of Prohibition.

Mr. Louis Thompson is visiting relatives and friends at the village and vicinity.

Agent Frank Allen of Jerome, spent Sunday with his Ransom, Minnie and friends.

Mr. John Emmons of Mattawan is visiting old friends about these parts this week.

Mr. Mitchel of Canada is working up a writing-class here at present.

Miss Emeline Robertson of Adrian is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Gove.

Messrs. Chas. Barneby and Ben. Ranch of Raisinville, called on friends Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

The friends of the Christian church at Britton will give a donation for Rev. S. M. Fowler, who has been filling the pulpit for the past few weeks, on Tuesday evening of next week, at the church in Britton.

Mr. Warren Jones is drawing the brick to enlarge and repair the house of Mrs. Hall, on South church street.

The attendance at the social that was held at the home of Mrs. Gove last Friday evening, was large and all enjoyed the conundrums very much. The next social will be held at the home of Mrs. M. M. Florence next week Friday evening: a special invitation to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gove are visiting friends at Napoleon this week.

Mr. & Mrs. Eldridge Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. Gould of Stoughton, Dane county, Wis., have been visiting relatives and friends here the past few weeks. Mr. Lowe is the telegraph operator for the Milwaukee, Chicago & St. Paul Division, and is stationed at Stoughton, a place of about 2000 inhabitants. We are glad to hear of his success.

We would extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the kind neighbors and friends, for their kindness to us in our sad bereavement and death of a beloved husband and father, that has been taken from us, but the Lord was kind in sparing him to us so long, and now in his old age, has just taken him home to rest. Thanks to the choir for the beautiful music rendered at the last service.

MRS. D. CORYELL.
MRS. S. HAUSE.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Two more cases of typhoid fever, Lourie and Annie Zites, on the Wells farm.

Our new merchant's, Osgood & Dennison, are in full blast with Joe Medic ashead clerk.

Great indignation is felt by the people of this vicinity on account of Kir Clark's manner of wintering stock. It appears that he has allowed his oxen to pick their living all winter keeping them yoked together most of the time. One of them died the other day, the other ox being still fast to him by the yoke, and about as near death's door as could be and live. It is to be hoped that law abiding citizens will look after the matter and see that such things do not occur again in our midst.

John Frary has moved into rooms over Sleeper's store.

Mac Sleeper has been to Toledo with meat twice within the last week.

Rev. Vaughan and wife attend the quarterly meeting at Adrian this week.

Wm. Brainard returned from Buffalo Saturday night on the midnight train. He intended to make the evening train which collided with a freight train near Hand, and was saved from a pretty severe shaking up by being late once in his life.

Rev. Mize is making a trip through the north part of the state.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Clevelands first official act should be to reform the Signal Service: the people have had about all the cold waves they can stand.

A. W. Simmons, who by the way has bred more fast stepping horses than any man in the county recently had the misfortune to lose the mare known as "old Fox." She died from injuries received by a kick from another horse. She was the dame of "Hunter" and several other colts that are bad ones to down.

Bert Crittenden, the original and only genuine, says he don't hanker after hot molasses candy any more.

Fremont Hunter who now resides at Chesterton Ind. spent Sabbath here under the parental roof. His wife who accompanied him hither, will remain for a short time.

The new depot is still unoccupied. Perhaps somebody could rent it for a skating rink.

Miss Etta Jeffrey is reported very sick also, Mrs. J. A. Tuttle.

For the first time in 32 years the surviving members of the family of Wm. Burns Sr. all met at the house of their father on Tuesday.

John Jeffrey has bought the house and lot owned by Thos. Gittins and will occupy the premises in the near future.

Since the departure of Jerry Tuttle the Tipton Postoffice has been without a Postmaster. There are plenty of aspirants for the place but they will all be obliged to wait a little.

The revivals held nightly have made slow progress during the cold weather. Hell would have more terrors if the weather was more torrid.

"American Boy" in last week's issue advocates the rights of his fellows in a manner that indicates he will soon occupy a position more suited to his ability than that of a farmer's boy.

J. R. Keeney shipped 7 good horses to Marshall on Wednesday.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Contracts for building a new school house in Dist. No. 2 will be let on Saturday, March 7th. For particulars see special notice in the HERALD.

John and Ed Allen will give an inauguration party at Britton's Hall, Britton, on Wednesday evening of next week, March 4th. Music by Keyser & Machum's full band. Bill only $1.25. Floor manager, Jos. Mellon. The boys have got good music and a good manager. They ought to have a large crowd and a good time.

A sad accident occurred last Tuesday, by which Robt. Darrow lost his life. Mr. Darrow was at work in Geo. Getty's woods felling trees to be cut into wood. One tree had been wedged, and the choppers expected it to fall in a certain direction. It fell in an entirely different direction and the top of the tree struck Mr. Darrow, crushing him to the earth, and killing him instantly. The deceased lived at Wm. Curry's and was a brother to Mr. Curry's wife. The young man was respected by all and the sad affair has cast a gloom over the whole community.

A HALF DAY'S RESPITE.

We made a brief visit at Holloway yesterday on business.

The new proprietors of the Holloway store, Osgood & Dennison, took possession on Tuesday, and are putting in a complete stock of goods. They are most genial gentlemen, well posted in their business and will undoubtedly succeed in their new field. We call the attention of our Raisin readers to their new card in another column.

J. S. Gilman is doing finely in his harness shop, and invites his friends to call and see him.

Dr. Begel also is prospering. He has a good ride and is working up a good drug trade. He does not deal in tobacco.

We had a pleasant chat with Benj. Kelly in his new home. He has a fine house and is well fixed now to enjoy life. He rents his farm on shares and gives his entire attention to the shipping of stock.

Returning by way of Britton we had about three hours there between trains. Took supper with Willie Britton and found him well and happy.

The store of John Britton & Son is running finely and enjoys a good trade.

The saw mill is running to its fullest capacity, employing a full set of hands.

The two new stores in Exelby's block, E. C. Rauch's and Henry McClure's branch store, are both supplied with fine stocks of goods and seem to be well patronized.

Remember the band benefit to-morrow evening—Give the boys a rousing house.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening, Feb. 20th, the Farmers' social club met at the residence of Jacob Everhart. Taking into consideration the extreme cold weather, and the state of the roads, there was a very large attendance of our own club, and quite a number of visitors from the Deer Creek and Franklin club. The program was a good one and well carried out, especially the essay written by Gracie Gillespie, which was a great credit to a lady of only 10 years of age. Also, the select reading by Miss Emma Schreder was a first class selection and well read. Music good. A very large part of the farmer's present took part in the discussion of the question, "Is soiling more advantageous than pasturing?"

Mr. F. A. Horton led the discussion, saying that where pasturing was the rule it required about 700 rods of fence to fence an 80 acres farm as it should be to have it convenient for our mixed husbandry. Computed that the cost of 700 rods of reliable fence would be $700; interest on the money invested in fence at 7 per cent, and, counting the same to keep it in repair year after year, $98; than allow each fence one half rod of ground, which he considered worse than lost as in most cases as it was a harbor for weeds and varmin, would make two acres of ground, worth $80 per acre, interest on which at 7 per cent would make the whole cost of interest and maintainance of fencing in order to pasture, about $110.00 per acre. He thought that would more than pay the wages of a man six months at $18 per month to soil the stock in the yard. Besides, where it requires 25 acres to pasture the stock, the same could be soiled from 8 acres, leaving 17 acres for hay or other crops. Besides, thought it would be a great saving in fertilizers, and a great satisfaction to know all the time just where your stock were.

Mr. A. D. Hall said he did not think it advisable to adopt the system of soiling in this country as labor is altogether too scarce and too high to make it profitable. Said soiling was not practiced to any considerable extent except in those very thickly settled states in Europe, where land was very dear, and labor very cheap. Said they could not by any means afford to pasture their land. Thought the first speaker's estimates upon the waste land on account of fences, altogether too high. Thought there was absolutely no lost or waste ground as the grass grew the rankest next to the fence.

Mr. F. C. Rector said he believed it would be to the advantage of the farmers to soil instead of pasturing their whole farms as most of us were doing in the fall of the year, and thereby damaging their seeding to a great extent. Said if we would cut and carry the feed to our stock, and confine them to a reasonable sized yard where they could get exercise and where they could be protected from the scorching rays of the sun, that we could keep our stock on one-fifth the land that we now do, and they would do better, thus we could have the extra ground that we now use in pasture to cut hay or fodder, thus enabling us to keep nearly or quite double the stock we now do.

Mr. Griswold never knew but one man that practiced soiling entirely. Said the man told him that he meant to practice soiling until he could keep a cow for every acre of land he had. Believed he came very near to it.

A. K. Waldron said if he was going to practice soiling should keep his stock entirely upon dry feed with mill feed and grain. Would try to have it all cut fine. Believed they would do better than on green feed.

Mr. Wilson did not believe in soiling without it was horses. Thought it would be more profitable to pasture cattle than soil and was sure it would not do at all with sheep. The discussion being ended the committee on program reported the following for our next meeting which occurs in two weeks, or March 6th, at the residence of Mr. A. D. Hall.

Music—Choir.
Select Reading—Mrs. Hattie Horton.
Recitation—Lena Gillespie.
Singing—Kitt Griswold.
Chip Basket—Anna Everhart.
Inst. Music—Eva Rector and Kitt Griswold.
Declamation—George Henderson.
Essay—I. H. Schreeder.
Music—Choir.
Question—Is it right to require persons to pay taxes on property that they are in debt for? Led by A. D. Hall.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

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TWO LITTLE FEET.

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RICK AND THE ROCK.

A Bold Scheme That Won a Bachelor a Beautiful Bride.

"I think you've jumped too quickly to your conclusion, Helen. She doesn't care a pin's point for me now, though I was once with a chance.

"A [illegible] Come, you can talk as candidly to me as if I were your mother."

"If I wasn't so sure of your friendship for her I wouldn't dare to," he replied, "for I know you are longing to bring us together again—not merely for my peace of mind, but for hers, too."

"Ah, egotist! How do you know she loves you yet?"

"I—I don't know. I want to find out, and you said you'd help me if I came down."

"But I did not intend to proclaim that fact to the world, stupid—did I? And yet you told it to the girl herself. When I tried to patch it up by saying September is a wonderful month for producing my letter as evidence that I had written the 1st of August. No wonder you always need assistance in everything. You perfect [illegible]"

"Indeed, he suggested meekly.

"Yes, that's the word I was after—to help yourself.

"And that's why I depend so much on you this coming week—for a week is all I can take. Get up some nice scheme that will straighten matters between us and I'll give you my blessing."

"Pshaw! more than that's needed," replied the practical Helen.

"Well, that Pearl locket at Tiffany's you want so much—done, isn't it?" and he held out his hand.

"Yes," she said, meditatively, "I'll think of it. But as I said before, what broke your engagement off?"

"She—she fell in love for the time being with some one else, and—and threw me over for him," said Dick, in a choking voice, as he arose on Mrs. Darcy's suggesting it was near the dinner hour, and obediently took up the camp-chair and followed her to the house.

"Both of them pretty well touched—that's a good sign," she mused. "I'm not the match-maker my friends believe me to be if I don't bring my Rachael to her senses."

At dinner Rick, by Mrs. Darcy's contrivance, was seated beside Dick, and from common politeness was compelled to speak occasionally to him.

It was a very pleasant meal, she could not help confessing to herself. But after dinner they were separated. Of course, Mrs. Darcy had not thought of a scheme so soon, so Dick was obliged to curb his impatience till the next day. But the next day she kept her room with a headache, so it was not till evening that he got a chance for a few words in private.

"How about that scheme, Nell?" he asked anxiously.

"Oh, I don't know," very carelessly.

"You haven't thrown me over, have you?" he exclaimed, in alarm.

Mrs. Darcy laughed.

"By no means. Only I've been thinking I've sold the product of my brains for too little—a pearl locket isn't anything to speak of."

"We'll make it a pair of bracelets," he replied, in desperation, "if you'd only set your brains working on that product."

"So I will—immediately," with a satisfied air. "One can do much better with bracelets in view."

"It's my impression you intend to cheat me, after all," he said, doubtfully. "To-morrow the bracelets will not be enough, and you'll want a bigger bribe. But I warn you, Helen, that I draw the line at bracelets."

"That's all right," with a smile at his serious tone. "They're exactly what I want, and they are to be delivered on your wedding day. I'll trust Rick to pick them out. She knows my taste—Roman gold coils in shape of a snake, with diamond eyes and ruby nose."

Dick groaned aloud, but did not dare to let a word of disapprobation escape him.

"And you'll think it up right away, then," he said humbly, "for I haven't much time at now."

"I'll tell you to-morrow," she said, graciously, and with that he had to be content.

The morrow came. Taking Dick down to the very place where he had first come upon them two days before, Mrs. Darcy unfolded her interesting scheme.

"You remember," she began, impressively, "that it was on this spot you met her again for the first time in all those"

"Months," put in Dick, wearily.

"Well, months isn't so bad. I'm a little absent-minded this morning and thought it was years. Now, I've selected this spot for the reason I've just mentioned, and intend to have her come upon you—reverse matters for sake of change, you know."

"You'll be lying down on the sand, waiting for some one to come and roll a piece of rock off your shoulder, which I will take care to roll on so that you won't be able to extricate yourself. She will think it has fallen on you from the ledge above, while I [illegible] kick it [illegible] to be [illegible] I suppose [illegible] good [illegible] and [illegible] over and [illegible] will [illegible] proposal, and everything will be [illegible] Now, that's what I call a [illegible] I know, if you're going [illegible] and [illegible] in bathing [illegible] of her death and [illegible] and [illegible] But that [illegible] of the story—[illegible] [illegible] Well, if [illegible] [illegible] Dick [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] size of rock [illegible]

"Dick laughed at Mrs. Darcy's scheme [illegible] for lack of any other [illegible] coming to him, he agreed to adopt it.

"Then we'll [illegible] Dick [illegible] you [illegible] and I'll [illegible] my books a little way off. By those other books send Rick after it, and when you hear her coming just call for help, and she'll come, and her heart will melt at the sight of your suffering, and you can strike while it is in that condition."

Dick obediently stretched himself on the sand as she desired, and Mrs. Darcy gently rolled upon his waist-sized rock and laid it on his chest, having first torn a little off his shirt and put a plentiful sprinkling of sand over him. Then she took a small box out of her pocket, likewise a piece of chamois.

"What's that for?" he asked suspiciously.

"Powder, to put on your face, of course. You see I intend to carry my bracelets, and mustn't neglect a single thing. You must be pale, you know, a red face is too healthy a sign for a man who's been mashed by a rock."

Dick laughed as he skillfully applied the powder, and then declared himself fixed.

"Begin to groan the very minute you hear a footstep, for it's sure to be hers, as all the rest have gone to camp-meeting. Give a trial groan, Dick, just to see if you do it all right."

He gave one.

"Yes, that will do—splendid, you know, as if you could make it louder if you wanted to."

Then she departed, and Dick was left to himself.

Mrs. Darcy had scouts to rarely placed him in the full glare of the sun. It was not very warm there with a light breeze from the ocean sweeping over him, but it gave him a kind of drowsy feeling after he had lain there awhile, listening breathlessly for Rachel's footstep.

Then he began to wonder what he would say—what form the declaration would take. "Why, a confused form," he said to himself, "for I'll naturally be flustered, and probably she'll be the same, and—and rather sorry for me, and will accept while she is confused, and—" with which last word Dick's brain began to get confused itself, and what with all this serious thinking, and the glare of the sun, which was so uncomfortable that he closed his eyes to shield them from it, he gradually fell fast asleep.

It was quite awhile before Mrs. Darcy found Rick. She was not in her room, and it was only after a prolonged hunt through the barn and garden and the shady orchard beyond that she came upon her and dispatched her on the errand. Rick proceeded to the desired place, but instead of sundry groans and sighs issuing from the recumbent figure behind the rocks, there became the sound of a gentle snore.

Rick started, and then went softly round the corner and peered cautiously at the sleeping lover.

The perspiration creeping down in tiny streams upon the powder, gave him a rather unearthly appearance, and Rachel mistook his snores for those sounds which a person at their last gasp beneath a heavy rock might be apt to give. Exerting all her strength, she lifted up the rock with one hand and dragged him from underneath with the other, and then woman-like, fell fainting beside him.

The motion awoke him, and before he could utter a word he was able to realize how matters stood.

Tenderly he lifted her up and carried her down to the sea, where he bathed her face and hands with the clear, cool surf. At length she opened her eyes and looked anxiously at him.

"You are not killed? Oh Dick!" she sobbed, and fell back senseless in his arms.

Dick and Rachel have been married several years, but he has never dared to tell either his cousin or his wife that he fell asleep on that memorable morning, and looks upon the bracelets as simply money thrown away. "For," he argues, "what's the use of any scheme which puts a man to sleep at the wrong time? If it hadn't been for Rachel's presence of mind in fainting when she did I'd never have had a chance to propose."—*N. Y. Journal.*

She Probably Fainted.

"I was coming up on the car, you know," she rattled away, "and I met that Mrs. Johnson. She is always trying to lord it over me, and I knew by her looks that she had something awful to say. In about a minute she moved along and says, says I,

"'Have you got your costumes?'

"'For what?' says I.

"'For the Governor's veto,'" says she.

"Just think of her ignorance! It stunned me so that I could hardly get my breath. I saw it was my chance to dress her feathers down, so I put on all my dignity, raised my voice so that all could hear, and says, says I,

"'No, madam, I'm not going to the Governor's veto, but when the Governor's message takes place I shall be there.'"

"Great Scots!" exclaimed her husband, "but you didn't say 'message,' did you?"

"Why, of course—what is it?"

"It's the Governor's levee, you idiot!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

A POST-OFFICE MYTH.

The "Million Postage Stamps" Fraud and Its Amusing Phases.

It is believed by many that there is a standing offer by the Government, or by a "benevolent gentleman," of a large sum of money to be paid to anyone who will devote himself to the collection of a certain postage stamps. The vagary of this strange story would be astonishing were it not for the well-known readiness of a large proportion of the public to accept anything, however improbable, which promises advantage to themselves. Hardly a week passes that postmasters are not requested to forward to the Dead Letter Office, in Washington, a specimen envelope, in the hope that it may be the one which will bring the fortunate finder the million dollars. Sometimes the envelope is offered as a sample, to evidence the fact that wealth is not to be acquired by the laborious exploration of wash baskets and the soaking of old envelopes. As a hoax the "canceled postage stamps" man or boy has come to be considered second to none. The flattering tale of money to be gained, varies somewhat in details. Now it is the Postmaster General who, as they have heard, has issued a proclamation offering a certain sum (ranging from ten thousand dollars to one hundred dollars), to the first who shall bring to the department the fruits of this queer harvest; again it is a benevolent but eccentric old party, male or female, who has held out as an inducement to this stamp-hunting, the promise to furnish a college or academy education to the enterprising individual who shall first prove his or her industry or perseverance by the collection of the mythical million; then it is another philanthropist who has offered to dispatch a fully equipped missionary to Zululand or Patagonia, or to give an organ to a Sunday school on the same terms. Many of the victims of this delusion make no inquiry as to the truth of the tale that has reached their ears, but, calmly assuming it to be gospel, limit their inquiries to the exact address of the person to whom the stamps are to be sent—whether there is any restriction as to the denominations of the stamps—whether foreign stamps will be accepted, etc.

The sober fact is that canceled postage stamps (with the exception of certain ancient issues prized by those afflicted with "Timbromania") have no value save as waste paper, and the collection of them is simply a waste of time. One who has been at some pains to trace the origin of this ensnaring legend, reports that he has discovered it in the fact that about forty years ago an advertisement appeared in an English newspaper appealing to the charitable to send the canceled stamps from their letters to a certain address in Brighton to aid the efforts of a poor lad to cover the walls of his bed room with those defaced effigies of her majesty—the promise having been made by him that on the completion of the task the expenses of his education would be paid for by some wealthy crank. The post-office authorities took the trouble to investigate the matter and found that the advertiser was in fact a lad, but that his education—at least in one branch of learning—was already complete, the stamps sent in response to his appeal, being cleaned by some process he had discovered and disposed of by him at a discount. His "unjust industry" was of course quietly suppressed, and his operations having opened the eyes of the post-office authorities to the danger of extensive frauds, measures were taken to guard against it by the use of fugitive inks, which disappear when any liquid is applied to remove the canceling marks. But although further mischief in that direction was thus prevented the young scamp had laid the foundation for the most annoying of myths.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

TALKS WITH DOCTORS.

Prevalent Throat Troubles—Lighting up a Reporter's Interior Department.

A *Journal* reporter had a hurried conversation yesterday with Dr. E. F. Hodges: "Yes," said the Doctor, in answer to the reportor's inquiry, "there has been a great deal of sore throat, especially among children, this winter—more than usual the past four weeks. Sore throat turning to diphtheria. The sore throat troubles have been severe, but diphtheria has been for the most part extremely light. There has been a severe type of scarlet fever."

"What would be good domestic treatment for sore throat?"

"A gargle of saturated solution of chlorate of potash, with teaspoonful doses internally. Externally, flannel about the throat, well dampened with port wine, or flannel saturated with camphorated oil, that is, sweet oil and camphor. In scarlet fever, the first thing is to rub the entire body with glycerine, in which a few drops of carbolic acid have been thoroughly incorporated."

"Then send for a doctor?"

"Certainly, send for a doctor."

The reporter next dropped in upon Dr. John M. Dunlap. "The throat," said the Doctor, as the reporter urged him on, "is the gateway of life. Air and food, the two prime necessities, have to travel that road, and it is a matter of the greatest consequence that it be kept in thorough repair. The nose is an intimate part of this system. You speak of catarrh. Twenty or twenty-five years ago catarrh was scarcely known in this part of the country. There was an occasional case only. Now it is exceedingly prevalent. From what cause? From some zymotic cause. There are many theories but little exact knowledge. It is by some attributed to the pollen of plants, the rag-weed being singled out as one. Others say infusoria. To my mind it is not precisely known. It is some poison or other, but difficult to tell exactly what. There are several recognized forms of the disease—the hypertrophic, which is a thickening of the membrane; the atrophic, which is a thinning of the membrane; the ozenic, which is a very disagreeable form, accompanied by great stench."

"The late George Harding," said a listener, "wrote up the ozenic form once. One of Andrew Wallace's boys was discovered to have a terrible case of catarrh. It was significant that no one could stay in the room with him, and he had to take his meals in the stable. One day, in going through the youth's pocket, his mother found about a quarter of a pound of an exceedingly nasty smelling substance, and the youngster owned truly enough to mind that about two months before he had gone, hollow, and for consequence had put his fragrant weapon in his pocket and there they were. His catarrh disappeared in a jiffy under the method adopted."

"The nasal douche," continued the Doctor, "is an old-fashioned idea. And much better. In the last few years physicians have come to use it with great satisfaction. The tube, not in actual contact with the nostrils, is made, on discharge of glycerine and the excess of fluid, to flow out the mouth. The theory is that the fluid may go into the Eustachian tubes, and by the effort of blowing be forced into the tympanic cavity of the ear, and there get up a furious inflammation. A case or two has been reported where death resulted. Not to exaggerate, I think nearly a third of the people here have catarrh in a greater or less degree. The finish of catarrh is usually to invade the pharynx, producing a dry throat condition, or, where there is a scrofulous diathesis, to invade the larynx and produce laryngitis.

"I understand," said the listener, "that a Brooklyn photographer has managed to do what has never been successfully done before, to photograph the human larynx while in motion, that the vocal cords have been photographed while producing falsetto notes. This was done with the pistol camera, by which he took all kinds of throats, snapping impressions of deep inspirations, as well as expirations of contralto, soprano and all kinds of deep and high notes."

"Would you like to take a look at your throat," inquired the doctor pleasantly of the reporter.

"Certainly," said the investigator. He was placed in a chair before a laryngoscope, an instrument consisting of two mirrors, by one of which a light is thrown into the mouth, where, by the other introduced into the pharynx, it is reflected into the larynx, revealing to the eye the part thus illuminated.

It lighted up the cavern, and the reporter gazed down the long red vista in mingled awe and wonder.

"Say a," said the doctor, giving the letter the sharp Western sound, "and if you look closely you can see two small white bands, the vocal cords, in motion."

The reporter did his best, but the flat British a was the best he could do. But the vocal cords were quivering like the hind legs of an expiring frog.

"By the way," said the doctor, "does your throat ever trouble you? You cough some don't you?"

"Oh, a little, but that's from smoking, I presume."

"Not at all! Look at the end of the uvula. Don't you see a pendant piece of flesh there, curling off to one side, three-eighths of an inch long. That's an abnormal growth. I have rarely seen just such a thing. I'll snip it off."

Snip it off he did, and the reporter left, proud that he had been able to make his little contribution to science."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

REBUKED.

How a Great Songstress Reproved Several Flatterers.

"I am wholly indifferent to the praise of men," boasted a gentlemen. Some one who overheard the remark determined to test the boaster's sincerity. Being an expert in the art of putting things, he said to him, when he had forgotten his boasting words, "I understand, sir, that you are one of those rare persons who can not be flattered."

"Perhaps I am, sir," answered the gentleman, with a smile which betrayed the insincerity of his boast. He was flattered by the reputation of being above flattery.

There is probably no person that is not accessible to a compliment which deliberately knocks for admission. The praise conveyed in an action is more agreeable to a refined person than that which is spoken in his presence. The one simply gratifies his vanity; the other stimulates him to be worthy of the compliment. A delicate taste does not weaken the passion for esteem, but trains it to respond to praise which is simply implied rather than to that which is open and obsequious.

An anecdote of Madame Malibran, the famous vocalist, illustrates the fact that a servile compliment offends good taste. When she visited England, her singing created an intense excitement. One day, in company, several admirers, in order to gratify her—as she was a French woman trained in the Italian school of music—spoke slightingly of the music of England.

"We have no good music; we are forced to go to Italy for it," said these detractors.

Malibran knew that much good music had been composed by Englishmen, but she pretended to agree with the servile critics. Seating herself at the piano, she sang to Italian words a slow, melodious theme, which she adorned with many flourishes.

The listeners applauded her rapturously, and repeated their remarks that there was no music comparable to that of Italy.

Malibran apparently assented and sang more vigorously, quickening the time. The applause was hearty, and the exclamation, "Would we had such music in England!" was heard.

Suddenly Malibran changed the words, and the obsequious auditors heard her sing the old English song,—"Polly, put the kettle on; we'll all take tea."

They had been forced unwittingly to compliment English music, and they stood crestfallen before one whose good sense had rebuked their servile flattery.—*Youth's Companion.*

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The will of the late Annie M. Woodman, of Cambridge, Mass., gives $20,000 to Dartmouth College for the benefit of the Chandler scientific department.

There is a blind Baptist preacher in Rabun County, Georgia, who recently finished his 101st year. He is unable to go out of his house, but his congregation gather around his bed every Sunday, and he preaches to them.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

—Bishop A. C. Coxe, of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, declined the proposed gift of a pastoral staff on the twentieth anniversary of his consecration, and suggests that the money be used in paying the salaries of the missionaries of the diocese.—*Buffalo Express.*

The first English Bible printed in the United States was undertaken by Robert Aitken at his own private expense. The proof sheet of it was read by Bishop White, and it received the special approbation of Congress, which passed a formal resolution that is of much interest in its bearing on the question of the recognition of religion by Congress.—*N. Y. Times.*

—The number of students in the school of industrial science of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for the year 1884-5 were 579, against 443 for the preceding year. The number has steadily grown from 72 in 1865-6. This year the students are from 33 States, 1 Territory, the District of Columbia, 4 of the British provinces, Scotland, Cuba, Japan, South America, and India.—*Boston Post.*

Teaching a school for Indian boys in New Mexico is attended with some inconveniences. The other day several Apache braves visited a school in Albuquerque where their sons were pupils, full of wrath and whisky. They wanted to clean out the whole establishment because they had heard that the Indian lads were occasionally punished. And the only way to pacify them was to get them so drunk that they were helpless.

—The University of Pennsylvania has started a "department of physical culture." Dr. J. W. White, who will preside over it, states that his duties will be to examine each student, note wherein he needs physical development, and recommend the proper mode of exercise to induce it. If his back is weak, the rowing machine or boat is advised; if the chest is flat, parallel bars are in order. The ordinary trainer generally picks out for the boat a man who does not need it.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—"The motive," says the *School Journal*, "that leads teachers and pupils to work for the rewards of an examination is about as low an ideal of civilized education as can be found." And its effect upon the young mind is bad. Many a man has recalled with profound regret the ruses he adopted, while at school, to increase his percentages. It is very often the case that the student fears to risk original investigation lest he place his chance of securing a prize in jeopardy.—*Current.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—An actor is known by the company that keeps him.—*Whitehall Times.*

—An old maid may toss her head and laugh at the idea of marriage, but in that very laugh she goes "He, he, he."

—Don't say a man is unsuccessful simply because he never accomplishes anything. How do you know but that is just what he is trying to do?—*N. Y. Herald.*

—"Ella, my child," said a prudish old maid to a pretty niece, "if the Lord had intended your hair to curl He would have done it Himself." "So He did, auntie, when I was a baby, but he thinks I am big enough now to do it myself."—*Golden Days.*

—In Petersburg, Va., a man charged with murder was convicted of involuntary manslaughter and sentenced to one minute's imprisonment and a fine of $5. This brings murder within the reach of the humblest citizen.—*Lowell (Mass.) Courier.*

—"I'm a regular blamed fool," said a husband to his wife when he had done some foolish thing or other, as is usual in all well-regulated families. "It isn't necessary to put up a sign, my dear," she responded so fervently that there didn't seem to be any necessity for continuing the conversation.—*Chicago Times.*

—"You did not dare speak to me in that manner before I married you, sir," she indignantly exclaimed. "No, not you didn't dare come caroting around me in curl papers and rag-carpet slippers before I married you, mam!" he retorted. Then she cried and he profanified.—*Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.*

—The teacher was trying to teach the boy something about navigation. "Now, suppose your father should start tomorrow morning to walk across the river—could he do it?" "No, sir." "Of course not," said the teacher much encouraged; "and why not?" "Because,"— "Yes, go on; because"— "Because he's in jail, sir."—*Yonkers Statesman.*

—Tommie's composition on pigs and pig-pens: "A pig is an animil. It has to ears, to iis, won tale, fore legs, and hare. Pig-penz is not like steal penz, but air sheds where pigs is kept. We hav won and too pigs, to. Johnnie Smith kame hear won da an teezed them. Won went for hym an knoked hym inn the durt. I red in a book thet the pen is miteier then the sord. Our pig has a sore on his eer where I hit hym. I don't no ane more about pigs."—*Golden Days.*

Koch's Theory.

Mrs. Winks—What queer things statistics bring out. I see that the figures gathered by the Paris authorities show that nine-tenths of the male victims of cholera there were unmarried men.

Mr. Winks—I am not surprised. That proves that Koch's theory is correct.

"Indeed! What is his theory?"

"That cholera germs are easily destroyed by boiling."

"Why, what has that to do with the immunity of married men, pray?"

"They are generally kept in hot water, you know."—*Philadelphia Call.*

A Chancellor's Opinion.

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Could eat nothing!
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Efforts were no good to me.
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"About your Hop Bitters!
And determined to try them."
Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of
One,
Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a
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Lowell, Feb. 3, 1879.

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ESTATE OF HENRY BURNETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday the 6th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Burnett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William Q. Burnett a brother of said deceased praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Charles Barridge or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday the 9th day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. feb12

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 23d A. D. 1879, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 26, A.D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 95 of mortgages on page 238, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 15th, A.D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 76 of Mortgages, on page 835 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May A.D. 1885 at 9 o'clock A.M. of that day at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE,
Assignee.
jan30

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Calvin Lawrence, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give Notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Hough & Hosmer in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of March, 1885, and on the 9th day of July 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Feb. 5, 1885.

S. PERRY HOSMER,
EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
Commissioners.
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And you will soon become interested, and turn your attention to the tinsel plating on the stove; then, after skurmishing through the silver ware, you will fix the blackest part of the coffee pot so that you can use it as a mirror. If you can think of any old brass on the premises that has not been cleaned for a generation, shine it up to make sure there is no humbug about the polish. Now give your watch just twenty seconds labor, and by that time you will feel obliged to find and tell some one of the merits of this wonderful article, and ever after you will be a walking and a talking advertisement of the Putz-Pomade.

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FROM THE LAND OF SUNSHINE.

We are under obligations to Mrs. R. R. Hall for the use of the following letter from Kerr City, Florida. It was written by Mrs. Rufus Raymond, who is the daughter of Edmund Bell, of Raisin. We give the entire letter except a few family allusions which would be of no interest to the public.

Dear sister Jennie and children,—You no doubt have looked for a letter from me long ago, but as we have been making a change since I received your letter it has been impossible for me to write any sooner. Well we came here to Kerr City the week before Christmas to visit Mr. Swan and a gentleman and his wife by the name of Henly, he married Mr. Steers' daughter of Adrian. They are very nice people indeed, you would like them ever so much. They have been at it ever since we left home to come and settle near them, so here we are living in the house with Mr. Swan's people. They live in an old log house or rather two houses, but both are very small. One house has one room, the other has three bedrooms and a sitting room. The sitting room I think is nine feet square, not over that and the bedrooms are like same in proportion. There has been ten in the family nearly every day and night ever since we came here to live. They persuaded us to come right in the house and live with them, as the house that we rent the said James asked of buying was so poor they would not consent it was to rent it, and theirs was not very much better, but here we are three thick, they have three children, the oldest a boy 9 years old, Freddie by name, the next is a little girl 6 years, her name is Katie, and the little ones name is Mary, she is 3 years old and just as mischievous as she can be, but they are nice children but of course make lots of work. They keep a cow and a span of horses and a mule. Mrs. Swan and children and myself take the horses sometimes and sometimes the mule and away we go for a ride. You would laugh to see the style we put on, especially when we go with the mule, we have rope lines and everything else accordingly, we do not get much time to go but when we do we improve it. You would laugh to see how we store the folks away at night. This Mr. Henly is a merchant from Indiana. Their house is a very old log house with fire place and an old stick chimney, with one room in it. They have two beds in the same room and eat in it. Did not have any window in it. They put a half of a window in the door and put up a shanty to put a stove in and have a single bed in that room so to give a place for friends to sleep that come to visit them. They have a lady cousin with them to spend the winter. It is too comical for anything to see how some of the folks live, there is none of the old settler's houses here that have got a window in them, not even the school house had a window in it until two weeks ago Mr. Swan and James put a half of a window in each end. The teacher prized them very highly. Mr. Henly said he would be ashamed to put his horses in such a place up home as he lived in here. He intends to build soon. Some of the people that have lived here very long that have come from the North have very nice homes. It seems like being some where to go in their houses. But we do have lots of fun calling on some of the new comers. Mr. Hause and two other gentlemen were here and stayed over Sunday with us a week ago. He says he does not know but he will come here to live himself yet. He is coming again in two or three weeks and bring his wife, also Mr. and Mrs. Anthony of Raisin are coming with them. I did hate to leave Mrs. Hause, she cried when we came away. I like her ever so much, they have got their house all plastered, papered, painted and carpeted, and they are just as cosy as you please and I hardly think she will want to leave it. She has worked very hard since she came here, but Mr. Hause is quite taken up with the new hotel they have been building here. It is not all finished off above yet. The lady of the hotel who owns it and she is very homesick and wants to sell very much, but her husband does not want to, so I do not know what they will do yet. I would like very much to have them here but I will say I like it better at Sorrento than I do here, but it is much nearer navigation here and that is one reason we ventured to come here. We shall keep our place there yet a while for if the railroad should go through there as is expected the land I think will double in value. I am in no hurry to have it sold. We only moved in our own house on Friday and started here the next Tuesday morning, we did not have our things all unpacked but they are now, and we intend to stay here until we go home. I have to work just about as hard here as I did at home for where there is ten in the family and three of them children, there is lots to do. I do all the bread mixing and bake all the pies. We have a good time any way and get along very nicely together. James and another man that works for them help Mrs. Swan do the washing and I do the house work. James sends love to you and says tell you there is no use for him to write any for I write all the news, but we both wish you could be here sometimes to enjoy oranges, boat riding &c.

THE FARMER'S GARDEN.

A Paper Read before the Franklin and Tecumseh Farmer's Club by Abner Wilson.

In presenting to you this brief paper it is not my intention to exhaust the subject. When such eminent writers as Henderson, Gregory, Rockwell, Parry and a score of others have written volumes it would be utterly futile for me to attempt it. If I can by a few hints at the general subject call forth enough interest so that we will broaden our view and widen our cultivation of those vegetables which make up the great bulk of our daily food, I shall be contented. While we are by your fireside, sheltered and warm, perhaps beneath their kindly mantle of snow our hardy bulbs are awaiting the mild warning in the form of spring, and by a fitting change, perhaps, in the vegetable kingdom the vegetables begin to spring to life, and in a few weeks we shall begin to transplant in the hotbed. We have already planted, when we shall sow oats, peas and barley, where we shall plant corn, and perhaps potatoes, which we will pasture where fallow and when mow, but have we given a thought where we shall have our garden and what we shall plant in it. If not let me say do so at once. Get a catalogue of some reliable seedsman and send for your seeds, so that when the time comes we will not have to wait crowded orders or take undesirable packets from retail boxes.

Let me picture the ideal farmer's garden, and then we will be able to judge which we will have. If we find it with a good picket fence around it, to keep out the chickens, and here let me say poultry and gardens do not go well together, it is too far for the poultry but death to the tender plants. If it is fenced it usually is about four or six rods square, with a row of currant bushes through the middle, a strawberry patch in one corner, and perhaps pear trees and peach trees here and there, and you can not plow a straight furrow the length of it. Another form is between two rows of apple trees, where some plants may do well, but the majority want all the heat and moisture to themselves. And the farmer has a sort of a garden way down in the corn field forty or sixty rods from the house where the women folks have to make weary pilgrimages on hot days if they would have vegetables for dinner. These gardens are usually all planted at once after the corn is planted, as though early and late cabbage, celery, melons, cucumbers, radishes, lettuce and onions, were all equally as hardy and equally as tender. Some will not sow a garden seed until the ground warms up, but will sow clover seed on the snow and oats, peas and barley with their overcoats on.

Let me give you a better plan. In the first place as soon as the frost is out, spade up a bed in some rich corner and sow lettuce, radishes and plant onion sets. These plants are perfectly hardy, and will come up and grow in low temperature, in this way you will have lettuce and radishes in May and June, when otherwise you will have to wait till July and August. In sowing these, put the rows not over a foot apart; a bed of lettuce six or eight feet square will produce enough for a large family. Next select a place as near the house as possible and on the road. If you cannot fence it to keep the chickens out make a park to keep them in. Of course the land must be well drained, either natural or artificial, and if it is sandy so much the better; but if it is clay do not be discouraged, if your neighbor on the sand gets a little ahead of you in the spring you will catch up with him when the drought comes on. Having selected the ground, take a measure and lay out not less than twelve rods long, and four, six or eight rods wide. Draw eight or ten loads of the finest manure you have, some that is a year old or more. Spread it. About the first of May take time to plow. I need not tell you how to plow, every good farmer uses a jointer and will plow as deep and a little deeper than his soil, but what shall we do after plowing? "Aye, there's the rub." Just now the old fashioned gardener will appear on the scene and tell you not to harrow. Why not? The weeds will start. That is just what we want of them, and the sooner the better. If you have the soil in the condition for the little tiny weed seeds to start, your beets, parsnips and peas will start too. Get out your scotch harrow and drag five or six times, riding the drag two or three times. Some one will come along and tell you you are spoiling the land. Spoil away, and if you are in doubt about it you had better drag two or three times more. Take your three-legged corn marker and set it for rows three feet apart, mark out one-half of your garden lengthwise. If you have no strawberry bed, plant two or three rows of strawberries. Then plant four or five rows of early potatoes and the rest of the space marked out sow early peas, beets, parsnips, vegetable oysters and plant early cabbage and such hardy vegetables. Be sure and sow enough seed, as it is better to thin out than to plant over. If you have no garden drill it will be just as well to sow the seeds by hand, covering them with the feet or garden rake. After the settled warm weather has come, that is about corn planting time, drag and mark out the balance of your garden, and plant your sweet corn, melons, cucumbers, squashes, lima beans and golden wax tomato and pepper plants, reserving a space for three or four hundred late cabbage which should be set out about the middle of June. Cultivate as often as once a week with a horse, and if you have none, I would say by all means get a planet cultivator. With this tool you can work so close that but little hand work will be needed. About the middle of July your early potatoes will be dug and early peas gone. Cultivate this space thoroughly and set out your celery plants. Sow a row or two of beets for winter use, and the balance of the space to flat turnips. Do not allow a weed to show its form, and if they do later in the season, after the crop is ripe, take a plow and put them where they will not be seen at least. Now if you have given attention to having good varieties you will not regret having put in a little extra labor.

The Adrian Art Loan is being well patronized, and those who have visited it are loud in the praises of the institution.

WHAT SHALL WE READ?

We present the following essay by Mrs. H. A. Wilson read before the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club at the last meeting.

What we shall read, is a very important subject for consideration, as the reading of a book often leaves impressions on the mind which time can not efface, and as impressions are more easily made in youth, how much better the result when the foundation is laid by commencing with instructive, as it has entertaining books suited to the capacity of the mind and increasing in wisdom as the mind unfolds to receive it. At an early age narratives and accounts of travel will be found interesting and will aid in preparing the mind for more solid reading. Under this head we would place histories, both ancient and modern, and biographies of the leading men and women of the past and present ages. The works of some of the humorous writers may be interspersed with these to an advantage, but in choosing humorous works a guiding hand is indispensable, as some of them should never reach the eye of the young, for, while Mark Twain and Bob Burdett would interest as well as amuse, Peck's Bad Boy and others of that class are nearly if not fully as bad as the worst dime novel. Romance, poetry and drama should also be judiciously mingled with the solid reading and, as in that province of literature called romance there are so many writers, and of such varied character the lines must of necessity be closely drawn. But by selecting such writers as Sir Walter Scott, Geo. Elliot, Miss Mulock and a host of others, whose writings are of an elevating character, and discarding the promiscuous works of Ouida, Miss Braddon and all that class whose sensational writings have flooded the country, we can safely and profitably indulge in romance. Then, as we wish to keep pace with the times in the progress of literature and art, which knowledge can not be found in books, there are a number of monthly periodicals which will give the desired information. Right here we would say that if you are the recipients of a first class magazine for one year, one whose reading matter is pure and healthy and strengthening to the moral character, you will derive more pleasure and of a more varied nature than can be found elsewhere for the same outlay. News papers will also aid in general information, but must be selected with much discrimination for while there are many papers published, there are comparatively few that should find their way into the home of virtue. The N. Y. Ledger, Saturday Night and all sensational story papers have long been deemed unfit reading for mature minds, while the political papers were considered safe for even the young, and perhaps the time was when they were, but for the past few years there has been a rapid decline in the moral tone and purity of most all political papers until at present there are but few whose columns are not teeming with sensational and licentious news, making them disgraceful to the editors and disgusting to the readers.

Thus we see that while the world is overflowing with literature, our best judgment must be exercised in selecting that which will improve the mind. To the young especially we would say, if you have no taste for solid reading, acquire it; for, by persistantly bending your energies in that direction, you can not fail of success, and in after years you will look back and count the days as golden that were spent in storing your mind with useful knowledge.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly for March is an unusually interesting number, combining as it does articles of present interest with those of permanent value. It opens with a careful study by Lisle Lester of Madame Ristori, with a portrait and several illustrations in character. Prof. Chas. A. Joy contributes an article on a Jersey Cattle farm, and Oscanyan furnishes an extremely interesting paper on "The Armenians." "The Story of Queen Matilda of Denmark and Count Struenzee" is a valuable historical contribution by F. St. John Brenon, and "Something about Children's Books," with its quaint facsimile illustrations, shows us the juvenile literature loved by our grandparents when they were boys and girls. "Pate de Foie Gras," by Nugent Robinson will appeal to the gourmet, and "Staten Island, its past and present," by J. Barnitz Bacon, to the local antiquarian, while the naturalist will be equally interested in "The Origin of our Domesticated Animals," by the Rev. M. G. Watkins. The eminent traveler and author, David Ker, is represented by two good articles, both thrilling and interesting. All these articles are fully illustrated. The serial story, "The death mark," reaches its twenty-fifth chapter, and there are several short stories and some beautiful poems. The miscellany is well selected and entertaining. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

Surgeons of the International Throat and Lung Infirmary, Detroit, Mich., will be at the Lilley House, Tecumseh, Saturday, March 7th, where they can be consulted on all diseases of the ear, nose, throat and lungs. This is the only Infirmary in America that treats exclusively throat and lung diseases. Consultation free. See their advertisment in another column.

WINTERING AT SAND LAKE.

Adrian Times of Tuesday: Charley Adam went to his hotel at Sand Lake, the Sand Lake house, which he had locked up for the winter, one day recently, and found three young men comfortably ensconsed in the building. The furniture and stoves were all in the hotel, and the parties, after forcing an entrance, were having what is commonly known as a high old time, in which they were assisted to no inconsiderable degree by a couple of barrels of hard cider, and some chickens belonging to Mr. Adam. He ordered the chaps to depart, to which they replied with an insolence born of their superior numbers. Mr. Adam, accordingly came before Justice Long, in this city, and made complaint for larceny against the trio. Sunday afternoon Sheriff Whitmore armed with the necessary papers, and accompanied by Under Sheriff Bowen and Deputy Burch, moved to Sand lake to capture the bacchanalian revelers, but they had fled. A trail was left in the snow, however, which the officers followed, tracing the miserearts to a club house, on Wampler's lake, of which they had taken possession, and where they were having another picnic at the expense of some unconscious owner. The party was at once arrested, and, although it was an hour past midnight, the officers immediately set out for this city, arriving here at 6 o'clock yesterday morning.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST. Between James Lanning's and Tecumseh, a square hand-bag containing a pocket book and some other articles. Finder please leave at the HERALD office.
MRS. W. W SHURTZ.

VILLAGE LOT FOR SALE. Any size, on Maple st. Enquire of GEO. PRICE.

NOTICE OF LETTING CONTRACT. Notice is hereby given of the letting of school building in District No. 2 in the township of Tecumseh. Building to be let to the lowest responsible bidder, giving good and sufficient security. Any to be sealed bids and to be opened in the presence of School Board and building committee. Building to be let in 10 days from date of this notice, on the 7th day of March, for the building according to plans and specifications to be seen at the postoffice at Tecumseh.
BY ORDER OF BOARD.
Tecumseh, Feb. 25, 1885.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.—The Board of Registration of the Village of Tecumseh, will meet in the Council room in said Village on Saturday, the 28th day of February, for the purpose of the registration of the voters named.
GEO. MARSDEN,
Tecumseh, Feb. 17, 1885. Recorder pro tem.

CAUCUS NOTICE. The electors for the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will hold a caucus in the Council Room, of said village, on Saturday, Feb. 28th, 1885, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating officers to be voted for at the annual election of said village on Monday, the 2d day of March, 1885.
GEO. MARSDEN,
Tecumseh, Feb. 17, 1885. Recorder pro tem.

VILLAGE ELECTION.—The annual election of the Village of Tecumseh will be held in the Council Building in said village on Monday, the 2d day of March, A. D., 1885.
GEO. MARSDEN,
Tecumseh, Feb. 17, 1885. Recorder pro tem.

WANTED. A married man to work on a farm by the year. Address Box 176, Tecumseh, Mich.

ESTATE OF WOOLSTON COMFORT, ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—The undersigned will keep his office with C. A. Stacy, in Stacy's building, in the village of Tecumseh, where he can be found during business hours until further notice.
Tecumseh, Feb. 12, 1885.
E. A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

NEW SEWING MACHINE for sale cheap at the HERALD OFFICE.

REPAIR SHOP. I have opened a shop in the old Agricultural shop opposite the Opera House, where I would be pleased to see all my old customers, and as many new ones as may see fit to patronize me. Please bear in mind that I make saw filing a specialty, and all those that have any saws that need gumming or filing, would do well to call on me before going elsewhere. All work warranted. Saws gummed, 7 cts and set for one dollar.
P. J. WELLING.

LAND FOR SALE.—130 acres of good land on Sec. 21, Raisinville. Will divide to suit customers. Easy terms of payment.
W. J. ANDREWS.

FOR SALE.—Two set of bobs astonishingly cheap at RICHART'S WAGON SHOP.

SELL OR EXCHANGE.—One pair trucks. Will exchange for hay or grain. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

A copy of the Santa Ana (Cal.) Herald received from Wm. H. Mather, contains this weather report for the week ending Feb. 5th. The temperature was somewhat different from that in this latitude during the same week.

DATE.			
Feb. 30	42	64	52
" 31	44	68	52
Feb. 1	42	70	52
" 2	42	68	54
" 3	41	70	56
" 4	44	70	55
" 5	46	80	64

Edwin R. Wood Esq., who has been seriously ill for several weeks has been rapidly failing for the past few days. On Saturday he became convinced that the end was near at hand, gave instructions about his business and family affairs, and calmly awaited the final summons. Since then he has gradually failed, and at five o'clock this morning, his spirit took its flight. In Mr. Wood's death Tecumseh loses a fine lawyer and a most estimable man and citizen. The funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. The hour is not yet decided. It will be fixed to suit the convenience of the members of the bar who may wish to attend from Adrian. An appropriate obituary notice will appear in a future issue of the HERALD. A meeting of the Lenawee County bar will be held tomorrow (Friday) at two o'clock P. M., at the Court House, to take appropriate action upon Mr. Wood's demise.

RINK RACKET.

Knapp's band at the rink this evening.

That was a good grand march last Saturday evening, but an addition on to the rink would have improved it. Too big for the floor.

Morris Knapp of Adrian was at the rink last Thursday evening. Mr. Knapp was one of the best skaters on the floor.

Chas. Thompson of Clinton, came to see the fancy bicycle riding last Saturday evening.

Tecumseh people do not often witness such an exhibition as was given at the rink last Saturday evening by Master Chas. Dudley with his bicycle. His riding was both easy and graceful and he performed several very difficult feats which were received with repeated applause from the large audience present, especially that of riding on the large wheel alone with the backbone removed. We hope he will favor Tecumseh with another visit.

Manager Cash has arranged for a one mile race next Tuesday evening at the rink. It will be contested by Rosa Millard and Florence Roland. As Miss Millard was the victor in the orange race and Miss Roland came out second, a close and exciting race is looked for. It will be called at 9 o'clock.

A Pinafore aphorism says that "love levels all rank." We have noticed that a skating rink possesses a similar power.—Norristown Herald.

Every person has a roll in life, and some people seem to think the only role they were designed for is a roll at the skating rink.—Boston Courier.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 26, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Village election next Monday.

Village caucus next Saturday afternoon.

One mile race at the rink next Tuesday evening.

Wm. Hayden went to Milan yesterday on business.

Remember the race at the rink Tuesday evening.

The village registration board will meet next Saturday.

Gus Slayton is shipping large quantities of hay from Britton station.

Temple, McClure & Co. shipped one car of lumber to Clinton and one car to Onsted yesterday.

The band boys want some new instruments. Turn out to-morrow evening and give them a lift.

An exciting time is expected at the rink next Tuesday evening in the one mile race between Rosa Millard and Florence Roland.

L. D. Dewey had another paralytic shock last Monday and is now in a critical condition. This winter has been very severe upon him.

I. S. Osborn went to Britton and Holloway yesterday on business. Ivy allows that Holloway ought to be provided with an eating house.

Prof. J. Montgomery, of Kalamazoo college, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church next Sunday morning and perhaps in the evening also.

Mrs. G. W. Stacy, of Buffalo N. Y. has been stopping at her son-in-law's Benj. Dove's for the last two weeks, and expects to remain about two weeks more.

M. Graves, Secretary of the County Agricultural Society was in town this morning. He is quite enthusiastic over the present condition and prospects of the society.

Another Progressive Euchre Club has been organized in Tecumseh. They meet for the first game at the residence of Delos Whitenack on Tuesday evening next.

An essay read before the Franklin and Tecumseh Farmers' Club, and a communication in reply to "American Boy," are crowded out this week. They will both keep, however, and will appear in the next issue.

E. M. Hitchcock is stopping at the Patterson House. He is the Deputy Great Commander of the Knights of the Maccabees. Better known as the K. O. T. M. He is intending to organise a tent here of the above order.

A report has gained circulation that The Patterson would close up March 1st. Mr. Delano informs us that this report has no foundation whatever. He intends to remain right along and be prepared to take his share of custom when the spring trade opens.

David T. Phelps, son of Rev. J. Phelps of this village, has been appointed private secretary to the President of the Union Pacific railroad. His headquarters are at Omaha.—David's Tecumseh friends will be pleased to hear of his good fortune.

About fifteen couples attended the party at Armory Hall last evening. The fact that only two days notice was given was probably the reason for such a small crowd. Hubbard & Doty's orchestra furnished the music. We understand the committee intend giving another at an early day.

Mrs. G. F. Drake, of Breckenridge, Gratiot Co. Mich., formerly Miss Nellie Mitchell, has been in town a few days visiting among her old friends. She was accompanied by her husband and the two returned home on Tuesday. Mr. Drake is the proprietor of a large planing mill at Breckenridge and is doing finely in business.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lenawee County Horticultural Society will be held on Wednesday, March 4th, 1885, at 9 o'clock A. M. The first half hour will be given to the "question box." Topics, Trimming and care of ornamental trees, Nursery Stock, Seeds, Question box, etc. Place of meeting, Workingmen's Hall, Adrian.

Chas. E. Williamson has struck a bargain with Frank Bumann for the purchase of his butter and egg business. Frank is one of our staunchest business men and we hope he will conclude to embark in some other line of business here. Still he has transferred his trade to a worthy successor. Mr. Williamson is well equipped with capital and experience to run the business successfully. He will be a valuable addition to the ranks of our business men. Success to him!

Commencing Monday, March 2d, '85, the Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Mich., and Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Railways will run through solid trains between Toledo and Detroit, daily, except Sunday. No stops will be made except for railroad crossings, and time will be as fast as made by any other line. At first but one train will be run each way, as follows:—Leave Toledo 9:50 A. M., arrive at Detroit 12.00 noon; Leave Detroit 3:20 P. M., arrive at Toledo 5:30 P. M. Additional trains will be added as business increases.

Elbridge Hyde was in town over Sunday.

Rev. Robert Colyer lectures in Adrian this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. James returned to their home in Detroit last Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Walker of Norvell, have been enjoying a few days visit among their Tecumseh friends.

Mrs. F. V. Horton and daughter, Mrs. F. A. Horton, of Clinton township, raised poultry last season that sold for $210.92.

Mr. Alba Heywood will take a part in the band benefit to-morrow evening which will add a very pleasant feature to the program.

"Poor Pillicoddy" and "Too Much for Good Nature," the two plays to be presented at the band benefit to-morrow evening, are well cast and will be finely presented.

A donation visit will be given Rev. G. W. Hudson and family in the basement of the M. E. church, on Wednesday evening, March 4th, 1885. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Thos. A. Edison, the celebrated electrician, spent last Sunday in Adrian, as the guest of Mr. R. Gilliland, an old acquaintance of Edison's. Edison was en route to the New Orleans exposition.

D. B. Ayers of Brooklyn, was in town last Thursday and favored the HERALD with a call. He came down with a horse and cutter and found plenty of snow on the road. The cutter did'nt strike bare ground a single once on the whole trip.

Dr. Samuel Catlin, B. J. Garlinhouse, Jas. Boyd, Harry Root and Capt. Amos P. Foster were the delegates chosen from Tecumseh to attend the Democratic Convention last Saturday. As Capt. Foster could not attend, he sent Frank Davidson as a substitute.

M. P. Brown left home on Monday noon for Lansing to attend the State Council of the Royal Templar's of Temperance. He goes as a delegate from the Tecumseh Council. While in Lansing he probably took in the Prohibition State Convention which was held there yesterday.

Rev. C. W. Haynes, former pastor of the Tecumseh Baptist church, is now settled at Aurora, Ill. In renewing his subscription to the HERALD, he uses these kind words: "I think more of the paper every week, and I can say as a weekly I prefer it to any paper published in Southern Michigan."

A wrestling match for a purse of $50 will take place at Lake Ridge hotel on Saturday evening, March 7th, between Fred Kolkloesch and Seneca Litchard. Best three in five—two side holds, two collar and elbow and one catch-as-catch-can. After the wrestle there will be a sparring match with gloves.

It is matter of considerable surprise as well as regret among certain circles which are interested in the welfare of outdoor sports in this community at the indifference, or more probably negligence, which some members of the Base Ball Ass'n have exhibited in meeting the assessment which was declared necessary last fall in order to meet all outstanding indebtedness of the Ass'n. The articles of the Ass'n clearly define the responsibility of each member in sharing any losses which may occur and to which each member voluntarily signed his name.

Adrian Record: For some time past Thomas Knight of Franklin, has noticed that his flock of sheep has been gradually growing smaller. Four or five choice sheep have been missed, one at a time. For a long time the thief remained undetected. Finally suspicion settled upon a stranger by the name of Walker, who for some months had lived in a shanty near by, and been regaling himself on choice mutton. Knight started for Tecumseh to have him arrested. Walker got wind of this, and upon Knight's return, he took one of Knights' horses from the stable and put out for the Ohio line. The next morning the horse was found at the gate seeking to get into its old quarters. Sunday night, when Walker purloined it, was such a cold one that the horse is almost ruined. The officers of the county have been notified

THE NEW ORLEANS EXCURSION.

The excursion train will leave Tecumseh on Monday next, March 2d at four o'clock P. M. via the Lake Shore road. It will run to Toledo and thence by the Dayton & Michigan road to Cincinnati. At that point it will take the "Queen & Crescent" route via Chattanooga to New Orleans. The fare for the round trip from Tecumseh is $24.80. The arrangements have all been completed, and unless some unforeseen accident should occur, the excursion will start promptly on time. Although a coach load of passengers has been pledged, still there is room for a few more and people who may yet conclude to go, can secure accommodations up to the day of departure. We wish the excursionists a pleasant trip, an enjoyable visit at New Orleans, a safe return, and can only regret our inability to go with them.

C. D. Bills of Goshen, Ind., was in town a few days this week.

Milo Martin held No. 26, which drew the organ at DePuy's yesterday.

The Brownville Progressive Euchre Club met at the residence of H. E. Stout last evening.

Lillev. Bidwell & Co's bank was decorated last Sunday, in honor of Washington's birthday.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M. to-morrow evening. A full attendance is requested.

At the election of officers of Co. C last Monday night, Emory Doke was elected 1st Lieut and Will Ross 2d.

Mr. J. H. Dodge, an old hotel man and well known to the travelling public, has charge of the office of the Lilley House.

Who struck Billy Patterson? Our Clinton neighbors are still engaged in the laudable undertaking of trying to solve this important historical problem.

The Cornet Band will repeat their benefit entertainment at Goodyear Hall in Manchester on Tuesday evening next, March 3d. The Manchester people can rely upon having a good entertainment.

The Adrian Times of last Saturday says:

At 6 A. M. it was 20 degrees below zero. A letter, received here at noon to-day from Norway, Menominee Co., says the thermometer was 52 degrees below zero at that place one day this week.

Why not make it 82 degrees and have done with it?

Manchester Enterprise: Capt. Byron L. Crouch was in town last evening. He came from the west on the Ypsi branch and stopped at the Goodyear House until the night train for Jackson. He is quite a gentlemanly appearing man and was pleasant and agreeable, ready to talk about the tragedy and trial, or his ranch in Texas.

A Grand Rapids paper says: Forty-two loads of snow are dumped every hour by the teams clearing Monroe and Canal streets. An iron beam and three plow points have been broken since the work commenced. The snow is dumped near the boat landing and has formed an ice bridge, from which fire works will be discharged next fourth of July. The ice bridge is 15 feet high and 300 ft. long.

The Adrian Record is responsible for the following—We second the motion: Representative Howell will do us a good turn by pushing through his bill to confer the right to marry people on notaries public. We have a commission that is good for two years yet that is it may be. It hasn't been worth a "nick" to us yet. It cost us $1.75, and so far we have not realized on the investment. We pray the honorable gentleman will "whoop up" his bill.

The masquerade at the Gem rink New Years night was a grand success. The first prize $2.50 in gold was awarded Mr. Alba Heywood, of Grand Rapids, Mich. His costumes were those of the old lady and the dude. The judges were divided, some favoring the old lady and some the dude, but on learning that they were one and the same, the old lady having disappeared, the dude received the prize.—Morris, Ill. News.

Mr. Heywood will appear at the Band entertainment.

At the Democratic county convention held last Saturday the following delegates were chosen to the state convention:

First District—L. V. Judson, Frank Davidson, Wm. Corbett, R. J. Clark, J. B. Clement, Frank Depuy, J. W. Benedict, John Wyman,

Second District—Frank Schiebel, S. W. Beakes, W. Stearns, D. A. Bixby, Seth Bean, E. J. Smith, J. C. Lambie, W. H. Cleveland.

Third District—J. B. Thorne, H. C. Hall, Henry Howd, S. G. Chandler, David A. Pontius, W. H. Shierson, C. H. Dewey, G. B. Woodworth.

Mrs. T. R. Lovett of Oak Park, Ill., sends us the following weather item, which shows that Chicago also felt the effects of the blizzard. Oak Park is a suburb of Chicago.

"Noticing your weather item in the HERALD of Feb. 19th, I thought you might be interested to know of the indications of the mercury, on the corresponding dates at Oak Park, Ill.

Feb. 10, 18° below.
" 11, 20 "
" 12, 10 "
" 13, 26 "
" 14, 4 "
" 15, 18 above, and snowing
" 16, 18 below
" 17, 12 "
" 18, 4 "
" 19, 6 "

Wm. F. Harding writing from Albion College, says: "I am very much pleased with my school privileges here. We have a large school, well conducted, with a fine class of young ladies and gentlemen in attendance. There are two college societies in active operation at present. Last Friday evening the Eclectic and Athmaides society held a national convention in their hall. They organized a new party called the Anti Mormon party, the intention being to suppress this terrible blot on our national record. Ten states and territories were represented and a broad platform was adopted amid a great deal of enthusiasm both by the spectators and the convention itself."

AFTER THE QUILTING.

Joshua Gumbo was at the Lodge on the evening of the quilting bee and arrived home about twelve o'clock expecting to meet one of Jerusha's storms. Instead he was met at the threshold by the family physician, Dr. Burchard, who said: "Tread lightly Mr. Gumbo, tread lightly, there is no crape on the door yet, but there may be before morning." Joshua pulled off his boots on the door steps and entered the kitchen in his stocking feet. After the first shock of astonishment had subsided he began to take a survey of the situation. Jerusha was bolstered up in the rocking chair, wrapped in the remnants of the new quilt, with a camphor bandage about her forehead, a smelling bottle in one hand and a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup in the other. Sammy's eyes were both swelled shut and one collar bone was fractured. Sally had four teeth knocked out, and a severe scalp wound, and looked as though she might have been through a battle with the Sioux Indians. The baby had been carried home by one of the neighbors for safe keeping. Nancy Noodle lay on the lounge singing in a half audible voice, "Home, sweet Home." Two of the Robinson girls had kindly volunteered to act as nurses and were assisting the doctor in the necessary surgical work. The doctor had confined his attention to caring for the wounded, and to Gumbo was assigned the task of clearing up the wreck in the kitchen.

The clock was found in the flour barrel, the quilting frame in the wood box, four bushels of plastering were swept up from the floor, the stove pipe was under the lounge, some of the chairs had three legs left and some of them only two, 8 chignons were found in the wood box and twenty four thimbles on the floor, three sets of false teeth were fished out of the coal scuttle, two wigs were discovered under the milk safe, the tin baker and coffee pot had mysteriously traveled into the wood shed, a milk pan full of cucumber pickles was gathered from the floor, mince pie and doughnuts were promiscuously scattered about the four corners of the kitchen.

It took Joshua a full hour to sweep up, put the furniture to rights and properly arrange the relics of bric-a-brac upon the what-not. He then retired to the sitting room to inquire after the patients and confer with the doctor. The Gumbos are exceedingly fortunate in their family physician. He is not only a man of renown in the medical profession, but he possesses literary and military attainments. He has pushed the plumbago for some of the leading periodicals in Gotham, and his inventive genius has lately evolved a patent fire-arm which will receive sixty charges a minute and shoot ten miles and kill. He is also a man of clerical inclinations. He has dispensed the gospel most acceptably during twelve months of his literary career. His theological talents come by inheritance, as he claims to be a lineal descendant of the Rev. Dr. Burchard, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

"Well doctor," said Gumbo, as he filled his pipe and scratched a match on his coat sleeve, "if this don't beat all. Why, hang it, I've kept house more'n thirty year; I've druv stage on the Chicago turnpike; I've tended log rollin's; I've bin to the big dances at Lake Ridge hotel; I've talked with the fat woman in Forepaugh's circus; I've fed Jumbo crackers in Barnum's show; I've fit in the Salvation Army; I've umpired base ball games; I've bin chief jedge at hoss races, but I never seen nothin' like this air quilting bee afore, never. My family affairs has bin goin' from bad to wuss for five year and it seems as if they was gettin wusser and wusser. Why, hang it, it'll take a hull summer's work to fix up that air kitchen ceilin'. With Jerusha and both young 'uns in the dry dock for repairs, I've got to hire a gal to do the housework. Hang it, doctor, what can a feller do?"

"Don't be discouraged Mr. Gumbo," replied the doctor, "I have made a careful diagnosis of all the cases, and they are not necessarily fatal—Sally is suffering from an attack of deuticular vacuosis and a cranial contusion of the capillary cuticle, but her condition is not dangerous. Sammy has the ocularibus stuffibus plasteribus and the collar bustibus. Mrs. Gumbo is prostrated with nervous exhaustion and mental hallucination. All she needs is rest and frequent applications of soothing syrup. My professional cares need me at home now, but if anything new transpires, send a dispatch and I will respond. Provide your patients with good victuals and plenty of ventilation and you need have no fear of any fatal results."

Doffing his Buffalo overcoat the doctor left Gumbo in charge of the hospital and to his own reflections.

Nathaniel S. Wheeler, one of the pioneers of Cambridge, and lately a resident of Adrian, was buried on Wednesday of last week. Among the bearers was Philo C. Mills, formerly of Tecumseh.

The county board of examiners held a meeting at Adrian last Saturday and over one hundred school ma'ams were put through a "course of sprouts."

A FINAL WORD TO DR. BURCHARD.

In the Tecumseh News of Feb. 12th, Dr. Burchard has an item in his Clinton letter raising an issue of veracity between Dr. Cameron and ourselves with reference to a retraction which we made for Dr. Cameron's benefit in the HERALD of Feb. 5th. In last week's News Dr. Burchard drops the discussion, but covers his retreat with an ungentlemanly insinuation against our personal character.

We deem it but just to ourselves to briefly notice these two items, as silence on our part might be construed as a confession of guilt.

The retraction in the HERALD of Feb. 5th was shown to Dr. Cameron in manuscript before its publication and had his approval, and we have no reason to believe that he denied our interview or misrepresented it in his subsequent talk with Dr. Burchard.

With reference to the last item, if Dr. Burchard wishes to provoke a comparison of personal character we are prepared to accommodate him. We are much better posted on his own personal record both in Clinton and elsewhere than he may suppose. We shall not shrink from defending ourselves against any attack of that character.

The Doctor has undoubtedly learned the fact that we have in our possession written statements signed by many of the Clinton citizens whom he imposed upon by publishing an interview without their knowledge and which, if put in cold type, would place him in a very unenviable light before the public. He therefore considers discretion the better part of valor and wisely concludes to strike his colors. These statements were obtained for publication in case the Doctor's continued attacks should render it necessary. In deference to the wishes of the parties we withhold them from the public at present.

The Doctor possesses neither the courage to fight nor the manliness to surrender like a man. But as he elects to "drop the subject," we have no reason for continuing the discussion. It would hardly be fair to keep hammering a man after he is down. Besides, if we should continue the war now, some tender hearted individual might take a fancy to cause our arrest for cruelty to animals. This statement will close the discussion on our part unless Dr. Burchard shall see fit to re-open it.

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I do not, of course, pretend that this was the original altar, which it is recorded was destroyed at that time, but I am at a loss to conjecture what purpose it could have served, and its position was so exactly that which might have suited the occasion, that the idea was suggested to me by finding it here, that it may be the remains of some erection put up in Jewish times to commemorate the event. There is a path leading from it directly to the Kishon, at the point where the Tel-el-Kisis, or Hill of the Priests, rises from the margin of the brook, and which owes its name to the tradition that it was the scene of the execution of the false prophets. This portion of the mountain was evidently the most populous and most richly cultivated in former times, as it is to-day the most beautiful.—*L. Oliphant, in Churchman.*

CHINESE WOMEN.

The Strange Inner Life of the Almond-Eyed Women of China.

Chinese ladies wear robes of silk of any or every color—their frightful little feet protrude from the legs of a straight pair of satin pantaloons—much like the European garment in form. The custom of martyrizing the feet always affects the legs, which invariably become thin, atrophied or deformed.

Little feet are not admitted to the imperial court. Only the daughters of Tartar generals are admitted to the Emperor's palace, and these Tartar girls are never subjected to the torture of having their feet deformed. Still, I am told, that the Tartar girls are not at all anxious to go to Pekin, where some dozen of the poor creatures are condemned to the life of a recluse in those huge palace buildings, surrounded by lofty walls.

If you should chance to meet a well-dressed Chinese woman, either walking or in an open palanquin, you may assure yourself that she belongs to the disreputable class. As for the women of the people, they go freely through the streets; they carry packages, merchandise of all kinds, and adopt very successfully, by reason of their uncommonly well-developed muscular power, the trade of porters.

The great Chinese ladies are served by female domestics called "amahs." These servants sometimes perform commissions, but not as a rule. No woman employed in an aristocratic family allows herself to be seen upon the street without good reason.

A mandarin's wife must not show herself under risk of being sullied by the gaze of the populace. She shares the honors of her husband, gives parties in her own house, visits her female friends, but the street is forbidden her.

The Chinese women love their children, and are much loved and respected by them. The story about Chinese infants being thrown into the river is pure humbug. The affection shown to the children by the women of the lower classes is often touching; they carry them strapped to their shoulders even while at work.

In the houses of the rich mandarins there are always several courts—little open yards—through which one has to pass before reaching the female apartments, which are always separated from those of the men. The married people alone occupy the same room; every other member of the family must occupy a separate room.

The most luxurious Chinese upholstery and furniture never invites one to idle repose; in fact the best furnished house is barely comfortable. The bed has no springs, but has a number of little cotton mattresses covered with silk and padded counterpanes which are all rolled up in one mass during the day.

It must not be supposed that one Chinese woman exactly resembles another Chinese woman—it were just as rational to say that all French women look alike. The race-type is the same, but the physiognomy is very different. I have seen fine aquiline noses, long or oval faces. But all these women have bright, intelligent, decided, energetic features. Their costume is simple, very graceful, and some little jewel of jade always glitters in the ear, or on the swarthy arm.

The working woman runs, goes everywhere. She has the bold, brusque manner of a person who is wholly self-dependent, and is conscious of the force to do and dare. She is the exact counterpart of the aristocratic lady who staggers about upon her little feet.

A good example of Chinese high life is shown by the fact that if any one asks what kind of a wife a Chinese Mandarin has married, the answer is always given, with an air of shocked surprise: "Oh a woman with little feet, of course." That is to say, she has not married beneath him.—*Figaro.*

HATS.

The Kind of Headgear Which Stylish Ladies Wear in Cold Weather.

Felt round hats, fish-wife poke pointed high above the forehead, and turbans of cloth, velvet, or fur, are worn by young girls. The color is chosen to match the jacket or Newmarket coat, which may be worn with various dresses, and the trimmings are of velvet passed around the crown in one plain fold, then missed in loops that stand up against the crown on the left side. Some sharp wings are fitted in these loops, and on the right side is a gilt or silver pin or other ornament. Cloth turbans of the dress goods have folds forming the crown, and a velvet covered brim that rests close against the crown. Felt pokes are the most becoming hats to girls of this age, and seem designed especially for them. The brim has usually a puff of velvet coming over its edge, and the only other trimming needed is a cockade bow of loops and tucked ends of velvet ribbon. Sometimes wood fibre the color of the felt is gathered along the brim, or else forms a rosette on the left side.

A narrow standing linen collar or a frill of muslin or lace is worn around the neck by young girls. White moiré and velvet ribbon bows are used to fasten this, but most girls prefer a simple dress pin that is convenient to wear with any dress. Earrings are now seldom seen on girls in their teens, and many of the rising generation refuse altogether to have holes bored in their ears. The simplest arrangement of the hair is adopted by school-girls, such as hanging braids, or else a braided knot low on the nape of the neck, while the front may be brushed back smoothly from the forehead if it is low, or cut in a bang that may cover part of a high forehead, and perhaps result in inducing the hair to grow lower down. Crimping the hair in pins is always injurious, but especially when it is growing fast in youth; plaiting the back hair in many small braids at night is the safer way of making it light and fluffy. Stockings are chosen to match the dress in color, or else black stockings are worn with any dress. Buttoned gaiters for misses are now made with the low English heels that are becoming popular along with other wholesome English fashions. Calf-skin of light quality is used this winter both for ladies' and for young girls' shoes. For more dressy shoes patent-leathers with colored cloth tops are chosen, and black French kid boots or slippers are worn with light wool or muslin dresses. Tan-colored gloves of either dressed or undressed kid are furnished in misses' sizes, and are appropriate with any dress.—*Harper's Bazar.*

THE BUSTLE AND CLOCK.

One Instance Where That Hideous Monstrosity Proved Available, if Not Useful.

An amusing story reaches us from Paris. On Friday last a lady having paid her hotel bill, sent away her boxes on a cab and sallied forth on foot. No sooner had she departed than the landlord discovered that the clock had disappeared from the mantelpiece of the room which his late lodger had been occupying, though he remembered to have seen it there subsequent to her trunks being dispatched. Convinced that she must be the thief he rushed out in hot pursuit, and, overtaking her, he charged her with the robbery and gave her into custody, the lady meanwhile protesting loudly against the indignity offered her, and vowing vengeance against the traducer. She was, however, taken before the Judge d'Instruction, to whom she resumed her torrent of indignant denial with the extraordinary volubility peculiar to the daughters of Gaul. Her indignation was at its height when lo! twelve o'clock rang forth in clear tones from the region of madame's dress improver. The expression of consternation depicted on the fair pilferer's countenance, together with the appositeness of the strange phenomenon, were too much for the gravity of the officials, who burst into a fit of uncontrollable laughter. Five minutes later a female warder returned the portable time-piece to its owner. Will Mr. Oscar Wilde still insist upon "the utter uselessness of that hideous monstrosity—the bustle?"—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Songs.

Prof. Blackie, in the course of some remarks about songs, recently made a Manchester, Eng., said: "The mixing of music with words—words that stir the soul and instruct the mind—is the most intellectual of all possible entertainments." This suggests that the song-makers of America should exercise greater care in the composition of the words. Many songs have had a brief season of favor in the theaters, which, had the sentiment been as well-expressed in the words as in the music, might have become as thoroughly suggestive of the American nationality as the "Annie Laurie" or "Scots wha hae" of Scotland.—*Current.*

—A State record has been discovered at Trenton, N. J., showing that one John Fitch launched a steamboat on the Delaware River twenty years before Fulton's steam craft, the Clermont, appeared on the Hudson.

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Norvell	6 52 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Chelsea	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Dexter	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Ann Arbor	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 15 "	.....

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Chelsea	11 56 "	9 11 "	7 00 "
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Riverview	2 50	8 45	3 00	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Bryan	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Pioneer	3 22	9 16	3 38	
Alvordton	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Lafayette	4 00	9 50	4 01	
North Morenci	4 07	9 57	4 06	
Seloco	4 14	9 45	4 06	
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Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
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Tipton	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 52
Hudson	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
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Brighton	4 45	10 42	5 07	8 27
Genoa	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Milan	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Whittaker	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Wills	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 13
Belleville	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Romulus	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Hand	5 48	11 42	6 08	10 00
Delrey	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15
DETROIT				

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	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 34	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 07
Wills	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Genoa	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Brighton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Howell	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 06
Fowlerville	7 48	11 07	5 05	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 21
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 23
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seloco		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 42	5 40	11 51
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 18
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 27
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8 25	8 30	Dundee	8 20	3 35
8 38	8 37	Macon	8 26	3 15
8 45	8 46	Azalia	8 20	3 10
8 52	8 59	Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
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9 09	9 00	Nora	7 59	3 17
9 18	9 22	Urania	7 52	3 10
9 23	9 32	Pittsfield	7 40	3 00
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	7 10	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 22	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
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	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 23	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
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7 37	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 21
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2 07		5 53	Fisk	11 27		5 37
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		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		2 05
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		1 20
		6 35	Muskegon	8 15		
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General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONGRESSIONAL.

THE CHOCTAW bill before the Senate on the 19th a communication from the Acting Postmaster General in response to a Senate resolution estimating the amount that will be necessary to complete the work for adjusting the salaries of postmasters. A bill was passed authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Great Kanawha below the falls. The bill prohibiting the importation of foreign laborers under contract to perform labor in the United States was laid before the Senate. The pending question being on the motion to strike out section 3 inflicting a fine of $1,000 on any person or company violating the act, one half to go to the person first bringing suit therefor. The motion was discussed until adjournment. In the House Mr Reagan from the Committee on Commerce reported a resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Treasury for such information as he may be able to furnish respecting the cattle traffic of the South West; adopted. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Legislative Appropriation bill and after making some minor amendments to the bill the committee rose and the bill was passed.

THE Chair laid before the Senate on the 16th, among other documents, a resolution of the Legislature of Maine, urging the placing of General Grant upon the retired list of the army. The Foreign Contract Labor bill then came up and was discussed at length and after several amendments had been adopted it was passed—yeas 50, nays 9. Those voting in the negative were Messrs. Butler, Groome, Hampton, Hawley, Maxey, Morgan, Saulsbury, Vance and Williams. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor bill. The committee amendment respecting Galveston Harbor was agreed to—yeas 78 to 56. Various amendments to minor items in the bill were offered by members representing localities interested, some of which, increasing the appropriations by small amounts, were adopted, but as a rule they were voted down. Without reaching the large points in controversy the committee rose and the House adjourned.

THE Senate on the 19th accepted a bust of the late Senator Sawyer, of Connecticut, and ordered it placed on a suitable pedestal in the Vice President's room. The political disabilities of William W. Gardner and A. R. Montgomery, of Georgia, and Alexander W. Starr, of Virginia, were removed. The Texas Pacific Forfeiture bill was then read and passed and the Senate adjourned. Immediately after the morning hour the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill. The first section of the bill, covering the Naval Appropriation proper, was read through, when the committee rose and the House adjourned.

MR. GORMAN made a motion in the Senate on the 20th calling upon the Secretary of the Interior to inform the Senate whether the Pacific railroads, to whom subsidies had been granted, had built telegraph lines and maintained and operated them, and were receiving messages without discrimination of price as required by law. The Agricultural Appropriation bill was taken up and discussed section by section, and only one additional amendment was made, and that was, increasing the appropriation for experiments in making sugar out of sorghum from $20,000 to $50,000. The Postoffice Appropriation bill then came up, and the House amendments making a two-cent stamp carry a letter weighing an ounce instead of one-half ounce, as at present, and reducing second-class postage to one cent a pound were adopted by a vote of 36 yeas to 18 nays. Adjourned. After the morning hour the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill. When the second section was reached Mr. Keiter opened the debate by opposing the plans proposed for strengthening the Navy. He argued that it was better to go on with well-considered plans already passed by the Government, than to invite plans from the geniuses sometimes called "cranks" of the country, and waste valuable time and delay the building of the Navy. The House held an evening session at which forty-nine pension bills were passed which cleared the calendar of cases upon which the committee had made favorable reports.

DOMESTIC.

AN infernal machine was found concealed in one of the corridors of the Westmoreland County court house at Greensburg, Pa., on the 18th. The discovery caused great excitement, as there were about two hundred persons in the building at the time who would undoubtedly have been either killed or injured, had an explosion taken place. The machine contained one pound of dynamite with a fuse attached. Various rumors are afloat as to the designs of those placing it there.

IN response to a resolution adopted by the House, the Secretary of the Treasury has transmitted to that body a schedule of the expenses incurred under the law providing for the appointment of special deputy marshals, supervisors of elections and chief supervisors. The statement shows that during 1876-80-82-84 the expenses for special deputies were $651,830, supervisors $928,534, chief supervisors $393,752. Total $1,973,916.

JOSEPH A. COOK, of Mattoon, Ill., who was studying for the ministry and was a worthy young man, has mysteriously disappeared from the Southern Hotel, at Chicago, where he had lived since January 1. He was last seen February 5, when he had a large roll of money. The proprietor of the hotel thinks Cook has been murdered.

A GENUINE case of oriental leprosy has been discovered in the county jail at Portland, Oregon. The patient is Ah Ping, a Chinese prisoner held for assault. The authorities of the penitentiary refused to receive him and forced him back on the county authorities. He presents a loathsome appearance. He is now isolated from all human habitation.

THE Victoria iron mines and furnaces in Rockbridge County, Va., have shut down on account of overstock, and 1,200 men are thrown out of employment.

THE Pennsylvania Board of Pardons has refused to open the case of Goerson, the Philadelphia wife-murderer, and he will therefore be hanged on the 5th of March. The case has been in court for five years.

A COLLISION between a passenger and freight train occurred on the Virginia & Midland Railway about four miles south of Washington City on the 19th. The engineer and fireman of the freight train and the fireman of the passenger train were killed instantly, and the engineer of the express probably fatally injured. The baggage, postal and smoking cars took fire and were totally destroyed. No passengers were killed, but some were badly bruised and all greatly shaken up.

G. W. TYLER, leading counsel for Mrs. Hill-Sharon, in the Hill-Sharon divorce case; Max Gumpel, the handwriting expert; T. C. Cashman and J. F. McLaughlin, have been indicted by the State Grand Jury for implication in obtaining $20,000 from Senator Sharon's counsel.

A PECULIAR and fatal hog disease is reported to be raging in many sections of Massachusetts. The symptoms are loss of appetite, sight and strength, death invariably resulting in three days. Thousands of hogs are dying off.

A DISPATCH from Irkoutsk, Siberia, states that the exiles to that place recently revolted, and before the outbreak could be suppressed thirty of the participants were killed outright and a large number wounded. Nine out of the soldiers were killed.

THE Postoffice Department has completed the letting of contracts for Star route and Steamboat service in the States of New England, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia. The cost of the service under this letting will be $1,222,311 per annum. Under the former letting the cost was $1,226,255 per annum. The cost of the steamboat service will be $31,159 and at the last letting it was $38,118.

F. W. WILLIAMS, a letter carrier, of Utica, N. Y., has obtained a verdict of $1,000 damages against Mrs. J. W. Williams for injuries inflicted by the bite of a vicious dog owned by that lady.

THE Eastern New York Beekeeper's Association held their annual session at Albany on the 19th. The following officers were elected: President, Solomon Vroonman; Vice President, T. Pierce; Secretary, E. W. Philo; Treasurer, H. W. Garrett. The convention decided that shipment of honey by freight was preferable to express; that Alsike clover was the best food for stock, and that a cross between the Italian and Black produced the best race of bees.

A FIRE broke out on the 20th in the five-story brick structure, No. 125 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, occupied by several cotton and wool firms, and before it could be controlled nine large business houses were completely burned out, six were damaged and others incurred heavy losses. During the fire two men were killed by falling walls—John McCormick, a hose-cart driver, and Thomas Marshall, a drayman. The losses aggregate $250,000, distributed among about twenty firms.

THE Gurley building at Troy, N. Y., was destroyed by fire on the 19th. Loss $120,000; nearly covered by insurance.

THERE were 254 business failures reported in the United States for the week ended the 20th, against 373 in the preceding week and 218, 204 and 195 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882 respectively.

POSTOFFICE Department officials say the disaster a few days ago on the Midland Road between Washington and Alexandria, caused the heaviest loss of United States mail that ever resulted in a railroad accident. One hundred ordinary mail pouches and thirteen pouches containing through registered letters from the South for large cities in the East, besides considerable miscellaneous matter, were, with all their contents, burned up, and with them probably $100,000.

REV. ROBERT RAYMOND was fatally shot on the steps of his church just after prayer meeting, at Quitman, Ga., a few nights ago by a member named Robinson, who had quarreled with him on a private matter.

TICKETS of admission to the galleries of the House of Representatives at Washington, during the dedication ceremonies on the 21st were issued to between 350 to 450 persons who had furnished satisfactory evidence of relationship with the original George Washington family.

THE roadbed and all the property belonging to the Cleveland, Delphos & St. Louis Narrow Gauge Railroad was sold at auction at the United States Court room, Toledo, Ohio, on the 20th by Major Goodspeed as Master Commissioner. A. W. Jones, of Youngstown, bid $15,000, the lowest that could be offered, and there being no other bid made Mr. Jones was declared the purchaser.

THE Robesonia furnace plant, af Reading, Pa., has been sold to William R. White and Mrs. Henry Borie, of Philadelphia, for $870,000.

DURING the present Congress the Committee on Invalid Pensions, of which Representative Matson, of Indiana, is chairman, has reported to the House adversely and favorably 1,223 cases, which is about equal to the number of bills reported at any three preceding Congresses. Of those 668, all of which were favorably reported, were passed by the House.

A GANG of prisoners working the stone quarry north of Santa Fe, N. M., overpowered the guard and started for the hills on the 20th. Their recapture is improbable as they got a long start.

THREE thousand mill hands employed at Alexander Smith's Sons carpet mills, at Yonkers, N. Y., struck on the 20th. It is alleged that the strike is due to the action of Superintendent Coyne who had some hands dismissed because they joined the New York Trade Union.

While the south-bound passenger train on the St. Louis & Iron Mountain Railroad was running at full speed near Popular Bluffs, Mo., on the 20th the engine exploded, killing the engineer, John P. Kline, and fatally injuring the fireman, Fred Smith.

SUBSCRIPTIONS amounting to $190,000 having been made to the endowment fund of the Yale Divinity School, Mr. Monroe, in charge of the trust funds of the Marquand estate, has, according to promise, paid in $50,000, which makes the total funds of the Divinity School about $470,000 in addition to the present building and the land.

MARVIN'S extensive safe factory on West Thirty-Seventh Street, New York, was totally destroyed by fire early on the morning of the 20th. The loss on stock was $675,000; on machinery $70,000, and on the building $125,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE proposition to amend the Constitution of West Virginia so as to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors was defeated in the House on the 17th.

IN the New York Assembly on the 17th a resolution calling on Congress to pass the Edmunds bill to place General Grant on the retired list was adopted—yeas 71, nays 1.

IN the Massachusetts Senate on the 17th a resolution providing that a person's disbelief in God shall not affect his credibility as a witness was defeated by a vote of 10 to 24.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN, a wealthy Quaker of Newport, R. I., died on the 17th. He had been in the dry goods business in that city for over a half century, was a director of the Union National Bank, and held several offices of trust.

THE first ballot for United States Senator was taken by the Illinois Legislature on the 18th. General Logan received 100 and W. R. Morrison 94. Two members were absent, two declined to vote and there were six scattering ballots deposited.

JOHN K. MCIVER, Secretary of the Detroit Board of Trade, and one of the foremost grain statisticians of the country, died suddenly of paralysis of the heart on the 18th, aged forty-two years. He had been attending to his official duties up to a late hour the evening before.

MRS. LOWELL, wife of United States Minister Lowell, died at London on the 19th.

A JOINT resolution passed by the Illinois Senate was presented to the House on the 20th urging Congress to place General Grant on the retired list. It was laid on the table. A resolution to refer the matter to a committee of five with instructions to insert the name of Fitz-John Porter along with General Grant was carried.

HON. H. L. RICHMOND, an eminent lawyer, died at his residence in Meadville, Pa., on the 19th in the seventy-fifth year of his age. He was one of the oldest members of the Crawford County bar and a prominent Republican. He represented the Twenty-sixth District in the Forty-third Congress.

DR. LEWIS EISBERG, a well-known physician of New York city, died on the 19th after a short illness. Dr Eisberg was perhaps the most eminent specialist of the diseases of the eye in the world. He was forty-eight years of age and was graduated in medicine at Jefferson College, Philadelphia, and afterward became a general practitioner in that city.

EX-CONGRESSMAN LEWIS A. BIGHAM died at his residence in Jersey City on the 20th after several weeks' illness. He was a native of Oneida County, N. Y., and was fifty-four years of age.

BY an exactly two-thirds vote the Lower House of the Michigan Legislature, on the 19th agreed to submit a prohibitory liquor amendment to the people. It will probably fail in the Senate, however.

CAPTAIN JAMES IRVING, ex-Captain of Police of New York City, and one of the most daring and successful of the detective force, died on the 19th.

THE California Senate on the 20th adopted a resolution requesting the United States Senators and Congressmen of California to oppose any measure to suspend the coinage or demonetize silver.

THE following nominations were confirmed by the Senate in executive session on the 20th: Timothy Sheehan, of Minnesota, Indian Agent at the White Earth Agency, Minnesota; S. F. Wilson, of Pennsylvania, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico; J. W. Haverstick, Receiver of Public Moneys at Los Angeles, Cal.; Warren Truitt, Register of the Land Office at Lakeview, Ore.

BISHOP MULLEN, of the Oil City (Pa.) diocese, has condemned roller skating rinks.

FOREIGN.

AN Arab who claims to have been an eye-witness of Gordon's death states that when the General was killed he was making for the powder magazine, intending to perish in blowing up the town. The rebels, foreseeing his purpose, intercepted him, and in the melee which ensued he was shot dead.

A TREATY with Samoa was signed by Germany on November 19 at Apia, the ostensible purpose being to secure good government and the certainty of justice for German residents of the islands. The expenses of administering the courts were provided for out of fines and from the revenues of prison labor.

THERE being fears that the Mormons of Utah are negotiating for the purchase of land in Sonora in order to transfer their entire colony there, the Mexican Government has asked for information from the Government of Sonora. Public opinion is strongly against receiving the Mormons.

THE French fleet was repulsed four times before it succeeded in sinking or drawing off the Chinese men of war in the engagement near the Ningpo River.

HOUSES and cows in the Province of Quebec, Canada, are reported to be suffering from a disease known as equine variola, which more injuriously affects horses than cows, but possesses special danger in the latter, as is shown by prominent physicians, who state that children who drink milk from the diseased cows have eruptions closely resembling small-pox.

IT was rumored in London on the 19th that the Canadian voyageurs aboard the transport Poonah, from Alexandria, had mutinied and that a gunboat with a force of marines had been sent to quell the outbreak. It is certain that orders were received at Queenstown to send assistance to the Poonah, but the facts in the matter are suppressed. The voyageurs were to have been transferred to the steamer Hanoverian at Queenstown on the 18th which was to have conveyed them to America.

Two shocks of earthquake were felt at Malaga, Spain, on the 20th, creating consternation among the inhabitants. Many of those who had returned to the city were preparing take their departure again, fearing a recurrence of the awful scenes witnessed a few weeks ago.

LATER.

THE Weston (Va.) *Democrat* publishes an account of the distress of the inhabitants of Gilmer, Broxton and Calhoun counties in the interior of the State, many miles from railroads. Whole neighborhoods are suffering for the want of food and stock is dying by herds. Many people would have starved but for the fact that food has been hauled by teams across the mountains, a distance of one hundred miles, fifteen days being occupied in making the trip. The *Democrat* concludes by saying that unless there is a speedy return of warm weather many human lives will be lost. A great deal of sickness prevails now.

JOHN R. MCLEAN, of the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, has been made receiver of the Cincinnati & Eastern Railway, to succeed Samuel Woodward, resigned.

PASSENGER train No. 21 on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, bound for Indianola, on the 23d jumped the track and plunged over an embankment eight or ten feet high, seriously injuring six persons. The passenger coach was turned bottom upward. The baggage car was hurled on its side, bounded back on the track and then plunged over the other side.

IT has been decided that the President-elect will leave for Washington on Tuesday, March 3, accompanied by Colonel Lamont, and on arriving they will go immediately to the Arlington, where rooms have been engaged. The inaugural address is nearly ready and the Cabinet will be decided on certainly before the President-elect leaves home. Those gentlemen who are chosen will be notified of their appointment and will meet the President the morning after his arrival at Washington.

THE only two charges pending against the notorious Frank James in Circuit Court of Cooper County, Mo., were dismissed on the 21st and he is now again a free man. An impression is current that Governor Marmaduke will not grant a requisition from the Governor of Minnesota for James.

ON motion of Mr. Dawes on the 23d the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs was authorized to continue their investigations into the Indian leases, etc., during vacation, with further authority to elicit want changes are necessary in the boundary lines of Indian reservations. The bill to quiet the titles of settlers on the Des Moines River Lands was taken up and passed—31 yeas to 24 nays. The Postoffice Appropriation bill then came up and, after several minor amendments, was passed and the Senate adjourned. In the House Mr LeFevre offered a resolution reciting the exclusion of American pork from Germany and the levying of a discriminating duty on wheat and rye, and that a threatening attitude had been assumed against American petroleum, and directing the Committee on Foreign Affairs to inquire into the propriety of a like discrimination against German products; referred. The Senate amendments to the Texas Pacific Land Grant Forfeiture bill and the bill to prohibit the importation of contract labor were concurred in. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Naval Appropriation bill, and after several very important amendments in regard to the completion of the steel vessels now authorized, the bill passed and the House adjourned.

Eczema.

Eczema is one of the ugliest and most troublesome of all blood diseases. It proceeds from humors in the blood which are sometimes very difficult to eradicate. For five weary years M. J. D. Rodefer, of Greendale, Va., suffered terribly from this disease. He writes: "Finding no relief to the many medicines till I used Brown's Iron Bitters. I purchased three bottles: from the use of which I have obtained almost entire relief. I recommend it to every one in my neighborhood for any disorder of the blood and as a general tonic."

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The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

It takes over one hundred pairs of gloves to assurge the grief of the Brooklyn officials over the death of an alderman, whose life might have been saved by a single bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

The railway up Mt. Vesuvius has more than paid for itself.

It is a good rule to accept only such medicines as have, after long years of trial, proved worthy of confidence. This is a case where other people's experience may be of great service, and it has been the experience of thousands that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best cough medicine ever used.

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Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c. 50c. & $1.
Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
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TAUNTON, MASS.

Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR: I am an engineer on the Old Colony Railroad, and run the Fall River boat train between Fall River and Lowell, residing in Taunton. For ten years I suffered everything but death from dyspepsia. Often I had such blinding sick headaches that I could scarcely see. I think this was due partly to irregular habits of eating and partly to the jar of the engine. Sometimes my head would shake like neuralgia, and again the pain would settle in my eyes, which would feel as big as a man's fists. My breath was very offensive, and my food soured as soon as it entered my stomach. In fact my stomach felt as though it were a great raw and sore surface, and what agony it gave, perhaps you can imagine.

In the summer and fall of 1876 when we had the heavy centennial travel, the constant jar brought on acute attacks nearly every week and I thought I should have to leave the road. But I kept at work until the next spring, when I grew so much worse that I could virtually eat nothing, and concluded that my labor and my life too, were about over.

Remember that I had tried every medicine I heard of, and had been treated to some of the best physicians in Taunton and Lowell. At this critical time Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was recommended to me. It was new to me, and with my experience of medicines you can hardly forgive me for saying that I had not a particle of faith in it.

I had taken it but a few days when I began to get better. The raw and sore feeling left my stomach, and the snapping pains left my head, and soon I was all right, and have been ever since. It is the only thing that ever did me the least good, and it drove every ache, pain and disorder completely out of my body. Now I keep Kennedy's Favorite Remedy with me on my engine, and it goes wherever I go.

Why, I believe Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will cure anything. One night a while ago, John Lawton, an engineer who runs the main line boat train from Boston, came on my engine sick as death. He was worn out with work, had a high fever, and was so nervous he almost broke down crying. "Nonsense, John," I said, "cheer up, I've got something on my engine that will set you up in a jiffy." I took out a bottle of Favorite Remedy, lifted his head and gave him a good dose. He went to bed. Two days after I saw him looking healthy as a butcher. "Lawton," he says, "what was that stuff you gave me the other night?" "It was Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, Rondout, N. Y.," said I. "Well I don't care whose Remedy it is, it's the thing for a man on the railroad." So say we all.

Yours, etc., DANIEL

EVILS OF THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

At the request of a friend and subscriber, we publish the following extract from the Toledo Blade of Feb. 5th.

Roy L. C. Briggs, Valley Falls, Kas. sends us the following.

Judge John Martin of Kansas, in passing sentence on one convicted of selling liquor contrary to the law made the following address:

For more than twenty years I have had ample opportunities for observing the working and effect of the business of selling intoxicating liquors, and I have not been able to discover a single fact or circumstance, or result that can command it to the favor or the consideration of any decent, respectable or thoughtful man, and in this conclusion I think that you and all agree with me. It cannot even challenge the admiration or approval of ordinary bad men. I cannot conceive of any business or occupation more thoroughly demoralizing in its immediate and ultimate effects or more destructive of public morals. Under cover of public license, and under the guise of selling intoxicating liquors, I do not perceive a sanitary benefit or advantage to be derived from it by a single human being. I cannot imagine a blessing or benefit of any kind that it brings or contributes to the welfare of a community. It brings moral and social death to those who engage in it, as well as those who patronize and sustain it. From its very nature it brings you into contact with the most vicious, the most profane, drunkards and every vicious element and class in society. Your own association, as the chosen ministers of your community, character, intelligence, society or morality, is simply impossible. That such associations will inevitably and always drag others down to a level of your baseness and degradation, is absolutely certain, and under such circumstances, and with the common knowledge which all men must possess, I am utterly unable to understand how it is possible for any man, with any sense of decency or self respect, much less of manhood, if any sentiment of honor or any one having any hopes or aspirations for respectable social or moral standing in the community, or having any reason for the confidence of his fellow men, can be induced himself to take the first step in becoming a common vender of intoxicating liquors. It seems to me it must be a plunge in such a bottomless pit to destroy every crush and banish from the heart forever every sentiment, every hope, every ambition, every element of character that men generally value as being useful and beneficial to the world. It blights and destroys man's intellectual powers, and closes in upon your immortal life, hopes and aspirations. It destroys every sentiment of manhood, decency and honor, and it turns men into demons, it crupt young men, dishonest, and destitute of all sense of honor, and of every obligation of family relationship, friendship and citizenship.

It begets recklessness, carelessness and an utter indifference to, and disregard of, the rights, the interests and the happiness of others. It invites, encourages and necessarily develops all that is base, degrading and dangerous in man and destructive of good government, good order and common decency. It is a nursery for the development and growth of all those wicked practices which lead to the crime of gambling, which after all is but another name for different forms of stealing, theft, robbery, arson, perjury, murder and every sort of public crime, social wrong and private indecency. In other words, it is a school house for the development and cultivation of every species of crime, an institution for the preparation of men and women and children for the gutter, the poor house, the insane asylum, the reform schools, the county jail, the penitentiary and the gallows. But this is not all; while it makes men idiots and imbeciles by robbing them of their reason, and makes drunkards, destroys all self respect, blights and blasts all manly aspirations, it also despoils men of their property, and makes homeless and hungry wives and children, who shiver and starve in winter, and starve and burn in summer; and after all, these are but a few of the long list of crimes and miseries that necessarily flow from the business of trafficking in intoxicating liquors. It may be possible that an honest man of ordinary intelligence may engage in such a business, but to me it seems impossible. A man who wilfully engages in it, deliberately defies the law and at once proclaims himself an enemy to public order, public decency and every interest, public and private, calculated to benefit the state, and that makes for the welfare of humanity. He purposely ignores and contemptuously disregards every interest that men hold to be useful and good, and robs himself of every consideration or plea for mercy or forbearance in his behalf.

He enters the business with his eyes wide open, with the statute book set before him. He reads it and knows that he is engaged in a business that the law forbids. He is fully advised of the dangers and risks he assumes. He is bound to recognize the fact that he is engaged in the business of making criminals and unfortunates of every class and degree. He is thoroughly advised that he is filling the land with widows and orphans; the charitable and other institutions of the country with paupers and other unfortunates; the jails and reform schools with petty criminals; and the penitentiaries with felons of every degree; and yet with a seared conscience and an utter indifference to all these calamities, and for the mean and base purpose of making a few paltry dollars, that will in the end burn his pockets, and bring ruin and disgrace upon him, he deliberately embarks in the disgraceful traffic. The pretended excuse that the law on the sale of intoxicating liquors is in many respects unjust, is no sort of defense or excuse. In this country the laws are made by the people; and our theory of government is that the majority must rule; and when the properly constituted authorities of the state have determined what the law is, then it becomes the duty of every citizen to obey it until its objectionable features can be removed in an orderly and lawful way, and it is particularly the duty of those charged with its administration to see that the law, whatever it may be, is reasonably, justly and fairly enforced, and the public officer who fails or refuses to perform his duty, is simply guilty of perjury, and it is further the duty of such officers to give the moral support of their offices in favor of the observance and enforcement of the constitution and laws of the state, and in favor of good order and decency in the community, in order that the citizens may be properly protected in the enjoyment of life, liberty and property, and the public officer who neglects to perform his duty, ceases to be worthy of the public confidence and forfeits all claim to the support or decent, thoughtful and law abiding citizens. It seems to me that for any public officer to throw the mantle of his high authority, or to use his influence or influence his subordinates to the aid of lawlessness or violence, or to give encouragement and power to the criminal and vicious elements in society, is to become a party to a crime that may be consummated by reason of his assistance. The idea that only such of the laws as you and I may think to be just ones should be enforced, is a betrayal of a sacred trust, and a violation of the very objects and purposes of government. If one may be permitted to set up his individual judgment to the propriety of obeying any particular law, we must accord to any other citizen the same right with respect to any other laws or class of laws, and the inevitable result must be a condition of lawlessness and anarchy. Under such circumstances every man becomes a law unto himself, and the strong will subjugate the rights and interests of the weak to its own pleasure, and thus we have an end of civil government, and the lives, liberties and property of the citizens are absolutely without protection. This is a proposition so plain and simple that it can be readily embraced and appreciated by every man, and appeals to the intelligent wisdom, justice and patriotism of every citizen to stand by the Constitution and laws of the land as being the surest, safest and best protection to all these great interests.

LELAND STANFORD.

One of California's richest and most philanthropic citizens is the Hon. Leland Stanford. His fortune is variously estimated at from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 dollars. He is deeply interested in schemes for the education of the masses and devotes much time and money to his favorite hobby. Upon the death of his son in 1884 he attracted universal attention to himself through the building of an expensive mausoleum to perpetuate the memory of the departed, whose virtues were extolled far and wide. Leland Stanford was born in New York state, March 9th, 1824. In 1846 he took up the study of law. After his admittance to the bar he removed to Wisconsin and engaged himself in his profession. Soon after the discovery of gold in California he set out for that state, there joining his brothers who had preceded him. Entering upon a mercantile career he was most eminently successful and soon amassed a respectable fortune. In the Republican National Convention of 1880 he was a delegate from California. During the same year he was elected governor of the state. He was the first president of the Central Pacific R. R., and broke the ground for the pioneer line to the Pacific slope. His connection with the prodigious enterprise gave him many opportunities for the accumulation of wealth and he made intelligent use of them. Having been stricken by illness, Mr. Stanford was constrained to relinquish his business pursuits and get rid of all worry and care by a prolonged tour of England and the Continent. He was chosen to the U. S. Senate from California, Jan. 26th, 1885, and will continue in office until 1891. It is said that Mr. Stanford is a believer in spiritualism, and it has been asserted that since the death of his son he has been in frequent communication with mediums. It has been announced that he will, after his death, leave the bulk of his immense fortune to the state and after the payment of the state debt of $3,000,000, the rest is to be used as a fund for a thorough system of popular education. In this way he will not only perpetuate his memory, but will also be the means of accomplishing great and lasting good.

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Adrian Record: Up in Hudson when a beneficiary of the town wants to go to a party, she sends out her child to borrow five cents to buy thread with. The five cents is invested in perfumery. As perfumery is what is needed to make one appear in full dress ye Hudson beneficiary goes to the party with a light heart.

THE NEXT LECTURE

The Meigs Underhill Combination have arranged a new date with the lecture committee and will positively appear on Thursday evening March 5th. It is expected by the management that this will be the best entertainment of the course. The troupe consist of Meigs Sisters Vocal Quartette and Charles F. Underhill, Humorist, Dramatic and Dialect Elocutionist, all of New York.

Last season they appeared on several occasions and made a tour of the principal Summer Assemblies, closing at Chautauqua, Aug. 12th. The same enthusiastic reception was accorded them everywhere.

TESTIMONIALS.

The Meigs Underhill Combination spent several days at Chautauqua this season, to the delight of our great audiences. The Meigs Sisters are highly cultivated singers, rendering the most classical music with ease and effectiveness. Their charming part-song can never be excelled at Chautauqua. Mr. Underhill is a remarkable reader, a master of pathos and humor, and has a repertoire apparently inexhaustible. We expect to have them again next season.

J. H. VINCENT.

In their modesty and charming manner of vocalizing is realized in the highest degree a beauty of character with the highest culture of the voice. The singing is phenomenal in that a single family should produce vocal powers so unlike, and yet in harmony so much alike. Mr. Underhill is one of the most delightful, refined and fascinating elocutionists in the country.—Cleveland Leader.

Their success was instantaneous. The alternation of music and reading make a most enjoyable programme.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A VISIT TO PRESIDENT CLEVELAND.

Mr. W. H. Cleveland paid a visit to Albany last week and while there he had a personal interview with the President-elect on Tuesday the 17th inst. We gather the following account of his interview from the Adrian Times:

"How did you find Grover?"

"Nicely sir, nicely. I had the pleasure of an hour in his company last Tuesday forenoon, and, although he looked a little more careworn than when I saw him last September, he is in fair health. The prospects? The prospects are for a first-class democratic administration. I visited the president-elect by invitation, my interview was entirely on general affairs, and I am satisfied that we have elected a great man as our chief executive. Of course he has not been before the public long, but he has kept fully abreast of the times. He is entirely patriotic, and lives first for his country, second for his party, and lastly for himself. His conversation with me was as candid and open as you would expect from a friend or brother in whom you had every confidence, and he said to me that his sole desire was to administer the affairs of the country in the best interests of the masses, and to deserve the approbation of the people. He will feel his way with all caution and conservativeness, and there will be no general and indiscriminate slaughtering of office holders. Changes will be made everywhere only for the best for his administration is to be for the whole people. In so far as the cabinet is concerned, Manning, of New York, will be secretary of the treasury. That is settled, as Mr. Cleveland told me himself. Mr. Manning is a highly conservative gentleman, a successful banker—owns the largest bank in Albany—and he is, with all, the personal friend of the president-elect, and the architect of his political fortunes. Owing to Mr. Cleveland's non-acquaintance with most of the great men of the country, his inaugural message will outline his policy on all national matters to a greater degree than that of any president in years. The message is being prepared with great care, and his desires in regard to all departments will be precisely outlined. Then, having named a man for a cabinet office, the candidate must first see and approve the president's plans before he will be accepted. If his views are not congenial, why, the president will look further. Mr. Bayard will be secretary of state, but, up to noon of last Tuesday, no other members of the cabinet had been decided on, as the president informed me.

The March WIDE AWAKE will be prized for its beautiful reproduction of a photograph of the bust of Longfellow which was placed last year in Westminister Abbey, replicas of which have just arrived at Harvard College. The engraving is accompanied by a noble poem from Imogene Louise Guiney. The number opens with a charming drawing by G. F. Barnes, representing a romantic scene in an old English street; this frontispiece serves as illustration for "The Stranger in the Village," a story by Mary E. Wilkins, as fragrant and simple as a pot of damask roses. Natural history is ably touched by Earnest Ingersoll in his pictorial paper on "Wild Horses," and by Mrs. Whitman in a chapter on "Birdings," history by Edward Everett Hale in "King Rich and the Still Boys' Horses," and by Miss Kingsley in "Miss Elizabeth Russell" in her "Westminister Abbey Children" and by Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont in her sixth "Souvenir" which is full of anecdote about General Jackson, and Thomas H. Benton, with portraits. There are many other artistic features of poem, jingle, picture and article. WIDE AWAKE is $3. a year. D. Lothrop & Co., Boston Mass.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Feb. 21, 1885.

Blessinger, Fred	Millard, E.
Barnhart, H.	Palmer, Cora
Esser, W. C.	Rust, Alex.
Chittenden, A. M.	Rigby, G.
Coleman, W.	Smith, H. G.
Gavel, James M.	Smith, Peter
Graves, Geo.	Smith, Frank
Gray, Frank E.	Stocum, J. L.
Hamlin, H.	Snell, J. C.
Howe, John	Stupes, D. J.
Ives, Will	Sayles, W. R.
Kephel, Charles	Tenbrooen, S. C.
Locketh, A. A.	Wallace, John
Mills, Geo.	Wadsworth, L.
	Waldron, L. W.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSEBRANS, P. M.

MARRIED.

At Tecumseh, Mich., Feb. 22, 1885, by Rev. Wm. H. Babcock, pastor Presbyterian church, Frederick E. Wood and Louisa A. Bixley. Also at the same time by the same, Edwin C. Baird and Mary L. Wood.

In Tecumseh, on Sunday, Feb. 22, 1885, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Arthur S. Slater of Palmyra, and Miss Eva Still of Tecumseh.

At Tecumseh, Feb. 11, 1885, by Rev. Wm. H. Babcock, pastor Presbyterian church, William J. Murphy and Rebecca Harbison.

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Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	50 @ 60
Buckwheat, ₩ scrap hundred	@ 60
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	3 00 @ 4 00
Beef, Hides	5 @ 07
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @ 10
Corn in ear	20 @ 25
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	@ 40
Clover seed	4 50 @ 4 75
Chickens—dressed	@ 08
Eggs, ₩ doz	@ 20
Flour, ₩ barrel	4 50 @ 5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	5 00 @ 5 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	4 50 @ 4 75
Hay, ₩ ton	7 00 @ 8 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@ 10
Ham, ₩ ℔	@ 14
Lard, ₩ ℔	@ 10
Oats, ₩ bushel	25 @ 30
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	30 @ 35
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy seed, ₩ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@ 10
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DEAFNESS.

Noises in the head, like the escape of steam, the humming of insects, etc., are sometimes the first and only indications of approaching deafness. In other cases discharges from the ears are the only warning symptoms. In either case no time should be lost in seeking proper treatment ere it is too late.

TO THE DEAF.

The deaf are frequently hopeless because of the failure of the efforts of ignorant pretenders and practitioners, perhaps generally able, but in such cases utterly incompetent. The majority of these cases of deafness are caused by Catarrh of the Inner ear, and can be cured.

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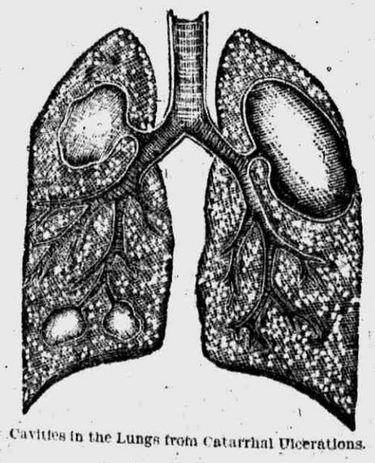

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Dr. Burchard is reshingling and building a small addition to his gunshop. Henry Starrett is doing the work.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. John Tyrrell has been quite sick for a few days. Dr. John Tuttle is attending him

On Sunday, March 1st, 1885, to Prof. and Mrs. Laflin, a daughter.

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. John Hause and Mrs. Sheldon Demuth were thrown from a cutter as they were attempting to turn around in front of Mrs. Calhoun's residence.—Neither of the ladies were seriously hurt.

Miss Lena Jones, Miss Ida Fullerton, Miss Laura Haggart, Miss May Hunt and Mrs. Charles Clark visited Mrs. Allen Bartlett, of Bridgewater, last Saturday and Sunday.

W.D. VanTuyle's school in the Dorr district closes this week with appropriate exercises.

John Hause went to Albion Saturday night for the purpose of seeing Mr. Chas. Brooks who is sick at that place with heart disease. Mr. Hause returned Monday and reported him a little better.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood are living with their daughter, Mrs. Will Kimball.

F. D. Lancaster and wife drove over to Ann Arbor last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hause are expected home the last of this week.

John T. Clark went to Detroit last Monday.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin, of Tecumseh, visited her father, Mr. A. G. Burton, last Saturday.

Benjamin Woodward took his usual ride to Tecumseh last Sunday. Mr. Woodward seems to have become so attached to the scenery between Clinton and Tecumseh that a drive in any other direction would be out of the question.

Mrs. John Hause received news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Sheldon, last Tuesday morning, at Climax, Mich. Mrs. Hause left Clinton on the noon train for that place.

A load of ladies visited Mrs. Will Dorr last week Thursday.

Last Wednesday night P. C. Smith drove over to Ann Arbor after Ed. VanDeMark who had been taken sick there, and on their way home in attempting to pass a team coming from the opposite direction, they were overturned in the snow owing to the condition of the roads. The snow was drifted so high that it was impossible for teams to pass at that point. Mr. Vandemark was quite sick for several days but is out again.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

More like spring for a few days.

Put it in your diary that we had 45 days of the very best of sleighing since New Year's, and fifteen during December.

Mr. Lafe Rapplye is suffering from a felon on the thumb of his right hand.

Rev. W. J. Clack went to Springville to assist in the quarterly meeting services held there, and Presiding Elder Campbell conducted them here on Sunday.

Remember that the social will be held at the home of Mrs. M. M. Florence this week Friday evening.

Mr. Martin Palmer closed a very successful four month term of school at Britton on Friday afternoon. The scholars presented him with a handsome autograph album.

Mr. Frank Temple left Monday afternoon for New Orleans to visit the exposition. He will visit several other places of interest on his return.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Nelson went to Legonier, Ind., Wednesday of last week to attend the funeral of his sister, Miss Allie Palmer. She has been a great sufferer from that slow but sure disease, consumption.

Miss Ida Schreder, of Raisin, called on friends here last week.

We are sorry to learn that our old and most respected citizen, Mr. Geo. Boss has a shingle out offering his place for sale, and will move to Holloway in the spring to live near Mr. Warren Holdredge.

Mr. Wm. Howe, of Jackson, stopped with Mr. G. W. Jackson over Friday night.

Miss Ethel Pennington spent Friday afternoon with Miss Ella Jackson.

Mr. Carlisle and Miss Maud Simons, of Raisin, visited Miss Ella Jackson and called on friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barneby, of Raisinville, are visiting relatives here at present.

Mr. Alden Wickham, who is studying for a physician at Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. C. A. Sharp of Tecumseh, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sharp.

The attendance at the entertainment given by the Literary Society on Friday night, last week, was very large. The Hall was packed long before the time to begin arrived, and many that could not get in went away. The exercises passed off successfully and with credit to the society. Treasury was increased $25.70.

The Literary Society will hold its next meeting on Friday, March 13. There will be no regular program but in its place the Rev. J. M. Kerridge, of Clinton, will deliver a lecture, after which the officers for the ensuing term will be elected. The subject of Mr. Kerridge's lecture is "Martin Luther." We do not think it necessary to make any special mention of Mr. Kerridge's ability as a lecturer. All who have heard him pronounce him one of the best, his manner being free and easy and his language well chosen and instructive. Admission free. Let every body come out.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The few pleasant days of last week tempts us to sharpen pencil again and try to let your readers hear from this burg once more. We are ready to hail the coming mild season with some feeling of relief from the frigid condition we have been kept in for several months. Well, let's see what is going on around this energetic city?

Lewis Newcomer is a new comer, and is of the firm of Rauch & Newcomer.

Martin Palmer has just closed a very successful term of school.

Alonzo Bellows and family, of Sylvania, Ohio, who have been visiting his father's family here, returned to Sylvania Saturday.

Labe Babcock is now very busy taking in a very fine stock of stave bolts for the coming season's business.

Clem Holderman, of Roann, Ind., has been installed as night operator at the station, and agent Clark now wends his way homeward at night, wearing a smile that would become a candidate.

The roller skate craze hit us, but not very hard. The sound of wheels can be heard one or two nights a week at Exelby's hall, but not so loud as in days of yore.

There was an Inauguration party at Britton's Hall Wednesday eve.

When will we have a hotel? This is the one thing needed at Britton. Not a saloon, or a whiskey hole, but a first-class public house would be a good investment. No better opening in southern Michigan.

Babies: Score Andrew Cheever one. John Cooper, one.

Frank Deitz hauled up before Justice Bellows, last week, and fined for assault and battery on the nose of Chas. Miller.

Rich Wiggins has sold his house and lot to Geo. Hawks.

Dr. Hallock is having a good ride, and fulfils our prediction of last summer, that the right man had only to step into a good practice. Dr. Hallock is that man.

We have heard it said a number of times, that Britton had got its growth, but almost before the mercury gets above zero, we see evidences of building. The old "red school house," one of the landmarks, must go, to make room for a handsome two story brick school building; John Britton is making preparations to build a residence; John Exelby is also slightly affected with the building fever. Our village physician also, we are told, will soon put up a house, and Labe Babcock and Sid. Winnie—hold on, we came near giving something away.

Our band are working hard and will soon be ready to toot in public.

John, our shoemaker, has been confined to the house nearly all winter with rheumatism, but is able to be out again and we hope will soon be well enough to resume his bench, as we need his services.

We would like to have your Jumbo ic correspondent of the village up the creek, explain what he was driving at a few issues ago, in regard to Britonites saying that the Ridgeway church was going to fall down, building or congregation. If he will give us a clue we will hunt up the author of the report and if proven, will have him hung "omejitly."

Quite a number of our young folks attended the theatrical entertainment given by the literary society of the village u. c., and report a good time. Of course when the management get hold of a good song and dance man and a banjoist, they will be able to offer a better programme.

Sleighing is getting poor but farmers are rushing in the saw logs.

The Cornet Band is improving nicely and will hold a box social at Britton's Hall, Thursday evening, March 12th, and the band will furnish some music for the occasion. All are cordially invited, and the ladies requested to bring a box of eatables.

The supper at the Christian church last night for the purpose of paying Rev. Mr. Fowler for his services amounted to $14.25.

Charles Dubois' sick horse is improving slowly.

Richard Wiggins left for St. John's, Clinton county, to visit friends there.

Who will get the contract for building the new school house?

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Floyd Florence moved back to town last week and has again become a Hollowayite.

Nathan Spencer started for New Orleans last Monday.

Wm. Brainard returned from Buffalo on Monday, where he had been with hogs and sheep for Kelley & Kopka. He reports the poorest market of the season.

Al Macham is hauling lumber from Tecumseh to build over their house. We shall expect to see something pretty fine, as uncle John never does things by the halves.

A collection was taken up here last Saturday night to send one Mrs. Hoops (the widow of the man who died in the woods last fall) to her home in Ohio.

James Ash has bought the little Huber engine belonging to Al. Hoxsie and is now prepared to grind feed for the million. We should like to have been there when the popper blowed out to see Uncle Spall. He said he thought the thing had boosted.

Mr. Mize was taken sick while away and returned on Saturday last having cut his visit short.

Ellery Lyon, who has been visiting at W. J. Holdridge's, started for his home in Wisconsin, on Wednesday by way of Jackson and Mattawan, where he will visit friends. Miss Ettie Robins accompanied him as far as the latter place where her people reside.

ONSTED ODDS.

Mrs. Jibbs is visiting her son, T. J. Jibbs, near Adrian.

Missionary social at J. O. Maxwell's Thursday afternoon.

Mr. L. H. Sheeler is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

Mrs. Geo. Onsted has a daughter from the state of New York visiting at her home.

A. J. Monigan and Benj. Howard are limping around on account of making mistakes with their axes.

We made a mistake in our last week's items, in saying that Ira Fish had closed his school. He merely had a vacation of a week on account of the big snow storm.

Mr J. B. Daniels and Miss Alice Reed, daughter of Hon. M. Reed, were married at the residence of the pride's parents on Wednesday, Feb. 25. A large number of friends were present to witness the ceremony.—We unite with their many friends in wishing them a long and happy married life.

MACON MUSIC.

Rev. Mr. Dennis from Hillsdale is holding a series of revival meetings at the Baptist Church, which are very well attended considering the condition of the roads.

Dr. Morden's bright little boy has been very sick, but now, we are very happy to say, is much better.

Mr. Day, who sustained a severe injury sometime ago, is now well enough to be at work in the mill again.

Mr. Spencer Morgan recently met with quite a serious accident. The binding pole of a hay-load struck him in the eye and now he looks like—well he had a bandage over his eye.

Mr. Milan Sage keeps many men and teams busy at the mill.

We are happy to note that Mrs. Wm. Osgood, who has been having a very serious sickness, is slowly improving. We all hope ere the birds come back again she will be able to be out.

Mrs. Isaiah Hendershot is now able to sit up a little, but we fear it will be a long time before she can walk. She seems to have rather more than her share of afflictions.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Little has occurred that people wish told of, and the majority are either sick or hunting for excuses to be dissatisfied with the management of everything, from climate arrangements to rink and extra babies.

Smiles were absurdities weeks ago, for Lenten melancholy struck us in advance of calendered time. There is great unanimity in repenting of somebody else's sins; and cross as two sticks, defines our politics, religion and trade. Small favors look insignificant to those who want great, and none seem so thankful for little present good or as willing to share it as are the unfrozen remnant of a flock of English Sparrows. During January's cold, one little one came to the apple branch by a window, and a lady put a handfull of crumbs on a box for him. He tasted, and though growing dusk, he flew away and brought back eight more in a few moments. Since then, they have been regular boarders and at least fifty others have joined the club. They are blue-jays, chickadees, wood and snow birds, besides four little grey fellows, striped with black, about the size of wrens. Cold and hunger have made them peaceable and not even those detested sparrows quarrel one bit. On the contrary no one can watch their proceedings without believing they carry news of relief to their starving cousins. Two or three invariably keep watch in the apple-tree, and post up the rest about Miller's cat.

Dr. Palmer is dangerously sick with rheumatism too hear his heart, and as his heart is sensitive about suffering not his own, there is wide-spread anxiety for his recovery.

The Lyceum, organized by Prof. Norton, and Hillsdale lectures, draw fair audiences, but the amusements are mostly Lent.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Council Room, March, 2, 1885.

At this regular session the Council convened at the regular hour.

Present, the entire council.

Minutes of preceding session read and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Finance—Defered later in the session.

REPORT OF OFFICERS.

Marshal reports that he had consulted with the Pros. Atty. in regard, to saloon violations, and that the interview was satisfactory. Report accepted and adopted.

Street Commissioner filed his report for the month of Feb. 1884. Report accepted and placed on file.

Treasurer's report and books referred to finance committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committtee.

Sid Powel, labor	$3 00
W. Lockwood "	1 00
Robt. McGill "	1 75
Wm. Brown "	3 00
W. C. Jordan, street commissioner	16 75
J. N. Satterthwaite, services as Treas	25 00
S. C. Stacy, printing	10 50
Geo. Heesen, election board	2 00
Wm. Bresie, registration and election	4 00
M. I. wilsox, 5 bls oil	21 50
M. E. Chittenden & Co. gasoline oil	5 93
Jas. Moir, services	7 55
G. W. Marsden, salary as recorder	29 00
C. F. Field, for printing	6 00
John Messler, repairs on street	1 75

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Finance committee report recommending the payment of the following claims:

Sid Powel	$3 00
W. Lockwood	1 00
Robt. McGill	1 75
Wm. Brown	3 00
W. C. Jordan	16 75
J. N. Satterthwaite	25 00
S. C. Stacy	10 50
Geo. Heesen	2 00
Wm. Bresie	4 00
M, I. Wilsox	21 50
M. E. Chittenden & Co.,	5 93
Jas. Moir	7 55
G. W. Marsden	29 00
Chas. F. Field	6 00
John Messler	1 75

Report accepted: adopted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts.

On motion, an order was directed drawn for $30.00 in favor of Lansing Quackenbush, for cemetery lot No. 14.

On further motion, the council adjourned until Tuesday, March 3, 1885, at 10 o'clock A. M.

G. W. MARSDEN,
Recorder Pro Tem.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Council Room, March 3, 1885.

At this adjourned session there were present Messrs. Root, Heesen, Adams, Bresie and Marsden.

Minutes of the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Board of Registration of the village of Tecumseh and the statement of the Inspectors of Election read and approved.

Council then proceeded to canvass the returns of the annual election of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., holden in the Council Building in said village on Monday, March 2d., A. D. 1885 from the certified statement of the Judges of said election here as filed. After a full canvass, the Council declared the result of said election and that the following named persons had been duly elected to the offices written opposite their respective names:

Robert B. House, President.
Frederick B. Wood, Recorder.
Jas. A. Boyd, Treasurer.
William Bresie, Daniel T. Hall, and Enoch G. Cook, Trustees for two years.
Edgar A. Tribou and Jehiel Davidson, Assessors.

The Council then adjourned.

G. W. MARSDEN,
Recorder Pro. Tem.

—FOR SALE: A fine 80 acres of land, being the west 80 of the Stephen V. Miller farm in Macon township, one and one-half miles from Ridgeway and four and one-half miles east of Tecumseh. About seventy acres under plow, balance good timber. No buildings. Fine soil, cultivation and water. Thirty-two acres wheat on the ground. Price, $35.00 per acre, wheat included. One-half or two-thirds payment would give immediate possession. A bargain for somebody. Address L. C. Miller, Pratt, Pratt Co., Kansas, for further particulars.

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TO MY CINCINNATI GIRL.

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DAD'S JO.

How She Did "Something Big for Dad, So He Would Know.

Just noon of a warm, bright day in Block Island. On the broad, shady piazza of the great hotel there is an unbroken stillness. The noon lambers have left the tables and [illegible] breeze, the lace curtains at the long windows sway gently in and out, the parlors beyond are [illegible] and empty. Up at the beach the waves are complacently lapping the glittering sand, while the bright-colored [illegible] swinging in long lines behind the bathing-houses are the only reminder of the merriment which existed less than half an hour ago. One or two ox-teams are slowly creeping along the road, loaded with trailing seaweed of variegated hues; here and there is a group of bronzed fishermen mending their nets. These are the only signs of life.

Everybody is down on the pier. The "Block Island" is overdue more than twenty minutes, and the rickety boards creak and tremble as the anxious crowd press to the very edge, with eager eyes to catch the first glimpse of the steamer as she rounds Clay Head.

The excitement increases. The fishing-boats huddle closer together behind the breakwater, the band plays a spirited, soothing tune, [illegible] Band in the pavilion on the [illegible] up and yet—

"Here comes Jo!" some one shouts. "I depend on it," he don't be a soon now," says a grizzled, old fisherman standing close by, [illegible] sign. Nigh onto a year since she's seen that boat come in every day, and I never knew her to round the Head unless Jo was here."

All eyes turned toward the road. An antiquated specimen of a carriage is coming down the hill as rapidly as the lean and bony horse in front can drag it along.

It draws up on the wharf beside the more pretentious vehicles, a young girl jumps out, ties the horse, lays her arms lovingly around his neck a moment, then hurriedly pushes her way through the throng to the end of the pier.

A tall, angular girl, clad in a home-made dress of the coarsest material, neat and patched, yet very clean, with a rough straw hat tied down over her hair, which is long, straight and decidedly red. A girl with nothing pretty and attractive about her, but there is such a brave, pathetic look in her great blue eyes, that one involuntarily turns and looks at her again and again.

Swiftly and silently she passes along to the farther end of the pier and, lifting one hand to shield her eyes from the sunlight, gazes steadily at the distant horizon.

"I know he will come to-day," she says, seemingly unconscious that she is speaking aloud. "Just a year ago to-day he went over there, Dad did. He went to get some fixin's for me, and he promised to come back soon, but it has been so long. Oh! he will surely come to-day, won't he?" she asks, turning to a weather-beaten old sailor who is gazing at her with just a suspicion of moisture in his eyes.

"Aye, lass, that he will," he answers. "I've got extras for dinner to-day," she goes on, brightening up, "'cause he'll have a mighty appetite after being at them furrin' places so long, and I've made a cushion for his chair that sets by the window. I brushed up the team, too, and old Bess seemed to know he was coming, for she brought me over in no time."

"Quite likely he'll come to-day," says the old skipper, "and he'll bring you so many smart things that I'm afeared you won't be Jo any longer."

"Yes, I will," replied the girl. "I'll always be Jo to Dad anyway. Dear, old Dad. He's told me many a time how he picked me up out of the water that dreadful night, and when no one seemed to want me, he took me home with him, me, a helpless baby, with nothing in the world but a ring on my finger with 'Jo' scratched on it. Oh, I wish I could do something big for him, so he would know."

"Well, cheer up, lass; he's waiting for some good reason. P'raps he can't find what he wants for you just yet."

"Oh, I know now, that's it. He was going to get me a blue gown with a big collar on it and a great gold star in each corner, but I begged him to try and get a white one; white is so pretty like, and I never had a white dress in all my life," glancing ruefully down at the homespun cotton. "May like he had to go and go, 'fore he could get it."

For a few minutes she gazed earnestly over the water. Is it smoke that long, thin line of gray? Yes, just around the headland something white is coming into view. A few more minutes and the great steamer, gaily bedecked with flags and pennants, burst into sight. Slowly, too slowly for Jo, the boat plows along through the blue water, until all dripping with foam and sparkling in the sunshine, the huge wheels cease revolving and the "Block Island" is in at last. The ropes are fastened, the plank is thrown out and the passengers come ashore.

Into every face Jo peers eagerly. He might have changed in a year so very much, that she must watch closely. One by one they come; friends are greeting friends, they are all off now, and—where is Dad?

With a despairing cry she bounds down the plank and searches for him in the crowd.

[illegible] "What do [illegible]

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It's coming. A sullen and fearful roar is its forerunner. The sea has awakened to a roaring, soaring rushes inland to be dashed against the rocks. Up at the great hotel the large drops of rain dash against the windows, and the guests gathered together in the splendid parlor, shudder and tremble at every [illegible] down on the beach the angry surf is roaring in mountains high, and the fishermen are anxiously peering out upon the dark waves as if fearful of what such a storm might accomplish.

Suddenly there comes a vivid dash, a terrific, reverberating roll, and in the awful silence that follows, the group of waiting men gaze with a mirror in each other's faces. Then comes another flash, closer by and then the outer edge of the storm is upon them. Now we see a ship is going to pieces. There comes the sound of a signal gun once, twice. All is confusion now. The life-boat is manned, pushed out and beaten back. Above the angry shrieking of the wind can be heard the shouts of those on the beach, the faint, despairing cries of those on the doomed vessel, and the sobs of the women who are endeavoring to keep back their loved ones from seeking death in those terrible waters.

And it is death. Six stalwart forms, so full of life only a few moments before, are stiffening on the damp sand. It is of no use, no boat can live in such a storm, and hundreds of lives must perish while they stand there unable and powerless to help.

The storm redoubles its fury. One sharp wail of agonizing and a cry goes up from the terrified women. A figure can be seen near one of the dismantled masts, a figure with gray hair and beard flowing in the wind.

It is Jo's Dad.

They must try again. They can not let him die when she expects to see him so soon. Five pairs of hands are ready. Can they have one more? In another moment it will be too late.

But see! Some one is hurriedly advancing toward them through the darkness and meets a slender figure, wrapped in a shawl, with pale face, and eyes that burn like coals in the blackness.

It is Jo.

She springs into the life-boat beside them. Her presence nerves them on, and they push off into the seething water.

They have come back, and have laid her unconscious on the damp sand. Some beam had struck her, and she had not spoken since. The blue eyes are closed, but there is a smile on the pallid white face, and the small hand is firmly clasped in the grasp of a trembling old man, who is stooping over her, and smoothing back the thick masses of hair from her pale forehead.

A hush falls upon them all. Tenderly they take her up and, with her hand still clasped in his, sadly wind their way to the little cottage where she had waited for him so long.

It all happened only last night. The storm had gone down soon after they had carried her home, and the sun is shining brightly, lovingly, as though there is no sorrow, and never a storm or wreck.

They had laid her on the little white bed in her chamber, from which the harbor could be plainly seen, and, save for one or two kind neighbors, had gone away and left them together, she, lying so still, with closed eyes—he, bending over her, silent and unmindful of the presence of others.

Just before noon she slowly opens her eyes and gazes at him in silence. Then, with a little sigh, she says, feebly: "I knew you'd come, Dad; I knew you'd come. 'Twas a hard voyage you had, Dad, and a pretty rough landing; but you'd don't mind it, 'cause your little gal was there."

She is silent for a few moments, and then raising her head, she asks:

"The white dress? You didn't forget it? The white dress with the gold stars on the corners that you were going to get for your little gal?"

"Oh, Jo!" The tears are streaming down the old man's cheeks. "I bought the purtiest one for ye; all soft and white, with stars on it, and a great long sash; but I—lost—it—in the wreck, Jo!"

"And a great, long sash." This is very slowly. "Oh, Dad, if I only could see it. But don't cry, I guess I won't want it; I'm going to leave you a little while, just a little while. I'm going up there where they have lots and lots of white dresses, all shining and pretty, and soon you'll come, too, won't you, Dad? I'll watch for you just as I did here, and there won't be any storms—Dad—the vessel will sail—right in on the blue water—an' I'll be looking for you. I'll have 'em give me—a dress—with a big, shining star on it—an' you'll know me sure—I knew you'd come."

One last feeble pressure of his hand, one little smile, and Jo waits and watches no more on earth.

A strange calm falls upon the old man. They can not persuade him to leave her for an instant. He is utterly deaf to their entreaties, and, kneeling by the bed, he presses from time to time her ice cold hand to his lips. All through the long night he keeps his silent watch, and when another morning breaks they find him still there.

Mechanically he watches them fashion for the last resting-place in pure, white garments that a kind-hearted neighbor has brought unasked, he [illegible] place a few snowy buds in [illegible] hands.

[illegible] door opens softly a [illegible] and [illegible] face with [illegible]

[illegible] "Poor [illegible] like [illegible]

[illegible] Jo! I know it. Some-[illegible] Dear little girl, [illegible] I'm coming! [illegible] heard [illegible] coffin. [illegible] Some one comes in presently and finds [illegible] He is quite dead.

They bury them side by side, in one grave, close by the murmuring sea; and at the head they place a simple, white wooden shaft, with just these two words roughly inscribed upon it—"Dad's Jo."—*Bob Bree, in the Argo Carrier.*

A DROLL SUIT.

A Singular Breach-of-Promise Case — A Frisky Old Gentleman.

Surely the drollest brea ch-of-promise case ever brought into court is one now pending at Williamsport, Pa. A tough old veteran of eighty became enamored of a buxom beauty of twenty-eight, of the name of Kentner, and promised to marry her. Wind of the affair reaching the son of the old man and the parents of Miss Kentner, they put their heads together and stopped the foolish business. By way of a salve to the lady's feelings she got $3,000 damages. But the octogenarian met his charmer again, memory did bring back the feeling, and they agreed to elope. The lady, like Miss Melnotte in the novel, kept her word and went to Detroit, where her aged lover was to meet her. But he, like Sir Felix, was not on hand. Whether he had the same reasons for not keeping his engagement as that worthless baronet, or whether his sons kept too close a watch on him, we are not informed. We are only told that the lady returned home from Detroit "crazed with grief." Big grief must have changed into the historic fury of the woman scorned when she learned that during her absence, while she was crying "He cometh not!" in her hotel at Detroit, the wretched old man had actually gone off and married another woman.

Something must be done with these old men. Here is an old man of eighty years of age who agrees to elope with one girl and while her back is turned goes off and marries another. Talk of the wildness of youth! It is high time the clergy began a course of lectures to old men on the necessity of moderating their passions. Thomas Hood had no notion of these times when he wrote: "When he is forsaken, withered and shaken, what can an old man do but die?" Do? Why, if he had lived in these times he would have got engaged to a young girl and jilted her. That is better fun than dying. We rather suspect that Willis is somewhat responsible for the astonishing tendency of the modern race of old men to throw their caps over the mill top. He meant well probably when he wrote:

"It stirs the blood in an old man's heart
And makes his pulses fly,
To catch the thrill of a happy voice
And the light of a pleasant eye."

But there are old men nowadays who, when their blood gets stirred and their pulses fly, swoop down on women folk like an Assyrian on the fold and ravage whole city folds. The thing makes one feel like "Benedick": "Hath not the world one man but he will wear his age with assumption? Shall I never see a bachelor of three-score again?"—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

The Value of Lemons.

The value of lemons is thoroughly appreciated in the South, and now that lemons and oranges from Florida are as common and almost as cheap as apples, their use can not be too much insisted upon. A leading physician recommends that the way to get the better of the bilious system without blue pills or quinine is to take the juice of one, two or three lemons, as appetite craves, in as much cold water as makes it pleasant to drink without sugar, before going to bed. In the morning on rising, at least half an hour before breakfast, take the juice of one lemon in a goblet of water. This will clear the system of humor and bile with efficiency without any of the weakening effect of calomel or Congress water. People should not irritate the stomach by eating lemons clear, the powerful acid of the juice, which is always most corrosive, invariably produces inflammation, after awhile, but properly diluted so that it does its medical work without harm, and when the stomach is clear of food has abundant opportunity to work over the system thoroughly.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—It is found that canvas can be made as impervious to moisture as leather by steeping it in a decoction of one pound of oak bark with fourteen pounds of boiling water. This quantity is sufficient for eight yards of stuff. The fabric has to soak twenty-four hours, when it is taken out, passed through running water, and hung up to dry. The flax and hemp fibres, in absorbing the tannin, are better fitted to resist wear.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—A pearl weighing ninety-three karats, the largest known, and valued at $17,000, was found by an Indian diver at Mulege, Lower California, recently, and sold by him for sixty dollars to a person, who shipped it to London.

COUNTRY SCHOOLS.

The Thing Needed to Make Them Entirely What They Should Be.

The National Bureau of Education has just issued a very interesting treatise upon rural schools, tracing their progress in the past and means of improvement in the future. It gives a great stress upon the fact that the rural schools should be made as efficient as possible. They furnish instruction for more than half the school population, and the foundation of life is laid in them. The country school is a fundamental one.

A census compiled of statistics of each several state, gives a fair average from the country schools, and presents a sorry picture. Poor teachers, poor pay, poor school houses, poor apparatus, poor attendance, poor results, no systematic method of study, no classes or progress in regular and orderly fashion, teachers changing every year, taken up with anything but teaching, good factory and trade schools, wise, comfortable, firm, [illegible] and [illegible] many such there are, and these works speak for them. But a school may be targeted in this respect one term and the next pass into the charge of a callow youth, a crude girl or a man or a woman of inferior mind and harsh, unsympathetic nature, who, for a consideration, makes worse confusion of the affairs of the unfortunate pupils. Of superior schools there is little, of inspection, no, and of standards of scholarship and teaching, a mere nothing. Of those who teach, the best of them are none but those the teacher has will enough to supply.

This picture, while it may be drawn too harshly to correctly represent exceptional instances, is certainly truthful in the main. Many of the best and greatest minds in this country started their reputation upon which their fame is founded in the country school, the little red school-house" dear to the heart and celebrated in song and speech; but that the possibilities of the rural school are as explicable as a rule to great improvement is an undoubted fact. One great drawback to the greatest success of the rural schools as educational factors is that the best teachers have not been obtainable. In 1881, in Rhode Island, thirteen per cent. of the teachers had only a common-school education. In Georgia out of 6,128 teachers, 5,000 were possessed of only a limited education. In all the States it has been difficult to find candidates for teachers who can easily pass the moderate grade required. In Michigan, in 1881, the State Superintendent reported that twenty-six per cent. of the applicants failed in the lower grade or first trial, and that twenty-one per cent. were unable to stand the test of the final trial or examination. It is easy to see that there must be better teachers before we can have better schools.

The normal schools are great helps in improving the standard of school teachers, but the normal school system is now far from complete. There are 293,294 school teachers in the United States. Of course a large proportion of these are employed in ungraded schools. There are 98 normal schools in the country, with an attendance of 30,000. As thirty per cent. of the teachers are changed annually, it is easy to see that the normal schools afford but a small part of the provision required for training teachers. No doubt the small salaries usually paid the teachers of country schools has a great effect in lowering the standard of the teachers obtainable. Special training is needed. The teacher who has a normal school education can not be secured for the country schools, because his talent is better paid elsewhere. To obtain better teachers better salaries must be paid, and there must be more schools for the training of teachers. Communities should take a livelier interest in their schools, and aid their teachers by all legitimate means in their power. It is only by united action that the best success can be obtained, and country and city and county and State should work together in harmony, with the same high objects in view. Teachers should not be the creation of accident nor made by the force of circumstances. They should be especially fitted for the great work of education. Though the common schools are among the proudest boasts of the country, yet they may be said to be almost in their infancy as regards their possibilities. Teaching is a profession in itself, and requires aptitude and preparation as much as any other.

There is hardly anything in which time and money can be more profitably spent than in improving the country schools, in teaching and the methods of study, and it is to be hoped that far more attention will be paid to the subject than is now the case.—*Burlington Hawk-eye.*

THE LAW OF FINDING.

Circumstances Under Which the Article Belongs to the Finder.

The law of finding, says a writer, is this: The finder has a clear title against the world, except the owner. The proprietor of a coach, or a railroad car, or of a shop has no right to demand the property or premises. Such proprietors may make regulations in regard to lost property which will bind their employes, but they cannot bind the public. The law of finding was declared by the King's Bench one hundred years ago, in a case in which the facts were these:

A person found a wallet containing a sum of money on a shop floor. He handed the wallet and contents to the shop-keeper to be returned to the owner. After three years, during which the owner did not call for his property, the finder demanded the wallet and the money from the shop-keeper. The latter refused to deliver them on the ground that they were found on his premises. The former then sued the shop-keeper, and it was held as above set forth, that, against all the world but the owner, the title of the finder is perfect. And the finder has been held to stand in the place of the owner, so that he was permitted to prevail in an action against a person who found an article which the plaintiff had originally found, but subsequently lost. The police have no special rights in regard to articles lost unless those rights are conferred by statute. Receivers of articles found are trustees for the owner or finder. They have no power in the absence of special statute to keep an article against the finder, any more than a finder has to retain an article against the owner.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

—A Connecticut genius has been granted a patent on a machine for harvesting potato-bugs.

AYER'S
Cherry Pectoral.

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A Terrible Cough Cured.

[illegible] Lynn, Prepared by DR. J. C. AYER.

Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup—A Mother's Tribute.

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THE PALLIUM.

History of the Garment Which is Conferred on Catholic Archbishops.

The pallium is a narrow band of wool encircling the shoulders, with pendants in front and behind, and is worn over the chasuble. It is evidently a remnant or a souvenir of an ampler garment. As the sacerdotal stole merely represents a border of an ancient robe of the same name, which enveloped the entire person—all but the embroidered parts being now cast aside—so it is with the pallium.

Various opinions have been held as to its origin; some ascribe it to the Jewish ephod, to the Roman toga, and others to the ordinary mantle of same name worn by Romans. By church authorities it is claimed that St. Paul, the first hermit, near the end of his days receiving a visit from St. Anthony, begged him to procure for him the robe of the great Athanasias that he might be buried in it. On St. Anthony's return with the cloak, he found Paul already dead, and, executing the pious request, took for himself Paul's tunic of palm leaves, and ever afterwards wore it on the high festivals of Easter and Pentecost. It is also narrated that St. Ignatius, patriarch of Constantinople, wore the cloak of St. James the Apostle. Liberatus, the deacon in the sixth century, states that it is the custom at Alexandria for him who succeeds a deceased bishop to keep vigil by the corpse of the departed, and having buried him to take the pallium of St. Mark and place it on his own neck, after which he is held to lawfully occupy his place. According to this writer each succeeding patriarch of Alexandria assumed the pallium of St. Mark and was considered as legitimately inducted into office.

A similar custom prevailed in the Church at Constantinople. These facts, it is argued, establish an antecedent probability that the successor of St. Peter assumed also as the insignia of his office the pallium of St. Peter, and in confirmation of the fact of the early Popes wearing the pallium the protraits of the Popes in the Basilica of St. Paul at Rome, in which the mosaic protraits of the Pope back to St. Leo I, in the year 440, these early Pontiffs are uniformly clothed in the white tunic and while woolen pallium always attributed to St. Peter.

"There is also the old Mosaic of the "Scala Santa," near St. John Lateran's, in which St. Peter is twice represented, first clad in the white pallium, as receiving the keys of the Kingdom, and next handing the pallium to his successor, Pope Leo III.

Each succeeding Pontiff is invested with this badge of sovereign authority, not at the Cathedral of Rome, but at the sepulchre of the Prince of the Apostles.

These Pontiffs conceded this emblem of power and jurisdiction to other bishops in testimony of the unity of the faith and of hierarchial communion From the year 336 the custom of conferring the pallium has extended down to the present era. First to the Bishop of Ostia, then by the Roman Pontiffs to their legates in Gaul, Spain, Germany, Greece, Great Britain and other countries, and thus it passed into a recognized law as far back as 900 years ago.—*N. O. Times-Democrat.*

DRAFTS ON THE FUTURE.

How the Chinaman Makes Provisions for His Comfort After He Is Dead.

A man in China endowed with much forethought can make some provision for his own future comfort. The priests have considerately organized a bank for the spirit world. To this the provident may remit large sums during their lifetime, and can draw on the bank as soon as they reach the dark country. The priests periodically announce their intention of remitting money on a certain day, and invite all who have any to deposit to bring it. All who feel doubtful of the generosity of their next heirs accordingly come and buy from the priests as much as they can afford of the tinfoil paper money, which is current among the spirits. It is an excellent investment, as for a handful of brass cash, altogether worth about one penny, they will receive sycee, *i. e.*, the boat-shaped blocks of silvery looking tinfoil, bearing a spiritual value of about $30. Paper houses, furniture and clothes may in like manner be purchased and stored beforehand in the happy security that neither moth nor rust shall corrupt them, neither shall thieves break through and steal. When the depositor (probably a poor coolie or an aged beggar) has invested his little savings in this precious rubbish in the ecclesiastical bazar he delivers it to a priest, together with a sum of real money as commission. For this the priest gives a written receipt. All this din is thrown into a large boat. It is a framework of reeds with bamboo mast, and its sails and planking are of paper. When all the depositors have made their payments, the priests walk several times round the boat, chanting some incantation, then simultaneously set fire to both ends, and the paper fabric vanishes in a flash of flame. The priests bid the depositors keep their certificates with all care, and give them to some trustworthy person to burn after their decease, whereupon the said certificates will reach them safely in the dark world, and they can draw the money as required. All this seems to be implicitly believed by a whole great nation, who in all other respects are probably the most astute business race in the world. Such is the strange power of a groveling superstition.—*British Quarterly Review.*

—The average cost of a marriage license in this country is one dollar and twenty cents. Colorado, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Rhode Island and Wisconsin charge nothing. New Jersey twelve cents, Massachusetts, Maine, Vermont and Connecticut fifty cents, and so on up to Maryland, the highest of the lot, one dollar and fifty cents.

—The Lutheran ministers of Norway were recently assembled in annual convention at Christiania, three hundred pastors being present. They passed resolutions in favor of the introduction of a synodical organization in the place of the hierarchial system.

How They Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well thank you. "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, indeed; I have seven calls to make." "Do call again soon." "Thank you; but you don't come near me once in age." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye." "Good bye, dear."—*Exchange.*

"Gale Forest gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes! and after writing that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to "bruce up." Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hellow! old fellow, how are you?" (They shake.) "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top!" "When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" significantly.) "Well—yes, don't care-if-do." (They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around, to make sure no outsiders are about, to see they are breaking their pledge—pause—they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being primed," resumed:) "How's yer folks?" "All well; how's yours?" "All flourishing now; youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good up your way?" "Well, yes, pretty fair." How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way; big democratic majority. (Takes out his watch.) "Thunder! ten minutes to 12.—must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements. Good bye." "Good bye." They again wring hards, and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to stand another treat.

Affections of the throat are liable to strike persons at any time of the year, but especially at this season is extra caution necessary in guarding against diseases of this character. Mishler's Herb Bitters is the soverign remedy for all bronchial affections. A Harshbergy, of Cheeseboro and Harshbergy, Prairie City, Ill., writes: "Mrs Harshbergy suffered from bronchitis, and has used three bottles of Mishler's Herb Bitters with the most desirable results. Send me one dozen bottles."

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1. Never, under any circumstances assume a responsibility that you can avoid consistently with your duty to yourself and others.

2. Base all your actions upon a principle of right; preserve your integrity of character, and in doing this never reckon on the cost.

3. Remember that self-interest is much more likely to warp your judgment than all other circumstances combined; therefore look well to your duty when your interest is concerned.

4. Never make money at the expense of your reputation.

5. Be neither lavish, or niggardly. Of the two, avoid the latter. A mean man is universally despised, but public favor is a stepping stone to preferment, therefore generous feelings should be cultivated.

6. Say but little; think much and do more.

7. Let your expenses be such as to leave a balance in your pocket. Ready money is a friend in need.

8. Avoid borrowing and lending.

9. Wine drinking and cigar smoking are bad habits; they impair the health and pocket, and lead to a waste of time.

10. Never relate your misfortunes, and never grieve over what you cannot prevent.

11. Cultivate promptness in deciding upon matters that come before you; there are few objects more disagreeable than an undecided, vacillating man. Consider thoughtfully, but decide promptly.

12. Never break a business engagement of any kind, if it be possible to meet it. Let nothing cause you to become careless of business etiquette, integrity and promptitude.

13. Let truth and an unwavering faith in God underlie all your motives and actions.

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Pluck vs. Luck.

In an address delivered before the students of the Spencerian business college, Washington, D. C., June 29, 1869, among other things, Gen. James A. Garfield said:

"Now, young gentlemen, let me address you touching your success in life; and I hope the very brevity of my remarks will increase the chance of their making a lodgment in your minds. Let me beg you in the outset of your career, to dismiss from your minds all ideas of succeeding by luck. There is no more silly thought among young people than the foolish one that by-and-by something will turn up by which they will suddenly achieve fame or fortune. No, young gentlemen, things don't turn up in this world unless somebody turns them up. Inertia is one of the indispensable laws of matter, and things lie flat where they are until by some intelligent spirit (for nothing but spirit makes motion in this world) they are endowed with activity and life. Do not dream that some good luck is going to happen to you and give you a fortune. Luck is an *ignis fatuus*—you may follow it to ruin, but not to success. The great Napoleon, who believed in his destiny, followed it until he saw his star go down in blackest night, when the Old Guard perished around him, and Waterloo was lost. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck.

Young men talk of trusting to the spur of the occasion. That trust is vain. Occasions cannot make spurs, young gentlemen. If you expect to wear spurs you must win them. If you wish to use them you must buckle them to your own heels before you go into the fight. The occasion you may achieve is not worth the having unless you fight for it. Whatever you win in life you must conquer by your own efforts, and then it is yours—a part of your self."

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After the Sunday Dinner.

After the Sunday dinner, what? Well it all depends. A person whose brain is wearied with intellectual work during the week, or whose nervous system is exposed to the strain of business or professional life, ought to sleep within an hour or so after his Sunday dinner, if he can. It is surprising how much like a seven-day clock the brain will work if the habit of a Sunday nap be once formed. Nature will take advantage of it as regularly and gratefully as she does of the nightly sleep, and do her best to make up lost time. People on the other hand, whose work of toil is chiefly physical, may well give their mind activity while their bodies are resting. Two sermons and three or four hours of solid reading are a real rest to some on Sunday, while to others such a course amounts to a positive Sabbath breaking. Sunday is a day of rest, not a day of work, religious or otherwise. It is a day of repose, not for exhaustion. By what the dogmatists on one side and the liberal liberals on the other are apt to overlook is the fact that all men do not rest alike any more than they labor alike, and what may help one may kill another.

Some physicians assert that a hearty meal at midday is injurious to the health. A five or six o'clock dinner, eaten slowly with the members of his own family, is far healthier. A heavy midday meal unfits professional men for carrying on any business in the afternoon, as it makes them heavy and sleepy, for nature requires some kind of repose to aid digestion. Our popular system of eating is wrong. The majority of persons thrust three heavy meals into about ten hours, and leave the body without a fresh supply of food for the remaining fourteen hours of the day and night. Two good meals, morning and evening, would be the proper plan, with perhaps a light lunch or cracker at about one o'clock in the day. This would allow both of the heavy meals an opportunity to digest before the next was taken. As to a heavy midday meal for men who have to tear around as if the next moment were to be their last, it is perfectly ridiculous, as the food, instead of digesting and forming blood, muscle and brain, acts as a block to those forces of nature—choking up a sewer, as it were. It is best to eat lightly in the middle of the day.

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ESTATE OF HENRY BURNETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 6th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Burnett, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William Q. Burnett, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Charles Burridge or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. feb12

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan to Francis Kingsbury, of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 22d A.D. 1879, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 26, A.D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 98 of mortgages on page 78, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 18th, A.D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 104 of Mortgages, on page 393 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A.D. 1885 at 9 o'clock A.M., that day, at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE, Assignee.
jan30

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Calvin Lawrence late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Hough & Hosmer, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of March, 1885, and on the 25th day of July 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Feb. 3, 1885.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 5, 1885.

DEATH OF EDWIN B. WOOD.

The old residents of Tecumseh are rapidly passing away. One by one they are falling at the wayside, and the old familiar faces which we have known so many years are gone. Mr. Wood had lived in Tecumseh thirty six years. He had grown with the growth of the village and strengthened with its strength; he had filled many positions of trust and honor among us; he had built up a lucrative practice, the impress of his manhood had been stamped upon many of our public undertakings; he had established a reputation for honest dealing, official and business integrity which time cannot dim; he had become known as one of our most prominent and estimable citizens.

He was not blessed with a rugged physical constitution, but owing to his strictly temperate habits his health was generally good and he was able to perform an immense amount of labor. His final illness fell upon him gradually, and although his friends felt some apprehensions over his condition it was only within a few weeks that he was regarded as dangerously ill. During the severe weather of the last month he grew rapidly worse. On Saturday the 21st ult. he became convinced that his demise was near at hand, and gave final instructions in regard to his business and family affairs. His son Fred had for some time been matrimonially engaged to Miss Louise Hinley, and his daughter Mary was betrothed to Mr. Ed. C. Baird. On Sunday the 22d, Mr. Wood requested that the marriages might be solemnized before he died. It was deemed best to grant his dying request. At 4 o'clock that afternoon the parties stood before his death bed, assumed the marriage vow, and received their father's benediction. It was a most affecting scene. The son and daughter assumed the most important of life's responsibilities, while the father's light was flickering in its socket. From that time Mr. Wood rapidly failed until Thursday morning at five o'clock, when his spirit left its tenement of clay and ascended to the God who gave it.

The funeral obsequies were conducted at the Presbyterian church last Sunday at the usual hour of morning service. A special train came from Adrian carrying the members of the bar and many other citizens, the bar having previously voted to attend the services in a body. The Masonic Lodge of Tecumseh also attended, acting as an escort. The attendance was larger than the accommodations of the church. Many people living miles away came over almost impassable roads to be present at the last sad rites. The services were most impressive. The eloquent sermon by the pastor and the singing by the choir struck a responsive chord in all hearts. The floral offerings were costly and elegant in design—a beautiful crown surmounted by a cross, a sheaf of wheat with a sickle in a stubble field, the gift of the business men of the village; a large cross from his Bible class as a tribute of love; a plaque of roses and callas from Mr. and Mrs. L. Lilley, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Tribou and Gen. Pittman's family, of Detroit; a white star from Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tribou and Jas. H. Tribou; a lovely anchor of callas and white flowers from Mrs. H. S. Cheever of Ann Arbor; a pillow with the word "father" in Forget me nots, from the family. The cortege was marshaled by Lucius Lilley Esq. and these personal friends of the deceased officiated as bearers: Webster Anderson, Alfred James, David McNair, Albert L. Brewer, P. S. McKinnon and Chas. Burridge. At the close of the services the spectators were afforded an opportunity to view the remains, after which the procession bore the lifeless body to its final resting place in our beautiful evergreen cemetery.

In place of a formal obituary notice we print the major portion of the Rev. W. H. Babbitt's discourse, and the memorial adopted by the bar. These contain a biographical sketch of the life of the deceased and befitting words of eulogy. The kind words spoken of him are not overdrawn. Those who knew him best, were his warmest and truest friends. In the language of an old citizen, "Mr. Wood's death is a public calamity." His family is deprived of a kind husband and father, but the community is bereft of a noble man and an honored citizen and we grieve with them over our mutual loss.

He was frequently elevated to positions of trust by the suffrages of his townsmen. His services upon the School Board for several years were cheerfully rendered and did much to promote the prosperity of the schools. When the tap of the drum called the reserves to arms and the insurrection impended during the last year of the war, Mr. Wood sprang into the breach, and by his stirring labor Tecumseh's quota was forthcoming and our township was relieved from the draft. In every position to which his fellow citizens called him he filled the full measure of their expectations. He was faithful and never found wanting.

I trust the public will pardon me if I add a few eulogistic words of a personal character. Mr. Wood was almost an elder brother to me. He became a member of my father's family during my boyhood. His winning disposition and kindness of heart soon endeared him to us all. Many a time have I sat upon his knee, felt the warm impress of his cheek, the throb of his brotherly heart, and the grasp of his fatherly hand. I learned to respect him and to love him, to look up to him as an exemplar to guide me in my daily walk and life. And when in after years I began to ascend the rugged path of business, when trouble and disappointment environed me in the absence of my father, I always sought counsel of Mr. Wood, and I never sought in vain. The traits of firmness and gentleness were both strongly developed in his character, a union rarely found in one man. In devotion to duty he was as unyielding as a giant; in acts of charity and kindness, as tender hearted as a child. And through all the intervening years, my heart-strings have clung to him, as to no other man outside of my own family circle. In this dispensation I weep with them that weep. The husband, the father, the friend, the citizen; in all these relations a model man. Those who have leaned upon him for counsel and aid must now fight life's battle alone. I can hardly realize that the friend of my boyhood is dead. Is he dead?

"'Tis ever wrong to say a good man dies."

He is not dead, but gone before. As I stood near his grave and saw the casket containing his lifeless form drop into its earthly bed, I lifted a silent prayer to the Throne of Grace, petitioning the Giver of all Good to deal most tenderly with the spirit of Edwin B. Wood. S. C. S.

Rev. W. H. Babbitt's Discourse.

It will interest this assembly, composed so largely of friends and associates of Edwin B. Wood, to have the leading facts of his life spread before them. He was born at Kingsville, Ohio, Sept. 5, 1825, was left motherless a little more than a year after his birth, and fatherless at the age of 17, with his second mother and others dependent on him for their support. After having engaged in the work of teaching for some time in Ohio and in Kentucky, he came in the year 1847, at the age of 22, to Hudson, Mich., for the purpose of studying law in the office of a boyhood friend, J. C. Sawyer, Esq. In 1848 he was with Judge Beaman of Adrian. It was in 1849 that he made Tecumseh his home, having come to pursue his studies still further in the office of Judge Stacy, into whose family he was received with the welcome of a son. After a partnership with Judge Stacy, he and Mr. Chas. Burridge, of this place, were in business together for a time, after which, until the recent aid afforded by his son, he has worked alone in his profession, and has always been most diligent in it from first to last.

Early in 1854 he was married in Adrian to Miss Carrie Hagerman, of whom in little more than a year he was bereaved. In 1856 he was married to Miss Harriet Hissel, who after years of pleasant companionship finds herself bereaved of a beloved husband by his death. They have shared afflictions in the loss of four dear children, whose forms were laid one by one in the village cemetery, and three survive to mourn a kind father's loss.

It was in 1858 that Mr. Wood made a public profession of his faith in Tecumseh, and united with this church, though his conversion to this faith is to be dated some years previous to his public profession of it. But from the time of his uniting with the church, he identified himself closely with the people of God. Very soon he became teacher of a large Bible class, in which position he continued to labor until failing health imperatively demanded that he should give it up. For years he served as a trustee of the chartered society or congregation worshipping here, and for 20 years at least he has served in the capacity of Ruling Elder, which position he held at the time of his death. In every official relation he was faithful, while as a private member he attended with great regularity the Sabbath services and the weekly meetings for prayer, setting an example thus worthy the imitation of those of fewer cares and bodily infirmities and years than he. He has been largely identified in other ways with the interests of the village which he made his home. For many years he was the village attorney. He served also as member of the council and of the school board, and performed to the full his part of the labor which every public spirited citizen is willing, even without remuneration, to perform for the promotion of the public prosperity and peace. Other positions may have been occupied by him of a yet more honorable character, of which I have not been informed. But the aim of this discourse is not to catalogue honors or to eulogize unduly, but to pay just and proper tribute to departed worth. This mourning household has lost a beloved head, this community a valued citizen, the bar of this county an esteemed associate, and this church a consistent member and an officer, and its pastor has lost one to whom he had become warmly attached, as counselor, brother, and friend. But one expression has greeted me since his death occurred. One and another has said, a good man has gone from us whom we knew not how to spare. It has touched and pleased me to mark the spontaneousness and the unanimity of these kind expressions. These were traits in our brother's character which made them appropriate and not surprising.

1st—His indefatigable industry. He was ever ever busy—busy often beyond his strength. With frail body, compassed with infirmity, he did more than many a one in the enjoyment of good firm health. When he saw what needed to be done, the impulse within him was to put forth his hand and do, or help do the needed work. He worked to win a home, worked for family, for society, for the church, worked for those who committed their interests to his care, until the time came when through excessive taxing perhaps of body and of mind, he was laid aside and found himself in a condition which rendered it impossible he should do more.

2d—His incorruptible integrity. It was an accepted fact that nothing could induce him to swerve from the path of rectitude and of strict moral uprightness. He stood by the truth as he understood it and lived in all good conscience before his fellow men. There were times when he might have been a gainer at the expense of other people's interests. But his regard for what was fair and right led him to give counsel with reference to other interests than his own. The consequence is, that though he may not have left so large a fortune, he has left behind him that good name which is rather to be chosen than great riches.

3d—His gentleness of spirit, which made him so pleasant as a friend. There was an absence of all severity and harshness and haughtiness. Rarely indeed was he stirred to anger or resentment. He was a man of warm hearted sympathy, preferring always to do a kindness rather than utter a criticism, or provoke a contest. He was a man of peace, and if any think he loved peace too much, let them reflect how much better off the world would be if there were more in it that loved freedom from strife and division, from discord and turbulence as well, and taged to promote good understanding between men as earnestly as he.

4th His intelligent, stable Christian faith. This I mention last, and yet it was out of this that the traits already mentioned grew—or out of this that they received new development and strength. It was his faith in his Savior and his wish to please him that gave to our brother the sobriety, the integrity, the gentleness of spirit which he is with him such prominent traits. He was strengthened and upheld by religion purer and more decided natural virtue, in which he did not wish to be at all boasting. "Lastly, say, as his loveliness heard the last mortal rattle, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant.' Enter into the joy of thy Lord.' The impression left behind by such a life is that it has been a consistent one, and that Christ added strong testimony to the truth and value of that which he more than once declared, that impressions would be left behind which would outlast our passage to and fro in this world, and outlast our mortality, as it was taught. The majority of souls of those in this world are very precious, the saving power of a trusted friend and Savior was manifest in the manner of his dying, his peace and trying patience. He was enabled to bear testimony to the reality of religion. All yet was whether last with all he had to bear, he had no reproach yet, not a wonder when it is remembered who was with him in the fiery furnace of affliction. He always asked that prayer should be offered, and showed his disappointment if for any reason it must be omitted. He proved himself at times offering touching petitions for the church to which he belonged, which petitions let us trust that God will answer, as well as those put upon behalf of such as he most dearly loved, the members of his family. When suffering from nervous prostration or when the mind wandered, as it did often, at the last, an appropriate promise drawn from the full storehouse of God's word, if spoken in his ear would cause his face to brighten and draw from him expressions which showed he understood and appreciated what was said. Nothing seemed to soothe him more than references to the goodness of his God and the greatness of his Savior. Only the day before the end, when lying on his bed, unbeknowing the presence of any observer he lifted his feeble hand and looking and pointing upward said in a tone of confidence, as if he actually saw his Lord, "I know you are the Son of God."

These evidences of faith, coming at the close of a life of faith, are a source of solid comfort. It is pleasant to dwell upon them. Yet they must be dismissed for the time and we must turn to the duty of committing to the earth this empty tabernacle, so recently the dwelling place of a spirit that has gone home. We can pause but for a brief moment longer, that we may gather at the lesson made ready for us by this life and death.

Dear friends of the home circle, brethren of the eldership, members of this church and other churches of Tecumseh, gentlemen of the bar of Lenawee, citizens of Tecumseh, we look our last to-day on a familiar form and bid adieu to a friendly presence that for so years has had here its home. Our friend, having served his own generation by the will of God, has fallen on sleep and is to be laid unto his fathers. We commit his body to the care of Him who is the Resurrection, and his soul to Him who is the life. We have no fear but that it is well with him. Death is not in itself to be desired, but then the righteous hath hope in his death. And such buoyant, joyous hopes associate themselves with this departure that we forget the grave in dwelling on them. Shall it be when we are called, that like hopes shall be our support, and cluster like golden clouds around the calm setting of our brief day? If we would have hope in death, we must lay the foundation now for such hope as will not perish then. And other foundation can no man lay than that is laid which is Jesus Christ. In the diverse occupations and the various cares which attend this mortal life, we are prone to forget that there is one thing needful, which if we would have a good part which shall not be taken from us, we must use the highest care to make our own. In the variety of human pursuits, any one of which faithfully followed, may secure an earthly competence, men are in danger of forgetting that there is but one way in which heavenly riches can be secured; those riches which abide forever, and that that way is through the exercise of faith in Jesus Christ—that same Jesus whom the Jews crucified, and whom the world with scorn rejects. There is but one narrow path, no matter what our condition in life may be, on which it is safe to walk, but one that will bring pilgrims of earth to a happy home in Heaven; and that is one which is marked out by Him who says, "If any man will come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me."

The Bar Memorial.

The Lenawee county bar met in the court house Monday forenoon and after appropriate remarks by the members of the bar and amid much feeling passed the following memorial:

Edwin B. Wood came from the Western Reserve in Ohio to Hudson in the year 1847, where he studied law with Hon. J. C. Sawyer. In 1858 he went to Adrian and continued his reading in the office of the late Judge Beaman. In 1849 he removed to Tecumseh, and since that date Tecumseh has been his home. Here he continued his course of legal study in C. A. Stacy's office, and in 1852 was admitted to the bar. After his admission he formed a partnership with Judge Stacy and the legal firm of Stacy & Wood continued until 1862. Since that year he has practiced his profession on his own account. For thirty-two years he has been a member of the Lenawee county bar. By his decease the bar is bereft of one of its most honored members and the community in which he lived of a most estimable citizen.

When a great man dies the populace celebrate the event with funereal pomp; when an aged veteran drops into his grave the world honors him with fitting obsequies and moves on; when a child passes over the river the family friends weep; but when the life of a strong, manly, honest man is blotted out, in the prime of his usefulness and power, all the people mourn. Such a man was Edwin B. Wood.

He was a lawyer of the olden type—emphatically a peace maker. His talents and influence were devoted, not to aggravate strife and litigation, but to harmonize conflicting interests, and while protecting the rights of his clients, to transform litigant enemies into friends. His overwearing modesty frequently restrained him from assuming the position of an advocate, which he was well qualified to fill; but as a prudent and trusty counselor, as a painstaking lawyer, as a friend of the needy and oppressed, as a guardian and protector of the widow and the fatherless, his light shone with a brilliancy second to none. These traits of personal and professional character secured to him a large clientage and many steadfast friends. He enjoyed the respect of his brother attorneys, and the confidence of his clients. His reputation extended beyond the confines of the county, and for many years he led all his professional brethren in the extent and importance of his practice before the probate court.

His open generosity, his unflinching integrity, his warm hearted sympathy for those in trouble, gathered hosts of friends about him and bound them to him as with hooks of steel. His friendship was of the Damon and Pythias type. And when the people called him to official honor and power these bonds snapped asunder political ties, religious associations and partisan prejudice.

We are met to honor the memory of the deceased and to offer our testimony to his worth. We point to him as an example for young members of the bar to follow. We extend our sympathy to the stricken family in their affliction. We grieve with his neighbors over the dispensation which bears away forever a friend and worthy citizen. We shed our tears with those who loved him and reverently follow his remains to the tomb.

Let this feeble testimonial be spread upon the records of the circuit court, and let a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of the deceased.

A. HOWELL,
A. L. MILLARD,
NORMAN GEDDES,
J. C. SAWYER,
C. A. STACY, Committee.

DEATH OF E. D. ALLEN.

E. D. Allen, the veteran editor of the Morenci Observer, died at his home, in Morenci Saturday night, after a lingering illness.

The deceased was born in Farmington, township, Ontario Co., N. Y., May 4, 1825. His earlier education was acquired at the Canandaigua academy, and he afterward graduated at the state normal school at Albany. After his marriage he removed to Medina, this county, arriving here in 1848. In company with his brother, he conducted the old Medina mills and store for five or six years, when he removed to Brownville, Nebraska, and bought a farm. After a few years he returned to Michigan, settling in Morenci, where he first taught in the public schools, and published the Morenci Star till the war broke out. For nine years following he was bookkeeper of J. P. Cawley & Son. He afterward established the New Era at Morenci, selling the paper after three years to the Christian Advocate company, and at the same time entered the company's employ as publishing agent. Nine years ago he came back to Morenci and started the Observer.

Under his management the paper achieved a phenominal success as a rural newspaper, and since its inception the Observer has maintained a high rank among the journals of Southern Michigan. Bro. Allen was a man of strong convictions, an indomitable worker, possessed of a love for his profession. The members of the newspaper fraternity throughout the county will extend to the family their sincere sympathy in this season of affliction. Bro. Allen's sons have been brought up in the same business and they will continue the publication of the paper. The Observer has fallen into good hands.

SIR HERBERT STEWART.

Sir Herbert Stewart, the hero of the Soudan, who was wounded at the battle of Abu Klea Wells; is a most distinguished officer in her Majesty's service. He served in the capacity of Brigade Major of Cavalry in the Zulu war of 1879, and was present at the cavalry affair at Ezungayan. He was specially employed on the lines of communication after the breaking up of the Cavalry Brigadee He served as the principal staff officer to the Transyasl Field Force in the operations against Sekuni: and subsequently as Military Secretary and Chief of the Staff to Sir Garnet Wolseley, and went to South Africa on special service in Jan. 1881, serving in the Boer War as Assistant Adjutant and Quarter Master General. He was sent with Wolseley to the Soudan and succeeded in distinguishing himself at Gakdul and Abu Klea Wells. For this he was given the rank of Major General. He, with his small band of 1,150, made the march of 100 miles from Korti to Gakdul in less than sixty five hours. Upon his advancement the rebels everywhere fell back, not fighting until the affair at Abu Klea. In this engagement Col. Burnaby, one of the most gallant of the English officers, was killed, and, as before mentioned, Gen. Stewart was severly wounded. The main body of the troops, under Wolseley, being centered at Korti, the position of Stewart was a very dangerous one. The latest advices announce the fall of Kartoum and the taking of Gen. Gordon prisoner by the rebels.—Kartoum is the centre of the great caravan routes from the interior of Africa and is the largest town in that part of Egypt. It was at one time the centre of the slave traffic.

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FOR SALE.—House and lot. Enquire of
D. T. HALL.

FOR SALE.—Eighty yards of good new rag carpet, striped. For particulars address
MRS. I. C. LESTER, Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR RENT.—I have a very fine suit of rooms, consisting of double parlors with folding doors between, two bed rooms with closets, a dining room, kitchen and pantry. The rooms are light, well lighted and very pleasant. They are in the "Mills block" now occupied by the Tecumseh postoffice and residence. The cellar is dry, and hard and soft water, water closet and slop sink are on same floor. Will be for rent single or together after April 1st.
A. W. MILLS.

LOST.—At the time the Tecumseh Library Association was formed the President of the Adrian Library Association very kindly loaned us a book entitled "Ladies' Library History and other Documents." The book was used by those who took part in organizing our association, and we know doubtless in the possession of some one of them. It is about 7x11 inches in size, one inch thick, has dark leather back and marbled paper sides on cover. Contains history of Adrian Library Association, history of Adrian schools and other documents. It is very highly prized by its owner and she is very anxious to regain its possession. Please look over your libraries carefully and see if this, to the owner a very valuable book, cannot be found and returned to
A. W. MILLS.

VILLAGE LOT FOR SALE.—Any size, on Maumee st. Enquire of
GEO. PRICE.

NOTICE OF LETTING CONTRACT. Notice is hereby given of the letting of School building in District No. 2 in the township of Ridgeway. Building to be let to the lowest responsible bidder, giving good and sufficient security. Are to be sealed bids and to be opened in the presence of School Board and building committee. Building to be let in (10) ten days from date of this notice, on the 7th day of March, building to be built according to plans and specifications. Bids to be left at the postoffice at Britton.
BY ORDER OF COM.
BRITTON, Feb. 25, 1885.

ESTATE OF WOOLSTON COMFORT. ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—The undersigned will keep his office with C. A. Stacy, in the HERALD building, in the village of Tecumseh, where he can be found during business hours until further notice.
TECUMSEH, Feb. 12, 1885.
E. A. TRIBOU,
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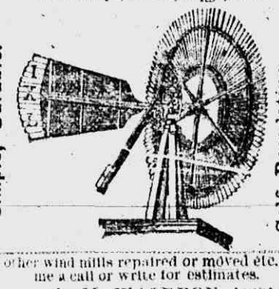

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THE BAND BENEFIT.

The entertainment for the benefit of the Tecumseh Cornet band came off according to announcement last Friday evening at the Opera House. The band has made rapid improvement during the last two months and play several selections now in a very creditable manner. They opened the program with an overture by the entire band. Next followed a farce entitled "Poor Pillicoddy." This is an excellent afterpiece. It was well cast and played. The two leading characters, Mr. Pillicoddy and Capt. O'Scuttle, were admirably carried by L. F. Wheeler and Fred Spaulding. They both had studied their parts and showed a nice appreciation of them. It is no flattery to say that their parts were as well carried as many professional actors would have carried them. If Mr. Wheeler will make a specialty of Pillicoddy, he can make his mark. The young ladies in this play, Misses Nellie Reynolds, Millie Pennock and Eva Clement, surprised their friends by the excellence of their acting. In fact the entire cast upheld the play admirably from first to last.

Mr. Alba Heywood then favored the audience with two of his character sketches, which brought down the house. The old lady was immense and the green boy was, if anything, better still. He was given a rousing encore on both of them. Mr. Heywood certainly possesses first class talents for character acting and he should cultivate them.

The comedy, "Too much for good nature," was next presented. This is one of the standard comedies, and affords many opportunities for fine acting. The leading characters were handsomely sustained by L. F. Wheeler, Will blood and Walter Fowler, while Misses Eva Clement and Roeni Schreeder filled the role to which they were assigned more like veterans than amateurs. The minor parts were successfully handled by Misses Stella Cleveland, Emma Conklin, Jennie McClure and Geddie Spaulding, Walter Heck and Charlie Whittier. The play was well sustained throughout, and the interest was kept up to the drop of the curtain. The entertainment closed with the Golden Leaf waltz by the band. The boys realized a nice sum over and above expenses. Their success in this first effort should encourage them to give our citizens another entertainment at some future time.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 5, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

We are glad to see Rev. C. E. Conley out again.

A. D. Gilmore, of Blissfield, was in town this morning on business.

S. D. Nesmith, of Detroit, was in town to-day. Mr. Nesmith expects to move to Hillsdale in April.

Mrs. H. S. Cheever, of Ann Arbor, who came out last week to attend E. B. Wood's funeral, returned home on Tuesday.

The most of Ridgeway is in town to-day attending the law suit of Jos. Keeney vs. J. T. Eveleth, on trial before Justice Burridge.

Jim Cole's market is always supplied with the best the market affords. He now is supplying our citizens with fresh fish of all kinds.

Ed. C. Baird and wife will remain in town a few weeks. Mr. Baird's many friends here would be much pleased if he would decide to make Tecumseh his permanent home.

The Brownville Progressive Euchre Club met at the residence of Mr. E. Hand last evening and had a very pleasant time. They next meet at the residence of C. M. Burlingame.

Rev. C. E. Conley has a cane on which is carved the name of every member of the class of '71, University of Michigan, the class with which he graduated. It is a keepsake which he prizes highly.

The gospel meetings at the Baptist church, which were discontinued by reason of the pastor's illness, were resumed last evening. Rev. Mr. Farmer, of Hudson, will assist in the meetings this week.

We call attention to A. W. Mills' notice among our specials of a book lost. The book is highly prized by the owner, and Mr. Mills is anxious to find it. He borrowed it for a temporary use and is held responsible for its return.

S. W. Temple has made an arrangement with Henry McClure whereby orders for coal may be left at McClure's store, and they will be transmitted by telephone to the coal office. Mr. Temple's customers will find this plan a great convenience.

The inauguration of President elect Cleveland passed off yesterday according to program. An immense concourse of visitors was in attendance, the largest crowd ever seen in Washington, The Senate meets in extra session to-day when the new cabinet will be formally sent in.

Mr. Hudson wishes to return his thanks to his congregation and friends for the very liberal donation given him on Wednesday evening, and would assure the managers and all concerned that their kindness will be greatfully cherished in the time to come. We hope that they may long live to do good and make others happy.

The excursion party for New Orleans started Monday afternoon with light heart and a "God-speed" from those they left behind. The party was not as large as expected, as many, who intended to go, found it impossible to perfect their arrangements. Still a goodly number went, armed with a plentiful supply of baggage and anticipations of a good time.

Mr. L. D. Dewey, who has been suffering from paralysis for several months, sustained another shock last week which terminated fatally last Monday morning. Thus another old pioneer has gone from among us. The funeral services were held at the homestead farm west of the village this forenoon. A suitable obituary notice prepared by an old friend will appear in next week's HERALD.

The Meigs-Underhill combination have again disappointed the lecture committee, and there will be no entertainment this evening. They were at Columbus, Ohio last evening and telegraphed that they had missed connections and could not reach here. They could have left Columbus at five o'clock this morning, and arrived here on the noon train. Perhaps the young ladies did not wish to get up so early.

The character impersonations presented by Alba Heywood on Monday and last evenings, were well attended and gave excellent satisfaction. Mr. Heywood possesses unusual talents in that direction and gives a most enjoyable entertainment. He travels from the grave to the gay and assumes both lady and gentleman characters with equal success. Those who have not heard him should not miss the last entertainment to-morrow evening.

The beautiful floral crown and the miniature wheat field, which were given by business men on the occasion of E. B. Wood's funeral, came from Mrs. Nathan Smith of Adrian. The crown contained callas, rosebuds, heutzias, hyacinths, allysum, and encharis. The large cross given by the Bible-class was composed of the same varieties. The wheat field was made up of hyacinths, forget-me-nots, sea-mosses, ivy leaves, ferns and wheat. All these pieces, which were very costly and elegant, were without doubt as fine as were ever shown in Tecumseh. They were ordered through Mrs. Smith's agent, John J. Orr of Tecumseh.

A. H. Tupper was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Smith of McGregor, Iowa, has been visiting friends in town during the past week.

Ab. Wilson has already received an order for 12,000 cabbage plants. He is getting started early this season.

Mr. Jaynes, of Manchester, the instructor of the Tecumseh band, was present to assist the boys in their entertainment last Friday evening.

W. T. Eccles has just received a box of oranges from Swan's grove in Florida. They are immense both in size and quality, and if you don't believe it just try one.

Asa McIntyre spent last Sunday in Tecumseh. Asa has a position as brakesman on a passenger train between Elkhart and Toledo on the L. S. & M. S. railroad.

All members of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F. are requested to be present at their next regular meeting on March 10, as there will be work in the initiatory degree.

The M. & O. railroad company have issued a neat folder descriptive of their line, giving time tables, connections, etc. The title page contains a fine view of Devil's lake.

During the past two years 30,000 roller skating rinks have been opened in this country. During the last year and six months 100 new court-plaster factories have been established.—Evansville Argus.

Mr. Jas. E. Haviland, who lived in Raisin until last fall, is now a resident of Adrian city. He has opened a shop there and is rapidly building up a large trade in the Champion Rubber Bucket Chain Pump. His prices are fixed to meet the times and every pump fully warranted.

The Adrian Art Loan is open day and evenings, and should be visited by every resident of Lenawee county. It will not cost you anything provided you trade one dollar, or more, at Eaton's Dry Goods Store, Adrian, for with a trade of that amount, from any department in their store, they will present you with one admittance ticket. Trade at this Popular Store and help the Art Loan.

A legacy of $500, left by Mr. Samuel G. Conkling, of this place, to the board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian church, has been promptly paid over by the executors. An acknowledgement will be found in the Home Missionary and in the Presbyterian Record for March, but by mistake the legacy is given as coming from Tecumseh, Nebraska. Let Tecumseh, Michigan, have the credit of this liberal bequest, made by one of its oldest and most respected citizens.

The fifth annual meeting of the Michigan tile, brick and drainage association will be held at Flint on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 10th and 11th. A lengthy program will be presented and discussions held. Mr. W. S. Comfort, of Tecumseh, is secretary of the convention. Among the papers to be read is one on "Underdraining in Harmony with Nature," by Geo. S. Tiffany, of this village, and one on "Treatment of Clays," by J. C. McKenzie, of Adrian.

RINK RACKET.

Mrs. C. D. Bills, of Goshen Ind. was at the rink last Friday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the rink Saturday evening. Sleigh loads from the country helped to swell the number.

Miss Nellie Cole, who has been visiting in Raisin a few weeks, rinkulated last Saturday evening.

Harry Root has been "blowing" in Knapp's band during the past two weeks in the absence of Fred Wood.

Saline has a champion boy skater. Last Monday night Mont Rowland met him at the Lake Ridge Hotel for a match race. The two youthful skaters are very evenly matched, but Mont came out about three laps ahead.

One, two, three, ready, go; and away they flew around the rink. We refer to the mile race Tuesday evening between Florence Rowland and Rosa Millard. Eighteen times around the rink made a mile. Miss Millard took the lead at the start and at the end of half a mile was half a lap ahead, time 2¾ minutes. During the last half mile Miss Rowland gained a little and lost it again and at the finish Miss Millard was one half a lap ahead, doing the mile in a little less than five minutes. Both the young ladies are swift skaters, as can be seen by the time they made although Miss Millard is the lighter of the two and seemed to get around a little easier and quicker.

Not to be behind the times, the young men of Tecumseh have organized two polo teams—senior and junior—and are practising dilligently for a game to be played in the near future at the rink. They are composed of the best skaters that attend the rink and an exciting game may be expected. The senior team is composed of the following: Chas. Herning, H. Herning, Wm. Ross, Fred Holderman, Chas. Bebee, Grant Smith and Walter Kinney. The following young men wield the club in the juniors. Levi Hayden, captain; Geo. Waldron, manager: Harry Stevens, Fred Tiffany, Al. Heesen, Frank Swick, and Nelson Aten.

The Tecumseh Progressive Euchre Club met at the residence of Delos Whitenack on Tuesday evening and played their first game. They play next Tuesday evening at Mr. D. W. Clark's.

The Cornet band repeated their entertainment at Manchester, Tuesday evening and were highly elated with their reception there. They had a fine house and the audience seemed to be well pleased with the program.

Surgeons of the International Throat and Lung Infirmary, Detroit, Mich., will be at the Lilley House, Tecumseh, Saturday, March 7th, where they can be consulted on all diseases of the ear, nose, throat and lung diseases. This is the only Infirmary in America that treats exclusively throat and lung diseases. Consultation free.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

E. D. Burlingame is moving from town on his farm at Newburg.

Elijah Buck, of Franklin, has moved to Tipton and we understand he is to take charge of B. Knapp's store.

Morris Conklin, who has been living on Henry Keyser's farm, carred his goods to-day preparatory to moving to Illinois where he expects to make his future home.

A lyceum has been organized in the Newburg district. They held their first meeting last Wednesday evening. The question for this week is, resolved, That foreign emigration should be prohibited. Lead by Peter B. Gregg, affirmative, Scott Remington, negative.

Manager Bowen, of C. T. line packed his grip-sack last Monday and started for New Orleans, with the G. A. R. excursion. The operators on the line join in wishing him a pleasant journey and safe return home.

Manager Bowen sent a card from Cincinnati to the operators on our line stating they reached that city all right, and would go through Kentucky and Tennessee by day light. No snow there but river full of floating ice. This was Tuesday morning.

THE LATE MAYOR NAVIN.

The following dispatch from an exchange contains some interesting news about the late lamented T. Navin.

Port Townsend, W. T., Feb. 26.—The following are the particulars relating to the flight of ex-Mayor Thos. Navin. About a year ago he came here from Whatcom, W. T., and engaged in practicing law under the name of John B. Voorhis. He soon became associated with A. L. Teele. The firm of Teele & Voorhis flourished. On Teele's election for justice of the peace last November the firm dissolved, and Voorhis began practice on his own account. After his disappearance on Saturday it transpired that he was the absconding mayor of Adrian, Mich., who with a portion of the council issued bonds for water works, and sold the bonds to the extent of $50,000. This resulted in those who were responsible being found guilty of exceeding their official authority. Voorhis claimed he left to screen others, assuming the responsibility himself; he being single while the others were married. He also states that he received no money for the bonds, they being deposited in a New York bank in trust for the city of Adrian. The bonds were subsequently canceled, and Adrian lost nothing.

When he arrived here he was recognized by persons who knew him in Michigan. He convinced them that he came west with a desire to redeem himself, so they permitted the matter to rest until his flight became known. His friends here claim that his indebtedness, the amount of which, is not known, will be paid in full.

Why Tom skipped out. The immediate cause of Navin's flight was the receipt of a telegram from a friend in Michigan, warning him that his whereabouts were known. Navin settled his affairs, raised a small sum of money, forging the name of a Port Townsend business man, and departed by the next steamer for San Francisco, thus there are little hopes of his capture. It is believed he has gone to South America.

Commenting on these dispatches the Adrian Record says:

As a matter of public interest the statement of a man who visited Port Townsend last summer and saw Thos. J. Navin would not come amiss. On arriving at the city he was greatly surprised by meeting T. J. on the street, and after shaking hands with him he was invited to Teal & Voorhees' law office, and here Navin told his story. Tom, of course, admitted that the name of Vorhees was a fictitious one, but at that time assured his Adrian friends that he was leading an honorable and upright life. After leaving the office the Adrian man made diligent inquiries as regards Mr. Vorhees, and on every hand the citizens were loud in their praise of the young attorney, and each and every one predicted prosperity for him. Navin's abilities were so manifest that he was very popular and, outside of his law business, had perfected many schemes for money making, and, if the depression of business had not taken place, a fortune would have been amassed in a short time. The gentleman who visited Port Townsend also says that Tom said to him that he would some day pay every dollar he had obtained wrongfully, with interest, and then return to Adrian a free man. This seemed to be the one desire of our ex-mayor, so before the citizen returned to his home in this city he promised T. J. that as far as he was concerned he would not be molested, and he has kept his word. From other sources we learn that Tom's life since his departure from Adrian has been upright, but Thomas J. Navin commited a crime, and on his arrival here he will be tried by a jury of twelve men, who will return their verdict, and punishment will be meeted out to him according to law.

The twenty-fifth day of February was the birth day of Francis Asbury Dewey, in Cambridge. On that pleasant festive day a number of his children and grand children assembled at the home of their parents, constituting a family of nineteen to celebrate the occasion. There with cherished good will they counted on the calender of time seventy-four years, which is sometimes said to be an honorable age for a pioneer whose residence has been in Lenawee County for the last fifty six years. At this primitive house there was standing on the spacious plaza, a full grown native of the forest which has been a welcome visitor for a number of years, the admired and noble deer. In every apartment of the home was contentment and good will. The dining hall was splendidly decorated. At two P. M. the tables were spread on which were placed selections from the Islands of the Ocean, not omitting the growth of the great deep sea, also refreshments from the fertile plantations of Michigan, which crowned the efforts of the culinary art. At the evening entertainment, as usual for the last ten years, each and every one received a silver dollar with other presents in memory of their parents.

A CLEVER CAPTURE.

Adrian Times: On the 11th day of last August, Thomas and John Steinmetz were at work for Arthur Dibble, of Franklin. On the afternoon of that day John decamped, and the next morning was followed by Thomas. After their departure Mr. Dibble found a suit of clothes, a watch and chain, and several minor articles to the total value of nearly a hundred dollars missing. He made a complaint before Justice Hewlett for the arrest of the Steinmetz brothers, but the pair had entirely disappeared from the official horizon, and no trace of them could be found. Lately however, the officers received information on the case, and last Tuesday deputies Burch and Teachout found Thomas near Blissfield, and arrested him. Wednesday noon officer Burch, having received additional pointers, went to Coopersville, Ottawa county, where he found John on the farm of Harvey Bliss, some two or three miles in the country. Young Steinmetz was engaged in chopping wood near the house when the officer approached, but he did not recognize the visitor as "Bill Burch," of Blissfield, where Steinmetz formerly resided, until the arrest was consummated. The officer reached here with his prisoner this morning about one o'clock. The capture is pronounced very clever by experts. Steinmetz is a large, muscular young German.

THE VILLAGE ELECTION.

The annual corporation election took place last Monday and passed off very quietly as there was but one ticket in the field. The total poll was 171 votes, the ticket which was placed in nomination at the regular caucus on Saturday afternoon being chosen throughout, as follows:

President—Dr. R. B. House.
Recorder—Fred B. Wood.
Treasurer—James A. Boyd.
Trustees for two years—Wm. Bresie, Daniel T. Hall, Enoch G. Cook.
Assessors—Edgar A. Tribou, Jehiel Davidson.

The retiring officers of the old Council are Jerry Root, President, and Geo. Heesen and G. P. Sparks, trustees. Bresie is re-elected for 2 years. D. T. Hall and E. G. Cook are new men. J. L. Schoolcraft, who was chosen recorder a year ago, moved away last fall, since which time trustee Marsden has creditably filled the position of recorder pro tem. Fred B. Wood is now chosen recorder for the full term. J. N. Satterthwaite made an excellent treasurer last year and James Boyd will also be a good custodian of the village funds. Edgar A. Tribou is re elected assessor, and Jehiel Davidson takes the place of Horatio Keyser who has moved out of the village. The trustees who hold over are O. P. Bills, Geo. Marsden and Rufus Adams.

The retiring Council deserve a word of commendation for the efficient manner in which the village government has been administered during the past year. All the current expenses of the village have been promptly paid. The streets and sidewalks were never in better condition than now. A settlement with the M. & O. has been effected and the bonus of $2,500 paid in full, and a lease of the M. & O. gravel pit obtained for two years. The corporation is out of debt and there is money in the treasury.

Messrs. Root, Heesen and Sparks will retire from official life with well earned laurels. They have made a record for themselves of honest and faithful public servants.

The new Council is composed of equally as good men. Dr. House and Fred B. Wood have seen service on the Council before. We have no doubt that the new government will make a good record for themselves during the coming year. Some public improvements are demanded which can now be safely undertaken, since the railroad bonus is out of the way, and which will undoubtedly receive proper consideration at the hands of the incoming Council.

Adrian Record: It doesn't seem possible that in this land of plenty anyone calling themselves human would turn a needy one from their door when the mercury was the lowest it has been this winter, but such is the case. A poor orphan boy, after working faithfully for three months, was turned adrift by his employer in Raisin township. The boy's clothing hardly protected his nakedness, an old pair of rubber boots covered his feet, and nothing but a stout heart and the hopes of finding a warm place to sleep helped him on his journey. The boy tells a straight forward story. All he received aside from his bed and food was a 15 cent pair of stockings. We blush for shame to think that Lenawee county contains a man whose soul is so small that it requires the most powerful microscopes to find it.

Auction Sales.

Frank M. Skinner will sell at Auction on the farm of Robt. Wooden in Cambridge, one-half mile south and two miles west of Onsted Station, Saturday, March 7, 1885, at 1 o'clock P.M. One span work mares with foal, one 3 year old Jack Shepard colt, one 2 year old Hambletonian colt, 50 good breeding ewes, one yearling Hambletonian colt, 20 weathers, 5 bucks, 1 cow, 4 yearling heifers, 2 yearling steers, 1 bull, 5 hogs, brood sow, chester white boar, 1 yearling Black Hawk Morgan colt, lumber wagon, road cart, work harness, cutter and other farm tools. Terms, 12 months with good indorsed notes at interest. Ben. Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Jabez Fridd having leased his farm will sell at public auction on the premises, one fourth mile south of Franklin Center, Tuesday, March, 10, 1885 at 1 o'clock P. M., One Buckeye mowing machine nearly new, horse rake, roller, drill, Fairbank's scales—nearly new; drags, grain cradle, new fanning mill, heavy wagon, bob sleighs, 3 cows one new milch, double harness, yearling heifer, lot of hens, 4 tons hay, 25 bu. corn in ear, wood rack, two-horse cultivator, Cassady sulky plow nearly new; 1 good work horse, sulky horse rake, Gale plow and many other tools. Terms, twelve months credit on good indorsed notes bearing interest. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

If it were possible to set before you all the wonderful cures of Rheumatism and Neuralgia made by ATHLOPHOROS you would not despair of your own case till you had given it a speedy and fair trial. It is the remedy of one who experimented for a long time on himself to find something which would master Rheumatism. He did not succeed till he struck ATHLOPHOROS. Not satisfied with his own case as a test, he tried it on others till satisfied that a great specific was at last within his grasp. Very properly it took the title ATHLOPHOROS—champion remedy.

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"How are finger-rings made?" asked a reporter of a jeweler. "The process is simple," was the reply. "[illegible] and a heavy press to form the plate into the proper shape, solder to unite the [illegible] and pieces, and a few tools to finish and embellish the goods, as [illegible] that is required in the [illegible]."

"Finger-rings are not stamped out of the plain goods trade. There are two kinds which sparkle in value and [illegible] some rings worth [illegible] other rings of comparatively [illegible] of a true [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] wire, which is packed with a [illegible] [illegible] which makes it perfectly round and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] per dozen. The cut trade calls for [illegible] at the time, while the [illegible] [illegible] favor upon the plain old-fashioned style, the great [illegible] being for a pattern that has been in the market for twenty-two years. The narrowest bracket is one-eighth of an inch, the widest one and a half inches. They are made into [illegible] shapes in all arms, in about [illegible] hundred and fifty patterns. In [illegible] jewelry, including a [illegible] pin and earrings, a choice may be had from two thousand patterns, which will [illegible] your capital from ten dollars to twenty-two dollars per dozen. Your fancy may select from about four hundred styles of watch-chains, which cost from twenty dollars to one hundred dollars per dozen.

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RUNNING AWAY.

A Short Story Showing That There Are Worse Places for a Boy Than His Home.

This is not exactly the season of the year for boys to run away from home, but it is getting so boys run away more or less at all seasons of the year, and large rewards are offered in the papers about the warm climate in the South, where people can eat oranges and loll in the shade in January, and the New Orleans Exposition is holding out glittering inducements to visitors to go South, where they will be able to wear linen duckers in the winter, there are many boys who are becoming restless at home and a good many will run away this winter, no doubt. A boy who reads papers, and thinks he is posted about things away from home, gets tired of doing chores with the thermometer twenty degrees below zero, and he yearns for a warm climate. He goes to bed at night with his fingers and toes cold, from working in the barn among cattle and horses, and as he undresses in a cold room in the garret, and jumps into a cold bed, and feels the wind and snow coming in the cracks, sees the frost on the glass, and hears the wind whistle, he dreams of a land that is fairer than this, and some day he takes a change of clothes, and with money enough to buy a ticket a thousand miles or so South, he leaves the old home and goes out into the world to get warm. Nine times in ten it is made so warm for him that he would give all he possesses to be home, cold as that home is. There are probably a thousand boys under twenty years of age from the North in New Orleans today, without a cent of money, living on what they can pick up. A gentleman just returned from there says he gave all the money he could spare to young fellows from Milwaukee, who had gone down there expecting to get some good paying job, but couldn't find anything to do. They have found the warm climate, but even in a warm climate a person must eat, and unless virtually to take himself up in trees and he has got to have a place to sleep in doors, as there is a cold rain falling almost constantly at this season of the year which tells hard on the marrow of his bones. Running away from home is a bad step, as the majority find out to their sorrow. Anything is better than to get he can not through to eat and a place to sleep, but when the boy gets there he finds a tramp. While in the country that he can't work, there is work to do. In almost every community there are [illegible] enough to do the work there is needed done, and that wants to hire a boy he knows the people, who knows his parents, who knows how he has been brought up, and prefers to a stranger, whom he half expects to be a thief. It is hard enough for a man or a boy to get work when he is known, when there is work to be done, and a hundred men and boys are out of work when once a tramping. A boy who runs away from home and goes to a strange place, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 119. Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 45 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 06 "	2 30 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 18 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Clinton	8 02 "	4 00 "	9 07 "
Adrian	10 22 "	5 42 "	.....
Petersburg	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....
Toledo			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express	No. 120. Accom.
Petersburg	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 55 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 32 "	4 42 A.M.
Clinton	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 36 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "
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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Shakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Hicksville	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Clinton	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Wayne Jct.	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Wayne Jct.	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Clinton	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Hicksville		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Shakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

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NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
6 25	7 05	Lv. ...Toledo...Ar.	9 30	4 55
6 30	7 11	...Manhattan Junction...	9 26	4 48
6 40	7 23	...Alexis Junction...	9 16	4 38
6 48	7 35	...Hawthorn...	9 10	4 30
6 52	7 40	...Samaria...	9 02	4 22
6 56	7 46	...Lulu...	8 47	4 04
7 04	8 03	...Monroe Junction...	8 42	3 59
7 22	8 30	...Dundee...	8 30	3 50
7 28	8 37	...Macon...	8 26	3 45
7 33	8 46	...Azelia...	8 20	3 40
7 40	8 59	...Milan Junction...	8 09	3 25
7 46	9 07	...Milan...	8 06	3 22
7 51	9 09	...Norvell...	7 59	3 17
7 58	9 22	...Urania...	7 52	3 10
8 05	9 32	...Pittsfield...	7 46	3 07
8 09	9 50	...Ann Arbor...	7 32	2 49
8 20	10 15	...Leland...	7 19	2 30
8 40	10 22	...Worden...	7 06	2 25
8 50	10 35	Ar. ...South Lyon... Lv.	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass.	No. 34 Pass.	No. 32 Pass.	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass.	No. 33 Pass.	No. 35 Pass.
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	7 04	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	P. M.
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	8 00
	9 26	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37
	9 32	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25
	9 41	9 40	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11
	9 55	9 55	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59
	10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	6 43
	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 35
		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 29
		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 12
		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 55
		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 47
		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 37
		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 25
		4 10	A Allegan L	11 10		3 00
		5 10	Holland	10 10		
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		2 05
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		1 20
		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		
		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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EARTHQUAKES.

The Theories of Scientific Men and Seismologists in Regard to Them.

The intimate relation between earthquakes and volcanoes is universally admitted, though earthquakes do occur in regions which give no indications of either past or present volcanic activity. Along the southeast coast of Spain, however, there is ample evidence of such activity in past times; and has been remarked by a writer on the subject that an earthquake is simply an integrated volcano. As to what, however, is the exact cause of seismological action geologists have not yet made up their minds. The mathematicians have compelled them to give up as quite untenable the old idea of a thin crust over a molten interior which in its surgings would break through in the shape of a volcano, or reproduce in the shell the huge waves which would swell along the internal surface. The hypothesis of a solid shell and a solid nucleus with molten matter between has fared little better. The earth, it is now held by the best geologists and physicists, must be a solid body to a very considerable depth, if not, indeed, to the core. At the same time we may be assured that the most intense heat exists at no very great depth below the surface, heat so great that but for the immense pressure exerted by the superincumbent mass the matter would actually melt; it is held that it does occasionally do so when from any of the many forces which are at work the pressure is relieved, and this, according to a certain school, gives rise to volcanic or earthquake phenomena.

Others, however, maintain that these manifestations can be satisfactorily accounted for by chemical and mechanical action. It seems to be generally admitted that great masses of water are constantly filtering into the depths of the earth from the ocean bed; and that the molten materials which issue from volcanic rents have absorbed enormous quantities of steam and other gases. Prof. Judd tells us, we have the most indisputable evidence. "It is to the violent escape of these gases from the molten rock masses, as the pressure upon them is relieved, that nearly all the active phenomena of volcanoes must be referred." And what accounts for volcanic action may also account for at least a certain class of earthquakes. For there may be other causes, most of them, however, referrable to the movements which must be almost constantly taking place in the interior, owing to the cooling of the earth's crust. Variations in atmospheric pressure have been thought to account for some earthquakes, and it is noticeable that a sharp fall of the barometer was observed all over the south of Spain in the afternoon before the first great shock, and that there have since been frequent fluctuations. The mere falling of an internal cavity would almost certainly produce vibratory phenomena. Indeed Prof. Milne seems to believe that the earth is full of cavities of all sizes, like a huge Gruyere cheese, and that consequently vibrations of greater or less intensity are constantly occurring, as we should find had we instruments delicate enough to measure them. But it is possible, perhaps, to have seismographs of such too fine a structure, so fine as to record the vibration of every passing jinriksha. Essentially the explanation of all these phenomena seems to be that our planet is a cooling body, and they will only cease when every particle of heat has left the heart of our old mother, when also, geologists tell us, there will be no more sea, when the air itself will have vanished, and the earth will be as dead as the moon.—*London Times.*

DELIGHTFUL DAKOTA.

The Charms of This Favored Region Artistically Described—The Newly Discovered Site of the Garden of Eden.

Dakota is the newest, worst treated and grandest of the Territories of the Union, the garden spot of the continent, the imperial wheat belt of the globe. It is a more than royal realm, which ten years ago was unexplored and almost unknown, which but five years ago was almost wholly a region of romance and of fable. It is a peerless but modest land, that never sounds the fishhorn of its own fame. It is the world's true wonderland, where no storms and tempests ever blow, and where all the breezes are trained to sing psalms in tunes in pianissimo style and in even better time and rhyme than the rendering of "The Order of the Full Moons" I heard just now.

Our wildest blizzards, as unenlightened down-Easters sometimes term them, are used by gentle mothers to lull their babes to sleep. The sun shines over with a mellow splendor that calls to mind the far-famed Happy Valley of "Rasselas," and there is just frost enough in our winters to turn the elm leaves golden. No summer drouths or winter floods spread devastation over the fields and hopes of our husbandmen. No army worms or grasshoppers sweep those fertile plains and valleys with nibbling desolation. No hailstorms rattle their destroying musketry upon the grains and fruits and plate glass windows of that elysium—except, now and then, just enough to furnish business to our ambitious young home hail insurance companies.

Bananas bloom in November and young oranges are picked the day before Christmas. Raisins, striped stick candy, tin horses and india rubber dolls, ripen always just in time for Santa Claus' peddler wagon, with his reindeer team and his "little round stomach that shakes when he laughs like a bowlful of jelly." Pineapples and figs grow spontaneously on Canada thistle bushes everywhere, while the cotton-woods and dog-fennel trees yield brook trout, nectarines and persimmons, of large size and flavor, a canal boat-load to the acre. Spring roses blossom on the plain, gentle Annie, for New Year's posies, and potatoes grow as big as beer kegs at the roots of every tuft of prairie grass. Cabbage heads, of full congressional and Senatorial size, give forth the fragrance of the jessamine and honeysuckle to humming birds as large as canvas-back ducks and clad in all the prismatic glories of the aurora borealis. We hatch our own wild geese of such dimensions that tenderfeet from Pennsylvania, for instance, are liable to mistake them for winged hippopotami on lakes of never-freezing rosewater and cologne.

Blizzards, tempests, tornadoes and rascally political breezes come to that modern Eden only as dimly understood wailings from distant regions and peoples who do not know enough to find their way to the sole remaining quarter-section of Paradise in all the Western world. There no wave of trouble ever rolls across the peaceful breast, and the prosperous people who raise infallibly from twenty-five to seventy-five bushels of No. 1 hard wheat to the acre of land, that costs them nothing and get $1.35 a bushel for it, can calmly smile at Satan's rage and face a frowning, because less fortunate, world.—*Colonel Pat Donan.*

LAWYERS.

A Few Remarks About the Most Trusted and Distrusted of Men.

They are the men who make contracts and unmake them; who gives advice and sell counsel; who make money out of trouble and make trouble out of money; who create estates and distribute them legally; who live by loaning money and often subsist on borrowed capital; who hear and conceal marriage secrets, and later drag out faded love letters in bitter divorces; who are pleased and persuaded by the lucky, but often go out of court branded and dispraised by the side defeated—and, with one side always the loser, and generally both, what wonder that the slurs of character fall to the current lot of a lawyer!

Without the smiles of the merchant's customers, he meets the frowns of business men in trouble. Fortunes are to be saved or lost. He must win the victory or bear the blame forever. The lawyer is like the builder who knows that, be it ever so perfect, the elaborate house he has finished can never quite suit the proprietor.

He carries the double burden for self and client; is invited to win what others have failed in, urged to mend the broken pieces of a foolish contract, bound to account for confessions in letters, asked to replevin goods already secreted, to attach the effects of a malicious merchant, to unearth fraudulent elections, to reclaim encumbered estates from vexatious tax-titles, to keep one for years in plenty by restored possessions and broken wills—all by a lawyer's art and eloquence!

He is fated from the start to uncertainty, where clients exact no less than absolute victory and long wish it reasonable, while they know it is only probable. By logic and argument, on the theory of their client, with the facts only partially stated, and that part deeply shaded, they are to explain away their defeat, if it come in the end, by a tirade on the perjury of opponent's witnesses and the depravity of human nature.

Happy lawyers! They are men who live so easily, flourish so long on the bounty of a grateful people, make the laws and settle the titles, defend the weak and enjoy the rich fruits of the world's praises and abuses, mingled and commingled in such rare harmony that none can define where censure ends and approval commences.—*J. W. Donovan, in Current.*

TOBOGGANING.

Some Speculations as to How the Next Craze Will Catch You.

Tobogganing, the contagion of which seems to have come from Montreal's two winter carnivals, threatens to be the next popular craze. Already artificial hills are being built, where natural ones do not exist, and some provision for a glacial surface when ice is not to be had will doubtless be forthcoming. It is a wild, whirling sensation that takes hold firmer and holds on longer, perhaps, than the roller skate. It is thus described:

"Imagine yourself at the summit of a slope six hundred feet in height, and set at an angle of sixty degrees. For a long distance it falls sheer as a nightmare, dazzling white, each little grain of the snow scintillating like a diamond. You straighten your toboggan's head, and your lady companion bestows herself in the bow, tucking her skirts tightly around her dainty feet, and drawing her nubia down to shield her eyes and face. You ensconce yourself behind her; on one hip if you will, with the other foot trailing as a rudder; though my experience teaches me to prefer a square seat, with the toes in the near neighborhood of the rearward buttons of Angelina's sacque, one hand trailing on each side, by whose pressure (a small section of a broomstick is to be commended 'in this connection') the frail vessel is guided.

"All being in readiness you gently push your toboggan to the edge of the precipice. The slender wood creaks, rustles and bends; from a level the sled assumes an almost perpendicular position, and the nether world seems to rise up and smite you in the face. Nothing in the universe resembles this first dizzy swoop. So low is the sled and so light its fabric, and so tremendous the impetus instantly attained, that the impression is one of sitting still while the universe flies up at you. The sharp edges of the straining-board cut rainbows of snow that hiss at you, and cover your beard with chilly diamonds and Angelina's hair with priceless jewels; from either side the grinding crystals fly behind you like sparks from a grindstone. You have hardly swallowed your heart again when you are at the foot of the slope, and with the bound of a shark touched with the steel, the sled, striking the level, springs a dozen feet into the air and landing on the level snow-crust speeds onward with scarcely lessening speed till at last it stops more than a mile away from the hill whence you started, and where now the great pines look like scrubby bushes. In a minute you have gone a mile and a quarter, and realized the dizzy plunge of a nightmare and the long, unsupported, breathless swoop of the eagle.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Eight papers in Eastern Oregon take wheat on subscription. Eight hundred papers in other parts of the country take wheat or anything else they can get.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

MR. NOX.

How a Man Searching for a Missing Article is Feelingly Described by His Long-Suffering Better Half.

Did you ever see a man search for a missing article? Well, if not, just let me tell you how Mr. Nox does it.

Mr. Nox generally arises to build fires, leaving me to my morning nap undisturbed—that is, if he can remember where he put his clothes the previous evening; if not, I am called upon to tell him where he stood, whence all but him had fled (to bed).

The other morning, after being dreamily conscious that the "blamed shavings were wet," and that the "kid-lifter never *was* in its place," I was broadly awakened to find Mr. Nox going up and down the bedroom, lamp in hand, his best hat stuck on the extreme back of his head, kicking his slippered foot against every bit of furniture in reach, a dark frown contracting his classic brow, and murder in his eye. I inquired the matter.

"Hunting my rubbers" (shortly).

"But you don't expect to find them in here on the wall, do you?" seeing him gazing upward.

"Course I do. Where else can they be? I've looked everywhere else."

I suppress a giggle, which has become chronic and attacks me whenever Mr. Nox begins a search. I suggest various places in which they *might* be found but he "has looked there." Back and forth—now in one room, then in another—warmer waxes his wrath. He gives the kitten a rough push and looks carefully on the spot of carpet it has occupied. Suddenly an idea seems to strike him, and holding the lamp high above his head, he rushes into the preserve closet. My mirth subsides. I spring up.

"O, don't go in there! Your rubbers never, *never* were in there. Good gracious! Come out!" (raising my voice in command.)

"I don't know they ain't, and *I'm* going to have them. Do you suppose *I'm* going to milk that cow without my rubbers?"

So much talk had awakened the "flower of the family," who starts up and says, speedily:

"Saw 'em on the piano las' night."

This is too much for me, and I roll over in bed, hugging a pillow ecstatically over my mouth to suffocate my laughter. When I had recovered I peeped out and found Mr. Nox examining the piano—first at one end and then at the other. He prepares to take off the lid, when my indignation gets the better of my discretion, and I angrily demand *what* he is hunting, anyway.

"Why, my rubbers, you blockie, didn't she say they were here?"

"O you half wit're! Do you think they could be in there? Stop tearing up things so."

He goes into the preserve closet again, goes out, flies into the kitchen and through the pantry. Then I hear the safe door click, wood box and coal hod jingle merrily, the oven doors clang, a pailful of potatoes roll out upon the floor, the ash pan clatters, the sink is explored; I hear him open the clock; then back into the sitting room he tramps. My work basket suffers, sewing machine examined, my work tumbled, I hear the dolls and playthings of the "Flower" dashed upon the floor, then a door bangs and all is silent. Mr. Nox has gone out into the untried, unfeeling cow yard to milk that cow (she gives a whole pint now every morning) without his rubbers. I grieve not: the ground is perfectly dry, I know he is safe from damp feet. I rise at once and dress briskly: I know I have no time to lose if I would have my breakfast before ten o'clock. I have not had ocular proof of the result of Mr. Nox's eccentric searching for lost apparel, in vain. I am perfectly aware of the chaotic state of the house, and am prepared to meet it. I consider myself a heroine, in a small way, to be *able* to meet it. I hurry forth to the kitchen; crossing the sitting room I stumble over some object occupying the middle of the floor, and stooping to examine, find—the missing rubbers.—*Texas Siftings.*

A Modern Oracle.

A most satisfactory modern oracle appears to have been established at Kairwan, the holy city of Tunis. It consists of a telephone, with an ingenious Arabic-speaking French priest at the one end and a number of the credulous faithful at the other. The story is an excellent instance how "they as has brains" always find some opportunity for making use of them. The inventor of the oracle was once a member of a monastery at Avignon. Expelled by an infidel government, he went to Algeria and turned Trappist, but finding that profession apparently too narrow for his versatile and energetic nature, he subsequently had the happy thought of turning Mohammedan, and combining the furtherance of French political designs with the exercise of his new religion. Installed, as a reward for his usefulness, as the keeper of a kourba, or shrine, but finding the ordinary income of the office somewhat inadequate, he has now hit on the happier thought of increasing it by the introduction of a telephone, by which he is enabled from his cell room to return prompt and apparently miraculous answers to those who come to ask him for Divine guidance.—*Paris Cor. London Times.*

—The District Attorney of Boston says that he encounters no such obstacles in the discharge of his duties as women. No criminal can be so undeserving of sympathy, so completely an outcast, that he has not a mother, wife or sister to plead for him. They are the most persistent lobbyists on earth he declares; the most unreasonable, and yet the hardest to withstand. They lie in wait for the prosecutor of their loved ones; their audacity would make the adamantine cheek of a Washington claim-broker seem a suffusion of modest blushes; they meet arguments with tears and denials with moans; and he thinks that, on the whole, justice is oftener defeated by them than by all other causes.—*Boston Transcript.*

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESS.

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SENATE, Feb. 26.—A communication was read from the Attorney General stating that the deficiency bill as it had passed the House would be entirely insufficient to meet the ordinary expenses of the United States Courts for the remaining four months of the present fiscal year, and asking that the bill be amended by the senate to conform to the estimates of the Department of Justice. A message from the House was received announcing its disagreement on the Postoffice Appropriation bill amendments and asking a conference. Messrs. Plumb, Allison and Beck were appointed conferees.

HOUSE.—The conference report on the Agriculture bill was adopted. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Fortifications bill. Mr. Horr opposed the bill. "We had got," he said, "a fort that was worth carrying for a gun that was worth keeping." He drifted to a reference to Mr. Cleveland's letter and said at the time of the election he had not a high appreciation of the Democratic candidate but his admiration for the man increased daily. "His letter contained words of wisdom, every one was worthy of commendation, and he only regretted that such pearls had been cast before such Congressmen." He declared that the Prohibitionists would have to rely upon the business sense of the Republican side of the House to run the Government. After some further discussion the committee rose and reported the bill to the House, which passed it. Some minor reports were then adopted and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON.

The Adams Express Company's safes which were in the car burned by the recent collision at Four Mile Run, near Washington, were opened in the office of the United States Treasury and the charred money they contained examined by experts of the Department. It has been shown that over $110,000 were in the safes, most of which has been identified and will be redeemed so the loss to the Express Company will be trifling.

President Arthur has nominated Francis E. Warren, of Wyoming, to be Governor of the Territory of Wyoming; also Theodore F. Singiser to be Receiver of Public Money at Mitchell, Dakota.

A fire at Washington on the 27th ult. destroyed the Harris House and the National Theater.

The following nominations were confirmed by the Senate on the 27th ult.: George H. Craig, United States District Attorney for the Northern and Middle Districts of Alabama; Francis E. Warren, Governor of Wyoming; James T. Kalcher of Kentucky, First Assistant Engineer of the Revenue Service; William L. Scruggs, of Georgia, Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States of Colombia, Post Chaplains, Rev. R. C. Hammond, Iowa; Rev. Joseph A. Butler, Indiana.

In the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill passed by Congress on the 27th ult., Ohio Lighthouse districts receive the following: Cleveland, $7,000; Columbus, $110,000; Toledo, $72,000.

President Arthur has granted an unconditional pardon to George Wilson, convicted with William T. Bell at Albany, N. Y., in 1880 of robbing a mail coach in the mountains and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Bell was pardoned and released a month ago.

THE EAST.

Two hundred and fifty employes of William Harris & Co., shoe manufacturers of Philadelphia, stopped work on the 27th ult. owing to the fact that a man who had been sick a few days on returning to work found his place filled.

The trial of Milton Weston, a Chicago capitalist, charged with complicity in the Murrafsville, Westmoreland County, Pa., gas well riots, in which Obadiah Haymaker was killed, resulted in his conviction of voluntary manslaughter. The extreme penalty of the law is twelve years spent in the penitentiary and $1000 fine.

Two freight trains on the Tioga Railroad collided near Lawrenceville, Pa., on the 26th ult. The conrsual exploded a quantity of powder in one of the cars. No one was killed and only one car was broken, outside the shock of the explosion was heard a distance of fifty miles.

Brig. Gen. George H. Pettis, retired, a member of the famous Confederate cavalry, distinguished himself in the war with Texas, died at the house of his son in Brooklyn, N. Y., in the 76th year of his age. Pettis was appointed to the Navy in 1825, but resigned during the revolution and was commissioned Rear Admiral in 1861.

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WEST AND SOUTH.

At Bloomington, Ill., on the 26th ult., two young Russian laymen committed suicide by taking a paste of opium and vinegar. They left off their clothes while on a drunken spree, and on recovering their senses were so mortified that they killed themselves.

Dr. R. Rogers, of Ann Arbor, Mich., brother of Randolph Rogers, the American sculptor now in Rome, has received notice that Mr. Rogers recently made a will bequeathing his entire collection of casts, models, etc., to the University of Michigan.

David Hoover, aged sixty-eight, living near Dayton, Ohio, was found dead in his bed on the morning of the 25th ult. He was an old hermit and is said to have been very wealthy. Exposure was the cause of death, his body being frozen.

A largely attended meeting of Scotch-Americans was held at Chicago on the 25th ult. at which it was resolved to take active measures toward the support of the Skye crofters and to issue an appeal for a National movement in their behalf. It was also decided to invite Premier Macdonald, of Canada, to attend a conference to be held there at an early date.

In the United States Court at Springfield, Ill., on the 25th ult. O. C. Fitts pleaded guilty and J. Osman was convicted of the charge of obtaining a bogus pension claim of $1,200 for Letha Moore. The alleged father of the girl was killed in the war three years before she was born. The prisoners kept $225 each for procuring the pension money. Sentence has not yet been passed.

Harry Jennings, aged twenty-five, an employe of the Akron (Ohio) Milling Company, was caught in the machinery of the mill on the 24th and horribly mangled.

The operators of the Union coal bank in Coal Valley, W. Va., have put one hundred negroes at work where a large number of miners had struck against a reduction of twelve cents per hundred bushels. A serious outbreak is apprehended as the result. Several fights have occurred, and the white men threaten the negroes and also threaten to burn the works.

Judge Robert Logan, Republican member of the Illinois House of Representatives, dropped dead at the entrance to the floor of the House on the 26th ult. This gives the Democrats one majority on joint ballot.

A shortage has been discovered in the accounts of the postmasters at Lemars, Iowa, and Vincennes, Ind.

The Cincinnati Warehouse and Malting Company has discovered gas in a 250-foot well with a pressure of twenty-five pounds to the inch. It will be used for lighting and heating.

Two farmers, named Frank Steele and Joe Ritchie, living near Chattanooga, Tenn., were drowned on the 27th ult. while trying to cross Chickamauga Creek.

A dispatch from Charleston, S. C., announces the death in that State recently of Sir Henry Stonehewer, Bart., in great obscurity and leaving a remarkably curious history of his career. The deceased had sisters and many other relatives living in England, many of them occupying official positions.

Thirty residents of Wheeling, W. Va., were poisoned a few days ago from eating turnips that had absorbed some of the paris green used in raising them. One, Mrs. Mary Tuttle, an aged lady, has died. It was thought the others would recover, though several were very low at last accounts.

Three hundred and fifty machinists of the Wabash Railroad at Moberly, Mo., on the 27th ult. went on strike against a reduction of wages.

On the night of the 28th ult. Allin Duxon, who for many years has held the position of tax collector of Blount County, Ala., went away from home leaving $1,700 in taxes which he had just collected in charge of his wife. About midnight the wife saw, as she supposed, a negro breaking into the house. She drew a pistol and shot him dead. When she examined the body she found it to be that of her husband with his hands and face blackened with burnt cork.

After being out but twenty minutes on the 28th ult. the jury in the Murphy murder trial at New Orleans returned a verdict of guilty of murder against Pat Ford and Policeman Murphy, and manslaughter against Judge Ford, W. H. Caulfield and Tom Buckley. This verdict is the best the public expected, although there will be much disappointment that Judge Ford, who is regarded as the organizer of the murder, will escape the gallows.

Two coal trains on the Columbus & Toledo Railroad collided near Marion, O., on the 1st. Both engines and thirteen cars were wrecked, and Geo. Thornton, brakeman, was killed.

Ex-Governor Beriah Magoffin died on the 26th at Harrisburg, Ky. He was elected Governor of Kentucky in 1859. A lawyer, statesman, politician, philanthropist, he was one of the State's most prominent and wealthy citizens.

At a stump speaking at Harrison, Ind., a few days ago John Beardsley, aged 60, swallowed over a large bottle of bluing sugar-water which he mistook for his medicine, and died shortly after the 26th. No one was near at the time, and when found he was yelling in the purge receptacle, but was lifeless and in a most horrible condition.

At Kansas City, Mo., on the 26th ult., workmen at a sewer excavation were thawing giant powder when it exploded with terrible force, shattering the windows in the vicinity. A young man, R. H. Keith, a prominent merchant, received dangerous injuries. The shock was felt in all parts of the city.

The people of Strasbourg, Mich., have for some time had under surveillance persons whom they suspected were secretly engaged in enlisting recruits for the British army in Egypt, and on the 1st warned the recruiting agents that further prosecution of their mission would subject the offenders to arrest and imprisonment.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Henry M. Stanley, in an interview a few days ago, expressed the belief that General Gordon might have escaped if he had chosen to remain aboard one of his steamers and had refrained from the White Nile when it became known that Khartoum could [illegible] Stanley thinks Gordon [illegible] large [illegible] Mahdi [illegible] Pashas [illegible] Mahdi advance.

Both the sons of the late Mrs. Myra Clark Gaines have been rejected by Judge Houston, of New Orleans. That in favor of Mrs. Evans is pronounced a forgery. The non-objective will was in favor of her children. The succession will have to be administered according to Louisiana laws. An appeal to the supreme Court will be taken.

The Society for the Propagation of the Faith in France, in acknowledging the receipt of a letter from the late Plenary Council, thanks Archbishop Gibbons and the hierarchy of America for their cheering words and expresses the hope that the generosity of the faithful in America may add to the maintenance of the good work.

Sir Stafford Northcote's motion of censure of the Government's policy in the Soudan was defeated in the House of Commons on the 27th ult. by a majority of fourteen for the Government, the vote standing yeas 288, nays 302.

The Canadian cattlemen have formed an association for mutual protection to be known as the Dominion Cattlemen's Association, with John Dunn, of Toronto, as President.

Advices from Cape Coast Castle state that the British have hanged ten of the leading participants in the murderous riots at Winnebah.

The ocean steamship companies of Montreal fear the loss of their immigrant carrying trade through the superior inducements in immigrants to come into the country via New York. The railway rates west from that point have been cut to such an extent that Canadian railways can not attempt to compete with them.

An excursion party of Americans left the City of Mexico on the 31 to celebrate the inauguration of Cleveland as President of the United States on Mount Popocatapetl, the highest mountain in America.

LATER NEWS.

The municipal elections in Maine were held on the 2d. John W. Deering, Democrat, was chosen Mayor of Portland by a plurality of 351 over John H. Fogg, Republican candidate. The Prohibitionists polled 410 votes. The City Councils are about equally divided politically. At Bath James M. Wakefield, Republican, was elected Mayor by a majority of 646 over Galen C. Moses, Democrat and Citizens' candidate. The Aldermen and Councils are Republican.

A SECRET meeting of revolutionary Irishmen was held at the residence of a well-known Irish-American at Washington Heights, Brooklyn, on the evening of the 2d, and plans were discussed for the elaboration of the programme already decided by the Clan-na-Gael and other societies, to send an Irish brigade to Egypt to assist the Mahdi. Only men who had held commissions in the Fenian army in 1866 and Irishmen who fought in the Union ranks were present. There were no dynamiters invited.

DISPATCHES from Massowah state that a messenger who has just arrived from Kassala, says that previous to his departure the beleaguered garrison made another sortie. They were, however, repulsed with fearful loss, losing twenty-eight officers and 632 men. Little hope is now entertained for the relief of the city whose 20,000 inhabitants have for some time been on short rations. The city has been resisting a siege by the Mahdi's forces for over a year and must soon fall unless relieved by a large body of troops forwarded from either Massowah or Assab.

SUPERINTENDENT MAXWELL reported to the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce on the 2d the result of the winter's packing in that city. The total number of hogs packed during the winter months of 1884-85 was 385,435, against 365,451 the previous winter, and the increase this winter is 19,984 over the packing of last winter.

THE Senate held an all night session on the 2d discussing the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill. A number of unimportant amendments made in the House were rejected. The Senate amendment appropriating $3,000 to reimburse ex-President Hayes for amount paid for expenses of the Commission sent to Louisiana in 1877, was agreed to without a word of comment or dissent. A joint resolution was read and laid over requesting the President of the United States to enter into negotiation with the States of the Latin Union and other powers for the free coinage of silver. The section appropriating $400,000 to aid the New Orleans Exposition was adopted. In the House the Committee on Appropriations reported back the Naval Appropriation bill with Senate amendments, and asked that they be considered in the House as in Committee of the Whole. The principal amendments were non-concurred in and the bill sent back to conference. Mr. Bennett called up the contested election case of Fredericks vs. Wilson (Fifth Iowa district) and a question of consideration was raised. The members commenced filibustering and kept it up until a late hour at night without getting a vote on the question when Mr. Holman submitted a report on the Legislative Appropriation bill agreeing upon all of the 176 amendments except one involving $39,432 for the pay of clerks to Senators who are not chairmen of committees. The conference report was then adopted.

LABORERS ON THE FARM.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—My attention was called to an article in the Tecumseh HERALD of Feb. 19th written by "American Boy" in regard to the discussion on "German Labor" by the Farmers' Social Club. I was not present at that meeting and consequently do not know to whose remarks, or to what he so much objects. I dislike any controversy through the papers, but I am jealous of the honor and interests of the club, and I think that there are points in his article, entirely erroneous and which may lead to harm by the misrepresentations which it contains, not so much as the club or farmers as to the applicants for labor. I know this subject is discussed freely by farmers upon the streets of evenings by large numbers who congregate there, and which the ideas contained in the said article are ventilated freely to the discredit and detriment of laborers and to the majority of their employers. It leads them to imagine that they are poorly paid, improperly cared for, and excessively worked in season and out of season, consequently they become discontented, sour, morose, and insulting; and as we all are very apt to be treated as we treat others they make their condition unhappy and miserable, when it could be pleasant and agreeable. This state of feeling often leads them to leave a good and profitable situation to do much worse. Farmers furnish homes and employment to a large class whose talents, means, training and education would bar them from other pursuits.

"American Boy" speaks of his "meager earnings." I would say that a good hand, whose reputation stands high, can command good and profitable remuneration for his labor, considering that he has all the necessaries of life, save the one article of clothing provided for him, to say nothing of the luxuries as libraries, socials, entertainments, and dining with guests.

When the products of his labor are compared with that of the farm, and we consider the amount of money required in the investments and expenses of the latter, and the slight amount required in the former, his pay is not meager, and he can save up a handsome competency out of it, if he is steady in his habits, industrious and economical, as farmers have to be, as has been done by many farm hands whom I now have in my mind and who now have good farms of their own.

It used to be a common saying in our neighborhood by farmers, that if they wanted to hire money they could always find it more readily with some month hand than anywhere else. These men who have earned their farms as month hands, now find as much fault as any other class with their help, because they know what a man ought to do if he earns his money. If I agree to pay a man twenty dollars for a month's work, and then refuse to pay him but ten dollars, he says I steal one-half of his wages, or ten dollars of his hard earnings. So if he agrees to give me a months faithful labor for twenty dollars and idles away one-half his time, I say he has wronged me equally as much out of ten dollars clean cash.

Again, "American Boy" says, "when you hire a man by the month do you specify how many hours he shall work?" Not at all, it is unnecessary. It is a well established fact that no FARMER adopts a ten hour system. It cannot be done. If a man works a team, that team has to be cared for morning and night, and if the six o'clock bell rings they must be fed all the same. Every farmer understands, and every month hand ought to understand, if they do not, that when they hire out by the month it means all day from morning until night. They sell their time for money, and it means that their time is the farmers. This should be understood, lest some should be deceived and leave their ten hours a day situation in a shop and hire out on a farm expecting to drive a team, ride a sulky plow, hay rake or mower a part of the time for ten hours, and then be furnished with a good horse and carriage, library, company, home amusements, or some other entertainments for the balance of the day. No my friend, this is not the case. Be not deceived, you who accept the situation, do it understandingly, it means labor, physical labor. No man hires you for your company altogether, although they had rather have an agreeable man in the family than one who tried to make himself disagreeable.

The mechanic works his ten hours, and then has a home and family to look after, and chores about the house to attend to. The farm hand does his day's work and then has chores about the farm to look after, his own comfort being provided for by his employer.

Again, he asks some member to "qualify his assertions" when he says "we can not get such help as we used to," and "that American Boys wanted to run to town too often and too much nights." I cannot see what qualification he wants. It is all too true. And the practice is not beneficial to the man who hires out or the man who hires him, and he cannot blame farmers if they do dislike to have their sons "associate" with him as long as he persists in these habits. These habits, my friend, will not lead you to "fill the offices of trust and honor," "to make the laws of our country," or "to the Presidency." Our Presidents were RAIL SPLITTERS, they attended strictly to business. They did not idle away their time on the street corners trying to kick up a strike among farm hands.

If farm help want to make a strike, the farmers have the advantage in the contest. I am not positive but that it would be an advantage to farmers generally if no help of any kind could be procured. Then he would be obliged to farm only what land he could till with his own help; the balance of the farm would be resting and accumulating fertility so as to produce "an hundred fold" whenever it was under cultivation, and the value of its products would be increased in like proportion when ready for market.

A MEMBER.

The Union Club of Macon will meet at Grange Hall, Tuesday evening, March 10, at 7:30 P. M. All members are requested to be present as there will be important business transacted. All that are in favor of temperance are cordially invited to meet with us. Speakers are expected.

BY ORDER OF COM.

WINTER CARE OF FARM STOCK.

Paper read before the Franklin and Tecumseh Farmers' club by Henry Wilson.

The "winter care and management of farm stock" is the most important subject for the consideration of Farmers and Breeders in this age of progression. The farmer or stock breeder who does not study his business and be ever ready to "catch on" to new ideas (if they are sensible) will not succeed. The time has come when we as farmers of Southern Michigan can not compete with the great West, either in raising grain or stock without the utmost care in breeding and feeding our stock. By scientific breeding and grading upon stock, we can produce an animal that will command fancy prices in the eastern markets at a cost but very little more to breed and raise a steer that when 2 yrs. old will weigh 1200 lbs. than a scrub that will only weigh 700 or 800. The first will bring 5 cents per lb. giving you $60 00 while the latter would be dear at 3 cents or from $20 to $25. The same is true with horses, sheep and swine. The time is gone by when sheep that will shear 3 or 4 lbs. of wool per head can be made profitable. The improved breeds of hogs are taking the place of the old fashioned "land shark" hogs our grandfathers kept that would reach through the fence and dig up the third row of potatoes. While my experience has been limited, I will give my method of caring for stock in winter, at the same time will be open to criticism, and hope the members will not hesitate to point out my errors.

First, do not keep more stock than you can feed and house well being very careful to not get over stocked; it would be better sell part at a great sacrifice at the opening of winter rather than have too much stock. All stock should have warm, clean quarters, cleanliness being very essential to the health of all stock in winter. Feed regular and in a clean place. I think two feeds per day is sufficient with plenty of pure water. To begin with horses—I should not feed too much hay, think 10 or 15 lbs. two or three times a day plenty with two feeds of grain. Although I am not much of a hand to rub and comb horses, still I think nothing pays better, as it keeps the skin in a healthy condition. Two quarts of oil meal two or three times a week is a grand thing for horses in winter with plenty of exercise.

I feed my cattle grain at night consisting of for cows, 4 quarts of corn meal, the same of bran and oil meal occasionally, in the morning a feeding of roots, then turn out and give stalks, no more feed till night. The curry comb pays on cattle as well as horses. A good carding 2 or 3 times a week is an excellent thing. Give them plenty of bedding; by plenty I mean an abundance so they can not get covered with filth.

My manner of feeding sheep is, first, breeding ewes I feed stalks in the morning with a small ration of grain, corn, oats and bran at noon, and plenty of exercise and pure water through the day, with a small amount of hay at night, housing them in a well ventilated shed. Lambs I grain twice a day, corn, oats and bran and hay twice, no corn fodder, as lambs do not take hold of stalks as older sheep do. I have salt where my sheep can get at it any time summer and winter and occasionally mix sulphur with it which has a tendency to keep the blood pure and the ticks from them. I have never been bothered to any extent with ticks. Sheep should be sorted into flocks of suitable size at the beginning of winter according to age, strength etc., and if you have any old sheep put them by themselves and do a little better by them and so with lambs that are undersized. In this manner you will get sheep through the winter that otherwise would run down and perhaps die.

To be successful with hogs they should be kept growing from the time of birth, the usefulness of a pig depending a great deal on the first eight weeks of his life. If he is allowed to become stunted he will cost more than he will fetch when ready for market. I think a great deal of bran for pigs, either made into a slop or fed dry, it develops bone. After a litter of pigs is four or five weeks old I crowd them by feeding the sow slops of bran, sour milk etc. Wean when eight weeks old and slop and feed soaked corn or wheat. If spring pigs I turn into clover and crowd them for all there is in them, and as soon as they will weigh 200lb live weight sell them. For wintering would prefer pigs from middle of August to first week in September. Get them well started and winter in a warm place, changing their bedding often and feed mixed feed. I feed my pigs 16 one bushel ears of corn a day with a peck of cooked potatoes or sugar beets, and for swill I scald bran with a little oil meal occasionally. Thus by judicious care and management, we may bring our stock through the winter so that they will be in good health and flesh for turning out to pasture in the spring. Finally, brother farmer, let us keep pace in the improvements practicable in other branches of industry and if we never become millionaires, we may have the satisfaction of knowing that we have done our best.

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CAMBURN—AUSTIN.—At the South Macon parsonage, Sunday evening, March 1, 1885, by Rev. Chas. S. Dutton, pastor Reformed Church, Arthur M. Camburn, and Eva M. Austin, both of Macon.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, March 3, 1885.

Broderick, Maggie	Reed, Minnie
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Remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Batch, Mich., March 1st, 1885:

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JOHN BRITTON, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, March 1, 1885.

Bachman, H.	Lowhead, William
Berlus, A.	Livingston, William
Beevis, Wm.	Long, John
Burk, Ira	Leb, Geo.
Bush, Miss Kate	Lee, G.
Cadmus, Wm.	McIntyre, William
Darrah, Robert	McCarthy, Tom
Dibble, A. F.	Miller, N.
Freeman, Mr.	Miller, F. F.
Hathaway, S.	Miller, James
Harway, George	Prelep, August
Hubel, Nelson	Ryan, Emma
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Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00 @ 5 50
Beef Hides	8 @ 9
Calf skins ₩ lb	8 @ 9
Corn in ear	20 @ 25
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	@ 45
Clover seed	4 50 @ 5 00
Chickens—dressed	@ 17
Eggs ₩ doz	@ 15
Flour ₩ barrel	4 50 @ 5 00
Hogs—dressed ₩ cwt	5 00 @ 5 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	50 @ 4 00
Hay ₩ ton	6 00 @ 8 00
Honey ₩ lb	@ 15
Ham ₩ lb	@ 12
Lard, ₩ lb	@ 8
Oats, ₩ bushel	25 @ 30
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 25
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	35 @ 40
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 75
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@ 1 75
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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Quite like March.

Mr. Alonzo Mills called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterns visited Agent Sutton and family last week and left for Holland on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riggs, of Milan were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Rappleye Sunday.

The Sunday school are making preperations for a concert to come off two weeks from next Sunday evening.

Mr. Emery Stowell, of Dundee, visited Mr. Lafe Rappleye and family Monday.

On Monday, Train No. 31 going East, due here 3:47 P. M. standard time, got show bound near Pulaski and did not get here until 8:30 Tuesday morning.

Mr. A. E. Palmer, of Hillsdale surprised his folks by making them a call Monday evening. He left for Detroit Tuesday morning.

Mr. Wm. Snedicor, of Tecumseh, was on our streets shaking hands with old friends Tuesday. We are glad to see him out again.

Mr. Vernie Barrett and Smith Pocklington are in Hillsdale visiting friends this week.

The attendance at the social on Friday night held at the home of Mrs. M. M. Florence was well attended. The conundrums and the Ridgeway Socialist, a lively little sheet with a lady editor, and other rhetorical exercises made the evening pass by very pleasantly. The next social will be held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Wilson on next week Friday eve.

Rev. J. M. Kerridge, of Clinton, will deliver a lecture at the Hall on Friday night next. Subject, Martin Luther, after which the Literary society will elect officers for the ensuing term.

Mrs. Winders gave a birthday party Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. A. Barrett, and quite a number of her lady friends enjoyed the afternoon very pleasantly. After tea was served the ladies presented her with an elegant cap, which was a surprise to her, and she says it reminds her of Old England. She is 66 years old and is quite smart.

On Saturday night between 8 and 9 o'clock two little boys aged 7 and 9 years, sons of Mr. John Sones who lives one and a half miles south west of Macon village on the Saline road, left their home after dinner to set some traps on the prairie, and got lost. They wandered away until they arrived here. Mr. S. P. Smith gave them some supper after which J. D. Arner started home with them and met their father and Mr. James Nobies hunting for them, near Mr. Wm. Clarkson's, where they took the brave little trapers home with them.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson is visiting friends at Tecumseh this week.

Though he were dead yet he liveth. The Britton correspondent, and once more we hear a blast from his bugle. He wishes the correspondent up the creek to explain what he was driving at a few issues ago in regard to Brittonites saying that the Ridgeway church was going to fall down, building or congregation. What we said was that it was reported at Britton that our church, not the congregation, was not safe and liable to fall at any time. He says if we will give him the right clue will hunt up the author of the report and have him hung. We would recommend him to begin on one side of their village, and make a clean sweep of it and he will do a good job. He also says if we had a dance man and a banjoist we could offer a better program at our entertainments. He must have forgotten that they have the only dance man and banjoist there is in the town and that they need him for their Box entertainments, given by the band boys, and they must keep him busy, for he has no hair on his head. He seems to think the one thing they most need is a hotel, not a saloon or a whiskey hole, but a first class public house. We think it can be done, for we understand from good authority that the gniht of the Inauguration Party that a case of beer was hid in a strawstack where one could help himself.

MACON MUSIC.

Another accident at the mill. This time Mr. Jacob Horning is the unfortunate person. While at work there one day last week, he was struck on the head by a slab thrown down from above by one of the other men employed there. Though the injury is not serious yet it was a narrow escape and might have been worse.

School is out for a two weeks' vacation.

Quite a sightly spectacle took place here last week. Mr. Gough, the itinerant spectacle vender swooped down upon this part of the woods and had unusual good fortune I should judge from the amount of business done and artificial eyes left here.

We were all quite surprised to learn of the marriage of Mr. Elmer Camburn and Miss Eva Austin, who were married by the Rev. Mr. Dutton at the parsonage last week Sunday evening.

Quite an interest is shown here in the meetings being held at the Baptist church. They are well attended and it is hoped much good will be done by them.

Mrs. Edwin Howell ventured out one day last week in a carriage. Owing to the extremely bad condition of the roads, and while returning from Tecumseh where she had been, the carriage upset, throwing her out upon the ground. She had quite a fright, but fortunately was not injured seriously.

The people of Macon gave Mrs. Burgess quite a surprise Wednesday evening of last week. It being her birthday, her daughter, with the co-operation of a few friends induced her to leave her home for the day, and while she was gone prepared for the company who were to come in the evening. Upon her return home she found her house full of company, and was indeed taken by surprise. Supper and a pleasant time.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

No service was held at the M. E. church last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Fannie Flick, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, two miles west of here.

Mrs. Sisson and daughter, of Jackson, were visiting at Edwin R. Vest's last week.

Mrs. J. C. Burroughs had the misfortune to fracture her collar bone last week Tuesday. Dr. Burchard was called and under his supervision she is rapidly improving.

Charles Johnson and wife, of Detroit, spent a few days in Clinton last week.

Mrs. Charles Clark entertained a party of young people at her home last Thursday evening in favor of Miss Lizzie Carrol.

The spectacle social at Mrs. Charlie Green's last week was a very enjoyable affair. Spectacles of all colors, shapes and sizes were worn by young and old. One young man escorted six ladies out there and kept a watchful eye over them all with the aid of only one pair of spectacles.

Service is held every Wednesday evening at St. John's church during Lent; also a short service in the afternoon for the children.

The entertainment to be given by the junior class of the high school will be given at the Town Hall on the evening of March 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCollam spent Sunday in Manchester the guest of Mr. McCollum's mother.

The funeral of Mrs. William Miller, of Brooklyn, was held at the Catholic church last Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Crowell Eddy died at her home in Franklin last Tuesday morning. She has been a sufferer from heart disease for several years, which, combined with a severe cold, was the cause of her death.

State-lecturer Robinson, of Mt. Clemens, Mich., lectured before the members of this lodge last Monday night. Masons were present from Manchester, Tecumseh, Springville and Macon.

Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Conklin visited Clinton last Monday returning home Tuesday morning.

At the corporation election Monday two tickets were presented. One, called the Corporation Ticket, was the result of a caucus held Friday night. The other, the Peoples Ticket, was made up Saturday. All the candidates on the second ticket were elected except the treasurer, F. D. Lancaster, between whom and the candidate for the same office on the other ticket, Frank Brown, there was a tie. A vote will be taken by the board of trustees at their next meeting, at which time it will be decided to whom the office belongs.

We were startled to learn of the death of Fred H. Johnson last Wednesday at Oxford Junction, Iowa. He was at work on an engine Monday and in attempting to step off made a miss-step and fell. He was unconscious when taken home but grew better and strong hopes were entertained for his recovery until Wednesday, when he was told he could not live. He died Wednesday night at 10 o'clock. His remains were brought to Clinton for burial. The services were held in the Congregational church Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Barnes officiating. The deceased was well known here and had a large circle of friends, having made Clinton his home at different intervals during his early manhood. He leaves a wife and one daughter five years old. They have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their sad affliction.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Henry Knowles, of Dundee, gets the contract for building the new school house.

The stave mill will resume operations next week. Wages at $1.00 per day.

John Winslow is on the sick list, but still the saw mill runs with Jas. Smith at the helm.

At the school meeting Saturday evening quite a lively time occured, and when the fragments were cleared up some were found under the seats, so reported, and lights blowed out, but no one hurt. Now for a lively time in Britton; call another school meeting.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Mrs. William Miller said good bye to earthly troubles at ten minutes past four o'clock on Saturday morning, March 7th, 1885, after an illness of three years' duration. For some unexplained reason she expected death at that time and gave her friends warning two weeks ago.

The Lyceum indulged in the mock trial of a criminal Thursday evening, and dispensed justice without aid from a hangman. As there were but few men present the jury was made up mostly of women which accounts for the soft verdict. Its the first time they have been granted a feathers weight of say about this great society convenience, and it discouraged them so about pursuing their cradle vocations they refused to entertain a thought of its pecuniary advantage. Our only reminders of inaugural day were petitions for post-office honors. They were not numerous enough to produce an eclipse of the sun, but temporary insanity is expected to attack the gay reader of the mill as soon as they reach there.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Business of all kinds has revived somewhat since the weather brake was applied.

Sick ones are numerous with us and physicians consequently busy.

The steam saw mill of Morley & Walker is puffing again and has a goodly collection of logs to work up.

Numerous speculative theories are extant relative to the postmastership, and a voluminous list of names suggested as probable or possible appointees. To us the legal enactments protecting both government and people against fraud or grievances appears adequate to allay any uneasiness arising from the matter. Partisan and personal interests wane: no one can hesitate to acknowledge that we will be as well served in the future as in the past. And that is sufficient.

Monday morning three of the village dogs made a raid on Charles Smith's sheep yard and killed and mutilated twelve valuable fine wools. The slaughterers were promptly shot, and were the same kind of pills administered to a score more of our pet canines, the place would be correspondingly benefited and the owners none the poorer. What earthly good the gray or yeller or any other colored dog that lays about the house and consumes as much as a two hundred pound porker can do a laboring man with no tramps to bite, or property to guard, is a problem for which we fail to propose a satisfactory solution. Will some kindly explain!

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

Your Springville correspondent has almost surrendered to the extreme cold of last month, but will try and give you a few items.

Our old pioneer, George Sheeler, has been very sick but is now on the gain.

The Springville school closed its winter term on the 28th of Feb.; has been under the charge of Henry Daniels.

Our fishermen last week were trying to secure some of the finny tribe through the ice but with poor success.

Miss Mary Booher left town last week to visit relations in Hillsdale, Co.

On Sunday C. L. Vaughan of Brooklyn, was visiting at Dr. J. Vaughan's.

Jos. H. Smith, of Tecumseh Lumber Co., spent the Sabbath at his father's.

R. L. Rogers has rented his farm to his son Ira and they are now engaged in gathering the materials for a dwelling for his son, to be completed as soon as possible. Chas. E. Smith has the job.

I have just learned of the death of another Pioneer, Wm. Smith, who came into our town from England in 1835. His last place of residence was in Rollin; the funeral will be held on Tuesday the 10th inst. He was an honest, industrious man. Thus depart our old settlers. There are now but few of the voters of 1836—only seven left.

Our snow is leaving us slowly and all danger of floods vanish.

The report is that the wickedest place in town is at the pool table at Onsted.

There is some talk about town meeting; the prospects are that there will be three tickets in the field—Fusion, Prohibition and Republican. The township meeting will be held at the Springville Hotel.

ONSTED ODDS.

William Shultis will have an auction March 13th.

E. Spalding and wife, who have been boarding at William Knapp's, have gone to house-keeping.

R. L. Glenn's little girl fell down the cellar stairs Monday and was badly bruised. No bones were broken.

Mr. E. Hause will sell his farming implements and household furniture at auction March 24. He intends to return to Pennsylvania.

School closed in Dist. No. 5, Monday, March 9. A literary entertainment, consisting of dialogues, music, recitations and selections were given in the afternoon.

Wilson Lee, after being snow bound in the street for six weeks, has finally got his store settled on his lot on the south side of the railroad. He reports business increasing.

R. L. Glenn has moved the partition in the rear part of his store about 8 feet further back, and is putting in new counters, etc. He evidently contemplates increasing his stock.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 3, 1885:

Estate of John Dings, deceased; petition for assignment of dower; order appointing commissioners in dower.

Estate of Geo. Schroeder, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing March 23.

Estate of Charley Mills, minor; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Geo. Michael Klein, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing March 23.

Estate of Jacob Bovee, deceased; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Johannes Newman, deceased; petition for the appointment of administrator; hearing March 23.

Estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased; warrant and inventory filed

Estate of John W. Giles, et al., minors; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing March 30.

Estate of Ann V. Rose, Minor; petition for certified letters of guardianship; hearing March 23.

Estate of Elhin Ford, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing March 23.

Estate of Eliza G. Rogers, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Phoebe Lester, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report.

Estate of Thomas Fitzpatrick, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing April 6.

Estate of Daniel O'Conner, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Benjamin Wilcox, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Lucy D. Ross, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $3,000; renunciation of one of the executors filed.

Estate of Samuel W. Hagaman, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrators first account allowed; assignment.

Estate of Edmund S. Garnsey, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's first account.

Estate of Freeman Rice, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; appraisers and commissioners appointed; application for allowance for support of widow; order for an allowance.

Estate of Lucretia Rice, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $1,000.

Estate of Mary Ravn, et al., minors; affidavit of publication; testimony taken and filed; guardian appointed; bond $1,000.

Estate of Martha Jones, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate of James H. Bigelow, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of James Keegan, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing April 6.

In the matter of Birtie Chapman, a dependent and neglected child; application for admittance to state public school; testimony taken and filed; order for admission.

The Adrian Press says: Clinton, with a population of 250, has 57 widows in its precincts. Woe to the bald-headed man that gets delayed a day in that town.

The Local says there are 20 widows in that town. Here is an important question in dispute we should be pleased to have settled.

Tecumseh Herald

SOMETIME.

A Sermon by Bishop Foss and the Cedar Street.

SKATING.

The Distinction Between Skating On the Ice and In the Rink.

HORSES.

How They Are Often Ruined Through Mismanagement.

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GEORGE D. PRENTICE.

Incidents in the Career of the Renowned Humorist.

There is a sort of general idea that Prentice was "a bad man with a gun," a duelist, and all that sort of thing. Nothing could be more erroneous. The fact is he never fought a duel, but was sometimes, from the nature of his business, forced to personal and sudden rencounters. He was frequently challenged, but always made fun of messages. Once he wrote his challenger that it only took one fool to send a challenge, while it took two to fight, and he didn't wish to be classed in the category. On another occasion he accepted the challenge, and having the choice of weapons, insisted that each man should be armed with a straw and a cask of whiskey, and that each should suck with his straw from his own cask until one fell, and that one should be considered vanquished and the other's honor satisfied.

Prentice was an exceedingly candid man, as the following anecdotes will show: Once Will S. Hays, the famous song-writer, in conversation with him, said: "I suppose, Mr. Prentice, you have seen my last song?" With a sly and quizzical look at the minstrel, he replied: "Well, I hope so, I'll."

Coming out of a public building one day, where there were double doors which swung in and out, a young man, who was coming in, pushed against the left-hand side of the door in which to enter, while Mr. Prentice was pushing against the other side of the door, trying to make his exit. The result was a ridiculously awkward halt. Finally, when the two had managed to get the door open, Mr. Prentice said to the stranger: "My young friend, in making your way through the world, if you will only keep to the right you will never run against anybody but a fool, and you needn't apologize to him."

Somebody stole the unabridged dictionary once from the editorial room of the *Journal*, and Mr. Prentice, having occasion to use that valuable tome, discovered the loss. Forthwith he ordered that another copy of the book be purchased at once. "For," said he, "no one but a shameless egotist would attempt to edit a newspaper without a dictionary."

Mr. Prentice's hat was one of his eccentricities. He always had it more than half full of bits of paper not larger than a postal stamp, on each of which he had written a word or two, in the way of memoranda. Besides, he carried his pocket-knife, pencils, scissors, spectacles and portemonnaie in it, and sometimes, in an absent-minded way, he would put a well masticated chew of tobacco into it instead of throwing the cud away.

Many persons from abroad used to call on Mr. Prentice when they were in Louisville, as though he was one of the curiosities of the city, or just for the purpose of being able to say that they had talked with such a great man, and this was peculiarly annoying to him, as he was inclined to be retiring and really never thought of comprehending his own fame. On one occasion an old friend called on the editor, and brought with him a callow young man from some undefined locality in the rural districts. This youth was particularly curious, and actually asked Mr. Prentice to say something funny. The ludicrous remark was smoothed over as quickly as possible by the gentleman who brought the young man in, and shortly thereafter some liquid refreshments were ordered to be brought up to the sanctum. Mr. Prentice had chosen a mint-julep, and when it came he held it up and asked the gentleman why that drink was like his young friend? Of course the young man, feeling flattered by the attention, was eager to know, and begged for the answer to the conundrum. Finally, turning to the gentleman, Mr. Prentice said with a pleasant smile: "This is a greenhorn!"

Once Mr. Prentice met an acquaintance on the street who was very much intoxicated, and he declared to the wit that he was all hunkidori." "What do you mean by hunkidori?" said Mr. P. "I mean, sir," said the inebriate "that I am pretty drunk." "Well," said Mr. Prentice, "if hunkidori means pretty drunk, I think you are hunkidori." In 1868 Hon. Henry Watterson became editor and part owner of the *Journal*, and Mr. Prentice, who had grown quite feeble, did very little work. In the course of six months the *Journal* was consolidated with the *Courier* and became what is known as the *Courier-Journal*. About a year after, Mr. Prentice died at the residence of his son, Colonel Clarence Prentice, a few miles below Louisville, on the Ohio River.

He was a powerful editor, and was the most brilliant paragrapher of the age—indeed, the first one of any note. His wit was bright and sparkling, his satire keen, his eloquence grand, his poetry beautiful, his logic unanswerable. A deep thinker, a profound reasoner; genial, hopeful, human, and, therefore, sometimes erring, he had the best of friends, the bitterest enemies, and he was, all in all, a great and gifted man—a genius.—*W. L. Visscher, in Denver Opinion.*

—The Japanese are great bathers, using such hot water that fatal syncope is an occasional consequence. With them bathing is a sensuous luxury. Their neighbors, the Chinese, get inside as much clothing as possible, and are never seen in the streams in which their country abounds bathing or swimming. To go barefoot, except from dire necessity, is with them indecent. The Malays and the natives of Aden are many of them scarcely less than human ducks. A bit of silver can not reach the bottom of the sea before they have it. The Hindoos and Brahmins bathe especially in the Ganges as a religious exercise, smearing the body with oil first, if they can afford it.

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The Perfumery Trade.

Some kinds of perfumery are worth their weight in gold. The export of fine perfumery is principally from Grasse, Nice, Cannes and Bremen. The business is divided into two parts. The manufacturer extracts from the flowers their essential oils. The perfumer buys these oils, pomades and extracts, and compounds them in several ways.

Only about a dozen of all the fragrant flowers in the world are used in the manufacture of perfumery, viz.: the violet, rose, orange flower, jasmine, tuberose, cassie, lavender, thyme, rosemary, geraniums, jonquil and fennel. The rose and the orange are the most valuable. Of the numerous varieties of the rose, only one is used, the Province rose, single, pale pink, the most sweet smelling of roses; not hardy.

Picking for perfumery occurs in almost every month of the year. It is a paradoxical fact in the business that the bitter orange yields the best blossoms for perfumery. One ton of blossoms yields two pounds eight ounces of oil neroli. The fruit of the bitter orange yields a very fine essential oil, bigarade. It is used in many scents. The orange tree, cultivated for its oil, lasts with care over 200 years.

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A Regular "D. B."

Not long ago a well-known newspaper man took day board at the Sherman House, says the Chicago *Times*. He was at home in the place, and was a privileged character. One day he sauntered behind the office counter into the regions that are supposed to be sacred to gentlemen who wear diamonds and address congressmen, governors, tourists, porters, newsboys and other statesmen by their first names, when his eye happened to catch sight of his own name on a slip with others over the clerk-keeper's desk. He would not have given it a passing thought had not the letters "D. B." been attached. He "flew off the handle" on the instant, and demanded an interview with the proprietor. That august functionary was found, and to him the irate journalist addressed a few remarks. "Do I owe you anything?" he asked. "No, sir," was the prompt reply. "I have paid my bills all right so far as you know, haven't I?" "Certainly. I have no complaint to make."

"Then why do you permit your clerk to post me over his desk as a 'D. B.?'"

"I do not; there must be some mistake."

The journalist assured him that there was no mistake, and that he had seen the objectionable and significant letters with his own eyes. The more he thought of it the madder he got. The proprietor could not pacify him until he promised to have the matter investigated and the guilty man punished. It was found that the night clerk had perpetrated the outrage, and that evening the injured citizen took an early opportunity to take him to task. "What did you mean by putting 'D. B.' after my name?" inquired the newspaper man. "O, go away," he replied, thinking his interlocutor was chaffing, as was his custom "don't bother me." "No, I won't go away, and I demand a civil answer to my question."

The clerk looked up and saw an angry man in front of him. Then his countenance was suddenly bisected by a grin, and he doubled up like a man with the colic. "You took day-board, didn't you?" he inquired, as soon as he regained his composure. "Yes, I did, and I have paid for all the day-board I have enjoyed." "So you have," was the soothing response, "but just come around here a minute, till I show you something. You see you are in good company. You are an associate of several millionaires and railroad magnates. They are each and every one designated the same way, 'D. B.' That is short for 'day-board.' Regular boarders are marked 'R. B.'"

The journalist spent a week's salary trying to bribe his audience with liquid nourishment to keep still, but like all good things the joke leaked.

30 Years Experience.

An old nurse of 30 years experience says that she has never used a wine that has had such pleasing effect on her patients as that made by Mr. Alfred Speer of Passaic, N. J. It is a pure article and people have confidence in it. Ask your druggist for it and take no other. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

An English writer says that the middle class Englishman, as a rule, does not buy books, except a few classics and professional treatises, but waits for his chance at the book club or circulating library. There are instances where authors are asked to lend their own copies by men often times their income. Wine and china may be bought, but books must be hired for, says the writer, the English are educated to the point of reading, but not to paying for books.

From the Reverend Clergy.

Among the many ministers of the gospel, who have been helped by Brown's Iron Bitters, the Rev. E. A. Spring, Corydon, Iowa, says, "I used it for general ill-health and found it a great help." Rev. Jas. McCarty, Fort Stevenson, Dakota says: "It cured me of severe dyspepsia, and increased my weight twenty-five pounds." The Rev. Mr. Olley, New Bern, N. C., says he has taken it, and considers it one of the best medicines known. The Rev. Mr. Whitney, Hingham, Mass., says: "After a long sickness from lung fever I used Brown's Iron Bitters and gained strength." So throughout the States with hundreds and hunderds of other clergymen.

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A boy came home from school much excited, and told his father that the teacher said all human beings were descended from apes, which made the old man so mad that he replied angily: "That may be the case with you, but it ain't with me I can tell you that, now."

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"Relief!"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last!"
I was taken! "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain; their
Efforts were no good to me.
At last I heard a good deal
"About your Hop Bitters!
And determined to try them."
Got a bottle—in four hours I took the contents of
One!
Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a
"Sick!"
Hour, from the same cause since.
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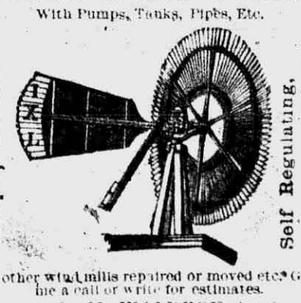

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I am gratefully yours,
EDGAR F. WHITMAN.

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MESSRS. C. I. HOOD & CO.—Gentlemen:—Please send me by express two bottles Hood's Sarsaparilla, and a few Cook Books for distribution. Your preparation has worked wonders in the case of my wife, who has been troubled with sick headache and biliousness for years. She only took one-half teaspoonful at a dose, and has not been so well for five years as now. She found that within a week after taking it she felt very much better, and is now entirely free from those severe headaches. She has not taken any of any account since last spring, and what little she had is lent to do some others some good, and we must have it in the house.

Yours truly,
HOMER B. NASH.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, bearing date November 23d A D 1879 to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent, which mortgage was recorded November 25, A D 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 98 of mortgages on page 255, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 18th A D 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 101 of Mortgages on page 393 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67), no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A D 1885 at 9 o'clock A M of that day at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE,
jan30 Assignee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Calvin Lawrence late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Hough & Hosmer, in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of March 1885, and on the 25th day of July 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of January 1885 are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Feb. 3, 1885.

S. PERRY HOSMER,
EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
f5b5 Commissioners. 6

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EXTENSION NOTES.

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Thinking that [illegible] New [illegible] I start the pen [illegible] Mar[illegible] [illegible] We arrived at [illegible] and after engaging a supper with a stir [illegible] the lightning express that is the pride where they use farther lightning [illegible] At 7 P. M. [illegible] from the depot. We joined [illegible] of white people by to a circle of blue and gray [illegible] Brothers [illegible] the rest for the weekend I refer you to the other boys. I sat up to keep them company. As we journey [illegible] the year [illegible] greenleaves and [illegible] we find it only in small patches at Cincinnati. We [illegible] and took a bite at [illegible] the Central depot and after a hearty breakfast we pick [illegible] the Queen & Crescent route for the land of Dixie. The first object of special interest was the high bridge across the Kentucky river which is 275 feet high and 1,200 feet long. There are twenty-seven tunnels on this route the longest being seven eighths of a mile in length and passing from the Alpha[illegible] [illegible] must be pretty deep. All the bridges and trestles on this line are made of iron. The country is poor and worse than the blue grass region, and that section remind one of the farming section about Tecumseh. But the buildings and improvements are not to be compared with ours. Nine hundred and thirty-six miles south of Cincinnati we saw the first team plowing. At 6 P. M. we crossed the Cumberland river at Point Burnside. At Greenwood we saw the wreck of an engine where it and nine freight cars went down a 60 feet. Three men were on board and no one hurt. We arrived here at 7 P. M. safe and sound, and were welcomed at the Staunton House, D. B. Tray having made preparations for our reception.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

Since writing our last letter, we have "done" the town. We find here a fine city of 16,000 inhabitants, white, black, yellow, copper colored and one albino boy, about six or seven years of age, born of black parents. The coldest weather they have experienced here this winter was 2° below zero. This is a large manufacturing town. Among the leading industries may be mentioned the Chattanooga Stove Works, employing 400 men; the Chattanooga Pipe foundry, 40 men; the Handle factory, 50 men; Chair factory, 50 men; roller mill, 400 men which has run full blast through all the hard times; furniture factory, 35 men; a large tannery; two blast furnaces and a lot of smaller establishments. The business men have built a railroad belt completely around the town, communicating with all the railroads, so that cars can all be loaded at the factory doors, switched to the proper road and shipped to any point in the South. We visited "Lookout" to day. A drive of 6½ miles was required to reach the top which was 1704 feet above the river. We saw the place where the boys in blue scaled the walls. I cannot attempt to give you even a faint idea of the scene spread out before us. Could we have lifted the smoke that hung over the summit we could have seen seven states, or a portion of them.

I would advise all who visit this place to stop at the Staunton House. It has splendid accommodations and reasonable rates. If they want a carriage, call on Owens & Co., and ask for Jim; he is the boss. In the National cemetry here rest the remains of 12,856 soldiers, of which 4,926 are unknown. More anon.

THE DOZEN.

The Hudson Post has got it bad. It says: At Hillsdale Saturday Mrs. W. H. Myers picked two dozen beautiful roses from a bush that was covered with snow to the depth of eighteen inches.

The old folks concert at Blissfield last week was a very successful affair.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S CABINET

We present below a portrait and biographical sketch of each member of the new cabinet. They are a [illegible] of commanding ability and well fitted for their respective portfolios. The only criticism we have seen passed upon it is the fact that [illegible] have been taken from the [illegible] state of New York. But the character of the two men [illegible] that slight [illegible] Hayard [illegible] and Dan[illegible] the three [illegible] [illegible] Manning and Whitney [illegible] as well known [illegible] executive ability. We predict that it will be a strong Cabinet. The new administration starts out with [illegible] with the indication that Cleveland [illegible] a good luck will still attend him.

HON THOMAS F BAYARD.

There is no name in the list of Democratic statesmen to which the party turns with greater reverence than that of Thomas Francis Bayard, U. S. senator from the diamond state. It is only the smallness of the territory represented by him which has kept his name from graching the presidential ticket of his party in presidential conflicts heretofore, and in 1880 he was second only to the successful nominee in the number of votes polled in the Democratic convention and after his defeat entered the campaign in the best of spirit and with the greatest enthusiasm for his successful opponent. Since his advent in public life no one has been more prominent in the great debates on questions of moment. In the greenback craze of 1878 he was one of the few public men who refused to dally with repudiation and demagogueing. His utterances have been so fraught with common sense, good judgment and withal so conservative that he has won the admiration of thinking men of all parties. Against a man of doubtful character he would prove an invulnerable candidate. He was born in Wilmington, Delaware, Oct. 29th, 1828, and was the son of the late Hon. James A. Bayard, of that state. He was educated partly at home and partly at Flushing School, and his training was in the direction of a mercantile career. He entered a hardware house in Philadelphia as a clerk, but tiring of the business he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1851. In 1853 he was appointed U. S. District Attorney of Delaware, but resigned in 1854. In 1868 his father was appointed to serve out an unexpired term in the U. S. Senate, and at the same election Thos. F. Bayard was elected for a full term of six years to take his seat in March, 1869, a remarkable circumstance in itself. He was reelected on the expiration of his term almost without opposition. He was chosen as a member of the famous electoral commission, and voted against counting in disputed states for Hayes. He is a member of one of the most distinguished families in his native state, has a large family and lives in a modest, economical and very retired way. He is highly respected by both political friends and foes. He was appointed Secretary of State by Cleveland, March 5th, 1885.

DANIEL MANNING.

Dan Manning, the famous manager of the Cleveland-Hendricks forces in the presidential contest of 1884, is one of New York's most prosperous business men. He is also the head of the regular Democratic organization in New York. He began the serious duties of life as an errand boy in the office of the "Albany Argus." He worked his way upwards until he became a compositor of that sheet, and showing marked aptitude he was given the position of local reporter, and soon after was entrusted to make the Legislative reports. The companionship of the eminent men of that day awakened the possibilities in young Manning and unfolded to a remarkable degree those traits of character for which he has since become famous. Upon the death of Mr. Cassidy of the Argus staff, Mr. Manning became the manager of that paper, and subsequently became the head of the enterprise. He was made the President of the Commercial Bank of Albany. He husbanded all of his opportunities and made the most of them. There is nothing sentimental in his make up. He is a cool, calculating, clearheaded business man. Mr. Manning was married to Miss Mar[illegible] Little of New York, and the union resulted in the birth of a son and daughter. Mrs. Manning died in 1880 or thereabouts, and in 1884 or 1885 Mr. Manning was married to Miss Fryer. This marriage was given great newspaper publicity in the account of the participants of the ceremony. Among those present at the ceremony were Cleveland and Flower and many lesser lights in public life. He was appointed Secretary of the Treasury by Cleveland March 5th.

WILLIAM CROWINSHIELD ENDICOTT.

William Crowinshield Endicott is a native of the old "Bay State" having been born in Salem Massachusetts in 1827. He entered Harvard University as a student and graduated therefrom in 1847. He then entered the law school of that institution, completed his studies in 1849. In 1850 he was admitted to the bar and began the practice of law. In 1873 he was called to the Supreme bench and held that position for nine years. In 1882 he was compelled to resign his position of trust in order to restore his shattered health, to accomplish which he made an extended tour of England and the Continent. Mr. Endicott's first political affiliation was with the old line Whigs, but in the Bell-Everett campaign he joined the ranks of the Democrats. He was a presidential elector in that memorable contest. In 1884 he ran for the governorship of Massachusetts but was defeated by Robinson, his Republican opponent. Judge Endicott is not a politician in the accepted sense of the term. He is averse to the machinations of the ward politicians and his opponents say he is impractical. He belongs to the better element of the Massachusetts Democrats. Personally Mr. Endicott is held in the highest esteem by all who know him. His health although better than at the time of his resignation from the bench, is far from being good, and the strain of a Cabinet position must eventually tell upon him. He was tendered the portfolio of Secretary of War, by Cleveland, but is said to have desired the Attorney Generalship, thinking himself better qualified to fill the latter position. He was appointed Secretary of War by Cleveland March 5th 1885.

WILLIAM COLLINS WHITNEY.

William Collins Whitney who has through his intimacy with President Cleveland, become a national celebrity, belongs to the younger branch of the Democracy. He was born in 1839 at Conway Massachusetts being the son of Gen. James S. Whitney, the great opponent of Gen. B. F. Butler. After a preparatory course at Williston Seminary, Easthampton, young Whitney entered Yale College in 1859. He graduated with high honors. He then attended the Harvard Law School and graduated therefrom in 1865. He settled in New York, entering the law office of Abraham R. Lawrence, now a judge of the Supreme Court. In 1871 Mr. Whitney first made his appearance as a party leader. At that time he was foremost in the organization of the now famous "Young Democratic Club," and was most active in opposition to the Tweed Ring. So vigorous and determined were his onslaughts that he attracted the attention of the great reformer, Tilden, and was materially assisted by that sage in all of his subsequent efforts. In 1872 he served upon the New York School Board and during the same year ran for the District Attorneyship. In 1875 he was appointed to the position of Corporation Council and held the position until 1882 when he resigned. During his term of office he was ever on the alert to further the interests of the city and gained a reputation for the thorough way in which he conducted all public matters. In 1882 when Cleveland ran for Governor of the "Empire State" Mr. Whitney was most active in the canvass and from that time the two have been the warmest and most intimate of friends. Mr. Whitney is reported to be quite wealthy and is an ardent admirer of horses. He can be seen daily driving in the Park. He is also some what of a sportsman. He was appointed Secretary of the Navy by Cleveland March 5th 1885.

LUCIUS QUINTUS CURTIUS LAMAR.

Lucius Quintus Curtius Lamar is the full name of the great South[illegible]. Senator Lamar is advancing to the sere and yellow leaf although as yet he gives little evidence of physical decay. When under great mental strain he gives way, and this is perhaps the only evidence of the nervousness of old age. In contrast with the general impression, Senator Lamar under ordinary circumstances, is a cool, impassionate man, and his counsel is often sought by members of both political parties. When, however, he becomes enthusiastic over his subject, the typical southern character leaps its bounds, and he is then the eloquent passionate pleader of his cause. He is above the average height and in his younger days was of magnificent physique. He is a great student. He was born in Putnam county, Georgia, in 1825, and graduated from Emory College in 1845. He studied law under the Hon. A. H. Chappell and was admitted to the bar in 1847. He went to Mississippi in 1849 and was made professor of mathematics in the Mississippi University. He resigned in 1850 and went to Covington, Georgia. He established a law practice and was elected to the legislature in 1853. In 1854 he returned to Mississippi and was sent to Congress. He sat in the 35th and 36th Congress. In 1861 he represented his state in the Congress of the Southern states, and during the same year entered the Confederate Army. In 1863 he was sent by Pres Davis to Russia on diplomatic business. After the close of the war he was sent to the 43rd and 44th Congresses, and in 1877 was sent to represent Mississippi in the U. S. Senate, and has continued to do so ever since. His term of office expires in 1889. He will have great influence in the new regime. He was appointed Secretary of the Interior by Cleveland March 5th 1885.

WILLIAM F. VILAS

William F. Vilas is a native of the staunch old Commonwealth of Vermont. That state is the Gibraltar of Republicanism, but notwithstanding this fact, Vilas is a sturdy and constant Democrat. He was born in July, 1840, and at the early age of eleven removed to Wisconsin. He graduated at the Wisconsin State University and also studied law at Albany. During the late war he served as an officer in a Wisconsin regiment. He first attracted the attention of the general public in a speech at a banquet of the army of the Tennesee in 1879. So eloquent was this address that it made him the cynosure of all eyes. He is one of the foremost lawyers of Wisconsin, practicing at Madison. He was commissioned to revise the statutes of Wisconsin, is a Regent in the State University, and a professor in its Law School. He came to national prominence in July of 1884, having been chosen chairman of the Democratic National Convention convened at Chicago. He was also made chairman of the committee entrusted with the commission to formally announce to Cleveland his nomination. As an orator he has gained a national reputation for his eloquence. He is one of the rising men of the bar and the Democratic party. In the Cleveland Blaine campaign of 1884 he was most active in the Western States, and through his ability did much to effect the election of Cleveland. As a reward for his services he was appointed postmaster-general by Cleveland March 5, 85.

AUGUSTUS H. GARLAND.

Augustus H. Garland of Arkansas was born in Tipton county Tennessee, on June 11th 1832. When but a year old his parents removed to Arkansas. He was given a classical education at St. Mary's College and St. Joseph's College in Bairdstown, Kentucky. After a thorough law course he was admitted to the bar in 1853 at Washington, Arkansas. The thorough education both in the classics and in the law, that he had received, has doubtless been the secret of his great success in life. After practising law for three years in Washington, Ark., he removed to Little Rock in 1856 and began the practice of law. He was a delegate to the Arkansas State Convention of 1861, when that body passed the ordinance of secession, and was a member of the Provisional Congress that met at Montgomery, Alabama in May of the same year. He was afterwards chosen to represent his state in the Confederate Congress, serving in both houses, being in the Senate at the close of the late unpleasantness. He was chosen to the U. S. Senate from Arkansas and his term should have begun March 4th 1867, but he was not allowed to take his seat. He made the first test oath case as to lawyers in the Supreme Court of the U. S. and gained it. He followed the practice of law until the fall of 1874 when he was chosen Governor of Arkansas without opposition. He was chosen to the U. S. Senate to succeed Powell Clayton, Republican and took his seat March 5th 1877. Although he was a member of the Convention that passed the resolution, in consequence of which Arkansas withdrew from the Union, he was antagonistic to the action, and strenuously opposed it. When, however his state did decide to withdraw, he, like many other men of the South, considered that it was his duty to assist his state in the struggle, and accordingly went out with his. Upon the floor of the U. S. Senate, Mr. Garland has distinguished himself in various ways. He is considered as the ablest lawyer and debater on the floor. He was made Attorney General by Cleveland March 5th 1885.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending March 3.

CAMBRIDGE.

J. E. Gibbs to Cora E. Darling. Land on sec. 28. $50.

Wm. Onsted to D. C. Corwin.—Land on sec. 28. $100.

CLINTON.

James Mark to Robert Service. Land on sec. 2. $400.

FRANKLIN.

Johnson Southwell to G. W. Brown. Land on sec. 8. $250.

TECUMSEH.

Frank Buman to C. E. Williamson. Land cor. Chicago and Ottawa sts. $7,000.

RAISIN.

P. W. Adams to J. H. Nyland. N w¼ sec. 1. $9,600.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOUND.—Key No. 10. Enquire of WM. JORDAN.

WANT TO EXCHANGE.—A valuable and highly improved farm of 80 acres situated within 2½ miles of Tecumseh, for a larger and cheaper farm. For particulars enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

HOUSE FOR SALE.—Large village lot, fine residence, desirable location. Will be sold at a bargain. For particulars enquire of FRED. B. WOOD.

FOR SALE.—House and lot. Enquire of O. T. HALL.

FOR RENT.—I have a very fine suit of rooms, consisting of double parlors with sliding doors between, two bed rooms with closets, a dining room, kitchen and pantry. The rooms are high, well lighted and very pleasant. They are in the "Mills block" now occupied by Dr. Coxhan as office and residence. The conveniences of hard and soft water, water closet and slop sink are on same floor. Will be for rent with or together after April 1st. A. W. MILLS.

LOST.—At the time the Tecumseh Library Association was formed the President of the Adrian Library Association very kindly loaned us a book entitled "Ladies Library History and other Documents." The book was used by those who took part in organizing our association, and is now doubtless in the possession of some one of them. It is about 7x11 inches in size, one inch thick, has dark leather back and matted paper sides on cover. Contains history of Adrian Library Association, history of Adrian schools and other documents. It is very highly prized by its owner and she is very anxious to regain its possession. Please look over your libraries carefully and see if this, to the owner a very valuable book, cannot be found and returned to A. W. MILLS.

VILLAGE LOT FOR SALE.—Any size, on Maumee st. Enquire of GEO. PRICE.

LAND FOR SALE.—130 acres of good land on Sec. 21, Ridgeway. Will divide to suit purchasers. Easy terms of payment. W. J. ANDREWS.

FOR SALE.—Two set of bobs astonishingly cheap at RICHART'S WAGON SHOP.

NEW SEWING MACHINE for sale cheap, at the HERALD OFFICE.

SELL OR EXCHANGE.—One pair trucks. Will exchange for hay or grain. Enquire at HERALD OFFICE.

Mr. Harry Barrett, of Adrian, spent last Sunday in Tecumseh.

Kies Bros. have a new card in this week's HERALD. Read it and profit thereby.

Tecumseh school teachers took a trip to Adrian last Friday and visited the art loan exhibition.

Mrs. H. L. Litchfield, of Salamanca, N. Y., is visiting her brother, C. M. Burlingame, in this village.

The young People's Lyceum will meet in the lecture room of the Methodist Episcopal church, on Friday, March 13, at 7:30 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to the public. Admission free.

A FEW KIND WORDS.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—We are much pleased to see the HERALD rapidly coming to the front and reaping the reward it justly merits by long years of hard toil and labor. Probably not very many comprehend or take much thought of the task required each week to present a fresh news-paper, full of good reading. Many will not help support a home paper, saying that it does not amount to any thing. They unjustly compare it with large state papers, whose editors spend hundreds of dollars every day to collect news from all parts of the world. It is noticeable however, that the home paper is generally grabbed the first one after the mail arrives and those who would not have it in the house generally borrow one to read. There are very many in and around the beautiful village of Tecumseh, of which we all love to boast, that could if they would contribute at the editor's solicitation a large amount of good reading matter that would be of benefit especially to the younger class. Of course it is unpleasant to bear the criticisms, and how did you come to know so much all at once; but that can all be got along with.

FIDO.

A DISASTROUS FIRE.

Last evening about eight o'clock the fire alarm sounded and the steamer was out and fired up in short order. The fire proved to be in the house of Thomas Cummins, on the corner of Evans and Cummins streets. The hose was laid at once to the fire. The steamer was stationed at the corner by Kinney's furniture store, but no water could be got. The supply was short or the hydrant was frozen. So the house burned down. The fire caught in the attic, probably from a defective chimney, and the snow on the roof smothered the flames, keeping them back for ten or fifteen minutes. Had there been any supply of water the flames could have been extinguished with but slight damage to the building. The contents of the dwelling were all taken out, although somewhat damaged by rough usage. The wood shed in the rear of the house was saved by spreading carpets over it and wetting them down. Webb Frazer was considerably scorched by getting too near the burning house, and John Orr had one hand severely burned. Gus Cummins was badly burned also. Mr Cummins had a policy of $1000 in the North American—$800 on the house and $200 on contents.

The experience of last evening should prompt the Common Council to institute some plan at once for providing the village with an efficient water supply. A fire engine without water is more ornamental than useful. Three or four large reservoirs should be built, or some other plan adopted to give us an abundant water supply which will be available in any emergency.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 12, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Morenci had a grand inauguration ball.

Saline will soon have a G. A. R. post.

Clinton held its charter election last Monday.

The new skating rink at Adrian is booming.

The new floor in the opera house is being laid this week.

We are indebted to Wm. H. Mather for late California papers.

Mr. Newcomer, of Balch, gave the HERALD a call on Saturday.

The revival meetings at the Baptist church continue this week with unabated interest.

Geo. L. Graves, of Milwaukee spent Sunday in Tecumseh. He made a flying trip as usual.

Rev. J. P. Farmer, of Hudson and Rev. C. E. Conley of this village, exchanged pulpits last Sunday.

We are under obligations to E. J. Smith, late state oil inspector, for a copy of his last annual report.

Mrs. E. A. Tribou has been spending a few days in Detroit, as the guest of Gen. Pittman's family.

Adrian was represented at the inauguration by a good delegation headed by editor Stearns of the Press.

The first official act of the new secretary of war, Wm. C. Endicott, was to countersign Gen. Grant's commission.

The village election at Blissfield was hotly contested, the fight being between the East-siders and West-siders.

The Presbytery of Monroe will meet in the Presbyterian church, Tecumseh, on Tuesday, April 14, continuing in session until Thursday or later.

Mr. C. E. Hewitt, traveling man for the firm of Barnes Bros., of Detroit, was in town yesterday, and made the HERALD a friendly call.

The Brownville Progressive Euchre Club met last evening at the residence of C. M. Burlingame. The meeting, next week, will be held at H. Smith's.

The Morenci Observer of last week was dressed in mourning and contained a lengthy account of the funeral obsequies of its late editor, E. D. Allen.

The Detroit Free Press has issued a neat pamphlet giving facts and figures for the consideration of advertisers. We acknowledge the receipt of a copy.

We have an interesting letter this week from "The Dozen" who comprised the New Orleans Excursion. We shall expect to hear from them again before their return.

Mrs. Wm. Waring, of Peoria Ill., arrived in Tecumseh on Saturday and has been visiting very hard with her many friends here. She returns to her home this afternoon.

Hon. John U. Harkness, of Rollin will this spring remove to the Raisin valley seminary farm. He receives a salary for overseeing the school property and will board students.

A. W. Slayton probably sells more baited hay than any other man in Southern Michigan. He has sold 50 car loads lately and has 40 more on hand. Must be a good year for hay.

Those who failed to hear Alba Heywood at the Opera House last week missed a rare treat. We consider him the best personator we ever heard and far ahead of Sol. Smith Russell.

Hudson Post: Tecumseh has a high-toned base ball association. The members stand pledged to bear all expenses, but some of them decline to contribute their assessment to the deficiency fund of last year.

Monroe Commercial: A Dundee young man, just past his majority, is said to be the hero of two decrees of divorce, and is looking up his third affinity. Discerning mamas and forlorn hopes, here's a chance for you.

Chas. Britton's child, at Adrian, died last week from what seemed to be a mysterious disease. After its death investigation showed that a kernel of wheat in the child's ear had sprouted and pushed itself into the brain.

An exchange remarks that between progressive euchre and roller rinks the saloons are poorly patronized, but the good of this point is neutralized by the further assertion that the prayer meetings are deserted for the same cause.

The east bound passenger on the M. & O. due here at 3:37 Monday afternoon did not arrive until eight o'clock Tuesday morning. The wind had drifted the snow at some points on the road six feet in height. The freight was fifteen hours late also.

The Adrian Times of last Saturday has this personal: Among the visitors at the art loan last evening were the following people from Tecumseh: Mr. and Mrs. F. Rosacrans, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brewer, Mrs. T. C. Cummins, Mrs. L. I. Bidwell, Mrs. Chas. Bidwell, and Misses Lillian Berky, Grace Parkhurst, Grace Willett, Kate Anderson, and Julia Snell.

S. A. James, of Detroit, made a flying trip to Tecumseh last Monday.

The Tecumseh band have purchased, with the profits of their recent entertainment, a fine silver plated tuba, which arrived yesterday. It is a very fine instrument.

The Tecumseh progressive euchre club met at the residence of D. W. Clark last Tuesday evening. Ed. Hough will entertain the club next Tuesday evening.

Advices were received yesterday at Adrian that Sheriff Whitmore had Tom Navin in charge and had left New Orleans with his prisoner. The sheriff and ex mayor are expected home to-day.

The new Monroe daily, the Evening Commercial, has been received. It is a neat six col. folio, containing a good assortment of telegraphic and local news. If hard work and pluck will achieve success, it certainly deserves to succeed.

Last Thursday, while Supervisor James was unloading a car of lumber, a stake broke, letting the lumber slide from the car and Mr. James was thrown to the ground. He was considerably shaken up and one shoulder cap was fractured. He is about again now, however, and yesterday he started for Lima, Ohio, with the other members of the Court House Committee.

Bert Waring leaves this afternoon noon for Peoria, Ill., where his father now resides, with the intention of making that city his home. Bert has been an efficient clerk in the post-office, and we dislike very much to lose him. The good wishes of his friends will go with him. We almost wish that he may get homesick and come back in a few weeks.

Another Survivor of the Old Convention of 1835.

R. Patterson, Esq., of Cassopolis, son of Jos. H. Patterson, formerly of Lenawee County, and one of the eight delegates from this county to the convention of 1835, received a letter lately from Benj. B. Morris, dated at Snow Hill, Worcester Co., Md., stating that he was one of the delegates to that convention from Oakland County. Mr. Patterson sent to John J. Adam, a copy of the Cassopolis paper containing the letter. Mr. Adam recollects well the presence of Mr. Morris in the convention. His survival was probably unknown to any of his now living colleagues. We append Mr. Morris's letter as it appeared in the Cassopolis Democrat:

SNOW HILL, WORCHESTER CO. Md.,
February 26, 1885.

R. PATTERSON, Esq., Cassopolis, Mich. Dear Sir: As I had the honor of being one of the members of that convention from Oakland, duly elected in my absence from home, and did my duty manfully when voting was to be done, I think possibly some of my good friends in Oakland may feel neglected if the name of their member is allowed to be passed over without notice, if any survive. I doubt if many are yet living.

It is a great many years since I have knowingly seen any one who was a member of that convention, or whose acquaintance I made there. I have from time to time learned of some one's disease and have thought perhaps I was the last.

My home for the last twenty years or more has been near New York, coming here some two years since. Fifty years is a good while to remember individuals whose acquaintance is made only as a member of a debating convention, but I remember distinctly Mr. John J. Adam, who possessed many agreeable qualities which it is pleasant to remember. I am, sir, very truly yours, B. B. MORRIS.

A BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Saturday, the 28th of February, a number of relatives and friends met at her residence in this place to celebrate the anniversary of the 88th birthday of Mrs. Sarah Edwards. A sumptuous dinner was prepared and the house in every way arranged for the comfort and enjoyment of the guests by her only remaining child, a daughter who had made her mother's home her home most of the time for 58 years. As the events of the past were discussed by the relatives, fixing, or trying to fix the date of births, marriages, deaths and incidents relative to some of their number of generations past, they were much aided by the now unimpaired and excellent memory of her who had been a careful observer and watched the passing events for 88 years.

Fifty-three years ago last Sept. Mrs. Edwards and her husband, Richard Edwards, with three children, started on the then fastest overland train (a lumber wagon) from Seneca Co., N. Y. for Michigan. They arrived in the township of Franklin, Oct. 9th and settled there on their future home, on which they lived 34 years. While there two more children came to cheer them, but sorrow followed, and four of their number passed to their eternal home. The remainder of the family in the fall of 1865 moved to Tecumseh. April 4th, 1868, death again came to their home, and the husband was taken.

The wife of his next younger brother (Andrew) was at the anniversary. The wife of the youngest brother (Asa) is still living, but all of the Edwards of that generation are gone, and Sarah is the only member of her father's family living. A son of each of these brothers came to celebrate the birth day of their aunt. Four daughters of her nephews were present, with other distant relatives. An anniversary of 88 birth days is too late for many near relatives to celebrate. Their birth days have stopped being counted, but those that were permitted to be there had a very pleasant time and it is hoped that we boys and girls of 40, 50, 60, and 80 may long remember the 88th birthday of our mother, sister-in-law, aunt, great aunt, cousin, second cousin and friend.

A RELATIVE.

What makes you pay house rent? You can buy two houses of Gus Slayton on payments of $10.00 per month.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Blood started for Lansing yesterday, where they will make their future home. Will has a position in his father's store in that city.

J. H. Darling of St. Paul, Minn., will please accept our thanks for late copies of the Pioneer Press. One copy sent was a Sunday edition of sixteen pages.

The Adrian postoffice will not be removed from its present location. Very well, Mahomet can go to the mountain in this case. Put in a new postmaster.

The Court House Committee went to Lima, Ohio, yesterday to inspect the Court House furniture there with a view to making purchases for our new county building.

Macon Grange, No. 167 will hold an open meeting on Tuesday the 24th of March at 7½ o'clock P. M. with the following program.

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Rec.—Camilla Mead.
Dec.—Johnny Baker.
Reading—Susie M. Osgood.
Inst. Music—Nettie Miller.
Essay—Jennie Lafleur.
Rec.—Jennie Osgood.
Reading—M. J. Martin.
Inst. Music—Hattie Osgood.
Dec.—Albert Boyce.
Closing Song—Choir.
Social.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

The school this year has been unusually prosperous, the number enrolled being more than one hundred. Lectures have been delivered by the teachers and by Dr. Morden.

The Crescent Literary Society will give a public exhibition on Friday evening, the 13th, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Fred Hathaway, of Addison, a member of the Seminary Alumni, and a graduate of Earlham College, will give a lecture on "The Political History of the United States," Wednesday evening, March 18th.

Miss Newsom, the lady principal at the Seminary, greatly entertained the students on the evening of the 4th with an account of her trip to New Orleans.

At the end of this term, Thos. B. Eddy and wife, the superintendent and matron for the past two years, will retire to their newly purchased farm west of Adrian, and J. U. Harkness and wife, of Rollin, will take their place at the Seminary.

The next term of school opens on the 31st of this month, and is by far the pleasantest part of the school year. Review classes will be formed for the accommodation of teachers who wish to attend. Those wishing to engage study rooms had better apply soon.

RINK RACKET.

Miss May Hunt and Miss Stella Saxton, of Manchester, favored the rink with a call last Saturday evening. They are both fine skaters.

Mr. Fred Teachout, of Adrian, was at the rink last Saturday evening.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band discoursed music last Tuesday evening at the rink.

Work was commenced on the new floor in the Opera House last Monday morning and it will be completed as soon as possible. Manager Sutton has decided to run a first class skating rink there, and no pains will be spared to make it as pleasant and comfortable as possible. The dressing rooms below will be used, one for the ladies and the other for the gentlemen, and the closet under the east stair case in the hall will be utilized as a skate room, a ticket window being cut through into the main room. The Vineyard skates will be used. The rink will be opened to the public next Thursday evening.

The senior and junior polo teams played six practice games at the rink last Tuesday evening in which the junior came off victorious in four, the senior winning the other two. The boys play a good game, considering the practice they have had.

It is said to be fashionable for ladies to wear one white and one black stocking while skating at the rink. When they exhibit the black hose it is a sign that they intend to turn pirate and capture the male, while the heaving in sight of the white means that the craft is in distress, and wants a pilot to take her in charge.

The roller skate, it is thought, is a very recent invention, but a gentleman of our village informs us that when a boy he attempted to construct a pair of wheel skates very much like those now used in the rinks, but was discouraged by the pooh-poohs of an older brother, who held that the scheme was impracticable and useless. The manufacture of roller skates was thus delayed several years, and doctors and divorce courts have been cheated out of a large amount of business thereby.—Hudson Gazette.

Mr. C. D. Bills, proprietor of a skating rink at Goshen, was arrested last week for refusing to pay $150 per annum license, which the council imposed on him. It is thought the case will be stubbornly fought, and probably not be settled until a decision is reached in the supreme court.—De Kalb Republican, Auburn, Ind.

A TRIP TO EAST SAGINAW AND DETROIT

Having some business to transact in Detroit, we took the M. & O. train Friday for Britton and thence via the Wabash road into Detroit, arriving there about noon. After making a few business calls, we took the five o'clock P. M. train on the F. & P. M. road for East Saginaw and reached our destination about nine o'clock that evening.

Saturday and Sunday were spent in that city, where we found good quarters in the hospitable little home of our brother, Geo. N. Stacy. George now holds a good position in the office of the Saginaw Courier, filling the place of business manager. He is well pleased with his location and the company seem to be well satisfied with his work.

During the day Saturday we had an opportunity of looking about the city a little. It is one of the "live towns" of Northern Michigan. The present population of the city is about 30,000 which is rapidly increasing. The "hard times" have not inflicted the damage on the business of Saginaw which most towns in the west have sustained. The lumber and salt interests lie at the foundation of their business, and these run anyway regardless of any stringency in business affairs. But of course the lumber trade is much less in dull times. Saginaw is well provided with railroads. The F. & P. M. have their general offices there; the Bay City branch of the Michigan Central touches the city; it has the Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw, the Saginaw Valley and St. Louis, and the Saginaw, Tuscola & Huron railroads. It also has three or four lines of river steamers, during open navigation in the summer. The streets of the city are lighted with electric lamps and many of the business houses are provided with the same light. Some of the largest lumber and salt firms in the state are located here. The city boasts of several residents who can count their riches in seven figures. The Bancroft House is probably the finest hotel in the State, with the exception of one or two in Detroit, and has a national reputation. The city has six skating rinks, all of them doing a thriving business, and has just opened a new $85,000 Academy of Music. The city is inclined to put on airs over their "Academy" and well they may. It is, without an exception, the finest building of the kind in the state, with reception rooms, dressing rooms, extra stage conveniences, private boxes, two galleries, and all the other et ceteras for a complete theater. We found Sam Clay in charge when we called. He will be remembered by many as the manager of an orchestra in Adrian twenty years ago. Mr. Clay drifted into Saginaw, made some money, went into the theatrical business and now owns a good slice of stock and is manager of the new Academy. This city is the center of politics in that Congressional district. The fight last fall was a terrific one between R. G. Horr, the eloquent Republican and Timothy E. Tarsney, the "Young Lion of the Saginaw," who is equally popular among the Democrats. Horr beat Tarsney four years ago and Tarsney returned the compliment last fall.

We availed ourselves of the opportunity to go through the Courier building, and were somewhat surprised to see the extent of the improvements which have taken place within the last few months. The daily Courier is an eight page six column quarto, with a circulation of nearly 3500 copies, and takes the lead among the daily papers in that section of the State. It has lately put an entire new dress on the paper, added a double cylinder Hoe for newspaper work, a folding-machine, a splendid Cottrell cylinder for job work and an eighth Gordon. The establishment has a first-class bindery in connection therewith. The Job department is now turning out a large line of blanks and record books for the F. & P. M. railroad. E. D. Cowles, the managing editor of the Courier, is admirably equipped for his work. He has served on the Courier many years and has an extensive acquaintance in Northern Michigan. With Geo. N. Stacy as manager in the Counting-room and Will Evans in the Job Rooms; the business end of the establishment is well cared for. The subordinate employees are all picked men, chosen for their especial fitness for the work they have to do. The Courier, if held to the work under its present management, is destined to become a power in Northern Michigan.

Leaving Lansing at seven o'clock Monday morning on the F. & P. M., we reached Detroit in about four hours and spent the balance of the day transacting necessary business and making a few friendly calls.

Calling at J. K. Burnham & Co's. we found Mr. F. C. Stoepel and Geo. Freeze with whom we had a pleasant chat. Mr. Freese showed us through the building which contains five floors and a basement, all devoted to the wholesale dry goods trade. They are now receiving heavy shipments of spring goods as the spring trade is just beginning to open up.

We found Sam James selling cloaks in Buhls fur store. He spends about half his time on the road.

Alf. W. James & Co., are located in the Merrill block. Alf. started a wholesale jewelry and silverware business in February last and is fairly getting started. He is well pleased with the outlook thus far.

Frank Smalledge is running his drug store still at 700 Jeff. Ave. He owns a beautiful fawn colored horse that is a "stepper," and he is gaining quite a reputation among the sporting men. We had the pleasure of a ride down the city after Frank's horse, which, by the way, he has refused $1000 for.

Sumner Collins has his shingle hung out in the new building opposite the post office, and is making commendable progress in the law. He and Alf. James are now rooming together, which makes it very pleasant for both of them.

We found Bert Tribou at the desk in Pitman's coal office, looking as happy and handsome as ever. Bert has a good position, which he fills with credit and which is congenial to him.

We gave John B. Price, on Jeff. Ave., a call. He keeps a good stock of printer's stationery, type and general supplies. He sells Farmer & Little's type, and Chas. Eneu Johnson's Ink, and keeps a full assortment on hand.

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Leaving Detroit on the Lake Shore at 6:40 we arrived home safe and sound on the night train, and resumed our duties at the desk on Tuesday morning, feeling much refreshed after a three day's respite from business cares.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The County Convention to choose delegates to the state convention was held at Adrian last Saturday. Gov. Croswell was elected delegate at large and the following were chosen delegates by districts.

First District—G. C. Hall, J. H. Green, A. D. Hall, Geo. Howell, T. H. Temple, M. T. Cole, I. W. Robertson, Oliver Holt.

Second District—B. F. Graves, J. H. Fee, N. Geddes, J. R. Bennett, C. E. Weaver, Adolph Wheeler, J. C. Winnie, A. L. Bliss.

Third district—Manson Carpenter, Sylvanus Lamb, J. K. Boies, R. H. Rogers, Winslow Bates, E. W. Scofield, B. Shaw, Marshall Reed.

When the list of delegates had been approved by the convention, Gov. Croswell arose and made a very forcible and eloquent speech in support of Thomas M. Cooley for judge of the Supreme Court.

At the close of his remarks he offered a resolution instructing the Lenawee delegation to vote for the renomination of Judge Cooley, which was unanimously adopted.

A motion empowering each delegate to procure a substitute, if unable to attend the state convention, was carried.

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FLAX.

The Future of the Flax Industry in the United States.

Some papers in Iowa and Kansas are endeavoring to convince the farmers of those States that flaxseed will no longer be a paying crop. They predict that the price of flaxseed will decline during the next two or three years as rapidly as that of wheat has since 1880. Their predictions are based on fears of overproduction. While they think that the production of flaxseed will decrease very largely, they declare that the demand for flaxseed will still decrease, for the reason that the majority of farmers can not, with the present price of products, afford to manure their buildings and fences. They also express the fear that the production of oilcake will greatly decrease, for the reason that corn and other grains are so cheap. A few argue that cottonseed meal will gradually displace linseed cake and meal in all the great markets of the world. They state what is perfectly true—that less than half of the cottonseed produced in any country is now pressed for the purpose of extracting oil, and argue that when it is all utilized for furnishing oil the supply of cottonseed meal will be so large as to render linseed cake almost if not quite unnecessary. They think that this state of things will be reached in the near future. One person in Iowa who is seeking to enlighten the public on the matter of producing flaxseed for the market states the crop in this country last year amounted to 12,000,000 bushels, of which farmers have saved over [illegible] bushels for the purpose of sowing next spring. He states that this amount will sow 1,000,000 acres, and will produce twice as much seed as can be crushed in all the mills in the country, though they work at their full capacity during the entire season. He anticipates that the price of flaxseed will decline next year to such an extent that the crop will not pay for raising. He therefore cautions farmers to beware of flax and to sow their fields to some other crop.

It is certainly difficult to foretell the future of any form of product. It is possible that there may be in the course of a few years more flaxseed produced than will be wanted for making oil or for furnishing meal to be used for stock food. It is certain, however, that there is at present no ground on which such a supply of things will occur. As nearly as can be estimated at present, the amount of flaxseed raised in this country last year and sent to market amounted to about 7,000,000 bushels. Of this amount 3,675,102 bushels were received in Chicago. This crop was not sufficient to supply the demands of our linseed-oil producers, as there were imported from foreign countries, chiefly from India, no less than 2,540,226 bushels during the year. Strange as it may appear, flaxseed produced on the banks of the river Ganges was brought to Chicago manufacturers and converted into oil last season. This seed pays a duty of twenty cents per bushel. Flaxseed holds its price better than any American farm product. At present writing it is worth $1.00 per bushel in the New York market. The stock on hand is apparently quite small. The amount in store in this city at the commencement of the present year was only 311,725 bushels. A considerable part of this is held by seed merchants, and will be sown next spring. There is apparently no prospect that the demand for oil will fall off next year. The custom of painting buildings and fences has become general. Wood exposed to the action of the atmosphere is covered with paint not so much to add to its beauty as to insure its durability. It is found to be economical to cover the surface of wood with paint. In this city brick walls are generally painted, and in many cases those composed of stone are treated in the same manner. There is apparently no prospect that any substitute will be found for the oil extracted from flaxseed for the purposes for which it has long been employed.

While the demand for flaxseed in this country is large, there is little prospect that its production will be undertaken in most of the States. It has never been raised in any of the Southern States to any considerable extent. It is not a promising crop for farmers in the older settled States. The productiveness of their fields has been injured by long cultivation, and the soil is full of the seeds of weeds. Other crops pay better on high-priced lands. Flax is a suitable crop for farmers in the northwest for many reasons. It is easy to market. A car-load of flaxseed brings much more money than the same bulk of corn or any of the small grains. The cost of seed for a given amount of land is comparatively small, as only half a bushel is required for an acre. A paying crop can be obtained from land that has been broken for the first time. Flax is a more remunerative crop than corn to raise on newly-plowed prairie land, even in localities where the seasons are long enough to produce good crops of corn. It is specially adapted to regions where a corn crop can not be raised or can not be depended on, or where it can only be raised on soil that is under a high degree of cultivation. A farmer in any of the States or Territories west of the Mississippi River can at least realize enough from a crop of flaxseed to pay the cost of breaking the land and expense of seed, sowing, harvesting, and marketing. This is all a farmer in any part of the country can reasonably expect of a crop of seed-corn. In many cases a crop of flaxseed has sold for enough to pay for the land as well as for preparing it. If the growth of flaxseed is exhaustive to the soil, it has the effect of subduing a tough turf and putting it in a condition to be easily worked with a view of preparing it for the production of corn or small grain.

Flax is a source of wealth to the farmers of the Northwest. The amount of oil-cake exported last year was 524,847,331 pounds, which sold for $7,115,153. Flax will do better in soils containing an excess of alkali than any crop grown by farmers. It production on soils abounding in alkali is recommended. That flax is an exhaustive crop all acknowledge. Its production can only be continued on what are known as very strong soils, such as are found in the valleys of rivers subject to overflow. The exhaustion of the fertility of soil by the production of flax may, in a great measure, be prevented by the return of the plant to the soil from which it was produced. This may be best accomplished by judiciously feeding the straw to stock and applying their manure to the fields.

Farmers who expect to raise large crops of good flaxseed should be careful about selecting the seed they sow. For a century flax was raised in this country chiefly for the fiber of the plant, that was used for making cloth, and not for seed. It was accordingly sown very thick, a bushel and a half of seed being sown on an acre. Very thick sowing causes the plants to grow tall and slim and to produce but a small amount of seed. Growing plants for a special purpose has the effect of modifying their character. They at length have hereditary peculiarities. Much of the flax now grown in this country is produced from the seed of plants raised for fiber. The first seed was sown in the States bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, and the bark of the stalks was manufactured into cloth in the houses of farmers. As the flax plant moved West it was cultivated for a new purpose. What we want now is a plant that will produce seed. In India, where flax has long been raised exclusively for the production of seed, the plants are said to be only about eighteen inches high, but very productive of seed.—*Chicago Times.*

ECONOMICAL DRESSING.

How to Clothe Oneself Cheaply and Well—A Grand Desideratum.

Dressing for the street is greatly simplified, and was never more economical than at present, for it is quite allowable for a lady to use one cloth costume on every occasion that will take her out of doors during the winter; or, failing in this, she can have a long cloak that will completely cover any house dress she may prefer to wear. The street suit is, as we have said before, now made of woolen goods of heavy quality, such as the heavier camel's-hair, bison cloth, Cheviot, or else ladies' cloth of a very light weight. It is best to choose this in a single dark color instead of the mixed cloths used last year. Brown is the fashionable color, and the first choice with both young and elderly ladies. Next this comes plum-color, gray or blue, then black, but the black cloth suits are considered rather elderly-looking. Dull red and wine-colored dresses are less used this season, and require the best materials to make them attractive.

The woolen suit that finds most favor is made of three pieces, viz., the skirt, with drapery attached at the belt, a basque, and an outside jacket. For such a suit eight yards of material are required by tailors, and this stuff must be fifty-four inches wide. From $1 to $3 a yard will be asked in the shops for the various fabrics suitable for tailor dresses. The least costly of these are the cloth-finished flannels that when closely woven have the effect of the finer camel's-hair cloths. For $2 there are excellent camel's-hair twills and serges, and the various kinds of ladies' cloths cost $2 or $3 a yard; the latter should be selected for its light weight, while the former are more sleazily woven, and are best when heaviest. There will also be needed material for the foundation skirt on which such dresses are now made. This false skirt may be of alpaca or of wool satteen under cloth, instead of being made of silk, for, as the English and French tailors say, a wool dress should look like woolen, and should be made over wool that it may hang like woolen; they also add that it is only the extravagant American women who insist upon draping woolens on silk foundation skirts.

When the waist and sleeve linings and the small buttons are purchased, this is all the expense, as braiding or fur can be dispensed with except for elaborate costumes. A small collar band and separate cuffs of fur now complete many suits of cloth, and in the spring these can be dispensed with altogether. The design of such a suit can scarcely be too severe for good style. Straight folds or single bands of cloth stitched and finished with a roll or cord of braid on the edge may trim the foot of the skirt, either in front only or else all around, and above this is a drapery of two cloth breadths, that may be arranged to suit any figure, whether a long or short drapery, and this covers the remainder of the skirt lining. Tucks are by no means abandoned, and sometimes the greater part of the front of the skirt is covered with half-inch tucks that are in the cloth, when it is bought, or, still better, they are put there by the needle, as hand-work is especially desirable on these very simple dresses. The newest basques of cloth are now made short and round behind (without pleats), and are lengthened to a point in front. But these require a border of some kind of trimming, such as fur, braiding, velvet folds, or, of Astrakhan cloth; hence for the plain dresses we are now considering the postilion pleated back is retained. The fronts are single-breasted, and the standing collar is very high. Very simple stitching finishes the sleeves without cuffs. All flounces are superfluous on these dresses, as they only add to their weight, and the pleated skirts are objected to for the same reason. For short women who must have lengthwise trimmings the front of the skirt is arranged in two wide flat panels that meet in the middle on smaller pleats, or else there are three large double box pleats that give the effect of three panels. At the foot of these panels there is an interlining of crinoline lawn, and the cloth is turned up inside. The jacket is single-breasted and the new style like that of basques is short and plain across the tourmure, but the prevailing taste is for the frock-coat that has been described in former papers. So fixed is the rule of cloth dresses for the street that ladies who have two new suits order one of rough cloth for mornings and plain wear, and a second of broadcloth or fine "corkscrew" cloth for afternoon visits and for church.—*Harper's Bazar.*

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Clinton	7 12	3 16	3 38
Tecumseh	7 20	3 26	4 02
Adrian	8 02	4 09	5 07
Detroit	9 02	5 17	.....
Toledo	.....	.....	.....

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Adrian	11 12	8 59	4 42
Tecumseh	11 45	9 34	6 00
Clinton	11 56	9 44	7 00
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Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR, & NORTH MICH.

To take Effect at 12 o'clock, Noon, Sunday, June 22, 1884.

NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 30	7 14	....Manhattan Junction...	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milah Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	.....Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo....L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	P. M.
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	8 00
6 20	9 16	1 38	Homer	1 37	7 37	7 48
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 33
6 37	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 21
6 56	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 03
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	6 43
7 37	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 33
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 29
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 12
8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52		5 55
8 21		3 45	Montetth	11 35		5 42
8 23		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 37
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 25
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan....L	11 10		5 00
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		2 05
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 00
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		1 20
11 35		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

TRAIN CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo—With all Railroads diverging. At Dundee—With T., A. A. & G. T. At Britton—With Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific. At Tecumseh—With L. S. & M. S. At Jerome—with L. S. & M. S. At Hanover—With L. S. & M. S. At Homer—With L. S. & M. S. (Lansing Division), and Air Line Division of the Mich. Central. At Marshall—With M. C. R. R. At Battle Creek—With Chicago & Grand Trunk and M. C. R. R. At Monteith—With Grand Rapids & Indiana. At Allegan—With Chicago & West Mich. and L. S. & M. S.

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BALD-HEADED STATESMEN.

The Senators Who Can Not Boast of Cringerous Adornments.

Senator Edmunds, the presiding officer of the Senate, has fallen into a habit of late of wearing a black silk skull cap. He is very bald, and the air of the Senate chamber is uncomfortably cool to the exposed cranial surface, causing colds and the consequent inconveniences. So he wore this little black cap all the day, in the committee-rooms, in the Vice-President's chamber and in the chair of the Senate as its presiding officer. It looks odd to see the presiding officer of the Senate sit in his official seat with his head covered while all others of that body uncover their heads in his presence. And there are some other heads in the chamber quite as bald as his. The nearest approach to the system which Senator Edmunds has inaugurated is the course of Senator Williams, the hero of Cerro Gordo. He wears a wig. It is very neat, and is very well fitting, but he has a way when he has occasion to stroke one side of it of taking hold of the opposite side to keep it in its place, thus giving the whole thing away.

Senator Coke, of Texas, is one of the baldest men in the Senate. There is a vast expanse of "forehead" extending away over the top of his head, and down in the rear so far that there is only a fringe of gray hair running round from one ear to the other. Indeed, the fringe may be said to run clear around, for it is heavier in front where there is a bunch of white beard.

Cameron, of Wisconsin, is quite as destitute of capillary covering as those mentioned. His rather small head and rather retreating forehead fairly glisten in their polished nakedness, while on his face, in marked contrast, is a full growth of snowy white beard. Cameron is an excellent Senator, and the Senate will suffer a material loss when he goes out. It was because of his determination not to remain longer that the Wisconsin people were induced to cast about for a new man for the place. A quiet, unpretentious sort of man, he is thoroughly posted on all that is going on, thoroughly well read, safe in his convictions and judgment.

Senator Harris is another bald one. He has a peculiar-shaped head, very wide at the back and narrow at the front. The fringe of hair running around the vast expanse of baldness is white as the driven snow. So is the well-trained dudish mustache, which is the only portion of the beard he permits to grow. Ingalls is another man with a peculiar-looking head. It looks like a cocoanut, very small, very narrow, very high at the back and low in front, well covered with a thick growth of gray hair, which is parted in the middle. His stubby mustache and little patch of chin whiskers are of the same color, not white, but an iron gray. Senator Sawyer, the richest man in the Senate, is not burdened with a capillary covering, though he is not so bald as some of his associates. Pendleton has a beautiful head of brown hair. Vance has a mass of thick, iron-gray, thoroughly covering his round, large head.

Allison has a full head of black hair, which never looks as though it had been combed or brushed. Beck is very much ditto. Bower has black hair, and little patches of black whiskers mixed with gray on the sides of his face. Brown is the queerest looking rooster of the lot, with scattering white hair on his head, bunched out at the sides in old-fashioned style, and a mop of white beard all around under his throat, and running about half way up to his chin. It is the queerest sort of style imaginable, something approaching the lone fisherman cut, but infinitely worse. Cameron has a little bald spot about as big as a silver dollar on the top of his head. He is a boyish-looking fellow, the last man in the Senate chamber that you would pick out for Don Cameron after the many things that have been printed about him. Gorman has rather thin brown hair, usually well plastered down on his small head, which is big enough in proportion to his body, which is like that of a boy of fifteen.

Vest's sandy brown hair is pretty thin and pretty carefully smoothed down on his round, rather large head to conceal the signs of approaching baldness. Cockrell is pretty nearly ditto, though he probably hasn't discovered it. He thinks less about his personal appearance and more about the details of Senate business than almost any man on the floor. Mahone's small head is covered with a thick growth of iron-gray hair. Logan's hair is as thick and black as ever, and only surpassed in thickness and length by Lamar's.

In the House there are less baldheads in proportion to the entire number than in the Senate. Reed, the irrepressible wit from Maine, who is the quickest and strongest man intellectually on the Republican side, if not in the entire House, has a big, well-shaped head, very bald, but having an occasional streak of brown hair combed over it to conceal it as far as possible. Dingley, his colleague, an ex-Governor of the State, has his hair so precise in its "lay" that it gives the suspicion of a wig.

Willis, of Kentucky, is one of the baldest men in the House, as he is one of the hardest workers. It might be added that he is one of the most abused men in that body, too, at the present moment, for of course every fellow who didn't get all that he wants in the River and Harbor bill is willing to charge it to Willis, the Chairman of the committee. Broadhead is very bald, smooth-faced and having only a fringe of white hair around his head. Tillman, of South Carolina, is another quite destitute in this particular line, as are Strait and Wallace. Randall has a full head of hair, a little mixed with gray. Carlisle's hair is dark and pretty thin, his face, like Randall's, smoothly shaven. General Rosecrans' hair is very thin, his face covered with a rather thin growth of sandy beard.

Cox, of New York, has a pretty good-sized bald spot on his head, but his hair, in spite of the fact that he is about sixty, shows very little gray. That other witty man, Hoar, is as gray as an old badger, and about as fat. He has a full beard of gray hair, not white, and a queer little patch of gray whiskers on his chin. Holman's hair is pretty thin, and dark, but mixed with gray. His whiskers, which grow on the lower part of his face but are shaven from the upper lip, are much mixed with gray. Dunham, of Chicago, has a heavy black mustache and full black hair, very much resembling in this particular Senator Sabin, who has been mistaken for Dunham of late. Senator-elect Joe Blackburn has a small bald spot on his head and a very heavy mustache, which will vie in magnitude with Logan's.

In the Supreme Court, Justice Field's head is extremely bald, with a fringe of iron-gray hair and a full iron-gray beard, long and wavy. His baldness is not so plainly apparent, however, as is that of Justice Gray, whose curiously-shaped head, high at the back and rather narrow, is extremely destitute of covering. Stanley Matthews has a good-sized bald spot on his head, very little larger than when he was appointed five years ago. Chief Justice Waite rejoices in a full head of iron-gray hair, but a very bad stomach. In the lobby, Captain Eads, who is extremely bald, wears a black skull cap like that worn by Mr. Edmunds, while that other disguished lobbyist, Mr. Belknap, rejoices in a full head of hair and a magnificent beard.—*Cor. Cincinnati Times-Star.*

A RAILWAY ADVENTURE.

An Austin Gentleman's Experience With a Bavarian Princess.

Our Continental railway carriages, with their closed coupes, afford pretty adventuresses opportunities for blackmailing schemes which would be impossible in your open American cars. A specimen operation of these fair ladies has just been afforded by the adventure which befell a merchant—Karl A.—whose full name the police refuse to make public. He was traveling from Steyr to this city and had to change trains at the little town of St. Valentin. While waiting there for the Paris express, which was to take the passengers to Vienna, a friend introduced to him a young girl, apparently only eighteen years old, who was also going to this city. When the train reached the station Mr. A. quickly took a seat in a first-class coupe, of which he was the only occupant. Shortly before the train started the lady entered the same coupe. Hardly, however, had she cast a look around her when she remembered that she had only a second-class ticket, but before she could leave the coupe was locked by the guard and the train set itself in motion.

Mr. A. explained to her that she could have herself transferred to a second-class coupe at the next station, Amstetten, or pay the difference for a first-class ticket. The lady contented herself with this, and entering into conversation said she was a baroness, born in Munich and reared in a convent. She was traveling to Poland by way of Vienna in order to accept a position as governess in that country.

Instead of changing coupes at Amstetten she permitted Mr. A. to procure a first-class ticket for her and continued her conversation with her fellow traveler. After the train had left St. Poelten Mr. A. desired to offer the lady a cigarette. Hardly, however, had he drawn his cigarette-case from his pocket when the lady showed evident signs of uneasiness and begged Mr. A. to open the window. He readily did so, and then the governess approached the half open window. She looked out for a few seconds, then suddenly pushed down the window entirely and swung herself on the sill in order to jump through the opening into the depths below. The train was going at the rate of thirty miles an hour.

Mr. A. sprang up from his seat and towards the window and managed to catch the girl by the legs. A struggle ensued between the strong man and the desperately resisting girl, who was leaning with the upper half of her form out of the window and apparently did not want to be drawn back. All this time she kept screaming: "He wants to murder me."

The struggle lasted over a quarter of an hour. Persons at stations at which the train did not stop saw the encounter. Finally the governess' cries for help dominated even the thundering of the train. Passengers in the adjoining coupe opened the windows and added their shouts to the girl's until, at length, the conductor heard it and stopped the train on the open track. The girl was taken into another coupe, Mr. A. remained alone and the train continued with increased speed on its way to this city.

In the meanwhile the police authorities had received telegrams from the different station-keepers on the road, describing the scene they had witnessed at the carriage window. When the train arrived Mr. A. and his fellow traveler were arrested and taken to the police station in the depot, where they were asked to give an explanation of the occurrence. The lady declared that when Mr. A. drew out a box she feared that it contained an opiate and that he wanted to make her unconscious. Fortunately Mr. A. was able to prove on the spot that the little case contained only Turkish cigarettes. As there were no grounds for a charge against the merchant, the officials released him as well as the lady. Mr. A. left the station-house vowing never to travel alone again in a first-class coupe with an interesting young female passenger.—*Vienna (Austria) Cor. N. Y. World.*

—The official statistics published at Berlin give the number of Germans residing abroad as follows: United States, 1,966.742; Russia, 394,299; Austro-Hungary, 98,510; Switzerland, 95,562; France, 81,988; Holland, 49,026; Great Britain, 40,371; Belgium, 34,196; Denmark, 33,158; Queensland, 11,368; South Australia, 8,978; Victoria, 8,571; New South Wales, 7,521; Italy, 5,221; the Argentine Republic, 4,997; New Zealand, 4,819; Algeria, 4,201; Chili, 4,033; Uruguay, 2,225; Norway, 1,471; Sweden, 953; Spain, 952; Peru, 898; Egypt, 879; Tasmania, 782; Bosnia, 698; Finland, 628; Greece, 314; and Gautemala, 221.

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—Lieutenant Governor Ames, of Massachusetts, who is worth ten million dollars, wears a ten-cent necktie.

—Napoleon, the great leader of men, judged them and chose them according to the character indicated by their noses.

—Matthew Arnold, who came to America to win fame and farthings, wound up by losing his daughter and gaining a distinguished son-in-law.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The daughter of Binns, the exhangman of London, recently testified in court that she had frequently been frightened out of the house by her father's experiments in hanging dogs and cats.

—William H. Crain, the Democratic Congressman-elect to succeed Colonel Thomas Ochiltree, from the Galveston (Tex.) District, is the first native from Texas ever elected to Congress from the State.—*St. Louis Globe.*

—Joseph Richardson, of St. Paul, but known to everybody as "Uncle Joe," who never wore an overcoat or a suit of clothes worth more than twelve dollars, is the possessor of six million dollars.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—A Texas County Judge recently delivered a farewell address which excited the admiration of all his friends until some officious person discovered that Washington had delivered the same address many years ago.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—A Pennsylvania girl had not spoken to any one for years until her mother died the other day, and was supposed to be dumb. At the death of her mother she talked as though she had always done so.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—The oldest woman in Connecticut lives at Middletown and is named Smith. She is the mother of eleven children, enjoys good health, never rode on a railroad, and is one hundred and three years of age.—*Hartford Courant.*

—A Rhode Islander proposes to found a society whose sole object shall be the amelioration of village nomenclature, or in other words, to give pretty names to those towns and places which are now unpoetically designated as "Skunk Hollow," "Bagtown," "Muckelrat," etc.

—George Dolby, who, in the capacity of secretary and manager, accompanied Charles Dickens during his American tour in 1867, says the gross receipts of his seventy-six readings in this country were two hundred and twenty-eight thousand dollars, and that Dickens' personal profits were ninety-five thousand dollars.

—As Meissonier, the artist, was recently passing a street in Paris, an old beggar gravely bowed to him, by way of soliciting alms. "I have no change," said Meissonier, feeling in his pocket, and about to pass on. "Then, at least, return me my bow," replied the old man. Which was no sooner said than done.—*French Paper.*

—Nicholas Van Horn, a well-to-do farmer and widower of Habershan, Ga., and the father of two children over thirty years of age, was married recently to Miss Ivy, a child of twelve. During the ceremony the child began to sob, when the old man patted her on the head in a fatherly manner, and wiped away her tears with his big bandana.—*Chicago Times.*

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—A Brooklyn scientist says that in about three million years the earth will be one gigantic iceberg. According to his belief, it will be a cold day when everybody gets left.—*Norristown Herald.*

—No modest, prudent young lady will accept a scapegrace for an escort, but if she will go to masquerades in the character of Maud Muller we don't see how she can avoid going with a rake.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A Boston girl who saw a fellow with delirium tremens exclaimed: "Unhappy man! Why do you permit yourself to get the 'James-James?'" The shock restored the sufferer to his right mind.—*N. Y. Journal.*

—He had an auburn-haired girl, and promised to take her out riding. She met him at the door when he drove up, and he exclaimed: "Hello! Ready?" She misunderstood him, and they don't speak now.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Landlady—"Do you find your steak tender, Mr. Dumby? If not I will——" Dumby (who was wakened about five o'clock that morning by the cook pounding it) "Er—it might be well to let the cook hit it a few more times, I think."—*N. Y. Sun.*

—"So you didn't succeed very well with your school in Illinois?" "No; I had to give it up at the end of the first month." "Did you use the blackboard much?" "No. It was too large. But I used all the other furniture about the room that wasn't nailed down."—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Looking on the bright side: "My wife is really getting complimentary," remarked Fogg. "Ah! how's that?" asked Brown. "Why, she came very near speaking of my beautiful raven locks." "How near, for instance?" "Why, she said my head looked like a crow's nest."—*Boston Transcript.*

—"Are you superstitious, Mr. Badger?" asked Miss De Silva. "Not in the least," replied that gentleman. "Would you prefer a dinner party of six to one of thirteen?" "Yes, decidedly." "Ah! I knew you were superstitious. Why would you, Mr. Badger?" "Get more to eat."—*Troy Times.*

—Her Ancestry.

A maiden of uncertain age
Of ancestry was wont to brag:
When that attention would engage
The conversation would not flag.
"One of my ancestors," says she
"Came on the Mayflower." "Can it be?"
Asked one, "I's a distinction great.
Why, 1620 was the date."
"Pray tell me," slyly asked another,
"Was it your father or your mother?"

—"Why do you suppose the feminine is used in speaking of the moon?" asked Kosciusko Murphy of Miss Esmeralda Longcoffin. "Because she is so beautiful, I suppose," replied Esmeralda, who is on the shady side of thirty-five. "No, it's because there's no finding out how old she is," replied the lunatic.—*Texas Siftings.*

Bernard Murphy, Champion Youth Walker of Australia, says in the Melbeurne Sportsman: "On Monday previous to the match with Ormes, of Sydney, I was attacked with the 'stitch.' I could not walk another yard, and gave up all hope of winning. I was advised to try St. Jacobs Oil. I did so, rubbing a little on my side, I have not been troubled since, and won my match."

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The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, uts Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, ancers, Piles: Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co'

West Virginia is no longer an October state.

The human structure is wonderful in mechanicism. Each organ has its allotted part to perform, and none is more important than that for which the kidneys are designed. It is, therefore, imperative that these should be kept in perfect health, and then should be jealously guarded against the encroachments of disease. George Kelly, of Jersey City, writes, "Dr. Stevens gave me Mishler's Herb Bitters while I was under his treatment for gravel, and has told me to continue to take 't."

The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

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The extraordinary popularity of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the natural result of its use by intelligent people for over forty years. It has indisputably proven itself the very best known specific for all colds, coughs, and pulmonary complaints.

It is asserted that about a third of the banking done in the world is done in the British empire.

Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1.
Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
German Corn Remover kills Corns & Bunions
Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 50c.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

Take It This Month.

Spring rapidly approaches, and it is important that every one should be prepared for the depersing effects of the changing season. This is the time to purify the blood and strengthen the system, by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which stands unequalled as a spring medicine, and has endorsements of a character seldom given any proprietary medicine. A book containing statements of the many wonderful cures it has accomplished, will be sent upon application to C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass. 100 Doses One Dollar.

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When she was a Child, she cried for CASTORIA
When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA
When she had Children, she gave them CAST'A

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Rev. Wm. Stout, Wlarton, Ont., states: Being ineffectually treated by 17 doctors for Scrofula, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Write for proof.

Over one million boxes of Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets sold in the past twelve months, purely upon their merits. Why suffer with Chronic Constipation, Dyspepsia, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Heartburn, and Female Troubles, when C. A. Wright & Co. offer you relief and positive cure in the Dyspepsia Tablets. They sell them on a guarantee.

A bowl of good pea soup is as satisfying as a hearty dinner on a cold day. To make a gallon of it, wash a pint of peas and soak them over night; then boil in five pints of water, gently simmering three hours or so, until thoroughly soft. With a potato-masher rub the soup through a colander or wire sieve. A pound of beef or ham bone may be boiled with the peas. The soup may be seasoned in various ways—with onions, cloves, pepper, etc.

No remedy for Rheumatism and Neuralgia ever came before the public so well vindicated by previous experiments and so fortified by influential names as ATHLOPHOROS. Rev. E. N. Seeley, Agent of Board of Charities, New Haven, Conn., writes: "Am glad to certify that Athlophoros cured my wife of Rheumatism when all other remedies railed. She has taken but one bottle to effect a permanent cure."

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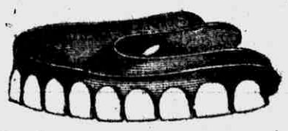

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 12, 1885

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

CONGRESS.

SENATE, MARCH 4.—The over all sundry civil appropriation bill was passed by the Senate and the Senate amendments to the Fortifications appropriation bill were passed and the Rivers and Harbors bill was taken up.

HOUSE.—The details of the Navy bill were discussed and agreed upon. A message for payment to Egypt of a portion of the Suez Canal stock was received and under the objection of Mr. Randall for the Executive Department, and referred to the appropriate committee. The Senate amendments to the Indian appropriation bill were concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Navy appropriation bill was concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Sundry Civil appropriation bill was concurred in with an amendment appropriating $50,000 for the completion of the Washington Monument. The Senate amendment to the Fortification bill was concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Military Academy appropriation bill was concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Diplomatic and Consular appropriation bill was concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Pension appropriation bill was concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Agricultural appropriation bill was concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Navy appropriation bill was concurred in. The Senate amendment to the Sundry Civil appropriation bill was concurred in

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LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

The weather got down to zero Monday and Tuesday mornings and is still under the average temperature; the snow is gradually disappearing and the bare ground appears much better than to go off with a heavy rain.

The Macon and Ridgeway Local Telegraph Co., have purchased the line from Ridgeway to Britton, making one continuous line from Lake Ridge to Britton. There are over thirty operators on the line, six or eight of whom are sufficiently advanced for business positions. Some on the line, through carelessness or cussedness are in the habit of leaving their key open, or otherwise breaking the circuit for hours at a time. We would caution those against such abuse. In business transactions it causes delay, vexation and damage. "Business before pleasure" always.

W. L. Stewart closed a successful term of school at Ridgeway, on Tuesday.

Ed. Auten's house burned Tuesday morning the 17th. Goods all saved—insured.

Alf. Lewis Esq., is taking in the sights at New Orleans.

Our mail carrier resumed the round trip on Monday. He has been making a double trip (on account of the roads from Lake Ridge to Macon), from Tecumseh to Lake Ridge in the forenoon and from Tecumseh to Macon in the afternoon. Why not have two routes? One from Tecumseh to Macon, the other from Ridgeway to Lake Ridge, avoiding the round of 18 miles, which in inclement weather is difficult to make.

"Tally" another girl for Hershel Miller—"ditto" for Jas. Small.

It is reported that a family by the name of Harrington, living in the "Beach quarters" are suffering thro' sickness, starvation, filth and rags. Dr. Hallock was called professionally and in his prescription ordered soap and water, and for the neighbors to bring in supplies. The supervisor has been notified and we trust relief will come. This has been a hard winter for those in destitute circumstances.

There will be a Union caucus at Grange Hall, Tuesday, March 31st, at 2 P. M., to nominate candidates for township officers.

J. A. Hunter has the lumber on the ground for a new frame house.

J. E. Hunter has moved to Britton.

Fred Miller will move onto the Karcher farm next week. Karcher is enlarging his house so as to accommodate two families.

Francis Yates has the lumber ready for a new house.

Charles Hoffman will move from the John Stewart farm onto the old 'Nye' Davis farm in Bridgewater about the 1st of April.

Frank Beckwith has rented the "Clint" Hobbs farm in the town of York.

Alex. Patterson died Feb. 27th with consumption—aged 43 years.

Mrs. Bradley Zibble died March 9th.

Mrs. Ebenezer Harmon, one of the first settlers in this township, died Feb. 22d., aged 75 years.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

George Freese, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

B. O. Randall suffered from a severe attack of neuralgia last week.

Frank Scoville arrived here from South Bend Ind. last Friday morning. He expects to return in a few days.

Bert Roff, of Jackson, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Roff, of this place.

On Saturday, March 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, a girl.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston and daughter Bertie, went to Tecumseh last Friday to spend a few days with Mrs. E. M. Conklin.

Miss Rosa Sherlock who is quite low with consumption, is reported a little more comfortable.

Mrs. Arthur Keyes is visiting at Danforth Keyes'.

The ladies of the Catholic church are making preparations for a supper and entertainment to be given at the Town Hall the next Tuesday after Easter. As this is the first effort of the kind that this society has made it is hoped there will be a liberal patronage. The proceeds are to be used in making necessary repairs on the church.

Mrs. John Heesen and Mrs. Ed. Rowland of Tecumseh, were the guests of Mrs. J. E. McCollum, last Wednesday.

Robert Redick has been sick for two or three weeks with rheumatism, but is a little better at present.

Mr. Albert Huntington, of Hanover Ill. who was formerly superintendent of the Clinton Woolen Mill, has been engaged to fill the same position under the new firm.

Mr. William Stitt fell on the ice last Sunday and broke his arm.

The Eddy brothers, from Vinton, Iowa, arrived here last week Tuesday to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Crowell Eddy. They expect to return to their western home in a short time.

The Maple sugar social given by the school last Saturday evening was a great success. Supper was served from five until eight o'clock, after which came a program, which was thoroughly enjoyed by young and old. The band played several selections. Then came the sack race, won by Lennie Kimball. This was followed by an orange race, in which Miss Cora Van Gieson came out ahead. The third race was won by Flavius Knight. After the races came a quintette, by Albert Kishpaugh, Charles Keysor, Ansel Kishpaugh, Charlie Thompson and W. O. Silvers. The mouth organ solo was a novel as well as an interesting feature of the program. The net profit of the supper and entertainment was $12.63 which will be devoted to the organ fund.

Negotiations for the sale of the Clinton Woolen Mill were closed last week, after many weeks of uncertainty, and much fear and trembling on the part of the former employees. The controling interest in the property has passed out of the hands of Alonzo Clark, and the principal stock-holders now, are Messrs. Hamilton and Brownell, of Detroit, Albert Huntington, of Hanover, Ill. and W. S. Kimball, of Clinton. A great deal of repairing is necessary before regular work can be commenced in the mill, but it is hoped that every department will be in full working order by the first of August. This news is received with a great amount of satisfaction, not only by those who will occupy their former positions in the factory, but by every business man in Clinton. The fifteen months that this institution with all its appurtenances has stood idle, have continued to show to us all, of what benefit it has been to the town in years past, and with how little appreciation it has been met.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

F. S. Dunham has gone to Detroit with his corset factory.

Brad Parker has moved to Deerfield. W. J. Holdridge spent most of the day Monday helping him. Warren says he has only one fault to find and that was that Brad loaded him a little too light.

Chas. Babcock has moved on to the Wells farm in the place of Parker.

Nathan Spencer was expected home from New Orleans on Monday night.

Carlisle Simonds and Gus. Shoalts started west on Monday to seek their fortunes. They expect to go to Indianola, Red Willow Co. Neb. We are sorry to lose the boys, as they were both steady, industrious young men, but we honor their pluck in starting out to take care of themselves. There is nothing like going west, growing up and heading out with the country.

Last Monday while Will Kelly was sawing wood for Ed. Arner with a buzz saw, the saw broke and aroused a general stampede with the hands. Ed. was running the thing at the time and had the strap by which they pull the table back fast to his leg as usual, so he had to face the music. John Gordon ran into the cook room and held the door, while the last seen of Wm. Kerr he was diving over the wood pile like a prarie dog going into his hole.

The Post Office war waxeth exceedingly hot and no time has been taken as yet to bury the dead or care for the wounded. The rules of civilized warfare have been abandoned and it is nothing unusual for a man to have his head cut off without even a trial by his peers if he fails to vanquish the enemy in the first round. Say boys, we would like to give a little advice if it will not be deemed impertinent by our friends. It is merely this. While trusting in superior numbers it is a good thing to keep your powder dry.

ONSTED ODDS.

Frank Darling's little girl, Fannie, has the scarlet fever.

The Grangers have another bee, Thursday afternoon, to finish lathing their hall. They will have a fine hall when it is completed.

Laur and Daniels shipped eighteen head of cattle from here last Friday that averaged 1250 pounds each.

Clarence Aten went to Napoleon Monday to commence his summer's work, having hired to a Mr. Palmer for whom he worked last summer.

Mrs. Robert Wooden is very low, and we hear that her friends have not much hopes of her recovery. Mrs. Wooden's health has been poor for some time.

Mr. C. Cooper received a telegram Monday evening stating that Melville Wood was dead. Mr. Wood married Miss Nealie Cooper about a year and a half ago. He had recently gone to railroading and died from injuries received while acting as brakeman.

BROOKLYN BALLASTS.

Were it not for some of the married people, who organized a strike last fall, we should have a monotonous spring, but their frequent change of base affords some side light glimpses of tied up felicity, that lends variety to dullness, and keeps the rest content with lesser ills.

Mont Hendershot, formerly of the Exponent, and now attached to a Cincinnati journal, has returned to Brooklyn for the wife hitherto unmentioned, but who is now by her father's death, left free to wear the name assumed long time ago. Gentlemen will please make a note of this case, as it proves a woman can keep a secret when needful.

Mr. Woodward still waits for his resignation to be sent him, and Doctor E. N. Palmer is Presiding Elder of the Council, though he has not looked all winter as if he could rule a cat. There has been no inauguration dance, fight or even growl over his election, which apathy is past explanation, because the singular past of our daily history, consists in its great amount of Law fullness, as compared with the present general debility of our citizens.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Another cold wave.

Did you all see the eclipse Monday?

Mr. — Onsted, of Onsted station, on the M. & O. road, was in our village Friday.

Mr. Wilber, of Ypsilanti, spent the Sabbath with Mrs. J. D. Freer.

Mrs. Edith Triplet, of Macon, visited her aunt, Mrs. T. H. Temple, Sunday.

Mr. Frank Temple returned from his visit to the Exposition at New Orleans on Monday evening. He reports a very pleasant time.

A. R. Arner made friends at Addison a short visit the first of the week.

Mr. G. P. Waring went to Hillsdale Tuesday night on business. He will visit friends there and take in T. DeWitt Talmage's lecture on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Martin Palmer left for Hillsdale Monday to attend school at the college. He will stop with his brother, Albert Palmer.

Miss Ada Linn, who has been visiting friends at Deerfield for a few weeks, returned Sunday. She is looking happy.

Miss Lou Arner is visiting friends in Dundee this week.

We see that there is a notice up announcing a special school meeting to be held next Monday night at the school house in district No. 1, for the purpose of electing a moderator and director to fill vacancies.

Mr. W. Clack, Rev. W. J. Clack's oldest son, came to see his parents Tuesday night.

The Literary elected the following officers for the ensuing term after the lecture Friday night:

Pres.—G. P. Waring.
Vice Pres.—Dr. R. H. Nelson.
Secretary—Miss Ella Cadmus.
Asst. Sec.—Miss Ada Linn.
Treasurer—Miss Ella Jackson.
Ex. Com.—J. D. Arner, Miss Kittie Clark.

Our village school closed on Tuesday afternoon. The scholars presented Mr. Stewart with a beautiful autograph album.

Remember the social is held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Wilson next Friday evening. A cordial invitation to all.

Some got the impression that our friend Mr. Williams, who bought Uncle John Schreeder's old farm, was going back to Colorado in the spring. We are glad to learn that it is not so. He will not leave before fall, if he does then.

Mr. Wm. C. Sharp, of Brooklyn, agent for the Wilcox & White organ Co., had one of their five octave parlor organs at the Literary Friday evening, for the society to try. They are thinking of purchasing soon.

Rev. J. M. Kerridge's lecture on Martin Luther, which he delivered at the Hall on Friday evening, was very instructive and interesting.—The attendance was good.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson returned home Friday night accompanied by Miss Josie Schreder, who made friends here a visit and returned home Monday in company with Miss Ella Jackson who will visit friends there this week.

The following program will be carried out by the Literary Society on Friday evening, March 27, 1885:

Music—Society.
Recitation—Mrs G. W. Jackson.
Declam.—Oren Parks.
Reading—Miss Ella Pattison.
Music—Will Allen.
Rec.—Miss Belle Barlow.
Dec.—Mr. Wm. Stewart.
Reading—Miss Fannie Schwab.
Music—Miss Lou Arner.
Charade.
Tableaux.
Music—Henry Williams.
Recess.
Music—Miss Rose Easlick.
Question—Resolved: That the recent action of the village school board in reference to the return of the special school tax, is justifiable. Aff. R. H. Nelson, Neg. P. Sharp. Five minute speeches, to follow in open discussion. Admission free.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, March, 16, 1885.

Meeting called to order by Pres. R. B. House.

Present the entire council.

The President announced the standing committes for the ensuing year as follows, viz:

Finance—Messrs. Marsden, Bills and Hall.

Streets—Messrs. Bills, Cook and Bresie.

Cemetery—Bresie, Wood and Adams.

Fire and Fire Limits—Cook, Bresie and Bills.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Adams, Hall, Cook.

Health—Hall, Marsden, Wood.

Ordinances—Wood, Adams, Marsden.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The following report upon water supply was submitted by W. E. Gray:

To the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh. Greeting:

Having noticed a statement in the HERALD of the 12th inst., relative to water supply, the undersigned would respectfully submit the following report: During the past six years there has been not less than from four to six hours supply of water left remaining in the tank at the taking up of the engine hose at any fire, and when the alarm was given last week there was about ten hours water supply in the tank.

Respectfully,
March 16, 1885. W. E. GRAY.

Accepted and adopted and ordered placed on file.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

There were submitted the application of James Moir for the office of Village Marshall, and the petition of A. S. Doty, D. H. Zeluff, J. L. Waldo and sixty-three other business men and citizens of the village, requesting the appointment of Henry Stevens as village Marshall.

On motion the same were laid on the table to await the taking up of new business.

NEW BUSINESS.

Mr. Bresie addressed the council upon the subject of the Recorder's salary, stating that the same was fixed at the sum of fifty dollars about the year 1860, that since that time the business and responsibility of the office had considerably more than doubled, and that the salary ought to be increased accordingly.

After remarks by the members of the council, it was, on motion of Mr Adams and by vote of the council, Resolved, that the salary of the Village Recorder for the ensuing year be and he same is hereby fixed at the sum of seventy-five dollars.

On motion the Council proceeded by ballot to the appointment of Marshall, with the following result:

Whole number of votes cast.....7.
Henry W. Stevens received.....2.
James Moir " .....5.

On motion James Moir was duly declared appointed to the office of Marshall.

On motion the Council proceeded by ballot to the appointment of Street Commissioner, with the following result:

Whole number of votes cast.....7.
A. Millis received.....1.
Wm. C. Jordan .....6.

On motion Wm. C. Jordan was declared duly appointed to the office of Street Commissioner.

The attention of the Council was called to a nuisance existing upon the premises of a resident of the village. Reported to Health Committee.

On motion and vote of the Council the amount of the Treasurer's bond for the ensuing year was fixed at the sum of $8,000.

On motion and vote of the Council the amount of the Marshall's bond for the ensuing year was fixed at the sum of $6,000.

On motion the matter of teamster for the ensuing year was referred to street committee to report on candidates and wages at next meeting.

On motion the Council then adjoured.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

PETIT JURORS.

Following is a list of the petit jurors for the April term of the circuit court for Lenawee county:

S. L. Travis, Macon.
Freeman B. Gould, Medina.
I. W. Robertson, Ogden.
E. J. Ingersoll, Palmyra.
Charles Kaynor, Raisin.
James Underwood, Ridgeway.
John Rothfuss, Riga.
Wm. Upton, Rollin.
John Jackson, Rome.
Lyman Kennedy, Seneca.
A. P. Coddington, Tecumseh.
Harvey Dayton, Woodstock.
Wm. Schaaf, First ward, city.
Valentine Kraut, Second ward, city.
Chas. Schlieman, Third ward, city.
Jerome Reynolds, Fourth ward, city.
Wm. H. Knight, Adrian township.
James Soper, Blissfield.
D. C. Richards, Cambridge.
Philip Kehoe, Clinton.
Daniel T. Griswold, Deerfield.
David Voorhees, Dover.
Algernon Grandy, Fairfield.
Eugene Case, Franklin.

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"A TRAGEDY

IN PARENTHESIS.

A Conversation Intercepted at a Certain Morning Call.

A GLORIOUS SIGHT.

The Manner in Which the Native Newfoundland Deer Migrate From One Portion of the Island to Another.

SOUTHERN ALASKA.

The Peculiarities of the Climate and Scenery in Our Hyperborean Possessions.

Leaving Wrangle to battle with its frogs, we sailed through Wrangle Narrows, and later into the genial sunshine and past pleasant ones and by the side of steep cliffs over which fell streams of water, and above which towered peaks of snowy whiteness, glistening in the sunlight far away. There on the shores a fish cannery lay nestled among the trees, or a group of Indian huts was visible, while at times the native canoes were paddled out to us to enable their owners to offer bits of native manufacture. It was being cold, and fortunately a long succession of pleasant days greeted us as we moved lazily along our way. The air was soft yet exhilerating, the channels were filled with water as smooth as glass, the coloring was rich and the vegetation rich and abundant. Alaska, so often considered bleak, and bare and cold, appeared in its true light. Whatever it was elsewhere, here in the South at least it was warm and luxuriant, picturesque from guarded cove to distant peaks of snow which lighted up the blackness that existed, but threw no chill upon the region. The country is Switzerland enlarged, full of sharp contrasts in color studded with mountains of various shape and size. And here at Chicat, near the sixtieth degree of latitude there are serrated ranges with whitened heads shining above the forests that press down upon the waters of Pyramid Harbor, where we lie at anchor. Truly Alaska is, whatever it is not, a land of scenic wonders.—*Portland Transcript.*

—The latest novelty is ginger ice-cream, in which the heat of the ginger counteracts the chill of the cream, and the frigidity of the cream nullifies the fire of the ginger, producing a happy medium most gratifying to the epicurean palate.—*Newton (N. J.) Register.*

—Professor Ely, of John Hopkins' University, predicts that we are just entering upon an era of internal and domestic warfare such as has never been seen and the end of which only the Almighty can foretell.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Thirty-seven railroads, embracing eleven thousand miles, or nearly one-tenth of the mileage of the country, were taken in charge by receivers last year.—*Chicago Times.*

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The Island of Jersey contains less than forty square miles or about [illegible] acres, and yet [illegible] the population of [illegible] head of cattle, [illegible] sheep. There are [illegible] acres of land [illegible] the whole year round. This the island supports from pasture to every acre and kind, [illegible] and exports [illegible] cows, and as Mr. [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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* * "Good counsel has no price, obey it." * *

Mechanic.

Mr. Henry Williams, Mechanic, East Bridgeport, Conn., says:—"About two months ago I caught a heavy cold, which settled in my kidneys. I got a bottle of HUNT'S [Kidney and Liver] REMEDY and with the first dose began to get well."

* * * "Light suppers makes long lives." * * *

Railroad Man.

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A QUIET MAN'S JOKE.

Amusing Incident of S. S. Conant's Experience on "The Times" Recalled.

When Stillman S. Conant was managing editor of the *Times*, a short time prior to the mysterious death of its chief editor, Henry J. Raymond, his first name was regarded as by no means a misnomer. He was the mildest-mannered managing editor that ever ordered a two-column article to be cut down to a paragraph. But quiet as his general demeanor was, he held the reins firmly and sharply curbed any tendency to undue friskiness on the part of the editorial team that he was driving. He could, however, take a joke and match it with another.

One cold night in the winter of 1869 the box in which copy for the editor was sent up stairs from the publication office suddenly shot up to the editorial rooms, and a sharp ring of the bell announced that it had arrived with something in it. Mr. Conant stepped to the box and took out a package, somewhat bulky, that looked as if it might contain something intended for publication. Looking at it closely he read these words on the envelope:

Mr. ———,
Night City Editor,
Give us a puff.

Mr. Conant's suspicions were at once aroused by this remarkable superscription. Could it be that the man who edited the city news was in collusion with some outsider who was sending him "a first-rate notice" for insertion in the news columns, smuggling it in without paying duty at the advertising desk? This was worthy of immediate investigation. He immediately sent for the man to whom the package was addressed and closely scanned his countenance while the latter opened the envelope.

And then the nature of the atrocious attempt to tamper with the press was made manifest. The contents were two fragrant cigars, wrapped in a piece of paper, on which were hastily scrawled the same words that appeared on the envelope—"Give us a puff." It was signed with the initials of D. O'C. Townley, a writer (since dead) who was at that time attached to the staff of the *Times*. The laugh that followed was at Mr. Conant's expense.

"Well," he said, joining in the general hilarity, "I think that is worth your notice," and lighting one of the cigars which was presented to him by the blue-pencil man of the City Room, he resumed his duties at his desk.

Shortly afterward, entering the room where the sub-editor was vigorously engaged in "boiling" copy, apparently deriving much aid and comfort in the operation from the cigar which he was silently puffing while the smoke wreaths curled above his head, like the steam from any other boiler. Mr. Conant said: "Well, I see that is sent up."

"Eh? what is?" asked the other.

"Why," said Mr. Conant, pointing to the fragrant clouds of tobacco smoke that floated overhead, "that is. That is scent up." The joke was flagrant, though timely, and to the man who, for the moment, had rested under the faint cloud of suspicion that was so speedily dispelled, it has been a fragrant memory ever since.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

A STORY OF A NEW ROSE.

The Origin of the Latest Product in Fine Floriculture.

The new rose, "Beauty of America," now the sensation in Washington, has a history. It is well known that Mr. Bancroft, the historian, has in his grounds at Washington one of the rarest and finest collection of roses in America. His gardener was privileged to take the seeds produced to experiment on, and thousands of plants were raised from these, but only one plant showed indications of excellence. This was a poor, tiny, neglected one, growing among others. It probably would have been lost to cultivation had it not been seen by a florist, who purchased the plant two years ago from the original grower for the sum of seventy-five cents! Two years in the hands of this florist has produced plants enough to sell this spring for $5,000, all of which are already sold to New York and Philadelphia in lots ranging from 500 to 1,000. These plants are but an inch high and cost $50 a hundred.

Such results are very encouraging to the originators of new varieties. Within two years three roses have been introduced here—the "Sunset" of last spring brought the originator $15,000; the "Bennett," of Philadelphia, will net $10,000, while the "Beauty of America" will bring $5,000.—*Washington Star.*

The Cuté London "Cop."

The London policemen seem to be of wonderfully truthful disposition for men who see so much of the worst side of human nature. One of them stopped an American the other day because he carried a "suspicious-looking" tin box. The officer wanted him to "swear on his honor" that it did not contain dynamite. The American "swore" and was allowed to proceed. Apparently the policeman reasoned that a man who carried dynamite could not lie about it. Such faith in the word of a stranger is touching and chivalrous, but over here such a policeman would be considered decidedly in need of salting.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—'Squire Cristler, of Banks County, Ga., was called upon the other night to join a couple together in the holy bonds of matrimony. Getting to the river, he found it impossible to cross. Determined not to be disappointed, he summoned the couple to the water's edge on the other side of the stream, and the license, tied to a stone, having been pitched over to him, a distance of some sixty yards, he proceeded to tie the knot at the top of his voice.

—Vermont has a still unrepealed law on her statute books empowering her Justices of the Peace to order the collection of wheat at five shillings, rye at four shillings and Indian corn at four shillings per bushel to pay the salaries of certain specified preachers.—*Troy Times.*

An Editor's Reflections.

The editor of the *Lockport Phœnix* is responsible for the following. Who has not thought in about the same strain? And in our sober moments too:

Every once in a while something or other occurs which brings up before us feelings of other days; we are solemn—we indulge in retrospection and dream of "what might have been." And, while in the mood, other serious thoughts succeed, one to another, and we are prone to reflect on such sayings of the proverb-makers as "An hour once lost is gone forever," "What is past can never be recalled," etc., and we speculate as to the future even so much as to wish to raise the impenetrable veil that divides our life here from the shadowy realms beyond and know the mysteries that lie hidden there.

When we come to think seriously on the subject, what a confoundedly strange thing life is! What peculiar mysteries we ourselves are! that we cannot even "know ourselves." And yet one thing is pretty certain, viz, that each and every one of us can say with a very comfortable degree of assurance "I am," although a goodly number of our great and shining lights have expressed themselves doubtful of even that.

Suppose sometime, you or ourself, friend reader, should wake up and find we were somewhere else and learn that this earthly existence had been all "in our mind," as slang parlance hath expressed it. It would be strange would it not? And yet a dream seems even as real as this sometimes. But enough of conjecture such as this. We will take it for granted that all things are. There is room enough for guesswork left after that.

Not very long ago, you and the rest of us were babies, nothing but squalling, ugly looking little chunks of incipient humanity. We have ceased to be such, and can never be babies any more. Let us be thankful.

From babies in long clothes, as we grew older, we graduated, some into petticoats and some into breeches. We became school children. That was an epoch in our existence which we probably will never forget. What good times we used to have. How we played together; how we quarreled; how the breeches and petticoats fell in love with each other and then fell out again. We can recollect how we felt the first time we fell a victim to the tender passion. For a long time we worshipped at a distance, but when we found that our feelings were reciprocated we seemed to walk on air; and when we found an opportunity to perform the first osculation of our life—Gosh—but words are inadequate to express what feelings the operation gave rise to. We've got a lock of her hair yet, but she is married now, and to some other fellow. With some slight modifications this has probably been the experience of the majority. But those halcyon days are a thing of the past. As someone once remarked—How *tempus* does *fugit*, and right here perhaps it would be appropriate to quote Shakespeare:

"This world, you know
Is a fleeting show,
And this it is that round we go—
Sometimes above, sometimes below
Like horses in a circus."

Perhaps the immortal William never wrote those words; in fact there is some doubt expressed as to whether W. S. was himself or somebody else. But the sentiment is good, and his "shade" need not get "upon its ear" because we have imputed it to him.

But here we are—men and women—and what the past has been we may as well relegate to some comfortable little nook in our memory and—drop it. What the future is to be we ourselves must decide, for are we not "the architects of our own fortune?" The best way to do it is perhaps, to

"Trust no future howe'er pleasant,
Let the dead past bury its dead;
But act—act in the living present,
Heart within and God o'erhead."

Let us then be up and doing
With a heart for any fate.
Still achieving, still pursuing,
Learn to labor and to wait."

Very Remarkable Recovery.

Mr. Gen. V. Willing, of Manchester, Mich., writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, so helpless that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two Bottles of Electric Bitters, and is so much improved, that she is able now to do her own work." Electric Bitters will do all that is claimed for them. Hundreds of testimonials attest their great curative powers. Only fifty cents a bottle at C. A. Wright & Co.

Location of New School-Houses.

Select a site that is accessible to fresh air and sunlight; those facing to the West and South are the most desirable. 2. See that the location is elevated; not low and damp. 3. If in a city, ascertain whether the building is on natural or "made" soil. The latter is very unhealthy. 4. Have as much open ground around the school-house as possible. A school-house with a yard however small is much more pleasant than one without a yard; and have a garden if possible. 5. Ascertain with a certainty that the drainage is good. 6. Observe whether there are any bodies of stagnant water, or other contaminating influences near, and whether the prevailing direction of the wind will carry unwholesome vapors to the school-house. 7. Never choose a location so thickly surrounded with trees that the sun can never penetrate the rooms. Such places are very unhealthy. 8. Be sure that the water supply is abundant and pure in every respect.

When the blood is loaded with impurities, and moves sluggishly in the veins, an alternative is needed, as this condition of the vital fluid cannot last long without serious results. There is nothing better than Ayer's Sarsaparilla to purify the blood, and impart energy to the system.

A little dot of a girl coaxed two nickels from her father on Thanksgiving day, saying she would use one for candy and the other she would give to the missionaries. Before executing her expressed intentions she lost one while at play, and running to her mamma, said: "Oh, mamma, I have lost my missionary nickel."

For over eight year I have suffered from catarrh, which has affected my eyes and hearing; have employed many physicians without relief. I am now on my second bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, and feel confident of a complete cure—Mary C. Thompson, Cerro Gordo, Piatt Co., Ill.

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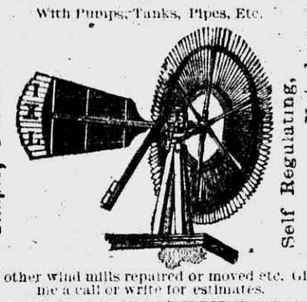

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county, and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 22d A. D. 1879, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent, which mortgage was recorded November 26, A. D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 88 of mortgages on page 578, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee County, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 18th, A. D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 104 of Mortgages, on page 593 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876 67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A. D. 1885 at 9 o'clock a. m. of that day, at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE,
Assignee.
Jan30

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Calvin Lawrence late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Hough & Hosmer in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 10th day of March, 1885, and on the 25th day of July 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of January, 1884, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Feb., 3, 1885.

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New Orleans, M[illegible]
East & Harris.—[illegible]

NOTES FROM THE PACIFIC STATES

San Jose, March [illegible] 1885
Editor Herald.—

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Tate got home last week and Capt Lawrence will prolong his stay a week or ten days more.

A HERALD scribe sought an interview with Mr. S. P. Hosmer yesterday who acted as captain and spokesman of "The Dozen" and got a few notes descriptive of their five days' sojourn at New Orleans.

"I have already told you about our trip down," said Mr Hosmer, and will begin where I left off in my last letter. On the morning of our arrival in the Crescent City we took breakfast at the rooms of the Womans' Christian Association where we were handsomely entertained. We took permanent quarters on the packet Geneva, a fine river steamer plying between the city and the exposition ground, seven miles distant. We were charged $1.75 for day board and lodging and had free transportation between the city and the grounds, which made a very pleasant and economical arrangement for us. The boat made four trips daily, leaving the city on the first trip at 10 o'clock A. M. and returning on the last trip at 5.30 P. M. Hence [illegible] had each evening and two hours in the morning to stroll about the city. I cannot go into detail, but will give you a few general hints in regard to the Exposition. It is certainly "a big show," and well worth the time and expense which it costs to visit it. The grounds are beautifully laid out.

The main building covers thirty acres of ground, and nearly every foot of available space is taken by exhibitors. Art, science and business are represented here by hundreds of enterprising firms from all over the United States and Europe. Among the most noticable and attractive exhibits is a mammoth exhibit of stoves and ranges from the Michigan and Detroit Stove works.

The Grand Rapids furniture firms [illegible] building of their [illegible] and fashionable furniture.

The Art Gallery is a large and [illegible]

[illegible] Here [illegible] Mr. [illegible] Mr. [illegible] Mr.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

UNION CAUCUS.—The Democratic and National electors for the township of Raisin, will meet in caucus at the town house, on Saturday, March 28th, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the coming township election.
BY ORDER OF COM.

CYCLOPEDIA FOR SALE.—A set of Appleton's Cyclopedia, latest edition, for sale at a bargain. Enquire at the
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NOTICE.—Having sold out to Adamson Bros., I hereby request all persons indebted to me to call and settle before April 1st, 1885.
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FOR SALE.—Two set of bobs astonishingly cheap at RICHART'S WAGON SHOP.

The village assessors have opened the spring campaign.

The Adrian art loan will close on Saturday evening next.

This is bad maple sugar weather. The sap does'nt run worth a snap.

J. S. Kinney is putting in a heavy stock of new goods. Read his new announcement in to-days paper.

The Council have appointed James Moir Marshall and Wm. C. Jordan street commissioner for the coming year. Both good appointments. They could'nt be bettered.

S. W. Temple has been quite seriously indisposed, and has not been out for nearly two weeks. He is now on the gain, and will soon be able to attend to business as usual.

The HERALD job rooms have just received a large invoice of calling cards, plain and gilt edged, in new and elegant designs. Ladies who desire nice address cards can be accommodated on short notice.

Geo. Tansley, of Addison, was in Tecumseh on Tuesday. He is getting finely started in his new furniture business there, and his trade has been as good thus far as he anticipated. He proposes to make things lively this summer.

Dr. C. A. Swartout has taken up his residence among us, and is prepared to answer all professional calls. The doctor is a gentleman and well posted in his profession and solicits a share of patronage. His office and residence are on Pottawatamie street.

Early in December last Melville G. Wood removed to Adrian for the purpose of obtaining employment, but circumstances which often occur did not have the desired effect and about six weeks ago he obtained a position as brakeman on a freight train of the L. S. & M. S. railroad. Sunday, the 9th inst. Melville, while doing his duty, strained himself internally, which confined him to his bed, and his death was the result. He leaves a large circle of friends who will mourn his untimely death. His funeral was held on the 18th inst. at his father's residence in Wolf Creek, and was largely attended.

LONGFELLOW MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Next Tuesday, March 24th, the anniversary of the death of the poet, Henry W. Longfellow, will be commemorated by the schools of the village with appropriate exercises. All the departments in the central building will take part in the program on Tuesday afternoon. The exercises in the branch buildings will be deferred until Friday afternoon, March 27th. This is done in order to accommodate those who may wish to attend the exercises in the central building and branch buildings also.

The program will consist of biographical sketches, eulogies, reviews of his writings, declamations, quotations from his writings and music. We are unable to give the program in full, but it promises to be a very interesting one. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to be present.

FLASHES BY C. T. LINE.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth of Clinton is visiting friends in Franklin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton of Tipton, lost their youngest child last Thursday.

Misses Ina and Zoe Cook of Muskegon are visiting with their cousin L. L. Mangus of Tecumseh.

Morris Conklin arrived safely in Elmwood, Ill., March 7th, where he is followed by the best wishes of his friends in Tecumseh.

Robert Smith of Franklin, has moved to Newburg. Also, Mr. Wissing has bought the house and lot of Mr. Pease at the same place.

W. B. Keyser has rented Mr. E. C. Coryell's place. He is tired of farming on a small place of 160 acres.

The following program was carried out at the Newburg Lyceum last Wednesday evening, it being one of the best meetings yet held:

Select Reading—P. B. Gregg.
Jus. Duett—C. H. Keyser and D. H. Haggart.
Concert Reading—D. H. Haggart and scholars.
Chip Basket—David Carson.
Recitation—Nettie Dove.
Vocal Duett—C. H. Keyser and Sanford Goodrich.
The Question, "Resolved that the Indians have suffered more at the hands of the white man in the United States than the negro," was warmly debated and decided in the negative

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 19, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Addison wants a fire department.

A skating tournament will soon take place at the Adrian rink.

Mrs. Wm. Mitchel, of Port Huron, is visiting her brother, S. P. Hosmer, in this village.

Horace Baker, who has been seriously ill with an attack of typhoid fever, is now on the mend and will be out again soon.

Miss Anna Powers who has been on a visiting tour to Milwaukee, Wis., Minneapolis, Minn., and McGregor, Iowa, returned to this village on Tuesday last.

Frank Silvers, having resigned his position as Deputy Sheriff, Mr. James H. Aten has been appointed Deputy in his place. Mr. Aten will make an excellent officer.

On Tuesday evening the Tecumseh Progressive Euchre Club had a very pleasant time at the residence of Ed. Hough. Their next meeting will be held at L. P. Tribou's.

Misses Lena Brown, Nellie Reynolds, Minnie Jones, Ida Taylor, Metta Adams, Lizzie Beamish, Clara Waldron, and Messrs. George and Clarence Monaghan, attended the teachers' examination at Adrian last Saturday.

Mr. E. J. Oliver, who is now living at Larkersville Kansas, has sent us four ears of corn, of four different varieties, as samples of the kind of corn they raise in Kansas. They are now on exhibition at the HERALD office.

Orrin Terry and Harvey Terry, of Oneida Co. New York were in town last Monday, visiting their brother S. B. Terry, and Mrs. P. J. Welling. They went to Toledo on Tuesday where they will remain a few days with friends before returning home.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. shipped on Tuesday last a car load of sash for the new county court house, and on Saturday they sold to John Brayee, of Adrian a large bill of lumber to be used in constructing a hotel at Devil's Lake. Joe reports business opening up lively.

Adrian Times:—Competent judges of art pronounce the crayon portraits at the art loan exhibition, by C. A. Thatcher, of Toledo, the finest ever shown in Adrian. Many of our prominent citizens have ordered portraits of their friends, and are well pleased with them.

S. W. Temple has been having his platform scales overhauled. Water and snow had settled underneath them and frozen. The scales were taken out and the ice removed and they were placed in position again. They were thoroughly tested and found to be correct to a fraction.

The eclipse of the sun last Monday afternoon came off according to program. The show began promptly on time, with no extra charge for reserved seats. Smoked glass was in demand for an hour or two. It was the nearest approach to a total solar eclipse that has been seen in this latitude since 1869.

Mrs. R. C. Catlin returned last week from Grand Rapids where she has been stopping for about four weeks, to assist in the care of her son, Dr. H. W. Catlin, in his sickness. Bert has fully recovered from his attack, and is attending to his professional duties again. His Tecumseh acquaintances will be glad to learn of his recovery.

Adrian Record: A couple of Hudson men and their wives a few evenings ago, drove in a cutter to the house of an acquaintance a mile away, unhitched the horse from the cutter and tied him. Late in the evening it was found that the horse had broken the halter and gone home. But the plucky husbands bundled their wives into the cutter and getting inside the shafts, drew the cutter home themselves. The sight, it is said, was "enough to make the horse laugh."

Adamson Bros' have bought out Fred Keip's stock of books, wall paper, notions, etc., and will hereafter control the entire store. Mr. Keip returns to Toledo. The Adamsons need no introduction to a Tecumseh audience, as their business career here is known to all. This addition to their stock will give them one of the most complete jewelry and book stores in Southern Michigan and they will spare no pains to keep fully up with the times in their line of trade. They will doubtless receive the patronage to which they are so well entitled.

Deputy Great Commander, F. M. Hitchcock, organized a Tent of Knights of the Maccabees of the World, on March 10th, consisting of 18 charter members. The officers are:

Sir Knight P. C.—D. A. Hammond.
" " Com.—R. B. House.
" " Lieut. Com.—A. P. Foster.
" " R. K.—Newberry Satterthwaite.
" " Prelate—Jno. J. Orr.
" " F. K.—C. A. Wright.
" " Med. Ex.—E. M. Conklin.
" " Sergeant—M. L. Root.
M. A.—J. H. Smith.
1st. M. of G.—J. D. Wilson.
2d. " —B. P. Anderson.
Sentinel.—J. L. Anderson.
Picket—Geo. E. Adamson.

Regular meetings the second Tuesday in each month.

The new Council organized last Monday evening.

Mrs. C. A. Slayton visited the Adrian art loan last Monday.

C. K. Spafford, of the Clinton Local, gave us a call last Tuesday.

John R. Clark is now having a very successful lecture tour in Ontario.

Dit Nixon, of Adrian, spent last Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

Miss Mina Olmstead, of East Bay City, is visiting friends in Tecumseh.

There was a big crowd in town last Saturday and business was booming.

Congressman Eldredge arrived home from Washington last Saturday.

Dr. North's registering thermometer indicated 5° below zero Tuesday morning.

"Looking through a glass darkly" was quite generally indulged in Monday afternoon.

About 25 couple were in attendance at the dance at Armory Hall last Friday evening.

The Prohibitionists will probably run tickets of their own in most of the voting precincts in this County this spring.

A beautiful crayon portrait of little Bertha Wooden, executed by C. H. Hopkins, is on exhibition in Keip's show window.

Fred Spaulding took his departure from Tecumseh on last Monday. He has secured a position in Chicago, and we wish him well.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. A. Wood, of Cleveland, Ohio, were in town last week, the guests of C. C. Tefft. They returned home on Tuesday morning.

Wallace Gray informs us that there was a good supply of water in the tank on the night of the last fire. See his report in the Council Proceedings.

Rev. R. S. Pardington, formerly a well known methodist pastor in Tecumseh and the state, was recently chosen chaplain of the Connecticut legislature.

Mr. A. C. Osborn is now lying in a precarious condition at his home in Woodstock. His disease, neuralgia, having baffled the skill of able physicians four weeks.

Sumner Collins, of Detroit, spent a day or two this week at his old home in Macon. He came out last Saturday and remained over Sunday with friends in Adrian.

Another arctic wave struck us last Monday, and the weather did not mellow up until yesterday. Monday and Tuesday, during the entire day, the thermometer was almost down to zero.

C. H. Smith has opened a shop in Kyle & Haynes building where he is prepared to do all kinds of carriage painting. Charley is a first class workman and will doubtless get his full share of custom.

The County horticultural society will hold its next meeting on Wednesday April 1st. Would'nt it be a good plan for some of our fruit raisers to attend and invite the society to hold a meeting occasionally at Tecumseh?

Ex-mayor Navin was arraigned Tuesday afternoon before Justice Long. The defendent waived examination and was bound over to the Circuit Court. Bail was fixed at $15,000 but no bail was offered and Navin was taken back to jail.

A special meeting of Lenawee Co. Grange will be held at Weston Grange Hall, Wednesday, March 25th. Installation of officers will take place at 11 o'clock A. M. and after the picnic dinner Mrs. Perry Mayo will deliver the address. All are invited.

Mrs. W. W. Frazer had the misfortune to put her right shoulder out of joint last Friday afternoon, while lifting a dishpan from the stove. Dr. Catlin set it and she is getting along as well as could be expected. It is almost as bad as a break and she will probably be laid up five or six weeks.

A large crowd of citizens was at the park east of Elliott's blacksmith shop last evening to witness the exhibition with the Harden hand grenade. A pile of boards and shavings covered with oil was set on fire and allowed to burn a few minutes and a couple of the grenades were then broken in the flames which were immediately extinguished. In case of a small fire we should think the grenade would be a handy thing to have around.

The repairs upon the Opera House are now completed. The new floor is laid of seasoned hard wood and has been put in fine shape to skate on. The furnace registers, which formerly were placed in the floor, have been removed to the side walls, so that there will be no obstructions whatever on the floor. A skate and ticket room has been fixed up under the east stair case, a ticket window having been cut through the wall between this room and the main audience room. The inside wood work has been treated to a coat of paint and a general renovation has taken place. The formal opening of the new rink will occur to-morrow evening. Manager Sutton has been to considerable expense in fitting up the building for a first class rink, and the skating portion of the public should reward him therefor by a liberal patronage.

FROM TECUMSEH TO SAN FRANCISCO.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton returned last week from her trip to San Francisco. A reporter of the HERALD took the liberty to call upon her the other day and solicit a few "notes" descriptive of her journey. He enjoyed a pleasant chat of nearly an hour with Mrs. Sutton, and learned many things about the western country which were new to him. We are permitted to give our readers the substance of the conversation.

"I have no ambition to appear in print," said Mrs. Sutton, "but still I must admit that I enjoyed the trip wonderfully well, and I have no objections to giving you a few items. Only try to spell the Spanish names correctly and make your story as brief as possible."

"I left home on Friday, the 23rd day of January, and went first to Chicago via the Wabash line. Here I made a short tarry of about two days to see a few of the sights of this growing Western metropolis. I there took the Burlington route, and went to Newton, Iowa, where I spent one day with E. H. Hoeg's family, and had a very pleasant visit with them. Ed is now engaged in the banking business at Newton and seems to be prospering abundantly. From that point I proceeded to Kansas City, and took a short detour to Edwardsville, thirteen miles distant, where I stayed over night with Edwin Taylor's family. Coming back to Kansas City, I took the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fee road; my next stop was at Las Vegas, New Mexico. The celebrated Las Vegas springs are situated seven miles from the railroad. I spent three days at this resort most delightfully. The springs are 6,500 feet above tide water, and the climate is superb. It seemed as though the air was purer, the sky bluer, the stars brighter, than in any other town I ever visited.—This resort is visited by pleasure seekers and invalids from all sections of the country. There are two magnificent hotels, each capable of accommodating several hundred guests.—The new hotel called the Montzeuma, is now in course of construction, which will be ready for the public about April 1st. The water of the springs is a great curative for most chronic ailments, especially rheumatism, and hundreds of invalids are found here at all seasons of the year. During my stay here I took a ride in the saddle up the mountians about 1-500 feet above the springs, on a buro, a species of Mexican mule. Had a delightful ride which I shall long remember. From Las Vegas I turned my face towards the setting sun, and after three days' journey, arrived at Los Angeles, where I spent two days in that garden of flowers and orange groves. Thence to San Francisco.

The growth of this city during the past thirty years is something wonderful, and large cities have sprung up across the bay, which are properly suberbs of San Francisco. I passed five days here with pleasure and profit, and could keep you half a day telling the story of those five days, but the recital would be wearisome. During my stay here I visited Zeno Kelley's family in Oakland. They went from Tecumseh 32 years ago. Mrs. Kelley is sick, and cannot live long.

From there I went to San Jose, where the principal visit of my journey was made. This is a beautiful city. Here I found J. W. Patterson and family and Elwood Comfort and daughter Sadie, so that I felt quite at home. I hired rooms in the same house occupied by Mr. Comfort and his daughter, and made it my home there for two weeks. During these two weeks, excursions of a day or two were made in different directions. One day I visited Monterey, a beautiful resort on the sea coast, situated below San Jose. There is a hotel here with five hundred rooms and a magnificent drive on the beach. This city is becoming one of the most fashionable resorts on the Pacific coast. Another day I went to Felton to see the big trees. Mr. Patterson and his family accompanied me on this excursion and it was enjoyed by all of us I assure you. Another day I visited Alum-rock, about seven miles off, a favorite drive up the mountains and drank of the water of three different springs.

The weather was beautiful during the entire two weeks of my sojourn at San Jose, and every day was utilized to the best advantage for visiting and sight-seeing.

I made all the little detours on my outward trip and came home "flying." I left San Francisco at three o'clock P. M. on Friday. Did not miss a single train on the way, and arrived in Detroit the next Wednesday night at 12:30, having accomplished one of the quickest trips ever made between those two cities. It has been my ambition for several years to visit California, and see the snow-capped Rockies. The journey had been anticipated with pleasure, but it more than met my expectations. I am glad to get home, of course, and yet am frank to admit that I never enjoyed a journey as well. I was absent from home just seven weeks. I have already booked a resolve in my diary to repeat the trip at some convenient time in the future."

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening, March 6th, the Farmers' Social Club met at the residence of Mr. A. D. Hall. There was a large attendance of the club and quite a number of visitors. The Program was good and well carried out. Music by the choir. Select reading by Hattie Horton. Recitation by Leva Gillespie. "Curfew will not ring to-night," which was admirably spoken with one exception, it was spoken rather too low to be heard throughout Mr. Hall's large parlors. Singing by Kitt Griswold, like all Kitt's efforts, was good. Chip basket by Anna Everhart, a large basket and well filled. Instrumental music by Eva Rector and Kirt Griswold, a very nice performance. Essay by I. H. Schreder was a well written production. It was mostly a reply to papers written by Mr. Wilson of Franklin, "Does farming pay at present prices", and one written by Fay DePuy, wherein the writer advised no one to buy more land than he could pay down for. Mr. Schreder thought that an industrious economical, go ahead man was safe in buying a farm of 80 or 160 acres of land if he had enough to pay one-half down, with reasonable time and fair interest on the balance.

Mr. Hall led the discussion on the question, "is it right to require persons to pay taxes on property they are in debt for." Mr. Hall said that if property was exempt to the owner or occupier that they were in debt for, there would be a very large amount of property that could not be taxed at all. He instanced the merchant that owed for his goods perhaps in the city of New York. Said the merchant paid quite a large proportion of the taxes, as the law now stands. Also grain in transit. He thought there was no injustice done to a land owner if he was in debt for half of his farm, if he paid taxes on the whole. Thought if the money loaner or mortgage holder was honest and paid taxes on the mortgage, it would lessen the heft of taxes on the land owner so that he would have no cause to complain. For example, suppose A. buys a farm worth $20,000 and mortages to C for $10,000 purchase money, and B buys a farm for $10,000 and mortages to C for $5,000 which would make the land worth $30,000 to pay taxes on, and then C would have to pay taxes on $15,000 of money loaned to buy this land, which would make the farmers taxes about one-third less or in other words, there would be a tax raised on $45,000 instead of just the two farms worth $30,000. Thought if the farmer had a rebate on his taxes to the amount of his mortgaged indebtedness it would have a tendency to make the farmer dishonest for he would be very apt to put in the whole amount of the mortgage after he had made payments thereby doing an injustice to his creditor.

Mr. Kehoe could not see any justice in taxing one-third more property than really existe, because C having loaned to A and B $15,000 that they used to pay, for their farms worth $30,000 did not make $45,000 worth of property. Either A and B ought to have a rebate on the amount they borrowed of C, or else C ought to be exempt from taxation. Said the fact was that the money lender did not pay taxes on but very little they had loaned out. They kept it so well covered up that the assessors did not get it on their roll. Said that the property of the farmer, both real and personal estate was where the assessor could see it, and consequently it all got taxed. Thought there was a hitch in the law somewhere. Looked to him as though the law was all in favor of the rich man or else the assessors did not do their duty

Mr. Everhart thought it would not do to give the farmer a rebate on the amount of land that he was in debt for. For instance, suppose a man bought a farm here and borrowed money in Ohio; he would have to pay interest on the money according to the laws of Ohio and therefore the money lender could not be compelled to take a tax receipt in place of money for interest on his mortgage. And farther, he thought it would be unjust to exempt the farmer from paying tax on the lands he owned and used whether he was in debt for them or not.

Mr. Schreder could see no injustice in making the mortgagee pay the tax to the amount of his mortgage as in reality that was his interest in the land. Was very sure that all mortgages had to be paid according to the laws of the state where the property mortgaged was situated, no matter where the person lived loaning the money.

Club adjourned for three weeks to meet at the residence of Mr. I. H. Schreder Friday evening, March 27th. This being our last regular meeting of the season there will be a picnic supper. All are invited to attend and bring along their goodies. Mrs. Schreder will furnish the coffee, sugar, cream and butter. The literary program as arranged for the meeting:

Music—Choir.
Chip Basket—Lizzie Henderson.
Essay—F. A. Horton.
Music—Grant Schreder, Henry Horton.
Select Reading—Mrs. John Fisher.
Singing—Choir.
Supper.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

BANJO CONCERT AND ELOCUTION

The celebrated Alhambra Banjo Club and Elizabeth Mansfield Irving, Toledo's noted elocutionist, will give the fifth entertainment of the Library course on Monday evening, March 30.

Mrs. Irving read several selections in an artistic and effective manner. She has genius for humor, a fine faculty as a mimic, versatility and good training. Mrs. Irving will beneeforth be numbered among the favorite stage figures in Detroit.—Detroit Free Press.

From J. W. Shoemaker, A. M., Philadelphia, Pa. Mrs. Irving has rare capabilities, both as a teacher of her chosen art and as a reader. She is an earnest seeker for the truth in expression, and imparts the result of her investigations with intelligence and soul, and as a reader she so reduces herself into the thought or passion, that she cannot fail to win the auditor, public or private.

ALBION COLLEGE.

ALBION, Mich. March 16, 1885.

EDITOR HERALD.—Last Saturday evening occured one of the pleasantries of 'Albion College Life.' The event was the usual term reception tendered to the students by President Fiske, D. D., LL. D., at his fine and spacious new residence. At an early hour the students began to arrive; and, after removing their wraps, they were conducted into the presence of the Doctor and his estimable Lady, where they were heartily received, and welcomed to the hospitality of the house. The parlors were thrown open, and the guests, after singing a few lively 'College Songs,' spent the evening in social chatting, interspersed with entertaining little games. At an early hour they began to disperse, each one wishing the host and hostess a pleasant good night, and many happy returns of these pleasant gatherings. This was one of the pleasant evenings which will long be remembered by all who were there, especially by your correspondent, who was there.

W. F. H.

PUBLIC SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The annual examinations in the Tecumseh public schools will occur on Thursday and Friday, March 26 and 27; in the central building on Thursday, and in branch buildings on Friday. The following special committees have been appointed. All patrons and friends of the school will, however, be welcome.

A ROOM, HIGH SCHOOL.

Mr. & Mrs. D. McNair, Mr. & Mrs. E. N. Avery,
" " A. D. Hall, " " A. Rice,
" " A. G. Hall, " " John Fisher,
" " S. P. Hosmer, Rev. " G. W. Hudson,
Rev. & Mrs. W. H. Babbitt, Mr. " H. Keyser,
Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Jarkson,

B ROOM, HIGH SCHOOL.

Mr. & Mrs. F. C. Rector, Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Slayton,
" " Jno. Osborn, " " Geo. Heesen,
Mrs. A. Mills, " " L. Van Tine,
Mrs. Chas. Lawrence, " " Jno. Dewey,
Dr. & Mrs. R. B. House, Rev. & " G. W. Hudson.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Rev. & Mrs. C. E. Conley, Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Stevens,
Dr. & Mrs. L. G. North, " " M. G. Tremaine,
Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Thus, " " F. W. Gamble,
" " P. B. Swick, " " F. J. Henderson,
" " F. Davidson, short.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Hayden, Dr. & Mrs. R. B. House,
" " Geo. Price, Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Collier,
" " S. Haight, " " M. E. Conklin,
" " Geo. Tiffany, " " L. Bates.
" " H. McClure,

SIXTH GRADE.

Dr. & Mrs. Woodward, Mr. & Mrs. C. Albaugh,
Mr. & Mrs. W. Q. Burnett, " " P. J. Farley,
" " Chas. Burridge, " " A. P. Coddington
" " P. C. Temple, " " Ed. Rowland.

FIFTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Jordan, Mr. & Mrs. R. Owens,
" " W. Gage, " " H. J. Sweet,
" " J. Glasgow, " " D. Jones,
" " J. R. Hialey, " " J. Hughes,
" " C. Bidwell, " " N. Quine.

FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADE.

Mr. & Mrs. Jno. Hicks, Mr. & Mrs. C. H. Gainsley,
" " T. J. Havens, " " J. D. Shull,
" " A. Gage, " " Wm. Heck,
" " T. F. Lewis, " " Wm. Snedecor,
" " J. W. Owen, " " John Cannon,
" " J. Kingan,

FOURTH GRADE.

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Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Elliott, " " J. Pocklington,
" " Wm. Gordon, " " Myron Conklin
" " M. Marks, " " Van Antwerp,
" " A. Hardenburg " " Vandercook.

EAST PRIMARY.

Mr. & Mrs. L. K. Mead, Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Pattison,
" " W. Burlingame " " Geo. Wilson,
" " M. P. Brown, " " Wm. Calhoun,
" " D. S. Love, " " J. R. Fowler,
" " J. B. Pattison, " " O. Q. Jones.

WEST BRANCH.

Mr. & Mrs. M. Primrose, Mr. & Mrs. F. Ferguson,
Dr. & Mrs. Stewart, " " Jos. Warthe,
Mr. & Mrs. Jos. Smith, " " John Heesen,
Dr. & Mrs. Jenkins, " " Wm. Gaston,

NORTH BRANCH.

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PHYSICIANS.

R. B. BAKER, M.D. Homœopath. Physician and Surgeon. Office over Lane's drug store. Residence, Chicago st. Telephone number [illegible]

C. W. MARSHALL, M.D. [illegible]

F. W. CONRAD, M.D. [illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS.

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WM. [illegible] Tecumseh, Mich., agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. This is a purely mutual organization and one of the soundest and most prosperous companies of its kind. Insures against accidents of all descriptions. Also agent for the Phœnix Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn. [illegible]

DAVE MACK, Photographer Rooms over Hair Dresser's. Gallery in Hallock's.

CHERRY & SWETLAND, Photographic Artists and Hair Dressers, Rooms in Hallock's Block, Chicago st.

CHAS. A. WALDRON, [illegible] in which property is [illegible] Office in Patten's Block. Tecumseh, Mich.

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LENOX HOTEL, [illegible] The house has been thoroughly renovated and refitted throughout, and is now equal to any house in the country. The best of attention will be given to the wants of the traveling public. Rates reasonable. [illegible] Proprietor.

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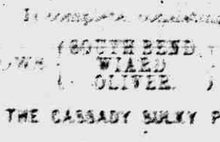

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 55 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

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NORTH. Express Passenger	NORTH. Mail Passenger	STATIONS. Central Time.	SOUTH. Express Passenger	SOUTH. Mail Passenger
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
5 25	7 05	Lv.....Toledo.....Ar.	9 30	4 55
5 20	7 14	....Manhattan Junction....	9 26	4 48
5 40	7 23	.....Alexis Junction.....	9 16	4 38
5 48	7 35	.....Hawthorn.....	9 10	4 30
5 55	7 46	.....Samaria.....	9 02	4 22
6 09	8 06	.....Lulu.....	8 47	4 04
6 14	8 15	.....Monroe Junction.....	8 42	3 59
6 23	8 30	.....Dundee.....	8 30	3 50
6 28	8 37	.....Macon.....	8 26	3 45
6 33	8 46	.....Azalia.....	8 20	3 40
6 43	8 59	.....Milan Junction.....	8 09	3 25
6 46	9 03	..... Milan.....	8 06	3 22
6 51	9 09	.....Nora.....	7 59	3 17
6 58	9 22	.....Urania.....	7 52	3 10
7 07	9 32	.....Pittsfield.....	7 40	3 02
7 20	9 50	.....Ann Arbor.....	7 27	2 49
7 37	10 15	.....Leland.....	7 12	2 30
7 45	10 22	.....Worden.....	7 06	2 25
8 00	10 35	Ar.....South Lyon.....Lv	6 50	2 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 01	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
6 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 15	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
7 37	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 21		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 55
8 33		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 25
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 55		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

☞ Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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Blouse fronts are made of Irish tatting.

Chevoits for spring wear are in all shades of brown and tan and in grays.

Heliotrope is the fashionable color and perfume, as well as the fashionable flower.

Frise velvets are combined with fine black cashmere. They form the vest and the underskirt.

Cream and black laces are preferred for evening wear, although guipure is shown in all colors.

Lace brocade is a new dress fabric for warm weather, and has all the good qualities of the mohairs.

The most popular woolen suits consist of a draped skirt, a basque bodice and a jacket for out-door wear.

Paris still decrees that the trimming of the two sides of the dress, bodice as well as skirt, must not be alike.

Mohairs and lusters are in all shades of brown, gray and mode, in shot and illuminated effects and in stripes.

Crepe lisse with fine plaits, edged with gilt, crystal or pearl beads, is worn at the neck and sleeves of silk dresses.

The tasteless combination of stuffed Java sparrows with the fairy-bells of the lily of the valley continues in vogue.

Materials for cloaks are in two-toned arabesque designs in brown, beige and fawn color, and in plaids of all shades.

Plaid surahs are shown in great variety. Those with alternating satin and surah stripes and with brocaded checks are very effective.

Waist-linings of good quality are to be had, cut out of any desired size, thus saving much labor to those who do dressmaking at home.

A black velvet dress has a plain skirt, with wide jet passementerie about the hem, the edge of the basque bodice having the same trimming, but narrower.

French all-wool light-weight goods for evening wear are in great variety. Among them are new veilings with a smooth surface, summer ottomans and sangher, a very beautiful fabric.

Plain woolen materials are accompanied by striped goods which may be combined at pleasure with the color of the ground or of either of the stripes, making either a light or dark costume.

Gold will continue in vogue as trimming, and when intelligently used is very effective. Prof. Fischer, a German authority in æsthetic matters, says: "A touch of metal ennobles the costume, but it must be applied by a master hand; too much is vulgarity."

A visiting dress of navy blue satin has a plaiting of navy blue velvet around the edge of the skirt. The drapery is of navy blue satin, thickly covered with cardinal red chenille spots. A blue plush jacket, trimmed with feathers, is worn with this, and there is a toque to match.

The upper part of dress skirts is to be puffed; the single puff sometimes reaching from the waist nearly to the knee. Some of the dresses have the puff beginning at the side and continuing diagonally across the front. In others the puff is like the deep jacket-basque, shorter in the back than in front.

An evening dress of rose-colored faille, has the flounces cut in the shape of rose leaves, under which are valenciennes flounces. The over-dress and bodice are embroidered with pink flowers. The rest is of valenciennes lace, and on its left side are gracefully looped pink satin ribbons.

A heliotrope plush tea gown is lined with pale blue satin and opens over a plastron of crepe de chine of the palest possible shade of blue. The folds of the crepe are drawn to the left side of the tablier and held in position by long loops and ends of heliotrope velvet ribbon, pale blue on the reverse side.

Some of the new woolen dress goods are noticeable. Those with geometrical designs, palm leaves and rose buds of bright colors, blending with the soft gray or dark blue of the ground of the material, are combined with plain fabrics in the ground tint of the figured goods in suits with short mantles.

Some fanciful designs in sleeves are shown by Parisian modistes. One has the outer seam open from the wrist to the elbow. Another has a lozenge-shaped piece cut out of the top. The inner seam of a sleeve reaching to the elbow is left unsewed, and it is held together by knots of ribbon fastened at regular intervals.

A handsome fichu is made of jetted lace, which forms a turn-down collar, and thence is shaped to the waist over a net foundation. Below the waist line the ends of the lace are joined together, making a nice finish. At the joining of the collar a number of ribbon loops fall over a full jabot of plain lace, which reaches just below the bust.

Broaches have all manner of shapes, from the round ones of years ago to the attenuated bars of the past few seasons. Quaint conceits are constantly seen. An enormous hook-and-eye inlaid with small but very brilliant diamonds, and a golden ape with ruby eyes and diamond paws holding fruit made of emeralds, are among the exceedingly realistic designs.

A very beautiful dress of ruby velvet is made with a long train. The side panels are gold-colored satin, covered with a net-work of fine gold and red cord; each knot is covered by a tiny gold bead, from which depends a tassel of ruby beads. The bodice is cut low and is trimmed with gold and red net-work. The sleeves are simply rows of the ruby and gold beads.

The panier petticoat has been much improved. It is made of white cotton goods, black and striped satine, and the striped and plain skirting materials. The lower flounce is very deep and has four springs; the flounces above are narrow with one spring each. The tournure is connected with the lower flounce by a band fastened to each spring. The springs may be withdrawn when the skirt is to be washed, and new ones may be inserted when they are broken. The advantage of this petticoat is that there are no springs in the body of the skirt, that it yields to every movement of the wearer, instantly returning to shape after pressure, and does not crush.

The latest novelties in jerseys present some patterns that are noteworthy. These are the fantail, the Fedora front, the evening dress coat, which is very similar in cut to a gentleman's full-dress coat, the combination, coat and vest, the latter either to match or of a different color, and a few others. The trimming used for these useful articles is broad and narrow braid, or gold and silver cord, put on in military style and giving a dashing appearance to the garment. Jerseys are made not alone of wool, but also of a new material known as "lisle thread jersey cloth," which is of wonderful strength and has a finish and fineness approaching silken fabrics. This new material is likely to be very popular.

A dress of French blue satin has a tight-fitting bodice buttoned on the right side with gold buttons. The V-shaped opening with revers of pink satin shows a vest of the same color. The sleeves are trimmed with V-shaped pieces of pink satin on which the blue satin is buttoned on either side. The full overskirt is lined with pink satin and opens on the right side; half way down there is a gold cord tied across the skirt, which puffs the upper part, showing through the opening the pink satin underskirt and the revers where it falls over the knotted gold cord. The two sides of the lower parts of the opening are buttoned on the satin underskirt with gold buttons like those on the bodice.—*Philadelphia Press.*

GRASS.

The Proper Preparation of Land For Grass.

Where land is intended to be seeded down, whether in connection with a grain crop or without, it should receive extra attention in order to favor the increased demand of the double crop of the grain and the forage plant, or the latter if sown alone so as to secure not only a good catch and a good start, but to continue the growth and sustain the plant during the drought which seldom fails to occur. In this way a fair to good crop is realized the same season it grown without an accompanying grain crop, with the prospect of an increased yield the following season, to be further kept up with manure, which, if properly applied, will suffer no loss on grass lands, the network of roots which forms the sod appropriating all, time in such case being allowed for this. Further, a good cover of grass will prevent the rays of the sun and the drying winds from getting access to the ground, and will hold the dew and the moisture of rain longer. The main loss of moisture is what the plants themselves take from the soil, and the greater the quantity the better, as it is a measure of the growth of the crop. This measure applies to the roots of the plant as well, which penetrate deeply if favored by culture, and this culture, deep and mellow, is necessary, when it is considered what an amount of water grass takes from the soil, the process going on during the entire season, from early spring till late fall, the grains occupying but half that time. Deep culture is therefore of more importance in growing a grass crop than one of grain. As in our drougthy climate we do not obtain the requisite amount of moisture from the air, we must seek for it in the ground, and only in its depth can it be obtained. In this way heavy crops and a good sod are secured, the sod when turned down, still further benefiting the land by introducing vegetable matter, which distributed through it is one of the best means of favoring moisture. This prepares the ground not only for further growing grass or clover, or any other forage crop, but in a superior manner grain, including wheat, if the soil is composed largely of clay.

The growing of sod, as is well known to good farmers, is one of the principal means of improving land, as the dairy regions have long since shown in this country and grazing in England. Badly reduced land has been renovated and made profitably productive in the clay loams of Central New York by a single two years' course of clover aided only by plaster, good yield of hay being realized at the same time. So, with a fair set of grass—which can be obtained on worn-out land only by early sowing on winter grain in the spring or, better, on land prepared in autumn without the grain—a good sod has been secured in a few years by the use of mineral manures adapted to the land. The value of the fertilizers was realized in the crops grown, while the main benefit—vegetable matter in the soil—was secured in the sod, where farm manure was wanting. But all this must be preceded by a good preparation of the soil, communuting and deeply working it, which will tell in future years in its favor, just as bad treatment will still further reduce it.—*Cor. Country Gentleman.*

One Woman's Life Work.

Mrs. Mary Pruyn, who died at Albany last week, was a descendant of General Israel Putnam. When only twenty-eight years of age she founded the Industrial School at Albany, where destitute children are educated by voluntary contributions. A fine building was recently erected for the school. She was also the founder of a Home for Unfortunate Women, the Mother's Mission, and the Fruit and Flower Mission. In 1871, under the auspices of the Woman's Union Missionary Society of New York, she established the American Mission Home for Girls at Yokohama, Japan; and during her residence there of nearly five years this mission resulted in Christianizing hundreds of Japanese young women. She returned home in 1876, and the ensuing six years of her life were devoted to home missionary work and the establishment of branches of the Woman's Union Missionary Society in the churches. In December, 1882, at the earnest solicitation of that society, she went to China, and reorganized at Shanghai the "Bridgman Home," a school similar to that in Yokohama and established a hospital for women. She reached her home in September last in failing health.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—It has been discovered that crows have no less than twenty-seven different cries, each distinctly referable to a different action.

Winter Evenings on the Farm.

I remember to have read somewhere how some Italian artist gathered up all the bits of broken glass cast aside in building a cathedral, and how from these pieces, trimmed, arranged and set in order, he constructed one of the most beautiful windows found in Italy. What others had cast aside as useless, he took up and from it wrought out the beautiful, and the useful.

Boys and girls on the farm, as everywhere else, let run to waste many bits of time, spare moments, hours, evenings which if they would but turn to good use, might be made to serve the noblest purpose. But the trouble is to get at it, to have some plan of working over these spare hours. How can the evenings be turned to use, and the best use? Of course one can doze them away sitting before the fire, can gossip, play checkers, and so on, but this is not the best use, nor the best way to spend long evenings. An occasional evening spent in this way may be good, but to thus let all these passing spare hours slip by is to waste life. And at the end of ten years of spare hours what have we to show?

Let me suggest a simple plan for utilizing evenings; and let me suggest it out of my own experience, for I do not know what our experience is good for if it is not to help others. It often comes too late, to help us. And now, the fact that you are on a farm, is a great advantage for using your evenings. I know this from experience both of farm life and city life. In the city there is something to break in on your plans all the time. In the country your evenings are comparatively free, at least an hour or two for each evening, and you can set aside this time if you plan before hand to do so. We can do it in the city, but it is more easily done in the country.

I know now what objections you begin to offer: "I am too tired, too sleepy, have too much else to do," and all this. Yes, but all these obstacles fade out of sight if we only take hold of the work with a purpose. For those who do not care to make the most and best of life, these suggestions of mine will have little value. But here and there possibly they may find a young man or woman to whom they may be helpful. If so, I have my reward, in endeavoring to do for others what I would that some one had done for me when I was a boy on the farm struggling for ways and means toward gaining an education.

The problem is, how to get time? And the only answer is, "take it." Take time; that is the only way you will ever have time for anything. Lay your plan, write it out and solemnly sign your name to it, if it will thus make it more binding, to spend at least an hour every evening in reading some good book. You will have interruptions, but persist in your plan, and soon other things will yield and you can pass from one hour's reading to two. And you can hardly imagine how much good may come to you from these few hours spent over a good book. They will follow you all the days of your life. You will look back to them in after years with sweet reflections and pleasant memories. No one of you who may read this is likely to find greater difficulties in working this plan than I did as a boy. I remember well how my first interest was awakened in history, an interest which has never left me, because commenced early in life and against great obstacles. Yes, the very difficulties I met with added zest to the task, and I have lived long enough now to see that these very hindrances were to me blessings in disguise. They gave me then and have continued all these years to give me a sense of victory over difficulties and, you notice in your own experience every difficulty mastered gives you strength and nerve, and tone for still greater difficulties. Stop not, then, for these little obstacles; rise above them, and in the mastery and hope and courage for future struggles.

I was at work on a farm by the month, and for a man who was unhappy if a boy in the house was sleeping after four o'clock in the morning, or came in from his chores before seven in the evening. And yet, having signed the solemn compact with myself to read history one hour each evening, I did it, though it was a terrible thorn in the flesh for the head of the family to see the tallow candle wasting away for such foolish business as reading. He would often upbraid me with "What y' goin' to do with yer larnin', when y' git it?" But on I pressed with my plan, and I have come now to thank God, not only for the obstacles overcome, but for a sense of strength and courage, that has helped me in many another struggle of life. And it is this sense of strength from victories won which I would bring to bear upon every young man who may be wrestling with the same or similar difficulties.

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A New York man recently dreamed that he was a Texas desperado in a town threatened by Indians, and when he woke up he found that he had crawled under the bed.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

A proclamation was issued by the President on the 18th warning the Oklahoma boomers not to enter or remain upon the Oklahoma lands in the Indian Territory. If this warning is not respected "the military power of the United States will be invoked to abate all such unauthorized possession, to prevent such threatened entry and occupation and to remove such intruders from the Indian lands."

The Secretary of the Navy has ordered Lieutenant John M. Hawley, in charge of the Branch Hydrographic office at Baltimore, to report to the Secretary of the Treasury for duty on the coast survey. Lieutenant Hawley has been selected to take charge of the resurvey of the New York harbor, for which work Congress recently appropriated $30,000.

Mr. Wright, Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, has submitted a plan of work for the Bureau to Secretary Lamar, which has met with the Secretary's approval. This plan contemplates a line of investigation which will bring out the causes of labor difficulties, and the method of work will be by special agents who will be appointed to gather statistics in this country and Europe. Charles F. Peck, the Labor Commissioner of New York, will be sent to Europe as one of the representatives of the bureau. His commission, however, has not yet been made out, and the appointment of the other agents has not been determined upon. Mr. Wright expects to be able to submit a report of the result of the investigation of the bureau to the next Congress.

An order has been issued by Secretary Lamar, directing that all the horses, carriages and equipments which are the property of the Interior Department, excepting those used for trucking purposes, be disposed of at public sale and the proceeds of the sale be converted into the Treasury. The result of this order will be a return to their regular duties of seven employes who have been used as drivers. Attorney General Garland has issued a similar order respecting the horses, carriages and equipages of the Department of Justice.

During the last week of his administration President Arthur issued an order restoring to the public domain the Crow Creek Indian reservation. It is now discovered that this particular reservation was secured to the Crow Creek Indians by treaties which, it is alleged, would be violated should President Arthur's order be carried into effect. President Cleveland is therefore considering the advisability of suspending the order, pending a thorough investigation of the subject.

The Secretary of the Treasury has dismissed five Inspectors of the Custom House at New York, owing to the funds running short.

In the enrollment of the Naval Appropriation bill the section providing for the abolition of the Naval Advisory Board at the discretion of the Secretary of the Navy was omitted. The clause appropriating $500,000 for the armament of new cruisers was also omitted in the enrollment, although it was agreed to by both Houses of Congress. In the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill the item appropriating $5,500 for telegraph poles and material for the Life Saving Service was also dropped out in the enrollment.

THE EAST.

At the annual commencement of the Woman's Medical College of Philadelphia on the 10th the degree of doctor of medicine was conferred on twenty-two female graduates.

Lieutenant Austin, Treasurer of the Salvation Army at North Adams, Mass., decamped a few days ago with all the money. The Army telegraphed General Moore, at Brooklyn, for relief.

In the Massachusetts Senate on the 12th, the bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors between eleven in the evening and six in the morning, except by inn-holders, was passed to the third reading by a vote of 25 to 5. The House ordered to the third reading the resolution providing for a constitutional amendment abolishing the poll tax as a pre-requisite to voting for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Senators and Representatives. The House also ordered to the third reading the bill providing for the retirement of the Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court on full pay.

J. D. Gill's art store building, at Springfield, Mass., was damaged by fire on the 11th to the amount of $50,000. Gill's entire stock of pictures, books, rich paintings, statuary, etc., were badly injured by smoke.

Hugh McDevitt, aged fifteen, an employe of the Brooklyn & Coney Island Railroad Company, was knocked off the front platform of a car two years ago through the driver's carelessness, crushing his right leg and rendering amputation necessary. When his mother heard of the accident, she fell insensible, and died two days afterward. The boy sued the company for $25,000 damages, and on the 11th the Circuit Court jury gave him a verdict for $15,000.

Ten buildings near the Erie depot at Olean, N. Y., were destroyed by fire on the 12th. Loss $30,000.

While driving from Brookfield to Fort Hamilton, N. Y., a few days ago Francis Herman, a farm hand, was seized with a fit and fell from the wagon dead. He is the same person who ten years ago shot and killed Mosher and Douglass, the supposed abductors of Charley Ross, while they were attempting to rob his employer's house.

General J. S. Negley, President of the National Union League, has issued a call for a meeting of the National Council at Pittsburgh on the 28th inst.

At a meeting of the Ohio Valley Stock Breeders' Association held at Pittsburgh on the 12th, it was decided to hold an exhibition of domestic meat producing animals, breeding horses and fine poultry in Pittsburgh next November. A stock company was also formed with a capital of $10,000.

A disastrous fire broke out in the broom factory of Fable & Singer at Stroudsburg, Pa., on the 12th. The building was entirely destroyed and the Burnett House adjoining greatly damaged. Edward Cavan, a fireman, was killed by the falling of a part of the Burnett House.

A boiler explosion in the blacksmith shop of the American Tube and Iron Company's mills at Middletown, Pa., on the night of the 12th demolished the building and injured a number of employes. M. E. Thorne, engineer, is supposed to be fatally injured.

President Costello, of the Pennsylvania Miners' Association, who has been visiting the scene of the great strike, on the 13th submitted an official report showing that the strike embraces 132 mines employing over 10,000 colliers. According to this report there are 111 mines idle; five are in operation at the old price of two and a half cents per bushel; five have made no official return; five have a few men working at the former rates, and six are not accounted for. Mr. Costello says it is the greatest strike which ever occurred among the miners of this country; that there is not one full pit on the Monongahela River at work, and that the miners were never more determined.

The business failures for the week ended March 17 number for the United States 238, Canada 44, total 282, as compared with 277 the previous week. The failures seem to be on the increase in Canada, but in New York City and the Eastern States they are below the average. The Southern and Western States furnish two-thirds of the lot in the United States.

Alfred Smiley, of Foxburg, Pa., a well-known oil country man, has contracted with the English Government to lay the pipe-line in the Soudan country for that Government. Mr. Smiley starts very soon and will take with him five practical pipe-line men from Bradford, Pa. He will be absent about three years.

The Henderson steel syndicate at Reading, Pa., has collapsed. This was a pool formed by leading iron manufacturers of New York and Pennsylavnia to experiment with the Henderson process of making steel. It was claimed that it was cheaper than the Bessemer method, and equally as good steel could be manufactured. The pool had raised $100,000 to experiment with and control the new process.

Mary S. Conkling, sister of Roscoe Conkling, died at Rochester, N. Y., on the 12th. She was over sixty years of age and had long been in poor health.

Statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended March 14: Loans increase, $1,437,000; specie decrease, $74,000; legal tenders increase, $267,000; deposits increase, $1,943,000; circulation decrease, $155,000; reserve decrease, $292,000. The banks held $47,092,000 in excess of legal requirements.

Charles W. McCune, proprietor of the Buffalo *Courier*, died on the 14th, after three weeks' illness of typhoid fever. He was born in Brattleboro, Vt., in 1832.

Audubon Davis, of the editorial staff of the Philadelphia *Daily News*, and one of the most brilliant journalists of this country, died on the 15th of Bright's disease of the kidneys.

The funeral of Sergeant Thomas Plunkett, the armless veteran, color-bearer of the Twenty-first Massachusetts Regiment and for many years an employe at the Massachusetts State House at Boston, was attended in Mechanics' Hall, Worcester, on the 14th by a large number of distinguished mourners, including Governor Robinson and staff, the Legislative Committee, fifty past and present members of the Legislature, President Pillsbury, of the Senate, and Department officers of the G. A. R. Five thousand persons viewed the remains.

John Kelley, a railroad engineer, recently convicted of firing a hotel at Mahanoy Plane, Pa., was sentenced to eight years' solitary confinement at labor. The motive for the crime was the belief that the hotel furnished liquor to his inebriated wife.

Arthur Coyle, a young married man, was shot dead at Lost Creek, Pa., on the 15th by John Harris, a Reading Railroad coal and iron policeman, with whom he had a dispute.

William Fox died at the hospital in Williamsburgh, N. Y., on the 15th. Two weeks ago Fox, while drunk, threw a pan of hot water at his wife, and the contents burned their ten-year-old child so that it died. The wife seized an axe and fractured her husband's skull.

While working on a railroad five miles west of Huntingdon, Pa., on the 14th two unknown Italians were struck by the day express and instantly killed. Their bodies were horribly mangled.

WEST AND SOUTH.

A fire at Youngstown, O., on the 13th destroyed a barn and six tenements belonging to Richard Hughes. In the barn three horses were burned to death and a large quantity of hay, feed and carriages destroyed. The tenements were all occupied and the families barely escaped with their lives, running into the street in their night clothes. The fire was incendiary.

Cooke County, Tex., was visited by a terrible tornado on the 13th. It swept a track a mile wide, uprooting trees and filling the public roads with all kinds of timber. The largest hail fell that was ever seen there. Much damage was done to property, and it is rumored that some lives were lost.

The Woman Suffrage bill has passed both branches of the Dakota Legislature.

Minnie Hamilton, an attractive young lady of Clarington, O., recently formed the acquaintance of Arthur Simpson at a skating rink, and he induced her to elope with him. On the night of the 12th the girl, in attempting to descend from a second-story window of a friend's house to meet her lover, fell and received injuries from the effect of which she died the next day.

A Portland (Ore.) dispatch of the 13th says the British bark Allahbad, Captain McCullum, from Kong Kong, November 17, is now sixty days overdue and it is generally believed that she has gone to the bottom as she has not been spoken. Her cargo consists of rice and Chinese merchandise. She is fully insured and has no passengers.

Lightning struck a barn on the farm of Captain Hope, near Shelbyville, Tenn., on the 12th, killing Al Dean (colored) and severely burning Clay Steele, Warner Rutledge and Willie Hope. The building was burned and two horses consumed.

The Cleveland (O.) *Herald*, established in 1849 and the oldest daily in Northern Ohio, ceased to exist as a distinctive paper on the 16th, having been purchased by and consolidated with the *Plain Dealer* of that city. The subscription list was purchased by the Cleveland *Leader*, which will hereafter be known as the Cleveland *Leader and Morning Herald*. The *Plain Dealer* will issue a morning and evening edition from the old office of the *Herald*.

A fire at Pulaski, Tenn., on the night of the 14th destroyed four business houses causing a loss of about $40,000; partially insured. A man named Monroe Belasco, resident of Nashville, and two unknown traveling men, perished in the flames.

Joseph Mueller, a maister living in a suburb of Detroit, Mich., and who has been in destitute circumstances for some weeks, having been out of work, received notice on the 14th that his father, a rich brewer in Manich, Bavaria, had died and left him a fortune of $120,000.

At New Holland, Neb., on the 15th fire destroyed fifteen business houses, including the postoffice. The loss will reach $30,000. The heaviest losers are H. Burchard, James Ryan and McKinnon's drug store.

Revenue raiders had prisoners in a hotel at Highlands, near the North Carolina and Georgia line, on the 14th, when a rescuing party of miners attacked the hotel, and William Ramsey was shot and killed. The raiders were not hurt.

Edward O. Bowser, a real estate broker of Chicago, has commenced suit against the Western Union Telegraph Company, claiming $30,000 damages for delivering a message addressed to him to another man of the same name. Three months afterward the telegraph company discovered the mistake and sent the message to the plaintiff, but too late to avert the loss.

Rice Lake, Wis., was visited by an incendiary fire on the 14th which destroyed nine buildings in the business part of the town. Loss $30,000; insured for $10,000.

The body of a Mrs. McInveil was found near a fire at Taylor, Crawford County, Ga., on the 14th, with her head and body much disfigured by burning. The skull was crushed, and a billet of wood with blood and hair on it was found near. The woman had been separated from her third husband, McInveil.

Captain Schmidt, of the Texas State Rangers, on the 13th arrested twenty-five men in the vicinity of Vernon, that State, charged with murder, many of whom stood high in the community. It is claimed that the men constituted a secret vigilance organization. Four recent murders are attributed to them. The wholesale arrests created much excitement throughout the Pan Handle.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Hong Kong advices of the 11th state that the French, after five days' fighting, carried the Chinese positions around Ke Lung. Forty Frenchmen were killed and two hundred wounded.

At Hayesville, Ont., on the 11th fire destroyed the residence of William Ellenbaulen, who, together with his wife, perished in the flames.

A mass meeting of English workingmen has been called for April 2 at London to protest against the Government spending any more money for war operations in the Soudan. Charles Bradalugh will preside, and Labouchere will address the meeting.

Official statistics show that the number of emigrants from Ireland during 1884 was 76,043, a decrease of 40,000 as compared with the previous year.

It is stated that James Stephens and Eugene Davis, the ex-Fenians, who have been residing at Paris, have been placed under arrest and ordered to leave France.

For committing an indecent assault on a female pupil a few days ago, Pat McGeary, janitor of the Washington school, at Simcoe, Ont., was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment and to receive thirty lashes within six weeks.

A London dispatch of the 16th says a battery of heavy artillery, a battery of mountain guns, 5,000 Snider rifles and 1,250,000 cartridges are to be shipped to the Ameer of Afghanistan at once. These supplies are ostensibly a gift to the Ameer.

Calcutta advices report a damaging drouth in the tea and indigo districts.

The Federal Council of Berne has approved the United States treaty for the protection of trade marks.

It is reported that the Indians in Northwestern Manitoba are dying in large numbers from a singular disease, the first symptoms of which are stiffening of the knees and joints from which death soon follows. Chicken-pox and diphtheria have taken off many more, and they are in a general starving condition.

LATER NEWS.

THE great railroad strike came to an end at Sedalia, Mo., on the 16th, the company restoring the wages of the employes. The town was wild with enthusiasm, citizens of all classes expressing themselves proud of the peaceful victory of the men.

PORTLAND, Me., on the 16th made a second attempt to elect a Mayor of the city, which resulted in the choice of Hon. John M. Deering, Democrat, by a majority of 296 over John H. Fogg, Republican, and A. T. Cox, Prohibition.

AGARIAH PAULIN, chief of the notorious Morgantown gang, was arraigned at Youngstown, O., on the 16th, on four counts. To two of these, suborning witnesses and arson, he pleaded guilty. His trial will begin shortly. The penalty for the offense is State's prison not more than twenty years nor less than one.

THE Senate on the 16th confirmed the nominations of John C. Black, of Illinois, to be Commissioner of Pensions, and Lieutenant D. L. Wilson and Ensign Henry T. Mayo to be Lieutenants in the Navy.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND on the 16th sent to the Senate the nomination of Joseph H. Miller, of West Virginia, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Mr. Miller is a young man, and has during the past eight years served his State as Auditor. He is a prominent Democrat and is held in very high esteem by those who know him.

GENERAL SHERIDAN on the 16th received a dispatch announcing that the boomers who had assembled on the borders of the Indian Territory with the intention of invading Oklahoma, virtually disbanded upon hearing of the President's proclamation. The War Department apprehends no further trouble with the boomers.

AN accident to a freight train on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Carpenter's Station, near Pittsburgh, on the 16th wrecked twelve cars. In one of the empty cars were three tramps who were stealing their way to the West. Two, James Dellie and Amos Gibson, were killed outright, and the other, George S. Merrill, son of a Philadelphia clergyman, fatally injured.

EDMUND YARD, charged with the embezzlement of $300,000 worth of bonds belonging to Charles G. Shaw, and who fled to Europe and was extradited by the United States Government, arrived at New York on the 16th. Bail was set at $12,500 and was furnished by John W. Jacobus and George D. Kuper.

THE large barn on the Leaf farm, between Douglassville and Amitsville, Berks County, Pa., was destroyed by fire on the 15th. There were twenty-eight head of cattle and six horses in the building, all of which were consumed, as was also farming implements and a lot of grain. The loss on building and contents is $10,000; insurance $2,000. It is not known how the fire originated.

ATTORNEY GENERAL GEORGE A. GRAY has been nominated as the successor of United States Senator Bayard.

THE Chicago Prohibitionists have nominated a city ticket headed by W. H. Bush, for Mayor.

CHINA—FROM THE SEAT OF WAR.

Celestials in great numbers, officers, delegates and civilians from the interior, as far up the Ra Sin river as Te Cu See and the region intervening that distant point and the frontier, all imbued with the same spirit of self sacrifice and determination to win for themselves and their country the applause of mankind, on the 16th of March began to assemble. They took possession of the country to the east of a place called Du En Da with headquarters at a well fortified, elegant and spacious suburban villa occupied by one Rapp Lye Eye, that is to say, at the farm house of Joseph Stowell, now occupied by Mr. & Mrs. E. W. Rappleye, who were found ready to entertain their friends from Tecumseh, Ridgeway and Dundee, the occasion being the 20th anniversary of their wedded life. The M. & O. train brought the friends from up the Rai Sin at an early hour, and the Dundee people came in about 2 P.M. All were bountifully served at dinner with all that the season could supply or the "American idea" suggest. General conversation with sallies of wit and repartee occupied the time, Mrs. La Longee of Dundee and Mr. F. Davidson taking the lead in the free for all contest. The lady hit hard to right and left and made some telling thrusts upon the broad front of her adversary. But who can stand before Francisco with his dictionary for a weapon. The lady gracefully withdrew from the contest with the applause of friends, while convulsions, tears and laughter were left to end the fray. The ceremony was performed by Justice Wm. H. Arner in a service borrowed from the German, and which was the occasion of great mirth.

There was presented in an appropriate speech by Mr. Wilkinson for the friends from Tecumseh and Ridgeway:

Tea set, sauce dish, pickle castor, Miss Maynard; table castor, Jonas Rappleye; gold certificate $10, Sam'l Rappleye; friends from Dundee, one bed room set, 2 sets knives and forks; cake dish, Stowell Bros.; $7 cash, E. Stowell and others; pillow shams, Miss Williams; vase of flowers, Misses C. & M. Wilson; tea set, Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Mead, Kansas.

BAKING POWDER TRAMPS.

The danger to the public health from the indiscriminate use of the many lime and alum baking powders of commerce has been so fully exposed that everybody desires to avoid them. As "forewarned is forearmed," housekeepers will thank us for apprising them of the special efforts at present being made to dispose of such powders in this vicinity.

The proprietors of some of the worst of these powders are now going from house to house, trying by means of a trick, or so-called test, with heat and water, to show that their article is as good as the Royal Baking Powder, making the comparison with this brand because everybody recognizes it as absolutely pure and wholesome, the object, of course, being to supply their brand in place of the Royal, which housekeepers have for so many years relied upon to puff up the morning biscuit, and to make the light, palatable and wholesome roll, cake and pastry for which it is famous.

The housekeeper will do well to be on her guard against these baking powder tramps. Every intelligent person knows that any goods peddled from house to house in this manner, or that are given away in samples, or sought to be introduced by secretly traducing the character of other goods well known to be pure and reliable, have no merits of their own, and have failed to find purchasers through legitimate means.

We are informed, as a matter of fact, that one of these tramps is trying to introduce a powder that has been found by the Government chemist to be 11.85 per cent lime, while the other peddles a powder that is 20 per cent alum—one a powerful caustic, the other a corrosive poison.

No such tricks or jugglery will be apt to deceive any intelligent person. The housekeeper who has used the Royal Baking Powder ever since she discarded cream of tartar and soda, knows more about its quality than any tramp in the country can teach her. The crucial test to which she has put the Royal Baking Powder—the test of actual and successful work in the preparation of pure and wholesome food, under which it has never failed—is entirely satisfactory. She has always had "good luck" with it in making light, sweet and delicious bread, biscuit, and cake, and has placed it, to stay, at the head of her housekeeping favorites. She knows that it has been officially approved by the Government chemists as the best, and we imagine that the baking powder tramp who attempts to supplant its place in her confidence will find this a bad year for his business.

The AMERICAN BAZAR, New York, for March, just received, is a brilliant number of this popular ladies' paper. Its fashion illustrations are superb, its literary contents excellent, its whole make-up clean and interesting, in short it is emphatically a paper suited to the home circle. All this makes it amply worth its almost nominal subscription price of only One Dollar a year, but not satisfied with giving so much for so little, its proprietors offer a choice from a list of premiums which is really wonderful. As a sample, 37 complete stories by best writers, or 65 pieces of popular music (words and notes), or a dictionary that retails for One Dollar, etc. We advise our lady readers to send 10c. for a sample copy and see it for themselves.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine for April is a particularly interesting number, and he who does not find much in it to please him must be very hard to suit. Indeed the whole number is exceptionally good. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York, at 25 cents a number, or $2,50 a year, postpaid.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 10, 1885:

Estate of Francis A. Howard, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

In the matter of Willie H. Brewer, a dependent and neglected child; application for admission to the state public school; order of hearing; affidavit of service; testimony taken and filed; order of admission.

Estate of John Hovee, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John Thompson, an incompetent person; guardian's report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Sanford Hause, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing April 6.

Estate of Jacob R. Stahl, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing April 6.

Estate of Benjamin Wilcox, deceased, warrant and inventory filed; petition for an order for sale of personal property; order authorizing sale.

Estate of Catharine King, an incompetent person; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Ellie S. Grear, et al., minors; nomination and petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $500.

Estate of Miles P. Morton, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing April 6.

Estate of James H. Bigelow, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of David A. Bixby, notary public; bond filed and approved.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing April 6.

Estate of Mary Ryan, et al., minors; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of John J. Nachtrieb, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Avery M. Brooks, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing March 30.

Estate of Martha Jones, deceased; oath before sale of real estate filed.

Estate of Freeman Rice, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing April 6.

Estate of Martha J. Cross, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Lucretia Rice, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration with will annexed issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Sirrell C. LeBaron, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Ray B. Smith, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Joseph Slater, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report in petition filed; order of confirmation.

Estate of Henry Burnett, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Jesse L. Powell, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Eliza Smith, deceased; affidavit of publication; administratrix appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

In the matter of Maud L. Ladd et al. dependent and neglected children; application for admission to state public school; hearing March 18.

Estate of Welcome Aldrich, deceased; certified transcript of trial and judgment in circuit court filed; petition for revival of commission; hearing March 20.

Estate of Isaac L. Hayward, deceased; petition for appointment of administratrix; hearing April 6.

CELERY CULTURE SIMPLIFIED.—The tedious task of digging trenches to plant celery in, and afterward the great labor of banking it up to blanch, prevents thousands of private gardeners from growing this delicious vegetable. This year there is offered to the public a new sort known as Nellis's Self Blanching Celery, which can be grown as easily as a head of cabbage or lettuce, and requires that only a little earth should be drawn up around the stalks, similar to hilling corn, and remain a couple of weeks to have extra choice blanched celery of the finest quality. This easy culture saves two thirds of the time required to cultivate and blanch the old green sorts. This new variety is distinct, and is of a beautiful cream white color, and crisp and tender. The introducers offer to send a packet, valued at 20 cents, of this rare sort to any one sending the names and addresses of five persons who take pride in a garden, parties who grow vegetables for market preferred, and also a two-cent stamp to pay for postage and packing. They will also send free to any one who desires it their large ninety-six page Illustrated Garden and Floral Instructor for 1885, which has a fine plate of this new celery, and describes it at length. Their address is A. C. Nellis & Co., growers of the famous brand of Mohawk Valley Seeds, Canajoharie, N. Y.

President Cleveland is starting out reasonably well but we would respectfully suggest that there should be a change at once in the chief clerk of the weather bureau. Zero weather the middle of March is not the right kind of reforin.

MARRIED.

HUDSON—GALL.—By the Rev. W. P. Wasteil, on the 18th of March, 1885, Mr. Joseph Hudson and Miss Lena Gall, both of Manchester.

DIED.

ALMY.—In Elizabeth, N. J., March 13, 1885, of Pneumonia, Mrs. Eliza M. Almy, sister of Mrs. J. W. Stevens, of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, March 17, 1885:

Andrews, Susie	Morgan, Wm.
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Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50 @ 50
Buckwheat Flour ₱ hundred	3 00 @ 3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00 @ 6 00
Beef Hides	@ 07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @ 9
Corn in ear	20 @ 25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	@ 45
Clover Seed	4 30 @ 4 35
Chickens—dressed	@ 12
Eggs, ₱ doz	@ 10
Flour, ₱ barrel	4 50 @ 5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00 @ 5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @ 3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	7 00 @ 8 00
Honey ₱ ℔	@ 14
Ham, ₱ ℔	@ 12
Lard, ₱ ℔	@ 7
Oats, ₱ bushel	27 @ 32
Onions, ₱ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @ 40
Salt, ₱ barrel	@ 1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@ 1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@ 10
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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo ....Lv.	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 35	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont.....	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde.....	9 38	5 02	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville.Lv.	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk ....Lv.	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington.....	11 13	6 2	No. 39.	2 37
Creston.....Lv.	12 00PM	7 40	1 [illegible]PM	3 20
Orville .....Ar.	12 30	8 10	1 13	3 50
Orville .....Lv.	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion...Ar.	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv.	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville....	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv.	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover..	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 40
Cambridge	6 03	6 30AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta.....Ar.	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta ....Lv.	6 00AM	2 30PM		.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 48		.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		.....
Canal Dover...	11 10	7 55		.....
Sherodsville..	.....	.....		No. 38
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....		5 45AM
Valley Junc..	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 05
Massillon.....	12 35	9 10	6 45	6 45
Orville	1 15	10 00	8 30AM	8 15
Creston.....Ar.	1 45	10 30	9 00	10 15
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Wellington	2 30	11 13	9 32	.....
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	10 20	No. 2.
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 20	7 35AM
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 30	7 45
Clyde.....	4 03	.....	11 48	8 02
Fremont.....	4 20	.....	12 00	8 20
Oak Harbor.....	4 45	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Toledo .....Ar.	5 45AM	.....	12 42	9 00
			1 30PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron...Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	..Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
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M. D. WOODFORD, Gen'l Manager. JAMES M. HALL, Gen'l Pass. Ag't.

ESTATE OF ALEXANDER PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Patterson, a brother of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to John Linton, the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, and by serving a copy of this order personally on the said John Linton, at least two weeks before said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. J. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar19

ESTATE OF LORENZO D. DEWEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 16th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Miranda Dewey widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of April next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

Miss Carl Corey, of Paw Paw Mich, has been visiting her friends in Clinton for the past week. She returned to Paw Paw last Wednesday.

C. W. Parker, of Detroit was in town over Sunday.

Miss Lillie Allerman who has been visiting Mrs. J. W. Burchard for a couple of weeks, returned Monday to her home in Portland Mich.

The funeral services of Mrs. Patrick Morris, of Napoleon, were held Monday forenoon at St. Dominic's church in this place.

Mrs. Bell, of Tecumseh, has been spending a few days in and around Clinton.

W. S. Kimball went to Hanover, Ill. last week Wednesday, made Mr. A. C. Huntington a short visit, and returned Saturday night.

The household goods of Mrs. Hattie Johnston arrived here from Oxford Junction, Iowa, last Monday.

Eugene Palmer, who has been working at Sheboygan, Wis., for some months past, came home sick last Saturday.

Mr. O. Heath has bought B. G. Swift's house and lot on Church street where he expects to move his family in a short time.

Frank Scoville returned to South Bend, last Saturday.

This week closes the winter term of school. There will be a vacation of one week and school duties will be resumed the 6th of April. The same corps of teachers have been engaged with one exception. Miss Laura Haggart who has taught in this school for several years has obtained a position under Prof. A. G. Smith. We understand that no one has as yet been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Haggart's resignation. We wish the young lady all the success in her new position, that her untiring industry and perseverance have won for her here.

Mr. John Smith has been under the weather for a few days, so that he has not been able to be in the store.

A house about four miles west of here belonging to Will H. Dorr, and occupied by John Montgomery, burned to the ground last Sunday. It was supposed to have caught fire from the stove while the family was away. The household goods were all saved.

E. R. Smith went to Detroit last Wednesday, returning Friday afternoon.

Abram Hendershot who has been living in B. G. Swift's house will remove from that place to the Hall house.

D. St. John who left Clinton for Jonesville about two years ago, returned last week and intends re-establishing his furniture and undertaking business here.

Mrs. Frank Silvers and children, of Tecumseh, were in town last Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Taylor entertained several of her young friends at Mrs. James Hause's last Saturday afternoon.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The only marked change since the Eclipse is, people are crosser about the improved coldness. Most of them looked through a glass darkly, and saw no springtime coming, though birds whistle about it, and those who mean to wage war with hard times, are calling for settlement of accounts, as if determined to reconstruct their business, whether other folks' air castles collapse or not. The doctrine of self-preservation is the only Orthodoxy practiced, though a large number went to hear Rev. Talmadge. Perhaps they saw the bright side of things as presented by him; but forgot to bring back their impressions for everyday use. J. Morrison, however, sees rose-color through the gloom. He has received a liberal amount of back pay and pension money, but some ex-soldiers here that donated the best of their lives to the union cause, are less fortunate and are dependent on the charity of friends or the Supervisor. Personal articles are always disagreeable to somebody and I am frequently asked to mention two cases that from long neglect have become vexatious. One of them is Irvin Crane, who belonged to two or three different regiments, served good time; lost his sight and acquired a brain disease by so doing. He has a wife and half dozen children; the latter too small to assist him, and they have been entirely supported by charity for three years, and I think longer. The other man has a crippled hand that is ceaseless torture and disables him from work of any kind. He boards with Uriah Kelly at public expence and Mr. Griswold soothes the temper of those who want him forwarded to the County house with the promise, that the town shall be reimbursed if he ever gets a pension. Both these men applied long ago; but the Commissioner is too bashful to aid them without an introduction. It is expected he will hasten slowly, and exact reasonable proof of worthiness to protect the nation from imposition; but why does the government impose upon its servitors by commissioning men to manage their business who make such signal failures of engineering their own. An agent who succumbs to the necessity of going on a three months spree four times a year, don't have time enough to quarrel with his wife as much as he wants to, and a nation's gratitude rusts while he leads the forlorn hope and debars others from helping.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

F. S. Dunham was in town on Saturday.

Oscar Johnson was taken ill on Sunday evening and his life was dispaired of for a few hours but at present he is very comfortable and on the road to recovery.

Last Saturday night James McIntyre's people gave the little folks a party. On the way home Stan Doty ran into Byran Begel and succeeded in overturning both carriages and and spilling out all four occupants. Fortunately, however, no one was seriously injured and but little damage done.

W. I. Scott went to Toledo last week with a load of meat.

R. D. Hayward contemplates moving to Toledo this week. Dick says he has struck a good job.

Mr. Stifler, who has been living in Clark's mill house during the winter, moves to Adrian this week where he has obtained a job on the L. S. R. R.

ONSTED ODDS.

Wilson Lee has sold his team to A. P. Onsted for $305 including an old harness.

Benjamin Ellis, of Milan, Monroe county, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Fletcher Daniels and family of Tipton are visiting at Mr. Glenn's.

J. B. Daniels who has been looking for a farm has at last bought one in the township of Rome.

Mrs. Robert Wooden died last Saturday. Funeral at the church to-day (Wednesday) Rev. Mr. Rexford, of Detroit officiating.

Howard and Paine have dissolved partnership. Mr. Howard keeps the mill and machinery and will continue the business. Mr. Paine takes the stock on hand and offers brick and tile at reduced rates.

The P. O. war has quieted down and all we have to do now is to wait and see how it will end. Judging from the names on the petitions, if the patrons of the office were to decide the question, the office would not be moved.

Henry Read received a letter Monday from St. Paul, Minn. stating that his son Charles was in a hospital at that place sick of typhoid fever. They received a letter from him about three weeks ago that he would start for home in a day or two. Not hearing any more from him they were becoming very anxious. The letter stated that he was doing well and the prospect was that he would soon be able to continue his journey.

TIPTON TOPICS.

A meeting will be held at the M. E. church on Saturday evening, March 28th to organize a literary society, elect officers, &c.

J. M. Burns has accepted the position of Agent at Tipton Station and will take charge of the business as soon as the furniture and office fixtures arrive.

Matthew Stout has two sisters from Grand Rapids visiting this place, their old home.

Sugar-makers are anxiously waiting for sap to give down and the young folks are afraid they will be cheated out of their usual sugar festivals.

Mrs. W. Demming who has been under the care of Dr. Hamilton for some time, is reported better.

A little child of Mr. and Mrs. David Fuller is dangerously sick.

Miss Cora Alexander is being instructed in music at Adrian College.

Capt. Fletcher O. Daniels of the Tipton base ball club is visiting friends at Onsted.

The voice of the buzz-saw heralds the approach of Spring, but zee-ro. When the weather moderates, if it ever does, so that stoves need less attention, your correspondent will have more time to gather and record items.

MACON MUSIC.

Last week Tuesday evening the people here gave a donation at the residence of Thos. Sylvester, for the benefit of Rev. Dennis, who has been holding a series of revivals at the Baptist church. Twenty-five dollars were raised and the good man seemed to be very thankful therefor.

School commenced again last Monday morning with a good attendance.

Rev. Kerridge gave an entertaining lecture at the Methodist church last Monday evening upon the subject of Martin Luther. There was a good attendance and it was appreciated by all who heard it.

The band boys held a night cap social at the residence of Mr. James Camburn. All had a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Biddle held a tin wedding, having been married ten years, at their residence Tuesday eve. of this week. There was about seventy people there and Mr. and Mrs. Biddle received a large number of very nice and useful presents.

An oyster supper at Edwin Howell's on Friday evening of this week.

The wife of one of our townsmen, it is reported, has fallen heir to a fortune of twenty-five thousand dollars. Hope it is true and the amount is as large as it is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutton have been away visiting at Constantine and Holland in this state for about two weeks, but are back among us now. They report that they had a very pleasant time.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Rather poor sugar weather.

Registration day next week Saturday.

A week from next Monday will be town meeting.

Mr. Ace Smith, of Macon, was in our village Monday on business.

Mr. C. L. Waring is visiting friends here this week, and is looking hearty.

Ed. Blowers, of Addison, the proprietor of the Addison House, was in our village last week.

Miss Ida Russel, of Tecumseh, made her cousin, Miss Ella Cadmus and friends a visit from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Bailey and Mrs. Jennie Webster, of Pittsford, came on Tuesday night to make relatives and friends a visit. It was a surprise as they were not looked for.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Knight were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Temple, Sunday.

The Literary will be held at the Hall next Friday evening.

The attendance at the social on last Friday night was on an average. The next one will be held at the home of Mrs. W. P. Cadmus, next Friday evening.

The Sunday school concert will come off next Sunday evening when an interesting program will be carried out.

Morley, Stevens, Kopkey & Co. shipped 3½ decks of sheep and ½ deck of hogs from here Saturday to Buffalo.

The school meeting that was held Monday night for the purpose of electing a Director and Moderator to fill vacancies, resulted in the election of B. F. DuPuy for Director and J. C. Palmer, Moderator.

The Union Party will meet in caucus at Exelby's Hall, Britton on next Saturday at 2 o'clock P. M. to nominate a full township ticket for the coming spring election.

A letter received from friends at Ithaca this state, report plenty of snow plenty good sleighing and cold weather; and say that business is lively.

The managers of the Ridgeway and Macon Local Telegraph Co. have lately gone over their line and took out all the "small" offices and allow no "plug" operator to work on the line, except with a special permit from the head of the department.

We are glad to learn from good authority that there will be a creamery started in Tecumseh in the spring, if the farmers will take an interest in it, and cows enough can be procured to warrant a successful business.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The election draweth nigh and, the office seeker waxeth clever and praiseth the good man's houses and lands and his wife and his babies, and desireth to obtain votes thereby.

The village schools will close on Friday of this week for a fortnight's vacation. Prof. Tripp and Miss Hodges have been very successful instructors so far and we predict an increase of interest in the school as the weather becomes more pleasant.

We regret to learn that Rev. James Armstrong is under the necessity of seeking a new field of labor. Mr. A. has, during the past year, been identified with the Congregational church here as its pastor, during which time his labors have been zealous and successful. A large circle of friends, including the best families of the place, have learned to esteem his society and his labors and it is with many regrets that they bid him adieu.

THE OTHER SIDE.

At the request of a Macon farmer, we print the following on the Bohemian Oat question taken from the Grange Visitor:

BRO. COBB:—Seeing several communications in the Visitor concerning the Bohemian oats, I thought it my duty to say a few words about the matter. In the spring of 1884 I purchased some of this kind of oats, and, contrary to the statements of some of the correspondents of the Visitor, the grain was represented as a valuable crop for the farmer to raise; representing the oats to yield from twenty-five to fifty bushels per acre, and that one bushel was equal to three bushels of the common oats for feeding any kind of stock, and that they were worth one dollar per bushel at the oat meal mills. And, certainly, this is not without some showing of being the fact, as they weigh fifty lb to the bushel, and being hulless, are very near at least, three times the weight of common oats after the hulls and light oats are taken out. I can find good men and farmers, who will say that it is their honest opinion that two quarts of the Bohemian oats are equal to six of the common oats as horse feed, and not go to Ohio for them, either.

I sowed my seed on two different pieces or parcels of land: one of a little less than an acre, which was fall plowed and put in good shape, yielded over forty bushels, besides being badly lodged down by a heavy wind storm about the time of heading out, there being two or three large patches that had very little, if any, grains in the heads at all. If the oats had stood up all right I should have had over fifty bushels on that piece of ground. The other was spring plowed and did not do as well, yielding about fifteen bushels per acre, and being quite damp, did not get near all out of the straw in threshing.

Now, as J. F. G. says, "as to its being a swindle," in the true sense of the word, it is not. I should like to know in what sense he would have us use the word. Now, if no one is wronged, and the association lives up to its agreement, what more? As to there being an end to the concern, had you not better stop plowing and planting? because in all probability there will be an end to that sometime, and it may come before next fall too. Does anybody think or claim that a horse for which a man pays $2,000 will plow any more than one that can be bought for $75? or that a cow that a farmer pays $1,000 for will give any more milk or make any more butter than one that can be bought for fifty? Yet he would be called a swindler, I suppose, in some sense of the word.

I would not lend my assistance to any swindling scheme, and do not yet think that I have. People are apt to jump at conclusions. It is true we can not be too careful in dealing with strangers, and I am glad to see the Visitor ever ready to attack any and all dishonorable and swindling schemes. E. H.

Decatur, Van Buren Co., Mich.

NAVIN RECEIVES HIS SENTENCE.

The career of Thos. J. Navin, ex mayor of Adrian, as one of the heaviest forgers in the country, reached its last chapter at the supervisors' room in Dean's opera house, Monday morning at ten o'clock. The proceedings were as quietly conducted as at the preliminary examination, very few people being present except the lawyers and other officers of the court.

Sheriff Whitmore brought the prisoner into the room, when Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury remarked, "Your honor, Mr. Navin is in the court room." The complaint was at once read, the charge embodied in it being forging the Monaghan mortgage of 1880. Navin pleaded guilty, when the court held a short private conference with him.

When the judge and the prisoner returned to the court room the judge resumed his seat on the bench and Navin stood up for sentence, the prosecuting attorney asking that santence be at once passed.

The court said, "You have pleaded guilty to the offense as charged in the information. What have you to say why the sentence of the law should not be passed upon you for the offense?"

"I have nothing to say, your honor."

"In appearing here for sentence, Mr. Navin," continued the court, "you do not stand as one before the court who should be considered guilty only of the offense charged, and yet no other offense is charged against you in writing or can you be punished for any other. Still your punishment, in the eye of the law, and in view of that which I consider my duty under the law, will be such as to act not only as a punishment to yourself, but in some measure? to deter others from a like course of conduct, and to prevent it from being considered as something which young men might feel it a sort of honor, in one sense, to attempt to achieve. The necessity of punishment of such kind no one understands better than yourself. The sentence of the court is, that you be confined at hard labor in the state prison at Jackson, for a period of ten years from and including this date."

Navin stood with downcast eyes, during the trying ordeal, but there was no sign of weakness on his countenance, save one nervous movement when the court paused for a moment before pronouncing the term of sentence.—Adrian Times.

The Board of Supervisors this week will take action on organizing the new township of Clayton.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR 26, 1885

HE HAD IT BAD.

One [illegible] as I walked out
To take a stroll [illegible] to me
I met a [illegible] and care.
Behind [illegible]
He [illegible]
Yet [illegible] was
Unknown [illegible]
He said [illegible] aim to
A trigger [illegible]
I [illegible]
His [illegible]
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You've [illegible]
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SCIENCE AND CHURCH.

—Pro[illegible]'s gift to Harvard College [illegible] fourteen years amount[illegible] $1,000,000.

—T[illegible] legislature has passed a law p[illegible] teaching in public school[illegible] effects of alcohol and narcotics [illegible] human system.—*St. Louis Po[illegible]*

—A [illegible] copy set by writing teachers for their pupils is the following, because it contains every letter of the alphabet: "A quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog."

—It is stated that the average salary of the Congregational ministers of Connecticut is about $1,300. The lowest is about $100 and the highest $6,000. Only about fifty receive as much as $2,000.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—The Archbishop of Canterbury said, in a recent address, that, while scientists were great stickers for revealed knowledge or proved facts, only, they were forever prophesying the end of the Church. He begged them, therefore, to be consistent and prophesy only what they had found out.

—Ohio, with thirty-five colleges, has more than any other state in the Union. New York and Indiana have twenty-five each, Pennsylvania has twenty-six, Michigan nine and Massachusetts seven. The Bay State's seven colleges have a combined income of $125,158 per annum more than have Ohio's twenty-six.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—A Boston congregation was mysteriously seized with a paroxysm of uncontrollable sneezing in the midst of a service of song. The preacher, the choir, and the congregation all sneezed in chorus. An investigation showed a cargo of pepper in the cellar, which had been rented to a wholesale grocer.—*Boston Journal.*

—The American School of Classical Studies at Athens, Greece, was established three years ago for the prosecution of classical study and archæological investigation, similar in scope to the French and German schools already there. The latter are upon an endowed basis and have, therefore, permanent directors. The American school has as yet no endowment, and the directors are changed annually.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The *Presbyterian* mentions as a satisfactory way of paying a pastor's salary the plan followed by the Presbyterian Church in Palmyra, Mo. On the first day of each month the pastor draws his check upon the bank for his monthly salary in advance and the bank regularly honors the check and charges it up to the deacons, who are personally responsible for the salary. Thus no delay or default in the payment of the subscriptions can affect the pastor. This is at least business-like, and relieves the pastor of much anxiety and needless embarrassment.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—A teacher, speaking before the Rhode Island Institute of Instruction, recommended the introduction of healthful story-books as an antidote against the evil of flash literature. This appears to be a very sensible suggestion. The doctors are continually finding new virtues in innoculation as a means for overcoming certain kinds of disease of the flesh, and, reasoning by analogy, the Rhode Island teacher's prescription for the mental and moral disease, propagated by baneful literature designed for the young, ought to be effective.—*Current.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—What is the best covering for the head? demands a Western journal. Hair isn't bad.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—If we are to get rid of cranks, we must give less notoriety to cranks.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—Olive Logan says there are swans in the River Thames which she knows are over 150 years old.

—"I understand, Mr. Einstein, your son Marcus is stage struck." "Stage struck! Ah, no; he was yust run ofer himself mit a dray."—*Exchange.*

—If there is anything above ground more thoroughly permeated with bliss than a woman with a new gown it is a boy who has just learned to whistle.

—A young man in Massachusetts has adopted whistling for a profession. When he gets married, and the bills begin to come in, he will have lots of chance for practice.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—When you hire a servant in Mexico it is with the understanding that her entire family live with you. In this country there is no understanding, but the result is the same.—*Buffalo Express.*

—In the matter of speed the bicycle ranks seventh—the balloon, the locomotive and trotting, pacing and running horses having faster records. It ranks seventh because a lie will travel faster than any of them.—*Chicago Journal.*

—It is all the fashion now to use little gold mice for shoe fastenings. Gentlemen who are aware of this fact can infuse life into dull social assemblies by informing some healthy young lady that there are a dozen mice under her chair.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A man named Clews is wanted in the West for murder. He will not long escape the vigilance of the detectives. There never was a mysterious murder committed that the detectives didn't find a dozen clews before sundown the next day.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Governor Adams, of Nevada, happened to overhaul an old coat the other day and found $3,800 in one of the pockets. He had forgotten all about the money. From the fact that Governor Adams could lose $3,800 without missing it, we infer that he is an editor.—*Troy Times.*

—Prof. R. A. Proctor says that this earth is to-day just as likely to quake and overthrow cities and towns as it has been at any time since man existed. You are right, Professor; but does it not occur to you that it is just as unlikely to do so.—*Boston Post.*

—"What is the breed of your calf?" said a would-be buyer to a farmer. "Well," said the farmer, "all I know about it is that its father gored a justice of the peace to death, tossed a book agent into the fence corner, and stood a lightning-rod man on his head, and his mother chased a female lecturer two miles; and if that ain't breed enough to ask four dollars on you needn't take him."—*N. Y. Independent.*

HUNTING A CURE FOR MALARIA.

AND WHAT THE INQUIRIES AND INVESTIGATIONS DEVELOPED.

Cursed with that vague and indefinite something, called malaria, and living in Lancaster, Pa., the birthplace of Mishler's Herb Bitters, Mr. Walter Kieffer, of the Daily New Era, resolved to investigate its curative powers, of which he had heard so much. He writes as follows: "Calling on Jas. H. Marshall, Esq., at present and for twelve years past, postmaster of the city, I asked, 'What do you know about Mishler's Herb Bitters?' 'I know' was the answer, 'that it is the most palpitable bitters I have ever taken, and as a tonic it has no equal.'"

That was encouraging, and the next person I met was Wm. A. Morton, Esq., of the Lancaster Intelligencer. I addressed the same inquiry to him, and quick as a flash came the answer, "I have used Mishler's Herb Bitters, off and on, for ten years, and have found it of great benefit. On one occasion, suffering from prostration, it was the only thing to give me relief."

Stepping into the office of Hon. D. P. Rosenmiller, Mayor of Lancaster, I repeated my query. "It is the best tonic I have ever known, and I regard it as an infallible cure for malaria," willingly answered his Honor.

"Mr. Steinheiser, what do you know of Mishler's Herb Bitters?" I asked, addressing Mr. J. O. Steinheiser, now United States Mail Agent, and for eight years Superintendent of the Lancaster County Hospital and Insane Asylum. "Never had a medicine in the Hospital that acted so charming—and for chronic diseases it never fails to give relief."

"Mr. Long," addressing a member of the firm of John F. Long's drug house, the oldest drug house in the State if not in America, "What has been your experience with Mishler's Herb Bitters?" "We handle a great deal of it, and the demand is constantly on the increase. I regard it as being, medicinally, the best bitters in market. People who buy it once invariably call for it again."

The next place visited was John R. Kauffman's drug store. "How's the Mishler's Herb Bitters market, Mr. Kauffman?" "It never was better. We sell a great deal of it in the city, but the bulk of our trade is from the rural districts—among old farmers who need a tonic, and among these living in malarial regions. One old gentleman from the country has been coming for eight years, and as we know about how long a bottle will last him we know just when to expect him. It is a great bitters."

H. B. Cochran, another prominent druggist, was the next person approached. "What has been your experience with Mishler's Herb Bitters, Mr. Cochran?" "For steady sale it has no equal. It is chemically pure and medicinally strong. Lately the demand for the Red Label brand—that intended particularly for ladies—has greatly increased, and I know of nothing more popular or more effective for the weaknesses peculiar to the female sex."

Meeting Rev. J. G. Fritchie, an octogenarian minister of the gospel on the street, I engaged him in conversation, and remarking on his great age and seeming good health, he said, to my surprise, "I owe it all to Mishler's Herb Bitters; it is the best friend I have, sustaining me in all moments of physical weakness, and if any one desires my testimony your are at liberty to give them my name. Let them address me, and I'll tell them all about it."

But why multiply this home testimony? Address whom I might—preachers, lawyers, bankers, druggists, merchants—all who had any knowledge of the bitters, and the testimony was overwhelmingly in its favor. Suffice to say that, although a skeptic on the subject of curing malaria, I became convinced that there was one preparation, and one only, that would cure it, and its name is Mishler's Herb Bitters.

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Some physicians assert that a hearty meal at midday is injurious to the health. A five or six o'clock dinner, eaten slowly with the members of his own family, is far healthier. A heavy midday meal unfits professional men for carrying on any business in the afternoon, as it makes them heavy and sleepy, for nature requires some kind of repose to aid digestion. Our popular system of eating is wrong. The majority of persons thrust three heavy meals into about ten hours, and leave the body without a fresh supply of food for the remaining fourteen hours of the day and night. Two good meals, morning and evening, would be the proper plan, with perhaps a light lunch or cracker at about one o'clock in the day. This would allow both of the heavy meals an opportunity to digest before the next was taken. As to a heavy midday meal for men who have to tear around as if the next moment were to be their last, it is perfectly ridiculous, as the food, instead of digesting and forming blood, muscle and brain, acts as a block to those forces of nature—choking up a sewer, as it were. It is best to eat lightly in the middle of the day.

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"At last!"
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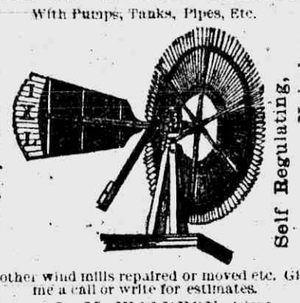

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 22d A. D. 1879, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 26, A. D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 98 of mortgages on page 788, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 15th, A. D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 104 of Mortgages, on page 393 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67), and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A. D. 1885, at 9 o'clock a. m. of that day, at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25), in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28 1885.

WILLIAM K. CHOATE, Assignee.

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ESTATE OF LORENZO D. DEWEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 16th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Miranda Dewey, widow of said deceased praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. mar19

ESTATE OF ALEXANDER PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of James Patterson, a brother of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to John Linton, the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, and by serving a copy of this order personally on the said John Linton, at least two weeks before said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar19

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TECUMSEH, HURON MAR[illegible]

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The signs of the times indicate that Grover Cleveland is going to run the Administration.

Emperor Nicholas seems to be the man of the day in Africa. His recent [illegible]

[illegible]

We [illegible] President Cleveland and that a change in the weather bureau cannot be brought about.

Mr. Blaine talked with the President and they engaged an hour in private that together. The era of good feeling seems to be coming in.

The appointment of Martin V. Montgomery of Illinois, to the office of Commissioner of Patents, gives general satisfaction. The President goes now for the makes no mistakes.

President Cleveland has evidently applied the old adage—Make haste slowly. Thousands of the seekers are rather disappointed at the prospect of the period of general rather [illegible]

People who [illegible] that their [illegible] Mr. Blaine [illegible] ordered were by any means [illegible] change for the worse [illegible] the chairs [illegible] Washington [illegible]

There have [illegible] the Washington correspondents [illegible] of asking the newspapers [illegible] mention that I [illegible] and give me a little send off. My sweetheart now says: "For heaven's sake don't put my name in the paper."

The good work [illegible] of discharging unworthy [illegible] from the department offices in Washington. When the members of the Cabinet ascertain what offices are needed, it will then be in order to pack out the best men to fill them.

Lenawee county gained 981 in population from last to-date while all the other counties in this congressional district lost. Hillsdale lost 1,025 inhabitants, Monroe 291 and Washtenaw 344. Adrian gained 1,561 inhabitants in the same period, by far the largest gain of any city in the district.

Gov. Hoadley of Ohio, in detailing some of the woes of a governor without a pardon board, relates that he was personally solicited for pardon by a prisoner in confinement for manslaughter on the ground that he was a Democrat, while the same prisoner sought pardon from Gov. Foster for the reason that his victim was a Democrat.

The Washington correspondent of the Detroit Evening News has the following to say of our able congressman.

Col. Eldredge is a hard worker and very popular. He is a good story teller and has a fund of interesting anecdotes at his command. When the colonel retires to the cloak room, or to one of the sofas for a rest, he is generally followed by half a dozen members anxious to hear him talk. Most everything reminds Eldredge of a story, and in this respect he may be said to resemble Lincoln.

Tom Navin is nothing if not sensational. He is a bundle of surprises. Last Monday morning he marched into the Circuit Court under Sheriff Whitmore's escort pleaded guilty to the charge against him and received a sentence of ten years to Jackson. Tom has probably weighed the chances carefully, and deemed it prudent to make the best of a bad job. With all his faults Tom possessed a generous hand and a kind heart. He had the legal and political ability to have become one of the leaders of Michigan during the next twenty years, had his talents been directed in a proper channel. "Making haste to get rich" has ruined many a promising young man. After all, the old fashioned honest method is the best. Riches that come slowly and honestly leave no sting behind.

OLIVIER PAIN.

Olivier Pain, the [illegible] who established the "press of El Mahdi" [illegible] and [illegible] anarchy and [illegible] Pain [illegible] to enter the Mahdi's service, he is accused of saying the following: "All Europeans in Egypt must share the fate of Hicks. I hate all law and order. England is the home of law and order. Therefore I hate England. We are El Mahdi. Long Organ, Digue Pashas, a full blooded Frenchman [illegible] after the surrender of Paris [illegible] with the Communists at Charle houses [illegible] their crimes and dastardly actions. He was intimately connected with the infamous Henri Rochefort and with him and others was sent to the penal colony of New Caledonia. In 1874 he succeeded in making his escape together with Rochefort. He [illegible] Fraternity was formed in advocating an revolutionary [illegible] and upon the outbreak of the Franco-Russian war he entered the French service offering as the secretary of Osman Pasha. After the escape of Plevna he was taken prisoner by the Russians. Upon his release he returned to Paris and in 1884 entered the service of the Mahdi. Without the services of European officers that prophet could never have hoped to achieve the success that has attended his efforts and Pain can therefore boast of being the prime favorite in the defeat of the English in the Soudan. Osman Digma, the fellow officer of Pain, who is, as before mentioned, also a Frenchman, is somewhat older than the former, being fifty-three years of age, while Pain is about forty. Digma was at one time sold as a slave to Mohammed Ali, the Mahdi, but quickly [illegible] the prophet's favor and became his [illegible] law. He commands the auxiliary [illegible] the white Nile Valley from source to mouth to Mohammedan control.

ANALYZING THE BAKING POWDERS.

Royal, the only absolutely pure baking powder made—Action of the New York state board of health.

Under the direction of the New York state board of health, eighty-four different kinds of baking powders, embracing all the brands that could be found in the state were submitted to examination and analysis by Prof. C. F. Chandler, a member of the state board, and President of the New York City board of health, assisted by Prof. Edward G. Love, the well-known late United States government chemist. The official report shows that a large number of the powders examined were found to contain alum or lime, many of them to such an extent as to make them so much objectionable for use in the preparation of human food.

Alum was found in twenty-nine samples. This drug is employed in baking powders to cheapen their cost. The presence of lime is attributed to the impure cream of tartar of commerce used in their manufacture. Such cream of tartar was also analyzed and found to contain lime and other impurities, in some samples to the extent of 8 per cent of their whole weight.

All the baking powders of the market, with the single exception of "Royal," not including the alum and phosphate powders, which were long since discarded as unsafe or unfit for its prudent housekeepers, are made from the impure cream of tartar of commerce, and consequently contain lime to a corresponding extent.

The only baking powder yet found by chemical analysis to be entirely free from lime and absolutely pure is the "Royal." This perfect purity results from the exclusive use of cream of tartar specially refined and prepared by patent processes of the N. Y. Tartar Co., which totally removes the tartrate of lime and other impurities. The cost of this chemically pure cream of tartar is much greater than any other, and on account of this greater cost is used by no baking powder except the "Royal."

Prof. Love, who made the analysis of baking powders for the New York state board of health, as well as for the government, says of the purity and wholesomeness of the "Royal":

"I have tested a package of "Royal" Baking Powder, which I purchased in the open market, and find it composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It is a cream of tartar powder of a high degree of merit, and does not contain alum or phosphates or any injurious substances."

D. G. LOVE, Ph.D.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly for April will certainly please many different classes of readers. The lovers of the water will turn at once to the opening article, "Yachts and Yachting in America," by W. P. Stephens, with its illustrations of famous yachts. The student of history will be pleased with Mr. Guernsey's "Friedrich Wilhelm I., Second King of Prussia," and the article on "Emma, Lady Hamilton," both of which are finely illustrated. The story element is well sustained. Garret Walker's thrilling serial, "The Death mark," reaches its twenty-ninth chapter, and there are several short stories of merit, besides some beautiful poems. The miscellany is, as usual, well up to the mark, and the frontispiece illustration in colors, "Carmen," a thing of beauty. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

The Tecumseh students at Ann Arbor are at home this week on a vacation.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY.

A gentleman, whose relations with the President are very close, and who appears to know something regarding the policy of the President, tells the Washington correspondent of the Chicago Herald something regarding that policy that may prove interesting to place hunters, though they will hardly be pleased with it. Inasmuch as it coincides with the policy thus far pursued at the White House, the statement of the gentleman is entitled to consideration, not that it would not otherwise have. He says:

"I am not surprised that the Administration is not faster. I took care two weeks ago that the President would go slow very slow, and he has come likewise to think that position. When I was there at the President's request, I knew what it was for. The politicians and place hunters are eager for many changes, [illegible] They have spoken the language of disappointment with the reflection that the next day they will surely bring [illegible] of disappointment. But the morrow has invariably brought them more disappointment. They scratch their heads and wonder why the delay and speculate on the date when the big list of nominations will go pouring into the Senate. But I tell you they will continue to be disappointed and go on expecting. There are to be no big lists. This is not the preparatory stage. The administration is not getting ready for a sweep. The nominations will come along one or two or three at a time. The President takes the ground that even such changes as are within his power should be made slowly; that full inquiry and reflection must be had upon every appointment. The office seekers may as well go home. They can do themselves no good by remaining here. There are a few more changes to be made here in the bureau officers, but they will come slowly—three or four a week. While I do not wish to be understood as speaking for the President—I have no right to do that—I feel as sure as a man can of anything that during the first year of his Presidency Mr. Cleveland will send no more nominations to the Senate than Mr. Arthur sent during his last year. I doubt if he sends as many. The Civil Service Reform law will be faithfully and earnestly upheld and the tenure of the office law will be rigidly respected. Each Cabinet Minister will of course, be given authority over his own department, but when he desires to make a removal for cause, that cause must be shown to the President. The cause will have to be a good one. Because the incumbent is a Republican will not answer. But if he be careless in the conduct of his office, if he fails to cooperate with the bureau to the satisfaction of his chief in securing good service, or if his offensive partisanship has led him so far as to violate the Civil Service law, he will have to go. But this work, like the rest, will be done decently and in order. Every case will be given careful attention. The evidence offered will be thoroughly inspected, and the incumbent will have a chance to be heard in his own defence.

"Men of bad character, demagogues, professional politicians and bummers should save themselves the trouble of working for office. They have small chances. One important appointment has already been made, which the President regrets, but even Cleveland can not free himself entirely from campaign obligations. Once in a while an unworthy man may slip in, but there will be a smaller per cent of this kind, I predict, than ever before in the history of the country. Democrats who are angry at the President, on account of his slow movements, should pause and reflect. They may not know it, but some of us knew it all the while that he could have had a quarrel with the Senate on the slightest provocation. The Republican Senators discussed that whole matter, and the truth is they have been hoping for some pretext upon which to base an objection.—They would like, or at least a few leading spirits, with ambition or partisan purposes to satisfy, would like to precipitate a rupture. The President does not mean to have one if it can be avoided by fairness, caution and respect for all laws upon the statute books.

"Mr. Cleveland is a Democrat, and will be a democratic president. But it is his ambition to take advantage of the growing popular sentiment against violent partisanism, and so conduct the Government that our political methods will undergo a change for the better during his administration. He wants to see party ties less enslaving; he wants to see an end of the spoils system; he wants to see an end of campaign bitterness and election dispute dangers. He thinks the time is ripe for an uplifting of both parties and for bringing American politics to a higher plane. This is his ambition, and success is crowning his efforts. I am a business man. Since Cleveland was elected I have been in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Richmond and Atlanta. I meet business men. Everywhere there is a better feeling.—The best men in the country are responsive to the President's endeavor. Never before did I know so good a feeling regarding the Government in commercial circles as there is at this time. We are a nation of business men, and this business administration will be popular. There will be a strong public sentiment which will override the dissatisfied spoilsmen and make them silent. I am sure of it. If I were to say in a word what I think Cleveland's ambition is—and I have talked with him in great frankness on both sides—I should say he wants a good, clean Government that will so endear itself to the country that the next Administration, no matter through which party, will have to follow in its footsteps. It is his highest hope that he may be so firm and so strong and successful that his own party may continue in power, but if it does not, and the Republicans come in again, they will not dare to return to the spoils system and make a sweep of the patronage without just cause for removal and with proper regard for the good of the public service. The President is going slow because he is not building for his four years alone—he is building, he hopes, for all time."

The sun has crossed the line.

Stop Spearing Fish.

It would be well for those engaged in spearing fish through the ice in our lakes to read the law on the subject. Several complaints have already been made to us in regard to the matter, and some one is liable to get into trouble if the practice continued. The law says that "it shall not be lawful hereafter, at any time to fish with spears, point nets, trapnets, or any species of gillnets, or during the months of March or April by spearing or shooting in any of the waters of the State of Michigan except in Michigan, Superior, Huron, St. Mary's, the St. Clair and Detroit Rivers, and Lake Erie and the harbors connected with said lakes. Any person offending against the provisions of this act shall, for every offence, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail not over sixty days, to be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction."

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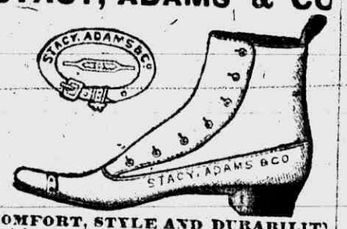

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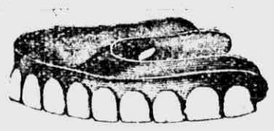

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry Barnett, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry Barnett, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Michigan, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of May 1885 and on the 9th day of September, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of March, 1885, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated March 25, 1885.

JAMES L. REMINGTON,
WM. H. OSBORN,
Commissioners.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.—The Republicans of Macon will meet in caucus to nominate a township ticket at Grange Hall, on Friday, April 3d, 1885, at 2 o'clock P.M.
BY ORDER COM.

PROHIBITION CAUCUS.—The Prohibitionists of Tecumseh will meet in caucus at Council Building on next Wednesday evening, April 1st, at 8 o'clock, to nominate candidates for township officers. All temperance men are invited to attend.
BY ORDER COM.

CAUCUS.—The Democrats and Nationals of Macon will hold a caucus April 3, 1885, at o'clock P.M., at Darling's Corners, for the purpose of nominating candidates for township officers to be supported at the ensuing election.
BY ORDER COM.

UNION CAUCUS.—The Democratic and National electors for the township of Raisin will meet in caucus at the town house, on Saturday, March 28th, at 2 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of nominating candidates to be support. at the coming township election.
BY ORDER OF COM.

CAUCUS.—The friends of Prohibition will meet at Grange Hall, Macon, Tuesday, March 31st, P.M., to nominate candidates for township officers.
BY ORDER COM.

NOTICE.—Having sold out to Adamson Bros., I hereby request all persons indebted to me to call and settle before April 1st, 1885.
F. W. KEIP.

PATTERNS FOR SALE.—A complete set of patterns for oil stamping with full instructions for use. For particulars enquire of
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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. is this day dissolved by mutual consent of all parties concerned.
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The business will be conducted as heretofore under the firm name of Satterthwaite Bros & Boyd.
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CYCLOPEDIA FOR SALE.—A set of Appletons' Cyclopedia, latest edition, for sale at a bargain. Enquire at the
HERALD OFFICE.

Last Friday morning, March 20, the thermometer marked 10° below zero.

A happenstance occurred in the village Monday evcing, that would have afforded Dr. Burchard a fine opportunity to test the merits of his new steam injector. For particulars call on the editor of the Clinton Local.

John Miller died at his home in Southport, N. Y., last week. Mr. Miller was an pioneer of the old town of Tecumseh, having for many years lived on the farm now owned by F. C. Rector. We have been unable as yet to gather the full particulars concerning his death, but hope to do so soon.

Blissfield Advance: Frank S. Porter, of Ogden, went to bed at the Lewis House, Battle Creek, last Thursday night and blew out the gas. He was not found until three o'clock Friday afternoon, when the door of the room was burst open. He was insensible, and two doctors worked over him for several hours and succeeded in placing him out of danger. Queer that in this day and age there are still people who will persist in blowing out the gas.

RINK RACKET.

Manager Cash will have a masquerade at the Tecumseh rink after Lent.

The senior and junior polo clubs played five practice games at the Tecumseh rink last Monday night. The seniors won three out of the five.

The opening of the Opera House rink last Friday night was a success in every particular. As early as seven o'clock the crowd began to arrive and by eight the floor was crowded with skaters and the gallery filled with spectators. Knapp's band was present and rendered some of their best music. At nine o'clock the floor was cleared for the grand march, and W. T. Eccles and Miss Hannah Heesen led one of the best marches we have seen this winter. The floor, being new, was not quite so easy to skate on as it will be later, but everyone seemed to be well pleased with the rink and it will probably receive its share of the public patronage. At ten o'clock skates were removed and dancing was continued till midnight.

Miss Kittie Heeley, of Kalamazoo, was at the opening of the Opera House rink last Friday evening. She is visiting Mrs. W. D. Admam, during her stay in Tecumseh.

The Opera House rink will hold its sessions Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Owing to a mistake in the management, the Opera House rink was not warmed last Monday evening, but those who wished to skate in the cold were invited to do so free of charge. A good many accepted the invitation.

Geo. Faling, formerly of C. D. Bills' rink, of Goshen, Ind., is home. Geo. has caught on to all the fancy steps.

Another mile race is announced to come off next Saturday evening at the Tecumseh rink. The contestants are Al. Heesen and Mont Roland. Look out for a good race.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAR. 26, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

One mile race at the Tecumseh rink next Saturday evening.

The Board of Supervisors is in session this week at Adrian.

Oscar Heck is at home from college to spend a short vacation.

The prohibitionists of Adrian have nominated a full city ticket.

Several caucus notices appear in the special column this week.

J. B. Coller has returned from Milan and has concluded to stay in Tecumseh awhile.

The amendments to the Adrian City Charter have passed both branches of the legislature.

B. VanNess has leased the Jabez Fridd farm in Franklin and is moving his family thereon this week.

Col. James H. Kidd, Inspector General of the state will visit Co. C. for inspection on Friday April 3d.

The Tecumseh progressive euchre club met on Tuesday evening at L. P. Tribon's. Next week they will meet S. W. Bordine's.

W. J. C. Hastings, accompanied by a student friend, Mr. Wm. Carson, of Iowa, is spending the vacation at his home in this village.

Al. Heesen and Mont Rowland will skate a one mile race at the Tecumseh rink next Saturday evening. They are both good skaters and an exciting race is looked for.

Get your election tickets printed at the HERALD office. Tickets and slips will be printed at any hour of the day or night, expeditiously, correctly and cheaply. Send in your orders.

The Alvin Joslin troupe will visit Tecumseh on Tuesday April 7th. Uncle Alvin will appear in person with his fine band and a picked theatrical troupe. He will have a full house, of course.

It is said that in some parts of the county onion socials are all the rage, and this is how it is worked: Six ladies take an onion with them into a room, and one of them takes a bite of it. Then a young gentleman is admitted to the game, and if, after kissing all of them, he fails to tell which of them bit the onion, why, then all the girls would kiss him.

M. E. Conklin is making all necessary preparations for the spring campaign in his business. He will handle again this year the celebrated Walter A. Wood mowing, harvesting and reaping machines, and will endeavor to eclipse his record of sales over any former year in which he has engaged in the business. Met. will make things hum this spring and summer, or we are mistaken.

The "Bee" under date of Dec. 3 '84 says: The Alhambra Club with banjo's and guitars there rendered a very fine selection which called forth much applause and they were compelled to respond. Barney and Burgert sang as a solo and duett with banjo and guitar accompaniment "The Cuckoo song," a charming bit of melody, which drew forth such applause that the gentlemen were forced to respond.

Street Commissioner Jordan started an excavation on the corner near Mrs. Tilton's last Monday to ascertain where the water pipes were frozen and thaw them out. Upon reaching the pipes, a big leak was discovered, which has probably been running for some time. There is apparently plenty of water in the mains, but no water could be drawn from the hydrants below the leak. The cause of the trouble on the night of the last fire was thus disclosed.

The two progressive euchre clubs of our village are in a flourishing condition and hold their meetings regularly one evening each week. Below are the members of each club, the names opposite each other being partners.

TECUMSEH CLUB.

L. P. Tribou—Mrs. W. D. Clark.
Delos Whitenack—Mrs. E. J. Hough.
E. J. Hough—Mrs. L. P. Tribou.
S. W. Bordine—Mrs. Geo. Kies.
G. A. Kies—Mrs. Delos Whitenack.
D. W. Clark—Mrs. S. W. Bordine.

BROWNVILLE CLUB.

H. E. Stout—Miss Carrie Hand.
A. L. Haight—Miss Emma Smith.
F. H. Burlingame—Maggie Smith
H. E. Hand—Mrs. F. Burlingame.
F. Kloffenstien—Miss Lizzie Smith.
C. M. Burlingame—Mrs. H. E. Stout

The Marshall Statesmen says: It is now well nigh certain that the Michigan & Ohio railway will have a western outlet on the shore of Lake Michigan this spring and those who are in the councils of the company say that Muskegon is the harbor chosen. It is, they say, rarely blockaded by ice, and on this account is much more valuable as a port than Grand Haven, where it was first thought the road would be built. It is stated that already arrangements have been made with the C. & W. M. railroad for the use of sixty miles of its track, from Grand Rapids to Muskegon, and operations will soon commence. It is an indication of energy and life on the part of the M. & O. management which has long been looked for. When the line of steamers from Muskegon to Milwaukee is put on, this road will get its full share of the north-western carrying trade.

Curry & Bostwick have a splendid new floor in their tonsorial rooms.

The Lenawee County teacher's association will meet at Dean's Opera House, Adrian, on Saturday March 28th.

Eldridge Hyde is now serving as private detective for the Lake Shore road in Sheriff Whitmore's old position.

The Lenawee Co., Fair will be held at Adrian on Sept. 23d to 25th. M. Graves, Sec'y. P. O. address, Lenawee Junction.

Auctions are plenty these days. And this leads us to remark that the best place to get Auction bills printed is at the HERALD office.

Col. Eldredge has established an office with Schlieman & Helme, in Adrian, being the rooms where Judge Stacy's office formerly was.

This has been a very severe winter on bees. It is thought that not more than one-half the colonies alive last fall will come out alive this spring.

The winter term of the public schools closes to-morrow. There will be a vacation of one week and the spring term will begin on Monday April 6th.

The public school examinations are in progress to-day and will continue through to-morrow. There was a large attendance of visitors at the central building this forenoon.

The Blade under date of Feb. 13, '85 says: The Alhambra Club gave a waltz that made many feet involuntarily beat time. And all their tunes had their usual welcomes and encores.

Mrs. Chas. Blanchard of Chicago arrived in town last Thursday evening and will remain about a week among her Tecumseh and Franklin friends. She likes her home in Chicago very much.

The Detroit News is of the opinion that roller skating will sometime be the universal means of locomotion and that skating tracks will or should be laid over the country, it being a cheaper easier and quicker way of traveling than by steam or horse cars, bicycles, etc.

Alex. Traudt has sold the Exchange Hotel property to C. A. Groff of West Virginia, and the new landlord took possession yesterday. Mr. Groff is a gentlemanly appearing man and evidently knows how to keep a hotel. He will doubtless receive his share of the traveling public. Mr. Traudt goes back to Adrian.

The unsolicited names of new subscribers to the HERALD which are being added to our list almost every day, show that the citizens of Tecumseh and vicinity appreciate our efforts to make a good, clean, reliable family newspaper. We are not too old to feel gratified by these marks of appreciation, and our patrons may rest assured that we shall give them the best there is in the shop.

Surgeons of the International Throat and Lung Infirmary, Detroit, Mich., will make their next regular monthly visit at the Lilley House, Tecumseh, Saturday, Sunday and Monday; April 4, 5, and 6th, 1885. Catarrh, Throat and Lung Diseases treated EXCLUSIVELY. Come early and avoid the rush which invariably fills our parlors in the afternoon. See adertisement in another column. Come and have your lungs examined free.

Adrian Times—Col. J. W. Romeyn, of Detroit, has a copy of the "Western almanac and Michigan register" for the year 1826. It has recently been overhauled by the Detroit Free Press, and many interesting pieces of quaint state history gleaned therefrom.—There were in that year only seventeen postmasters in the state, and only one of them was in this county, Musgrove Evans, at Tecumseh. Col. Eldridge, while looking over his daily half bushel of applications for postoffices, may derive some remote comfort from this item.

It is believed by shrewd observers that prices generally are as low as they will be and that there is scarcely any kind of merchandise or securities which is not a safe purchase in reasonable amounts to-day. An illustration of this is furnished in the case of wool, which, having fallen last summer to the lowest price in forty years, obstinately refuses to decline any further, and has been unchanged by a slack demand for six months past. Very similar illustrations are afforded by flour, grain, print cloths and other articles.

Among the April Magazines the Cottage Hearth is especially attractive, as it contains, besides its usual amount of short Stories, Poems and domestic matter, an interesting paper on Westminster Abby and the Tower of London, by Willis Boyd Allen. The article is finely illustrated and gives, in the form of an easy narrative, a full description of the venerable buildings recently attacked by the "Dynamiters" in London. Among the other contributors to this number are E. Vinton Blake, Abby Morton Diaz, Mary A. P. Stansbury, Horace Lunt, and William H. Hayne. We notice that the publishers have increased the number of pages by the addition of a new department, devoted to correspondence about home gardening and general floriculture.

Don't be in a hurry about making garden.

H. C. Wason, of Toledo, was in town yesterday.

D. C. LeBaron, of Toledo, was in town last Monday.

If you should ever have occasion to hunt down a burglar, call on the "Cap." Boly and John.

Morenci Observer. A festive young alligator, which H. W. Snow brought from the South took a light lunch the other day, being the first food it had eaten in six months.

Raisin Valley Encampment, No. 13 I. O. O. F., is being reorganized, and will soon be in running order. This is a good move. A uniformed rank will be started as soon as the membership is large enough.

We will be greatly obliged if our subscribers will show their friendly feeling by sending in their dues. We have no reason to complain of lack of past favors, and only ask for continuance of the same in the present instance.

The portraits of distinguished persons which are appearing in the HERALD, should be cut out and preserved in a scrap book. They are not cheap wood cuts, but first class electrotypes and can be relied upon as correct likenesses.

Gaily the democrat
Picks up his grip,
Saying to Washington
Onward I'll skip.
Singing, "From Salt River
Hither I come.
Grover dear, Grover dear,
Give me a plum."

The Excelsior pearl button works, started at Adrian about two years ago, will be removed to East Saginaw. The material inducements offered by the citizens there to properly develop the business is the assigned reason for the removal.

Mrs. Robert Wooden, of Cambridge, who has been seriously ill for some time died on Saturday last. The funeral services were held at the Baptist church near Onsted yesterday. Rev. Dr. Rexford of Detroit officiating, and were largely attended.

A notice has been issued by the Michigan & Ohio railroad to the effect that all debts contracted by employes must be settled direct with the creditor, the road assuming no responsibility in the collection of the same, as it is in the hands of receivers. Garnishees will be of no service.

Adrian Press: It must be very flattering to the editor of a newspaper to receive flattering notices of its worth and commendations of those articles that appear in the patent "innards" of the concern. Yet a Lenawee county paper publishes a letter of this kind with evident pride.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lenawee County Horticultural Society will be held on Wednesday, April 1st, 1885 at 9 o'clock A. M. The first half hour will be given to the "Question Box." Topics transplanting fruit and ornamental trees, vines, &c. Also Arbor day. Place of meeting Workingmen's Hall, Adrian.

The firm of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. has been dissolved by consent of the parties, Mr. Swan retiring from the firm, and James A. Boyd taking his interest. The new firm will be Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd. It is composed of young men of well known business capacity and integrity, and we wish them abundant success.

Adrian Times: The court house committee visited the $200,000 court house at Lima, Ohio., with a view of learning something about first-class court house furniture. The committee desires to make the new court house in this county as convenient and complete as possible, and is taking every means to accomplish that end.

We have received, with the compliments of President Angell, a calendar of the University of Michigan for the current college year. The summary shows a total attendance of 1295. Among the students of the literary course we notice Robert Newton Burnett, Wm. J. C. Hastings, Fred Morley and Erasius Francis Potter of Tecumseh.

Washington's Monument.—I. S. Johnson & Co., 22 Custom House St., Boston, will send free, to all who will send their address on a postal card, an engraving of this famous Monument, the tallest structure in the world; also valuable historical facts connected therewith. If you don't send for it, you will be sorry when it is too late. If you do send, mention this paper.

The Toledo Blade of March 21st says: Mrs. Elizabeth Mansfield Irving and the Alhambra club of this city, will go to Tecumseh, Mich., on Monday, March 30, to appear at an entertainment for the benefit of the Tecumseh Library association. The people of the town named may depend on having a great treat listening to those Toledoans. Of Mrs. Irving it is almost unnecessary to speak as her wonderful elocutionary gifts have secured to her a national reputation. The Alhambra club is composed of gentlemen of fine musical talents, and the music they discourse upon banjos and guitars is of the most charming kind.

LONGFELLOW'S MEMORIAL.

Appropriate School Exercises in Commemoration of the Great American Poet.

Henry W. Longfellow is justly regarded as one of the greatest of American poets. When, on the 24th of March, 1882, the wires flashed the news of his death over the land, many a heart was bowed down, and many an admirer of his poems felt that they had lost a personal friend.

Prof. Hammond conceived the happy idea that a program of memorial exercises in the school would not only be interesting, but would serve to familiarize the pupils with the works and the worth of this typical American poet. The exercises were held last Tuesday afternoon in the Central building.

The 8th, 7th and 6th grades, presided over by Mr. Fred Hendershot and Misses Emma O. Skinner and Grace Willett, assembled in the East room, second floor, which was well filled with pupils and spectators. The blackboards were ornamented with crayon drawings, which were finely executed and displayed much artistic talent. The portrait of Longfellow framed, was drawn by Vernie Heesen, Longfellow's residence by Frank Swick, the old home by Lelma Stewart.

The program was announced by Mr. Hendershot, and was presented in the following order. The pupils who had parts assigned them seemed to catch the spirit of the occasion, and all did finely. The large number of spectators present were well entertained.

March.
Music by Libbie and Etta Coddington.
Oration—Lelma Stuart—"His Early Life."
School Quotations—"Longfellow's Advice to Pupils." Four single quotations from each room.
Essay—Frank Swick—"Longfellow's Home."
"Wreck of the Hesperus"—C. Burridge.
"Village Blacksmith"—Gertie Cummins.
Song—"The Old Clock on the Stairs" Gracie Heck and Hattie Bates.
"Review of Evangeline"—Roby Hosmer.
"Paul Revere's Ride."—Chas. Montgomery.
"Children"—Maggie Spafford.
"The Builders"—Julia Wood.
"Review of Miles Standish"—Percy Fitzsimmons.
"The Children's Hour"—J. Wright. Four single quotations from each room.
Concert Quotation.
"The Indian Hunter" -Harry McClare
"Slaves Dream"—Lena Titus.
Quartette—The Psalm of Life.

The A. and B. divisions of the High School, presided over by Misses Lillian M. Berkey and Julia A. Condict united in one program, which was given in the upper East room. The blackboards of this room were also handsomely decked out with crayon drawings. In the center of the large board was a beautiful portrait of Longfellow executed by Walter Heck; his residence was drawn by Fred Hillman, the arrow in the tree by Mabel Hayden; the representations of the old mill by Lyster Dewey, and "The Rainy Day" by Myrtie Clark.

On each side of the portrait appeared in neat typographical lettering one of these verses written by Longfellow

Were a star quenched on high,
For ages would its light,
Still traveling downward from the sky
Shine on our mortal sight.

So, when a great man dies
For years beyond our ken,
The light he leaves behind him lies
Upon the paths of men.

Much time must have been bestowed upon these crayon sketches, as they were all very complete.

The program was announced by Miss Berkey in the following order—
Piano Solo—Maude Eccles.
Sketch of the Life of "Henry W. Longfellow."—Mabel Hayden.
Review of Longfellow's Prose Works—Alice Rice.
A Reading from "Hyperion"—Arthur Hall.
Vocal Solo, "The Day is Done"—Inez Laing.
Longfellow's "Translations"—Herbert McNair.
Recitation, "The Hanging of the Crane"—Ina Daglish.
Vocal Solo, "The Birds"—May Woodward.
A Review of the "Tales of a Wayside Inn"—Edna McClue.
Reading, "Torquemada"—Anna Hiatley.
Quartet, "The Psalm of Life."
Recitation, "The Legend Beautiful"—Walter Powers.
Eulogy.—Frank Hall.
Quotations.—By Myrtie Clark, Claude Vantine, Artie Merrit, Minnie Rector, Flora Chase, Kittie Adams, Lyster Dewey, Louis Hardenburg, Ernest Goff, Mamie Osborn, Sena Hosmer, Maggie Clarkson, George Waldron, John Richard, Kittie Griswold, Ida Rector.
Piano Duet—Misses Fisher and Henson.

A large number of spectators was in attendance, who expressed themselves highly pleased with the entertainment. At the close of the program Rev. Mr. Babbitt asked permission to read Longfellow's first poem.

Memorial exercises of a similar character will be held to-morrow afternoon in the different branch school buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Mather arrived home yesterday noon from their lengthy visit in California. They enjoyed their trip very much and return in excellent health.

Jerome Cleveland, who has been seriously ill, is now rapidly convalescing and will be able to attend to business soon.

Read Gainsley & Co's. new ad. on the eighth page. They have something interesting to say as usual.

Wm. F. Harding arrived home today from Albion College for a few days vacation. He is well pleased with the school.

Edgar Ide has given up throwing type in the News office and is now throwing mail in the post office. He fills the position vacated by Bert Waring.

The Opera House floor has been smoothed down with a big block of marble. Every evening's skating also improves it. The floor is rapidly getting into fine condition.

Brigadier General Kidd, Inspector General of the Michigan State Troops, will inspect Co. "C" 1st. Regt. at Tecumseh, Friday evening, April 3d. Every member must be in attendance in full uniform. Co. C, 1st. Reg't. will elect a first Sergeant to fill vacancy Friday night of this week, and transact other business of importance in relation to the next encampment of the troops.

Dr. Geo. E. Brown has taken up his residence in Tecumseh and has opened an office in the rooms with Dr. S. Carlin. Dr. Brown is a graduate of the Ann Arbor medical school, belongs to the regular school of practice and has had several years experience in his profession. His wife's relatives live at Manchester and he has considerable acquaintance there. We welcome the Doctor to Tecumseh and hope he will succeed in building up a good practice.

Dundee Bankrupt Sale. The sale of the large stock of general merchandise known as the "Clayton Beehive" is going on day by day. We call notice this week to the invoice of Wall paper, 3144 rolls—88 patterns—1000 rolls of gilt. This is new, the bundles uncut, and will be sold at retail at less than wholesale prices. All to be sold within 30 days. You never will have another opportunity to get your paper at such rates. Call and see it. All clothing sold at one quarter off regular prices. Dry goods, boots and shoes 20 per cent off. The groceries at a discount. 20 cream cheeses, best quality at 12½. This is the largest forced sale of staple goods ever held in Southern Michigan. Avail yourself of the benefit. Respectfully,
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BANJO CONCERT AND ELOCUTION.

The celebrated Alhambra Banjo Club and Elizabeth Mansfield Irving, Toledo's noted elocutionist, will give the fifth entertainment of the Library course on Monday evening, March 30.

Mrs. Irving's style of delivery is admirable, her gestures grand, and her voice penetrating and distinct.—Toledo Commercial.

Mrs. Irving is an excellent reader, with a full, resonant voice that reaches every corner. Good facial expression and dramatic ability, which she uses with nice discimination.—Jackson Patriot.

Mrs. Irving was received by the audience with cheering, the waving of hats and a storm of applause, as the gallant boys rose to their feet. The lady recited the "Drummer Boy of Mission Ridge" in a most eloquent and impressive manner and was rewarded with the most uproarious applause. Mrs. Irving was recalled and by special request recited "Sheridan's Ride."—Cincinnati Gazette.

Mrs. Irving's readings and recitations must be seen and heard to be understood. Mrs. Irving, in her original and characteristic method, has done much to elevate the "recitation" from where she found it, and invest it with that peculiar charm which surrounds the higher forms of the dramatic art. While she may be said to be creating a new school of her own in elocutionary and graphic effects, yet it is scholarly and conservative rather than merly sensational or extravigant. While she is aided in this by a full and rich voice, she does not depend upon them alone, but aims by careful study, to become thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the situation.—Toledo Blade.

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CHAS. A. WALDRON. [illegible]

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IRELEY HOUSE. [illegible]

BURNETT HOUSE. [illegible]

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[illegible]
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TREES AND TREE PEDDLERS.

How, When, and of Whom to Purchase the Fruit Bearers.

From the number of letters received of late from our readers making inquiries about nursery stock and nurserymen, we conclude that the tree peddler is abroad and actively engaged in seeking customers. We have frequently taken occasion to refer to those itinerants known as tree agents or tree peddlers in no very complimentary terms. Although we admit that they do distribute a large amount of nursery stock, and no doubt have been influential in increasing the horticultural products of the country. It must also be admitted that there are many persons who will purchase trees and other kinds of plants if personally solicited to do so, who would never think of sending a nursery or seeking among the seed catalogues for such articles. From this point of view, the tree agent may be considered a rather useful member of society. In fact, as often as we have warned our readers against dealing with this class of peddlers, we still have great respect for the upright agent. But this commendation stops upon the threshold, and there is so little of this among the tribe that a certain kind of suspicion is cast over the entire fraternity. Occasionally we hear of a farmer or fruit grower who has dealt with peddlers for years and is perfectly satisfied with his bargains, but such instances may be cited as the rare exceptions to the general rule.

In the first place, the tree agent is held in a responsible manner, with [illegible] given agent, nowhere he can be found, if there are errors to be corrected, for instead of this he is one of those roving errant beings who come and go, [illegible] law [illegible] man [illegible] his own will and [illegible] responsible. Then, again, these peddlers usually ignore all [illegible] sale, and especially those who [illegible] low prices of staple articles. They make up for doubling all [illegible] for what they have to sell, without the least regard to supply and demand. The more ignorant their customers the higher the price they charge for the article offered for sale.

It may be said in defense of the agent that the purchaser should know the kind of the market [illegible] which he proposes to buy, and, while in a general way this may be admitted, it can not be expected that the average farmer is a seedsman or even a horticultural nurserymen. It is a weakness of human nature to desire something new and a little different from anything possessed by our neighbors, and when an glib-tongued tree agent expatiates upon the superior qualities of the great Moscow Apple from Siberia, the would-be purchaser is inclined to think that it must be a better variety than the common yellow Sweet or Russian apple, or it would not have such a remarkable name. We have often thought it very strange that so many persons could be made to believe that these nursery agents had in their possession varieties of fruit not named in any of the great nurserymen's catalogues. But it is a fact, and thousands of dollars are paid annually to peddlers of plants and trees for varieties that do not exist except in the imagination of those who pretend to have them for sale.

When an agent or even a nurseryman pretends to have better stock or varieties than can be obtained elsewhere, it is safe to be a little suspicious of him, for it seldom happens that any one man is able to raise better plants than any of his competitors, or even could sell the entire stock of any variety for more than a year or two at furthest. We do not mean to be understood as saying that all nurserymen are equally favorably situated for producing all kinds of trees or other plants, for this is far from being true, because soils and climates differ as much as the skill of the propagators of plants. One nurseryman may be favored with a soil and climate especially adapted to the production of pears, apples, cherries and similar trees, while another may be in a favorable situation for the raising of peach trees, figs, oranges, lemons or various species and varieties of conifers, that do not thrive on the heavy soils that are especially adapted to pear and apple trees.

But all these peculiarities and advantages of different soils and climates are well known to our leading nurserymen, and when necessary they make exchanges among themselves in order to have a full and complete stock of all the principal nursery products likely to be called for by their customers. By keeping this fact in view our readers can readily see why it is that the prices named in the catalogues of our great commercial nurseries are quite uniform, and why they are not kept a secret from any person who will take the trouble to inquire about them, or even send for a price list. It is true that the prices of nursery stock do not fluctuate like those of ordinary farm products, because the nurserymen fix their own prices and are usually able to sustain them, whether purchasers are plentiful or otherwise. If they can not sell their plants at a profit they dig them up and burn them, returning the ashes to the soil as a fertilizer, which is a better policy than to sell them at a loss.—N. Y. *Sun.*

No Danger.

Mr. Minks—"My dear, you should not put coins in your mouth, for diseases are often caught in that way. I noticed yesterday that while you were looking through your pocketbook for small change to give the street-car conductor you placed a quarter between your lips and held it there."

Mrs. Minks—"Well, suppose I did; where's the harm?"

"You should read the papers, Mrs. Minks. Scientists have discovered bacteria on silver coins. Do you know what terrible things bacteria are?"

"Not exactly, no."

"Why, they are little animals which get into the human system and cause all sorts of diseases."

"Is that all? Well, then I am in no danger from the money you give me."

"And why not, pray?"

"You always squeeze a quarter hard enough to crush all animal life out of it before you part with it."—*Philadelphia Call.*

SPRING DRESSES.

Materials and Trimmings, and How They are Fashioned.

Cashmere of the finest twills will be used for both house and street dresses in the early spring months, and for cool days in summer. All the light shades of reseda, ashes-of-roses, olive, and brown are largely imported, and are to be employed for the entire dress when it is made tailor fashion, but there are velvets of similar shades to be combined with it for more elaborate costumes. Gilt braiding, not merely in parallel lines, but in embroidery designs of vines for borders, or separate figures, stars, blocks or crescents, will be the trimmings when only cashmere is used. When velvet is employed there will be fine cords and piping folds edging various parts of the corsage, while folds or bands of velvet will trim the skirt. Those who object to velvet as heavy for summer dresses will have the accessories of watered silk or of gros grain of the same shade. Black cashmere with close silk embroidery upon it in interlinked rings, leaves, [illegible] or small flowers will form the overdress for skirts of gros grain or moire silks, and for quite young ladies the gilt or silver wrought cashmeres will be employed. A pretty model for these has all the visible front part of the skirt covered with two very deep flounces of gathered gros grain cut out on the lower edges to form leaves that curve toward one side. Above the falls two irregular draperies of cashmere with interlinked rings embroidered all over it; the drapery on the left side curves much deeper than that on the right side, and each is carried up to the waist on the sides to meet a long breadth of cashmere that covers the entire back of the skirt. The back may hang in very full pleats quite straight from belt to feet, but for those who need a more buoyant tournure it is caught up in a single bunch of pleats on each side and in the middle quite near the top, and hence falls plainly. Shirring will be used on the front of the basque of such a dress, and may be done in the cashmere itself, or, which is a better plan, in two small scarfs set on down the front, and made of the silk used in the skirt. Otherwise the basque is very plainly fashioned, and may have a slight position pleating, or else be smooth over the tournure; it is necessary, however, that it be quite short on the sides and behind in order to be in good style.

When watered silk is used, it is more effective as a plastron put on quite plainly in a curve extending to the top of the darts in front, and about the same depth behind. For young ladies there are laced girdle fronts made of moire or of velvet from six to eight inches deep, set in the front darts, and laced with gilt cord or a silk lacing string over a soft shirred corsage of the wool or of silk. Another youthful fancy has slits cut in the edges of the basque over the hips, and these slits are laced together with a cord and tassel of gilt, silver or of silk. Sometimes folds of velvet in which gilt or silver braid is tied along the edges trim the front of the waist and the skirt. Pointed revers of velvet or of gros grain or moire will be arranged in various ways on cashmere and on Bengaline silks. The single revers all on one side of the corsage front is newer than that placed on each side, and promises to be used especially when the opposite side is richly braided. For slight figures it is a good plan to make a very narrow and flat vest of velvet or silk with a standing collar to match, and outside of the vest add a shirred scarf of the wool of the dress waist. Sometimes this fullness is made of the front part of the waist itself pushed back on the lining. The cut-away basques will also be made again, sloping back toward the sides from the top of the first dart. The space inside may be covered plainly as a vest, or it may have a shirred bib-like piece in one with the front of the overskirt, in the fashion worn last year. Side draperies falling in waved jabot folds on the skirt are to be lined with velvet or silk that will come into sight in each layer of the folds.

Instead of severely plain bands or folds for trimming skirts there will now be vandykes, scallops or leaf points on the upper edge, while other folds will have openings or slits cut at regular intervals, and through these will be drawn gilt or silver braid. Tucks will be more used than at any previous season, and these will also be decorated with braid, or with stitching, &c with very narrow piping on the lower edge.

The Eton jacket is a fanciful little garment that will be becoming to slight figures. It is similar to the Zouave jacket, but instead of being curved open in front, it slopes away gradually from the throat to the line of the waist, and is slightly pointed behind. The new caprice is to edge it with closely strung small gilt buttons, or else with large cut jet beads. A soft sash is passed around the waist with this jacket, and sashes generally are to be used with spring dresses.—*Harper's Bazar.*

Cheap But Valuable Advice.

It is not easy for American women to resist the influence of pretty things, and the only way is not to pay much attention to mere novelties of dress and fashion, but adhere to certain fixed and well defined rules. By good materials, avoid cheap trimmings, select always such colors as will go well together, and usually have them dark. Never wear your best on a secondary occasion, or when it is likely to be subject to severe wear and tear. Have best dresses cut or made by a best dress maker, and employ your own efforts on your house dresses and washable materials. Use best black kid gloves, ecru or beige tints. They wear better than fancy colors, and the black are better made and can be worn with all dresses. Never buy cheap gloves or cheap hosiery—they are a delusion and a snare. Always have a plain black walking dress and handsome black dress, and depend upon cut and material more than upon ornamentation. If you can embroider yourself a dress, you can make a thing of beauty with but little cost; but otherwise content yourself with the neatness that is the best evidence of refined taste.—*Ladies' Home Journal.*

Spring Medicine

When the weather grows warmer, that extreme tired feeling, want of appetite, dullness, languor, and lassitude, afflict almost the entire human family, and scrofula and other diseases caused by humors, manifest themselves with many. It is impossible to throw off this debility and expel humors from the blood without the aid of a reliable medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 32 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 46 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 31	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 05	
Stryker	3 51	9 45	4 08	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 51	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
P.M.	A.M.			P.M.	A.M.	
5 45	10 10	A	...Toledo...	L 5 10	11 10	
6 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
6 04	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 09	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P.M.
9 20	9 15		1 38	Homer	1 37	8 00
9 32	9 27		1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 48
9 37	9 41		2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11
9 59	9 57		2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59
10 17	10 15		2 36	A Battle Cr'k	L 12 42	6 40
P.M.	P.M.		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A.M.
	3 04			Yorkville	12 15	
	3 10			Richland	12 09	
	3 28			Doster	11 52	
	3 45			Montcalm	11 35	
	3 53			Fisk	11 27	
	3 59			Kellogg	11 21	
	4 10		A	...Allegan...	L 11 10	
	5 10			Holland	10 10	
	6 10			Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 15			Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 25			Ferrysburg	8 50	
	6 55			Muskegon	8 15	
	9 50			Pentwater	5 50	
	P.M.	A			L A.M.	P.M.

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HOUSEKEEPING.

Some Good Advice By a Woman to Her Housekeeping Sisters.

Successful housekeeping! How many of us fully realize the meaning of that term? As I take it, successful housekeeping does not consist merely in keeping the house scrupulously clean from garret to cellar, and the table always supplied with the choicest food; but in doing our work in the easiest and pleasantest manner to ourselves, and in that way which makes those about us in every way most comfortable. And to do this requires judgment, patience and much careful study and forethought. We have been deluged with advice about having a time, a plan and a place for everything; but all ye who have tried it know how utterly impossible it is to keep our resolutions regarding the last two, especially where there are young children, or frequent callers to break in upon the routine; but I have found it a great saving of time and strength to plan by littles. While ironing, sitting to pare potatoes or apples, nursing baby, etc., I keep thinking what I shall do next, planning every step, then if any mistakes occur they are only mental ones: for instance, if a trip to the cellar is soon to be made I endeavor to think of everything that is to be taken, and everything that can be brought at that time, instead of running with or after one thing at a time in the hurried moment in which it happens to be thought of.

Try it, ladies, you have no idea what a help it is until you do try planning what you will do next, and just how in every particular; it is so much easier to revise it and correct it in our minds than with our feet. If you are forgetful, it is convenient to have a slate hanging in the kitchen on which you can note down many of the important little things which might otherwise not be thought of when it would be easiest to do them. On the other side of the slate you might keep a record of the names and dates of papers in which you saw recipes you wish to try, or any valuable hints: for one often sees such, and when we take many papers it is difficult to find what one wants without some clew: when full, copy into a little memorandum book, unless you have tried enough (and placed in your tested receipt book which every housekeeper should make for herself), to erase and make room for more. Speaking of planning, I presume none of you retire at night without seeing breakfast all on a line in your mental vision, it saves so much hurry and worry in the morning—ah! this worry, it is the bane of American women. Let us strive to always remember

"'Tis *worry*, not *work*, that kills."

Another one of the greatest aids in avoiding bustle and confusion is to begin in time. It is certainly much better to do a thing in season than out of season, and if it must be done why not do it—in time? Form this habit and it will soon become a sort of second nature to be punctual.

I have found it easiest as soon as breakfast work is done and house in order (one room at least so you will not be embarrassed if a neighbor steps in), to arrange for dinner all that can be gotten ready at that time; it is so much pleasanter to have it off one's mind at once than to wonder all through the forenoon, "What shall I get for dinner?" And, when possible, I set the table at any leisure time, putting on salt, spoons, castor, everything that will not dry out or spoil from getting too warm or too cool, and that will not attract flies, though, I hope, many are using screens, they cost but little and, though they do not afford complete relief from the pests, they are a wonderful advantage. Another help, where the household is so fortunate as to have a baby in it, is to arrange its nap with reference to the dinner hour, if possible, having him asleep at that time; with a little care to form the habit a healthy babe can generally be put to sleep an hour before dinner and sleep till it is all over. Mine does—sometimes.

On ironing day I have adopted the plan suggested by a writer in a late paper, always to iron the finest, most tedious clothes first, for two very good reasons: first, we are fresh and have more strength and patience for them than when weary at the last, and, second, if we are hindered in any way so that anything must be hurried over, or shook out and left till another time, it will only be the coarse articles, which will not be hurt so much by such treatment. As to what pieces need ironing each one must be her own judge. I used to think that every article must be smooth and nice before putting away, and they do look nicer, but with my little ones around me now, with minds and bodies to be cared for as well as clothing, I find sheets wash-rags, flannels and coarse underwear can go without sometimes for the sake of having the time thus gained to make a child happy, read a new paper or book, arrange some little surprise for "papa," or at least have time to compose myself and be calm and pleasant when he comes. I know we can not always do this, but let's do so whenever we can, remembering the faces are very much like mirrors, giving us back a reflection of our own; but I want to say just here that when leaving things undone, or slightly done, let it not be anything that will endanger health. Everything in and about the house should always be so clean and fresh and pure as to incur no risk in that direction.

As to a place for everything, have it so if you can: where closets and cupboards are scarce this is difficult, and if out-of-the-way places are chosen some of the careless ones will not always put them there, so we think it best to have boxes, pockets, hooks and closet-door catch-alls in convenient place to keep those things which are used by all members of the family. Such things as strings, waste-paper, scissors, needles, thread, a good liniment, camphor, a few simple home medicines, a court-plaster, lantern, umbrella and numerous other things, should be where any one can place a hand on them without asking or searching for them. This can be done in the most inconvenient house with a little tact and perseverance; and always be careful to have the places for matches, ink, lye and all poisonous articles far out of the possible reach of children's hands. None of these things are theories, but are a few of the plans which I have put in practice to aid me during years of house-work on a farm where one pair of hands must do the work of laundress, dairymaid, housemaid, seamstress, nurse and cook, and I recapitulate—"Look ahead," "Begin in time," "Think before you step," "Have all that you work with convenient as possible," and "Don't worry."

And, now, if these rules are followed, thinking of your work in the pleasantest light possible, not looking upon it as a drudgery, and striving ever to be "strong, pure and patient," I think you will learn to make housekeeping, in the fullest sense of the word, a *grand success.*—*Vesta Leroy, in Western Ploughman.*

CHEAP GRAIN.

An Example Which is Commended to Farmers Who Live Where Grain Does Not Pay for Transportation.

It is unfortunate that so many American farmers are not in a position to dispose of the products of their farms to the best advantage. No farmer can afford to raise corn and sell it at from ten to twenty-five cents a bushel, and yet thousands are compelled to accept such prices in consequence of the pressing demands upon them for money at the time of gathering their crops. After harvest notes begin to come due, interest and taxes must be paid, and all those who have nothing left over from last year's sales must dispose of some kind of crop to meet the demands of their creditors and the tax gatherer. This is nothing new to a majority of farmers, and while they have been compelled to make great sacrifices year after year to meet the demands upon them, comparatively few are able to get rid of this incubus, which casts a cloud over their lives and all their operations.

In the Western States, where the farmer is compelled to haul his crops some distance to find a market, and then take whatever a local agent may choose to offer, he is likely to fare worse than in regions where there is some competition among buyers. But the farmer who is burdened with debts is a slave, and the sooner he breaks the bonds and asserts his freedom the better, even if he has to make some sacrifices in doing so. Of course we do not mean to say that a farmer should never run in debt, but he should avoid placing himself in a position where indebtedness will force him to make continual or annual sacrifices to meet interest or principal. If a man is so situated that he must sell corn for ten or fifteen cents a bushel to raise money to pay debts of any kind, he is certainly making great sacrifices to meet his obligations, and he had better lose all at once than continue to do this for any considerable number of years in succession.

But it may be said that no farmer should ever sell corn at such prices, because it is worth far more to feed hogs, sheep and cattle. This may be true, but the farmer must first obtain the animals named before he can feed them his surplus grain, and it is just here that the want of means annoys many a farmer most severely. He may see how he could make his corn worth fifty cents a bushel by turning it into pork, beef or mutton, provided he was able to hold it and purchase the animals required to consume it; but not being able to command the necessary capital, he sells at a loss, while other farmers in better circumstances may make a profit on their grain even at present low prices.

We notice a recent report of the doings of certain farmers in Butler County, Kansas, where distance from railroad communication prevented them from marketing their corn at present prices without loss. To avoid this, a large number combined and gathered together six thousand head of cattle, and to these the corn is being fed during the winter months. These cattle will consume 300,000 bushels of corn, and the cost of hauling this amount of grain will not only be saved, but, by changing it into beef, the raiser will probably obtain twice or three times as much for it as it would have brought if sold last fall. Next spring, or as soon as the cattle are ready for shipment, they can be driven to the railroads at a very trifling expense, and will doubtless command a good price, for beef has not fallen in value nearly so much as grain during the past year. In fact, meats of all kinds have held their own remarkably well during the recent depression in prices of most kinds of farm products.

The example of the Butler County farmers should be imitated by those of other counties in Kansas and elsewhere; not that all should try cattle, because such a move might tend to advance the price of steers and other young stock, but the feeding of grain on the farm to sheep, hogs, cattle, horses and poultry is the true way to dispose of it when prices are so low that it can not be sold in its natural state at a fair profit. Of course we can not undertake to advise individuals as to the best way to obtain the animals they may need in attempting to change their system of farming, but we will say that one good way to begin the change is to stop selling off the calves, lambs, pigs and other young animals, and for no better reason than because some butcher or buyer offers what you consider a good or fair price. Better keep the lambs and calves for a year or two, for, as a rule, they will advance in value one hundred per cent. per annum, while the value of their food will not be twenty-five per cent. This hankering after a little ready cash which is not actually needed has been the ruin of many an industrious and otherwise competent farmer.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Every Saturday evening, when a barber shop in Troy is crowded by young mechanics getting their hair cut for Sunday, a priest who is a zealous temperance advocate arrives to get signatures to a pledge of total abstinence. He thinks that he thus saves many a fellow from spending his week's wages in a spree.—*Troy (N. Y.) Times.*

HENRY WARD BEECHER'S BROTHER.

The Rev. Henry Ward Beecher has three brothers living. One of these is the Rev. Charles Beecher, known as the writer of some of the most quaint and touching hymns in the English language. Another is the Rev. Edward Beecher, a profound theologian, far advanced in years, and living in Brooklyn, where he preaches from time to time. A third brother is the Rev. William Henry Beecher, who is spending the serene years of a mellow old age at his home, 6 Honore street, Chicago. Mr. Beecher is 84 years old, and, with the exception of the natural infirmities of age, is a hearty and vigorous old gentleman.

A gentleman who recently visited Mr. Beecher at his home, found him in an exceedingly genial frame of mind and, by no means indisposed to talk about the relief he had obtained from the rheumatism, which for many years had been a source of trouble to him. In reply to a question, the venerable gentleman remarked, "Why, you want to know about Athlophoros. It is the greatest medicine in the world for rheumatism. I had suffered with that disease for fifteen years. My hands and my joints were swelled. I had much pain, and many sleepless nights. It took my pain away, and gave me power to sleep. Do not understand me to say that my rheumatism is all gone. It would be a miracle if rheumatism could be entirely driven away from an old man like me, who has had it for years. I have some of it left, and occasionally I feel its pains. Then I take more Athlophoros, and the pains are driven away. Even if it can't entirely drive out the cause of pain from a man who has had it so long, it takes the pain away, and that is a great deal. Sometimes I had frightful pains at night, before going to bed. Then I would take a dose of Athlophoros, and I soon find the pain all gone, so that I could enjoy a calm and refreshing night's rest.

"I believe Athlophoros will cure chronic rheumatism. I know that is saying a great deal for it; but I say it. A tough old case of rheumatism like mine is very hard to cure, I know. But see my hands; they are no longer swelled as they were. I am free from the pains I used to have. I sleep well, and what more can an old man of 84 ask for?"

Mr. Beecher's daughter cheerfully confirmed what her father had said, and gave her testimony to the great advantages he had received from the use of Athlophoros.

For a number of years, Mr. C. L. Wetmore, of the well known wholesale clothing house of Messrs. Thompson & Wetmore, 151 & 153, Fifth Ave., Chicago, was greatly afflicted with rheumatism, which interfered not only with his personal comfort, but also with his ability to attend to business. He is now well.

Calling on Mr. Wetmore, at his store on Fifth avenue, the gentleman found him willing to converse as to his experience in regard to rheumatism.

"I am told, Mr. Wetmore, that you got rid of your rheumatism by the help of Athlophoros. Is that true?"

"Well, I had been for a long while troubled with rheumatism, and I had tried almost everything in the line of medicine, I may fairly say that Athlophoros finished the rheumatism, and finally overcame it. Some of the other remedies had given me relief, which proved only temporary and incomplete. But it was not so with the Athlophoros. Since I have taken it I find that I have no more rheumatic pains, either to annoy me by day, or to interfere with my sleep by night. My rheumatism was at times very severe. All my joints were swollen, and were very painful. I was detained at home sometimes as much as a month at a time, suffering acutely and unable to attend to business. Now that Athlophoros has finished the rheumatism, I am happy to say that my sleep is good, my appetite is regular and healthy, and I am every day attending to business."

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express paid, on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle. We prefer that you buy it from your druggist, but if he hasn't it, do not be persuaded to try something else, but order at once from us, as directed. ATHLOPHOROS CO., 112 Wall Street, New York.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Meehanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking Skeleton. Got a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite and a gain in flesh of 48lbs. Call at C. A Wright & Co's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottlee $1.00.

After the Sunday Dinner.

After the Sunday dinner, what? Well it all depends. A person whose brain is wearied with intellectual work during the week, or whose nervous system is exposed to the strain of business or professional life, ought to sleep within an hour or so after his Sunday dinner, if he can. It is surprising how much like a seven-day clock the brain will work if the habit of a Sunday nap be once formed. Nature will take advantage of it as regularly and gratefully as she does of the nightly sleep, and do her best to make up lost time. People on the other hand, whose week of toil is chiefly physical, may well give their minds activity while their bodies are resting. Two sermons and three or four hours of solid reading are a real rest to some on Sunday, while to others such a course amounts to a positive Sabbath-breaking. Sunday is a day of rest, not a day of work, religious or otherwise. It is a day of repose, not for exhaustion. But what the dogmatists on one side and the liberal liberals on the other are apt to overlook is the fact that all men do not rest alike any more than they labor alike, and what may help one may kill another.

What Do the Druggists Say?

They know what the people call for, they hear what their patrons say as to whether the medicines they buy work well or not. Martell & Johnson, Rush City, Minn., say, "Brown's Iron Bitters gives entire satisfaction to our customers." Klinkhammer & Co., Jordan, Minn., say, "We sell more Brown's Iron Bitters than all other bitters combined. L. E. Hackley & Son, Winona, Minn., say, "All our customers speak highly of Brown's Iron Bitters." A. C. Whitman, Jackson, Minn., says, "Brown's Iron Bitters is giving good satisfaction to purchasers." These are only a few. We have hundreds more just as good.

A Pretty Story.

"I believe in a providence," said Victor Hugo to a company gathered around him in the Rue de Clichy, "because I am a providence myself." Being asked for an explanation, the poet repled: "We caught a mouse yesterday evening. His death sentence was already pronounced, when my little granddaughter, Jeanne, with eyes glistening with tears, begged for the life of the gray prisoner. Her mother hesitated whether to listen to the dear little advocate or not, and in her doubt said, 'Grandfather shall decide.' So they came to me. For a moment I held the power of life and death over the diminutive creature, and I thought: The heavenly providence may find itself in my situation when the fate of a being of a higher order is to be determined. Naturally I set the mouse free; for when a man undertakes the role of providence on a small scale, he should at least imitate generosity."

Wonders Never Cease.

Prof. C. Donaldson, New Orleans, La., proprietor of Museums, who suffered eighteen years with rheumatic pains, states he has spent ten thousand dollars to get cured. After trying doctors, famous baths, electric appliances and legions of liniments without relief he tried St. Jacobs Oil, which completely cured him. It is a wonderful remedy, he says, and he has sold his crutches.

It is authoritatively stated that the precentage of short-sighted children in Germany is three to thiriy.

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West Virginia is no longer an October state.

If you are suffering from a sense of extreme weariness, try one bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It will cost you but one dollar, and will do away with that tired feeling, and give you new life and energy.

The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

Consumption.

This fell destroyer has brought a blight to many a promising life and sadness to many a home circle. There is one remedial agent that will assist nature in throwing off this terrible disease, viz: Speer's Port Wine. It has been used by hundreds with wonderful success, has checked the progress of disease and brought thousands back to health. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

It is asserted that about a third of the banking done in the world is done in the British empire.

Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1.
Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
German Corn Remover kills Corns & Bunions
Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 50c.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

The railway up Mt. Vesuvius has more than paid for itself.

"Gentle Spring."

Among spring preparations, do not neglect that which is most important of all—your own body. During the winter the blood absorbs many impurities, which, if not expelled, are liable to break out in scrofula or other disease. The best spring medicines is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It expells every impurity from the blood, and gives strength to every function of the body. Sold by all druggists.

Pennsylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

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Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., states: Being ineffectually treated by 17 doctors for Scrofula, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Write for proof.

There are 90,000 illiterate persons in Massachusetts.

C. A. Wright & Co., wish to state that they have at last found an article they can sell on its merits. It is with pleasure they guarantee to the public Acker's English Remedy as a sure and never-failing cure for Asthma, Coughs, Whooping Cough, Croup and all Lung Troubles. It is the standard remedy for Consumption. They have never found its equal.

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I have been bothered with catarrh for about twenty years. I could not tell how many different remedies I have tried, and none seemed to reach my case like Ely's Cream Balm. I had lost my smell entirely for the last fifteen years, and I had almost lost my hearing. My eyes were getting so dim I had to get some one to thread my needle. Now I have my hearing as well as I ever had, and I can see to thread as fine a needle as I ever did, and my smell is partly restored, and it seems to be improving all the time. I think there is nothing like Ely's Cream Balm for Catarrh. I always had a trouble with my throat and a little hacking cough, and I am almost well of that. Mrs. F. E. Grimes, 67 Valley St., Rendrill, Perry Co., Ohio.

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	
Oak Harbor..Arr	8 55 "	4 18 "	7 05 "	
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	
Bellevue	9 58	5 20	8 02	
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55 "
Wellington	11 13	6 42	No. 39.	2 37 "
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20 "
Orrville ....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 40
Orrville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00 "
Massillon ...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon ...Lv	2 30	4 50	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 15PM	
Valley Junc.Lv	2 20		3 40	8 25
Canal Dover	2 55		4 15	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	1 55	9 50
Cambridge	5 03	7 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	
Marietta, ...Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta....Lv	6 00AM	2 00PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 30		
Cambridge	9 15	5		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sherodsville	4 55			5 45AM
New Cumberl'd				6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon ....Ar	12 35	9 10	8 30AM	8 15
Orrville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	No. 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 18	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
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Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo ....Ar	5 45AM		1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar. Huron Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 38
11 20	6 15	.... Milan	7 07	2 50
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M. D. WOODFORD, Gen'l Manager. JAMES M. HALL, Gen'l Pass. Agt.

George Dickerson and George Wilson were drowned near Keokuk, Ia., on the 21st by the upsetting of a canoe in which they were duck hunting.

William E. Browning, Democratic Representative in the State Legislature from Spencer county, Ind., died at Indianapolis on the 23d after a brief illness of pneumonia, aged about 45 years.

The court of a sawmill five miles from Fort Smith, Ark., belonging to Edward Montgomery, exploded on the 21st, killing Montgomery, the proprietor, William Kilgore, foreman, and Thomas Anderson, and badly injuring Amos Evans. Several others were seriously injured.

Fire destroyed the Grand Central Hotel at Fort Smith, Ark., on the 21st. Loss $50,000; insured for $20,000.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

S. W. Demuth went to Jackson last Monday to purchase wall-paper. He has a very fine stock of paper, borders and ceiling decorations. They are shown to such good advantage by the new "exhibitor" that every one wishes to repaper their rooms.

Edgar Rose, of Detroit, came here last Saturday. He has been quite sick for some time with heart disease, and has hopes that a visit among his old friends may effect an improvement in his health. His wife arrived here Monday.

J. E. McCollum has just received a new stock of spring suits and gent's furnishing goods. Call on him before going elsewhere.

Mrs. J. L. Tuttle and two children went to Flint last Thursday.

Mr. O. Heath is repairing his house, papering, painting, etc. preparatory to moving his goods there.

The millinery rooms of the Misses Brown and Kilpatrick are undergoing quite a change and a decided improvement. The walls and ceiling have been neatly papered and their new goods will present a fine appearance.

Mrs. Frank Morey, of Manchester, visiting at Mrs. David Woodward's last week.

Miss Ida Fullerton is spending her vacation in Ypsilanti.

There will be service at St. John's church Friday evening, April 3rd that being Good Friday, communion service will be held Easter morning at the usual church hour. A vestry meeting has been appointed for next Monday evening, at which time the annual election of officers will take place.

Mrs. E. R. Smith and Mrs. Moses Bartlett went to Tecumseh last Thursday to visit Mrs. Will Eccles.

Mrs. Edwin Stansfield, of South Bend, is making her daughters, Mrs. Will Muir and Mrs. Ray Vest, a visit.

We hear that E. R. Vest has sold his dray and horses to Mr. R. Pease, of Newburg, and will move from here on to a farm near Saline next week. We wish Ray success in his new undertaking.

The entertainment presented to the public by the High School Juniors last Thursday evening was well attended. The essays were well written and read in a manner pleasing to all. The recitations were all well rendered, making it a difficult matter to decide which deserved the most praise. The readings and recitations were interspersed with music, orchestral and vocal, which was well appreciated. Prof. Laflin has reason to feel proud of his pupils, and the pupils of their teacher. The net profit was about $16.

Pursuant to call, a dozen or more of the scholars of the Clinton Union School twenty-five years ago, met together at the residence of J. B. Hause last Friday evening, to take the initiatory steps toward holding a reunion of the scholars and teachers of the above school at that time. Letters had been written to some away from here in regard to the matter, and replies from three or four have been received, including one from Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Williams, expressing a desire to come and be with us at a convenient time in the month of May. This re-union of the teachers and scholars of the first year of our Union School's history, is looked forward to with a good deal of interest by those who are to participate, many of whom have not met in a quarter of a century. The meeting was called to order by J. B. Hause, who in a few brief words set forth its object, etc.

Ed. VanDeMark was, on motion declared elected permanent chairman, and J. E. McCollum, permanent secretary.

On motion, it was decided to hold the reunion in this village on May 27th next, and the secretary instructed to notify Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Williams accordingly.

On motion, the following were unanimously chosen a committee to correspond with class mates living abroad, inviting them here at that time. Mrs. James B. Hause, Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark, Mrs. C. C. Rowland, Mrs. Mary Gniwits, J. E. McCollum and Ed. VanDeMark.

On motion, J. E. McCollum was unanimously chosen to deliver the welcoming address.

On motion, the meeting adjourned until April 3d.

SEC'Y

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

March took its departure like a lamb.

Sunday evening charades are the latest. A frightened undertaker and a parlor ghost. What next?

Miss Rynda Ransom spent the Sabbath at home.

Mrs. Hall and Mrs. R. T. Bush arrived from Brooklyn, N. Y. Friday evening. Miss Ella Hall, who has been sick is improving.

Mr. B. Mitchell, the writing school teacher, left for his home in Canada on Monday, having closed his term on Saturday evening.

Quite a number of cases of scarlet fever east of here, some very bad.

Social at Mrs. W. P. Cadmus' next Friday evening.

The Democratic caucus will be held next Saturday afternoon at W. H. Arner's wagon shop.

Mrs. Lane, a half sister of Mrs. Dr. Nelson, and her daughter, Miss Nellie Lane, of Somerset, visited Mrs. Nelson and family last week.

Mr. Sam Helm Jr., who has been sick for the past few months, has improved of late, and on Tuesday morning took his departure.

Rev. W. J. Clack returned from a visit to Flat Rock Saturday last.

Mrs. Cheever, who has been with friends at Dundee the past winter returned home Friday.

Miss Ada Loree is visiting her friend Miss Lulu Wilson at Morenci. Long lonesome Sunday evenings are more than one can endure.

Miss Hattie Smith, of the Normal school, Ypsilanti, is spending her vacation with her friend, Ella Jackson.

Mrs. J. F. Tryon who has been visiting friends in Indiana, stopped and made Mrs. Coats a short visit, leaving for her home at Detroit Tuesday.

A. R. Arner has the agency for the Hull Flexible Farm Gate for Lenawee county, and Joe Pennington has the agency for Hillsdale Co. They will begin their work in a few days.

The Literary on Friday night was a success. Messrs Sharp and Miller furnished some music after the program was carried out, and a committee appointed to purchase an organ consisting of the following persons: G. P. Waring, Dr. R. H. Nellson, A. J. Sutton and Misses Belle Barlow, Ella Jackson and Ida Arner.

The Prohibition met in caucus at Britton Saturday—the first prohibition caucus ever held in the town, when a full township ticket was nominated. Supervisor, G. L. Oliver; Clerk, Harry Rauch; Treasurer, Norman Ackley; Justice of Peace, Geo. Cripton; School Inspector, G. P. Waring; Highway com., C. A. Kniffin; Constables, J. D. Arner, James Smith, James Pocklington and L. Hause.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY.

The following program has been arranged for the next meeting of the Literary Society to be held April 10th, 1885.

Music—Society.
Reading—Arthur Kelly.
Rec.—Flota Smith.
Music—Mrs. F. J. Temple.
Reading—Peter Swick.
Dec.—Eddie Palmer.
Music—Mrs. Sarah Rappleye.
Charade.
Reading—Mary Osgood.
Essay—George D. Arner.
Music—Society.
Rec.—Louisa Smith.
Poem—G. W. Hill.
Dialogue.
Music—Ida Arner.
Tableaux.
Music—Covert Miller.

Any who will take part in the exercises at any meeting during the present term will be placed on the program for some succeeding meeting if the name and part selected be given to the president or any member of the executive committee, who constitute the program committee. The committee consist of T. H. Temple, Miss Kittie Clark and J. D. Arner.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

T. W. Beech has exchanged his hotel for A. Sanford's saloon, and an unpleasantness has culminated in our school, which is of doubtful benefit.

Divorces are ripening in gardens of discord, and no end of variety accrues from winters idleness, though some date back to last summers moonlight. Few people are rearly harmed by escaping from a quarrel although their last dime is exacted for the badly mussed liberty returned with no thanks to them. Children are the aggravation. Kites flown in such battles, and its to be regretted trundle-beds are not attached to them. Ministers may think different, but I have no doubt such double barreled intimidation would put most any man to flight and have a wholesome effect on his intended successor. There is nothing like parading the whole paraphanalia of number one's happiness to make number two's doubtful of its being worth the fuss. Difference prevents sending to the Legislature this economic plan for scaring off impediments to domestic freedom, but whoever wants a cheap discouragement is welcome to try it. I suppose staying married must be the only blessed fate of humanity, if the Bible says so: but there is such a difference between the ethereal sanctity of the obligation preached, and the material cranks it by by which its holiness is illustrated, that one drifts far enough into heresy to inquire if Heaven meant to sanction a fraud or whether the printer made a blunder. Of course no HERALD correspondent is heartless enough to advocate divorce, but I'll wager my biggist spring toad that if those Lansing clerics were in the same plight as some of our interested, they would withdraw their pet bill and substitute a petition to drown themselves in buttermilk.

MACON MUSIC.

On Tuesday evening, the 24th, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Biddle celebrated the tenth anniversary of their marriage at their home in Macon. A large party assembled and the guests in attendance passed a most enjoyable evening. Below we give a list of the presents bestowed upon the host and hostess on the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Biddle, tea-canister and tray.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richart, paper-holder.
Mr. and Mrs. Adam Stang, James Beatey, parlor lamp.
Mrs. C. E. Triplet, spice nest.
Mrs. Geo. Howell, cake plate.
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Coller, majolica butter-dish.
Miss Emma Winters, glass cake basket.
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Liddle, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilkins, carpet-sweeper.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Robison, fancy slop-pail.
Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Maxwell, glass berry dish and mustache cup.
Miss Luella Frost, doz. sauce dishes.
Mrs. Hebron Camburn, 2 toilet towels.
Mother Biddle, silk handkerchief.
Mrs. Milan Sage and daughter, Bertie, server.
Dr. and Mrs. D. Hall, 1 doz. majolica butter dishes and gem pans.
Franc and Elva Richart, individual salt and pepper stand.
Mr. C. L. Morgan, glass shoe pickle dish.
Mr. and Mrs. Robb Beatey, standard glass sauce dish.
Mr. and Mrs. Thos Biddle, crazy-work toilet cushion.
Miss Alice Camburn, plush photo-album.
Mr. and Mrs. Weliver, plush photo album.
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lindsey, silver napkin rings.
Revilo Sage, fruit basket.
Mrs. Wm. Biddle and Miss Helen Camburn, cake standard.
Mrs. Jane Smith, lamp.
Miss Martha Biddle, tidy.
Mr. Will Avery, napkin rings.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard, glass celery dish.
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Beatty, jelly dish.
Mrs. Sarah J. Camburn, standard sauce dish.
Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Frost, 2 butcher knives.

BRITTON BUDGET.

John Britton is getting stone on the ground for the foundation of a new house.

Geo. C. Hawkes has bought the house where W. J. Clark now lives.

J. Britton has bought the Hunter house of D. R. Wiggins.

Joe Hunter is putting up the frame for his new house.

John Exelby is drawing lumber for the erection of his new hotel.

They have commenced drawing brick for the new school house.

The stave mill does not run very steady; they cannot get the bolts steamed.

John Britton has sold his interest in the Telegraph line from Britton to Ridgeway to G. P. Waring and the office has been moved to the store of H. C. Rauch.

J. Britton & Son have sold their store building to J. P. Beckler, of Petersburg, who is going to put in hardware, and they are selling off their goods at cost.

A sugar social will be held at the Christian church on Wednesday evening, April 8th, for the benefit of the Sunday School.

THE WESTERN TERMINUS OF THE M. & O.

A correspondent of the Toledo Bee gives the readers of that paper some facts in relation to Muskegon and the future prospects of the Michigan and Ohio Railroad. With through trains running between Toledo and Muskegon on their own track, the M. and O. will become one of the best trunk lines traversing this state.

I ran over to Muskegon a few days since, and in accordance with my promise, herewith present a few items, which I hope may prove of interest to the business men of Toledo, and your large circle of readers in general.

By a recent arrangement made between the managers of the Michigan & Ohio Railway, and the managers of the Chicago & West Michigan system of railways, whose chief offices and termini are in this city, a direct route has been opened between Toledo and Muskegon, by which that vast lumber mart will be brought into active and successful competition with that of the Saginaw region. In the accomplishment of this object the railroads I have named will play an important part, for which they are thoroughly equipped.

The Michigan & Ohio is essentially a Toledo road, which passes in an oblique line across the Michigan Peninsula, through some of the best agricultural counties of that State to Allegan, where it forms a junction with the Chicago & West Michigan system of railroads, and from thence to Muskegon and Grand Rapids. The distance from Toledo to Muskegon is 214 miles, 12 miles in excess of the distance from Toledo to Cincinnati. The running time between these cities is about the same in each case, while the low grade of the M & O., its superior rolling stock and its gravel ballasted road bed makes travel over it very agreeable.

It is difficult to estimate the benefits that may result from this important combination. The Chicago and West Michigan Co. are now operating over 400 miles of railway, some 250 miles of which will now become tributary to the business interests of Toledo, and of Central Ohio and by a short and direct route over the Michigan & Ohio, its low rates of freight will enable it to meet successfully all competitors. This to the consumer of lumber means a widely extended source of supply, sharp competition, and lower rates.

In trade, as in all other mundane affairs the principle of reciprocity goes a good way in augmenting the volume of traffic. The same circumstances of advantage by which the Muskegon lumber manufacturer sends his products to the Toledo market, will also enable the Toledo merchants and manufacturers to supply their products to the dwellers in Muskegon and West Michigan.

The harbor of Muskegon is admitted to be the best on Lake Michigan, and its entrance is at all times unobstructed from ice. The time is regarded as not distant when the port of Muskegon will become the medium by which a portion of the vast products of the Northwest will find their way to the Eastern seaboard by an almost air line route from Muskegon via Toledo and the City of Wheeling, to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York.

With a view to this it is reported in Muskegon that the Mich. & Ohio will extend their line to the mouth of that harbor so as to secure at the earliest period a share of the through freight which is now being sent from Milwaukee to Grand Haven. That will be the initial process in the movement. The increasing traffic from and to the Northwest will accomplish the rest, and if the signs of the times are correct we may soon find Toledo on the line of another trunk railroad over which both passengers and freight will pass from the Atlantic to the Pacific by a route or routes which are already established, and which will be found both shorter and better than those over which that traffic now passes.

A WORD ABOUT TAXATION.

EDITOR HERALD:—I noticed an error in your issue of March 19th on the remarks made by me at the residence of Mr. A. D. Hall on the evening of the 6th before the Farmers' Club on the question—Is it right to require persons to pay taxes on property they are indebted for? As the last part of my remarks was not fairly represented, it is but justice to myself that I should correct the error. The statement made by the reporter was, that I thought it would be unjust to exempt the farmer from paying taxes on land owned by him whether he was indebted for it or not. There is no wrong in relieving the burdens of one class if it does not increase the burdens of the other. It is to the latter that I impute the wrong. By exempting the first, you place the burden of such exemption on the latter. It would be quite superfluous to enter into any lengthened argument to show the utility or necessity of raising taxes for the use of the state and as my former opinion of right in taxing property on which we owe has been strengthened by a more mature consideration of the question, I am compelled to adhere to the former in treating of taxation. The object of the political economist is to enquire and point out the effects of taxation on individuals and property, and by analyzing the various methods in which taxes may be raised in a manner least objectionable to the masses. Suppose that the one half of the real estate and personal property in Michigan was encumbered and by virtue of its encumbrance it should be exempt from taxation, would not the other half have to bear the burdens of such exemption? But it was agreed by exempting the indebted property and placing the taxes of such exemption on the holders of such bonds would be a more equal and just distribution of the taxes. A theory of this kind, in my judgment, is inexpedient and inadmissable. The difficulty of getting the invisible property placed fairly and honestly on the tax roll is admitted to be one of grave uncertainties. No inquisition into the private affairs of individuals can ever discover the amount of money and credits held by large capitalists. Many of the bonds and mortgages are held by individuals residing in other states and are taxed where they are held, and it would be an act of injustice to impose a double portion of taxes on such bonds, provided it could be imposed. These are the wrongs alluded to by me on the evening of the 6th ult, at the Farmers' Club.

J. EVERHART.

Tecumseh Herald

GIVING IN MARRIAGE

AN INDIAN'S SLAVE.

Adventures of M. de Belle-Isle in an Indian Nation.

A Startling and Interesting Story That Occupies a Place in the History of Louisiana—A Brave Young Exiled

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ABOUT BOOKS.

The Literature of 1881 And Deductions Therefrom.

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FORCE OF HABIT.

How Farmers Dull Their Natural Aptitude for Business Pursuits.

Farmers and their sons frequently dwarf their intellects and dull their natural aptitude for successful business pursuits by neglecting to be constantly learning something useful. It is the impression of many farmers that they have no time to read the standard useful books from the fact that after a hard day's work they are too weary to read a line that night. There may be some plausibility in such an excuse to one [illegible] and weary days [illegible]. But it is not true. It is a [illegible] of a farmer has not many hours [illegible] which not required for labor or sleep, which could and should be devoted to storing his mind and making it active and useful. The mind, like the muscles of the body, if not exercised, and strengthened by use and culture, will become inactive, dormant and feeble, so much so that the man has not the ability nor inclination to read or study, and therefore concludes there is no time to do so. The writer, in his long life, has witnessed bright boys growing up to manhood, neglecting to store and strengthen their minds until by long habit they had not desire or hardly capacity to exercise the brains Providence had endowed them with. Such living cases are now in our minds of aged farmers who started out in life with a reasonable amount of intellect and who might have been bright and useful men, or ornaments to societies and an honor to the families they have raised. But they commenced, as too many do yet, worked hard with limited educations, but who never appear to appreciate the value of useful lessons to be acquired by careful reading, at leisure time, the standard books on history, art and science. Habit soon deadened all such aspirations. They reared large families of a down grade of intellect and accumulated property, but when they really ought to have been in the prime of life they were premature old men and have a poor prospect of enjoying that evening of rest and contentment which beautifies and blesses the man who has lived right. Instead of enjoyment in life's evening of physical rest, by the aid of an active mind, still eager in the desire to acquire more mental diet of a character to prepare them not only for life's afternoon, but for eternity, they are barely waiting to die.

The writer last fall visited the scenes of his early life, to meet the few of his boyhood associates who are yet pursuing life's journey. He found only rust and mildew when he should have met ripe old men with little impairment by old age. They had exemplified in their lives the truth of the inexorable physical law, as well as the law of God, that he who buries his talent, "that which he hath shall be taken from him." The habit of dwarfing their minds by not using them, until they have no desire for literary or mental culture, had rendered them pitiable objects of contemplation. In their eyes there was no more sparkle of life or intelligence than in the lowest order of dumb brutes. Their enjoyments appeared to be of no higher order than that of the oyster in its native bed. From their youth up they had buried their talents, and that which they had was dormant, silent and stupid. So we say to the farmer boys, improve your talent, or you shall not have it to enjoy.—*Iowa State Register.*

HOTEL THIEVES.

The Way They Conduct Their Operations With Success.

"I see by the dispatches that the hotel thieves are making business for the detectives in Chicago and the West generally," said Chief of Detectives Kelly last night. "Aside from the expert bank burglar and house-breaker, the only criminals who can command any respect from the detective is the expert hotel thief," added the Chief, reflectively. "Why? Because he must be intelligent, adroit and possessed of a perfect nerve. In point of intelligence I would even rank the hotel thief above the bank burglar or sneak, who are accorded the front rank in the criminal profession. Prerequisite to the hotel thief are education and a good address, which is usually obtained by travel. He is generally dignified; well but quietly dressed, and with the general appearance of a man of business. The crack hotel thieves ordinarily travel in pairs, although they are, to all appearances, unknown to each other.

"The first night after registering at a hotel they sleep late, and when roused by the chambermaid request her to call them at noon. When the maid has completed her labors in the corridor in which their rooms are located their business begins. The vacant rooms are located, and while one thief stands on watch his confederate effects an entrance to an unoccupied room by means of a skeleton key and closes the door behind him. He then rapidly bores a hole immediately over the bolt and fills up each end with white putty. If the lock is a double one, as is the case in many first-class hotels, a small hole is drilled through it so that nippers can be used on the inside lock in turning the key after the victim has retired. A half dozen rooms can be 'fixed' in this way within an hour. This completes the work for the morning. The afternoon is utilized in making themselves 'solid' with the regular guests over the bar and in watching the register for guests assigned to the 'fixed' rooms.

"When every one has gone to bed one thief resumes his watch and 'pipes off' the watchman while his confederate works the rooms. This is done in short order and the thieves are away by daylight. The tools used by the hotel thieves are of the finest tempered steel and consist of a 'bar-key,' used for opening big locks; a set of six bits, arranged for either stem or tumbler locks; a small drill, a file, a sectional stem or 'widdy,' several pieces of wire and a pair of nippers. Some putty or pigment is also included in the kit, which is easily carried about the person. I am glad to say that we have not had a professional hotel thief in Philadelphia during the past year."—*Philadelphia Ner.*

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—If the store-room is dry, and the sugar dries and becomes lumpy, substitute a jar for the wooden box, and note the result. If ants find their way inside, tie a cloth around the cover—not the jar—and the contents are safe.

—Ants can be driven away by applications of gas tar, but it is doubtful whether it is profitable to get rid of them in the neighborhood of apple trees, as ants prey upon plant-lice, which do much damage to foliage at a time when it is needed for starting the young fruit.—*Chicago Journal.*

—White Pound Cake: Two coffee cups of white sugar, three-fourths of a coffee cup of butter, one coffee cup of milk, three coffee cups of flour, whites of nine eggs, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, grated rind of one lemon, stir the butter and sugar to a cream, add the milk and flour, and last the whites of eggs whipped to a stiff froth.—*The Household.*

The docility and thorough understanding of their duties shown by horses belonging to city fire departments suggests to the *National Live Stock Journal* that the coercive system too commonly practiced on farms by hired help, if not by the owner, is not the one to secure the best results. Education is better than the whip in securing intelligent and thorough service from farm as well as fire horses.

—The more crowns a strawberry plant has, the more berries one can expect. Pull off all the leaves after fruiting except two or three, and it causes more crowns to grow, besides bright, fresh and very green leaves. But before one goes into strawberry culture he should take account of the manure he can get, and also find out whether he can get pickers enough when the season opens. It is of little use to think of raising strawberries for market without manure and pickers in abundance.—*Cleveland Leader.*

CLEAN FEEDING.

The Outbreaks in Kentucky and West Virginia Emphasize Its Necessity.

In many quarters reports of fatal disease in cattle are circulating, most of which indicate symptoms which are caused by unwholesome food. A great lesson which stockmen and farmers have to learn is that clean feeding—and this includes watering—is as necessary to the health of their animals as it is to their own. A very pertinent example and a warning are given in the recent outbreaks of disease among the population of parts of Eastern Kentucky and West Virginia, where the water is not only in poor supply, but where sanitary conditions as regards drainage and the disposal of indispensable filthy matter, are very much neglected. Similar, but not such extreme cases are occurring in rural villages where diseases are wholly unexpected and occasion much surprise. And yet the causes are apparent to any person who realizes how easily the soil is polluted and the springs and streams are made impure. Farmers know very well how prevalent the various fungoid parasites of plants are; how the grasses and fodder crops are infested with smut, rust, ergot and mildew, and how frequently the dried fodder and grain become moldy and musty and partly decayed from exposure. But they do not realize the fact that in every impurity of whatever kind, whether from animal excretions or from parasitic diseases of plants, there lurks a source and occasion of fatal disorder to their cattle. As soon as the dry feeding begins, and cattle and swine are turned out into the stubbles and stalk fields, or into the frozen, water-soaked meadows, or are confined in pens or yards, then diseases break out, and all are of the malignant febrile type, which indicate blood poisoning by parasitic germs conveyed into the vital fluid by the food or the water.

To seek advice from the veterinary surgeons or relief from medicines is beginning at the wrong end. The evil must be remedied at its source. No pure stream can flow from a polluted source, and the whole course and method of feeding stock must be reformed before the trouble can be averted. The losses every year are enormous. The indirect damage is as great as the direct money losses by the death of valuable animals. The credit of our trade is impaired, and the loss of a million head by disease, which is in fact a very moderate estimate of the sum total, injuriously affects the value of the seventy or eighty millions of cattle and swine which escape. The present season seems to forbode a greater loss than the past one, for the area over which disease prevails spreads over nearly all the States and Territories from the Atlantic to the Pacific. It is wise that stockmen should be alarmed and watchful, but from anything which occurred at the recent general convention of cattlemen it does not seem that those most interested look deeply enough into the matter to realize the actual source of the trouble or the right point at which to attack it.—*N. Y. Times.*

William Whiteside, of Lancaster, Pa., writes: "For over six years, I was afflicted with diarrhœa. Mishler's Herb Bitters cured me and improved my general health. There is no remedy in the world that can show a similar record of cases, covering so large a range of diseases, as this great household specific. Kidney and liver complaints, indigestion, foul stomach, dizziness, nausea, sick headache, etc., all yield to the magic of its treatment.

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Candles of wax furnished by insects specially reared for the purpose provide the most brilliant light known in China.

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A hotel in Boston built of stone and brick 96 and 69 feet frontage with basement and seven stories above the sidewalk, was moved nearly 100 feet in order to make a change in the street. One side was supported by eight granite columns twelve feet high, the whole building weighing 5,000 tons beside the furniture. The occupants of the stores and the hotel were not disturbed in the removal.

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C. A. Wright & Co. would specially recommend to the ladies Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. As a laxative they have no equal. They are guaranteed to cure Chronic Constipation, Dyspepsia, and all diseases arising from a deranged stomach. With a free use of the Tablets, Sick Headache is impossible.

Good Advice for Everybody.

1. Never, under any circumstances assume a responsibility that you can avoid consistently with your duty to yourself and others.

2. Base all your actions upon a principle of right; preserve your integrity of character, and in doing this never reckon on the cost.

3. Remember that self-interest is much more likely to warp your judgment than all other circumstances combined; therefore look well to your duty when your interest is concerned.

4. Never make money at the expense of your reputation.

5. Be neither lavish or niggardly. Of the two, avoid the latter. A mean man is universally despised, but public favor is a stepping stone to preferment; therefore generous feelings should be cultivated.

6. Say but little; think much and do more.

7. Let your expenses be such as to leave a balance in your pocket. Ready money is a friend in need.

8. Avoid borrowing and lending.

9. Wine drinking and cigar smoking are bad habits; they impair the health and pocket, and lead to a waste of time.

10. Never relate your misfortunes, and never grieve over what you cannot prevent.

11. Cultivate promptness in deciding upon matters that come before you; there are few objects more disagreeable than an undecided, vacillating man. Consider thoughtfully, but decide promptly.

12. Never break a business engagement of any kind, if it be possible to meet it. Let nothing cause you to become careless of business etiquette, integrity and promptitude.

13. Let truth and an unwavering faith in God underlie all your motives and actions.

Salvation Oil, the celebrated American remedy for cuts, bruises, sprains, burns, scalds, chilblains, &c., can be had of all druggists. It kills pain. Price only twenty-five cents a bottle.

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Excruciating pains.
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"Relief!"
Was by throwing up all my stomach contained. No one can conceive the pains that I had to go through, until
"At last"
I was taken! "So that for three weeks I lay in bed and
Could eat nothing!
My sufferings were so that I called two doctors to give me something that would stop the pain; their
Efforts were no good to me.
At last I heard a good deal
"About your Hop Bitters!
And determined to try them."
Got a bottle in four hours I took the contents of
One!
Next day I was out of bed, and have not seen a
"Sick!"
Hour, from the same cause since.
I have recommended it to hundreds of others. You have no such.
"Advocate as I am."—Geo. Kendall, Allston, Boston, Mass.

Columbus Advocate, Texas, April 21, 1883. Dear Editor:—I have tried your Hop Bitters and find they are good for any complaint. The best medicine I ever used in my family.—H. TALENER.

March April May

When the weather grows warmer, that extreme tired feeling, want of appetite, dullness, languor, and lassitude, afflict almost the entire human family, and scrofula and other diseases caused by humors, manifest themselves with many. It is impossible to throw off this debility and expel humors from the blood without the aid of a reliable medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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"For seven years, spring and fall, I had scrofulous sores come out on my legs, and for two years was not free from them at all. I suffered very much. Last May I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and before I had taken two bottles, the sores healed and the humor left me." C. A. ARNOLD, Arnold, Me.

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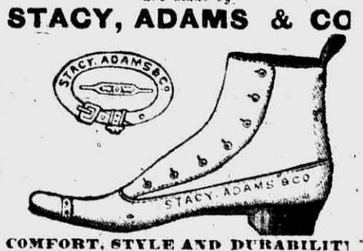

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UP AND DOWN THE PACIFIC COAST

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Chas. R. Wortman, one of the candidates on the fusion ticket for regents, is a resident of Ypsilanti. He is a young man of excellent ability, a graduate of both the literary and law departments of the University and well fitted in every respect to fill the position with honor to the state and credit to himself. His nomination is a peculiarly happy one. He has much personal strength outside of his party where he is known, and the fusionists should see to it that his interests are fully protected elsewhere. With proper effort both the candidates for regents on the fusion ticket can be elected.

The country was shocked on Tuesday by news that Gen. Grant was in a dying condition. Yesterday the news was somewhat reassuring. He was reported much better, having passed a good night. It is feared however that he is stricken with his last illness, and that his demise is rapidly and surely approaching.

LATER.—The latest news in the papers of this morning shows that Gen. Grant is rapidly failing. In addition to the cancer in his throat his heart has become affected, and he is very weak. He may live three or four days but he is liable to drop away at any moment.

The Scientific American, which is a recognized authority on all subjects relating to patents, says of the new Commissioner of Patents:

The President has appointed as commissioner of patents Martin V. Montgomery of Michigan, a well-known lawyer, a man of marked ability, vigor and industry. He has always been noted for his success in accomplishing whatever he undertakes, but his undertakings of responsibilities have been rare; in fact, he is celebrated for his declinations of many proffered places of honor and profit, which ordinary people would have been only too glad to accept. Judging from his antecedents, the new commissioner is not likely to allow the patent office to remain very long in its present unsatisfactory condition. All persons connected with the establishment will be expected to wake up to renewed exertions, and use every endeavor to put an end to the harrassing delays of business which have for so long a time obstructed the usefulness of the bureau.

JOSEPH SAMUEL MILLER

[illegible] Miller also was [illegible] Internal Revenue [illegible] West Virginia, having [illegible] that [illegible] His answer [illegible] he was [illegible] Mr. Miller [illegible] Mr. Miller [illegible] Mr. Miller [illegible] In 1872 he had been chosen to the clerkship of the Senate and managed in his place [illegible] Mr. Miller was married in 1871 to Florence I. Tice, daughter of H. K. Tice, a leading merchant and manufacturer of Hagerstown, Maryland. In 1884 Mr. Miller was a candidate for governor but withdrew his name before the meeting of the convention and used his influence to nominate Mr. Wilson who was chosen governor over Mr. Marye. In the campaign of 1884, which was the most spirited West Virginia ever had, Mr. Miller was most active for his party and did noble service in its behalf.

WILLIAM H. WALDBY.

The pansies were in full blossom. Mr. [illegible] of Cooperstown, Otsego county, N. Y., when a boy, subscribed, pretty named Wm. H. Waldby, joined the procession that is ever hurrying from the cradle to the grave. In 1836 his parents moved to Utica. Later Mr. W. was attended Utica academy, and at 12 years removed with his father's family to Rome, N. Y., where his father, a printer in younger days, founded the Rome Sentinel, now widely known. Wm. H. "devilled" for the office, mastered the "art perservative" and kept the office books. At 17 was clerk in a store—removed to Adrian in 40 and became clerk in Bidwell's store—after three years became partner with Bidwell and opened clothing store—firm name Bidwell & Waldby—sold some excellent "fits"—given management of the business—managed successfully—in 50 was partner with Bidwell in the banking business and manager of the concern—in 51 purchased Bidwell's interest and became sole proprietor—in 57 erected and occupied banking house—formed partnership with his brother, E. I. Waldby. In 72 sold building and business to first national bank of Adrian—not banking now—able not to. In '73 elected mayor on democratic ticket by 614 majority in a then republican city—was popular as mayor—appointed by Gov. Croswell in '73 member of commission to locate reform school for girls—result, Adrian secured that important institution—was member of board of control one year—resigned after seeing the school securely planted at Adrian—urged to run for Congress in '80 on democratic ticket—reluctantly consented—bad year for democrats—Willits took the persimmons—has built many of Adrian's handsomest residences—lives in elegant mansion himself—methodical in all public and private business—in excellent bodily and mental health, and bids fair to live long and enjoy the fortune his own energy and enterprise have built up.—Detroit Evening News.

An interesting and timely article on the "Framers of the Constitution," with twenty or more portraits, is the opening gem of the beautiful Magazine of American History for April. It is the first instance in the historic literature of America, of the successful grouping of the whole fifty five of these remarkable men, in one vivid perpicture. The editor has performed a service that will be gratefully appreciated by hosts of students and writers, and by readers of all grades and ages the country through. The exact data given will prove a great help to teachers, and it should be made as familiar to every American child as the multiplication table. The other articles of the number are of exceptional merit, including as usual a wide range of topics. Original documents contain a "Curious Petition of the Boston Ministers in 1709." Notes, queries, replies, societies, and book notices are crowded with agreeable material. The Magazine of American History is the only one of the great leading magazines that from time to time delights its audience with an exquisite frontispiece in steel, as in this current number. Price, $5 a year in advance. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York City.

The minister of a fashionable church in Harrisburg, who was being continually interrupted by the violent coughing of one of his flock, stopped suddenly in the midst of his sermon and requested the congregation to take up a collection for the purpose of supplying the noisy brother with a bottle of Red Star Cough Cure. This newly discovered anti-narcotic remedy is becoming extremely popular on account of its wonderful efficacy. Postmaster Adreon, of Baltimore, endorses it highly, and the Commissioner of Health of the same city certifies officially that it is a most valuable and effective discovery.

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THE BOHEMIAN OAT QUESTION

EDITOR HERALD: In your paper of last week I read an article headed "The Other Side," which is printed at the request of a Macon farmer in which a letter in the Orange Visitor has a [illegible] say about Bohemian oats. Now Mr. Editor I am an old fashioned farmer and I don't [illegible] anything [illegible] to see the strange [illegible] in the Herald going and [illegible] [illegible] H. says that [illegible] Perhaps [illegible] The [illegible] H. says [illegible] anybody [illegible] that a horse for which a man pays $[illegible] will [illegible] more than one that can be bought for $[illegible] or that a cow that a farmer pays $[illegible] for will give any more milk or make any more butter than one that can be bought for $[illegible]. Perhaps not. But when a man pays $[illegible] for a thoroughbred horse or $[illegible] for a high bred cow he does so with his eyes open and takes his chances. He is not inveigled into the purchase by a company of which he knows nothing under a pledge that they will buy of him ten times as many horses or cows within a year at the same extravagant figure. He is not led into giving his negotiable note for the oats he buys which must be paid when due for it always turns up in the hands of third parties, but if the company refuse or neglect to buy his oats the next year at ten dollars per bushel, he has no redress except at the end of a law suit, and probably not then. The fact that these oats can be bought at a mill in Cleveland for one dollar a bushel shows that this is about their fair market value, and any man who pays ten dollars a bushel for them is reasonable sure of getting swindled. A man who pays $1000 for a high bred cow, pays what that cow will bring in the open market, and stands a reasonable show of getting his money back within a few years or at least a reasonable interest on his investment. This whole Bohemian oat business is a fraud, like grain options and stock jobbing. A few favored ones, who are in the ring, expect to make something and probably will, but nine tenths of the men who invest will be treated as "lambs" and will go home handsomely shorn. And that is the way this Bohemian oats business looks to

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It has been said, and with much truth that the best novels of this decade have been written by women, and young women at that. However this may be, we can say that two of the best novels now appearing in serial form are by women and in Cassell's Family Magazine. "A Diamond in the rough," by Alice O'Hanlon, and "Sweet Christabel," by Arabella M. Hopkinson. Two more charming stories of English life it would be hard to imagine. Besides these serials this magazine publishes by way of fiction this month a story in three short chapters, "How She Saved Him," "Frank De Vaud," a story of Swiss life and "An Old Maid's Friends". Articles of a more practical nature tell us "How American Bread is Made," of "The Road to the Giant's Causeway," of the special features of "Shareholders' Meetings," of "Wild Birds in London," of "Work in the Garden," and last, but very far from least, "What to Wear." We certainly think that the Fashion Department of this magazine is the best of any we know. Illustrations abound in this number. Cassell & Co., Limited, New York, $1.50 a year.

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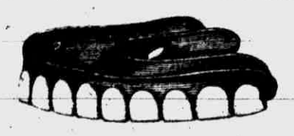

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

CAUCUS.—The Republicans of Tecumseh will meet in caucus at the Council Building on Saturday, April 11th, at 2 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of nominating officers to be supported at the coming town meeting.

BY ORDER OF COM.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.—The Democratic electors of Tecumseh are invited to meet in caucus at the Council Building on Saturday afternoon, April 4th, at three o'clock to nominate a township ticket.

BY ORDER OF COM.

HORSES FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale a span of black mares, 7 years old, well matched, kind, gentle true, can be driven single or double, weighs about 2100 lbs. For terms apply to MARY A. BARRETT,

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TECUMSEH, April 1, 1885.

NOTICE.—Having sold our new store building, and being about to close out our business, we invite all persons indebted to us to call and settle the same within the next 30 days.

JOHN BRITTON & SON.

BRITTON, Apr. 1, 1885.

PATTERNS FOR SALE.—A complete set of patterns for oil stamping with full instructions for use. For particulars enquire of

MRS. H. E. STOUT.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. is this day dissolved by mutual consent of all parties concerned.

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E. N. SATTERTHWAITE.

The business will be conducted as heretofore under the firm name of Satterthwaite Bros & Boyd.

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TECUMSEH, Mar. 23, 1885.

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FRED. B. WOOD.

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Jacob G. Roberts has been drawn as a juryman for service during the present term of the U. S. district court at Detroit.

A CARD OF THANKS.

We return our sincere thanks to those friends who so kindly extended their aid and sympathy during the late and severe illness of Jerome Cleveland, and express the hope that their friends may each meet with like Christian treatment in all times of trouble.

MR. & MRS. CLEVELAND.

RINK RACKET.

There was a young man down in Goshen,
Who had a peculiar notion:
He thought it would make
Him bow-legged to skate
So he left the good city of Goshen.

Manager Sutton will give a grand roller masquerade at the opera house on Friday evening, April 10. Knapp's band will furnish the music. Prizes will be awarded to the best characters represented.

A good grand march at the Opera House rink last Friday evening.

The Tecumseh rink will be open afternoon and evening next Monday—election day.

Miss Eva Case of Manchester, was at the Tecumseh rink last Saturday evening.

A large crowd was present last Saturday evening to see the race at the Tecumseh rink between Mont Rowland and Al. Heesen. It was won by the latter, by one-half a lap, in five minutes. Heesen took the lead in the start, and kept it to the finish. Young Mont hugged him close until the fifteenth lap, when he lost his balance and stumbled to the floor, but he was up again and continued the race to the finish, although he lost half a lap by the accident. On account of there being so much chalk on the floor it was difficult for Mont to turn the corners and he consequently lost time. The race will be repeated at an early day.

In the polo game last Tuesday evening, the juniors were beaten by the seniors three to one.

The polo craze has struck the fair sex and the young ladies are organizing two teams. The juniors are all ready to play, but the senior club is not yet filled out.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 2, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

180 laughs in 180 minutes.

Uncle Alvin Joslin is coming.

The Prohibition caucus was held last evening.

Spring moving is in the heighth of fashion now.

Fred Quine, of Toledo, was in town last Tuesday.

A post office will soon be established at Devil's Lake.

Mr. Milo Dole, of Adrian, was in town last Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wheelan, of Detroit, spent last Sunday in the village.

Go to the Lilley House next Saturday and have your Lungs examined.

There was a tremendous crowd in town last Saturday and our merchants were happy.

The Republican caucus of Tecumseh will be held next Saturday evening at seven o'clock.

Mrs. S. T. Dunn and Miss Fanny Bottom returned to Tecumseh on Tuesday last.

The Baptist revival meetings continue with success. This week two meetings have been held.

Congressman Eldredge was 72 years old last Saturday and he is good for many years work yet.

Jessie B. Collar, now smiles on customers from behind the counter of Jas. Lowry's grocery store.

The Board of Supervisors completed the business of the March session and adjourned last Saturday.

The interior of Anderson's Dry Goods store is undergoing renovation with a coat of fresh paint.

O. E Hawkins, of the Milan Journal, was in town last Friday, and made the HERALD a short visit.

Capt. C. R. Miller is writing some interesting letters to the Adrian Times from New Orleans.

Levi Martin has moved on to Mr. Harding's farm north of the village, and will till the soil the coming season.

C. H. Hopkins and Mrs. W. R. Wooden are down from Battle Creek spending a few days with their Tecumseh friends.

Mr. Geo. S. Tiffany started for New Orleans last Friday where he expects to stay several weeks on business connected with his new tile machine.

A. W. Slayton was in Detroit Tuesday and Wednesday looking after his hay and lumber trade. Gus says dull times have not struck his trade yet.

Elmer Carrier, business agent of the Detroit Evening News, was in town last Saturday and paid his respects to the HERALD. He says the News is booming.

Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd do not believe in hiding their light under a bushel. They have a new two column ad. on the eighth page, which it will pay every reader of the HERALD to peruse.

Chas. Wiesinger and F. L. Nixon of Adrian, and Dwight Wilkinson of Jackson, spent last Sunday in Tecumseh. They were wined and din—beered and cheered at the Owl club rooms Saturday evening.

D. T. Hall, who is the chairman of the Health Committee of the New Council proposes to have the By-Laws and ordinances in relation to the public health strictly enforced, and to that end he is posting himself thoroughly upon his duties.

Adrian Times: A Lenawee county man who is eighty years old, and who has chewed tobacco and smoked since he was sixteen, has given up the habit. He has learned that the weed produces cancer on the tongue, and he has resolved not to shorten his life.

A report has been circulated about town that two bodies lately interred have been removed from the Tecumseh cemetery. Mr. Bresie, the sexton, informs us that there is no foundation for the rumor whatever, and it must have been started by some one for sinister motives.

Another Tecumseh boy has launched out in business for himself. Mr. Will Bennett, has opened a barber shop at Britton, and is prepared to do all tonsorial work with neatness and dispatch. Brittonites can now have their winter's crop of hair cut in the latest approved style.

Surgeons of the International Throat & Lung Infirmary, Detroit, Mich., will make their next regular monthly visit at the Lilley House, Tecumseh next Saturday Sunday and Monday, April 4th, 5th and 6th. If you are in doubt about the condition of your lungs go and get a positive and scientific examination FREE. Call early as possible.

D. L. Goodrich of Clinton, has entered the employ of the Dayton Hedge Company for one year. His headquarters will be at Coldwater, Mich., and he will leave next week for his new field of labor. Mr. Goodrich has been very successful in placing contracts for new hedges in this vicinity, and the company have acted wisely in giving him a larger field to work in. He will be the right man in the right place.

Now is the time to plant spring advertising.

How many times did you get fooled yesterday?

Lent is nearly over. Next Sunday is Easter day.

The Lenawee County horticultural society met yesterday at Adrian.

Ben Garlinghouse took a trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls last week.

The state sheep shearing festival will be held at Jackson on April 8th and 9th.

Harry Dunn and Andrew Wilson returned last night from their trip to Florida.

Mrs. Col. Church has been making a brief visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. P. Bills.

Company C will be inspected tomorrow evening by Lieut. Col. Kidd, of the 2d. Reg't.

Col. H. A. Colvin, a prominent business man of Adrian, died last Tuesday. The funeral services will be held to-morrow.

Gov. Alger has appointed Saturday, April 11th as Arbor Day. It is hoped that the frost may be out of the ground by that time.

The Goodyear House, the best hotel in Manchester was burned last Thursday. The loss was heavy but partially covered by insurance.

Young peoples' lyceum at the Lecture Room of the M. E. Church next Friday at 7:30 P.M. Woman's rights is to be debated. Admission free.

The open Grange meeting and sugar social advertised for April 7th, will be postponed on account of bad roads. Due notice will be given in time together with program.

Easter services at the M. E. church next Sunday at 10:30 A.M., and a concert at 7:30 P.M. The church will be decorated with flowers from Mrs. Robert Crosby's fine collection of plants.

Macon Grange No. 167 will meet in regular session, Friday, April 10, at 7:30 o'clock P.M., at which time the creamery question will be discussed. A general attendance of the members is requested. M. J. MARTIN, W.M.

Adamson Bros. are receiving new goods daily, and they are also painting over the interior of their store. When they get through housecleaning and get their goods all placed on the shelves they will have a store well worth visiting.

THE FIFTH ENTERTAINMENT.

The Library Association committee seem to be peculiarly unfortunate in their entertainments. Not in the quality of the entertainments for they have all been exceptionally good but in the fact that they always strike a stormy night. The fifth entertainment, on Monday evening last consisted of readings and recitations by Mrs. Elizabeth Mansfield Irving and selections by the Alhambra Banjo and Guitar club of Toledo. The program was intensely interesting from first to last and deserved a better house. The Alhambras execute a jovial rollicking class of music, consisting of waltzes, quicksteps etc., which take most favorably not only with musicians but with a mixed audience. Their selections were all well received.

Mrs. Irving is a dramatic reader of considerable reputation. This was her first appearance before a Tecumseh audience and they were entirely captivated. She possesses a full, resonant, musical voice, easy gestures, excellent facial expression and superior dramatic ability. It is no flattery to say that Tecumseh people have never listened to a better dramatic reader. We hope she may be persuaded to visit us again.

After the evening's entertainment Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mills gave Mrs. Irving and the Club an informal reception at their home on Union street, in which a goodly number of our music-loving citizens participated, who gladly availed themselves of this opportunity to form a personal acquaintance with Mrs. Irving and the Alhambras. The reception was entirely informal, but it was none the less enjoyed on that account. After a lunch of sandwiches, coffee and cake, an hour was pleasantly passed in social converse, interspersed with orchestra music by the Alhambras, and piano selections by home talent. The midnight hour was struck before the guests had all departed for their homes.

The Toledo Commercial of yesterday morning has the following item:

The Alhambra Club returned to the city yesterday from Tecumseh, Mich., where they and Mrs. Elizabeth Mansfield Irving gave a grand musical and literary entertainment the night before. The program was very select, and consisted of fourteen numbers, which were admirably carried out. The opera house was crowded with the elite of the city, who were not at all backward in showing their appreciation. At the conclusion of the program, the club repaired to the residence of Mr. Mills, where they were tendered an elegant reception, which lasted until a late hour. The boys are loud in their praises of the courteous manner in which they were received and the hearty hospitality shown them by the Tecumseh people.

The township board of registration will meet next Saturday.

Mrs. Maria L. Spafford, who has been sick several weeks, is now improving.

If you are deaf go to the Lilley House next Saturday and find out the cause.

The Tecumseh Democratic caucus will be held next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock.

The Knights of Maccabees have leased the old Odd Fellow's hall, over Bills' bank for a term of years.

Mr. Marvin Fuller, formerly telegraph operator at the M. & O. depot was in town last Friday. Mr. Fuller is now located at Richland, on that road.

The new township of Clayton was voted down by the Board of Supervisors. Residents of Clayton will have the privilege of voting either in Dover, or Hudson as heretofore.

Earnest Shepard of Burr Oak, a member of last years graduating class of the Tecumseh High School is in town on a brief visit. He is on his way to Rochester, N. Y.

Frank Davidson passed the 23d anniversary of his married life last Thursday. His family cares rest lightly on him. Frank does'nt look to be over thirty-five years old.

The show paper displayed by the Alvin Joslin troupe is the finest that has been seen in Tecumseh this season. Uncle Alvin beats them all on advertising and he always draws a crowd.

If you have Catarrh, Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, Deafness, Loss of Voice, call on the Surgeons of the International Throat and Lung Infirmary at the Lilley House next Saturday, Sunday or Monday.

Henry Mensing, of this village, has taken the contract for building Allen's new hotel at the north end of Devil's lake, and will begin work at once. The contract price is $6000 and the hotel is to be ready for occupancy by the 1st day of June next. This will require lively work, but Mr. Mensing can do it.

The following ticket was placed in nomination last evening by the Prohibitionists.

For Supervisor—J. S. Kinney.
Town Clerk—B. F. Steinhoff.
Treasurer—J. D. Sholes.
Justice of Peace—Jas. H. Heck.
School Inspector—C. E. Conley.
Highway Com.—Geo. Griswold.
Drain Commissioner—Rufus Adams.
Constables—John M. Hibbard, Wm. Kyle, Jas. C. McKinney, David Brengan.

Blissfield Advance: Stimpson G. Harvey, of Palmyra, who was detected opening letters at the Cleveland depot post office some six week ago, was taken before the U. S. court on last Friday. He was indicted for taking $18 from a letter and for opening seven sealed envelopes that came into his hands. He pleaded guilty to taking the money, and Judge Welker fined him $500 and costs, which was immediately paid.

THE HERALD WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

A little less snow.

A little more spring.

Some of that wood that was promised on subscription.

A few more auctions during the month of April.

A revival of business all along the line this spring.

A good pavement on Chicago street between Pearl and Ottawa.

Three or four large reservoirs for storage of an ample water supply.

A good base ball club organized here this season.

THE PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

The public examinations in the several departments of the schools took place on Thursday and Friday of last week; in the Central building on Thursday and in the branch buildings on Friday. Numerous visitors were in attendance in all the rooms. The examinations passed off to the satisfaction of both teachers and spectators, and presumably so to the pupils, as the latter were almost universally successful in "passing." The regular schedule of daily recitations was observed except on Friday afternoon, when Longfellow Memorial exercises were held in the several branch buildings.

Prof. Hammond and the teachers are to be congratulated on the prosperous condition of the schools at present. The departments are all running smoothly and harmoniously, the pupils are making rapid progress and the patrons are satisfied.

The special appropriation made at the last annual school meeting for new apparatus has been partly expended to good use. Reading Charts have been provided for the primary departments, and a lot of models made to illustrate the action of mechanical powers in the natural philosophy classes. A large supply of chemicals has also been purchased for the high school. Immediate steps will be taken to replenish the library by the addition of about thirty new volumes and Prof. Hammond is now engaged in preparing a list of the books desired. The regular spring vacation of one week occurs this week.

The spring term will open on Monday next under the most flattering auspices for a successful term's work.

THE GUMBOS VISIT THE RINK.

Jerusha had folded up the tablecloth and hung the dish rag over the stove pipe to dry after supper last evening, had dressed Sally's scalp would and given Sammy his bowl of bread and milk, and was lotting on having a quiet evening, when Joshua rushed in, threw a "dollar of the daddy's" on the table and exclaimed—

"Now then, Jerusha, my mind's made up. I'm bound to have a little recreation. I've bin shavin' on't 'n shavin' on't fer the last six months. This house has bin converted into a horsepittle for more'n four weeks. I've had extra grocery bills to meet and an extra hired gal to pay to help nuss the young uns, and I'm gittin worked out. I haint bin to no hoss races nor base ball games since last summer. I'm going to the rink. What d'ye say, Jerusha? Let's visit the rink. I went in t'other night to spectator on't, and was just more'n facinated. Why, hang it, Jerusha, it beats all, the way the fellers and their gals roll round on them rollers. Some folks thinks its hard to learn, but t'aint. Its just as easy as rollin' off a log. And, my stars, Jerusha, everybody goes. Why, hang it, we're gitten behind the times. Old men and wimen, the boys and the gals, the dudes and the dudesses are all rollin' round promiscussly like balls on a billiard table. And then the grand march. Why, hang it, I never seen nothin' like it since Barnum's carrywan wisited this town with Tom Thumb. It beats an Uncle Tom's Cabin show all holler.

Now pause for a minute
And just stop to think,
You'll never be happy
'Till you wisit the rink.
Its better'n new bunnits
Or wittles and drink
To go rollin' around
On the floor of the rink.
You needn't be bashful,
For I've got the chink
To buy tickets and skates
For a night at the rink.
Come, put on your fixins
As quick as a wink
And down we will go
Fer a roll in the rink.
Just put by yer quiltin'
And yer paper and ink,
And go and be one of
The crowd at the rink.
Why, hang it, Jerusha,
You'll be prettier 'n a pink
When rollin' around
With the gals in the rink.
Stand up to the racket
And don't try and slink,
You'll never regret
What you give to the rink.
The hum of the rollers,
Their rattle necklink,
Is the music you'll hear
On the floor of the rink.
Shut off yer excuses,
Don't bluster and blink;
But slap on yer bunnit,
And go to the rink.
From duty, no Gumbo
Was ever known to shrink,
And duty now tells us
To wisit the rink.
Jest crook yer left elbow
And handsomely link
Your arm into Gumbo's,
And we'll anty down Pocahontas alley, and thence up Railroad street and take a bee line to the rink.

Well, to make a long story short, Jerusha was overpersuaded and Mr. and Mrs. Gumbo went to the rink. They stopped at the hardware and procured two pair of steel-roller double-spring, self-clamping, air-brake, automatic skates, a new invention lately patented by a certain military genius of Clinton, which were warranted to run ten miles without oiling. Upon arriving at the scene of action they found the floor well filled and the spectators benches comfortably lined with lookers on. Their skates were properly secured in position, Joshua and Jerusha locked arms, the manager said "One, two, three, go." and away they went. The gentlemen spectators held their hats on and the ladies indulged in their smelling bottles and breathless anxiety while the new candidates made their debut. For the first fifteen or twenty feet they sailed along majestically. The grand march was cutting a double pigeon-wing at the time. In their attempt to avoid a collision Joshua flew the track.

Gumbo's right foot went to larboard, Mrs. Gumbo's left foot went to starboard; Gumbo's left foot struck out on a tangent, and Mrs. Gumbo's right foot made an effort to square the circle. The leading couple of the grand march struck Joshua amidship and they all collapsed together. The rest of the grand marchers struck the obstruction as they came on and added new timber to the pile. In less than three minutes a pyramid of humanity was built up on the floor about thirty feet in diameter and twenty feet high. It was a better show, by all odds than a five mile race or a polo game. The "oldest inhabitant" was an interested spectator, and frankly avowed that he never saw the like before. The band was struck dumb, and the manager was stricken speechless. A wail of feminine agony rose to the rafters, percolated through the shingles, and echoed ten blocks away. Somebody sounded the fire alarm and an unconverted urchin ran for the police.

In just six minutes the steamer was on the ground, the hose was unwound, and a two inch stream of water soon quieted the tumult. In the mean time the crowd which gathered set at work to care for the wounded. Strange to say no one was seriously hurt. People never get hurt at the rink. There were some bloody noses and several black eyes, but no broken bones. Gumbo, who formed the foundation stone of the pyramid, was squeezed out three feet longer and as flat as a buckwheat pancake. Jerusha, who stood upright as the crowd was packed around her like sardines in a box, was flattened t'other way. When finally released she was only three feet six inches tall and six feet three inches in circumference. Joshua was carried home on a shutter, and Jerusha was transported on Tommy Mark's best drayy. The grand march did'nt reform that evening. But the manager is happy to announce that business will be resumed as usual at the old stand to-morrow night.

ALVIN JOSLIN IS COMING.

The Alvin Joslin Comedy company will appear at the Opera House on Tuesday evening next, April 7th. Uncle Alvin has been in these parts before, and he is always greeted with an enthusiastic reception. He will have a crowded house of course. People who wish a choice of seats had better secure them early.

The Alvin Joslin Comedy company showed at the opera house last night to a large audience. Mr. Davis is a capital representative of the Yankee character, bringing to his task a genuine talent for impersonating old men parts. The orchestra was the best ever brought to Newberg by a traveling company, and the music itself was worth the price of admission.—Daily Register.

The People's Theater was crowded last night on the occasion of the opening performance of "Alvin Joslin" by Charles Davis and company. The play is as familiar to theatre goers as any on the stage, and Mr. Davis as "Uncle Alvin" is recognized as the inimitable exponent of that eccentric character that it is unnecessary to say more than that the audience was highly satisfied with the performance and was generous with applause. Mr. Davis' company is a very fair one and his orchestra is one of the best traveling musical organizations that has been heard here for some time, the soloists being encored time and again. The diamonds were dazzling in their brightness, and altogether the performance was a very pleasant one. Again to-night.—Cincinnati Times Star.

Auction Sale.

Richard Adams will sell at auction on his farm, one and one-half miles east of Britton station, Tuesday, April 7, at 12 o'clock. One good work horse, 1 breed-sow and pigs, shropshire down sheep, 2 buggies, one-horse buggy, steel plow, diamond iron plow, corn plow, drags, cultivator, mowing machine, scrapers, fanning-mill, wool-box and many other farming tools; a quantity of hay, corn, oats, potatoes, also, household furniture, consisting of stoves, bedsteads, beds, tables, chairs, carpets, clocks, etc. Terms 12 months credit with good notes at interest. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

Bradley Zibble, having rented his farm, will sell at Auction on the premises one mile north and one east of Ridgeway, in Macon, Tuesday, April 14, at 12 o'clock, M.: Three horses, span yearling colts, 2 cows, two 2 yr. old steers, 2 sows and pigs, Chester White boar, 20 sheep, 7 hogs, hay, plows, drags, cultivators, etc. Usual terms of sale. Abe Hanford, Auc.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The investigation of the Board of Inquiry into the conduct of the Pennsylvania Militia while at Washington City on the 4th of March, was concluded on the 26th and the Board adjourned to meet in Philadelphia April 4 to hear what the officers and men have to say in defense. The damage done by the soldiery in money value, as ascertained by the investigation, amounts to about ninety-seven dollars.

Secretary Endicott says that General Hatch has no express orders to drive the ranchmen out of Oklahoma and that no such orders will be given him unless the Secretary of War shall request it, but that it is the purpose of the administration to clear the Territory of all intruders, whether settlers or ranchmen.

Ex-Senator Pendleton and Governor McLane called at the State Department at Washington on the 27th and qualified as Ministers to Germany and France.

Nominations confirmed by the Senate on the 26th: Hon. Daniel McConville, Ohio, to be Auditor of the Treasury for the Postoffice Department; John P. Donworth, to be Collector of Customs, Aroostook, Me.; Francis B. Torrey, to be Collector of Customs, Bath, Me.

Commissioner of Pensions Black has rendered a decision to the effect that a mother can not be allowed a pension as a dependent mother and the accrued pension of her deceased husband for the same period of time. He says: "Upon a careful consideration of the laws relating to the subject, I am of the opinion that when the two claims become united in the same person, making only one beneficiary, that person can not be allowed either directly or indirectly the benefits of two pensions for the same period of time. Such an allowance would be contrary to the provisions of the statute, which declares that the pension laws shall not be construed as to allow more than one pension at the same time to the same person."

Advertisements for the usual spring lettings by the Indian office has been prepared by the Indian Commissioner. He has directed that $1,500,000 worth of beef be purchased and $750,000 worth of various supplies. The advertisements for the supplies he directs be inserted in Democratic papers instead of Republican papers, everything else being equal.

It was reported at Washington on the 30th ult. that General Fitzhugh Lee, nephew of the late Robert E. Lee, had sent in his resignation as commander of the military forces of Virginia, and it is understood that he has been offered a prominent Federal position.

THE EAST.

Charles H. Howard, a real estate speculator of Batavia, N. Y., who assigned a few days ago, has been placed in the Buffalo Insane Asylum, but as it has been found that he had victimized hundreds of poor men and women who placed their money with him to invest, it is suspected that he is playing insane to escape punishment. His operations have caused dire distress in that vicinity.

The Connellsville Coal Syndicate at a meeting in Pittsburgh on the 25th decided to advance the price of coke to $1.20 per ton on April 1. The present rate is $1.10. About two hundred furnaces and one thousand foundries will be affected by the increase. The trade is reported fair and improving.

At attache of Music Hall, Buffalo, was lighting the gas above the stage on the evening of the 25th, when a drop-fly took fire from a defective burner and in a few moments the entire building was in flames, causing its total destruction. The McCaull Opera Company were dressing preparatory to the production of "Falka," and had barely time to escape, losing their entire wardrobes. But few persons had arrived to witness the performance, and all escaped without injury. An hour later the St. Louis Roman Catholic Church, at the rear of Music Hall, took fire and burned to the ground. Joseph Green, who had ascended to the roof for the purpose of assisting the firemen, was cut off by the flames, and dropping to the ground was instantly killed.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad all the present officers were re-elected.

Mrs. E. D. Morgan, widow of ex-Governor Edwin D. Morgan, died at her home in New York City on the 26th. Mrs. Morgan was the daughter of Henry Waterman, a prominent merchant of Hartford Conn.

At a meeting of the representatives of the nail mills of Pennsylvania and New Jersey on the 26th the card price at $2.30 base was reaffirmed. That price will prevail in the Eastern and Middle States.

Among the freight recently shipped to Aspinwall from Portland, Me., were fifty houses. They are what are known as "Knockdowns." Every part, including the roof, is finished, the shingles painted and the houses all ready to be set up in an hour's time. They are intended for the men at work on the Panama Canal.

Business failures in the United States reported during the week ended the 27th number 212, against 247 in the preceding week and 162, 170 and 129 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882 respectively.

The whole front of the Windsor House, Randolph, Mass., was shattered by a dynamite explosion on the 27th. Several "scab" shoemakers boarded at the hotel, and the perpetrators of the outrage are believed to be strikers.

Thomas Crawford, recently elected for the fourth time City Treasurer of Oswego, N. Y., has absconded, and an investigation of his books shows a shortage of from $20,000 to $30,000. He is said to have been gambling in stocks.

The statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended March 28 show the following changes: Loans decrease, $390,000; specie increase, $126,500; deposits decrease, $850,000; circulation decrease, $77,000; reserve increase, $498,800. The banks held $18,421,350 in excess of legal requirements.

Captain W. W. O'Neil, of the coal firm of O'Neil & Co., Pittsburgh, has received a challenge from the St. Louis & Mississippi Valley Transportation Company, of St. Louis, for a race of 1,000 miles from New Orleans to Cairo, Ill., between the "W. W. O'Neil" and a picked boat of those owned by the challenging company. Captain O'Neil promptly accepted and names June as the month in which the race shall be run.

The large currying shop of William Quirin & Co., Boston, was burned on the morning of the 29th ult., entailing a loss of $70,000. Insured for $20,000.

A fire at New York on the 29th ult. destroyed the extensive lithographic establishment of Schumaker & Ettinger. Loss $25,000; partially insured.

On the night of the 28th ult. a gang of thieves who had robbed a store at East Palestine, O., escaped by jumping on a freight train. A telegram was sent to Rochester, Pa., where they were intercepted by Officer Camp. He attempted to arrest them, but was shot and probably fatally wounded. The whole gang escaped.

Ex-Congressman S. S. Cox, of New York, says he will not leave for his post at Constantinople until June. He has contracted with his publishers to have his new book completed by that time, under a forfeit of $50,000 for a failure to do so.

WEST AND SOUTH.

At a recent meeting of the Western Cracker Bakery Association, at Chicago, embracing 115 bakeries, distributed over the territory between Pittsburgh and the Mississippi River, New Orleans and St. Paul, it was decided to dissolve that body. Each bakery is now at liberty to make its own prices.

Mrs. Frederick Ball, aged eighty-two, living with her son near Dayton, O., was left alone in the house on the 25th and while working about the stove her clothing became ignited, and she was burned so badly that death soon resulted.

John Shinn, Owen Riley and M. Longdecker crossed the river a few days ago at Quincy, Ill., into Missouri to hunt. Their dog returned, and their boat was found stranded. It is believed that they all have been drowned.

A fire at Harris Station, near Dayton, O., on the 26th destroyed the oil mill, elevator and a number of other buildings of the Ohio Linseed Oil Company. The fire originated in an explosion. Loss, $100,000.

The dwelling of Maria Dixon, colored, at Chanute, Kas., burned on the 26th and two children, aged four and eight years, perished in the flames.

Hon. Henry Lloyd, President of the Maryland Senate, qualified as Governor of the State on the 26th, succeeding Robert M. McLane, who has accepted the mission to France.

Moneypenny's cooper-shop, within the walls of the Ohio penitentiary, was totally destroyed by fire on the 26th. Loss $8,000, which includes a loss of $15,000 on 750,000 cigars belonging to Atkinson & Co., tobacconists, stored in a room above.

W. D. Cushing, bookkeeper of the Belmont Iron Works at Wheeling, W. Va., was arrested on the 26th for embezzlement. He was a young man well thought of in the community and held the confidence of his employers. He was taken before a justice, where he gave bail for his appearance, and then went home and shot himself, dying shortly afterward.

The condition of affairs in the foodless counties of the interior of West Virginia is growing desperate. The frozen streams and bad roads make it impossible to send aid with any speed. In many cases the only fare for three months has been parched corn and sorghum molasses. The Kanawha, Ritchie, Pleasant, Wirt, Nicholas and Braxton County Courts have all met in special session to provide means of relief.

Herzey Lodge, of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers at Bellaire, O., has surrendered its charter. This lodge is the first, but the lodges elsewhere, composed largely of steel nailers, are expected to do the same. Twenty-four lodges, all but two, have signified their intention of surrendering their charters soon. The withdrawal of all the nailers from the Amalgamation will make that one of the weakest of labor organizations. A Nailers' Union will be formed at Wheeling, W. Va.

Amos Ross, a wealthy farmer, aged sixty-five, living near Upper Sandusky, Ohio, committed suicide on the 26th by hanging. The cause was temporary insanity, brought on by heavy losses in the late Central bank failure. He leaves a wife and large family.

The jury in the Van Fleet case at Norwalk, O., after forty hours' consultation, came into court on the 26th and reported that they were unable to agree. Nine were for conviction, three for acquital.

Michael Joupmen, a German carpenter, at work on the roof of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial building at Toledo, on the 27th was struck by a derrick loosened by the breaking of one of the guys, and thrown fifty-five feet to the street below. Death was almost instantaneous. Henry Miller was knocked to the floor below and sustained serious injuries.

Charles Durbin and wife were arrested at Decatur, Ill., on the 27th charged with drowning their six-months'-old child, whose body was found floating in the Sangamon River. The child had been missing three weeks, but the parents said it had been sent to Greene County. The couple have been married only three weeks.

The ferryboat Mark Twain, plying between Memphis and Mound City, Ark., exploded her boiler at the latter place on the 27th, killing Will F. Tieste and A. J. Demerich, two young men from Louisville, engaged in newspaper advertising schemes; also the fireman, a deck hand and another unknown negro. Captain Gus Fagleman and Captain George Malone had legs broken, and several others were badly injured. There were twenty persons on board.

The Bellaire (Ohio) window-glass factory closed down on the 28th, throwing a large number of men out of employment. Overproduction and low prices is the alleged cause.

Fourteen business houses at Oakland City, Ind., were destroyed by fire on the 27th. Loss about $60,000; mostly insured.

William Neal was hanged at Grayson, Ky., on the 27th for the murder of the Gibbons children two years ago. He stated on the scaffold that he was innocent of the crime.

The case of the widow of Martin Rupp against the Nickel Plate road, for damages on account of the death of her husband, crushed between two cars, was decided at Norwalk, O., on the 27th. The jury gave her a verdict of $4,000.

A St. Louis dispatch of the 29th ult. says the friends of Ex-Governor Thomas C. Fletcher, of that city, are seriously alarmed at his mysterious and unaccountable absence from home. He had not been seen or heard from for nine days, and foul play was feared.

A collision between east and west-bound freight trains on the I. B. and W. Railroad occurred on the 29th ult. near Hollandsburg, Clarke County, O. The engineers and firemen jumped just in time to save their lives. All trainmen, with the exception of a brakeman on the west-bound train, whose name could not be learned and who sustained injuries that may prove fatal, escaped. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

The Flint (Mich.) Hospital, owned by Pierson Catharin, was destroyed by fire on the 28th ult. Thirteen patients in the building were rescued with much difficulty. Nothing was saved. Loss $25,000; insurance light.

It is stated that the Mexican troops who have been stationed at the New Orleans Exposition have been ordered home by the Government for possible service in Central America.

A frightful colliery explosion occurred at McAlister, I. T., on the evening of the 27th ult., by which twelve miners, all who were in the mine at the time, were instantly killed. The cause of the explosion is unknown, but is supposed to have been the ignition of powder. The bodies were only slightly burned, death evidently being the result of the concussion.

The Buchanan County Court House at St. Joseph, Mo., took fire on the 28th ult. and was completely gutted, except the wing containing the office of the Recorder of Deeds and the County Court. All the records and books of the Probate Court and County Collector's office, together with the law library valued at $10,000, were destroyed. W. B. McNutt, chief of the fire department, was fatally injured.

At Pittsburgh a few days ago Francis Murphy's coat was stolen by a thief, who pawned it and then sold the pawn ticket, the buyer of which attended a Murphy meeting and took the pledge. Francis Murphy then tied a blue ribbon in the buttonhole of his own coat on another man.

Dr. F. S. Winston, President of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of New York, died at Fernandina, Fla., on the 27th ult.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Moscow advices of the 26th report a commercial crisis existing in that city. During the last four weeks five of the largest tea and sugar firms in the city have failed, their liabilities aggregating twelve million dollars. The leading bankers are concerting measures to avert further disasters.

A special from Winnipeg, received at Ottawa, Ont., on the 27th, states that the rebels had captured Major Crozier and his force of over one hundred mounted police after an engagement in which several were killed on both sides.

A colliery explosion near Dombrowra, Province of Galicia, on the 25th, resulted in the death of one hundred and nine miners.

At Puebla, Mexico, on the 27th a fire, originating in a gasoline depot, destroyed a large cigarette factory belonging to Julio Uhink. It is feared that thirteen employes perished in the flames.

James C. Cunningham, alias James Delton, and Harry Burton, both charged with high treason and felony, in connection with the dynamite outrages at Westminister and the Tower, London were fully committed for trial on the 27th.

A Hanoi dispatch of the 28th ult., says the Chinese attacked the French before Kilua and drove them from their positions with severe loss. General Negrier was reported as dangerously wounded.

It is said that much sickness prevails among the English soldiers in the Soudan, especially the marines. Fully forty per cent. of the latter are now down with either typhoid fever, dysentery or sun-stroke.

All the Catholic diplomats who attended the recent ceremony of laying the cornerstone for the monument of Victor Emanuel have been censured in an allocution of the Pope, who denounces the ceremony itself as a sinful tribute to one of the greatest enemies of the Holy Church.

Earl Granville has written a note to the Porte threatening to cancel diplomatic relations between England and Turkey in the event of the Sultan's refusing to issue a firman consenting to the Egyptian loan.

Prince Orloff, Russian Ambassador to Germany since 1872, died at Fontainebleau on the 29th ult.

LATER NEWS.

J. W. DUDLEY, the express messenger who absconded from Chicago a few days ago with $8,000 belonging to the Adams Express Company, was arrested at Syracuse N. Y., on the 30th ult. He returned without a requisition.

THE National Printing Company, at Chicago, was damaged by fire on the 30th ult. Loss from $160,000 to $180,000, upon which there is an insurance of $114,000 in about forty companies. Bradner, Smith & Co. lose $130,000, fully covered by insurance.

POSTMASTER GENERAL VILAS has authorized the statement that railway postal clerks who have become efficient and valuable men, against whom no just complaint of neglect, inattention or want of fidelity, honesty or efficiency can be brought, and who have not turned their attention to political labors during their service, need have no fear of being disturbed as long as they continue to render meritorious and faithful service.

A TELEGRAM was received at the War Department on the 30th ult. from General Hatch, stating that Captain Couch and his 600 or 800 "boomers," all well armed, still threaten to disregard the President's recent proclamation ordering them away from the Indian Territory, and that Couch again declares his intention to enter Oklahoma. Orders were sent by the President to General Hatch directing him to arrest Couch and other "boomer" ringleaders.

THE French Chamber of Deputies on the 30th ult. By a vote of 308 to 161 refused to grant the Ministry's request for a credit of $40,000,000 for carrying on the war with China. Premier Ferry immediately tendered his resignation and that of his colleagues, amid great excitement.

JOHN KANE, a wealthy stockman of San Francisco, Cal., insisted on his wife accompanying him to Colusa County, that State, to live on the 30th ult. Enraged at her refusal, he seized a Winchester rifle and fired three shots into her and then killed himself. The wife will probably recover.

A FIRE at Canastota, Madison County, N. Y., on the 30th ult. destroyed the Town Hall, a large steam flour mill, a carriage manufactory and several dwellings. The loss will amount to about $30,000.

IN the Supreme Court of the United States on the 30th ult. a decision was rendered in the case of James Sargent vs. the Hall Lock and Safe Company, from the Circuit Court of the Southern District of Ohio. The decision of the lower court was affirmed, which was for the defendant.

SEVEN prisoners in the county jail at Charleston, Ill., escaped on the 29th ult. by burning a hole through the pine ceiling with a piece of scrap iron taken from a water sink. The jail is under the court-room and the prisoners got into the court-room, passed out through the windows and walked away, one by one, in plain view of many citizens, without exciting suspicion in time to apprehend them. Dan Cook, colored, who murdered his wife in Mattoon last summer, was recaptured.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 22d A.D. 1879, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 26, A.D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 95 of mortgages on page 758, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 18th, A.D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 104 of Mortgages, on page 393 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A.D. 1885 at 9 o'clock A.M. of that day, at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.
WILLIAM K. CHOATE, Assignee.
jan30

ESTATE OF LORENZO D. DEWEY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 16th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Miranda Dewey, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of April next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate. mar19

ESTATE OF ALEXANDER PATTERSON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 9th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Patterson, a brother of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to John Linton, the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of April next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, and by serving a copy of this order personally on the said John Linton, at least two weeks before said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. mar19

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry Burnett, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry Burnett, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Michigan, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Barbridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of May 1885 and on the 9th day of September, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of March, 1885, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

Dated March 25, 1885.
JAMES L. REMINGTON,
WM. H. OSBORN, Commissioners.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Deroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 45 "	9 31 "	6 09 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 44 "	7.00 "
Clinton	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 16 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	1 02 "	10.52 "	9 52 "
Jackson			

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	9 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 26	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 10	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
6 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	7 03
7 37	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
8 00		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 24		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 55
8 33		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 25
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 55		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1.20
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

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TECUMSEH, MICH.

A QUEER OLD MAP.

Peculiar Notions of the Geography of North America.

Among the most recent acquisitions to the collection of ancient and curious works in the legislative library at the Ontario parliament building is an atlas printed in London somewhere just before the beginning of the last century. The title page calls it "A new sett of MAPS both of Ancient and Present GEOGRAPHY, wherein not only the LATITUDE and LONGITUDE of many places are Corrected according to the latest Observations, but also the most remarkable Differences of ANTIENT and PRESENT GEOGRAPHY may be quickly discerned by a bare inspection or comparing of correspondent MAPS; which seems to be the most natural and easy method to lead young students (for whose use the work is principally intended) unto a competent knowledge of the geographical science," by Edward Wells, D. D., sometime student of Christ church, Oxon., and late rector of Cotesbach in Leicestershire. Each of the forty-one maps bears a dedication to "His Highness William Duke of Gloucester, the young son of Princess Anne of Denmark, afterward Queen Anne," who died in the year 1700, and as he was only seventeen years of age at that time the work could only have been prepared a very few years previously. All the maps in the collection are curious, to say the least, but the most peculiar are those relating to America. The map of North America has been laid out according to Mercator's projection, as far as latitude is concerned, but longitudinally this is changed to the regular method, giving the map an even more distorted appearance than it naturally would have with the errors which have been made.

Among the blunders are placing of the eastern extremity, Newfoundland, in the 45th degree of latitude, instead of the 52d degree, and Cape Charles, the eastern point of Labrador, is placed in the same 45th degree, instead of the 56th degree. Iceland is represented as a long, narrow island extending from from the 5th degree to the 21st degree west longitude, instead of from the 15th degree to the 25th degree, but these are comparatively small matters. The extreme eastern point of the continent is at the 45th degree: the western is unknown, but must have extended almost back to Europe, as Cape San Eugenio in Lower California, is given at the 145th degree, or 30 degrees west of its proper location. The source of the Meschasipi or Mississippi River is given in longitude west from Greenwich 125 degrees, so as to throw the western boundary of Ontario from Cape Beale, in Vancouver Island, north, thus taking in nearly half the island. Illinois Lake, or Lake Michigan, is apparently by far the largest of the great lakes, with an extreme breadth of over five hundred miles. Traci or Upper Lake, as Lake Superior is called, is shown as being the same size as Lakes Huron and Erie; and Lake Ontario is given as about one-fourth the size of the latter. Lake Timagaming is shown as the source of the Saguenay and the Rupert Rivers. The Ottawa River on the map receives the waters of Hudson Bay and of Lake Huron to carry to the St. Lawrence, and there was apparently no knowledge of Niagara Falls.

Five towns only appear to have been settled in what is now Canada—Port Royal and Touquemet, the latter now called Yarmouth, in Nova Scotia, then called New Scotland; Brest, at the extreme eastern point of Labrador; Tadousac and Quebec. The errors which are observable in the northern are reproduced in the southern part of the map. Baltimore town is given as being some distance north of Philadelphia, and Plymouth is much nearer to Boston than is Charlestown. The Appalachian mountains run nearly due east and west on the map, through what are now the States of Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, thence across the Mississippi, and trending southward into New Mexico. Lower California is an island, and the upper part of the island is called New Albion. New Orleans would appear to have just been founded, as there is an island shown at the mouth of the Mississippi called New French Settlement, but the mouth of the river is no nearer being in its right position than the source, it being shown at the extreme northwestern corner of the "Gulf of Mexico." One more reference to the North may be allowed. "Frobisher's" Straits are given as being south of "Greenland," and James Bay is divided into two parts, one of which is called James and the other Hudson Bay. Carolina is credited with possessing a lake as large as Ontario, and the Susquehanna river is represented as running due north and in an exactly straight line. Many of the towns in Mexico are located tolerably accurately, but the lay of the land is terribly out of proportion. Other maps in the atlas are equally interesting to lovers of the curious, and will well repay a comparison by those who have time and opportunity.—*Toronto Globe.*

—I asked a physician if there really were any structural difference between the tongue of woman and of man. "Certainly," he replied; "the organ is attached to the floor of the mouth at one extremity, and it is a fact that in the females the controlling muscles are much more pliable than in males. Those muscles which control the acts of taste, prehension, and deglutition are not appreciably diverse in the sexes, but those relating to articulation are enormously developed in woman as compared with man." I told him that he was a real mean old thing, and that I didn't believe a word of it; but, privately, I shouldn't wonder if it were the gospel truth.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

—Anciently, in many parts of France, says a writer, when a sale of land took place it was the custom to have twelve adult witnesses, accompanied by twelve little boys, and when the price of the land was paid and its surrender took place, the ears of the boys were pulled and they were severely beaten, so that the pain thus inflicted should leave an impression upon their memory, and, if required afterward, they might bear witness to the sale. Later, when a criminal was being executed, parents whipped their children so that they might take warning by the example and keep in the path of virtue.

PITH AND POINT.

—"A low voice—an excellent thing in woman." Also in a counting-room.—*Chicago Current.*

—Scientists claim that cigarette-smoking leads to idiocy. Another instance of getting the cart before the horse.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—"How can I find out all about the young lady to whom I am engaged?" asked a prospective benedict. Has she a younger brother? If so, consult him.—*Detroit Post.*

—Music is the sound which one's children make as they romp through the hotel. Noise is the sound which other people's children make under the same circumstances.—*Boston Post.*

—Young ladies at a certain Western college are taught how to make bread. When they graduate they are known as college-bread women, and are in great demand with housekeepers.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—A writer in a current magazine describes the railbird, stating that he is found in the Southern States. He fails to mention that it is occasionally seen in the North and West, where he has his feathers fastened on with tar.—*Marathon Independent.*

—"Here's a musical salesman advertised for. Why don't you apply, Ned?" "I? Why, I'm not musical." "Perhaps not; but I notice that you can blow your own horn, you're familiar with the bars, your remarks are full of slurs, you're always giving notes, and all the rest."—*Hotel Gazette.*

—Stern parent—"Here, my son, what is this? You were not at school all last week." Astonished boy—"How do you know?" Indignant father—"Your teacher told me so." Wary boy—"Did he see me?" Wrathful papa—"No, not once." Triumphant boy—"Then how does he know I wasn't there?"—*Exchange.*

—"A scientific Frenchman says he has discovered a process for making artificial brains," said Mrs. Wigglesworth, looking from the paper she was reading. "Artificial brains!" sniffed Mr. Wigglesworth, scornfully; "that's just like those nonsensical Frenchmen—always fooling away their time making something artificial. What I want is real brains—none of your make-believe nonsense." Mrs. Wigglesworth, as she resumed her paper, demurely murmured that she had noticed it, too; but she never should have dared to speak of it herself. And Mr. Wigglesworth rubbed his head in a dazed sort of fashion and wondered if he really had expressed himself just as he meant to.—*Rockland Courier-Gazette.*

CANINE GHOSTS.

The Literature of the Supernatural Not Confined to Man.

An animal which is often said to make its ghostly appearance is the dog. Thus, a man who hanged himself at Broomfield, near Shrewsbury, "came again in the form of a large black dog," and a headless black dog is reported to haunt the road between Yeaton and Baschurch. A not uncommon belief is that the spirits of wicked persons are punished by being doomed to wear for a certain time the shape of a dog; and according to a Sussex superstition the spirit of a favorite dog which has died returns occasionally to visit its master and the haunts it frequented during life. "I was once informed by a servant," writes Mrs. Latham in her "West Sussex Superstitions," "whom I had desired to go down stairs and try to stop the barking of a dog, which I was afraid would waken a sleeping invalid, that nothing would stop his noise, for she knew quite well by his manner of barking that the ghost of another dog was walking about the garden and terrifying him." Traditions respecting these spectre dogs differ in various localities, but are still firmly credited by our agricultural peasantry. In Devonshire they are known as the "Yeth Hounds," and are said to be the disembodied souls of unbaptized infants. They were heard, we are informed, some few years ago in the Parish of St. Mary Tavy by an old man named Roger Burn. He was working in the fields, when he suddenly heard the baying of the hounds, the shouts and horn of the huntsman, and the smacking of his whip. This last point the old man quoted as at once settling the question: "Now, could I be mistaken? Why, I heard the very smacking of his whip." Once more, some years ago, an accident happened in a Cornish mine, whereby several men lost their lives. As soon as help could be procured, a party descended, but the remains of the poor fellows were discovered to be mutilated beyond recognition. On being brought up to the surface, the clothes and a mass of mangled flesh dropped from the bodies. A bystander, anxious to spare the feelings of the relatives present, quickly cast this unsightly mass into the blazing furnace of an engine close at hand. But ever since that day the engineman positively asserted that troops of little black dogs continually haunted the locality. Wild Edric, a legendary hero, haunts the Stretton Hills in the form of a large black dog with black, fiery eyes.—*London Standard.*

The English-Egyptian Question.

"Them English are havin' a right smart of a time over there in Africa, ha'n't they?" remarked an old farmer from upin Michigan.

"Yes, indeed."

"I've been a-watchin' of 'em all winter, and d've know what their campaign reminds me of? No? Wall, sir, I used ter have a big Berkshire shoat what had the durndest appetite ever you heerd tell on. The littler shoats had to git out of his way every time I put him in a lot all by hisself, and there was plenty of feed and wallow there for him, more'n he could ever use, but dum me, if he would stay there. Down went that fence and away went that shoat into fields where he had no business to be. Wall, he kept that up all summer, but bimeby he broke into a little patch o' timber an' got to foolin' round. What d've s'pose he stirred up? Wall, by gosh, he run his nose right inter a hornets' nest. It took him a long time to git out o' them woods, but when he got out he was the most subdued shoat you ever seed!"—*Chicago Herald.*

A PRIVATE LETTER.

Probably no man is better known or more highly respected than Mr. Julian S. Carr, President of the Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co., of Durham, N. C. In every tobacco store in the United States, and in many foreign countries, Blackwell's Durham Tobacco is sold, and it is a well-known fact that the sales of this Company largely exceed those of any other tobacco manufacturer. That such success has been obtained is due to the energy, integrity and ability of Mr. Carr, who has so successfully managed the affairs of the Company. Such a letter as the following, written by Mr. Carr to a personal friend whose only interest in the matter referred to was a desire to do a friendly act, is certainly worthy of careful reading.

Durham, N. C., Feb. 25, 1885.

My Dear "Mac":—I have delayed writing to you, with reference to the Athlophoros remedy, until I could hear from a friend of mine, a gentleman of high character, who used Athlophoros at my suggestion with very great benefit. He is a tobacco manufacturer of high standing. I have waited to hear from him in order that I might use his name officially. I am satisfied, however, that he must be at the New Orleans Exposition, and my letters have failed to reach him. So I will not delay answering your letter longer. You want to know whether Athlophoros is really as good as you thought when you so kindly sent me a couple bottles. I had a sister who was a victim of neuralgia and rheumatism. She suffered intensely, and her condition gave her family and friends much concern. Every known remedy was tried, but without effect. When the bottles you sent me came, I sent one to my sister and one to my sister-in-law. My sister was so encouraged from the use of this one bottle that I put her upon a thorough treatment of Athlophoros. I certainly owe you and Athlophoros a great debt of gratitude for the relief the remedy has given her. She has almost completely recovered from rheumatism, so much so that she has stopped the use of Athlophoros and considers herself well. My sister-in-law, to whom I gave the other bottle, was suffering fearfully with neuralgia, she had become unconscious from the pain—the Athlophoros relieved her entirely. I gave a bottle of Athlophoros to an intimate friend who suffered such intense pain in his head that he looked as if his eyes would start from their sockets, and by its use he has been greatly benefited, and tells me that he received such relief from it that he orders it by the box and keeps it at all times in his house—is *never* without it—can't afford to be, this is the gentleman to whom I wrote. I wanted to send with this his opinion in his own handwriting, but as I stated he must still be at New Orleans. A very worthy colored man, a house carpenter, Jim Whitted by name, lives in the house adjoining "my man of all work." One morning my man told me that Jim was suffering so intensely from rheumatism that the neighborhood was disturbed day and night by his cries of agony. Wishing to test Athlophoros before my own eyes on a genuine case of acute rheumatism, I wrote the Athlophoros Company stating Jim's condition, and offering, if they would send me the remedy, to see that it had a fair trial in his case. I confess, with all my confidence in Athlophoros, I doubted whether it could help Jim, but it was faithfully tried and I think the proudest man now in all this community is Jim Whitted. He claims to be entirely relieved of all his rheumatism and not only that, but he says the stiffness in his joints, which came with the rheumatism, has all been removed. Within thirty hours after he began to use Athlophoros, he felt like another person. These instances have all come under my personal knowledge. I am very slow to speak of or recommend any medicine, but when a remedy has the virtue and the merit that I believe Athlophoros has, I cannot hesitate to recommend it. I have given you *facts*—don't they answer your question fully? Yours truly, J. S. CARR.

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express paid, on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle. We prefer that you buy it from your druggist, but if he hasn't it, do not be persuaded to try something else, but order at once from us, as directed. ATHLOPHOROS Co., 112 Wall Street, New York.

A Good Breakfast.

Mrs. E. Carpenter, Overlee, Baltimore, county, Maryland, writes: I was greatly benefited by the use of Red Star Cough Cure, when suffering from a severe cold. My cook was seriously ill from a deep-seated cough. She had consulted her doctor without relief. By my advice she used the Cough Cure in connection with an external application of St. Jacobs oil to her side. In one night the change wrought was most gratifying and astonishing. In the morning she was like a new person.

Observe the Birthdays.

Let the birthday of each member of the family be always remembered when it comes. Let there be something a little out of the ordinary routine in the arrangement of the table; cookies fashioned as Johnny likes them best; one of Frank's favorite plum puddings, or Julia's special liking, a loaf of ginger cake; or a wonderful lemon pie, such as only mamma can make.

Then there must be presents. Sometimes people may think they cannot be afforded; but reflect. The little one needs shoes, dresses, aprons and many other things. Purchase one or more for the birthday. It will seem just as much present to the recipients as though they were not obliged to have it.

Next come school-books and story-books, a set of furs or a pair of skates, (should the birthday occur in the winter,) a pretty little dinner-basket, or, if the parents can afford it, a little gold band for one of the white fingers, a necklace, a watch with a shining chain, or the pony that has been wished for so long.

Encourage the little ones in giving to each other, and also remember father and mother's birthday; believe me, it will be bread cast on the waters; the days will only be a few ere some returns, and there will be a never-failing supply of pleasure as long as you and your children live.

These are Solid Facts.

The best blood purifier and system regulator ever placed within the reach of suffering humanity, truly is Electric Bitters. Inactivity of the Liver, Biliousness, Jaundice, Constipation, Weak Kidneys, or any disease of the urinary organs, or whoever requires an appetizer, tonic or mild stimulant will always find Electric Bitters the best and only certain cure known. They act surely and quickly, every bottle guaranteed to give entire satisfaction or money refunded. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

Feathered Slaves.

No people are more ingenious than the Chinese in the minor arts of life. That they have succeeded in training birds to fish is a striking example of their ingenuity and patience. Instead of carrying nets, the fishermen provide themselves with a large number of cormorants which perch on the edge of the boats. It is a curious spectacle to see these creatures engaged in fishing, diving into the water and always coming up with a fish in their beaks. As the Chinese fear the vigorous appetites of their feathered servants, they fasten around their necks an iron ring, large enough to allow their breathing but too small to admit of the entrance of the fish they seize; to prevent their straying about in the water and wasting the time desired for their work, a cord is attached to the ring and to one claw of the cormorant by which he is pulled up when inclined to stay too long under water. When tired he is permitted to rest for a while; but if he abuse the indulgence and waste his time, a few strokes of the bamboo recalls him to duty, and the poor diver resumes his laborious occupation. In passing from one fishing ground to another, the cormorants perch side by side, so as not to disturb the equilibrium of the frail vessel.

A Man Old General Routed.

Old "Genesal Debility" has been put to flight in Arkansas, with happy results. From Brinkley, from Webb City, and from Walnut Ridge, Messrs. P. R. Anderson, E. M. Taylor and F. S. Pinchbeck respectively, write that they were all afflicted with general debility, and received solid benefit from Brown's Iron Bitters. This is pleasant to know, not only for Arkansas people, but for all sections of the country where General Doblility has counted victims by the thousand. For sale everywhere.

It is authoritatively stated that the precentage of short-sighted children in Germany is three to thiriy.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

West Virginia is no longer an October state.

That slight cold you think so little of may prove the forerunner of a complaint that may be fatal. Avoid this result by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the best of known remedies for colds, coughs, catarrhs, bronchitis, incipient consumption, and all other throat and lung diseases.

The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

Druggists Says:

"We can always sell Speer's Wine. Pronounced by our customers to be the best they ever used. Our physicians all prescribe it. Has more sales than any wine we ever handled." Speer's Wines can be had of C. A. Wright & Co.

It is asserted that about a third of the banking done in the world is done in the British empire.

Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1.
Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
German Corn Remover kills Corns & Bunions
Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 50c.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

The railway up Mt. Vesuvius has more than paid for itself.

The Root of the Evil.

To thoroughly cure scrofula it is necessary to strike directly at the root of the evil. This is exactly what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, by acting upon the blood, thoroughly cleansing it of all impurities, and leaving no even a taint of scrofula in the vital fluid. Thousands who have been cured of scrofula by Hood's Sarsaparilla, testify to its wonderful blood-purifying qualities. Sold by all druggists.

Pennsylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

When Baby was sick, we gave her CASTORIA
When she was a Child, she cried for CASTORIA
When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA
When she had Children, she gave them CASTORIA

Bismark sticks to his old gray goose quill, and refuses to use steel pens.

Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., states: Being ineffectually treated by 17 doctors for Scrofula, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Write for proof.

There are 90,000 illiterate persons in Massachusetts.

C. A. Wright & Co., wish to state that they have at last found an article they can sell on its merits. It is with pleasure they guarantee to the public Acker's English Remedy as a sure and never-failing cure for Asthma, Coughs, Whooping Cough, Croup and all Lung Troubles. It is the standard remedy for Consumption. They have never found its equal.

Ohio boasts of more colleges than any state in the Union.

I have been bothered with catarrh for about twenty years. I could not tell how many different remedies I have tried, and none seemed to reach my case like Ely's Cream Balm. I had lost my smell entirely for the last fifteen years, and I had almost lost my hearing. My eyes were gitting so dim I had to get some one to thread my needle. Now I have my hearing as well as I ever had, and I can see to thread as fine a needle as I ever did, and my smell is partly restored, and it seems to be improving all the time. I think there is nothing like Ely's Cream Balm for Catarrh. I always had a trouble with my throat and a little hacking cough, and I am almost well of that. Mrs. F. E. Grimes, 67 Valley St., Rendrill, Perry Co., Ohio.

ACHES! PAINS!

"I ache all over!" What a common expression; and how much it means to many a poor sufferer! These aches have a cause, and more frequently than is generally suspected, the cause is the Liver or Kidneys. No disease is more painful or serious than these, and no remedy is so prompt and effective as

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No remedy has yet been discovered that is so effective in all KIDNEY AND LIVER COMPLAINTS, MALARIA, DYSPEPSIA, etc., and yet it is simple and harmless. Science and medical skill have combined with wonderful success those herbs which nature has provided for the cure of disease. It strengthens and invigorates the whole system.

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo.....Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor.Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville.Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk.....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston.....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville.....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville.....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion....Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 47PM	6 47PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30	.....	3 20	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta.....Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	
Cambridge	9 15	5 8	.....	
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sheroddsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 13
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston.....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston.....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo.....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 38.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 30PM
11 35	6 30	..Fries Landing.	6 53	2 32
11 20	6 15	.... Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv.Norwalk.Ar	7 27	3 10

M. D. WOODFORD, Gen'l Manager. JAMES M. HALL, Gen'l Pass. Agt

MISCELLANEOUS.

—The husband and son of Mrs. Laura Mellick, of Staten Island, were sent to an insane asylum two years ago. Recently Mrs. Mellick and two other children, son and daughter, were also adjudged insane; and the whole family is now in the retreat.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The professional sword swallower does not pursue his business, as is supposed, with impunity. A sword swallower recently died of hemorrhage in an English hospital, and the medical opinion seems to be that all of these men trifle with and shorten their lives.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—A young woman in Scotland recently, who had been discarded by one lover, married another one and then brought an action for breach of promise against the first. The magistrate before whom the case was tried refused to grant the request of the young lady for damages.

—Capt. J. G. Bourke, U. S. A., of Gen. Crook's staff, at Whipple barracks, in a letter to a friend in Omaha, says: "I have been very busy preparing a lecture entitled 'With General Crook in the Sierra Madre,' which I inflicted upon the unfortunate people of Prescott the other night. You ought to have heard the snoring. Half the audience was asleep in twenty minutes. When I stated that I would not detain them longer the applause was deafening."

—The largest vacuum-pan ever constructed has been made for a San Francisco refining company. It is a pear-shaped vessel, made from sections of cast iron. It is seventeen feet in diameter inside, reaches a height of over forty feet, and will weigh 140 tons when empty. It will boil 100 tons of sugar at once. It contains sixty coils of four-inch copper pipe, arranged in the form a hollow inverted cone, providing 3,000 square feet of heating surface.

—Two young men of this town were taking a pleasant stroll the other evening. A dog suddenly appeared and came rushing toward them. The cry "mad dog" was uttered by both, and they separated immediately. One scrambled up a tree, and the other stretched his legs, and he has long ones, to reach home. The dog followed in pursuit; the faster the youth ran, the faster came the dog. It was nip and tuck, and the speed of both increased to the utmost. The youth finally reached the front gate, rushed in and closed it. He turned round with a satisfied air, and found that it was his own dog which had been chasing him in sport.—*Riversville (Ga.) Gazette.*

BURNABY.

How the Distinguished Litterateur Met His Fate at Abu-Klea.

Colonel Burnaby himself, whose every action at the time I saw from a distance of about thirty yards, rode out in front of the rear of the left face, apparently to assist two or three of our skirmishers, who were running in hard pressed. I think all but one man of them succeeded in reaching our lines. Burnaby went forward to the men's assistance sword in hand. He told me he had given to his servant to carry that double-barrelled shot-gun which he had used so well against the Hadendowas at El Teb in deference to the noise made in England by so-called humanitarians against its use. Had it been in his hand Burnaby would easily have saved other lives as well as his own, but they would have been English lives at the expense of Arabs. As the dauntless Colonel rode forward on a borrowed nag—for his own had been shot that morning—he put himself in the way of a sheikh charging down on horseback. Ere the Arab had closed with him a bullet from some one in our ranks, and not Burnaby's sword thrust, brought the sheikh headlong to the ground. The enemy's spearmen were close behind and one of them suddenly dashed at Colonel Burnaby, pointing the long blade of his spear at his throat. Checking his horse and slowly pulling it backward, Burnaby leaned forward in his saddle and parried the Moslem's rapid and ferocious thrusts; but the length of the man's weapon, eight feet, put it out of his power to return with interest the Arab's murderous intent. Once or twice I think the Colonel just touched his man, only to make him more wary and eager. The affray was the work of three or four seconds only, for the savage horde of swarthy negroes from Kordofan, and the straight-haired, tawny-complexioned Arabs of the Bayuda steppe, were fast closing in upon our square. Burnaby fenced smartly, just as if he were playing in an assault at arms, and there was a smile on his features as he drove off the man's awkward points. The scene was taken in at a glance—with that lightning instinct which I have seen the desert warriors before now display in battle while coming to one another's aid—by an Arab, who, pursuing a soldier had passed five paces to Burnaby's right and rear. Turning with a sudden spring, this second Arab ran his spear-point into the Colonel's right shoulder. It was but a slight wound—enough, though, to cause Burnaby to twist around in his saddle to defend himself from this unexpected attack. Before the savage could repeat his unlooked-for blow—so near the ranks of the square was the scene now being enacted—a soldier ran out and drove his sword-bayonet through the second assailant. As the Englishman withdrew the steel, the ferocious Arab wriggled around and sought to reach him. The effort was too much, however, even for his delirium of hatred against the Christian, and the rebel reeled and fell. Brief as was Burnaby's glance backward at this fatal episode, it was long enough to enable the first Arab to deliver his spear-point full in the brave officer's throat. The blow drove Burnaby out of his saddle, but it required a second one before he let go his grip of the reins and tumbled upon the ground. Half a dozen Arabs were now about him. With the blood gushing in streams from his gashed throat the dauntless guardsman leaped to his feet, sword in hand, and slashed at the ferocious group. They were the wild strokes of a proud, brave man dying hard, and he was quickly overborne and left helpless and dying. The heroic soldier who sprang to his rescue was, I fear, also slain in the melee, for—though I watched for him—I never saw him get back to his place in the ranks.—*Cor. London Telegraph.*

POISON AT THE FRONT DOOR.

No article entering so generally into the food of every family has been found more villanously adulterated than baking powder. For the purpose of underselling those powders of absolute purity and wholesomeness which are alone safe for use in food, hundreds of dealers are putting up baking powders with cheap and adulterated cream of tartar, which contains lime, earth, etc., adding strength by the free use of alum.

These adulterated powders are shoved upon the public with the greatest persistency. They are first given away—left in samples at private residences, with circulars containing bogus analyses and certificates and false representations as to their value, etc. This fact of itself is sufficient to condemn them. A first class article will sell on its merits. No manufacturer whose goods are of value can afford to give them away, and none but the cheapest make and most inferior and unmarketable goods require to be distributed free in order to get the public to use them, and this method is adopted only by parties who have failed to dispose of their wares through the ordinary and legitimate channels of trade.

Free samples of articles of food left at the house should be regarded with suspicion. There is no guarantee of their wholesomeness, while there is real danger that they contain a fatally poisonous compound. Many instances of poisoning from the use of such samples are recorded.

The only safe way is to consign all such samples immediately to the ash barrel, and to turn a deaf ear to the statements made by their venders. It is not worth while to trifle with life and health to the extent of testing every doubtful package of baking powder that comes along. Better to rely on an old and reliable brand, like the Royal, which has by a quarter of a century's constant use proved its perfect worth and efficiency, or some other brand that is not so worthless and cheap that its proprietors can afford to give it away by the cart load. It is in its favor that the Royal Baking Powder is never given away, sold by means of lotteries, nor accompanied by chromos, spoons, crockery, or other gifts, except the gifts of absolute purity, wholesomeness, full weight, and superlative leavening power. Its own merits have been its chief advertisement, and they have secured for it the constant patronage of American people to an extent beyond the combined sale of all other baking powders. The Royal Baking Powder is certified by all Government chemists as absolutely pure and perfect.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 24, 1885:

Estate of John R. Kimball, deceased: petition for allowance of administrators' final account; hearing April 20.

In the matter of Maud L. Ladd, et al., dependent and neglected children: affidavit of service; testimony taken and filed; order for admission to state public school.

Estate of Walter H. Pattison, minor: nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond of $4,000.

Estate of George W. Kuney, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of George Onsted, deceased: bond filed; letters testamentary filed; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of George Hauck, deceased: petition for proof of will; hearing April 20.

Estate of William Smith, deceased: petition for proof of will, hearing April 13.

Estate of John S. Clark, deceased: affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Edwin Johnson, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Catharine King, an incompetent person; guardian files mem. of accounts in his hands.

Estate of Johannes Newman, deceased: affidavit of publication; administratrix appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Anna V. Rose, minor; affidavit of publication; certified letters of guardianship.

Estate of George Schroeder, deceased: affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $1,500.

Estate of Sylvester Ellis, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrators' final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of George M. Kline, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Wm. H. Arner, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrators' final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Nathaniel S. Wheeler, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $10,000.

Estate of Clarence R. Wheeler, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond, $2,000.

Estate of Elihu L. Ford, deceased; affidavit of publication; will proof and probate, bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Sally Wood, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing April 20.

Estate of John C. Zeitler, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing April 20.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending March 24.

CAMBRIDGE.

B. B. Hines to Alfred Onsted. Land on sec. 20. $2,600.

MACON.

Geo. W. Smith to John Lawton. Land on sec. 33. $2,300.

RIDGEWAY.

D. Coryell to A. W. Lawton. Land on sec. 31. $600.

D. Coryell to C. C. Smith. Land on sec. 11. $3,300.

TECUMSEH.

Rachel Cain to Chas. S. Cain. Land in village. $800.

J. W. Patterson to Geo. Tansley. Land on sec. 33. $845.20.

Augusta P. Lee to James Montague. Land in village. $60.

Augusta Lee to J. B. Pattison. Land in village. $150.

OBITUARY.

John Miller died at his home in Southport N. Y. on Monday March 16th, aged 77 years.

The deceased was a pioneer of that town and made his home there during almost his entire life, except for 28 years when he was a resident of Michigan. He came to this state in the year 1829 and settled on the farm in the old township of Tecumseh now owned by F. C. Rector, where he continued to reside during his residence in this state. He was an energetic upright man and became quite prominent as a local political leader, having held the office of supervisor, township clerk and also county clerk. He was for about one year the lessee of the Brownville mill property in this village and during his occupancy the mill was destroyed by fire. He lost quite heavily by this calamity and soon thereafter, in 1867, he returned to his old home in the State of New York, to pass his declining years. He was a man of great activity and industry and enjoyed excellent physical health, and his death was occasioned by a paralytic shock, which terminated his life in a few hours. One daughter married Mr. Carol Roberts of Franklin, whose sudden death by accident only a few months ago, is still fresh in the minds of all. Two sons and one daughter still survive him. Many old residents of Tecumseh, who knew him well, will learn of his demise with sincere regret.

Dundee Bankrupt Sale. The sale of the large stock of general merchandise known as the "Clayton Beehive" is going on day by day. We call notice this week to the invoice of Wall paper, 3144 rolls—88 patterns—1000 rolls of gilt. This is new, the bundles uncut, and will be sold at retail at less than wholesale prices. All to be sold within 30 days. You never will have another opportunity to get your paper at such rates. Call and see it. All clothing sold at one quarter off regular prices. Dry goods, boots and shoes 20 per cent off. The groceries at a discount. 20 cream cheeses, best quality at 12½. This is the largest forced sale of staple goods ever held in Southern Michigan. Avail yourself of the benefit. Respectfully.

F. H. BROWN & CO.
Dundee, Mich.

Get your costumes ready for the roller masquerade at the opera house rink, Friday evening, April 10, and capture one of those prizes.

The L. S. & M. S. R. R. Co., is making extensive repairs on the bridge north of the depot.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, March 30, 1885:

Craig, Maggie	Pratt, John
Hathaway, Sidney	Slocumb, Ella
Mahaney, Tom	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@	03
Butter, ₱ ℔	15 @	16
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00 @	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear	20 @	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	@	42
Clover Seed	4 50 @	4 75
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	16
Flour, ₱ barrel	4 50 @	5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	7 00 @	8 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔	@	12
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	9
Oats, ₱ bushel	27 @	32
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @	40
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	80
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	80
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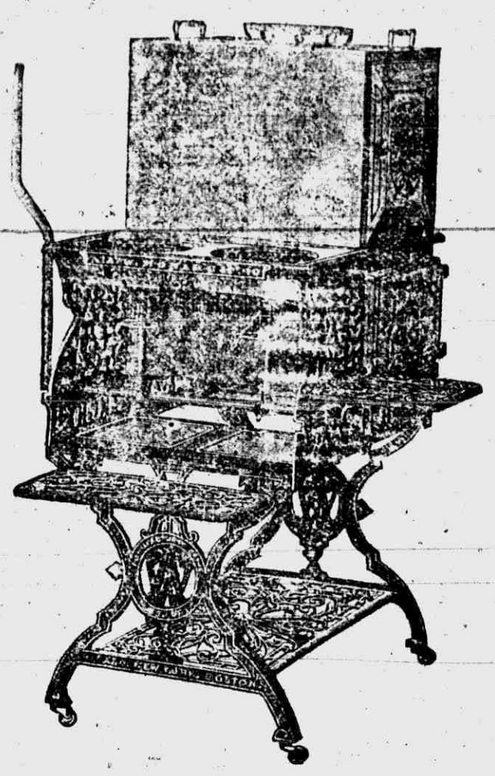

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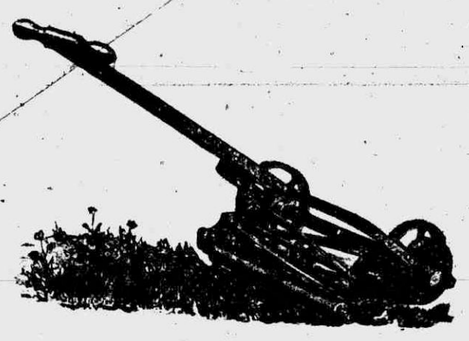

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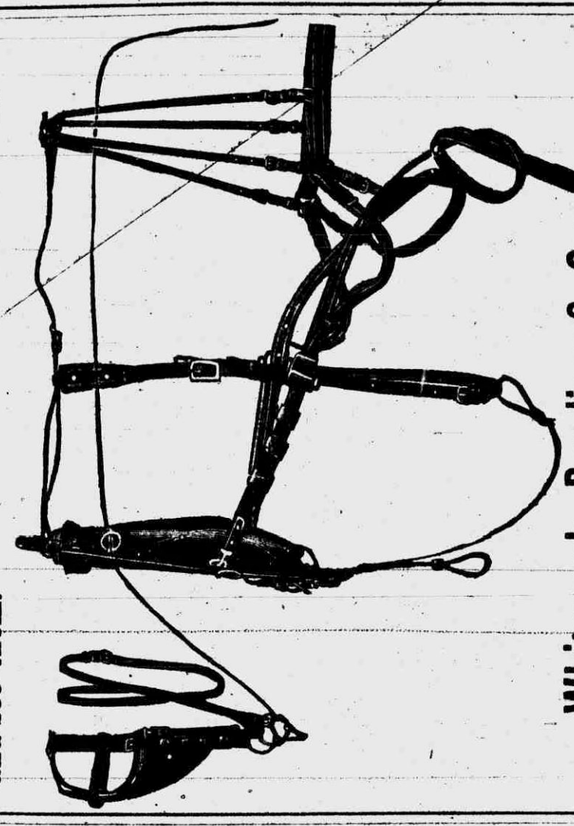

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

George Freese came to Clinton last Friday and returned to Detroit Saturday. He has left the employ of J. K. Burnham & Co.

Sam Larzelere has sold his farm two miles west of here to A. P. Halladay. He will live in Mrs. William Larzelere's house.

Mrs. Alonzo Mills was poisoned a few days ago by handling sumach. Her hands and arms were in a very bad condition for several days, but she is at present improving.

Mrs. Florence Conklin has rented Solomon Brown's house, at present occupied by August Liebelt. She will move her household goods there in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whittelsey, of Ypsilanti, were expected here last week, but word was received that they were both sick and unable to come. Mrs. E. W. Freese left here Saturday afternoon for Ypsilanti.

Alonzo Clark has sold the farm where Frank DeRyke has lived for several years, to James Hogan. Mr. DeRyke has moved his family to Missouri.

Mr. Otho Heywood was in town Tuesday morning and billed the place for the entertainment to be given by his brother, Alba Heywood, Monday evening, April 13th. An entire new program will be presented, and all those who had the pleasure of listening to him when he was here a few weeks ago, will doubtless avail themselves of this opportunity of hearing him again. The admission fee is 15 cents. Children 10 cents.

Dr. Cameron has changed his place of residence from Mrs. H. Lancaster's house on Franklin street, to rooms in the east part of the house owned by Mrs. Morehouse.

Dan Davis has moved his stock of confectionery to the post-office building. We hear that he intends using the rooms above for ice cream parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Mather, of Tecumseh, were in town last Monday to attend the funeral of Charles Brooks.

Charlie Clark had the misfortune to cut his left arm quite badly last week, while trimming fruit trees. He was able to commence work Monday.

Miss Mable Guiwits, of Tecumseh, has been visiting Mrs. Mary Guiwits this week.

Mrs. Charles Waldo is visiting at her sister's, Mrs. John Hause.

At the town election last Monday, the candidates on the democratic ticket were elected, with the exception of Supervisor and township treasurer. The ticket elected was as follows:

Supervisor—S. F. Marstellar.
Township Clerk—Charles Nase.
Treasurer—Robert Redick.
Highwa Com.—Sylvanus Howell.
Justice, full term—Danforth Keyes.
Justice, vacancy—W. B. Keyser.
School Inspector—John McAdam.
Constables—Joseph C. Burroughs, A. W. Muir, W. H. Smith, L. C. Gragg.

August Liebelt has rented Miss Grace Baldwin's house on Chicago street, and will move there shortly.

Crowell Eddy expects to start Thursday for Vinton, Iowa, to visit his sons at that place.

News was received here last Saturday morning that Mr. Charles Brooks who has been sick for several weeks at Albion, was dead, and his remains would be brought home for burial. The news of his death was quite sudden, although not altogether unexpected. His brother-in-law, Mr. Ed. Larzelere was here from Albion last Friday, making arrangements for the house being opened, intending to bring him home as soon as the weather permitted. He reached home only a few hours before Mr. Brooks died. The funeral services were held at the house, Rev. Mr. Kerridge officiating. His remarks were brief, but each word was spoken as though prompted by a heart full of sympathy for the afflicted, and in a plain non-flowery manner, brought comfort to the hearts aching with their burden of grief. Mr. Brooks was an old resident here, and until within a few years took an active interest in all business affairs of the village. Mrs. Brooks has the sincere sympathy of many friends in her sore affliction.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Easter; checks of another time circle and the usual floral tributes have made churches bowers of prayer. The display was unusualy good, many Callas being found at Mrs. Holden's conservatory that have been coaxed into late bloom by good care. Previous to sacred festival came a roller skate race of twenty miles for a divided purse of five dollars. The winners were Theron Philips and George Morrison. The latter achieved fame, but returned home like Mr. Gumbo, excepting the slight difference of shutter. His tripping up dismantled his pantaloons considerably, and the red, white and blue corsage that was perfection without a train to it, got splitted so much it facilitated his getting out of it, and he crept up stairs to bed with a face purpled by over exertion, and eyes swelled to a size that must have made his guardian angel think himself stationed by the wrong pillow. A ten hour sleep recuperated his head enough to ache, but those lovely pantalettes are ruined forever, and he says another such excursion will make him immortal. In case that happens I have promised to write his epitaph. It will begin like this: My friends! I have rolled from sin, have been jerked because the crowd hollered I got so betwirked, that I wheeled, whirled and lie a betwaddled sacrify. It will be real effecting when finished; and devotees of the rink will not fail to appreciate the spirit of self-sacrifice that impeled him to keep up ring-round-rosying 'till his constitution, free moral agency and the Lord's patience, gave out simultaneously. He may not need it unless he enters the charmed circle next month when prizes will be given for skating up a string and dropping through a barrel at the top end; but its a kind of poetry that can be twisted to fit circumstances and will do for those Solomons who have guided women in the path of wisdom until they have become experts in the art of raking chestnuts with other hands than their own. Pulpit and press give an occasional sigh about calico frivolity and inconstancy, but if nature is true to her laws they can both begin their term of wailing soon. Women are easily induced by their friends (or rather those they believe to be) to aid in money getting: often by questionable schemes of which they are ignorant, but enlightenment follows sooner or later and does not increase respect for their teachers. The cunning that corrupts us first in order to make us useful afterwards, reacts on itself and undermines home. Ignorance cannot be depended on to blossom out innocence, and power given to ensnare others, is liable to be abused. For the past ten years there has been no lack of dilligence in converting woman's ignorance into a vantage basis, for the unscrupulous, and that success crowns the work, will be demonstrated by the ancient rule of whosoever diggeth a pit shall fall therein.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Monday must have been made on purpose for election.

Mrs. Chas. Smith is very sick at her father's David Coryell's.

Mr. Cass Miller is visiting his many friends about here at present.

Lawrence Rappleye returned from Dundee Saturday, where he had been visiting his cousins.

To Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Cornell Sunday night. Bill says it is a girl again.

Miss Fannie Schwab spent the Sabbeth with friends in Adrian.

Prof. H. C. Wilson and wife of Blissfield are home on a short visit.

Moving has commenced as usual—Wm. Larkins occupies the J. A. Santus house, Jim Curry has moved in W. R. Wilson's tenement house and Louis Priest has rented rooms of Mrs. Mary Arner.

Mr. Alfred Lawton has begun to tear down and remodel the house he recently bought of Samuel Fletcher.

Mr. Lafe Rappleye has bought the land east of the village belonging to his father and will have a fine farm when he gets it fixed up.

Mr. Lank Smith, of Macon, was in our village Monday with some very fine beefsteak, and thinks he will visit us once or twice a week.

Sammie Arner sent the election returns to Britton Monday night and George Arner was there to break the news to the Brittonites.

The village school commenced Monday with Mr. Parker at the helm.

Miss Ada Loree returned from her visit to Morenci Monday evening.

Mr. George Pocklington is repairing his house, and when completed will be very much improved.

Messrs. Philip and Oren Parks left for Dakota Monday.

Miss Hattie Smith returned to Ypsilanti Monday, with the best wishes of her friends.

Since Mrs. G. W. Jackson received her spring stock of goods, Ella says carpet rags and crazy work are nowhere

Miss Belle Barlow went to Adrian Monday and will resume her study in music at the the college.

The attendance at the social Friday evening was more than could be expected with the condition of the roads and all enjoyed it very much. The society will give a necktie, maple sugar festival at the church next week Friday night. The ladies will please furnish two ties alike, and will wear one and give one to the committee, and the gentlemen will have their choice. It is for the old as well as the young. Supper 15c a piece.

Below is the result on the township election We give the names of the candidates on the two leading tickets and the votes secured by each.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Supervisor—Coonrod L. Lowe, 157.
Clerk—Jay A. Santus, 155.
Treasurer—Chas. R. Dubois, 174.
Justice—Wm. H. Arner, 121.
Commissioner of Highways—Wm. Underwood, 95.
School Inspector—Cornelius B. Exelby, 100.
Constables—Geo H. Witt, 152; Edgar S. Pilbeam, 120; Lafayette Pocklington 149; Alvinza R. Arner, 131.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Supervisor—James Linn, 86.
Clerk—Albert E. Palmer, 85.
Treasurer—Thos. H. Temple, 77.
Justice—Thos. V. Hoagland, 95.
School Inspector—Robert H. Nelson, 140.
Commissioner of Highways—Isaac N. Pilbeam, 102.
Constables—Wm. H. Riggs, 95; Edmund Millyard, 98; Sylvester Clark, 97; Archie Nichols, 87.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

James Lane and wife returned from Florida last Wednesday night. They give a very favorable report concerning the climate and James evidently thinks there is a chance to make a little filthy lucre in those parts as he has made several investments there, expects to return sometime in the future to look after his interests. We understand that he built a house, cleared off some land and set out an orange grove down about Sorrento where they first landed, after which they came back north about one hundred miles to Kerr City to visit Mr. Swan's people, and were so well pleased with the location that they staid there the remainder of the winter, buying land there also on which he expects to build, as he has got his lumber sawed and on the ground to season. Well, James we wish you success in your enterprise, but don't just like the idea of losing an old neighbor who has been in the habit of behaving himself.

Ezra Hoxsie returned from Florida Saturday night and judging from his looks we should say that oranges as a steady diet agrees with him pretty well. We have not had much conversation with him, but we are of the opinion that he was not very favorably impressed with the country.

Town meeting passed off pleasantly as usual, although everybody appeared to have blood in their eye. The Republicans lugged off nearly every thing which causes them to rejoice exceedingly. Say boys, remember the word, "Rejoice not in the downfall of thine enemy."

Mrs. Mary Jane Satterthwaite is very sick and of late but little hopes have been entertained of her recovery. She is reported to-day as being more comfortable, and is thought to be a little better.

Mrs. Earl started again Monday morning for a trip through the state in the interest of the corset factory, she being general agent for Michigan.

The boys around here are making it hot for the ducks and fish on the prairie. We used to think that we liked fish, but don't care to get our boots quite as full of water as the boys do who go, and then to think of one having to hang his suspenders on the back of a chair next to the stove all night robs it of all its romance.

ONSTED ODDS.

The following list shows the vote in Cambridge township at the annual election, April 6, 1885.

For Supervisor:
Chas. H. Dewey, Fusion.....176
Chauncey Cooper, Rep.....52
Frank M. Skinner, Pro.....57
For Township Clerk:
Marvin A. Ladd, F.....95
Charles E. Jessup, R.....115
Samuel E. Kirkby, P.....76
For Township Treasurer:
Simon Shultis, F.....145
Edgar Hubbard, R.....54
Jonathan Hand, P.....78
For Justice of the Peace, (full term):
Arnold T. Graves, F.....95
Marshall Reed, R.....72
Charles W. Greenleaf, P.....116
For Justice of the Peace, (fill vacancy)
John O. Maxwell, F.....167
Clinton A. Blackmar, R.....56
Robert Wooden, P.....63
For Commission of Highways:
Henry Monagin, F.....116
William L. Hand, R.....111
Edwin A. Taylor, P.....54
For School Inspector:
John B. Ayres, F.....147
Ira Fish, R.....62
Samuel R. Boyce, P.....73
For Constables:
Chas. Nearing, F.....219
John Reynolds, F.....158
Joseph Allen, F.....152
Jerome O. Blowers, F.....150

Town meeting passed off quietly, but when the votes were counted it was discovered that the slip peddler had got in plenty of work.

Wilson Lee has taken his son, W. Bliss Lee into partnership, and the new firm, Lee & Son, have added a fine stock of groceries to their stock of boots and shoes.

Levant Charles and Clifford Marsh are putting up a building 20x40. They intend to put in a stock of hardware as soon as they complete it. Onsted is bound to grow even if it is hard times.

Mr. Jesse Russell died last Friday morning after a long illness. The funeral was held Sunday at 11 o'clock. Mr. Russell was the oldest man in the township, being 88 years of age.

Mrs. Feller, who lived with her son William near Springville, died Tuesday morning. The funeral was held at the Springville church Wednesday.

ADDISON ATOMS.

A poem entitled "Mud" would be especially appropriate just now.

Our village is affected by sickness to an unusual degree this spring.

A son of Elder Bailey, of Rollin, is installed behind the counter at Smiley's hardware store.

L. H. Bedell, of Devils Lake is introducing his cancer remedy here.

About 50 of our citizens contributed 50c each for the privilege of drawing for a $25 suit of clothes at Hirshman's clothing store last Tuesday. The prize fell to Mr. W. A. Wilcox, and he now rates as the luckiest man in town.

A team belonging to A. J. Kempton ran away with Mr. Marvin Smith and wife in Cambridge last Sunday, causing a total wreck of the vehicle and injuring the occupants quite severely. Bad roads caused the buggy to overturn which frightened the team.

Town meeting passed off very quietly Monday with three tickets in the field, viz: Democrats, Prohibition and Republican. The "Demmies" captured all the officers except one justice.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

It has now the appearance that spring has come.

On Sunday last the Methodist Sunday school came to order with Alba Case, superintendent; Julius Vaughn, assistant; Mrs. I. Vaughan, secretary; R. L. Rogers, treasurer. A good attendance.

Morse received 127 votes and Cooley 80, on the state ticket last Monday.

Last week Miss Mary Booher returned after a long visit with her relatives in Hillsdale and Washtenaw County.

At the Lake mills we had quite a scare on account of a leak in the dam but it was repaired after a delay of a day, and is now in operation.

Since the snow has disappeared the wheat on the ground makes a splendid show and bids fair for a bountiful crop. The farmers will have plenty of work, being about a month behind, but with good weather will soon catch up.

Springville school commenced last Monday with Miss Helen Queale as teacher.

The skating rink was open town meeting day and evening. They had a big crowd and closed with a dance. Open again Wednesday evening next.

DROWNED IN THE RAISIN.

Last Sunday afternoon three lads, Burt Barnes, Charles Epke and Louis Wacker, with some other persons, strolled out to the river to enjoy themselves in the pleasant afternoon air. They were in the vicinity of the white mill dam, where an old boat was discovered by three boys, who climbed into it. It had neither oars nor paddle and the boys propelled it with their hands, finally getting near enough to the falls of the dam to come under the influence of the current. One of the boys Charlie Epke, discovering the situation, sprang out and waded ashore, the water not being deep. The other two resolved to take their chances, and together went over the dam with the boat. The latter as it swept over the fall came under the action of the water, and swinging around crosswise was held in that position and filling with water tipped over, throwing out the young occupants. Both started to swim ashore, which young Barnes reached in safety. Louis Wacker, however, probably desiring to save the boat from floating off turned about and swam toward it, but soon went down. Charles Chapman, one of the young men present, seeing this, started after him, but the lad was swept onward and arose a considerable distance below Chapman. The boy soon disappeared, and all efforts to save him proved of no avail. Efforts to discover the unfortunate boy were alike futile. A crowd soon gathered, and vigorous search was begun, but the body has not yet been recovered.—Adrian Record.

Here is a mathematical problem for the boys. The town meeting voted to raise $100 as a bounty fund for woodchuck scalps. How many scalps will this sum pay for at fifteen cents each?

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 9, 1887

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

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"THERE SHE BLOWS!"

An Old Sailor's Story of Life on Board a Whaler.

Not All That Fancy Paints It—His Advice to Young Men Going a Whaling Is Embraced in the Word Don't.

"One of the Detroit dailies recently contained an interview with a gentleman who once made a two-years' cruise in a whaling vessel, and I read it with peculiar interest, for it recalled incidents connected with my youth that I can never forget," remarked a Chebacco resident of this city yesterday.

"From it the general reader would obtain a sort of an idea of what life on board a 'Blubber Hunter' is, but only enough to excite curiosity, and possibly a yearning for more of the same kind of information. His experience was gained fifteen or twenty years subsequent to mine, and possibly the practices and usages on shipboard were changed somewhat during that period. Certain it is that my experience differed materially from his, and was not such as to incline one to try a second voyage.

"When I made a fool of myself and went to sea (see a whale and other things too numerous to mention) the whaling business was at its best, and the system of bounties, that he speaks about, were not in vogue. Officers and men had a certain 'lay' or share of the oil taken, although it was the custom then to offer to fit out men on the 'strength' or success of the voyage. If the voyage turned out badly, and the men were in debt to the ship at its close, that was the owner's loss.

"There may be some young men who read the *Free Press*, who have become fired with a desire to go to sea. What I shall say to you is spoken with a desire to deter them from taking such an ill-advised step. A sailor's life, and especially a sailor's life on a whaler, is one I should never encourage any young man to follow. Not but the life and calling of a sailor is a noble one when entered upon and pursued by anyone having a natural taste and inclination in that direction, coupled with a desire and determination to make it a life business and to achieve success in its pursuit. But to go to sea, as thousands do, merely to gratify an idle curiosity or whim, or to get away from the restraints of home, is the worst step any boy can take, and he finds it out to his sorrow very quickly, but, alas! too late. I speak from experience, for I have sailed many voyages, and the last one was on a whaler. That cured me.

"In fitting out a whaler, the number of men shipped depends upon the number of boats carried, and this, in turn, depends upon the tonnage of the ship. A small brig or bark never carries more than three boats, and these are the class of vessels that used to cruise in the South Atlantic for sperm whales. Larger vessels, those that used to go around Cape Horn to cruise in the Pacific, never carried less than four boats, and were fitted out for sperm and right whaling. These whalers were fitted out for a cruise of four or five years, the boats were twenty-six to twenty-eight feet in length, with oars from fifteen to seventeen feet long, and each boat carried about 350 fathoms of line coiled in two tubs. The South Atlantic whalers were fitted out for shorter cruises.

"A boat's crew comprised an officer (the Captain or one of the mates), who was called the header; a boat steerer, who was also the harpooner, and four sailors, six in all. The boatsteerer always pulled an oar until the boat was near the whale, when he exchanged it for a harpoon and stood ready to dart it into the whale.

"It was usually the custom to ship all the green hands possible for the reason that they could be hired cheaper than experienced men, and often at the commencement of a voyage it was found that the ship in rough and stormy weather was poorly provided with men capable of making and taking in sail, or assisting in properly caring for the safety of the vessel. The green hands were at first almost useless, and until they had learned to steer, and how to get up aloft in rough weather and handle themselves after they got there, the labor of working the ship fell upon a few old sailors and the boatsteerers, even the officers sometimes being forced to do men's duty.

"As soon as the vessel was fairly out to sea, however, the green hands were put through a course of training which quickly made them wish they had stayed at home. They were sent aloft to look out for whales, and as soon as a school of blackfish were sighted, all the boats were lowered, the green men manned the oars, and away went the boats in a race to see which would strike the first fish. Of course this would blister the men's hands, but they learned how to handle an oar, and themselves in a boat, so that by the time they reached the whaling grounds, they were able to do good service, and knew what was expected of them. These blackfish yield a inferior quality of oil, but it is used for lighting purposes on board of ship. They also learned to box the compass and steer. Each boat carried a mast and sail, but these were only set when, after a whale had been killed, they were sailing back to the ship to tow it alongside.

"As soon as a whale was found the whaling ground for days and weeks at a time was always another sight, and moving back and forth about four or five miles per hour, and always bearing to windward, tacking every few hours, thus covering, as it were, the ground all over. Unless successful in finding and killing whales, all sail would be set, and away we went for some other cruising ground.

"As soon as a whale is struck sharks appear in great numbers, and they never leave the whale for an instant until it is towed along side, stripped of its blubber and cast adrift, then they go with the carcass. These sharks are big fellows and very ravenous. When the whale is secured to the ship some one must go over upon him and open the blubber and hitch a tackle-block thereto. This is such dangerous business that the boatsteerers take turns at it. They would be snapped up by the sharks in a minute but for two men who protect them with long-handled spades that were ground as sharp as a razor and were used to cut blubber. If a shark got too close to the boatsteerer, one of these men would jab a spade into him with all his might and he would make off in a hurry.

"During the trying-out process all hands were on duty, during the day until six p. m., at which time half of the crew went below, but relieved the other watch at midnight, and all went on duty again at six a. m. In other words, six hours out of the twenty-four was all the rest any man of us could get. Vessels that went around Cape Horn, or Cape Horners as they were called, making voyages of four or five years, necessarily carried more men to man their boats; and had so many men on board that even while trying out oil one-half of the crew could do all the work, so as soon as a whale was secured to the ship they used to set regular watches, four hours on and four hours off, day and night.

"The time usually required to secure a whale, strip off the blubber, try it out, store the oil and clean the ship was about a week. The first fire under the try-kettles was started with wood, but it was thereafter fed with what are called 'scraps'—the refuse of the blubber after it has passed through the trying-out process. Of this trying-out process I can give you no more accurate idea than by quoting from J. Ross Browne's 'History of the Whale Fisheries.' He says:

"'I know of nothing to which this part of the whaling business can be more appropriately compared than Dante's picture of the infernal regions. It requires but little stretch of the imagination to suppose the smoke, the hissing boilers, the savage-looking crew, and the waves of flame that burst now and then from the flues of the furnace, a part of the paraphernalia of a scene in the lower regions. Our down-easter, who always had something characteristic to say of everything, very sagely remarked on one occasion when nearly suffocated with smoke: 'If this isn't hell on a small scale I don't know what to call it!'

"'Of a full-grown sperm whale of the largest size, or about eighty-four feet in length, the dimensions may be given as follows: Depth of the head, eight or nine feet; breadth of the head, five to six feet. The depth of the body seldom exceeds twelve or fourteen feet, so that the circumference of the largest sperm whale will seldom exceed thirty-six feet. The sperm whale has forty-two teeth in the lower jaw, but there are none in the upper, which instead presents depressions corresponding to and for the reception of the points of those in the lower jaw.'

"Of the amount of oil a sperm whale will yield, I can only say that I helped capture and cut-in one of them that measured about sixty feet in length, that gave us over one hundred barrels of oil. It has often been said that more whales can be taken on Sunday than on any other day, but, strange though it may seem, some captains that I have known would not lower a boat for them on that day.

"Although I have, as a sailor before the mast, been around Cape Horn and the Cape of Good Hope, yet my voyage in a whaler was to the South Atlantic, on which cruise we touched at Fayal, Pernambuco, St. Helena, Tristan d'Acunha and other Islands in the Southern seas. That voyage was my last. I never was 'cut out for a sailor,' and I found it out very soon, but was not willing to acknowledge it until I had 'seen the elephant,' which I did, together with a large part of the tail.

"Immediately upon a whale being harpooned, he sounds, that is, goes under water at lightning speed, as does also the line to which he is attached, making it necessary to throw water upon it to prevent it from taking fire from the friction. It has been claimed that a whale can run at a speed of a mile a minute. They can not remain long below but must come up to breathe. When a whale is struck, the boatsteerer is relieved by the header, and he mans the steering oar until the whale turns up, when a whale does his belly turns uppermost. Then the boats are all fastened together, the sails hoisted and then commences a long, tedious pull. You might think they would try and let the whale come up. The whale does come up as fast as I can, but it goes to windward and drags the boat as fully away from the ship when a prize is captured. Not infrequently darkness overtakes them a long way from their ship.

"While cruising off the coast of Brazil we fell in one day with a New London whaler, a Cape Hopner, homeward bound. She had, inside, our three or four years, and neighborly call was exchanged between the whaling grounds of that section. We spoke her twice and crammed with her. What does crammed mean? Visited. One of her crew was a good fellow-townsman, and schoolmate of mine who had left home two or three years before I did on this voyage. He was the only man I ever met at sea or abroad anywhere that I knew or saw before.

"Now, in conclusion I want to say to every young lad who reads the *Free Press*, that if he wishes to see the world, or has any inclination to go to sea, take my advice. Go to work on land and earn money enough to gratify your desire to travel. Then you can satisfy your curiosity without undergoing the privations that one must meet who goes as I did and hundreds of others have done, and come back to tell and record such experiences as they never would have passed through had they had the slightest idea of what was before them."—*Detroit Free Press.*

RECKONING TIME.

The Methods of Marking the Passage of Time by Various Peoples.

Among many peoples the modes of reckoning time do not deserve the name of system. The Otaheitans used the changes of the moon and the growth of the bread fruit; the Makha Indians on Cape Flattery the moon and the seasons, of which latter they distinguished two, the cold and the warm. The Muysca Indians, according to Humboldt, had 37 lunar months in their cycle, and 20 of these cycles formed a larger one. Where there were no religious festivals connected with the new or the full moon, people gave up the luni-solar year altogether and adopted the solar year only, confining themselves to bringing day and night into connection with it as far as possible, and paying no regard to the moon's course. It was soon found that the Solar year was approximately 365 days in length, and this we find first in the year of the ancient Egyptians. They divided their solar year of 365 days into 12 months, each of 30 days, to which they added 5 supplementary days. The years were counted according to the reigns, and the Canon of Ptolemy is a chronological table giving the commencing years of the various kings. The same form of year is found among the Persians, with the difference that the supplementary days are added to the eighth and not to the twelfth month. Their months had names, not numbers, and their years were reckoned from the accession of Sezdegird, an era from which the Persians, especially in some parts of India, still count their years. It is remarkable that so inexact a year, originating so long ago, should have existed through centuries down to our own day, although its incorrectness was early recognized. The Egyptians, for whom the time of the rising of the Nile, at the ascent of Sirius, was of great importance, noticed soon the occurrence came later and later in their year, on New Year's Day four years later it was the second day, eight years the third, and so on. On this they based the Sothis, or Dog-star period of 1,461 Egyptian years, in the course of which Sirius rose successively on every day of the year. Then came the knowledge of the year of 365¼ days, which is tolerably exact, and of this there are several forms of years. In Egypt the change to the more exact reckoning was accomplished in a simple way.—*Christian at Work.*

TWASN'T HERE.

The Sad-Eyed Stranger Who Was Looking for a Mate.

He stood with back to the railing on the ferry dock, bribing the sun to shine down on his rheumatic points, when a second man came strolling up, and they saluted:

"Howdy, Captain?"

"Howdy, Captain?"

They had scarcely started conversation when the third man appeared, and this time it was:

"Morning, Captain."

"Morning, Captain."

"Captains White and Smith, good morning to you."

In the course of three or four minutes a man walked out of a saloon a hundred feet away, and as he came sauntering down it was:

"Ah—ha! Captain!"

"Hello! Captain!"

"Ah! Captain, glad to see you!"

"Captains Smith, White and Green, good morning."

The same programme was continued until seven "Captains" stood rubbing their backs on the railing. A stranger who had observed the various meetings and heard each man addressed by his title suddenly began looking around and making inquiries for the Harbor-Master's grappling-hooks.

"What's up? What dy'e want of the grapplers?" asked one.

"I want to recover the body of the poor fellow."

"Who?"

"Why, being you are all Captains it is likely the mate fell off the deck before any of you got here. I'm going to find one somewhere, even if at the bottom of the river!"

They all looked at him for a dreadfully long time without as much as winking, and when he moved away not a man of them betrayed himself, although there was only one man in the lot entitled to be called Captain.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—It is not a good plan to allow cattle and swine to run together.—*Prairie Farmer.*

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TRUTHFUL WILLIAM.

Mr. Nye Becomes Interested in Agriculture and Detaileth the Result of His Experiments.

During the past season I have been considerably interested in agriculture. I have met with some success, but not enough to madden me with joy. It takes a good deal of success to unscrew my reason and make it totter on its throne. I've had trouble with my liver, and various other abnormal conditions of the vital organs, but old reason sits there on his throne, as the case may be, through it all.

Agriculture has a charm about it which I can not adequately describe. Every product of the farm is furnished by nature with something that loves it, so that it will never be neglected. The grain crop is loved by the weevil, the Hessian fly and the chinch bug; the watermelon, the squash and the cucumber are loved by the squash bug; the potato is loved by the potato bug; the sweet corn is loved by the ant, the sluggard; the tomato is loved by the cut-worm; the plum is loved by the curculio, and so forth, and so forth, so that no plant that grows need be a wall-flower. [Early bloom up and extremely dwarf joke for the table. Plant as soon as there is no danger of frosts, in drills four inches apart. When ripe, pull it, and eat raw with vinegar. The red ants may be added to taste.]

Well, I began early to spade up my angle worms and other pets, to see if they had withstood the severe winter. I found they had. They were unusually bright and cheerful. The potato bugs were a little sluggish at first, but as the spring opened and the ground warmed up they pitched right in, and did first rate. Every one of my bugs in May looked splendidly. I was most worried about my cut-worms. Away along in April I had not seen a cut-worm, and I began to fear they had suffered, and perhaps perished in the extreme cold of the previous winter.

One morning late in the month, however, I saw a cut-worm come out from behind a cabbage stump and take off his ear muff. He was a little stiff in the joints, but we had not lost hope. I saw at once that now was the time to assist him if I had a spark of humanity left. I searched every work I could find on agriculture to find what it was that farmer fed their blanded cut-worms, but all scientists seemed to be silent. I read the agricultural reports, the dictionary, and the encyclopædia, but they didn't throw any light on the subject. I got wild. I feared that I had brought but one cut-worm through the winter, and I was liable to lose him unless I could find out what to feed him. I asked some of my neighbors, but they spoke jeeringly and sarcastically. I know now why it was. All their cut-worms had frozen down last winter, and they couldn't bear to see me get ahead.

All at once, an idea struck me. I haven't recovered from the concussion yet. It was this: the worm had wintered under a cabbage stalk; no doubt he was fond of the beverage. I acted upon this thought and bought him two dozen red cabbage plants, at fifty cents a dozen. I had hit it the first pop. He was passionately fond of the cabbage plants, and would eat three in one night. He also had several matinees and sour krout lawn fest balls for his friends, and in a week I bought three dozen more cabbage plants. By this time I had collected a large group of common scrub cut-worms, early Swedish cut-worms, dwarf Hubbard cut-worms and short-horn cut-worms, all doing well, but still, I thought, a little side-bound and bilious. They acted languid and listless. As my squash bugs, currant worms, potato bugs, etc., were all doing well without care, I devoted myself almost exclusively to my cut-worms. They were all strong and well, but they seemed melancholy with nothing to eat, day after day, but cabbages.

I therefore bought five dozen tomato plants that were tender and large. These I fed to the cut-worms at the rate of eight to ten in one night. In a week the cut-worms had thrown off that air of *ennui* and languor that I had formerly noticed, and were gay and light-hearted. I got them some more tomato plants, and then some more cabbage for change. On the whole I was as proud as any young farmer could be who has made a success of anything.

One morning I noticed that a cabbage plant was left standing unchanged. The next day it was still there. I was thunderstruck. I dug in the ground. My cut-worms were gone. I spaded up the whole patch, but their wasn't one. Just as I had become attached to them, and they had learned to look forward each day to my coming, when they would almost come up and eat a tomato-plant out of my hand, some one had robbed me of them. I was almost wild with despair and grief. Suddenly something tumbled over my foot. It was mostly stomach, but it had feet on each corner. A neighbor said it was a warty toad. He had eaten up my summer's work! He had swallowed my cutting little cut worms. I tell you, gentle reader, unless some way is provided, whereby this warty scourge can be wiped out, I for one shall relinquish the joys of agricultural pursuits. When a common toad, with a sallow complexion and no intellect, can swallow up my summer's work, it is time to pause.—*Northwestern Miller.*

—A Cincinnati young man of twenty-seven, named Will Doherty, has for the past six years been indulging in venturesome Oriental exploration, some of which are said to rival the daring Burnaby's ride to Khiva and the most startling exploits of Stanley. He went on foot through Bulgaria and Greece, traversed the Libyan desert on camelback, rode through Persia from Teheran to Bushire on an Arab horse, and journeyed through India on an elephant. He has been the guest of Rajahs and shared the hospitality of Bedouins, and writes graphically of his romantic experiences.—*Cincinnati Times.*

—The Manchester *Union* points with pride to a New Hampshire woman who hasn't broken a lamp or a lamp chimney in thirty years. Perhaps she used gas or candles.

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The Curfew Bell.

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The first steamships which made regular trips across the Atlantic ocean were the Sirius and Great Western in 1830.

The first public application to practical use of gas for illumination was made in 1802.

In 1813 the streets of London were for the first time lighted with gas.

In 1813 there was built in Waltham, Mass., a mill, believed to have been the first in the world which combined all the requirements for making finished cloth from the raw cotton.

In 1790 there were only twenty-five post-offices in the whole country, and up to 1837 the rate of postage was 25 cents for a letter sent over 400 miles.

In 1807 wooden clocks began to be made by machinery. This ushered in the era of cheap clocks.

About the year 1833 the first railroad of any considerable length in the United States was constructed.

In 1840 the first experiments in photography were made by Daguerre.

About 1840 the first express business was established.

The anthracite coal business may be said to have begun in 1820.

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THE RESULT IN THE STATE.

The election returns from the state at large show that the fusion state ticket has been elected by a heavy majority, Major Morse leading the ticket for Supreme Court Judge. The fusion candidates for regent will not have as large a majority but enough for all practical purposes.

Morse's majority will probably reach 30,000 and may exceed that figure, while the majority for regents will be about 5,000 less.

The result in the city of Adrian is mixed. The democrats elect Dr. Kimbal mayor, and of the remaining six city officers each party elects three. The aldermen and supervisors are equally divided.

ELECTION NOTES.

The old saying that a fine election day is favorable to the republicans did'nt prove true this year.

Wm. Bresie will worthily fill the place made vacant by Supervisor James.

Navigation has opened on Salt river.

Major Morse has but one arm, but he is a good fighter just the same.

Henry Stevens carries the republican honors in this town now.

Jim Cole was "grouty." He refused to vote for himself and advised his friends to vote against him. He prefers selling meat to serving summonses.

Major Morse's run was a surprise to both friends and foes.

Macon elects a woman school inspector, Mrs. Rachel Howell, and it was a good choice too.

The republican-prohibition fusion did'nt fuse worth a cent; the fire must have gone out.

A republican supervisor takes the cake in democratic Clinton. Marsteller, the marble man, will take the assessment again this year.

Franklin still loves the republicans and Love still loves the supervisorship.

Austin G. Hall steals a march on the Union forces in Raisin. Horace must have been caught napping this spring.

Death of Judge Wells of Kalamazoo.

A correspondent of the Detroit Free Press under date of April 4th, gives a long and interesting notice of the death of H. G. Wells of Kalamazoo, on Saturday last at 11:15 A. M. He became a resident of Kalamazoo county in 1833; was elected from that county a member of the Constitutional Convention of 1835, called to form the first State Constitution of Michigan. He was the youngest member of that body, and John J. Adam, one of the delegates from Lenawee county, being the next youngest, he and Mr. Wells formed a more than usual attachment to each other. Mr. Wells was also a member of the Convention of 1850, which formed the State Constitution under which as amended we are now living. He held sundry other offices and appointments, and was offered many others which he declined to accept. In June 1874, he was appointed by Gen. Grant as Presiding Judge of the Court of Alabama Claims, which position he filled with great credit for two and a half years, when its business was wound up. When the Court was reopened a few years ago, Mr. Wells was appointed President of the Court, and served faithfully until failing health obliged him to decline, and return to his home in Kalamazoo. In June 1884, Mr. J. J. Adam of this village received a letter from Mr. Wells, of which we have been furnished the subjoined copy:

KALAMAZOO, June 20th, 1884.

DEAR SIR:—I received your kind letter of June 18th, inst. It found me here sick with inflammatory rheumatism. I came from Washington last week and was sorely tried with the long ride without sleep. I have rallied some, gaining a little strength each day. The doctor and my friends encourage me with the hope that I shall be out again on the street in the course of a short season. I have not heard recently from any of the members of the "Convention of 1835." Nothing would give me more pleasure than to meet you again, but if this is to be denied us I hope to hear from you repeatedly. If your convenience will permit you to write I promise you always a prompt answer.

This letter is written by an amanuensis because my right hand is crippled with the rheumatism; the signature is my own.

Very Respectfully Your Friend.
H. G. WELLS.

AN IMPORTANT FOOD REFORM.

Production of Chemically Pure Cream of Tartar—Total Elimination of all Lime Impurities—New Discoveries in Refining—A Long Stride Toward Pure Food.

(From the New York Tribune.)

Discoveries of much importance on account of the relation they bear toward a more wholesome food supply and consequently upon the public health, have been recently made in the process of refining cream of tartar. Cream of tartar, as is well known, is a bitartrate of potassa purified from the crude tartar, or argol, which collects in a crystalline deposit upon the bottom and sides of wine casks during the fermentation of the wine. This tartar, in its crude state, contains lime and other impurities, which no process of refining known prior to that here described was able to entirely remove.

It has been possible, it is true, to neutralize the lime to some extent by the aid of chemicals, and this method was resorted to in order to procure cream of tartar in small quantities for pharmaceutical purposes; but it was open to serious objection in view of the fact that the chemicals employed were not always washed out but remained in quantities that were uncertain and prejudicial to its quality. The supposed impossibility of removing the lime has, accordingly, caused cream of tartar to be classed and sold as pure when it did not contain more than five per cent of this impurity. The major part, however, of that used in commerce, or for culinary purposes, contains the tartrate of lime to an extent much greater than five per cent, not infrequently being found, upon analysis, debased to a degree equaling one-fourth or more of its entire weight.

In a report upon the subject of food adulteration made to the New York State Board of Health by Professors Chandler and Love, it is stated that of 27 samples of cream tartar bought from dealers as pure 16 were adulterated with various substances from 3 to 96 per cent, while of the remainder all contained tartrate of lime, some as high as 10.59 per cent.

The serious character of this adulteration is more readily appreciated when it is recollected how largely cream of tartar enters into the preparation of the food of every family. In connection with soda in baking powder it is the chief agent now employed for raising and making light and digestable all our biscuit, cake, and other pastry, and is besides, in many communities, superseding the old fashioned yeast for all leavening purposes, so that it is employed to some extent in almost every meal of which we eat. The amount of cream of tartar used in this country in a years in baking powder and otherwise in the preparation of food, is estimated at ten million pounds. If this were 90 per cent pure—a high estimate—we would consume one million pounds or more of lime annually as a substitute for bread. So large a deterioration becomes appreciable in the deprivation of our food of a portion of its nutritive elements not only, but if, as is now supposed, this excess of lime taken into the system has a relation to the painful affections of the kidneys so prevalent in this country, its bearing upon the health of the entire community is too important to be overlooked.

The new process by which cream of tartar is produced 100 per cent pure—that is, with the lime totally eliminated,—by treating the crude material under pressure instead of using any chemicals whatever for the purpose, was the discovery originally of a German chemist, but has been developed and perfected by the Royal Baking Powder Company of this city, through whose efforts a few years since in behalf of a high standard of purity in food, the public was rid of the poisonous alum baking powders at that time so prevalent.

The determination of this Company to place upon the market only absolutely pure goods, and the impossibility of doing this from the cream of tartar of commerce, made it apparent that some new method must be sought by which cream of tartar could be produced in large quantities free from lime and chemically pure. The cream of tartar refiners of this country and Europe when approached upon the subject, declared such a result impossible, and declined to incur the expenditure necessary to make the trial. The Royal Baking Powder Company, accordingly, resolved to solve the problem for itself, and having secured the aid of the best chemists of Europe and America, proceeded with its investigations and discoveries until the result, after several years of labor and the expenditure of over half a million dollars in the purchase of patents, perfecting of processes, and the erection of buildings and machinery was reached in the complete attainment of the end sought. The works now owned by The New York Tartar Co., are located in Brooklyn, and exceed in size and capacity any other similar refinery in the world. They produce a chemically pure cream of tartar, which is now exclusively used for pharmaceutical preparations, and in the manufacture of the celebrated Royal Baking Powder.

The energy and outlay that have effected this will undoubtedly be fully rewarded by the public which it will chiefly benefit by the successful issue of the investigations. People are coming daily to more fully appreciate the value of pure and wholesome food. By the exclusive use of this chemically pure cream of tartar, the Royal Baking Powder is produced entirely free from lime, and absolutely pure, qualities possessed by no other baking powders yet made. A baking powder entirely free from lime or other impurity must not only contain more strength or leavening power and produce better food and therefore be more economical for use, but what is more important, possess qualities of superior wholesomeness.

Chemists and physicians have looked upon the experiments with much interest, and regard their success as a matter of much importance.

Adrian Record: Ex-Mayor Navin was, we believe, the only mayor who never drew the salary of his office. There is nearly the sum of $50 due him from the city. Mr. Navin went west on business, just before the expiration of his time, and on his return recently he made no claim of the salary due him.

THE COUNTY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

We are indebted to the Adrian Times for the following report of the last meeting:

The county horticultural society held its monthly meeting at Workingmen's hall, April 1st.

The meeting was called to order by the president and the first subject taken up was the present condition of the grape. The prevailing opinion seemed to be that there was damage done the crop, or at least some varieties. The Concord was believed to be all right.

Mr. Blimlie asked if it was a good plan to cut back trees.

Mr. Edmiston answered that the summer pruning of vines or trees was not a good thing. The notion that the top should be opened to let in the sun was wrong. He gave instances where he had known that pruning when the leaves are on was unsafe as a rule, and gave damaging results.

Mr. Davis had good results from cutting back in the fall, just before the fall of the leaves, as the trees matured its wood better for winter.

All agreed, however, that summer pruning was injurious. Early spring was the time to trim apples, especially before the leaves are out.

Mr. B. W. Steere did not believe in the theory of trimming apples. He would use great judgment in pruning, and do it each year a little, as it was needed.

J. W. Helm stated that a peach tree would stand ten degrees more cold if cut back September 1, to make the new wood harden up better.

S. B. Mann stated that nature demanded an equilibrium between the root and top of the tree, and if the top is heavily pruned, the root should be also pruned to balance the loss of the top, and he believed if this be done there would be a less amount of sprouts and branches put out by nature in its effort to regain the equilibrium.

The discussion on this subject was general and interesting to all.

President Woodward did most of his pruning of peaches the first and second years after setting.

S. B. Mann asked how to best preserve a tree that had been girdled near the ground during the winter by mice.

Mr. Collar said it could be bridged over with scions from the tree put in above and below the wound.

Mr. Howes said he had saved a tree by hilling up a foot or so above the wound.

The secretary here read a communication from the Agricultural society, inviting this society to take charge of the fruit department at the county fair next fall, and after stating the matter fairly, he made a motion that the invitation be accepted and a committee appointed to take charge of the matter, to meet with the executive committee of the agricultural society.

The motion was carried.

D. G. Edmiston moved the appointment of a committee to nominate superintendents and judges, and report at the afternoon session. Carried.

The chair appointed the following: D. G. Edmiston, B. W. Steere, Peter Collar, S. B. Mann and A. Sigler. The secretary also referred to a letter and circular from the secretary of the state society, relative to the meeting of the American pomological society, to be held at Grand Rapids, September 9, continuing three days. The matter was referred to the same committee as the agricultural society matter. Quite a discussion was had on furnishing reports of the proceedings for the papers, and a general desire was expressed to have reports made as far as possible, and a general thankfulness was expressed for the notice of our discussions made by the papers. Moved that a standing committee be appointed on apples, pears, grapes, small fruits and flowers. The motion was carried. Ajourned to half past one o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The meeting was called to order at the appointed hour, and the committee on nomination of officers for the fair made its report as follows, which was accepted and adopted.

Superintendents—D. E. Edmiston, Adrian; B. I. Laing, Lenawee Junction.

Judges, class A—David Holden, Weston; Portor Beal, Geneva; H. C. Bradish., Adrian.

Judges, class B—A. Sigler, Adrian; Peter Collar, Adrian; J. O. Beal, Geneva.

Committee on revision of the premium list—D. G. Edmiston, Adrian; S. B. Mann, Lenawee Junction; A. Sigler, Adrian.

The regular question of transplanting trees was then taken up, and from a question by F. J. Hough, Mr. Edmiston said that as soon as the ground was well fitted in the spring was the best time to transplant. Planting trees in the fall was attended with more danger, owing to the uncertainty of the weather. Trees taken up in the fall and well hilled in during the winter, had an advantage if all things were favorable. He would prefer the tree was set when it was nearly dormant. When the buds had started there was danger. Maples would do better perhaps later. The same rule would not apply to evergreens. They do not start as early as other trees. Had found that evergreens can be put off later than any other trees. Mr. Helme had found fall setting for evergreens as good as any. Others had not, although the weather had much to do with it. Mr. Helme had had success in setting trees in the fall, and they would get better growth, and his experience also was that raspberries were best set in the fall.

The president had set a lot of raspberries in the second week in June, and never saw a better growth. These were the red raspberry.

Mr. Allis asked if the hilling up of trees planted in the fall would not injure the bark. A number answered no.

Mr. Collar had for many years hilled up his young trees, to prevent mice from eating the bark, and never had any injured.

Some one asked if there was any danger of setting maples too deep. Had set some fine trees, and had noticed those set the deepest died.

Mr. Allis had set them the same depth as he had taken them up, and he never lost any. F. J Hough had set out a row of maple trees the same depth as they were taken up and mulched them; they all grew and did well. He thought they should not be set any deeper than they grew, and then should be staked. He would set them pretty early.

The president had banked up trees for many years from ten to twelve inches and never lost any.

Then followed quite a discussion about the mischief done by mice and rabbits during winter. There were many devices for preventing it given.

C. P. Pulver asked if the cuttings of honey locust would grow if planted.

Mr. Helme and Mr. Edmiston both thought that they would not, to any extent. Cuttings for currants or grapes were better cut in the fall and kept in the cellar, but could be cut in the spring if before the growth starts. The cut should be as close to the bud as it can be conveniently, so that the new roots thrown out would be close to the end.

Mr. H. M. Pomeroy asked what was the best pear, everything considered. Mr. Collar said that the Lombard was the one, perhaps.

Arbor day was taken up, and the discussion was turned to the planting of trees on the new fair grounds. A motion was made that this society attend the setting of trees on the fair ground, when the day is appointed, and assist the agricultural society to its best ability to make the day a success. The motion was carried.

The next meeting will be held in the same hall on the first Wednesday of May.

The topics for the next meeting will be strawberries and other small fruits, flowers and shrubs.

NEW BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The lately elected board of Supervisors will stand fifteen republicans to eleven democrats, a republican gain of two over last year. Below are the names of the new board:

Adrian City:
First Ward—Alpheus F. Haas, R.
Second Ward—Edwin Crane, D.
Third Ward—Sherman S. Finch, D
Fourth Ward Jesse H. Warren, R.
Adrian—L. C. Baker, D.
Blissfield—William M. Corbet, D.
Cambridge—C. H. Dewey, D.
Clinton—S. F. Marsteller, R.
Deerfield—Dale Munson, D.
Dover—James H. Shepherd, R.
Fairfield—Edgar Morse, D.
Franklin—D. W. Love, R.
Hudson—Ira Swaney, R.
Macon—James F. Gilmore, R.
Madison—John W. Dalton, R.
Medina—Clark Bradish, R.
Ogden—Fred W. Bay, R.
Palmyra—R. H. Hastings, R.
Raisin—Austin G. Hall, R.
Ridgeway—Coonrod L. Lowe, D.
Riga—Byron Tripp, R.
Rome—George W. Fleming, R.
Rollin—Selah H. Raymond, R.
Seneca—W. A. Shierson, D.
Tecumseh—William Bresie, D.
Woodstock—D.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending March 31.

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Alonzo Clark to James Hogan. Land on sec 2. $4,500.

WOODSTOCK.

Mary Baker to B. C. Baker. Land on sec 33 and on sec 4, Rollin. $1,000.

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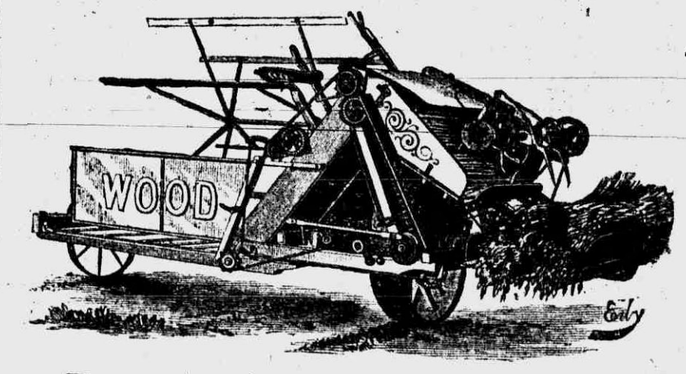

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NOTICE.—Having sold our new store building, and being about to close out our business, we invite all persons indebted to us to call and settle the same within the next 30 days.
JOHN BRITTON & SON.
BRITTON, Apr. 1, 1885.

PATTERNS FOR SALE.—A complete set of patterns for oil stamping with full instructions for use. For particulars enquire of
MRS. H. E. STOUT.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. is this day dissolved by mutual consent of all parties concerned.
J. B. SWAN,
J. N. SATTERTHWAITE.
E. N. SATTERTHWAITE.
The business will be conducted as heretofore under the firm name of Satterthwaite Bros & Boyd.
J. N. SATTERTHWAITE.
E. N. SATTERTHWAITE.
JAMES A. BOYD.
TECUMSEH, Mar. 23, 1885.

WANT TO EXCHANGE.—A valuable and highly improved farm of 80 acres situated within 2½ miles of Tecumseh, for a larger and cheaper farm. For particulars enquire at
HERALD OFFICE.

HOUSE FOR SALE.—Large village lot, fine residence, desirable location. Will be sold at a bargain. For particulars enquire of
FRED. B. WOOD.

Billy Brown did'nt get there, the more is the pity.

"Kinks" at the Opera House next Wednesday evening.

Geo. W. Stacy of East Buffalo, is spending a day or two at his old home.

An Ann Arbor paper says; "Prof. Bauer laid two eggs on the editorial table." Prof. Bauer is certainly a most remarkable man.

The sky light in Brooks' photograph gallery is being taken out and the store enlarged. Mr. Brooks is moving into his new gallery in the Montague block this week.

Mr. Dudley Macham has purchased the barbar shop formerly owned by Art Bresie in the Sutfin block. He is having it painted, papered, and renovated throughout, and proposes to run a first class shop.

A. A. Besemer has secured the services of efficient and practical workmen, and is prepared to do all kinds of plain and docorative paper hanging, calcimining, painting, graining etc. Leave orders at Baker & Hall's, or Dr. Geo. Ferguson's.

Jimmy Glasgow, while unloading Elliot Gray's baggage yesterday, let a big box fall on his great toe, and—well, he will hobble about with a lame foot for several days. We are somewhat surprised that Jimmy should'nt know how to handle Irish baggage.

RINK RACKET.

The one mile race between Al. Heesen and Mont Rowland will be repeated at the Tecumseh rink next Tuesday evening. No chalk will be used on the floor thus giving Mont a better chance in turning the corners.

Alba and Otho Heywood rolled round the rink last Saturday evening.

The opera house rink observed good Friday by remaining closed on that evening.

The Tecumseh rink was crowded last Saturday evening, the principal attraction being the "great and only" Prof. Hall in his wonderful mesmeric and elec-trick specialties. The Prof. did some really wonderful tricks (with the help of a couple of assistants and a powerful electric belt around his body) but the audience probably would not have been half so appreciative had they been aware of the fact that two of the young men were using all their earthly strength in connection with the Professor's spiritual(?) strength in lifting up the chair and in holding the end of the pole up, "but where ignorance is bliss, etc." and the audience went home delighted with the evening's entertainment. The Professor was advertised to give a matinee Monday afternoon and another entertainment in the evening, but he failed to put in an appearance. He had left on the Monday morning train for parts unknown. The Adrian papers say he is wanted in that city for forging a note on one of the banks.

The masquerade advertised for tomorrow evening at the opera house has been postponed indefinitely on account of the rush of attractions this week.

At the skating rink: Newcomer—Yes, they seem to be having a good time; but don't they hurt themselves by falling so frequently? The floor is very hard. Habitue—Yes, but the skaters are very soft.—Boston Transcript.

Clergymen and coachmen are enemies of the skating rink. The clergyman because it interferes with his revival meetings; the coachman because millionaires' daughters have ignored him and now elope with the fancy roller skater.—Norristown Herald.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 9, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

John F. Hicks has been spending a few days at home.

There was an old fashioned crowd in town last Saturday.

Geo. Allen and wife of Toledo, Ohio, have been visiting friends in town.

Mr. Geo. Parks of Hudson, spent last Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

C. E. Triplet of Macon, came home from Lansing to remain over town meeting.

J. S. Kinney has trimmed up the west show window of his store with a fine casket.

We acknowledge the receipt from the Detroit Free Press of a picture of their Easter egg.

F. C. Barnes of Coldwater, who was foreman of Geo. N. Stacy's cigar box factory, has been in town for a few days.

Milan Sage of Macon, will sell all tile at a discount, purchased at his yards this spring. Write to him for particulars.

William Delamater, who went to school in Tecumseh years ago, has been visiting relatives in town a few days. He now lives in Indiana.

The old reliable firm of Strong & Mc Nair have a change of advertisement this week. They are now putting in a mammoth stock of new spring goods.

Rev. W. DePuy closed a three years' pastorate with the Baptist Church of Grand Ledge last Monday. A heavy debt of several years' standing was paid during his pastorate.

The snow has gone off so gradually that we are not threatened with our usual spring freshet. The Raisin has been "up" during the past week, but not as high as in former years frequently.

D. D. Marshall of Detroit, was in town over Sunday. His natural modesty restrained him from asking to vote on Monday morning, although some of his Democratic friends urged him to do so.

Elliot Gray and family returned from Ireland last Tuesday, all in good health. Mrs. Gray has not been home since her first trip across the ocean eleven years ago, but Mr. Gray has visited us once or twice every year. Their friends will be happy to learn that they have now come home to stay.

Adrian Press: Young man, be a devil in a printing office, if you would surely climb to fame. Here is Edgar Ide, a Tecumseh youth, who deviled in the News office, rose to chief compositor, and is now delivery clerk in the post office, with all the emoluments, perquisites, responsibilities, appurtenances and hereditaments thereunto pertaining, to have and to hold the same for his own proper use and benefit, until—well, until his successor puts in an appearance.

Ex-Supervisor James has entered the employ of the Tecumseh Lumber Co. at a good salary, and will hereafter be found at their office on Shawnee treet. On account of this business arrangement, he absolutely declined to run again this spring for supervisor. Mr. James has made an admirable officer during the time he has served in that office, and his Democratic friends did all they could to urge him to accept the place. His mantle, however, falls on good shoulders.

B. L. Baxter has been home and at Deerfield for a few days, attending to some business affairs. He went to Battle Creek yesterday, where he intends to open a law office, in partnership with his son Frank, who is already practicing there. Mr. Baxter and Frank are both well known here, and we commend them to the citizens of Battle Creek as good lawyers, and most estimable gentlemen. We have no doubt they will meet with success in their new field of labor.

Evening News: When President Grant accepted the resignation of Gen. Belknap, his secretary of war, and thus saved the latter from conviction in the impeachment proceedings, he was greatly blamed. If any greater penalty than the loss of his office was attached to the impeachment of Superintendent Gass, Gov. Alger might equally be to blame. But in resigning his position, and in its acceptance by the governor, the offending official has pleaded guilty and pronounced and executed sentence upon himself to the full extent of the law of impeachment. The legislature could do no more.

Isaiah Van Sickle, a deaf and dumb man of Morenci, generally known as "Dummy Dick", was run over by train No. 144, local freight, about 100 rods east of the depot last Monday morning and instantly killed. Deceased was a single man, 61 years old, and lived with his mother, in Seneca township. He was walking on the track, and being deaf could not hear the whistle, which was blown. He was struck by the pilot, drawn under the wheels, his right arm and thigh being crushed, and his back broken. The remains were gathered up by the section hands and brought to the depot. No inquest was held.

John Smith of Grand Rapids, was in town last week.

Billy Smallidge has gone into the draying business again.

A. L. Millard, of Adrian, was in town yesterday on business.

Repeated next Tuesday night Heesen and Rowland's mile race. Go and see it.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., have a new card this week. Go there for your carpets.

Chas. Thompson of Clinton, came down to laugh 180 times in 180 minutes last Tuesday evening.

Six converts had the rite of baptism administered to them at the Baptist church last Sunday evening.

Capt. Foster had a house full Tuesday night. The Alvin Joslin troupe put up at the Lilley House.

Miss Wellwood has opened dressmaking rooms at the Baptist parsonage, first door South of the Baptist church.

W. T. Eccles has secured Vance De Puy's steam peanut roaster, and will hereafter roast those toothsome articles by steam.

A black eye and a scar on the nose is generally a sign of a pugilistic encounter, but Lon says it is no such thing; he fell down cellar.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co., have added harnesses to their stock and will keep on hand a large supply. See their announcement on the first page.

Al. Heesen and Mont Rowland will again race for the championship of Tecumseh next Tuesday night. No chalk will be used on the floor in this race.

M. E. Conklin comes to the front this week with a new card, setting forth the merits of the Walter A. Wood harvesting machinery. Met intends to make it hot all along the line this spring.

No less than 200 persons were at the Chicago street crossing last Tuesday afternoon to witness the arrival of the Alvin Joslin troup, and about the same number crowded around Adamson's window trying to get a glance at Uncle Alvin's diamonds displayed therein.

The committee of the G. A. R. Post who have in charge the arrangements for the proper celebration of Decoration Day have secured Rev. T. C. Allen, of Detroit, as orator. The committee is already at work upon the details and the day will be celebrated in a befitting manner.

It is a generally conceded fact that for the finest display of boots and shoes, and for the lowest prices, that the establishment of Joe Wilson has no superior in Lenawee county. It is now crowded full with all the latest and best styles, and Joe says he intends to give the citizens of Tecumseh and vicinity the benefit of the very lowest prices. When in need of boots or shoes remember the old stand-by, Joe Wilson.

Alba Heywood again. Opera House Saturday, April 11th. one night only. Mr. Heywood brings with him new musical specialties. Hobert A. Davis one of the finest flute soloists in the land, and Mr. Frank Ulrich, accompanist. Mr. Davis execution and purity of tone is said to be marvelous and never fails to captivate his listeners. His variations seem scarcely possible to be performed on one instrument. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Manchester Enterprise; A stranger who had evidently seen the editor, entered the Enterprise office during his absence last Tuesday and addressed the clerk thus, "Where is that man I talked with a few days ago? He works for you don't he?" Upon politely informing him that the man he referred to was the editor himself and that he was out of town, he tried to compromise the mistake by saying, "Beg pardon Miss but it was the other widow at the Brooklyn office that I had in my mind."

PRESBYTERY MEETING.

The Presbytery of Monroe will meet in the Presbyterian church, Tecumseh, on Tuesday, April 14th, at 7:30 P. M. and continue in session through Wednesday and probably part of Thursday. Its meetings are free to all. The opening sermon will be by Rev. G. H. Wallace of Manchester. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the sermon and members of other churches are invited to participate in the service.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbytery will meet in the church on Wednesday morning at 8:30, and again at 1:45 P. M. After devotional exercises in the forenoon there will be an address of welcome by Mrs. E. B. Wood of Tecumseh, and response by Mrs. M. A. Little of Adrian. Papers will be read by ladies from Adrian, Coldwater, Hillsdale, Monroe and Petersburg. Devotional exercises also at 1:45 P. M., followed by papers, etc. The ladies of Tecumseh are cordially invited to attend these meetings. On Wednesday the Presbytery will meet in the lecture room, the la- occupying the audience room of the church. On Wednesday night at 7:30 there will be a public Missionary meeting in the church at 7:30 with short addresses on topics of popular interest. The public generally are invited to attend this service.

Rev. J. M. Getchell, of Norwalk, Ohio, was the guest of Judge Stacy and family last Saturday and Sunday.

"Kinks," "Kinks,"
Beats the rinks.
"Kinks" at the Opera House on Wednesday evening next.

A tall, lank, lean looking stranger perambulated into the HERALD counting room last Saturday, about three sheets in the wind, and asked.

"Do you sell cigars here?"

"No Sir," replied the clerk.

"Do you sell beer?"

"No Sir.

"Is this the Opera House?

"No Sir, this is the HERALD office."

"Well, what kind of a printin' office d'ye keep here anyway? Whar are yer presses and type? I guess I'll hunt up a beer shop. Good day."

The Kinks Operatic Comedy Co. will appear at the Opera House on Wednesday evening next April 15th. Read this, endorsement which one manager gives to another in regard to "Kinks."

Albion, April 3d, 1885.

FRIEND TIBBITS:—I learn from Mr. Stevens that he is to be in Coldwater Saturday; I feel it to be my duty to Mr. Stevens to inform you that "Kinks" is the best operatic Comedy Co. that has ever been in our city. And they give a strictly first-class entertainment in every respect. I think they have the best talented vocalists on the road. Yours,
M. C. MOORE,
Manager of Opera House, Albion Mich.

EASTER DAY.

Services appropriate to Easter Sunday were held last Sabbath in all the churches.

Rev. W. H. Babbitt preached an Easter discourse in the morning to a large congregation.

Rev. C. E. Conley's morning discourse was upon a theme adapted to the day and the occasion, and a baptismal service was held in the evening

At St. Peter's church, in addition to the regular service at the usual morning hour, a special service was held at six o'clock in the morning, and a Sunday School Easter service at four o'clock in the afternoon.

At the Methodist church a Sunday School concert was given in the evening, when a fine program was presented to an overflowing house.

TURNING OVER A NEW LEAF.

Smith met Jones on the side walk last Monday morning and accosted him thus.

"Why, Jones, you are looking unusually well this morning. What is the matter?"

Jones—"Well, Smith, I feel well. The fact is, I have turned over a new leaf. Yesterday being Easter Sunday I went to church three times. We had a gentleman visitor at our house and as he wished to attend church, of course I showed him around. We took in the Presbyterian in the morning, went to the Episcopal at four o'clock, and to the Methodist Concert in the evening."

Smith—"Your Sunday lessons must have made a deep impression. Where was the text?"

Jones—"I don't now remember the text, but we found the finest new bonnets at the Presbyterian, the most pretty girls at the Episcopal, and the biggest crowd at the Methodist."

TIT FOR TAT.

"April Fool's" day has come and gone for this year, and there are two residents of Tecumseh who will remember the day for some time.

Soon after breakfast on the morning of April 1st, Frank Silvers overhauled Will. Eccles on the sidewalk near his store and said:

"Hello, Will, what is your pony doing out on the street? You'd better go home and shut him up or first you know he will be in the pound."

Billy "hustled himself" at once, took a double quick for home, and upon arriving there found the pony in the stable as usual, quietly finishing his morning meal of oats. The story got around with remarkable rapidity, and Eccles had to hand out a good many cigars during the forenoon.

Will Eccles can take a practical joke without flinching, but he believes in paying all debts of that kind promptly. So after dinner Mrs. Eccles wrote this note in a handsome feminine hand, which was sent by a special messenger, Harry Stevens, to Frank Silvers.

Mr. Silvers—Please call at the house of J. B. Swan for a passenger and trunk to take to the eastern train on the M. & O. this afternoon.
MRS. MCBRIDE.

Frank makes it a point to obey all hack orders with promptness. At three o'clock precisely he proceeded to Swan's residence and took a dray along to convey the trunk. A short talk with a servant at the door disclosed the fact that no passenger there wanted to take the M. & O. or any other train that day.

In the mean time, Harry Stevens had gone up there to see the show through, and was standing on the side walk when Frank came out from the house.

"I say, Frank," said Harry, "perhaps Mrs. McBride wants the hack to go and hunt up Billy Eccles's pony with."

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

Last Monday was a very strange election day, especially as regards the weather. It was a beautiful mild day, the first real spring day of the season. The election itself passed off quietly, and a light vote polled. The total poll was only 621. The vote last fall was 770. There was but little splitting upon the township tickets either way, as the full returns given below, will show. The result on the state ticket was a surprise to everyone. A strong fight was made against Judge Cooley all along the line. This was due to several causes. The truth of it is, the state campaign on the part of the Republicans was most bunglingly managed from the outset. In the first place Judge Cooley was induced to decline a renomination. Then he was persuaded to recall his declination and consent to run. Then a movement was quietly engineered to capture the prohibition convention in his interest. This alliance at the present time was an anwise and unnatural one. The bitter animosity between the republicans and prohibitionists engendered by the last election was still unallayed. Many prohibitionists took offense at being swallowed in that manner and refused to vote their state ticket. Many republicans were angered by reason of the prohibition endorsement, and they likewis neglected to vote the state ticket. As a consequence the alliance proved to be a positive source of weakness. It cut both ways. It acted as a boomerang, like the democratic endorsement of Greeley in 1872. To make matters worse the republican newspapers opened a fusilade of abuse upon Major Morse, sneered at his empty sleeve, and slandered his private character. This unjust and uncalled for method of warfare served to consolidate the soldier vote against Judge Cooley. The result in this township shows that at least forty republicans and about ten prohibitionists refused to vote the state ticket at all. The same causes which worked in favor of Major Morse here operated to a greater or lesser extent throughout the state. In those sections of the state where the railroad influence is strong, Cooley ran largely ahead. In Adrian all the railroad employees, regardless of party, were at work for him during the entire day of election. Judge Cooley owes his defeat to the lamentable mismanagement of his own party friends.

Below we give the figures in detail showing the result in this township. A careful inspection of the figures will disclose some interesting facts:

TOWNSHIP TICKET.

Supervisor:	
Wm. Bresie, D	289
Alfred D. Hall, R	258
John S. Kinney, P	72
Township Clerk:	
Charles F. Field, D	283
Lester P. Tribou, R	262
Benjamin F. Steinhoff, P	73
Township Treasurer:	
Peleg J. Welling, D	323
Edgar A. Tribou, R	230
James D. Sholes, P	64
Justice of the Peace:	
John W. Benedict, D	279
Charles Bidwell, R	263
James H. Heck, P	75
School Inspector:	
Henry Wilson, D	289
Abner Wilson, R	253
Charles E. Conley, P	75
Commissioner of Highways:	
Jerome F. N. Bowen, D	298
Charles C. Tefft, R	251
George Griswold, P	69
Drain Commissioner:	
Henry H. Keyser, D	286
Merritt E. Conklin, R	258
Rufus Adams, P	72
Constables:	
James H. Aten, D	291
James W. Cole, D	217
Wm. P. Smalledge, D	263
John Hibbard, D	301
Henry W. Stevens, R	337
John W. Cook, R	254
L. Kossuth Mead, R	262
William Brown, R	251
John M. Hibbard, P	35
Wm. Kyle, P	74
James C. McKinney, P	69
David Brangan, P	66

STATE TICKET.

Justice of the Supreme Court:	
Allen B. Morse,	324
Thomas M. Cooley, R	180
" " " P	60 240
Regents of the University;	
Charles R. Whitman, D	291
Moses W. Field, D	291
Charles S. Draper, R	214
Aaron V. McAlvay, R	214
Lathrop S. Ellis, P	62
Frank B. Cressy, P	62

THE TECUMSEH LUMBER CO.

Since the reorganization of the Tecumseh Lumber Co. after the fire last summer, and the employment of J. H. Smith as manager, the business of the company has been enjoying a steady and healthy growth. Notwithstanding the dull season of the past six months their business has been good and with the advent of spring they are opening the campaign all along the line. They have lately taken contracts to furnish the entire bill of lumber, including shingles, doors, windows etc. for both the new hotels and barns connected therewith to be built this spring at the north end of Devil's lake. Last week they filled two large orders from Jonesville for sash doors and blinds, and their shops are now crowded with work. Mr. Smith has gone north this week to buy another large stock of lumber, and he proposes to be in a shape to fill all orders that may come. He confidently expects to see a heavy season's business.

INSPECTION OF CO. C.

Inspector-General, James H. Kidd, visited Tecumseh last Friday and upon that evening he made an official inspection of Co. C. He arrived on the noon train from Adrian and during the afternoon he was engaged with Capt. Wood in looking over the records and making an examination of the clerical and routine work which devolves upon the different company officers. In the evening the members of the company assembled at the armory, and Capt. Wood put them through a drill. Over forty men including officers were in the ranks, and the company made a most creditable impression.

It is a difficult matter to keep up these military companies in many small towns. The membership is small, the officers inefficient, and the company falls below the standard. But whatever may be the case in other small towns, Co. C. ranks among the best of the companies in the first regiment. At least this was Gen. Kidd's assurance. He expressed himself as highly satisfied with the general appearance and efficiency of the company. Their arms and accoutrements were in the best condition of any company he had visited.

At the close of the inspection proper Gen. Kidd favored the boys with a nice little speech, complimenting them upon their condition, and adding a few words upon the desirability of keeping up a good state militia. With the present membership of the militia companies, and the men who have graduated therefrom during the past ten years, a force of ten thousand well drilled men could be enrolled on very short notice to be used in case of some public emergency. The General was decidedly in favor of strengthening the state militia by all possible means.

During the forenoon of Saturday Capt. Wood escorted the General about town and introduced him to several of our citizens who were most happy to make his acquaintance. Gen. Kidd made a most favorable impression, not only upon the company but upon our citizens also. He is a fine soldier and a thorough gentleman. He conducts a daily newspaper at Ionia, but that does'nt do him any harm. It does not detract in the least from his military capacity.

Capt. Wood was considerably elated over the good words spoken by the Inspector General about the company and he is prouder than ever of the boys whom he has the honor to command.

In behalf of the citizens we feel justified in saying that Tecumseh feels proud of her military company. We are informed that the company is in need of a new flag which ought to be purchased before the next annual encampment. If this be the case, the boys should not be backward in making their wants known. We believe that our townsmen would open their pocket books freely to help the boys out.

THE NEW PATH MASTERS.

During the *viva voce* attachment to the town meeting last Monday afternoon, the following overseers of highways were chosen for the coming year. We give their names and the district which they represent.

No. 1—Jas. B. Hendershot.
" 2—Wm. Lowry.
" 3—John I. Rector.
" 4—Geo. Griswold.
" 5—A. P. Coddington.
" 6—J. F. N. Bowen.
" 8—M. G. Updike.
" 9—T. Clark Payne.
" 10—W. A. Cairns.
" 11—Wm. Waldron.
" 12—H. Blinn Talman.
" 13—A. K. Waldron.
" 14—Frank Bryan.
" 15—J. G. Roberts.
" 16—John Boyce.
" 17—Bert B. Morley.
" 18—John Margeson.
" 19—Minor Davidson.
" 20—Chas. Blood.
" 21—N. M. Sutton.
" 22—Joseph Russell.
" 23—A. Hanford.

The sum of $200 was voted for highways and bridges.

A vote was passed that the township purchase a road machine, if one should be found that was satisfactory.

It was also voted to raise $100 as a bounty fund for woodchuck scalps, the sum to be paid being fixed at fifteen cents per scalp.

—New Spring Goods at Mrs. N. R. Brown's Millinery rooms. A good assortment of the new and novel shapes and trimmings. Ladies wishing straw work done will do well to call early before the busy season.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—Don't put wide tire on your wagons until you have seen and talked to I. B. Richart.

—For best wheel repairing of thoroughly seasoned and good material go to I. B. Richart.

—Lumber wagons at factory prices and of much better quality at I. B. Richart's.

—The White is the easiest running machine. G. P. Sparks.

—The White is the most noiseless machine. G. P. Sparks.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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EXZEMA OR SALT RHEUM.
Another Clear and Positive Recovery—An Elderly Lady's Letter.
Among the numerous letters received by the proprietors testifying to the efficacy of Salt Rheum, the following will be found of interest to our readers, who may be sure of its genuineness, as the lady is well known for the purity and truthfulness.
WORCESTER, MASS., March 25, 1884.
Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.:
Dear Sir—Until recently I have been for three years a sufferer from Salt Rheum. It followed then an attack of the epidemic, for which I was for a long time under medical treatment. I grieved myself greatly in the hands of the physicians who did, I have no doubt, all that could be done, but one thing is sure however, I was none the better for all the medicine they gave me. The painful and distressing disease made its slow but sure progress until I began to fear I should never get rid of it.
By means of one of those accidents that often result in so much blessing I had my attention called to your Favorite Remedy, which I was told would stand some good. I used it, and within a few months, more than I would have dared to hope for, I received a permanent cure. I am now perfectly free from Salt Rheum. What a comfort this is, and how thankful I am, you may well imagine. Hoping that many of those who may read this may be induced to try your Favorite Remedy, I remain, Yours truly,
MRS. DINAH PHATT.
Mrs. Phatt is a well known lady, where she is well known and esteemed. Salt Rheum could not exist in the presence of her pure blood. Her case was one of long standing, and she had spent much time in New York City for medical treatment.
For all diseases of Blood, Liver, Kidneys, Bladder and Digestive Organs, Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, Rondout, N. Y.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 49 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 56 "
Clinton	7 14 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4.09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	9 12 P.M.	
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 45 "	9 24 "	6 08 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 25	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 51	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 62	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass	No. 37 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
6 50	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	7 03
7 27	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
8 00		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 24		3 45	Montreith	11 35		5 55
8 32		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 10		5 25
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
11 05		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		3 05
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 55		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

*Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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TECUMSEH, MICH.

CARE OF THE HORSE.

Rules Laid Down by Secretary Russell of the Massachusetts State Board of Agriculture.

Too many horses are annually sacrificed by ignorance or carelessness in their management. Good horses cost from two hundred to three hundred dollars, and they should remain serviceable till twenty-five or thirty years old; but a horse is usually regarded old by the time he reaches half those years. With proper care, a young horse kept on a farm should improve on the farmer's hands, so that it would bring more than its cost after a few years of growth and training.

The feet are the most important part of a horse, and yet they are the soonest to fail, because the weakest part, and because we interfere more with nature in the treatment of the feet than in the treatment of any other member of the horse's body. Shoeing the feet of horses is a comparatively modern practice, and not a universal one, even now.

Horses were domesticated and used more or less for man's service longer ago than we have any authentic history. Indeed, the date of the domestication of all our domesticated animals antedates history. Shoes with sharp calks were used upon horses in northern countries in Europe in the ninth century, because it was found that, in these cold countries, horses could be made more serviceable in winter when so shod. The use of shoes has spread and been continued partly from habit or fashion. Shoeing is both an evil and an advantage. The quest on is: Does the good overbalance the evil? The lecturer believes it does. But, in his opinion, about one-third of the horses might safely go barefooted all the year around; another third might go without shoes part of the time, while the remaining third must be constantly shod.

Some eminent writers and lecturers have contended that all horses should go barefooted; but such conclusions result from limited experience and observation.

Horses' feet are unlike, and their work is not alike for all. There have been good feet and bad feet, ever since horses were known. The old roads of Rome, that led out from that "Hub of the Universe," like the spokes of a wheel, were, many of them, built of blocks of stone that must have been very trying to the feet of horses used for pulling the heavy loads drawn over them: and we know by the writings of the men of those days that, as now, the foot was considered as the best part of the horse.

The fore feet of a horse correspond to the hands of a man, the hoof representing the finger nail. The hoof grows downward, like the nails on our fingers, and any treatment to improve the hoof must begin at the top, near the hair, where all growth begins. Every farmer has noticed that if a horse gets a hoof calked near the hair, the blemish will never disappear till the hoof grows down the whole bigness of it.

The bottom of the foot, however, grows in another way. The frog grows from the heel, and is of entirely different material from that comprising the hoof, or horny shell of the foot. The growth from the heel is slow, and the wear of the frog and heel is very slight.

Very few farmers have ever seen a perfect frog. Shoeing always changes the character of this organ, and often ruins it, and the whole fact with it. Thrush always indicates bad treatment of the feet. Some think the frog is useless, even bad for the horse. Some men had charged it with being poisonous to the foot, as though nature ever created a disease. Nature strives to make us healthy, never to make us sick. That part we call the hoof is really a boot for the foot of the horse, and a most admirable boot it is when not interfered with by man. The real foot of the horse is inside of the boot, but comes so near the surface as to have sensation, and to give the animal a knowledge of the character of the ground trodden upon. The toe bone is sometimes within a half-inch or less of the outer part of the foot. Burning the hoof with a hot shoe to make a seat for the shoe, and to save using the buttress, is a practice to be severely condemned, as the hoof is liable to be seriously injured by such treatment. The danger is still greater when the toe calk is also burned in deeply, too. In such cases the hot iron may come within an eighth of an inch of the real foot, and make a horse, when shod, feel like a cat shod with walnut shells.

Shoeing with high calks raises the frog above the earth, so that little moisture reaches it. The frog is intended as a cushion for the foot, and to prevent concussion when it comes to the ground; but a dry frog is a very poor cushion. Lifting the foot from the earth upon high calks also prevents the frog from keeping the walls of the hoof spread in their natural position. Calks indirectly cause contracted heels, and quarter-cracks are only Nature's efforts to get more room to burst open the contracted boot and relieve the pressure upon the sensitive parts. High calks prevent the horse from feeling the ground he walks upon.

Bar shoes for constant use are not to be commended. They may be used to aid the cure of a difficulty, but should be removed as soon as practicable. Too many bar shoes are recommended by blacksmiths, because they get double price for making and setting them. Probably three-fourths of the team horses in Boston are wearing them.

The term "corn," as applied to a horse's foot, is a misnomer; for what are called corns start from the inside of the foot, while a true corn, like those men have, is caused by pressure from without.

The inflamed spots near the heels of horses are the result of internal inflammation, caused by concussion as the horse brings his foot to the earth. With a sound frog and no calks they could never occur.

We would not be understood as denouncing the blacksmith, for he is a useful member in a community. The farmers are more often to be blamed for the horse's lameness than are the blacksmiths.

Some farmers think more of a set of shoes than they do of the horse that wears them. The foot is constantly growing, and the shoe that fits the foot to-day will not fit it five or six weeks hence. The hoof grows long and downward at the toe, and unless the growth is worn off by going barefooted, or is pared away by the blacksmith, the toe gets so long that the horse can not travel except with difficulty. The wild horse knows enough to wear off the toes of his feet that he may travel with ease and flee from his enemies. Sometimes horses are brought to the shed, that require a dollar's worth of paring by the black-smith before the shoe can be set.

The hoofs need paring as often as once in four or five weeks in Summer to keep them in perfect shape. In winter the hoof grows more slowly, and may not need paring so often.

A barefooted horse will stand better on ice than a smooth-shod horse, provided they are given a loose rein, so they can keep their balance. The frog on a barefooted horse holds to the ice and prevents slipping. The frog should be let alone by the blacksmith. The shoe should be so light and low that the frog will have a bearing on the ground. The foot, if unshod, will have a level bearing all round, neither the heel nor the toe being the longest; and the shoeing should never disturb this evenness.

If an ignorant blacksmith refuses to shoe a horse as an intelligent farmer directs, the best thing to do is to tell the blacksmith that the horse can work on the farm without any shoes. Many farmers would be surprised to learn how many of their horses might safely go unshod through the summer. Sorefootedness from going barefooted never does any permanent injury. The feet wear thin under hard driving upon gravel roads, so the horse may go tender a day or two; but a little rest, or change to farm work, will give time for the feet to grow out again.

Hind feet are much stronger than fore feet. They seldom cause any trouble from corns or quarter-cracks. The hind feet will bear heavy shoes better than the fore feet. If horses are shod at all, they should be shod behind. It has been said that poor men must do mean things; but it never pays to do mean things that will cost something. It can not pay to save in the cost of shoeing, and, as a result, lose a good horse. He could not recommend tips for general use, because blacksmiths seldom pare down the toes sufficiently to keep the foot level. Tips must be set very often.

A "dry sole" horse can never be cured, and one that will interfere when barefooted, should be worked slow, or sold.

Most farmers feed their horses too much, rather than too little. Two pounds per day of hay and grain for each one hundred pounds of live weight, is usually enough to keep a horse in good condition. A horse should not be run as a manure-making machine. It is not profitable. Horses that bolt their grain should be taught to eat slowly. They may be cured of the habit by keeping several quarts of stones in the manger, well mixed up with the grain. Horses that are being wintered without much labor, will not need more than eight or ten pounds of hay, two quarts of oats and a few apples or roots daily.

Dry food is to be preferred to wet, except for heavy horses or those that cough.

The horse has the smallest stomach of any domesticated animal, and if we feed and then immediately water freely the food will be washed out of the stomach before it has had time to digest. The writer had seen the experiment tried in France, of feeding whole grain to a horse, then watering immediately and killing the animal within an hour. Some of the whole grain was found washed into the intestines, a distance of twenty feet beyond the stomach. It is a good rule to water half an hour before or an hour after eating.

It is dangerous to chill a heated horse suddenly with cold water, but a horse is never too warm to eat, if not too tired.—*N. E. Farmer.*

A NEW ENGLAND TAVERN.

Recollections by a Poet of a Peculiar Yankee Institution.

Midway between the two extremities, on the eastern shore of the lake, is a valley between two hills, which come down to the very edge of the lake, leaving only room enough for a road between their base and the water. This valley, half a mile in width, has been long settled, and here for a century or more has stood the old Anchor Tavern. A famous place it was so long as its sign swung at the side of the road: famous for its landlord, portly, paternal, whose welcome to a guest that looked worthy of the attention was like that of a parent to a returning prodigal, and whose parting words were almost as good as a marriage benediction; famous for its landlady, ample in person, motherly, seeing to the whole household with her own eyes, mistress of all culinary secrets that Northern kitchens are most proud of; famous also for its ancient servant, as city people would call her—help, as she was called in the tavern and would have called herself—the unchanging, seemingly immortal Miranda, who cared for the guest as if she were their nursing mother, and pressed the specially favorite delicacies on their attention as a connoisseur calls the wandering eyes of an amateur to the beauties of a picture. Who that has ever been at the old Anchor Tavern forgets Miranda's

"A little of this fricassee?—it is very nice;"

or

"Some of these cakes? You will find them very good."

Nor would it be just to memory to forget that other notable and noted member of the household—the unsleeping, unresting, omnipresent Pushee, ready for everybody and everything, everywhere within the limits of the establishment at all hours of the day and night. He fed, nobody could say accurately when or where. There were rumors of a "bunk," in which he lay down with his clothes on, but he seemed to be always wide awake, and at the service of as many guests at once as if there had been half a dozen of him.—*Oliver Wendell Holmes, in Atlantic Monthly.*

THE CASHIER'S DAUGHTER.

The Merchants National Bank, of Toledo, Ohio, is recognized as one of the prosperous financial concerns of that busy city; and M. C. Warn, Esq., is well known as its Assistant Cashier. Mr. Warn has a daughter who suffered severely from rheumatism. Although only thirteen years old, this obstinate disease took a firm hold of her, and for months tortured her. Hearing that Mr. Warn had used Athlophoros to restore the young lady to health and anxious to know the effect of the medicine on one so young, a gentleman called upon Mr. Warn, to ask for information about it, which Mr. Warn very courteously gave in this wise:

"My daughter was indeed a sufferer. For several months she was laid up with rheumatism, and unable to go to school or to attend to her studies at home. We were quite perplexed to know what to do about it, for the disease did not yield to the ordinary remedies of the physicians. After she had endured much pain, I heard of Athlophoros, and tried a bottle. I was astonished, both at the completeness of the cure and the promptness with which it was brought about. I had supposed that a medicine so powerful as this might have left some unpleasant effects, but it is now many months since she was cured, and there has been nothing of the kind, nor has there been any return of the disease. My daughter is as well as ever, attends her school regularly, and is taking her usual interest in her studies. I have good reason to hold Athlophoros in very high esteem, and freely to recommend it to all who are afflicted with rheumatism."

From the Bank the gentleman went to the drug store of Messrs. Van Stone & Crosby. On asking Mr. Crosby what he knew about Athlophoros, that gentleman replied: "We have sold a good deal of it, and I have heard of its doing much good in many cases.

"Their names? Well, there is one just around the corner from here. He is a barber, working at Flower's barber shop on Jefferson avenue.

On asking Mr. Flower about rheumatism, he replied, "no, I haven't the rheumatism, but my man Thomas had it, and that—that What-dye-call-it, with the long name—that knocked it out of him. Better wait and see him; he'll be here in a few minutes." Presently in came Mr. G. W. Thomas, a bright and cheery looking young man of about thirty, who looked as if he had never suffered an ache. "Surely you are not the man who was laid up with rheumatism?"

"Yes, I am the man, was his reply, and I was all crippled up with it, so that I couldn't work. Yes, that Athlophoros is the stuff. I would give twenty-five dollars for a bottle rather than go without it. The rheumatism came on me when I was at work in Chicago. I was sick a long while. My first attack was in the fall of 1883. I tried liniments and everything else I could get. You know in a barber shop every body who comes in recommends something or other. Well, I took them all. I had to quit work. One Saturday night I was helped home from the shop, for I could not walk. On the way I got a bottle of Athlophoros. I liked the idea of it, because it didn't offer to cure everything; only rheumatism and neuralgia. I was undressed and put to bed, for I could not help myself. I took two tea-spoonfuls of the medicine, in milk. When I had had it down about two hours I began to feel numb. Now, I was not in pain. In about an hour and a half after that I felt prickly all over, as if with a lot of needles. Then I sweated. Oh! what a sweat! By Wednesday morning I was able to be at work again. Since that I have never lost a day. I took in all about three bottles.

"Well, you ought to see my old landlady, old Mrs. Smith. She is 73 years old. She had taken pretty much everything for her rheumatism; but no good. I had about enough of this medicine left for two doses, and I gave it to her. She took it, and it relieved her at once. Then she got another bottle. That was two months ago. She has had no return of the rheumatism; nor have I either."

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express paid, on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle. We prefer that you buy it from your druggist, but if he hasn't it, do not be persuaded to try something else, but order at once from us, as directed. ATHLOPHOROS Co., 112 Wall Street, New York.

Worse than Firearms.

The editor of an Omaha paper, in commenting on several cases in that city where children died from the effects of taking cough syrup containing morphia, remarks that opiates, poisons and narcotics are more dangerous than firearms. Mothers should note this and furthermore that different Boards of Health, after making careful analysis have certified that the only purely vegetable preparation of this kind, and one that is in every way harmless, prompt and and effective, is Red Star Cough Cure. Mayor Latrobe of Baltimore, and the Commissioner of Health, have publicly endorsed this valuable discovery.

The Model Farm.

The Keota (Iowa) *Eagle* has at last found a western man who is satisfied with a fifty acre farm. His name is Artemus Fisher, and he lives one mile and a half south of Keota. The *Eagle* tells the story of his management and of his success as follows:

He keeps one team of horses, three first class cows, and a nice little drove of the best hogs. He milks his cows for the creamery, and they made him nearly $200 last year; will perhaps do better this year. He will sell $500 worth of hogs this year, and have thirty stockers to keep over. He has $200 worth of flax-seed to sell; has an abundance of hay and grain to keep his stock in first-class condition during the winter. He keeps everything in apple-pie order about his farm; his cows revel in clover up to their eyes; he attends to feeding, watering and milking as regularly as the clock strikes, hence he gets the best results with the least possible feed. He keeps his stock under cover, and never allows any animal to shiver in the fence corners. He has a barn that is a model of convenience and economy. It is snow-proof, and as warm as the old kitchen. He has a first-class selection of fruit—not a large orchard, but a choice selection of the varieties that thrive and bear the best in this locality. Everything about the farm bears marks of intelligence, thrift and economy. Besides making a living for himself and the "old lady," he will sell at least $800 worth of stuff off his fifty acres this year, and not be exceeding former years either. There is no rush or hurry about this model farm. Everything goes off quietly and regularly. The expenses are very small and the gains sure.

Salvation Oil is the greatest cure on earth for pain. This invalaable liniment routs and banishes all bodily pain instantly, and costs only twenty five cents a bottle.

Magnetic Storms.

Remembering the influence which the sun has been found to exercise upon the magnetic needle, the question will naturally arise, has the sun anything to do with magnetic storms? We have clear evidence that he has. On the 1st of September, 1869, Messrs. Carrington and Hodgson were observing the sun, one at Oxford and the other in London. Their scrutiny was directed to certain large spots which at that time marked the sun's face. Suddenly a bright light was seen by each observer to break out on the sun's surface and to travel, slowly in appearance, but in reality at the rate of about 7000 miles in a minute, across a part of the solar disk. Now it was found afterward that the self-registering magnetic instruments at Kew had made at that instant a strongly-marked jerk. It was learned at that moment a magnetic storm prevailed at the West Indies, in South America, and in Australia. The signal-men in the telegraph stations at Washington and Philadelphia received strong electric shocks; the pen of Bain's telegraph was followed by a flame of fire; and in Norway the telegraphic machinery was set on fire. At night great auroras were seen in both hemispheres. It is impossible not to connect these startling magnetic indications with the remarkable appearance observed on the sun's disk.—*Prof. Proctor.*

A Man Old General Routed.

Old "Genesal Debility" has been put to flight in Arkansas, with happy results. From Brinkley, from Webb City, and from Walnut Ridge, Messrs. P. R. Anderson, E. M. Taylor and F. S. Pinchbeck respectively, write that they were all afflicted with general debility, and received solid benefit from Brown's Iron Bitters. This is pleasant to know, not only for Arkansas people, but for all sections of the country where General Dobility has counted victims by the thousand. For sale everywhere.

It is authoritatively stated that the precentage of short-sighted children in Germany is three to thiriy.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, uts Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, ancers, Piles: Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

Sold by C. A. Wright & Co

West Virginia is no longer an October state.

By lack of open air exercise, and the want of sufficient care in the matter of diet, the whole physical mechanism often becomes impared during the winter. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the proper remedy to take in the spring of the year to purify the blood, invigorate the system, excite the liver to action, and restore the healthy tone and vigor.

The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

Purity.

The scarcity of pure and reliable wines has kept them out of the reach of those in moderate circumstances. Mr. Alfred Speer of Passaic, N. J. who has spent 25 years in cultivating and acclimating the Port Wine Grape and establishing his vineyards produces wine that has been tested by experts and pronounced the best. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

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Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1.
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German Corn Remover kills Corns & Bunions
Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 50c.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

The railway up Mt. Vesuvius has more than paid for itself.

Biliousness

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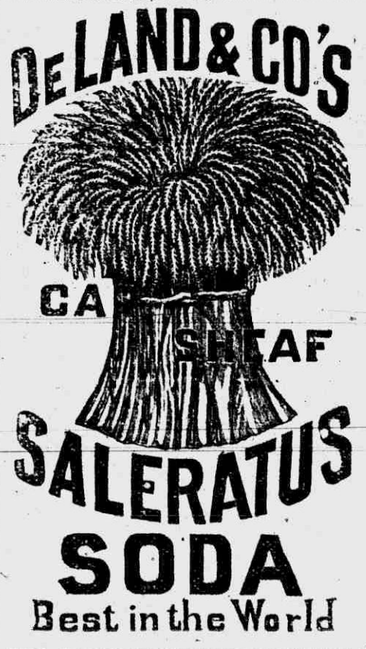

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	
Clyde	9 39	5 00	7 45	
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	
Monroeville.Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	7 00AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	7 35
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 26.	8 27
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	4 12PM	9 20
Orville ....Ar	12 30	8 10	4 45	9 50
Orville Lv	12 70	8 20	4 47	7 00
Massillon...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon...Lv	2 30	4 20	2 30	7 50
Sherrodsville		6 47PM	6 47PM	
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30		3 30	8 25
Canal Dover	3 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 8.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 02	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 35	8 00	
Marietta ....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta Lv	6 00AM	2 20PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	9 15	5 38		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 02		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 28
Sherodsville				5 45AM
New Cumberl'd				6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25		6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	No. 4.	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	8 20AM	8 15
Creston ....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 02	10 15
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 26
Fremont	4 20		12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo ....Ar	5 45AM		1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron...Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

M. D. WOODFORD, Gen'l Manager. JAMES M. HALL, Gen'l Pass. Agt

FROM NEW ORLEANS.

EDITOR HERALD.—I wish you to say to my Tecumseh friends that a visit to the Exposition at this time would give them great pleasure. There has been a great improvement since I left here in January. The weather is delightful, accommodations near the grounds are abundant. You can get a room at the Windsor and day board at the restaurant at about two dollars per day. The Exposition is a great success and a great failure. You may believe almost every thing you have read about it. It is a success in that it displays the natural productions of the country in a wonderful manner. It is a success in that it shows the progress in inventions by a wonderful collection of machinery. It is a failure in that it has taken four months nearly from the time set for the opening to complete it, and there does not appear to be the shadow of a doubt that it will be a financial failure. But that should not deter you from visiting the Exposition. Dear old Uncle Samuel will foot the bills and keep the sheriff outside the gates until the show is over, for his Prodigal Son has returned and he would have us to be merry. Come, and tell my friends to come and they will be treated fairly. I shall be glad to see them and serve them.

GEO. S. TIFFANY.

FARMERS SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening, March 27th. The Farmer's Social Club met at the residence of I. H. Schreder. There was a large attendance of the club considering the lateness of the season and state of the roads. The literary exercises as arranged for the meeting were carried out without a single break in the program, and were all very appropriate for the occasion. There was no question for discussion, but in lieu thereof the ladies served us with an excellent supper that was in every way befitting the occasion. After supper and an animated visit among the club lasting until almost the "wee sma hours" the club adjourned for four weeks, to meet at the residence of John Fisher, Friday afternoon, April 24th at 2 P. M. Exercises for the next meeting

Inst. Music—Roda Benedict.
Recitation—Levisa Schreder.
Singing—Ora and Gracie Gillespie.
Inst. Music—Ellen Fisher and Lizzie Henderson.
Subject for discussion—Farm Economy.

The Ladies are expected to furnish a light picnic. F. V. HORTON, Sec.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending March 31, 1885:

Estate of Lucy D. Ross, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of William E. Seeley, deceased, petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing April 20.

Estate of John R. Fox, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Nathaniel S. Wheeler, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Clarence R. Wheeler, minor; guardian files bond; letters issued.

Estate of Peter Hack, deceased, petition for allowance of administrator's first account; hearing April 20.

Estate of Eliza Smith, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of George M. Kleim, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Tompkins D. Jermain, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of Burt Hall, a dependent and neglected child; application for admission to state public school; testimony taken and filed; order for admission.

Estate of Robert J. Bradley, deceased; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Albert A. Rose, deceased; administratrix's final account allowed; assignment, distribution; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of John W. Giles, et al., minors, affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate, oath before sale filed.

Estate of Welcome Aldrich, deceased; affidavits of service filed; after hearing arguments of counsel an order of continuance until April 7, at 10 o'clock a. m., was entered for consideration and judgment.

Auction Sale.

Thos. J. Hicks, having sold his farm, situated 4 miles north of Deerfield and 4 miles southeast of Britton station, on the prairie, will sell at auction on Wednesday, April 15, '85, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: Five good horses, consisting of 1 large bay mare, 8 years old; bay gelding, 12 years old; gray gelding, 8 years old; large brown mare, 4 years old; one yearling horse colt, 8 head of cattle, consisting of 2 good cows, 2 heifers, all in calf; three 2 year old steers, yearling heifer, 2 sows, Poland China; 15 long wool ewes, skeleton buggy, light wagon, 100 bushels of corn; good open buggy, top buggy, lumber wagon, pair wide tire trucks, 2 hay racks, harpoon hay fork, rope and pulleys, 6 or 8 tons good hay, some prairie hay, 75 bushels white oats, pair bobsleighs, 3 set double harness, single harness, garden city clipper plow, curtis plow, 40 tooth drag, spring tooth drag, double shovel cultivator, ward cultivator, swell box cutter, cutting box, corn sheller, Elissfield ditch scraper, good land roller, 2 stoves, shovels, whiffletrees, Etc. Usual terms of sale. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

OBITUARIES.

From the La Porte Herald of April 2nd we clip the following obituary notice of Sybrant Van Nest. The deceased was a resident of Tecumseh many years ago, and for some time was engaged in the hardware business on the same site now occupied by Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd. He will be remembered by many of our older citizens.

Sybrant Van Nest passed from this life Friday, March 27, at midnight, in the eighty-third year of his age. He was born in Johnstown, N. Y., Oct. 2, 1802. In 1816 he moved with his father, to Jefferson county, where he remained until he was twenty-one years of age. He then went to Monroe county, where, after two years, he married Miss Sarah Barnum, with whom he lived for over fifty years. After a residence in Michigan and Minnesota he came to LaPorte in 1855, where he was engaged in the hardware trade. He retired from business some years ago. During his residence in LaPorte his wife and one son passed on to the higher life. Two children are left, one of whom is Charles Van Nest and the other the wife of Mr. Lafayette Crane. He was a man of strong character and good business capacity and one who was much trusted and respected in the communities in which he lived. Twice he held the office of Justice of the Peace, once in Michigan and once in Indiana. He laid out one town in Michigan and one in Minnesota in the early days. He was naturally of a religious turn of mind. Early in life he joined the Presbyterian church and continued a member for many years. His mind was well stored with sound and practical information. He was very independent in his thought. He was much interested in politics, read his paper daily, and discoursed of the affairs of the times with much zeal and earnestness. Life was a blessing to him, and yet he had no fears of death. He had no anxiety in regard to the future, but died as the righteous die, trusting and hopeful, commending him of unto the care of an All-Wise Father, who is infinite justice, infinite mercy and infinite love.

Mrs. Lydia Ann Wooden departed this life at her family home in the town of Cambridge on Saturday, March 21st., aged 71 years, 6 months and 5 days.

The deceased was born Sept. 20, 1813, in Green Co., N. Y. At the age of fifteen she removed with her father's family to Chili, Monroe Co., in the same state. She was married to Robert Wooden, her surviving husband, on the 14th day of November, 1830, and removed to Gates, Monroe Co., in April 1833. Here she found a pleasant home until October, 1845, when she moved with her husband to Cambridge and settled upon the farm where the family have since resided. Mrs. Wooden was the mother of 8 children, six of whom have grown up to manhood and womanhood, and most of whom have children of their own. She was a Christian woman, and an ardent Universalist in her religious belief, having embraced that faith over forty years ago. Her husband mourns the loss of a loving and dutiful wife, her children are bereft of a kind and devoted mother, the neighborhood in which she lived has lost a "mother in Israel". The funeral services were held at the Baptist church in Onsted, which were largely attended, and an eloquent discourse was preached by Rev. E. L. Rexford, D. D., pastor of the Church of Our Father in Detroit. "Blessed are they that die in the Lord."

Mrs. H. J. Snell has received a copy of the Beloit, Wis., Free Press, which contains a notice of the death of Miss Jennie Lawton, daughter of Prof. U. W. Lawton, who was the Superintendent of the Tecumseh Schools from 1857 to 1862. Some of our people enjoyed a personal acquaintance with Miss Jennie, and all who knew Prof. Lawton will deeply sympathize with him in this bereavement.

Entered into rest on Palm Sunday, March 29th, after an illness of six weeks, of meningitis or inflammation of the meninges of the brain, Jennie A., youngest daughter of Prof. U. W. Lawton, in the 21st year of her age.

The death of Miss Lawton awakened deep sorrow in this city. No young lady during so short a residence in Beloit, dating only from the latter part of August, had drawn around her a larger circle of friends. All who became acquainted with her admired her, not only for her agreeable manners, but also for her pleasant and genial character. There was nothing affected in her nature. She was always what she seemed to be. Her coming, as the bright sunshine, brought cheer and comfort. The home was made glad by her voice and helping hand, her friends happier by her presence. To high, social qualities and unaffected graces of the heart, was added the charm of high intellectual gifts. Her mind had received a generous culture, and her knowledge of the best literature was beyond the range of most young ladies of her age.

Her success as a teacher before coming to Beloit commended her to the favorable attention of our City School Board, who, at the beginning of the school term which closes to-morrow, elected her to a vacancy in school No. 1, where her few weeks of work won the affection of pupils and patrons, and secured to her the full confidence of the board.

Her work in St. Paul's church, of which she was a communicant, brief though her stay, will be held by the members in loving memory. Deeply will they sorrow at the loss. She came among them, gained their love, stimulated them by her Christian example to more earnest endeavor, and then passed on to higher scenes and a more exalted work. The dutiful daughter, the sister whose heart was full of love, the friend that attached herself to all that was noble and true, has been called to the Paradise of God.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, April, 6, 1885.

Present the entire Council excepting Pres. House.

Mr. Bills was called to the chair.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sexton's report for months of February and March was presented and tabled until next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and, on motion, referred to finance committee.

Wm. C. Jordan, labor on streets 9 days	$18 00
Wm. C. Jordan, for pd. Wm. Brown, labor on streets, 6½ days	4 87
Wm. C. Jordan, for pd. Geo. Derby, labor on streets, 5 hrs	62
	$22 99
Geo. F. Payne, 2 assessment rolls for 1885	$ 6 00
Daniel Davidson, 10½ days work on assessment	15 00
Hough & Hosmer, stationery	2 15
R. Adams, services on board of registration	2 00
E. B. Wood, services as Village Attorney for year 1884	25 00

Pres. House here came in and took the chair.

On motion and ballot by Council the penalty of the liquor bonds for the year ensuing May 1st, next was fixed at the sum of $4000.

Marshal's bond with sureties was presented and accepted by the Council.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Finance Committee reported favorably upon the following bills.

W. C. Jordan,	$22 99	Hough & Hosmer,	$2 15
Geo. F. Payne,	6 00	R. Adams,	2 00
J. Davidson,	15 00	E. B. Wood,	25 00

Accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn.

Council then adjourned until next Thursday night at usual hour.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

—C. H. Smith is located in the Cummins' factory and solicits your carriage painting. Good work guaranteed.

The circuit court is in session at Adrian this week.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, March 7, 1885:

Baggs, G.	Mills, Ralph
Fowler, Orren	Slocumb, Ella
Kolkleesh, Fred	Wilson, James
Lake, Edward	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, April 1, 1885.

Carty, Marinda	Maguire, Ed.
Freeman, H.	Root, Harry
Hawkins, Ali	Snow, Deadama
Harvey, Mrs. Geo.	Wicker, Mrs. Fannie
Isamon, Mrs. Mary	Wilson, Mr. John
Kerr, Mr. A.	Yeaton, R. H.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P.M.

DIED.

CLEVELAND—Thursday, April 2d, at the home of her son-in-law in Ralsin, George Sisson, Almira Cleveland, aged 82 years.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @	2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@	03
Butter, ₱ ℔	15 @	16
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00 @	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	07
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	10
Corn in ear	20 @	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushe	@	42
Clover Seed	4 50 @	4 75
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	10
Flour, ₱ barrel	4 50 @	5 00
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	7 00 @	8 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔	@	12
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	9
Oats, ₱ bushel	27 @	32
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	60
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	35 @	40
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	1 75
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	80
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	80
Wool	19 @	27

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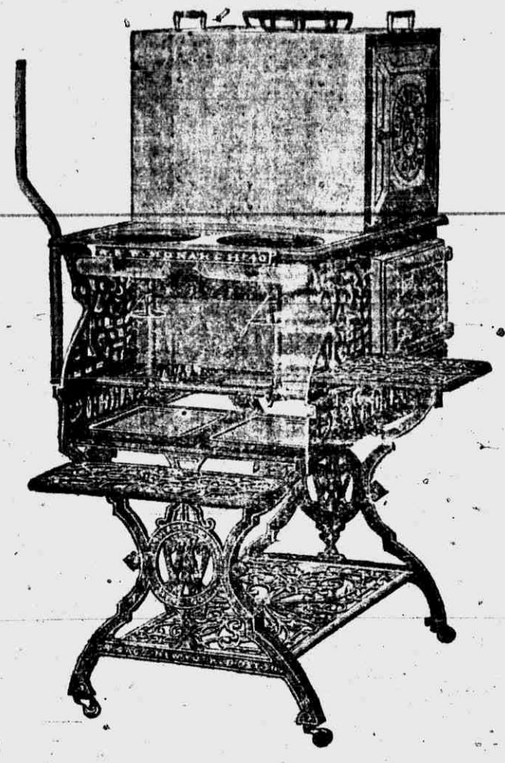

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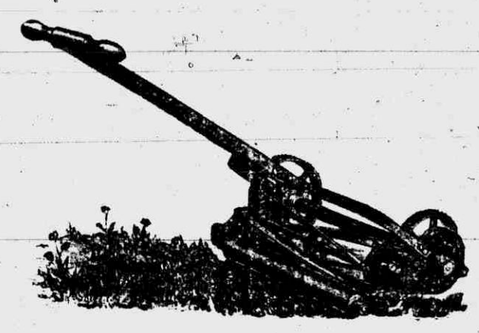

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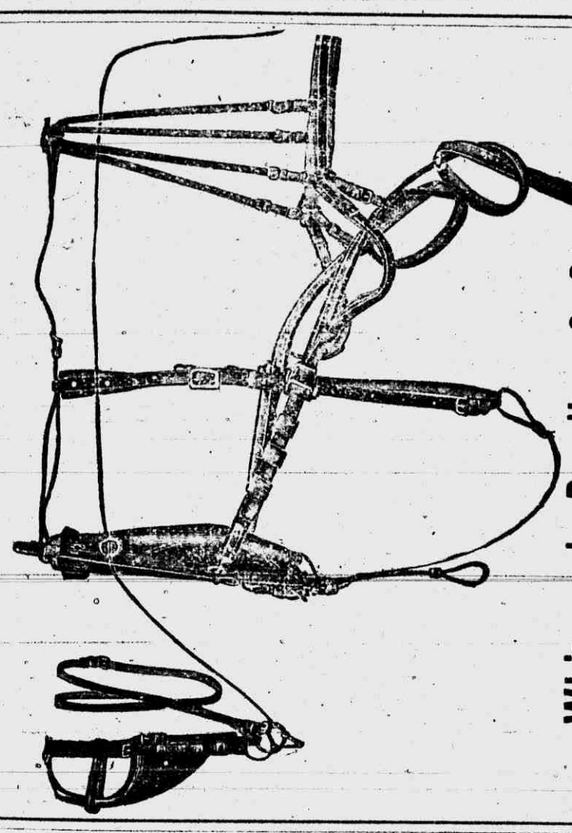

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Leslie and Ray Silvers, of Hudson, are visiting at their uncle's, D. H. Silvers.

E. R. Smith started for New York last Saturday to buy goods. W. D. VanTuyle accompanied him.

Preparations are being made in the Silver's building for the opening of Bush and Swift's grocery, flour and feed store. To those who have been accustomed to frequent the skating rink, this will be a decided damper on their sport, but the ones who have been wont to regard the rink as the source of all evil and full of "ways that are dark and tricks that are vain," will doubtless hold forth an encouraging hand to the new firm. Whichever side we may be on, we wish the gentlemen success in full measure.

Mr. A. C. Huntington, of Hanover, Ill. spent a couple of days here last week. He was on his way to visit his daughter, who is at Ann Arbor.

John T. Clark, went to Toledo last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley, of Battle Creek, have been visiting at John Hause's for several days. Mrs. Bradley is a sister of Mrs. Hause.

Mat. Lancaster, of Brooklyn, was in town the first of the week.

The M. E. church underwent a thorough cleaning last Tuesday and Wednesday. The ladies of the church did the work, and we can vouch for its being done in a highly creditable manner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whittelsey with their two children, accompanied Mrs. Freese home from Ypsilanti last Saturday. Mr. Whittelsey staid until Monday, but we understand that his wife will remain about three weeks.

Mr. Hopkins, of Tecumseh, has been painting a portrait of Miss Clyde Marstellar. It is said by those who have seen it, to be a very fine piece of work, and is very satisfactory to the friends of the young lady.

Mrs. Ennis and daughter, of Brooklyn, have been visiting relatives here.

The supper and entertainment given by the Catholic society last week Wednesday was very successful. The supper was excellent and those who partook found themselves well waited upon and served to the best the occasion afforded. The entertainment was well attended, and every one was greatly pleased. The actors all did themselves credit. There was not quite so good an attendance the second night; but their efforts were rewarded by a considerable sum after all expenses were paid.

A novel game was introduced at the Episcopal social, held last Thursday evening at W. D. VanTuyle's. It is called "Beans" and has the unusual quality of entertaining the lookers-on as well as the participants. The next social will be held at the residence of E. VanDeMark, Thursday eve, April 30th. All go and play beans.

The entertainment presented by Alba Heywood last Monday evening was liberally patronized, and judging from the applause following each selection, we should say it was well appreciated. Clinton people seem by no means to tire of Mr. Heywood's entertainment, but each repetition calls out a larger audience. An additional charm was presented Monday evening in the excellent music furnished by Hobert A. Davis and Frank Ulrich, the former flute soloist, the latter, pianist. The music was of a high order and finely executed, making the time of waiting between Mr. Heywood's selections seem very short. The evening's entertainment seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. The expenses were paid and proceeds shared equally by Mr. Heywood and the Episcopal society. The net profit for each was over $16.

The annual meeting of the Clinton Woolen Mill stock-holders was held last Monday P. M. The following officers were elected.

President—Mr. Brownell.
Secretary—W. S. Kimball.
Treasurer—Mr. Hamilton.
Superintendent—Mr. Russell.
Trustees—W. S. Kimball, J. S. Kies, Mr. Hamilton, Levi Richmond, and Mr. Brownell.

Mrs. F. L. Couch, of Bay City, arrived here last Tuesday to superintend the repairing of her house. It will be occupied by C. S. Burroughs.

NORTH MACON MUSINGS.

We have a delightful item of news to communicate.

We begin to be almost sure that the coming of spring will not be delayed much longer. Our plump red coated friends, the robins, are singing again in the evergreens, and seem to be preparing to set up anew their homes among us. On southern slopes, there is a faint suspicion of tenderest most delicate green. Once or twice too, we have fancied we almost felt her delicious presence coming near or wafted on the wings of the gentle south wind, but as yet Old Boreas has stopped her timid approach. Then too, surest sign of all, friend Melanchton has started his meat-wagon. Who ever heard of a meat-wagon perambulating the country in the winter? Moreover moving days and moving times are upon us. Just now too, ye hired man hies him to his place, to begin his busy season's work. And lastly the house wife is just aching to see those dusty curtains come down, and those dustier carpets come up, while the men, oh! they are groaning at the awful prospect ahead of the lie leaches to be set up, of stove pipes to be taken down, of carpets to be beaten, and all the other semi-annual tortures which these dreadful women subject them to, at house-cleaning time. Does it appear a little as if Spring is coming? Another confirmation.

Rumor has it, that orange blossoms were seen last evening, worn by one of the fair daughters of—well another week will tell whose.

Thanks to Dr. Morden's skill, and the good wife's care and cooking aided by the blissful sense of being at home once more, our friend A. K. Jourdan seems to be recuperating from the fatigue following his long journey home from the land of flowers. Friend J. is rather of the opinion now, that roughing it away from the comforts of home, is not the best way for an invalid to recover his health, even in sunny Florida.

The Sabbath school has been reorganized at Pennington's Corners, and may we be permitted to indulge the hope, that neither long distances, bad roads, nor inclement weather, may be suffered again to suspend its workings, but that it may become an "Evergreen school."

BRITTON BUDGET.

Local items scarce this week.

John Exelby has the foundation built for his hotel.

John Britton has moved in with his son William, to make room for J. P. Beckler the hardware man.

John Britton & Son are getting pretty well sold out of their stock of groceries at cost. Now is the time to buy good boots at cost at J. Britton & Son's.

William Bennett is the man who fixes the boys up with a good shave for 10 cents, and boys look out when the preacher calls.

Rev. Mr. Wright, of New York, filled the pulpit last Sabbath at the Christian church and they wish to procure his services for one year if the necessary funds can be had.

The sugar festival at the church has been given up until the roads get better.

The band is progressing finely under the leadership of J. C. Moore and are able to play a number of pieces.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The Heywood troop gave three entertainments at Union hall, and the last called out as large a crowd as the first, which is praise enough. Character artists are appreciated here, and no wonder, for the place contains fifty-eight widows and widowers who require amusement. Among the twenty one men, and thirty seven women, who compose the band, are twenty recipients of especial grace. The tidal wave of friendship that always precedes an election has receded and powers that be are familiar with authority. The propriety of ladies voting for school officers is being hinted, but there has not been enough light wasted on the subject to make it nauseating.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY.

The following program will be presented at the next meeting of the literary society to be held April 24th 1885.

Music—Society.
Rec.—Jennie Underwood.
Dec.—Will Smith.
Rec.—Eva Pocklington.
Music—J. D. Arner.
Reading—Ida Arner.
Dec.—Ellsworth Wilson.
Music—Juveniles.
Charade.
Rec.—Susie Miller.
Essay—Mrs. David Coryell.
Rec.—Rose Easlick.
Music—Allie Arner.
Tableau.
Music—Ella Jackson.

It is expected that the Wilcox & White organ ordered by Mr. Sharp, of Brooklyn, for the society to try, will be here. A program is being carefully prepared for the public entertainment to be given by the society May 8th and will be one of the best.

BY ORDER OF COM.

ONSTED ODDS.

David Corwin has his wagon shop well under way. He has several orders waiting for him.

School commenced in district No. 5 on Monday last with Miss Mary Lawton of Clayton as teacher.

Thomas Sammons has bought a farm near Lansing. He shipped his household goods from here last Monday. Success to him.

Mrs. Drake, widow of the late John Drake, died at her home last Monday morning. The funeral will be held today.

Charles E. Jessup has bought A. J. Ayres store building at Springville, and intends to fit it up by putting in new shelves, counters, etc.

A FEW POINTS ON FLORIDA.

Andrew Wilson of Franklin returned home last week from a winter's sojourn in Florida. On Saturday he dropped into the HERALD office with an armful of oranges which he gathered in Swan's grove at Kerr City, and which we have since sampled with much gusto. Among the lot were a fine specimen of grape fruit and a hybrid orange, which he left on exhibition for a few days. During his call we took the liberty to interrogate Mr. Wilson about his visit and gathered a few points, which will doubtless be interesting to our readers.

"I went down to Florida last November with the Tecumseh party," said Mr. Wilson, as he seated himself in the big arm chair, "and remained there about five months. We went from here to Cincinnati, then took the Crescent route to Chattanooga and from there to Jacksonville. I spent some time at Sorrento where Dr. Hause's and Frank Bumann's orange plantations are located, and the balance of the time with J. B. Swan at Kerr City.

It is useless to tell you about the delightful climate of that state, as that is pretty generally known now. There is no better land under the sun, I verily believe, in which a man who is tired out with overwork, can go and recuperate his health. The climate is excellent for all kinds of throat and lung diseases. Catarrhal patients especially are almost invariably cured. Martin Wheelan of Franklin, who is a great sufferer from catarrh, has been wholly restored during his winter's visit there.

Florida is the especial home of the orange and other semi-tropical fruits. Vegetables of all kinds and small fruits flourish and yield abundantly, but cereal crops do not do as well. Immigration has been pouring into that state for the past three or four years at a lively rate and it is probable that fruit and vegetable raising may be over done. That remains to be seen. For general farming however I prefer Michigan. In fact, I know of no better state in the whole Union for a farmer of moderate means than our own Michigan. I doubt very much whether I should enjoy a permanent residence in Florida, but for a few months sojourn during the winter months, it is the state to visit above all others. My friends say I will certainly go down again next winter, and I shouldn't be surprised if I did.

On my return home I took one day to visit St. Augustine, that quaint old town on the Atlantic coast and visited the cathedral, the slave-market of by-gone days, and other points of interest. I left Jacksonville Monday afternoon at five o'clock and arrived in Tecumseh Wednesday evening at seven.

The weather has seemed terribly cold since I got here, but I am getting used to it. The past winter has been much colder than usual, even in Florida, the thermometer at one time going almost down to freezing. Thirty-four degrees was the lowest point touched at Kerr City and the average temperature during January and February was from 50 to 60 degrees."

The May number of Demorest's Magazine is very attractive, and compares favorably with those that have preceded it. The opening article, which is illustrated, "A Half Month in Nassau," will be read with interest. Professor Barnard's serial, "A Strange Girl," is continued, and Jennie June contributes an interesting paper, "College Government." There are several good stories and poems, articles on art, household decoration, and fashion. "The World's Progress," is continued, and the other departments are well filled. The frontispiece is a very fine picture of General Grant, one of the most perfect likenesses ever taken of this distinguished soldier and Ex President of the United States.

The County Canvass shows the following result

For Justice of the Supreme Court.

Allen B. Morse	4717
Thomas M. Cooley	4663

Regents of the University.

Charles R. Whitman	4530
Moses W. Field	4444
Chas. S. Draper	4061
Aaron V. McAlvay	4033
Lathrop S. Ellis	808
Frank B. Cressy	809

Timothy Denel died last night after a long illness.

BAXTER OF TECUMSEH.

B. L. Baxter, the laugh and grow fat lawyer of Tecumseh, will remove to Battle Creek and enter a law partnership with his son Frank, already a practicing lawyer of Battle Creek. Mr. Baxter loves a good joke and enjoys nothing better than to be the perpetrator and lead the laugh that is sure to follow, always jumping up and down and spatting himself in ecstacy. A very good joke is recalled, however at which Mr. Baxter didn't jump. It was at his expense. Years ago, when the Deerfield passenger house was merely an old hovel under the water tank, Mr. Baxter was one day waiting for the train. The old station was intolerable and the lawyer, though a strict temperance man, strolled across the track to a saloon in front of which were a number of persons, one of whom leaned back in his chair against the building, in that apparent state of happy unconsciousness generally produced by Deerfield "budge." It had been an excellent maple sugar spring and Mr. Baxter remarking the fact mentioned an acquaintance who had made a fabulous amount from a few trees; when suddenly the supposed unconscious bum opened his eyes raised his head and remarked, "I-I-I know a man w-who made a thousa'd' poun's sug'r from thirty trees." Here the old fellow's chin dropped again, as he subsided into his former state; his eyes closed and he seemed dead to the world. "Well," remarked Baxter to those around him, "that beats my story. I'd like to know how a man could make a thousand pounds of sugar from thirty trees." Once more the bum became galvanized into life, his eyes opened, chin raised: "Water'd 'is sap!" broke from his lips. The roar of laughter that went up, was joined in by all except Baxter himself and the old soaker, who had relapsed into unconsciousness and took no part in the merriment.—Adrian Record.

A BAKING POWDER TRICK.

All kinds of schemes and tricks are resorted to by unprincipled persons to obtain unfair advantages over their neighbors. The latest and most dishonest of these that has come to their notice is one by which certain manufacturers of baking powder have sought to prejudice consumers against the use of other brands that have an established reputation as the best and purest in the market, for the purpose of introducing their own. Their method, we are informed, is to heat a can of baking powder of a well-known brand over a lamp or stove, when, if there is a gas given off having the odor of ammonia, the powder is condemned as being made of ammonia and unfit for use. The prejudices of the unsuspecting are thus excited against the baking powder submitted to the so-called test, and the grocer who has a quantity of it on hand suffers a serious loss in consequence.

If the intelligent consumer will stop a moment to think, she will readily preceive that this "test," if successful, proves nothing but the superiority of the baking powder tested. The aim of all baking powder makers is to produce an article that shall most readily, under use, give off its leavening gas. The powder that does this with a moderate heat, at the same time evolving the largest quantity, is scientifically the best.

There is probably not an article prepared for food that cannot be manipulated to prove that something is wrong about it; and when a person goes into a kitchen or before a housekeeper who is not to be presumed to understand chemical relations, and performs an experiment of even the simplest character, it is not difficult to impress one that something awful is the matter. As to baking powders, we could suggest a dozen tests that would be as ridiculous in giving a fair idea of their relative merits to an uninstructed mind as the one here mentioned.

The true domestic value of a baking powder consists in its purity, wholesomeness, and leavening power. It is only the chemist, with his chemical appliances, who can determine these qualities, scientifically and exactly. Aside from this, the best test for a baking powder is to try it in making bread, and see which makes the most and the best. To this practical test all the established brands have been put, and housekeepers have very generally made up their minds which they prefer, and the tricksters will find ultimately that a brand that has been a household favorite for years will not be displaced by reason of any tricks which they may show.

It is a notable fact that, in addition to what is going on in civilized countries, there is a movement against liquor in some of the uncivilized countries of the earth. Madagascar, only half a century out of barbarism, rigidly prohibits the importation, manufacture, and sale of alcoholic liquors. The African Trading Company of Zambezi, a native corporation, will not allow liquor to be transported in their ships. This because of its dreadful effects among barbarous and semi-civilized people. It is one of the scandals and shames of Christendom, that the commerce of Europe carries liquor to all the uncivilized nations, and to this cause, more than any other, is due the degradation and gradual disappearance of once happy and healthy races.—From Demorest's Monthly for May.

Hat carnival Tuesday night.

Tecumseh Herald

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THE GIRL I LEFT BEHIND ME.

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THE FORCES BENEATH US.

The Phenomena of Volcanoes and Earthquakes.

The intensity of the subterranean forces over any given area of the earth's surface is in a constant state of ebb and flow, now rising to a flood of great power, now ebbing into a long period of quiescence, and then again gathering force for a new and awful manifestation of energy. It would seem that the volcanic forces of Southern Europe are again approaching a period of maximum intensity. But so recently as the summer of 1883, the beautiful little island of Ischia was convulsed by earthquake shocks. It was the season of the year when all was at its gayest and brightest, the little capital being filled by the many Neapolitans and Romans who find it so delightful a retreat in summer. On a bright July evening, when all were sitting out in the clear, calm air, under a cloudless sky, there came a sudden earth-throe, and in a few seconds the charming town of Casamicciola was a shapeless heap of ruins, whilst the other small towns which dot the little island shared in a less degree the same fate. Only two years before another shock had been experienced over the same area, but the earthquake of 1883 was of much greater intensity than that which preceded it.

It is but a few months, too, since the subterranean forces seemed to threaten an outbreak in our own country, manifesting their gathering energy by a slight earth-tremor in Suffolk; and now Spain has been the scene of their awful activity. On Christmas night last, the inhabitants of Madrid were thrown into a state of alarm by two slight vibrations. On the same evening more violent earthquakes occurred in the provinces of Andalusia, Malaga and Granada. In the town of the latter name the whole population, we are told, fearing a repetition of the shocks, camped out in squares and other open places. On the morning of the 29th three severe shocks were felt at Granada; whilst at Torrox, in the same province, several yet more violent shocks were experienced later in the same day. The greater part of the Alhama has been overthrown, more than 1 of the inhabitants of Albuñuelas killed, and the cathedrals of Seville and Granada seriously damaged. Each day the provinces of Granada and Malaga were shaken by fresh earth-throes, and the loss of life has been very great. The subterranean forces augmented in intensity daily, reaching a maximum on December 31, when a more severe shock than any experienced previously was felt at Granada, that being the tenth which up to that date had occurred there. The inhabitants were panic stricken; thousands fled from their homes; those who remained paced the streets in religious processions, headed by their priests, imploring the Divine clemency. From this date the shocks were less violent in character, although a severe one shook Alhama on January 12, and they have now happily altogether ceased. About the same time, an earthquake seems to have been experienced at sea, the Captain of a Cadiz bark reporting a shock, accompanied by a loud roaring noise, on December 18, when he was not long out of Cadiz, seven days, however, before the first shocks were experienced in the Spanish provinces.

Often in the world's history must Spain have been the field of volcanic activity, as her crumbling caves remain to attest, and it was in this corner of Europe that the greatest manifestation of subterranean energy in modern times occurred. The story of the earthquake which one hundred and thirty years ago destroyed Lisbon is a familiar one. Then, as in the case of the present earthquake, the inhabitants do not appear to have had any warning of the coming danger, but suddenly a noise like the rolling of thunder was heard underground, this being followed immediately by a tremendous shock which threw down the greater part of the city, and in the course of a few minutes sixty thousand persons perished. The sea first struck, and then rose to a height of fifty feet above its ordinary level, and the new quay just completed, on which the people had collected for safety, sank with all its human freight, and where it had stood, there was afterwards found to be one hundred fathoms of water, if, indeed, as some accounts say, the sea was not there unfathomable. The effects of this earthquake were felt over so large a region that it has been calculated a portion of the earth's surface equal to four times the area of Europe was included within its range. From the West Indies and the great inland lakes of Canada it extended its range to our own country, to Sweden, and to North Germany. The shock then too was also felt at sea, producing an effect similar to that which follows when a vessel strikes a sunken rock or runs aground.

But whilst earthquakes may thus seem to happen without the slightest warning, there can be but little doubt that, if apparent carelessness, the result of want of observation or to a wilful disregard of the signs which indicate the approach of subterranean outbursts, advent of subterranean outbursts. Light approach is usually heralded in many ways: underground noises, gaseous emanations from the earth, the drying up of wells, a change in the temperature of the mineral springs, dullness in the air, being the more common premonitory phenomena of these phenomena. At other periods, not a sense of danger, but a sense of awe is experienced by dwellers in those regions which are subject to these terrible visitations. I charge, be any in the district ill regarded slight rumblings of subterranean activity. During the early morning of the earthquake the ground upon which we stand, the sea, produce strange feelings akin to the familiar feeling of giddiness. Fissures open in the earth, and permanent changes take place in the geographical features of the country. Thus the series of earthquakes which in 1855 and 1857 visited New Zealand, caused so distinct a change that the former features of the coast could be no longer recognized. The earthquakes of the present century in Chili have produced a permanent elevation of the coast there, and the great subterranean outburts in Java have considerably modified the geography of that region.

Concerning the origin of these phenomena so far-reaching in their effects, it must be admitted that the true theory has never yet been framed. Early speculations were much tinged with the superstitions of the time, and even so late as the beginning of the present century we find a lingering remnant of this superstitious regard of physical phenomena in the naming, by the inhabitants of Sindree, of a mound thrown up during the Indus earthquake, "Allah Bund," or the Mound of God.

It is obvious that the study of these interesting phenomena is beset with many difficulties. Observation can often only be made at imminent personal risk. Yet, spite of this, beginning with the few observers and the almost mythical records of the days of Pliny, the fascinating subject has continued to attract an ever increasing circle of students, who have ever more earnestly endeavored to pierce the veil of mystery which surrounds it. Each fresh manifestation of subterranean energy is now watched with increased interest. Whenever possible, the sequence of events is noted with extreme detail, old theories become weakened, fresh ideas confirmed, and new avenues of thought open themselves to the earnest investigator at every step.

With the phenomena of earthquakes, those of volcanoes are closely linked, volcanic outbursts being frequently heralded and accompanied by earthquake shocks, and there can be little doubt that the two are most intimately bound up, if, indeed, they are not two effects arising from a single cause. This being so, the facts which surround the one class of phenomena may be drawn upon in attempting to frame an explanation whence and how either originates. That some portions of the earth's interior are in an immensely heated condition, the nature of the materials ejected from volcanic vents render evident, and observation has also clearly demonstrated the fact that the temperature increases from the surface of the earth downwards, the average increase being one degree Fahrenheit for every fifty feet of descent. Now, from consideration connected with the figure of the earth and the other members of the system to which it belongs, it has, with much probability, been inferred that the solar system has evolved from one of those glowing gaseous aggregations termed nebulæ, that "this world was once a fiery haze of light," and that when it first existed as an independent body it was in a state of the most fervent heat, a residue of which now gives rise to volcanic phenomena.

What happened then, as our earth radiated its primitive heat into space? The question is a vexed one. So many men, so many minds. One class of theorists, not giving sufficient weight to the fact that the increase of pressure towards the earth's center would tend to keep matter solid there under the influence of high temperatures, suppose that the process of radiation by the earth into space has, throughout the lapse of ages, resulted in the formation of a solid external crust covering a still fluid nucleus. But this class of theorists, by like the volcanoes of Britain, practically extinct, or at least as subdued and unpretending as the Suffolk earthquake. Other geologists, giving more weight to the fact of the increase of pressure towards the earth's center, consider that its condition is that of a body with a solid nucleus and a solid external crust, between which there still rests a residue of liquid matter.

In object on to both these views it has been shown that for the earth to maintain its rigidity under the moon's attraction, such a crust must be of enormous thickness, of so great a thickness, indeed, that Sir William Thomson, who investigated the matter, prefers to consider the earth as a solid globe rushing by contract on. On this view of the earth's condition, volcanic phenomena are explained as the result of the conversion into heat of the mechanical force of contraction; while earthquakes may themselves be regarded as proceeding from the crushing and bending of the rocks by the stress of contraction itself. Again, there are those who regard the earth as a globe mainly solid throughout, but with lakes of liquid matter in various parts near the surface, remnants of its former heat, and believe that it is from these lakes, as the earth continues to contract, that matter is forced into volcanic vents to feed their intermittent fires; whilst, looking at the fact that earthquakes so frequently precede an eruption, these earth tremors may from this point be regarded as ineffectual efforts by the pent-up subterranean forces to establish a volcanic outburst; and since the observations of Mr. Mallet in earthquake localities have demonstrated the fact that shocks emanate from centers near the earth's surface, being sometimes nearer, and sometimes further as the shocks are mainly horizontal or mainly vertical in character, there would seem to be some probability in this latter view of the origin of the subterranean forces, but there are many arguments which militate against its acceptance.

There are those also who, while they regard the matter of the earth as being in a molten condition, yet consider that some portions of it may be in a state of potential solidity, that is to say, ready to assume the solid form on a change of circumstances and when it is remembered that a barometric fall of [illegible] inches is an agency [illegible] of the earth's crust, as the weight of the superincumbent pressure of the earth's crust, as the weight of the superincumbent pressure of the earth's crust, as the weight of the superincumbent pressure

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REMARKABLE BALLS.

Social Events That Have Left Their Impress Upon History.

If we are to place reliance on the novelists who have described the secret machinery of political events both in France and Italy, it is plain that from very early days down to times so recent as that of the second French Empire balls and the making of history are to be closely associated. There is at least one ball, however, which has an indisputable claim to be regarded as historical. We refer to the tragic festival at which Gustavus III., King of Sweden, was killed by Captain Ankarstrom. This gloomy event took place at a masked ball held in the opera house on March 16, 1792. The subject is one which has furnished materials for the operatic librettist and two well-known operas—one by Auber, the other by Verdi—have rendered the public familiar with the occurrences. It is needless to observe, however, that history has been a trifle perverted in order to meet the requirements of the lyric stage. Both in Gustave and the Ballo in Maschera love is made the pivot on which the tragedy turns, and the death of the King is ascribed to the vengeance of an injured lover and husband. In Verdi's beautiful work we have, indeed, the King of Sweden (under the stupid disguise of Richard, Duke of Boston), presented to us as a perjured friend and adulterer. Captain Ankerstrom, on the other hand, or Count Renato, as he is named in the opera, figures as a manly personage endowed with every virtue, whose crime positively appeals to sympathy. Though, of course, there is nothing in his story to show that Gustavus III. made love to Captain Ankarstrom's wife, or that the assassination of the King was connected with anything more than political motives, it is certain, nevertless, that Ankarstrom showed himself most eager to perform the foul deed. He was associated with three other conspirators, Ribbings, Horn and Pechlin, and begged hard that the task of putting an end to the King's life might be committed to him. The rest, however, insisted upon lots being drawn, and by a remarkable coincidence it fell to the man who was most anxious for the work to accomplish it. That Ankarstrom was animated by some powerful reason for hatred is sufficiently evident from the manner in which he met his subsequent fate. Though publicly flogged on three successive days, and condemned to death, he bore his punishment with unflinching courage and composure, and mounted the scaffold rejoicing.

A ball less terrible as regards circumstances connected with it, yet quite as well remembered, is that given by the Duchess of Richmond on the eve of the battle of Waterloo. This gathering took place at Brussels in the house in the Rue Royale nearest to the old Port de Schaerbeck, and was attended by the Duke of Wellington, who, though presenting on that occasion a cheerful countenance, knew alone of the merry throng assembled that the scene of gaiety, which he was beholding, would be speedily changed for one of fearful carnage and strife on the field of battle; the event celebrated in verse by Byron is, however, so familiar to all that more than the briefest allusion to it is unnecessary. In the gossipping pages of the diary of Samuel Pepys several accounts of remarkable balls are to be found. On one occasion it seems that the "Merry Monarch" startled his courtiers in the middle of their dancing by bundling Lady Gerard, wife of Charles, Lord Gerard of Brandon, out of the room. The lady, it appears, had displeased the sovereign by speaking ill of "my Lady Castlemaine" to the Queen and provoked in consequence a passionate outburst of anger on his part which led to her forcible expulsion. Other scandals are also related by Pepys, but they are of so gross a character that their reproduction in these columns would not be decorous. It was at a ball, if we are not mistaken, that Lord Townsend and Sir Robert Walpole proceeded to personal abuse, and seized each other by the collar. Macaulay tells us that "the women squalled and the men parted the combatants." By friendly intervention the scandal of a duel between cousins, brothers-in-law, old friends, and colleagues was prevented, but Lord Townsend after this naturally declined to form part of Walpole's ministry and retired to repose among his trees and pictures at Rainham. Among balls attended by out-of-the-way circumstances is to be included the Bal Masque given by Anderson, "the Wizard," at Covent Garden Theater in 1856. Scarcely had the ball come to an end when the theater was discovered to be in flames and was a few hours later completely destroyed.—*Newcastle (Eng.) Chronicle.*

Electric Eels.

A well-known scientific man, it is said, has given an order to a Liverpool dealer in such wares for a hundred specimens of the electric eel, for the purpose of studying its remarkable power of imparting a shock to anyone who is induced to handle its person. The London *Standard* thinks that when the depths of the sea and of the tropical lakes and rivers have been more fully explored, it will probably be found that the number of fishes furnished with batteries of the torpedo and *Gymnotus* type is much greater than is now supposed, for it falls in with no biological law or theory of evolution that a power so important should be reserved for a few favored members of unrelated families.

—A gardener named Croulebois, at Meudon, France, met with his death in a singular manner. He was knocking down nuts from a tree, and in order to aim with more certainty climbed into the tree and kept his face uplifted. A nut suddenly fell on the right eye and crushed it. He was immediately removed to the hospital, suffering intolerable agony. Excision of the eyeball was attempted, but found to be impossible. Cerebral congestion set in and the sufferer died.

—Many husbands and wives are so much far less happy during the first year of married life than afterward.—*N. Y. Sun.*

EAU MIGH!

There was a young girl from Bordeaux
With corns on her little pink toeaux,
They gave her such pain
The tears ran like rain
Down the bridge of her delicate neaux

Her lover—a youth from Cologne—
Fled wildly and left her alogne
When he found that her feet
With corns were replete,
With never a word he had flogne.

They sent for a doctor from Lynn,
As shining and neat as a pyn.
He looked at her toeaux,
The source of her woeaux,
And indulged in a gratified groyn.

He prescribed for this maid from Bordeaux
And cured all her little pink toeaux;
And now, it is said,
They are well healed
And married from life with a groyn.

The sweet scented youth from Cologne,
Who left her severely alogne,
When he first heard the news
His mind he did lews,
And married from life with a groyn.

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Only a tear on a ringless hand,
For the lover gone to a foreign land.

Only a ship by the sea waves tossed,
Only a man with hands idly crossed,
Sea below, and sky o'erhead,
With a bitter sigh for the love now dead.

Only an aching pain in his heart,
For the cruel words that made them part,
Only a wish to be back once more,
Down by her side as in days of yore.

Only a sight of a pure, pale face,
Sweet and grave in its womanly grace,
Only regret for the pain he had given
Only a prayer to be forgiven.

Only a glance in his tender eyes,
Only a smile of sweet surprise,
Only a clasp of the fingers small
Only a kiss—and that was all.

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How They Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" "Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan." "You don't say so! is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, indeed; I have seven calls to make." "Do call again soon." "Thank you; but you don't come near me once in age." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye." "Good bye, dear."—*Exchange.*

"Gale Forest gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes! and after writing that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to 'brace up.' Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hellow! old fellow, how are you?" (They shake) "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top! When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" significantly.) "Well—yes, don't care if do." (They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around, to make sure no outsiders are about, to see they are breaking their pledge—pause—they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being primed," resumed:) "How's yer folks?" "All well; how's yours?" "All flourishing now; youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good up your way?" "Well, yes, pretty fair." How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way; big democratic majority. (Takes out his watch.) "Thunder! ten minutes to 12.—must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements. Good bye." "Good bye." They again wring hands, and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to stand another treat.

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Pluck vs. Luck.

In an address delivered before the students of the Spencerian business college, Washington, D. C., June 29, 1869, among other things, Gen. James A. Garfield said:

"Now, young gentlemen, let me address you touching your success in life; and I hope the very brevity of my remarks will increase the chance of their making a lodgment in your minds. Let me beg you in the outset of your career, to dismiss from your minds all ideas of succeeding by luck. There is no more silly thought among young people than the foolish one that by-and-by something will turn up by which they will suddenly achieve fame or fortune. No, young gentlemen, things don't turn up in this world unless somebody turns them up. Inertia is one of the indispensable laws of matter, and things lie flat where they are until by some intelligent spirit (for nothing but spirit makes motion in this world) they are endowed with activity and life. Do not dream that some good luck is going to happen to you and give you a fortune. Luck is an *ignis fatuus*—you may follow it to ruin, but not to success. The great Napoleon, who believed in his destiny, followed it until he saw his star go down in blackest night, when the Old Guard perished around him, and Waterloo was lost. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck.

Young men talk of trusting to the spur of the occasion. That trust is vain. Occasions cannot make spurs, young gentlemen. If you expect to wear spurs you must win them. If you wish to use them you must buckle them to your own heels before you go into the fight. The success you may achieve is not worth the having unless you fight for it. Whatever you win in life you must conquer by your own efforts, and then it is yours—a part of your self."

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THE MONROE PRESBYTERY

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SESSION OF THE PRESBYTERY

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Rev James Vincent of Tecumseh and Rev Hugh Lamont of Kalamazoo were invited to sit as corresponding members.

The following churches reported, delegates present, most of them being represented by both clerical and lay delegates:—At Large—Rev Hiram Smith, W Mattson, D D, and J. H. [illegible].

Petersburg—Rev W S Taylor, M. B. Davis.

Adrian—Rev J. R. Little, L. C. Rowley.

Monroe—Rev S W Pratt, W H [illegible].

Tecumseh—Rev Wm H Babbitt, W C Jameson.

Reading—Rev J H Phillips.

Coldwater—Rev H P Collins.

Quincy—Rev J E Fisher, J. B. Smith.

Hillsdale—Rev J M Barkley, C B [illegible].

Manchester—Rev. H H Walker.

Erie—Rev. F S Hodges, K K Harrington.

California—Rev H Lamont.

Blissfield—Dr H Peters.

Palmyra—C C Whitmarsh.

Clayton—B Shaw.

Raisin—Amy Richards.

Deerfield—Hugh Montgomery.

The regular standing committees were then announced by the Moderator.

The minutes of the semi-annual and subsequent meetings were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was then presented and referred to an auditing committee.

Reports from the churches were then called for and the following responded: Petersburg, Adrian, Jonesville, Monroe, Tecumseh, Reading, Quincy, Hillsdale, Manchester, Erie, California, Blissfield, Palmyra, Clayton, Raisin, Deerfield.

Most of these reports were of an encouraging character, although some of them were quite brief.

Written narratives were called for and presented by the following churches—Petersburg, Monroe, Tecumseh, Coldwater, California, Quincy, Manchester, Reading, Blissfield. These were decidedly interesting and worthy of preservation in the records.

Some special committees were then appointed and a new standing rule adopted. A recess was then taken until afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The session was opened with prayer by Elder Richards.

A committee of three was appointed to review the standing rules, and report at the next stated meeting.

Petersburg was chosen as the next place of meeting.

The report of the committee on ministerial relief was presented and accepted.

Report of the committee on Freedmen filed and accepted.

It was resolved that the care of the Hudson church be especially commended to the attention of the Home Mission Com.

Rev. Lamont was chosen moderator of the sessions of the Blissfield and Palmyra churches.

Rev. Babbitt was chosen moderator of the session of the Hudson church.

Committees on foreign missions and on bills and overtures submitted reports, both of which were accepted.

The report of the auditing committee, approving the treasurer's exhibit, was adopted.

The judicial committee, also the com. on narrative and the com. on systematic beneficence submitted reports which were severally discussed and approved.

Adjourned until evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The exercises in the evening were of a devotional character and were held in the audience room of the church. There was a fine congregation present and the following program was presented:

Organ Voluntary.
Choir Voluntary.
Reading Scripture.
Prayer.
Music, "A summer day's visit."
Mrs. L. E. Allen, Pres. Women's Pres. Society.
Missionary Song.
Address, Rev. J. R. Little, of Adrian, on Church Spiritual Growth.
Duet, "Being one with Christ," Mrs. Mattie Tice and Mrs. Ada Allen.
Address by Rev. H. P. Collins, of Coldwater.
Hymn 1004, and prayer.
Systematic Benevolence, a plea, address by Elder Wm. H. Boyd, of Monroe.
Hymn 877, and prayer.
Choir Voluntary.

THURSDAY MORNING.

The Presbytery held a business meeting this forenoon and it will probably continue during the entire afternoon of to-day—a report of these sessions is necessarily deferred until next week.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT APRIL 1, 1885.

For this report returns have been received from 878 correspondents representing 247 townships. Five hundred and ninety-five of these returns get from 48 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

At the beginning of winter the wheat plant was in a very satisfactory condition, and nothing has occurred during the winter to seriously injure it. From about the middle of January to the first of April the ground was well covered with snow. Very little, if any, wheat will be plowed up because winter-killed or otherwise destroyed. The reports of correspondents mailed to this department April 1st, show that the condition of wheat in the southern four tiers of counties was 104, and in the northern counties 102 per cent of condition April, 1884. At the time the reports were made probably not a field in the State was entirely bare of snow, and for this reason many of the correspondents made no answer to the questions relative to the condition of wheat.

A large number of special reports made since the snow melted off, and received the 7th, 8th, and 9th of the month, show the condition of wheat in the southern four tiers of counties to be 103, the comparison being with vitality and growth of average years. The present indications are clearly for a full average yield per acre. The present acreage as estimated in November is 1,474,059 acres, or about five per cent less than harvested in 1884.

Only 3 per cent of the acreage in clover is believed to be winter-killed, and the condition of that portion not winter-killed is 99 per cent of condition one year ago. In condition horses are 98, cattle 95, sheep 94, and swine 96 per cent, the comparison being with stock in good, healthy, and thrifty condition. About seven-tenths of an average crop of apples is hoped for.

Reports have been received of the quantity of wheat marketed by farmers during the month of March at 194 elevators and mills. Of these 177 are in the southern four tiers of counties, which is thirty-seven per cent of the whole number of elevators and mills in these counties. The total number of bushels reported marketed is 306,808 of which 114,085 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties, 92,132 bushels in the second tier, [illegible] bushels in the third tier, 38,196 bushels in the fourth tier, and 13,727 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. At 83 elevators and mills, or 16 per cent of the whole number from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels reported in the seven months, August-March, is 7,100,266. This is 28 per cent of the crop of 1884. In April, 1884, 34 per cent of the 1883 crop had been reported marketed.

MUCH FOR LITTLE.

In this age when the events of yesterday in all parts of the world are found in to-day's paper, when tidings of a battle in Egypt or China are flashed across seas and laid at our door before its smoke is dissipated, it is necessary for well-informed people to have access to reliable maps. Not all can afford the heavy library atlases, and even they are often found untrustworthy unless a new copy is purchased as often as revised.

If you want an atlas, small enough for general use, full enough for nearly every purpose, critically accurate and up to date, we recommend the new Handy Atlas of the World, published by Messrs. Ivison, Blakeman, Taylor, & Co., 753 and 755 Broadway, New York, which is both a credit to them and to the American press. It is bound in flexible cloth, contains 38 beautifully colored maps and important statistics. Among its many notable good things are maps showing standard time, the railways of the United States, recent polar expeditions, Central Africa as explored by Stanley, the seat of the Egyptian war, Bible Lands, and our principal American cities. If your bookseller does not have this excellent work, send fifty cents direct to the publishers and receive it by return mail.

The May number of Harper's promises to be very strong in its stories. Miss Woolson's story of "East Angels" grows in the strength of its study of characters as well as in interest as it proceeds and "At the Red Grove," the anonymous story, illustrated from sketches made at Berne, the scene of the story, by Mr. Reinhart, draws to its close. The short stories include "Constance Royal," a strongly dramatic story, told in three pages, by Jeanie Spring Peet; a humorous love story set forth in "Passages from the Diary of a Hong Kong Merchant," by F. J. Stimson ("J. S. of Dale"), and a charming story by Lucy C. Lillie, with a full-page illustration by C. D. Weldon.

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GEN. JOHN CHAS. BLACK.

Gen. J. C. Black was nominated March 6, 1885, as Commissioner of Pensions, being the first Democrat ever named for that office. The Black family were among the earliest settlers in Pennsylvania and Gen. Black's father was born and bred in that State. Gen. Black, however, was born in Lexington, Mississippi, Jan. 27th, 1839, his father having removed to that state on account of his failing health. At the age of eight young Black with his mother located at Danville, Ill., and has resided there ever since, with the exception of eight years, from 1867 to 1875, when he lived in Champaign, Ill. He received the advantages of a classical education, which however was obtained through his energy in working at odd jobs in the intervals of his studies. In 1861 he enlisted in the Thirty Seventh Illinois Regiment, and was mustered out August 15th 1865 as a Brevet Brigadier General. He was wounded at the battles of Pea Ridge and Prairie Grove, in the former battle so severely as to cripple his left arm. On leaving the army he took up the study of law in Chicago and in 1867 commenced practice, continuing the same until his appointment as Commissioner of Pensions. Mr. Black for eighteen years has been an active Democrat and was on three occasions a candidate for Congress, but his district being strongly Republican, he was defeated each time. In 1872 he ran on a fusion ticket for Lieutenant Governor, and was the nominee of the Democratic caucus for the United States Senatorship in 1879. He declined to be a candidate for Governor at the Peoria convention in 1884, and although his name was most prominently mentioned in Democratic circles for the vice-presidency on the ticket with Cleveland, he refused to allow his friends to consider him a candidate. He never held a public office of profit, although he has been connected, as an officer with many charitable institutions. He is a member of the "Board of Trustees of the National Home for Disabled Soldiers." As a lawyer Mr. Black stands confessedly at the head of his profession. Not only is he renowned for his great erudition, but he is one of the ablest speakers of his state. As a political speaker he has few equals and therefore his services have always been in demand at election times. Upon the advent of the Democrats into national power, Mr. Black's name was the first to be sent to the Senate for confirmation after the Cabinet had been installed. In the great contest between the Republicans and Democrats in the Illinois Legislature for the United States Senatorship Mr. Black was one of the prominent men offered as a compromise candidate.

Harper's Magazine for April is a brilliant number, with sixty-eight illustrations, and an unusual variety of exceedingly interesting reading matter. The frontispiece of the number is a characteristic portrait of Abraham Lincoln, from a photograph taken before he became President. Mr. Wendell Phillips Garrison, who is the owner of this photograph, contributes a poem entitled "The Vision of Abraham Lincoln, April 14, 1865." The most important of the illustrated articles is a personal sketch of the Prince of Wales, by Wm. Howard Russell, superbly illustrated. The long-promised series of Baltic sketches by F. D. Millet is begun in this number under the title of "A Wild Goose Chase," characteristicly illustrated from drawings by the author and R. Swain Gifford. Miss Woolson's new novel, "East Angels," increases in interest with each installment, and the anonymous story, "At the Red Grove," illustrated by C. S. Reinhart, is exceptionally bright and entertaining.—Mr. Charles Dudley Warner opens the Editor's Drawer with an essay, in his happiest style, on "Climate and Intellect." All the editorial departments are well sustained, and the entire number—in letter-press and illustrations—is one of the most attractive ever issued.

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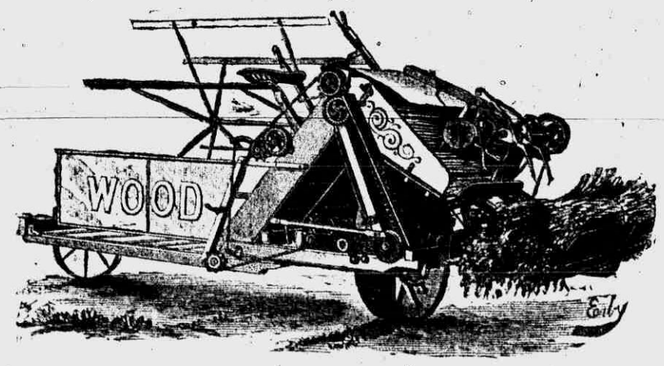

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TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKING.—Having leased the rooms over Miss Hough's millinery establishment, we would respectfully announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that we are prepared to do dressmaking in all the latest and most approved styles. Cutting and fitting a specialty.

MISSES KIRKLAND.

LOST.—A monogram onyx stone cuff button. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to JOHN J. OHR.

SEED POTATOES.—Wanted at once, white seat potatoes for seed.

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AGT FRED LAGEN,

FOR SALE. FOR SALE.—The flouring mills situated on the river Raisin, near the village of Tecumseh, Mich., known as Comfort's Roller Mills, which mill is in complete working order ready for business, and will be a splendid opportunity for anyone wishing to purchase. Also eighty acres (more or less) of good farming land which will be sold in parcels or together. Also 2 good cows, 60 sheep, yearling bull etc.

E. A. TRIBOU, Assignee.

TECUMSEH, April 1, 1885.

NOTICE.—Having sold our new store building, and being about to close out our business, we invite all persons indebted to us to call and settle the same within the next 30 days.

JOHN BRITTON & SON.

BRITTON, Apr. 1, 1885.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Swan & Satterthwaite Bros. is this day dissolved by mutual consent of all parties concerned.

J. B. SWAN,
J. N. SATTERTHWAITE.
E. N. SATTERTHWAITE.

The business will be conducted as heretofore under the firm name of Satterthwaite Bros & Boyd.

J. N. SATTERTHWAITE.
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TECUMSEH, Mar. 29, 1885.

HOUSE FOR SALE.—Large village lot, fine residence, desirable location. Will be sold at a bargain. For particulars enquire of

FRED. B. WOOD.

April fool jokes are not wholly a bad thing, as a Lawrence, Mass., man found, who lost on the street a pocketbook containing $42. Several passers-by winked knowingly at each other and carefully let it alone, so that when the owner retraced his steps half an hour later he found it just where he had dropped it.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to publicly express our heartfelt thanks to our friends in Tecumseh and Franklin, for their sympathy in our recent affliction. Their assistance in the hour of need and sorrow will ever be cherished in memory.

MR. & MRS. R. W. LANGDON.

A CARD OF THANKS.

Upon the eve of my departure for Florida, I wish to extend to the citizens of Tecumseh and neighboring towns, and especially to the farmers with whom I have had business deal, my sincere thanks for their business friendship and uniform kindness to me during my residence here. I leave the old home with regret, and shall always cherish in fond remembrance the happy and successful years I have passed in Tecumseh.

FRANK BUMANY.

RINK RACKET.

There is a young man in this city
Who thinks himself quite smart and witty,
When he goes to the rink,
The people all wink,
And say, Oh! how dashing and pretty.

This young man gives his talented views
In the local inclange of the "News."
He aspires to be poet,
The "Rinkisms" show it,
It's enough to give people the blues.

Although he writes rhyme like a streak,
For a respite on Sunday, he'll seek
A Hunt-ers repose
In his best May-day clothes,
And leave himself up for the week.

Miss May Hunt, of Manchester, visited the rink last Saturday afternoon. She returned home on the night train.

The genial countenance of George Hollister will be missed in the future. He has moved on his farm in Raisin.

It isn't often that the rink is honored with a bran new bride and groom and we think it is worth mentioning when it is. It was Tuesday afternoon, and the parties were Mr. & Mrs. Harry Woodworth, of Mason, who were married that afternoon.

The hat carnival next Tuesday evening will be the first one ever had in this village, and a big time is expected. There will be four prizes given—one for the tallest, shortest, handsomest and homliest, and will be one months admission to the rink free to each of the four.

The one mile race last Tuesday evening resulted in a foul. Heesen got the lead in the start but was overhauled in the third lap by Mont, who kept it for a half a dozen laps when he was passed. He succeeded in getting in front again and kept there until within a few feet of the finish when Heesen made a spurt and passed him, coming in a few feet ahead, but in so doing he knocked young Mont down. Whether it was done with his hands or accidentally was a hard question to decide, but after deliberating some time the judge decided in the former and the race was a draw. It will be skated over again at some future date.

"A New York preacher has threatened to expel members of his church who visit the skating rink. And yet there is nothing will bring a man on his knees so quickly as a pair of roller skates," says an exchange. Well, perhaps; but that is not the way they fall here.—Boston Post.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 16, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The woodchuck must go.

Wheat has gone up, which makes the farmers feel happy.

C. P. Hopkins returned to Battle Creek the last of the week.

Miss Lulu Tefft returned last week from her visit to Cleveland.

The boys in Rome feel badly because no woodchuck bounty was offered in their township.

Mr. Crowel Eddy of Franklin, has gone to Iowa to spend the summer where his four sons reside.

Mr. C. E. Hewitt, salesman for the paper house of Barnes Brothers of Detroit, was in town Tuesday.

James E. Carr, of the Dundee Reporter, was in town last Monday and made the HERALD a friendly call.

Will Ford has opened a paint shop over Albert Hyde's wagon shop where he will be pleased to see all his friends.

Last Saturday proved to be rather a dismal "Arbor Day." The man who planted trees needed buckskin mittens on and a crowbar to dig the hole with.

The Adrian Record man calls it "alcoholic hilarity." That is a very esthetic and suggestive term, we admit, but we prefer the word bewilderment.

Gus Slayton sold his house near the mill to R. L. Robinson. He has two more to sell on monthly payments, one for $8 per month and one for $10 per month.

The Universalists will hold services at their church next Sunday, both morning and evening, at the usual hours. Preaching by Rev. J. M. Getchell of Norwalk, Ohio.

Lyman Thorpe is at home for a few days visit. He is still selling his patent apple corer and meeting with good success. He finds it a congenial and profitable business.

N. B. Bradley of Bay City has been in town a day or two looking after his interests in the Tecumseh Lumber Co. He speaks in flattering terms of J. H. Smith's ability as manager.

Misses Kirkland have opened dressmaking rooms in the second story of Miss Hough's millinery store, and are prepared to do all kinds of work in their line, neatly and cheaply. We bespeak for them a liberal patronage.

Last Monday morning H. E. Anderson discovered in a bunch of bananas he received on Saturday, a mammoth spider. It is probably a species of tarantula, and its discovery made things lively in that store for a while. It has been properly caged in a glass fruit jar and is now on exhibition.

A friend of ours takes exceptions to our statement in last week's HERALD, in giving the result of the election in this township, that the prohibitionists endorsed the republican candidate. Perhaps the languge was susceptible of that construction, but the actual fact was the reverse of this: the republicans endorsed the prohibition candidate.

Adrian Record: On election night a Fairfield voter on his way home with the consciousness of a man who has discharged his full duty, discovered fire issuing from the second floor of Fuller's grist mill. He turned about and gave the alarm, the other American sovereigns, not yet dispersed, organized a fire department, and the flames were speedily squelched.

Mr. Fred Hathaway of Addison was in town last Monday, and stopped here on his way home from a brief visit at Raisin Valley Seminary. Fred has been engaged as one of the instructors at the Seminary, for next year and will assume his position next September. We believe he has the elements of a first class teacher and predict his success in that calling.

"Beloved brethren," remarked a country minister at the close of his sermon, "among the pennies and two-cent pieces of last Sabbath's collection I was surprised to find a gold coin of considerable value. As there were no strangers in the congregation it was evidently put there by mistake. By applying to the treasurer and proving property the owner can recover his money. Let us unite in prayer."

Frank Buman started for Florida yesterday to take up his residence upon his own orange plantation at Sorrento, and if the climate agrees with him he will make Florida his permanent home hereafter. Frank has for many years filled a prominent place in the roll of our enterprising business men, and we sincerely regret his departure. May good health and good fortune smile upon him in the land of flowers.

Alba Heywood was greeted with a crowded house last Saturday evening, and the audience was more than satisfied. Of Mr. Heywoods impersonations, it is unnecessary to speak. He fully sustained his previous reputation in that line, and added new friends to his large circle of admirers in Tecumseh. Mr. Davis executed some fine music upon the flute, and Mr. Parks proved himself to be an adept with the xylophone. The program was excellent throughout.

The Morenci roller rink runs two evenings a week.

Blissfield expects to have a roller flouring mill soon.

Where were the Michigan mugwumps on town meeting day?

H. T. Mathews was down from Muskegon on a short visit last week.

Stella Cleveland spent three days last week visiting friends in Dundee.

The advent of spring poetry is postponed this year on account of the weather.

The Hubbard Voice culture Company have organized a class of 150 members at Hudson.

J. N. Satterthwaite of this village represented Tecumseh on the county board of canvassers.

Old papers, suitable for covering pantry shelves, putting under carpets etc., for sale at this office.

Conductor John Potts, of the Lake Shore road died last Sunday. His remains were taken to Jackson for burial.

A. J. Coddington has bought his partner's interest in the Shelby Enterprise and now owns the entire property.

Postmaster Stearns, of Blissfield, owned eighty-colonies of bees last fall. Only thirteen of them survived the winter.

Bohemian oats have a rival in the "great American corn" scheme, which is being worked in some of the southern counties of this State.

Mrs. H. J. Betts, of Edmore, Mich., arrived in Tecumseh on Tuesday evening last, and will make a long visit at her father's, Wm. Bresie's.

We had the pleasure of shaking hands with our old friend, Dr. H. Peters yesterday. He was a delegate from Blissfield to the Presbytery.

The county canvassers met at Adrian last Tuesday. Danforth Keyes, of Clinton, was elected chairman of the board, and Jay Santus, of Ridgeway, clerk.

Early risers are now rewarded by a glimpse of the "Star of Bethlehem," which can be seen in the eastward at 3 o'clock A. M. It will not be visible again for 300 years.

The Morenci Observer says there is a workingman in that village, with a wife and two children, who receives $30 per month and has saved $100 in five months. An itemized statement of the family expenses would be of interest to most housekeepers.

Muskegon News: Mr. J. H. Smith, manager of the Tecumseh (Mich.) Lumber Co., was in the city yesterday, and contracted for a large bill of lumber to be shipped over the Michigan & Ohio R. R. to Devil's Lake. The lake above mentioned is destined to be a popular summer resort, as it is a beautiful sheet of water.

East Jordan Enterprise: A genius has invented a cushion with a spiral spring; to be worn by skaters where it will do the most good. When a skater who wears one of these contrivances sits down unexpectedly and in italics, as it were, the spring throws him right on his feet again before he is fully aware that there has been an accident.

Addison Courier: The cry of fire was sounded in our quiet little village Wednesday forenoon. The livery barn of Wolson & Bryant was discovered to be on fire, and the people rushed to the scene and soon extinguished the flames. No damage of any account was done. Wouldn't it be a good idea to buy a small hand engine to protect our property?

Fowler & Conn of this village have the state agency for a new patent refrigerator sideboard cupboard, which is undoubtedly the best thing of the kind that has ever been put on the market. It is a refrigerator, sideboard, cupboard and cabinet combined in one, is a handsome article of furniture and has many improvements over the old style of refrigerator. Agents wanted. Address for circulars etc., Fowler & Conn, box 536, Tecumseh, Mich.

Last Saturday, in honor of Albert Brewer's birthday, the office of H. Brewer & Co., was adorned with a beautiful oil portrait of Horace Brewer, the founder of the firm. It was a gift from H. E. Stout, and was executed by C. H. Hopkins. The likeness is a very natural one, the features most life like, and the work finely done. Horace Brewer's memory is warmly cherished by all who knew him, and this gift by one of his former workmen will be highly prized by the members of the present firm.

W. B. Keyser, who has been suffering from an attack of paralysis for two or three weeks, was in town last Saturday shaking hands with his friends. We are glad to see "Wes" out again, but are afraid that he is getting to be a chronic office seeker. He is school inspector of Clinton, Assessor of his school district, Treasurer of the Commercial Telegraph Co., Secretary of the slumbering fair association, and was elected at the last town meeting as Justice of the Peace of Clinton. However, in all these cases, the office sought the man. We are glad to note that since his election as Justice he has been rapidly improving.

Harry Snell was in town last Sunday.

Mrs. Fred H. Burlingame is visiting relatives in Coldwater.

The new Adrian city building is called the "Chinese pagoda."

Jesse Potter, of Britton, was in town over Sunday visiting his parents.

The Morenci hose company are going to purchase some new rubber suits.

Miss Nettie Cole started for Angola Ind. last Monday where her father resides.

You can now order your meat by telephone. Hurlbut Cole has one in his market now.

Johnny Orr's wife and baby are visiting friends at Jackson, and John is very miserable.

Will Smith has left the employ of Kies Bros., and is succeeded by Chas. Thompson, of Clinton.

The Bohemian oat agents are taking horses in exchange for farmer's notes in the township of Rollin.

Alba Heywood turned away about 100 people at his Clinton entertainment last Monday evening.

Mr. Will Todd and Miss Birdie Harding, of Adrian drove over to Tecumseh on a short visit last Thursday.

The Berkey & Gay Furniture Company, of Grand Rapids will furnish a $50,000 outfit for a Minneapolis hotel.

One months admission free is the prize given for the tallest, smallest, handsomest and homliest hat at the rink next Tuesday evening.

Dave Macham has been having his barber shop papered and painted this week. Dave does'nt propose to be behind the rest of the barbers in the matter of internal improvements.

Adrian Record: Congressman Eldredge has discontinued his down town office in the Underwood block and established an "anxious seat" and "inquiry room" at his residence, No: 34 Hunt street, east of north branch school house. Applicants for office will please place this guide-board on their heads when looking for the colonel.

At the recent election of officers of the M. E. Sunday school the following persons were chosen for the coming year.

Supt.—Dr. R. B. House.
Asst. Supt.—B. Hurry.
Sec'y—Mrs. R. B. House.
Treas.—Miss Leila Doty.
Librarian—Wm. Waldron.
1st. Asst.—Edgar L. Ide.
2d. Asst.—Miss Eva Perry.
Organist—Mrs. Wm. Waldron.

The Supreme Court has granted a writ of mandamus against the City of Adrian to show cause why it should not pay rent for water from July, 1884, to January, 1885. The writ has not yet been served. The City Council has decided to employ counsel to assist the City Attorney, and when the papers are served the showing will be promptly made, and it will be simply that the company has never fulfilled the contract in any respect, has never made a test that the contract requires or that the Council has accepted, and that the water is neither sufficient nor wholesome. Aside from this the works were not completed for a test until long after the time allotted had expired.

Adrian Times: Horace T. Treat is a farmer who lives in Wright township, Hillsdale county. He is a democrat. He has a neighbor, Nelson Masters, who is a republican. During the campaign of last fall the two neighbors made a friendly wager, the republican agreeing to give a sheep to the democrat, in case of Cleveland's election, the latter to cook the mutton and invite in the neighbors. A reverse bargain was made in the case of Blaine's election. Mr. Masters duly presented the sheep to his neighbor on Wednesday last, and on Thursday there was a sheep roast, in which about 125 of the friends and neighbors participated. The affair ended with a dance, and it will long be remembered with pleasure by all who participated, among whom were some friends from this section.

SOMEWHAT SARCASTICAL.

A former resident of Tecumseh now residing at Cleveland, Tenn., in a friendly letter to an acquaintance here says: "The people here are law abiding, unpretentious, honest, and I will add progressive. It is a felony in this state for any person to carry a pistol or offer one for sale, while the lax laws of Michigan place a revolver in the hands of every school boy. I fear many of the Michigan folks are degenerating and becoming "cranks." When I left, there were two Medical Colleges in Michigan—one at Ann Arbor and the other at Detroit—and both required two years attendance. Now all a young man has to do to become an M. D. is to pay the county clerk a fee of fifty cents. I see your wise legislature have made a registration law for doctors and dogs. Why don't they make other animals register? A dog has to pay a dollar for being a dog, and a man has to pay fifty cents for being a physician in the great State of Michigan. I regret to hear of the hard times in Michigan. I hear no complaint of hard times here. There are but eleven paupers besides myself in this entire county.

EIGHT YEARS ON THE OULD SOD.

Mr. Elliot Gray has got settled down in his old home again and his smiling countenance is daily seen in town. Mr. Gray dropped into the HERALD office last Monday, and we enjoyed a short chat with him in regard to his residence in Ireland.

"My wife left home eleven years ago on the 14th day of February for Ireland, to assist in the care of an aged aunt, and has been there ever since until our departure for America last month. This relation died last fall at the advanced age of 104 years, and after getting the business of her estate in process of settlement we returned home.

Eight years ago, this spring I first visited the "Ould Sod," and remained there most of my time since, although I have taken a flying trip home about once a year. During that time I have crossed the Atlantic eighteen times, so I flatter myself that I have become quite a sea faring man. I enjoy an ocean voyage very much as I am never troubled with sea sickness. I have generally taken passage on the Inman Line, although occasionally I try some other steamers.

The many things you see in print in praise of Ireland are not exaggerated in the least. It is a beautiful country. Owing to the climatic effects of the gulf stream, the temperature is milder than it is in the same latitude here. The winters are comparatively warm and the summers cool. Snow is rarely seen. Only twice during my residence there did we have sleighing and then only for two or three days. Ploughing had begun and the potato crop was being planted two weeks before I started for home last month.

The Irish are a very hospitable generous hearted people, but strong in their likes and dislikes. They are warm friends to those they like and just as warm enemies to those they hate. Their hatred of Johnny Bull is proverbial and this enmity will continue until Ireland becomes free.

I suppose you have heard a good deal about Irish whiskey and the drinking habits of the people. Well, I do not care to say much on that subject, but I can say this, that Irish whiskey is very pure liquor, and that it is used very generally by all classes of people. There is but little drunkenness however. People use it in their homes, the same as we do tea and coffee and cider, and it is rarely taken to excess.

During my residence there I was not idle, but improved my time in a business point of view. I engaged in selling flour on commission, and worked up a fine traffic. I have sold flour for the Tecumseh Millers, for other Michigan mills and for several big firms at Minneapolis. I have regular customers now at Dublin, Belfast, Sligo, Cork, Inniskillin and several other large towns in Ireland. I find the business both agreeable and profitable and shall undoubtedly continue it.

Although I enjoyed my stay in Ireland, I am glad to get home again. After all, I know of no better "neck of the woods" for a permanent home than Southern Michigan. My property and all my friends are in Tecumseh. My interests are here, and here I intend to spend the rest of my life. Whenever I can be instrumental in my humble way, in advancing the business prosperity of Tecumseh, you will find me ready and willing to do my share".

The following letter received by Mr. Gray, on the eve of his departure from Sligo, from a fine "old Irish Gentleman," shows the esteem in which he was held by his Irish acquaintances. The letter is a memento which the major will think worth preserving.

SLIGO, March 23, 1885.

DEAR MAJOR GRAY:—I beg to express the regret I feel at your leaving Sligo, where by your gentlemanly conduct and kindness of disposition, you have endeared yourself to all classes and creeds. You were amongst us at a time of great agitation and trouble, yet by your sound judgment and good sense, you identified yourself with no party. You are now returning to your own country United States of America which you love so well, and in bidding you farewell, I wish you and yours a prosperous voyage, and a long life, and happiness in your home. Believe me ever very sincerely yours,

T. ROSS,
Co. Inspt. Royal Irish Const.

MAJOR GRAY, U. S. A.

A broken rail on the Toledo, Ann Arbor and Northern Railroad, caused two coaches loaded with passengers, to leave the track about six miles north of Milan, one day last week. After leaving the track, the coaches were turned over and dragged about ten rods on their sides. J. B. Conners, trainmaster, and H. Z. Smith, road master, were badly hurt. Three ladies, a child and four men were badly hurt. It is thought that Mrs. Clute, of Dundee, Mich., who was injured on the hip, will not recover. The track was blocked all day, and all trains were delayed.

N. Atherton, for the past seven years with H. C. Wason & Co. of Toledo, has entered the employ of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., as assistant to J. H. Smith. Mr. Atherton is a good business man and a genial gentlemen, and we commend him to the public. He and manager Smith will make a strong team.

Don't forget the hat carnival at the rink next Tuesday evening.

The new hardware firm of Taylor Bros. Adrian, have a card in to days paper, to which we invite attention.

Mr. H. D. Woodworth of Mason, and Miss Cora Carter, of Lake Ridge, were married at the Lilley House Tuesday by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.

Pamphlet descriptive of the Great Interior Fruit Belt and Sanitarium of Southern California sent free on application by letter or postal to L. M. Holt, Editor Press and Horticulturist, Riverside Cal.

C. V. Hicks' "An Sable Drug Store" was burglarized Sunday night to the amount of $50 in goods and money.—All the change in the money drawer was taken. About $23 was left in a writing desk by the proprietor. The burglar attempted to pry up the top with an ax, but failed, and went away leaving the money, which he could have secured by pulling out the unlocked drawer.

Miss Hattie Montgomery left here on Monday to attend college at Albion. On Friday evening, April 10, a number of her friends assembled at the residence of Rev. G. D. Perry and gave her a reception. Refreshments were served and Hattie was presented with a nice teacher's Bible and a copy of Gospel Hymns. The good wishes of her many friends go with her to her new field of work.

Henry W. Langdon, of Franklin, came to Tecumseh with his daughter last Friday and called at Dr. House's office to procure medical treatment for the daughter. Mr. Langdon seemed to be in his usual health. After taking a chair from the doctor and seating himself he suddenly expired. There was no cause for his death, as he had not been complaining. He was an old pioneer of the county, having lived for over fifty years on his farm a mile and a half north of Franklin Center. He was eighty-three years old, and was highly respected by his neighbors.

"Times are hard, money is scarce, business is dull, retrenchment is a duty—please stop my—beer? Oh, no! times are not hard enough for that yet. But there is something else that costs me a large amount which I wish to save. Please stop my—tobacco cigars and snuff? Oh, no, not these but I want to retrench somewhere. Please stop my—ribbons, jewels, ornaments and trinkets? Not at all; pride must be fostered, if times are hard but I can see a way of saving in another direction. Please stop my—tea, coffee? No, no not these. Ah, I have it now, my—my paper: that will take me through the panic easily. I believe in retrenchment and economy, of—brains.

Macon Grange No. 167 will hold an open meeting on Tuesday, the 21st inst., at 7:30 o'clock P. M. with the following full program.

Opening Song—Choir.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. S. Dutton.
Rec.—Camilla Mead.
Dec.—Johnnie Baker.
Inst. Music—Nettie Miller.
Rec.—Jennie Osgood.
Dec.—Robert Bailey.
Reading—Susie M. Osgood.
Song—Josie Clarkson.
Rec.—Martha Linton.
Dec.—Albert Boyce.
Inst. Music—Hattie Osgood.
Rec.—Emma Bailey.
Dialogue—Rival Orators—Edward Baker and Milton Weeks.
Closing Song—Choir.
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—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Don't put wide tire on your wagons until you have seen and talked to I. B. Richart.

—Kyle & Haynes cut old wagons down and put wide tires on cheap.

—The White is the most durable machine. G. P. Sparks.

—Buy the Noiseless Light Running New Home Sewing Machine. Remember this machine is warranted to be entirely free from raw hide and cotton batting. Drop me a postal card for prices. B. J. Coller, Gen. Agent, Adrian.

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—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—For best wheel repairing of thoroughly seasoned and good material go to I. B. Richart.

—Lumber wagons at factory prices and of much better quality at I. B. Richart's.

—The White is the easiest running machine. G. P. Sparks.

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—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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WORCESTER, Mass., March 25, 1881.

Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.

Dear Sir: Until recently I have been for three years without hair upon my head. It followed upon an attack of Erysipelas for which I was a long time under medical treatment. I lost my health and I lost no doubt, all that could be lost, but I did not lose hope, for I had faith in your advertisement, and I began to hear that it would prove good of it.

By the use of two bottles of your excellent medicine, which I was induced to try by the favorable reports which I read, it would scarcely be one good. I used it, and within a much shorter time than I would have believed possible, I received a permanent cure. I am perfectly free from Salt Rheum. What a blessing! What a comfort it gives my wife! Her gratitude is as great as mine. You may, if you think proper, use my name in any way you may deem best. I keep it you constantly in the same as a family medicine. Yours truly,

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TECUMSEH, - MICHIGAN

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 16, 1885.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

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The messages of the Treasury has received from the State Department that the treaties of peace now existing between the government and the government of Peru will terminate, by notice from the latter on the 1st of March, 1886.

President Cleveland has commuted to imprisonment for life the death sentence of Frank Minor, who was twice convicted of the murder of his wife in Washington, D. C., last year.

The British Government has requested that the Alert, which was used in the Greely relief expedition, be sent to Halifax, where she will be received by the English authorities. It is stated that she will be used in surveying.

THE EAST.

[illegible] furniture works at Pittsburgh were destroyed by fire on the 6th. Loss on building and furniture, $60,000; insurance $[illegible], mostly among foreign companies. Several small buildings adjoining were badly damaged by falling walls.

At their session in New York City on the 9th the Women's Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. O. H. Hobbard; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. William E. Dodge and seventeen other ladies; Treasurer, Mrs. C. P. Hart; Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Welsh; Home Secretaries, Mrs. W. M. Hornsey and Mrs. F. A. Booth; Foreign Secretaries, Mrs. Jasper E. Corning and Miss M. L. Post. A Board of Managers, composed of twenty-six ladies, was also elected.

Business failures reported in the United States during the week ended the 10th number 175, against 22[illegible] in the preceding week and 176, 153 and 141 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882 respectively.

General Charles Kimball, the most extensive wholesale dealer in the potato business in Boston and the projector of the heating apparatus used for preventing potatoes freezing in cars, died at his home in Chelsea, Mass., on the 10th, aged seventy-six.

The imports of dry goods at the port of New York during the week ended the 10th were valued at $1,[illegible], and the amount thrown on the market at $1,[illegible].

Carnegie's Bessemer steel works at Homestead, Pa., will shortly double their capacity, and manufacture exclusively structural steel. The change will throw out of employment a large number of puddlers.

It is said that a large number of Canadians liable to be drafted for military duty are flocking across the border into Maine, daily. An attempt at St. Stephen to recruit a company of volunteers for service in the Northwest was unsuccessful.

A cremation society was formally organized at Worcester, Mass., on the 10th.

A body supposed to be that of S. S. Conant, the missing editor of *Harper's Weekly*, was discovered on the 10th in Coney Island creek. The body was very much decomposed.

Julius Loiseau, a professor in Columbia College, suicided at his home in Woodville, Long Island, on the 10th.

The iron bridge over Indian Creek, near Connellsville, Pa., on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, broke down on the 10th, precipitating an east-bound freight train of seventeen cars into the water twenty-five feet below. The engine and cars were completely demolished, and two brothers named H. H. Fuller and Benjamin Fuller, respectively conductor and brakeman, were killed. The rest of the crew escaped unhurt.

Edward Geatking, fireman, was killed, and James Boyle fatally injured by the explosion of a boiler at the breaker near Yorktown, Carbon County, Pa., on the 11th. Boyle was found forty feet from the boiler-house. Geatking was twenty feet from the house.

The jury in the case of President Fish, of the New York Marine Bank, on the 11th brought in a verdict of guilty on eleven of the twenty-five charges in the indictment. Mr. Fish was remanded to Ludlow street jail for sentence. The count on which he was found guilty outside those charging him with embezzling the funds of the Marine Bank. The verdict caused much surprise in the court. The first [illegible] [illegible] and the second [illegible] in favor of the prisoner.

The Lawrence Knitting Mills at South Bethlehem, Pa., owned by J. T. Spencer, were burned on the 11th. Loss $[illegible] partially insured.

The remains and effects of the assassinated President Lincoln were received at the Northern Depot, of Boston, on the train by Rev. Phillips Brooks, of the Trinity parish, the reception committee of the city, the municipal officers, and a military escort, by which they were escorted to the Parker House, where they were placed in state in the Dorchester room, where they will remain for public view, and the public will be admitted to view the remains, which will be placed in the hearse at 2 o'clock on Friday, and that would be the time for the funeral procession to start. The procession will be very large, and will include the military companies, the municipal authorities, and the Grand Army of the Republic, and the funeral will be very imposing. The remains will be placed in the receiving tomb at Forest Hills cemetery, where they will remain until the arrangements are made for the final interment.

A dispatch from Washington to the Boston Herald says: Mr. Lincoln's remains will be placed in the vault at Springfield, Ill., on the 21st, with those of his wife and children, on the 25th. The vault is of brick, and will be kept open for a year. The vault will be opened for the reception of the remains of Mrs. Lincoln, and the remains will be placed in the vault with those of her husband and children.

Edward Forest, the widely-known gambler of Hot Springs, Ark., was killed in a duel in Philadelphia on the 11th, accompanied by a friend, to enter and against the estate of the late Jacob Forest, the [illegible] millionaire. Frank claims to have loaned Edward a large amount of money some three years ago, part of which remains unpaid.

[illegible] editor of the *Independent*, of New York, N. Y., was [illegible] and severely injured on the 11th by the arrival of two [illegible] [illegible] Edward Kennedy.

The Grand Master of Masons in Ohio has decided that a Mason who takes a drink of whisky is not a Mason, and he will be so treated by the craft.

The Chicago Board of Trade on the 11th [illegible] a decline of three per cent. [illegible] [illegible] in April.

The Pullman shops at Pullman, Ill., [illegible] [illegible] the 11th, [illegible] [illegible] men.

The Grand Jury in the Guiteau case [illegible] [illegible] the 11th [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Guiteau [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

RAILROAD TIME TABL ES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 30 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 08 "
Tecumseh	7 29 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 50	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneva	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cohoes	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 42	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 45	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cohoes	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 05
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 05	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneva		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
P.M.	A.M.			P. M.	A. M.	
3 15	10 10		A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
6 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
6 00	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 07	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 32		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 22	11 35		Tipton	3 32	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 51	8 51	
8 06	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 42	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
9 3	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 33	6 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 10	7 33
6 55	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 12	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
P. M.	P. M.	2 50	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 42		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
8 4		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 24		3 45	Montetth	11 35		5 55
8 33		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 10		5 25
8 56		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 14		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 45		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A.M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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THE CONTRIBUTION BOX.

It Makes a Confession and Gives a Few Pretenders Away.

"My friends," said the contribution box, in a hollow voice, "my time is well-nigh spent, and I shan't be with you many days. I have lived a correct life and have always taken care of myself, and though to be sure I have been around a good deal, I never got full. But the lining of my stomach is all worn out, my joints are out of kilter, and I feel sometimes as though actually falling to pieces. However, I might have kept up and about awhile longer hadn't the sexton broken my arm trying to strike a mouse with me the other evening in the vestry. That mouse, the poor thing!—it was a church mouse, you know—escaped a box on the ear," added the contribution box, with a ghastly attempt at facetiousness; "but the shock was too much for me. My arm was broken short off, and when the sexton, instead of apologizing, called me a cross-grained old thing, my heart was broken too, I really believe.

"Well, well!" continued the contribution box, after a pause, "I've seen a good deal in my time, and it may not be wholly unprofitable for you to hear some of my experiences. I have been a close observer all my life, and I think I know something about human nature. It was always very amusing to me, when I passed beneath the noses of the people in the pews, to watch the varied expressions on the faces above me. There was old Mrs. Gubbon, for example. She was the widest awake woman you ever saw on ordinary occasions; but when I came around she was always fast asleep—or pretended to be—and, though I often gave her a good, hearty nudge, it never amounted to anything; she never so much as quivered, but sat as immovable as a marble statue, with her eyes as close shut as the jaws of a sprung bear-trap. I did catch her once, however, by returning unexpectedly to her pew, after having passed it. Her eyes were wide open, but as soon as she saw me she looked up toward the ceiling with a heavenly expression, as though lost in pious meditation. I stayed as long as I dared, but it was no use. Her eyes never quit the rafters, and I had to give it up and move on.

"Then there was Grabemall, the rich contractor. It almost made me split my sides sometimes to see the ostentatious way in which he would drop a nickel into my pouch. I knew, of course, just how much he contributed; but everybody else supposed, from the air of careless prodigality which he put on, that he had given five dollars, at least. How different his manner was from that of Widow Goode, who sat just behind him! She never gave less than a dollar. I knew she couldn't afford it, and it almost made me feel like a thief to take it from her. She used to slyp the money into my pocket, as though she were doing something wicked, and were ashamed to let anybody know it.

"The young ladies would hold out a dime in their delicate gloved fingers with a sanctimonious air, and then just as likely as not giggle right in my face, though I never could understand what they saw to laugh at; the children would throw their great noisy pennies into my pocket with a jolly eagerness that was quite refreshing, but I must own that I went away from their pews oftentimes with a very heavy heart, and feeling quite cheap, notwithstanding their plentiful donations; and there was one family of boys—the little rascals!—who used to put lozenges into my pocket. I afterward found out that their mother gave them ten cents apiece, and they used to buy candy with it and feed me with sweetmeats. But perhaps the young scamps were not really so bad, after all. Possibly they thought the little heathen children might like a little candy now and then as well as themselves.

"I have noticed that people like to sit behind the man who gave a dollar bill. They all of them always gave something—and I have been so uncharitable as to think that they wanted to have it seem to the pews back of them that it was they who contributed the dollar, and not the little bald-headed man in the front seat. I suppose one reason why I got this idea into my head was because when the first pew gave only a small piece of money, I wouldn't receive another cent in the whole aisle; as though, so I fancied, everybody was afraid to give himself away, as they say nowadays.

"I used to smile when the deacon who carried me around would stand up before the whole congregation and throw a handful of coin into my pocket. Everybody got the impression that the good deacon was a very benevolent gentleman, and I more than half believe that he thought so himself. His face looked like a horn of plenty, and he gave the money in such an abstracted manner that, though nobody could fail to see the operation, everybody must have thought that he was quite oblivious to anyone's presence. But between you and me, the deacon never put in any money—not a cent, I assure you. When he went to church he always had a lot of tin disks. Of course, they were always discovered when the money was counted, but everybody laid it to the boys up in the gallery. However, the deacon's contribution did a power of good, not so much for its intrinsic worth as from the beautiful example it afforded to others. If the deacon could be so liberal, others felt as though they could give generously also. There's nothing so potent in this world, after all, as a good example.

"I couldn't begin to tell you all the queer things I've seen," continued the contribution box. "Some folks who I knew hadn't paid their butcher for six months would give liberally, and others who were worth no end of money would hold out a ten cent piece and let go of it with great reluctance and with a sigh and a shudder that were quite saddening. But the meanest man I ever knew was a well-dressed chap whom I detected more than once putting in a dime and taking out a quarter. I never passed him unnoticed, and he was generally considered one of the main supports of the church, but I could have told a quite different story."

The contribution box stopped speaking for a moment, as if overcome by the recollection of its manifold wrongs, and then I resumed my seat and went to sleep.

MARRIAGE IN OMAHA.

Nuptial Ceremonies Among the Aristocracy of Nebraska.

"Omaha is a city of young people, and most of the young people are married fast—fast as the Mohammedan law can bind. And, theoretically, as yet they have never seen each other's faces. But really Housekeeper has had many a glimpse of the fair Nissa. Her mother has often allowed him to see her child from behind a curtain or a cupboard door. All this is understood. And the young people are now legally married. The wedding, as distinct from the espousals, may take place the same evening, a week, a month, or not for years, according to the age, rank, or circumstances of the bride and bridegroom. Men and women feast separately; and after many water-pipes have been smoked, many pounds of sweetmeats consumed, and a plentiful banquet has been disposed of, the guests separate. All promise to be present at the actual wedding. No music, no rejoicings—nothing but what we have described is seen at the ceremony we have detailed.—*St. James' Gazette.*

AMERICAN TOWNS.

A Chance For Improvement in Their Nomenclature.

David Dudley Field has been showing himself to be a man of good taste and judgment by remarks he made in a recent lecture on the names of American towns. Mr. Field objected to the manner in which many places in the United States have been christened. The natural supposition, he thinks, would be that the names were selected by a half civilized people. He pities the unhappy lot of the inhabitants of villages afflicted with such names as You Bet, Pop Corn, Wild Cat, Cut Shin, Big Coon, Toad Vine, Black Jack, Skunk Lake, Buzzard Roost, Cat Creek, Dirt Town, Doctor Town, Jug Tavern, Cow Skin, and Cut Off, all of which he found in the list of names in a railway guide.

Such names are certainly bad enough. They are striking instances of absurd nomenclature because of their grotesque singularity. But they are not such violations of good taste as can be found among the pretentious towns of New York. When one goes among the Romes, Troys, Utcas, Syracuses, Ithacas and the many other classical names that renders the map of that State ridiculous, he feels that he could go a considerable distance out of his road to kick the pedants who named them.

Of all names given to towns, that of Rome, an imitation of the eternal city, is the most inappropriate and absurd. There can be but one Rome. To name applied to any other town or city is a ridiculous affectation and conceit. The New York Rome through the pedantry of its founders missed an appropriate name, and one of which its citizens would be proud, in not being called Fort Stanwix, a designation similar to that of Fort Wayne, which would have associated it with an interesting revolutionary event that happened in that locality. Utica, which as a matter of taste is almost as shocking a name to be imitated as that of Rome, would not today be a blemish to the map of New York if its founder would have had good taste and sense enough to have adopted the term Oneida, which is appropriate to the neighborhood. There is only one other name as applied to a modern town, and particularly to an insignificant town, that is pedantically as bad as Rome, and that is Athens. The nomenclature of places in this country is generally bad, but nowhere else equal in that respect to New York, where the idea seems to have prevailed that stilted titles taken from a classical dictionary were just the thing.

Mr. Fields recommends Indian names. They certainly have the advantage in point of originality, but many of them are barbarous in sound and almost unpronounceable, which is clearly objectionable in the name of a town. This is especially the case with the New England Indian names. Father Wells made a nice mess of it when he christened the ships of the navy after them during the war, making the list of the National vessels such a barbarous jargon that it was enough, in connection with Republican management, to ruin that branch of the National defense.

Mr. Fields very properly objects to "ville" at the end of the name of a town. There is an unreasonable prejudice against the word "town," and a mistaken notion that the substitution of "ville" for it is an improvement. This is an error of taste as well as of judgment. "Town" is an expressive, euphonious and very suitable term. "Jonestown" sounds better than "Jonesville." There is more ring in it, and it is divested of the absurdity of attempting to ornament a very common name with a French termination.

A new horror that is springing up in town nomenclature is the use of the term "city" as applied to insignificant places. It is the offspring of ignorance, conceit and bad taste. The Post-office Department when asked to use it in naming post-offices should sternly put its foot down on the monstrosity. What could be more absurd than Smith City?

It is about time that a movement should be made for reform in the application of names to the towns of this country. The Post-office Department could do much good in this matter. As the town nomenclature now stands it is a disorderly collection of incongruous names ranging from Red Dog to Rome, making a map of the country as ludicrous as a comic almanac. A wide field for improvement in this respect is opened, which should be no longer neglected.—*Harrisburg (Pa.) Patriot*

A HELPLESS MAN HELPED.

At Greencastle, Indiana, an hour's ride from Indianapolis, lives Mr. D. L. Southard, a gentleman, well known throughout Indiana. Among other honorable positions which he holds is that of Trustee of the De Pauw University. Mr. Southard is a brother-in-law of Bishop Bowman, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

For many years Mr. Southard was a martyr to rheumatism in its most afflictive form. Up to July, 1883, he was nearly helpless, and could move only with great pain. At that time Bishop Bowman, having seen how greatly the Rev. Mr. Keely, of Indianapolis, had been relieved by the new remedy, Athlophoros, brought Mr. Southard a bottle of that medicine, and advised him to try it.

Mr. Southard's experience, resulting from his trial of Athlophoros, was thus stated at a recent interview. Bishop Bowman happened to be visiting Mr. Southard at the time, and the exchange of ideas and opinions as to rheumatism and the radical remedy for it, was free and pleasant.

Said Mr. Southard: "I had for years been suffering with rheumatic pains. My arms and legs were swollen, and the pain was sharp and constant. I was unable to dress myself, or even to put on my stockings. My wife had to lift me and turn me in bed. Bishop Bowman brought me a bottle of Athlophoros. I hardly dared to hope for any benefit from it, for I had taken so many medicines.

"I began to take the Athlophoros first as directed. At that time I was suffering frightful pain. In a few hours there was a remarkable change. I broke out into a profuse perspiration, and had a strange feeling of relief. In a few hours more all my pain was gone. I could stretch my legs and move my joints as I had not been able to for a long time. It seemed wonderful, after all my experience, that any medicine could have such effects. I feared that this was of such power that it would go to my vital parts and end my life. Knowing not what might be the result, I quietly prepared myself for the final change and calmly awaited it. But instead of putting an end to me the Athlophoros only put an end to the pain. What a new and delightful experience it was to be without pain!

"I gave a letter to the Athlophoros concern, which was published. It brought me a great many inquiries by mail from various parts of the country. I wish I could show you some of those letters, but I was clearing out my desk the other day, and I destroyed the whole pile of them. One was from a man in Winchester, Indiana, whose wife was suffering agony. I directed him where to get the medicine and it soon made her well. The wife of Prof. Gobin, of the University, was suffering with rheumatism, and Athlophoros cured her, as well as a good many others.

"At times I would have return of my rheumatism, but nothing like that I formerly had. Each attack was lighter. Each time I fought it with Athlophoros, and got the better of it. Now I have for a year enjoyed good health and freedom from pains. I took in all ten or twelve bottles of the medicine, and if I were again to be attacked by rheumatism would take more.

Bishop Bowman, on being asked "was the relief which Mr. Southard experienced more than you had expected?" replied: "Certainly it was, for I had not expected anything. I brought him the Athlophoros because I had seen that it had done so much good to Mr. Keely and others in Indianapolis. It seemed a last resort, for Mr. Southard's case was such a severe one that I had little or no hope of even giving him relief. But seeing the completeness of his cure I have recommended the medicine to others. I have not had occasion to use it myself, for I have not had rheumatism and am in excellent health. Of all those to whom I have recommended it I have heard of only one instance in which decided benefit was not gained. I consider Athlophoros a wonderful medicine."

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express paid, on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle. We prefer that you buy it from your druggist, but if he hasn't it, do not be persuaded to try something else but order at once from us, as directed. ATHLOPHOROS Co., 112 Wall Street, New York.

It is authoritatively stated that the precentage of short-sighted children in Germany is three to thiriy.

A Fasting Girl.

In Cincinnatti a sixteen-year-old girl recently died after a fast of fifty-two days. She had been attacked by something like paralysis which rendered it impossible for her to take nourishment. The human system cannot thrive without good food and good ability to digest it. Weak and impaired digestion is rectified by Brown's Iron Bitters—better than any other tonic in the world. Mr. J. L. Freeberg, Pomeroy, Iowa, says: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters for dyspepsia and poor appetite; completely cured me." It will cure you.

A Bird that Turns Somersaults.

There's a pretty little bird that lives in hinc, and is called the Fork-Tailed Parus. It is about as big as a robin, and has a red beak, yellow legs, black tail, and red-and-yellow wings. Nearly all the colors are in his dress, you see, and he is a gay fellow. This bird has a trick known by no other birds that ever I heard of. He turns somersaults! Not only does he do this in free life on the trees, but also after he is caught and put into a cage. He throws his head far back, and over he goes, touching the bars of his cage, and alighting upon his feet on the floor or on a perch. He will do it over and over a number of times without stopping, as though he thought it great fun. All his family have the same trick, and they are called Tumblers. The people of China are fond of keeping them in cages and seeing them tumble.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1,00 Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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THE MODEST FATHER.—"Father," began a young Detroiter the other evening, "were you in the war?"

"Yes, my son."

"Was it awful?"

"Yes."

"Lots of dead and wounded men?"

"Yes."

"Did you kill many?"

"Well, I shouldn't like to answer that question."

"Are you very modest, pa?"

"I hope I am too modest to brag."

"That was what Mr. Smith meant, then, when he was telling the men down at the drug store that you hadn't any war record to brag of."

"He did, eh? Smith is a liar!"

"That's what I thought. He told the men that you run so fast he couldn't catch you on horseback, and any boy knows that a horse can catch a man with a stiff knee."

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The railway up Mt. Vesuvius has more than paid for itself.

Medical Value of Wines.

As a general rule the use of wine is not necessary for young or adult persons in good health, breathing country air and not exposed to ovarwork. As however life advances and the circulation becomes languid, natural red wine used in moderation, becomes an essential article and in many cases absolutely necessary but it must be the pure product of the grape. And even in the Eastern States the physician meets large numbers of town people, especially women, who cannot dejest the food and drinks suited to out-door laboring people. In such cases they resort to the beverage of tea, which gives rise to a distressing dyspepsia. The Wines produced in New Jersey, especially the Burgundy and the Port Grape Wines from Alfred Speer's Vineyards at Passaic, N. J., are the more reliable and most sought after by those who travelled and know what wines are.

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When she had Children, she gave them CASTORIA

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If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a billious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.		No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor	Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont		9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde		9 38	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue		9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville	Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 50AM
Norwalk	Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington		11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston	Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville	Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville	Lv	12 40	8 20	1 43	3 50
Massillon	Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	4 40
Massillon	Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville			6 47PM	6 47PM	
Valley Junc.	Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover		3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n		4 53	No. 9.	4 53	9 50
Cambridge		6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg		8 00	8 55	8 00	
Marietta	Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	

WESTWARD.		No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta	Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	
Marksburg		7 20	3 50	.....	
Cambridge		9 15	5 38	.....	
New Comerst'n		10 20	7 03	.....	
Canal Dover		11 10	7 55	.....	
Sherodsville		.....	.....	.....	No. 38
New Cumberl'd		.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
Valley Junc.		11 50	8 25	.....	6 05
Massillon		12 35	9 10	No. 4.	6 45
Orville		1 15	10 00	8 20AM	8 15
Creston	Ar	1 45	10 30	9 00	10 15
Creston	Lv	1 45	10 30	9 02	11 15AM
Wellington		2 30	11 13	10 20	.....
Norwalk		3 20	11 55	11 20	No. 2.
Monroeville		3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 35AM
Bellevue		3 48	.....	11 45	7 45
Clyde		4 03	.....	12 00	8 02
Fremont		4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 20
Oak Harbor		4 45	.....	12 42	8 40
Toledo	Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	9 00
					10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar. Huron Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 38
11 20	6 15	Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk Ar	7 27	3 10

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GAINES MILL

A Graphic and Thrilling Recital of That Deadly Shock of War

The following from an old army comrade of Capt. Chaney Dupont was [illegible] received a few days ago [illegible] graphic [illegible] description, a picture remarkable that it deserves a permanent place in the history of the great American Conflict.

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OBITUARIES.

Another of Raisin's early residents has passed into eternity. Thus they go—one by one—the aged pioneers, leaving behind them the memory of upright and worthy lives.

Almira Cleveland entered into her rest April 2, 1885, in the eighty-third year of her age. She was born in Pennsylvania in the year 1802. From there she removed with her parents to Otsego, N. Y., where she married Justus Cleveland. In 1837 she came with her husband and four children to Michigan, where upon a farm of unimproved government land in the township of Raisin, three miles southeast of Tecumseh, they began their home. Three times death invaded this home, claiming for its victims the husband and father. This struck and bereft the mother of [illegible] overwhelmed and discouraged, but with characteristic courage and unshaken perseverance she [illegible] the slender and [illegible] fatherless children, managed to make a comfortable home and maintenance for herself and them upon your comparatively new farm, until her children were able to care for and take home for themselves and are now respected citizens in our midst. The latter years of her life Mrs. Cleveland chose to spend in the homes of her children where she was as honored as welcome. She possessed uniform firmness and decision of character combined with a self-reliance and lively cheerfulness which made her a [illegible] of her family and which she maintained through all her last illness never murmuring. During her last [illegible] Mrs. Cleveland united with the Presbyterian church of Tecumseh. Her advanced and varied circumstances of later years prevented her regular walk with that church, but she left the comforting assurance with those whose privilege it was to minister with her from time to time during the [illegible] that she had not been [illegible] from the privileges of the [illegible] High.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending April 1, 1885:

Estate of John W. Giles, et al, minors; guardian files bond on sale of real estate.

In the matter of adoption and change of name of Burt Hall to Burt M. Pherson; declaration of intention, order of adoption and change of name.

Estate of Lloyd Arnold, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting notices; commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Gilman H. Ames, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account, hearing April 7.

In the matter of Frank Jacquot, a pauper insane person; application for a mission to asylum; order of hearing; affidavit of service; testimony taken and filed; order for admission.

Estate of Orville W. Detwiler, deceased; petition for extension of time for paying debts and closing estate; hearing May 4.

Estate of John Dings, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing May 4.

Estate of Charles I. Wetmore, deceased; petition for license to sell personal property; hearing May 4.

Estate of Thomas Fitzpatrick, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account; allowed; assignment.

Estate of Isaac L. Hayward, deceased; affidavit of publication; administratrix appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale and bond on sale filed.

Estate of Miles P. Morton, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account; allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Sanford Hause, deceased; affidavit of publication; order appointing administrator; bond $4,000.

Estate of Jacob B. Stahl, deceased; affidavit of publication; foreign executor's final account allowed; order that residue remaining in executor's hands be transferred to place of principal administration.

Estate of Welcome Aldrich, deceased; order of revival of commission on certain conditions.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending April 7:

CLINTON.

A. Clark to W. D. Van Tuyle. Land on Chicago street. $3,750.

A. Clark to Edwin Semark. Lot 10, blk 3 Brown's plat. $270.

MACON.

James Lane to H. Armour. Land on sec 2. $4,400.

David Harrison to Elizabeth Harrison. Land on sec 29. $3,500.

RAISIN.

A. A. Crandall to Walter J. Jones. Land on sec 19. $875.50.

RIDGEWAY.

R. M. Boyd to C. J. Brewer. Land on sec 17, 30 a. $900.

J. T. Hicks to W. H. Frayer. Land on sec 24 and land in Monroe county. $5,000.

TECUMSEH.

Lodema Sherman to M. J. Tremain. Part bl 5, 3, Hewitt's add. $1,100.

The Michigan Bureau of Labor and Industrial Statistics is conducting an extensive inquiry into the condition, wages and prospects of the wage-workers of this State. An invitation is given to all employees, male or female, over 15 years of age, who are desirous of, or willing to answer the questions prepared by the Bureau, to send their address, plainly written on a postal card, to the Commissioner of Labor at Lansing, Michigan. Blanks containing questions specially prepared, with a view to securing from wage-workers reliable information bearing upon the subject of labor in which they are personally interested, will be sent to each address, together with stamped envelope for returning the blanks when filled out, to the Bureau. By giving these questions prompt and candid attention, with full and free answers, a valuable service will be rendered to the wage-workers of Michigan and to the State. No names given to the Bureau will be made public, but held in strict confidence.

DIED.

DOLE.—In this village on Tuesday, the 14th inst. William Franklin Dole, aged 75 years.

The deceased was born in Burlington, Vt., and for the past 58 years he has made Tecumseh his home. He leaves a wife, four sons, and one daughter to mourn his departure. He was a man of retiring disposition, and filled the humble sphere to which Providence had allotted him as a true man. He was faithful to family and friends and to the community in which he lived. The funeral services were held from his residence at two o'clock this afternoon.

MARRIED.

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LETTER LIST.

Tecumseh.

Remaining in the Post Office at Tecumseh, April 1, 1885.

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Persons calling for any of the above will please say "Advertised," and give the date.

[illegible], P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, per bu	[illegible]
Butter, P. P.	[illegible]
Butter, Roll	[illegible]
Beans	[illegible]
Beef, Dressed	[illegible]
Beef, Cattle	[illegible]
Beef, Steers	[illegible]
Beef, Tongues	[illegible]
Beef, Hides	[illegible]
Beef, Tallow	[illegible]
Beef, Hams	[illegible]
Beef, Shoulders	[illegible]
Beef, Sausage	[illegible]
Beef, Head cheese	[illegible]
Beef, Corned	[illegible]
Beef, Ribs	[illegible]
Beef, Roast	[illegible]
Beef, Steak	[illegible]
Beef, Stew	[illegible]
Beef, Soup	[illegible]
Beef, Liver	[illegible]
Beef, Tongue	[illegible]
Beef, Heart	[illegible]
Beef, Kidney	[illegible]
Beef, Tripe	[illegible]
Beef, Head	[illegible]
Beef, Feet	[illegible]
Beef, Marrow	[illegible]
Beef, Suet	[illegible]
Beef, Boiled	[illegible]
Beef, Pickled	[illegible]
Beef, Smoked	[illegible]
Beef, Dried	[illegible]
Beef, Canned	[illegible]
Beef, Corned

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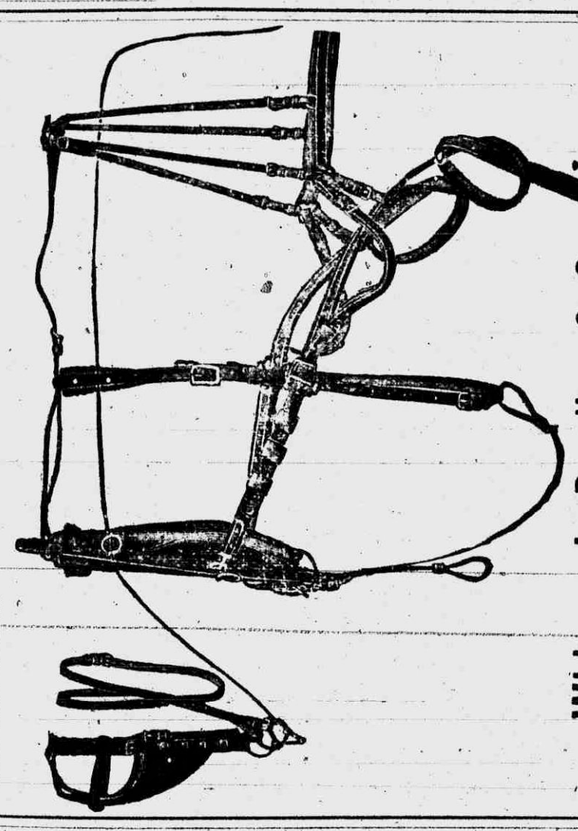

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. D. H. Silvers went to Detroit Monday, to spend a few days with her niece, Mrs. J. R. Stirling.

W. D. VanTuyle returned from the East last Thursday night. E. R. Smith is expected home this week.

Georges and Ned Newcomb, of Blissfield, visited their sister, Mrs. John T. Clark, last week.

Mrs. Frank Muir, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Johnston, in Detroit.

The Congregational social at the parsonage last week, was well attended. The receipts were over $7.

Charles Dell, of Battle Creek, arrived here last Saturday to attend the burial of his sister, Mrs. Imogene Chamberlain, who died last Friday at her home in Omaha, Nebraska. The remains were brought to Clinton, Monday and borne from the depot to the cemetery, where a short service was held. The beautiful flowers which accompanied the deceased gave evidence of the high esteem in which she was held, and the many kind friends she has left to regret her loss, in her western home. She leaves a husband, and child one year old.

Mrs. Dow Draper, of Mt. Pleasant, Mich. is visiting at her father's, Jacob Smith's.

Mrs. Charles Clark entertained several of her friends, at her home, last Tuesday afternoon. Miss Lou Reynolds did likewise, Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Matthews has been quite sick for a few days.

Charles W. Parker, George W. Freese, and Edwin Rose, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Clinton. Bad pennies will return.

A niece of Mrs. Hixon's, from Kansas City, visited her the first of the week.

School was dismissed last Thursday for an indefinite time, for the purpose of ascertaining by investigation whether the building was, as some feared, unsafe. A committee was appointed to make an examination, which was done immediately. The building was pronounced to be in such a condition as to endanger the lives of the pupils and teachers, and in accordance with the wishes of many, action was immediately taken to put the building in good shape, notwithstanding the objections of a few. It is as yet undecided when school duties will be resumed.

L. K. Davis moved his stock of jewelry into C. S. Burrough's drug store last Tuesday. He will occupy part of the east side.

At the last meeting of the scholars of long ago, held April 17th, at the house of J. B. Hause, the following committees were appointed.

Committee on Reception.—Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark, Mrs. Merritt Martin, Mrs. Stancliff, Mrs. Jas. Halladay, Mrs. James Hause.

Committee on Supper.—Mr. and Mrs. John Hause, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Halladay, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Belding, Mrs. J. W. Bradner, Miss Sophia Larzelere.

Committee on Decoration.—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. VanDeMark, Mr. and Mrs. John Hause, Mrs. Mary Guiwits, Mrs. J. E. McCollum.

Committee on Finance.—A. B. VanDeMark, J. E. McCollum.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

John Iveson had a severe attack of congestive apoplexy last week while doing his chores at the barn. He is now improving and we shall expect to see him out ere long.

W. J. Holdridge has been sick for the past two weeks with inflamation of the kidneys but is better at present.

Mrs. Frank Frink, of Raisin Center, is very sick with blood poisoning. For the past few days but little hopes of her recovery has been entertained. We are glad however to state that her case appears more favorable at present.

Last Sunday Will Rector drove down to Al Macham's and brought his little boy with him. Soon after their arrival Al's dog concluded he would like a small boy for dinner and commenced an attack on the child without any cause or provocation, biting him severely on the arm in several places. Al gave him a good flogging thinking to learn him better, but the next day he went for Abbott Smith's boy and bit him on the shoulder. It is unnecessary to state that the dog did not live long after this.

Holloway is again connected with the outside world by telephone, Osgood & Dennison having lately put in a new instrument, and it is a daisy. Conversation can be carried on with parties in Detroit as easily and intelligibly as between parties in the same room.

Al Macham does not seem to fear rain at present as he has torn the roof all off from his house.

ONSTED ODDS.

Fred Glenn spent last Sabbath with friends in Tipton.

Wilson Lee is on a business trip in Clinton county.

Chas. D. Smith has taken the contract to build a house for Jerome Snow.

The late spring makes a good market for corn. Onsted and Wemple are selling a good deal at fifty cents per bushel.

Edmund Harris has rented his farm to Spencer Curtis.

Dr. Spaulding and wife, of Lyons, Mich., are visiting their son, Mr. E. Spaulding, of this place.

Supervisor Dewey was in this part of the township Monday and Tuesday taking the assessment.

The grangers are getting material together preparatory to plastering their hall.

Jerome Snow has sold his house and lot to Henry Pulver for $1,500. He does not give possession until October, and intends in the meantime to build another residence just north of the one he sold.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

95° was the highest Tuesday.

Cleaning house has begun and with it a sad countenance on the part of the husband at least.

School in Dist. No. 5, commenced Monday with Lizzie Beamish, of Tecumseh, as tutoress.

Alfred Lawton has moved into his new home, and is giving it a coat of paint.

Mrs. W. J. Clark, of Britton, called on friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sharp, of Tecumseh, shook hands with old friends Monday afternoon.

The next social will be held at the home of Mrs. M. A. Barrett next week Friday evening. Come one; come all.

The attendance was not very large at the necktie festival Friday evening, but the society cleared over $7.

Mr. Chas. Culbertson Jr., lost a cow valued at $40, last Friday with heart disease. The heart was as large as a four quart pail.

Misses Ella Jackson and Ida Arner visited friends at Dundee last week.

Sammie Arner went to Adrian to finish his study in telegraphy, with the Agent at the Wabash depot.

You can learn all about Gratiot Co. and the "Gallery," of Mr. G. W. Jackson. He has some specimens of corn that he brought home with him.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Since my last letter Vernon French has been ferried over the dusky river and no man can be more missed by all classes of society here. He was a prominent member of the Baptist church, and fearless of criticism whenever his sympathy was aroused; no matter if the whole world's verdict was arrayed in opposition. Tis a pardonable sin to err on the side of mercy, describes his manner of living, and his creed was but generous conformity to his practice. As he was one of the first settlers here, his acquaintance was large, and house fashioned for hospitality. It has been the one gathering place where denominational sentiment was no bother, and the night never stormy enough to keep the boys and girls from improvising socials and rackets, his own large family kept parental ears attuned to. Both he and the wife who survives, have never made years, or difference of opinion an excuse to bar them from friendly intercourse with all; and many old friends who had shared pioneer vicissitudes were too much unnerved to attend the quiet church funeral at which he had directed nothing should be said of himself whatever. Rev. W. Palmer preached from the text, "What shall I do to be saved?" and a coffin covered with flowers impressed a silent lesson on hearts of those who heard, and whom dread of seeing an old friend's narrow house, kept at home. Yet he left all cheerfully.

When Arbor days are appointed failures, why don't Governors make ministers preach against petty falsehood and plant truth. Among wage workers there is another kind of trouble. They had choice between starving, or getting into debt, and the late spring sprouts nothing but impatience, which, for bridging difficulty, is worse than nothing.

The Baptist church of Brooklyn burned about two o'clock Monday morning. Only the organ, a few chairs and pulpit were saved. The heavy timbers (which were drawn and helped into form of a religious land mark, by the late Vernon French) fell outward without damaging near buildings, and as there was no breeze, it was but coals and ashes in less than an hour. It was noted for the beautiful tone of its great bell, now shivered, for having once been the most powerful church of its kind in Michigan, and for having sent from its Sabbath school ranks, some of the most famous preachers in the United States, Missionaries to China and other heathen lands.

BAKING POWDERS.

Interesting Tests Made by the Government Chemists.

Dr. Edward G. Love, the Analytical Chemist for the Government has made some interesting experiments as to the comparative value of baking powders. Dr. Love's test was made to determine what brands are the most economical to use, and as their capacity lies in their leavening power, tests were directed solely to ascertain the available gas of each powder. Dr. Love's report gives the following:

Name of the Baking Powders.	Strength Cubic inches Gas per each oz. of Powder.
"Royal" (cream tartar powder)	127.4
"Patapsco" (alum powder)	125.2*
"Rumford's" (phosphate, fresh)	122.5*
"Rumford's" (phosphate, old)	32.7*
"Hanford's None Such," fresh	121.6
"Hanford's None Such," old	84.5
"Redhead's,"	117.0
"Charm," (alum powder)	116.9*
"Amazon," (alum powder)	111.9*
"Clevelands," (contains lime)	110.8
"Sea Foam,"	107.9
"Czar,"	106.8
"Dr. Price's," (contains lime)	102.6
"Snow Flake," (Groff's St. Paul)	101.88
"Lewis'" Condensed	98.2
"Congress," yeast	97.5
"C. E. Andrews & Co's" (contains alum)	78.17*
"Heckers,"	92.5
"Gillets,"	84.2
"Bulk,"	80.5

*In his report, the Government chemist says:

"I regard all alum powders as very unwholesome. Phosphate and Tartaric powders liberate their gas too freely in process of baking, or under varying climatic changes suffer deteriration."

Dr. H. A. Mott, the former Government chemist, after a careful and elaborate examination of the various Baking Powders of commerce, reported to the Government in favor of the Royal brand.

Prof. McMurtrie, late chief chemist for the U. S. Government at Washington, says: The chemical tests to which I have submitted the Royal Baking Powder, prove it perfectly healthful, and free from every deleterious substance."

THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

The executive committee and officers of the G. A. R. association, met in Adrian last Monday, at the office of B. F. Graves, who is the vice president of the organization. There were present President O. A. Janes, of Hillsdale; secretary Gus. F. Smith, of Jonesville; treasurer C. E. Rogers, of Adrian, and the following members of the executive committee: H. M. Parker, Blissfield; S. P. Hosmer, Tecumseh; Wm. Keough, Hillsdale; Wm. W. Wade, Jonesville; F. H. Cobb and B. W. Roys, of Hudson, and E. J. Babcock, Adrian.

It was decided to hold the encampment on the 26th, 27th and 28th of August next, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at a place yet to be chosen.

The meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president. In the meantime the secretary was instructed to correspond with locations in the district for the purpose of obtaining bids for holding the encampment.

The G. A. R. posts of Branch, Washtenaw and Monroe counties were invited to participate with Hillsdale and Lenawee in their encampment. It is understood that Jonesville has already made a bid of $500 to secure the encampment there.—Adrian Times.

Adrian Times: Mr. Gordon H. Knott has just completed a series of very important experiments in this city, under the auspices of the L. S. & M. S. railroad company. His experiments have been conducted at the Lake Shore tanks, and consisted in arranging a filter to take from water used in locomotive boilers the large proportion of diluted lime, which, unless removed, encrusts the interior of the boilers, entailing much expensive care and cleaning. Strangely enough, the largest ingredient in Mr. Knott's filter is lime, and the severe trial to which his process has been subject, has fully demonstrated its entire efficacy. It will be adopted by the Lake Shore, and placed in all the tanks of the road. Mr. Knott's fortune has undoubtedly been made by his success in inventing the filter.

The Agents' Herald, published in Philadelphia, is the most untiring enemy of humbugs and frauds published in the United States. The editor, L. Lum Smith, has been the defendant in several libel suits, and always victorious. He never flinches in his efforts to expose dishonesty, and the honest people of the nation ought to give him a warm, sympathetic support.

Ralph P. Baker has been appointed postmaster at Rome Center.

RIDGEWAY TO ITHACA

On the morning of April 9th, in company with Wash Jackson, and grip in hand, we bid our friends good bye for a few days. We took a tie pass over the M. & O. R. R. to Tecumseh and took the noon train for Jackson on the branch. After waiting a few hours we took the 4:19 P. M. train on the Saginaw Valley road to Leslie, and spent the night with cousin John and Alice Winchell. He is engaged in the meat business and has a good trade. From there we went to James Freer's, west of Mason, where we were kindly welcomed and entertained. It is the decision of the farmer's club at Mason that Mr. Freer and Mrs. Jewett have the finest farms in that section. We spent a few hours at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freer's. They have a fine boy to cheer their weary hours in their new home. Our friend Rufus Raymond and family are enjoying their new home and have a fine farm. Friday morning Ed. took us to Mason, and we took the 8:30 A. M. train for Owosso where we changed cars and went to Ithaca on the T. A. & Northern Mich. R. R., arriving at noon. We walked out to Mr. Courtland Snedicor's and found them well and enjoying their home among the stumps. He has the best piece of wheat we saw during our journey. Ithaca is the county seat of Gratiot Co. and has a population of 1500, and still growing. The city can boast of as fine brick blocks as Tecumseh, and as good a jail as our county, and have a school building as good as the best, it cost $23,000. They have five churches, two grist mills and one grain elevator, a hoop factory, machine shop, and saw mill, and one of the largest stave factories in the state, and as good a livery as any city, and other business places as good as any of our Southern county cities. The country around Ithaca will be the best farming country in Michigan, at no distant day. The land is suitable to raise any and everything. Ithaca has two railroads, the T. A. & Northern Mich., and the S. V. & St. Louis branch. There are quite a number of Lenawee county people about Ithaca and all like it, and are doing well for a new country. Land is worth from $30 to $100 per acre. On Monday in company with cousin Arthur Snedicor, we went to St. Louis to see friends and visit our cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Albert VanRiper, who live three miles northwest of St. Louis on a farm of forty acres. The land is good, with here and there a pine. St. Louis with its noted mineral water cures, and salt wells has become a city of about 5,000 inhabitants. On Wednesday morning April 15th we bid farewell to our friends and took the 7:30 A. M. train for Owosso, leaving the ground covered with four inches of snow. The country from Ithaca to Owosso is very level and will make as fine a farming country as we have in our state, in a short time. At Owosso we took the 10:35 A. M. train and went to Lansing, and spent a few hours at our beautiful capitol, which is as fine a building as any state in the Union. We went up to the dome and viewed the city, and was well paid for our trouble. We went through the museum, then visited the Senate chamber, and saw Senator Chas. Henry. Then went to the Representative Hall, and saw Rep. Howell from our district. As both houses were in session we enjoyed our time at the capitol very much. After our visit we took the train on the D. L. & Northern R. R. for Fowlerville and spent the evening with Rev. Jessie Kilpatrick and family; leaving on the 8:28 A. M. train Thursday, for Jackson. Arriving at 12 M. and took dinner with our friend, Mrs. Wm. Howes. During the afternoon we visited the Smith Purifying manufactory, on North Jackson St. He employs upwards of 400 hands and is doing an immense business, and has one of the finest grist mills nearly ready to run that there is in the state. We then went through the prison where over 600 men are working for their board and lodging; as we were going from one department to another we could not decide which department would be preferable, but felt more at ease outside the gate. After our visit to the prison, we spent a few hours at Rob Mills' and Mrs. Wm. Howes' Union Music Rooms, 117 South Jackson St.; they keep a general assortment of the latest sheet music and all kinds of musical instruments, from a jewsharp to a piano or a full set of band instruments, and teach music on the piano, cornet and violin, both vocal and instrumental. In the evening in company with Mrs. Howes and her friend we attended the opera to see Pinafore played, it was played by home talent and was rendered with much credit to those taking part, the attendance was very large and the best of order kept. After the entertainment we stopped with Mr. Christopher VanHorn for the night, an old acquaintance of Wash. Friday morning we took the 6:20 train for home, arriving at 10 A.M. finding all lovely. In the evening we attended the necktie festival at the church given by the ladies, which finished our pleasure trip very nicely.

J. D. ARNER.

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THERMOPYLÆ.

Like the blades of the grass like the drops of the rain
Like the leaves that swarm on the Arcadian plain
[illegible]
The Persians came down in the pride of the spring
[illegible]
Xerxes [illegible]
Ay, and with [illegible] flowing locks
Lay stifled and grim in the shade of the rocks.
With the earth for their pillow the sky for their sheet
But their conquests began when their hearts ceased to beat.

The eyes of the Mother are dried.
And the Spartan mother's heart has forgotten its pride.
The Kings and the Kingdoms have sought their dark rest
And the eagles hovered over the drowsy-lying breast.
But those dead hearts live and they camp and they fight
Wherever the lightnings are in the night
The mountains may crumble the oceans may dry.
But the good of a deed that is great can not die.

—*Franklin E. Lambert in Current.*

THE SIEGE OF BERLIN.

A Faithful Granddaughter's Imaginary Campaign.

We were passing up the avenue of the Champs Elysees with Dr. V., traying in the walls riddled by shells and the pavements torn by grapeshot the story of Paris besieged. As we neared the Pond Point de l'Etoile the doctor paused, and pointing to one of those great corner houses so showily grouped around the Arc de Triomphe—

"Do you see," he said to me, "those four closed windows above that balcony? During the first days of the month of August—that terrible August of the year 1870, so laden with storm and disaster, I was called there for a case of apoplectic stroke. It was the residence of Colonel Jouve, a cuirassier of the First Empire, an old man, his head turned with glory and patriotism, who at the beginning of the war had come to lodge in the Champs Elysees, in an apartment with a balcony. Can you imagine why? In order to be present at the triumphal return of our troops. Poor old man! The news of Wissembourg came to him as he was rising from the table. As he read the name of Napoleon at the foot of the bulletin of defeat he fell stricken.

"I found the old cuirassier stretched his full length upon the carpet of the room, his face flushed and dull, as if from the blow of a club upon the head. Erect, he must have been very tall; prostrate, he appeared immense. With fine feature, superb teeth, a fleece of white curls, eighty years which seemed sixty. Near him knelt his granddaughter, all in tears. She resembled him. Side by side they seemed two beautiful Greek medallions struck from the same die. The one, antique, earth-stained, with the contour a little worn; the other, resplendent and clear, with all the brilliancy and luster of the new impression.

"The grief of this child touched me. A soldier's daughter and grandaughter of a soldier, her father was on the staff of MacMahon, and the image of this old man stretched before her worked in her mind another image not less terrible. I reassured her as best I could, but at heart I held little hope. We had a case of out-and-out paralysis of one side, and at eighty years that is not readily recovered from.

"During three days, in fact, the old man remained in the same state of motionless stupor. It was at this moment that the news of Reischoffen arrived at Paris. You recollect in what a strange fashion. Until evening we all believed in a great victory—twenty thousand Prussians killed, the Prince Royal a prisoner.

"I do not know by what miracle, what magnetic current, an echo of this national joy reached our poor deaf-mute in the grasp of his paralysis, but that evening, on approaching his bed, I found no longer the same man. The eye was nearly clear, the tongue less heavy. He had strength to smile at me, and stammered twice:

"'Vic-to-ry?'

"'Yes, Colonel, a great victory!'

"And as I gave him the details of the splendid success of MacMahon I saw his features relax, his face cleared.

"When I went out the young girl was awaiting me, pale and erect, before the door. She was sobbing.

"'But he is saved, I said to her, taking her hands.

"The unhappy child had hardly the courage to answer me. The true news of Reischoffen had just been posted—MacMahon in flight; the whole army crushed. Our eyes met in consternation. She was desolate thinking of her father. I was trembling thinking of the old man. Surely he would not resist this fresh shock. But what was to be done. Leave him his joy, the illusions which had brought him back to life? But then it would be necessary to deceive him.

"'Very well, I shall deceive him' said the heroic girl quickly, wiping away her tears, and as we went she went back into her grandfather's room.

"It was a hard task which she had taken upon herself. For a few days all went well. The old man's head was feeble, and he let himself be misled like a child; but with returning health his ideas became clearer. It was necessary to keep him informed of the movement of the armies, to prepare military bulletins for him. It was touching to see this beautiful girl sat night and day over her map of Germany, pricking out little flags, forcing themselves to follow a whole right of our campaign. Bazaine retired upon Berlin, Frossard in Bavaria, MacMahon upon the Baltic. For all this she asked my advice and I aided her as much as I could, but it was the grandfather after all who helped us most in this imaginary invasion. He had conquered Germany so many times under the First Empire! He knew in advance all the moves. Now, there's where they're going. That's what they'll do," and his predictions were always realized, which gave him no little pride.

"Unfortunately, it was in vain that we took cities, gained battles—we never went fast enough for him. That old man was insatiable. Each day when I arrived I learned of a new feat of arms.

"'Doctor, we have taken Mayence,' the young girl would say, approaching me with a heart-broken smile, and I heard through the door a joyous voice which cried out to me, 'We're getting on! We're getting on! In eight days we shall enter Berlin!' At that moment the Prussians were not more than eight days from Paris. We questioned at first whether it would not be better to remove him to the country; but once out of doors the state of France would have revealed all to him, and I deemed him still too feeble, too bewildered by his great shock, to permit him to know the truth. It was decided to remain.

"The first day of the investment of the city I went up to their apartment. I trembling, very much moved with anguish of heart which was brought to me as by the closed gates of Paris; the rattle under the walls, our suburbs became frontiers. I found the good man jubilant and proud.

"'Eh, then!' he said to me, 'the siege has commenced, then.'

"I looked at him stupefied.

"'What, Colonel, you know?'

"His granddaughter turned toward me.

"'Ah! Yes, doctor, it is the great news. The siege of Berlin has commenced.'

"She said that plying her needle with such a tranquil little air. 'How could he suspect anything? He could not hear the cannon of the forts. This unfortunate Paris desolate and upturned he could not see it.' What he did see from his bed was a panel of the Arc de Triomphe, and in his room, about him, a complete bric-a-brac of the First Empire well calculated to maintain his illusions. Portraits of Marshals, engravings of battles, the King of Rome in baby dress, town, the great silk-wide tables ornamented with copper trophies, loaded with imperial relics, with medallions, bronzes, a fragment of the rock of St. Helena under glass, various miniatures of the same lady, all becoming in ball costume, with a yellow robe, mutton-leg sleeves and clear eyes—and all this—the side tables, the King of Rome, the yellow ladies with the high shoulders and short waists, or that awkward stiffness which was the grace of 1806—it was this atmosphere of victories and conquests, even more than all that we could say to him, that made the Colonel believe so naively in the siege of Berlin.

"From this time we found our military operations much simplified. Taking Berlin was now only a matter of patience. From time to time when the old man worried too much a letter from his son would be read to him—an imaginary letter, of course, as nothing now entered Paris, and as since Sedan, the aid-de-camp of MacMahon had been sent to a fortress in Germany. You can imagine the despair of that poor child, without news of her father, knowing him to be a prisoner, deprived of everything, sick perhaps, and herself obliged to make him speak in joyous letters, a little short, as a soldier on the field would write, always advancing into the conquered country. Sometimes strength failed her; weeks would pass without news. But the old man grew restless and no longer slept. Then there quickly arrived a letter from Germany, which she came and read to him gayly by his bedside, repressing her tears. The Colonel listened religiously, smiling significantly approved, criticised, explained to us the confused passages. But finest of all were the answers he sent to his son. 'Never forget that you are French,' he would say to him. 'Be generous with these poor people. Do not make the invasion too burdensome.' And there were interminable recommendations, admirable preaching on respect for the properties, the politeness due to ladies—a regular code of military honor for the use of conquerers. There were also general considerations on politics, the conditions of peace to be imposed on the vanquished. On this point I am bound to say he was not exacting.

"'Repayment of the cost of the war and nothing more. What good in taking their provinces? Can you make France out of Germany?'

"He dictated this in a firm voice, and there was such candor in his words, such a beautiful, patriotic faith, that it was impossible to listen unmoved.

"Meanwhile the siege was constantly advancing. Not that of Berlin, alas! It was the time of the great cold, of the bombardment, of the epidemic, of the famine. But, thanks to our care and effort, to the indefatigable tenderness that surrounded him—the serenity of the old man was not for an instant disturbed. Up to the last I was able to get white bread for him and fresh meat. It was only for him, indeed, and you can not imagine anything more touching than those innocently selfish breakfasts of the grandfather—the old man on his bed fresh and smiling, the napkin tucked under his chin near him his granddaughter, a little pale from privations, guiding his hands, giving him drink, helping him to eat all these forbidden good things. Then, animated by the meal, in the comfort of his warm room, the winter wind without, the snow beating against his windows, the old man recalled his campaigns in the North, and recounted to us for the hundredth time that terrible retreat from Russia, when there was nothing that frozen biscuit and horseflesh to eat.

"'Do you understand that, Little Olympe, we ate horseflesh.'

"Did she understand, Sir? For two months she had eaten nothing else.

"From day to day the weary, in proportion as our invalid's strength grew less with the sick man grew more intensely. That thrilling of all his senses which had served him well until then commenced to disappear. Two or three times already the terrible roadsides of the Port Maillot had made him start with ears erect like a hunting dog. We had to invent a lasting victory of Bazaine under the walls of Berlin, and salutes fired in honor of it on the Hospital of the Invalides. Another day which his bed had been pushed near the window—it was, I think, the Thursday of Buzenval—he saw plainly the National Guards who formed in the Avenue of the Grande Armee.

"'What troops are those?' demanded the old man, and we heard him grumbling between his teeth—

"'Bad drill! bad drill!'

"He said nothing more about it, but we saw that thenceforth we would have to take great precautions. Unfortunately, there were not enough taken.

"One evening as I came in the girl came to me very much troubled.

"'To-morrow they enter,' she said to me.

"Was the door of the grandfather's room open? The fact is that on thinking of it since I recall that he had that evening an extraordinary expression. It is probable that he had heard us. Only we spoke of the Prussians, and he, good man, was thinking of the French, for whose triumphal entry he had waited so long. MacMahon coming down the avenue amid flowers, the flourish of trumpets, his son by the side of the Marshal, and he, the old man, on his balcony in full dress uniform as at Lutzen, saluting the torn flags and the eagles black with powder.

"Poor Father Jouve! He doubtless imagined that we wished to prevent his witnessing the parade of our troops in order to guard him from too great emotion, so he carefully refrained from speaking of it to any one; but on the morrow, at the very hour that the Prussian battalions advanced cautiously on the long road which led from the Port of Maillot to the Tuileries, an upper window was gently raised, and the Colonel appeared on the balcony with his helmet, his great sabre, his glorious old uniform of the ancient cuirassier of Milhaud complete. I still wonder what effort of will, what rebound of life thus put him on his feet and into uniform. What is certain is that he was there, erect behind the railing, astonished at finding the avenues so wide—so still—the blinds of the houses closed. Paris desolate as a pest house, flags everywhere; but, so singular, all white with red crosses, and no one to meet our soldiers.

"For a moment he could believe himself mistaken. But no! down there behind the Arc de Triomphe there was a confused noise, a black line which advanced in the rising light. Then, little by little the spikes of the helmets flashed, the little drums of Jena began to beat, and under the Arc de l'Etoile, its rhythm marked by the heavy tramp of the sections and the clash of sabres, burst forth the triumphal march of Schubert.

"Then, in the gloomy silence of the place there was heard a cry—a terrible cry—'To arms! To arms! The Prussians!' And the four Uhlans of the advance guard could see up there on the balcony a tall old man stagger and, waving his arms, fall rigid.

"This time Colonel Jouve was indeed dead."—*From the French of Alphonse Daudet.*

Morphine Parties.

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It is now the fashion to braid the Langtry knot of hair worn low in the nape of the neck.

A new violet blue, shading to purple, is a new shade called *Yeux Dagmar*, after the deep peculiar color of the eyes of the Empress of Austria, formerly Princess Dagmar.

The short Russian and the rounding zouave jackets, of the style worn by the Greek *raliares*, are two natty and picturesque overgarments which are to be in high vogue the coming season both for home wear and for full-dress occasions. For the latter use the material is of the richest velvet plush, or satin, richly adorned with applique bands, lace or embroidery; and for the former the jackets are made of fine French cashmere, tricot or basket cloth, or plain vigogne, simply trimmed with rows of braid or narrow velvet ribbon.

A very stylish evening dress made for a young debutante of this year shows a skirt of cream-colored India cashmere, surrounded by three deep flounces of the goods shirred on at the top. Each flounce is tucked in rows of three with a deep hem below, and edging the hem is an exceedingly pretty design in cream-colored Irish point lace four inches wide. The short cutaway jacket is edged to match, and opens over a pleated blouse vest of pale blue surah. Ribbons of the same delicate shade hold the loopings of the full cashmere tunic at each side.

Removable trains are sent home with most evening toilets. They are very useful, and if well-cut and arranged, should never betray their adjustable nature. Velvet trains are much in vogue, and, as colored bodices are worn above the skirts, black or white, the addition of a train matching the bodice effects an agreeable transformation when required.

Gold and silver laces, used with discretion, are in high favor for ball toilets. The purple shades, becoming so fashionable, harmonize beautifully with the pale gold trimmings, and silver lace, in its filmy exquisite devices, tones perfectly with the pale blues, mauves and pinks that are now so generally worn.

Foreign manufacturers and modistes have made special note of the fact that Queen Victoria has ordered a number of pieces of Irish poplin to be included in the materials for Princess Beatrice's trousseau, and it is supposed by this that royal patronage will give a stimulus to the sale of this fabric. The newest makes are very attractive, both in their beautiful shades of color and also in their qualities, the surfaces being most soft and glossy to the touch. Formerly, in spite of their excellent wearing qualities, Irish poplins did not look worth the high price asked for them. Now, beauty of appearance is associated with durability, and no better combination can be wished for. White poplin is a handsome and economical fabric for an evening dress, as it will bear much making over, and also takes a splendid dye. The Queen, it is said has ordered a pale silver-blue poplin, one of pearl white flowered with forget-me-nots, and a heavy, lustrous one of pure white.

A pretty cutaway basque for slender figures is open from the throat down, with tiny buttons at either side. The full blouse vest of merveilleux is held down by a Swiss girdle of velvet or plush. The sleeves have a puff of merveilleux below the elbow, with a bias band of velvet above and below. Quite frequently the edge of the cutaway basque is velvet-trimmed to correspond.

A pretty little house apron suitable for ordinary home wear is made of one width of goods in a rounding shape, sloping a little at the top and gathered in a belt. The apron and the small round pocket are edged with fine linen lace, four inches wide, and a handsome belt ribbon with bows and ends is tied at the left side. The novel part of the apron consists of a Fedora bib, which is shirred at the throat, brought down narrowly to the belt, and shirred again.

A great deal of velvet and velvet ribbon will be used for trimming even the lightest fabrics both as to texture and color. Silk gauze, broche with velvet figures, embroidered net, dotted silks, merveilleuxs, foulards, both plain and figured, will also be much employed. Very elegant yet not expensive toilets are formed of a silk skirt which has done duty before, veiled by a very deep flounce of ecru lace. The bodice may be either of new silk, lace-trimmed, or of the same silk, cut low and veiled with a high bodice of ecru net.

A very stylish Parisian bonnet lately exhibited had a medium-sized brim of darkest red velvet with a crown covered with Angora lace wrought with pale gold threads. The strings were of velvet, and the trimming upon the bonnet consisted of a cluster of deep red and yellow tulips in shaded velvet on one side, and a graceful fall of the gold-ran lace on the other, the airy waves caught here and there on the left of the crown with small jeweled ornaments of real gold.

Large clasps for handsome wraps of velvet, satin or plush, of the new Japanese brown, are made of real bronze with antique and mythological heads, in raised enamel. A head of Bacchus is one new design, this surrounded by a solid wreath of vine leaves of silver, with tiny clusters of grapes made of rubies. Some of these devices are exceedingly expensive, clasps for sash buckles, tall mantles, and the like, being made of real gold, or silver in lace work patterns, and handsomely carved slides in gold or silver set with diamonds, pearls and other precious stones.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

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THE MONROE PRESBYTERY.

The Proceedings of the first day of the sessions were given last week. We herewith present a brief synopsis of the business transacted on Thursday, the last day of the meetings.

From the reports presented on Wednesday, we gather the following missionary statistics, which will be of general interest.

Rev. S. W. Pratt, chairman of the committee on foreign missions, reported $655 contributed for this cause from the churches themselves, and $[illegible] from the women's societies. This is an increase from the churches, and a slight decrease from the ladies' societies, over the previous year. From the report of Elder W. H. Boyd, of Monroe, on systematic beneficence, the following contributions to the various causes are taken: Home missions, $1,482; foreign missions, $1,082; education, $126; ministerial relief, $120; freedmen, $4.9.

The Ladies meetings were closed on Wednesday night.

The Presbytery met on Thursday morning at 8:30. Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. J. H. Phelps, of Reading. The election of Commissioners to the General Assembly at Cincinnati, resulted in the choice of Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, of Tecumseh and Elder Wm. H. Boyd, of Monroe, as primaries, and Rev. Jas. H. Barkley, of Hillsdale, and Elder H. Peters, M. D., of Bissfield, as alternates. The overture of the church at Erie requesting Presbytery to sanction and advise a meeting of the church for the purpose of adopting term eldership was answered in the affirmative.

Petersburg was selected as the place for the fall meeting of Presbytery.

The various overtures sent down from General Assembly were duly answered. Revs. W. S. Taylor, S. W. Pratt and Elder W. H. Boyd were appointed a committee to revise the standing rules of Presbytery.

The afternoon session was taken up with the trial of the appeal of Mrs. Mary Hammond Johnson, from the decision of the session of the Monroe church. The appeal was not sustained and the decision of the church by its session was affirmed.

At the evening session the Pastoral relation between Rev. Jas. H. Barkley and the church at Hillsdale was dissolved that Mr. Barkley might assume the position of State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., to which he had been chosen. An interesting report on Sunday schools was presented by Rev. H. P. Collin, of Coldwater. A review of the past 50 years of the churches, containing much interesting history was read by Wm. H. Boyd, and will be printed. A very cordial and complimentary resolution of thanks for the agreeable entertainment furnished by the people of Tecumseh was presented by Rev. H. Lamont and unanimously adopted, after which the Presbytery adjourned.

Coldwater Sun: Some people make a great mistake in stopping their county newspaper as a means of "economy." As quick as times become a little hard they begin to cast about for expenses to cut off, and soon light upon that extravagance, the newspaper, which costs them a dollar a year. Yet these same men will spend from twenty-five cents to a dollar a week—perhaps $25 a year—for tobacco or something stronger, and think nothing of it. Further, the live newspaper is worth to its readers many times the subscription price in practical use; the person who watches the advertisements and market reports is always able to buy and sell to the best advantage. Economy is wise but do not economize unwisely by discontinuing a first class paper.

The country editor is a man who reads newspapers, writes on most any subject, sticks type, folds papers, makes up the mail, runs on errands, saws wood, wipes on stiff towels, is ever inkbespattered, is blamed for a thousand things he never thought of, works hard all day, helps people into office who forgot all about it afterwards, and frequently gets cheated out of half he earns. He puffs and does more to build up a town than any one else, and the miser and old fogy are benefited, yet they will not take his paper, but will borrow it, read it and cuss the editor.—Exchange.

WHAT THE NEWSPAPERS SAY.

The Rich and the Poor.

Poor Democrats inherit the kingdom of heaven; the rich are sent abroad as Ministers and Consuls.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The President's Backbone.

Mr. Cleveland has now been President a month, and this backbone seems, if anything, to be stiffening.—Mobile Register.

A Hint to Major Morse.

Lyons Times: Bridgeport Morse on fractions should make the Detroit Evening News the court journal, which it makes low obeisance on the bench.

High Hopes at the Hub.

Boston Traveller: This weather will bring the gum by delicious new maple sugar into the market, and we shall be able to get the rich syrup for our buckwheat cakes.

The Change of Administration.

Winter never dared to linger in the lap of spring in this shameless persistent and public manner under a Republican administration.—Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.

A Point Well Put.

Buffalo Evening News: It will be well for so-called Democrats, who did not vote for Mr. Cleveland, and who are inclined to make the most noise over the Pearson case, to bear in mind that if it had not been for the mugwumps there would be no Democrats receiving office to-day.

A Step in the Right Direction.

Secretary Whitney's order requiring all clerks in the Navy Department to remain at work until five o'clock is another step in the right direction. For many years it has been the policy of officials to ask for and get as many clerks as possible. The result is they have secured so many that they have not known what to do with them, and the hours of work have, of necessity, been reduced until the clerks begin work about nine o'clock, dawdle about and waste their time, only to leave the department buildings at three or four o'clock in the afternoon.—Philadelphia Times.

A Caution to Black.

Brooklyn Eagle: Miss Ada C. Sweet, the Chicago pension agent, is described as tall, lithe, and supple as a panther. When she becomes excited she has a nervous way of working her fingers and her gray eyes "betray a wealth of meaning." Her hair is a reddish brown, not the reddish brown that Titian loved, but of a tint more closely allied to the colors of the sunset—that nameless shade which is usually associated with high spirit and indomitable resolution. It is understood that Commissioner Black will not solicit the privilege of a personal interview with Miss Sweet.

The Administration Paying its Debts.

St. Louis Republican: The present Administration shows its Democracy and its honesty by a willingness to pay its debts. Our most worthy and most excellent mugwumpian friends in New York have been paid in the reappointment of Mr. Pearson. Every Democrat should feel that a load is taken from his heart when that deed was done—a great stone, as it were, rolled away from the sepulchre. Now, when St. John is paid, and Brother Beecher and Brother Burchard and Brother Conklin, not forgetting Brother Edmunds, Mr. Arthur and Col. Frank Hatton, we believe the woods will be cleaned for a clear-cut Democratic Administration.

Miss Cleveland's Politics.

Chicago Herald: Miss Cleveland announces that the report to the effect that she is a Republican is untrue. She has never carried a torch and has never voted in her life, and as a matter of fact has paid very little attention to politics. Her forte is piety, but she is an ardent admirer of President Cleveland and will support his administration as long as it supports her. Further than this, she says she likes lively Republican women just as well as Democratic women, and can make herself at home with either so long as they don't blackguard Grover. The Herald believes that Miss Cleveland has made herself understood. There is no great prejudice anywhere against a Republican woman. It is the Republican man who votes and yells who makes the Democratic thunder rise.

A Question of Manhood.

Chicago Herald: The moral terrorism which has been exerted over the Prohibitionists since last fall is probably responsible for the disappearance of the party. Its members cannot stand criticism, lampooning, and bulldyragging, and they have had enough of these things to satisfy them for all time. Without indorsing the peculiar ideas of the party the Herald, as a matter of principle, regrets the dissolution of the Prohibitionists, for it believes it to have been the result of a species of intimidation and bulldozing having no parallel in this country outside of East Feliciana and Yazoo. If the temperance politicians have been converted to other faiths by persuasion no one need complain, but if they have been driven by abuse, social ostracism and business discrimination to conceal their real sentiments then the question becomes one of manhood, freedom and citizens' rights which ought not to be overlooked.

GEN. ALEXANDER KOMAROFF.

The long threatened Russo-Afghan war has begun and to Gen. A. Komaroff, the Russian Governor General of the Trans-Caspian Provinces is the striking of the first blow to be assigned. Following closely upon the statements of desire for peace on the part of Russia came the news of the fall of Penjdeh and the whole English world is aroused to the urgency of immediate action. General Komaroff in his official statement reports that in consequence of provocative and manifestly hostile proceedings of the Afghans he was compelled to attack them on the 30th of March on both sides of the Kushk river. The result was the defeat of the Afghans with the loss of 500 men, all their artillery, two standards, and their entire camp and provisions. Gen. Komaroff also reports that some British officers, who had been eye witnesses but not participants in the engagement, appealed to the Russians for protection, but unfortunately a convoy which he immediately dispatched to the relief of these officers was unabled to overtake the Afghan cavalry who carried the British away in their flight. Penjdeh, around which the reported fighting took place is not a town in the strictest sense of the word but is merely a valley over which a number of mud cabins are scattered. It is about seventy miles from the nearest Russia camp. It is south of Aktepeh, the Russian stronghold. The two were once large towns but by the westward march of civilization they fell to decay and ruin.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

For May deals largely with original and timely articles. It opens with an article by W. A. Croffut, the well-known newspaper correspondent, entitled "The Birth of a New Party," Alvan S. Southworth describes "The New State of Congo," and its importance to the trade and commerce of the world. The Egyptian question comes in for its share in the arcicle on Col. F. G. Burnaby, with portraits of Burnaby and his wife, views of his home and scenes in his career. Popular science is provided in "A Feather," by Dr. Hans Gadow, with fifteen illustrations showing a feather in every possible form and stage of development. The story element is well kept up, Garrett Walker's serial, "The Death Mark," reaches its thirty-third chapter, and there are six short stories, "Braut shooting at Cape Cod," by Orville Deane will please the sportsman; the article on "Deaf mutes" the philanthropist; "In the Alsatian Mountains," by Katherine Lee, the traveler; and "The Vegetable Wonder of Mexico," by Emily Pierce, the botanist. All of these articles are illustrated, some of the pictures being very beautiful. There are several poems of considerable merit, and numerous short articles, interesting and timely. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

There is no more pleasing music than these jolly songs as sung by students; and any one who has ever had the opportunity of hearing these songs by college societies, glee clubs, or by groups of students will not be surprised to learn that a new edition of Moses King's collection has just been issued. Over 30,000 copies have already been sold. This remarkable sale is probably owing to the fact that nearly all these songs are to be found in no other collection. They are all fresh and copyrighted, and are the songs actually sung at all the colleges at the present time. There are sixty songs, with full music. The book is handsomely printed, sheet-music size, and is sold for fifty cents. The editor is William H. Hills, a recent graduate of Harvard; and the publisher is Moses King, of Cambridge, Mass., widely known as editor of "King's Handbook of Boston," "Harvard and its Surroundings," etc.

It is a curious fact that one of the most famous poems in our language appeared originally in a magazine that seldom touches poetry at all, and the same periodical, after an interval of sixty-six years, now brings out another poem very similar in theme. Bryant's "Thanatopsis," was first printed in the North American Review for September, 1817. The May number of the Review, just out has a poem by Robert Buchanan on "The New Buddha." The critics found fault with Mr. Bryant's poem on the ground that it was un-Christian; it remains to be seen what they will say of Mr. Buchanan's.

A fac simile of a map prepared by General Gordon in Khartoum, and with notes in his hand writing, forms a feature of Science for April 10. General Stone late of Egyptian service, writes the descriptive text, and Colonel Prout, who served with Gordon, contributes an article upon his character as an officer, showing the misconception of those persons who have supposed him to be a mere enthusiast. "The Climate of the Soudan," by an officer of long experience, and the "Route from Suakim to Berber," are recent articles in the pages of Science, the new scientific weekly. [$5 per year; 46 Bond Street, New York.]

The state public school at Coldwater received during the last year 253 children and placed in homes 310. The present number in the school is 239, with 60 boys and 34 girls out on trial. The total number not indentured is 333.

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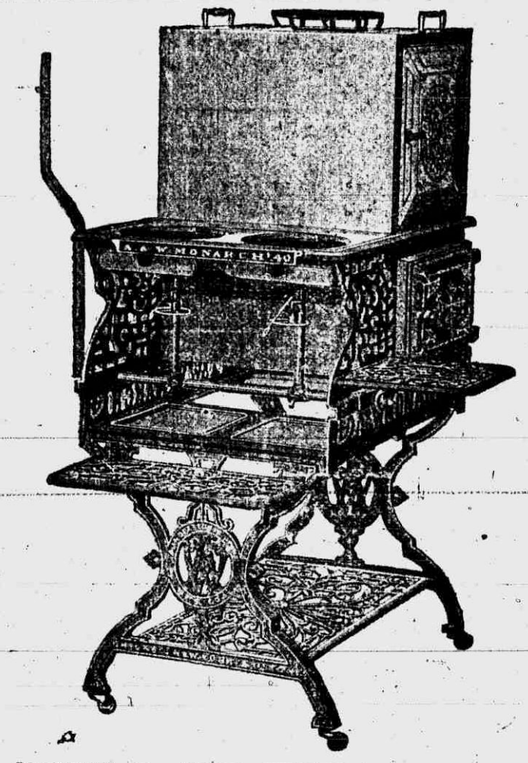

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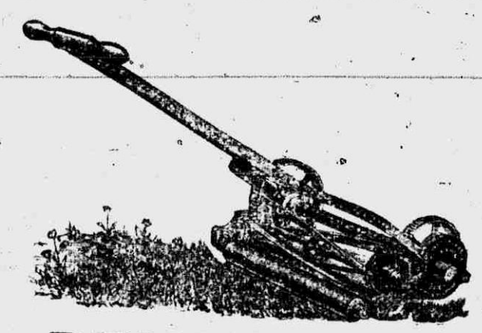

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For a guarantee of its working qualities, we refer you to the large number in successful use in this vicinity.

To parties who are contemplating the purchase of a FURNACE, one that will give first-class satisfaction in every particular, we invite an inspection of our work in this line. We make a specialty of this class of work, and are in a position to do first-class work in putting in first-class FURNACES.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—I offer for sale, on easy terms, my house and lot situated on northwest corner of Mill and Brown streets in village of Tecumseh, formerly known as the Geo. W. Pennock residence, or if desired will exchange the same for land. Apply to the undersigned at his residence on north side of Brown street, 2d house east of railroad.
April 23d, 1885. WM. CANNON.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Second hand clock store with reservoir and warming oven, all complete. Enquire of A. W. SLAYTON.

GRAPES.—Some choice Concord grape vines 3 years old, for sale by ED. PRICHARD.

FOR SALE.—Good heavy work horse. Inquire at COLE'S MARKET.

STOCK OF GOODS FOR SALE.—Having made arrangements to sell goods on the instalment plan, I wish to sell my confectionery and notion business, lease and fixtures. It is a good opening for any party wishing a light and good paying business. N. R. BROWN,
Bardwell Block.

FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKING.—Having leased the rooms over Miss Hough's millinery establishment, we would respectfully announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that we are prepared to do dressmaking in all the latest and most approved styles. Cutting and fitting a specialty.
MISSES KIRKLAND.

LOST.—A monogram onyx stone cuff button. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to JOHN J. ORR.

TO RENT.—Two large light front rooms for rent in the Mills block. A. W. MILLS.

FOR SALE.—Good lumber wagon and set heavy double harness. Enquire at COLE'S MEAT MARKET.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE.—The flouring mills situated on the river Raisin, near the village of Tecumseh, Mich., known as Comfort's Roller Mills, which mill is in complete working order ready for business, and will be a splendid opportunity for anyone wishing to purchase. Also eighty acres (more or less) of good farming land, which will be sold in parcels or together. Also 2 good cows, 60 sheep, yearling bull etc.
E. A. TRIBOU, Assignee.
TECUMSEH, April 1, 1885.

NOTICE.—Having sold our new store building, and being about to close out our business, we invite all persons indebted to us to call and settle the same within the next 30 days.
JOHN BRITTON & SON.
BRITTON, Apr. 1, 1885.

HOUSE FOR SALE.—Large village lot, fine residence, desirable location. Will be sold at a bargain. For particulars enquire of FRED. B. WOOD.

Dr. B. F. Snyder, of this village, has a card in the Addison Courier.

Charles Kilburn is again cutting meat at Cole's market, where he will be pleased to serve all his old friends.

RINK RACKET.

No more skating on Thursday. The rink will be opened only two days in the week during warm weather.

The hat carnival last Tuesday evening was largely attended, both by skaters and spectators. About twenty skaters competed for the prizes, and every variety of hat was represented, from the one six foot tall down to the one an inch in height. There were also several handsome hats worn by the ladies, among them being the one worn by Miss Gussie Whitenack, which took the prize, and also those worn by Misses Carrie Powers and Mina Olmstead. The prize for the smallest hat was carried off by Fred Tiffany. Darius Smith and George Waldron were not far behind him in matter of minuteness of hats. The tallest hat was worn by Levi Hayden and he will rejoice in the possession of a free pass to the rink for a month to come. The oddest, most unique, and probably most appropriate hat there that evening was that worn by Geo. Field. It represented an old fashioned mill, the motive power being furnished by wind, and the sails were kept in motion by the movement of the skater, making a very pleasing effect. Another handsome one was that worn by Charlie Whittier, representing a church steeple, and was illuminated. Taken all together we think the carnival was a great success and Manager Cash should favor us with another at an early day.

SHE WANTED A DIVORCE.

A spare, weazen-faced, peaked-nosed little woman dropped into the HERALD office the other day and enquired for Judge Stacy. She was attired in a green gingham dress, with an old style straw bonnet on and a big red bandana handkerchief tied about her neck. Upon being informed that the Judge was out of town, she quietly helped herself to a chair and informed us what the nature of her business was.

"I come up, young man, to see about getting a bill from old Jake. You don't know as much as the Judge, that's true; but I've seen you pettifog law suits down in Milan years ago, and you certainly ought to know somethin' about divorce law. Jake and I have bin quarrelin, for years. I want my way half the time and he allus insists on havin' his way all the time and it makes trouble in the family. 'Tother day I was arguin a pint with him at dinner table and wound him up—in fact, I allus git the better of him on logic—when he retaliated by jumpin' up and throwin' his chair at me full drive. Well, I seen the chair comin' and so I dodged, and the chair struck the tin baker and knocked it all to the dingbats. Now, square, don't you think them is good grounds for a divorce?"

We politely informed her that she committed a very grave mistake in dodging. If she, instead of the tin baker, had received the blow aimed at her with the chair, it would have been a valid ground for a divorce, but under the circumstances it looked as though the tin baker had more cause of complaint than she.

She accepted the advice thankfully, offering us a bushel of cider apples in payment, and departed, fully resolved to face the music manfully next time and *take* the chair.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 23, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Hudson will soon boast of a Chinese laundryman.

The weather is a little more like spring this week.

J. W. Patterson and family are expected home to-night.

Figure up your wealth; Supervisor Bresie is on the tramp.

The street sprinkler commenced its rounds yesterday morning.

Burt Morey, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday visiting friends.

We are indebted to our friend J. H. Darling for late copies of Duluth papers.

The Detroit Post building is now lighted with the Edison incandescent electric light.

These kind words of the Adrian Record are recorded by the HERALD with pleasure.

The fish have commenced running and the boys have commenced running also, after the fish.

John B. Whelan, of Detroit, was in town yesterday. He is conducting a law suit at Adrian to-day.

Next Sunday, April 26th, is the 66th anniversary of the establishment of Odd Fellowship in this country.

E. G. Cook is making extensive improvments on his residence, corner Union and Pottawatamie streets.

Congressman Eldredge is distributing a ton of agricultural reports among his confiding constituents.

Awnings are going up very fast. The July weather of the past few days hurries things up considerably.

Mr. Jos. C. Bridgeman, of Wardwell & Co., Toledo, was in town last Tuesday and favored the HERALD with a call.

J. L. Brezee, the proprietor of the late Detroit Times, is soon to embark in another newspaper venture in New York.

J. A. Munger, having become tired of the harness business, has closed out and taken a position as salesman on the road.

Rev. R. O. Cooper has been engaged as rector of Christ's Church in Adrian and begun his pulpit duties last Sunday.

David Woodward's Clinton foundry has started up again and will soon be turning out plows and plow points by the hundred.

Col. Sumner Spafford, who has been quite seriously ill for the past three weeks is now convalescing and will soon be out again.

Geo. Parks, who appeared with Alba Heywood in his last entertainment here, will travel with Sells Bro's circus this summer.

All indebted to us would confer a favor by paying their accounts at once—and much oblige
W. & S. W. ANDERSON & CO.

W. W. Frazer was in Adrian yesterday trying a case in the circuit of McConkey vs. G. C. Pocklington. Mr. Frazer appears for the plaintiff.

Mr. Willett Brown, of Cadilac, has sold his interest in the dry goods house that he was connected with in that city and returned to Tecumseh.

The Universalists have engaged Rev. J. M. Getchel to preach for them again next Sunday. Services will be held morning and evening at the usual hour.

H. Brewer & Co., will work only half a force in the molding room for one month; on account of the late continued cold weather, business is slack in their line.

This being the season that the Asiatic cholera is expected, it is hoped that the board of health will see that no filth is left by shiftless householders to aid in its devastations.

Miss Carrie Powers accidentally burned herself in the eye quite severely with a hot iron yesterday. It is needless to say she was engaged in crimping her hair at the time.

Adrian Press: It is said that some republican members of the Clinton Episcopal church desire to have the name changed from "St. John's" to some other Saint, whose name don't call up such sad memories.

Do not intrude your company where it is not wanted. Do not hang around stores where your presence will be a burden. Those merchants who desire your company and custom will make it known through the columns of some good newspaper.

Morenci Observer: Agents for a patent carpet sweeper have been infesting Morenci households of late, and it is reported that one of them was being hunted by his employer Wednesday for having unduly "salted" some of the money which he had collected.

Our old friend J. H. Darling has removed from St. Paul Minn., to Duluth, where he will have charge of the harbor improvements at Duluth and Superior City. Mr. Darling's new position is a good one and he hopes to remain there some time. Duluth is a growing town and he thinks it will be a good place for a home.

Addison is to have a new postoffice building.

W. T. Eccles has opened his ice cream rooms.

The ice-cream and lemonade season approacheth.

Geo. W. Stacy, of Buffalo, arrived in Tecumseh yesterday.

Look at Met. Conklin's new advertisement on the eighth page.

The maple sugar crop of Lenawee County will be large this year.

The Morenci fair association contemplate holding a spring show.

Spring work with the farmers is coming "all in a heap" this year.

Will Ross started for Dakota last Thursday to spend the summer.

Mrs. Bailey, of Hudson, recently died at the advanced age of 104 years.

W. D. Brooks is getting settled in his new gallery in the Montague building.

Representative Howell of this district has introduced thirteen bills in state legislature.

Street Commissioner Jordan is doing a good work this week cleaning up Chicago street.

Wm. Willett, of Blissfield, has on hand a lot of good Bohemian oats for seed which he offers for sale at $1 per bushel.

Ab Usborne is finishing the front of his new store east of the HERALD building and getting it ready for occupancy.

Look out for Supervisor Bresie these days. He is now going the rounds, armed with a big lead pencil and an assessment roll.

If "G" wants his or her communication printed about "A remarkable girl," he or she should favor us with his or her real name.

Lew Waldron has just furnished Will Osborn, of Franklin, with a 50 barrel water tank and a complete system of water works.

Ed. Hollister was at home a couple of days last week. He is still selling seeds for a Pennsylvania house and goes to Chicago this week.

Of the 31 applicants for teachers' certificates at Lawrence, Kansas, only 24 passed, and Miss Fannie Prichard, of Tecumseh, was one of the lucky ones.

An election will be held by Co. C. to-morrow evening to fill the vacant Lieutenancy. The regular weekly drill will also be held at the same time.

Ezra Morris and Charles Wilson, pioneers of Seneca, having been born in that township on the same day, celebrated their 52d birthday at the house of Mr. Wilson last Friday.

The Adrian and Rome Wool Growers Association will have their second annual sheep shearing festival at the residence of L. C. Baker, in Adrian township, on Friday, May 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Camp, of Sedalia, Mo., have been spending a few days in Adrian, and they favored their Tecumseh friends with a short visit last week. They expect to return to Sedalia this week.

Hon. Thomas F. Moore of Adrian, will give a free lecture at Macon Grange Hall on Tuesday, April 28th, at 8 o'clock, P. M. Subject, "The New Orleans Exposition and the South." Let there be a good turn out to hear him.

The spring is here, and with it the carpet beater, the painter, paper hanger and calciminer, and the multitudinous discomforts of the house. If the men had the ordering of it, all such business would be attended to once in every twenty-five years.

Mrs. Maria L. Spafford, mother of George and Charles Spafford, died Tuesday morning at her residence in Brownville, at the advanced age of 82 years. Mrs. Spafford has been in failing health for several months, her ailment being a gradual wasting away of the vital powers. The funeral services were conducted at the house yesterday afternoon at three o'clock by Rev. Mr. Babbitt. A suitable obituary notice will appear in these columns soon.

John R. Clark arrived at home last Saturday and will remain a few days at his family hearthstone. He has just completed a very successful lecture tour of three months in Ontario, having spoken in all the principal towns of both upper and lower Canada. He does not confine himself wholly to lecturing on temperance, but has several other lectures in his repertoire, which he uses as occasion demands. After a few day's rest and recreation at home, he commences another lecture tour in New York.

A Georgia farmer leased some land last year to a colored man for a third of the crop. A severe drought cut the crops short, and the negro gathered only two bales of cotton and two wagon loads of corn. The latter was stored and the cotton sold. When the landlord called for his share he was told that there was none for him. He asked, in surprise, "Didn't I rent you my land for a third of the crop?" "Yes, boss," said the darky, "but you see dere was no third. Dere was only two bales of cotton and two loads of corn; all mine, and nuffin for you by de contract."

Fred Herning has treated his meat market to a coat of fresh paint.

Miss Minnie Lehn, of Manchester is visiting at Wm. Arnold's this week.

Only seven saloons to be in running condition in Tecumseh the next year.

Mike Ryan and Charlie Vogel, of Manchester, spent last Sunday in Tecumseh.

Bob Moore and Dan Mulligan, of Adrian, visited friends in Tecumseh yesterday.

The Free Methodists now hold their meetings in Reform Club Hall on Sunday evenings.

There is no use of going barefooted now days. You can buy boots and shoes at your own price in Tecumseh.

An Oakland county flour mill turns out "Minnesota" patent flour. All the wooden nutmegs are not made in Connecticut.

Frank Beaman captured an eel three feet in length in the Quaker mill pond last Tuesday evening. A good many may think this a good eel of a fish story, but we assure them that it is the truth in every particular.

The Kelley's Corners correspondent of the Brooklyn Exponent, writes: "On Monday morning as J. Dubois started the water wheel to his mill, he found it full of eels; they caught a large number and dressed them, some weighing 4 pounds apiece.

Adrian Press: Tramps take the Tecumseh HERALD counting room for a beer shop. When they see Scove's portly form though, they conclude that he keeps mighty poor beer, and they hunt up a shop where it is liable to be better, and have more "body."

Morenci Observer: The farm residence of John B. Lowe in Medina township caught fire from a supposed "defective flue" Thursday afternoon, and was entirely burned up, together with a large portion of the household goods. Insured for $1,000 in the Farmers' Mutual of Lenawee county.

We are indebted to W. G. Bryant, editor of the Deaf Mute Mirror, for the sixteenth biennial report of the Michigan Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Flint. The school is in a flourishing condition and is doing a grand work for the unfortunate class for whose benefit it was established.

The Adrian Times suggests that Congressman Eldredge recommend the appointment of Willard Stearns as pension agent of the eastern district. It would be a very suitable appointment, and we believe would give general satisfaction to the Democracy of this section.

Bro. Schemerhorn of the Gazette, and Bro. Allen of the Observer, two of Lenawee's veteran journalists, are no more, but their sons take up the pens their sires laid down, and the papers continue to interest their readers as of yore. Worthy mantles the young journalists wear.

A Social Party will be given at Exelby's Hall in Britton, on Thursday evening next, April 30th, by W. A Bennett and L. Babcock. Music by Edward's full band. Joe Mellon, floor manager. Fifty cents will pay the fiddler and fifty cents more will pay for refreshments. Turn out and enjoy a good dance.

J. J. Daly, of Adrian, who has bought the Merrick bankrupt shoe stock, has rented the Usborne store, second door east of the HERALD office and opened a stock of boots and shoes there yesterday. Ben Farmer will have charge of the store. They propose to push business. Read their announcement on the second page.

John R. Clark will lecture next Sunday and Monday in Coldwater. This is his first visit to that enterprising city, and we can assure the good people of Coldwater that they will not regret it, if they give him a rousing reception. Mr. Clark is to-day one of the best temperance advocates on the American platform. He will be at Dexter four nights next week, and will be at Hudson on the Sunday and Monday following.

James Lowry has adopted a new scheme which his customers will doubtless approve. He has issued 3000 tickets, one of which will be given to every purchaser of a dollar's worth of groceries at his store. The holder of these tickets will be presented with a beautiful cottage organ, worth $120, which will be given to them on the 2d day of November next when they can take possession of the property and dispose of the same as they may think proper.

Elmer Bradley, of Macon, died last Saturday of consumption, aged about twenty-five years. He has been gradually failing for several months, and during the fall and winter Mr. Alfred Lewis, administrator of his fathers estate, hired his board where he was well taken care of. On the first of February, Mrs. Isaac Pennington, whose son Willie fell a victim to the same dread disease a few months ago, took Elmer to her own home and carefully nursed him with all the fondness of a mother, until death came to his relief. Mrs. Pennington's action was purely a labor of love, and she refused any compensation from the administrator for her trouble. It was an instance of self sacrifice which is rarely seen and which deserves public recognition.

JOSHUA GUMBO PLANTS A TREE.

Jerusha Gumbo had cleared off the supper table, knocked the handle off the water pitcher, and mixed the pancake batter on Friday evening and seated herself to toe out a pair of barber-pole stockings for Sally; Joshua had lighted his corn-cob pipe and planted himself in the big arm chair to smoke and growl, when the conversation turned upon Arbor Day.

"I say, Joshua," said Mrs. Gumbo as she adjusted her spectacles and picked up a lost stitch, "have you read the Governor's proclamation on Arbor Day?"

"The Gov'ner's declamation on bee'ber day, what in canopys' that?"

"Why, Joshua, what a fool you are! The Governor has made a public proclamation to which the great seal of the State is transfixed, appointing Saturday as a day for the planting of trees. He calls upon all the good people of Michigan to honor the custom established by Gov. Bagley, to meet in their door yards and on their farms, armed with shovel and spade, and plant out trees. It is a beautiful custom and we ought to observe it. There is'nt a tree in our front yard, not a tree, not even a weeping willow or a castor bean. Last summer, you know, we had one hollyhock near the gate, and a morning glory over the pantry window, but these impart no shade on a hot summer's day. We must have a maple or chestnut or mountain ash, some tree of a poetical and æsthetic character, to grow up and shade the front gate. We may not live to enjoy it ourselves, Joshua; but our ancestor's will."

"Why, hang it, Jerusha, be you crazy? I ain't no grave digger. What'n canopy d've want a tree sot out for? Why, woman we don't own this ere house and lot. Its only rented and the rent's behind now. No knowin when we'll git notice sarved on us to quit. Sally is only ten years old. It'll be six years sartin, afore she'll have any beaux to hang on the front gate, and you'n I'll both be in our graves afore that time."

"Well, Joshua, I do not care to bandy words on the subject. I am a loyal woman and this family must preserve the Governor's proclamation. I shall take the necessary steps in the morning to provide a proper receptacle for a tree in the front yard, and if you fail to plant a tree in that hole before sunset, I will plant you in it. You may select some useful rather than an ornamental tree if you prefer, but a tree must be planted on these premises to-morrow. I have set my foot down and that ends it. Do you hear, Mr. Gumbo?"

"Gewhitaker, when a woman sets her foot down, I spose thats the end on't. I'll plant a tree."

Mrs. Gumbo had breakfast served promptly at six o'clock on Saturday morning, and Joshua hustled himself to hunt up a tree. After breakfast Jerusha drafted Sammy and Sally into the service. A spade was borrowed from one neighbor, a crowbar from another, and these, with an old adz found in the woodhouse, were the utensils used to excavate a suitable hole for a tree. At high noon the excavation was dug, some salt and ashes were sprinkled in the bottom of the pit, the soil was saturated with brine from the pork barrel, and everything was in readiness for the tree.

Joshua failed to come to dinner. Three o'clock came, and four, and five and still he lingered. Mrs. Gumbo's heart went down to zero and she began to fear that Joshua had eloped. But as the clock struck six he appeared with a beautiful tree on Lon Chapman's dray. The family all turned in to help and just as the sunshine faded from the tilobe Mill cupola the tree was planted. Even the baby watched the process through the kitchen window and clapped its little hands in glee.

"The fact is," said Gumbo, as he sat down to his bread and water and apple sauce. "I've had a bustin' old day on't. I've bin runnin'n runnin'n runnin since I got out this morning, and I b'lieve I've traveled forty miles. I visited all the groves in the neighborhood, and I went down to Pennington's nursery, and I hunted up the fellers what sell's shade trees, and finally I struck Ed. Pritchard, who plants trees for a business and keeps 'em for sale. He had maples 'n elms 'n evergreens 'n weepin willers 'n mountain ashes, and lots of fancy kinds with dictionary names to 'em. I picked out one for both beauty and use. Ed. warrants it to be a genoine applesass tree. Why, hang it, Jerusha, it'll shade the hull door yard in three years, and bear applesass enough to run the hull family. It begins cuttin teeth at two years old, and at five years old it'll bear three full crops 'o applesass in one summer, and when it oust starts in, it jest keeps on bearin 'n bearin 'n bearin. Why, hang it, it'll whittle down the grocery bills twenty per cent. The fact is, I've had the blues for the past six months, but I'm feelin chipper to-night. I haint felt so good since uncle Reuben sent us that bar'l of new cider. The clouds is beginnin' to scatter, and I can see a streak 'o blue sky once more. Whar's my poetry machine? Grind her out now, old gal, to the chune of "Then and Now."

THEN

When the Shanghai crows in the rosy morn
And the whip-poor-will whips with glee,
And the hewgag sounds its warning horn,
It gives no joy to me.

When the mugwump skips in the hollow log
And the wood chuck sits in the tree,
And the pollywog skips in the cranberry bog
My heart is sad in me.

When the bullyhuch roosts on the butternut limb
And the buzz of the bumble bee
Goes echoing over the vale and hill,
It brings no mirth to me.

When the jovial snagpup loons his food,
And the katydid shapes its knee,
And the bullfrog blows his nine-horn,
My heart is sad in me.

When the green-bug pants from the owner's yard gate
And the cow of the neighbor's lea
Goes meandering down my spinal chute,
It brings no joy to me.

When the cuttle-fish cuts its mindin' up
And the cricket croaks over the lea,
And the beetle buttons its tiny wings,
My heart is sad in me.

NOW

But Arbor Day dates a new era in life,
My conscience is clear as the sea;
My duty is done, the victory won,
For I've planted an applesass tree.

The sky, it is blue as the grass, it is green;
My heart is now jolly and free,
And the gentle-faced moon beams upon me serener
For I've planted an applesass tree.

Neither chestnut, nor hemlock, nor maple, nor pine,
Can lavish their beauties on me;
Begone with your willow, your walnut and vine!
I've planted an applesass tree.

Now let the owl hoot and the skagpopper toot,
Let the buzzard buzz over the lea;
Than Gumbo, you can't find a gayer galoot,
For I've planted an applesass tree.

This is what the Adrian Record says about it:

They set a value on official honors in Macon. At the late election Mrs. Rachel Howell was declared elected to the office of school inspector. Now comes C. E. Triplet, opposing candidate on the republican ticket, with a notification to the township clerk that he is prepared to contest and will contest the election. The vote for the office resulted in a tie and in drawing the lady won the position. The other man is dissatisfied with the result of the tie and says it should be a Triplet. Ridgewayans once had a squabble in the circuit court over the title to the town clerkship. Macon may furnish a similar case.

The Milwaukee Sunday Telegraph of April 19th has the following:

Harry P. Spaulding was married to Miss Sarah Adlam, daughter of Capt. S. J. G. Adlam, 292 Lyon street, Wednesday evening, April 15. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Naughton, of St. John's cathedral. Only relatives were invited. The young couple received many beautiful gifts.

The friends of Harry Spaulding here in his old home will cheerfully join with us in extending the customary congratulations, hoping that he may have chosen as wisely as we know the bride has done.

Adrian Times: Mr. Arthur Green, of Raisin, was quite seriously injured by being thrown from a roller on Thursday of last week. He was driving a spirited team, and the roller struck a stone, throwing him under it. No bones were broken, but his shoulders and face were so badly bruised that he has been unable to sit up since.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

John Augustus Neal, of Hoboken, N. Y., has been appointed Superintendent of Engraving at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, vice George W. Casilear, of New York, whose resignation [illegible] [illegible]

The [illegible] anniversary of the [illegible] was celebrated [illegible] by the honored people of Washington on the 16th. There was no [illegible] parade of [illegible] and civic societies which marched through the principal streets. President Cleveland stood in the front portico of the Executive mansion and reviewed the procession as it passed through the White House grounds. An address by Fred Douglass, reading the "Emancipation Proclamation" and music made up the programme.

Secretary [illegible] appointments on the 15th: William H. Pruden, of New Mexico, Associate Justice of that Territory; Henry W. Bishop, of Denver, District Attorney for Colorado; Thomas W. Scott, Marshal for the Eastern district of West Virginia; Francis Wharton, of Pennsylvania, Examiner of Claims in the Department of State; James W. Morgan, [illegible] Commissioner of Pensions; Franklin Pierce, of New Hampshire, Commissioner of Patents; W. Warner, of Missouri, at Paris; Thomas R. Welsh, of Arkansas, at Vienna; Hugh H. Wise, of Virginia, at Mexico; J. Macomb, of North Carolina, at Copenhagen; James [illegible], of Wisconsin, at Prague; Robert Stockton, of New Jersey, at Berlin; William Walter Phelps, of New Jersey, at Brussels; J. Hervey Bridgham, of Louisiana, at Pesth; [illegible] Mexico, at [illegible]

[illegible] Secretary of the Treasury [illegible] the Mint, Coinage, and Assay Offices, Frank Bond, of Kentucky; W. Warner, of Missouri; Thomas R. Welsh, of Arkansas; H. W. Bishop, of Colorado; H. H. Macomb, of North Carolina; James [illegible], of Wisconsin; [illegible] Pruden, of New Mexico; Robert Stockton, of New Jersey; [illegible] Wm. Starr, of Illinois, at Brussels; J. Hervey Bridgham, of Louisiana, at Pesth; [illegible] Mexico, at [illegible]

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A proclamation was issued by President Cleveland in the 6th revenue, President Arthur's Executive order of February 23, which restored to the public domain the lands of the Old Winnebago and Crow Creek Indian reservation of Dak ta. In the proclamation he says this step is taken after careful examination of the Indian treaties bearing upon the subject, fortified by an opinion of the Attorney General, deciding that all those lands were treaty reservations. President Arthur had no lawful power to restore them to the public domain. He also warns all persons occupying these lands to remove from them within sixty days.

Commander M. Ca'a telegraphed to the Secretary of the Navy that he has reached the Isthmus and found transit open. The political condition is quiet, and the recall of the marines for the present is deemed advisable.

THE EAST.

The Pennsylvania House of Representatives on the 17th, by a vote of [illegible] to [illegible], passed an anti-trust bill, prohibiting discrimination in freights and imposing a fine not exceeding $5,000 on any person convicted of violating the law. The names requiring the publicity of freight rates and providing imprisonment for the offenders were rejected by a decisive vote. The section providing liberal damages for injuries sustained by shippers through violation of the law is retained.

Rev. J. B. Bittenger, D. D., of the Sewickley, Pa., Presbyterian Church, and well known throughout the country, died at that place on the 15th after a protracted illness, aged sixty-three years.

Two managers of a dozen roller-skating rinks in New York and Brooklyn met recently and organized an association intended to promote improvement in the rinks and protect them against legislation in favor of theater managers and liquor sellers.

Hugh Mo[illegible], a Mind[illegible] who killed his wife in Newburgh, N. Y., two months ago by throwing her down and jumping on her, has been indicted for murder in the first degree.

The will of Mrs. Eliza M. Morgan, widow of ex-Governor Edwin D. Morgan, was filed in the Surrogate's office at New York City on the 15th. She gives $50,000 to her children, $5,000 to charitable and church purposes, [illegible] her valuable jewels and personal effects among numerous relatives and friends, and leaves the rest of her estate to her daughter, Edwin D. Morgan.

Edward Lerand, the son of a wealthy and prominent family of Wilkesbarre, Pa., and now serving a term in jail at that place for forging his father's name to a note, attempted suicide by swallowing a tablet of carbolic acid and afterwards tried to hang himself with a sheet. The watchman cut him down in the last act. It is [illegible]

[illegible] in Philadelphia a few days ago between most factions of [illegible]. Walter Dunlap, six years old, was struck in the head with a brick and killed. [illegible] in the United States reported during the week ended the 16th, [illegible] 176 in the preceding week and [illegible] 208 and were the smallest [illegible] of any week since [illegible] and 43 less than the corresponding week of last year.

The annual report of the Girard Fire and Marine Insurance Company, just issued, shows the gross earnings [illegible] $[illegible] for the past year, [illegible] $[illegible] for the preceding year, and losses were $[illegible] less than the net earnings [illegible].

Jesse Fretz, a well-known business man of South Bethlehem, Pa., committed suicide a few days ago by hanging himself in his stable. He was discovered by his wife, but when cut down life was extinct. Business troubles are supposed to have caused the act.

The well-known negro ballad composer, Bob[illegible] Williams, died at New York City on the 16th from pneumonia. He was thirty years old.

Major Jonas P. Capehart, ex-member of the Massachusetts Legislature, who was Captain in a regiment in that State during the war and who is connected with the Loyal Legion, G. A. R. and other similar organizations, was arrested at Boston on the 17th for charging from $50 to $300 for services as pension agent, whereas the law limits the fee to ten dollars. He was held in $500 bail for examination.

Dan Mace, the well-known driver of trotting horses, died at his residence in New York on the 20th of Bright's disease.

At Pittsburgh on the 19th the National scale convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers adjourned after a continuous session of twenty hours. Nothing definite is known regarding the action taken, as the delegates refused to talk. It is generally believed, however, that last year's scale of $[illegible] per ton for puddling was reaffirmed.

The statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 18th shows the following changes: Loans decrease, $[illegible]; specie increase, $[illegible]; legal tenders increase, $[illegible]; deposits decrease, $[illegible]; circulation, no change; reserve increase, $[illegible]. The banks held $[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

H. A. McCormick, ex-United States District Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania, died at the West Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, on the 19th. He had been a sufferer from insomnia for several weeks.

The resignation of William H. McCleary as postmaster at Pittsburgh causes quite a surprise in political circles. Nine months of the term of his commission are unexpired, and this action on his part, it is said, has for its object the giving to the friends of the Democratic party advantage over another in securing the new appointment.

Mrs. Alexander McKinney was [illegible] murdered on the 15th at her home at Spring Hill, N. Y., about four miles from Poughkeepsie, by William Jones, a workman who then committed suicide. Jones boarded with the family. The murderer's shot could be heard in New York, coming home on Saturday night. There were evidences of a struggle, and there were pools of blood in the kitchen and parlor. No motive can be assigned for the act. Jones was in love with Mrs. McKinney's youngest daughter, who is a dressmaker in New York.

The planing and sawmill of Fletcher Smith, at Tuxawanta, N. Y., was recently fired by the 10th, entailing a loss of $[illegible], insured for $[illegible].

Rev. Dr. Stern, a Jewish rabbi of Wilkesbarre, Pa., committed by taking laudanum at his residence at city on the 15th. No cause was assigned for the act.

Specie exports from New York for the week ended the 16th amounted to $[illegible]; of this amount the exports to Europe were $[illegible] silver, and to Havana $12,500 gold. The imports of specie during the same period were $[illegible].

An old woman named Sands died on a small farm in Westchester County, N. Y., a few days ago. She was supposed to be poor, but when her effects were examined there was found sewed up in an old petticoat [illegible] in greenbacks, bank books showing deposits of $[illegible] and $[illegible] in bonds, in addition to this Mrs. Sands left real estate in various parts of New York City, and the farm upon which she resided.

WEST AND SOUTH.

At Evansville, Ind., on the 15th Mary Deaner, her daughter, aged eleven, and her niece, Caroline Dempsey, twelve years old, while floating down the river in an open boat composed of two skiffs lashed together, were drowned by the boat capsizing.

William Clark, a farmer of Holt County, Mo., on the 15th shot and killed Mrs. Harding, a widow aged forty-two, her daughter Annie, aged sixteen, wounded a boy of the family, aged fourteen, and then killed himself. Clarke had been threatened with a suit for damages for alleged intimacy with the girl.

The Adams & Westlake Manufacturing Company, Chicago, has shut down its works, throwing 300 men and boys out of employment. The employes contend that the shutdown was ordered with the view of reengaging the force at a reduction of wages.

Resolutions were recently passed by the New Orleans Board of Health requesting the Governor to issue a quarantine proclamation imposing a detention of ten days on all vessels arriving there from infected ports after May 1.

The appearance of a madding on the streets of Milwaukee on the 15th created much excitement. The animal attacked every one in his way, and before he was killed eleven persons were bitten. So far as learned all the victims are children except one a man.

The Illinois Commandery of the Loyal Legion on the 16th gave a banquet at the Grand Pacific Hotel, Chicago, to the delegates to the fifth congress of the Order. Covers were laid for 215. Colonel John Mason Loomis, Commander of the Illinois Loyal Legion, presided. An orchestra played patriotic airs. Colonel Loomis delivered an address of welcome and ex-President Hayes responded.

Adelbert Marsh, recently appointed a bridge tender at Ashtabula, O., was killed on the 17th by being struck by an iron lever while turning the bridge to allow a tug to pass.

Charles Bellerl, aged forty years, who was in jail at Dayton, Ohio, under a heavy sentence, hung himself on the 17th.

Sixteen dwellings in the village of Bristol, near Elkhart, Ind., were destroyed by fire on the 16th, entailing a loss of $4,000; insurance $[illegible].

The steamboat Polly was sunk in Bayou Jassie, ten miles above Morgan City, La., a few nights ago. The boat was moored at the bank at the time and most of the crew and passengers were asleep. The Captain [illegible] the boat sinking and attempted to arouse the crew and passengers, but William and Anna Shinn, two passengers, could not be awakened and went down with the boat. The two brothers had just married sisters.

Benjamin Pratt, a well-known attorney, caused himself on the 19th in his law office in Fourteenth Street, Cincinnati. He was a brother of Colonel Pratt and a cousin of Don Piatt.

Maidox Brothers, wholesale grocers and dealers in tobacco and cigars at Cincinnati, assigned on the 17th. Nominal assets, $[illegible]; liabilities, $[illegible].

Near Palestine, W. Va., on the 19th J. H. Smith, a farmer, accidentally killed his daughter. Smith was engaged in rolling logs down a steep hillside about dusk. His daughter started up the hill to call her father to tea, and at the same time Mr. Smith started a heavy log down, not seeing the girl. The timber struck her, crushing her to death instantly.

Two negroes named William Wright and Andrew Mosby were arrested on the 19th and held for trial for robbing the postoffice at Lexington, Ky. They had a number of false keys, with which they gained access

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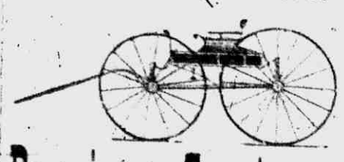
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DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 22d A. D. 1879, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 24, A. D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber [illegible] of mortgages on page 756, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate of Adrian city, Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 14th, A. D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 104 of Mortgages on page 591 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A. D. 1885 at 9 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28, 1885.
WILLIAM K. CHOATE,
Assignee.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry Burnett, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Henry Burnett, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Michigan, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of May, 1885, and on the 9th day of September, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of March, 1885, have been allowed by the said court for creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

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Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 29 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Petersburg	10 22 "	6 42 "	... "
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	...

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 110. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 14 P.M.	...
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	...
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 20 "
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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 15	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 32	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Rand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Rand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 05	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv	*	11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 28	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass.	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	5 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 01	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 33	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
	P. M.	2 55	Augusta	12 23	A. M.	6 43
	3 45	3 01	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
	5 52	3 10	Richland	12 06		6 29
	6 06	3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
	6 21	3 45	Montcalm	11 35		5 55
	6 33	3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
	6 39	3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
	6 50	4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 10		5 25
	10 10	5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
	11 05	6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
	11 13	6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
	11 55	6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
	A. M.	9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P. M.	A	L	A. M.	

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PERSIAN MARRIAGES.

The Method of Contracting Matrimonial Alliances in the Land of the Shah.

Love at first sight is unusual in a country where the women are habitually veiled, and a glimpse even of a lady's face is seldom to be got save by stratagem or by what is considered immodest—the raising of the corner of her veil by the lady herself. Shrouded as she is from head to foot in an immense sheet of blue, two yards square, a yet further precaution must be taken. Over all this is placed the rub-band or veil—no transparent or flimsy device, as in our own lace "fall," or the thin and gauzy yashmak of the Turkish belle, serviceable alike to triumphant and to fading beauty. The rub-band is a piece of white calico or cambric, a yard long, which hangs down like a long mask in front of the Persian woman's face, when clad in her hideous and purposely unbecoming out-door costume; which costume, sad to say, is also an impenetrable disguise. In it all women are alike. An aperture four inches long, running transversely across the eyes, enables the Persian lady to see the way, and little more. For even this aperture is covered by an elaborate and curious embroidery, between the threads of which she can only peep. But the Persian belle will yet find a way of rewarding an admirer with a glance; and thus the marriage so carefully brought about by parents and relatives are not infrequently the result of predilections slyly manifested. The out-door dress, being a disguise, cuts both ways, and the intriguante amuses herself with impunity.

Certain marriages take place because in the eyes of the Orientals they are natural ones, such as the union of first cousins. The children have been like brother and sister from the cradle, and they are married as a matter of course; it is their fate, and they submit to it. But outside these marriages of custom, and far more numerous than the marriages of predilection to which we have referred, are the marriages usually arranged by "brokers." These brokers are old women who always keep themselves in a position to quote the state of the market, which fluctuates. In hard times even girls of good appearance are comparatively a drug. In time of plenty they "rule firm." The marriage broker is ever a welcome guest where there are daughters to marry, and also in houses where the sons wish to find a suitable bride. The young people are not consulted by the broker. She deals with the parents, and generally with the mothers. Crafty as a horse-dealer, she runs glibly over the various advantages, mental, physical and pecuniary, of her clientele of both sexes. So-and-so is a steady, quiet man. Such an one has brilliant prospects—has (important consideration) no other wife. As for Yusuf, how good-looking he is! And Hassan, no man was ever so good-tempered. Of the other sex she sings the praises no less. The skill of Bebe as a housekeeper; the wealth of the ugly daughter of the banker; the dangerous charms of the portionless Zuleikha, she can never say too much about. Her main business is to bargain for the sum to be paid to the father for his daughter's hand; a sum which is usually expended by that father in pots and pans (all of copper) and other utensils, which he presents to his child as her separate property. The details being settled after much haggling, the young people are engaged and the marriage-broker gets her permission, both from the parents of the bridegroom and those of the bride-elect. Among the poor and the laboring classes the bargain is arranged on other grounds. The peasant takes a wife for her thews and sinews, or her skill at weaving carpets or making cheese; while the bridegroom is or is not eligible according as he may be capable of hard work, or may hold some small office, or have a bit of land or a shop. Here the "marriage-broker" is generally an amateur who conducts the negotiations purely from that love of match-making which is such a blessing to the world.

The akd, or marriage contract, is simply a legal form; but it is marriage and not betrothal. A few friends are invited. The bride—perhaps a child of ten—is seated in a room with her parents and relations; over the door hangs the usual curtain. Or, if the ceremony takes place in one room or the open air, the women are veiled. At the other side of the curtain, in an outer room or in the open air, are the male guests; and here squats the moollah or priest of the quarter, who now drones out in a monotonous voice the marriage contract which has been previously drawn out by him. "It is agreed between Hassan the draper, who is vakeel (agent) for Houssein, the son of the baker, that he Houssein, hereby acknowledges the receipt of the portion of Nissa, the daughter of Achmet the grocer." Here follows a list of the property of the bride in lands, moneys, houses, cattle, dresses, furniture, carpets, pots, pans and so on. Always a copy of the Koran and a certain weight of sewing silk are mentioned. This detailed account of her property, constituting the woman's separate estate, her husband merely holds in trust during their cohabitation. At death or divorce it goes back again to herself or her heirs. And it is in—member, or separate estate, that renders secure the otherwise precarious position of the Eastern wife in a polygamous county; for the various things enumerated, though acknowledged by the husband as received, may only exist on paper. Still he has acknowledged them, and if he wish to put away his wife, or if they separate by consent, he is bound to refund the money of which he has legally acknowledged the receipt, or to obtain her legal discharge for the same. "And," continues the moollah, "he acknowledges the receipt of the aforesaid money." Then follows a hum of delight at the extent of the lady's property. "You, Hassan, how do you say as vakeel for Houssein—is this so?" "Yes, yes, I agree," mumbles Hassan. "And you, Achmet, do you give your daughter, Lady Nissa, to be the wife of Lord Houssein?" "Yes, yes, I agree," replies Achmet, the grocer. "And you, Lady Nissa, are you there?" "Yes, yes, she is here, moollah," replies a chorus of women from behind the curtain. "And you agree, Lady Nissa?" Here there is a giggle from the child-bride. "Yes, yes, she agrees," comes in a triumphant chorus from the women. "Then," says the moollah, solemnly, "In the name of God the compassionate, the merciful, and of Mohammed the prophet of God, I declare you, Lord Houssein, and you, Lady Nissa, to be man and wife." Here the moollah puts his stamp or seal to the document; the various parties seal it too. It is carefully witnessed, and formally completed. The moollah receives his fee of a few shillings, and then and not till then, he hands over the document—"her settlement and marriage lines" in one—to the agent of the bride or to her father.

The legal ceremony is over, the young people are married fast—fast as the Mohammedan law can bind. And, theoretically, as yet they have never seen each other's faces. But really Houssein has had many a glimpse of the fair Nissa. Her mother has often allowed him to see her child from behind a curtain or a cupboard door. All this is understood. And the young people are now legally married. The wedding, as distinct from the espousals, may take place the same evening, a week, a month, or not for years, according to the age, rank, or circumstances of the bride and bridegroom. Men and women feast separately; and after many water-pipes have been smoked, many pounds of sweetmeats consumed, and a plentiful banquet has been disposed of, the guests separate. All promise to be present at the actual wedding. No music, no rejoicings—nothing but what we have described is seen at the ceremony we have detailed.—*St. James' Gazette.*

AMERICAN TOWNS.

A Chance For Improvement in Their Nomenclature.

David Dudley Field has been showing himself to be a man of good taste and judgment by remarks he made in a recent lecture on the names of American towns. Mr. Field objected to the manner in which many places in the United States have been christened. The natural supposition, he thinks, would be that the names were selected by a half civilized people. He pities the unhappy lot of the inhabitants of villages afflicted with such names as You Bet, Pop Corn, Wild Cat, Cut Shin, Big Coon, Toad Vine, Black Jack, Skunk Lake, Buzzard Roost, Cat Creek, Dirt Town, Doctor Town, Jug Tavern, Cow Skin, and Cut Off, all of which he found in the list of names in a railway guide.

Such names are certainly bad enough. They are striking instances of absurd nomenclature because of their grotesque singularity. But they are not such violations of good taste as can be found among the pretentious towns of New York. When one goes among the Romes, Troys, Utcas, Syracuses, Ithacas and the many other classical names that renders the map of that State ridiculous, he feels that he could go a considerable distance out of his road to kick the pedants who named them.

Of all names given to towns, that of Rome, an imitation of the eternal city, is the most inappropriate and absurd. There can be but one Rome. Its name applied to any other town or city is a ridiculous affectation and conceit. The New York Rome through the pedantry of its founders missed an appropriate name, and one of which its citizens could be proud, in not being called Fort Stanwix, a designation similar to that of Fort Wayne, which would have associated it with an interesting revolutionary event that happened in that locality. Utica, which as a matter of taste is almost as shocking a name to be imitated as that of Rome, would not today be a blemish to the map of New York if its founder would have had good taste and sense enough to have adopted the term Oneida, which is appropriate to the neighborhood. There is only one other name as applied to a modern town, and particularly to an insignificant town, that is pedantically as bad as Rome, and that is Athens. The nomenclature of places in this country is generally bad, but nowhere else equal in that respect to New York, where the idea seems to have prevailed that stilted titles taken from a classical dictionary were just the thing.

Mr. Fields recommends Indian names. They certainly have the advantage in point of originality, but many of them are barbarous in sound and almost unpronounceable, which is clearly objectionable in the name of a town. This is especially the case with the New England Indian names. Father Wells made a nice mess of it when he christened the ships of the navy after them during the war, making the list of the National vessels such a barbarous jargon that it was enough, in connection with Republican management, to ruin that branch of the National defense.

Mr. Fields very properly objects to "ville" at the end of the name of a town. There is an unreasonable prejudice against the word "town," and a mistaken notion that the substitution of "ville" for it is an improvement. This is an error of taste as well as of judgment. "Town" is an expressive, euphonious and very suitable term. "Jonestown" sounds better than "Jonesville." There is more ring in it, and it is divested of the absurdity of attempting to ornament a very common name with a French termination.

A new horror that is springing up in town nomenclature is the use of the term "city" as applied to insignificant places. It is the offspring of ignorance, conceit and bad taste. The Post-office Department when asked to use it in naming post-offices should sternly put its foot down on the monstrosity. What could be more absurd than Smith City?

It is about time that a movement should be made for reform in the application of names to the towns of this country. The Post-office Department could do much good in this matter. As the town nomenclature now stands it is a disorderly collection of incongruous names ranging from Red Dog to Rome, making a map of the country as ludicrous as a comic almanac. A wide field for improvement in this respect is opened, which should be no longer neglected.—*Harrisburg (Pa.) Patriot.*

MR. GILL'S DAUGHTER.

Poor Katie! A great sufferer she was, and most patiently did she endure in the hope that at last her sufferings would come to an end. She was just budding into womanhood; a fine-looking girl of nearly nineteen, who had, previous to her attack of illness, enjoyed robust health.

Let her mother tell the story, as she told it to two of our editorial friends who recently spent an evening at the house.

"Katie's illness came on slowly, with great pain in her thigh and hip. For a while she kept on going to school, but the pains became so severe that she had to stay at home, and most of the time lie down on a little lounge here in the sitting-room. We tried the best physicians we could get. The disease baffled them all. One said it was ulceration of the thigh bone, and wanted to have the poor child undergo a terrible operation. It turned out to be sciatic rheumatism. Poor child! how she did suffer! About four o'clock in the afternoon she would begin screaming with pain. She couldn't help it. She would scream and moan till about four in the morning. Then she would fall asleep from weariness, and sleep for some hours. This went on for about eight months. During the nights neither she nor I could sleep.

"Katie was a great reader. One day, in a paper, she saw an advertisement of Athlophoros. She asked me to get it and see if it wouldn't cure her. We had tried a good many different things, but I thought we would try this. And I went and got a bottle. I gave her a dose of it towards evening. It was simply wonderful how it quieted the poor child's pain and put her into a gentle sleep. She slept nicely until ten. Then she was in a great perspiration. She waked, and I gave her another dose, for the first one had done her so much good. Then she fell asleep again and slept till morning. Her pain was gone. She had hardly any returns of it. The Athlophoros did the work for her most completely.

"But the terrible sciatica had drawn Katie's leg up, and made it shorter than it had been, by several inches. She was lame for life, although the rheumatism was all driven out of her. She had to walk on crutches. One day she fell down stairs and was so badly hurt that she had to be taken to the hospital. There she suffered a great deal, and after some weeks she died.

"Father Tscheider, of the Paulist Fathers, saw much of Katie during her illness, and knows all about us. Go and ask him, and he will tell you all about it.

Some time ago we gave a letter about Katie's case, and it was published. We have had numerous inquiries in reference to it, all of which we promptly answer.

"'I must tell you,' continued Mrs. Gill, 'of our neighbor, Mrs. Summers, and her eleven-year old boy. The boy had one of the most terrible attacks of rheumatism I ever knew a boy to have. I had a little Athlophoros left in the bottle from which Katie had taken. I gave it to Mrs. Summers, and she gave it to the child who was screaming with pain. When Mr. Summers came home, he was surprised to find the boy sitting up, free from pain, and cheerfully singing. I wish you would go and see them. They live not far from here, on West 12th street, No. 905."

Mr. Gill added in his own behalf:

"I have had a good deal of rheumatism myself, chiefly in my shoulders and arms. But I took Athlophoros and I got rid of the trouble. I did not have to take much either. I found the medicine acted very quickly."

The Rev. Father Peter Tscheider, assistant pastor of the Church of the Holy Family, was found at his pastoral residence, No. 417 West 12th street, Chicago. Father Tscheider took pleasure in saying that he knew Mr. and Mrs. Gill, and that he esteemed them highly; also that he had seen Katie frequently during her illness, and knew all about her wonderful recovery from sciatica, and her subsequent injury and her illness at the hospital.

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"It is authoritatively stated that the precentage of short sighted children in Germany is three to thiriy.

Caught by an Octopus.

A diver who was trying to find pearls off the Alaska coast, found none but found himself, all of a sudden, in the grasp of an ugly octopus with arms twenty-seven feet long. Such an experience is rare; but there are thousands of people who are caught by dyspepsia, which is quite as bad. An octopus hates to let go. So does dyspepsia. Brown's Iron Bitters settles dyspepsia, and makes it loose its cruel grip. Mrs. Schmidt and her daughter, of 136 Conway street, Baltimore, were both cured of dyspepsia by the use of Brown's Iron Bitters.

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Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1,00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

As late as 1840 there were but seven vocations into which New England women had entered; in 1884 the number was 317.

An Answer Wanted.

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Close confinement is at all times undesirable, but most especially is it so in a room that has been freshly painted amid the fumes of the lead and oil and other unhealthy odors that proceed from the painter's brush and pot. Patrick G. Maloney, of Washington, D. C., writes, that he contracted painter's colic in a parlor, which he was painting, and was cured by Mishler's Herb Bitters. For cramps, colic, indigestion or complaints of the bowels, liver and kidneys, it is infallible.

West Virginia is no longer an October state.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co

The Shah of Persia indulges in the luxury of a pipe worth $400,000.

The enervation and lassitude of spring time are but indications of the sluggish action of the blood, overloaded with carbonates accumulated by the use of heating food in winter. This condition may be remedied by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier known.

Educated and Experienced.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass., who have a thorough knowledge of pharmacy, and many years practical experience in the business. It is prepared with the greatest skill and care, under the direction of the men who originated it. Hence Hood's Sarsaparilla may be depended upon as a thoroughly pure, honest, and reliable medicine.

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The railway up Mt. Vesuvius has more than paid for itself.

Medical Value of Wines.

As a general rule the use of wine is not necessary for young or adult persons in good health, breathing country air and not exposed to ovarwork. As however life advances and the circulation becomes languid, natural red wine used in moderation, becomes an essential article and in many cases absolutely necessary but it must be the pure product of the grape. And even in the Eastern States the physician meets large numbers of town people, especially women, who cannot dejest the food and drinks suited to out-door laboring people. In such cases they resort to the beverage of tea, which gives rise to a distressing dyspepsia. The Wines produced in New Jersey, especially the Burgundy and the Port Grape Wines from Alfred Speer's Vineyards, at Passaic, N. J., are the more reliable and most sought after by those who travelled and know what wines are.

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo....Lv	8 00 A.M	3 20 P.M	6 10 P.M	
Oak Harbor Ar	8 55	4 18	7 07	
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	
Bellevue	9 52	5 20	8 02	
Monroeville, Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40 A.M
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 15	6 52	No. 29.	2 37
Creston....Lv	12 00 P.M	7 40	1 15 P.M	3 20
Orville....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 45	4 00
Orville....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 48	7 10
Massillon....Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon....Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville		6 4 P.M	6 4 P.M	
Valley Junc. Lv	5 30		3 40	8 30
Canal Dover	5 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 10
Cambridge	6 03	6 30 A.M	6 03	11 30
Macksburg	6 08	6 35	6 20	
Marietta....Ar	6 20	10 20 A.M	6 20	
WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta....Lv	6 00 A.M	2 30 P.M		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	8 15	5 38		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 2.
Sherodsville				8 45 A.M
New Cumberland				6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20 A.M	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston....At	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 1 A.M
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 12	10 20	No. 4.
Norwalk	3 20	12 5	11 20	7 35 A.M
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 A.M	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17 P.M	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo....Ar	5 45 A.M		1 35 P.M	10 00 A.M

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 A.M	6 45 P.M	Ar. Huron Lv	6 40 A.M	2 20 P.M
11 35	6 30	Frics Landing	6 53	2 33
11 30	6 15	Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk Ar	7 27	3 10

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, April 6, 1885.

Adjourned session. Present the president and trustees Messrs Adams [illegible]

NEW BUSINESS

[illegible] was presented and read and on motion was accepted and ordered placed on file.

[illegible] the Fire Committee were instructed to have some or more competent persons to investigate the cost of a system of water supply and report estimates upon the expenses of same, to report at a future meeting.

The following bills were presented and ordered to be paid [illegible]

[illegible] Jones & Trumbull [illegible]

[illegible] Bird & Thos [illegible] motion said bill was ordered paid.

[illegible] the following report [illegible] years [illegible] On motion said report was accepted.

[illegible] Recorder was directed to [illegible] the printing of the village proceedings for the ensuing year, to be reported at next meeting.

[illegible] reported that [illegible] from John Moss [illegible] for the use of a year for a [illegible] the street [illegible] committee [illegible] such engagement.

Report accepted.

[illegible] motion it was ordered that the [illegible] proposals of John [illegible] and that said sum of $40 be [illegible] payable in equal [illegible] and that said [illegible] of the village [illegible] said contract [illegible] officers of the [illegible]

[illegible] the following claims [illegible]

[illegible] and orders [illegible] drawn.

[illegible] the council then adjourned.

FREDK B. WOOD, Recorder.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, April 6, 1885.

Special session. Present the entire board.

Minutes read and attended.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Recorder opened the printing bids [illegible] made by either office [illegible] accepted.

NEW BUSINESS

On motion the Marshal was instructed to inspect the sidewalks of the village and report the lot owners whose walks need repairs and rebuilding.

Liquor bond of James Monaghan was presented and its approval and sufficiency balloted upon with following result: Whole number ballots, 7; for approval 6, against 1, declared approved and sufficient.

Liquor bond of W. J. Arnold presented for approval and sufficiency balloted upon with following result: Whole number of ballots, 7; for approval, 7, against approval 1, declared approved and sufficient.

Liquor bond of I. P. Keyser presented and approval and sufficiency balloted upon with following result: Whole number of ballots 6, all for approval, declared approved and sufficient.

Liquor bond of A. J. Usborne presented and approval and sufficiency balloted upon with following result: Whole number of votes 7, for approval 6, against approval 1, declared approved and sufficient.

On motion, the penalty of the drug bonds for ensuing year was fixed at the sum of $2000.

Drug bond of C. A. Wright & Co. presented and, on motion, declared approved and sufficient.

Drug bond of Baker & Hall presented and, on motion, declared approved and sufficient.

Drug bond of Marks & Russell presented and, on motion, declared approved and sufficient.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committee:

[illegible] Vernon Lantern Wks, bal rendered, $17 [illegible]
[illegible] for [illegible] lamp post [illegible]
[illegible] salary as sexton [illegible] 25 00

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

On motion the matter of printing proceedings was taken up and Recorder directed to offer the Tecumseh Herald and Tecumseh Newsten dollars each for printing the council proceedings for the ensuing year, to be published in both papers.

The Finance Committee reported favorably upon the following bills:

[illegible] Vernon Lantern Wks [illegible]
[illegible] Jordan [illegible]

On motion the Council then adjourned.

FREDK B. WOOD, Recorder.

John Jones lives on the town line between Riga and Ogden, at the point where the Big Raving crosses from one township to the other. The ditch being uncompleted beyond Jones farm, naturally the water coming from Ogden does great damage to his land. The town board of Riga ordered Jones to fill the ditch, which he did. Now comes the Ogden highway commissioner and brings suit against Jones for obstructing a public waterway. The case came on Monday, but was adjourned for four weeks. Prosecuting Attorney Saulsbury represents the people of Ogden, Riga town board backs up Jones claiming the ditch is an illegal one. The fight promises to be interesting.—Blissfield Advance.

We have received a copy of the Michigan Manual, or red book for 1885. It contains a large amount of statistical information pertaining to Michigan and will be an invaluable book of reference for a newspaper office. The work is compiled by Harry A. Conant, Secretary of State, and issued by W. S. George & Co., state printers.

OBITUARIES

One of Franklin's best men is gone, and Deacon Langdon is no more among us. He entered into rest on Friday April 10 1885. For some time his health had been failing and he said to some of his friends that he might be taken away without any warning and so it happened. On the morning named he went to Tecumseh to consult with Dr. House in reference to his youngest daughter, who is quite sick, and within a moment or so after getting into the Doctor's office he quietly passed away to his reward.

Henry W. Langdon was born in Venna, Oneida County, N. Y., May 18, 1807. He came to Michigan in the year 1831. He located in the fall of this year and then returned to New York, coming back the following spring. From 1832 to the time of his death he resided in the same place. In the year 1837 he experienced considerable difficulty in securing help to raise his log house. It was thoroughly understood that no whisky would be provided. He succeeded, however, in raising the house. He was converted to God when 17 years old and united with the Presbyterian church in his neighborhood. When he came to Michigan he brought a letter of dismission and joined the church of his choice in Tecumseh, frequently walking from home to church and back. A Presbyterian church was formed in Franklin in 1836 and Mr. Langdon was one of its first members. Some 2 years before the organization of this church he started a Sunday School and was its Superintendent for many years. In 1848 the church assumed the polity of the Congregational church and from that year until a few years ago our departed friend was its clerk, and nearly as long one of its deacons. He was always an active christian and a diligent student of his bible. His church greatly misses him as does also the Sunday School. The Sabbath before his death he assisted in the communion service, and the members say it will be strange to have an other communion and no Deacon Langdon. The church was filled at his funeral which took place on Sunday the 12th inst. No text could perhaps have been more appropriate than the one selected by the pastor for the occasion "For to me to live is Christ and to die is gain." He rests from his labors; his works follow him.

Sally Harmon departed this life at her family home in the town of Macon, on Sunday, February 22, 1885. Aged 70 years, 9 months and 4 days.

The deceased maiden name was Sally Burgess. She was born May 18, 1814, in the town of Phelps, Ontario County, N. Y. At the age of 18, she was married to Ebenezer Harmon, her surviving husband, on the 22nd day of October, 1832. June 4, 1834, they embarked upon a boat on the Erie Canal coming to Buffalo, there they boarded a steamboat and came to Detroit, then hired a team to Plymouth, remaining there until the 24th day of June, hiring a man by the name of John Westfall to bring them to Macon their new home, arriving there on the 25th day of June, 1834, settling and remaining on the same farm until her death. Mrs. Harmon was the mother of three children, one son and two daughters who have grown up to manhood and womanhood, and have children of their own. She leaves 9 grandchildren and one great grandchild. The deceased was a firm Universalist in her religious belief. Her husband mourns the loss of a loving and dutiful wife, her children are bereft of a kind and devoted mother, her grandchildren feel the loss of their grandmother very much, and the neighborhood in which she lived has lost a kind and affectionate neighbor. In her younger days she was always ready to help those that she thought needed help. The deceased had always enjoyed good health until two years ago this spring, when she was taken with intermittent fever which seemed to be the ague. This trouble continued during the entire season. She tried five different physicians but obtained no permanent relief. About five weeks before her death she contracted a violent cold and rapidly grew worse until the end came.

Life was a blessing to her whilst she had her health, and yet she had no fears of death. She had no anxiety in regard to the future, but died as the righteous die, trusting and hopeful, commending herself unto the care of an All Wise Father, who doeth all things well and is infinite in justice, infinity in mercy, and infinite in love.

PASTRY WITHOUT BUTTER.

The American pie has been subjected to more unjust abuse from foreign writers than any other of our distinctive products, if we except the recent tirade against the American hog. And yet we cannot say that it has been altogether undeserved, because of the villainous compound, thick, hard and heavy, this is too often made to do duty as a "crust," and which by courtesy is called "pastry." Light tender, flaky, and digestible pie crust and all kinds of pastry, can be made most readily by the use of Royal Baking Powder without any butter, or with half the usual portion, if prefered, or with a small quantity of lard or other shortening as desired. Pie crust thus made is much more wholesome and digestable, besides being more economical and easily prepared. In addition to saving all the butter if desired, one-third the flour is also dispensed with, as the crust is rolled that much thinner, the leavening qualities of the Royal Baking Powder enabling it to be requisite thickness. If drippings or lard be used the Royal Baking Powder removes any unpleasant taste, rendering the crust as short, sweet and pleasant as if made from the finest butter. Those who know the appetizing qualities of the genuine home made American pie will recognize that by the aid of Royal Baking Powder in the pastry it can be made quite as digestable as it is delicious.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending April 14.

RIDGEWAY.

Samuel Rapyleye to Lafayette Rappleye. Land on sec 5. $3,600.

Henry Ball to W. H. Prindle. Land on sec 3 $500.

Samuel Fletcher to A. W. Lawton. Land on sec 5. $350.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending April 17, 1885.

Estate of Wm H Amet, deceased, receipts filed, discharge.

Estate of John Dings, deceased, commissioners warrant and report in dower and consent of heirs filed, order of confirmation.

Estate of Beedy Aten, deceased, petition for appointment of administrator, [illegible] upon said estate with the will annexed, hearing May 11.

Estate of Walter H Pattison, minor, bond filed, letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Abram W. Britton, [illegible] petition of administrator to dispose of real estate, hearing May 11.

Estate of John B. Stall, deceased, certified copy of probate court of Sandusky county, Ohio, and order of discharge.

Estate of [illegible] deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of George S. Brooder, deceased, bond filed, letters of administration with will annexed issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Edward J. Dunn, et al., minors, release of guardian bond, order of discharge.

Estate of John P. Haug, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrators bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond $[illegible]

Estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond $[illegible]

Estate of Eda M. Dailey, et al., minors, nomination of guardian, order of appointment, bond $2,000.

Estate of Charles E. Grear, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Alford Crane, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator appointed, bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of William Smith, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond $500.

Estate of James Keegan, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator appointed, bond $800.

Lyman Thorp will sell at auction at his residence in the village of Tecumseh, Saturday, April 25, 1885, at one p. m., the following property: One large work horse 8 years old, 1 double wagon, single buggy, set bobsleighs, 1 scraper, cutter, chain, drag, double harness, single harness. Terms, all sums over $5 twelve months credit on good notes at interest. H. W. Stevens, Auctioneer.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 11, 1885.

Berry, Sarah,	Lamb, Clara
Oliver, R. A.	Lamkin, [illegible]

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples ₩ barrel	1 25 @	2 00
Apples dried, ₩ lb	@	05
Butter ₩ lb	12 @	14
Barley ₩ bushel	50 @	60
Beans ₩ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat ₩ bushel	50 @	60
Buckwheat Flour ₩ lb in feed	3 00 @	3 50
Beef—dressed ₩ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	8 @	9c
Calf skins ₩ lb	8 @	10
German ₩ lb	20 @	25
Grass seed ₩ bushel	@	50
Clover seed	5 50 @	5 60
Chickens—Dressed	@	15
Eggs ₩ doz	@	12
Flour ₩ barrel	5 50 @	6 50
Hogs—dressed ₩ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hog—live ₩ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ₩ lb	@	14
Ham ₩ lb	@	12
Lard ₩ lb	@	9
Oats ₩ bushel	30 @	35
Onions ₩ bushel	@	60
Potatoes ₩ bushel	40 @	50
Salt ₩ barrel	@	1 25
Sheepskins	50 @	1 00
Timothy Seed ₩ bushel	@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed ₩ lb	@	10
Wood ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White ₩ bushel	@	[illegible]
Wheat, Red ₩ bushel	@	[illegible]
Wool	18 @	27

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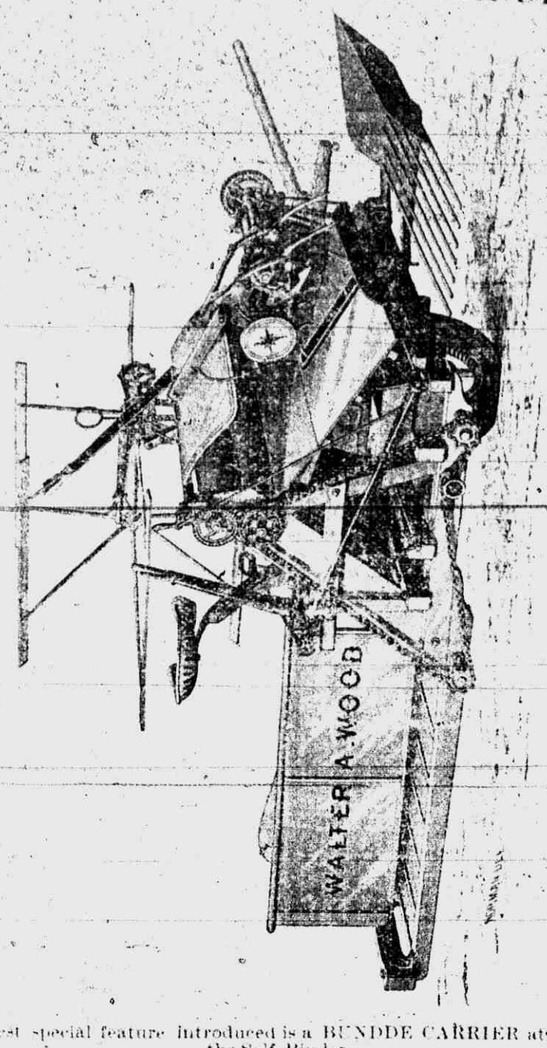

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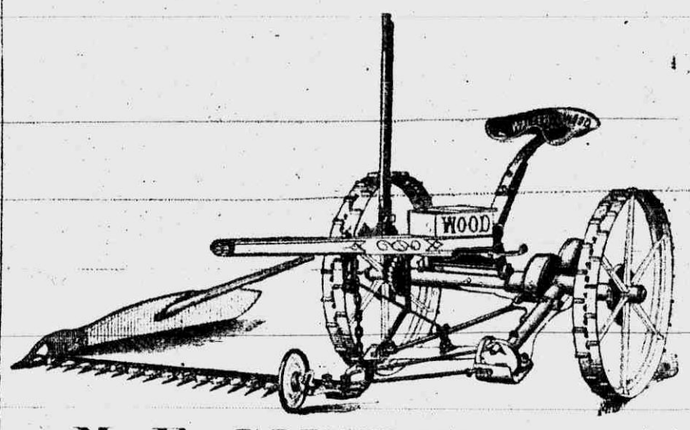

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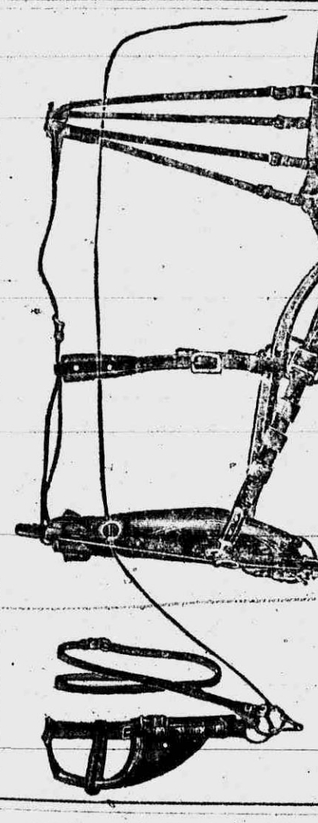

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mr. Nelson Miller, of Ridgeway, was in town last Saturday.

E. R. Smith returned from New York last Friday. He has a fine stock of wall paper, besides new goods in every other department of his store.

Several Tecumseh people improved the fine weather last Sunday by driving to Clinton. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cook and W. T. Eccles and wife.

Seth Bradner, of Toledo, is visiting at his father's, J. P. Bradner.

George Vanticison now rides in a dog-cart. We presume that the reason for the change in vehicles is that the girls will now be less apt to tease him for a ride.

Miss Lizzie Brooks returned from Galt, Canada, last Friday night, where she has been taking a course of instruction in music.

Miss Lou Brown has been obliged to retire from the millinery firm of Brown & Kilpatrick; on account of ill-health. Miss Ida Brown will fill the vacancy.

Mat. Blosser, of Manchester, made a short visit to Clinton last Friday.

Mrs. C. S. Burroughs visited Mrs. E. M. Conklin, of Tecumseh, last week.

C. F. Field and family visited at J. S. Kies' over Sunday.

Miss Lottie Bigelow, of Coldwater, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Wastell.

Mrs. Augusta Brooks expects to close her house here and make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Mather, of Tecumseh, during the summer.

Mrs. C. K. Spafford, who has been suffering for several months with lung trouble, died at her home last Friday morning. The funeral was from the residence on Sunday at 2 P. M. and from St. Peter's Episcopal church in Tecumseh at 3 P. M.

Henry Lancaster of the Lancaster House, was quite sick last week, but is much better now, so that he is able to be out.

M. S. VanDeMark has returned to Clinton.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The cold wave struck us Tuesday.

Somewhat cold for gardening.

Wm. DeMott, of Tecumseh, was in our village Monday.

Morris Kelley has improved the beauty of his place on South Church street, with a new fence in front of the house.

Miss Nettie Wilson, of Raisin, will teach the spring term of school in the Easlick Dist., Macon. She commenced Monday.

Mr. Dean Loree spent Monday and Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Alfred Luckin, of Detroit.

Kittie Clark is on the sick list again, but is on the gain at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Triphagan moved their picture car to Pennington's corners Saturday, and will put on tin the smiling faces of Maconites for a few days.

Samuel Rappleye and Chas. Underwood exchanged farms on last week Thursday and will move soon.

We understand that the turn pike from here to Britton will be graveled soon, as they have purchased half an acre of gravel of S. H. Linn to do the graveling with. It is a fine scheme.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson went to Toledo Monday and got a supply of millinery goods.

Miss Belle Barlow, who is attending school at the college at Adrian spent Saturday and Sunday at her home and with friends. We are glad to learn that her health is improving.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Clack while returning from Tecumseh Friday afternoon, narrowly escaped from being seriously hurt, if not killed. As they were coming down the Globe mill hill the neck yoke broke and the team run nearly half a mile, and it was with a great effort and skillful management of the reins that the team was stopped without any damage.

The attendance at the Literary on Frida night was very large and the exercises passed off with credit to the society. The new six octave, Wilson & White organ sent by W. C. Sharp, of Brooklyn, came in time to be used. It is a fine toned instrument. The society will give a public entertainment next week Friday evening.

After a fifteen minute speech by Mr. Sharp and Larkin and a hearty laugh and considerable cheering by the lookers on, they voted to appoint a day to pay back the $1,000 to the tax payers of the district, but failed to name the day. It looks like a scheme on the part of the officers.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY.

The public entertainment to be given by the Ridgeway Literary society Friday evening May 8th will consist of the following program, with some slight change and explanation which will be noticed in the bulletin to appear in a day or two.

Music—Britton Band.
Song—W. C. Sharp.
Rec.—Rosa Easlick.
Dec.—Peter Swick.
Music—Ella Jackson.
Reading—Fannie Schwab.
Dec.—A. R. Arner.
Music—Cornet Solo.
Exercises in Elocution—W. A. Phillips.
Farm Ballad—Three characters.
Music—Ida Arner.
Essay—Mrs. H. J. Williams.
Poem—G. P. Warling.
Music—Britton Band.
Dialogue—Six characters—time 4 minutes.
Music—W. C. Sharp.
Tableaux.
Music—Britton Band.

An arrangement has been made with the Britton Band to be present and assist in the entertainment at Ridgeway May 8th. The proceeds of which will be used for the purpose of purchasing an organ for the society. On Thursday evening May 14th, the entertainment will be repeated at Britton, the receipts to be equally divided between the society and the Britton band. Admission 20 cents, children under 15 years 15 cents.

See bulletin for particulars.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

'Engaged,' was played at Union hall Wednesday night by the Episcopal dramatic club, who are said to have done as well as the best, but because of small advertising, many even in the village failed to hear of it and the audience was not as large as could be wished for, so the play will be repeated Monday evening. One or two such experiments ought to convince the skeptical that the success of a righteous cause, depends largely on printer's ink.

More than the usual amount of moving is going on and no doubt spring thunder will be laid by for future emergencies, on account of the over supply of swear and stove-pipe. They are the most plentiful of spring indicators afloat, and though men have waited long for sunshine and work, many are yet idle and only favorites are selected to be cumbered with much serving.

Mr. Hemingway rests, after many years of labor, and was buried Sunday. Dr. Barton Spears survives but suffers from paralysis of mind.

The old style game of progressive euchre resulted in two weddings last week and another appointment for this, and one victim had his tent folded for him for convenience as it were, and has quietly stolen away.

The Official Count of the State

The official returns for the spring election of the state officers are now complete and show the following result:

Total vote for Judge	307,580
Morse	168,635
Cooley	138,694
Morse's majority	29,931

For regents the result is:

Whitman	155,622
Field	154,425
Draper	138,353
McAlvay	136,605
Ellis, Pro	14,960
Cressey	16,080
Whitman's plurality	17,269
Field's	16,080

People generally, and even those who may be termed steady readers and close observers, have but a faint conception of the magnitude and influence the press of this country has attained. From a careful examination of the advance pages of the 1885 edition of the American Newspaper Directory, issued May 1st, by Geo. P. Rowell & Co., of New York, it appears that there are 14,147 newspapers published in the United States and Canada; of these the United States has 12,973, an average of one paper for every 3,867 persons. In 1884 the total number of newspapers was less by 823 than at present, and while the gain this year is not so marked as in some previous years, it is still considerable. Kansas shows the greatest increase, the number being 78, while Illinois follows with a gain of 77. It is curious to notice that New York, the scene of so much political activity during the last campaign, should have only about one-third as many new papers as the State of Pennsylvania. As an index to the comparative growth and prosperity of different sections of the country, especially the Territories, the number of new papers form an interesting study, and may well occupy the attention of the curious.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending April 21.

MACON.

E. A. Smith to M. H. Collum, Land on sec 15. $200.

RAISIN.

E. L. Russell to Hosea Hall, Land on sec 6. $1,680.

Chas. Kayner to Chester G. Kayner, Land on sec 32 (36a). $2,000.

RIDGEWAY.

J. C. Palmer to Wm. Pilbeam, Land on sec 5. $309.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending April 21, 1885:

Estate of Charles Rynd, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioner's notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Welcome Aldrich, deceased; bond for payment of costs on revival of commission filed.

Estate of Frederick A. Johnson, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

In the matter of Emil Ahrens, a juvenile offender; charge of larceny; proceedings, sentence and complaint approved.

Estate of Martin E. Marks, deceased; petition for proof of will, hearing May 11.

Estate of Harvey A. Colvin deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing May 11.

Estate of William Smith, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration with the will annexed issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Samuel Rice, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of James Keegan, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Eda M. Bodley, et al, minors; bond filed, letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of John R. Kimball, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Peter Davidson, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator *de bonis non* upon said estate with the will annexed; hearing May 15.

Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John C. Zeitler, deceased; affidavit of publication; administratrix appointed; bond, $2,500.

Estate of Elizabeth L. Zeitler, et al., minors; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond, $800.

Estate of Wm. E. Seeley, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of George Hauck, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Sally Wood, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed, letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Effie S. Grear, et al., minors; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Andrew N. Pope, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Wilson Wood, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing May 18.

Estate of Henry W. Laugdon, deceased; petition for proof of will; hear May 18.

Estate of Luther Scott, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing May 18.

The Detroit Post has thrown out gas and now uses the Edison electric light for illuminating purposes. In an extended article noting the change, the Post gives some facts and figures that are valuable. Many persons object to electric lighting on the score of cost, claiming that it cannot be furnished as cheaply as gas. Touching this point, the Post says:

It is difficult for the public to understand or believe that electric lighting for private and commercial purposes can be furnished at the same cost to the consumer as gas. In illustration of the fact some points of comparison may be noted. The New York gas companies in 1883 disposed of an output of 4,267,650 measured cubic feet of gas, the cost of which was $5,000,000, or $1.16 per 1,000 cubic feet. These figures represent the cost of gas manufactured in the largest quantities. At Lawrence, Mass., there is an Edison station which furnishes light through 2,700 lamps, at a cost of 87½ cents for 2,000 candles of light, equivalent to 1,000 feet of gas. This represents the cost of production with coal at $5 per ton, and proves that the Edison light is cheaper, where produced in a small scale, than gas in a large scale. It is a conceded fact that it is impossible to make a gas plant of less than 1,000 standard jets yield adequate return on the investment unless an exorbitant price be charged the consumer, whereas, with the Edison system, a plant of only 800 lamps can be made to pay good dividends, even when sold in competition with gas when consumed on a large scale.

The May Century will surpass all its predecessors in the number of its pages (176) and the enormous size of the first edition (250,000). Among the many valuable features are the vigorous account of the Peninsular Campaign, by Gen. Geo. B. McClellan, important contributions on the same subject by the following ex-confederates, Gen'ls Jos. E. Johnston, G. W. Smith and Jno. D. Imboden, also, an interesting paper on Gen. Grant, by Gen. Adam Badeau, and E. C. Steadman's essay on the poet Whittier.

The great bankrupt shoe sale is panning out wonderfully.

ABDURRAHMAN KHAN.

Abdurrahman Khan, the Ameer of Afghanistan, was born in 1830 and is the eldest son of Azzul Khan and a grand son of Dost Mohammed who ruled Afghanistan until his death which occurred in 1863. His uncle, Shere Ali was deposed by the British during the invasion of 1879 and died in exile shortly after his expulsion. Before this Shere Ali was recognized by the English government and being antagonistic to Abdurrahman Khan caused the latter to flee the country and take refuge in Russia. His mother, wife and children were taken as prisoners and confined for many years at Candahar. Abdurrahan had married a daughter of the Ameer of Bohara, but such was the bitterness of Shere Ali's hate that the ruler of Bohara was unable to protect his son in-law therefrom. In this distress Abdurrahman saw in Russia his only refuge and he obtained a pension from that government amounting to 25,000 rubles per annum. In securing this grant he was greatly assisted by Gen. Kaufman, then commanding on the Turkish border. During his stay under Russian protection Abdurrahman resided at Samarcand. After the British invasion of 1879 and Shere Ali's fall from power Abdurrahman was finally chosen as his successor, receiving the support of the English and in consequence becoming a servant of the greater power. He received a subsidy of 160,000 £ per annum and as it was necessary for England to command Central Asia he received large grants of munitions of war and thereby was enabled to make his army formidable. The boundary line between Russia and Afghanistan has long been in dispute and to settle it a commission under Sir Peter Lumsden was sent out. Before however the boundary was settled a collision occurred between the Russians under Gen. Komaroff and the Afghans in which the latter were badly worsted. Whether this will lead to war between England and Russia remains to be seen.

The Adrian Record man calls it "alcoholic hilarity." That is is a very aesthetic and suggestive term, we admit, but we prefer the word bewilderment.—Tecumseh Herald. Just as you like. Anything in the world to oblige our editorial brother. As a sample item how would this answer: "We regret to chronicle that Scove Stacy, of the Tecumseh Herald, came to our city yesterday to see his fellow editors and have a good time with the boys, and was gathered in by the police about eleven o'clock P. M. in a state of rip roarous bewilderment. He fought the officers and knocked down little John Smith, the jailor, with a single blow of his brawny fist. He was caged with difficulty, and this morning was convicted of having been bewildered. Justice Long sent him to jail for 30 days, on learning that he was from Tecumseh, where a man lives who once gave the 'squire a bull-dog"—Adrian Record.

A book of more than ordinary interest is announced for publication early in May by Messrs. Cassell & Company. It is the "Life and Reminiscences of Gustave Dore," compiled from material supplied by his family and friends and from personal recollection, by Mme. Blanche Roosevelt. The story of the distinguished artist's life covers over 300 octavo pages with several hundred illustrations, many of them never before published. The author of this interesting volume has the advantage over many biographers, having known the subject of her book and having been in the confidence of his family and friends. The material she draws upon is all fresh and has come from the most authoritative sources. Where possible she has confined herself to the language of those who have had anecdotes to tell of the famous painter and this gives a delightful raciness to the story of his life.

Auction Sale.

John Linton will sell at Administrator's Sale on the farm of the late Alexander Patterson in Macon, 1 mile north and 2 miles east of Ridgeway, on Friday, May 1st, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: one registered buck, two 2 yr. old bucks, lumber wagon, double buggy, pair bob-sleighs, 2 set double harness, 100 high grade sheep, one scotch harrow, land roller, Howe scales, sulky hay rake, corn planters, feed cutter, combined reaper, whiffletrees, steelyards, fly nets, etc. A quantity of hay, etc. Terms, 12 months credit on good notes at interest. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

Addison is to have a new postoffice building and now the people are growling about its location.

SUBDUING AN ELEPHANT.

Swinging a Recalcitrant Quadruped in the Air to Bring Him to Reason.

It took a dozen men five days of last week to break the spirit of a vicious elephant in the water quarters of Adam Forepaugh's menagerie. Early in February one of Mr. Forepaugh's European agents bought four elephants and shipped them to this country. The huge beasts reached New York two weeks ago, and were at once transferred to Philadelphia. Three were docile, but the other, Ajax, is a tusker, eight feet high. Cousins.

On reaching Philadelphia he became sullen, but Jack Forepaugh, who has charge of the winter quarters, believing that the brute would become good natured in a day or two, tethered him to a post and locked him up in the dight. A few hours' fiber Ajax broke his chains, butted the iron-bound door of his room, and rushed into an apartment in which a dozen of the most peaceable elephants live. He attacked a performing elephant named Bazie and a desperate fight began. Five or six of the smaller elephants broke loose. Their frightened screams soon excited every animal in the buildings, and the air was filled with roars that aroused the neighborhood. The night keepers were afraid to attempt to separate Ajax and Bazie, who were trumpeting and charging at each other with great fury. When their huge bodies came together at the end of every rush the shock could be felt throughout the place.

Jack Forepaugh was sent for, but before he arrived the watchmen discovered that Ajax and Bazie were so engaged with each other that they did not heed what was going on about them. The doors were opened, and all the elephants except the fighters were driven out. By the time this was accomplished Mr. Forepaugh arrived. He has had thirty years' experience with wild animals and stands no more in fear of an elephant than an ordinary person does of a dog. Grasping an elephant hook—a spike and a hook on a handle—he ran between the furious beasts and ordered Bazie back. Bazie obeyed, but the blood of the new elephant was up and he charged on the man, who eluded him and fastened the hook in the beast's ear. Ajax turned and bore down upon him. The trainer stabbed him with a spike and dodged behind a post. Ajax butted the post down as though it was a reed. The other men ran to Mr. Forepaugh's assistance and assailed the elephant from so many points that he paused irresolute. During that pause a chain was passed about one of his hind legs and fastened to an anchored ring. This rendered him almost helpless. His other legs were hobbled, and he was left alone until daylight. Bazie being driven off to another part of the quarters.

On Tuesday morning Ajax was as sullen and vicious as ever. Bad elephants sometimes remain in this mood for days, and no man can approach them with safety. Until such an elephant's spirit is broken, he is worse than useless. Steps were at once taken to convince Ajax that he must obey his keepers. Of the thirty-six elephants under Forepaugh's care none was as hard to subdue as Ajax.

The work of conquering the proud spirit of Ajax began at nine o'clock on Tuesday morning, and ended shortly before noon yesterday. Beating has no effect upon a mad elephant. It only renders him more stubborn and wicked. The breaker's only hope is to convince such an animal that he is powerless against man. That accomplished, the beast becomes as docile as elephants ever are. On Tuesday morning four hawsers were passed through iron pulleys attached to beams under the roof. Then a set of harness, shaped something like a monster shawl strap, was fastened about Ajax's defiant body. The leather straps, which were three-ply thick, covered small chains. All the leather plates were copper-riveted and a foot wide. Ajax looked as though he were in armor after being encased. Three hours were spent in getting the harness on him, and during the job he slightly injured two of the keepers.

Through iron rings, supported by great chains, were passed the hawsers. Then a dozen men grasped two of the lines of rope that passed through pulleys and before Ajax knew it his hind feet were six feet above the ground, and he stood on his front ones in the most approved performing elephant style. For a moment he was paralyzed with astonishment, but surprise gave place to fury when he appreciated the ridiculous position he was in. He surged and trumpeted and flapped his ears, but all to no purpose.

When his struggles subsided some of the men ran off with the front ropes, and in a jiffy Ajax's body was suspended in the air. He made the most frantic efforts to tear the belting off with his trunk, but the chains between his fore legs and around his shoulders prevented it. There the monster brute hung as helpless as an infant. He was free to kick and plunge and butt the air as much as he pleased. From time to time he was lowered, so that he might rest his legs, but none of the men were allowed to approach or worry him. In the evening he was lowered and fed, and allowed to spend the night on the ground thinking over the indignities that had been put upon him.

After breakfast on the following morning he was trussed up as before. He resisted, but his efforts were unavailing. He was a stout-spirited brute, however, and the second day's punishment only seemed to increase his rage. When he came down to supper he was the maddest elephant that ever trumpeted in Forepaugh's winter quarters. At the sight of the harness on Wednesday he became greatly excited. Mr. Forepaugh said he was "coming to his senses." This, however, did not prevent him from being hoisted up again. He surged about less in his comfortable swing on Thursday, but otherwise he was as stubborn and dangerous as ever. An anchor was sunk five feet in the ground and covered with earth in another part of the quarters. Only a ring was exposed. Ajax's forelegs were hitched to the ring on Friday morning. Ropes were attached to his hind legs, which were then drawn out, leaving him "spread-eagled" on his stomach on straw.

Jack Forepaugh walked over Ajax's prostrate body every few minutes. The animal was let up and thrown down several times during the day. After three or four hours' experience of this kind Ajax knew me the next day, and he was quite docile when, in the evening, he was unchained and ordered to stand up. He was hobbled and thrown down on Saturday morning, and when his head touched the ground he cried out, and the tears trickled down his trunk. He was conquered. The chains were removed at once, and he got up quietly. At the word of command he walked into the room and broke off of one Monday again and was as meek as a sheep. Next week he will begin training necessary before he appears in public.—*Philadelphia Times.*

COUNTRY POST-OFFICES.

The Kind of Men Country Postmasters and Their Clerks Enjoy.

The uninitiated seem to think that we clerks in country post-offices have nothing to do just about all the time, and, though you may be somewhat surprised at the frankness of the confession, I am emboldened to admit that in a certain sense we have.

The mail has come, and I am awfully busy. In comes Claude Jones, and planting himself in such a position that no one else can get near the delivery window, he begins his cantata by asking:

"Is there any mail for Ira Jones?"

"No."

"Is there any mail for Wilbert Jones?"

"No. If there had been I should have given it to you."

"Is there any mail for John Jones?"

"No. There is no mail for any of the Joneses."

"Is there any mail for Lon Jones?"

"No. There isn't, there hasn't been, and what's more, there isn't likely to be." He looks at me with a blank sort of a suspicious stare and then gives the crank another turn with:

"Is there a registered letter for Stella Jones?"

I seize him by the hair. There is an unearthly yell, and an indiscriminate mass of boy's legs, ears and groans is piled up in the snow-drift in front of the store door.

Just now there steps up a man. He is an older person than Claude and must be treated with more consideration. He rubs his hands, squirts a handful of tobacco juice on the stove, and leads off. I know what he is coming for. I have gone through the same series of questions an answers with him two or three times a week ever since I came into the Post-office.

"There hain't no mail for me?" quite confidentially.

"No, sir."

"What! no letter?"

"No, sir."

"Well now, that's strange. I orter a' got a letter from my woman's father. He writes reg'lar every two weeks, an' we hain't heard from him for nigh onto a month. How d'ye account for it?"

"Pshaps the old man is sick," I venture.

"Sick! Huh! Urka! Never sick a day in his life. No, sir. It's some fault of the Post-office."

"Well, I am sorry, but, there is no letter here for you."

"Ha'n't there no postal card?"

"No, sir."

"Well, I was lookin' for a postal card from a seed house in Philadelphia. I wrote 'em a letter three weeks ago and I think it's about time I heard something from it."

I know there's just so much of it, so I let him go right on. He hitches up his trousers, and, looking me full in the eye, fonches off the fusillade as follows:

"Did there any box come for me?"

"No, sir."

"Well, it might be a little package. I didn't know just what shape it would come in. My woman's uncle down in the south part of the State was goin' to send her some slips of house plants, and I was a thinking that like enough they might be along this week."

"No, sir, there is nothing at all."

"Is there any registered mail?"

"No, sir."

"Well, I didn't expect any yet, but Old Pete Simons, down in Goshen, has been talkin' of sendin' me the money to pay the taxes on that old back forty on section seven, and I wanted to make sure so that it wouldn't be returned to the County Treasurer with the money here to pay it. You're sure there ain't no letter?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, I guess I'd better be gettin' along, for I will be all-fired close to grub time 'fore I get home, 'n' the old woman is a powerful prompt hand about meals."

Perhaps you think that the agony is over, but I don't. In comes Bert Davis. He asks:

"Is there any mail for me?"

"No."

"Well, then," he says, "is there any fiend?"

Then he laughs and haw-haws, and giggles, and doubles himself all up with merriment. He thinks he has propounded the funniest joke of the season. This makes the three hundred and sixty-fifth time he has done the same thing in the last year, and always with the same side show of nonsensical performances. I am beginning to get sick of this sort of thing, so I stare at him very hard, and say in a chilling, north Siberian tone of voice:

"Did you say anything to me, sir?"

This seems to paralyze him. Heretofore I have always met his mirthful sallies with uproarious laughter, and he can not understand this sudden change. But I keep right on looking at him and he keeps growing smaller and smaller and smaller, and slowly edges away toward the door. My gaze is fixed steadily upon him, and by the time he gets out on the sidewalk he isn't bigger than a pint of yeast. He has gone away to die.—*Jim Nash, in Detroit Free Press.*

—Under the delusive idea that she will receive a large reward for 1,000,000 canceled postage stamps, a female resident of Newburyport, Mass., has succeeded in gathering half a million of them, and is eagerly striving for another 500,000.—*Boston Journal.*

USEFUL AND SUGGESTIVE.

—Michigan allows to each farmer who uses wind mills on his farm a rebate on his taxes.

—If you keep cows for making butter, teach each cow's milk separately and see if she is performing the work for which you keep her.

—Next to stagnant water on the surface, it is no more easy a matter of reflection of the lack of drainage of land than the growth of weeds which always grow in swamp lands. While these grow freely, the land is not adapted to the growth of any of the grasses of which are most valuable for hay or pasture. Good and thorough drainage, however, will change such conditions, also make better crops to grow.—*Country Gentleman.*

—A stone jug is very nice to keep butter in when it is to be sent any distance. When you wish to use it, make a dressing of a cup of chopped parsley, salt, pepper, and enough savory butter melted to make it a large sloppy mass. Take a large sharp knife, pull out the butter, and as you take the butter out put as much dressing as possible. Have a paste of flour and water ready and put it on edge over the hole left by the butter in the stone jug. To be eaten cold.—*Exchange.*

—Nice Dressing for Sandwiches: One half pound of sweet butter, two tablespoonfuls of mixed mustard, three tablespoonfuls of salad oil, a little red or black pepper, a small portion of salt and the yolk of one egg. Rub the butter to a cream, add the other ingredients, mix thoroughly and set away to cool. Chop lean boiled ham fine, mix well with the dressing, and spread your bread with a moderate quantity. These sandwiches are very nice for picnics or travelers.—*The Household.*

—Pancakes of Canned Lima Beans: Drain the liquor from a can of Lima beans, mash them through a colander with a potato masher or a wooden spoon; beat an egg smooth and put it with the mashed beans; together with a cupful of flour, a palatable seasoning of salt and pepper, and enough of the liquor in which the beans were preserved to form a thick batter; fry this batter on a hot frying pan, using sufficient butter to prevent burning, and serve the pancakes as a vegetable.—*N. Y. Independent.*

MAN'S INHUMANITY.

The Brutal Treatment of Animals by the Cattle-Growers of the Plains.

While the Almighty gave dominion over the lower animals to man by placing them unreservedly in their keeping, He imposed upon him the sacred duty of caring for and providing them with what was necessary for their comfort. While they are unreservedly in man's power, and he has the undoubted right to use them at his will for his profit and necessities, he is under the strictest moral obligation to see that they do not suffer for food, water, or shelter; and when it becomes necessary to transport them to market, or deprive them of life, he is bound to so perform these operations as to cause them the minimum amount of suffering from either want, fright, or pain. In no one thing does man so grievously sin as in his ill-treatment of the lower animals; nor is his cruelty confined to the Western plains.

As we have traveled through the older States and have seen the poor animals in a piercing wind or driving storm standing with their feet drawn close together, the backs arched like a barrel-hoop, and shivering so that one could almost hear their bones rattling together, we have almost wished we had the power to compel the owner to take their place, half clothed and hungry, for a single night, that he might in a measure realize the intense suffering he forces them to endure, not for one night only, but for the whole winter. It is no excuse that the number of a man's stock is so large that he can not provide them with food and shelter. No man has a right to own more than he can properly care for. Aside from the cruelty and sinfulness of this course, it is the worst kind of folly and bad management. We have not a doubt but the value of cattle lost the present winter on the Western ranges would be amply adequate to provide shelter for every animal, and the loss by death is but as a drop in the bucket to the actual depreciation of the survivors by the loss of flesh and thrift through their terrible exposure.—*Rural New Yorker.*

BUYING A FARM.

The Line Between Actionable and Non-Actionable Fraud Not Always Clearly Drawn.

A good deal of lying can pass as "trader's talk," without constituting actionable fraud. If the farmer selling his farm truly points out the boundaries he may declare that it contains a great many more acres than it really does, and that misrepresentation will not let the other out of his bargain. Where the agreement is for the sale of a farm containing a given number of acres at so much per acre, there is a conflict of opinion as to whether the purchaser is obliged to take the property when the number of acres fall short, but in most cases he would probably be released from his bargain. If the farmer says to the person to whom he sells: "That meadow will cut four tons of hay to the acre," or: "You can chop 250 cords of wood from that wood-lot," or anything of that sort, and the buyer finds that two tons of hay or 100 cords of wood is all that he actually gets the latter will learn by sad experience the uselessness of relying upon such representations. On the other hand, if the farmer selling says: "I have cut four tons of hay to the acre from that meadow," or, "I have raised 250 bushels of corn on that lot," etc., when, as a matter of fact, he has done no such thing, such misrepresentations would constitute actionable fraud and vitiate the bargain. The courts hold that one who is deceived into buying a farm by false statements as to how much the one selling paid for it, or how much another offered for it, is without relief at law. The line between actionable and non-actionable fraud is not always clearly drawn, but honest men will obey the law of conscience and not experiment as to how far they can go without incurring legal liability.—*Prairie Farmer.*

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Color plays an important part in fancy dress bonnets.

The new evening gloves are as long or longer than ever.

Ridley's milliners are already at work on Easter bonnets and hats.

The new spring hats are very high in the crown and narrow in the brim.

Ribbons striped in canvas gauze and watered silk come for bonnet trimmings.

Lace bonnets will be much worn as soon as the weather will permit their use.

The new capote bonnets are of medium size, and are very quiet and modest in effect.

Great bunches of flowers, all of one kind, are favorite hat and bonnet decorations this spring.

Braid and embroidery in the greatest imaginable variety of patterns adorn the new jersey jackets.

The peak-brimmed poke bonnet reappears among spring millinery importations and productions.

Small sunflowers on flexible stems nod over the crowns of many of the new imported hats and bonnets.

Soft Surah satin and tafleta scarfs for trimming bonnets come in broad stripes of soft shaded color.

Spring velvets come in all the new shades of mastic, tan, brick red, Russian green, and gray and brown shades.

Wide tinsel braids put on in bands and long looped cabbage bows are the favorite trimmings of spring hats.

Canvas woven linen etamine ribbons shot with bars of gold thread trim some of the new Paris bonets and hats.

The wild bushiness of the frizzled bang is abated until now it is reduced to a modest waved fringe on the forehead.

New silk jerseys are beautifully beaded with jet in various designs, and sometimes in patterns covering the whole garment.

Some of the new cashmere gloves have the long wrists embroidered in chain stitch on the closed tops with silk of a paler shade.

Silver-white wings, a la Lady Teazle, are coming in vogue for evening toilets. They are preferred to powder, which is again worn.

Upright jabot bows in lieu of a bunch of wedding flowers, which tower above the high crown of the hats, are the feature in spring millinery.

Some of the new spring hats have high Tyrolean crowns and narrow brims, looped very high on one side with a space in the loop for the trimmings.

New spring wraps for dressy toilets are covered with embroidery and jet beading, trimmed with ruffles of lace, and in modified dolman mantle forms.

All the trimmings of hats and bonnets for early spring wear are placed directly in front over the forehead, on the fore part of the crown, and to ever high above the same.

White hair is so fashionable that ladies are ordering white wigs to wear at evening entertainments, or they use powder to excess on the puffs and loops of their ever-growing higher and higher coiffures.

The colors in new silk gloves range from dark to pale shades of modes, tan, russet, and nut brown from filbert and hazel to chestnut, golden brown, grays from slate to pale Russian, and many intermediate tints of gray, blue, amber, and mastic.—*N. Y. Sun.*

SURREPTITIOUS RIDES.

A Tramp Discusses the Various Methods of Securing Free Transportation.

"This is terribly bad weather to ride on the bumpers," said a sorrowful-looking tramp as he endeavored to thaw out his hands with his breath, and by slapping them together and holding them in his arm-pits. "It's a hard place to ride, because a fellow has to hold on all the time. If he should let go once he would drop off, and that would be the last of him. What do we ride on the bumpers for? 'Cause that's about the only place on a train a fellow can get these days where the brakemen won't bother him. The train men stick pretty close to the caboose this cold weather. If they would see one of us gentlemen on the top of a car, though, they'd come out long enough to put him off. So we ride on the bumpers and they don't see us. When the train stops we hop off, for the men come out then, and when it starts up we jump on again. It's tough sometimes, though, because a bumper is not upholstered like a seat in a palace car. Delaware and Lackawanna cars are the best for a fellow, because they've all got little platforms on both ends, and a traveler can ride on them like a daisy."

"Some fellows ride on the trucks under the cars," continued the tramp, as he blew on his hands again. "It's a hard place, though; it's so dirty. Another place is on a passenger train on the first platform. The engineer and fireman see us, but they don't care. It's the brakemen who bother the life out of us. Now, a person would think the first platform a good place to ride, but it isn't. The cinders are terrible. We have to fight 'em every minute. They get in our eyes if we keep them open, and if we shut our peelers the hot cinders fall on our broadcloth and burn holes in our garments.

"You've heard of the baker-shop racket, havent you? No. That's queer. You see we travelers sometimes get hungry, and then we work the bakery racket. We go into a bakery and ask for a job, pretending we're first-class bakers just out of work. We go around in the shop looking with the eye of a critic at the stuff the men are baking, as if we knew all about it, and help ourselves to fresh cakes and good things, just to try 'em, you know. The men don't care, because we're bakers. I've been in many a bake-shop and helped myself to all I wanted, when if they knew I was a moulder and not a baker they would kick me out. They don't generally want to hire a man just then, but when we do strike a job we work the boss for a small loan, if we can, and promise to be around the next morning ready for business. The next morning we are generally trying the dodge on some other bake-shop.—*Cleveland Herald.*

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OVER THE BORDER

Here and There among Men and Things in Ontario.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—Believing some facts connected with a recent tour through Canada would interest many of your readers from over the border, I venture the following items.

Leaving Windsor on the Detroit river, the Bosphorus of America, the boss for us as a river, you do catch it, do you? thanks Mr. Editor. Detroit papers please copy.—As we speed away east we are soon reminded of the fact that the old Great Western still sustained its reputation for speed, comfort and dispatch. London via Chatham was soon reached. Chatham is the Canaan of the colored folks in Canada. This lesser London, like the hoary old metropolis across the sea, stands in Middlesex (c). Not only the county name gave us a pleasant reminder, but other names in this little London. We went to Covent Garden, Piccadilly, Pall Mal, Black Friars. We saw St. Paul's Cathedral, and crossed more than once the river Thames—these very names identical with the old London names, so familiar to us when we ran her streets in the long ago. On the swift pinions of thought we were pleasantly transported to the busy, if not bright days of yore. The Londoners are justly proud of their pretty little city. A large audience went with the writer To and Fro in the larger London of the lecture, many in imagination, many in actual recollection of the great Labyrinth.

Ingersoll, noted for its brisk manufacturing enterprises. Woodstock for its fine Baptist college. Paris for its picturesque quietude are seen; and Dundas, beautiful for situation, is reached and a bit of delightful scenery attracts the traveler here. The town on the plain below, like Goldsmith's beautiful Auburn, loveliest village of the plain. Away on the distant ridge stands an ancestral village, while beyond Dundas, at the base of the mountain washed by a beautiful bay, stands the fine city of Hamilton with its 35,000 inhabitants. Many lofty factory shafts are towering above centres of industry among the lofty spires of her many churches. This is cheering, for it tells this pleasant fact: mingled with the sounds of prayer and praise is heard the inspiring melody of labor so calculated to cheer and enrich the hearts and homes of the masses.

We call Hamilton the Naples of Canada. As we view her in the distance, her bay shimmering brightly in the mellow glory of the sun, making this very scene, one of the finest landscapes between Omaha and the Genessee valley in N. Y. Hamilton, as its name indicates, is very Scotchy, that element largely predominating. The writer pleasantly remembers the luxury he enjoyed in 1883, when for twelve nights he was greeted by large audiences in a spacious tent, as he defined to the masses, the greatest social problem of the age: how by soberness they may be good to themselves.

It was in this city a few weeks ago we investigated a phase of religious crankism, namely, the street parade of a Salvation Army corps. They are quite strong here. Believing most heartily in the true and the beautiful, especially in Divine things, we stood aghast when the unseemly exhibition of irreverence took place on the line of march. The yelling shout might have been all right among the infatuists that followed Baal of old, but it seemed foreign to the reasonable age in which we live. Their clownish antics attracted the attention and awakened the disgust of the spectators. (This might apply to some local peculiarities perpetrated not a thousand miles from Tecumseh.) We asked ourselves serious questions that day viz: Is this apostolical? Would those earnest men of old thrum on drums, tingle tambourines, flaunt flags and clang cymbals? Did they guy and say funny things to raise a titter of laughter in the crowd? I called on that safe authority within me (my reason) and the satisfactory answer came in the negative, and as I turned away from this spectacular burlesque on the Sabbath day I felt thankful for the comfort my reason gave me.

Toronto, that fine city, is next noted. It is the best city by far in the Dominion, though not the largest. The pleasant thing about Toronto is the fact that the foreign elements represented there, from the old Lands of the rose, the shamrock and the thistle, are fairly and pretty equally balanced.

Fine buildings, massive brick blocks, brick colleges, churches, cathedrals, very popular hotels, make this city of nearly 100,000 inhabitants a very important center. There is some of the jostle, "helter-skelter drive and 'git thar'" activity of our own cities, giving one an inspiration to move around, that is eminently American. And yet Toronto at her best is quiet beside our busy Buffalo or bustling Boston.

The Canadians are very conservative in their make up. They love to imitate the very people they, at times most heartily denounce, I mean the Yankees. By the way, it matters but little or naught to them, whether the American is born in Maine or Mobile, they are Yankees just the same.

Canada is sorely afflicted by the "social scourge." Love of caste, aristocratic pretentions, the free and easy gait of the larger proportion of the American people is very distasteful to a large class there. This conservative element socially, always boasts of patrimonial importance on the ancestral line of the past, rather than rejoices in the development of the present, in social and intellectual accomplishment, such as a great Dominion and a greater Republic afford. The city of Toronto is the Gibraltar of a great wrong, and yet the good are marching around, marking the bulwarks of the rum power, and the fight was commenced in right earnest. The fight is carried on by the people. They are using righteously that effective weapon the liquor men fear—money—and soon the great Gibraltar will be turned, we trust, into a Waterloo of mighty victory. Canada need fear more from the reign and the ructions of the rum power at home than from Riel's rebellion in the northwest. Although we possess no predictive power, yet looking along the vista of coming days, we say the sovereign power of the people will eventually overturn this enemy of the race. The Kings among the people are many. Every man who votes is a crowned monarch. He wields a sceptre of influence. Coronated with political privilege where untraduced, and free he smites social wrongs, smites them with his votes. On this line of bombarding, the work will be accomplished. Their ammunition is good. Ballots are the BULLETS and the dark fabric of iniquity—the liquor traffic, in the low places among the people, and in the high places among the law makers.—must be shivered to ruins. Sovereigns rule: if not rightously at all times they are often very absolute. When Wolsey, the cardinal, offended his sovereign he was stripped of power and "Bluff King Hal" made him bemoan his fate as he said, "had I but served my God with the zeal I've served my King, &c. &c.

When Francis Bacon, the Ex-Lord Chancellor of England, perhaps the most brilliant of all England's bad men not excepting Lord Burleigh, when he Bacon, bartered away solemn trust for self aggrandizement, his reigning Sovereign consigned him to deserved obscurity. And this legalized monstrosity, made so by the civil law of erring men, repudiated though by the higher law of morality, sustained now by the legislative authority called license, is doomed by the higher authority of the people, and with Charles Mackay, the modern Burns of the Scottish people we say.

There is a fount about to stream,
There is a light about to beam,
There is a warmth about to glow,
There is a flower about to blow,
There is a midnight blackness changing into gray,
Men of thought and men of action, clear the way.

The people are waging a "Holy war" against this common foe of the most sacred of all institution on the face the earth, the Home, while the church, the school and the Ballot Box are endangered by this mighty power, but it will yet meet with its deserved fate at the hands of a righteously indignant people.

Aid it, hopes of honest men,
Aid it, paper, aid it type,
Aid it for the hour is ripe,
And our earnest must not slacken into play:
Men of thought, men of action, clear the way.

American Democracy has never proclaimed anything grander along the whole line of her illustrious history than this, the will of the people shall be the law of the land; that is safely politic. That is what the people of Canada are asking for and what they want we sadly need. This Home Ruling power—Local option—on the clean, clear line of absolute prohibition of this local disorder, the rum power. The fight is a persistent one in Canada and soon victories will be recorded from the murmurs of the Atlantic to the echoes of Niagara, from Winnipeg to Windsor. The work there is known as the Scott Act agitation and so great is its influence, so convincing are its telling majorities of the people's desire, that Sir John A. MacDonald, Canada's most illustrious statemen and premier, (himself a drinker) cheerfully yields to the mighty power of the peoples will, and openly avows he has voted for it himself and is perfectly willing to keep abreast of the people and let them reign. This agitation is carried on by all classes in church and state, those who can afford to be honest and who dare to be independent. Grit and tory in politics, church men and dissenters, Roman and Jew in religious enterprises, are in this righteous fray. Out of 73 contests at the polls, 62 victories are recorded. This causes the people to rejoice all over the land. One good Bishop of the church of England, has broken through Ecclesiastical conservativeness, and with exemplary earnestness is making old fashioned temperance addresses in and out of his diocese. Long live his lordship, the ideal Bishop of Huron—Dr. Baldwin. Surely Sir Walter Scott's words that open one of his exquisite poetic paragraphs are beautifully appropriate here.

Old Times are changed,
Old Manners gone.

Away we go, on the splendid new road, the Canadian Pacific Railroad. The coaches are as elegant as the N. Y. or Penn. Central. The officials politely obliging, we pleasantly miss the stiff stuck-upedness of its formidable rival. The old country moneyed monopoly, the Grand Trunk, with its boo boo here, and boo boo there, among its officials.

Peterboro, the finest city between Toronto and Ottawa, the Canadian capitol on the C. P. line is reached. It is noted for its fine residences and wealth. We were hospitably entertained at his worship's, the Mayor's mansion, one of the finest. Port Hope is a good solid town on Lake Ontario, a good maritime point. Coburg, with its Victoria university. Picton, named for the warrior bold whose deeds are remembered at Waterloo. Bellville, neat, natty and nice as a city. Naysance made a desperate resistance, but the people said, we want the Scott Act, and they triumphed.

Kingston the Limestone City, solid and massive. Queen's College and its fine institutions of learning and benevolence make it a pleasant place to visit. Not least among her structures is the Eastern penitentiary—a terror to evil doers.

Gananoque, the quaint old town, on the banks of the St. Lawrence river. The Indian of Gananoque is Rocks above the Water, very appropriate. Across the river here we shouted Land Ahoy! as we saw old York State, Jefferson Co. At this point the grand Thousand Island cluster is seen. These Islands, washed and fondled by the waters of the beautiful St. Lawrence river, are very popular as a resort for tourists.

In more than one town we were permitted to see the assembled battalions of Canadian volunteers, and as the buoyant brave impetuous young fellows marched away to the strains of martial music to the distant northwest to root out Riel's rebellion, the old thrill came back to the writer like that which moved him above thirty years ago, when as a nimble footed street boy, in Old London, he followed the stately stepping Red Coats of the line, or threw up his cap with a shout to dragoons, hussars and artillery-men, as they went away from applause and country to the land of the Czar to record their fame in the victories of Alma, Balaklava, Inkerman and Sebastopol.

Here and there we went in this fine country distinguished for its great agricultural resources, intellectual benefactions, public libraries, art schools, Chatauqua circles, lecture courses, and yet she is cursed beyond calculation by the whiskey fascination.

We might record, if time and space afforded, many interesting things of this great Dominion. It has a great future before it, and whether its annexation, to this greater America would be for the best interest of her people is for her statesmen and political enconomists of the future to determine. One thing we do know. Side by side in peaceful proximity to each other, these two great countries, can with propriety continue to emulate and inspire each other in all good works for the advancement of the highest interest of the people. Let America and Canada enter into the glorious contest and be speedy in the race. The result will be satisfactory, because social serenity, perenial peacefulness, happy homes, crowded churches, people thronging to art schools, reading rooms, lecture entertainments, will enoble the people and exhalt the natives.

The sublime teaching and splendid philosophy of total prohibition will bring this about. Men of thought, men of action, consider these things. Beat back the subtle seductive—the drink custom—which like the Ivy of my country, covers many a crumbling ruin. Shut up the saloons. Take whisky away from the man and a thousand times better work is done than trying to take man away from whisky, and fail. Oh, that this millenium of Soberness might come, and from the fisheries of Newfoundland to the Seals of Alaska, across Dominion and Republic, set the millions free by political prohibition. This would be no infringement of private liberty or public privilege, but a grand endowment of freedom. Men, women and children singing doxologies of delight from vale and mountain, from prairie and plain. Angels singing their joy songs over their heads because the people have been true to themselves, and ennobled and saved the greatest hemisphere under the stars.

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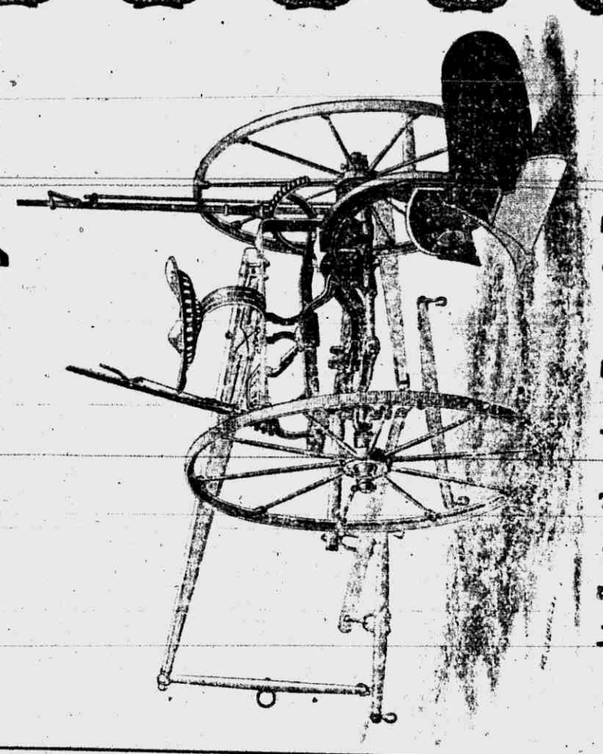

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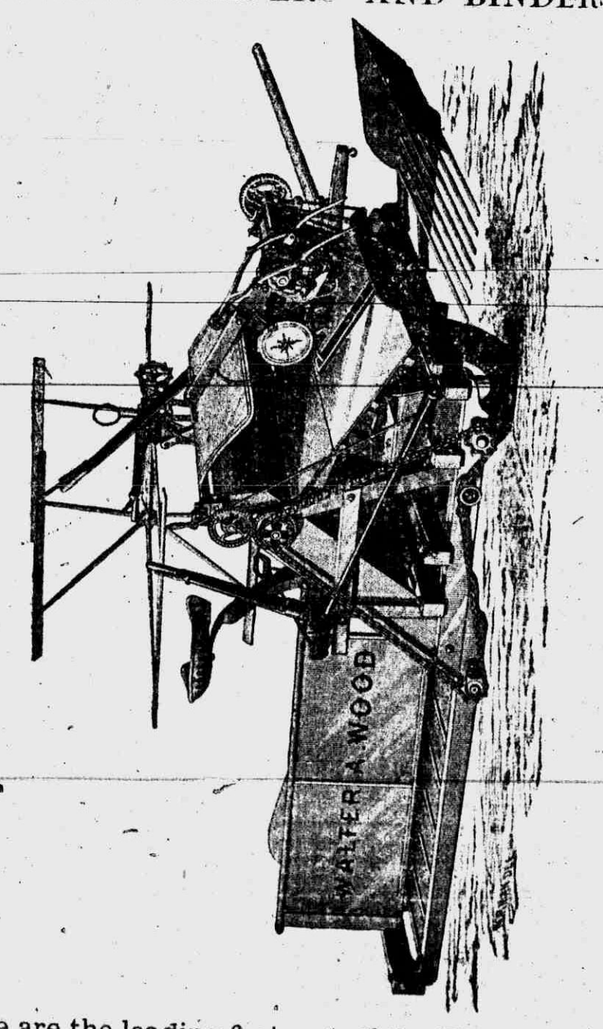

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At the end of the present school year Kalamazoo college will be closed for an indefinite period, until enough funds can be secured to conduct it properly.

Petersburg Journal: On the farm of Wm. Smith, in south Riga, is a small marsh known as "Rattle snake" swamp, from the number of those reptiles found in its vicinity. It is so thickly covered with a rank growth of wild shrubbery that it has never been explored. During one of the hard wind storms of last week a tall sycamore tree, standing on the edge was blown into the swamp. Passing one day, Mr. Smith wished to see if he could draw the tree out, and walked along the trunk until he found the top resting on a rocky knoll which he found almost covered with the cast off skins off rattle snakes, and in every instance with the rattles attached. He secured several very fine skins, among which was one over seven feet in length evidently the former covering of a patriarch of the island. Mr. Smith filled his pockets with the rattles which lay around in great number. Some of them having from eight to twenty joints. It has always been supposed that the age of the snake could be determined by the number of its rattles, it taking on a new one each year. But it would appear from this to be a mistake, as they were, from the great number present, undoubtedly shed with the skin. Thus one by one the myths of our grandfathers' days are passing away.

RINK RACKET.

A big crowd at the rink last Tuesday night.

A fancy dress carnival is talked of in the near future.

W. T. Eccles has taken Fred Hillman's place in Knapp's band.

Jno. Nestelle and wife, of Manchester, were visitors at the rink last Tuesday evening.

The senior and junior polo teams played a match game Tuesday evening after skating hours. The seniors won two straight goals, thus coming off victorious. The juniors should practice a little.

A MASQUERADE SOCIAL.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—Last week I received a letter from my friend, Mrs. Rachel Osborn, inviting me to be present at a Congregational Social at her residence in Franklin, on Friday afternoon and evening the 24th. I readily accepted the invitation. On my arrival found quite a company from the afternoon social which was largely composed of old friends and neighbors, numbering about thirty-five.

The evening's entertainment was a Masquerade of ladies and gentlemen, numbering about fifteen, and they made it quite lively until it was announced that refreshments were ready when the maskers removed their masks. Now if Gumbo had been present, he would have said, this is ahead of all "quilting bees." Numbering over a hundred persons, friends from Tecumseh and Onsted were present. The old and young seemed to enjoy themselves in conversation, music, and magic writing. Concluding that mirth could not last forever, we bade our kind entertainers a lingering good night, and by a lovely moonlight we were soon speeding homeward.

The writer but echoes the wishes of the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Osborn, that their evening time may be very light, and that finally, when their life's sun shall set, it may be in a cloudless sky. Receipts for the evening $13,00. A GUEST.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., APR. 30, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Clean up the rubbish.

Now plant onion sets.

Rake your door yards.

Seed down your lawns.

Fix up your posy beds.

Cart off your coal ashes.

Garden making is booming.

The picnic season will soon be here.

Seal skins and ulsters are taking a rest.

Big sales every day at Daly's shoe store.

J. E. Carr, of the Dundee Reporter, was in town last Monday.

A saw mill is being built at the North end of Devil's lake.

Boots and shoes at your own prices at Daly's new shoe store.

The Dundee cheese factory commenced business last Monday.

The mosquito has arrived with his little gun loaded to the muzzle.

Frank Snedecor, of Dundee, spent last Tuesday night in Tecumseh.

Farmers are rushed "to death" with work. Everything comes at once.

The young folks literary society of Tecumseh will meet at the Methodist church to-morrow evening.

Powers & Son, of Addison, will build a new store on the site of the building which was burned recently.

Co. C held a special meeting last Friday evening, and elected Charles Bell to fill the vacant second lieutenantcy.

A tree planting bee was held last Tuesday on the new county fair grounds, which was largely attended and a fine lot of trees was planted.

We call attention to the advertisement in another column of the U. S. Art Co. Agents are wanted to sell a photo-lithographic engraving of Cleveland, Hendricks and the cabinet officers. It is a fine work of art and ought to find a ready sale.

Beer's Post, G. A. R. have secured Prof. F. H. Bailey to deliver one of his popular astronomical lectures for the benefit of the relief fund of the Post. The lecture will be illustrated with his mammoth cosmosphere, which is the largest portable globe in the world. The date fixed is Tuesday evening, May 12th.

Prof. Bailey is an Astronomer who is thoroughly in love with his subject, and able to present the story of the Starry Heavens in such a manner as to entertain while he instructs. There is a wealth of poetry in the old myths connected with the geography of the heavens, and Bailey brings it out in a way that makes the hours seem all too short.—Sterling Standard.

When in Homer stop at the Commercial House kept by H. Stone. It is one of the best hotels in Southern Michigan. Mr. Stone thoroughly understands the art of hotel-keeping, his tables are supplied with the best the market affords, his beds and rooms are A. 1. and his charges are reasonable. He runs a free bus to all trains. Remember the Commercial.

Adrian Record: It is said that during the present term of court a juryman, after gaining the jury room for deliberation on a verdict, inquired of his fellows which was the defendant. Now some folks are charging that this shows dullness on the part of the juror, but it don't. The opposing lawyers had traduced both parties to the case till nobody could tell with certainty which was the defendant.

We understand that Fred Curtis, of Addison, has been compelled to drive some of his stock to the Lake Shore road for shipment, by reason of the M. & O. company declining to provide proper conveniences at Addison for shipment. We think the report must have been exaggerated. In view of the work done by Mr. Curtis for the road at Addison, it is not reasonable to suppose that the M. & O. officials would refuse to grant him proper facilities for shipping his stock.

Be sure and attend the Japanese fair at the Presbyterian church parlors this evening. A fine collection of goods have been received from the curio department of the Formosa Tea Co., of Chicago. There will be a musical program consisting of instrumental music by Knapp's band, vocal solos by Mrs. Mumford, Mrs. Bidwell and others, also choruses &c. Refreshments,—ice cream and cake. Fair opens at 7 o'clock, concert commences at 8 o'clock. Admission to fair and concert 10 cents.

Knapp's sextette band took advantage of the pleasant weather last Monday evening, and started out to give the citizens a sample of the music they are playing. After serenading several of the business houses, and smoking at the expense of the Lilley House, they halted in front of the Patterson house, and rendered some of their most persuasive music. Landlord Delano has an ear for music, and the boys were immediately invited into the dining room to refresh themselves, which they were not slow in doing, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Fred Teachout, of Adrian, was in town last Sunday.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band were out serenading last Friday night.

The circus campaign has opened, but nary a circus has struck Tecumseh.

Clarence Hauck of Sunbury, Pa., has returned to Tecumseh and will stay during the summer.

A Blissfield barber has cut on prices. He scrapes a man for five cents, and will shear off a six months' growth of hair and hayseed for only ten cents.

P. W. Adams arrived in town yesterday noon in company with his mother. Mrs. Adams will remain here during the summer, but Waller will return to Delaware after a few days visit.

Mr. Lowden, of Adrian, is putting the finishing touches on a fine boat, to be called the City of Adrian, which will soon be launched on Devil's Lake. It is 25 feet in length, by 8 feet breadth of beam and is capable of carrying 25 persons.

B. L. Baxter came down from Battle Creek yesterday. He will spend about two weeks in Tecumseh and Deerfield looking up business matters before his return. He is well satisfied with the professional outlook at Battle Creek thus far.

Mont Hendershot, of Clinton, has accepted a position on the mechanical force of the News, and will be a permanent fixture of that office in the future. Joe Johnson who has been working there during the past year, starts for Muskegon, next week.

Our friends who have Probate printing to be done, will confer a favor upon us by requesting the Judge of Probate to insert their notices in the HERALD. The Judge will always comply with the wish of the parties interested in placing these notices.

Adrian Times: Those interested are warned to look out for a young man traveling about the state and claiming to represent the Whitman comedy company. He is said to make rates in the name of the company at the hotels, order a small amount of printing, run up a fair board bill and then get away between two days. He is represented to be a fraud.

Clinton Local: John Swift, a rough in the first sense of the phrase, after being from home for a long time, returned a few days since, and proceeded to go through the same old antics that had made him a despised man before his departure—beating his aged mother and throwing furniture, dishes, etc., around promiscuously. He was brought by officer Burroughs before Squire Brown, and was made to pay the penalty by 65 days in jail.

Jackson Patriot: C. C. Pond has a new horse, which is used in his lumber yard, and last evening, as the men were unhitching him, he was frightened by a locomotive whistle, and broke away and ran on the track and part way across the bridge, when he fell between the ties. A freight train came along and the pilot of the engine raised the horse and tipped him over into the river, from whence he came out on to Mechanic street, and was caught, unhurt, except a few bruises, received on the bridge.

The village teamster, John Messler, met with a serious accident last Friday afternoon which will lay him up for several weeks. While gathering rubbish near the Globe Mill the wagon upset and he was buried under the load. When extricated it was found that he had sustained a broken arm and leg. Dr. Woodward reduced the fracture and the patient is doing well. As he is a strong healthy man, the prospects are good for his recovery, but the injuries are serious and he will have to take good care of himself, and not attempt to work too soon.

Jackson Citizen: Cases are somewhat rare where dogs possess shrewdness to go to a doctor's office for surgical treatment, but August Heller owns one, a big black shepherd dog that got its foot cut with glass a few days ago. Mr. Heller took the dog to Dr. Wendt, who put on some linament and a bandage. Last night the dog returned and scratched at the doctor's door. It was opened and the wise canine hobbled in and held up his paw for the doctor to examine. The bandage was gone, but a new one took its place and the grateful animal expressed his thanks in dog language. He then trotted out and went directly home.

Adrian Record: Michael Fanning was yesterday feeling in good fighting trim and before that feeling wore off he visited the City hotel on North Main street and proceeded to set up a revival. He raised a quarrel with Landlord Wonder and a bloody encounter took place. When Under Sheriff Bowen arrived on the scene. Mike was covered with more gore than glory and Wonder also exhibited evidence of having lost considerable claret, a few teeth more or less being among the personal assets destroyed. Fanning was jailed by the officer and this morning before Justice Long was arraigned as a common tipler. After mature deliberation he said he was not guilty and went to jail till Friday for trial.

Adrian Record: Tecumseh's street commissioner is named Jordan, and the highways he is casting up give the lie utterly to the current impression that Jordan's is "a hard road to travel."

Lavern Wheeler has shown us some samples of a new style of photograph taken by the Cyanotype process. They are of a dark blue or red color, can be made very cheaply, and make a very handsome picture.

Prof. A. E. Haynes, of Hillsdale College, says of Prof. Bailey's globe: "The celestial globe invented by Prof. F. H. Bailey, is the most perfect piece of apparatus for illustrating some of the most interesting facts in astronomy which I have ever seen.

The Decoration committee had a meeting Tuesday evening and made some progress in perfecting arrangements for Decoration Day. The program is being arranged as rapidly as possible, and our citizens can rely upon having a good celebration.

The second annual report of the Bureau of labor is on our table. It is a book of 440 pages and contains a vast amount of labor statistics. The retiring Commissioner of Labor John W. McGrath has made a fine reputation for himself by the efficient manner in which he has performed the duties of that office.

Miss Frances Willard in the Chautauqua for May says: "After all, it does not so much signify what you may do, as that you do it well, whatever it may be, for the value of skilled labor is estimated on that democratic basis nowadays. President Elliot, of Harvard university, the cook of the Parker house restaurant and Mary L. Booth, of Harper's Bazaar, each receive $4,000 a year.

There was a good attendance at the Reform Club last Monday evening, and in addition to the usual business meeting a good program was presented, consisting of readings by Mrs. Gamble and Mr. Sholes, recitations by Mr. Brangan and Miss Emma Aten, and a song by Misses Ross and Ford. The club is negotiating with Rev. Mr. Ferris, who has been conducting the Free Methodist meetings during the winter, to give a temperance lecture at the opera house in the near future. Mr. Ferris is a good speaker and would draw a crowded house.

Adrian Times: The investigation of ex-Superintendent of Public Instruction Gass' methods of official business, last Tuesday, at Lansing, brought out the cost of the teachers' institute held in this city last August. Mr. Gass produced vouchers of expenditure of the office for August, 1884. Among them were those showing the expense of our institute to have aggregated $322.78. Among the items of expense were hack and railroad fares, hotel bills, traveling expenses, salaries of conductors and instructors, hall rentals, etc., altogether showing a heavy bill for one county.

Col. Sumner F. Spofford, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, departed this life last Monday morning, at the age of 77 years. The deceased was for many years a resident of Tecumseh at an early day, afterwards a resident of Adrian, and then he removed to DesMoines, Iowa, where he became a prominent citizen and lived for many years. A short service was held at his late residence at seven o'clock Tuesday morning and the remains were transferred to the morning train and taken to DesMoines for final burial. Mrs. Spofford, the widow of the deceased, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright accompanied them. An obituary notice is in preparation for a subsequent issue of the HERALD.

There is a man in our town, who is most wondrous wise, for when he marked his prices down, he then did advertise. And when he saw his trade increase, with all his might and main, he marked still lower every price and advertised again. And when he advertised again, his rivals stamped and tore, to see folks rush with might and main to patronize that store. And while they sat in solitude and saw his custom win, that man behind the counter stood and raked the shekels in. And when he raked the shekels in, and saw his fortune rising, he took a goodly lot of "tin" and kept on advertising. Each day a genuine sum he'd seek, and demonstrate full plain, the more one pays for printer's ink the greater is his gain.

Adrian Press: Does a republican want office? Oh no, we guess not. There's Mr. Caius Triplet, of Macon, who ran for school inspector against a lady, and the board when it finished counting declared the votes equal. Then there was a draw for the place, and the luck fell to Mrs. Howell. Mr. Triplet has notified the town clerk that he shall contest the ladies claim. Wonder if he will. Why trouble the clerk? Why not stuff his wallet, come to Adrian, see a lawyer, and proceed in the courts and have some fun? Want office? Oh no, not at all; Mr. Triplet don't care about the office. The trouble is that he hates to think he got licked by a lady. That's what "triangulates." By all means let him contest. Mrs. Howell possibly might be induced to give way to him, and ease his mind. Then possibly she "mightent."

The daily sales at Daly's shoe store are immense.

Miss Ada Gray played in East Lynne at Adrian last evening.

The Adrian Musical Union will give a grand concert on May 27th.

James Cook, of Raisin, has moved his family to the city of Adrian.

Trade is opening up finely at J. J. Daly's new boot and shoe store.

The Blissfield G. A. R. indulge in hard tack and coffee at every meeting.

John Turks of Kelley's Corners has procured a patent on a new sulky plow.

A recent effusion is called "A Poem on an Editor." It's wrong all wrong. The editor is always on top.

John R. Clark is to give his celebrated lecture "To and Fro in London," in Hudson on Monday evening, May 4th.

S. W. Temple went to Cleveland yesterday on business. He will visit the coal mines of Southern Ohio, before his return.

Co. C had a street parade last evening. The ranks were nearly full and the boys went through with the different evolutions in fine style.

The Baptist church will give an entertainment on Friday evening, May 8th, for the benefit of their library fund. Readings by Miss Sarah E. Rounds.

Uncle Alvin Osborn of Woodstock, who has been in quite poor health during the winter, is rapidly regaining his strength and vivacity with the approach of warm weather.

Met Conklin has secured the services of Ex-Sheriff Bidwell to assist him in the sale of the Walter A. Wood harvesting machinery this summer. Conklin & Bidwell will make a strong team at that business.

Adrian Times: Justice Hulett was alarmed the other day upon finding a letter in his postoffice box adorned with a deep mourning margin. But it proved to be only a business epistle from a colored client in Canada.

Rev. J. M. Getchell, of Norwalk Ohio has accepted a call from the Universalist parish of this village and will begin his regular pastoral labors here at once. Services next Sunday, morning and evening, at the usual hours.

Harry Lee is shipping his stock of boots and shoes to Adrian this week. He has bought out Isaac Wolcott's stock in Adrian and will unite the two stores and thus give the people of Adrian the best shoe store in the city. Harry is a "hustler" in the boot and shoe trade.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lenawee County Horticultural Society will be held on Wednesday, May 6th, 1885 at 9 o'clock A. M. The first half hour will be given to the "Question Box." Topics, Strawberries and other small fruits, flowers and shrubs. Place of meeting, Workingmen's Hall, Adrian.

Dr. M. M. Fessenden has moved his dental office from Dundee to Hudson, where he will be found in the future ready to pull teeth according to the most approved modern methods. Dr. Fessenden is an old Tecumseh boy, in whose success we feel interested. We commend him to the Hudson people as a gentleman and a good dentist.

Adrian Record; Talking about industry, here's one that takes the cake. A young barber in Clayton was just ready to take the afternoon train for Adrian last Saturday, when a couple of customers came in, and he went to work and shaved them and then walked to this city. The supposition is that he was coming to see his best girl and was bound to be here Sunday anyway.

Miss Sarah E. Rounds, the celebrated reader and elocutionist of Detroit, will appear at the Baptist Church, Friday evening, May 8th, in the interest of the S. S. Library fund. She is the finest reader ever heard in Tecumseh. Let all come and hear her. This is what the Detroit Evening News says of her entertainments:—The most pleasing feature of Madame Von Bremen's concert, at Whitney's Opera House, last evening, was the appearance of Miss Sarah E. Rounds. The young lady's voice is clear, resonant and powerful, and the manner in which she read Poe's "Bells" did great credit to her as a most accomplished professional.

Adrian Record: That which is constitutional in one case may be unconstitutional in another. The tax law of this state furnishes an illustration. In the upper peninsula Judge Grant sustained an action brought under the law. The case went to the supreme court and the judges were equally divided. In such a case the decision of the lower court stands. In Detroit, Judge Chambers, in a similar case, rendered a decision the opposite of that of Judge Grant. This case also went to the supreme court, which again was equally divided on the constitutionality of the law, therefore Chamber's also stands. So a thing may be constitutional in the upper peninsula and unconstitutional in Detroit. Twice two make four in the mining region, but two times two in the lower peninsula don't. Constitutions are wonderful things.

Business is dull in the wood market.

If you are looking after bargains in boots and shoes do not fail to call at the Usborne store.

Miss Cora Abbott, of Adrian, is now at Dr. Jones' residence, and will give instructions in crayon or will make crayon pictures to order.

E. C. Smith and wife, of Chicago, arrived in town last Friday and remained in town over Sunday, enjoying a brief visit with their Tecumseh acquaintances.

This is the way the Addison Courier man reports religious meetings:

We could not attend the conference on account of pressing business, but would have been willing to publish a full account of the meeting, if any of the congregational friends had seen fit to furnish the same. We print all such things that come to us for publication.

Mr. Robert Cairns has been enduring the process of housecleaning this spring to some purpose. While the carpets were up, he has availed himself of the chance to paper over all the rooms. Nearly every room in the house has been ornamented with wall and ceiling decorations, of a most elaborate and elegant character. The paper was procured at Wright's and Friend McNiel did the work. Mr. and Mrs. Cairns, as soon as they get "settled" again, will have a beautiful home.

A newspaper has a right to criticise in an honest manner anything that is of public nature. Following is the law laid down by the Chief Justice in his charge to a jury in a libel suit: "A public newspaper has a right to comment upon and criticise in the discharge of public duties. If the publishers discover what they consider to be defects, they have a right to point them out. If there are facts which suggest fault, the public press has a right to criticise and to censure. If in the exercise of this freedom of comment they act fairly and right, they cannot be held accountable. It is of great importance to the public that newspapers should have this liberty. If there should be none to censure or criticise, frauds would grow more intolerable, to the manifest peril of the public welfare, and therefore, you can see that the public have a great interest in maintaining unshackled the right of the public press to freely criticise."

Several railroad ties placed on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad rails, near Twenty-fourth street, this morning, threw off the track the passenger train that left the Brush street depot at 7:38. No injury was done except to the locomotive. The train was delayed over an hour. About the same time obstructions were placed on the track of the Bay City road, which runs alongside the L. S. & M. S. at this spot but they were discovered and removed before any train passed. Railroad officials are investigating the matter, and trying to find the parties who attempted to do some train wrecking in broad daylight. The section gang who passed up the road about seven o'clock this morning, on a hand car, found everything clear. The flagman at the Michigan avenue crossing says a gang of men passed up the road shortly after seven o'clock, but as the place where the ties were thrown on the track is nearly half a mile beyond he could not say that they were the guilty parties.—Evening News, 24.

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—Artesian wells have been known in China from times immemorable.

—A walking stick concealing a snuff-box and a cigarette holder is a late English device.

—An English chimney sweeper has patented a reversible boot, which may be worn indifferently on either foot.

—It is a custom of the Buddhists of Ceylon that a woman throws herself properly she will eventually become a god.

—A much [illegible] has been formed in Paris under the [illegible] of its legal [illegible]. The claims of the members are to be decided by the Cassation of Bordeaux.

—The [illegible] in Spain [illegible] the [illegible] and the [illegible] village of [illegible] which [illegible] with a [illegible].

—The Mormons have trouble in Arizona. The [illegible] of [illegible] a few [illegible] and a [illegible] by a [illegible]. All [illegible] an [illegible] to set up [illegible], a few [illegible], and a hard [illegible] of black bread.

—The [illegible] recently [illegible] the origin of burgoos, that Mine Host [illegible] had [illegible] to [illegible] on the [illegible] under "The [illegible]" [illegible] of [illegible] and floated it [illegible] was [illegible] and [illegible] at [illegible] it did [illegible] Mr. [illegible] to grab the [illegible] of the Motor [illegible].

—The Brazilian law of 1871 provides that all children born to slave mothers can not [illegible] their freedom until they are twenty-one years old, and must serve their mothers owner [illegible] time. A traveller [illegible] there [illegible] a [illegible] on the [illegible] in [illegible] and [illegible] more [illegible] of [illegible]. There are [illegible] in the empire.

—In the collection of British state [illegible] kept in the Tower are half a dozen towns the [illegible] of gold [illegible] the [illegible] in [illegible] the royal [illegible] service, [illegible] feet [illegible] of solid gold, one of which is [illegible] with [illegible] and [illegible] besides numerous other valuable presents that have been presented to the State by foreign sovereigns. The entire collection is valued at $[illegible], much of which [illegible] presented in the rare shape [illegible] that gave the crowns and scepter, the famous Koh noor, the second largest diamond in the world, being one of them.

JUSTICE IN RUSSIA.

Collisions Between Juries and the Imperial Authorities—Peasant Courts.

Twenty years ago the Czar Reformer substituted trial by jury for the system of Crown Judges. It is the general opinion here that, next to the abolition of serfdom, the introduction of trial by jury has served for the moral elevation of the people far more than any other reform. The jury system, however, has not been introduced in all the provinces of European Russia. Apart of the Caucasus and all of Siberia and Central Asia are still under the jurisdiction of the Crown Judges. Justice by the Crown Judges is usually called trial by Judge Shemjaka. Instead of listening to the testimony that worthy judge used to keep his eye on the caps of the plaintiff and defendant, in which was kept tangible and unbiased evidence in the shape of rights and silver caps. The balance of justice inclined in favor of him whose cap contained the larger bundle. After cap evidence can not be conveniently presented before the judge, the Crown Judges to this day hold court behind closed doors. And yet to represent Russia as Mr. Katkoff of the Moscow Gazette, included, who gave perhaps to the Crown Judges. In fact, to the Russian it must be said that the jury system came into vogue at the same time with the autocratic regime. The Czar, being the sole legislator, issues his laws regardless of the views of his people. The jurors, the people's representatives, are called upon to pass a verdict according to their own convictions. But the trouble is that there are many things which, though forbidden by the imperial law, are justified by popular opinion. Hence come collisions between the Russian jury and the imperial authorities.

In a village stricken with famine the imperial tax collectors undertook to empty the village granary and drive away the domestic animals. Starvation stared the villagers in the face, and a peasant shouted to them:

"Brothers! Let us take sticks and drive away the tax collectors, who have come to rob us of our last crust of bread. The treasury may safely wait for our taxes, and at any rate the Czar would not starve us. To the sticks!"

And to the sticks they betook themselves, and drove off the tax collectors. But the next day a regiment of soldiers came to the village, and the leader of the riot was put in chains and carried away. On the trial the Crown Attorney demanded that, according to the law, the defendant should be sent to the Siberian mines for twenty years. But the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. The acquitted peasant, however, was kidnaped by gendarmes and disappeared forever.

This is one of a thousand cases of collision between juries and the imperial authorities. It seems to me that the jury system, though far from being what it ought to be in the interests of justice, is one of the most powerful factors which are undermining the autocracy.

There are some special courts here, such as the Merchants' Court, the Craftsmen's Court, the Church Court, the Military Courts, the Land Surveying Courts, and others, in which specific offenses are tried.

But there are many subjects of the Czar who quite ignore his law. Over fifty millions of peasants dispose of all their civil suits in their own way, by their own courts. If a peasant is caught stealing, if he drinks too much or beats his wife for no cause, if he indulges in idling while taxes are unpaid, if he does not pay his debts, if he offends a priest or somebody else—in all such and like cases the village is set as a court of justice. Their verdicts are sweeping, ugly, plain and sensible. In all cases where land questions of property are involved, the party is to mend to make good the damage or loss. In the case of some personal offense, they usually resort to the birch, and pound the culprit, as they call the whipping with rods. The verdicts of the village courts are cheerfully obeyed, for the villagers have the power not only to expel obnoxious members from the village, but even to send them to Siberia.

Among the mountain tribes of Caucasus, if a murderer does not pay the blood fine he is sure to pay with his life for the relatives of the victim. Then it is their sacred duty to take a bloody revenge. If he undertakes to pay the fine the murderer takes the precaution he can purchase and load it with such goods as cloth, arms, clothes and money. Then placing a rope on his own neck he leads the horse to the family of his victim. If the mother or wife of the dead man takes off the rope from the neck of the murderer he lives. Having surrendered the blood money and other presents, he returns home. If, however, nobody takes the rope from his neck, that means that he is under the penalty of death, unless he can appease the wrath of the family by costlier presents.

In Turkestan, according to the Koran, instead of justice, a murderer may expiate his crime by paying a blood fine, which consists of a number of camels, sheep and goats. In some cases, however, the family of the victim refuse to accept any presents and then a judicial duel is arranged. The murderer, armed to the teeth, appears on his best horse. Two or three male relatives of the victim, also armed and on horseback, meet their foe. Then begins a wild and awful scene. The murderer tries to escape, or at least to meet his foes separately in combat. If the murderer remains alive until sunset he is safe, but that rarely happens, and sometimes one of the avengers loses his life, too.

Some of the Mohammedans living in Russia, in case of murder, resort to what they call God's judgment. The nearest and strongest of the relatives of the victim, with dagger in hand, meets the murderer. If he kills his man the avenger exclaims: "Now my soul shall have peace," and there the matter ends. If, however, the murderer proves the best man, he is to meet still another avenger.

The Czar reigns, but does not rule all of his subjects.—*St. Petersburg Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

AMERICAN AUDIENCES.

Impartiality Their Dominant Characteristic, According to Mr. Irving.

The dominant characteristic of the American audience seems to be impartiality. They do not sit in judgment, resenting as positive offenses lack of power to convey meanings or divergence of interpretation of particular character or [illegible]. I understand that when they do not like a performance they simply go away, so that at the close of the evening the silence of a deserted house gives to the manager a verdict more potent than applause and imprecation. This does not apply to questions of morals which can be and are as quickly judged here as elsewhere. On this subject I give entirely the verdict of others, for it has been my good fortune to see our audiences seated till the final falling of the curtain. Again, there is a kindly feeling on the part of the audience toward the actor as an individual, especially if he be not a complete stranger, which is, I presume, a part of that recognition of individuality which is so striking a characteristic in American life and customs. Many an actor draws habitually a portion of his audience, not in consequence of great merit, not from capacity to arouse violent emotion, but simply because there is something in his personality which they like. This point forcibly reminds me of the story told of the manager of one of the old "rents," who gave as a reason for the continued engagement of an impossibly bad actor that "she was good to his mother." The thorough enjoyment of the audience is another point to be noticed. Not only are they quick to understand and appreciate, but there seems to be a genuine pleasure in the expression of approval. American audiences are not surpassed in quickness and completeness of comprehension by any that I have yet seen, and no actor need fear to make his strongest or his most subtle effort, for such is sure to receive instant and full acknowledgment at their hands. There is little more than this to say of the American audience. But, short though the record is, the impression upon the player himself is profound and abiding. To describe what one sees and hears over the footlights is infinitely easier than to convey an idea of the mental disposition and feeling of the spectators. The house is ample and comfortable, and the audience is well-disposed to be pleased. Ladies and gentlemen alike are mostly in morning dress, distinguished in appearance, and guided in every respect by a refined decorum. The sight is generally picturesque. Even in winter flowers abound, and the majority of the ladies have bouquets either carried in the hand or fastened on the shoulder or corsage. At matinee performances especially, where the larger proportion of the audience is composed of ladies, the effect is not less pleasing to the olfactory senses than to the eye. Courteous, patient, enthusiastic, the American audience is worthy of any effort which the actor can make on its behalf, and he who has had experience of them would be an untrustworthy chronicler if he failed, or even hesitated, to bear witness to their intelligence, their taste, and their generosity.—*Henry Irving, in Fortnightly Review.*

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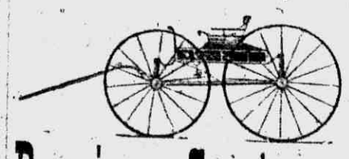

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DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by William M. Clark and Mabel D. Clark, of the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Francis Kingsbury of the town of Deerfield, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, and bearing date November 22d A.D. 1879, to secure the payment of eight hundred dollars and interest annually at 8 per cent., which mortgage was recorded November 26, A.D. 1879, in the Register's office for the county of Lenawee in Liber 99 of mortgages on page 788, and which mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Francis Kingsbury to William K. Choate, of Adrian city Lenawee county, Michigan, by deed of assignment bearing date April 16th A.D. 1883, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county aforesaid in Liber 104 of Mortgages, on page 361 and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and at the date of this notice eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-seven cents ($876.67) and no proceedings in law having been taken to recover the payment of the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, A.D. 1885 at 9 o'clock A.M. of that day at the front door of the circuit court rooms in the city of Adrian, in said county of Lenawee and state of Michigan there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the interest accruing thereon from this date and the costs and expenses allowed by law. Said premises being situate in the town of Deerfield, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and known and described as the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25) in town No. six (6) south of range five (5) east, containing forty acres of land, more or less.

Dated Adrian, January 28 1885.

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Assignee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Henry Burnett, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust claims and demands against the estate of Henry Burnett, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee County, Michigan, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 1st day of May, 1885, and on the 28th day of September, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days, and that six months from the 9th day of March, 1885, have been allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and allowance.

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Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 06 "	4 55 "
Detroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 35 "	9 31 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
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Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 06	3 33	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 31	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 21	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 32	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 33	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 08	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

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	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 40	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 01	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 00	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 06	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P.M.
	9 30	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37
	9 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25
	9 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11
	9 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59
	7 35	10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40
	7 35	P.M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A.M.
	7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15	
	7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09	
	8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52	
	8 21		3 45	Montcalm	11 35	
	8 32		3 53	Fisk	11 27	
	8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21	
	8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10	
	10 10		5 18	Holland	10 10	
			6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00	
	11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	11 35		6 55	Muskegon	8 15	
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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—The Tichborne claimant is exhibiting himself to small audiences in England to earn a living.

—Of the 217 members who in 1821 formed the Paris Geological Society said to be the oldest organization of its kind only one is now living.

—While elephant hunting recently in the Garrow Hills, in Bengal, Lords Arthur and Henry Grosvenor captured eighty-five elephants in three drives.

—It has always been the belief of Mrs. Burton, wife of the well-known traveler, that since England took the Koh-i-noor diamond, proverbial for the bad luck it brings, nothing but disaster has attended all concerning British India.

—A fatal duel, arising from a most trivial cause, is reported from Cologne, where two officers met recently, and, after the exchange of seventeen shots, one of them was mortally wounded, expiring within an hour. The cause of the duel was that one of them put on the other's cap.

—A young Englishman has had his left leg specially exempted from the insurance granted him by several companies, whose losses through the sudden weakness of that limb had led them to be wary in the matter. Hence clauses in his policy provide that he can not recover unless proof is made that his injuries shall not have been caused by the faulty member.

—The *Lancet* says that appetite is a most misleading sensation, only remotely related to the actual demands of the organism. If we only ate more deliberately we should find half our accustomed quantity of food sufficient to satisfy the most eager cravings of hunger, and hence save ourselves from the evil of dyspepsia, or, on the other hand, a tendency to over increase in weight.

—Timber rafts on the Rhine are a notable characteristic of that historic river. A single raft has often eight or ten small houses on it, and from 100 to 500 workmen, rowers and pilots. The vast pile is steered by means of immense oars, and is so constructed as to twist like a huge snake in the narrow channels. The sale of a raft at the end of the voyage often realizes about $150,000.

—Porto Rican ladies, although as dark as mulattos, carry with them to all public places a face powder made from grinding a peculiar shell, and when they think no one is looking their way they give their faces fresh coats of it. Of course the powder shows, but good breeding makes the observer technically blind to the ludicrous combination of black nature and white pulverized shell.

—The increase of the criminal class in England has by no means kept pace with that of the general population. In the fifteen years from 1869 to 1874 the population of England and Wales is augmented by nearly 5,000,000 souls, but the prison population had actually fallen by more than 1,500. If England had gone on producing criminals at the rate at which she was turning them out in 1869, she would have had a prison population in 1884 of something like 14,000, instead of one below 10,000.

—The public baths of Vienna are said to be the finest in the world. The building itself, says the *English Mechanic*, is situated in the heart of the city, and incloses a basin 156 feet in width by 578 feet in length, and varying in depth to twelve feet. The enormous quantity of water contained in this basin is renewed three times a day. The whole establishment has accommodation for 1,500 persons, and is open from May 1st to October 31st, and from five in the morning until dusk. There is also a bath, restricted to ladies, open from nine in the morning until one, and the Vienna ladies are especially good swimmers.

THERMAL LEVELS.

How Discrepancies in Thermometer Marks May Be Explained.

The general fact that the temperature of the air varies with different levels above the earth's surface has long been recognized. Meteorologists tell us that there is usually a fall of one degree Fahr. for every 300 feet of a cent above the sea level, with certain variations for local causes. We may call this a meteorological thermal fluctuation, and it is always marked by a fall of temperature with increased elevation. But there is an equally important change of temperature in the opposite direction, of great importance to the farmer and fruit-grower, namely, a loss of temperature as we descend into valleys. In early years I was a country doctor, and had to take many a long ride in the night. The road passed from a high bluff into a deep valley, with another bluff on the opposite side. When the air was still I could detect by the change of temperature the transition from the warm air of the bluffs to the chilly air of the valley. It was like passing into a cold stream of water, and the change was equally abrupt on passing into the warm air on the opposite bluff.

I appreciate the fact that one's feelings can hardly be accepted as a reliable test of temperature, and that a thermometer is better than a sensation to furnish reliable physical data. "The temperature of the open air" for any given locality, and for the same time, is supposed by most persons to be a definite and uniform quantity. If two persons in the same neighborhood report different temperatures for the same hour, it is supposed that such difference must arise from a difference in the correctness of the thermometers, or some accidental variation of exposure, it being assumed that the "temperature of the open air" for a given locality and identical time would be the same. Many persons suppose it is a very simple thing to determine the temperature of the open air; it is only necessary to hang the thermometer outdoors till it has reached a point of no fluctuation and then read off the temperature by the thermometer scale. But when trial is made even with thermometers that compare favorably with each other under identical conditions, a marked discrepancy is often observed in places of near neighborhood.

This is especially true if the thermometers are at different levels and there is no wind. We treat of air under the head of pneumatics, whereas it sometimes comes rather under the head of hydraulics, for *cold air flows in currents the same as fluids*. In the absence of wind which mixes up the strata of air of different temperatures, and consequently of different specific gravity, the cold air of the night will flow in streams and gather in ponds or lakes the same as water. Under such circumstances the temperature will vary with the level, and the subject of thermal levels becomes a matter of importance. I have made many observations to determine the difference of temperature with slight differences of elevation. An open air thermometer hangs at the north door of my laboratory, adjusted to avoid accidental variations of temperature. A ravine runs through the college lawn near the laboratory. A thermometer was placed in the ravine 150 feet from the one by the laboratory door and twenty-five feet below its level. In very cold weather, when the air was very still, I have occasionally seen the thermometer in the ravine mark eight degrees below the thermometer at laboratory door.

During the cold weather of last month I again examined the relative temperature at these two points, selecting mornings with little wind for such observations and reached the following results:

February 21, at 6:45 a. m., laboratory....—15°
February 22, at 6:45 a. m., ravine.....—20°
February 23, at 5:45 a. m., laboratory....—5°
February 23, at 6:30 a. m., ravine.....—20°

A slight breeze with velocity of two miles an hour was blowing on both mornings. The lowest temperature on the preceding nights at my meteorological station (about forty rods distant and on higher ground than the laboratory) was 14 deg.

February 24, at 6:30 a. m., laboratory....—1°
February 24, at 6:30 a. m., ravine.....—4°

I then carried the thermometer from the ravine and hung it by the side of the one at the laboratory, and they soon marked the same temperature—1 deg. I carried the thermometer ("Green's Standard") back to the ravine and placed it about two feet lower, and in the narrow channel of the ravine, and it soon reached 5 deg. The minimum temperature at my station for the night was 4 deg.

These investigations show that thermal levels, or marked changes of temperature with slight differences of elevation, are facts of great importance to the farmer and fruit-grower where the difference of a few degrees of temperature makes the difference between success and failure. A very intelligent fruit-grower in the Traverse region had on his farm a long narrow valley of sandy soil which descended somewhat rapidly into another deeper valley below; about half way down this upper valley was a bank or dam of sand cutting across the valley like a mill-dam across a stream. The soil being a warm quick sand was cultivated, and good crops secured save in the air pond above the dam. No frost troubled the crops in other parts of the valley. Tiring of this dam and weary of the frosts he removed the dam and opened up the valley for its full length. He had no more frosts in his former frost pond, the aerial torrent now left its frost marks in the lower part of the valley, where the crops had never been troubled before the dam was removed. Aerial drainage is a subject that will demand more attention in the future.—*Dr. Kedzie, in N. Y. Tribune.*

GAS TAR.

Its Value as a Preservative From Attacks of Epidemic Diseases.

The serious outbreak of cholera with which France has recently been visited has caused inquiry to be made as to the extent to which persons engaged in particular manufacturing operations enjoy immunity from or are rendered more susceptible to the attacks of epidemic disease. It has been known almost ever since the establishment of gasworks that the exhalations arising in the various processes of gas manufacture—although, perhaps, not specially pleasing to the olfactory organs—are not detrimental to health, but, on the contrary, highly beneficial in special forms of diseases, such as whooping cough and croup. The extensive use, in throat ailments, of preparations in which some form of carbolic acid figures largely is a testimony to the value of this derivative of coal tar as a therapeutic agent. A recent issue of the *Journal des Usines a Gaz* contains an article in which particulars are given respecting certain investigations made by Dr. Lemaire some years ago into the subject of the influence of coal tar and its derivatives upon the health of the workmen employed in the preparation of these substances. His inquiries were made chiefly in connection with the employes of the Paris Gas Company. He found that those whose duties did not necessitate a prolonged stay in the parts of the works where tar was to be found were liable to all kinds of ailments, and formed a considerable proportion of the number on the sick list; while among the workmen specially occupied with tar, only three were sick in the course of seven years. This result is all the more striking when the number of workmen in the service of the company at the period referred to is considered. There were altogether 20,553 men, of whom 164 were engaged in some occupation connected with tar. Dr. Lemaire also cites the case of the Bayonne gasworks, where the workmen had not only not been attacked by cholera during its prevalence, but generally enjoyed immunity from skin diseases. M. Bouley, a professor at the veterinary school at Alfort, found as long ago as 1860 that gasworks employes escaped during cholera epidemics, and the communication of this fact to Dr. Lemaire, caused him to institute his inquiries into the subject.—*London Iron.*

—A gang of eight men raided the China houses at Huntingdon, Ore., the other day and secured about $2,000 from the inmates, who were forced with halters around their necks to give up their money.

A SURPRISING CHANGE.

With its broad streets and majestic avenues adorned with stately buildings, Detroit is one of the most magnificent cities on this continent. Its new system of electric lighting throws into obscurity all the old methods, and leaves ordinary street lamps where dingy tallow dips used to be. The new lights are on light lattice work towers, 125 to 150 feet high, shedding a radiance which is like intensified moonlight. The effect of this when the city is covered with its white robe of snow, is strangely beautiful.

A gentleman recently spent a day or two in Detroit, pushing his researches to some extent in the direction of finding out as to the new method of curing rheumatism by means of Athlophoros, the remedy which in the last year or two has attained such favor as a victor over this old enemy of the human race. Calling on Mr. E. B. Watson, the well-known superintendent of the American District Telegraph Company, he found that gentleman cheerfully ready to say all the pleasant things he could about Athlophoros.

"My wife," said Mr. Watson, "was suffering terribly from rheumatism; her pains were both in joints and muscles. So excruciating were her agonies when she moved, that sometimes on assuming one position in the morning she would remain in that position all day rather than endure the torment of being moved. I procured a bottle of Athlophoros, and the effect on my wife was as surprising as it was gratifying. We had no idea that any medicine could so speedily remove such an obstinate disease. She was soon cured, and the cure was complete. Since that she has had no return of the disorder. We speak freely among our friends of the good work of Athlophoros, and have no hesitation in saying how highly we esteem it."

Visiting nearly all the leading drug stores in the city, it was found that all who had kept Athlophoros had received from their customers marked commendation of its efficacy. One lady had taken six bottles of it with the result of a complete cure. At Frizelle's, on Michigan Avenue, one of the clerks had taken it with excellent effect. This young man, Mr. Cohen, had suffered greatly with rheumatism. Though surrounded by medicines of every description, they did not reach his case. Mr. Cohen tried Athlophoros, and found that it did for him what nothing else had been able to do.

From Detroit to Chicago is but a day's ride, and in the latter city Athlophoros has also accomplished some wonderful results.

In Chicago, at 905 West Twelfth street, lives, Mr. William W. Summers, of the well-known firm of Summers, Morrison & Co., commission merchants, 174 South Water street. Mr. and Mrs. Summers gave substantially the following facts:

"When Robbie was taken sick some weeks ago we thought at first that it was only an ordinary cold, but it proved to be something much more severe. The pains were evidently those of rheumatism. We wrapped the boy in cotton and gave him a number of the remedies such as are generally given. His agony was dreadful. We had to hold him in the bed, his agony was so great. We had two physicians, who did not succeed in making him any better. The poor child's torture was so intense that he asked for a pistol, so that he might put himself out of the way and thus end his sufferings. When he was at his worst we thought of Katie Gill, who was well known to us, and the medicine that had cured her. We sent to Mr. Gill's to know the name of the medicine and where to get it. They happened to have some left in a bottle—Athlophoros the name is—and they kindly sent it to us. It is surely a very strange and powerful medicine, for it stopped the boy's pain very soon and very effectually. He took but a little of it, for there was only enough for about three doses in the bottle Mr. Gill sent us. This was only a few weeks ago. The boy has had no return of rheumatism. You see him now as hearty and as happy as any other boy."

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It is authoritatively stated that the precentage of short-sighted children in Germany is three to thirty.

Counterfeiting a Valuable Article.

The publisher of the Madison County Record writes from Huntsville, Ark., as to the effect of Brown's Iron Bitters on his wife. Mr. Daugherty says, "My wife has been using the Bitters for some months; the effect in her case is remarkable." He also writes that owing to counterfeits and imitations, it was difficult to get the genuine article. That difficulty has now been remedied; imitators have been exposed and put to flight. There as elsewhere Brown's Iron Bitters can be had of all the respectable druggists at a dollar a bottle.

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Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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Imprudence in diet is one of the prolific sources of disease. We should be especially careful of what we eat nowadays, and in case we do partake of any food that disagrees with us, should be prompt in applying the needful remedies. Mrs. Ariel Whitby, of Canajoharie, N. Y., writes: "I suffered very much from inflammation of the stomach and imprudence in diet. After taking only two bottles of Mishler's Herb Bitters, I recovered. I have not since been troubled either with nausea or vomiting."

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Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

Medical Value of Wines.

As a general rule the use of wine is not necessary for young or adult persons in good health, breathing country air and not exposed to ovarwork. As however life advances and the circulation becomes languid, natural red wine used in moderation, becomes an essential article and in many cases absolutely necessary but it must be the pure product of the grape. And even in the Eastern States the physician meets large numbers of town people, especially women, who cannot digest the food and drinks suited to out-door laboring people. In such cases they resort to the beverage of tea, which gives rise to a distressing dyspepsia. The Wines produced in New Jersey, especially the Burgundy and the Port Grape Wines from Alfred Speer's Vineyards, at Passaic, N. J., are the more reliable and most sought after by those who travelled and know what wines are.

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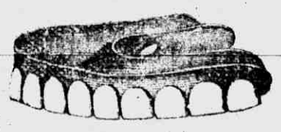

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 1.	No. 7.
Toledo....Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor....At	8 53	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 40	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 52	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville....Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 03	6 2	No. 26.	2 37
Creston....Av	12 00PM	7 40	1 12PM	3 29
Orville....Ar	12 20	8 00	1 42	3 50
Orville....Lv	12 40	8 20	1 43	4 20
Massillon....Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 10
Massillon....Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sheroidsville	.....	6 4PM	6 4PM	.....
Valley Junc....Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 25
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 30AM	6 07	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 35	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta....Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 38	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	.....
Sheroidsville	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 27	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston....Av	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	1
Wellington	2 30	11 32	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 57	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 05	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar. Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	..... Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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OBITUARIES

Entered into rest at her old home in Tecumseh Mich. on Tuesday April 21st, Mrs. Maria L. Spafford. Aged 82 years.

The father of the deceased, Pulaski King came to Tecumseh in the year [illegible] in company with Musgrove Evans, Sheriff Patchin and others and assisted in building the first habitation a brush house near the present site of Hawks' mill in Brownville. In 1827 Mr. King bought of the Government and located at what is now known as the H. W. Manspeaker farm west of the village, and [illegible] to Onondaga Co. N. Y. for a family and was taken sick and died. The old part of the sketch was [illegible] in Tecumseh and received an excellent education for those days at the Rev. Seth Cochran's in Auburn, College Hill, which was her guide through a [illegible] Christian life. She also [illegible] Chas. Spafford in 1830 and [illegible] with George [illegible] where she lived her [illegible] and late single-hood. For [illegible] years she has made time [illegible] her home. She boarded a few [illegible] at Greek Pattern, and [illegible] the struggle for a home [illegible] the same premises. Her life [illegible] in the county in the [illegible] and since that time she has [illegible] a home with her children and [illegible] Lord. She was always delicate in [illegible] organization and [illegible] years previous to her death was practically blind, an affliction which she bore with Christian resignation. She was a woman of lovely spirit and of more than ordinary attainments. [illegible] two sisters, [illegible] the sisters, [illegible] the church in Onondaga Valley N. Y. of which Dr. Lansing was the pastor. She was warmly attached to the Presbyterian church of Tecumseh of which she was a loving member, and in the confinement of her latter years her prayers were constant for its welfare. Though seldom seen except by friends who appreciated her worth, she will be greatly missed and will leave behind her a pleasant memory. Her wish was to be removed from her afflictions and pass the portals of Home in sweet sleep. This wish has been gratified. She leaveth his beloved companion, George Spafford of Tecumseh, and Charles Spafford of Brooklyn, two children who survive the sainted mother. Her two sons, Pulaski and Fred King of Lafayette had died in her native Mississippi. Extensive floral tributes which were sent at the funeral time which occurred at her old homestead in Auburn on Wednesday the 22d. A few pioneers who are still left among us and many of the younger people who enjoyed a personal acquaintance with grandma Spafford, will cherish her memory with reverence and drop a tear with the mourners over her grave. In her domestic relations, as wife, mother, and grandmother she exemplified the traits of a life of self sacrifice and devotion which endeared her to all. At a ripe age she passes from her reward in the affectionate love of family and friends to her higher reward in Heaven. She placed her burden by the wayside for a pillow and laid down to sleep.

"Just as I am—I Come."

On the morning of the 24th inst., at 4 P.M. we were called upon to realize that Mrs. Chas. K. Spafford, who had often sung the words at the head of this article, had really gone—not to call upon some friends of this world—but to mingle with the kind mother who had entered into rest but the short space of three days previous, and many others who had preceded them, to reap their reward.

She was born in Rome township, Lenawee Co., Dec. 12th, 1841, and when but three years old removed with her parents to Raisin, and lived upon the farm known as the Isaac Adams farm, one mile south of Tecumseh, for several years. From thence they moved to the village, and in 1858 she was married to Chas. K. Spafford. They continued to abide in Tecumseh until January 1882, when they removed to Clinton, in which place they have made their home since. Although she was not a communicant of the church, she was an earnest advocate of Christian life and principles, and often grieved that infirmity beyond her control debarred her from the enjoyment attendant upon Christian worship in the house of the Lord.

Her parents were Episcopalians, and she had expressed a desire that the last sad rites be solemnized at that church, which desire was granted, and a large congregation assembled at St. Peters church, Tecumseh, Sabbath day, April 26th, to pay their last tribute to the departed.

During her many years residence in Tecumseh, she had gathered about her the warmest friends. Unassuming in disposition, faithful to husband and children, nuttring in her domestic duties, she filled to the fullest measure the ideal of wife and mother, and endeared herself to all. Her old Tecumseh acquaintances will learn of her demise with the deepest sorrow, and their hearts will beat in sympathy with the stricken family in this hour of their affliction.

Although her home in Clinton had been of short duration, and she had spent much of that time in her own house, many of the citizens had seen her, and but to love and respect her, as was nobly attested through all her trials and suffering, no wish escaping her lips, but was gratified by willing hands prompted by loving hearts, and many sympathized deeply with those who were left to mourn her absence. On many occasions has the power of the arm of flesh been, as in this case, thoroughly tested, and the result the same—the sufferer went on to suffer, till God in his wise Providence most graciously interposed for their deliverance, and they live in a home not made with hands.

Can we forget that Mother's smile of love,
That with angel fondness glows,
Like some stray sunbeam from above,
Upon a budding rose?

The smiles of earth, unto the eye,
Though sweet—can scarce compare,
With those lovely smiles from the sky,
Which tell us, God is there.

A new counterfeit gold coin is said to be in circulation. We shall count over our cash at once and see how many of these coins we have in our possession.

Hudson Gazette: The business men are talking up a scheme for a local "dead beat" list, which will be published in the papers every week, for their mutual protection. The time has come when such a system of publicly exposing those who seek to gain a livelihood by fraud and deception is indispensable to the welfare of the business community.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unclaimed in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, April 24, 1885.

Hawes, [illegible]	Kenny, D. T.
Hartsell, Sidney	Sutherland, Louis
King, Frank	Sherman, Harry
Mallett, Frank	Sanford, George A.
Parkins, Henry	Stone, Rowe
Pope, Sophia F.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples ₩ bushel	@	[illegible]
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Butter ₩ [illegible]	[illegible] @	50
Beans ₩ bushel	[illegible] @	1 25
Buckwheat ₩ bushel	50 @	55
Buckwheat flour ₩ hundred	[illegible] @	3 00
Bran—dressed ₩ hundred	5 00 @	5 00
Beef, sides	5 @	[illegible]
Beef, carcass ₩ ₩	4 @	[illegible]
Corn ₩ ear	25 @	25
Corn—shelled ₩ bushel	@	[illegible]
Corn meal	1 50 @	1 60
Chickens—dressed	@	[illegible]
Eggs ₩ doz	@	12
Flour ₩ barrel	5 50 @	6 50
Hogs—dressed ₩ ₩	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live ₩ ₩	5 00 @	5 75
Hay ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ₩ ₩	@	14
Ham ₩ ₩	@	12
Lard ₩ ₩	@	8
Oats ₩ bushel	32 @	35
Onions ₩ bushel	[illegible] @	40
Potatoes ₩ bushel	40 @	50
Pork ₩ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50 @	1 00
Timothy seed ₩ bushel	@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed ₩ ₩	@	10
Wood ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate, praying that he may pay all the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, that he is ready to close his administration, and praying that his account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr30

ESTATE OF EDWIN B. WOOD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin B. Wood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Harriet E. Wood, widow of said deceased, praying that the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in this court, be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood and Charles Barnes, both of Adrian, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF MARIA BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles J. Brewer, administrator of the estate of said deceased, praying that he may pay the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate, so far incurred, that he is ready to close his final account, and praying that said account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF JAMES P. WILKINS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 27th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Melinda H. Wilkins, surviving executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that Mariah Wilkins, the widow of said deceased, has departed this life, that the provisions of said will cannot be fully executed until the youngest child of said deceased arrives at the full age of twenty-one years, that petitioner does not feel able to have the care of said estate, that the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, have been paid, and praying that her resignation now on file in the court may be accepted, that Alfred Lewis, or some other suitable person, may be appointed administrator of said estate with the will annexed, for the allowance of her final account, and for her discharge.

Thereupon It is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 28th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 28th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 30, 1885.

JOHN G. BOYD,
WILLIAM B. SWICK,
Commissioners.

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A LARGE INCREASE OF PATRONAGE.

We bought our goods very cheap, for money is very "tight," and as we bought for SPOT CASH we can buy fully 25 per cent. cheaper than the ordinary 6 mos. credit buyer.

Anybody in need of Clothing will, after seeing what splendid bargains we are offering,

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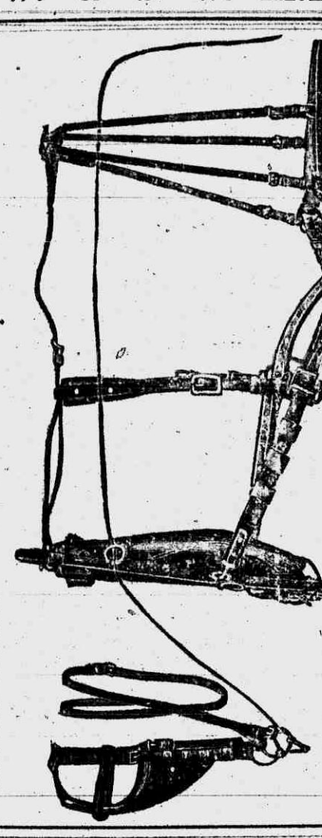

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAFFER.

Mrs. Hattie Johnson and daughter visited Tecumseh friends last week.

Mrs. George Kies and Mrs. Chas. Cummins drove up here from Tecumseh last Sunday.

John Hause has been building a new fence around his lot on Tecumseh street, making a great improvement thereby.

Miss Ella Swift commenced her first term of school last Monday, in the Monaghan district, ten miles west of here.

The opening of Bush and Swift's grocery and meat market was held last Saturday. Many improvements have been lately made on the building and the goods have been arranged in a very neat and attractive manner. Business seems lively with them on the start. We sincerely hope that they will be able to draw a good trade and we know they will not fail to please their customers.

The Sunday School class of Mrs. John T. Clark, will give an entertainment Saturday evening May 9th, at the Town Hall, for the benefit of the Congregational Sunday school. The program will consist of music, shadow pantomimes, scenes from Pickwick papers, etc. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. George Williams met with quite an accident last week while kalsomining at Mrs. Nimock's. He was standing on a step ladder and suddenly growing faint he was unable to keep his balance and fell to the floor, striking on his side, and injuring himself quite severely. He had not been well for several days and attributed the faintness to that. He is now able to work.

Ben Ellis talks of taking a trip to Kansas City Mo. about the middle of this month. We wish him a pleasant journey, but hope the charms of the west will not be so great as to induce him to leave Clinton permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Draper who have been living at Mt. Pleasant, have decided to make Clinton their home. Mr. Draper sold his meat market at the former place about two weeks ago. They will live at Jacob Smith's of whose farm Mr. Draper is to have the management.

Mrs. Lena Weber, of Chelsea, Mich. came here last Sunday to attend her sister's funeral.

Michael Gillen's year old baby came very near dying last week, from having a button hook caught in its throat. It was hooked in one of the tonsils and was there about ten minutes before it could be taken out. Beyond a pretty sore throat for the child and a terrible fright for the parents, the consequences of the accident were not as serious as might have been expected.

John McAdam has been quite sick for a few days. He has decided that being so closely confined in the store was injuring his health; in accordance with which he has left the employ of John Smith & Son and has entered into partnership with Will Muir in the meat business. The new firm commenced operations at E. F. Muir's old stand, last Monday morning. Success to the boys.

The horse race indulged in last Saturday on Tecumseh street, though doubtless highly entertaining to the drivers and lookers-on, was dangerous in the extreme. The participants in their excitment seemed to forget that they were on the main thoroughfare, as it were, and they were in a position not to realize how their sport might end. If they were willing to risk their own lives, other people might not be so anxious to imperil themselves and we feel sure that they would confer a favor upon many, to confine their racing to some less frequented street.

Mrs. Charles Rupp died at her home last Saturday night, after an illness of two weeks. Her death was very sudden, and until a few hours before she died, unexpected. She had seemed to be gaining and on the fair road to recovery, when she was taken worse and in a few hours was a corpse. She leaves a husband and two children, one two years, and the other two weeks old. She had many friends who will deeply mourn her loss. The funeral services were held at St. Dominic's church last Tuesday morning.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

April showers are somewhat late.

The late rains make the wheat and grass look green.

The masons commenced work on Mrs. Hall's house, Monday.

Miss Lydia Ransom spent the sabbath with her folks.

Agent A. J. Sutton went to Pulaski Saturday, to see his friend Frank Butler.

Misses Ella Jackson and Ida Arner, spent Saturday at Adrian.

G. W. Hill shipped a carload of staves last Thursday, to Albany N. Y.

A. W. Slayton, of Tecumseh, shipped a car of baled hay from here Monday.

Chas. Sutton and Chas. Smith have been very sick for the past few days, but are reported on the gain, by the attending physician, R. H. Nelson.

Mrs. Jeff Kennedy, of Raisin, and Mrs. Mary Kennedy, of Tecumseh, visited Mrs. W. H. Arner last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Palmer, of Hillsdale, were with relatives from Saturday until Monday.

Martin Palmer who is attending school at the Hillsdale college was home over Sunday calling on relatives and friends. College life seems to agree with him, as he looks hearty.

Mr. Will Clack will teach the spring term of two months in the Easlick Dist. The school commenced Monday last.

Frank Allen, Agent at Jerome spent Sunday with his uncle and family, Mr. Wesley Pennington, of Macon.

The Ladies church social will be held at the home of the Pres., Mrs. D. W. Loree, next week Friday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all. If you wish to have a pleasant time come out.

Agent Frank Allen, of Jerome, made his folks and friends a call from Friday night until Wednesday. On Saturday night a few of the young folks made him a little surprise and spent the evening very pleasantly.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loree of Fenwick visited their uncle, Dr. D. W. Loree and family, the fore part of the week.

In our correspondence last week we stated that Miss Nettie Wilson would teach the spring term of school in the Easlick district. We were wrongly informed; she will teach in the Darling district.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

W. J. Holdridge is improving very rapidly.

Vern Hoxsie is out again after a severe attack of diptheria.

Robt. Mitchell wife and baby have just recovered from diptheria.

Mrs. Frink is doing well with the exception of some rheumatic trouble for a few days.

Dr. O. D. Ford of Leslie, was the guest of Dr. Begel over Sabbath.

Rev. Chas. Rawson of Adrian preached at Holloway Sunday afternoon and evening.

Dr. Begel received a letter on Monday from the Post Office department stating that he had been appointed Postmaster at Holloway.

Al. Macham has got the roof on his house and is now prepared for rain. When finished it will be one of the finest residences on Macham avenue.

Willis Chatfield has just finished papering and painting his walls which adds decidely to their appearance. Wm. Collins did the work.

MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Howell returned from Lansing last Saturday.

The concert held at the Reform Church last Friday evening was very interesting and reflected much credit on those who took part in the exercises.

Lester Collar is moving his old house preparatory to the building of a new one.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge's sermon last Sunday, on "How to read the Bible," was very instructive, and explained how to avoid many of the difficulties which perplex bible students.

The Sabbath school last Sunday voted to have a concert once every four weeks from next Sunday evening.

Rev. Mr. Kerridge will deliver a lecture on "John Bunyan and the Pilgrim's Progress" at the M. E. church, one week from next Sunday evening. As Mr. Kerridge is an entertaining and instructive speaker, this lecture will, doubtless, be an a literary treat to the people of Macon.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A free show of embroidery and how to make it with the White sewing machine enticed many to visit the Wilcox store on Saturday; but a Gipsy fortune-teller coaxed more money from their pockets than the merchants. If any one believes that faith in necromancy has faded out they had better visit the Plum-brook camp and forsake error. The woman equipped with enormous basket and pink apron, was supposed to carry the keys of fate; by wise and foolish, giddy and grave, and though the ministers did not ask to have past or future read for them, as I know of, they no doubt would but for setting an awful example. Just to hear what kind of story she would get up made many of the faithful toss over their half dollar; but you would imagine them true believers to see their look of anxiety when the wand waved over the love alphabet, and but for the changableness promised to all mankind affirm the whole clique are mismatched. Willingness to pay for being duped was demonstrated to their own and Gip satisfaction.

The usual number of liquor bonds have been accepted, and prosperity which waned with the old year again assured.

TIPTON TOPICS.

The meetings of the Literary Society will be discontinued for the present.

Bert Tuttle has moved from Tipton and now resides in the township of Rome.

Painters and carpenters have greatly improved the appearance of Mrs. Pitcher's hotel this spring; and a fresh coat of paint on Lon. Billington's house and barn makes the premises look neat and inviting.

Thos. Conlin started on Wednesday of last week on a trip through Kansas and other western states. Frank Erskine has returned to Dakota again to spend the summer. W. Perkins recently had a tooth extracted which caused him considerable annoyance and several days indisposition on account of the wound bleeding for hours after the tooth was drawn.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

There will be no preaching at the M. E. Church on Sunday the 17th inst., there being quarterly meeting at Franklin Centre.

C. E. Jessup having purchased the hall and store of A. J. Ayres some time ago has had them, and everything connected, painted in fine style. He also has his store stocked up in a manner worthy of mention and looks as though there was to be a little business done in Springville yet.

The school board has overhauled the library and report it ready for use.

Bishop Harris was at the Junction on Wednesday last.

Farmers are compelled to put off sowing their oats, those that havn't, on account of the recent rains.

The Post Office remains with C. E. Jessup and the subject of removing it receives but little attention.

C. D. Smith has commenced operations on Ira Rogers house, but the weather is delaying his work considerably.

ADRIAN AND ROME SHEEP SHEARING FESTIVAL.

The following is the second annual report of the Adrian and Rome sheep shearing and wool growers exhibition, held at the farm of L. C. Baker, in the Township of Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan, May 1st, 1885.

NAME OF OWNER.	Sex.	Age, yrs.	Wt. Carcass	Wt. Wool.
L. C. Baker	R	2	130	20
" "	R	2	113	19
" "	R	1	68	12
F. I. Kinney	R	2	108	19
" "	R	3	100	19 4
" "	E	2	56	14 12
F. P. Sheeler	R	3	121	36 4
" "	R	2	118	30 8
" "	R	2	96	26 8
E. C. Halsted	R	2	138	21
" "	R	2	135	27 12
Osborn & Wilson	R	3	118	29 12
" "	R	1	80	16
" "	E	1	69	10
" "	E	1		12 8
" "	E	1		10
" "	R	1	59	14
W. J. Osborn	E	2		19 4
" "	R	1	53	12 4
" "	E	2	68	14
" "	E	2	76	16 8
" "	E	1?		11 8
" "	E	3	86	16 8
" "	R	1	67	12 8
" "	E	2	73	15 12
" "	R	3	94	23 4
" "	E	3	91	16
" "	E	2	76	17 12
" "	R	1	67	15
" "	E	1	57	11 12
" "	R	1	61	10
" "	E	3	77	15 8
N. J. Halsted	R	4	127	25
" "	E	1	64	11 8
" "	E	1	70	12 12
" "	E	1	60	13
T. L. Burr	R	2	113	15 4
" "	R	8	123	25 4
H. Wood	E	1	66	12 8
" "	R	1	100	15 12
" "	R	1	98	15 8
" "	E	1	67	12
L. Older	R	6	143	19
B. Short	R	2	101	21
Wes. Reynolds	R	3	110	20
Wm. Hawley	R	4	140	28
E. S. Hawks	R	2	108	16
Wm. Wood	R	5	118	23

Miss Sarah E. Rounds, Detroit's Celebrated Reader and Elocutionist will appear at the Baptist Church, on Friday evening, May 8, in the interest of the Sunday School Library Fund. Come and hear how "Rubie Played," "How the Birds learned to Sing," and about "Surly Tim's Trouble," and other good things too numerous to mention. Also solos by Miss Grace DeWolf, Mrs. Charles E. Gridley and Mrs. C. H. Gainsley. Instrumental music by Miss L. Gowdy and Miss Elida James. Rev W. H. Babbitt says of Miss Rounds: "Her talent is of a high order indeed, and I shall hear her again if possible." Mr. and Mrs. O. W. DeLano say: "Of her talent and graceful reading, too much in praise cannot be said." All who have heard her, say the same. Tickets, 25cts. For sale at Baker & Hall's drug store, and by members of the Sunday School.

LIBERTY ENLIGHTENING THE WORLD.

This new Wonder of the World, which is now being loaded on the French transport Isere for shipment to this country, is the largest statue in the world. Some idea of its magnitude may be obtained from the fact that forty persons found standing room within the head. A six-foot man standing on the level of the lips only just reached the eyebrow. While workmen were employed on the crown of her head they seemed to be making a huge sugar caldron, and they jumped with ease in and out the tip of the nose. Fifteen people might sit around the flame of the torch, which elevation can be reached by a spiral staircase within the outstretched arm.

The London Daily News, in speaking of it, says: "It is out and away the largest statue of modern times. The Colossus of Rhodes was nothing to it. It could carry the 'Bravaria' or the 'Hermann' in its arms. It towers to the skies from the yard of the Rue de Chazelles, where it has been eight years in construction, and the view from its coronet sweeps clear of the six story houses and beyond the walls of Paris."

The weight of this stupendous statue is 440,000 pounds, of which 176,000 pounds are copper and the remainder wrought-iron. It is expected to arrive in New York about the 25th of May, where it will be erected on Bedloe's Island, this being the location selected for it by Gen. W. T. Sherman, who was appointed by the President to make the selection. When placed in position it will loom up 305 feet above tide-water, the height of the statue being 151.2 feet, that of the pedestal 91 feet, and foundation 52.10 feet.

This imposing statue, higher than the enormous towers of the great Brooklyn Bridge or the steeple of Trinity Church, which is the loftiest in the city of New York,—higher, in fact, than any of the colossal statues of antiquity,—by its rare artistic proportions, as well as by its stupendous dimensions, will add another to the Wonders of the World. A word should be said of its artistic merit. The pose, stride, and gesture, with its classic face, are pronounced perfect; the drapery is both massive and fine, and in some parts is as delicate and silky in effect as if wrought with a fine chisel on the smallest scale.

The conception and execution of this great work are due to the great French sculptor, M. Bartholdi, who has devoted eight years of his life and most of his fortune to this great work, and whose generous impulses, which must be on a scale commensurate with this noble work, prompted him to make such a gift to the United States. The committee in charge of the construction of the base and pedestal for the reception of this great work are in want of funds for its completion, and have prepared a miniature statuette, an exact counterpart of the original, six inches in height, the figure being made of bronze, the pedestal of nickel silver, which they are now delivering to suscribers throughout the United States for the small sum of $1 each. Aside from its being a lasting souvenir of this colossal statue, it will ornament our homes and bear testimony that we have contributed to the completion of one of the grandest works of modern times. All remittances should be addressed to Richard Butler, Secretary, No. 33 Mercer Street, New York. The committee are also prepared to [redacted] model, in same metals, twelve inches in height, at $5 each, delivered.

We feel assured our people will be only too eager to testify their greatful sense of the friendliness of this magnanimous offer on the part of the French people, and to reciprocate the kindly and liberal sentiments in which it originated, by thus aiding in an active prosecution of the labors that may be required to give the statue an appropriate base and pedestal. Now is the time to do it. Whoever wishes to have the honor and pleasure of contributing to the erection of the grandest statue of any age, to say nothing of the sentiment that should be welcomed and encouraged, must act promptly, for the money will be raised as sure as the sun rises. Every subscriber sending $1 will be supplied with a miniature counterpart of this great and imperishable statue of "Liberty Enlightening the World"

Hudson Gazette: Henry Howd has sold his Banker colt to Charlie Warner, of Elyria, Ohio, for $325. This fine Equine is a dark bay, five years old, and of excellent action. He has never been hitched to a sulky, but can show a 50 gait without much effort. He displays such fine stepping qualities that his career will be confined to the trotting course, and his friends wouldn't be surprised to see him rank among the best trotters ere many moons. He was bred on Clint. Blackmer's farm, in the township of Cambridge, this county. He was sired by Banker Rothchild's, dam by Royal George.

Banker Rothchilds is still owned by Frank Silyers of this village. His colts are scattered all over this section of the state; and the most of them are developing into splendid horses.

A decision of the supreme court, handed down, last week, decided the tax law to be unconstitutional. The court was equally divided on the matter, which affirms the adverse decree of Judge Chambers, of the Wayne circuit. The legislators have taken action on the matter and in accordance therewith the auditor general has ordered the suspension of the tax sales for this county.

Thousands are being cured of Constipation by using Cheney's Stomach and Liver Regulator. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 7, 18[illegible]

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THE LOST I. O. U.

Punishment, Though Long Delayed, Did Finally Come.

Some men seem to take a morbid pride in whatever promises to be unfortunate for them, and a most sure way of proof positive to the rule that Charles Day seemed on regarding Jonas Terry as his friend. There was nothing a moment between the men on a date for Josie Merritt, and such a circumstance is generally conducive to friendly feeling.

Charles had many talents and a good trade and a fine prospect. Jonas kept his face and his after some good military fashion, his features were small and commonplace, and he had a short, stumpy figure. Their mental differences were quite as great. Charles was rapid and bright, Jonas slow and secretive. Charles was affectionate and prodigal, Jonas saving and penurious and knowing how to make a penny at every winning one for himself. Both were young men of some fortune and position, and Jonas alone was a miser. Charles lived upon the rents of his property and believed the time to come when a present and to Josie Merritt a gift in kind.

One evening, a few days before the wedding, Jonas Terry and Charles Day were in the library of the latter's house. They had been discussing some business matters and Charles said:

"Jonas, I'm out of pocket at present, and I want you to let me have a little money."

"How much do you want?"

"About twelve thousand."

"What for?"

"Why, you see, I would put the use of it to a good account. In fact, ten thousand now might be worth fifty thousand to me."

Charles walked to the secretary and taking a roll of bills counted out the amount in bills and handed them to his friend, saying:

"Just give me your I. O. U. for two months after date. Will that be long enough?"

"You don't mean this, Charles?"

"Why, yes, I do, old fellow. It is not much of a business after all. You see, Merritt paid me my quarter's rents to-day and I shall be able to spend all before the quarter is over. I keep the money where I can get at it. In two months I shall be out of funds, and in the height of the season. It is a piece of luck to secure ten thousand for a clearing up in September."

"Take your money, Charles. I will accept the loan with pleasure, and if you should need it before, why, just drop me a line. I shall be out of trouble long before September."

The young man then drew a pen and some paper toward him, wrote out the "I. O. U." and handed it to his friend, observing, as he did so: "Allow me to say, Charles, that it is foolish to keep so much money here. Put it with your banker."

"Certainly. Merritt paid me this afternoon. It was so hot when he left I thought I would not go down-town until the morning. There is no danger. Nobody but you and Merritt and myself knows anything about it."

Then he folded the I. O. U., glanced at it, and rose to put in his secretary, but as he was crossing the room Jonas said: "I heard to-day that Josie Merritt is to marry Louis Lacheseis."

In an instant the young man's thoughts were diverted from his money affairs. He was much excited at the information, refused to believe it, and went over and over, with a passionate earnestness, his reasons for being certain that such a thing could not be.

"Why," he kept repeating, "I have known her ever since she was a little bit of a girl. I carried her books to school; I went with her to the dancing class; her father has been my lawyer and adviser. I have been as much at home in Merritt's house as in my own. Pooh! the thing is impossible. Josie never would treat me like that. I won't believe it."

"Go and ask her a straightforward question."

"I can't. It is too late to-night, and I leave by the noon train to-morrow. I intended to have that matter fully understood this summer, but I was in no hurry. A love affair is all spoiled when papa and mamma and the lawyer and the world come into it. I have told Josie that, and she and I understand [illegible]

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"Jonas! You could not be such a scoundrel! You are joking of course."

"Mr. Day, I request you to leave my office at once, or I am not to be held for what I may do in my rage. I am sure you."

Then Charles struck the scoundrel, and there was such an uproar of words and blows that the police were called in, and the affair became sufficiently public, and indeed went into the courts. Of course Charles got the worst of it every way. He had no parcels of evidence to show for his claim, he was fast, fashionable and extravagant, while Jonas was universally spoken of as "methodical and reliable." Society turned the cold shoulder toward him, and mothers forbade their daughters to ride in his company or accept him for a partner in the dance. "But then," as Mrs. Merritt shrewdly said, "his engagement to our Josie has just become known."

It was remarkable that after this quarrel Jonas Terry's business grew with an amazing rapidity. Perhaps the saving of that ten thousand had been the turning-point of his fortune. We all know now the want of a five-dollar bill can sometimes lose us an amount amazingly disproportionate. Socially, too, his success was very great. He married a beautiful, stylish woman, who fully shared his antipathy to the Days, and who never lost an opportunity of mortifying them; and social slights are bitter enough to those whose whole life turns upon social success. In fact Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Terry, with their grand house and exclusive entertainments, and fine turn-out, were the Mordecai sitting in the gate of all Charles' and Josie's happiness.

Many a time the two had gone together over everything in the room, taken every book from the shelves, and examined every crevice in the cases, but all in vain. The I. O. U. was evidently lost, and Charles said, after every fresh search and disappointment, "No use, Josie, I tell you everything goes against honor and virtue. If you want to be pointed out as a pattern of all excellencies you must be in secret a natural and practical villain."

So the years went by—fifteen of them. The I. O. U. was not forgotten. They lived in a society where people have little else to do but remember the antecedents of its members, and Charles Day and his wife very often felt the influence of Jonas' accusation. The two men never spoke. If they passed each other on the drive, Jonas cracked his whip offensively, or Mrs. Terry looked scornfully at the shrinking couple, but [illegible]

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In the cabin, O my darling!
Think not bitterly of me,
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IX. That no man appointed to waite at my table be abfent that meale without reafonable caufe, on paine of 1d.

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XVII. That no man weare foule fhirt on Sunday, nor broken hofe, or fhoes, or doublett without buttons on paine of 1d.

XVIII. That when any ftranger goeth hence, the chamber be dreft up againe within 4 howers after, on paine of 1d.

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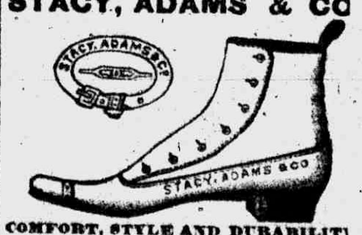

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Adrian Press: Jerome Becannen, of Clayton, is the owner of a cub bear, sent him by express, by his brother, Paris Becannen. It is expected the cub will soon become a great favorite in Clayton society.

About forty or fifty cranks assembled at Corruno, Me., on the night of the 29th, draped in white robes, kept their eyes open all night and waited all next day to be taken to Heaven. At last accounts they were still on earth.

THE OLDEST WHITE SETTLERS.

Mr. S. B. Knapp writes to the Detroit Free Press from Blanchard, Mich., under date of May 1st, as follows:

In your issue of Saturday, April 18, you speak of the late Mrs. Sopharina Brigham as probably being the oldest living white resident of the State of Michigan, and that she came into the Territory in 1829. I write to put in a prior claim, being one of the four in one family that are now living and enjoying this beautiful State, who came into it in April 1826, fifty nine years ago and settled on the southwest quarter of section seven, town three north, of range eleven east, then called the Township of Oakland, now Avon, on the road from Pontiac to Rochester. Abner Knapp, my father, bought his land in February, 1824, and his deed is signed by James Monroe, President. My parents with three children, came up Lake Erie in a sail vessel and made the trip from Buffalo to Detroit in the short time of seven days.

We beg leave to put in a prior claim in favor of Tecumseh. Ezra F. Blood came to this village with the Musgrove Evans first pioneer party in June 1824, has lived here ever since, and is still in the enjoyment of good health. Mrs. Tilton and Mrs. Webster, sisters of the late Col. Spofford, came to Tecumseh with their father's family in July 1824, about 4 weeks after the original party. They enjoy good health and we hope they may remain with us for many years yet.

"SENTIMENTAL IMPRISONMENT."

It is said that Tom Navin is to have luxurious quarters fitted up for him in the state prison at Jackson. This intelligence will not be very favorably received by those who favor a vigorous and impartial administration of justice. There is no reason why Navin, who has violated the laws and outraged the confidence reposed in him by friends, should be pampered and petted, while some poor friendless devil is subject to the extreme penalty of the law. This modern tendency towards condoning crime in high places is one of the discouraging signs of the times.—Lansing Journal.

Commenting on the above, under the caption given to these extracts, the Detroit Evening Journal has the following:

The Lansing Journal, with some just strictures, gives circulation to a report that Navin, the imprisoned ex-mayor of Adrian, is to have his quarters in state prison fitted up luxuriously. It is understood that this will be done, of course, at his own expense, just as Boss Tweed fitted up his jail apartments, and Ferdinand Ward has more recently furnished his. The custom has become so common that when Fish, of the Marine bank, was put in a common cell the fact was thought to be of sufficient consequence to telegraph all over the country.

It is the defaulters who generally have money to spend in this way, and who are allowed so to spend it. A prison to them is nothing more than a house of detention. Penalty for crime becomes nothing more than restraint, under pretty free conditions. Punishment is a misnomer for such confinement. The criminal, who, by virtue of his social position, and confidence reposed in him, and his intelligence, should be held the most rigorously accountable for his misdeeds, is spared as much as possible. The law holds him responsible, but its officers virtually say to him: "Because there were exceptional reasons why you should not have offended the law we will do everything we can to shield you from its exactions." We did not suppose that Warden Hatch was actuated by this kind of sentimentality. We are loth to believe that he will permit the Michigan state prison to be turned into a club house for rich criminals. If he is a man to permit this thing there are a good many people in this state who would like to know it.

DEATH OF SUMNER F. SPOFFORD.

The deceased was born in Jeffrey, N. H. May 11, 1808.

The father of Col. Spofford came to Tecumseh with his family in July 1824, being one of the second party of pioneer settlers who came to this village, and located the eighty acre lot, which constitutes the east half of the old Dr. Patterson farm.

Sumner Spofford spent his minority with his father, and in 1830 drove the first stage that ever moved west of Tecumseh. In 1836 he was elected constable of Tecumseh, and during 12 years following he successfully held the offices of deputy sheriff, under sheriff, sheriff, and deputy U. S. marshal of Lenawee county. He removed to Adrian in 1843. In 1853 he became a conductor on the Michigan Southern & Northern Indiana road between Toledo and Chicago, which position he held till 1855. In Sept of that year he removed to DesMoines, Ia., and became the half owner in the DesMoines House, paying therefore $7,500. He subsequently purchased the remaining interest for $9,500 and conducted the hotel till 1862. He then rented the property for several years, but disposed of the same about two years ago, and then took up his residence in Tecumseh. In the spring of 1864 he was elected mayor of DesMoines and was for twelve years one of the directors of the State agricultural society, and became successively its vice-president and president. In addition he served as secretary and treasurer of the DesMoines school board. Among other public positions which he held in Iowa, were those of member of the immigration commission, and member of the Iowa centennial commission. He was also a director in the Citizen's national bank of DesMoines. At one time he owned considerable stock in the Iowa State Register, one of the leading newspapers of that state. Mr. Spofford was married in 1836, to Miss Emeline E. Bixby, daughter of David and Laura Bixby, of Adrian, by whom there were three children, Charles S., Ellen Eliza and Laura E., all of whom preceded their father in death. His wife died in July, 1878, and he was then left a widower and childless. Few men of the county have led a more honorable and successful career than Sumner Spofford, whose ability and energy assisted to lay the foundation of the present prosperity of Lenawee.

In February 1881, Col. Spofford was united in marriage to Harriet E. Wright, relict of the late Moses Wright, and for two years thereafter he continued to reside in Des Moines. In Sept., 1883, having disposed of his property there, he took up his permanent residence in Tecumseh, and was one of our most honored citizens until the day of his death. During his recent residence here he has been in poor health most of the time and hence formed but few acquaintances, but the few old settlers among us who knew him in the olden time, and the those of the younger generation who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, regarded him as one of nature's noblemen. He was, in every sense of the word, an honest man, the noblest work of God.

Among his immediate family friends who are left to mourn his departure, are his widow Harriet E. Spofford, two sisters—Mrs. W. W. Tilton, formerly Mrs. Bissell, and Mrs. Webster, both of whom live in Tecumseh—and one brother, McKensie Spofford, who lives at Napoleon, Ohio.

After a lingering attack of typhoid fever, his spirit took its flight to the Father who gave it on Monday, April 27th. A brief funeral service was held at his home on Tuesday morning at seven o'clock, and the remains were then transferred to DesMoines, Iowa, for final burial.

The funeral services at DesMoines took place on Wednesday afternoon, April 29. We gather a partial account of these final rites from the Iowa State Register of April 30th.

Since Col. Spofford retired from active participation in the affairs of the city and the county, the population has increased so wonderfully that he had come to be almost a stranger here, except among the old settlers and early acquaintances, who would of course never cease to remember him. His absence from the city for the past two or three years and the great number of people who have come to DesMoines in that time, tended to make the observance of the funeral services less general than at first one would suppose they would be, for a man who in former years was so prominent in the city. A great many of his old friends, however, attended the service at the church and assisted by their presence, and in other ways, in the last sad rites. The procession from the undertaking establishment to the church was quite imposing. The following were the bodies in line:

Detachment police force.
Detachment Fire Company.
Old Settlers.
Hearse and pall bearers.
Ex-Mayors of the city.
Mayor and City Council.
Ex-Councilmen.
County officials.

There were about sixty of the old settlers in the procession, and in all about one hundred and twenty-five men were in the line, and all of the offices in the county were represented. It was a quiet and a feeling tribute that these men paid to the memory of one who was so active in other days, in building up the material interests of the city and the county.

The procession left Mr. Harbach's place at 3:30 o'clock and reached the Episcopal church on the corner of 9th and High streets about four o'clock. The remains were taken to the altar, the procession being led by Dr. Van Antwerp, rector of the church, who repeated, in accordance with the Episcopal ceremony, "I am the resurrection and the life," etc. The beautiful ceremony of the church was then given in full, the large congregation uniting in the responses. The sermon by Dr. Van Antwerp was full of sympathy for the bereaved, a touching appeal to all present to be "likewise ready." He preached from 1st Corinthians, 15th chapter, 20th verse: "But now is Christ risen from the dead and become the first fruits of them that slept."

The rector recited many of the virtues of the departed man and paid a tribute to him for his early work in DesMoines, for his great generosity in helping to build up the city. He said there was something touching in the fact that one who helped to lay the foundation of the Episcopal church in this city, should be the first to be buried from the new church which he had in fact helped to build. The rector spoke especially of the great number of men and women before him whose locks are also silvered with the gray which tells that their days are being fast numbered. They were called together, he said, to do honor to the memory of one of their own number, who had lived more than his three score years and ten, and who had fallen by the way fully ripe and ready for the great harvest.

The following tribute to the deceased was written by Dr. Shafer, of Keokuk, and published in the Register. It is so tender and truthful, being the heartfelt words of a life long personal friend, that we cannot more fitly close this imperfect record, than by transfering it to our own columns.

KEOKUK, Iowa, April 28, 1885.—Editor State Register:—To-morrow the people of Iowa bury the body of Sumner F. Spofford. You of the city of Des Moines have a nearer claim than the thousands in all Iowa who knew him and who loved him. So let us who are far away help you to bury him. No man was more widely known, more held in affection than he. Those of us who came to Iowa thirty years ago recall his grand presence, his noble character, his great will, his every virtue. We loved him. He was friend and brother and helper to all who came within the circle of his influence. It is well that he desired that the old settlers should have charge of his funeral. He lived in the ideal of his old friends, and he loved them even as they loved him. No nobler soul ever went forth into the unknown. Who ever heard Col. Spofford speak an evil word of any man? Who ever came to him for aid and went away without hope and blessing? Who ever spent a dollar more royally? Who can say that he ever oppressed any man, woman or child on the face of the earth? Not one! He was grand in his public life. Some knew him best in the State Agricultural Society. In all those years of struggle and triumph, of failure and success, he was a man of firm decision and most excellent judgment. His word was law, because it was sanctified by truth, and free from all personal motive of preferment. We loved Sumner F. Spofford. Love is the word. We have eaten salt with him at his table and at our own, and a hint of treachery in his life, or of insincerity in his acts, was never once entertained. He was a man all over. Many of his letters attest the greatness of his manhood. He did not know how to do a mean thing.

But, in his home, where all the virtues shown forth, he was best known. Valorous and faithful in his work for the public, he was sublime in the duty which ever made his home a blessing. Don't you remember how he watched and worked when his son Charlie lingered on the edge of death—for long weary months? Not a word of complaint ever came from the lips of that grand old father, Col. Spofford. Don't you remember his devotion to the little granddaughter? Good God, how he loved that little invalid; and how he gave his soul for her recovery. All the stars in the sky, all the flowers that blush in the valley, all the leaves that flash in the glad sunlight, were not so beautiful to Col. Spofford as that crippled granddaughter! How he nursed her day and night, how he moaned and prayed and worked and employed the highest skill for her recovery! And when death—a sweet relief—came to her, then was the soul of the grand man bowed down in grief, and only the comfort of Christ gave him release.

Who has been more moderate in success than Col. Spofford; who more patient in adversity than he? Who more forgiving, more lenient, more gentle than he? Not one

Others to-day will speak of him from many standpoints. A certain intimacy with him reveals the fact that he had faith in God and in the immortality of the soul. That was his creed. He had no fear of death. He said more than once that in the litany when it came to the prayer, "From sudden death, Good Lord deliver us," he kept his soul still. I want to die at my work, on the street, in my office, at once, without any warning, actively engaged doing good to somebody." That was his inspiration. As often as the Register has come these few weeks telling us that Sumner had typhoid fever, so often has come his oft repeated wish that he should die suddenly, while at his allotted task in doing what he could that the world might be better for his having lived in it. Grand old man! grand in the past, grand in the possibilities of the future life. Proud manhood that has gone back to God who gave it! Sumner F. Spofford has gone from us, but he leaves a memorial more lasting than all monuments of brass or marble—a sacred memory of a man who loves truth and honor and righteousness above all other riches.

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Col. Eldredge went to Washington last week.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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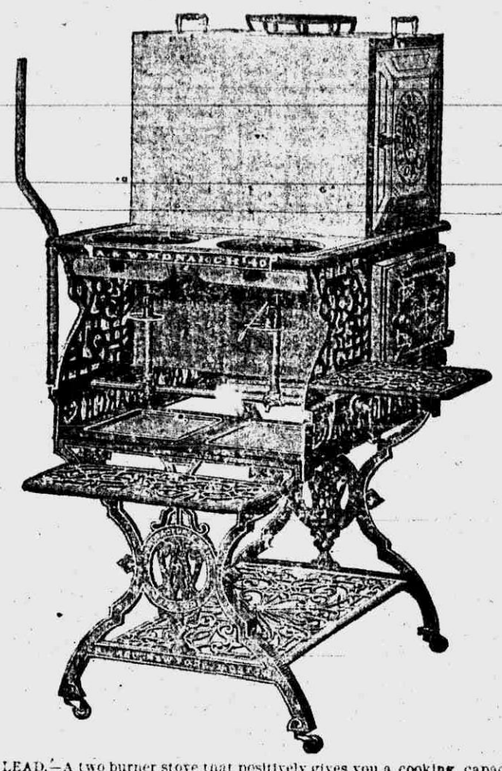

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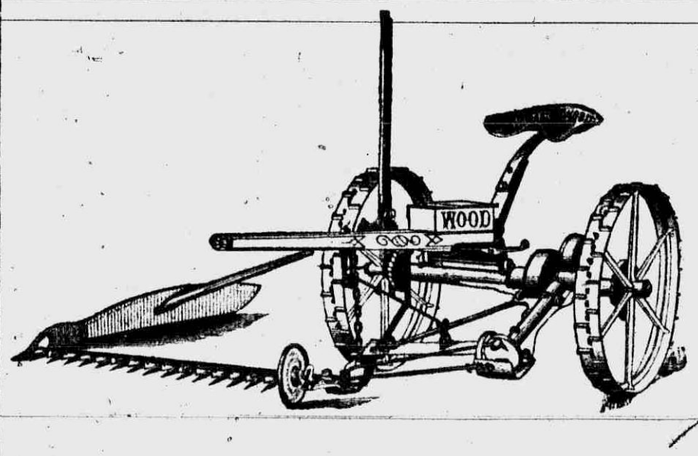

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April 30, 1885. WM. CANNON.

FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKING.—Having leased the rooms over Miss Hough's millinery establishment, we would respectfully announce to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that we are prepared to do dressmaking in all the latest and most approved styles. Cutting and fitting a specialty.

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SOLOMON SMITH'S WILL.

Case Now on Trial in the Circuit Court.

Years ago, we do not know how many years ago, there settled in Ridgeway, at the head of the prairie commonly known in the days past as "Baxter's" prairie, two brothers who were Englishmen. They were large land holders and owned, it is variously stated, from six hundred to nine hundred broad acres of land which they cultivated and grazed. Their names were George and Solomon Smith. They were bachelors and dwelt in one house, and were men of hermit-like characters. Some of the cattle in their herds were known to attain the age of nine years before sale, and to capture them necessitated a resort to the corral. Their wheat also was sometimes allowed to remain in the stacks for years, a prey to time and the rats.

The Smiths never married, that being an agreement between them. About the year 1859, however, as appears by the evidence in the trial, the brothers secured the services of a woman named Unice Covell to be their housekeeper. Through various dispensations, both human and divine, Mrs. Covell had been several times married. In the course of time, after engaging with the Smiths as housekeeper, Mrs. Covell became the mother of a child, of the paternity of which there was much obscurity. It was generally accredited to Solomon Smith, the younger of the bachelor brothers. Later Mrs. Covell had trouble about her wages and sued the Smiths. During the suit it transpired in some manner that Solomon had admitted the child of Mrs. Covell to be his, which was the first intimation to that effect the elder brother had of it. At the conclusion of the suit, Solomon, the testimony goes, announced his desire to formally declare the child (a girl) to be his in the presence of witnesses and to make a will, bequeathing her his entire property at his death. Alonzo Carter, a country squire, drew the will, which was signed and witnessed. Mrs. Covell, who is in court, testifies that the transaction took place at the home of her mother and that the will was placed by Smith in the old lady's hands for safe keeping. Sometime later during a severe sickness the old lady, believing herself about to die, in the presence of witnesses passed the will over to Mrs. Covell. At a still later period a fire occurred in which Mrs. Covell testifies that the will was destroyed. On the testimony of living witnesses, however, the will of Solomon Smith was duly probated. Whether the elder brother, George, was cognizant of the action of Solomon in the bequest of his property we do not know. However at his death he left all his property to Solomon and under the terms of the will of the latter, by which all his property at his death should be inherited by the daughter by Mrs. Covell, the said daughter would become heir to the estate of George as well; this, of course, provided that the trial establishes the validity of Solomon Smith's will. It is on testimony that Solomon, before he died, was asked if he had satisfactorily arranged for the heirship of his property, and he replied that he had and that he referred to the will in favor of the girl Hattie.

The contestant's side of the case has not yet been reached. The estate involved is very considerable and a stubborn contest is waged at every step of the trial. A formidable array of legal talent is in the field, Millard & Weaver, C. A. Stacy and Fred Wood, conducting the case for the contestants and C. R. Miller, "administrator with will annexed," and Bean, Underwood & Lane for the proponents.

The litigant most interested in the result of the trial is the would-be heir, Hattie, now Mrs. Gifford, who is in court and is a lady of prepossessing appearance and evident intelligence. —Record.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 7, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Prof. Morris's troupe of trained dogs exhibit this evening at the Opera House.

Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd have a few words to say about the monarch gasoline stove this week.

You can get every thing in the line of Millinery for about one half price at the new store in Adrian.

Don't brag about the worth of your property this time of year. The assessors have secret emissaries searching for such knowledge.

Thomas Wyrill, Janitor of the School, has been laid up with rheumatism since last Monday. He has put a man in his place temporarily.

Remember Miss Sarah E. Round's select readings at the Baptist Church to-morrow evening for the benefit of the Sunday School library fund.

The Owl Club rooms have been newly papered and painted this week, and the boys now have one of the handsomest rooms of that kind in town.

A Monroe lad stole a pair of pants that he might make a respectable appearance at Sunday school. An irreligious judge sent him up for 30 days.

"What is it that determines a girl's popularity in society?" asks a contemporary. In nine cases out of every ten it is the size of the father's bank account.

It is encouraging to note the large number of improvements contemplated and going on all over the town which give employment to worthy mechanics.

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The County Horticultural society met yesterday at Adrian. The attendance was small, owing to the rain, and President Woodward went home on the noon train.

The old lady who asked for a gold ring sixteen parsnips fine, was probably related to the elderly gentleman who said his daughter was attending the conservatory of music.

On account of his rapidly failing health during the past few weeks, Mr. C. J. Brewer started for the Hot Sulphur Springs, Arkansas, to-day, accompanied by A. L. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wolcott have removed from Adrian back to Tecumseh, where they expect to reside in the future. They have taken rooms in the house of the late Rev. E. N. Nichols.

The members of the Universalist parish, who feel interested in the organization af a Sunday School, are requested to meet at the church next Sunday morning, at eleven o'clock, for that purpose.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman has received her spring and summer millinery goods, containing all the late styles of hats, bonnets and trimmings, which she offers at very low prices. Call and price these new goods.

The Young Folks literary society met at the M. E. church last Friday evening. The attendance was good and a very creditable program was presented. The society is getting into good working condition now and should be liberally patronized by all our young people.

Mrs. Betts, a daughter of Wm. Bresie's, went to Cleveland last week to have a tumor removed. The patient did not survive the operation. Her remains were brought here on the Tuesday night train and the funeral services were held at Mr. Bresie's residence this afternoon.

The "Industrial School for Girls" at Adrian now has one hundred and sixty inmates, and forty-four are out on tickets-of-leave, i. e., allowed to live in good families as a test of their supposed reformation. The Legislature has been asked to appropriate the sum of $19,000 for the building of a new cottage.

Prof. Hubbard gave a free lecture on elocution last Saturday evening at the M. E. church and organized a class in vocal culture. The class meet each afternoon and evening at the M. E. church. A large number have enrolled themselves as members. They are well pleased with Prof. Hubbard's methods of instruction, and are progressing finely.

The new Millinery and Ladies furnishing goods house just opened in Adrian, from N. Y. in the old stand of Conklin & Foster next door to Stebbins' furniture store is doing a tremendious business. The prices are so low that every one is rushing there to get a new bonnet or hat at about one half the price they have been in the habit of paying.

Harry Bartlett, of Adrian was in town last Sunday.

The Deerfield broomstick factory has begun business.

Chas. Eldridge of Dundee, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Morenci has let the contract for a new village hall to cost $3,481.

Adrian is happy once more. They had a big dog show last Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Finlay Deuel were visiting friends in town the first of the week.

John Orr says he has the finest colt in the State of Michigan, and it is only three days old.

Mr. Henry Bowen, of Adrian, was visiting friends in Tecumseh last Saturday and Sunday.

P. W. Adams closed his Tecumseh visit and departed for his Delaware home yesterday afternoon.

Frank Wilson was home last Monday. He has been in Jackson this spring working at his trade. He returned to that place Tuesday.

We call attention of our readers to the new advertisement of J. R. Hialey in another column. He is now agent for the celebrated Lansing Lumber Wagons.

We took supper at the Lilley House on Tuesday evening last and were pleased to notice that there were thirty-two persons seated at the different tables.

Mr. Otho Haywood left his designs for transfering with Miss Frank Aten. Those wishing to obtain them are requested to call at her residence, one door east of the Presbyterian church.

Considerable excitement was caused last Saturday afternoon by a man from the country, named Church, falling down in a fit, on Chicago street. It was at first thought he would be a fit subject for the undertaker, but he revived in the course of an hour sufficiently to be taken home.

This evening Prof. Morris, with his company of trained dogs and ponies, appears at the opera house. The indications are that this troupe of artists will appear to the largest audience of the season. It seems as though every child in town was under contract to be on hand, and meant to fulfill.

Adrian Press: Miss Nellie Hartwell, from Santa Ana, California, is visiting among her old acquaintances in Lenawee, where she lived till a few years since. She will be remembered as an accomplished elocutionist, and a young lady of rare accomplishments. She is the guest of Mrs. W. S. Wilcox.

The Tecumseh Cornet band favored our citizens with some street music last Monday evening. They executed several difficult pieces in a very creditable manner. The boys have improved very much in their playing during the past three months, and seem to be determined to make a first class band.

The Japanese Fair at the Presbyterian church parlors last Thursday evening was interfered with somewhat by the rainy night but was nevertheless a success. A fine array of Japanese curiosities was on exhibition, and a good literary and musical program was presented. The entertainment was well worth the price of admission and a handsome sum was realized.

There are now 714 men in the State Prison, 311 of whom are in for less than 5 years; 107 are in for 5 years, 22 for 6 years, 31 for 7 years, 23 for 8 years, 80 for 10 years, 46 for 15 years, 18 for 20 years, 12 for 25 years, 5 for 30 years, 1 for 35 years, and 58 for life. Leaving out the life men, and there are 345 men whose terms are 5 years and over, making an average of 10.1 years each.

Addison Courier: Miss Cora Abbott has gone to Tecumseh, where she intends to remain during the summer with Dr. Jones' family and labor at her chosen profession, that of painting. Cora has painted many beautiful pictures during the last year which has gained for her an excellent reputation as an artist. She certainly has reached the top round of true artistic skill.

The Adrian Record says that Dr. Reynolds has received a letter from Col. Eldredge containing information that the new pension examining board would be composed as follows: Drs. Reynolds, Hull and Todd, all of this city. This arrangement deals a cold deck to Drs. Smart, of Hudson, and Parker of Blissfield. In some respects the composition of the new board will prove a surprise to many, but that it will be ably and worthily constituted none who know the gentlemen named can have any doubt.

Owed to spring: Lay aside the well worn ulster and the seal and fur-lined cloak, for the cold winds cease to bluster and the flies begin to muster, crocusses to bloom and cluster, daffodills to show their luster, and the bully frogs to croak. Gone is winter, the erratic, lift the coal stove to the attic, trot out the long housed rheumatic, thrill him with the touch ecstatic, the reviving breath of spring; odors of the mid-Atlantic, the sweet south wind that balmy brings healing on its purple wings. Let the joy bells gaily ring. Exit winter. Enter spring.

Thanks to Col. Curtis for late Washington papers.

The planing mills and sash factories are full of business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ide spent last Sabbath in Tecumseh.

Judge Cooley is finishing a history of the State of Michigan.

Go and see the Cosmophere at the Opera House next Tuesday evening.

The lion and the bear will lie down together and Gladstone will lead them.

Prof. Hammond and Misses Birkey and Condict visited friends at Adrian last Saturday.

Col. Drew of Blissfield was in town last Friday. Capt. Foster was piloting him about town.

Ex-Mayor Navin has been promoted and is now inside bookkeeper for the Jackson wagon company.

Remember the readings by Miss Sarah E. Rounds at the Baptist church to-morrow evening.

Deputy Sheriff Teachout, owing to his longitudinal superiority, is known by the title of Longfellow.

Gov. Alger favors the appointment of a pardon board of four men, two to be taken from each political party.

Lyman Thorp, after a few days at home, has started out on another trip to sell his patent apple corer and parer.

Mrs. F. C. Stoepel of Detroit arrived in town Saturday and will spend a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sutton.

The weather clerk has been trying the experiment of pleasing everybody this week. The usual result followed—He pleased nobody.

The largest globe in America, transparent as glass and brilliantly illuminated, at the Opera House next Tuesday evening May 12th.

The big egg season has arrived. We shall be pleased to receive all the eggs our friends may donate, provided they are of good size and perfectly fresh.

Scanlan will close the regular season at the opera house in Adrian, appearing May 28th, in the "Irish Minstrel" or his new play, "Shawn-na-Lawn."

You can help the Baptist Sunday School Library fund and get your money's worth at the same time by attending. Miss Sarah E. Rounds readings to morrow evening.

Miss Sarah E Rounds is one of the most accomplished readers that has lately appeared before a Tecumseh audience. Go and hear her at the Baptist church to morrow evening.

A festive self-propelling farm engine near Holloway, passed along the street last week, carelessly smoking its pipe. Six acres of timber and forty rods of fence burned as the result.

Abner Wilson has just filled an order for 12000 early cabbage plants and 3000 asparagus roots. He has cabbage, tomato, celery, pepper, &c. in good shape for transplanting now. See his advertisement next week.

On Saturday last three new postmasters of the fourth class were appointed in this county, viz; Dr. A. K. Jenkins at Tipton: Dr. C. E. Begel at Hofloway, and John H. Underwood at Addison. They are all excellent appointments.

The state will furnish tents for the Southern Michigan G. A. R. encampment this year. The officers of the association solicit bids from places that would like to have the honor and profit of the encampment. How much will Tecumseh bid?

Adrian Record: Mr. George F. Payne, Jr., is the possessor of the key to the old court house at Tecumseh, which was given him several years ago. It is about all that now remains of the historical building, and looks as though it might unlock the "bottomless pit."

Abner Wilson, who has been confined to his house for several days with an attack of neuralgia, is on the mend, and will be able to resume business soon. His cabbage plants, however, have kept on growing just the same, and he has a large supply now ready for transplanting.

The Adrian Times, after occupying the old building twenty-five years, has moved into larger and more commodious quarters in J. C. Rowley's new building on South Winter street. They will here have quarters commensurate with their increasing business, something which they have long needed.

Rev. J. M. Getchell has been employed to preach for the Universalist Church of this village, for one half the time. He will give two services on each alternate Sunday. He began his pupit duties last Sabbath and his next service will be on Sunday, May 17th. He will move his family to Tecumseh very soon.

Adrian Record: It is not true, as charged, that democrats are universally consumed with greed for office. To make such a charge is to libel a great party. We need not go out of Michigan to find noble and worthy examples of that lofty spirit of self denial that sometimes carries men above the plane of office. Two democrats elected as constables of Seneca township have failed to qualify.

GUMBO STARTS A GARDEN.

Mrs. Gumbo sat in the rocking chair last evening, doing up Sally's hair in papers that she might make a presentable appearance at the school examinations this afternoon, when Joshua rushed in from the woodshed with a big sliver in his finger. He had been trying to put a new handle in the spade, and had introduced about three inches of green oak timber into the index finger of his left hand. Mrs. Gumbo has not brought up six children and buried three without learning something. She is quite a surgeon in her way. The family medicine chest was produced, and with the aid of a pair of forceps and a corkscrew the sliver was extracted. The finger was properly bandaged with cotton batting soaked with arnica and camphor, a buckskin cot, clipped from an old mitten was tied on it, and Joshua then filled his corn cob pipe for a farewell smoke before retiring.

"This little accident, 'Joshua, reminds me," said Mrs. Gumbo, as she snuffed the candle, and rocked little "Queen Bess," the baby, to sleep, "that I received last Monday a copy of Vick's Floral Guide. It is an elegant edition. I have been perusing it carefully and have selected a list of vegetable and flower seeds to send for with which to start a garden. Last summer the front yard was ornamented with milk weed and the back yard with Canada thistles. I have resolved upon having a garden this summer, and it is high time that we were beginning the work."

"Jerusalem, Jerusha, be you crazy? What d'ye take me for? I aint no Scotch gardner. I kin dig post holes, that's true. I kin cut cord wood. I kin shovel ashes. I kin pull weeds. I kin lay in water melons, that's true, and I kin worry down green corn—crook neck squash aint bad eat'in, though I like peanuts better. Hoss radish is werry good to take, that's true. Carrots makes good cow fodder, and beans—well, beans is beans, that's all. But, hang it, Jerusha, I never made no garden. Why, it'll take more money'n we kin rake and scrape to buy seeds with, and when the seeds is bought, we've only jest got started. It beats all how little wimen know 'bout farmin. Why, the garden must be plowed 'n then it must be raked, 'n then it must be laid out into allies 'n beds, 'n then the seeds must be sot out, 'n then the wegitables must be cultiwated, 'n then the weeds must be pulled, 'n then the beds must be hoed over 'n then the cabbage and termaters must be watered, 'n then the pertaters must be hilled up, 'n then the peas must be bushed, 'n then the grape wines must be pinched off, 'n then the scare crows must be sot up. Why, hang it, Jerusha, it costs a fortune ter run a good gardin. I've bin through the mill one season afore. Don't ye mind, Jerusha, when we had a tarin' old freeze up one Fourth o' July? Wall, thats the summer I run a gardin. Two months work and a gardin full o' wegitables all friz up in one night. Why, Jerusalem, Jerusha, haint you got no sence left? As soon as the seeds was all sot, it would begin to rain 'n would jest rain 'n rain, 'n then the weeds would jest grow 'n grow, and then the drowth would come on and things would jest dry up 'n dry up, and when the melons got ripe the boys would go coonin 'n coonin. Remember Job, Jerusha, remember Job. Possess yer gizzard in patience. Wait till the applesass tree gits to bearin' and we won't need no gardin then."

"Hush, Joshua, and hold your tongue. You are always opposed to public and private improvements. That does'nt surprise me at all. But I have investigated this matter fully. I have counted the cost, and I am bound to ornament these premises with a garden, this very summer. I will communicate with the clerk of the weather and prevail upon him to postpone the Fourth of July freeze. My list of seeds is ready to send and I have five dollars laid aside, which I have saved from five washings, to enclose as a remittance. You can get the garden plowed and prepared in half a day, and Sammy and I will take care of the after work. If it rains, of course, Joshua, we will let it rain, but Sammy and Sally can keep the weeds down. I shall put in a few snap beans; some artichokes; a dozen hills of long mangle wurzel beets; early and late peas; a row of celery; cabbage and cucumbers, of course; some nutmeg melons and gypsy watermelons; Hubbard squash; Trophy tomato; flat Dutch turnips; early long horn carrot; excelsior pumpkins; telephone potato, and onions—well, Joshua, I know that onions are your favorite beverage. Take the pencil and transcribe the order for onions yourself. I will liquidate the bill. The rear yard will be devoted to the vegetable garden and the front yard to flowers. I shall have an angelic flower garden, Joshua. The castor-bean, cocks-comb, dahlia, gladiolus, hyacinth, lily of the valley, marigold, bachelor's button, morning glory, mignonette, passion flower, pink, petunia, poppy, paeony, hollyhock and sunflower will all be represented. Our front lawn will be transformed into a paradise before harvest time begins. The delicious perfume of flowers which will be wafted down Pocahontas Alley will cause the bumble bee to sing with delight, and the Smiths over the way to shed tears of envy. Put a new handle in the hoe and rake, Joshua, borrow a seed drill of some neighbor and leave the rest to me. But a garden I am bound to have, in this year of Grace 1885."

"Well 'taint no use, I s'pose, to fight agin a woman. If you'll foot the bills and tend the gardin and let me order the onions, I'll give in. We'll have a gnruptious gardin, that's sartin."

A garden, a garden, and how shall we make it?
The first day we'll spade, and dig, next day we'll rake it.
Then cabbage, tomatoes, and parsley we'll set,
And onions, you bet.

Some choice tulip bulbs which have been scattered through,
A few early peas and some peppergrass too,
And vegetable oysters, we must not forget,
Not onions, you bet.

We'll block out a corner for lettuce to till,
And a nook for the poppy and gay buffedil,
The bright marigold and the sweet violet,
And onions, you bet.

We'll plant a few seeds of the royal cucumber,
And melons and squash and mushrooms without number,
And down the front walk a nice pink parapet,
And onions, you bet.

A few morning glories so handsome to see,
And a long double row of the Blue Peter pea,
The hollyhock, paeona, and sweet mignonette,
And onions, you bet.

The phlox grandiflora, that choice diadem,
The early blood beet and McLean's Little gem,
The smilax and ivy for Queen's coronet,
And onions, you bet.

THE CANINE AND EQUINE PARADOX.

This evening one of the most pleasing shows ever seen here will hold the boards at the opera house. Of this entertainment the Cleveland Herald says: "For the past few days Prof. Morris and his trained dogs have been in this city and as these were exercised daily upon our streets our people have seen enough to know that the performance would be one of great merit and turned out last night in such numbers as to soon fill the house as it was never filled before. Still the throng applied for admission, and it is estimated that fully five hundred people had to be turned away from the doors and denied admission. No man living has the reputation as a trainer as that amassed by the professor, and no man ever had a more intelligent lot of dogs to educate. Each of his 25 stars possess almost human intelligence and their feats are both comical and wonderful. Each of the canines is a specialist and a true artist. At the head of the troup stood the redoubtable 'Major,' the greatest known clown. His antics showed almost human knowledge and kept the audience in a constant roar. Sneider, with his wife, came in wheeling the baby, the exact picture of a fond father of the genuine type. 'Shelbark' gave most valuable support to 'Major,' and all took substantial parts. The great leaping scene was of more than ordinary interest and gave the graceful greyhounds an opportunity to show their power. 'Foyletta' the champion, does the most wonderful feat ever known, clearing thirty five feet, at the same time rising twelve feet in the air. Truly he is an 'air king.'"

Northwestern Lumberman: Some time ago it was stated that a traffic arrangement had been formed between the Ohio & Michigan railroad, extending from Toledo to Allegan, Mich., and the Chicago & West Michigan system by which lumber could be run from Muskegon or other points on the Chicgo & West Michigan to Toledo, on a single rate. It has recently been announced that this arrangement has been put in operation. The distance from Muskegon to Toledo is 214 miles. This traffic combination is considered an important one for the western Michigan lumber interest.

On account of the funeral of Mrs. Betts, the social at the Baptist church will be postponed until to-morrow (Friday) afternoon; all are invited to come. By Order of Ex. Com.

Day, Campbell & Co. of Detroit have a card in to-days paper. Read it.

—New Summer Goods at Mrs. N. R. Brown's Millinery rooms. A good assortment of the new and novel shapes and trimmings. Ladies wishing straw work done will do well to call.

—Land Salt—A car load just received by Slayton & Son. Plaster at all times.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

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—The White is the most durable machine. G. P. Sparks.

—Buy the Noiseless Light Running New Home Sewing Machine. Remember this machine is warranted to be entirely free from raw hide and cotton batting. Drop me a postal card for prices. B. J. Coller, Gen. Agent, Adrian.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

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—The White is the most noiseless machine. G. P. Sparks.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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LILLEY HOUSE, [illegible] The house has been recently enlarged by the addition of an elegant dining room and office, and the hotel now ranks among the best in the state. [illegible]

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RICE'S TEMPERANCE HOTEL, [illegible] Highway & Saline Rds, Ypsilanti, Mich. RATES—$1 to $1.25 per day, single meals 25c. Lodgings 25 to 50 cents. We make a specialty of temperance men. [illegible] Be sure to call.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The public debt statement for the month of April shows a decrease in the indebtedness of about $4,000,000.

Anthony M. Keiley, of Virginia, has been appointed by the President as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States to Austria-Hungaria. Keiley was first nominated Minister to Rome, but his name was withdrawn because he is a Catholic and had strongly censured the Italian Government in published speeches.

Commissioner of Pensions Black has decided that Mrs. DeLong, widow of the late Lieutenant Commander of the Jeanette, is entitled to a pension. The Commissioner holds that an order of the Secretary of the Navy detaching Lieutenant DeLong to special duty at New York and then to command of the Jeanette, changed his status from "absent on leave" to "active duty," and therefore entitles his widow to a pension.

Mrs. Sarah E. Wilson, wife of Theodore D. Wilson, Chief Naval Constructor, U. S. N., and well known in social circles throughout the North, died at Washington on the 1st, after a long period of suffering.

William F. Switzler, of Missouri, has been appointed Chief Clerk of the Bureau of Statistics, vice Joseph N. Whitney, of Maine, removed.

The Secretary of the Treasury on the 1st received from a Western bank two $1,000 bank notes of 1861, which are believed at the Department to be counterfeits.

The President has appointed Major R. J. Hale, of North Carolina, United States Consul at Manchester, England, the position which was tendered to Mr. E. P. Howell, of the Atlanta Constitution. Mr. Hale is at present editor of the Fayetteville, N. C., Observer.

The following appointments were made by the Secretary of the Treasury on the 4th: Thomas S. Farrow, of South Carolina, and Alonzo B. Dickerson, of New Jersey, Chiefs of the Divisions in the Sixth Auditor's office, vice William Gunderson and Thomas E. Woods, resigned; J. E. McCarthy, of New York, to be a Special Agent of the Treasury.

The President on the 3d made the following awards in recognition of services rendered in rescuing crews of American vessels: A gold watch to Captain Franzer, of the German steamer Servia, for his services in rescuing the crew of the American schooner Baxter; a gold watch to Captain Cremore, of the British ship Don Enrique, for rescuing the crew of the barque Aberdeen; a gold watch to Captain Viel, of the French steamer Comte Deur, for rescuing the crew of the American ship Alert; a gold medal to Mr. Norman Bell, mate of the British ship Jesse Burrell, for services rendered to the crew of the American brig Jennie Morton.

THE EAST.

James Rees, who for a very long period has been known as a dramatic writer under the nom de plume of "Colly Cibber," died at his residence in Philadelphia on the 28th ult., in the eighty-fourth year of his age.

Twenty-three employes of the Philadelphia mint, half of whom were females, were dismissed a few days ago. The discharges were made in accordance with an order from the Department in Washington. The direct cause of the removal is the suspension of the coinage of minor pieces of money—all pieces under the dime. The Philadelphia mint has been the only one in the country making the small pieces to which the order applies.

The coinage executed at the United States mint at Philadelphia during the month of April aggregated 1,661,400 pieces, valued at $1,836,400. This amount was made up of 41,400 eagles, 2,400,000 silver dollars and 220,000 dimes.

News that the Governor had signed the Niagara Falls Park bill on the 30th ult. caused great rejoicing at Niagara Falls. American flags were hoisted on all the hotels, public and private buildings, and many places of business. The hotels on the Canadian side joined their American cousins in displaying their enthusiasm by hoisting the "Union Jack."

In the case of Thomas C. Gray, receiver, vs. the A. & W. Sprague Manufacturing Company, the Supreme Court of Connecticut has advised judgment for the defendant. The suit was brought for the foreclosure of a judgement lien and involves about $[illegible].

The British mail steamship Humber, which left New York February 15 for Liverpool, has not been heard from, and is probably lost.

Joseph M. Fulton, postmaster at New London, Chester County, Pa., was arrested a few days ago at that place by Deputy United States Marshal Reuter upon a warrant charging him with the embezzlement of Government funds. A shortage was discovered in his accounts recently, and an investigation showed a deficiency in his money order funds of $1,247.85.

James P. Boyce, a prominent old-time Abolitionist, and more recently a radical Prohibition agitator, died at Lynn, Mass., on the 30th ult., aged eighty years.

All the employes in the construction department of the Brooklyn Navy Yard were discharged on the 1st. The retrenchment was made in accordance with the determination on the part of the Government to economize in the expenditure of the balance, which is small, of the appropriation for navy yard work.

The general manager of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has issued a circular to the employes of all lines of the company giving sanitary directions to be followed during the approaching season, with a view of combatting with the appearance of cholera. Disinfectants will be supplied by the company.

The business failures reported in the United States during the week ended May 1 number 167, against 198 in the preceding week, and 151, 132 and 96 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882, respectively.

The boiler in the sawmill of John Bishop, on Bowman's Creek, ten miles from Wilkesbarre, Pa., exploded on the 2d. Carey Boder, the fireman, was instantly killed, and William May, watchman, was terribly injured. They were the only persons in the building at the time.

Five hundred weavers employed by the Renfrew Manufacturing Company at North Adams, Mass., struck on the 1st owing to a reduction of five per cent. in wages.

The statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 2d shows the following changes: Loans decrease, $1,727,300; specie increase, $1,525,800; legal tenders increase, $855,600; deposits increase, $1,522,700; circulation decrease, $86,000; reserve increase, $1,988,225. The banks now hold $55,140,650 in excess of legal requirements.

A heavy northeast snow storm, accompanied by high winds, prevailed in Maine on the 2d. Nearly three inches of damp snow fell.

The Catholic college of the Holy Ghost at Pittsburgh, Pa., was dedicated on the 3d with appropriate ceremonies. Thirty thousand people participated in the parade.

Wainwright's brewery, on Thirty-sixth Street, Pittsburgh, caved in with a heavy crash on the 3d. In it were ten thousand barrels of beer and a lot of new machinery. The weight of the beer caused the supports of the floor to give way, and the building collapsed from the roof to the cellar. Loss estimated at $100,000.

A fire broke out early on the morning of the 3d in a second-hand furniture shop on the ground floor of a three-story tenement house in Hoboken, N. J. The flames spread so rapidly that the frightened residents of the block, in their haste to escape, trampled on each other and greatly interfered with the firemen in their work. The loss to property will aggregate about $12,000, and forty families are deprived of their homes.

WEST AND SOUTH.

The boiler in the saw mill of Samuel Beauchamp, near Oakland City, Ind., exploded a few days ago, instantly killing the engineer, John Cauthorn, and seriously injuring two fellow workmen, Jesse Wester and Jep Collins. Wester's condition is critical. The engineer was a new man and inexperienced, and the explosion was the result of his carelessness or ignorance. The force of the explosion carried the fire boxes a distance of 200 yards.

The new Board of Trade building at Chicago was formally opened on the 28th ult. Delegates were present from fifty Boards of Trade in all parts of the United States, as well as from Toronto and Liverpool. Prayer was offered by Rev. De. Clinton Locke. Hon. Emory A. Storrs delivered an oration, and brief remarks were made by delegates from Boston, San Francisco, Montreal, Louisville, New York, Minneapolis, St. Louis and Liverpool.

At Akron, O., on the 30th ult. John Emmerling, aged sixty-eight, supposed to be partially crazed by whisky, put phosphorus in the family teapot and his wife and several of the children were made dangerously sick in consequence. Emmerling is in jail.

Ruperto Lara, convicted of the murder of the Nesmith family over a year ago, was hanged at Las Cruces, N. M., on the 30th ult. He made a confession claiming that he was hired for $1,000 to commit the crime. Persons whom he implicated were brought before him, but he failed to identify them.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Lewis Webster, convicted of the murder of Perry Harrington, at Geneva, O., was overruled on the 30th ult., and he was sentenced to be hanged on Thursday, October 1.

The lawyer who obtained for Senator Fair his divorce from his wife, by which he was obliged to pay her $4,500,000, is now suing his client for $50,000, the fee charged in the divorce case.

The next Legislature to be elected in Mississippi will have the choosing of two United States Senators.

A Nebraska jury has awarded $1,000 damages to a parent whose eight-year-old daughter had been flogged in a public school.

The vicinity of Pleasant Hill, Mo., was visited by a tornado on the night of the 29th ult., causing considerable damage. Thirteen cars of a Missouri Pacific freight train were blown from the track. Four were loaded with hogs, many of which were killed. The caboose was overturned, and of four occupants three suffered severe bruises. Near Harrisonville high winds derailed several freight cars, and at Holden one child was killed and much damage done to property.

Naval Cadet William C. Callaghan, of Ohio, member of the third class, has resigned from the Naval Academy.

A severe rain and hail storm visited Catawba County, N. C., on the 1st, followed by a destructive cyclone. A large number of trees were blown down, and in Hickory the railroad depot was unroofed. No lives were lost.

Miss Julia Jackson, only child of "Stonewall" Jackson, will be married June 30 to William E. Christian, a grain merchant of Richmond, Va. The lady is twenty-three years old.

Fayette Brown, receiver for Brown, Bonnell & Co., an iron manufacturing firm of Youngstown, O., has made a statement showing that the mills in that city have made a profit of $250,000 since February 23, 1883. The statement causes surprise in iron circles, and will be of assistance to the iron workers who are demanding that the scale of wages shall not be reduced.

At Huntsburg, O., on the 1st a Mrs. Barnes gave her little boy a box of pills to play with. The lad carried them to school where several of the boys took them. One boy by the name of Dewoody took twenty, as a result of which he dropped dead in his seat.

The employes of the large iron works of Brown, Bonnell & Co., of Youngstown, O., have been notified that after May 31 they would have to accept a reduction or quit work. The works are in the hands of Receiver Brown, who has been prevented by the courts from signing the scale, though he agreed to pay Amalgamated prices. The workmen think that that the demand is very strange, considering that the statement published a few days ago, showed a profit of over $250,000 in two years and say that the reduction will be resisted.

A boiler at the Tremont Hotel, Galveston, Tex., exploded with terrific force on the morning of the 3d, instantly killing a number of persons, wounding several others and doing much damage to the hotel and neighboring property. Among the killed were Lawrence Carr, fireman; Anderson Jones and Clara Miller, and several children, names unknown.

By the collision of two freight trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad on the 2d, Conductor Albert Brogley was killed and Fireman Charles Brewell fatally injured. Both trains were ditched and demolished, and several other employes seriously injured.

Pat Benan, who shot and killed Deputy Sheriff John Kohl, of Negaunee, Mich., on the 5th of March last, was captured by a Sheriff's posse on the 2d near Escanaba, that State.

The little village of Caboy, near Kankakee, Ill., containing a population of 800, was devastated by fire on the 3d, destroying twenty-four business houses and fourteen residences, and entailing a loss of $100,000.

Five million feet of choice grade lumber belonging to Herron & Wadleigh, at Stevens' Point, Wis., burned on the 2d, causing a loss of $70,000.

Three men, named Chester Honaker, Peter Canterberry and Dave Stewart, were shot by Henry Freez, colored, at Catlettsburg, Ky., on the night of the 3d. The men were attempting to force an entrance to a house of ill-fame, and the inmates, fearing trouble, sent for Freez, who lives near by. There were six in the party and Freez shot the three mentioned. Honaker is expected to die. Freez is in jail, and threats of lynching have been made.

A violent hail storm prevailed over a considerable extent of country in the vicinity of Petersburg, Va., on the 2d and extended into North Carolina. Many fields of growing cotton, corn, and vegetables were destroyed, and the farmers will be compelled to plant again. Hail fell to the depth of twelve inches, and a whirlwind prevailed along the center of the storm, blowing down barns, fences and sheds. In some places in Surry County, Va., the hail fell to the depth of eighteen inches, and in some spots was drifted to the depth of four feet.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The Dominion Government will require $25,000,000 to mature the five per cent. loan of 1869 falling due the first of July next. As Sir Leonard Lilley is dangerously ill the Government will send Deputy Minister of Finance Courtney to England to see what he can do towards floating the new four per cent. loan to pay off the loan of 1869. Courtney will have to raise $55,000,000 to meet the requirements of the treasury.

Fifteen Sisters of Charity from Odessa, twenty-five from Moscow and thirty from St. Petersburg have been sent to General Komaroff's camp to care for the wounded in case of further hostilities.

Dr. Koch, famous for his investigations into the origin and characteristics of cholera, has been chosen a professor in the University of Berlin. He has hitherto, in recognition of his eminent services, received the decoration of the Legion of Honor, an honorium of 15,000 marks and the title of Doctor of Philosophy.

Shocks of earthquake more or less severe prevailed in many parts of Austria on the 1st. In several places houses were wrecked and people injured, and in the Province of Styria a dozen or more persons are reported to have been killed.

A London dispatch of the 1st says that small-pox of the most virulent type broke out among the Canadian boatmen en route to their homes since their arrival in London. All of the sufferers, including Colonel Kennedy, are being cared for in the hospital.

It is reported that a number of people in Valencia, Spain, are being innoculated with cholera virus, which produces tremors and prostration for twenty-four hours. At the end of forty-eight hours the patient is well. All the provinces of Spain have sent doctors to study the system, which it is believed is a great success.

A proclamation has been issued by Riel to the half-breeds who refuse to join him, asserting that unless they do so at once he will murder them and burn their property.

The town of Skanor, on the extreme southwestern coast of Sweden, was devastated by a conflagration on the 2d. Eighty-nine houses were destroyed and one hundred families rendered homeless.

A new opening has appeared in the side of Mount Vesuvius, near Torre del Greco, from which lava is flowing abundantly. The inhabitants of Torre del Greco, which site has been several times covered, are greatly alarmed.

LATER NEWS.

A WRECK occurred on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad at Lewis' Mills, O., on the morning of the 4th. A freight train coming east collided with the Zanesville accommodation westward. Engineer Butterworth and Fireman Cosgrove, of the accommodation, were fatally injured, and Fireman Rough, of the freight, had his arm torn off and was horribly bruised about the breast and stomach. There were only a few passengers aboard the train and all escaped with slight bruises. Engineer Hyle says his watch stopped and was fifteen minutes slow. He has four ribs broken and is terribly scalded.

IKE BUZZARD, one of the notorious family who is in prison at Lancaster, Pa., professed conversion at a prison service on the 3d, and made a speech from his cell.

MRS. FRANCES VANDERBILT, widow of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, died at her residence, No. 10 Washington Place, New York City, on the 4th. She had been ill for the last few weeks with pneumonia.

THE following were the Treasury balances at the close of business on the 4th: Gold coin and bullion, $243,198,237; silver dollars and bullion, $163,969,696; fractional silver coin, $30,000,490; United States notes, $46,981,477; National Bank notes, $8,808,180; deposits with National bank depositories, $[illegible]; total, $503,598,802. Certificates outstanding: Gold, $125,477,400; silver, $[illegible]; currency, $25,165,000; internal revenue receipts, $1,203,831; customs, $976,120.

THE Sixty-sixth General Assembly of Ohio adjourned sine die on the 4th.

THE engine house and rail mill of the Lackawanna Iron and Coal Company's works at Scranton, Pa., burned on the 4th, involving a loss of $250,000.

THE Supreme Court of the United States on the 4th concluded the October term of 1884 and adjourned until the term of 1885, which begins on October 2 next. A great many decisions were handed in previous to adjournment.

GENERAL GRANT'S condition was so much improved on the 4th that he worked on his book all day. At the Baptist pastors' meeting Rev. Dr. Patton said he thought the General proved an example of the faith cure, and spoke of it as the result of the prayers of the people of this country for the preservation of his life.

JAMES R. OSGOOD & Co., of Boston, the well known publishers, made an assignment for the benefit of creditors on the 4th.

THE latest important mining discovery is reported from Cheney, Washington Territory, where great excitement has been caused by the finding of an immense deposit of carbonate of lead, rich in silver, within three miles of that place. Men are flocking there by hundreds and claims are staked out for miles along the ledge, which is twelve feet wide. Men from Colorado pronounce it equal to the Leadville prospect.

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ESTATE OF JAMES P. WILKINS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 27th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Melinda H. Wilkins, surviving executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that Mariah Wilkins, the widow of said deceased, has departed this life, that the provisions of said will cannot be fully executed until the youngest child of said deceased arrives at the full age of twenty-one years, that petitioner does not feel able to have the care of said estate, that the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, have been paid, and praying that her resignation now on file in this court may be accepted, that Allen Lewis, or some other suitable person, may be appointed administrator of said estate with the will annexed, for the allowance of her final account, and for her discharge.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF MARIA BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles J. Brewer, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that he is ready to file his final account, and praying that said account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF EDWIN B. WOOD.

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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin B. Wood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harriet E. Wood widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood and Charles Burridge, nominated executors of said instrument, or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Tecumseh	7 30 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	4 07 "
Morenci	10 22 "	5 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Morenci	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Norvell	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Bakeslee	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Punkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Land Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Cones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Rand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Rand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 26	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Cones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar.	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	5 14	11 21
Land Creek		11 29	5 28	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Punkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Bakeslee		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	[illegible]	11 [illegible]	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	[illegible]	11 [illegible]	Clinton	3 22	9 17	
	7 [illegible]	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P.M.
	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
	9 25	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
		3 45	Montelth	11 35		5 55
		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
		4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 10		5 25
		5 18	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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THE TYPE-WRITER.

A Labor-Saving-Machine Which Sprung Immediately Into Popularity.

The click of the type-writer is one of the most familiar sounds to the frequenters of down-town offices. In nearly every large office one or more of these little machines can be found in constant use and they are still growing in popularity.

About ten years ago the first type-writer was invented. It was patented by two Detroit men who soon sold their rights to the machine, but drew a royality on it for some years. One of these men was a printer by trade, and for years he had been experimenting with a writing machine to supplant the pen. He first invented a machine for numbering automatically the pages of books such as ledgers. When the type-writer was first upon the market it was a crude machine, very different from what it is to-day. The foot was brought into operation in it to pull back the carriage upon which the paper was rolled, somewhat like a sewing machine. There were various other clumsy appliances connected with it, and the machine was regarded by the public more as a curiosity than as a practical writing instrument. A few large offices, however, began the use of type-writers, and the advantages of the instrument were seen where a large number of manifold copies were required and it was desirable to have a very plain and easily deciphered copy. Improvements were made from time to time in the mechanism, and as the machine was gradually being perfected it became more and more popular.

Meanwhile its success prompted other inventors to apply themselves to the subject of writing machines. One of the first to come out was invented in Sweden and patents obtained upon it throughout Europe. The principle of this type-writer was radically different from that of the American machine. Instead of the type being arranged in a circular pocket and flying up to hit the paper, in the foreign machine the type and keys were arranged like pins in a pincushion and the instrument was in the shape of a hemisphere. With the keys sticking out all over its surface it very much resembled a porcupine. This machine was very small and could almost be carried in the pocket. It had many advantages over the American machine, and likewise many disadvantages.

Hardly had the foreign machine been upon the market than another American machine came out upon some of the principles of the first machine, the patents upon which had expired. This was followed on an altogether different plan, the type being made of rubber and all together on a little pad. When writing the letter is brought over a small hole in a plate and through this hits the paper, all the other types at the same time taking up a supply of ink. On the other machines an inked ribbon is brought between the type and the paper, and the ink takes the shape of the letter pressing against it.

This was followed by still another machine wherein the type, made of hard rubber in the form of a cylinder, revolved in a horizontal cavity and the paper was driven up against the type by the release of a small hammer every time a letter was struck. One of the advantages of this latter machine is that an infinite number of characters can be used in it and type for writing in German and other foreign languages can be inserted at will.

A member of the Turkish Legation in the United States not long ago expressed his admiration of the type-writer and his intent on of having one made that would write in the Turkish language. There are thirty-three letters in this language, and Hassin Effendi made a copy of them and gave it to an engraver to make a set of letters for the type-writer. It was only at the last moment that he discovered that all the type-writers work from left to right, as the English language is written, while Turkish is written from right to left. The excessive cost of altering a machine to write in this direction decided him not to get one. A type-writer for writing in any language can be made, however.

The manufacture of type-writers is now an important American industry. Nine-tenths of all the type-writers used in the world are made in this country. The traveler can now find the American machines in daily use in England, France, Germany, Russia, and indeed in all the European countries. The English Government, which is very slow to make changes of a radical or progressive nature, has adopted the American type-writer, and in all the Government offices in India, as well as those in London and elsewhere the machine is in constant use.

The Chinese are about the only people who will be left out of the type-writing nations. There are so many thousand characters in their language that it would be impossible to construct a machine capable of doing their work.

There are many thousands of type-writers in daily use in New York city and the instrument has long since ceased to be a curiosity. With the telephone, the Wall street ticker and the type-writer a part of every well appointed office, the duties of clerks have indeed been revolutionized within the past half century.

Very many authors now write all of their books and magazine articles on the type-writer, and among these are W. D. Howells and Mark Twain. The Declaration of Independence was not written on a type writer, but if Thomas Jefferson lived in this age he would probably have ticked off his immortal document upon one of these little labor-saving machines. A legal decision has been rendered to the effect that although type-written manuscript is printed, it is writing all the same, and the postal authorities regard it as written matter, which must pay full postage.

One of the openings for women that are constantly coming up is copying manuscript on the type-writer, and very many girls and young women now find it a pleasant and remunerative business. Short-hand writers have also found the type-writer a valuable aid, and lawyers are beginning to use it for writs and other legal documents.

THE SOUDAN TROUBLES.

Considerations of Humanity and Civilization Demand the Settlement of the Egyptian Difficulty.

For one day the thoughts of the civilized world were recently turned to one man, and that man one of the most romantic figures of contemporary history—General Gordon. His remarkable ride across the desert to Khartoum was in harmony with his strange career, and his long solitary hold of the town, enveloped by a hostile race burning with religious zeal, and his disappearance upon the very eve of succor, were but natural events in a story so extraordinary. The news of his death also produced in England a deep and universal excitement, which in intensity was doubtless like that which followed the tidings from Waterloo, or the Sepoy rebellion, or the passage of the Dardanelles by the English fleet. For a moment party strife was outwardly composed, and Tories and Liberals were only Englishmen resolved that the man who stood for England in the African desert howling with enemies should be avenged. The Past and the Future were forgotten in the duty of the Present. Why England was upon the Upper Nile in arms, or what disaster might impend in India, was not to be considered while the fate of Gordon was unknown.

But to us who look upon the English campaign in Egypt only as sympathetic spectators, the old proverb seems more than ever true: What is worth doing is worth doing well. This was Chatham's principle nearly a century and a half ago. It was the principle of Napoleon in the field and in the Cabinet. It is the practical rule of success everywhere. Whether you are going to hunt a hare or a tiger, whether you march to meet barbarians or civilized regulars, the first and vital condition of success is not to underestimate the task, and to abandon it rather than to undertake it inadequately. But a government and its enterprises are continuous, and in England and in this country when the popular will decrees a change of administration, the newcomers must deal with a situation already made for them. England drives the Jingo from the helm, but he has set the course of the ship, and the Liberal must take it as he finds it.

The Jingo took England to Egypt, and combined with France to control its Government. When he was dismissed, it was not possible simply to withdraw from Egypt. But it was equally impossible to remain without a strong hold a determined policy. This is the point at which the Liberal seems to have failed. Apparently there was not a definite policy vigorously pursued, but an acquiescence in the vague demand of public sentiment—a following rather than a leading. When Gordon was sent to Khartoum, he should have been sustained by a commanding force. If England was to remain in Egypt at all, she should have staid for a purpose, and have supplied the means to accomplish it. What is worth doing is worth doing well.

But the cheerful aspect of the situation at the darkest moment was the response of England. In great emergencies the old quality of the English shows itself. There is not panic or despondency, but a wrathful resolution to atone for all short-comings by a mighty recuperation. The press had but one voice. All day, says the dispatch, the War Office was thronged with officers offering their services. Every Englishman felt a personal appeal. It was not what will this or that party do? but the tone of all that was said, the spirit of the whole people, was that England expects every man to do his duty. That duty is the rescue, if possible, of brave English soldiers, and the settlement of the Soudan trouble, with the broadest regard for the interests of humanity and civilization.—*George William Curtis, in Harper's Magazine.*

Sweets to the Sweet.

"I'm going to get married," said he, as he placed a hand upon the counter as large as a Dutch cheese, "and I want a wedding cake."

"It is customary," said the pretty bakery girl, "nowadays to have the materials of the cake harmonize with the calling of the bridegroom. For a musician, now, we have an oak cake, for a man who has no calling and lives upon his friends, the sponge cake; for a newspaper paragrapher, spice cake, and so on; what is your calling, please?"

"I'm a pugilist."

"Then you want a pound cake."—*Boston Courier.*

—"Here, mister, you've dropped your overshoe!" he shouted, as an old man got out of the street-car and hoisted his umbrella. The man didn't appear to hear, so the kind-hearted passenger picked up the shoe and threw it after him, hitting him in the back. The old gentleman shook his fist angrily, and walked off without picking up the rubber. Everybody laughed, especially the shoe-thrower, until a little boy stopped eating peanuts and said to him: "I guess you dropped that shoe yourself, mister. You've only got one on." And the renewed laughter jarred the car, as the benevolent gentleman climbed out to catch the next car back.—*Chicago Times.*

—A German paper reports a singular example of what it regards as the sagacity of sharks. A man fell overboard from a German ship. The place was known to be infested with sharks, but to the astonishment of the crew not a single specimen appeared. The man managed to keep afloat, and a life buoy was thrown to him. Unhappily he missed it; whereupon another member of the crew jumped in to the rescue. He had barely reached the drowning man when a huge shark rushed up like a flash of lightning, and, seizing both men in his jaws, dragged them under. The shark evidently did not believe that a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.

—In a New York jewelry store window is exhibited a large knot, cut from a tree, which is the exact counterpart of a human ear.—*N. Y. Mail.*

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 8.	No. 5.	No. 3.	No. 1.
Toledo Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont.....	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde.....	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue.....	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk.....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington.....	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston.....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville.....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville.....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion....Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 50	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville..	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover....	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge.....	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg.....	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta.....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta....Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg.....	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge.....	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover...	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sheroddsville.	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc..	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillion.....	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston.....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston.....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington ...	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville ...	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde.....	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor ...	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo.....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar...Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	.Fries Landing.	6 58	2 38
11 20	6 15	.... Milan.....	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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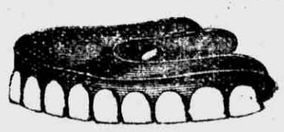
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COLONEL JAMES M. MORGAN.

Col. Jas. M. Morgan of South Carolina, who was appointed as Consul Gen'l to Australia by President Cleveland on April 18th, 1885, is by birth a Louisanian and is the youngest of five sons of the late Judge Thomas Gibbs Morgan. He was appointed to a cadetship in the Naval Academy at Annapolis before he was twenty years of age, and shortly after made acting mid-shipmen. Upon the outbreak of the "late unpleasantness" he entered the Confederate service and became lieutenant on the Alabama. Shortly after the close of the war he was married to a daughter of Trewholm who had been a member of Jefferson Davis' Cabinet, and settled in South Carolina. His wife dying he went to Egypt in 1870, and entered the service of the Kedive on the staff of Gen'l Loring, having been endorsed for the position by Robert E. Lee and others under whom he served. He was considered the most finished horseman in the Kedive's army, and his feats were admired by all. At this time George Butler was our Consul General at Cairo. The two became bitter enemies and the feud ended in a quarrel in Washington which resulted in the banishment of Butler. Col. Morgan has visited every part of the world and Australia is as well known to him as Greenland or Iceland. He converses fluently in several languages and is well fitted for the responsible position to which he has been appointed. Mr. Morgan owes his appointment in a great measure to F. W. Dawson of the Charleston News and Courier, to whom President Cleveland owes much for his ardent support in the convention and during the campaign. Besides this he had the endorsement of Senator Hampton of South Carolina, Senator Gorman of Maryland, Hon. B. F. Merrick and other prominent democrats.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending April 25, 1885:

Estate of John N. Grim, deceased: petition for appointment of administrator: hearing May 18.

Estate of Wm. J. Boulton, deceased: petition for proof of will: hearing May 18.

Estate of Francis Foster, deceased: petition for proof of will; hearing May 25.

Estate of Alford Crane, deceased: warrant and inventory filed: request of heirs that administrator be authorized to sell personal property; order of sale.

Estate of John S. Peck, deceased: petition for appointment of administrator: hearing May 18.

Estate of Charles Brooks, deceased: petition for proof of will: hearing May 25.

Estate of Mary S. Berry, et al., minors: guardian's bond filed: letters issued.

Estate of Adam Sheppart, deceased: petition for proof of will, hearing May 25.

Estate of Thomas Fitzpatrick, deceased, administrator's final account allowed; receipt filed; discharge.

Estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased, executrix files bond; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased: executrix files petition for allowance of her account and her resignation: hearing May 25.

Estate of Baldwin Webster, deceased, petition for appointment of administrator, hearing May 25.

Estate of Elenora Foster, deceased: affidavit of publication; order of continuance until May 11, at one o'clock P. M.

Estate of Wm. J. Milner, deceased; application for extension of time for paying debts to close estate; order extending time six months from March 17.

Estate of Gilman H. Ames, deceased: affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; receipts; discharge.

Estate of Edwin B. Wood, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing May 25.

Estate of Maria Brewer, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing May 25.

Estate of Wm. Waring, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing May 25.

PROF. BAILEY'S LECTURE.

The lecture on Astronomy by Prof. F. H. Bailey for the benefit of the G. A. R. relief fund will be given at the Opera House on Tuesday evening next, May 12th. We hope to see a crowded house. Tickets only twenty five cents. For sale at Adamson's and Hough & Hosmer's. From a large number of complimentary notices we select the following.

Those who failed to attend the lecture given last evening by Professor Bailey, missed a rare treat. The audience was composed mostly of pupils and teachers, all of whom were very much interested in the talk and the illustrations. Nine people out of every ten could hear a learned discourse on astronomy unaccompanied by illustration, and go away without comprehending the celestial phenomena of which they had been hearing. The use of the cosmosphere, however, in Prof. Bailey's lecture makes everything plain. The instrument is one of his own inventions, and represents the heavens of the northern hemisphere. It works upon a wire frame and is used to show the various positions of the sun and stars, as seen from any point on the northern hemisphere of the earth, at any time. The northern heavens are thus visible to the audience in as perfect a manner as if the gazer was out of doors in a clear night. The groups of stars were pictured out on the illuminated globe in dark figures, representing the different creations with which the fancy of ancient people peopled the heavens. The cosmosphere is simple yet wonderful. It is described as "the largest globe in America, as transparent as glass, and brilliantly illuminated; illustrates more celestial phenomena than any other instrument; shows the heavens as seen from any point on earth for every minute of the year, and the movements of sun, moon and stars for any length of time."

Bishop Warren, author of Recreations in Astronomy says:

This lantern has received the highest commendations for simplicity, accuracy and perfect adaptation to the student's needs, from the most eminent astronomers in the country. Asaph Hall, of the United States Observatory, at Washington; James Curley, of the Observatory of Georgetown College; C. S. Hastings, of the John Hopkins University, and many others. This instrument is the inveution of Professor F. H. Bailey, of Hillsdale College, in Michigan. We are glad to know it will soon be in the market.

Two years later (Aug. 15, 1882), during a lecture on Astronomy, before the C. L. S. C., in the Hall of Philosophy, at Chautauqua, N. Y., Bishop Warren said, concerning the lantern, of which he was speaking: "It is beyond question, the greatest invention in this line that has been made. It is approved of by such astronomers as Proctor and Prof. Asaph Hall, the most distinguished in the United States, and of such names as carry weight and authority anywhere. It has done more for the study of the heavens and the ease of understanding the uranography of the skies than any other invention that has been made."

VALPARAISO, Ind., March 14, '85.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I have had the pleasure of hearing Prof. Bailey, as well as examining the apparatus which he has invented. The lecture was one of the most instructive that I have ever heard. Any lecture association or school of any grade can employ the Professor with the certain security that the lecture will more than give satisfaction. Too much praise cannot be given in behalf of his invention. They are superior in every particular and the apparatus will certainly find its way into every school.

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A NARROW ESCAPE.

We clip the following from the Adrian Times of Thursday last.

An accident, involving the narrow escape from instant death of two people, occurred at the Winter street crossing of the Lake Shore road in this city last evening. The fast mail train, which leaves this city, westward bound, at about six o'clock p. m., standard time, struck the horse of Mrs. Levi Auchampaugh, on the crossing named, fatally injuring the horse, smashing the carriage, and badly bruising the occupants, Mrs. Auchampaugh and her little child. The two were enjoying a ride about town, and had driven south on Winter street to Cross street, where Mrs. Auchampaugh hesitated a moment as to the further direction to be pursued. Hearing no sign of any approaching train, she concluded to drive south, across the railroad track, and her horse was almost upon the rails, when the train was first discovered, the engine being already upon the east cattle guard of the crossing. The horse discovered the impending danger at the same moment, and reared and plunged violently to the east, the engine striking it about the shoulder a moment after, and hurling horse, carriage and occupants in a confused heap, sixty feet west of the point of collision. The blow was a terrible one, and the horse was frightfully mangled, while the carriage was completely smashed. Mrs. Auchampaugh and the child, although hurled from the distance named with such awful force, did not suffer serious injury, although they will not readily recover from their bruises and the nervous shock. The child also sustained some severe scalp wounds. The horse, when struck, was facing to the west, but when it landed after the blow it was facing east, the animal and carriage being reversed. The news of the accident spread rapidly, the train stopping, so that shortly after a large crowd assembled.

Constable Payne was one of the first to appear at the scene of the accident and to render assistance to the unfortunate victims. The horse was killed, its injuries placing it beyond the hopes of recovery. It is thought by many that the railroad company will be compelled to pay damages for the affair. The top of the carriage was raised at the time of the collision, so that, had there been time, it would have been very difficult for Mrs. Auchampaugh to have escaped before the engine struck the horse.

There are a number of much varied stories in circulation in regard to this affair, but we have taken pains to ascertain the exact facts, and believe they are set forth above.

The base burner is on its last legs and the man who pays the coal bills heaves a sigh of relief.

A drummer, travelling out of Detroit, remarkable for his politeness, was in the city this week, and having occasion to use the telephone, rang up central office. In response to his "hello" came a reply in the silvery tones of a lady's voice, but before continuing the conversation he gave evidence of his habitual politeness, by doffing his hat and laying it in a chair. He never yet broke over his rule of lifting his hat when talking with ladies.

MARRIED.

At South Bend, Ind., on the 26th inst., by Rev. Reuben Rice, Mr. Bert Powell of Tecumseh, Mich., to Miss Nervie E. Curry of South Bend, Ind. Bert is a noble young man and has made many friends in our town. He and his bride, who is one of South Bend's fairest belles, are to be congratulated upon their choice of companionship. That their future life may be wreathed with roses is the wish of their many friends.

LETTER LISTS.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, May 1, 1885.

Kelly, M. P.	Outterhout, Willie
French, E. W.	Reed, H.
McPherson, Miss Allie	Worthet, Miss Emma
Maverty, James	Wilson, Geo.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P.M.

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Beans, ₱ bushel	85	@	1 25
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	2 00	@	2 50
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	7
Calf skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	9
Corn in ear	25	@	28
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel		@	50
Clover Seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed		@	8
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	10
Flour ₱ barrel	5 50	@	6 50
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	12
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	9
Oats, ₱ bushel	34	@	38
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	60
Potatoes ₱ bushel	40	@	50
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—s.s

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Frederick B. Wood administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that he is ready to file his final account as such administrator, and praying that said account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr30

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 30, 1885.

JOHN G. BOYD,
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CLINTON CHAPTER.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lisle Gibson, May 8th, a son.

George Freese came here from Detroit, to remain until the first of June. He will take Ben Ellis's place in the store during his absence.

Mrs. David Hibner, who has been ill for several months, died at her home last Sunday. Funeral services were held Tuesday, Rev. Kerridge officiating.

J. C. Burroughs has given up going to Tecumseh to live.

One day last week Josiah Howell had started to go home from town, and had driven as far as John Clark's when his team became frightened, and run over a mile before he succeeded in stopping them. Only his good horsemanship and presence of mind saved him from a serious accident.

Mrs. W. S. Whittelsey and children returned to Ypsilanti last Monday, after a visit here of four weeks. Mrs. Whittelsey is much improved in health.

The two children of P. C. Smith, are quite sick with chicken-pox.

Mrs. Ed. Rowland, Mrs. John Heesen, Mrs. Bell and Miss Hessie Cupples, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Mrs. J. E. McCollum last Saturday.

Miss Anna Larzelere has returned from Saline, where she has been spending the winter.

Mrs. Josie St. John held a musical at her home last Saturday. It was greatly enjoyed by those present. Her patrons feel a great deal of satisfaction in her mode of teaching, and her pupils certainly give evidence of very careful training.

Miss Lou Reynolds intends having her house on Chicago street painted on the outside.

The Congregational Sunday School entertainment, held last Saturday evening was not productive of as good a financial result as might have been desired, only a little over ten dollars being taken in at the door. Those who took part in the program all did themselves credit, and the entertainment was well worthy of far better patronage.

As Charles Wilson was coming from the flour mill up town, last week his horses commenced to run, resisting all efforts at control until they reached the Local Office. James Hause happened to be on the street with his team and saw Mr. Wilson's horses coming just in time to drive across the street ahead of him, and in that way stopped them.

The Episcopal social will be held at Mrs. S. F. Marstellar's this week Thursday evening. This is to be a "weight social." Let every one come, be weighed, guess on their friend's weight, and have a dish of ice cream.

W. S. Kimball returned from Chicago last Saturday, where he has been to buy wool for the factory.

Miss Carrie Huntington is visiting at Mrs. Will Wood's.

McAdam & Muir have placed a very fine organ in their meat market to be sold by lottery. Every one purchasing one dollar's worth of meat is given a ticket, and when a certain number of tickets have been distributed the organ will be drawn by the tickets being placed in a hat and taken out singly. The last number securing the prize. The organ is one of B. J. Coller's. This a novel way of drawing trade, and it is rumored that Bush & Swift will follow their example.

B. J. Coller was the guest of Peter Kishpaugh over Sunday.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The forest puts forth its green appearance rather slow.

Saturday was a cold windy disagreeable wintery day. Rain, snow, and hail being the order all day.

B. L. Baxter, of Battle Creek, was in our village Saturday.

Mr. Chas. Clark spent Saturday and Sunday with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clark.

W. H. Arner was in Detroit last week Thursday.

Burt McNair, of Tecumseh, called on his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sharp, Saturday.

Remember the social at the Presidents, Mrs. D. W. Loree's, on Friday evening, this week.

Adah Potter, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Sena Corvell, Friday evening.

James Cole, of Colorado, formerly of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Allie Arner, Sunday.

Mrs. John Housman is not enjoying very good health at present.

Miss Rhoda Arner was home for a few days sick with a heavy cold, but is better at this writing.

Louis Priest went to Detroit Monday in search of employment.

To Mr. and Mrs. Burt Morley, a boy. All doing well.

Quarterly meeting next Sunday at the M. E. Church.

The public entertainment given by the literary society, assisted by the Britton band, last Friday evening met the expectations of all and was considered a success in every way. Proceeds $26. The dialogue "The Irish Linen peddler" was well rendered and brought the house down. The Britton band did themselves much credit, doing much better than was expected, upon their first appearance in public. If the boys continue their practice they will surely become one of the best bands in these parts. We want to hear you again, boys.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY.

The regular meeting of the R. L. S. takes place next week Friday eve., May 22d, at which time the following program will be presented.

Music—Society.
Reading—Mrs. J. D. Freer.
Recitation—Lizzie Clack.
Music—Lela Sutton.
Reading—Harry Wood.
Dec.—Vote Miller.
Rec.—Louise Smith.
Music—Minnie Barrett.
Reading—Mrs. Charles Gove.
Rec.—Lena Swick.
Poem—G. W. Jackson.
Music—Lottie Arner.
Dialogue, The country Justice—Eight characters and a jury. Time 15 minutes.
Music—Society.

Admission free.

The society has purchased the six octave, Wilcox & White organ, of W C. Sharp, of Brooklyn. The society announces a concert for June 5th which is now being carefully prepared and which will be fully advertised in due time. It is hoped that with this entertainment the balance to meet the cost of the organ will be raised.

BY ORDER COM.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A rainstorm and Episcopal Convocation accompanied each other to town; and it was fortunate the latter was of numbers to form an appreciable addition to the congregation: the former kept more at home, than it tempted forth to hear sermons. There was no class for confirmation either last summer or last week, on account of spiritual growth having branched in some other direction. Cold weather nips conscience worse than repentance at present; even the rink suffers from that blight of all good projects called indifference. A slight weight of care balances trade; emigrants are mostly of the kind that have to be named before their nationality can be determined and everything but fault-finding is in the Chrysalis.

Mr. H. Stacy, who has long been one of the leading Spiritualists of Michigan, has gone from among us. He was a student of nature and theology till the hour of his death, and lived an industrious, blameless life, fearing neither the shadows of this world or the unknown, beyond it.

BRITTON BUDGET.

There is trouble and misunderstanding in Post office circles. Two appointments for one office. Edgar Wells and E. C. Rauch being the contesting parties.

In spite of factional feeling our school house is an assured fact. The work has commenced, the trenches for the wall are filled and carpenters busily engaged.

Rev. James Wright, the new minister at the Christian Church, has arrived and so far promises to give satisfaction.

Just at present Britton is a stirring place. The sound of the hammer and saw is heard on every side. The prediction of spring time seems to be fulfilled. John Britton's new house is being rapidly pushed along. Our new hotel, with John Exelby for host, is approaching completion. Wm. Nivison is erecting a new residence, while the foundation of the village M. D. is being finished. Verily Britton boometh.

J. P. Beckley, our hardware man, has got his stock on hand and his beaming face greets you with a jovial story or smile. Call and see him. He means business.

The G. A. R. of Britton is to celebrate on May 30th. Let all turn out and assist in honoring our brave boys who fell in a good cause.

A Service of Song—"John Tregenoweth-his mark" will be given next Sunday evening at the Congregational church, Tipton, to commence at 7:30. The consecutive readings by the Pastor, the music by the choir assisted by friends. This is a Temperance Story taken from one of the books written by Mark Guy Pearse, a leading minister in the English Wesleyan Methodis Conference.

The Jasper physician has got the mumps.

LENAWEE COUNTY HORTICULTURISTS.

The Lenawee county Horticultural society met as per adjournment; President Woodward in the chair. The secretary being absent, D. G. Edmiston was appointed secretary pro tem.

The day being very unfavorable, the attendance was small and the meeting was rather informal in character.

The first part of the meeting was devoted to questions and answers as follows:

Question 1.—Mr. Hough asked if it was too late to set strawberry plants. Helme, Ediston and others thought the present as good a time as earlier.

Question 2.—Mr. Crane asked, when is the best time to set ever green trees. The spring was preferred by all present and as early as the soil is in good working condition, though they may be set successfully later in the spring than desiduous trees as they do not start into growth so early.

Question 3.—Should the branches of evergreens be trimmed or shortened in at time of transplanting the same as desiduous trees?

Mr. Ediston said it was not necessary though it might be done if desirable.

Question 4.—Mr. Hough asked how deep Black cap raspberry plants should be planted?

Mr. Helme thought that it was best to set pretty deep. Others thought they should not be set more than three or four inches deep and that care should be taken not to cover the bud too deep.

The subject of strawberries and other small fruits came next in order.

Mr. Helme recommended Manchester as profitable for one crop only from one setting. He also thought well of Sharpless, as being of large size, good quality, etc.

Mr. Wickham recommended Manchester as being the best on his place.

Mr. Woodward recommended Bid well if the soil is good.

Mr. Edmiston had tried the James Vick and thought it gave promise of productiveness and fair quality, but hardly equal to the puff with which it was sent out.

Green prolific was well spoken of by several parties. Edmiston and Coller thought well of the Crescent seedling for early and Glendale for late. The Mt. Vernon was also a good late variety

Blackberries were not in order. Snyder and Taylor were reported by several as being in good condition after the late severe winter. The fruit of these varieties is not quite equal in size or quality to the Kittatiny or Lawton, but the two latter will be killed down whenever the peach buds are killed. Mr. Edmiston reported the stones hardy; as being injured; had not fruited it yet.

A question was raised as to the merits of the Dewberry, which was being advertised by certain dealers and offered by agents. Mr. Edmiston said when anybody offers you Dew-berries pass them on as quick as possible. It has but one merit. One plant will stock an 80 acre farm in a remarkably short time. Would rather have Canada thistles by odds.

A devise for protecting fruit trees against the ravages of the curculio, codling moth, etc., which is being offered to farmers and fruit growers of the country, was described and discussed at some length. Some thought it was of no value, while others thought it would do no harm to give it a trial so long as it was inexpensive and no contract was to be signed; but the statement that the curculio and other injurious insects could not fly caused a smile to pass around amongst those who are familiar with them.

The next meeting will be held at Clinton during the strawberry season. Notice of the time for the next meeting will be given through the papers, and to members by cards as usual. Society adjourned.

The Saline Observer has these comments about their new mineral well scheme:

The mineral well project is being considered by our capitalists, and we now feel able to say that it is almost a certainty. Mr. Bennett refuses to take $1,000 in a stock company, but has offered to put that much in the enterprise provided the citizens would give him a bonus of $1,700. This there seems to be no inclination on the part of the people to do, therefore, in all probability, the money will have to be subscribed in stock, which will be altogether the best and most satisfactory method. We believe, after investigating the subject, that the necessary funds can be easily raised in stock worth a proper organization, and sufficient protection furnished stockholders, and if Mr. Nims proposition is accepted this will be done, as the well is to be completed before a cent of money is paid to him. Let our people investigate the matter, and act upon their best judgment, and we have no fears of the accomplishment of the enterprise, with all its attendant benefits.

THE CHARGE AGAINST DR. FERGUSON.

Last week Dr. Geo. Ferguson the druggist was arraigned before Justice Burridge on complaint of John Hibbard for selling liquor without a license. The charge against him is that he failed to keep a record of sales, as the law requires of a druggist, and that he had not filed with the Common Council the bond required by law.

The Doctor was arraigned before Justice Burridge last Friday, and bound over with bail at $500 to appear at the next term of the Circuit Court for trial. Prosecutor Salsbury attended the case in behalf of the people.

As this seems to be an unfortunate affair, to say the least, we shall not be hasty, either to condemn or to exonerate the accused. Knowing that there are generally two sides to such questions, we have prefered to wait for the evidence before expressing any decided opinion. The facts claimed by the prosecution are stated above.

The Doctor, as we are informed, states frankly that he kept the required record, until in the winter while the store was being repaired, the book got laid aside and it has since been neglected; that there was no criminal intent on his part, and whatever penalty attaches to the neglect, ought not to subject him to being singled out from the great mass of dealers in the state, who are known only to keep this record spasmodically.

In regard to selling without a license the Doctor states that he supposed blanks would be furnished for that purpose, and when he found out that such was not the case he went to Mr. Wood's office to engage him to draw up a bond. Owing to Mr. Wood's absence from home on business the execution of the bond had been delayed. Although his old bond had expired he supposed and still believes that his application to the Recorder for a bond was a declaration which legally entitled him to continue selling. Some nice points are involved in the case and people will await the final issue with considerable interest. To what extent will a technical neglect of the provisions of the liquor law subject a man to penalty, when no criminal intent is proven?

Hudson Post: Last week A. J. Webster, an attorney from Elyria, Ohio, put in an appearance at this place for the purpose of attempting the collection of a note against Bohemian Oat Warner. The most plainly visible manner of collecting seemed to be the attachment of Mr. Warner's team, but before the necessary steps could be taken, Warner and team could not be found. Mr. Webster was pretty thoroughly acquainted with the workings of the oat scheme, Mr. Warner and his partners having for the past few years operated in the section about Elyria. He denounced the whole business as a most ingenious sort of a fraud, and that farmers in Ohio had been terribly swindled. He has been employed as council in cases where suit has been brought against farmers who had given notes for oats to speculate with, and who had refused to pay the notes because the Bohemian oat company had failed to fulfil their contract. When they operated in Ohio the president of the company was represented to be in Canada. In Ohio they have sowed their oats, reaped their oats, and are now threshing them, the lawyers getting what little substance there is left, and the farmers being compelled to put up with the chaff. The question which now interests many, is whether Bohemian oat men are more honest in Michigan than in Ohio?

The Hudson Gazette has this item about our townsman John R. Clark:

The popular lecturer, John R. Clark spoke at the Methodist church to a large congregation on Sunday evening and about 200 on Monday. His subject the first evening, "Among the Masses," was admirably handled, and as a temperance discourse was the finest delivered in Hudson for some time. Mr. Clark spoke on this question from a moral standpoint. On Monday evening, according to announcement, he gave his lecture, "To-and-Fro in London." It was full of historical research and eulogies on prominent literary and public men, descriptions of noted buildings, and humorous recitations—all suggested by travel to-and-fro in the great metropolis of the world. Mr. Clark was born in London and passed his boyhood days in knocking about the streets as newsboy and bootblack. He knows a good deal about the "cruel lights of London town," and has a unique and most interesting way of imparting it to his audience. If he should visit Hudson again he will draw a much larger house.

The Hudson Gazette is too modest. It says: "The Tecumseh Herald longs for a circus. You ask too much all at once, Bro. Stacy. An organ grinder will do us very well for a starter."

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 14, 1885.

MY STOUT OLD HEART AND I.

My stout old heart and I are friends,
Two Bavarian friends together;
Nor daily wars, nor daily blows,
Have called out our white feather.
We've rested till the campaign ends—
For calm or stormy weather.

My stout old heart and I have been
Through serious scenes of trouble.
We've been denied, our hopes have died;
Our loads have been more than double.
And yet we've cried, "And we have seen
Some griefs in life's bubble."

My stout old heart and I have fought
Some bitter fights to endings;
And if or not we've victory got,
We're not been hurt past mending!
The wounds are all in front we've caught,
And easier for the mending.

My stout old heart and I, you see,
We understand each other.
—Old comrade true, my hand to you!
On honor, tell me whether
You're daunted yet—"To arms!" "beats" a
"Retreat is for another!"

Eyes right! Guide center! Forward march!
Dress where the colors fly.
—Six feet of grandest triumph's arch—
My stout old heart and I!

—*E. Hough, in Chicago Current.*

DUPLICITY PUNISHED.

"It Was Love as Did It"—A True Incident of Lowly Life.

Hannah, or "Hanner"—as she is generally spoken of in the circles in which she moves—Hodges is a cook in a pleasant house in the Fifth Ward. A most excellent cook is Hannah. She has no widowed mother who keeps a boarding house to supply with provisions, and consequently her employer gets on comfortably on a very moderate income. Neither does she cherish a cat which breaks things, and her male friends are never regaled with anything but cold roast that is actually unfit to again go on the table. Hannah is a model cook so far as culinary skill, cleanliness and management go.

And then she is tolerably good-looking. She has a broad, red face, and weighs perhaps one hundred and eighty pounds, and may be considered by critical folk somewhat too red and robust in the matter of arm, and her hair may be a trifle too thin, but a vast army of truckmen and cab drivers and servants in the houses thereabouts, do not consider these little matters as drawbacks. Possibly the rumor that she has, in a long course of earning wages and husbanding perquisites, saved one thousand dollars, somewhat mitigates the general severity of her appearance, and lends a charm to her which mere beauty, never more than skin deep, can not give. One thousand dollars is not a very large sum of money to a banker or a wholesale merchant, but to a hack driver, ambitious to swindle on his own account instead of doing it for another, it is a great deal. It means a hack of his own and luxury. Likewise a truckman who pants to own his own establishment does not consider a thousand dollars a matter to be lightly considered.

Two men, both truckmen, essayed the fair Hannah, and sought her hand in marriage, which is honorable. One was Seth Strawn and the other Henry Petter. Hannah treated them both well, and sat before them, with rigid impartiality, portions of cold beef precisely alike. They never came the same night, or if they did she was not at home to the last comer. They were both aware that they were both hated rivals, they each knew that the other was an aspirant for the hand of the maiden, and they hated each other as cordially as two men can hate. Men may compete in business and still be friendly. Generals may contend on bloody fields and love each other, but he who encounters another in the lists of love must necessarily hate him. Why it is so, is a conundrum.

Both had proposed to her, and both had urged her to be his. She liked them both, and had told each that she would be willing to marry them, only—

Only what?

One evening she had them both together, and she explained from what her hesitation sprang. She informed them that they were mere employed truckmen, and that their wages were about one dollar and twenty-five cents a day, or possibly less. With a sigh they assented by bowing their heads, but Mr. Strawn remarked that it would probably be better as soon as the times got better. Very good. But it would make no difference, as the price of beer would go up correspondingly with the betterment of the times. She would say nothing of her savings, which might or might not be large; but one thing she had determined to never do—she would not marry except it gave her independence. Her mother made the fatal mistake of wedding a man who was a journeyman shoemaker in London, and the result was that she (Hannah) was a cook, instead of dwelling in gilded halls. She did not wish to rise at once above her present station, she should put on no airs, she should cook her husband's meals and mend his clothes, and make her own, but he must at least have the means in hand, when she married him, to enable him to rise.

"In short, gentlemen," she continued, "this is my decision. The man who 'as my 'art, and consekently, my 'and, must hown 'is hown truck, and be a Join' bisnis on 'is hown haccount. Vich of you does this first may come and claim me."

Mr. Henry Petter sank back and groaned. He remarked that it would take an eternity for him to get a truck, and he bid her a tearful farewell forever, and retired. An idea, probably inspired by a stern determination to handle the one thousand dollars of which she was the reputed possessor, occurred to Mr. Strawn, and he seized her hand:

"Hannah," he exclaimed, "wait for me. You shall have me, and a truck, ere two days have passed over your head."

The next day a small street boy knocked at the area door and Hannah was requested to step out. She did so, and there in the street, before the house, was an elegant truck with two enormous horses, and on the truck in an attitude of triumph, stood Samuel, holding the reins.

"Mine!" he said. "Mine! Ha! ha! ha! I will be around to-night and take you to my sister's, where we will be married. Mine!"

In a delirium of joy, Hannah made her preparations. If the kitchen was not run as quite as good principles as usual, it was due entirely to the fact that the girl's mind was in a chaotic condition. To be the wife of a man who owned such a truck and such a pair of horses, was enough to upset the mind of any well regulated cook in Christendom.

That night at the humble dwelling of Samuel's sister, they were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. For the immediate present it was agreed that Hannah should retain her place, at least until Samuel could make arrangements for an establishment on top of a tenement house, of their own.

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Two days passed, Samuel spending the evenings with his wife in the comfortable kitchen. It was happiness for him to sit on her knee, with love in his heart and a corned-beef sandwich in his hand. He wished that it might be always thus, for his cup of happiness was full.

"Sammy, my dear, 'ow is bisnis?"

A cloud passed over Samuel's brow, and the mouthful of sandwich almost strangled him.

"Hannah, darlin', forgive me. It was love as did it! Love for you, dear, love for you!"

"Did what, Sammy?"

"Hannah, you must know it some time, and you may as well know it now. Ha'nt got no truck!"

"No truck?"

"Nary truck nor nary hoss. That establishment I borrowed for effect. But it was love that did it, and then I said to myself she will forgive me, and she will let me take her thousand dollars out of the savings bank, and I will get a truck, and we will be happy yet."

A subdued sigh, a relaxation of limb, and there was a hundred and eighty pounds of girl fainting on the floor. Samuel dashed water in her face, and she slowly revived.

"Samuel, we are miserable people. You 'ave no truck—I 'ave no thousand dollars—I 'aven't a cent!"

At first he was indignant at being deceived as to her financial condition, and then she was indignant at his deception in the matter of the truck. There was some hair on the floor, and Samuel stood for some minutes over the kitchen sink stopping the flow of blood from his nose; but finally, after passion had subsided and the situation was fully and fairly considered, they made it up and renewed their vows of eternal love and constancy.

The pair are rubbing along as best as they can. Mrs. Strawn, under her maiden name, is still cook, and Samuel is still working for his old employers. But they have quit the vanities of this life—Samuel beer, and Hannah ribbons—and they hope to save enough to produce at least a one-horse truck.

There is no especial moral to this, for there is no catastrophe. It is probably better for them that they have to shift, with nothing to begin with; for when they have earned and saved a fortune they will appreciate it.—*Toledo Blade.*

"JOHN."

A Monosyllable Name Which Has Been Prolific of Derivations.

As a family name it is sometimes found as a plain John, then as St. John, and then its first changes is into Johns, then comes Jones, Johnson, Johncock, Jonkins, Jenkens, Jennings, Jenkinson, Jenks, Jinks and Jinkinson. By additions we have Littlejohn, Brownjohn and Properjohn. No argument is needed to prove the popularity of Jack. As a nickname it is fixed beyond all fear of abolition, and from a nickname it passed by easy stages to a reputable place among the family names. Jack is not very common, but Jacks is more frequent, and Jackson no longer excites remark. We have little idea how wonderfully popular the name Jack used to be. "Everybody was Jack till he was found to be some one else, so that every man Jack of them was a common term for a crowd and its integral parts for ages. Every servant whose name or office happened to be unknown, went by the name of Jack, and thus an idea of utility was attached to the character of Jack, which, when articles of household use were one after another invented, came into play in giving them names also, and thus we have boot-jacks and black-jacks and smoke-jacks and jack-towels, together with Jacks for this, that and other purpose, until the name became so common as to be inconvenient. Then came an idea that Jack must be a cunning sort of fellow, and so the appelation gradually applied itself to the smarter of the animal kingdom, and thus came the jackdaw, the jack-an-apes and the jack-pike. But as familiarity is a potent breeder of contempt, the very commonness of the name threw it into disrepute as having something stupid about it, and we thus gained jack-fool or jack-pudding, or a buffoon, and jackass for a dolt. This is a sad fall for the name of the beloved disciple, but to such uses will a name sometimes come. It is curious to know that the name John became common in the western part of Europe only after the crusades, when the pilgrims to the Holy Land always carried as a part of their outfit a bottle designed to hold the water from the River Jordan brought home for baptismal purposes. The great forerunner of Christ came into public notice among the pilgrims, and it was probably more on his account than on that of the beloved disciple that the name assumed such a place in the popular regard.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

—A bookseller in Liverpool offers a collection of autographs, and among them the autographs of "Adams (C. Francis), late President of the U. S. A., letter of three pages signed and dated London, June 20, 1868, three shillings and sixpence."

GEN. GRANT AND HIS HORSES.

Reminiscences by Coachman Hawkins—Two Famous Steeds.

Every one who knows General Grant is aware that he has always been an admirer of thoroughbred horses. When he first entered the White House as President of the United States, he owned over a hundred head of horses, which he kept at his farm near St. Louis. The foreman of the stables in which these horses were kept was Albert Hawkins, who is now coachman for President Cleveland. No one knows better than Albert how devoted General Grant was to horses, and some of his reminiscences on the subject of General Grant and his stock may not prove uninteresting reading at this time. Albert has been a public character long enough to know when and how to talk to newspaper reporters. Just at this time it is a difficult matter to obtain any information at the White House, from the President down to the stable hands. As General Grant is just now uppermost in the thoughts of the people of the whole world, Albert no doubt felt that he was at liberty to join in the discussion concerning his "old boss," as he terms General Grant. Albert says General Grant was an excellent judge of horseflesh. It was a difficult matter to deceive him in a horse trade, because he is familiar with all the points that are considered in examining them. He could look into a horse's mouth and tell his exact age within a few months. He always insisted that his horses should never be ill used, either in or out of the stable. They were given the best kind of feed, furnished with large, comfortable stalls and regularly exercised. Any man who was known to ill treat or misuse one of his horses was immediately dismissed. The General took a fancy to Albert because he was always kind and gentle in dealing with the stock under his charge. After the General became President he sold many of his horses in St. Louis, and directed Albert to come to Washington, and he attributes all his good fortune and continuous employment to the fact that he never ill used a dumb beast. The General's favorite horses were Cincinnati, Egypt and Jeff Davis. The former was as gentle as a lamb, and he knew and obeyed the General at all times and under all circumstances. Cincinnati was a good saddle horse, in addition to being a first class horse in harness. The General could ride him to any point in the city, jump off his back and leave him unhitched for any length of time. No matter how long the General remained away, when he returned Cincinnati was there waiting for him. He did not pay any attention to circus parades, and was not to be frightened by noise and confusion on the street. When the General directed him to stand and wait for him, Cincinnati would not bulge till the General had mounted him. During the General's second term in the White House, arrangements were made for an equestrian statue representing Grant mounted on his favorite war horse Cincinnati. Albert says he can not remember the name of the sculptor, but he recollects the circumstances. Every day for nearly a month the General would go down to the stable, have the bridle and saddle put on Cincinnati, and off he would go to meet the sculptor. On several occasions Albert accompanied him to a beautiful spot in the vicinity of the Soldiers' Home, where the cast was made, and General Grant frequently visited the Presidential stables, went into the stalls and talked to his horses just as though they were human beings and were capable of understanding every word he said to them. The Jeff Davis horse was a terrible kicker and biter and the stable hands were afraid to go near his stall. His feed had to be passed in to him from an adjoining stall. The General, however, had complete control over him, and he could enter his stall, handle him as he desired, and, in fact, do anything he wanted with him. Old Jeff knew his voice, for as soon as the General entered the stable he would throw back his ears and move around restlessly in his stall until the General showed him some attention. On several occasions the stable hands tried to deceive Jeff by imitating the General's voice, but as soon as he discovered the deception he made his heels play a lively tune on the side of his stall. Albert has remained at the White House during the administrations of Grant, Hayes, Garfield and Arthur, and will probably be retained by Cleveland.—*Washington Cor. Boston Herald.*

The Torpedo.

A machine has just been patented which promises to render the torpedo still more effective. Hitherto there has always been a great element of uncertainty in the action of marine explosives, and not unfrequently they have completely falsified the calculations of those who have employed them. The torpedo has, indeed, sometimes proved more destructive to those who used it than to the enemy against whom it was directed. The new machine is called the "torpedo guide," and it is claimed that it can control, with absolute certainty, the action of the explosive at a distance of three miles. As the torpedo is launched on its errand of destruction a thin insulated wire is paid off, and, as the wire immediately sinks, communication can not be destroyed by the enemy. The operator controls the movements of the torpedo by transmitting a negative or positive current of electricity, and the "guide" is so constructed that the attack can be directed to any given point with mathematical precision. Even if the ship from which the torpedo proceeded were moving in one direction, and the vessel attacked in another, the torpedo could still be employed, it is stated, with deadly certainty.—*N. Y. Post.*

—A California Judge has decided that a man can not recover damages from the parents who ejected him from their house for frightening their baby into spasms while attempting to kiss it.

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—A silent partner is one who makes no noise and leaves nothing.

—Babies cry for the same reason that some men swear. It's because they don't know any better.—*N. Y. Journal.*

—The last symptom of the "lady" craze is in a recent advertisement in a New York paper, which says: "A young lady would like a position as Dish-Washer in a restaurant."

—A family in New York were poisoned by buckwheat cakes. There is nothing safe at present but fasting, and even that becomes dangerous after a certain length of time.—*Troy Times.*

—"The way to sleep," says a scientist, "is to think of nothing." When an editor wants to slumber all he has to do is to try and remember how much money he has in the world.—*Boston Post.*

—A "condensed" edition of Webster's dictionary is announced. This may improve the work without destroying the plot. We have always regarded the volume as too prolix.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—The fact that all the peach-blossoms have been killed and the fact that next summer we will have just as many peaches as ever lead to only one inference, and that is that peaches do not grow on peach-trees.—*Boston Post.*

—The Lawyers way:

Said Tom to Harry, "Can you tell
How lawyers do to dress so well?"
Said Harry, "Yes, they're so defiant,
To get a suit they strip their client."
Said Tom, "You're wrong, they closer nip him;
They first obtain the suit—then strip him."

—No one is ever killed by lightning when asleep in bed, according to the assertion of an English electrician. Whenever you hear a clap of thunder always go to bed and fall asleep immediately. This is a sure precaution.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—"So Mr. Blank was here to-day?" Servant—"Yes, sir." "And you told him what I said, I suppose?" "Yes, sir." "Did he take umbrage?" "I didn't notice sir; but if he did, he'll bring it back. He's a very particular gentleman, you know!"—*Boston Transcript.*

—Young Lady (at hotel table)—Do you know that vulgar person at the adjoining table who is eating with his knife? Another Young Lady—Is it possible you don't know Mr. Smith, whose uncle has just died and left him a million dollars? Young Lady—No; is that he? How gracefully he handles his knife.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Teacher—"Now, what do you understand by brain work?" Boy—"When a man works with his head." Teacher—"Correct. And what is manual labor?" Boy—"When a man works with his hands." Teacher—"That's right. To which of these classes do I belong when I teach you. What do I use most in teaching you?" Boy—"A strap."—*Texas Siftings.*

—"See here," said the managing editor, kindly, but firmly, to the young man who has just come to do the fires and dog-fights, and assume general charge of the entire paper; "you must be a little more careful in your grammar and spelling. You make too much trouble for the compositor and proof-reader. You say in this article he had went' and 'we have never saw.' Then you spell 'separate' with two ps and four es, and you say 'we have come to the conclution' and 'that we are horra-fide at the bear ideea.' Now, you must be more careful and'—— "Aw, well, look here, Shorty," cried the new young man, "give a fellow a chance. You got to remember I've been in college for eight years and haven't had a chance to learn anything." The managing editor forgave him, and promoted him to the carrier department.—*Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.*

Lace and Tulle Bonnets.

French laces imitating real thread laces are used for making entire bonnets, and for partly trimming others. Wide scarfs or barbes of lace are doubled and have the edges gathered together across the top, and the closed part then forms the crown, while the lower edges are fulled in, and covered with a bandeau of jet in which are many pendent beads. This bandeau edges the front also, and flowers with loops of velvet or of watered ribbon form the high trimming, and the strings match the ribbon loops. Poppy red tulle of French crape and black lace make a stylish contrast in such bonnets. For instance, red tulle forms the lengthwise puffs of a bonnet, mounted on a transparent foundation of wires, bordered with jet drop trimming, and finished on top with a jet butterfly of mammoth size resting on a lace bow; the strings are poppy red velvet ribbon two inches wide. Similar bonnets are trimmed in front with puffs of French crape of the brilliant coquelicot red, and still others have black piece-lace mounted on a red foundation. Cresson green watered ribbons are also used on black lace bonnets by fashionable French milliners. Gold galloon in many loops is laid over the brim of black lace bonnets, while still others have a combination of gilt lace with French lace like that in favor last autumn.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—While the ice carnival may bring fish to the net of Montreal, it is not popular with the other cities in Canada. The Sarnia *Canadian* declares that Americans in general, through hearing of nothing save snow-shoes, toboggans and ice palaces, get the idea that Ontario is a "frozen-up country," with nine months of winter. "Not one out of a hundred of the people of Ontario," says the *Canadian*, "knows what a toboggan is like, and not one out of a thousand uses snowshoes."

—The skating craze attains its highest development in the country. City people have little idea of it. A Vermont clergyman, in a recent address, expressed the idea that a moderate use of the rink was well enough for children, but he said he had known of instances in which men had left their work, farmers even in their busy season and gone in their overalls to the skating rink.—*N. Y. Sun.*

A New Orleans paper refers editorially to the wonderful restoration to health of Mr. T. Posey, druggist, 225 Canal street, that city, who some time ago was prostrated by an excruciating attack of sciatica. After much suffering his wife applied St. Jacob's Oil, which cured him promptly and entirely.

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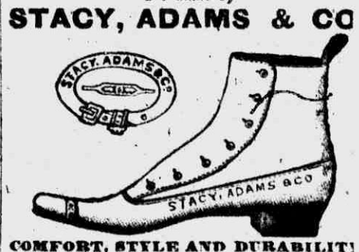

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As an artful dodger, Johnny Bull takes the cake.

Buffalo is remarkably modest. Although that city is President Cleveland's home, it has neither asked nor received any office as yet.

Gov. Alger has vetoed the minority representation bill in the interest of the corporations to which he owes his election. All right. The people will veto him, in case he should conclude to stand for re-election.

O. B. Griggs of Plainfield, Ind. is a very polite as well as grateful man. He published a card in the local paper tendering his sincere thanks to the choir of Plainfield who so kindly and satisfactorily sang at the funeral of his mother-in law.

The money in the United States treasury vaults has all been counted and a deficiency of only two cents discovered. A big search for three missing dollars was made and these were discovered where they had rolled from a broken package.

The New York World has abundant reason to congratulate itself upon its marvelous success in working up the popular subscriptions to the Bartholdi pedestal fund. The sum already received has almost reached $50,000. The World is a great newspaper.

An exchange says: Secretary Bayard gives out that he doesn't read the newspapers and doesn't care what they say about him or his administration of affairs. We thought something had gone wrong with the man even before we heard what it was. That was formerly the boast of Ben Butler, and he some time since found out that it was poor policy for a public man to defy public opinion.

Prof. Sumner, of Yale College says: Protection drives capital out of those industries which do pay into those which don't. Can we get rich by taxing each other? Can we increase prosperity by scalping each other. That's the whole question. Suppose, now we are all here, we lock the doors and begin to peacefully swap watches, jewelry and money, or to plunder each other: how much better off shall we be to-morrow morning unless somebody comes in with more money? Protection sets A to work and helps B to live on him.

Hon. J. K. Boies, of Hudson, writes a very readable Florida letter, in which he speaks of the liquor laws there as follows: "The laws here require a man desiring to engage in the liquor traffic to present to the county commissioners a petition signed by a majority of the registered voters in the township or ward where he proposes to sell. He must then pay a state tax of $500, a county tax of $250, and such municipal tax as the township or village or city boards shall determine. The result is that the traffic is very much limited and restricted, and confined almost entirely to the large towns."

The appointment of Geo. V. N. Lothrop, of Detroit, as minister to Russia, brings home to the Democrats of Michigan in a most emphatic manner, the theory on which the President's appointments have nearly all been made. In making his selections he strives to choose men of high character and integrity and peculiar fitness for the trust bestowed, rather than professional politicians. Mr. Lothrop's appointment is conceded by all who know the man to be a peculiarly happy one. He is not only the leader of the Michigan bar, but a man of ripe scholarship and a successful man of affairs. And yet it is safe to say that five sixths of the voters of New York state never heard of the man, and the small potato office seekers of New York might well ask themselves "Who is the new minister to Russia, any way?" These United States have grown to be quite a sizable country, and there are a great many good and able men residing therein. The fact that an appointee to an important office does not enjoy the national reputation of a Hendricks or a McClellan, is no proof that he is unfitted for his post. It is a significant fact that, with a few minor exceptions, nearly every appointment thus far made by President Cleveland has been just as enthusiastically endorsed by the state in which the appointee resides, as Mr. Lothrop's appointment has been by the citizens of Michigan.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT, MAY 1, 1885.

For this report returns have been received from 870 correspondents representing 663 townships. Five hundred and ninety four of the returns are from 408 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

At Lansing the average temperature during April was 43.97°F. The average for the same month in 1884 was 47.30 degrees, in 1883, 46 degrees, and in 1882, 45 degrees. The highest temperature recorded was on the 23d, 80 degrees, and the lowest on the 4th and 13th, 23 degrees. Four and one half inches of snow fell on the 11th, and four inches on the 15th, and about one and one half inches of rain fell during the month.

The estimates of correspondents show the condition of the wheat crop in the southern four tiers of counties to be 104 per cent, and in the counties north of the southern four tiers, 99 per cent of condition one year ago. Compared with vitality and growth of average years, the condition in the southern counties is 101 per cent, and in the northern counties 98 per cent. These figures indicate an aggregate product of 24,872,962 bushels. With favorable weather until harvest, it is believed the yield is more likely to exceed than to fall below this amount. The number of acres in wheat is about five per cent less than in 1884, but of the area seeded not more than one per cent will be plowed up because winter killed or otherwise destroyed. The loss from winter killing of small patches on knolls and other exposed places is not greater than usual.

Concerning the condition of the growing wheat crop in the United States, we take the following from April report of the United States Department of Agriculture: "The present condition of wheat, as reported, is worse than in 1883. It is 77 per cent against 96 last year and 89 in 1883. In 1881, the year of lowest recent rate of yield, the condition April 1 was 85, and serious loss was sustained afterwards. The real status of the crop will be better shown a month hence, when the vitality of the roots has been demonstrated and the character of the spring determined. On the present showing, the reduction of yield on the basis of last year's production promises to be more than 50,000,000 bushels from winter-killing and low vitality, in addition to the loss from diminished breadth. Whether the crop will exceed 400,000,000 bushels or fall short of it depends upon the reliability of present appearances and on future conditions affecting growth and ripening."

Reports have been received of the quantity of wheat marketed by farmers during the month of April at 163 elevators and mills. Of these 147 are in the southern four tiers of counties, which is 31 per cent of the whole number of elevators and mills in these counties. The total number of bushels reported marketed is 256,708, of which 139,309 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 84,610 bushels in the second tier; 30,944 bushels in the third tier; 16,420 bushels in the fourth tier, and 5,425 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. At 23 elevators and mills, or 14 per cent of the whole number from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels reported marketed in nine months, August—April, is 7,427,164. This is 30 per cent of the crop of 1884. In May, 1884, 35 per cent of the 1883 crop had been reported marketed. Six per cent of the area in clover has been winter-killed. Clover not winter-killed is 96 per cent of condition May 1, 1884. In condition, horses are 97, cattle 92, sheep 92, and swine 96, 100 representing stock in good, healthy and thrifty condition. Apples promise 68 per cent of an average crop. One year ago we published a compilation of the statements of correspondents in the southern four tiers of counties relative to the condition of wheat and other crops. We omit such compilation this month because the statements of the different correspondents in the several counties are so nearly alike it seems useless to repeat them. As a rule, wheat is reported in good condition, the exception being, of course, that on high knolls, side hills and low ground. The roots of many pieces that looked brown on the first of the month are believed to be alive. A number of correspondents believe that the yield per acre will exceed the yield in 1884, while others state that the prospect for a good crop is better than for a number of years.

THE DEFEAT OF MR. JUSTICE COOLEY.

The American bar have learned with pain that one of the greatest jurists which this country ever produced has just been defeated of a re-election to the Supreme Bench of his own State, though in the full strength of his powers and at the very height of his usefulness. Thomas M. Cooley as a constitutional lawyer takes rank by the side of Story and Marshall. As a writer on constitutional law he is superior to Story, because he is more accurate, less diffuse and not as vain of a display of learning. His legal judgments surpass those of Story in brevity and diction. They equal those of Marshall in diction and massive reasoning and greatly surpass them in learning. No judge has ever lived in this country possessing a more enlightened spirit of justice or a more evenly balanced judicial mind. His work on Torts is the finest epitome of the law on that subject which has ever been written in the English language. His labors as lecturer in the law school of the University of Michigan have given him a personal acquaintance with the members of the bar in every section of the Union. Through his labors as an instructor, an author and a judge he has acquired a hold upon the good opinions of his professional brethern such as is probably enjoyed by no other living lawyer.—Central Law Journal.

The common council of Morenci have discharged their night police. The old story of economy at the spigot.

THE NEW DRAIN LAW.

We condense from the Evening News the following relative to the new drain law, a matter in which the residents of Raisin, Ridgeway and Macon are considerably interested:

The present law provides, in case of drains traversing more than one county, that the judge of probate of either county shall appoint a special commissioner to construct such drain. This has invariably proved a failure. The bill provides that such drains shall be constructed under the joint supervision of the drain commissioners of the several counties affected by such drain. The present law provides that the board of supervisors of each county may appoint a drain commissioner. The bill makes it their duty to do so. The election of township drain commissioners every two years is not changed in the bill. The present law compels the commissioner to assess all the drain taxes in one year; but the bill gives the commissioner the right to spread it over two years in his discretion, but all expenses incurred previous to the letting of contracts must be paid out of the first year's assessments. The present law is defective as to the manner of returning and collecting delinquent drain taxes, which is corrected in the bill by providing that such taxes shall be returned and returned like all other taxes. The bill makes it the duty of the commissioner to report to the township clerk of each township in which lands benefited by the drains are located, the amount assessed upon the township for public benefit and the amount of the assessment for benefits on each description on the last Wednesday of September of each year, and such clerk makes a certified statement of the same to the supervisor before the first day of October. The present law provides that the commissioner shall construct bridges wherever any drain crosses an enclosed field. The bill strikes this out as expensive and unnecessary, but when the drain crosses a highway it makes it the duty of the highway commissioner to construct a bridge. The bill gives the drain commissioner the right and power to administer oaths and take acknowledgements of release of right of way. It also limits the jurisdiction of the township drain commissioner to cases where the beginning, entire course and terminus of the drain are within the township, and where the lands to be assessed for benefits are within such township. County drain commissioners have concurrent jurisdiction with the township commissioners in cases where the drain is located in one township, and exclusive jurisdiction in all cases where it traverses more than one township. In all cases the bill has been made to conform with supreme court decisions in former drain laws. The present bill is clearly worded, each provision logically succeeding the other. It is more than likely that the farmers of Michigan will regard this bill, if it passes the legislature, as the best ever enacted in this or any other state.

THE NEW MINISTER TO RUSSIA.

The appointment of George V. N. Lothrop of Detroit as minister to Russia is received with the greatest satisfaction wherever Mr. Lothrop is known. We clip the following biographical sketch from the Evening News:

The news of yesterday concerning Hon. Geo. V. N. Lothrop's appointment as minister to Russia is received with the greatest delight by the Michigan democracy. The following sketch of Mr. Lothrop is from the Detroit News:

George Van Ness Lothrop was born at Easton, Bristol county, Conn., Aug. 8, 1817. His early years were spent on his father's farm. Graduating from Brown university in 1838 he entered the law school of Harvard university, but in 1839 he removed on account of ill health to Prairie Ronde, Kalamazoo county, Michigan, where his brother, Hon. Edwin H. Lothrop, had a large farm. After restoring his health he came to Detroit in '43, and resumed the study of law, beginning practice in '44 as a partner of D. Bethune Duffield, under the firm name of Lothrop & Duffield, which continued until 1856. In April, 1848, he was appointed attorney-general of the state, and held the office until January 1851. Some excitement occurred about this time in consequence of a real or supposed purpose of the Roman catholics in Detroit to secure a portion of the school funds for the benefit of their schools. Mr. Lothrop enlisted earnestly in a popular movement to counteract the scheme, and was elected recorder on an independent citizen's ticket. He has two or three times received the complimentary vote of the democratic members of the state legislature for United States senator. He was a member of the state constitutional convention of 1867. For 25 years he was general attorney of the Michigan Central railroad.

From the time of his entrance upon actual professional life Mr. Lothrop has enjoyed a wide celebrity throughout Michigan as a lawyer and politician, and a cultured, courteous, and popular gentleman of the old school. For many years he has been considered the most prominent lawyer and orator of Michigan, and the fact was tacitly recognized that if the democratic party ever came into power he would be given one of the best positions. Mr. Lothrop led the Michigan delegation at Charleston national convention in 1860, and really headed the Douglas sentiment in that body. During the war he gave a cordial support to all just and necessary measures of the government. Mr. Lothrop is prominent in social and literary circles, and one of the prominent figures in the project for a museum of art in the city.

The VanWert, (Ohio) Bulletin is responsible for the following:

The Bohemian oats gang, which has been swindling many farmers in this and surrounding counties, found their match in a man named Hogue, who resides near Enterprise. He took an agency and was furnished 200 bushels of the stuff. When the general agent called on him to ascertain his success as an agent, he learned to his loss, that Hogue had fed the 200 bushels to his stock, as he said "just to see the improvement over the old fashioned oats." A law suit will follow.

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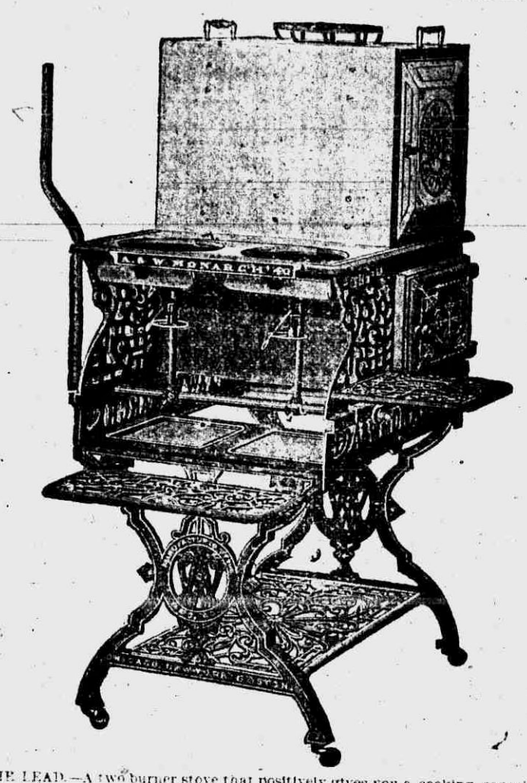

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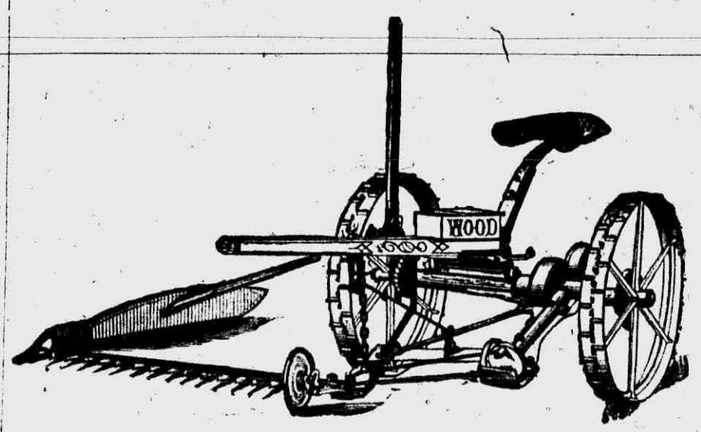

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TECUMSEH I. E COMPANY.
WM. BOWEN.

BOARD OF REVIEW.—Notice is hereby given that the township Board of Review of the township of Tecumseh will meet at the Council Building in the village of Tecumseh, on Tuesday the 19th inst. and on Monday, the 25th inst., at nine o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll of said township.
WM. BRESIE,
JEHIEL DAVIDSON,
A. P. CODDINGTON,
Board of Review of Tecumseh.

FOR SALE.—Heavy buggy. Enquire at COLE'S, MARKET.

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P. O. Box, 106.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—I offer for sale, on easy terms, my house and lot situated on northwest corner of Mill and Brown streets in village of Tecumseh, formerly known as the Geo. W. Pennock residence, or if desired will exchange the same for land. Apply to undersigned at his residence on north side of Brown street, 2d house east of railroad.
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V. B. Snyder & Son, the old reliable carpet house of Toledo, have a new announcement in this issue of the HERALD.

Rev. W. H. Babbitt, pastor of the Presbyterian church will deliver the third Anniversery sermon of his ministry in Tecumseh next sabbath morning. Members of the church and congregation will all be present, it is hoped. An invitation is extended to all the scholars of the Sunday School to be present also.

E. G. Cook has been making some important repairs and improvements upon his family residence which will greatly add to its convenience and comfort. A portico has been extended along the east side of the upright part of the house. A large bay window has been placed in the vestibule, opening out upon the new portico. The room in the rear of the vestibule has been enlarged into a fine family room, with a bath adjoining it, at the north east corner. The new rooms and vestibule will be handsomely decorated with wall and ceiling decorations. Mr. Cook is always making improvements of some kind, for he believes in enjoying life.

Arbor day was but little observed in Michigan. This is to be regretted. Our forests are being destroyed with a reckless extravagance that will bring its own punishment in the course of time. Statistics show that the destruction of the forests of the country from fires alone amounts to upwards of $20,000,000 annually. Every year there is upwards of 30,000,000 fine trees destroyed by railways to be made into ties. Millions of acres of forest are wiped out annually to be converted into lumber for building purposes. But little process of reparation thus far has been made. In a few States of the Union tree planting is beginning to be observed. But it is not at all commensurate with the destruction going on. It is but a drop in the bucket. We destroy, but do not repair. We cut down, but do not replant. Thus the soil is shorn of its fertility, droughts are more frequent and floods are on the increase. It is time to turn over a new leaf—to look carefully to the preservation of what forest yet remains to us, and to renew by annual planting, by cutting understandingly, and with wisdom and judgment have some regard for the future.

GETTING READY FOR BUSINESS.

A green looking stripling, about six feet tall and as corpulent as a bean pole, sauntered into Satterthwaite's hardware store the other day and propounded to "Boley" a few questions:

"D'ye keep stope pipe fer sale here, mister?"

"Yes, sir, we have all kinds of stove pipe."

"D'ye keep milk pans and slap-jack griddles, and cookin' truck ginrally?"

"Of course, that is in our line."

"And knives and forks and dishpans and spittoons and rattle boxes?"

"Yes, sir."

"D'ye sell on trust?"

"That depends on the customer. When we strike a good looking man like you we are disposed to accommodate."

"Wall, I'll make out a list. The fact is I went to see Sal last Sunday evening, and afore tearin myself away I popped the question. Sal was awfully flustrated, and wanted four weeks to consider, but she whispered in my ear as I kissed her good night, that she'd say "yes" when the four weeks was up. So I thought as how I'd better be looking up some kitchin truck and be gittin ready for bizness."

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 14, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Now plant your onion sets.

Fix up your chicken coops.

Sharpen your lawn mowers.

Repair all the old sidewalks.

Tear down the old front fence.

A Riga farmer has sold 80 bushels of pop-corn this spring.

Clean up generally, buy a new suit of clothes and be happy.

The Michigan State Directory for 1885 is now ready for delivery.

The Moorville cheese factory is to be converted into a creamery.

The mills are beginning to grind out new postmasters of the fourth class.

A. W. Slayton is in Ithica this week making a large shipment of lumber east.

Decoration Day will be very generally observed throughout the county this year.

The Clinton Woolen mills are expected to begin running about the first of June.

Saloon bonds in Fairfield have been fixed at $6,000. The result is there is not a saloon in town.

The clerk of the weather, having got over his spree, seems to be settling down to business this week.

Postmaster Britton's loss on his official stock by fire has been allowed by the postoffice department.

A meeting of the Lenawee County teacher's association will be held in Adrian on Saturday May 23d.

A. W. Slayton's infant daughter, who has been seriously ill, we are happy to say is now convalescent.

The mandamus case of the water works against the city of Adrian, came on yesterday and is still on trial.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co. give the people a little wholesome advice on the gasoline stove question this week.

J. P. Beckley, of Petersburg, has purchased the John Britton store at Britton, and is now putting in a srock of hardware. Mr. Beckley has had experience in that line of business, and intends to run a first class establishment.

O. P. Bills has lately purchased a splendid Racine boat costing $90, which will soon be launched on the Globe pond. A suitable boat-house has been constructed for its safe keeping. It will be the finest boat of the Globe pond fleet.

Rev. Locker, who has been evangelizing for the Free Methodists in Adrian, won the affections of Mrs. Sarah Hughes, a soldier's widow, and the wedding day was set last week. A few hours before the time appointed for the nuptials, Sheriff Whitmore received a telegram stating that the reverend gentleman had a wife and children living in Jackson. The wedding has been indefinitely postponed.

The Ohio Farmer has been giving prizes for the best essays on different farm topics. Six essays on market gardening were presented, among which was one from Abner Wilson of this village. The committee on examination decided his to be the best essay of the six and awarded him the first prize of $15,00. Mr. Wilson is not only an excellent scholar but is thoroughly posted upon that specialty, and consequently his essays are well worth reading.

Morenci Observer: About 4 o'clock one morning of this week it was discovered that smoke was filling Postmaster Cottrell's house, and a hasty investigation showed that the cause was a nice blaze just starting up down cellar in the incubator with which the asst. postmaster has of late been experimenting. The timely discovery prevented much damage being done, but that machine has been moved where it will not "incubate" another dangerous fire.

The committee of the G. A. R. having in charge the arrangements for Decoration Day held a meeting Monday evening and blocked out a program of exercises. A few special committees are yet to be appointed, and the program in full will be presented in the HERALD of next week. We can assure our readers however, that the arrangements are nearly completed, and that a better program has never been presented in Tecumseh than will be given this year. The committee have done their part faithfully, and if good weather shall be vouchsafed to us, the celebration will be a grand success.

Prof. Bailey's Astronomical lecture last Tuesday evening was listened to by a rather small but highly delighted audience. By the aid of the Cosmosphere he was enabled to make many of the intricacies of astronomy plain to all, and those who might have attended and remained away missed an evening of instruction and enjoyment. The Post made a mistake in not getting a nigger show. A third rate nigger show would have filled the Opera House, from the orchestra chairs to the back gallery. We are pleased to learn however that the net receipts of the entertainment were about $30. They should have been double that sum.

J. J. Daly has a new card in the HERALD this week.

D. C. LeBaron of Toledo was in in town last Saturday.

W. & S.W. Anderson & Co., have a new card in this weeks paper.

A young ladies reading society is the latest club organized in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Col. Savlers, of St. Louis, Mich., is enjoying a brief visit with her mother, Mrs. P. Bills.

Mrs. Hattie Hurd, of Ann Arbor, is spending a few days this week with her Tecumseh acquaintances.

"The Boys" will give a hop at Armory Hall Friday evening, May 22nd. Music by Ollie Hunt's orchestra.

The commission of the Adrian postmaster expired yesterday. A new man will doubtless be appointed very soon.

On and after this date every 20th cash purchaser will be presented with a pair of boots or shoes free at Joe Wilson's.

George Williamson is at Homer this week buying eggs for Ed. Williamson. He picked up 8000 dozen at Allagan last week

On Tuesday evening next, Al Aten, of Tecumseh, will skate a one mile race against Frank Burtis, of Ypsilanti, at the Rink.

Truman D. McKinney of this village has just received a patent for a new style of horse hay fork. A half interest in the invention is assigned to J. J. Freeman.

The mandamus case of the water works against the city of Adrian was decided on Tuesday against the former, the court holding that the action of mandamus would not lie. The water works company will now be compelled to sue on the contract in the circuit court.

The entertainment given by Prof. Morris at the Opera House last Thursday evening attracted a good audience. The tricks of his trained dogs are something wonderful, and some of them showed almost human intelligence. The audience was made up largely of children who enjoyed the fun immensely.

The Chicago Herald completed the fourth year of its existance last Sunday. It is a remarkably precocious child for one of its age. Complete in its news, able in its editorials, perfect in its mechanical make-up and typography, it already takes the lead among the cheap dailies of the Western metropolis.

C. J. Brewer, accompanied by his brother Albert, left for the Arkansas Hot Springs Tuesday afternoon. He intended to go last week but was delayed a few days to arrange his business affairs. We sincerely hope he may find a few weeks sojourn there beneficial to him and may return with his health fully restored.

Sarah E. Round's Readings at the Baptist church last Friday evening were listened to by a good audience to the satisfaction of all. Her selections were all finely rendered. The program was interspersed with vocal and instrumental music by home talent. The Library Fund was replenished to the amount of $10.70.

The Balch postoffice is in rather a mixed condition. First the announcement was made that Edgar R. Wells had been appointed postmaster. Then the word came that Edward C. Rauch was the lucky man. Now we understand that Mr. Rauch has sold his business and intends to remove to Monroe. But the riddle will soon be solved and Mr. Wells will probably be the custodian of Uncle Sam's mail at Balch.

Adrian Press: It is said that the new medical pension board will retain Dr. Reynolds, and that Dr. Hull and Dr. Todd, both of this city, will be the other members. Old soldiers will receive square treatment at their hands. We cannot say a word against either member, but we think perhaps one physician from outside the city should have been on the board. Possibly the reduction in fees one half, makes the place undesirable for a physician who has to be to the expense of getting to the city.

Hudson Post: A well-defined case of hydrophobia in sheep occurred in Rollin last week. The sheep, fifteen in number, belonged to Dan Foster, who lives north of Posy Lake. They would fight among themselves, butting each other as long as they could stand. Mr. Foster was compelled to kill the lot, which he did last Thursday and Friday. Olney Stafford, who lives near Foster, also killed three effected in the same way. It is not known when the sheep were bitten, or by whose dogs.

Rev. J. M. Getchell moved his household effects from Norwalk, Ohio, via. the Wheeling and Lake Erie and M. & O. roads. He left Norwalk Thursday at twelve o'clock with his goods and horse and buggy in a freight car, and arrived at Toledo Friday morning where the M. & O. train was waiting. His car was attached to the M. & O. freight and was in Tecumseh at 9:30 on Friday morning. He feels himself under special obligations to the M. & O. officials for the prompt and obliging manner in which he was treated by them.

Fred Smiley, of Addison, is in town to-day.

Joe Emeny, of Adrian, was in town yesterday.

Dike Willkinson, of Jackson, was in town yesterday.

Geo. Kies sold his horse to Chicago parties last week for $200.

Judge Geddes returned last week from a trip to the New Orleans Expositon.

The township Board of Review will meet at the Council Building on the 19th and 25th of this month.

You can get every thing in the line of Millinery for about one half price at the new store in Adrian.

Mr. J. S. Strong has laid a new flag stone side walk in front of his residence. Marstellar did the work.

James Cole, of Denver Colo., an old Tecumseh boy, is visiting friends in town this week. He now has a position in the paint shop of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R.

Adrian Record: The Deerfield Star paralyzes its city contemporaries with the announcement that its sanctum floor has got a carpet on it. Just as soon as a printer becomes wealthy he launches out into luxury.

The southern Michigan trotting, running and pacing circuit meets as follows: Brooklyn, June 10, 11 and 12: Hudson, June 17, 18 and 19: Morenci, June 24, 25 and 26: Wauseon, July 2, 3 and 4. Total premiums, $3,650.

James Elliott has been at Ann Arbor a portion of each week for several weeks, having his eyes treated. They are improving now and he hopes to be able to discontinue his visits there in a short time.

No printed invitations have been issued for the hop Friday evening, May 22nd, but "The Boys" would be pleased to see all who feel inclined to trip the light fantastic toe and will spare no pains toward their enjoyment.

Adrian Record: Tecumseh has two bands and is sighing for open air concerts and a band stand erected, "to give the boys a chance to show what they can do." Invite 'em in after a serenade and they will show what they can do in cleaning out the pantry.

Mrs. Robert Boyd was taken suddenly with apoplexy on Monday morning last and died the next morning. Her death removes a valuable member from the Presbyterian church and a most useful and beloved member from the society of our village. Funeral this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The new Millinery and Ladies furnishing goods house just opened in Adrian, from N. Y. in the old stand of Conklin & Foster next door to Stebbins' furniture store, is doing a tremendous business. The prices are so low that every one is rushing there to get a new bonnet or hat at about one half the price they have been in the habit of paying.

You cannot over estimate the importance of keeping your premises as clean as possible this summer. With cholera in western Europe it seems more than possible that we may have a visit from it before winter comes again. Let every one do his share toward keeping the village in a good sanitary condition by carefully looking after his own premises.

Adrian Press: Elias Priest is a Tecumseh gentleman, and yet it is recorded that on Sunday of last week, he was the recipient of a stunning blow from a falling scantling. We can hardly reconcile the matter unless the pulpit was undergoing repairs. A Priest certainly should not be liable to be whacked around with scantling on Sundays, unless he uses one for a fish pole.

Here is a section of the statutes of Michigan which it would be well for sportsmen to remember: "Any person who shall at any time, within this state, kill any robbin, nighthawk, whippoorwill, finch, thrush, lark, sparrow, cherry bird, swallow, yellow bird, blue bird, brown thresher, wren, martin, oriole, woodpecker, bobolink, or any song bird, or rob the nests of such birds, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be fined $5 for each bird so killed and each nest so robbed, or confined in the county jail for ten days, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

Miss J. A. Hough has been replenishing her millinery rooms with a large and varied assortment of spring goods and now has one of the finest stocks ever displayed in this village. Summer hats of all sizes, styles and shapes, a fine lot of ornamental feathers and a brilliant array of artificial fruits and flowers. These latter are becoming quite fashionable for hat trimmings and when skillfully arranged produce a most pleasing effect. A full assortment of ribbons is kept on hand, and all other et ceteras to constitute a complete millinery stock. Her goods are also marked at figures to suit the present close times. Our young ladies and old ladies also will do well to inspect her goods and prices before making their spring purchases. She has secured the services of two first-class milliners, Miss Allie Warren and Mrs. S. Millard, who will do their best to please.

Business at the Lilley House last week was very brisk and has so continued thus far through this week. On Monday last forty two people took dinner there and on Tuesday sixty-four.

Adrian Record: A Bohemian oat man has been obliged to skip from Weston on account of alleged brookedness. There must be some mistake. A Bohemian oat man wouldn't do wrong. Make an oat of it.

O. C. Bacon, editor of the Petersburg Journal, died suddenly on Saturday. Mr. Bacon had been slightly ill, but was not considered in danger. His attendants left him for a few moments, and upon returning he was dead.

In the May number of the Century Gen. McClellan gives an authentic description of the Peninsular campaign from the date of the disembarkation of the Army of the Potomac at Fortress Monroe, to the seven days fighting on the banks of the James river. The sketch simply gives the general plan and strategical points of the campaign, without going into the details of the particular engagements. Twenty-three years after the event, the Old Commander of the Army of the Potomac speaks out in his own defense and gives the world a little of the inside history of those memorable days. The article is one of thrilling interest. It will provoke some criticism, quite likely, but much more commendation among all unprejudiced minds.

We clip the following from the Toledo Evening Bee of yesterday. The special train passed this station about ten o'clock A.M.

At half past nine this morning a special train consisting of an engine and two private cars left the Wheeling and Lake Erie depot for a trip of inspection over the Michigan and Ohio road. One of the cars belonged to the Ohio Central and the other to the Lake Erie and Western. They bore a party of the directors of the road and others, embracing Messrs C. W. Cummings, Chicago: C. S. Brice, Lima: E. H. R. Lyman and John T. Martin: Brooklyn: A. W. Scott, A. L. Bacus, George W. Davis, H. S. Walbridge, and M. D. Carrington. The party was under the charge of General Freight Agent B. McHugh, engineer W. L. Webb, and train master F. W. Vincent. The train is expected to arrive at Allegan at about 3 o'clock, from which place they expect to go to Muskegon. There the party breaks up, the Eastern men taking the Lake Erie and Western private car to Chicago and the Toledo people coming home.

As announced in the last issue of this paper, Thomas W. Keene appears at the opera house in Adrian in his celebrated personation of "Richard III" on Saturday evening, May 16th. Of Mr. Keene's Richard the Chicago Times says: "His performance was an excellent one throughout, marked with originality, character and force. In the scene with Lady Anne, in that with Buckingham and the civic authorities of London, and in the battle and death struggle with which the tragedy closes, he displayed versatility and a just comprehension of the subtleties of the character he was called upon to depict, and was the brave, cruel and defiant king even to the last. The final scene was vivid and striking in the extreme, and was perhaps the fullest evidence of Mr. Keene's powers as a tragedian. He was frequently enthusiastically applauded and called before the curtain at the conclusion of each act. Last night's personation of King Richard established his popularity in this city, and it is safe to predict for him a successful engagement."

THE SMITH WILL CASE.

The suit between the heirs of Soloman Smith and Mrs. Harriet Gifford, claiming under an alleged will, ended Saturday in our Circuit Court by a verdict sustaining the will. The heirs however we are informed will carry the case to the Supreme Court.

Messrs. Harrington, Hoagland & Smith and Mrs. Beevers representing the heirs have exerted themselves to the utmost in opposing the will and gathering together testimony are entitled to great credit for their faithfulness and skill in the defence made, while the persons representing Mrs Gifford have spared no pains or zeal in pressing her claims.

Few cases have caused as much interest as this has from its commencement. The large amount of property involved, the long residence in this county of Mr. Soloman Smith and his brother George Smith, and the sympathies and feelings of almost the whole community in their neighborhood, all tended to cause great excitement, involving the whole community.

The Smith Brothers, bachelors, lived a long time, secluded in their lives and habits, their property from time to time plundered by outsiders, seemingly without protection from anyone, the death of George at an extreme old age followed in a few years by the failing of Solomon's mental faculties, the appointment of a guardian to care for and protect him, his death, and finally the claim of a will twenty-three years old, lost and burned up, an alleged illegitimate child now grown up to womanhood, married and the mother of children, form a chain of events stranger than fiction itself, and make a case which will finally become one of the *causæ celebræ* in the legal annals of Lenawee County.

Ab. Usborne has some fine new awnings in front of his store.

The Owl Club room has lately been fixed up in elegant style.

Spring, gentle spring! This remark will be seasonable until the next snow storm comes.

Hough & Hosmer have just received one fourth ton of writing paper from Holyoke, Mass.

Mrs. Nellie Snedicor, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Werner, in this village, this week.

Rev. J. M. Getchell will hold regular services at the Universalist church next Sunday, and on each alternate Sunday thereafter.

C. H. McConnell of Grand Rapids, arrived in town this morning and will return to-morrow. He came out to attend Mrs. Robt. Boyd's funeral.

Will Whiting, son of Frank Whiting, of Lake Ridge, has been seriously ill with an attack of typhoid fever for the past two weeks. Fears are entertained that he may not recover.

Jim Cole, the old reliable market man, keeps constantly on hand a supply of early vegetables, of all kinds. He is bound that his customers shall have the first and best of everything the country affords. Charlie Kilborn will take pleasure in serving you.

Prof. Hubbard's class in vocal culture closes this evening. The term has been a successful one and an effort is now making to organize another class for a second term. Persons wishing to join the class should give their names to Dr. Steinhoff, at his office, or to Prof. Hubbard himself.

Adrian Record: Mrs. C. I. Wetmore will start to-morrow for her new Chicago home, and will be accompanied by her venerable mother. Mrs. Wetmore's sons are already in Chicago, which city will be the future residence of the family. Adrian people, to whom they have been so long and pleasantly known, are sorry to lose them from their midst.

Mrs. Sarah Rogers, the mother of Ex-Sheriff Bidwell's first wife, who has been living recently with Mrs. Philip Farley, at Eldred Mich., met with a serious accident about five weeks ago, breaking her hip. She never rallied from the injury and died last week at the advanced age of 96 years. The remains were brought to Macon for burial and were intered in the Macon Center cemetery last Tuesday. The deceased had lived for many years in Macon, where she was well known and highly esteemed.

The Times says that Willard Stearns will undoubtedly be the new postmaster at Adrian. The appointment is likely to be made any day, as the term of postmaster Fee expired yesterday. We heartily congratulate Bro. Stearns upon his good fortune. The appointment, both from a personal and political standpoint, is unexceptionable. Mr. Stearns is admirably fitted to perform the duties of the office, and besides it is a deserved recognition of his disinterested party services during the past few years. We believe the appointment will give entire satisfaction to the Democrats of this county. Let us shake.

W. T. Eccles, of this village, has perfected arrangements for going into the tea business on an extensive scale. He buys his teas direct from New York brokers in large lots at wholesale prices and can retail them at lower figures than were ever before offered in this vicinity. He is now filling up his store with a large stock. His establishment will be known hereafter as the "New York Tea Store.—In addition to his local trade he will send out a man or two on the road to take orders among the farmers for his teas. Mr. Eccles is one of our best young business men and the farmers can rely upon honorable dealing in all their transactions with him.

—New Summer Goods at Mrs. N. R. Brown's Millinery rooms. A good assortment of the new and novel shapes and trimmings. Ladies wishing straw work done will do well to call.

—Land Salt—A car load just received by Slayton & Son. Plaster at all times.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Kyle & Haynes cut old wagons down and put wide tires on cheap.

—The White is the most durable machine. G. P. Sparks.

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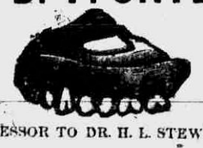
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MR. C. P. BRIGHER writes from Kirby, O., July 3, 1882: "Last fall my hair commenced falling out, and in a short time I became nearly bald. I used part of a bottle of AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, which stopped the falling of the hair, and started a new growth. I have now a full head of hair growing vigorously, and am convinced that but for the use of your preparation I should have been entirely bald."
J. W. BOWEN, proprietor of the Mt. Arthur (Ohio) Enquirer, says: "AYER'S HAIR VIGOR is a most excellent preparation for the hair. I speak of it from my own experience. Its use promotes the growth of new hair, and makes it glossy and soft. The VIGOR is also a sure cure for dandruff. Not within my knowledge has the preparation ever failed to give entire satisfaction."
MR. ANGUS FAIRBAIRN, leader of the celebrated "Fairbairn Family" of Scottish Vocalists, writes from Boston, Mass., Feb. 6, 1882: "Ever since my hair began to give silvery evidence of the change which fleeting time procureth, I have used AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, and so have been able to maintain an appearance of youthfulness—a matter of considerable consequence to ministers, orators, actors, and in fact every one who lives in the eyes of the public."
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What "Favorite Remedy" did in this case it has done in many others. If you desire to do so Address, Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 14, 1885.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

President Cleveland has declined the invitation to visit Atlanta next month.

The name of General Benjamin Runkel has been restored to the pension rolls with rank of Major, to take effect April 1, 1884.

The President has appointed William H. McConnell, of Fargo, Dakota, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of that Territory, vice S. A. Hudson, whose commission has expired.

Professor C. V. Riley, the entomologist of the Agricultural Department, has prepared a circular announcing that the department will purchase during the coming summer such quantities of silkworm eggs as may be necessary for the distribution it is proposed to make for the season of 1886, and so far as practicable will purchase them from American producers. Eggs of improved races (preferable of French or Italian yellow races) will be bought.

The average condition of wheat in the principal wheat-growing States of the country, according to the May crop report of the Department of Agriculture, is as follows: New York, 95; Michigan, 100; Ohio, 99; Kentucky, 45; Indiana, 70; Illinois, 42; Missouri, 69; Kansas, 62. The general average is 70, instead of 77 in April, a reduction of about 9 per cent., reducing the indicated production of winter wheat to about 240,000,000 bushels. The condition of rye is also lower than reported in April, yet much better than wheat, the average being 86. The average condition of winter barley is 82. The mowing lands promise a nearly average crop of hay, the average of condition being 92. Pastures looked nearly as well; condition 90.

The following additional appointments have made by the President: To be Minister Resident and Consul General of the United States: William A. Lee, of Louisiana, to Bolivia. To be Consuls General of the United States: Ephraim B. Ewing, of Missouri, at the City of Mexico; H. Clay Armstrong, of Alabama, at Rio De Janeiro. To be Consuls of the United States: Gustavus Lucke, of New Hampshire, at Sherbrooke, Canada; Peter Staub, of Tennessee, at St. Galle; Henry M. Keim, of Pennsylvania, at Charlottetown, P. E. I.; John Strang, of New York, at Belleville, Canada; Louis Nemmil, of Michigan, at Port Sarnia. John H. Oberly, of Illinois to be Indian School Superintendent: Arthur D. Bissell, of New York, Collector of Customs at Buffalo: Augus M. Kuhn, of Indiana, Surveyor of Customs, port of Indianapolis; Hamilton C. Jones, District Attorney for the Western District of North Carolina. Board of Visitors to the United States Military Academy, 1885: Hon. John Bigelow, of New York; Charles R. Codman, of Massachusetts; General Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia; Hon. George Hoadly, of Ohio; James C. Tappan, of Arkansas; Professor Edward S. Holden, of Wisconsin; George L. Miller, of Nebraska.

A number of Cubans have been in Washington for several days, and it is stated that they have interested a number of Senators and Representatives in a scheme for Congress to purchase Cuba. The party left on the 11th for New York to confer with a number of capitalists on the subject.

Major S. C. Lyford, of the Ordnance Department, and the President of the Government Board, New Orleans Exposition, died at Washington on the 9th.

THE EAST.

A new indictment was found on the 7th against Adam Brobender, President of the Erie County (Pa.) Savings Bank that of conspiracy with R. Pettit, the cashier, to wreck the bank. Brobender is now in jail at Erie.

A fire at Hampton Beach, N. H., on the 7th destroyed the Sea View House, the Atlantic House and the Ocean House, and many cottages. Loss, $100,000; partly insured.

At the annual meeting of the New York Civil Service Reform Association on the 7th, George William Curtis was re-elected President.

A committee of physicians has discovered a satisfactory explanation of the cause of the epidemic raging at Plymouth, Pa. At the head waters of the mountain stream supplying Plymouth with water is a house in which typhoid fever has prevailed for the last three months. The excretions of the sick were thrown into a privy forty feet from the stream, and were washed into the stream by the March rains. By this pollution of the water supply 1,000 persons were poisoned, and about eighty-five have died. Other deaths are expected.

Augustino Girado, one of the men implicated in the Pittsburgh trunk mystery, was arrested at New York on the 8th. He was sent to Chicago with a detective from that city. He was identified as the man who expressed the trunk by a Chicago baggage-master.

Six hundred and fifty Norwegians, Danes and Swedes, who are indulging in an excursion to the old country, arrived at Jersey City, N. J., by special train from the Northwest on the 8th and embarked on the steamship Hecla, for Copenhagen.

Mrs. Elizabeth Granger, of Pittsfield, Mass., celebrated her one hundredth birthday on the 8th. She was born in Northampton, went to Pittsfield in 1809 and married in 1810. Her three children died some years ago. She has been a widow seventy-two years. Her grandfather was a sea captain, named Kelton, who came from England and settled at Boston.

A committee of Philadelphia physicians who have had under investigation the epidemic at Plymouth, Pa., report that the disease is true typhoid fever.

Business failures reported in the United States during the week ended the 9th number 197, against 177 in the preceding week, and 132 and 118 in the corresponding weeks of 1884 and 1883 respectively.

The rink proprietors of Philadelphia have united in a memorial to Governor Pattison requesting him to defer signing the $1,000 license fee bill until he has made a personal investigation as to the character of the business in which the memorialists are engaged.

Six men were terribly injured by the premature explosion of blasting dynamite at the Cornwall Iron Works at Lebanon, Pa., on the 8th. Three will probably die.

Robert Fields, a member of one of the best families of New Haven, Conn., poisoned himself with laudanum on the 8th. Inability to get work occasioned the deed.

The premature explosion of a blast on the 9th in a tunnel being constructed near Tarrytown, N. Y., resulted in the instant death of Michael Quinn and George Hulburt, and the fatal injury of Joseph Fesjua and an Indian, name unknown. Several others were seriously injured. Twenty men were working in the tunnel at the time. It is supposed that one of the blasts failed to explode, and in boring the drill struck and discharged it.

The total exports of specie from the port of New York during week ended the 9th were $978,652. Of this amount the exports to Europe were $468,360 silver and, $239,600 gold, and the exports to Havana were $8,300 silver and $240,000 gold. The imports of specie at the port for the week were $84,435.

August Rose and Mrs. L. Guvenal and child, Swedes, were drowned in the Monongahela River near Pittsburgh on the 9th by the upsetting of a skiff ferry-boat.

The stoppage of the fan at the Stanton air shaft at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on the 9th caused an explosion of gas which tore the head-house to pieces and set the fragments on fire. No one was injured.

Two masked men entered the house of F. S. Thrall at Oswego, N. Y., on the evening of the 9th, while Mr. and Mrs. Thrall were absent. One of them seized their fourteen-year-old daughter, and under penalty of death commanded silence. He then cut off her hair and cut her clothing, saying he wanted to be revenged on her father. The men then took some articles of silverware, and left the house without offering the child further harm.

The following changes are noted in the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended May 9: Loans increase, $2,484,400; specie increase, $1,552,800; legal tenders decrease, $502,900; deposits increase, $3,569,300; circulation decrease, $17,300; reserve increase, $969,075. The banks held $55,390,725 in excess of legal requirements.

Charles Lehman, aged seventy-two, late watchman for Buddensick, the builder, and his wife, Elizabeth, aged seventy-one, were found dead at their home in New York City on the 8th. Alongside the old man was found a quantity of Paris green, and it is supposed the aged couple had committed suicide through poverty.

WEST AND SOUTH.

The barn of Nathan Hutchinson, a wealthy farmer living near Parkersburg, W. Va., was burned to the ground on the night of April 29, with much grain and valuable machinery, the loss being $6,000, and insured in New York for $2,700. The insurance company made an investigation, which resulted in the arrest of Hutchinson for arson. He attempted to drown himself on the 7th, but was prevented by the officers.

At Eau Claire, Mich., Edward Wood was instantly killed by lightning while at breakfast on the 6th. His wife and babe, who sat opposite at the table, were uninjured. There were no other marks of lightning except a few bricks out of the chimney and the dishes on the table, which were demolished. The lightning left a small dark spot on the baby's head.

Walter C. Eames, a former resident of Belmont, Mass., was found on the 5th shot dead in the midst of a dense forest near Pomona, Fla. He had been on a gunning expedition, but whether it was a case of accidental shooting or murder is unknown. Deceased was twenty years old and a scholar of extraordinary ability.

A scheme is on foot at Marquette, Mich., to organize a company to prospect for gold in Alaska. The scheme is engineered by A. P. Swineford, who is certain of receiving the appointment of Governor of Alaska. Old miners claim that Alaska will yet discount California in her gold yield.

Mitchell Anderson, a Choctaw Indian, seventeen years old, was executed at Fort Smith on the 6th according to the custom of that Nation for the murder of another Choctaw named Winchester, last summer. The condemned youth was seated on a blanket in an open space with a piece of white paper pinned over his heart. The executioner knelt before him and with one shot killed him.

The Governor of Georgia has entered into a contract with Charles W. Rogers and Fred Wolff, of New York, for the sale of the pending issue of Georgia bonds, amounting to $3,455,000. The bonds bear 4½ per cent. interest and run for thirty years. The price paid was 5-16 per cent. above par.

In an interview with a correspondent of the Chicago *Inter Ocean* on the 8th A. A. Leeper, Democrat, recently defeated in the Thirty-fourth district for the State Legislature by W. A. Weaver, Republican, said that he (Leeper) believed the election to be a fair one, and that he would not contest for Weaver's seat.

Postmastmer Knickerbocker, of Aurora, Ill., against whom charges of a political character were pending, died on the 8th.

Gainesville, Tex., advices of the 8th state that the posse which went out from that place in pursuit of the Lee gang of desperadoes and cattle thieves had captured two more members of the gang, making six now in custody. They also burned the block house on the Lee ranch. The gang have terrorized that neighborhood for two years past, their misdeeds culminating on the 1st in the killing of four men and the wounding of several others. Ed. Lee has been captured at Dennison with Ed. Stem. There will be an attempt to lynch them on their arrival at Gainesville. The brother of Lee is still at large.

The annual conference of the Secretaries of the Young Men's Christian Associations of the United States and Canada met at Chattanooga, Tenn., on the 8th. One hundred and fifty delegates were present, representing every State in the Union and the leading associations of the United States. Secretaries were also present from England and Germany. The conference continues in session several days.

Ex-Postmaster S. B. Price, of Urbana, O., was arrested on the 8th on charges preferred by Special Inspector Herrick, for embezzling $1,000 of the postal revenue fund and another for embezzling $309 from the money order department. Bail in the sum of $2,000 was furnished.

Wayman Crow, a prominent St. Louis merchant and philanthropist, died in that city on the 9th, aged seventy-seven.

The steamer Dacia arrived at Key West, Fla., on the 10th, having completed the laying of the new Havana cable.

Mrs. Palmer, wife of ex-Governor John M. Palmer, of Illinois, died at Springfield, Ill., on the 9th.

The council of Catholic prelates, who met recently in Baltimore for the purpose of selecting a place for the new Catholic university, have decided in favor of its location at Washington. The site purchased for the university is known as the Middleton estate, lying between the city and the Soldiers' Home. It contains sixty-five acres and on it is the spring which supplies the Capitol building with water.

Failing to come to satisfactory terms with the Amalgamated Association committee regarding the starting of the steel works, the management of the Bellaire (O.) Nail Works has decided to close down its factory and pull the fires in its furnace on May 16. Four hundred men will be thrown out of employment for an indefinite period.

At Chicago a few days ago Eddie Bernardy, aged fourteen, shot his little schoolmate, Tressie Sessland, aged twelve, the pistol ball grazing her side. He then fired three shots at himself, one of the bullets entering his side. His wound is not dangerous. Young Bernardy was infatuated with Tressie and was jealous of her. He says he therefore resolved to end his misery "just like the grown folks he had read of."

The steam-shovel known as the Boyer & Corneas, at Lemont, Ill., and valued at $20,000 was burned a few days ago. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the striking quarreymen.

The Chicago University was sold by the United States Marshal on the 9th under the mortgage held by the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Maine. There was only one bid, $275,000, made by a representative of the insurance company. Its total claim was about $310,000.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Cairo advices of the 6th state that the sea has encroached upon the Nile as far up as Rosetta, whose inhabitants are in great distress. Their cattle are dying by hundreds from drinking the salt water, and all fresh water has to be brought to the city many miles by rail.

In the English House of Lords on the 7th, the preamble of the Manchester Ship Canal bill was passed, subject to the proviso that £5,000,000 be subscribed before the work is started, and that a deposit amounting to four per cent. of the working capital be held in trust until the work of building the canal is completed.

James Russell Lowell unveiled the bust of Coleridge, the poet, in Westminster Abbey on the 7th. The bust was placed between those of Shakespeare and Coleridge. A large number of distinguished persons were present at the ceremonies.

James Robinson, for many years a prominent shoe manufacturer in St. Johns, N. B., and until now of high reputation, is wanted for the forgery of between twenty-five and thirty notes, which amount to $20,000.

A London dispatch of the 9th says political circles are again agitated over the conduct of Russia with regard to the Russo-Afghan frontier question. It is now asserted that the St. Petersburg officials have peremptorily refused to enter into any agreement of treaty with England containing a pledge that Russia will refrain from making a forward movement on Herat. This attitude of Russia has in a great measure revived the war talk. The Tories are indignant at what they term another slap in the face by Russia. The belief is general that Russia is playing tricks and that the Czar is fully intent on having Herat at any cost.

The publishers of General Gordon's diaries have refused an offer of $30,000 for the copyright.

The Allan mail steamer Palmyra, with 900 souls aboard, fifteen days out from Liverpool, for Montreal, was unable to pass the ice in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and arrived at Halifax on the 8th to land her passengers and re-coal. Among her passengers was Lieutenant General Alexander Russell, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces in North America.

LATER NEWS.

A DISPATCH from Terre Haute, Ind., says that the United Order of Foresters has been declared insolvent. In pursuance of the order of the Grand Lodge, Charles Bliss, of New York, applied to the court in Vigo County for a receiver, and Judge Davis has appointed J. E. Somes, of Terre Haute. The liabilities are $40,000, including about $37,000 in unpaid death losses. There has been no defalcation to cause this step, but merely a loss of membership.

EX-MAYOR NATHAN P. PAYNE, of Cleveland, O., eldest son of Senator H. B. Payne, died suddenly of heart disease at his home on the morning of the 11th.

A HOUSE occupied by Minnie Bell and Lizzie Blount, two women of doubtf character at Charlotte, N. C., was blown up on the 10th by an eight-inch dynamite cartridge which was thrown on the front porch. The house was badly wrecked, but the occupants were not injured. Several young men have been arrested on suspicion and held for trial.

AT a meeting a few days ago of old soldiers of Allegheny County, Pa., representing both political parties, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "That Senators and Representatives from Allegheny County are hereby respectfully requested to vote for the passage of House bill No. 11, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor thereto." The bill provides for the proper burial of indigent Union soldiers.

HENRY R. JAMES, who has for many years been chief of the division of customs of the Treasury Department, on the 11th tendered his resignation at the request of Secretary Manning.

THE exports of breadstuffs during April aggregated $14,078,251, against $12,251,178 in April, 1884. For ten months ended April 20, the value of breadstuffs exported was $135,106,338, against $133,073,318 for the corresponding period of 1884.

IN the English House of Commons on the 11th Lord Hartington, Minister of War, stated that the Government had definitely decided to abandon the plan of advance upon Khartoum. The British troops would be concentrated at Wady Halfa and Assouan. Suakim would not be evacuated until arrangements could be made to garrison the place by the troops of some civilized power. These changes in the original plan of operations in the Soudan would make it unnecessary to push forward the railroad from Suakim toward Berber.

EX-GOVERNOR GILBERT C. WALKER, of Virginia, died at his residence in New York City on the 11th, aged fifty-two.

DWIGHT & COMPANY, paper dealers, of Chicago, assigned on the 11th. Liabilities $85,000; assets $50,000.

MART and John Buzzard, Mattias Houck, Jacob Marshal, Isaac Wimme, Levi and David Peters, Henderson Marshal and Jacob Armstrong, the last four colored, all residents of the Welsh Mountain, Pa., were arrested on the 11th charged with harboring Abe Buzzard.

All Sorts of
hurts and many sorts of ails of man and beast need a cooling lotion. Mustang Liniment.

ESTATE OF JAMES P. WILKINS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 27th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Melinda H. Wilkins, surviving executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that Mariah Wilkins, the widow of said deceased, has departed this life, that the provisions of said will cannot be fully executed until the youngest child of said deceased arrives at the full age of twenty-one years, that petitioner does not feel able to have the care of said estate, that the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, have been paid, and praying that her resignation (now on file in this court) may be accepted, that Alfred Lewis, or some other suitable person, may be appointed administrator of said estate with the will annexed, for the allowance of her final account, and for her discharge.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF MARIA BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles J. Brewer, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that he is ready to file his final account, and praying that said account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF EDWIN B. WOOD.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin B. Wood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harriet E. Wood, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood and Charles Burridge, nominated executors of said instrument, or some other suitable person,

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that he is ready to file his final account as such administrator, and praying that said account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 30, 1885.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	6 00 "
Norvell	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 30 "	3 36 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Petroit	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Toledo	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Adrian	11 12 "	8 52 "	8 12 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Norvell	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Napoleon	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Jackson	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 32 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 08	8 57	3 19	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 13
Clones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Hand	5 54	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Clones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 06	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 35	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Alvordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 23 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo L	3 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 30	55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
6 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
7 35	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 21		3 45	Montcalm	11 35		5 55
8 33		3 58	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A. Allegan L	11 10		5 25
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 35		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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Dried, with or without stoning, cherries are scarce at eighteen to thirty cents a pound, and I have seen choice pitted cherries at higher price. Hardly any fruit is easier to prepare, as cherries want no paring, and no dried fruit keeps so much richness. Pickled cherries are a cheap, excellent relish, and would sell at remarkable prices if any were to be found in market.

When fruit sells too low for profit it is time to preserve it, and reap treble gains. The quickest and cheapest ways of keeping fruit will be found most profitable, and are the only ways in which a grower can work off a crop in time to save it. Dried fruit is easily handled and is coming back into favor with knowing housekeepers, who recognize good things and know how they should be cooked. No expense for evaporators is necessary. I long since made up my mind that evaporated fruit is inferior to sun-dried in flavor, and talking with old dealers in family stores, find they prefer the sun-dried for their own use. The best cook I ever knew said the same, and there is reason for it. The sun ripens and develops sugar and flavor in cut fruit dried in its rays. To have a nice quality of dried fruit, select firm, fine, ripe specimens, wipe clean, pare and cut with silver knives, as steel turns them back on the edges, and hurry into the sun as fast as they can be prepared.

The cheapest and best way of drying fruit is to lay it on lengths of cheese cloth, suspended on a frame, out of doors, in full sun, with white mosquito netting over to keep off shreds and insects. This allows the air to reach both sides of the fruit at once, and when you want to turn it, the whole can be swung over on another cloth, leaving the first ready for a new batch. Apples should be pared, cored and cut in eight pieces. Peaches should not be pared, for the richest flavor is lost with the skin. They should have the fur removed by dipping baskets of them into weak boiling lye of wood ashes or common potash, and wiping them with coarse towels. Common peaches only need to be cut in halves to dry. We had peaches dried in this way last winter, which when cooked would be hard to tell from the best canned peaches in looks, with richer flavor.

Pickled peaches might be as staple as cucumber pickles and sold by the firkin instead of the quart. Apple and peach butter ought to be in every grocery, as plenty as raspberry jam, and a great deal better. Inferior fruit can be put to good use in this way, only no fruit should be cooked in metal kettles, brass, copper or tin. Brass kettles spoiled the sale of old-fashioned apple-butter. Sometimes I find a box of it at the large Boston grocers, but when it leaves a coppery stain on a knife blade, and still more coppery taste in the mouth, dealers are shy of recommending it. Yet there is no canned fruit or preserves better than good apple-butter stewed down in its own fruit sugar till its juice thickens into syrup. If you have not a porcelain kettle, make it in three-gallon stone jars, filling the oven with them, and you will have a better thing with less trouble.

With all the tons of grapes raised, how is it that there is not a gallon of grape syrup to be had for love or money in market? If you don't know that grape juice boiled down to a clear syrup is the most relishing thing in sickness or health, for consumptives and to keep people from getting consumptive, to be eaten as food or diluted for drink, that would banish wine sooner than all the temperance societies, you have something to learn. This article, once known, would prevent all danger of an over-crop of grapes, for it would be made and kept by the barrel, and exported for use in all climates. The new production of cider jelly, which is merely cider boiled down, without any addition till it is a solid dark jelly, is a great gift to the housekeeper, and will be the salvation of the apple orchards. What if apples are fifty cents a barrel in October? Set the cider mills going, and the huge enameled evaporating pans. Perhaps cider jelly at twelve cents a pound will repay the work, as no sugar is used.—*Cor. Vick's Monthly.*

Jerseys.

Jerseys have become a staple article, and are brought out with new trimmings each season. At present the fancy for wool goods extends even to jerseys, making those of wool considered more stylish than the elaborate silk and beaded affairs. The newest shapes are much shorter than those worn in the winter, and like other garments, are shorter behind than in front. They are filled with all the seams of a basque in some cases, while in others the front darts are omitted, and a vest is inserted in sloped seams that shape the jacket to the figure. For morning and plain wear dark jerseys have three lengthwise rows of Hercules braid, two inches wide, passing over the shoulders and to the end in back and front, representing box pleats. A belt of this braid is then added, with a buckle to fasten it. More dressy jerseys of poppy red or cardinal have a vest and a border on the hips, collar and sleeves made of rows of soutache set on end, with one edge turned in curves, while the other is raveled out like fringe. For yachting and other summer pleasures are navy blue jerseys trimmed with white braid, and with revers in front, on which are embroidered anchors or stars. The only beaded jerseys shown have the beads sewed in clusters at intervals, or in lines or strips. A vest of velvet is inserted in silk jerseys, and rows of narrow velvet ribbon are placed lengthwise along the edge of the garment.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—Certain portions of New Mexico abound in petrifactions of various kinds. It is no uncommon sight to see trees three feet in diameter and fifty feet long petrified and often crystallized. The crystals—red, yellow, black or white—are often very beautiful, and would make handsome ornaments for Eastern parlors.

THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

Occupation as Shown in the Census—Decline of Domestic Service.

The ninth lecture in the census course now running in the Lowell Institute was delivered last evening by General Walker, the subject being, "The Occupation of the American People." The value of labor statistics in national censuses has been recognized in all manufacturing countries. One-third of the last British census report is devoted to the subject alone. But the difficulties encountered in classifying and tabulating the great variety of gainful occupations are almost infinite. In the British report, Sir Charles Stubs gives a list of the occupations, the names of which as returned to the bureau would convey no idea whatever of the nature of the labor signified to a person of general education. In America the case is still worse, owing to the greater variety of labor and the makeshifts of frontier settlements. The problems of classification are further increased by the number of separate functions performed by the same person in country and unsettled districts, and the caprices of laborers add still further to the difficulty. For instance, in 1860 an attempt to classify the different varieties of domestic servitude brought forth ludicrous results. Three hundred and fifty-three cooks were found scattered over the whole country, and of these New York, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts had absolutely none.

The number of residents of the United States engaged in gainful avocations is 17,392,000, or 34.6 per cent. of the total population, while of the whole population over 10 years of age 48 per cent. are workers. Students, those incapable of work from injuries received, and criminals, are not included in the working population. It is noteworthy that those males who have no occupation, but live upon their private fortune, form an insignificant part of the total population. The rapid increase of the proportion of workers in late years is due to the increase of factories and the extension of the principle of the division of labor. The former cause has been instrumental in bringing women in the field of labor, and thus largely increasing the percentage, while the influence of the latter cause constantly creates a new demand for labor.

The number of persons engaged in agriculture is largely in excess of that in any other occupation, forming 44.1 per cent. of the total working population. The omission of slave labor in the seventh and eighth censuses has left no standard of comparison with the latter censuses, as the enormous amount of labor engaged in cotton production in the Sout was wholly unrepresented before 1860. At the present time about 4,500,000 of the 7,600,000 engaged in agriculture are independent farmers and planters, nearly 3,000,000 are farm laborers, and 130,000 are florists, gardeners, etc. It is safe to assume that agriculture furnishes the means of sustenance to one-half of the total population of the country. A vast increase of those engaged in mining has taken place in late years.

Among the artisans, carpenters take lead in numbers, having increased from 150,000 in 1850 to 373,000 in 1880. A reduction in the rate of increase is noticed in late years, however, due to the manufacture by machinery of doors, sashes, etc., work which was formerly done by the job. The number of coopers and wheelwrights has suffered little change since 1850 for similar reasons. Among those engaged in personal and professional service, amounting to 4,424,000 persons, many grades of labor are included, from the lawyer, clergyman, physician, and teacher on the one hand to the barber, bootblack, and household drudge on the other. The number of clergymen has increased from 26,842 in 1850 to 64,698 in 1880; lawyers from 23,939 to 64,137; physicians, from 40,500 to 86,000; teachers, from 30,000 to 238,000; dentists, from 2,923 to 12,314. There are now 4,812 actors, 3,500 architects, 1,131 authors and literary men, 1,168 chemists, 8,261 civil engineers, and 12,308 journalists.

In the statistics of domestic service, a curious fact is observed—namely, that in spite of the increasing wealth and prosperity of the American people, the number of domestics in proportion to families has, in nearly all the States, steadily declined in late years, there being at present about nine families per servant on the average. In the "good old days before the war," when each Southern plantation was overrun with blacks of every size, age, and description, the proportion of domestics was, of course, high, and even now the Southern States are well situated in this matter; but in New England, the Central States, and the West the decline in the rate is unaccountable. In the Pacific States the introduction of Chinese labor has somewhat raised a normally low proportion. The figures showing domestic service in England are interesting in this connection. From them it appears that there are 1,287,000 indoor servants, as against 1,076,000 in America, while of all females in the United Kingdom between fifteen and twenty years of age one-third are domestic servants.—*Boston Herald.*

Foot-Ball.

In President Eliot's annual report he says in regard to inter-collegiate football: "It is very improble that a game which involves violent personal collision between opposing players can ever be made a good inter-collegiate game. Boxing and wrestling, which do require such personal collision, are apt to degenerate just as foot-ball has done. An ill effect of some of the inter-collegiate contests is their tendency to restrict the number of men in college who practice the competitive sports. The keenness of the competition creates a high standard of excellence, and persons who know that they can not reach that standard cease to play. The athletic sports ought to cultivate morals as well as physical courage, fair dealing and the sense of honor. If any form of unfaithfulness, unfairness or meanness is tolerated in them they become sources of widespread moral corruption. If students do not find their sense of honor cultivated and refined by their college life they may be sure that their education is failing at its most vital point."

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo....Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville.Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta....Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sheroddsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillion	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron...Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	.Fries Landing.	6 53	2 35
11 20	6 15	.... .Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv.Norwalk.Ar	7 27	3 10

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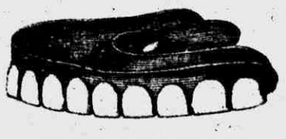

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HILLSDALE MODESTY

We have recently been shown one of the official envelopes regularly used for their correspondence by the faculty and students of Hillsdale college. Every half the front surface of this remarkable wrapper is occupied by a neatly printed map of Michigan and northern Indiana and Ohio showing in the geographical center the city of Hillsdale, extending like some vast metropolis over three whole countries. The larger Michigan cities, such as Morganville, Homer, Pentwater, Bad Axe and the like, stand bravely out in full view, while Ann Arbor, Adrian, Albion, and other small towns which happen to have colleges in them, have not so much as a fly speck upon the map to hint at their existence.

For a college, a greater number of whose students are in its kindergarten and grammar school departments it has both of those adjuncts, whose faculty comprises less than ten professors, and whose curriculum is little above that of a good high school, this is enterprise indeed. But it ill becomes a religious college to bear false witness against its neighbors. If Hillsdale is to be pictured as covering three counties, Ann Arbor, being twice as large, should certainly occupy no fewer than six.

We are told in large, black-letter type, under the map above referred to, that Hillsdale "is the heart of three states." Let us call it rather the cheek of the world.—Ann Arbor Argonaut.

OBITUARY.

Sarah Matilda Betts, the daughter of William and Mary A. Bresie, of Tecumseh, Michigan, was born at Conesus, New York, Dec. 28th 1829 and died at Cleveland Ohio, May 4th 1885. Mrs. Betts was married in 1872 to Mr. Howard J. Betts at Cleveland Ohio, which at that time was the residence of her parents. She subsequently moved to Tecumseh, where she resided for a number of years. At the time of her death she was a resident of Edmore Montcalm County, this state. She leaves a husband, a resident of Edmore, her parents, residents of Tecumseh, a brother Mr. Wm. R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill. and a sister Mrs. John Crowell, of Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Betts united with the First Baptist church at Cleveland Ohio, in 1865, and has ever since been an earnest, active Christian woman. Her life has been as beautiful as that of every good woman. She was always an obedient affectionate daughter, a loving wife and a kind sister. Her ill health for the past few years of her life has kept her from that active work in church and society, for which her taste and intelligence had so well fitted her.

The deceased, during her few years residence in Tecumseh, had gathered many friends about her, who followed her remains to the tomb with tears of heartfelt sympathy. Retiring in disposition, and wrapped up in her domestic duties, she yet possessed a heart overflowing with Christain charity and loving kindness for all. Although gone, she is not forgotten, and her many good qualities of mind and heart will ever remain green in the memory of those who are left behind in this vale of tears. The stricken relatives will recieve the heartfelt sympathies of our community in this season of their bereavement.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, MAY 4, 1885.

Regular session. Present the entire Council except President House and Mr. Cook.

On motion Mr. Bills was elected chairman in absence of the President.

Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Finance Committee asked that their report be deferred till later in the session.

Street Committee reported that teamster Jno. Messler had met with an accident disabling him from performance of his duties and that Geo. Sniedicor had been engaged in his place. Accepted and adopted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Marshal reported the owners of lots whose sidewalks need repairs or rebuilding. On motion the Marshal was instructed to notify the lot owners whose walks need repairs that such repairs must be made within fifteen days and those whose walks require rebuilding that the same must be done within thirty days or the Council would take immediate action to compel performance.

Sextons report presented, accepted and placed on file.

Recorder reported that the offer of the Council to the printing offices had not been accepted. Report accepted.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of C. M. Adams asking permission to erect a dwelling house upon her premises within fire limits was presented and reported to committee on fire and fire limits.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committee:

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The Marshal nominated John Hibbard and Delos Love as Deputy Marshals. On motion said nominees were declared duly appointed.

President House came in and took the chair.

The drug bonds of A. S. Doty and Alva Parker were presented and on motion duly declared approved and sufficient.

On motion Council then proceeded to ballot upon appointment of Village Attorney with following result—whole number ballots 7, of which C. A. Stacy received 5, Chas. Burridge 1, and Fred Wood 1. On motion C. A. Stacy was duly declared appointed.

The President then nominated Geo. Heesen and John S. Kinney members of Village Board of Review. On motion the council confirmed the appointments.

Moved and supported that Jno. Messler having received his injuries in the performance of his duty and seven days before the expiration of his month, be paid his months wages in full—lost.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Finance Committee reported favorably upon the following bills:

W. C. Jordan, $3; W. H. Ames, $6.87; W. Fahling, $[illegible]; M. Woodward, M.D. $15; Geo. Derby, $[illegible]; Wm. Brown, $[illegible]; Geo. Sanders, 62½c; James Moir, $8.25; Dell Hubbard, $7.50; H. W. Stevens, $[illegible]; Wm. Cook, $1.87; W. Tate, $5; A. H. Chaplin, $[illegible]; Jas. O'Riley, $7.50; and John McConnell, $[illegible]; paid $20.84 salary for five months on condition he give receipt in full of all claims and demands against the Village to date.

Accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn according to terms of the report.

On motion the Council then adjourned.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending May 5, 1885:

Estate of Sally Wood, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Peter Ousted, deceased: administrator files bonds on sale of real estate.

Estate of John S. Buttrick, sr., deceased: petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing June 1.

Estate of Johannah Hansen, deceased: affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Orville W. DeGolyer, deceased: affidavit of publication; order extending time one year from April 4, 1885, to pay debts and close estate.

Estate of Robert J. Bradley, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Charles I. Wetmore, deceased: affidavit of publication and affidavit of service filed; order of continuance until May 11, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of John Dings, deceased: affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate of Peter Hack, deceased: affidavit of publication; administrator's first account allowed.

The artists who have been pursuing "A Wild Goose Chase" along the shores of the Baltic and through the pages of Harper's Magazine, will accompany "The Descent" in the forthcoming June issue, with some account of North Jutland, a quaint German province near Hamburg. This is called Vierlande "Four-lands", the little province, of only forty square miles, being composed of four polders, or lake beds, separated from each other and protected from the Elbe by great dikes. The costumes and customs are old fashioned and most curious, and the general stability is illustrated by the fact that the principal inn at Bergedorf, the chief town, has been kept by one family for over two hundred and fifty years. "If a Garden of Eden can exist in that latitude," says Mr. Frank D. Millet, who writes the article, "Vierlande certainly has superior claims to the title."

The attitude of Catholicism toward our public schools—a problem of grave concern at the present time—is to be discussed from opposite premises in the June number of the North American Review, by M. C. O'Byrne, of North Carolina, against the Roman Catholic Church, and Bishop Keane, of Virginia, in defense of its policy.

Few People Escape.

The taint of scrofula in the blood. With many it is hereditary, but it may also be acquired from want of air or lack of exercise, from improper food, or any cause which brings about weakness of the body and impurity of the blood. The disease is characterized by running sores, abscesses, swellings, enlarged joints, sore eyes, etc. No medicine has been so successful in curing scrofula, as Hood's Sarsaparilla. The most terrible running sores gradually disappear under the purifying and strengthening influences of this great medicine. If you are a sufferer from scrofula still more convincing evidence as to the wonderful success of Hood's Sarsaparilla, send to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass., for a book containing many remarkable cures.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending May 6.

RIDGEWAY.

Alex. Richards to A. H. Kelly. E½ of n e ¼ sec 29. $800.

John Britton to J. P. Beckler. Land on sec 3. $1,500.

WOODSTOCK.

Joseph Every to W. H. Terpening. Land on sec 31. $200.

Joseph Every to Philena Westcott. Land on sec 31. $455.

A CARD OF THANKS.

The Family and relatives of the late Mrs. Betts desire to return thanks to their friends of Tecumseh for their numerous acts of kindness and sympathy in their late affliction.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 5, 1885:

Alexander, John	Fessenden, Joel
Hickson, J. K.	Hall, Isaac
Mitchell, Jeusha B.	Newcomb, Mary
Clifton, Barbara	Wooden, Mrs. Maggie

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

MARRIED.

MORGAN—WINTERS—At the parsonage, South Macon, on Tuesday, May 12th, by Rev. Chas. Scholfield, Pastor Reformed Church, Mr. Chas. L. Morgan of Salem, and Miss Emma N. Winters, of Macon.

DIED.

HUNTER—At her home in Macon, on Saturday the 16th inst., Mrs. Caroline Hunter, aged [illegible] years, 7 months, and 12 days. The funeral services were held on Monday at three o'clock in the afternoon.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples ⅌ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples dried ⅌ ℔		@	[illegible]
Butter ⅌ ℔	12	@	15
Barley ⅌ bushel	50	@	60
Beans ⅌ bushel	1 [illegible]	@	1 25
Buckwheat ⅌ bushel	50	@	60
Buckwheat flour ⅌ hundred	3 00	@	3 50
Beef—dressed ⅌ hundred	[illegible]	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf skins ⅌ ℔	8	@	9
Corn in ear	25	@	25
Corn—shelled ⅌ bushel		@	50
Clover Seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed		@	[illegible]
Eggs ⅌ doz		@	12
Flour ⅌ barrel	5 50	@	6 50
Hogs—dressed ⅌ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hogs—live ⅌ cwt	5 50	@	5 75
Hay ⅌ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ⅌ ℔		@	14
Ham ⅌ ℔		@	12
Lard ⅌ ℔		@	9
Oats ⅌ bushel	34	@	38
Onions ⅌ bushel		@	50
Potatoes ⅌ bushel	40	@	45
Salt ⅌ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed ⅌ bushel		@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed ⅌ ℔		@	10
Wood ⅌ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat White ⅌ bushel		@	90
Wheat Red ⅌ bushel		@	90
Wool	18	@	27

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PERCHERON
STALLIONS.

NOMAD—Grey—imported and BOB NAGLE—Bay—will be at the Gibson House Barn, Adrian, on Saturday of each week until the middle of July.

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OF NEW

Spring Goods

AT

GAINSLEY & CO'S.

Special Drives.

1 case Ginghams 4c a yd.

Best Standard Ginghams only 8c a yard.

Beautiful Styles!

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All wool Dress Goods in Plain and Fancy

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A fine yard wide Sheeting, 5c a yard.

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OF

Boots & Shoes!

SATURDAY, MAY 16th, 1885.

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Will close out his entire stock of

Ladies' and Misses' Serge Goods,
Ladies' and Misses' Kid, side-lace,
Men's Kip Boots, &c.

Look at these Prices:

Ladies' Serge Goods, 50cts. per pair
Former Price, $1,75.

Misses' Serge Goods, 25 cts. per pair.
Former Price, $1,50.

Ladies' Side-Lace, French Kid & Goat, $1 per pair.
Former Price, $3,00 and $4,00.

Misses' French Kid & Goat, Side-Lace, 75c. pr. pair.
Former Price, $3,00.

Other Goods Equally Cheap.

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The best Black Cashmere ever sold in Detroit, for 50
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We have just purchased the stock of D. V. Bunnell, of Mason, Mich., deceased, at a great sacrifice and are making tremendous runs in staples, such as Cottons, Linens, Wash Goods Hosiery and Laces. If you have not been in, do not let the first train pass without coming.

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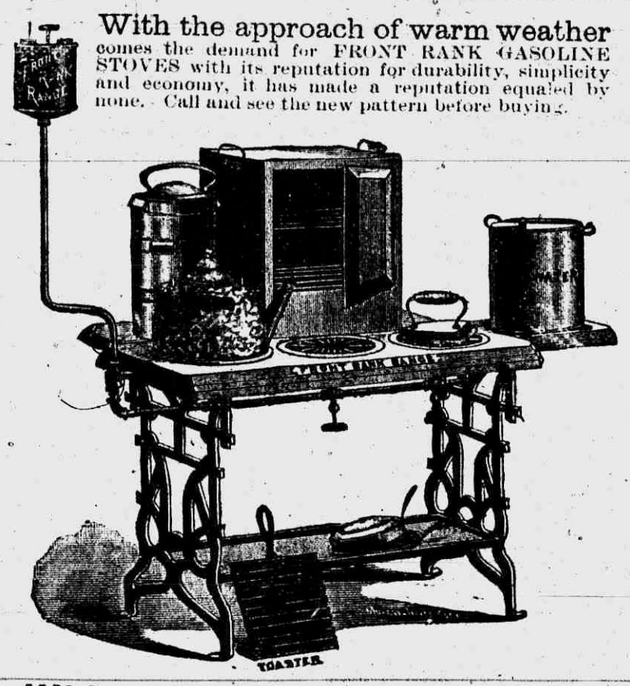

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

Miss Anna Shutes, daughter of Charlie Shutes, is very ill with consumption.

Abram Glimpse who has been sick for several months is again confined to his bed.

Mrs. M. Nimocks has gone to Jackson for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Frank Brown has been quite sick for a week or two.

Katie Liebelt has been very sick for three or four weeks, with brain fever. Dr. John Tuttle is the attending physician, and has hopes of her recovery; at present, from the fact that she has withstood the disease for so long.

George Field and Charlie Thompson, of Tecumseh, were in Clinton over Sunday.

Mrs. Jane VanDeMark, visited her daughter, Mrs. George Kies, in Tecumseh last week.

The rite of baptism was administered to five persons last Saturday evening, and to one Sunday evening at St. John's church.

Charles Clark, Leb. Pomeroy, Selden Demuth and Kos. Davis, went fishing out to Evans Lake last week. They caught fish by the bushel.

The receipts at the Episcopal weight social last Thursday night were over $7.

Rubie Woodward met with a narrow escape from death last Wednesday. He was at the foundry playing, when he was supposed to be in school, and had climbed to the cupola, and not being able to realize the danger of his situation, was soon overcome by the gas. When found by one of the men, he was insensible, and would soon have been past the reach of help. Restoratives were promptly applied and in a few moments he recovered consciousness. It will be a lesson to the boy, and it ought to be to many others of his age, who are apt to consider themselves wiser than anyone else.

One of our citizens was caught looking in at windows one night last week. He has received information that a repetition of the offense will be met by a generous dose of shot. It is not the first time that this same person has been caught upon his neighbors' premises at a suspicious hour of the night, and this business will probably not go much further, without an investigation into the gentleman's intentions.

Mrs. Carrie Corwin and children, of Brooklyn, have been visiting at her sister's, Mrs. Augusta Brooks'.

Rev. Joseph St. John and daughter Ida went to Tecumseh Tuesday afternoon, to attend confirmation services there in the evening at St. Peter's church.

J. E. McCollum went to Detroit last Monday on business.

Ed. VanDeMark went to Adrian the first of the week.

E. R. Smith is making arrangements for putting a roller process in his grist mill, capacity 75 bbls. per day. Two firms have already given him their prices for the job, and the third will do so in a few days. Clinton is abreast with the times, in the matter of flour mills.

An itinerant photograph gallery made its appearance among us last Tuesday. We believe it hails from Dundee, but how long it is going to stay is as yet unknown.

The next Episcopal social will be held at the residence of Mrs. Laura VanDeMark, Thursday evening, May 28th. All are cordially invited.

A very large number of the old pupils met Monday evening at the residence of J. B. Hause to complete the final arrangements as far as possible for the coming reunion next week Wednesday evening.

The committee on program were not ready to formulate a full and complete program for the evening as it will be rendered, as all the parts had not yet been reported there, but suffice it to say here that the entertainment will open with music entitled "A Greeting Glee," after which will follow the address of welcome by J. E. McCollum; response by Prof. O. C. Williams; music; essay by Mrs. C. H. Bigelow, of Dowagiac; essay by Mrs. Jennie Whedon of Tecumseh; poem by A. Herbert Snow of Winona, Minn; song by Mrs. Franc Graham—the whole made up of music, songs, essays, poems, &c., and to close by a valedictory by Dr. R. B. House of Tecumseh.

It is hoped that all the friends, both of the teachers and pupils, will endeavor to attend the entertainment as a very pleasant time is anticipated. Boys and children of course are made welcome to come if accompanied by their parents, but not otherwise allowed.

The supper in the afternoon is gotten up expressly for the teachers, their old pupils and families, and will be served about five o'clock.

By unanimous vote the representatives of the Clinton Local, Tecumseh HERALD and Tecumseh News are invited to attend afternoon and evening.

On motion J. E. McCollum was chosen President of the Day.

J. E. McCOLLUM, Sec'y.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Physicians renew weekly their promises of sickness to those who neglect spring purification, and to make sure of exemption, A. P. Cook paints over accumulated time stains, within and without his store. Familiar walks and long trodden floors have been replaced by new ones, and this week the counters on which goods have been displayed and measured for fifty years, will be consigned to the relic chamber, and new ones, scrolled and bracketed to harmonize with modern surroundings usurp their honors. To build such a trade-mart, when there was neither rail or wagon road, shows that will and energy are not of recent date, and a vast undertaking of the past stands as a monument for enterprise not yet dead; as an offer to give five hundred acres of land for a soldiers home, by Vineyard lake, attests. Very likely city influence may secure the coveted honor for a larger place than Brooklyn; but we have yet to hear of an offer that outrivals this, either in generous breadth of domain, facility for transporting camp equipage or for health and beauty of location. It has long been the favorite picnic and fishing ground. Soldiers who camped there a few years ago, will not fail to remember the high woodey table lands, and cultivated fields around Vineyard. A beautiful road leads to and through this summer labyrinth that is not easily overestimated in moneyed value, or for its own and surrounding advantages and if the gift is not accepted, the present owner will have far more reason than the state, to be proud of a magnificent rejection.

To-day's name on the death role is B. Fay, who though not of this village has long been a much respected resident, near.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fruit trees are putting forth their blossoms.

Farmers are getting ready to plant their corn.

The church is undergoing a thorough renovating from dome to furnace. The lower part is being kalsomined, and the audience room cleaned and the ladies are putting in a new carpet.

The attendance at the social was not as large as usual, but those that attended enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Alfred Lawton has the addition to his house nearly completed.

Mrs. W. J. Clack of Britton visited Mrs. G. W. Jackson Friday afternoon.

Last Sunday was the first Sunday the sexton has not had to build a fire this year.

Mrs. Geo. Frost and Mrs. John Jackson, of Pennington's corners, visited their brother, G. W. Jackson and family, on Saturday.

Miss Ella Hall arrived home from Brooklyn N. Y., Saturday.

James Cheever, of Dundee, was in our village last Thursday, and purchased a stove of Coryell and Lawton.

Mr. Elmer Hause arrived from Florida Friday, and stopped to see his mother and friends.

Miss Nettie Lambkin, of Tipton, visited Mrs. A. Lawton and Miss Sena Coryell the latter part of last week.

Mr. Wilcox, of Ypsilanti, was in our village, and called on Agent A. J. Sutton, last week.

Mrs. Samuel Rappleye is on the sick list.

Samuel Rappleye took his fine coach team to Grand Rapids. He drove them and will deliver them over to the gentleman who purchased them, at his vendue.

Samuel Snedicor, a former resident of our village is among friends, shaking hands and telling stories. He makes it his home with his son Chas. Snedicor, in Isabella county.

Wm. Howe, of Jackson, Mich. surprised his friends Monday night with a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hensdale, of Dundee are visiting friends here this week.

The Britton G. A. R. Post will observe decoration day and will decorate the soldiers' graves in our cemetery. All who have soldier friends buried there are requested to report to the commander of the Post. A general invitation is extended to all to take part in the exercises on that day.

The entertainment at Britton, Thursday evening of last week passed off successfully. The Hall was packed full and the society and band realized an increase of the treasury of $30, which they thank the kind friends for.

The literary are making arrangements for a concert to be held Friday evening, June 5th. Programs will be out in a few days giving full information. It is expected that W. C. Sharp and his sister, Mrs. Nellie King, of Brooklyn, will assist in the entertainment. The society will put forth every effort to make it interesting and entertaining.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Considerable sickness is reported in this section.

Business of all kinds is rather dull here just now.

W. J. Bacon is in Virginia looking up a place to locate.

W. P. Elmore contemplates opening a photograph gallery here during the season. He is now in New York perfecting himself in the art.

The new meat market building on Lake street is nearly ready for business.

A. J. Kempton is elected presiding officer of the Good Templars' Lodge during the present quarter, and Fred Kline Secretary.

L. D. Wilcox removes his stock of boots and shoes to Quincy this week.

Business is booming again at the brick yards south of town. Reports say no pains will be spared to produce a first class article.

Our highway officials announce the mending of ways as in order. We regret very much that something cannot be done in the same line, to the ways of pedestrians in the village.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening, April 24th, the Farmers' Social club met at the residence of Mr. John Fisher. It being a very busy time for the farmers on account of the lateness of spring there was a small attendance and consequently the program previously arranged was postponed until our next meeting, which occurs May 29th at Mr. John Rector's, at 4 P. M. sharp. It is hoped the Farmers will be through with their hurry by that time so that they will turn out and give Mr. Rector a rousing meeting, and it is also expected that at our next meeting arrangements will be made for our annual excursion to the lakes, so all are respectfully invited to attend.

The program arranged for our next meeting.

Inst. Music—Rhoda Benedict.
Rec.—Levisa Schreder.
Essay—Mr. A. D. Hall. Subject, The present assessment laws.
Singing—Orra and Grace Gillespie.
Select Reading—Mrs. F. C. Rector.
Music—Choir.

Congressman Tarsney, while in Washington recently, related a little of his experience with new appointees. Said he: "There was a bright young fellow, who was very desirous of becoming a mail clerk. I recommended him, and he was appointed and took his run. A couple of days after he went on his route I was sitting in my office when this young man came in. "Hello! said I; I thought you were handling mail bags.' 'I've got through,' was the reply, 'I couldn't stand it; those mail bags were too much for me. I thought that all I had to do was to take the pouches on and put them off—soft snap I supposed. But great Scott! I had to work like sin. I've had enough of it. Say Tim, was this what I've been carrying torchlights for the past ten years for? I advise you not to appoint any more mail clerks. Every one of them will vote against you at the next election."

A state sanitary convention will be held at Ypsilanti on Tuesday, and Wednesday, June 30 and July 1st. The following addresses and subjects will be presented and discussed.

Welcoming address by Hon. C. L. Yost, Mayor of Ypsilanti.

An address by the President of the Convention, Hon. Edwin Willits.

1. The present and future water supply of Ypsilanti; its relations to health and to sickness from certain diseases.
2. Disposal of slops and garbage.
3. Drainage and Sewerage of Ypsilanti.
4. Causes of Malaria in Ypsilanti.
5.
6. Prevention of communicable diseases.
7. Limitations and duties of local boards of health.
8. Sanitary condition and needs of school buildings and grounds.
9. Practical details of management of earth closets.
10. Influence of sewerage and drainage upon the death-rate in cities.
11. Moral effects of sanitation.

The Evening News, in commenting on the charge against Dr. Geo. Ferguson, says: "What a snug sum could be collected throughout the State, if every druggist so offending could be fined for delinquencies in this respect."

FENCE BOARD ADVERTISING.

A stalwart farmer of Macon dropped into the HERALD sanctum the other day and inquired for the legal editor. He was a fine representative of the old school, bluff and hearty, robust and honest. His early education had been sadly neglected, but he had views of his own and was able to express himself in emphatic, if not classical language. We invited him to be seated in the arm chair, and make known his business.

"What I want to know is this. I want to know if there is any law agin fence board advertisin'. Now, I don't perpose to furnish free bill boards for anybody. If a man wants to plaster my fence, can't I compel him to pay for it? Have I got to have my front fence ornamented with all sorts of nonsense, and have no remedy agin the nuisance except to grin and bear it? These fence board signs is an abomination. If a board gits knocked off it allus gits nailed on bottom side up, and then the sign is upside down. Some city artist will come along and paint a flamin' sign on the fence. Inside of four weeks, some smart school young'un will doctor it by scratchin' out some letters and puttin' in some, till the sign reads as though the feller that painted it had strayed away from some lunatic asylum, and then the neighbors will be pokin' fun at our winen folks for havin' a circus on the front fence. Ain't a man's fences his private property the same as his houses and barns? That's what I want to know. Why don't men advertise in the newspapers? That's what newspapers are for, I take it. People cheat the newspapers out of their honest dues, and go round the country makin' a laughin' stock of themselves, and a circus bill board out of the farmers' fences. If there's any law to stop such vandalism I want to know it, and if there ain't no law the legislature better make one."

We acknowledged the homely good sense of our friends observations, and respectfully referred him to some attorney for the desired information.

The retirement of several newly appointed mail clerks after a trip or two has had the effect to cool the ardor of many young men who have been anxious to wrestle with Uncle Sam's mail bags. It requires young men who are quick to learn the names and locations of post-offices, are ready readers of all sorts of writing and possess a fair portion of good substantial brawn as well as brain. The post-office department ask congressmen to be kind enough not to recommend for mail clerks men who are over forty. It is claimed that young men between the ages of 18 and 25 make the best officials. Being young they learn the names of postoffices readily and remember them far better than older men. No old men need apply as very few of them would be able to hold a route.

Some people believe the sentence of the violin thief—10 days in jail—was too light. We think not. The man who steals a wandering fiddler's fiddle is a public benefactor, and saves the general ear from much torture. It was well enough to discountenance theft by a small punishment, however. [Adrian Record.] See here, Mr. Record, we would have you understand that Eugene Weaver, of this place, was the owner of that fiddle. A man who steals an Adrian fiddler's fiddle may be a public benefactor, but when it comes to applying that appellation to the man who robs a Hudson musician, you're way off, especially in the case of Mr. Weaver.—Hudson Gazette.

We are in the possession of a good joke that occurred at the White House on Tuesday last. Mr. ——, a Republican New York Postmaster, called upon the President and not being assured of being retained he asked the President if he would answer a few questions. The President said if it was in his power to do so he would. There upon the President was asked what are you going to do with Maria and the kid. The President, with a smile, said, "Oh, that's been settled long ago. I will put Maria's face on the two-cent stamps and the kids on the one-cent stamps, and you Republican postmasters can lick the gummed side of them.—Exchange.

The National Camp Meeting management, which held so large a meeting at Lansing last year, intended to hold a meeting this year at Pine Lake, but owing to the indications of an unprecedented attendance, have been compelled to advertise Lansing Fair Ground as the place, and June 13 to 21 as the time. Bishop Mallalieu of New Orleans, Rev. Drs. McDonald and Steele of Boston and others from several states will be present.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 21, 1885.

UNSEEN BUT REAL.

Shall we only trust what the ear can hear,
Or the hand can grasp, and the eye take
[illegible]
Shall the deepest hopes of the human heart
In our [illegible]
Be [illegible] and
The [illegible] Hand?

[illegible]
A [illegible]
Where [illegible] we gave [illegible] to be
[illegible]
We shall meet again and love the more,
[illegible]
And know [illegible] to us
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At the close of a summer's sultry day,
[illegible]
Where the [illegible] and [illegible]
They may [illegible] to
[illegible]
The air is full of the odorous [illegible],
Exhaled from the [illegible] sustained there

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"GABE."

"I Was Neahly Too Late, But Thank Ou Lawd, I Sabed You."

Even yet in the quiet evenings I can fancy the roll of that grand, deep voice, soaring out over the waters of the gulf in liquid melody, or quavering in mournful improvisation among the orange trees in front of his cabin door, where Gabe was wont to sit in the warm nights with his wondering eyes fixed on the stars, singing for an hour at a time with only Aunt Dinah near to hear him.

Big, black, grave and kind, that is how the memory of Gabe comes before me to-night, with his simple, earnest way, the most ungainly and yet the tenderest-hearted of all God's living creatures. He had been on our farm for years. He seldom laughed, was always sad and mournful—had been so from childhood, it was said.

On any question of dispute that occurred among the other negroes Gabe was referred to as authority in the matter, and strange to say he was usually right.

"Why doesn't he ever sing?" I asked him, after I had listened to one of his pathetic chants or hymns. He looked at me a moment with his queer way, for he had not noticed my approach, and said: "I don'o, myself, hardly. I sit here and I lows to look up yonder at de stars and think o' my baby, dere comes a wont fo' long like as if de angels was a singin' in a mighty clear, long, low, sweet call or clean place to sleep, and de angels a hovin' 'round me."

My little sister Tella, then a golden-haired fairy of six, was a great favorite of Gabe's. With her he would talk as with no others, and was always near her when circumstances permitted. She, too, was fond of him, and many a little treat found its way to him and old "Aunt Dinah" through her favor.

One night—I remember it well—it was in warm March, that most beautiful of all months in Florida, when the magnolias put forth their bloom and the land is sweet in their incense—I had retired early, for I was weary with a hard day's ride from Tampa, up the gulf.

It might have been about two o'clock in the morning when I was awakened by a deafening crash of thunder that died away in reverberating echoes over the water.

Usually I would roll off to slumber again, but this time I could not do so. I lay there instead, watching the play of the lightning and waiting for the rain to fall.

The atmosphere was close, almost stifling, the air permeated with electricity.

Suddenly I fancied I heard the front door open gently and close again. Was it only fancy caused by the excited state I was in? Something urged me to arise, and I did so. Stepping to the front window, which commanded a view of the piazza, I looked out; all was blackest night, with muttering thunder overhead.

As I stood there the earth was illumined by a most vivid flash, everything appearing as clear as day. Directly before me, half-way down the carriage drive leading to the road along the bluff, rapidly glided a small slender figure in white, with golden hair streaming back in the wind.

Only a moment did the light last, but in that moment I saw and knew it was Tella—Tella, and going straight toward the chalk-bluff that rose sheer one hundred feet from the sands below!

My mother had mentioned some days before that the child was given to walking in her sleep, though her somnambulism had hitherto been confined to doors. To night some freak had sent her forth, out along a path that must lead her to a terrible fate unless I could reach her in time.

Out of the room, over the piazza, down the drive I went quicker than I had ever gone before. The night was of inky darkness; I could not see an inch before me, and the lightning, so vivid before, had ceased. Every moment seemed an age. If the child had turned aside all might be well, if not—Heaven help her, for well I knew what must be her fate.

On I rushed, half-mad with suspense. Another flash, and I saw her not ten yards from the edge of the bluff.

"Tella," I called, "Tella!" In my despair my feet grew heavy, my knees quaked, a horrible nightmare was upon me, clammy perspiration oozed from every pore.

Another flash; she was on the brink, and I not thirty steps away—was powerless to save her! But, there! In the dying light a great black body springs forward and seems to mingle with the white. There comes a startled cry, a dull thud, and all is still save the dash of the rain that had now commenced to fall in torrents.

A moment more and I was bending over a little white figure, lying moaning on the sand, with hair of gold bedraggled over face and neck.

Thank God, it was Tella, unharmed and safe. She cried partially as I took her in my arms, seemingly too bewildered to speak.

But who was it that so providentially stayed her at that awful moment? The flash was so slight that I could not tell, though I fancied it was Gabe. If so, where had he disappeared?

As my eye light upon it I looked towards the edge of the bluff. Just beyond the place where Tella had fallen, a large gap was broken in the bank, as if some body had crashed it off in struggling.

Quick as thought it flashed upon me that the black, if it were he, had caught the child as she was about to fall, and to save her had cast herself down instead, and so met his death on the rocks below.

As quickly as I could I made my way back to the house, with the child in my arms. The door was wide open as I had left it, and all was silent.

Laying Tella on a sofa I roused my mother, and on her appearance, gave her a hurried account of what had passed.

I roused the darkey boy Zep out of bed and sent him to call several of the hands, with orders to come at once to the house.

The boy appeared in a short time with five of our negroes, all about half asleep and all wondering at their abrupt awakening.

Briefly I explained what had happened, and having secured lanterns we together set out to learn the worst in regard to Gabe.

I was sure now it was Gabe for Zep had found his cabin deep wide open, and Aunt Dinah seemed asleep alone.

Down below the entrance to our carriage way some few yards, the sand descended in a regular slope to the water's edge.

To this point we quickly hurried, and were soon on the white, sandy beach, high up which the waves were rushing from the force of the now spent storm.

A minute's time and we had reached a spot directly under the break in the bluff above. At first I could see nothing, but a low groan drew me to a sort of recess washed in the face of the cliff.

In this lay Gabe, moaning in pain, with face and neck bathed in blood.

As I bent over him with the lantern's light, he looked at me and endeavored to speak, but the effort only caused fresh blood to gush from his nostrils and mouth.

Tenderly we took him up between us and carried him back along the beach, up the bluff's side with the light of the stars shining on earth, for the storm had passed, as quickly as tropical storms do, and was muttering off in tattered masses toward the Indian Islands. Along the roadway up the garden drive over the piazza into the room we bore him, placing him gently on a couch that had been hastily prepared.

I dispatched one of the hands in all haste for Dr. Reynold's, our family physician, but as his residence was some two miles distant it was nearly an hour before he arrived.

In the meantime we made the poor sufferer as easy as possible, washing away the stains of blood from his face and neck, and cooling his throbbing temples with dampened cloths.

I gave him a strong dose of brandy, which had the effect of reviving him sufficiently to speak, though but little as the hemorrhage was very great.

How much he was hurt I could not tell, though I knew the arm was broken and some serious internal injury sustained.

When Dr. Reynolds arrived he made a careful investigation, then called me aside and said: "The matter is serious beyond hope. His time to live is but a few hours at the most. The only thing we can do is to keep him as quiet as possible—even now he is rapidly sinking."

After the doctor had departed I returned beside him and asked: "Do you feel easier, Gabe?" He smiled, as he faintly replied: "Yes, much easier, thank you. But hit will soon be ovah: dere ain't no use tellin' me to cheah up! I knows I's agoin'—gom' fast. Hit's hard to go—but the Lawd's will be done."

He turned to Tella, who was seated beside him, and, stroking her hair with his great horny hand, now feeble and weak as a child's, he said: "I's so glad you's safe, honey—so glad; what's my old life to you's—so young and faih. I was neahly too late, but thank ou' Lawd I sabed you. Hit makes me so happy, and when you's one of de bright angels way up dere beyond de gates, you'll not fo'get old Gabe will you, honey?"

For answer the golden head bowed over the rugged features, the golden curls fell among the kinky gray, the fresh young lips red with the blood of life, trembled on the pain-drawn forehead, while tears fell fast from her eyes and glistened like pearls among the blood-stains on the couch.

There was a glad smile on the old man's face as the child arose, and all the love of a full warm heart shone in his eyes as he looked upon her.

The hours sped on until the morning sun rose over the broad waters of the gulf, and shone in crimson and gold through the latticed creepers.

Gabe was very quiet, his eyes fixed on the ceiling, his hand resting on "Aunt Dinah's."

As the day broadened he became visably weaker, his breath coming at longer intervals, with labored intonation; his mind, too, began to wander, his voice at times rising in incoherent murmurs.

I gave him another dose of brandy, and again he revived, though the effort was the last of expiring nature.

He looked at us in a dazed and wondering way for a few moments, and seeing "Aunt Dinah" crying bitterly, said: "Don't cry, hon'—don't cry. Hit's only fo' a little while longer; a few moah days, or maybe a few moah yeahs, but we'll meet again; yes, meet in dat lan' wha' dere's no moah pain and trouble nevah come, and we'll be white as snow de-ere, hon', among de angel bands—a' singin' round de Great white T'rone."

On and on the little marble clock ticked on the mantelpiece, minute by minute, shortening the strand of life, drawing nearer and nearer the "shadow of the valley."

"Hit's gittin' so dark"—the dying man said—"night am comin' fast, my eyes am clo'n', de day am nearly gone, but de shade am very pleasah. I see angels 'mah' angels standin' dere; dey's walkin' in de sunlight, dey's singin' in de glory—and now dey beckon me to come. Yes, I's comin'—I's—"

Night shadows were indeed falling, and the shore was very, very near.

"Hold to me, dere!"

"I am clo'ser—I's leavin' you hon,' but I's gom' to a better lan' my soul will be white as de lambs." When you's ready to come, I'll be dere to meet you an' we'll be young again—to do new life bein again—in ou' Father's home. I'se so happy. No moah trouble—no more pain. Clo'ser hon'—clo'ser."

The lips moved again, but no sound came forth—speech had ceased to be, had flickered out in darkness, and the poor old body was following quietly after.

His lips grew wide apart, his breath came in irregular gasps, until at last it ceased. There was a long quiver in the frame and Gabe was dead.

Down in a corner of our garden, where tall trees make twilight love at noonday, in a spot so fitful and quiet, where dead mosses make foot-falls silent, is a little mound with a plain marble slab at its head. This is the grave of Gabe.

In the warm summer months during vacation a Northern college girl comes back to us a tall, fair girl. "She is always glad to return to the dear old home," she says, "though it is quaint and old-fashioned."

Many times before the summer wanes does she softly tread the mossy earth beside the dead and kneeling by the little mound offers anew thanks to Him who saw fit to prolong her life, at the sacrifice of that pure and noble soul.—*W. Glyndon, in Detroit Free Press.*

CAMEL RIDING.

Experience of Jack Tars in Navigating the Lofty Animals of the Desert.

I think I told you that one of the funny things of Korti camp life was to see the Household troops, or the Heavies, learning infantry drill. "Fours deep," "fours right, left," "form squares" resounded in their quarters all day long. Lord Charles Beresford's Naval Brigade arrived on the 6th, and having promptly pitched their tents and made themselves comfortable on the following day, they turned out on camelback to learn to handle these ships of the desert. "What's the British army a coming to?" I overheard a soldier who was looking on saying to his comrades. "It's a turning it upside down Lord Wolseley is and metamorphosing everything. First he makes sailors of us infantry, sending us here in boats, then he turns the cavalry into infautrymen, and I'm hanged if he ain't a making cavalry of the sailors." Perhaps he was. Anyhow, the process was droll in the extreme. With much persuasion Jack had towed, strung into line, some sixty camels, for the detachment to ride which was to march to Metemmeh. Lord Charles Beresford and Sir Herbert Stewart and staff, with many more were there to see. the Naval Brigade drill. "Mount," shouted Lieutenant Piggott, who was drilling the contingent. Aboard went Jack, still more quickly the camels snorted and surged to their feet, spilling and sending sprawling in all directions many a brave sailor. Somehow none of the men were hurt, and while Jack was trying to remount the lookers-on smiled audibly; even Lord Charles Beresford himself instantly produced his handkerchief and smothered something that sounded more like laughter than coughing, though it was his own command which was furnishing the fun. When the sailors at length had securely mounted, they seemed unhappy. Possibly they did not like the short lurches and swinging of the camels, and would have preferred a topgallant yard in a storm at sea. The camels also did not appear to respond promptly to the tugs given by Jack to the guiding head-rope which serves as a rein for the animal, and the brutes blundered against each other, throwing the line at times into confusion. Their officers, with wary eyes to faults of that sort, strove to correct them by calling to their men, "Hard a port," or "hard a starboard there." One sailor I heard directed to pass the rope across, as "that brute steers better from the port side." Another Jack had so loaded his animal with the equipment for the march that he was told to dismount and "stow it afresh, as the camel's saddle had a bad list." Jack, however, was in dead earnest, and meant learning to ride, so the detachment persevered. The spectators might have, I think, recognized this seriousness. Not a good deal of quiet chaff went on all the same. The cruelest thing I have heard for a long time was when the troop got the order to trot, and the sailors went jog, jump, thump in their saddles, as if they were playing leapfrog on the camels. "Don't bump so," cried a bystander to one of the sailors; "you'll make his head ache." Jack turned upon his tormentor a melancholy eye, moistened either by the poignancy of his situation or the cold callousness of the remark.—*Cairo Cor. London Telegraph.*

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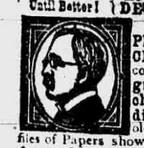

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The other day a legislative committee went out to the Hermitage to "spy out" the property, and their arrival and their presence quite completely broke up the quiet colored people located on "Old Marster's Farm."

They came to town to see Governor Bate about it. They had heard that the farm was to be sold, and its occupants turned out to shift elsewhere. The speaker of the delegation was Uncle Alfred Jackson, now eighty-two years old, one of General Jackson's old-time servants. He was in great trouble. He said to the Governor:

"Gin'l Bate, I done heard dat you're gwine to turn all us old Jackson niggers out, and I come here for to find out about it."

"Pshaw, Alfred! Somebody has been fooling you," said Governor Bate. "Don't trouble yourself; go home and rest contented. You can live at the Hermitage a long time yet, and I will see that you are not disturbed."

The old darkey took the Governor's assurance with such good grace, and seemed so well satisfied with the turn things had taken the *World* reporter ventured to pump him as to General Jackson's peculiarities.

"Uncle Alfred," said the reporter, "wasn't the General pretty high-tempered?"

"Well, young marster, dat depins on de circumstances. He wouldn't allow for no man to 'spute his word; and he wouldn't allow no man for to cry him down. He were jokey and full of fun, but whenever he said by the eternals God!' den everybody knowed just what he said."

"Dis here statue ou' dar," said Uncle Alfred, pointing to the bronze General rampant, "dis here statue looks like him about de head and face, but de one at New Orleans is de best. I was dar at home when Mr. Healey and Colonel Earle painted de portrait of de General."

"And you remember their visits?"

"Oh course, I does, I ain't lived wid any udder white people. I were born at de Hermitage in 1803, and I were twelve year old when old marster left Nashville for to fight de battle of de New Orleans. I remember when old marster died in 1845, for I was standin' right dar longside of his bed. He were de greatest man what ever lived—everybody sa'd so, and all of his black people believed it."—*Nashville World.*

THE "VICTORY."

How Lord Nelson's Flag-Ship Survives the Lapse of Three-Quarters of a Century.

I feel quite sure that few American boys have visited Lord Nelson's flag-ship, the glorious old "Victory," on whose deck the gallant Admiral received his death-wound October 21st, 1805, in that famous battle in the Bay of Trafalgar. The "Victory" led the attack against the combined navies of France and Spain. It was Lord Nelson's mightiest victory, and the power of France on the ocean was destroyed. The good old ship still presents a fine appearance and looks strong enough for another sea-fight. Few of her original timbers remain, however. The "Victory" floats high out of water, and her ports, from which the cannon have so often proclaimed England's victories, are mostly closed, and the few guns on board are used only for firing salutes. The British flag still waves from the mast and a small company of sailors guard the ship.

After coming on board, an escort is provided. Visitors are requested to register their names and contribute a trifle toward paying for this escort duty by the crew, whose chief employment is to show visitors the interesting places on board. We first went on the main-deck. A brass plate set in one part of this deck is inscribed: "Here Nelson fell." Our guide said that "Lord Nelson had no right to stand near this spot," and that "he was killed by one of his own men, who shot him from the cross-trees;" but we did not care to listen to such a story, believing, rather, as is indeed the truth, that Nelson was killed by the enemy.

The great deck, as it now appears without a single gun, looked lonely enough, and we descended, by way of the decks between, to the cock-pit, where the gallant sailor died. It is a damp, gloomy and silent place, where, on that eventful day, and at the close of Nelson's greatest battle, the great chief was tenderly carried. The gallant sailor had requested that a mantle be thrown over him, so that, as they passed through the decks, he might not be recognized, lest his crew should lose heart in the desperate struggle. Around him, in the moment of death and of victory, stood a few of his faithful officers waiting for his spirit to take its flight. It was at Southsea that the hero had embarked to fight the enemies of his country. The spot is now marked by one of the "Victory's" old anchors; and to the same spot, later, came the returning boats in solemn procession, one of them bearing the remains of the hero of Trafalgar. What a contrast! England can well afford generous honors to such a naval chief.—*W. Thornton Parker, M. D., in St. Nicholas.*

—"Are you going to Newport next summer?" asked one actress of another. "No; I don't think I will. I can't afford it." "Can't afford it? Why, you have made over $25,000 so far this season." "Yes, I know; but you seem to forget that I have a husband to support."—*Puck.*

—A freak of nature owned by a farmer at Derry, N. H., is a calf with two noses, two tongues and three eyes.

Brought Home a Wagon.

Louisville, Ky.—Mr. J. Helmus, Vice President of the City Brewery, was brought home in a wagon, carried up two pair of stairs by two of his men and laid on the bed. He was suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism contracted in the ice vaults of the brewery. He refused to have a doctor, but dispatched a servant for a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, with the result that in one week he was entirely cured and able to return to his desk.

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Under this caption an old physician writes to a Cincinnati Medical Journal, that in view of the fact that people living at a distance from cities are frequently obliged to resort to cough mixtures already put up for use, they should provide themselves with only such remedies as are known to be free from opiates, poisons and narcotics; thus avoiding not only danger, but even fatal results. He recommends the recently discovered Red Star Cough Cure which analyses and tests by various Boards of Health proved to be purely vegitable as well as prompt, effective and entirely harmless.

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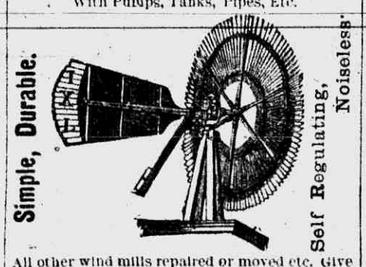

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 21, 1885.

MEMORIAL DAY.

A Full Program of the Exercises To Be Held in Tecumseh This Year.

The arrangements for the appropriate celebration of Decoration Day have been completed and the full program of exercises is given below.

The G. A. R. post will attend divine service in a body on Sunday next, May 24th at the Baptist church at 3 P. M. In the forenoon of the 30th they will go to Clinton to assist in the Decoration exercises there, and in the afternoon will participate in the exercises at Tecumseh. Below are the general orders by which the members of the Post will be governed.

Headquarters Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R. Tecumseh, Mich., May 18th, 1885. Gen'l Order, No. 1. In obedience to Gen'l Order, No. 2, from Deputy Commander, the comrades will assemble at the Post room on Sunday May 24th at 2.30 P. M., and proceed from there in a body to the Baptist church of this village for the purpose of attending divine worship in memory of our fallen comrades.

And on May 30th, 1885, at 8 A. M., it is earnestly requested that you assemble at the same place and proceed to the village of Clinton, to unite with others in strewing flowers on the graves of our dead in the cemetery there located. You will reassemble at the Post room at 1 P. M., of same day, and go from thence to Military Square to assist in service there to be performed. At the conclusion of which we will visit the "bivouac of the dead" in Tecumseh cemetery, and in spirit of reverence and fond remembrance lay flowers of purity and beauty, and wreathes of immortality on the last resting place of our comrades who have gone to answer the order of our Supreme Grand Commander.

S. P. Hosmer, Post Com'dr.
G. W. Marsden, Adj't.

For the celebration here the committee have selected as President of the Day, Prof. D. A. Hammond. For Marshal, Chas. A. Slayton, who will choose his aids.

At 1:30 P. M. the column will form on Pearl street, right resting on Chicago street in this order:

Tecumseh Cornet Band.
G. A. R. Colors and Guard.
Beers Post G. A. R.
Visiting Posts.
Old Soldiers, not members of the G. A. R.
Light Guard Band.
Co. C., M. S. T.
Tecumseh Fire Department.
Citizens on Foot.
Citizens in Carriages.

LINE OF MARCH.

East on Chicago street to Ottawa, north on Ottawa to Shawnee and Military Square.

EXERCISES AT THE MONUMENT.

Music—Light Guard Band.
Prayer—Rev. W. H. Babbitt.
Music—Choir.
Oration—Rev. C. T. Allen.
Music—Choir.
Remarks—Rev. G. W. Hudson.
Music—Tecumseh Band.
Benediction—Rev. J. Phelps.

The line will then reform and march west on Shawnee street to Union, and north on Union to the cemetery.

The graves will then be decorated by a detail from Beers Post and Co. C. At the conclusion of this ceremony the line will reform at the circle and return, via Union street to Chicago street, east on Chicago to Evans street and there disperse.

In addition to the general officers of the day, the following ladies have been appointed as a special floral committee, whose duty it will be to procure flowers and arrange them in bouquets for use.

FLORAL COMMITTEE.

Mrs. H. S. Lee, Mrs. Geo. Knapp, Mrs. J. F. Hicks, Miss Fanny Bottom, Miss Loana Stacy, Miss Augusta Whitenack, Mrs. R. B. House, Mrs. L. A. Chapman, Mrs. D. L. Whitenack, Mrs. H. H. Keyser, Miss Lizzie Hayden, Miss Dena Heesen, Mrs. W. S. Bordine, Mrs. A. D. Lawrence, Mrs. S. P. Hosmer, Mrs. Woolston Comfort, Miss Elida James, Miss Leila Doty, Mrs. S. K. Mead, Mrs. G. P. Sparks, Mrs. Geo. Tiffany, Mrs. J. R. Fowler, Mrs. D. P. Spaulding, Mrs. Robert Crosby, Mrs. H. E. Stout, Miss Emma Smith, Mrs. J. R. Cairnes, Mrs. Jas. Wood, Mrs. F. B. Wood, Mrs. Jehiel Davidson, Mrs. C. F. Smith, Mrs. Geo. W. Smith.

The floral committee are requested to meet at the Council Building, on Thursday evening May 28th, at eight o'clock to arrange for their work and appoint sub committees. Flowers should be delivered at the Council Building on Saturday morning at nine o'clock for use that afternoon.

At the request of the committee of arrangements we give at this time the names of those soldiers whose graves were decorated last year. All friends interested are asked to carefully examine this list and if they know of any names here omitted they will please present them to S. P. Hosmer. The Post especially desire to have this list fully complete and accurate this year.

Faron Anderson, F. M. Roberts, Jas. McNair, Alanson Conklin, John Cubertson, Jas. R. Wheeler, Martin B. Pennock, Wm. McCaughin, Jno. Gilbert, Sam'l D. Southworth, Chas. Doke, Stephen Mosher, Emory Waller, Theodore Lereau, William Butler, Alvin Tripp, W. H. Stout, Ira Ladd, W. Warren Estes, Alfred Durring, John Durling, Nat. Jones, Benj. Jones, Jas. Merseman, Albert Randall, H. G. House, Wm. Johnson, Abel Harding, Sam'l T. Knevland, W. F. Howe, Asa A. Whitehead, Thomas McClenshan.

These names of deceased soldiers who were buried elsewhere have been given to S. P. Hosmer. He wishes to increase this list and all persons knowing of any such deceased soldier are requested to hand the name to him.

Harlo H. Smith, Co. K., 3d, Mich. Cav.
Webster Smith, Co. D., 24 Inf.
Jas. C. Eddy, 3d Bat. 3d Mich. Cav.

REDUCED RATES ON LEGAL PRINTING.

A bill to reduce the rates for publishing legal notices and advertisements from 70 and 35 to 50 and 25cts., introduced by Mr. McNabb, passed the house committee of the whole last week. Mr. Hampton endeavored to have all after the enacting clause stricken out, and in support of his motion to that effect said the passage of the bill would greatly damage all the newspapers in the state and do good to none except lawyers who speculate in legal costs. He said that the country printers asked no favors, but he could see no reason why the men who elected the members should be specially singled out by those members as objects of attack.

Among the defenders of the bill was representative Howell of this county. The newspapers are commenting in rather vigorous language upon this action and they have good grounds therefor. The rates are now low enough to afford any margin for profit. We venture to say that the cutting of legal rates is rarely indulged in, and only when the poverty of an estate renders such a course excusable. We append the comments of the Adrian Times and Record on the subject and respectfully refer the same to the worthy representative from this district. They reflect the sentiments of the HERALD exactly.

Adrian Times: The bill to reduce the rates for publishing legal notices now pending in the legislature, ought not to pass. The present rate leaves but little margin for profit to the publisher, and the reduction proposed would cut that down to about starvation point. Representative Howell, of this county, favored the proposed reduction, and used as an argument the alleged fact that Adrian and Jackson papers cut the present rates, and contended that "if they can do that and make a profit, why, certainly, we ought to pass the bill and relieve the people." It would be the fair thing for Representative Howell to find out whether at "the cut rates" the papers have any profit for their work. The Times cannot speak for the papers of Jackson, or for any other than itself in Adrian, but so far as this paper is concerned it does not "cut legal rates." There have been cases, and no doubt will continue to be cases, where estates are poor, and little is left for the widow or orphans. The Times, in cases of that sort, has made donation of part of its bill for legal printing, but if an act of charity is to be thus misconstrued to its prejudice, in justice to itself the paper would be compelled to be less charitable.

Record: The bill passed the committee of the whole, but if it passes the house the next committee of the whole the house has will not be composed of the men who now compose it, if the newspapers have any spirit. Except in large cities no newspaper man ever yet grew wealthy out of the publishing business, and the average country editor just about scrapes through by doing most of his own work and wearing poor clothes. The rates allowed by the law for legal advertising are not too much and not any more than business men pay for advertising. Without any just cause or provocation there are men in the legislature who would reward the men who did most to elect them by attempting to rob them. The friends of the bill may prepare for permanent retirement from the legislative halls at Lansing.

The University of Michigan is again in luck. It is to receive Randolph Rogers's collection of statuary, which is being packed for shipment. The list, as given in a letter, written by the sculptor's wife, contains the following:

Lincoln monument, Seward monument, Michigan monument, Rhode Island monument, bas-relief of General Grant, bas relief of Lincoln, bas-relief of Faragut, bas-relief of Sherman, artillery soldier, calvary soldier, sailor, artillery soldier, sailor, infantry soldier, Jacob and Rachel at the well, statue of John Adams, model of Worcester soldiers' monument, bronze doors at the capitol, Isaac, bas-relief of Jacob and Rachel at the well, model of Michigan monument, model of Lincoln monument, bust of Washington, bust of Lincoln, Cupid breaking his bow, angel on Colt monument, Hartford; Indian group, Attala and Chactas; bill of right, trophy on Richmond monument, night, colonial times, colossal statue of Gen. Lewis, soldiers' monument, Cincinnati; lost Pleiad, Victory, Massachusetts soldiers' monument, colossal statue of Gen. Nelson, justice, revolution, finance, trophy on the Washington monument in Richmond, Ruth gleaning, Somnambula, infant Phyche, bas-relief night and day, Nydia, Truant, Nydia (reduced size), Ruth, bas-relief, victory, union, history, emancipation, bas-relief, flight of the spirit, model of Farragut monument, Indian hunter boy, Indian fisher girl, bas-relief Indian group.

HON. G. V. N. LOTHROP.

We present herewith a portrait of the newly appointed Minister to Russia. A biographical sketch of Mr. Lothrop appeared in last weeks HERALD. The portrait is taken from a late photograph and is very natural.

American Agriculturist for June.

This is another of the surpassingly excellent numbers of this valuable periodical, of which each number is a delightful surprise to the reader. The illustrations are most attractive, highly artistic, and at the same time practically useful. The title page picture, by Bennett, is a striking group of cows and a calf at a watering trough. A vignetted plate entitled "June," by Folsom, is a warm and sunny grouping of rural scenes. Three prominent breeds of non-sitting fowls, Leghorns, Crevecoeurs, and Houdans, are discussed and beautifully represented. The Polish Swans of the Central Park, form the subject of an instructive article, and of a picturesque engraving. An article on Carrier Pigeons is illustrated by a portrait of the Champion Homing Bird of England, a silver-dun Antwerp. Two fine horse portraits will gratify horsemen. As usual, this number is replete with handy devices for saving labor, and brief but useful hints upon hundreds of topics. It contains besides, an admirable Barn Plan by D. W. King; illustrations of flowers and plants, of the highest beauty and accuracy; an article by Rev. E. P. Roe on the "Profit in Small Fruits near Large Cities," and convenient and tasteful objects of utility or decoration in the household, while for the boys and girls there is a rare treat in a story by R. M. Stewart about Water and its Ways. "The Doctor" talks about Indian Corn, and there is a clever conceit in the personification of "Will-o'-the-Wisp." Yearly subscription, $1.50; single numbers, 15 cents. 751 Broadway, New York.

The North American Review concludes its seventieth year with its June number. It never had so large a circulation, nor a more brilliant staff of contributors. This number discusses seven topics of vital public interest by no less than fourteen eminent writers, not including the short contributions in "Comments." "Shall Silver be Demonetized?" is answered, pro and con, by three distinguished economists, Sumner, Laughlin and Walker, representing Yale and Harvard Colleges, and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. "The Tardiness of Justice" is discussed by Judge W. L. Learned, and "Prohibition in Politics" by Gale Hamilton; "The Swearing Habit" by E. P. Whipple, and "French Spoliation Claims" by Edward Everett. The policy of the Roman Catholic heirarchy toward our Public Schools is assailed in a learned essay by a new polemic, Mr. M. C. O'Byrne, of North Carolina, and defended by Bishop Keane, of Virginia, with equal erudition. It is a most interesting double presentation of an impending issue. "How Shall Women Dress" is answered by Charles Dudley Warner, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, Dr. W. A. Hammond, Dr. Kate. J. Jackson, and Mrs. E. M. King, the English leader of the dress reform movement.

The Magazine of Art.

The Magazine of Art for June has for its frontispiece a "Study of Drapery and Gesture," reproduced in facsimile from a drawing by Edward Burne Jones, and a lengthy and discriminating paper is devoted to this interesting painter by Mr. Claude Phillips. Mr. Phillips admires the unquestionable genius of Burne Jones, which by the way is of the same order as that of our own La Farge, but at the same time he appreciates his short comings. A number of engravings and facsimiles from Burne Jones's most characteristic works are given. "Island and Home," in Sidney Colvin's East Suffolk Memories carry us idly through a beautiful country, over moor and fen, through woods and by the side of silvery streams. There are several full-page illustrations in this number and numerous smaller ones.—Cassell & Company, New York, $3.50 a year.

DEMOREST'S Illustrated Monthly Magazine for June contains a great deal that will interest its readers. It opens with an admirable article, "Bryn Mawr College," which is profusely illustrated, and which fully describes this new college for women in Pennsylvania. "Old Antwerp" which is also illustrated, is another readable article, and so is "Through Normandy by Diligence." The serial, "A Strange Girl," is concluded; and Jennie June contributes a paper on "Trained Nurses and Nursing." These articles, with others of a miscellaneous nature, poems, fashions, and various departments make up a remarkably good number of this admirable magazine. The frontispiece is a fine oil picture, "Butterflies."

Every one who reads knows of Dr. E. Cobham Brewer's reference books and will be pleased to learn that new editions of them, revised and corrected, are about to be brought out. Messrs. Cassell & Company have made arrangements to publish "The Reader's Hand-book," and "The Dictionary of Miracles," uniformly with the "Dictionary of Phase and Fable." They will be bound in cloth, with leather backs, and sold separately or together in a box.

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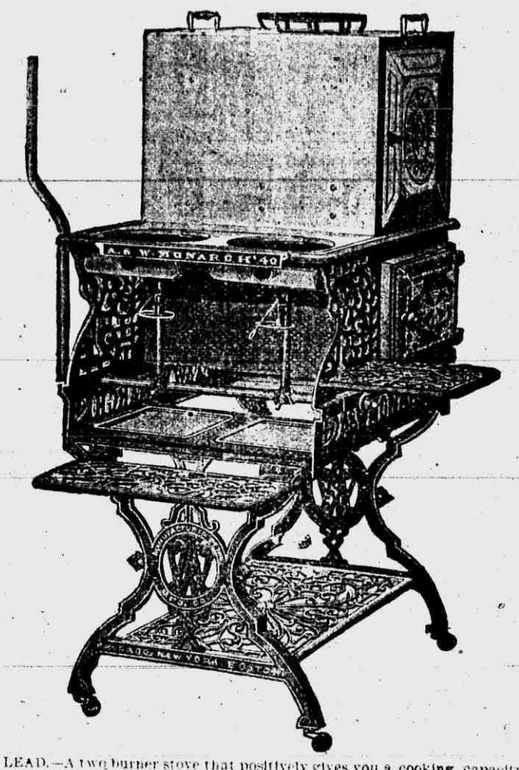

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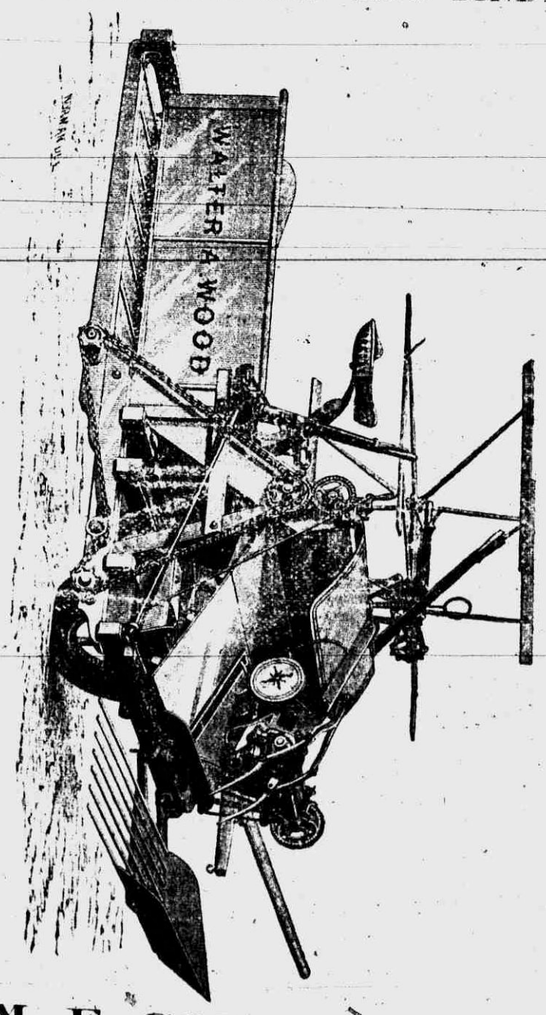

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST. On the 9th of May, between the Methodist school house, in Raisin, and Adrian, a lady's black shawl, black and white square figures. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the HERALD OFFICE.

PLANTS, PLANTS, PLANTS.—One million plants. Early and late cabbages, tomatoes, celery and peppers, in large quantities. Special prices on large quantities.
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BOARD OF REVIEW.—Notice is hereby given that the township Board of Review of the township of Tecumseh will meet at the Council building in the village of Tecumseh, on Tuesday the 19th inst. and on Monday, the 25th inst., at nine o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll of said township.
WM. BRESIE,
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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—I offer for sale, on easy terms, my house and lot situated on northwest corner of Mill and Brown streets in village of Tecumseh, formerly known as the Geo. W. Pennock residence, or if desired will exchange the same for land. Apply to undersigned at his residence on north side of Brown street, 2d house east of railroad.
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Several candidates were given the right hand of good fellowship last Sunday morning at the M. E. church.

Last Monday was the anniversary of Norwegian independence, and was generally celebrated by the Norwegians in this country.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman received this morning an immense stock of fine millinery goods in addition to her already large assortment.

Overseers' receipts for highway labor, kept in stock at the HERALD office, or blanks of any style printed to order on short notice.

We erroneously stated last week that the complaint against Dr. Geo. Ferguson was made by John Hibbard. The complaint was made by the marshal, James Moir.

Mr. Brownell and Mr. Hamilton, two of the newly elected directors of the Clinton Woolen Mill, were in Tecumseh on Tuesday, and paid their respects at the HERALD sanctum.

From a late number of "The Comrade" we clip the following complimentary notice. Mrs. Elliott was formerly Miss Minnie Spaulding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Spaulding, of Tecumseh.

Mrs. Minnie Elliott, the accomplished wife of Comrade Elliott, of the Veteran Club, a member of the Jas. A. Mulligan Relief Corps, has acquired a most enviable reputation by her finished and perfect recitations given at several entertainments of the Grand Army Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans. Mrs. Elliott has studied her profession with unusual dilligence and perseverance, and always with the best masters. This lady's presence before an audience is exceedingly graceful and unassuming; she is entirely free from the mannerisms that are so characteristic of the majority of elocutionists. Her repertoire is varied and embraces the many phases of declamation.

At a recent concert at Batavia, she was accorded quite an ovation by her many friends. She read at the last concert of the Union Veteran Club and easily carried off the honors of the evening. We are assured that her great abilities will eventually place her at the head of her profession in this city.

THE GLAD WEDDING BELLS.

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Strong was, on Thursday evening last, the scene of a happy social event. At that time their daughter, and only child, Hattie, was united in marriage to Dr. B. F. Snyder. The nuptial ceremony was performed at six o'clock by Rev. W. H. Babbitt in the presence of a few near friends, and between the hours of seven and ten o'clock a reception was tendered to a very large company. For four hours their commodious residence was literally overflowing with guests, assembled to pay their respects and congratulations to the newly married couple. Refreshments were served during the entire evening. Mr. Molton, a celebrated caterer of Toledo, superintended this part of the entertainment, and it is needless to say that his task was admirably performed and it was no easy one, for more than two hundred and fifty guests were provided for. The array of wedding gifts was elegant and costly, and evinced the high esteem in which the bride and groom were held by those who know them best. Chief among these was a check for $1000 presented by the bride's father. Thus start upon life's journey a worthy husband and wife. The bride has lived in Tecumseh all her life, and has always been a favorite in our social circles. The groom came here from Hillsdale about three years since and opened a dental office. Since coming here he has built up a lucrative business and is already looked upon as one of our most substantial business men. May the merry ringing of the wedding bells continue to reverberate music for them through a long and prosperous life.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 21, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The Hudson races will occur June 16, 17 and 18.

Judge Howell is spending a few days at Sand Lake.

A. A. Kennedy, of Battle Creek, was in town over Sunday.

The blue ribbon club of Clinton is in a prosperous condition.

Mrs. Col. Church, of Ithaca, has been making a brief visit among Tecumseh friends.

Clinton will celebrate Decoration Day. The exercises there will be held in the forenoon.

The 18th Mich. Inf. will hold their regimental reunion at Devils Lake on the 18th of August.

The Lenawee Baptist Association will meet with the church at Morenci, on Tuesday, June 2, 1885.

Bro. Carr, of the Dundee Reporter, was in town Tuesday, and paid his respects at the HERALD office.

The Hudson common council have issued a warning to people not to let their dogs run at large without a muzzle.

Many of our fair damsels can chew gum and skate on rollers at the same time, in the most graceful and artistic manner.

The Club Hop that was to have been given at Armory Hall to-morrow evening has been postponed on account of warm weather.

Rev. Jos. St. John, of Clinton, came down Tuesday to attend the confirmation services by Bishop Harris at St Peter's church.

James Cook of Raisin has been traveling in the eastern part of the state lately, and reports the wheat crop as looking unusually well.

Will R. Wooden, of Battle Creek, is spending two or three days among his Tecumseh acquaintances. He is still in the employ of Nichols, Shepherd & Co. and is well pleased with his situation.

John J. Adam, of this village, has taken the HERALD almost from the date of its first publication. His subscription expires on the 25th of May, and he renewed the same yesterday—a little ahead of time as usual.

Hudson Post: Lightning struck a straw stack on a pig pen, on the Thompson farm, near Osseo, last week Wednesday, and running down into the pen, killed eighteen hogs, belonging to Geo. W. Blarkman.

Dr. E. Hause returned from Florida last Friday. He left Sorrento on Wednesday morning and arrived at Ridgeway via the M. & O. road on Friday evening. He expects to remain in this vicinity during the summer, but the rest of the family will spend the summer in Florida.

Last week Aaron Abbott and wife, whose marriage a few years since was of a romantic runaway sort, separated, and now the possession of their 3-year old girl is a source of contention between them. Aaron by the use of a little artifice, managed to get hold of the child while it was in the front yard and hastily drove away with it.—Hudson Post.

Supervisor Bresie, who is also sexton of the Tecumseh Cemetery, requests all owners of lots therein, to assist him in a general cleaning up of the cemetery before Decoration Day. If private owners would expend a little work upon their own lots, the cemetery could be put in fine shape for that day. The request is reasonable and we hope it may be very generally complied with.

Adrian Record: An imprudent Hudson man offered two young men a $10 pair of boots each if they would attend church every Sunday for a year. He didn't think they would but they did, and made affidavit of it, claiming the boots. The man is sorry but must "taw over." But the saddest part of it is that the young men say they wouldn't do it over again for all the boots in Hudson.

Following is the program of the Lenawee County Teachers' association, at the meeting to be held May 23, at Adrian:

"Some thoughts on discipline," by H. C. Wilson, Blissfield, 10:30 a. m.

Penmanship in district schools, by J. B. Tenbrook, Fairfield, 1:30 p. m.

The teacher, and his labor and his reward, W. E. Tripp, Weston, 2:30 p. m.

Discussion after each paper. Teachers and all who are interested, are cordially invited to attend.

It is said "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty;" indeed it seems to be the price of any and everything worth having. Our beautiful cemetery grounds are suffering from the ravages of worms that have completely destroyed the green turf in large patches, and these spots look like blemishes in a fire-scourged meadow. Many of the hitherto beautiful family plats will have to be re-goddad or resown, as not a vestige of vitality is left in the roots where the worm has attacked the grass. The ground mole is also playing havoc in the grounds, burrowing across plats, and for long distance beneath the walks and alleys. Winter has told badly on many of the fine dwarf evergreens.—Hudson Post.

Hillsdale will celebrate the 4th this year.

John T. Finch, of Dundee, was in town last Friday.

Chas. Arnold of Adrian, was over on Tuesday visiting his brother Will.

W. James Hastings, returned home from the University on Monday last.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman is selling the finest bonnets and hats at very low figures.

Hon. T. F. Moore is delivering his New Orleans lecture before several of the county grange.

Chas. Patterson is in Adrian this week helping to close out the Lee boot and shoe stock.

Ladies, remember that Mrs. M. A. Freeman has the finest stock of millinery goods ever displayed in Tecumseh.

John A. Logan was elected U. S. Senator by the Illinois legislature last Tuesday. The long agony is thus over.

J. J. Daly has removed the rest of his Adrian bankrupt shoe stock to Tecumseh where he will close it out at once.

Rev. J. M. Getchell will deliver the oration on Decoration Day at Corry Pa., his old home. Mr. Getchell is a member of the Corry G. A. R. Post.

Ladies, be sure and call on Mrs. M. A. Freeman when in want of Millinery goods. Her stock is complete and her prices are way down. She has one of the best trimmers in the state.

Henry Smith has been treating his dwelling to a new dress of paint, and it looks grand. Daglish did the work and that of itself is enough to convince the public that it is well done.

The Adrian bicycle club, consisting of I. H. Finch, C. G. Wiesinger, James Hedges, H. M. Judge, C. E. Munn, Chas. Meyerhuber, W. H. Burnham and Geo. Bowerfind, rode over to Tecumseh last Sunday on their wheels, arriving in town about three o'clock, in time to take dinner at the Patterson house. The young men are all experts in the use of the "byke," and make a fine appearance when riding together.

Adrian Times: Col. Eldredge returned from Washington Saturday evening. He was seen by a representative of this paper this morning, when inquiry was made in regard to the minor postoffices about the county. The colonel replied that, while he had made a number of recommendations, he did not feel it desirable to mention them, as yet, as they had not been acted upon.

The new Commissioner of Agriculture charges that in the seed department there has been waste and mismanagement. He has beet seed enough to last for three years, and is loaded up heavily with peas and sorghum seed for which extravagant prices were paid, as high as $7 a bushel for the former and $2.95 a bushel for the latter. The seed department seems to have been as well managed as a number of other departments under the late administration.

Adrian Times: It is now a settled fact that Adrian is to have an electric light plant. Contracts are executed and the necessary machinery ordered, which will soon be here. This has been quietly brought about by persons who mean business, and there will be no failure about it. The plant is to be of the Thompson & Houston system, which embraces all of the "Sawyer-Mann patents," some fifty in number, covering every feature of the science, both as to arc and incandescent lights, than which no clearer or steadier light exists.

Capt. J. H. Fee has officiated as postmaster of the city of Adrian for twelve years, and we but state a fact well known to all that he has been a most faithful and competent officer. But under the new order of political things he steps out at the close of his present term and makes room for a brother journalist, Willard Stearns of the Press. The Republicans of Lenawee will accept the situation like practical men, and the Democrats will recognize in Mr. Stearns' appointment one entirely fit to be made. As a newspaper man, we have naught but kind words to say of the old regime and we cheerfully endorse the new. We speed the parting and welcome the coming guest.

Miss J. A. Hough has been replenishing her millinery rooms with a large and varied assortment of spring goods and now has one of the finest stocks ever displayed in this village. Summer hats of all sizes, styles and shapes, a fine lot of ornamental feathers and a brilliant array of artificial fruits and flowers. These latter are becoming quite fashionable for hat trimmings and when skillfully arranged produce a most pleasing effect. A full assortment of ribbons is kept on hand, and all other et ceteras to constitute a complete millinery stock. Her goods are also marked at figures to suit the present close times. Our young ladies and old ladies also will do well to inspect her goods and prices before making their spring purchases. She has secured the services of two first-class milliners, Miss Allie Warren and Mrs. S. Millard, who will do their best to please.

A new Singer sewing machine for sale at this office, cheap for cash.

Elmer Hendershott of Ann Arbor College is home for a few days vacation.

Dr. E. Hause was in town yesterday circulating around among his Tecumseh friends.

Messrs. B. Powell, H. W. Bartlett and F. L. Nixon of Adrian were in town last Sunday.

P. L. & C. D. Sword will remove their brick making works from Adrian to Cincinnati. They will manufacture brick and also brick and tile machines.

Temple, McClure & Co. are shipping a car load of finished stuff this week to St. Louis, Mo., for Charles Crane, who is building a fine residence there. Salmon Crane is out there superintending the work.

Spencer's Gallery, over Wright's store is now in full blast and he is having a good run of custom. Mr. Spencer has made his arrangements to be here most of the time himself and the gallery will be open every day to accommodate customers.

Rev. Mr. Wall and Deacon Edwin Cook went to Jackson yesterday as representatives of the Franklin Church to the state Congregational Association, which began its sessions last evening and will sit until next Sunday. This is the twenty-first state association which Deacon Cook has attended.

Precisely at nine o'clock Tuesday evening, at the rink, Frank Burtis of Hillsdale and Nelson Aten of this village toed the mark for one a mile race. The boys were about evenly matched as regards age and weight, but young Burtis was the more agile of the two, and took the lead at the start and kept there till the finish, winning by about half a lap. Time 4:55.

Mr. Nathan Smith of this city, read an item in the Times, to the effect that S. B. Knapp, of Lowell, Kent county, puts in a claim to have resided in this state longer than any other white man now living. Mr. Knapp claims to have settled in Oakland county in April, 1826. Mr. Smith settled in the same county in November, 1820, and Mr. Knapp will have to take a back seat.—Adrian Times.

Both Mr. Knapp and Mr. Smith must take a back seat. W. W. Bliss, of this village, first saw this terrestrial sphere in Monroe county in 1817, and has lived in the state ever since.—Blissfield Advance.

Prof. and Mrs. Hubbard closed their voice school last Thursday evening, giving entire satisfaction to the class. By a unanimous vote it was decided to have another term next fall, and the following committee was appointed to take the matter in charge: J. S. Temple, M. P. Brown, Mrs. C. H. Gainsley, Mrs. Fred Rosecrans, Mrs. A. W. Mills, Mrs. L. I. Bidwell, Irvin S. Osborn, B. F. Steinhoff, Mrs. Dr. Fisher, Dr. R. B. House. This committee invite all who feel interested in this work to meet at the residence of C. H. Gainsley next Monday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Bring your books.

Clinton Local: Last Friday was a regular jubilee day on the telephone line. A pole fell some-where between here and Tecumseh, and a passer by, to place the wires out of harm's way, in some way crossed them and the effect was delightful. Every time a bell rang, it attracted the attention of a regular brigade of operators, and was indeed a picnic for any person to find out who was who or which was which, and the only way we could distinguish the good natured Mina from that perfect pattern of patience, at Tecumseh, was by the color of their hair. Their smoothness was certainly crossed almost as much as the wires and May was almost vexed!

W. T. Eccles, of this village, has perfected arrangements for going into the tea business on an extensive scale. He buys his teas direct from New York brokers in large lots at wholesale prices and can retail them at lower figures than were ever before offered in this vicinity. He is now filling up his store with a large stock. His establishment will be known hereafter as the "New York Tea Store." In addition to his local trade he will send out a man or two on the road to take orders among the farmers for his teas. Mr. Eccles is one of our best young business men and the farmers can rely upon honorable dealing in all their transactions with him.

As the time is approaching for the regular annual reunion of the High School Alumni Society, we take the liberty of publishing the list of officers chosen last year, that all may know in good season what their duties are and make a note of it.

President—P. S. McKinnon.
1st Vice President—A. W. Mills.
2d. " " —Miss May Farley.
3d. " " —Miss Mable Guiwits.
Secretary—L. P. Tribou.
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Orator—Dr. George Howell.
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Poetess—Miss Alice Wimple.
Alernate—Miss Leila Doty.
Essayist—Miss Condict.
Alternate—Mrs. S. W. Anderson.
Historian—Mrs. S. P. Hosmer.
Alternate—B. F. Lamkins.
Toast-master—Abner Wilson.
Executive Committee—Chas. Waldron, Benj. F. Lamkins, Miss Julia Snell, Miss Clara Waldron.

JOSHUA GUMBO'S GARDEN.

Mrs. Gumbo devoted her leisure moments last week—after the garden question had been definitely settled—to making out a list of flower and vegetable seeds. A five dollar order was bought on Monday morning, and the letter has probably reached its destination ere this. Since Monday Jerusha has been making out a plot of the garden, showing the different beds and alleys, and marking the location of each different kind of vegetable and flower, as an architect would draft the plans of a new house. Meanwhile Joshua has become greatly interested in the scheme, and has busied himself in procuring the necessary labor and materials; with the understanding of course that Mrs. Gumbo should foot the bills.

Last evening, after the supper dishes had been cleared away, and Joshua's crippled finger had been ornamented with a fresh poultice, the two sat down to compare notes and arrange the details for manufacturing a garden.

"I procured a copy of "Downing's Landscape Gardening" at the Library last Saturday evening, Joshua, and have been perusing it with especial reference to our necessities. It will be impossible for us to have an artificial pond on the front lawn with Toulouse geese swimming upon its placid surface, nor can we feast our eyes upon the South American cactus, or bask in the umbrageous shade of the Mexican palm, but we can indulge in a pretty cobble stone walk laid in a graceful curve from the front door step to the locality in the sidewalk where the front gate ought to be. We can adorn either side of the walk with a row of marigolds and violets, and lay out circular posy beds on the lawn. Don't you remember the old top phaeton, Joshua, in which we used to enjoy many a cosy ride in the years gone by, when we built so many beautiful air castles as we rode past the old mill and beneath the stately maples upon father's farm? The phaeton has gone the way of the "One-hoss shay" but the tires of the four wheels lie rusting in the thistle patch in the back yard. These can be planted on the lawn, and the space within set with tulips and pansies and poppies and forget-me-nots. The small fruits and vegetables, of course, must not be neglected. The onion patch will be given the post of honor in the center of the garden. I have allotted a nice bed for a few mammoth reds, and have reserved a double portion for the extra concentrated colossal silverskin. A strawberry bed must be planted. I prefer the Bidwell for early and the Kentucky for late bearing. Peas and beets and beans, lettuce and melons and squash, pumpkins, potatoes and carrots will perfume the air and load our table with all the delicacies of the season. I feel, Joshua, that a new era is dawning in our domestic affairs and that life may be well worth living, after all."

"Well, Jerusha, your head's level at last. I kin see that. You kin plan out plans like a house afire. You kin draft plots like a swivel engineer. You kin lay out the beds 'n sling the curves, 'n round the square corners 'n put on the scollops, 'n putty up the cracks, 'n lay on the fringe, but when it comes to doing the work, Jerusha, then call on me. Why, hang it, I haint been so stirred up clear down to the bottom since the night of the quiltin' bee. Now then, I'll jist uncork my tool chest and show you a little farmin' machinery that 'll make yer eyes bung out."

Having lighted the lantern, Mr. Gumbo piloted Jerusha to the woodshed, opened the lid of a huge tool chest and produced his gardening utensils.

"Thar, Jerusha, is a spade what is a spade. The bottom is shaped like a cork screw 'n the top 's hung like a hay fork. It'll dig a hole five feet deep in jist three minutes. We kin plant our beets 'n carrots with that spade, and they'll grow a tap root on 'em ten foot long. And, Jerusalum, look at that rake. It's got four rows o teeth and two handles, one pointin each way. It'll take two men to run that rake, one on each side, like cuttin wood with a cross cut saw. And, hang it, look at that hoe. That hoe, Jerusha, is a new inwention o' mine. I never seen nothin like it in this world and never expect to in the world to come. I shall get a patent on't sure. It has ten blades hitched on to an axletree, like the wings of a wind-mill. Why, hang it, it'll hoe more 'n ten times as much hoin in one day as an ord'nary hoe. That chest on top holds the main spring and it winds up like a watch. That rudder atween the handles is to steer it with. I kin wind up that air hoe and set it a goin' and it'll travel over the hull gardin in fifteen minutes. It'll mow down weeds like a prairie fire, and it'll cultiwate onions better 'n a dozen hoss cultiwaters. I kin sit on the hoss block, Jerusha, and hoe the hull gardin every night after supper. That hoe'll do the business, Jerusha, and when the wegitables gits big enough to market, we kin sell 'em 'n the money 'll come rollin in and then I'll start a factory and manufacture them hoes, and folks 'll buy more hoes 'n more hoes, and the business 'll grow bigger 'n bigger, 'n the spondulix 'll keep comin in, 'n comin in, and Gumbo's name 'll become a household byword by the side of old McCormicks. But the first thing is to grow our wegetables. We'll ha[illegible] st knock the socks off n a[illegible] in this Injun town, or my name ain't Joshua, you bet.

Our garden, Jerusha, will be a surprise;
It will make all the neighbors just open their eyes.
The ground will be plowed, then at work we will go
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To the sunflowers, and the asters, and browallias, we will show
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We'll have flower and vine, berry and onion;
On setting seeds in the soil, they will grow with a rush.
For the work of a week, we'll in one day be stow,
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With turnips and taters our larder we'll fill,
And sweet-scented flowers will their sides distil
Of pinks and of pinns, we'll have row upon row,
To be tilled with our patent automaton hoe.

We'll have puddings and pastry and cookies and pies
And feast upon artichokes up to our eyes;
While the front posy garden in beauty will glow
With the touch of our patent automaton hoe.

Each nook of the garden, each alley and bed
Will be gay as a carpet with flowers o'erspread;
The weeds 'll be slaughtered, the weg'tables grow,
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When the crops come to bearing, we'll then take our ease,
And revel in melons, and onions and peas;
With beauty and fragrance our home will o'erflow,
On account of this patent automaton hoe.

The hard times may come, but they can't make us wince,
With our own garden sass, we can live like a prince;
O'er a garden, the best in the town, we can crow;
All made with our patent automaton hoe.

CONFIRMATION SERVICES.

Bishop Samuel S. Harris D. D., of this diocese, conducted services at St. Peter's church last Tuesday evening, at which time the rite of confirmation was administered to a class of seven members. The church was filled with a delighted audience, the music was excellent and the service impressive. The Bishop was assisted by the Rector and the Rev. Jos. St. John of Clinton. The Bishop's discourse was a masterly effort. He speaks without notes, and yet his sermons are as finely rounded and as elaborate in diction as though read from a carefully prepared manuscript. He has a commanding pulpit presence, and an easy impressive manner of delivery. In both matter and manner, his sermons are models of pulpit oratory. At the close of the services, the congregation repaired to the rectory, where an informal reception was tendered to the Bishop, and many of our citizens had the pleasure of forming his acquaintance. Ice cream and cake were served, which fitly terminated an evening of profit to the church and enjoyment to the participants.

The following is a list of the soldiers buried in the cemeteries at Clinton: S. B. Goodrich, 3d Mich. Cav.; Reuben D. St. John, Co. E, 4th Mich. Cav.; Geo. W. Pratt, Co. E, 55th Ohio Inf.; Chas. S. Eddy, Co. E, 18th Mich. Inf.; Nelson M. Kelly, Zebulon Cory, Co. F, 4th Mich. Inf.; Chas. H. Silvers, Wisner Ellis, John R. Kimball, Co. E, 18th Mich. Inf.; Ephraim Priest, Co. F, 4th Mich. Inf. Roman Catholic cemetery—T. McMahon, Co. G, 11th Mich. Cav.; Michael McGuire, 1st Mich. Mechanics and Engineers.

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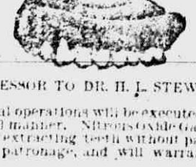
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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

Among the Presidential appointments on the 14th were the following: Collector of Internal Revenue: Charles B. Staples, Twelfth district of Pennsylvania. Collectors of Customs: Richard T. Rundlett, Wiscasset, District of Maine; Richard F. Dodge, Salem, District of Massachusetts.

It is understood that the President has given the assurance that General Rosecrans can have the Registership of the Treasury, the Collectorship of San Francisco, or the position to become vacant on the Mississippi River commission.

Appropriations for the payment of bounty of volunteers, their widows and for the pay of two and three-year volunteers, has been exhausted.

The following persons have been appointed by Secretary Lamar to be Special Agents of the Land Bureau: Charles B. Judd, of Colorado; Jonas Libby and Silenus O. Ward, of New York; Elgin R. L. Gould, of Maryland; Henry C. Wilson, of New Jersey; William H. Stinson, of New Hampshire; James Reed, of Massachusetts; Arthur B. Woodford, of Connecticut; J. H. Groves, of Delaware; H. L. Jamison and Gregor Fox, of Pennsylvania; Charles F. Gillman and William N. Waudby, of Ohio; Ringgold W. Browning, of Maryland; William O. Trexholm, of South Carolina; Henry Newman, of Missouri, and Henry Jones, of Georgia. It is said the appointments were made without regard to the political affiliations of the appointees, or the views they might entertain upon economic questions. The districts to which they are to be assigned have not yet been designated.

Presidential appointments on the 16th: To be Collectors of Customs: Jeptha V. Harris, for the District of Key West, Fla. Wyndham R. Mayo, for the District of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.; Richard L. Cropley, for the District of Georgetown, District of Columbia. To be Collectors of Internal Revenue: James F. Robinson, for Seventh District of Kentucky; Charles H. Henshaw, for the District of Rhode Island; John T. McGraw, for the District of West Virginia; George M. Helms, for the Fourth District of Virginia; Andrew L. Elliott, for the Second District of Virginia; Samuel Klotz, for the Fifth District of New Jersey. To be United States Marshals: Columbus Sehan, for the District of West Virginia; Joseph J. Ivins, for the Eastern District of Tennessee.

THE EAST.

The will of the late Jane Holmes, of Pittsburgh, was filed on the 14th. During her long life she made generous contributions to charities, and in her will almost every Protestant charitable institution in the city receives handsome bequests, and large sums are left in trust for charitable enterprises. Over a million dollars are distributed.

Up to the 15th none of the miners entombed at the North Ashland (Pa.) colliery had been recovered, and there was very little hope of reaching them for some time. All the imprisoned men are relatives.

Colonel Charles J. Murphy, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has volunteered to go to Plymouth, to aid in caring for the sick. He became quite famous for his services in the yellow fever epidemic of 1847 in New Orleans, and was prominent in the hospital services of the Peninsula campaign during the war.

Both the Garfield boys, Henry and James A., will graduate at Williams College this year, and speak in the Commencement exercises.

An explosion of nitro-glycerine at the Somerset (Pa.) chemical works on the 14th instantly killed one of the proprietors, Dr. T. Beach, and demolished eight buildings.

Business failures reported in the United States during the week ended on the 15th numbered 164, against 197 in the preceding week, and 187, 166 and 116 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882, respectively.

There has been a sudden outbreak of diphtheria at High Bridge, N. Y., which seems to be epidemic in its form. The public schools are closed in consequence.

William A. Gilpatrick, charged with cruelty to a child of Mr. Sidney, a tanner, of Exeter, N. H., pleaded *nolle contendere* on the 15th, and was sentenced to two years in State prison. The Judge remarked that he was reluctant in imposing so light a sentence, and that had the jury agreed to convict on the first trial, under an indictment charging cruelty causing death, he should have imposed the full sentence allowed by law.

Michael Abderfor, the wealthy president of the Herkimer National Bank, at East Greenville, Pa., hanged himself on the 15th. He had been in poor health for some time.

Kate Maloney, a seventeen-year-old girl of Somerville, Mass., who had visited a skating rink against her mother's wishes, was sentenced on the 15th to one year's imprisonment at Sherburne prison, on the charge of being a stubborn child.

Hon. S. S. Cox, newly appointed Minister to Turkey, expects to sail for Constantinople about the middle of next month. He will resign his seat in Congress before leaving, and the vacancy will not, in all probability, be filled until the regular State election in November.

Charles Rugg, the negro who murdered old Mrs. Lydia Maybee and her daughter Mary at Oyster Bay, Long Island, nearly two years ago, was hanged in jail at Hunter's Point, L. I., on the 15th. He died without a struggle.

The sixty-ninth annual meeting of the American Bible Society was held at New York City on the 14th. The reports showed the issues of Bibles and Testaments and portions during the year were 1,548,155, of which 568,719 were circulated in foreign lands. The total issue was 45,440,206. Forty-eight new auxiliaries were recognized. The receipts for the year were $887,914.84, and the expenditure $619,882.58. For the foreign work of the society to be expended during the coming year $172,850 has been appropriated. The sum of $142,292.58 was paid to the society's agents and correspondents to meet expenses incurred in translating, publishing and distributing the Scriptures in foreign lands. A board of managers was elected, with Hon. Frederick T. Frelinghuysen, President, and William Gammell, LL. D., and Hon. John Jay, Vice Presidents.

For the week ending the 16th the total exports of specie from New York were $292,027. Imports of specie for the same period, $196,462.

The juror, Harvey M. Munsell, who visited the office of O'Donovan Rossa during the trial of Short for carving Captain Phelan, was adjudged guilty of contempt of court on the 16th, and was sentenced to thirty days in jail and to pay a fine of $250.

Enul Dorner was on the 16th sentenced to the penitentiary for two years for illegal voting at the last municipal election in Pittsburgh.

The statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 16th shows the following changes: Loans decrease, $751,300; specie decrease $624,300; legal tenders increase, $1,276,100; deposits decrease, $4,863,000; circulation decrease, $26,900; reserve increase, $2,115,325. The banks held $57,410,950 in excess of legal requirements.

Andrew J. Dorn, the well-known proprietor of the Astor House, New York, died suddenly on the 16th of neuralgia of the heart.

At the sixty-first anniversary services of the American Sunday-school Union, held at Newark, N. J., on the 17th, Morton K. Jesup, of New York, presided and gave a summary of the society's work the past year as follows: The new Sunday-schools organized numbered 1,499, with 67,000 scholars, averaging nearly five scholars, gathering into them 183 scholars per day for each day in the year. The schools aided numbered 1,713, with a membership of over 150,000. There were 18,000 Bibles and Testaments distributed, 3,707 family visits were made, and 8,982 addresses were delivered by the missionaries of the society.

A collision on the Philadelphia & Reading Railway on the 16th near Wilkesbarre, Pa., between a flying engine and a local freight train, killed Engineer Philip Strong and Fireman William Shane.

WEST AND SOUTH.

A herd of 150 cattle belonging to Flo Frize, of Arkansas, have been quarantined at Sentinel Butte, near the Montana line. The reason for the quarantine is supposed to be the fear that the cattle have pleuro-pneumonia. They are apparently healthy, however, but very poor. The owner declares the quarantine unwarranted.

In the Michigan House of Representatives on the 14th the bill allowing the minority stockholders in joint stock companies representation on the boards of directors was taken up and passed over the Governor's veto.

It was reported from Pocahontas, Tazewell County, W. Va., on the 15th that a reign of terror existed there, owing to an outbreak of colored coal miners, who seek revenge for the arrest of several of their comrades, who got drunk and made a disturbance. They nearly killed the officer who made the arrests, and then demolished the jail and released the prisoners.

A Sunday-school excursion to Tallulah Falls, Ga., numbering 150 persons, were poisoned a few days ago by eating ice cream. The cream had been prepared the day before and allowed to stand over night in a cooler. Lemons were used to flavor it, and it is supposed that the acid caused poisonous ingredients in the cream. None of the victims are in danger, and all are doing well. The physicians do not expect there will be any fatal cases.

The Rose Block at Cleveland, O., was destroyed by fire on the night of the 15th. The lower portion of the building was occupied by the Cleveland Provision Company as a salesroom, and L. A. Bailey's dry goods store. Several families occupied the upper floors, many of whom barely escaped with their lives. Mrs. Sawyer, a seamstress, and Martin Roth, a young son of Frederick Roth, were suffocated and perished. H. E. King was seriously injured by leaping from the second story window. Loss about $45,000.

Five children, a girl and four boys of Henry Lewiston, were burned to death at Owatonna, Minn., a few nights ago. The other members of the family narrowly escaped.

On the 14th a mob of armed men surrounded the guard over forty State convicts employed on Clay's farm in Brazos County, Tex., and demanded a surrender of the prisoners. The guard refused, when a fight ensued, and the prisoners, who joined with the mob, were rescued. The outrage was due to the prejudice against the employment of convict labor outside of the penitentiaries.

A. J. Jones, late postmaster at Lake Providence, La., has been convicted of robbing the mails of $4,000, and sentenced to five years' imprisonment at hard labor.

The Ohio State Miners' Association, at a meeting in Columbus on the 15th, adopted resolutions favoring a general suspension of work in the State, but action was delayed pending a request which was made of the executive committee of the National Association to consider the advisability of inaugurating a National strike.

E. W. Goddard, a prominent citizen of Minneapolis, Minn., was arrested a few days ago on a charge of embezzling $15,000 from Austin, Corbin & Co., the New York bankers. The crime was committed twelve years ago, when Goddard was only seventeen years old, since which time he has been a fugitive from justice. He has confessed his guilt.

On the 17th J. B. Russell, of Cuthbert, Ga., killed his two sons and then shot himself three times. Financial difficulties had unsettled his mind.

An unknown disease is reported to be prevailing among the stock in some of the upper counties of Virginia. Twenty-five per cent. of all the cattle and sheep have died and the loss to farmers is incalculable.

The county seat war in Roberts County, Dak., broke out afresh on the 15th. A mob went from Wilmot to Traverse and demolished the court house. No resistance was made as the people look to the courts for redress.

Rooks County, Kas., was visited by a cyclone on the 15th, which dealt death and destruction throughout its entire course. Nearly fifty persons were injured, several fatally. Among the latter are Rev. Mr. Grimes, wife and child; George Campbell, and a child name unknown. Some hailstones measured four inches in diameter. The damage to property will reach $50,000.

In the Illinois District, Cherokee Nation, on the 16th Sam McCoy and Austin Ross met on a lonely road and proceeded to settle a difficulty with six-shooters. Twelve or more shots were exchanged and both men were soon afterward found dead in the road. McCoy had seven bullet holes in his body, while Ross had but one. There were no witnesses to the tragedy, but there were persons near enough to hear the shooting.

Senator Dawes, chairman of the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, arrived at St. Louis on the 17th, where he was joined by Senators Ingalls, Morgan, Hampton, Maxey and Jones, also members of the committee, who are going West to look into the general condition of the Indians, the titles and leasing of lands to cattlemen, and various other questions that may arise.

The case of George T. Jackson, President of the Enterprise Manufacturing Company at Augusta, Ga., charged with embezzling funds of the company, was ended on the 16th by a verdict of guilty, and he was sentenced to six years at hard labor in the penitentiary.

Five million feet of lumber in the yard of George E. Wood at Lakeside, Mich., was destroyed by fire on the 16th, involving a loss of $70,000.

The jail at McMinnville, Tenn., was visited by a lot of masked men on the 17th, who released George Mitchell, awaiting trial for the murder of William Baudin about three years ago. Mitchel was arrested in Arkansas and brought back five months ago. The mob came from the Collins River country, and were very quiet.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

In a letter to the London *Times* of the 13th, Lord Randolph Churchill, leader of Opposition in the House of Commons, makes a violent attack upon Lord Granville, Minister of Foreign Affairs, on account of the latter's recent speech explaining the agreement between himself and the Russian representatives. Lord Churchill alludes to Lord Granville as a "malicious, sneaky and incapable Whig, and an unhappy man." The attack appears to be fully as much a personal as a political one and is certain to cause a sensation.

The London *Standard* advises the Opposition that it is useless to occupy the time of the session with mere motions of censure upon the Government. They should rather prepare for the coming struggle in which they are to meet the electors face to face.

Specials from the Northwest state that Riel has occupied another strong position a mile distant from the scene of the last battle. All the steamers having joined General Middleton, the capture of the greater part of the rebels is only a matter of time.

Hon. George H. Pendleton, the new United States Minister to Germany, has arrived at Berlin.

London papers of the 16th contained long citations from the revised edition of the Old Testament, the text of which was furnished to the press. The changes made by the revisers are generally praised as improvements, though objections are raised on some passages.

Dispatches of the 18th state that violent storms have prevailed throughout Hungary and Roumania during the past few days. Snow has fallen heavily in many regions, while hurricanes accompanied by hail have killed the growing crops and destroyed the vineyards. Many persons are reported killed.

It is stated that a large majority of Non-Conformists and a respectable minority of Churchmen in England do not favor the adoption of the revised Bible in worship, and it is doubtful if it will ever displace the King James version. Besides, this version being copyrighted in the hands of two publishing houses, adds to the difficulty of making its use popular. There is an immense demand for copies, but publishing experts say that this is from curiosity and literary interest, which will soon decrease.

A "sword of honor" has been presented to General Komaroff by the Czar. The hilt is of gold and the scabbard richly set with diamonds. The gift was accompanied by an autograph letter from the Czar, warmly praising General Komaroff's military measures, and his prudence and firmness in dealing with the Afghans, as well as his gallantry in the engagement at Dashkepti. A similar honor was conferred upon General Zakriewski.

LATER NEWS.

A London dispatch says the trial of Cunningham and Bailey, the dynamite plotters, ended on the 18th with a verdict of guilty and they were sentenced to penal servitude for life.

Professor Henri Enri, formerly Consul to Basle, Switzerland, died at his residence in Washington City on the 18th, of heart disease. He was found dead in bed.

Six persons were frozen to death during the snow storm of the 16th at Vienna, Austria. The storm was accompanied by a fierce wind and numerous houses situated in the suburbs were wrecked.

A census of Washington and Georgetown, D. C., gathered by the police force and now virtually completed, points to a population of 244,000, an increase of 24,000 over the population returns of the 1880 census.

By the explosion of a boiler in the cotton mill of the Bibb Manufacturing Company at Macon, Ga., on the 18th, Frank Gibson, the engineer, was killed. Wesley Johnson fatally injured and several others seriously hurt. Damage to the machinery and engine house $10,000.

The proposition of the bondsmen of Orrin Sperry, the defaulting county treasurer of Chautauqua County, N. Y., to pay $55,000 of the $85,000 stolen has been accepted by the Supervisors, as defects in the bond made litigation uncertain. This action frees the bondsmen from further obligation.

A special from Bridgeport, Ill., says the seventeen-year locusts made their appearance at that place on the 8th. They have been found in large numbers close to the surface of the ground and moving upward. The indications are strong that an unusually large swarm will appear in a short time.

The Secretary of the Treasury on the 18th received a conscience contribution of $100 in an envelope postmarked Chicago.

A destructive forest fire was raging near New Straitsville, O., on the 18th. An area of five miles between that place and Sand Run has been burned over and much valuable timber, rails and fencing consumed. The loss will be heavy.

In the Louisiana Supreme Court on the 18th Justice Poche read a lengthy opinion in the Ford case, in which every exception presented by the defense was overruled, and the judgment of the lower court affirmed. The lower court sentenced Pat Ford and Murphy to be hanged, and Judge Ford, Caulfield and Brichly to twenty years' imprisonment at hard labor.

H. M. Spaulding alias Russell, late head book-keeper of the Racine, Wis., Carriage Company, who disappeared in the middle of February last, with a disreputable woman, leaving a wife and two children nearly destitute, was captured on the 18th at New Orleans as he was leaving the city. Spaulding defrauded his company out of $12,000, and a reward was offered for his capture. Since his disappearance he has traveled extensively throughout the United States and Canada.

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hurts and many sorts of ails of man and beast need a cooling lotion. Mustang Liniment.

ESTATE OF JAMES P. WILKINS.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 27th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Melinda H. Wilkins, surviving executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging, among other things, that Mariah Wilkins, the widow of said deceased, has departed this life, that the provisions of said will cannot be fully executed until the youngest child of said deceased arrives at the full age of twenty-one years, that petitioner does not feel able to have the care of said estate, that the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, have been paid, and praying that her resignation now on file in this court may be accepted, that Alfred Lewis, or some other suitable person, may be appointed administrator of said estate with the will annexed, for the allowance of her final account, and for her discharge.
Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. apr30

ESTATE OF MARIA BREWER.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Maria Brewer, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Charles J. Brewer, administrator of the estate of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that he is ready to file his final account, and praying that said account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.
It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF EDWIN B. WOOD.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Edwin B. Wood, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harriet E. Wood, widow of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood and Charles Burridge, nominated executors of said instrument, or some other suitable person.
It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

A. M.			P. M.
8 53	1	17	
9 20	9	15	1 38
9 33	9	27	1 50
9 47	9	44	2 05
9 59	9	57	2 17
10 10	15	2	36
P. M.			2 56
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2 52		3	10
3 00		3	28
3 24		3	15
3 33		3	53
3 39		3	59
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3 10		5	10
		6	10
11 05		6	15
11 13		6	25
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A. M.		9	50
		P. M.	

Train No. 32 leaves Tecumseh every day except Sunday, for Grand Rapids and Intermediate points. Coach leaves Grand Rapids every day except Sunday, for Tecumseh and intermediate points. Connecting at Toledo with Wabash Fast Line for all points East and West.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

At Toledo—With Detroit Div.	No. 36 Pass.	No. 34 Mail	No. 32 Pass.
Dundee—With Lake Shore		P.M.	A.M.
With Wabash, S. & A. Div.		5 45	10 10
—With L. S. & M. S.		6 10	11 02
M. S. At Hanover—With L. S.		6 30	11 21
Air Line Division		7 00	11 50
Small—With C. & G. T.		7 16	11 39
Chicago & Grand Trunk		7 32	11 55
Montelith—With L. S.		7 45	12 05
Allegan—With C. & W. M.		8 00	12 22
M. S.		8 09	12 30
All Trains daily except Sundays.		8 25	12 48
		8 32	12 55
		8 42	1 06
	A. M.	8 53	1 17
	6 30	9 15	1 38
	6 43	9 27	1 50
	6 47	9 44	2 05
	6 59	9 57	2 17
	7 10	10 15	2 36
	7 17	P. M.	2 56
	7 45		3 01
	7 52		3 10
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	9 10		5 10
			6 10
	11 05		6 15
	11 13		6 25
	11 55		6 55
	A. M.		9 50
			P. M.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

At Toledo—With Detroit Div.	No. 31 Pass.	No. 33 Mail	No. 35 Pass.
Dundee—With Lake Shore		P.M.	A.M.
With Wabash, S. & A. Div.		12 45	5 45
—With L. S. & M. S.		1 10	6 10
M. S. At Hanover—With L. S.		1 30	6 30
Air Line Division		2 00	7 00
Small—With C. & G. T.		2 16	7 16
Chicago & Grand Trunk		2 32	7 32
Montelith—With L. S.		2 45	7 45
Allegan—With C. & W. M.		3 00	8 00
M. S.		3 09	8 09
All Trains daily except Sundays.		3 25	8 25
		3 32	8 32
		3 42	8 42
	A. M.	3 53	8 53
	6 30	4 15	9 20
	6 43	4 27	9 33
	6 47	4 44	9 47
	6 59	4 57	9 59
	7 10	5 15	10 10
	7 17	P. M.	
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	9 10		
	11 05		
	11 13		
	11 55		
	A. M.		

Trains Nos. 32 and 33 run daily except Sunday. Coach leaves Grand Rapids every day, connecting at Toledo with Detroit Division.

Nos. 31 and 32 Pass Adrian 10 minutes later than time given in table.

Nos. 33 and 34 Pass Adrian 5 minutes later than time given in table.

Nos. 35 and 36 Pass Adrian 15 minutes later than time given in table.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM WARING.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.
At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of William Waring, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Frederick B. Wood, administrator of said estate, alleging that he has paid all the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, that he is ready to file his final account as such administrator, and praying that said account may be heard and allowed, and that he may be discharged.
It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.
IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated April 30, 1885.
JOHN G. BOYD,
WILLIAM BURWICK,
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L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 22 A.M.	2 12 P.M.	1 12 P.M.
Napoleon	6 40 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Jarvis	6 46 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Tecumseh	6 59 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 12 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Adrian	7 20 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Morenci	8 02 "	4 09 "	5 07 "
Butler	10 22 "	6 42 "	.....
Fort Wayne	9 02 "	5 17 "	.....
Chicago	.....	.....	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Chicago	8 52 A.M.	6 12 P.M.	.....
Fort Wayne	10 22 "	7 57 "	.....
Butler	11 12 "	8 52 "	4 42 A.M.
Morenci	11 45 "	9 34 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	11 56 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 15 P.M.	10 02 "	7 50 "
Manchester	12 30 "	10 18 "	8 30 "
Jarvis	12 38 "	10 27 "	8 50 "
Napoleon	1 02 "	10 52 "	9 52 "
Jackson	.....	.....	.....

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Butler	2 30	8 25	2 45	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 53	
Wakeslee	2 50	8 45	3 06	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 19	
Junkie	3 15	9 09	3 32	
Pivordton	3 22	9 16	3 38	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 50	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	4 01	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	4 06	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	4 14	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 25	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 13	10 06	4 26	7 45
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 34	7 53
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 40	8 00
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 52	8 12
Jones	4 43	10 42	5 00	8 27
Milan	4 52	10 50	5 08	8 38
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 17	8 50
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 24	9 00
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 33	9 11
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 41	9 22
Land	5 35	11 30	5 54	9 38
Delrey	5 48	11 43	6 08	10 00
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 20	10 15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 15	9 30	3 30	9 10
Delrey	5 30	9 42	3 40	9 22
Land	5 51	9 55	3 53	9 38
Romulus	6 12	10 05	4 03	10 00
Belleville	6 27	10 13	4 10	10 03
Willis	6 40	10 20	4 17	10 13
Whittaker	6 50	10 25	4 23	10 21
Milan	7 03	10 32	4 32	10 31
Jones	7 13	10 41	4 38	10 42
Britton	7 28	10 51	4 52	10 55
Holloway	7 43	11 02	5 01	11 07
Raisin Center	7 48	11 07	5 05	11 12
Adrian, Ar	8 00	11 14	5 13	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	5 14	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	5 26	11 35
Seneca		11 39	5 36	11 45
North Morenci		11 43	5 40	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	5 52	12 04
Pivordton		12 10	6 05	12 14
Junkie		12 16	6 12	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	6 25	12 35
Wakeslee		12 47	6 39	12 48
Troy		1 00	6 52	1 00
BUTLER		1 08	7 00	1 07

Trains Nos. 22, 24 24, and 25 are daily through trains. Other trains daily except Sunday.

B. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 30 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
5 45	10 10	A	Toledo	L 5 10	11 10	
6 10	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
6 01	11 21		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 00	11 20		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
9 30	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
9 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
9 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
9 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
10 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7.03
10 37	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 01	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
7 56		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 24		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 55
8 38		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A. Allegan L	11 10		5 25
8 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 13		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 25		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

TRAIN CONNECTIONS.

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FASHION NOTES.

The Tendency to Woman's Dresses—Hits of Information.

The fashions this spring tend toward ample fullness in the back, the long bouffant tunics and apron overdresses being much more favored than panier effects. Pleats, folds, antique draperies, vests, waistcoats, round waists with belts of ribbon or velvet, hooked, clasped, buckled or tied, are each and all of "universal" adoption.

The bodices to many of the new princesse-slips of foundation silks are now very frequently cut low in the neck, while the second bodice above, of lace or grenadine, is high to the throat—a becoming and very pretty fashion revived, and one exceedingly comfortable during the torrid days and evenings of July and August. The princesse-slip is cut to fit the form like a glove; much gored in front, and moderately full in the back, as the slip itself is but a beautifully tinted foundation for the lace or other airy drapings which wholly veil it.

Dress collars are worn immensely high this season, in military fashion, and are most generally made of velvet, no matter what the dress itself is formed of. Some of these are made wholly of plain velvet, and fastened in front by two jewelled collar-buttons, secured by a guard-chain of fine gold. Others are braided, gold-embroidered, piped, or lace-edged, top and bottom, to suit individual fancy.

Many of the most expensive white costumes designed for afternoon and evening wear the coming season, have round waists made very plain, the rich embroidery and lace garniture being expended upon the sleeves and the front portion of the bodice only, this often in the form of a lace waistband or a Fedora vest of embroidery. This plain mode of making the waists is employed for the reason that en suite are the pretty little zouave jackets, of either dark ruby or dark-blue velvet, to be worn above, thus revealing only the white waist beneath, from throat to belt in front, and the dainty lace sleeves; for nine out of ten of the zouave and Russian jackets are sleeveless.

Satin-finished silks, gros grains, Ottomans, fine and heavy cords, and lusterless armures are all imported among the tempting array of silks for the season. Light qualities of gros d'Ecosse and gros de Londre are preferred, among Ottoman silks, to the very heavy Muscovite cords in vogue during the winter. Gros-grain silks in coarse and fine cords are manufactured in a great variety of attractive weaves and qualities. The brands of the new gros grains made by standard firms are distinguished by a beautiful satin luster, and are exquisitely soft and rich in appearance. There is a steady demand for these handsome goods, and a fine quality of gros grain will be found more durable, and will give more satisfaction in general wear than any of the scores of "fancy" silks and satins now in market.

An exceedingly rich and beautiful reception dress was lately completed, which would be a novel and graceful model for other less expensive to lets. The bodice and train were made of palest mauve satin, brocaded in arabesque patterns of raised velvet of a deep violet shade. Down the front, from belt to tiny knife pleating of satin at the foot of the skirt, were laid folds of plain dark velvet, the center forming one very wide panel coming directly in front. This single panel was hand-embroidered in colors of pale mauve, shading to heliotrope and violet, in silk and arrasene embroidery. The narrow vest front on the bodice was decorated to correspond. A bridal dress of white silk, with a panel and pleats each side of white satin, the panel hand-embroidered or painted, would form a lovely to let. A still richer one of satin, with panel covered with a network of pearls, beads and chenille, would also make a most elegant dress for a bride.

French flannel, rough-finished broadcloth, cashmere and serge are among the most popular suitings now selected by ladies who do not care for checked or striped goods of cheviot or tweed. Ottoman cloths, in rich and showy fruit shades, or in nuns' gray, olive or golden brown, make very tasteful and ladylike suits, while the serges and poplins now so lavishly displayed upon the counters of every leading house are chosen by many on account of their alleged durability for traveling and utility costumes.

Gray, fawn, beige, all shades of brown, from cream-brown to the reddish and golden tones; deep, rich colorings in Neapolitan and royal blue, wine reds, garnet, dark greens, and black are all fashionable colors; but terra-cotta crushed raspberry or strawberry, and all sickly artistic tints have had their day. Exception, however, is made of the new pale half-shades of yellow greens and willow and frog pond greens, which have been urged upon the hands of doubting leaders of the trade, who were assured that these most trying hues would "take" in America, the land of the blonde and the home of the fair. Not so, however, thus far. They serve most effectively in lending a refreshing and delicate vernal look to the shopwindows in fine contrast to the dreary, dab state of things outside, but fall most lamentably short inside, in sale or favor either in dress fabrics or in millinery uses, for entire bonnets or their accessories of hats, flowers, or feathers.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

—A retiring Judge in Connecticut has a remarkable record. The Hartford *Courant* says: "Judge Torrance occupied the bench of the New Haven Common Pleas Court on Monday, probably for the last time. Of the hundreds of decisions he has made while Judge of that court, none has ever been reversed by the Supreme Court of Errors and only one has been changed. In this one case the Supreme Court advised a change in the amount of damages assessed."

—San Francisco gets 900,000 bananas a month from the Sandwich Islands. The number of bananas on a bunch average 110, and they bring in that city at wholesale four dollars per bunch. The sale is large, but to the retailer the profit is small.

A QUEER OLD MAN.

Judge Lawrence, Late First Comptroller of the Treasury, and His Eccentricities.

Old Lawrence is gone, the queer old man. We never shall see his like again. He was the First Comptroller of the Treasury. Within certain limits—the limits of the Treasury jurisdiction—he was the supreme judicial authority. His will was law respecting all questions involved in the settlement of the greater portion of accounts and claims brought to the Treasury Department for adjudication. Lawrence magnified his office as no other First Comptroller ever did. He was fond of talking about its all but absolute power, and fonder of preparing opinions which tended to enlarge its jurisdiction and increase its importance. These "opinions" in the case of his predecessors were simply memoranda for the guidance of other accounting officers of the Treasury. Usually they were in the fewest possible words, and often they were in a very informal form. But Lawrence had had long practice in prolixity. As a lawyer his briefs and arguments, and as a Judge his syllabi and decisions, were noted for their extraordinary length. He was an exhaustive and exhausting man. He always got all the law he could find, even when, as was usual, it was a mere cumulative process, and then stretched it out over an interminable space with all the words he could dig out of the dictionary. They tell a story out in Ohio of a young lawyer who wanted a client's case postponed, and went to Lawrence for advice. Lawrence suggested that he put into his application all the causes for postponement to be found in the State code and the book of practice. "If you don't get it for one," he sagely said, "you will for another." Lawrence was in court when the application was presented. The presiding Judge did not like Lawrence's long speeches and briefs. He glanced over the application, and then read it through carefully. After enumerating the causes which Lawrence had indicted to the young man, the latter had wound up the application thus: "And for all the causes usually presented by William Lawrence in such a case." The Court smiled, and remarked: "I grant the postponement on the last statement in the application. When Lawrence became first Comptroller he resolved to revolutionize the practice of his office with respect to opinions. He determined to render them as frequently as possible, and to make each as long as he could without breaking it. In his mind's eye he saw the shelves of all law libraries loaded with "Opinions of the First Comptroller." He promised himself one hundred volumes of these reports, edited and reported by himself. He saw "First Lawrence," "Forty-first Lawrence," "Ninety-first Lawrence," cited by lawyers and quoted by courts. He had nothing to do but grind out opinions. This he did at extraordinary length and with extraordinary rapidity. He used all the means known to the professional "padder." He filled his opinions with facts and law and maxims and poetry. His syllabi were as long as ordinary opinions. He had all his opinions printed in full at Government expense, and bound in law sheep in the same form as the opinions of the Attorney-General. He got them out about twice as rapidly as either the Attorney-General or the reporter of the United States Supreme Court could publish their compilations. I need not say that the opinions of the First Comptroller had never been reported before. The series began with "First Lawrence." When old Lawrence quoted from "First Lawrence" in arguing a case in which he was counsel (for he kept up his private practice right along) Chief Justice Waite inquired with an amused expression: "What authority did you say?" "First Lawrence," said the author of that large work. "Ah," said the Chief Justice, "and what is that? I do not recognize it." "It's the first volume of my opinions, your honor," said the First Comptroller, not a bit abashed, for is he not an Ohio man? He is very proud of his opinions. He likes their length and he likes the rapid way in which they appeared. Well, he is gone, and I fancy we shall have shorter opinions from the First Comptroller in the future.

A Curious Fact.

A Massachusetts editor says that a great many persons in New England believe that the spring-fed lakes in that part of the country, if not actually bottomless, are at least unfathomable by man. What the editor says is a curious fact, and his statement will appeal as a familiar truth to every reader who was a New England boy, although we do not remember ever to have seen such a statement in print before. Of a score of New England lakes and ponds that we can recall, every one was credited by tradition with having at some particular spot a hole so deep that one was loath to imagine how frightfully far-reaching it was. Young swimmers avoided passing over such holes, in the vague fear that they might encounter suctions which would draw them instantly into the center of the earth, and young skaters shunned their neighborhood, although it might be that the ice above them was two feet thick. We recall one of these holes of tradition in a pond in Western Massachusetts. It was called, quite awfully, Tucker's Hole, and there was a general suspicion that it connected with the Dead Sea at least. The pond was filled up without any difficulty a few years ago, Tucker's Hole along with the rest. Still the other ponds thereabouts continue to have their bottomless holes, and the annihilation of Tucker's Hole has discredited them not in the least.—*Harper's Weekly.*

—A rich train passed over the Hannibal & St. Joe Railroad recently. It was composed of two cars of gold bullion, three cars of silver, eight cars of silk, and four cars of tea. The train went East.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—Over 200,000 women and boys in New York are engaged in various kinds of work which was performed exclusively by men some years ago.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 22	4 47	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 10AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 35
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 30.	2 27
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 29
Orville ....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 10
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion..Lv	2 30	1 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 17PM	6 17PM	.....
Valley Junc..Lv	3 20	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 35	No. 9	4 35	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta ....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta..Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sherodsville	.....	.....	.....	8 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillion	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston ....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo ....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 38
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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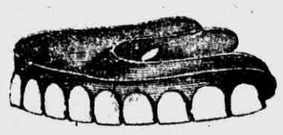

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Science has conferred a favor upon newspaper readers by publishing with its issue for May 1st, a very large map of Central Asia based upon the British and Russian staff maps, showing every point mentioned in despatches and a hundred others which may soon become of interest. This map is about two feet square, but is limited to Afghanistan and adjacent territory. In the same issue of Science are articles upon The Russian base of operations against India. "Roads from India to Central Asia." "The Races of Central Asia." "The Legal Language of India," and reviews of the latest German, French, and English books upon Central Asia. Science for May 1st will represent full and exquisite portraits of members of the National Academy of Sciences, establishing the fact that a series of thirty-five scientific men, mostly of a naturalistic character, have been twice numbered among the forty-five members of the Academy, and in a forty-five years' series taken at six years. The typical mathematician and naturalist will therefore have a fair opportunity to reveal himself, as any distinctive marks of feature, manner is published. Science is published at 4 Lafayette Place, New York.

A LITTLE TOO MODEST.

A [illegible] on the [illegible] to [illegible] the merits of Dr. B[illegible] Cough Syrup thought it would never do to ask the druggist in the store of Bull Wh[illegible] dear me she couldn't say Bull to any [illegible] and called at last on a religious woman for suggestions on the matter. Dr. Cox's, Dr. Bull's, Dr. Bigelow's and Dr. Owen's Syrup were all mentioned. The latter suited. Yes, that will do—Dr. Owen—the man running the drugg[illegible] will understand that. A wave of two squares [illegible] at the counter of Dr. H[illegible] when the following dialogue occurred:

"I want a bottle of Dr. Owen's Cough Syrup."

"Dr. Owen, Owen, why, ma'am, I don't believe I keep that. You mean Cox's Bull's Syrup, don't you?"

"No, no I mean, mean—Dr. Owen," and then she seemed wrapped in solemn thought for a moment, when a light then seemed to beam forth. "Have Dr. Owen, got a relation—no, no, yes you know, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, yes, yes." The lady sat down a moment and all was over. Idiantapolis Exch.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending May 12.

MACON.

H. A. Hand to A. M. Hendershott. Land on sec 14. $700.

Horace Hand to C. C. Hendershott. Land on sec 14. $750.

RIDGEWAY.

E. C. Corwell to W. H. Fowler. Land on sec 24. $800.

TECUMSEH.

Z. D. Wood to H. H. Wood. Land in village. $400.

WOODSTOCK.

J. Thompson to Sarah A. Thomson. Land on sec 24. $2,000.

DIED.

At Tecumseh, Michigan, on Tuesday, May 12th, 1885, Mrs. Sarah Boyd wife of Mr. Robert Boyd of Tecumseh, in the 73d year of her age.

In the death of this excellent woman, not only her husband and relatives, but the Presbyterian church and the whole community have sustained a sad bereavement. She was retiring and unassuming in her disposition, yet she did not live a secluded life. Her visits were always welcome to her friends and she was constantly remembering by acts of kindness the sick and those in trouble. She took an interest in every one, and all felt a confidence in the sincerity of that interest. Hers was one of those lives which though quietly passed, are not lived in vain. Her religion was cheerful in its type and was always the same sustaining, governing power, making her the useful and beloved character that she was. Her death was extremely sudden and unexpected. Yet no one who knew her doubts her readiness to depart, or that she has entered into the rest that remaineth for the people of God. W. H. B.

At his home in Beaver, Dakota, on the 14th inst., Harris McDaniel.

The deceased was born in Bath, Steuben Co., N. Y., Feb. 8th, 1830. He was married in Adrian to Miss Fanny Pomeroy, March 19th, 1855, and for many years thereafter made his home in this village. He has many old acquaintances here who will learn of his demise with sincere regret.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 9, 1885.

Mitrch, H. P.	Brunce, M. H.
Hanery, Sam	Jones, R.
Losejoy, Mrs. H.	Wier, J. C.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

FRED ROSA RANS, P. M.

MARRIED.

SNYDER-STRONG.—At the residence of the bride's parents, in this village, on Thursday, the 14th, inst, by Rev. W. H. Babcock, Mr. Frank E. Snyder and Miss Hattie B. S. Strong, all of Tecumseh.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

[illegible] barrel	1 [illegible]	@	2 50
[illegible] ℔ lb		@	[illegible]
[illegible] ℔ lb	12	@	15
[illegible] ℔ cord	[illegible]	@	60
[illegible] ℔ bushel	45	@	1 25
Buckwheat ℔ bushel	50	@	6
Buckwheat flour ℔ hundred	3 00	@	2 00
Beef—dressed ℔ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf Skins ℔ lb	8	@	8
Corn in ear	25	@	24
Corn shelled ℔ bushel		@	50
Clover seed	5 50	@	6 00
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs ℔ doz		@	10
Flour ℔ barrel	5 50	@	6 50
Hogs—dressed ℔ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hogs—live ℔ cwt	4 50	@	4 75
Hay ℔ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ℔ lb		@	14
Ham ℔ lb		@	12
Lard ℔ lb		@	9
Oats ℔ bushel	34	@	35
Onions ℔ bushel		@	50
Potatoes ℔ bushel	45	@	50
Salt ℔ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy Seed ℔ bushel		@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed ℔ lb		@	10
Wood ℔ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ℔ bushel		@	90
Wheat, Red, ℔ bushel		@	90
Wool	13	@	27

THE PROBATE COURT

Following is the record of business done at the probate court for the week ending May 12, 1885:

Estate of Emma Chilson deceased: petition for allowance of administration account, hearing June 8.

Estate of George Hanck, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Peter Onsted, deceased: petition of sale of real estate, affidavits of posting and posting notices of sale, order of confirmation.

Estate of Ezra M. Merritt et al., minors: release of guardian bond, order of discharge.

Estate of Wm. E. Seely, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Abraham A. Berry, deceased: request of heirs that administrator be authorized to sell personal property, order of sale.

Estate of Hervey A. Colvin, deceased: affidavit of publication, proof, will and probate, bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners, application for and allowance for support of widow and family, order for allowance.

Estate of Joannah C. Smith, deceased: petition for authority to sell personal property, order of sale.

Estate of Elijah Ross, deceased: petition for allowance of final account, hearing June 8th.

Estate of Wm. Beals Colvin, et al., minors: petition for guardian, order of appointment, bond filed, letters issued.

Estate of Lydia W. Packard, deceased: petition for proof of will, hearing June 8th.

Estate of Dora I. Sanzer, minor: resigned guardian filed, order of discharge.

Estate of Agnes Campbell, deceased: affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Rudy Aten, deceased: affidavit of publication, administrator de bonis non of said estate appointed, bond $5,000.

Estate of Chas. I. Wetmore, deceased: order authorizing sale of personal property.

Estate of Elenora Foster, deceased: testimony taken filed, order determining who are the legal heirs.

Estate of Benjamin Olds, an alleged incompetent person: petition for appointment of guardian, hearing May 18.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

for June completes the Seventeenth Volume, with a number of exceptional interest. The opening article is by the eminent traveler, Alvin S. Southworth, and entitled "Catholic Missions in the Far East," principally Farther India, China and Japan, the labors of Francis Xavier and his successors are graphically described. The article on "Bible Heroes" tells of the conquest of Canaan under Joshua and the history of the Israelites under the rule of the judges. This article has twelve illustrations. Portraits and short biographical sketches are given of the three new English Bishops. The Sacred Musicians described are Madame Sainton Dolby, who recently died, and Anton Rubinstein; and the Parables of Christ have reached the thirteenth number with "The Barren Fig tree." Farjeon's story, "Love's Harvest," reaches an interesting point, and Mrs. Farmer's serial "What She made of her Life," progresses favorably. There are several very beautiful poems, and a varied and attractive miscellany, at 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year, postpaid. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55, 57 Park Place, New York.

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ESTATE OF TIMOTHY DEUEL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the [illegible] day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Timothy Deuel, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Ira Parker and [illegible] praying for a license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, and all other persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. Billings, Probate Register. May 21

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, late of the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 26, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 15th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of May, A. D. 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 26, 1885.

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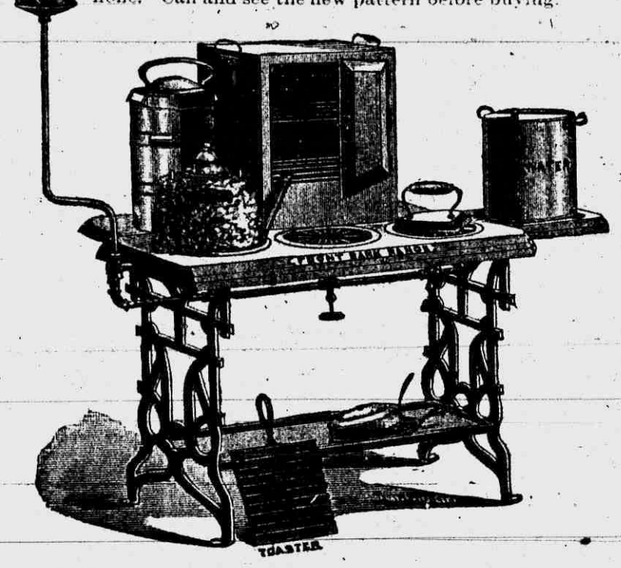

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The recent rains make all nature beautiful.

Wheat is improving for the past few days.

The Ladies social which was to be held this week Friday evening is postponed for a fortnight.

There was a grand army of Ladies that gathered at the church last week and did a fine job at cleaning and fixing up the lower part of the house. The upper part will be thoroughly renovated this week and next, and the new carpet put down.

Miss Ada Loree left for Detroit Saturday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Alfred Lucking.

Mrs. Peter Sharp has been quite sick for the past few days, but is better at present.

Mrs. Samuel Rappleye who has been very sick for the past week is gaining slowly.

Mr. Robert Houseman is on the sick list also.

Mr. Samuel Rappleye returned from Grand Rapids Saturday.

Remember Decoration day will be observed next Saturday at our cemetery. The G. A. R. Post at Britton having full charge of the services. Don't forget your bouquet, and as this is the first time it has ever been observed here, let all lend a helping hand in making it a success.

Louis Priest who is at work in Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday with his family.

Dr. Elmer Hause is visiting his sister, Mrs. David Coryell, and among the many things he brought her from Florida, was an onion measuring 16 inches, and a lemon 11 inches in circumference, also grape fruit resembling the lemon in appearance, but very much larger, and a potato grown this season with some choice flower seeds and bulbs, and as she is a great lover of flowers, she prizes them very highly.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY.

The Ridgeway Literary Society assisted by the Britton Band will give a concert at Cottage Hall, Ridgeway, on Friday evening June 5th '85. The same to be repeated at Britton on Friday evening June 12th.

PROGRAM.

Music—Britton band.
Opening Chorus—Society.
Song, duet—Miss Josie Clarkson and Mrs. Joseph Osborn.
Song, solo—Miss Velina Underwood.
Song, quartette—Miss Rose Easlick and others.
Inst. Cornet solo—Prof. J. C. Moore.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Nellie King.
Vocal duet—Mrs. Velina Jones and Miss Ella Hall.
Song, solo—J. Dewitt Arner.
Inst. Violin solo—Prof. J. C. Moore.
Song—Miss Fannie Schwabb.
Vocal duet—Ida Arner and Ella Jackson.
Song, solo—W. C. Sharp.
Quartette—Mrs. Velina Jones and others.
Inst. Duet—Messrs. Moore and Tripp.
Song, solo—Miss Ella Jackson.
Vocal duet—Mrs. Nellie King and W. C. Sharp.
Song, solo—Ida Arner.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Nellie King.
Quartette—W. H. Arner and others.
Britton Band.

W. C. Sharp and his sister Mrs. Nellie King will surely be present and fulfil their part. Proceeds of first entertainment will belong to the organ fund for the society. The receipts of the second to be divided equally between the society and the band. Admission 20 cents. Children 15 cents. See bulletin for particulars.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Last Thursday Ed. Carlton drove his mustang to Holloway arriving just in time to meet the east bound mail train. The pony concluded to change ends and in so doing he landed Ed. in the ditch, cutting a hole in his leg about two inches long and down to the bone, besides bruising himself about the face and head. The pony proceeded to smash up the cart after which he started for home on double quick time, but Uncle Ben Kelly took him to his arms and prevailed on him to wait for the boy. After gathering himself up Ed. made his way to Dr. Begels office for repairs, after which he wended his way home a sadder but wiser boy.

Warren Holdridge went up to Jackson on Friday and returned on Monday. We have not ascertained what his business up there was but suspect that it was some scheme with the Ex-Mayor.

Miss Fida Ash who has been sick for several weeks is now improving.

Mrs. Weeks and Mrs. Ramsdell, of Hanovor, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Dr. Begel.

Quite a number of our farmers are planting their corn over on account of poor seed. We have not heard much profanity regarding it. Guess some of them were like the man who said there was no use, he could not do the thing justice.

Van Miller has news from Hiawatha Kansas, informing him of the death of his brother Chas. C. on the 12th inst. Mr. Miller came to Mich. in 1850, and while here learned the milling trade of Woolston Comfort, living for a number of years in the township of Raisin. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss. (Adrian Times please copy.)

Samuel Rogers is building a boss barn. It is 40x80, sided with matched lumber, and when painted it will be one of the finest barns in Raisin. Mr. Rogers wishes to thank his friends from Palmyra and Tecumseh who offered to help raise his barn, but he concluded to raise it with machinery in consequence of which their services were not needed.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Traveling medicine venders have been holding street concerts most every night of the past week, and whether their drugs were good for ills or not, their songs were a tonic for the blues, and attracted a crowd of listeners.

Business is brightening, although farmers have reversed trade hours, and teams are most numerous on the street when it is too dark to plant corn.

All interested in the soldier home project are invited to conference, and arguments for and against providing such an asylum are growing plentiful. The one oftenest quoted is, that twenty years hence, all these disfigured and poverty disqualified veterans will have joined the grand army post above, and the building become a useless expense—blunder—in the eyes of the tax payers. It's no harm to differ honestly from sound doctrine, and the soldiers of 1812 have not died so young as these are expected to. An occasional hint of soldiers being head clerks on County House woodpiles, gets by mistake into rural papers, but is promptly corrected by their city brethren, or if not, their improvidence and no-body-ness in general is set up as an excuse for leaving them in such quarters. Yet eight dollars a month is small pay for being shot at and going through such a process of moral depletion as has been prescribed by circumstances, and though they may not require aid beyond the specified time, it is a good while to wait in odd corners of wretchedness for the Lord's roll call. Would it not be as creditable and economical for Michigan to spend two hundred thousand dollars in building a home, even if occupied but twenty years, as to leave them to finish their lives in any fashion neglect decrees? In case a thousand should straggle from county house comfort, it will cost but two hundred a piece, and when they are exchanged into the silent army, why should their home become useless? Judging from the past and present, the future will provide tenants. There are aged veterans besides those battle scarred, who are left alone near the future gate, children to be taught how to work and win independence without rifles, and if Mr. Cook's gift is accepted, there will be a royal farm where they can acquire habits that need no reforming. We are proud of an offer that cannot be treated lightly by those who may prefer some other location. It is much nearer Brooklyn than newspapers state, and as it lies along the direct route from Detroit to Chicago, and easily reached by branch rail roads, it will escape being called an out of the way corner by competitors. It is equally useless to call it a swamp, for nature has favored it lavishly with bank and brae copes and dell, and philanthropists are extremely few who part with such a vineyard without other recompense than the consciousness of having made a turn-stile in the path of weariness.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Weather fine and the farmers are doing their best to improve it. A few of the fortunate ones have all their corn in. The others will succeed in planting theirs this week.

Oats are looking fine.

Sam Knifflin has improved his place by a good fence. Let more do likewise.

E. C. Rauch has received his appointment as postmaster, and now he smiles.

J. P. Beckler is building a fine barn.

The school house is nearly ready for the roof.

The G. A. R. Post will celebrate Memorial Day at Ridgeway cemetery. Let all friends turn out and make it a success. Good music and speakers will be present.

The Britton Band are drilling and seem to make good progress. They furnish the music for Memorial Day.

AN INTERESTING REUNION.

QUARTER-CENTENNIAL GATHERING OF THE OLD PUPILS OF THE CLINTON SCHOOL.

Reunion of the Old Pupils with their Teachers Prof. and Mrs. Williams—The Supper, Literary Exercises, Etc.

Yesterday was a gala day for Clinton. Several weeks ago, a few of the old pupils who attended school under Prof. O. C. Williams, conceived the happy idea of getting up a reunion and reception for Prof. Williams and his old pupils. The project soon took form. Committees were appointed to send invitations, a program of exercises was arranged, and a day fixed for the reunion. Yesterday was the time chosen. At an early hour in the afternoon the visitors began to assemble at the Town hall, and by four o'clock a large crowd had gathered. Tables were spread in the hall and supper was served at five o'clock. The afternoon exercises consisted of a social, supper and the reading of letters of regret from a large number of pupils, who were unable to be present. Some of these were decidedly spicy and interesting, and their reading occupied considerable time. These letters came from many different states, far away, and were sent by the following persons:

Abbie Barker—Three Rivers.
Geo. Wastell—Oakland, Cal.
Henry Wastell " "
Mary M. Wellman—Lyndon, Wash. Ter.
Hattie M. Esken—Washington, D.C.
Jacob Stark—Ann Arbor.
Will Gilluly—Oskaloosa, Kan.
Sarah M. Wells—Middletown, N. Y.
W. D. St. John—Eureka, Kan.
W. E. Hall—Burlington, Kan.
S. M. Lowe—Little Falls, N. Y.
Maria O. Bonticou—Petoskey.
Leslie Dearborn—Muskegon.
Emma Rose Light—Chicago.
Jennie G. Phelps—Greenville, M.
Franc Hall—Gloversville, N. Y.
Franc A. Rosebrough—Freeport, Ill.
Manie N. Mann—Newton, Ill.
Jennie H. Cobleigh—Blanco, Iowa.
F. Lewis Howell—Lansing.
Carl Corry—Paw Paw, Mich.
Addie V. Wells—Los Angeles, Cal.
Maggie G. Shepperd, Phelps, N. Y.
Seth F. Plumb—Middletown, Conn.

The following are the names of the pupils who were present at the reunion, together with their residence

O. C. Williams, Muskegon, Mich.
Helen K. Williams, " "
J. E. McCollum, Clinton.
J. B. Hause, "
E. R. Smith, "
A. B. VanDeMark, "
Mary Roff Hause, "
Lizzie S. VanDeMark, Clinton.
Almira H. Clark, Brooklyn, Mich.
Edwin B. Rose, Detroit.
Slade Lazell, Clinton.
H. W. Stevens, Tecumseh.
Dr. R. B. House. "
Sophia E. Larzelere, Clinton.
Mason Richmond, Mich. Center.
C. M. Green, Clinton.
Mary C. Stark, Ann Arbor.
Frank P. Clough, Tecumseh.
Mary Benham, "
James S. Goodrich, Brooklyn.
Marion C. Bruce, Clinton.
Frances Reed, "
Emily E. Walley, Elkhart, Ind.
Frank B. Graham, Buchanan, Ind.
Myra B. Lancaster, New Carlisle, Ind
Mary King Halladay, Napoleon.
Mary Hicks Keyser, Tecumseh.
Chas. D. Keyes, Grand Rapids.
Libbie R. Miller, Chelsea.
Ella C. Safford Flint.
Libbie W. Shaw, Saline.
Anna S. Martin, Clinton.
Mrs. M. E. Bradner, "
Kate M. Cotton, "
W. P. Cotton, Macon.
Mrs. J. C. Brewster, Hanover.
Flora L. Fisk, Clinton.
C. House, "
Jno. Hause Jr., "
Sarah R. Halladay, "
Eliza E. Palmer, "
Mary A. Belding, "
Emmet Allen, "
Melissa W. Rowland, "
Calista R. Stephenson, Jackson.
George A. Kies, Tecumseh.
Benj. L. Clark, "
Jane C. Whedon, "
Libbie C. Alexander, Jackson.
Mary J. Alexander, "
Geo. Walter, Clinton.
A. H. Snow, Winona, Minn.
Marilla W. Ross, Lansing.
Sarah B. Stevens, Jonesville.
Alice J. Mills, Clinton.
Philinda E. Stancliff, "
Martha P. Hammond, Manchester.
Alice Cotton, West Bay City.
Delia V. Kies, Tecumseh.
Mary E. Wellman, Adrian.
Augusta D. Hall, Tecumseh.
Addie C. Bigelow, Dowagiac.
Peter R. Durling, Auburn N. Y.
Ida Chandler, Saline.
Delia A. Stevens, Tecumseh.
Emma D. Bond, Clinton.
Mary A. Guiwitz, "
Paul Snauble, Ann Arbor.
Jennie R. Davis, Clinton.
Kate L. Clark, Tecumseh.
Ann V. Van Tuyle, Clinton.
Fannie Stocking, Tecumseh.
E. VanDeMark, Clinton.
D. H. Davis, "
Frank Wood Fitzgerald, Clinton.

The tables were beautifully arranged with all the delicacies and fine bouquets of flowers, one of which attracted much attention—being a floral anchor presented by the Tecumseh delegation.

EVENING EXERCISES.

The formal literary program was presented in the evening. At eight o'clock the hall was packed to overflowing with the old pupils and citizens of the village. J. E. McCollum acted as President of the evening. Seats were reserved upon the stage for the special guests of the occasion.

The evening program was presented as follows:

Greeting Glee—R. B. House, H. W. Stevens, Mrs. Jennie Whedon, Mrs. Mary Hause.
Address of Welcome—J. E. McCollum.
Response—O. C. Williams.
Solo—R. R. of Life—R. B. House.
Reminiscences—Mrs. Addie Bigelow
Inst. Duet—Blanche Smith, Dwight Hause.
Essay—Mrs. Jennie Whedon.
Solo—Mrs. Franc Graham.
Reunion Paper—Mrs. O. C. Williams.
Duet—Whispering Hope—Mrs. Addie Bigelow, Mrs. Mary Stark.
Poem—A. Herbert Snow.
Auld Lang Syne—Class.
Valedictory—R. B. House.
Quartette—We meet to bid a fond farewell.—R. B. House, H. W. Stevens, E. VanDeMark, J. B. Hause.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

Kind Teachers, Mr and Mrs. Williams: I esteem it a great privilege as well as a high personal honor to have been chosen by these, my old classmates, and in their behalf to perform this pleasant duty of welcoming you to-night.

It is nearly 25 years ago that in parting you took us each by the hand, and wishing us "God speed," committed us to the active engagements of life.

On that day we stepped forth to mingle with the everchanging current of that shoreless stream of thought, and toil, and hum, and activity, the inheritance of each and all, and to act our parts in the great tragedy which constitutes the sum of human life.

We parted then in the spring time, typical of the new life we were about to enter, and it seems fitting that we should celebrate this, our first, meeting since, in the same beautiful season.

Filled with bright dreams and happy visions of the future—we parted then in life's morning—to-day we meet again in life's afternoon. But during all this period of separation, counted by long years of strife, and anxiety, and pains, and disappointment, mingled somewhat with joy and peace, we have ever held you in kind remembrance, and it is our united hope that time may deal gently with you in the years to come. And as we welcome you to our broken circle to-night, we do so with the same open hearts and hands that welcomed you in the days fled. And now kind teachers, in behalf of these, your old pupils of Clinton, I bid you a thrice hearty welcome.

RESPONSE BY PROF. WILLIAMS.

Dear old friends. I am happy to greet you at this reunion. To you Clinton has ever been home. After nearly a quarter of a century I am permitted to meet you once again. As I look over this audience I see here and there a face that brings back old scenes, and I almost wish that we were back here again as of old. I see that time has pressed heavily upon you too. I see representatives here in all the walks of life, and one by one I see those pupil boys and girls have been taking positions in the world's work. Then too I see blank leaves. Where are those that have gone over the line? We know them still in the homage we pay their memory here to-night.

In order to go to press at the usual time we are compelled to cut short this report at this point, but we shall endeavor to print one or more of the papers read at the meeting in our issue of next week.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

A. G. Burton was very sick last week with neuralgia.

John Brooks, of St. Ignace, Mich., is visiting at his uncle's, David Brook's.

Mr. Abram Glimpse died at his home, three miles east of here last Friday morning. He had been sick for several months, and a great sufferer most of the time, so that death secured to him but a happy release from the burdens of life. The funeral was held at the house, Saturday afternoon, Rev Kerridge was the officiating clergyman.

Huldah Liebelt whose illness we mentioned last week, died last Sunday night. She has been sick for several weeks and last week it was thought that she might recover. But a relapse took place and her constitution was not strong enough to enable her to battle longer with the disease. The funeral services were held at the Episcopal church, Wednesday, at half past nine.

The ex-graduates of Clinton High School met last Saturday and organized The Alumni. A meeting will be held in June, at which time a fine program will be presented. Committees were appointed and all preliminary business transacted.

Frank Fisk and John Vaughn, of Newton, Iowa, arrived in town Monday night. Frank was one of the Clinton "boys" about ten years ago, and many is the hearty hand shake that he receives on his visits here. He has not visited Clinton before in seven years. He left here Wednesday night. Mr. Vaughn will be better remembered by the older portion of the community, and though many years have passed since he was a resident of this place, he is well remembered and heartily welcomed here.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 28, 1885.

A MARGIN.

Ten thousand dollars is a margin that's doing well.
But let the market drop a point and then
there's nothing left.

The trotting saint—how as I thought I met a
saint last April date
He's [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible]
[illegible] the mark.

They take the drink, sly regard, and put down
cruel to the heart,
And water the heart's blood and slump down
there's no match.

They spread reports and rumors start, lying
in the window's chase
But they spread with heavy hearts they see
it drop to six.

Faint and sad and sorrowful and hearts half
broken
The little lamb behold the stock refused to
only five

He says that Wall street is a fraud [illegible]
[illegible]
And thinks he [illegible] with four

Now mad with rage he writes—swears the
broker he will sue
The broker shows a quarter since the margin
drops to two.

They wait some more—but O, alas—before the
day is done
The bears get in their devilish work and down
it drops to one.

Disconsolate he kicks, and says the racket
takes the bun.
He's busted that—for word is brought of margin
there is none.

—*N. Y. Sunday Evening Chronicle.*

A SOCIAL SURPRISE.

The Evidence Picked Up by a Natural-Born Detective.

Two girls were walking slowly along the elm-shaded street of a country town. Their heads were close together, their rosy faces eager, their tones lowered to the pitch of confident communication.

"Early this morning," the taller of the pair was saying, "I was sitting studying behind the blinds of the front parlor window when Amy Jaynes came hurrying along, and met Clara Williams right by our house.

"I was going to see Fanny before she goes," began Clara.

"Don't stop me," said Amy, out of breath. "We've had an awful time at home, and I'm going for the doctor.

"Then I could not hear anything what she and she spoke so fast. But I made out that somebody had been crushed or scalded at night. He always takes a bottle to bed with him, the poor dear! And again, before mamma awoke, he got up by himself and almost killed herself."

"Do tell," said Clara. "But poor Fanny! Is anything the matter with Fanny? I suppose I'd better go to the house with you." And away they ran.

The narrator paused portentously.

"Well," said the auditor.

"Why," "The repetition was impatient. "Who is the only person in that house who would be likely to drink Lard? Who, indeed, would the family be interested in concealing? But—then! After breakfast I was clearing up my bedroom, when Dr. Sargent and Harry Jaynes walked down the street and stopped at our corner for a few parting words. I slipped down stairs to get a nearer peep at my young gentleman. As I expected, his eyes were red and his face chalky. Now and then he put up his hands to his forehead. The first words I heard were: "I have a headache."

"That's not to be wondered at," said the doctor. "Your mother's ankles worse. I'll warrant. What she wants is a fortnight in the country."

"Harry laughed in a foolish, awkward way.

"This is an unlucky accident—happening just now," he said.

"The doctor put his hand on his shoulder and talked low and seriously for full a minute. Harry never lifted his eyes from the ground. They said, "Good-morning," and the doctor turned around to call out: "They go at half-past eight I suppose?" Harry nodded, and went up the hill toward home.

"Now, Florry Wells, I am going to school by way of the station, to pick up another link of circumstantial evidence."

"Daisy Dorr, you are a natural-born detective! It is genius, not talent, with you."

Daisy smiled modestly.

"It is odd how things drift to me! There is some principle of natural gravitation in it all. I sit still, and fragments of proof are thrown into my lap. The only talent I display is in fitting the mosaic bits together. As you say, it is a gift."

At twenty-five minutes past eight they were at the station, and took their stand in an obscure corner behind a pile of freight. At twenty-six minutes past eight a carriage drove up. Harry Jaynes was on the box with the coachman. He leaped down, opened the door, and helped out his married sister, a nurse and infant. Then Amy stepped to the platform, and turned to give her hand to a lady in widow's mourning, closely veiled. She moved feebly, resting on her son's shoulder in alighting, and leaning on her daughter's arm when Harry hurried off for tickets. Through the dense blackness of the crape veil our detectives could make out that she wore a bandage over the left eye, and their hearts brimmed with horror and pity.

"How pale and sad Amy and her sister look," whispered Daisy. "See *him* helping his mother into the cars and carrying the baby! He's named for him, too, you know—Harry Jaynes Deane. I should think they would feel like changing that now."

Amy's cheeks were wet with tears as she stood on the platform to wave a farewell at the window from which Baby Harry's face smiled at her. Her brother silently drew her hand into his arm, and led her away. Her pallor and depression were noticed that day at school by others besides the knowing two who were in the possession of the clue. The Principal inquired if she had a headache, and the entire class saw the girl's eyes fill as she replied in the negative. Her bosom-friend and deskmate Clara Williams offered an explanation of her sorrowful aspect at recess, when Amy had gone home.

"Her sister Mrs. Deane started for St. Louis this morning. Amy is devoted to her and the baby. It is a dreadful trial to them all, her living so far away.

"Has Mrs. Jaynes gone to St. Louis, too?" queried Fanny.

Daisy pulled her handkerchief out of her reticule, and Clara looked surprised at the question.

"No. She has not been well for some weeks—a touch of malaria, they think. [illegible] to the country."

Fanny seemed to be relieved the shameful tragedy [illegible] Daisy in [illegible] "How true that one sin leads to another!

Daisy Dorr's suit, Mrs. Wedely, lived [illegible] in the block of her admiration more as she went to and from school. She was neat, childless and quiet people. Daisy dropped in to [illegible] Mrs. Wedely by the same law of attraction that drew them to Daisy. Everybody accounted for it in [illegible] cases. Mr. Wedely was not at home. Hostess and visitor enjoyed their dainty "tea-fixer" the more for his absence.

"I fear there is no room for reasonable doubt as to Harry Jaynes's habits," said Mrs. Wedely, unfeignedly regretful over her fourth cup of tea. "His two years in Germany must have taught him the use of lager beer and light wines. I need not warn you, Daisy, to be careful where and to whom you repeat this story. Of course it is quite safe with me."

Daisy only told her mother and elder sister [illegible] Mrs. Wedely imparted her version of the scandal under the seal of sacred confidence to two very particular friends, [illegible] Yet by Saturday night—Mrs. Jaynes left town on Wednesday morning—the city papers as in the "best [illegible] of the beautiful town of Eastwood were had not caught some whisper of the tragedy enacted in the Jaynes house, were let. Sargent, Harry and Amy Jaynes.

Expressed as much as we may, it is inevitable that enlightenment on such matters comes last to those most nearly concerned.

It was glorious June weather. Blossoms and fragrance sang in the air. Birds ran shouting and swirling over the shaven lawns, of which Eastwood was justly proud, and captured fat slugs and performing earthworms for the kitchen garden. Eastwood could not [illegible] under such skies. Dowagers and maidens tripped along the shady streets and around corners, and popped in at open doors.

Fat slugs and unctious earthworms were dry and insipid fare compared with the tidbits rolled over and under busy tongues. Old residents remembered with loud reluctance that Harry Jaynes's great-grandfather's wine-cellar was noted for the excellence of its liquors. A cousin twice removed had been a tough liver. Harry's father had a temper of his own, although he had died in the odor of sanctity of typhoid fever.

With regard to the nature and extent of the injuries sustained by the mother, opinions varied, and widely. According to some the scalp was laid open across the forehead down to the bone. But the latter was not injured. The attendants to this fact had the support of eye-witnesses of the transaction in its latter stages.

The naked truth was hideous enough. Young Jaynes had returned home from the city at two o'clock p. m. Respectable citizens recalled how they had heard "with their own ears," the "owl train." He was partially intoxicated and brought liquor home with him. A policeman had met him near the station carrying a heavy valise, and could swear to his identity. In point of fact, words were exchanged between them. The policeman said, "Good-evening, Mr. Jaynes!" and the reprobate responded, thickly, "Good-morning, Mr. Johnson!"

He admitted himself with his latch-key, and found his devoted (and widowed) parent sitting up for him. She always spoiled him from a boy. She had hot coffee ready. They do say oysters, also, but on this head evidence was not strong. Let us be accurate, at the loss of dramatic effect. He said that he preferred brandy and water, and ate nothing, reeling off to his room without thanking her for her goodness.

Left to himself, he smoked and guzzled until daylight. By this time he was crazy with drink taken on an empty stomach. His mother's room adjoined his. When he crept stealthily into her apartment, she was sleeping heavily, having waited for hours, poor thing! He poked up a full brandy-bottle as he staggered in, and beat her over the head with it.

Amy was sleeping with her mother, and alarmed the house. Dr. Sargent was sent for. Amy ran for him herself, putting on her dress as she went. He sewed up the gashes, and packed Mrs. Jaynes off to a country relative, and Mrs. Deane went along to take care of her. Although still in a critical condition, inflammation having supervened upon concussion of the brain, the unhappy lady would probably rally in time.

This simple, ungarbled statement covered the whole ground. Christian charity dictates that we should turn a deaf ear to exaggerations and intemperate charges where *character* is at stake.

Harry Jaynes attended the choir-rehearsal in the Second Church on Saturday evening. He was solemn, undoubtedly, and sang well on Sunday, admirably—a full, sweet tenor that brought the tears to the eyes of three old ladies and thirteen young ones. The elderly women averred that they thought of his poor dear mother. The girls were moved with disinterested pity for the misguided youth whose handsome face harmonized so well with his angel-voice, and not at all with his depraved nature.

"Has it struck you that our esteemed townspeople stare more than usual today?" asked Harry, as he joined his sister in the church porch. "What is amiss in my appearance?"

"You are a trifle better-looking than you are even on week-days, Sir Vanity," rejoined Amy, with a fond glance. "It is I who am the subject of remark, I think. I have not felt like myself since Wednesday morning."

Poor Harry walking some paces in advance, heard the last sentence and the slight quiver in the tone. She caught the beginning of the reply.

"But it is a good one, Amy! Such things will happen in the best regulated families."

Young Jaynes's evening lounge took him past some of the earliest gossips, within hearing of the feet of their eager [illegible]

"Did you not [illegible] I wish you [illegible] that Harry lived a thousand miles away. But when the marriage came from the other side of the [illegible] I [illegible] than [illegible]

By Monday morning, Monday, grave faces were [illegible] and more grave [illegible] Town [illegible] with suspicion and distrust. Two married ladies, and emphatically [illegible] Monday morning, Amy, without a [illegible] Four single ones [illegible] to stay and sewer.

"There's something wrong somewhere," the young people agreed to one another. Amy added, "I have been painfully conscious of a change in the behavior of the school girls for a week past. Some are offish—others pitying."

On the next Sabbath Mrs. Jaynes' much face was seen in its wonted place in the family pew. Half-seen, only—for the crape veil hung in double folds on the left side. It must have been pinned firmly in place, for it did not stir during the service, and while many wanted to speak to her in the vestibule, nobody obtained a glimpse of her left eye and temple.

Excitement mounted to fever heat. Conjecture, assertion, condemnation, corroborated and rebutted each other, and ran to a climax by Thursday afternoon. For at that time the Charitable Society was to meet with Mrs. Jaynes, it being her turn in the regular progression of the movable feast.

Such a turn-out of young, middle-aged and old to a church "ordinance" had never been known before in the parish.

Mrs. Jaynes distributed the work among the guests.

"It is very good in you young ladies to come out in such force," she said. "I am thankful that I did not yield to foolish shame and get some one else to take the meeting to-day."

She raised her hand, coloring and laughing, to touch the strip of flesh-colored court-plaster that had riveted every eye the moment she presented herself below stairs.

"Harry and Amy insist that I am quite presentable. I suppose that I am too vain for an old woman. But I was mortified at the accident and very willing to bury myself in the country until my wound healed. I charged Amy not to let the story leak out before I got back. I did not relish the fancy of being laughed at behind my back, and may be seeing 'A Singular Accident' described in the Eastwood *Trumpet*. But it was the most absurd affair altogether."

She laughed again. Amy chimed in from her low seat in the hall.

"Tell them the whole of the tragical story, mamma," urged the daughter. "You needn't mind it now."

Nothing loth to break up the stiffness of the company, Mrs. Jaynes began amid stillness that allowed her every word to be heard in every corner of every room.

"I insisted that Baby Harry's crib should be brought into my room the night before Fanny's departure. My heart is bound up in that baby.

"My big Harry was expected by the two o'clock train, and partly between missing of Fanny's and baby's going, and his coming, I did not sleep a wink until the dear, thoughtful fellow looked into my room to let me know that he was safe and sound at home. Then I filled baby's bottle and left it by him on the pillow, and dropped asleep, quite wearied out. Baby awoke at six, drank the milk, crawled over into my bed, and aroused me by a whack on my eyebrow that broke the bottle and left a bit of glass in the flesh. I would not have believed that he could strike so hard.

"The blood flowed in torrents. Baby screamed, and so did I. Harry rushed in from one side, Amy and Fanny from another. My trunk was packed for my country trip, and Fanny was to spend a night and day with me at my sister's. But Amy and her brother, like two foolish children, would call in Dr. Sargent to make sure that no glass was left in the cut."

There was an embarrassing silence as she ceased. Nine-and-thirty women, with bent heads and flushed cheeks, were sewing as if for life and reputation.

Amy looked around in surprise and chagrin.

"Mamma, they don't find it half as amusing as it appears to us!"—*Marion Harland, in Youth's Companion.*

Wants a Fresh Dictionary.

The editor sat sadly at his desk. His mouth was puckered with the expression a man assumes when he tries to cut a tough piece of meat with a silver pie knife. His cheeks were distended on one side by a chew of tobacco, on the other by a mouthful of Asiatic words.

"A-f af—g-a-n gan no, g-a-h-n—hang it! g-h-a-n! Afghanistan. James!"

"Yessir."

"Run up to the house and tell my wife to send Tommy down with his geography the minute he gets home from school."

"All right, sir."

"Let me see. How had I best advise Gladstone? I wonder whether Murgha is a man or a place. But it's getting late, so here goes."

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"William!"

"Yessir."

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There was a stir at a station, and two pretty girls came aboard. They laughed and giggled; threw kisses to their friends at the depot; gave silly messages and good-byes, and, as the train started, they took a seat behind the commercial traveler. There were other seats vacant, but they preferred this, and rustled into it with a series of little shrieks and giggles.

"Did you see Tom Barlow watching us, Nellie? Te-he-he."

"He'll be there to meet us when we go back, see if he isn't, Kittie! Ha! ha!"

"Say, *he's* a drummer," giggled Nellie, hunching her friend toward the front seat.

"Too awfully swell, ain't he? Oh, my!"

The traveler did not make any answer. His silk hat, as fine and pretentious as the hat of a man who does his duty and owes no man anything has a right to be, was pulled down over his eyes; his lips were compressed, and he replied by no look or motion to the rude speech of the merry girls.

"Must be awfully stuck up," whispered Nellie, but not so low but that the man on the seat before her could hear distinctly.

"Doesn't notice common people," answered Kittie, with a toss of her head.

These were young ladies, dear readers. Not hobble-de-hoy school-girls or coarse, ill-bred hoydens. They moved in the best society, and their respective fathers and mothers would have been greatly astonished to learn that their daughters flirted. But then, fathers and mothers are usually the last to know what is going on among their own young people.

"W-would you be so kind, sir, as to tell us what time it is?" asked Nellie, in a little, meek, far-away voice, while her companion tittered and looked out of the window.

Both the young ladies wore watches, as was patent to an observer, but the gentleman addressed could do nothing less than answer so direct a question. This he did in a brief manner, and with a voice that noticeably trembled.

"Poor thing, he was quite overcome," whispered Kittie, audibly. "I'm going to want this window put up pretty soon."

"Allow me," said the traveling man respectfully, and the disconcerted young lady blushed and simpered, and sat in the draught without protest.

The next move was made by the gentleman. He took from his pocket a photograph and inspected it long and sadly. Tears welled into his eyes, his face flushed, and he returned it to his pocket.

The two young ladies did not see the photograph, at least not to recognize whether it was man or woman, but they te-he'd and simpered and even speculated in a low voice as to who it might be—wife or sweetheart.

"Don't tell me he's married," cried Kittie in a loud whisper. He hasn't the courage to pop the question."

"That was his grandmother's picture," chimed in Nellie. "Good boy! carries it with him so that the old lady will hear of it and leave him something in her will."

Then they giggled in chorus, and the train drew up at a station where some very anxious looking faces were pressing forward as if in search of some one.

The commercial traveler caught up his satchel and slung it over his shoulder; then he took the photograph he had been looking at out of his pocket, and turned to the two young ladies who began to feel a little uncomfortable at his manner.

"That is the picture of my little daughter," he said, holding up the counterfeit of a lovely, smiling child of six years; "she is very ill, and I am summoned home, perhaps to see her die. But let me tell you that I would rather a thousand times know, at this moment, that the breath of life had forever passed her sweet lips, than to think she could ever grow up into a silly, dishonest woman, tempting and toying with souls to feed her on wicked vanity."

Almost the next moment they saw him on the platform, and a fair woman hung on his arm, and his face lighted with pleasure at her words. But the two sank back out of sight, enraged, mortified, yet conscious that they had found, in one traveling man, an honest-minded friend who had dared to give them a word of needful warning.—*Mrs. Maune, in Detroit Free Press.*

—Maine papers say that a Bath boarding mistress surprised one of her boarders, who was learning to play on the banjo, by reducing the price of his board on the ground that his singing and playing had frightened away all the rats. The compliment discouraged the young man so much that he has given up practice.

—The United States Consulate at Nogales, Sonora, Mexico, is without a flag. This is probably the only case on record where a branch of the United States Consular Department is not represented by the National ensign.—*Chicago Times.*

Brought Home a Wagon.

Louisville, Ky.—Mr. J. Helmus, Vice President of the City Brewery, was brought home in a wagon, carried up two pair of stairs by two of his men and laid on the bed. He was suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism contracted in the ice vaults of the brewery. He refused to have a doctor, but dispatched a servant for a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, with the result that in one week he was entirely cured and able to return to his desk.

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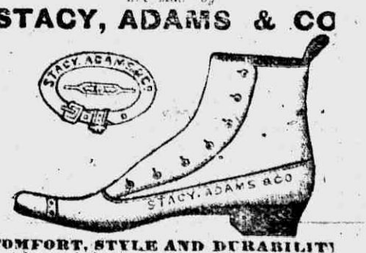

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ANNUAL SERMON TO THE G. A. R.

The Special Services at the Baptist Church last Sunday and Sermon by Rev. C. E. Conley

In accordance with a custom heretofore established the G. A. R. Post held a special religious service this year on the Sabbath prior to Decoration Day. The sermon was delivered by Rev C. E. Conley and the services were held in the Baptist Church at three o'clock P. M. Beer's Post and Co. C. attended in a body. The music was very appropriate and added much to the interest of the occasion. A few floral pieces of exquisite beauty ornamented the rostrum. In addition to the formal religious services by the pastor, a brief special service was given by the Post in commemoration of Harris McDaniel, recently deceased, who was a respected member of Beer's Post. Remarks were made by Commander S. P. Hosmer and Comrade A. W. Mills, who was a member of the same company with Mr. McDaniel in the army, Co. G. 11th Cavalry. The church was filled and the entire exercises were appropriate and impressive. We append a full report of Mr. Conley's sermon and the addresses made by Messrs. Hosmer & Mills. They all merit a careful perusal.

OUR DUTY TO COUNTRY AND TO GOD.

Mat. 22:21.—"Render unto Cæsar the things which are Cæsar's, and unto God the things that are God's."

INTRODUCTORY.

This is an occasion of sweet solemnity and of chastened sadness. Our thoughts involuntarily turn back to years of sanguinary strife. For the hour we live over again those terrific battle summers, which filled our land with woe and crowned our flag with victory.

Those who wore the blue recall the toilsome march, the hospital with its pain and loneliness and the field with its peril and its blood.

Those who remained at home could not, if they would, would not, if they could, forget those awful years of waiting, of burning solicitude for our cause and of heart-breaking anxiety for the freemen soldiery that went from our homes to do battle for the right.

Who can ever forget how the heart stopped its beating, when on the wings of lightning came the news that a battle was in progress? Who can forget the agonizing prayer, the strong crying that went up to the God of battles during the awful hours and days of suspense that followed—pleading with Him to give victory to the Banner of the Free, and to save alive our loved ones, who for its sake bared their breasts to the iron storm!

Then came the news of victory, sometimes of defeat; and then, the published lists of the killed and wounded. How frantically we tore open the papers and with blanched countenances and trembling fingers we run down the heroic list until we found the regiment of our loved one, his company, his name, "killed in battle" or "mortally wounded."

The generation that has sprung up since, cannot conceive the agony of those terrific years, but God knew it and pitied us. To-day in vivid imagination and loving memory we wander among the graves of the "silent host", and mourn. They are in the National cemeteries, where they were laid with gentle hands in the midst of military honors; on the field, where they fell, and where over them this hour peaceful industry thrives; in the bosom of our rivers and seas, waiting for the great reveille, when the sea shall shall give up its dead, and in the quiet "God's Acres" all over the great North and East and West

"Our Father's eternal camping ground,
Their silent tents are spread;
And glory guards with solemn sound
The bivouac of the dead."

The gratitude and love of a redeemed and blood cemented people is appropriately but faintly expressed in the consecration of the 30th of May as the time for the decoration of their graves with flowers. It is a custom of classic beauty and is the sweet symbol of Christian gratitude. The beauty of the flowers is an emblem of the beauty of the unselfish devotion of the Union volunteer, whether living or dead, their fragrance, an emblem of the fragrance of their sacrifice for human equality and human rights, and the universal freshness of the budding year expresses the freshness of their memory, which dwells immortal in the hearts of a greatful nation.

The occasion with all it commemorates, is deeply significant. It tells of patriotism; of that love of country, which is deeper and stronger than all other loves, the Christian's love for his God alone excepted. It reveals a bulwark of our national life, compared with which material defences are nothing. A heroine of Poland, approached by officers of the government that was oppressing her country, with the demand for information as to the whereabouts of her soldier husband, replied: "he is in my heart, where you cannot get him, while I live." American laws and principles of human freedom and equality are written on paper, it is true; but they are also written in the hearts of fifty million of loyal freemen where they cannot be reached by their enemies, while we live. To destroy them, ourselves must first be destroyed.

This loyalty is in accordance with the teachings and spirit of the Son of God. He was a Jew and was a model patriot. He loved his people and their heaven born laws and institutions; his life was spent in their service and his death was for their redemption. He was loyal to the magistrate, as evinced in our text. "Render unto Cæsar the things which are Cæsar's."

Again and again did the Spirit of inspiration, whose mission is to speak of him and to glorify him, enjoin this duty upon his followers throughout the world.

To the Church in Rome the great Apostle was moved to write: "Let every soul be subject unto higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God. Whosoever therefore resisteth the power, resisteth the ordinance of God, and they that resist shall receive to themselves damnation." Rom. 13:1,2.

To Titus, whose work was to teach God's people the principles of the New Testament, he gave instruction to "put them in mind to be subject to principalities and powers, to obey magistrates, to be ready to every good work." Tit. 3:1, and the same spirit moved Peter, whose epistle is directed to the strangers scattered throughout the nations, to write: "submit yourselves to every ordinance of man," not in conflict with the law of God, "for the Lord's sake, whether it be to the King, as supreme, or unto governors." 1 Pet. 2:13.

An intelligent, conscientious love of country is a holy love, and holy was that patriot's devotion that led our freemen soldiery to die upon American battlefields for the majesty of American law, for the perpetuation of American institutions and for the freedom of American citizens irrespective of color.

A year and a half ago a wild tumult broke out in Cincinnati. An ill-timed and intemperate protest was made against flagrant miscarriages of justice in that city. It was like dropping a match upon the dried prairie and throwing a brand into shavings. A great conflagration of human passion ran through the inflammable spirits with which the city was filled. And the Paris of America was filled with scenes like these, that characterized the Paris of France in the days of the terrible commune. This was the breaking forth of a blind impulse, an ebulition of brute fury. In some instances those fierce spirits performed prodigies of valor, but fell, as they fought, like dogs. It is needless to remark that such is not the spirit of patriotism. It is a rational emotion. The patriot is inspired by lofty principles. He feels in his breast the thrill that is born of love of truth and right and hatred of wrong and oppression. It is not partizanship; it is the deathless devotion of the martyr.

There may have been men, who rushed to arms in '61 and '62, animated by the spirit of the mobs of Cincinnati. Doubtless there were. But we are ready to believe that their numbers were few compared with that almost countless host that everywhere confronted rebellion from sea to sea. By far the great majority of them were roused and made invincible by clear and profound convictions. As clearly as we see the sun in an unclouded sky, they saw that to purchase peace at the price of disunion was to entail an endless border warfare upon coming generations; and that to tamely grant the arrogant demands of shameless rebellion was to open the gates to a condition of affairs such as exists to-day, and for centuries has existed, in Europe. The statesmanship of both the Northern and Southern unions would have been forever taxed to its utmost to preserve that delicate balance of power, which every time it became disturbed, would hurl both nations against each other in the shock of war. The spirit of rebellion was a cancer, which, if allowed to grow, would forever destroy American freedom and American security. And the brave spirits of '61 nobly resolved to cut it out with the sword, fully realizing that to save their lives would be to lose them. Under the power of this conviction, as deep as their hearts, they rallied from the East, the North and the West and marched with firm and ready step to the scene of conflict. Fearlessly did they battle, nobly did they fall and majestically did they conquer. They fought for peace and won it. From henceforth, let us hope we are secure from the rude alarms of war. Our homes both North and South are secure, and the entire nation is left in the undisturbed pursuits of peace.

But it must not be forgotten, that many patriots of a quarter of a century ago were stirred by a profounder, nobler sentiment than the one we have just considered. They had come into deathless sympathy with a great doctrine, which Paul had enunciated on Mars' Hill, that God "hath made of one blood all nations of men." (Acts 17:26.) In this fact they found the divine warrant for that world renowned statement in the Declaration of Independence, "All men are created free and equal." They are equal before the tribunal of God, and, in the estimation of those lofty spirits, they should be equal before the tribunals of men. And in the fettered slave they saw a flagrant violation of a fundamental principle of human nature and a willful disregard of the law of God. They had plead the cause of the oppressed only to be spurned. They had tried moral suasion and had failed. They had forborn until forbearance ceased to be a virtue. If rebellion was a cancer, slavery was the root that fed it life. Nothing was left them, but an appeal to the God of Armies and a resort to arms. To them the struggle was in the name of a dishonored God and an outraged humanity. A grander moral issue never enlisted heroes, and grander heroes never championed a moral issue. This, if I mistake not, constituted the supreme grandeur of our civil war, and the freedom of the slave was the brightest laural won in our dearly bought victory. Such is patriotism. And what a divine sentiment it is! How noble, how almost Christ like, is the patriot. To give Cæsar his due is worthy of the saintliest ambition.

One of the most powerful incentives to noble action is the contemplation of noble examples. The memory of the self-forgetting devotion of Washington constitutes a bond of union, more effectual and more enduring than that of the most serious laws. It is said that soldiers of both union and confederate armies would sometimes meet upon the sacred soil of Mt. Vernon, but never with arms in their hands. Side by side with uncovered heads, would they stand in the presence of that marble sarcophagus, in which repose the ashes of the Father of their common country. Both felt the silent pleadings of that historic tomb. In that sacred presence the fierceness and passion of battle faded out of their hearts, and in their stead came the tenderness of a common brotherhood.

Of Abel more than four thousand years after his death the writer of the Epistle to the Hebrews declared "he being dead yet speaketh." Heb. 11:4. The same is true of the noble dead in whose memory we gather to-day. Their noble example inspires us with the spirit of emulation. They loved country, so will we. They gave themselves for its life, so would we. These graves of our brethren make brethren of us all. In the hearts of their comrades, who so appropriately lead in these memorial exercises, glow the fires of nearly a quarter of a century ago with undiminished brightness. In the hearts of the generation, who know of the war as a matter of history only, comes the feeling of a solemn responsibility to protect that which the "fallen host" so nobly saved. The patriot father performs no more patriotic duty than when he leads his child to the garlanded mounds in yonder cemetery and recounts to it the noble deeds of the heroic dead. He is educating a patriot, and inspiring a young heart with the spirit of heroism. If properly educated, it will be a hero in the midst of "the pomp and circumstance of war" not only, but also in the midst of the quietude and less obtrusive influences of peace.

A storm is the result of silent forces that operate while the sun is shining. They gather while the birds sing, the grass grows and the brooks babble. Suddenly the sky is over clouded, the air moves in fitful breathings, the lightnings gleam, the thunders mutter and men look up to find that the storm has broken upon them in all of its desolating fury. The Spirit of the air holds high carnival in the midst, not infrequently, of fearful destruction of property and life.

Similar is the origin of the causes of war. It finds its beginnings in the quiet hours of peace. The forces of wrong, though unseen, are active. With the swiftness and malignity of dark spirits they hurry to and fro towards the accomplishment of their sanguinary result. When all is ripe they start an unsuspecting people from their repose to all the horrors of strife. The true patriot is watchful. He is a close observer of the signs of the times. He is on the lookout for the silent forces that work towards the dread result. He hates wrong both for what it is and what it will do. He has the courage of his convictions, and consequently is the open and relentless antagonist of everything that will destroy a righteous peace.

Such patriotism is invaluable. It seeks the triumph of right without the fearful cost entailed by war. It is humanitarian to the last degree. For this reason the admiration of the best and the truest is elicited by the premier of Great Britain to day. Pledged for the honor, of his country, deeply in love with the cause of humanity he will appeal to arms as a last resort only. Firm against the encroachments of Russia, unswerved by the tumultous demands for war of the fiery spirits of his own nation, he stands in all the majestic poise of a great brain and a great heart. History scarcely records a sublimer man, a grander, truer patriot.

His is the spirit of the Testament: first pure then peaceable; and peaceable until it is impossible to be pure without war.

In a government like ours, which is of the people, for the people and by the people, "it is the sacred duty of every citizen to be conscientious and vigilant; to be clear in his convictions and fearless in his advocacy of them, and to jealously guard freedom of speech, and freedom of political action for himself and for his opponent as well. In no other way can we render unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's.

We must not close without calling attention to the last part of our text, "And render unto God the things that are God's."

While we must be loyal to our country, we must be supremely loyal to our God. This is his due. To be disloyal to our government is to incur guilt. Infinitely more so, is it to be disloyal to God. Our government lays claim to our service by virtue of its right as a protector: our God by virtue of his right as protector and creator. We love our country because it is the refuge of the oppressed. God is the refuge and strength of all people of all nations for time and eternity. Our country has glory; but it is but the reflected glory of Him, who inhabiteth eternity. Our civil war was a battle for the right; but it was but a single struggle in the prolonged conflict waged by the eternal against the wrong ever since the shameful fall in Eden, and which he will continue to wage until wrong is forever banished from the earth. Certainly we owe him the unbroken loyalty of our bodies and our spirits, which are His.

In the blood of our fallen heroes we find a powerful motive to live for our flag and for the land they redeemed. In the blood of Calvary we find infinite incentive to love him who by it would redeem us all.

It is said that a great chasm opened in the form of Ancient Rome. The soothsayers said it could not be closed except by that which was most valuable to the state. To avert the danger which threatened his fellow citizens, Marcus Curtius, an eminent soldier, mounted his horse, full armed, and rode into the abyss, which immediately closed over him. There was an impassable gulf made by our own disloyalty, between us all and God to whom we owe an endless debt of obligation. The only begotten Son of God bridged it with his own body, proffering a salvation to all, who will accept it, infinitely greater than the salvation Curtius proffered Rome. If the gratitude and love of Romans were due to the great Curtius, how much more is our love and gratitude due to the great Saviour!

On one of the battle fields of Virginia lay an Indiana soldier boy, wounded and bleeding in the midst of the battle. A comrade stooped to give him drink from his canteen. Just then a squadron of cavalry dashed by bearing the old flag. Pushing the comrade away he faintly exclaimed, "Follow that Flag." He chose to die, and to die alone rather than to see it fall. Many of you have felt the same deathless devotion to the flag in the hour of battle. It was grandly heroic. But just such devotion you and I owe to the Son of God. He died for us. We ought to be ready to die for him.

REMARKS OF COMMANDER HOSMER.

Since our Post was organized we have been called upon to mourn the loss of two comrades. Our Quarter-Master has balanced our account with comrade Harris McDaniel by the word Dead. The Adjutant has engrossed on the records of the Post, Dead. The vacant chair is draped in mourning, our charter hang with black. We are here assembled to pay homage to him who has answered the retreat call and has gone to that silent camping ground to dwell ever in tents of green, the doors of which never outswing. The name of Harris McDaniel has been handed to the Adjt. of the Supreme Grand Encampment, who has added it to that silent corps who await our coming on the parade ground of eternity. Should the question be asked of him, "How is it with Beer's Post?" he can say all present are accounted for. One by one our ranks are thinned and we sincerely mourn the loss of those whose friendship has been sealed in the fire of battle. Comrades, salute the dead.

REMARKS OF COMRADE A. W. MILLS.

Friends and Comrades of the late Harris McDaniel. I am requested to say a few words giving some incidents in the military life of the deceased.

Harris McDaniel enlisted in the service of the United States, on Oct. 19th 1863, and became a member of Co. G. 11th Mich. Volunteer Cavalry. In July 1865 his regiment, having been reduced in numbers, by death and discharge to less than 300 men, was consolidated with the 8th Mich. Cavalry and our comrade became a member of Co. B., 8th Mich. Volunteer Cavalry, from which at the close of the war he was honorably discharged Sept. 27th, 1865. He became a member of Beer's Post Grand Army of the Republic, Sept. 5th, 1884 and on Thursday, May 14th, 1885, he became a member of the great army across the dark river. It was my fortune to be a member of the same company and I remember on a number of occasions when the company were preparing to make a sabre charge on the enemy, he, on his own accord, took his place near the head of the company, and thus was among those to first meet the enemy and be in the greatest danger. These actions and other similar ones, proved him to be a brave soldier, and, so far as I know he was ever ready to perform his full duty. Loyal to the flag. Loyal to his country. In his death one more of those, who were willing to give their lives, if need be that our Republic might live and our flag defended from dishonor, has joined the army of the majority. For carefully compiled statistics show that during the twenty years since we left the tented field over half of all those who were discharged from the volunteer army have closed their eyes in eternal sleep upon the nation and country they fought to save. The same statistics also prove that in accordance with the well known natural laws, at the end of another twenty years only one of each 1000 men who served in the volunteer army will be living. The Grand Army of the Republic is a peculiar organization. It is made up entirely of old union soldiers and none but honorably discharged ones can be admitted.

Some time since I read an article stating that at the close of the Mexican war a company which had been 100 strong had lost by wound and disease until there were but 25 to receive their discharge. They passed a resolution that on a certain day each year they would meet, as long as they lived. They kept their resolve. Every year 25 chairs were arranged around a table, and nearly every time they met there would be some extra vacant ones, until last year, but one of these 25 men was left. So it is with our Grand Army of the Republic. When all the old soldiers shall have joined it our numbers will begin to decrease and each year more and more rapidly. When a comrade falls by the way there is a vacancy. That vacancy can not be supplied. We have no material from which to draw. Hence, to-day, in our Post room, stands a vacant chair draped with the emblems of mourning. Hence to the memory of Harris McDaniel, as well as to the memory of many other worthy comrades who have gone before, have we draped our flag and are we gathered here to-day.

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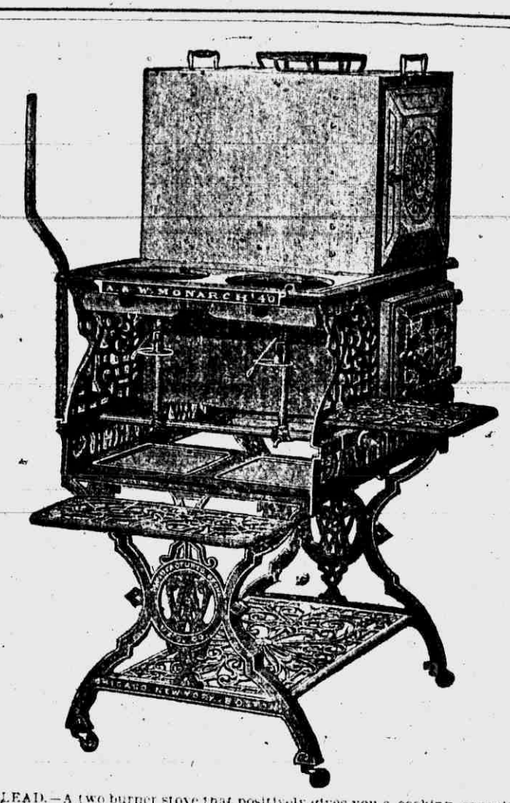

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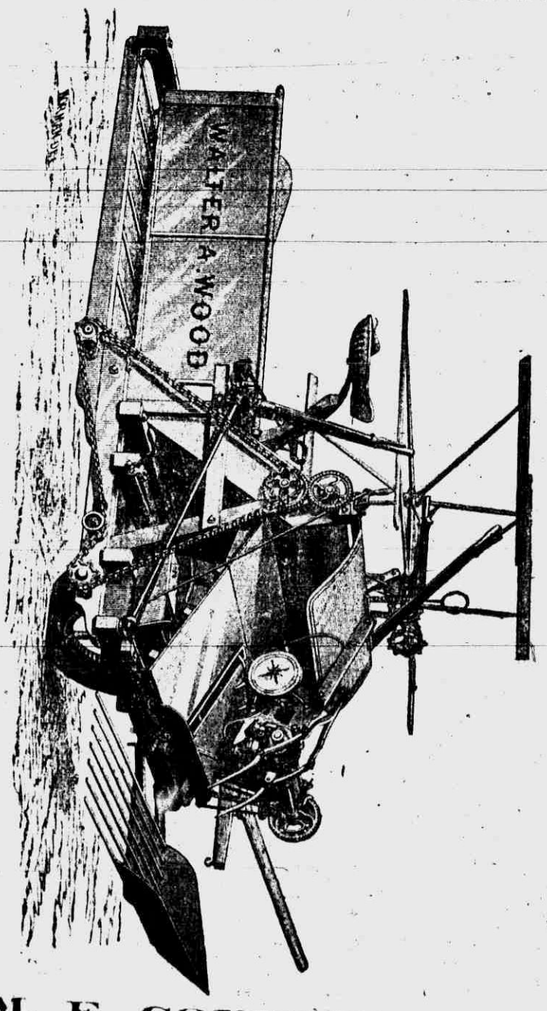

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who extended their sympathy during our late affliction.
MRS. FANNY MCDANIEL.

COUNTY TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of the county teachers' association, which took place in this city last Saturday, did not regularly open its programme until 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The meeting was conducted in the high school room, and was opened by a paper on "Discipline in District Schools," read by Prof. H. C. Wilson, of Blissfield. The paper was very interesting, and was heard with much attention.

J. B. Tenbrook, of Fairfield, read an intelligent and instructive paper on "Penmanship in district schools," by which he showed that he had "been there," and comprehended the difficulties which attend the work of the country pedagogue.

The third paper on the list was read by W. E. Tripp, of Weston, his subject being "The teacher: His labor and reward." The Tripp family embraces a number of the best teachers in the county, and the amount of solid food for reflection, which the paper contained, went to prove that its author was, by no means, a discredit to his relatives.

The various papers were exhaustively discussed by Messrs. Bird, Tripp, Wilson, and Underwood, and Misses Rogers and Hoag. A quartette by the high school choir, and a solo by Miss Lena Holmes, added much to the pleasure of the exercises.—Adrian Times.

THE LAST ENTERTAINMENT.

The sixth and last entertainment of the Library Lecture Course will be given by Stuart Rogers, the celebrated impersonator, on Friday evening of next week, June 5th. As an impersonator, Mr. Rogers is among the best artists now upon the platform, and as Tecumseh people have never before had an opportunity of listening to him, he will undoubtedly be greeted with a large audience. Season tickets will be good for this entertainment.

A FEW POINTERS.

Mr. Rogers has the faculty of making his audience laugh or cry seemingly at his will.

Mr. Rogers' wonderful versatality and the naturalness of his delineations have won for him, from the press, the title of "The Actor of the Platform."

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PRESS COMMENTS.

The entertainment in the Mechanics' Course last night was given by Stuart Rogers, whose great reputation as a reciter and an impersonator has reached this city, though he has never been heard here before. Mr. Rogers was effective in the character sketches and very amusing in the humorous scenes, keeping the audience in great good humor. He will be very cordially greeted here should he come again, which we hope he will.—Worcester (Mass.) Spy.

Mr. Rogers is devoid of that abominable pompousness, with which so many present themselves before an audience. He announces his subject quietly, and then throws all his powers into the recitation or sketch he presents. The impersonation of "Oscar Wilde" was the hit of the evening.—Petersburg (Va.) Index.

In all of his impersonations, Mr. Rogers displayed great tact and skill, a prominent and interesting feature being the almost wonderful change of facial expression, rendering difficult characters distinctly recognizable by the simple appearance of the speaker.—Elmira (N. Y.) Advertiser.

Stuart Rogers, the recitationist and impersonator, delighted a crowded audience in Association Hall last evening. His specialties are such as call for the highest order of talent in elocution and mimicry, and he is certainly a rare genius upon the platform.—Reading (Pa.) Times and Dispatch.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 28, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Eels are plenty in the Brownville pond.

The Morenci Observer had a supplement last week.

This kind of weather will thaw out the ice cream business.

Fishing is good in Evans creek and in the Raisin this spring.

A new church will be erected at Addison on the west side.

Blissfield has two base ball clubs, the East side and the West side.

The outlook is good for a big strawberry crop, but rather poor for raspberries.

Thomas H. Mosher, of Springville, is the oldest merchant in Lenawee County.

John R. Clark will give the Hudsonites another dose of To and Fro in London.

Mr. Tabor, mail agent on the Jackson Branch has resigned and J. P. Mitchell takes his place.

Mr. Joseph Bickford, of Ypsilanti, was visiting his nephew, Geo. Merritt, a couple of days last week.

Mrs. King, of Jackson, who has been visiting at Jehiel Davidson's for the past two weeks returned home on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Snyder returned from their bridal tour on Friday last. Most of the time during their trip was spent in Chicago.

A new time schedule went into effect on the Wabash line last Sunday. The corrected time table appears in the appropriate column.

Clinton Local: The gatherers of eggs from Ed. Williamson's establishment, of Tecumseh, passed through here Tuesday, with 1741½ doz. eggs.

The Blissfield and Dundee base ball clubs will play the opening game of the season, at the first mentioned place, after the memorial services, next Saturday.

The magnificent offer of A. P. Cook, of Brooklyn, of 500 acres of land near Vineyard lake for a soldiers home, deserves the most careful consideration from the authorities.

John Clark, of Clinton, has made a contract with Detroit parties to sell all his creamery butter for the season at 34 cts. per pound. Here is a "pointer" for other farmers.

James Cole, having spent two weeks very pleasantly among his Tecumseh friends started for Denver on Tuesday. He expects to make his permanent home in that thriving western city.

The Young People's Lyceum will meet in the lecture room of the Methodist Episcopal church on Friday evening May 29. A good programme has been arranged. The public are invited.

Rev. C. T. Allen, of Detroit, the orator for our memorial services, will preach in the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday morning. Rev. Geo. W. Hudson will preach at Clinton and Rev. J. M. Kerridge will preach in Detroit.

E. V. DePuy has taken the agency for the Deering Twine Binder, and has opened rooms in the old Hopkins store, first door west of Joe Wilson's. All farmers who are contemplating the purchase of a binder would do well to give him a call.

We understand that Prof. Hammond has been engaged as superintendent of the Tecumseh schools for the ensuing year. We congratulate both the School Board, Prof. Hammond and the public upon this consummation. This is as it should be.

Rev. J. M. Getchell will go to Corry Pa. on Saturday, to deliver the Decoration Day oration at that place. Service at the Universalist church, which would occur on the regular time next Sunday, will be postponed for one week, until Sunday June 7th.

Adrian Record: A Petersburg frog is said to have fallen into a pail of milk on a recent night and next morning was found complacently seated on a roll of butter which he had churned in his fruitless efforts to get out. We don't believe it. Petersburg is the same town where the Petersburg Journal is published.

Adrian Times: If it will be an accommodation to a brother newspaper man, we might say that the editor of the Tecumseh HERALD has a sewing machine for sale. As the gentleman is a bachelor, we are obliged to wonder how he came into the possession of the article. "Scove" is too thorough a gentleman to seize a lady's right bower in payment for subscription or job work.

Adrian Press: One of our subscribers calls attention to the fact that the pesky crow is creating immense damage all over the country by killing other birds and destroying their nests. He says that the towns will have to offer bounties for the crow, as they are going to do more harm than woodchucks. If the crows would come to the city and tackle the abominable English sparrow, we should feel like overlooking many harsh things now laid up against that bird.

The wool market will soon open.

Harry Snell was in town last Sunday.

Fred Quine, of Toledo, was in town last Sunday.

The new postoffice building at Addison has been painted.

Miss Jessie VanCourt, of Detroit, is visiting Miss Grace DeWolf.

Fred Teachout, of Adrian, visited friends in Tecumseh last Sunday.

Jipson, Carter & Co., is the name of the new banking firm at Blissfield.

The ladies of Adrian are talking of organizing an equestrian association.

Rev. C. W. Dennis, of Hillsdale, is the new pastor of the Baptist church at Macon.

E. A. Davidson, agent of the Valveoleum Co., of Cleveland, was in town on Tuesday last.

Will Baker, Clarence Hanck and Frank Wallinger are rusticating in Chicago this week.

James Moore, of Detroit, was circulating among his old Tecumseh friends last Saturday and Sunday.

Judge Stacy has been in East Saginaw since last Saturday, enjoying a visit with his son, George.

W. T. Eccles now has four men on the road taking orders for tea. Will says the tea business is booming.

The ladies of the M. E. church hold their regular monthly social and supper at the M. E. church next Wednesday evening.

Corn planting is progressing this week in a lively manner. Most fields in this section will be planted before Saturday night.

Charley Keyes was in Tecumseh a few hours on Tuesday, on his way to the Clinton Alumni reunion which was held at Clinton yesterday.

"The village council of Morenci, has donated a fine cemetery lot to the G. A. R. Post, in that village, an act that deserves to be commended, and an example that we would like to see followed elsewhere.

The Common Council voted at the last meeting to buy additional ground adjoining the village building and to enlarge the latter, to build a new barn and to construct a large storage cistern for water. This is a move in the right direction. For particulars see the Council Proceedings.

The executive committee of the Southeastern Soldiers and Sailors Association met on Tuesday, at the Lawrence Hotel, to arrange for the annual encampment. Devils Lake was selected as the place for the encampment, which will begin August 26th and last three days. The association embraces Lenawee, Hillsdale, Washtenaw, Monroe and Branch Counties.

Adrian Record: Remarked the minister of the Free Baptist church of Clayton to the Sabbath School class last Sunday: "Is it right to pray for our rulers?" "Yes," responded David Pontius, an old democrat, "and it used to be the custom of the ministers here, but I have'nt heard a prayer offered for Cleveland since his inauguration." The good shepherd grew crimson in the face and admitted that possibly that duty had been neglected.

It is understood that the syndicate backing the proposed consolidation of the Columbus, Hocking & Toledo and Ohio Central railroad, intends to purchase a controlling interest in the Michigan & Ohio road, which would give them a direct communication with Lake Michigan ports. The line of the Ohio Central from Corning to Charleston, W. Va., will also be purchased, and made part of the system. In the event of this consolidation, the general offices will be in Toledo.

We regret to learn that Thomas W. Mosher, the veteran merchant of Springville, has made an assignment. About a year ago he incurred a large indebtedness in making necessary repairs upon the "Lake Mills" property. This fact with the dull times of the past twelve months has probably forced the assignment. No one who knows him will attribute any dishonesty to him. It is sincerely to be hoped that he will be able to extricate himself and resume business again.

Adrian Record: Tecumseh newspapers assert that James Clark recently caught a 4½ pound eel in the Red Mill pond in Tecumseh. We cannot help feeling that the weight given is a good eel to high. We do not wish to characterize the statement as untrue, but we will say that we believe it is a lie.

A 4½ pound eel is a good deal of an eel, we admit, but the statement is undoubtedly true. In the first place the Red Mill pond grows big eels, in the second place James Clark would not fool away his time catching small eels, and in the third place the Tecumseh newspapers tell the truth.

The Lenawee county Pomona Grange met with the Adrian Grange on the 14th inst., and, as usual, had a very interesting time. Mrs. A. J. Sutton, of Morenci, responded to the address of welcome which was given; and then followed a pleasing, profitable program of recitations, dialogues, music, and discussion. Appreciative resolutions upon the death of several worthy members, including I. R. Phelps, were adopted. The meeting was adjourned to Thursday, Aug. 13, at Macon Grange.

Baker & Hall's soda fountain has been put in readiness for use.

Rev. James Vincent occupied the Presbyterian pulpit last Sunday evening.

Loren VanAntwerp has moved his harness shop over Alva Parker's grocery store.

Remember the meeting of the floral committee at the Council Building this evening.

Geo. Williamson is spending this week in Allegan picking up eggs for Ed. Williamson.

All indications point to a fine celebration of Decoration Day at Tecumseh next Saturday.

Mr. S. M. Smith, of Angola Ind., has returned to Tecumseh, and expects to remain here in the future.

Rev. W. G. Puddefoot was shaking hands with his old Tecumseh acquaintances last Friday and Saturday.

Stuart Rogers is called the best impersonator on the American platform. Go and hear him on June 5th and judge for yourself.

Misses Anna and Carrie Powers and Walter, start to-morrow for McGregor, Iowa, where they expect to make their future home with their mother.

Mr. Geo. L. Graves, of Milwaukee, arrived in town Friday and remained until Monday morning. His friends were right glad to see him, as they always are.

Rev. A. F. Ferris will deliver a temperance lecture to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity on Monday evening, June 1st, at the Opera House.—Admission free.

Rev. W. G. Puddefoot officiated at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning. A large number of his Tecumseh friends listened to a good sermon with much pleasure.

Farmers; do not fail to see the light twine Wood binder at Slayton & Son's. It is the lightest in the market, and M. E. Conklin is the man who can explain its workings.

The high school nine and a picked nine played a game of base ball yesterday afternoon, and the picked nine got picked by a score of 15 to 10. A game is talked of for Decoration day.

A new time card went into effect last Sunday on the Jackson Branch, which will be found among the railroad time tables. The change is very slight. The morning and afternoon trains go south a few moments earlier and the noon train goes north about half an hour later.

The great National camp meeting, which is to be held at Lansing June 13 to 21 under the auspices of the Methodists, promises to be a greater affair than last year when eighteen srates were represented. Bishop Mallalieu, of New Orleans, has been engaged and will be present, also Rev. Drs. McDonald and Steele of Boston.

W. T. Eccles, of this village, has perfected arrangements for going into the tea business on an extensive scale. He buys his teas direct from New York brokers in large lots at wholesale prices and can retail them at lower figures than were ever before offered in this vicinity. He is now filling up his store with a large stock. His establishment will be known hereafter as the "New York Tea Store."—In addition to his local trade he will send out a man or two on the road to take orders among the farmers for his teas. Mr. Eccles is one of our best young business men and the farmers can rely upon honorable dealing in all their transactions with him.

Miss J. A. Hough has been replenishing her millinery rooms with a large and varied assortment of spring goods and now has one of the finest stocks ever displayed in this village. Summer hats of all sizes, styles and shapes, a fine lot of ornamental feathers and a brilliant array of artificial fruits and flowers. These latter are becoming quite fashionable for hat trimmings and when skillfully arranged produce a most pleasing effect. A full assortment of ribbons is kept on hand, and all other et ceteras to constitute a complete millinery stock. Her goods are also marked at figures to suit the present close times. Our young ladies and old ladies also will do well to inspect her goods and prices before making their spring purchases. She has secured the services of two first-class trimmers, Miss Allie Warren and Mrs. S. Millard, who will do their best to please.

Lenawee Baptist Association.

The Lenawee Baptist Association will hold its forty-sixth anniversary with the Baptist church at Morenci on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 2 and 3, 1885. Program: Tuesday, 10:30 A. M.—Introductory Sermon, Rev. H. F. Cochrane, of Rome; alternate, Rev. W. S. Warren, of Dundee—Theme: The Work of the Holy Spirit; 2 P. M.—Organization and reading of Letters; 3:30 P. M.—Report of Publication Society and S. S. Work; 7:30 P. M. Women's Missionary Meeting Sermon by Rev. J. P. Farmer, of Hudson. Wednesday, 8:30 A. M.—Prayer Meeting; 9:00—Reports of Committees on Education, Home, Foreign and State Missions; 11:15 A. M.—General Business; 2 P. M.—Reports of various committees and general business.

A WEEK IN THE SUNNY SOUTH.

Dr. Samuel Catlin Takes an Outing Among the Valleys and Mountains of East Tennessee.

On Monday, May 18th, Dr. Samuel Catlin quietly took the Lake Shore train for a brief trip to East Tennessee. No one but his family knew of his departure, and in a day or two his numerous patients began to feel uneasy on account of his absence. He had left them however in good hands, and decided to take a few days respite from professional cares in the sunny Southland. Last Tuesday night the Doctor returned, and yesterday morning we encountered him on the walk. We accepted an invitation to step over to his house and partake of a dish of fresh Chattanooga strawberries, and while there plied him with a long string of questions about his trip. We found him boiling over with enthusiasm and information about East Tennessee. We append a portion of his interview, which will doubtless be of interest to our readers.

"I left home on Monday, a week ago," said the Doctor, "and went to Toledo, from there to Cincinnati and then took the Queen and Cresent route to Chattanooga. From Toledo to Chattanooga is about twenty-four hours ride. I stopped a day at this latter place and then visited Athens, Cleveland, Knoxville, Loudon and other points of interest in that section of the state. It is one of the finest mineral and agricultural sections in the entire south. The average altitude is about 700 feet above ours in Lenawee County, and hence they avoid the sultry climate in mid-summer which prevails in the gulf states. There are 34 counties in East Tennessee, and through every one of these runs a navigable stream. It has 21 rivers, all of which are navigable for float boats, and many of them for steam boats. All empty into the main river, the Tennessee, and when the canal is completed around the Muscle Shoals, large steamers can ascend that river from the mouth to Knoxville, a distance of 1500 miles. Almost every farm in East Tennessee has running water upon it, and the numerous springs, which are found on nearly every farm, make the country unrivalled for dairying purposes. They have water power in East Tennessee adequate to turn all the machinery of the United States. No section of the globe has a finer climate, the mercury rarely goes below zero and rarely above 90°. The mean summer temperature is about 73° and the mean winter temperature about 40°. The mineral resources of East Tennessee are well nigh inexhaustible. their marbles have attained a world wide reputation and the marble exports are increasing rapidly. Four years ago there were only four quarries in East Tennessee, now there are over thirty. Coal and iron abound. Zinc, copper, lead, silver and gold are all found in paying quantities. As an agricultural section it is unsurpassed in the South. All the staple crops are raised to advantage, fruits yield abundantly, while stock raising and dairying are carried on extensively. Knoxville, which is the natural business center of East Tennessee, has had a wonderful growth since the war. In 1870 her population was 8000 now it is nearly 25,000. The city is sustained by a magnificent agricultural country tributary to it, and by large manufacturing establishments within its borders. Among these latter may be mentioned the Knoxville Rolling Mills, R. R. shops. Knoxville Machine Co., four furniture manufacturies, one car wheel factory, five sash and blind factories, one ornamental fence shop, three trunk factories, one button factory, one zinc works, four steam and water flouring mills, and many other smaller establishments. Knoxville is destined to become one of the largest and richest interior cities of the south. This entire section is awakening from its "Rip Van Winkle" sleep and business is booming through the length and breadth of the Tennessee Valley. The spirit of enquiry, like the school-master, is abroad in the land. Northern men and northern capital are flocking ing down there, and East Tennessee will witness a tremendous development during the next twenty-five years. During my stay in Knoxville, a farmers' convention was in session which was largely attended by farmers from all the adjoining counties.

I visited Loudon and Athens, two smaller but smart cities, between Knoxville and Chattanooga. I also made a stop at Cleveland, where our old Tecumseh citizen Dr. Gould is located. He is doing well, and enjoying life. Cleveland is a smart village of about 3000 inhabitants, and rapidly growing. It is located about 30 miles east of Chattanooga. This latter city is one of the booming cities of the South. It has a population of over 30,000 which will be doubled in the next ten years.

I never made a trip which I enjoyed better, and I confess I was considerably facinated with East Tennessee. The climate is delightful, the people intelligent and hospitable, and every encouragement is given to Northern emigrants to settle among them. There are plenty of offerings down there for profitable investments, both in agricultural lands, in manufactures, in business projects and in mining. There is no better section in the South for a Northern man possessed of enterprise and a little surplus capital to locate. I think I shall go down there again before the snow flies."

John R. Clark is at home for a day or two.

The Post Office will be closed on Decoration day from 1 to 5 P. M.

Mr. Rogers is engaged again and again in the same places, and often twice in the same season.

If one hundredth part of the blossoms on the fruit trees should prove to be good the trees would have a greater burden than they could bear.

Two hundred and three Planet Jr., cultivators have been sold in this market since their first introduction in the spring of 1882, and they have all been sold on their merits.

In response to the invitation given last week quite a large number met at the residence of Mr. C. H. Gainsley last Monday evening. Mrs. C. H. Gainsley was elected musical director. It was decided to meet every two weeks. The next meeting will be held at the residence of A. W. Mills, June 8th.

Two hearts were made happy yesterday by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson the occasion being the marriage of Mr. Geo. Tansley and Miss Alma Kinney. The HERALD joins with their numerous friends in extending its heartiest compliments and congratulations.—May their life be a long and happy one blessed with many little responsibilities.

Brooklyn Exponent: We came very near having another conflagration last Saturday evening. As G. E. Green was drawing some gasoline from a barrel into a jug, the vapor ignited from a lantern, which was set as far away from the gasoline as the room would permit. The room contained a barrel of gasoline, a half barrel of of it, and also an open pail of the fluid. Geo. had the presence of mind to throw the jug into the back yard before the flames had a chance to spread, or the business portion of our town might have been in ruins. Moral.—Don't draw gasoline by lamp light.

The following is the program for decoration services at Ridgeway.

Marshal of the Day—G. P. Waring.
At 12 M., column will form on south Main street, right resting on Chicago street.

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Britton Cornet Band.
G. A. R. Colors and Guard.
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Old Soldiers not members of the G. A. R.
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EXERCISES AT CEMETERY.

Music—Hymn by Ridgeway Choir.
G. A. R. Decoration services at the grave by the Post.
Music—"Cover them Over"—Brutton Band.
Decorating of graves by the Post
Music—Funeral Dirge by the Band while decorating.

EXERCISES AT THE STAND.

Music—Ridgeway Choir.
Prayer—Rev. E. W. Borden.
Music—Song of Welcome, by Sunday Schools.
Welcome to Citizens by Commander of Post.
Music by the Choir.
Oration—Rev. James Wright.
Music by the Band.
Remarks—Rev. W. J. Clack.
Music—America—by all.
Benediction—Rev. E. W. Borden
Line of march to Ridgeway.
Procession dismissed.

—Ladies. Have your dressmaking done in the latest fashions at Miss Rector's, 116 East Maumee St., Adrian, opposite Arnold's grocery. Ginghams, etc., $1.50, worsted, $4, silks, $5. When not otherwise employed will make engagements to sew by the week at $1 per day.

Mrs. N. R. Brown has just received a large and handsome assortment of summer hats in every style and variety and has more coming on the road, and she is now able to fit the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity in hats at the lowest possible prices. The handsomest display of flowers and ribbons and all kinds of milliner's goods in the village. She makes a specialty of bonnets made in new material on frames in the latest shapes, and also keeps in stock a large assortment of trimmed bonnets of every discription. If new goods, first-class trimmers and low prices will suit the ladies, they should certainly call at Mrs. Brown's millinery rooms.

—Land Salt—A car load just received by Slayton & Son. Plaster at all times.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The family of the late Secretary Frelinghuysen make no secret of the fact that the first serious illness of Judge Frelinghuysen was due to the aconite that in some unaccountable manner was bottled with the mineral water he used, and Dr. Lincoln, of Washington, says that there was enough left in the bottle to kill four men.

Hon. S. S. Cox, recently appointed United States Minister to Turkey, qualified at the Department of State on the 22d, and will leave New York for his new post of duty about June 17.

During May the Secretary of the Treasury has issued warrants for the payment of about $[illegible] on account of pensions. It is estimated that the total payments on this account for the present month will amount to about $16,000,000.

Among the Presidential appointments announced on the 23d were the following: Ex-Senator E. G. Ross, of New Mexico, to be Governor of the Territory of New Mexico; Morris Taylor, of Dakota, to be Surveyor General of Dakota; Mark Sheaf, of Dakota, to be Register at Watertown, Dak.; Ex-Senator Thomas W. Tipton, of Nebraska, to be Receiver at Bloomington, Neb.; Henry C. Branstetter, of Idaho, to be Receiver at Boise City, Idaho; A. C. Jones, Oregon, Receiver at Roseburg, Ore.; M. H. Maynard, Michigan, Receiver at Marquette, Mich.; Wm. E. Russell, Louisiana, Receiver at Natchitoches, La.; H. M. Brake, Kansas, Receiver at Larned, Kas.

Commissioner Coleman, of the Department of Agriculture, has sent out a circular letter changing the date of the proposed Agricultural College Convention in Washington from June 24 to July 8.

The value of exports from the United States during April last aggregated $52,-[illegible], and the value of imports $48,791,750. The excess of exports was $4,135,176, while in April, 1884, there was an excess of imports over exports amounting to $1,260,499. During the twelve months ended April 30, the excess of exports over imports amounted to $155,959,352.

An order has been issued by Postmaster General Vilas directing that whenever any postmaster of the fourth class shall have remained in office for five years from the date of the taking effect of his latest official bond, he shall execute a new bond, in manner and with sureties as required by law, upon notice from the Department. The First Assistant Postmaster General is charged with carrying out the order in all existing cases to which the regulation is applicable.

THE EAST.

The trustees for the John F. Slater fund for the education of the freedmen held their annual meeting at New York City on the 20th with ex-President Hayes in the chair. Among those present were Chief Justice Waite, Messrs. J. A. Stewart, W. E. Dodge and M. K. Jessup, of New York; Rev. Dr. S. Haygood, of Georgia, general agent of the board, and G. J. Orr, superintendent of schools, of Georgia.

The Delta Phi fraternity of Williams College laid the corner-stone of their new Chapter House at Williamstown, Mass., on the 20th. Rev. Chas. Hall, of the First Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, delivered the oration on the subject of "Secret Societies." The society was well represented, about fifty members being present.

The official report of the executive relief committee at Plymouth, Pa., was submitted to a meeting of citizens on the 20th. The report shows that on May 5 there were 841 cases of typhoid fever. Since that date sixty-four new cases have been reported, making 905 in all. The deaths for the two weeks ended the 20th numbered fifty-five, which leaves 850 cases, 134 being convalescent. A majority of the sick were reported to be on the mend, but many are still in a critical condition. The total number of destitute families receiving aid was reported to be 246. The total disbursements so far reach $5,100.

John A. Van Gelder, receiving teller of the Union National Bank of New York, has disappeared. An examination of the books shows him a defaulter to the amount of $23,000.

The will of William W. Smith, of Worcester, Mass., gives his whole estate to the American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions for the education of colored men in Africa. He was a single man, somewhat eccentric and had no confidant. His executor judges that the amount may reach $25,000 and perhaps much more.

The Grand Jury in Springfield, Mass., have found two indictments against the Boston & Albany Railroad Company for running Sunday trains.

Hon. F. T. Frelinghuysen, ex-Secretary of State, died at his home in Newark, N. J., on the 20th, after a protracted illness.

During the week ended May 22 the business failures throughout the country numbered for the United States 214, Canada 25; total 239, against 229 the previous week. More than two-thirds of the failures in the United States occurred in the Southern, Western and Pacific States.

The Pennsylvania Senate on the 22d passed the second reading of the House bill appropriating $5,000 for the establishment of a temporary hospital at Plymouth.

The barn of Eli K. Mylin, near Lancaster, Pa., was set on fire on the night of the 21st by Mrs. Elizabeth Martin, the insane wife of his tenant, Albert Martin. Her remains and the carcasses of sixteen fat cattle and ten horses were found in the ruins. Loss $7,000; insurance $2,600.

On the 22d the New York State Legislature passed a census bill, which is similar to the one recently vetoed by Governor Hill, and then adjourned *sine die.* When Governor Hill's attention was called to the bill as amended, he declared that it was more objectionable than the one he vetoed.

Thomas McKean, editor of the Erie (Pa.) *Sunday Gazette,* died suddenly on the 21st while at work, of apoplexy. Deceased was the oldest editorial writer in Western Pennsylvania.

The total imports of dry goods at the port of New York during the week ended the 22d were valued at $1,480,588, and the amount thrown on the market at $1,568,753.

Professor Samuel Jones, Professor Emeritus of Physics and Chemistry in Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pa., died on the 22d.

The jury in the case of Louis Rozenwig vs. the Lake Shore Railroad Company, after a trial at Erie, Pa., lasting two weeks, on the 22d awarded the plaintiff $48,750 damages. The plaintiff, who is a prominent lawyer of that city, was put off a limited express in Cleveland for not having a ticket, although he offered money. While walking to the depot he fell and was severely injured.

Annie E. Cutler, colored, who pleaded guilty to the charge of murder in shooting her lover, William H. Knight, of Philadelphia, was brought before Judge Mitchell of that city on the 22d, who adjudged her guilty of murder in the first degree.

The Peabody and Ocean cotton corporations at Newburyport, Mass., have ordered a suspension of their mills, and will not start again until business prospects brighten. Nine hundred persons are thrown out of employment. The pay-rolls aggregate $15,000 monthly.

A syndicate of oil men from Oil City, Pa., have leased over one thousand acres of territory near Greensboro, Green County, that State, bordering on the old Dunkard oil field, and will put down a test well at once.

Rev. Thomas O'Flaherty, a well known Catholic clergyman of Syracuse, N. Y., reported to the police on the 22d that his two nephews, Vincent and Fred O'Flaherty, aged sixteen and fourteen, had mysteriously disappeared. He believes that his nephews have been abducted by Protestant enemies, and offers a reward of $500 for any information leading to their discovery.

The explosion of an iron tank of boiling lard in Karcher & Paul's pork packing establishment at Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 23d completely wrecked the three-story building. Several workmen were buried in the ruins. Herbert Wersent was taken out dead within a few moments, and several others, badly mangled, were afterwards extricated and taken to the hospital.

The following changes are noted in the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 23d: Loans decrease, $2,748,700; specie increase, $[illegible]; legal tenders increase, $1,006,300; deposits decrease, $1,601,900; circulation decrease, $8,300; reserve increase, $2,396,025. The banks hold $[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

The boiler of the steamer John Greenway, on Onondaga Lake, exploded on the 23d, fatally burning Captain Kinne, owner of the vessel. The steamer was making her trial trip of the season.

The monument erected in the City Park, Reading, Pa., by the Brewers' Association of the United States, was unveiled on the 23d with imposing ceremonies. The city was filled with strangers from all parts of the State. The monument, altogether, is sixteen feet high. Mr. Lauer's statue being of full size and cast in bronze. This is the first known instance on record in the country where a member of the brewing industry has been reward by a public memorial.

George Lazette, aged seventeen, was struck in the breast and killed at New York on the 23d by a ball batted by another boy.

At Wampum, Pa., on the 23d, during the prevalence of a thunder storm, Mrs. Albert Guy opened the door of her house to get a view of the storm when she was struck by lightning and instantly killed. She leaves a husband and four small children.

The body of William Kelley, a cloth peddler, of Pittsburgh, who mysteriously disappeared several months ago, was found floating in the Ohio River on the 23d with a wound on his head. He was known to have considerable money in his possession at the time of his disappearance, which was not found on the body, and it is supposed he was robbed and then thrown into the river.

WEST AND SOUTH.

At Madison, Wis., on the 21st Mrs. Margaret Biddle, of Mitchell, Dak., and Mrs. Rebecca Mersott, of Baraboa, Wis., sisters, pleaded guilty to a charge of perjury, and were sentenced to two years in the State penitentiary. Both have nursing infants, which they take with them. They swore falsely to establish an alibi for their brother-in-law, a burglar. There was an affecting scene in court when they were sentenced.

The family of Kennedy Truax, of Steubenville, O., consisting of himself, wife and five children, were attacked a few days ago by what seemed to be malignant diphtheria. Medical aid was of no avail and at the present time all five children are dead and the mother is a maniac. The cause of the disease has not been determined. The deaths all resulted from blood poisoning.

Samuel Nutt, of Bloomington, Ill., who began a forty days' fast on the 8th inst., saying he was commanded to do so by the Lord, died on the 21st. He was the publisher of a curious religious paper entitled *Spirit of Truth.*

The bill to allow the minority of stockholders in joint stock companies to have representation on the boards of directors, passed the Michigan Senate over the Governor's veto on the 21st. The bill had already passed the House over the veto.

T. B. Coleman, of Ponca, Neb., a heavy cattle dealer, supposed to have started from Ponca with two loads of cattle, was found dead in a car in the yard at that place on the 20th, with a bullet hole in his breast and a revolver in his right hand. As there was no reason for suicide, murder is suspected.

The Hocking Valley (Ohio) coal miners, at a meeting on the 20th, agreed to go to work for forty cents a ton.

The store of James Conner, at Burton City, Wayne County, O., was entered by four burglars early on the morning of the 21st. In a fight with Conner, his son and a clerk, one of the intruders, supposed to be W. T. Adams, was killed and another badly wounded. All the thieves, except Adams, escaped. The thieves carried off nearly $3,000.

At Stony Creek, Caswell County, N. C., a few days ago John Pinnax murdered his two little children, a boy and a girl with an axe and then ran to the creek and drowned himself. Financial troubles caused insanity.

The Intermediate Penitentiary for first offense convicts, authorized by the Ohio Legislature last winter, is to be located at Mansfield, that city having raised the necessary money to secure its location.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce, of Chicago, was victimized to the extent of $7,000 on the 21st by a man giving his name as H. S. Strong, an Englishman, who presented forged letters of credit of the National Bank of Scotland, Glasgow. Detectives are searching for the swindler.

Herman Brinkman, aged eighteen, was drowned at the Cincinnati Swimming School on the 23d. He was an expert swimmer, and it is not known how he met the accident.

W. Whitehead, of Indianapolis, has been awarded $17,000 damages against the Indianapolis, Bloomington & Western Railway for injuries received in October, 1883. This is the heaviest verdict ever awarded in Indiana courts.

Two farmers, named J. P. Buffington and August Kitteau, living in Elizabeth, Wirt County, W. Va., got into a quarrel on the 23d over a cow belonging to the former, which had trespassed on the latter's garden. A fight resulted in which both men were so terribly bruised and cut up that they can not recover.

Amos Woodruff, President of the Woodruff Oliver Carriage and Hardware Company and also of the Woodruff Lumber Company, at Memphis, Tenn., made an individual assignment on the 23d. Liabilities $[illegible], nominal assets, $[illegible].

An Indiana postmaster of the fourth class, whose resignation has been received at the Postoffice Department on the 23d, states that he was appointed during President Polk's administration and has served continuously forty years. He recommended a Democrat as his successor.

As a passenger train from Salt Lake on the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad was approaching Denver, Col., on the 23d, a terrific explosion took place directly under the engine, extinguishing the lights and breaking the windows of the locomotive and forward coaches and wrenching loose the rails. Dynamite or giant powder had evidently been placed under the sleepers of the track. The one hundred and seventy passengers were shaken up and badly scared.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The announcement is authoritatively made in English Parliamentary circles that a reconciliation has been effected between the Parnellites and Mr. Gladstone. The breach between the Government and the League is said to have been healed by a promise, on the part of the Ministry, to introduce at an early day a bill to amend the purchase clauses of the Land act. The Parnellites, in return, will refrain from the execution of their threat to vote with the Tories at the coming general election.

It is said that in the trial of Riel, which will occur at Prince Albert, next fall, he will be defended by Hon. Frank X. Lemieux, M. P., and Charles Fitzpatrick, of Quebec; Hon. Honorie Mercier, M. P., of Montreal, and one of the best criminal lawyers of Winnipeg, not yet named. It is generally understood that Riel will be acquitted.

A Battleford (N. W. T.) dispatch of the 22d says that Poundmaker had sent in a flag of truce along with the captured teamsters, two women and a priest, asking upon what terms he would be allowed to surrender.

Victor Hugo, the renowned poet and author, died at Paris on the 22d, in the eighty-third year of his age.

At Paris on the 24th a bloody encounter occurred between the Commune and the police and soldiers. Five thousand Anarchists had gathered at Pere la Chaise to decorate the graves of the Communists killed in 1871, when a riot ensued, during which eighty persons were wounded, fifty of whom were Anarchists, and thirty soldiers and police.

London advices of the 25th state that the English Cabinet has decided on resuming overtime work in the Royal arsenal, which had been relinquished, pending the diplomatic negotiations. Work will be resumed, especially in the laboratory and foundry, for the manufacture of small arms, ammunition, shot and shell. Orders were also given to expedite the armament and manning several ocean steamers, both home and abroad, as auxiliaries to the royal navy.

Upon the arrival at Regina, Can., on the 24th of the train conveying Reil he was immediately taken to the barracks. The original destination was Winnipeg, but orders by telegraph met Captain Young at Moose Jaw to hand his prisoner over to the police authorities at Regina and await orders. Reil is well, but showed some nervousness at being handed over to the police. He does not talk much.

LATER NEWS.

THE scale conference of the iron manufacturers and the Amalgamated Association, which has been in session at Pittsburgh several days, adjourned on the 25th without having reached a settlement. The result causes much surprise, as it was thought the proposition of the Amalgamated Association to accept a ten per cent. reduction would meet with the approval of the manufacturers. The latter, however, demanded other concessions which the iron workers refused to grant, and the conference broke up. A general strike on the 1st of June now seems inevitable. If the mills close down 100,000 men will be thrown out of employment.

SECRETARY ENDICOTT on the 25th sent a dispatch to Generals Scofield and Pope, commanding the divisions of the Missouri and Pacific, respectively, directing them to co-operate with General Crook, who is in Arizona, for the purpose of suppressing Indian outbreaks in Arizona and New Mexico. The Secretary, in his telegram, says: "These outrages must be stopped in the shortest time possible, and every precaution taken to prevent their recurrence in the future."

THE Coroner's jury in the inquest over the lives lost at the factory fire at Brooklyn, N. Y., brought in a verdict on the 25th censuring George W. Abbott, the agent; John McDermott, the carpenter; Frank Miller, the house mover, and Peter Watger, the mason, for not taking the necessary precautions to avoid the disaster.

RATHBONE, JARD & CO. discharged 170 of their employes in the stove foundry on the 25th and then shut down their works. The men objected to the Berkshire system, and after a consultation each molder agreed to discharge his "berk" or helper. The shops were then opened without helpers and the firm thereupon discharged the molders.

THE custom house officials at Montreal seized $80,000 worth of patent medicines on the 25th, imported by J. C. Ayer & Company, of Lowell, Mass., and entered there. It is alleged, under its value at the place of shipment. More extensive seizures are stated to be on the tapis.

IN the libel suit of Mrs. E. C. Bradley against Cramer, Aiken & Cramer, of the Milwaukee *Evening Wisconsin,* tried at Kenosha, on the 25th, the jury rendered a verdict of $5,000 for the plaintiff.

IN the bicycle race at Charlotte, N. C., on the 25th John Prince, of Washington, D. C., ran against Owen Ward's record of 2:39 and lowered it to 2:35½.

JIM CONNOR, a boy aged fifteen years, was up before the court at Owensburg, Ky., on the 25th charged with carrying deadly weapons. His mother was present to defend him. The Judge made a proposition that if she would openly flog him with a cow-hide he would dismiss the case, and the mother consented. A cow-hide was sent for, and the woman stripped the boy to the waist, marched him to the center of the room and proceeded to give him an unmerciful thrashing in the presence of a large audience.

All Sorts of
hurts and many sorts of ails of man and beast need a cooling lotion. Mustang Liniment.

ESTATE OF TIMOTHY DEUEL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Timothy Deuel, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Alva Parker, an alleged creditor of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to petitioner or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. May9

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D., late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
may21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 18th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 30, 1885.

JOHN G. BOYD,
WILLIAM B. SWICK,
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Tarvell	6 54 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 12 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	7 05 "
Toledo	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Detroit	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....
Windsor			.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Windsor			.....
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 26	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	2 30	8 25	2 30	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 38	
Makesley	2 50	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	3 22	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	3 31	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	4 12	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	4 13	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	4 43	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	4 52	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 33	9 06
Delrey	5 48	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 10	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 01	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.	8 53	1 15	Pulaski	2 59	7 59	P. M.
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 32	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
6 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
7 27	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
8 06		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 24		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 55
8 32		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 10		5 25
10 10		5 16	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
H 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
H 23		6 35	Berrysburg	8 50		2 00
H 35		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A	L	A. M.	

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A GOOD COOK.

How a Gentleman Arose Early and Surprised his Wife.

Early at morning Colonel Harvey Bascom awoke and lay for a time in the contemplation of his coming day's work. He remembered that the cook had gone away on an excursion and that during her absence the culinary work would devolve upon Mrs. Bascom.

"I used to be a first-rate cook when I was a boy," the Colonel mused. "Believe I'll quietly slip out and get breakfast. When she awakes and finds everything ready, she'll feel that a great burden has been lifted from her shoulders, for she does hate to cook. Well, I don't blame her any. If I couldn't cook any better than she can I would hate it, too."

The Colonel quietly slipped out and kindled a fire in the kitchen stove. He was not like old Darby. He did not get his hands stuck up with dough, neither did he allow a pig to come in and upset the churn, but with smoothly working system, he prepared breakfast.

"Come, Mary," said the Colonel, entering his wife's room. "Come, it is time to get up."

"Oh, dear," yawned Mrs. Bascom. "I do hate to go out into that old kitchen."

The Colonel laughed. "Why, Mary," said he, while his face beamed brightly, "breakfast is all ready."

"What, has the cook come back?"

"No; I got breakfast myself."

"You did?"

"I did."

"I didn't know that you could cook."

"I knew it. Hustle on your clothes and come on. I must be getting down town."

When they entered the dining-room, Mrs. Bascom was amazed. A steaming dish of scrambled eggs, occupying a central position, was attractive; and, as an allurement to the feast, a broiled steak filled the air.

"You are the smartest thing I ever saw," Mrs. Bascom declared.

The Colonel was pleased. He was tickled. The sounds of praise fell with sweet cadence upon his ears. He turned to a wash basin and was bathing his face when Mrs. Bascom, in a tone of alarm said:

"Look here, didn't you wash your face and hands before you got breakfast?"

"Of course I did, Mary."

Of course he did not, but it would not do to acknowledge the omission.

"Colonel, I don't believe you did."

"Mary, now why do you want to dispute my word?"

"But if you washed your hands once this morning, why do you wash again? I have never before known you to be so particular."

"Well, that's all right. Let's not argue about it. I may not waste as much water as some people do, but I have never been arrested by the sanitary policeman."

"I never did have any confidence in the cleanliness of a man. You wouldn't put on a clean shirt more than once in two weeks if I didn't keep nagging at you."

"That's got nothing to do with this breakfast. I don't know that I ever cooked one of my shirts. Help yourself."

Mrs. Bascom was not thoroughly satisfied. She never questioned the sanitary condition of the negro cook, although the cook was as black and greasy as a primitive wash pot, but woman-like, and very naturally, too, she suspected the Colonel.

"This is what I call coffee, Mary. The man who beats me making coffee must get out of bed before the roosters begin to crow, and even, then, if he don't mind, I'll stay up all night and beat him anyhow."

Mrs. Bascom helped herself to a spoonful of egg. "I know these eggs are good for I broke them in the pan last night. In the matter of eggs, I risk no judgment but my own. Bah! my goodness, Colonel."

"What's the matter?"

"What did you do to the eggs?"

"Cooked them. Of course you have to find fault." He took a mouthful of egg. His jaw dropped. "They do taste sorter curious," he admitted.

"What did you fry them in?"

"Bacon grease."

"Where did you get it?"

"In the jar under the cupboard."

"Wook! you've cooked them in soft soap."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

AN EMPRESS IN GUM BOOTS.

Her Investigation of the Grievances of Her Subjects.

The details of the peculiar pilgrimage of the Empress of Austria have just been made public, and have created much amusement mixed with admiration for the royal lady.

It has long been the custom of the reigning house of Austria to imitate the doings of the Caliph of Bagdad at the beginning of the Lenten season. The custom gives the royal rulers an opportunity, which they would not otherwise have, of mingling among their subjects without being known, of listening to their complaints, and getting an insight to their grievances.

This year the handsome and popular Empress disguised herself in an old suit and a pair of gum boots belonging to one of the palace washerwomen. Her valuable jewelry was left at home, and she slept with her hands in a pail of water for two nights in order to give them a rough appearance. Her maids of honor did not recognize the Empress as she pulled the cloak of her waterproof over head, and walked down the back stairs.

The Empress took her way to the poorest quarter of the city, where the tumble-down shanties and big tenements are jumbled together.

In front of No. 18 Strasse de Ravenna a pretty girl stood crying bitterly. She looked up as the Empress approached, and eyed her curiously.

"What is the matter, my dear?" exclaimed the Empress. "Tell me what troubles you, and I will remedy it if it be in my power."

"I want a pair of roller skates," sobbed Beatrice Vincenzo. "Olivette Murphario has a pair of nickel-plated ones and she has taken all my beaux away from me."

The Empress promised to see that Miss Vincenzo got the skates and made a note of it in her diary.

Crossing over to that part of the city whose residents spent their time tearing up the pavements, putting them down again, and voting for the Commissioner of Public Works, the Empress walked up several flights of stairs in a tall tenement. Hearing a woman crying in a small room she opened the door and walked in.

"My daughter has run off with an organ grinder," exclaimed the weeping woman, "and our family will never get over the shock. We are rag-pickers, and I never imagined after the way I brought that girl up that she would disgrace her family by marrying beneath our circle."

The Empress tried to comfort her, and at length promised to give her anything within reason that she might ask for. After thinking for some time the afflicted mother replied:

"I'd like to have a pair of those eighteen-cent vases at Schmidt's. They are a job lot and dirt cheap."

They were sent to her next day by the Empress.

A big man in his shirt-sleeves sat on the curb-stone in a dejected manner opposite the Castle Spinola. Tears from his eyes flooded the gutter, and his throbs threatened to shake him apart. Touched by the man's apparent misery the Empress approached him and said:

"What troubles you, sir?"

"I want to get on the police force, but the Commissioners say that I'm too thin," said the man. "I can only strike a two hundred-pound blow, and they want a man who can kill with one crack of the club."

Once more the Empress promised to use her influence. That evening she started for Niantica, a small village about forty miles from Vienna, where a great number of workmen are employed in the macaroni works.

The Empress walked until almost exhausted. The sight of a mile-post marked "Niantica, thirty miles," discouraged her, and she boarded a Blueline street-car and returned to the palace.

The Empress is greatly impressed with the knowledge of the every-day life of her subjects which she has acquired, and proposes to write a book dealing with her adventures while journeying around incog.—*N. Y. Morning Journal.*

BLACK SILK DRESSES.

A Description Which Will Serve as a Model for Amateurs.

A handsome dress that will serve as a model for other black silk dresses is of black Sicilienne, with the front and side breadths falling quite plain, like panels, while on each side is a deep plaited fan with narrow jetted galloon run on the edge of each plait; wider galloon borders the panels. Above this is a short crossed drapery of the Sicilienne, while the back hangs long and straight to the foot. The basque is pointed, short, and without plaits; a V of the wide galloon trims it in front and back, and a large bow with sash ends falls on the tournure, being set on the back just below the waist line. A more elegant black dress is of Bengaline, with velvet for the vest, and a single deep fall of black bison lace gathered under the short front and side drapery, and covering the foundation skirt. The basque has a narrow vest, all in one piece of velvet, with a row of jet buttons each side, and laced across with silk cords. The high collar has velvet in front of it the width of the top of the vest, and the velvet cuff has lace laid in folds above it. The Bengaline drapery is a twisted scarf above the deep lace fall in front, while the back is in two pointed wings that have three wide plaited flounces between. Other black dresses combine watered silk with a Bengaline over-dress, using it for the front of the skirt entirely, or else with merely a front and back breadth. For summer there are very pretty dresses of black surah, with a fan apron edged with wide lace, and some ruffles of lace or of surah at the foot, or else the skirt and over-skirt are made of stripes of satin and moire, while the basque is of plain surah; the latter is an economical dress, as it does not require lace for trimming. Very rich black dresses for summer are made of China crape embroidered or brocaded for the skirt, while the over-dress is made of lace, either entirely of piece lace or else of lace flounces formed into lengthwise stripes that alternate with bands of plain crape or of watered silk. These crape and lace dresses take the place of the brocaded grenadines formerly used, while beaded grenadine is now employed as parts of combination black dresses. The beaded grenadine basque and front breadths are preferred to the velvet figured grenadines of last year, and these dresses usually have a mantle of the same to go with them.—*Harper's Bazar.*

TREE HOUSES.

A Style of Architecture Suited to the Wants of South Pacific Islanders.

The readers of the "Swiss Family Robinson" will remember the famous tree discovered by the children, which was so ingeniously turned into a comfortable home, and a refuge from all possible enemies. Many a boy has thought:

"I would like to have such a home and shelter, but, of course, it is all a fiction, invented to keep up the interest of the story."

A recent traveler among the islands of the South Pacific, however, says that this style of house is common among the natives. Trees grow there to the height of a hundred feet without a branch, and are then full of large boughs and dense leaves. The natives build houses large enough to accommodate ten or twelve inmates, and stock them with provisions, and with stones and other weapons of defense.

To reach the lower branches from the ground, they make long ladders of creeping vines, which are fastened securely at the top, and may be drawn up quickly at notice of coming danger. They do not usually live in the treehouses, but in huts on the ground. When invaders come from the neighboring islands, they retreat to their lofty homes, where they are secure from danger.—*Youth's Companion.*

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville ....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 20	1 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 47PM	6 47PM	.....
Valley Junc Lv	3 30		3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 06	6 00AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	6 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta ..Lv	6 00AM	2 40PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	6 55	3 58		
New Comerst'n	10 20	6 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sherrodsville				45AM
New Cumberl'd				6 05
Valley Junc	12 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillion	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston ....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo ....Ar	5 45AM		1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	8 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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VICTOR MARIE HUGO

Victor Marie Hugo, one of the greatest writers of the present century, [illegible] was born at the little village of Besançon, on the Rhone Canal, Feb. 26th 1802. His father was an officer of the French Army, whose duties led him a somewhat nomadic life, and the young Victor thus visited Elba, Corsica, Switzerland and Italy before he had reached his teens. In 1809 he was taken to Paris, and under the supervision of his mother began his education. This continued for two years, when in 1811 his father was ordered to Madrid, and young Hugo followed, returning however in 1812. In 1817 he finished his first poem, and from 1819 to 1821 succeeded in carrying off three first prizes for poetry and essays. In 1822 his first volume of poems appeared, and from this time [illegible] such a reputation that he was granted an audience by the King of France. In 1827 his Marion Delorme was prohibited from the stage and created a great sensation. The novels and essays from his pen were also received with the greatest enthusiasm. In 1841 he was received into the Academy, a place for that every French writer is desirous of obtaining. In 1847 Hugo was made a peer by Louis Philippe. He was sent as a deputy to the Constituent Assembly during the Revolution of 1848 and voted with the Conservatives. In 1851 he was one of those who vainly attempted to assert the rights of the assembly, and to preserve the Constitution. For [illegible] in this affair he was exiled and fled to the Island of Jersey in the British Channel. After the fall of the Empire he returned to Paris, and in 1871 was elected to represent the Department of the Seine in the National Assembly. His works have been translated into all of the civilized languages and are known to all classes. In spite of his years he is still hale and hearty, he eats well and drinks well, and his only infirmity is deafness. Hugo himself will tell you that he is stone deaf, but his friends maintain that he is only hard of hearing. On Thursdays and Sundays, which are reception days, the poet goes to bed about ten o'clock, at other times he retires at half past nine, and in the morning he works in bed, and rises about ten. He breakfasts lightly, walks, and in spite of the supplications of his family, he occasionally indulges in his old distraction of riding on the knife-board of a 'bus. Whatever the weather, Victor Hugo obstinately refuses to wear an overcoat, and bad as he is he persists in abundant cold water ablutions, but he no longer takes his 'tub' as he used to do during the siege of Paris, when he was staying with his old friend, Paul Maurice, after his return from exile, and when he used to break the ice with his heel on cold mornings. His attendance at the Senate is less regular than formerly, but whenever Cesare Corman writes to him to say that he must come to vote, he never fails, and whenever there is an election at the Academy he is always there. Victor Hugo still works, but of course not very much; he has his bolster and pillow placed at the foot of his bed, so as to receive the light directly from the window, and pencil in hand, passes an hour or two every morning in classifying and correcting his unpublished works in prose and verse. He has in manuscript half a dozen plays, several volumes of verse, and two volumes of philosophy which will be published after his death. The plays have never been produced on the stage, because since his exile he has decided never to expose himself to the hisses of an enemy.

Since the above was in type the cable news comes across the ocean that this great author has suddenly passed to his eternal reward.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Council Room, May 18, 1885.

Regular session. Present, Messrs. Beesle, Bills and the Recorder.

There being no [illegible] run the council adjourned until May 21st, at 7:30 P.M.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Council Room, May, 21, 1885.

Adjourned session. Present entire Council except Messrs. Adams and Marsden.

Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Finance Committee reported the following estimates of expenses for the ensuing year:

Street Commissioner, $400; Lamp-lighting, $460; Teamster, $400; Board and keeping team, $156; Blacksmithing, $25; Coal, $56; Lumber, $400; Oil, $125; Marshal, $225; Nightwatch, $200; Attorney, $15; Recorder, $75; Treasurer, $25; Sexton, $400; Sundries, $1200; Total, $4102.

Report accepted and adopted.

Chairman of Fire committee reported verbally for minority of committee recommending that adjoining land on East and North of the council building to give ample room for engine and hose-cart, to build new cells, provide a suitable room for the fire department, build a barn for team and sheds for corporation tools, and that one or more 1000 barrel cisterns be provided for additional water supply; that such land could be purchased, improvements in the building made and new barn and sheds be built for a cost not to exceed two thousand dollars; and that a 1000 barrel cistern could be made for three hundred dollars.

Minority report of fire committee made verbally by Mr. Bills recommending that Mr. Baird, a competent engineer be employed at an expense not to exceed fifty dollars, to make accurate estimates of the expense and practicability of different water supply cisterns, in accordance with authority heretofore given the fire committee, with the view of the adoption by the Village of the Holly, or some equally efficient, water works.

On motion of Mr. Hall the majority report of fire committee was accepted and Three Thousand Dollars appropriated to buy additional land, to build and furnish a suitable place to keep the team, engine and fire apparatus and the same to include building of cisterns in accordance with said report.

Fire Committee further reported favorably upon the petition of C. M. Adams to remove her present dwelling to the north side of her lot and erect a new frame dwelling upon said premises.

Report accepted and adopted and petition granted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Recorder reported that he had received bids from both the Tecumseh Herald and Tecumseh News to print the Council proceedings for ensuing year for sum of twenty dollars.

Report and both bids accepted.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

N. M. Sutton made application for annual license at sum of fifteen dollars for the Tecumseh Hall Association to date Jan'y 7, 1885, that being date of expiration of license for preceding year.

On motion said license was granted.

A. P. Lee made application for right to tap main water pipe in Chicago street, and draw water therefrom for the Patterson House. On motion the application was refused for want of sufficient water supply.

C. E. Williamson made application for leave to erect a shed upon his premises within fire limits. Wm. De Mott appeared and opposed the granting of the application. On motion the same was referred to fire committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committee:

E. A. Tribou, services as assessor and making assessment rolls	$49 50
W. C. Jordan, freight	1 80
M. L. Wilcox, oil	21 49
Wm. Ide, street work	11 25
Dell Hubbard "	10 50
James O'Riley "	10 00
C. Brunson "	11 25
W. H. Ames "	10 00
Wm. Brown "	11 25
A. Packard "	6 25
Dell Page "	6 87
W. Smith "	3 75
Jno. Hubbard "	4 37
Jas. McWilliams "	3 12

The Drug Bond of Dr. Geo. Ferguson was presented and on motion declared approved and sufficient.

On motion the street commissioner was instructed to exchange the wheels upon the wagon now in use for others having wide tires on best terms possible.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Finance Committee reported favorably upon the following bills.

E. A. Tribou $49 50; W. C. Jordan $1 60; Wm Ide $11 25; Dell Hubbard $10 50; C. Brunson 11 25; W. H. Ames $10; A. Packard $6 25; Dell Page $6 87; Jas. Hubbard $4 37; Jas. McWilliams $3 12; M. L. Wilcox $21 49; Jas. O'Riley $10; Wm. Brown $11 25; W. Smith $3 75.

Accepted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts.

On motion the Council then adjourned.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

The Adrian District Sunday School Institute will be held at the M. E. church in this village on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 9th and 10th. We give the program which has been arranged for the occasion. A large and interesting meeting is confidently expected.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9.

2:00 P. M. Devotional Service—Rev. Wm. J. Campbell, Presiding Elder.

2:30 P. M. Opening Words—Dr. R. B. House, Tecumseh.

Response—Dr. J. M. Segur, Adrian.

3:00 P. M. How to Successfully Interest a S. S. class—Rev. R. B. Pope, Ann Arbor.

3:30 P. M. Sunday School experience meeting for officers, teachers, pastors and parents.

7:30 P. M. Opening Exercises—Rev. J. L. Hudson, Hudson.

7:45 P. M. Childhood Piety—Rev. John Wilson, Adrian.

Discussion, opened by Rev. E. A. Bray, Blissfield.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10.

9:00 A. M. Opening Exercises—Rev. J. M. Kerridge, Clinton.

9:15 A. M. The relation of the Sunday school to the church—Rev. J. G. Morgan, Morenci.

Discussion, opened by Rev. J. A. Mc Elwain, Chelsea.

10:00 A. M. Our Centennial Offerings—Rev. D. R. Shier, Manchester.

Discussion, opened by Rev. R. Woodhams, Grass Lake.

10:45 A. M. Temperance work in the Sunday school—Rev. D. B. Millar, Carlton.

Discussion, opened by Rev. W. J. Clack, Ridgeway.

11:30 A. M. Business Meeting.

2:00 P. M. Opening Exercises—Rev. H. W. Wright, Dundee.

2:15 P. M. Teachers' Meetings and Teacher's preparation—Horace Hitchcock, Esq., Superintendent Central M. E. Sunday School, Detroit.

Discussion, opened by Rev. W. H. Bentley, Saline.

3:15 P. M. Catechumen classes—Rev. C. M. Cobern, Monroe.

Discussion, opened by Rev. E. P. Pierce, Augusta.

7:30 P. M. Opening Exercises—Rev. O. F. Winton, Milan.

7:45 P. M. Lecture.

N. B.—The committee have written to an eminent lecturer to know if he can serve us on Wednesday evening. If not some other prominent man will be secured and announced in due time.

Ministers and their wives, and all Sunday school workers are cordially invited to attend.

Let Adrian District make this a Grand Rally for the Sunday school cause.

Those who intend to be present will confer a favor by writing a postal card to REV. GEO. W. HUDSON, Tecumseh, Mich.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, May 26, 1885:

Boly, James A. — Martin Fred
McClellan, John Mrs. — O'Brien, Peter
Wilkins, Lewis

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

MARRIED.

TANSLEY—KINNEY—In Tecumseh, Wednesday, May 27, 1885, by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Mr. Geo. H. Tansley and Miss Alma F. Kinney both of Tecumseh.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, per barrel	1 25 @ 2 00
Apples, dried, ⅌ lb	03 @ 03
Butter, ⅌ lb	12 @ 15
Eggs, ⅌ dozen	09 @ 09
Beans, ⅌ bushel	85 @ 1 25
Buckwheat, per bush	50 @ 60
Buckwheat flour, ⅌ hundred	2 00 @ 3 00
Beef—dressed, ⅌ hundred	5 00 @ 6 00
Beef, Hides	5 @ 6
Calf Skins, ⅌ lb	8 @ 10
Corn, per bush	25 @ 30
Corn—shelled, ⅌ bushel	@ 35
Clover Seed	5 50 @ 6 00
Chickens—dressed	@ 12
Eggs, ⅌ doz	@ 12
Flour, ⅌ barrel	5 50 @ 6 50
Hogs—dressed, per cwt	5 00 @ 5 50
Hogs—live, ⅌ cwt	3 50 @ 3 75
Hay, ⅌ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ⅌ lb	@ 14
Ham, ⅌ lb	@ 12
Lard, ⅌ lb	@ 12
Oats, ⅌ bushel	31 @ 35
Onions, ⅌ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes, ⅌ bushel	47 @ 50
Salt, ⅌ barrel	@ 1 75
Sheepskins	50 @ 60
Timothy Seed, ⅌ bushel	@ 2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ⅌ lb	@ 12
Wood, ⅌ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White	82 @ 83
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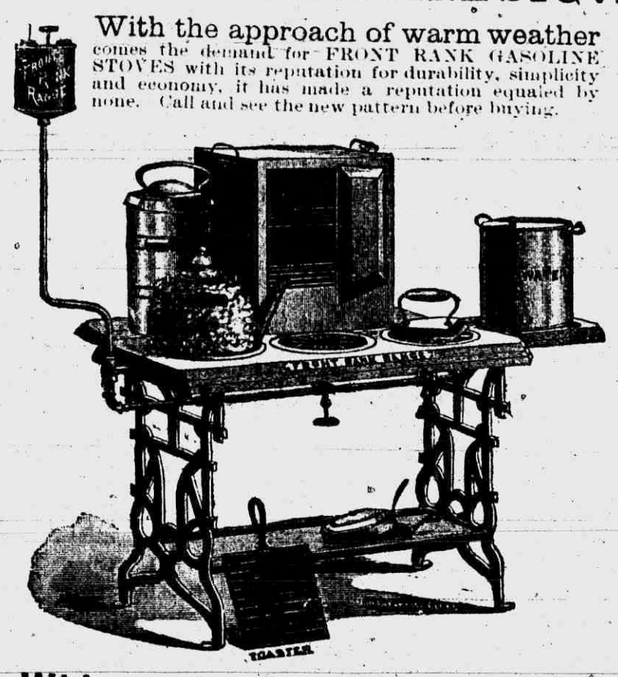

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. George Rowland who has been visiting Mrs. F. D. Lancaster returned to her home in Albion, last Saturday.

Mrs. Emily Wally, who has been a guest of Mrs. E. R. Smith, left Clinton for Elkhart, Ind., last Tuesday.

Mrs. John T. Clark and daughter went to Blissfield Saturday for a two weeks visit.

Mrs. E. R. Smith entertained a large number of friends at her home last Monday evening.

Chas. Fisk of Detroit was in town last week.

Mr. John Brooks returned to St. Ignace, last Saturday.

Mrs Kate Strait of Jackson, is a guest of Mrs. E. VanDeMark.

Mrs. Jane Westfall of Hillsdale, is visiting at A. B. VanDeMark's.

John Vaughn and Frank Fish left here last week for Newton, Iowa, intending to stop off at Albion over Sunday.

Several Masons went from here to Manchester last Sunday, to assist in decorating the Mason's graves at that place. Masonic decoration will take place here on the 24th of June.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Safford of Flint, left Clinton Tuesday for Whitmore Lake.

Notwithstanding the bad weather, decoration day was observed here just as had been planned, with the exception of the speaking and music, which took place at the Town Hall instead of in the Cemetery where a temporary stage had been erected. The flowers were all beautiful, especially the crosses made by Mrs. Alonzo Clark. A number of persons went from here to Tecumseh in the afternoon.

The Episcopal social held last Thursday evening at Mrs. Laura VanDeMark's was largely attended and enjoyed by all present. The music furnished by Mrs. Jo. St. John, Miss Lizzie Brooks, Miss Nellie Kishpaugh, and Mrs. Franc Graham was excellent.

A large number of "Reunionsts" visited the High School Thursday forenoon, and entertained themselves and the pupils of the present time, by hunting up their old seats, telling anecdotes of their school days, ringing the old bell, and taking possession of the whole building. A happier lot of people than the ones who have taken part in this reunion would be very hard to find. The enjoyment and satisfaction expressed by those who came from abroad, more than repays the old pupils here, who have worked so hard for the last few weeks in making arrangements for this occasion.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Some hail with the rain Sunday.

Misses Satie and Minta Jackson, of Pennington's Corners, visited friends here Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Temple visited friends in Laseli the past week.

W. H. Arner was on the sick list for a few days.

Mr. Herring moved on to Samuel Rappleye's farm west of the village Saturday.

Dr. D. W. Loree's hay baling gang baled 5¼ tons in two hours and thirty-five minutes, at Irve Osborne's barn on the prairie.

Mrs. Dan Allen spent a few days at Jerome with her son Frank Allen, who is agent there.

Sidney Clarkson, of Ann Arbor, and Eugene Clarkson of Detroit, made there father, Mr. John Clarkson, and family a visit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Collar, of Adrian, spent the Sabbath at Mrs. Louis Miller's.

During the heavy thunder storm Friday night, Mr. John Pattison had a sheep, two lambs and a yearling colt killed by lightning.

On Saturday at the appointed hour the Britton band met G. A. R. Post, No. 222, from Britton at the depot as the train arrived, and at half past twelve the procession formed at the corner of Church and Chicago streets in the following order:

Britton Band.
G. A. R. Post.
Christian S. S. of Britton.
M. E. S. S. of our village.
R. L. S. Choir.
Citizens in carriages.

The procession proceeded in line of march up Chicago st., to Cemetery st., thence to the cemetery, where the memorial exercises were carried out successfully.

Music—Britton Band.
Song—"Scatter Flowers"—R. L. S. Choir.
Distributing flowers by the Post.
Solo—"Cover them over with flowers"—Mrs. James Haight.

At the first grave decorated, the band played a dirge as the Post proceeded with the decorating services.

Address of Welcome by the Commander of the Post.
Prayer—Rev. James Wright.
Song—"Beautiful Flag of Liberty"—R. L. S. Choir.
Oration—Rev. James Wright.
Song—"America"—By all.
Music—Band.
Benediction—Rev. Peter Sharp.

After which the returning line of march was taken to the village, when all departed for their several homes well pleased with the first Memorial services ever held in our cemetery.

On Friday morning May 29, at four o'clock, Mrs Edith Griffin's spirit took its flight after a sickness of a few months, with that slow but sure disease, consumption. The funeral services were held at the residence of her father, Mr. Fred Morrell, where her last days were spent. Everything that a father could do was done for his daughter. She was a noble wife and an obedient loving daughter. She leaves a large circle of friends who mourn their loss. The Rev. Jas. Wright officiated.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Instead of the long procession of carriages wending toward Napoleon Decoration Day, a driving rain flooded deserted streets, and few people ventured beyond doors until afternoon, but brought no word of those who being nearer the base of operations were safe from drench, while listening to battles fought in memory. Extra preparation had been made to honor the fallen, but disappointment is the result known to date.

The soldiers' home inquiry meeting is shrouded in silence yet awhile, the only item made public being that the call was not slighted. It is possible that opposition to the state's acceptance of Mr. Cook's gift will be manifested in many ways by those whose interests are anchored to cities, but it happens to be a case where slight is no disgrace, and as the scheme blossoms with the new regime, it will be comical diplomacy to refuse a life long democrat the privilege of planting a commemorative sprig of laurel for a sheltering banyan irrespective of party prejudice.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

Jas. H. Breese is employed by the day under the new administration of affairs at the mill.

Mrs. Nelia Wood has been quite sick for some time but is able to be out again.

F. A. Groger has purchased the lot joining T. H. Mosher's, of Mrs. R. L. Osborn and expects to put up a dwelling some time during the season.

Mr. Thomas Green, W. H. Smith's brother-in-law has returned from N. Y. city and thinks of making Michigan his future home.

H. Monagan is delivering the road warrants this week.

Amount of Primary School moneys belonging to Cambridge, in treasurer Hoag's hands is $414.00. Library $9.39. The following new books were added to the library last Tuesday: Young Girls Wooing, Without A Home Shadowed to Europe, Romola, Daniel Deronda, Mill on the Floss, Michigan Pioneer Col., The Gilded Clique, Wit, Humor and Pathos, Loy's Lord Bereseford, Other People's Money.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Our city is improving slowly but surely. The drug store has lately received a coat of paint, inside and out, and now Kelley, Hoxsie & Co. are painting their store, which makes a decided improvement in appearance. We are also in the enjoyment of over twenty feet of sidewalk in front of the post office. May the good work go on.

A colt belonging to Chester Clark got tangled up in some barbed wire one day last week and was nearly skinned alive. We think it about time to pulverize this barbed wire business. Observation leads us to believe that it destroys more horses every year than it amounts to, besides it makes an unsightly fence, and is about as near a nuisance as anything we know of. Will our legal editor please inform us if there is any law against its use as a line or road fence.

Warren Holdridge says he has got the best colt in Raisin and it does seem as though a fellow's word ought to be good for that much. Here are the figures. It weighed, the day it was one year old, eight hundred and forty pounds, is fifteen hands one and one half inches high, bright bay in color, and as lively as a red squirrel. Next.

Mrs. Frink rode out on Sunday, which was something of a treat after a couple of months housing.

Al Macham is plastering his house and says it is just fun to live in a house and build it over one's head.

J. S. Gilman is a better man than we took him to be. A man drove across his garden the other day with two horses and a wagon and the old gent says he never swore once.

THE CLINTON REUNION.

We are permitted to print herewith the essays of Mrs. Bigelow and Mrs. Wheedon, delivered at the Clinton Reunion, and which we were compelled to omit last week. The poem by A. H. Snow, of Winona, Minn., was a fine production, and was certainly one of the very best features of the entire program. Dr. House's valedictory was also worthy of the man and the occasion. As they were both quite lengthy however, we are reluctantly compelled to forego their publication.

Several more letters of regret have been received which did not appear in last week's list and which are appended below.

Mason Lazell, Caro, Mich.
Mrs. Annette Lebaron Lazell, Caro.
Mrs. Maria Kilby, San Miguel, Cal.
Mrs Mary Beeding Davis.
Mrs. Mary Clark Baker, Grand Crossing, Ill.
Walter Plumb, Ada, Mich.
Cynthia Benjamin Plumb, Ada, M.
Priscilla Cumming VanAntwerp, Jackson, Mich.
Lizzie Roff, Washington, D. C.
Seth Plumb.
Ellen Elmer, Winona, Minn.
John Gillen, Saline, Mich.
Addie Larzelere Ward, Caro Mich.
Emily Potts Grinnell, West Barre, N. Y.
Louisa Warner Hillman, Lyons, M.
Chas. Lewis, Manchester, Mich.
L. R. Mead, Tecumseh, Mich.
Ella Short Lynch, Manchester, M.

MRS. WHEDON'S ESSAY.

"You'd scarce expect one of my age
To speak in public on the stage."

And "when in the course of human events" the fertile minds of these people in Clinton, who conceived the plan of holding this reunion, asked me to read a paper this evening, it occurred to me in accordance with some suggestions received, that a sketch of the actors of the quarter of a century ago, that we are commemorating, would not prove uninteresting. Upon reflection however, I found that I had undertaken a herculean task, far beyond the capacity of my feeble powers. Think of it! A history of the nine teachers who taught the young idea to shoot, and the one hundred and seventy-one who shot. A sketch would produce volumes, and even the history of a very few would have occupied more time than was alloted to me; beside producing heart burnings, and jealousies among the rest of us, who consider our lives so eventful, and full of interest. Who could relate the story of these twenty-two farmers, expatiate upon the fertility of their broad acres, the beauty and convenience of their buildings, the crops they raise, the cows they milk, the horses they drive, the sheep they shear, the swine they butcher, the fowls they keep, and the pin money their wives derive from the sale of eggs and butter? Or dilate upon the beauty, variety, excellence, and unrivalled cheapness of the goods of four dry goods, two clothing and one shoe merchant? Who could give an adequate idea of the business and lives of two hardware and two grocery merchants? Who is able to learn the history of the three lawers? Who would dare to study the history of the three doctors and one druggist? Who could fathom the depths of the lives of the two commission merchants and speculators? Or follow the footsteps of two insurance agents and four commercial travelers? Who could estimate the shaves of one barber, or tell the story of the clerks, the carpenters, the mechanics and the various miscellaneous employments which the boys of twenty-five years ago are now engaged in? Alas! who would wish to make public the history of our one undertaker! Would any one be rash enough to study the lives of these sixty-five wives? Could any pen portray the beauties, the virtues, precocity of the one hundred and twenty-five children? Or place before you in its lofty heroism a sketch of our two mothers-in law? Where is the historian who would invade the privacies of the lives of fifteen maidens who are enjoying the pleasures of single blessedness, or even ask for the life history of these seven bachelors who are obliged to keep a watchful eye on their own wardrobes, and sew on the missing buttons? We might be permitted to peep into the studios of our two lady artists, but there would be no story to tell of the privations of a clergyman, or the harassing struggles of an editor. Who is sufficient for these things? Not I, and the heart-rending thought forced itself upon my mind that to the world at large the knowledge of this remarkable corps of teachers and pupils will go down into oblivion unknown, unhonored, unwritten in the annals of history. But let us console ourselves with this reflection: we know we appreciate our teachers and ourselves, we know there are here many mute "inglorious Miltons" who only have lacked the opportunity to develop the wonderful talents that are latent.

"Many a flower is born to blush unseen" and we fear our great abilities will never be acknowledged by the world outside of our circle. We have experienced many joys, many sorrows, the sunshine of prosperity has made bright our pathway, and the clouds of adversity have sometimes obscured it. To each life has come a proportion of tragedy and comedy which must remain intact. "The heart knoweth its own bitterness, and a stranger intermeddleth not with its joy. A very large proportion of the scholars of the Clinton Union School, under the immediate tutelage of Prof. and Mrs. Williams from Jan. 1st, 1859 to April 1863 are living and most of them have responded to the invitation to be present today. The list as far as known comprises one hundred and seventy-two names. Of these there are four of whom we can learn no tidings. Twenty-six have passed life's portals and entered upon the great beyond. The nine teachers who were connected with the school during those years are still living, and those who are not with us have sent greeting, except two.

Historians generally concede that the age in which a nation lives exerts a marked influence upon that nation and to obtain a correct knowledge of a people one must learn something of the spirit of their times. I reverse that order, and will endeavor to show to you what progress the world has made by our living in these days. Who shall say we have not done great things, or at least that great events have marked the history of the past twenty-five years? Do you suppose any previous age could have made such rapid strides? Did ever a Darwin arise to promulgate the theory of evolution, and the origin of the species, that our first progenitors were monkeys until we had arrived upon the stage of action? Has not the system of telegraphy been perfected, and continents that are separated by vast oceans become practically neighbors by the use of the submarine Cable? Did man ever learn to annihilate space for the range of the human voice? Was the telephone ever dreamed of until in our time? Franklin indeed chained the forked lightnings, but it remained for an Edison and his contemporaries to turn night into day by the use of the electric light. Is it not in our remembrance that our fathers mowed their hay and reaped their grain with the scythe and cradle instead of the mowers and self-binders that do the work of their sons? Our fathers walked behind their plows; the fathers of to-day ride on their silky plows. Our fathers raked their hay with wooden rakes, and mowed it into their barns with a two-tined pitchfork. The horse rake and horse pitch fork make that work much easier and more quickly done by their sons. The silhouetts and daguereotypes of a half century ago are replaced by the photograph and by the instantaneous process of to-day; even the baby's lineaments may be copied during the brief intervals of crying between colic and teething. Our grandmothers plied their needles with busy fingers, and sewed the long seams with patient labor. With the exercise of hands and feet their grand daughters make the sewing-machine not only sew the seams, but stitch, tuck and ruffle in the same length of time. The long winter evenings of our grandmothers were spent in knitting and before they had had time to locate the seam stitch, our stockings will be completed and ready to be shaped by the feet that wear them, and our evenings may be spent in the facinating exercise of roller-skating. O! the changes! The new things and new ways of making the old things. The children of the former time are young men and ladies now and are wiser in their generation than were their parents at double their ages. You cannot fail to perceive what a mighty power we have exerted. What blessings we bestow upon prosterity. We are a wonderful, remarkable class. Let us not depreciate or underate our abilities. The realization of what we are, and what our children may be fill our minds with thoughts too deep for utterance. It is well I did not bring this subject to your consideration in the fore part of our meeting, as we might have been so elated that we could not have done justice to the banquet provided for us by our generous hosts and hostesses of the day. It is best to meditate upon our greatness with full stomachs. We cannot always take as sublime and correct views of life before supper as afterward you know. I might bring to your remembrance the changes in ourselves as well as the times but I forbear to weary you. We are going over the hill of life, dear friends, and look back with fond memories to our happy school days. Perhaps there were some we thought tiresome but those are long ago forgotten. We only think of the fun and good times we had together. They are gone and the hopes and anticipations of youth, we are now living again in our children. Thus history repeats itself. I hope the committee of arrangements for the reunion of 1910 will exercise more discrimination in selecting a historian than did the one of 1885, but they will not find one who desires to paint your history in more glowing and lasting colors, or who holds the members of this reunion in more affectionate remembrance.

"There is no time like the old time
When you and I were young,
When the buds of April blossomed,
And the birds of Spring-time sung!
The garden's brightest glories
By summer sun's are nursed,
But oh, the sweet, sweet violets,
The flowers that opened first!

"There is no friend like the old friend,"
Who has shared our morning-days,
No greeting like his welcome,
No homage like his praise.
Fame is the scentless sunflower,
With gaudy crown of gold,
But friendship is the breathing rose,
With sweets in every fold."

"There are no times like the old times—
They shall never be forgot!
There is no place like the old place,
Keep green the dear old spot!
There are no loves like our old loves;
May Heaven prolong their days!
There are no friends like our old friends,
God bless our separate ways."

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The Adrian Record says: Prof. D. A. Hammond has been re-engaged as principal of the Tecumseh union schools. The school board has exercised good jugement in retaining the professor, who is one of the most thorough and efficient teachers in the public schools of the county.

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C. I. HOOD & Co.: Gentlemen— * * * I have had ringworm humor and salt-rheum so badly that my body was covered with raw sores, so, also, my head and face. I have had any number of doctors in the last seven years, and none of them could cure me. One day my mother was in the city of Taunton, and found one of your cook books, and in reading it found many people testifying to cures from the use of your Sarsaparilla and Olive Ointment. I felt forced to try it, although I had seen many things advertised that never did me any good. I have now taken two small bottles and one large one of Sarsaparilla, and used three boxes of Ointment. I now call myself cured. Nothing can be seen of the humor but the dim outlines of the sores. I shall take two more bottles, and then the cure will be complete.

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THE TOMBS BARBER.

What He Says About the Persons Whose Faces He Lathers—Particular Customers.

"Yes, I am the Tombs barber," said Morris Haber, an intelligent young German, who was found in his barber shop on Canal Street by a reporter, "and you are the first newspaper fellow to find me out, although I have held that position for nearly two years. Any other barbers admitted to the prisons? No, sir; I am the only one, and was appointed by the Commissioners of Charities and Correction. Salary? Not any. My earnings consist of what the prisoners give me, except in cases of condemned murderers, and then the Sheriff pays me.

"I am allowed to enter the prison at any time, but usually only go there three days of the week, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. I am now shaving about twenty prisoners a day there, and what I get averages about eight dollars a week. No prisoners are compelled to get shaved, but the greater number who have any spare change always wish to. This is generally the case with those who are about to go into court. They want to make their best appearance before the court and jury, and it has come to be a common saying among them that a clean shave means ten years off their sentence.

"In winter I go there regularly every morning at eight o'clock and in summer at seven o'clock. I carry my razors, scissors, soap and bottles in a small hand-bag, and my hair-clipping machine in a leather case. I generally take five or six razors with me every time. When I get there, the first thing I do is to look over the slate and find the prisoners' names marked with an 'X.' This means that they are the ones who are to go to court. As court always opens at ten o'clock, and as I have learned from experience how much importance is attached to a 'clean shave' by the prisoners with reference to their appearance in the court-room, I always take pains to get through with the 'court cases' early and as soon as possible, even leaving my regular customers there—and I have several—until they are out of the way.

"So I go along each row of cells the first thing, and I ask each prisoner whether he wants a shave or not. Sometimes I find a great many who do, and then it is lively work, for I have to shave them in their cells, and there are no chairs in them for the men to sit on, consequently I have to shave them sitting on the edge of their narrow beds. In each case the keeper locks me in with the prisoner, and I have to call his attention by knocking on the door when I am done and want to get out.

"I have never had a prisoner molest me or even act rudely to me while at my work there, notwithstanding the fact that the Tombs has an average of from 150 to 200 prisoners all the time, and from all classes of criminals. The prison seems to have a quieting influence on them and they are more polite to me as a rule, in saying their 'good morning,' and 'good day,' than many outsiders. I have never had them ask me to bring them things they are not permitted to have or try to get me to help them to escape or get the best of the keepers. As for the sight of my razors stirring up any desperate thoughts in the minds of any of them, if they have I've never known of it.

"The new prisoners seldom talk to me, and of course I don't ask questions. Naturally, the faces are changing all the time, in the going away of some and coming in of new prisoners. Every now and then some new comer will greet me with a 'how-d'-do,' and I will find that he is an old offender who has been in the Tombs before and remembers me. But they all seem glad to see me, for it makes a little change in their prison life. Those who have been there some time talk more, and sometimes tell me about their cases, but I don't take much interest in the particulars, naturally, though I give the poor fellows all the sympathy I can.

"My oldest customer here? Let me see. It is Conroy, I guess, the policeman condemned to be hung on the charge of murder. He has been in the Tombs about seventeen months, and is now waiting for a new trial, I believe. I have shaved him regularly twice a week since he has been there, and he is one of those who have talked to me about their affairs.

"Another of my regular customers there is Donovan, condemned to imprisonment for life for killing a man with a billiard cue. He is also waiting or trying to get a new trial. He has been there a year. John Carpenter, condemned to be hung for killing his wife, is another of my customers there. He has been in the Tombs eight months, hoping for a new trial.

"People might readily think that those men, knowing that they must stay there so long, and perhaps in prison forever, or be hung, would get careless about their appearance, and let the barber go by. But they don't, and they are as particular to be shaved twice a week as my customers here at the shop. They will take pride in their looks, and as they have frequent visitors, they want to look nice for them, I suppose.

"One of the most particular customers I ever had in there was Rhinelander, the man that was claimed to be insane. He was in a long time, and always paid me extra, but he was very particular to be shaved three times a week, and just so. If I missed a day he would get very angry. Very few, however, pay me extra. They are not lavish with their money when they get in the Tombs, and those who are fortunate enough to have any keep it very close.

"Billy McGlory paid me extra, though, and I found him a very nice man. Another man I thought was pretty nice was Martin, the celebrated counterfeiter. He became blind while in there and was in the hospital. He had a long beard and was very particular to have it trimmed to a hair. Another very particular man was a negro of Spanish descent, a young man condemned for murder. He was always one of the neatest and cleanly-looking men of the whole lot, and he always wanted me to take great pains over him, to fix his hair just right and give him a close shave."—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

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Louisville, Ky.—Mr. J. Helmus, Vice President of the City Brewery, was brought home in a wagon, carried up two pair of stairs by two of his men and laid on the bed. He was suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism contracted in the ice vaults of the brewery. He refused to have a doctor, but dispatched a servant for a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, with the result that in one week he was entirely cured and able to return to his desk.

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It is asserted that about a third of the banking done in the world is done in the British empire.

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C. A. Wright & Co. would specially recommend to the ladies Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. As a laxative they have no equal. They are guaranteed to cure Chronic Constipation, Dyspepsia, and all diseases arising from a deranged stomach. With a free use of the Tablets, Sick Headache is impossible.

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The school children are happy—the circus comes on Saturday.

Mrs. L. L. Bates returned home from a visit to Jackson on Monday.

Gainsley & Co., have a few pointers in a new advertising card this week.

W. A. S. W. Anderson & Co., swing a new advertisement in to-days paper.

J. B. Swan arrived from Florida on Tuesday, and will remain a few days in this vicinity.

Ed Hanlon and Joe Howe captured a fine lot of eel in the Brownville pond last Monday night.

Harry Bartlett and "Jack" Andrews, of Adrian, drove over to Tecumseh Sunday afternoon.

Call at Sparks' and see the Automatic Sewing Machine, single thread, chain stitch. It's a beauty, I tell you.

C. W. Jones, representative of the Northern Ohio Democrat, was in town last Friday and Saturday, looking after the interests of that paper.

The Opera House was well filled last Monday evening to listen to a temperance lecture by Rev. Mr. Ferris. Good vocal music was provided by some of our temperance singers. Mr. Ferris's address was well received, and the meeting was quite a success. We understand that our temperance workers contemplate getting up a series of these meetings.

The Secretary of the State Pioneer Society has issued the following circular.

This Society is desirous of obtaining a copy of all county histories in the State that have been published, and it is believed that there are some persons in each county where such a history has been published who are willing to donate one to the Society as a book of reference for the use of those throughout the State who are fast becoming accustomed to look to this Society for historical information.

It is requested that the person into whose hands this circular may fall will use his best endeavor to find a copy that can be so donated, and any person who can make such a donation is requested to correspond with the undersigned.

GEORGE H. GREENE,
Corresponding Secretary.
Lansing, Mich.

Miss J. A. Hough has been replenishing her millinery rooms with a large and varied assortment of spring goods and now has one of the finest stocks ever displayed in this village. Summer hats of all sizes, styles and shapes, a fine lot of ornamental feathers and a brilliant array of artificial fruits and flowers. These latter are becoming quite fashionable for hat trimmings and when skillfully arranged produce a most pleasing effect. A full assortment of ribbons is kept on hand, and all other et ceteras to constitute a complete millinery stock. Her goods are also marked at figures to suit the present close times. Our young ladies and old ladies also will do well to inspect her goods and prices before making their spring purchases. She has secured the services of two first-class milliners, Miss Allie Warren and Mrs. S. Millard, who will do their best to please.

There travels on the Wabash railroad a train-boy who thought he was very sharp and observing. The other day he sold a couple of nickel cigars to an Adrian man, who often comes to Morenci, and pocketed twenty cents apiece for them. The Adrianite quietly permitted himself to be defrauded, but detemined to bide his time in getting even with the young swindler. It came but a short time after, when, on making one of his usual trips, he was again approached by the train boy, who wished to sell him some more smokers. The Adrian man took three, and, lighting one himself, gave the others to the conductor and brakeman; but said nothing about paying for them. The train boy stood hesitatingly at hand for a few moments, and then suggested that he would like some money. But his customer was indifferent. Pretty soon, after going through the train, he returned to the Adrian man, and said: "Say, mister, are you the fellow that I got twenty cents of apiece for cigars? Well, I thought you were some chap from Seneca and I could beat you. Say, take another cigar, and call it even." That train-boy will probably be more careful hereafter.—Morenci Observer.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 4, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The small boy rejoiceth for the circus is coming.

Adrian is talking up a Fourth of July celebration.

The spring term of the Morenci schools closed last Friday.

Decoration Day was very generally celebrated throughout the County.

The new hotel at the east end of Wampler's lake will be opened to-day.

A. W. Mills was absent at Grand Rapids a day or two last week upon a business trip.

Rev. Mr. Copley is in Morenci this week attending the Lenawee County Baptist Association.

What's in a name? Postmaster Stearns of Adrian, goes in, and postmaster Stearns, of Blissfield, goes out.

We call attention to the card of F. H. Kneeland, among special notices, of an eighty acre farm for sale. It is a good bargain.

Edgar Ide will doubtless steer clear of bicycles in the future. He took a "header" off of one last Monday and seriously sprained his arm. He now carries it in a sling.

During a brief visit at Toledo last Monday we called on our old townsman, George Smith. We found him feeling unusually happy, and, upon enquiring the cause, ascertained that it was the fortieth anniversary of his wedding day. May he live to enjoy many more returns of the day.

Having obtained the proper permit from the Common Council, Mrs. P. R. Adams will remove the old bank house, which has been the family residence for so many years, and erect a fine new dwelling upon that site. The old house will be moved to the North part of the same lot and rebuilt.

Clinton Local: The wool has commenced to whirl upon the cards at the woolen mill, the first consignment having been made thereto Wednesday, and now the old mill is no more silent but meets us with the familiar hum of former times. By the first of next week that part of the village will not be so monotonous any more.

Monday is the ministers' vacation day. Last Monday afternoon we saw Rev. Geo. W. Hudson marching up the street with a fine cane fish pole. We are glad to know that Bro. Hudson isn't ashamed to take a little healthy recreation occasionally. No sensible man can object to his going a fishing on Monday, if he catches a good string of fish.

Adrian Times: The insinuations that the editor of the Hudson Gazette voted the prohibition ticket last fall are unfair, unjust and untrue. The story is only receiving circulation at the hands of parties desiring to defeat the aforesaid editor in the race for the Hudson postmastership. All Hudson democrats know that W. T. B. Schermerhorn was to have received the office, and, since his death, a worthy son deserves the place, if justice is justice.

Blissfield Advance: Michigan has among her citizens another old "residenter," Mr. Stephen Frary, of this place, who came to the settlement at the River Raisin (now Monroe) with his parents in April 1816, and has resided in that state ever since, making in all three perhaps as old if not the oldest residents of the state, viz. E. S. Rhoades, January, 1810; Stephen Frary, April, 1816; W. W. Bliss, March, 1817. But the order of their settlement in Blissfield was reversed, Bliss coming in December, 1824, Frary in January, 1825 and Rhoades in the spring of 1826.

Tecumseh has received its first honor from the new administration. Sumner Collins, a former Macon boy, who passed through our High School and graduated with honor in the class of 1877, afterwards studied law in the office of Geo. V. N. Lothrop at Detroit. Mr. Lothrop has now appointed Mr. Collins his private secretary, and the latter will accompany the new Russian minister to the realms of the Czar. Sumner's old Macon and Tecumseh friends will extend their warmest congratulations upon his good fortune. We believe Mr. Collins will fill the position most acceptably.

L. F. Wheeler went to Clinton last week expecting to take a view of the reunionists, but upon getting there he was informed that his services were not desired. The Clinton Local offers this explanation of the matter:

There appeared to be a misunderstanding in regard to the picture that was to be taken of Mr. and Mrs. Williams and classmates, by L. F. Wheeler, of Tecumseh. Lavern said to us that he knew nothing of the matter until one of the old pupils came to him and advised him of the wishes of many that he should come up and take the picture, and we think he does not get bewildered either. It was too bad and we think now, had the matter been fairly understood when mentioned in the hall, it would have been all right, for we have met parties who understood that if they went out for the picture, they were to pay $1 apiece, and other parties who have said they would give much more than that to have one of them, and we think the last named were numerous.

Morris Knapp, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

Doris's great circus will pitch its tents in Tecumseh on Saturday, June 20th.

Our old Tecumseh friend, C. V. Hicks, has been elected village President of Oscoda.

The Commencement exercises at Raisin Valley Seminary will be held this year on Friday, June 19th.

Dr. Will Aten, of Brooklyn, N. Y. arrived in town last Thursday. He will remain during the summer.

Rev. Mr. Hudson will preach to the Young People next Sunday morning. Subject, "How to Conquer an Enemy."

Bills' race track has been ploughed and graded to make ready for the summer's campaign of blanket matinees.

N. Atherton, Lumber Inspector, from Toledo, is with the Tecumseh Lumber Co., this week inspecting lumber.

The M. & O. Road is now running Sunday excursion trains from Homer to Devil's lake and a Sunday train will soon be put on from Toledo.

We notice Abner Wilson, our enterprising market gardener, has come out with a bran new delivery wagon which is something new in this line.

Two hundred and three Planet Jr., cultivators have been sold in this market since their first introduction in the spring of 1882, and they have all been sold on their merits.

Miss Emma Hawke, of Adrian, is "lalloing" in the Tecumseh exchange for a few days. Miss Chiverall, the regular operator, being detained at home on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Rev. R. B. Pope of Ann Arbor, will give a free lecture in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Tecumseh, Wednesday, June 10th, at 7:30 P. M. Subject, "How to obtain a Personal Acquaintance with the Scriptures."

Slayton & Son have received from the Columbus Buggy Co., four of their celebrated buggies. One is an elegant Phaeton for H. S. Lee, one a Brewster for Albert Brewer and one a light gentlemen's driving side spring, the gear finished in oil and varnish, for Charles Bidwell.

The Universalist church is undergoing a thorough renovation inside. The walls have been covered with paper and decorations, the inside woodwork and pews will be varnished and a new carpet laid. The paper was purchased at Wright's and Friend McNeil did the work. It is one of the finest jobs of papering in the village.

Do not forget that the Adrian Dist. Sunday School Institute will meet with the Methodist Episcopal Church, Tecumseh, on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. An interesting program will be presented. The subject on Tuesday afternoon will be of special interest to teachers, "How to successfully interest a Sunday School Class."

A violent hail storm passed over the township of Macon last Sunday about dark. Hail fell to the depth of an inch in many places, and much damage was done to the growing crops. The storm passed north and east of our village but escaped us entirely. The central portion of the town of Macon caught the brunt of the storm.

We notice two complete Steam Threshing Rigs leaving Slayton & Son's warehouse last week. They were made by Nichols, Shepard & Co., of Battle Creek, and were nicely finished. The engines were 10 horse, self guide traction, and as they run out without horses attracted quite a crowd. Chas. Avery was the owner of one rig and Frank and Lyman Davenport the other.

Clinton Local: Clinton is the possessor of a young lady who does not know of a living relative, but has been her own independent supporter since she was eleven years old, and mentions a day's work performed on third of July, in which she made 313 pies and three tubs full of doughnuts, and other nick-nacks of lesser mention. 'Twas a big days work, but it was what Julia Dunn, nevertheless.

The senior polo team of Tecumseh, went up to Manchester last Thursday night with the intention of "doing up" the club in that village. Their intentions were good but their playing was the opposite, as the home team won four straight goals from the seniors in about half an hour. The boys need more practice. Herning, one of the Tecumsehs also got defeated in a one mile race against Frank Burtis of that place.

Adrian Press: In the removal of postal clerks Col. Eldridge informs us that no congressman is allowed to have any voice or influence. The department runs its own business, and will not remove a route agent because a congressman requests it nor retain one because he desires it. The congressman is notified whenever change is made and required to appoint a man to fill the vacancy. He has no control over the route or his work. If he fails to appoint one within ten days some other congressman is asked to fill the vacancy.

Robt Stretch is at home for a few days.

Regular services at the Universalist church next Sunday.

Will Whiting is on the improve and is able to be up and dressed.

Sidney Clarkson, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at his old home in Macon.

Knapp's sextette band attended the Decoration ceremonies at Clinton last Saturday forenoon.

Mrs. Hiram Sherman left home Tuesday last for Williamston Mich., upon a visit at her sister's.

A fine picture of Co. C taken by L. F. Wheeler on military square last Saturday is hung in the post office.

We received a pleasant call yesterday from J. E. Boyle, the gentlemanly advance agent of Doris' circus.

Mrs. L. M. VanTine and Mrs. Asa Rosacrans are spending a few days at Oscoda, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hicks.

Ladies, when in want of millinery goods, should remember that Mrs. M. A. Freeman has a very large stock on hand and she will sell very cheap.

Chas Everett has rented the Comfort Mill and will be ready for business after Saturday morning, and hopes all the friends of the old mill will give him their patronage.

Geo. R. Beardsell, of Hudson, and proprietor of the Lake View House at Devil's Lake, was in town last Tuesday. He says he expects to do more business than ever this year.

We are indebted to L. F. Wheeler for two fine views lately taken by him, one of S. W. Anderson's residence, and the other of the floral mementoes used at Mrs. Betts' funeral.

Rev. C. T. Allen, of Detroit, occupied the pulpit of the M. E. church last Sunday, both morning and evening. He gave two powerful sermons, which were listened to by large congregations.

A. H. Snow, of Winona, Minn., C. D. Keyes, of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. A. B. Cotton, of West Bay City, were in town Tuesday. They have been enjoying a few days visit at Clinton, having come to attend the reunion there, and availed themselves of the opportunity to call upon some of their Tecumseh acquaintances.

Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, shaving just returned from an attendance at the meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States of America held at Cincinnati, Ohio, proposes to give some account of the proceedings of the meeting, at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening next at 7:30. All are invited.

Ladies, do not fail to see the New Improved Sewing Machine Castors, almost as great a necessity as the sewing machine itself, for with it a sewing machine can be moved with scarcely an effort and in any direction. See them, examine them, have them attached to your machines, and see for yourselves their usefulness, as it prevents tearing of carpets, straining of machines, and the great tax upon the strength now required to move them.

W. T. Eccles & Co., have just purchased a handsome new covered wagon to use in delivering tea in the country. We dropped into the New York Tea store and were surprised at the immense quantity of tea packed up ready for shipment. They have shipped about 300 pounds this week around the country, and the orders are still coming in. Their tea gives universal satisfaction, as can be seen by the fact that not a pound has been returned by dissatisfied parties. They are also making a specialty of their 25 cent Java coffee, and their 50 cent tea can't be beat.

THE GREATEST OF ALL SHOWS COMING.

John B. Doris' New Monster Shows, united with the Great Inter-Ocean—Twelve Mammoth Shows combined—which comprises Triple Circus in Three Big Separate Rings, Megatherian Museum, Deep Sea Aquarium, Elevated Theatre Stage, and 50 Cage Menagerie, will make its appearance at Tecumseh, Saturday, June 20th.

This mighty aggregation is universally proclaimed the grandest tented exhibition in existence, and is familiarly besides reputably known throughout the entire country: and Mr. Doris, by his able management and millions of money, has placed before the public an honorable straight forward show. Truly fulfilling every advertised promise, positively ignoring all bombastic misrepresentation by presenting every proposition of reality and truth. By so doing, the New Monster Shows, consolidated with the Great Inter-Ocean, has commanded the respect and consideration of every intelligent reader, and we really mean every word in this article. The list of wonderful exclusive features is exceptionably large, and only a few of them can be mentioned. First and foremost is Krao, the Living Missing Link. Then the ponderous and Pioneer W. r Elephant "Betts," the heroine of over one hundred and fifty hard fought battles, and is one hundred and forty-one years of age. Acknowledged to be the oldest elephant in the world. Next comes the ferocious man eating lion-slayers, the only living pair ever beheld in captivity; huge herd of performing elephants; monster blood sweating hippopotamus; the only and great Egyptian bovalapus; human blood sucking vampires; grave robbing hyenas; royal Abyssinian lions; living marine monster; performing rhinoceros; royal Bengal tiger; large drove of Bactrian camels and dromedaries, etc.

The boy made his advent last Monday and weighs nine pounds. He will call Charley Heck "pa" some of these days. We would respectfully remind Mr. Heck that the HERALD boys smoke.

Mr. J. E. McCollum, of Clinton, made a general assignment last Thursday to Chas. H. Fisk, of Detroit, for the benefit of his creditors. There are no preferences and no secured debts. The liabilities are $4300 with assets nominal. The event will cause surprise and heartfelt regret among Mr. McCollum's friends. John E. is a most genial gentleman and a man of the strictest business integrity. Every one who knows him will deeply sympathize with him in his misfortune. He embarked in trade with but little capital, and the exceedingly dull times of the past few months has forced him to the wall. We hope some arrangement can be effected whereby he may be able to resume business.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The Farmers' Social Club convened at the residence of Mr. John Rector, Friday afternoon, May 29th. There was a fair attendance considering the season of the year, and after partaking of a bountiful repast the exercises, previously arranged for this meeting, were taken up and well carried out. The select reading was very appropriate for the time, and the essay brought out several points in our assessment laws not heretofore well understood by the most of the farmers. The discussion of the question, farm economy, was opened by Mr. A. G. Hall. Experiences in the use of farm tools were given and some new points demonstrated. The Club made arrangements for their annual picnic meeting at Sand Lake for Saturday, June 13th, at Putnams' landing. It is hoped that all of the members of the Club will be prepared to go and have a rousing good old time. The Club adjourned to meet at the residence of Mr. F. C. Rector the third Friday in October next at 2 P. M.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

"A GIGANTIC SCHEME."

"A gigantic railroad scheme, and one which will contribute immensely to the development of the resources of Ohio, is under consideration by the syndicate which is now controlling the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo railroad. It has but recently been developed that the Ohio Central railroad, which was sold a short time ago, was purchased by this syndicate. It has also come to light that they will purchase, if possible, a controlling interest in the Michigan & O. railway, which terminates in Toledo. Vice President Burke, of the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo railway, is one of the heavy stockholders in this road, which is at present in the hands of a receiver, and will soon be sold. The road extends about 175 miles into Michigan, and, by extending it fifty miles farther, they will reach one of the richest lumber fields in the United States. These additions the new management propose to make if they can get control of the road. The immense advantages of such a system of roads is apparent at once. The large coal fields of the Hocking and the Sandy creek valley will be brought in direct communication with Lake Erie, Lake Michigan, and the state of Michigan, while the immense lumber fields of that state are brought in communication with the Ohio river, through the Ohio & West Virginia railroad, owned by the same syndicate.

SOME ADRIAN NOTES.

Business having called us to Adrian last Saturday we snatched a few moments to make three or four friendly calls.

We found Ex-county clerk Hunter in his new office, which is located in the rear of Prosecutor Salsbury's office and is a portion of the rooms formerly occupied by Merritt and Navin. He has a good location and is already booking some important briefs. He deserves success and will undoubtedly achieve it.

We found Bro. Stearns up to his eyes in business preparing to assume his new postoffice duties on Monday. He will now oscillate between North Winter street and South Main street. Although he may expect to be "rushed" with business, we predict that he will prove himself fully equal to the emergency.

Friend Beakes was found in charge of the Record sanctum, with E. J. Smith standing guard. If the readers of the Record are dissatisfied, with these two plumbago pushers at the desk, they certainly must be very hard to please.

We dropped in to inspect the new Times office which is located on South Winter street. Found Messrs. Appleyate, Fee and Larwill. Postmaster Fee was making due preparation to retire to private life, but the Times will be the gainer by the change. The new quarters are very convenient and commodious. A large counting room and press rooms on the ground floor; editorial and news rooms on the second floor. The steam power is located in the basement. The Times now has one of the best appointed newspaper offices in this section of the state.

James Cassady, of Dundee, was in town last Monday.

Adrian has an equestrian club with a membership of about twenty.

Three weeks more and we will have the longest day and shortest night.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman is daily adding new attractions to her already large stock of millinery goods.

Mrs. M. E. Conklin and Mrs. Sam Short left home last Tuesday morning for Jonesville to enjoy a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bean.

Auction Sale.

Mrs. S. E. Henry will sell at auction at her residence, one-half mile south of Lake Ridge Hotel, on the Ridge road, Tuesday, June 16, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: Two hundred sheep, one horse rake, horse hay fork, and roller. Fairbank scales, double buggy, single buggy, self binding McCormick reaper, cutter, drags cultivators, hay forks, corn planters, etc. One mowing machine, together with a general supply of farm implements. Terms, 12 months on good notes bearing interest. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, June 1, 1885.

Regular council meeting. Present, The President, Messrs. Bresie, Cook, Adams and Hall. D. T. Hall appointed Recorder pro tem.

Mr. Cook reported a leak in the water pipes. A motion was made and carried that the fire committee make the necessary repairs. Also that they survey Chicago street east from the end of the present pipe line to the Globe Mill Hill, and ascertain the cost of furnishing and laying iron pipe a part or the whole of this distance, together with necessary hydrants. A motion was also made that the Fire committee acting as a building committee procure a deed of the land needed for contemplated improvements to the engine house, and with authority to draw an order on the Treasurer for the amount necessary to pay for the same. Also to complete plans for rebuilding, said committee to report at next regular meeting.

The Marshal reported verbally that Mr. H. H. Wood wished to remove an old house on his lot on Logan street to the back of said lot to use for a barn. Referred to the fire committee.

Street Commissioner filed his report for the month of May, showing 58½ days team work and 7½ days hand labor performed. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were presented and, on motion, referred to finance committee:

James Moh, services as Marshal				7 25
John Hilbert " deputy				5 00
Wm. C. Jordan " Commissioner 8 days				40 00
Wm. Brown, street work 5 days				11 25
James Kelley " "				12 50
Ben Hubbard " "				18 75
Wm. H. Ames " "				10 65
A. Beardsell " "				5 00
Bert Page " "				6 25
Joe Hubbard " "				2 50
Jas. McWilliams " "				6 55
Wm. Ide " "				11 25
C. Brousell " "				12 50
Geo. Lannon " "				3 75

The Finance Committee reported favorably upon the above bills. Report accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn.

Council then adjourned.

DAN'L T. HALL,
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—New Lumber Wagons and best Hay Racks on hand at Richart's.

—The White is the easiest running machine. G. P. Sparks.

—The White is the most durable machine. G. P. Sparks.

Mrs. N. R. Brown has just received a large and handsome assortment of summer hats in every style and variety and she is now able to fit the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity in hats at the lowest possible prices. The handsomest display of flowers and ribbons and all kinds of milliner's goods in the village. She makes a specialty of bonnets made in new material on frames in the latest shapes, and also keeps in stock a large assortment of trimmed bonnets of every discription. If new goods, first-class trimmers and low prices will suit the ladies, they should certainly call at Mrs. Brown's millinery rooms.

—Land Salt—A car load just received by Slayton & Son. Plaster at all times.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Buy the Noiseless Light Running New Home Sewing Machine. Remember this machine is warranted to be entirely free from raw hide and cotton batting. Drop me a postal card for prices. B. J. Collier, Gen. Agent, Adrian.

—The White is the most noiseless machine. G. P. Sparks.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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has had a marvelous effect upon my father. I think he had not left the house for at least two years. I did not know whether he would live or die. He was on the verge of the grave. From a few spoonfuls of your Sarsaparilla taken daily, it gave him an appetite, built him up, and he is now well and able to be about his business. I believe many lives might be saved by the use of your Sarsaparilla. Yours truly, W. M. PHILLIPS."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is with pleasure and a feeling of duty to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 4, 1885.

General News Summary.

Interesting Home and Foreign News.

DOMESTIC.

JAMES NELSON, Esq., the well-known clerk for Martin & Lacy, in business in New York City, died on the 24th ult., in the 70th year of his age. He was a native of the city, and had been connected with the Stock Exchange and the city of Wall Street.

FOUR persons were killed by the explosion of the Monongahela Valley Bank of Pittsburgh, Pa., on the morning of the 29th ult. Two others were fatally injured, and twenty in all were injured. The building was wrecked. The loss will be from $100,000 to $150,000. The cause of the explosion is not known.

FRANK DOYLE, the champion boxer of the world, died at his residence in Boston, Mass., on the morning of the 29th ult., after a lingering illness. He was born in Ireland, and was about 40 years of age.

A MEETING of capitalists interested in New York was held in the Mayor's office on the 29th ult. to consider the question of the construction of a bridge across the East River. Arrangements were made and resolutions passed in favor of immediately commencing the work of the bridge.

A CASE of unusual cruelty, involving a large sum of money, has been decided in the Surrogate's Court in Brooklyn, L. I. Some years ago Mr. Wright, a wealthy merchant of Brooklyn, died, leaving a will by which he bequeathed his property to his wife, who was his second wife, and to his children by his first wife. The will was contested by the children of the first wife, who claimed that the second wife had exercised undue influence over the testator, and that he was not in a condition of mind to make a valid will. The Surrogate decided against the contestants, and the decision was sustained by the Court of Appeals.

THE Commissioner of Pensions has prepared a bill for the relief of the Pension Agency at Louisville, Ky., and the Commissioner of Pensions, in a letter to the Chairman of the House Committee on Pensions, says that the present quarters are inadequate, and that the business of the agency is greatly retarded by the present arrangement. The Commissioner says that the Government owns a building in Louisville, which could be fitted up for the agency at a small expense, and that the rent now paid for quarters could be saved by the use of the building. The Commissioner says that the business of the agency is increasing so rapidly that a provision should be made for the enlargement of the agency.

THE Senate Committee on Pensions has decided to report a bill to place the widow of the late Brigadier-General Custer on the pension roll at the rate of $50 per month, the pension to date from the death of her husband. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $25 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Reynolds, and to the widow of the late Major-General Meade, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Thomas, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Sherman, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Sheridan, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Hancock, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General McPherson, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Logan, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Blair, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Ord, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Howard, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Hancock, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Sherman, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Sheridan, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Meade, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Custer, the pension to be $50 per month. The Committee also decided to report a bill granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of the late Major-General Reynolds

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Accom.
Toledo	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Ashley	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Ingleton	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Farwell	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Middlebury	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Perrinsburg	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Perrysburgh	8 08 "	4 12 "	7 05 "
Adrian	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Tecumseh	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....
Toledo	.....	.....	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Trenton	10 33 "	7 55 "	.....
Flat Rock	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 10 A.M.
Petersburgh	12 01 P.M.	9 31 "	6 00 "
Carleton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Milan	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Macksburg	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Farwell	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Napoleon	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 30 "
Jackson	.....	.....	.....

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 26	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Butler	2 30	8 25	2 30	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	2 50	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 03	
Bryan	3 15	9 09	3 15	
Evansdale	3 22	9 16	3 22	
Auburn	3 34	9 28	3 34	
North Fayette	3 46	9 40	3 46	
North Morenci	3 51	9 45	3 51	
Seneca	3 58	9 53	3 58	
Sand Creek	4 12	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Ar	4 13	10 06	4 14	7 20
Adrian, Lv	4 20	10 14	4 20	7 36
Raisin Center	4 25	10 20	4 25	7 43
Holloway	4 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Britton	4 43	10 42	4 43	8 04
Clinton	4 52	10 50	4 52	8 15
Milan	5 01	10 56	5 01	8 23
Whittaker	5 07	11 04	5 07	8 32
Wills	5 15	11 11	5 15	8 42
Belleville	5 23	11 18	5 23	8 52
Romulus	5 35	11 30	5 35	9 06
Hand	5 48	11 43	5 48	9 22
Delray	6 00	11 55	6 00	9 35
DETROIT				

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delray	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Wills	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Clinton	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Auburn		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

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Passenger Time Table.

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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
P.M.	A.M.			P. M.	A. M.	
5 45	10 10		A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 40	
6 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
6 04	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 09	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 22	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 15	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P.M.
9 30	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
9 25	1 50		Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
9 47	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
9 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
10 15	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
P.M.	P.M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A.M.	6 43
		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
		3 28	Dexter	11 52		6 12
		3 45	Mooreville	11 35		5 55
		3 54	Fisk	11 27		5 47
		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
		4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 10		5 25
		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A.M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P.M.
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IN A BOTANIST'S PARADISE.

The Puzzle Monkey Tree and a Flower as Large as a Street Gas Lamp.

My chief object in coming to Chili was to see and paint the old forests of Araucaria imbricata, known in England the puzzle monkey tree, rather unreasonably, as there are no monkeys here to puzzle; probably they crossed the Cordilleras in disgust at the general prickliness of all plants here, especially the araucarias, and never came back again. It was not easy to make out how to reach these forests; some people talked of difficulties and even dangers; they said I must sleep out, be eaten by pumas, or carried off by Indians, a noble race which has never yet been conquered by the white man; others declared the trees no longer existed, having all been sawed up into sleepers for railways.

It was a lovely ride from Angole and its terrible dust. First, we mounted over rocks and more dust for some 2,000 feet, among puzas and succulent and prickly plants (which prepare themselves for the long dry season by hoarding moisture and growing weapons of defense to prevent other thirsty creatures benefiting by it), and then leaving a glorious view of snowy volcanoes behind us, we entered the mixture of forest and pastoral scenery I have just described, passing stream after stream of clear running water and more lovely flowers than I had seen in all Chili before. The embothrium, or burning bush, was in full beauty, growing in long sprays of six or eight feet high, quite covered with the purest vermilion flowers formed something like honeysuckle. But I saw none grow into such a tree as I saw in my cousin's garden in Cornwall last year. Perhaps it may enjoy a new soil and climate and treat England as our common weeds do Chili. They have quite driven the natives out on the great plain or valley of Santiago, and show unbroken masses of camomiles, thistles, turnips and cornflowers far stronger than those of Europe. Near the streams were masses of huge gunnera leaves (whose stalks are eaten like rhubarb), lovely ferns with pink, furry stalks and young leaves, and a most exquisite scarlet flower, something like a mimulus, which dipped its roots to the running water and grew nowhere else. A small bamboo and many other graceful plants grew over these things, and overhead from the branches of the oaks a most beautiful lauranthus, with bright green leaves and pale green buds, changing as they opened to yellow, then turning orange, and becoming deep red before they dropped. The flowers were often half smothered in the gray lichen, commonly called "old man's beard," which waved in every wind and grew in masses on all the oaks. The beech had its own pet parasite, a tiny mistletoe forming perfect balls of every shade of green and gold, and over the bushes climbed many species of pea, lapageria, and lovely pink star flowers, which hooked themselves up by the long tendrils at the ends of their leaves, while some yellow stars seemed to have no leaves, only tendrils. Tall fuchsia trees were there, too, and oudlea with its golden balls, sweet as honey, and whose leaves when toasted and pounded form the popular cure for all wounds and sores. Another bush, called the pinche, looks like a lilac and white heath, and is said to be a cure for all diseases. The grass was in flower, quite red and lilac, and sprinkled over with exquisite scarlet lilies, alstrœmerias of many tints, tropæolum, and four species of orchids so handsome that I persuaded my host to send roots to Mr. Veitch. It seemed a shame that the Chilians (who do not appreciate native flowers) should alone possess such treasures.

Soon after reaching the first araucarias we found ourselves surrounded by them, and all other trees gave way to them, though the ground was still gay with purple peas and orange orchids, and many tiny flowers whose names I did not know, and which I had not time to paint then—such flowers when picked die almost directly. Many hills and the valleys between were covered with old trees, covering some miles of space, and there are few specimens to be found outside this forest. I saw none over one hundred feet high or twenty feet in circumference, and, strange to say, they seemed all very old or very young. I saw none of those noble specimens of middle age we have in some English parks with their lower branches resting on the ground. They did not become flat-topped like those in Brazil, but were slightly domed like those of Queensland, and their shiny leaves glittered in the sunshine, while their trunks and branches were hung with white lichen, and the latter weighed down with big cones as big as one's head. The smaller cones of the male trees were shaking off clouds of golden pollen, and were full of small grubs, which, I suppose, attracted the flights of parroquets I saw so busily employed about them. These birds are said to be so clever that they can find a soft place in the great shells of the cone when ripe, into which they get the point of their sharp beaks and fidget it until the whole cracks and the nuts fall to the ground. It is a food they delight in, and men, too, when properly cooked, like chestnuts. The most remarkable thing about the trees was the bark, which was a perfect child's puzzle of knobby slabs of different sizes, with five or six decided sides to each, and all fitted together with the neatness of a honeycomb. I tried in vain to find some system on which it was arranged.

The puza or chaguale was the other plant I wanted most to paint. One wretched specimen flowered at Kew last spring, and excited much attention, and I struggled to draw it in all the glare and discomfort of the cactus house, not venturing to ask that so precious a plant should run the risk of catching cold by being taken to my room there. Here there are three kinds growing in quantities, each in its peculiar locality. The largest has a yellowish green flower, and is seldom far from the seaside. Its proportions are those of a London gas lamp, the flower head even longer than the lamp, often over a yard long, and it is a most noble object when seen standing above its rosets of pine-like leaves, among the rocks and clifts, with the sky and sea behind it of that deep blue and purple one only finds among volcanic rocks. The blue variety grows further inland in the valleys and rocky clefts high up whole hillsides are often covered with it, and I have seen twenty-five flower stalks rising from one mass of leaves, which are silvery and most beautifully carved, like some of the bromelias, its cousins. I shall never forget the first time I saw them growing when climbing in search of them near the Baths of Aguaquindo; the clouds overtook me and hid everything for awhile, till I saw those tall flowers like ghosts close to me, then a snow peak far beyond, and then I got into a new world of wonders, with blue sky overhead and a mass of cotton-wool clouds shading all I had left below, and the strange puza flowers for company and plenty of time to study them. About sixty branchlets are arranged spirally round the central stem, each a foot long and covered with buds wrapped in flesh-colored bracts. These open in successive circles, beginning at the base; the three flower petals at first opening are of the purest turquois blue; then they become darker, a mixture of arsenic-green and Prussian blue; the third day a grayer green, and then they curl themselves up into three carmine shavings, and a fresh circle of flowers takes their place outside, so that the longer the plant has been in bloom the larger its head becomes, and as the heads of the spikes or branchlets bloom last it loses its form and looks ragged and disreputable. Its stamens shine like gold in their polished metallic blue caps, and it is marvelously beautiful at first. The third kind is smaller and its flowers thin and of a very dark blue, but its bright pink stalk is very effective when seen against the gray stones. The gum of the puza is valuable as a medicine and resembles gum arabic. Near the puza the tall cactus generally grows its pillars, often six or eight feet high, crowned with white trumpet flowers and buds, and ornamented with a parasite, whose white and scarlet berries are eatable. I found that the flowers never faced the same side as the parasite; the former were as large as a German beer-glass, and their foot stalk was full of sweet juice, most refreshing to suck on the dry hillside, and less stupefying than the usual contents of such glasses.—*Chanlion (Chili) Cor. Pall Mall Gazette.*

MODEL MAKERS.

One Business That Is at a Standstill and Exhibits No Improvement.

"There are not more than twenty shops in the city of New York devoted to the making of patterns or the building of models," said a pattern-maker to a reporter, as he stood at his lathe, turning a piece of wood. "The business does not seem to grow like other trades, and I must confess I am somewhat at a loss to discover the reason. You certainly would suppose that in a great metropolis like this inventors would be so plenty that pattern and model-makers would be kept busy all the time working out their ideas in wood. Inventors are, however, not quite so plenty as that. There are plenty of men who are always on the point of making a great invention, but somehow they never reach the successful issue.

"I have been in this shop thirteen years and during that time have employed a great many different workmen. My experience has convinced me that there has been no improvement whatever in the machinery used in my business over that of a quarter of a century ago. We use exactly the same tools as we did then, and do our work in the same manner. This, I suppose, sounds somewhat strange to you, but it is nevertheless an undisputed fact."

"Do you have any trouble in getting good apprentices?"

"Yes, we do. The young men who come to learn the trade are usually ignorant fellows who have received but little or no education. They are faithful in their work, and seem to want to learn, but their ignorance of the slightest mechanical principles is a serious drawback to their advancement. I have often wondered why it is that more of the bright boys who graduate from our public schools do not take up the skilled trades. There is a good field here for such workmen as they would make. Somehow the boys all prefer to become clerks in dry goods stores or horse-car conductors instead. The period of apprenticeship, while nominally three years, is really unlimited. A workman is learning something new all the time. There is no limit to the variety of work we are called upon to perform. A man comes in here and explains to me what he desires to construct. He has, perhaps, made no drawings or measurements, but he expects me, after listening to his descriptions, to go to work and make the pattern, or model, whichever it may be, without any further assistance from him. If we were called upon to construct the same pattern quite often, why then we might be able to improve our machines and tools. As it is now, we can never tell what we will make during the next twenty-four hours. Of course, a great many of our orders come from manufacturers. These are accompanied by the drawings and measurements, and are therefore more easily filled. Occasionally a crank comes in with a queer machine which he desires me to model. I usually tell such individuals that I have no time to do their work, and recommend them to some one whom I think will perhaps humor the crank's whims. Do we get good prices for our work? I have received as high as $100 for a model. It depends in a great measure upon the intricacy of the machine to be constructed. We pay our workmen from three dollars to five dollars a day."—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

—There are at least a dozen species of fishes having electric organs. The electric eel of South American waters is the most powerful of creatures, growing to a length of six feet, and provided with a pair of batteries containing some hundreds of minute cells copiously supplied with nerves, which exhibit phenomena the same as those produced by artificial batteries.—*Chicago Herald.*

Poor Fellows

Prostrated, debilitated, enfeebled, they feel as if they were hardly worth picking up. They would hardly give life toss of a bright penny for a chance of a choice between life and death. But even such forlorn people can be renewed by the use of Brown's Iron Bitters. It vitalizes the blood, tones the nerves, and renovates the system. Mr. Isaac C. Weed, Burr's Mills, O., says, "I used Brown's Iron Bitter for general weakness, and it helped me greatly."

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo.....Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor.Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont.....	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde.....	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville.Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 10AM
Norwalk.....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 35
Wellington.....	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston.....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville.....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville.....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillon...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon..Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville..	.....	6 47PM	6 47PM	.....
Valley June.Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover....	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge.....	6 03	6 30AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg.....	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.			
Marietta...Lv	6 00AM	2 20PM			
Marksburg.....	7 20	3 50			
Cambridge.....	9 15	5 58			
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03			
Canal Dover...	11 10	7 55			No. 38
Sherodsville.					5 45AM
New Cumberl'd					6 05
Valley June..	11 50	8 27		No. 4.	6 45
Massillon.....	12 35	9 10		8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00		9 00	10 15
Creston.....Ar	1 45	10 30		9 32	11 17AM
Creston.....Lv	1 45	10 30		9 32	
Wellington.....	2 30	11 13		10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk.....	3 20	11 55		11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM		11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....		11 45	8 02
Clyde.....	4 03	.....		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....		12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....		12 42	9 00
Toledo .....Ar	5 45AM	.....		1 45PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar...Huron...Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 30
11 20	6 15	....Milan.....	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv.Norwalk.Ar	7 27	3 10

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Following is the record of business done at the probate court for the week ending May 30, 1885:

Estate of Jonas and Sarah Spencer, affidavit of publication and posting commissioners notice, commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Timothy Lynn, deceased, petition for appointment of administrator, hearing June 13.

Estate of Lorenzo D. Austin, deceased, affidavit of publication and posting commissioners notice, commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Wm. H. Montgomery, deceased, affidavit of publication and posting commissioners notice, commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Wm. J. Stanton, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John Turner, deceased, petition for appointment of administrator, hearing June 22.

Estate of Hervey A. Colvin, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Lizzie R. Hoyt, minor, nomination of guardian, order of appointment, bond filed, letters issued.

Estate of Sally M. Herriman, deceased, petition for allowance of executor's final account, hearing June 13.

Estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased, affidavit of publication and posting commissioners notice, commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Francis Foster, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Adam Sheppart, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Maria Brewer, deceased, affidavit of publication, final account allowed, receipts filed, discharge.

Estate of Wm. Waring, deceased, affidavit of publication, order of continuance until June 22.

Estate of Esther Scott, deceased, bond filed, letters of administration issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Peter Davidson, deceased, bond filed, letters of administration with the will annexed issued, order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Edwin B. Wood, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond $2,000.

Estate of Charles Brooks, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond $1,500.

Estate of Baldwin Webster, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator appointed, bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Wm. Smith, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

LETTER LISTS.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the post office at Ridgeway, June 1, 1885.

Fisher, Miss Maggie — Maurer, Mrs. James
Gibson, Mr. O. W. — Marsh, Geo. F.
Hartfield, William — Rumsey, Mrs.
Gibson, Rev. A. C. — Miller, Miss Mary
Rutter, Miss Sophia

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Apples, dried ₩ ₩		@	
Butter ₩ ₩	17	@	18
Barley, ₩ bushel		@	1 00
Beans, ₩ bushel		@	1 50
Buckwheat, ₩ ₩		@	1 25
Bacon, ₩ ₩		@	7
Beef, ₩ hundred	3 00	@	3 50
Corn—meal, ₩ bushel		@	40
Beef, ₩ ₩		@	5
Calf skins, ₩ ₩		@	7
Corn, ₩ bushel		@	40
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel		@	40
Clover seed	5 00	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed		@	10
Eggs, ₩ ₩		@	10
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 50	@	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hog—live, ₩ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₩ ton		@	12 00
Honey, ₩ ₩	12	@	14
Ham, ₩ ₩		@	12
Lard, ₩ ₩		@	9
Oats, ₩ bushel	30	@	35
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	60
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	40	@	45
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	50	@	1 00
Timothy seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ₩		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	4 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel		@	90
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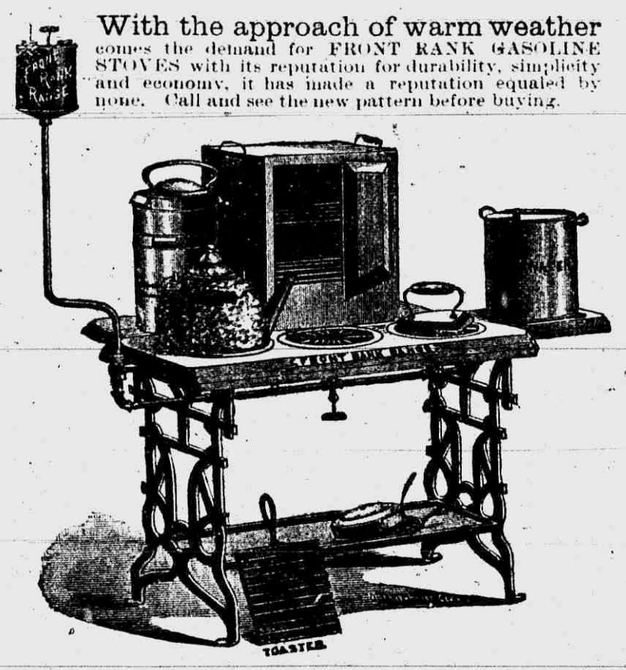

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

John T. Clark spent Sunday in Blissfield.

Rev. Joseph St. John went to Detroit last Monday morning.

James Hause attended the funeral of Peter Waldron last Monday.

Thomas Matthews commenced running a milk wagon last week, and from the number of times we hear the tin horn, we should judge he has a large number of customers.

We are glad to see that James Hogan, who has had a severe sickness for several weeks, is now able to ride to town.

C. S. Burroughs 'comes to the front' with two new signs. The potato bug looks as large as life, and is very suggestive of what his race may do in the approaching season without the use of Paris green. (Inquire within.) The revolving mortar is quite a novelty in the way of signs and reflects much credit on the originator.

Mrs. Frank Graham who has been visiting here for a couple of weeks left last Tuesday for Brooklyn where she intends to make a short visit before going to her home in Buchanan, Mich.

Mrs. Almira Lancaster, who has been visiting in Clinton and Tecumseh, left here last Tuesday for her home in New Carlisle, Ind.

Mrs. Augusta Brooks intends having an auction soon for the purpose of disposing of some of her household goods. She is to have her house repaired and has engaged Ed. Semark to do the work.

The next Episcopal social will be held at the residence of J. E. McCollum, Thursday evening, June 18th.—All are cordially invited.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The old time concert held at Napoleon Friday night, to aid in rebuilding the burned church of Brooklyn was well attended, and added fifty dollars to the fund created by selling what remained of the melted bell. Instrumental music was ruled out and members of the choir of forty-five years ago, took their cue from the long silent tuning fork. The result was a good time, and the Presbyterian church of this village is offered if they decide to repeat the program, which is probable. Remarks were made by Mr Blackmar, who said they selected him because they could not get Mr. Beecher, and being well acquainted with the sanitary condition of both villages he pointed out the necessity of erecting, over what he termed God's light house, because of our numerous plants of the Devils beacon lights. The good book says, "where evil doth abound grace doth much more abound," and we expect to shine by gospel glimmer in the near future.

A committee has been appointed to solicit subscriptions for the Soldier's home, but it is not known if they have begun work yet. They need not be afraid of wasting energy in pursuing such a work, and it is devoutly hoped if failure is made in securing a gratitude plant, that it can be fairly charged to distant parties.

The annual races begin this week, so that hubbub will be the rule, and quiet the exception.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Mr. & Mrs. L. Kniffin have returned from a week's visit to friends in St. Johns.

Old Mrs. Britton has gone to spend the summer with her grand-son at St. Johns.

Miss Flora Borden has gone to Nebraska to visit her brother.

J. Britton's new house is ready for the masons.

The Post Office is changed and now Ed. smiles.

Rauch & Newcomer have nearly closed out their stock.

Weather is fine—nights cool.

Geo. Gripton is the possessor of a freak of nature in the shape of a chicken with three perfect and well developed legs.

The owners of dogs better look after them nights for the men who have lost sheep say the law does not pay enough to make sheep-raising profitable.

Next Sunday evening will be observed with appropriate exercises, it being Children's Day. The program is full and interesting.

A prominent advocate of prohibition was seen the other day to give a friend a drink of liquor. Verily, prohibition prohibits.

Let everybody remember the concert given in Britton's Hall, by the Britton Band and Ridgeway Literary Society, Friday evening, June 12th. The program as rendered at Ridgeway has been changed and several new and humorous songs substituted. A good time is certain—come one, come all.

Farmers complain of cut-worms destroying all their corn and others cannot get theirs planted, the ground is so wet.

Dr. Hallock's new house is looming up finely.

The frame is up for the new school house and ready for the brick work. We are going to have a fine building. We understand our neighbor village is going to hold another school meeting to find out what to do with the one thousand dollars. That is right, when you meet vote it to build a school house and improve the town, as well as build up your village.

J. P. Beekler has a fine new barn. Yes, and there is Wm. Niverson's new house, and taking all things in consideration, we think the town is growing finely. Hotel is doing a thriving business. Stores a booming. Messrs. Rauch & Newcomer going to move to Monroe.

The Band is going to hold a celebration on the Fourth of July, in the shape of a Basket Picnic in the woods on the old Francis Coat's farm. Ice cream, lemonade and refreshments will be sold on the ground. Programs will be furnished soon.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Oh, the worm, the worm, the grubbing worm, he's one of a poor but numerous firm. By his industry he has caused much extra labor and annoyance to farmers, devastating whole fields of tender corn in a few hours. Who will devise a remedy to destroy this pest which seems to grow worse every year.

The wool crop is now being harvested.

Supervisor D. W. Love is reported seriously ill with brain fever.

Thos. Collin has returned from a six weeks' tour through the western States. He reports being very favorably impressed with the country in southern Kansas, and says the Oklahoma agitation is dying out. The boomers have moved their headquarters from Arkansas City further west to Winfield. He brought back samples of corn and oats of this year's crop taken from the farm of Hiram Learnard, fully a month's growth ahead of our crops of the same kind here. He seems to have improved his time in making observations in regard to the products, resources and prospects of the country, and states that if any one desires information, he can tell them all about it.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Almost a frost Monday and Tuesday night.

Farmers are busy fitting ground and planting corn.

A good many farmers have had to plant their corn over on account of the cut-worm.

Wheat is heading out on the upland.

The pews of the church are being oiled with a hard oil finish and make a fine appearance.

Miss Lou Arner has taken a position in Mrs. G. W. Jackson's millinery store, and will learn to trim to suit the taste of all.

Miss Hattie Johnston, of Adrian, has been visiting at Mr. W. R. Wilson's for the past few days.

Messrs. Purdy Haight and T. H. Temple, left Tuesday evening for Kalkaska for a week or so on a sporting and fishing expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson left Monday noon for Ithica, on a prospecting tour.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Clack visited friends at Belleville last week.

The editor of the Milan Leader, Mr. Alf Smith and wife, spent the Sabbath with their aunt, Mrs. John Arner.

Mrs. M. A. Barrett sold her fine black team to Mr. Geo. McGlehesur of Ypsilanti for a hearse team.

The concert Friday evening was a success in every respect. The solos furnished by Prof. W. C. Sharp and Mrs. Nellie King, of Brooklyn, were of a fine selection. The society cleared $21.60. They will repeat it at Britton this week Friday evening.

DECORATION DAY AT RIDGEWAY.

Oration Delivered on that Occasion by Rev. James Wright.

Ladies, Gentlemen, Friends and Children; and to you the members of Eaton Post, No. 222, Britton.

We are here commemoratively assembled on this the 30th day of May in the year of Our Lord; one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, by an invitation given, through arrangements made in obedience to the rules and regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic, and in sympathy with a firmly established custom of the Posts of this Order, and the members of Women's Relief Corps, assisted by loyal citizens throughout the land, to engage in harmony with the multitudes that are now being assembled this day in the presence of God, and in the midst of the sleeping dust of the nation's honored dead, they are met commemorate with a touching service of song, speech, prayer and sympathy our fallen brothers who so heroically laid their lives upon the nation's alter, mid the din of battle in the last struggle of our beloved country, to obtain and maintain that which is so characteristic of America's friendly shores, free soil, free speech and free rights, to all her noble sons, and daughters too. In the past twenty years, how many of the Grand Army of the Republic, who lived to hear peace proclaimed, and returned home to enjoy the interests of home, to be with loved friends, who now sleep beneath the fresh and grassy mounds with their Comrades who fell in the nation's blood and battle? So fellow brother, in that Army, you are nearer to-day your fallen Comrades, while they have only gone just a little in advance of you: so the warning to you all is given, to be on the alert, that thou mayest be ready to go when thou art called in death to depart hence. To-day be ready! By this solemn service in which a reunited and patriotic nation participates, the Comrades of the Department of Michigan have been called upon to perform their full duty to their dead Comrades.

While the hum of industry should cease for a day on this the Decoration day, and anniversary upon which the graves of soldiers in the United States are decorated with flowers; as it is one of the days that is being much observed and cherished by the American people; let memory aid in recalling the days from '61 to '65. While reviewing the vivid scenes that were enacted on the march, here and there the wearied bodies were to be found while reaching the place of smoke and blood, all from hunger with exhaustion; and then the battle field with its crimson gore from the dead and dying soldiers in hospitals, where army surgeons were carving with the necessary treatments; and every thing in sympathy being done to save the life of the wounded and dying soldiers. Yet, still in our imagination at the prison pens let us stop; now see if you can give a picture of the scenes as you pass by, but indeed it is too terrible to think off. But as a nation to-day though solemnly associated in these Memorial services, wherein we recount of the sufferings and deprivations of those who live, with those whose dust lies under the grassy mounds; whose valor and patriotism for their country was worth more to them than even life itself, while they sacrificed the interests of home in the hour of the nation's peril that she might be saved to the Union; nevertheless, let us look up as American citizens and thank God that today peace reigns upon our fair and beloved country, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from the Straits of Magellen, on the South, to the snow capped hills of Labrador, in the North. Yea more, we are in peace with all nations, thank God! Young men! Young women! And you Children! Your fathers, where are they? Does not the grave in the cemetery, or in the sunny South, speak to you saying here father lies, and he fell as a soldier for his country. And while the Grand Army of the Republic marches in review upon this day, so full of the memories of the past, who is there but can repeat the names of Comrades fallen, that the nation may still live in the blood of her honored dead; and as you passed by to-day, Comrades, Children, Young men, Young women, fathers or mothers, on each grassy mound where rests our brave heroes you have laid a wreath, planted a flag, dropped a tear, for their departure; in the strength of manhood mourn for their patriotism, and valor rejoice? To you gentlemen, to-day who represent the Grand Army of the Republic, in these days of our national prosperity and peace, those with us who have grown in these years of wonderful thrift and peace in our country to manhood are indeed unable to conceive of the honor due you, and those of your fallen brothers, in that, that in the darkest days that settled down upon our nation; then it was, that in your noble valor and patriotism under God, you saved to the Union; that which was rescued from the hand of the oppressor in Washington's time through the revolutionary soldier, when they said, "Liberty or death." But God gave liberty, yet, by the price of blood liberty was obtained. To me it is made clear in the second paragraph of the Declaration of Independence, why our country has been twice cleansed in the blood of her sons, which we do most devoutly pray that never again in this Christian country, will the cleansing thereof have to be done at the price of the blood of her sons. There ought to be salt enough in any Christian nation to keep pure that nation, without the use of cannon or sword. At this point, we quote you from the second paragraph of the creed of American Independence. Whereof: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, that to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed; that, whenever any form of government becomes destructive to these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it, and to institute a new government, laying its foundation on such principles, and organizing its powers in such forms, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and happiness. Prudence, indeed will dictate that governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and, accordingly, all experience hath shown that mankind are disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same object, evinces a design to reduce them under absolute despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such a government, and to provide new guards for their future security." Blessed is that whose God is the Lord, however for the nation's security morally and politically rests alone in the moral purity of the people, one man can have just as much power to act in the welfare of this government as another: and verily, in the spirit of true manliness, each American citizen is called upon, even out of the inspiration that remains for each to be caught up with, that speaks to us out of the lives of the greatest and noblest men in the line of our fathers, who, "though being dead," they yet speak of the nation's richest treasure committed to our trust, the ballot box. Sons of American Liberty, as citizens of the United States of America, shall we be true to our nations richest trust, and in our country's strength maintain an honest ballot by casting our ballot out of a sense of duty? And let me ask, is not this one thing needful to-day? In this country of free born liberty, where the poor man should have just as much influence at the ballot box in electing the chief officer of these United States, as a Jay Gould or a William H. Vanderbilt; and what more can we ask than this of even true loyal American citizens, that our nation may ever be a nation whose God is the Lord of Hosts, he is our God; and we will worship at his feet, should be the motto from every interested human heart. But to you the Grand Army of Eaton Post, No. 222, of Britton, Michigan, and all you who hear this day, though in your immediate Post none may have fallen since last memorial day, while in the kind Providence of Almighty God, it is that you are spared to enjoy the associations of each other on this day, that enumerates to you of the memorials and memories of other days, years and associations. Nevertheless each memorial day reveals new vacancies somewhere within your ranks, and if not in your homes, there are new homes where the messenger has come with these words, "It is time—fall in—take your place in the ranks of the Grand Army above." To you who are here to-day, ere it may be said of any of you, as said of one, "while my servant was busy here and there, behold he was not." So, is there not added reason this day for the completeness of your work as upon any day, that when you are called to leave the Grand Army of the Republic, that you may be worthy to join the Grand Army above, because when your time has answered the end of its service under God, and to your country below, then will he whose right it is to say to you it is enough, come up higher, enter thou unto the joy of thy Lord. So while thou art manifesting zeal in lovingly caring for the orphans and widows, in honoring the lamented dead, be sure and remember the "one thing needful," thy duty to thy God, and to thine own soul. Many of those Comrades laid aside their armor in the time of war, others in the quiet peace of home; their task is done, and as they were true to duty, to their country and to their God, and faltered not where duty led them, even to the end, ever brave and true to the flag of their country. So may you that are in the Grand Army of the Republic, while some of you may be much nearer the river's brink that divides two worlds, than others, yet, to the river of death you all shall come; then what is there that more necessarily remains to be done by you that is of the most importance; other than this, that you fulfil all the obligations you have assumed. Then when the sun sets on Memorial Eve, its rays will fall upon a state, a nation whose patriot dead rests once more beneath the Stars and Stripes; then will come forth as a parting benediction to sorrowing hearts and homes, that have that day been tenderly remembered in word and deed, and when "on fame's eternal camping ground our silent tents are spread," and your names have again been added to the "silent majority" it shall be said you have not lived in vain. It is a truth that none dare to deny, the army of the dead is daily becoming larger, and the ranks of the living are being rapidly thinned, while time is diminishing the severity of those that mourn for the brave men who gave their lives that our country might live. The patriotic ardor and the sense of gratitude of our people have not been lessened, and the observance of the day set apart for the decoration of the graves of the fallen soldiers of our Union is yearly becoming more general throughout the country; and as the comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, do annually continue to gather around the last resting place of the nation's illustrious dead, with hearts full of memories of fraternal ties which bind them together. To these ceremonies, in common with the many that are being conducted of like character and sympathy, noble and true-hearted citizens who have been invited are now present with the churches and sabbath schools of our land, that they may pay their tribute of respect to the memories of the men who sealed their loyalty with their lives. So may we enter to-day just upon the threshold of the land, to which your comrades have departed. While you again renew the pledges of fraternity, charity and loyalty which you gave to one another in the years that are past, and resolving to remain true to those pledges until you shall have been called to join the loved ones who have passed over to the Grand Army above. So finally in the active work of your order, you will ever find your principles, broader, purer and more devoted.

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A SONG OF LIFE.

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A VACATION.

How Rev. Mr. Elderberry Employed His Season of Rest.

Reverend Jonas Elderberry had preached in Flintville twenty years and had never had a vacation. Sickness and death had never laid him to rest a day, and he now, at fifty, and after much deliberation, not to say prayer, from acrimony, the church had decided on each of these occasions not to deduct anything from his salary, a concession which was thought very generous, as he received seven hundred a year, and the parsonage rent free. Some of his parishioners from other ways not so autocratic. Though a good man, Mr. Elderberry was not without ambitions and dreams. He sometimes wrote short articles in poetry which appeared in magazines and newspapers under the nom-de-plume of "Ed," and were pronounced by the editors "suggestive." So it was not strange that he often fancied himself and his little wife, Matilda, going on a vacation, and looking upon the mountains and the sea. But these dreams were like others he had indulged in, a pleasant glow which dissolved in the dull reality of an empty purse. He had saved a few dollars, to be sure, in his pocket, of owning a home of which he could speak positively as "my house." In his sober moments—and most of his life was very sober, indeed—he never expected to have any of these dreams realized.

Two months that had come to the parsonage had tried his infirmity, and perhaps that was the reason that there was almost always some one stopping there. All the cousins came, even to the fourth and fifth degrees, and cousins reduced to their lowest terms, so to speak, and the roundest hospitality cost something, in spite of the fact that Mrs. Elderberry was the maid of all work and so, now that adding the seven hundred a year, at a moderate guess five dollars from some editor, Mr. Elderberry's only bank stock was a few hundred in what was called, expressively, "back salary."

Flintville, though an old place, was little more than one long street, lined with white houses, well hidden from the road by honey-locusts and poplars. The Orthodox Meeting-house had received sundry coats of paint, but in other respects was just as it was the first time Mr. Elderberry entered it. The people were conservative, and the orthodox were the most conservative in the place, so they quietly ignored the smart little pale box called "The Church," which had sprung up on one side of them, and the squat brick building around the corner called the Hallelujah Chapel, and resisted innovations.

Rev. Julius Surplice, rector of "The Church," took a vacation in July, but as he was an unmarried man it was supposed he spent the time with his parents. As for the Chapel, its ministers came and went too often to need a vacation while in Flintville, as Mr. Elderberry read his sermons, it was known that he wrote them, but any male member of his flock, if asked his opinion of such labor, would have said: "It must be easy enough to sit in the house, and write things out of your head, if you have been to college." As for the women, while they considered sermon-writing too deep for the female mind, they yet considered it something of the nature of women's work, not a definite business, but an occupation to be taken up at odd moments, as knitting, or patchwork, when nothing more important was going on.

"Nature can not endure everlasting drooping"

and Mr. Elderberry had twice asked for a vacation without success, when Mr. Whitaker, of Chicago, after doing something very sharp in corn, sent his wife to Flintville to visit her father, Deacon Billings. "I never heard of a minister's preaching through August!" she exclaimed, lifting her bejeweled hands. And the next Sunday the long-desired vacation was granted, although 'Squire Pogg opposed it, saying, if he hired a man to hoe corn, he did not expect him to skip every other row.

"Where shall we go, Matilda?" said Mr. Elderberry, the next morning.

"We!" exclaimed Mrs. Elderberry, tremulously. "It's your vacation, Jonas. I—I don't see how I can leave. There's the hens, and the house, and the missionary bed-quilt; and Cousin Alzina liable to come any day."

"My dear," said Mr. Elderberry, with full eyes, "If I go anywhere you shall accompany me."

Thursday evening came; but Mr. Elderberry had not succeeded in obtaining a cent from the "back salary." He had been asked exactly fifty-two times where he was going and when he would start; and there was in his pocketbook fifteen dollars and seventy-five cents.

"Tilda," he said, coaxingly: "Let's go and see Sister Martha."

Though Mrs. Martha Tucker had been like a daughter in Mr. Elderbery's father's house, she was the child of his mother's sister. She had been married five years when he married Matilda, and had soon afterwards visited them at the parsonage. When she had [illegible] Mr. Elderberry had always intended to go to see her. Her farm was forty miles away, across the hills, the stage fare was [illegible] considered, and his wife gently reminded his remarks [illegible] Without any [illegible] matter, he had [illegible] that Martha was prosperous, and was [illegible] for Martha was the only one of his congregation who had not demonstrated snow favored him.

"I don't want to go a-courting," [illegible] Mrs. Elderberry, with unconducive [illegible]

"You never had a chance," said Mr. Elderberry, dryly. "But I've [illegible] to marry you before Sunday. We will [illegible] a few days, and I think Martha [illegible]"

Mr. Tucker's desire to accumulate money, with his wife's desire to be known as a perfect housekeeper, had not been checked by childish fingers, and Mrs. Tucker's naturally unsympathetic temper had hardened into something very frosty, indeed. To unpin her mousseline, and have her chairs thrust into new places, alone all to have extra cooking going on, and her orderly plans frustrated, irritated her. If she had shown her cousins were coming, she would have scrubbed herself a little, but as it was, she saw them descend from the stage with ill-concealed dismay, and greeted them with the exclamation, "I declare!" "I wish I had brought my settee on the fulfillment of the law," said Mr. Elderberry that night to his wife. "Martha says that Zeland Valentiner preaches at East Gypsum. I remember him, and I think he keeps up his Hebrew." But the next morning Mr. Tucker hitched up his colt, and with his wife started for the next village three miles away. It was noon when they returned, so the absence of the settee on the law was of no consequence. In the meantime, the hired man's wife had gone out to visit the wife of the hired man, and, in her haste, left the kitchen door open. The cats took advantage of the opportunity, and hopped in quietly till the place was full of them. By some curious instinct, Mrs. Tucker divined their presence the moment she entered the house. "There's folks who wouldn't hear a whole menagerie in the next room!" she exclaimed, scornfully, after a vigorous use of the broom. "It's precious few times I've ever been away from home, but when I have, I've worked myself to sick an' bones!"

As before, Mrs. Elderberry was a very determined woman, and when she said that evening, "Jonas, I shall take the stage to-morrow for Flintville," her husband knew better than to oppose her. Two days afterward, when he had received to follow her, he received the following note from her:

"You must come, dear Jonas, to remain away from home the four Sundays in the Whitaker church for this week," says Mr. Jonas Elderberry, the pastor of that church, "I'm sorry, the pastor of that church is spending his vacation trout fishing. As other pastors can not, we know, enjoy this diversion, but yet each one draw near to Nature's heart in their enjoyment, in some pulpit to supply, this church has generously given him his pulpit.

"In the Friday Re-Chronicle the following appeared: We have understood from parties qualified to give accurate information on the subject that Rev. Mr. Elderberry, in consequence of some unusual circumstances, should expedite his return and cut short his vacation in the exercise of the peculiar art.

After spending the night in painful consideration, Mr. Elderberry determined to go to East Gypsum, and find a cheap boarding-place, where, free from the distractions that beset the parsonage, he might write out some verses that were singing in his head, and thus pay expenses. He had weeded onions all day Monday, and strained currants all day Tuesday, and felt that in a sense he had paid his board. But he was conscious that Mr. Tucker and possibly Martha felt that he was, as they phrased it, "living on them," and to remain longer was impossible.

"I s'pose you'll have a vacation every year, now your church has got started," said Mr. Tucker when Mr. Elderberry announced his intended departure. "You'd better come out in the country again. You can board cheap, or work for your board, if you want to. I'd take ye. I s'ud think 'twould do ye good to get up an' stir 'round after takin' it easy a year."

Arrived at East Gypsum, Mr. Elderberry was directed to the house of Mrs. Mullein, who, it was said, desired one more boarder. He was met at the door by an elderly woman, who proved to be Mrs. Mullein, Senior.

"Board? Yes. Professional man? Yes," said the old lady, in a high staccato voice, as she led the way up stairs. "We may suit, and we may not. Julia, my son's wife, gives lessons. P'raps you'll find out one these days what sons' wives are. When she ain't banging the piano, or the children ain't, the scholars are. The piano's just under this room."

She opened the door of a torrid chamber.

"There's two sets o' twins, and one odd, and they rampage all over the house. That's Julia's idea of government. The young man in the room back of this is learning the horn, an' when he's home—an' he alwa's is evenings—he practices, or reads out loud for his elocution. Probable you want a cool room? Hem! Well! This room'd bake an egg after dinner; fronts west, and there's a tin roof. Another one of Julia's ideas. Our price is eight dollars. I think she wants to rent this room, but you'd better come in later and see her."

Mr. Elderberry did not return to Mrs. Mullein's, and, after long wandering, found a little room in a house owned by two quiet spinsters. But the lot was narrow, and on one side was a melodeon and on the other were four girls and a dulcimer. In vain did Mr. Elderberry attempt literary composition. The melodeon wheezed, while the dulcimer kept up a monotonous: "Pink-a-punk-a-pink! Pink-a-punk! A pink-a-punk! A pink!"

When a week had passed, having only a dollar and four cents left, Mr. Elderberry set out for home on foot. He had on his old clothes, but the ministerial cut was unmistakable, and the old farmer who overtook him, asked, dryly: "Hev a lift, Elder? I'm goin' your way."

"Hev the dumbdest kind o' work a-gittin' help!" he grumbled, when Mr. Elderberry had accepted his offer. "An I've work for two men in the hop-yard, an there's a sight to contain an' explain to be passed fore they're ready for the pickin' fairly."

"I wish you'd have me go pick cucumbers," said Mr. Elderberry.

The old man laughed, incredulously, and then Mr. Elderberry told him his wish. The story at which the old man laughed again, and engaged him on the spot for a dollar a day.

When Mr. Elderberry returned to Flintville his cheeks were brown and his step was brisk, and he received many congratulations on the good his fishing excursion had done him. "Out Squire Pogg spent Thanksgiving with friends near East Gypsum, and the next week a column was wasted on the pastor.

"We consider you've brought disgrace on us all," said the Squire, severely, when he had detailed what he had heard. "The best thing you kin do is to resign."

When Mr. Elderberry had told the story of his vacation, and had explained that the money he had earned in the cucumber field had part of it gone to swell the church missionary accounts, the committee were mollified, but there was still a rankling feeling that he had disgraced the church. The winter passed, and spring was blossoming into summer, when Flintville was electrified by the news that Mr. Elderberry had a call to Gypsum Center, and was offered eighteen hundred dollars and a parsonage.

"It's all come of that old Seran he worked for on the Mile Strip, last summer," said Squire Pogg to Deacon Harp. "Seran's son's a deacon in the Gypsum Center Church. I seen the old feller last week, an' sez he, I never had a man on the place that put in the licks Elderberry did, sez he; an' when you want to drive your new preacher, Mr. Chubb, out o' town, sez he, send him up to me."

"M-yeh ah!" ejaculated Deacon Harp, with an expressive shake of his head. "If he can't go to his father's, or his father-in-law's, or—some'eres respectable, Mr. Chubb won't git no vacation."—*Elizabeth Cummings, in N. Y. Independent.*

INTRODUCTIONS.

The "Best People" at the Hub Setting Their Faces Against the Custom.

Our "best people" are setting the ban of their displeasure against the custom of introducing people to other people. The social lines, including guests who may be introduced to other guests, are very tightly drawn, and an invitation to people in good society to visit them does not by any means involve the probability of your becoming known to the other guests. This is not taken to mean that you are not at liberty to "scrape acquaintance" with any of the lordly guests if you choose to make the attempt, but simply that the hostess considers it no part of her duty to impose your acquaintanceship upon her other friends. There are some old families here, the bearers of pre-revolutionary names and pedigrees, who carry the absurd new notion to a ridiculous extreme. Many of these families are as poor as church mice, and have no little trouble to scrape along in their shabby gentility, but the way they hold up their social superiority is something truly agonizing. I heard a bright and cultivated young lady telling of her experience under one of these ancestral roof trees the other evening, and as she is sensible enough to enjoy the absurdity of the whole pretentious custom, it gives her friends no little healthy amusement. At a private musicale a few evenings since one of the young lady guests, who is a social favorite, as well as a remarkably fine amateur pianist, was approached at the close of a brilliant performance by one of the grand and unapproachable dames, who condescended to say: "You play very well. You really must ask some one to introduce you to me!" Needless to say, the presentation has not yet been made.—*Boston Cor. Minneapolis Tribune.*

A FEATHERED BACCHANAL.

Singular Accomplishment of a Milwaukee Canary Bird.

A tiny yellow-feathered canary bird stopped eating hemp seed and began cocking its head on one side, then scratching its bill with one claw, the bird began to sing in flute-like tones, "We Won't go Home 'till Morning." Every note was as true and prompt as a French music box. Despite the animated appearance of the songster, it was so unnatural to hear the roystering song of the bacchanals chanted by a canary, that the bystander looked suspiciously around to find the music box which was playing the tune. The bird belongs to L. D. Stebbins, the watchmaker, on Wisconsin Street, and he explained the *modus operandi*, by which the little songster acquired its surprising faculty.

He said that the bird had been bred by himself, being a common canary. The parent birds were chosen with reference to volume of voice and quality. "As soon as the bird was born," he said, "the education was begun. A mouth organ was the educator employed. Beginning thus early it was eight months before the education was completed. The bird can sing 'We Won't go Home 'till Morning,' faultlessly, but there its acquirements end. It has never heard any other song. That tune was played at the bird three times a day on an organ. It is a common canary, and is valuable on account of its superior education, inasmuch that I was offered forty-five dollars for it a few days ago. Ignorant common canaries sell for four dollars, which proves conclusively that there is nothing lost by educating them."—*Milwaukee Wisconsin.*

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THE BARTHOLDI STATUE.

Present Condition of the Pedestal and How the Statue Will Be Erected and Anchored.

General Stone, Engineer-in-Chief of the Bartholdi Statue pedestal, was interviewed as follows yesterday:

"What is the present state of the work on the pedestal, General?"

"You are aware that the foundation mass of twenty-three thousand five hundred tons of concrete, was finished last year in May, and the building of the pedestal proper, of granite and beton, was commenced. That work continued until the funds were nearly exhausted and the cold weather came on, when building ceased and work was carried on only at the quarries, where we continued to get out and cut the granite. When work ceased in building the pedestal was up to the ninth course of masonry. There will be forty-six courses of granite in the finished pedestal, so there are thirty-six courses yet to build."

"Is any of the stone prepared?"

"Oh, yes. A large quantity. Three courses are already at Bedloe's Island, ready for setting, while at the quarries at Lute's Island, there are five courses dressed all ready to ship, and five courses on which the cutters are at work; so that in a short time the stone for one-half the height will be ready for setting."

"The statue, it is said, is made of sheet copper. What will hold it in form when set up, and how will it be attached to the pedestal?"

"Inside the sheet copper will be a very strong framework of wrought iron, consisting of four large angular pillars braced with iron from bottom to top. This iron structure is to come from France with the statue, and weighs about one hundred and twenty tons—much more, in fact, than the statue itself.

"This iron framework will rest upon and be attached to two strong steel girders, which we will place on the top of the pedestal, and these two girders will have two others directly under them at right angles. About sixty feet below the top of the pedestal there will be two other pairs of steel girders, which will be connected with those on top by steel eye-bars, so that the girders which support the weight of the statue and its framework will be anchored to the masonry and held securely by the weight of the pedestal itself."

"What is the extend of the steel work?"

"The weight of the steel system will be about one hundred and fifty tons."

"What is the necessity of such strong attachment?"

"The statue, while colossal in size, is by no means correspondingly heavy. While one hundred and fifty-one feet high, it, with its interior framework, weighs only about two hundred tons; but it has great surface—nearly four thousand square feet—exposed to the wind. With a strong wind blowing on this great surface the tendency would be to overturn the statue, and in such an effort the wind, since the center of gravity is more than sixty feet above the top of the pedestal, would have the advantage of great leverage. In case a violent gale should strike it, a cyclone such as has been known at Mount Washington and in many parts of our country, the wind effort to overturn the statue would be nearly seven thousand foot tons. Now, the weight of the statue resting on a base of only forty feet square would not by any means suffice to overcome this effort of the wind, and it becomes necessary to attach the weight of the statue to the weight of a great mass of the pedestal. This is accomplished by the system of support and anchorage which I have described. This system has been so devised that it will be always accessible in all its parts, so that it can be watched and kept constantly in good condition."

"How will the statue be lighted when completed?"

"Instead of having lights streaming from the diadem as was first proposed, I would prefer, should it be found practicable by electricians, to have electric lights placed, with strong reflectors, around the foot of the statue, casting a very strong light upon it, and thus giving it the appearance during the night of a shining statue. Then I would like to have a great vertical beam of electric lights spring from the top of the uplifted torch. Such a beam of light would strike upon the lower stratum of clouds, and its reflection, when even light clouds are over it, could be seen far out to sea and at a considerable distance inland where mountains do not intervene."

"What do you think will be the impression made by the work when completed?"

"I think that it will be by far more grand than any of us can well conceive until we shall actually see it. There is nothing of the kind in the world at present with which we can compare it. Even the site chosen for the monument is such that it will appear as if all had been constructed by man, even the island, for the sole purpose of presenting in beautiful artistic form the grand idea that 'Liberty enlightens the nations of the world.'"—*N. Y. World.*

Julienne Soup.

I have just learned the origin of Julienne soup. At the time of the French revolution there was a famous hostelry, called "Restorator," on Milk street, Boston. It was kept by a Frenchman named Julien, who first had the notion of selling food in hermetically sealed cans. On his return to France he sold his patent to the Cafe de Paris. The vegetable soup retained his name.

Simple as it looks, this soup is not so easy to brew. The stock must be pure and thoroughly distilled. The herbs must be fresh and succulent. A bowl of Julienne ought to suffice for any man's luncheon. Corot, the famous landscape painter, after working hard the whole forenoon, would have a dish of Julienne brought to him. He delighted to see the cubes of rosy carrot and the filaments of green asparagus floating on the amber surface.—*Montreal Gazette.*

Brought Home a Wagon.

Louisville, Ky.—Mr. J. Helmus, Vice President of the City Brewery, was brought home in a wagon, carried up two pair of stairs by two of his men and laid on the bed. He was suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism contracted in the ice vaults of the brewery. He refused to have a doctor, but dispatched a servant for a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, with the result that in one week he was entirely cured and able to return to his desk.

Ohio boasts of more colleges than any state in the Union.

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Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kas., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

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The Bible has been translated into Zulu language.

C. A. Wright & Co. would specially recommend to the ladies Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. As a laxative they have no equal. They are guaranteed to cure Chronic Constipation, Dyspepsia, and all diseases arising from a deranged stomach. With a free use of the Tablets, Sick Headache is impossible.

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There are more than 600 varieties of the chrysanthenum, the national flower of Japan.

A boy came home from school much excited, and told his father that the teacher said all human beings were descended from apes, which made the old man so mad that he replied angily: "That may be the case with you, but it ain't with me, I can tell you that, now."

The President of the Cambridge, Mass., Fire Ins. Co. says: "I recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as a building up and strengthening remedy.

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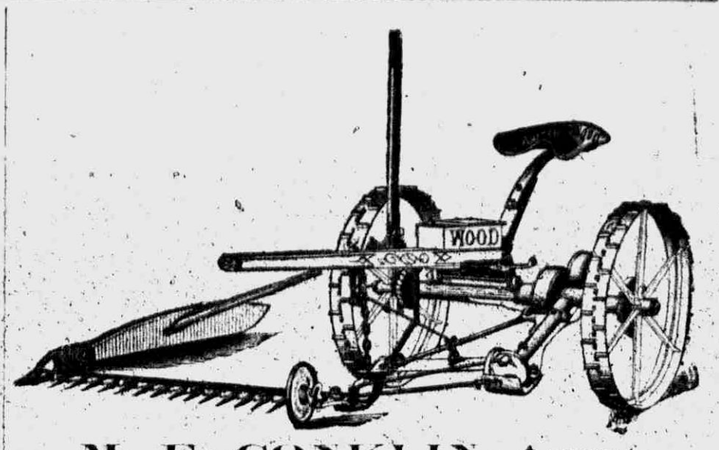

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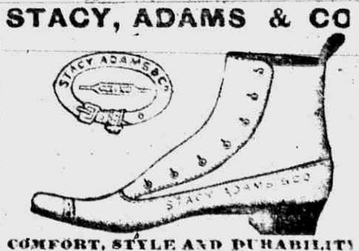

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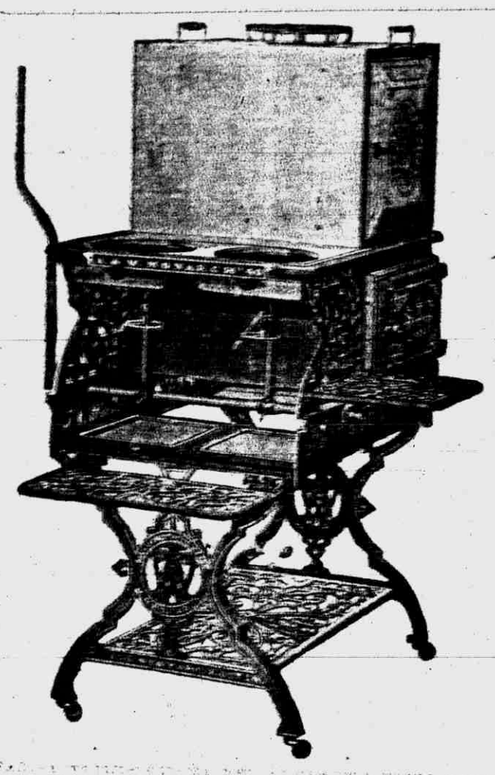

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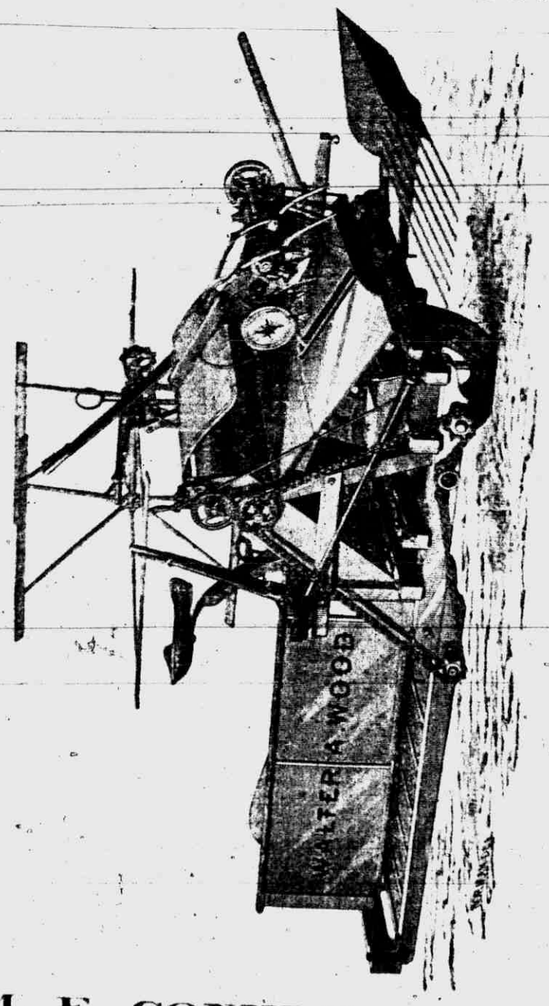

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Judge Howell, of Adrian, was in the village last Friday.

Mrs. D. McNair has been spending a few days at Battle Creek, visiting friends there.

Dwight Stocking, of Indiana, is in Tecumseh this week, having been called here to attend his father's funeral.

The work on Allen's' new hotel at the North end of Devils' Lake is booming right along. Henry Mensing, the contractor, has twelve men at work. Whitenack, Bordine & Co., are putting on the tin roof.

Charley Akin, who last year run the grove at Wampler's Lake, is this year running a summer resort at Wolf Lake, Jackson County. He has a fine place there and will no doubt secure a share of the public patronage.

Peter S. Waldron, an old resident of Tecumseh, died after a lingering illness of several months, on Saturday last. The Masonic fraternity took charge of the funeral which was held last Monday at the family residence of the deceased, about one mile north of this village. Over fifty members of the Lodge turned out and the attendance of neighbors and friends was very large.

The tax case of Benj. L. Baxter, Deerfield township, Lenawee county, against the drain commissioner of Blissfield, an adjoining township, for being assessed for the construction of a drain in his own township ordered by a person not living in the township has been decided by the supreme court. Justice Campbell says that no township corporation has power to tax another township. To allow one township, or its officers, to meddle in the management of public interests in others, or levy taxes against them or their people, would be a subversion of their independent character. The powers granted, if belonging to the respondent, are a direct and immediate interference with the independence of other townships and an exercise of some of the most important governmental powers of the state over the people and municipalities which have no voice, direct or indirect, in the election or appointment of the functionary exercising it. Such a grant to a local officer is too repugnant to our political system to find support anywhere. Two townships cannot govern the same territory. The action of the commissioner of Blissfield, so far as it affected the plaintiff in Deerfield, was wrong, and the proceedings to that extent were quashed.—Evening News.

FAILURE OF SEED CORN.

MR. EDITOR:—I notice in your paper as well as in several others, many failures of seed corn to come up; and this the greater pity, because it is a matter so easy to be avoided in almost all cases, for it is a simple operation for farmers to have sound, sure seed corn, and also to secure the best kinds taken in season, and now is the best time to think of and prepare for it as I did for many years, and as they do in Genesee County with success.

When the corn is eared out to full size, while yet green, go to the field, seek out those stalks having two or more good long ears filled out to the tip end, as well as those that seem to be the earliest and possess other desired good qualities; mark these stalks and hills in some way so that they may be distinguished and gathered separately when ripe; this will secure the best, earliest and prolific sorts for seed. Gather the ears in the husk, breathe them up by the husks in bunches of two or more ears, hang them up where they will not suffer from moisture, and also where they will not freeze, and you will have seed corn that will not fail to germinate and come in season; soak in salt brine over night and roll in lime to dry the seed for planting; it will come up four to six days sooner and grow faster and more evenly and more free from insects.

T. S. C.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 11, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The economical boy will now save up his pennies for circus day.

Miss Ella Chiverall resumed command at telephone headquarters this morning.

We are indebted to James B. Colvin for a copy of the Rural Californian, published at Los Angeles.

The Farmers Social Club will hold their annual picnic at Sand Lake on Saturday next, June 13th.

Jerome Cleveland went to Addison last Monday to spend a few days with his brother, E. L. Cleveland.

Wm. McCowen is putting plate glass windows in his store front. It will be a decided improvement.

The genuine "missing link" will be one of the attractions of Doris's circus which will exhibit here on June 20.

W. J. Gray, a practical baker, has purchased the Snedecor bakery and respectfully solicits a share of Tecumseh's patronage.

Mrs. J. P. Hawke, Mrs. A. Carpenter and Miss Lena Sizer, of Adrian, spent a few days last week visiting Mrs. M. J. Bigelow, of this village.

Mrs. Fred H. Burlingame went to Kalamazoo on Friday last. Fred has a good position there and thinks he will make that city his future home.

Capt. Lawrence, D. P. Spaulding and W. B. Scofield have been at Devil's lake for a few days engaged in placing a tin roof on Allen's new hotel.

Rev. H. L. Hayward, a former pastor of the Universalist church of Tecumseh, will preach in that church next Sunday morning at the usual hour.

The Sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital of Adrian will canvass Tecumseh for aid at an early day. We commend them and their work to the good wishes of our citizens.

The next meeting of the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's club will be held at Putnam's Landing, Sand Lake, on Saturday, June 20th. Picnic dinner at 12 o'clock.

Beecher Howell, son of Judge Howell, of Adrian, has finished his course at the Annapolis U. S. Naval Academy and graduated last week. He will be ordered to duty on the Trenton, the flag ship of the Asiatic squadron.

The ladies of the Universalist church have purchased a new carpet for the church of W. & S. W. Anderson & Co. and are now engaged in putting it down. The inside wood work and pews will also receive a new dressing of varnish.

L. M. Waldron has lately put in an "I. X. L." windmill and a complete system of water works for W. J. Osborn, upon his farm three miles west of Tecumseh. Mr. Osborn claims that he now has the best system of farm water works in the county of Lenawee.

L. P. Tribou, the secretary of the Alumni Society for the present year, is at work on the program with good success. The persons appointed for the different duties have announced their intention to be on hand and prepared. A full and interesting program will be presented.

The annual festival of the Clinton Masonic Lodge will take place on Wednesday evening, June 24th. During the afternoon the graves of deceased masons, situated in the Clinton cemetery will be decorated with flowers. Members of neighboring lodges will be invited to participate.

The proceedings of the Swamp Raisin drain have been quashed by the supreme court. The law was strictly complied with by the commissioner, the decision probably being on its unconstitutionality. The drain cost over $8,000, a large proportion of which was due to men who worked out the dirt, and who will now go unpaid.—Blissfield Advance.

Another pioneer has gone to his final reward. Amos Stocking, after an illness of several months, died on Sunday last, at the advanced age of 84 years. He came to Tecumseh in August, 1828, and has been a resident of the village ever since that time. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Babbitt, on Tuesday afternoon at the family residence. His son, A. D. Stocking, arrived from Ligonier, Ind., last Saturday just in time to see his father alive. A fitting obituary notice, by a friend, will appear in next week's HERALD.

Morenci Observer: The removal of some siding from S. T. Snow's house, the other day, brought to light a well-preserved copy of the Northwestern Christian Advocate of Chicago, dated January 11, 1860, and with the name of W. D. Page written on the margin. It is a broad seven-column folio, and its editor was T. M. Eddy, D. D., a cousin of the late E. D. Allen. We have read the able editorials and other matter of this old paper with no slight interest. In its market report wheat is quoted at 99c. to $1; oats 35c. The then important subject of human slavery is discussed from the abolition standpoint in an article by W. E. Bigelow, of Tecumseh.

Mrs. Erv. Kennedy is spending a few days in Adrian visiting friends.

The Fourth Michigan regiment will hold its reunion in Jonesville on the 19th.

Horace Eaton has gone to Paw Paw for a few days visit with John H. Waring's family.

Frank Osborn has been in town a day or two attending the Sunday School Institute.

S. W. Temple is making arrangements to start a branch of his coal business at Jackson.

Among the attendants at the S. S. Institute yesterday we noticed Mr. Wallace Westerman, of Adrian.

Yee Din has again taken possession of the washee house on Pearl street and Tong Tee has departed for Jackson.

The young people of the Baptist church will hold an ice cream festival at the chapel next Thursday evening, June 18th.

O. P. Bills returned last Thursday from a week's trip out west. He spent most of the time during his absence at Chicago.

One day last week Elder Price had three cows killed by the engine of the M. & O. freight train, on his farm on the prairie.

Is it not nearly time for some of our business men to announce that they are ready to pay the highest market price for wool?

W. T. Eccles makes a fine display of fruits in his new stand in front of his store. It is enough to make one's mouth water to look at it.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mills of Adrian came over last week to make a short visit with their son A. W. Mills. They were here over Sunday and Monday.

Dr. C. M. Woodward went to Port Huron on Tuesday to attend the annual session of the Michigan State Medical Society. He will return home to-morrow.

Arthur W. Burnett is spending a short vacation with his father, Rev. W. Q. Burnett. He was enjoying the session of the Sunday School Institute yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hayward of Longmont Col. are in town this week shaking hands with their many Tecumseh friends. They will remain until next Monday.

Mr. Dorman B. Eaton is to give in the July number of the North American Review the results of his two years' experience as chief of the Civil Service Commission.

M. L. Root started last Monday for Pittsburg, Baltimore, Washington and several other large cities, in the interest of the Globe mills. He will be gone about two weeks.

Hope Welch, formerly of Canandaigua, has opened a store at North end of Devil's Lake, and will occupy a large room in the Allen's new hotel. The new postoffice to be opened soon at Devil's Lake, will be located in the same hotel.

We inadvertently stated last week that Bidwell's grey team drew the floral car on Decoration Day. Our informant was mistaken. The team belonged to N. M. Sutton, and we cheerfully make the correction. We believe in giving credit to whom credit is due.

The Lenawee Baptist Association had a very successful meeting last week at Morenci. The Tecumseh church was represented by Rev. C. E. Conley, Mrs. C. E. Conley, Mr. and Mrs. John Margeson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Heck, Marvin Howard, Spencer Lester, Mrs. Chas. McNeil, Mrs. J. H. Bramble, Mrs. O. B. DeWolf, Miss Mary Herring. Eight of these were delegates and the remainder visitors.

Adrian Record: County Clerk Bixby is busily engaged in indexing the marriage records of the county. It is a work of some magnitude, as the records running over a long term of years have never been indexed. The records are compared with the originals and corrections made in the names before indexing. The system of indexing is such that by a minutes' search one will be able to find the record in any marriage ever recorded in the clerk's office.

The report that the sextette band has consolidated with the cornet band is entirely without foundation, as the boys intend to stick together, purchase new instruments and have a first class band. They have been invited to be present at the opening of the new hotel at Devil's lake when finished and will probably accept. The nearest approach to a consolidation is that Mr. Knapp, the leader of the sextette, has been engaged by the cornet band as their instructor.

Last Friday afternoon a picked nine from around town and the High School nine met at base ball park to engage in a match game of ball. The high school nine was re inforced by several players from town, with H. McNair and B. Simons as the battery. The picked nine put up Jim Stevens and Al. Heidenrich as their battery. The boys played very well considering the small amount of practice had, the picked nine making 16 runs, 6 errors, 10 base hits with 2 two baggers. The high school nine made 5 runs, 15 errors and 2 base hits.

The Hudson races take place next week, June 17, 18, and 19.

Mrs. H. E. Stout is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. R. Woodell, at Battle Creek.

Asa L. [illegible], of Chicago, arrived home last Friday for a few weeks' vacation.

Adrian is making extensive preparations for a big celebration on the 4th of July.

The cut worms is making bad work with the growing corn, and many fields in this vicinity have been planted over.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman has received lovely additions to her large stock of millinery goods in the shape of new flowers, new bonnets, &c. She is bound to keep up with the styles.

Children's Day will be observed at the Methodist Episcopal Church next Sunday, June 14th. There will be a baptism of children in the morning and a sermon on "The Training of Children." In the evening the Sunday School will give a concert.

The Lenawee County Horticultural Society will meet at Town Hall, Clinton, Friday 19th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. All interested in fruit growing are cordially invited to attend. Dinner will be served at the hall.

S. B. MANN, Sec.
D. WOODWARD, Pres.

Mrs. Spaulding has the finest display of flowers at her green house, ever seen in our village, comprising many choice and valuable plants. We are glad to note that she is receiving many orders from abroad as well as home. She deserves patronage for time and energy to please all who love beautiful flowers.

Ex. Gov. John P. St. John, of Kansas, has been engaged by the temperance people to make several addresses in Michigan, commencing in Buchanan, Friday, June 12th; at Albion, Saturday, 13th; Jackson, Monday, 15th; Eaton Rapids, Tuesday, 16th; Hillsdale, Wednesday 24th. There is a probability of an excursion from Adrian to Jackson next Monday. Fare for round trip $1.25. An effort is making to secure him for a meeting at Tecumseh on the 25th or 26th.

H. L. Jones has exhibited in this office specimens of canned fruit and vegetables, including strawberries, cherries, grapes, peaches, whortleberries and peas, canned by a new process which does not require the fruit to be cooked. The fruit and vegetables are thus left in their natural condition, and will keep equally well in jugs and crocks, it not being necessary to seal in air tight cans. Mr. Jones has samples of the fruit at his office, which our citizens, and especially the ladies, are invited to call and examine. Family rights to use the formula can be obtained of Mr. Jones for $1. All the ingredients are pronounced by physicians to be entirely harmless, and can be obtained of any druggist at a cost of less than one cent per quart of fruit.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The exercises of commencement week this year bid fair to be fully up to the usual standard.

On Sunday evening, June 21st, a sermon to the graduating class will be given at the M. E. church by Rev. Geo. W. Hudson.

On Thursday evening, the 25th inst., the regular commencement exercises will be held at the Opera House. The graduating class is composed of six members; Bert McNair, Frank Hall, Lyster Dewey, Will Hayden, Mable Hayden, and Rose Hendershot. These exercises will be of the usual character, consisting of addresses by the graduates, music, conferring of diplomas, etc.

On Friday evening, the Alumni reunion will be held at the Lilley House. The literary program will consist of an oration, essay, poem and history. These will be followed by a supper, to be concluded with the usual toasts and responses. The program will be enlivened with good vocal or instrumental music.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

At the last meeting of Beer's Post G. A. R. the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas in the Providence of God, He has seen fit to remove from our midst our friend and comrade, Harris McDaniel, therefore while we sincerely deplore the loss which we as a Post have sustained by his death, do at the same time meekly bow to the dispensation of the Supreme Commander of the Universe, knowing that He doeth all things well. Therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Harris McDaniel we have lost a faithful and true comrade, a brave and efficient soldier and our country a devoted and patriotic defender.

Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the widow and family of the deceased in their hour of affliction.

Resolved, That the chart of Beer's Post, G. A. R. of Tecumseh, Mich., be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, and to the Tecumseh papers for publication.

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THE TOLEDO ART LOAN.

The Art Loan, the first one ever attempted in Toledo, will open its doors at Mabley's Rink, Monday, June 22, and continue one week. The Association has secured for this exhibition 75 or more of the best works of the most celebrated artists of the United States collected by the eminent artist, Mr. Frank C. Bromley, of Chicago, together with the masterpieces of Chase, Sellinger, Eastman, Johnson and others of the east, with fifty or more generously loaned by the citizens of Toledo. There will also be some of the old masters' productions, notably Michael Angelo, T. R. Robot, Angeleja Kauffman, and others. In addition to the works in oil there will be a large collection of water colors and etchings, the Smith collection of bronze and statuary from Detroit and beautiful and interesting collections of bric-a-brac, decorative art work, antiques, etc., etc. The exposition will be the most extensive and of more interest than any ever given in northern Ohio. Mabley's beautiful rink will be open all day and till 10:30. Tickets of admission 25 cents; tickets of five admissions $1.

THE LIBRARY LECTURE COURSE.

The Stewart Roger's entertainment on Friday evening last, completed the Library Course. Mr. Rogers was greeted with a good audience, and his program was most favorably received. He is a master of mimicry and possesses a wonderful power of facial expression. These traits, united with a full toned and finely cultivated voice, make him the leading impersonator now on the American platform. His changes of character are made in a few seconds, and in the presence of the audience, thus avoiding the tedious waiting between scenes which is customary in entertainments of this kind.

After figuring up the receipts and expenses of the entire course, the committee have a net surplus on hand of $2.35; hence no assessment will be required to meet the expenses of the course. Considering the disadvantages with which the committee have had to contend, this result is both unexpected and gratifying. Every evening but one, on which an entertainment occured, was stormy. Twice have the committee been disappointed outright. It is safe to say that these untoward events entailed a loss of at least $50, and possibly $100. Under favorable circumstances the course would have netted a handsome profit.

The committee of the Library association having the course of entertainments in charge consisted of A. W. Mills, O. P. Bills, Dr. R. B. House, Mrs. H. S. Lee and Mrs. C. A. Wright. Most of the work devolved upon the two first members of the committee and especially upon the chairman, Mr. Mills. The Library association and the public owe him a debt of thanks for his disinterested services in their behalf. He should be kept in the same position next season.

G. A. R. RIVER CARNIVAL.

Extensive preparations are in progress by Forsyth Post and Forsyth Relief Corps, of Toledo, to give an entirely new and novel entertainment on Wednesday, June 17, the Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, for benefit of the Relief Fund, which is used to care for the needy and destitute families of old soldiers. It is expected that four of the U. S. War Ships in service on the lakes will be present and participate on that day. This will afford a splendid chance to see four of our Nation's guardians, doing duty on our inland seas. The following is an outline of the program:

From 10 to 12 M.—Reception on board the U. S. War Ships in the harbor; reunion of old soldiers, shandshaking, etc.

At 12 M.—National Salute.

2.00 P. M.—Address of Welcome.

2.30 P. M.—Grand Chorus by pupils of Toledo Schools, in charge of Prof. Bennett.

3.30 P. M.—Cantata, by the Children.

From 3.30 to 9.00 will be filled with constantly changing features, all of which are attractive and entertaining. The following are the leading attractions: Boat Races; Target Practice; Band of Gypsies; The Alhambra Club; Wandering Minstrels, Jarley's Wax Works; Famous Bells and Chimes of the World; Twilight Glee Club; Tableaux; Oriental Booths; Madame Planchard and Blind Girl. Dancing will be indulged by those who enjoy the "light fantastic."

A Naval Battle at Night. The most thrilling and exciting feature of the program will be a naval engagement between at least three gun boats on the river and forts and batteries on shore, and must be seen and heard to be appreciated. This will take place on the river, opposite the Island, from 9 to 10, and can be seen by those on the island. No one should miss seeing this exciting scene.

A Grand Display of Fire Works will take place on the river in the evening.

A Model of Bunker Hill Monument will be erected, and the island decorated and lighted at night with the magnificent Electric lights. Every provision will be made for the pleasure and enjoyment of all who come.

A special train will be run over the M. & O. road that day to accommodate those who wish to attend. This train will leave Tecumseh at 9.32 A. M. Fare for the round trip $1.10. Fare from Ridgeway $1.00. Returning, the special train will leave Toledo at 11.00 P. M.

A CARD

A report having been in circulation that a mistake had been made in some medicine bought by us from Baker & Hall, we wish to correct such an impression, if still existing in the mind of anyone.

The result of the post mortem examination with the chemical analysis made by Prof. Prescott, of Ann Arbor, to whom we sent the medicine, shows the slightest suspicion of a mistake to have been entirely unfounded, the medicine containing nothing except what was ordered by us.

FRED CHIVERALL,
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PROF. PRESCOTT'S LETTER.

Mr. Wm. Chiverall: Dear Sir, Your letter and package came this morning. I have made as careful an examination as possible. The mixture contains molasses, sulphur, magnesia and cream tartar.

I am not able to find anything else. A more extensive analysis with the molasses present would take a good deal of time. I analyzed especially for articles that would cause constipation, but have found none.

Yours,
A. B. PRESCOTT.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the kind friends and neighbors who assisted us in our recent affliction, we would tender our most heartfelt thanks.

FRED. CHIVERALL AND FAMILY.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Greeley, Colorado Sun, containing the Commencement day addresses of the High School graduating class. Among them is one upon "Working in the Morning Hours" by Miss Psyche E. Boyd, daughter of our old townsman, David Boyd.

Geo. Hoxie, of Holloway, turned out the largest casting last week that has ever been run at the Holloway foundry. It was the bed plate for a saw mill, weighing 2,350 pounds.

The fire department were out last evening for a little practice.

The skating rink is now open only Saturday evenings.

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DENTIST. 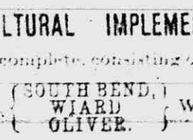 DENTIST.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The Attorney-General of Wyoming has [illegible] opinion on the case of a person convicted and sentenced to be hanged, who escaped from the jail by way of the chimney. He was captured and a second sentence of death passed upon him. The question of his guilt or innocence, it was during his escape, was not material, that he was attacked while [illegible] in a dilapidated condition for which he had a pension.

The Treasury Department on the 31st purchased 1,000,000 ounces of silver to be delivered at the Philadelphia and New Orleans mints in exchange for standard dollars.

The State Department has received a dispatch from the United States Minister at Madrid stating that a Government order has issued against Asiatic cholera to be spread in Cuba.

Two [illegible] appointments were made by the President [illegible] Gen. W. S. Rosecrans, Register of the Treasury, Herbert Fleete Bomber, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Dakota Territory, Alexander Hale Conkling, Chief Justice of Washington Territory, Armstead Burwell Chilton, of Virginia, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Venezuela, and P. Lee Phillips, of Indiana, for the District of Columbia.

Secretary Lamar has issued a circular that first [illegible] in the sale of Mexican scrip, although it [illegible] purchase [illegible] of these lands in public lands subject to contest as contrary to the General Land Laws, the surveys [illegible] and the [illegible] reservations acquired by purchase in States that had [illegible].

The recently organized Army and Navy Survivors Division of the Penn [illegible] is rapidly becoming a very valuable branch of the Pension Bureau. During the 15th of May the Division furnished to the adjudicating officers and claimants the names and postoffice addresses of 1,127 officers, 37[illegible] non-commissioned officers and 1,[illegible] enlisted men, for use in establishing claims.

Assistant Attorney General Bryant, of the Postoffice Department, is making an effort to break up the manufacture of certain forms of postage stamps both foreign and domestic. He states that large quantities of stamps are printed and sold to stamp collectors purporting to be genuine United States stamps. Many of them are excellent imitations. Some of them are uncancelled and have the words "fac simile" printed across the face. It is not charged that the stamps are used for mailing purposes, but to deceive the public, and Mr. Bryant will endeavor to have them excluded from the mails and thus break up the imposition.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has directed Collectors to discontinue the use of Bond stamps in signing official documents.

Dr. Charles M. Freeman, of New Jersey, has been appointed a medical examiner in the Pension Office, and Dr. Phillip H. Barton, of Illinois, Assistant Medical Referee in the same office, vice N. C. Graham, removed.

THE EAST.

The British brig Anna P. O'Dell, of Liverpool, from St. Thomas, arrived at Portland, Me., on the 4th in distress. A few days out from Porto Rico the first and second mates died of yellow fever. A sailor was also taken ill and will probably die. It is feared that the disease may attack other of the crew. The vessel has been quarantined.

The noted outlaw, Abe Buzzard, surrendered himself to the authorities of Lancaster County, Pa., on the 4th. It is said the surrender was made at the instigation of prominent citizens of the eastern part of the county, who will use their efforts to secure a commutation of his sentence, which it is generally agreed he unjustly received.

At the meeting of the International Typographical Union at New York on the 4th, the plan for the benefit of printers traveling in search of work by which they should receive mileage and per diem was voted down. The proposition for the restoration of the sub-list system was lost.

The Memorial Hall in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, the art hall of the Centennial Exposition, which cost $1,500,000, caught fire on the 5th and was at one time in imminent danger of destruction with its valuable art contents. Fortunately, however, the flames were extinguished after a few hundred dollars' damage had been done.

It is reported that ex-Governor Hale, of New Hampshire, has failed for a large amount, and that all his property in Vermont has been attached for four times its value.

During the week ended May 5 the business failures reported throughout the United States number 182, against 161 in the preceding week and 182, 148 and 139 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882, respectively.

An explosion of gas at the Isabella furnace, Barneston, Chester County, Pa., on the 5th killed William Buller, an employe, and badly injured several others. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

The City Councils of Philadelphia have finally passed the ordinance appropriating $1,500 for the entertainment of the New Orleans committee which will accompany the Liberty bell to that city.

At Fall River, Mass., a constable has served notices evicting the people from the Slade mill tenements. The operatives have been out of work a long time, and are unable to pay rent. The corporation gives twenty-four hours' notice to quit. Many persons are carrying their goods out on their backs, having no money to pay teamsters.

Theron C. Leland, one of the oldest phonographic reporters in this country, died in New York City on the 31. He was the first to report a protracted law case in New York, the matter being the celebrated Forrest divorce case. He and Theodore Tilton together reported the arguments of Webster, Choate and Brady in the famous Day and Goodyear india rubber patent case.

During the week ended the 6th exports of specie from New York were $306,812; of this amount the exports to Europe were $352,412, silver. The imports were $84,823.

William T. Dorrance, for more than eighteen years second teller of the Providence (R. I.) National Bank, was arrested for embezzlement on the 6th and in default of $[illegible] bail was committed to jail. By his own confession the amount of the defalcation is $[illegible] which extends over several years.

The livery stables of Montgomery & Co., on Sixth Street, Pittsburgh, were destroyed by fire on the 4th. Thirteen horses were cremated. Loss $7,000.

Beckerle & Co's extensive hat factory at Danbury, Conn., was burned on the 4th. A gas machine exploded and its five manufactories, the three-story structure, covering nearly an acre, was a mass of flames. There were 450 employes at work in the building at the time, and all escaped safely by jumping from the windows. A number were slightly burned, among them being Mr. Beckerle, the proprietor. The flames spread to and destroyed eight dwellings owned by the firm. The total loss is about $[illegible].

The attendance at the annual picnic of the Amalgamated Association at Beaver, Pa., on the 4th was not as large as usual, not more than [illegible] being present.

George M. Clark, widely known as a member of the minstrel troupe of Wheatleigh & Clark, died at his home in Felchville, Vt., on the 7th, aged fifty-two years. Twenty-seven years of his life was spent in minstrelsy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dallas, of Haverstville, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. St. Clair, of Allegheny City, Pa., embarked in a skiff at Pittsburgh on the 4th to go by river to Haverstville. The boat came in contact with an empty coal barge, was capsized, and the entire party were drawn beneath the barge. Mr. and Mrs. Dallas were drowned. Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair were rescued and with great difficulty resuscitated.

The following changes are noted in the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended June 6: Loans increase $[illegible], specie decrease $[illegible], legal tenders decrease $[illegible], deposits increase $[illegible], circulation decrease $[illegible], reserve decrease $[illegible]. The banks hold $[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

WEST AND SOUTH.

Dr. N. Young, one of the most prominent citizens of Knox County, Ind., was instantly killed on the 31 by an accidental discharge of a gun that was being handed to him by a companion named Garret Robertson, while they were returning from a shooting expedition. Young was thirty-five years of age and unmarried.

Two sons of Charles Flintz, while fishing in the river at Lansing, Mich., on the 31 were drowned. One of them fell in, and while trying to rescue him the other also fell in and both sank to the bottom. The bodies were recovered.

The Opera House, Clements' dry goods store and the *Leader* newspaper office, at Plainwell, Mich., were burned on the 4th.

The postoffice at Louisville, Kan., was entered on the 31 by burglars, the safe blown open and its contents, consisting of money-orders, registered letters, stamps and money, stolen.

H. C. Fisher, postmaster at Fishertown, I. T., who has Indian blood in his veins, has resigned because of the decision of the Attorney General that Indians are not eligible to hold Federal offices.

At Cleveland, Tenn., on the 4th Toll Gate Keeper Kimberly shot Marion Harper dead for refusing to pay toll. Harper, in the quarrel, had shot and fatally wounded Kimberly.

Daniel T. Murphy, the extensive dry goods merchant of San Francisco, died at the Windsor Hotel, New York City, on the 4th of Bright's disease.

The International Distillery at Des Moines, Ia., said to be the largest in the world, was damaged by fire on the 5th to the extent of $10,000.

In the Lower House of the Illinois Legislature on the 4th a resolution was introduced, demanding that Speaker Haines produce forthwith the documents exhibited by him, and any other evidences he may have in his possession which implicates any member of the House as being guilty of fraud.

A Jeffersonville, Madison & Indianapolis freight train ran into a tree blown across the track by the storm of the 4th, near Columbus, Ind., wrecking the engine and half the train. Charles Monroe, son of Rev. W. Y. Monroe, of Madison, Ind., was killed. Engineer Deffindarfer was seriously hurt and narrowly escaped being drowned. The engine fell in four feet of water.

The amended Militia bill, passed by the Illinois Senate on the 5th, provides for a force of four thousand men of all arms, a yearly appropriation of $80,000 for the ordinary expenses of the National Guard, and $85,000 for the purchase of uniforms and equipments.

At the request of two hundred real estate dealers in Iowa, James C. Young, president of the National Association, has issued a call for a convention of dealers and agents to be held in Cedar Rapids, June 23.

Seventy-five masked men entered the jail at Eldora, Hardin County, Ia., early on the morning of the 5th and took three from Fin and Mans Rainsbarger and riddled them with bullets till dead. They were brothers of the two Rainsbargers in the Marshall County jail for the murder of Enoch Johnson, and were arrested a few days ago for an alleged attack on Dr. Underwood, who is prominent in the Rainsbarger prosecution.

An unusually heavy wind storm prevailed at Petersburg, Baltimore, and other points along the coast on the 4th. Much damage was done, houses being unroofed and trees and fences blown down. Two or three fatalities resulted.

Corline's "Wild West" combination went to pieces at Galesburg, Ill., on the 3d. Attachments were served on most of the property, but the cow-boys, Mexicans and Indians of the troupe seized the herd of ponies belonging to the concern and started for the West fully armed. No attempt was made to stop them.

At Moline, Ill., on the 6th Henry Marrs, alleged to be guilty of an indecent assault upon a lady, but who was discharged by the police magistrate, was taken out of the city limits by a mob of about 150 persons, just after midnight, and tarred and feathered.

The funeral of General Samuel T. Bowman took place at Kansas City, Mo., on the 6th, the remains being interred with military honors. General W. T. Sherman, for many years an intimate friend of deceased, made a brief address at the grave.

In his May crop report, Secretary Sanborn, of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture, estimates the yield of winter wheat in that State at 9,000,000 bushels, the condition being fifty per cent. Spring wheat acreage and condition is placed at ninety-one per cent. Corn, acreage 98.5; condition, 77.5 per cent. Live stock is in good condition. The harvest of wheat, according to the estimate, will not be sufficient for home needs.

Near Atchison, Kan., on the 6th a party of students from St. Benedictine's Catholic College were bathing, when two of them, F. W. Akrum, aged seventeen, of Council Bluffs, Ia., and John Bohlberg, of Carrollton, Mo., aged fifteen, were drowned.

A resolution has been adopted by the Tennessee House of Representatives, giving the Hermitage Farm to the Government as a home for veteran soldiers. The resolution provides that General Jackson's house and tomb shall remain intact; that monuments and servants of Jackson's family shall have a home there during life, and that the farm shall revert to the State when it ceases to be a home for United States soldiers.

A party of twenty-five cowboys, employed on Parks & Fisher's ranch, at Duncan, arrived at San Simon, N. M., on the 5th. They report having had an encounter with a band of Apaches at Doubtful Canon, and state that they killed four or five of them. The Indians retreated southward.

Myriads of young grasshoppers, evidently just hatched out in the warm sand, recently made their appearance on the south side of the Arkansas River, opposite Canon City, Col. An area of probably 200 acres is literally filled with young hoppers. It is said that the insects are not the much dreaded locusts and will be incapable of doing much damage.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The corporation of London propose to present to ex-President Arthur an address inclosed in a gold casket, fashioned in a style similar to the one given by that body to General Grant in 1877.

The health department at Montreal, Ont., says that small-pox is becoming epidemic in that city, and have called a special meeting to discuss the matter. Four new cases occurred on the 5th. The cases can be traced to a Pullman car conductor who came from Chicago in April last suffering from the disease, and who was sent to the Hotel Dieu Hospital.

Dispatches of the 5th from Valencia, Spain, report the cholera increasing. Forty-five per cent. of those attacked die. The utmost alarm is felt among the inhabitants, who are fleeing into the surrounding country.

Sir Peter Lumsden, recently in charge of the British section of the Afghan Boundary Commission, arrived at London on the 6th.

A French gunboat having on board a crew of ninety-two persons is reported to have been lost during the hurricane in the Gulf of Aden on the 31. Several vessels recently arrived at Aden report having sighted floating wreckage in the Gulf within the past few days.

A conflagration in the Stamboul quarter of Constantinople on the 7th destroyed three hundred houses, fifty shops and three mosques. One person was killed and many were injured.

All that portion of the Soudan south of Dongola is now completely evacuated by the British troops. Fully 8,000 natives, fearing the wrath of El Mahdi's chiefs, have fled from the Soudan into Lower Egypt in consequence of the withdrawal of the troops. The rebels have already begun to advance upon the points abandoned by the British.

The disease known as glanders is reported to have assumed alarming proportions among the horses of Montreal, Ont. It is important that this should be widely known, as large numbers of horses are shipped to the United States from Canada every week.

A dispatch of the 7th says that shocks of earthquake continue in the Vale of Cashmere and occur at intervals of about three hours. Deafening subterranean noises precede and accompany the shocks. Entire villages have been swallowed up, and the survivors of the earthquakes are threatened with famine, their stores of grain having been entirely destroyed.

LATER NEWS.

THE right wing of the Eastern Lunatic Asylum at Williamsburg, Va., burned on the night of the 7th. There were 500 patients in the building, but all were safely removed, except a Miss Smith, who perished in the flames. Mrs. Jeffries, another patient, wandered away during the confusion and was drowned in a creek near by. Loss estimated at $100,000; one-third insured.

A FIRE at Norfolk, Va., on the 8th destroyed forty-five houses in the business portion of the city. The fire originated in the rear of Hull & Holt's store, which, together with the postoffice and forty other places of business, were consumed. Loss $300,000; about half covered by insurance.

A TERRIBLE explosion occurred on the 8th on board the monitor Inflexible, lying in the harbor at Portsmouth, England. Gas had generated in one of the coal bunkers and becoming ignited exploded with terrific force, badly damaging the vessel and injuring twelve persons, some of them it is feared fatally.

ADJUTANT GENERAL DRUM has just completed a list of casualties in the Federal army during the late war. The list is thought to be the most accurate yet published. The aggregate number of deaths is shown to have been 258,496. Of these, 29,490 occurred among Union soldiers held as prisoners of war. The total number of troops furnished by various States under various calls, is 2,772,408. Some of the returns are duplicated, and it is estimated that the actual number was about 2,500,000.

HON. JOHN S. LITTLER, a prominent Republican and member of the last Ohio General Assembly, died of paralysis at his home in Springfield, O., on the 8th.

THE Circuit Court at Cincinnati on the 8th decided the case of J. B. Mannix, assignee of Archbishop Purcell, against Bishop W. H. Elder and others, a suit to subject church property to the payment of the debt of the Archbishop. The District Court, which first heard the case, held that Purcell was merely a trustee, and that the church property so held by him in trust was not subject to the payment of his debts. The case was before the Circuit Court on a motion to vacate the judgment of the District Court. The motion was refused.

A DISPATCH of the 8th from El Paso, Tex., says a waterspout burst in the mountains about eight leagues west of Lagos, Mexico, and immense quantities of water swept down the mountains toward the well populated plains and valleys below, leaving devastation and ruin in their wake. One hundred lives are already reported lost, and it is feared the list may be swelled still larger when all the details are known. A great many houses were swept away.

A CYCLONE almost destroyed Victory and New Albin, Wis., small villages forty miles south of La Crosse, on the 8th. Scores of houses were completely wrecked and many persons injured. The loss will reach $[illegible].

REV. DANIEL DENNISON WEEDEN, D. D., LL. D., late editor of the *Methodist Quarterly Review*, died at Atlantic Highlands, N. J., on the 8th.

Men Think

they know all about Mustang Liniment. Few do. Not to know is not to have.

ESTATE OF TIMOTHY DEUEL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Timothy Deuel, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly signed by Alva Parker, an alleged creditor of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to petitioner or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. Brisse, Probate Register. May21

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 26th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate, to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
RICHARD CADMUS,
Commissioners.

May 21

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 5th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 5th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 05 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Adrian	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Detroit	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....
Toledo	.....	.....	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 08 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 37 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Butler	2 30	8 25	2 30	
Troy	2 38	8 35	2 38	
Bakersley	2 50	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	3 03	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	3 15	9 09	3 15	
Avordon	3 22	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	3 34	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	3 46	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	3 51	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	3 58	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	4 12	10 05	4 12	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	4 13	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	4 20	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	4 25	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	4 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Ames	4 43	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	4 52	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	5 01	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	5 07	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	5 15	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	5 23	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	5 35	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	5 48	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	6 00	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 14	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Ames	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Avordon		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Bakersley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
Butler		1 08	4 22	1 07

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 01	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 26	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
P.M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
	9 25	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
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		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
		3 45	Mottetth	11 35		5 55
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		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
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VESUVIUS.

Truthful William on a Renowned Mountain in Italy.

The study of the habits and temperament of the volcano at a distance of about ten thousand miles is one that has always afforded me much pleasure. In watching and noting the peculiar phenomena of the eruptions I have almost lost sight of its attendant dangers.

A volcano is always feverish and restless till after the eruption, then it feels better. The first symptoms of an eruption are cold feet, bad dreams, bad breath, and dark circles around the crater. This will be followed by an uncomfortable feeling in the bowels of the earth and a fluttering pulse. The volcano is then about to erupt, and those who live near had better sell out at a sacrifice.

One thousand eight hundred and eighty-four years ago the Roman geographer and weather crank, Strabo, spoke of Vesuvius as a burnt mountain; but it had not at that time turned itself wrong side out. Quite a forest grew where its crater now stands. For fifty years Vesuvius had bilious spells, but kept on drawing its salary without loss of time, but in 79 A. D. it turned itself loose and tore up the ground a good deal. Real estate was to an astonishing height, but became depressed at once. The south half of the mountain was jerked loose, as Pliny has it, and knocked galley-west. This was followed by a shower of hot, wet ashes, which obliterated Pompeii and Herculaneum. Those towns have been exhumed lately; but, owing to criminal delay of the authorities in doing so, no lives were saved.

These cities are not covered with lava. Scientists say that the ruins were found under a deep layer of volcanic tufa. I do not know what tufa is, but presume the term is perfectly proper and safe to use in good society. I have heard of the tufa cigar, which is sold at the rate of tufa five cents, but I am comparatively ignorant of the general appearance of volcanic tufa. This a joke that I thought of myself. Times are so close this winter that I am obliged to originate a good many of my own jokes and to write my own autographs. My amanuensis, who has stood by me so long and aided me so well, has been discharged. Autograph hunters will notice that my autographs are not so good as when I had my amanuensis.

For nearly one thousand years Vesuvius then remained in a comatose state, with only an occasional eruption. Then for five hundred years it did not erupt. In 1538, on the shores of the Gulf of Baiæ, in the Bay of Naples, a new and attractive crater was opened. It was a good, easy-running crater, and the lava was hot when it came out. Hot lava is not good for food. It hardens in the stomach and taints the breath with the odor of sulphur.

In 1631 Vesuvius itself again became intensely irritable and showed signs of a morbid desire to erupt. During the fifteen hundred years of quiet the crater had been covered over with forests infested by the wild boar of Italy and the tame bore of England. The slopes of the mountain were cultivated up to the foot of the cone, and Sunday school picnics swarmed over the green swards at its base.

Suddenly, in the latter part of December, Vesuvius rose on its hind feet and painted Rome red. All Southern Europe and a part of York State was covered with ashes and debris from the internal economy of the volcano. Many people were killed who had never previously lost their lives. The way Vesuvius slung hot mud at the Neapolitan hordes that fall was a solemn warning to the puny pushers of putrid politics in the land of the free and the home of the brave. The beautiful cities of Resini and Postici were entirely destroyed, and those of Torre del Greco and Torre dell' Annunziata would have perished if they had not spread the names of the towns over themselves and escaped. A good long name in Italy is rather to be chosen than great riches.

About every ten years since the above date, Vesuvius has been liable to jar the country and shake down a few towns, covering the people with stuff that is entirely useless. The eruption of Vesuvius is a fine sight at night. No doubt that there will always be more or less apprehension on the part of speculators until some American "rustler" puts a damper in the crater of Vesuvius, so he can regulate the eruption. At present those spasms are too irregular and too vehement.—*Bill Nye, in Ingleside.*

THOMAS JEFFERSON.

How Charles Morgan Became a Commodore Through Jefferson's Influence.

Colonel Wintersmith, of Kentucky, told the following good story of Thomas Jefferson at the Ebbitt House last night. I don't think it has ever been published:

Said he: "One day when Thomas Jefferson was riding through Virginia on his way from Washington to Monticello he came upon a boy trudging along with his clothes in a satchel, which hung on a stick from his shoulder. He stopped his gig and asked the young man if he did not want to ride. The youth looked at him a moment in a bold way, and finally said yes. He was motioned to get in, and in a moment he was sitting by the side of the President, who opened the conversation by asking him who he was and where he was going. He replied that his name was Morgan, and that he was going home from school, and continued by putting the same questions to the President, saying: 'I beg your pardon, stranger, but what might your name be?'

"The President replied, 'My name is Thomas Jefferson.'

"The boy looked up astonished, and asked, 'Not Tom Jefferson, President of the United States?'

"'Yes,' replied Jefferson, and as he did so the boy jumped from the gig and into the road, saying, 'I have heard of you, Tom Jefferson. My father says you are a rascal, and wouldn't he thrash me if he caught me a ridin' with you! Father knows you, and he thinks you are the biggest scoundrel in the country!'

"'No, he doesn't,' replied the President. 'I know him very well. We are good friends personally, though not politically. He won't care if you ride with me. I am not a bad fellow; get in.' Still the young man refused to get in. He reiterated the statement that he believed Jefferson to be a rascal, but finally was persuaded, and again took his seat in the gig.

"During the conversation which followed Jefferson succeeded in making a friend of him, and on parting told him that if he would come to Washington he would give him an office to prove to him that he was his friend. 'No, you won't,' said the boy. 'You will forget me.' 'No, I will not,' answered Jefferson, and with that the two parted.

"Some months afterward young Morgan, becoming disgusted with things about home, concluded to run off and go to Washington after his office. He stole out one night with his clothes in a bundle on a stick over his shoulder and walked to Washington. When he got to the city—it was nothing but a muddy village then—he was covered with dust, and his boots were the color of clay. He went, however, just as he was, up to the White House, and finding the door open walked boldly into a room where he saw Jefferson writing, bending over a table. He went up to him, and laying his hand on his shoulder, said: 'Hello, Tom Jefferson; I've come after that office!'

"The President looked up, but could not remember the boy. Noting his amazed look the young Morgan continued: 'There, I told you you would not remember when I came here.' Jefferson replied that his face was familiar, and on Morgan telling who he was the President greeted him kindly and asked him to be seated. He then called a servant and sent the boy off to be brushed up, asking him if he had another suit of clothes to which he replied he had. He was then given a room in the White House, and the President told him to look about for a few days and see what kind of office he wanted. This young Morgan did, and at the end of the first day he told Jefferson he believed he would take a colonelcy in the army.

"President Jefferson laughed, and told him that the colonels were always old men. He must take something else, but not to be in a hurry, to look around and see the city. He then sent a midshipman with him to make things pleasant for him, and in a day or two young Morgan decided that he would rather be a midshipman than anything else. Jefferson at once gave him the appointment, and he went on a ship immediately. He made a splendid naval officer, and he died a commodore."—*Washington Cleveland Leader.*

CREDULITY.

A Notable Consultation With Somnambulists in France.

Credulity, a belief in somnambulists, and so on are to be met with not among the uneducated classes alone, as is proved by a case connected with the authenticity of an alleged historical document, which latterly engaged the attention of the Paris Tribunal of Correctional Police. The complainant, who described herself as a descendant of a Governor of India under Louis XV., had in her possession a document showing that in 1737 her ancestor had deposited a treasure of forty million francs in his castle of Vilcoq. She took a certain M. Robert into her confidence, and, neither of them having means of their own to carry on researches, two persons were persuaded to advance money on condition of receiving a portion of the treasure when recovered. M. Robert set to work, found the precise spot where the Chateau de Vilcoq had formerly stood, and obtained the consent of the Marquise de Civrie, to whom the estate now belongs, to dig the ground, it being understood that she was also to receive a portion of the property supposed to be hidden there. Digging went on for a long time, but nothing was found. Three somnambulists were then consulted, each of whom fixed on a different spot, and in each spot excavations on a very extensive scale were made. Briefly, the search was carried on with such energy that the property of the Marquise was completely devastated, and that lady, quite disgusted, had to call the police to turn the explorers out of her estate. Debts, however, had been incurred by M. Robert, who, beginning to doubt whether the alleged descendant of the "Governor of India under Louis XV." was not an impostor, refused to restore her the "historical document," had it examined by experts, and learned that it must have been drawn up within the last fifty years. The Tribunal awarded him fifty francs damages, but the Marquise has obtained nothing for the damage done to her estate.—*London Standard.*

Root Crops.

The root crop is far better entitled to be called "the pivotal crop" of the farm than grass is. It is indeed the pivot around which the whole of the farm work will revolve. Five acres of roots should yield from four thousand to five thousand bushels or one hundred and twenty to one hundred and fifty tons. One ton of roots will feed one cow or one steer for about forty to fifty days, and the five acres will therefore provide for the feeding of thirty head of stock during six months. With this supply of roots and plenty of straw and some purchased bran or oil cake meal, then, thirty head of stock can be fed or fattened, and by good management two hundred tons of excellent manure can be made for the improvement of the land. If this crop, then, does not deserve to occupy the central position in the farmer's mind, what other crop can? It is very important just now to consider this subject, because if roots are to be grown immediate preparations should be made.—*N. Y. Times.*

The Old, Old Story,

Why do we hear so much about dyspepsia? Simply because so many people have it. Why are so many people talking about their cure of this dreadful disease? Simply because they have been taking Brown's Iron Bitters. Thus it is with Mrs. Taylor of Lynchburg, Sumpter Co., S. C., who says, "I have used Brown's Iron Bitters for dyspepsia with most favorable results. I believe this medicine is all that is represented." Dyspeptics, and sufferers from neuralgia, weakness, etc. should try it.

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A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with laug fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking Skeleton. Got a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite and a gain in flesh of 48lbs. Call at C. A Wright & Co's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottlee $1.00.

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Colic is one of the banes of childhood, but in our later days we are not exempt from it. John Ripper, a carpenter employed at Thomas & Marts, Springfield, O., sends this certificate to add to a mass of similar ones received daily from every portion of the country. I do hereby certify that Mishler's Herb Bitters entirely relieved me in a few minutes from a severe attack of cramp colic.

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 48	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 55	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville ....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion ..Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 30
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 40AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta ....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta ..Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sherrodsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston ....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo ....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar...Huron...Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	.... Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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A MAN OF HIS WORD.

How General Grant Saved the Neck of General R. E. Lee.

The war was over. General Lee and his half-starved Confederates had returned to their deserted homes on the parole of honor. The victorious Northern and Western armies, under command of Grant and Sherman, were encamped in and around Washington City. Jefferson Davis, Alexander Stephens, Robert M. T. Hunter, John H. Reagan, Postmaster Morris and Edwin M. Stanton were there, and the latter was the Secretary of War.

General Grant and Rawlins were playing a game of billiards in the Navy Department building, and I was looking on, sitting upon an opposite table. A few minutes before, an officer had brought a dispatch from the War Department and handed it to Secretary Stanton. The latter had read it, and, with a smile, had said to Grant, "Sheridan doubt[illegible] the Shenandoah Valley." One of the game balls had just been driven home, and Grant was about to make his next shot when the door-keeper announced "General Lee and staff." Grant straightened up, and said quickly:

"Mr. Secretary, when General Lee surrendered to me at Appomattox Court House I gave him my word and honor that neither he nor any of his officers would be disturbed so long as they observed their parole and the laws. I have heard nothing to cause me to believe that any of us have violated our parole, and have sought to make sure of that fact, and would also suggest that those orders be canceled."

Secretary Stanton became terribly angry at being spoken to in such a manner by his inferior officer, and said:

"General Grant, are you aware whom you are talking to? I am the Secretary of War."

Quick as a flash Grant answered back: "And I am General Grant. Issue those orders at your peril." Then turning on his heel General Grant walked out of the room as unconcerned as if no thing had happened.

"It is needless to say," continued Colonel Barroll, "that neither General Lee nor any of his soldiers were arrested. I was dismissed from the presence of the Secretary with the remark that my services in connection with the arrest of the leading rebels would be dispensed with until he took time to consider, and I know what the result of his decision

Like some cases in law, that decision of the great War Secretary was reserved for a time, but whether the game of billiards between Generals Grant and Rawlins was ever played out to an end has never been definitely known, though it was surmised that with the aid of a consoling cigar the game was finished.—*N. Y. Cor. Philadelphia Times.*

NEMESIS.

To What the Menacing Position of Russia in Asia is Due.

The menacing position of Russia in Central Asia toward the British possessions of that country is due to the policy of the Western powers in preventing the natural expansion of Russia towards the Southwest. To properly develop the commerce and industry of Russia it ought to be her in possession of Constantinople. That potentially important spot of the Eastern world is the key to the trade of Russia as to all our seaboard cities including New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Newport, New Orleans, San Francisco and Portland, to the proper development of the business of our own country. Russia has been driven back upon herself and one-sixth of the human race exist in poverty because the Sultan and not the Czar holds Constantinople and the keys to the Dardanelles. The only outlet for the expanding energies of the Russian Empire is in Asiatic territory to the south and east, hence the conquest of Central Asia and the appearance of the menacing Muscovite armies on the borders of Afghanistan. Great Britain was one of the most important powers that prevented Russia from developing her commerce in the Mediterranean, and her reward may in time be the loss of her possessions in Southern Asia.—*Demorest's Monthly.*

The Great Circus and Menagerie

[illegible] New Monster Shows, Traveling Museum, Menagerie and Hippodrome, Mammoth Museum, Traveling Museum, Elevated Theater stage and Equestrian Menagerie is the greatest and grandest aggregation of startling and astonishing wonders ever exhibited under canvas. We positively leave Tecumseh [illegible]

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THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending June 2, 1885.

Estate of Nathaniel S. Wheeler, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Olive E. Ormsby, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing June 22.

Estate of Charles Brooks, deceased; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Benjamin Olds, an incompetent person; affidavit of service; testimony taken and filed; guardian appointed; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Frank E. Wright, minor; petition for guardian to file account; hearing June 16.

Estate of Jesse L. Powell, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator de bonis non; hearing June 29.

Estate of Stephen Simmonds, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing June 22.

In the matter of William Hill, a pauper insane person; application for admission to asylum; order of hearing; affidavit of service; testimony taken and filed; order for admission.

Estate of John H. Wilson, et al., minors; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $1,500.

Estate of Emma Cannon, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Sarah Jane Patterson, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing June 29.

Estate of John S. Butterick, sr., deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment according to will.

Estate of David Waltermire, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's first account; hearing June 29.

Estate of Hiram C. Colbath, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing June 29.

Estate of Welcome Aldrich, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report and affidavit of service of notice filed.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Lydia Chiverall, born in Scarboro, York County, Ontario. Was married January 19th, 1862, to Frederick Chiverall. She lived in Tecumseh eighteen years. Died Friday, June 5th, 1885, after a brief sickness, 42 years of age.

A husband, daughter and son mourn her departure. She was a faithful wife, a loving mother, a sincere friend and a kind neighbor. The funeral, held at the residence of the family on Saturday afternoon, June 6th, was largely attended and expresses more than words how much she was esteemed, and the sympathy of this community with those bowed down in sorrow.

The pastor of the Universalist church of this village, Rev. J. M. Fetchet, officiated and though his remarks were brief, they were touched with a spirit of hope, comfort and prayer. In closing he quoted these beautiful yet suggestive lines written by Whittier.

"Our lives are albums, written through
With good or ill, with false or true;
And as the blessed angels turn
The pages of our years,
God grant they read the good with smiles,
And blot the ill with tears."

A CARD.

Beers' Post No. 140, G. A. R. At their last meeting held June 5, 1885, a vote of thanks was tendered to the ladies of Tecumseh and Clinton for their generous services in procuring flowers for decorating the graves of our fallen comrades.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending June 2.

CAMBRIDGE.

Frank D. Avery to Henry A. Verser. Land on sec 28. $[illegible]

CLINTON.

Israel B. Schneider to James McIlroy et al. Land on sec 11. $[illegible]

RIGGS'S.

Allen H. Kelly to Alexander Richard. Land on sec 19. $1,800.

John Britton to John B. Beasley. Land on sec 3. $[illegible]

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Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, June 2, 1885.

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Persons asking for letters in the above list will please say "advertised."

FRED ROSENKRANS, P. M.

Balch.

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Lewis Mary E. — Hardman Chester

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TECUMSEH MARKET.

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Apples ⅌ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples dried ⅌ lb		@	[illegible]
Butter ⅌ lb	16	@	18
Barley ⅌ bushel	50	@	60
Beans ⅌ bushel	1 [illegible]	@	1 [illegible]
Buckwheat ⅌ bushel	25	@	2 [illegible]
Buckwheat flour ⅌ hundred	2 [illegible]	@	3 [illegible]
Beef—carcass ⅌ hundred	5 [illegible]	@	6 [illegible]
Beef, Hides	5	@	[illegible]
Calf skins ⅌ lb	8	@	[illegible]
Corn in ear	25	@	[illegible]
Corn—shelled ⅌ bushel		@	[illegible]
Cloverseed	5 00	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed		@	[illegible]
Eggs ⅌ doz		@	[illegible]
Flour ⅌ barrel	5 [illegible]	@	6 [illegible]
Hogs—dressed ⅌ cwt	5 00	@	5 [illegible]
Hogs—live ⅌ cwt	3 [illegible]	@	3 [illegible]
Hay ⅌ ton	8 00	@	10 [illegible]
Honey ⅌ lb		@	14
Ham ⅌ lb		@	1[illegible]
Lard ⅌ lb		@	[illegible]
Oats ⅌ bushel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Onions ⅌ bushel		@	5[illegible]
Potatoes ⅌ bushel	25	@	40
Salt ⅌ barrel		@	1 2[illegible]
Sheepskins	50	@	1 [illegible]
Timothy seed ⅌ bushel		@	[illegible]
Turkeys—dressed ⅌ lb		@	1[illegible]
Wood ⅌ cord	3 00	@	4 [illegible]
Wheat, White ⅌ bushel		@	[illegible]
Wheat, Red ⅌ bushel		@	[illegible]
Wool	18	@	[illegible]

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ESTATE OF ANN BIDDLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred Lewis, administrator of said estate with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that no estate remains in his hands except real estate and praying for the allowance of his final account for an assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. B. Bristol, Probate Register. (jun11

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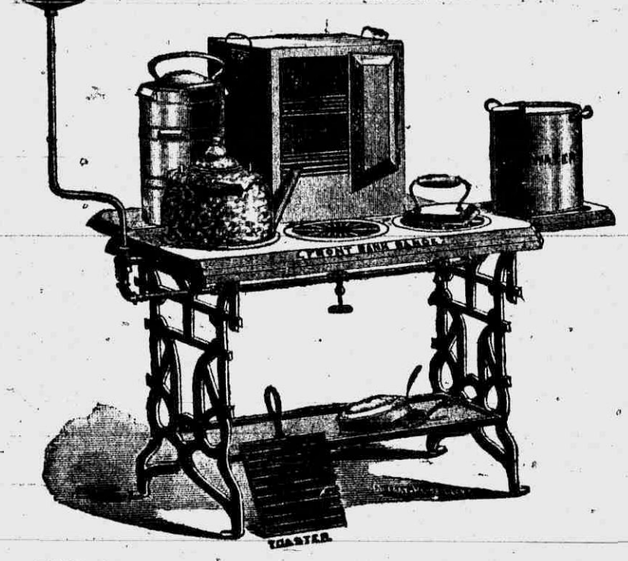

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Miss Laura Clark, went to Albion last Saturday to visit Miss Lou Rowland.

Mrs. Will Wood returned from Canada last week.

G. W. Freeze was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Clark returned from Blissfield last Saturday, where she had been for a couple of weeks.

There is to be quite a change among the teachers in this school next year. It is rumored that one of the graduates of '82 is to take the first primary. Miss Ida McConnell who has occupied that position for nearly four years will have the second primary and Miss Mary Sinclair will have the position now held by Miss Laura Haggart. Miss Ida Fullerton and Prof. Laflin retain their old positions, which they have filled so satisfactorily.

Mr. David Woodward expects a large crop of strawberries from his vines this year, and prophecies that they will be a drug on the market.

Mrs. Nimocks returned from Jackson last week where she has been undergoing medical treatment.

Mrs. Frank Scovell left Clinton for her home in South Bend, Ind., last Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Brown is very sick.

The M. E. and Congregational churches observed children's day. The M. E. church was almost transformed into a beautiful garden. It was literally filled with birds and flowers; the Congregational church was trimmed very tastily though not on as extensive a scale as the Methodist.

Mr. & Mrs. William Mather of Tecumseh and Mrs. Augusta Brooks were in Clinton two or three days this week.

Commencement exercises will be held this year as usual in the Town Hall, Thursday evening, June 25th. The members of the class, are, Dwight Hause, Ansel Kishpaugh, George E. McConnell and Miss Maggie Biggins. The program will consist of orations from the graduates, music, presentation of diplomas, etc.

The Alumni will give their entertainment Friday Evening, June 26th. An admission of 10cts. will be charged to defray expenses. An address by Prof. Laflin, poem by Miss Ella Clark, history by Miss Laura Haggart and music, instrumental and vocal will be presented. After the entertainment, the banquet will be held at the Lancaster House, where responses to toasts will be given. After supper the reception will afford excellent opportunities for a good time to all.

Last week a couple of itinerant soap-sellers honored this place with their presence, applied for and obtained a license to sell their wares. As they commenced operations one old settler was heard to say, "They must think the fools aint all dead." In a very short time, this same o. s. was seen wandering idly across the street in the direction of these men who were applying their persuasive power to the by-standers, to purchase the soap with their choice of several packages of money. The above mentioned personage eyed them, (the packages) wistfully for a time, and finally seeming to forget his remark of a few moments before, went to work in the most approved style to know the truth of what he had said. The result was the loss of ten dollars for him, and the gain of the same amount for the soap-sellers. There may be some consolation for him however in the knowledge that he was not the only one whose greed of gain led him into trouble. There is another to whom ten dollars would be a welcome sum, to fill the hole recently made in his pocket-book; and still another, whose life "on the road" would lead us to suppose that he had acquired enough knowledge of the world to protect him from being swindled in such an openfaced trick as this. But we must all live and learn, dear as may be the experience to some of us.

BRITTON BUDGET.

E. C. Rauch has moved to Monroe. He leaves many friends behind him. We wish him success in his new venture.

H. C. Rauch has put in a line of groceries with his drug store.

The weather continues fine. Cultivating corn occupies the attention of the farmers now; they will hardly stop to speak.

Rev. Bordin has purchased E. C. Rauch's residence and will move in at once. We greet him with pleasure.

On Wednesday evening, June 24th, the Christian Sunday School will give an ice cream festival.

The dogs are committing sad havoc among the lambs in this vicinity.—Wm. Randall has lost eight, John Taylor seven, and others several during the last few days. Our warning of last week needs repeating. Owners of dogs look out.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The usual number of foreign guests made our races interesting, and furnished some millionaire farmers with green spots for their memories. It is doubtful if any one of the victims would have subscribed fifty dollars for the soldiers home, with as little persuading as they paid that amount for nothing, rolled in brown paper. The Jewish Rabbi, who sold money, did a good business with those who are eager to get double their moneys worth, and though they lost ducats and vanity by trusting to appearances, they are almost dropsical with experience. Now that the fights are over and fines all paid, the race affair looks nicer than if yet to be.

A conflagration of suspicious origin, got fair start on some fence posts by the side of Mr. Sheridan's store, and but for Mrs. A. C. Ennis would have destroyed that side of main street in a few minutes, as a great deal of explosive material stored near by would have made personal safety the mainspring of action. The night was dusky and place sheltered from observation. A large crate of paper and packing moss made good kindling, and though all was well at midnight, the blaze was progressing rapidly at one o'clock, and whether accidental or malicious we are thankful for the result.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Cool nights again.

Working on the road is the order of the day now.

Orders have been drawn to pay back the $1,000 voted to build a school house in Dist. No. 1 to the tax payers, so we shall not get a school house for some years to come.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sutherland, of Holloway, visited Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Linn, Tuesday.

One fare for round trip over the M. & O. to Tecumseh next Saturday, to attend the great Doris circus. The freight train will carry passengers.

A. R. Arner is on the sick list at present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cadmus rusticated at Wampler's Lake for a few days last week.

Children's day will be observed next Sunday. In the morning Rev. W. J. Clack will give a discourse to the children, and in the evening the Sunday School will present an exercise prepared for the occasion.

Miss Cora Jackson, of Pennington's Corners spent Sabbath with cousins here.

Dr. D. W. Loree's hay bailing gang bailed 10½ tons of hay in half a day last week.

Miss Jennie Calhoun, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Nellie Freer Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Nelson and Mrs. W. J. Clack, visited friends in Dundee last week.

The attendance at the concert given at Britton, Friday night, was somewhat limited. The society fulfilled their part of the program however.

Mr. Martin Palmer arrived home Friday night from Hillsdale, where he has been attending college.

Miss Ada Loree returned from Detroit Saturday evening, where she has been visiting her sister; Mrs. Alfred Lucking.

Miss Belle Barlow spent Sunday at home, returning Tuesday morning to the college at Adrian.

Mr. John Houseman, of Clinton, came Saturday night to see his mother, Mrs. John Housman, who is failing slowly.

Miss Lizzie Curtis, of Dundee, is visiting her uncle.

It is rather strange that your reporter can't take his cousin home on Sunday evening without creating such a sensation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson returned Monday from a week's visit among friends in Gratiot and Clinton counties, having spent the Sabbath with Mr. and Mrs. Will Howe in Jackson. They report a pleasant time and are well pleased with the country.

The Ladies social will give a strawberry festival, on G. W. Jackson's lawn, next week Wednesday evening. The Ladies are requested to bring biscuit, butter and cake.

The oiling is completed and the carpets down, and the church looks fine. The ladies can feel proud of their efforts for the past few years in keeping up their socials, for their good work looms up fine, and with credit.

Fred Fagan and J. D. Arner took the black team that Mrs. M. A. Barrett sold to Geo. McElcheran for a hearse team, to Ypsilanti, Wednesday.

On Wednesday morning occured one of those [illegible] occasions that is better [illegible] than experienced, in the marriage of Mr. James Barlow and Miss Mary Clark, by Rev W. J. Clack, at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. Susan Clark. As there was no wedding made we were surprised. The happy couple left for a few days at the lakes, returning Saturday night. We extend our congratulations and wish them a happy, successful, prosperous journey over life's troubled sea.

DEVIL'S LAKE DOINGS.

Albert Bedell is building a large barn.

John Brazee raised the wing part of his new hotel Tuesday. Will put up the main building next week; expects to have it ready to occupy about the middle of July.

Frank and George Chidester, Dave Macham and Frank James caught a fine lot of fish Tuesday.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Last Sabbath, Children's Day was observed at the Congregational church. Wreathes of evergreens and flowers in abundance, with excellent recitations, reading and singing by the choir and children, were the attractions that filled the church with an appreciative audience. Next Sunday the M. E. society will have similar appropriate exercises at the church.

Statute labor is performed hereabouts by the practical method of drawing gravel on the roads instead of turnpiking with soft clay or sods.

Supervisor Love, whom we mentioned last week as suffering from a severe attack of brain fever, is recovering.

Last Sunday morning at the uncanny hour of 2 A. M. a quartette of nice young men, who live not many miles northeast from here, invaded our hamlet and annoyed the entire neighborhood by trying to gain entrance to stores and hotel in quest of food, even threatening to break in and help themselves. It was fortunate for them that they did not attempt the latter. We advise these dudes, when they get on a little brindle again, as they call it, not to give their names, or their disgraceful conduct may cost them more than their refreshments.

The severity of the past winter has caused no diminution in the numbers or species of insects injurious to vegetable life: in fact, judging from the reports from different quarters they seem to be more numerous than ever before.

THE FOURTH AT ADRIAN.

We clip the following from the Daily Record of Tuesday:

As all of our readers know there has been for some time no doubt but that the celebration in this city will be about the biggest thing of the kind ever seen in this part of the country. One of the main features of the occasion will be the grand military display and sham battle, which is now an assured fact. Twenty military companies have been invited to take part. Already the Jackson, Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, and Monroe companies have accepted, and favorable intelligence of many more companies has been received. An artillery battery will be secured, and a fine sham battle may be looked for. Besides the military, a large number of civil organizations, the finely equipped Adrian fire department and several of visiting fire departments will add to the grandeur of the display.

One hundred dollar prizes in music are offered to bands of music, barring the Adrian city band. Games of all kinds will add to the merriment of the occasion. Wheelbarrow races, foot races, greased pig, greased pole, ducking for silver, and many other games for which prizes will be offered. Bicycle races in which all wheelmen are invited to participate will also be had. No pains will be spared to make this celebration one long to be remembered. Excursion rates will be given on all the railroads. A large amount of money has been raised by subscription to defray the expenses.

A costly and beautiful pyrotechnic display in the evening will be worth coming miles to see.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly

For July contains two articles which will attract considerable attention. The leading one, "England's Last Struggle with Russia," in which the Crimean War and the causes that led to it are described by T. F. Galway; the other article is on "Victor Hugo." Both are profusely illustrated and intensely readable. Marc F. Vallette contributes a careful study of the 'Early Life of Mary Stuart," which is accompanied by ten illustrations. American subjects in this number are "The Grain Commerce of New York," by Oscar W. Riggs, with seven illustrations; "The Aztec Eagle, and when it was Found, and other Mexican Topics, by Mrs. Emily Pierce; and "Our Northern Lakes and Mountains," by James B. Townsend, with eleven illustrations. There are many shorter articles and poems, several interesting stories, including the new serial, "Of Two Evils," by Prof. Clarence M. Boutelle. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York, at 25 cents a number, or $3.00 a year, postpaid.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT, JUNE 1, 1885.

For this report returns have been received from 96 correspondents, representing 79 townships. Six hundred and fifty of these returns are from 429 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

The weather during May was cool and dry. At Lansing, the average temperature for the month was 55.71 degrees, as compared with an average of 58 degrees in May, 1884. The highest temperature was 80 degrees on the 17th and 24th, and the lowest 29 degrees on the 10th. The highest temperature in May, 1884, was 82 degrees, and the lowest 34 degrees. The rainfall during the month was only 1 and 85 hundredths inches, as compared with 4 and 34 hundredths inches in May, 1884, and 6 and 31 hundredths inches in May, 1883. Since June 1, rain has fallen to the amount of 4 and 37-hundredths inches.

Wheat has made good growth during the month, and the promise now for the southern four tiers of counties is for an average yield of 17 and one fourth bushels per acre, or one fourth of a bushel more than the average for the eight years, 1876-83. In the northern counties the yield per acre may reach 16 bushels, or nearly one bushel more than the average for eight years.

With favorable weather until harvest the aggregate yield in the State will exceed 25,000,000 bushels, and may reach 25 and one-fourth million bushels.

The first footings of supervisors' returns from 759 townships indicate that the present wheat area of the State is about 1,500,000 acres.

Reports have been received of the quantity of wheat marketed by farmers during the month of May at 164 elevators and mills. Of these 143 are in the southern four tiers of counties, which is 30 per cent of the whole number of elevators and mills in these counties. The total number of bushels reported marketed is 472,194, of which 225,592 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 137,071 bushels in the second tier; 38,113 bushels in the third tier; 54,093 bushels in the fourth tier; and 17,325 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. At 26 elevators and mills, or 16 per cent of the whole number from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels reported marketed in the ten months, August-May, is 8,017,784. This is 32 per cent of the crop of 1884. In June, 1884, 39 per cent of the 1883 crop had been reported marketed.

The area planted to corn this year will equal the area planted in 1884. Ninety-six per cent of the seed used was grown in Michigan, and eight per cent of the seed failed to grow.

The returns give the following percentages for other crops, the comparison being with 1884: Oats—acres sowed 101, condition 92; barley—acres sowed 96, condition 92; sorghum—acres planted 92, number of farmers planting 91; meadows and pastures—condition 94; clover sowed this year—acres failed to grow 7, condition 95; prospects for an average crop of apples 77. In the southern four tiers of counties the wages of farm hands average, with board, $16.49, and in the northern counties $16.48 per month; without board the average is $23.80 in the southern counties, and $25.80 in the northern counties.

The first footings of the sheep and wool columns in the reports received from the supervisors of 743 townships show that there were 2,094,126 sheep sheared in 1884, yielding 11,847,839 pounds of wool, and that the number of sheep in the same townships the present year is 1,920,302, which is four and eighteen-hundredths per cent less than in 1884.

THE BOUNTY AND SOLDIERS HOME BILLS.

An old soldier writes the following communication to the Adrian Times, which reflects the views entertained by a good many men of that class. The old soldiers should be well provided for, that is certain. But how to best provide for them is a debatable question.

A tax-payer desires, through the press, to present this financial elephant, that we may grasp its magnitude. I see no justice or wisdom in either bill. A bounty of $100 to an approximate number of 30,000 Michigan surviving soldiers, in various positions and localities, would take $3,000,000. It is claimed that there are not over 100 injured Michigan soldiers in the state, that would be only $10,000, and not $3,000,000, as the bill requires. Shame on such work. It should be defeated.

The home bill asks for $200,000, to build a home; like all public jobs, add a third more for completion, $300,000; officers and incidental expenses per annum, $20,000; table for say 200 inmates, af $40 per capita, $8,000; an annual expense of $28,000. This bill is no doubt pushed by contractors and should be killed.

Why don't those Lansing buncombes, bursting with charity for the poor soldiers, come to the point with a bill granting immediate relief to the unfortunate heroes, proving their loyalty by working for the poor soldier and tax-payers, and not for the jobbers and pettifoggers. A bill granting a pension of $15 a month, or $180 per annum, to every worthy, indigent Michigan soldier resident of the state, would be a more just and feasible tribute to the unfortunate patriots. This heritage, say to 200, would be $36,000 per annum justly awarded. This brief analysis of this subject I hope will meet the approval of the tax-payers, and enlist the influence of the press against the jobbers and office-seekers, so called, relief bill.

MEDINA EX-SOLDIER.

The plastering at the new County Court House has been completed.

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LATE FASHIONS.

What the Ladies of the Metropolis Assume to be the Mode.

Eton, Spanish and zouave jackets are worn by young girls in their teens.

Golden oats and wheat are sold by the head for bonnet and hat trimmings.

Red and yellow, golden brown and tan are immensely popular spring colors.

The jersey is the best bodice for lawn tennis, for it is a game that is rough on sleeves.

The Recamier coiffure requires the use of a large old-fashioned comb of tortoise shell or jewelled metal.

China crape and sailcloth canvas is an admired frequent combination in the trimming of French hats.

Red woolen lace trims admirably dark blue cloth and blue wool etamine suits for seaside and mountain wear.

More and more marked grow the differences between street and indoor frocks, morning, afternoon and evening toilets.

English mohair fabrics, plain and broche, are found in all the large retail dry goods houses in both single and double widths.

Veils of tulle and crepe lisse in every imaginable shade of color and black are finely dotted with gold, silver, steel, bronze or jet.

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Morning dresses and elegant house toilets are made dressy with profuse use of ribbons in bows, flots, cascades, panels, and floating loops and ends.

The height and trimmings of hats and bonnets are as exaggerated as ever, and yet comparatively few of these exaggerated shapes are seen in the streets as yet.

The French productions of silk handkerchiefs in Oriental colors and designs, shot with gold, are utilized to an enormous extent for trimming fine hats and bonnets.

More and more golden grow bonnets, hats, scarfs, accessories of the toilet, dress trimmings, and broche stuffs of all kinds either for dresses or upholstery and house decorative effects.

Ribbons were never more in demand for decorative dress and furnishing than this spring.

The Recamier coiffure, lately introduced in Paris, bids fair to supercede the high figure 8 on the top of the head hair dressing and the catogan look in the nape of the neck.

The newest silk hosiery consists of lace-woven stockings, the foot and ankle having lengthwise clocks and embroidery up the sides in inch-wide bands, leaving a plain strip down the instep, while the calf of the leg is entirely lace-woven.

The skirt destined to summer popularity is destitute of drapery or flounces, is gathered full in the back, pleated at the sides, and plain in front, simply hemmed or has a hem and three, two, or several overlapping tucks or folds above the hem.

Salesmen in the best houses now tell ladies that sixteen yards of silk are sufficient for a dress this season instead of the twenty necessary last season, as there is so much less drapery, less looping and less flouncing and pleating than formerly.

Very rich summer black dresses are made of China crape, embroidered for the skirt, and overdresses of black lace, but the richer combination is made of satin rhadames for the skirt and underdress, while the overdress is of black llama or Chantilly lace, in the old patterns and designs.

Short visite mantles with the sleeves entirely of jet embroidery or jet net, and the body of plain velvet, satin or grenadine broche, are trimmed with jet fringes, jet macaroons and motifs. Sometimes the sleeves are of plain stuff, while the body is covered with jet bead embroidery or net.

The printed Khyber cloths sold at eighteen cents the yard are just the thing to combine with self-colored veilings at fifteen cents the yard, for lawn and garden party dresses. The beige, twine-colored, and tan woolen laces are the correct trimmings for these dresses, and cheap ribbons make them dressy and chic.

Bonnet scarfs of black, blue, green, gray, beige, white, tan, and brown barege, striped or barred across at each end with various colors, in the style of a Roman scarf, with gold lines between those of color, trim many pretty bonnets, and are also used for neckwear and various toilet and decorative purposes.

The proper way to use golden grain, oats and wheat, in hat and bonnet trimming is to put from three to six heads of the grain in a panache of ostrich feathers and a bunch of gold catkins, or a gold or silk pompon, or, in place of the feathers, a close but tall bouquet of flowers, mingled with golden catkins.

The newest silk undervests for ladies have no gores set in for the bosom fullness, but this is provided for in the weaving, which shapes the garment with a soft woven seam in such a manner as to define the exact shape. Fastidious women edge the low necks and short sleeves of these vests with lace.

Flower weddings are all the rage in London. At these the bride and her bridesmaids wear dresses representing spring flowers, lilies, white roses, orange blossoms or other white flowers being the representative blossoms of the bride, while her maids wear daffodil, buttercup, jonquil, hyacinth, red or pale rose or violet-colored frocks trimmed with the flower to be personated.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Nut cake: One and a half cups sugar, one-half cup butter, two cups flour, three-fourths cup sweet milk, two teaspoons baking powder, whites of four eggs; bake in two layers; take whites of two eggs for the icing, using equal parts of egg and ice water; thicken with confectioner's sugar, mixing with a fork until smooth; flavor both cake and the icing with vanilla; frost one cake and cover with English walnuts; place the other cake on, frost and cover with walnuts and frost again. —*Rural Home.*

Brought Home a Wagon.

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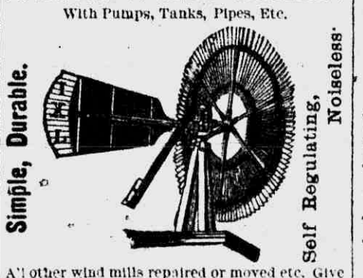

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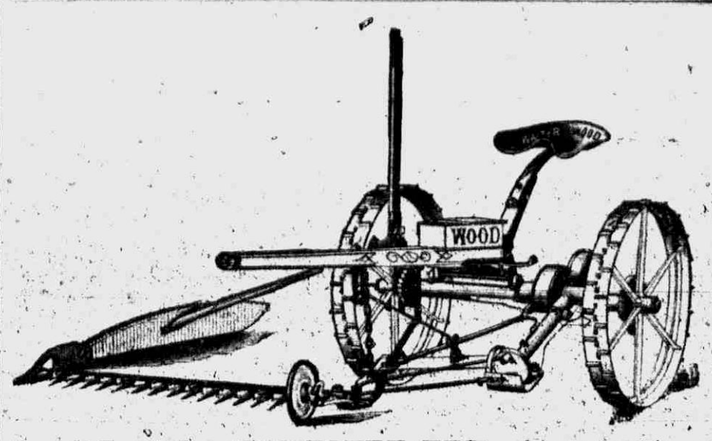

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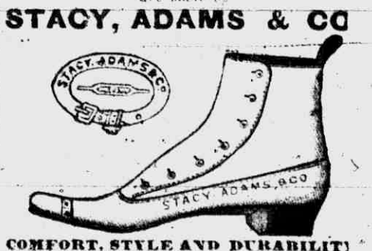

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MARKET GARDENING

The following is the prize essay on "Market Gardening," written by Abner Wilson of Ingham for the Ohio Farmer, and recently published in that paper:

In engaging in the business of market gardening the first thing to take into consideration is the market to be supplied, and if that is already being supplied you should see if it cannot be furnished with a better article and at lower prices. Those towns and cities where manufacturing is carried on are the best markets. The next thing is shipping facilities for our surplus, for it does us a way worth of such stuff supplied to the larger places we must see that a low rate of freight is obtained to compensate for the lower prices we are have to take. If a market is already established we must create a demand. The next thing is the soil and location.

Here let me say, if you are three or four miles from your market you had better [illegible] not engage in the business. The better you can get to your market the better, even if you have to pay a higher rent or price per acre for your land, as the transportation is will take up time. That is, if it takes all the forenoon to go to market, [illegible] your load, and get back, all the profits are gone, as the gardener himself must be the salesman as well as foreman in the garden.

The best soil for a general assortment is a heavy sandy loam with a strong subsoil. It should be light enough so it will not bake after a rain. Muck land well drained is good for most vegetables, but not as early for early vegetables, but as sure in an season as upland. If your soil is heavy it is more suitable for small fruits than for vegetables. The size of the garden should be regulated by the market to be supplied and the capital of the gardener, but I have found that the fewer the acres the better the results. Other things being equal, I should say for a man and boy and two horses eight acres are enough. Lay out your garden with a rod pole so that the rows will come out even, and have your drives and walks at right angles. Of course you must have manure, and a compost heap is indispensable. It should have been added to from time to time by drawing from town everything you could buy, and if you do a good job many are glad to give away manure. You can add muck, night soil, slaughter-house refuse, feathers and blood from poultry slaughter houses, as well as all you can make from your own stock. Some works on gardening advocate seventy-five tons to the acre, but that would not pay in any market which I am acquainted with as far west as Ohio. I think on land in good heart from fifteen to twenty-five loads to the acre, plowed in, and two to five hundred pounds of superphosphate, with four to eight hundred pounds of salt or two hundred pounds of nitrate of soda, as a top dressing, is plenty. Wood ashes are also good. If you can rent a manure spreader it will pay you to do so, as that will break it up fine and distribute it evenly.

For earlier stuff, plow as early as the ground is in good condition, not sooner, using a jointer and plowing a little deeper than the surface soil. Harrow thoroughly, ride the drag, pulverize till the soil is as fine as ashes. Of course your hot-beds for your early cabbage and cauliflower should have been started in February or March. By so doing you will have better plants and early cabbage than if wintered over in cold frames. Tomatoes and peppers should not be started till the first of April. After the ground is in right condition for planting no time should be lost, as much depends on getting seed and plants in when the soil works good, and the gardener has to work early and late, in rain and other inclement weather, as no hired help will do much unless the foreman is with them, the gardener must be both foreman and workman taking his chances with the rest. In setting early cabbage we take them from the seed-bed, trim them to one leaf and puddle the roots in mud. Some gardeners set with a pointed stick called a 'dibber,' but we much prefer a trowel with a convex and concave surface; place the trowel with the concave side next to you and press the earth toward you; if the surface is a dry, one sweep sideways brings you to moist earth; place the plant in with the left hand, give the earth a vigorous push with the right, and the plant is set; no hollow space below the root, and if there is any moisture in the soil the pressure will hold it. The rows for early cabbage should be thirty inches apart, and the plants of the early Jersey Wakefield should be set eighteen inches in the rows, and those of Henderson's Early Summer, two feet.

Early Peas are a good crop to raise and in some years pay well, but they will not do to ship as they soon mould. The best varieties are the Philadelphia Extra Early and McLean's Little Gem, putting in the most of the latter.

White Silver Skin onions from bottom sets, planted very early, on rich soil, in rows fifteen inches apart, setting the sets well down in the soil, still further covering them with the feet or garden rake and roller, will give good returns if sold in bunches of about six each, especially if cheap labor can be got to do the washing and bunching. In the same manner the French Breakfast and the long scarlet radish and Egyptian and Eclipse beet can often be put on the market when there is but little competition and good prices realized. The growing of onions from seed does not properly come under the head of market gardening. They are usually grown on land especially adapted to other culture. Some [illegible] land which a few years ago could be bought cheap would now command from two to five hundred dollars per acre for onions alone.

Asparagus is usually the first vegetable to be sold on the market. To raise a bed of asparagus, two year old roots should be planted in rows four feet apart, setting the crowns six inches below the surface. They should not be cut in the third year of growth. Conover's Colossal is the best variety. In some markets it is sold by the pound, bunch and some markets where it ties in bundles with the tips all one way. It can then be set in water and will keep fresh for a long time.

Parsnips and vegetable oysters should be planted early so as to get the plants up before hot weather; the rows should be two feet apart and if the seed is sown carefully by hand they will not need thinning. They should be taken up in the fall and packed with earth mixed in to keep them fresh. Vegetable oysters should be packed in a shallow trench with the tops up and covered so they can be taken up and sold during the winter. They are usually sold in bunches of about one pound each.

Tomatoes should be planted from the 20th of May to the 1st of June. Give the plants plenty of room and fertilize with wood ashes and superphosphate. The best varieties are the Acme, Perfection and Favorite as Livingston's. Peppers should be planted the same time as tomatoes, the rows can be closer. The sweet Mountain and Cayenne are the leading varieties. Early Cucumbers, Summer Squash and Snap beans, to be profitable should be started early. The cucumbers and squash should be planted in sods cut in squares, under glass about the first of May and set out after the danger of frost is over. White Spine Cucumber and Summer Crookneck squash are the best varieties.

THE LATER CROPS.

After the gardener has his early varieties planted he should prepare for his late crop of cabbage, beets and celery. For late cabbage I generally select new ground or a piece of sod. Spread evenly fifteen tons of manure and about the first of June plow and roll down. Top dress with 200 pounds of superphosphate and 400 pounds of salt to the acre. The salt contains fifteen per cent of nitrate, which with the moisture from the salt acts quickly on the superphosphate, giving the plants such a start that they soon get away from the grubs and worms. Here as with early cabbage, we trim to one leaf and thoroughly mud the roots. This work can be done by boys or girls, taking plants in the shade and working on tables. With the plants ready for them and a boy to drop, two men should set two acres in a day. Three feet each way is the right distance. The varieties should be Fottler's Early Brunswick for early fall use, and for winter, the Premium Flat Dutch and no other. Much money is lost every year by planting late cabbage too early. They should be planted from the 20th of June till the 5th of July.

Celery.—This crop, like onions, is now grown largely on land especially adapted to it, and such land is well drained muck where the water is about two feet below the surface. It is true we can grow good celery on rich upland but we cannot get it in the market as early as that grown on the muck. We must raise it for the winter market when this early celery is gone or can not be shipped safely. For this purpose it should be planted about the 15th of July, on land where we have taken a crop of early peas or beets, in rows 3½ feet apart, and the plants six inches in the rows. No extra manure will be needed but a dressing of salt will be found beneficial. The plants should be trimmed in the same manner as cabbage plants and set with trowels. The varieties should be Crawford's Half Dwarf, Boston Market and Golden Heart Dwarf. Beets for winter use should be sown from the 1st to the 15th of July, treading the rows well with the feet; in fact, the feet should occupy an important place in planting nearly all crops.

You now have your garden planted. I trust you have kept the weeds down with rake, hoe and cultivator, so that we will not have so much hard work to do in August and September. In our warfare with weeds an ounce of garden rake is worth any amount of hacking up with the hoes, in other words, keep the soil so completely stirred that the weeds will not have a chance to get a start.

Select tools that are made of steel and are light; hoes should be thin and not too wide. The garden drill is a good though not an indispensable implement, as a great many seeds, such as beet, parsnip and vegetable oyster, are better sown by hand; but for onion, turnip, cabbage, etc., a drill is better. The Matthews and Planet Jr. are both good. For a wheel hoe the Ruhlman takes the lead. For a horse cultivator there is none better than the Planet Jr. We also use what is called a "scuffler" when the crop is small. It is made with the knives running under the surface of the ground, and should be worked in the fore part of the day so that the weeds will die by the heat of the sun.

The market wagon should be a platform spring, with a box long enough to put in ten bushel baskets, with a shelving around the side for smaller ones. Do not draw manure in your market wagon, as is recommended by some. Do that with a pair of broad-tired trucks and two good horses or mules.

In conclusion I would say, if you are within a short distance from a good market; if you have a soil that is suitable; if you have an unlimited amount of manure at your command; if you are willing to give your personal attention, and work early and late, in rain and in sunshine; if you have a natural taste for the business and are willing to stick to it through thick and thin—you will find the business of market gardening profitable.

The Chinese collection at the New Orleans Exposition has been secured for the University of Michigan. It is a free gift from the Chinese government, contains 1200 pieces and is valued at $20,000.

HAS DENBY.

Colonel Chas. Denby, of Evansville, Ind., who was appointed on May 20th, 1885, to succeed John Russell Young as minister to China, is by birth a Virginian, having been born in Botetourt county of that state, June 30th, 1830. He was educated partly at Georgetown, D. C., and whilst there received three medals for excelling in his studies. He graduated at the Virginia Military Institute, and in 1853 removed to Evansville, where he was employed on the "Daily Enquirer," supporting himself thus whilst he was studying law in the office of Baker & Garvin. He was admitted to the bar in 1855 and in the following year was sent to the state legislature where he served with distinction. He was appointed by James Buchanan surveyor of the port of Evansville and continued in this office for three years. Upon the outbreak of the late war he served as Lieutenant Colonel of the 42nd Regiment, Indiana Volunteers, and subsequently became Colonel of the 69th Regiment. After a service of three years he resigned, having been twice wounded during his service. Devoting himself to his profession Col. Denby became one of the most distinguished barristers of his section. He was frequently pressed to accept the nomination for Congress, but always declined. He, in conjunction with Mr. Kumler, formed the law firm of Denby and Kumler. In 1858 Mr. Denby was married to Miss Fitch, a daughter of Ex. U. S. Senator, G. N. Fitch, of Logansport, Indiana. Col. Denby, besides being thoroughly conversant with the French and Spanish languages, is well versed in Oriental affairs and will doubtless make a most acceptable minister to that country. John Russell Young, whom he succeeded, is well known to the public as the companion of Gen. Grant, during the latter's tour of the world, and as the author of the work describing the same.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending June 9, 1885:

Estate of Baldwin Webster, deceased: warrant and inventory filed: application for an allowance for the support of widow and family; order for an allowance.

Estate of Peter Davidson, deceased: warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of John H. Wilson, et. al., minors: guardian's bond filed: letters issued.

Estate of Oca M. Cook, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment: bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Simeon Tubbs, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting, commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Beedy Aten, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Robert I. Dowling, deceased: affidavits of publishing and posting, commissioners' notices, commissers' warrant and report filed.

Estate of John C. Zeitler, deceased: bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Elizabeth L. Zeitler, et al., minors; guardian's bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Agnes Campbell, deceased: affidavit of publication: receipts of heirs filed; discharge.

Estate of Elijah Ross, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment according to will.

Estate of Worster Smith, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Moses Bliss, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing July 6.

Estate of Francis Foster, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Addie E. Henica, et. al., minors; affidavit of publication; guardian's first account allowed.

Estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased; order of continuance until July 6, at 10 oclock, A. M.

Estate of Ann Biddle, deceased; petition for appointment of trustee; order of appointment; bond $400; also, petition for allowance of final account; hearing July 6.

Estate of Merritt A. Griswold, deceased; affidavit of publication; administratrix appointed; bond $150.

Estate of Lydia W. Packard, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $15,000.

Demorest's Illustrated Monthly Magazine for July is unusually bright and entertaining. It contains some exceedingly readable articles, among which are "Among the Sea Islands of Georgia;" "The Chinese Exhibit at the New Orleans Exposition," both of which are illustrated; "The Conjugal Poets;" "Edward Jenner," the originator of Vaccination; "Chautauqua Lake and Chautauqua School;" and "Shall I get a Camera?" by Prof. Barnard. Jenny June furnished a paper, "Can Women Travel Alone?" and the various departments are, as usual, replete with instructive information. The frontispiece is an oil picture, "Spring time of Love."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending June 9.

MACON.

Thomas A. Siddel to Charles C. Wilkins, Sec. 6, $1,300.

AN OLD-TIME CONDUCTOR.

A silver-haired man with his wife, now a sedate mother, were among the many old students who arrived to-day from the east over the Lake Shore railroad. As the veteran conductor, Fred Avery, collected their tickets, the lady said: "Why, dear, that's the same conductor that ran the train the night I left college for home, and you persisted in following, and wouldn't rest contented until we had stopped off on my way home and got married." "That's so," said the man, and the memory of that delicious romance made him grasp the hand of the old conductor and gave it a hearty shake. Conductor Avery has seen a great deal of student life and romance on his trains. He is a veteran conductor of the Lake Shore road. He ran the first engine that rolled into Chicago from the east. That enthusiasm and enterprise which has made Chicagoans famous had already manifested itself, and they surprised Avery by hoisting him on top of a stage, and hauling him in triumph through the streets.—Hillsdale College Dispatch to Chicago Inter Ocean.

We are glad to learn the beautiful little statuettes prepared by the Committee of the Statue of Liberty are being subscribed for throughout the length and breadth of our country. This is as it should be, for it is the noble gift of France to the United States. Every lover of liberty should subscribe $1.00, which, if sent to Richard Butler, Secretary, 33 Mercer St., New York, will secure one of these artistic statuettes, being a fac-simile of Bartholdi's great work. Let the good work go on until every home in the land shall possess this proof of ownership in the grandest work of modern times—"Liberty Enlightening the World."

The July Quiver comes well filled and is welcome wherever it makes its way. The Quiver's success in the United States is what might have been expected, for it not only fills a want, but it fills it acceptably. In the present number we find the same variety of subjects and catholicity of taste of which we have had occasion to speak before. The frontispiece illustrates the poem, "Towards the Sunset," and gives us a motherly old soul sitting before her cottage door in an ample rocking chair, her knitting in her hand, and her eyes look with kindly inquiry out of the picture.

Clinton Local: Little Archie Hixon, eight years old, started for Kansas City last week all alone, and a postal was received Monday announcing his safe arrival and stating in boyish language the amazement at the sights witnessed upon the road and in the city to be his future home.

The Judges on Printing and Printing material of the World's Industrial Exposition have awarded the only two first premiums gold medals for printing presses to Messrs. C. B. Cottrell & Sons, of New York. One of these premiums was on their new Front Delivery, Two Revolution, and the other for their Air Spring Country Press.

Cholera Morbus, excessive pain in the Stomach, Cramps—relieved at once with Cheney's Stomach and Liver Regulator. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

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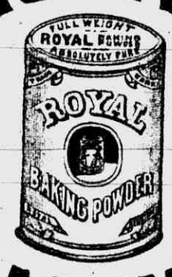

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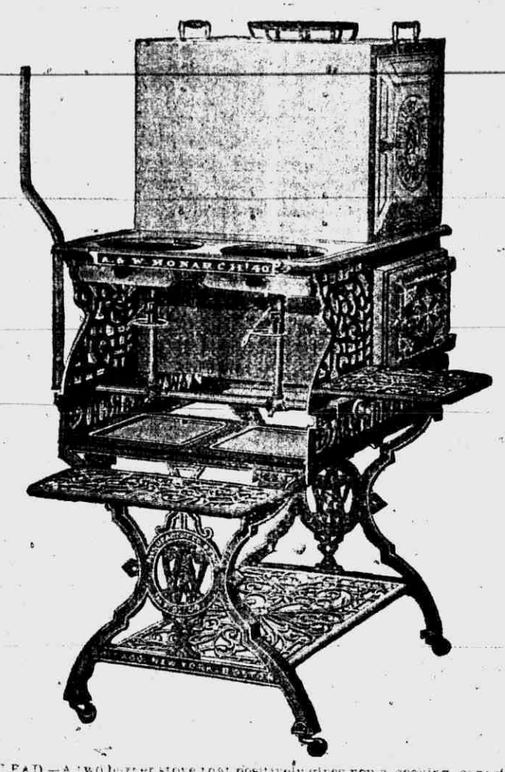

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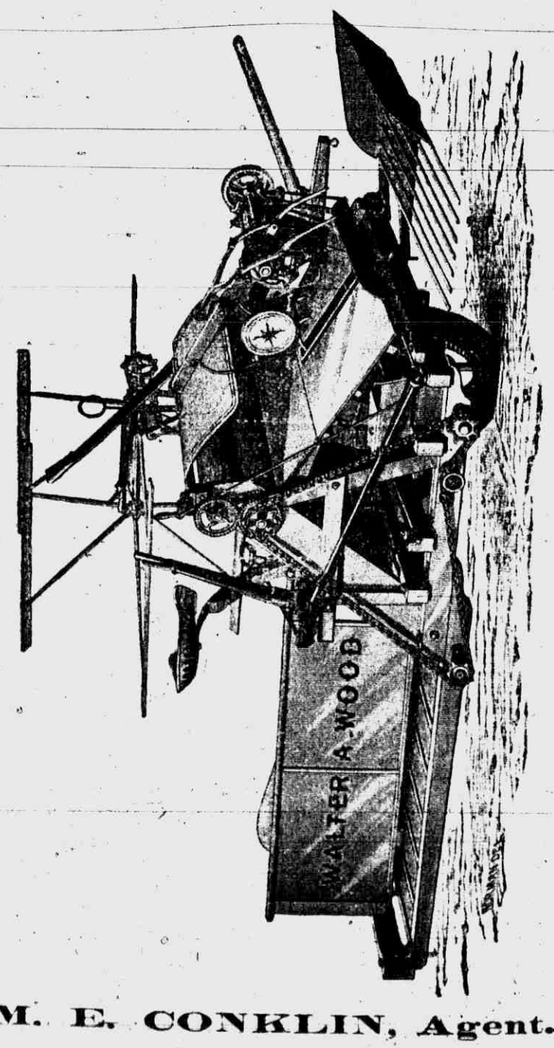

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FOUND—June 7th, between A. F. Rice's and Geo. Hanford's farms, a shawl. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement by calling at the
HERALD OFFICE.

LOST—On Tuesday last a pocket book containing checks payable to John C. Hazlett. The finder will please return to Kies Bros. Store.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between J. P. Slayton and C. A. Slayton under the firm name of Slayton & Son, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. P. Slayton returning, C. A. Slayton assuming the business. All those having unsettled accounts and notes past due, will see the necessity of making a settlement and confer a favor by calling at office.
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C. A. SLAYTON.
Tecumseh, Mich., June 17, 1885.

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ABNER WILSON.

Mr. Gray, the proprietor of the city Bakery, has started out on the right track by taking to himself a wife. Congratulations are in order in which the HERALD joins.

The third meeting of the Tecumseh Choral Union will be held at M. P. Brown's Art Gallery next Monday evening, June 22. All who feel interested in the practice of vocal music are cordially invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to tender our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their sympathy and assistance in our late bereavement.
MRS. JANE WALDRON,
AND FAMILY.

A CARD.

To the many dear friends who so kindly assisted us in our great bereavement, we would extend our thanks. To class-mates in the Sabbath school of her who has left us here to mourn, and Mrs. D. Coryell who furnished the flowers, we acknowlege our obligations.
WM. KNIFFIN.
F. E. MORRELL AND FAMILY.

A CARD.

To the patrons of Slayton & Son and my friends in general. As you are too numerous to address individually, I take this opportunity to thank you for your patronage and all favors shown me or the firm in the past.

I have been with you for the past twenty years, five years a clerk for Slayton & Tindall, and fifteen years a partner with my father. On account of his health, father retires from the firm, and I propose to continue the business the same as conducted before, and hope by fair dealing, good goods and low prices, to merit a continuance of your patronage. Those having unsettled accounts with the firm are requested to call and make settlement as soon as convenient, that the books may be balanced.

Again thanking you for past favors and trusting our relations may be pleasant in the future,

I am, your humble servant,
C. A. SLAYTON.

ABOUT ANSWERING LETTERS.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD—I wish to ask you a question upon a little matter of social etiquette. Young ladies frequently receive letters of invitation of various kinds from would-be gentlemen acquaintances which they do not feel at liberty to accept. Which is the better course to pursue in such cases:—To neglect entirely to reply to such communications and thus convey the impression that you do not wish to recognize the sender in any manner, or to return a brief but positive declination? Please give me your views on this subject and oblige
A LADY SUBSCRIBER.

It is a fundamental rule of both business and social etiquette, to which there is scarcely an exception, that a civil letter always demands a civil answer. The letter may contain a request that cannot be granted, or an invitation which must be declined, the recipient may look upon it as an impertinent missive; still if it be a letter of proper character, couched in respectful language, the sender is entitled to a reply. A neglect to answer such a letter is far more likely to give offense and lead to unpleasant complications afterwards than a frank rebuff would be. A brief and polite reply, in three or four lines, can easily be written, which will convey the impression desired, will stop further attentions from the same source and leave no sting behind. A civil letter is always entitled to a civil reply.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 18, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Morenci has a crack base ball club.

Where are you going to celebrate the Fourth?

Look out for a big crowd in town next Saturday.

Strawberries are coming in plentifully these days.

Tecumseh never looked prettier than it does now.

No Fourth of July celebration in Tecumseh this year.

Hudson will celebrate the coming 4th of July in grand style.

Miss Emma Smith is visiting relatives and friends in Toledo.

Blissfield has two bands and is talking about a band tournament.

Go to Devil's Lake and enjoy the approaching Fourth of July.

Tecumseh can be plainly seen from the dome of the new county court house.

The Commercial House at Addison has a new verandah on the north and east sides.

David Crockett still lives in Ogden. He lost a good horse a few days ago by lightning.

The annual reunion of the 4th Michigan Infantry takes place at Jonesville to-morrow.

The State Pioneer Society met yesterday at Lansing. Lenawee county was well represented.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. James, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with their Tecumseh friends.

The circus comes on the M. & O. from Marshal and will pitch their tents on the race course grounds.

George E. Williamson, of the firm of Williamson Bros., has the name of being the champion egg buyer of the state.

The morning passenger train on the Lak Shore was 30 minutes late last Tuesday. The engine broke down at Norvill.

We have just received a new assortment of the late styles of job type.—Bring in your printing if you wish it done neatly and cheaply.

Dave Macham has been enjoying a few days' fishing at Devil's Lake and returned home last evening. He reports having had a good time.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman is selling her millinery at rock bottom prices. So now is your time to secure the best bargains ever offered in Tecumseh.

It was found to be impossible for St. John to speak in Tecumseh during the present circuit. The committee have the promise of his being here later in the season.

Prof. Graves, of Hillsdale College has been here, and partially arranged to hold an institute during the summer vacation. All interested in vocal music should confer with the committee:—B. F. Steinhoff, R. B. House, Irving S. Osborn, M. P. Brown.

A number of members of the Clinton Lodge, F. & A. M., are going to Blissfield next Monday evening to assist the Blissfield Lodge in third degree work. Several members of our Lodge will accompany them. The session of the Blissfield Lodge will commence promptly at 6:30 o'clock P. M., so that visiting members can return on the evening train.

Adrian Press: A Rome denizen went up to Addison last week and took a swig of Addison ardent, and undertook to go by the village dissension line, which is the mill pond. He lost control of his equilibrium and tumbled into the pond. Unfortunately help was close by and the man was pulled out. It was evidently a case of water seeking level, and he swears he won't drink any more Addison whisky.

Ad'n Record: The Petersburg Journal makes the inquiry, "Have we talent in our midst and shall it be developed and made useful, or shall it be allowed to languish and the whole community to recede in consequence?" The above was inspired by the fact that somebody had "kicked" against choir music in the churches. Let the Petersburg choirs be kept up. For that purpose we would be willing to spare the leader of the Salvation army choir of this city. He can be spared for any length of time to Petersburg. If he cannot "develope the talent" in that community, then the community had indeed better "recede."

Adrian Record: Mrs. S. Bloomfield, residing in the village of Deerfield, is at present exercising the motherly care of a million, more or less, of silk-worms which have recently hatched. Preparations for the advent of the worms had been made two years in advance by the setting of a quantity of young mulberry trees, from the leaves of which the silk worms are fed. The worms when first hatched are diminutive looking specimens, but they rapidly attain a growth of an inch and a half in length and half an inch in thickness, arriving at this overgrown stage in about thirty days from the hatching. They require more constant attention than a family of paupers imported by Washtenaw supervisors.

Miss Laura Erwin, telephone operator at Toledo, spent Sunday with Miss Ella Chiverall.

Miss Stella Cleveland has been dangerously ill with billious fever for the past two weeks, but is now improving.

The June meeting of the County Hortieultural Society will be held to-morrow at Clinton, beginning at ten o'clock A. M.

Regular semi-monthly services at the Universalist church next Sunday. The services will be appropriate to children's day.

W. T. Eccles has secured the soda fountain formerly run by James Patterson, and will have ice cream soda on tap this summer. A new beverage.

E. A. Tribou, assignee of W. Comfort, desires all who are indebted on book account or note, to call and pay the same. Office up-stairs, HERALD building.

Henry Nyland has fallen into the fashion and taken down the fence in front of his fine residence. It improves the appearance of the place very much.

Poetry writers are numerous now-a-days. Can it be possible that the saying is true that the first symptoms of insanity in a man is when he begins to think that he can write poetry?

Elliot Gray is making extensive additions to his dwelling house upon his farm southwest of the village. When the improvements are completed he will have one of the finest farm residences in the township.

Wesley B. Keyser, of Clinton, had a paralytic shock last Monday, and his friends for a time were much alarmed, fearing that the shock might prove serious. On Tuesday, however, he was much better, and is now rapidly improving.

We are in receipt of the annual catalogue, for 1885, of the Michigan Military Academy. This institution is in a very prosperous condition. Anyone desiring a catalogue can procure one by writing to J. Sumner Rogers, Supt., Orchard Lake, Mich.

Adrian Record: Numerous and miscellaneous injuries by the remorseless barbed wire fence are reported. It is not alone the pantaloons of the small boy that suffer from the ragged edge; the mutilation of horses and cattle is of almost daily occurence. The barb should certainly go. It is a cruel and in the long run a costly device.

The ladies of St. Peter's church gave a strawberry and ice cream festival at The Patterson last evening. The front porch was beautifully decorated with Chinese lanterns. Knapp's sextette furnished some fine music. A large company was in attendance and the refreshments were all that could be desired. The ladies replenished their treasury by a handsome sum.

Under the new time card of the Wabash Railway, the morning train going East from Adrian, will be held at Raisin Center for the arrival of the train on the Jackson Branch. Passengers from here can thus make Detroit at 9:85 A. M. Returning they can leave Detroit at 5 P. M. on the Wabash, and arrive here via. Britton on the M. & O. at 7:20 P. M. thus having a full day at Detroit.

Dundee Reporter: The commissioners of Lucas county, Ohio, propose to macadamize the highway between State line and Ten Mile creek, a distance of some three miles. The commissioners have been here examining the lime stone of Dundee quarries for the purpose, and were well satisfied with the quality of the stone and its adaptation to the purpose. It is hoped that the supply will be obtained from Dundee quarries.

Allen's new hotel at the north end of Devil's Lake will be christened the Devil's Lake House. The hotel is rapidly approaching completion, and will be ready for guests by July 1st. The grand opening will take place Friday, July 3rd. A ball will be given Friday evening with music by Welch & Munger's full orchestra. The proprietor has fitted up a fine grove with a summer house for the accommodation of picnic parties, with croquet grounds, swings, lots of boats, etc. Ample provision will be made for a big crowd on the 3rd and 4th.

Morenci Observer: On Tuesday afternoon the freight train on the Fayette Branch was switching at Weston when a T rail at the east end of the switch turned over and threw the engine and tender, two box cars and a flat car off the track. The engine plowed into the ground to the axle-tree. Fortunately, the accident caused injury to no one. A dispatch was sent to Adrian for the wrecking car, and within sixty minutes it had arrived on the scene and was at work. Soon after another train reached there from Petersburg, and all hands on both trains numbered about 35. About 8 o'clock a side-track had been laid around the wreck and the wrecking-car passed over it. At 8:20 the regular train started for Adrian, and by 9 o'clock the engine and a box car yet remained to be put upon the track. This was done on the next day, after much labor.

Frank Wilson, of Jackson, was home over Sunday.

John F. Murray, of Detroit was in town last Thursday.

DeLos LeBaron, of Toledo, was in town over Sunday.

Fred Tiffany and Levi Hayden took a trip to Adrian on their bicycles last Thursday.

The latest legal conundrum. To whom shall the circus proprietor pay his local licenses.

Kyd. Baker, of Adrian, was in town last Monday looking after refractory telephone wires.

Ten car loads of excursionists from Jackson passed over the branch last Sunday bound for Toledo.

Dr. J. S. Hamilton attended the meeting of the State Medical Society held at Port Huron last week.

The young people of the Baptist church will hold an ice cream festival at Mr. Bramble's this evening.

Capt. C. D. Stevens, of Detroit, was in town last Friday. He came out to attend the funeral of his eldest sister, Mrs. Holloway, of Adrian.

Jas. Elliot Lowry wears a broad smile on his face if it is a small matter to laugh over. It is a four pound girl and arrived last Thursday.

The annual sermon to the High School graduating class will be given at the M. E. church next Sunday evening by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Hudson.

Uncle Joe Gray was in the village last Thursday. His health is quite feeble and he rarely comes to town now, but his friends are glad to see him when he does come.

The 8th grand annual opening of Lake View Hotel at Beardsell's Landing, Devil's Lake, will take place on Tuesday, June 23rd, inst. See announcement elsewhere.

The thirteenth annual commencement of the Raisin Valley Seminary, will take place tomorrow. The exercises will begin at 10 A. M. A fine program will be presented.

A letter from John L. Hall, formerly of this village and now a resident of Oswego, N. Y., states that his family are well and he sends his best wishes to all enquiring friends in old Tecumseh.

An Adrian quartette consisting of Mrs. Alf Johnson, Mrs. J. S. Holmes, Mrs. Winchip, and Miss Stella Mason, has been engaged to sing at the high school commencement exercises on the 25th inst.

Macon Grange, No. 167, will meet in regular session Friday the 19th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M. A general attendance of the members is requested as this is the last regular meeting of the second quarter.

There will be a Strawberry Social at Macon Grange Hall, on Tuesday the 23d. inst. at 8 o'clock P. M. Arrangements for Social will be on Friday evening previous. Let all turn out and have a good time.

There will be no skating at the rink this week. Next week it will be open Friday evening, and on the 4th of July in the afternoon and evening, which will be the last chance to rinkulate this season, as it will close on that night.

Geo. Williamson went to Allegan last Monday to buy eggs. In addition to a big supply of eggs, he brought home on Tuesday, thirty bushels of strawberries, which were all sold out at Williamson's Bros. egg store within twenty four hours.

Samuel P. Moore, editor of the Great Bend, Pa., Reporter, was the guest of A. Hardenburg last week. Mr. Moore, accompanied by his wife, has been making a trip to Council Bluffs, Iowa, and halted here on his return home to make his old friend Mr. Hardenburg, a visit.

If you contemplate taking a trip to Northern Michigan this year it will pay you to examine the advantages offered by "The Fishing Line" which is the popular name of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railway. Attention is called to their new announcement in our advertising columns.

Wm. Carrol, of Deerfield, was arrested last Monday evening for being drunk and disorderly, and taken to Adrian Tuesday morning. Monday evening he was "fired out" of McClure's grocery store for insulting a lady. He will be remembered as the same young rough that assaulted Dr. Hanse a few years ago.

Last Tuesday evening at the home of the bride in Toledo occurred the marriage of Mr. James Wilson, of this village, and Miss Mollie Keip. During her brief residence in Tecumseh last season Miss Keip made many friends, and the groom is one of our best known and highly esteemed young business men. The congratulations of the HERALD are heartily tendered.

The graduating exercises of the High School will be held at the Opera House on Thursday evening next, June 25th. Music will be provided by the Adrian lady quartette. The exercises will be of the usual character, consisting of addresses by the graduates, music, conferring of diplomas, &c. It is presumed that the audience will do their share in the line of floral offerings.

Quite a number of our citizens went to Toledo yesterday on the excursion.

Mr. Chas. W. Graves and wife, of Napoleon, Mich., spent last Sabbath with friends in Tecumseh.

The M. & O. company will give special excursion rates over their road next Saturday, and will run a special return train to Dundee in the evening.

Last Sunday was observed as Children's Day at the M. E. church. A service appropriaty to the day was held in the morning, and a Sunday School concert was given in the evening. The rostrum was handsomely decorated with bouquets and pots of flowers, and the program presented was most entertaining. Although the weather was sultry the church was crowded to its utmost capacity, and the audience felt well repaid for their attendance.

Hudson Gazette: Those people who always want the best, the first thing, don't generally fare as well as those who are content to begin at the bottom and work up gradually. Before the snow had passed away the TECUMSEH HERALD was longing for a circus. The Gazette said, a band organ would do Hudson for a starter, and we have had it, with all the concomitants—a trained monkey, "Mary Had a Little Lamb," "Darling, I Am growing Old," "Homeless To-Night," "Father Will Settle the Bill," and "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning." Tecumseh hasn't even had a trained monkey! Hudson was modest, but we'll celebrate the Fourth and have a circus besides before the summer's gone.

We congratulate the Gazette upon Hudson's success, and would also remind our contemporary that our circus will arrive next Saturday, a genuine old fashioned, triple-tent, mammoth aggregation, four clown show, with the veritable "missing link," Krao, thrown in without extra charge.

SUMMER SCHOOL.

A summer session of the Normal School of Adrian College has been arranged for, commencing July 20, and lasting six weeks. It will be designed especially to meet the wants of the teachers who wish to qualify themselves for the fall and winter schools. Instruction will be given in the common branches, also in the theory and art of teaching, and in some advanced branches. One of the most interesting features will be a series of daily lectures on subjects of interest to the teacher, to which all members of the school have free admission. Circulars giving particulars may be had by addressing President D. S. Stephens, Adrian, Mich.

THE ALUMNI REUNION

The regular annual reunion of the Tecumseh High School Alumni Society will be held at the Lilley House on Friday evening of next week, June 26th.

As the program will be somewhat lengthy the exercises will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock P. M., in the dining room of the Lilley House. The literary program will be an excellent one and no pains will be spared by Capt. Foster to provide a suitable supper for the occasion. Supper tickets fifty cents each.

We append the program in full as arranged up to this time.

Music—Knapp's Sextette.
Address of Welcome to Class of '85—P. S. McKinnon.
Response—Frank Hall.
Business Meeting.
Oration—Dr. Geo. Howell.
Poem—Miss Leila Doty.
Music—Band.
Essay—Miss Julia Condiet.
History—Mrs. S. P. Hosmer.
Music—Band.
Supper.
Toasts and Responses.

COL. R. B. ROBBINS COMES HOME.

A successor to Col. Robbins having been appointed as Consul at Ottawa, Ontario, the latter has returned to his home at Adrian. The Ottawa Daily Citizen of the 9th inst., has this to say in regard to Col. Robbins' departure:

Last evening Col. Robbins, who has filled the position of representative of the United States Government at Ottawa during the last four years, was entertained by a number of friends previous to his departure from the city, the Mayor presiding on the occasion. Col. Robbins' leaving the city is the result of the change of Administration which took place at Washington in March last, in consequence of the success of the Democratic party at the polls in November. Col. Robbins was appointed by a Republican administration, and, in accordance with the practice which prevails across the line, with a change of a Government comes the removal of many appointees of the preceding Government, he is now obliged to surrender his position to a supporter of the new Government, of the opposite political party. Col. Robbins came to Ottawa an absolute stranger; he was not acquainted with a resident of Ottawa; no resident of Ottawa knew him. He is now about to leave the city, and he carries with him the best wishes of a number of friends, who regret his departure from their midst. In his official relations with business men he was invariably courteous, ever obliging and anxious to furnish information, and it was always comprehensive and correct. During his residence in the city he has worthily discharged the duties of his position. We have reason to believe that period has been agreeable to Col. Robbins in every respect, and that he leaves Ottawa entertaining the warmest feelings of regard for many of its citizens and carrying with him pleasing recollections of the few years he has resided here.

The poet, Will Carlton, was honored with a magnificent reception at Hudson one evening last week.

The Michigan Mutual Benefit Association of Hillsdale, added 92 new members in March and 125 in April. A good showing.

Adrian Press: Clayton has an "old Hen" club and a "Half Moon" club. Both are said to be composed of females, but now and then there can be found men in that section who bear every indication of being members of the former.

The wool market is opening up quite lively in Tecumseh. Cook & Palmer and H. W. Stevens are buying, the price for good washed wool ranging from 20 to 23 cents. But little wool has been delivered as yet, but a large amount has been contracted for.

OBITUARY.

Peter S. Waldron, the subject of this sketch, was born in the township of Romulus, Seneca Co., N. Y. on the 2d. day of February, 1831, and he passed his life, until he attained his majority, in that vicinity. In the autumn of 1855 he came to Tecumseh. On the 25th of February 1859, he was married to Miss Jane Kishpaugh, who survives him. In April 1859 he purchased and moved upon the farm north of this village, where he continued to reside until his death.

The deceased has been afflicted with poor health for the past few years, but he bore his sufferings with Christian fortitude, and looked forward to his approaching dissolution with a Christian's faith. At the age of nineteen he professed religion, and has ever since been a consistent member of the Baptist Church. At twenty-two years of age he became a member of the masonic fraternity, and upon taking up his abode in Tecumseh, he united with the Tecumseh Lodge, of which Lodge he was an honored member at the time of his death. The fraternity showed their esteem by turning out in large numbers and assisting at the funeral rites.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

Deputy Quartermaster General Bashelor left Washington for New York on the 10th to receive and convey to Washington the testimonials and presents received by General Grant at home and abroad, which were presented to the Government by Mrs. Grant. It has not yet been decided where the presents will be permanently placed.

The Secretary of the Treasury has directed that the purchase of silver bullion for coinage into standard dollars by the superintendents of the mints at San Francisco and Carson City be discontinued. The coinage of standard dollars is to be confined to the other mints. The Treasury Department on the 6th purchased 21,000 pounds of silver for this purpose for delivery at the New Orleans mint.

George A. Wilson to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Kansas, Colonel Ed C. Bannister, of Indiana, to be Special Indian Agent, and James E. George, of Texas, to be General Agent of the General Land Office were among the Presidential appointments on the 11th.

The State Department has been notified of the release of Mr. Charles Van Bokkelen, a citizen of the United States, and an ex-Consul of Havti in New York, from the San Domingo prison in which he has been confined for about eighteen months for debt in defiance of international treaty obligations.

In the Criminal Court on the 12th Daniel Carrigan, ex-chief clerk of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery of the Navy Department, which had pleaded guilty on four indictments of the forty for presenting false vouchers on the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, was sentenced to six years in the Albany Penitentiary.

The following offices in the custom house at New Orleans have been abolished by order of the Treasury Department: Deputy Collector of Customs, T. C. Anderson, salary $2000; Warehouse Superintendent, J. D. Kennedy, $2000; Manager, C. Antoine, $1,800. Anderson was a member of the returning board which became famous during the troubles of 1876. He was sentenced to the State Penitentiary on a charge of forging returns, but the Supreme Court released him. He has held a custom house position ever since. Antoine was Lieutenant Governor under Kellogg.

Aaron Bradshaw, chairman of the Board of Pension Appeals of the Interior Department, has been superseded by John Rogers, of Kansas. Mr. Rogers was a Brigadier General attached to the Army of the Tennessee, and is said to have been the youngest officer of that rank in the service during the war.

The statement of exports of domestic breadstuffs, issued on the 12th by the Bureau of Statistics, shows that during May, 1885, the total values aggregated $11,318,096, against $11,903,556 during May, 1884, and that the total values of exports of breadstuffs for the five months ended May 31, 1885, aggregates $67,584,203, against $56,342,247 during the same period in 1884.

THE EAST.

The lower House of the Pennsylvania Legislature has passed over the Governor's veto several items in the general appropriation bill, also in the same way the bill appropriating money to pay the employes and officers of the House and Senate for the last fifty-six days of the session of 1883.

The entire family of William King, a painter, living at Clifton, N. Y., were poisoned on the 10th by eating canned corn. One child died. The remaining members of the family were in a precarious condition.

The citizens of Newburyport, Mass., celebrated the 250th anniversary of its settlement on the 10th with imposing ceremonies. Distinguished guests were present from all parts of the country. Samuel C. Bartlett, President of Dartmouth College, delivered the oration, and claimed, among other distinctions for the old town, that it established the first woolen mill opened in Massachusetts; made the first broadcloth manufactured in America; had the first nail factory known in the world; the first chain bridge in the United States; published the first and second daily newspapers, the first arithmetic, and the first music book printed in the country.

In the legislative caucus of New Hampshire Republicans on the 11th Senator Henry W. Blair was nominated for re-election on the first ballot.

James Haggart, the man who acted as decoy for the late Professor Odlum when the latter took the fatal leap from the Brooklyn bridge, was on the 11th found guilty of the charge of aiding and abetting Odlum, and sentenced to eight months' imprisonment.

Albert Labar and Cassius Stackhouse, young men residing at Lincoln, Sussex County, N. J., sought refuge under a large tree during a storm on the 14th, when lightning struck the tree, instantly killing Labar. Stackhouse was thrown some distance and probably fatally injured.

Both branches of the New Hampshire Legislature met in joint convention for election of State officers on the 11th. A. B. Thompson, of Concord, was elected Secretary of State; John B. Clark, of Manchester, State Printer; Solon A. Carter, of Keene, State Treasurer; Frank P. Brown, of Whitefield, Commissioner General of Nashua.

A fast freight train on the Pennsylvania & Schuylkill Valley Railroad collided on the 12th with the rear of a local freight train which had stopped at Spring Mill Station, Pa. David Wayne, engineer, was killed, and Jones Cleaver, conductor, and William Drinkhouse, fireman, received injuries from which they died soon after.

Edward Taylor, a well-known saloon-keeper of Fall River, Mass., has just been declared legatee of a property in England worth £200,000.

At Tarentum, Pa., on the 12th three sons of Henry Altmeyer, aged seven, five and two years respectively, were playing in an outhouse with a can of refined petroleum, when one of them applied a match to the can and it exploded. The burning fluid was scattered in all directions, and the children were with difficulty rescued from the flames. Two of them will die and the third is in a serious condition.

Charles Cook, a former Erie conductor residing in Oswego, N. Y., died from heart disease on the 12th, just as he was attempting to rise from bed. He was in good health when he retired.

Both branches of the Pennsylvania Legislature adjourned on the 12th. The Governor refuses to call an extra session.

The business failures reported for the week ended the 12th number in the United States, 189; Canada, 22; total, 207. Total last week, 223, week previous, 206. There were thirty-six failures reported on the Pacific coast. All other sections show a decided decrease.

In a fit of insanity on the 12th Mrs. William H. Debolt jumped into the Monongahela River at Pittsburgh, with her infant, a cold babe in her arms. The body of the woman was found and recovered, but that of the child was not recovered.

On the 13th a face bank was robbed at Portland, Me., and fourteen men and a valuable quoit captured. One of the prisoners was a prominent local politician, and several others were out on bail as the result of a similar raid a few weeks ago.

At Piermont, N. Y., Andrew Dolmer was bitten by a dog twenty-nine days ago, and now has hydrophobia in such a severe form that at times it takes seven or eight men to hold him.

The wife of James H. Rutter, the deceased President of the New York Central Railway, died at Claremont Infirmary, near Sing Sing, N. Y., on the 13th. She has been persistently inquiring concerning her husband of late, and died when the announcement of his death was made to her. Husband and wife were interred together at Woodlawn.

At the graduating exercises at the West Point Military Academy on the 13th Governor Hoadly, of Ohio, delivered an address on "Law, Civil and Military," and the Secretary of War delivered the diplomas to the members of the graduating class with a brief address.

John Huntsman, son of a prominent Allegheny City, Pa., merchant, was attacked by a thief at his father's residence on the morning of the 14th and beaten so badly that he will not recover. His assailant escaped.

The glass blowers' strike at Scrapsburg, Pa., has collapsed, and the men resumed work on the 15th at the reduction. The struggle lasted six months.

The statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended June 13 shows the following changes: Loans increase, $7,000; specie increase, $588,100; legal tenders increase, $2,221,400; deposits increase, $9,881,200; circulation increase, $21,100; reserve increase, $2,962,200. The banks held $63,020,025 in excess of legal requirements.

Fire on the 14th destroyed the Presbyterian Church at Shippensburg, Pa., one of the finest in the Cumberland Valley. Loss $26,000; insured for $10,000.

Arthur E. Marsh, who, it is alleged, altered the pay-rolls of Koch Sons & Co., of New York City, and thereby was enabled to embezzle $46,000 of the firm's money, has returned to New York from England, whither he went about four weeks ago. He was locked up in Ludlow Street jail.

It is reported that the bills against General Grant for medical services during the past six months aggregate $40,000.

A suit to recover damages placed at $1,000,000, has been brought in the Supreme Court of New York by Miss Mary Irene Hoyt, against the executors of the estate of her father, the late Jesse Hoyt, and also against her cousin, Jesse Hoyt, and the physicians connected with the Middletown insane asylum. She charges malicious conspiracy and persecution, and claims that the doctors falsely pronounced her insane when her father was on his deathbed, that his brothers might more easily influence the dying man.

WEST AND SOUTH.

The inquest on the body of George M. Reynolds, late First Auditor of the Treasury, was reopened at St. Louis on the 10th by the Coroner, and the additional evidence given went to show that the alleged losses of the deceased on 'Change in that city were really very small.

Eight men working at White's sawmill, near the Gregory Mine, Montana, were attacked on the 9th by a party of ten drunken Indians and driven away. Two of the men are still missing. The Indians had been camping there several days, and seemed friendly while sober.

Information was received at Columbus, S. C., on the 11th of a bloody riot at a negro camp meeting in York County, that State, a few days ago. The conflict raged for over an hour, and at its conclusion there were three dead and twenty more or less seriously wounded.

A tunnel on the Cincinnati Southern Railroad at New River, Tenn., caved in on the 11th, burying a construction train and killing six persons and wounding twenty.

According to the Cincinnati *Price Current* the total number of hogs handled by western packers for the week ended the 10th was 170,000, compared with 199,000 during the same time last year. The number of hogs packed from March 1 to date are as follows: Chicago, 1,035,000; Kansas City, 295,000; St. Louis, 89,000; Cincinnati, 48,000; Indianapolis, 54,000; Milwaukee, 93,000; Cedar Rapids, 74,000; Cleveland, 47,000.

A tornado struck the village of Bridgewater, Cass County, Ia., a few days ago, wrecking a number of business houses and a score or more of dwellings. Several persons were seriously injured, two or three of whom have since died.

Archbishop Gibbons received a dispatch from Rome on the 12th, apprising him of the fact that the Pope had appointed Rev. J. Sullivan, of St. Peter's Church, Washington D. C., as Bishop of Mobile, Ala.

A suit has been commenced in the court of Steubenville, O., against the P., C. & St. L. Railway Company for $10,000 damages for the killing of Thomas R. Davitt on their road in that city in 1884.

Dispatches of the 12th from Shenandoah, Ia., state that the small-pox epidemic there is attaining alarming proportions. The citizens being divided on the question of quarantine arrangements, have allowed patients to leave their houses and walk the streets. The State Board of Health has been urged to send medical assistance.

Judge Jones, chairman of the Board of Live Stock Commissioners of Ohio, states that the reported new outbreak of pleuro-pneumonia in the Jersey herd of Mr. Mitchell, at Dayton, that State, is false. There have been no new cases discovered in Ohio since last summer.

Anthony Funk, alias Talbot, charged with systematically stealing more than 2,000 volumes from the Chicago Public Library, in the course of two years, while in the employ of the library, and who was suspected of a design to blow up the Chicago University by the employment of an infernal machine, has been declared insane and sent to the Elgin Insane Asylum.

William Tinsley, who at the Centennial Exposition was given place as the oldest architect in the United States, and who for many years has been a life member of the American Institute of Architects, died at Cincinnati on the 14th. He was born at Coumel, Ireland, in 1804.

The people of the border counties in Southwest Virginia are threatened with great distress from lack of food. The corn supply, which is their main support, is almost exhausted, and is selling at two dollars per bushel and the wheat crop, now nearly ready for harvest, is so meagre that it will afford but little relief. These are the counties that suffered heavily from drought a year ago last year.

Seventeen-year locusts have made their appearance in large numbers in the vicinity of Elkhart, Ind., and Flint, Mich.

Crowley, the Pittsburgh prize fighter, tried at Wellsburg, W. Va., for prize fighting, was on the 15th sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary.

At a meeting of the citizens committee at Chicago on the 15th for the purpose of considering the advisability of contesting the election of Harrison for Mayor, a resolution was adopted to contest, and the committee was appointed and empowered to take immediate action to that end.

The Knoxville (Tenn.) City Flouring Mills, completed a short time ago at a cost of $100,000, were destroyed by fire on the 16th. The insurance is unknown.

The Adjutant General of Ohio has authorized the First Regiment, of Cincinnati, Colonel F. W. Moore, and the Second, of Van Wert, Colonel J. W. Hetrick, to hold their annual encampment at Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, for six days, from July 25. The State will allow $2.25 per man towards defraying the cost of transportation.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

A farmer named William Etty was found in his field at Newbandon, N. B., on the 11th, gored to death by a mad bull. On the remains being brought into the house a daughter of the deceased dropped dead from the shock. Another daughter lies prostrated, and is not expected to recover.

A conflagration destroyed nearly three-fourths of the town of Grodno, Russia, including the Government offices and numerous churches, recently. The loss amounts to several million roubles.

A determined effort is being put forth by the Quebec members of the Dominion Parliament to procure clemency in the case of Riel. It is understood that Archbishop Taché is there for that purpose, and will shortly be joined by Bishop Grandin, of Saskatchewan.

Late advices from Cashmere, India, received at London, report that earthquake shocks of great severity continue. The towns of Baramulla and Sopur have been utterly ruined and four hundred persons killed. There has also been great loss of life in adjacent villages. Many cattle and sheep have been killed.

A London dispatch of the 12th says the Queen has accepted the resignation of the Gladstone Ministry and has summoned the Earl of Salisbury to form a new Cabinet.

Fearman's pork packing establishment at Hamilton, Ont., burned on the 14th, entailing a loss of $100,000 over the insurance. The property was insured in many companies.

The steamer Speke Hall, from Liverpool, for Bombay, was foundered recently in a cyclone in the Gulf of Aden. There was only one survivor.

A desperate fight occurred between a procession of clericals and a mob of roughs at Genoa on the 14th. Knives, clubs, and stones were freely used. One man was killed, and many persons were wounded.

A terrible cyclone recently visited the vicinity of Salinas, Mexico, doing great damage to crops. Forty-five houses were demolished in the immediate track of the cyclone, leaving many families entirely destitute.

LATER NEWS.

AT Toledo, O., on the 15th Arthur B. Wakelee, a carpenter aged about forty, killed his wife by cutting her throat and then shot himself. When discovered both were dead. Wakelee is said to have been a sober, industrious man, and the deed is supposed to have been prompted by jealousy.

THE following Presidential appointments were announced on the 15th: John W. Twiggs, of California, to be Assayer of the Mint of the United States at San Francisco; Thomas Beck, to be Appraiser of Merchandise of the District of San Francisco; Daniel Z. Yost, to be Assistant Appraiser of Merchandise in the District of San Francisco; Joseph F. Shafer, to be Assistant Surgeon of the Navy; Benjamin S. W. Clark, of Plattsburg, N. Y., to be National Bank Examiner and assigned to duty in New York State, and Samuel H. Taylor, of Washington Ind., to a similar position and assigned to Indiana. O. J. Harvey, of Pennsylvania, and William S. Kaiser, of Indiana, Chiefs of Division in the Third Auditor's office, Treasury Department.

A SPECIAL from Shenandoah, Ia., says the small-pox at that place was under control on the 15th. The State Board of Health had visited the place and strict quarantine will be maintained. Several cases have appeared at Clarinda and one case at Preston.

PRINCE FREDERICK CHARLES, the nephew of Emperor William, died on the 15th from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy.

A HOUSE being erected by Anthony Burbank at Pittsfield, Mass., fell on the 15th, killing one workman and injuring several others. There is great indignation against Burbank, who is known as a "Buddensick" builder.

THE bill exempting soldiers and sailors from civil service examinations was defeated in the Massachusetts Senate on the 15th by a tie vote.

ORSON S. MURRAY, a noted anti-slavery agitator, died at his home near Cincinnati on the 14th, aged seventy-nine.

COMMISSIONER MANN summoned to his office on the 15th the entire force of the Statistical Bureau of the Agricultural Department, numbering twenty-one persons, of both sexes, and announced that there would be no money to pay their salaries after the 20th inst. They were all furloughed, without pay, from the 20th inst. until the 1st of July.

THE Washington letter-carriers on the 15th presented Hon. S. S. Cox with an elegant gold-headed cane. This testimonial was given Mr. Cox on the eve of his departure for Constantinople, in recognition of his services while in Congress in behalf of the letter-carriers of the country.

Two sons of Joseph Sullivan, aged respectively six and eight years, were drowned while bathing in the river at Ashtabula, O., on the 15th.

IT is reported that the Madison Square Garden, New York City, has passed into the hands of a syndicate of Englishmen who will use it as a grand auction mart for horses and also as a hippodrome.

Men Think
they know all about Mustang Liniment: Few do. Not to know it is not to have.

ESTATE OF ANN BIDDLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred Lewis, administrator of said estate, with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that no estate remains in his hands except real estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. 14th

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Mich., deceased, give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 29, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
may21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 18th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 29, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 30, 1885.

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WILLIAM B. SWICK,
apr30 Commissioners.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 119. Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 45 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 120. Accom.
Toledo	8 50 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Detroit	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 31 "	6 08 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A.	P. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 5	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Stryker	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Averdon	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seward	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Ives	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Wayne	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Wayne	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Ives	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seward		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Averdon		12 10	3 37	12 14
Stryker		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

J. W. STEVENS, Division Supt.
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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...D	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 06	12 32	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 08	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 43	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.	8 55	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P.M.
	9 20	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
	9 25	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 55
		3 52	Fisk	11 27		5 47
		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 25
		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
		6 35	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A	L A.M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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THE EXCHANGE FIEND.

A Creature Whose Staying Qualities Are Unappreciated Except by Editors.

There is an ancient oriental legend to the effect that once upon a time a modest looking dromedary stuck his head into the sanctum of a daily newspaper and requested to be allowed to glance over the exchanges. The accommodating and gentlemanly editor said: "Certainly, with pleasure," and the result was that in a short time the dromedary was polishing the sacred editorial tripod and had both hoofs on the table, going through the exchanges. When the editor intimated that he felt cramped, the dromedary replied, humorously, that perhaps the editor would feel more untrammeled if he were on the outside.

The moral of this simple little legend is that the proper time to sit down on the exchange fiend is at the opening of the campaign, or else he will be as hard to remove from position as a firmly established mother-in-law.

It is a fact that nobody outside of a newspaper office can understand or appreciate the staying qualities of an exchange fiend. Those who begin the performance with an overture to the effect that they know newspaper men are always busy, hence they will stay but a moment, are the ones that resemble a French clock, they never go. The exchange fiend is always a brilliant conversationalist. Different editors have different campaign plans. Some editors hang up big signs in front of their desks, such as: "Go Home and Tell Us All About It." Others have a picture of a death's head and the legend underneath: "This Man Was Talked to Death." An exchange fiend will read over these admonitions, laugh and say: "You have hit 'em off to a T."

If the editor has only one chair, the fiend will sit down on the editor's desk, or even on the editor himself.

Other people dread the power of the press. Not so the exchange fiend. He has the audacity of the flea that takes his breakfast off the lion's lip. He never realizes his danger.

There was once a Texas newspaper man who ran short of material to write up and who thought it would be a joke to encourage an exchange fiend, just to see how far he would go, and then write it up. So when the exchange fiend walked in, the editor did not go, as usual, and get "Webster's Unabridged," and impressively lay it on the exchanges along with four or five paper weights, to keep the papers from blowing away by the breeze that was not blowing. On the contrary, he told the fiend to help himself. The fiend began to look sassy right off. You could see his cheek harden. He removed his hat, coat, vest, cravat and boots, as if he was going in swimming. Then he went to the editorial coat that was hanging on the rack and hunted for a cigar. In doing so he came across several letters and postal cards. He was considerate enough to read them, holding the borrowed cigar in his mouth all the time. It was evident that the exchange fiend did not require much encouragement, so the editor determined to give him a little sarcasm.

"If there is anything you want that you don't see, just ask for it," said the editor.

The fiend took a puff of the cigar and said:

"Cussed poor cigar. Where did they give them to you? I want to steer clear of that place. By the way, there are some New York papers that I want you to get. Have 'em put on your exchange list. I'll give you a list of the papers I want."

The fiend was perfectly serious; so was the editor, who rallied and remarked with a sneer:

"Don't you want me to turn over the Post-office key to you? Perhaps you would like to open the money-order letters?"

"You do need a business manager, but I fancy you would hardly be able to pay me my price to take hold of your business department."

It became still more evident that this fiend did not require much more encouragement to feel perfectly at ease. Once more the editor's face was wreathed in scorn, as he said:

"I am going to have a telephone put up between this office and your residence, so you will be able to spend some of your time at home."

"This is good enough for me right here, if you will fill a side basket and have some more pegs to hang clothes on," replied the demon, tearing the wrappers off the exchanges.

The amusing feature of this conversation is that it actually took place. It is a peculiarity of the newspaper bore that he is perfectly honest in believing that he is the only visitor to the office who is not a bore, hence any hint you may give him to clear out is taken as the spirit of banter, as if it were pleasantly and not seriously meant for him at all.—*Alex Sweet, in Arkansaw Traveler.*

AMATEUR NURSING.

A Fond and Fashionable Delusion Dispelled.

Ah, me, how the truth does differ from fiction! Doesn't the hero of novel or play invariably get hurt, if at all, in the way of a broken leg or something that lays him up in a nice, clean manner, compatible with sentimentality? Moreover, isn't it the rule that the heroine, turned nurse, shall find her employment in that capacity made congenial by the duties of smoothing the dear fellow's forehead and reading to him? That's romance. Here's reality. The pastor of my church is an earnest Christian, a practical doer of good, and all that sort of philanthropic thing. He is all the while making up visiting committees for the tenement house poor, cold-victual distribution coteries, and second-hand clothes agencies. He got it into his benevolent head not long ago that some of us girls ought to do amateur nursing in the public hospitals. The idea took well, because we had heard that London aristocratic maidens were practicing it, and he speedily had six enthusiastic volunteers. We went through with a preliminary training to the extent on reading a book of directions of nursing. Then we reported for duty. We were to form a kind of relief gang, each girl to devote one whole day in six to actual attendance in the ward of a certain hospital. Our services were accepted. We drew cuts for turns, and I hit the first day. Early next morning I presented myself, in a very plain but neatly-fitted bib and tucker, to the house physician of the institution. I flattered myself that I was prepared for any fate which duty might impose upon me; but down deep in my heart of hearts I was hopefully expectant of the broken-boned hero of the novel and the play for a patient. What was my joy, therefore, on being assigned to a chap in exactly that line. What I mean is that both his legs and one arm had been fractured. Of course, he wasn't precisely the ideal thing. His brow wasn't as high and white as the fictionist had described, a stubble growth of beard impaired whatever of beauty his face might ordinarily have possessed, and they had stuck him fast in a structure of splints and plaster of paris so that his one immovable position was not picturesque. I was bound to make the best of him, however, and at the first opportunity I suggested that I might read the morning paper to him.

"Unless you want to drive me crazy, young woman," he growled, unaware that I was a volunteer, and not a hired hospital attendant, "you'll kindly keep your tongue quiet."

The shock was something dreadful. I withdrew to a corner and wept. When that was done with I returned to find him asleep and snoring. But I made one additional effort to realize my expectations. On his showing the first signs of awakening, and betraying pain by low sighs (quite romantically), I quietly stroked his fevered brow. He was wide eyed in a minute.

"For heaven's sake don't bang and plow my head," he exclaimed; "I can't stand it."

I have only a vague recollection of how the rest of the day wore wearily away. One of the fondest of my delusions was dispelled; but when the next day's volunteer and I came to compare notes, and she related how she had been allotted the care of an old bummer just over an acute attack of delirium tremens, I concluded that I had been rather fortunate. I'd had a broken-limbed patient, at all events, though his behavior had not been all that I had expected. On the whole, I don't think that amateur nursing has the elements of fashionable popularity.—*Clara Belle, in Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A TRANSFORMATION.

How a Peaceful Atlantic Liner is Converted Into a War Ship.

The United States was the first nation to improvise a navy of merchant ships. At the outbreak of the rebellion the necessity for an enormous increase of the navy was met by the prompt purchase or charter of steamers of all classes, even the peaceful ferry-boat being transformed into a man-of-war, some of these vessels being turned to excellent account, especially for the river and inland water service.

The suspicion of war with Russia in 1878 led the Czar's Government to see the advantage of swift cruisers, and the American mercantile steam navy was drawn upon to furnish two such commerce destroyers. Their services were not needed. The effect of this action was to teach the British what a powerful weapon they had at hand. Acting on the hint, it has to-day about 350 such vessels from which to choose as commerce protectors. The Atlantic fleet has been drawn upon for this purpose, and one of the most notable of these, the National Line America, has been finished for the new service and is nearly ready for commission as a war vessel. It is a new navy, of which she is the pioneer, and the details of her conversion can not fail to be of interest. Messrs. Laird, of Alabama notoriety, are the adapters of this ship, one of the finest of the Atlantic squadron, which had accommodations for 1,750 passengers. The America is built of steel, and has thirteen water-tight compartments, any two of which can keep her afloat. The passenger accommodation has been swept away. By so doing she can now accommodate 2,000 men. This seeming paradox is explained by the fact that the luxuries of ocean travel are not necessary for the conveyance of troops, and the America may be used as an armed transport. The armament of this new war vessel is peculiar and adapted to her build. Two five-inch guns are placed on either bow on the forecastle; six sixty-four-pounders are placed in other parts of the vessel. On the poop two other five inch guns of the same character as at the bows are placed. The four five-inch guns thus placed forward and aft are in very exposed positions, but their great range of over 150 degrees is the compensating gain. They have a direct fire over bow and stern, and as they will be able to work around to fifty-eight degrees toward midships it will be difficult for any hostile vessel to escape their range. The sixty-four-pounders, three on a side, will each have a range of ninety degrees, and will thus command the whole broadside of the ship.

Six Nordenfeldt Mitrailleuse or machine guns are on the upper deck, and four pinnaces, specially adapted to torpedo work, make up the armament to this vessel, which will be the champion for the new class of vessels thus withdrawn from the peaceful passenger traffic to take her place as a regular ship-of-war of the British navy.

The Etruria, Umbria and Oregon of the Cunard Line, and the Alaska of the Union, are also being fitted. The armament varies, according to the peculiar construction of the several vessels, but is of the same general character.—*Boston Globe.*

—One of the trustees of the Providence Public Library, who is a well-meaning man, has made a scrap-book of the adventures of runaway boys as related in the newspapers. His object is to warn young readers of the masculine gender against the pursuit of knowledge in vicious dime novels.—*Providence Journal.*

"What's the Matter With You?"

"Well, not much in particular. But I'm a little ailing all over. I don't sleep well, and my kidneys are out of order, and I cant enjoy my meals, and I've a touch of rheumatism, and once in a while a twinge of neuralgia." Now, neighbor, you seem to want a general fixing up, and the thing to do it is Brown's Iron Bitters. Mr. A. J. Pickrell, of Ennis, Texas, says, "I was a sickly man. Brown's Iron Bitters made me healthy and strong."

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Bismark sticks to his old gray goose quill, and refuses to use steel pens.

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Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven booxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 8	No. 5	No. 3	No. 1
Toledo....Lv	8 00 AM	3 20 PM	6 20 PM	
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue!	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 46	8 20	1 10 AM
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 35
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 26	2 27
Creston....Lv	12 05 PM	7 40	9 12 PM	3 20
Orville....Ar	12 30	8 10	9 41	3 50
Orville....Lv	12 50	8 20	9 47	4 00
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	10 25	4 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	5 45
Sherrodsville		6 47 PM	6 47 PM	
Valley Junc..Lv	3 20		3 20	8 25
Canal Dover	3 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 6	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 02	10 AM	6 02	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 32	8 40	
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 30 AM	9 20	

WESTWARD.	No. 6	No. 8		
Marietta....Lv	6 00 AM	2 30 PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	9 15	5 58		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sheroddsville				5 45 AM
New Cumberl'd				6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20 AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15 AM
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 15	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17 PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo....Ar	5 45 AM		1 35 PM	10 00 AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 30 AM	6 45 PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40 AM	2 20 PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 32
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
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Beans per lb	4	@ 5
Beef per lb	4	@ 5
Beef, Hides per lb	3	@ 3
Beef, Tongues per lb	3	@ 3
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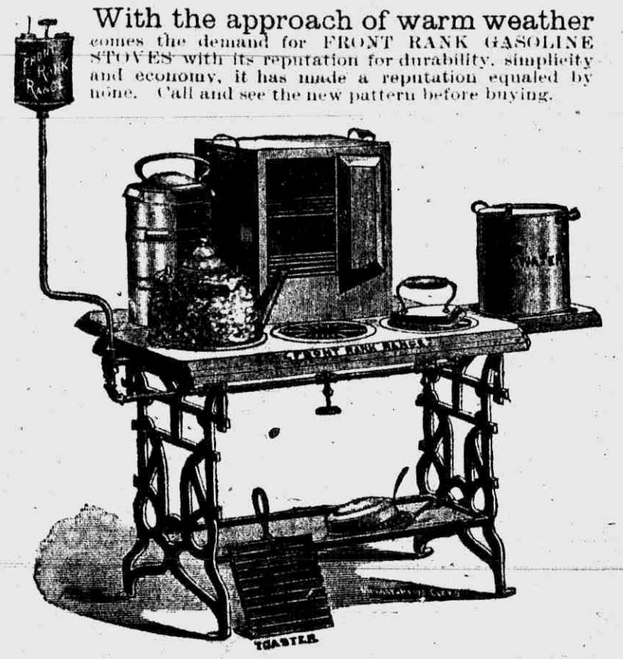

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Dr. L. S. Crotser of Edmore, Mich., has been a guest of Charles Priest for the past week.

Mrs. Starr died at her home last Thursday. She had been sick for several weeks, but had not been confined to her bed until quite recently. Her sons, George, Charles and Henry Starr came here to attend her funeral. The services were held at the house Saturday at four o'clock. Rev. Barnes officiating.

Several Masons from the Clinton Lodge went to Blissfield last Monday afternoon, for the purpose of conferring degrees.

Prof. Laflin went to Tecumseh last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnston of Detroit, are visiting Clinton friends.

Born—On Thursday, June 18th, 1885, to Mrs. Hattie Johnston, a boy.

Mrs. R. O. Randall, Mrs. F. D. Lancaster and Mrs. Frank Thompson, visited Tecumseh last Saturday.

J. B. Hause attended the funeral of Mrs. Warner in Franklin last Tuesday.

The meeting of the Lenawee County Horticultural Association at the Town Hall last Friday was quite a success. Many guests from neighboring towns were present.

Prof. I. B. Laflin has obtained a situation as traveling salesman during his summer vacation. Mrs. Laflin intends visiting friends near Ypsilanti for a few weeks and from there will go to Corunna, to visit her mother and sister.

Last Thursday evening Mrs. Dwight Kies and son Harry, and Charles Goodrich had started to come to town from Mr. Kies' farm, when the horse became frightened and commenced to run. Mr. Goodrich, thinking he would be able to manage him better by being on the ground, jumped out of the buggy and caught hold of the bit. The horse shook him off and again started to run. Mrs. Kies realizing their danger if they remained in the buggy, told her little boy to jump out, which he did, and she attempted to follow, but it was some time before she reached the ground. Soon after she had jumped out the horse fell and the buggy was thrown clear over him. Mrs. Kies has quite a severe cut on the head and was considerably bruised, but will be well in a few days. Mr. Goodrich considers himself quite fortunate in getting nothing worse than a broken shoulder.

J. E. McCollum went to Detroit last Tuesday. He returned Wednesday.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Our physicians still report considerable sickness in the community.

The celebrated Buckeye harvesting machinery is now on sale by Caleb Kempton. His warehouse is located next to Curtis' Bank.

Numerous of our citizens will take in the sights at Adrian during the Fourth of July.

Armstrong & Son is the name of the new grocery firm that succeeds Mr. Harvey Dayton at the Harrington block.

Power & Son are preparing to erect a fine new building on the site on which their drug store was burned last winter.

After a stay of nearly a quarter of a century at the Smith Block our village postoffice is at last removed to a new building prepared for its special accommodation. The building is now located just north of the old stand but will be moved on Main street as soon as Mr. Underwood, the post master, can make it convenient to do so.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The cold wave struck us Monday.

Don't put away your ulsters yet.

A fine rain Sunday afternoon.

Almost a frost Monday night, the shortest night of the year.

Boys, take courage. Sunday evenings grow longer now.

Strawberries are quite plentiful in these parts.

A good many went to Tecumseh on Saturday to see the circus parade.

A party of married folks from Dist. No. 5, went to Wampler's Lake Saturday.

Working on the street is the order now and they are doing a fine job at the M. & O. crossing.

Fred Jones spent Sunday with his brother, Warren.

Mr. Haight and T. H. Temple returned from Kalkaska Saturday and report a fine time fishing, etc.

Clarence Jackson celebrated his seventh birthday by giving his friends a lawn party Monday afternoon, and served them with ice cream, cake, &c.

Mrs. Susan Clark has improved her pleasant home by taking away the street fence.

Chas. Pocklington raised a 30x40 foot barn Thursday afternoon. He has as fine a barn as there is in the town.

Uncle Thomas Blacker moved to Deerfield Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Fred Pocklington, of Hillsdale, visited friends here last week.

Alfred Richard and family, of Dundee, visited relatives and friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Barlow is in Adrian this week during the College commencement. Belle will graduate in music at this time.

Children's day was largely attended morning and evening. The exercises were very interesting. The church was very handsomely decorated with ferns, flowers, &c., and the birds seemed to enjoy the occasion very much.

Excursion train over the M. & O. to Devil's Lake next Sunday. Round trip from here only 45 cents.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A consignment of tree sellers keeps our piety from retrograding, and Bohemian oat buyers wear a Good Lord Deliver Us expression on their faces, not in harmony with croquet. The oats are not as conspicuous as the notes given in exchange for them.

No definite plan for celebrating the Fourth has been presented to the Council, but the rink at Wampler's Lake is near enough to the base of accidents to satisfy those inclined to drown.

There is just trade enough to prevent dealers from going raving distracted; but the soldier's home is enveloped in silence, not only here but all over the state. If old maxims are true, a big mole is burrowing somewhere.

There is considerable sickness and diptheria quite near.

A graduating class of seven will be pelted with flowers Friday evening, and after that all mischief will be promptly attended to without extra charge, until next September.

A cold wave has come but does not discourage our legions of birds. I do not know about other places, but our robins outnumber all birds that have visited us within five years, and all other kinds are largely represented.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Geo. M. Beckler, of Petersburg, is visiting his son J. P. Beckler. He is a hale old man of seventy-nine.

Mrs. Wilhemina Osterhout lost a fine horse last Saturday. The horse broke its leg while in the field.

Our school closed last Friday with a well prepared program by the children. Miss Brown has given good satisfaction.

Farmers say that chess is pretty plenty in the wheat. Corn grows rapidly in spite of the cool nights. Oats are promising a fine crop.

Dr. Hallock's house is getting along and promises to be an ornament to the place.

Now the petitions circulate freely, almost every body has one in his hand, either to sign or to be signed. The post office is the cause. The post master has moved and every one wants the place.

Cassell's Family Magazine for July

A large girl playing lawn-tennis is the subject of the frontispiece of the July number of Cassell's Family Magazine. The serial story, "A Diamond in the Rough," opens the feast and introduces us to several exciting situations. A new serial, "My Namesake Marjorie," is begun in this number and gives every promise of sustaining the reputation of this magazine for good serial stories. There are besides several shorter stories, whose plots may be digested at a sitting. Then we have subjects of scientific information discussed for our improvement: "what the Sun is Made of," with careful illustrations, by Ray Woods. The second of Karl Blind's papers on "Dr. Schliemann's Discoveries at Tiryns," and "Flemish Laces," with exceptionally fine engravings from specimens of their work. Then we have a most attractive article "A Fair Canoeist," describing the first trip made by a lady around Flambro' Head in a canoe. The picture showing this point of chalky cliff and the water swirling around it does not look an inviting place to paddle around a canoe. "J. Cuthbert Hadden has an article on Geo. Frederick Handel; and the Family Doctor has a timely article on hay-fever. "A Glimpse of New York and Central Park" is given by Catherine Owen, and we have a second paper on "How to make Home Beautiful" The Paris correspondents's "Chit-chat on Dress" is not the least of the valuable papers in the magazine, while "The Gather" is, as usual, full of bits of practical information on the scientific progress of the day.—Cassell & Company, Limited, $1.50 a year.

The Union School Furniture Company of Battle Creek have walked off with the highest awards at the New Orleans Exposition. They made four entries, viz: The "Automatic" School Seat; the new Standard Crayon; the the Valveless Air Pump; and on general display. They captured the highest award on each entry.

THE COUNTY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

A Large and Interesting Meeting Held at Clinton on Friday Last.

The June meeting of the County Horticultural Society was postponed until the strawberry season and was held on Friday of last week at Clinton. The attendance was good, not only from Clinton, but from other parts of the county. Through the kindness of the Secretary, S. B. Mann, we are enabled to give our readers a full report of the meeting.

President Woodward called the session to order promptly at ten o'clock, and the exercises were opened with a piece of vocal music by a Clinton quartette.

The first business was a question by Peter Coller, who opened by saying he had found a small black worm on his grapevines, that was doing much damage, and asked what to do with them?

Mr. Sigler said the best thing was to pick them off, and kill them.

Mr. Coller had killed them with hellebore with some success. There was no trouble reported from this locality.

S. B. Mann said he had been worried about the maple bark louse, on his grapevines, but they seemed less abundant this year than last.

Mr. Moony had about the same experience.

Mr. Randall asked if "trimming grapes in the fall added to the danger of winter killing the vines."

D. G. Edmiston said if he could not lay vines down he left them untrimmed till spring.

President Woodward trimmed his vines thoroughly last fall, and those that he left up in the trellis were almost all killed.

Mrs. Remington asked "the best time to trim grapes?"

Mr. Edmiston said he had of late years left the trimming till spring, but preferred to trim in the fall, if he laid the vines down. But he had lately left them on the trellis, and trimmed those not killed in the spring. He named a number of varieties that were killed with the severe winter. He would trim as soon as warm weather comes in the spring, as early as can be done, but they might be trimmed up to the starting of the buds. If in the fall, as soon as the leaves are off. Grapes laid down should have a very light covering, if any, but he would weight them down.

Mr. Sigler trimmed in the fall, and thought there was very little choice as to which time was best.

Mr. Mooney usually trimmed in the fall. He, too, found many of his vines killed down to the ground.

Mr. F. J. Hough had a Concord that he trimmed late this spring, and it was making a vigorous growth and full of fruit. He had supposed the Concord would stand almost any degree of cold.

Mr. Mann asked if there was any way to preserve the Prentice vine through these cold winters.

Mr. Edmiston thought there was no way to save the Prentice except by covering. He also said of the Pocklington grape, that though it was not called hardy, it was, in most cases, hardy. But there were many vines sold on the market for the Pocklington which were not genuine, but a cheat.

President Woodward had latterly trimmed late in the spring, after the vines are well started, and he had large crops.

Mr. Billmyer asked "why some vines were killed in some localities and not in others?"

Mr. Sigler said that his on light sand were almost all killed. The locality had very much to do with that.

Mr. Gibson replied that elevation and culture had much to do with the life of the grape. The higher the location, the better.

Mrs. Remington asked "how many varieties there were that would stand the winters here?"

Mr. Edmiston said there were probably four hundred varieties that would stand our winters as well as the Concord. He had over fifty varieties, and they had all borne fruit. There are said to be over seven hundred varieties known, but of course many of them were valueless.

It was asked if there was any trouble with the seventeen-year locust?

Mr. Hough replied that the locusts did no damage by eating, but they sting the branches, and those drop off. You should watch your trees, or they will very much injure them. They will last from four to six weeks. It is the last year's growth that is injured.

Mr. Palmer had had some experience in Ohio with this insect. In 1847 they destroyed many young trees. Other years, when they had appeared, they had done less damage.

Adjourned to one o'clock.

LOCAL HOSPITALITY.

The ladies and good people of Clinton had provided, in the hall, a bounteous dinner, and the visitors, especially those who had made an early start, and taken a hasty breakfast, did ample justice to it. There was a fine show of strawberries and apples. The Clinton people are perfectly at home entertaining their friends.

Among those exhibiting fruit were Wm. Wicham, of Adrian, five varieties of strawberries; J. H. Billmyer, of Raisin, one variety of apples—the small Romanite; B. W. Steere, Adrian, two varieties of apples— the Willow Twig and the Ben Davis; D. R. Gibson, Clinton, four, varieties of strawberries and a sample of honey; David Woodward, one variety of strawberries.

AT THE AFTERNOON SESSION

there was an increased attendance.

The first business of the afternoon session was a renewal of the question box. First came "the English sparrow, in the future of horticulture?"

Mr. L. D. Watkins, of Manchester, said that in England they are destroying the small fruit and grain.

Mr. Coller said that a neighbor of his caught them with small fish hooks baited.

Mr. Hough claimed that they had not as yet done any damage, and were confined to the city.

A number of men sprang to their feet at once. Among them was Mr. Palmer, who was anxious to have them destroyed.

Mr. Sigler had killed them with grain soaked in water with strychnine.

The best three varieties of strawberries for market and family use was the next question.

Mr. Wickham said the Manchester, Green Prolific and Wilson.

Mr. Gibson gave, as his opinion, the Crescent, Wilson and Kentucky.

B. I. Laing choose the Monarch of the West, Crescent Seedling and the Wilson.

The best single variety was the next question. The old Wilson seemed to be a universal favorite. The present prospect of the apple crop came next.

Mr. Billmyer reported that the trees blossomed very full, but the crop will be small, if any at all.

Mr. Laing expected very few, and Mr. Coller a very poor crop.

Mr. Cress had been through his orchard, and found less than a dozen apples.

"The Rose bug," was the next question, and Mr. Strong said white hellebore and pyrethrum would kill them.

"The squash bug" was next discussed, and Mr. S. B. Mann said Paris green used the same as on potatoes, had killed them for him.

President Woodward had used it with the same result.

Mr. Wickham had driven off the squash bug with coal ashes.

Mr. Bilmyer used London purple and air-slacked lime.

Mr. Calhoun had used the old Connecticut remedy of soot, from the chimney.

Various other remedies were given. Mr. Hamilton had been successful with Paris green for bugs.

"The best soils for strawberries" was asked next.

Mr. Coller said clay loam; Mr. Laing black, gravelly loam; others gave sand.

E. H. Allis gave the New York fruit growers' experience, on clay soil.

"The best soil for grapes?"

Mr. Sigler had grown grapes on sandy soil only, but had success.

Mr. Edmiston said the wine growers on the lake shore, would give more a pound for grapes grown on clay than if grown on sand. He had only clay soil. He admitted that good grapes could be grown on sand, but better on clay.

N. J. Strong corroborated this view.

Mr. Hough said much depended on richness. He had grapes on both clay and sand. The best soil no doubt was clay.

"The best soil for pears?" was next asked.

Mr. Coller was the first to answer, and said clay soil was the best for all fruits.

Mr. Hough said clay was much the best for pears.

Mr. Gibson preferred all clay—the harder the better.

Mr. Watkins asked Mr. Coller how pears grew in Florida. He said he saw beautiful pear trees there on that white sand.

"The best position for avoiding the frost of winter and drouth of summer?"

Mr. Coller gave as his opinion, a northern slope.

Mr. Billmyer said his peach orchard was on two sides of a north and south ridge. Those trees on the west side were dead; on the east side they were alive and doing well.

Mr. Watkins said that his orchard had a west slope and a great exposure. His trees were in bad shape.

Mr. Randall asked "the cause, and remedy, for yellows on blackberries."

Mr. Wickham said burn them.

Mr. N. J. Strong offered the following resolution, which was carried:

Resolved, That the Horticultural Society of Lenawee county tender to the ladies of Clinton and vicinity, their hearty thanks for the sumptuous manner in which they have entertained us at this, our first meeting with them in their village; also, the singers for their fine singing.

"The work of mice on trees in winter," was the next topic, and was discussed to a good length, various remedies being given.

E. P. Allis had on exhibition a fine lot of mounted locusts, and they were examined with much interest.

Mr. Edmiston moved that the meeting ajourn to the first Wednesday in August. Carried.

Few things are more facinating in their way than a study of the subterranean history of man, whether in caves or in mounds, whether it be to corroborate written history, or to take testimony that ante-dates all writing. President Barlett, of Dartmouth, contributes an interesting article on this topic to the July number of the North American Review. The other articles are one by Gail Hamilton on Prohibition in practice, and one by Rev. Dr. C. H. Parkhurst on the decline of Christianity. These, with the batch of Free hand Comments, make up a number of unusual interest. If the allotted age of man were sufficient for a magazine, we might have to part here with an old friend; for the Review has just completed its seventieth year. But outwardly it renews its youth with a new cover, and inwardly it seems more vigorous than ever.

Doris' circus came from Marshall on a special train of their own. The train comprises twenty-two cars, each of which is sixty feet in length. This train of itself makes quite an imposing show.

THE HOUSEMOTHER.

To Be Housemother and Housework Is Like Being President and Running All the Departments at the Same Time

Spencer [illegible] down as an axiom that before [illegible] a thing fully [illegible] [illegible] departments at the same time.

[illegible] order in the kitchen department [illegible] and pantry, and to save the table from a disorderly appearance [illegible] be well [illegible]. One can not be expected to make something out of nothing. In the kitchen most especially there should always be "a place for everything and everything in its place," so that should an article be needed at any time of the day or night when the moments are of importance, it can be instantly found. The storeroom should be as tidy and fly as possible. A window opening out of doors and a screen over the doors will secure a draught of fresh air. There are some table supplies that may be bought in quantities with a certain saving of expense, others which require to be frequently renewed from a liability to become musty. Some that will spoil in one kind of weather and keep perfectly well in another kind. A good cookery book will enlighten the young housewife on the subject, and give her the advantage of theoretical knowledge while she is learning practically. Domestic economy requires constant study and attention, the smallest relaxation of attention, and the income, if limited, is liable to be exceeded before one is aware of it.

One should always buy for every, not the very best article. If for wear [illegible] will be not only profit in the saving of money, for they will wear three times as long as the cheaper goods, but there will also be the comfort that the wearing of the best grades of goods always proves. Besides every one knows the refining influence of good and well made garments. To exemplify. Years ago at a certain military post near a village the men who were all well [illegible] in the village were curious [illegible] [illegible] disgraceful row. The [illegible] leaded on midnight [illegible] that no one should go to the village except full dress uniform. The effect for was marvelous. No more drunken more row. The full dress was the man's sobriety.

I wander from my immediate subject, but the housemother and we hold the privilege of making everything a part of her theme, all conspiring to one end, the faithful representation or exemplification of things to be pondered in the heart or mind of the young housewife, who has, perhaps, [illegible] attained the dignity of housemother.

Being in the kitchen department today I will give the young housewife a glimpse of what in my very childhood was to me the beau ideal of a kitchen. It was a large, airy room, with deep window seats and with doors on either side, one side opening on a broad veranda, beyond which the grass sloped down to the edge of a brook bordered with pine and hemlock. On the opposite side the same deep set windows looked into an old-fashioned flower garden, where tufts of [illegible] sweet-William and all the old favorites flourished, and where bunches of peppermint, sage, thyme, pennyroyal, chamomile, catnip, fennel and other herbs grew and flourished. Within the kitchen, [illegible] across the pale gray floor, an old-time looking glass, a tall clock in a corner above its face a ship tossing restlessly on the green waves, behind glass doors were shelves of burnished tinware and shining china, and in a large open fireplace was always a great bed of coals ready for covered spiders and gridirons.

By one of the deep windows was the housekeeper's easy chair, her table and work-basket. Inside the deep, flaring window, and just above the reach of small hands, hung what might be called a series of pockets, made of blue and scarlet, a strip about half a yard long and four or five inches wide, with a small pincushion at the top and a few flannel bits for needles, below three or four pockets for thread, tape, buttons—all the little things so constantly needed. The white ruffled curtains were looped back, a screen shielded the spot from the heat of the fire. No odor of cookery pervaded the place. The wide-throated fireplace took all to itself, save when the old-fashioned oven was opened, and the cakes and pies were taken out and set upon the long table. A very small child then loved to sit in those deep window seats and read tales of fairies or books of travels. Things unknown, whether fanciful or real, always had an especial charm.

And I would say, now and here, that I believe in cultivating the imagination. Nothing so helps the housemother, amid the cares and troubles and turmoil of her life, as a well-trained imagination, one cultivated to see beauties where none exist, rather than to see the disagreeables of life. Imagination is a good thing to have, and a judicious mother is of all the one most needed in its cultivation, for the culture is most successful in the early days of childhood.

In a city house it is somewhat difficult, often impossible, to have a kitchen such as one would desire to have, for the reason that houses are ordinarily built more for show than for comfort, but much may be done to remedy the builder's faults. Should there be a nice pantry, a good range, a good-sized window and the outer door half-glass, one may do wonders with taste and care. Two screw eyes, a brass or iron rod, on which a curtain may be drawn, will serve to hide the water faucets and the sink when not in use. Wire screens to door and window for summer, and with skill it may be made a very comfortable place to work in. But beware of a dark underground kitchen, such as are too often provided. The best kind are on a level with the ground opening into the garden plot, with flowers and greenery to rest eyes that are weary over a hot range. Then it will be pleasant, and whatsoever gives comfort, brings happiness, and happiness in the kitchen department means comfort in the household.—*Boston Ledger.*

KINDNESS TO HORSES.

The Value of the Horse Dependent Largely on Kind Treatment.

The value of [illegible] animal, the [illegible] depends [illegible] kind [illegible] than [illegible]. If we go upon the busiest streets in cities, or upon the most travelled roads in the country, we shall soon see such treatment of this faithful servant as shows [illegible] ignorant many of the [illegible] how to best profit by his labor. They have no [illegible] comprehension of the horse than [illegible] that his best effort can only be [illegible] by the whip. In this respect the horse is much wiser than his driver. One who has studied the animal can see at once that the horse [illegible] makes a pretense of doing his best. He knows he is abused, and he takes his own way to get even with his ignorant, brutal driver. The horse is capable of strong attachment, and will always do his best for the driver that has gained his confidence by kindness. The whip is seldom used by such a driver. His word is all the horse need. Balky and unmanageable horses are nearly always made so by bad and [illegible] drivers. We have [illegible] horses that would draw the last pound for a kind driver, but would not draw the empty wagon for one who had abused them.

Horses are often spoiled in breaking by the want of judgment in the trainer. The horse naturally has strong confidence in man. Colts should always learn that the judgment of the trainer is correct. In learning to draw, they should never be hitched to anything they can not easily move, and if this is kept up they will soon have perfect confidence in their capacity to pull any load they are hitched to. A team so broken can be relied upon to do their very best in an emergency. Such a team is worth fifty per cent. more for service than one that has been broken by the haphazard driver, who does not think it can do any harm if he ties them to a load which they can not pull. But, having been set, they will draw with less courage next time, and when set a few times will expect to be set every time, and will be good only for a load of half their capacity. There is too large a proportion of horses that do their work inefficient work. Some teams, originally well broken, are spoiled by bad drivers afterward. The unfortunate point is, that everybody is apt to think himself a good driver. Some appear to regard driving merely as knowing which rein to pull for direction of the team. Too many common drivers come too near the last description.

To be an expert in using the spade in ditching requires practice under the eye of an expert—how much more, then, does the art of driving horses require practice under an expert? All drivers to be entrusted with a valuable team of horses should be educated for the business. The driver should not only know how to handle the reins, but how to feed and groom his team. No loud and boisterous talk to horses should be permitted. Such always excites the temper of the horse, and if he has not already been spoiled, he soon will be. We had, for many years, a small, gray pony, that had an easy gait of three minutes, was remarkably intelligent, would cheerfully do anything within his power for one who treated him kindly, but would do nothing for one who yelled at him, or treated him in a boisterous way. Have known him to refuse to draw a buggy for one who treated him roughly, but when spoken to by one he liked was all obedience. We found one of our men forcibly trying in a loud way to haul a load with him on a cart, heavy enough for two horses, but he would not straighten the chains. Reprimanding the man for his want of judgment and rough manner, we patted the pony, spoke gently to him, and he pulled the load to the place desired, but the man could not get him to draw the empty cart back to the barn. The pony was never known to refuse a service when well treated. Women could drive him safely about cars; in fact, he was for some ten years, when occasion required, sent home alone from the railway station, some two miles, with parcels in the wagon, and he always came safely. The horse is perhaps our most intelligent animal, and if we would get the best service from him, we must respect his intelligence, and feed him judiciously and generously.—*National Live Stock Journal.*

A MILLIONAIRE'S APPETITE.

Jay Gould Eats Only What a Poor Man May Enjoy.

We have learned from a personal interview what Jay Gould eats chiefly.

"Plain meats and vegetables, good bread and butter, good milk, sometimes porridge or grits for breakfast satisfy me," he says. "As you may suppose, I find my time filled up pretty well with business, and I certainly find that I can get along better when my food is the plainest of the plain. I have never lost my fondness for the country food I used to be accustomed to in my boyhood, and I think I could relish one of those midnight melons as well now as I did then, although I should probably eat it at a different time. Elaborate dinners are terrible things. I remember once being at one and eating some dish, I forget the name of it, which was very good, but after which I was sick for a week. Now when I go to them I take a little soup if it is plain, a piece of roast meat or game, and some plain potatoes, if I can get them. If not, some peas or in fact any vegetable, provided it is without sauce, for I have found that these sauces, which they put on what would otherwise be good, spoil the food—at least for me. For the rest of the time I sit at the table, play with something on my plate and pass the time as well as I can."—*Cook.*

MISSES' WASH DRESSES.

Selections Suitable for Young Ladies' Attire in Warm Weather.

For misses' wash dresses and selections for morning are Scotch ginghams, percales, linen lawns and prints of nice quality in small figures, bar, or stripes. As these dresses are to endure hard usage and to be frequently washed, it is poor economy to buy any but the best qualities for them. The yoke waist, belted, and worn with a plain round skirt tucked above the hem, is a favorite design for such dresses, and one easily laundried. The yoke may be tucked, or else striped with insertion; the belt may also be of insertion, and a sash bow attached to the back is made of the material tucked across the ends, and edged with scalloped embroidery. Other print dresses of white or ecru grounds striped with blue or red, or else with tapestry-like figures printed upon them, are made with pleated or shirred waists that are belted only on the sides. Girls of twelve or fourteen years wear their dresses buttoned behind, while those of fifteen or sixteen may fasten theirs in front, though many young ladies of seventeen or eighteen have their prettiest dresses of white veiling or of cashmere, fastened behind. For afternoon and evening dresses misses wear white mull dresses with shirring around the neck and above and below the belt. With this is a house-maid skirt tucked almost to the shirring, or else made plainer with perhaps two or three ruffles at the foot edged with Valenciennes lace. A sash of striped or of watered ribbon completes this dress. Sprigged muslins and dotted Swiss muslins are made in the same way, but are trimmed with embroidered ruffles.

The jauntiest jackets of red, blue, or golden brown serge are made for young girls to wear on cool days. The bright poppy red serge is made into a double-breasted jacket that may be either loose or tight in front; it is much shorter behind than in front, and has no pleats in the back. The stitchings in rows are trimming enough for this gay jacket, which will be exceedingly pretty with all light summer dresses. The blue serge jackets are similarly made, and trimmed with white Hercules braid, while the light brown sacques have either gilt or ecru mohair braid in many narrow rows.

Pretty white muslin and linen lawn dresses for misses are made with a fitted basque that is worn with a belt of velvet ribbon that has a bow on the side. The skirt has two gathered flounces, tucked, and edged with scalloped embroidery. White nuns' veiling remains in favor for nice dresses, and is made with a plain cuirass waist buttoned or laced behind, fitting as smoothly as a jersey, and worn with a skirt laid in pleats, on which are many rows of narrow white satin ribbon. A wide sash may complete such a dress for a stout girl, but for a slender figure there should be an apron over-skirt that is merely a Greek apron in front, with sash loops and ends behind.—*Harper's Bazar.*

THE HOME.

We Can Not Do Too Much to Make It Attractive.

"If home is everything, then we can not do too much to make it attractive. The man who says mere use is enough and beauty is folly, deserves only to be classed with the cattle he feeds, who have as much sentiment as he has. We are past that low line in our civilization where it is tolerated to say that anything that will answer is good enough. We want something more and better. Mere substance is not life. If it is, then what do the promises of immortal existence amount to. A home is, or ought to be, more than a stopping place merely, a place to eat, drink and sleep in. It should be the nursery of all gentle thoughts and loving affections. It should first develop the finer elements in our natures, and then bind them together around a fixed center. Home is the nucleus of all future growth and goodness. It is the center of all our affections. It is the abode of contentment and peace. Therefore it is a spot to be adorned, within and without, to the uttermost; to be made pleasant and beautiful; to be embowered in trees and sheltered with verdurous shrubbery; to be made inviting externally with a carpet of green grass, borders of fragrant flowers, and festoons of growing vines. Within, woman's tender care and refined instinct will convert it into an elysium, we do not care how plain it is or how scant the resources for embellishment.

No one possesses so many opportunities for making home an earthly paradise as the man who has it in the country. Sun, air, water, grass, trees, flowers, all are at his hand, and almost without money or price. He has more things to create an ideal home out of than any one else who could be named. Yet he seems as a rule to throw them all away, wasting his life in a covetous impatience at not having his lines cast in pleasanter places. If he could see it, and would make the most of it, he has it in his power to make all men envy him. No man's home can possibly be made more attractive than his. No man can live a life of such beautiful plainness, such sweet and wholesome simplicity, such ideal independence, such nearness to nature, our common mother, such domestic integrity and undisturbed repose. As the family is called the unit of the state, so is the home the foundation of organized society and the hope of developing civilization. Can we any of us show too much devotion to it? Can we betray too great fondness for it? Can we expend either effort or means, thought or taste, upon it without being sure of getting an immeasurably large return? To plant a shrub, a tree, a flower, or a vine is an easy thing; but each of these adds a daily beauty and grace to home that grows with a secret power in the heart and holds us faster by the ties of kindred affection.—*Massachusetts Ploughman.*

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AMERICAN HUMOR.

Statistics Showing the Decline of this Peculiar Native Production.

To the casual observer it might appear that American humor was in as flourishing condition as ever; that, notwithstanding the heavy drafts which it has sustained during the last decade, the supply was still abundant, not to say inexhaustible.

But such, alas! is not the fact, as can be conclusively shown by the presentation of statistics carefully prepared, at considerable expense, and which will be given in detail farther on.

The most serious evidence of the decline in our National humor is shown in the paucity of fresh subjects; there having been in the first four months of 1885 but eleven new subjects used in the construction of newspaporial wit, against forty-seven in the corresponding four months of last year; and while several topics which were once under constant treatment have sunk into desuetude and are now no more heard than if they had never been, it is also true that scores of other favorite marks for the shafts of the funny men have shown a gradual falling off in paragraphic favor.

The stove-pipe joke is a notable instance of the former class just alluded to, the class which has utterly disappeared. This mirth-excitant, which in the year 1875 reached the marvelous proportions of 2,764 paragraphs per month, or 33,168 during the entire year, had fallen off in 1884 to 95 per month, or 380 during the first four months of the year, while for the corresponding period of 1885 but 17 cases have been recorded, an average of only 4¼ per month.

A similar, though not so excessive, falling off is shown by many other old stand-bys; notably, the mother-in-law, the cake of soap on the stairs, the oldest Mason, and so forth. But we have the figures handy. Let us consult them.

During the first third of 1884 the mother-in-law formed the subject of 4,987 paragraphs or articles, whereas the corresponding term of the present year can boast of but 215, and 214 of these are essentially repetitions. Goat and the circus poster, 1884, 3,864; 1885, 24. Oldest Mason, 1884, 841; 1885, 53. And here are several more, the first figure indicating the number of times a joke was utilized from January to April, both inclusive, in 1884, and the second figure referring to the number of appearances during the first four months of the present year:

Messenger boy, 4,231, 4,209; oyster, 1774, 797; dude, 5,649, 34; hair in the butter, 1,423, 6 (which, by the way, is six times too many); big hat at the theatre, 1,262, 48; game of poker, 1,812, 185; whisky drinking, 4,831, 3,569; boarding-house hash, 3,112, 124; strong butter, 2,076, 111 (oleomargarine not included); Chicago girl's over-nutrition of pedal extremities, 3,125, 2,008; cake of soap on stairs, 488, 21; coal-hole cover, 976, 43; banana skin, 816, 27; editor and poet, 3,265, 2,093; green apples, 4, 1 (not in season); iceman, 4,981, 2,605; plumber, 9,871, 6,432; picnic, 401, 30 (rush usually comes later); Niagara hackman, 776, 614; bent pin, 7,671, 2,434; umbrella, 7,841, 2,432; watermelon (out of season), 148, 125.

In almost every instance it will be seen that there has been great disparity in the present year's figures as compared with those of the year preceding. The messenger boy, it is true, has very nearly held his own, and no excessively marked falling off is noticed in whisky drinking or the Chicago girl's feet. The wonderful divergence which is shown in the figures relating to the dude is to be explained by the fact that he was a novelty in the paragraphic field last year; but, thank heaven, he is a short-lived creature, as our statistics show, and haply after another year he shall be heard of no more forever.

Jokes on love-making, matrimony, millinery, twins, divorce and kindred accidents, inseparable from one's earthly pilgrimage, hold their time-honored places. They always have been and always will be, world without end; therefore it has not been thought worth while to collect data regarding them. And for other but equally cogent reasons, no notice has been taken of alleged witticisms on deaths by drowning or other adventitious means. Neither has any account been made of poronomasia. Punning is not joking, and a new pun is well-nigh an impossibility.

From our statistics, then, it will be seen that there has been a marked decline in almost every department of American humor: and we have by no means exhausted the evidence which we have at hand. We have only given a few samples of a very large invoice, which we might draw upon almost without limit.

But in this general decline it is pleasant to know that there is one subject at least which has come forward to partially make up for what has been lost. Need we say we refer to the roller skate? During the first four months of 1884 the roller skate was the foundation of but three paragraphs; during the corresponding period of 1885 it has furnished the *raison d'etre* of 17,864 witticisms of different lengths and of various quality. Therefore, providing there shall be no increase in the monthly returns (and the probabilites all point in an opposite direction) there will be, during the entire year, 214,368 mirthful allusions to the skating rink set before the readers of American newspapers.

Finally, then, while deploring the decline of American humor in general, let us thank Heaven and take courage, in view of the marvelous possibilities presented by the roller skates, and let us all pray that this last bulwark of our Nation's wit may forever withstand the wear and tear of time and the strain of constant and continual use.—*Boston Transcript.*

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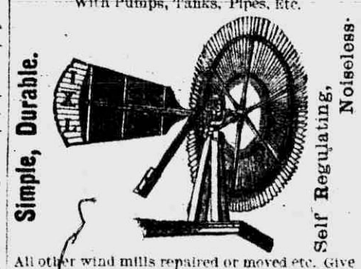

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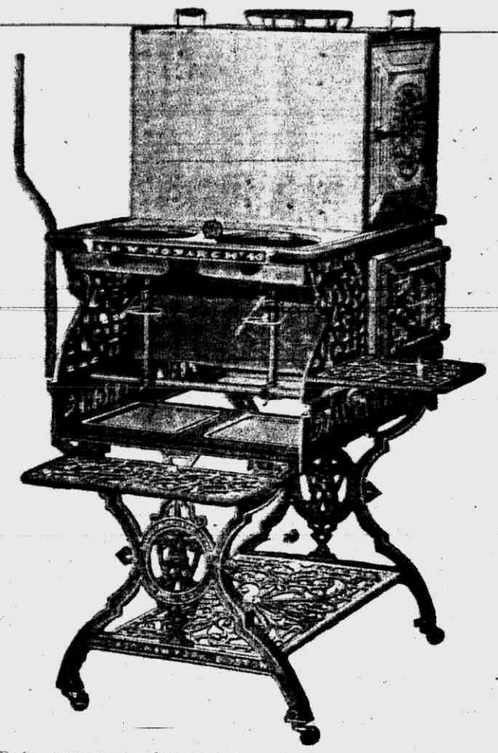

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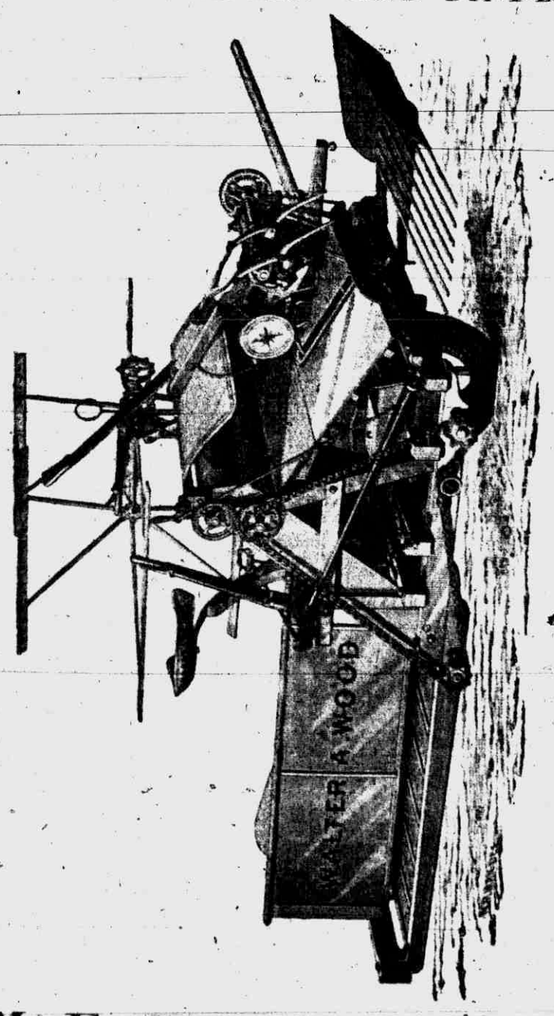

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Headquarters at Slayton & Son's.

TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—The party that took buggy 21 from Adrian Friday and last Monday can save himself trouble by returning same at once.
A. W. SLAYTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that on or about the 9th day of May, 1885, C. L. Lowe obtained a buggy from me under false representations, and for said reasons I shall not pay.
L. LOWE, Sylvania, Ohio.

PLANTS.—Two million Celery Plants for sale. Will be ready either at my residence in Tecumseh or Franklin-st. farm.
H. L. STEWART.

TAKE NOTICE.—To all whom it may concern: You will find the best buggy whips, Pearl-st. to repair from vagabos on short notice and at the lowest prices. Also several new and second hand for sale.
W. SHERMAN.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—June Engine—12 horse power, and Battle Creek Vibrator (Page make).
GEO. C. POCKLINGTON.

500,000 CABBAGE AND CELERY Plants. I have a large quantity of well grown stocky and healthy plants. Premium Shaw Jersey and Fottler's Brunswick; also very fine plants and can make low prices on large quantities.
ABNER WILSON.

FOUND.—June 7th, between A. F. Rice's and Geo. Hanford's farms, a shawl. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement by calling at the
HERALD OFFICE.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between J. P. Slayton and C. A. Slayton under the firm name of Slayton & Son, is this day dissolved by mutual consent J. P. Slayton retiring, C. A. Slayton assuming the whole business. All those having unsettled accounts and notes past due, will see the necessity of making a settlement and confer a favor by doing so at once.
J. P. SLAYTON.
C. A. SLAYTON.
Tecumseh, Mich., June 17, 1885.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.—A second hand ten horse Lane Engine. Call soon.
SLAYTON & SON.

PLANET JR. CULTIVATORS.—Price reduced on Planet Jr. Implements for 1885. The new Planet Jr. Horse Hoe and Cultivator, nearly all steel, with wheel $10. Plain Cultivator $6. At
SLAYTON & SON'S.

FOR SALE.—80 acres of land in Gratiot Co., Michigan, 30 acres improved, balance timbered with beech and maple. Good orchard 12 years old and large house and barn on premises. Will sell for $8 per acre. Small payment down, balance on long time. Land situate 4½ miles from St. Louis, Mich., a town of 3000 inhabitants. Address,
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HOUSES TO RENT CHEAP.—Apply to
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FOR SALE.—Three work horses, platform spring wagon and lumber wagon.
HIRAM WESTCOTT.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Good farm of 100 acres with large barns, windmill, and brick residence in best farming district of Franklin township, within short drive of Tecumseh village.
Two good dwellings in the Village, at desirable bargains.
FRED B. WOOD.

The Addison postoffice will have a lot of new boxes.

The Tecumseh skating rink will be open on the 4th of July.

Tecumseh strawberries were never better than they are this year.

Mrs. Freeman will not be undersold on millinery goods. Remember.

The Commencement exercises at Adrian College take place this week.

Hon. Chas. S. Hampton will deliver the Fourth of July oration at Adrian.

Stephen Burleson, of Quincy, Mich., made Tecumseh a flying visit last Saturday.

The present week is made lively with college and high school commencements.

Ladies do not buy an article of millinery goods before seeing Mrs. Freeman's immense stock.

The session room of the Baptist church is undergoing enlargement and some changes and repairs.

Will Harding is home from Albion college to spend the summer vacation. He is highly pleased with the school.

M. L. Root returned from his eastern trip last Saturday. He made several large flour contracts during his absence.

Chas. E. Williamson started for New York City yesterday on a business trip. He expects to be gone about a week.

Co. C and the Tecumseh band have accepted an invitation from Adrian for the 4th. The latter will compete for the band prize.

Hon. Philip DePuy, of Reading, Hillsdale Co., is spending a few days with Frank DePuy of Macon and Jebal Davidson of this village, and looking up his financial matters.

S. B. Mann, Secretary of the County Horticultural Society, stopped in Tecumseh Friday evening, after returning from the meeting at Clinton, and stayed over night with Mr. Geo. Tiffany.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy, of East Saginaw, arrived in town last Saturday to spend a few days with old friends. George returned Monday, but Mrs. Stacy will remain here until the last of this week.

The Michigan & Ohio R. R. will make reduced rates for 4th of July.—They will sell tickets between all stations for one fare for the round trip. Tickets can be purchased July 3rd and 4th, good returning July 6th.

The Ladies' Society, in connection with the Young People's Society of the Baptist church, will hold a lawn festival at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Fisher, on Tuesday evening next, June 30th. Strawberries and ice cream will be served. Let everybody remember it, and get ready to come and have a good time.

Last Sunday morning the congregation at the M. E. church witnessed an interesting scene. Ten members of the Sunday School stood at the altar, professed their faith in Christ and received the sacrament of Baptism at the hands of Rev. G. W. Hudson. On the preceding Sunday or Children's Day, three children were baptized.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 25, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dan. Hall's two little boys are very sick with scarlet fever.

Commencement exercises at the Opera House this evening.

Oscar Heck is home on a vacation from Kalamazoo college.

The fire steamer was out for practice last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. A. Smeltzer, of Detroit, is visiting friends in town this week.

Ladies, buy your 4th of July hats of Mrs. Freeman. They are cheap.

Miss Eva Daglish, of Kalamazoo college, is home for the vacation.

Archie Sherrard is spending a few days among his old Tecumseh friends.

Mr. Jas. Smythe, of Grand Rapids, is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

Rev. J. B. Little, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Adrian, has resigned.

Mrs. Dell Cairnes and Nellie Reynolds are visiting friends in Detroit this week.

Frank Potter and Elmer Hendershot are home from Ann Arbor to spend the vacation.

J. S. Kinney has taken a large order from J. B. Allen to furnish his new hotel at Devil's Lake.

Rev. C. E. Conley, is traveling in the interests of the Kalamazoo college. He will be absent about three weeks.

James Wilson has rented the Landgraf house, just west of Albert Hyde's, on Chicago street, and is moving in this week.

A picked nine of Tecumseh base ballists will play a game with an Adrian nine to-morrow afternoon at base ball park. Look out for an exciting game.

Cook & Palmer have been taking in wool during the past week at a lively rate. They have contracted about 80,000 pounds and have already shipped off 40,000 pounds. The price ranges from 20 to 25 cents for best quality.

Jack Crowley was "gathered in" on circus day for being drunk and disorderly and brought before Justice Burridge who gave him the privilege of paying $14.50 fine or going to the county bastile for twenty days. He took the latter.

Wm. McCowen has been making extensive improvements upon the interior of his furniture store. In addition to the plate glass front, he has papered over the side walls and painted the ceilings and shelving upon the east side of the store. When the goods are arranged in place it will make an elegant show room for furniture.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Hayward spent their week in Tecumseh most pleasantly. They went from here to Adrian where they passed a couple of days, thence to Toledo and Put-in-Bay. On Tuesday they went to Battle Creek where they will stop over a day or two and then proceed direct to their home in Longmont, Col. The best wishes of their old Tecumseh friends go with them.

A change in the machinery of the Globe mill is being made by which the power from a second turbine wheel is transferred to the rollers, which will increase the capacity of the mill to 500 barrels per day. Additional rolls will be put in at once to utilize the additional power thus obtained. Heretofore the machinery has been run with one turbine and there was considerable surplus power wasted. This waste power will be utilized on the rollers. Mr. Hayden is always making improvements of some kind and this one will prove to be the best since the roller system was first put into the Globe mill.

Arthur Hubbard was arrested last Tuesday in Riga and taken to Adrian for insurance swindling, or obtaining money on fraudulent insurance policies. He claimed to be an agent for the Globe Reserve Company, of Baltimore. The company telegraphs to the prosecutor that Hubbard is a fraud, and has no authority. Hubbard insured a family of three persons, aggregating $11,000, for $75, taking a cow and horse in payment. He was once agent for the Globe Reserve, and was discharged, and did not surrender his commission. Hubbard formerly resided in Tecumseh and has relatives living here.

Capt. A. P. Foster has an elegant gold badge which was recently presented to him by a lot of his comrades who served in the navy with him during the war. It is in the form of a shield and anchor, has four diamond sets in it, and engraved upon its face are the names of the battles in which he was engaged, viz: Matthias Point, Dumfries' Creek, Nansemond, Malvern Hill, Port Walthall, Fort Spring Hill, Fort Clifton, Petersburg. It was designed by Tom Adamson and manufactured in New York. Tom estimates its value at about $200. It is an elegant piece of jewelry and one which the captain will prize very highly.

Mrs. Freeman has the most fashionable millinery goods ever in town.

James Wallace has been assisting in the plastering of Allen's new hotel at Devil's Lake.

A. W. Slayton shipped 11 cars of lumber and hay last week. He reports trade lively. He is in Detroit this week.

In the absence of the pastor of the Baptist church, the Rev. Mr. Vincent will occupy the pulpit next Sunday morning. No evening service.

Mrs. H. L. Litchfield who has been spending the past three months with her brother, C. M. Burlingame, in this village, returned to her home in Salamanca, N. Y., last Tuesday.

The Alumni Reunion to be held at the Lilley House to-morrow evening promises to be more interesting than usual. The program will be presented as published in last week's HERALD.

Circus day threatened to be a failure in the morning. It rained most of the forenoon, but there was quite a crowd in town nevertheless. But about noon the clouds cleared away, and as the farmers could not work they came to the show in whole families. The attendance at the show, both afternoon and evening, was large. The show itself was a good one, better than the average. It has several superior ring performances, and their entire exhibition gave satisfaction.

J. A. Latcha, receiver of the Michigan & Ohio railroad, has just returned from New York, where he had a conference with the directors regarding an extension of the line so as to tap the pineries of Michigan and get a share of the lumber traffic. The scheme is not a new one, having been talked of when Mr. Latcha accepted the presidency of the Michigan & Ohio. The matter is now under consideration. The rumor that Mr. Latcha had resigned the receivership probably grew out of his visit to Gotham.

THE MASONS CAPTURE BLISSFIELD.

Last Monday evening, the Clinton Masonic team visited the Blissfield Lodge to assist the latter in third degree work. In response to an invitation, a large number of the brethren from Tecumseh, Adrian and Fairfield also availed themselves of the occasion to visit the Blissfield Lodge. Most of them went down on the afternoon Lake Shore train, and a few from Ridgeway and Fairfield drove overland. Tecumseh and Clinton furnished about twenty-five men each and the other places swelled the number to seventy-five. The Blissfield brethren hardly expected such a storm, but they proved themselves equal to the emergency and dispensed their hospitality in genuine Masonic style. The visiting members were more than pleased at the cordial manner in which they were received. An early supper was served at the Lodge room and at Col. Drew's hotel, and the session of the Lodge was opened promptly at 6:30 P. M., David Woodward, Master of the Clinton Lodge, acting as master of ceremonies. We are obliged to curb our reportorial inclination and draw the veil on what was done. Suffice it to say, the Masons who were present enjoyed the entertainment highly, and those who were absent can easily imagine what transpired.

Some little outside episodes lent spice to the occasion. While waiting for supper at the hotel, we encountered our friend Dr. Parker, who insisted upon our taking tea with him, an invitation which we gladly accepted. The Doctor's wife was formerly Miss Ida Cogswell, who lived in Tecumseh some years ago.

After the close of the session, upon going for our hat, we found the hat *non est*, but the accommodating gentleman who borrowed our hat had left another one, a size too large, in its place. The second hat had a big dent in the top, bore the marks of hard usage and was redolent with the odor of cabbage and potato bugs, but we folded it gently about our cranium and silently stole away. Upon arriving at the depot we found our genial friend Clint. Walters, of Bridgewater, prancing around with a strange hat on and earnestly searching for the owner. The hats were exchanged and we settled our damages by taking a year's subscription to the HERALD and agreeing to send the paper for three months.

As we were rolling homeward upon the train and ruminating upon the uncertainty of human events, these reflections presented themselves:

When a well-to-do farmer like Clint. Walters surreptitiously borrows an editor's tile, it is conclusive proof to our mind that something must be wrong with the cabbage patch.

When two such honorable and venerable citizens as Daniel D. Sinclair of Adrian, and Welcome V. Fisk, of Clinton, swap stove-pipe hats in the Lodge room and fail to detect the error until they get to the depot, it is strong evidence to our mind that something must be wrong with the goat.

When a handsome woman declines to allow a good looking man like Doctor Conklin to occupy a seat in the car with her little girl, it is conclusive evidence to our mind that something must be wrong with the pill-box.

A BEAUTIFUL RESORT

Allen's New Hotel at Devils Lake Nearly Completed—A Brief Description of the House.

We took a run up the M. & O. road the other day to Devils Lake, and while there we took occasion to interview Mr. J. B. Allen, the proprietor of the new "Devils Lake House" and take a stroll about the premises.

All was hurly-burly on that day, the new edifice being a bee hive, in which masons, carpenters and painters were vieing with each other in pushing along the work. The House is 34x76 feet in size with four full stories. It is placed on the side-hill, the two ends fronting to the North and South. The North front is about three rods from the railroad track and the south end rests on the flat, only a few feet distant from the lake.

The first or basement story contains kitchen and dining room, cellar and billiard room. The main floor contains the hotel office and general reception parlors. A large apartment in the Northwest corner will be occupied by Hope Welch for a store and confectionery room and the new postoffice will be located in this apartment. The second floor contains fifteen sleeping rooms, and the third floor is entirely devoted to a large dancing hall. This floor will accommodate twenty-four set of dancers without crowding.

The house is not a mere summer rookery, but is substantially built, with massive stone foundation, plastered partitions, a tin roof, with both outside and inside, elegantly painted and finished. A verandah extends around the entire building, and on the east front it is two stories. Window screens are provided for all the rooms. In addition to this house Mr. Allen owns a beautiful grove of twenty acres on the west shore of the lake, about half a mile south of the "Devils Lake House." This grove has been thoroughly cleared out, and a nice summer house erected thereon, for the special accommodation of picnic parties, camping parties, etc. Mr. Allen will also run his old hotel and dance pavilion on the South shore of the lake, thus controlling four separate establishments, each of which will accommodate a large number of guests. He now has on hand 70 sail boats and row boats, having built 26 new boats this spring. There are also three steamers now on the lake which will ply between the different landings each day and convey passengers from the M. & O. trains to the south shore. The new hotel will be formally opened to the public on the 3d of July, when Mr. Allen invites every body to come and enjoy themselves. A grand ball will be given on the night of the 3d., and the festivities will be kept up during the entire day of the 4th.

In this connection we deem it no more than fair to say a word in regard to the manner in which Mr. Henry Mensing, the contractor, has performed his part of the work. Mr. Mensing took the contract early in the spring to build the big hotel, a large barn, the summer house in the grove, and twenty-six new boats. He furnished all the material and employed his own labor. The entire contract will overrun $6000. He got the small jobs off his hands in April and the framing for the hotel. He took the foundation of the hotel the 1st. day of May, and the entire job of erection, plastering, roofing and painting will be completed inside of sixty days from that date. He has had an average force of fourteen hands at work on every day when the weather would permit. Including next Saturday there have been but twenty-three days in which the carpenters could work.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. furnished the lumber; Whitnack, Bordine & Co., of Tecumseh, put on the tin roof, John Gardner, of Brooklyn, did the mason work, Geo. Chidester, of Tecumseh, did the painting. Mr. Allen is well satisfied with the expeditious and thorough manner in which the entire work has been done. The work is booming along with a rush this week, the plasterers are about through and the inside finishing will be completed on Saturday. The painters will put on the finishing touches early next week, and on Wednesday next Mr. Mensing will turn over the hotel all completed to the new proprietor, so that everything may be in readiness for the grand opening on the 3rd of July.

We have already spoken of the financial straits of the Kalamazoo College. Of the $68,000 to be raised before it could re-open this fall, $56,000 have been provided for on the condition that the whole amount be raised by July 30th. Accordingly $12,000 must yet be captured, and that too right away. In view of the pressing crisis, the Baptist church of this city unanimously voted last Sunday to allow their pastor, Rev. C. E. Conley, to leave his pulpit for the next few weeks, to enable him to assist in the work of raising funds. He will confine his operations to the Lenawee Association. The movement is general throughout the state, and it is hoped that the effort will succeed.

Miss Nellie Lawrence has been dangerously ill with quinsy the past week, but is now on the improve.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Thirteenth Annual Commencement, Held on Friday of Last Week.

Commencement Day at the Raisin Valley Seminary is looked forward to with much interest by a large number of the friends and patrons of that institution. The thirteenth annual Commencement anniversary was held on Friday last and was a most complete success in every particular. The weather was delightful, the program presented was a most entertaining one, the audience was large and appreciative. The main hall of the Seminary has lately been papered over with wall and ceiling decorations and presented a very tasty appearance. The wall in the rear of the rostrum was appropriately trimmed with evergreen and floral emblems, the latter representing a shield, a bell and a vase of flowers. The class motto, "*Quæ mereat palmam ferat*" was placed in large silver letters on an evergreen background, both fixed on a semi-circular hanger suspended from the ceiling on a line with the front of the stage. When ten o'clock arrived, the hour appointed for the commencement of the exercises, the large hall was filled to overflowing, even standing room being at a discount, and the adjoining rooms and hallways were crowded with listeners.

Shortly after ten o'clock Prof. W. W. White called the audience to order and announced the program in the following order:

Music—A piano duet, by Misses Kirk and Bray, of Adrian.

Then followed scripture reading and prayer.

A vocal duet by Mrs. W. B. Mumford and Miss Kells, of Adrian, with Miss Eva Kirk as pianist. The duet was entitled "I know a bank," and was finely rendered.

Four addresses followed: The Great Premier, by Linton A. Cox, of Azalia, Ind. Solomon's Royal Visitor, by Miss Deckie Eddy, of Adrian. Now and Then, by Albert H. Lloyd, of Bull Creek, West Va. Silent Cities, by Miss Chattie Gallaway, Raisin Center.

Mrs. Mumford then sang a solo entitled, "Sing, sweet bird."

Then came four more addresses.

General Gordon, by Walter J. Hussey, Mt. Pleasant, O.

Night brings out the stars, by Miss Carrie E. Satterthwaite, Tecumseh.

Newspapers, by Frank A. Ryon, of Hanover.

This one thing I do, by Miss Susie E. Brown, of Adrian.

Piano duet, by Misses Kirk and Bray.

Prof. White then presented the diplomas to the eight graduates in a few appropriate remarks, after which Maggie E. Newsom delivered a most interesting address.

We should be pleased to give this address to our readers entire, but want of space prevents our doing so.

The exercises closed with a quartette by Messrs. W. Ferguson, W. H. Howard, F. M. Aunks and G. R. Swift, with Miss Kirk at the piano. It was well rendered and was a fitting termination to an admirable program.

The bouquet maker had not been idle. Each graduate was a recipient of many floral offerings, as well as books, albums and other articles. At the conclusion of his presentation remarks, Prof. White was presented with an elegant gold headed cane and Miss Newsom, at the close of her address, received some beautiful vases.

Taken all in all, it was the most complete commencement program ever presented at the Seminary.—There were four young ladies and four young gentlemen among the graduates. Their addresses all bore the marks of careful study, both in the subject matter and in the manner of delivery. The music was all that the most exacting musical critic could ask for, and all the little details were systematically arranged and smoothly carried out. The elegant presents given to Prof. White and Miss Newsom, added not a little to the interest of the occasion.

In this connection it may be well to state that the Seminary was never in a more flourishing condition. The attendance last year was larger than usual and all indications point to a still larger attendance next year.

The following instructors have been engaged for the coming year, all of whom are admirably adapted for their positions:

Prof. W. W. White, B. S.—Principal.

Mary Etta Parker—Assistant Principal.

F. R. Hathaway, B. S.—Associate Teacher.

John U. Harkness—Superintendent.
Charity C. Harkness—Matron.

An excursion train from Toledo to Devils Lake will be run over the M. & O. road next Sunday, June 28th. Below is the time table:

TRAIN LEAVE	A.M.	FARE ROUND TRIP.
Toledo	8:30	.75
Dundee	9:30	.60
Clarksville	9:40	.55
Britton	9:52	.50
Ridgeway	9:57	.45
Tecumseh	10:07	.40
Tipton	10:25	.30
Onsted	10:38	.20

Arriving at Devils Lake at 10:50 A.M. Returning, train will leave Devils Lake at 6:00 P.M., arriving at Toledo at 8:30, which will give excursionists 8 hours at the lake.

"Dit" Nixon of Adrian was in town yesterday.

Glen Brandise is home from Kalamazoo college.

Mrs. C. T. Gridley of Ohio is visiting her son C. E. Gridley a few weeks.

Base ball game at the park this afternoon between picked nines.

City Marshall Moir has commenced the foundation for a new residence on Ottawa street.

Remember that the rink will not be open to-morrow evening but will be on Saturday evening.

Capt. Foster is perfecting his arrangements to give the Alumni Society a royal welcome to-morrow evening.

Hope Welch, the man who will run the store at Allen's new hotel at Devils lake, was in town last Tuesday on business.

The Lake Shore road will sell half fare tickets commencing the 3d of July, and good returning the 6th, to all points on the road.

A fine time was had at the rink last evening, the occasion being a skating party to Miss Lillie Bidwell. A large crowd was present.

J. D. Hayward brought into our office yesterday, a quart of strawberries. There were just thirty berries, by actual count, in the measure, and the basket was well filled.

J. H. Underwood has assumed the official robes of office and taken possession of the postoffice at Addison. He takes to his new duties like a veteran. The location question has not been settled yet, but he expects to locate the office where the people want it.

Supervisor Bresie has lost a valuable meerschaum pipe, present from an esteemed friend at Boston. He took his usual morning smoke and laid the pipe on the window at his residence, but it was not there at supper time. It is an all fired good one 'tis for a fact. So is the one who finds it.

Mrs. C. D. King, missionary to the Naga Hills, Assam, is spending a few days in town, visiting old friends, as Tecumseh was once her home. It is expected that she will speak at the Baptist church a week from next Sunday evening. Undoubtedly she will be greeted by a large audience.

The rink will be open on Saturday evening of this week instead of on Friday as announced last week. As Knapp's band was desired for the Alumni reunion at the Lilley House to-morrow evening, Mr. Cash has kindly consented to postpone the opening of his rink until Saturday evening.

Mr. Ansel P. Coddington has a war relic in his possession, which is a guardian's bond given in April 1728 in Prince George Co., Virginia. He picked it up at Prince George Court House, when his regiment was doing duty at that point during the war. Mr. Coddington keeps the original safely, but we prevailed upon him to loan it to us long enough to inspect it. It is one of his most highly prized mementoes of the war.

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Sunday School Cards,
Birthday Cards,
Silver Knives and Forks,
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—Ed Rowland has a big batch of new hay racks for sale.

—The "Globe Mills Pastry" leads all the brands of flour in this market.

—You can buy the best and cheapest hay rack in the market of Ed Rowland.

—For beautiful, light, white bread, use Wm. Hayden's patent process flour.

—Go to Ed Rowlands for the best hay rack ever sold in Tecumseh.

COAL! COAL! We have reduced the price of Scranton coal to $6 for 2000 pounds Nut, and $6.20 for 2000 pounds Stove and No. 4. Those who have given their orders at higher prices will get the benefit of the reduction. Leave your orders with me.
C. A. Slayton.

—The best Hay Tedders, Horse Rakes and Forks, Rope, Binding Twine, Stack and Binder Covers at
C. A. Slayton's.

—I sell Hay and Stock Racks very cheap this year, at but little advance on cost of material. Call and see.
I. B. Richards.

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C. A. Slayton.

—Ladies you will find a good assortment of Summer Hats and Bonnets, trimmed and untrimmed, from which to make your selections, at Mrs. N. R. Brown's. Prices to suit the times. Now is the time for Lake hats.

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C. A. STACY, Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Office in Herald Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

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W. M. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them, $6,[illegible]. Total premiums received, $[illegible]. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $[illegible]. Dividends to policy holders each of the past nine years unequaled by those of any other company. Annual policies, absolutely incontestable after one year. Surplus over four per cent. reserve, $[illegible].

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THE CONTRIBUTION BOX.

It Makes a Confession and Gives a Few Pretentious People Away.

"My friends," said the contribution box in a hollow voice, "my time is well-nigh spent, and I shan't be with you many days. I have lived a correct life and have always taken care of myself and though, to be sure, I have been around a good deal, I never got full. But the lining of my stomach is all worn out, my posts are out of kilter, and I feel sometimes as though actually falling to pieces. However, I might have kept up and above awhile longer, but, just as I was in the prime of life, I received a blow from which I never recovered. That morning, the sexton—I was all bruised up, you know—escaped a crack on the ear, and I felt the contribution box, with a ghastly attempt at facetiousness, that the shock was too much for me. My arm was broken short off, and when the sexton, instead of apologizing, kicked me a cross-grained old thing, my heart was broken too, I really believe.

"Well, well," continued the contribution box, after a pause, "I've seen a good deal in my time, and it may not be altogether unprofitable for you to hear some of my experiences. I have been a close observer all my life, and I think I know something about human nature. It has always been amusing to me, when I passed beneath the noses of the people in the pews, to watch the varied expressions on the faces above me. There was Mrs. Grandison, for example. She was the widest awake woman you ever saw on a church or a caucus. Well, I came around she was [illegible] or pretended to be asleep. I don't give her a good [illegible] I never amounted to anything. She hated so much as give a [illegible] as a mere [illegible] shot as the sexton approached. I did [illegible] by pushing my [illegible] pew, after having [illegible] Her eyes were wide open [illegible] as soon as the sexton passed. She looked [illegible] the thing with a heavenly [illegible] through and through [illegible] I resented as long as I [illegible] it was to do. Her eyes [illegible] the pews and I had to give [illegible]

"Then there was old Mr. Rich [illegible] I almost made the split [illegible] the ostentatious way in which he would drop a [illegible] into my pocket. I knew of [illegible] in which he contributed [illegible] supposed, from the air of conscious rectitude with which he [illegible] that he had given five dollars, at least. How different his manner was from that of Widow Goode, who [illegible] and fear. She never [illegible] I knew she couldn't afford it, and it almost made me feel like a thief to take it from her. She used to slip the money into my pocket, as though she were doing something wrong, and were ashamed to let anybody know it.

"The young ladies would hold out a dime in their delicate gloved fingers with a languorous air, and then just as lazily as not giggle right in my face, though I never could understand what they saw to laugh at. The children would throw their great noisy pennies into my pocket with a jolly eagerness that was quite refreshing. But I must own that I went away from their pews oftentimes with a very heavy heart, and feeling quite cheap, notwithstanding their plentiful donations; and there was one family of boys—the little rascals!—who used to put lozenges into my pocket. I afterward found out that their mother gave them ten cents apiece, and they used to buy candy with it and feed me with sweetmeats. But perhaps the young scamps were not really so bad, after all. Possibly they thought the little heathen children might like a little candy now and then as well as themselves.

"I have noticed that people like to sit behind the man who gave a dollar bill. They all of them always gave something—and I have been so uncharitable as to think that they wanted to have it seem to the pews back of them that it was they who contributed the dollar, and not the little bald-headed man in the front seat. I suppose one reason why I got this idea into my head was because when the first pew gave only a small piece of money, I wouldn't receive another cent in the whole aisle, as though, so I fancied, everybody was afraid to give himself away, as they say nowadays.

"I used to smile when the deacon who carried me around would stand up before the whole congregation and throw a handful of coin into my pocket. Everybody got the impression that the good deacon was a very benevolent gentleman, and I more than half believe that he thought so himself. His face looked like a horn of plenty, and he gave the money in such an absentminded manner that, though nobody could fail to see the operation, everybody must have thought that he was quite oblivious to anybody's presence. But between you and me, the deacon never put in any money—not a cent, I assure you. When he went to church he always had a lot of tin disks. Of course, they were always discovered when the money was counted, but everybody laid it to the boys up in the gallery. However, the deacon's contribution did a power of good, not so much for its intrinsic worth as from the beautiful example it afforded to others. If the deacon could be so liberal, others felt as though they could give generously also. There's nothing so potent in this world, after all, as a good example.

"I couldn't begin to tell you all the queer things I've seen," continued the contribution box. "Some folks who I knew hadn't paid their butcher for six months would give liberally, and others who were worth no end of money would hold out a ten-cent piece and let go of it with great reluctance and with a sigh and a shudder that were quite saddening. But the meanest man I ever knew was a well-dressed chap whom I detected more than once putting in a dime and taking out a quarter. I never passed him unnoticed, and he was generally considered one of the main supports of the church, but I could have told a quite different story."

The contribution box stopped speaking. Possible, however, it might have resumed and told many more strange things, but just at this moment the sexton came along, and remarking "I guess you are good for nothing now but firewood," crushed the contribution box beneath his heavy heel and tossed it into a pile of wood. A moment later and poor old contribution box was but a handful of ashes at the bottom of the furnace.—*Boston Transcript.*

THE EARTHQUAKE ERA.

Vital Throes Which Result in Disturbing the Earth's Crust.

The era we are passing through will be distinguished in the future for its great throes that have been disturbing portions of the earth's surface, and in some cases altering the very shape of lines. These throes of the earth have been called vital, as they are a display of energy on the part of our planet itself. In one region it takes the form of volcanic eruption, in another, of earthquakes. It is now tolerably well settled that these perturbations of the earth's crust are due to the shrinkage caused by the planet losing a portion of its internal heat. As every schoolboy knows, heat expands every material object upon which it acts, from water which is turned into steam to iron which enlarges very sensibly at white heat. For countless ages, our planet has been parting with its heat. In doing so, the crust of the earth shrinks and mountains are uplifted, shore lines altered, and lakes and oceans become deepened. The convulsive shrinkages produce heat in the localities most affected, that explodes in the form of volcanoes, or produces earthquakes. Where such vents are not known. It is worth noting that in Spain several thousand persons were killed recently by the earthquakes. Indeed, the destruction of life from time to time in the Spanish Peninsula from earthquakes has been very great. In 1755 Lisbon was destroyed, when 50,000 persons were swallowed up by the earth. The destruction of life has never been so great in the Italian Peninsula, because Vesuvius and Etna furnished vents for the subterranean heat. There are no volcanoes in Spain. The series of eruptions that have attracted the attention of mankind lately began with the great earthquake at Krakatoa. This was in the far Pacific. The day afterward, a series of mountainous waves washed the shores of California, showing that the volcanic action affected the greater part of the bed of the Pacific Ocean. Since then we have had numerous earthquakes in different parts of the globe, including the northeastern part of the United States. Scientists, however, agree that California will always be more liable than any other State in the Union to these disturbances.—*Demorest's Monthly.*

THE MUSK-RAT OF INDIA.

An Interesting Animal That Bears a Charmed Life.

The musk-rat is from six to eight inches long, of a slatish blue color, with a long, movable snout and diminutive eyes. Its skin is very loose, and quite conceals the extremities, only allowing the feet to be seen. This formation occasions the peculiar pattering of its run. The tail, broad at its base, is pinkish and bare of everything except a few hairs; ears are diminutive. Loathed and detested by all, this creature leads a charmed life; only a few dogs will kill it, and then there is always sneezing and a little foaming afterward. Cats follow, but won't touch it; it is, moreover, equally avoided by more aristocratic rats and mice. As the animal runs along the wall of the room it admits a kind of self-satisfied purr, which, if alarmed, breaks into a squeak, and immediately the scent bottle is opened. If there is light to see the tiny creature, you will observe it scanning with its nose all parts of the horizon in search of what caused the alarm, the eyes apparently being unequal to the task. Musk-rats have a singular habit of always running along the walls of a room, never crossing from one wall to the other; hence, as they are not swift movers, they are easily overtaken, and a blow from a cane instantly kills the animal. Traps are of little use in capturing these creatures, and if one is captured that trap is forever useless as regards ordinary rats and mice, which won't approach it after being contaminated. "Muskies" are omnivorous and very voracious. During the rains the insect world is on the wing. If at this season you place a night-light on the ground near the beat of a musk-rat you will be amused at watching its antics in trying to catch some of the buzzers around the light, or those crawling up the wall, and will be surprised at its agility. The captives are ruthlessly crunched, and the animal never seems satiated; at the same time its enjoyment is evinced by its purring. Woe betide him should another musky invade this happy hunting ground. War is at once proclaimed, and immediately the two are fighting for their lives, squeaking, snapping, biting, rolling over and over, and all the time letting off their awful scent bottles. You, in a comparative distance, just escape the disgusting odor; but the incest invaders catch it full, and quickly leave the scene. And so the fight goes on, until you happily catch both the combatants with one blow of your cane, and the stinking turmoil ceases; and having thrown open the doors to ventilate the room, you are glad to retire to rest. Another anomaly pertains to this animal, though so disgusting to others, it is not so to itself, and it is one of the tidiest and most cleanly of animals.—*Chambers' Journal.*

—A Calhoun County man, during a recent visit to a prohibition town, ran upon what is known as a "blind tiger." The "blind tiger" is a house where the people can get whisky but do not know from whom they buy it. There is a hole in the side of the house with printed instructions above it. You place your bottle and money in the hole and both disappear, but in a few minutes your bottle returns full of whisky. No word is spoken and not a sound is heard except the rolling of the bottle.—*Calhoun (Ga.) Times.*

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—Sir Thomas Brassey, one of the richest men in the world, says that the life of the rich man is not a happy one.

—Mrs. Laura J. Arnold, the only living sister of Stonewall Jackson, is now an inmate of a sanitarium at Columbus, O.

—A marriage license has been issued to a couple at Saratoga, Santa Clara County, whose joint ages number one hundred and sixty-three years.—*San Francisco Call Bulletin.*

—Colonel Lamont, as Private Secretary of Governor Cleveland, of New York, received four thousand dollars a year per annum. As Private Secretary of President Cleveland of the United States he will receive only three thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.—*Chicago Journal.*

—The New York policeman who went down to Guatemala to organize the police force there, is now the most powerful man in the republic next to President Barrios, and gets a salary of five thousand dollars a years, an immense sum in Guatemala.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Sarah Bernhardt gets three hundred dollars a day for acting. Of this her creditors take one hundred and eighty, leaving her one hundred and twenty dollars. Her table costs her twenty dollars a day, and fuel and lights about five dollars more. Her carriage hire—she has sold her own equipage—comes to eight dollars a day, and cosmetics, including rouge, five dollars more.

—Romantic lovers of late seem to prefer that some peculiarity—a marriage remembrance, as it were—shall attach to the important moment when lives and fortunes become united for better or worse. At San Saba, Texas, the other day, a couple were married on the street, sitting in a buggy, the bridegroom armed with a rifle and the bride with a revolver. They feared the bride's relatives.

—Italian papers are bewailing the extent and intensity of the emigrant fever among the peasantry. They say that the ship loads of emigrants who are taken from Italy to America are draining Italy of its most productive factors. The tide of emigration, they say, is assuming proportions which is calamitous to the state, and they instance the fact that one Prefect alone issued last year six thousand passports for emigrants to America.

—For the last five years a Chicago photographer has been collecting photographs of prominent persons connected with that city, with the object of having them sealed up in a memorial safe, deeded over to the city, and deposited in the court-house vaults with the archives of the city until the second centennial, of 1976. He has already prepared five thousand, seven hundred and forty-six of these photographs, and expects to collect ten thousand altogether.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Dr. Goersen, the Philadelphia murderer, hanged recently, had an ingenious arrangement to enable him to read at night. As there was neither a gas-jet nor a lamp allowed in his cell, he was obliged to devise some means to enable him to pass away the time in reading. He obtained a sheet of tin, and, after brightening it, placed it outside his window at such an angle as to catch the rays of light from a gas lamp in the kitchen yard, sixty feet away from his cell. These rays were then concentrated inside of his cell by means of a magnifying glass, and by placing his book or paper near the glass he obtained enough light to read by.—*Philadelphia Press.*

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—We used to have some respect for the thermometer, but it acted in such a low manner during the past winter that we became disgusted with it.—*Boston Post.*

—"Ah, Miss De Smith, are you going to have a goose at dinner to-day?" "Yes, I hope so; you'll come, won't you?" but somehow neither of them felt very comfortable after that.—*Texas Siftings.*

—"What do you want to set such a tough chicken before me for?" indignantly exclaimed a fair damsel in a restaurant, the other day. "Age before beauty always, you know, ma'am!" replied the polite attendant.

—"What can be said of the trade and commerce of Poland?" asked a professor at an academy. "All the telegraph poles and barber-poles are imported from Poland, sir," answered Will. "And the bean-poles, also?" said the professor, ironically, as he glanced over the rim of his spectacles.—*Golden Days.*

—The daughter of a New York millionaire has applied for a divorce on the ground that her husband basely deceived her. He assured her that he was a coachman, but, since marrying him she has discovered that he is only an editor. We didn't suppose there was such a brand of heartless villainy abroad in the land.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Just as a lover had dropped on his knees and began popping the question a pet poodle, who thought the proceedings rather strange, made a dash for him. With remarkable nerve for a woman, the girl reached over, seized the dog by the neck, and at the same time calmly uttered: "Go on, George, dear. I'm listening to what you are saying."—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Jones—"I hear that the handsome young tenor of your choir is to marry the charming soprano. Sing-ular, is it not?" Smith—"Yes; each struck a chord in the other's heart, it did not take long to register their vows, and it will be a note-able wedding. They will spend their honeymoon on the high C's." "Very romantic affair, no doubt." "Well, no, except that they met by chants.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Conversation at a ball: She—"Why, how glad I am to see you to-night, Mr. S. Just think, it's fifteen years since I saw you last." He—"Quite remarkable, I declare." She—"That was my first ball, and I was a 16-year-old debutante." He (using pencil and paper)—"Let's see, 16 and 15, 5 and 6 make 11, one to carry; 1 and 1 and 1 are 3; 31, that's right, Miss." She—"Oh, you abominable thing!"—*St. Louis Spectator.*

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ESTATE OF ANN BIDDLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred Lewis, administrator of said estate with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that no estate remains in his hands except real estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. 5-11

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885 are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice Office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 15th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of May, A. D. 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 30, 1885.

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 20	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 51
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Clinton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 47	Pulaski	1 50	7 59	P. M.
6 26	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 33	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
6 59	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 17	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
7 27	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
7 58		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 24		3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 55
8 32		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 25
10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
11 17		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 35		6 35	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		9 50	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—The courts of France, it is said, consider it a libel to overestimate a lady's age.

—Nine Australian telegraph operators are said to have become lunatics from overwork during the past thirteen months.

—A Nuremberg chemist says that paste made of starch, glycerine and gypsum will retain its plasticity and adhesiveness longer than any other cement.

—The modified Constitution of Holland provides that the crown shall pass to the Princess of the House of Orange who is nearest related to the last King when there is no direct issue.

—At a recent meeting of the supporters of the Home for Lost and Starving Dogs in London it was stated that the number of dogs brought into the Home during the year ending the 31st of December last had been no fewer than 14,772, being eight-five in excess of the preceding twelvemonth.

—In the Tower of London are twenty-one specimens of shields, with a pistol attachment in the center, the weapon being a breech-loader, and slightly projecting, so that it would hardly be noticed by an enemy until it was discharged. All these shields were carried in former times as "concealed weapons."

—Two Frenchmen, the brothers Forre, have invented a new kind of harp, made entirely of wood. Instead of strings, the inventors use strips of American fir. The sound is produced, as in the ordinary harp, by the contact of the fingers, but the player wears leather gloves covered with rosin. The tone of the instrument is said to be one of remarkable purity.

—The enormous wealth of the Orleans Princes is chiefly derived from Louis Philippe's mother, who, in consequence of the death of her brother, the Prince de Lamballe, became sole heiress of her father, the Duke of Penthievre, the richest subject of France. The Duke died in 1793. His daughter had two days before his death been divorced from her worthless husband, who was thus debarred from touching her property.

—Kossuth, while still alive, enjoys the satisfaction of knowing what the world's opinion of him will be after death. He has, it is asserted, cut out all the obituary notices that have reached him, and they fill half a dozen scrap-books, hundreds of newspapers having been sent him from different countries as soon as it was known that the report of his death was untrue.

—Twenty-five Germans who have entered the Chinese service were required to take Chinese names. One of them, who was formerly captain of a corvette, is now called Wang-Li-Triang, which, when turned into English, means Mr. High Wall. He has just been promoted to the rank of Admiral, and commands the Chao Yung. Another German officer is now named Lin-Pao, or Mr. Six Cannons.

—Shop signs in London were formerly not affixed to houses, but were placed on posts or hung thereon with hinges. So largely did these increase at one time that they absolutely obstructed the free circulation of air, and were supposed to be among the causes of the frequent epidemical disorders of London. They also naturally aided the spread of conflagrations, and on these grounds were afterward forbidden to be displayed

THE GLACIERS OF ALASKA.

Forty Miles Across the Mountains by the Ice.

When the Davidson glacier takes its last turn in its course and pushes out through a grand gateway in the mountains, it spreads out in fan shape and sweeps down in a long graceful slope to its terminal moraine. The moraine has been built up from the water by the deposit of rocks, pebbles and sand, ground up and carried down from the mountains by the glacier, until a long strip of dry land formed in front of the melting ice. The moraine before the Davidson glacier was made so long ago that a dense forest of ancient and lofty pines has stretched like a hedge across the three miles of the glacier's front.

Forty miles across the mountains by the ice, or around four or five times that distance by water to the other side of the mountainous peninsula is the famous Glacier Bay, the great natural show place of Alaska. Seven immense glaciers flow into the waters of the bay, coming down twenty, forty and even sixty miles from great snow fields in the White Mountain and Fairweather Alps Range. One of the largest of these ice rivers is named the Muir Glacier, in honor of Professor John Muir, of California, who was the first white man to tell the world of its existence no further back than 1879. He went cautiously up an inlet of the bay in an Indian canoe; but large ocean steamers ride up within a quarter of a mile of the ice front now each summer, and are received with thunders and cannonades from the ice spirits at every visit.

Sailing up that long inlet filled with bergs and floating ice, one sees a broad gray river of ice pouring down a great valley between two mountain ranges, with tributary streams of ice joining it from every gap and defile, and from around every jutting point.

The frozen flood, with its tossed and broken waves, stretches ten miles across from mountain wall to mountain wall, and the long tongue of ice running down to the inlet presents a water washed, crystaline cliff three miles long, and from two to four hundred feet in height. Slowly creeping down the valley, and thrusting itself into the water, the ice is honey combed by the washing of tides and huge pieces of the front, and avalanches of ice are sliding down into the water with a continuous crash and roar at low tide. The spray and waves dash far up the glittering front after one of these great ice slides, and there is a magnificent play of prismatic colors on the fretted and fantastic ice wall when the sunlight falls full on the western front.

The largest glaciers of Switzerland could be put away in a corner of the Muir Glacier and lost; and except on the coast of Greenland it is claimed that there is nothing that surpasses this and other water fronting glaciers of Southern Alaska. A great river boils up from under the middle of the glacier where a long cape or point of ice runs out into the water, and on either side of the glacier streams emerge from the sides of the ice and course over the long sides or lateral moraines to the inlet. The river on the north side is the larger, and by a long climb over stones and bowlders and along crumbling banks the dark grotto in the glacier is reached from which the muddy river rushes to the sunlight after its long course in the heart of the glacier.

Climbing the icy hillside, the vast sea of billowy, broken ice lies before one, ice piled, tossed and ground into wild and fantastic array, narrow crevices and vast gulfs opening at one's feet and giving glimpses far down into a wonderland filled with pale blue and indigo shadows. With the nightless days of summer the surface ice melts rapidly and in the sunshine every inch is sparkling and glistening with the trickling drops.—*Exchange.*

ALBERT EDWARD.

The Prince of Wales as an Extemporaneous Speech-Maker.

There are very few men in England who can make as good a speech as the Prince of Wales. His voice is singularly far-reaching, clear, pleasant, and his delivery is simple and dignified. But it must not be supposed that the ease and fluency which now characterize his public discourses were attained without trouble, or that the Prince is one of the "mob of gentlemen who 'speak' at ease," and have very little to say worth listening to. At first, when he had to address an audience—and it fell to his lot to begin speech-making whilst he was very young indeed—he spoke with some hesitation, and he gave his audience the idea of one who would be very glad when he could sit down; but by persistent practice, stimulated by the certainty that he must look forward to constant calls upon him, and animated by a high sense of duty, the Prince overcame the difficulties which beset most young orators, aggravated in his case by the consciousness that every word he uttered would be eagerly weighed and recorded. He has acquired a command of language and a felicity of expression which commend his matter to the most critical, whilst it is at the same time judicious in substance and much to the point. No one can make a better case for a charitable institution than the Prince, and his appeals to the pockets of his hearers when he is presiding at dinner to promote the work of some beneficient association, or to further some useful and meritorious enterprise, are so successful that it is considered the fortune of an evening, from a financial point of view, is secured when the Prince of Wales has consented to take the chair. On occasions of national importance and interest such as the opening of public institutions, the Prince's speeches, carefully prepared, and excellently pronounced, are models of what such work should be, setting forth the objects in view, the history of the movement, and the claims it has to support or approval, in well-chosen and effective words. The Prince has had practice enough certainly, for since his marriage he has been associated with every movement in the kingdom, and has been called upon to open exhibitions, bridges, and buildings, parks and museums, "inaugurate" statues, lay foundation-stones, preside at commissions and banquets year after year, and has answered to the call with unflagging spirit, cheerfulness, and effect.—*William Howard Russell, in Harper's Magazine.*

HOIHOW.

A Chinese City With Novel Smells Rivaling the Far-Famed Smells of Cologne.

Hoihow is not an attractive town. The streets of the suburb outside the wall are even narrower than those of ordinary small towns in China, much dirtier, and the visitor, who has already some knowledge of China, detects a few varieties of bad smell that impress him with the idea of absolute novelty. The inhabitants show the mixed types of Fokien and Kwang-tung, with such indigenous elements as have, during many thousands of years, been finding their way here from the mainland of the peninsula of Father India, or the islands that lie to the southward of it. They are well-disposed and far less curious than the Chinese of mainland cities. The shops contain such Chinese goods as are suited to a population of this class, with odds and ends of European and American notions which have within thirty years found their way to the most retired villages in the interior of Asia. The markets make a liberal display of fish and pork, which is considered the diet in China, and, what can not be seen elsewhere, a kind of water-snake (for sale at the fish-stalls), which is esteemed a delicacy by the Hainanese. The dress is with some variations, that of the Kwang-tung provinces. The language heard in the streets is so different from that of the mainland as to be hardly intelligible to a native of Canton. The houses are of lava-stone, or brick, one story in height, and though swarming with pigs, dogs, and vermin, are permament and comfortable in a climate that is always cool and sometimes cold in winter. The residences of the merchants and officials are spacious. The guilds have large halls, or detached buildings, conspicuous by their Chinese ornaments in front, their two lofty poles bearing huge baskets, and a stage where theatrical representations are occasionally given. The wall of the old town is not crenelated. The streets within it are broader and cleaner and the shops larger and better stocked. The foreigners connected with the customs and consulates are comfortably domesticated in Chinese houses, no European residences having been built during the eight years since Hoihow became an open port.—*Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.*

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Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

C. A. Wright & Co., wish to state that they have at last found an article they can sell on its merits. It is with pleasure they guarantee to the public Acker's English Remedy as a sure and never-failing cure for Asthma, Coughs, Whooping Cough, Croup and all Lung Troubles. It is the standard remedy for Consumption. They have never found its equal.

Dr. Schliemann will spend the coming winter hunting for the tomb of Alexander the Great.

George Hutton, of Janesville, Ohio, joins the army of people who testify to the virtues of Mishler's Herb Bitters: "This is to certify that I have been laboring under the difficulty of breathing for a considerable length of time, which was accompanied with loss of appetite, general debility, etc. After using one bottle of Mishler's Herb Bitters I am well.

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo.....Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor.Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville.Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk.....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston.....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville.....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville.....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta....Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sherodsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillion	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston.....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston.....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo.....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	..Fries Landing.	6 53	2 35
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv.Norwalk.Ar	7 27	3 10

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LINCOLN AS A LAWYER.

In What His Peculiar Strength at the Bar Consisted.

As a lawyer Mr. Lincoln never attained the eminence and reputation of Evarts, Black, Seward, Carpenter or Wilson. He never had their kind of practice nor the fifty thousand dollars a year, of a great city press to report his speeches in the million. His largest fee was $5,000 in a railroad case.

As a jury lawyer, perhaps, he excelled, his peculiar strength lay in the presenting of facts clearly that the law applied. Then, then, strong with a mighty grasp of homely illustration, he swept away all sophistry, and, in language of resistless power, spoke home to him, by his quaint and telling illustration, that early battle with nature of the farmer's boy in Pike county, that gave him a marvelous memory of what he learned.

A large, rugged frame, that to others was a burden, was to him an element of greatness. As a trial lawyer his grasp of the merits was paramount. If the right theory to win was plain, he was a powerful advocate before a jury. His manner, his quaint humor, enforced attention. If cases were piling up his book so crowded, his words so apt, while speaking, that even an hostile jury became interested, and, by the time, during the early Kansas troubles, said "Abraham Lincoln was large of enemies, fifteen minutes after they were cheering him like friends." He had a clear reason in all that he said and clothed it by an accident that carried conviction straight to the hearts of his hearers. His keen, pointed, crisp stories were only designed to bring home his word, pointing it, fender and true into the heart and intellect, where, if he was somewhere, he held his audience by a power as great as that which his purpose, when not pointing, to be eloquent.

His modest office in Springfield was in the second story of a plain red-brick block, the door to reach it being open, large and inviting. Opposite with a window looking north and south was a table, a few chairs and a lounge, nothing in all, warrantable. Such furnishings as typewriters, increase typewriters and book-racks were then unknown in Springfield. A few old or old-fashioned, his plain hand-writing and very many law-books, and the walls in cases, but neither rich carpets nor fine ceilings adorned the firm's office. The windows were of shop glass and not attractive. The days of good law offices and not arrived and the solid comfort of the average lawyer were all unknown to Mr. Lincoln. Save as he found them with his favorite counsel, Leonard Swett, in Chicago.

Strong and rugged in nature, he inherited from both a fund of humor and a vein of sadness that never left him. In his struggle with the world in youth, and with war in manhood called to high stations before he was fully known to the people, it is doubtful if he ever fully knew just the fame he had won as an advocate or the genius he possessed as a man. He was born of his time, a creature of the age of giants, a genius from the people, of the greatest for its struggles for the people, did more than any one of his race to destroy caste and give courage to the lowly, and therein he wrote the brightest pages of human progress.

With Lincoln to be noted labor became honorable, and men no longer denied their humble beginnings.

Lincoln, the lowly, the exalted, the pure marble made marble, the plain cover to a gentle nature, the giant frame and noble intellect. The shaft that marks his silent resting place, the books he read, the office he used, the strong body that covered his warm heart and wise purposes were only the outer symbols to the higher gifts of his Creator. All gifts and graces are never found in one person. He is great if the good predominate. All are not born equal. Gifts are diversified, but if ever a man had the *genius of greatness* it was Lincoln. As all are eloquent in that which they know, he was eloquent in the affairs of life.—*J. W. Donovan, in Current.*

A Great General.

Major John A. Rudd, formerly of the Confederate army of the southwest, and who met Grant and his men on the gory field of battle several times, said to the *Hatchet* yesterday:

"Grant was a great General. He has never been given full credit for his ability nor the full measure of his goodness of heart. General Grant is loved by the Southern soldiers, to whom he has always been a true friend. Should he die they will be found among the most sorrowful of the mourners at his bier. But I hope he may yet survive the treatment of his scientific attendants. Some people in the South complained of certain objectionable things that General Grant did. To these he said: 'I am simply enforcing the laws as I found them on the statute-book. The best way to get rid of a bad law is to enforce it strictly.'"

Major Rudd related the following anecdote of the great Captain:

"I called on him several years ago in behalf of a certain ex-Union officer who was incarcerated in the Missouri State prison, unjustly in my opinion. I made a plain statement of the case to him and concluded with the remark that, as a Confederate soldier who had been shot all to pieces, I asked that the facts in the case be given the attention they deserved. General Grant replied: 'The matter shall be attended to.' On the following day the Union veteran was released. Grant saw the injustice of his incarceration at once, and acted promptly, and in the same manner that he struck his telling blows during the war."—*Washington Hatchet.*

—A young man in Abbeville, S. C., suffering from pneumonia, called in a physician, who left him a small vial of veratrum, to be taken internally, and a liniment composed of hartshorn, turpentine and chloroform for external application. The patient reversed the directions, swallowing the liniment, and the next day was well.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—New York barbers put mustaches in curl papers in order to give them a fine curl by the time their owners have been shaved or had their hair cut.

MARQUIS OF SALISBURY.

The Marquis of Salisbury. The Right Hon. Robert Arthur Talbot Gascoyne-Cecil, eldest surviving son of Marquis of Salisbury, born at Hatfield in 1830. Was educated at Eton and Christ Church, Oxford, where he graduated and was created a Fellow of All Souls College. His lordship was Lord Lieutenant for Middlesex, Hertfordshire, Stamford, Tiverton, Hertfordshire, Stamford, Tiverton, Hertfordshire, Stamford, Tiverton

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

The school exercises given by the 7th and 8th grades at the High School last Friday were very interesting. Many guests were present and all felt well paid for going.

Will Eagan came home from the University last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Field of Tecumseh, spent Sunday at Joseph Kies.

Miss Lida Wilkerson of Dundee, is visiting her uncle's, Peter Kishpaugh.

Mrs. George Fisher has been very sick for several days and at last accounts was no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Silvers of Pittsford, have been visiting Clinton friends. They returned to their home last Sunday.

Noah Burroughs of Tecumseh was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bostedore of Eaton Rapids are visiting in and around Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Aten were guests at James Hause's last Wednesday and Thursday.

The little son of P. C. Smith met with quite a serious accident last Thursday. He was standing by a window which was raised, his hand resting on the sill, when some slight jar caused the sash, which was not fastened securely, to fall, nearly crushing the little fellow's hand. Dr. John Tuttle dressed it, and thought no bones were broken. The baby is now doing well.

The quiet and repose which is supposed to and does usually fall upon our little village after the hour of midnight, was considerably disturbed last Saturday night or (Sunday morning) by the unseemly actions of some boys who were "half seas" and one man who was "clear" over. The boys are fast approaching manhood, but have not yet reached that age when the saloon-keeper is justified in selling them liquor. The law has been broken. Where are the citizens who are so anxious to help make the law? Why are they so reluctant to help enforce it? None can blame his neighbor when he himself will do nothing. What a brilliant start these boys are making in life! We look forward a few years, and predict for them unheard of success in anything they may choose to undertake. Such an ambitious beginning cannot fail to be followed by success.

It is reported that John Hause has bought the house and lot owned by the late Mrs. Starr.

The first annual reunion of the Clinton High School Graduates was held last Friday evening at the Town Hall. All the members of the Alumni were present except three. The program consisted of music, vocal and instrumental, an address by Prof. Laflin, history of the Alumni, by Miss Laura Haggart, which contained many pleasing allusions to days gone by, and a poem by Mrs. Charles Clark, which kept the audience in a state of merriment throughout the recitation. After the entertainment the Alumni went to the Lancaster house where a bountiful repast awaited them. The supper was all that could be desired and the guests were well served. After supper toasts and responses were given, followed by the election of officers for the ensuing year. Each member seemed to feel that, though there were many ways in which the reunion might have been improved, yet as it was the first attempt that had been made in this direction, they were inclined to call it a success, trusting to next year for the improvements. The following officers were elected for 1886.

President—O. A. Sinclair.
Vice " —MrsW. D. VanTuyle.
Secretary—Eli G. McConnell.
Treasurer—Miss Kate C. Mead.
Orator—S. O. VanDeMark.
Historian—Mrs. C. S. Burroughs.
Poet—Dwight Hause.
Toast Master—Chas. F. Clark.

Commencement exercises were held Thursday evening, June 25th, at the Town Hall. The class consisted of four graduates, Ansel Kishpaugh, Dwight Hause, Eli G. McConnell and Miss Maggie Biggins, all of whom took the English course. The stage was tastily decorated with evergreens and flags. The colors of our Union being festooned above and around the stage, and flowers in abundance, by far the most beautiful decoration of all. The class motto: "We live to Conquer," in white letters against a dark background, was suspended above the front of the stage. The program was opened with a prayer by Rev. Joseph St. John, followed by an instrumental duet by Mrs. Susie Fisk and Miss Blanche Smith. The first essay of the evening was read by Miss Minnie Hess, subject—Action. Ansel Kishpaugh then delivered an oration on Practical Education, setting forth his ideas on the subject with a directness that plainly showed them to be the result of his own imagination. Next on the program was a vocal solo by M. Russell, The Anc Lor's Weigh. Then came a recitation entitled a Child's Dream of a Star, by Grace Rowland, and an Essay on Boxes by Esther Matthews, both of which merited and received a hearty round of applause. The Wood Nymph's Call was sung by Miss Blanche Smith. Her voice, which shows a great deal of culture, seemed particularly fitted to the selection and everyone thoroughly enjoyed her singing. An essay, The Present Age, was read by Miss Minnie Martin, a member of the junior class. Eli G. McConnell delivered an oration on Utility of Mathematics. The production was a very creditable one and showed considerable study. Mrs. J. T. Clark sung a solo, Let me Dream Again. The subject of Miss Maggie Biggins' essay was: The Stars. It was very finely read and its construction of sentences and grouping of ideas, gave evidence of work on the part of the speaker. Dwight Hause, the subject of whose essay was, Sawing, held the place of honor on the program and delivered the valedictory. The style of the oration and its delivery were highly characteristic of the student Droll, at the same time serious, and to the last degree, honest. The diplomas were then presented by Danforth Keyes, President of the Board. A Quartette by Messrs. VanDeMark and Kishpaugh, Mrs. W. H. Dorr and Miss Julia Pomeroy was sung, and the audience was dismissed with the benediction.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The cold waves are regular.

Farmers have commenced haying.

The attendance at the strawberry festival given on G. W. Jackson's lawn, was all that could be expected and all enjoyed the occasion very much.

The village school closed on Friday after a very successful term, taught by Prof. Parker.

Upwards of 20 took in the excursion to Devils lake Sunday.

G. P. Waring has erected a fine watering place on north Church st., for the accommodation of the public.

Misses Mary and Jennie Osgood left Thursday to visit friends in Clinton Co., for a few weeks.

W. H. Arner is quite poorly again.

Miss Allie McNeal, of Milan, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Arner and family, for the past week.

Miss Ella Jackson spent a few days in Tecumseh with her friend Miss Josie Schreder, and attended the Commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson attended the Musical Commencement at Adrian College Thursday evening and Friday attended the Commencement at Blissfield of which school Prof. H. C. Wilson is principal.

Miss Kittie Clark visited her friend Miss Belle Barlow at Adrian College Thursday and Friday and attended the Musical graduating exercises.

Mr. Weddie Bush, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived the latter part of last week to spend a few weeks with his grandmother, Mrs. J. Hall.

Misses Roe and Kate Wolf, Miss Belle Barlow's College friends, made her a visit Monday and Tuesday, returning to Adrian Wednesday and from there to their home at Tiffin, Ohio.

Miss Ella Jackson left for Jackson Wednesday to visit her friends Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howe and spend the Fourth with them.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson wishing to close out her millinery business, respectfully invites her friends to call at their earliest convenience and settle their accounts.

On Tuesday morning, wishing a day for recreation, we hitched to the three seated conveyance, and took our friends Misses Ada Linn, Allie McNeal, Kittie Clark, Belle Barlow, Kate and Roe Wolf, and well equiped with robes, ulsters, etc., and a supply of various refreshments, we drove to Sand Lake, arriving at Putnam's hotel at 11 A. M., where we spent the day very pleasantly.

After a sickness of a few days with the terrible disease consumption, Miss Minnie Smith's spirit took its flight to its God who gave it. The funeral was held at the Christian church at Britton on Wednesday morning, the Rev. Geo. Price officiating. The attendence was very large; her many friends deeply mourn her departure and their loss.

It was our pleasure to enjoy a very pleasant and profitable time at the Commencement exercises of the College and High School at Adrian, held in the Opera House, Thursday and Friday of last week. The exercises were very interesting and as fine as we ever attended. The graduating class in music consisted of eight members under Prof. Rupp of which Miss Miss Belle Barlow of our village was a member, was held Thursday evening. The attendance was very large and the exercises passed off with honor to those in the class. Miss Barlow, besides assisting in the quartettes also entertained the audience with a fine instrumental solo, one of Listz compositions; when her name was called there was an applause of greeting from all parts of the house, and as she finished was encored from the entire house. She received a good many very fine gifts from friends having made a good many friends since her stay at the College. On Friday evening she furnished some music for Prof. H. C. Wilson's Commencement at Blissfield.

Friday afternoon we attended the graduating exercises of the high school held at the opera house. The class consisted of 13 ladies and 3 gentlemen. An essay, The Fountain of Youth, by Miss Florence French, was a very fine production. She received a good many presents and a fine collection of flowers from her friends.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

To-day church bells toll for two persons exit through "gates ajar." They are G. M. Webster of this place and Mrs. Sheeler of Cambridge. The latter lived in that town before its boundaries were strictly defined, and leaves a host of friends and relatives.

The closing school exercises were a success. The graduating class numbered seven, and received floral tributes enough for forty, besides the merited approval of Hon. David Parsons of Detroit, who addressed the packed audience on the subject of Parental Co-operation with Teachers. Being a personal friend of Prof, Townshend you can guess that he prescribed a thorough cultivation of the virtue of which most teachers find few samples. Even a poor orator could have gained inspiration from such surroundings, for the girls transformed the stage into a bower and spared no effort to impress their class motto, (viz) Labor accomplishes all things, upon memory.

Where essays are all good, and each task performed faultlessly, it may seem unjust to toss an extra spray of laurel, yet six of the graduates will not envy, and are proud of Mary Burkhart, who ranks first of the class. They have had all the advantages parents could give them; and it is seldom a half dozen represents so much money, which Mary offsets with a ticket-of-leave from the Coldwater orphan school. She was transferred to that asylum from depths her memory cannot fathom, and eight and one-half years ago was brought to this village, and again fished out of wretchedness, by James O'Donnell, and placed in care of Mr. and Mrs. Deacon Irwin who having had no children of their own, have shared their home with ten of the scattered. It is but fair to add the tenth was accepted at a time of life when most people are excused from mission work. At that time Mary had not advanced beyond the alphabet, and Mrs. Irwin devoted the first year and a half to teaching her at home, and then firmly discouraged all attempts to retard her pupil's progress at school. Study has been laid by two years of the intervening time on account of the ill health of her benefactors, but her theme, "Influence" exhibits more than one trait of character, besides perseverance that entitles her to a place among those known as the world's favorites.

COAL! COAL! COAL!

Last week in my absense, some flies were issued, giving my prices on coal. In the hurry of composition and proof reading some of the figures were wrongly stated. I therefore state herewith my present prices for coal which I am prepared to stand to.

I have already taken orders for the celebrated Wilkesbarre coal at the following figures:

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No. 4	6.40	" "
Egg,	5.75	" "
Grate,	5.60	" "

I will furnish the Scranton coal or any other kind furnished by other dealers, at 20 cents per ton below these figures, if my customers prefer other coals than the Wilkesbarre at this reduced price. I propose to give 2000 pounds to a ton and all coal will be screened. I shall give my patrons the best coal the market affords, and at as low prices as possible on both *soft* and *hard* coal.

S. W. TEMPLE.

Another postoffice war is raging at Britton. The new postmaster, E. C. Rauch, having decided to remove, it becomes necessary to appoint another man in his place.

THE VESCELIUS CONCERT CO.

The Library Association have engaged the celebrated Vescelius Concert Co. for an entertainment, which will take place to-morrow (Friday) evening, July 3d. This troupe is composed of the three Vescelius sisters, Misses Louise, Frances and Eva, Mr. E. J. Austin, humorist and cartoonist, Mr. Paul Bernheim, pianist, and Prof. W. M. Evans, Director. It is a strong musical combination and their concerts are said to give unbounded satisfaction. From a large number of flattering press notices, we gather the following:

London, Eng., Times: The singing of the three young Americans, the Misses Vescelius, was a delightful surprise, coming before the English public in so quiet unassuming manner we were not prepared for so great a treat. They are all fine soloists, but their singing in concerted pieces is something unusual. Their voices blend with a harmony that is truly wonderful. They will prove quite an acquisition to the concert stage.

Chicago Times: The Vescelius Trio, Louise, Frances and Eva, are giving a series of highly successful concerts in the vicinity, of which our exchanges speak in terms of unqualified praise. These young ladies are former residents of this city, and are well known in musical circles here. They possess exceptionally fine voices and merit all the success they are meeting with.

Journal, Lansing, Mich: The Vescelius sisters, Louise, Frank and Eva, assisted by other talented artists, presented our people with a rich musical feast last evening. The numerous encores attested their popularity and success in pleasing an audience inclined to be rather cold and critical at the opening concert. During an intermission a vote was taken by acclamation, and a committee appointed to arrange for a return visit of these charming singers.

A HEAVY THUNDER SHOWER.

Shortly after noon last Saturday, Tecumseh was visited by the heaviest thunder storm of the season. A big black cloud came rolling up from the west and within thirty minutes after it appeared in the horizon it burst upon us, and the streets were flooded with a deluge of water. During the storm two or three heavy bolts of lightning occurred which struck in several places in the vicinity.

Charley Heck, who was in Heck's mill at the time, received a severe shock which knocked him senseless, and he did not recover from the shock for several hours.

Another bolt went down the lightning rod at Comfort's mill and passed into the race at the east end of the mill, killing a lot of fish. Over a peck of dead fish were gathered from the race, besides large numbers that floated down stream.

The wires leading into the central telephone office were greatly demoralized and some of them ruined. Mr. Baker, of Adrian, came over on Monday and put them all in proper shape, so that by Monday night the hellоing could proceed as usual. Several fine shade trees about the village were blown down or injured.

While Mr. Albert Hyde was in the act of raising a window at the Universalist church, in which the painters had been at work, a flash of lightning blinded him and he fell over backwards, striking upon a pew back. It was thought at first that he had two ribs broken, but such was not the fact. He was severely bruised however and will have to carry himself quiet for a few days.

The M. & O. road will make excursion rates between Toledo and Devils Lake, and Battle Creek and Devils Lake, on the 3d and 4th, insts., to enable people on their line to attend the grand opening of the new hotel. The fare for the round trip will be as follows: Dundee, 60c; Clarksville, 55c; Britton, 50c; Ridgeway, 45c; Tecumseh, 40; Tipton, 30c; Onsted 20c. West of the Lake the regular trains will accommodate passengers, but a special train will leave the lake at 6 P.M. on the 4th, to run through to Toledo which will give passengers at this end of the line an opportunity to return home in the evening. People can go up from here on Friday evening, attend the big ball and remain during the entire day of the 4th.

Detroit Free Press: Leonard D. Sale, Washington correspondent of the Free Press, has been appointed by Commissioner Martin V. Montgomery, librarian of the bureau of patents. The new position has a salary of $1,800 a year. Mr. Sale is an old and popular Michigan Democrat, and a well-known and active Detroit journalist. He was a gallant union soldier, and will fill the position with credit.

We have the pleasure of a personal acquaintance with Mr. Sale. We believe him to be eminently qualified for the position and congratulate him upon his good fortune.

Remember the Vescelius Concer to-morrow evening.

NURSING.

How an Invalid Should be Nursed in a Country Home.

When a woman is ill her hair should be carefully cared for from the beginning of the illness. If it is neglected and allowed to become tangled, it is very difficult to make it smooth and tidy again. It must be parted at the back, gently combed every morning, and arranged in two braids, with the ends securely tied with a piece of old ribbon. Two braids are better than one, for they can be drawn out of the way on each side, not to interfere with the head resting comfortably on the pillow.

In fever, or in any disease affecting the brain, where it is desirable to keep the head cool, it is well to have a soft hair pillow, or one stuffed with cut rags or paper torn into small pieces. Being less soft than the usual feather one, the head would not sink into it, and so would not be kept as warm. Some people particularly object to a hard pillow, and then it should not be used, as the discomfort would more than counterbalance the good derived from it. When the forehead is hot, it is a great relief to use frequently some cooling lotion. Put a few lumps of ice in a bowl, and pour on them a little alcohol; dip a single thickness of old, thin cotton into the liquid, and lay it on the forehead. The cotton must not, on any account, be doubled, as the cooling effect is produced by the evaporation of the alcohol, and the more quickly this takes place the more effectual it is. If ice can not be procured, bathe the face with equal parts of alcohol and cold water, taking care not to get it into the eyes, and fan until it is dry. When the eyes are affected, and cold applications are ordered, kept small squares of fine linen, or pieces of an old handkerchief, on a lump of ice, or, if this is not to be had, in a basin of fresh spring water. When one is placed on the eye, remove it before it is entirely dry, and put it away to be burned. If there is any discharge from the eye, this is particularly necessary. No piece should be used a second time.

In injuries to the head, ice is often used to lessen the tendency to inflammation, and it is not always easy or possible in the country to get an ice bag to hold it. The best substitute is a piece of India rubber cloth, about half a yard square. Crack the ice in small lumps, put it in the middle of the cloth, and, gathering the corners loosely together, tie a string tightly around it, like a pudding prepared to boil. Leave plenty of room for the ice so it will adjust itself easily to the shape of the head. Snow is much better than ice, when it can be obtained, as it is more easily arranged. Soft towels should be kept wrapped around the ends of the rubber cloth, where it is tied, to absorb any water that may escape, and it should be watched, that none may drip under the pillow or into the bed, unobserved.

Hot fomentations, although soothing the pain of the sufferers, are often the cause of much discomfort to the nurse applying them. Unless she knows how to do it properly she will certainly scald her hands in wringing the cloths out of the boiling water, and many blisters will bear witness to her devotion. If the following directions are carefully followed it will be seen to be perfectly possible to avoid this catastrophe and yet do the work effectually. Place a strong towel in a basin, letting the two ends project over the rim, put a thick piece of flannel, doubled three or four times, in the middle of the towel, and pour the boiling water on it; take the dry ends of the towel, one in each hand, and twist the flannel firmly in it, lifting it out of the basin. Every drop of water can be squeezed from it in this way without touching it with the hands. When it is sufficiently dry, open the towel, and the flannel is ready for application. If turpentine or laudanum is ordered, it can be sprinkled on the cloth before it is laid on the patient. A piece of rubber cloth placed over it will help to retain the heat, and it will not have to be changed as often as if uncovered. When hops are used, they should be sewed in a flannel bag when dry, and then wrung out of boiling water as directed. It is important to have two flannels, that one may be ready to put on the moment the other is removed, thus keeping up a continuous heat, and running no risk of the sick person taking cold while waiting for a fresh one.

When it is desirable to use dry heat, it can be applied by means of salt heated in the oven, and put into flannel bags; fine sand is some times substituted for salt, and bran can be used as being lighter than either, although it loses its heat more quickly. An India rubber hot water bag is a great comfort, and not an expensive luxury; one to hold a quart can be bought for a dollar and a quarter, and with proper care will last for years. The top must be very tightly screwed on, or there is danger of leaking. The best substitute, if one can not be procured, is a lager beer bottle, the patent stopper renders it impossible for the water to escape, which it is very apt to do with a common cork, unless it fits perfectly, and is driven in with especial care.—*Elizabeth Robinson Scovil, in Country Gentleman.*

—The total value of the green fruit received in New York by importation during the past year amounts to $5,067,851, while the duties received aggregated $690,882.41. The increase in value over 1883 is $332,494, with a decrease in customs duties of $54,482.33. There was increase in all the principal varieties imported, except in oranges from the Mediterranean, the falling off in that line of importation being probably due to the increased production of this fruit in the South, as well as the constantly growing supply from the West India Islands. The fruit from nearer home is just as good and arrives in a much better condition.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—A Connecticut woman, with nothing more useful to do, has made a list of two thousand two hundred and forty-eight words from the letter in the word "incomprehensibility."

NO SOJERING.

A Partner in a Theater Who Wanted the Orchestra to Earn Their Money.

Once upon a time, as fairy stories commence, Colonel Wood, of Chicago, the museum man, took in as partner in his theater a native from Arkansaw, who thought the business would just suit him, although he knew no more about museums or theaters than a dog knows about Choctaw.

The evening of the day the bargain was concluded the new partner attended the performance, for the first time in his life, selecting a seat in the parquette, close to the orchestra. His attention was divided between the play and the operations of the orchestra, the latter perhaps getting the lion's share. It was noticed by Mr. Wood, who was also present, that when watching the musicians he would frown and crochet his brow, and work his jaws on his quid of natural leaf more vigorously than usual.

The next morning he met the leader of the orchestra (a Frenchman), and accosted him:

"See here, pardner, now thet I've got a right to chip in when I see anything goin' wrong about this theayter, havin' bought an interest in it, I'd like ter ask you why you hev such a lot of chumps in the music box with you?"

"Chumps!" said the astonished leader, "ma foi, what is zat chump? I don't not know him."

"Why, sticks, to be sure; fellers who ether don't know their business or are playing off on you."

"*Mon Dieu, c'est impossible,*" replied the Frenchman; "ve have ze best orchestra in Cheecago; absolute *parfaitement.*"

"Oh, come off, now; you can't fool me if I am from Arkansaw. I watched your fellers last night, and you didn't, your luck was turned to most on 'em. It's a Mary Ann fact that they didn't play more'n half the time. Why, that feller who blows the long horn that shoves in and out was foolin' with his instrument nearly all the evenin'; the old fogy who pretended to play the bull fiddle only chipped in about every five minutes; the Dutchman who run the drums didn't hit the big one but twice to my certain knowledge; the fiddlers all 'sojered' more or less, and in fact the whole caboodle acted just as though they thought it didn't make much difference whether they played most of the time or not. Even you, yourself, fooled a good deal swingin' your fiddle bow around instead of gettin' all you could outen your catgut."

"But, *ma cher* Major, you seem not to comprehend. Ve haf to play just as ze music is written. Ze great Bach, Offenbach and othaire 'mastaires of ze devine music have put in ze rests for ze different instruments all through ze piece, and we haf strictly to follow him."

"You do, eh?" said the stubborn Major; "well, we'll have to reform here. I hain't been brung up on a plantation for nothin'. Why, sir, before the war I used to run over a hundred niggers, and you fellers did more sojerin' last evenin' than the whole gang of em'd do in a week. Say, you get a thunderin' salary, and probably consider yourself way up in music, don't you, now?"

Leader (with a shrug): "*Oui,* I not complain of my salarie; he is ver good; but I haf, var you call it?—reputacionne. I haf compose ze several pieces music mi self rich haf been ze grand success."

"Oh, you hev, hev you? Wall, I'll tell you what I want you to do. You just tackle your sheets of hiarogliphics and do away with all those rests old Offenback and the other chaps put in, so's the men'll have something to do all the time. You can't make me believe thet ther's any sense in payin' a lot of pirates to come here and fool away their time evenin's doin' next to nothin'."

By this time the Gaul was mad; that is to say he had a hot gall; and if Colonel Wood had not happened along just then, there might have been a row between the new proprietor and the musician. The Colonel, however, by a few bland words, calmed the offended violinist and explained to the Arkansaw man, that, hard as it seemed to a frugal man to see his employes apparently wasting so much time, they were really keeping time all the time, and all well-regulated orchestras had to have just about so many men to produce the best effect on a critical audience.

The Major's only reply was: "Well, I'll be dinged!"—*Peck's Sun.*

The Telephone Monopoly.

The Indiana Legislature has just passed a bill limiting the rental of telephones in that State to three dollars per month, with a reduction of fifty cents when two or more are used by the same firm. The telephone has become a public necessity, but it is in the hands of a powerful monopoly, who have become enormously rich within a short time from the burdensome tax they have imposed upon the people. New inventions have been quickly bought up or outlawed by the use of immense capital, thus leaving the public still to suffer. There seems to be but one way by which the people can be protected, and that is by State legislation, and the example of Indiana should be quickly followed by every other State. Three dollars per month will afford the telephone company a big interest upon the investment, while they are now in some cities exacting the enormous tariff of eight to fifteen dollars per month. It is time to stop it, and it is to be hoped legislators will afford their constituents the needed relief without loss of time.

—Robert P. Clayton, United States Consul at Para, Brazil, sends home a twig and leaves of the Brazilian gold-leaf tree, which are described as perfect gems of beauty, unsurpassed by anything in the vegetable kingdom. They are the color of old gold, and present the appearance of the finest quality of satin, one side of the leaf being a shade darker than the opposite side.—*Boston Statesman.*

TRANSFUSING BLOOD.

Some Curious Experiments in Which Dead Animals Were Restored to Life.

The subject operated upon was a medium sized terrier dog. It was secured by bonds and an incision made in an artery in his neck, by which the animal was bled to death. He certainly passed through all the symptoms of dying and soon after the last blood issued from the wound his frame became rigid, and his eyes assumed the glassy glare of death. The room was kept at a temperature of seventy degrees Fahrenheit while the dog lay for three hours dead. By this time he had become very stiff and cold. He was now placed in a warm water bath that was constantly maintained at a temperature of 100 degrees, and was continually and thoroughly stirred, and as he became pliant his limbs were gently worked about and his whole body rendered supple. A half pint of hot water was now passed into his stomach through a hard rubber tube that was forced down his oesophagus. When this was accomplished the mouth of a rubber tube, attached to a bellows, was introduced into his windpipe, and as the bellows were provided with a double valve, by which the air could be withdrawn as well as inhaled, the dog's nose was securely fastened up.

A large and powerful Newfoundland dog that had been obtained for the purpose had been tied near by and was now bled, while the attending surgeon proceeded to adjust the transfusing apparatus and began to slowly inject the live dog's blood into the dead one. Simultaneously Mr. Armitage began slowly working the respiratory bellows while I kept rubbing the animal and bending his limbs and body to facilitate circulation. We could not have been more anxious about the issue of our efforts if they had been made on a human being instead of a dumb brute. When a pint of fresh blood had been injected I could see some change about the eyes of the dog. But no one spoke. One thought was common to all—would life come back? In a few moments more there was certainly a convulsive tremor noticeable in the body. Mr. Armitage in undisguised excitement said to the surgeon, "Press the blood." In a minute or two the dog gasps, and soon attempts to eject the respiratory tube, which was accordingly withdrawn. This was followed by gasps and a catching of the breath, while the eyes grew brighter and more natural. The rubbing and blood injecting were yet applied, and the dog was struggling as if in a fit. But his efforts soon become less violent and he begins a low whine. A compress was now placed on the artery, and in twenty-two minutes after the first blood was injected, he sits up, after having been dead three hours and twenty minutes. The dog then drank a broth that had been prepared for him in case of his revival, and soon got up and walked about. He was furnished a comfortable bed near the stove, and from this time forward his recovery was so rapid that in two days he was turned out to run the streets. He is now a rugged character in good health, with seemingly no bad remembrance of his resurrection.

The second case was tested on the second day of December. The subject selected was a calf six weeks old. The details of treatment were similar to the foregoing, except for greater convenience a hot vapor bath was substituted for the warm water immersion. The calf, after being bled to death, was left for twelve hours before its resuscitation was undertaken, as it was desirable to see if a longer death interval could be successfully passed over. The fresh blood injected into its circulatory system was drawn from a yearling steer. It required thirty-five minutes to restore the calf to life after the transfusion of the first blood. The calf then drank some warm milk, and has since grown and thriven without perceptible interruption or ailment.

The next experiment was of a different character, and was made with a view to see if a drowned animal could be restored to life. A small dog was forced under water and drowned. He was then taken out and laid with his head inclined downward to drain his lungs of water, and left four hours in a warm room. It will be noticed that this was quite a different and more hopeless case than the preceding, as the dog had all his own blood yet in his veins. After an hour in the warm bath, and constant rubbing and working, his veins were opened at three different points to admit of the escape of any blood that might issue from them, and the injecting apparatus was vigorously applied to the arterial system. After fifty minutes of anxious labor signs of revivification were observable. The poor beast whined piteously as life was being once more enthroned within him. Notwithstanding great care was taken of him, he remained weak for several days, but seems now to be in good condition.

A fourth case was recently tried, in which the subject was a dog that was strangled and afterward frozen, and it was unsuccessful. After an hour of labor no signs of returnable life were not evable. It is believed, however, that this experiment may yet succeed and the life of a frozen animal be restored.

It is proper to add that, in the first cases, after the blood ceased to flow from the wound measures were taken to prevent air from entering the circulatory system as the animal cooled, and in all the cases the respiratory apparatus was nicely adjusted to the capacity of the animal. If the lungs in any case had been ruptured or overstrained, hemorrhage would have subsequently ensued.—*James L. Finch, in Beaver News.*

—In Paris they have "morphine parties" of the small and early kind. Those invited to such little gatherings are known to the hostess as being in the habit of resisting this to which flesh is heir by subcutaneous injections of the narcotic above named. The injection is performed with a little instrument, the manufacture of which is passing from the surgical instrument maker to the jeweler, and is becoming an objet d'art. Guests and the lady of the house sit in a circle and listen to a concert in a distant room. They describe their sensations to each other.

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Are the two boys sitting together, after their custom, communing soul with soul, and is a boy wanted to do something or other, each is so disinterestedly desirous that the other shall answer the summons, and thus give new evidence to his employers of the treasure they possess, that neither will start for many minutes. And when, after repeated and sometimes profane adjuration, one responds to the summons, the other responds likewise, and by his counsel and companionship aids and assists his compeer in the discharge of his commission, even if it be but the carrying of a bit of paper across the room.

When complaint is made of something which "the boy" has done, or something which he has left undone, how quick is each to charge the fault upon the other! Not out of ill-will or desire to escape in his own person the results of the error, fault, shortcoming, overdoing, or whatever else it may be. Not at all, but each knows that the censure or chastisement which the offender, when discovered, will receive must prove of incalculable benefit in the end, and each, therefore, is willing, nay, desirous, that the other, whom he loves so much better than himself, shall alone enjoy the castigatory emolument, and that himself shall be robbed of what could not but prove of inestimable good, not only for the present moment, but for all time to come.

And what happy hours they pass together! Quite unconscious of all things else, or even the duties which it is their province to perform, they will sit together for hours, the flame of mutual love irradiating and glorifying their features, and each pouring into the ear of either the most ardent assurances of the fond affection which fills each heart. While in this rapt condition they are oblivious to everything. They know not that their tongues are more noisy than a brace of sawmills. They are unconscious of the groans and grunts that make the air sonorous with discontent. They only know that they are luxuriating in the happiness of affectionate propinquity. And when, at last, they become cognizant of the universal demand to "stop that confounded chatter," each has been so lost in admiration of the other's eloquent discourse that he cries out, and, as he thinks, truthfully: "'Twan't me!" But this disclaimer is uttered out of no wish to bring the other to grief or to escape consequences himself. No; he merely desires to give to his fellow the full honor which should be accorded to the generator of so much edifying conversation.

It is pleasing, too, to see how devotedly each is every ready to place himself at the other's service. An office boy has been known, even when engaged in some necessary piece of work, to forsake his labor utterly that he might assist his mate in a difficult sum at marbles or an intricate problem in devil's fiddle, or help him to understand the meaning of some passage in "The Boy Highwaymen," or other equally recondite literary work.

But why accumulate evidence of what must be self-evident to all? Truly, the love of the office boy for his mate is not exceeded by any other form of human love, unless it be the love of his mate for the office boy.—*Boston Transcript.*

Treatment of Hydrophobia.

A native surgeon, M. Nursimula, has written a letter to the editor of the *Times of India*, from which it would appear that he has treated successfully a case having all the symptoms of hydrophobia. The treatment adopted was the subcutaneous injection of the sixteenth part of a grain of atropia. The breathing became infrequent (twelve per minute) and the pulse slowed to the rate of fifty per minute. A quarter of a grain of morphia was injected hypodermically as an antidote to the atropia and this was repeated several times. The symptoms disappeared the third day after the onset of the malady. The patient was a soldier, aged twenty-four, who had been bitten by a dog the week before the symptoms resembling hydrophobia appeared. The *Lancet* comments thus on this case: "If the case were one of hydrophobia, it must be allowed that the period of incubation was very short; the dog is not stated to have been mad, and it must not be forgotten that the presence of symptoms closely resembling, if not identical with, hydrophobia, does not *prove* that the case is one of genuine rabies."

The Model Farm.

The Keota (Iowa) *Eagle* has at last found a western man who is satisfied with a fifty acre farm. His name is Artemus Fisher, and he lives one mile and a half south of Keota. The *Eagle* tells the story of his management and of his success as follows:

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A hotel in Boston built of stone and brick 96 and 69 feet frontage with basement and seven stories above the sidewalk, was moved nearly 100 feet in order to make a change in the street. One side was supported by eight granite columns twelve feet high, the whole building weighing 5,000 tons beside the furniture. The occupants of the stores and the hotel were not disturbed in the removal.

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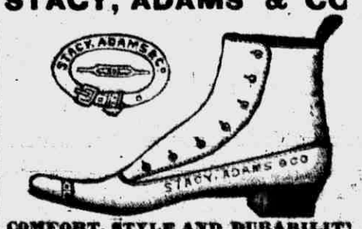

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Another graduating class has stepped across the threshold from school days into active life. The commencement program which was presented at the opera house on Thursday evening of last week was one of more than usual excellence, in both its musical and literary features. The essays of the six graduates evinced a careful study and thorough preparation and they were all nicely delivered. The selections of music were appropriately chosen and admirably rendered. The singing of the lady quartette of Adrian added materially to this portion of the exercises. The opera house was crowded to suffocation and was a literal wilderness of beautiful faces, fans and flowers. The floral testimonials have never been surpassed, either in quantity or beauty, at any of our recent commencements. A mammoth floral horse shoe was suspended to the scene at the rear of the stage, and either end of the platform in front was beautifully set with floral designs and living flowers. The class returned to Mrs. Tilton their formal thanks for her valuable assistance in preparing the stage ornamentation. The class motto, "Through Difficulties to the Stars," in large fancy letters was attached to a dropscene near the front of the stage.

We append the program as given, the class song, and the essays of the graduates. The latter consume considerable space, but we are inclined to the belief that our readers will consider it a good innovation to curtail our usual editorial comment and give the addresses in full.

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Music, Overture to Masaniello, two pianos—Misses Anderson, Hayden, Fisher, Henderson.
Prayer—Rev. J. Phelps.
Music, Vocal Quartette, "Legends"—Mrs. A. K. Johnson, Mrs. J. S. Holmes, Mrs. Winship, Miss Stella Mason.
Oration, Reaction—Herbert L. McNair.
Essay, Industrial Arts—Rose M. Hendershot.
Music, Vocal Solo, "When the Lingers Blooms," Miss Grace Howell.
Oration, Legislation for the Laboring Man—Lester H. Dewey.
Essay, Defense of Nantippe—S. Mabel Hayden.
Music, Piano duo, Tarantelle, opera 85—Misses Anderson and Rice.
Oration, Journalism—W. H. H. Hayden.
Oration and Valedictory, Labor—Frank B. Hall.
Music, Duet, Venetian Boat Song—Mrs. A. K. Johnson, Miss Stella Mason.
Presentation of Diplomas—David M. Nair, President of the Board.
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CLASS SONG.

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School of our youth, success attend,
And may you long survive,
With footsteps ever onward bend,
Pursuing onward to the end,
Farewell to "eighty-five."

We now must face a world of care,
Yet may we ever strive
In future, as in past, to dare
"To do the right, and never despair,"
We'll still be "eighty-five."

Reaction.

BY HERBERT L. MCNAIR.

More than a century ago, you might have seen reading and studying in the dim, quiet halls of Christ College, Cambridge, or musing in the shade of the massive elms that surround and almost cover the place, a plain, quiet, unassuming man, extremely diffident and almost solitary among the crowds that surrounded him. But if nature had not dealt with him kindly in regard to personal appearance, she had yet endowed him with an intellect of wonderful acuteness and profundity. While he was yet a young man, he had filled important professorships, and throughout his life he continued to startle the world with the most amazing discoveries. Newton had an insight into the workings of Nature, which none of his predecessors had ever possessed, and which few of those who came after him can attain.

Among the most wonderful discoveries were his laws of motion, of which the following is one. Action and re-action are equal and in opposite directions. The bold assertion of these laws placed him in direct antagonism to all existing schools of learning. All the philosophers of Europe rushed to the support of their pet theories. The upstart was jeered at, and inveighed against. Several years after the announcement Voltaire said that he did not suppose there were twenty men in Europe, outside of England, who believed in the Newtonian philosophy. But it rapidly gained ground and has long since superceded all others.

We cannot but wonder whether Newton, with all his deep perception of the truths of Nature, ever realized how universal was the application of the law of reaction to humanity. In religion, in politics, in finance, in every department of human progress and human endeavor we still discern the action of the law. It seems to be a deep laid principle of man's nature that opposite extremes follow close upon each other. We may consider this a fault in our nature, but it is a fact. We may compare it to a pendulum which a mighty power has set in motion, which may exceed a fixed rate. If for a moment or a century it exceeds that rate, the next period must witness a corresponding decline.

Let us glance for a moment at the course of civilization. From the beginning of history the world has been making a slow, steady march toward enlightenment. But while the world as a whole was plodding along, many individual nations have far surpassed their contemporaries, have gained their proud eminence for a time, and then fallen to the rear.

Far back in the dim ages, and so remote a period that no definite date can be assigned to it, the civilization of Assyria and Egypt for a time illumined a world of darkness. This faint glimmering was extinguished by the barbarian horde that swept over Asia in the 6th century, B.C. For a long time barbarism reigned supreme until the Greeks developed their wonderful civilization. Appropriating the best features of the Greek civilization to their own, the dense ignorant Romans carried the tide of progress still higher, and superstition of the dark ages broke in upon this last period of enlightment and progress, and out of this night came our own glorious civilization, the highest point of culture and refinement ever reached by man. And reasoning from the past to the future, we may see in the mind's eye the fruits of our labor all swept away by some barbarian invasion or by the decay of our race in virtue and energy. We may imagine a long period of darkness to be succeeded by the grand civilization of some people whom we now call savages. The progress of the world is like the advancing tide with its surface carved into undulations by the wind, its action resisted by the configuration of the shore. But despite all these trifling obstacles, it rises surely and resistlessly, and each advancing wave runs higher up the sandy beach, which at last shall be entirely submerged. One of the most powerful emotions that has ever influenced man, is the desire for liberty, a longing which has ever been most potent to inspire him to brave and generous deeds, and lift his soul above the slough of sordid selfishness. The impulse to personal and political freedom seems to have been implanted in the heart of man by a divine hand. What nation has ever been entirely without it? But it has had a gradual growth and its development is not yet complete. At the beginning of history we find the world under the patriarchal form of government, the most irresponsible, arbitrary and unreasonable mode that could be devised. Length of years was the principle requisite for the rulers, and the superannuated patriarch upon whom the power happened to fall, was obeyed with the same unquestioning reverence and devotion that was rendered to the wisest and most vigorous chieftain. This family despotism gave place to absolute monarchies, to representative forms of government, and finally, to the republic, the most perfectly regulated freedom that man has yet attained. Thus in man's progression from almost absolute slavery, to almost perfect freedom, we may trace a movement. And has this been a uniform progress? History answers that it has not. The Greek was a freeman 500 years before Christ, when the rest of the world had not yet dreamed of freedom. And the Russian of to-day is poitically a cipher when the rest of the world is ablaze with liberty. On the other hand, the Greek, who, 500 years B.C., was the freest of the free, 600 years later groaned under a most cruel despotism. The progress of freedom has been subject to the same fluctuations that have attended man's advancement in every other direction. For a hundred years the storm had been gathering that in the French revolution broke upon the devoted heads of the titled oppressors of the poor. For a century the thirty millions of France had lived upon crusts that the haughty aristocrats might feast. For a century the spark of liberty had smouldered. But the time came when the flame of freedom burst forth with unexampled fury, and the universal shout of Liberty, Equality and Fraternity, shook the monarch from his throne and Franke was a free nation. But the transition was too abrupt. Reaction followed, as violent and resistless as the first glorious deed. The grinding military despotism of Napoleon was welcomed as a relief from too much freedom. The nation spent its blood and treasure to gratify his boundless ambition. The people who boasted of having killed their oppressors, took willingly a master who ruled with a yet sterner hand. It was only the natural result of the excesses of the spirit of freedom that reaction should produce a corresponding servility. Many other examples might be adduced from history to show the effects of reaction. The intense spirit of liberty that characterized the English Revolution and the obsequious submission of Charles II's reign present an extraordinary example of reaction. The religious instinct is one of the few characteristics that emphatically distinguishes man from the brute creation. It has been asserted that no nation has yet been found which did not have some conception of a higher, nobler being, worthy of honor and worship. None can deny that the world is more truly and intelligently pious than it ever was before. But it has not reached this high plane by continuous progress. The tide of religious feeling has ebbed and flowed many times. At the close of the third century after Christ, nearly the whole of the civilized world was nominally, at least, Christian. The zeal of the early apostles bore fruit on every hand, and the church seemed on the top wave of prosperity. But its progress was too rapid for durability. The old associations and habits of thought could not be so soon broken off. Pagan ideas and superstitions were introduced and the church lost some of the vigor of pure Christianity. Its period of greatest glory was followed by a gradual decline. Under Luther's energetic touch, the retarding superfluities were removed and the structure restored in all its primeval grandeur. And thus it has been down to the present time, and thus it must be in future. The spread of Christianity is not a continuous, uninterrupted march, but a series of rapid advances sometimes made at long intervals. So we might trace the action of this law through every one of the long catalogue of human attributes, desires, struggles and successes, and find in each the constant alternation of advance, victory, following close after defeat, and defeat after victory.

The great pendulum of human destiny swings backward and forward and seems to have its share in permanently advancing, but only to drag back when it has just passed forward. But [illegible] the hands on the dial of eternal time of a higher and wider view, perceives the resultant force of these fluctuations as the hand goes through the 19th century, leaving behind it the defeats which appear to us limited range of vision, the advance movements.

The Industrial Arts

BY ROSE M. HENDERSHOT.

The industrial arts are those by the practice of which man obtains the necessaries of life. These arts are indispensable and noble, indispensable because man's life cannot be sustained without them, noble because by their proper exercise, man is enabled to carry out the plans of his Creator, and to rise far above the lower animals in the scale of organization. And yet, since by the industrial arts we satisfy those physical wants in which we agree with the lower animals, these arts might be considered ignoble. It is only man's intelligence in their pursuit that enobles them. Although in this and animals agree in the same way, yet there is a vast difference between them and their labor. Look at the inhabitant of a land where the white man has never trod, and, whether it be a land of icebergs or of perpetual summer, he must have shelter from the intense cold of the wind and storms or from the burning rays of the sun. He must also satisfy the imperative demands of hunger and thirst. If his home be in a cold climate, he appropriates to his own use the skins of animals, but if he live in a tropical clime he shelters himself from the burning heat of the sun, under a thatch or in a hut of woven grasses or sedges. In the work of animals there is a greater degree of symmetry and faultlessness than man displays. What a world of perfection and beauty we may see in the work of the insignificant insect, which man in the pride of manhood treads upon, thinking of the wonderful things that he has accomplished, and they are truly wonderful, but he can still learn useful lessons from these natural masters of art. Their work is always perfect, always complete in every part. Deception and dishonesty with which man are so well acquainted are entirely unknown to them. Look at the bee: the shape of its cell is altered only when working space forbids it to carry out its hexagonal plan. Deep under the blue water of the sea the little Polyp toils unceasingly throughout its brief life. Its labor results in the beautiful coral, which, strive as he may, man cannot imitate. And man admits his inferiority as a workman when he appropriates to his own use the fruits of the little insect's foil. We admire the work of this little animal not only for its beauty of form and tint, but also for the vastness of the structure reared. Islands and reefs are built, in the midst of the waves and in defiance of the storms on a scale of grandeur and magnitude, compared with which the walls of Babylon, the great wall of China and the Pyramids of Egypt sink into insignificance. Man often appears as a copyist of animals far beneath him and he confesses as much by the names he gives them; as, the mason-wasp, the quarrying sea-slugs and others equally applicable. He recognizes in the bird an exquisite architect, in the silk-worm, a most beautiful weaver. "Each is a perfect crafts man and each has its tools always at hand." No questions on tariff laws, workingmen's bills or divisions of labor ever agitate the individuals of the animal world. Each does that for which it is best adapted and finds its happiness in working out the plan that God has given it, perfect in the beginning. Herein lies one great difference between man and animal. Even while we so much admire the perfection of the animal's work we cannot fail to notice the mechanical way in which it labors. While man has no instincts to guide him in the performance of his tasks; instead he has a definite object in view and an ideal to which he strives to give expression in material form. To man no perfected plan is given, but powers of the mind, by the cultivation of which, he is enabled to form his own plans, and thus man rises far above the lower animals, instead of remaining on a level with them, where his physical nature places him. Man when once raised above the savage state, is never satisfied with present attainments, but is always striving for something better. Not so the lower animals; they obey the same laws to-day that they did hundreds of years ago; to them the past, present and future are blended into one; they remember naught of the past and look forward to no future; they live only in the present, while to man, the past and the future are as two views, in the one, every outline is clearly wrought and a single defect mars the beauty of the whole. In the other, we have a vision of wonderful grandeur and beauty which we are to reproduce in all its details. In all the inventions and improvements one characteristic of man is clearly seen, that is, his helplessness. Each workman is dependent upon others for assistance in developing his ideal. It is exceedingly difficult for any one to live long in a state above that of mere animal existence, independent of his fellowmen, and history shows us that it is absolutely impossible for him to rise above the plane of animal life unaided. That he may develop one of his many faculties to the highest point attainable in this life, he must give a large share of time and thought to the exercise of this faculty at the expense of the full development of others. That he may do this he must have the support of those who can supply him with the necessary tools, the preparation of which, would involve loss of time and distraction of thought for him. In the manufacture of the watch one person does not construct the whole; instead, each performs the part for which he has the greatest natural or acquired ability, and though each part would have little value by itself, yet when all are placed in their proper relations to each other, they form a wonderful piece of workmanship. In the practice of the industrial arts there are many degrees of skill, one person has naturally, or as the result of practice greater skill than another. But there are no degrees of skill among the lower animals. The great difference between man and the lower animals is shown by the way in which they work: the one depending entirely on instinct, the other depending on his intellect to guide him in his work. And before man and the skilled labor of his hands, the animal world with its stereotyped forms of work assumes its true position, as the lowest in the scale of development, and man stands forth monarch by conquest as well as by inheritance.

Legislation for the Laboring Man

BY LESTER H. DEWEY.

"How to improve the condition of the laboring man?" has been and is to-day, one of the most important social and economic questions before the American people.—Various are the solutions of the problem which have been brought forward and advocated. One of these, and perhaps the one which has secured to itself most adherents during the past few years is the enactment of special legislation for the laboring man. The purpose is praiseworthy, but how about the means, are they just and will they secure the desired result? Many of the efforts for special legislation in this country have been directed to the securing of an eight hour law. That is a law which shall declare that eight hours of labor constitute a day's work. This is supported by the argument that the laborer will have more time to employ in self improvement, that he will thus become better educated, and hence better able to resist the oppression of capitalists. The argument is plausible but we think unsound. At present how do the vast majority of working men spend their spare time? In self improvement or in idleness and vain expensive amusement? In our large cities many of the working men regularly spend their week's earning on Saturday night and on Sunday, not for the necessaries of life but upon those vices which tend only to degradation and misery. Is there anything to indicate that if they had more spare time it would be spent to better advantage? Will the enactment of an eight hour law make the idle enjoy the fruits of industry, the thriftless possess the rewards of energy, or the drunken sober? Moreover, those who have energy and a desire for self improvement will find time to devote to it notwithstanding long hours at work. There are numerous examples recorded of men rising to eminence from the position of day laborers, not because of much time to themselves but in spite of the fact that most of their time was given to their employer. A second argument advanced is that by reducing the hours of labor, over-production will be prevented and an impulse will thus be given to industry. Pursuing the same kind of argument, would it not give an impulse to industry to reduce production by declaring that each laborer should work with one hand tied behind him. Over-production seems to be a source of much trouble to some people, but it is doubtful if they would be better pleased with scarcity. In the past, history presents somewhat more inviting pictures in times of plenty than in times of want. There may be an over-production of articles for a certain price but there cannot be too great an abundance for the consumer. If in the desert of Sahara, where water is sold for a price, springs should be found that would yield an abundance as we have here, would this be regarded as an evil to the country? When the laborer cries out against over production he is losing sight of one of his own best interests, for most of supplies should be to him of equal importance with amount of wages. Attempts have been made in England to fix by law the minimum limit of wages and to make it a criminal offence to give or receive wages below this limit. The attempts were unsuccessful but such a law is certainly as just as one passed in the reign of Edward III, 1359, fixing the maximum price of wages. The idea of wages being kept up by legislation has gained some ground in this country. An argument advanced in its favor is, that it would prevent oppression by employers and there would be less ill feeling between laborers and capitalists and hence fewer strikes. This plea seems to be based on the idea that the laborers are not competent to take care of their own interests but that capitalists are in duty bound to hire laborers. Few employers however work upon this principle. They hire workmen for the sake of the profits of production, just as the laborer puts forth his

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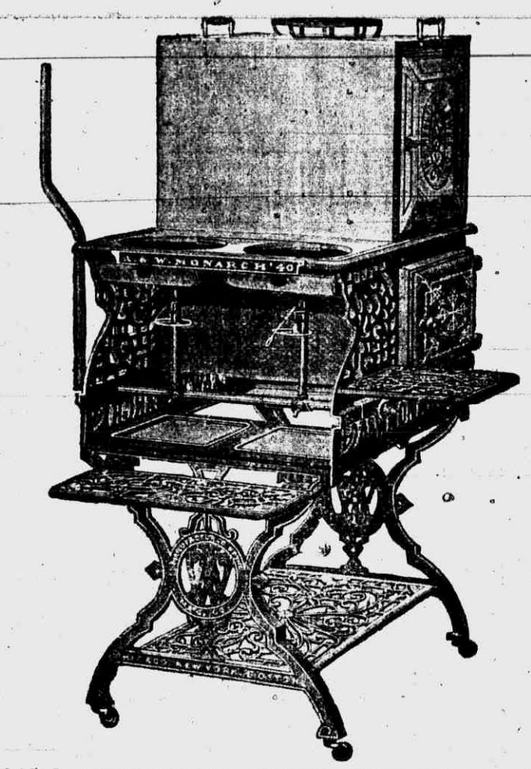

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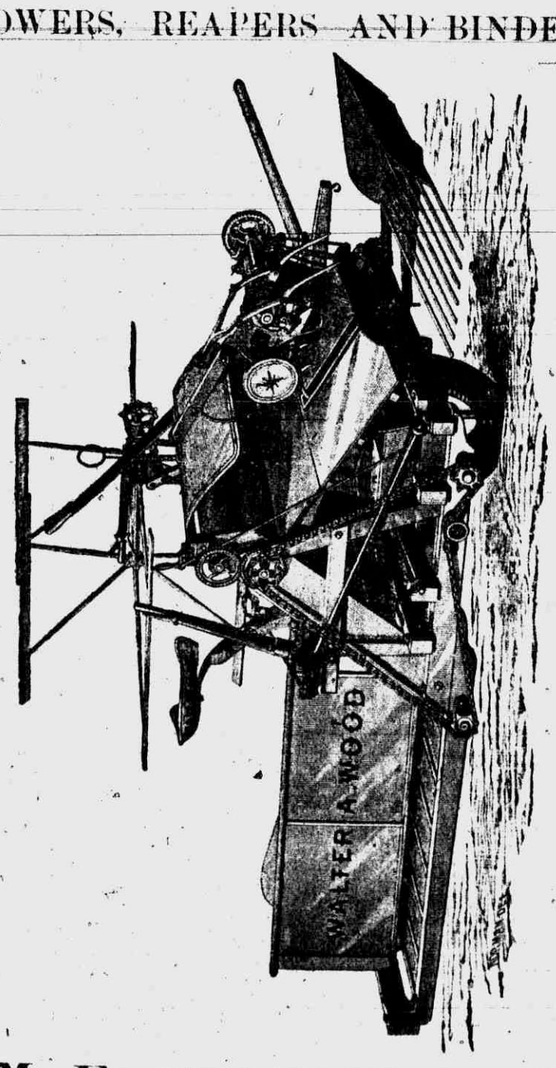

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TAKE NOTICE [illegible] all whom it may concern [illegible] call and find me at my shop on Pearl [illegible] repairing of all varieties on short notice [illegible] prices. Also several new [illegible] for sale.
W. SHERMAN.

500,000 CABBAGE AND CELERY plants. I have a large quantity [illegible] cabbage and healthy plants. Prepaid by express and Porter's Brunswick; also [illegible] advertise low prices on large [illegible]
ABNER WILSON.

DISSOLUTION.—The copartnership heretofore existing between J. P. Slayton and C. A. Slayton under the firm name of Slayton & Slayton is dissolved by mutual consent. J. P. Slayton retiring, C. A. Slayton assuming the business. All those having unsettled accounts [illegible] past due, will see the necessity of a settlement, and oblige us favor by [illegible]
J. P. SLAYTON,
C. A. SLAYTON.
Tecumseh, Mich., June 27, 1885.

FOR SALE.—Three work horses, platform [illegible] and lumber wagon.
HIRAM WESTCOTT.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Good farm of 100 acres with large barns, windmill, and brick house in best farming district of Franklin township, within short drive of Tecumseh village. [illegible] dwellings in the village, at desirable bargains.
FRED B. WOOD.

Several members of the Adrian bicycle club rode over to Tecumseh last Sunday.

The Choral Union will meet next Monday evening at M. P. Brown's. All are invited.

Rev. George W. Hudson will preach a 4th of July sermon at the M. E. church next Sunday morning.

If you want to see an ugly looking animal just take a look at those California adders in Baker & Hall's drug store.

We are glad to announce the fact that Will Whiting has recovered from his recent illness, and is again on our streets.

O. H. Kellogg, of Otsego Lake, arrived in town Tuesday on a visiting tour and will remain hereabouts for two weeks.

Quite a number of our young people took advantage of the fine weather last Sunday and took a drive up to Sand Lake.

Regular services at the Universalist church next Sunday. Communion sermon in the morning. Subject, Rest and Meditation. Evening, subject, Being in the Spirit.

L. P. Tribon and A. W. Haight have taken the agency of the Equitable Life Ins. Co. This is one of the strongest life companies in this country, and it will be well represented in this vicinity.

Clement Lester, of Kalamazoo college will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church next Sunday morning. In the evening there will be a missionary concert, when it is expected that Mrs. C. D. King, missionary to Assam, will be present and speak.

Mrs. Geo. Tiffany has a fine saddle horse and she is quite an expert in the saddle. Postmaster Rosacrans infliges in a horse back ride occasionally. We are glad to see horse back riding becoming fashionable. It is an elegant and healthful exercise.

The Burnett House dining room at Toledo has been lately ornamented with new wall and ceiling decorations. Landlord Burnett now has the finest hotel dining hall in the city, and he has other accommodations to correspond. When you go to Toledo, try the Burnett.

Prof. and Mrs. Hammond left home yesterday for White Pigeon, where they expect to remain a week or ten days with Mrs. Hammond's family relatives. The Professor feels that a good school years work has been done, and that he is now entitled to a little respite.

The lawn festival, given by the ladies of the Baptist church last Tuesday evening, at Mrs. Dr. Fisher's was largely attended. Both bands furnished music and the supply of ice cream and lemonade was ample. The receipts, over and above expenditures, amounted to a nice sum, and the participants passed a most enjoyable evening.

The following are the teachers who have been engaged for the ensuing year in our Public Schools:

Supt.—Prof. D. A. Hammond
A. Room—Miss Abby L. Hitchcock.
B. Room—Miss Alice J. Lyon.
Eighth Grade—Miss Mary E. Keeney.
Seventh Grade—Miss Grace Willett.
Sixth Grade—Miss Julia Snell.
Fifth Grade—Miss Nannie Kyle.
Fourth and Fifth Grade—Miss May Henderson.

The Primary departments have not yet been arranged.

The base ball game last Friday afternoon between the Adrian high school nine and Harry Stevens' club, resulted in a victory for the home club. The clubs were about evenly matched and played a very good game if they were "kid nines." Capt. Stevens did the pitching for the home nine, with Sam McClure behind the bat. Both of them did very effective work. Sloan and Ley, the Adrian battery, also did some good playing. The Adrian's were "goose egged" four times, while the home received two. The score stood at the end of the seventh inning 10 to 11 in favor of the home club. Rain prevented the finishing of the game. Capt. Stevens expects to play a return game in Adrian about July 8.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 2, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

[illegible] remains in hats and bonnets [illegible] Brown's.

Screen doors are being placed in position in many of the stores.

The Adventists have settled down in Hudson with tents for a revival season.

The grand opening ball at the Devil's Lake House will come off to-morrow evening.

Jehiel Davidson's house was burglarized last Thursday evening. Five dollars were taken.

Dr. Steinhoff expects to start next week for a trip to Dakota. He will be gone about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Koch, of Toledo, were in town a few days last week, renewing old acquaintance.

Go to the Opera House to-morrow evening, listen to a fine concert and help the Library Association.

We have had but very few days of real warm weather yet, but we can take courage for the dog days are coming.

Mrs. Wm. Tilton has a fine crayon portrait, large size, of the late Prof. H. S. Cheever, which she prizes very highly.

A. W. Slayton and J. Gilchrist are attending the semi annual meeting of the Michigan Flooring and Handle Mfg. Co., at Summit City, Mich.

T. J. Kennedy, of Raisin, who sold his farm last month, has bought another one near Battle Creek and already taken possession. Raisin loses a first class farmer and an excellent citizen by his removal.

Dr. Jenkins, of Franklin, assumed control of the Tipton postoffice yesterday, the 1st day of July. He has procured a lot of new postoffice boxes, and intends to run the office on business principles. A new broom sweeps clean.

Street Commissioner Jordan is doing a fine job of work on Cummins street. The entire street is being turnpiked and graveled. The village is growing rapidly in that direction, and there are already some fine new residences on that street.

The ladies of the M. E. church are going to celebrate the "glorious fourth" with a strawberry and ice-cream festival, at the basement of the church. They solicit calls from the public at any time after 4 p. m. and through the evening.

The M. & O. excursion train last Sunday from Toledo to Devil's Lake was composed of six coaches which were well filled. There was a large number of Toledo passengers and many more were picked up all along the line. The day was a fine one for excursionists.

R. F. Taggart graduated at the dental school of the university at Ann Arbor last week and received his diploma, and is now a full fledged D.D.S. He will remain in Dr. Steinhoff's office for a month or so, during the latter's trip west, and will then open an office of his own at Clinton, Iowa.

Heesen Bros. & Co., have taken the necessary steps to file an application for a trade mark on their hog ringer and rings. The Wolverine hog ringer has become a staple article in the market, and they find it necessary to protect themselves against imposition. Their trade is constantly growing.

Capt. Foster surpassed himself in his entertainment of the Alumni last Friday evening. The menu could not have been surpassed and the table service was excellent. One hundred and four guests were provided for, the chairs being all taken but five. The large dining room of the Lilley House came in good play that evening.

The Shawnee Mineral Springs Sanitarium at Monroe is becoming quite noted as a health resort. The Park Hotel is connected with the Springs where first class accommodations are provided at reasonable rates. For circulars giving full information in regard to the advantages offered, terms, etc., address the Mineral Springs Sanitarium, Monroe, Mich.

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. Stephen Whittier gave a tea party at her residence for the benefit of Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy, guest of the occasion. A company of about fifty assembled who enjoyed a most social afternoon and evening in renewing old acquaintances, and all departed with a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Whittier for their generous hospitality. It was one of the most pleasant social parties that our Methodist friends have enjoyed in a long time.

At the regular election of the Tecumseh Reform Club, held June 29th, the following officers were elected for the next term:

Pres.—Henry J. Sweet.
1st. Vice—David Brangan.
2d. " —John Allen.
3d. " —T. Aiken.
Rec. Sec.—Robert Moir.
Fin. Sec.—Miss Minnie Ross.
Treasurer—Jerome Cleveland.
1st. Marshal—Geo. Williamson.
2d. " —Wm. Kyle.
Steward—James Moir.
Sergeant-at-arms—J. D. Sholes.

Harry Snell was in town last Sunday.

Fred Teachout, of Adrian, was in town last Sunday.

Strong and McNair have a new advertising card in to-day's paper.

Mrs. Frank Worcester, of Jackson, was in town Tuesday visiting friends.

John F. Hicks is at home for a few days. He will remain until after the 4th.

Mrs. S. F. Spofford has been visiting friends in Toledo for the past ten days.

Mrs. Geo. Heesen returned last week from a two weeks' visit at Cleveland, Ohio.

Remember the dance at Britton's to-morrow night. Good music, good floor managers, lots of fun and a low bill.

Geo. Field and Chas. Thompson have been rigging up a fine new boat, which will soon be launched on the Globe pond.

The reliable firm of John Smith & Son, of Clinton, have a new advertisement in this issue of the HERALD. Read it and profit thereby.

The Rev. James Vincent will preach next Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church in Raisin, and administer the ordinance of the Lord's Supper.

Albert and Chas. Brewer are still sojourning at Hot Springs, Ark. Charley's health is improving, but they say nothing as yet about coming home.

Vint Chapman, Al Heidenrich, and Ed McKinney will play in the Adrian base ball club July 3rd and 4th, against the Hiawathas, of Detroit. The games will be played at Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hayden, of Milan, came up last week to attend Commencement exercises, and remained over until Monday, making a fine visit among their many Tecumseh friends.

Lyster Dewey and Frank Hall, two of the graduates of the present high school class, have concluded to go to the Agricultural College at Lansing and will enter at the beginning of the fall term.

Mrs. King, missionary from Assam, India, will address the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church, at 3:30, Sunday afternoon in the lecture room of the church. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra F. Blood attended the state pioneer meeting at Lansing week before last, and spent a few days with their son LeRoy. They had a fine visit and enjoyed the meeting very much.

Mr. L. F. Eddy, agent of the M. & O. company at Yorkville, has been transferred to this station in place of H. C. Matrau resigned. Mr. Matrau has, by his affable manner and business tact, made friends during his residence here and we regret to lose him.

Cook & Palmer, up to yesterday, had purchased 110,000 pounds of wool, and had shipped off 554 sacks of 200 pounds each. They have considerable more contracted for which has not been delivered. The price ranges from 20 to 25 cents for good washed wool.

C. R. Mabley, the great Detroit clothing merchant, died on Tuesday last at his residence in that city. His death was caused by a general breaking down of the system on account of a too close attention to his immense business. His decease will be a public calamity to the city and state.

Next Thursday afternoon Tecumseh people will have a chance to witness the first horserace of the season at Bills' race track. A purse of $20 will be contested for between Harry Lee's 4 year old and L. I. Bidwell's 4 year old, best three in five. Race called at 2 o'clock. Admission 10 cents. Ladies free.

The citizens of Tecumseh who feel inclined to celebrate the 4th, will scatter about this year. Co. C. and the cornet band and a large delegation of citizens will go to Adrian. Many will go to Devil's Lake to attend the opening of the new hotel and some will go elsewhere. The 4th will be a very quiet day in Tecumseh.

The Michigan Press Association will hold their annual meeting at Traverse City, beginning on the evening of Monday, July 6th. A special free train will leave Monroe at 8 A. M., and run through to Traverse City via Saginaw and Reed City. T. S. Applgate, Editor of the Adrian Times, will read a paper during the session.

We clip this item from the Cawker Journal, of Kansas: "That prince of Democrats, Geo. T. Ketcham, of Gaylord, has a petition, asking his appointment to the postmastership of that town, so long that he hauls it around in a wheelbarrow." Good enough! We hope "Ketch" will get there. He will be just the man for the place.

We see by the Warren, Pa., Paragraph that C. D. Bills' trotter, "Hunter," won the races there last week in the 2-32 and the 2-28 classes. Time 2-31¼; 2-32¾; 2-31¼. Outsiders caught the time on some of the heats faster than the judge. The first heat in the 2-28 race was caught by good 3 timers in 2-26½. Hunter and Blue Bell going to the half mile in 1-10¼.

THE ALUMNI REUNION.

A FINE PROGRAM PRESENTED AND AN ELEGANT SUPPER SERVED AT THE LILLEY HOUSE.

A Brief Report of the Exercises. The History in Full. List of Officers for the Coming Year.

The Executive Committee of the Alumni Society, after meditating upon the merits of several plans, finally adopted the plan of last year for the annual reunion exercises. The large dining room of the Lilley House was chosen as the place of meeting. The literary program was first presented, and then followed the supper and the after speeches. Capt. Foster's arrangements were complete in every particular, and there was room enough for all. One hundred and four members of the alumni and invited guest participated in the festivities of the occasion, and a better pleased company, we venture to say, never sat down to the festive board in Tecumseh.

Promptly at eight o'clock the assemblage was called to order by the president, P. S. McKinnon, who announced the program in the order below:

Prayer—Rev. W. H. Babbitt.
Music—Knapp's Band.
Business Meeting.
Address of Welcome to the Class of '85—P. S. McKinnon.
Response—Frank Hall.
Music—Band.
Oration—Dr. Geo. Howell.
Select Reading—Miss Alice Wimple.
Music—Band.
Essay, The Power of Hope—Miss Julia A. Conduct.
History, Class of '77—Mrs. S. P. Hosmer.

As the usual poem was not forthcoming, the select reading by Miss Alice Wimple was thrown in to fill the vacancy, and it proved to be a very happy substitute. We regret our inability to publish the oration. It was received with marked commendation, and would read well in type, but our lack of space compels us to omit it. The address of welcome was impromptu. The response and history are given in full below.

The supper was then served, to which the guests did ample justice. After the ice cream and oranges had been properly disposed of, the toast master, Abner Wilson, assumed charge of the ceremonies. He introduced each toast with a few happy and pertinent remarks, which added much to their interest. These were the regular toasts given:

The Tecumseh High School—Response by D. McNair.
Evans Creek—Response by S. C. Stacy.
The Old Time Graduate—Response by J. W. Patterson.
The Class of '85—Response by Herbert L. McNair.
The Rising Generation—Response by P. S. McKinnon.

During the business meeting, a special committee was appointed to report a list of officers for the ensuing year. The following list was reported and was duly ratified by the meeting.

THE NEW OFFICERS.

President—S. W. Anderson.
1st Vice—O. P. Bills.
2d Vice—Miss Dena Heesen.
Secretary—Miss Ella James.
Treasurer—Will H. Hayden.
Orator—Fred. B. Wood.
Alternate—John B. Whelan.
Poet—S. C. Stacy.
Alternate—Mrs. H. S. Lee.
Essayist—Miss Jennie Nyland.
Alternate—Thos. H. Temple.
Historian—Mrs. C. A. Wright.
Alternate—Miss Jennie Root.
Toastmaster—Jas. W. Patterson.
Ex. Com.—O. P. Bills, Miss Julia Snell, A. W. Mills, D. McNair.

Response.

FRANK HALL.

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Alumni:

We of the class of '85 have finished our courses of study, have received our diplomas, and now by a pleasant custom take our places as Alumni of our dear high school. We have regret and sadness at leaving our school life, for we feel that in the lack of its training, its help and its pleasures, we lose a true friend. But your kind expressions of welcome, of good will, and of encouragement show that in your sympathizing members we gain many friends as true as the ones we lose. We thank you most heartily for the kind reception you give us, and hope and sincerely believe you will never have cause to regret our admission. We may not bring as many members, nor perhaps as much talent or genius as have some classes, but we think our desire for the honor of our common Alma Mater and for the renown of her Alumni is firm and true, and we trust our efforts for their advancement will not be entirely fruitless. Do not however expect too much of us, for remember we are but the infants of your number, and lack the influence of your wiser heads and longer experiences. And yet you are not to despise us for our youth and helplessness, but recollect that you were once where we are now. Pity our inexperience, give us good advice not only, but set us good examples, and help us in our efforts to follow them. Again we thank you for the honor of membership, and close by wishing success and happiness in our new relations.

The History.

BY MRS. S. P. HOSMER.

Members and Friends of the Alumni. You cannot imagine with what feelings of pride I have viewed my name in print as historian. It has always been my aim to be renowned but have never reached such a high step in the ladder before. My duty is to trace the wanderings of the class of '77 who left our loved Alma Mater twelve strong, and as I far can hear, are still an unbroken band.

Alfred W. James, after many weeks of uncertainty as to how he should have his graduating suit made; what should be the shade of his tie; and the cut of his hair, secures his diploma and takes his first step in the business world, in Thomas Adamson's jewelry store where he remained for two years. Then changing employers, not employment, he worked for O. B. DeWolf one year and a half, when he brushed off the dust of Tecumseh and made Toledo his home, and traveled for a firm there until Feb. of the next year, when he accepted a position in a Cleveland house, traveling for them until Feb. of 1883, when he abandoned employers and commenced an installment jewelry business in room No. 4, Merrill Block, Detroit, where he invites his Alumni friends to visit him. He is not married, but I dare not tell why.

Miss Eunice Davidson returned to her country home, and took up the simple duties awaiting her there, she did not lay aside her school work but kept steadily on with her studies. During the long winter evenings she has added to her historical knowledge without the daily lessons from a teacher. She is at present studying German and Stenography and is a member of the C. L. S. C. of 1886.

Miss Mabel VanCamp, the first year after leaving school, clerked in her father's store in this place, and when her father removed to Sedalia, Missouri, she went with him and there devoted her time to the study of music. She sang in the church and gave lessons both in Sedalia and Warsaw. Later they moved to Chicago, where she gave her time to the study of vocal music, returning to Sedalia to sing in a concert. Her singing delighted her friends so much, that in order that she might pursue her studies under the best teachers they gave her a benefit concert. As a result of this she went to the Cincinnati College of Music, where she remained six months and then returned to Adrian, to rest her voice before continuing her studies.

Mrs. Rose VanVleet after graduating, taught two years and four months in the Primary department of our schools, and was promoted to fifth grade, where she finished the year. She then accepted an invitation to teach in Oxford, Michigan, where she remained one year and seven months, until failing health compelled her to abandon work. She was married to Mr. A. P. Groff of Oxford, in Aug., 1881, and has been engaged in the duties of her own home ever since. Her thoughts and best wishes have been with the Alumni although she has not met with us for four years.

Mr. Sumner Collins, in reply to my letter of inquiry as to his whereabouts since he left us, gives a negative account of himself in the following language. I am not adorning the Supreme Bench of our State, nor am I representing her at the courts of the "effete monarchies" of down-trodden Europe, and adds that while his principal occupation may be dodging creditors, still his name has not appeared on the rolls of those who work for the state at Jackson, or Ionia. But as I am to deal with facts I will give it as it is. He spent the first year in the High School at Ann Arbor, and entered the University in the fall of '78 as candidate for the degree of B. A. As he has not informed me of his marriage, I think he must have been accepted. He finished his course in Feb. 1882, and spent four months in the Weather Bureau at Washington. Returning to Michigan in Sept. 1882, beginning the study of law at Detroit in the office of G. V. N. Lothrop, our present Minister to Russia. He has since been admitted to the Bar and has an office at No. 55 Newberry & McMillan Building, where he says he is passing through the blissful starvation period of a "Brieffless Barrister." He has not forgotten his old class mates and would be glad to see them at any time.

Miss Jennie Frasier, after being instructed for so many years decided that instructing others would be her fort. She taught the first year after graduating and remained at home until Sept. of the next year, when she went to Concord, Michigan, to continue her chosen profession and was very successful. For the last two years she has been at Lake Linden, Mich., endeavoring to trim the shooting ideas of the youthful members of that town. Her invitation to remain another year goes to show that she has given satisfaction to her employers, but what her non-acceptance of that invitation shows, I am not prepared to say.

Harry H. Snell remained in Tecumseh for two years. In 1879 he left to accept a position in a lumber business in the Northern part of the State. As his object was to learn the business, he began in the woods twelve miles from civilization. Here he remained about five months working in a saw mill from day-light till darkness; his only recreation was sleep. At the end of five months he graduated from the woods and was placed on the yards where he finished his first year. He afterwards did office work at Greenville until 1881 when he went to Muskegon; there he remained until 1882, when being dissatisfied with his position he returned to Greenville. Since that time, or the past four years, he has been traveling in the capacity of a lumber salesman. His duties take him in fourteen different States. He still calls Tecumseh his home, and like most of the class of '77, is unmarried.

Miss Clara Waldron returned to her home and studied Domestic Economy for three years. Considering herself proficient in that art, she turned her attention to teaching. Her first summer was spent in the German District, Franklin, where she enjoyed the hospitality of each member of the district, or, in other words boarded around. She has filled the position of teacher in district No. 2, Frank in, in East Tecumseh, and later taught in the school where she first learned to read and write. Is now employed in District No. 5, Clinton.

I cannot give the history of Will D. Robbins better than he has given in his letter, hence, will read said letter. My history since graduation does not possess any magnificent and brilliant points so necessary to an interesting biography but is the simple story of a wanderer, remaining in no place long enough to establish himself either as an ornament or a scapegoat. Immediately after graduating in '77 I commenced work in the Tecumseh Herald office. Here I remained until the fall of '78, when I entered the University of Michigan. I pursued the classical course in this institution until the summer of '80, when I left my educational pursuits to enter into the sterner and severer struggle for a share of this world's bread. I came to Cleveland, my present home, and buried myself in the figures and accounts of the books of a jobbing jewelry house. I occupied my time in this way until the spring of '82, when longing for freer and fresher air, I started out for the west as travelling salesman for the same firm. I am still employed in the same capacity, although I have not come to be a giant amongst salesmen, when it comes to passing judgment on prune sass and hotel cookery in general, I am no dwarf.—Not married yet—no prospect of an alliance, but even under such disadvantages, I am enjoying an expensive appetite.

Fred B. Wood entered college at Ann Arbor in the fall of '75 where he remained until March '79, when he was compelled to abandon his studies on account of his eyes. He employed his time during the summer on a farm and in the fall of '79 had so far regained his health that he accepted a position as book keeper in Wm. McCowen's furniture store where he remained until August '80, when he again entered college in Ann Arbor in the Law department, from which he graduated in '84, when he commenced the practice of law with his father in this place. His father's death has left him alone in the office, where you will find him ever ready to settle all difficulties. He joined Co. C, Michigan State troops as private and has filled every office from corporal to captain, which position he now holds. One very important event in Mr. Wood's life he neglected to mention, and that was his marriage to Miss Louise Hialy, Feb. 22d, 1885, and as he is the only gentleman in the class that is married, I take the liberty to mention it.

There are two members of the class, Miss Gussie Burlingame and Miss Sadie Gamble, now Mrs. Charles Ives, that I have been unable to hear from.

Thus you perceive, Alumni, that the history of ten out of the class of '77, of the magical number twelve, has no startling points, but as the world is always better for faithfully performed labor, you can but conclude that when their career is ended the improvement will be marked.

Robert Stretch was at home on a flying visit last Tuesday.

—Miss A. M. Adams is here for a few weeks, and would like pupils in decorative painting. Samples of work can be seen at Mr. Sparks' music store or at W. D. Adams' store.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, trough's etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—Buy the Noiseless Light Running New Home Sewing Machine. Remember this machine is warranted to be entirely free from raw hide and cotton batting. Drop me a postal card for prices. B. J. Coller, Gen. Agent, Adrian.

—Salmon, codfish, mackerel, halibut, and in fact all kinds of fresh and salt fish can be procured at the old reliable market of Jim Cole.

—New Lumber Wagons and best Hay Racks on hand at Richart's.

—Day School Cards,
Sunday School Cards,
Birthday Cards,
Silver Knives and Forks,
and a full line of Album Cards at
Adamson Bros.

—The best flour for ordinary domestic use sold in this market is that manufactured at the old Globe Mills.

—Ed Rowland has a big batch of new hay racks for sale.

—The "Globe Mills Pastry" leads all the brands of flour in this market.

—You can buy the best and cheapest hay rack in the market of Ed Rowland.

—For beautiful, light, white bread, use Wm. Hayden's patent process flour.

—Go to Ed Rowlands for the best hay rack ever sold in Tecumseh.

—I sell Hay and Stock Racks very cheap this year, at but little advance on cost of material. Call and see.
I. B. Richart.

—Ladies you will find a good assortment of Summer Hats and Bonnets, trimmed and untrimmed, from which to make your selections, at Mrs. N. R. Brown's. Prices to suit the times. Now is the time for Lake hats.

DIED.

Died in Cambridge, on Friday night, June 27, 1885, Mrs. Jane Sheler, wife of George Sheler, at the ripe old age of 75 years, 3 mos., and 18 days.

She was the daughter of John Onsted and born in the county of Sussex, New Jersey, was married to Geo. Sheler in the fall of 1828. They came to Michigan in the spring of 1836. She has reared a family of ten children, all grown to man and womanhood and now living, except two daughters and one son, and are located around here in good and prospering circumstances, all of whom a parent may feel proud of. She has seen times when it was dark and gloomy, not knowing what the future would present, and after passing 57 years of wedded life has now left the partner of her choice at the age of 79 years to battle alone the few years that remain for him. She was a mother in every sense of the word, living for naught else but to look to their cares and wants. She has for the past number of years been an invalid, but never would give up her cares and toils of this life until a few days before her decease. The funeral was held at the Episcopal church on Sunday and was one of the largest congregations ever in town.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

ATTORNEYS.

EDWIN B. WOOD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Collections and Conveyancing. Office over W. & S. W. Anderson's store, Tecumseh, Mich.

C. A. STACY, Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Office in Harrod Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

PHYSICIANS.

R. B. HOUSE, M.D.—Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office over Lilley, Bidwell & co's bank, Chicago st. Residence corner Pearl and Logan sts.

C. M. WOODWARD, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office at Residence, Chicago st.

E. M. CONKLIN, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in the Herrick House, Tecumseh.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TECUMSEH FOUNDRY AND STEAM ENGINE WORKS. H. Brewer & Co., Proprietors. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Mill Gearing and General Machinery; also manufacturers of Tiffany Improved Patent Drain Tile Machine, Sandy's Brick Machine, etc.

W. M. DeMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich., Agent for The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis. Paid to policy holders since organization and held for them $46,738,333.30. Total premiums received, $29,641,785.47. Excess of interest receipts over all expenses of management, $6,506,767. Dividends to policy holders in each of the past nine years anticipated by those of any other company on similar policies. Assets January 1, 1884, over $18,500,000. Surplus over four per cent. reserve, $6,000,000.

DAVE MACHAM, Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser. Shop on Railroad st.

CURRY & BOSTWICK, Fashionable Barbers and Hair Dressers, shop in Richards block, Chicago st.

CHAS. A. WALDRON, Veterinary Surgeon. All orders promptly attended to either by mail or in person. Office at residence, one-half mile southwest of Tecumseh.

HOTELS.

LILLEY HOUSE—Chicago street, Tecumseh. This house has been recently enlarged by the addition of an elegant new office on Chicago street, and the dining room has been doubled in size. Rates reasonable. A. P. Foster, Proprietor.

BURNETT HOUSE, Toledo, Ohio. This house has been newly furnished and refitted, with every convenience and modern improvements, and is a first-class house for the travelling public. Rates reasonable and grade as regards the persons occupied.

RICE'S
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How the Tender Feelings of a Bright Young Man Were Trampled Upon By a Designing Young Woman.

The Auditor of State, hearing some one enter the room, looked up and beheld a man who looked as though he and melancholy had long been companions.

"Good morning," said the Auditor.

"Only tolerable."

He sat down and had, during a half hour, maintained an unbroken silence, when the Auditor said:

"Have you any business with me?"

"Not in particular."

Again he settled down into deep silence. The Auditor became impatient.

"What can I do for you?"

"Hah!"

"What cand do for you?" repeated the Auditor.

"Well, if you were in my place what would you do?"

"I don't know, I am sure."

"Haven't heard anything about me, then?"

"Nothing."

"Not a blamed word?"

"Not a word."

"Well, I'll tell you. I live out about twenty miles from here. I'm the feller that killed the big rattlesnake. Now, you have heard of me, haven't you?"

"No."

"Not a blamed word?"

"Not a word."

"That's strange. Well, some time ago I fell in love with Nat Pearson's daughter. You've heard of that, I reckon?"

"No."

"Not a blamed word?"

"Not a word."

"Well, Nat he wan't agin the affair."

"Wasn't eh?" said the Auditor, becoming amused.

"No. When I asked him he 'lowed that he didn't care, jes' so I wanted till he got through plantin' corn, for Sook—that's her name—can k'yer more corn with a hoe than any man in the neighborhood. I hadn't said anything to the girl all this time, thinkin' that I would wait. Well, when I spoke to her about it she 'lowed that it suited her well enough. Concluded to git married in town by a Justice of the Peace, so this mornin' we sot out an' come to town. I got my license an' bought her a lot of apples an' gatin' truck an' sweet stuff. I left her at the 'Squire's office while I went to the wagon yard after our horses, intendin' that as soon as we was married we would ride. Well, sir, when I came back she had dun married like Jacobs. You know him, don't you?"

"No."

"You've heard of him, haven't you?"

"No, never heard of him."

"Not a blamed word?"

"Not a word."

"Well, he is a little bit the ugliest an' good for nuthin' man I ever seed. The State of Arkansaw can't show up such another feller. Why, sir, he let Darb Andrews fling him down. You've hearn o' Darb?"

"No."

"Not a blamed word."

"Not a word?"

"Well now, if you was in my place what would you do?"

"I wouldn't do anything."

"Not a blamed thing?"

"No."

"I tell you, cap'n. It wan't so much that I love the girl, but that I need her."

"Need her, eh?"

"Yes. I've got ten acres of new ground that I want to put in corn. It is so rough that it can't be kivered 'cept with a hoe. That gal can k'yer it in three days. It's awful to be disappointed so early in life. Well, don't say anything about it."

"I won't."

"Not a blamed word?"

"Not a word."

"Well, good-bye. Grief has tuck possession of me."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

The Turpitude of Church Choirs.

In no sphere of human effort is greater progress shown than in the pulpit. But, as we bear witness to the fact, a dull pang of regret abates our joy in contemplating the peccant of humors of church choirs.

The pews feel many a qualm of conscience under the fire of the pulpit. Sin cannot perk itself shame-faced on the cushion of repose in the highest seat in the synagogue. But who ever knew a church choir to cry peccavi? The theological sword thrusts at sinners in the pews and the a row of eloquence that fly over their heads never hit the choiristers. They tickle themselves with the straws of conceit. They wear an invisible coat of mail, and, under a barricade of hymn-books, eat sugar plums and crack jokes as if each in turn had slipped on the ring of Gyges. The man with bulging eyes and a bald head, who plays a fantasy on "Rock of Ages" on the cornet, fears no moral castigation from the pulpit for flirting with the soprano. He holds it at disadvantage. In mockery of the preacher's meek stare of reproof, he causes the diamond on his little finger to twinkle in his eyes, as if it had caught a ray of celestial light while triple-tonguing the last cadenza with an air of "sarcastico-benigant superiority." He knows it is not the sermon that draws, but the cornet.

While the organist is holding a suspicious *tete-a-tete* behind a sheet of music with a choir girl, who meets him half way with a fan of peacock-feathers, the tenor surreptitously writes a note on the fly-leaf of a hymn-book and pokes it in the contralto's muff. The moral torpor of the the basso, who sits with folded legs reading a Sunday newspaper, is a contemptuous comment on the evangelizing power of the pulpit. Then the second tenor is convulsed with a fit of laughter in watching a fly tickle the bald pate of a deacon below. It seems as if the Evil One had been metamorphosed into an insect, and was making a rival pulpit of the bare patch on the deacon's crown.

Usage has so consecrated the levities of church choirs, that missionaries must ever regard them as sterile fields for labor.

H. V. S.

WAGONS AND ROADS.

Questions That Are Worthy of Careful Consideration by Farmers.

Questions connected with the draft of wagons and the resistance of muddy roads, are worthy of careful examination by the farmer who draws hundreds of tons of farm products to market annually, or an equal amount of manure over his land. The retarding influence of soft earth and mud on vehicles, when compared with the ease with which they are drawn on a hard smooth surface, is often much greater than those who merely drive and ride imagine. The resistance may be measured with considerable accuracy in the following manner: Place a loaded wagon on a hard, smooth road which has just enough descent for it to run down of its own weight. Ascertain with a level what this descent is. Suppose for example that it is only one foot in thirty; this will show that the friction or resistance of the surface of the road is only one-thirtieth of the weight; and if the loaded wagon weighs a ton, a force equal to one-thirtieth of a ton, or sixty-seven pounds, would be sufficient to move it on a level road of equal smoothness. Now apply this same reasoning to a deep muddy road-bed, where the wagon will not move unless the road has a descent of one foot in five. A force equal to one-fifth of a ton, or four hundred pounds, would be required to move it on a level road as muddy, or six times as much as on the smooth and hard surface. One horse on the good road would therefore draw as heavy a load as six horses on the muddy one.

The dynamometer gives rather more accurate results. Experiments have been made with this instrument, furnishing the following measurements of forces:

On a new gravel road, not yet hardened by use, a force equal to one-eighth of the weight of the wagon had to be applied to draw it. On the best hard earth road, one-twenty-fifth was found sufficient. On the best broken stone road, one-sixtieth; while on a railroad, a force of one ton would draw two hundred and eighty tons.

The resistance on rough roads was slightly diminished by steel springs on the wagon, at the same time that comfort to the horse and driver was increased, as well as safety to the harness and wagon. The firmness given to a road of broken stone by means of a solid paved foundation, was found to lessen the resistance about one-third.

The width of wagon wheels involves some questions which should be well understood. Wheels with broad tires on a farm wagon would pass over a cloddy surface and not sink into it, and would press the surface of pastures and new meadows without cutting it. Narrow wheels would not only cut and spoil the surface, but require a greater force of draught. The mud or soft earth would close on both sides of the rim, and load the wheels. Broad wheels are most useful on tracts of broken stone and gravel, rendering them smooth, hard and compact. Prof. Sanborn, of the Missouri Agricultural College, has made some tests by means of the dynamometer, with tire an inch and a half wide compared with a width of three inches. The wagon to which these different widths was attached was drawn over turf, and while the wide tire required a draught of only 310 pounds, the narrow tire with the same load could not be moved without a force of 439 pounds. The team which could draw a ton on the narrow wheels would move a ton and a half on the wide ones, the surface being of the character of turf. Professor Sanborn also ascertained that on a hard level road the same team would draw four times as much as over a soft wet road.

But these different results vary much with various conditions. If, for instance, there is an inch of soft mud on a hard surface beneath, the narrow tire would cut more easily through the mud than the wide one, as both would reach the hard surface, and the wide wheel would have to displace twice as much of the mud. All these and other conditions must be observed in practice.

If the great loss which is yearly sustained by those who have to drive ten or twenty miles daily, or three to six thousand miles annually, over bad roads, were more distinctly understood by the public generally, a greater interest would undoubtedly be felt in the importance of improving public and private roads as eminently a matter of economy.—*Country Gentleman.*

PLAIN DRESSES.

The Era of Simplicity in Dress Not Yet Come, but Coming.

One evidence of the return to simple styles is that salesmen suggest sixteen yards of plain silk for a dress, instead of twenty, as they did last spring. This smaller quantity can be used because there are fewer flounces and pleatings, and these are more scant than formerly, as many flounces are gathered and bias, and pleatings are not deeply lapped. The dress, however, which has no flounces or pleats except the depassant (or box-pleated frill at the foot of the false skirt) is the most economical dress and also the lightest weight for summer wear. Imagine this dress made of beige, bison cloth, mohair, striped wool or any other fabric sold at the popular prices of sixty-five or seventy-five cents a yard! The false skirt can be of alpaca of the same color with a depassant three inches wide at the foot. The wool goods, crinoline lined and set on this lining quite plain, may extend higher on the sides or in front, or wherever the drapery is caught up highest. The apron has curved wrinkles from the right side down and falls in folds on the left. The back has the pleated pointed over-skirt already noted. The basque, of the simplest shape, must be given an air of style by a high officer's collar covered with velvet or with rows of braid, and the cuffs should match; then a vest of the same trimming only two inches wide should be set down the front, between two rows of buttons and button-holes. If a polonaise suit is preferred, the skirt may be quite plain, and the polonaise have short curved paniers in front with long full breadths that cover the entire back.—*Harper's Bazar.*

ANIMAL LANGUAGE.

The Power of Communication Between Animals a Cultivable Power.

This subject of animal language interests me more and more, for I find it is not merely a power they have, but a very cultivable power. If you will talk with the creatures in your barn-yard, they soon get not only to understand your general meaning, but to reply with modifications of sound that are meant for you in particular. One or two hens in a flock will show particular aptitude in telling you what they think. Some horses have, or can have, an octave of sounds and express very nice gradations of dislike and pleasure, even up to very defined laughter. Other animals laugh, notably birds, with articulate sounds. Some years since I owned a horse, with which I undertook to drive to a neighboring town over the hills in winter. A spot of hidden ice suddenly tripped her, and for a time it was impossible for her to get up. But by efforts that entirely exhausted me I finally got her on foot again. She never forgot it. But my approach to the stable was invariably welcomed by cordial neighs, and that not sufficing, she would put her head affectionately on my shoulder or under my arm. On another occasion a pet Morgan called me, while I was engaged fifty rods from the barn, with loud and persistent calls that I instantly understood meant trouble. Going hastily to the stables, I found the cows had broken down a door and were having a big frolic where they were capable of doing mischief. As soon as I approached the horse gave a satisfied whinny, followed by a long sigh of relief, and went to eating quietly.

But for real vocalization the fowls surpass both animals and birds. I have had one rooster that had a remarkable power of laughing. No one could possibly hear him without doing as he would when Gough laughs—laugh with him. Now, a dog has a diffused laugh all over, but especially concentrates a chuckle in his tail. The dog's tail is the most cultured tail among animals. It not only laughs, but it talks. The tail of a cow has no more sense than an ox-gad, and a horse's tail is not much wiser. They even lash flies in a loose way that shows they don't know, except in a general way, where the fly is.

The rooster's tail belongs to the ornamental class. The gobbler manages to make himself very ridiculous with his. But I shall write an essay on tails some day. The point now is that my rooster didn't laugh with his tail, but with his throat. He invariably met me as I approached the barn, and, calling his hens, marched ahead of all to the feeding place, with a chuckle that would break out into occasional downright ripples of laughter that set every one who heard him into doing the same thing. So off we marched as jolly as a crew of college boys on the way to a class supper. Laughter is catching, and I always found myself hilarious at chore time as long as Dan was alive. Dan was a Leghorn and Hamburg cross, but his flock was mostly Brahma, and most unsuitable for mothers. It became necessary, when I wished to set eggs, to borrow a smaller hen of a neighbor. Among those that were kindly loaned for this purpose was one little black topknot of no special breed; one of those independent creatures that care little for ancestry and haven't any very settled ways. She was just a spry, honest, bright little Biddy. She understood setting to a dot, got off at the right time; went back in season; turned over her eggs; stepped carefully among them; never got excited, and was all in all a commendable bird. Now a Plymouth Rock always wants to set, but knows no more about it than my brother John, who was caught brooding a nest in a corner of the mow on a time. Neither does a Brahma understand it. She is too fat, and her blubber rolls the eggs in and breaks them; and when she gets tired she sits flat down, seven pounds avoirdupois, on the brittle shells and gets up every day with a week-old chicken sticking to her feathers. A Leghorn has no patience; will sit for a couple of weeks and then quit. If you want a model mother, get a brown game or one of my black topknots.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

SUMMER HOMES.

Pleasant and Pretty Fashions for Summer Resorts.

Umbrella stands are useful, but every one knows that if umbrellas are kept in them long they get very dusty, even with great care. A nice case for this use in a sea-side or summer cottage anywhere is made of crash or linen, or any wash material. They can be made to hold one or two umbrellas and are shaped like a dagger, the outer piece is cut rather larger and is not so long at the top as under the side. The upper piece is embroidered in outline-stitch with crewels—an umbrella, or a long slender spray of flowers make a pretty finish, or if preferred some comic design, a chimney-sweep appearing from the top of a chimney with his brushes. Another very sensible design for country use, for lounge or hammock, is a sofa pillow covered with brown linen, merely a brown linen pillow-case, a bunch of red poppies worked in crewels on one side, and tied around the top with a broad red ribbon, making one of the bag pillows so fashionable at present. This of course can be laundered when soiled. A nice shoe bag is made of chintz or cretonne, about three-fourths of a yard long and a little less than half a yard wide, two rows of cretonne as wide as desired are then tacked on this foundation, in four box-plaits each, between each plait is stitched a stripe of red or blue worsted braid and the whole is bound with the same. These may be tacked on closet or wardrobe doors, and are found very convenient when one is limited for closet room. Many ladies who board in summer carry all these conveniences with them—not only for their usefulness but they give a home-like look to the usually rather bare rooms of the ordinary country hotel or boarding-house. Something pretty and appropriate for a napkin for a fish platter is three fishes in outline-stitch in red crewel, outside, or rather over these, in fine twine-colored crewel is netted a miniature seine.—*Demorest's Monthly.*

Men Think
they know all about Mustang Liniment. Few do. Not to know is not to have.

ESTATE OF ANN BIDDLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred Lewis, administrator of said estate with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that no estate remains in his hands except real estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF PETER S. WALDRON

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 20th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jane Waldron, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 20th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE.
may21 Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 18th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 18th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE.
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated April 30, 1885.

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L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	3 38 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	4 05 "
Petersburg	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	11 25 "	8 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116 Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Petersburg	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	5 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Butler	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 20	9 00	3 15	
Ayrdon	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 27	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cone	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 45	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Cone	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Ayrdon		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 14	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Solid Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	
5 45	10 10	A	...Toledo...	L 5 10	11 10	
6 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
6 04	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 00	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 22	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P.M.
9 00	1 25		Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
9 02	1 27		Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
9 07	1 44		Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
9 20	2 17		Ceresco	1 00	6 50	7 21
9 40	2 35		A. Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 08
P.M.	2 56		Augusta	12 22	A.M.	6 43
	3 04		Yorkville	12 15		6 35
	3 10		Richland	12 09		6 29
	3 28		Doster	11 52		6 12
	3 45		Monteith	11 35		5 55
	3 53		Fisk	11 27		5 47
	3 59		Kellogg	11 21		5 37
	4 10		A. Allegan L	11 10		5 25
	5 18		Holland	10 10		3 00
	6 10		Grand Rapids	9 15		
	6 15		Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
	6 25		Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
	6 55		Muskegon	8 15		1 20
	9 50		Pentwater	5 50		P.M.
	P.M.	A		L	A.M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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DANDY HOTEL GUESTS.

A Veteran Clerk Tells of a Few Encounters he Has Had.

"Who was the most admirable guest I ever came across in my career behind hotel counters?" asked George Fuller, clerk of the Russell House, replying to a question.

"Yes, that's about it."

"Well," said the clerk, "I have in the course of my experience, met several rather noted traveling men. Now, when I was day clerk of the Hamehameha House in Honolulu——"

"Here, come off on that."

"Do you want to hear my story or not, young fellow?"

"Yes, of course."

"Well, then, don't make any unnecessary comments. Now, to proceed. When I was clerk of the house there arrived a very high-toned Kanaka from Waui in the Hawaii Island. He came over in a little boat. He wore a plug, and nothing else to speak of except some highly-interesting flesh-tint illustrations. He engrossed his name on the register. I gave him a check for his grip, took his overcoat—you see they have no bell boys in the hotels of Hawaii."

"Ain't you getting a little tangled up?"

"I should curl my mustache that I wasn't. We ought to have had bell boys, but we didn't."

"I didn't mean that. I simply desired to intimate that saying the fellow was naked and had an overcoat in the same breath is rather suggestive of inconsistency."

"Well, are you telling this story?"

"No, but—"

"Very well, then, you keep still and take a reef in your jaw, while I proceed. He asked: 'What's the price of your finest room, first floor, front, with bath?' I told him, and I gave him a figure high enough to buy the ransom of Kalakua. He planked down two weeks' pay at this figure all in crisp, brand new United States greenbacks—"

"New greenbacks in the Sandwich Islands? Now, George—"

"Shut up! You're listening. *I'm* telling the story. I was a little paralyzed already, but when he asked for the 'worst room in the house' I was simply killed dead. The fellow said, 'I know I'll get it, anyway, so I asked for it. You can charge the figure you have specified, however.' He flew very high while while he stayed. We fondled him too, you bet, for he was altogether the flushest guest we had had in months. But when he left—it makes me kick myself yet to even think of it—we discovered that the money he had paid was counterfeit!"

"He was a good deal of a dandy, wasn't he?"

"Quite, but he couldn't compare with a lady boarder that I had with me when I clerked in the Alexandrovitch Kotzebue House in Sitka in 1864—that was before America invested in Alaska. She drove up one afternoon in a phaeton drawn by four white horses—"

"Here, here. I can't stand everything!"

"Well, it's for you to hear—you're right. But quit your chinning and listen. She alighted rather grandly and greeted me smilingly. She ordered the whole first floor assigned to her and I consulted the propretor, and we laid ourselves out to accommodate our distinguished guest. She said she was the Countess Rolcaczy, whose husband had been appointed by the Imperial Government Governor of Russian-America. He would arrive by the next Pacific steamer from Petropaulovski, Kamschatka, where he was located. The commandant at Sitka gave in his allegiance all right and for a time the Countess reigned in great shape. Everything went swimmingly until she began to get large advances on credit from all the Sitka banks—"

"Banks? This is too much."

"Will you quit interrupting? We thought it was a little queer that she did not offer to pay us some portion of her very large hotel bill. One night the Countess disappeared, and she left a great deal ahead of Sitka. I was discharged next week for not having detected her as a fraud at first sight."

"Who was she?"

"A milliner—named Smith—from San Francisco."

"But these cases are of rank swindlers. I can't see that they were admirable guests. I mean guests that delighted your soul."

"When I leased the Hotel de l'Empereur Napoleon on St. Helena, I gave a Brazilian nobleman an inside room, four floors up near the kitchen, and he never kicked. He was a darling. Then again when I kept the 'End of the World' at Cape Horn, my only guests were Argentine and Chilian, Generals who were 'holding' Terra del Fuego for their respective powers. Grub got a little short. You know Port Famine is in that region, and we had to feed the boys once in awhile on soup made from able-bodied Fuegians. The Generals entered no protest. When I clerked in the 'Geyser' at the base of Mt. Hecla in Iceland—"

"That settles it. You yank the belt away from Ananias in the greatest kind of shape."

And the clerk's victim made his escape, with something about the "Grand Llama's Delight" at Lassa in Thibet and the virtues of a Buddhist priest who stopped there ringing in his ears as a parting shot.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—John C. Pillisbury, ex-Warden of the New Hampshire State Prison, who died on Wednesday at the age of eighty-three, belonged to a most remarkable family of prison officials, his father, two brothers, two sons and a brother-in-law having served as Wardens of State Prisons. His father was the first Warden of the New Hampshire Prison, and his brother-in-law, Walker, was killed by a prisoner while Warden of the prison at Charlestown, Mass.—*Boston Journal.*

—There is under contemplation the permanent establishment of an "optical telegraph" between the islands of Mauritius and Reunion, in the Indian Ocean. Heliographic signals will be exchanged between two mountains, belonging respectively to the islands in question.

TREE PLANTING.

A Subject That Can Not Be Too Often Dwelt Upon.

Much as has been said and written of late about the planting of trees and the restoration of woods and forests, it has not been too much, nor indeed quite enough. It is a subject that grows with thinking and discussing it. The chief trouble is that it has been neglected. Up to the present generation's coming upon the stage, the work with trees and forests has been one of destruction; the object has been to get rid of them and make room for open cultivation. And as it is always a much more contagious business to destroy than to build up, the work of destruction has proceeded at a greatly faster pace than is likely to be the case with the work of reconstruction. To recover the losses by damage which threaten us on every side, the time must needs be sharply improved at first and the plans must be pursued with all the concentration of energy possible. There is not only a great deal to be done, but from necessity a great deal of it must be done all together. This fact, however, is not one to cause discouragement. We may rather accept it as a fortunate stimulus to action which is to make final recovery more easy and rapid.

There is not a farmer within reach of a written or spoken view of this subject who can not be made to see, if at all inclined, what a practical benefit and increased value the planting of trees is to impart to his acres. The result is sure to show more and more with every year. He thus succeeds in securing a reliable supply for his springs and their feeding capacity for his family and stock. Additional moisture is retained in lands now inclined to suffer from drought. He gets inviting areas of shade for cattle and sheep, and thereby increased their comfort, health and value. The sharp north winds are sifted through his plantations in winter, and are sprinkled and sprayed over the pastures and meadows and orchards they shelter, instead of pouring directly over them in almost icy torrents and threatening the tender roots of grass and the shellac-coated fruit buds on the trees with sharp and shriveling destruction. To crown all, a farm and a homestead are made picturesque, inviting and beautiful in the eyes of its occupant and cultivator as well as in the eyes of others, and consequently possesses an increased marketable value, when ornamented with useful plantations and set off with trees, which are the glory of known vegetable growths.—*Massachusetts Ploughman.*

THE NEW BULL.

How the Addition to the Farmer's Herd Should Be Treated.

At this time when many of our readers attending the various cattle sales, may become the purchaser of young bulls, a word of caution in regard to their treatment may not come amiss, especially to those whose experience in handling bulls may be limited. It should not be forgotten in estimating the importance of this subject that if you make a wrong start with your newly acquired bull, his usefulness to you will not only be seriously impaired, but you may obliged to part with him altogether at a serious loss. An unmanageable bull is a most undesirable possession, and many a young bull is made so by mistaking playfulness, or nervousness as the case may be, for vice or temper. The effect of traveling on the young animal that has never been off his native soil, must be considered, and when, as is often the case, he has been obliged to travel by cars to the place of sale, where he is kept some time amid strange surroundings, and is then excited by the sale itself, the ring surrounded by strange faces into which he often has to be driven with more or less roughness, according to the disposition and temper of his attendant, and finally takes another unaccustomed journey by steam cars to his new home, some allowance must be made for undue nervousness and excitement. If he is not already rung, as he probably will have been if old enough, before the sale, let that operation be performed as early as may be, the control thus afforded being a great assistance in handling him judiciously. Do not put him into solitary confinement, but fasten him securely in the stable or barn where he will see other cattle, and frequently be the recipient of a friendly patting and soothing words. Do not let him be approached by too many strangers, but put him as much as possible in charge of one person, preferably, of course, that one who, it is intended, shall have the chief care of him in the future; let this person bring him his food and exercise him, and in every way possible get him used to his new surroundings. Let misbehavior be promptly punished, but never continue his punishment when he ceases his misbehavior. Grooming with a stiff brush has been recommended as a sure way to the bull's favor.—*National Live Stock Journal.*

—The gypsies are averse to alliances outside of their own race, and when one of their young women married the Englishman Isaac Jowles, who afterward was known as king of the gypsies, her two daughters, very beautiful girls, refused to be married except to gypsy men. Their children were in every respect like gypsies; the introduction of alien blood seemed to have no appreciable effect.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—When a lady condescends to a practical joke it generally is a very neat one. M. Boncourt, the rich financier, was very stingy to his wife in the matter of pin money. One day a lady, closely veiled and very anxious not to be recognized, called upon him and borrowed a large sum, leaving her diamonds as a pledge. It was his wife.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—Stiff cuffs: If you do not want shirt cuffs to blister and wrinkle when buttoned do not make the first, or boiled starch, too stiff and rub it in well. Of course you know that they should always be dipped in cold starch, i. e. clear starch mixed thin with cold water before ironing.—*Boston Budget.*

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For years Mr. Jas. R. Ackley, of 163 West Fayette street, Baltimore, had suffered with neuralgia so that he could hardly sleep. But he writes, "One night I was suffering very much and the thought struck me that Brown's Iron Bitters would do me some good, and perhaps cure me. It was a happy thought, and to my great joy it has entirely cured me after using two bottles. After three months I have have had no return of the symptoms. I cheerfully recommend it as the best tonic I have ever used." Neuralgia suffers, take the hint!

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo.....Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor.Ar	8 55	4 18	7 08	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville.Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 10AM
Norwalk.....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 25
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston.....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville.....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville.....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 52	7 00
Massillion....Ar	1 30	9 00	2 27	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 35	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.			
Marrietta....Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM			
Marksburg	7 20	3 50			
Cambridge	9 15	5 58			
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03			
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55			No. 38
Sheroddsville					5 45AM
New Cumberl'd					6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.		6 45
Massillion	12 35	9 10	8 20AM		8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00		10 15
Creston.....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32		11 15AM
Creston.....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32		
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20		No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 26		7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30		7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45		8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00		8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17PM		8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42		9 00
Toledo.....Ar	5 45AM		1 35PM		10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar...Huron...Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	.Fries Landing.	53	2 39
11 20	6 15	....Milan.....	07	2 50
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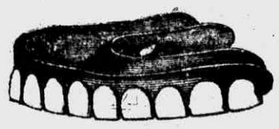
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efforts for his own advantage. If wages are kept up so as to take away the profits of industry, manufactures will cease to be carried on and instead of receiving greater wages, many workingmen would no doubt be thrown out of employment altogether. A third argument adduced in favor of this law is that by increasing the wealth of laborers they will be enabled to purchase more goods and an impulse will thus be given to industry. This argument looks at only one side of the matter. To the employer the increase in business would be counterbalanced by increase of cost in carrying on the production and to the laborer the increase in wages would be more than counterbalanced by the increased cost of living. For a rise in wages would quickly bring about a rise in prices of other things.

Let us now consider some direct arguments against such laws. It is not within the proper bounds of governmental power to fix wages or determine the number of hours which shall constitute a day's work. Each of these should be determined by those directly concerned, the employer and the laborer. It is usually conceded that a person should know more about his own business than about an other's, and this also holds true with the government for its paternal power yet has been able to deal successfully with private affairs. In the reign of Henry VII., the English Parliament passed a law determining the limits of wages but it was soon found that wages were governed by a law more potent than any which Parliament could frame—the law of supply and demand. The labor market, if left open to competition, pays a premium upon extraordinary skill and thus offers inducements for laborers to improve their abilities but if government interferes, these motives would be taken away and the tendency would be for skilled labor to decrease. If a laboring man wishes to work ten hours a day is it a just law which forbids his working more than eight? On the other hand, if a capitalist can hire a certain piece of work done for one dollar, is it a just law which compels him to pay more? Any legislation which has for its object the bolstering up of one person, or class of persons at the expense of an other, is contrary to the genius of our institutions, the fundamental principle of which is that no man shall obtain by law any advantage in the race of life on account of birth, rank of occupation, or any fictitious privilege of any kind whatever. On the other hand the hindrances and stumbling blocks which come from circumstances of family or occupation are removed as far as the law can remove them. Where is the man who questions this relation of the individual to society. And why, we ask, was this principle made the corner stone of our system? Because it was believed that in this way society makes the most of its members. Some men have more in them than others, but who knows which is which until they have proven it? We believe that the best way for each to develop himself and improve his individual condition is for society to place them all on their feet and then let each run for himself. It has been truly said that whatever is done for men or classes, to a certain extent, takes away the stimulus and necessity of doing for themselves. The inevitable tendency of such a course is to make them comparatively helpless. They must of necessity lose some of their self respect when they voluntarily admit that they are not capable of managing their own affairs. Must we conclude then that the government can do nothing to improve the condition of the laborer? Certainly not. Indirectly the laborer may be benefitted in many ways. Of all the legislation which may justly be carried out with a view to the benefit of the laboring man undoubtedly, that legislation is the most potent for good which gives to him the advantages of an education. Well has it been said that the future welfare, nay more, the very existence of this nation depends upon the education of her citizens. The part of the government in this regard has been well carried out; school houses are scattered everywhere throughout the land and their doors are open to all alike. There are also public libraries full of instructive books and free to all. The government can and does furnish means for advancement but the individual must build up his own character and it depends upon his own will and energy what that character shall be. He must take advantage of the opportunities offered to educate himself, and above all he must learn to rely upon himself and to understand that his advancement can only be effected by means of individual action, economy, and self-denial, by better habits rather than by greater rights.

Defense of Xanthippe.

BY MABEL HAYDEN.

"My brother Cimeon used to say," said Elpinice, "new times are evil times, the world goes on in its course and ambitious men urge it forward." But we women are here too. Give heed Telsippe and let what I say to you be enough for to-day, if we women hold together and cling to the wheels, they wont succeed speedily in turning this earth completely out of the old grooves."

I have not come this evening to bury Xanthippe, but to praise her. As Marc Anthony says, "the evil men do lives after them, the good is too oft interred with their bones," but let us not have it so with Xanthippe. The learned Socrates thought her very peevish, and perhaps he ought to have known; still under leave of Socrates and the rest, have I come to speak in Xanthippe's behalf. You all know Xanthippe was the wife of that philosopher and moralist Socrates, but all that is recorded of her is that she was the daughter of an undistinguished pleblian, and considered a regular conjugal scold; but to night I will try to prove if she was fretful and irritable she had ample cause. It may be well to give a brief sketch of the life in Athens, at this time, about 436 B. C. This city reached its highest excellence, agricultural and mechanical, under the sway of Pericles, who was ruler during the career of Socrates. The people were divided into two classes, freemen and slaves. In Sparta the latter performed all mechanical, agricultural, and menial labor, the former devoted their time to war and politics. But in Athens they engaged in agriculture as well. And what were the arrangements? Ordinarily, the men found pleasure conversing, or in listening to orators, attending the disputations of philosophers in the market places, walking in the public gardens, and taking part in processions and festivities in honor of the Grecian gods. But the women were seldom allowed to participate in these pleasures, and never unattended. So, doubtless, at such times Xanthippe was alone, and spinning, for like other Grecian ladies she was not allowed to meet strangers, and was kept in a remote part of the house, baking bread, weaving, and superintending the household affairs. Indeed, they were not supreme even in their own households, for the husbands carried the keys, and did the marketing. In war-times the men might have been seen bargaining for butter and eggs, and bringing meat or vegetables home in their brazen helmets. The education of the youth was of great importance but the Grecian maiden was taught little or nothing. In the sciences the Romans surpassed the Greeks, but this latter were far superior in the fine arts. Here mythology, formed on imagination, was a beautiful, though in some respects, a fearful dream. In it, allegory and true history were combined, and though founded neither upon reason, nor revelation, yet it shadowed forth sublime truths in dark, mysterious images. It must be admitted however, in the divinities of this people the physical was much more prominent than the moral, and it seems impossible that sages, moralists, and persons of cultured intellect who lived in Greece, could have had faith in such a mythology, and furthermore it is known that Socrates and a few others of the wisest men of antiquity rejected the popular belief, and observing the unity of design, apparent in all the works of nature, concluded the whole universe to have been created by one omnipotent. Socrates, the husband of my defendant, and the son of Sophroniscus, for some time followed the occupation of his father who was a sculptor; but being such a seeker after knowledge, philosophy became his study, and his chief theory was, "the greatest study of mankind is man." Some writer has said of him, "He brought down Philosophy from the clouds and made her converse with man. He was employed in investigating the nature of good and evil, happiness and misery. He was always in a labyrinth of feelings from which he could find no exit, and in which he was constantly being brought to the same starting point. Always rambling on starry nights, thinking, watching, seeking knowledge, in vain; and if he ever found truth he always rejected it. Because of this continual questioning we might think of him as a huge, ungainly interrogation point, for physically, he was very ugly, with thick lips, a flat nose, prominent eyes, bald pate and loose gait. When once reminded he was a Greek, Socrates replied—"A Greek? Am I not too ugly to be a Greek? My snub nose does not belong to the pure lineaments of my race. I shall make necessity a virtue, and seek a life compatible with uglyness." His constitution was robust and wonderfully enduring. In the winter he would wear scanty clothing, even going about bare footed. Yes, that is true! Xanthippe would have fewer stockings to darn in consequence. Socrates contracted his wants to the least degree possible, nearly starving himself and his wife, ever saying, "To want nothing, belongs to the gods. To want little, is a near approach to divine nature." Although his early life was humble, he became one of the best known men in Athens. 1st. Because he made oral instruction his business, teaching without fee or reward. 2d. He taught not merely to impart knowledge, but also to gain for himself clearer ideas. He was discontented, sarcastic, meditative, and under the impression that he was entrusted with a divine mission. A friend of his, on being told the "questioner" had chosen a "partner for life," exclaimed, "Socrates married! He sought truth, but found a wife!" Perhaps that is no uncommon occurrence now-a days. When Socrates was asked about his wife's disposition, he answered, "Oh! Yes! She is a great scold, but that is what I need for self-dicipline," therefore, with woman's keen perception, Xanthippe adapted her temper to his needs as any loving wife does what her judgment dictates for her husband's good, administering the domestic lumps of sugar, or doses of vinegar, each in its proper time. Shortly after the young couple had commenced housekeeping several friends of the sage were about to pay him a visit. Naturally, Xanthippe worried about the cooking, and that she could not suitably entertain. The company had come and gone, and all things had run smoothly, till one of the guests, the youthful Alcibiades, for the sole purpose of annoying her, sent her a heavy cake. Xanthippe appreciated the insult, but Socrates showed what indifference he paid the delicacy of his wife's sensibilities by simply asking, "What of it?" His absent-mindedness was another trait to irritate one. He would frequently be asked to do some trivial errand, and would forget everytime, for what he had been sent, bringing home to Xanthippe leeks if she sent for lamp wicks. It is said, when he was a stone cutter, he would steadily carve away at his marble for half a day, then dropping his tools would sit for an hour idly staring into space. Quite likely, some such fit would overtake him while carving a roast, and think how exasperating it would be for poor Xanthippe to have to sit patiently waiting for him to recover his senses sufficiently to serve her before everything grew cold. Often Socrates would stop at the house of a friend and find it in confusion, no fires, the supper cold, the children cross, and the room in disorder; but it was all right, everything perfectly comfortable, no apologies necessary. Upon his return home where his poor wife has been toiling from morning till night, he cannot see why his house is ever out of order, the children fretting, and everywhere such discomfort. Here no apologies are accepted. Socrates could not look upon the sunny side of the clouds at home. The house in which Xanthippe dwelt was very inferior, built of unbaked bricks and exceedingly rough in structure. The barn was directly in front, and pigs were ever rooting about the front door, though hens being her pets, were allowed the freedom of the house. Socrates would spend but little of his time at home, and was always out late evenings, leaving his wife to worry and wonder as to his whereabouts. Is it strange that an angry wife would frequently greet him at the threshold with, "Now, really! Socrates, it is quite too bad! I have had so much to put up with, and you must stay away all the evening, of course, leaving me to care for everything. The children have been unusually saucy and up to all sorts of mischief. Our youngest tore his clothes this morning in climbing the bay tree, so I had to put him to bed in order to mend them. I found the moths had eaten holes in my best woolen tunic, and the hens had pecked much of the yarn on the looms. It is a provoking shame that you loiter about the market-place the livelong day, instead of remaining at home to talk to me occasionally." He would turn her off with some question as, "What is love? Tell me, wife, what is the nature of that state of feelings we call love?" She would reply, "What is love, indeed! I think you would display a little more real affection by helping me discipline the children, instead of setting a bad example by your loafing and your negligence. You would be more loving if you provided better for your family." Then would Socrates say, "Xanthippe, the very best woman in this world is she who talks the least." You say if she would talk about things more interesting to himself her husband would be less indifferent to words her. She was unable to converse with him, for the Athenian ladies were uneducated, and given no freedom; they were not posted on everyday happenings in the outer world; they could not exert upon life and on the world a counter influence with the ennobling liberty of the feminine soul; woman's intellect was not allowed to exert upon the world an equal influence with man's. And men do not realize that the wife and mother conducts a restaurant, laundry, library, university and clothing store, and is health officer and justice of peace in her home. Suppose you had a husband so gloomy, careless, discontented, sarcastic, meditative, and undemonstrative. Suppose you had to be shut up indoors, plodding the daily routine with nothing to brighten life. Suppose your husband should come home with glowing descriptions of the charms and cooking of some Asphasia! Suppose when you are completely worn out, after a busy Saturday, or blue Monday, so tired you can't even get out of your own way, your husband should propound riddle after riddle, when you want to be left alone. Suppose you were not allowed to rule supreme at your own fireside. Suppose you had to hear quoted continually that long worn out maxim, "O woman, woman's fairest ornament is silence!" Would you not fret and scold, become jealous, tired and irritable? Perhaps these troubles when taken singly are trifling, but taking them as a whole they are overwhelming and Xanthippe's entire life was a long record of such miseries. To be sure if we were all cast in a heroic mold we should despise aggravations, so petty; but this world does not turn on heroic principles. It is useless to tell a weary housewife her trials are absurd. "Absurd?" Her own common sense has told her so, and that is why it is so aggravating. It is equally useless to remind these sufferers if they lived with a proper regard for the present and future they could bear these vexations with a calm proper philosophy, for these same philosophers are often strongly moved by disappointments in meals and in the weather, and for want of buttons, and Socrates, who pretended to despise little troubles, was quite apt to exaggerate them. But I will now leave the case in your hands, earnestly hoping, hereafter, Xanthippe may be less harshly judged, and that Socrates himself may share part of the blame heaped upon her.

Journalism.

BY WILL H. HAYDEN.

Journalism in the United States has been born and reared within the last two hundred years, but already it has gained an eminence unsurpassed by any modern invention. It is to-day the greatest agency for good or evil, and our journalists far more than our statesmen are the guides, if not the creators, of public opinion. This profession far more than any other has been the great promoter of civilization in the United States. Still this is not an American invention. We cannot claim the honor of having invented or of having done the first printing, or even of having published the first newspaper. But we can claim for our countrymen the honor of having made journalism what it now is, and of giving to it its present scope and influence. The first newspapers in the United States were published in the latter part of the 17th century. They contained nothing of interest, for there was but little occurring in the colonies at that time to interest the public. But notwithstanding the fact that they were perfectly harmless they were immediately suppressed by the officers of the crown, who regarded them as breeders of sedition. The first American newspaper that continued for any length of time was the Boston News Letter, the first issue of which appeared April 24, 1704. It was published by John Campbell and was a two-column sheet, 10x8 inches. This continued to be issued weekly until 1776, and was followed by the New England Courant, edited by Jas. Franklin. Franklin however soon incurred the displeasure of the English officials, and was informed that his editorial career had ended. But the paper immediately came out with Benjamin's name as editor, and thus it was continued. The tyrannical course of the government gradually alienated the colonists, and her power began to wane. The people began to clamor for a more republican form of government. Political questions were enthusiastically debated on both sides, and the newspapers were drawn into the controversy. Finally, on the breaking out of the Revolution, dawned a new era in the history of American journalism. The press threw off the chains by which it had been bound, and entered upon a career of independence, power and influence which it has ever since retained. It held before the minds of the people, already greatly excited, the dark side of kingcraft, and taught the broadest doctrines of republicanism. The chief organ of republicanism during the struggle for independence was the Boston Gazette. To its office flocked all the great revolutionary writers as by natural instinct. Its opponent was published in New York, and was very bitter in its attacks on the then so called rebels. But on the successful termination of the Revolution this paper had to close its doors, as did all others whose columns were devoted to the Tory cause. After the close of the war and during the exciting times which preceded the adoption of the Constitution, The Federalist, edited by Madison, Hamilton & Jay, rendered the most powerful influence. All the various advantages and objections to the Constitution were discussed in its columns. It urged the necessity of union among all classes, and by its influence more than anything else was brought about the adoption of the Constitution. From this time on, as our country entered upon its career of advancement and prosperity, unrivalled in the history of nations, with all that attends a great and prosperous career, journalism has kept an even pace. But it has been within the last fifty years that the press has undergone the greatest transformation and experienced the deepest inspiration of its whole history. During this time those journals, such as the New-York Evening Post, Sun, Tribune and Herald, were gradually gaining that prominence in the newspaper world which they now enjoy. During this period also began that host of local journals, springing up as it were all over the country, until to-day there is scarcely a village or hamlet that does not boast of one or more newspapers. By the census of 1880 we find that there are now published in the United States a total of 11,000 newspapers, with an annual circulation reaching into the billions. And thanks to the steam press and the electric telegraph, the readers of the great American journals are made familiar with the affairs of our own and foreign nations within twenty-four hours from their occurrence. Every mail brings to us the daily newspaper. It is hastily read and destroyed. How many ever thought of its influence for good or evil and its value to the people as a faithful chronicler of events. So rapid has been the growth of the press that its influence is probably but imperfectly understood even by those who have the most to do with it. The newspaper has gradually become the vehicle of the world's thoughts. It is no longer a simple record of events. It occupies itself with the thought and spirit of the times, the discoveries of science and the treasures of literature. In a government "of the people, by the people, and for the people" it is of the utmost importance that the masses be enlightened, in order that they may be competent to decide intelligently all questions submitted to their decision. And it is from the newspaper that we obtain the greater part of our knowledge of all the great issues of the day. From what other source can we look for such general knowledge as from the newspapers? One may go through college, become skilled in classics, mathematics and sciences, but what does he know of labor and capital, of the regulations of commerce, or the policy of government in general—questions that he will meet with in public life. Furthermore, a man of business cannot afford to spend any large part of his time in reading wordy accounts of events, or merely speculative articles on the great questions of the day, but he requires a clear, concise and truthful statement of facts. His own reason will assist him in judging the case. Of course everything in the newspapers is not to be taken as standard, for their aim however high is liable to be perverted. In this as in all professions are to be found unscrupulous and designing men, who do not hesitate to use their columns to advance their own selfish ends, while making professions of public virtue. Of course the editor will use his influence in the direction of his convictions, and thus he may render important service to the country by keeping the people informed of the policy of each party. So far the editor should receive the support of all, but when he forgets his place and devotes his columns to scurrilous attacks upon persons and measures, it is time he handed the keys of his office to the officers appointed to suppress all nuisances. But such journals soon forfeit their influence by their falsity for at heart men love the truth. Notwithstanding the low tone of many journals having a great circulation in our country to-day, we believe the moral and intellectual standard of the newspaper is gradually advancing. Every year it becomes more difficult to buy the influential newspaper. They are becoming to a great extent pecuniarily independent of their subscribers, and they no longer consider it their highest duty to conform strictly to the opinions of their readers. Their aim is to lead, rather than to be led. Every year brings more and more men of the highest intelligence to the field of journalism, and to this fact we think we must attribute the wonderful power and influence of the press. And with its power and influence have grown its responsibilities, as has been said—"That which began in the Royal Gazette simply to proclaim the edicts of the king, has in this country become the great record of the will and wish of the fifty millions of sovereigns who govern the land." "The press of America is its hope, its prophet and its guardian."

Cabals.

BY FRANK H. HALL.

During the latter part of the 17th century the English people were just recovering from the effects of a religious excitement, which in its intensity and severity had almost reached fanaticism. An always deep religious feeling, now strengthened by the follies of their king and a great concern in the affairs of government, troubled by their ruler's lack of executive ability, had led to a religious uprising, to the overthrow of the king's power, his execution, and the establishment of the government known as the Commonwealth of England. At the head of affairs, with the title of Lord Protector, was Oliver Cromwell, a man of iron will, trained in a rough school, having strong religious convictions, and but little respect for the belief of others. Associated with him were men of like character, actuated by the same motives and principles, and wholly under his control. These men believed that their religion called upon them to forsake all pleasure, to check the expression of their most natural feelings, and to look only upon the most serious side of life. Upon such principles as these the new government was founded and kept up for several years. The people were deprived of their amusements and sports, their inclinations and desires kept under severe restraint, and they obliged to live by the strictest rules and laws. The masses were content with this state of affairs for but a short time. Even under Cromwell's protectorate they began to murmur and complain of the narrowness of this view of life and when his strong hand relaxed in death they soon threw off their restraint, and gladly welcomed the returning son of their old king. Led by his example and influence the nation lapsed into a state of pleasure, thoughtless enjoyment and sensuality. The seriousness of the preceding decade disappeared as by magic, while there began a period in which thoughts of mere personal gratification displaced interest in good government and national prosperity. From these causes it happened that when Charles II collected as his advisers some of the worst men in the kingdom, the people were prepared to make little resistance. Charles was naturally a dissolute and thoughtless youth, and he carried the same characteristics with him when he assumed the crown. Caring but little for anything but his own enjoyment and the accomplishment of selfish desires and objects, he gathered what best suited these purposes. His chief advisers were Clifford, Ashley, Buckingham, Arlington and Lauderdale. The initials of their name spelled the word c-a-b-a-l, and their connection with the term gave it a significance which it still retains. At first these advisers pleased the people by advocating popular measures and by catering to their love of pleasure and enjoyment. Then, feeling that they had quieted opposition and that they would meet little resistance, they used their positions and influence for their own benefit and advancement. Thus they gained more and more power, controlling both government and people till their rule was almost complete. But at length, as they became bolder and more exacting, a change in sentiment took place. They were forced from their high positions, and lost their power. In the course of this Cabal we see the strength which is gained by concerted planning and acting, and the influence a few may exert upon many. In this case the influence was for the worse, and thus the word Cabal usually implies that those to whom it is applied are organized for a sinister purpose. In its original use the word had no such signification, but meant simply a confederation of men for the furtherance of a common interest. In its broad sense the term might well be applied to many organizations little thought of under that name. What are secret societies but Cabals? They are companies held together by a common interest and organized for the benefit of the few to the exclusion of the many. Companies of large numbers, it may be, and containing smaller rings and cliques, but they are Cabals. They may have, many of them do have, worthy objects, and are agencies for good in the world, while others may have evil objects and do great harm. Their influence will be for good or ill, as their object is noble or debasing, and the extent of that influence will depend upon the unanimity and heartiness with which the members enter the work. In any case the effect will be greater than if the same number of persons were working separately, for the mere fact of union gives strength and force. What powers for and against the Union during the late war were the Union League and the Golden Circle! With what singleness of purpose and intensity of zeal their partisans labored, and how solidly and truly the organizations stood by their purposes. Socially, the close union in societies has the effect of cementing very closely the relations between members, gives them an interest in each other, in their welfare and success, and forms them into brotherhoods, whose fraternal bonds and feelings are felt and respected through life. Other forms of union, approaching nearly to that of the secret society, are presented in the various clubs, leagues and similar organizations with which our cities and larger towns are filled. At present there is scarcely a trade or profession whose members are not united and regularly organized into a society which shall care for the best interests of its adherents. Many times however such organizations, led by the thought of the strength of numbers and inflamed by fiery and thoughtless leaders, take steps which retard rather than advance their cause. Such unadvisable proceedings are the violent methods taken by the strikes of the great labor organizations. In these a few are supported by and control the many, and thus while the leaders may seem to be acting in the interests of their followers, they are really doing injustice to many of them. But such power have these unions gained that those not members are placed at a disadvantage in the struggle for work and thus suffer wrong. This partial control of labor by organizations in a like manner works evil to capital without benefiting the laborers. Many other clubs and leagues are formed, but most of them are brought into existence by passing causes, and soon either accomplish their object or fail to do so and disappear, and such have comparatively small influence upon the general public. In the list might be classed those organizations which, like the various scientific, humanitarian and literary societies, have always exerted their influence for good, and usually in a wise and judicious manner, and have aided materially in the advancement of the human race, both in morals and knowledge. Too much cannot be said in praise of those noble men who as organizers and promoters of these societies have given their time and energies to the advancement of humanity. But there are other organizations which in their results, if not in their plans and methods, approach more nearly to the usually received idea of the Cabal. Among these are two which are frequently noticed by the press and by politicians, and are destined to become issues in the life of the country. Chief of these is the Monopoly, an association of men engaged in some business or branch of business, who unite that they may control that business and dictate the terms upon which it shall be pursued. In any occupation it is often found necessary for two or more persons to furnish capital toward starting or continuing some enterprise, and thus by partnership to combine individual interests. But in a Monopoly something more than this is implied. In the older nations Monopolies were creations of the state — received their power from their rulers and held it during continuance of public favor. Sometimes as a reward, more often for a consideration either of service or of money, the exclusive right to deal in some article was given to some individual or company. This grant included the right to fix values and to control absolutely the trade in the article named. There could be no competition, and they could demand almost any price and make great profits. The monopolists usually were careful to dispose of their wares for moderate prices at first, until they had quieted suspicion and obtained a regular trade. Then gradually increased their exactions and would annex great fortunes before their demands became so exorbitant as to be refused. Thus their power was limited only by the amount of exaction which their customers would suffer. When the article of trade was only a luxury the people might well refuse to buy at exorbitant prices, but when the control of an indispensable article was given to an unscrupulous company the evil to the people was indeed great. At the present time, and in our own country Monopolies are not directly controlled by the government, although, many of them owe much of their power to monopolizing of officials and to favors granted by authority. The tariff system is often spoken of as a Monopoly, but it is one of such extended relations, and one whose benefits and disadvantages are so evenly balanced, that careful discrimination is needed to determine whether its influence is for good or ill. The different branches of business in which Monopolies are engaged in this country are mostly of such extent that one corporation cannot control any one of them, so that competition is not entirely destroyed, although it may be lessened. In this one of the evils of the royal monopolies is partially obviated. But there is still a source of evil in these corporations from the fact that the vast amount of capital which they control has great influence in political matters, and is liable to be exerted for low and selfish, if not for absolutely bad purposes. The second of these harmful Cabals is that shown in the management of the great political parties. The evil which may result in granting to a few individuals the control of a great political party, and through this party that of a state or nation is apparent to all. Especially bad will the result be when the few who have the control are unscrupulous and dishonest men. Then if this system must be continued, and at present there seems little better, the only remedy of its abuses is for each one to attend and study carefully the selection of leaders made by his party. Whatever may be the aim of any Cabal, the result of its efforts will depend entirely upon the faithfulness and ardor of its adherents. That every person will work the hardest and use his best energies and talents for his own interest is a commonly accepted fact. Then those organizations whose aims for personal advancement and benefit will always be the strongest and exert the most influence upon the world. From this it follows that the evil signification of the word Cabal is the more common one, and will continue to be so as long as selfish aims are strengthened and their objects gained by union.

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Apples, ₩ barrel	1 25 @ 1 50
Apples dried, ₩ ℔	@ 3
Butter ₩ ℔	9 @ 10
Barley, ₩ bushel	50 @ 60
Beans, ₩ bushel	1 75 @ 1 90
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	35 @ 40
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	3 00 @ 3 50
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00 @ 6 00
Beef Hides	5 @ 6
Calf skins, ₩ ℔	8 @ 9
Corn in ear	25 @ 30
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	@ 40
Clover Seed	5 00 @ 5 10
Chicken—dressed	@ 7
Eggs, ₩ doz	@ 12
Flour ₩ barrel	5 50 @ 6 00
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	5 00 @ 5 50
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	5 50 @ 5 75
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey ₩ ℔	@ 12
Ham ₩ ℔	@ 9
Lard, ₩ ℔	@ 8
Oats, ₩ bushel	30 @ 35
Onions, ₩ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes ₩ bushel	25 @ 30
Salt, ₩ barrel	@ 1 40
Sheep Pelts	50 @ 75
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@ 2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@ 10
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Wheat Red, ₩ bushel	@ 90
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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Miss Emma Saxton who has been teaching at Otsego for the past year, is spending her vacation at her father's, Dwight Saxton's.

Mrs. Nathan Green who has been sick with neuralgia for some time has been worse than usual for a few days.

C. C. Rowland went to Adrian last Saturday.

Among those who thought that Clinton did not hold charms sufficiently alluring to admit of spending the "Fourth" here, was one James McGuire. He started on the morning train for Adrian, and while at Lenawee Junction he boarded the wrong train and attempted to jump off after the train had started. He was thrown to the ground, sustaining several injuries among them, a broken nose. He concluded that Clinton was a good enough place for the rest of the day and took the noon train for home.

Charles Keyes of Grand Rapids, and Stuart VanDeMark of Detroit, came here Saturday from the latter place, and remained over Sunday.

Herbie Silvers met with quite an accident last Saturday. He had started to cross Main street from Smith's store to Freese's, and at the same time Frank Dorr was driving though town at full speed. Just as Herbie had reached the middle of the street the horse struck him and it is thought the buggy run over his hand. He escaped with slight injuries, however, and none would be blamed for the accident occuring, as Mr. Dorr was unable to control his horse on account of fire-crackers.

James Sherlock, from Grand Rapids, Nick Sherlock, from Chicago, and Thomas Sherlock, from Jackson, arrived here last week.

D. M. Bainbridge and Dell Goodrich drove from here to Pontiac last Tuesday. From there Mr. Bainbridge went to Battle Creek, where he remained until Saturday.

A young son of Talman Mansfield who lives three miles east of this place, had one of his eyes burned quite badly by a fire cracker last week. It was thought at first to be quite serious, but is now doing well.

Many of the Clinton people went to Wampler's Lake last Saturday, and nearly all report a glorious time. One or two accidents happened but fortunately not serious ones. Mr. Ansel Witherell's team was hitched near the hotel and becoming frightened run right down through the crowd that had gathered on the picnic grounds, scattering the people right and left, and before any one could catch them the buggy pole struck a stump, throwing the buggy over the horses, breaking it in several places. No one was hurt and the horses were soon restored to their proper places, nothing further occurring to mar the pleasure of the day.

George Freese came home the first of the week to spend a few days. He had not been feeling very well and thinks a short rest will restore him to his usual health.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Quite a growing time.

Foot ball is the corners passtime.

A fine lot of hay was put in last week.

Some went to Sand Lake and others went to Devil's Lake, but the crowd went to Adrian to see the big blow out on the Fourth. Anything for recreation you know.

Messrs Samuel and C. A. Sharp called on their parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sharp, Sunday.

Misses Flote and Pulva Rappleye, of Dundee, are visiting relatives and friends here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson rusticated in the country near Holloway, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walting, of Dundee, have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Clark, for the past few days.

Book agents are more numerous than help for haying.

Prof. and Mrs. H. C. Wilson, of Blissfield are home on a visit.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Vassar, arrived home Saturday evening for a visit.

Mrs. John Houseman who has been failing slowly for some time, passed away Thursday evening. The funeral services were held at the church Sunday morning at the regular hour. Rev. W. J. Clack officiating.

Friends and relatives from St. John, Clinton Co., were here to attend the funeral of Mrs Housman.

On Wednesday evening at the Christian parsonage, Britton, by the Rev. James Wright, Mr. Frank Allen and Miss Minnie Ransome were united in marriage. After a few days of pleasure seeking they left for Richland where Frank is agent for the M. & O. R. R. at a salary of $45 a month. The happy couple will commence house keeping immediately. We hope for the young couple a prosperous, happy journey through life.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

A goodly number of our people attended the Blissfield camp meeting, and report it a success.

Last Sabbath was observed as Children's Day at the Friends' church.

Wm. D. Vaughan attended a grove meeting at Dover, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Becca Preston has been having a pretty severe pull at diphtheria, but is now improving.

The people of Holloway took time by the forelock as usual and celebrated on the 3d. They indulged in fireworks, ice cream and lemonade and finally wound up with a bowery dance. There was a very large crowd out and good behavior was the order of the day, which we attribute in a great measure to the absence of benzine.

On the morning of the 4th, as Geo. Witt and his sister were driving through town on their way to Adrian, their horse became frightened at a calf in the corner of the fence and dumped them in the ditch. Fortunately very little damage was done with the exception of a few cracked spokes and a little bruising of the girl's face.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A wandering Turk caused ripples of excitement by appearing on our streets without his talking machine. The poor fellow looked as if he realized the long distance between himself and home. On his way here a dog had ventured to bite him, and though blood flowed freely above his tar-colored ankle, he seemed indifferent to hydrophobia.

The children celebrated independence by lighting bon-fires and making the usual racket. It was a tame fourth, however, without a fight, scorch, or drown to make it interesting.

Business is having a vacation at present, but Elder Hill, of Napoleon, has collected $1300 dollars, and will rebuild our burned church that much.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The new drug-store of Power & Son is now enclosed and will be ready to occupy in a few weeks.

Our people distributed themselves pretty generally among the different celebrating towns on the fourth of July. At home the day was unusually quiet, but a fair display of fireworks illuminated the streets during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Boley of Hillsdale, are in town this week and stopping at the residence of James Palmer, the latter's father, who has been dangerously ill for some days, Mr. B., is a former resident of the place and finds many friends to greet his return.

Our farmers are busy haying and getting ready for wheat harvest. The crop is unusually backward this year, but will be of fair quality if properly secured.

Levi Sherman and Lewis Bennett each seccumbed to the power of the grim destroyer last week. They were both residents of Rollin township and stood high in the estimation of the people.

The Methodist Episcopal and Congregational churches each announce both morning and evening service on the Sabbath day for the future. If Addison does not become spiritually pregnant it will be because of a poor quality of preaching, or a failure to utalize it on the part af the people. Five sermons and three Sabbath schools each seventh day, in a town of three hundred inhabitants ought to generate holy thunder enough to last until the middle of the week providing the material employed is fifty per cent genuine.

BABYHOOD for July urges upon parents the importance of "labelling" little children by always marking the full names and addresses in indelible ink on some easily-accessible part of their clothing, such as the inside of the colar-band. There can be no doubt that such a custom would be fruitful of many good results, and go far toward alleviating the anxiety of parents in cases of their little ones straying away from home, or becoming lost in a crowd or disabled by an accident. This number of BABYHOOD abounds in useful suggestions to mothers, and, in the variety of topics treated by its contributors and correspondents, proves its ability to fulfil its avowed intention to become a channel for the best thoughts of all who study the highest interests of child-life.

In de pathway ob life it am better to go ahead steady in any direction dan to wobble about.—Arkansaw Traveler.

AN EXCELLENT APPOINTMENT.

The following is clipped from the Grand Rapids Democrat. Dan's old Tecumseh friends will congratulate him on his good fortune.

Daniel E. Soper, of Newaygo, one of the most prominent democrats of Newaygo county, has at last been rewarded for his diligent services in behalf of the party by the appointment to the position of postmaster at West Troy. He was in the city yesterday and was seen by a Democrat interviewer at Sweet's.

"Well, Mr. Soper," said the man of the press to the political war horse of the Ninth district, "I suppose you feel greatly honored by the distinction which the administration has conferred upon you by your appointment to the lucrative office of postmaster at that metropolis of the woods, West Troy?"

"N-n-no sir; I really cannot understand why I should have been picked out of so many applicants, but my feelings overcome me. Please talk to Mr. Peter Doran; I expect he will be my assistant—in stump grubbing."

The genial attorney of this city was roused from his evening slumbers and was accosted with "Mr. Doran, I understand you have accepted the position of assistant postmaster at West Troy. Is it true?"

"No, sir; it is like this. I have been instrumental in obtaining for my friend Daniel E. Soper the office of postmaster of that place, and he wished to make some return by giving me the position of his assistant. But my lucrative law practice here would hardly warrant me in accepting. I know he will perform the duties of the office with credit and with a little hard labor he can do all the work and it would be foolish for him to divide the salary with an assistant. He has procured bonds."

"What does the office pay?"

"I understand it is a $12.50 office. But my friend is only placed there for practice; he will be promoted probably in time to the office at Newaygo."

"But I understand West Troy is off the railroad about three miles?"

"Yes, that is so; but he was down here to-day purchasing a dog cart in which to carry the mail."

"To whom is due the credit of obtaining for him the office?"

"Besides myself he is indebted to Judge Fallass and Don M. Dickinson for the appointment," and Peter yawned and fell asleep.

The Detroit Free Press Sunday published its resume of wheat and corn prospects in Michigan, reports briefly covering advices from 117 points in 57 counties on wheat, and 115 points in 52 counties on corn, showing promise of an abundant wheat harvest, on which its summing up says: "The yield in most parts of the state promises to be fully up to last years good crop and in many sections to surpass it. The adverse reports come from Van Buren, Clinton, Washtenaw and Monroe counties, where the Hessian fly is doing serious damage. In Van Buren county from 20 to 25 per cent. seems to have been killed by the insect, and about the same amount in Clinton county, while in Washtenaw and Monroe there will be only two-thirds of a crop. In a few other localities very slight damage has been done. The harvest is two weeks late, and therefore it is not quite safe yet to predict positively that in quantity and quality the crop of the state will average better than last year." The corn crop reports are thus summed up: "Corn is very backward, and its chances lie all in the future. The cold weather has retarded its growth and kept it from maturing, and the cut worm took a great deal of the early planting. But corn looks healthy and a few real warm days will bring it out all right. The acreage has been reduced, but only slightly, by farmers plowing up their fields instead of replanting." Other notes from the report state that drouth has badly injured wheat in Antrim Co. and greatly retarded it in Roscommon, while the cold, dry weather of spring injured it in some portions of Saginaw Co., and in the vicinity of Belleville, Wayne Co., the severe winter damaged it considerably, and with the Hessian fly will reduce it to half a crop there.

Said Charles F. Beck superintendent of the Bradstreet agency, this morning: "Trade in Michigan still continues terribly depressed. Especially is this so in the country. Absolutely nothing is being done there. The farmers are busy, and the merchants have nothing to do but to open the stores sweep out and sprinkle the floors on warm days. There seems no prospect of a better condition of affairs or a stronger feeling, so far as I can see. In the east affairs are very much the same. It would be hard to state just what department of trade is suffering the most, they are all so bad. In the west, perhaps, the complexion of business is better than in the east, but not much. There is in short, only one line of goods that there seems to be any demand for, and that is tobacco. All wholesale tobacco dealers are full with orders and the factories are running at their fullest capacity."

Lawrence Barrett carries $120,000 insurance on his life, Edwin Booth $85,000, and Dr. T. Dewitt Talmage $60,000.

THE NEW DRAIN LAW.

The drain law of 1885 is, without doubt a great improvement over its predecessors. A glaring defect in the law of 1881, which is supereeded by the present law, was the accidental omission of the machinery for public sale of the lands returned delinquent for drain taxes. Another feature of the drain law of 1881, which was very detrimental to the legality of drain construction, was the appointment of a special drain commissioner in cases where more than one township was interested. A recent decision of the supreme court, in which it was held that no official appointed by one township has jurisdiction in another township, fully exemplifies this defect, which in its previous workings has been a fruitful source of contention in the rural communities. It requires ability and experience to plan and construct a good drain, and the selection of a special officer to superintend the making of only one drain was not likely to result in good work, that would stand the test of the courts. Another important change in the law is that it provides for a jury whenever called for by any party whose lands are proposed to be condemned for right of way, as the constitution seems to intimate this personal right. The new law also provides for a system in which the taxes for the construction of a drain can be paid in two yearly installments, if so determined by the drain commissioner at the time of letting the contracts. Another provision is that all drain taxes proposed to be levied in any one year shall be certified to the board of supervisors, who shall order the taxes to be spread in the same way as other township, school and highway taxes. The jurisdiction of township commissioners is limited to such drains as are constructed wholly within their township and where all the lands to be assessed therefor are also situated therein. The county commissioner has concurrent jurisdiction with the township commissioner over such drains, and exclusive jurisdiction over all other drains extending over more than one township. Drains traversing more than one county come under the jurisdiction of the county commissioners of the counties so affected, and provision for these cases is made in a separate chapter. The county system is not made mandatory. All accounts of township commissioners are audited by the township board, and of the county commissioners by the board of supervisors. After the commissioner shall make his assessment on lands benefited by the drain, parties dissatisfied with his action have a right to appeal to the township board, which will act as a board of appeal. A thorough system of keeping the drain records by both the township and county commissioners is made by law. All drain taxes follow the land like all other taxes, and are returned delinquent on the same return and in the same manner as state and county taxes.—Blissfield Advance.

The New York Nation printed in its issue of June 25 a retrospect of the twenty years of its existence which was completed with that number. The Nation was founded in July, 1865, in recognition of the new order of things which was sure to follow the end of the war and the abolition of slavery. It at once espoused the cause of pure, unpartisan administration of the National Government; and the present condition of civil-service reform is owing to it more than to any other instrumentality. It has been conducted, in its two leading departments, Politics and Literature, by the same editors from the first number, and holds to day, as for the past twenty years, the first rank in each. It is the medium of the most thoughtful and cultivated discussion in the country—is, in fact, the only truly national journalistic forum. Its foreign correspondence is unrivalled. Its book reviews (by the leading scholars of the country) possess the highest authority. Each number contains a careful news summary, and the bound volumes are prized as the best obtainable chronicle of current history. [24 pp., quarto. 10 cents a number; $3 a year. 210 Broadway, New York.]

Elm Corner Local: We give our readers, in another column, quite a batch of railroad news as we glean them from our exchanges. Whether these schemes will be carried out or not is hard to tell, but we copy them and give them to our readers for what they are worth. That the M. & O. road should buy the road bed and right of way from Marshall to this place, as we learn they did do some time ago, with no intention of ultimately using it does not seem probable. If they ever build a northern branch it will undoubtedly run directly on this old grade, and thus a road to this place from Marshall would be assured. Those who are better posted in the interests of the M. & O. R. R. declare that the northern branch must be built, and that it will be more profitable and of more importance than the main line.

Miss Rose Chester.

Mrs. Dunning, of Sunnyside, West Kensington, always considered that she had been particularly fortunate in her lodgers. She had but two, and they had been with her ever since the decease of the lamented Dunning—a clerk in the customs, who returning home on a certain pay-day in November, with two bottles of wine in his outer coat and one in his inner man, walked into the Thames and was drowned—had compelled her to retire to the basement, and offer the upper portions of her house, at moderate rent, to "gentlemen of quiet habits, seeking a comfortable home in a pleasant suburban neighborhood." On the very day that Mrs. Dunning's advertisement appeared in the *Daily Telegraph*, Mr Samuel Greeley, chief cashier in a government savings bank, engaged the sitting-room and the bedroom on the ground floor, and Mr. William Wylie, chief sub-editor of a local daily paper, engaged the sitting-room and the bedroom on the first floor.

The day, I think, was Saturday—indeed, it must have been, for Mr. Wylie, contrary to his habit on the other days of the week, was at home all the evening. About 8 p. m. the two gentlemen met in the passage, exchanged greetings, and entered upon a discussion on politics, which, becoming animated, resulted firstly in a withdrawal to the apartment of Mr. Greeley, and lastly in a copious libation of hot rum and water. Thus was begun an acquaintance which merged into friendship and deepened into mutual affection—Sam Greeley and Will Wylie became sworn brothers. The cashier, at the time of this story, was about 53 years of age, and the sub-editor 54; and on the subjects of politics, flannel nightcaps for use in winter, religion, and the proper quanity of sugar for a bowl of punch, they had only such trifling differences of opinion as tended to preserve their intercourse from monotony. Mr. Greeley was away from home during the day, and Mr. Wylie during the night, so that the former was generally coming in at about the time when the latter was going out. Nevertheless, they managed to see a good deal of each other. Mr. Greeley always visited Mr. Wylie in his bedchamber before he went out in the morning, and Mr. Wylie visited Mr. Greeley in his parlor before he went out in the evening. Saturday, however, was their favorite day. Saturday was a whole holiday with Mr. Wylie, and the two friends spent the hours of the evening together from 7 until midnight. Very quiet old fellows they were; never heard in the house except for about half an hour late on Saturday evenings, when Mr. Greeley brought out an aged flute, of which the lower keys were a little uncertain, and Mr. Wylie trolled an ancient love-song in a tenor voice, of which the upper notes were a trifle dubious. For eight years no harsh word had passed between them, and among the neighbors on either side their friendship had become a by word. Certainly Mrs. Dunning had reason to say that she was fortunate in her lodgers.

At the top of the house were two tiny bedrooms; Mrs. Dunning occupied one of them, the other had long been untenanted.

On Monday evening Mr. Wylie knocked at Mr. Greeley's door on his way out and was admitted.

"News, Sam, news! and you'll never guess it!" exclaimed the sub-editor.

The chief cashier gave full rein to his imagination, and said:

"Mrs. Dunning going to take a second?"

"No."

"Your Aunt Belinda dead, and left you the £1,000?"

"No."

"Blinkie been at the rum again?" Mr. Greeley's imagination was running dry.

Blinkie was Mrs. Dunning's cat, which, when the spirits in the gentlemen's cupboards disappeared too rapidly, she was in the habit of accusing of bibulous propensities.

"No."

"Then I can't guess any more, Will."

"What do you say to a new lodger?" queried Mr. Wylie.

"A new lodger!—here, in this house?"

"Yes, and a lady."

"A lady, Will! Do you mean to tell me that Mrs. Dunning has let the little back bedroom to a single lady?"

"Yes, and a young lady."

"Dear me! this must be inquired into. We had better ring up Mrs Dunning," said Mr. Greeley nervously.

"Why, Sam, old boy, we're not afraid of a young lady, are we?" asked Mr. Wylie.

"Eh?—no, not afraid; but you know, Will, we have always held the opinion that woman is——"

"So we have, Sam; especially when she's young."

"And you know, Will," went on Mr. Greeley, "that one of the conditions on which we took lodgings with Mrs. Dunning was that no other lodgers, and in particular no ladies, were to be admitted. And don't you remember that affair at Hammersmith the other day, when a young woman took lodgings for one night in a small respectable house, and nearly strangled an elderly gentleman in his bed in the middle of the night? We are neither of us strong men, Will."

"That's true, Sam. I did not look at it in that light. Perhaps you had better have an explanation from Mrs. Dunning. I'm late, and must go. Good-night. Don't get too low about it, old fellow, and bolt your bedroom door."

Mr. Wylie went out, and Mrs. Dunning brought in Mr. Greeley's tea-tray.

"What is this, Mrs. Dunning? A new lodger, and a lady?"

"Yes, Mr. Greeley, sir," said Mrs. Dunning, setting down the tray and interposing a couple of chairs between her lodger and herself. "But a huncommon case, sir—quite a case, as I said to myself acomin' up the stairs, quite a case to move Mr. Greeley's art. The young lady—for I'm sure she is a lady, sir—came and said she is but 18 years old, and obligated to live alone becos of a step-mother that uses her that shameful. Left a house in the next street, she say, through not likin' to meet on the stairs two young men which lodged there; bein' alone, and no protectin' 'and. Gets her own livin', sir, though she didn't say how, and desires of a quiet 'ome in a respectable 'ouse, where kitchen fire is not a hextra, and a mother's influence, as you might say, sir, throwed in with the table-linen."

"You say that she is young, Mrs. Dunning?"

"Says she's 18, sir, and don't look hardly that. Was going right away when I said my lodgers was gentlemen, but came back when I said, quiet solemn, they was both old enough to be her father."

"Eh?" said Mr. Greelev: "old enough to be her—"

"Father, sir—you and Mr. Wylie, sir; and such lodgers, I said, as a lady obligated through cruel fortin' to let apartments at 25 shillings—which they'd be cheap at 50—was never afore blessed with." When I mentioned your ages, sir,—yours and Mr. Wylie's,—the young lady said she'd stay at once. The name on the box is Chester—Miss Rose Chester."

"And where is Miss Chester at this moment, Mrs. Dunning?"

"In the back kitchen, sir, a curlin' of her front hair."

"Thank you, Mrs. Dunning. You may go."

"Thanking you, sir, which I will."

That interesting operation in the back kitchen referred to by Mrs. Dunning, and but faintly apprehended by Mr. Greeley, being at length completed, there was a sound of light feet tripping briskly up the stairs, and presently the same feet tripped down again, the front door was opened, and Miss Chester ran down the garden and into the street. Mr Greeley craned his neck perilously behind the window-blind, but saw only the back of the new lodger—though to be sure, it was a very pretty back. By and by the golden gate swung open, and she returned. A latch-key turned in the door. Just then it occurred to Mr. Greeley that he would brush his overcoat, and he stepped into the passage to take it from the peg. The passages in the houses at Sunnyside, West Kensington, being constructed on severely economic principles, there resulted a momentary encounter between Mr. Greeley and Miss Chester. Miss Chester's hands were full of packages, and in her maidenly embarrassment she let one of them fall. Mr. Greeley picked it up and replaced it. Miss Chester blushed and laughed a little musical laugh, and said, "Thank you." At the foot of the stairs the same ridiculous package escaped again. Mr. Greeley picked it up and replaced it; and Miss Chester blushed and laughed, and said, "Thank you," as before. She had hardly set foot on the first landing when that same absurd package and another package slipped from her arms and rolled to the bottom, of the stairs. Mr. Greeley was equal to the occasion, gathered them up, and carried them to where Miss Chester stood—no longer laughing but blushing in a more desperately bewitching way than ever. She said, "Thank you so much; how very careless of me!" took them from him, retreated into her room, and shut the door.

"What a very odd thing!" said Mr. Greeley as he returned. "What an extraordinary thing!" he said as he reached his sitting-room. "I never saw packages behave in that way before. A most interesting face," he went on, as he filled his pipe and seated himself by the window, "and quite pretty little manners. I don't know that Mrs. Dunning ought to have acted otherwise than she has done; she could scarcely have refused to take Miss Chester in. Old enough to be her father, eh? Let me think—55, and Will's 54. Will's older than I am."

In this way did Mr. Greeley meditate as he smoked his evening pipe.

Miss Chester's face was more than interesting, though, it was exceedingly pretty—an open, girlish face, with a fresh complexion, short, curly, yellow hair, and a slender figure, which showed to advantage in a gauzy summer

During the day, while Mr. Greeley helped to administer the affairs of the Government Savings bank, Mr. Wylie was at home, taking his rest and ease.

He made his appearance at midday, having breakfasted in bed, and took a turn in the garden to give himself an appetite for dinner. He was going up to his room as Miss Chester was coming down from hers, accompanied by a diminutive dog, which she held in a leash. The dog broke from the leash, and, oblivious of the dignity of the press, made for the legs of Mr. Wylie. Mr. Wylie had a constitutional fear of the canine race in general, and of its smaller members in particular, and so far lost his presence of mind as to give a feeble shout, at the same time retreating backward down the stairs, to the imminent peril of his head and limbs. Miss Chester seized her puppy somewhere in the neighborhood of the tail, held it up by that appendage, and, with her fan, slapped it indiscriminately in all parts of its body, all the while uttering the daintiest apologies to Mr. Wylie, who stood confusedly on the mat.

"You bad, wicked dog, how dare you?" and Miss Chester shook her dog with such exceeding vigor that Mr. Wylie feared the tail would give way.

"I am afraid it will come out if you shake it that way," he said mildly, and Miss Chester desisted.

Mr. Wylie opened the door for her, flattening himself against the wall to avoid the puppy's grinders; and Miss Chester, with a profusion of smiles and thanks, slipped out.

"Quite like a beam of sunshine, quite fairy-like, quite—I declare, I feel several years younger;" and Mr. Wylie ran his fingers through his scant gray stubble, pulled up his collar, and mounted the stairs two at a time. He took down from his bookshelf an old pocket-book, and scanned its pages attentively for a few moments. "Fifty-four last birthday; and Sam is 53. I fancy I look rather younger than Sam."

"Sam," said Mr. Wylie, when he met his friend in the evening, "what do you think of our new lodger?"

"A very pleasing young lady, I think," answered Mr. Greeley.

"A fine girl, I think, Sam," said the sub-editor.

"Oh, no, Will, I don't think I'd say that. Pleasing and—and very interesting, if you like," replied Mr. Greeley.

"No, no; that's not half strong enough. You haven't seen her eyes, Sam. My eye, what eyes! And her mouth—oh, Sam, what a mouth!"

"Steady, Will, steady," said his friend gravely. "Remember that maxim of ours."

"Oh, bother, Sam. I don't think the maxim will do at all in this case. Good night, Sam. I don't think you need bolt your bedroom door, old fellow."

And Mr. Wylie buttoned his coat and went out.

"Will is partially right," mused the cashier, as he sat over his tea. "This is very much more than an 'interesting young woman.' But I don't like 'fine girl' at all. She *has* lovely eyes. I didn't quite like Will's manner. I must talk seriously with him. Will ought not to forget his years."

Within the next couple of days a change had come over the little household. Miss Chester, all unwittingly, was the cause of it. Her girl's voice echoed sweetly through the house all day; and Mr. Wylie on the first floor heard it, and heard it not unmoved.

"What a delicious voice!" he said to himself a hundred times a day.

Then she would run up and down the stairs on little errands of her own, and out into the garden, where her presence made the sickly flowers and the dusty evergreens sicklier and more dusty.

When Mr. Wylie took his solitary turn there, after she had gone, he found the garden dingy which he had thought so gay before. Then he would look down at himself, and think:

"What a devil of a shabby old fellow I am! I must improve—I must brighten up a bit."

But he kept his feelings and his thoughts to himself.

Mr. Greeley heard the same bird-like voice in the evening, and would sit concealed in the window when Miss Chester ran out and down the street, following her dancing steps and wishing the days back again when he had been as light of foot as she was then. His parlor seemed not so cheerful

"But it needs another hand than mine to brighten it," he said. "I'm a rusty old chap," he thought at other times. "The rust has settled on me these many years. I wonder whether any of it would rub off now."

But he kept all these things to himself.

Something had interposed itself between the two old friends—the chief cashier and the chief sub-editor—an indescribable shadowy something that made their intercourse not quite what it had been before. They had not quarreled, they met and talked, morning and evening, as usual; but the spontaneity had gone out of their greetings, and they spoke constrainedly about things that did not interest them.

She went out every evening at about 7, and returned at half-past 10.

It was on the Thursday after the arrival of the new lodger that Mr. Wylie, having dined, took a walk in the direction of the shops. On his return, Mrs. Dunning greeted him with an expression of surprise:

"Law, Mr. Wylie, you look quite haltered; you've been and done something to yourself!"

"Do you observe an improvement, Mrs. Dunning?" the sub-editor asked, in a complacent tone.

"Well, sir, you certainly do look a bit spryer."

Mr. Wylie showed no offense at this criticism; on the contrary, it seemed to afford him satisfaction.

Mr. Greeley, when his friend visited him in the evening, noticed the change in his appearance.

"What have you done to yourself?" he asked. "Why, good heavens, William!" he exclaimed in a voice of alarm, "you've had your hat ironed!"

For answer, Mr. Wylie tilted his hat an inch or two forward in the direction of his left eyebrow, struck an attitude as nearly gallant as possible, and winked slowly with one eye.

"William," said Mr. Greeley, with much concern—"William, what is the matter? You are not well."

"Oh, yes, Sam," answered Mr. Wylie in a jocular tone. "I'm better than I have been for years. You notice the change, eh?"

But Mr. Greeley was neither pleased nor satisfied. He said very gravely:

"What does this mean, William? A man at your time of life does not have his hat ironed for nothing."

"I had mine ironed for sixpence," murmured Mr. Wylie.

"You are flippant, William," replied his friend. "I speak not of pence, but of sinister motives."

"Why Sam, come, now, it wanted ironing you know," urged the sub-editor in a conciliatory tone.

"William," replied Mr. Greeley very earnestly, "it has wanted ironing for years. Why choose this particular time? Would you trifle with the affections of a young and guileless heart?"

"Nonsense, Sam!" exclaimed Mr. Wylie testily; "what on earth has the ironing of a hat to do with a young and guileless heart?"

"I speak in this way, William," replied the chief cashier, "because I observe a change in you, William, let me beg that you will suffer yourself to be guided by me."

"Now, Sam, this is not reasonable. It is you who are changed, and not I. You're not yourself to-night. Keep quiet and recover. I mean to have my hat ironed as often as I choose. Good-night, Sam."

"Would William Wylie behave traitorously?" mused Mr. Greeley, when left to himself. "I trust not. But why, then, has he had his hat ironed? I must observe him narrowly. But why should I? Surely the girl has eyes. Surely a hat that has been restored for the sum of sixpence, which carries the evidence of restoration on its front, could not blind her to manifold personal defects."

Nevertheless, Mr. Greeley was ill at ease. He revolved the situation in his mind; he slept on it; and next morning, for the first time in seven years, went out without visiting his friend.

In the middle of the day, Mr. Greeley took to himself an hour for luncheon, spending it generally in an ancient chop and coffee house near Cornhill, where he partook of a small steak and a half-pint of Burton, with the newspaper propped against the pepper-bottle, in front of him, and the head waiter at his elbow expounding the virtues of the steak, or explaining many knotty problems in politics and political economy.

But on the day following the affair of Mr. Wylie's hat, Mr. Greeley, having swallowed hastily threepennyworth of bread and cheese—a species of passover, which he ate, like a child of Israel, with his loins girded, his shoes on his feet, and his staff (or umbrella) in his hand—took a twopenny 'bus to Oxford street, and was down at the establishment of a well-known tailoring firm, where, in the window, was a display of ready-made garments; which offered the combined advantages of a large pattern and a small price.

His eyes was particularly taken by a set of garments ticketed to the effect that "This kind of thing is in great request for honeymoons." He stood irresolute before it for a few minutes; then his brow clouded, and muttering, "He's had his hat ironed, has he?" Mr. Greeley made a dive into the shop.

Returning home in the evening, he spied his friend making a purchase of flowers at the florist's. It was a corner shop, with doors opening into two streets; and Mr. Greeley went into the door opposite to that by which Mr. Wylie had entered, and bought a basket of strawberries. Their eyes met across the counter, but they would not recognize each other.

It chanced that Miss Chester came up the street immediately behind them, and the three proceeded in indian file toward Mrs. Dunning's—Mr. Wylie in the van, with an immense and brilliant bouquet of flowers, the declining sun imparting a new glory to his hat; Mr. Greeley coming next, with his strawberries, and Miss Chester, all unwittingly, was the cause of it. Her girl's voice echoed sweetly through the house all day; and Mr. Wylie on the first floor heard it, and heard it not unmoved.

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ries were the finest she had ever seen.

"But I could never eat them all myself. Won't you take one?" she said; and, with her own fingers, selected a strawberry which, in point of size, left the traditional giant gooseberry nowhere.

Mr. Greeley bolted the fruit at one mouthful, and immediately afterward became so strangely agitated that Miss Chester, with the deepest tenderness, asked him whether it had disagreed with him.

"No, Miss Chester," he replied, speaking with difficulty, for his emotion overpowered him. "No, it is not the strawberries."

Miss Chester expressed herself much relieved.

"I say, Miss Chester," repeated Mr. Greeley, with increased earnestness, "it is not the strawberry."

Miss Chester again said that she was very glad, and asked if he would take another.

Mr Greeley threw more tenderness than might have been expected into the assurance that he had eaten sufficient, and Miss Chester, reiterating her thanks, swallowed two strawberries at once, and slipped away.

On the landings blushing and eager, was Mr. Wylie with his bouquet. "Flowers, Miss Chester; a few flowers," he said tremblingly. "They have a language; perhaps you know it. They speak from the heart—to the heart—of the heart."

He had learned a verse of poetry for the occasion; but often when the heart is fullest the memory is most treacherous; and so it was with Mr. Wylie.

Miss Chester, partially laden with Mr. Greeley's strawberries, took Mr. Wylie's flowers with a modest, smiling "Thank you! Oh, how pretty! Will you not take one for yourself, and—and wear it?" And she plucked a moss-rose from the bouquet, and gave it to him.

Mr. Wylie carried it to his nose, tasted its color, and was seized with a violent fit of trembling.

With the quick, tender instinct of a woman, Miss Chester imagined a thorn or a surreptitious bee, and ventured on a timid inquiry.

"No, Miss Chester," answered Mr. Wylie; "but there is another kind of thorn, and there are bees in the——"

"Bonnet?" suggested Miss Chester, with a sweet smile.

"Ha, ha! very good indeed, Miss Chester! In the bonnet, eh? Yes, some of us, I fear, are afflicted with a bee in the bonnet." And Mr. Wylie threw a significant glance in the direction of Mr. Greeley's apartments.

"Will you take a strawberry?" said Miss Chester; but was sorry the next moment, for the expression on Mr. Wylie's countenance was at though she had invited him to take a dose of arsenic.

"But won't you go and put your rose in water? or it will fade," she said, anxious to cover the mistake which she perceived that she had made.

"Ah! will it ever fade?" replied Mr. Wylie, feeling that his poetry was returning to him.

"Oh, yes, indeed it will, ever so quickly!" said Miss Chester; "and so will mine, if I don't see to them at once." And she ran away up-stairs to her room.

An hour or so later, when Mrs. Dunning was occupied with Mr. Greeley's tea-table, she made a singular disclosure.

"Law, sir!" she said, "what do you suppose Miss Chester does for her living?"

"I can not say, Mrs. Dunning," replied Mr. Greeley. "What does Miss Chester do?"

"Rides 'ossback in a circus, sir."

Mr. Greeley let fall his meerschaum pipe, which would infallibly have been broken had not Mrs. Dunning caught it in her apron.

"Law, yes, sir," continued the landlady, "that's what she tells me. Not likin' to see her go out of a evening and come 'ome never afore 10:30, I say to her, "Do you think it respectable, my dear, and me not used to such ways, no, nor never shall be?" And then she up and says, quite quiet and modest, that she belongs to Butler's circus, which, from a child hup, she 'ave ridden the bareback 'oss, bein' the station of life to which providence 'as called her; likewise short skirts and satin shoes, and her 'air a flowin' down her back."

"And is this really the truth, Mrs. Dunning?" said Mr. Greeley.

"Which eight years come Michaelmas next you 'as been with me, sir, and never, which well you know it, Mr. Greeley, found me anything but truthful."

"Of course I don't doubt your word, Mrs. Dunning; but it is a strange profession for such a girl as Miss Chester seems to be. Butler's circus, do you say?"

"Yes, sir, they hacts close again James street, and Miss Chester's on in the front scene, sir, which, being but young, the manager lets her, so as she can be 'ome and abed a decent Christian hour. Young Mr. Butler, she says, always sees her 'ome, and sometimes comes to fetch her. I'do believe this is the gentleman a'comin' up the garden."

"A tall, good-looking young man knocked at the door and inquired for Miss Chester. The next moment the young lady herself ran down-stairs, and a greeting passed between them which, to the ears of Mr. Greeley and Mrs. Dunning, sounded a little less than brotherly and more than cousinly.

"Did you hear that, Mrs. Dunning?" asked Mr. Greeley, in reference to a certain pleasant noise that echoed softly from the passage.

"Which, thanking you, sir, I 'as my 'earing good," answered Mrs. Dunning with dignity, as though she felt that a kiss in the passage in some way compromised her reputation as a landlady.

"I should like this to be kept from the ears of William," Mr. Greeley afterward said to himself. "But Mrs. Dunning will certainly tell him; and what then? He will go to this place. Well, I will go too."

It was Saturday, and at 7 in the evening an elderly gentleman of benign aspect, wearing an expressive suit of tweeds, purchased a pit ticket for Butler's circus.

Shortly afterward, an elderly gentleman of mild appearance wearing a resplendent hat a little on the left side of his head, purchased a ticket for the gallery.

Mr. Greeley had left his circus days a long way behind, and found the performances in the ring anything but enlivening. He sat bolt upright in the front row of the pit, and kept his eyes fixed on the entry by which he expected that Miss Chester would make her appearance on the fiery bare-backed steed. He had looked eagerly for her name on the programme, but found it not; and was fain to console himself with the suggestion that probably she played her part under another name. Presently he had an uncomfortable sensation that he was being stared at; and, looking up, he saw Mr. Wylie gazing down on him from the gallery. Mr. Wylie's expression indicated a puzzled state of mind,

and the eye which had not its visual power obliterated by Mr. Wylie's hat appeared to be fascinated by Mr. Greeley's new clothes. This made Mr. Greeley more uncomfortable still. The performance proceeded, but no Miss Chester appeared on any steed, fiery, bare-backed, or otherwise. There were many young ladies with brief skirts and flowing hair, who pirouetted on prancing steeds, and leaped through hoops, and slapped the face of the clown and said "Hoop-la" when the ringmaster cracked his whip; but among them was not Miss Rose Chester. Mr. Greeley began to be aweary and to wish he were in bed. The hoof of the fiery steeds threw up sawdust in his eyes and the clown leveled his best joke directly at him. The performance was over, and Miss Chester had not appeared at all.

Sad and dispirited, Mr. Greeley left his seat and followed the crowd out of the circus. "Can she be ill?" he asked himself. "Can anything have happened to her? She was still in the house when I left it."

The two friends met at the outer door, but feigned not to see each other, and went home by separate ways. Mr. Wylie getting in a little advance of Mr. Greeley. A cab was standing before the garden gate when Mr. Greeley reached it, and the circumstance, being an unusual one at that hour did not fail to strike him. As he went up the path he encountered a man carrying a trunk, another unusual circumstance which also made its impression. "What can this be?" said Mr. Greeley, with a sense of sinking at the heart. Then a tall lady, dressed in black, came out of the house and followed the man with the trunk. After her—Mr. Greeley rubbed his eyes and pinched himself, but there was no deception—walked Miss Rose Chester, flushed, but with her pretty little head erect, and stepping with an air of defiance. In the doorway stood Mrs. Dunning, remonstrating volubly.

"Oh, you naughty, naughty girl, to go and deceive me like that! I'm ashamed of you, I am!" said Mrs. Dunning.

But Miss Chester answered her not. Mr. Greeley, lost in bewilderment, stood aside to let her pass. She looked at him with yearning eyes, and said, sweetly:

"Good night, Mr. Greeley; good-by; I am going."

The lady in black turned round and said sharply: "Hold your tongue, miss!"

"I shan't hold my tongue," replied Miss Chester. "Good-by, Mr. Greeley," she said again, "and thank you ever so much for the strawberries; I've eaten them all."

"It's the cruel stepmother," thought Mr. Greeley, and wild notions of a rescue crossed his mind. But Miss Chester passed on following the lady in black. They reached the cab, the driver mounted to his seat, and the horse dashed away into the darkness at the rate of two miles and a half an hour.

Mr. Greeley, in a state of the utmost agitation, hastened to the house. "Mrs. Dunning, Mrs. Dunning!" he gasped, "what is all this?"

"Oh, sir! Oh, Mr. Greeley!" wailed the landlady, "she've been and played on us, a young hussy; been and deceived us, sir, you and me and Mr. Wylie and all of us!"

"Played on us! deceived us! Who has done this? What do you mean, Mrs. Dunning?"

"That young woman, sir; that Miss Chester. Cruel stepmother, indeed! It's a cax, sir, a blessed cax, every bit of it. Why, that lady in black, that's her ma. Traced her 'ere, and says, says she, the young baggage 'as run away from 'ome, and her family crazy for her this week past. A little piece of himperence to stand up and tell me she's eighteen, and her ma's says she's only fifteen, and the plague of her life."

"But the circus, Mrs. Dunning, and—and, young Mr. Butler?" exclaimed Mr. Greeley, aghast.

"Sir," answered Mrs. Dunning solemnly, "there ain't no circus, and there ain't no Mr. Butler. Bare-back 'oss, indeed! Why, her ma says, to her belief, she've never been inside no circus in her life. And as for that young man—well, the less we say about that young man, to my thinkin', the better, sir."

"But why did she run away from home?"

"Sperrits, sir, sperrits and 'igh jinks; that's what her ma says. Says she can't keep her at 'ome, nohow. A young parcel o' fibs and brass. I'd comb her 'air for her, I would!"

"And do you mean to tell me, Mrs. Dunning, that I have been on the verge of a quarrel with Will Wylie for the sake of a child of 15, who has run away from home? Mrs. Dunning, Miss Chester deserves to be whipped!"

"I shouldn't wonder if her ma would manage that little business for her, sir," replied Mrs. Dunning with much satisfaction.

Meanwhile, Mr. Wylie, standing outside his door, had overheard this colloquy.

"Have I been on the point of breaking with Sam Greeley, on account of a chit of 15?" Mr. Wylie indignantly asked himself. Then he went downstairs with his hat in his hand.

Mr. Greeley heard him, and met him at the door.

"Will!"

"Sam!"

"We have been, Will, a couple of——"

"Old fools, Sam; downright old fools!"

By this time the downright old fools were clasping hands, and looking at one another a little shame-facedly and very affectionately.

"We're both in the same boat, Will," said Mr. Greeley; "but you know I did say from the first that woman was——"

"So you did, Sam; and so she is, especially when she's a girl of 15."

Very shortly after this there stood on the table a capacious bowl, from which a gentle steam went up, and an odor of a sweet savor pervaded the room.

Later still, Mr. Greeley brought out his flute, and Mr. Wylie sang two or three dozen of the songs of his youth.

The bowl was getting low when Mr. Greeley said: "There is a little thing by Longfellow, Will, which I think would be appropriate to the occasion. I don't know that it has been set to music, but I dare say we could sing it between us."

"I know it," said Mr. Wylie; "lead on, Sam, and I'll follow."

And the two old fellows lifted up their voices and sang:

I know a maiden, fair to see—
Take care!
She can both false and friendly be—
Beware! beware!
Trust her not, she is fooling thee!

Then Mr. Greeley insisted on accompanying Mr. Wylie to his bed-chamber, a kindly office which, thanks to the excellence of the rum punch, was not wholly superfluous.—*Tinsley's Magazine.*

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Illuminated Linen as It Appears to Impress a Noted Humorist.

I do wish the washee washee people of the United States would call a National Convention of launders and laundresses, and adopt a uniform style of marking the linen that passes through their hands. I have suffered much from the diversity of talent displayed in the private marks of Anglo, German, Franco, Hibernian and Chinese-American laundries. I am a man not given to novelties. I like variety, but I want it to be the same kind of variety. I do not like to go around the country lecturing in the guise of the tattooed man of Borneo.

Now, when I put on my war paint and sarabed forth to seek whom I might gather the lecture committees in I had my scanty store of linen marked with the real initials of my own honored name—that Mrs. O'Mahony's husband might know whose shirt he was wearing to church, and Mlle. Celeste might know whose handkerchief she stole, and that Wun Lung might be able to swear that the collars he offered for sale were given him by his deceased friend, Ram Jam Bang. But did these simple marks content the wash ladies and laundry gentlemen? Nay, not so. The first laundry gentleman marked everything I had with a big black X in indelible ink, save only my—excuse my blushes—hose. These dainty little fabrics of silk and worsted, with faint traces of cotton, he labeled by sewing a large, white patch about midships on the after part of the veal of the same. I left all these marks on, hoping that in connection with the regularly ordained initials they would content the next washer gentleman. But he was a Trojan, and he put on a mark something like the Greek letters phi, psi. This was in Philadelphia. At Pittsburgh I had a round up of my linen at the Great Western Satin Gloss Laundry, where the man with the indelible ink labeled everything XO, big and black, and sewed additional patches on my—ahem! hose. I next corralled my things at the establishment of Ping Ping in Columbus, O., who stitched in a fire cracker joke in red thread. We—I and my herd of linen and manuscript—drifted slowly to the Northwest, and the wardrobe was watered at a French laundry in Kalamazoo and branded OHA. At Minneapolis it went to the hotel laundry and came back bearing the new legend LT with a lozenge around it, and with red tags on my s—cks. This was growing interesting, and when a brand of blue ink came into the plot at Council Bluffs and was cast for XOA, I sat up half the night reading my things. I am fond of literature anyhow, and when the mental pabulum on my linen was reinforced at Concordia, Kan., by the addition of VZ in a black circle to the bill of fare, I began to look about for a publisher. At Kansas City Hang Hi worked in a crazy quilt stitch on me, and at Decatur, Ill., the launder had a rubber stamp, the design whereof was a valentine heart, inclosing the letters XLX. I do not know the meaning of the symbol unless it refers to my age, which certainly has nothing to do with the age of my wardrobe. This man sewed white tags on the ears of my st—ck—ngs, with the same design printed on them. At Terre Haute, Ind., they sewed tags on everything, from withers to hock, and at Valparaiso they stitched XYH on the entire harness, and at Upper Sandusky I got NYX inked on everything from collar to crupper. At Beaver Falls, Pa., a Chinese gentleman embroidered on all my things portions of a strange, weird alphabet wherever he could find room for it, and at Uhrichsville, O., my linen was returned to me with a note stating that all articles must be plainly marked before they could be received at that laundry.

Now, I want to know if this is fair? It wasn't my fault that the other laundries had used up all the available space on my raiment before I got to Uhrichsville. I don't really enjoy this sort of thing. When I wake in the night and see my pallid shirt hanging over a chair back in the moonlight I am frightened, being a nervous man, thinking that Captain Costentenius, the tattooed man of the Antipodes, has got into my room. I appeal to the laundry men to adopt some uniform system. Let each free-born American citizen who amasses more than one shirt select his own brand, have it duly registered, published in the official paper of the county in which he resides, and let it go at that. I don't like to have my friends tell me that for a man who dresses so quietly as I do, those figured shirts are in bad taste. Where are the reformers? Here is a crying evil that stalks up and down this fair land like the Augean stables, blighting the noonday with its midnight cry, and waiting for some strong hand to cut the Gordian knot of its labyrinthine mazes that like a Gorgon horror freezes our blood into stone with the burning breath of its iron heel. Let the new Administration see to it.—*Robert J. Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.*

Self-Possession and Ability.

Self-possession is something apart from ability. It is more in one direction and less in another. Many persons of great abilities are painfully lacking in self-possession, and others of very small powers are rarely at a loss. It comes rather through a fair degree of self-knowledge and a practical exercise of those abilities, great or small, which we do possess. Our own experience shows us this. Most of us are self-possessed in at least one direction, and that we shall find to be the case in which we have had the most constant practice and the best opportunities of testing ourselves. The mechanic or business man or woman, or artist or philosopher, may be undecided, vacillating, constrained and ill at ease in general society, or in political circles, or in a hundred other situations, but in their respective employments or in matters closely connected with them, they at once assume a calm and assured manner that tells of their regained self-possession.—*Boston Home Journal.*

THE CHARMING WIDOW.

How She Impressed a Hard-Hearted Storekeeper, as She Always Does, with Her Dainty Sobs and Tearful Glances.

She was pretty and sweet, so much so that the several clerks nearly broke their necks in struggling to see who would be the one to wait on her, but she ignored them all, and, sitting down on a stool, drew from her pocket a handkerchief which she held in readiness for an application to her eyes, and sent for the manager. He soon came up to the lady, who, with the handkerchief to one eye, flashed the other brilliant orb at his, and told her story thusly:

"Mr. B——, Charley, my husband (sob,) is dead and I have no suitable (sniffle) mourning. I came down to see (gulp) if you would trust me for a (sob) mourning outfit." (Sniffle.) Here the other eye was hid behind the handkerchief, while a kind of cold chill shudder passed over her.

"But, my dear madame, I don't know you. It would be rather departing from our rules to comply with your request," replied Mr. B——, politely. "How much of a bill did you wish to buy?"

"I want (sob) everything as nice (sniffle) as I can get (sob) about (another sniffle) $200, I (sob) guess.

"I am sorry, but as you are a stranger to me I shall have to decline unless you can furnish security or come recommended by some one known to us."

"Do you (sob) know Mr. (two sobs) Mr. Richfellow?" (Two sniffles.)

"Yes, madame, I know him; do you think he would guarantee the payment of the bill?"

"I don't (sob) want (sniffle)—want you to (sniffle) ask him (sniffle) because I am going (two sniffles) to marry him (sob) when my (sob) mourning has expired." (Sob.)

"Well, in a case of that kind of course we will trust you; we can present the bill to him after your marriage."

"O, thank you (brightening up), thank you; indeed, that will be all right. Now I want a box of black gloves number six and a half, fourteen yards of cashmere, thirty yards of crape cloth, twelve yards of veiling, two boxes of black silk hose (number eight) and the necessary trimmings; please fix it up nice. Don't you think I will look nice in mourning?"

Mr. B—— looked into her eyes, his heart began to jump, and thinking discretion the better part of valor, he assured her that her order would be filled and the lady departed smiling. Mr. B—— after the flash of the pretty widow's eyes would have filled a thousand dollar order and paid it out of his own pocket. He is bald-headed.—*Brooklyn Times.*

CHANGHI.

Visit of a Traveler Who Enjoyed His Surroundings.

A scene I cherish with especial tenderness is that passed at Changhi, behind Singapore. A Malay fishing village lay beneath our bungalow upon a broad and snowy beach. In barbarous regions of the North men live underground, but these dwellings were suspended in the sunny air among plumes of cocoanut and betel; behind them rose the shadowy jungle. There was no cultivated land in sight, for the Malay finds his harvest and his garden in the sea. The smooth sand below high water mark was a parterre of sponges, green and red, and purple blue, intermixed with coral. Old fashioned people in Europe cherish certain round masses of limestone, daintily fluted, and put them under a glass case for ornament. Imagine their beauty in the spot where nature places them, every lip and hollow on the cream white surface traced out in vividest pencilling of green, with the seaflowers of sponge around them.

But after the first impulse of delight one almost comes to overlook this charming foreground; for beneath the water lives a tangle and a maze of all things lovely for shape and color and growth and motion. Coral takes a hundred flowery forms, weeds branch like trees or wave like serpents; sponges are cups of amethyst and ruby. When waves lie still, one sees just as clearly into the depths below as into the air above, and almost as far as it seems. The vegetation is gigantic in its loveliness. There are coral growths shaped like an Egyptian lily and as white, but three feet in diameter, wherein a mermaid might take her bath. Others break into a thicket, each twig covered with snowy rosettes which bear a morsel of green velvet in their bosoms. Others are great round hillocks diapered with emerald, while here and there a bush of scarlet thorns springing from their sides. Through and over the garden long silvery weeds tremble and quiver in a net. Small fish as quick as humming birds, and almost as gay, dart to and fro. Water snakes float past in coils like Indian enamel of every shade, in red and brown and yellow and purple. I am grateful that fate allowed me three weeks of life at Changhi.—*Frederick Boyle, in Belgravia.*

Pompeii's Danger

There is reported danger that the latest eruption of Vesuvius will overwhelm Pompeii afresh. The whole of the old city has not yet been disinterred by any means. It is slow work to resurrect a wealthy place which once contained at least 20,000 inhabitants, from such a deep tomb of ashes and scoriæ; and furthermore the work had to be prosecuted with extreme caution. Reckless haste might result in the destruction of priceless works of art; a too sudden exposure to light and air might cause masterpieces of fragile material to crumble into dust. It has been hoped that further researches would be rewarded by the discovery of precious manuscripts—works of unknown authors, or complete copies of works whereof the greater part has been lost, and of which we possess only fragments of exquisite beauty. Already many manuscripts have been found; but these were not of the character hoped for. A deluge of lava would end all research of this kind, and deprive the world of one of its most delightfully interesting places of pilgrimage.—*N. O. Times-Democrat.*

—According to the Salt Lake *Tribune* the lineal descendants of Brigham Young now number 15,000.

A Primitive Tribe

Dr. Hunter describes a peculiar tribe in India which has preserved an extreme primitiveness. The people are called Leaf Wearers, because they wear the costume of Adam and Eve before the fall; or, more strictly speaking, they did so until the English persuaded them to adopt cloth.

In 1871 the English officer called together the clan, and after a speech handed out strips of cotton for the women to put on. They then passed in single file to the number of 1,900 before him, made obeisance to him, and were afterward marked on the forehead with vermillion as a sign of their entering into civilized society. Finally, they gathered the bunches of leaves which had formed their sole clothing into a great heap, and solemnly set fire to it. This leaf-wearing tribe had no knowledge of the metals till quite lately, when foreigners came among them, and no word existed in their native language for iron or any other metal. But their country abounds in flint weapons, so that the Juangs form a remnant to our own day of the stone age. "Their huts," writes the officer who knows them best, "are among the smallest that human beings ever deliberately constructed as dwellings. They measure about six feet by eight feet. The head of the family and all the females huddle together in this one shell, not much larger than a dog kennel." The boys and the young men of the village live in one large building apart by themselves; and this custom of having a common abode for the whole male youth of the hamlet is found among many aboriginal tribes in distant parts of India.

He Kept the Whole House Awake

Washington, D. C.—Mr. F. O. McCleary, a prominent solicitor of patents of this city, was troubled for several weeks with a severe cough, which not only deprived him of sleep but annoyed others. The only thing which did him any good, he says, was the new prepasation Red Star Cough Cure, a purely vegetable compound, free from opiates, narcotics or poisons of any kind.

A hotel in Boston built of stone and brick 96 and 69 feet frontage with basement and seven stories above the sidewalk, was moved nearly 100 feet in order to make a change in the street. One side was supported by eight granite columns twelve feet high, the whole building weighing 5,000 tons beside the furniture. The occupants of the stores and the hotel were not disturbed in the removal.

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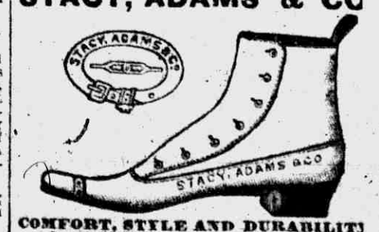

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The Saginaw Courier, Tim Tarsney's paper, makes the following shot at Don Dickinson: "It is only a few years since that the people of Michigan freed themselves from the thraldom of one political boss. They are not likely to submit to another at this late day."

The cholera is having a fearful run in Spain, and hundreds of new cases are reported daily with a large percentage of deaths. It can hardly be expected, that with all the quarantine precautions which can be adopted, the summer can pass away without the introduction of the deadly disease into our eastern cities.

The season has arrived when some would be fashionable people close their shutters, barricade their front doors, and post a notice upon the front fence, that they have "gone to the summer resorts." However, these people are nearly always at home, secluded in the back parlor, dining room or kitchen. Pass around to the back door and you may surprise them, possibly.

The American people are watching with the most intense anxiety the daily reports of General Grant's condition. As a matter of fact, the old hero has never been so universally idolized by all classes of our citizens as since it has become almost certain that he has nearly reached the end of his journey. Although he has been a little more comfortable since leaving the heat of New York city, his attending physicians do not attempt to disguise the fact that his disease is making rapid progress and liable to terminate fatally at any hour.

The New York World has worked earnestly, faithfully and successfully to raise the funds necessary to complete the pedestal on which the statue is to stand, and for this work that enterprising journal is deserving of all praise. In coming ages when the storms and the seasons shall be powerless to crush or corrode this monument of love and the name of M. Bartholdi shall be enshrined in the casket of imperishable memory, it must not be forgotten that the public spirit of Joseph Pulitzer saved our fair country from humiliation and disgrace, by making it possible for the statue to be received—not calculated to wound the feelings of the generous donors.

TOUGH TIMES.

It is the dull season of the year when even in prosperous times there is something of a commercial stagnation that continues until after the crops have been harvested. The fact that there was no spring trade this year to amount to anything does not make of the present season an exception to the general rule. All branches of trade—manufactures, transports, merchandise and mines—are suffering unusual depression not only in volume, but also in profits. The state of the industries of the United States compares, in some respects, more than favorably with those in other countries, but that fact is scarcely consolatory.

Commercial and financial reports from week to week show that with a large increase in the amount of loans there is a much larger increase in deposits. Money is withdrawn from the ordinary channels of trade and banked. Thus the stringency of the money market is increased. The future disposal of these surplus reserves is a matter of considerable doubt. There is bound to be a change in the business situation, sooner or later. If one could believe that these reserves would be withdrawn from the banks and put into active circulation as soon as business begins to move—far off as such movement may be—he could then feel assured of a tremendous boom in the future. But the conservative inclination of capital, which has been slowly and surely developing in this country, has been intensified by hard times, and gives some reason to believe that the surplus will be withdrawn from the banks very slowly. If that should prove to be a fact the return of better times, when it comes, will scarcely be marked by any decided boom, and will be appreciated only in a healthful, normal movement in the direction of prosperity.—Ex.

THE POWER OF HOPE

Essay Read Before the Alumni Society by Miss Julia A. Conklet

We give herewith the essay read by Miss Julia A. Conklet at the Alumni Reunion and which was crowded out last week for want of room.

There are few words that stir our hearts to such glad sympathy as the simple words "I hope," uttered by a dear friend, whose face, still bearing evidence of severe and long toil, now glows with joyous expectancy. There are fewer still that have the power so to stagnate every pulsation of thought as those same words coming from the lips of one crushed beneath a heavy weight of sorrow, who yet has faith to grasp a promise and cling upon it. Forbidden to enter the inner sanctuary of the soul, and explore its hidden recesses, we pause on the threshold, and bow with reverence at the presence of peace and joy, by which we feel us there and we become silent with an awe which certainly is with gladness, because we are assured of secret springs of strength, of unfailing sources of spiritual wealth. What, then, is Hope? And where is its power? What is its origin? And what its end? "Hope," says one of our lexicographers, "is the desire of some good, accompanied by at least a slight expectation of obtaining it." And again he tells us "It is the confident expectation of good." These are plain words, surely, and rich in powers of suggestion, yet they fail to give us any adequate conception of the nature of Hope. Then the poet comes to our aid, and tells us Hope is a "guiding star," a "beacon light," the pledge of joy, the "friend of Courage," the "sister of truth," and this figured she becomes to us a staff and helper and a most efficient factor in every worthy character. Hope is positive and steadfast. Not the wish, not idless day-dream of ease, or of power and boldness, has in it a single element of hopefulness. These come and go. But they leave us without any purpose. They amuse, but they do not inspire.

Not so Hope. She is prophetic. In the face of toil, fatigue and pain, in spite of bitter disappointments and wearisome delays, she looks forward, confidently, to a glorious end, and a sure reward. In the midst of perplexities and discouragements, which so often come upon us from difficulties without, and oftener still arise from the weakness of our own hearts, Hope steadily points us forward, and stimulates us to renewed exertions by her assurances of ultimate success. For the things for which we toil in hope are not the misty castle images of an idle fancy, nor the delusive phantasms of an excited imagination. They are the realities of Time and Eternity. They are the goals to which we feel it to be possible for us to attain. Bunyan's "Pilgrim," pressing on through trials, obstacles, temptations and manifold discouragements, toward the "Shining Gate at the end of the way," is a true picture of every hopeful worker. John Howard, reforming the prison discipline of England; William Wilberforce, laboring to secure the emancipation of slaves; David Livingstone, devoting his life to the work of opening Africa to Christian Missions and Christian civilization; each had a definite hope. The work before him was no sinecure, the very idea of success seemed to most preposterous. But they were no visionaries. Cool judgment, intelligent preparation, and patient determination were brought to their work. Each had studied the subject in the light of all the information that could be obtained, and had counted the cost, well. More than this, each felt that he had a Divine commission for the undertaking, and God who bade them "Go forward" thus pledged Himself to the accomplishment of that which he commanded. Their hope of success was, therefore, assured. For the work was not theirs, but God's. To them belonged only the duty of fulfilling their appointed tasks. And when, at last, they stood upon the borders of the Promised Land, and saw its goodliness, and knew that its realities were theirs, could they count them dearly bought? It is ever thus. There are duties devolving upon each of us, as members of families, and of society. The full grandeur and glory of the promise attached to the finished work we rarely apprehend—we may not comprehend—until we see its fulfillment. The ideal set before us with every task is perfection. With this constantly in view, it is necessary that we study, plan, and labor for the realization of the ideal. That it is our duty to strive for this, none will question. Divine authority has laid upon us the command, "Be ye perfect." That it is possible for us to reach the standard, none can doubt, who considers whence the command comes, and with it the power to fulfill. Therefore, though every earthly longing be disappointed, and every desire for earthly honor or ease be thwarted, we have a glorious hope, to which we do well to take heed. And the patient, earnest, self-denying toil, the serious, purposeful struggle, which are demanded of us in the pursuit of these things, are not merely the means to the end. They are evidence of the object which calls them forth, and a pledge of success. Into such struggles, Faith enters as an important element. And of necessity it must. Faith and Hope are twin-born, and inseparable. What were a Faith which could offer no Hope to the believer? And without Faith, in the reality of that for which we labor, in the truthfulness, the power, and the love, of him who has bidden us "Work," could we have Hope? It was such united Hope and Faith that empowered Columbus to plead his cause before monarchs and scholars; that enabled him to sustain poverty, scorn and loneliness; to brave the terrors of an unknown sea, to endure the delays and fatigue of the long voyage, and the rebellious impatience of his hopeless crew. The same mighty spirit led the Pilgrim Fathers to quit their dear native England, and bear, for fourteen years, the hardships and sorrows of exile among a people of strange language and customs; and then to undertake the perils, but too well anticipated, of that wonderful voyage in the Mayflower, and a settlement in New England. We read the history of their sacrifices, their sufferings, and their patience; we wonder at their cheerfulness in the face of the gloomiest earthly prospects! And too often, we hear those who have no hope themselves, and who deem present ease and pleasure the highest good, call them fanatics who were in truth the soberest, the most intelligent, the most cultured men of their day. As long as Truth, Love, Faith and Hope remain, that little band of heroic souls shall be the representatives of the living embodiment of these virtues. It was such Hope and Faith that made the Father of his Country strong to do his appointed work, and nerved our beloved Martyr President to bear the burden of that terrible Civil War. But the power of Hope is limited by character. A hope which looks only to the acquisition of material things, or to ease and pleasure, is too often deceptive, and has easily become discouraged. But a hope founded upon the sure basis of Truth, a hope which reaches out after Immortality, and counts the attainment of spiritual perfection as the chief good, can take joyfully the spoiling of all temporal things. Such a hope the man have, he purifieth himself, as the Lord himself is pure. This Hope maketh not ashamed; and with it we cannot fail, for we dare not yield to even the bitterest discouragements lest we lose the reward promised to them that faint not.

Sad, indeed, is his case, who had no Hope, for whom the Future holds no promise, to whom toil, if toil be his lot here, means only weariness and pain, to whom all the brightness and gladness and beauty of Nature are only a mockery, whose one desire is to sleep and forget. There are such. God be thanked the number is constantly growing less. But sadder even than this is the case of the one who, equally hopeless, is willingly so; who, with everything to inspire and foster hopefulness, is content with present ease and enjoyment, and gives himself wholly to the pursuit of mere sensuous pleasure, which can delight but for the hour. Too many such there are. Oh, that they would consider the end of their ways! Reason would teach them to choose the better, if less flowery path, which is yet the path of Hope, and has promise for the life that now is, and that which is to come!

BEAUTIFUL "LAKEVIEW"

Captivates the Heart of a Toledo Man, and He Departs on the Charms of Devils Lake and Its Popular Resort.

In the Bee of last summer appeared a communication from Mr. Graves, of Toledo, on the merits of Devils Lake as a pleasure resort for the public. The very agreeable description given of that locality seemed so paradoxical to the name that I determined on the first convenient occasion to look into the situation and report the items gathered for your columns.

So far as I can learn the singular name "Devils Lake" derived its origin from the Indian legend relating to the drowning therein of a bad chief, whose disturbed spirit in times of storm would be seen in phantom shape crossing the lake with his canoe, which act was attributed to the devil by the Indians, hence the name of Devils Lake. Passing, however, from the imaginary to the real, it may be emphatically stated that the lake is both attractive and interesting, and is very desirable as a resort for recreation and pleasure. Its prominent features of interest to the public are about as follows:

Devils Lake is located in the northwest part of Lenawee county, and is reached by the Michigan & Ohio railway, whose depot is situated on the north end of the Lake. Its outline is much like the letter V. Its length is about four miles, by a maximum width of two miles, and it abounds in the choicest varieties of fish. There is now in course of construction at its north end a commodious hotel of three stories, which will be sure to secure ample patronage. The southern division, is however, by all odds, the most beautiful and attractive part of the lake, which has an oblong form whose length is about two miles, by one in width. The whole expanse of water is clear as crystal. Its surroundings of forest trees with their rich and varied foliage; the grassy slopes and the verdant crops together form a beautiful mirror in its frame, presenting a scene of landscape, and of water, which, like a panoramic vision, delights the eye, pleases the imagination, and excites in the beholder a love for the beautiful in nature. Such scenes enhance the enjoyments of life.

Here, too, the appliances of capital, of utility and of art come into play, by which to afford additional pleasure. Mr. Beardsell, of Hudson, the proprietor of the property, from which the best perspective of the lake can be obtained, has here erected a commodious hotel, with cottages adjacent for the accommodation of guests, who are amply and substantially supplied with the comforts of life at a very moderate cost. His pleasure grounds cover 40 acres, and the drives in the country around are very pleasant. In the matter of aquatic and piscatorial enjoyments it would probably be difficult to find arrangements more complete or satisfactory. Bathing houses are located on the fine sandy bottom of the lake, in which persons of either sex may quietly bath in its pure waters. There are more than fifty boats for the purpose of rowing and sailing, also two steamers, the "City of Hudson," a sidewheel, carries 250 persons, the "Little Devil," a propeller, carries 50 persons. There is also in course of construction a barge, to be towed by the steamer, when accommodation will be provided for taking 500 persons at a trip around the lake, the distance being but little short of ten miles. The propeller connects at the north end of the lake with the noon trains passing over the Michigan & Ohio, both east and west.

The name of this commodious, interesting, and popular resort of pleasure-seekers is that of the "Lake View Hotel and Grove, Beardsell's Landing." The advantages I have named are further supplemented by the enterprising proprietor obtaining telephone connections with Hudson, ten miles distant, at his own cost. Thus the guests from Toledo, Detroit, Adrian, Indianapolis and numerous other places, may hold direct converse with their families, and business associations, while enjoying a sojourn at this complete and liberally conducted establishment. The following shows its appreciation: On Monday last a message came to Mr. Beardsell from a prominent business man of Summit street Toledo, asking if accommodation could be had at Devils Lake from July 3d to the 6th for from 30 to 50 gentlemen and ladies from the city. The reply was sent, "Yes." Message then came, send the "Little Devil" to meet us at the Michigan & Ohio station on the 3d of July by the noon train going west. Here, then, is the singularity of this message. A party of gentlemen and ladies from Toledo, avow their intention of celebrating the "glorious Fourth" at "Devils Lake," and have telephoned for the "Little Devil" to assist them in getting there. According to common usage and common credence, both the name of the lake and also that of the servitor whose aid is sought at the depot, the adventure seems dark and slangerous, and full of foreboding. However, it is only in name, that is all.

It is just such resources of rest and pleasure as are here provided, that the masses of people require. The capitalists who provide them at moderate cost, and the railroads whose special rates enable the working classes occasionally to enjoy their benefits are thus doing the public an essential service, which is entitled to respect and co-operation. N. H. C.

We have just received from the enterprising publishers A. H. Andrews & Co., a most useful little volume, suggestively called "Look Within for Five Thousand Facts that Everybody Wants to Know." It contains 75 pages of condensed information on Mechanics, Statistics, History, Medicine, Astronomy, Finance, Mythology, Education, Mathematics, The Bible, Politics, Agriculture, Religion, Science, Temperance, Trade, etc., etc., in fact there seems to be something for everybody and nothing that some one will not be glad to know. It is embellished with a number of colored diagrams, and is by far the most valuable and complete Pocket Cyclopædia we have yet seen. It is offered for sale at the exceedingly low price of 15 cents, for which sum in stamps it will be sent postpaid by the publishers, A. H. Andrews & Co., Chicago.

The Chinese are said to be the most imitative race of people in existence. Americans do not fall far behind them. There are many liquid compounds having a peculiar and original color, odor or flavor by which they are recognized, and chemistry has advanced so far that it is easy, by the help of worthless ingredients, to prepare something having the semblance of the original, but without the characteristics which render it sought after. Wines and liquors of inferior quality are often by chemical process given an appearance of age and strength which they do not possess. St. Jacobs Oil has always been recognized by a peculiar color and odor, and knowing this, many attempts have been made to imitate it by preparations having no curative power. The warnings which have been uttered on this subject should be carefully heeded.

The Hot Weather.

The hot weather of mid-summer has a weakening effect, both upon body and mind. You feel absolutely incapable of doing any arduous work, and even light duties are performed languidly and unwillingly. This low state of the system causes even greater infirmity, and gives opportunity for serious disease to gain a foothold. In this condition the system is quick to respond to the reviving, quickening, and strengthening effects of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies the blood, regulates the digestive organs, and infuses fresh life and vigor into every portion of the body. People who have taken it write us saying: "It puts new life right into me." "It makes me young again." Reader, if you suffer from summer weakness, try Hood's Sarsaparilla. 100 Doses $1.

The July Magazine of American History is a remarkably strong number. It opens a new volume, and also its promised Civil War Papers. Its frontispiece is a portrait of President Lincoln. The leading article, "Washington in March and April, 1861," by Lieut.-General Charles P. Stone, is admirably presented and pertinently illustrated. The seven standing departments are splendidly sustained, and the entire number is one of the most readable and attractive ever issued. Price 50 cents a number; or $5.00 a year in advance. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York City.

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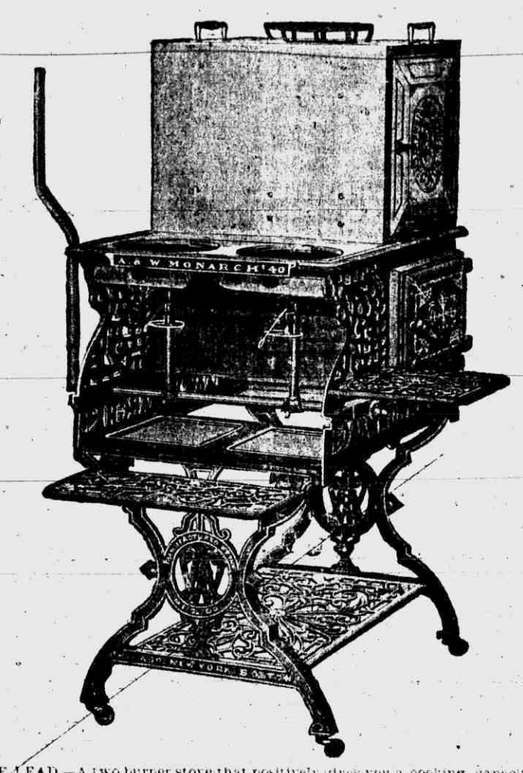

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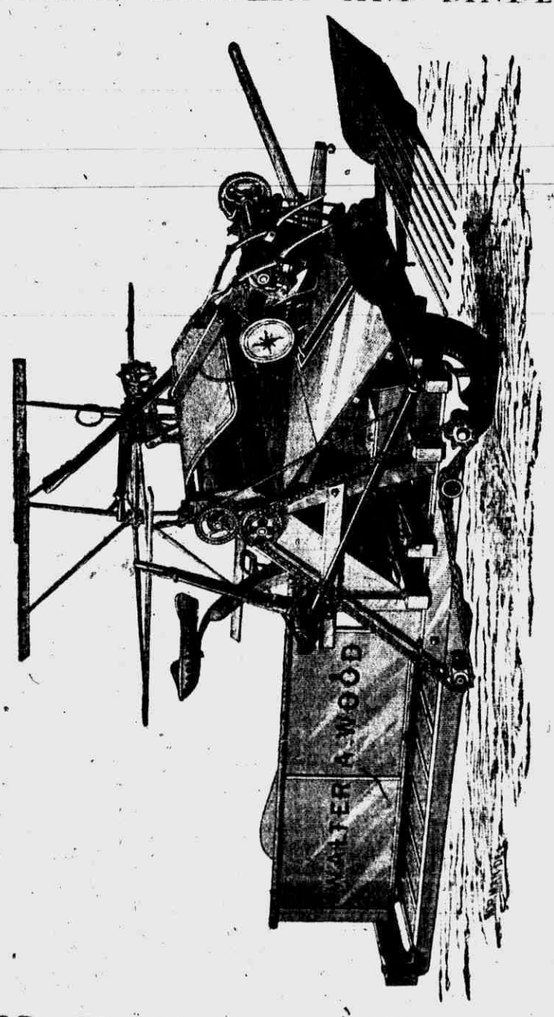

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The farmers are all busy haying this week.

There was never a more abundant strawberry crop in Michigan than that of the present season.

Fred Rosacrans and Will Kies went to Sand Lake Tuesday afternoon for a few days of fun, fishing and recreation.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman requests those indebted to her to call and settle the same, as she needs the money to pay her indebtedness.

All members of Tecumseh Lodge No. 14 are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, July 14th, for the purpose of installing officers.

Mrs. Geo Stilson, *nee* Josie Landon, of Norwalk, Conn., was called home to Tecumseh to attend the funeral of her father which took place on the 7th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Brown leave Tecumseh Saturday afternoon to attend the sixth annual convention of photographers, to be held in the city of Buffalo, July 14th to 18th.

The M. & O. railroad will run another excursion train from Toledo to Devils Lake next Sunday. The train will leave Tecumseh at 10:07 A. M., and returning leave the lake at 6 P. M.—Fare for the round trip from this station only 40 cents.

The editor of the Battle Creek Moon has been loaded with the straw that broke the camel's back, and he writes thus Parties getting job printing in job offices not connected with newspapers will hereafter be charged ten cents per line, for all local notices which they may want for socials, festivals, dances, etc. If you want the favor of such notices gratis, bring your work to the office which gives you the puff and help to support it. Don't withhold your cash patronage from a local paper that is trying to build up the city, and then expect it will help you for nothing. That is the meanest kind of cheek.

H. L. Hayward, editor of the Longmont, Colorado, Ledger, and formerly pastor of the Universalist church of this village, has been on a visiting tour of two months through the eastern states. This is what he says of the wheat crop of Michigan.

Throughout the state of Michigan, which is probably the best winter wheat state in the Union, the wheat crop is unusually fine. Only in a very few fields did we detect any spots where the plants had been winter-killed, the unusual depth of the snow having protected the young wheat from what is universally declared to have been an exceptionally severe winter. The growth is very thrifty, the heads are long, there are no indications of rust, and so far as could be determined two weeks before harvest, the yield will be considerable above the average. In this respect, Michigan is far ahead of nearly every other state in which winter wheat is grown, in most of which the wheat was badly winter-killed.

Morenci Observer: On Wednesday, July 1st, the Morenci postoffice, with many others, dropped back from a presidential office to one of the fourth class, owing to the decrease of its receipts, on account of the reduction of postage to two cents. So the postmaster, instead of a $1,000 salary per annum, now gets a commission on the stamps canceled, which will amount to a less sum. The present postmaster, Mr. G. T. Cottrell, was commissioned by President Arthur, and in view of the change just effected, it is very probable that a new appointment will soon be made by the first assistant postmaster general. The aspirants for Mr. Cottrell's position have, therefore, not been quiet within a few days. One of them is a one-legged veteran, G. P. Van Alstine, who held the office in Andy Johnson's time, and his friends are quite confident that he will again serve our community in that capacity. Another would-be mail distributor is Levi Acker, who has the influence and backing of a considerable number. But we shall soon see what we shall see.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 9, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Where did you spend the fourth?

Lon Haught and Ben Garlinghouse spent the 4th in Chicago.

Extra good bargains in hats and flowers at Mrs. N. R. Brown's.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. James, of Detroit, were in town over the 4th.

A goodly number of Tecumseh people went to Devils Lake on the 4th.

Dr. L. H. Goodrich, of Detroit spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Burlingame, in this village.

The bulk of this year's wool crop has been marketed, and only straggling offerings are now made.

Mrs. Dave Macham, who has been visiting friends in Dundee the past week, returned home Monday.

Chas. Eldredge and family came to Tecumseh to celebrate the 4th and took a trip to Devils Lake on that day.

Geo. Train, of Bryan, Ohio, celebrated the 4th among his old Tecumseh friends and remained over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. C. Baird spent last Saturday and Sunday as the guests of Mrs. Baird's mother, Mrs. E. B. Wood.

Bert Tribou and Alf. James, of Detroit, celebrated in Tecumseh, and remained over the Sabbath with their friends here.

Hundreds of people took advantage of the low rates offered by the railroads July 3 to 6 to visit friends and relatives at distant points.

Tecumseh represented a deserted village last Saturday. Adrian chiefly attracted our patriots, young and old, in celebrating "the glorious."

E. A. Tribou, assignee of W. Comfort, desires all who are indebted on book account or note, to call and pay the same. Office up-stairs, HERALD building.

Lavern Wheeler took a landscape view of the old Peter R. Adams homestead the other day. The family wish a picture of the old house before its removal.

Mrs. F. H. Burlingame has returned from Kalamazoo, and will remain here for a short time. She reports Fred as doing well, and well pleased with his situation.

Will McCowen, of Independence, Iowa, is in town for a short time, visiting his parents. He has not been in Tecumseh for two years, but he looks just as he used to.

Mrs. H. E. Stout returned home from Battle Creek last Friday. Mrs. W. R. Wooden and C. H. Hopkins came with her and they will remain a few days on a visit.

Capt. Foster and wife took their celebration by going to Plainwell and Grand Rapids last Friday, where they visited two daughters of his and Mrs. Foster's relatives. They returned on Monday.

We are indebted to County Clerk Bixby for a copy of the pamphlet containing the Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors. It also contains a list of all county and township officers, and the official canvass of the November and April elections.

Fred Kloffenstein, who for so long a time held the position of foreman in Arnold's bakery, has purchased an establishment at Fremont, Ohio, and will hereafter carry on business in his own name. Fred is a genial, whole-souled fellow, and as a workman has no superior. We are sorry to lose him from among us, but our loss is the gain of Fremont, and we hope the citizens of that town will give him the patronage which he well deserves.

The Vescelius Concert was one of the finest musical entertainments to which Tecumseh people have listened in a long time. The singing of the three sisters was superb, and the other features of the program were very creditable. We regret to say that the audience was not what it should have been. It was appreciative enough, that is true, what there was of it, but for some inexplainable reason, it was very diminutive in number. It is no credit to the musical intelligence and culture of this community that so good an entertainment should be greeted with so small an audience.

The opening of the new Devils Lake House at the north end of the Lake on July 3rd and 4th was a perfect success. One hundred and two couple participated in the ball on the night of the 3rd. The music was fine and the dancers stayed until the daylight streaked the morning sky. During the day, Saturday, people were coming and going during the entire day on the different trains and by boat from across the lake and with teams from the country round about. Over two hundred and fifty people were fed there during the day and the boats were employed from morning till night. All the towns both east and west of the lake were represented, from Dundee to Homer, and the visitors were well pleased with the house and accommodations received.

Jules Venere, of Cleveland, O., was in town the 4th.

Will Sutfin went to Bay City on the 4th to shoot off his fire-crackers.

Marvin Fuller, of Adrian, has been visiting friends in Tecumseh the past week.

Henry Werner, of Jackson county, is visiting his brother John for a few days.

The 4th, of July social at the M. E. church was well patronized, netting $25 for the society.

This vicinity was favored by a very fine rain on Monday evening, doing an immense amount of good.

Oscar Heck will fill the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday next, and an interesting discourse may be looked for.

Will Scofield has purchased Hobe Bird's interest in the dray business, and will hereafter do your toteing in great shape.

E. C. Williams returned from New York City on Saturday last and reports having had a very successful business trip.

Miss Jennie Frazer, who has been teaching at Lake Linden for the past two years, returned to her home in this village on Tuesday.

The Episcopal social will be held this evening, at the residence of J. F. Hicks. Ice cream and cake served. All are cordially invited to attend.

The order of Good Templars has a total of 7000 lodges with a membership of about 300,000. The ritual of the order is published in ten different languages.

The annual meeting of the Southern Michigan Medical Society will be held at the court house, in Hillsdale, on Tuesday, July 14th, beginning at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Five hundred and thirty-five tickets were sold at the L. S. & M. S. R. R. office in this village to parties who celebrated elswhere. 444 of the number were for Adrian. The M. & O. sold about 70.

We are glad to announce that Miss Stella Cleveland, one of our compositors, who has been sick with fever for the past four weeks is now on the road to recovery and will soon take her place among the HERALD force.

Tecumseh came very near having a fire to celebrate the 4th with. The dry goods boxes in the rear of Strong & McNair's store caught fire on the night of the 3d, from fire-crackers, but it was put out before it had attained much headway.

The annual distribution of prizes by the Detroit Commercial Advertiser (in which some Tecumseh people had an interest) happened Wednesday of last week, on a river steamboat. A. D. McDonald, of Chicago, is the owner of ticket No. 43,242, which drew the capital prize of $2,000.

The Dundee Reporter says the business men and farmers thereabouts are discussing the question of holding a fair this year, and the proposition meets with very general favor. There is no reason why Dundee should not have a fair, and have a good one, and we trust it will not end in talk.

The Adrian Record wants the city fathers to pass an ordinance prohibiting singing on the streets in order to put a quietus on the Salvation army. If such an ordinance had been passed some weeks ago the several young men who were fined for disturbing the peace while serenading one evening, would be able to lay aside their winter garments and blossom out in a new spring suit.

The Adrian Record says: Ex-President Durgin, late of Hillsdale college is just now the beneficiary of a great deal of free advertising through the state papers, he having been arrested and fined five dollars for failing to make returns of marriages to the county clerk as the law provides shall be done. Why it is that ministers who should be law abiding if anybody, time and again fail to make these returns, is something very strange. It was only by sharp letters and final threats to prosecute that certain ministers of this county were induced by T. M. Hunter, their county clerk, to make their returns. Durgin's fine just spoils the profits of an average Ohio marriage on the Michigan side of the line.

It is said that sparrows tackle the 17 year locust and get away with him. If there is anything that flies less swiftly than a scandal rumor that a sparrow will not tackle, it must be something newer than a locust.—Adrian Record. If all reports are true a sparrow wouldn't be a good sized mouthful for one of these 17-year locusts. The following touching on their masticating propensities is vouched for by a western man: Back in '74 an old brahma rooster of mine swallowed the first locust that lit near him, but that was the only one he ever got 'cause the other locusts buried him six inches deep and eat him up so quick that the one he'd just swallowed hopped out of his crop as lively as a cricket. Stranger, if ye'd go west and talk about chickens getting fat on locusts they'd laugh at ye an' call ye a tenderfoot.—Hudson Gazette.

John J. Orr and family celebrated in Jackson.

Excuse us for all oversights the "boss" is away.

Joe Burroughs, of Clinton, was in town Tuesday.

Prosecuting Attorney L. H. Salsbury was in town Tuesday.

Geo. W. Stacy, of Buffalo, arrived in town on Tuesday noon.

Charlie Kennedy, of Battle Creek, is visiting friends in town this week.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Monro, of Morenci, were the guests of E. Hand over Sunday.

Miss Lu. Reynolds, of Clinton, was visiting Tecumseh friends last Tuesday.

Alf. James attended a meeting of the building committee of the new court house at Adrian on Tuesday.

The Tecumseh "kid base ball nine" will play a Clinton nine to-morrow, and an Adrian nine a week from to-morrow.

Co. C went to Adrian thirty-one strong last Saturday morning, and presented a fine appearance. They didn't come home quite so strong.

Last Sunday being the second anniversary of their wedding, Mrs. E. M. Conklin presented the Doctor with a fine bouncing boy, who will in a short time call him pa. The mother, child and the Doctor are all doing well.

Hudson Gazette: With 2,000,000 celery plants and 40 acres of cabbages growing finely at Tecumseh, the editor ought to be handsomely remembered this season.

Bless you, neighbor, don't be downhearted, there's plenty of cabbage-heads in Hudson. You're a-head of Tecumseh in that respect.

Detroit News: At Tecumseh wool is a drug on the market, buyers offering worse than panic prices. A fine clip of wool sold at Clinton Saturday for 15 and 20 cents, the buyers assorting it. Two farmers in Macon drew their wool to Adrian one day last week, and were obliged to draw it back to Tecumseh and take what they could get.

Adrian Record: Prof. Hathaway, the tarred and feathered reporter of the Toledo Democrat is making a tour of Michigan, and seems to take pride in relating the story of his adventure. He says he is offered $3,000 to settle, but wants $5,000. Young man listen to a voice from Michigan;—you take that $3,000 and be mad at yourself for not being able to say "yes" as quick as you ought to.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson has gone to visit relatives and his old home near Weston, West Va. He expects to be absent for three Sundays. He has arranged for the supply of his pulpit as follows: Sunday morning, July 12, Rev. Mr. Vincent, of Tecumseh; evening, Rev. A. B. Storms, of Franklin. Sunday July 19, Rev. Mr. Price, of Tecumseh in the morning, and Rev. J. M. Kerridge, of Clinton, in the evening. Sunday, July 26, Rev. G. D. Perry in the morning, and Rev. Wm. Q. Burnett in the evening.

S. C. Stacy, editor of the HERALD, Miss Loana Stacy, and C. F. Field, of the News, left Tecumseh on Monday to attend the meeting of the Michigan Press Association at Traverse City. The railroads of the state have kindly offered transportation to the "quill" fraternity, free of charge, while citizens of Traverse City, Petosky, and Charlevoix have volunteered the rather gigantic task of endeavoring to see the fraternity and their ladies hospitably fed and cared for. A special train was run from Monroe to Traverse City for the accommodation of the editors of the south part of the state.

On Tuesday afternoon, William Carroll, who had just completed a twenty days sentence in the county jail for drunkenness, was arrested by John M. Hibbard, on a complaint of Strong & McNair for obtaining goods under false pretense. Justice Burridge gave him a hearing and bound him over to the circuit court. Carroll also obtained a watch at Adamson Bros., claiming that L. C. Miller, of Macon, ordered him to procure it there, which was also false. He is the same party who stabbed Dr. Hanse several years ago, and is evidently a hard case and the sooner he gets a long sentence the better it will be for the community.

The fashion seems to be growing to remove the front fences. If it was generally followed, so that a square or street presented a uniform appearance, there might be something to commend it, but to see one lot in a block without a fence, and the others neatly fenced can scarcely be called an improvement. Miss Sarah Jewett, the author of "Deephaven," "A Country Doctor" etc., writes of this as follows "People do not know what they lose when they make way with the reserve, the separateness, the sanctity of the front yard. It is like writing down the family secrets for any one to read; it is like having everybody call you by your first name, and sitting in any pew in church, like having your house in the middle of the road, to take away the fence, which slight as it may be, is a fortification around your home. More things than one, may come in without being asked. We Americans had better build more fences than take away from our lives.

There are fourteen prisoners in the county jail.

Flo Deuel is sticking type in the News office this week.

Hon. B. L. Baxter, of Battle Creek, is home for a few days.

Sixteen marriages were recorded in the county clerk's office on Tuesday.

John Anderson has purchased a fine new Columbia bicycle and is learning to ride the animal.

There were three thousand visitors to the Free Methodist camp meeting at Blissfield last week.

Lawrence Bauer has secured the agency of the Washington Fire Insurance Co., of Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Truman D. McKinney, left Tecumseh yesterday morning for a few days visit with friends at Belleville.

Ed. Williamson arrived home from New York just in time to be presented with a bouncing girl baby by his wife. Ed. thinks he will go again.

When one small man like J. D. Arner, of Ridgeway, takes a trip to the lakes accompanied by six young ladies all at once, the other fellows don't hardly stand a fair show.

Mrs. F. G. Foster is visiting her cousin Mrs. D. W. Clark, on her way to N. Y., from the City of Victoria, Mexico, where she has been visiting her son for the past year and a half.

The board of health for the village have ordered that all cases of scarlet fever, diptheria, and other contagious diseases hereafter reported, shall be placarded and quarantined for at least 30 days.
D. T. HALL, chairman.

An effort is being made to set the old organization of the Lenawee Co., Soldiers' and Sailors' Association on its feet again. Two delegations from each G. A. R. Post in the county are requested to meet in this village to-morrow, to assist in the reorganization.

At a regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 34, I. O. O. F., the following officers were elected for the ensuing quarter:
N. G.—J. W. Wooden.
V. G.—J. M. Hibbard.
P. S.—T. Cummins.
R. S.—Wm. Smallidge.
Treas.—C. E. Williamson.

On Monday last J. E. McCollum, of Clinton, succeeded in effecting a settlement with his creditors and the business is again in his own hands and name, and the assignee discharged. We are glad to note this fact as J. E. McCollum is one of the best business men in our neighboring village.

The Universalist people of Manchester church, hold a Basket grove Meeting next Sunday, July 12th, on the farm of Lyman Baldwin. Services at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 2 in the afternoon. Rev. J. M. Getchell of this place will be the attending minister All will be welcomed.

The summer session of the Normal school of Adrian College will doubtless be largely attended. The session opens July 20th. The advantages offered for summer work will be appreciated. President Stephens reports already a number of applicants for rooms in the college building.

There is more than one way to celebrate the glorious 4th, and Geo. Zimmerman Miss Allie Beerman concluded that the proper way for them to celebrate would be to take a trip to Blissfield and get married, which they accordingly did. The bride and groom returned to Tecumseh Tuesday and will immediately set up housekeeping. May they live to celebrate many more fourths.

Science will publish on July 10 a sanitary number giving special attention to water and the soil in their relations to the contagious diseases. One of the longer articles gives the history of the water-supply and the sewer-system of Chicago in relation to the health of the city. Its reviews of valuable books will contain new light upon the longevity of the different classes of society, the comparative exposure of the poor and the rich to infectious diseases, and the relation of consumption to age.

Adrian Times: The Emmet Rifles, of Jackson, have been assigned to the first regiment. Other changes in the state troops are made as follows Muskegon to the first regiment, Grand Rapids to the second regiment, Menominee and Houghton to the third regiment. The first battalion at Detroit, companies D of Monroe, F of Ypsilanti and the company of M. G. Borgman, of Detroit are assigned to the fourth regiment. This makes a vacancy in the colonelcy of the fourth regiment, which will necessitate a new election.

Adrian Press: A Hudson lady rented the grand stand one day for the hoss races, or at least one seat thereon, and was promptly on hand to enjoy the sport all day, and when she arrived home, she discovered to her horror, that she had made a mistake and put her over-skirt on the wrong side out. She has been under the doctor's care ever since. Hudson ladies are very particular as to propriety and neatness, and any deviation from regulation standard is apt to cause deep annoyance. We don't think, however, the lady need take it to heart. Horse races excuse most everything.

A hen party went to Sand Lake this morning.

Nearly every cottage at Sand Lake is now occupied.

Trotting and running races at Bills' track this afternoon.

Car load of watermelons went over the branch this morning.

Will Bidwell has accepted a position in the office of C. A. Slayton's warehouse.

Work was commenced on the foundation for the new engine house this morning.

Prof. Haight, of the Alton, Ill, schools is visiting his cousin Mrs. A. W. Slayton.

Jas. Lowry and Snell & Wallinger have had their plate glass fronts ornamented with new signs.

Zack Snell's new house on the corner of Kilbuck and Ononda streets, will be ready for occupancy in a short time.

J. J. Daly, the shoe man, paid a visit to Chicago last week, and from the amount of goods he brought back with him one would judge that a number of Chicago shoe men needed money.

When you wish to visit Detroit go to Raisin Center and take the Wabash morning train which arrives in Detroit at 9:35 A. M.; returning leaves Detroit at 5:00 P. M. connecting with the M. & O. evening train at Britton.

Detroit Journal: The Adrian Times spitefully records the fact that a Detroiter was sent to Clinton to die. Detroit physicians declaring that he had but a few brief days to live Upon reaching Clinton, Dr. Cameron, a local physician, who probably would not recognize a bacillus on the street, and who has no acquaintance with bocteria, took charge of the case and cured the man in three months.

ON THE WING.

The Editor of the Herald Arrives Safe at Traverse City

The following brief note reached here this morning

TUESDAY, 2 P. M. We have just had dinner, and will attend the session of the Press Association this afternoon. We took a ride around the village this forenoon, and went up to the asylum. It is a beautiful day. Leave here on the boat at 8 A. M. to-morrow for Petoskey. Met the Grand Rapids train at Reed City; about 300 persons on board when we reached Traverse City. Have been royally entertained at Traverse City and on the whole route.
S. C. STACY.

—Just received by C. A. Slayton, two of the celebrated "Advance" Threshers from Battle Creek. One for W. E. and S. D. Smith and one for Clayton and Chas. Ellis.

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—Miss A. M. Adams is here for a few weeks, and would like pupils in decorative painting. Samples of work can be seen at Mr. Sparks' music store or at W. D. Adams' store.

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CARE OF THE SICK.

Poultices, Plasters and Blisters—How They are Prepared.

Poultices are used in so many cases that it is very important to know how to make and apply them properly. They are intended to convey warmth and moisture to the parts affected, and so must not be made too dry, nor allowed to grow cold before being put on. A wet, sloppy poultice is almost as objectionable as a dry, hard one, and a little care will enable one to attain the happy medium. Flaxseed meal is the best material for a poultice; it is not always at hand in a country house, and then a substitute must be found for it. If many poultices are likely to be required, as in peritonitis, or inflammation of the bowels, it is well to buy a few pounds, for nothing can satisfactorily replace it. If it has not been applied to an open surface where there is a discharge of matter, the flaxseed can be scraped from the cotton and heated again, adding a little water if too stiff, or more meal if there is not enough. To make it, have ready a sufficient quantity of boiling water in a sauce-pan (two teacupfuls will make a good-sized poultice), and into this stir enough of the meal to make a soft, thick paste. By stirring in one direction, and putting in the meal gradually, there will be no lumps. It need not boil after the flaxseed is in. Have ready a piece of old cotton, about two inches larger each way than the poultice is to be when applied, and a small piece of thin muslin. Dip a spoon in boiling water, and spread the flaxseed evenly on the cotton, leaving at least two inches of margin on all sides; lay the muslin on top of the poultice, and fold the margin neatly over it. This prevents the possibility of the flaxseed oozing out. No poultice or plaster should ever be directly applied to the skin; there should always be a layer of muslin, old linen, fine cambric, or some thin fabric, between, to prevent the skin from being soiled, and to make it more easy to remove the application.

Carrots, boiled soft and smoothly mashed, make a good poultice, and turnips prepared in the same way are sometimes used. These must be spread quickly, or they will cool too rapidly. Onions boiled in water to which a little vinegar has been added, make an excellent poultice; they should be crushed with a spoon when spreading them on the cotton. Indian meal makes a tolerable substitute for flaxseed, and is improved by the addition of a third part of slippery elm. Bread is a good material for a small poultice; it should be stale and only the crumbs used. Crumble it between the fingers, and pour over it enough boiling milk or water to moisten it thoroughly. When a poultice is intended to relieve pain, a small quantity of laudanum is sprinkled on the surface. If it is applied when there is an offensive discharge, powered charcoal is used in the same way, or a tablespoonful of carbolic acid solution is put into the water with which it is made. A poultice ought to be removed every two hours at least, and covered with a piece of oiled silk, India rubber cloth, or several thicknesses of flannel, to retain the heat. Before applying it, test it with the finger; if it feels uncomfortably warm, it is certainly too hot to lay on a sick person. When a gentle stimulant is required, a mustard plaster is generally used. Equal parts of mustard and wheat flour is a good proportion. They should be mixed to a smooth paste with warm water—boiling water destroys the essential oil of the mustard and renders it less efficacious—and then spread as thinly as possible on a piece of stout cotton, covered with muslin and applied. In ten minutes a corner should be raised, the state of the skin inspected and, if very red, the plaster removed. It is not desirable to raise a blister, as one made by mustard is more painful than any other. It is said that when mixed with the white of an egg, it will not blister. Flannel dipped in vinegar and thickly sprinkled with red pepper, makes a stimulating application, that is also free from this objection. An admirable plaster for a swelled breast is made by melting together a piece of resin the size of an egg and a lump of mutton tallow as large as a nutmeg; let them remain on the stove for an hour, and when taken from the fire, stir in the yelk of an egg. Have ready a piece of cotton the proper size, cut round and with a hole in the middle; spread the mixture on it, cover with part of an old handkerchief, shaped like the cotton, and apply warm to the breast. It usually gives great relief, and may be left on three or four days.

When a doctor orders a blister, he generally sends one ready prepared from an apothecary's shop, or a bottle of blistering fluid, which only requires to be painted on the spot where the blister is to be raised. It must not be applied where the skin is broken; the surface should be washed, and, if not too tender, rubbed with a rough towel. The time required for it to rise varies in different persons; it is usually from six to twelve hours. If it is very slow, it can be hastened by putting on a warm poultice; the vesicles will then be larger, and less painful. When the blister is raised, if it is intended to let it heal, the skin must not be removed, but snipped carefully in one place with a pair of sharp scissors, and the fluid that has accumulated allowed to escape, then dressed with a piece of soft linen spread with lard or vaseline. If it is to be kept open, the skin must be carefully cut around the edge and taken off, the surface being dressed with any stimulating ointment the physician orders. In either case the place must be washed every morning by gently squeezing tepid water over it from a sponge, a basin or thickly folded towel being placed underneath, to absorb the moisture. The ointment must be applied again as at first.—*Elizabeth Robinson Scovil, in Country Gentleman.*

—A woman of Middleton, Conn., who had become exasperated at an eagle that had stolen her chickens and pigeons saw him taking a siesta the other day after lunching on a spring chicken. She got down a double-barreled shotgun, pointed it at the eagle, shut both eyes and fired both barrels. She brought down the bird, which is to be stuffed as a trophy.—*Hartford Courant.*

THE COMMERCIAL TRAVELER.

A Drummer Who Was Not the Gay and Festive Creature He is Usually Thought to Be.

He was a traveling-man. That fact was conveyed to the other passengers on the train by his good clothes and comfortable air of well-to-do-ativeness as well as by his general bearing of being accustomed to luxuries. He had the best fare at the best hotels, and his employer's money paid for it as an investment that would return sure dividends. For the rest, he was absent from his family nearly all the time, traveling night and day in close, hot, ill-ventilated cars, worked like a machine at every town on his route, and earned a better salary than any professional man of his acquaintance. He was the first to make up a purse for a widow or stranded fellow-traveler, and when he read the newspaper stories of the gay and festive drummer he wondered why in the course of his travels he never met any of the craft. The men he knew were, like himself, of honorable record, often inconveniencing themselves to help one another on the way through.

There was a stir at a station, and two pretty girls came aboard. They laughed and giggled; threw kisses to their friends at the depot; gave silly messages and good-byes, and, as the train started, they took a seat behind the commercial traveler. There were other seats vacant, but they preferred this, and rustled into it with a series of little shrieks and giggles.

"Did you see Tom Barlow watching us, Nellie? Te-he-he."

"He'll be there to meet us when we go back, see if he isn't, Kittie! Ha! ha!"

"Say, *he's* a drummer," giggled Nellie, hunching her friend toward the front seat.

"Too awfully swell, ain't he? Oh, my!"

The traveler did not make any answer. His [illegible] fine and pretentious as the [illegible] man who does his duty and o[illegible] anything has a right to be, w[illegible] glanced down over his eyes, his lips were compressed, and he replied by no look or motion to the rude speech of the merry girls.

"Must be awfully stuck up," whispered Nellie, but not so low but that the man on the seat before her could hear distinctly.

"Doesn't notice common people," answered Kittie, with a toss of her head.

These were young ladies, dear readers. Not hobble-de-hoy schoolgirls or coarse, ill-bred hoydens. They moved in the best society, and their respective fathers and mothers would have been greatly astonished to learn that their daughters flirted. But then, fathers and mothers are usually the last to know what is going on among their own young people.

"W-would you be so kind, sir, as to tell us what time it is?" asked Nellie, in a little, meek, far-away voice, while her companion tittered and looked out of the window.

Both the young ladies wore watches, as was patent to an observer, but the gentleman addressed could do nothing less than answer so direct a question. This he did in a brief manner, and with a voice that noticeably trembled.

"Poor thing, he was quite overcome," whispered Kittie, audibly. "I'm going to want this window put up pretty soon."

"Allow me," said the traveling man respectfully, and the disconcerted young lady blushed and simpered, and sat in the draught without protest.

The next move was made by the gentleman. He took from his pocket a photograph and inspected it long and sadly. Tears welled into his eyes, his face flushed, and he returned it to his pocket.

The two young ladies did not see the photograph, at least not to recognize whether it was man or woman, but they te-he'd and simpered and even speculated in a low voice as to who it might be—wife or sweetheart.

"Don't tell me he's married," cried Kittie in a loud whisper. "He hasn't the courage to pop the question."

"That was his grandmother's picture," chimed in Nellie. "Good boy! carries it with him so that the old lady will hear of it and leave him something in her will."

Then they giggled in chorus, and the train drew up at a station where some very anxious looking faces were pressing forward as if in search of some one.

The commercial traveler caught up his satchel and slung it over his shoulder; then he took the photograph he had been looking at out of his pocket, and turned to the two young ladies who began to feel a little uncomfortable at his manner.

"That is the picture of my little daughter," he said, holding up the counterfeit of a lovely, smiling child of six years; "she is very ill, and I am summoned home, perhaps to see her die. But let me tell you that I would rather a thousand times know, at this moment, that the breath of life had forever passed her sweet lips, than to think she could ever grow up into a silly, dishonest woman, tempting and toying with souls to feed her on wicked vanity."

Almost the next moment they saw him on the platform, and a fair woman hung on his arm, and his face lighted with pleasure at her words. But the two sank back out of sight, enraged, mortified, yet conscious that they had found, in one traveling man, an honest-minded friend who had dared to give them a word of needful warning.—*Mrs. Mayne, in Detroit Free Press.*

—Maine papers say that a Bath boarding mistress surprised one of her boarders, who was learning to play on the banjo, by reducing the price of his board on the ground that his singing and playing had frightened away all the rats. The compliment discouraged the young man so much that he has given up practice.

—The United States Consulate at Nogales, Sonora, Mexico, is without a flag. This is probably the only case on record where a branch of the United States Consular Department is not represented by the National ensign.—*Chicago Times.*

SUBDUING AN ELEPHANT.

Swinging a Recalcitrant Quadruped in the Air to Bring Him to Reason.

It took a dozen men five days of last week to break the spirit of a vicious elephant in the winter quarters of Adam Forepaugh's menagerie. Early in February one of Mr. Forepaugh's European agents bought four elephants and shipped them to this country. The huge beasts reached New York two weeks ago, and were at once transferred to Philadelphia. Three were docile, but the other, Ajax, is a tusker, eight feet high and vicious.

On reaching this city he became sullen, but Jack Forepaugh, who has charge of the winter quarters, believing that the brute would become good natured in a day or two, hitched him to a post and locked him up for the night. A few hours' later Ajax broke his chains, butted the iron-bound door of his room, and rushed into an apartment in which a dozen of the more peaceable elephants live. He attacked a performing elephant named Bazie and a desperate fight began. Five or six of the small elephants broke loose. Their frightened cries soon excited every animal in the buildings, and the air was filled with roars that aroused the neighborhood. The night keepers were afraid to attempt to separate Ajax and Bazie, who were trumpeting and charging at each other with great fury. When their huge bodies came together at the end of every rush the shock could be felt throughout the place.

Jack Forepaugh was sent for, but before he arrived the watchman discovered that Ajax and Bazie were so engaged with each other that they did not heed what was going on about them. The doors were opened, and all the elephants except the fighters were driven out. By the time this was accomplished Mr. Forepaugh arrived. He has had thirty years' experience with wild animals and stands no more in fear of an elephant than an ordinary person does of a dog. Grasping an elephant hook—a spike and a hook on a handle—he ran between the furious beasts and ordered Bazie back. Bazie obeyed, but the blood of the new elephant was up and he charged on the man, who eluded him and fastened the hook in the beast's ear. Ajax turned and bore down upon him. The trainer stabbed him with a spike and dodged behind a post. Ajax butted the post down as though it was a reed. The other men ran to Mr. Forepaugh's assistance and assailed the elephant from so many points that he paused irresolute. During that pause a chain was passed about one of his hind legs and fastened to an anchored ring. This rendered him almost helpless. His other legs were hobbled and he was left alone until daylight, Bazie being driven off to another part of the quarters.

On Tuesday morning Ajax was as sullen and vicious as ever. Bad elephants sometimes remain in this mood for days, and no man can approach them with safety. Until such an elephant's spirit is broken, he is worse than useless. Steps were at once taken to convince Ajax that he must obey his keepers. Of the thirty-six elephants under Forepaugh's care none was as hard to subdue as Ajax.

The work of conquering the proud spirit of Ajax began at nine o'clock on Tuesday morning and ended shortly before noon yesterday. Beating has no effect upon a mad elephant. It only renders him more stubborn and wicked. The breaker's only hope is to convince such an animal that he is powerless against man. That accomplished, the beast becomes as docile as elephants ever are. On Tuesday morning four hawsers were passed through immense pulleys attached to beams under the roof. Then a set of harness, shaped something like a monster shawl strap, was fastened about Ajax's defiant body. The leather straps, which were three-ply thick, covered small chains. All the leather plates were copper-riveted and a foot wide. Ajax looked as though he were in armor after being encased. Three hours were spent in getting the harness on him, and during the job he slightly injured two of the keepers.

Through iron rings, supported by great chains, were passed the hawsers. Then a dozen men grasped two of the lines of rope that passed through pulleys and before Ajax knew it his hind feet were six feet above the ground, and he stood on his front ones in the most approved performing elephant style. For a moment he was paralyzed with astonishment, but surprise gave place to fury when he appreciated the ridiculous position he was in. He surged and trumpeted and flapped his ears, but all to no purpose.

When his struggles subsided some of the men ran off with the front ropes, and in a jiffy Ajax's body was suspended in the air. He made the most frantic efforts to tear the belting off with his trunk, but the chains between his fore legs and around his shoulders prevented it. There the monster brute hung as helpless as an infant. He was free to kick and plunge and butt the air as much as he pleased. From time to time he was lowered, so that he might rest his legs, but none of the men were allowed to approach or worry him. In the evening he was lowered and fed, and allowed to spend the night on the ground, thinking over the indignities that had been put upon him.

After his breakfast on the following morning he was trussed up as before. He resisted, but his efforts were unavailing. He was a stout-spirited brute, however, and the second day's punishment only seemed to increase his rage. When he came down to supper he was the maddest elephant that ever trumpeted in Forepaugh's winter quarters. At the sight of the harness on Wednesday he became greatly excited. Mr. Forepaugh said he was "coming to his senses." This, however, did not prevent him from being hoisted up again. He surged about less in his comfortable spring on Thursday, but otherwise he was as stubborn and dangerous as ever. An anchor was sunk five feet in the ground and covered with earth in another part of the quarters. Only a ring was exposed. Ajax's forelegs were hitched to the ring on Friday morning. Ropes were attached to his hind legs, which were then drawn out, leaving him "spread-eagled" on his stomach on straw.

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they know all about Mustang Liniment. Few do. Not to know is not to have.

ESTATE OF ANN BIDDLE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Alfred Lewis, administrator of said estate with the will annexed, alleging that he has paid the debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration of said estate, and that no estate remains in his hands except real estate, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.
It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jun11

ESTATE OF PETER S. WALDRON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.
At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 24th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jane Waldron, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her or some other suitable person.
It is ordered, That Monday, the 20th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. jun 27

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated May 20, 1885.
SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
may21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 18th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated May 20, 1885.
CHARLES BURRIDGE.
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Alexander Patterson, late of the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 5th day of June, 1885, and on the 20th day of October 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days, and that six months from the 20th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated April 30, 1885.
JOHN G. BOYD,
WILLIAM B. SWICK,
apr30 Commissioners.

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 41 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 08 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 28	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8.15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 22	3 51	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	A.M.	
5 45	10 10		A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
6 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
6 01	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 09	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.				P.M.		P.M.
8 55	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 59	
9 20	1 38		Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
9 33	1 50		Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
9 47	2 02		Marshall	1 10	7 11	7 33
9 59	2 17		Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
10 15	2 26		A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
P. M.	2 56		Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
3 04			Yorkville	12 15		6 35
3 10			Richland	12 09		6 29
3 28			Doster	11 52		6 12
3 45			Monteith	11 35		5 55
3 53			Fisk	11 27		5 47
3 59			Kellogg	11 21		5 37
4 10			A..Allegan...L	11 10		5 25
5 10			Holland	10 10		3 00
6 10			Grand Rapids	9 15		
6 15			Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
6 25			Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
6 55			Muskegon	8 15		1 20
5 50			Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
M. A			L	A. M.		

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SMELLING AN EARTHQUAKE.

Abnormal Development of a Sea Captain's Olfactories.

"We was anchored in the harbor of Manilla," said a bronzed and weather-beaten sailor, as he stretched his legs under the table and looked meditatively at a glass of beer which had just been placed before him. "It were in the ship Albert, as I shipped into fur the voyage and our old man's name was Cole. The old man was the best I ever see at scentin' a blow. Why, bless ye, that nose of his were better than any barometer that ever was made. Many a time I've seen him a-walking up and down the poop with the sky as blue and wind as fair as anything. Suddenly he'd stop, cock up his nose and give a sort of snuff like. Then he'd snuff all 'round the compass and sing out for to shorten sail and get ready for a blow. And the blow came, too. The old man used to say he sometimes lied, but he never made a mistake.

"Well, as I was a saying, we was anchored in the harbor of Manilla. It was the most beautifullest day you ever see. Not enough wind to ripple the water, and not a cloud in the sky. The old man was ashore. Bimeby he came aboard. As he stepped over the side he stopped and gave a great snuff. Then he snuffed harder and harder all 'round the compass. Then he looked scared like and rushed below to look at his barometer. He brought the barometer up on deck and placed it where he could keep his eye on it, and began to get the ship ready for a typhoon, for that was what he thought were a-comin'. The barometer didn't go down a bit, but that didn't fool the old man. He sent down the sky sail and royal yards, bent on purventer backstays, put double gaskets on all the sails 'cepting the fore and main tawps'ls, and did every thing he could think of to get the ship in condition for a typhoon. We overhauled the sheets, halyards, buntlins, clewlins and braces of the fore and main tawps'ls, and fixed the gaskets so as we could get um off in about two shakes of a lamb's tail, fur you see we wanted to be able to get sail on to her quick to keep her off shore if so be as she would drag her anchors. We put out both anchors and all the chain we had, and it was a powerful lot I can tell you.

"Well, that night there want any sign of a blow—just as calm and pleasant as it had been, and there was the old man a-walkin' up and down the deck purty much all night a-lookin' at that barometer, which never moved an inch. The next morning the barometer did go down a little, and the old man looked actu'lay pleased, fur you see he'd rather be in the biggest blow that ever was than be caught at a mistake in smellin' bad weather. Well, about noon that day, while we were at dinner, there come a dull rumblin' sound, and the ship began to tremble all over like as if she had struck a rock. Then she began to go up, up, and we rushed out of the foc'sle to see a great tidal wave sweeping into the harbor and on shore the dust and bricks and trees was a-flyin' round in great shape. We was all pretty well scared, but fortunately we had out so much chain that we rode the wave in safety. In the midst of the confusion I saw the old man clinging for dear life to the fiferail and heard him shout: 'A earthquake, by thunder; I thought 'twas a typhoon.'"—*N. Y. Tribune.*

UNDER THE MICROSCOPE.

How an Expert Cleared a Woman of the Charge of Murder.

"The only instance on record when the blood of two persons was compared in a criminal trial," said Dr. Piper to a *Call* reporter, yesterday, "was in a murder case in Chicago. The comparison settled the innocence of the woman on trial for her life. The story of the bloody transaction is as follows: A comely woman, with $20,000, married a man in Chicago, and placed her snug little fortune in his business. In the course of time he began to abuse her, and finally she decided to appeal for a divorce. The double calamity of losing a woman to beat and the withdrawal of her $20,000 from his business made the brute furious, and the next morning he was found dead in one corner of his bedchamber, a bullet having gone through his heart. His wife was found wounded, in another part of the room. She said that her husband had come home the night before in a rage and began to abuse her while she was in bed; that he hit her on the head with the butt of his revolver while her head was on the pillow, and spattered blood over the linen, that she jumped up, and be shot her, inflicting a slight flesh wound in her side, she then rushed at him, and snatching the revolver from him, shot him through the heart. He reeled to the corner where he was found and died. The prosecution did not believe her story, and set up the theory that she had shot him while he was asleep and dragged him to the corner, and then inflicted the wound on herself. The carpet where the dead man lay was saturated with blood. According to the theory of the prosecution the blood on the pillow was his also. I put sections of the pillow with blood upon it under the microscope, and drew on a card-board the shape of the corpuscles, enlarged about two thousand diameters. I then put the blood on the carpet under the microscope in the same way. The comparison was wonderful. The corpuscles on the pillow were bright, round, and clean, they were beautiful. The corpuscles on the carpet were large and disfigured, the result of disease. The comparison settled that question at once. The blood corpuscles were as different as day and night, and sustained the woman's account of the shooting. She was acquitted on that and other evidence.

"As between human blood and dog's blood, the microscope enables the expert to determine precisely whether a specimen is from a human being or a dog. But it is impossible to determine between human blood and a hog's blood. This fact convicted one man that I know of. He claimed that the blood on his clothes was dog's blood. I was able to show that it was not dog's blood; but if he had said that it was hog's blood I could not have contradicted the statement."—*San Francisco Call.*

LAMPS OF VARIOUS SHADES.

Ornamental Oil Lamps that Are Fast Taking the Place of Gas.

"Lamps in place of gas? I can not say that the question of economy in light comes into the question," said a large dealer in lamps and gas fixtures on Washington, near Boylston street; "but the handsome lamps which are in the market to-day are the fashion, and of course people must have them. They form an exceedingly pretty table ornament, and on this account are very popular."

"You are manufacturing some very elaborate patterns of lamps now," was suggested.

"Yes; the styles are constantly improving and some of them are very elaborate. Now here is a lamp decorated with a delicate design of foliage in drabs, grays and soft greens, and the shade, you perceive, matches the lamp. Then here are others of various patterns. The very latest designs are in hammered metals, brass or copper, with duplex burner."

"Are these lamps expensive?"

"On the contrary, they are remarkably cheap. The cost has declined, within the past two or three years, in proportion as their popularity has increased. Lamps which formerly cost five or six dollars can now be bought for three and a-half or four dollars, and some are sold even less. A very handsome lamp can now be bought for three dollars."

"What class of people buy them?"

"All classes, but chiefly people of moderate means. Still almost all the wealthy and fashionable families have one of these handsome lamps upon their library table, and they are always lighted in the evening to furnish light to read by. The light from an oil-lamp well shaded is conceded by all to be far softer and more grateful to the eyes than gas light. On this account the lamps are rapidly superseding the old-fashioned drop-light. In fact the sale of drop-lights is rapidly growing less. We are to-day selling only about one-third as many as we were a few years ago. Economy has, of course, something to do with this; for an argand drop-light burns a great deal of gas, and oil is cheap. The very best of oil costs but a trifle, and the use of oil exclusively easily solves the question of light for people of moderate means. But I think that the main reason for the rapid exclusion of drop-lights and the substitution of oil is the superior light to be obtained and the greater beauty of the lamp. It is not easy to ornament a drop-light elaborately, or in fact to work any fixtures for gas into ornamental shapes. But lamps are susceptible of such an infinite variety of shapes and such a plentitude of ornamentation that they are far more pleasing to the eye."

"The use of lamps at the seashore and in country villas accounts for much of the demand for these articles. In places where gas is not obtainable, oil must be used as a substitute. We have fitted up many elegant seaside residences with lamps and lamp-fixtures in a very elaborate manner. Lamp chandeliers are used in these houses to a great extent. Some of these are very ornamental, more so than gas chandeliers. Then we have also side lights for stairways, bath-rooms and other similar places, so that a dwelling thoroughly fitted with modern lamps is really more elegantly fitted than if gas were used."

"What are the sales of illuminating oils for family use as compared with those of a few years ago?" was asked of a large oil merchant.

"The sales are constantly increasing. Mechanics now use oil almost exclusively, and among the great middle class its use is increasing every year. Why should it not be so? The oils of to-day are so excellent and so cheap withal that the people are beginning to regard it as folly to spend money for gas bills when they can procure a far better light at a much less cost."—*Boston Globe.*

AN ASTUTE CANINE.

Funny Story About a San Francisco Dog—A Dog That Knew What was Needed.

"You talk about dogs," said the Judge, "you talk about dogs—I can tell you the funniest story about a dog."

"Did you know the dog?" said the doctor.

"I did."

"Was it a terrier, or a pointer, or a bull-dog?"

"It was a Dandie Dinmont."

"Good," said the doctor; "they're a very truthful breed."

"This dog belonged to a friend of mine who used always to take him out with him."

"A bad habit," put in the doctor; "you should never let a dog know too much."

"The dog used to wait outside for him when he went in to call on a friend. One night they were a very merry party and they kept it up late. My friend got very drunk. The dog finally got restless and began to howl. A champagne bottle just passed his nose and he smelt it and shut up. About two o'clock in the morning my friend came out. He said good-night, shut the door, walked in by the garden gate all over the flower-beds, and finally unable to get out, he lay down on a rose-bush and went to sleep. The dog watched by him till the milkman came along in the morning, picked him up and took him home."

"That's nothing," said the doctor.

"You just wait a minute. Two or three nights later he went and called on his friend again and took the dog with him. The dog waited outside a little while and began to howl. Another champagne bottle was thrown at him. He smelt it, winked to himself, and trotted off. He went home, scratched at the door till the servant-girl opened it, attracted my friend's wife's attention, made her follow him to a pile of planks, and whined till they got out a very long and broad one. Then he directed them to where his master was, and, when the door-bell rang and the door opened the revelers found the dog, my friend's wife, the servant, and a stretcher. That dog knew what was needed, you bet."—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

Happy Thought in the Night.

For years Mr. Jas. R. Ackley, of 163 West Fayette street, Baltimore, had suffered with neuralgia so that he could hardly sleep. But he writes, "One night I was suffering very much and the thought struck me that Brown's Iron Bitters would do me some good, and perhaps cure me. It was a happy thought, and to my great joy it has entirely cured me after using two bottles. After three months I have have had no return of the symptoms. I cheerfully recommend it as the best tonic I have ever used." Neuralgia suffers, take the hint!

A serious drawback—a blister between your shoulders.

The Handsomest American Vineyard.

Mr. Alfred Speer, of Passaic, N. J., has been long and favorrbly known as the pioneer Grape Grower of America. His vineyards at Passaic, N. J., are the handsomest in the country, and contain 275 miles of wire stretched on posts. At the season of the year when the grapes are being gathered for the press, it will well repay one for a visit, Mr. Speer's Wines are used in the leading hospitals of the country. You can get it at druggists. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co.

Greenbacks are said to be so popular in Cuba as to demand a large premium over any other money, whether of gold or silver.

The Homliest Man in Tecumseh.

As well as the handsomest, and others, are invited to call on Baker & Hall, and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs, a remedy that is sellieg entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

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Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a billious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

There was joy in the household of Charles Wetzel one night. It was the joy that followed an interval of intense anxiety. Mr. Wetzell writes: "Last night my wife was taken with a very severe cramp in the stemach, I procured a bottle of Mishler's Herb Bitters from Messrs. Hall & Rock, and to my surprise and joy one dose cured her. It is a valuable medicine. I would not be without it.

Victor Hugo's funeral cost France 20,000 francs.

Almost every person has some form of scrofulous poison latent in his veins. When this developes in scrofulous sores, ulcers, or eruptions, or takes the form of rheumatism, or organic diseases, the suffering that ensues is terrible beyond description. Hence the gratitude of those who discover, as thousands yearly do, that Ayer's Sarsaparilla will thoroughly eradicate this evil from the system.

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Mr. David Claypool, formerly Sergeant-at-Arms of the New Jersey Senate, and now Notary Public at Cedarville, Cumberland Co., N. J., makes the following startling statement: "My father, mother, and three sisters all died with consumption, and my lungs were so weak I raised blood. Nobody thought I could live. My work (ship-smithing) was very straining on me with my weak constitution, and I was rapidly going to the grave. While in this condition I commenced using Mishler's Herb Bitters, and it saved my life. Because it was so difficult to get it in this little place, and I had improved so much, I stopped taking it for a time, and the result is that I have commenced going rapidly down hill again. Somehow, Mishler's Herb Bitters gives appetite and strengthens and builds me up as nothing else does, and I must have a dozen bottles at once. Use this communication as you please, and if any one wants to be convinced of its truth, let them write me and I will make affidavit to it, for I owe my life to Mishler's Herb Bitters."

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo.....Lv	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont.....	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde.....	9 39	5 02	7 45	.....
Bellevue.....	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville.Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk.....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington.....	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston.....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville.....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville.....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillon...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion..Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville..	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	2 20	.....	2 30	8 35
Canal Dover...	2 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge.....	6 03	6 30AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg.....	8 00	8 35	8 00	.....
Marietta...Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta....Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg.....	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge.....	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover,...	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sheroddsville..	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc.....	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 35
Massillon.....	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston.....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington....	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 30	7 35AM
Monroeville ...	3 32	12 10AM	11 50	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde.....	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo .....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan.....	7 07	2 50
10.55	5.55	Lv.Norwalk.Ar.	7 27	3 10

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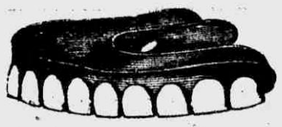

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DANIEL M FOX

The United States Mint at Philadelphia is the most important mint in the country, besides being the oldest. There are branches at New Orleans and Carson City, but it is the most important of the mints of Philadelphia. The five from which the coins are struck are made there and then duplicates are sent to the other mints. The position of Superintendent of the mint therefore is one of vast importance and responsibility. Daniel M. Fox, who was appointed on June 8th last by President Cleveland, to the position, is a Philadelphian and was born June 10th. The family comes of revolutionary stock and his maternal ancestor served under Washington at the battle of Yorktown, and assisted the surrender of Cornwallis. After a course of public schools Fox entered the office of Jacob P. Hoskins to study conveyancing and after remaining there two years started in business for himself. He soon became the head of one of the most extensive conveyancing firms in Philadelphia. The firm was one of the finest in the city. Among the best street improvements made by the firm were those on Broad street, which was laid out by the Pennsylvania Railroad. The east side of Broad street was laid out entirely at the expense of the firm, Mr. Fox superintending the work himself. He was also interested in the laying out of Fairmount park. Mr. Fox became Mint Director in 1869, after having been interested in politics for the same office. He was to the last election and had been a member of Select Council. During the term of Mayor Stokley the old Committee of Ten Democrats was formed with a view to be successor by the party machine. The city had grown in the old Committee and the result was the change which led to a contest for the very courage of the mayor present office. In politics Mr. Fox has always been a consistent Democrat.

THE PROBATE COURT

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 4, 1885:

Estate of Peter S. Wadsworth, deceased petition for appointment of administrator hearing July 27.

Estate of Charles Brown, deceased warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Susan Ross deceased receipt filed, discharge.

Estate of Sylvester W. Jones et al. minors guardian's account of sale of real estate affidavit of publishing and posting notices of sale, order of confirmation.

Estate of Stephen Simmonds, deceased bond filed letters of administration issued order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Charles D. Kurtz, deceased petition for allowance of administrators final account hearing July 27.

Estate of John S. Peck, deceased petition for appointment of administrator hearing July 27.

Estate of Edwin B. Wood, deceased bond filed letters testamentary issued order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Ella L. Firman, minor release of guardian filed order of discharge.

Estate of Timothy Deuel, deceased bond filed letters of administration issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of James Sherrard, deceased petition for appointment of administrator, hearing Sept. 7.

Estate of David Waterouse, deceased affidavit of publication executor's first account allowed.

Estate of Charles F. Patterson, minor, release of guardian filed, discharge.

Estate of William Cooper, deceased affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Caroline Wheeler, deceased petition for allowance of administrator's final account hearing July 27.

Estate of Hiram C. Colbath, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator appointed.

Estate of Olive C. Ormsby, deceased warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Jesse L. Powell, deceased affidavit of publication, administrator de bonis non appointed, bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Rebecca M. Bennett, deceased, petition for allowance of executor's final account, hearing July 27.

Estate of Elizabeth Houghwout, deceased, petition for allowance of administrator's final account, hearing July 27.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending June 30.

RIDGEWAY.

Chas. Underwood to Samuel Rappleye. Land on secs 32 and 31. $10,000

TECUMSEH.

H. S. Swan to A. H. Sutton. Land on Hoeg's add. $3,000.

J. P. Slayton to C. A. Slayton. Land on Evans street. $10,000.

G. A. Williamson to T. C. Payne. Land on sec 19. $7,280.

WOODSTOCK.

T. H. Swartout to Arney Swartout. Land on sec 31. $1,000.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
COUNCIL ROOM, July 6, 1885.

Regular Session. Present the entire council, except the Recorder and Mr. Breese.

D. T. Hall was appointed Recorder pro tem.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of Street Commissioner for the month of June presented, showing 44½ days team labor and 7½ days hand labor performed during the month. Report accepted and placed on file.

The President being called away Mr. Bill took the chair.

The following bills were presented and on motion referred to finance committee:

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The tax roll was presented and approved and the warrant authorizing the Marshal to collect the village taxes was signed and the roll turned over to the Marshal for collection.

The street commissioner was instructed to procure timber and material necessary and construct a side walk according to notice served on the south side of Kilbourne street adjoining the west for lots situated on the west end of said street, also a sidewalk on the east side of Pearl street adjoining Joseph Woodworth's lot. A resolution was passed requiring the construction of a sidewalk on the west side of Maumee street adjoining the lots of P. Spaulding, said sidewalk [illegible] feet in width of sound pine boards, inches thick and not to exceed [illegible] in width, said length wise and well spiked down upon good [illegible] or white oak stringers laid in the earth and placed not more than 2 feet apart and [illegible] at points, to be completed within 10 days from date, and in case of any default in the construction and completion of said walk the street commissioner is hereby directed to construct the said walk, and payment therefor shall be required of the owner of adjoining land.

The finance committee reported favorably on the following bills and recommended the payment of the same:

S. C. Stacy $6.30, J. Hibbard $5.25, H. J. Sweet $2.00, Delos Love $2.00, Geo. Reithner $2.00, C. A. Slayton $75.00, J. Moir $9.00, D. T. Hall $10.40, Wm. C. Jordan $50.00, Wm. Brown $[illegible], W. H. Ames $[illegible], A. Packard $[illegible], Del. Page $12.12, A. Bennett $[illegible], C. Brotson $5.00, J. McWilliams 62 cts.

The necessary orders were voted and the council adjourned.

D. T. Hall, Recorder pro tem.

OBITUARY.

The funeral services of Edward Landon were held at his late residence on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. J. M. Gretchen officiating.

Mr. Landon was born at Old Stockbridge, Mass., Dec. 18th, 1815, and died Saturday night at 11 o'clock, July 4th, 1885, and would have been 70 years of age next December. Was married to Miss Elizabeth Dorman, Oct. 21, 1839. Came to this state in 1855 and lived in this community, Tecumseh, Mich., for 26 years. He has been out of health for a long time, but did not give up working on his farm until some two years ago, and about one year ago became unable to go from the house, and then to help himself but little. In his day was an earnest, active man and engaged in what he had to do with great energy and a whole heart. For several years was a faithful worker and trustee in the Universalist church of this place. Amid his long suffering he never lost sight of the eternal fact of God's fatherhood and constant love and care. He walked down into the valley of the shadow of death, fearing no evil, realizing God was with him, and His rod and staff comforted him. A wife and two daughters mourn his departure. One of the daughters, Mrs. Geo. Stilson of Norwalk, Conn., reached Tecumseh the day before her father's death, the other daughter living at Poultney, Vt., could not be present. They will miss him as a tender, loving and faithful husband, as a kind and solicitous father. Amid their sorrow they mourn not as cast down but as those who feel and trust that

"God hath led their dear one on
And he can do no wrong."

The attendance at the funeral was large, for his friendships were deep and warm, and his manly worth in the home, and in neighborhood affairs, in business and devotion to country; in the principles of temperance, rectitude and religion, won for him the esteem of many human hearts. The funeral remarks were based upon the 23d Psalm and were spoken with a deep spirit of sympathy, consolation and prayer. The closing hymn of the choir, entitled "Ever Remembered," was fitly chosen and rendered and no doubt will be to the sorrowing ones and many others present, like an angel's hymn of hope, of the kingdom of Jesus, and of the ever comforting presence and love of God.

The breakfast taken in winter will determine our efficiency for work in the day, and will so influence our whole being for that period of time that no after-meal can correct. The breakfast in winter must contain more nitrogenous food than in summer; it is absolutely needed. You must store heat to furnish material for absorption and for maintaining vitality; add to this nitrogenous food something that will disengage heat from the blood and keep up temperature and you may defy the coldest day. Your face may feel it, your hands may feel it, but your body will be impervious to it and go on disengaging that inward heat which can alone stand against the lowest temperature without. If this first meal has been properly attended to we may presume that vital action can be maintained in full force for five hours at least before it needs replenishing.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unclaimed for the week ending at Tecumseh, July 7, 1885.

Brown, Lewis	Brunswick, Barnard
Cooper, J. W.	Schreiber, John
Hackbarth, Albert	Wilson, Hannah

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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SIMPSON—BIRKEL. At Tecumseh, Thursday, July 2, 1885, by Rev. Geo. W. Hoskins, Mr. John A. Simpson, of Adrian, and Miss Loretta Birkel, of Tecumseh.

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Buckwheat Flour ₩ hundred	2 00 @ 1 60
Beef—dressed ₩ hundred	5 00 @ 6 00
Beef Hides	5 @ 6
Calf skins ₩ ₩	8 @ 9
Corn in ear	25 @ 30
Corn—shelled ₩ bushel	@ 50
Clover seed	5 00 @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed	@ 9
Eggs ₩ doz	@ 11
Flour ₩ barrel	5 50 @ 6 50
Hogs—dressed ₩ cwt	5 00 @ 5 25
Hogs—live ₩ cwt	4 50 @ 4 75
Hay ₩ ton	10 00 @ 10 00
Honey ₩ ₩	@ 14
Ham ₩ ₩	@ 11
Lard ₩ ₩	@ 10
Oats ₩ bushel	20 @ 25
Onions ₩ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes ₩ bushel	25 @ 30
Pork ₩ ₩	@ 5
Shoulders ₩ ₩	@ 6
Tallow ₩ ₩	@ 6
Tallow—rendered ₩ ₩	@ 7
Wool, washed	30 @ 35
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Wheat Red ₩ bushel	@ 85
Wool	20 @ 25

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Timothy Deuel, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Timothy Deuel, late of the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of C. A. Stacy, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of August, 1885, and on the 25th day of December 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of June, 1885, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Tecumseh, June 30th, 1885.

ISAAC P. KEYSER,
AARON J. PALMER,
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July 9

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mr. Eli Westfall of Hillsdale, has been visiting at A. B. VanDeMark's.

Miss Ada Potter of Tecumseh has been a guest of Mrs. L. D. Pomeroy or a few days.

Mrs. D. H. Silvers has been seriously ill for several days. She was taken sick last week Thursday, while in Tecumseh. Dr. Catlin was called and as soon as she was able to ride she was taken home. She is improving at present.

Mrs. J. E. McCollum went to Sand Lake last Tuesday with a party of ten or twelve from Tecumseh.

Miss Maggie Biggins was taken sick last Friday after her brother's funeral and has suffered considerably from heart trouble and nervous prostration.

Mrs. Ed. Rowland and Miss Hessie Cupples drove up from Tecumseh last Monday.

Charles W. Parker of Detroit spent Sunday with Clinton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cook of Tecumseh were in town Sunday.

Charles Parker and Charles Clark took a trip to the lakes last Tuesday. They visited Sand Lake and Devils Lake.

Mr. John Davenport who, for many years owned the hotel at Evans Lake before Henry Lancaster took possession of it, was seen on the streets Monday and Tuesday, shaking hands with many old friends. He met with universal recognition, in spite of the years that have gone by since he lived here.

Mrs. E. W. Freese is visiting her daughter Mrs. W. S. Whittelsey at Ypsilanti.

George Miles, formerly foreman in the printing office of C. W. Clough at this place, has bought C. K. Spafford's printing business.

The "new barber shop" was doomed to a short existence here. The owner "folded his tent like the Arab and silently stole away" last Saturday night.

The woolen mill has need of weavers.

The house formerly occupied by Ed. Semark on Main street is being torn down, to be replaced, it is said, by a brick block.

A street sprinkler would be a very acceptable acquisition to the town. Since so much work has lately been done on the streets, we feel the need of one more than ever before.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Every day interests are largely represented by idleness and all but children look glum. The latter have a mud pie factory two rods south of the bridge and its operatives are not afflicted with strike mania; but lengthen days and work till their faces look like maps of Africa. Men who have waited vainly for employment in hay-fields join lake campers in order to be near their base of supplies, and tramps in all stages of dilapidation hold lawn socials in White's woods. An item is going the rounds of the press, about our four churches and saloons being kept open on Sunday, that seems intended to make us look queer, but what would any such be good for if closed tight as a clam shell on days when people have leisure? If they wish to preserve free agency they must open up against encroachment. A great deal of wool has been marketed here at dissatisfying prices. In fact, prices continually weaken and nothing can be safely depended on but a good appetite.

DEVIL'S LAKE DOINGS.

John Brazee has his new house enclosed and expects to have his opening about the 15th of August.

We had a narrow escape here last Monday. John Horn was capsized in deep water and would probably have drowned had it not been for the timely assistance of Will Reed and Geo. Richardson. Young men should'nt fool with shells.

The following guests from Tecumseh have registered at the Devils Lake House this week: E. W. Cairnes, Chas. King, J. C. Marshall, Fred. Chidester, W. A. Burlingame and wife, J. H. Smith and wife.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine hay weather.

Farmers are putting in a fine quality of hay.

Dr. D. W. Loree drew 63 large loads of hay off from 14 acres, on his prairie farm. Who can beat that?

Samuel Fletcher cut his wheat Monday; it is much injured by the Hessian fly.

Oats and corn are doing very nicely at present. Wheat is turning very fast.

New potatoes are very fine and quite plentiful.

Only a few took in the excursion at Devil's Lake Sunday. There will be another next Sunday when all may have an opportunity for a day of recreation.

Mr. and Mrs Israel Schreder visited his sister Mrs. W. H. Arner, Monday.

The school in Dist. No. 5 closed a very successful term of three months on Saturday, taught by Miss Lizzie Beamish, of Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark and daughter Hattie, are visiting relatives here at present.

Mr. John Larkin and Mrs. M. A. Barrett went to Hillsdale Friday, to visit friends, returning Tuesday.

W. P. Cadmus while unloading a load of hay one day last week, came very near being choked to death by something flying in his throat from the load.

Mr. Roscoe Conklin and family, of Adrian, spent the Sabbath with his sister, Mrs. Harry Smith, who is quite ill.

Mr. Wilcox, a granite dealer of Ypsilanti, did some work in our cemetery for Mr. Waring last Friday.

Lutie VanZant a former resident of the village called on old friends Friday, and revived their memories of days gone by.

Miss Ella Jackson returned from a visit with friends at Jackson, last Friday.

Weddie Bush and Sammie Arner went to Devil's Lake fishing, last week.

Rev. H. W. Wright, of Dundee, called on friends Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hamilton and family, of Elkhart, former residents of the place, are visiting relatives and friends in the village and vicinity. Mr. Hamilton is fireing on a passenger train on the L. S. & M. S. R. R.

S. P. Smith was in Adrian on business Monday.

Miss Carrie Shaw, of Adrian, is the guest of Mrs. Samuel Helm.

F. B. Eddy, of Brooklyn, was in the village taking views of some of the residences this week. His work is very fine and gives general satisfaction.

G. W. Jackson went to Hillsdale Wednesday on business.

The singers did a friendly act Sunday evening by furnishing some fine music for the lecture. It is hoped they will continue in the way they have begun.

Mrs. King, daughter of Mr. Myron Sweet, an old acquaintance, gave a lecture on Sunday evening at the church on the "Habits and Customs of the Heathens in India," she being a missionary there. The lecture was very interesting and instructive. Mrs. King will leave in a short time for her field of labor in India.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Homer Turner who died in Ohio last week was buried in the village cemetery Sunday P. M. Mr. T. was one of the oldest and most respected citizens of this vicinity. A number of children survive him.

There is an unusual amount of building in progress here this year, especially in dwelling houses.

The regular annual school meeting of the village occurred on Wednesday evening the 13th inst., at which Messrs. O. B. Bowen and J. C. Morley were elected trustees for the full term. The attendance was much larger than similar meetings for many years, sixty-one votes being cast each ballot. We trust the same interest in the welfare of the school will be evinced during the entire school year as any improvement in this direction can hardly fail to confer a benefit upon all classes and interests of the place.

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

A substantial and beautiful tribute to the late deceased John Henry now stands at the Lake Ridge cemetery. Columbian marble and the heaviest of granite compose its structure. The urn of artificial flowers protected by glass forms a very pleasing feature. The monument was made at Ypsilanti.

Good weather, good hay, and plenty of it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phillips, of Ypsilanti, visited their son and friends during the 4th and 5th.

Miss Julia Henry intends to sojourn for a time at Ypsilanti, where she will perfect a natural talent in the direction of crayon drawing.

Mr. Frank Whiting has so much hay that it is being drawn on shares.

Over five hundred shade trees have been set out this year between Moreville and Ridgeway along the Ridge.

The Lake Ridge summer school, taught by A. F. Gordon, has closed in a very creditable manner, giving satisfaction to the board and district. Mr. Gordon intends entering the Agricultural College at Lansing.

THE MICHIGAN & OHIO

A Tap to an Important Territory.

One of the greatest prides of the Future Great is her railroad system. The iron bands that center in our city are greater in number than any other city of the west containing 80,000 people, and among these there is no road that opens up a more rapidly developing country than the Michigan & Ohio. The road is 156 miles long running from Toledo north and northwest through the counties of Monroe, Lenawee, the corners of Hillsdale and Jackson, through Calhoun, Kalamazoo, and the corner of Barry and into Allegan county to Allegan, about 23 miles from Holland on Lake Michigan.

Going north from Toledo, the first place of importance after leaving Dundee is Tecumseh, an important milling city which is surrounded by a fine milling country. The power for the large mills there is furnished by the River Raisin.

Leaving Tecumseh, the next point of importance is Moscow, on the source of the Kalamazoo river. From here to Allegan, the railroad and river run close together; Marshal, Ceresco and Battle Creek being on both. All of these places are important manufacturing points as the river gives excellent advantages for that sort of enterprises. Marshal is exceedingly circled in its appearance and is a beautiful place.

Battle Creek is one of the most rapidly developing and lively cities in Michigan. It now contains about 15,000 people and its prosperity and growth have gone on unabated during all the dull times. It might very appropriately be styled a manufacturing city, as in it are situated the Union School Furniture Works, two large agricultural works, iron foundries, and other large manufactories.

Battle Creek has also long been famous as a pleasure and health resort. Near by are beautiful lakes with their summer hotels, and the place is noted for its healthfulness. As a summer resort for invalids and others the Sanitarium there is hard to excel.

In selecting a site for the Medical and Surgical Sanitarium, about twenty years ago, its founders gave special attention to the matter of salubrity of location. All points pertaining to the character of the surrounding soil, drainage, water supply, and the nature of the surrounding country in relation to health, were scrutinized with the greatest care. It was only after several months of careful search that the present location was fixed upon, and the experience of nearly twenty years has demonstrated the wisdom of the choice. Michigan enjoys a climate unequaled by that of any of the Middle Western States. It affords a typical "temperate" climate, being situated near the center of the temperate zone, and protected in such a manner as to preserve a more equable temperature than that of any other States adjoining. Its rolling country and immense tracts of timber, protect it to a very great degree, from the parching heat of the prairie States, while its location near the great Lakes, surrounded on all but its southern boundary by broad expanse of water, affords a still greater protection from the severe cold of winter and the intense heat of summer to which her sister States are exposed. No one ever heard of an epidemic of sunstroke or heat stroke in Michigan. When newspapers are rife with reports of scores of deaths daily from sunstroke, in the larger cities and even country districts of adjoining States, such a thing is almost unheard of in Michigan.

This Sanitarium is the largest in the world. Its entire length, including rear extentions, is 475 feet; height, to top of new part, 84 feet; width of main part, 40, 46 and 54 feet; length of promenade in halls and verandas, over one half mile; floor space, more than two acres. The Main building will accommodate nearly 250 persons, and 150 more can be accommodated in the cottages and other buildings of the institution.

There are also other places along the M. & O. that are fast becoming noted as summer resorts. Devil's Lake is one, which is 57 miles from Toledo and situated in the north part of Lenawee county. It was a resort long before the railroad was built but it is now brought much nearer to Toledo—less than two hours ride. The lake is shaped like a letter V. Its length is about four miles, has a maximum width of two miles and it abounds in the choicest varieties of fish.

There has just been opened up at the north end a fine new hotel of stone which is sure of ample patronage. The whole expanse of water is clear as crystal. Its surroundings of forest trees with their rich and varied foliage; the grassy slopes, and the verdant crops together, form a beautiful mirror in its frame, presenting a scene of landscape, and of water, which, like a panoramic vision, delights the eye, pleases the imagination, and excites in the beholder a love for the beautiful in nature. This resort, just such resources of rest and pleasure as are here provided, is what the masses of people require.

Another point is Gull Lake, 26 miles this side of Allegan. This lake is about seven miles long and three wide. Steamers play about and fishing there is excellent.

Besides being a road that leads to many points for pleasure the M. & O. opens up one of the finest wheat countries in the world, and in this respect is of great importance to Toledo.

The line is supplied with twelve new elevators—at Addison, Onsted, Moscow, Hanover, Homer, Eckford, Ceresco, Augusta, Richland and Allegan. The road is also building up a reputation as a coal supplying road, on account of the direct line from Toledo, where they connect with several Ohio coal roads. At Allegan they strike the Chicago & West Michigan, which leads to the great lumber regions of Western Michigan, and to Muskegon, the largest lumber producing city in the world.

Their live stock shipments in season are large and just now the road is shipping large quantities of wool from all points to New England.

The train service of the road is good and the officials obliging, competent and wide-awake to the interests of their patrons.—Toledo Post.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 7, 1885:

Estate of Ernest W. Scott, minor; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Clark Downer, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing July 27th.

Estate of Joseph P. Goodrich, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Caroline Wheeler, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; warrant and report filed.

Estate of Mary Thompson, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Ann Biddle, deceased; bond of trustee filed; affidavit of publication; administrators' final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased; executrix's account allowed; administrator appointed upon said estate with the will annexed; bond $1000.

Estate of Henry Bourns, deceased; affidavit of service of order of hearing filed; petition to revive commissioner denied.

Estate of Stephen Simmonds, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Moses Ayres, deceased; affidavit for allowance of executor's final account; hearing August 3.

Estate of Moses Bliss, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond $3,000.

Estate of Phillip Robinson, deceased; petition for allowance of administrators' final account; hearing August 2.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell, an incompetent person; petition for appointment for guardian; hearing July 27.

Estate of Hiram C. Colbath, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Justus Iffland, deceased; application for extension of time to close estate; order extending time six months.

Estate of Johannah F. Nufer; petition for proof of will; hearing Aug 3.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

For August is a bright and sparkling Summer number. The leading article is "American Missionaries in Mexico," anent whom some hard things are put down. If the writer Emily Pierce, is sure of her facts, it is not a creditable record. Another of the sesies of Christ's Parables, and two more of the Sacred Musicians, appear in this number. "The First Missions in California," with its illustrations, is a very intereresting article; and "From Canterbury to Dover," by G. A. Davis, a delightful bit of description. Dr. Talmage's sermon is on "Left-handed Men." There are three pages of music devoted to a setting of the Te Deum, by D. E. Hervey. A readable article on Lowell is accompanied with his portrait and copious extracts from his poems. There is also an article on John Ruskin, with a portrait. The "Glances at Bible History" is devoted to King Solomon, and brings the subject to the end of his reign. The eccentric Georgia evangelist, the Rev. Sam. Jones, is given a portrait and biographical sketch; and there are also portraits of Dean Smith, of Canterbury, and Bishop Ellicott both of the Bible Revision Companies. The two serial stories—"Love's Harvest," by B. L. Farjeon, and "What She Made of Her Life," by Lydia Hoyt Farmer—are continued, and the shorter articles are abundant and attractive. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York City, at 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year.

A Brooklyn clergyman, Rev. Dr. Ludlow, who had been traveling in the Holy Land, had the bravery to venture a visit to the curious colony of Druses—the Mohammedan sect inhabiting the side of Mount Hermon, which a few years ago was guilty of the frightful massacre of the Christains thereabouts. He found them a strange people, blood-thirsty for backsheesh, however, rather than for gore, and turning their hatred for the time being against Turks instead of Christians. The curiosity of the Druses extended to the interior of their visitors' pockets, and they even made off with the latters' boots, which they had politely taken off in calling upon the chief of the village. Dr. Ludlow will give an account of his amusing experiences in the August Harper's.

Demorest's Illustrated Monthly Magazine for August cannot fail to give pleasure to its numerous readers. It opens with an excellent story by Eleanor Kirk, and, in addition, there are other admirable stories. The article on Heraldry, which is profusely illustrated, is both instructive and entertaining, and among other good articles are "Memories of Napoleon" and "The Grave of Rob Roy." The valuable papers, "From Pencil to Brush," are continued, and "Woman's Indebtedness to the Animal Creation" will be read with interest. The various departments are, as usual, well filled, and the oil picture, "Music," by Leloir, is a charming production.

Adrian Press: Among the brightest and most prominent musical graduates of Adrian college this year, was Miss Belle Barlow, of Ridgeway.

My Little Mistakes.

BY J. S. FRIEDMANN.

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then and saw a cheerful look on his round pleasant face, as if something had occurred that made him very happy. Presently I said musingly, "It is one of Mrs. MacFlum's tales that makes it so [illegible] of men, dear old Wilkie!" I looked at my companion, I thought, and a merry expression in her eyes, that seemed to spring from a look she gave Tom, with [illegible]

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"Probably you do—some one in London.

"No, some one in Ireland, some one who is standing here to me now."

There was a pause in the garden after I had spoken. She did not reply, or laugh, but raised her eyes and looked at me once. Then I saw the color come into her cheeks.

"I think I must go in now," she said presently, "or they will miss me, if they want me to sing."

"Give me a flower before you go?" I pleaded, not daring to say more.

She stooped down, plucked a red rose, just touched her lips with it, and handed it to me. When I looked at her there was the merry light in her eyes I had seen in it when she first spoke to me that evening. In another second she turned and ran toward the house.

I followed slowly. Just as I arrived at the glass doors of the dining-room that communicated with the garden, I came suddenly face to face with Tom Phelan.

"Well, Fitz, what are you doing out here?" he said, with a smile that I was ill-natured enough to set down in my mind as a grin. He spoke as if he intended to express surprise, but failed.

"Doing? Looking at the moon," I replied, staring up as I spoke, into the Summer sky.

"Don't you think a pair of gray eyes better worth looking at?" he asked, with a merry twinkle in his own.

"Perhaps," I answered calmly.

"I say, old man, you have behaved capitally—better than I expected."

There was a sudden change in his voice that struck me.

"How?"

"You have fallen in love—don't deny it—with the girl who will make you a happy man. You have done just as I wished, old fellow."

He placed his arm around my shoulders, as he had often done when we were boys at school.

"You make a mistake there, Tom; I have no desire to sell myself for a thousand a year."

"What do you mean?" he asked, with surprise shining in his good-natured face.

"I have no desire to marry the woman you were good enough to select for me—Miss Fay."

Tom burst out laughing, this time holding his fat sides as if he feared he should explode.

"What is the matter?" I asked, when he had almost done.

"You will be the death of me, Fitz, if you go on making these little mistakes."

"I don't understand you," I said.

"You cunning dog! I saw you both out here two minutes ago, and you have fallen in love with her, like a sensible man, just as I wanted you to do."

"My dear fellow, you said it was the boy's godmother you had selected for me, and that is Miss Fay."

"Miss Fay is one of them. Kitty Berfort is the other," and to emphasize his words, Tom Phelan struck me on the shoulder with a blow that made me stagger.

"You are a brick," I said to him, seizing his hand with enthusiasm.

"Poor good-natured Tom Phelan!" His eyes grew dim just for a second, as he returned my friendly grasp.

"Tom," I said, "God bless your boy!"

I spoke in such a grave, impressive voice that the happy father burst out laughing in my face. This time I joined him heartily.

Before I left the Green Isle, Kitty Berfort and I became engaged. When her father came back from India, we were married, and at our wedding-breakfast Tom Phelan—who, by the way, had that week been presented with remarkably fine twins—told the story of my little mistakes.

Cleanliness.

The surface of the human body, and even the delicate membrane covering the eye, as well as the mucous lining of the internal passages of the animal body may and often do become diseased in such a manner, by neglect of purity and careful cleanliness, that they will give off contagious matter. The contagious disorders of the skin, the eyes and the mouth are results of neglect of cleanliness, and are justly esteemed very disgusting. Decaying matters, whether vegetable or animal, and not unfrequently the still living but unhealthy and unclean surfaces and tissues of both animal and vegetable bodies, are apt to become infected with parasites which prey upon and injure or destroy the tissues. Even the tenderest parts and juices of vegetable substances and the skin, the muscles and blood of the animal, may be harmed in this way. It was a little invisible parasite which destroyed the potatoes at harvest time throughout the country many years ago, and there are some foul waters and infected kinds of meat which will breed disease in persons who partake of them. Therefore, it is a duty to be cleanly in food and drink, as well as in our breathing and personal habits. It is doubtful if persons who become filthy in their habits and neglect to provide for the purification of their bodies, clothing and premises, will ever be found pure and sweet in their thoughts, language and influence.

The story is told of an old hunter in Michigan who lost his way in the woods a number of times while the country was new. At length he secured a pocket compass and its use was explained to him by a friend. But shortly afterward he lost his way again and lay out as usual. When found he was asked why he did not travel by the compass. He did not dare, he said. He wanted to go north, and he "tried to make the thing point north, but it wasn't no use, 'twould shake, shake, shake round and point southeast every time."

The outlet of the Great Salt Lake of Utah is reported to have been discovered.

A PENNSYLVANIA ROMANCE.

How Mr. Lincoln Relieved the Distresses of a Newly-Married Couple.

In the spring of 1863, a very handsome and attractive young lady from Philadelphia came to my office with a note from a friend asking me to assist her in obtaining an interview with the President. Some time ago she had been married to a young man who was a lieutenant in a Pennsylvania regiment. He had been compelled to leave her the day after the wedding to rejoin his command in the army of the Potomac. After some time he obtained leave of absence, returned to Philadelphia, and started on a brief honeymoon journey with his bride. A movement of the army being imminent the War Department issued a peremptory order requiring all absent officers to rejoin their regiments on a certain day, on penalty of dismissal in case of disobedience. The bride and groom, away on their hurried wedding tour, failed to see the order, and on his return he was met by a notice of his dismissal from the service. The young fellow was completely prostrated by the disgrace, and his wife hurried to Washington to get him restored. I obtained for her an interview with the President. She told her story with simple and pathetic eloquence, and wound up by saying: "Mr. Lincoln, won't you help us? I promise you, if you will restore him, he will be faithful to his duty." The President had listened to her with evident sympathy and a half amused smile at her earnestness, and as she closed her appeal he said, with paternal kindness: "And you say, my child, that Fred was compelled to leave you the day after the wedding? Poor fellow, I don't wonder at his anxiety to get back, and if he stayed a little longer than he ought to have done we'll have to overlook his fault this time. Take this card to the Secretary of War and he will restore your husband." She went to the War Department, saw the Secretary, who rebuked her for troubling the President and dismissed her somewhat curtly. As it happened, on her way down the War Department stairs, her hopes chilled by the Secretary's abrupt manner, she met the President ascending. He recognized her, and with a pleasant smile said: "Well, my dear, have you seen the Secretary?" "Yes, Mr. Lincoln," she replied, "and he seemed very angry with me for going to you. Won't you speak to him for me?" "Give yourself no trouble," said he. "I will see that the order is issued." And in a few days her husband was remanded to his regiment.

I am sorry to add that not long after he was killed at the battle of Gettysburg, thus sealing with his blood her pledge that he should be faithful to his duty.—*Ex-Assistant Attorney-General Coffey, in Philadelphia Press.*

BOSTON VISITORS.

Peanuts and Pink Lemonade at the Hub—Rural Sight-Seers.

An influx of country visitors to Boston is invariably signalized by the profusion of paper bags, business circulars and peanut shells that litter the common, the public garden, and the sidewalks generally. The rural sight-seer has a pronounced partiality for peanuts. Whenever he may be expected to flock thither the supply of peanuts on hand to meet all possible demands is made startlingly manifest. Carts with heaped-up masses of the edible appear in all directions. What becomes of them at other times is a mystery to the uninitiated. Whence their venders spring is also another secret that no one has attempted to solve. They are always sunburned men of bucolic aspect and spectacled raucous voices and somnolent bearing. Another feature of the rush of rural visitors hitherward is the simultaneous appearance of pink lemonade. Why pink has never been explained; nor has any one curious in such matters taken the trouble to discover the curious connection between this lemonade and the frowsy young men without shirt-collars or neckties, and having an abnormal development of the Adam's apple in their throat, who supply the blushing beverage to the thirsty strangers in our midst. The city was prolific last week in these articles and their purveyors. With the departure of the circus both disappeared. It might be reasonably argued that they follow in the train of the circus were it not that they come to the surface again on every public holiday. It is not in this locality alone that peanuts and pink lemonade prevail on these occasions. The custom extends from one end of the country to the other, proving that there must be some subtle and as yet unsolved sympathy between country people bent upon enjoyment and the festal peanut and tinted lemonade.—*Boston Gazette.*

What He Found Out.

"I say, Jones," called the city editor to a reporter in the next rooms "I wish you'd go down to Captain Davis' and find out something about the death of his brother."

"All right, sir," replied the obedient Jones, and started off. In about an hour he returned.

"Well," inquired the c. e., "when did he die?"

"Didn't find out," said Jones.

"What was the matter?"

"Didn't find out," repeated the reporter.

"When are they going to bury him?"

"Didn't find out," he said again.

"Didn't find out? Thunderation, man, didn't you find anything out?" exclaimed the agitated city editor.

"Yes, sir."

"Well, well, what was it?"

"Captain Davis," said the reporter, with a sad, sweet smile, and the c. e. rose up and bumped his head against the wall.—*Merchant Traveler.*

—We have heard of a man being assaulted with almost every conceivable weapon, from a lighted lamp to a brickbat, and we even recall an old song in which the singer was wont to threaten to strike his audience with a feather or to stab them with a rose; but it remained for a Cambridge young man to be fined for assaulting a lady with a sunbeam reflected from a mirror held in his hands.—*Boston Saturday Evening Gazette.*

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—"No passon is lazy 'cause he doan want money, but beca'se he doan want ter work."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—The ordinary stride of Maud S. is seventeen feet per second. That of a man dodging a butcher bill is twenty-one.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A dealer in cheap boots in one of his advertisements says: "Ladies wishing these cheap shoes will do well to call soon, as they will not last long."—*Chicago Tribune.*

—"G. is so very close," was observed by B., "that he will squabble about a farthing." "Well," remarked W., "I have always thought that the less one squabbles about the better."—*N. Y. Mail.*

—Flossie told her mother some news, to which the latter replied: "You don't say so!" "Mamma," said Flossie, "why do you say 'You don't say so' when I've just this minute said it?"—*Boston Post.*

—Inquirer—Yes: "paragraphist" undoubtedly originated from the use of the "fist" (☞) at the beginning of each paragraph. Therefore you are correct in your spelling-reform of the word to "paragrafist."—*Cur. n't.*

—Trousers with two legs are a pair; a shirt with two arms is only one shirt. Philosophers had better give up trying to find out whether the moon is inhabited with spooks and clear up some of the dark mysteries of this life.—*Toledo Blade.*

—Human nature is a good deal like dog nature. Whenever some other dog wants the bone it becomes doubly precious; and when a man is about to lose something upon which he has put slight value, its worth goes skyward rapidly.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—"How did you come to fall in love with Mattie Cook, Fred. Her face isn't the prettiest in the world." "I admit that, Bob, but then she's a lovely character and such a pretty foot." "Oh! then it was her foot that led you to adore Mat?"—*Yonkers Gazette.*

—Miss De Vere—Don't you sing, Mr. Lisle? Mr. Lisle (of the Harvard Glee Club)—Oh, yes, but we are not alone. That ugly old duffer in the corner has been watching us the last half hour. Miss De Vere—Oh, never mind him; he's only my father.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—Featherly was making an evening call and the revised edition was being discussed. "In the new Bible that pa brought home," said Bobby, joining the conversation, "sister is four years younger than she was in the old one. Is that what is meant by the revised edition?"—*N. Y. Sun.*

—"I'll tell you a great secret, but you must promise not to give it away." "Of course not." "I believe Miss Birdie McGinnis is gone on me. I've almost made up my mind to pop the question." "What did she say to you?" "She didn't say anything to me precisely, but at the picnic on Union Creek, she patted my dog on the head. Isn't that an encouraging sign." "Yes, that's the next thing to patting you on the head. Your turn will come next."—*Texas Siftings.*

—He was a poet, and he was talking to Miss Ethel in the conservatory, and as she toyed with the ice which he had just brought her, she inquired: "Mr. Romer, you write a good deal of poetry, don't you?" "Oh, yes, Miss Ethel," he answered, "and it comes so easily to me. Why, do you know, I expect it is more work for you to read my poems that it is for me to write them." "Yes, I expect it is," she answered coyly: "and it must be much pleasanter to write them than to read them." And then he looked up at the shrubs that grew around them and said nothing, while she continued to toy with the chilly orange-flavored ice.—*Boston Post.*

REINDEER HUNTING.

How the Esquimaux Hunt the Reindeer—Aided By Boys and Dogs.

Esquimaux dogs are used in various ways in hunting. When the weather is so foggy that a hunter can not see very far, and there is consequently but little prospect of his killing anything unless he almost stumbles upon it, one of them will take his bow and arrows, or his gun, if he be fortunate enough to own one, and giving the best-trained hunting-dog in charge of one of his sons, they start out reindeer-hunting. The boy puts a harness on the dog, ties the trace around his own waist, or holds it in his hands and follows his father out into the fog.

Of course, the older Esquimaux has some idea where the reindeer will be grazing or resting and he soon finds out which way the wind is blowing over the place where he suspects the reindeer to be. Then, with his boy and the dog, he goes *around* in such a way that the game will not be disturbed, to some place where the wind blowing over the reindeer will come toward the hunters. As soon as the place is reached, the dog smells the reindeer, and commences sniffing the air as if anxious to go toward them. The boy allows the dog to advance slowly, still holding on to the harness so that it shall not run away. As soon as the dog scents the deer, it goes directly toward them, and when it is quite near, it grows excited, and commences to jump and to jerk the harness trace by which the boy is holding it, being a well-trained hunting dog, however, it never barks so as to frighten the deer by the sound.

The hunter now knows from these excited actions of the dog that the reindeer must be close at hand, although he can not see them for the fog. So he tells his son to hold the dog and remain in that spot while he takes his bow or gun and crawls cautiously forward in the proper direction. Before he has gone far, probably not more than twenty or twenty-five yards away, the huge forms of two or three reindeer loom up through the fog. If he is a good hunter he will at least bring one down, and perhaps two or three of them, and so have something for supper. When there is snow on the ground, the boy will generally take two or three dogs along, and after a reindeer is killed, will use them to drag it into the snow house. As the little Esquimaux loves excitement, this is good sport, and in this way he soon learns to hunt quite well.—*Lieutenant Frederick Schwatka, in St. Nicholas.*

FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—The Tichborne claimant is exhibiting himself to small audiences in England to earn a living.

—Of the 217 members who in 1821 formed the Paris Geological Society—said to be the oldest organization of its kind—only one is now living.

While elephant hunting recently in the Garrow Hills, in Bengal, Lords Arthur and Henry Grosvenor captured eighty-five elephants in three drives.

—It has always been the belief of Mrs. Burton, wife of the well-known traveler, that since England took the Koh-i-noor diamond, proverbial for the ill-luck it brings, nothing but disaster has attended all concerning British India.

—A fatal duel, arising from a most trivial cause, is reported from Cologne, where two officers met recently, and, after the exchange of seventeen shots, one of them was mortally wounded, expiring within an hour. The cause of the duel was that one of them put on the other's cap.

A young Englishman has had his legs specially exempted from the insurance granted him by several companies, whose losses through the sudden weakness of that limb had led them to be wary in the matter. Hence clauses in his policy provide that he can not recover unless proof is made that his injuries shall not have been caused by the faulty member.

—The *Lancet* says that appetite is a most misleading sensation, only remotely related to the actual demands of the organism. If we only ate more deliberately we should find half our accustomed quantity of food sufficient to satisfy the most eager cravings of hunger, and hence save ourselves from the evils of dyspepsia, or, on the other hand, a tendency to over increase in weight.

—Timber rafts on the Rhine are a noticeable characteristic of that historic river. A single raft has often eight or ten small houses on it, and from 400 to 500 workmen, rowers and pilots. The vast pile is steered by means of immense oars, and is so constructed as to twist like a huge snake in the narrow channels. The sale of a raft at the end of the voyage often realizes about $150,000.

—Porto Rican ladies, although as dark as mulattos, carry with them to all public places a face powder made from grinding a peculiar shell, and when they think no one is looking their way they give their faces fresh coats of it. Of course the powder shows, but good breeding makes the observer technically blind to the ludicrous combination of black nature and white pulverized shell.

—The increase of the criminal class in England has by no means kept pace with that of the general population. In the fifteen years from 1869 to 1874 the population of England and Wales is augmented by nearly 5,000,000 souls, but the prison population had actually fallen by more than 1,500. If England had gone on producing criminals at the rate at which she was turning them out in 1869, she would have had a prison population in 1884 of something like 14,000, instead of one below 10,000.

—The public baths of Vienna are said to be the finest in the world. The building itself, says the *English Mechanic*, is situated in the heart of the city, and incloses a basin 156 feet in width by 578 feet in length, and varying in depth to twelve feet. The enormous quantity of water contained in this basin is renewed three times a day. The whole establishment has accommodation for 1,500 persons, and is open from May 1st to October 31st, and from five in the morning until dusk. There is also a bath, restricted to ladies, open from nine in the morning until one, and the Vienna ladies are especially good swimmers.

THERMAL LEVELS.

How Discrepancies in Thermometer Marks May Be Explained.

The general fact that the temperature of the air varies with different levels above the earth's surface has long been recognized. Meteorologists tell us that there is usually a fall of one degree Fahr. for every 300 feet of ascent above the sea level, with certain variations for local causes. We may call this a meteorological thermal fluctuation, and it is always marked by a fall of temperature with increased elevation. But there is an equally important change of temperature in the opposite direction, of great importance to the farmer and fruit-grower, namely, a loss of temperature as we descend into valleys. In early years I was a country doctor, and had to take many a long ride in the night. The road passed from a high bluff into a deep valley, with another bluff on the opposite side. When the air was still I could detect by the change of temperature the transition from the warm air of the bluffs to the chilly air of the valley. It was like passing into a cold stream of water, and the change was equally abrupt on passing into the warm air of the opposite bluff.

I appreciate the fact that one's feelings can hardly be accepted as a reliable test of temperature, and that a thermometer is better than a sensation to furnish reliable physical data. "The temperature of the open air" for any given locality, and for the same time, is supposed by most persons to be a definite and uniform quantity. If two persons in the same neighborhood report different temperatures for the same hour, it is supposed that such difference must arise from a difference in the correctness of the thermometers, or some accidental variation of exposure, it being assumed that the "temperature of the open air" for a given locality and identical time would be the same. Many persons suppose it is a very simple thing to determine the temperature of the open air; it is only necessary to hang the thermometer outdoors till it has reached a point of no fluctuation and then read off the temperature by the thermometer scale. But when trial is made even with thermometers that compare favorably with each other under identical conditions, a marked discrepancy is often observed in places of near neighborhood.

Feathered Slaves.

No people are more ingenious than the Chinese in the minor arts of life. That they have succeeded in training birds to fish is a striking example of their ingenuity and patience. Instead of carrying nets, the fishermen provide themselves with a large number of cormorants which perch on the edge of the boats. It is a curious spectacle to see these creatures engaged in fishing, diving into the water and always coming up with a fish in their beaks. As the Chinese fear the vigorous appetites of their feathered servants, they fasten around their necks an iron ring, large enough to allow their breathing but too small to admit of the entrance of the fish they seize; to prevent their straying about in the water and wasting the time desired for their work, a cord is attached to the ring and to one claw of the cormorant by which he is pulled up when inclined to stay too long under water. When tired he is permitted to rest for a while; but if he abuse the indulgence and waste his time, a few strokes of the bamboo recalls him to duty, and the poor diver resumes his laborious occupation. In passing from one fishing ground to another, the cormorants perch side by side, so as not to disturb the equilibrium of the frail vessel.

More Than a Million.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—A reporter of the Times-Democrat, who recently completed a tour of this and neighboring States, visiting every city, town and hamlet, states that he interviewed all wholesale and retail druggists and storekeepers, as well as transportation companies, with a view of learning the volume of trade in certain articles. The statistics thus gathered show that during the past two years over one million two hundred thousand bottles of St. Jacobs oil were sold in this section alone, and that this quantity largely exceeds the total combined sales of all other similar remedies during that period. He adds that dealers, as well as the public, continue unanimous in their praise of the wonderful pain-curing powers of this unappraoched remedial agent.

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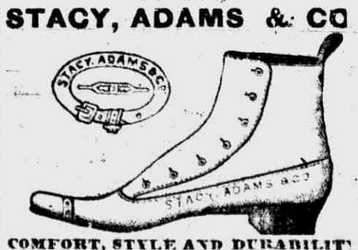

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THE EDITORS VACATION

NOTES ON THE PRINTERS PILGRIMAGE TO THE SUMMER RESORTS OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN

They Visit the Traverse Country with the Exception of Petoskey—Delightful Weather and Hospitality of Harbor Springs.

[illegible] week and no place [illegible] we concluded to accept the invitation of a free ride over the railroads and attend the meeting of the Michigan Press Association which was held last week at Traverse City. Accordingly we [illegible] borrowed an umbrella and taking sister Leana along to hold the umbrella over our hats we took the overland route to Britton, [illegible] Saturday evening, July 5th. After partaking of John Exelby's hospitality for an hour or so, we boarded the Sunday evening train on the Wabash and went to Romulus. After a half an hour we took the night train on the F. & P. M. road and arrived in East Saginaw at six o'clock A. M. The forenoon was spent with brother George and in strolling about the city. As George could not leave home we prevailed upon his wife to accompany us and she made one of our party from Saginaw. At noon the special editorial train came along from Merrill with about one hundred editors on it already on board. Len Lewis' county was well represented. Among those whom we found at Saginaw and who came on subsequent trains were T. S. Applegate and wife, of the Adrian Times, E. J. Smith & daughter of the Adrian Record, F. W. Salmon and wife, of the Blissfield Advance, Will Schermerhorn, of the Hudson Gazette, and C. F. Field, of the Tecumseh News. Mat D. Blosser and wife of the Manchester Enterprise were also in attendance, and M. D. Hamilton and wife, of the Monroe Commercial.

Soon after our arrival at Reed City a heavy special train came along from Grand Rapids over the G. R. & I., and from that point the excursionists took one train into Traverse City. At Cadillac C. T. Chapin, wife and daughter came on board. Five miles north of Cadillac we reach the highest elevation on the road, 800 feet above the level of Lake Michigan. At Walton we branch off for Traverse City, and here the party is greeted by Editor Bates of the Traverse Herald, and Editor Sprague, of the Eagle, who came down to escort the visitors into the city. Although they had their hands full the duty was gallantly performed.

Our train arrived at Traverse City about sundown with three hundred on board. A brass band and nearly the entire population of the city welcomed the party and escorted us to the Park Place Hotel. Several had arrived before the special train, during the day, and a large number came in on Monday night and Tuesday morning. During the day Tuesday, there were nearly 400 visitors to be provided for, and they were all handsomely entertained. The jam at Park Place on Monday evening reminded us of a crowd at Barnum's show. It was ten o'clock before all were provided with supper, and nearly midnight before all had been domiciled for the night. The ladies were accommodated at the Park Place, but many gentlemen were compelled to find berths in the steamer "City of Traverse," and at the Occidental and Locust Grove hotels.

Tuesday was a beautiful day and was well spent. A session of the Western Press Association was held Tuesday forenoon in Library Hall. Ed. E. Smith, of the Howard City Record, read a breezy paper entitled "C. O. D." Geo. W. Buckley, of Battle Creek, read a very able paper entitled, "The Duty of an Editor." Major Long, of the Mt. Pleasant Times, read a practical paper on the "Rules for Display." The unique Hiram Potts of the Grand Haven Courier Journal, gave one of his witty and characteristic talks upon "Pen, Ink and Paste Pot." Farmer Reynolds, of the defunct Grand Rapids Cyclone, gave a poem on "The Knights of the Quill."

Tuesday afternoon the Michigan State Press was in session. "Random Thoughts upon the Newspaper Business" was read by Tom S. Applegate, of the Adrian Times. "The Press as an Educator," by Wm. Van Buren, of the Lansing Republican, was read in his absence by S. P. Cook. "The Mission of a Country Newspaper," by C. B. Angell, of the Charlotte Republican, was read by his partner, C. F. Bevier. "Hints on the Preservation of Papers," by Geo. of Chicago. Ren Wheeler of the Reed City Clarion gave his annual song solo, which brought down the house. The Press Song, written by Major Long, was sung to the press, about and last with a hearty chorus.

Traverse City is a beautiful town of [illegible] people, situated at the head of the west arm of Grand Traverse Bay. It has two excellent papers, the Herald and Eagle, both of which, as a splendid advertising medium, are prospering finely. [illegible] an enterprising town and is the leading business town in Northwestern Michigan.

The Boardman river furnishes about 1,000 water power. The city has a large flouring mill, two immense saw mills, an extensive brick yard and numerous smaller establishments. The brick for the new asylum were manufactured here. The heavy firm of Hannah, Lay & Co. have done much to build up the city. This firm own the elegant steamer City of Traverse which plies between that city and Chicago, also the T. S. Faxton and City of Grand Rapids which furnish a daily line between the different towns on the Northwestern shore. They own a four story brick block of seven stores and also the Park Place Hotel which will accommodate two hundred and fifty guests. Col. J. D. Billings is the present manager. It is finely furnished and admirably conducted in every respect. There was a big Fourth of July celebration here on the Saturday previous and the city was decked out in evergreens, bunting and national flags. The citizens had on their holiday attire and dispensed their hospitality with a lavish hand. They entertained the entire party—nearly four hundred in numbers—for one day and two nights, free of all expense. Besides this, every carriage in the city was at the disposal of the visitors during Tuesday, any one who desired could partake of a free ride. Drives were taken down the coast of the bay, to the water works, to Judge Ramsdell's famous fruit farm and to the new insane asylum. The asylum is nearing completion and will be in readiness to receive patients within a month. It is a magnificent building constructed of cream brick, located about a mile south west of the city and overlooking the bay. After traveling through the corridors of one story for twenty minutes we concluded to postpone the inspection of the entire building until some future time.

Tuesday evening a reception was given at the Park Place in which both citizens and excursionists participated.

The Boys Cornet Band gave a fine concert in front of the Hotel and within the parlors the company was entertained with recitations and singing by different persons. Before dispersing, the excursionists gave three hearty cheers for the citizens of Traverse and the band and President Hampton in their behalf returned thanks to the citizens for their unbounded hospitality. Too much cannot be said in praise of the manner in which we were received at Traverse City. Our reception there, from first to last, was literally a "free show." The citizens of the beautiful city eclipsed themselves, and established it as the banner town of Northern Michigan. It is growing in reputation every year as a fine summer resort. For boat riding, for fishing, for beautiful drives in the forest, it takes the lead among all the towns on the Northern shore.

Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock the entire party—numbering at least 400, left for Charlevoix on board the three steamers City of Traverse, Faxton and City of Grand Rapids. The boats were literally covered with evergreen, flags and bunting and presented a most beautiful sight as they steamed out into the bay abreast of each other. The City of Traverse took the place of flagship with the Faxton and Grand Rapids on either side. It was a halcyon morning, the surface of the bay was smooth as a mirror and as the boats swung from the docks amidst the inspiring strains of music from two bands, the party bid a reluctant farewell to Traverse City, and braced themselves up for more festivities to come. Eighteen miles north we pass Old Mission and Northport, and the Faxton halts at Norwood as usual. At 2 P. M. Charlevoix is reached. As the City of Traverse drew too much water to enter the channel, she hove too outside and transferred her cargo to the Faxton, and returned to Traverse City. During the remainder of the trip the party was conveyed on the Faxton and Grand Rapids.

At Charlevoix we were met by a committee of citizens and a fine band of music and escorted to the Opera House, where an address of welcome was delivered by A. D. Cruikshank and a response by President Hampton. The hungry crowd were then escorted to the Fountain City House and the Chicago Club House where a sumptuous complimentary dinner was served by the generous people of Charlevoix. The town is located on the banks of a sheet of water called Round lake which is connected with the big lake by an artificial channel. Just beyond Round lake and connected with it by another shade channel is Pine Lake. Near the junction of these two lakes are located the Baptist resort and the Chicago Club house and resort. The high bluffs shut out the village from view from Lake Michigan, but a fine view can be obtained from Pine Lake. Charlevoix has improved wonderfully during the past two years and is becoming one of the most noted resorts in the north of Section. The climate is said to be unsurpassed for hay fever sufferers. At 4 o'clock P. M. the Faxton and Grand Rapids again received their load. As we steamed through the draw bridge and into the channel, the party gave three hearty cheers for Charlevoix and her hospitable people and we proceeded down the lake to Little Traverse bay and Petoskey. Here Emeray Hine and his wife, of the Lowell Journal, got left. Whether it was his own or his wife's fault is a disputed question which we leave them to settle. The captain of the Faxton kindly slackened speed, swung the steamer up to the jetty and the deserted editor and his better half were hauled on board. Hine claimed that there was a conspiracy to leave him. One editorial brother had borrowed some money of him at Charlevoix and another a shirt at Traverse, and they were anxious to get rid of him.

Petoskey was reached at seven P. M. where we were received by a band of music and escorted to the hotels. Petoskey is built on a series of bluffs and nestles on the hillside like an amphitheatre. It presents a beautiful panoramic view as approached from the bay. The party was amply provided for at the Arlington, Cushman, Occidental and Clifton Houses. It was our good fortune to find excellent rooms at the Arlington. This hotel is built on the bluff north of town and commands a magnificent view of the bay. It is admirably kept and furnishes first-class accommodations in every respect. We had an elegant supper served at the Arlington that evening, the enjoyment of which was heightened by a pleasing episode. A party of eight—seven besides ourself—were seated at a table near the west window of the dining hall, from which we could look out upon the bay. The waiter had taken our orders and we were leisurely chatting to while the time away, when some one exclaimed "Look at that sunset." The western sky was covered with fleecy clouds except at the horizon where a streak of clear blue kissed the water's edge. As Old Sol sank below the clouds and his disk touched the water of the bay, suddenly the clouds above, the placid surface of Little Traverse, and the foliage on the bluffs were all bathed in a flood of golden light. Flashes of crimson streaked up to the zenith like a display of aurora borealis. Gradually the sun sank beneath the waves, the light gold and crimson colors faded into a sombre hue and the tired of Light had dropped into his western couch. To the eye of our imagination it was a living picture of what Paradise might be.

After supper, business meetings of both associations were held in the reception hall of the Arlington. At the State Press meeting the following officers were chosen. A. J. Aldrich, of Coldwater Republican, president; Franklin Moore, St. Clair Republican, Jesse Minchem, Evart Review, and O. W. Rowland, of the Paw Paw Northerner, vice presidents; J. W. Fitzgerald, of the Ovid Union, treasurer, and Robert Smith, of the Ithaca Journal, secretary. Coldwater was appointed the next place of meeting. Dewey's paper on the "Relation of the Press to Railroads," was ordered printed in the proceedings. Thanks were returned to Sellers and Hampton, and A. McMillen offered a sentiment to the ladies. The committee on resolutions offered the usual compliments. T. S. Applegate, R. S. Warren and A. McMillen were appointed a committee to meet with a like committee from the West Michigan Press, to buy a gold medal for Perry Hannah and testimonials to the general ticket and passenger agents of the G. R. & I. and the F. & P. M.

The Western press then met and completed their business as follows: The following officers were elected: L. M. Sellers, Cedar Springs Clipper, President; J. W. Long, Mt. Pleasant Times, vice president; Chas. S. Hampton, Harbor Springs Independent, secretary; William P. Nisbet, Big Rapids Herald, treasurer; J. W. Long, Mt. Pleasant Times and L. J. Merchant, St. Joseph Republican, executive committee. J. W. Hine, Robert Smith and J. W. Fitzgerald were appointed a committee on badge for Perry Hannah. For this purpose $70 was raised by both associations.

At ten o clock that evening the citizens of Petoskey tendered to the excursionists a grand complimentary ball at the Arlington. Music was furnished by the Arlington band, and the large reception hall of the hotel was a bevy of beauty. A sumptuous collation was served during the evening and the festivities were prolonged until the wee sma hours.

Thursday forenoon what there was left of it after breakfast was employed in strolling about town, visiting the beach to gather pebbles, visiting the water works, etc.

At two o'clock P. M. a special train was in waiting to convey the crowd to Harbor Springs. We passed Bay View and Wequetonsing, but only a halt was made at either place. Both these resorts are now rapidly filling up.

Upon arriving at Harbor Springs, carriages were in waiting to convey the ladies to the bluffs, north of the village. As these were soon filled the remainder of the company were invited to stow themselves into two large sail boats and take a sail. We chanced to be drafted into the sail boat division. The half hour's sail out into the bay was delightful, as we were sailing with the wind, but the return trip was quite the reverse. A sudden gale of wind and a smart shower arose and as we had to tack about forty times, more or less, to get back to the dock, the storm overtook us opposite Harbor Point light house. A few of the party had shawls and umbrellas, but more didn't, so we wrapped ourselves in a cloak of resignation and let it rain. We were obliged to put in at the Harbor Point dock where the little steamer Gracie Barker came to our rescue, and as soon as we were nicely housed, the shower—was over.

The excursionists were then conveyed to the Lansing resort hotel on Harbor Point where an elegant supper was served, and an hour was very pleasantly enjoyed sauntering about among the cottages. The special train returned to Petoskey about sundown. Thursday evening we spent an hour very pleasantly at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Totten. They had lots of questions to ask about their old Tecumseh acquaintances and sent back their best respects to all enquiring friends.

Many left on the evening trains for home, and the party formally broke up on Friday morning. A few went North to spend a day at Mackinac, but nearly all took the morning trains South on the G. R. & I. We left Petoskey at 9.20 A. M. Arrived at Cadillac at 1:30 P. M. and stopped off there one train while the balance of our private party went on to Saginaw and stopped there until Saturday noon.

At Cadillac we found our old friend S. H. Merritt, with whom we stopped. He fills the position of head bookkeeper for the lumber firm of Cobb & Mitchell. We visited some of the big saw-mills and saw a band saw rip up a log four feet in diameter. Made C. T. Chapin a call, and also J. B. McAdam, formally of Clinton, who now runs a dry goods store there. Called at the newspaper offices and found the open sesame to their new Odd Fellows hall which is a magnificent room. Found Bro. Field of the News, and Mat Blosser of the Enterprise doing Cadillac the same afternoon.

We left Cadillac on Saturday morning at 6:20. At Reed City we changed to the F. & P. M. road and arrived at Saginaw at noon. After a halt for dinner the train sped on toward Monroe, and we arrived at Romulus at 3:30. During a halt of two hours here we had a good supper and gathered enough wild flowers for a button hole bouquet. Took the Wabash at 5:30 and came to Britton and thence over the M. & O. road home, arriving here at 7:46 Saturday evening.

We were gone from home just six days and never enjoyed a trip better. The weather could not have been improved upon—barring the storm on Little Traverse bay—and that did'nt hurt our feelings half so much as it did the ladies bonnets. We had plenty to eat and drink and the best of company. We can step back into the editorial harness on our return with a clearer head and a more cheerful heart. Those six days were not thrown away.

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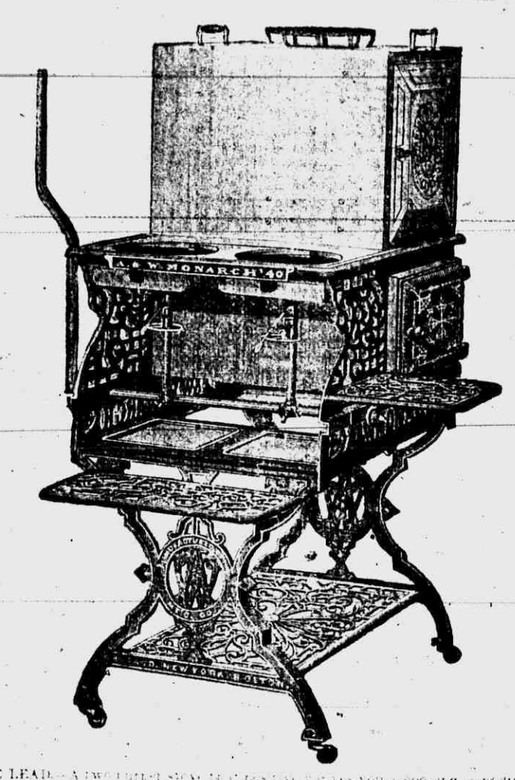

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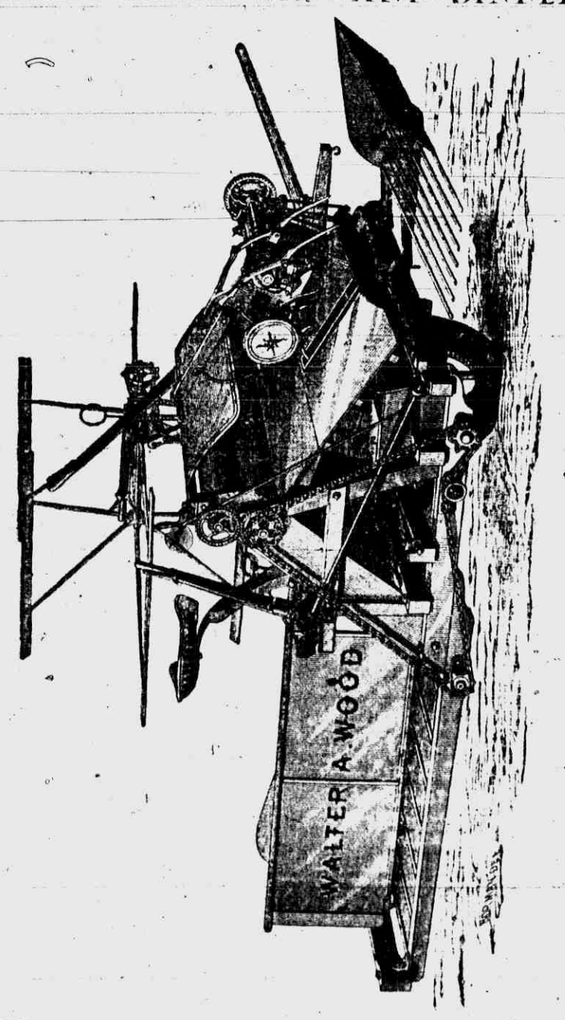

M. E. CONKLIN, Agent.
Headquarters at Slayton & Son's.
TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN.

CASOLINE STOVE

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST.—[illegible] and waistcoat [illegible] one year [illegible] and liberally rewarded.
JAS. ECCLES.

LOST.—On Saturday last on Valley road, one [illegible] The finder will be [illegible] rewarded.

FOUND.—On Friday morning a pair of gold [illegible] owner can have same [illegible]
H. RAGINGER.

NOTICE is hereby given that on [illegible] the [illegible] M. O. Dyer, C. L. Lowe, of Tecumseh [illegible] John Colgan, to enter [illegible] and for good reasons [illegible]
C. L. LOWE, [illegible]

TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS to loan [illegible] good real estate security. Apply [illegible]
OTIS BURRIDGE.

TAKE NOTICE.—To all who [illegible] You will find up at new shop on Pearl [illegible] to repair clocks and do short [illegible] at the lowest prices. Also [illegible] on hand for sale.
W. SHERMAN.

500,000 CABBAGE AND CELERY PLANTS.—I have a large quantity of fine grown stocky and healthy plants. The Flat Dutch and Fottler's Brunswick also celery plants, and can make low prices on large quantities.
ABNER WILSON.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between J. P. Slayton and C. A. Slayton under the firm name of SLAYTON & SON is this day dissolved by mutual consent J. P. Slayton retiring, C. A. Slayton assuming the whole business. All those having unsettled accounts and notes past due, will see the necessity of making a settlement and confer a favor by doing so at once.
J. P. SLAYTON.
C. A. SLAYTON.
Tecumseh, Mich., June 17, 1885.

FOR SALE.—Three work horses, platform spring wagon and lumber wagon.
HIRAM WESTCOTT.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Good farm of 200 acres with large barns, windmill, and price, residence in best farming district of Franklin township within short drive of Tecumseh village.
Two good dwellings in the village, at desirable bargains.
FRED B. WOOD.

The hum of the reaper is now heard in the land.

Ex-County Clerk Hunter spent Sunday in town.

Charles H. Carr, of Adrian, took in the town last Sunday.

E. A. Tribou, assignee of W. Comfort, desires all who are indebted on book account or note, to call and pay the same. Office up-stairs, HERALD building.

The Adrian annual school meeting was held last Monday evening. It was a very quiet and harmonious meeting. P. H. Burnham and Prof. Cocker were chosen trustees.

THE FIRST HORSE RACE.

Promptly at half past two o'clock last Thursday afternoon, Bidwell's black colt and Harry Lee's bay were called up at Bids' race track to speed the first heat for a $20 purse. The track as well as the horses was in good condition and they started off at a good trot. The black colt took the lead at the start and kept it, coming in about three lengths ahead. The second, and last, heat was a repetition of the first, the black horse coming in ahead. A good many people went down to the track with the expectation of seeing some 2:40 time made, not seeming to realize the fact that both horses were young green colts, not used to trotting, and were greatly disappointed at not seeing a Maud S. or a Jay-Eye-See flying around the track. No official time was given by the judges, but some of the audience who kept the time put the fastest at about 2:40. The running race of half mile dash between Will Eccles and Grant Hanford's mustangs was more exciting and was short and sharp. Hanford's horse took the lead, but was quickly overhauled by its opponent, who came in about two lengths ahead, making the half mile in sixty seconds.

THE LATEST FISH STORY.

Saturday—"I say, Will, I hear you have been a fishing. How many fish did you catch?"

"Our entire catch, by actual count, mounted to forty."

Sunday—"So you have been on a trip to Sand Lake, have you, Fred? What luck?"

"Never had better luck—We bagged two hundred and forty fish."

Monday—"I hear, Will, that you had a tremendous run of luck at Sand Lake last week—now honest, how many fish did you catch?"

"To tell the truth we didn't count them, but there must have been at least four hundred and forty."

Tuesday—"And say, Fred, you take the cake as the boss fisherman. Now just between you and I, tell me exactly how many you got."

"Well, I wouldn't want to name an exact number, but I think it safe to say that we got six hundred and forty."

Wednesday—"I hear big yarns, Will, about your fisherman's luck last week. Are they true?"

"Well, I don't want the story to get into the newspapers, but I will state confidentially to you that we caught seven hundred and forty fish."

Thursday—"Isn't that fish story with which you are connected, Fred, somewhat exaggerated?"

"Not in the least, my dear sir. Our total catch, big and little, amounted to eight hundred and forty fish."

In explanation of the above we would state that Postmaster Rosacrans and Will Kies spent three days at Sand Lake last week on a fishing excursion, and we have faithfully chronicled the situation up to the hour of going to press this afternoon.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 16, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

C. D. Bliss was in town last Sunday.

Triton LeBaron of Toledo was in town over Sunday.

L. P. Wheeler was in Clinton last Tuesday taking views.

Most of the saloons in Adrian were in full blast on the 4th.

Ladies, do not forget that Mrs. Freeman now needs money.

Oscar Bills and Newbold Satterthwaite each have one a bicycle.

The Clinton woolen mills have placed some new cloth on the market.

Mrs. Leonard Collier, of Coldwater, is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

Fred Hall and Jim Hedges wheeled over to Tecumseh last Saturday from Adrian.

Misses Emma Biehl and Hannah Adler, of Adrian spent Sunday with Miss Lizzie Smith.

John Smyth is circulating around among his Tecumseh acquaintances for a few days.

Dr. E. C. Anderson, of Cleveland, Tenn., is on a two weeks visit to his parents in this village.

Business is dull in town now. Farmers are all in the harvest field, and villagers are putting in their time at the lakes.

S. W. Temple has an elegant new coal delivery wagon. It is the nobbiest vehicle of the kind on the corporation.

Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd have made arrangements to procure the daily weather reports over the Commercial line, and the bulletin will be found posted every day at their store. Their enterprise will appreciated by the farmers.

Adrian Press: Among the teachers in the county who are achieving enviable reputations as educators, we may mention Prof. Hammond, of Tecumseh, Prof. Wilson, of Blissfield, Prof. Waterman, of Hudson, and Prof. Tripp, of Weston.

Services at the Universalist church on Sunday July 19th, morning and evening. The pastor Rev. J. M. Getchell will discourse upon "The Shadows of Life" and "Letting Well Enough Alone." Sunday School after the morning sermon.

Among recent promotions that have taken place in the regular U. S. army is that of 1st. Lieut. Henry Romeyn to be Captain in the Fifth Infantry. By long service he deserves his promotion. His friends will congratulate him on his good fortune.

Al. Heesen commenced work last Monday morning for Will T. Eccles and can now be found behind the counter in Mr. Eccles' establishment. We believe this arrangement will be just the thing for both parties. Al. will be the right man in the right place.

About two hundred people took advantage of cheap rates to visit Devils Lake last Sunday by the M. & O. The train west consisted of five passenger coaches well loaded. The return train had three cars, many of the visitors having concluded to remain over night and return Monday morning.

Capt. Rose Atlas took his base ball nine to Franklin Center last Sunday to wrestle with a nine composed of Adrianites and Wolf Creekers. Sunday games seem to be popular in Franklin as a crowd of about 300 people were present to see the sport. The Tecumseh club came off victorious by a score of 10 to 7.

Ed. Smith met with quite a serious accident last Friday. While sawing some boards at Temple, McClure & Co's planing mill, he accidentally put his hand on the buzz saw and badly cut three of the fingers on his left hand across the knuckles. By good care he will probably save his fingers, but will have a stiff hand to show for it.

The resignation of Rev. C. E. Conley as Pastor of the Baptist church, was presented on Sunday, July 5th. Last Sunday it was considered at a church meeting and a committee was appointed to interview Mr. Conley and induce him to withdraw his resignation. We sincerely hope that he may be prevailed upon to remain. During his residence in Tecumseh, Bro Conley has made a host of friends not only within but without his own church communion and we should regret to have him leave town.

Harry Stevens' base ball nine went over to Adrian last Friday to play the return game with the nine that played in Tecumseh two weeks ago. When they arrived at the grounds it was found that the Adrian "kid nine" had been reinforced with four or five players from the college and high school clubs. The Tecumseh team didn't propose to kick, however, and they bravely waded in and got gloriously defeated, the score standing 19 to 3 in Adrian's favor. They played a good field game, but the Adrian pitcher was too much for them, they couldn't hit his balls. They will play again in Tecumseh in the near future.

John E. Carr, of Adrian, was the guest of Miss Nellie Clark last Sabbath.

Bertha, daughter of P. B. Suttin, is visiting at her uncle's John Suttin's, this week.

Fred H. Burlingame of Kalamazoo, is spending a few days at his home in this village.

Thos. Wyrill left home Tuesday for a week's visit with his brother William in Calhoun county. A few days vacation will do him good.

The strike of the mill men in the Saginaw Valley is assuming serious proportions. Co. C. should burnish up their muskets. The boys may be called out.

The Episcopal Social will meet at Mr. Morse's on Wednesday evening next, July 22nd. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, Wis., has just paid a $2000 loss on the life of Rev. G. W. Wilson through Wm. De Mott, agent at this place.

Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff leave home to-day for Huron, Dakota, to be gone about a month. Dr. Taggart will keep Dr. Steinhoff's office during the absence of the latter.

S. W. Temple has been painting over his coal office, and it is finely ornamented with signs, lettered by Mr. Brooks. He who runs can easily read where Temple's coal office is now.

Miss Lulu Monaghan, who has been teaching school at Calumet during the past year, arrived in Tecumseh last Saturday, and will spend the vacation among friends in this vicinity.

A man arrested for stealing a cake of soap from a Chicago hotel, pleaded in extenuation, that he wanted it for a curiosity, it being the first cake of soap he had ever seen in a Chicago hotel.

John Exelby's new hotel at Britton is being pushed to completion as rapidly as possible. It is already in a condition to accommodate guests and will be a fine country hotel when completed.

Mrs. N. B. Bacon, of Toledo, sister of President Cleveland, was in Tecumseh one day last week as the guest of Mrs. P. J. Welling. Mr. Bacon is a prominent and well-known architect of Toledo.

Adrian Record: Olive, the daughter of Daniel Benedict is the happy possessor of a fox which is a very cute specimen of its race. The little girls of the neighborhood are greatly delighted with it.

New switches and frogs have arrived for a side track on the east side of the L. S. & M. S. railroad at the depot. It will run into the old wood shed which will be used by C. A. Slayton for a coal shed.

When you have occasion to visit Homer be sure and stop with Al. J. Hauser, the new proprietor of the Osborn House. He is a good landlord and will do all in his power to make your stay pleasant.

The Adrian Record says: An umbrella was found a few miles west of Adrian this morning. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this notice.

An umbrella was lost at the HERALD office during our absence last week. The finder is requested to return the same before the next rainy day. No charges made and no questions asked.

Mrs. Alphonzo Dewey gave an entertainment yesterday afternoon in honor of her daughter's birth day. Ice cream and cake were served to nearly fifty guests. Among those present from the village were Mrs. Geo. Marsden, Mrs. Robt. Stretch, Mrs. James Mitchell, Mrs. Sheldon and others. Also Mrs. L. D. Dewey and daughters from the Valley. A very enjoyable time was passed by all present.

On Thursday afternoon of last week Mrs. John Butrick, of Franklin, gave birth to triplets, all girls and weighing six pounds each. The mother seemed to be recovering from the ordeal satisfactorily, when she suddenly sank and expired. The children at last accounts were alive and doing finely. Mrs. Butrick was a daughter of Deacon Stanley and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. Her sad death has cast a gloom over the entire community.

Adrian Record: We regret much to chronicle a misfortune to our esteemed friend T. M. H. He has lost his traveling satchel, and is "out" considerably also, in sums spent in telegraphing. Two weeks have elapsed and still nothing is heard from it. The satchel was not very valuable of itself, but it contained his other shirt, and his embarassment increases as the chance of its recovery diminishes. This is a harrowing tale of a lost shirt.

Adrian Times: Company B, through Secretary Bond, is in receipt of letters from Surgeon C. M. Woodward, of Tecumseh, and Assistant Surgeon Sullivan, both of the First regiment, thanking the company, and the citizens of Adrian, for their entertainment here on the Fourth. Major Woodward writes that he never attended a finer, more complete, or better managed celebration, and that he never was more handsomely entertained in his life.

Read the new card of Kies Bros. in to day's paper.

No Sunday School at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Archie Richards, of Cincinnati, O., was in town this week.

Adrian vs. Tecumseh at base ball park to morrow afternoon.

Maxley & Co., the Toledo clothiers, have a new advertising card this week.

Grinsley & Co. are taking an inventory of stock this week and their store is closed.

Mr. John Davenport, of Jefferson, Iowa, is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

Rev. C. E. Conley and wife started for Marquette last Tuesday on a visit for a few days visit.

Frank Snedigor and wife of Dundee were visiting Tecumseh friends last Monday and Tuesday.

The next examination of teachers will be held at Dean's opera house in Adrian, on the 8th of August.

Rev. C. E. Conley was at work at Hudson and vicinity last week in the interest of Kalamazoo college.

The new boat called the City of Adrian, recently placed on Devil's lake, is said to be the fastest boat on the lake.

A large party of our young people went to Sand Lake last Tuesday. Pond lily bouquets have been numerous about town since.

Clinton Local: A young man named Thomas Biggins, aged 20 years, took Paris green and left his many friends in this village yesterday.

The farmers of this vicinity are pushing the wheat harvest this week. Wheat promises a heavy crop if it can be secured in good weather.

Mrs. S. Whittier, of Tecumseh, attended the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. & Mrs. Jonathan Hare at Blissfield held on Thursday of last week.

Douglas Kislingbury, son of the late Lieut. Kislingbury, who perished in the Arctic expedition last year, is spending a few weeks with Will T. Eccles.

W. T. Eccles has just received a fine lot of watermelons, and placed them on ice. By the way Will's ice cream soda is just as cool and refreshing as ever, and don't you forget it.

Cook & Palmer have bought 130,000 pounds of wool this season and the last sack was shipped off on Tuesday. This entire amount was purchased on their own account, the average price paid being about 22 cents.

Fishing is good in the Brownville pond now. The pond was drawn off Monday to allow the weeds to decay, leaving the river channel alone, which is literally alive with splendid fish.—Fish have been taken out by the bushel since.

Henry L. Jones and P. B. Swick have entered into a partnership to conduct the harness business, and will occupy the store near Curry's barber rooms, formerly occupied by J. A. Munger. Mr. Jones will remove the U. S. Express office to the same building.

The summer session of the Normal School of Adrian College opens Monday, the 20th. An excellent corps of teachers, including Prof. E. G. Walker of the county board of examiners, will have charge of the instruction. This affords an excellent opportunity for teachers to prepare for the winter schools.

Another Sunday excursion train will run to Devil's Lake next Sunday over the M. & O. It will be under the management and for the benefit of the Toledo Salesmens' Association. Below is the time table and fare for the round trip:

Toledo	9 00	A. M.	75 cents.
Dundee	10 00	"	60 "
Britton	10 22	"	50 "
Ridgeway	10 27	"	45 "
Tecumseh	10 37	"	40 "
Tipton	10 55	"	30 "
Onsted	11 08	"	20 "

Returning the train will leave the Lake at 7 P. M.

The following officers of the Odd Fellows Lodge were installed at the last regular on Tuesday evening:

N. G.—J. W. Wooden
V. G.—Jno. Hibbard
P. S.—Thos. Cummins
Rec. Sec.—Wm. Smallridge
Treas.—C. F. Williamson
W.—C. A. McNeil
C.—Jerry Root
O. G.—Fred Herring
I. G.—W. F. Gray
R. S. N. G.—James Curry
L. S. N. G.—Robert Plank
R. S. V. G.—Geo. Williamson
L. S. V. G.—I. P. Keyser
R. S. S.—S. C. Stacy
L. S. S.—Ernest Herring

The Tecumseh polo club went to Monroe last Tuesday afternoon on invitation from the club of that city to play a match game of polo at their rink in the evening. One of the members of the Tecumseh team was seen this morning, and said the boys had a "dandy" time. Two games were played, one Tuesday evening and one Wednesday afternoon. The first was an all rush game and our boys won three out of five goals, and the same in the game Wednesday afternoon. The boys are loud in their praise of the Monroe club for the gentlemanly manner in which they were treated, and hope to return the compliment some day.

SCATTERED SPACES AND QUADS.

Collected Together after Reading the Proof of Our Sketch of the Press Excursion.

The President's of both Press Associations were too modest.

Don't you wish we had gone round by the lakes on our return home?

That darkey waiter at the Arlington will know better next time we visit are to eat.

The editors who stopped at the Park House made quite a point for the closing toast.

Several of the young men got massed, and lost their way coming home one night.

As an assistant baggage master Editor Coggeshall, of the Hudson Gazette takes the cake.

A dinner served from the dining room of the Arlington is worth going a little the way to Petoskey to see.

The paper read by T. S. Appersonett of the Adrian Times was one of the best papers read during the entire session.

Brain food was plenty at the Park House. 4300 pounds of fish were consumed there during the sojourn of the excursionists.

One of the natives at Walton allowed that the party must be the first installment of patients bound for the new insane asylum.

Bro. Field, of the News looked rather crestfallen at first without his wife, but there were lots of pretty girls and he soon caught on.

Congressman Seth C. Moffatt has a fine residence at Traverse, and was one of the most efficient members of the reception committee.

A search for a stray grip sack among the Petoskey hotels is enough to even disturb the equanimity of one of the imperturbable Smiths.

There are enough summer resorts in Northern Michigan to accommodate all the Northwestern states, with New England and New Jersey thrown in.

L. J. Smith, of Adrian, was one of the main spokes in the Lenawee county delegation. His jokes were never better and he always had one on tap.

Much of the success of the Traverse City reception was due to the efficient and untiring labors of Thos. T. Bates of the Herald, and E. L. Sprague, of the Eagle.

A sail on Little Traverse bay, during a thunder storm is very exhilarating, especially when your overcoat and umbrella are locked up in your room at the hotel.

It was something quite remarkable and to be thankful for, that in an excursion of that magnitude and duration, not a single accident of any kind occurred. There were ludicrous mishaps without number, but nobody was hurt.

Among the old acquaintances who turned up on the trip were Rev. W. J. Stoutenburgh and wife. Mr. S. was formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church of Tecumseh and is now conducting the Leader at Marlette, Sanilac county.

Chas. S. Hampton, President of the Western Association, orated at Adrian on the 4th, and went out on the special train Monday morning over the F. & P. M. road. He was with the party until they broke ranks on Friday, and was untiring in his efforts to promote the comfort and enjoyment of the fraternity.

While the excursionists were being transferred from the City of Traverse to the Faxton, off Charlevoix, President Hampton stood at the gang plank and solemnly warned them to collect all their baggage and take it with them. Upon arriving at Charlevoix, Mr. Hampton discovered that his own luggage had been left behind and gone on to Chicago.

The railroads of the state deserve the thanks of the fraternity for courtesies extended, while the G. R. & I. and the F. & P. M. have placed the press under extra obligations to them for the special trains provided and other accommodations furnished the excursionists. These two roads are Michigan railroads, entirely under Michigan control, and Michigan citizens have good reason to be proud of them.

A serious accident befell our friend Boughton of the Marquette Chronicle. As he was saunteringdown the Main street of Traverse he was accosted by the Hopton bitters man, who offered him $50 dollars for his photograph. Greatly surprised, Bough ventured the reason of so strange an offer and what use he wished to make of his picture. The shrewd bitters man said that he wished his picture to illustrate on their bitters bottles before taking.—Battle Creek Call.

A. H. Finn, of Port Huron, who was one of the floor managers at the Arlington ball, was down on the program as A. H. Sinn. It is rumored that his original name was Sinn, and that he was a relative of Ah Sinn, whom Brett Hart mentions in the "Heathen Chinee." By a special act of the Legislature in 1883 his name was changed from Sinn to Finn. Some one conversant with this fact had his ancestral name inserted on the program. The affidavits are on file at this office.—Battle Creek Call.

The route from Traverse City to Petoskey passes an oasis of land bearing the unromantic name of Hog Island, to which open strong exception was taken by those on board the steamer City of Traverse that a meeting was called, a president chosen and a motion made to change the name from Hog Island to Press Island. This gave rise to a discussion as to whether a change from Hog to Press would not be merely a distinction without a difference. All appeared sorry to do anything if it would give any island with the objectionable name, and therefore, at off-hand by acclamation Hog Island was christened Dewey Island.—Adrian Record.

Bro Rapids Herald: The office of the Herald has been away this week, attending the Press convention up north here. If this issue of the Herald is more spicy and readable than usual, the credit belongs to the office force. It is not often that Mr. Nisbett accommodates his readers by absenting himself from duty. When last seen by a Record scribe Nisbett was a most forlorn looking object. The first table at Traverse City was being fed and Nisbett with an extremely hollow stomach stood leaning against a post for support, waiting for the dining room doors to open to him and feeling that it was time to kick but he had not strength enough.—Adrian Record.

The teacher's have all been engaged for the coming school year. We give their names and positions respectively:

Supt.—Prof. D. A. Hammond.
High School, A. Div.—Miss Hitchcock.
High School, B. Div.—Miss Lyon.
Eighth Grade—Miss Mary E. Keeney.
Seventh Grade—Miss Grace Willett.
Sixth Grade—Miss Julia Snell.
Fifth Grade—Miss Nannie Kyle.
Fourth Grade—Miss May Henderson, Miss Grace Parkhurst.
Primary Grade—Miss Hettie McClure, Miss Jennie Nyland, Miss Estelle Miller.

Passenger Agent McHugh and Auditor Annital of the M. & O. road were in town yesterday and spent the afternoon. The object of their visit was to establish an uptown ticket-office, and they placed the agency with A. E. Kennedy in the post office building. This arrangement will be a decided convenience to the traveling public, and they could not have made a better selection for a local agent. Mr. Kennedy will receive a supply of tickets in a week or so.

The Tecumseh cornet band boys are circulating a subscription paper to raise funds to purchase new uniforms with. As an inducement to our citizens to aid them, they purpose giving a free open air concert at least once a week. They can blow when attired in their old clothes, that is true, but they have an ambition to become a first class band and to keep abreast of the times. Give the boys a lift.

Last Saturday, being the anniversary of Ed. Rowland's wedding day, some of his friends organized a surprise party and took his house by storm about tea time. About fifty guests were present, who were entertained with a fine picnic supper and passed a jolly evening. Mr. and Mrs. John Heesen were the ring leaders in the mischief.

Jack Turner, a son of Joe Turner, who was the foreman of Hayden's stave mill a few years since, is in town this week on a visit. Jack has been South for the past seven years, and is now located at New Orleans as yard master in the "Queen & Crescent" depot. He has a responsible position and gets a salary of $115 per month.

C. A. Blackmar, of Cambridge, was in town yesterday.

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G. P. Sparks.

Buy the Noiseless Light Running New Home Sewing Machine. Remember this machine is warranted to be entirely free from raw hide and cotton batting. Drop me a postal card for prices. B. J. Coller, Gen. Agent, Adrian.

—Miss A. M. Adams is here for a few weeks, and would like pupils in decorative painting. Samples of work can be seen at Mr. Sparks' music store or at W. D. Adams' store.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The Pennsylvania State Teachers' Association opened its annual session at Harrisburg on Monday with one thousand of the State teachers. President J. G. Shaw, of Bucknell University, in the chair. Vice-Presidents Mary L. Dougherty and A. J. Lewis, Secretary Hamilton, Ex-Mayor Wright, Prof. W. Wells, S. Merrill, Joseph Wells, Northampton, A. T. W. Evans, Lebanon.

The family and relatives of Mrs. Jane Mitchell, who died suddenly at Saratoga, N. Y., a few days ago, leaving an estate valued at $1,000,000, were surprised to learn that she left no will. The property will go to her husband, four sisters, namely, Mrs. Phelps and Mrs. William Moore, sisters of Mrs. Mitchell, inheriting the latter's wife, and the children of a deceased sister, inheriting the other portions.

The President has appointed William K. Meade, of Arizona, to be United States Marshal for the Territory of Arizona, and Jeremiah M. Morgan, of South Carolina, to be Secretary of the Legation of United States in Mexico. Mr. Morgan has been a resident of Mexico for some time and speaks the Spanish language fluently.

The Pennsylvania Infantry, second Corps, in the army of the Potomac, Brigadier General Gregg, U. S. A., retired, Brigadier General Crook, U. S. A., retired, Brigadier General Ord, U. S. A., retired, at the Gettysburg reunion, Major General Hancock, who will assume command of the Corps, and Major General Sickles, who will assume command of the Third Corps.

Secretary Fairchild has written to the Secretary of State at Ottawa, New York, stating that the circular of June 25 relative to the admission of American goods in bond through Canada by rail or part rail and part water, shall apply to all goods to be treated as therein provided, and that orders have been issued to allow bonded days' leave of absence to employes in their respective departments.

It is understood that Attorney General Garland has decided that the Government must pay the bondsmen.

The Secretary of War on the 11th ordered the Fourth Cavalry and the Fourth Infantry, making a total force of nearly two regiments, to proceed at once to the vicinity of Fort Reno, I. T., from their present stations in the departments of Texas and the Platte. This will make a force of about 4,000 men in the Territory.

On the 12th a new noon-time ball was dropped from the flag-pole on the roof of the Navy Department building. Noon balls are now dropped by means of electricity from public buildings, one each at New York, New Orleans, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Savannah and Fortress Monroe, and three at Washington—at the observatory, navy yard and the Navy Department building.

THE EAST.

The autopsy upon the body of the late Commander Gorringer shows that death resulted from a cancer around and pressing upon the spinal cord. It is merely conjectural whether or not the injury received while attempting to board a train had anything to do with the disease. Appearances indicate that it existed for several months prior to that accident.

Business failures reported throughout the United States during the week ended the 16th number 179, against 192 in the preceding week and 194, 197 and 124 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1886 and 1882 respectively.

Six buildings with their contents on Main Street, Sharpsburg, Pa., burned on the 12th, entailing a loss of about $40,000; small insurance.

At Erie, Pa., on the 12th two young ruffians placed a bunch of firecrackers under the dress of Miss Elizabeth Waggance, which ignited her clothing and caused her to be burned to death. About the same time a bull gored Mrs. H. Lewis and ran its horns through her lungs, inflicting fatal injuries.

The wheat fields of various towns in Wayne County, N. Y., have been devastated by the Hessian fly. In Arcadia the loss is estimated at $100,000. In the immediate vicinity of Lyons careful observers estimate the loss at $70,000, and in some places the farmers are turning the wheat fields in order to exterminate the insects as far as possible.

Carrie Evens, aged fifteen, of Philadelphia, shot and killed herself on the 10th after being told that a young man who had apparently been very devoted to her had given an engagement ring to a school girl friend of hers. She first pointed the pistol at her rival, who had exhibited the ring, but upon the latter's running out of the room she turned the weapon upon herself.

A fire started on the 9th in the great cranberry belt of Burlington County, N. J., and swept over hundreds of acres of valuable bog. It spread to the West Jersey meadows containing thousands of acres of grass and cranberries. The grass and vines were very inflammable, owing to the protracted drouth, and the flames spread with great rapidity. Many thousand dollars' worth of cranberries, nearly ripe for market, were destroyed. On the 11th the fire was still spreading and the people were fighting it with back fires.

William A. Pudney, the aged sexton of St. George's Church, New York, was on the 10th sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment for criminally assaulting a girl ten years of age. When the Judge pronounced sentence Pudney fell senseless to the floor.

A box containing giant powder was found on the Salmon River Railroad bridge near Plattsburgh, N. Y., on the 9th arranged so as to explode whenever a train should pass. There is no clue to indicate who placed it there.

In the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 11th, the following changes are noted: Loans decrease, $614,000; specie increase, $2,095,600; legal tenders increase, $37,300; deposits increase, $2,959,900; circulation decrease, $129,500; reserve increase, $2,292,825. The banks held $63,900,725 in excess of legal requirements.

During the week ended July 11 the total exports of specie from New York were $[illegible], of this amount the exports to Europe were $[illegible] gold and $[illegible] silver, and the exports to Havana were $[illegible] silver. The imports of specie at the port for the week were $[illegible].

Charles Dyer, a veteran, died at one of the soldiers' homes in Chester, Pa., stabbed himself in the thigh. He had three wives and one of them was threatening to prosecute him for bigamy.

A fire at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on the 12th destroyed the planing and store of William B. Ingham, dealer in stoves and tinware. Loss $20,000; insurance $[illegible].

The will of the late Joseph W. Drexel, of Boston, contains the following peculiar provision: "If any legal action of any family will make any private use of my funeral or where I am buried, or the purchase of mourning apparel belonging properly to my grandchildren, I do hereby declare that such person is not my child, and the more conspicuous the hypocrisy, the more I wish to be considered."

William Ashley, of the Fourth National Bank of Pittsburgh, was at work a few days ago, a young man entered the bank and told the clerk in charge that a gentleman wished to see him at the door. The clerk was quite a moment speaking to a man in a buggy, and when he returned Ashley was missing and the stranger had disappeared. There is no trace of the thieves.

WEST AND SOUTH.

A young man named Enright had for some time been paying attention to a daughter of Lewis Graves, a farmer living near Rising Sun, Wood County, O. He had been warned against visiting the house by the father of the young lady, but did not heed the warning. On the 7th Graves found Enright there and, using an ax split the young man's head open, killing him instantly.

The boiler of a threshing engine on the farm of J. W. Dunnavan, near Fulton, Ill., exploded on the 8th, killing Benjamin Anderson and severely injuring two or six others. It is thought some of the injured will die.

At Cleveland, O., on the 8th fire destroyed the planing mill of Bell, Cartwright & Co., and the Garry Iron Roofing Company's works on Merwin Street, entailing a total loss of $[illegible]; about half insured. Six frame buildings in the Fourteenth Ward, occupied as business places and tenements, also burned at the same time. Loss $[illegible].

Rev. M. D. Turner, a Methodist minister, of Lawrenceville, Ga., committed suicide at Stone Mountain, that State, a few days ago, by taking strychnine. He wrote a letter to his wife in which he said she was not to blame, but that he had lost faith and hope for this world and that which was to come.

J. W. King, one of the wealthiest citizens of Xenia, O., and proprietor of the Xenia Powder Manufactory, died suddenly of heart disease on the 8th while at the supper table.

Lewis Webster, who was recently granted a new trial on the charge of murdering Perry Harrington at Geneva, O., is to have a change of venue from Ashtabula to Trumbull County, and his trial occurs in the October term of court.

Thomas Pugh, of Hubbard, O., left that place on the 8th to draw $2,[illegible] out of a bank in Greenville, Pa. The next night Mrs. Pugh found his horse and buggy in front of their home, but her husband is missing. The buggy was covered with blood. It is supposed Pugh was murdered for his money.

At the session of the Patriarchal Order of Odd Fellows, held at St. Paul on the 9th, the following supreme officers were elected: Counsel, Peter Van Vechten, Jr., Milwaukee, Wis.; Venerable Oracle, H. M. Innis, Columbus, O.; Oracle, Martin Krüeger, Michigan City, Ind.; Vice Oracle, J. H. Mahler, St. Paul; Commander, Colonel S. S. Eddy, Rochester, N. Y.; Marshal, George C. O. Ackley, Chicago; Secretary, Newell Daniels, Milwaukee; Treasurer, Franklin Ellis, Troy, O.; Standard Bearer, Louis Van Norby, Toledo, O.; Trustees, A. Long, St. Paul; A. B. Adams, Battle Creek, Mich.; Samuel Flagler, Ottawa, Ia.

Joseph and Albert Susterlich, aged nine and eleven respectively, were drowned on the 9th in a creek near Omaha, Neb., while bathing. When the news was told to their father he was seized with convulsions and will not live.

The family of Samuel Baker, in Scott County, Ia., were poisoned a few days ago by drinking wine from a bottle in which was some jimson weed root, used in making a liniment. Mrs. Hardely, one of the family, died inside of an hour, Mr. Baker can not recover, and five others were at last accounts in a dangerous condition.

Eleven of the sixteen conductors, the discharging of whom by Superintendent Lane, of the West Division Street Railway, Chicago, caused the strike, were reinstated on the 10th, their cases having been investigated by President Jones. The cases of the remainder are under investigation.

Postmaster Latham, of Superior, Neb., has been suspended for engaging in a bank robbery at Drakesville, Ia., in 1877. When charged with the crime he acknowledged his guilt.

Dr. Piper, of Chicago, who went to San Francisco several months ago to testify against the genuineness of Sarah Hill's marriage contract with Senator Sharon, has been arrested at the instance of Hill. She charges him with libelling her in a recent pamphlet, in which he states his belief that the Sharon signature to the alleged contract was written by one Max Gumpel.

Sand Beach, Mich., was visited on the night of the 9th by a terrific ice storm, which passed over the Lake at Port Hope. Great damage resulted to standing crops, and even the lives of men and animals were endangered. Hail stones from one to four inches in diameter beat out windows and otherwise damaged buildings. From a distance the storm cloud looked like a cyclone, and is described by eye-witnesses as terrific.

The "Blind Tom" case was decided in the United States Circuit Court at Alexandria, Va., on the 10th. The court decided it had no jurisdiction in the case and remanded Tom to the custody of General Bethune.

Charles Gee, a member of the Virginia Legislature, was on the 11th fined $100 and sentenced to one minute in jail for cutting A. T. Wall at a political meeting a few weeks ago.

One hundred and eleven men, arrested during the West Division Street car-men's strike, were arraigned in Justice White's court at Chicago on the 11th on the charge of riot. They were chiefly Americans. Nine were charged with maliciously obstructing the car tracks. There were very few strikers among the number. Several were discharged, there being no prosecution. About one hundred were fined a nominal sum.

At Momence, Ill., on the 12th sixty persons, including several of the most prominent families, were taken seriously ill. Investigation showed that all the parties had eaten dried beef, and the doctors were of opinion that they had been poisoned by something used in the curing of the meat. About twenty were considered dangerous, and it was thought some five or six would die.

The steam yacht Minnie Cook, with eight persons on board, was capsized in a squall on Lake Minnetonka, Minnesota, on the 12th and the entire party were drowned. The names of the unfortunate victims were ex-Mayor A. D. Rand and wife, Mary Rand and two sons, Harvey and Frank Rand, J. H. Clyde and his wife, Kate Clyde, Louisa Knight and George McDonald, engineer, all of Minneapolis.

Major J. E. Thompson, of the Salvation Army, shooted at Ionia, Mich., a few days ago on the charge of creating a disturbance, was sentenced to pay a fine of $[illegible] and costs or in jail.

A four-year-old son of John H. Franklin, Jr., of Newark, O., got hold of a razor on the 12th and attempted to cut the hair on the head of a younger sister, aged two years. Three or four gashes were cut across the head of the child about seven inches long, which will undoubtedly cause its death.

The jury in the celebrated will case of Sarah Thompson vs. the United Brethren Church, on trial in the Circuit Court at Lancaster, O., failed to agree and were discharged on the 12th. Mrs. Thompson, who was provided with a life interest in her husband's estate, and which on her death goes to the church, sued to set aside the will. The trial in the Common Pleas resulted in sustaining the will.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

At a recent meeting of the Midland iron trade in Birmingham, England, great depression was reported. Failures are increasing. The book of the iron works are not paying expenses. Competition as severe and prospects are ruinous. Common forge pig is sold at 42s. per ton, the lowest price ever recorded.

The University College of Wales in Aberystwith was damaged by fire on the 9th to the extent of £[illegible]. During the fire a floor fell with seven men on it. Five of them were rescued fearfully burned, one of them fatally, and two perished. The contents of the library and museum were saved.

It is reported that typhus fever has broken out among the French troops at Marseilles, France, and 2,000 of them are now in the hospital.

A conflagration in the commercial quarter of Kursk, Russia, a few days ago destroyed fifty houses, entailing a heavy loss.

Returns from the cholera-infected districts of Spain show that for the twenty-four hours ended at noon on the 11th 1,533 new cases and 618 deaths were reported.

Count Esterhazy, who proposes to settle 20,000 Hungarians in the Canadian Pacific Railway belt in the Northwest, has had an interview with the Dominion Government regarding the scheme. The Ministers expressed themselves satisfied with the terms of the settlement proposed by the Count, and promised to arrange the matter as soon as possible.

A mysterious disease, baffling the skill of physicians, has become epidemic in Portugal. Persons seized with the plague die within a few minutes after being attacked. The afflicted persons have none of the symptoms of any disease known to medical practitioners, and doctors are unable to give the disease a name, much less to arrest its progress.

While Emperor William of Germany was on his way to the theater at Ems on the evening of the 11th a heavy earthen flower pot was thrown at him. The missile struck the Emperor's carriage with great force and was shattered. The person who threw it is supposed to be a lunatic.

LATER NEWS.

AN electrical storm passed over Georgia on the 13th with serious results. A colored boy on Dr. Hilyer's place, near Rome, was instantly killed, and a son of P. F. Mutes was struck dead and his mother and sister seriously injured. In Americus the electric fluid struck in three or four places, doing considerable damage to property and cattle. At Reidsville great damage was done to buildings. The storm passed over a territory of about 100 miles.

INSPECTOR ARMSTRONG, who was directed to investigate and if possible adjust the difficulties of the cattle blockade in the Indian Territory, telegraphed to Secretary Lamar on the 13th that all difficulties have been settled and that cattle from Texas were moving northward, the blockade having been raised.

THE War Department was in receipt of dispatches from the Indian Territory on the 13th, which say that the disaffected Indians are becoming quiet and that there is a favorable outlook for the settlement of the Indian difficulties.

A FIRE broke out in the Briggs House stables at Phœnix, R. I., on the 13th, and communicated to the hotel and adjoining buildings. Ten buildings in all, including the hotel and its contents, were consumed. Loss $30,000.

DESTRUCTIVE storms are reported in portions of Austria and Hungary. In many places all live stock has been killed, the crops entirely destroyed and the people are confronted with starvation. The outlook for next winter in the devastated districts is terrible.

PROFESSOR CHARLES KENDALL ADAMS, of Michigan University, was on the 13th elected President of Cornell University to succeed President White.

A DISPATCH of the 13th from Momence, Ill., states that a microscopic examination of the dried beef which caused the illness of sixty or more persons in that place a few days ago has been made. It revealed thousands of worms to the square inch in the meat. Some of the insects are represented as being black, others white, but all have antennæ or horns projecting from the head. Two deaths have already occurred, and many other cases are critical. It is reported that a Chicago scientist, to whom portions of the diseased meat have been sent, has said that all who have partaken of it must die, sooner or later.

ONE of the most disastrous storms ever known in that section visited the Allegheny Valley on the evening of the 13th. Rain fell in torrents for an hour and the thunder and lightning were incessant. Reports of great damage have been received from various points along the Allegheny River between Pittsburgh and Titusville. At Harmarsville the lightning struck the telegraph office and instantly killed James McFeeders, a student, aged twelve years, and prostrated the operator, Miss Hazlett. The railroads were flooded and travel impeded in all directions. Kirkpatrick & Co.'s steel plant at Leechburg is under water. The loss in grain and hay throughout the valley will be enormous.

Men Think

they know all about Mustang Liniment. Few do. Not to know is not to have.

ESTATE OF PETER S. WALDRON

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at our Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Wednesday, the [illegible] day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-[illegible].

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Ann E. Waldron, widow, and the guardian praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that Monday, the 20th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
A. J. Sawyer, Probate Register. [illegible]

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, late of the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, give notice that we will meet for the purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of June, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 26, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
may21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the Township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 26, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
RICHARD AIKEN,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Timothy Deed, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Timothy Deed, late of the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of C. A. Stacy, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of August, 1885, and on the 25th day of December 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of each of said days, and that six months from the 25th day of June, 1885, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Tecumseh, June 26th, 1885.

ISAAC P. KEYSER,
AARON J. PALMER,
j26-9 Commissioners.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Jackson	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Napoleon	6 50 "	2 41 "	2 15 "
Norvell	7 [illegible] "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 25 "	3 26 "	3 02 "
Tecumseh	7 [illegible] "	3 34 "	3 10 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 14 "	3 55 "
Deerfield	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 136. Mail.	No. 148. Express.	No. 138. Accom.
Toledo	8 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Deerfield	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	6 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24 Pass	No. 22 Pass	No. 26 Pass	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Butler	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kinkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 29	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 35	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT,	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27 Pass	No. 25 Pass	No. 23 Pass	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Wills	6 03	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kinkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
—	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
—	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
—	6 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
—	7 05	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
—	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
—	7 22	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
—	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
—	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
—	8 08	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
—	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
—	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
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6 20	9 25	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
6 32	9 37	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
6 47	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
6 59	9 53	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
7 15	10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 42	6 40	7 03
7 35	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
7 45		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
7 52		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
8 08		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
8 24		3 45	Montteth	11 35		5 55
8 32		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
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10 10		5 10	Holland	10 10		3 00
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11 13		6 25	Berrysburg	8 50		2 00
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"Throb! throb! throb!"

As regular as the beat of the human heart—more regular than the human pulse. It is the revolution of the steamer's screw—something heard from end to end and side to side of the great ship.

From dawn to dark—from dark to dawn—never missing a beat. Let the great ship's heart miss that beat—let the jar cease for a moment in mid-ocean, and the chill of fear will strike every passenger's heart. They know that only a single plank separates them from the relentless waters—that a rod—a pin—a bolt—a crank—may snap at any moment and render the huge ship as helpless as a log.

There is treachery in the waters when they lap and gurgle and run softly up on the sands, and break so still that a sleeping infant would be soothed to deeper slumber. There is fire abroad. Under the boilers down in the dark hold—in the cook's galley—in half a dozen other places lurks a fiend who may spring up at any moment and clasp the huge ship in his fiery arms.

The sky is without a cloud, but an hour hence may bring a hurricane which will vex ocean and land until every living thing cries out in supplication. Puff! puff! puff! It is the exhaust of steam. It is steam controlled by watchful eyes and experienced hands. Let it but secure the mastery for a moment and the heavens will be rent by an explosion. Straight ahead in her path, but miles away, is a ghastly obstruction. It creeps—creeps—creeps—moved by some mysterious current. It is an iceberg of such dimensions that the great steamship is a button compared to the monster fly-wheel of a 2000 horse-power engine. On the starboard bow is a bark under full sail—on the port bow a steamer coming head on.

Throb! throb! throb!

And the men and women and children go to their beds and sleep in peace and dream sweet dreams. Bye and bye a fog creeps up—coming without whisper or footfall—coming as a deadly scourge enters a city and silently marks its victims with the touch of death. The man on the bridge reaches for a better glass—seems a trifle uneasy. The lookouts rub their eyes and start up as if half suspecting they had slept for a moment, and a hand is raised to the fog-whistle.

"Boom! boom! boom!"

Here and there a nervous sleeper may start up at the sound, but only to sleep again. All is well.

Through the darkness—through the black mantle of the fog—throbbing, breathing, living—the great iron monster pushes her way, and every few seconds the omnious sound of the whistle booms out to be caught up by the wreaths and smothered in the folds which are pressing down as if to smother their victim.

Throb! throb! Boom! boom! But all is well!

Overdue by five days, but no cause for anxiety. Ten days but she may have broken a shaft. Twenty days—she must be lost, but there are hopes that some of the people got safely away in boats. Six months—a year—two—three—five. Never a word nor a line—not so much as a bit of driftwood. It is simply: "Missing."—*Detroit Free Press.*

THE HAY CROP.

A Product Which Should Be Secured in the Best Possible Condition.

From what has been learned of the difference in value between good and bad hay, through the labors and investigations of chemists, it should be the effort of every farmer to secure this crop in the very best condition. The tables of values of fodders, which have been made up from the most careful analysis by many skillful agricultural chemists, and which are fully trustworthy in this respect, show that hay varies more than one hundred per cent. in nutritive value, poor hay being worth forty cents per one hundred pounds, while the best hay is worth eighty-five cents, these figures showing the comparative values. Thus, if poor hay, made so in the cutting and curing, is worth $8 per ton to the farmer, the same crop made of the best quality by the best management would be worth $17 per ton. This difference is so large that it is very important for farmers to understand precisely how hay is spoiled or preserved in its best state.

There are three ways in which hay is spoiled, viz.: By weeds, by cutting at the wrong time and by faulty curing. Either of these may make poor hay of what might be good grass, but when all three faults exist the hay must be poor indeed. Weeds are the bane of our grass fields. It is rare to see a field just now as it ripens to the harvest that is free from noxious weeds, the glaring or eye daisy being the chief of the tribe. It is not uncommon to see good grass so intermingled with vile weeds, such as Canada thistles, ragweed, burdocks, the aforesaid daisies, briers, brambles, toad flax and a score more, that it is even pernicious to stock and might better be burned than kept to be a source of danger and loss and the means of further spreading these pests. Persons who have become acquainted with what is known as "baled hay" have lively ideas and recollections of the fact here pointed out.

But it is unfair to suggest even that this fault is half so common as that of the spoiling of hay by too late cutting. Chemically considered for its nutriment, grass cut when approaching the blossoming stage is worth twenty-five cents per hundred pounds when green, while the same grass cut when past the blossom is worth for feeding only seventeen cents per hundred pounds. Here is a loss of sixty-six per cent., which in any other business would be ruinous and soon end in bankruptcy, and the Sheriff would be called to bury the remains. It may be, as it is alleged by farmers who cut their grass very late and in its poorest condition, that the late crop is heavier, but then it is the only crop that can be cut in the season, while the only slightly lighter crop will be followed by a second cutting later, and the two cuttings will be twice as valuable and heavier than the one. The most frequent mistake, perhaps, is made in the curing. A good deal that is new has been learned in regard to this from the numerous investigations which have been made into the process of ensilage, and we know now that the process of curing in the cock, with as little exposure to the sun and wind as is far preferable to the common one of thoroughly air and sun drying the grass and putting it so in the barn while it is so dry as to lose a large, and the better portion of it in the leaves. This method of curing has been described so often that it is not necessary to repeat any more here than that it consists in putting up the hay cut in the morning and dried by exposure all day, from outside moisture, into tall conical heaps or cocks, which are covered, if need be, with cloth caps as a protection from the rain, and thus leaving the hay until the whole crop has been cut and cured, when it is hauled to the barn. The slight fermentation undergone in the cock cures the hay thoroughly without any loss of substance or aroma, but preserves all the fine odor and sweetness, and leaves it dry enough to go into the barn in the very best possible condition.—*N. Y. Times.*

HOUSE CONSTRUCTION.

Some Extraordinary Architectural Suggestions.

A house can be made warm in winter and cool in summer by a simple, and not very expensive process. It is well known to most persons that the air of mines and caverns is always of the same temperature, for the reason that they are below the influence of the temperature at the surface. They are not affected by the cold of winter nor the heat of summer. Let us try to make a practical application of this important fact. This may be done by laying a large sewer pipe, so cemented as to be impervious to the surrounding air and water, at least ten or twelve feet under ground, the inner end opening into our air chamber in the basement. This pipe should be extended at that depth a distance of not less than 100 feet and better 200 in any convenient direction, there to end in a perpendicular ventilating shaft, which should extend at least ten feet above the ground, and be protected by a hood which should freely admit the air, but keep out rain and snow. In winter this air would be warmed, in passing through the pipe to a temperature like that of the ground surrounding the pipe, which would not be far from 50 deg. F. All we would have to do then would be to raise it 20 deg. more, or to 70 deg. by our heating apparatus. Suppose we have a temperature of 10 deg. below zero, not an uncommon occurrence in this State, our supply pipe would warm it without expense to about 50 deg., making a clear gain of 60 deg., having only to raise the temperature 20 deg. to bring it to 70 deg., the desired temperature, instead of raising it 80 deg. on the ordinary plan. It would certainly result in a great saving of fuel.

In Summer, when the temperature is 90 deg. or more, the air will be cooled down to the temperature of the earth, to the same temperature it was in Winter, or nearly so. Suppose it enters our air chamber at 60 deg.; we then close the doors and windows, and the heated air of the house will naturally ascend through channels provided for that purpose, and the cool air from the chamber will ascend to supply its place. The result would be a delightful coolness throughout the house, without a penny of expense except for the original plant. This plan, we believe, is entirely feasible, is comparatively inexpensive, and, if successfully accomplished, is very economical.—*F. C. Hunter, before an Indiana Medical Association.*

THE GRINDSTONE AND GAP.

Employments Which Try the Soul of the Small Boy.

It is an old saying among the farmers that there is no employment more trying than turning a grindstone or "mending a gap." The grindstone could have been introduced during the dark ages as an instrument of torture. Turning the crank is such miserable work that the men, foregoing it with noble resignation, compel a boy to take it in hand. When a strong man with a scythe blade appears, the boy's heart sinks. He is told that grinding it will not require a very long time, but he knows better. It may be unconscious strength, but it seems that the man takes a special delight in bearing unnecessarily hard on the stone. No ties of affection are strong enough to prevent this additional cruelty. The boy wonders why a man can be so heartless, but when he becomes a man and when his boy turns the crank, he bears on the stone.

The "gap" season comes in the autumn when the corn is being gathered. A panel of the fence is being let down and as it would be too inconvenient to close the opening every time the wagon passes through, a boy is stationed there to keep the cattle from going into the field. He sits down on a rail. A hog comes along and the boy throws a chunk at him. A cow comes and while the boy is paying attention to her, the hog comes within one of running through the gap. The sunshine, just warm enough to exert a drowsy influence, causes the boy to nod. The wind, rustling the yellow leaves of a neighboring tree, sinks into breezy music. The boy leans back and places his head on a rail. Pleasant visions float before him. The breezy music grows fainter. The visions are deepened into dreams.

"Get up there! What in thunder are you doing?"

The boy springs to his feet. The wagon has arrived. The cow and a dozen hogs are in the field. The farmers are right. There is no employment more trying than turning a grindstone or "mending a gap."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—A man at Milbank, Col., has a chicken with a head at each end, one white and the other black, but no tail. It is attributed to the climate.—*St. Paul Globe.*

Boils and Carbuncles.

These are the volcanoes of the human system. They proceed from impure blood and from a riotous demoralization of the digestive organs. They are annoying, painful, and sometimes dangerous. The can be driven out by toning up the system, and this can best be done by the use of Brown's Iron Bitters. Messrs. Handy & Ruffman, druggis, Annapolis, Md., say, "We sells of Brown's Iron Bitters. All who use it seem pleased. We have not one complaint."

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00 A.M.	3 20 P.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 36	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 10 A.M.
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 37	1 35
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 30.	2 27
Creston....Lv	12 00 P.M.	7 40	3 55 P.M.	3 20
Orville....Ar	12 30	8 10	4 25	4 10
Orville....Lv	12 50	8 20	4 42	4 40
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	5 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 20	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 4 P.M.	6 4 P.M.	.....
Valley Junc..Lv	3 30	.....	5 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	5 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 30 A.M.	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 03	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20 A.M.	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 30 P.M.	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 30	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 38	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 05	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38.
Sherodsville	.....	.....	.....	8 45 A.M.
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc..	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillion	12 35	9 10	8 20 A.M.	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	8 00	10 15
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15 A.M.
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 40	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 12	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 A.M.
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 A.M.	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 48	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	3 17 P.M.	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo....Ar	5 45 A.M.	.....	1 35 P.M.	10 00 A.M.

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 A.M.	6 45 P.M.	Ar...Huron...Lv	6 40 A.M.	2 20 P.M.
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan....	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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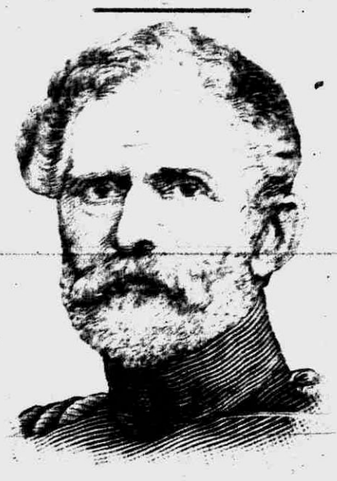

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LETTERS FROM THE BIG CATARACT

Niagara Falls July 11 1887.

Editor Herald:—

Here we are M P Brown and wife at Niagara Falls, the Queen of the Niagara River about 2 miles above the falls. From the top of the cliff we get the view of the Horse Shoe Falls and the full length of the new suspension bridge. I have been taking a photograph of the cataract and general view from the park. Niagara Falls is a place of amusement and pleasure. Thousands of people are here from all parts of the world. The Niagara Falls Park is a place of amusement. It is a park. It is a park. It is a park

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

A couple of itinerant chiropodists held forth on the corners of Main and Tecumseh streets Friday and Saturday nights. Their long hair and persuasive eloquence drew out large crowds both nights.

Mrs. Laura Tuttle left here Monday afternoon for Tecumseh from which place she expected to start Wednesday morning for the west. She will visit relatives in Davenport, Iowa, Leavenworth, Kansas, and in several other places.

Miss Grace Stevens, of Jonesville, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bartlett, of this place.

Mrs. Willis Mann, of Newton, Iowa, arrived here last Thursday night.—She has been ill for several months and came here for the purpose of having medical treatment at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Louise Clark and daughter Laura went to Sand Lake to-day where they expect to spend several weeks.

Miss Rose Sherlock who has been sick with consumption for a long time died last Friday night. The funeral was held from the Catholic church Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Charles Fisk and little daughter, of Detroit, are visiting at her mother's, Mrs. Dorr.

Mrs. Ruel Mills and daughter Vesta and Miss Edna Aldrich, of Saline, have been guests of Mrs. E. R. Smith this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lancaster, J. E. McCollum and wife visited Sand and Wampler's Lake and Tecumseh last Sunday.

Miss Lua Rowland, of Albion, is spending a few weeks with relatives here.

Rev. Joseph St. John has purchased W. D. VanTuyle's horse and carriage and will hold evening service at Milan every Sunday. There will be no evening service at St. John's church for an indefinite time. Morning service however will be held at the usual time.

Phillip Kerridge is spending part of his vacation at Dundee.

Mr. Ike Miller, of Albion, is visiting at C. S. Burroughs'.

Born—Tuesday, July 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Gieson, of Bridgewater,—a girl.

The Congregational social was held last Wednesday evening at the residence of John Martiny.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES

Hot! Hotter!! Hottest!!!

We need rain very much.

Upwards of fifteen took in the excursion at Devil's Lake Sunday.

G. W. Clark & Son and S. P. Smith are up with the times in the way of screen doors at the front doorway of their store.

Mrs. Floyd Florence and Miss Millie Kelly, of Holloway, visited Mrs. Morris Kelly Wednesday of last week.

Mr. A. Doty and Mrs. C. A. Sharp, of Tecumseh, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sharp on Thursday of last week.

Miss Hettie Moore, of Saline, has been engaged to teach the fall term of school in Dist. No. 1 fractional Ridgeway and Macon.

Mr. James Cole, of Tecumseh was in our village Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Simmons, of Raisin, made Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson a farewell visit, Saturday.

G. W. Jackson went to Ithica Monday to see his farm there.

John Housman left for Clinton Co., Monday.

S. P. Smith's children have the whooping cough at present.

Miss Josie Schreder, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Ella Jackson from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. M. A. Barrett very nicely entertained her daughters and their husbands and children Friday evening, serving ice cream etc.

Those Saturday eve. buggy thieves that Tecumseh is pestered with, relieved B. F. DePuy of a hat, shirt, a quantity of meat, and several other articles last Saturday night. Mr. DePuy says he does not care for anything but the beefsteak, and hopes the fellow that got it will be terribly sick.

Mrs. Mary Arner and her son Sammy left for Hartford, Mich., on Monday evening to spend a few weeks with her brother Harrison Heath and his daughter Nellie. Miss Heath's health is very poorly. It is hoped with good care she will improve rapidly.

Weddie Bush and Sammy Arner while fooling with a breech-loading rifle, in Mrs. Mary Arner's house on Monday, accidently discharged the contents, the ball passing through the screen door, just missing W. H. Arner's house. The boys have been warned of their carelessness with their guns before, and as this is the second offence the citizens are going to look into the matter and see what can be done.

G. W. Jackson having traded his property in the village for an 80 acre farm near Ithaca, Gratiot Co., will move with his family to Hillsdale, next week, where he is to superintend the furniture business of his brother-in-law, Mr. A. Palmer. Mr. Jackson came to our village Nov. 20th 1860 and commenced the wagon trade with his uncle W. H., and his cousin W. H. Arner. He has worked at the same bench ever since, nearly twenty-five years. Ridgeway will lose a fine family and good citizens in their going away.

W. P. Cadmus while cutting wheat with his binder last Tuesday, got off to fix the binding part, and when he got back on and started up, the line caught under the tongue of the binder, and the team became frightened and ran away. Mr. Cadmus being unable to control them tried to throw the machine out of gear and was thrown off and hurt about the back, but not seriously. The team ran about 40 rods and jumped a staked railed fence and was caught by the men that were setting up grain. The horses were not hurt very much and the binder was but slightly broken. Mr. Cadmus is about at this writing.

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

Rain at last,
The earth is still thirsty.
Corn is in tassel.

The golden grain is fumbling to the murderous self-binder.

Wednesday, July 15, at 7:55 P. M. W. A. Phillips was made the happiest man on the ridge. Cause, a bouncing girl baby, weighing 9 pounds. Both mother and child are doing finely.

Hon. C. R. Henry visited his mother last Thursday. Run over his farm on the county line, turned once around, and Friday made his way back to wife and son at AuSable.

About 9 o'clock last Sunday eve, Levi Meade, a carpenter here, witnessed a strange celestial phenomenon. Sitting on his porch he noticed a great glowing mass slowly descending, when it had nearly reached the earth it exploded with some noise and sent forth sparks and glowing balls of fire in every direction. He says it equalled any Fourth of July celebration he ever saw.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Dr. Begel has gone to Hanover to visit friends in that vicinity.

Most of the wheat is cut in this neighborhood and a considerable of it is already secured.

Will and Al Kelley started their thresher on Wednesday at Dan Anthony's.

Uncle Edmund Hall is having his barn yard bored full of holes. We are of the opinion that he will get water if he persevers long enough.

Wm. Brainard has got his broom shop running again.

Mrs. Garrison Moore, of Hanover, is visiting her people in Raisin.

W. C. Scott is making a success of colt breaking. He now has his barn full and is getting them in good shape. If you have got any bad ones let Scott take them a little while.

Al. Macham's team started up the road the other day with the binder without a driver. After going a short distance they hitched onto the board fence which called them to a halt. Better to be born lucky than rich.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Our annual school meeting is among incidents that were, and nobody got hurt though four ladies attended and three had sufficient courage to vote. It was not as demoralizing to their nervous systems as expected; very like the first shock produced by ones first love letter, which if reduced to words would be, Good gracious! what shall I do! There did not seem much to be done in the case. A couple of lamps, too far apart to be neighbors, and three or four smoky lanterns perched on window-sills, produced such a foreground as made all the handsome folks look like ghosts done in smut. So the plain had no need to shrink from view. Having been accustomed to the grand parade of names, and fussy review of qualifications that is indispensable at the election of sewing-society officers, we could not help admiring the straight work plan of naming but one candidate for the vacant chair, and supposing there was nothing else to do, we dropped our paper in the hat, and at the reckoning found out the spirit had moved some to make silent nominations, and though one was called, many were chosen. It was fortunate for simplicity that one could not choose awry by accepting the man proposed, yet it looks as if no harm would been done if a competitor had been mentioned. The other trustee was made his own successor by dispensation of Providence, unless his friends had been holding a unanimity meeting previous. One thing is certain. Women have much to learn or unlearn, or the chances of doing harm as well as good with the ballot will be about even. Ladies who have not been initiated may not act as awkward as their Brooklyn sisters if they remember this. When you enter a school-room crowded with gentlemen, and each looks as if he expected lightning to strike him every moment, it is a school meeting, of the annual kind, and not a bit dangerous if you take seats next the wall.

A. P. Cook attended the Soldiers' Home meeting, and D. B. Ayres advises praying for it to be located here, but if a wholly disinterested committee has been appointed, the architect of nature has furnished a claim on their favor, which if the others beat fairly, we will not envy their winning.

DEVIL'S LAKE DOINGS.

The annual re-union of the 18th, Mich., takes place in Allen's new grove near the R. R. station, Aug. 26, on which occasion there will be music, speeches, bunting, patriotism and enthusiasm displayed, but no buncome. The G. A. R. begin their encampment the same day on the opposite side of the lake, less than half a mile distant.

There will be a harvest dance in the large hall of the Devils Lake House, Friday evening, July 31st.

A party of about twenty couple from Parma, encamp in Allen's picnic hall and grove for a two weeks' vacation, next week.

The Steamer makes regular trips to the afternoon trains and the City of Adrian is on hand too, if there is wind.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Fine weather for harvesting and farmers are getting most through.

The wonderful Okalawa lineament struck the town last night and warts and corns were taked out and teeth extracted without pain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Britton are visiting friends in Crawford Co.

The Britton Cornet band will hold an ice cream social Friday evening, July 31st, at the residence of William Britton for the benefit of the band. The Blissfield band will be in attendance. Come one and all and hear one of the best bands in Lenawee county play, and enjoy yourselves.

Thermometer way up in the nineties and still going—somebody please call a halt.

Haying all done and all in good shape. The crop is above the average in quality and quantity.

Everybody is busy in the harvest field. Wheat is up to the average.

John Britton and wife are taking a vacation at Roscommon, visiting Mrs. B's brother.

Mrs. John Exelby was called to her sick sister in Cleveland yesterday.

The brick work of the school house is done. Plastering is to be done at once.

Mr. Borden is making improvements in his new place. He is soon to move.

Business is dull.

Mr. Morris Britton tends the pumps and target during his father's absence.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly

For August opens with a readable and profusely illustrated article on the Bartholdi Statute, by Mr. James B. Townsend. "Within the Capes," by Earnest Ingersoll, is a breezy, historical and descriptive article, with ten illustrations. Lieut. Hughes, of the U. S. Navy, contributes a chapter on "Our New Steel Cruisers and their Uses," with engravings of the Dolphin, the Chicago, the Boston, and the guns to be placed on them. A notable article is that on the "Wits and Beauties of the Eighteenth Century," by Amelia E. Barr, with its ten portraits of the noted English beauties of that period. Another finely illustrated article is "A Run to Gibraltar, by C. F. Gordon Cumming; and the article on "Nathaniel Hawthorne" is accompanied by a portrait of Hawthorne in youth, the "Old Manse," his study in the Tower, the "Wayside," and three scenes from his works. The scientific article in this number is "The Torch-bearers of the Sea, by C. F. Holden, on phosphorescent fish. Fiction is well provided in the serial, "Of Two Evils," and five short stories. In addition there are numerous short articles and some fine poems. Published by Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York City, at 25cts a number, or $3 a year, postpaid.

"The ladies especially go into ecstacies over Parker's Hair Balsam," writes Mr. J. H. Decker, druggist, of Finlay, Ohio. They say it is the most elegant dressing they ever used." Stops falling hair, restores color, promotes growth.

The wheat crop in this section is being gathered in excellent condition. With continued dry weather all the wheat about Tecumseh will be in shock before Saturday night.

THE FOURTH EXCURSION.

The fourth grand excursion to Devils Lake over the M. & O., will take place on Sunday next, July 26th. These excursions are growing in popularity and afford a day of recreation for almost nothing. This trip can be taken from Tecumseh at an expense of not exceeding $1.00 for railroad fare, dinner and boat ride.

The low rates of fare and the unusual attractions this resort presents to pleasure seekers are fast making this Lake one of the most popular resorts within reach of the people. A pleasant ride of two hours by train from Toledo lands the party at the north end of the Lake, where is situated "The Devils Lake House," a large, new and well appointed Summer Hotel. A delightful sail of four miles down the lake brings the excursionists to the south end of the Lake, either to the "Lake View House" or "Allen's Landing," both large and well improved resorts.

Commodious and reliable steamers meet all trains and make trips around the lake during the day, carrying passengers at nominal rates. Boating, fishing, bathing and all other means of recreation will be found in abundance at all of these places, while beautiful groves are fitted up for the accommodation of picnic parties. Below is the time table and fare for the round trip:

Toledo.....	8 30	A. M....	75	cents.
Dundee.....	9 30	"	60	"
Britton.....	9 52	"	50	"
Ridgeway..	9 57	"	45	"
Tecumseh..	10 07	"	40	"
Tipton.....	10 25	"	30	"
Onsted	10 38	"	20	"

Returning the train will leave the lake at 6 P. M., arriving at Toledo at 8:30; giving excursionists eight hours at the Lake.

Pastry Without Butter.

The American pie has been subjected to more unjust abuse from foreign writers than any other of our distinctive products, if we except the recent tirade against the American hog. And yet we cannot say that it has been altogether undeserved, because of the villianous compound, thick, hard and heavy, that is too often made to do duty as a "crust," and which by courtesy is called "pastry." Light tender, flaky, and digestible pie-crust and all kinds of pastry can be made most readily by the use of Royal Baking Powder without any butter, or with half the usual portion, if preferred, or with a small quantity of lard or other shortening as desired. Pie-crust thus made is much more wholesome and digestible, besides being more economical and easier prepared. In addition to saving all the butter if desired, one-third the flour is also dispensed with, as the crust is rolled that much thinner, and leavening qualities of the Royal Baking Powder swelling it to the requisite thickness. If drippings or lard be used, the Royal Baking Powder removes any unpleasant taste, rendering the crust as short sweet and pleasant as if made from the finest butter. Those who know the appetizing qualities of the genuine home-made American pie will rejoice that by the aid of Royal Baking Powder in the pastry it can be made quite as digestible as it is delicious.

Errors in Printing.

Painstaking people, who know next to nothing about printing, find a special delight in searching out typographical errors in newspapers, periodicals and books, the detection of a blunder, in their own estimation, putting a premium on individual intelligence—conferring a privilege of disparaging printers. Men of intelligence, who write well but not legibly, never tire of pointing out mistakes of printers and the oversight of proof-readers. The self-constituted censor of typography may find food for wholesome reflection in the fact that about one hundred years ago a number of professors in Edinburgh University undertook the publication of a book which should be a perfect specimen of typographical accuracy. Every conceivable precaution was taken to prevent errors of the types. Six experienced proof-readers were employed, who devoted hours to the reading of each page. After their careful task was completed, each page was posted in the hall of the university, with the notification that £50 would be paid to any person who should succeed in discovering an error. Every page remained thus publicly exposed before being returned to the printing office. The proprietors of the work felt that the object so diligently striven for had been attained. Great was the discomfiture of the learned men when, on the book being issued, several errors were found, one occurring in the first line of the first page.—Printers' Circular.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending July 14.

FRANKLIN.

J. A. Tuttle to B. C. Knapp. Land on sec 21. $800.

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CHARLEY ADAM.

We Met at Toulon.

THE ROMANCE OF A VOYAGE.

[illegible]

I am a [illegible] and [illegible] of the sad waters to a [illegible] left for a time.

She sat [illegible] and her head [illegible] toward the window as much as possible. I began to hope she would fall asleep. I believe I myself did fall asleep for a few moments. Again by I was roused by the falling of a book from my lap. When I opened my eyes I found my opposite neighbor's fixed upon me with a look of waiting for the opportunity I had given me. She had left off crying then, but she was looking very wan and ill.

She had her purse open in her hand.

"Shall I have money enough?" she asked me, leaning it toward me when I gave signs of being fast awake.

I took the little, pretty, tinsel purse in my hand.

"Yes, if you don't get cheated, and, as I am going to Rome to the [illegible] I will see to that, if you will show me."

"You are going to Rome?"

Such a light in the eyes and such a pretty, transient flush over the delicate face!

"Yes."

It was the state of her purse that had finally decided me.

She put the purse I returned to her back in her bag. After that, and when I pretended to be looking in another direction, I saw her sinking hands folded together, and was confident that her lips formed the words, "Thank God." Somehow I was more touched than I could have told reason for by this.

Two old ladies and old gentleman were nodding in the other compartment of the carriage.

For a long time I did not stir hand or foot, or look at my neighbor, hoping that her mind more at ease, she might catch the infection of their drowsiness. She did. When I did venture to look at her she was asleep. Her hat lay on her knee; her head was leaned back in the angle of the cushions. The light of the carriage-lamp—it had grown dusk now—slanted down from the bright hair, threw a shadow of long lashes on the pale cheek, fell on the pretty, round white throat; but it did not look easeful sleep—the mouth retained lines of anxiety and depression.

I secured the coupé of the diligence at one place in the long drive as far as Genoa. I sent a telegram to Toulon to request that my luggage, which I had left behind there, should be taken charge of till further notice. I dined at a hotel close to the diligence office, looking toward the windows of the house where I had left Miss Hawtree, and wondered dreamily what would come of this very strange adventure of mine.

I was sorry she had seen my name, otherwise I could have had the flattering notion to the soul that it was my face which had inspired her with confidence.

But what on earth could she have done had I not been there?

When I was tired of my moonlight ramblings to the shores of that wonderful bay of Nice, and went to my hotel, I found it was too late to be worth while going to bed that night, so I watched till morning.

I was at her hotel pretty early, anxious to settle her account before she should be troubled about it. I ordered breakfast to be taken to her in her room, and sent a pencilled message to her, telling her I had arranged every thing.

I shall not easily forget the earnestly grateful look she gave me when we met.

As I tucked her up snugly in the coupé, "Had she been comfortable?" I asked.

"O, yes; I had thought of every thing. I had been most kind," she answered, her eyes full of tears. And then, "Where was I going?" with a half-alarm in her tone and face, as she found I did not take my place beside her.

"To the *banquette* up above. I am your courier, mademoiselle; one sees better there, but this is fitter for a lady."

It was an early February morning; the sun and sky as bright as only a Riviera sun and sky could be; the Mediterranean could be.

We did not stop more than a few hours at Genoa. How long we were upon our route altogether I cannot distinctly remember. We had bad weather at one time, cold and rain, snow, wind and hail, that was, I think, in crossing the Apennines.

She never complained, though she got so benumbed with cold that she would have fallen but that I caught her [illegible]

[illegible]

I waxed to the head of the [illegible] and wanted there perhaps half an hour. Then she came to me—came close up to me, and laid her hand upon my arm. The expression of the pale face's eyes [illegible] to have told me there was a [illegible]. With a caressing word, I drew her to me. She leaned her forehead against my arm a moment then. "Frank wants to see you. Frank wants to thank you," she said, in a scarcely audible voice.

I followed her into the room.

The last light of a splendid sunset, from which one could see the Tiber, the Castle of St. Angelo, and the line of Mont Janiculus, was streaming on a low couch where my poor young schoolfellow lay.

I saw directly that life with him was a question of no more than days, perhaps only hours. Yet what a beautiful bright face it was still! What a light streamed from those radiant eyes, as he, without rising—he was past that—stretched both hands toward me.

Ruth was crouching by him; one hand soon clutched her again, the other grasped mine as I sat down by him.

In this strange world how often are simple deeds, that cost nothing to the poor, most richly rewarded! What had I done? What sacrifice had I made? And how they thanked and blessed me—he with his difficulty-spoken, faint words; she with her blessed eyes confirming his praises. A few words explained the case.

He had rallied after the first telegram, and had thought it needless that Ruth should come. He had not calculated on the possibility of her starting as immediately as she had done, and the second message, which bid her not come, had not reached her.

A few days after—two days since now—he had broken a blood-vessel, and had been pronounced beyond hope.

"If only I had known of this sooner!" I thought, as I looked at the miserable room and thought of my idle hundreds and thousands.

When, by-and-by—Ruth for a brief while absent—a woman living in the rooms below, who had been very kind to Frank, had taken her away to give her some refreshment, I stammeringly expressed, something of my regret, he answered:

"It is better as it is, for I am well content."

"Is your sweet sister free?" I asked—"free from any engagement—free-hearted?"

I spoke low and hastily, and felt in all my being how much hung upon his answer.

"My little Ruth? O, yes, as far as I can know. And she has never had any secrets from me."

"I love her," I responded. "If she can love me, I will do what a man can do to make a woman happy as a wife."

He did not immediately answer. He lay with closed eyes, but I felt the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] every day, and always found some gentle and grateful message ready for me, but day after day I did not see her.

At last a bright day came when I did [illegible] she was more altered—more broken [illegible] that I had not guessed. I [illegible] of me as [illegible] for her [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] I had stood so, but I believe [illegible] when [illegible] of [illegible] mine, which hung down [illegible]

I started and [illegible]. She was [illegible] her own face [illegible] with pain and [illegible]

"I [illegible] so displeased," she said. "I [illegible] you so [illegible] and ungrateful. I cannot bear it."

Before I knew what she was going to do, she was kneeling [illegible] before I could prevent her [illegible] were [illegible] her soft lips.

[illegible]

He [illegible] her, I asked her, I am afraid almost [illegible]. "With you [illegible] me that you [illegible] me?"

"No, I cannot. I do love you—I love you very dearly."

Her [illegible] to fail, and she, tottering toward me, shed them on my breast.

I held her there fast and [illegible] and never since has she [illegible] to be [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] I want to sit and [illegible] I want cry. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] I [illegible] as the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] I have done but [illegible]

[illegible] face to face [illegible]

[illegible] I went [illegible] that [illegible] ying [illegible]

[illegible] I [illegible] for [illegible] me. I want [illegible] I want cry. [illegible]

[illegible] I [illegible] I [illegible] I [illegible] as I sat [illegible]

[illegible] down on [illegible] she sank [illegible] hair was [illegible] I [illegible] take me—[illegible] I have done but [illegible] half on the [

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—In a Cologne court a person was recently fined twelve dollars for refusing to take the oath, on the plea that he did not believe in a God.

—The German authorities, with a view to discourage emigration, have forbidden the railroads to carry emigrants at reduced rates.

—The *Revue Bibliographique* reports that in Paraguay a tribe of Indians with tails has been discovered. A Guaycuyos child of eight years was captured, with a tail a foot long.

—A Belgian editor who recently insulted a rival editor in the morning, fought a duel and killed him in the afternoon, and came out at 7 p. m. with a special evening edition describing the encounter.

—China, which only six years since had but six miles of telegraph lines, has now completed a system by which Canton, the capital of Southern China, is brought into direct communication with the metropolis of the north.

—Deaths from consumption in England and Wales are on the decrease. The number from 1860 to 1870 averaged over 55,000 annually, and from 1870 to 1880 between 51,000 and 52,000. Last year the number was 48,715 in a population of 26,413,862.

—Of the twenty volcanoes surrounding the ancient city of Quito the lowest is over 15,000 feet and the highest (Chimborazo) is nearly 22,000. Three are now active (Cotopaxi, Sangai, and Ciobincha), twelve are dormant, and the rest are extinct. Twenty-two summits are covered with perpetual snow.

—The "Rogues' Album," in the Berlin Criminal Police Court, did good service in 1884. 121 criminals having been identified by its means. In the same year 363 photographic portraits were added to its number, including those of 4 murderers, 53 burglars, 21 pickpockets, and 16 shop-lifters, making a total number of 3,822.

—No less than 4,536 relatives of English titled families are quartered on the public service. The drafts on the treasury for the sisters and aunts of dukes amount to $18,800,458, the brothers-in-law and nephews of marquises to $41,529,950, and the cousins, and others of earls to $240,906,010 per annum, or a total sum, going to prove John Bright's assertion that "the aristocracy lives on patronage," of $331,236,210.

—The recent account of the remarkable escape of a mother and several children from a shipwreck in which the vessel turned bottom upward recalls the fact that thirty years ago a schooner was washed upon the beach at Penzance bottom upward which was found to contain several men who after the capsizing had been tossing about inside for several days in the same position as that in which she had been washed ashore.

—One day when the ground was white with snow, Mme. Dorian, a great whip among the Paris "sportswomen," invited Victor Hugo to drive out and see the skaters in the Bois de Boulogne. As he got up beside her on the box of her turnout she remarked: "You have forgotten your overcoat, mon cher maitre." "My overcoat! I never had one; and I dress just the same way in winter as I do in summer. My overcoat is my youth."

—In a communication to the Academie des Sciences, M. Duclaux states that the presence of micro-organisms in the earth is essential to the germination of seed. His experiments were made with plants whose seed grow on the surface as well as those which develop in the ground. The agricultural importance of his researches lies in the fact that farmers who understand this principle will avoid the use on planted soils of any substance inimical to the lower forms of organic life.

JALAPA.

A Town That Has Occupied the Pen of Poet and Historian.

Among the most elevated peaks in Mexican territory rises the Cofre (Trunk) of Perote, on a colossal wall crowned by the Star Mountain, Orizava, which from a height of nearly eighteen thousand feet looks calmly out over the dark-blue waves of the Mexican gulf.

At the feet of the Cofre de Perote is the beautiful city of Jalapa, justly called the garden of the Republic, where brilliant birds sing their litanies and bright flowers wave unceasingly their perfumed censers. All the exuberance of the tropics surrounds Jalapa. The forests of lemons, oranges and mangoes reach out toward every point in the horizon, and the air is heavy with their perfume. Tall, graceful reeds rock in the breath of winds which waft lazily up from the torrid coast. Under the shadow of plantains grow the coffee plants. The tobacco leaves surcharge the atmosphere with their strong, peculiar scent, and recall the legend of the discovery of tobacco across the gulf in Yucatan centuries ago. The vanilla bean, with its precious extract and volatile oil, grow untended, its delicate aroma lost in the overpowering odors from a thousand open chalices of fruit and flower.

The bamboo sugar cane reaches an extraordinary height under the hot sky that bends above the canton of Jalapa. The reed-like water grass, carrying its nutritious freightage of rice, grows as rapidly as among the torrid marshes of India and China. The golden crowns of corn wave for miles along the sides of these Mexican Andes, and valuable dye and gum woods and scores of medicinal plants are found around Jalapa. Among the latter is jalap, the famous cathartic, first imported from this tropical town in 1610, but now comparatively rare in that vicinity.

Tiny torrents, struck from the granite mountains by some invisible Moses, ripple over the pebbly pavements of Jalapa, and, breaking into cascades, go singing over beds of marble to lose themselves in rushing rivers. Under a sky of amethyst lie the eternal snow that caps Orizava; the hardy pines lower down; the deep, dark forests; the wealth of tropical vegetation; every complexion of vegetable growth—arctic, temperate and tropic—on the steppes that slope from the summit to the sea.

The town of Jalapa is four thousand feet above sea-level, and seventy miles from Vera Cruz. This mountain is celebrated for the magnificence of its scenery, the beauty of its women, and the sweetness of its flowers. It has about ten thousand inhabitants. The chipi chipi, or light drizzling rain, that often falls on Jalapa, is about the only drawback to the tourist.

Jalapa was a town when Cortez first climbed the great mountains that encircle the City of Mexico. It was called Nalaya, and near by is the town of Perote, where the American prisoners were confined in 1847.

There are few towns in Mexico so happily situated. At a good height above the sea coast, it is on the edge of the plateau beyond which towers the summit of Maculteper, and while it overlooks the rich lowlands of the Sierra Caliente—Hot Lands—it escapes their baneful vapors. The town lost much of its importance as a commercial emporium by the opening of the Mexican Railway via Orizava from Vera Cruz to the City of Mexico, but is now connected by tramway with the former. Among the stone buildings of this town stands the old Franciscan monastery, built in 1555, and looming up forever among the fragrant groves of Jalapa like a ghost to guard this paradise.—*Mexico Two Republics.*

THE TIMES OF THE END.

The Path of Progress the Path of Life—Prolonged Exertion Necessary.

There is many a seeming end of the world. Wherever the horizon touches the earth, whether it rests on mountain or plain, on land or on the sea, *there* is an end of the world, a seeming termination to all onward progress. So it is with the horizons of the mind and of the spirit. The end of school-days, the college graduation, the cutting short of a life in which one's own has been bound, retirement from active business effort—all these, and many more, may be to us so many ends of the world. A school prize may be the school-boy's horizon, shutting out all beyond; a college diploma may be the horizon of the student, and when that is won, it may seem as if the end of all had come. These are the perilous times—the times of the end. Shall the end of one's present world—the goal of one's present effort—be accepted as the final goal? Shall the man who has accomplished some present term of service rest content with that accomplishment or push on to find new worlds to conquer? When the traveler reaches the earthly horizon which had seemed to him to be the end of the world, he finds himself on the threshold of a new world which stretches away to a new end of the world. So should it be with those other horizons, and so every faithful spirit finds it to be with those horizons. The student finds that a wider world awaits him than that of school or college; the bereaved finds that a new path opens up for his lonely walking; the man who has scored his final business success finds that other accounts remain to be settled than those recorded in his ledgers. To each the path of progress is the path of life. Faithful performance in the past is crowned with failure unless it is continued in faithful performance of the new duties of the present. The end of the world is no end of the world at all; it is only a call into a new sphere with new opportunities of service. Happy they who pass beyond the end of the world into the newer world, to take up their fuller service with rejoicing.—*S. S. Times.*

TRAVELING CLOAKS, ETC.

Description of the Newest Styles Imported By Fashionable Modistes.

The newest traveling cloaks imported by fashionable modistes are of ecru canvas striped with colors, lined throughout with silk, and trimmed down the front with a long scarf of brown wool lace. These are very dressy indeed, and are made with loose square sleeves set in on the shoulders and down next the back forms, where they double under to meet the piece in front. Mohair wraps are trimmed with galloon or a little lace; but those meant for use rather than dress are plainly stitched near the edges. The more youthful dust cloaks are fitted to the figure in redingote style, with coat sleeves, and some fullness on the tournure in pleats or in French gauging. Still others are fitted smoothly over the hips, and have the skirt gathered or plaited to the edge. The latter are made either of pongee or of mohair; fawn or dust-colored mohair, with some bows of green ribbon and a hood lined with green silk, makes a stylish cloak. The French fancy for using this goods and gay colors for these wraps also extend to other sheer woolens, like veiling which comes in dark brown with pencil stripes of red, olive and blue upon it. This is made up in long redingote with a hood, and is provided on each side with a loop and button to fasten it up as a polonaise and display a red bison-cloth skirt that is worn under it. The wrap is, however, made very long, and may be worn over any other skirt, or over an entire dress. Bourette or tufted cloth of dark color is used for ulsters and redingotes, and there are also others of striped or plaid English cloths. Navy blue diagonal wool with red silk lining for the hood is popular for the English ulsters that are made with close-fitted front and belted back.

The serge and corduroy tailor jackets for traveling have been already noted. Perhaps the newest sacques are those of English checked homespun made with a belt across the short back, while the longer front is turned back down each side in revers that may be unbuttoned and lapped the opposite way to make the jacket double-breasted.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—A New Orleans doctor calls attention to a very simple fact which merits attention from medicine takers. If the medicine is mixed with very cold water, and a few swallows of water be taken as a preparatory dose, the nerves of the organ of taste become sufficiently benumbed to make the medicine nearly tasteless. The method will not disguise bitter tastes, but acts well in oils and salines.—*N. O. Times.*

The Perfumery Trade.

Some kinds of perfumery are worth their weight in gold. The export of fine perfumery is principally from Grasse, Nice, Cannes and Bremen. The business is divided into two parts. The manufacturer extracts from the flowers their essential oils. The perfumer buys these oils, pomades and extracts, and compounds them in several ways.

Only about a dozen of all the fragrant flowers in the world are used in the manufacture of perfumery, viz.: the violet, rose, orange flower, jasmine, tuberose, cassie, lavender, thyme, rosemary, geraniums, jonquil and fennel. The rose and the orange are the most valuable. Of the numerous varieties of the rose, only one is used, the Province rose, single, pale pink, the most sweet smelling of roses; not hardy.

Picking for perfumery occurs in almost every month of the year. It is a paradoxical fact in the business that the bitter orange yields the best blossoms for perfumery. One ton of blossoms yields two pounds eight ounces of oil neroli. The fruit of the bitter orange yields a very fine essential oil, bigarade. It is used in many scents. The orange tree, cultivated for its oil, lasts with care over 200 years.

One ton of the distilled leaves of the scented verbena geranium yields from 24 to 30 ounces of the essential oil. The flowers of the jasmine are picked just after sunset in July, and in the morning, as soon as the dew is off, in August. The jasmine is a peculiarly delicate flower. Its essential oil is so volatile that it cannot be extracted by distillation, the heated water decomposing it is so that only a faint tinge of the perfume is left in the water that passes through the refrigerant.

Like the jasmine, the oil of the tuberose cannot be extracted by distillation. The perfume of the cassie is much used in compounds. The process of manufacturing perfumes is in itself very interesting, especially to the ladies.

A ton of roses yields only two ounces of the attar. If kept at a temperature below 60°, attar crystalizes; if kept open to the air and light, it is easily volatized. Perfumed oils are made by putting fresh quantities of flowers into the finest of virgin olive oil from 20 to 30 different times. The essential oil of flowers has a strong affinity to lard or grease. The latter, rendered as white as snow, is perfectly saturated with the flowers. The process is repeated many times. In this way we have pomade of rose, orange, cassie and violet. The affinity of the perfume of flowers for alcohol is, however, stronger than than for grease. Pomades, immersed in alcohol, are rendered into extracts, the grease leaving the perfume. It is safe to say that, among the numerous articles of toilet, the manufacture of perfumed pomades, perfumed oils and high-priced perfumery generally is as a sealed book to many persons.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking Skeleton. Got a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite and a gain in flesh of 48lbs. Call at C. A. Wright & Co's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottlee $1.00.

Roman Remains in London.

Modern London is built on the debris of the London of the times of Julius Cæsar and Agricola, and it is by no means infrequently that 1800-year old relics of the Roman town are found many feet below the surface of the existing streets. There was a rich find recently in the vicinity of Warwick Square at the depth of nineteen feet. The most interesting relic that came to light was hitherto unknown coin, of the the year 50, which lay alongside of about a dozen urns containing the products of cremation. Just think of the pangs which dying would have afflicted on those ancients if they had known that their ashes would have been seen and handled by an unknown race eighteen centuries and a half, nearly, after their demise! The most aristocratic urn was of glass and fifteen inches high. Well executed leaden pots inclosed several of these depositories, and roofing tiles the rest. The use of lead, as well as of tin, by the way, has great antiquity in Britain. Herodotus speaks of the production of tin there. Emblems of more or less significance touching the future state appeared on some of the receptacles. Along with the coin of the year 50 were others of dates between 40 and 300. But the Romans left something besides these useless things to be remembered by. They introduced into Great Britain its chestnut, walnut, peach, pear and cherry trees.

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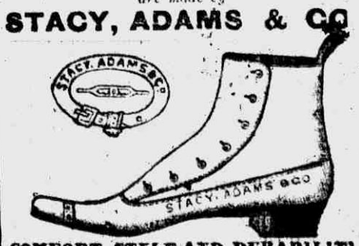

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DEATH OF GEN. U. S. GRANT.

[illegible] Grant's death. [illegible] Newberry, Saturday, [illegible] from a Detroit operator. A special telephone message from the Detroit Free Press to the Herald confirmed the foregoing, confirmed the report and stated that the patient breathed his last at four minutes past [illegible] this morning by eastern time. As we have been unable to gather any particulars up to the hour of going to press, although [illegible] have been anticipated, [illegible] was received with deep regret [illegible] sorrow [illegible] country. The bell on the flag was draped in morning and hung at half mast on the Chadney Building, where the news was first located. The L. O. O. H. [illegible] the battery and other public places were at once [illegible] and no morning exercises were held. Several private residences were [illegible] in a like manner. The G. A. R. posts were appropriately [illegible] and flung from their lodge [illegible]. During the noon hour the bells [illegible] church[illegible] were tolled. Many footfights of grief were generally [illegible] the greatest anxiety has been expressed to learn the particulars of his death.

Early in the month of April last the country was shocked with the intelligence that the old veteran had been stricken with a cancer and was fast [illegible] Only time to breathe his last. For several days his life seemed to be trembling in the balance, and the daily bulletins were watched with intense anxiety by all classes of people. By skillful attendance and [illegible] treatment he was carried through the crisis at that time and rallied sufficiently to be able to perform some clerical work upon his forthcoming autobiography. With the approach of warm weather however, the dread disease again obtained the mastery and he was conveyed from his home in N. Y. City to Mt. McGregor in the Adirondack region. Here the mountain breezes and bracing atmosphere revived him and gave him strength to battle with the dread monster a few days longer. On Monday last the news came that he was again failing. Yesterday it was announced that the end was not far away. And at eight o'clock this morning the grim old warrior who has faced the rebel hosts in battle without flinching, and never known defeat, surrendered to the dread messenger and crossed over the river from time into eternity.

It is unnecessary, at this time, to give a biographical sketch of General Grant's life. His military achievements during the war of the rebellion and his prominence in civil life since have made his name as familiar as a household word in the homes of all our people. Every boy and girl in the land who can read knows something of the life and career of America's greatest general. His boyhood life was of a humble character, and during his early manhood, while engaged in business as a private citizen at Galena, Illinois he displayed none of those characteristics which have since given him renown. But events have proven that he possessed military talents of the highest order, that he was born to shape an important epoch in the military history of his native land, and when that crisis came he sprang into the breach and carried the stars and stripes to victory. When the events in which he lived and moved shall have receded into the domain of history, and the portrait of his life shall have been dissected by the critical eye of the historian, [illegible]

TECUMSEH'S TEMPERANCE LECTURER

We each [illegible] John R. Clarke [illegible] is drawing to a close. He goes on Thursday [illegible] management of the Temperance Park Niagara Falls [illegible] week. He has been approached with offers [illegible] engagement with a [illegible] company of [illegible] the engagement in Austria [illegible] but family [illegible] him to decline. But he has [illegible] tables for six months after the same engagement for a tour of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Ontario to give his "Fun & Frolic Hits and Misses." Among the Masses. Lads and Lasses and Odd Minutes in Merry England." He writes that he sings "from the pretty book on the cause of the Salvation Army for a few weeks yet. It gives me pleasure to inform the two following ladies, which show the enthusiastic people who are our people and townsmen, [illegible] over a [illegible]

Mr. John R. Clarke appeared for the second time before Ottawa people last evening in the Dominion Methodist Church, upon which occasion he delivered his popular lecture entitled "Builders, Big and Little." Upon the appearance of the lecturer he was introduced by the chairman, Rev. M. Longley, he was greeted with a perfect storm of applause. Mr. Clarke has been described by a contemporary as a marvel of eloquence and [illegible] so far his lecture last night was simply a masterpiece. For two hours he held his audience spellbound as he carried them through the gates of eloquence. At the close of the lecture he (Grant) paid a glowing tribute to the speaker and in an able manner moved a cordial resolution of thanks. The motion was seconded by Mr. Palmer and carried unanimously and Mr. Clarke responded in a very happy manner. Seldom, if ever, has such a lecturer visited the capital, and the announcement by Rev. Mr. Longley that it was just possible that Ottawa might be favored with a visit from Mr. Clarke in the course of a few months, was received with tumultuous applause.—Ottawa Citizen.

On Tuesday evening an exceedingly large lecture audience assembled at Bradburn's Opera House to listen for the second time in Peterborough, to John R. Clarke, the celebrated temperance orator. The chair was occupied by Geo. A. Cox, Esq., the Mayor, who briefly introduced the lecturer, who entered at once upon the treatment of his theme, "Among the Masses," and for two hours held his audience under the spell of his marvelous eloquence which many of his delighted auditors and good judges, did hold to be equal to that of John B. Gough in his palmiest days. In the course of his lecture he dealt with the blunders which occur amongst different persons in every walk of life. His treatment of the subject would, at one moment, have the audience convulsed with laughter, and at the next melted to tears. Enthusiastic applause greeted the climax of thrilling eloquence that frequently occurred. At the conclusion of the lecture a vote of thanks was moved in most complimentary terms by Rev. Mr. Gee, of Norwood, and Rev. Mr. Bradshaw, Rector of St. Luke's Ashburnham, and enthusiastically adopted.—Peterborough Examiner.

Miss Cleveland, the lady of the White House, has written an essay on the "Smiths." E. J. Smith, of the Adrian Record, an honored and only member of the Smith tribe, moralizes upon it thusly.

Rose Elizabeth Cleveland, the President's sister, has written an article against the Smiths. That settles it. There's an old maid that can't marry us. We had thought that a Rose by another name we might suggest, would smell a little sweeter, but now—we shall let her continue to sigh for the happiness which she has thrown away by an ill advised newspaper article. Rosie, old girl, good bye! You've wrecked your own prospects. And in the shriveled days to come, when calcimine and cologne fail to conceal the evidences of thy many summers, when sozodont is no longer salvation for old teeth, or sapolio for bad breath, and thou sittest in the autumn of thy maidenhood by the cheerless hearth, thy last "spark" gone out long ago, then, fair mocker of a numerous and powerful tribe, remember in thy lonliness and solitude, that article on the Smiths; be extremely wretched and reflect how different might have been thy lot but for that one fatal error.

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THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 4, 1885.

Estate of Elizabeth Moore, alleged insane person, petition for appointment of guardian hearing July [illegible]

Estate of Moses Kies, deceased, admitted to probate, letters testamentary issued, appraisers and appointees.

Estate of Charles D. Drawer, minor, petition of guardian for leave to sell real estate, hearing July [illegible]

Estate of Henry Boring, deceased, petition for license to sell real estate, hearing August [illegible]

Estate of Jacob Osborn, deceased, petition of executors for license to sell real estate, hearing August [illegible]

Estate of William Wright, deceased, will proved, letters testamentary issued.

Estate of John Kinsman, an insane person, guardian's final account allowed, discharge.

Estate of Nelson Chaffee, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator appointed, bond $2,000, letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of William Gilbert, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator's final account allowed, discharge.

Estate of Michael E. Welsh, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator appointed, bond $2,000.

Estate of Abraham Q. Berry, deceased, affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners', warrant and report filed.

Estate of Mary A. Potts, an alleged insane person, petition for appointment of guardian hearing August 2.

Estate of Augustus E. Hathaway, an insane person, petition for allowance of guardian's account, hearing August 10.

Estate of Simeon Tubbs, deceased, affidavit of publication, executor's final account allowed, distribution.

Estate of Wm. Waring, deceased, order of continuance until August 10.

In the matter of Sarah E. Slee, an indigent insane person, application for admission to asylum, order of hearing, affidavit of service of hearing, testimony taken and filed, order for admission.

Estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased, affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of John W. Keeney, deceased, affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners' warrant and report filed.

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The big strike in the Saginaw Valley is in a fair way of settlement. The Pinkerton men returned home on Monday, and on Tuesday the militia companies from Flint, Port Huron and Alpena were relieved from further service. We gather these facts from the Saginaw Courier of Tuesday:

Mr. Barry said yesterday that the withdrawal of the Pinkerton men from the city met with favor on all sides, especially on the part of the strikers. He said last week he feared trouble, and at one time there was a crisis. "If one of the strikers had been hurt," said he, "you would have witnessed a scene horrible to contemplate, and I doubt if one of the Pinkertons would ever have seen Chicago again." Asked as to his opinion in regard to the length of time the strike would continue he said he thought everything would be amicably settled this week. He reaffirmed the statement that the strikers would not give in, and said he thought the concession would be on the part of the mill owners. He did not anticipate the result of the strike would leave any feeling of bitterness or antagonism between employer and employed, but believed it would end peaceably and satisfactorily on both sides.

THE American nation has a double birthright—liberty and land. Its liberty is has guarded jealously, but until very recent years it seems to have been indifferent to the loss of its landed estate and ignorant of the methods by which it has been diminished. A veteran legislator, the Hon. George W. Julian, who has given special attention to the acts disposing of our public lands, tells the story in brief in a contribution to the *North American Review* for August. In the same number five medical authorities discuss the question, "Can Cholera be Averted?" Felix L. Oswald contributes a suggestive article on "The Animal Soul," and the Rev. M. J. Savage, in "A Profane View of the Sanctum," brings an indictment against the daily press. The other articles are one on "The Price of Gas," by Charles H. Botsford, one on "Temperance Reform Statistics," by Prof. W. J. Beecher, and the chapter of "Comments," by various writers, on articles in previous numbers.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
[illegible] 1885.

Regular Session. Present, the entire council except the President and Messrs. Bohs and Hall.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Sexton's report for the month of June showing six interments and three deeds sold was presented and on motion placed on file.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Applications of H. Dexon and E. Williamson for the position of sexton at a salary each of $[illegible] were presented and on motion laid on the table until next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and on motion referred to boards [illegible]

[illegible]

Marshal reported that Dr P. Spaulding had put his walk where a new one had been ordered at last meeting of council in good repair, and that in his judgement a new walk was not needed. On motion the resolution requiring the building of said Spaulding's walk was reconsidered and lost.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Finance committee reported favorably the following claims: James R. Bennett $9.75, Wm. Brown $15.00, W. H. Ames $3.75, A. Packard $15.00, Dell Page $14.38, Robt. McGill $8.12, Sid Powell $5.00, C. F. Field $8.20, Geo. Snell $2.00, E. G. Cook $36.00, F. B. Wood $27.31.

On motion the report was accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn.

Council then adjourned.

FREDK R. WOOD, Recorder.

"Students' Songs."

Moses King, while a student at Harvard College earned his entire college expenses of about a thousand dollars a year by making books such as "Harvard and its Surroundings," "King's Handbook of Boston," "The Harvard Register," etc., and since graduation, a few years ago, he has published many successful books; among them "Students' Songs," which has had the most remarkable sale ever known for a book of its class. Over 40,000 copies of this "Students' Songs" have already been made, and the demand is said to be as active as ever. The probable cause of this success is the fact that prior to the publication of "Students' Songs" there was no book containing songs and music that have sprung up and become popular within college walls during the past ten years. The songs have been heard and heartily enjoyed by thousands of people at glee clubs, concerts, college festivities, college societies, in home circles and social gatherings. They have a peculiar breeziness and mirth-making capacity that make them enjoyable on all enjoyable occasions. The book itself is also a cause of its success. It is handsomely printed, and contains sixty songs, with their music, nearly all of which are copyrighted, and to be found in no other collection. It is a surprise to find so choice a collection of new and copyrighted jolly songs and music, selling for only fifty cents. Like almost all successes, it has its imitations, and some are rather deceptive in their make-up. Already several so-called collections of student or college songs are in the market, but the genuine and original book of "Students' Songs," the only one that has been note-worthily successful, is edited and compiled by Wm. H. Hills, a young Harvard graduate, and published by Moses King, at Harvard Square, in Cambridge, Mass.

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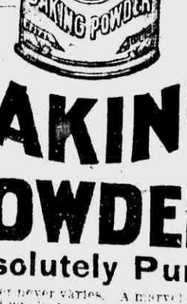

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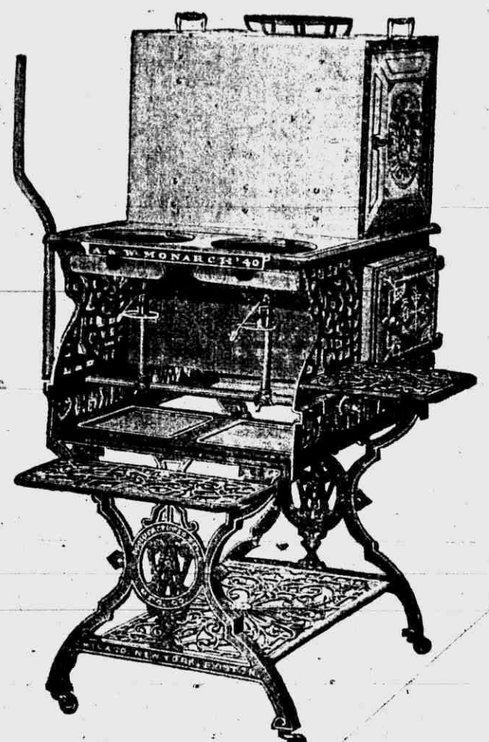

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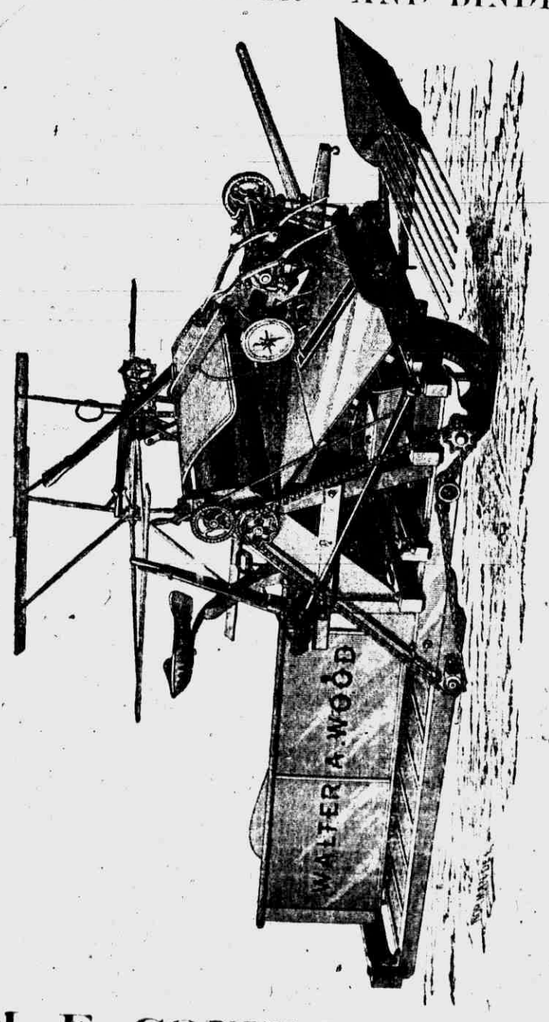

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DISSOLUTION. The co-partnership heretofore existing between J. P. Slayton and [illegible] under the firm name of Slayton & [illegible] dissolved by mutual consent J. [illegible] C. A. Slayton assuming the [illegible] All those having unsettled accounts [illegible] will see the necessity of [illegible] settlement and confer a favor by [illegible]
J. P. SLAYTON.
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Tecumseh, Mich., June 17, 1885.

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local items are few and far between this week.

Remember the excursion to Devils Lake next Sunday.

There are several private telephone lines in operation at Blissfield.

A number of our young people visited Sand Lake on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The terrific wave of last Monday and Tuesday was felt throughout all the northern states.

A cane belonging to Thos. H. Mosher, of Springville, has been found and left at the HERALD office.

The germs of the weather is evidently generating into an offensive partisan. Turn the rascal out.

The two styles of ladies' hats most in vogue now are the bread bowl and the sugar loaf. They are just lovely, both of them.

Rudolph Heesen has returned home from Cleveland and will assist his father in the store and the express office at present.

Jones & Swick are getting settled down to business in their new harness store. Mr. Jones moved the express office last Monday.

Thos. H. Mosher, Esq., of Springville was in town yesterday on business and while here paid his respects at the HERALD office. He is getting his business affairs in shape as rapidly as possible.

A genuine old fashioned Ohio democratic red bandana handkerchief was found on the sidewalk in front of the HERALD office yesterday. It would be enough to make the "Old Roman" himself sneeze to look at it.

Adrian will have a street railway at an early day, the council having granted the right of way. The line will run from the Wabash depot to the College, with a branch down Tecumseh street to the Lake Shore Railway.

The Grand Ledge Independent editor rather gives himself away by stating that "During our absence from home last week no news of importance transpired and everything was quiet and orderly. The next morning after our arrival, however, a man hung himself."

Miss Hattie Bates has been visiting at Jackson for two weeks. She returned last Saturday, accompanied by her cousin Gracie Hobart, and in honor of her guest a little surprise party of girls was given at Mrs. L. L. Bates Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Spaulding sent a fine collection of flowers.

The Adrian Times says: A gentleman of this city, who has been a prominent candidate for a federal appointment, says that he has secured the position he was an applicant for, and is enjoying the salary attached to the place. No publication of his appointment has been made.

What is his name and what office does he hold? Be a little more explicit.

The big military event of the year in this section will be the grand encampment of the southeastern Michigan soldiers' and sailors' association at Devil's lake, August 26 7 and 8. The encampment will be held in Brazee's grove, about a half mile from the railway station, but all trains will be stopped at the camp ground. The ground is one of the loveliest spots in Michigan.

Adrian Times of Monday: The court house committee, which is in session to-day, has awarded the contract for the court house furniture to A. H. Andrews & Co., of Chicago, through D. P. Reamer, the representative of the Chicago people. The price for the furniture, complete, is $4893. In the Grand Rapids fire, mentioned in the state news of this issue, it will be noted a quantity of wood work for the Lenawee county court house was burned. The portion burned included the stairways and outside doors.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 23 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Hot! Hotter! Hottest!

The County Pioneer Society will meet at Morenci next month.

Mr. Gibbs, of Ithaca, has taken a position as clerk in Bills' bank.

Extensive repairs are being made on the M. & O. bridge east of the village.

E. C. Williamson's son accidentally broke his arm below the elbow last week.

Regular communication of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M. to-morrow evening.

The Clinton Local longs for a street sprinkler, and it is likely to long for some time.

Arch. Sherrard, Al. Stevens, Mat. Root and Jim Boyd spent Sunday at Sand Lake.

David Brooks, of Clinton, was in town Tuesday and favored the HERALD with a call.

Burt Temple has been on the sick list this week, but is now able to be around as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Will. Kies and John J. Freeman and wife are spending the week at Sand Lake.

Mrs. S. P. Hosmer and Lena Hosmer are spending a few days with relatives at Freeport, Ill.

Oscar Palmer went to Boston last Monday to dispose of the wool he has purchased this season.

Henry Burnett, of Cleveland, O., and his brother Robert, of Ypsilanti, are home for a few weeks.

Work is progressing this week on the addition to the Council building. John Cook is doing the brick work.

We received a call on Tuesday from I. J. Bradshaw, brakeman on the M. & O., who is taking a few days' respite from duty.

Henry Keyser has a fine new Portland cement sidewalk in front of his residence on Pottawatamie street. A great improvement.

Where is Wiggins? Wiggins has many sins to answer for but he never prophesied a cold summer in such a season as this. Give us a little more Wiggins, please.

Adrian Times: The Tecumseh band is trying to raise money for the purchase of new uniforms. The band has made excellent progress and deserves the necessary help to make the purchase.

The excursion train over the M. & O. last Sunday was composed of ten passenger coaches all nicely loaded.—About six hundred passengers were on board. Most of them were from Toledo.

George Boardman is running the Lancaster House and farm at Evans Lake. He is prepared to accommodate boarders who wish to rusticate at the lake, and to furnish parties with boats and fishing accommodations.

Charles H. Adam is having a good run of custom at the Sand Lake House this summer. He has extra accommodations for boating and fishing parties. People who wish a few days' recreation can find a nice, quiet home at his house.

Henry Caldwell was snatched for drunkenness last Saturday and convicted before Justice Burridge. Officer Hibbard conveyed him to Adrian on Monday and he will take board and lodging with Sheriff Whitmore for ten days.

W. D. Meeker and wife, of Chicago, arrived in town Monday and will remain here this week shaking hands with their many Tecumseh friends.—"Will" will have plenty to do to keep him busy for six days. He still holds his position in the offices of the North Chicago street railway company.

Our exchanges of last week come to us well laden with accounts of the big press excursion. Among a large number of articles descriptive of the trip, that have come to our notice, one of the very best is that in the Hudson Gazette. Bro. Schermerhorn is as skillful with the pencil as he is courteous in looking after the welfare of the ladies.

Morenci Observer: A fellow from near Canandaigua hired a Morenci livery rig and drove it on Saturday to Wauseon, where his patriotism assumed the form of a big drunk. He lost all knowledge as to the whereabouts of the rig and walked back home. The livery man had the trouble of going in search of the horse and vehicle and found them turned loose on the fair grounds.

There is some pith and point to this squib now going the rounds of the press. "Never go where you are not wanted. To do so is to be impolite. If a man wants you to dine with him, or visit his home, he will invite you to do so, and if a merchant cares to see you in his place of business he will invite you through the columns of your local paper. It is wrong to intrude upon privacy, or thrust yourself upon a man who has not sufficient desire for your trade to ask for your business. Don't do it."

Supervisor Love, of Franklin, is enjoying very poor health at present.

Whortleberries have appeared in the market and they are of prime quality.

If you want a good days recreation, take in the Excursion to Devils lake next Sunday.

John Smyth, ex Deputy Sheriff, returned to his home in Grand Rapids last Saturday.

Mont. Hendershott, of the News force, spent last Sunday with his Brooklyn friends.

The revised version is hardly adequate to describe the intense heat of the past few days.

Miss Libbie Robinson, the clerk in the post-office, has gone to Vineland, New Jersey, to spend her two weeks' vacation.

It is estimated that Miss Rose Cleveland will make at least $50,000 out of her book. She has refused an offer of $30,000 for the copyright.

C. H. Adam will give a grand concert and promenade at the Sand Lake House on the evening of August 1st. Music by Hunt's full orchestra.

The Adrian Fourth of July committee after paying all bills had a surplus on hand of $230.40, which sum was turned over to the Light Guard.

Geo. A. Kies and C. T. Cummins spent most of last week rusticating at Sand Lake. We have been unable to learn how many fish they caught.

John Davenport, who formerly owned the Hotel at Evan's Lake has been spending a few days very pleasantly with his old acquaintances in Franklin and Tecumseh.

The officers and members of the Baptist Ladies' Social are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. O. B. DeWolf, on Saturday afternoon, July 25th, at 2:30, for the transaction of important business.

We are in receipt of the current catalogue of Albion College. That institution is now in a prosperous condition. Among the second year students we find the name of William F. Harding, of Tecumseh.

John J. Adam has a work in two volumes entitled Harper's Pictorial History of the Great Rebellion. It is the best history of the war we have seen, and we are indebted to Mr. Adam for the privilege of examining it.

Mr. W. S. Cairnes and wife, of Turrell, Texas, are visiting relatives here. It is their first visit to Tecumseh in 27 years and he says Tecumseh looks quite natural except the trees and young people. They will start for home on Tuesday next.

The Wide-Awake missionary band of the Presbyterian church will give an entertainment at the lecture room of the church next week on Thursday evening. Doors open at 7 o'clock.—Ice cream and cake will be served. All are invited to attend.

We met Rafe VanVleet on the M. & O. train last Saturday and had a pleasant chat with him. He is now located at Battle Creek and is doing finely. B. L. & W. F. Baxter have their office in the same building and Rafe says they are working up a good business also.

We have received a copy of the Greeley, Col., Tribune which contains a lengthy poem, read at the Union Colony celebration, July 4th by Capt. David Boyd. Although the Captain is now a man engrossed with family and business cares he yet finds time to cultivate the muses.

Albert and Chas. Brewer arrived home last Saturday noon via the M. & O. road. Charley is in a very feeble condition and was brought home upon a couch, but it is hoped he may improve, after recovering from the fatigue of the journey. If the good wishes and prayers of his friends could restore him, he would speedily regain his health. He has the best of care and nursing however, and we can only await the issue calmly.

The farmers' big picnic at Devils Lake will be held this year on the 20th of August, and it is quite probable that Allen's grove near the north end of the lake will be selected as the place, if the preferences of people generally are respected. It would be a great convenience to people in this section of the county and in northern Hillsdale who may wish to attend, in fact to all who would go by rail, and it would be no detriment to those who would go by private conveyance. Arrangements can undoubtedly be made with the M. & O. to run special trains on that day.

Mr. F. D. Anable, Auditor of the M. & O. R. R., was in town Monday with a supply of tickets for the city office which has been placed with A. E. Kennedy. Mr. Kennedy has now on hand a full supply of tickets to all important points on the M. & O. and connecting roads, and which will be sold at the same rates as at the depot offices of the road. As the city office is in a convenient location and the agent is a courteous and accommodating gentleman, we look to see a liberal increase of passenger traffic from this locality over the M. & O. This enterprise on the part of the company should be reciprocated by the citizens of Tecumseh.

Will Lehr of Manchester, is in town.

Miss May Blood, of Lansing, is visiting friends in town.

Fred H. Burlingame returned to Kalamazoo on Friday last.

The Tecumseh senior base ball team is getting quite a reputation abroad.

Grasshoppers are attacking the out fields in some sections of the country.

Some thermometers in this village marked over 100 degrees above zero last Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Clement Lester, of Tecumseh, preached at the Baptist church in Morenci last week Sunday.

In cleaning his horse last Friday, D. C. Earned received a friendly nip on his upper lip, which has caused him much pain since.

C. K. Spafford has sold the Clinton Local newspaper to Geo. H. Miles. We regret to lose Bro. Spafford from the fraternity, but welcome his successor to the ranks of the elect. May he live long and prosper.

The summer session of the Normal School of Adrian College opened Monday with a large attendance. Students may enter next week or any time during the session. The text books used may be had at the college at a small rental. Board and lodging can be secured at the college for $3 a week.

The Panorama of the Battle of Gettysburg, on exhibition in Chicago, is considered by everybody the greatest attraction of the Garden City. It is visited daily by hundreds of people, and everybody says it is the greatest exhibition they ever saw. We can only say that nobody should fail to visit it while in Chicago.

One of our old and highly honorable married citizens is reported to be terribly smitten with the charms of a west side young lady. He ought to be old enough to know better.—Blissfield Advance.—Aisy there, aisy!—Give the old man a chance. "He ought to be old enough to know better" and he will be if you don't wear him out by harrassing him over the matter.—Evening Record.

W. W. Van Antwerp, publisher of the Jackson Patriot, has been appointed post master of that city by President Cleveland. Mr. Van Antwerp is a popular citizen, was a soldier in the Union army in which he rose to the rank of major, and will undoubtedly make a good post master. He has many friends throughout the State who will be gratified to learn of his appointment.

The locating committee of the Lenawee, Hillsdale, Washtenaw and Monroe G. A. R. association have fixed upon Brazee's grove at Devils lake as the place of holding the grand encampment this year. The time has not yet been definitely determined, but it will either be the last week in August or the first week in September. It is expected that Commissioner of pensions, Gen. Black and Gen. John A. Logan will be present.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band has received an invitation to be present at the 25th anniversary of the Monroe Cornet Band, which will be celebrated in that city August 20th. The band Boys express their intention of accepting the invitation and attend, and to that end are making an effort to secure their new uniforms in time to wear them on that occasion. Our citizens should see that the boys are not behind the rest of the bands in the matter of a good appearance, as they surely will not be in their playing.

Bro. Samson, of the Blissfield Advance, thus relates a little of his personal experience on the press excursion:

"At Reed City we forgot to look after our carpet-sack until the baggage-man of the F. and P. M. had left for home. As he would not return that night, and it was important that we have our baggage we related our trouble to the hotel clerk. That gentleman could give us no information—didn't know the baggage man, didn't know where he lived, and hadn't any idea how the baggage could be obtained before morning. We studied the situation a moment, then laying down a half dollar with the baggage-check, remarked: "I want that satchel." Without a word he left the hotel and it was not two minutes before the "grip" was deposited in our room. "Money talks."

DEATH OF "OLD REB."

Another old war horse has gone the way of all flesh. Lieut. Elliott Gray's celebrated war horse "Old Reb" died on the 1st of July at the age of 27 years. He was captured in Virginia on the 11th day of May, 1863, and from that date until the close of the war he was Lieut. Gray's property. Old Reb was in 23 engagements and was three times wounded. He was at Gettysburg, on Kilpatrick's raid, on Grant's campaign through the Wilderness, and in the principal engagements in the Shenandoah Valley. He was given a respectful burial on Lieut. Gray's farm near this village, by the side of "Don Juan," the celebrated charger, which ran away with Gen. Custer during the review in Washington at the close of the war. Lieut. Gray served on Gen. Custer's staff during the war and Don Juan was in Gray's keeping when he died. The bones of these two old war horses will sleep side by side.

NOTES FROM NEW YORK.

NAPLES, N. Y., July 19, 1885.

EDITOR HERALD:

Since I wrote you while at Niagara Falls, the N. P. A. convention has opened and closed at Buffalo. The convention was, to have been held in the Grand Music Hall, but when that building was burned the mammoth Arsenal was secured. The Arsenal is said to be the largest building in America, covered by a truss roof unsupported by pillars. The exhibition of photographs in all departments of the art was very fine. Four collections from Germany contained some of the finest photographs I ever saw. J. T. Ryder of Cleveland was awarded the Gentile gold medal for the best collection by an American artist. The exhibition by the stock dealers was good, and I saw many new, useful and novel things, and improvements in machinery. The lectures and discussions were very interesting and instructive.

On the afternoon of Wednesday the 15th, the convention adjourned and the sun workers proceeded to Niagara to attend the opening of the falls property as a State Park. The village was thronged all day, and I heard several estimate the number of people there at fifty thousand or more. It seemed to me that there were more than that on Goat Island alone. Such a rush and crush! More than the people of Niagara Falls could possibly feed and entertain. The fancy prices charged for eatables were high. Twenty five cents for a glass of church lemonade; thirty five cents for a ham sandwich, and other things accordingly.

I met but one person at the falls that I knew, and that was Brock, the Italian boy, who lately worked for J. S. Kinney. Niagara Falls village was profusely decorated for the momentous occasion. Flags and bunting nearly covered every building. Over one of the streets was a large triple arch. On one side of the arch was the inscription "New York's finest gift to the World," on the other side "Niagara Redeemed, Free to the World." Under the arch the great procession of militia and state dignitaries passed. Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Brown and I kept together as much as we could, but a moments stop at any time would separate us; we had hard work to keep near each other. Three hours at the falls in such a mob was all we could stand and then we joined the vast throng of people eager to catch the first train to Buffalo.

On Friday morning I took the early train for Canandaigua where I arrived about noon. I had to wait until five o'clock before I could board the boat for the head of Canandaigua Lake and thence to Naples. I made the most of the time by wandering around Canandaigua. This beautiful village is at present as quiet and dull as a country four corners. There did not seem to be anything going on; in fact I had hard work to realize that it was not a very quiet Sunday. At five o'clock I was seated on the upper deck of the steamer Ontario, bound for Naples. Lake Canandaigua is about sixteen miles long, and about a mile wide nearly the whole length. It is bounded on both sides by lofty hills and the views in every direction are very fine. I saw by my ticket that there were forty landings along the lake, and the steamer stopped at many of them, crossing and recrossing the lake several times. The shore of this lake has become very popular as a summer resort, and there are some beautiful cottages and finely laid out grounds along it. Several of the cottages are of novel and beautiful design, and must have cost small fortunes. We landed in Woodville at the head of the lake, at about half past seven, when I met the party who took me to my uncle's farm near Naples, on the west side of the Valley. Naples Valley is one of the prettiest spots I ever saw. It is a level plateau about four miles long and a mile wide, surrounded on three sides by great hills, that I have often seen tipped by clouds. The views from the hills are beautiful, looking in any direction. The great industry is the cultivation of grapes, and wherever we look we see row upon row of vines terraced up the hills, the vineyards separated by the great gullies cutting down the sides every few rods. There are several glens around the valley. One of the most noted ones, the Parish Glen, affording a whole day's sight seeing. There have been some artists and their pupils here all summer, sketching and painting the beauties of Naples Valley and the glens. There are at present fourteen artists studying and sketching here. Naples Village is a pretty little place at the upper end of the valley. It has one live paper, the "Neapolitan Record" published by a live man, S. L. Deyo, a relative of the Deyos of Jackson. I shall do the work I came here to do—on Monday, take some views around the valley, and on Tuesday start back for Tecumseh.

L. F. W.

The old Indian church at Harbor Springs was built fifty years ago, and the mission station of which it was born was founded over 200 years ago by Father Marquette, and has been kept up ever since.

TWO HOURS AT ONSTED.

Last Saturday we paid the village of Onsted a call, stopping about two hours between trains, and we were quite surprised to witness the growth of the village. There are several stores already in operation and another store is now in course of erection, Mr. D. A. Spencer now being engaged in laying the foundation walls therefor.

Wilson Lee, who opened a boot and shoe store there last fall, has recently added a stock of groceries and drugs and is fast building up a fine business.

C. E. Mars still runs the village blacksmith shop and seems to have his hands full. He has a healthy arm and turns out first class work.

Mr. Hine runs the pioneer store and also has the post office in his building.

Charles & Marsteller have recently opened a hardware store, which is well stocked with goods in their line, and they confidently expect a good trade.

Dr. G. W. Ross, formerly of Rome Center, came to Onsted last fall and hung out his shingle. He has a fine office fitted up north of the railroad, and has already established a good trade. His practice thus far has more than met his expectations.

Among the old acquaintances whom we found there was W. B. Knapp, formerly of Tecumseh. He is now living in the village, working at his trade and enjoying life.

Also J. O. Maxwell, who has been supervisor of Cambridge. He lives on the old farm west of Onsted, and is running it to advantage. He knows how to make farming pay.

OBITUARY.

We clip the notice below from the Reading, Pa., Free Press of the 16th inst. The deceased lived here until her marriage, and no young lady has gone from among us in recent years with heartier good wishes for her temporal welfare. This sad dispensation will be mourned by scores of her old friends here in Tecumseh who knew the deceased in her life time and their hearts will beat in sympathy for the afflicted husband and children:

On the 8th inst., in this place, Mrs. Nellie Juliet, wife of Mr. Wm. H. Ramsey and only daughter of Mr. P. C. and Mrs. H. M. Temple, departed this life. She was born Dec. 6, 1856, in Tecumseh, Michigan.

Mrs. Ramsey was at the time of her death a member of the Baptist church in her native town where she resided most of her unmarried life and was well known to many. She will be sincerely mourned there not only by her father and mother and four brothers, but a large circle of relatives and friends. Here too her loss is deeply felt and the sympathy of the whole goes out to the bereaved husband and four little motherless children.

The funeral at the residence was largely attended and the floral tributes were very beautiful, indicating the high estimate in which she was held and the deep sorrow felt for her loss.

An enthusiastic amateur cornetist is making life miserable to the cottagers at Sand Lake.

Mr. Clarence Munn and Ed Henderson, of Adrian, came over Sunday for a drive.

John Orr is building an addition on to his residence.

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A GROTESQUE DUEL.

How Colonel Skerrett Proved Himself to Be a Brave Man.

Colonel Skerrett, Major Marsh and [illegible] were at the Hotel Angleterre, Paris. They were American [illegible] in their travels, all three [illegible] looking Dandies, who had given unfortunate offence to the [illegible] Dr. Vicaire, surgeon in the [illegible] was standing in front of them regarding them with a severe air.

"[illegible] to you as you [illegible] Major Lieutenant [illegible] satisfaction," said Dr. Vicaire, particularly addressing Colonel Skerrett. "You have a [illegible] You were [illegible] very good [illegible] apology, you choose [illegible] Pardonez—ze."

"Weapons," said Major Marsh, coming to his assistance. Dr. Vicaire [illegible]

"Apologize for kicking his damned dog," [illegible] the Colonel. "What [illegible] snapping and barking at me [illegible] I would kick Mr. Foulon himself if he did it."

"Ah!" [illegible] the doctor, "very good! Insult additional!" and he blew his nose as a flourish of trumpets.

Colonel Skerrett was as brave a man as ever stood in boots, but besides his conscientious objections to a duel, the code of marbleed was so ridiculous that he only answered with a burst of laughter.

"Ah!" said the Doctor calmly, but reddening. "Insult three." And he took a prodigious pinch of snuff.

The three friends looked at each other. Major Marsh took the word.

"My friend will allow me to act for him. We have the choice of weapons?"

"Yes."

"Then I choose them that nature provided, fists."

"Fists!" said the doctor, pondering. "You mean ze-ze—"

Major Marsh explained in pantomime.

"Sir!" cried the fiery doctor, "you make ze game of me! I see you after this friend have ze satisfaction."

"Don't get so hot, now. What do you say to mutiled club in a darkened room?"

It took a long time to make the doctor understand this proposition, but when he did he rejected it with constantly increasing wrath. Captain Pickering suggested a rough-and-tumble in a pit—kick, scratch, bite, claw and gouge. Major Marsh thought an excellent way of settling the difficulty would be for the two adversaries to go into shallow water and see which could drown the other. Finally, Colonel Skerrett suggested that they should bring a keg of powder on the field; cast lots; and whichever lost should sit upon the keg and apply the cigar he had just been smoking to a hole in the keg. Dr. Vicaire tore his hair and rejected one and all.

"Why," said the Major, "it 'pears to me that we haven't got the choice of weapons at all."

"Of ze weapon, yes! But zis is no weapon. Swords, dagger, peestol, gun—zes all weapon. But ze gouge, ze feest, ze clup rempli, or vit vos call ze steff clupsteh, monsieur!" and the worthy Doctor stamped with rage.

"Doctor," said the Major, quietly, "the last suggestion of Colonel Skerrett's is one that has been acted on, in at least one case in one of the Southern States of America. If your friend wants an out-and-out duel, he will accept the offer of a barrel of powder under them conditions. If he don't he is only foolin' with the matter. People blaze away at each other here for half an hour and shoot nothing but the pigeons. When we do a thing in the States we do it."

"Sir!" shrieked Vicaire, with concentrated rage. "You coward, you poltroon, secrat! I post you in ze cafe, ze hotel. I and my friend whip you with ze—eh!—ze whip of ze horse!" and he rushed from the room, swinging his hat frantically in one hand and plucking at his hair with the other.

Left to themselves, the three friends laughed heartily. As for the doctor's threat of personal chastisement, Major Marsh alone looked strong enough to horsewhip the National Guard if it were called out. For the posting in the cafes they cared exactly nothing. They chatted and smoked and were beginning to forget the whole affair.

But an hour later the writer announced: "M. le Lieutenant Foulon!"

M. Foulon advanced into the room, bowed courteously to the two, and addressing Colonel Skerrett, said in perfect English:

"I have just seen my friend Vicaire. Possibly he misunderstood. From what he told me, I understand that you made propositions which no gentleman would make. Therefore you are no gentleman. It remains to be seen if you are a coward as well. I am aware that your last proposition is a mode of the duello practiced in some parts of your country. Of that my friend Vicaire was ignorant. Although the practice is irregular, I waive that consideration, and personally accept your proposal of a keg of powder under the specified conditions. You will oblige me by naming time and place."

"Say to-morrow at five o'clock in the afternoon. I reckon the little wood of Plessis, on the road to Versailles, is a quiet enough place. I will supply the keg of powder for your use, and you will supply the cigar for mine."

"Very well, sir," said Foulon bowing. "I shall be there. The terms to be rigidly adhered to. To apply the cigar which one has just been smoking to the open hole in the keg."

"Precisely," answered the Colonel.

"I presume," said the Lieutenant with a hesitating air, "that in an event the services of a doctor or surgeon will be unnecessary."

"I am sure of it," said the Colonel, with a grin.

Foulon left the room, and when he had gone Colonel Skerrett said: "I'll fight this here devil, but I aint gwine to let that there fool blow himself to atoms." The three friends took measures accordingly.

The next day, at the appointed time, the five men, all smoking vigorously, were on the ground. Each party had brought its powder-keg along. The Major and Dr. Vicaire tossed up. The Major won.

Foulon turned ghastly pale, but walked firmly to the keg which the Americans had brought and sat down on it. It was an ordinary cider keg, and Major Marsh knocked out the bung. All then retired to a safe distance except the Colonel, who remained standing by Foulon's side. The latter, down whose livid face the sweat was rolling, took his cigar from his mouth and advanced it, still glowing, toward the open bung-hole.

"Hold on there," said the Colonel, "that ere cigar is lit."

"Certainly it is," gasped Foulon, his lips quivering in spite of himself.

"Well," said the Colonel, with a grin, "you don't such a darned fool as to put a lighted cigar into a keg of powder, do you? When was you born?"

"Sir," replied the Lieutenant, vainly endeavoring to hold the cigar motionless in his shaking hand, "I have given my word that if I lost the toss-up I should put this lit cigar——"

"Hold on! you didn't say it."

"Well, the cigar I was smoking."

"Put it out then."

"Sir, you have run the risk that I ran. I have lost, and I but do as you would have done. I will put this lighted cigar into this bung-hole——"

"Put in the chawed-up end, then."

"You insult me again, sir!"

"Bless your heart. You fire up a darned sight easier than this ere powder ever will. Do you think that I would ever put the burning end of a cigar into the bung-hole of a keg full of powder? Great Jerusalem!"

"I have told you again, and I repeat it, that you are no gentleman. But I—I am a man of honor. Bah! You shall see me die as one. I keep my promise."

Foulon slowly advanced the burning cigar toward the opening in the keg beneath.

"Go away here, you shall be killed!" shouted Vicaire to the Colonel; but the latter remained quietly beside the victim. Vicaire covered his face with his hands, and waited for the awful moment which was to blow his friend to atoms. There was a dead silence, and then a slight hiss was heard. Vicaire looked up. Foulon, his face purple with rage, was holding his cigar, after repeatedly poking it into the bung-hole. The Colonel was on a broad grin.

"Is this powder?" asked Foulon.

"Tooth powder," answered the Colonel: "cost almighty."

"But," said Foulon, shaking now with rage instead of fear, "if you had lost the toss-up our keg was full of gunpowder. What then?"

"I'd have put the cigar out before I put in," said the Colonel.

"Ah!" murmured Foulon.

"Or stuck in the chawed-up end. Hold on to the terms, you."

Foulon calmly walked to his carriage. He and Vicaire hoisted in their keg of gunpowder and followed it themselves.

"Sir!" shouted Foulon to the Colonel, "I said you were no gentleman. I say now you are a coward."

The Colonel smiled.

For three days the friends walked about Paris and saw both Foulon and Vicaire several times. They were not posted in the cafes, for the Frenchmen feared the storm of ridicule which a knowledge of the grotesque duel would bring upon them. Neither were they horsewhipped, for Vicaire argued that they would probably retaliate, and in such a case the whipping would be only a modified form of the duel a la club rempli.

On the fourth day after this "duel" the three friends happened to be on one of the large and beautiful steamboats carrying excursions down the Seine. Colonel Skerrett, like a consistent Yankee, was in the pilot-house, watching the working of the wheel. He came down afterward and sauntered back to where his two friends were standing. Near them were no less individuals than Foulon and Vicaire. Neither party addressed the other. The boat was in the middle of the river. For a long distance on either side the banks were straight, and the tide was flowing directly down the middle channel. Suddenly arose a cry of fire. A wild stampede of passengers in the bow of the boat was made toward the stern, and Foulon, who was standing near an opening in the railing, was thrown from his balance. As he was falling overboard the Colonel stretched out his long arm, grasped him by the collar, and pulled him in again. The Frenchman's hat had fallen off. The Colonel picked it up, and with a friendly smile handed it to his late adversary. Foulon colored up and said eagerly:

"Colonel Skerrett, I beg your pardon. You *are* a gentleman."

In the meantime the panic increased. All the bow of the boat was in a bright blaze, and the fire reached the pilot-house. The pilot rushed out with singed beard and eyebrows, and the boat slowly drifted down the stream. The Colonel caught hold of the pilot and dragged him to Foulon.

"Sir," said he, "ask this here fellow which bank is the safest to land on, and tell me."

"He says the right one," answered Foulon. "But the boat can not be managed. The wheel must be on fire."

Without a word of reply the Colonel plowed his way through the shrieking crowd, leaped up the steps of the pilot-house and seized the wheel. There he stood, the flames roaring about him, the crowd shrieking beneath him, steadily steering toward the right bank. Foulon shuddered at this exhibition of simple superhuman courage. The bank was reached. The crowd, selfish and crazed with fear, rushed to land. The Major and the Captain struggled up the burning steps of the pilot-house, followed by Foulon and Vicaire. They dragged the Colonel out through the flames, bore him to the bank, and applied restoratives. He was less injured than might have been supposed, and at length opened his eyes.

"Oh, Colonel Skerrett!" cried Foulon, with tears in his eyes, "your pardon, your pardon! You are a brave man and a man of honor."

"The Colonel," said Captain Pickering, "can swim like an otter. He could have crossed the creek a hundred times without stopping."

"Fists," said Major Marsh, "are no weapons, perhaps. Well, pistols are. The Colonel can knock the center of a five-cent piece spun in the air at fifty yards."

"I will never fight a duel again," murmured Foulon.

"And I never call one man ze coward for not fight of ze duel," said Vicaire.

"Is all the women safe?" asked the Colonel.—*F. B. Ivers, in Chicago Interocean.*

THE SABBATH SERVICE.

A Fancy Sketch Just as Appropriate Elsewhere as in Boston.

What a blessed privilege is ours, one day in seven, to lay aside our cares and our troubles, and to rest our weary minds and our tired bodies in contemplation of the ideal perfection at which we all of us aim! Here is a congregation just emerging from the sanctuary.

"Thank the Lord, we've got out where we can breathe!" exclaims Mrs. Phleshpatt, who is a lady of countiful proportions. "Thank the Lord, we've got out where we can breathe! I really thought I should suffocate. It was insufferably stuffy. Wonder why the sexton thinks last year's atmosphere so much superior to the present season's vintage? If I were a boy, really, I believe I'd break two or three windows. I'd do something, at any rate, to let that poor imprisoned air out and a little fresh air in."

"And I was so sleepy!" was the volunteer observation of Mrs. Morfeus; "I couldn't keep my eyes open, for all I could do. Don't you think Mr. Prooftext is getting fearfully dull?"

"Awful!" Thus Mrs. Phleshpatt. "Did you see what a horrid bonnet Sarah Somes had on?" asked Mary Maize.

"A perfect fright, wasn't it?" was the questionable form in which Jennie Jones expressed her opinion.

"Made over?"

"I should hope so."

"So should I. I should hate to think any milliner guilty of such taste."

"Mamma," said a little miss, tugging at her mother's dress, "Johnny was pinching me all meeting time."

"Why, Johnny! how could you?"

"Well, what's a feller goin' to do, sittin' there doin' nothin' for more'n an hour? Besides, Lil begun it."

"I didn't."

"I say you did. Didn't you pull my hair?"

"I only pulled it easy."

"My gracious! You call that easy?"

"Baby!"

"Children! What an awfully long prayer Mr. Prooftext made. I thought he would never get through."

"I know it," replied Mrs. Smith, to whom the last remark was made; "he seems to be getting worse and worse. By the way, did you notice old Gerrion and Liza Periwinkle?"

"Not see them! I guess I did! I couldn't keep my eyes off 'em. Awfully sweet on each other, ain't they?"

"And his wife's only been dead six months!"

"Disgraceful, ain't it? When are you coming up to see me?"

"Oh, I don't know. I've got so much to do, you know, I don't get any time to go anywhere. Why, there's Mrs. Chatterton over there. I suppose I shall have to speak to her."

"I hope to goodness she won't see me, the hateful thing!"

"Guess you think as much of her as I do; but if I don't speak to her I'll never hear the last of it. Good-by; come and see me when you can."

"I say, Charley," asked Tom, "who was that girl you were mashing all church time?"

"Oh, that was a little creature I met at the dance last winter. She's a daisy, h?"

"Not bad. But how'd the game come out yesterday afternoon?"

"As usual. Bostons got goose-egged. Have a cigarette?"

"Well!" exclaimed Clara, "what do you think of the new tenor? I think he's just splendid! What a heavenly mustache!"

"And what a fool that Miss Sprigggins made of herself! She was gawking at him all the time they were singing, instead of looking at her notes. However, I don't suppose she can sing much worse than when she does try to follow the music. Wonder what they keep her in the choir for?"

"Sure enough! Or Mr. Bassclefft, either. Why, he's actually getting bald. And mercy! how he squints!"

"Hullo! There's that Cheever fellow."

"What, that ninny who's all the time staring at the girls? H'm, I don't want to see him. I'll turn down here; good-by."

"Guess she needn't worry about his staring at her," soliloquizes Nell, as her dear friend disappears around the corner. "Old jealousy!"

And so it goes. Really, what a set of empty-headed, venomous creatures we should be were it not for the Sabbath service!—*Boston Transcript.*

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ESTATE OF PETER S. WALDRON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 24th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jane Waldron, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 20th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BROWN, Probate Register. Jun 25

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 26, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
may21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days and that six months from the 19th day of May, A. D. 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 20, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Timothy Deal, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Timothy Deal, late of the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of C. A. Stacy, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 28th day of August, 1885, and on the 28th day of December, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of June, 1885, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Tecumseh, June 26th, 1885.

ISAAC P. KEYSER,
AARON J. PALMER,
july9 Commissioners.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149. Accom.
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	4 05 "
Hudson	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Detroit	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....
Toledo	.....	.....	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	7 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Hudson	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Adrian	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	12 14 "	9 44 "	7 40 "
Clinton	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Norvell	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Napoleon	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "
Jackson	.....	.....	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Ina	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Bakersley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kinsman	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Adamsdale	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seitz	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 42
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Lodi	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hird	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hird	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Lodi	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 11	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seitz		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Adamsdale		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kinsman		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 51	12 35
Bakersley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Ina		12 58	4 12	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT SEPT. 7, 1884.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Mich. Close connections for Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 33 Pass	No. 35 Pass
P.M.	A.M.			P. M.	A. M.	
5 45	10 10		A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
6 10	11 02		Dundee	4 13	10 10	
6 04	11 21		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 06	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 12	
7 10	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 06	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 48	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 36	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 30	
8 40	1 05		Hanover	2 10	8 00	
A.M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 50	P.M.
9 20	9 15		Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
9 32	9 27		Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
9 47	9 41		Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
9 59	9 57		Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
10 10	10 15		A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
2 37	P. M.		Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
2 45			Yorkville	12 15		6 35
2 52			Richland	12 09		6 29
2 58			Doster	11 52		6 12
3 21			Ionia	11 35		5 55
3 32			Fisk	11 27		5 47
3 36			Kellogg	11 21		5 37
3 50			A...Allegan...L	11 10		5 25
5 10			Holland	10 10		3 00
6 10			Grand Rapids	9 15		
6 15			Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
6 25			Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
6 55			Muskegon	8 15		1 20
9 50			Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
P.M.			A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Mich. Also a Through Coach leaves Grand Rapids via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, at 9:15 A.M., arriving in Toledo on Train No. 31 at 5:10 P.M.

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AN INCIDENT OF TRAVEL.

Bill Nye Has a Vision Which the Morning Dissipates.

Night before last, after I had registered at the hotel, and had been assigned "the last room in the house"—I use the language of the hotel clerk—I went into the dining-room to tea.

After I had regained my confidence among strangers, and curled myself up in as abject a manner as possible in the presence of the head waiter, I began to look around for an opportunity to beam on some unprotected woman with my sunny smile. It is not my custom while traveling to smile on one in whose heart a hope might spring up to be dashed to earth by my departure. If I have caused pain in that way I did not intend to do so. I can joke and carry on and have a real good time, but I do not wish to inspire any breast a hope which may be blasted, ah, alas! too soon.

It was not long before I discovered a beautiful blonde of the female sex at the farther end of the room beneath the chandelier. Her skin seemed to be of a delicate sea-shell color, and her hair was corn-colored. Her clothes also were entirely new, I should judge, and made especially for her. On her finger she wore a diamond ring with perfect ease. She knew just how to work that finger in order to get the most possible glitter out of her diamond. Every little while I would look over there and revel in her beauty, and I thought that she was not entirely insensible to my charms. Still, she looked at me in a kind of a half reproachful manner, which gave me the idea that I did not know whether it was intentional or not.

All that evening she was in my mind. I dreamed that night that I swooped down upon her and carried her away to the remotest boundaries of the world in a special car. The next morning I awoke hungry, for I didn't eat much supper the evening before. I went down to breakfast, waiting and fooling away my time, hoping that she would come while I was in the breakfast room, and I would fill myself up with the beautiful vision and a cup of coffee.

Anon she came. She sailed into the room with cold disdain, and an air of hauteur, and such things as that. The head waiter waved his hand like a self-acting duke in a theater, and gave her a seat at my table. A thrill passed up through my graceful and delicately-molded spinal column, and I laid down the vulgar sausage with which I was about to feed myself when she dawned upon me.

I ventured to look across the table at her in the full glare of the new-born day. (Stereoscopic views of this last sentence will be forwarded to any address at $1 per glare.) The first thing that I discovered was that she hadn't put her yellow wig on straight. It was a little higher on one ear than the other, which gave her the air of a young man who had over-monkeyed with the flowing bowl. This showed to the casual spectator a glimpse of her own moth-eaten sage-brush hair peeping out like the faded tail on an old buffalo robe.

Then I knew we could never be more to each other than friends. Her nose was red also and she had not been properly calcimined. In the hurry of dressing she had missed her nose with the powder-rag, and that organ—meaning, of course, the nose, not the powder-rag—loomed up robust and purple in the ghastly waste of cheek-bones and other osseous formations.

Ah, what a pain it gave me to see my beautiful vision fade thus before my eyes! Then I thought how I had smiled upon her the evening before, and how, perhaps, a new hope had sprung up in her heart, and I feared that when she knew it was all over between us the shock, at her time of life, might kill her.

I left my hot pancakes, with the maple sirup all over them, and fled. Out into the din, the hurry and the tireless rush of the mad, mad world, trying to stifle the memory of that broken heart. Should she see these lines, I hope she will not think bitterly of me. I still admire her as a well-preserved ruin, but love in such a case would be a hollow mockery.—*Bill Nye, in Springfield Journal.*

THE MIND CURE.

Expansion Into a Medical Practice of the Power the Mind Has Over the Body.

It has always been known that the mind can exert a good or bad influence over the body. The old mental philosophies were full of stories which had a tendency to show how persons had taken to bed after having been told, by a succession of acquaintances, about the dreadful paleness of face or of a most unhealthy express on of the eyes. It was also affirmed, in the olden newspapers, that some mischievous wife made her husband believe that he was swelling up with dropsy, and should by all means hasten to the German Springs, and should take her along as nurse, his condition being so critical. The wife thus secured a trip to Europe—her art being that of taking pieces out of her husband's vests, so that it became almost impossible for him to make them reach around his abnormal body.

The Metaphysical Cure is, therefore, not a discovery, but the expansion into a medical practice of a power which had once been little else than a curiosity. A tendency of our age is to utilize forces. Nothing so pains the American mind as the thought of having anything go to waste. We are now in a worry lest there may be an electric potency that might turn all our wheels; we are attempting to run engines by sunbeams; the waste of water-power at Niagara is the grief of many; while those who have escaped forms of distress are made unhappy because the air is not as full of balloons as the streets are of cars and wagons.

In such a day it was very naturally concluded that if mind has a power over health and disease, let us utilize this power. Let us not permit the force to escape all duty, like the waters of Niagara. Let us not permit merely artful women to use it as a means of inducing dropsy and a foreign trip. Let us domesticate this mental influence, and extract from it valuable service.

Thus came the "Metaphysical Cure" about eight or ten years ago. In the hands of extremists it is made partly one of the delusions of the world, but in the hands of the wise and moderate it is a tonic of great value, and will displace a large amount of quinine and wild cherry bitters. Its philosophy may all be summed up in the fact that the soul affects the body and can rouse up its torpid blood, can make the liver, heart, lungs and the brain—that nerve center—quicken their pace, and use up or crowd out the diseased globules from the blood and fluids. Clara Morris has perhaps saved her life by acting upon the stage just enough to enable her mind to reconstruct, from time to time, her delicate physique. One of the old poets said: "The soul doth the body make"—it being a well-known fact that the educated and powerful mind makes the face into its own likeness.

This is, then, the philosophy of the mind cure. It can do much for man, and is not to be approached because it can not do every thing. If the influence of the mind may benefit one sick person in twenty-five, it will then surpass in value many popular medicines; and if it shall prevent many others from falling into imaginary illness, it will confer a second benefit upon the community. Man is not in a condition to reject the help of any of Nature's kind offers. By means of all these discovered helps the evils of ill-health may be mitigated if not banished from the world. Will, energy, medicine, fasting, good air, good food, good water, are all friends of health, but no one of these is master of the entire field of ailment. He will act most wisely who employs all these causes at different times of need.

The instances in which the body is languishing under only a feeble will-power are very many. A delicately-organized lady of Chicago lay sick a few weeks with lung fever, and became so accustomed to feebleness that at last she had to be told very plainly by her physician that she was well and that she must rise, dress and go down to the supper table. She has lived to laugh over the absurdity of spending perhaps two weeks in bed after she had fully recovered.

A citizen of Chicago who had been in his bedroom for a few weeks, and no thought of going out to business for a week or more was cured by a conflagration in a neighbor's house. He went out to help save life and property, and became so fully aroused that his bedroom lost its charm. He dressed with his family and resumed business next day, being unable to sink back to feebleness.

With masses of such evidences of the power of mind over matter, either to weaken it or to build it up, it is high time for us all to invoke the aid of this spiritual influence in not a few days of life; but to call it a general practice of medicine is to attempt to make a part equal the whole. This feat the new practitioners are attempting to perform. They are even attempting to cure disease when it is far away from the alleged doctor—the doctor throwing his mental force a thousand miles, and making it land like a bombshell amid the works of the enemy. This is that *reductio ad absurdum* which has been common in all times. Phrenology was an attempt to carry a few general truths into a most detailed science: Socialism was an effort to take up the law of order and apply it until society should become a precise machine: Thoreau attempted to simplify man until he could live alone on ten dollars a year: Quakerism was an attempt to kill off all colors except drab, and all music except the sing-song of their speeches at meeting.

But all these efforts to force the universe into one fact or one fancy will fail, and the "Metaphysical Doctors" will have the mortification of taking some backsteps. They can help our world, but not by promulging, like a patent medicine, to cure every form of disorder. They should be satisfied with the study and practice of art which may accomplish much good for society.—*David Swing, in Chicago Current.*

UP IN THE BUSINESS.

No Need of References—He Had All the Qualifications.

He was a gentlemanly-looking fellow, dressed in elegant taste, and as he knocked at the Superintendent's office door no one would have suspected he was looking for a job.

"Good morning," said the Superintendent politely, as he came in.

"Good morning," replied the visitor. "I am in search of a position as conductor on your road."

"Well, we want a man about your size."

"What is the pay?"

"One hundred dollars a month."

"That's fair enough. I was paid that for the five years I was with the New York Central."

"You look like a good man. Got any references?"

"No, sir. I'm sorry to say I'm a stranger in Cincinnati."

"No references? That's unfortunate. Have you got anything to show that you know the duties of the position you seek?"

"Oh, yes; plenty. There's a house and lot in Hoboken, where my wife lives, which I paid $20,000 for; then there's a farm up in Orange County that cost me $12,000; some bank stock, a few United States bonds, a town lot in Jersey City, a—"

"That's quite enough," interrupted the Superintendent; "I see you know you business. Just call around this afternoon and I'll see what I can do for you. I always like to help a man who can make an ordinary salary meet all his wants.—*N. Y. Telegram.*

—A new Connecticut law against "flash" literature, which has gone into effect, imposes a fine of $50 or less and imprisonment for three months or less, or both, at the discretion of the court, upon every person who shall sell, lend, give or offer, or have in his possession with intent to sell, lend, give or offer, any book, magazine, pamphlet or paper devoted wholly or principally to the publication of criminal news, or pictures and stories of deeds of bloodshed, lust or crime.—*Hartford Courant.*

Pluck vs. Luck.

In an address delivered before the students of the Spencerian business college, Washington, D. C., June 29, 1869, among other things, Gen. James A. Garfield said:

"Now, young gentlemen, let me address you touching your success in life; and I hope the very brevity of my remarks will increase the chance of their making a lodgment in your minds. Let me beg you in the outset of your career, to dismiss from your minds all ideas of succeeding by luck. There is no more silly thought among young people than the foolish one that by-and-by something will turn up by which they will suddenly achieve fame or fortune. No, young gentlemen, things don't turn up in this world unless somebody turns them up. Inertia is one of the indispensable laws of matter, and things lie flat where they are until by some intelligent spirit (for nothing but spirit makes motion in this world) they are endowed with activity and life. Do not dream that some good luck is going to happen to you and give you a fortune. Luck is an *ignis fatuus*—you may follow it to ruin, but not to success. The great Napoleon, who believed in his destiny, followed it until he saw his star go down in blackest night, when the Old Guard perished around him, and Waterloo was lost. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck.

Young men talk of trusting to the spur of the occasion. That trust is vain. Occasions cannot make spurs, young gentlemen. If you expect to wear spurs you must win them. If you wish to use them you must buckle them to your own heels before you go into the fight. The success you may achieve is not worth the having unless you fight for it. Whatever you win in life you must conquer by your own efforts, and then it is yours—a part of yourself."

A Sad Curser.

The divorced wife of a Bonanza millionaire recently came to a mournful death principally from taking chloral which unsettled her mind and demoralized her whole physical system. She had been weakly and ailing and felt her need of something to drown her sorrows and brace her up. Had she taken Brown's Iron Bitters she would have been invigorated so that she could have forgotten her sorrows, and enjoyed healthy life. This valuable medicine cures general debility, tones the nerves, strengthens the muscles and aids digestion.

A metal hitherto unknown, and which is said to be likely to supplant nickel in general use, has been discovered in the Lehigh Valley.

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As well as the handsomest, and others, are invited to call on Baker & Hall, and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00AM	3 30PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor, Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 46	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville, Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 55	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 30	1 12PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 42	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillon Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	5 47PM	6 47PM	.....
Valley Junc, Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 45
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 10
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 30
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.			
Marrietta Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 10	.....	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	.....	No. 38
Sherroddsville	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4.		6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM		8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00		10 15
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32		11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32		.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20		No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20		7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30		7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45		8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00		8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM		8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42		9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM		10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters

WASHINGTON.

The Supreme Court of Wisconsin has decided that the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western Railroad Company, which failed to file its articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State within the time prescribed by its charter, was legally in existence when its charter was forfeited by the Railroad Commissioners, and that the company was liable for damages for the killing of a person by its locomotive.

L. C. Marshall, formerly a member of the Mississippi Legislature, has been appointed messenger in the Interior Department. He was one of the Senator Walthall and Morgan voters with the Democratic caucus in the Legislature.

Presidential appointments confirmed: William T. Cornell, to be Collector of Customs for the district of Texas; Francis H. Underwood, of Massachusetts, to be Consul of the United States at Glasgow; Chin Gee Wee, to be interpreter of the United States Consulate at Canton.

Telegrams were received by Secretary Lamar on the 25th from cattlemen in the Indian Territory, complaining that the cattle trade is the only one that has suffered still obstructed, and asking for relief.

Miss Cleveland left Washington on the 16th for New York City, and is expected to return until the latter part of July. The President will leave Washington about August 1 for a visit to the Adirondack Mountains, where he will remain about a month or six weeks to obtain rest and recreation. He will be accompanied by a few personal friends.

The President has appointed G. H. Barger, of Ohio, to be pension agent at Columbus, Ohio.

[illegible] at Interior Department [illegible] distinct [illegible] to level [illegible] 1,327,000 [illegible] a year ago, the [illegible] 41,000 [illegible] against [illegible] a year ago. One curious fact revealed by the reports is that Kentucky, which has [illegible] of overproduction in reports from distilleries, a gain of ten in one year, with a proportionate increase of production. Another interesting point is that New England, which has hitherto contributed the rum distilling business, is to have a rival in Kentucky, where a distillery has been started at Covington yielding 444 gallons daily.

The Secretary of the Interior has appointed Samuel S. Holliday, Jr., of St. Louis, Mo., and William R. Henderson, of Martinsville, Ind., assistant superintendents of the Yellowstone National Park. Allen M. Easterly, of Montana, John A. Gunn, of Indiana, Hugh C. Quigley, of Ohio, Nathan B. Wharton, of Ohio, James N. Smithie, of Arkansas, and John Jones, of New York, have been appointed special agents of the General Land Office.

The majority of the internal revenue offices of the country have now been filled, only nineteen remaining vacant.

THE EAST.

On the 15th the explosion of a gasoline stove in the engine room of James Mario & Sons' bleaching and print works at Philadelphia, caused a loss of about $[illegible],000; partially insured.

A Brooklyn, N. Y., undertaker named Lewis Russell was arrested on the 15th upon the presentation to the Board of Health of evidence that he has made a practice of storing in a cellar the bodies of infants entrusted to him for burial, keeping them on ice until he has a sufficient number to make a load for the dead wagon. The object of this irregular and revolting proceeding has been to save the cost of several trips to the cemetery. The charge is made that some of the bodies became decomposed, causing a stench and endangering public health. In one case the body was kept unburied five months.

A Mrs. Jones, of Buffalo, who was with a party of ladies at Bath Island on the 15th, fell into the stream and was carried over the American Falls.

At Skunk Hollow, a notorious locality near Pittsburgh, on the 15th William Wilbert made an assault upon Edward Bulger and wife with a base ball bat and left both of them for dead, making his escape. Bulger's skull was crushed in and his wife sustained quite as serious injuries. The fight grew out of a quarrel between the two families.

The Newsdealers' and Stationers' National Convention closed its session at Philadelphia on the 17th. Following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, C. W. Ziebar, of Philadelphia; Vice Presidents, Charles W. Drake, of Boston, and Will's E. Sizer, of Chicago; Recording Secretary, Charles B. Swift, of Philadelphia; Financial Secretary, W. C. Edwards, of Hagerstown, Md.; Treasurer, George W. Bell, of Brooklyn. Chicago was selected as the place for the next annual meeting.

The National Executive Committee of coal miners met at Pittsburgh on the 15th and issued a call for a national convention of coal miners to be held at Indianapolis, Ind., September 9, for the purpose of establishing a National Union and inaugurating a movement for the advance of mining rates.

The Grand Jury at Philadelphia have found three indictments against Joseph F. Cottringe, ex-treasurer of the Central Transportation Company, one charging him with embezzlement of $147,500, and the other with forging the stock of the company and uttering the same.

Daniel Louis Patten, well known in turf circles as the owner of Flora Temple, Lady Emma, Daisy Brown and other famous stars of the turf, died at Avon Inn, Key West, N. J., on the 16th. He was sixty-five years of age.

The business failures throughout the United States for the week ending the 17th number 209 and for Canada 16, or a total of 225, as compared with a total of 185 last week and 204 the week previous to the last.

Ex-Senator Francis Kernan, of New York, has declined the appointment of Government Director of the Union Pacific, recently tendered him by the President.

The Bartholdi Statue Fund has now reached the sum of $86,500.

At its session in Saratoga, N. Y., on the 16th the National Educational Association elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, N. A. Calkins, of New York, and twelve Vice Presidents; Secretary, W. E. Sheldon, of Massachusetts; Treasurer, E. C. Hewitt, of Illinois; Counselors-at-Large, J. H. Eaton, District of Columbia, and E. E. White, of Ohio, and forty Counselors.

Henry K. Eaton, aged twenty-five, son of Professor Daniel C. Eaton, of Yale College, was killed at South Lyme, Conn., on the 17th, by the accidental discharge of a gun. While passing over some loose ground he stepped and fell, the gun being discharged and the contents lodging in his left leg. He died during the night.

The residence of a man named Evans, residing near Graham station, in Clearfield County, Pa., was burned on the night of the 16th. Six out of nine of his children, who were sleeping in the upper part of the house, perished in the flames. The oldest of the children, a daughter, was about fifteen years. The youngest was six years of age. What remained of their bodies was gathered up and buried in one coffin. The fire was pronounced of incendiary origin, but there is no clue to the perpetrators of the crime.

Colonel D. D. Bridgeland, a wealthy citizen of South New Market, N. H., died at his place on the 17th, seven hours after the death of his wife. He had a brother who was Second Auditor of the Treasury at Washington for several years. Another brother was Postmaster of the army, and died [illegible] ago.

Christian Geygan, a wealthy farmer of Geneva, N. Y., committed suicide on the 16th by taking laudanum. He had been very despondent since about two weeks ago when the Hessian fly destroyed his crops.

On the 15th about sixty men were overcome by foul air and smoke from blasting in the South Pennsylvania railroad tunnel at Roxbury, Pa. Two were taken out dead and several others are not expected to live.

The following changes are noted in the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 18th: Loans increase, $[illegible]; specie increase, $351,[illegible]; legal tenders increase, $1,372,800; deposits increase, $4,124,000; circulation increase, $[illegible]; reserve increase, $[illegible]. The banks held $[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

The extensive repair works of King & Winsor at New Brighton, Staten Island, were destroyed by fire on the 16th. Loss, $[illegible].

Fire destroyed the repair shops of the New York & New England Railroad at Norwood, Mass., on the 18th, entailing a loss of $[illegible].

Rev. Dr. S. I. Prime, the veteran editor of the New York *Observer*, died at Manchester, Vt., on the 18th, aged seventy-[illegible].

David McC. Walker and John Tuthill, dry goods clerks, aged fifteen and twenty-two respectively, while boating on the river near Newburgh, N. Y., were run down by a propeller and drowned.

WEST AND SOUTH.

On the 16th the casing-head of one of the natural gas wells at Bowling Green, O., blew off while under a pressure of 200 pounds to the square inch. D. S. Saenger, the superintendent, was terribly injured and will probably die. His little son, who was standing by, was also hurt. The gas company had just finished laying mains and were ready to turn the gas on for general use among the consumers.

The section of country from Niagara to Reynolds, D. T., was visited by a terrific hail storm on the 16th, utterly destroying all the grain in one of the best wheat growing regions of the Northwest. The loss covers an acreage of ten thousand acres, involving 200,000 bushels of grain.

The cotton mills at Brighton, a suburb of Chicago, were destroyed by fire on the 16th, caused by sparks from a passing locomotive. Loss $166,000.

At Racine, Wis., on the 16th Edward Warner, aged thirty-five, in a fit of insanity attacked Miss Charlotte Ward, his cousin, aged sixteen years, with a hammer, crushing her skull. It was believed she would die.

At Freeport, Ill., on the 16th Alice and Minnie Cruse, while riding at a rapid rate in the rear seat of a wagon, fell out behind and sustained fatal injuries.

The Mayor of Chicago on the 16th received an appeal from Highmore, Dak., for aid. The dispatch stated that the village had been entirely destroyed by a cyclone.

The Virginia Republicans, in State Convention on the 16th, nominated by acclamation Hon. John S. Wise for Governor; H. Clinton Wood, of Scott County, for Lieutenant Governor, and Captain Frank S. Blair, of Wythe, for Attorney General.

At Pleasant Valley, Wis., on the 15th two Norwegians, brothers, were digging a well, when the one at the bottom, who was drilling for a blast, was suffocated. When his fate was discovered the other brother was let down to recover the body, but he too was suffocated before he could be drawn out. A third man was lowered and had just time enough to place a noose around the bodies when he too was nearly overpowered with gas.

Two girls, Maggie Burke and Josie Conner, were run over by a train at Marion, O., on the 17th. Maggie was killed instantly and Josie fatally injured.

Rev. Dr. William Earnshaw, Chaplain of the Central Branch of the Dayton, Ohio, Soldiers' Home, and formerly Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R., died on the 17th.

A. H. Rose, an extensive farmer of Oakland, Cal., has failed with $[illegible] liabilities and nominal assets.

At Cleveland, O., on the 18th Edward Gillan, an expressman, shot his young wife and then put a bullet through his own brain. It is believed his wife will recover. The couple had separated, and Mrs. Gillan had applied for a divorce.

Joseph Lindemeyer, aged thirteen, George Wilson, nine and John White, eleven, were drowned while bathing in the Ohio River at Cincinnati, on the 19th. Lindemeyer's body was the only one recovered.

On the 18th the Cleveland (O.) Rolling Mill Company paid off the strikers and the men left for their homes without any disturbance. The mills have been shut down for an indefinite period and no further trouble is apprehended until an attempt is made to start them up again.

Thirty-eight young ladies recently took the vow of poverty, chastity and obedience for a period of seven years at the convent of the Sisters of the Notre Dame, near Govanstown, Baltimore County, Md. At the end of that time if they wish to continue in the religious life, they will be at liberty to make these vows final and perpetual.

The Georgia House of Representatives on the 18th passed by a vote of 111 to 22 a general local option law for the counties in Georgia which have not already adopted prohibition. The bill provides that on petition every two years elections may be held in counties where intoxicating drinks are sold until the county goes for prohibition, when no more elections can be held. The bill now goes to the Senate for final passage.

It was reported at Miles City, Mont., on the 19th that seven Cheyenne Indians and five cowboys had been killed in a fight on the Rosebud. It is stated that the Pine Ridge and other Cheyennes on the Tongue River are quarreling with the Cheyennes on the Rosebud, insisting upon the latter leaving their reservation to go south upon the warpath. The Indians on the Rosebud are peaceable and prefer to remain quiet. The others threatened the life of Indian Agent Stevens at Rosebud. He fled to Fort Custer and telegraphed the facts to the Department Commander at Fort Snelling, Minn.

George Rose, another of the Richmond & Danville payroll robbers, was captured by the Atlanta, Ga., police on the 18th. George is a brother of Charles Rose, the man who planned the robbery. They also attempted to capture Charles, but he got away and is hiding in the mountains, severely wounded.

The cooper shop attached to the Illinois Penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., burned on the 18th. The loss to the State is about $25,000. J. H. Wenterbatban & Sons, contractors, lose $75,000.

James McHugh and Jacob Mutchen, railroad employes, were drowned in a pond in the railroad yard at Toledo, O., by the overturning of a boat.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The committee to make special private inquiry into the evidence upon which the *Pall Mall Gazette* bases its charges of iniquity in London, met at the Mansion House on the 15th and began work. It is composed of the Right Honorable and Most Rev. Edward White Benson, Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of England; the Right Rev. Frederick Temple, D. D., Bishop of London; his Eminence, Henry Edward, Cardinal Manning, Archbishop of Westminster, and the Hon. Samuel Morley, member of Parliament for Bristol. The Lord Mayor and City Recorder were by invitation, present at the meeting.

The suspension of the Munster (Ireland) Bank has thrown fifteen hundred employes out of work. A large meeting of proprietors, held at Cork on the 16th, appointed a committee to consider the best means to reconstruct the bank and facilitate its liquidation.

It is stated that forty-seven nuns were inoculated by Dr. Ferran to prevent cholera, all of whom have died from the disease.

A largely attended conference of sugar refiners was held at London on the 17th, at which resolutions were adopted petitioning the Marquis of Salisbury, Prime Minister, to instruct Tory candidates at the coming elections to call the attention of the electors to the injustice done to British interests by the prevailing system of bounties in the United States on refined sugar for export. The British refiners assert that their industry is being ruined by the American system, and they intend making every effort to compel a fair competition.

A Rome dispatch of the 19th says that two hundred persons had been poisoned by ice cream at Riposto, Sicily, during a public holiday. A crowd severely punished the vender, who narrowly escaped with his life.

The recent earthquake in India prove more disastrous than first reported. More than fifty people are known to have been killed, and the damage to property has been very great.

Advices from the Vale of Cashmere and the Presidency of Bombay report heavy rains and disastrous floods. In the former crops have been almost entirely destroyed, and in the latter region railway travel is suspended, the tracks in many places having been entirely carried away.

LATER NEWS.

The works of the Wells & French Car and Bridge Company at Chicago, comprising several buildings on the corner of Twenty-second and Paulina streets, were totally destroyed by fire on the night of the 20th. One building contained wood and material for 1,200 cars. Loss estimated at $200,000.

Postmaster Damarin, at Portsmouth, O., reported to the Postoffice Department on the 20th that his assistant had made off with about $6,000 of the funds of the office.

Prof. C. S. Richards, LL. D., Dean of the Preparatory Department of the Howard University of Washington, D. C., died at the residence of his son in Madison, Wis., on the 19th. He was one of the most prominent educators of this country.

About two hundred clerks in the railway mail service leading out of Cincinnati have been ordered up by the Chief of the Fifth Division for examination, beginning August 15. Not more than ten of the whole number can stand examination on such short notice and there is likely to be a wholesale decapitation.

The Chief of the Bureau of Statistics reports that the number of immigrants arrived in the United States during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1885, was 387,821, being 122,013 less than the immigration during the preceding fiscal year, and 401,171 less than during the year ending June 30, 1882, the year of the greatest immigration. During the month of June, 1885, there arrived in the custom districts of Baltimore, Boston, Detroit, Huron, Minneapolis, New Orleans, New York, Passamaquody, Philadelphia and San Francisco 55,708 passengers, of whom 45,382 were immigrants, 6,952 citizens of the United States returned from abroad, and 3,444 aliens not intending to remain in the United States.

At Salt Lake, U. T., on the 20th Bishop Sharp, a director of the Union Pacific Railroad, Bishop H. B. Clawson, a double son-in-law of Brigham Young, and Henry Dinwoodey, were arraigned for unlawful cohabitation. All pleaded not guilty and their trial was set for the second week in September.

The hands on the plantation of T. J. Gray, near Butler, Ga., were recently victims of poisoning, which resulted in the death of one of their number. Frank Williams and Clark Montgomery had a quarrel about a woman. Clark spread rat poison over some meat, which killed Frank and made others deathly sick.

Mrs. Isabella Brown died at Baltimore on the 20th in the eighty-seventh year of her age. She was the wife of the great banker, George Brown, and one of the most prominent women of her time. During her lifetime she gave large sums of money to Princeton College. During the late war she was known throughout the South as a philanthropist, and received special mention in the book written by Colonel Mosby.

A barn near Hickory, N. C., was struck by lightning on the 20th and Edward Morris, son of the owner, aged sixteen, was fatally shocked. Some stock in the barn was also killed and the building literally razed to the earth.

Out Door Sports.

With the opening of the season of outdoor sports comes the time of trouble for the poor victims of Hay Fever and Rose Cold. For them flowers have no odor, and the summer little of no beauty. To sniff, sneeze and wipe their weeping eyes for three or four successive months—this is their pitiable portion. There is no help in sea voyages, there is no help in high mountain air. But there is a positive cure in Ely's Cream Balm. Try it. If you are going to suffer it is because you neglect a remedy as sure as it is cheap and pleasant.

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Tecumseh.

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Barley, per bushel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Beans, per bushel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Buckwheat, per bushel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Buckwheat flour, per hundred	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Beef—dressed, per hundred	[illegible]	@	6 00
Beef Hides	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Chickens, per lb	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Corn in ear	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Corn—Shelled, per bushel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Clover Seed	[illegible]	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed		@	[illegible]
Eggs, per doz		@	[illegible]
Flour, per barrel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Hogs—dressed, per cwt	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Hogs—live, per cwt	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Hay, per ton	[illegible]	@	13 00
Honey, per lb		@	[illegible]
Ham, per lb		@	[illegible]
Lard, per lb		@	[illegible]
Oats, per bushel	32	@	[illegible]
Onions, per bushel		@	[illegible]
Potatoes, per bushel	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Salt, per barrel		@	1 [illegible]
Sheep Pelts	45	@	[illegible]
Timothy Seed, per bushel		@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed, per lb		@	[illegible]
Wood, per cord	[illegible]	@	4 [illegible]
Wheat, White, per bushel		@	[illegible]
Wheat, Red, per bushel		@	[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]	@	[illegible]

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

Charles Clark and wife went to Sand Lake last Sunday. Mrs. Clark is spending this week there.

Mrs. F. A. Cameron's mother, Mrs. Murphy, of Perth, and her sister, Mrs. Binks, of London, Ont., arrived here last Monday.

Edgar Rose who has been under Dr. Cameron's care for several months is so much improved in health that he expects to return to Detroit next Saturday and take up the duties of his old position.

Miss Blanche Smith went to Saline last Tuesday to spend a few days with Miss Vesta Mills.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph St. John and daughter Ida, started Monday morning at three o'clock to drive to Detroit and from thence to Orion, where they expect to remain a couple of weeks.

Miss Lou Rowland and Mr. I. N. Miller of Albion, spent the first of the week at Sand Lake as guests of Miss Laura Clark.

Mr. M. Russell, superintendent of the woolen mills has rented the Starr house on Chicago street, and will move his family there shortly.

E. W. Freese drove over to Ypsilanti last Sunday after his wife who has been visiting there for two or three weeks. Mrs. Whittlesey is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnston, of Detroit, are in town.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Hard, on Tuesday, July 28th, a boy.

Miss Emily Guiwits, of Macon, and Miss Aggie Stevens, of Tecumseh, were guests at Dr. Adam's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kies returned from their sojourn at Sand Lake on Monday.

Carl Burton, of Chicago, arrived here last Sunday and will spend about a week here and in Tecumseh.

Ellsworth Arnold, of Bedford, Ohio, is visiting at his father's, three miles west of here.

George Freeze went to Detroit last Friday morning.

Landon Dudley and wife with their little son visited at E. W. Freese's last Thursday and Friday. They left here Friday afternoon for Chelsea.

The town is extremely quiet this week, in fact seems to be suffering from the state of inertia into which it has fallen. Will some one kindly rouse it by a little excitement? Almost anything will do. An exhibition of sleep walking, by a couple of young gentlemen, for instance.

BRITTON BUDGET.

John Britton returned Tuesday evening. He says visiting is hard work.

Weather still uncomfortable.

The stave mill started Wednesday to run a few days and cut out the bolts in stock.

Remember the social given Friday evening by the band. A good time is assured to all.

The Britton band went to Pennington's corners Saturday evening and report a splendid time.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The late rains make corn get there.

Farmers are busy getting in their wheat.

W. Q. Burnett, of Tecumseh was in the village Friday.

Mrs. Emma Rankin is visiting her sister, Miss S. A. Van Vleet this week.

Mrs. Morris Kelley and her daughter Marcia, spent Sunday with friends in Dundee.

Coryell & Lawton have erected a fine weather vane on top of their hardware store. It was made by Henry Smith, our village tinner.

Mrs. Frank Pocklington and her children went to Perrysburg, O., Saturday to visit her parents.

Once more the hum of the threshing machine is heard among the farmers.

G. W. Jackson and family spent the Sabbath with his parents in Macon.

Miss Luella Wilson, of Morenci, arrived Saturday to spend a few days among her many friends here.

Mrs. M. A. Barrett started for Oswego, Kansas, Monday to see her son, W. E. Barrett, who is engaged in the harness business there.

Miss Lulu Rappleye and her friend, Miss Clo. Curtis, of Dundee, visited friends and relatives in the village during the past week.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton spent the day in Toledo, Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Smith, who has been quite sick for some time, is no better.

Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Linn are visiting her brother in Wayne co. this week.

Mr. G. W. Jackson shipped his household goods to Hillsdale Tuesday and left with his family Wednesday.

Miss Lillie Morrell, of Cone, spent a few days with her uncle, Mr. Alfred Lawton and family.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The Soldier's home committee came at sunset, viewed Vineyard when evening shadows draped its faults with obscurity, and said they were favorably impressed with its hills, dales and fish globe. They had a nice ride over its roads the morning shower made free of dust, supper with their host afterward, and looked pleased as they professed when going back to their train. Donaldson's Circus stayed longer, had a good crowd in the evening that appreciated antics, and went home equally well satisfied. The week has averaged pleasant, though complaint of hard times, dull trade, and want of employment at remunerative price, goes up like smoke of incence, and that somebody else is to blame, is the only faith on which the many can agree. Dr. Barton Spear has gone to an insane asylum at Chicago, and Mr. Ide has suddenly become demented. Dr. Palmer is on the sick list again and proposes to try what Florida's climate can do for him this winter. Petty thieving is epidemic, and any thing left out of doors depreciates in value with its owner if found all right in the morning.

ONSTED ODDS.

Last Sabbath we were agreeably surprised to see our former pastor Elder Linderman in the pulpit and listen to one of his pleasing discourses. He was pastor here and in Rome some twelve years ago; at present and since that time he has been in Penn. He is out to attend the memorial services of his lately departed wife, which were held last Sunday evening at the Free Will Baptist church of Rome, with large attendance. He has the heartfelt sympathy of all.

Building still progresses.

Mr. Verrie, foreman of the bridge men on this road, has his building well commenced. It is located between the meat market and Mr. Glenn's store on Main street and will be quite an addition to Onsted.

The carpenter work on Mr. Snow's house is being done by Mr. Charles Smith and is nearly completed. The house is just north of the one he sold to Mr. H. Pulver and similar to that, very tasty, and will be another addition to the place.

Messrs Charles and Marsh have their stock of hardware in and a good stock it is; we wish them the success they deserve.

A short time since, Fred Morton's pony got away from near Mr. Gibb's store, ran north to the corner, turned east for a mile dash, then south for another mile, then west for a third mile, and again south for the home stretch, bringing up at home with cap, buggy and everything in taste. We think the pony has some thorough-bred in her to run four mile heats.

Monday evening those waiting for the train were detained longer than usual. The reason was plain when the train came as there were eleven cars of coal between the engine and coaches. The morning freight could not bring them, and suppose they had to be got out.

Chas. Marshal, our blacksmith has his brother John helping him now and they seem to be busy all the time.

The much and long needed rain descended on this place last Saturday afternoon and night, and the benefit derived therefrom is incalculable; we never have seen corn grow as fast.

We are inclined to think that Michigan is moving toward the torrid zone or is there already, as the mercury for the past week or longer has stood at 90° or more; Tuesday 96°.

There is considerable of a country village about Monroe. Cows are permitted peacefully to pasture in its streets, and all its pretty girls chew gum, as witness the following from the Monroe Democrat:

It seems to be in the air—that is chewing gum. About every woman and girl in town has a "gob of gum" in her mouth. Their tongues wag and their jaws come together like a pair of steam shears. And they keep moving from morning until night, only stopping long enough to eat their meals. The other day a young lady from the country was in the city, and before entering a store to do some trading threw out her "cud." A little urchin saw it fall and ran to pick it up. He missed his calculation, stubbed his toe, and fell head foremost into the gutter, nearly splitting his head and dislocating his wrist. Boys ought to be careful of what they try to pick up on the streets.

It is a curious fact that the Magazine of American History has been obliged to print a third edition of its July number to meet the extraordinary demand for its eight introductory "War Studies." The articles on the Seventh Regiment of New York have created no little comment.

Some good races are promised on the new fair ground track at Adrian next Saturday forenoon.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT, JULY 1, 1885.

For this report returns have been received from 1095 correspondents, representing 740 townships. Six hundred and sixty-three of these returns are from 425 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

The probable total yield of wheat in Michigan the present year is 25,373,682 bushels. These figures are found by multiplying the number of acres in wheat in each county, in May, as returned to this office by supervisors, by the average yield per acre in each county as estimated by crop correspondents. This estimated yield per acre, is 356,407 bushels more than the yield in 1884. The yield per acre as estimated, for the southern four tiers of counties is 17 and 27-hundredths bushels, and for the northern counties 16 and 39-hundreths bushels.

The correspondents in their notes with few exceptions, report the wheat in a very promising condition. The Hessian fly is present in a number of localities,—in greatest numbers in the southwestern part of the State where it has so greatly damaged the crop in former years,—and frost has also done some damage, particularly in Berrien county, but neither fly nor frost will noticeably affect the crop in the State.

The total number of bushels of wheat harvested in the State in 1884 was 25,017,275, of which 21,510,679 bushels were grown in the southern four tiers of counties, 3,506,596 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. The yield in the southern section was 239,807 bushels less, and in the northern section 112,483 bushels more than estimated in this office in October, 1884. The number of acres reported in wheat the present year is 1,480,055.

These figures for nearly 95 per cent of all the townships in the State, are taken from the returns of supervisors to this office, and are estimated for the remaining townships, 23 of which are in the Upper Peninsula and only ten in the southern four tiers of counties. The ten townships in the southern four tiers of counties for which estimates have been made are Casco in Allegan, Albion in Calhoun, Westhalia in Clinton, Hanlin in Eaton, Summit in Jackson, Wyoming in Kent, Georgetown in Ottawa, Antwerp in VanBuren, Northfield in Washtenaw, and Springwells in Wayne county.

Reports have been received of the quantity of wheat marketed by farmers during the month of June at 163 elevators and mills. Of these 147 are in the southern four tiers of counties, which is 31 per cent of the whole number of elevators and mills in these counties. The total number of bushels reported marketed is 297,506, of which 100,307 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 105,390 bushels in the second tier; 36,562 bushels in the third tier; 39,381 bushels in the fourth tier, and 15,866 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. At 24 elevators and mills, or 15 per cent of the whole number from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in the eleven months, August—June, is 8,468,513.

In the southern four tier of counties eight per cent, and in the northern counties five per cent,—nearly 1,900,000 bushels, of the 1884 wheat crop is yet in farmers' hands.

The condition of other crops, expressed in per cent of condition one year ago, is, for the State, as follows: Corn, 87; oats, 96; barley, 93; clover, meadows and pastures, 92; timothy, meadows and pastures, 92; clover sowed this year 95. The condition of corn compared with vitality and growth of average years is 85. Thirteen per cent of the corn planted failed to grow.

Apples, in the southern four tiers of counties promise 52 per cent, and in northern counties 62 per cent of an average crop.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 11, 1885:

Estate of Abner G. Pierce, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing August 10.

Estate of Laura P. Pierce, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing August 10.

Estate of Peter Y. Mecereau, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Olive H. Chittenden, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing August 10.

Estate of Worster Smith, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Daniel Gambee, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing August 10.

Estate of James P. Wilkins, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration de bonis non, with the will annexed, issued.

Estate of Lela M. Powell, et al., minors; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of David Cooley, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing August 17.

Estate of Hiram C. Colbath, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; order of an allowance for support of widow.

Estate of Sumner F. Spofford, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $1000.

Estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until July 27.

Estate of Daniel O'Conner, deceased; appointment of guardian ad litem; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

RE-ORGANIZED.

The Old Lenawee Soldiers' and Sailors' Association Revived.

A meeting was held in the hall of the Workingmen's association, in Adrian Monday, for the purpose of re-organizing the Lenawee County Soldiers' and Sailors' Association, which was, last year, merged into the G. A. R. association, held at Devils lake. The meeting was called for 10 A. M., but it was thought best by those present to adjourn until afternoon. This was done.

There were some forty or fifty old soldiers present when the meeting assembled after dinner. The meeting was organized by calling C. R. Miller to the chair. A. W. Mills, of Tecumseh, was made secretary. A statement of the action under which the county organization was merged into the G. A. R. association was made by Capt. Graves.

The question of re-organizing then came up for discussion. There was a very general expression in favor of re-organization, and a motion to that effect was put on its passage. The motion included the adoption of the constitution and by-laws of the old association. After considerable discussion the motion was carried unanimously.

After the reading of the constitution and by-laws, a motion was passed, adopting all amendments noted in the records of the old organization, up to the date of its formal disbandment. A committee consisting of H. M. Parker, R. B. Robbins and A. W. Mills was appointed to examine the records of the association, and suggest such changes and amendments as may be deemed necessary, and report at the first regular meeting of the association.

The election of officers for the organization resulted as follows:

President—R. B. Robbins.
Vice Pres.—H. M. Parker.
Secretary—A. W. Mills.
Treasurer—M. T. Cole.

For Second Vice Presidents—1st. ward, Adrian, C. R. Miller; 2d ward Chas. M. Cone; 3d ward, P. B. Reasoner; 4th ward, J. B. Allan; Adrian, M. L. Robinson; Blissfield, Dayton Parker; Clinton, Darwin Bainbridge; Cambridge, Samuel Morey; Dover, Darwin Warren; Deerfield, Byron Stansbury; Fairfield, H. B. Robb; Franklin, Albert Camburn; Hudson, Ed. Southworth; Madison, Wm. D. Myers; Medina, not represented; Macon, Horace Burger; Ogden, A. J. Hodges; Palmyra, Lucius Alexander; Raisin, James Cairns; Ridgeway, John Britton; Riga, J. D. Ward; Rome, George Fleming; Rollin, not represented; Seneca, C. B. Morgan; Tecumseh S. P. Hosmer; Woodstock, J. H. Underwood.

It was voted that no other meeting of the association be held this year.

On motion the president, vice president, secretary and treasurer were appointed a committee to fix upon the time and place for holding the meeting of the association for the year 1886. Thirty-one names were registered and dues paid on same as members of the new organization. The meeting then adjourned.—Times.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The State Teachers' Institute for Lenawee County will be held at Adrian, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, Aug. 17, and closing 4 P. M., Friday, Aug. 28. Mr. A. E. Curtis, Adrian, local committee. It is becoming a well established fact that an interchange of views, such as is given in these Institutes, is of great practical benefit to those who attend them. The teachers that are found in the front ranks of their profession are generally those who take interest enough in their work to avail themselves of such means of improvement. The institute law allows teachers, whose schools are in session at the time appointed for the County Institute, held under the direction of the State Superintendent, to close their schools during the continuance of such Institute without forfeiting their wages for as many half days as they are in attendance at the Institute. This removes a cause that has prevented many teachers from attending these Institutes in the past; and in view of the inducements to self-improvement thus furnished by the law, County Examiners and School Boards will both exercise wisdom and practise justice by giving preference to those teachers, other things being equal, who seek all such means to better prepare themselves for the work of their profession. It is designed to make the work in these Institutes as practical as possible, and thus meet the wants of the teachers of all grades in their every-day work. At the same time it will be the purpose of every worker to raise the standard of the profession of teaching, and to gain for it that dignity to which it is entitled. Especial attention will be given to such subjects as have been recently added to the list of those in which teachers are required to pass examination before obtaining certificates. The exercises will be conducted by persons of extended experience, known ability, and eminent success. The morning and afternoon sessions will be devoted to the discussion of topics of particular interest to teachers, while the evening lectures will be of a popular character. There will be no tuition or enrollment fee.—Full particulars in regard to board, etc., may be obtained upon application to the local committee.

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CHARLEY ADAM.

Sylvia's Guardian;

—OR—

A YOUNG GIRL'S LOVE.

BY BERT WINWOOD.

"Miss Dreeme is wanted in the reception-room," announced one of the older teachers, in a loud, monotonous voice.

Sylvia rose from her seat at the open window, through which the soft May air drifted sparely. At least a score of girls were variously grouped in the school-room, but she instantly set apart from all. At the moment of the interruption she had just erected a charming air-castle, and was peopling it according to her poetic fancy.

"Who is it, Miss Briggs?" she eagerly inquired. "My guardian?"

Miss Briggs could not say. She had simply been sent with the message, and had delivered it.

The girl's heart was beating rapidly as she stole down the stairs and along the gloomy old hall. What would her unknown guardian be like? A thousand times had she pictured him in her dreams. She imagined him tall and straight, with a strong, earnest face, dark hair and eyes full of tenderness and truth—a kind, manly man, one upon whom it would be a pleasure to lean.

Would he equal her expectations? A mist rose before Sylvia's eyes as she stood at the door of the reception-room, afraid to advance. Her life had been so lonely and sorrowful, poor child, and she had such need of friends. It was easy to fancy the happiness of her future was at stake.

"Come in, Miss Dreeme," said the authoritative voice of Madam Pinkney, the lady principal. "I wish to present you to Mrs. Dalton."

Sylvia drew a deep breath, and the mist was gone in a moment. Sitting bolt upright, just across the apartment, she beheld a thin, angular figure, primly dressed in drab-colored silk. For an instant a pair of cold, light-blue eyes seemed to transfix her with their searching gaze.

"I fancied my guardian, Mr. Castleton, had come for me," she faltered, feeling a vague sense of disappointment.

The lady frowned.

"I am here in my nephew's stead. We decided between us that I was the proper person to act as chaperon."

Sylvia had never heard of Mrs. Dalton before. But she had called Mr. Castleton "nephew," so she made an effort to overcome her instinctive dislike of the woman.

"Do you live at Ingleside? And are you come to take me home with you?"

"Yes," Mrs. Dalton replied to both questions. "I reside with my nephew, and you are to go back with me. Though why Mark should consent to burden himself with a hoydenish schoolgirl is more than I can understand. It was very selfish and inconsiderate of your father to leave you to his care. He was no relation, and had not the shadow of a claim upon him."

The girl's eyes filled with sudden tears.

"I loved my father very dearly," she said, a tremor in her voice. "At the last he was greatly concerned about my future, and fancied this was the best thing he could do for me."

"No doubt," sarcastically. "He knew all about my nephew's long purse and kind heart. Of course he was very fortunate in being able to fasten you upon a person of Mark's wealth and generosity."

A deep flush rose to Sylvia's beautiful face. Was her hunger for sympathy and love to be answered in this way? She felt a momentary temptation to turn her back upon the hard, cold woman, and go out into the world to struggle by herself.

"Papa left some money," she said. "I am sure he never intended I should be a burden upon any body."

"Humph! I doubt if there is enough to keep you out of the poorhouse a week, if left to your own resources. But it is no affair of mine. How soon can you have your boxes ready? I do not propose wasting an unnecessary moment here."

"I will send one of my servants to Miss Dreeme's assistance," interposed Madam Pinkney. "Half an hour will suffice in which to complete her preparations and say her adieux." In the next breath she added, conciliatingly: "Miss Dreeme was considered one of my most promising pupils. She has real talents and ability. You will find her a pleasant addition to your home circle, Mrs. Dalton."

"Allow me to say that I am the best judge of what is agreeable or otherwise. The girl looks to me like a young savage. Her presence is one of the evils my nephew's soft-heartedness has rendered necessary, and must be endured—for the present."

Sylvia turned sadly away. She was ashamed to weep, but all the beautiful castles she had built in air had tumbled about her head since entering the reception-room, and she felt like one gazing across a pile of gloomy ruins.

Mrs. Dalton scarcely spoke to her during the brief, lonesome journey, but sat primly-erect, pretending to be absorbed in the scenery. The few glances with which she favored her were any thing but friendly ones.

It was early evening when they reached Ingleside, a handsome old-fashioned house toward which the city had crept with giant strides, and now completely encircled. Mrs. Dalton led the way to a large, pleasant chamber on the second floor.

"I shall come for you in ten minutes," she said, ere departing. "Mr. Castleton is at home, and will expect to see you this evening."

Sylvia wearily bathed her face, and brushed out the clinging curls of nut-brown hair. She could not help thinking how wan and hopeless was the face that looked back at her from the depths of the mirror. No trace of the morning's dreamy brightness was left.

When Mrs. Dalton came for her she followed the woman listlessly. All the interest she had felt in her unknown guardian was gone. For a moment after being ushered into the spacious library where he sat she did not even look up.

"And this is my ward, Sylvia Dreeme? Welcome to Ingleside."

The voice was winning, musical and kind. For her life Sylvia could not have resisted the impulse to drop her fluttering white hand into that so cordially extended.

Then she raised her eyes. An involuntary cry broke from her. Tall and straight, with a strong, earnest face and eyes beaming with tenderness and truth—the ideal of her dreams was there before her! With this only difference. She had mentally pictured a man past middle-age, and Mark Castleton could not have been a day over thirty.

"You seem startled," he said, looking at her earnestly. "Is any thing amiss?"

The girl returned a stammering reply, a deep flush of embarrassment upon her face. Fortunately, Mrs. Dalton came to her relief with one of her tart remarks.

"I have brought Miss Dreeme home with me, Mark, according to your insolent orders. What is to be done with her now she is here?"

"Make her as comfortable and happy as possible," was the smiling rejoinder.

Mrs. Dalton gave her head a toss.

"That is easily done. All a schoolgirl wants is plenty to eat and leisure to do as she pleases."

The firm, warm hand closed over Sylvia's with a lingering pressure.

"Poor child," he said, in a kind tone, "I know you are quite alone in the world. I wish you to feel that Ingleside is a home to you in every sense of the word."

The girl's lonely heart went out to him at once.

"You knew my father," she said, tears welling into her lovely eyes. "I am glad of that. It makes you seem less a stranger."

"Yes. We met abroad, and were comrades in many a pilgrimage. A strong attachment grew up between us. It is real pleasure to befriend Randolph Dreeme's daughter."

"I—I—was afraid you might think me a burden."

His grave, kind eyes lingered upon her face a moment.

"Any thing but that, Sylvia. Never again entertain such a thought."

Mrs. Dalton seemed to think it time to interpose.

"You have not questioned the child in regard to the use she has made of her opportunities," she said, tartly. "They have been wasted, of course. It is always the way."

Mr. Castleton looked at her with an amused smile.

"Did not Madam Pinkney have a good report to make?"

"She said all she could conscientiously. But that was very little."

"What shall I do, Aunt Margaret? Catechise my ward in French, German and Italian?"

"You might ask her to play and sing," Mrs. Dalton answered, with a disdainful shrug. "It will be a fair test of her ability."

Mr. Castleton again took possession of the hand he had released a moment before.

"There is a piano in the next room," he said, in a tone of mock gravity. "Sylvia shall be put to the crucial test immediately."

There was a wistful expression in the girl's eyes as they questioned his on the way out. As if in answer to it, he bent and whispered:

"It is better to humor Aunt Margaret. Do not let her make you unhappy. Her bark is much worse than her bite."

Mrs. Dalton was close behind them. She selected the most difficult piece of music on the rack.

"Play this, Miss Dreeme."

At first Sylvia's touch was soft and light as a snow-flake. But as the theme grew in intensity the heavy chords thundered and reverberated through the apartment. Even Mrs. Dalton drew back astonished. Never had she listened to such playing from an amateur.

"Some persons play well who have no voice for singing," she said, biting her lip as she again tossed over the innumerable sheets of music. "Here is an air from one of the Italian operas. Do you feel equal to undertaking it?"

"I will do the best I can," Sylvia answered, sweetly.

Her singing was perfection. The fresh, clear voice floated through the room, filling the whole house with sweet, subtle melody. With the first note Mrs. Dalton realized that she had made a mistake in urging the matter, and fell back with an ominous tightening of her thin lips. Was the young girl in league with the evil one to be so remarkably gifted?

Mr. Castleton had stood by, perfectly silent, but with a changing face. When Sylvia would have risen from the piano, he came a step nearer.

"Will you sing once more—an English song?" he said, in a low tone.

Sylvia selected one at random. Mr. Castleton was now standing where she could see his face. She saw him start at the first word, and grow deadly pale. As the song proceeded, he leaned against the wall and covered his face with his hands.

What did his agitation mean? Had the song awakened unpleasant recollections? Should she desist?

Suddenly Mrs. Dalton swept her fingers from the keys with no gentle movement.

"What possessed you to choose that song?" she sharply whispered. "Never let me hear it again."

Sylvia rose hurriedly. As she stood at the window, trying to control her beating pulses, Mr. Castleton crossed to her side. Though paler than usual, he was again the calm, self-possessed man of the world.

"You sing and play remarkably well, Sylvia. It is a rare gift. I wish to thank you for the pleasure you have given me."

Pleasure mixed with pain? Sylvia so fancied. After lingering a moment longer, he abruptly quitted the room.

Mrs. Dalton waited until the echo of his step died away, then coldly said:

"I may as well offer a word of explanation. Mark quarrelled with the lady he loved—or, rather, she with him. It amounts to the same thing. She went abroad, and is somewhere in Europe now. She and Mark used to sing that song together."

"How could she leave him?" Sylvia faltered, conscious of a vague thrill of pain.

Mrs. Dalton gave her a sharp glance. "Isabel Grier is a very proud woman. Having taken a false step, I believe she would sooner die than make the first overtures toward reconciliation."

"I never believed in that sort of pride."

"Did you not?" her lip taking a scornful curve. "Well, we are not all constituted alike."

That night Sylvia thought more than was good for her of Mark Castleton and the lady love from whom he had been so cruelly severed. All the romance of her nature had been aroused.

"He must have been very fond of this Isabel Grier," she told herself. "The wound has not been wholly healed. It may never be." And she sighed, without in the least knowing why.

Several days wore on. The grave kindness of her guardian won upon Sylvia hourly. They walked and drove together, and sometimes spent whole mornings in the library, reading some favorite author. At last it came to be quite the rule to seek refuge from Mrs. Dalton's sneers and coldness in the society of Mark Castleton.

"You fill a niche that was empty before you came," he said one day, looking at her with a deep light in his handsome eyes. "I could not spare you now."

A deep flush rose on her cheeks.

"Ingleside is the first real home I have known since papa died."

"You are happy here, Sylvia?"

"O, very happy."

"I am glad of that. You must never leave us."

The sweet dream of content was soon to be broken. Mrs. Dalton was a shrewd woman, and soon saw in what direction guardian and ward were drifting. It did not suit her plans that the child she had affected to despise should ever remain at Ingleside as mistress in her stead. The next morning, as Sylvia was gathering dew-wet violets in the garden, she came down the walk and paused beside her.

"Have you formed any plans for the future, Miss Dreeme?" she inquired, after a few idle remarks had passed on both sides.

"No," Sylvia answered, with a careless laugh. "Like the birds and the flowers, I have taken no thought of to-morrow."

Mrs. Dalton frowned.

"That is unwise in a person endowed with reason. Of course you cannot expect to remain here forever, as you are now."

"Why not?" said the girl, looking up with a start.

"Why not?" mimicked her tormentor. "Your own good sense should tell you the reason. The bread of dependence must be sweet to your palate."

"What do you mean, Mrs. Dalton?"

"Do you not know that you are living here upon charity? That Mark's money pays for the food you eat and the clothes you wear? I fancied enough had been said upon this subject before you came."

Sylvia had almost forgotten it. She could not bring herself to believe the woman's cruel words had any real foundation.

"It is not possible that papa left me penniless," she faltered, her sweet face growing very pale.

"The beggarly sum he left you was spent long ago. I have investigated the subject. Mark has even paid some of your school-bills. If you have any spirit, you will decline becoming indebted to him further."

Mrs. Dalton turned coldly away. Having dropped her Parthian arrow, she was satisfied to await the result.

Poor Sylvia! It was a cruel awakening. Sinking down beside the sweet-smelling violets, she shed the bitterest tears of her lifetime.

She could not live upon Mr. Castleton's bounty another hour. She must leave Ingleside at once—her dear, happy home. She could teach, give music-lessons, or, with her voice, go upon the stage. Many ways of self-support were open to her.

In her abstraction she failed to hear the step descending the walk. It paused beside her; a hand fell lightly upon her bowed head.

"Why, Sylvia, my little friend, what is the matter?"

Mr. Castleton's voice! The poor girl started up, flushing with shame, and trembling with misery.

"Mr. Castleton, I wish to know the truth," she said, in a tone of gentle dignity. "Upon what terms am I living at Ingleside? What was the amount of the bequest left by my father?"

He drew back, visibly startled and embarrassed.

"Really, Sylvia, I am unable to say. I should be compelled to look over my accounts and—"

"You can tell me whether the money has all been used or not," she interrupted.

No answer. He stood looking at her wistfully, his face full of sympathy and might have told me," she sobbed. "It was not kind to let me remain under such a delusion, unknowingly living upon your charity."

His face changed.

"What difference did it make, Sylvia? I have enough and to spare. I hoped you would never know. It was a real pleasure to be able to do you a service."

She turned, trying in vain to suppress her sobs.

"I cannot remain at Ingleside, Mr. Castleton. You must realize the necessity of a change as fully as I do."

"But I will not let you leave me."

With a hasty stride he stood beside her, and was encircling her trembling figure with his arms.

"Sylvia, my darling, you do not know how you have brightened the old place by your presence. It has been like paradise since you came. Do not go. I will not permit it. Remain as—my wife."

For a moment her brain seemed to reel. It was so sudden, so unexpected. Growing deadly white, she lifted her startled eyes to his face.

"You cannot mean it, Mr. Castleton?"

"I do," he answered, in a fervid tone. "Your girlish beauty and innocence have won upon me from the first. A strong, deep passion has grown up in my heart. I should be very miserable if you left me."

She was looking at him steadily, but a sharp pang shot through her heart.

"I do not understand," she faltered. "I had been told that—that—you loved another."

"I fancied I did," he said, in a low voice. "But now I doubt. That feverish dream was different from the deep, abiding passion I feel now. But why speak or even think of it? Aunt Margaret told you the story, I suppose? It is well that you know it. Isabel Grier is as one dead to me. I never expect to see her again. You can be all and more to me than she has ever been."

What response was Sylvia to make? The tingling sweetness that seemed to shoot through her veins told its own story. Her head dropped against his shoulder, and she breathed a sigh of sweet content.

Never had Mrs. Dalton been more startled than when her handsome nephew led Sylvia into the cheerful morning-room where she sat, an hour later, and said, in his even tones:

"Miss Dreeme has consented to become a fixture at Ingleside. Not as my ward, but as my wife."

At first she could utter no word, but a ghastly smile slowly parted her thin lips.

"You are disposed to jest, I perceive," she faltered. "I must say, Mark, that I consider it in very bad taste."

Rising hastily, she left the room. Mr. Castleton and Sylvia looked smilingly into each other's face. They were too happy to care.

The week that went by was like a happy dream to the young girl. She flitted about the house gay and careless as a bird. Love had entered her heart, and the whole world was transformed. She seemed to be living a new life, as different from the old as day differs from night.

Mrs. Dalton utterly ignored the new relation that had grown up between the young people. It was part of her worldly-wise policy.

Sylvia felt like one who, having passed through storm and flood, com suddenly into calm waters, and sunlight, and a beautiful smiling sky. The chivalrous love of Mark Castleton was like a haven of rest. No more lonely hours or homesick longings. The memory of sweet content was fair.

One day Mark sat in his library alone, thinking of the new love that had blessed his life. "This new dream is a thousand times more precious than the old," he said to himself.

A servant entered with a letter. He turned deadly pale as he glance l at the superscription. Surely he recognized the handwriting?

Tearing it open, he read these words:

DEAR MARK,—I have returned from abroad my foolish pride lies at my feet in the dust. It was impossible to enjoy the romantic scenes of the old world while the weight of your displeasure rested upon me. From the moment I landed upon European soil my heart ached with an irresistible longing for America, and—you. It would have been death to remain, so I am back again. I know you love me as well as ever, and I never understood my own heart half so perfectly. The blame of that lovers quarrel was all mine, and I am ready to make all the reparation. I shall be with you nearly as soon as this letter. ISABEL.

The letter fell from his hand. He knew by the way his heart beat that the old spell had not lost its power. What was he to do? Ingleside was the last place for Isabel to come to, under the circumstances; but she was already on the way, and he did not know how or when to intercept her.

"She is a very proud woman," he groaned. "She will never forgive me."

Suddenly the thought of Mrs. Dalton came like an inspiration. The woman was a distant relative of Isabel's. She should receive the girl, and take her away to some quiet place until the first shock of disappointment had worn away.

He had just come to this conclusion when a sudden bustle became audible in the hall, and a woman's graceful figure, exquisitely clad in silks and laces, appeared in the open door.

"Dear Mark! I am so glad—so happy—so relieved to be back again, and—"

It was Isabel herself. The letter had been delayed, and she had arrived at almost the same moment.

Her trembling voice died away. Before Mark could speak or rise, she had tottered forward, and clasping her arms about his neck, hidden her tear-wet face upon his breast.

"Forgive me, Mark," she sobbed. "I have been so wretched without you! Tell me that all is forgiven and forgotten."

The proud, stately woman clung to him with all the abandon of an impetuous child.—Mark felt himself thrill and tremble under her caressing touch. Great drops came out thickly upon his forehead. She was so proud, so very beautiful! Her dark, brilliant eyes, when presently she raised them to his, were so full of pathetic pleading! How could he tell her in so many words that she had come too late?

For the moment, all his hopes and wishes seemed to be centred in Isabel. Coldness and distrust were forgotten. She never looked half so lovely or attractive.

"Heaven help us!" he faltered. "My poor darling, you do not know—"

She stopped his lips with an impetuous kiss.

"I can divine all you would say. You are still thinking of that miserable misunderstanding. Have I not taken all the blame to myself? I did wrong, but I have been cruelly punished. Do you forgive me, or shall I go down on my knees to sue for pardon?"

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FASHION NOTES.

The Trifling Things That Please Those Who Would be Well Dressed.

The jersey is worn only for demi toilet.

Canvas and lace-woven stuffs are all the rage.

Tucked skirts are much worn here and in Europe.

Jersey webbing cloth is used for many bathing suits.

Bathing suits grow more fanciful from season to season.

Copper, steel and lead tinsel braids trim many seaside ramble suits.

The scarf of gold shot etamine is the favorite seaside hat trimming.

The pretty Gretchen dress for little girls is as popular this as last season.

There is a steady tendency to return to the style of dress of fifty years ago.

Tinsel cord is to take the place of tinsel braid in dress and millinery next fall.

Fancy red bathing suits brought from Paris are occasionally seen on our beaches.

There is a tendency to retain the pouf and looped skirt drapery by Paris dressmakers.

Short jackets, opening over full baby waists, are worn at seaside and country resorts.

Mitts are not worn with dressy costumes this summer. They are relegated to the house and negligee toilet.

The Princess or Gabrielle form of dress for little girls is moribund. It can not survive another season.

Double folds of canvas etamine, instead of linen collars, are worn as neck lingerie with traveling suits.

Fashions in dress are more various and individualized in Washington than in any fashionable city in the world.

Red and blue remain the favorite colors for combination in seaside wraps and frocks for ordinary wear along the beach.

Color on the edge is considered the proper and desirable thing in percale, linen, or lace collars and cuffs, for traveling wear.

Some ladies prefer a red silk bandanna kerchief, or one of plain Turkey red cotton, to any other covering for the head when bathing.

Sashes of moire, surah, and all sorts of soft, crapy silken and woolen stuffs are in high favor, and are worn in almost every style preferred.

Colored and white lawn collars, pleated and soft laundered, not stiff with starch, are taking the place of white linen bands for traveling and morning wear.

Bathing caps and hats are in fanciful shapes, and are variously of red and white-striped wool, gossamer rubber cloth, gray or black, and red or yellow oiled silk and coarse straw.

The latest fancy in bead ornamentation is to put pendant strands of copper or lead beads or porcelain imitations of the same on red serge and red flannel jackets for seaside wear.

Baby waists gathered on to yokes and belts at the waist line, worn with full gathered or pleated skirts, which may be tucked and trimmed with embroidery, but not flounced, are the features of little girls' dresses.

American bathing suits are very plain blouses with medium length skirts and half-long trousers; dark blue and gray are the preferred colors, with white or red braid for trimming. Serge flannel is the material.

The dress skirt, when not draped, is now generally sewed on the bottom of the bodice, whether it is round or pointed, and pleated are less fashionable on the other side than those that are shirred or gauges on to the waist.

Undressed kid or Suede gloves in tan shade remain the favorite wear for dressy toilets, but fine silk gloves in tan shades are also worn with such dresses, while fine lisle thread gloves are considered the correct wear with wash fabric frocks, no matter how handsome the make or material.

As a rule, hats for the seaside are fantastic and eccentric to the last degree, but some are seen in simple round shapes of white, soft Japanese straw, trimmed with only a scarf and bow of white or tinted mull or lace and fastened with gilt pins.—*N. Y. Sun.*

E. ST. JOHN.

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President R. R. Cable, of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, has issued the following important notice: "Mr. E. St. John is hereby appointed assistant to the General Manager. The General Ticket and Passenger Departments will remain under the jurisdiction of Mr. St. John as formerly, and all communications in connection with those departments should be addressed to him as General Ticket and Passenger Agent."

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—A new county in Dakota, Brown by name, has 109 schools and ninety-seven school houses.

—General Eaton estimated that there are now 18,061 young women students in the colleges of the United States.—*Chicago Journal.*

—The first Protestant Episcopal ordination in America was held by Bishop Seabury, in Christ Church, Middletown, Conn., on August 3, 1785.—*Hartford Post.*

—The Law Department of the University of Virginia has ninety-one students the present session. Last year there were thirty-one graduates.

—During the last nine years France has spent nearly forty-five millions of dollars in increasing and reorganizing her university institutions.

—The pupils of the Sandwich (Mass.) High School recently dedicated two elm trees of their own planting to the honor of Dr. Oliver W. Holmes and John G. Whittier.

—A New Testament, of 1618, containing notes in Baxter's handwriting, was lately presented to the corporation of Kidderminster, England, where Richard Baxter was settled in 1640.

—Despite the approaching publication of the Revised Version, the British Bible Society last year issued no less than 4,161,032 Bibles, Testaments and portions.—*Chicago Current.*

—In a late sermon, Sam Jones, the Southern wonder, said: "A man needn't burn down churches and curse preachers in order to stay out of Heaven. All he has to do is to refuse to go on the gospel train."

—The benediction of the Hospital of St. Barnabas, and the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the organization of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New Jersey, took place recently. The Bishop and large numbers of the clergy and laity were in attendance.

—The University of New Mexico has for one of its departments an Indian Industrial School. The American Missionary Association has voted it an annual appropriation of $3,000 for the support of teachers. Congress has voted $25,000 for the erection of buildings. Considerable amounts have been given by private persons.

—In an article in the *Journal of Education* it is stated that the City of Mexico has a system of municipal schools for both sexes, with a course of study extending to preparation for professional study. The schools occupy in great part old convents and other ecclesiastical edifices which have been secularized. The salaries of teachers range from five hundred to two thousand dollars a year. In the highest institution there are eleven hundred pupils.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—The log drives on the Mattawaumkeag River, in Maine, aggregate 10,000,000 feet.

—The private path of elopement generally leads to the public highway of the divorce court.—*N. Y. Journal.*

—The Dark Ages:

In those old days when wrangling men
Flung down their clanging gages
There were so many knights, since then,
They have been called dark ages.
—*Life.*

—Judge—How old are you, madam? Witness—I have no personal knowledge of my age, and hearsay testimony, I understand, is not accepted in this court.—*Boston Beacon.*

—A successful dentist in a Western city is named Leggo. When he began to pull, the other day, the owner of the tooth which had been hunted down cried out "Hold on!"—*Chicago Current.*

—A Bridgeport druggist claims to have discovered a compound which, applied to a base ball, will make it luminous. Such a compound will fill a long-felt want, for with its help base-ballists can play all night long.—*Boston Globe.*

—A Burlington boy, who can imitate a cat to the life, has secured quite a number of boots and shoes, besides other bric-a-brac, by the exercise of his talents under people's windows after dark. He supplies the whole family with footwear.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—At the Museum of Fine Arts. Fashionable Young Woman: "Is that a good picture?" Fashionable Young Man: "I'm sure I don't know. If they had any sense they would mark 'em, at least in the catalogue. G might stand for good, B for bad, and so on, you know. Would help visitors immensely."—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Gone to the Bad Place. "Good mornin', Mrs. Murphy." "Good mornin', Mrs. Gilhooly." "Hev yer heard the news, Mrs. Murphy?" "Phat news, Mrs. Gilhooly." "The O'Lannihans has gone ter Chicago." "Ter Chicago?" "Yes." "Och hone, och hone! I always thought that family wud come to some bad end."—*Toronto Mail.*

—W. F. Andross, of Hartford, Conn., believes that potato bugs do a service for the farmer in pruning the vines, if they are not allowed to go too far. That's just our opinion exactly, but when the bugs get into our potato field we consider that they are going too far. So long as they confine their operations to our neighbor's premises we haven't a word to say against them.—*Boston Transcript.*

DIDN'T KNOW HER.

Reasons Why an Arkansaw Negro Couldn't Swear That He Was Well Acquainted With His Wife.

"Do you know this woman?" asked a lawyer of a negro who had been summoned to testify before court.

"Yas, sah, I knows her."

"Do you know here very intimately?"

"No, sah, kain't say dat I do."

"How long have you known her?"

"Wall, I got er 'quainted wid her er short time before I married her."

"She's your wife, then?"

"Yas, sah, sorter."

"Thought you did not know her intimately?"

"Dat's whut I jackerlated."

"I don't understand, then, how she can be your wife."

"Wall, yer see, sah, she 'longs tew de church, de singin' s'ciety, de Sisters o' de Sacred Broom, de Daughters o' Ham an' two or three little side shows. Er 'oman whut is kep' so busy, sah, ain't got no time ter fool er roun' home."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

SACRIFICE OF LIFE.

The Cost in Human Life of the War of the Rebellion.

The results obtained by Mr. Kirkley, a statistician of the Adjutant General's office, compiling from all attainable sources a list of the deaths on the Union side during the war, possess a melancholy but very strong interest at this time. It has been a very difficult task to gather names for this roll. So many perished unseen and unknown; so many rotted away in Southern prisons of whom every trace is lost, that the compiler might well despair of ever completing his task with anything like an approach to accuracy.

Patience and perseverance have at last accomplished the difficult task, however, and we have in Mr. Kirkley's tables what is at least the most accurate and complete death roll yet published, if not one that is absolutely without error. The registers of a dozen Southern prisons have not been secured—those at Americus, Atlanta, Augusta, Charleston, Lynchburg, Macon, Marietta, Mobile, Montgomery, Savannah, Shreveport and Tyler—and only partial records were obtained from Cahawba, Columbia, Florence, Millen and Salisbury; but with these exceptions the roll is substantially complete.

One of the most remarkable results arrived at, at least to the reader who knows nothing practically of war, is that more than twice as many men died from disease in the army as from the shot, shell, bayonet and sword of the enemy. One hundred and ten thousand and thirty-eight officers and men were killed outright or died of their wounds; but 224,586 died of disease. The number of those who are known to have died in captivity reaches the appalling total of 29,498.

Another remarkable fact is that over fifty per cent. more men were killed in action than died of wounds, the respective numbers being 62,896 and 40,777. At least three-fourths of the wounded must have recovered, partially at least, so that they did not die during the period covered by the inquiry, which ceases with the mustering out at the end of the war. How many veterans there are still among us who carry about their bodies the marks of violence suffered during the war, let the long pension rolls testify.

Mr. Kirkley's tables are arranged by States, so that we can tell just how many lives each one contributed to the cause. New York, of course, heads the list, with a total of 46,534; Ohio comes next, with 35,475; then Illinois, with 34,384; then Pennsylvania, with 33,183, and Indiana, with 26,672. Michigan, Missouri, Massachusetts, Wisconsin, Iowa and Kentucky contributed between 10,000 and 15,000 each; all the rest less than 7,000 each.

It is worthy of remark that every State now in the Union, except South Carolina, is represented on the list, and every Territory except Utah. There are only 15 from Georgia, 42 from Virginia, 78 from Mississippi, 141 from Texas, 215 from Florida, 345 from Alabama, and 360 from North Carolina. Arkansas contributed 1,713 and Tennessee 6,777. This is exclusive of colored troops, of whom 36,847 died, and does not take in non-combatants of either color.

The grand total of known deaths in the Union army was nearly 360,000. Adding as many more for the rebel losses—probably not an overestimate—and taking into account the navies on both sides, and the prisoners who died unaccounted, we reach a total of at least 800,000 men as the cost of the war to this country—nearly one-eighth of its entire voting population.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

MEXICO.

Some Incidents of Life in the Neighboring Republic.

A Pittsburgh gentleman, who visited the "Land of the Montezumas" a few years ago, related to the writer in a recent conversation some of the strange scenes and incidents which he witnessed while there. The Mexican cart, as he described it, is, or was, probably, the most singular vehicle that ever was evolved since the barbarous ages. Neither iron nor steel enters into its composition, nor does the workman use spokeshave, plane, or augur in its construction. The only materials he requires are cottonwood and rawhide, and the only tool an axe. Two blocks, round or oblong, it makes but little difference which, form the wheels. Through these he burns holes for the axletree. The body of the cart consists of poles or flat strips of timber, fastened together with rawhide. A rough pole serves for a tongue. When in motion, the wheels wabble in every direction but the right one, and for want of grease groan so as to be heard for miles. Breakdowns are so frequent that the roads are lined with the wrecks of these primitive vehicles.

Near a spring or water-hole in the State of Durango, many years ago, was found a large stone, the only one in the vicinity. It was very heavy, but a muleteer came along who had strength enough to lift it and throw it over his head. It fell in the direction of the City of Mexico. Since then every able-bodied native regards it a religious duty to give the stone a toss toward the capital. When our informant was there he was told that the stone had been advanced forty or fifty miles on its journey. If the same rate of progression is maintained, the stone may reach its journey's end by the beginning of the next century.

Hoop poles were a legal tender in one or two of the southern counties of Indiana—Posey County for one—before the war. Soap served a like purpose in Queretaro when our informant was there. He bought some fruit from a little girl, and handed her a dollar from which to take her pay. She counted out a number of cakes of soap, wrapped them in brown paper, and passed them over as change for the dollar. Protest was useless. It was the recognized currency of the place. The cakes were probably two inches long by one and a half wide, bore the official stamp of the town where issued, and also the name of the manufacturer. They were good for their face value as long as the stamp was visible.—*Pittsburgh Dispatch.*

—Eight hundred short-horn cattle, bred in the province of Ontario, Canada, were recently shipped from Montreal to Great Britain.

A MAIL-CARRIER'S EXPERIENCE.

A great while ago—long before the late war—there was a young man who carried the mail between Madison and Macon, Georgia. His name was George Lovic. He used his eyes and ears pretty well, and never—fond as he was of a good story—told lies. To say "Bob Lovic says so" was to certify to the truth of a statement, which which was certainly to his credit; and, moreover, he was as honest as the day, and could have been entrusted with untold gold or unacounted diamonds. Morally you could not find a fault with Bob. Mentally, he was very well, for an uneducated man; but he had one great failing—great particularly in the eyes of pretty Annie Wesley, who otherwise esteemed Bob perfection. He had allied himself with a certain class of persons who term themselves "free thinkers."

This theological difference at last led to a little quarrel, and Bob tried to get Annie out of his mind, but failed to do it; and Annie was very miserable, as well for the sake of Bob's soul as for herself; for, though she had offers in plenty, not one—not even rich John Grab, who had ever so many acres of land—could be compared for a moment in her mind to Bob, had Bob only held proper sentiments.

So, though they kept apart for a whole month, at last one bright morning, as Bob rode along, slowly and stupidly for him, he saw, sitting under a tree, a little figure in a blue dress that he coudn't pass to save his life. So he stopped his horse and called out—

"Annie, is that you?"

"Yes, Bob," said Annie, showing a pair of wet eyes. "I came here on purpose to see you. I've talked in my poor weak, womanish words, but you talk so much better than I, that of course, it's of no use; and all the while there is One who talks so plainly to us, and the words are here; and I've brought them to you and please, dear Bob, to read them, and perhaps—"

She did not finish the sentence, but placed a pretty Bible in Bob's hand.

"I've had it bound very nicely for you, and oh! for my sake read it—it will teach you so much, Bob—so very much!"

Bob took the book. For a moment he felt annoyed, and much like sneering, but Annie was very dear to him; so he kept his anger down for her sake, thanked her for her present, and placed it in the breast-pocket of his coat.

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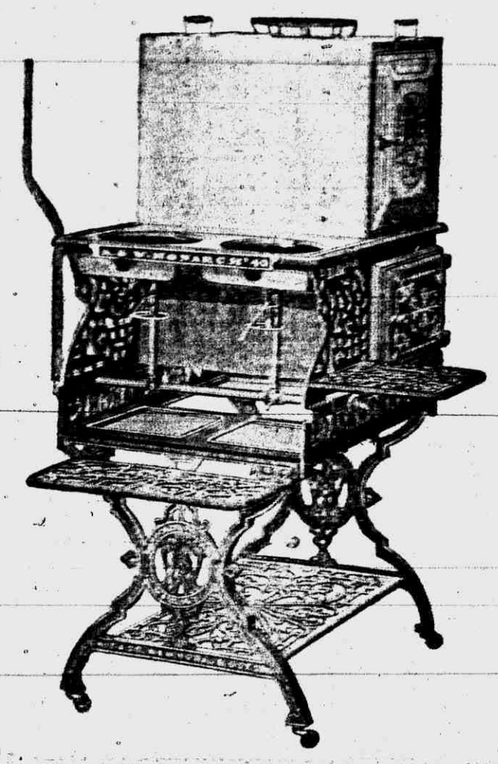

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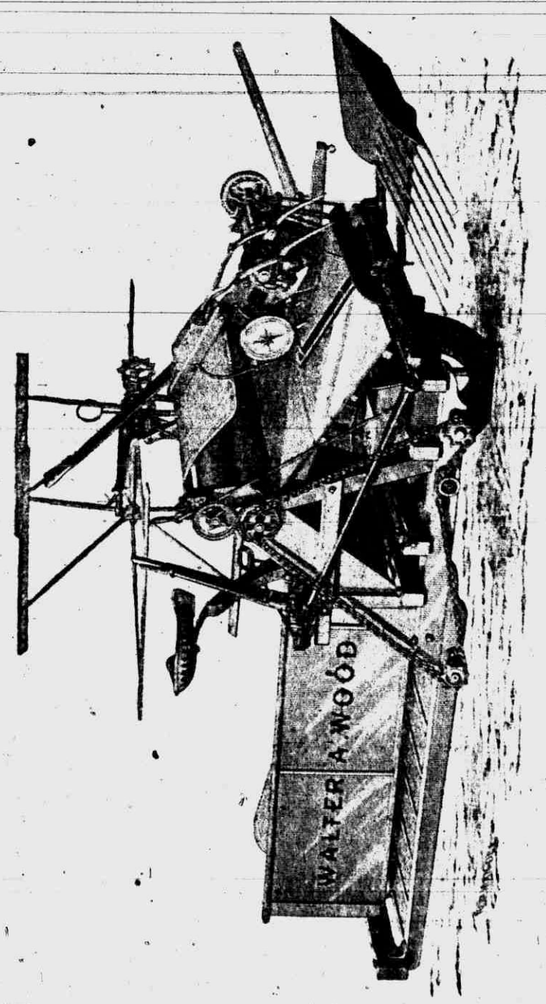

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Jackson vs. Tecumseh next Wednesday afternoon. Look out for some fine playing.

We would call special attention to our stock of glove fitting Jerseys.
W. & S. W. ANDERSON & Co.

Will McCowen has recently painted a beautiful colored crayon portrait which we had the pleasure of inspecting the other day. The subject is Laura G. Clancy, the leading lady in Davy Crockett's theatrical troup. The subject is a fine one and the picture itself is well executed.

The Tecumseh base ball club has arranged to play a game of ball with the Jackson club next Wednesday afternoon at base ball park, in this village, and the admirers of the national game may expect a rich treat. The Jacksons will put the Tray brothers in for their battery and the home team will have the best local battery in the village. The game will be called at 2:30 P. M. Admission 15c, grand stand 10c. Ladies to grand stand free.

DEATH OF CHARLES J. BREWER.

In the demise of Charley Brewer Tecumseh loses one of her most highly esteemed young business men. The deceased was thirty-eight years of age and nearly his whole live has been passed in this village. From early boyhood he has been a resident here and during all these years none knew him but to love him. We will not detail the history of his life. After passing through school he engaged in the grocery business for several years, and at his father's death he took an interest in the foundry. For the past two years he has been in feeble health and he left the office one year ago last May, never to return for active duty. On the 12th of May last he went to Hot Springs, in hopes that the climate and waters there might improve his health, but he was doomed to disappointment. He left there on the 16th of July and arrived home on Saturday, July 18th, but only survived until the Saturday following.

The funeral services were held at his residence on Union street last Sunday afternoon at six o'clock. They were conducted jointly by Revs Babbitt and Phelps. The Knights of Honor furnished an escort of twelve men and these personal friends of the deceased officiated as bearers: P. S. McKinney, S. W. Bordine, C. A. Slayton, I. S. Osborn, S. W. Anderson, Fred Rosecrans.

The hour chosen for the funeral was a beautiful one—just before sunset. Nature herself seemed to sympathize with the large number of mourners in attendance. All were mourners there. A lengthy procession followed his coffin to the grave, and just as the day melted into the shadows of twilight his remains were dropped into their final resting place.

His stricken widow and fatherless children have the heartfelt sympathy of our entire community, in this sad dispensation. An obituary notice, such as the sterling qualities of the departed deserves, will appear in these columns at some future time.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

TECUMSEH LODGE No. 870, K. of H.
July 28th, 1885.

Since the last preceding regular meeting of this Lodge, the grave has closed over what was mortal of a brother, who without ostentation has fulfilled a career of usefulness, of gentleness and manly endeavor well worthy the emulation of members of this order. Chas. J. Brewer was made a charter member of this lodge at its organization in January, 1878. He deserves to be, and will be remembered by every member of the Lodge for his fidelity to his obligations as a Knight of Honor as well as for his genial, kind and friendly nature. Renouncing aspiring ambitions, he found his highest pleasures in the quiet performance of daily duties, and did every work of heart and hand as ever in the eye of Him to whose dispensation we humbly bow.

Resolved, That we deeply deplore the loss of our esteemed brother and tender to his family and friends our sincere condolence in their affliction.

Resolved, That this memorial be spread upon the records of the lodge, and a copy transmitted to the widow of our deceased brother.

D. McNAIR,
L. G. NORTH,
C. A. SLAYTON, } Com.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 30, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

O. B. DeWolf has returned from his western trip.

Sells' circus will show at Adrian on Tuesday August 11th.

Wm. S. Wilcox, of Adrian, was in town on Friday of last week.

The fine rain of last Sunday was a good thing to potatoes and many other crops.

Remember the dance at Exelby's hall, in Britton, on Friday evening, Aug 14th.

Joe Smith has been getting up an elegant row boat to launch on the Globe pond.

This intensely hot weather will cause much sickness if it continues much longer.

Wm. Rinn is working up a good blacksmith trade at Britton. He has a fine shop there.

Swick & Co's harness store and Curry & Bostwick's barber rooms, rejoice in newly painted fronts.

J. K. Burnham, of Detroit, was in town last Friday on business. He returned on Saturday morning.

Capt. Hunt, an old resident of Macon, and father of Jas. S. Hunt, was in town last week for a short visit.

The Commercial Telegraph Co., will hold a basket picnic at Sand Lake on Thursday next, Aug. 6, 1885. All are invited.

Miss Annie M. Cottrell, of Battle Creek, formerly a teacher in our public schools, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

O. P. Bills set out last week for a trip to the City of Mexico. He expects to be gone until about the first of September.

During a flying trip to Clinton yesterday forenoon we made the Clinton Local office a call. Bro. Miles is settling down to his work well.

Daniel T. Lewis has just returned from a lengthy visit with a son in Iowa, and will take up his residence in Tecumseh for a few weeks.

The Dry Goods stock of Gainsley & Co has passed into the hands of Geo. A. Corwin, Agent, who will close out the stock at once at reduced prices.

Adrian Record: Tecumseh's Council room building is undergoing repairs. Better sell it and build a new one. Come over and take a drawing of ours.

Will McCowen has lately executed fine crayon portraits of Geo. Heesen and Miss Dena Heesen. Also one of Dr. House's two little boys. They are beauties.

Mr. Henry Brewer, of New York, was in town over Sunday, having come out to attend Chas. Brewer's funeral. Mr. Brewer is an uncle of the deceased.

The HERALD Job Rooms turn out this week an edition of Lodge By-Laws for the Odd Fellows Lodge, of Alcona, Mich. Last week we executed a large lot of excursion bills for the M. & O. R. R.

Regular services at the Universalist church next Sunday. The pastor having been invited by the Post of our village to deliver the eulogy on Grant at 3 o'clock P. M., it may be that in consequence no evening service will be held.

The large farm barn of Norman Bradish, of Madison, was struck by lightning last Thursday and entirely consumed with its contents. There was a large amount of hay and grain in the barn which was a total loss. The barn was one of the largest in the county.

We are indebted to Manager Bowen, of the Commercial Tel. line, for a pamphlet containing the history of the signal service. We shall post up now on the weather question, and if Wiggins does'nt straighten himself out very soon, we shall start business as an opposition weather prophet.

Mr. S. O. Wood and Miss Hattie Rogers were married at the Lilley House last Saturday evening. Mr. Wood is one of the old commercial travelers who visits our town every 60 days. Miss Nettie Wood, the bride's sister accompanied them. Mr. Wood, wife and sister left on Monday morning for Devils Lake, where they will remain for two or three weeks. This is the fourth wedding that has taken place at the Lilley House since Capt. Foster assumed charge.

"Bro. Field, of the News, looked rather lonesome at first without his wife, but there were lots of pretty girls and he soon caught on."—HERALD. The above malicious slander appeared in the columns of our esteemed contemporary last week, alluding to our conduct while on the press excursion. As a consequence of this betrayal of confidence at the hands of a brother editor, we have had to suppress every copy of last week's HERALD which was likely to come within the sacred precincts of our domicile. If we were inclined to be revengeful and tell all we know of Scove's conduct on that memorable trip, but no, we will spare him this time.—Tecumseh News.

In this connection we beg leave to privately and prayerfully suggest to our esteemed contemporary that perhaps it would be better for both of us to drop the subject.

Oc. Palmer returned from Boston yesterday.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman went to Bellville on Monday last.

This must be what Wiggins would call a spell of weather.

Miss A. Jarvis, of London, Canada, is visiting Miss Leila Doty this week.

James Cummins and wife, of Toledo, passed last Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

Dr. Ed. Anderson and daughter returned to their Tennessee home on Monday last.

Fred Kloffenstein, of Fremont, O., was in town over Sunday. Fred reports business in his line booming.

The exodus to the lakes continue during this torrid weather, and 'tis a good time to go for business is dull.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ridley and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mangas, of Milan, visited Tecumseh friends over last Sunday.

Whitenack, Bordine & Co., have an interesting lecture on stumps in todays paper. It will be found on the first page.

Mrs. J. B. Wheelan, of Detroit, is visiting friends and relatives in Tecumseh. She will remain in town several days.

Herb. Reed, of Manchester, manager of the skating rink, was in town Tuesday. He has been selling reapers this season.

Mrs. Dr. Kimball, of Adrian, and her sister Mrs. John Closs, of Rose, N. Y., were the guests of Judge Stacy last Tuesday.

Miss Rose Cupples arrived home from St. Thomas, Can., last Thursday, where she has been visiting for several weeks.

The M. & O. passenger train last Monday night was half an hour late. It had eleven cars of coal attached, was the reason.

The family of Rev. Mr. Duval, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church at Toledo, are spending the summer in Tecumseh.

The ladies' social of the Universalist church will meet at Mrs. Elias Brown's in Raisin, next Thursday afternoon and evening, Aug. 6.

A bowery harvest dance will be given at Holloway to-morrow evening, the 31st. Good music has been engaged and a good time is expected. Scott & Florence, Props.

The Lenawee County Pioneer Society will meet at Morenci, Sept. 3rd. The announcement is made early so that ye pioneers may brush up on their old stories and have a big time.

Rev. G. W. Hudson will occupy his pulpit next Sabbath morning. Sabbath evening the Womans Home Missionary Society will hold a public meeting in the audience room of the church.

There will be a grand harvest dance at Britton, on Friday evening, Aug. 14th.

COME BOYS PUT ON YOUR GLASSES,
Now and you see quite clear
We'll soon have another Dance,
And be right here.
PLEASE TELL YOUR SOLDIERS,
But read, and read it aloud
We will have a harvest dance
AT EXELBY'S GRAND HALL.

Last Saturday afternoon Willie Mahne, a clerk in Lowry's grocery store, was found unconscious in a chair in the rear of the store, overcome by the heat. He was taken into the Lilley House where he revived in the course of half an hour, and is now around as lively as ever.

Adrian Record of Monday: The newly organized base ball club is now in batting shape, and ready for business. They have leased Lawrence park for the season, and the ball will open one week from to-day in a game with the Hawathas of Detroit. Tuesdays and Thursdays will hereafter be the regular practice days of the club, except when engaged in regular games. The Mutuals of Jackson will play the Adrian club on August 6th.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band gave an open air concert at the park last Monday evening. They made some excellent music. Next Monday evening they will give another concert. The boys are practicing faithfully and undoubtedly will give an enjoyable program, which will consist of the following numbers: 1, Lulu Quickstep; 2, Baritone Aria, "Heathen Rose;" 3, Polka; 4, Galop; 5, Waltz; 6, Quartette, "When the Swallows Homeward Fly;" 7, March, "Village Beauty;" 8, Quartette, "Abenheim's Cradle Song;" 9, Quartette, "Long, Long Ago;" 10, Quickstep.

Considerable sport has been occasioned for several days past from the fact that two of our prominent citizens have been disputing as to who was the swiftest runner. In order to settle it beyond a doubt they repaired to Bills' race track last Monday night, where they found a large crowd ready to see the fun, and measured off twelve rods, stripped to the waist and toed the mark. At the word "go" there was a mighty rush and the audience could hardly catch their breath as the contestants sped by them at a break-neck pace. When about three rods had been run, one of the contestants tripped and "great was the fall thereof." He was picked up and carried home on a stretcher, and acknowledged with a groan that George was too much for him.

D. D. Marshal, of Detroit, was in town last Tuesday.

Fred Langraff and wife were in town last Tuesday.

Asa Howe took a party of young people to Sand Lake yesterday.

O. W. DeLano will enter his pacer in the race at Adrian next Saturday.

Jas. McCowan has been on the sick list for the past week, but is now improving.

Rev. W. H. Babbitt leaves this afternoon for a few days vacation at the Sou.

Owing to the heavy rain last Sunday morning the train went over the M. & O. and not over.

There will be an ice cream festival on the Baptist church lawn, Tuesday evening, Aug. 4th. All are invited.

Addison has a Piety Hill, and the Hudson Gazette anxiously inquires in what part of the town it is located.

We are in receipt of a catalogue of the officers and graduates of the State Agricultural College.

David Woodward, of Clinton, has a message to the farmers, in another column of this week's paper, in which they will find some valuable hints on the plow question.

The Blissfield Advance gives the following particulars concerning the victim of misplaced confidence who socked his money into an old pair of of pants, and now pants because he hath it not: Levi Manly had $400 in hard money sewed up in an old sock and kept it in the pocket of an old pair of pants in his bedroom. He had it on Thursday of last week, but when he looked for it on Friday it was gone—sock and all. Thursday evening with his wife he came down town, and he believes the money was abstracted at that time although he discovered nothing suspicious on his return. Mr. Manly is a hard working young man, and can ill afford to lose so large an amount. He will give $100 for the recovery of the money.

G. A. R. MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Beers Post, G. A. R., held a special meeting last evening and adopted the following program for memorial services on Gen. Grant's death. The members of the Post will assemble at their post room on Sunday next at 2:30 P. M., and will attend the memorial services in a body, which will be held at the Presbyterian church precisely at three o'clock. The order of exercises given below, will be observed at the church.

Invocation—Rev. C. E. Conley.
Singing.
Scripture Lesson—Rev. M. W. Fairfield.
Singing.
Prayer—Rev. G. W. Hudson.
Singing.
Eulogy—Rev. J. M. Gotschall.
Singing—America.
Benediction—Rev. J. Phelps.

All old soldiers, not members of the G. A. R., and the public generally are invited to attend.

BASE BALL LONG AGO.

Base Ball was played in this town seventeen years ago. George Merritt accidentally found the other day a printed program of a celebrated game which took place here on the 4th of August, 1868, which we print in full. That is the program, not the game. It would be impossible to print even a feeble description of the latter.

The Flying Snails of East Tecumseh vs. the Lively Mud Turtles of West Tecumseh. A match game of base ball will be played between these celebrated clubs on the grounds of the Tecumseh base ball club, on Tuesday, Aug. 4, 1868. The following celebrated players will appear without fail:

Flying Snails—L. Sayiers, p.; H. Ensign, c.; A. Patterson, s. s.; C. M. Burlingame, 1 b.; H. Jones, 2 b.; J. D. Robbins, 3 b.; H. Weller, r. f.; O. McNair, c. f.; G. T. Ketcham, l. f.

Lively Mud Turtles—H. Fisher, p.; Geo. L. Graves, c.; F. Howard, s. s.; L. C. Blood, 1 b.; J. Wastell, 2 b.; R. Stretch, 3 b.; W. D. Meeker, r. f.; A. Pelham, c. f.; G. Merritt, l. f.

Umpire—Thos. Chas. Cummins.
Scorers—L. P. Troon, C. H. McConnell.
Surgeons—Kah Go Ga Gah Bowh, Pea En Kur Ter Is.
Coroner—Uncle Sim.
Legal Adviser—Wm. De Mott.

A procession of the players will be formed at the corner of Chicago and Rail Road streets and move promptly at 1:30 P. M. The procession will be led by a Volunteer Band, organized for the occasion. The game will be called at 2 P. M.

The following rules have been adopted:

1st. The bases being borrowed property, no players will be allowed to steal one.

2d. No muffs will be allowed on the ground; any one indulging in one will be considered a fit subject for the Coroner.

3d. Any Foul caught (if of the right sex) will be shipped to Sanford; all proceeds from the same will be applied to the Arnica fund.

4th. All flies caught shall be immediately passed to the surgeons for examination, and the fly shall be prosecuted by our Legal Adviser for any Blowing that it may do.

5th. Any player violating any of the above rules shall have his case investigated by our Legal Adviser, and if found guilty, shall have the Coroner set upon him for not less than two hours or more than one innings.

As some very brilliant playing may be expected, the audience are requested not to be too demonstrative, nor to prolong their cheers for more than 15 minutes at any one time.

P. S.—As our umpire is capable of doing all the talking necessary, it is suggested that both the audience and the players keep their mouths shut.

The ladies are cordially invited to attend.

MRS. GUMBO'S GASOLINE STOVE.

"Joshua, my dear," said Mrs. Gumbo, as she sank into her rocking chair and mopped the perspiration from her ruddy cheeks last evening, while waiting for the tea to steep for supper, "I have roasted myself to death for the last time. During all the years that I have officiated in the exalted station of mistress of your household, I have filled the role of Queen of the cook stove. The old 'Ironside' with an elevated oven, supported by two short legs in front and two long legs behind, was the first stove to see service in our family. Don't you remember, Josh, how you bought it off at an auction sale for $20.00 and gave your note for the amount payable in one year? The note was never paid, but we owned the cook-stove just the same. Two griddles were cracked and one hinge was knocked off the oven door, but nevertheless it was a splendid baker. The oven would hold six potatoes and a pie tin at the same time which answered the purpose very well when we first set up housekeeping. Those were happy days, Joshua. Old 'Ironside' was a prime baker. The bottom pie crust was never scorched nor underdone. The potatoes baked with a russet skin and a measley crumble. The biscuit would turn out exactly right in just thirty minutes. The little cookstove was a heater that is true, but I little minded the heat in those days. It gave a healthy color to my girlish cheeks which drew all the more pretty and loving words from you, Joshua. But by and by the family outgrew the little cook stove, and when one of the long legs got broken it was carted off to the foundry. The Imperial took its place. This was an elegant stove, bought on the monthly installment plan. It has rendered as good service for many years, but it is growing old and rickety now. One corner is propped up with a brick bat and the two front griddle holes are burned into one. It is wasteful of fuel, ruinous of my health and temper, and liable to vitiate our insurance policy. My mind is made up, Joshua. I shall have a new cook stove before another sun shall set, and I have decided to purchase one of the gasoline kind. There will be no wood and coal bills to pay for, no chips nor dirt, no danger of fire and no roasted Jerusha every day during the torrid season. So the first thing after breakfast to-morrow morning, Joshua, you may hie to the hardware store and purchase one of the latest style three griddle, single reservoir, gilt edged, bang-up, air tight gasoline stoves. If the fates have decided that I must pass the rest of my mortal days as chief cook and dish washer for the Gumbo family, I have decided that my toil shall be lightened and the bread shall be heightened and the teaspoons shall be brightened and the fruit cans shall be tightened, in the most approved aesthetic fashion, by the heat of a gasoline stove."

"Jerusalem, Jerusha, what in the canopy has got into your head now? Be you crazy? Be you bound to bankrupt yer poor dear Joshua? For heaven's sake, woman, take them specs off 'n jest stop 'n think. In the fust place I'm dead broke. The last two shillin' I had took me inter the circus yesterday afternoon. In the second place I can't buy no stove on tick. My natral pride wouldn't allow me to ask it. If there's any one thing a Gumbo prides bisself on more'n another its his pride. In the third place there aint no store in town what would trust me if I did ask it. I could give my note, that's true, but I've financeered so many times on that tack, that they don't ketch on no more. In the fourth place them air gasline stoves is a humbug. Why hang it, Jerusha, they don't amount to nothin'. They're finished off with fancy end legs jest like a sewin' machine. Talk about cookin', why hang it, things dont cook on 'em. The vittles jest sizzles 'n swets 'mat's all. The hull family 'll be dyin of dispeshe inside of a month. The cookin' 'll keep gettin wusser 'n wusser, and the cook 'll keep growin' crabider 'n crabider, and the young uns 'll keep growin in crosser 'n crosser, and the robustious helth of all on us 'll keep gettin poorer 'n poorer, and the doctor's bill 'll keep gittin higher 'n higher. In the fifth place gasline costs money. There aint no natral gas well on these premises. Evry pint 'o gas must be bought. Its the deerest kind 'o fuel. Wood kin be picked up along the river, and a bushel ov coal kin be diskivered onct in a while in a neighborin coal shed, but hang it, Jerusha, evry gallon 'o gas costs. There aint no way under the sun 'of economizin' on the gas bills. That air stove 'll ruin our finances; it 'll bust our bank account, and as sure as preachin it 'll carry our gray hairs down in sorrow to the grave. In the sixth place I'm opposed to buyin' the stove because you insist on't, Jerusha. By the horn-nosed, ring-tailed rhinoceros, I don't purpose to be nosed round by a petticoat. Why hang it, Jerusha, I'm the head 'o this family and I say the old cook stove's good enuff."

"Well, Mr. Gumbo," said Jerusha, as she transferred the tea pot to the table and the family sat down to supper, "your muffins and coffee will be prepared in the morning as usual, but that is the last meal I shall get in this house until a gasoline stove, all primed ready for the match, shall be stationed in the northwest corner of this kitchen. Do you hear?"

"Oh, hum! Women will be women. If a man can't have his doughnuts 'n coffee for breakfast and his taters 'n onions for dinner, and his biscuit 'n applesass for supper, life aint worth livin that's all. I'll buy the stove, Jerusha, if you'll contrive up some plan to pay for it."

The balance of the supper was eaten in silence. At its close Mr. Gumbo lighted his corncob pipe and sat down in the willow rocker to smoke, and soon slid off into the land of nod, dreaming off gas wells and gasoline stoves.

The committee to locate a site for the Soldiers' Home arrived at Brooklyn by special train on the 23rd, and were received at the depot by a committee of citizens. Mr. A. P. Cook, who had tendered 500 acres of land for the site, was also present, and all took carriages and proceeded at once to view the premises. The tract is a mile and three-quarters long, north and south, and on the west side of Vineyard Lake, with a width sufficient to make the 500 acres. The commission were evidently impressed with the beauty and attractiveness of the location. They were very observant of all points, and seemed anxious to fully understand all the advantages which this location might present. After spending all the time that daylight afforded, the commission were driven to the residence of Mr. Cook and partook of refreshments. They then took the train for Hillsdale.

Adrian Record: "Such a practical, sedate person, and so unused to trifling with hearts as Steve of the HERALD is supposed to be here in Lenawee, we wouldn't have believed it of him, had we not at Petoskey, with our own ears heard him, midst a bevy of charming young ladies artfully assert it on that those were not his best brothers that at home he had even better, and that when he was dressed quite was quite a stunning fellow—to the trifler."

Such a solid and religious citizen as Smith, of the Evening Record, is known to be here in Lenawee, who is old enough to be blessed with a charming daughter, and with the weight of years and official honors resting upon him, we wonder he has received it of him, and yet when we saw him at Traverse City with our own eyes, single handed and alone, essay the task of escorting six ladies all at once up to the insane asylum, some of who were other men's wives, we confess that our faith in editorial uprightness sustained a terrible shock.

Hudson has a "sanitorium" called Sleepy Hollow. Is that the port in which Bro. Schermerhorn anchors when overtaken by a thunder storm in a sail boat ride?

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MY "OLD MAN."

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THE HUMORIST'S FATE.

A Few Words of Advice to a Fond Mother.

Whose Dear, Sweet Son Is Threatened with an Attack of Humor—The Case of a Boy Who Was Saved by a Razor Strop.

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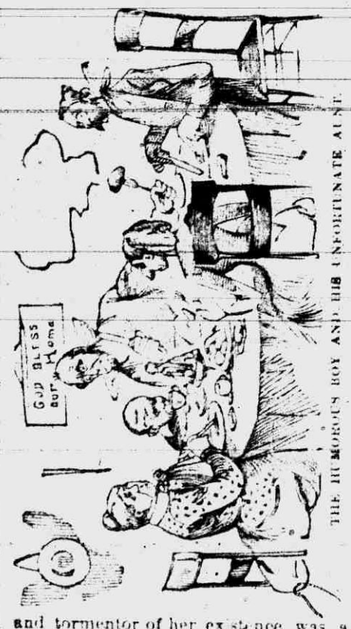

THE HUMORIST'S BOY AND HIS UNFORTUNATE AUNT.

and tormentor of her existence was a crooked nose. Whilst the beautiful little boy sat opposite his maiden aunt at table, the conversation drifted from one thing to another until it reached potatoes, many of which, it was remarked, had that season taken the second growth.

"Pa," said the beautiful little boy with the vein of unworked humor deep down in his system, "pa, did Aunt Maria's nose take the second growth?"

The tender little jokelet fell flat with a dull, sickening thud. Nobody laughed.

On the contrary, a deep gloom was cast over the entire congregation. When the first sullen shock of the jokelet had spent itself, the father of the little boy rose up from the table, took the little boy by the collar and mechanically with a firm hand the article passing by the razor strop, strong enough to pull an unshaven stave from an empty barrel. And then there was a sound of revelry, and strife and there were woe and pain for the young boy. For days, and days thereafter he was quietest when he ate, and never a word he uttered the same gay and joyous young face, [illegible] from outside mirth.

His mother hung, was crushed with a heavy grief. [illegible] death. The fountains of his mirth were dried up, as it were, and he never laughed again.

And what is the moral?

That beautiful little boy grew to be an honored citizen. To-day he has wealth, position, influence, dyspepsia and a severe cast of countenance. He is the managing editor of a paper, and people come to him for advice, and to borrow money of him, and he never refuses to extend a helping hand, at two per cent a month, if the security is good. He was saved by a barber's razor. He was turned away from a person-controlling at his young mind was yet pliant and a barber's razor could get in its good work.

Do humorists make a great deal of money? Do they move in the most select circles of society? Dear fond mother, cast your eyes about you. Look at that young man [illegible] and grand in [illegible] the epoch. Let your gaze [illegible] for [illegible]. You do not see a [illegible] smile [illegible] sweet [illegible] debt to his washerwoman.

You must go to the humble vine-clad cottage to hear the genuine humorist in his den, as it were. There you will find him with his dignified face and fair hair cutting off some firewood, or carving the lady, or putting a half-ton of coal in his cellar, and at the same time hatching thoughts to convulse a universe, at five or six dollars a convulse. There you will see the true humorist clothed in all his glory and a pair of nail-soaped "pants."

Let me a moment longer, fond mother of a dear sweet boy. I have a friend who is accused of being a humorist, and he has been in trouble ever since the charge was made against him. Once he came to me with a countenance more than usually sad, and said:

"You do not know what a man who is charged with being a humorist has to endure. Everybody he meets expects him to have fresh and jokes constantly on hand, and they are disappointed and go behind his back and abuse him if a stream of humor isn't constantly oozing out of his mouth. If he has the jumping toothache, they will take no excuse, but stand around waiting for him to turn on a flow of humor that will make them howl like a calliope, and burst their buttons off. Why, the other day I put my note before the discounter of a bank, and they told me I'd have to work in a joke on the face of it and get a prominent citizen to write his name across the back, as an evidence of good faith, before they'd discount it. And last week a total stranger, who had heard that I was a humorist and wanted to hear a humorist talk, sought an introduction to me. After he got it, he seemed to be greatly disappointed at my flow of soul, and when I asked him to lend me ten dollars till after the next Presidential election he expressed himself, and went away with [illegible]osity. I heard afterwards that he said he was greatly surprised at my appearance, and that my conversation fell far below his expectations in idiocy and originality; that I looked like a dealer in musit collins, and my efforts to be facetious were feebledly flat and heavy. None but those who have passed through it know anything of what a person has to endure when it becomes whispered around that he is a humorist. If I could, I'd reform right now and lead a different life."

You will observe that the bark of the humorist does not ride always upon untroubled seas. He has his trials, troubles, vexations and disappointments the same as other folks. He falls down the cellar-stairs with an oleander, shuts the heavy front door upon his thumb, bets his money on the candidate that gets left, comes home to the bosom of his light-haired family with a long dark hair hanging to his coat-button, and in moments of abstraction sits down upon a coil of barbed wire fencing, and through it all he is expected to wear a smile and throw off scintillating jokes. Think you, fond mother of a dear, sweet boy, that this be easy? Alas, the official count, which is now completed, shows beyond question that it is not.

This testimony is important, coming as it does from one who has achieved wide reputation as a humorist, and it were well that you ponder it, mother of a dear, sweet boy.

You ask: "Is the humorist profession overcrowded?"

No, fond mother of a dear, sweet boy, the humorist profession is not overcrowded. There are rows and rows of empty benches up in front there, as you will notice if you let your eye meander around the synagogue. But do you observe at the door that man of lofty brow and eagle eye, armed with a stuffed club, attended by a large, healthy pup with an open countenance and a wicked eye? Well, that is the editor on guard, and woe unto him that saunteth up there with a joyous smile and *bon-vivant* air, and gaily asketh: "Have you ever heard the bed-tick?"—*Scott Way, in Puck.*

PITH AND POINT.

—A editor says that when he was in prison for libeling a Justice of the Peace he was presented by the jailer to give the prison a puff."—*Chicago Times.*

—A bicycler in this city declares that he intends to go all over the earth on his machine. If he is a beginner he will probably succeed.—*Boston Post.*

—A young man never thoroughly realizes what big hands he has, and how clumsy his fingers are, until the young lady asks him to button her glove.

—Before they are married she will carefully turn down his coat collar when it gets awry, but afterward she'll push it down into position as if she was throwing his hat out of the window.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—A new paper in the South is called the *Evolution*. "The editor probably thinks," observes the New York *Journal*, "that everybody will take it." But he has apparently lost sight of the fact that an epidemic generally dies out within a year.—*Norristown Herald.*

—"Are you enjoying your dinner?" asked Bobby of the minister who was taking a Sunday dinner with the family. "Yes, Bobby," responded the minister, pleasantly. "Mamma said this morning that she thought you did as she didn't suppose that with your small salary and big family you got much to eat from one week's end to another."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A Houston negro was reading to his wife about the English in Egypt. He remarked: "The camel can work steady for ten days without drinking. Is it not strange?" "No," she replied [illegible] "there is nothing very strange about that. I've known men who could drink ten days steadily without working."—*Texas Siftings.*

—Poetry is cash to fame

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—A little girl aged four was sitting with a doll in her lap and a basin of water in her hand. "What are you going to do with that doll?" said her mother. "Christen her," replied the child. "O, you must not play at christening," returned the mother, "it is a sacred subject." "Then I'll vaccinate her, mamma; that is not a sacred subject."—*London Truth.*

—Jinks—"I don't believe I will be home before eleven o'clock to-night, my dear." "You see it's initiation night at our lodge." Mrs. Jinks—"You expect to be home before twelve, then, I suppose?" "Oh, yes; about eleven or half-past." "Well, in that case you will be awake, and I won't need the key." "The key?" "No. The mischief ball closes about midnight." Jinks didn't go.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Cecily had just dropped in to congratulate her friend on pleasant prospects directly after Lent. "O, I'm so glad for you, my dear. Augustus always was such charming company. O, he's real nice. He paid me marked attention half a dozen years ago." "Indeed! I believe I've heard him say something about your being a very dear friend of his mother." The coffee cream froze in the quaint little pitcher on the table. So did the morning's conversation.—*Philadelphia Press.*

ITALIAN TEA.

The Cultivation of the Cheering Shrub in the Italian Peninsula.

The French Consul at Naples gives an interesting account in his last report of the attempts which have been made to acclimatize the tea plant in Italy. The first is said to have been made by the English during their occupation of Sicily at the beginning of the century, when the plant reached a height of six feet in the open air. There is no proof, however, that any crop was obtained, and no further attempt seems to have been made until 1871, when some seeds were sown at Caltanisetta, which is in much the same attitude as Jamascioro (in Japan), from which place they were brought. The seeds never sprouted, and a fresh trial made in 1875 with another variety, the Thea sinensis, also proved a failure. The Government, however, which had taken up the question, was not discouraged, and after weighing the various opinions which it had elicited, made several fresh plantations of Thea sinensis in the zone comprised between Florence, Naples and Sicily. These plantations also came to nothing, but Signor d'Amico, a landed proprietor in the province of Messina, was able to exhibit, at the agricultural show held at Messina in 1882, more than a hundred plants of the Thea sinensis three years old, which had been grown in the open. Prof. Beccari, too, who has been to India for the purpose of investigating the growth of tea, is of opinion that there is no reason why it should not succeed in Italy if the plants and the seed are brought from a climate similar to that of the peninsula; for the fact of its growing in the open along the Riviera, upon the shores of Lago Maggiore and at Florence proves that it is to a certain extent a hardy plant. If it has not been more generally grown in Italy hitherto, this is, Prof. Beccari thinks, because the mode of cultivation has been all wrong. The Italians have thought that the plant wanted shade, whereas in India and China it is grown in very open ground and upon a soil which contains a large proportion of sand and oxide of iron. He recommends, therefore, that it should be planted in land not too dry, and in a soil preserving enough moisture to aliment the plants, such as the olive-growing fields of the Riviera, the Maremma and Southern Italy, and that the plants should be brought from the coldest provinces of Japan. The Italian Minister of Agriculture has determined to act upon Professor Beccari's report, and has already sent a large order to Japan, besides buying a number of plants from a landed proprietor at Pallanza, in the province of Novara, who has met with a fair amount of success in his experiments.—*London Times.*

Men Think

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ESTATE OF PETER S. WALDRON.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 26th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jane Waldron, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Barnes, Probate Register. jos 27

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Lewis, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Lewis, late of the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 26, 1885.

SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
may21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Sanford Hause, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated May 26, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 27 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Timothy Dean, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and state of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Timothy Dean, late of the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of C. A. Stacy, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of August, 1885, and on the 25th day of December, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of June, 1885, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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Monroe	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Dundee	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Tecumseh	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Wampum	8 08 "	4 12 "	9 05 "
Jackson	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Detroit	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

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STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Acc.om.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Jackson	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Wampum	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Clinton	12.01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Tecumseh	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Adrian	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
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Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Shoaleshey	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Bunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 55	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Rising Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Chase	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Sand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 21
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Sand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Chase	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
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	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	6 54	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 06	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 23	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 30	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 59	P. M.
	8 59	1 28	Homer	1 38	7 37	8 00
	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 26	7 25	7 48
	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 12	7 11	7 33
	9 55	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 59	7 21
	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 42	6 40	7 03
P. M.		2 56	Augusta	12 22	A. M.	6 43
		3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 35
		3 10	Richland	12 09		6 29
		3 28	Doster	11 52		6 12
		3 45	Montcalm	11 35		5 55
		3 53	Fisk	11 27		5 47
		3 59	Kellogg	11 21		5 37
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		6 10	Grand Rapids	9 15		
		6 15	Grand Haven	9 00		2 05
		6 25	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
		6 55	Muskegon	8 15		1 30
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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—Seventy-nine per cent. of the soldiers in the Russian army are unable to read or write.

—The Italian Government will erect a monument sixty feet high to the memory of Cavour, the regenerator of Italy. He died in 1861.

—It is the popular fancy in Scotland just now to heap honors upon Burns. Several monuments have just been erected, or are under way in different parts of the country.

—Until within a few years the most remarkable of all Chinese customs were the public fashionable suicides, conducted with much pomp, and sometimes actually under the direction of an officer of the empire.

—The Swedish Parliament has voted a duty on living flowers, fruits and vegetables, the majority being prompted to that course by the idea of bringing money into the treasury by taxing supposed luxuries.

—With the death, a fortnight ago, at Bamberg, Bavaria, of the Baron Maximilian von Paulus, the famous Paulus family became extinct, and its coat-of-arms was solemnly broken and cast into his open grave upon his coffin-lid.

—The Amalgamated Society of Engineers reports an increase during the first ten months of from 1,893 to 4,090 men out of work in England, owing chiefly to the collapse of the shipbuilding trade, which makes an annual difference in the labor market of $37,500,000.

—The late Earl of Dudley, who died suddenly last Thursday, had his life insured in various British companies for $1,500,000 for the benefit of Lady Dudley, and this amount, added to the dower secured to her by her marriage settlement, makes her one of the richest women in England.

—One of the most attractive objects exhibited at Turin during the late Exposition was a burgh of the mediæval age, together with its little town, constructed with the most painstaking fidelity; all the building and rooms were, down to the smallest details, constructed according to historical account, and exhibited domestic life and trades of the Fifteenth Century.

—The throne of the Empress of Russia is completely covered with plates of gold, and contains 1,500 rubies and 4,000 turquoises, beside many other rare and costly gems. The throne of the Czar, known as the diamond throne, is truly a marvel. It is generally conceded that Russia possesses more precious stones than any other nation, a majority of which we procured at the expense of blood. The jewels in the Cathedral at Moscow alone are valued at $12,000,000.

—One day a Munich nurse put her charge down on the grass for a short time. Suddenly a great eagle came swooping down and attacked the babe. In an instant the nurse threw her shawl at the bird. It fortunately went over his head, so it not only prevented his seeing the child, but stopped his flying away. The nurse then caught hold of him, and clung to him with the shawl tight over his head until some one came to help her. When the King heard the story he sent her a handsome present, and ordered the bird to be kept in the menagerie.—*Continental Times.*

PECULATION IN RUSSIA.

The Depredations Which Have Honeycombed Every Branch of the Public Service.

The exploits of the Russian commissariat are well known, even abroad. In all this there is nothing very new. That which most concerns us is to trace the relationship existing between the general system and the primary causes of the depredations which, whenever a war takes place, recur as inevitably as if they were operations of nature, and with all the regularity of the seasons. It is all very well to inveigh against Gorvitz, Varshavsky, Prince Urossoff and their 225 accomplices. But are they the only culpables? Why do such iniquities as theirs never occur in other armies? If contractors, in their greed of gain, deliver rations and stores of bad quality, why are they accepted as good? This is evidently the crux of the question. According to the prescriptions of the military code all articles of food and medicine delivered by a contractor have to be examined by a surgeon or a medical commission and the commandant of the corps for which they are destined—or nominees acting under his orders. Hence, without the connivance of all these people fraud would be impossible. If the contractors cheat, the brave commandant and the erudite doctors must do likewise from high to low. Not a man who went through the Bulgarian campaign would deny that this was precisely the case. On the other hand, there are always to be found in our official spheres, corrupt though they be, some men who, untainted with dishonesty, are eager to redress the wrongs which they see around them—such, for instance, as General Tcherkassoff, a military inspector. At the beginning of the campaign this officer presented to the commander-in-chief a voluminous work, in the shape of a report, in which he had collected and set forth and proved by a mass of facts, recent and palpable, the flagrant malversations and frauds of the Gorvitz Company and consorts.

This report, though an historical document of high value, has not yet seen the light. It was stifled by secret confederates of the implicated parties. These confederates were of all ranks, says the correspondent of the *Noroc Vremya* in his covert language. Some interrupted the reading of the report by jocular remarks which distracted attention, others protested against it as ill-timed, and, encountered everywhere with either opposition or indifference, it remained in the shade, and while the war lasted the company continued their depredations without let or hindrance. The gentlemen of the commissariat were thus not the only ones who had their fingers in the pie. War is an Eldorado for all who keep to the wall side of the road. During the trial of Rykoff, the notorious manager of the bank of Skopine, of which I gave an account some time ago in the columns of the *Times*, it came out in 1877 the establishment had a considerable increase in its deposits, which came in great part from the seat of war, being lodged at high interest by officers of the commissariat and their worthy accomplices of the military branch of the service. Another characteristic fact which transpired in the course of the trial was that when Rykoff became bankrupt, the majority of those clients declined to rank as creditors, fearing doubtless that if they did so they would be compelled to reveal the shameful secret of their ill-gotten wealth.—"*Stepniak*" *in London Times.*

TWO NOTED BATTLES.

The Capture of Vicksburg and the Battle of the Wilderness.

"The Vicksburg newspaper, which we received regularly while before Vicksburg, through the courtesy of the rebel pickets, said prior to the 4th, in speaking of a Yankee boast that they would take dinner in Vicksburg that day, that the best receipt for cooking a rabbit was, 'catch your rabbit first.' The paper at this time, and for some time previous, was printed on the plain side of wall paper. The last number was printed on the 4th, and announced that we had caught our rabbit.

"I have no doubt that Pemberton commenced his correspondence on the 3d with a two-fold purpose: First to avoid an assault which he knew would be successful; and second to prevent the capture taking place on the great national holiday, the anniversary of the Declaration of American Independence. Holding out for better terms, as he did, he defeated his aim in the latter particular. On the Fourth of July, at the appointed hour, the garrison of Vicksburg marched out of their works and formed a line in front, stacked arms and marched back in good order. Our whole army present witnessed this scene without cheering, and without a single offensive remark that I ever heard of. Logan's division, which had approached nearest the rebel works, was the first to march in, and the flag of one of the regiments of that division was soon floating over the Court-house."

Of the Wilderness campaign the General says: "Operating as we were in an enemy's country, and supplied always from a distant base, large detachments had at all times to be sent from the front, not only to guard the base of supplies and the roads leading to it, but all the roads leading to our flanks and rear. We were also operating in a country unknown to us and without competent guides or maps showing the roads accurately. Estimating Lee's strength in the same manner as ours, the enemy had not less than 80,000 men at the start. Reinforcements during the campaign were about equal to ours, deducting our discharged men and those sent back. Lee was on the defensive, and in a country in which every stream, every road, every obstacle to the movement of troops, and every natural defense was familiar to him and his army. The citizens were all friendly to him and his cause, and could and did furnish him with accurate reports of our every movement. Rear guards were not necessary for him, and having always a railroad at his back, large wagon trains were not required. All circumstances considered, we did not have any advantage of numbers.

"On the morning of the 7th we sent out pickets and skirmishers along our entire front to discover the position of the enemy. Some went as far as a mile and a half before finding him. But Lee showed no disposition to come out. There was no battle during the day, and but little firing, except in Warren's front. About midday Warren was directed to make a reconnoissance in force. This drew some sharp firing, but there was no attempt on the part of the rebels to drive him back. This ended the battle of the Wilderness.

"More severe fighting has not been witnessed on this continent than that of the 5th and 6th of May, 1864. Our victory consisted in having successfully crossed a formidable stream almost in the face of the enemy, and in getting the army together afterward as a unit. We gained an advantage on the morning of the 6th, which, if it had been followed up, must have proved very decisive. In the evening the enemy gained an advantage, but was repulsed. As we stood at the close, the two armies were relatively in about the same condition to meet each other as when the river had divided them. But the fact of safely crossing was a victory. Our losses in the battle of the Wilderness were 2,261 killed, 8,785 wounded, and 2,902 missing, probably nearly all the latter captured by the enemy."—*General Grant's Personal Memoirs.*

The London Ragamuffin.

The genuine ragamuffin will never complain. He never expects or even hopes that his condition will improve; he is as much a fatalist as the Turk. I once asked an interesting little boy with a pale, careworn face and an intelligent express on, if he had ever wondered why it was that he had nothing but rags, why it was he had no boots, and sometimes no bread to eat, while I had plenty of everything? He looked up at me with a calm, patient express on, as much as to say, "I have never wondered at such things." "Tell me," I persisted, "have you ever thought about this difference?" "It's the Lord's will," he replied tritely; but he seemed reluctant, when I pressed him, to explain what he understood by the Lord's will. At last in a timid, hurried voice he said: "It is all the Lord's doing, this way: you are grand like, and dress nice, and lives in a big house, and you have a pianner, and—and," he looked round the room that he might enumerate all our titles to consideration—"and a sofy; so the Lord sees as how you are gentlefolks, and He think lots of such like as you. But we are very poor, we are. Mother pawns the blankets, and father beats mother, and swears awful. We ain't got no Sunday things; we're all raggety, so the Lord don't take much notice on us."—*English Illustrated Magazine.*

—A Georgia man paid a forty-dollar fine imposed upon him for failing to appear as a juror rather than acknowledge that he was over jury age.

The American Eagle.

There are several varieties of eagles in the United States, but not all that are commonly called by different names are entitled to the separate distinction. The largest is Audubon's "Bird of Washington," or Washington Eagle, a huge bird that has apparently been seen by few persons but the great naturalist himself, and which inhabits the region of the Great Lakes and the Upper Mississippi. Its spread of wings is over ten feet. It rarely comes to New England; but Dr. Wood, the Connecticut ornithologist, in his "Birds of Connecticut," describes one that was caught in a steel trap, in the East Windsor meadows, just after a Connecticut river freshet had left thousands of dead fish on land. On these he was feasting, in company with two "Bald Eagles," whom he greatly surpassed in size. He was killed, as was supposed, after being caught, by a blow on the head with a club; but he recovered on being thrown upon the grass, and flew away. He was nearly four feet long, and his spread of wings was ten feet. The "national bird" of our country is the so-called (improperly so-called) Bald Eagle—a bird whose head is as well supplied, proportionately, with feathers as any part of his body; but on the head these are white, while the rest of the bird, except the neck and tail, is quite dark. The female (who is always the largest, in birds of prey), often measures three feet four inches in length, with a stretch of wings between seven and eight feet. It is incorrectly described in our cyclopædias as the "largest of the fishing or sea eagles." To say nothing of Audubon's great bird, there is in Greenland (and in some parts of Europe) a sea eagle a little larger than the bald species. The bald eagle (not uncommon here) builds on cliffs and great trees a nest of coarse sticks, which is used by the same pair, if undisturbed, for very many years (they will live to the age of 120 or 140 years), and in this latitude they lay their eggs after the middle of January, and hatch out about the middle of February. The diversity of color between the young and the adults occasions mistakes in naming them, and leads to the idea that they are "sea eagles," "black eagles," "gray eagles," etc. Doctor Franklin objected to the adoption of the eagle as our national bird, because of its predatory habits, and suggested the turkey instead. The golden eagle (which may be the kind that was shot near Riverton, and if so, it is a rare and valuable bird for ornithologists) is seldom seen in Connecticut. It is a magnificent bird, belonging in Europe as well as the United States, is about as large as the bald eagle.

Young Lady at Boarding School

At some of the French boarding schools in Paris, the girls are fed on weak soup, two or three degrees stronger than hot water; meat from which nearly all the nourishment is extracted by boiling; coarse veal, watery carrots and gray, sour bread. The young lady who comes home after a few terms of this sort of diet may be very learned, but is pale and poor looking, lacking vigor and health. Give her Brown's Iron Bitters—the best tonic in the world for young ladies with impoverished blood—and bring roses into her cheeks.

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00AM	20PM	1 10PM	
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 53	4 18	7 05	
Fremont	9 20	4 45	7 30	
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	
Bellevue	9 52	5 20	8 02	
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 10AM
Norwalk....Lv	10 26	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 15	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 18PM	3 20
Orville....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 45	3 50
Orville....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 45	4 00
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	4 40
Massillion..Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 00
Sherrodsville		6 47PM	6 45PM	
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30		3 30	8 45
Canal Dover	3 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	
Marietta...Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	

WESTWARD.	No. 2.	No. 6.	No. 8.			
Marietta...Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM				
Marksburg	7 20	3 50				
Cambridge	9 15	5 58				
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03				
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55			No. 38	
Sherodsville					5 45AM	
New Cumberl'd					6 05	
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25		No. 4.	6 45	
Massillion	12 35	9 10		8 20AM	8 15	
Orville	1 15	10 00		9 00	10 15	
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30		9 32	11 17AM	
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30		9 32		
Wellington	2 30	11 12		10 20	No. 2	
Norwalk	3 20	11 55		11 20	7 35AM	
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM		11 30	7 45	
Bellevue	3 48			11 45	8 00	
Clyde	4 03			12 00	8 20	
Fremont	4 20			12 17PM	8 40	
Oak Harbor	4 45			12 42	9 00	
Toledo....Ar	5 45AM			1 35PM	10 00AM	

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 30	6 15	Milan	7 05	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters

WASHINGTON.

WEST AND SOUTH.

THE EAST.

The last time that Queen's Great Regiment was in Canada it was a few days before the battle of Ridgeway.

Peter B. Wa[illegible] President of the Erie Railway [illegible] P. Walker [illegible] Camden N. J. [illegible] prostrated by heat and [illegible] ment. He was arrested [illegible] recovered [illegible] was [illegible]

David M[illegible] a prominent attorney of Philadelphia, Pa., who recently [illegible] Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad [illegible] party and [illegible] whole of the [illegible] birth of the train [illegible] track and he was crushed to [illegible]

General [illegible] Roberts was [illegible] intimate friend of [illegible] Grant [illegible] same time the General died. The deceased was at one time Postmaster of Brooklyn. He [illegible] was rather [illegible] attended the funeral of a [illegible]

An [illegible] jumped from the Brooklyn bridge on the morning of the 2d at the height of [illegible] feet above the water. He was dressed in a swimming costume and his appearance was such as to indicate that none of the [illegible] observation. He struck heavily on his back and disappeared beneath the surface and has not since been seen.

The Pennsylvania Miners' State Convention at Pittsburgh on the 4th elected four delegates to the Nat[illegible] Convention which meets in Indianapolis next month. They were instructed to favor the national eight-hour law and to recommend the adoption of a national screen bill.

The extensive tobacco manufactory and warehouse of S. P. Lilienthal in New York City was destroyed by fire on the night of the 25th. During the progress of the fire the massive boiler in the factory exploded, seriously injuring a number of the firemen. The loss will [illegible]

A band of forty gipsies, with ten bears and twelve monkeys, arrived by steamer at New York on the 29th from Bordeaux, France. They were not permitted to land, Superintendent Jackson declaring that, according to the act of Congress which prohibits the landing of paupers or vagrants, they shall be returned free of expense by the steamship which brought them here.

Business failures reported throughout the country during the seven days ended the 24th number for the United States 182, and for Canada 23, or a total of 215, as against a total of 225 last week, and 187 the week previous to the last. The bulk of the failures are reported from the Western and Pacific States.

Diphtheria attacked the youngest of three children of Seaman Wright, at Hempstead, N. Y., several days ago, and in a short time all the children died. The youngest was five and the oldest eleven years. On the 23d Mr. Wright's mother-in-law died of the same disease, and Mr. Wright was reported very low.

At Rochester, N. Y., on the 24th William H. Ebert was arrested for making counterfeit five-cent pieces. Several dies and a quantity of tools used in making the spurious coins were found hidden in a blacksmith shop on the tow-path of the canal. Ebert was handed over to the United States authorities.

GOOD NEWS FROM A TECUMSEH BOY

A letter from A. H. Foot, who is now living at Rome, Georgia, to indicate that he is prospering. He has [illegible] building the eight [illegible] Mr. A. H. Foot [illegible] Will Van [illegible] Wm. Van [illegible] Wm. Van [illegible] Wm.

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

John T. Clark has a large crop of blackberries.

Mrs. George McConnell's brother, Mr. Allis and his wife from Adrian, visited here last week.

Mrs. Chris. Smith has purchased Nelson Miller's house and lot. It is now occupied by Ed. VanDeMark who will probably remain there until the time for which he rented the house expires.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Stirling and children arrived here last Friday from Detroit. Mr. Stirling returned Saturday, but Mrs. Stirling who has been in poor health for some time will remain here at Mrs. D. H. Silver's for several weeks.

Mrs. John Lancaster, mother of Henry and David Lancaster and Mrs. Henry Shirts of Toledo, died last Thursday in Franklin. The funeral services were held at David Lancaster's Sunday at 2 P. M.

Miss Fannie Sherlock who has not been well since her sister's death, was taken dangerously sick last Friday while visiting at John McAdam's, Friday night and Saturday her recovery seemed impossible. Dr. Stephenson was summoned from Adrian Sunday morning and since that time she has been slowly improving, so that it is now thought that she will recover.

Mrs. Augusta Brooks has been visiting at Mrs. John Hause's for a few days. She expects to return to Clinton about the middle of October, as her house will be ready for occupancy by that time. Her sister Mrs. Corwin and family of Grass Lake, will occupy a part of her house.

Mat Lancaster of Brooklyn was in town over Sunday.

Miss Maggie Biggins went to Toledo last Thursday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Lawless.

Miss Edith Smith closed her visit with Clinton friends last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shirts of Toledo came to Clinton last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Shirt's mother.

Mrs. C. F. Field spent a couple of days at her father's J. S. Kies, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Brown entertained a large number of friends at their home last Friday evening.

Mrs. John Smith was quite sick for two or three days last week, but is now much better.

Union service will be held Sunday evening, Aug. 9th. at the Congregational church. Rev. Kerridge will dedeliver a memoral address in honor of Grant.

John Noon went to Tecumseh last Saturday evening, bought an $8,00 pair of pants of Kies Bros. came home and put his carriage in the barn and in the morning when he looked for his pants they were missing. Whether he lost them or some one stole them is unknown.

Mrs. Spencer who has been suffering for a year or more from injuries received by a fall, died last Wednesday morning,

About 9 o'clock last night a horrible fatal accident occurred near Springwells station, where a conductor, named Sydney A. Rood, met with instantaneous death. He came in on train No. 32 of the Michigan Central Railroad which he left at the station, and at the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern crossing boarded a train which was being made up to be transferred at the railroad slip. He walked on top of the train and accidentally fell between the cars in such a manner that he was thrown between the tracks. The train consisting of thirty cars, passed over him and when found he was crushed into an unrecognizable mass. His head was cut off and his body literally reduced to small pieces. The right foot was severed from the body, and both arms were jerked from their sockets. The left one was cut in three pieces. The unfortunate man was disemboweled and his body presented a most frightful appearance to spectator. The fragments were gathered up and word sent to the city of the accident. The police notified Coroner Keefe, who impaneled a jury and adjourned the inquest until Wednesday afternoon. —Detroit Free Press.

The deceased was a son-in-law of B. G. Woodward, who received news of the accident Tuesday morning and started immediately for Detroit. Mr. Rood was 35 years of age and leaves a wife and one child.

"The Re-Union," a book of 55 pages, containing a full account of the late reunion of the Clinton High School pupils of twenty-five years ago,—letters of regret, addresses, essays, poem, register of those present, list of deceased, etc.,—is now ready. Copies sent on receipt of 25 cents each, to help defray the cost, (small editions being very expensive.) Address, Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark, Chairman of Committee, Clinton, Mich.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The cold wave struck this section Monday.

The hardest rain of the season came Sunday evening, flooding everything.

Corn and oats were blown down very bad Sunday evening during the rain storm.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Clack and Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Nelson were at Detroit on Thursday last.

Harry Smith spent a few days with friends in Wallaceburg, Canada.

Quite a good many rusticated at Sand and Wampler's Lake Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and report a fine time.

Wm. H. Arner is sick again. This time he has to keep his bed. It is hoped with good care and careful attention of the attending physician, Dr. C. M. Woodward, of Tecumseh, he will be able to be about again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Mills were the guests of W. R. Wilson over Sunday.

A. R. Arner called on agent Frank Allen and wife at Richland last week, and says they are as happy as can be in their new home. Success is our wishes to the young couple.

Mrs. Chas. Clark and daughter Hattie who have been visiting friends here for the past few weeks returned to their home in Elkhart Monday.

Mrs. Burtis Bird, of Tecumseh, visited Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rappleye on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah and Master Lawrence Rappleye visited friends in Dundee from Saturday until Tuesday.

Miss Florence French, of Adrian, spent a few days with her friend, Mrs. Chas. Gove, last week.

Quite a good many from here attended the ice cream festival given by the band boys on Wm. Britton's lawn, at Britton, on Friday evening. The Blissfield band was in attendance and furnished some very fine music.

Friday afternoon the boys of the village went to Holloway and played a friendly game of ball with the boys of that place. Our boys have not played for two or three years so they got left bad. The score stood Ridgeway 9 innings and 6 tallies, Holloway 8 innings 24 tallies. They enjoyed the game very much, and desire to extend a vote of thanks to the Holloway boys for the gentlemanly manner in which they were entertained while there.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Saturday was picnic day for Jefferson and Windle Sabbath schools. Four horse wagons crowded with boys and girls, double and single rigs of all styles, set off with evergreens and banners made a fine picture as they went towards Wampler's lake.

The summer resorts have become villages that send us many visitors, but somebody besides Rob Morris will deal out candy and cure all for the colds they catch hereafter. He has secured a high seat in a large drug store at Buffalo, and bids us good bye.

Mrs. P. Holden treated her friends to a flower panorama Friday evening, and a large number watched the unfolding of a night blooming cereus bud. It was a dream that materialized waxen white; but like any other air castle it had collapsed at day light.

Except the above happenings little to further the worlds best interests has made the week memorable, unless it be the pillar of fire directly overhead. Many people did not attempt to work, and some who did repented as soon as they regained sense. Those who held down boxes under awnings and berated civil service, low prices and Cleveland times generally escaped being sunstruck: the others tumbled to the racket in all sorts of absurd places, and are practically unfitted for argueing the work muddle. The non political part of community can do nothing to comfort them, and all advices to unravel their knitting work is rejected. The grand botch exterminator invented by our grandmothers would be a too disagreeable air brake for tariff ills by half.

ONSTED ODDS.

We had a bountiful supply of moisture in the shape of rain, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, followed by cooler weather.

Our pastor last Sunday gave a severe sermon against the Sunday excursions to Devil's lake from Toledo, and this week a petition to the high officials of the M. & O. R. R. to stop the aforesaid excursions is being circulated.

As Mr. Chas. Reed was passing out of Dr. Ross' yard he noticed a turtle in the path. At first there seemed to be nothing different about it from others of the same family, but on closer inspection he noticed a roughness of the shell which proved to be an inscription viz: S. M. Y. 1871. The doctor cut his initials and the present year under the other and the turtle went tramping on. We should be pleased to know who S. M. Y. is.

David Sickner has improved the appearance of his house by putting in new windows.

Onsted & Wemple are getting lots of wheat at 85 cents per bu. They ship two cars to-day.

At present there is some talk of Al Howard moving his mill to Onsted, and increasing the business of the mill from sawing to planing, matching, etc., and still continue to make brick and tile. We hope he will do the same.

This seems to be the season for tramps; every day brings us samples, rare specimens. Yesterday four stopped here for refreshments, and one who was under the observation of your correspondent seemed to have a dilatable stomach by the way he ate at two different houses.

LENAWEE COUNTY GRANGE.

The County Grange will hold its next meeting at Macon, at Grange Hall, on Thursday, Aug. 13th, 1885, with the following program.

Fifth degree meeting at 11 00 A. M.
Basket picnic dinner 12 M.
Public meeting 1 P. M.
Opening music—Macon Choir.
Welcoming Address—M. J. Martin, Macon.
Response—Marshal Reed, Springville.
Duet—Miss Josie Clarkson, Mrs. J. W. Osborn, Macon.
Recitation—Miss Rilla Lamereaux, Rome.
Paper—Injurious Insects and the Remedy—E. W. Allis, Madison.
Recitation—Samuel Jordan, Adrian.
Singing—Miss Hattie Moore, Medina.
Discussion on Wheat Culture—G. B. Horton, Fruit Ridge; Samuel Morey, Springville; Thos. McComb, Ogden.
Quartette—Frank Aten and others, Macon.
Recitation—Miss Mary Ellis, Madison.
Essay—Geo. D. Moore, Medina.
Duet—Misses Jennie Estine McComb, Ogden.
Essay—What place should recreation be allowed in the life of the farmer—Mrs. M. Graves, Palmyra.
Recitation—Miss Florence Russell, Fruit Ridge.
Quartette—Miss Josie Clarkson and others, Macon.
Paper—What duties does the farmer owe the public—Dr. Geo. Howell, Macon.
Recitation—Miss Emma Bailey, Macon.
Inst. Music—Miss Estine McComb, Ogden.
Recitation—Frank Blakeman, Medina.
Recitation—Miss Jennie McComb, Ogden.
To be interspersed with singing by the Weston Glee Club.
Fourth degree meeting immediately after close of program.

BAND FESTIVAL AT MONROE.

The band tournament to be held at Monroe on Aug. 20th promises to be a grand affair. We understand that the Tecumseh band are making arrangements to attend. The Monroe Commercial says of it:

It is less than a week since invitations were sent to the various bands of surrounding cities and villages to come to Monroe Aug. 20 and participate in the 25th anniversary of the Monroe Cornet band, and the acceptances are pouring in at so rapid a rate as to exceed the most sanguine expectations of the band boys.

The various railroads will carry visitors at half fare, and excursions have already been arranged to this city from Plymouth, Wayne, Ann Arbor, Manchester and Tecumseh. If the citizens contribute liberally enough the attendance of several military companies can be secured, which, with the various G. A. R. posts of the county and neighboring cities, will present the grandest parade ever witnessed in this part of the state. The same date having been fixed as the fifth reunion of the soldiers and sailors' association of this county, in which such crack posts as Fairbanks and Farquar posts of Detroit, Forsyth post of Toledo, and others equally well known, will take a part. We have the assurance that at least one thousand warworn heroes will be in the line of parade that day, each post headed by a band.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Stephen Noole died at her home in Hillsdale on Tuesday evening July 28th. The deceased was known to many of our old residents as Miss Sarah Whitehead, daughter of A. A. Whitehead, whose family lived in Tecumseh many years ago. They moved from here to LaPorte in 1852. Her father died eight years ago and her mother only two years since, both of whom found a final burial place in Tecumseh cemetery. Mrs. Noble's remains were brought here last Thursday and interred by the side of her parents. The deceased was a niece of Mr. J. D. Sholes' first wife. She was twice married. Her first husband was killed at Pittsburg Landing, and her present husband, Mr. Noble, survives her. But two members of the Whitehead family remain, William living at Eaton Rapids and Sumner who resides at Jersey City.

The Universalist church of Manchester will hold a basket grove meeting in Lyman Baldwin's grove next Sunday, Aug. 9. Services at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M.

ONE DAY'S OUTING.

One day last week was set aside for a trip through the country with a horse and buggy. The weather was fearfully hot, but as there was a fine breeze stirring, it was far more comfortable than sweltering behind plate glass. Northward the star of empire took its way on this occasion.

Our first halt was made at Wm. Silver's on the Clinton road. He now works the old farm which gives him enough to do. He has lately been remodeling the interior of his house and papering over his rooms, which makes him a most comfortable home.

Henry Lancaster has been painting over the exterior of his Hotel which greatly improves its appearance. Hank is always making improvements of some kind.

E. F. Muir is running the old meat market and grocery business. He reports business good and seems to be as good natured as ever.

James B. Hause was found in the furniture store. He had no reason to complain of trade in his line but seemed inclined to criticise the weather somewhat.

Made Bro. Miles a short call at the Local Office and found Charley Spafford freezing a freezer of ice cream.

S. F. Marstellar is having a good run of work this summer. He is putting up some fine monuments and headstones at Clinton, Tecumseh and other places.

Dr. Cameron is having a good ride now and is well pleased with the healthy growth of his practice during the past six months.

Wm. J. Kelly is at work for Semark this summer and is engaged at present on the repairs to the Chas. Brook's residence.

John Ed. McCollum again has his business in his own hands—much to his own satisfaction as well as that of his friends—and is stocking up preparatory to a good fall's trade.

Found W. S. Kimball at his old station in the office of the Woolen Mills. The mill is now running a partial complement of hands and is increasing the number every week. A large lot of new cloths is now in stock and two men will start on the road this week.

John J. White has his hands full fitting new suits and always gives a good fit.

David Woodward was found at the foundry. He has put the price of plows down to hard pan, and is having a big run on them.

Gus VanDeMark is at the old hardware store and reports business picking up. He looks for a good fall trade.

Geo. Freese is home from Detroit for a few days and can be found at his father's store. He expects to return to Detroit this fall.

C. S. Burroughs is giving Clinton a first class drug store, and judging from his trade, we should say that his efforts in this direction are appreciated.

Clinton is in a ferment at present over the postoffice. Postmaster Rose has resigned and the two candidates for the vacancy are Danforth Keyes and J. B. McAdam. No fellow can find out just at present which one will be the lucky man.

Geo. R. Wilson still lives and moves and has his being on the old farm west of Clinton. He is living with his son who runs the farm. He considers that his working days are about over.

Found Wm. A. Marshall drawing in wheat with three teams. He had only time to say, How d'ye do and Good day.

Jos. Spaulding had a fine crop of wheat already secured and was plowing for the new seeding. He has a fine lot of porkers which will soon be ready for the market.

Wm. E. Wisner now farms about 140 acres. He had a fine crop of wheat this year. He is getting the lumber on the ground for a new house which will be erected next season.

Peter Gragg works the old homestead farm in the west part of Clinton township. His father has retired from active duty but still lives on the place and seems to enjoy life.

George Goodrich was hauling wheat with one set of hands and harvesting the golding grain with another set during our stay, which was short.

Wesley Keyser is now running his own farm and also the Coryell place, making two hundred and forty acres in all which he has charge of. It is needless to say that he has plenty to do, at least during the summer months, to keep him out of mischief.

Seth Sheldon has been "slicking up" and improving the Clark farm very much since his residence upon it. Under his skillful management it is developing into one of the best farms in that section of the county.

Sylvia's Guardian;

—OR—

A YOUNG GIRL'S LOVE.

BY BETTY WINWOOD.

(CONTINUED.)

"You would never do that, Isabel?"

"Yes, a thousand times rather than fail of making my peace with you. The last vestige of pride has been stricken from my heart."

She made a movement as though to fall at his feet, but he held her in both hands.

"Not that," he cried, half vexedly that.

"Then you forgive me that all this sorrow."

"It is."

"And you will try to forget how foolish and pettyminded I have been?"

"Yes, Isabel."

She would not suffer him to continue. "Enough. We will both forget the past. Bury it out of sight and write over the grave, 'all bygones.' Let us begin again. Is it a bargain?"

"Yes, Isabel. But really there is something I—I—"

"No, there isn't, [illegible] kissing him again. "I deserve a hard word. You have been the master in this affair. I the [illegible]. The humiliation should be mine."

Then she caught his hand, and laid it caressingly against her cheek.

"It is like a beautiful dream to be back again, Mark," she softly murmured. "I feel that I never wish to wake from it. It would have been my death-blow had you received me coldly."

How could he speak after such a confession? The world dwindled to a speck. It would have been easier to plunge a knife into the warm, throbbing heart fluttering so near his own.

At length Isabel released herself. "I had no intention of getting up a scene," she said, blushing prettily. "I must run away this moment. Where is Aunt Margaret? Let me go to her."

Just as she was saying this a dainty, girlish figure trimmed a rose the lawn, under the window, singing a snatch of bird-like melody. Isabel drew a quick breath.

"Who is that?"

"My ward, Sylvia Dreme."

"Is she living at Ingleside?"

"Yes," Mark answered. "The poor child is an orphan. She has no other home."

This was his opportunity to confess the truth. Why did he not? Was it distrust of himself or sympathy for Isabel that kept him silent?

"An orphan! How very sad," she exclaimed, with irresistible sweetness. "We will be very kind to her, Mark, and make good, so far as possible, the places of those she has lost."

Mark scoled himself in after Isabel left him, and so it happened that the three whose lives had been so unexpectedly blended did not all meet until the dinner-hour.

Sylvia appeared, radiant with happiness. She did not know of Isabel's presence in the house, until they stood face to face in Mark Castleton's presence, with the width of the dinner-table between them.

A confused presentation followed. Sylvia could never afterward remember what responses she made to the remarks delivered in Miss Grier's even, musical tones. On catching the name she felt all the color die out of her beautiful face.

"What a brilliant beauty," she thought. "How could Mark help loving her? Of course, her quarrel is made up, or she would not be here."

Finally, she stole a glance at her lover. His pallor and constraint were only too perceptible. He looked wretched almost beside himself. It required an effort to utter the most commonplace courtesies.

For Sylvia felt a sudden suspension that almost stilled the beating of her heart.

"Mark's love has returned to its old allegiance," she told herself. "It was mere sympathy that drew him to me, and now that Isabel is back again he realizes the mistake he has made. No matter. I am very miserable myself, but I could not endure to see him unhappy."

The moment dinner was over Mark returned to the library, and shut himself in. The next morning one of the servants announced that his master had left Ingleside during the night, to be absent several days.

It was true. Unable to meet the dilemma in which he found himself placed, he had fled like a coward, trusting that Isabel would hear the truth from other lips than his, during his absence, and understand her true position. Besides, was he sure, quite sure in his own heart, which of the two he loved best?

Isabel's manner to Sylvia was winning and gracious. In spite of it, the latter avoided her. She could no more have helped the instinctive distrust and dislike that awoke in her heart than she could have changed the course of the sun.

The afternoon of the third day Isabel sent a message to Sylvia in her chamber. "Will you come out with me for a walk? I wish to see you alone."

The girl went. Isabel was slightly pale as they turned into a shaded path at some distance from the house. She had the air of one who had nerved herself for a trying ordeal.

"I wish to tell you something of myself, Sylvia," she said, pausing abruptly beside a murmuring fountain. "You are willing to listen?"

"O, yes."

"Perhaps you have heard my story already?" turning a keen glance upon the girl's changing face. "Aunt Margaret knows. She may have told you of my hopes and dreams. It would be a dreadful disappointment should any thing come between them and fruition—dreadful."

Sylvia made no response. She put out her hand involuntarily, clinging to the marble basin for support.

"Mark Castleton was my promised husband long before you ever knew him," she went on, speaking rapidly. "A foolish misunderstanding separated us for a season. But, now that I am back again, he loves me better than ever. Have you not seen it?"

A single monosyllable fell from Sylvia's parted lips:

"Yes."

"You must know, also, what he is suffering at this moment. You are breaking his heart and mine! Some foolish words, spoken to you under the impulse of the moment, are all that keeps us apart. O, how can you stand between us and happiness?"

Sylvia made an effort to control herself, but her voice sounded strangely husky as she said:

"You think I should go away?"

"Yes, yes. It would be better for us all. You will be doing Mark a favor by leaving Ingleside before he returns."

[illegible] eager, imploring tone. "In a month's time he will have forgotten all about you."

Just then a step sounded on the gravel. Isabel turned, uttering a sharp cry of [illegible]. A tall, handsome man with [illegible] complexion and bold, piercing eyes was coming toward them.

[illegible] Sylvia's step. A glad light [illegible] and he eagerly extended both hands in greeting.

Isabel [illegible] Castleton, with the strange face. Well, [illegible] the mine in which I had staked my fortune have proved an utter failure?"

Isabel drew a deep breath.

"Everything gone—your fortune, all?"

"Everything."

There was a spence, Isabel saw, [illegible] her brow [illegible], a shadow [illegible] her face.

"What a mistake it [illegible] pressed [illegible] another word.

Sylvia was shocked. Scarcely knowing what she was doing, she clasped Mr. Castleton's hand between both her own.

"I am very sorry," she murmured. "It is so dreadful now for you. I—I—"

The sweet voice faltered, suddenly bursting into tears, she rushed from the room.

She went down to breakfast the next morning later than usual. Mr. Castleton and Mrs. Dalton were both present—only Isabel's place was vacant. After a brief delay, one of the servants was sent to summon her. The girl came back frightened.

"Miss Grier is not in her room," she announced. "I am sure she has left the house. This note was lying on the dressing-case. It is addressed to you, sir."

Mark took it silently. He did not seem to hear Mrs. Dalton's startled exclamations. Breaking the seal, he swept his eyes swiftly over the few hurriedly-written lines it contained. Sylvia saw his face change. After waiting a moment, he laid the note on the table beside her.

"I wish you to read it," he said, in a low voice.

She did so. This is what it said:

"A life of poverty would not be agreeable to me, and I claim my release. Manuel Kerston is my lover—not Sylvia's, as I gave you to understand. Though not a rich man, he has a settled income of a few thousand a year, and—I love him! Yes, the secret is out—I love him! We would have been married abroad had not the glittering temptation your fortune afforded brought me home again. Now that it is lost, I had better be true to the promptings of my heart. Even before these lines meet your gaze I shall be Manuel Kerston's wife.

ISABEL."

The note fell from Sylvia's trembling fingers. For a moment she forgot her own sorrow, and could only think of Mr. Castleton's.

"Heaven help you!" she whispered. "How are you going to endure this double blow?"

Mark had lost color, but a smile was on his lips. Rising suddenly, he drew the girl into the nearest room, and shut the door.

"Let me tell you, Sylvia, what that—that woman said to me the day I returned home. She was walking in the grounds with a stranger, but dismissed him the moment she saw me, and came to meet me. That is Sylvia's lover," her lying lips faltered. "She used to meet him secretly at the seminary, and now he has come here. She covets your wealth, but her heart is his. I think she will end the struggle by resigning you." I believed her. Your own words, when you came to me afterward in the library, seemed to confirm the story."

There was a pause. Something in his gaze as he bent over her caused Sylvia suddenly to exclaim:

"O, Mark, tell me the truth! Is it possible that you love *me*, and not Isabel? Me?"

"With all my heart," he whispered, touching his lips to her forehead. "I never knew how passionately until I thought you were lost to me forever."

They were married, of course, and were "happy ever after." And Dame Fortune had not played Mark the shabby trick he imagined. It proved a false alarm in regard to the worthlessness of the missing stock in which he had invested, for he was a richer man than ever. Rich in worldly goods, but richer still in heaven-sent happiness.

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

Taken together, all the beauties of art and nature do not interest the inquisitive female so much as the view she gets through the key hole.

"Thick as leaves in Vallambrosa." This phrase was no doubt first applied to the testimonials of Mishler's Herb Bitters, for they really seem countless. F. Hoffman, of Circleville, Ohio, sends along his contribution: "This is to certify that I have had dumb ague, and by using one bottle of Mishler's Herb Bitters a complete cure has been effected."

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

"Oh! Cast that Shadow from thy Brow."

You can't do it if you have liver complaint or dyspepsia. The darkened countenance tells the story of inward commotion and woe. Clear your stomach, strengthen your digestion, regulate your liver, tone your nerves, and then away goes the shadow from your brow, and you are happy because you are well. Mrs. M. J. Alston, of Littleton, N. C., says, "I recommend Brown's Iron Bitters to the nervous and debilitated. It greatly benefited me."

A metal hitherto unknown, and which is said to be likely to supplant nickel in general use, has been discovered in the Lehigh Valley.

The Homliest Man in Tecumseh.

As well as the handsomest, and others, are invited to call on Baker & Hall, and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

The experiment of churning each cow's milk separately has shown that cows that give a small yield in quantity of milk often produce a larger proportion of butter than the copious milkers. This is true not only of different breeds, but different animals of the same breed. —*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—Farmers like to see the wheat field well covered when the snow goes off in the spring. But if the soil is rich and the wheat is encouraged to grow by cultivating the surface a little, grain is better, as it is not likely to break down. Some of the best wheat fields have in spring looked so bare of wheat that their owners were tempted to plough them up, but a large crop was the outcome at harvest.—*Rural Home.*

—That hen-lay better when divided into small flocks has with me been demonstrated. In one flock were nineteen hens, and in another four, the former receiving much better care and food than the latter, and having better quarters. The highest number received from the smaller flock in one day was four, and from the larger flock thirteen, and the average products of the two flocks have borne about the same ratio. —*N. Y. Tribune.*

—An evergreen tree trimmed up a few feet from the bottom is an intolerable offense to good taste. A hay-cock on a bean-pole would be a reputable substitute. An evergreen should be a pyramid springing from the ground, or it should be a thing. No class of trees add more to a landscape than evergreens when properly grown, and no trees so disfigure it when turned into inverted tops. An evergreen is at its best when it is a "part of the lawn," so closely connected with the sward as to be distinguished only by its color.—*Rural New Yorker.*

—The *Poultry Monthly* gives the results of some experiments made to test the effect different conditions as to moisture would have upon the hatching of eggs. Ten hens were set on one hundred and thirty eggs in a basement and the damp ground, with just enough straw to hold the eggs together; ten other hens were set on the upper floor on one hundred and thirty eggs with only straw enough to keep the eggs from breaking. The result was almost exactly one hundred chicks from each lot of hens. So it concludes that with good eggs the surroundings make but little difference.

—Oats are a profitable and useful crop and will succeed upon almost any soil from black loam to the heaviest clay. They are grown so easily that they are hardly appreciated. Oats grown in a northern latitude are much heavier than those grown further south, and hence seed should be obtained that has been grown at the north. Heavy oats are somewhat scarce. No farmer ever had more oats than he knew what to do with. They are an excellent feed for horses, sheep, fowls, or, in fact, for any animal. The later oats are sown the lighter they will be likely to be. Upon old, previously cultivated land but little labor is required.—*Chicago Times.*

GLOVES AND FOOTGEAR.

The Fashionable Vanity of Women with Respect to Hand and Foot Covering.

Traveling mantles which made the shape of a visite are long and with large sleeves, redingotes and pelisses fit tight and have many plaits or gathers at the back, a band or string put on in the inside draws in the waist, and they are buttoned the whole length. Thin materials are employed for such mantles, although they are intended to protect the costume from dust, rain and other accidents on the way.

The toilet of a woman belonging to the fashionable and elegant world must be distinguished by the most careful attention to details, and it is necessary to devote a few lines to the question of gloves and footgear. With a dressy toilet Swedish gloves continue the only handgear considered suitable; with a white robe white chevrette may be worn, and the fine doe glove with white embroidered points, always very long and buttoned upward from the wrist, is worn for the street, shopping, etc. There are also elegant silk and kid gloves with long lace gauntlets worked in gold and silver thread and silks of different colors, yet these are so difficult to choose in harmony with the toilet that a little more license is allowed.

Elegant shoes for wearing with outdoor costumes are of fine kid, either black or matching the dress, and no ornament is put on. We would here advise our young friends not to have their shoes and walking boots with such long points as are fashionable, for these press the toes in an atrocious manner and cause many inconveniences. One must ever deplore the mania for change always going on in the world, which throws us from one extreme to the other; it would be so easy, for instance, to wear foot gear of a sensible and yet elegant shape, instead of the horribly outre points now so admired, but of course the latter are all the rage. So much for fashion! Those, however, are much to be pitied who allow the fair and fickle Dame to dictate to them in every respect instead of following the rules of good sense and good taste, when by doing the latter they would not only gain esteem in the eyes of all well-bred people, but also be well and elegantly attired.—*The Sea son.*

CUTLERY.

American Goods—How the Different Kinds of Cutlery Are Made.

American cutlery is now finding its way all over the world, and knives, shears, scythes and planes of our manufacture are to be found in the warehouses of most large English cities. In 187[illegible] the importation of cutlery into the United States amounted to $10,500,000, which was cut down in 1880 to about $900,000 a year, besides which $[illegible] worth of domestic goods were exported in that year. In the manufacture of axes the United States has made marvelous advances, surpassing all other countries except Canada, which bears an equally good reputation for making these useful implements.

Good table-knives are made of steel and iron welded together; the part which goes into the handle (called in technicality the tang in England) and the shoulder are of iron, and the blade of steel. The tang and shoulder are forged from bar iron, and the blade from shear or cast-steel. Knife-blades, razor-blades and other small articles are usually forged into their required shape while still attached to the bar, which serves for the workman to hold them by. When the bar becomes too short it is grasped in a pair of tongs held close by a ring which clamps them by sliding up their conical handles. Two men are employed in forging such work. The principal workman, or fireman, as he is sometimes called, uses a small hammer of two to four pounds weight, while the hammerman wields the sledge-hammer, weighing from ten to fifteen pounds. The fireman, who attends the heating as well as the anvil work, directs the hammerman, whose blows merely follow those of the small directing hammer of the fireman. In drawing down or reducing a bar both in length and width, the flat face of the hammer is used, but when the length or breadth alone is to be extended, only the narrow edge of the hammer is used. The concavity of razor-blades is made by hammering the blade on a small round-faced anvil; the notch, or nail-hole, of a penknife is struck by means of a chisel of the required form. Superior work, such as razor-blades, are "smithed" after forging, that is, beaten upon an anvil, to condense the metal as much as possible, and slightly ground or scratched upon a rough stone, to finish the shaping and remove the scale, or black oxidized surface, which would interfere with the color of the tempering.

Common knives are made entirely of iron, and the difference of price arises not merely from the difference in cost of the material, but from the greater facility of working. It should also be understood that, in many articles composed of steel welded to iron, the saving of steel is not the only advantage, for steel being more brittle than wrought iron, it is very desirable, in all articles subject to a transverse breaking strain or to concussion, that every part except the cutting or working edge should be of iron. Thus a hatchet made entirely of steel would be less durable than one of iron with a welded steel cutting edge, and so of other articles.

Table forks are forged rudely into the shape required, first as though but a single thick prong were required. The part for the prongs is then beaten out, and a stamping die is brought down upon it, which forms the prongs, with a thin film of steel between them; this is cut by a cutting die. Then they are softened and filled up, again hardened and tempered and ground to smooth and finish. The dry grinding of forks, needles, etc., is a very deleterious trade, on account of the particles of steel which enter the nostrils of the workmen, and produce most painful irritation, followed by a peculiar disease called "grinders asthma," which is said to shorten life so seriously that few dry grinders, exposed to the steel dust, reach forty years of age. Many remedies have been proposed for this. A magnetic mouthpiece was invented. But the workmen would not wear it, on account of its novelty, its grotesque appearance, the trouble of cleaning it, and the belief that if their trade were more healthy, greater numbers would enter it, and wages be reduced. A revolving fan, which sets in motion a current of air, that is carried by a pipe to the outside of the building, has been used with greater success, and is now in general use when it can be applied, though its introduction was much opposed by the workmen.—*Scientific American.*

Took the Hint.

George—"You do not look well this morning. Has Miss De Rich been cruel?"

Algernon—"No. She hinted last night that she might be mine if her pa would consent, and I took the hint."

"Interviewed the old man, eh? Well, how did he receive you?"

"He hinted that he did not care to talk on the subject."

"Ah! Struck him at the wrong time, evidently. I hope you took the hint."

"Yes, I had to. You see the door was open, I was on the top step and he wears No. 10's."—*Philadelphia Call.*

—The eel has a peculiar way of retaining a desired position in swift-running water. He settles on some sharp rock, faces up stream, and making a hook of the head and forward part of the body, drops it over the upper side of the rock and takes his ease.—*Chicago Times.*

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FALL OF THE GREAT REPUBLIC.

Drawing on the Imagination—A Lively and Absurd Prediction of Impending Ruin—By Sir Henry Standish Coverdale, New York, 1895.

There is in these days a marked tendency toward discounting the future in the form of literary predictions. The "Battle of Dorking" has had a long line of successors, of which "The Fall of the Great Republic" is the latest and by no means one of the worst. In this instance it is Socialism through which the Republic is to be wrecked, and the anonymous author has worked out his conception so skillfully that few readers on closing the book will feel disposed to assert positively the impossibility of such a disaster. The growth of Socialism is supposed to be stimulated during several years by a secret organization. Finally a riot occurs at Chicago. It is put down with difficulty after much damage has been done. A few months later, through the co-operation of the trades-unions with the Socialists, another Chicago outbreak occurs. It is so serious that help is called for from all the principal cities in the Union. These denude themselves of their militia in response to the appeal, and when they are on the way, at a given signal revolution breaks out in every one of the now defenseless centres. The result scarcely requires to be narrated. The Socialists overwhelm the peaceful citizens. Anarchy of the most frightful character prevails. Massacre, pillage, arson are everywhere. Society has no time to collect itself. Its enemies are too thoroughly prepared. They destroy the telegraphs, seize the railroads, render effective combination against them impossible. The little Federal army is on the frontier fighting Indians when the revolution breaks out; but when it is brought back the Socialists have aleady conquered the country. The law-abiding citizens are fugitives in the unsettled regions. The towns and cities are all in the hands of the sworn foes of order. The Irish, who have held back during the overthrow of government, now through their leaders offer to the President to restore order on condition that their chiefs are virtually given full control of the Administration. The President, after fruitless resistance, consents, but, finding the Secretaries of State and War ignore him, he rebels, only to be at once deposed.

The Irish, German and French leaders propose to seize and imprison the diplomatic agents of London, Paris and Berlin. War is at once declared against the United States by these Powers, who enter into a firm alliance for the punishment of the Socialist revolutionaries. A powerful English fleet is swiftly dispatched, and Boston is seized before the new Washington Government can do anything. Then half a million European troops are landed on the shores of Long Island Sound, and after a stubborn fight New York is taken, though not until the Socialists have burned half of it. The defeated revolutionists retreat upon Washington but are overtaken by the allies and a desperate two day's battle is fought on the field of Gettysburg. The close of the second day sees the Socialist Army not merely beaten, but annihilated, reduced to a fugitive crowd without organization or capacity for resistance. A general occupation of the country by the allies concludes the narrative, which is supposed to be written by "Intendant for the Board of European Administration in the Province of New York," and to be published "By permission of the Bureau of Press Censorship."

It must be admitted that the idea has been artistically worked out, and that the literary skill of the author, which is considerable, imparts to it a verisimilitude productive of unpleasant feelings. Yet it is necessary to point out that the kind of apprehension presumably sought to be reinforced by such inventions is really a good deal like that from which Clever Grethel suffered in Grimm's story, when she saw the hatchet on the wall, and reflected that if she should marry Hans, and they should have a son, and he should grow up, and some day go down into the cellar, and the hatchet should fall on him, how terrible it would be! Just so, if the animalcules in a drop of water were really as large as they appear under the microscope, and if they should get loose, what havoc might they not cause.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Horace Greeley's Prescience.

A correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican* tells the following story of Horac Greeley: "One day a letter came to the office bearing the following cabalistic letters: H. G. N. Y. This is all that was on the envelope except the postmark, which showed that the letter came from Lawrence, Kan. I call it a letter, but it was not a letter, for on opening the envelope not a scrap of paper was found inside, only a crumpled $1 note on some Ohio bank. In those days letters were sometimes not prepaid, and this was not; consequently a due bill was attached to the missive showing that the sum of three cents was to be collected. Mr. Greeley promptly paid the three cents. Who could be the sender? It puzzled the philosopher just a little only. 'Such doings can only be placed to the credit of Bill Reynolds,' mused Mr. Greeley. 'Bill always had idiosyncrasies, and when he had a truck farm out in Orange County would call, and not finding me in the sanctum would place a dollar bill for his subscription under a paperweight on my desk and leave. Bill told me he was going out West to try his "luck." The paper was mailed to William Reynolds, Lawrence, Kan., according to Mr. G.'s direction, and upon investigation it was found that Greeley's surmise was correct. Bill Reynolds was the right party."

—The editor of the *Brule Index*, at Kimball, D. T., claims to have in his possession a silver coin a little larger than a dime, smooth on both sides, and not rimmed, that was found at a depth of 140 feet in boring for a well, also a section of a socket-bone, thought to be from a man of enormous size.

—A child playing with matches caused the destruction of 232 houses in the Hungarian village of Nemedi, and made bankrupt the whole population.

TACT.

Good-Intentioned, But Because of His Lack of This Quality, an Unmitigated Nuisance.

Old man Knosey, of West Madison street, comes about as near being an angel in pantaloons as Chicago flesh and blood can hope to become, so far as intentions go, but in spite of the purity of his motives the guileless old man is in hot water a good share of the time, simply because he has no such thing as tact in his nature, and will persist in rubbing the hair the wrong way whenever he comes in contact with people. He means well, but no matter how hard he tries to be sociable, he is sure to put his foot in it. He has no guile or any other of the society essentials about him, and so whenever anything comes into his head he blurts it right out without any ceremony, regardless of circumstances and surroundings. The great fallacy of his life is that it is sociability to say things that should be left unsaid altogether, and ask questions about things that can in no way concern him.

Introduce him to a stranger, and within ten minutes he will ask the price of the man's clothing, article by article, from his hat to his boots. If jewelry is visible, he will want to know whether it is pure gold, or only "washed," and whether it was purchased new or at the pawnbroker's. He will also want to know if the man's watch keeps good time, and if he hasn't been getting his pantaloons dyed. When the conversational possibilities in that direction become exhausted, he will make the stranger's name a pretext for asking if he isn't related to a family of the same name in such and such a place, and then, very likely, he will proceed to remark that one of this very same family had to leave the neighborhood between two days for stealing sheep, and that another had been thrown out of the church for robbing the contribution box.

He will ask a doctor if he ever buried anybody out of the world by way of experiment, and catechise a druggist as to how frequently he has made fatal blunders in filling prescriptions. He will tell a lawyer that he can't understand how the tricks of the profession can be reconciled to the benefit of Christianity, and will ask a speculating deacon the difference between dealing in options and any other kind of gambling. He never hesitates to intimate to the infatuated mother of an uncomely infant that he has seen much prettier children than her babe, and then the poor man will lie awake all night shortly afterward, trying to make out why her husband has foreclosed a mortgage on his home. He will doze and nod in his pew at church, and then feel pained when he discovers that his pastor does not clasp his hand with reciprocal warmth.

In visiting a neighbor he walks in with muddy boots; sets his umbrella in the corner to drip on the carpet; leans back in his chair; mars up the rugs with his boot heels; soils the wall-paper with hair-oil; spits tobacco juice on the stove; and yet the poor man can not understand why they do not press him to come again, and why, after all his efforts to be sociable, they should treat him coolly. He tries hard to be cordial to all, and he endeavors most unselfishly, to be friendly, but can not succeed; and all simply through lack of discretion and want of tact.

Young man, if you want to slide through the world easily, study tact before you do Greek.—*Chicago Ledger.*

TRUSTY FARM HANDS.

The Connection Between Them and Their Employers Should Be One of Mutual Benefit.

Any man who goes into the employment of another should take his position with the determination of making the connection between himself and employer one of mutual benefit. Farm hands are liable to lose all but a selfish interest, and make their chief object to pass away the time and receive their money. The object is not usually an unwillingness on the part of the employe to perform sufficient labor, but a lack of carefulness and perfect trust.

Some hired men are too sensitive and appear unwilling to be instructed in the performance of any job, others are willing to do any way suggested, right or wrong, and to execute it in the quickest possible manner, regardless of result. Now, these faults are both unpleasant and unprofitable to the parties concerned. A hired man should become as one of the farmer's family, and make his employer's interest his own, and show himself trustworthy.

It makes no difference how much muscular strength a man may possess, or how much labor he may be able to perform, if he can not be trusted out of sight with the care of stock, the use of a team, or the performance of any job of work, he can not obtain wages the year through equal to those of a stripling youth who is honest and vigilant.

A farmer wishes to know when the "barn chores" are finished that the cattle and horses are all in their proper places, and made secure, and that they are plentifully fed; that when his team is away upon the road it is well cared for; the bars, fences, etc., are left in good order after passing through them; that gates and barn-yards are closed at night; that axes, wedges, hoes and other tools are laid up in their places. There is a satisfaction in having a man about the farm who will attend to all these matters with as much care as if they were his own, and a hired man of this stamp need never search for a position or work for common wages; he will always stand at a premium, and the only trouble he will find that is insurmountable will be to accommodate all who wish to secure his services.

It requires no more outlay of strength, no more time, only an exercise of care to do work right, and by this study to do things as they should be done, habits are formed, and theories inculcated, which will be of great value and lasting benefit when the employe shall have become the owner and manager of an estate.—*Tribune and Farmer.*

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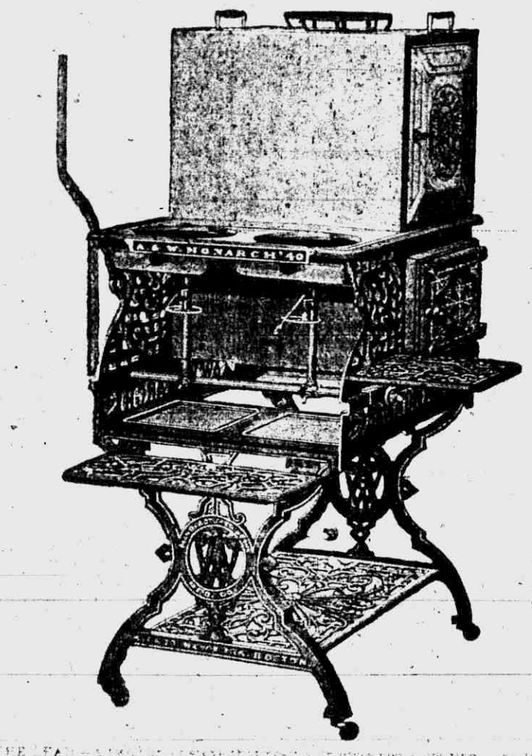

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Proclamation from Gov. Alger.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
LANSING, MICH., July 23, 1885.

The nation mourns to-day. Our great and beloved military chieftain, who saved the union from wreck and disintegration, has passed from earth. It is most fitting that every loyal citizen of the commonwealth, as well as of the nation, should by act and thought show that mark of respect due to the memory of this great hero. The capitol at Lansing will at once be appropriately draped, and all the state offices, so far as practicable, will be closed on the day of the funeral.

I sincerely hope that all citizens will, at their respective homes and places of business, display appropriate emblems of mourning, and that all business will be suspended during the hours of the funeral.

Let us all show a proper regard for the man who, by his great ability and fidelity to his country, carried us safely through the fiery ordeal of war.

Let us all remember and reverence the immortal name of Ulysses S. Grant.

RUSSELL A. ALGER.

By the Governor:
H. A. CONANT, Secretary of State.

L. E. Wheeler was at Clinton yesterday taking landscape views.

Regular Meeting Tecumseh Lodge 89 Knights of Honor next Monday night, Aug. 10, at 8 o'clock sharp for work in the degrees. Let every Knight try to be present.

D. T. HALL, Dictator.

The Morenci Observer has turned itself inside out; that is, it wears its "patent insides" on the inside where they belong. The new arrangement improves the paper, besides being more natural.

The M. & O. road will sell tickets to Devil's Lake during the G. A. R. encampment at one fare for the round trip. Tickets at this reduced rate will be sold on August 25th, 26th, 27th and 28th, and made good to return on August 29th.

A project is on foot for a Masonic excursion to Devils lake, in which the Manchester, Clinton, Dundee and Tecumseh Lodges will join. The matter has not yet assumed definite shape but will probably take place early in September.

Several Tecumseh people attended the promenade at Adam's Hotel, Sand Lake, last Saturday evening and report a very enjoyable time. Ollie Hunt's orchestra furnished the music, of course, and there was a large crowd in attendance.

The Addison rink is a very convenient building. The young sinners trip the light fantastic and rinkulate therein on week day evenings. The pious sinners hold Sabbath services there on Sunday. We regret to say that the week day meetings are the most numerously attended.

Addison Gadge has a wonderfully stimulating effect on the editorial imagination. Just read what the Courier man says about Lon O'Mealy. In speaking of the trial of John Rose for being a common drunkard, he says:

"Lon. O'Mealy, who is a lucid literary star in the galaxy of forensic eloquence, was counsel for the people and materially assisted the justice by a preponderance of legal erudition and acumen which rolled over his gustatory organ and through his oral orifice without apparent effort or footstrought."

THE DEVILS LAKE HOUSE

We took a flying trip to Devil's lake one day last week and put up at Allen's new hotel. The appearance of the place has been much improved since the opening. A railing has been put around the verandah on the south and east sides and the grounds have been cleared up and graded. The house is conducted in first class style. Good beds, an excellent table, plenty of fine boats and accommodating attendants make it a model house in which to enjoy a few days respite from hot weather. Treadwell's Landing which is run in connection with the house, has a fine grove and summer house with a good supply of tables and benches, making it a splendid locality for picnic and boating parties. Among the guests who have lately registered at Allen's we noticed Mrs. J. A. Eaton, Mrs. D. S. Stevens, Judge Geddes and wife of Adrian; R. McHugh of the M. & O. road; Ira Waterman of Hudson, Joe Smith and wife, Wm. H. Osborn and J. S. Osborn of Tecumseh. Many people from Homer and Hanover have also stopped there and Toledo has been represented by numerous arrivals. This Hotel is deserving of a good patronage and we are glad to see it receiving the same.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 6, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Joe Emery, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

Charlie Arnold, of Adrian, was in town Sunday.

Ed Baird is in town this week. He arrived last Friday.

Wm. H. Osborn and family took a trip to Devils lake Saturday.

John Ed. McCollum, of Clinton, has adopted the cash plan of doing business.

The telephone at Comfort's mill, which was taken out a short time ago, has been replaced.

Earle Sheldon started for the lakes last Monday for a week's respite from his duties at the postoffice.

The Lake Shore will sell tickets to Sell's Bros. circus at Adrian, Aug. 11th at 50 cents for round trip.

The M. & O. ran an excursion train from Addison to Gull Lake last Sunday. There were four coaches well filled.

H. B. Waldby, formerly of Adrian, is cashier of the Gratiot County Savings Bank, a new enterprise just started at Alma.

Dike Wilkinson, of Jackson, stopped off at Tecumseh last Saturday night to take the M. & O. excursion train Sunday.

Jerry Root went to Richland on the M. & O. road last Monday and bought several thousand bushels of old wheat for Hayden's Mills.

Everybody knows, if they have seen his nose, that Geo. Field has been rusticating at the lakes for the past week. He reports a good time.

Harry Quine, of Toledo, arrived home last Saturday night. Harry has a good position in the office of the Milburn wagon works in that city.

Geo. Schreder has given up his position in the telephone office. His place is supplied by Harry Corwin, of Union City, an experienced telephone man.

Granville Wood, of Detroit, was in town last week. He will be remembered as the gentleman who constructed the organs in the Baptist and Presbyterian churches.

There were 615 connections made on the state line at the telephone office in Tecumseh during the month of July. This is not counting the local connections around town.

The work on Brazee's new hotel at the north end of Devils lake is rapidly going forward, and the house will be ready for guests before the date of the G. A. R. encampment.

The copious rains of Sunday and Monday cooled the atmosphere very much and forced the mercury down several degrees. Even for this brief respite sweltering humanity will return thanks.

The band concert drew a good crowd at the park last Monday night and they were regaled with some fine music. The quartettes were exceptionally good and were received with repeated applause.

When Hudson young ladies get in to a quarrel they settle it in genuine Heenan Sayers style. The other day two sisters got into a war of words, when one of them struck out from the shoulder and knocked the other fair damsel down. Hudson is bound to lead the van in all modern improvements.

Adrian Press. If the Tecumseh Cornet band can blow out suitable uniforms in due season, the boys will accept an invitation from the Monroe band to observe its 25th anniversary, Aug. 20th. The citizens are asked to slip their digits into their pants pocket that holds their wallet, and aid the boys in dressing up.

As Frank Silvers was driving around the race track last Saturday, some one on the outside of the grounds shot off a gun as the horse came near to the place where he was, which so frightened it that it became unmanageable and ran away. Frank and the horse were uninjured but the sulky was smashed to pieces.

Hudson has a "suburb" called "Sleepy Hollow." Is that the port in which Bro. Schermerhorn anchors when overtaken by a thunder storm on a sail boat ride.—HERALD.

Brother Schermerhorn wouldn't anchor under the circumstances described, at all. He is too thorough a newspaper man to slide away from such a genuinely sensational piece of news as a thunder storm, in so queer a location.—Adrian Times.

On Saturday, Aug. 15th on account of the excursion to Toledo and thence by boat to Put-in-Bay, trains 31 and 34, on the M. & O. road will not be run on their regular schedule time, but will be run as follows:

No. 31 will leave Battle Creek at 5:30 A. M.

Onsted,	8:00	A. M.
Tipton,	8:11	"
Tecumseh,	8:25	"
Ridgeway,	8:35	"
Britton,	8:39	"
Dundee,	9:00	"

No. 34 will leave Toledo that evening for Battle Creek at 9 P. M. instead of at 5:45 P. M.

New wheat is coming into the market.

Plenty of rain last Sunday and Monday.

New uniforms have been ordered for the Blissfield band.

The excursion train last Sunday over the M. & O. to Devil's Lake was well patronized.

Ed. Smith of Clinton, has let the contract to put in a full set of roller machinery in his mill.

The races advertised for last Saturday at Adrian were postponed until yesterday on account of the rain.

Guy Davidson, son of Frank Davidson, caught a badger last Monday which weighed 40½ pounds. Frank's son is a chip of the old block.

The Home Missionary meeting at the Methodist Episcopal church was postponed on account of rain. It will be held next Sunday evening.

Noah Lane, who was formerly one of Tecumseh's best barbers, was in town last week. He has opened a restaurant in Adrian on South Main street, second door south of Waldby's bank.

Wiggins, the weather prophet, has a brother in Charlevoix who is a Methodist minister. We are happy to state that Wiggins the parson is a more truthful man than Wiggins the prophet.

Clinton Local. The Woolen mill company have recently purchased some extra large clips of wool from the farmers in the vicinity of Norvell. One load, delivered here a few days ago, brought the stog sum of $475.

Blissfield is now enjoying the luxury of a mill dam suit. The injunction restraining Mrs. Love from rebuilding the dam, was dissolved last week. If Mrs. Love has set her heart on a dam, by all means let her have a dam. Let Mrs. Love alone to toy with the object of her affections, and Blissfield will soon be blessed with a dam. When a woman wills, she wills, you may depend on't.

Adrian Record. The young man of the Hudson Gazette exclaimed against the female custom of "ragging out the form with 16 to 25 thicknesses of cloth." Older heads of the county press having admonished him that he had put it on rather thick, he is led to remark, "That's all right. The fact of the matter is they have been deluded all these years, and they feel chagrined to think that a young unmarried man should 'scoop 'em in this style.' William speaks in a confident manner since his trip on the editorial excursion.

In reply to the HERALD query as to the whereabouts of Wiggins, the Adrian Press says:

Wiggins. Why, he's up in Adrian on his big, well cultivated farm, raising crops that would tickle a duke from the old country, could he but see them once on his acres. Wiggins is minding his p's and q's, and making up by hard work, what he lost by consenting to be a legislator from the second district. Wiggins isn't fooling around with the weather, but is content to take it cool in hot weather or make it hot for his opponents in cold weather. At present you can address him at Adrian. After January 1st, address to Lansing.

It was in a Kansas town. A drummer for a leading house stood at the counter. The editor entered. "Anything you desire to say in the paper this week?" "No," said the business man, "I don't believe in advertising." The drummer waited until the printer was half way to the door, then slowly taking up his sample case remarked, "Well, that lets me out. I do not care to sell on time to any man who, in this enlightened age, does not believe in advertising. I prefer to deal with live men. When I want to strike up a trade with dead men I'll go to the grave yard and swap tombstones. Good day, sir."—Ex.

Mr. John Lawson, formerly an old resident of this place, has, after an absence of nearly twelve years, returned to Addison. Mr. Lawson brought with him a leather dressing for boots, shoes, buggy tops and harnesses, which proves to be a first-class article and excels anything of the kind we have ever seen. This dressing contains nothing that will injure the leather. It will produce a shine that will last for several days, and nothing to which it is applied will wet through. He has sold a county right to J. H. Dayton, who intends to sell the dressing in this county. It will be ready for the market in a few days.—Addison Courier.

One of the handsomest pamphlets we have seen in many a day, is issued by the North American Review, for the benefit of the pedestal fund of the Bartholdi statue. It is entitled "The Statue of Liberty Enlightening the World. Described by the Sculptor Bartholdi." It is handsomely printed, among other beautiful engravings is one on steel of the great work in position, and is replete with information in regard to the pedestal, the statue, and many things which people want to know. We presume the pamphlet will be on sale in our local stores, but anyone wishing it can get it by sending 75 cents to the North American Review, New York.

Dr. L. G. North and family are rusticating at Sand Lake to-day.

About 20 bands will be present at Monroe festival on the 20th inst.

Tom Elliott now rides on a bicycle of his own manufacture. It is a dairy.

Capt. Foster fed at the Lakes House yesterday 126 for dinner and 94 for supper.

Baker & Hull's soda water is a prime drink this hot weather. Baker knows how to flavor the syrups.

Geo. Schreder has purchased a tenor horn and will become a member of the Tecumseh Cornet Band.

The foundation walls of Mrs. P. R. Adams' new residence are completed and the frame is going up this week.

L. E. Wheeler is preparing to give a couple of stereopticon entertainments in the Opera House at an early date.

The farmers' big picnic at Devil's Lake and the big band tournament at Monroe will both take place on the same day, Aug. 20th.

The farmers of Manchester, Brooklyn and adjoining towns will hold their annual picnic at Wampler's lake on Friday, Aug. 14th.

Misses Helen Munger and Dott Simmonds, of Dundee, were visiting their friend Etta Thorp last week, returning to their home on Friday.

Maude and Henry Crowell, of Cleveland, are spending a few weeks with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Briggs, of this village.

The Western Union telegraph office in Tecumseh is authorized to receive all donations to the Grant Monument fund. Hand in your offerings to Newberry.

Last Saturday was "Uncle Bill Nixon's" birthday. He brushed the dust off his life, donned his best suit, and gave our community a reminder of "ye olden time."

The effort to convict an Adrian saloonist for keeping open house on the 4th of July, failed. The average jury man seems to think that a free American citizen has a right to get boozy on the glorious 4th, if he wants to.

The band will give another concert in the square next Monday night. The quartette will play Luther's hymn, "A Strong hold Sure." Fischer's beautiful song "The Rose in the Forest," and Mosart's "German Students' Song."

The following are the elected officers of Raisin Valley Encampment:

Wm. Gray—C. P.
A. Conklin—H. P.
E. A. Hodges—S. W.
J. A. Curry—J. W.
T. Cummins—Scribe.
C. E. Williamson—Treasurer.
I. P. Keyser—Sentinel.
J. Kessler—Guide.

Rev. C. E. Conley has returned from his northern trip. In consequence of the repairs now being put upon the Baptist meeting house, he will preach in the Opera House at the usual time on Sunday morning. The Sunday School will hold its usual session in the same place at 12 M. A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

Tickets are on sale by the M. & O. ticket agents this week to New York for one fare for the round trip. These tickets are sold only to military companies in uniform, and to G. A. R. Posts wearing badges, and when traveling in parties of ten or more, on one ticket. They are sold on the 5th and 6th and must be made good to return not later than August 11th.

It won't be a fatal objection. He will take it all the same, at the reduced salary. Hear ye him. The salary of the postmaster at Hudson has been reduced $200. Sorry for the sake of Hudson's next P. M., editor Schermerhorn.—Morenci Observer.

As we have said before, an official notification to the above effect has not arrived at this office yet, but if in the course of human events it does turn up, let us reiterate that President Cleveland can depend on our acceptance, even at the reduced salary. There's nothing small about us.—Hudson Gazette.

A grand excursion will run from Battle Creek to Toledo and Put in Bay via the M. & O. road on Saturday, Aug. 15th '85. From Toledo the steamer Chief Justice Waite will convey the excursionists to the Islands of Lake Erie, arriving at Put in Bay at 2 o'clock P. M. Passengers will have eight hours on the lake and two and one half hours on the Island. Train will leave Battle Creek at 5:30 A. M. and pass Tecumseh station at 5:55 A. M. Fare for the round trip only 95 cents from Tecumseh; from Tipton $1.00, from Ridgeway 90 cents, from Britton 85 cents.

Adrian Record. At the Grant memorial service on Saturday, ex-Gov. Croswell, Gen. W. H. Humphrey and Lieut. Salsbury will deliver addresses. The Soldiers monument and speakers stand will be appropriately draped. The committee for this work are J. R. Bennett, J. A. Merritt, Dr. Owen, Mrs. W. S. Wilcox, Mrs. R. R. Robbins, Mrs. C. M. Croswell. Hon. W. S. Wilcox will be president of the day and Col. R. R. Robbins, marshal of the day. All old soldiers and sailors of the county are invited and requested to attend the services. The closing exercises of the occasion will be the funeral rites by the G. A. R.

BASE BALL.

Yesterday's Game between the Jackson and Tecumseh Clubs Results in an Easy Victory for the former by a Score of Seven to One.

The fine weather of yesterday drew quite a crowd to see the game between the Jackson base ball club and the Tecumseh nine. Although it was the first game the home club has played this season they played it in good shape, and lost for two errors at third base in the first part of the game. They would have held the Jackson's down pretty close. Beebe and Simonds, the battery, did excellent work. Beebe struck out the Jacksons in the first innings, and also the sixth and seventh.

The first innings resulted in a white wash for both sides, in the second, Jackson got in a score by an error on the part of the home nine, and also one in the third on a fumble by Heidenrich at third. In the fourth innings Chapman made a two bagger, stole to third and came home on a wild throw, which was the only score made by the home nine. Will Tray of the Jackson's also made a two bagger in the fifth innings. In the seventh a splendid double play was made by Anderson catching a fly and throwing to first, thus putting out two men.

The Jacksons played with the same old battery they had last year: the Tray brothers, and Will's curves puzzled the Tecumseh boys the same, and in fact a little more as they have had no practice batting this year. The usual amount of unnecessary kicking was done by the crowd on the umpiring, which was done in as fair and impartial a manner as could be done. We hope the T. B. B. A. will not stop with this one, but favor us with some more games before cold weather.

THE SCORE.

TECUMSEH.

	R.	I.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Boswell, s. s.	0	0	2	2	2
Chapman, 2b	1	2	3	2	0
Heidenrich, 3b	0	0	1	0	0
Freeman, 1b	0	0	16	0	0
McKinney, c. f.	0	0	1	0	0
Boswell, r. f.	0	0	1	1	0
Simonds, c.	0	0	7	8	2
Anderson, l. f.	0	0	1	0	0
Beebe, p.	0	0	0	10	2
Total	1	2	31	23	6

JACKSONS.

	R.	I.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Wood, c. f.	2	1	3	0	1
Bush, s. s.	1	2	0	0	1
Tray, W., p.	1	1	0	0	0
Morrissey, 1 b	1	0	2	0	0
Burrell, 2 b	0	0	0	0	0
Tray, E., c.	1	2	16	2	1
Derby, 3 b	1	1	1	0	0
Murray, r. f.	0	1	0	0	0
Byron, r. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Total	7	7	27	2	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Jackson	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	—
Tecumseh	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—

Two base hits—Chapman, Tray. Double plays—Anderson, Freeman. Struck out—Tecumseh 18, Jackson 15. Time—Hour and a half. Scorer—Burt.

A Strange Coincidence.

A good many newspaper readers will remember that when Gen. Grant captured Vicksburg, some printers in the Union army found a page of the Vicksburg Citizen all ready to go to press, and worked off the edition, merely adding a paragraph, at the foot of the column remarking on the capture of the city. At the time—July 4, 1863—the little sheet had a large circulation. The Confederacy had run out of print paper, and that edition of the Citizen was printed on wall paper.

The paper was a single page, half column sheet printed only on one side, the plain side of the wall paper.

On Saturday last the Chicago Herald, with commendable enterprise, issued a *fac simile* of this historic paper as a timely supplement. The Herald has no job office attachment, and hence was compelled to give to an outside office the job of printing the supplement. And here comes in the strange coincidence. The foreman of the office to which the job was given, was the identical soldier who set up the final paragraph and worked off the original historic edition of the Vicksburg Citizen.

WEATHER REPORT FOR JULY

The month of July last past was a very hot and dry month, the hottest known for several years. From Dr. North we obtain the following table showing the status of the thermometer at 7 o'clock P. M. on each day during the month. These figures were taken from the psychrometer.

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An extra coach went up the Jackson branch yesterday with the noon train, returning at 4 P. M. to accommodate a number of railroad officials who were making a tour of inspection. Among them were Supt. James E. Curtis, Wm. Kline, Supt. of telegraph and M. D. Jones, Asst. Supt.

Tom Lacy, of Milan, was in town yesterday.

Q. W. Delano's pacer took the first money in the pacing class at the races at Adrian yesterday.

Ellsworth Arnold, an old Tecumseh boy, was in town yesterday. He has a position in Cleveland.

Mrs. John Jones and daughter of Adrian, and Mrs. Phillips of Chicago, are spending the day at Judge Stacy's.

J. H. Barrows, the tin worker, is stopping up towards a few days. He is boarding at Morgan's for present.

Burt Morey, Miss Ryan, Fred Jones, Frank Vandyne and Burt Wells, of Manchester, were in town yesterday.

Delos DeBaron, of Toledo, was in town yesterday. He says his boss has flowed up every alleghenty since July 1st.

At a meeting of the township school inspectors held last Tuesday, Prof. Waterman, of Hudson, was re-elected county examiner for the regular term.

Mrs. Benj. Osborn, of Bay City, came to visit her sister, Mrs. J. H. Osborn, a short time ago, hoping to improve her failing health. Last week Thursday she was taken worse and died very suddenly Tuesday night.

Although short notice was given of the opening, a large crowd of skaters and spectators were present at the rink last night. During the evening Mr. Wood, a member of the Jackson base ball club, gave an exhibition of fancy skating.

We clip the following item from the Detroit Evening News of last Tuesday:

"TECUMSEH, Mich., August 4.—The scramble for the Tecumseh postoffice and the lengthy petitions circulated by various aspirants will prove a very large air bubble in due time. The incumbent, Fred Rosecrans, is a very popular citizen, eminently qualified for the position, and received, at the time of his appointment, the unanimous support of the entire community, irrespective of factions. He will, without question, serve his time out. At the expiration a nice, worthy gentleman, whom everybody respects and who is also fortunate enough to be related to Mr. Pacon, of Toledo, the president's brother-in-law, will quietly don the government shoes and deal out postage stamps to the good citizens of Tecumseh. It is a secret yet, but then everybody will be glad to know that his name is Peter J. Welling."

UNION S. S. PICNIC.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

Presidential appointments on the 31st ult.: Jasper Sears, of Washington, to be United States Consul at New Castle, also the following Collectors of Customs: Isaac B. Rogers, for the district of Oswego, N. Y.; Joseph McCullough, for the district of Pasquotank, N. C.; Charles F. Bailey, for the district of Corpus Christi, Tex.

The Comptroller of the Currency reports the increase in the amount of National bank notes issued during the week ending August 1, 1885, to be $[illegible].

Hiram R. Chase, of Virginia, Ill., has been appointed Superintendent of the Industrial School for Indians at Genoa, Neb., at a salary of $1,000 per annum. F. Tappan Adams and John R. Wilson, of Jackson, Tenn., Superintendents of the Indian wars, have New York City, at a salary of $1,800, vice W. Stevens, of Ohio, removed.

It is estimated that there has been a decrease of about $7,000,000 in the public debt during the month of July.

Secretary Whitney has approved the findings of the naval court-martial which tried Medical Director Wilde, who was charged with neglect of duty and neglect of his duty while acting as Surgeon General of the Navy. The court found Dr. Wilde guilty of the charges and sentenced him to be suspended from rank and pay for five years on full pay, and to retain his present number in his grade during that period.

The public debt statement issued on the 1st shows a reduction of $[illegible] in the debt during July. The interest bearing debt outstanding decreased at $[illegible], the non-interest bearing debt increased $[illegible], certificates in lieu of the fund for the benefit of the Treasury increased $[illegible], and the cash in the Treasury increased $[illegible]. The Treasurer's statement shows a gold coin and bullion balance of $[illegible], and a standard silver dollar and silver certificate balance of $[illegible]. The net cash balance in the Treasury was $[illegible]. Customs receipts for July amounted to $[illegible], or about a million and a quarter less than during July of last year. Internal revenue receipts were $[illegible], or only $[illegible] less than in July, 1884. Altogether the receipts from all sources for the month just passed were $[illegible] less than for July, 1884. The total expenditures for July were $[illegible], or about $10,000 more than in July, 1884.

The total value of exports of merchandise, coin and bullion from the United States for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1885, was $[illegible], and the value of imports for the year was $[illegible]. For the preceding fiscal year ended June 30, 1884, the exports aggregated $[illegible], while imports were valued at $[illegible], an excess of exports over imports of $[illegible], while for the past year the excess of exports amounts to $[illegible].

THE EAST.

The extensive flint glass manufactory of Doyle & Co., at Pittsburgh, said to be one of the finest and largest establishments of the kind in the country, was totally destroyed by fire on the night of the 29th ult. Loss $150,000; insured.

A fire in Manasville, N. Y., on the 29th ult., destroyed every store in the town, nine dwelling-houses, and the Church of the Disciples. The loss is estimated at $75,000 and insurance at $15,000.

William Jayne, a night watchman at Union Hill, near Jersey City, N. J., was attacked by a gang of roughs on the night of the 29th ult. and shot and stabbed to death. None of his assassins have yet been apprehended.

While passing through a wood near Stiuesville, Pa., on the 30th ult. Joseph Crotz and Michael Bailey were struck by lightning, and the latter was fatally injured. Both were shockingly burned.

At Waynesburg, Pa., on the 30th ult. James Thomas and William Falkner, two farmers who were working at the bottom of a well forty feet deep, were overcome by impure air. Thomas died in the well and Falkner was taken out in an unconscious condition. His recovery is doubtful.

Henry Conover, assistant cashier of the Manufacturers' and Traders' Bank, of Buffalo, died suddenly several days ago. An investigation of his accounts developed a shortage of $74,000, the defalcation extending back for several years. It is now believed that Conover killed himself rather than face the result of an investigation. The soundness of the bank will not be affected by the defalcation.

E. C. Mann, of Lawrence, Mass., has written Mayor Grace suggesting that engraved certificates bearing the likeness and autograph of General Grant be issued as mementoes to subscribers for the proposed monument.

A bucket containing nine men was ascending the shaft connecting with the Canton aqueduct, New York, on the 31st ult., and when sixty feet up the bucket caught on a projection and tipped. Four of the men were thrown out. Two clung to the bucket and escaped with severe injuries. The other two, William Cunningham and Timothy Harrington, were dashed to death.

Stanley Hunter, a popular writer for the press and author of the "Spoopendyke Papers," died at his home in New York City on the 31st ult. He was employed chiefly upon the Brooklyn *Eagle*, and there earned his reputation as a humorist.

The only coinage executed at the Philadelphia mint during July was 1,800,000 silver dollars.

The property of the Bankers and Merchants' Telegraph Company was sold at public auction in New York City on the 31st ult. It brought $500,000 and was purchased by Edward S. Stokes, in behalf of the reorganization committee.

One hundred employes of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railroad shops at Pittsburgh were discharged on the 1st. Curtailing expenses is the cause assigned by the company.

A cyclone near Louisdale, Pa., on the 29th ult. tore a pathway thirty feet wide through cornfields, destroying everything in its way. Trees were blown down and barns unroofed. The cyclone was preceded by a very severe rain and hail storm which also did considerable damage.

Business failures reported in the United States during the week ended the 31st ult number 184, against 213 in the preceding week and 189, 155 and 150 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882 respectively.

Charles B. Chapman, a distant relative of Mrs. Grant, died at Mt. McGregor on the 31st ult.

The total specie exports from the port of New York during the week ended August 1 were $[illegible]. Of this amount the exports to Europe were $[illegible] silver and $[illegible] gold, and the exports to Havana $[illegible] silver. The imports of specie at the port during the week were $[illegible].

Indictments have been returned by the Grand Jury at Brooklyn, N. Y., against George L. Abbott, the agent of the Old Glass House building, on State Street, that city, which fell on May 22 last, and caused the death of some thirteen persons. Also against Frank Miller, the contractor, and John McDermott, the mason, who were engaged in making repairs on the structure at the time of the collapse. If found guilty the accused are liable to punishment by imprisonment for from one to fifteen years, or a fine of $1,000, or both.

Rev. John M. Henderson, for the past twenty-four years rector of the Church of the Ascension at Buffalo, N. Y., died on the 1st. He was born at Springfield, N. J., and was a graduate of Princeton University.

Judge Cullen, of the New York Supreme Court, has decided that the band of gypsies that arrived at New York City on the 23d ult., bringing with them ten bears and a dozen monkeys, must return to Bordeaux, France, by the steamer which brought them here.

For the week ended August 1 the statement of the New York associated banks shows the following changes: Loans decrease, $1,583,[illegible]; specie decrease, $230,500; legal tenders increase, $[illegible]; deposits decrease, $2,964,100; circulation decrease, $26,000; reserve increase, $[illegible]. The banks held $4,724,[illegible] in excess of legal requirements.

About five hundred Knights were discharged from the collieries in the vicinity of Shamokin, Pa., on the 1st, in accordance with an act of the Legislature which prohibits the employment of boys under twelve years of age in the coal breakers, and under fourteen years in the mines.

WEST AND SOUTH.

General Fitzhugh Lee was nominated for Governor on the first ballot by the Virginia Democratic State Convention on the 29th ult.

Receiver Brown, of Brown, Bonnell & Co., having signed the scale of the Amalgamated Association, their extensive iron mills at Youngstown, O., resumed operations on the 3d, giving employment to 2,000 men.

At the Cleveland (O.) race track on the 30th ult. Maud S., the well-known queen of the turf, beat her own record, trotting a full mile in 2:08¾, on a "slow" track. The remarkable feat was witnessed by ten thousand people.

The tomb of ex-President Harrison is in a sadly neglected condition, and is rapidly crumbling to pieces. An appeal has been issued for subscriptions to a fund for the erection of a proper monument over the grave.

During the progress of a ball at Rogersville, Tenn., a few nights ago a revolver fell from the pockets of a young man while dancing, and was discharged. The ball struck Miss Martha Brown in the breast and passed through her heart.

George Wilson, Charles Davis and Mathilde Jones, all colored, were executed at Plaquemine, La., on the 31st ult. for the murder and robbery of Mrs. Henrietta Cole in that place on the night of January 27 last.

The first execution under the new Ohio law which provides that all executions shall take place in the penitentiary, was performed at Columbus, that State, a few minutes before three o'clock a. m. on the 31st ult. The victim was Valentine Wagner, who was hanged for the murder of his brother-in-law, Daniel Sheehan, in Perry Township, Morrow County, in December, 1882.

A violent storm at Fargo, Dakota, on the 30th ult. caused considerable damage to property. An electric tower, 160 feet high, all iron, was blown down and twisted out of any semblance to its original appearance. Many tin roofs and trees in the city were carried away and great damage was done in the country east, near Glyndon. Captain Flint had a large barn destroyed, six cows killed and several thousand acres of wheat damaged twenty to forty per cent.

Notwithstanding the damaging evidence against him, Charles Rose, the alleged chief of the Richmond & Danville pay-car robbers, on trial at Atlanta, Ga., was released from custody on the 31st ult. Paymaster Grosser's testimony, the Judge said, did not warrant holding Rose. The other four men will be tried in a few days. Rose says he will sue all the Atlanta papers for $10,000 damages, and will also sue the city authorities for $50,000.

Charles Neville, who was serving a seven years' sentence in the Ohio Penitentiary for bigamy, died in the prison hospital on the 2d. Neville, it will be remembered, entered the employ of C. J. Whitney, a wealthy citizen of Detroit, as coachman, and eloped with his employer's daughter. The truants were caught in Toledo, and then followed the sensational trial for bigamy, it being claimed that the Detroit lady was Neville's fourteenth wife. He claimed to be a Russian Count, and told the warden before he died that his full name was Edward Neville Censivuski.

The Italian stranglers, Azari, Geiardi and Silvestra, lately sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Filipo Caruso, appeared before Judge Hawes in the Criminal Court at Chicago on the 1st, while their respective attorneys asked for a continuance of the motion for a new trial. This was granted, the commencement of the September term being set for arguments on the motion.

Professor Tolbert, an aeronaut, was thrown to the ground, a distance of 1,500 feet, by the collapsing of a balloon at South Park, Chicago, a few nights ago. His spine was fractured and he will probably die. He clung to the balloon, which partially checked his fall.

Michael Hirsch, owner of the building at Point Pleasant, O., in which General Grant was born, has sold it to James Coogan, of New York, for $7,000 cash. The building, which is frame, will be removed to one of the New York parks.

A new agricultural station has recently been established at Aurora, Ill., in connection with the entomological division of the Department of Agriculture, and Mr. Nelson W. McLain has been placed in charge.

All the twelve hundred miners employed at the thirteen mines in the Massillon district, Tuscarawas Valley, O., stopped work on the 1st, on account of the demand of the operators that they accept a reduction of fifteen cents per ton.

Jack Hopkins, confined in the jail at Monticello, Ga., for the murder of his employer, George Gilmore, a few days ago, was shot and killed by a party of four masked men, who fired into his cell through the openings left for ventilation.

While testimony was being taken in the office of the Master of Chancery at San Francisco in the case of Sharon vs. Hill a few days ago, Judge Terry, counsel for the defense, attacked with his cane H. J. Kowalsky, an attorney engaged on the Sharon side. Kowalsky drew his revolver and Judge Terry immediately knew his, whereupon Kowalsky fled into the hall. No shots were exchanged. Judge Terry is the same person who killed Senator Broderick in the early days of California.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The last moments of Sir Moses Montefiore are described as peaceful. His malady was congestion of the lungs. The funeral took place on the 31st ult. and the remains were interred beside those of his late wife.

The committee appointed to inquire into the recent statements of the Pall Mall *Gazette* in regard to London vice, have made a report confirming the truth of the *Gazette's* revelations. The report is signed by the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Bishop of London, Cardinal Manning, and Messrs. Morley and Reid.

A boy named Maner, aged eleven, whose parents reside on the Lake St. Clair shore above Belle River, Ont., a few days ago fastened an inflated bladder to his body to see if he could float in the lake. The bladder held his feet up and his head under water, and he drowned before assistance reached him.

A fire in the eastern district of London on the 29th ult. destroyed three large cabinet warehouses and damaged five others. The warehouse of the Boston Chair Company, of New York, suffered damages to the extent of several thousand pounds.

While on their way to Siberia under sentence of exile recently, a party of sixty criminals rose against their guards and, although unarmed, began a desperate fight for liberty. The battle lasted a long time and the soldiers were absolutely unable to conquer their manacled assailants. Twenty of them were shot dead and of the forty remaining thirty succeeded in making good their escape. Two of the soldiers were wounded during the fight.

A Paris dispatch of the 31st ult. says cholera has begun to develop alarmingly in the south of France. Thirty-seven deaths from the disease were reported at Marseilles between the 27th and 30th ult.

The Register of Vital Statistics, in his quarterly report just issued, estimates the population of Ireland at 4,924,342. This shows a great decrease, which is attributed to immigration to America.

It is said the alleged looting by the volunteers in the Northwest will be brought to the notice of the British Government unless the Dominion authorities take steps in the matter.

It is reported that Osman Digma was killed in the last fight at Kassali.

The trial of Louis Riel, the Northwest Territory rebel, was concluded at Regina on the 1st, the jury bringing in a verdict of guilty. He was sentenced to be hanged on September 18. Before sentence was pronounced Riel made a two hours' speech upon the troubles of 1869 and the present half-breed grievances. He received his sentence calmly.

The steamer C. O. Kelly, of the Upper Ottawa Touring Company, was burned to the water's edge at the lower town wharf, one mile from Pembroke, Ont., on the morning of the 1st. Four of the crew lost their lives, and two others were seriously injured. Those burned to death were: Louis Recard, Sidney Smith, John Gibson and Angle Hart. The steamer was valued at $20,000.

LATER NEWS.

A CYCLONE on the 3d wrecked the excursion steamer Major Reybold, on the Delaware River near Greenwich, N. J. Captain Reybold was badly hurt. Pilot Townsend was drowned. William Grassmer, a passenger, was fatally injured and several others badly cut by flying timbers. The cyclone unroofed and otherwise damaged several hundred houses in Camden, N. J., and in Kensington, a suburb of Philadelphia, five persons are reported killed and many wounded. The loss to property is estimated to be at least a million dollars, and over one hundred persons were injured.

TWO HUNDRED and forty appointments to fourth-class postmasterships were announced on the 3d.

A WATERSPOUT in Transylvania County, N. C., on the 31 rolled a wave twelve feet high over the county, destroying crops and buildings.

THE monthly coinage statement issued on the 3d shows that the total coinage executed at the United States mints during the month of July consisted of 1,900,000 standard silver dollars.

IN the suit of Colonel William King against Philo Remington, of New York, involving property valued at $1,500,000, Judge Young, of the District Court at Minneapolis, Minn., on the 3d filed a decision in favor of the plaintiff, and ordering the appointment of a referee for accounting. The case will be appealed to the Supreme Court.

REPRESENTATIVES of various Jewish congregations in New York City have effected an organization for the purpose of erecting a monument to the memory of Sir Moses Montefiore. Ten thousand dollars have already been subscribed.

THE Kentucky State election for Treasuror and member of the Legislature, resulted in the election of Tate, Democratic candidate for Treasurer. Only a light vote was polled. Fox, Prohibitionist, received the Republican vote.

A WAGON containing Frederick L. Carr, his daughter, two sons and a Miss Donnely, was precipitated into a ravine twenty-five feet deep near Worthington, O., on the night of the 3d, instantly killing Miss Carr and seriously injuring her father. The others escaped with slight bruises.

AT Nashville, Tenn., Henry Vandorfeight, while under the influence of liquor on the 3d leaped from the suspension bridge across the Cumberland River to the water below, a distance of 110 feet. He turned several times in the air and struck the water with terific force. He will probably recover.

STORMS of great violence swept over the central and northern parts of Spain on the 2d, destroying much property, and in many places utterly ruining the telegraph lines. Many persons are reported to have been killed.

THE President has appointed Frank Blausen Assayer of the United States Mint at New Orleans, and Leonard Magruder, Refiner of the same mint.

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is only a part of beauty, but it is a part. Every lady may have it; at least, what looks like it. Magnolia Balm both freshens and beautifies.

ESTATE OF PETER S. WALDRON

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 29th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jane Waldron, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her or some other suitable person.
It is ordered, That Monday, the 20th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Simons, Probate Register. jun 25

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of *Lorenzo D. Dewey*, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 27th day of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of April, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated May 20, 1885.
SAMUEL BRYAN,
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
may 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of *Sanford Hause*, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Sanford Hause, late of the township of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Justice office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of June, 1885, and on the 19th day of November, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 19th day of May, A. D., 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.
Dated May 20, 1885.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
RICHARD CADMUS,
May 21 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Timothy Deal, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Timothy Deal, late of the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of C. A. Stacy, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of August, 1885, and on the 25th day of December 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of June, 1885, are allowed by said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om.
	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Wilson	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Appleton	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Lowell	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Clinton	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Owosso Junction	8 08 "	4 12 "	9 05 "
Durand	10 20 "	5 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Durand	10 39 "	7 55 "	.....
Toledo	11 25 "	8 38 "	1 40 A.M.
Durand	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Owosso Junction	12 16 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 36 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Manchester	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Lowell	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Appleton	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "
Wilson			

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24 P. M.	No. 22 A. M.	No. 26 P. M.	No. 28
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 24	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 32	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Clinton	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27 P. M.	No. 25 P. M.	No. 23 P. M.	No. 21 A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	9 10
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	9 22
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	9 38
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	9 53
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	10 03
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	10 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	10 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	10 31
Clinton	6 37	10 42	2 27	10 42
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	10 55
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	11 07
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	11 11
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	11 20
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	11 21
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	11 35
Seneca		11 37	3 12	11 43
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	11 50
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	12 01
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	12 14
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	12 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	12 35
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	12 47
Troy		12 58	4 13	12 58
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	1 07

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
P.M.	A.M.			P.M.	A.M.	
5 45	10 10	A	Toledo Lv	5 10	11 10	
6 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
7 01	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 06	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 22	11 45		Tipton	3 32	9 17	
7 32	11 55		Clinton	3 08	9 05	
7 40	12 02		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
7 50	12 12		Addison	2 45	8 43	
7 55	12 18		Jerome	2 38	8 36	
8 02	12 25		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 12	12 36		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.	P.M.			P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 20	1 45		Pulaski	1 59	7 57	8 00
8 26	1 51		Homer	1 53	7 38	7 48
8 33	1 58		Eckford	1 37	7 21	7 33
8 39	2 04		Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 23
8 49	2 17		Cereso	1 02	6 48	7 21
8 57	2 26		A Battle Crk L.	12 44	6 30	7 03
P.M.	P.M.			P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
3 00	3 36		Augusta	12 27		6 43
3 04	3 40		Yorkville	12 20		6 35
3 10	3 46		Richland	12 15		6 29
3 18	3 53		Doster	11 58		6 12
3 25	3 59		Menteith	11 43		5 55
3 33	4 03		Fisk	11 35		5 47
3 39	4 09		Kellogg	11 30		5 37
3 50	4 19		Allegan Lv	11 20		5 25
4 15	5 25		Holland	10 15		3 20
	5 30		Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05	8 30		Grand Haven	6 00		12 10
11 20	6 35		Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 35	7 10		Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A.M.	10 10		Pentwater	5 50		P.M.
	P.M.	A				

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EDWIN M. STANTON.

How His Life Was Believed to Have Been Saved.

General Grant, in his biography, refers to a meeting at Louisville with Edwin M. Stanton, when the Secretary of War had such a cold that Grant expected him to die. Ex-Senator Learned, of Massachusetts, relates the sequel of that meeting in an interesting way. Mr. Learned was at that time President of the Ohio & Mississippi Railroad. When Stanton left Louisville he went to Jeffersonville on his way to Indianapolis. He was met there by Mr. Learned, who had gone there to see about the transportation of troops. A car was set aside for the Secretary of War. It had been used by troops and was somewhat filthy. The hose was turned on to its floors, and it underwent a thorough scrubbing. In the big stoves at either end huge fires were built. It was bitter cold weather, and the car was a long time getting a comfortable temperature. Mr. Stanton, General Anson Stager (since dead), and Mr. Learned and his wife occupied the car. Mr. Learned says that he never saw a man traveling in worse condition than Stanton, who had a congestion that was rapidly closing in on him with a death-grip. He went over and said to Stanton: "Mr. Secretary, I presume as head of the War Department and chief of its allopathic medical branch, you would not feel at liberty to accept relief outside?"

"I don't understand," said Stanton.

"Well, I've been a homeopathist for twenty years, and I know you are a sick man. If you will permit me, I think my wife has her package of medicines along and that I can prescribe for your relief."

"What would you give me?"

"I think you should have stibium."

"What is that?"

"The first preparation of tartar emetic."

Then the Senator told the story of old Dr. Grey, who always prescribed stibium, and had once said he expected to have inscribed on his tombstone, "He prescribed stibium and died." Stanton said: "I don't know about stibium, but I think tartar emetic would do me good." Mr. Learned gave him doses every ten minutes, finally lengthening the doses to half an hour. At Seymour Mr. Stanton was much relieved, but begged Mr. Learned to go on to Indianapolis. Just before reaching that city he got a dispatch which he told the Senator required his presence at Washington as soon as he could get there. Mr. Learned insisted that he would endanger his life by attempting the trip in his condition. "Human life is nothing in times like these," was Stanton's response. He asked for the bottle of stibium and declared his intention of going on to the Capital. The bottle was given to General Stager, with instructions to lengthen the periods of doses to two hours unless the congestion should grow worse, when they were to be shortened. Stanton went on to Washington under this treatment and recovered. Months afterwards he told Mr. Learned that he considered himself indebted to Mrs. Learned's homeopathic medicine case for his life.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Tempting to Steal.

The practice of placing goods outside shops, thus tempting starving people to steal, is so utterly indefensible that its continuance can only be accounted for on the theory of its greatly stimulating business. On that head a boot and shoe dealer at Birmingham gives evidence which appears almost incredible. Having been reprimanded by the bench for putting a considerable portion of his stock in trade outside his shop, he declared that he could not help himself. He had tried the other plan for seven months, and his books showed that it made on the average a difference of 150 pairs weekly in his sales. According to his story, therefore, he must have sold 4,500 fewer pairs during the period when virtue triumphed over greediness. That was, he evidently thought, far too high a price to pay for doing right, and he therefore relapsed into selfishness, with the result of his having to prosecute a father and son for stealing a pair of boots from outside his shop. The elder received two months' imprisonment, the younger fourteen days' imprisonment and five years' incarceration in a reformatory. Clearly, therefore, however profitable the practice may be to traders, it is very expensive to the general community who have to maintain the offenders in prison. On that ground alone, and putting humanity out of the question, the State has an excellent right to interfere. Moreover, if the practice were prohibited throughout the kingdom all traders would be placed on the same footing, and, as the public are bound to supply their own requirements, there could not be any loss of trade in the aggregate.—*London Globe.*

VICTOR HUGO.

How He Would Have Punished Marshal Bazaine.

At Victor Hugo's house one evening the question of capital punishment was discussed, anent the commutation of the sentence of Bazaine into perpetual imprisonment. Several politicians who were present blamed this commutation and maintained that no one had ever better deserved death than Bazaine. "No," said Hugo, "I would not have loaded chassepots for him; but, if I had been President of the Council of War, this is what I should have done: I should have convoked to the Champ de Mars the National Assembly, all the troops of Paris, all the people; and there in the presence of that crowd, in presence of that army, in presence of the representatives of the nation, I should have had Bazaine brought forward, dressed in all the insignia of a marshal of France. Then the President of the Assembly would have read aloud the judgment declaring Bazaine a traitor to his country, and condemning him to degradation. Then the senior subaltern officer would have torn off his crosses, broken his sword, trampled his epaulettes under foot, and, the ceremony over, would have said to the degraded man: 'Now, Monsieur Bazaine, go! you are free!' No one can deny the grandeur of this conception of moral and exemplary chastisement.—*Paris Morning News.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

—In Sinaloa, Mexico, a woman is being exhibited who is seven feet high and weighs five hundred pounds. She is as young as she is charming, being only twenty-six years of age. She was born in Pachuca.—*Chicago Times.*

—Chief Chemist Bradley, of the Brooklyn Health Department, has discovered pickle manufacturers who use copper sulphate, or blue vitriol, in coloring pickles. Three small pickles are equivalent to a dose of sulphate of copper.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—In the city of Trinidad, Mex., a hen has died which, according to her owner's statement, first saw the light in 1857. Maria Francisco, her owner, has received from her since then 6,371 chickens, of which 2,427 grew up to be hens.

—Big fish swim the waters of the Pacific coast. The Port Townsend *Argus* says that a halibut was recently caught in Scow Bay by an Indian which weighed 202 pounds and was six feet eight inches long, three feet ten inches wide and fourteen inches thick.

—The total annual catch of menhaden in the United States is about 700,000,000. This seems to be a great number, but blue fish alone are said to consume about 3,000,000 menhaden every day of the summer months on the coast of New England alone. As a matter of fact, menhaden are so prolific that they are practically inexhaustible.

—Can one man be a mob? A Yonkers, (N. Y.) man was ordered to "disperse," and upon refusing to do so was arrested. The legal experts decide that the law applying to a mob or riotous gathering does not apply to this individual, who seems to have been justified, therefore, in not dispersing.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—The Chinese regard an attack of epilepsy as the occupancy of a man's body by the spirit of an animal, usually a pig or a sheep. They try to keep such spirit by stuffing the patient's mouth with grass, for if it leaves before the return of the man's own spirit—which must be absent during the fit—the man will die.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—There are more subscribers to the telephone system in New York and its neighborhood than in the whole of Great Britain, notwithstanding that the charge in New York is about double what it is there. The number of transmissions by telephone in Great Britain last year was about 41,000,000, and the average cost per message a little over one cent.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Little five-year-old had been watching the flag for celebration. Toward evening, as he looked at the sun, he said: "How does the sun set, anyhow, Grandma?" "When you are older you will understand," was the reply. "O, I know," said the irrepressible, after a moment's pause, "God pulls the string and the sun goes down."—*Boston Transcript.*

—Harrison Hahn, of Wind Gap, Pa., has a two-year-old daughter whose ears are bent forward and grown fast to the face. The girl was deformed when born. When she became two months old two doctors separated the ears from the face, and tied them back to their proper place, but they returned to their former position and are there to remain undisturbed. Both ears are without the orifice, but deafness is prevented by the girl hearing every sound, no matter how light, through her nose and mouth.—*Philadelphia Times.*

—The two new craters in Mt. Vesuvius, from which lava has issued abundantly, were opened on the southern side at a height of about two hundred meters above the upper station of the funicular railway. The lava flowed in the direction of Pompeii and Torre del Greco. The stream descends in a straight line for about half a kilometer, and then, turning sidewise, is directed toward the crater of 1872. The new craters present the appearance of a great cleft. The lava has not spread beyond the side of the mountain.

—Among librarians and book-publishers no word is more often used than the term, "Catalogue." John Winter Jones, librarian of the London Museum, uses this word four times on one page. It occurs frequently in the reports of the proceedings of the International Conference of Librarians at London, and yet it is not given in Webster's or Worcester's or the Imperial Dictionary. It has certainly been in use for thirty years among well-educated men, yet every one of the dictionary makers have either missed or ignored it.—*Boston Journal.*

—The Pembina (D. T.) *Express* observes this incident, which can best be understood by one who has seen the half-breeds and their primitive teams: "A novel sight was witnessed here last week. A half-breed living on the mountains came to town for a hog, with his pony and Red River cart. He found his two brothers in town, both rather full of profanity, whisky, and combativeness. After considerable difficulty he loaded the two into the cart, in which they soon fell asleep. He then got the hog and placed it carefully between the other two, and began his journey for home."

—Rhode Island is the smallest State in the Union, but she boasts of being first in respect of manufactured products according to population. Rhode Island makes $373.07 worth of manufactures for every one of her inhabitants, while Mississippi makes only $6.64, or in the ratio of $1 to $56.18. Taking the area instead of the population, the contrast is even greater. Rhode Island produces $79,757.75 per square mile, while Mississippi produces only $159.43—about 500 to 1. Rhode Island may congratulate herself upon being so small that there is no room for waste land within her boundaries.—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.*

—The latest theory concerning Bright's disease and other affections of the kidneys is that they are due to the immoderate use of ice-water and other chilled beverages. Thirty or forty years ago, a physician asserts, when people slaked their thirst with fresh water from well or pump, kidney disease was virtually unknown. Now, however, the general use of ice-water in every household and saloon and the multiplication of soda fountains, cause thousands of persons to abruptly shock their heated internal organs with freezing draughts and kidney troubles have become very prevalent.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The Perfumery Trade.

Some kinds of perfumery are worth their weight in gold. The export of fine perfumery is principally from Grasse, Nice, Cannes and Bremen. The business is divided into two parts. The manufacturer extracts from the flowers their essential oils. The perfumer buys these oils, pomades and extracts, and compounds them in several ways.

Only about a dozen of all the fragrant flowers in the world are used in the manufacture of perfumery, viz.: the violet, rose, orange flower, jasmine, tuberose, cassie, lavender, thyme, rosemary, geraniums, jonquil and fennel. The rose and the orange are the most valuable. Of the numerous varieties of the rose, only one is used, the Province rose, single, pale pink, the most sweet smelling of roses; not hardy.

Picking for perfumery occurs in almost every month of the year. It is a paradoxical fact in the business that the bitter orange yields the best blossoms for perfumery. One ton of blossoms yields two pounds eight ounces of oil neroli. The fruit of the bitter orange yields a very fine essential oil, bigarade. It is used in many scents. The orange tree, cultivated for its oil, lasts with care over 200 years.

One ton of the distilled leaves of the scented verbena geranium yields from 24 to 30 ounces of the essential oil. The flowers of the jasmine are picked just after sunset in July, and in the morning, as soon as the dew is off, in August. The jasmine is a peculiarly delicate flower. Its essential oil is so volatile that it cannot be extracted by distillation, the heated water decomposing it is so that only a faint tinge of the perfume is left in the water that passes through the refrigerant.

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A ton of roses yields only two ounces of the attar. If kept at a temperature below 60°, attar crystalizes; if kept open to the air and light, it is easily volatized. Perfumed oils are made by putting fresh quantities of flowers into the finest of virgin olive oil from 20 to 30 different times. The essential oil of flowers has a strong affinity to lard or grease. The latter, rendered as white as snow, is perfectly saturated with the flowers. The process is repeated many times. In this way we have pomade of rose, orange, cassie and violet. The affinity of the perfume of flowers for alcohol is, however, stronger than than for grease. Pomades, immersed in alcohol, are rendered into extracts, the grease leaving the perfume. It is safe to say that, among the numerous articles of toilet, the manufacture of perfumed pomades, perfumed oils and high priced perfumery generally is as a sealed book to many persons.

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Time Table—In Effect Jan. 20, 1885.

Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 1.	No. 7.
Toledo	8 00 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	6 40 P.M.	
Oak Harbor Ar.	8 35	4 18	7 05	
Fremont	9 23	4 17	7 30	
Clyde	9 39	5 06	7 45	
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	
Monroeville	10 12	5 40	8 20	7 40 A.M.
Norwalk	10 25	6 05	8 25	7 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	8 47
Creston	12 00 P.M.	7 40	1 37 P.M.	9 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 67	9 40
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 62	9 50
Massillon Ar	1 30	9 00	2 27	10 40
Massillon Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Steubenville		6 45 P.M.	6 45 P.M.	
Valley Junc. Lv	7 30		9 30	8 25
Canal Dover	3 55		7 55	9 10
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 6.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50 A.M.	6 03	10 50
Mackstown	8 00	8 55	8 00	
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20 A.M.	9 20	

WEST BOUND.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 30 P.M.		
Marksburg	6 20	2 50		
Cambridge	6 15	3 58		
New Comerst'n	12 20	7 00		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sheridsville				5 45 A.M.
New Cumberland				6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 00 A.M.	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 55
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 25 A.M.
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 17	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 A.M.
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 A.M.	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17 P.M.	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45 A.M.		1 35 P.M.	10 00 A.M.

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 A.M.	6 45 P.M.	Ar. Huron Lv	6 40 A.M.	2 20 P.M.
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	Milan	7 07	2 46
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk Ar	7 27	3 10

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The Great Healer of all Inflamed Injuries and Disorders.

It is constantly effecting the most wonderful cures, while the unprecedented demand with which it meets, stamps it at once as the greatest medicine of the age for outward application.

The most incredulous are convinced, and the most skeptical are compelled to believe in the power of this great remedy.

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All sores, Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Burns, Sore Throat, Lameness, Rheumatism, Piles, Inflammation of Lungs and Bowels, Bronchitis, Croup, Salt Rheum, Chilblains, Affection of the Spine, Erysipelas, Nervous Irritation, and all disorders attendant with Inflammation.

It never fails to restore the natural functions of the skin and equalize the circulation of the blood. By this means a controlling power is gained over the most malignant forms of disease. It penetrates to every portion of the human frame, even bone, muscle, vein, nerve and ligament is searched out and made sensible to its soothing and healing influence. Hence it cures readily with internal as well as external diseases.

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Prices 25 cents, 50 cents and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

—A Baltimore street vender invites the liberal patronage of passers by with a sign on which is inscribed the feeling invitation: "Kum buy or lie bust."—*Baltimore American.*

—"If a man could only catch fish as easily as he can lie about it," laments a Texas editor. He could, if he only understood fishing as well as he does lying.—*Chicago Daily Business.*

—The actual number of persons engaged in agriculture in the United States, including their families, is placed at 25,000,000, an increase of 3,000,000 since the last census.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—During the American civil war five hundred horses were distressed or rendered useless for every twenty-four hours. The Confederate army was crippled for want of horses, while the Northern army was able to secure its supply from the Dominion of Canada.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—The little town of Lafayette, Chambers County, Ala., is taking on airs. A horn is blown at six o'clock in the afternoon as a signal for the closing of stores, and a few minutes thereafter scarcely a soul is seen on the streets. The boys play base-ball from six o'clock until dark.—*Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer-Sun.*

—The London *Truth* gives the following original observations on astronomy from a sermon of a Welsh curate preaching to an English congregation: "A starr is but a lill dot in the skyes. Saw many starrs mek one plannat, saw many plannats mek a constellation, saw many constellations mek one milkey way. Six milkey ways mek one curr bo-mallis."

—The Austrian Government has refused to authorize the establishment of private crematories, on the ground that they might encourage crime. The decree states that murders are often detected by the exhumation of bodies, and that, even if bodies were to be exhumed before cremation, there would be no time to apply in every case those delicate chemical tests which are used when poisoning is suspected.

—It is related of a distinguished lawyer who observed that his wife always delayed ten or twelve minutes behind the same town to dinner, being loath to lose so much precious time daily, he compounded the composition of a work which he presented only while he was thus kept waiting. The result was at the end of fifteen years a book in three volumes quarto, which has met with a large sale and is much needed.—*Toledo Blade.*

—The hedge-hog is very fond of fruit, and adopts a curious way to obtain it. It is known that they often climb walls and run off upon low boughs, and instead of scrambling down in the same manner, they boldly make the leap from the top to the ground, sometimes ten or twelve feet. They fall into a ball in the air, strike upon their armor of spines and bound away unharmed. In taking this jump they have been seen to strike upon fallen fruit, which, thus impaled upon their spines, was carried away by them.—*Chicago Herald.*

—The first of the five-inch breech-loading rifle guns built at the Washington Navy Yard for the new steel cruisers was recently tested at Annapolis with powder invented and manufactured by a prominent American powder maker. This gun, designed by the Naval Ordnance Bureau and built of American steel, developed an initial velocity of over 1,900 feet a second, with a pressure of only twelve and a half tons per square inch, which is better than has been done by any other gun of its size.—*Washington Post.*

—An almanac three thousand years old, found in Egypt, is in the British Museum. It is supposed to be the oldest in the world. It was found on the body of an Egyptian, who had doubtless regarded it with as much reverence as he did the Egyptian Bible—"The Book of the Dead"—and, indeed, it is strongly religious in character. The days are written in red ink, and under each is a figure, followed by three characters signifying the probable state of the weather for that day. Like the other Egyptian manuscripts, it is written on papyrus. It is written in columns.

—If walking alone is adopted as the means to counteract the effect of too much sitting, then care should be taken that system enters into the walk. A slow, desultory sort of walk is of no earthly use; it simply tires one without any beneficial result. The walking should be brisk, with the head up and the chest thrown forward. The breathing should be regular and as free as the swing of the limbs. The distance is optional, of course; but two miles ought to be no task for the man who wants to improve his health. The distance can be increased as the pedestrian begins to feel the benefit of the walking.—*N. Y. Star.*

—It is a singular fact that the population of France is decreasing instead of increasing. The mortality among infants belonging to the poorer classes is appalling. So, also, is the death rate among the orphans or foundlings left to the charge of the communes, who are placed out to nurse, and drop out of life in large numbers during the first year of their existence. This can hardly be wondered at when babies in the first year of their existence are paid for at the rate of only six to fifteen francs a month, and of this sum of from four to ten sous a day the nurse is supposed to lodge, feed and care for the child.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Pride of Character.

"Register and I'll accommodate you, sir," said the keeper of a one-horse hotel in a wayside place to a traveler from the city as he applied for a room.

"Never mind that. I'll pay in advance."

"But you must register."

"No, I'll be sizzed if I do."

"Why not, sir?"

"Some friends of mine might happen this way some day, and I wouldn't have anybody that knew me find out I'd ever degraded my manhood by stopping at such a confounded beastly place as this for a thousand dollars, sir. No, sir; money wouldn't induce me to take such an awful risk, sir. I'm poor, but gad, sir, I've got a little pride of character for all that."—*Chicago Ledger.*

GENERAL GRANT.

Toll for the mighty dead!
A noble life hath sped,
A noble spirit fled—
Grant is no more.
Disease and anguish past,
The hero sleeps at last
Where pains no shadow cast,
Life's fever over.

Never less dead than now,
Thy country's savior thou,
To whom her people bow
A common head.
In war, magnificent,
Thy choicest victory went
To heal the bloody rent!
Let this be said.

That since the world began
Has lived not any man
Whose thoughts less self and vain,
Or in the hour
Of victory, supreme
With greatness proved, in theme
For high poetic dream
Or painter's power.

And therefore, in sublime
Honor and vanquished time
With sorrow-wrinkled brow
Above thy grave,
The gray veteran and the blue,
White man, and colored, too—
No more a slave—

Sadly, on bended knee,
Will common thanks to thee,
Who made a people free,
And saved the Union.
When hatred stirred its vipers foul
And darkest thoughts prevailed,
And Eng'and showed a mailed
And lawless hand.

Majestic, stately grand
Simplicity, the land,
Nothing from strife to stand
Thy death deplore.
Part of our lives thou art,
Not from the nation's heart
Shall pass for thee depart
Forevermore.

Welcome is simple shroud,
Thy battle day and night,
For country, God and right,
Shall peals chant
While time itself endures,
Which our love secures
And grateful fame insures
Heroic Grant.

—Chicago Herald.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending July 28, 1885:

Estate of Michael E. Welch, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Willard Smith, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Wm. F. Pierce, deceased; affidavit of publishing commissioners' notices, commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Addie E. Henica, et al., minors; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing August 24.

Estate of Welcome Aldrich deceased; notice and application for an appeal bond on appeal; order allowing appeal.

Estate of Peter Onsted, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's account; hearing August 17.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell, an incompetent person; affidavit of service filed; guardian appointed; bond $1,500.

Estate of Elizabeth Houghwout, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Caroline Wheeler, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Clark Downer, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's final account allowed; assignment.

Estate of John S. Peck, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $1,200.

Estate of Peter Waldron, deceased; administrator appointed; bond $6,000.

Estate of Rebecca M. Bennett, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Elizabeth Moore, an insane person; affidavit of service of notice filed; guardian appointed; bond $2,000.

Estate of Luther Scott, deceased; request of heirs that administrator sell personal property; order authorizing the sale.

THE COMING COUNTY FAIR.

We have received a copy of the premium list for the eighth annual fair of the County Agricultural Society. The fair this year will be held Sept. 22d to Sept. 25th inclusive, and will have many new and interesting features. Among the judges from this section of the county we note the following:

Horses—Frank Davidson, Tecumseh; Joe Keeney, Franklin.

Cattle—Minor Davidson, T. C. Payne, Tecumseh; J. T. Clark, Clinton; Benj. Kelly, Holloway.

Sheep—I. N. Pilbeam, Ridgeway; Chauncy Cooper, Cambridge; Scott Remington, Clinton.

Swine—Martin Updike, Tecumseh.

Poultry—A. P. Coddington, Tecumseh.

Dairy Products—Cyrus Mead, Macon; Mrs. C. Cooper, Onsted.

Bread, canned fruits etc.—Mrs. Samuel Bryan, Tecumseh.

Bees and Honey—H. D. Cutting, Clinton.

Vegetables—C. L. Lowe, Ridgeway.

Seeds and grains—Frank Clarkson, Macon.

Fruit—B. I. Laing, Raisin.

Flowers—Mrs. A. T. Graves, Cambridge.

Photographs—Mrs. John Hicks, Tecumseh.

Mechanic Arts—W. S. Osborn, Tecumseh.

Domestic Manufacture—Mrs. Samuel Wilson, Franklin.

Farm Implements—David Woodward, Clinton.

Boys and Girls Department—Mrs. Cyrus Mead, Macon.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending July 28.

CAMBRIDGE.

J. Lambert sr., to J. Lambert jr. Land on sec 6. $1,400.

J. Lambert sr., to J. Lambert jr. Land on sec 6. $1,100.

MACON.

Harriet Rhoades to J. E. Harring. Land on sec 5. $300.

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Alice, Where art Thou?	Ascher	35c.
Angels Ever Bright and Fair	Handel	35c.
Answers	Blumenthal	50c.
Bible Alsatian Mountains	Adams	50c.
Bridge	Carew	50c.
Bridge	Lindsay	35c.
Brook	Dolores	35c.
Cherry Ripe	Horn	35c.
Clang of the Wooden Shoon	Molloy	40c.
Dream Faces	Hutchinson	35c.
Esmeralda	Levy	35c.

INSTRUMENTAL.

Chop Sticks, waltz	De Lulo	25c.
Black Hawk, waltz	Walsh	50c.
Corn Flower, waltz	Greene	50c.
Queen's Lace Handkerchief	Strauss	40c.
Raquet, galop	Richards	40c.
Home, Sweet Home	Slack	50c.
Warblings at Eve	Richards	40c.

And 1,000 other songs and instrumental pieces equally as good as the above only six cents per copy, post free. Send for a copy of our Musical Journal, $1.25 per year, sample copy twelve cents.

In sending orders always send cash, post-office order, or postal note, as we get so many stamps we cannot use them, also in all cases mention the paper you saw our advertisment in, so we may do justice to those papers that furnish us business. Address J. H. Thomas, Publisher, Albany, N. Y.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—The best flour for ordinary domestic use sold in this market is that manufactured at the old Globe Mills.

—The "Globe Mills Pastry" leads all the brands of flour in this market.

—You can buy the best and cheapest hay rack in the market of Ed Rowland.

—For beautiful, light, white bread, use Wm. Hayden's patent process flour.

—Salmon, codfish, mackerel, halibut, and in fact all kinds of fresh and salt fish can be procured at the old reliable market of Jim Cole.

—Spencer's Gallery will be open on Wednesday and Thursday only of each week commencing Wednesday, July 29, 1885.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Aug. 4, 1885:

Cook, Mrs. Caroline	Princes, Mr. John
Fleming, Mrs. May	Wood, Mrs. Maggie
Greenfield, Mrs. Glen	Osborn, Mrs. James
Lewis, Mr. Nichols	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Aug. 1, 1885.

Andrew, Miss M.	Gaan, John
Bonney, Mrs. M	Gray, Hugh
Black, Miss Mattie	Hall, James L.
Beebe, F. L.	Hanlon, Mrs. Anna
Beebe, Francis	Johnson, Geo. A.
Beier, Aug.	Matthews, Charley
Curtis, Polly A.	Roper, John
Eastlake, Wm.	Rapp, Rev. B. F.
Eaton, Albert	Watkins, Miss Mattie
French, George.	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised." PETER SHARP, P.M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	1 25	@	2 00
Apples, dried, ₩ ℔		@	03
Butter, ₩ ℔	10	@	12
Barley, ₩ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₩ bushel	75	@	1 00
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75	@	1 00
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	3 00	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00	@	5 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8	@	8
Corn in ear	25	@	28
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel		@	50
Clover Seed	5 00	@	5 50
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs, ₩ doz		@	11
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 50	@	6 50
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔		@	14
Ham, ₩ ℔		@	12
Lard, ₩ ℔		@	9
Oats, ₩ bushel	29	@	33
Onions, ₩ bushel		@	50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25	@	45
Salt, ₩ barrel		@	1 10
Sheep Pelts	15	@	20
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel		@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel		@	85
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel		@	85
Wool	20	@	25

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Trade Mark. QUALITY NOT QUANTITY. P PURITY. On Every Bottle.

PHYSICIANS AND DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND IT.

—THE BEST TONIC.

This medicine, combining Iron with pure vegetable tonics, quickly and completely **Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weakness, Impure Blood, Malaria, Chills and Fevers, and Neuralgia.**

It is an unfailing remedy for Diseases of the **Kidneys and Liver.**

It is invaluable for Diseases peculiar to **Women,** and all who lead sedentary lives.

It does not injure the teeth, cause headache, or produce constipation—*other Iron medicines do.*

It enriches and purifies the blood, stimulates the appetite, aids the assimilation of food, relieves Heartburn and Belching, and strengthens the muscles and nerves.

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For Sixty Days from July 15, 1885,

CLINTON FOUNDRY

Will sell you the

BEST CHILLED PLOW MADE,

(Two or three horse) with

Patent Adjustable Jointer,

Either wood or iron beam, complete. Price, $14.

FOR ONLY $9.50.

Jointer separate, for any wood beam $2.50.

POINTS FOR ALL CLINTON PLOWS,

Also Gale Nos. 15, 16, 22, A2, A4, Kalamazoo Diamond Iron, No. 15, Toledo No. 2 chilled or steel; Bryan, Ohio, No. 19; South Bend, No. 10, and Oliver, No. 30. Any of the above points,

FOUR FOR ONE DOLLAR,

Or 20 for $4.80, delivered on board cars in Clinton. Cash must accompany all orders at above prices.

References—Clinton Exchange Bank and Postmaster at Clinton.

The Clinton Plows were exhibited at

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Send in your orders, as they will be filled in rotation as received.

D. WOODWARD,

Clinton, Lenawee Co., Mich.

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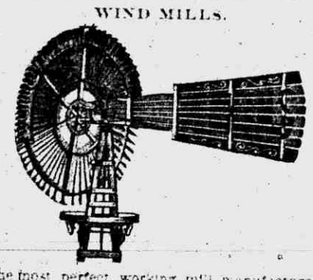

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At my old place of business on Pearl street, Tecumseh.

ALL WORK DONE BY

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Prices as Follows:

One set new Shoes $1.00, and all other work in proportion.

☞ For Cash only.

Respectfully,

G. W. GRIFFITHS.

ESTATE OF SAMUEL G. CONKLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 3d day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hudson W. Conkling and Henry C. Conkling, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, his funeral expenses; the expenses of administration of said estate, and all money legacies now due, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, according to the provisions of said will, and for their discharge.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of September next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. aug6

ESTATE OF JOSHUA KUDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of William Kuder, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to said petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon It is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of August, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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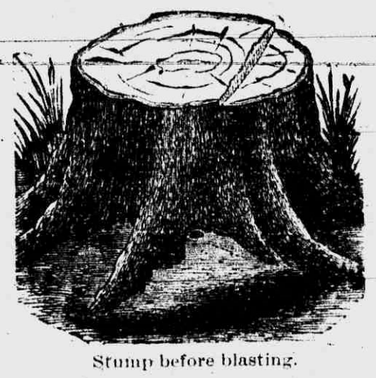

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

Born—Sunday, August 9th, to Mr. and Mrs Dot. Palmer, a boy. Weight, 9 pounds.

Miss Florence Rowland, of Tecumseh, arrived here last Thursday to spend several weeks with friends.

The youngest child of Will Rowland who has been at James McNally's for two or three weeks, was taken sick last Sunday. Dr. Tuttle was called and he at once pronounced the case scarlet fever.

Mrs. Halpin and two children, of Saline are visiting friends here.

Miss Julia Pomeroy entertained a small party of young friends last Monday, in honor of Miss Lottie Ellis.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin and son, of Tecumseh, spent a couple of days here last week.

Mrs. Mary Pomeroy has purchased the house and lot owned by Cassius Fisk, for her son, L. D. Pomeroy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whittelsey drove over from Ypsilanti last Saturday after their little daughter Nellie, who has been at E. W. Freese's for a couple of weeks. They returned home Monday.

Miss Lou Reynolds went to Detroit last Monday to spend two or three weeks.

Miss Lottie Ellis, of North Adams, is visiting at her uncle's, E. W. Freese.

Ed. VanDeMark contradicts the report that Chris. Smith has bought the Nelson Miller place. He says he Mr. VanDeMark has the refusal of the property until the 10th of October. Christopher, Where art thou?

Miss Mary Potts arrived in town last Saturday after a long absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark went to Sand Lake last Saturday and remained over Sunday.

The Grant Memorial service was held as announced last Sunday evening at the Congregational church. The church had been tastily decorated with flowers and flags. A large picture of the dead hero hung above the pulpit. The organist, Miss Ella Smith, played a funeral march. The address by Rev. Kerridge was such as befitted the memory of the man in whose honor the service was held.

Mrs. P. C. Smith and Mrs. Willis Mann went to Sand Lake last Saturday.

The Episcopal Sunday School are anticipating a ride and picnic at Wampler's Lake next week.

Mr. Arthur Bigelow, of Jackson, is visiting at W. D. VanTuyle's.

Frank Butterfield, of Whitmore Lake, is visiting at J. L. Tuttle's.

Did the editor of the Clinton dep't of the Tecumseh News succeed in shooting the offending canine last Friday night?

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Our genial friend Jack Dickinson has returned from an extended visit to Detroit where he has been investigating the merits of the different smelting works. He reports business very lively.

Mrs. Allen, a clerk in the Treasury Department at Washington, and her sister Mrs. Holcomb, of Grand Rapids, are visiting their cousin, Mrs. Florence.

People wishing blacksmithing done can now be accommodated at Floyd's shop as he has secured the services of a first class workman from Adrian. We bespeak for him a good business.

Quite a serious accident occurred at the Friends picnic last Friday at Raisin Center. A little son of Warren Wooster climbed up in a tree and through some defect either in himself or the tree, managed to fall to the ground, a distance of about twenty-five feet, which so shook him up that the services of a physician were deemed necessary. He is at present improving rapidly.

Rev. C. H. Rauson, of Adrian, preached in Holloway last Sunday morning and evening.

Fred Bowers, of Tecumseh, has moved into John Iveson's tenant house and expects to assist Mr. Iveson in his labors the remainder of the season.

W. H. Brainard made a flying trip to Toledo on Tuesday.

Jerome Pullman and wife made James Fowler, of Hanover a visit last week.

Miss Liza Ramsdell, of Hanover, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Begel.

Ira Allen, of Hanover, and lately from Florida, where he has been passing the winter, has been visiting friends in this vicinity for a few days. Ira has embarked in business in Florida and expects to return in a couple of months. We hope he will not have the cheek to entice away any of our law abiding citizens.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Memorial service at the Presbyterian church was conducted by Rev. HUT of Napoleon, and all who could attended. Society is all torn to splinters by a Sewing machine lawsuit in which one party is charged with playing a sharp game on her mother-in-law and the father-in-law accused of upsetting somebody aforesaid, raising Sam with family affection, piling up affliction and doing no end of damage, higglety piggiety fashion, that puts the State constitution in quid quod or quiddie, I can't tell exactly which. The jury are so evenly balanced on the did and did'nt testimony that the case has got to be tried over. If they fail to agree on a verdict next time, a stick will be set up and they required to accept its tip-over direction for a Providential decree as it were. This extreme measure must be resorted to, in order to prevent further exhaustion of legal talent. One volume of Blackstone has been thumbed out; one Justice of Peace grown bald-headed, and one lawer drank water twice. The witnesses have been quizzed about every sin by which womanly weakness is strenthened, and are too mad to enjoy ice-cream. The three who secured standing room in a gallery next block, and looked down on the gesturing which preluded some sort of a benediction pronounced over calico and culprits, would have been fined for levity and contempt of court, if they had not secured safety by remaining within heavenly jurisdiction. Nothing has aroused this community like this machine affray since the Afghan war began. Even girls and little boys flock to the hall to hear people insulted by language that would be canceled by a horse-whip if addressed to them elsewhere, and why justice is supposed to be aided by substituting blackguardism for civility, is as puzzling to the gallery class as the bright light was to Paul.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

It has been a long time since your correspondent has issued his epistle, but suppose it is for want of news.

The farmers have secured their hay and wheat harvest in good shape and where they have threshed their wheat it has given a yield from 25 to 35 bushels per acre. The oat crop is in bad condition; the past heavy rains beat them down to the ground and do not dry out so they can be secured. The corn was badly broken down but the fall feed is coming on in good shape.

The auction of merchandise at the store of T. H. Mosher, under assignee sale, went off Saturday very well and will continue every Saturday, and in the mean time T. H. Mosher is on hand to show and sell any article that may be called for, at the lowest rates.

Dr. Vaughan has his mother and sister from Springville, N. Y., with him on a visit.

Miss Ellis of Jonesville, has been visiting her uncle, Edgar Hubbard.

Mrs. Asa Aldrich and son of Adrian, have spent the past week at her uncle's, Wm. Queal's.

George Boughton is very low with the typhoid fever.

Last Saturday and Sunday the Episcopal Methodist Quarterly meeting was held at the church, and Sunday we had a good sermon from the Presiding Elder. It was well received and attended.

Our threshers, Ayres & Mason have gone to Franklin to work. They are prepared to do all jobs in workmanlike manner.

Dr. C. L. Vaughan from Brooklyn, was visiting his brothers, on Sunday.

The great rage amidst the women is seeking whortleberries.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine corn weather for the past few days.

Oat harvest is completed.

Fourth quarterly meeting next Sunday morning.

Messrs. Purdy Haight and W. P. Cadmus went to Toledo last week Thursday on business.

Master Bertie Cadmus rides a new bicycle now.

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Loree, visited their daughter Mrs. Alfred Lucking, of Detroit, over Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. and Albert Arner, of Raisin, visited relatives here Wednesday.

Miss May Brazee, of Morenci, called on Miss Ada Loree last Monday afternoon.

Mr. James Simons, of Raisin, was in the village Saturday to witness the game of ball and says it was a fine game for the practice the boys have had.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lawton visited friends in Ypsilanti Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Misses Jennie McClure and Adah Potter, of Tecumseh, spent a few days with Misses Lou Arner and Sena Coryell last week.

Mr. A. R. Williams, of Perrysburg, O. was the guest of Mr. Chas. Gove the first part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. James, of Detroit visited Mrs. Coats last week.

Mr. Geo. H. Miles, editor of the Clinton Local was in the village Saturday in the interest of his paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doty and family, of Raisin, and Mrs. Hattie Haskell spent the afternoon at Mrs. Hall's, Tuesday.

Misses May McElroy and Mattie Consaul, of Adrian, enjoyed the pure country air with Mrs. Chas. Gove and Miss Ida Pocklington for the past week.

Frank Davidson did the umpireing for the game of ball Saturday.

The boys from Holloway played the return game of ball at the village Saturday afternoon. The score stood Ridgeway 3 and Holloway 10. The boys did some fine playing for the practice they have had.

Mr. Chris. Pocklington was the expert and Miss Mattie Consaul the hero of the party that went from Dist. No. 5 to Sand lake Tuesday. It being their first experience with oars, they have to carry their hands in a sling and wait for repairs.

Mr. G. W. Jackson says in a letter sent to friends that they are well pleased with their new home at Hillsdale and that the string to the latch is out to all his friends of Ridgeway.

The Literary society will give an ice cream lawn festival Friday evening, Aug. 28th. Plenty of good music will be the order of the evening. For full particulars see small bills. A cordial invitation to all.

BY ORDER OF EX. COM.

There will be a chicken pie supper in the basement of the Christian church at Britton, Aug. 26th.

Mrs. Alfred Lawton was reminded of her 26th birthday by a surprise party Monday evening made by her parents, sister and neighbors. Ice cream and cake were served by the parents. Her mother presented her with a fine photograph album for a keepsake.

The picnic for the benefit of the Christian S. S. at Britton last Thursday was a success and did much cred it to the Supt., Dr. Hallock. The address was given by Rev. James Wright and was very interesting and pointed. The Britton band furnished some very fine music and each received a bouquet of flowers from Miss Linnie Coryell in behalf of the school with their best wishes.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Fine weather for threshing and oat harvesting; the hotels at Sand Lake too are having their harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Sr., who have each seen their four score years or thereabouts celebrated their 50th anniversary of their wedding on Tuesday the 11th inst. Many relatives were present; a number of suitable presents were tendered the aged couple and all enjoyed the occasion.

J. R. Keeney has purchased of Texas parties some twenty mustangs which he intends to dispose of to parties wanting nice saddle or driving horses.

T. M. Burns is putting in a set of heavy scales at the depot for the use of the people and benefit of the M. & O. Railroad.

Report says chicken thieves have commenced their depredations. Somebody will get hurt.

ONSTED ODDS.

The Sabbath school of this place, with that of north-west Rome picnic at Sand lake to-day. Large attendance.

Quite a large crowd attended the show at the hall of Messrs. Charles & Marsh, on Monday eve. Considerable fun.

Mr. Bliss Lee returned from the north last week, where he went to look after his farm. He reports crops good and well secured.

Next Saturday will be quite lively as there is to be a game of ball between Onsted and Rome, and a horse race.

Mr. B. Raymond, of Tecumseh, is visiting friends here.

Our Pastor gave us another sermon on sin, excursions, and Sabbath-breaking in general last Sunday. Notwithstanding these sermons, quite a number of the unregenerate of this place took in the excursion last Sunday.

ADDISON ATOMS.

J. F. Fitzsimmons, of Hillsdale, was in town last week looking after the interests of Aultman Miller & Co., of Akron, Ohio. Mr. F. has been Secretary of the Agricultural fair association of that county for several years.

We understand an effort is being put forth to finish the M. E. church and it is hoped the matter will be pushed to success as the building would be a valuable addition to the place if completed.

The grinding ceased at the mills here on Monday in order to adjust some of the machinery of the roller process. It has resumed work however and is turning out the staff of life of an excellent quality.

Mr. George Hodges is about to occupy the wagon shop located opposite the school building. George has a fine reputation as a workman and we bespeak for him a fair share of patronage.

Postmaster J. H. Underwood is rejoicing in the possession of an estimable better half now-a-days whom he found in the person of Mrs. Cloie Cole, of Rollin. The nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. B. T. Bailey, of the Baptist church of Rollin village, on Tuesday the 6th inst. The union is an especially fitting one and we wish them a hearty God speed in the new relation.

Miss Emma Rickey and Ann VanTine started for Clyde, Ohio, on the morning train Tuesday, at which place they will make a short stay and then move on to New York state where they will spend the remainder of the season. The ladies have been engaged in the dressmaking business here for a long time and their absence will be felt by a large number of friends.

THE COLLAPSE OF THE CONFEDERACY.

The Final Parting of Lee and his Generals After Appomattox.

We are permitted to publish the following incident from the pen of Capt. A. P. Foster, landlord of the Lilley House, who was an eye witness of the occurrence therein described. The day has now come when anything which throws light upon the history of the great struggle, whether on the federal or confederate side, is of public interest, and should be preserved.

Apropos of Appomattox, I give the following as a subject for poet or painter.

The parting between Washington and his generals has been celebrated in song and story, and the famous painting of that occurrence has in millions of copies become familiar to the people. But no singer has sung of the parting between General Robert E. Lee and his generals after Appomattox. No painter has painted it. Washington and his officers separated in the sunshine of glorious victory, the fruition of their brightest hopes. Lee and his officers separated in the gloom of defeat, the darkness of despair.

Amid the happy homes of their people, the shouts, and the banners and the merry music and rejoicing multitudes, Washington and his generals parted to go each one to his pleasant home.

Amid the ruins of their capitol, with bowed, bare heads, in utter silence and bitter tears, Lee and his generals went their several ways, to homes destroyed, families broken up and scattered and often into exile and oblivion.

The final parting was in front of Lee's mansion in Richmond two days after Appomattox. Lee's house is an ordinary square brick, standing alone on Franklin street, one square from the capitol. All the other houses on the square are connected.

Upon the afternoon of the second day after the surrender people in that vicinity were surprised to see come riding up the street from the south a company of confederate horsemen. They were unarmed. Their gray uniforms were worn, soiled and some tattered, their trappings old and patched. They wore slouched hats and here and there was a feather remaining of the once smart and jaunty and drooping plume of the confederate cavalryman. They were bronzed and browned and bearded. They sat erect and came on with the splendid horsemanship for which they were noted. Upon the collars of some of the gray jackets could still be seen the faded and tarnished gilt stars, the emblems of the wearers rank.

In front of them rode Lee. His two hands held the loosely swinging reins and rested upon the pommel. His head was bent, and his eyes were looking straight ahead from under his down cast brow, but they seemed to see nothing. As the troops captured up to his old home his horse stopped at the gate as if aroused from a reverie, suddenly, as if awakened from an abstraction, his eyes upon the familiar views and then around over the group of gallant soldiers who had followed his fortunes for four bloody years and gone down in defeat under his banner. The end of it all had come at last. He threw himself from his horse and all his companions followed his action. They stood hat in hand, with an arm through the bridle-rein, while Lee went from man to man, grasping each by the hand, looking intently into each face as though he would impress it upon his memory forever. Then he turned and walked through the gate up the steps to his door.

As a servant opened the door, he paused with his left foot on the verandah, his right upon the last step, and looked back for the last time. Not a word had been spoken. Not a good bye uttered. There was no sound heard but of sobs as these unkempt and grizzled heros of a hundred battles leaned their heads against the shoulders of their horses and wept. Lee gave one look and broke down at last. His hands went over his eyes, his frame shook with sobs, as he turned quickly and disappeared into his lonely house.

With the closing of that door behind him ended forever the wild dream of the Southern Confederacy.

LAID TO REST.

The Remains of General Grant Laid to Rest in Riverside Park, New York.

An Immense Procession of Military and Civic Societies Follow the Dead Hero to the Tomb.

Over One Hundred Thousand Persons in Line of March.

Burial Rites of the G. A. R. and Services of the Methodist Church Read and a Salute of Twenty-one Guns Ended the Services.

LAST SAD RITES.

NEW YORK, August 10.—The closing day of the funeral services over the remains of [illegible] Grant dawned with a clear [illegible] and a cooling breeze. A [illegible] day for the solemn [illegible] marked the [illegible] tomb of all that is mortal of him whom the Nation mourns and will not be wished for. From the firing of the sunrise gun, the boom of the minute guns fired at the stated intervals by both the military and naval details was proclaiming to the people that the last sad rites were under way and, before the day closes, the hero of the Union will have been committed to the tomb. The tolling bells, the grand old ringing in mournful cadence, and their pealing added to the general feeling of sorrow everywhere displayed. Not in the history of New York has there been such universal mourning as on this occasion, nor has there been exhibited such widespread sympathy for the family, of which the Nation's dead was the head. The streets along the route and out for the passage of the funeral cortege was packed with people early in the morning, many of whom remained up all night for the purpose of securing or holding an advantageous position from which to view the solemn pageant.

The crowds were well behaved and the police arrangements so perfect that the military, Grand Army posts and other societies experienced but little difficulty in going to the places assigned them. The funeral cortege was the grandest and most imposing of its kind ever witnessed in this or any other country. Fully 100,000 men followed the body to the grave.

At precisely one o'clock Saturday morning the gates leading to the vestibule of the City Hall were closed and the crowds which had been passing in a steady stream received a sudden check. The line ceased moving and those in it heaved a sigh at their neighbors. When word was passed by the police detailed to keep those in line in order that no more would be admitted, thousands were disappointed and their countenances plainly reflected their chagrin.

The lines, at the time, extended clear around the park, and for some distance along Broadway and the adjacent streets. It is estimated that fully 50,000 viewed the remains while lying in state here. So hurriedly had they to pass that only a mere glance was allowed.

Immediately after the close of the gates the plaza was cleared and in a few minutes the police were in full possession guarding every approach, and allowing no one but the privileged to come within a stones throw of the building. The undertaker at once took charge. None but the police and guards and all-night reporters were present at the time.

"Any here who now desire to view the remains will step forward at once," said the undertaker, his voice echoing in the dark corridors.

All present passed by the casket and the lying in state of the ex-President had ended. Undertaker Merritt then brushed the glass plates above the body and drew from their places, the two lids. The four screws on each were turned down and the face of the dead had been closed forever from view, unless there shall, in the future, come a request to remove the lids.

In this final examination of the case the undertaker found a stain of tobacco juice upon the velvet covering. With indignant ejaculations it was removed. Then the dead was left in care of the guards, who stood erect and silent within the closed iron gates and beneath the black drapings.

The night wore on and the gray of dawn was creeping up the east. The still air of the tomb-like corridors became heavy with the perfume of withering flowers near the dead. A huge piece, "The Gates Ajar," had a place at the head of the casket and the sweet smell of lilies was borne down to those who stood and watched. Great horse shoes of red and yellow rosebuds added their fragrance and a cross and crown from Mayor Latrobe, of Baltimore, sent out its quota of heavy perfume that settled on the sepulchral air.

But there was one tribute that bore no fragrance except such as will come tenderly to the family of the dead. It bore no perfume save that which lives in its memories. This token was a plain wreath of oak leaves pinned together with stems and formed in the shape of a letter G. The oaks in the forests of Mt. McGregor had fluttered in the breezes while General Grant was dying, and on the afternoon of Thursday, the day he died, little Julia, his grand-daughter, and little Josie, Dr. Douglass' child, had gathered the oak leaves in the mountain woods. The children prattled and knit, with innocent fingers and loving hearts, the wreath of oak leaves that to-day is the only tribute that touched the General's casket. The little ones's offering being finished, they then took it Colonel Grant, whose eyes dimmed when his daughter said: "Papa, Josie and I have made this for Grandpa, and please won't you give it to him." The Colonel placed the oaken wreath on the casket; then it rested there in Albany and still remains as the children's offering.

Daylight was near. The strains of dirge music crept out on the morning air. At first distant, they grew nearer and nearer. The red deepened in the east. Sunrise was near. The strains of music, slow and sad, grew more distinct. Then blue-coated veterans of Meade Post, Philadelphia, 500 strong, came tramping to the dirge music of the trumpets. The east was suffused with tints of orange, and dawn was close—the dawn of the funeral day. The veterans entered the gates and marched past, while muffled drums timed their footsteps and funeral dirges floated out toward the sea. The chimes of [illegible] Church, tolled mournfully and the sound of [illegible] the great [illegible] and [illegible] notes. The day was born. The last day of the dead upon earth, before the dust should be consigned to sacrificing [illegible].

[illegible] Post of Philadelphia, [illegible] following to a Chicago precinct [illegible] Following this, old Meade [illegible] Post, of Philadelphia, to which outside had more [illegible] Post, of Philadelphia. The day dawned [illegible] Post [illegible] Post [illegible] Post

THE WONDER

is becoming universal as to how such an immense sale could be created in Lowell for HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA. But, my friend, if you could stand behind our counter a week and hear what those say who are using it, the reason would appear as clear as the noon-day sun. The real curative power of HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA demonstrates itself in every case where *our directions* are faithfully regarded. We would that we might get before the people a fractional part of the confidence that is expressed to us every day in this medicine by those who have carefully noted without prejudice its effects upon the blood and through that upon the whole system, stimulating all the functions of the body to perform the duties nature requires of them. Try a bottle and satisfy yourself.

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Disposition of the Most Valuable Mementoes of the Funeral Already Decided Upon.

The Funeral Car to Be Taken to Pieces—Floral Offerings Removed to the Tomb—The Family Returned to Mt. McGregor.

AFTER THE FUNERAL.

NEW YORK, August 11.—After the body of General Grant was removed from the funeral car on Saturday at the tomb, the car was taken back to the iron yard of J. B. & J. M. Connell, foot of West Twenty-sixth Street, where it has since remained. Yesterday it was determined, in order to effectually prevent the car from ultimately falling into the hands of unfeeling speculators, to break it up.

The funeral bill will be very heavy. The undertaker was employed jointly by the family of General Grant and the city of New York, but it is said that the entire bill will be paid by the city. The undertaker's bill alone will not be less that $20,000. Five hundred carriages were at the funeral. These were engaged for the day, and this part of the bill will be $5,000. The black horses that were attached to the funeral car were all carefully selected. There were twenty-four of these, and their drapings cost $250.

The disposition of some of the most valuable mementoes of the funeral has already been decided upon. The large American flag that was laid on the ice casket at Mt. McGregor will be retained by Colonel Grant. One of the flags that was on the funeral car will be given to U. S. Grant Post, G. A. R.; one to the Seventh Regiment and one to Mrs. Dr. Newman. There were four flags on the car, but the manner in which the other is to be disposed of has not yet been decided.

The effect of the presence of so many thousand strangers in the city was to greatly increase the business of the elevated roads and the various telegraph companies. On Friday the Western Union Telegraph Company handled 93,160 messages, it being the largest number ever sent and received in a single day. The elevated roads carried 400,078 passengers and the receipts aggregated $33,119.

Colonel Fred Grant and U. S. Grant, with their wives, and Mrs. Sartoris, who have been stopping at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, left yesterday for Mt. McGregor on the eleven o'clock train over the West Shore Road. Colonel Jesse Grant and his wife did not accompany the other members of the family. General Sherman started for home in the morning and General Sheridan left at night. General Fitz Hugh Lee is still at the St. James Hotel. Vice President Hendricks left last evening. The Vice President said that the funeral procession was a grand and imposing spectacle.

It was found necessary to keep a dozen policemen on duty at the City Hall yesterday, owing to the large number of persons who crowded into the building to view the catafalque and floral pieces, which stood in the vestibule. The officers had all they could do to prevent visitors from plucking either flowers or leaves from the floral tributes which they wanted as mementoes.

At ten o'clock Undertaker Merritt and his assistants arrived with two large covered wagons and began the work of removing the flowers to the tomb at Riverside. All the smaller pieces were removed first and placed in one wagon, and then the larger and grander ones were taken apart and packed in the other wagon. Any floral pieces whose size prevents their being placed in the tomb will be placed outside at the entrance.

A photograph was taken of the catafalque and flowers, copies of which will be given to the members of the Grant family. Every little leaf, or flower, or twig that fell as the floral pieces were being taken from the City Hall was eagerly snatched up by the spectators, the majority of whom were women or young girls. Even the moss on which the pieces rested was in demand, and before a half hour after the last piece had been taken away the floor looked as if it had been swept. The catafalque and the canopy were taken apart and carried to Merritt's establishment on Eighth Avenue where they will be placed on exhibition for some time.

The help at the City Hall have had a great deal of extra work for the past week, but not a cent of extra pay have they got. It is suggested that the female help should be given the making of at least one dress from the stuff used in the mourning drapery.

On the visitor's registers in the Governor's room appear the following names, comprising the party of the Grant family, who visited the City Hall Sunday night: F. D. Grant, Alexander Sharp, U. S. A.; W. H. Monroe, Jr., N. Y.; Julia Grant, Nellie G. Sartoris, London; Ida Honore Grant, Lockwood House; Bertha Honore Palmer, Chicago; Annie B. Dent.

The names were written by each of the signers in person. Mayor Grace will send a message to the Board of Aldermen this evening, calling their attention to the admirable manner in which the funeral arrangements were carried out by all the city departments, and suggesting the passage of appropriate resolutions.

Last week Frederick Law Olmstead, the landscape engineer who was detailed to select a site for General Grant's monument, wrote a letter to Park President Cummings in which he expressed the opinion that the site chosen for the Grant tomb and proposed monument in Riverside Park was not a suitable one. It would be extremely unfortunate, he thought, if the remains of the dead hero were brought into close association with the gayety of the promenade, or if the city adopted plans for the terminal arrangements of the promenade which would destroy its main character, or which will prevent the promenade from having the great northern view as its terminus.

The letter has caused a great deal of discussion and Mr. Calvert Vaux, the landscape gardener of the Central Park, has replied to it at length. He says that there is nothing in the most of Mr. Olmstead's objections. He favors erecting the monument and final tomb on the southern portion of what is called "The Loop," and then it would be practically out of the park, with a public road all around it. Small pathways leading to it for foot-passengers could also be made and the view from the drive and park would be in no way impaired.

Mayor Grace said yesterday: "The actual site of the monument, or what sort of a monument it will be, has not yet been decided upon. I do not think a better site could possibly have been chosen than the one near the temporary tomb, and there is plenty of room there for a very large monument without, in the least, obstructing the view or in any way destroying the beauty of the spot. I shall certainly take no action in premises. The whole matter will be referred to Mr. Vaux and Superintendent Parsons, and they will report to the Park Commissioners as to the best site for the proposed monument."

It was said at the office of the Park Commissioners that the plan of laying out the northern part of Riverside Park had been modified to correspond to a great extent with the views of Mr. Olmstead. At first it was intended to have the permanent monument at a point about two hundred feet north of the tomb, but it will now be placed directly back of and near the tomb.

The Claremont House will remain and the handsome bluff will be reserved for those who visit for recreation.

From One Hundred and Twenty-first Street to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street in the park will be set apart exclusively for the burial ground of General Grant and a roadway will be laid out north of the tomb on a line with One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street so as to separate the burial ground from the other portions of the park.

The Park Commissioners have determined to secure the land lying east of Riverside Park extending to Claremont Avenue on one side, and from One Hundred and Twenty-second to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street. As soon as the Commissioners have secured a title to these grounds they will be laid out to correspond with the grounds in the vicinity of the tomb, and thus the necessary quiet will be secured to the spot in which the General's remains are deposited.

The key of the vault is kept in the large safe in the Park Commissioners' office.

General Fitzhugh Lee was shown a newspaper yesterday containing the interview with Robert Toombs in which that gentleman says that Jeff Davis ruined the Southern cause by letting West Point men control the policy of the Confederacy. General Lee expressed surprise and then indignation. "There was scarcely a soldier of renown on either side who was not a West Point graduate," he exclaimed. "Toombs contradicts himself by saying West Point ideas of martinet discipline throttled the South and then going on to say that Albert Sidney Johnston or Joe Johnston could have saved the Confederacy. Both these gentlemen were West Point men. Among the famous Southern soldiers educated at West Point were: R. E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson, Joseph E. Johnston, Albert Sidney Johnston, Beauregard, McPherson and Jeb Stewart. Gordon, of Georgia, and N. B. Forrest were almost the only able Southern soldiers who did not owe their military education to the school on the Hudson."

"How about Toombs having been offered the Confederate Presidency, as he states?"

"I never heard anything of it, and I do not know who could have tendered Toombs the Presidency. As I remember it, Jefferson Davis and Toombs were the candidates in 1861, and Davis was elected. We elected Jefferson Davis because he was able and pure; two essential qualities in statesmanship and private life, and we believed that his military education would be of great value to a President of a nation just plunging into a war of independence."

"What did you think of the funeral of General Grant?"

"I was much pleased to be thus assured that all unfriendly feeling has passed away and that there is so much evidence of good feeling and of the reuniting of both sections of our great country. I think the great friendliness evinced for General Grant was because of his past language and because of his conduct, more particularly at the surrender at Appomattox Court House."

ST. LOUIS TRUNK MYSTERY.

Maxwell, the Supposed Murderer, Brought from New Zealand.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 11.—Maxwell, the supposed murderer of Preller, at the Southern Hotel in St. Louis, arrived here yesterday from New Zealand in charge of St. Louis detectives, on the steamship Zealandia. He was taken to the city prison. Maxwell was quiet on the voyage and caused the detectives no trouble. He looks pale because he was kept in his stateroom most of the time. When questioned on reaching shore he said he was a Parisian and that his name was Daguiere. It mattered nothing that he had been known under different names. Many other men went by other names than their own. He said he had known C. Arthur Preller, but beyond this he would say nothing that touched upon his alleged offense.

To all questions he simply replied that he had been advised by counsel to say nothing. He said he was surprised on being arrested. He had gone to New Zealand partly for pleasure. After a few weeks sojourn he was to have gone to Melbourne and Sydney. When the reporter told him it was said he had been a clergyman he smiled and remarked that he did not feel like one and did not think he looked like one. He would say nothing as to his line of defense and when told that the insurance companies claimed to doubt Preller's death he was silent and his expression did not change. The detectives say Maxwell was perfectly calm in court in New Zealand and made no defense to the testimony offered by them as to the murder.

The Molders' Strike Ended.

ROCHESTER, August 11.—The strike of the molders which has been going on for the past four months is ended at last. The arbitrators have rendered the decision which is accepted without protestation on either side. Following are the findings of their report: The first finding is that wages are not to be reduced; the second finding is that the strikers and discharged apprentices are to be re-employed as soon as possible, and that no other men be employed until all the former strikers are at work; the third finding is, that as the right of corporations to transact business through their officers and committees have been recognized by law, therefore, the newly appointed representative on either side should endeavor to treat each other with respect and consideration; the fourth finding is that heavy tools shall be charged to them, and if worn when returned shall be credited back, but if improperly damaged the men in charge shall pay for them.

Tailors' National Union.

BALTIMORE, August 11.—The Tailors' National Union of the United States met in annual convention at Mechanics' Hall yesterday morning, with John B. Lewmen, of Denver, President, in the chair, and Joseph Wilkinson, of New York, Secretary. The members accepted an invitation to attend a picnic at Scheutzen Park under the auspices of the local union. One of the important questions to be deliberated upon is whether or not the Union will support the strikes ordered by the Federation of Trades by a per capita levy.

Ancient Order of Foresters.

DETROIT, Mich., August 11.—The biennial meeting of the Subsidiary High Court of the Ancient Order of Foresters of the United States, is now being held in this city. There are fully 5,000 persons in and about the city who have come to the meeting. Last night there was a torchlight procession, promenade concert and dance. The business sessions will begin to-day.

Death of Colonel Hoge.

ATLANTA, Ga., August 11.—Colonel E. F. Hoge, a well-kown lawyer of this city and one of the proprietors of the Atlanta *Evening Journal*, died last night, aged forty-six.

POOR GIRLS.—The poorest girls in the world are those who have never been taught to work. There are thousands of them. Rich parents have petted them, they have been taught to despise labor, and depend upon others for a living, and are perfectly helpless. If misfortune comes upon their friends, as it often does, their case is hopeless. The most forlorn and miserable women upon earth belong to this class. It belongs to parents to protect their daughters from this deplorable condition. They do them a great wrong if they neglect it. Every daughter should be taught to earn her own living. The rich as well as the poor require this training. The wheel of fortune rolls swiftly around; the rich are very likely to become poor, and the poor rich. Skill to labor is no disadvantage to the rich, and as indispensable to the poor. Well-to-do parents must educate their daughters to work; no reform is more imperative than this.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with laug fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking Skeleton. Got a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite and a gain in flesh of 48lbs. Call at C. A. Wright & Co's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottlee $1.00.

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THE MODEST FATHER.—"Father," began a young Detroiter the other evening, "were you in the war?"

"Yes, my son."

"Was it awful?"

"Yes."

"Lots of dead and wounded men?"

"Yes."

"Did you kill many?"

"Well, I shouldn't like to answer that question."

"Are you very modest, pa?"

"I hope I am too modest to brag."

"That was what Mr. Smith meant, then, when he was telling the men down at the drug store that you hadn't any war record to brag of."

"He did, eh? Smith is a liar!"

"That's what I thought. He told the men that you run so fast he couldn't catch you on horseback, and any boy knows that a horse can catch a man with a stiff knee."

"A life on the ocean wave and a home on the rolling deep," it is all very well to sing about in poetic verse, but the poor sailors are subject to discomforts that we landsmen know nothing of. Jacob Palmer, mate on the U. S. S. Portland, writes that he never starts on a cruise without laying in a supply of Mishler's Herb Bitters. It is invaluable for diarrhoea, dysentery, colic, cramp, and all similar disease.

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DUST TO DUST

The funeral of Gen. Grant took place last Saturday, on which day his mortal remains were conveyed to their final resting place. The largest and most imposing funeral pageant which the history records was that the cortege which bore it has passed first from the City Hall in New York along the grandest thoroughfare in America to Riverside Park, where the final earth was cast. And in all the principal cities of the Union special services were held and fitting addresses were delivered in honor of the great soldier. The entire nation was in mourning on that day for the illustrious dead.

But little can be added now in commemoration of the departed hero. "No words of sorrow have been left unsaid, no language of eulogy has been unexpressed, no emblem of mourning has been unused to paint upon the public canvass the achievements of General Grant. Even the world hushed its breath and suspended for a time its business cares and traffic to do honor to the distinguished soldier. The north and south struck hands "across the bloody chasm" and joined in sentiments of respect for the great commander who has gone to the eternal camping ground. Gen. Buckner, who surrendered to Grant at Donelson, and Gen. Joe Johnson, who made the final surrender of the confederacy, marched by the side of Sherman and Sheridan among the pall bearers. The victors and the vanquished mingled their tears over his ashes, and bore his corpse to the tomb.

The people followed his body to the grave, not as they would follow a conquering hero like Napoleon, or a military genius like Alexander, with admiration and awe, but they mourned for Grant, as for a patriot fallen, with a sincere and heartfelt sorrow. He was a man of the people and the people had marched to love him. He only drew his sword reluctantly to battle for a great principle, and gladly sheathed it again when his work was done.

The selection of his burial place was a happy one. Grant's remains belong to no state but to the nation, and it was befitting that in the nation's great capital his tomb should be placed. New York is and always will be the American Metropolis. Here a mausoleum will be erected, and visitors will make pilgrimages to the tomb of Grant during all the future years of the Republic. In beautiful River side, with the murmers of the Hudson breaking gently beneath him, and the great trees lovingly bending over him, his ashes will sleep. "Let us have peace," were the words of the great commander, and peace has come to his dust at last.

Nearly a hundred years ago New England began to stream out to the Western Reserve, and founded its first colony at Marietta, Ohio. It is proposed to celebrate the event by a centennial in 1888. Meanwhile HARPER'S MAGAZINE takes time by the forelock and will give in the September issue a paper on "The Earliest Settlement in Ohio," with numerous portraits of the pioneers and pictures of old houses.

The teachers' institute, in session at Mason for the past two weeks, closed yesterday. There has been an attendance of 101 of the handsomest country school marms in Michigan.—Ind. Evening News.

The young man who manufactured that item never attended a teachers' institute in Lenawee county, and it wouldn't be healthy for him to attend one now.

The Tri-State fair in Toledo will commence Sept. 7th, on Monday and continue during that week.

WHAT THE NEWSPAPERS SAY

A Throb of Humanity

[illegible] Mark Twain [illegible] death. By the same [illegible] the departed [illegible] the same and [illegible] the departed [illegible] Free Press.

A Safe Recommendation

The New York World suggests that the [illegible] be [illegible] Hill's successor [illegible] Sunday. The suggestion will [illegible] the people [illegible] Detroit Free Press.

A Democrat Dies

[illegible] Democrat [illegible] the proceeds of the sale of his body [illegible] Washington [illegible] Democrat [illegible] the land [illegible] want to waste [illegible] and have [illegible] Free Press. Strange [illegible] Republicans [illegible] way [illegible] they say. Parodied for a Times.

Steals Be Investigated

When Congress convenes this business should be investigated. The country would like to know exactly by what means a little ring of capitalists secured leases to nearly 4,000,000 acres of Indian lands. The Indians had no right to lease these lands, and yet it appears that they leased them through the persuasion of the Indian agents, the very men whose duty it was to protect these untutored sons of the forest against the greed of the white man.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Ideal Cabinet Officer

Secretary Whitney is the ideal Cabinet officer. He has youth with all its vigor and elan; he has experience with its wisdom; he has industry with its propelling power. He is courteous to everybody, never peevish or prostrated by overwork, though always busy, not rendered vainglorious by his position, but approachable by all. There is a wholesome and refreshing air surrounding him. He is zealous without ostentation, busy without fuss, efficient without parade. He is a distinct and conspicuous success.—Washington Post.

The People's Choice.

Already the question comes up, Who shall be chosen orator to pronounce the eulogy of eulogies upon our deceased citizen? And it is a part of the victory that the great soldier wins in his death that everywhere, regardless of party divisions and old-time personal and political dissensions, there is springing up a demand that Roscoe Conkling, of New York, shall fill the orator's place. Of Mr. Conkling's ability as an American orator there can be no question. Neither can any one doubt his fitting in intimacy and cordial friendship with the nation's hero.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Official Salaries at the Hub.

We notice an occasional expression of surprise in some of our esteemed contemporaries that the Governor of Massachusetts should get only half as large pay as the Mayor of Boston gets. The really surprising thing is that the Mayor of Boston should get only twice the salary of the Governor of Massachusetts. Surely, in the estimation of the people, their town is of more than twice the importance of the State. If the salary of the Governor should be doubled, the Boston folks would probably want to double or treble the salary of their Mayor, so that their sense of proportion might be appeased and comforted.—New York Sun.

A Good Thing All Round.

The President begins his vacation to-day. If he can succeed in burying himself so deep in the Adirondack forests that the office seekers can't find him or send word to him his proposed month's vacation will doubtless prove of great advantage. The present incumbents whose official heads have not been called for will also have a respite from the terrible suspense which has been torturing them for months. No more removals till September is understood to be the present policy of the administration and the official heads will be able to go to sleep at night without a dread of awaking in the morning to find themselves decapitated. As the office seekers will have to rest whether they want to or not the Presidential vacation would seem to be a a good thing all round.—Philadelphia Times.

Not to be Bulled.

One thing has been very clearly demonstrated by the present administration, though it has taken a good deal of talking and some pretty stern words to bring the parties most interested to understand the situation fully. The President and his Cabinet are not to be bulled. Every step that they have taken toward the breaking up of old abuses has been resisted by powerful interests and shrewd pleaders. Efforts have been made to prejudice the people and at the same time to shake the determination of the executive, but happily all have failed. No backward step has been taken. In this may be seen an evidence of strength of character and sincerity of purpose on the part of Mr. Cleveland and his associates which will have a happy effect in giving them public confidence and esteem.—Chicago Herald.

The County Horticultural Society

The Lenawee county horticultural society met on Wednesday, Aug. 5, in permanent organization. President Woodard in the chair. The secretary being absent, D. G. Edmiston was appointed secretary pro tem.

[illegible] the usual notices of the meeting had not been given, yet the attendance was [illegible] those who gathered to remember the day of Garfield and [illegible] was done among [illegible] business matters, they [illegible] adjourned.

D. G. Edmiston [illegible] Secretary [illegible] the meeting of the American Pomological Society, [illegible] Reynolds, Mich., Sept. [illegible] the appointment of delegates from this society. After [illegible] portion of fruits for [illegible]

After the matter had been [illegible] the following delegates were [illegible] D. Woodard, Canton; B. W. Stone, E. G. Edmiston, and L. W. Ada, Adrian, and N. G. Strong, Fairfield.

Each member of the society was urged to observe where good specimens of the various kinds and varieties of fruits, especially new and rare varieties, could be had, and be able to report at the next meeting.

On motion of Mr. F. J. Hough the society adjourned to meet in the Masonic temple on Wednesday, Sept. 2, at 9 a. m.

Subjects for Discussion—First, What shall we plant in this locality as a substitute for the peach? Second, Selection of specimens and exhibition of fruits at fairs.

The next meeting will be an important one, and it is hoped there will be a general attendance.—Evening Record.

SEYMOUR'S TRIBUTE TO GEN. GRANT.

The venerable statesman, Horatio Seymour, having been invited to speak at a memorial meeting in Utica, sent the following letter of tribute to the great General's memory.

"CAZENOVIA, Aug. 6, 1885.

"DEAR SIR: I am sorry my absence from home puts it out of my power to attend and address the meeting of the citizens of Utica to express their sentiments with regard to the character and services of Gen. Grant. I enjoyed a pleasant intercourse with him and held him in high regard. In addition to his distinguished military services, he had other claims upon the gratitude of his countrymen. Throughout his brilliant career he preserved the simplicity of habits and sentiments which is ever characteristic of greatness. He was never bewildered by his great achievements or overcome by his brilliant success. He will live in the history of his country not only on account of his deeds on battlefields, but also for his thoughtful utterances and his kindly words with regard to all sections of our land. He served his country as well upon his death bed as on the fields of war. His words will do much to do away with hurtful passions and prejudices and to strengthen the bonds of our Union. There has never been an exhibition of popular feeling which gives us more confidence in the future of our Union than the expressions with regard to the death of Gen. Grant in all sections of the land and by the members of all parties. To all thoughtful citizens this exhibition of general regard and respect does much to encourage the hope that sectional passions and prejudices are dying out. His words at the close of his life have done much to bring about this happy change of feeling and sentiment.

Respectfully yours, etc.

"HORATIO SEYMOUR."

THE WORLD'S PEDESTAL FUND.

The self-imposed task of the New York World newspaper, to raise a fund of $100,000 to complete the pedestal for the celebrated Bartholdi Statue of Liberty, has been completed. It is the most successful undertaking of a public character accomplished by private enterprise that this country has seen. Long may the World prosper and reap the fruits of its enterprise. The subscription has been running 147 days; average receipts per day, $6,90. The highest amount received from any one source was $2,800 from the Brighton Beach races benefit, and the largest receipts on any one day were $3,525, recieved June 21. Only two individuals have given as much as $1,000, Pierre Lorillard and Joseph Pulitzer, editor of the World. The next largest sum to come from a single family was $600 given by Hon. R. P. Flower, his wife and two children. About thirty men have given $250 each and a half dozen individuals have given $100 each. Only about $30,000 of the $100,000 was collected in sums of $100 or more. Very few contributions have been in sums of $25 or $50, none to speak of in sums of $10 even. Fully $80,000 has been collected in sums of less than $1. The grand total foots up $102,006.39, contributed by 120,000 persons.

As it was Written," a novel in the press of Messrs. Cassell & Company, is, it is believed, destined to make no ordinary impression. The author, Sydney Luska, is a young New Yorker, and his story is one of the Jewish race. It is not a story in defence of a creed, but it is simply a story told for a story's sake. The proof sheets of the book have been read by two literary gentlemen of rare judgment, both of whom give it high praise for literary style and originality of plot.

Thanks to an old school friend, Franc Tindall, for a copy of the Sunday Morning Bazoo, published at Sedalia, Mo.

TWO LETTERS WORTH READING

The following correspondence [illegible] explains itself. The popular belief is that President Cleveland wears a good [illegible] of socks to be true and [illegible] now true that he wears [illegible] socks or not [illegible]

President Cleveland [illegible] received a letter [illegible] which he [illegible] the writer says:

[illegible] read the [illegible] agent of [illegible] with [illegible] of hot water [illegible] Nobs were more astonished than those who had signed his petition [illegible] that my [illegible] I have received [illegible] parties who I know to be good men, but I suppose they [illegible] would never be [illegible] and but for the [illegible] the appointment was possible. It was stated by many gentlemen such who hated to refuse, and hoped that the official would resign [illegible]

To this the president replied:

WASHINGTON, August, 1885.—DEAR SIR:—I have read your letter with amazement and indignation. There is but one mitigation to the perfidy which your letter discloses, and that is found in the fact that you confess your share in it. I do not know whether you are a democrat or not, but if you are the crime which you confess is more unpardonable. The idea that this administration, pledged to give the people a better government and better officers, and engaged in a hand to hand fight with the bad elements of both parties, should be betrayed by those who ought to be worthy of implicit trust, is atrocious, and such treason to the people and to the party ought to be punished by imprisonment. Your confession comes too late to be of any immediate use to the public service, and I can only say that, while this is not the first time I have been deceived and misled by lying and treacherous representations, you are the first one that has so frankly owned his grievous fault. If any comfort is to be extracted from this assurance, you are welcome to it.

Yours truly,
GROVER CLEVELAND.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending August 3, 1885:

Estate of Elizabeth Moore, an insane person: bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Jesse L. Powell, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Maria E. Orcutt, deceased, petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing September 7, 1885.

Estate of Henry Sherwood, deceased, petition for appointment of administrator; hearing August 31, 1885.

Estate of Orin Knowlan, an incompetent person; resignation of guardian filed and petition for appointment of a guardian; hearing Aug. 31.

Estate of Philip Robinson, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrators' final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Moses Ayres, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Charles G. Kurtz, deceased; receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Timothy Duel, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Johanna Nufer, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Aug. 11, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Mary A. Potts, an insane person; affidavit of service of order of hearing filed; testimony taken; order of continuance until Oct. 5, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Samuel G. Conklin, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing Sept. 7.

Estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John S. Peck, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending August 3.

CAMBRIDGE.

Rachel S. M. Osborn to A. J. Ayres. Land in Springville village. $100.

A. P. Kimball to Wm. Onsted. Land on sec 28. $200.

Wm. Onsted to M. P. Wemple. Lots 9, 10, 34 and 35. Onsted village. $920.

M. P. Wemple to F. D. Avery. Lots 11 and 12. $1000.

WOODSTOCK.

David Richmond to A. J. Hasbrouck. Land on sec 31. $85.

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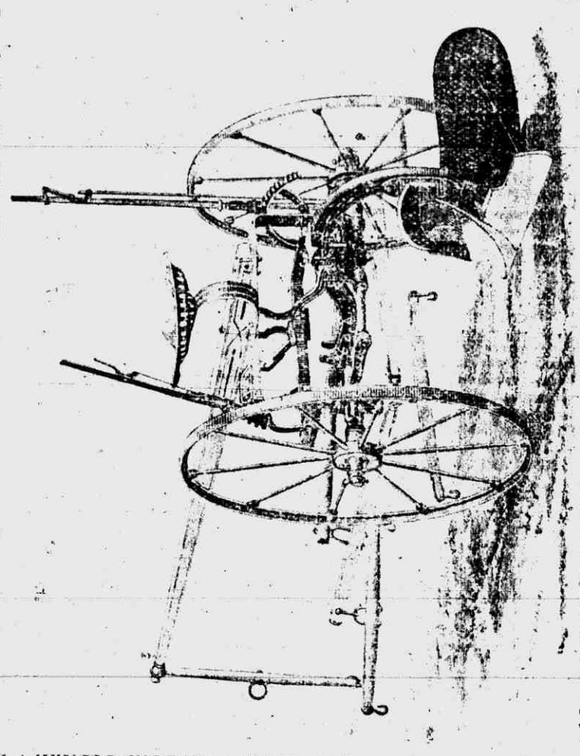

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST.—Wednesday last, at S. S. picnic, at Cudworth's Landing, Devils Lake, a boy's overcoat. Finder please return to HERALD OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—Sows and pigs for sale. Enquire of W. B. KEYSER, or E. C. CORYELL.

TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS to loan on good real estate security. Apply to CHAS. BURRIDGE.

C. A. Slayton has a new advertising card in to-days paper.

Bagforth Keyes has been appointed postmaster at Clinton, vice S. B. Rose resigned.

Mrs. S. W. Anderson entertains a number of lady friends at a tea party this afternoon.

Read Eugene Lovett's message on the windmill question which will be found else where.

Little Bell O'Neil gave a pleasant party to twenty of her young friends last Tuesday afternoon.

I. P. Keyser is putting down a new walk in front of his store west of Herning's meat market.

Miss Lora Reynolds went to Detroit last Monday to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Jno. Whelan. She was accompanied by Miss Lou. Reynolds, of Clinton.

The Baptist meeting and Sunday School will be held in the Opera House next Sunday morning at the usual hours. A cordial welcome would be extended to all.

Misses Minnie and Alice Hamilton of White Pigeon, Miss Grace Dunn, of South Bend, and Miss Daisy Humphrey, of Saline, are visiting at Mrs. Geo. W. Hamilton's this week.

The Masons have fully decided upon one thing, and that is, they are bound to have a boss time next Tuesday on their excursion. Procure your tickets early so that the committee may secure plenty of cars.

The M. & O. agents at Tecumseh will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip to the Farmer's Picnic at Devils lake on the 20th; good going Aug. 19, and good returning Aug. 21. Regular fare from Tecumseh 55 cents. Also at same reduced rate to G. A. R. encampment at Benton Harbor, Aug. 18th and 21st inclusive.

On the occasion of the farmers' picnic, at Devils lake, August 20, the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific railway company will sell round trip tickets, good going and returning August 19, 20 and 21st; also to the same place to the soldiers' and sailors' reunion good going and returning August 25, 26, 27 and 28, at one fare for the round trip.

Saturday afternoon a heavy hail and wind storm passed through the central portion of Lodi township, demolishing standing grain, breaking in windows, killing poultry, and doing a vast amount of damage to fruit. The storm spent its force in Pittsfield, where, it is claimed, hail stones as large as hens' eggs fell to the ground. —Saline Observer.

THE FARMERS' PICNIC.

The big picnic at Devils Lake will be holden this year on Thursday of next week, August 20th. The officers of the association are sparing no pains to make it the largest and most successful reunion yet held. The program of exercises as arranged is one of unusual excellence and the arrangements for accommodating the vast crowd in attendance will be complete. The program as announced is as follows

1.—Called to order by the President.
2.—Singing by the Glee Club.
3.—Prayer by Rev. J. H. McLane.
4.—Reading of the minutes of last meeting.
5.—Address of welcome by the Pres.
6.—Music by the Band.
7.—Address by Hon. N. B. Eldredge.
8.—Singing by the Glee Club.
9.—Recitation by Miss Florence Hawley.
10.—Address by Rev. J. H. McLane.
11.—Music by the Band.
12.—Address by V. H. Lane, Esq.
13.—Song by the Glee Club.
14.—Address by L. H. Salsbury, Esq.
15.—Song by J. H. Tolford.
16.—Recitation by Miss Belle Carson.
17.—Music by the Band.
18.—Election of officers for ensuing year

Before and After Taking.

The Free Press last October contained an interesting account of a meeting at the Russell House between Postmasters E. O. Shaw, of Newaygo, and John Cole, of Fremont. Republicans of course and Daniel E. Soper, of Newaygo (very much Democrat.) In the account occurred this passage.

"The three fell into a very heated discussion of the recent political meetings in Newaygo County, the size of Blaine and Cleveland poles erected in a score of different cross roads, in the midst of which they all moved down Woodward avenue, the two ponderous statesmen on either side of the diminutive one and talking him into an early grave. The last words heard as the echoes of the shaking pavement died away were

"Oh, well, you fellows can talk. You were both born in mail bags and think the party

"And you can just bet we are going to stay in the mail bags a great many years longer."

Time works in a mysterious way its wonders, etc. Postmaster Shaw was kicked out of the mail bags yesterday and the protesting Daniel E. Soper was carefully inserted therein in his stead by the Postmaster-General.—Detroit Free Press.

Dan's old Tecumseh acquaintances will congratulate him on his good fortune. He has got there and he deserved it.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 13, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Chas. Bills was in town over Sunday.

Beautiful weather this week but awful dull.

The oat harvest is about completed in this section.

Sell's circus at Adrian drew a big crowd last Tuesday.

The Brooklyn rink will close for the summer for repairs.

Remember the Masonic excursion on Tuesday next, Aug. 18th.

The Adrian Times has been selected to print the delinquent tax list.

Miss Edith McBride, of Dundee, is the guest of Mrs. George Hamilton.

Miss Jeanie Drewyour, of Dundee, is visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Minnie Lehn, of Manchester, was visiting friends in town last week.

Has the weather clerk developed into a mugwump? That is the question now.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Snedicor of Dundee have been visiting in Tecumseh this week.

Arthur Crossman, of Wahoo, Nebraska, is in town visiting his parents this week.

A new sidewalk has been laid in front of Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd's hardware store.

Will Smith was in town last Sunday. He is now traveling for an eastern insurance company.

Vernon Allen, of the Morenci Observer has just returned from a trip to Macinac Island.

Street commissioner Jordan has been laying a lot of new cross walks during the past week.

Geo. Bostwick is having a hard tussel with bilious fever. We hope Geo. will come out best man.

The village school houses are being painted and kalsomined in preparation for the opening of school.

President Stephens, of Adrian College, will preach in the Presbyterian church in this village next Sabbath.

The commencement exercises at the State Agricultural College will begin on Sunday next, August 16th. Below is the program.

Sunday—Baccalaurate Sermon.
Monday—Society banquets.
Tuesday—Military and class day exercises.
Wednesday—Commencement proper and President's reception.
Thursday—Alumni meeting.

Major-General John C. Robinson, U. S. A., will contribute a paper entitled "Baltimore in 1861," to the War Studies of the September Magazine of American History. As he was in command of Fort McHenry when the Massachusetts troops were assaulted in passing through Baltimore April 19, 1861, his account of the scenes will be of surpassing interest.

The Knights of the Key-board, otherwise the Commercial Telegraph Co., held their annual picnic at Sand lake last Thursday. There was a goodly attendance and the participants had a fine days recreation until the rain came on. The day closed with a bountiful supply of liquid refreshments not announced on the regular program. The toasts were drowned out. A few venturesome ones returned that evening. The others didn't.

The report has gained circulation that the School Board would recommend at the annual school meeting the erection of a new building in the west ward, to cost about $10,000. We have made some enquiry and find that no member of the board is in favor of expending that amount for any such purpose. It is true that additional facilities are needed in the west branch building and the matter will undoubtedly be presented at the annual meeting for action. What recommendation, if any, the Board will make, is still undecided.

The excellent music given the G. A. R. boys last summer at their picnic at Devils Lake, was so well appreciated that the committee this year have again engaged the I. O. O. F. band of this village to furnish music for the encampment to be held at the same place Aug. 26, 27 and 28th. Other bands were anxious for the engagement, but the committee decided to give our boys the preference, and did so in spite of the fact that their bid was much higher than those of other bands. The boys will go better prepared than ever.—Blissfield Advance.

Capt. C. H. Manly, of Ann Arbor, President of the First Regiment of Michigan Volunteers, makes the following announcement: "There will be a reunion of the old First Regiment of Volunteer Infantry at Devils Lake, Lenawee Co., Mich., August 27, at 10 o'clock, to which we hope all ex-members of the old regiment will be present, that we may once more see old and familiar faces, that each may take by the hand his old comrade once again before the bugle shall sound for us to pass before the great Captain in the final review, to whom our beloved chieftain has so lately been called to report."

I. S. Osborn has been rusticating at the lakes for a few days.

John L. Trann spent two or three days in Tecumseh last week.

Frank Silvers has sold his mare, Mollie Garfield, to Geo. A. Kies.

C. A. Palmer of the Toledo Post was in town last Thursday and gave us a call.

Mr. Kunsel, Adrian's boss confectioner, was doing Tecumseh, one day last week.

Eleven thousand dollars is being expended in repairs on the State University buildings.

The Episcopal social will be held next Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Cory.

Ex County Clerk Hunter was in town last Thursday. The rain storm came at the same time.

John R. Clark of this village delivered his lecture on "Hits and Misses" at Petoskey last Saturday evening.

Knapp's full band will attend the Masonic excursion to Devils Lake next Tuesday, and also the Dundee band.

C. S. Randolph, a former resident of Tecumseh, who now lives at St. Louis Gratiot County, was in town last Friday.

DeGarmo Grandy started for Detroit last Monday, where he has a situation in the Hiawatha tobacco works.

Mrs. Clark and children and Master Harry Burnham, of Leavenworth, Kansas, are visiting at D. W. Clark's this week.

A beautiful banner, worth $75, to be given to the best drilled Post at the G. A. R. encampment, is on exhibition at Hudson.

Fred Keip and sister, of Toledo, came up on the excursion train Sunday morning for a few days visit with friends and relatives.

All the young men of Hudson attended church last Sunday evening to hear the Baptist minister preach on "The Model Wife."

Miss Estelle Miller, having declined the position tendered her as teacher in the north primary, Miss Minnie Jones has been chosen to fill the vacancy.

Postmaster Rosacrans, his wife and two children and Web Anderson started last Monday for Au Sable for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hicks.

Bill Nye says: "Don't attempt to cheat an editor out of a year's subscription." William has got a level head and honors the newspaper fraternity.

The business houses of Tecumseh were all closed last Saturday from two till four P. M. and mourning emblems were displayed in many of the stores.

S. C. Stacy has purchased the Addison Courier and will conduct that paper hereafter. The first number, under the new management, will be issued to-morrow.

We are indebted to Mrs. Bigelow, of Dowagiac, for a copy of the "Reunion" containing the full proceedings and all the papers read at the Clinton school reunion a few weeks ago.

A timely and well authenticated article on the historical associations connected with General Grant's burial place in Riverside Park, will be published in the Magazine of American History for September.

We acknowledge the receipt of a season ticket to the Mich. State Fair, which will open at Kalamazoo on Monday, Sept. 14th. From present indications it bids fair to be the best fair ever held in the state.

The Masonic Lodges of Manchester, Clinton, Tecumseh, and Dundee will unite in an excursion to Devil's Lake on Tuesday August 18th. A special train will be run, which will give the excursionists the entire day at the lake.

There will be a meeting of the Franklin and Tecumseh Farmer's Club at the residence of Andrew Wilson on Wednesday evening, August 19th. Discussion—Wheat culture and best varieties. H. WILSON, Sec.

One Johnson, a Bohemian oat man, has recovered from an attack of the mumps and is now in Saline. He should prepare himself at once for the cholera. Mumps is too mild a malady for a Bohemian oat man to wrestle with.

Marshall Moir arrested a tramp last Saturday night for "going through" vehicles hitched on the street. The fellow said he was looking for something to eat, and as nothing of a criminal character could be proved against him, he was released.

The late Secretary Baird, of the state board of agriculture, was buried at Lansing Thursday. His successor has been selected in Henry G. Reynolds, of Old Mission, Grand Traverse county; a graduate of the agricultural college, and an expert in all matters pertaining to agricultural science.

The band concert last Monday evening was a good one. Several selections were finely rendered. We regret that a few rowdies took it upon themselves to interfere with the exercises. If the experiment should be repeated, somebody may feel the legal halter draw.

Will the Tecumseh G. A. R. Post compete for the prize banner?

Rev. James Wright, of Britton, gave the HERALD a call yesterday.

Arthur Barnett is spending his vacation very pleasantly in Tecumseh and vicinity.

Read Geo. A. Corwin's new card in to-days paper, and go there for bargains in dry goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown visited Mrs. Brown's parents at Hudson last week. They went by the overland route.

Miss Cora Smith, daughter of E. J. Smith of the Adrian Record, is spending this week with friends and acquaintances in Tecumseh.

Dr. & Mrs. Peters, of Blissfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clark, of Palmyra, Mrs. Mumford, of Adrian, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marks, of Cleveland, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Clark.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Kate Stevens to Mr. R. Henry Salter Jr., of Boston, Mass. We gladly extend our congratulations coupled with the hope that Miss Stevens has chosen wisely and well.

Several Tecumseh people went to Sand Lake last Thursday. It was a fine trip out in the morning, but the return ride was quite the reverse. The extra amount of damp moisture induced many of them to remain over night.

Services next Sunday in the Universalist church at 10:30 in the morning. Sermon, "The Lessons and blessings of the rain," and in the evening at 7:30 on "That which never fails." Sunday School after the morning services. All are cordially invited to attend.

The editor of the Hudson Gazette offers his office shears for the use of the new administration. We respectfully admonish Bro. Schemerhorn not to be too hasty. If he parts with his shears, where will the copy for the printer come from, and in these hard times, where will the money come from to buy a new pair.

J. C. Jones, superintendent of East Saginaw public schools, gets a $4,000 place looking after the educational department of Harper & Bros.' New York house. Prof. Jones is an old Raisin boy, and passed his youth near the Valley Seminary. His many friends in this vicinity will be glad to hear of his good fortune.

The first promissory note drawn in Monroe was between two Frenchmen, and read something like the following. The French used the word "she" instead of "he:" "For valu receive she promis to pay two or tree dollar in two or tree day, and if de monee I no pay, keep dis pape—just de same ting."—Monroe Commercial.

The Sunday School picnic yesterday to Devils lake was largely attended. Over six hundred tickets were sold. Five passenger coaches and two box cars were packed full of humanity and provision baskets. The day was a beautiful one, neither too warm nor too cold, and the little folks as well as the older ones in attendance enjoyed themselves immensely.

The Masons are preparing for a big time on their excursion to Devils Lake which will come off on Tuesday next, Aug. 18th. The Lodges of Manchester, Clinton, Dundee and Tecumseh will participate. Fare from Dundee, Britton, Ridgeway and Tecumseh, forty cents for the round trip. The train will leave the Tecumseh station promptly at eight o'clock and will return about nine o'clock in the evening in time to allow the Clinton and Manchester brethren to go home on the late train on the Jackson Branch. From present indications the party will number at least five hundred. The excursion will be under the control of the Masonic fraternity but will be free to all who may wish to attend.

A VISIT FROM AN OLD VETERAN.

Mr. E. H. Custer, the venerable father of the late Gen. Geo. A. Custer, who lives at Monroe, is spending a few days with Lieut. Eliot Gray. Mr. Custer came down to the village Monday and paid his respects at the HERALD office, during which interval we enjoyed a pleasant chat with him. Mr. Custer was 78 years old the 10th day of December last, and although he has been living for eight years upon borrowed time, he is still as hale and hearty as most men of three score. He was born in Maryland. Left that state when eighteen and traveled on foot with a pack on his back to Harrison Co., Ohio. Here he found an attraction in the shape of a pretty girl became a married man, and lived there several years. Thirty six years ago he came to Michigan, but on account of sickness in his family returned to Ohio after a few months. In 1863 he moved back to Monroe and has lived there ever since. He has been a life long Democrat of the Andrew Jackson stamp, and is a warm admirer of President Cleveland. He has had three sons, one son in-law and one grandson killed in the U. S. service, either in the rebellion, or in the Indian wars since. He has been spending about a week at Lieut. Gray's and will return home Friday.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS

The Morenci fair will be held this year the last week in Sept.

John Brazee's new hotel at Devils lake will be called the Stony Grove House.

The Adrian canning company are now at work on beans. This is their bean season.

The Adrian scientific society has raised $7.00 toward buying weather signal flags.

Tecumseh leads all the schools in the county in the sum received for non resident tuitions.

The Clinton Woolen Mills are turning out some fine new cloths. These goods are better than ever before.

Adrian was overrun with school ma'ams last Saturday. The county examiners held a matinee on that day.

Adrian wants a cremation society. We should suppose the citizens of that lively city would get all the fire they wanted after death, with the old fashioned method of burial.

The whole number of postmasters in the classes appointed by the president is 2,233. The whole number in the classes appointed by the Postmaster General is 51,000. President Cleveland has already appointed 450, and Postmaster-General Vilas 3,500.

Elaborate memorial exercises were held at Adrian last Saturday. A procession marched through the principal streets to the park, where a lengthy program was presented, consisting of vocal music and addresses by Ex Gov. Croswell, Gen. Wm. Humphrey and Lieut. Salsbury.

The Daisy Road Cart which Carter will place on exhibition at the San Francisco Cal. Fair, is a thing of beauty, and no mistake. It is finished in the natural wood, elegantly trimmed, and the hubs mounted with gold bands. If it doesn't captivate the inhabitants out there it will be a wonder.—Hudson Gazette.

Last Monday evening at a meeting of Adrian Lodge No. 8, I. O. O. F., Past Grand G. W. Westerman in behalf of the lodge presented an elegant gold headed cane to Past Grand Master and Past Grand Patriarch, C. W. Hunt, of Cleveland, Ohio, and for many years a resident of this city. Mr. Hunt has been a member of the order for forty years.—Adrian Press.

The leader of the salvation choir purchases a copy of the Record each evening. His voice, it is true, is like the voice of the threshing machine; but his judgement in selecting a newspaper is as clear as a squirt-gun. As to his sing, if he can trade it off for "40 acres and a mule" we advise him to let 'er slide. The mule, under such circumstances, would be cordially welcomed in Adrian.—Evening Record.

The Hillsdale Leader and Standard propose to put up $100 each, for the temperance cause. Well we've heard of prosperity in the profession before—aye, even of brother publishers who have been able to pay cash down for sponges, benzine and other necessaries about the office, but such opulence as this—two editors with $100 each—has never been our pleasure to see before, in fact we haven't seen this yet. We trust this betokens the dawning of that brighter day, when an editor will be able to receive friendly visits from a burgler without being compelled to rob him before he gets out.—Hudson Gazette.

Mr. J. W. Heine, Sr., saw active service in the Canadian rebellion in 1838. He first went out with an Ann Arbor company in November, 1837, and returning, went back again with a company from Adrian in the fall of 1838. The company that went from this city was composed of about forty men, only a dozen of whom were residents of the city, the rest were Canadian refugees. The Canadian authorities quickly crushed the rebellion, seizing and hanging every officer of the regiment above the rank of Mr. Heine, who was a lieutenant. Mr. Heine escaped, and a reward of £250 was offered for his head. That head is sound and whole and well fixed upon an active body to this day. Sydney Barbour came the nearest of the Adrian contingent to being hung. He was actually sentenced, but was afterward released on account of his age and mother's tears.—Evening Record.

At the late races the preponderance of the number of onlookers of gentlemen is appalling if we may credit the horrible story related by a lady who has just returned from Sand lake. She asserts with all the candor, that in her party there was just one lone bachelor, and they kept him chained up all the while to prevent other fair resorters from getting him away from them. The practice of some of the native gentlemen of devoting themselves to imported attractions to the relegation of the home water lilies right in the face of this masculine famine, also comes in for its share of denunciation. If possible, we shall try to spare a paper from this office for a few days, and send him over to Sand lake.—The Record.

That a handsome and talented bachelor like Bro. Benkes should wilfully and with malice aforethought relinquish an opportunity of this kind is almost beyond our belief. "Spare a hand!" Why, young man, go to the lake thyself and spend a week or ten days, and let the fair damsels chain up an editor—if they dare.

A cabinet photo containing a group of five children has been found and left at this office

The twenty-second annual reunion of the students and teachers of the Raisin Valley Seminary will be held on the Seminary grounds to-morrow, Aug. 14th. Picnic dinner in the grove. Marianna Brown, formerly associate teacher is expected to be present. Orator, Celia Jones. Poetess, Anna Bartlett.

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A CARD.

To the many friends who have with such kindness and sympathy assisted us, and have expressed such kind words of sympathy to us, in this dark hour of affliction and for the many floral offerings, we return our sincere and heartfelt thanks, and can only assure them that we shall ever remember them as among our dearest friends.

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Scientific Notes.

The human body is seven-eighths water. The blood is mostly water. All the tissues owe their softness to it, and even the bones have a share of this fluid. No organ of the body could perform its duty, nor could life be sustained without it. Alcohol burns up the water, diseases and destroys the body.

An iron rail properly made, it is said, will last as long as those of steel. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road near Dayton has in use iron rails placed there thirty-one years ago which are yet in fair condition. They were made at Johnston, Pa., and the order required that they should be the best possible to be made. It is safe to say that no iron rails are made now-adays which would endure an equal amount of traffic for thirty years.

Denmark has lately acquired a torpedo-boat which is pronounced in England, where it was made, the largest afloat. Her displacement is fifty-five tons and her armament comprises four of the largest Whitehead torpedoes, each carrying eighty pounds of gun-cotton and a Hotchkiss revolving gun. She has a coal capacity of ten tons, which is equivalent to 1200 miles at eleven knots, but her full speed is twenty knots. Despite her great size, the boat is capable of transportation by rail.

In a paper read before the British Medical Association, Dr. J. Hadden objects to the treatment of fevers by immersing the patient in cold baths for the purpose of directly abstracting heat. He says the theory upon which such treatment is advocated is incorrect. The high temperature is not itself the cause of the worst symptoms of fevers. Furthermore he declares that in practice such treatment is dangerous, and that the only safe way of using baths in fevers is by sponging the surface with moderately cold water. Even tepid or warm water will exert a cooling and soothing effect. The immersion method is too shocking.

Professor Donders, long known as the most distinguished oculist in Holland, recently delivered a lecture in Amsterdam, on color, which has been widely quoted. After an elaborate experimental analysis of various popular notions on the subject in hand, Professor Donders proceeded to demonstrate that, notwithstanding the prevailing theory, green must be ranked with the primitive colors, like red, blue, and yellow. Green, the Professor explained could not be produced by mixing pure yellow and blue—such a composition would be white, in the very nature of things. The green color which is apparently derived from the mixture or amalgamation of two paints is, in reality, says Professor Donders, the result of "subtraction."

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Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kansas, writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by C. A. Wright & Co.

A Regular "D. B."

Not long ago a well-known newspaper man took day board at the Sherman House, says the *Chicago Times*. He was at home in the place, and was a privileged character. One day he sauntered behind the office counter into the regions that are supposed to be sacred to gentlemen who wear diamonds and address congressmen, governors, tourists, porters, newsboys and other statesmen by their first names, when his eye happened to catch sight of his own name on a slip with others over the bookkeeper's desk. He would not have given it a passing thought had not the letters "D. B." been attached. He "flew off the handle" on the instant, and demanded an interview with the proprietor. That august functionary was found, and to him the irate journalist addressed a few remarks. "Do I owe you anything?" he asked. "No, sir, was the prompt reply. "I have paid my bills all right so far as you know, haven't I?" "Certainly. I have no complaint to make."

"Then why do you permit your clerk to post me over his desk as a 'D. B.?'"

"I do not; there must be some mistake."

The journalist assured him that there was no mistake, and that he had seen the objectionable and significant letters with his own eyes. The more he thought of it the madder he got. The proprietor could not pacify him until he promised to have the matter investigated and the guilty man punished. It was found that the night clerk had perpetrated the outrage, and that evening the injured citizen took an early opportunity to take him to task. "What did you mean by putting 'D. B.' after my name?" inquired the newspaper man. "O, go away," he replied, thinking his interlocutor was "chaffing," as was his custom "don't bother me." "No, I won't go away, and I demand a civil answer to my question."

The clerk looked up and saw an angry man in front of him. Then his countenance was suddenly bisected by a grin, and he doubled up like a man with the colic. "You took day-board, didn't you?" he inquired, as soon as he regained his composure. "Yes, I did, and I have paid for all the day-board I have enjoyed." "So you have," was the soothing response, "but just come around here a minute, till I show you something. You see you are in good company. You are an associate of several millionaires and railroad magnates. They are each and every one designated the same way, 'D. B.' That is short for 'day-board.' Regular boarders are marked 'R. B.'"

The journalist spent a week's salary trying to bribe his audience with liquid nourishment to keep still, but like all good things the joke leaked.

Tired Languid Dull

Exactly expresses the condition of thousands of people at this season. The depressive effects of warm weather, and the week condition of the body can only be corrected by the use of a reliable tonic and blood purifier like Hood's Sarsaparilla. Why suffer longer when a remedy is so close at hand? Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It will give you untold wealth in health, strength and energy.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

"The ladies especially go into ecstacies over Parker's Hair Balsam," writes Mr. J. H. Decker, druggist, of Finlay, Ohio. They say it is the most elegant dressing they ever used." Stops falling hair, restores color, promotes growth.

The Curfew Bell.

It will be remembered that the curfew is commonly said to have been introduced into England by William the Conqueror. By that monarch it was ordained, under severe penalties that when the curfew bell rang at 8 o'clock in the evening all lights and fires should be extinguished. There are those who hold that this was merely the enforcing of an existing and very common police regulation to that effect. The absolute prohibition of lights after the ringing of the curfew bell was abolished by Henry I. in the year 1100, but the practice of tolling a bell at a fixed hour in the evening was continued, and this, which is still extant in some places, is a survival of the curfew of mediæval times. At first the common hour was 7 o'clock, then it was gradually advanced to 8, and in some places, to 9 o'clock; indeed, in Scotland, 10 o'clock was not an unusual hour. The curfew was a regulation most useful in those early days, when it was the custom to place the fire in a hole in the middle of the floor under an opening in the roof, to allow the escape of the smoke. When the family retired for the night, the fire was extinguished by covering it up; hence the term couvrefeu, or curfew. The regulation was also serviceable in obliging the people to keep in their houses, and thus preventing night brawls in the streets. It is believed that there is no historical authority for the popular tradition that the severity exhibited by the Conqueror in enforcing obedience to the curfew was more particularly designed to prevent the English from assembling in secret to plan schemes of rebellion against their Norman lords.

Charles Lamb was once called upon to say grace. "Is there no minister present?" "No," was the answer. "Then let us thank God," replied the humorist.

French merchants are more frank in their dealings than those of any other nation.—[Yonkers Gazette. Yes, but American merchants have more cents.—[Bloomington Eye.

"Once upon a time" a man met an old woman in an English town driving several asses. "Adieu, mother of asses," said he., "Adieu, my son,' was the old woman's reply.

Without wishing to encourage the world to gabble, we may state the goldenness of silence is over-estimated. The mute, inglorious oyster is always getting into broils, stews and hot water.

Breaking an awkward silence—Mrs. Montague Smart (suddenly, to bashful youth, who has not opened his lips since he was introduced to her a quarter of an hour ago.)—"And now let us talk of something else!"

Propriety—Light-minded young thing in a bathing suit: "Surely, Aunt Margaret, you're not going to wear your spectacles into the water!" Aunt M.: "Indeed I am. Nothing shall induce me to take off another thing."

A London tourist met a young woman going to the kirk, and, as was not unusual she was carrying her boots in her hand, trudging along barefoot. "My girl," he said, "is it customary for all the people in these parts to go barefoot?" "Pairtly they do,' and pairtly they mind their own business!"

A female applicant for aid, appeared at the office of the Director of the Poor, in Detroit the other day, with a sad and anxious look, and on being asked what she wanted replied, "I'd like some money.' "How much?" "Well, I can't say exactly. How much do you generally give to a person who wants to buy a bead belt?"

Health, Wealth and Happiness

Are more intimately connected with a sound stomach and good condition of the blood than most people suppose. Thin blood means a weakness, languor and misery. A dyspeptic stomach means all the horrors you can think of. Brown's Iron Bitters enrich blood, good digestion, healthy appetite, sweet sleep and vigorous strength. Mr. Henry Haliam, South 17th street, St. Louis, says, "Brown's Iron Bitters relieved me of dyspepsia, purified my blood, and gave me an appetite." Thousands of others testify in the same way.

A Pretty Story.

"I believe in a providence," said Victor Hugo to a company gathered around him in the Rue de Clichy, "because I am a providence myself." Being asked for an explanation, the poet repled: "We caught a mouse yesterday, evening. His death sentence was already pronounced, when my little granddaughter, Jeanne, with eyes glistening with tears, begged for the life of the gray prisoner. Her mother hesitated whether to listen to the dear little advocate or not, and in her doubt said, 'Grandfather shall decide.' So they came to me. For a moment I held the power of life and death over the diminutive creature, and I thought: The heavenly providence may find itself in my situation when the fate of a being of a higher order is to be determined. Naturally I set the mouse free; for when a man undertakes the role of providence on a small scale, he should at least imitate generosity."

The Homliest Man in Tecumseh.

As well as the handsomest, and others, are invited to call on Baker & Hall and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

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Taken together, all the beauties of art and nature do not interest the inquisative female so much as the view she gets through the key hole.

"A Crick in the Back" is many times a symptom of kidney disease. Hunt's [kidney and Liver] Remedy will cure it.

For women in delicate health, no medicine equals Hunt's Remedy. All female complaints are speedily cured by it. It never fails.

A Clear Skin

is only a part of beauty; but it is a part. Every lady may have it; at least, what looks like it. Magnolia Balm both freshens and beautifies.

ESTATE OF SAMUEL G. CONKLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 3d day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hudson W. Conkling and Henry C. Conkling, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that they have paid the debts of said deceased, its funeral expenses, the expenses of administration of said estate, and all money legacies now due, except residuary legacies, and praying for the allowance of their final account, for assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, according to the provisions of said will, and for their discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of September next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Bridges, Probate Register. aug6

ESTATE OF JOSHUA KUDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 5th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of William Kuder, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to said petitioner, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 31st day of August, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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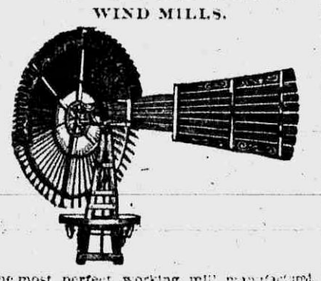

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Napoleon	6 41 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....
Detroit	10 40 "	6 40 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 30 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 20 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 10 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 25 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
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BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 26	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 28	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
5 45	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M. 8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
9 10	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
9 25	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 24	7 48
9 35	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
9 50	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
7 07	10 15	2 36 A Battle Crk L	12 44	6 30	7 03
7 27	P. M.	2 56 Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
7 35	3 04	Yorkville	12 20		6 35
7 42	3 10	Richland	12 15		6 29
7 50	3 28	Doster	11 58		6 12
8 24	3 45	Monteith	11 43		5 55
8 33	3 53	Fisk	11 35		5 47
8 39	3 59	Kellogg	11 30		5 37
8 50	4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 20		5 25
10 25	5 25	Holland	10 15		3 30
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05	6 30	Grand Haven	9 00		2 10
11 13	6 35	Berrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 55	7 16	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.	10 10	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
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THE ORCHARD.

How It Should Be Located and How the Land Should Be Prepared.

When considering where to locate an orchard one should always bear in mind that this is to be one of the permanent improvements of the farm, and much care and good judgment should be exercised in selecting a suitable location. The fitness of a location will depend on different considerations. The first point to consider is character and quality of the soil, and the way the land lays. Any soil that will produce good general farm crops will grow a good orchard. The soil should be as deep as possible, having a goodly portion of decayed vegetable matter in it which is always indicated by the color of the soil; the blacker the soil the more organic matter or carbon it contains. Soils that are not naturally rich should be made so by plowing in a heavy coat of rich barnyard manure. If a good crop of clover can be turned under it will be an excellent preparation for an orchard. The location should not be one where there will be much standing water. Until recently the advice has been to select a high and dry spot for an orchard. This advice has been followed too far. Trees need a great deal of moisture, as is evident when one thinks of the large amount of water given off during a hot summer day, through the leaves of an ordinary sized tree. Trees vary, however, in their ability to stand with their feet in water. If the land is deeply underdrained, the surplus, stagnant water will be removed and yet the soil rendered moist enough to furnish a sufficient supply of water to the trees. We would always advise underdraining for an orchard, if it can possibly be done. Remember preparations are being made now, the effects of which are to continue for years. If anything is worth doing well it is work of this kind, and mistakes made now will bring their yearly crop of regrets.

Before commencing operations let us consider the location in reference to its convenience to the house, for we are speaking of family rather than commercial orchards. It should be near the house, because a fine orchard adds so much to the beauty of the surroundings, and because it should be where fruit can be gathered as wanted without the necessity of going a quarter of a mile away for it. It should be at the back rather than in front or surrounding the house, and where it can be readily enclosed. If located so it can be used as poultry yard or hog pasture it will be found to pay to use the orchard for one or the other purpose. Other stock is apt to injure the trees. A northern or eastern slope is preferable to any other. Having settled, then, where to put the orchard, the next thing is the preparation. We have indicated some of the points in preparation, viz., underdraining and making the soil rich.

The plowing should be done as deeply as possible, especially if the land is not underdrained. Put the plow down deep and trench plow and subsoil if possible. This should be done right away, and then plow at intervals of a month until fall. Trees are best obtained of the nearest reliable nurseryman. Home grown trees are more apt to be acclimated and less liable to injury by transportation. Orders should be sent early to the nurseryman before his stock has been culled over. Set out trees in the fall when the ground is in better condition to work than in spring and other work is not so crowding.—*Colman's Rural World.*

A PLEASANT RELAPSE.

How One New York Woman for the Nonce Abandoned Her Anglomania.

The behavior of our Fifth avenue girls continues to be modeled after the London style, writes a New York correspondent. Fashion feeds on ridicule. The more fun that is made of Anglomania the more it rages. In no particular is there a sign of abatement. But I have just seen one maiden who relapsed briefly into Americanism, and it was positively refreshing. She was one of those hollow-backed, clean-cut girls who wear tailor-made costumes so neatly that their forgiveness for disloyalty to Yankeedom is easy. She was walking in the avenue with a swingy gait, suggestive of turf under her feet instead of hard stone. Although omnibuses are abolished from lower Broadway, they still run through this fashionable thoroughfare; and she decided to ride in one. A cold, distraught stare at the driver, and a slight fling upward of her hand, involving no motion above the wrist, brought the vehicle to a stop in the quite proper manner. Then she had to bid adieu to her companion—a dandy. "Good mawning," she drawled. "Had aw delightful saunter, aw awssure you—chawming, rewally."

By this time she was stepping into the stage, and the chappie was conveying his hat from the back of his little head to the front of his narrow breast for the fashionable bow. The driver reasoned that she ought to be inside. He slammed the door, shut it with a kick at the strap, and started his horses. But the belle was still outside. The lurch of the stage upset her backward, and she chugged down on the pavement with awful violence.

"Drat the fool!" she exclaimed, in most excellent American accent: "I'd like to ring the wooden head off him!"—*N. Y. Letter.*

—Clover, practically, is a biennial. Where it dies out, it is because not permitted to go to seed.

THE "BULL-ROARER."

Description of a Toy Familiar to Most Children—Interesting Survival.

The "bull-roarer" is a toy familiar to most children. It is a long, thin, narrow piece of wood, sharpened at both ends; attached to a piece of string and, whirled rapidly and steadily in the air, it emits a sound which gradually increases to an unearthly kind of roar. The ancient Greeks employed at some of their sacred rites a precisely similar toy, described by historians as "a little piece of wood, to which a string was fastened, and in the mysteries it is whirled round to make a roaring noise." The performers in the mysteries at which this implement was used daubed themselves all over with clay. Demosthenes describes the mother of Æschines as a dabbler in mysteries, and tells how Æschines used to assist her by helping to bedaub the initiate with clay and bran.

Various explanations have been offered of these practices, but let us see how they tally with any prevailing customs. First, the bull-roarer is to be found in almost every country in the world, and among the most primitive peoples. It is so simple an instrument that it is within the scope of the mechanical genius of the most degraded savages, and therefore it is quite unnecessary to suppose that the idea of it was ever transmitted from race to race. And as an instrument employed in religious rites or mysteries, it is found in New Mexico, in Australia, in New Zealand and in Africa to this day. Its use in Australia is to warn the women to keep out of the way when the men are about to celebrate their tribal mysteries. It is death for woman to witness these rites, and it is also forbidden for them to look upon the sacred turndun, or bull-roarer. In the same way, among the Greeks, it was forbidden for men to witness the rites of the women, and for women to witness those of the men. Among the Indians of Zuni, Mr. Cushing found the same implement used by the priests to summon the tribe to the sacrificial feasts. In South Africa, Mr. Taylor has proved that the bull-roarer is employed to call the men only to the celebration of the sacred functions; and the instrument itself is described in Theal's Kaffir Folklore. Now the same peoples who still employ the bull-roarer as a sacred instrument also bedaub their bodies with clay, for no apparent reason unless it may be to frighten their enemies or any intruders.

We thus find still prevailing in our own time among savage races practices which are perfectly analogous to practices which prevailed among the Greeks. The reasonable inference, therefore, is not that the bull-roaring and body-daubing were first used in the rites of a civilized race of Greeks, and thence transmitted to Africa, Australia and America, but that the employment of these things by the Greeks was a survival of the time when the Greeks were in the same savage condition as are the peoples among whom we find the same things now.—*All the Year Round.*

AFRICA.

The Dark Continent to Be Systematically Explored.

We have had many lines run through Africa in all directions, and what is now needed is the leisurely study of the continent in detail. This is what will be done by the expedition which will leave England, fitted out at the expense of the Royal Geographical Society and commanded by Mr. J. T. Last, who as a lay agent of the Church Missionary Society has done admirable work in the Zanzibar interior. Mr. Last, after making up his caravan at Zanzibar, will proceed south to Lindi, to the north of the mouth of the Rovuma River. Thence Mr. Last will proceed to the confluence of the Rovuma and Lugende Rivers and fix the longitude of the junction, an important geographical point not yet settled. He will then go on in a generally southwesterly direction, and, before reaching the north end of Lake Sherwa, turn southward and make for the Namulli Hills, which, with other new features in this region, were discovered by Consul O'Neil, in the end of 1883. Here Mr. Last will establish himself and make a detailed study of the whole region in all its aspects. He will make a complete survey of the surrounding country, its topography, its people, its botany, economic products, climate and languages. When this is completed Mr. Last will enter the valley of the Likugu River, which rises in the neighborhood of these hills, and follow it down to the coast at Quizungu, whence he will travel south to Quilimane or north to Angoche, and thence to Mozambique. Mr. Last will make a special point of collecting all possible information concerning the country he passes through, its changes, its people, their customs, languages, etc., the climate, its sanitary conditions, and its suitability for the introduction of European and other economic plants. The Likugu Valley is said to be very thickly populated, and must, therefore, be unusually fertile, and so of interest both to the colonist and the trader. From what Mr. Last has already done, the best scientific results may be expected from an expedition so carefully planned, and which is likely to be a credit both to its leader and to the Geographical Society.—*London Times.*

—Farmers are well named the back bone of the country; on them depends the country.—*Prairie Farmer.*

Origin of Popular Phrases.

VAMOSE.—A Mexican phrase—an adaptation of the Spanish verb *vamos*, meaning literally, "let us go."

TAFFY.—This word, which is now used as a vulgar synonym of flattery, is by no means of recent origin, as many suppose, but was really coined 200 years ago, and has been in use in London fully that period.

BOSS.—This term, which is extensively used in the United States and England to designate the person placed as overseer of workmen and working women, is an improvement on the Dutch word *baas*, meaning employer.

BOGUS.—An Anglicism—the vulgate for "Borghese," the name of a forger who "operated" somewhat extensively across the water about thirty-five years ago. He passed false tokens and counterfeit bills to the amount of many thousand dollars, and hence the term "bogus" is applied to whatever is false and fraudulent.

A DELUSION, A MOCKERY AND A SNARE.—The fact that this familiar saying has about it a certain Biblical ring, has sometimes led to its being quoted as from one or other of the Hebrew prophets; the words are, in fact, an extract from the judgment of Lord Denman, of the English house of lords, on the appeal of Daniel O'Connell to that body from the verdict rendered at his trial.

RED TAPE.—An English expression, originated by Carlyle and made popular by Dickens. It was designed to represent the ceremonious delays and official formalities characteristic of the British governmental routine. It is similarly used in this country to ridicule the tardiness with which everything is effected by the formalism of government officials. The expression arises from the fact that government officers generally tie up their bundles of paper with red tape.

CANTEEN.—This is, perhaps, the only word in our language which, originally passed into a foreign tongue, and was afterward taken back in a modified form. As originally spoken by the Saxon, it was simply a *tin can*; but the Gaul, as is his wont, placing the noun before the adjective, and pronouncing the letter *i* as *e*, brought it out as *cantin*, pronounced *canteen*. Adopting a thousand other French terms, the obtuse Englishman took back his own original word in a new shape, without any inquiries on the subject, and hence we now say canteen instead of tin-can.

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00 AM	3 30 PM	6 10 PM	.....
Oak Harbor Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40 AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 06 PM	7 46	1 13 PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 46
Massillion Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	5 47 PM	6 45 PM	.....
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 6.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50 AM	6 02	10 50
Marksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20 AM	9 30	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta Lv	6 00 AM	2 30 PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 48
Sherrodsville	.....	.....	.....	8 45 AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 30 AM	8 15
Orville Ar	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15 AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 30	No. 2
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17 PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45 AM	.....	1 35 PM	10 00 AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 AM	6 45 PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40 AM	2 20 PM
11 35	6 30	..Fries Landing.	6 53	2 30
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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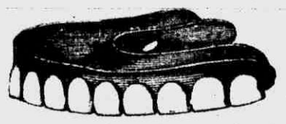

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

[illegible]

THE EAST.

A [illegible] Pa. despatch of the 4th states that the great coal combination of [illegible] is [illegible] preparing to [illegible] generations [illegible] and by them. About seventy-five [illegible] employment. The [illegible] under the movement inaugurated and [illegible] in coal [illegible] and an outbreak of the Molly [illegible] in the near future.

[illegible] Lohman, a passenger on the steamship Werra, recently arrived at New York from Stettin, claim from the ship's purser and stole a box of diamonds and jewelry from the safe. The diamonds [illegible] purser was discovered however before Lohman had had time to secrete his booty. On [illegible] returned to his room the purser [illegible] him as the thief. The valuables were found in Lohman's vest when the vessel arrived at New York and he was taken back to Germany.

[illegible] Allman of Battery H, Fourth United States Artillery, who was injured by the premature discharge of a cannon while firing Grant salutes at Mt. McGregor, died at the hospital in West Troy, N. Y., on the 7th.

The annual meeting of the National League for Service Association was held at Newport, R. I., on the 7th. The annual address was delivered by President Curtis. The Treasurer's report showed there was a larger balance on hand than usual. Secretary Potts' report stated that there were at present sixty associations, which were doing excellent work, and the League was in a flourishing condition. George William Curtis was re-elected President.

A three-months-old child of Senator J. Sloat Fassett, of Elmira, N. Y., died on the 6th from poison contained in condensed milk. The child was one of twins. The other twin was made sick by the milk, but will recover.

An explosion of gasoline with terribly fatal results occurred in the cellar of a provision store at Germantown, Pa., on the 6th. John Ganzert, a driver, David Rieber, errand boy, Frank Rief, an attendant, and John Kratz, all employes of the store, were in the cellar at the time of the explosion, and all were severely burned. Rief died during the night, and Rieber and Ganzert died the next morning. The case of Kratz, who is fourteen years old, is hopeless.

It is reported that holders of $[illegible] West Shore Railroad bonds have accepted the New York Central reorganization scheme. Judge Hilton signed the plan for over $[illegible] of bonds. The Astors have [illegible] in about $[illegible]. It is thought the Taylor committee will advise the bondholders whom they represent to accept the plan as offering the best terms that can be obtained.

In a fit of delirium tremens on the 9th George Miller escaped from his home in Pittsburgh, armed with a dirk knife, and created a panic on the streets by attacking pedestrians. After slightly cutting three persons, the insane man went into the second story of a house and jumped from the window, falling on the knife, which he still held in his hand, and inflicting a fatal wound in the abdomen.

The Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers have established a bureau of labor statistics for the purpose of gathering reliable information from all parts of the country concerning the labor industries. Local lodges will report to the grand lodge officers weekly the number of men employed and idle, the amount of

SOMETHING FOR OLD MAIDS.

The scribe of the Adrian Record has been searching through the marriage records for 1884 and gives his observations in the [illegible] few statistics which every old maid in the county should read.

A few items taken are worthy of note, however. The total of marriages was 1[illegible]. Of the number [illegible] of the grooms were widows from other states, a majority of whom came [illegible] among the Lenawee [illegible] seeking fortune anew [illegible] according to [illegible] his luck as the case might be. [illegible] the old [illegible] Lenawee [illegible] published by the [illegible] of other [illegible] from Texas, Arkansas and Dakota have made inroads [illegible] and carried off some [illegible].

A [illegible] number of Ohio [illegible] have sought happiness and found it [illegible] by coming [illegible] for the [illegible] but for the greater number of foreign [illegible] are native Lenawee [illegible] from neighbor [illegible]. Whether the many [illegible] in other states to offset the [illegible] chattels by [illegible] have set a good example [illegible] the county [illegible].

Nearly every [illegible] in the record [illegible] a groom of [illegible]. It also shows [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] the hand of [illegible] protect [illegible] the aged [illegible] and [illegible] to Sir. A Moreno [illegible] a groom of 6[illegible] and a [illegible] A Morenci [illegible] and 1[illegible]. The most remarkable [illegible] of 1[illegible] and 1[illegible] to further [illegible] of wound a bride of 7[illegible] [illegible] produces a pair of marriageable [illegible] and 1[illegible]. Morenci [illegible] and 1[illegible]. The city has a groom of [illegible] and a bride of 8[illegible], though [illegible] that she would admit it [illegible] under oath. Rome claims the youngest bride aged 1[illegible] who married a mature husband of 1[illegible]. The city has a groom of 8[illegible] and a bride of 8[illegible]. A Morenci man of 4[illegible] married a bride of 2[illegible]. A Clinton couple are 6[illegible] and 5[illegible]. A Seneca pair 6[illegible] and 5[illegible]. A Morenci duet [illegible] and 1[illegible]. A Hudson groom is 77 and the bride 7[illegible] and a boy of Rome aged 1[illegible] married a girl of 1[illegible]. A Fairfield half [illegible] married to a bride half [illegible] age. A Riga man is 6[illegible] and the bride 4[illegible]. Hudson also unites 6[illegible] with 2[illegible] and Deeper produces a groom in the [illegible] being 7[illegible].

Crop Report for August.

The secretary of state sends out the following crop report:

The weather in harvest time was very favorable. At Lansing the total rain fall during July amounted to only two and four hundredths inches. The latter part of the month the growth began to be quite severe, but since Aug. 1 rain has fallen copiously. The average temperature in July was 74.35 degrees, the highest 91 degrees on the 20th, 28th, and 29th, and the lowest 47 degrees, on the 13th.

Wheat and hay have been secured in good condition, and are of superior quality. The estimates for wheat, made Aug. 1, after threshing had commenced in many parts of the state, show an average per acre in the southern four tier of counties of 18½ bushels, which is nearly a bushel above the July estimate. The August estimate for the northern counties is about one-fourth of a bushel below the July estimate. These figures indicate a total yield in the southern counties of 22,925,114 bushels, and in the state of 26,407,000 bushels. This exceeds the July estimate by 1,033,318 bushels. The amount of wheat in farmer's hands was reduced about two per cent. in July.

Corn promises, in the southern four tiers of counties 88 per cent. and in the counties north of the southern four tiers 22 per cent. the comparison being with virality and growth of average years. Oats are estimated to yield about 31 bushels and barley 25 bushels per acre. The yield of hay per acre was perhaps a trifle less in quantity than in 1884.

Clover sown this year has been badly injured by the drought.

Potatoes promise about nine-tenths of an average crop on an acreage not quite equal to an average.

Apples promise about half of an average crop.

For this report returns have been received from 1029 correspondents, representing 741 townships. Six hundred and eighty nine of these returns are from 441 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

State Teacher's Institute.

The State Teacher's Institute for Lenawee county will be held at Adrian, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, August 17, and closing 4 P. M. Friday, August 28. Professor Austin George of Ypsilanti will act as conductor, and will be assisted in the work of instruction by Mr. J. W. Humphrey of Wayland and Mr. E. G. Walker of Adrian. Lectures upon subjects of general interest may be expected Tuesday and Thursday evenings of each week. The day series will be held at the High School room, Central building, and the evening lectures will be delivered at Dean's Opera House. The public will be welcome to all the sessions of the Institute, and is especially invited to the evening lectures. Arrangements for board and other accommodations will be made by Mr. A. E. Curtis, local committee.

Teachers please remember to bring text books, as considerable prominence will be given to class drill during the sessions of the institute. Place of meetings, high school room, central building, cor. Church and Division Sts.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[illegible]

Regular session. Present the President, Messrs. Bassett, Hall, Adams and the Recorder.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The street commissioner's report was presented showing 34 days' work by corporation team and 12 days other team work, and 107 days hand labor on the streets for month of July. Accepted and placed on file.

The Sexton's report for the month of July was presented showing 4 interments. Accepted and placed on file. The Sexton's annual report was presented, showing 31 interments of adults and 8 of infants total 39, a total revenue of $[illegible] not all collected, and the sale of [illegible] cemetery lots with the aggregate value of $[illegible] and 12 deposits in vault $[illegible], making total credits to cemetery fund $575.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Application of Jno. McConnell was received for the position of sexton for ensuing year on following terms, to do all work in manner agreed to by present sexton and to the satisfaction of Cemetery Committee, for the sum of $[illegible] per year. Or to do all the work of cleaning the roads, shearing and pruning the trees, and mowing and keeping the grounds in order generally, for the sum of $225 per year; and this to include the selling and report of sale of lots and report of interments, but not to include fees for interments and private work.

H. S. Lee appeared before the council begging the removal of certain telephone poles in the alley in rear of Patterson House, that telephone line having been abandoned by the company. On motion the Marshal was directed to notify the telephone company to remove the same.

Complaint having been made to the council in regard to a certain barn being built within the fire limits, the matter was on motion referred to the committees on Fire and Fire limits and Public health.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and on motion referred to finance committee

Wm. C. Jordan, street labor and freight	$54 [illegible]
Wm. Brown " "	15 [illegible]
James Kelley " " with team	2 50
A. Packard " "	13 12
Del Page " "	11 87
Robt. McGill " "	16 87
James Moir, Marshal services	4 75
John Hibbard, deputy "	2 50
H. J. Sweet, special police	2 00
D. T. Hall, bid freight	19 22
M. I. Wilcox, bill for oil	22 35

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The matter of the petition of O. Sanford and others, made to preceding council for a side walk on Maiden Lane, was taken from the table and referred to Street committee.

The Finance committee reported favorably on the following claims:

Wm. C. Jordan $54; Tec. Lumber Co. $190.66; Wm. Brown $15; Jas. O'Rhey $2.50; A. Packard $13.12; Del Page 11.87; Robt. McGill $16.87; J. Moir $4.75; John Hibbard $5.00; D. T. Hall $19.22; H. J. Sweet $2.00; M. I. Wilcox $22.35.

Accepted and orders directed drawn.

Council on motion adjourned.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

OBITUARY.

The past two years have been marked in our Tecumseh society by the removal of many of its esteemed members by the hand of death. The majority of those thus removed have been veterans in age or in residence, or both. Some however have been taken in the very prime of their days, ere the sun of their life had touched its meridian. Of these, the last whose departure we have sorrowfully to chronicle is that of a young man well known and highly esteemed, Mr. Chas. J. Brewer. For two or three years Mr. B. has been an invalid, and during the last year had felt constrained to relinquish business and devote himself to the effort of regaining his health. After a consultation with physicians, it was determined as a last resort that he should try the efficacy of the Hot Springs, Arkansas. Thither he went, the last of May, accompanied by his own family and by his brother and family. He was brought home July 18th in an enfeebled condition, and in the early morning of July 25th, he breathed his last. The solicitude that was felt for his recovery, manifested itself in many kind inquiries concerning him, both before and during his absence, and after his return. The numbers who gathered in and around the house at his funeral service on Sabbath evening July 26th, bore testimony to the fact that he was sincerely mourned. As a business man, Mr. Brewer was distinguished for industry, integrity and urbanity. The latter trait won him friends, while the others gave them confidence in him and secured him their respect. In society he was affable and courteous though unobtrusive, ever ready with a smile of welcome, ever ready to do a kindness or to confer a favor. In the relation of husband and father he was tender and devoted—some of his last expressed anxieties being for those he dearly loved and for whose sakes he longed to live. Though suffering much and long, he bore his sufferings patiently, no word of murmuring being permitted to escape his lips. There may not be many of whose character the above would be a truthful sketch. But those who knew Mr. Brewer best will be the last to call it, in his case, overdrawn. His religious experience was deeply interesting and most encouraging. He who is wonderful in working seemed to lead him gradually, by means of sore afflictions, to himself, so that, at last he was able to express an humble trust in Jesus as his Savior. One of the deepest regrets he had was that he could not live to show by faithful service the sincerity of his trust. The sympathies of all are with Mrs. B. in her affliction and with the brother who is left now the sole representative of a family whose members have been taken one by one.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Aug. 11, 1885.

Barnes, Lyman	Hawkins, Rodney
Bunting, James	[illegible]
Cotton, Eli	[illegible]
Demming, Rowa	[illegible]
Fowler, Ira	[illegible]

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Beans, ⅌ bushel	2[illegible]	1 [illegible]
Buckwheat, ⅌ bushel	2[illegible]	1 [illegible]
Buckwheat flour, ⅌ half bbl	[illegible]	[illegible]
Beef—dressed, ⅌ hundred	5 00	6 00
Beef Hides	6	7
Calf Skins, ⅌ lb	7	8
Corn in ear	2[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn—shelled, ⅌ bushel	2[illegible]	32
Cutter seed	4 00	5 50
Chickens—dressed	6	7
Eggs, ⅌ doz	6	7
Flour, ⅌ barrel	4 50	5 [illegible]
Hogs—dressed, ⅌ c	4 [illegible]	5 [illegible]
Hogs—live, ⅌ cwt	3 [illegible]	3 [illegible]
Hay, ⅌ ton	5 [illegible]	6 [illegible]
Honey, ⅌ lb	8	12
Ham, ⅌ lb	8	9
Lard, ⅌ lb	4	5
Oats, ⅌ bushel	2[illegible]	3[illegible]
Onions, ⅌ bushel	[illegible]	50
Potatoes, ⅌ bushel	2[illegible]	3[illegible]
Salt, ⅌ barrel	1 [illegible]	1 [illegible]
Shot	1 [illegible]	2 [illegible]
Timothy seed, ⅌ bushel	1 [illegible]	2 [illegible]
Tallow—dressed, ⅌ lb	4	5
Wood, ⅌ cord	[illegible]	4 [illegible]
Wheat White, ⅌ bushel	8[illegible]	8[illegible]
Wheat Red, ⅌ bushel	8[illegible]	8[illegible]
Wool	2[illegible]	3[illegible]

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Peter S. Waldron late of the township of Tecumseh Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of F. Bo-Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of October, 1885, and on the 4th day of February 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 4th day of August, 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated August 10, 1885.

LESTER P. TRIBOU,
FREDERICK B. WOOD,
Commissioners.

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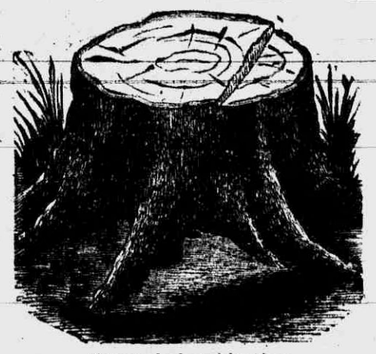

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Edwin Smith and sister, of Charlotte, Mich., are visiting at E. R. Smith's.

Mrs. Nimocks, of Sand lake, was in town a couple of days this week.

Mrs. Alice Teabold, who has been living in Mrs. H. Lancaster's house, has removed her household goods and is boarding with Mrs. Morey.

The Episcopal Sunday School held their annual picnic last Wednesday, at Wampler's lake. The weather was fine and all report a good time.

The Lancaster House is undergoing many changes, all tending to improve the appearance and to make it more convenient. The outside of the building has been very tastily painted, and some of the tumble-down buildings at the back of the house have been removed.

Among those who went from here to the Masonic picnic at Devils lake Tuesday, were Mr. and Mrs. D. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lancaster, A. B. VanDeMark and family, Mrs. Mary Guiwits, George Depuy and A. G. Burton.

Rev. St. John held services at Milan for the first time last Sunday evening. The choir accompanied him, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. E. VanDeMark, Mrs. Josie St. John, Albert Kishpaugh and Miss Nellie Kishpaugh.

Cassius Fisk is busily engaged in improving the lot he has recently bought of J. W. Bradner; several old trees have been cut down, the lot graded, and many other improvements made which looks as though a fine residence might be erected.

Mrs. William Larzelere, of Saline, is visiting at John Martiny's.

The flouring mill has been taking a thorough overhauling inside, and a good coat of paint outside, preparatory to putting in the apparatus for roller process flour. What does the inventor of the steam injector think now of our being "two previus?"

The Congregational Sunday school are going to Wampler's Lake Friday.

The rite of baptism was administered to the two youngest children and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Semark last Sunday at St. John's church.

Miss Lottie Ellis returned to her home in Hillsdale last Tuesday.

Howard Hause returned from Jackson last Saturday where he has been visiting his grand parents.

Ed. VanDeMark went to Cleveland last Monday. He is "on the road" again selling hose reels for Adams and Jewett, of Cleveland O.

A party, consisting of Belden Mills and wife, L. K. Davis and family, David Haggart and wife, Frank Johnson and wife, Charles Priest and family, Frank Woodward and wife, John VanTuyle and wife spent Saturday and Sunday camping out at Wampler's Lake.

The M. E. Sunday school have a picnic at Wampler's lake Thursday.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine corn weather.

Quite cool nights.

Upwards of 50 were at the station Saturday morning to go on the Put-in-Bay excursion, but returned to their homes with blood in their eyes.

Rev. W. J. Clack will attend the Methodist camp meeting near Bellville this week.

Weddie Bush left for Dixon, Ill., Thursday.

Mrs. T. W. Mead, of Biglow, Kan., visited friends in the village this week.

We understand that Rev. Peter Sharp will occupy the pulpit next Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hannibal Rappleye and two of their children, of Philadelphia, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rappleye.

Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Rappleye were at the village visiting friends last week.

Mr. Chas. Kelly is the happiest man in this town, he being papa of a fine boy baby.

Miss Emma Gilbert, assistant supt. and also secretary of the industrial home for girls at Adrian, was the guest of Mr. W. R. Wilson, Sunday.

Presiding Elder Campbell occupied the desk Sunday evening.

Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rappleye enjoyed a pleasant afternoon with their sons, Hannabal, Erastus and Lafayette and their wives and some of their grand-children and also Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Rappleye, of Dundee, and Mrs. P. W. Mead. They spent the afternoon very pleasantly at their father's new home.

Mr. Arthur Kelly and Misses Ida Arner and Johnny Gordeneer spent the day at Adrian, Saturday. Wonder if the outfit was ordered.

About 50 went to Devils lake Tuesday on the excursion given by the masons, and report a good time.

The chicken pie festival to be held in the basement of the Christian church at Britton is to be postponed until Sept. 2d.

The executive committee of the Ridgeway Literary Society have decided to arrange for a public entertainment to be given sometime in September, instead of an ice cream lawn social next week. Cold weather and excursions to Devils lake the reason.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Just cool enough to be pleasant.

A good rain is needed.

The old red school house which has served so long has been removed, and thus another land mark is gone. The new building in its place is a fine looking structure.

Walter Exelby was thrown from his horse last Wednesday and received some severe bruises. He is doing well.

Elder Griffith, an old time pastor in these parts filled the pulpit last Sunday, and preached a fine sermon to a large audience. He has a warm place in the hearts of the people here.

The Sunday excursions do not receive a very hearty support from this place.

A number of disappointed excursionists were left on the platform here last Saturday. They wished to go to Put-in-Bay but the train was already loaded.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Ed. Bullen, the engineer at Gunn's brick and tile factory was under the weather last week to such an extent as to disqualify him for work; but we are glad to note that under the efficient treatment of Dr. Brown he is on duty again as usual.

Referring to the immediate cause of Albert Carpenter's death last week the types made us say Chronic spasms instead of Clonic, as styled by the examining physicians. We hasten to correct.

We notice a new departure on the part of the Brooklyn Exponent of last week by way of a well selected column of state News. Sister Clough is by no means slow to recognize and supply the wants of her readers.

The trespass case of Hutchinson and Pearson has been appealed to the circuit court for the final test.

Eugene Baker is going to Crawford county to reside in a short time.

Our readers will remember the clever dodge which John Rose of this place gave the officers on the night of July 29th. It was his third offence and trial for drunkenness and as the Court was about to find him a position for one year; John concluded to attend to that matter himself, and forthwith took steps to do so. The scheme operated to a charm at first, but as time wore on he began to tire of wandering up and down in the earth without "purse or scrip" and last Sunday voluntarily submitted himself to the tender mercies of the law. Monday morning Justice Waterman commuted the sentence to eight months in the work house at Detroit. The prisoner was taken to the county jail by Deputy Sheriff Morley.

The historical and miscellaneous lecture given by Prof. Alexander at Blowers hall a week ago this evening was attended by a number of our town folks and is well spoken of.

Our village Sabbath schools, Methodist and Congregational, united in a picnic at Beardsells landing, Devil's lake on Thursday the 13th inst. Although the weather was unusually cool for the season, all present reported a very enjoyable time.

Miss May Sprout, of Pickney Livingston County and sister of Mrs. A. Crane has returned for a visit of more or less length here.

Mrs. C. A. Ennis, of Brooklyn, spent a few days last week visiting at Mrs. Somers' place.

Mr. M. M. Mallorey, of Reading, spent Sunday visiting at Will J. Bacon's place here. Mr. M. devotes his attention to bee culture and is a thorough master of the business.

We are informed that Alic Cole's horse barn is to receive a new coat of paint this week. Mr. C. has one of the most tasty residences in the place.

We note some changes at the new milinery store this week. Miss M. E. Campbell withdraws from the business and Mrs. J. R. Skutt receives Mrs. Hattie Lane as a partner. The new firm will continue the business at the old stand.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The public pulse is returning slowly to normal steadiness, though there are still spasmodic throbs over the sewing machine war. No minister has ever called out such a congregation here as listened to Hewitt, Sharp and Crowel plead the merits of their respective clients, to win a favorable verdict. The truth is, there is little merit in quarrels anywhere, and small chance for justice where facts and proof are supposed and law revised to to suit occasion. Extenuating circumstances were discernable in the back-ground, but the accused admitted he conquered by force, and would do the same again, so he was assessed five dollars worth, and a fuss stopped that was ruinous to his purse, drawing his neighbors into trouble, and making the county more expense than all the silly quarrels in creation are worth. It gave play-goers a very comic show, rendered by home talent, and some who came twelve miles and could only get standing room out of doors and frame their heads in an open window, assert it surpassed Forepaugh. Those concerned in the unpleasantness are not puffed up with vanity if they believe half they were told about themselves, and they are very good people outwardly, it is surprising how they manage to conceal such bad intentions. Their amusement has probably cost three hundred dollars, but the real mischief maker escaped all penalty, and is believed to have made a per cent of profit.

ONSTED ODDS.

Last Sunday we had the pleasure of listening to Mr. D. B. Reed of Hillsdale College.

Quite a large crowd was here last Saturday to take the excursion to Put-in-Bay, but failed to catch on as the train was loaded and did not stop.

The ball play last Saturday afternoon resulted in the defeat of Rome. Large attendance. The horse race was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hines commenced work on his cellar this week.

Mr. John Hand has the job of building a house for John Darling, on North side of R. R. Began work this week.

Dick Daniels is working on his wall on the South side of R. R.

On Tuesday last quite a number went from here on the Masonic excursion to Devils Lake, and everybody expects to go to the Farmer's picnic to-day.

THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The State Teachers' Institute now in session at Adrian opened last Monday with a large attendance. From the Times of Tuesday we gather the following with reference to the work, etc., up to that time:

This morning, the second day of the teachers' institute, opened under very auspicious circumstances. About 150 teachers were present, and the institute was divided into two divisions for section work. Prof. Humphrey was assigned to give instruction in teaching arithmetic, physiology and civil government, and to give general lectures on alcohol and narcotics; Prof. Walker on advanced reading, U. S. history and grammar, and general talks on school government, morals and manners, and teachers' examinations. Prof. George's department comprises orthography, primary reading and geography, with general lectures on class methods and general work. The instructors are all capable, genial gentlemen, and the work is bound to proceed with vigor and method.

This forenoon sectional work was performed on advanced reading and arithmetic, with a lecture on primary reading. This afternoon the class work will be on orthography and physiology, while a lecture will be delivered on morals and manners.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY REUNION.

The twenty-second annual reunion of the Raisin Valley Seminary took place on Friday last in the afternoon.

The literary exercises were held in the Seminary hall and consisted of music, an oration, and a poem. Fred Hathaway acted as president of the meeting and Libbie Stanley as secretary. The music was furnished by a male quartette from Adrian. Below is the program as rendered:

1—Vocal music, Come where the lilies bloom.

2—Devotional exercises.

3—Oration by Celia B. Jones, entitled, the Spirit of the Times.

4—Quartette, Laugh, Boys, Laugh.

5—Poem by Miss Anna Bartlett, entitled, Wait.

6—Music, When shall we Meet again.

7—Remarks by Miss Mariana Brown.

8—Election of officers for the coming year.

Then followed refreshments, ice cream, etc. which were served beneath the old oaks on the lawn, and to which all present did ample justice. The attendance was large and a most enjoyable afternoon was passed.

"Grant's Memorial: what shall it be?" is discussed in the September number of the North American Review, by Launt Thompson, Karl Gerhardt, O. L. Warner, and Wilson McDonald, sculptors; W. H. Beard, painter; Calvert Vaux and Henry Van Brunt, architects; and Clarence Cook, art critic. This symposium is sure to attract wide attention at this time, when the desire is so general to erect a monument to Grant that shall be worthy of the man, the nation, and American art.

BEAUTIFUL PETOSKEY.

We print a letter from Mr. John R. Clarke this week which arrived too late for insertion in last week's issue. It is interesting reading, like everything that comes from his pen.

Northern Michigan, noted for its exquisite ruggedness, has no lovelier spot than Petoskey.

I was permitted to feel the throb of inspiration for two days last week while there as a lecturer and hearer. Among the worthies present to regale the people were Bishops Bowman and Mallilieer of the M. E. Church. Their addresses were full of unctious power, and were richly enjoyed by the assembled hosts.

This great State has all the resources for pleasure and profit of her people, and while the old Empire State boasts of her beautiful Chatauqua, and Massachusetts of Martha's Vineyard, Maine of Old Orchard Beach, Illinois of her Lake Bluff and Ohio of Lakeside, Michigan has her popular and restful Petoskey. Standing on the shore of this northern bay is the cluster of dwellings, pretty vilas, terraces, romantic cottages, all of varid and unique design, calculated to suit the taste of the aesthetic champion of effeminate namby-pamby-ism, Oscar Wilde. Overshadowed by the spreading branches of stately trees, standing like sturdy pillars all about you giving the place the appearance of a magnificent Cathedral of Nature, and while sitting neath the leafy roof, cooled by the bay breese, sprinkled by the golden dust of the sunlight; inspired by oratory, enlightened by philosophy, strengthened by truths as they fall from various lips, certainly this place is none other than an intellectual Bethel. And I am not surprised at the people making strong efforts season after season to leave the round of home and business conventionalism to reach the beneficiaries of northern air and intellectual affinity in the social life of Petoskey.

I wish, Mr. Editor, I had your graceful power with the pen. Methinks I could awaken an ardent desire among the people of Lenawee county to spend some days in summertide at this beautiful resort in quest of physical and intellectual health.

JOHN R. CLARKE.

TWO BURGLARS CAPTURED.

From the Times of Friday we gather the following particulars of the manner in which two gentlemanly burglars were hauled in by officers:

Deputy Sheriffs Burch and Teachout were following a lead yesterday afternoon whereby they hoped to capture the chaps who went through the Lawrence house Wednesday night, when they experienced a decided and not unpleasant surprise. Their way led to Clayton, and, leaving their horses at the village, they began to search some woods a mile or two to the east. Taking each side of the railroad, they advanced some distance, when Officer Burch, who was penetrating the second piece of timber, saw a man some distance away, who was intently watching some railroad men, who were working on the track. Stealing quietly forward the officer quickly captured the fellow. Searching him he found several new silk handkerchiefs, and other articles having a stolen flavor, and, after a little conversation, he was astonished to hear the chap confess that his name was George Ganshaw, and that he had had a hand in the Clayton burglaries of some weeks ago. Further interrogating brought the knowledge that Ganshaw had a partner named James Lynch, who, he said, was at Adrian waiting for a ride to Detroit. Taking the prisoner to Clayton the two officers hurried to this city, when, having jailed him, they started to search the Lake Shore grounds, accompanied by Sheriff Whitmore. Deputy Sheriff Burch was again the lucky man. He had scarcely reached the passenger house when, from the description given by Ganshaw, he recognized Lynch in a person who was standing upon the platform, viewing the surroundings with all the nonchalance of an experienced traveler. Employing a baggageman and his lantern, the deputy moved toward Lynch, when that worthy made a hasty attempt at flight. He was too late, however, and in a few moments his wrists wore the cuffs. The two prisoners were arraigned before Justice Payne this morning, and they will undoubtedly receive a nice long sentence at the next term of the circuit court. The officers suspect with good reason, that but for the capture, Clayton would have had another burglary that night.

The Saline Observer says: The advance guard of the Salvation Army was in Saline, Tuesday, looking over the ground with a view of moving onto our sinners' works. They talk of renting the roller rink for barracks. They will find an excellent field for work at Saline and we wish them abundant success.

John Hazlett has joined the great army of Benedicts having taken to himself a wife in the person of Mary McKinney. The ceremony was performed at Albion at Miss McKinney's relatives.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. [illegible]

HER WAY TO SAY "NO."

My sweetheart sat knitting. My darling said,
[illegible]
But she kept her black curls as the field
[illegible]
I wished I was a little angel around
And breaking of hearts [illegible]
I said: "Now you really let me tease it to you."
She answered: "[illegible]"

I sighed and I frowned, and I looked up at the clock
Regretting that soon I must go;
Then looked at my sweetheart but she had up the rock,
Saying: "Why do you put red in the toe?"
"You shall hear me, darling, you dearest of girls,"
She placed both her hands on her brow
And languishingly said, as she threw back the curls:
"Just wait—I am narrowing now."

"I dreamed of a cottage close down by the sea
Neath the brightest and bluest of skies."
She answered: "Sit further away from me, please,
My needles [illegible] in your eyes."
"I dreamed we were there in that home of the [illegible]
And that love, darling, love made us rich—
"I told you to sit further off once before;
You're the cause of my dropping a stitch."

At last it was finished, then sadly I said
"Am I dearest, love, to [illegible]?"
She took the chair, shook it and severed the thread,
Saying "Warm! I've fastened the end."
"Will you marry, me, darling?" I said in low tone—
There was nothing to do but to go;
For I learned at the last what I first might have known—
It was a waste of her way to say "No."

—*T. B. Chadwick, in Louisville Courier Journal.*

THE HOUSE-FLY.

A Chapter on the History of This "Adjunct of Culture."

How the Fly Moves, Lives and Obtains Its Nourishment—The Development of Its Wings—What Becomes of the Tormentors in Winter—General Points.

Some one has observed how little we really know about our intimate friends—even those living under the same roof. The same remark will, in a degree apply to that ever present household companion, the house-fly. Wherever civilization penetrates, there go the honey-bee and the house-fly, twin adjuncts of the higher culture. And yet how little is known of the life-history of the fly—where its eggs are placed, where its young live upon what they live, how they become flies, and how long they remain with us.

If we examine one of them, it will be seen that the fly has six legs, composed of a number of segments or joints fitting movable upon each other; the joints of tarsal joints are five in number. To the last joint are attached two hooked claws, and if anyone will examine the fly's foot with a microscope, he will discover between the claws a little cushion which is deeply cleft into two parts or lobes. The under sides of the flaps have microscopic peculiarities which are wanting on the rest of the foot, and are called "tenent hairs." These hairs are hollow, and secrete a sticky fluid. Each tenent hair is bent near the end, beyond which, Dr. Says Tuffen West, "is an elastic membranous expansion, capable of close contact with a highly polished surface, from which a very minute quantity of a clear, transparent fluid is emitted when the fly is actively moving."

Mr. West also adds, that when a fly is not making use of its cushions, as on a surface sufficiently rough to afford it foot hold with its claws alone, these only are made use of.

As early as 1667 Hooke noticed the importance of the grasp gained by the claws, when drawing against the strong, forward-pointing hairs situated on the base of each tarsal joint, whenever any projections or a yielding surface are afforded by the object on which the fly is walking. Hooke also believed in the existence of a "smoky substance on glass."

This, says West, has been considered a mistake, "and yet it is certain that glass very frequently undergoes a slow decomposition on its surface in a moist atmosphere, from the excess of alkali in its composition. Such a change is speedily produced in glass exposed to the action of the weather, as in our window-panes, and conveys the appearance as if a 'smoky substance' were condensed upon it.

It has been proved by most careful observations, which may be readily verified by any one desirous of getting at the truth, that this tarnish does very materially assist a fly when in a weak state in maintaining its hold, and in freely moving upon the glass. To keep our windows clear for the admission of light, it requires to be constantly removed.

Opticians call a similar deposition of moisture the "sweating of glass."

West further describes the way in which the actual movements of the fly's foot are made. The cushions are set down on a smooth surface, perpendicular or horizontal, and the numberless tenent hairs applied to such surface; "a slight push forward of these, succeeded by a gentle draw backwards, at each application, removes the air between their soft, elastic expansions and their plane of motion, and thus a firm hold is gained. Access of air is prevented by the minute quantity of moisture which exudes from the expanded tips of the tenent appendages; and thus a vacuum is formed, on the same principle as in the 'atmospheric hat-peg,' the 'plate-holder' of the photographer, or the 'artificial gums' of the dentist. When the fly wishes to move a leg from its place of attachment, the claws are brought down and pressed against the surface; from their position they raise the hinder part of the pulvilus [illegible] where the tenent hairs are first disclosed, first, and so on forwards. If the claws were attached to the extreme part, as it has been supposed, they could not act equally well, in the way I have mentioned; and I think a fly when once stuck fast, if it had no claws, might remain so."

It should be remarked, as any one may do, that the fly takes all speeds, moves the legs in its own peculiar alternately in walking. After all, the process of the attachment is the same again, be it a fly or a lizard, or a lizard, to perfectly [illegible] surfaces.

It is very interesting to watch from most attractive [illegible] having for a single pair of wings, which correspond to the second or posterior pair of wings, give to being a pair of [illegible] "balancers." The [illegible] of the [illegible] most rapid in [illegible] wings. We all know how busy and perhaps [illegible] movements are in dog-day weather.

It has been found that a common fly when in full exercise vibrates its wings three hundred and thirty times a minute, whereas a honey-bee, whose powers of continued flight are much greater, moves its wings one hundred and ninety times in the same period. The wings describe a figure 8 in the air.

The buzz of the fly has been carefully studied by Landois. During flight the fly's buzz or hum is in a relatively low tone, when it is held so that the wings can not move the buzz is higher in pitch, and it is higher still when the fly is held so that all motion of the external parts is prevented. The last mentioned is the true voice of the insect; it is produced by the breathing holes of the thorax. The buzz of the fly thus expresses the emotions of the creature; the hum being one of contentment, the shrill, excited buzz one of alarm and [illegible].

When a fly alights upon our hand or face on a hot day it is for the purpose of lapping the perspiration from the skin. How this is done is a curious study. When the fly, to quote from our "Guide to the Study of Insects," settles upon a lump of sugar, or other sweet object, it unbends and extends its tongue, and the broad knob-like end divides into two flat, muscular leaves, which thus present a sucker-like surface, with which the fly laps up liquid sweets. These two leaves are supported upon a framework of chitinous rods, which act as a set of springs to open and shut the muscular leaves. The inside of this broad fleshy expansion is rough like a rasp, and, as Newport states, is easily employed by the insect in scraping or tearing delicate surfaces. It is by means of this curious structure that the busy house-fly occasions much mischief to the covers of our books, by scraping off the albuminous polish, and leaving traces of its depredations in the soiled and spotted appearance which it occasions on them.

The structure of the fly's tongue, and of the whole apparatus for taking its food, has engaged the attention in late years of some of our best anatomists of insects. Its structure is so complicated and difficult to understand, and labored anatomical descriptions are so dry, that we will not here describe it, but content ourselves with referring the reader for an excellent description of the fly's proboscis to Professor Macloskie's article in the *American Naturalist* for March, 1880. Suffice it to say that the fly has not, as have beetles and grasshoppers, free jaws and accessory jaws for biting and tearing the food, but all the mouth-parts of other insects are represented in the fly's proboscis, the larger part of which is formed by the under lip, the enlarged and variously modified fleshy extremity of which forms a sucking organ. What little food is taken by the fly's fluid sweet, thick, are its favorite diet.

But whence come the swarm of midsummer flies, and how do they keep increasing through August? What becomes of them in the winter? How long do they live, and what of the manner of life of their young? Are the small flies the children of the larger ones?

So little was known about the early history of the house-fly that we once endeavored, and with fair success, to study its transformations. During August the house-fly is particularly abundant, and especially so in and about stables. On placing a fly in a bottle she laid between six p. m., August 12, and eight o'clock the next morning, one hundred and twenty eggs. They were deposited irregularly in stacks, lying loose in two piles at the bottom of the bottle. The next day several maggots, as the larvae are called, were observed crawling about in the bottom of the bottle. Afterwards by placing a mass of offal in the sun, the flies came and laid the little white slender eggs, which hatched out, so that thousands of writhing maggots abounded in the mass.

It was found that the young maggots hatched in twenty-four hours after the eggs were laid. At first they are but little larger than the eggs. After remaining in the first stage for one day the maggot moults, being a little larger than before. After another day it sheds its skin a second time and enters upon the third stage of its larval life, which lasts three or four days. It breathes by means of two spiracles or air-holes at the end of the body, which communicate with the air-tubes in the body. There is also a spiracle near the head. When about to transform into the pupa or chrysalis state, the body contracts into a barrel-shaped case, and turns brown and hard. This case is called the puparium, and within it the maggot becomes a pupa or chrysalis.

The house-fly, having as a maggot lived a squalid existence, after a pupal sleep of from five to seven days, pushes off one end of its pupal case, and on emerging from the case, immediately runs about, though its wings are still small, soft and baggy, much as in the pupa. Soon, however, the skin becomes dry and hard; the fluid in the wings dries, and in a few moments the fly takes flight.

If in its winged state the fly is one of the most disagreeable features of dog-days, and people wonder why flies were ever made at all, it should be remembered that flies have an infancy as maggots, and the loathsome life they then lead as scavengers cleanses and purifies the August air, and aids in lowering the death rate of our cities and towns.

While most house-flies die on approach of winter, multitudes being attacked by a white fungus, their so-called dead bodies remaining on the walls or windows in October, a few live through the winter. While writing this article on the first warm day in spring a few flies have for the first time made their appearance in our study. These will lay their eggs about stables, and the spring and thus give rise to a swarm of maggots and August flies.—*A. S. Packard, Jr., in Popular Science Monthly.*

FRAUDS IN CIGARS.

Fraudulent Manufacturers Who Imitate Popular and Expensive Brands.

"Now, there's a cigar," said a tobacco merchant, whose firm handled more than a million dollars' worth of cigars a year, "that has made a great reputation within the past year, and which is eagerly smoked by no good judges of cigars, and yet there is so much cheating done in this particular brand that fully two-thirds of the smokers are swindled. I am not surprised, either, that they do not find it out, as the cheating is very adroitly done. The price of the cigar to dealers is twenty-two and a half cents, and yet you can buy the cigar, or what they pretend is the cigar, all over town for twenty-five cents. We will not retail them for less than twenty-eight cents, because that gives us little enough profit."

"Are all that are sold for twenty-five cents bogus?"

"They are not the true imported brand, as a rule. Of course, there are occasional big hotels and restaurants that are content to handle them at a margin of two and a half cents. The fraud is effected in this way: Clerks or boys in the hotels or restaurants where the genuine brand is sold keep the boxes when they become empty and supply them at a fair cost—say fifty cents apiece—to the small dealers. A domestic cigar is manufactured of the exact shape and color of the imported brand, and the box is filled with these domestic cigars. The box is genuine, and the cigars very much like the real thing. The dealer, by this little game, clears about thirteen cents on a cigar—a pretty tidy profit, and well worth the ruse even if it is a State Prison offense."

"How can one detect the spurious one?"

"Only an expert can tell the difference in the make of the cigar at a glance, but if you look carefully at the date on the box it might give you a clew. For instance, I saw some cigars that were not over a week old the other day that were in a box labeled October 12. The manufacturers on the other side are endeavoring to throw difficulties in the way of these fraudulent dealers by putting a peculiar glaze on their boxes. But the cigar thieves soon get a hold of the boxes, so what are they going to do about it?"—*N. Y. Sun.*

THE THREE GREAT LANGUAGES.

Comparative Importance of the English Over the French and German Tongues.

The language in which Shakespeare and Milton wrote was the language of but five or six millions of people in their day, and as late as one hundred years ago English was spoken by not more than fifteen or sixteen million people, says the Paris *American Register*. At the same period French was the mother tongue of at least thirty million people, and German, in one or other of its forms, was the language of from thirty to forty million people. This state of affairs is now completely reversed. Between forty and fifty years ago the English language equaled the German in the number of those who spoke it, and now the latter is left far behind in the race. German is spoken by 10,000,000 persons in the Austria-Hungarian empire, 40,000,000 in the German empire, 10,000 in Belgium, 2,000,000 in Switzerland, and the native tongue of some 2,000,000 in the United States and Canada. This gives a total of about sixty million persons who may speak German.

With French the case is much the same, but the gain during the past century has been smaller than that of German. French is now spoken by the 38,000,000 people of France, by 2,250,000 in Belgium, 200,000 in Alsace-Lorraine, 600,000 in Switzerland, 1,500,000 in Canada and the United States, 600,000 in Hayti, and by 1,500,000 in Algiers, India, the West Indies, and Africa; in all about forty-five million.

English is now spoken by all but some 500,000 of the 37,000,000 persons in the British Islands, by 53,000,000 out of the 56,000,000 inhabitants of the United States, by 4,000,000 persons in Canada, 3,000,000 in Australasia, 1,700,000 persons in the West Indies, and perhaps by 1,000,000 in India and the other British colonies. This brings up the total to 100,000,000, which can not be very far from the truth.—*Chicago News.*

A Disinterested Party.

"Hello, there!" called out a bartender in a West Brighton beer pavilion while the thirsty souls from an incoming boat surged in front of him. "Hello, there! you didn't pay."

But the two men he addressed did not seem to hear him, and they lounged outside.

"Say, Fritz," called out the bartender to a waiter. "Say, Fritz, bail them fellers for the price. They've gone out without settling."

The tall German laid down his tray, wiped his mouth with his apron and started ferociously after the receding couple. Soon he came back with a festoon of dark blue under the battlements of his left eye. There was a rent in his duster and a lump under his jaw the size of a codfish ball.

"Did you collect?" called out the bartender.

"Naw," said the waiter.

"Wouldn't they give up?"

"Naw."

"What did you do?"

"Tole dem to seddle up or I'd wollop dem."

"That was right. What did they say to that?"

"Nodings. Von pucked me by der chaw, der odder fetched me on der eye. Dey nogged me oud right avay, I bed you."

"The deuce they did. Did you smash 'em back?"

"Smash 'em back? Naw; vat for should I take up your kivarrels?"

LONG-LIVED PEOPLE.

Features of a Classified Record of Ten Thousand Centenarians.

Joseph E. Perkins, a newspaper dealer of this city, is about to publish a book entitled "The Encyclopedia of Human Longevity," which is the result of three years of investigation on a subject. The book will contain an authentic record of a large number of people, men and women, who have attained the age of one hundred years or more. The only exception to the rule is the case of a man who died at the age of one hundred and [illegible] years and [illegible] days, and whom Mr. Perkins regards as a certain a centenarian. The book will represent an immense amount of labor and research, and its author believes that it may be relied on as accurate in every instance.

"I have," said Mr. Perkins, in speaking of his book, "more than ten thousand instances of people who have lived one hundred years and more. These names have been gathered from every part of the globe. This country leads in longevity and Connecticut is at the front among the United States. In that State I have gathered statistics in regard to more than six thousand persons who were more than eighty years of age, and of this number twenty were beyond the century limit. As regards sex the majority of these ten thousand centenarians were women. I account for this by the fact that they lead less irregular lives than men. I have instances of fifty old maids who come up to my century standard, and only twelve bachelors. As regards occupation I find that sailors, soldiers and farmers are the longest lived. Among the professions I have the instances of one hundred ministers who lived to one hundred years and more, while I could find only thirty doctors, ten lawyers and ten actors who came up to the standard. I can find no case among my ten thousand of a newspaper man who has lived to be one hundred years old. Newspaper men do so much brain work that they die young."

Coming to special instances, Mr. Perkins added: "Among the oldest people in the United States were Flora Thompson, a negress of Nashua, N. C., who died at the age of one hundred and fifty years; Betsy Frantham, a native of Germany, who died in Tennessee at the age of one hundred and fifty-four years; and Sinx, a slave, who died in Virginia, one hundred and eighty years old. I have the cases of ten persons who lived in safety for one hundred years and were then burned to death. In Onondaga County I have the sketches of fifty centenarians. Among them is the Rev. Daniel Waldo, who died in 1864 at the age of nearly one hundred and two years. For more than sixty years he was a clergyman in the Presbyterian Church, and on the anniversary of his one hundredth birthday he preached a sermon in the First Presbyterian Church of Syracuse. The last six pensioners of the Revolutionary War were centenarians and I have their photographs. Then there was John Weeks, of New London, Conn., who married his tenth wife when he was one hundred and six years of age and she only sixteen. He died at the age of one hundred and fourteen. His gray hairs had fallen off and they were renewed by a dark growth of hair. Several new teeth had also made their appearance, and a few hours before his death he ate three pounds of pork, two or three pounds of bread, and drank a pint of wine. Nicholas Schathowski, of Posen, was another old fellow. He deposed on oath before the Council of Constance, A. D. 1414, that he was one hundred and fifty years of age, and that his father, whose age at the time of his death was nearly two hundred, could remember the death of the first King of Poland, A. D. 1025. Among the oddities to be found in my book will be the photograph of a man who died at the age of one hundred and twenty-one years. He had one hundred and forty-four children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren and outlived them all. Then there was Margaret McDowal, of Edinburgh, who died at the age of one hundred and six. She married and survived thirteen husbands. John Rovin and his wife, of Hungary, lived together as man and wife for one hundred and forty-eight years. He was one hundred and sixty-four and she was one hundred and seventy-two years at the time they died, and their youngest son was one hundred and sixteen years old when the parents died.

"Then there is the case of a man who married sixteen times and had no children. This case is offset by that of another centenarian who had forty-nine children. John Riva, an exchange broker of Italy, lived to the age of one hundred and sixteen years and had a child born to him after he was one hundred years old. Betz, a Sioux squaw, who died a little while ago, lived for more than one hundred years. She had been the wife in turn of an army officer, an Indian chief, a border highwayman, and a Methodist minister. William Ward, of Westchester County, died in 1778 at the age of one hundred and seven. He was a member of the Ward family who were among the earliest settlers in Westchester County, and the particulars of his life and death were given in the New York papers of the time. His brother John was a magistrate, and attended court in White Plains as late as 1773. William Ward, a member of this family, carried on business as a banker in 1883 at No. 52 Broadway, New York. Another queer incident is that of a centenarian who was married four times and had a daughter by each wife. These daughters married, and each of them had fourteen children. Then there was a man who went over the century line and had twenty-two children. His first was a boy, and girls and boys came after that in regular rotation. There was a person known as Elizabeth Page, who lived in London and died at the age of one hundred and eight years. This person had acted as a midwife, and was supposed to be a woman. After death, however, it was discovered that the supposed woman was a man."—*Syracuse (N. Y.) Cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

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LIFE IN SIAM.

The King With Three Thousand Wives—A Great Elephant Hunt.

"The King is a man of about thirty-two. He is a pleasant, intelligent and well-meaning man. He speaks English. His secretary is also his half brother. It is easy enough to secure an audience. There is very little ceremony, considering that it is an Asiatic court. I would, for instance, address a note to the secretary and say I wished to have an audience with the King. A reply would come promptly, agreeing to request. I would don a full dress suit, present myself at the gates of the palace, be received by the guards, passed along by different functionaries until I reached His Majesty's presence. He would shake hands with me in ordinary European fashion, listen to what I had to say, and when I had finished I would rise and bow myself out. When I told my English and French colleagues that I never awaited the King's pleasure to terminate the interview, but always rose when I stated my business they were somewhat surprised. They regarded it as a breach of etiquette, but the King, I am told, liked it very much.

"The King is a very much married man. He has some three thousand wives. The establishment where they are housed is a city almost in itself. They are kept very close from the eyes of men. No Europeans and very few natives of the male sex are allowed to enter the sacred precincts. Mrs. Palgrave, the wife of the English agent, did get permission once to visit the Queen's establishment. There is, by the way, only one Queen, the others are merely concubines. It was very plainly furnished. There was no splendor, gorgeousness and all that sort of thing at all. The floors were marble and the women sat on mats and rugs. They were chewing the betel root and constantly spitting; spittoons abounded. A few hangings were all the decorations the walls had. The women were very much like the Chinese women. The head is large, the face broad, forehead low, the cheek bones prominent, the lips thick, the eyes black, though not upturned as in the case of the Chinese. There is, of course, a whole army of female attendants."

"Now something about Siam's politics?"

"Well, you know it is an absolute monarchy. But there are two parties, or rather factions. One is headed by the King, and the other was led until recently, when he died, by the ex-Regent, who governed during the minority of the present King. There exists a great deal of jealousy, and as the crown does not descend by right of primogeniture, the death of a ruler gives rise always to serious trouble. The present dynasty has held sway for about four generations. I had a little difficulty when the ex-Regent died, which did not, however, lead to any serious consequences. He was a sour old gentleman, querulous and cross. I paid him a visit in my official capacity, and so did the English and French agents in theirs. He returned their calls, but did not return mine. When he died all the foreign representatives half-masted their flags according to custom. I did not. I was requested by the Prime Minister to do so. I refused. I said that a man who had shown so little respect for the flag of the United States should not be honored by it when dead. The matter was reported to the King. He said nothing. But when I saw him later he told me that he was very glad I acted as I did. It taught the followers of the ex-Regent a lesson.

"The King remembered General Grant very well. When I left Siam he charged me with a message for him. I was prevented through General Grant's illness from delivering it. Altogether I succeeded very well, indeed, in gaining the King's confidence. When he received me in audience for the last time he said: 'I hope you will come back. General Grant had two terms. You ought to have two terms also.' He presented me with two decorations, and also wished to present me with a valuable piece of property. This, however, I refused. But I induced him to give it in fee simple, to the United States for the use of a Legation, the first instance in which a similar gift has been conveyed to the United States by a foreign power."

General Haldeman, among other interesting experiences in Siam, was able to be present at a Royal elephant hunt. This was by special invitation of the King, who further distinguished him by requesting the General to take a seat by his side. The wild elephants were decoyed into a sort of corral or lockade by tame elephants. Over a hundred were caught on this occasion.—*Interview with Minister Haldeman, in N. Y. Tribune.*

Keeping His Hand In.

Sambo was out in the back lot, lasting a poor dilapidated mule with a club, when a neighbor came along and stopped him.

"What the dickens are you abusing that mule for?" he inquired.

"Cause I wants ter keep my han' in. De old woman's done gwine off fo' fo' weeks, an' of I fo'git how ter ack, I'se afeerd she won't reckonize her husban' when she comes back an' 'll be tryin' to git er divo'ce. Women is mighty pa' tic'lah 'bout bein' treated jis as dey is uster."—*Merchant Traveler.*

—Mr. George Westingnouse, of Pittsburgh, Pa., has a horse that is shod with solid silver.

FOUNDER IN HORSES.

A Very Common Disease, and How It Should Be Treated.

Acute rheumatism is a very common disease among horses. When it reaches the chronic stage it is nothing more nor less than founder. In cases of this kind the whole muscular system sometimes seems affected, and it often is. At others the fore or hind parts alone or the feet appear affected. Founder is produced by chilling the animal when exhausted or much fatigued; he may be chilled after a brisk drive by exposure to the weather, by external influences, or he may be chilled by imbibing cold water in quantity sufficient to reduce the temperature of the system too suddenly. Driving into a pond when in a state of perspiration or exposing the horse to a cold wind or rain are also fruitful sources of rheumatism and founder. The disease is apt at times to locate in all unscribed situations, about a joint or muscular region.

Treatment of Acute Rheumatism.—The best prescription is invariably the following nauseating cathartic: Six drachms of powdered aloes and two drachms of powdered lobelia in one pint of warm water. Free action of the bowels must be persisted in, and they must afterward be kept soluble by means of some such remedy as the following: Two drachms, each of cream of tartar, sulphur, podophyllum and wine of colchicum, mixed in a pint of thin gruel, and given as a drench. This medicine should be continued as occasion may require; for example, suspending it when the discharges are frequent and again resuming it when peristaltic action is tardy. In view of increasing cutaneous exhalation give an infusion of lobelia and pleurisy root, half an ounce of each to half a gallon of boiling water; when macerated sufficiently strain and add a gill of honey. Dose: One pint every four or six hours. When carried beyond a certain point large or repeated doses of medicine are sure to do harm, for this disease is located in tissues that are under the dominion of the nerves of external relation; these tissues may be highly excited and painful, in consequence of the congested state of the capillaries; at the same time the vital fluid—blood—is deficient in the region of the nutritive tissues. There is more danger in giving too much than too little medicine. Steam is very beneficial in treating rheumatism, but in case that is not obtainable the capillary absorbents must be excited with the following external application: Two ounces of spirits of camphor, one ounce of tincture of Indian hemp and four ounces of olive oil; mix and lubricate the stiff and painful regions daily, and cover them with flannel. The diet during the inflammatory stage should be light, consisting of sloppy mashes. Linseed tea and water, acidulated with cream of tartar, form the best drink for fever patients. The diagnostic symptoms of acute rheumatism are great pain, elicited by pressure or motion; swelling of the limb or body, as the case may be; febrile symptoms are present; some thirst; the urine has a very pungent odor; the pulse is full and and hard, peristaltic action is slow. The disease occurs very suddenly in subjects not far advanced in years; there are regular periods in the course of the twenty-four hours, from day to day, when the patient will be worse. In the human subject night is the period when the pains and fever are greatest; and in four-footed subjects, confined in ill-ventilated stables the same is noticeable. In many cases the disease leave the subject very suddenly or migrates to other tissues. The disease has been known to gravitate to the feet; it is then called acute laminitis—another name in the majority of cases for founder in its acut stage. The diagnostic symptoms, when the heart becomes affected, are palpitation, difficult breathing and great oppression. The symptoms are to be met by saline medicines and counter irritants.—*Philadelphia Record.*

An Appeal Which Was Heeded.

The Naples correspondent of the *Standard* telegraphs: Among the crowd awaiting a day or two ago, before the Royal Palace, Queen Margaret's return from her usual drive, a man was seen with a baby in his arms. On the approach of the Royal carriage he pressed a petition into the infant's hands, and threw both petition and child into the carriage. Her Majesty, though startled, caressed the crying infant, and took it into the palace. It was then consigned to a policeman, who soon found the father and took him to the police station. He turned out to be an ex-corporal of the "bersagliori," who, after twelve years' service, had been unsuccessfully waiting for some civil employment, and was now in the greatest distress with a numerous family. Several petitions of his having been without result, he contrived to obtain, through the original way he adopted of tendering this last one, and through the graciousness of Queen Margaret, pecuniary assistance and the promise that he should be provided for.

Art in Paris.

An inventory has recently been taken of all the works of art belonging to the city of Paris, and their total value has been appraised at £490,266, the civil buildings being estimated at one-third, and the religious edifices at two-thirds of the sum, the two churches of St. Eustache and St. Germain des Près containing works of art valued at £52,000. The Repository in the Boulevard Morland contains 69 statues valued at £15,560, while the sculpture upon the Hotel de Ville is valued at £55,860. The works of art placed in the parks, public gardens, and highways are valued at £40,000, about a third of this sum being the essential value of the monument upon the Place de la Republique. The collection of plans and diagrams, the library, and museum are estimated as worth about £120,000, and the contents of the 22 municipal libraries £25,000.

—Three Parisian manufacturers, who were detected in artificially coloring tomatoes to improve their appearance, have been fined for the offense.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking skeleton. Got a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite and a gain in flesh of 18lbs. Call at C. A Wright & Co's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottlee $1.00.

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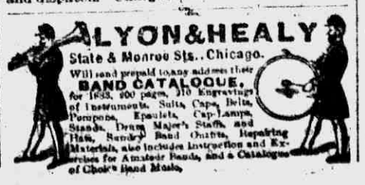

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Clinton has a family of nine in which four generations are represented.

Editor Smith of the Adrian Record, being in danger of conversion by Capt. Kirk of the Salvation Army, shied himself off on another excursion. After two weeks hob-nobbing with the oil men of Ohio, Philander will be a harder nut to crack than ever. But Capt. Kirk should not despair. The game is worth the powder. If he can bring Philander down upon his marrow bones, it will redound more to his glory than would the conversion of ninety and nine ordinary sinners.

A new weather prophet has arisen in the East who rejoices in the euphonious name of Baldy G. Plunkett. Plunkett is a poetical name for it rhymes with tunket and junket. It is a musical name. It tickles the ear drum like a gentle peal of thunder rolling over a thistle patch, or like a black cat serenade on a neighboring woodpile at midnight. Plunket must be a wise man, for he is bald headed and is called "baldy" for short. It ought to be a truthful name for it begins with "P" the same as purity and piety and parson. Plunkett does'nt base his prognostications on the signs of the zodiac, nor on the cob-webs upon the lawn on a July morning, nor on the ant hills in a sand bank, nor on rings round the moon. He quietly holds his breath until the other prophets have promulgated a program and then, in genuine feminine fashion he prophesies exactly the contrary. It is safe to say that Plunkett has struck the right tack in the weather business. We are neither a prophet nor the son of a prophet, but we venture the prediction that Plunkett will very soon wear the belt.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

The Saginaw Courier contains the following admirable review of the business situation:

The tenor of the reports that reach the Courier from the great Commercial centers of the country, indicate that business men are wearing brighter faces and that there is an actual improvement noticeable. This is certainly encouraging news. The exhibit of the clearing houses in the U. S. for the past week is fairly favorable and indicates a slow revival of trade at nearly every leading business point in the country. At Boston the gain in the demand for dry goods continues, as well as that for boots and shoes. Outside of New York, in the country at large, the clearings were $285,333,301, against $217,652,903 in the corresponding week of last year, and $205,961,301 in the same week ending August 1, 1885. Estimated on the basis of six business days this year, and they would have been $236,390,951, a gain of 13.2 per cent. The universal report is that collections are coming in fairly well. A year ago when the wheat crop was ready for the market, there was such an unsettled condition of things that the farmers would not sell unless compelled to by reason of crop mortgages. This year there is nothing to indicate excessive changes, and the result must be hopeful in general trade. The cotton crop promises to be large, and it is probable that they will get their material cheaper the coming year than heretofore. Of the iron trade the best that can be said is that it is no duller, and the coal market is still demoralized. Anthracite coal is more depressed than ever by the refusal of the Lackawana and the Reading companies to agree to a reduction of the excessive output arranged for August and for succeeding months. Some anxiety on this account is felt by the trade and buyers are more disinclined to stock up than ever. Stocks in the first and second hands are heavier than ever, and prices are very heavy. Of flour there is a very large supply, for which the demand is very limited. There is still a good tone to the lumber markets and prices are stronger. The curtailing of the production on the Saginaw River by reason of the strike has exerted a healthy influence on the Eastern trade and a lively fall business is anticipated.

The crop reports in the main are favorable, and the prices of stocks are remarkably well maintained. Traffic is on a firm basis, the mercantile class is for the most part in a solvent condition and we are now pretty sure of a steady forward movement.

WHAT THE NEWSPAPERS SAY.

Good for Grover.

The letter of the President was so keen and caustic that many doubted whether he would have written it to a Democrat. The doubt is now set at rest by the statements by the President himself during his recent visit to this city. He not only wrote the letter, but rejoiced over it, and declared if he was misled much more by politicians in favor of unworthy applicants for places he would print the names of the politicians and let the public see how he was deceived into making improper appointments.—Albany Journal.

A Disagreeable Face.

Is it not disgraceful to the city and the State that in the first two weeks of the existence of the Monument Committee, when the death and burial of the Union Commander were likely to open men's hearts and purses, if they ever are to be opened, a paltry $37,000 only has been collected. And this in a city where people build residences at a cost of two or three million dollars and pay $400,000 for a yacht! Is there no patriotism and public spirit among the wealthy? Must the Grant Monument Fund be a repetition of the Bartholdi Statue of Liberty.—N. Y. World.

A New Weather Prophet.

A correspondent who frankly signs himself Baldy G. Plunkett protests against any credibility being given to the frequent weather prophecies of A. J. DeVoe, "Meteorologist." He declares that he has examined DeVoe's prognostications, and in one month he was wrong 27 times out of 30, in another he missed it 23 times out of 30, and again he was right only 4 times in 31. Mr. Plunkett even ventures to prophesy himself that the next ten days will be exactly opposite to the De Voe prophecy recorded in Wednesday's Sun, and if "I win more times than he, De Voe shall hand over the belt to me and shall take down his sign." The contest for the weather championship will be watched with interest, but from present appearances it looks as though De Voe would win.—N. Y. Sun.

A Wonderful Discovery.

Do not despise the trouble borrower. Be patient with his apprehensions and mindful of his fears. You may be entertaining an angel unaware. If your wife insists that you go once more before retiring to see if the door is locked, humor her. You may find a friend on the sidewalk with an invitation to take a walk around the corner, or the residence of some hated neighbor may be in process of combustion. But for your trouble borrowing wife you would be denied the pleasure either of accepting the invitation or witnessing the cheerful fire.

A case in point is that of Dr. Chas. Pinckney, of Georgia, who is described as "a man of fine learning and observation." Notwithstanding his profession and learning he is a trouble borrower, and seems to dream darkly, but let us not turn him away. It is not in green apple colic, mumps, failure of the watermelon crop or the coming tax day that the good doctor perceives danger. It is to far-off Panama that he turns his woful eye. His theory is that the rotary motion of the earth piles the waters of the Pacific so high against the shore of the Isthmus that the western sea is twenty-eight feet higher then its neighbor, and that when the canal is cut there will be a frightful rush of Pacific water into the unoffending Atlantic. This apprehensive medical man says the Pacific doesn't seek the lower level of the Atlantic around Cape Horn because that point of meeting is so far from the equatorial line that the centrifugal force is lost, and the levels of the two oceans are there the same. He also declares that the water of the Pacific is much colder than that of the Atlantic, and that when the rush of waters comes the Atlantic will get a cold bath that is certain to destroy the Gulf Stream and the cotton industry of the South.—Chicago Herald.

Coffee and Tea.

One of the most marked differences between English and Americans in matters of diet is in their relative use of coffee and tea. In Great Britain tea has long been the favorite, while in the United States coffee is preferred. The difference becomes constantly more striking. For some years past the consumption of coffee per capita has remained stationary or has fallen off in the United kingdom, while that of tea has been steadily increasing. In the United States, on the other hand, the consumption of tea has of late fallen off rapidly, sinking from 1.54 pounds per capita five years ago to only 1.16 last year, while the consumption of coffee has increased only less rapidly, until it now reaches about nine and a half pounds a year per capita. The English now drink five times as much tea as coffee, while the Americans drink eight times as much coffee as tea. The American Grocer is of opinion that the reduction in the consumption of tea in this country of late years is largely due to a falling off in the leaf, while the coffee trade has distributed the bean in a roasted rather than a green state more generally than formerly, which has enabled consumers to secure a more agreeable drink than when the beans were roasted at home in skillets or frying pans, as used to be the universal rule in the South. These influences have doubtless had some weight, but it is obvious enough from an examination of the statistics that people in this country are more and more coming to prefer coffee to tea on general principles.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Hillsdale college is to have an art museum.

Cheboygan will spend $10,000 for water works.

Grand Rapids' salvation army consists of 24 women and 12 men.

One man in Ingham county has planted seven hundred different varieties of potatoes.

The hotel keepers of the state will meet at the Avery House in Mt. Clemens, September 1st.

Ann Arbor is suffering from an infliction of the Kirkapoo imposters selling quack medicine.

Willie Jamison, an 11-year old Ann Arbor boy, set 8,000 ems of type in eight consecutive hours.

Frankfort has unearthed a mineral well, with no superior in the country. Adrian got in ahead of them.

It is predicted that 30,000 strangers will attend the soldiers and sailors reunion at Benton Harbor this week.

The salvation army captains at Mason, were set upon last Sunday night by a crowd of boys and badly bruised.

Bronson has had the same postmaster, Schneider Orland, from time immemorial. In other words, for thirty-one years.

Active preparations are being made by the Northeastern agricultural society for their fifth annual fair at Flint, Sept. 21-25.

Prof. Kizo, of the Japanese agricultural college at Tokio, will enter the state agricultural college at Lansing for a three year's course.

The guests at the Oakland now number 500, and applicants for rooms have to be refused. Further enlargement of the big hotel is contemplated next winter.

About one third of the 278 teachers of Calhoun county are men, which is a much larger proportion than prevails in the public schools generally nowadays.

A member of the Monroe cornet band, Chas. Frizell, tipped his chair over backward at a band meeting Monday night and has since been unconscious.

A. Kast, with C. A. Mapes, is the father of a bran new boy.—Saline Observer. What! Which? How? But then these be queer times.—Ann Arbor Courier.

The Berrien Springs Era charges that Benton Harbor boys and girls go bathing together, arrayed as plainly as were the early inhabitants of the garden of Eden.

The Montague basket factory is turning out 2,500 baskets daily, and still the demand is 3,000 dozen ahead of the visible supply. The employes are working over time.

The W. C. T. U. of Muskegon is taking steps to secure the pardon of Mrs. Koren Larsen, serving a life sentence for the murder of John Guild. The ladies feel sanguine that they will succeed.

Jacob Lerch, a well-to-do farmer living nine miles from Greenville, about one week since had trouble with a Dane family, which so worked upon his mind that he has become violently insane.

Vincent J. Scott an aged banker of Detroit has assigned for the benefit of his creditors. He has not kept abreast with the modern system of banking and paid a very high rate of interest on deposits.

Ben Hill, a noted sport who is summering at the Davis house, Colon, bobs for eels with most remarkable success. He brings in 15 or 20 large ones almost every night, the local chronicler avereth.

Three little Saginaw City girls have been out soliciting funds with good success to purchase a rolling chair for Willie Bliss, who lost both legs two years ago by being run over by the cars. Willie is now between six and seven years old.

The Alma normal school closes next Friday. Mrs. Chas. Sterling, of the faculty, will go to Chicago to resume kindergarten work; E. M. Hopkins will be principal of Elm Hall schools; and O. J. Stilliwell remains as principal of the Alma schools.

A stranger visited Galesburg this week, having his pocket full of orders on business firms there, purporting to have been drawn by Z. C. Durkee, a wealthy farmer of the vicinity. He got three of the orders cashed and skipped out before it was learned that they were forged.

The salt well at Ionia has been plugged, the brine shut off at 412 feet below the surface, and a pump attached to test the flow of fresh water, which is now pumped into the water pipes. Water Commissioner Sibley reports that it furnishes about one-third of the water needed by consumers.

The citizens of Monroe think it is as much as they ought to do to furnish pasturage in the streets for the herds of city cows; but when farmers of Frenchtown drive their cows into the city to forage in the streets, and break into people's premises, they kick. One farmer is known to regularly drive six cows in to daily graze in our streets.—Commercial.

THE ASHLAND IRON MINE.

A recent number of the American Manufacturer gives a description of the Ashland, Wis. Iron mine, in which Col. Hugh Richard late of Jackson, and formerly of Tecumseh, is interested. The same traits of character which made Hugh Richard a successful builder ought to achieve success for him in the mining business.

The last mine on the range, in Michigan, is the Ashland, one of the finest looking iron mines, judging from the quantity and quality of ore exposed, on this continent. They came pretty nearly taking out pure steel. This mine is on the south half of southwest quarter of section 22, and north half of northwest quarter of section 27, town 47, range 47. The average width of this vein is 35 feet and has been explored 750 feet in length. With the present developments, over 200,000 tons of ore are in sight. Here specular and hematite ore are found lying side by side, the blue ore being found next the hanging wall. Fully one half of the Ashland vein in one place is of this blue ore and carries 71 per cent. metalic iron. The average assay from this mine is 66 per cent. This ore runs as low in phosphorus and silica as any on the range. This vein is all clean ore, being absolutely free from foreign or country rock. There are five shafts, from 100 to 200 feet apart, down from 15 to 20 feet in pure ore. Cross-cuts are run from each shaft, excepting in No. 1. Superintendent Hayes calls them cross-cuts, but they are really drifts, as they are run for the purpose of mining the ore to better advantage. In about three weeks these folks expect to be taking out not less than 400 tons of ore a day. They start in with a force of 150 or more men. The first contract is 40,000 tons to Cleveland parties.

The New Postal Delivery Service.

The new special delivery system will go into effect on the 1st. of October and will be used in all cities having special carrier service and in all other towns of more than 4000 inhabitants.

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The towns in Michigan which get the new expedited delivery are, in order of their population at the last national census, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Bay City, East Saginaw, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Muskegon, Saginaw City, Port Huron, Flint, Lansing, AnnArbor, Adrian, Battle Creek, Manistee, West Bay City, Alpena, Ishpeming, Ypsilanti, Monroe, Grand Haven, Marquette, Coldwater, Pontiac, Ionia, Ludington and Niles, twenty-seven in all.

Hard on the Bachelors.

A bill has been introduced in the Georgia legislature providing that from and after the passage of the act, all male inhabitants of that State who have arrived at the age of 30 years and who have never married shall be taxed $2.50 per annum for the enjoyment of this unmarried state, and each year so long as they shall enjoy the enviable position in life of single blessedness. The measure farther provides that any bachelor who marries shall at once be exempted from the tax, while, to quote the language of the bill, "the good ladies of our good and grand old commonwealth are hereby earnestly requested to join the reformers and moralists of the country in order to correct this monstrous and ruinous evil which now stalks abroad in our Sunny South and would-be virtuous land.—Ex.

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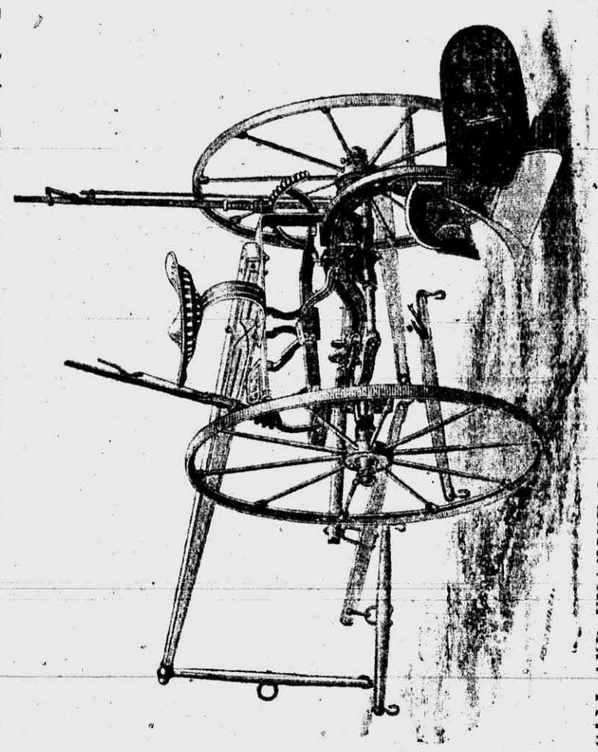

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Tecumseh, Mich., August 19th, 1885.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

Frank Worcester and wife, of Jackson, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Burlingame returned to her home in Kalamazoo on Monday last.

Miss Gardner, of Brooklyn, Mich., is the guest of Miss Carrie Hand this week.

W. H. Passmore, of Beloit Wis., arrived in town last Saturday and remained until Tuesday.

Dan Austin is the happy driver of a new 10 cent express, which commenced operations last Monday.

The Excursion train over the M. & O. last Sunday had five coaches and they were all well filled.

Andy Ross started last week Monday for New Mexico, where he expects to make his future home.

Duff. Nobles, of Strathroy, Canada, was visiting friends in town this week. He returned last Tuesday.

W. C. McConnell, Ensign Geo. McElroy, U. S. N., and ladies, dined at The Patterson last Sunday.

The Baptist minister of Hudson is entertaining his congregation with a series of sermons on the ten virgins.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band attired in their new uniforms left for Monroe this morning on the early Lake Shore train.

A number of Adrian young people enjoyed a drive to Tecumseh last Sunday, stopping while here at The Patterson.

Mr. Will Todd, of Adrian, late of Richmond, Ind., Miss Walker and Miss Heath took in the sights of Tecumseh last Tuesday.

The Blissfield band will give an ice cream festival next Saturday evening. The Britton blowers will lend their presence and assistance.

The frescoing on the Baptist church was commenced yesterday. The repairs will be completed and the church ready for occupancy about Sept. 15.

Several couple from Adrian were at the opening of the rink last night, and a pleasant time was had. The cornet band furnished music. The rink will be opened every week one night.

Mr. G. W. Burnham, formerly of the Milan Journal and later of the Adrian Record, is in town for a few days. He is now traveling salesman for Gunther's Park Ave., nurseries of Rochester, N. Y.

The Onsted minister preached a red hot sermon two or three weeks ago against the Sunday excursions on the M. & O., which so thoroughly advertised the excursion business that traffic from that station has materially increased since.

Rev. E. H. Pilcher, D. D., and wife, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting at the house of P. E. Campbell. Dr. Pilcher was pastor of the M. E. church in 1844 and 1845, and again in 1852, and presiding elder of this district in 1853 to 1857. He entered the ministey, joining the old Ohio Conference, in 1829.—Adrian Times.

Notice is hereby given that the annual reunion of the 18th Mich. infantry will be held at Brazee's landing, Devil's lake, on Wednesday, August 26th, 1885. The hour of meeting will be 11 o'clock A. M. Parties in the southern part of the county can reach the lake by the M & O. road, on which special trains will run that day. Let there be as full attendance as possible. By order of

C. R. MILLER, Pres.

The G. A. R. encampment, to be held at Devils lake, promises to be very largely attended. Quartermaster Rogers has had application for quarters from twelve different posts, representing about seven hundred veterans, distributed through six counties—Hillsdale, Jackson, Washtenaw, Monroe and Branch, and still the applications are coming. The "old vets" evidently mean to make this meeting a big success.

Owing to the extra amount of type setting and press work occasioned by the publication of the Addison Courier, the HERALD will hereafter be put to press on Thursday morning, and will go into all the first mails on Thursday forenoon. The forms will be closed on Wednesday evening. Correspondence must be sent in one day earlier and must reach this office not later than Wednesday morning to receive insertion the same week. Correspondents and patrons are requested to make a note of this change and govern themselves accordingly.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 20, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Landlord DeLano will run two hotels now.

Henry Bowen, of Adrian, was in town yesterday.

Miss Leonora Packer, of Toledo, is visiting at John Heck's.

Harry Bartlett, of Adrian, was the guest of Earl Temple, Wednesday.

The Seneca pioneers picniced and told bear stories in Whaley's grove last week Thursday.

Congressman Eldredge and daughter Louise left home yesterday for a few days visit at Buffalo and Auburn, N. Y.

Benj. Graves, of Adrian, has been appointed by the state commissioner of labor to compile the labor statistics in that city.

The Baptist services will be held as usual at the Opera House next Sunday at 10:30 A. M. A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

The new cement walk in front of I. P. Keyser's store is a beauty. If it shall withstand freezing weather it will make a very durable walk.

A. E. Kennedy left yesterday to attend the "Hero Plug" excursion to Chicago given by Moreland Bros. & Crane. His wife accompanied him.

Four members of the Adrian bicycle club wheeled themselves over to Toledo last Sunday. They got stuck in the sand near Sylvania and footed it a few miles.

Mrs. E. B. Wood and daughter, Fred B. Wood and wife, and Ed. Baird and wife have rented one of Beardsell's cottages at Devils lake, and are rusticating there this week.

We have received from Geo. F. Lewis, Secretary, a premium list of the fifth annual fair of the Northeastern Agricultural Society of Michigan. The fair will be held at Flint, commencing Sept. 21st.

The Saturday excursion train from Battle Creek over the M. & O. drew ten passenger coaches all loaded down. The train ran every station between Homer and Tecumseh. A few got on here, but over a hundred were left behind who wished to go.

The Lilley House has changed landlords. Capt. Foster gave up the house on Saturday last and on Tuesday O. W. DeLano took possession under a new lease made out to him. The house will hereafter be conducted by Mr. O. W. DeLano and his father, both of whom are experienced hotel men, and who can be relied upon to keep the house up to its former standard. Mr. DeLano will also run The Paterson as heretofore.

Milan was visited last Saturday, by a young couple from Adrian, on matrimonial purposes bent. The groom arrived on the 10:50 Wabash train from the west and the bride came in on the 11 o'clock T. & A. A. train from the south, and an obliging minister soon joined in wedlock, two happy souls, two hearts that beat as one and sent them on their way rejoicing. Evidently it was a runaway match, on account of the bride's inexorable parents.—Milan Journal.

The Press last week noted the disappearance from the city of E. J. Smith and Capt. Kirk, of the salvation army, at the same time hinting vaguely at the possibility of a duel. Smith has returned and the leader of the army is still missing, which seems to indicate that Smith was the better marksman. Meanwhile the sheperdless sheep are led by the captain's lieutenant. He does not keep the key while singing quite as well as the cap., but his double F's do not crack the paint on the brick walls. Of the two he ought to wear the crown.—Adrian Record.

The meeting of the Lenawee County Grange which took place at the Macon Grange Hall on Thursday last, was very largely attended and a most excellent program was presented. The exercises were given substantially as published in the HERALD two weeks ago. A sumptuous dinner was served at noon and the literary portion of the feast occupied the greater portion of the afternoon. In addition to a full attendance from the Macon Grange, about fifty visitors were present from other granges in the western and southern parts of the county. We regret that other business engagements prevented our attending.

The Gainsley stock of goods has changed hands and a new firm assume control of the same this week. The name of the firm is Sutton, Fairfield & Co. The senior member of the firm, Mr. N. M. Sutton, needs no introduction to this community. He was in the hardware business here for many years, and is at present the efficient manager of the Opera House. He has the necessary capital and go-ahead business methods to succeed in anything he undertakes. The junior member, Mr. Chas. Fairfield, is a former resident of Muskegon and a brother of Mrs. Ed. Hough. He has had experience in this line of business and is said to be a young man of fine business and social attainments. We wish the new firm abundant success.

This is excursion week.

The dog days are upon us.

A. H. Tupper was in town Sunday.

Chas. Manning, of Deerfield, was in town over Sunday.

S. A. Clauharty, of Adrian, was in town last Tuesday.

Will Smith has accepted a position in Lowry's grocery store.

Linc. Stevens is again at his old place in Geo. Merritts cigar store.

The M. & O. road runs special trains to-day both east and west of Devils lake.

Marvin Fuller, of Adrian, was circulating among his Tecumseh friends this week.

Hay-fever subjects will soon be sn-sn-ee-ee-zing and whe-whe-zz-ing around.

R. C. VanAntwerp's mother, aged 80 years, died last week at Albion N. Y. Mrs. VanAntwerp attended the funeral.

Mrs. Dr. Fulton and daughter Ella, former residents of Tecumseh, have been visiting friends in town during the past week.

Vet. Erskin, of Battle Creek was in town last Saturday. He came down on the excursion train and returned on the same train at night.

Tecumseh is well nigh deserted today. A large fraction of the population has gone to the big picnic at Devil's lake, and a good slice of the remainder take in the band tournament at Monroe.

There was music in the air last Monday night. The cornet band was on one corner and Knapps band on the opposite one, each trying to out blow the other. It was "nip and tuck," but they made good music all the same.

Money is scarce, times tight. Pay what you can; put the money in circulation: part of it may come back to you. Every cent started around to pay debts helps the community; it eases things up. Everybody who can should pay all debts, no matter how small, promptly, and the financial stress of many persons will be relieved.

If the administration would get up a surprise party for Mat D. Blosser, the able and live editor of the Manchester Enterprise, and send him a commission for the post-office at that place, said administration would do a worthy deed, and at the same time please the rank and file as well as the mug-wumps of the party. This is a suggestion merely.—Ann Arbor Courier. A very sensible suggestion however, and one which Mat's friends down in this latitude will heartily approve of.

John F. Hicks arrived home last Friday and will remain about a week. We understand that he contemplates selling out his teams and stock and retiring from the employ of the Howe Scale Co. He has an offer from the Fairbanks Co. to work for them on a liberal salary, which offer he is quite inclined to accept. Should he do so he will be stationed in the South and his headquarters during the coming winter will be at Galveston Texas. He would prove a valuable acquisition to the Fairbanks Co. in working up the Southern trade.

As this is the season for excursions, church societies, or parties of pleasure seekers who wish for an enjoyable trip will do well to examine the excursion circulars of the Star Line of Steamers running daily between Toledo, Detroit and Port Huron. In addition to these regular trips, the company will give low rates and furnish elegant boats for parties wishing to visit any points of interest. W. M. Wilkison, agent for the Star Line, may be found or addressed at the office of the company in Toledo, and will make rates which cannot fail to be satisfactory.

Those people in Michigan who expect to attend the meeting of the American Pomological Society, at Grand Rapids, September 9, 10, 11, should apply for certificate for reduced fare to Prof. Wm. J. Beal, Agricultural college, Michigan; and enclose two stamps to cover postage and printing. Write him soon, that you may not be overlooked in the hurry of the last few days. Regarding exhibits of fruits, for information correspond with with E. H. Scott, Ann Arbor. Any fruit requiring cold storage will be cared for free if sent express paid to Wm. K. Munson, Grand Rapids, Mich., with a postal card to notify him.

CHAS. W. GARFIELD.

The following is a technical description of the new immediate delivery stamp: A line engraved on steel, oblong in form, dimensions one three-sixteenths by one seven-sixteenths inches; color, dark blue. Design on the left, an arched panel, bearing figure of a mail messenger boy on a run, and surmounted by the words, "United States," and on the right, an oblong tablet, ornamented with a wreath of oak and laurel surrounding the words, "Secures immediate delivery at a special delivery office." Across the top of the tablet is the legend, "Special postal delivery," and at the bottom the words "Ten cents," separated by a small sheild bearing the numeral "10."

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Lenawee County water melons are appearing in the market.

Beecher Howell, of the U. S. Navy, has obtained a furlough of six months and is now at his home in Adrian.

The base ball game between the Hiawathas and the Adrian club last Saturday, resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 9 to 6.

Sheriff Whitmore's pet dog is no more. It got under the wheels of a meat wagon, and was made mince meat of in less than no time.

Weston's hotel has a new landlord. The changes of landlords at Weston, occur about once a month as regularly as the changes of the moon.

Standard time becomes legal time in Michigan, by legislative enactment, September 18, at 12 m., which is 90 days from the late session, June 20.

The hotel Whitmore at Adrian is having a big run of custom. There were twenty-six guests there last Friday, counting both transient and regular boarders.

The young ladies of Morenci give ice cream socials for the benefit of their village band. The girls of that town are becoming very popular with the band boys.

It took fifteen fat men to match the Adrian regular nine one day last week and still the "phats" were beaten by a score of 13 to 26. Phats the matter with the fat men?

The Morenci postoffice has been removed from Allen's building to a vacant room in the Wyman block and has been arranged into the neatest postoffice Morenci ever had. They are getting ready for a new Democratic postmaster down there.

Hudson Lodge No. 26, I. O. O. F., held an anniversary session last Tuesday evening, which was largely attended and very interesting. A large number of brethren were present from neighboring lodges, and the goat was well curryed down.

An effort is making to finish the M. E. church at Addison. This is cheering news. They will now have somewhere to hang the bell. Thus far Addisonians have not been able to agree as to whether it should be mounted on the roof of the skating rink or Cleveland's saloon.—Adrian Record.

The Hudson Gazette says: Adrian officers are as magnanimous toward their tramps as the city dads are toward local coal dealers. If they arrest one for vagrancy and find after a close examination of his pockets there isn't any profit in continuing the prosecution, they release him with instructions to get his dinner in Hudson.

We received this week a call from Mr. Custer, of Monroe, father of Gen. Custer, and found him a genial, pleasant old gentleman of 78 years, well preserved in health and intellect and a bright, genial vivacious guest. Mr. Custer takes great pride in the change of administration and extended warm congratulation on being able to meet an occasional democratic public official. He is the guest of Mr. El. Gray, of Tecumseh, for a few days, Mr. Gray having been on Mr. Custer's staff. Both took in the circus, and each were conjuring up some excuse to give to the ladies at home for doing so and we believe they finally settled on trying to find Col. Eldridge, it being absolutely necessary that they see him.—Adrian Press.

The combined picnic of the pioneer societies of Fairfield and Madison, held in Baker's Grove last Wednesday, was attended by about a thousand people, and the gray-haired men and women, with their children, enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent. H. C. Pratt made an address of welcome; and before and after the big dinner there were speeches by Ezra Cole, T. F. Moore, W. S. Wilcox; a well written history of Madison read by C. H. Bradish and of Fairfield by C. Quick; excellent original poems by Nathan Lowe, of Adrian, and Rev. Mr. Woodin, of Weston; recitation by Mrs. R. H. Whitney, an amusing account of the "Toledo war" by Rev. Gardiner, besides music by the Fruit Ridge glee club and Fairfield band. Rufus Baker was re-elected president, and N. J. Strong secretary.—Morenci Observer.

For some time past C. A. Conklin, the undertaker, has felt that his bin of oats was not holding out as it should, and he reckoned that at the present death rate the profits of his business would not allow him to bank a heavy sum if it cost so much to keep his team in grain. So he began to watch his barn. He was there in the dews of the early morning on several occasions, and discovered one reason of the lowering of his oat bin to be due to the visits of Peter Taxsold. This morning Mr. Conklin was at the barn lying in wait, when Mr. Taxsold appeared and filled a basin with grain and was about to depart when the undertaker sprang at him with a revolver and ordered him to surrender. He did so and was marched by Conklin and his son to jail. Before Justice Pavne Taxsold pleaded guilty, and the court sentenced him to the Detroit workhouse for 90 days.—Adrian Record.

THE MASONIC EXCURSION.

The bretheren of the "Ancient and Honorable order," who exchange the grip within the portals of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, conceived the idea a short time ago that it might be for the good of the order to have a fraternal love feast at Devil's lake, before the excursion season should be over. A committee of arrangements was accordingly appointed and work began. The original intention was to fix the excursion about the first week in September, but as that would bring it in the fair season, the date was changed to the 18th inst. Tuesday. Invitations were extended to the Dundee, Manchester and Clinton Lodges to join with us, all of whom responded with alacrity.

The expectation was that about 300 tickets would be sold and a special train for that number was chartered from the M. & O. road. Mr. McHugh the Gen. Pass. Agent of the road came up to Tecumseh Monday evening and remained over night, and gave his personal attention to the making up of the train on Tuesday morning and running it to Devil's lake. On Monday it became evident that over 500 tickets would be disposed of and an effort was made to procure more cars. The M. & O. had six passenger coaches available and they tried to borrow some more cars at Toledo but failed. Four empty box cars were filled with seats and attached to the train at Tecumseh, and about nine o'clock the passengers were stowed in as comfortable as possible, under the circumstances, and amid the music of the bands the train moved westward. Over 600 persons were on board. The Dundee city band came up with the Dundee contingent, while Knapps full band and the Tecumseh Cornet band both went from here.

The train arrived at the lake about ten o'clock and halted at Allen's Devils Lake House, where accommodations had been engaged for the excursionists. The grove at Treadwell's Landing, which is run in connection with Allen's hotel was where the picnicers were to gather. Carriages, row boats and sail boats were at hand in abundance to convey the excursionists to the grove, and by eleven o'clock, most of the company had been transported. A large number however remained and took dinner at the hotel.

The grove is admirably arranged for a large picnic party, having plenty of tables and seats, a large platform for speakers at public meetings, a summer kitchen, ice house, ice cream rooms etc.

Between twelve o'clock and one the provision baskets were emptied, the tables were spread and the company was filled.

After the tables were cleared the three bands in attendance assembled on the platform and engaged in a blowing match of an hour or more, which was decidedly entertaining to the crowd. We venture to say that the shores of the Satanic lake never before echoed with a better brass band concert.

During the afternoon the company busied themselves in various ways.

The two large sailboats at Allen's and about forty row boats were all kept busy, while many took passage on the Little Devil and City of Hudson, and went over to the south side where they passed an hour or two at Beardsell's Lake View hotel. By five o'clock the excursionists had all returned to Allen's north shore house, and were patiently waiting for the train. It arrived from Addison at six o'clock. We venture to say that six hundred passengers with about twelve hundred provision pails and baskets never loaded themselves into a train more expeditiously. Some of them procured seats and some didn't, but the ride was a short one, and the inconvenience was borne good naturedly. The train arrived at Tecumseh about dark, and after halting for the west bound passenger proceeded to Dundee. The Clinton and Manchester parties went home on the evening Lake Shore train.

POINTERS.

The general greeting yesterday was, "Did'nt we have a splendid time?"

The company was properly ballasted with religious dignitaries. Rev's Phelps, Hudson and Getchell were there, accompanied by their wives.

The committee in charge consisted of John J. Orr, C. M. Burlingame, John F. Wilson, John R. Hialey and Jay A. Santus. They drew upon several other brothers for assistance but these five constituted the official committee.

Passenger Agent McHugh won many new friends by his efforts to promote the comfort of the excursionists.

The Dundee contingent formed a large slice of the entire company.

We never saw Master D. Woodward in a happier mood and that is saying a good deal for him.

Clinton and Manchester were both well represented and they all seemed to enjoy themselves.

The Dundee band furnished some splendid music.

Knapp's band and the Tecumseh Cornet boys vied with each other in their strife to produce the best music. It would be difficult for a non-professional to decide between them.

Dr. Finch & W. F. King of Adrian who were sojourning at Beardsell's visited the picnic grounds and were well entertained.

The ride from Beardsell's over to Allen's on the City of Hudson and its tender with the impromptu concert by Knapp's band, was one of the pleasantest features of the day.

Considering the unexpected size of the crowd, the M. & O. road did remarkably well in the matter of accommodations.

The grove at Treadwell's Landing is just the place for a party of this kind.

The weather couldn't have been pleasanter if the committee had obtained a permit direct from the weather office.

ANOTHER EXCURSION TO PUT-IN BAY.

On Monday next, Aug. 24th another excursion will be run over the M. & O. from Battle Creek to Toledo and Put-in-Bay Island. The following note to agents from Pass. Agent McHugh explains itself.

TOLEDO, Aug. 15, '85.

Please notify the public through your local papers, that we regret exceedingly our inability to accommodate them on the excursion which was given to-day. But that we will run another excursion train from Battle Creek to Toledo, Monday Aug. 24th, connecting with Star Line of boats for Put-in-Bay, and will provide accommodations for from 800 to 1000 people and the rates of fare will be considerably less than we made on to-day's excursion. B. MCHUGH.

Below is the time table with rates of fare:

Trains leave	A. M.	fare round trip
Battle Creek	5 30	$1 25
Jerome	7 22	90
Addison	7 38	85
Onsted	8 00	80
Tipton	8 11	75
Tecumseh	8 25	70
Ridgeway	8 35	65
Britton	8 39	60

Arrive at Toledo at 10 A. M.

The elegant side wheel steamers of "The Star Line" will be in waiting and will leave their dock immediately on arrival of the train, landing passengers at Put-in-Bay at 2.00 P. M. standard time. Returning boats will leave at 5.00 P. M., reaching Toledo at 7:30, thus giving excursionists a delightful ride of seven hours on Lake Erie.

Meals and refreshments will be served on board at reasonable prices. The excursion train will arrive and depart from steamboat dock at Toledo, thereby avoiding any transfer across the city. An excellent Band will accompany the boats from Toledo. Ample accommodations have been secured on the boats, and excursionists may rely upon finding sufficient room to enable all to enjoy the Lake ride. Train will leave on arrival of boat, delivering passengers at their homes at seasonable hours in the evening.

While at the Masonic excursion last Tuesday we took a spare hour in the afternoon to visit Beardsell's Landing on the South shore of Devils Lake. He has made many improvements there since last summer and he informed us that his patronage this season has been better than ever before. He is now pushing forward a large addition to the Hotel which will add twenty rooms to the capacity of the house. There are eight private cottages at Lake View. One owned by Mr. Hamilton and one by J. G. Perkins both of Hudson, one by Mr. Sorby of Addison; and the other five belong to Mr. Beardsell himself, which he rents out by the week. They have all been full from the beginning of the season. The veranda of the hotel has been widened to twelve feet which adds much to its attractiveness and convenience.

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"'What is that?' he asked, pointing to the gong.

"'It is fetish,' I answered, seriously.

"His young son, Kojeli, who was more mischievous than his father, whispered to him his belief that it was a kind of fetish, upon which Ngalyema cried out:

"'Bula Matari, strike this, let me hear it.'

"'O, Ngalyema, I dare not. It is the war fetish.'

"'No, no,' said he, impatiently. 'Bear it, Bula Matari, that I may hear the sound.'

"'I dare not, Ngalyema. It is the signal for war. It is the fetish that calls up armed men. It would be too bad.'

"'No, no, no! I tell you to strike. Strike it, Bula Matari,' and he stamped on the ground with childish impatience.

"'Well, then—taking the beater in my hand—remember, I told you it was a bad fetish—a fetish for war,' and as I lifted the beater high with uplifted hand I asked again: 'Shall I strike now?'

"'Strike—strike at, I tell you.'

"With all my force I struck the gong; the loud, bellowing tone sounding in the silence caused by the hushed, concentrated attention of all upon the scene, was startling in the extreme, but as the rapid strokes were applied vigorously, the continued sounds seemed to them like thunder. They had not recovered from the first shock of astonishment when the forms of men were seen bounding over the gunwale of the 'En Avant' right over their heads, and war-whooping in their ears. From my tent, and from the gorge behind them, a stream of frantic infuriates emerged as though from the earth. The stockaded was violently agitated, and finally collapsed, and a yelling crowd of demoniac madmen sprang out one after another, every one apparently madder than his neighbor. The listless, sleepy-eyed stragglers burst out into a perfect frenzy of action. From under the mats in the huts there streamed into view such a frantic mob of armed men, that to the panic-struck natives the sky and the earth seemed to be contributing to the continually increasing number of death-dealing warriors. Every native present, would-be friend and would-be foe, lost his senses completely. The seated warriors forgot their guns and fled before this strange deluge and awful scene. The ammunition bearers threw their gourds away—some were broken, and the powder and slugs were scattered over the ground, and as Ngalyema was standing paralyzed with fear, and with his faculties benumbed, I seized him by the arm, and said softly to him:

"'Be not afraid, Ngalyema. Remember Bula Matari is your brother. Stand behind me. I will protect you.'

"The Zanzibaris were now a yelling crowd in front of me, calling out tauntingly and menacingly:

"'Ha, ha Ngalyema! You came to fight Bula Matari, Ngalyema! Where are your warriors, Ngalyema?'

"There could not be a better representation of relentless, bloodthirsty fury than that which was shown by these amateur black actors in the suddenly improvised scene. Their assumed frenzy was the next thing to reality. Had I not been in the secret I also should have been duped, while the valor with which I defended my poor brother, who with his two hands grasped me round the waist, danced from side to side to avoid furious strokes from the wild-eyed men, while young Kojeli clung behind his father and followed his movements, reminded me of the long-forgotten play of hen and chickens.

"'Save me, Bula Matari, do not let them hurt me!' I did not mean anything,' cried Ngalyema.

"'Hold hard, Ngalyema!' I cried. 'Keep fast hold of me; I will defend you, never fear. Come one, come all! Ha, ha!' etc.

"But the camp was almost emptied, of our visitors much of the ammunition was left behind, the guns were strewn over the ground, and the play was well acted.

"'Enough, boys! fall into line!' and 'Silence!' was cried out by Selim, and his brother captains, and the obedient well-trained fellows fell into line at 'Shoulder arms!' with all the precision of military veterans. Then, as Ngalyema had allowed his hands to fall down by his side in mute surprise at the sudden transformation scene, I took hold of his two hands, and said, with an assuring smile:

"'Well, Ngalyema what do you now think of the white man's fetish?'

"'Ah, I was not afraid, was I? See, all my people are run away! Av me; such braves! Only Enieh and Ganchi left with me! But tell me, Bula Matari, where did all these people come from?'

"'Ah, that is the bad fetish I told you of! Do you want to see any more? Come, I will strike the gong again, and the next scene may perhaps be more wonderful still!'

"'What!' he shrieked, while he laid his hand upon my arm. 'No; no; don't touch it. Av, verily, that must be a bad fetish,' shaking his head at the round, innocent face of the gong."—*From Mr. Stanley's New Book.*

—It makes one feel foolish enough to have a horse snap at him on the public throughfare. Of course he isn't afraid, but he jumps, nevertheless, with a scared look overspreading his features; then he looks silly, and laughs an insipid little little laugh, as he reflects that everybody is looking at him; and it doesn't help the matter when somebody observes, as somebody inevitably does, that the horse was deceived by his greenness, and took him for grass. The only reason why he doesn't commit a capital crime then and there is because he doesn't know whether to kill the horse, or the man who made the verdant suggestion.—*Boston Transcript.*

MODERN VANDALISM.

Reverence for Beauty a Superficial Quantity with the Multitude.

In profession, we of to-day are all crusaders, burning to defend the places made sacred by the poetic genius or associations of the past. In deed, we are almost all Goths and Vandals, razing them without mercy. While the men who are to come, will judge by our actions, we judge principally by our words. Because the species of asiew is fair, we fancy that it must be right with the bugs. Because smoke is being and and wrath and [illegible] we think that the flying fire must be greater in place, or more than. In a word, we [illegible] one sowing of good seed for the harvest of a fruitful harvest. Unfortunately, however, we are not [illegible] that all is not so well as it seems. In the United States, within the last ten years [illegible] have been [illegible] by hundreds, but when it came to finding out what they are [illegible] [illegible] insulted, Harper and Brothers. The result was [illegible] in England [illegible] strong in the town [illegible] fine the lower classes [illegible] of art and by making their surroundings beautiful. But even as they put up their monuments in Whitechapel [illegible] collections of paintings are [illegible] to be dispersed, and [illegible] to destroy one of the most picturesque corners in London.

The fact is that the reverence for beauty, genuine though it may be, like Mr. Ruskin, is superficial with the multitude, whose real worship is comfort. Whenever there is a struggle between the things of the art and those of the present, it seems to predict which will survive. Usefulness is always measured by comfort. Perhaps, after all, where the birds fly and cities in which people live are concerned, it is unreasonable to wish it to be otherwise. I may be as Hawthorne says somewhere in Marble Faun, in speaking of the gloom and cold and inconvenience of lofty [illegible] in Italian cities, that a dwelling-house should never be built to last longer than forty or fifty years. It is probably more important that a house should be healthy and [illegible] and adapted to the physical well-being of men who are to spend their days in it than that it should give mental pleasure to those who merely look at it from without. Workingmen living in the ugly suburbs of London, or in the red brick notoriety of Christian and Catharine streets in Philadelphia, which no man would go out of his way to look at, are doubtless better off than their fellows in Italian towns, though the latter may be settled in two or three large, damp rooms on the ground floor of old palaces which travelers come from afar to see. The few—a losing remnant in this case—overlook the wants of the people. Considering the subject dispassionately, we must admit that many of the changes which are fatal to mediæval beauty and quaintness are not wholly [illegible] or capricious. No one, while the memory of last summer's plague is still fresh, can deny, for example, that it is better to sacrifice the picturesqueness of some of the narrow, dark streets of Naples than the health and lives of thousands of Neapolitans. The majority of business men in London do not question the wisdom of the removal of Temple Bar, which has made their going to and coming from the city so much easier. It must be added, however, that those whose occupations do not lead them cityward wonder what great good has been done by destroying an old landmark, declared to be an obstruction in the street, and then looking up the way with a new, meaningless monument.—*E. R. Fenwick, in Alternative Monthly.*

CHARITY.

Discrimination Imperative in Giving to the Poor.

In giving to the poor, discrimination should be exercised. Our duty is not discharged when we have given them something, simply because we have given. All interested in the work of charity know that it is not nearly so advisable to give money to the needy as it is to lay the money out judiciously for them. It is not, however, of money-giving that I would write, but of garment giving. Many people are accustomed to give half-worn or outgrown clothes to the poor, without stopping to consider whether they are suitable for the person to whom they are given. How often have we seen poor people, who can scarcely keep starvation from the door, arrayed in silk and embroidery. The moral effect of this is very bad. Here is a case in point. A washerwoman, with a drunken husband and five children, for whom she must provide, received numbers of garments from families by whom she is employed. Many of these clothes were beautiful, fit for children of wealthy families. They were given to the washerwoman because the children of the donors had outgrown them. The washerwoman, proud of her pretty children in their fine attire—poor woman! the motive prade is pardonable, for mother love is God's gift to all, rich and poor alike—spent what she should have saved for food for things to suit the rich apparel, so that her children might [illegible] those of her neighbors. Remonstrance was unavailing. Years passed by, and the children, grown old enough to help their mother in her hard and weary life, became millstones to the poor woman. They would do nothing and had no thought save for finery. To-day they are a pest to all with whom they come in contact. The foolish mother, worn out by labor, has only one comfort in life, and that is a daughter who was so marred by small-pox that the mother always dressed her in the commonest clothes, "because she is so awful homely," and seldom took her out for the Sunday afternoon walk. When the child did go it was only to look after the younger children. This daughter now takes charge of the poor home, saves the mother many an insult and injury from the wretched father, and works indefatigably to keep the family under shelter. — *Louisville Courier Journal.*

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[illegible] Judge of Probate.

ESTATE OF JOSHUA KUDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 7th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William Kuder, a son of said deceased, praying that the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to said petitioner, the executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon, It is ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of April, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Toledo	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 41 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 56 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	3 52 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Hudson	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Jackson	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Jackson	8 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Hudson	10 36 "	7 35 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 05 "
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BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Bakersley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cohoes	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cohoes	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	4 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
6 30	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
6 23	9 22	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
6 35	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
6 49	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
7 07	10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 44	6 30	7 03
7 25	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
7 35		3 04	Yorkville	12 20		6 35
7 42		3 10	Richland	12 15		6 29
7 58		3 28	Doster	11 58		6 12
8 24		3 45	Montcalm	11 43		5 55
8 35		3 51	Fisk	11 35		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 30		5 37
8 50		4 10	A. Allegan L	11 20		5 25
10 15		5 25	Holland	10 15		3 30
		6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 30	Grand Haven	9 00		2 10
11 15		6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 55		7 10	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		10 10	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
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The currant bush is as gross a feeder as the rhubarb or asparagus plant. It will retain its life, make some increase in size, and produce some fruit if it stands in poor soil, is surrounded by grass and weeds, and receives the benefit of no fertilizers. But its growth will be very small under these circumstances, and the fruit will be inferior in quality and very small in quantity. The common red Dutch currant is a very good variety and is distributed in all parts of the West. It was planted near old Fort Dearborn, which was located near the mouth of the Chicago River, and cuttings taken to various portions of the Western States. A supply of currant cuttings can be obtained in almost any neighborhood for nothing or for the trouble of pruning the bushes. Their increase into the dimensions of bearing bushes and their productiveness will depend almost entirely on the amount of manure that is applied to them. If some of the bushes are planted where the soil is very poor and the ground is allowed to grow up to grass and weeds, and others are placed where the soil is naturally rich, is kept well supplied with manure and free from weeds and grass, the difference will be so great between them in a few years that a stranger would conclude they belonged to distinct varieties.

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INCREASE OF MANKIND.

The Prospective Progress of the Working Classes During the Next Century.

The great English statistical writer, William Giffen produced a recent paper on "The Progress of the Working Classes," which he introduced with a brief general survey of a number of very valuable statistics concerning the comparative progress of different parts of the world, and especially of the different countries of Europe, during the last hundred years. The researches of a French statistician, M. Moreau de Jonnes, have made this possible; and from the carefully compiled tables of that writer Mr. Giffen is able to show such significant facts as these: That the population of Europe has increased in a hundred years from 145,000,000 to 350,000,000, or, if the people of European race settled out of Europe be added, to 420,000,000; that the English race has multiplied fivefold, the Russian fourfold, the German two-and-a-half-fold, and the other races of Europe in a smaller proportion, Italy having nearly doubled, and France and Spain having added only about fifty per cent. to their population in a hundred years. The actual effects of these varying rates of increase upon political power are obvious; and still more obvious is their prospective effect. Circumstances may modify the result to a certain extent, but on the whole there is not much reason to doubt, as Mr. Giffen puts it, that "in another century there will be nearly 800,000,000 of the British race (with the German blend) in the world; while the Russian race, apart from conquest, will not exceed 300,000,000, and the others, increasing more slowly still, will lag far behind." France a century hence will probably number about 42,000,000 against 36,500,000 now, and Spain 22,000,000 against 17,000,000 now, and Australia 30,000,000 to 3,000,000 now.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes is of the opinion that "bad air, bad whisky and irregular habits keep the doctors alive."

MURRAIN.

A Prevalent Sheep Disease and a Suggested Remedy.

Sometimes young and thrifty stock is attacked by what is popularly called murrain. Old and poor stock seldom suffer from this cause. The times of its occurrence are the spring and early summer and also in the fall. Usually it appears when the season is wet and the pasture grows rank and is watery. The sheep eat too much of this pasture and overtax the digestive machinery. From indigestion the blood becomes affected, and often before any trouble is suspected the sheep suddenly die. Usually the wool leaves the skin by simply touching it, after the animal is dead, and the body is found often to be swollen and blackened in patches, especially on the forequarter, flank and hindquarter. Air gathers beneath the skin, and a post mortem examination will reveal decomposition, and the body will be filled with black blood. The mouth and tongue, and sometimes the eyes, are inflamed. There is constipation; the urine is dark and the droppings are bloody. The symptoms, of course, differ somewhat in different animals, and sometimes sheep die with this trouble that have few or none of these marked symptoms.

The disease rarely appears on hilly ground, or on soils that are gravelly and dry. Rich bottom lands are favorable to its development. Prevention lies in avoiding a sudden change from poor to rich food or from rich to poor food, and in unceasing regularity of feeding. The first thing to do when the sheep are attacked is to administer a purgative. Give the following in oat meal gruel: Sulphate of soda, two ounces; flowers of sulphur, one ounce; powdered myrrh, one scruple. Six hours afterward give a teaspoonful of nitrous ether in a pint of water. The powders that we so often recommend for indigestion and blood difficulty, will prove excellent: Charcoal, sulphur, saltpeter, golden seal, gentian and May apple root, a half pound each, and copperas a quarter of a pound. This prescription corrects the digestion, reaches the kidneys, clears the liver, gives tone to the system and purifies the blood. It is an excellent preventive of disease, and a most excellent remedy. As we have sometimes said before, however, it will be found that oil meal, without anything more, will often prove all that a sheep may need to aid digestion and to help the bowels perform their functions. We can not too strongly recommend oil meal, while sheep are on dry food. If fed this judiciously, they will be in much better shape to change from dry food to grass than they usually are without it. Try it another season.—*Western Rural.*

TRICKS IN THE STABLE.

Vicious Habits Which Idle Horses Are Apt to Acquire.

Among the tricks or rather habits acquired by horses in the stable, resting one shoe upon the other hoof, lying in the gangway, rolling in the stall, and kicking are among the worst. In the first place, the horse, if suddenly startled, is apt to bring the resting foot down suddenly, often seriously injuring the coronet. The remedy is a boot covering the part likely to be injured. Lying in the gangway may be prevented by placing a bale or rope behind the horse, preventing him from backing up. Standing in the gangway may be prevented by the same means. Rolling is the most difficult to cure. The most feasible plan is to keep the skin of the horse free from sweat and dirt, which induce itching; and also to allow the animal to roll in soft ground when sweaty and tired. A roomy stall, with sides standing slanting up to the perpendicular walls, will also prevent this, but a box-stall will be the best preventive. Severe strains of the loins, even fractures of the hip bones, and other disabilities, are often the result of rolling in the stall. Lying in the stall, at the extreme length of the halter, results in strains and sprains in the attempt to rise.

Kicking is one of the worst vices to which a horse can become addicted. If the habit is not inveterate it is cured by hanging a sack well stuffed with hay so it may strike the animal in the rebound from the kick. Let him kick this innocent dummy until he is tired. Then he is apt to quit for ever. A horse that kicks from being touched by the whiffletree or other substance touching him should be immediately taken out of the vehicle and allowed to kick until he becomes tired. The whiffletree should be padded so as not to seriously injure him. It may then be lowered so as to touch his heels when he moves. When he ceases to kick he is generally cured entirely. The remedy may seem severe, but a kicking horse is worthless, because always most dangerous. In lieu of the whiffletree a sack stuffed with hay may be suspended so it will touch his heels in the stable. But a confirmed kicker should be sold to work in a heavy team where he can not do much injury.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Mummies' Eyeballs.

The most curious things are mummies' eyes—petrified eyes—which are usually to be found in the graves if one is careful in digging. The Incas have a way of preserving the eyes of the dead from decay—some process which modern science can not comprehend; and the eyeballs make very pretty settings for pins. They are yellow, and hold light like an opal.—*Lima Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

—To rebuke politely requires both a good spirit and a sharp intellect. Those who are continually thrusting unasked advice upon persons about their private affairs deserve rebuke. Not far from New York lies a fine estate, occupied by an old gentleman. On it, near the mansion, is an old building. Said an officious neighbor: "Mr. ——, why don't you tear that old house down and put up something handsome?" The old gentleman merely looked at him and said, "This place is not for sale"—an effective and polite way of saying, "Please mind your own business."—*Christian Advocate.*

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00 AM	2 30 PM	6 10 PM	.....
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 [illegible]	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40 AM
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston....Lv	12 00 PM	7 40	1 18 PM	3 20
Orville....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 45	3 50
Orville....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 45	7 00
Massillon....Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon....Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 4[illegible] PM	4 PM	.....
Valley Junc.Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 5.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50 AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20 AM	9 20	

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta....Lv	6 00 AM	2 30 PM	.....	
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	
Cambridge	9 15	5 48	.....	
New Comers'n	10 20	7 03		No. 38
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		5 45 AM
Sherroddsville	.....	.....		6 05
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....		
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 25	9 10	8 20 AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15 AM
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 18	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17 PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 32	9 00
Toledo....Ar	5 45 AM	.....	1 35 PM	10 00 AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 AM	6 45 PM	Ar..Huron..Lv.	6 40 AM	2 20 PM
11 35	6 30	..Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan.....	7 07	2 50
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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG 29, 1885.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

A cablegram to the Secretary of State from United States Consul Mason at Marseilles says the cholera is not that place is [illegible] and Toulon. The death number [illegible] and the disease is spreading in the interior.

Dodge & Sons, of Greenville, Miss., have been appointed receivers of the assets of Thornburg, Mills & Company, of Chicago, at a salary of $[illegible] per month.

The Secretary of the Treasury has received a report of Mr. Ivanhoe, of the revenue cutter Corwin, on the Arctic ice and Alaskan waters. The Corwin [illegible] the week of the barks Napoleon and Gazelle, of the whaling fleet, and spoke many others. The whaling season has proved unusually successful, notwithstanding the fact that navigation has been accomplished with more than the usual difficulty. The fleet caught in about one week's catching seven in one day.

A prominent lumberman writes from Washington that Commissioner Walker, of the General Land Office, has declined to issue any more patents to the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, pending a decision fixing the legal status of the road. The question at issue briefly stated, is that the road was not completed within the time required by law, and that until Congress takes definite action in one way or the other no steps should be taken to place it beyond the power of the legislative branch of the government to protect the public rights.

General Luther M. Mills, of Lima, O., has been appointed Assistant Commissioner of the General Land Office, vice H. [illegible] resigned. Mr. Mills is a native of Ohio and served in the Union army in General Sanderson's staff. He was Adjutant General of Ohio under Governor Bishop.

Commissioner Sparks has filed the appointment of B. Judd as Special Agent of the Land Office Bureau revoked, because of his recent arrest in Colorado on the charge of horse stealing, and has admitted the guilt, and also that he had served two terms in the penitentiary for the same offence.

General Mills, in command of the Department of the Missouri, has been informed by the Secretary of War that troops will continue to enforce the President's recent proclamation in relation to cattlemen on the Cheyenne and Arapahoe reservation. By the terms of the proclamation the cattlemen will be compelled to remove their herds by September 6. The troops are located at Fort Reno.

General Beckett B. Simms, of New Orleans, has been appointed chief of special agents division of the General Land Office, vice Lionel G. McKenzie, who has been appointed a special agent for timber depredations.

The Secretary of the Interior has authorized the Indian Office to pay out so much of the proceeds of the sale of certain lands in Kansas for the redemption of Kaw Indian scrip. The amount of scrip outstanding is $[illegible], of which $[illegible] has been presented. The available funds will not be quite sufficient to pay principal and interest of the scrip presented, and they will be divided pro rata among the scrip holders.

THE EAST.

The Greenwood Iron Works, operated by the Parrott Iron Company, at Greenwood, N. Y., shut down on the 12th owing to financial embarrassment. The liabilities are said to be from $100,000 to $200,000, with assets of $[illegible]. Five or six thousand dollars are due the employes.

Daniel Nolt, on trial at Reading, Pa., for setting fire to the dwelling of Augustus Wentzel's farm, which resulted in the death of four persons, was acquitted on the 12th on the ground of insanity. The court ordered him to be confined in a lunatic asylum.

The deed conveying the Bankers & Merchants' Telegraph Company to the United Lines Telegraph Company was on the 12th surrendered to the President of the latter company. Under the scheme of reorganization the bonded indebtedness of the Bankers & Merchants' will be reduced from $[illegible] to $1,200,000. A large share of the new bonds will be taken by Mr. Stokes and his friends.

The State commission appointed by the Governor of Pennsylvania to select a suitable building for a soldiers' and sailors' home, has decided upon locating the home at Erie, accepting the Marine Hospital building, erected by the State at a cost of $[illegible]. The home is for the indigent.

A gang of four laborers on the Cayuga & Lake Shore branch of the Lehigh Valley Railroad sought shelter under an overhanging bluff, near Ithaca, N. Y., during a storm on the 13th, when a landslide fell upon them and buried Michael McManus, Patrick Mahon and Fahey, all of whom were killed. The fourth man escaped.

William A. Pond, the music publisher, died in New York City on the 12th.

Hon. Henry M. Oliver, the composer of "Federal Street," died at Boston on the 13th.

While bathing in West Canada Creek at Poland, N. Y., on the 13th Miss Tillie Fiske, aged twenty-six, and her guest, Miss Minnie Krutzberg, of New York City, were drowned.

Business failures throughout the country for the week ended the 14th numbered 151, and for Canada 17, or a total of 168, as compared with a total of 189 for the past week and 201 the week previous. The Western and Pacific States furnish more than one-half of the entire number of business casualties in the United States.

The schedules of the assets and liabilities of John Roach were filed on the 14th. They show liabilities of $2,222,577.41; nominal assets, $5,108,598.77; actual assets, $4,481,478.23.

A man who has inspected the district in the vicinity of Glenville, N. Y., damaged by the recent storm, says the farmers have lost $200,000. On some farms heavy deposits of rocks and gravel have forever ruined fertile lands.

Carrie Loeschmad, a German woman eighty-one years old, committed suicide at New York on the 14th by hanging.

Major General Hancock has issued general orders acknowledging his obligations to all who took part in the removal of Grant's body from Mt. McGregor to New York and its final interment. In formally thanking his staff for their assistance, the General remarks: "The presence of General Gordon, of Georgia, and General Lee of Virginia, among the aides-de-camp, was especially gratifying."

Philip Hard, an old [illegible] resident of Bridgeport, Con., died on the 15th in his ninety-sixth year. [illegible] life he had charge of the construction of the Housatonic, Naugatuck, New York & New Haven Railroads. Afterward he was elected Vice President of the Hudson River Road under Governor Morgan, and later was President of the Harlem Road.

While on his way home near Mifflin, Pa., on the 15th, with his month's wages, R. H. Kreppe, a track foreman on the Pennsylvania Railroad, was waylaid by two men who overpowered and robbed him of his money. They then tied his hands and feet to the railroad track, in the hope of having him killed by a passing train. After desperate efforts Kreppe succeeded in drawing his feet from his boots and releasing one hand, but was less fortunate with the other hand which was crushed by a train. He was discovered by a track walker the next morning and rescued. Great excitement over the outrage prevails in the vicinity.

An epidemic of typhoid fever prevails among the inmates of the State Asylum for the Insane at Morris Plains, N. J. On the 15th there had been fifty persons were prostrated with the disease, which is supposed to have originated from imperfect drainage.

Between Girard and Fairview, Pa., on the 15th a party of bicyclists overtook a team and gave the frightened animals a race. The horses became unmanageable and their driver, August Gueleney, was thrown out and instantly crushed to death by the wagon.

The total exports of specie from New York for the week ended August 15th were $[illegible]. Of this amount the exports to Europe were $[illegible] gold and $[illegible] silver, and to Havana $[illegible] silver.

The Roman Catholic Church at Unionville, Conn., was entirely destroyed by fire on the night of the 15th, entailing a loss of from $[illegible] to $[illegible].

The weekly statement of the New York associated banks shows the following changes for the week ended the 15th: Loans decrease, $2,[illegible]; specie decrease, $[illegible]; legal tenders decrease, $1,[illegible]; deposits increase, $4,811,[illegible]; circulation increase, $[illegible]; reserve decrease, $2,[illegible]. The banks held $[illegible] in excess of the twenty-five per cent. rule.

WEST AND SOUTH.

Ed Goulding and two associate cattlemen on the Musselshell River, Montana, on the 12th met a marching band of Piegan Indians between Razor and Half-breed creeks. The Piegans numbered twenty and were accompanied by seventy-five stolen horses. Goulding and party fired, killing one Indian, but being outnumbered, were compelled to retreat for reinforcements. Obtaining the latter, and overtaking the Piegans, they killed the entire party and recovered all the stolen horses.

Joseph P. Carberry, member of the Ohio State Board of Charities, tendered his resignation to Governor Hoadly on the 14th. Colonel Lyman J. Jackson, of Perry County, was appointed as his successor.

The large brick dwelling known as the Jog Stock property, at Napoleon, O., and recently purchased by ex-Governor Scott, was destroyed by fire early on the morning of the 14th. It was built twenty years ago at a cost of $40,000, and was being repaired and beautified for occupancy by the ex-Governor. The fire is believed to have been incendiary.

A collision between two sections of Adam Forepaugh's circus train occurred near Eddyville, Ia., on the 14th, resulting in the serious injury of seven employes, two or three of whom can not recover. The menagerie and animals escaped unhurt.

Mrs. Robinson Dunham, living on Proctor Creek, Wetzel County, Va., was putting her children to bed on the night of the 13th, when a lamp was upset, the oil ignited and the bed clothes took fire. One of the children, a girl of ten years, was burned to death and Mr. Dunham, his wife and three other children were fatally burned in endeavoring to extinguish the flames.

Reports of the condition of the cotton crop from nearly every section of Texas indicate considerable damage from drought within the past ten days. In a number of places the plant is reported as shedding freely and being otherwise injured. Notwithstanding this, there is no report from any section which does not estimate a better yield than last year.

In the Criminal Court at St. Louis on the 14th John C. Beauclegh, alias "Johnny the Snake," a nationally notorious confidence man, who is wanted in nearly every State in the Union, was convicted of beating a passenger on the Missouri Pacific Railway out of $850 two years ago, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

The sailboat "Sea Wing" was found off Charlevoix, Mich., on the 15th. The boat was full of water and had two corpses in it. The men were identified as William Gilson and Edward Gallagher, of Beaver Island.

A dastardly attempt to assassinate the family of Hugh Kinney, at Shawnee, O., was made on the evening of the 16th by throwing a hand grenade or bomb into a sleeping chamber. The windows were shattered, wall wrecked and large hole torn through the floor. Kinney was found lying at the foot of the bed, badly mangled and bleeding. His wife was also wounded. Kinney was looked upon in the community of miners as an informer, and was suspected of keeping the operators posted in labor movements. His life had been threatened in some quarters.

Delegates representing the Irish National League of nearly every State in the Union met at Chicago on the 15th, to devise means of aid for Parnell and his colleagues, and to consider the best methods of re-establishing their organization on an enduring basis. Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, addressed the convention. At a meeting of the executive committee it was decided to hold the National Convention at Chicago in January, the exact date to be hereafter announced.

Miss Adelaide Rudolph, of Cleveland, O., a sister of Mrs. Garfield, has been chosen Professor of Latin in the Kansas State University at Lawrence.

At Aurora, Ill., on the 15th Thomas Hartington, a bill poster, shot his wife dead, and then placing the pistol to his own temple, killed himself instantly. Whisky and jealousy caused the tragedy.

Schneider & Bros., millers and stave manufacturers, of Genoa, O., assigned on the 15th. Assets and liabilities not stated. Over one hundred men are thrown out of employment by the failure.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Tuesday, August 11, witnessed a very pleasant gathering of relatives and friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Franklin, the occasion being the celebration of their Golden Wedding. At the first table were three couple besides Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who have passed the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day. Mr. and Mrs. Cresser, Mr. and Mrs. John Malin, and Mr. and Mrs. Miles, all of Franklin. Brief remarks suitable to the occasion were made by the Congregational and Methodist pastors, and the following poem, composed for the occasion, was read by Mrs. Warner, niece of Mrs. Smith. The occasion was a very enjoyable one, though of course saddened by tender recollections of departed loved ones. All present joined in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Smith many happy returns of the anniversary of their wedding day.

Poem.

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CARRIE WARNER.

A Terrible Strain on Sam.

Mental exertion of any kind is something that tires the average African. Writing a letter just breaks him up. Col. Berger has a negro man, named Sam, employed about the place, and yesterday Sam wanted some clerical work done. He said:

"Boss, I wants yer ter write me a letter to my gal, in Waco."

"All right Sam. I'll do it."

"Has yer got de paper an' de ink an' pen ready dar?"

"Yes, Sam, go ahead."

"Write Austin, Texas."

"All right."

"Has yer got hit writ?"

"Yes."

"All ob hit?"

"Certainly."

"What has yer got written? Read hit ter me, boss."

"Austin, Texas."

"Dat's right. Nor write June the fourteenf."

"All right, Sam."

"Has yer got hit down, boss, already?"

"Yes."

"G'way boss, you's jokin'. Read hit ter me."

"June fourteenth."

"Foah God, has yer got hit down all right. Now, boss, read hit all ober from de berry beginnin'."

"Austin, Texas, June fourteenth."

"Dat's right. Whew! I say, boss, let's res' awhile. I'se tired. My head aches like it was gwinter split."—EX.

The Magazine of Art for September.

Mr. L. Alma Tadema contributes the frontispiece to the September number of The Magazine of Art. The picture is taken from the original in the Grosvenor Gallery, and is called "Who is it." Three girls are on the top of a house and one is peeping over the rampart to see who is coming. The design is a little out of Mr. Tadema's usual style, although it still portrays the classic maiden of ancient Greece. Another page picture is "Unvalued Liberty," from the original by Kaulbach—an old monk has opened the window of his cell to let a bird fly from its cage, but the bird prefers captivity with the old friar to liberty without him. "The Secret" from Mr. E. Blair Leighton's Royal Academy picture is given another page. We have a monk in this too, a monk to whom a dying man is telling his secret in the hope of being forgiven. Harry V. Barnett continues the controversy on "Drawing in Elementary Schools," and the editor contributes a lively paper on current art, with illustrations from the principal pictures in the Royal Academy and Grosvenor Gallery.—Cassell & Company, Limited, New York, $3.50 a year.

OBITUARY.

So absorbed are we in the cares of life, that we scarcely pause to give a thought to what is beyond until we are brought face to face with the realities of death and the future. Our neighbors sicken and die and we drop the tear of sympathy or speak a word of consolation at the time, and in a day are forgotten, and it is not until we ourselves are called to pass under the rod that we fully sense the deep, bitter grief that fills the soul of those who are bereaved.

The subject of this sketch, Mrs. Sarah L. Osborn nee Whitlemore, was born in the city of New York in 1836, of English parents. In 1838 she came to Michigan and was married to Mr. H. A. Osborn in May 1853, since which time she has resided in this state. There was born to them of this union three living children, two of which, a son aged 12 years and a daughter aged 8 years, survive their mother, while one dear little girl many years ago passed over to the other side. Mrs. Osborn was baptised into the fellowship of the Tabernacle Baptist Church of New York in 1854, when but 14 years of age. She removed her membership to the first Baptist Church, Tecumseh, when she came to Michigan to reside, from which it has never been removed to any other church.

As a neighbor and a friend she possessed qualities rarely equaled for fearlessness, sympathy and devotion, ever ready to give a helping hand to those in trouble; as a wife she was at once loving, faithful and kind; as a mother sincerely attached to, and ever anxious for the welfare of her family. Some four months ago she was taken with what at the time was supposed to be an aggravated case of dyspepsia. She was attended by the best physicians, but the difficulty did not yield to treatment and for some three months she grew slowly but steadily worse. At last she determined to return to her old home and secure the aid of physicians who were better acquainted with her constitution, hoping this would gain relief. In this she was disappointed as before. The disease baffled all medical skill and on the 4th day of August she passed suddenly away. While we grieve at her departure, we are glad to think that she has a large circle of loved ones on the other side, among whom are a kind father and a dearly loved mother waiting to welcome her into everlasting habitations.

THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

The following is the programme for the three days' encampment of the G. A. R. posts, at Devils lake, August 26, 27 and 28.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 26.

Officer of the day, Capt. J. D. Roman.—Salute at sunrise; guard mounting 10 a. m.; dinner at 12 m; reunion of 18th Michigan infantry; dress parade 5 p. m.; supper at 6:30 p. m.; artillery salute at sunset; from 8 to 10 p. m. camp fires, tattoo at 10 p. m., taps at 11 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27.

Officer of the Day—Capt. N. A. Reynolds. Reveille at daybreak; artillery salute at sunrise; breakfast at 7 a. m.; sick call at 8 a. m.; guard mounting at 9 a. m.; reunion of 1st Mich. Infantry; dinner at 12 m. Exercises at grand stand at 2 p. m.; addresses by Rev. J. M. Barkley, followed by Gen. Sherwood, Gen. Spaulding, Mrs. Kate B. Sherwood, Past Dept. Commander Pond, Hon. N. B. Eldredge, Capt. E. P. Allen and others; supper at 6 p. m.; dress parade at 7 p. m.; artillery salute at sunset; from 8 to 10 lighting the camp fires; tattoo at 10 p. m.; taps at 11 p. m.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28.

Officer of the Day, Capt. Fred Bay.—Reveille at daybreak; artillery salute at sunrise; breakfast at 7 a. m.; sick call at 8 a. m.; guard mounting at 9 a. m.; business meeting of association at 10 a. m.; followed by addresses by Gov. Alger, Department Commander Long, Rev. W. Gardner, L. H. Salsbury and others; dinner at 12 m.; prize drill at 2 p. m.; awarding of prize banner at 3 p. m.; breaking camp.

The celebrated G. A. R. Double Quartette of Jonesville, Mich., will be in attendance every day. Also the Blissfield I. O. O. F. band. There will be special trains and half fare on all the railroads.

The special train on the M. & O., on the east end of the line will run on the following schedule. Leave Toledo at 8:00 A. M.; Dundee 8:55; Britton 9,15; Ridgeway 9:20; Tecumseh 9:30; Tipton 9:46; Onsted 9:57; arrive at Devils lake at 10:20 A. M.. Returning train will leave the lake at 7:30 P. M.

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Toledo's Big Fair.

The Tri-State Fair occurs at Toledo, September 7 to 12, inclusive, and there will be excursion rates over all railroads for those wishing to see the big show. Premiums and purses amounting to $20,000 will be given, and entries already in promise the biggest exhibit ever on the grounds. Magnificent special features daily. $5,000 in purses for races.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending August 11, 1885:

Estate of Xarver Kastel, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Caroline Wheeler, deceased; receipts filed, order of discharge.

Estate of Joshua Kuder, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Aug. 31.

Estate of David Coolsy, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners warrant filed.

Estate of James S. Cosgrove, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing September 7.

Estate of Sumner F. Spofford, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Thomas H. Sherrard, minor; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $100.

Estate of Beedy Aten, deceased; petition for allowance of final account; hearing September 7.

Estate of Wm. Waring, deceased; order of continuance until September 21 at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Emma Hendershott, et al., minors; nomination of guardian; petition for citation of former guardian to render account, and for his discharge; hearing August 31.

Estate of John Stange, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting; commissioners' warrant and report filed; petition for allowance of final account; hearing September 7.

Estate of Peter Davidson, deceased; account of late executor filed and allowed; discharge.

Estate of Augustus E. Hathaway, an insane person; affidavit of publication; order appointing new guardian; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Henry Bourns, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Daniel Gambee, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of James Osburn, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's annual account allowed.

Estate of Olive H. Chittenden, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment, distribution.

Estate of Abner G. Pierce, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Laura P. Pierce, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed, bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Johanna Nufer, deceased; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters of administration with the will annexed issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending August 41:

CAMBRIDGE.

C. H. Dewey to C. E. Jessup. Land on sec 14. $175.

J. E. Gibbs to J. T. Snow. Land on sec 28. $160.

J. T. Snow to Henry Pulver. Land on sec 28. $1,500.

CLINTON.

C. C. Fisk to Mary S. Pomeroy. Lot 30, Clark's add. $825.

Bridget Kenseh to Catharine Morrison. Land on blk 10, Brown's plat; $700.

RIDGEWAY.

Thos. Smith to P. Barber and A. B. Manning. Land on sec 3. $300.

TECUMSEH.

Jas. Berry to Jacob Cheever. Lots 29, 30, 31 and 32. $300.

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Brook	Dolores	35c.
Cherry Ripe	Horn	35c.
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Dream Faces	Hutchinson	35c.
Esmeralda	Levy	35c.
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Chop Sticks, waltz	De Lulu	25c.
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Brown, Freddie — Hendershot, Frank
Carroll, Martin — Mathinnere, Timothy
Clancy, Martha

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Beans, ₩ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	2 00 @	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	6
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	5 @	6
Corn in ear	25 @	28
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	@	50
Clover Seed	5 00 @	5 50
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	10
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 50 @	6 50
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@	14
Ham, ₩ ℔	@	12
Lard, ₩ ℔	@	9
Oats, ₩ bushel	20 @	25
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @	45
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 75
Sheep Pelts	15 @	20
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
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ESTATE OF CHARLES J. BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Hettie H. Brewer, widow of said deceased praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Albert L. Brewer or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. aug20

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The Tecumseh Herald.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. Dr. Adam went to Tecumseh last Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stevens.

Miss Mina Muir went to Detroit last week.

Miss Libbie Newcomb, of Blissfield, visited her sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark, over Sunday.

Chas. Fisk and family returned to their home in Detroit Friday last.

Prof. Laflin and family and Miss Ida Fullerton returned last week.

Miss Nellie Kishpaugh is visiting friends in Dundee.

F. D. Lancaster went to Toledo last Monday.

Mrs. Albert Wilkerson, of Dundee, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh.

Miss Addie Parker, of Ypsilanti, is spending a few days at David Woodwards.

Mrs. Josie St. John went to Detroit last Friday to visit her brother, Stewart VanDeMark.

Mrs. Frank Silvers and children, of Tecumseh, spent a couple of days here last week.

J. R. Sterling arrived here last Thursday night and returned to Detroit with his family, Saturday.

J. E. McCollum received a telegram last Saturday stating that his brother, Emmet McCollum, was very sick at Jackson. Mr. McCollum and his wife took the night train for that place, and his brother returned with them Monday. Dr. Tuttle pronounced his case to be heart trouble.

Last Thursday afternoon E. R. Smith was boiling linseed oil in Muir's slaughter house and the air becoming so close inside, he went out and had left the building but a few seconds when the oil exploded, and in twenty minutes not a vestige was left of the slaughter house, or its belongings, excepting the iron kettles. Beside the loss of about one hundred gallons of oil, Mr. Smith will be at the expense of rebuilding the slaughter house, so that the experiment has proved a dear one.

Last Friday morning the house occupied by Eugene Palmer was struck by lightning. It did very little damage to the house, and none of the inmates were injured, though all were considerably frightened.

During the heavy rain storm last Monday lightning struck Thomas Tate's barn a few miles east of here. The building and all its contents were burned to the ground.

Edgar Rose arrived from Detroit Tuesday for three or four days visit.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Miss Flora Woodward, of Hillsdale, and Miss Bertha Brown, of Hudson, are the guests of Mrs. E. A. Woodward at Lewis' place.

Ed Cleveland and J. H. Lane spent a few days in Chicago last week.

"Lady Russell," the mammoth short horned cow owned by Mr. H. B. Lauderdale, of Lyons, Ohio, was on exhibition at the farmer's picnic last week and was the center of attraction for dairy and stock people. The animal is five years old; measures 16 feet from tip to tip and weighs 2,500 pounds. She reminds us of a stuffed mastodon we saw in an eastern museum years ago.

J. K. Boies and John Palmer were in town Thursday of last week.

John Schneider, of Toledo, spent last week in the vicinity of Addison, and took in the Farmer's picnic.

Avery Swartout, of Jackson, has been resting up for a few days with his parents in this place.

Grandma VanVleet, of this village, is now in the eighty-fourth year of her age, and is as hale and spry as a girl of sixteen. We are informed that during one year of her early life she made 100 pounds of butter, dried 1,200 weight of apples, spun and knit fifteen pairs of socks and did the chores and her housework, besides attending to the wants of a sick husband. Who beats this record or says that our ladies are being killed by work?

Geo. R. Beach and family, of Hudson, are rusticating at the lakes this week. Mr. B's ad of organs and sewing machines appears in another column. Read it.

We are in receipt of specimen pages of a new book on the life and deeds of General Grant, written by Frank A. Burr, of Philapelphia. The work is concise and readable.

We hereby acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the fourth annual fair of the Brooklyn Fair Association to be held Sept. 8, 9, 10 and 11, together with premium list of the same. The rules and usages are admirably adapted to the purpose designed, and the association is now generally recognized as a permanent institution.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Sunday was rather a dismal day.

More rain is needed to help the ploughing.

Mrs. Louis Priest is very sick at present.

Mr. C. L. Waring is home on a visit for a few days.

Mrs. Hiram Swift, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her brother, Mr. Samuel Rappleye.

Rev. Peter Sharp filled the pulpit Sunday morning, and there was no service in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffith, of Dundee, spent the Sabbath at Mrs. Cheever's.

Miss Eva Willett, of Blissfield, sister of Prof. H. C. Wilson, spent a few days at the home of Mr. W. R. Wilson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Luckin, of Detroit, have been visiting Dr. D. W. Loree and family for the past few days.

It was Miss Jennie Gordeneer instead of Miss Johnnie Gordeneer as appeared in our correspondence of last week, that accompanied Mr. Arthur Kelley and Miss Ida Arner to Adrian week before last. If it was our blunder that the mistake was made, we beg the lady's pardon.

Mr. and Mrs T. H. Montgomery went to New York State last week to attend the funeral of his mother.

For various reasons the Lawn Social that was to come off this week Friday evening, was postponed until sometime next month. Due notice and full particulars will be given in time.

Mrs. F. W. Fox, of Dundee, visited Mrs. Morris Kelly last week.

We are glad to report W. H. Arner on the gain, but slowly.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The usual routine of work, infelicity, idle speculation of the Macawber brand, and a horse-race, have made up the week; but the latter waked more people from chronic lethargy than all the rest combined. During an era of universal inertia, doing something even amiss, breaks monotony, for in spite of preaching, naughty is preferred to nothing by the wicked. Folks skurried round telling everybody that a mile had been trotted in three twenty; and then gathering round the water tank bets on what would be done at the fair bubbled freely, and caused an adjournment. The Fair had apparently been set away to cool weeks ago, but three-twenty brought it into prominence, and now people are sure to have a balloon, or space to locate one. If the tramps now in White's woods could be induced to parade, the Wild West would be cheerfully omitted. They are a hideous clan and troublesome neighbors. Where such types of inhumanity come from none can guess, but Butler, Ind., is a Mecca to which hosts of them pilgrimage. Lake Shore and Wabash trains bring contributions of wandering vagrancy hourly and no offer of employment tempts this class of great unwashed to forego out-castry. They lean against front doors and blockade windows until driven away; crouch among roadside weeds, lurk in wood-sheds or under bridges, but they can't sortie round back doors, for residents wisely dispense with them. Yet these men could earn one dollar and ten cents per day if they would. High wage places are mostly occupied, but section men on the Wabash are in good demand at the above named price, which can be made the basis of a fair amount of independence, and the stepping stone to something better in a few weeks, when increased freight and travel creates a higher labor market. Butler is far larger and less cleanly than Brooklyn, though the Aldrich Hotel is the cleanest public house I ever saw. It has some good buildings, but church bell music is drowned by engine whistle or lost in smoke, and long trains of cars laden with coal, cattle, and all products known to inquisitive people, make visitors imagine its railroads the world's chief paths.

DEVIL'S LAKE DOINGS.

The last number of the Morenci Observer contains the following item about the recent improvements at the lake. "As some of our readers are not familiar with the many new features about Devil's Lake, mention might be made of a few of them, and the most important would be the new hotel lately erected by J. B. Allen, which was opened to the public the 3rd of July. It is a substantial structure 36x80, four stories in height, including a basement, and located on the new M. & O. railway, on the north side of the lake. It is well provided with all the modern conveniences, and contains some twenty sleeping rooms, with dancing hall above. A half mile to the right from the hotel, by wagon road, Mr. Allen has fitted up a picnic grove, and some sixty new row boats have been provided for pleasure seekers. A more desirable spot could not have been found on the lake for seekers after rest and recreation, inasmuch as it is accessible by an accommodating and well-equipped railway. Some substantial business enterprises are being contemplated there, such as the erection of a new grain house, etc., while Toledo parties are about putting up, at the edge of the lake, mammoth ice-houses for the storage of the fine ice which this lake produces. And we must not forget to mention that our friend, Hope Welch, occupies a commodious room in one corner of the hotel, with a choice stock of groceries. He will always be happy to meet any of his numerous acquaintances in this part of the county.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Dora Crum is visiting at Benj. Kelley's.

Byron Begel has gone to Hanover for a little vacation.

Dr. Nelson, of Ridgway, made Dr. Begel a friendly call last Saturday.

W. J. Holdridge and Abbott Smith are repairing the town house. There seems to be a determination on the part of the board to put a stop to people wintering their hogs in there. Well, let the good work go on.

Watermelons are plenty in town, and the Doctor wears a broad smile in anticipation of a little cholera morbus to liven up business.

W. J. Scott is just now the happiest man in town, and it is all about a boy that put in an appearance there Monday morning.

A goodly number went on the excursion last Monday over the M. & O. They report a good time with plenty of seasickness, and yet we are glad to say that they all brought back their false teeth, which was better than some did, as one lady left hers in Lake Erie.

H. E. Wilson and wife have gone to Tennessee on a prospecting tour. They write home that it is a beautiful country and seem very well satisfied with the country in general.

THE CARPET BUG PEST.

The carpet bug is a pest that has appeared in some localities to vex the spirit of the enterprising housewife. The insect is a rapid multiplier, and is very destructive to the carpet, on which he subsists till it is literally ruined. His taste, too, is decidedly æsthetic with a positive preference for brussels and ingrain, particularly the latter. Turn up the edge of the carpet in a neighborhood infested by him and you will find him there together with his wife, his children and his mother-in-law. Uncovered from their concealment, the whole family scamper toward the wall, whither, if permitted, they secret themselves in the cracks, and laugh at the hired girl who essays to crack them with a hammer. If perchance a tardy member of the tribe fails to escape the blow of retribution, he is so well nigh intangible as to leave no remains—not even a grease spot to mark the point where he perished. The carpet bug is not easily extinguished by the usual methods applied to the extermination of similar pests. His constitution resists moth preparations, and he laugheth at helebore and skipeth gaily about his business. Tear up the carpet and he will attack the clothing on the wall, or in the closet or drawer. In the most secret recesses, behold he is there, pursuing his work of destruction. He glides backward or forward with equal ease and agility. The only way in which to cope with the carpet bug, is to lay bare his secret resorts and "go for him, with hammer and tongs," particularly the hammer. Otherwise he will destroy any fabric in the room. Seen under the microscope, the carpet bug is a formidable looking monster. His normal full-grown bulk is about half that of the common house-fly, but he can do business at any age of his life. The magnifier reveals him to be as ugly a looking nondescript as was ever seen in a menagerie, his hog-shaped body bristling with a growth of black, stiff hair, which under the glass stands out like the quills of a porcupine in war panoply. But he is terrible in appearance only under the microscope, his formidability consisting solely in his capacity to destroy carpets. In some parts of Michigan this household pest has compelled the taking up of carpets altogether.—Exchange.

—Adam's Hotel at Sand Lake—Roomy, Cool, Comfortable. A good table and courteous attention. Reduced rates. Guests entertained at the low price of ONE DOLLAR PER DAY. Good boats and fishing facilities. Your patronage will be appreciated. Hotel recently enlarged.

CHARLEY ADAM.

ANOTHER WORD FROM WIGGINS.

Wiggins, the Canadian weather prophet, sends the following contribution to the Detroit Free Press, which that journal prints in its issue of Sunday last:

In a recent issue of your journal you say I have predicted that next winter will be unusually mild. This is news to me. With the great planets, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune, all so near their perihelion, a mild winter for 1886 is an absolute impossibility. In fact the extremely cold weather now prevailing in the southern hemisphere teaches a lesson of an opposite signification. Unusual proximity of the neighboring planets to our earth invariably means cold. When our moon is in perigee, and especially at the time of her conjunction, the temperature falls, and this is increased when our second satellite has a similar relative position. The old theory that the nearer a planet is to the sun the hotter it is is absurd. The opposite is the fact—the colder it is! All planets must increase in size and attractive power, either by meteors falling to their surface or by the increase in the number of their satellites, which must mean that they are gradually receding from the sun. Our earth is much further from the solar orb now than she was at the glacial age, or when our visible satellite first appeared in the Silurian eras, and Saturn is much more distant than when he carried but a single moon in his then smaller race-course around the sun. Then as the four great planets just mentioned are so near to us their attraction forces our satellites nearer our primary, thus increasing the attraction on our earth's surface, and as a result densifying our atmosphere. It was for this reason I predicted in the New York Insurance Times three years ago that the winters and summers of 1884 and 1885 would be remarkable for their coldness, for the depth of snow in winter and the rainfall in summer, and how exactly this prediction has been fulfilled! As the same conditions will, to a certain degree exist, it is impossible that the winter of 1886 can be otherwise than cold and stormy. This unusual atmospheric density is the primary cause of the cholera in Europe; for those noxious gases, consisting of the poisonous compounds of carbon, are more quickly generated, and rise to a higher atmospheric level than usual, especially in low countries and in cities badly drained and ventilated.

I have made no predictions as to storms or temperature excepting the following storms, which I published in the New York Herald on May 10, 1884, viz: September 26 and 30, 1885; March 26—29, 1888, and September 12, 1887. The last named will be the greatest storm at Halifax, Quebec and Boston that will occur for the remainder of the century. It is the great storm of October, 1869, known as the Saxby storm, which was attended by a tidal wave, and committed such sad havoc on the eastern coast of North America. On the 17th and 18th perfect calm will prevail over the greater part of the continent, the air-current at Halifax, what little there may be, moving from the west. At 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the 19th (September, 1887), it will suddenly shift from the southeast. No one unless told would imagine that this quiet shifting of the flag on the mast, and the smoke from the chimney top indicates the beginning of a storm, which, in four hours, will become one of the greatest storms of the century, and one that will be spoken of by other generations. The New York Maritime Register stated in 1881 that my prediction of the storm of September 14, of that year—the one in which the Asia was lost on Lake Huron with a hundred souls on board—saved $8,000,000 worth of United States shipping; but this will be a heavier one, and much more dangerous, on account of its Atlantic tidal wave.

E. STONE WIGGINS.

OTTAWA, Ont., August, 1885.

The Quiver for September.

The appearance of the magazines that make their rounds as regularly as the seasons roll, remind us of the flight of time more forcibly than does the almanac. Here, for instance, is the Quiver for September, which reminds us that the Fall months are close upon us. The frontispiece of this number gives us a young girl coming through a long field which she has "cut across" to meet the postman, who has brought her a long expected and evidently satisfactory letter. "Side Paths and Quiet Retreats" is the title of the first article, which carries us along through beautiful country lanes, and inspires us with the wildest desire for a day's tramping. For week day reading there is an unusual amount of fiction, the continuation of the interesting serials, besides a number of shorter serials and poetry. There are plenty of illustrations, and take it for all in all, the number is exceptionally attractive. Cassell & Company, New York, $1.50 a year.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 27, 1885.

"PAST MERIDIAN."

"Past noonday! Oh how sweetly
Fall those words upon my ear,
When the continued shade from God me
My redemption draweth near.
Yet my soul hath in it a weary,
Long half wearied with every care;
And the hour I have longed for like a burden
Bears on me with weight of care.

What to me the mythic spectre,
Death ever stalks behind
Thrice a passer-by has beckoned
And spared as he hurried on.
Past noonday! Yes, the sunbeams
Lingering through the chamber
But my shadow falls behind me
With a lengthened shade of care.

Even seasons have to pass away
Morning, noon, and then the eventide.
Give a rest to every [illegible]
In the afternoon [illegible]
Past noonday! Yet a little while
Patient, I bind my sheaves
With the gold and silver tissue
Which the loom of wisdom weaves.

To my treasure-house I bear them,
Daily adding to my store,
And when death's angel strength shall fail me
I will sit and count them over,
Calmly waiting for the summons:
"Come thou weary pilgrim, come,
All thy toils on earth are ended,
Bring thy gathered harvest home."

—Mrs. E. S. Kellogg, in Chicago Advance.

MY VEILED CLIENT.

How I Escaped Complicity in an Audacious Imposture.

At the time of the incident I am about to relate, I was a young solicitor, with no very considerable practice, and therefore not always so discreet as I might have been had I been able to pick and choose my clients. My business hours were ostensibly from ten to five, but the fact of my house adjoining the office made me subservient to the wishes of the public beyond the time stated on the brass plate at my office door. In fact, it was generally after business hours that my most profitable clients came; and though I say I refused many a time the agency of some shady business, still I must confess with regret that once or twice I found myself unwittingly involved in transaction which I would have much rather left alone. One of these I have occasion to remember too well, and I can never think of it but I thank Providence for saving me from becoming an accomplice unwittingly in a most audacious piece of imposture.

I was interrupted one night at tea by the servant entering and saying that a lady wished to see me. Hastily finishing the meal, I hurried into my business room. As I entered and bowed, a lady rose, made a slight courtesy and remained standing. I begged her to be seated, and asked of what service I could be to her. It was a little time before she answered, and then it was in a nervous, frightened way, glancing round the room as if she were afraid somebody else was present. I saw that, although she was dressed in good style, she had not the air of a lady; but, as she wore a thick veil, I could not distinguish her features, though I made out a gray hair here and there.

"I suppose I had better explain who I am and what I want," she began. "I am a Miss Howard, of Graham square, and I want you to make out my will."

I started involuntarily, for this elderly person, though I had never seen her before, had been the subject of many a surmise and many a gossip with the neighbors. She was reported to be very wealthy; but had apparently abandoned the world, for, during the last five years she had shut herself up in her house, seeing no one but her servants. My curiosity was therefore piqued at the idea of making out this old eccentric's will. Taking up a pen, I asked her to give me the particulars of how she wished the property disposed of.

"That is very simple," she said. "I wish my whole property to go to Mr. David Simpson, of Stafford street here. I have never been married, and I want the will framed so as to cut off any heir who might claim relationship to me. I also wish you to act as my executor in seeing my will carried into effect."

I made a note of the instructions, and asked when it would be convenient for her to call and sign the deed.

"If you could have it written out by to-morrow night, I could call then and sign it. I would like if you could arrange to have a doctor present to be a witness to my signing—a young doctor, if possible."

"Certainly, madam. To-morrow night at this time will suit, and I will arrange about a doctor being present. Is there anything else you wish mentioned in the will?"

"No; nothing," she said, rising. "But be sure you make it so as to cut off all relations."

I assured her everything would be as she desired; and after assisting her into the cab which was waiting, noticing the while that she had a slight limp in her walk, I retired to my study to frame the will in accordance with her instructions. Next night, punctual to a minute, she called; and as I had a doctor present, the ceremony of signing was soon over, the doctor signing as a witness along with my clerk, and appending a certificate of sanity, as desired by my client; and the deed was consigned to my safe.

The affair had almost completely passed from my mind, when I was startled one morning by receiving a note from Mr. Simpson, the legatee in the will, informing me that Miss Howard was dead. I immediately proceeded to the house, performed the usual duties devolving upon a solicitor in such circumstances, and made what arrangements were necessary. After the funeral I had a meeting with Mr. Simpson, and explained to him the position of affairs—that he was sole legatee, and that I was executor. He seemed to take the matter very coolly, I thought, but was anxious that everything should be realized as soon as possible. Our interview was very short, and I came away with a strong feeling of dislike for the man, which I found had acted as a sort of foil for the deceased lady.

Being within the duties of my executorship, and also with a desire to find out if possible the relations the old lady had been so anxious to cut off, I inserted a notice of her death in most of the leading newspapers in the kingdom. This had the desired effect; for, in the course of a few days I was waited upon by a young gentleman, Edward Howard, who informed me he was a nephew of the late Miss Howard, and had called upon me, having got my name and address from the office of one of the newspapers to which I had sent the advertisement. During my interview with Mr. Howard, I was much impressed with his bearing, on my telling him the position of affairs, as he was much more concerned at his aunt's death than at the purpose of her will. He told me that five years ago he had married against his aunt's wishes; she had refused to recognize his wife, and though he had written her several letters, he had never heard from her in reply. He thanked me for my information, and said he would likely see me again, as he was coming into town to a situation he had just been offered.

Some weeks after this, as I was returning home in the evening from a consultation, my attention was arrested by the figure of a woman in front of me. She was hurrying along as if trying to escape observation; but there was something in her style and the limp which she had that struck me as familiar, though I could not remember where I had seen her. Just as she was passing a lighted part of the street, she happened to look around, and the face I saw at once explained to me the familiarity of her figure—both face and figure being an exact counterpart of my late client's, Miss Howard! Somehow or other, a suspicion flashed across my mind; my instinct told me something was wrong, and I determined to follow her and see where she went to. Pushing my hat well over my brow and pulling the collar of my coat well up, I followed through two or three streets, and was almost at her heels when she suddenly turned into a public-house, when, so close had I followed her, I heard the attendant say, in answer to an inquiry by her: "Number thirteen, ma'am;" and I saw her disappear into the back premises. I immediately followed, heard the door of number thirteen shut, and glancing at the numbers, quietly opened number twelve, and after giving an order for some slight refreshment to the attendant who had followed me, I took a hasty look around the room.

I found it was divided from the next one only by a wooden partition, which did not reach the ceiling, and that, by remaining perfectly quiet, I could hear that a whispered conversation was being carried on in the next room. The entrance of the attendant with my order disturbed my investigation; but on his departure, and regardless of the old saying that listeners seldom hear anything to their own advantage, I did my best to make out the conversation. I distinguished the voices to be those of two men and one woman. The latter I at once recognized, or at least my imagination led me to believe it to be the voice of the person who had called on me a year ago to make her will. The voice of one of the men was strange to me, but after the discovery I had already made, I was not greatly astonished at recognizing the voice of the other man to be that of Simpson, the legatee in the will. The whole thing flashed upon me at once, and I saw I had been made the innocent machinery for carrying through a clever and daring piece of imposture. I, however, listened attentively to the conversation, in order to fathom the whole affair.

The first sentence I made out came from the stranger: "I told you young Sinclair was the very man to do the work for you. These young lawyers never ask any questions as long as they get the business."

"Well, well," said Simpson, "that is all right now. But the present question is, what is to be done in the way of hurrying him up with the realization of the estate without exciting suspicion? The sooner we all get away from this the better. I am glad that young fellow Howard didn't ask any questions. But one thing's certain, we must get the old woman away from this immediately or she's sure to get recognized. She's been keeping pretty close lately, but I dare say she's getting tired of it. Aren't you, old lady?"

"Indeed," was the reply, "I would be glad to get away from this place to-morrow, if I could. I'm sure I only wish you could have been content with half of the estate with Mr. Edward, instead of burning the will, when you found it was to be divided between you and him, and getting me to do what I did. I'm sure it's a wonder my mistress doesn't rise from her grave to denounce us all."

"Keep that cant for another occasion, old woman; it's no use getting religious now. But I'll tell you what—I've got an idea."

Here the conversation got so low that I could not catch more than an occasional word, and what that idea was I never found out, as he never got the chance to try it on me, for I had heard enough to know that next door to me were three of the most daring conspirators I had ever come across, who had duped me, and made me, though unwittingly, the chief actor in the conspiracy. My first idea was to lock the door of the room they were in and go for help; but as that was likely to cause a disturbance, I determined to slip out and trust to being back in time for their arrest. As luck would have it, nearly the first man I met outside was a detective, whom I had known very well in connection with some criminal trials in which I had been engaged. A few words explained my purpose; and signaling to the nearest policeman he placed him at the door of the shop and both of us walked in. He nodded familiarly to the bar-tender and, leaning over the counter, whispered in his ear. The shopman started and gave vent to a long, low whistle.

"You'll do it as quietly as you can, for the credit of the house," said he.

"Of course," said the detective. "Show us in."

In another minute we were inside the room, with our backs to the door, the detective dangling a pair of steel bracelets and nodding smilingly round the room. The woman fainted. We had no difficulty in securing the men; and in half an hour we had them safely housed in jail.

Before their trial came on, we had worked out the whole story. The woman who had called on me and signed the will was Mrs. Simpson, Miss Howard's housekeeper, the mother of Simpson in whose favor the will was made; and the other man was a lawyer's clerk who had suggested to them the feasibility of such a scheme. The fact of Miss Howard's self-confinement and my own imprudence had nearly made the plot a success, but for my accidental recognition of the housekeeper. Each of the prisoners offered to turn Queen's evidence; but, as we had no difficulty in proving the case, this was refused, and they were sentenced to various periods of penal servitude. I had then the pleasure of handing over the estate to the rightful heir, young Edward Howard, who, notwithstanding that I had nearly been the means of depriving him of his inheritance, made me his agent.

The estate turned out to be much larger than I had at first thought, as I succeeded in proving that a large number of investments in Simpson's name really belonged to Miss Howard, and the management of so large a property fairly put me on my feet as regards business. I have had many good clients since then, but I have often thought that my Veiled Client was my best one, as she was the means of giving me my first lesson in prudence, and my first start in life.—*Chambers' Journal.*

A CLIMBING CRAB.

One of the Curiosities of the Island of Sumatra.

Another curiosity of these regions is a climbing crab, which is one of the largest of its species, nocturnal in its habits, and not nearly so often seen as the others.

It makes in the ground deep tunnels, larger than rabbit-burrows and lined with cocoanut fibers. It has a habit of climbing the cocoanut palms, but whether to take the air or for temporary lodging is doubtful. It does not rob the trees, however, as is charged against it, since it feeds only on fruits that have fallen. One of its pincer-claws is developed into an organ of extraordinary power, capable, when the creature is enraged, of breaking a man's limb. The inner edges of the claw are armed with a series of white enameled denticulations, whose resemblance to teeth is singularly close, even to the irregular scarlet line below them which might pass for gums. It feeds on the nuts almost exclusively, using its great claw to denude the nut of the husk surrounding it and to get at the eye of the nut, which it has learned is the only easy gateway to the interior. Of the three eye spots at the end of a cocoanut only one permits an easy entrance. The crab does not waste its energies in denuding the whole nut, and it never denudes the wrong end. Having pierced the proper eye with one of its walking legs, it rotates the nut till the orifice is large enough to permit the insertion of its great claw to break up the shell and triturate its contents, whose particles it then carries to its mouth by means of its other and smaller foot. From this nutritious diet it accumulates beneath its tail a store of fat, which dissolves by heat into a rich yellow oil, of which a large specimen will often yield as much as two pints. Thickened in the sun it forms an excellent substitute for butter in all its uses.—*Henry Forbes' New Book.*

—A monument is to be erected in Paris to the inventor of soda-water. We suppose it will bear a representation of the inventor's phiz.—*Boston Post.*

BALKY HORSES.

A Cure Not Usually Effected by Whipping and Cruelty.

Balking is not natural to horses, indeed they know nothing about it until they are brought into it by improper management, and when a horse balks it is generally from mismanagement, excitement, confusion, or from not knowing how to pull, but seldom from any unwillingness to perform his duty.

High spirited, free going horses are the most subject to balking, and only so because drivers do not properly understand how to manage. This kind of free horse in a team may be so anxious to go that when he hears the word he will start with a jump, which will not start the load, but give him such a severe jerk in the shoulders that he will fly back and stop the other horse. The teamster will continue his driving without cessation, and by the time he has the slow horse started again, he will find that the free horse has made another lunge and again gone back, and now he has them both badly balked, and so confused that neither of them knows what is the matter, or how to start the load.

Next will come the slashing and cracking of the driver's whip, till something is broken, or he is through with this course of treatment. It takes a steady pressure against the collar to move a load, and you cannot expect him to act with a steady determined purpose while you are whipping him.

Almost any team, when first balked, will start kindly if you let them stand five or ten minutes as though there was nothing the matter, and then speak kindly to them and turn them a little to the right or left, so as to get them both in motion before they feel the pinch of the load. But if you want to start a team that you are not driving yourself, that has been balked, fooled and whipped for some time, go to them and hang the lines on their hames, or fasten them to the wagon so that they will be perfectly loose; make driver and spectators stand off some distance, so as not to attract the attention of the horses, and unloose the check reins so that they can get their heads down if they choose; let them stand a few minutes in this condition till you can see they are a little composed.

When you have them ready to start, stand before them, and as you seldom have but one balky horse in a team, get as near in front of him as you can, and if he is too fast for the other horse, let his nose come against your breast; this will keep him steady, for he will go slow rather than run on you. Turn them gently to the right without letting them pull on their traces, as far as the tongue will let them go, stop them with a kind word, gentle them a little and turn back to the left by the same process; as you turn them again to the right, steady them in the collar, and you can take them where you please.

If you want to break a horse that has long been in the habit of balking, you ought to set apart a half day for it. Put him by the side of a steady horse, have check lines on them, tie up all the traces and straps, so that there will be nothing to excite them. Do not rein them up, but let them have their heads loose, walk them about as slow as possible, stop often and go to your balky horse and gentle him; do not take any whip about him, or do any thing to excite him, but keep him just as quiet as you can; he will soon start off at the word, and stop whenever you tell him.

As soon as he performs right, hitch him to an empty wagon and have it stand in a favorable place for starting. It would be well to shorten the stay-chain behind the steady horse, so that if it is necessary he can take the weight of the wagon. The first time you start them do not drive more than two rods at first; watch your balky horse closely, and if you see he is getting a little excited stop him before he stops of his own accord, caress him a little and start again, drive them over a small hill a few times, and then over a larger one, all the while adding a light load. This process will make any horse pull true.—*Cleveland Leader.*

EASTERN BEGGARS.

Mendicancy as Practiced in Northern Persia.

Here in rich and happy America we know knothing of begging as it is practiced in less favored lands. To know this disagreeable experience in all its fulness, we must cross the ocean and travel in Ireland, Spain, Italy, but more especially Asia; then we shall be less inclined to complain at our few home-made mendicants.

Here is a description of what a recent traveler was forced to encounter from professional beggars in Northern Persia:

"On leaving my caravanserai," he says, "I thought I was rid of the mendicants and dervishes who had beset me, but I soon discovered my mistake. Taking short cuts across the field, they had posted themselves at different points of vantage along the narrow path, from which they had not only recommenced their importunities, but almost made use of physical force to arrest my horse. There were dervishes with beards stained of a fiery-red color, and wearing queer conical hats, who, if they did not regularly belong to the howling sect of Constantinople, most decidedly showed themselves qualified for admission to it by the fashion in which they yelled, screamed and groaned, exhorting me in the name of the blessed Ali and the Imans Hassan and Hosseih, not forgetting Hazret Abass and many other holy people, to give them charity. Then there were the old, the blind and the lame—men, women and children—hanging on to my stirrup and seizing my bridle. Some were horribly deformed, and it seemed marvelous that they should have undergone such apparently frightful disasters as were necessary to reduce them to their ther present mutilated condition, and yet continue to exist. They seemed to consider that in my supposed quality of hadji on my way to Meshed I must be bursting with the desire to distribute all my worldly property to the first comers who might think fit to ask me for it."—*Youth's Companion.*

—The height of the tallest mountain in the world is a little less than six miles.—*Chicago Herald.*

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AN EYE FOR COLOR.

The Colored Man Who Had a Notion to the Artistic Fitness of Things.

Dan. W——, one of our best known and most fashionable scions of Afric's sunburnt race, entered Hill's livery stable, at the Seven Corners, on Monday evening. Some half dozen loungers were laddi g down the available chairs in the office, thinking about nothing, and occasionally giving vent to the results of their cogitations by word of mouth.

"Mistah Hill," said Dan, "I'se always been a good customah of dis heah stable, haint I? Got all my rigs to de las' two yeahs, I b'leve."

"Certainly, Dan," returned Mr. Hill graciously.

"Well, now, I tell you what I done want, Mistah Hill. I'se gwine ridin' wif my gal dis evenin' an' I want jes' abouts de toniest rig you'se got in de shop."

"All right, Dan," said Hill, "your desires shall be fulfilled to the letter. Sam, bring out the white mare and put a gold-plated harness on her. Bill, run out that red-geared side-bar rig there and see that there isn't a speck of dust about it. Now, you Tom, you get that yellow lap-robe with the brown dog's head on it, and that nice ivory-handled whip of mine. You bet, Dan, we'll send you out in such shape that your friends on the Gold Coast wouldn't know you."

The spectators sat silently watching the preparations, while Dan stood polishing his shiny silk hat, now and then casting an anxious eye at Hill. Finally everything was ready, and with a hearty slap on Dan's back, Hill said: "There, old boy, just climb into that, and you can bet your life that there won't be another colored girl in St. Paul that will go driving in any such style this week."

"Well, jes' hol' on a minnit, Mistah Hill," said Dan, rather dubiously, "I'se 'fraid dat won't sexsely do fo' dis chicken."

"Well, here's gratitude for you, I must say," returned Hill. "Here I swell you out with a rig that half of my white customers couldn't get, and you've got the gall to say it won't do. What do you mean by such talk, anyway?"

"Now, jes' wait a secon', Mistah Hill, till I spla'ns dis ting; p'raps I'se mistaken, ah' may be it's all right; but jes' tell me now, hones', ain't that mare white?"

"Why, of course she's white."

"An' ain't dat buggy red?"

"Certainly it's red."

"An' dat 'ere lap-robe, it's kinder yaller, ain't it?"

"Looks a little that way, I'll admit," said Hill.

"Yes; an' de dog on de lap-robe he looks pretty brown, don't he, Mistah Hill, an' de whip's jes' a little green, ain't it, Mistah Hill?"

"Why, of course; what of it?"

"Well, it's jes' dis way, Mistah Hill, you see, I'se purty consid'ble black myself, an' my gal—well, she's what you might call a beautiful rich molasses color; an' I'se 'fraid, Mistah Hill, dat a red buggy, wif a yaller robe wif a brown dog on it, wif a green whip, all hitched to a white hoss, wouldn't exackly ha'monize wif a black niggah an' a mola-sses-kulled gal, Mistah Hill, an' so if you kin jes' kin'ly gimme de ole bay horse an' de black buggy, I specs it would mo' kinder ha'monize wif my ecstatic taste, Mistah Hill."

Mr. Hill admitted his mistake, and the gentleman was provided with what he wished, and drove off amidst the applause of the spectators. Hill has determined to take up the study of color as applied to out-door decoration before proceeding any further with the livery business.—*St. Paul Herald.*

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.

Their Influence on Diet in Old Age and During the Period of Inactivity.

Another agent in the combination to maintain for the man of advancing age his career of flesh eater is the dentist. Nothing is more common at this period of life than to hear complaints of indigestion experienced, so it is affirmed, because mastication is imperfectly performed for want of teeth. The dentist deftly repairs the defective implements, and the important function of chewing the food can be henceforth performed with comfort. But without any intention to justify a doctrine of final causes, I would point out the significant fact that the disappearance of the masticating powers is mostly coincident with the period of life when that species of food which most requires their action—viz., solid animal fiber—is little, if at all required by the individual. It is during the latter third of his career that the softer and lighter foods, such as well-cooked cereals, some light mixed animal and vegetable soups, and also fish, for which teeth are barely necessary, are particularly valuable and appropriate. And the man with imperfect teeth who conforms to Nature's demand for a mild, non-stimulating dietary in advanced years will mostly be blessed with a better digestion and sounder health than the man who, thanks to his artificial machinery, can eat and does eat as much flesh in quantity and variety as he did in the days of his youth. Far be it from me to undervalue the truly artistic achievements of a clever and experienced dental surgeon, or the comfort which he affords. By all means let us have recourse to his aid when our natural teeth fail, for the purpose of vocal articulation, to say nothing of their relation to personal appearance; on such grounds the artificial substitutes rank among the necessaries of life in a civilized community. Only let it be understood that the chief end of teeth, so far as mastication is concerned, has in advancing age been to a great extent accomplished, and that they are now mainly useful for the purposes just named. But I can not help adding that there are some grounds for the belief that those who have throughout life from their earliest years consumed little or no flesh, but have lived on a diet chiefly or wholly vegetarian, will be found to have preserved their teeth longer than those who have always made flesh a prominent part of their daily food.—*Sir Henry Thompson, in Popular Science Monthly.*

THE AVERAGE GIRL.

A Philosophical Dissertation Upon an Interesting Topic.

It is now confessed that cause affect all things, and that a sparrow lives under the laws of the universe just as truly as that Dante or Webster is the expression of his period. The girl of today is therefore a new form of human nature because new influences can not but bring about new shapes of character. The girl who is enjoying to the full the liberty of education and best form of American social and home life is really an object to be admired. Her vivacity, her industry, her wit, her taste, her kindness are, such as to compel the notice and admiration of an anchorite. The liberty and equality which are the cardinal ideas of the country have helped the modern girl away from servitude just as truly as they have helped the slaves to escape the old yoke which they and their fathers had worn for centuries. The daughter of fifteen can converse with her father and mother and mature friends. Fear has departed without taking away modesty and without bringing in a reign of egotism and disrespect. Terrorism was always a blemish in society, whether it existed between man and servant, husband and wife, or parent and child. Force is the law of brutes, and hence terrorism belonged to the brute kingdom and came into man's world in times when the wall was not high between the animal and the human.

The educated girl of to-day overflows with affection toward her parents. Sharp words, fearful recrimands, are unusual. The child so fully desires to do what the parent wishes should be done that the home-life is a constant flow of companionship and affection rather than the eternal reign of authority.

The girl of to-day, with rare exceptions, is industrious and with a breadth of invention and execution. The ironical and often mean essays on the woman of the present picture her as good for little except for accompanying a Saratoga trunk on its wanderings in summer and for filling fashionable engagements in winter. Much of this sarcasm is deserved by the few, but when the millions of girls are thought of as they are ornamenting their mothers' homes in the villages and cities, the honest heart can not but confess that the word "girl" never meant more than it means to-day. This being when found in her best estate can go gracefully from her silk dress and piano to a plain garb and to work among plants or to the kitchen, or to a mission school class. Nothing any longer is beyond her. In the city she can easily walk three miles. Languor has ceased to be fashionable; sleep in the daytime not to be endured. The soul is thought to be action, not repose.

All can contradict these words of praise; because all who think a moment can find exceptions in girls who are always just dead with a headache, or as averse a mummy to any kind of conversation or activity; girls who are pleased with nothing and nobody. These exceptions are so disagreeable that they seem to mar the whole world and make the beautiful characters invisible. In matters of this kind one can only offer opinions. One dare not assert with confidence. At a popular summer resort where quite a number of these sixteen-year mortals were met and observed daily, it appeared in evidence and in common fame that to be full of obedience toward parents, of kindness toward all persons and things, to be industrious, to be full of inquiry and rational talk, was not the exception, but the average of condition.

Why should a few girls of marked vanity and of giggling tendencies cast into reproach that multitude whose hearts are as innocent as the June flowers and June birds? Much of the ruin in character comes in the later years of woman when the impudence of late dancing, late suppers and the mental anxiety and perhaps sorrows which come from the vain efforts of the heart to create a paradise of pleasure away from duty, make the cheeks fade early and the eye lose its luster in the morning like a sun that goes behind clouds before noon. As for noble girls of sixteen, the Western Continent is full of them. They are in the cities, in the villages, in the farm-houses. We meet them on all streets, along all paths, in the lonely and lovely country. They are ready for all duty and happiness, and constitute to all us older and fading hearts the most beautiful and divine scene on earth.—*David Swing, in Current.*

THE PROFESSION.

A Woman Who Was Guilty of Unprofessional Conduct.

In driving out into the country on the Grand River Road a few days ago, a Detroit lawyer encountered a horse and buggy driven by a woman. As she was driving on the wrong side of the road he made up his mind not to give up his rights. As a consequence the two horses finally came to a standstill with their noses rubbing each other. The lawyer stared at the woman, and the woman stared back. Then he pulled a newspaper from his pocket and began reading. In a minute she had her knitting out and was industriously at work. Ten long minutes in a broiling sun passed away, and the lawyer looked up and asked:

"How long are you going to stay here?"

"How long are you?"

"All day."

"And I'll stay here a whole week."

He read and she knit for another ten minutes, and then the lawyer called out:

"Do you know that I'm a lawyer?"

"I don't care for that," she replied; "I'm the wife of a Justice of the Peace."

"Oh—ah—excuse me, madam. Really, but if I'd known you belonged to the purfesh this would not have happened. Take this side, madam—take the whole road!"

"Oh, no, no, no! I'm sorry I detained you. Here—drive on, and excuse me if I have been guilty of unprofessional conduct."—*Detroit Free Press.*

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The crowd at the Farmers' picnic last Thursday was so great that it was almost impossible to see anyone.

New York's million cedar monument is forging ahead. Nothing is needed now to make it an assured success, except the money.

The Chicago Herald claims that weather prophet Wiggins has gone into the coal business. He predicts a winter that will bury last year's record of 1 under ten feet of snow.

Scratch a Democrat, who is making wry faces at President Cleveland, and in nine cases out of ten you will find a man who has tried to get an office he was incompetent to fill, and got left.

After a lengthy struggle for the site of the Soldiers' Home, Grand Rapids has finally carried off the prize. The competition has been very lively, but the decision will be generally acquiesced in as a wise one.

The Ohio man is happy again. A third ticket is now in the field, and politics will wax red hot from now until election day. The average Ohio man is never wholly happy except when rooting in political turmoil.

The small-pox is spreading in Montreal, but it will not attack any American bank defaulter. Their skin is too thick. And in this connection it may be well to admonish the local health authorities of all Michigan towns to prepare themselves for a visitation of the scourge.

The Detroit Free Press of Monday is authority for the statement that important changes are imminent in the editorial staff of the Post, and that Tom S. Applegate, of Adrian, may be summoned to the helm. The stockholders of the Post could certainly go farther and fare much worse.

The outgoing tide of defaulting bank cashiers to Canada has ceased. Last week a Montreal cashier with a grip-sack full of money turned up in New York. The contraction of the currency having stopped, the balance of trade having set in our favor, we can now look for a revival of business prosperity.

Wiggins has been heard from at last. He was elected President of the Devils Lake Farmers' Association last week. This Wiggins is the efficient representative from the second district of Lenawee County, who lives in the town of Adrian. At the risk of being over inquisitive, we would respectfully enquire whether the Hon. W. H. Wiggins is related to the weather prophet?

The hot weather in Washington has been a practical blessing to some poor people. So great was the heat that asphalt pavements melted, and when sparrows, robins, blackbirds and swallows alighted in the streets they stuck fast and after remaining there an hour or so were nicely broiled. In this way the bum officeseekers who didn't believe Cleveland meant what he said before election and rushed down to Washington last spring have been able to get something like a square meal once in a while.—Chicago Herald.

Ex-State Oil Inspector Smith is in trouble. He has lost his knife. His common, every-day, ever faithful jack-knife—the companion of all his solitary joys and the partner of his skating rink frolics, the solace of his lonely hours, and the sharer of his bologna and sandwiches. And the knife is not exactly lost either, but just gone before. "It has been pawned, soaked, 'put up' by some galoot," Smith says, "at Earl Strong's tobacco store, for two cigars of great value, to-wit, ten cents."—Adrian Times.

We deeply sympathize with Bro. Smith over his loss. That jack-knife was his constant companion on the press excursion. It picked the bones out of his Macinaw trout at Traverse City, pared his oranges and bananas at Charlevoix, scared the darkey waiters into submission and obedience at the Arlington, whittled relics from the sail boat on Little Traverse Bay, dug pebbles out of the beach at Petoskey, and beheaded the fleas that disturbed his slumbers on the City of Traverse. The wretch who purloined that knife should feel the full rigor of the law. He should be arrested, tried and convicted, quartered and cored, and sent to the girls industrial school with the utmost dispatch.

THE FARMERS' ANNUAL PICNIC.

An Immense Crowd at Devils Lake Thursday to Celebrate the Event—An Interesting Program—Election of Officers.

If the farmers of Lenawee and Hillsdale counties had searched the almanacs for months they could not have set a better day for their picnic than yesterday. The weather was warm with a cool refreshing breeze which made traveling delightful and as early as five o'clock in the morning, conveyances of every conceivable size and shape were seen on the road wending their way towards Beardsley's Landing, Devils Lake, which the M. & O. had taxed to carry hundreds on their excursion trains. The young man from the country with his lou, linen duster and best girl was there, as well as the venerable pioneer and family. As one drives in from the highway down the lane that leads to the grounds the first thing that attracts his attention is the large number of horses hitched around the adjacent fields resembling, as an old soldier remarked, "an encampment of an army," and as he enters the grove he comes across the ever present "toy balloon man," the "lifting machine," striking machine, "lemo" stands, and all those side show attractions that are to be found at large gatherings of every kind. About one mile of tables were spread in the grove for the accommodation of the picnickers and an army of farmers and their wives and children sat down to partake of the good things thereon. The lake was covered with row and sail boats, while the "City of Hudson" and "Little Devil" were busy all day transferring crowds back and forth from the M. & O. depot. It is estimated that between nine and ten thousand people were on the ground during the day, and about 1600 teams passed through the gate to the grove. Two bands of music, the North Adams and Wheatland, were present to enliven the occasion with some excellent music and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest extent.

About half past one o'clock the exercises of the day were begun by the President of the association calling the multitude of people that were gathered around the stand, to order, to listen to a selection from the glee club, of Hudson, which was admirably executed, followed by a prayer by Rev. J. H. McLane, of Hudson. The secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting, showing that the receipts of last year amounted to $374.48 and the expenses were $232.30, leaving a balance on hand of $142.18, which minutes were approved and adopted. Resolutions were read on the death of I. E. Phelps, of Medina, and adopted.

The president then welcomed the people present in a few words, congratulating the farmers on the success of their meetings and the amount of progress made in the last fifteen years in agricultural pursuits, and the great improvements in the implements used. Then followed singing by the glee club. Hon. N. B. Eldridge was next on the program for an address, but not being present, the address of Rev. J. H. McLane, of Hudson, further down on the program, was substituted. Mr. McLane spoke principaly on the subject of hired help on the farm, claiming that if the farmer expected to get a big day's work from a man they must feed him so he can do it.

The glee club then favored the audience with another selection, which was the last one they could sing as the organ was only rented for an hour and had to be carried back at that time. Miss Florence Hawley rendered that favorite old piece, "Barbara Fritchie" in an eloquent and entertaining manner, the North Adams band played a selection and then an address by V. H. Lane, Esq. was listened to. L. H. Salsbury, Esq., of Adrian was next on the program for a speech but was not present, neither was J. H. Tolford with his song, nor Miss Bell Carson with a recitation, and Prof. Spross, of Lansing being present, kindly consented to fill the gap by playing two cornet solos, which were finely executed.

The meeting then proceeded to nominate and elect officers for the following year, which resulted as follows:

Pres.—W. H. Wiggins, Adrian.
Vice Pres.—Perry Knapp.
Sec.—A. H. Crane, Pittsford.
Treas.—L. N. Chase, Rollin.

The following directors were also elected:

Jefferson.—Chas. Klingersmith.
Adams.—Wm. Wright.
Moscow.—J. J. Ramsdell
Hudson.—Stephen Comstock.
Wheatland.—S. H. Oaks.
Somerset.—H. F. Smith.
Medina.—H. J. Wirts.
Rollin.—S. C. Lombard.
Woodstock.—N. Osborn.
Cambridge.—C. A. Blackmar.
Rome.—H. H. Ferguson.
Dover.—Brackley Shaw
Seneca.—Arthur Manchester.
Adrian.—J. E. Baker.
Wright.—Thomas Acker.
Ransom.—John Burton.
Pittsford.—J. B. Patterson.

The meeting then closed with music by the band.

At five o'clock the farmers began to gather their families together and start for home, and the excursion train on the M. & O. took away hundreds of visitors. The other hotels about the lake were all crowded with guests during the day. Dancing, music and mirth were kept up until a late hour in the evening. It was conceeded on all hands to have been the "biggest day" in the annals of Devil's Lake.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Bronson is to have a new hardware, clothing and variety stores and another bank.

Litchfield has a hook and ladder company composed of boys 10 to 14 years of age.

Several charitable ladies of Grand Rapids talk of providing a home for homeless bootblacks.

A baby show will be one of the features of the Eaton county fair at Charlotte, Sept. 23 and 24.

The knights of labor of Muskegon are filing articles of association on their building enterprise.

The free methodists are enjoying their lungs and having a good old-fashioned camp meeting near Coral.

Gilbert Wilson, ex-business man of Kalamazoo, fell from an apple tree Monday night and broke his neck.

To reverse the adage, "business after pleasure," the Benton Harbor roller rink has been made into a sash and blind factory.

L. D. Clark, a Bronson merchant, has raised 48 bushels of wheat—golden prolific variety—on three-quarters of an acre of ground.

The Flint woolen mills expect to make over 1,000 yards of cloth a day hereafter. A new carding machine is being placed in positon.

Grand Rapids expects at least 600 fruit growers to be present at the exhibition of the coming American Pomological association in that city.

Edward Benedict, a 7-year-old boy, of Leonidas township, St. Joseph county, was killed by falling from a separator, which passed over his body.

Some Muskegonites have come to the conclusion to make the best of it, and say a new railroad would be worth a dozen soldiers' homes. So there!

Ex-Congressman Lacey, of Charlotte, is to deliver an address on the silver question before the American bankers' association, at Chicago, Sept. 23.

A great deal of damage was done the wheat in stacks in the vicinity of Litchfield by the wet weather about two weeks ago, some farmers losing all their wheat.

Pickpockets are reaping harvests these excursion and reunion times. One man lost $100 in a crowd at Benton Harbor, and several others lost various amounts.

Richard Newman's two barns, in Emmet township, near Battle Creek, burned with wheat, hay, etc.; loss, $3,000. The fire was started by sparks from a steam thresher.

East Saginaw is enjoying a slight sensation from the evictions now going on among squatters on what is known as the "sawdust road." As fast as the occupants are evicted, the houses are torn down.

After five miles of gas pipe have been laid and any quantity of verbal gas expended, the electric light fiend bobs up at Owosso, and a discussion of the respective merits of the two ways of lighting comes up in the council.

Through ignorance of management, a sailboat containing five ladies and four gentlemen was capsized the other day at the mouth of Muskegon lake. Only the timely assistance of a tug prevented the wholesale drowning of the party.

A sarcastic Adrianite says visitors to that city would do well to provide themselves with rubber boots in wet weather, as they will have to take to the street, the cows and horses holding undisputed possession of the sidewalks around the depot.

Brighton village has guaranteed $10,000 to the new railroad, and now the farmers of the surrounding country are being urged to make up the remaining $6,000 required as a bonus. The Brighton Citizen is making a sturdy fight for the road.

An Indian squaw gave birth to a papoose on a G. R. & I. train between Walton and Traverse City Friday. Upon leaving the train to take up the march to camp the squaw carried with her, beside the new born babe, several gifts from admiring fellow passengers.

Ishpeming correspondence of the Marquette Mining Journal, reports the gold fever broken out with renewed violence at that place. Every forty in all that region is being prospected, the two assayers of the place are having all the business they can do, and much is sent to other places.

The toasts which have been arranged for the army of the Cumberland banquet at Grand Rapids next month are as follows, with the names of those who will respond to them: "The president of the United States," Hon. R. B. Hayes; "The army and navy," Gen. W. T. Sherman; "Army of the Cumberland," Gen. W. S. Rosecrans; "The volunteer soldiers," Gen. John A. Logan; "Coming up at Shiloh," D. C. Buell; "Michigan in the war," ex-Gov. Austin Blair; "Our heroic dead," Gen. C. F. Manderson, United States senator from Nebraska; "The loyal men of the south," Col. R. M. Kelly, Louisville, Ky.; "The veterans of the Mexican war," Col. A. T. McReynolds; "The press," Gen. H. M. Cist; "The loyal women of America," Gen. Lew Wallace. Senator Palmer will also respond to a toast.

THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

The Number of Graduates and What Occupation They are Engaged in.

To the often repeated remark that Agricultural College graduates are scarcely found on farms, the last triennial catalogue is a square denial.

The Agricultural College does educate farmers, as shown in the following statistics. The first class of seven graduated in 1861, and the institution now has, when a little past her majority, 581 graduates, 432 of whom are living, 376 of the 432 being residents of Michigan. Of the 432 graduates there are 113 farmers, 10 professors or instructors in Agricultural Colleges, two horticulturists, three fruit culturists, four apiarists, nine engineers, four machinists and mechanics.

The above, with the addition of a housemother, an artist, a librarian, an agricultural editor, a veterinary surgeon and some signal service employes, make the number of graduates engaged in occupations relating to the industrial arts number 161. Of the remaining 151 some are merchants, some teachers, lawyers, doctors, ministers, editors, agents, clerks and bankers; there is but one whose occupation is unknown. Many of these last engage for a time in some occupation which will help them to the money necessary to begin farming; a young man with neither farm, teams, tools nor money is in no position to begin farming, but his empty hands and pocket are no detriment if he wishes to enter the schoolroom, the counting room, or any other occupation where no capital is needed, and where, after a time of careful living, he is enabled to save as much money as will give him a start on a farm. If circumstances prevent the graduate from becoming a land owner, his training has put him in sympathy with those who not only own land but work it, and he adds his mite by serving on committees at fairs or accepting positions of trust, where his influence will be felt by the farm community; as for example, one of our graduates, a lawyer, is president of the board of the Illinois Industrial University; another, a lawyer, has just published a book on farm law, and so, wherever we find them, we are sure of their interest in agricultural pursuits.

The graduates, not residents of Michigan, are to be found in the following States and countries: Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, District of Columbia, Kansas, Colorado, Ohio, New York, California, Missouri, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Louisiana, Oregon, Texas, Washington, Florida, Utah, Kentucky, Japan and Germany. The present year will send one more young man to the South and one to Massachusetts, each to engage in pursuits closely connected with the farm.—Michigan Farmer.

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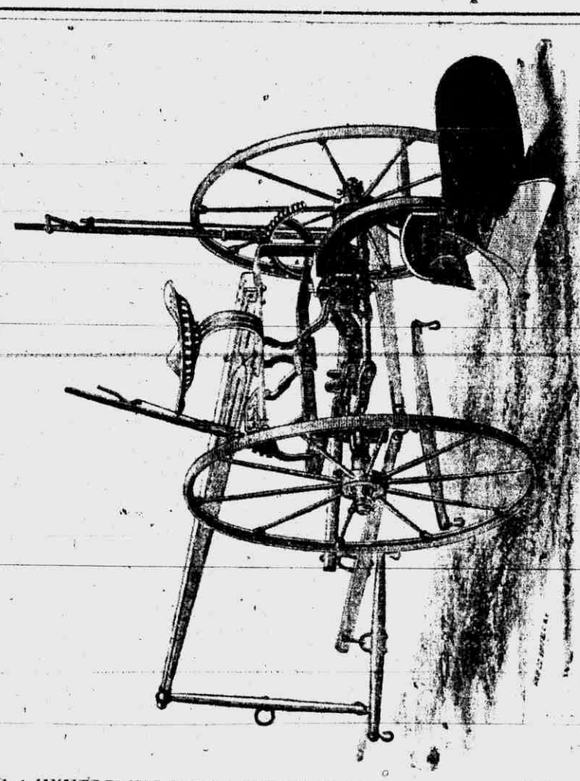

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NOTICE.—The Annual School Meeting of District No. 7, of the township of Tecumseh, for the election of School District Officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before it, will be held at the General School Building, on Monday, the 7th day of Sept. 1885, at 7 o'clock P. M.
L. G. NORTH, Director.
Dated this 25th day of August, 1885.

Mrs. F. C. Stoepel, of Detroit, is spending a few days at her father's, N. M. Sutton.

Prof. Wilbur, of Adrian, is expected to preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Irve Osborne caught a snake of the massanger species on his farm in Britton, yesterday in the cool of the morning, before it had warmed up, which measured about four feet in length and four inches around the big part of his body. He left it with G. P. Sparks to add to his collection.

The fall term of the Tecumseh public schools will begin on Monday, Sept. 7th. Examinations for admission will be held at the Superintendent's office on Saturday, Sept 5th, beginning at 9 o'clock A. M. All candidates for admission should if possible present themselves on that day. All former pupils, members of the High School, are also expected to present themselves on that day for classification. This will greatly facilitate the arrangements for school work. Non-resident pupils who are not fully prepared for High School work will find excellent advantages in the grammar school. The prospects are favorable for a larger attendance than usual on the opening of the term.

The HERALD of last week contained an admonition to Capt. Kirk of the Salvation Army to persevere in his attempt to convert Editor Smith, of the Adrian Record. The latter clipped our item and adds:

A common slander is not worth serious notice; but this is more than an ordinary affair. The HERALD editor will please name the weapons he is most familiar with, and state the time and place that would be most agreeable.

This is the first time in ten years of newspaper business experience, that we ever received a challenge for a disinterested effort to promote the religious welfare of a brother journalist. Still we never shrink from a professional duty, however unpleasant it may be. Shall the weapons be horse pistols, Smith & Wesson revolvers, beer bottles, or bologna saugages? Ah, no! Bro. Smith would have a decided advantage with any of these. After much reflection we will name jack-knives as the weapons, and the 9th of July next upon a sail boat in Little Traverse Bay as the time and place. We magnanimously accord to our esteemed contemporary the privilege of selecting the umpire and both seconds.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

The elegant residence of Henry Smith, Esq., was the scene of a brilliant social event yesterday afternoon, at which time his daughter Emma C., was united in marriage to Mr. Fred. G. Kloffenstein of Fremont, Ohio. The ceremony was performed during the noon hour by Rev. Carl Franke, of Monroe, after the forms of the Lutheran church. About fifty relatives and friends assembled to pay their respects, several persons being present from Monroe, Toledo, Youngstown, Ohio, Clinton, N. Y., and other places. After the ceremony, a bountiful collation was served and for two hours the guests passed the time most pleasantly in social enjoyment. A brilliant array of bridal gifts gladdened the hearts of the newly married pair. The bride has lived in this community many years and her departure will be a source of regret to a large circle of warm friends. The groom is now managing a lucrative business at Fremont, Ohio, where his future home will be. Congratulations and good wishes will be theirs, in which the HERALD most heartily joins. May the sunshine of happiness continue to illumine their pathway for many years to come.

THE YOUNG PEOPLES' LYCEUM.

This Society will meet in the lecture room of the Methodist Episcopal church on Friday evening, Sept. 4th, 1885. The following is a part of the program.

Recitations.—Miss Eva Perry, Nellie Lawrence, Leila Doty, Anna Harding.
Declamation.—Arthur Harding.
Select Reading.—James McCowen, Miss Fannie Bottom.
Essays.—Miss May Temple, Nellie Reynolds.
Debate—Question—Resolved, That the principle of Arbitration is destined to take the place of war in settling difficulties between nations.
Affirmative—Rev. Geo. W. Hudson, Miss Hattie Montgomery.
Negative—Arthur Burnett, Miss Eunice Davidson.
Judges.—Wm. H. Osborn, J. S. Temple, Mrs. Jehiel Davidson.
Music.—Singing, "Oh! Hail us ye Free," by the Quartette.
Solo, (Instrumental)—Hattie Whittier.
Solo, (vocal)—Miss Leila Doty, Mr. I. S. Osborn.
Critic for the evening—Mrs. G. W. Hudson.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 27, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Picnics and picnics till you can't rest.

Alba Heywood was in town last Thursday.

A fine rain visited this section last Sunday and Monday.

John Aten of Deerfield, is visiting friends in town this week.

E. C. Smith, of Chicago, was in town a few hours last Saturday.

Jerry Blessing, of Bay City, was home on a short visit last Thursday.

Three Clinton Sunday Schools picnicked at Wampler's lake last week.

Miss May Hunt of Manchester, was visiting friends Tuesday and Wednesday.

Edgar Ide takes a vacation this week. He started for Litchfield Monday.

Geo. Smith, of Toledo, was in town last Friday. He made a flying trip as usual.

Mrs. J. H. Waring, of Paw Paw, was visiting with old Tecumseh friends last week.

Horace Thorp returned from St. Louis last Tuesday, where he has been working this summer.

Charlie Doty, who has been working at Denver, Col., during the past summer, arrived home last Friday.

Mr. Geo. J. McCracken, of Adrian, visited friends here last Monday. He reports things lively at the lake.

Master Roy Goodrich, son of Dr. L. H. Goodrich, of Detroit, is spending a week with his aunt, Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

The Patterson House will change hands next week. Joe Emery of Adrian, who formerly run the Exchange, is the new landlord spoken of.

The net proceeds of the Masonic excursion were $47, which sum will be used to purchase crockery and cooking utensils to furnish the banquet rooms of the lodge.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co., have a new announcement in to-day's paper. This firm has started under favorable auspices, will carry a complete stock of goods and has come to stay.

Dr. W. H. Bowlsby, of 69 Gold St., N. Y. City, Surgeon General of the K. of P. was in town from Saturday until Tuesday. He was the guest while here of Mr. D. P. Spaulding.

The sunflower war has fairly begun. H. P. Downs, of Clinton, has a stalk in his garden that measures eleven feet and two inches. Robert Terryberry has one with 56 flowers on it.

Geo. Hollister has a lusty cabbage patch on his place south of the brickyard. He brought a big load to H. E. Anderson's last Monday morning, which contained one head weighing 13 pounds. George drove the team himself, but we refer to the cabbage head. If any man in these parts can beat that cabbage head, let him speak out now, or forever after hold his peace.

Tecumseh has two bands, and when of an evening, they assume positions on the street and try to out blow each other, the whole town turns out to hear the fun. When the boys have wrought their friends up to a sufficiently delightful state of antipathy—and every body is a friend to one band or the other—they steal silently away to crack a bottle of lemonade together, and smile over the fun.—Adrian Times.

Walter A. Perry, composer of the well-known songs, "Where have the Old Folks Gone?" and "By-Gone Days Recalled," has just brought out a song and chorus appropriate to the nation's hour of mourning, entitled, "Gone, Brave One," which will doubtless be as popular and effective as his former productions. Both the words and music were written by him. Published by Perry & Noble, New Bedford, Mass. Price 40 cents.

We have recieved an attractive Illustrated Circular of Adrian College, giving a description of the various Departments of this Institution. The pamphlet is embellished by handsome cuts of the College buildings, the Museum, Interiors, etc., and contains in a compact form just the information desired by those contemplating attending College. Any one may obtain copies of this circular, or of the annual College Catalogue by addressing President D. S. Stephens, Adrian, Mich.

One of the most remarkable accidents occasioned by a stroke of lightning, that has ever come to our knowledge, occurred on the farm of Erv. Whelan, in Franklin, last Friday forenoon. Mr. Whelan and a hired man were ploughing, each with one team, when a shower arose that drove them under cover. They both started for the barn, the two teams being perhaps three or four rods apart. When about twenty rods from the barn, a bolt of lightning struck the team which Mr. Whelan was driving, killing both horses instantly. The team was a magnificent span of bays valued at $400. Neither men, nor the other team, were injured, and the men scarcely felt the shock at all.

Miss Nellie Clarke is visiting friends at Canandaigua, in this county.

The Blissfield band wore their new uniforms to Monroe last week.

R. D. Jones, of Hillsboro, Texas, is visiting his nephew, Dr. Jones, this week.

John J. Orr's horse ran away yesterday morning, but no special damage was done.

Kies Bros., have a new announcement in this week's HERALD calling attention to their new goods.

The Morenci fair will take place Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1 and 2. "The last the best of all the game."

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bean, of Jonesville, are spending a few days with Tecumseh and Raisin friends.

Miss Mary Neeley, who has been at her home in Brooklyn for the past few weeks, returned to Tecumseh on Saturday last.

Mrs. Addie Boyd and daughter Lina started last Friday for a few weeks visit among relatives and friends, in Geneseo, N. Y.

Seth Sheldon, of Newburg, has a hubbard squash vine that measures over 34 feet in length. He also has in the same field, sorghum 11 feet high.

O. P. Bills having felt his usual annual visitation of hay fever, left yesterday for Harbor Springs and Harbor Point, for a few days sojourn. He will stay there until frost comes.

There are 40 doors in the new court house. Every door has a different key, but there is one key which will unlock them all. The burglar's key will likely be entrusted to the janitor.

Clarence Cotton, son of Mr. A. B. Cotton, now of West Bay City, is spending a few days with his young friends in Tecumseh and Clinton. He will remain in this vicinity two or three weeks.

Silas Chapman returned from the west last Friday evening. He has been at work in a lead mine and was taken sick from lead poisoning. A few days at home will undoubtedly restore him to health.

Our friends will please bear in mind that the HERALD will go to press hereafter promptly at seven o'clock Thursday morning. All new advertising and local items must be handed in Wednesday forenoon.

H. Brewer & Co., will be represented at several State Fairs this fall with their brick and tile machine. Hudson Conkling leaves to-morrow morning for Columbus, Ohio, to prepare for the Ohio fair next week.

Lyman Thorpe has procured the agency of a patent elastic cigar holder. It is an entirely new thing, is neat and cheap and ought to meet with a large sale. He intends to work it in connection with his apple corer.

Chas. A. Waldron has lately sold three trios of high bred fowls to be shipped to Salt Lake, Utah; one each of Plymouth Rocks, White Cochins and Light Brahmas. Mr. Waldron is raising a fine lot of superior poultry this season.

John R. Clarke, gives at Raisin Valley Seminary Hall his "Hits and Misses" and "Among the Masses," for the benefit of the Seminary Reading Room, on Thursday and Friday evenings, Sept. 3rd and 4th. General admission, 15 cents.

Last Monday afternoon, just before tea time, we saw a big water melon marching up Chicago street with Albert Hyde in its arms—excuse us, Mr. Hyde was carrying the melon; but the two were so nearly the same size that we had to look twice to tell which was which.

Lake Shore & Mich. Southern Railway will sell Chicago Exposition tickets for $5.00 round trip, which includes one admission ticket. They are sold on Tuesday Sept 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th, and Oct. 6th and 13th, '85. Returning good until following Monday after issue.

John McKinney, formerly of Tecumseh, who now resides at Indianapolis was in town yesterday enroute for the G. A. R. encampment. He will be in Tecumseh again on Saturday and then return home. We never saw Mr. McKinney in better health. He seems to be renewing his age.

John R. Clarke will deliver his lecture "Hits and Misses" at Little Hope, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 2d; at Grange Hall, Macon, on Saturday evening, Sept. 5th; at East Tecumseh on Monday evening Sept. 7th. This lecture has never been given in this vicinity and is said to be one of Mr. Clarke's best.

The Tecumseh Cornet band attended the tournament at Monroe last Thursday. The band makes a fine appearance in their new uniforms. It was a gala day for Monroe. Over 5000 people were in attendance and the exercises were of an interesting character. The Tecumseh boys were well pleased with their reception.

It wouldn't be right to allow the occasion to pass without perpetrating that original but reliable joke, "The meloncholic days have come," etc. Any one may copy without credit. We're no hog in this matter.—Evening Record.

All right, we'll copy without credit, and finish the stanza:

The melon-cholic days have come,
The gladdest of the year,
When all the Sunday Schools and sich,
Partake of picnic cheer.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Adrian boasts of over 40 newsboys some of whom gather in quite a nice income.

The Blissfield Advance has struck a bonanza in the printing of the village ordinances.

Daniel Root, of Hudson, receives the bounty of $200 from the state for the best sample of sorghum sugar.

A large dining hall will soon be erected on the Morenci fair grounds, so people can get a good square meal without going down town.

The Baptist Sunday School of Weston has a membership of 160. When they give a concert their room is too small to accommodate the spectators.

Two balloon ascensions will take place during the Brooklyn fair on Sept. 10th and 11th. Prof. Hogan, of Jackson is the man who will navigate the air.

The Adrian Record of last Thursday has this item:

"Attending the Devils picnic at Farmers' Lake" was the reply of a business man in answer to the whereabouts of his wife.

Bro. Samson of the Blissfield Advance is getting his "dander up." He will stop all unpaid subscriptions the first of September, and give some Justice a job in collecting arrearages.

John Monaghan, a poor Medina Irishman, was unable to finish cutting his wheat till Tuesday of last week. All he had was one hundred and thirty acres. He expects to get through the winter without the aid of the supervisor, however.—Adrian Record.

John H. Underwood, the postmaster of Addison, has got his Cole for winter. John concluded that in order to keep warm and keep the post office, he must have assistance, and Mrs. Chloe Cole, of Rollin, has become Mrs. John Underwood, and they have warm congratulations from many friends.—Adrian Press.

The Hillsdale Business says that our Baptist church will make a good "snoozing" place, when completed. Not much. If Bro. Farmer finds anyone sleeping while he is sermonizing he will do as the English pastor did—toss a Bible over in that vicinity, and make the sonmambulist feel the Word if he won't hear it.—Hudson Gazette.

Medina is getting ready for the next census taker at a lively rate. The Observer says: Read the following record and then dare say that Medina is a slow coach of a town: A girl baby at Rev. A. H. Jessup's Wednesday night; a 9-lb. boy at Jas. Gaskill's last Tuesday and a little feminine of like proportions at Chas. Brodie's on Wednesday. Also a nice girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lawrence, a well-known young couple living near Medina, Thursday morning.

On complaint of Nathan Ganun, Prof. E. G. Walker and James Kennedy were arrested Wednesday by constable Harrington for assault and battery. Mr. Walker had some logs at Ganun's that Ganun could not saw. Mr. Walker wanted the lumber, and with Kennedy proceeded to Ganun's mill to haul away the logs to another saw mill. Ganun objected, and it is claimed by him that Walker and Kennedy laid violent hands on him. The case will be enquired into by Justice McCann next Tuesday.—Blissfield Advance.

Addison people are going to raise $200 to use in building a sidewalk through the principal streets of the village, whereby they will have a bond of village sympathy to bind them closer and closer in the ties of hamlet friendship. They ought to make a "bee" when they build the walk, set apart some day for it, let some pretty girls drive the first and last nails, divide the work into sections, offer a prize for the best and quickest work, have ladies furnish doughnuts and hot coffee, and wind up with a tearing old bowery dance in the evening to which every boy engaged in work during the day should have a free ticket.—Adrian Press.

Some vicious person yesterday took advantage of the absence of T. M. Hunter, who was at the farmer's picnic, to force an entrance to his law office by a rear window. The chairs were placed out on the roof of the lean-to at the rear, and the office furniture piled about promiscuously. There was one chair left in the room, and on this was mounted a coat, vest, hat, and pantaloons belonging to Mr. Hunter stuffed and set up to represent the "dear departed secretary of the court-house building committee." An Oscar Wilde sunflower, sixteen inches across, ornamented the manly breast. The office sprinkling pot gaily occupied a proud position between Mr. Hunter's old shoes, one of which, true to life, was only half buttoned. On opening his office door this morning Mr. Hunter refused to enter, and seated himself in Salsbury & O'Mealey's office, where through the open door he gazed deploringly at his other self, declaring that his business was ruined. When our reporter left him he was still sitting there staring in a loony way at his double, with a wild light in his eye, and ever and anon muttering to himself, "My business is ruined," and paying no heed whatever to anything going on around him.—Adrian Record.

THE CITY OF MEXICO.

Mr. O. P. Bills Joins the Army of Pleasure Seekers and Visits the Halls of the Montezumas.

Mr. O. P. Bills returned from his Mexican excursion last Friday. He got back just in time to strike a hay fever atmosphere, but his trip afforded him much recreation as well as benefit, and he considers that the time and money were well spent, in taking a flying trip through the Mexican Republic.

Mr. Bills dropped into the HERALD sanctum last Monday and we took occasion to ply him with a few questions regarding his journey. Believing that his answers will be as interesting to our readers as they were to us, we take the liberty of putting them in type.

I was gone from home exactly one month. I shook the dust of Tecumseh from my feet on Monday, July 20th, and returned on the morning train from Jackson on Friday Aug. 21st. And during that thirty days I was more than busy, you can depend. I went from here to Britton and at that point took the Wabash road to Chicago. From there I went over the Rock Island route to Kansas City. After a brief stop in this rough go ahead Western City, I boarded a train on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road, which is now one of the principal connecting links between the Missouri river and the Pacific coast. I pass through southern Kansas, southeastern Colorado and into New Mexico. Of course, most of the country traversed is new and undeveloped, but much of it is rich in mineral and agricultural resources. That section has a glorious "possibility" before it, when Yankee grit and capital shall have fully developed it. I pass through Las Vegas where the celebrated hot springs are located and where I make a brief halt.

At Albuquerque I leave the main line and take the southern branch to El Paso, Texas, where I cross the Rio Grand into Mexico.

For the first three hundred miles after crossing the line the railroad traverses a very barren country. Mexican officials examined our baggage at El Paso, and from there to Lerdo we were attended by a guard who was on a constant watch for contraband articles. The general face of the country south of El Paso is exceedingly rough and barren, broad valleys and high mountains. The prevailing color of the landscape is the color of the soil, scarcely relieved at all by any green vegetation.

My first halt of any moment was at Durango, a city of about 30,000 inhabitants. Passing through the streets reminded one of traveling in the bottom of a canal. The houses are all constructed of adobe or sun burned brick. They have no outside ornamentation whatever and rarely any inside. They are constructed in a square form with an open interior court for the admission of light. The windows are placed in the walls which open into this interior court.

At Durango I visited Gov. Pallacio, an ex-governor of the state of Durango, and formerly commissioner on Mexican claims to this country. The Governor has an elegant home and a large library of American and English books. His son has lately erected a grist mill, and all the material for its construction came from the United States. I saw a thrashing machine at his place, made at Battle Creek. I was informed that the cylinder was lost in transit and two years elapsed before it finally arrived. Pallacio has a small ranch of only 200,000 acres.

Their methods of farming and farm utensils are very crude. All agricultural lands are irrigated. The plowing is done with a heavy wooden plow hauled by an ox team, the yoke being lashed to the horns of the oxen. Their plowing simply irritates the land. Their two agricultural agencies are irritation and irrigation. The people generally wear sandals, and dress and build their houses as the Moors did 2000 years ago. I saw heavy farm carts made without a particle of iron about them.

As we proceed south and approach the city of Mexico the country is more fertile and more thickly settled. The railroad as it approaches the city, runs upon one side of a huge ditch which was dug to drain the city. This ditch is about ten miles long, 400 feet wide at the top and with an average depth of 300 feet. One hundred years were spent in its construction. The ditch still remains there and the city is still undrained. The climate in this latitude is delightful. It is perpetual summer. Crops are planted and harvested during every month in the year. And the leaves come and go without any apparent change. The snow capped summit of Popocatapetl is visible from the city, and I had a splendid view of the same from the heights of Chepultepec. A beautiful monument has been erected here to commemorate the Mexican soldiers who fell in the war with the United States.

The community there is divided into two classes, the very rich and the very poor. There is no great middle class of small farmers, mechanics and tradesmen, as exists in this country. The rich live in elegant houses, are well dressed, and are provided with fine American horses and carriages. The lower classes live in poor houses and are not overburdened with an excess of clothing.

In Mexico, a policeman stands on every corner armed with a club and a Smith & Wesson revolver, with full license to use either in case of need. The city is under thorough police control. The hotels are not elegant, but are comfortable. The cost of living is about the same as in the United States. The country is at least two hundred years behind the United States, but the railroads are already working a great change. American capital and energy are finding lodgment in all the larger towns. New business enterprises are increasing in number and are generally profitable.

LAST SATURDAY'S RACES.

The blanket matinee, held last Saturday on the new fair ground in Adrian, was well attended, and the spectators witnessed some fine racing. Tecumseh was represented in three out of the five races and carried off her share of the prizes.

In the pacing race, O. W. DeLong entered his mare Maud D. There were three heats, Maud D coming in second upon the three.

In the four year old race, Bingo, owned by Dell Cairns, had a walkaway, taking the two first heats and the race without trouble.

In the running race, W. T. Eccles entered his pony, Teaboy. The race was half mile dashes, best two in three. Teaboy won the two first heats and the race.

Oscar Doolittle, Elliot Gray and Dr. Andrews acted as judges.

The receipts for the day were $200, which sum will be used to further improve the grounds.

County Pioneer Meeting.

The Pioneer Society of Lenawee county will hold its next annual meeting on the beautiful fair grounds in Morenci, on Thursday, Sept. 3rd. The program for that occasion will include a general historical address by the President, F. A. Dewey, of Cambridge; a sketch of Seneca township; short speeches of reminiscence by old settlers; glee club and band music; and of course, a grand picnic feast, in the fair ground grove. Pioneers of old Lenawee: Enjoy a day of rest and by your presence make this meeting of the society a notable success.

V. ALLEN, Sec'y Pro Tem.

Toledo's Big Fair.

The Tri-State Fair occurs at Toledo, September 7 to 12, inclusive, and there will be excursion rates over all railroads for those wishing to see the big show. Premiums and purses amounting to $20,000 will be given, and entries already in promise the biggest exhibit ever on the grounds. Magnificent special features daily. $5,000 in purses for races.

One of the neatest pamphlet programs that has come under our notice in many a day was the Farmers' Picnic program, printed at the office of the Hudson Gazette.

—ATTENTION SOLDIERS—On Wednesday, Sept. 2nd, Mr. Louis K. Gillson, Pension Attorney of Detroit and Washington, will be at the County Clerk's office, Adrian, to consult with soldier's and soldier's heirs in reference to their claims. It is said a large percentage of the pensioners in this locality are entitled to increase, especially among those who have drawn for only only a short period; and that there are a considerable number of officers who are entitled to pay under the act of June 3, 1884, and men who can under the act of July 5, 1884, secure the removal of charges of desertion standing against them. This visit of Mr. Gillson's affords soldier's an opportunity to secure the advice of a reputable Attorney of large experience.

Clement Carpenter and wife will return from Chili to their home in Toledo, early in September. Mr. Carpenter has been secretary of legation at Chili. He is a son of the Hon. Joel Carpenter, of Blissfield.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 113. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Petroff	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 138. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 20 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 59 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 55	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.
Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P.M.	A.M.	Lv.	P. M.	A. M.	
	5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
6 20	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38	5 00
6 25	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
6 37	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 11	7 06	7 33
6 49	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 79	7 21
7 05	10 15	2 36	A. Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30	7 03
7 35	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
7 38		3 01	Yorkville	12 20		6 35
7 42		3 10	Richland	12 15		6 29
7 55		3 28	Doster	11 58		6 12
8 24		3 45	Monteith	11 43		5 55
8 33		3 53	Fisk	11 35		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 30		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 20		5 25
10 15		5 25	Holland	10 15		3 30
		6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 30	Grand Haven	9 00		2 10
11 13		6 38	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 55		7 16	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		10 10	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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"Breaking an old dog after he has become confirmed in his own will and settled in his habits, is a very difficult matter. Prince there," pointing to a large, intelligent looking dog, "I bought for a hery song because he had been imperfectly broken when young. After I got him I put him through a regular system of training, but, of course, it was slow and discouraging work. He was naturally wild and headstrong, and would run at such a pace through the bushes as to scare up the birds long before I could get within gun range. To break him of this I tried various devices without success, and finally adopted the swinging bar method. This is done by taking a thick, round stick, and running a wire through holes bored through both ends, up to small staples in the collar. As the dog runs the bar will strike him upon the fore-legs, and in proportion to the swiftness of his gallop will be the heaviness of the blows. This Prince soon discovered, and, of course, he moderated his pace accordingly. But as soon as the bar was removed, he resorted to his old method of running about in headstrong wildness, without the least regard to orders. This was somewhat aggravating to me, as I never yet had a dog that could not be cured of this trick by means of the bar. But not discouraged at my failure, I then tried tying one leg up to his collar, a device recommended by dog-trainers, and also of tying a shot-belt around his neck. Both of these methods, however, failed to work any beneficial results. Prince would work well when thus rigged up in harness, but always resorted to his old tricks again as soon as released.

"Finally, after much patient work and fruitless devising, I hit upon the following plan: I constructed a sort of bridle with a bit made of raw leather. A strong girth was then passed around his body, with a small ring on the under side of it, through which a cord passed connecting the bit with one of his hind legs. As soon as Prince went to gallop fast he would jerk this cord and consequently the bit. When I had rigged it upon him one afternoon and started across the fields, he, as usual started off in wild haste. But the continual jerking of the bit soon began to disconcert him, and after a short run of half a mile he came up to me with the most imploring look in his eyes. But I refused to regard his mute appeal and sent him away again. When I reached home, however, he was completely fagged out and ready to do almost anything. Well, for two weeks I used this bit and bridle whenever I went out with him, and when I finally took it off, Prince was so thoroughly afraid of being submitted to the same process again that he never attempted afterward to range about in his former wild manner. Since then he has been the quietest worker and best trained dog that I have."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

A HEARTLESS JOKE.

Not So Much of a Joke as the Perpetrator Thought it Was.

Old Zeb Wheeler, who had come to Little Rock as a witness before the United States Court, was "poking" around a railway depot the other day. He exhibited much interest in examining an engine attached to a freight train. The engineer, noticing him, said to the fireman:

"We'll have some fun with that old fellow. Say, my friend, this is a pretty good sized piece of machinery, isn't it?"

"You're shoutin." She puts 'stonishment all over me."

"Don't suppose you could run her, do you?"

"No, I 'spect not. I used to run a saw mill, but this 'rangement lays over anything I ever seed."

"Come up and have a seat."

"Don't kere ef I do."

He climbed into the cab and sat down.

"Laws a massey, ef my folks knowed that I was on one o' these things they'd go all round tellin' the neighbors. Say gentlemen, I didn't sleep none last night an' ef you ain't got no objections I'll step back here an' lay down on the wood."

"All right, go ahead."

The old fellow lay down and the engineer told the conductor what a joke he was going to play. "We'll take him down about fifteen miles, and have the fun of seeing him strike out afoot."

"He might get mad, Jerry?"

"No he won't. He's good natured."

"All right, you're responsible."

The train started. The old man, who had gone to sleep, did not awake. The engineer and fireman laughed. The train had gone some fifteen miles and was approaching a heavy grade, when old Wheeler sprang up, rubbed his eyes and said:

"Say, by grip, hold on here!"

"We can't stop now," the engineer replied. "Have to wait until we get over the grade."

"No, I'll be blamed if I do. I don't want no man to fool this way with me."

The engineer, although he knew the trouble it would impose, stopped the train. Wheeler got off, and shortly afterward when the train had started, he said:

"Don't look like you're going to make the pull. Drive right down thar, an' if you want me to I'll get my steers an' pull you out. This is a mighty bad place. I am much obleeged to you for the ride as it saved payin' or walkin'. So long, gentlemen."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—A man of seventy was among the inmates of residents of Arlington, Ga., arrested recently for playing ball on the streets.

A SITTING HEN.

The Iron-Clad Will a Fowl Displays During the Incubating Period.

Having always lived in the city, my knowledge of the hen had been confined chiefly to the *post mortem* condition; and like most other city men, I had come to consider her a tough case. But since coming to the country I find that this toughness of the bird is only a faint reminder of the iron-clad will which governed it. I refer now more especially to the first hen I undertook to "break up"—the speckled one with the top comb. She remained on the nest so faithfully that I couldn't help commending her fidelity; but my neighbor—old Dobson—told me she was sitting, and I had better "break her up." He then gave me some suggestions, which I acted upon forthwith.

Dobson told me that imprisonment is too mild for bad cases, and I had better try the cold bath. The apparatus for this experiment is very simple, being merely a hen and a bucket of water. She went in without protest, but as she came out I thought there was a dozen of her. I wiped off my shirt front, wrung out my coat-tails and removed and carefully emptied my shoes. Next day I bought a new hat, but about two months later I found the old one in the cherry tree. It is rather the worse for exposure, but will do to scrub around home in.

As the bath didn't work a cure (and I have since learned that it seldom does) I placed an old dripping pan under a soap box and compelled the hen to stand in about two inches of water. During the day the thermometer crawled up to ninety-five degrees, and when I returned at night hot and cross, the cool and airy appearance of the hen excited my wrath. One kick of the box and she was on the nest again. I limped rather perceptibly for a day or two after, but it was nothing serious.

She was not disturbed again that night but next morning I proceeded to apply the "stick cure." Seated on the wheelbarrow with the hen between my knees, I began to bind two little sticks to her legs in such a manner that being unable to bend them (the legs) she could not proceed with her work. I got one nicely on, and congratulated myself that this little scheme would do the business. Suddenly there was a general convulsion; and when I came to I was puzzled to know which was myself and which the wheelbarrow. I now became desperate, and had recourse to sticks, stones, brickbats and whatever I could lay my hands on. The hen, of course, escaped to a safe distance. I wish I could say as much for the eggs.

When I next entered the barn the incubation was going merrily on at about seventeen knots an hour. The hen appeared as if nothing had happened, and there was a far-away look in her eyes as though she could already see her future brood manipulating the truck garden. I seized an axe and started to renew the fight, but wiser counsels prevailed and I retired.

Finally, the hen wasn't "broke up." I was.—*R. Morgan, in Judge.*

No Style, But the Boys Froze to Him.

When he took command of the armies in the West he went slipping into Chattanooga as quietly as though he had been under arrest. The morning after his arrival I was one of a band of soldiers engaged in tumbling boxes of crackers into the wagons of a supply train. We did not like the work; we were not taking much pains to place the boxes right in the wagon; we wanted to get them in and go. As I dropped one box in a little reckless quiet, shrinking sort of a man, who had been roaming aimlessly about the platform, said, with incisive firmness: "That won't do, men. Those crackers are going to men who are starving. Every cracker is precious, and the more boxes you get into that wagon the more hungry men you will feed tonight." I looked up with the idea of telling the speaker to go to blazes, when my eyes caught sight of two stars on his shoulder. I then looked closely at the face and the figure, and I knew that I stood in the presence of General Grant. I climbed into the wagon without a word, rearranged all the boxes, while the General stood there making suggestions and pointing out with his cane little changes that could be made in arrangement. The clerk who was superintending the loading of the wagons was a more impressive figure, as he strode in his autocratic way up and down the platform, than was the commander of the armies of the West, but I tell you the boys froze to Grant.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

White Dresses for Mourning.

Serge, Cheviot, and flannel are the favorite fabrics for white dresses worn by those in mourning; they are said to be as cool as muslins, and are certainly cooler than the starched pique dresses formerly worn. These are made in tailor fashion, and are usually all white; there are, however, some fine white wools with boucle or tufted black stripes that are very effective when well made; English tailors have also used black soutache braid on a vest, side panel, collar and cuffs in branching coral patterns and in vermicelli designs for trimming white serge dresses. Sometimes a sash drapery of black gros grain ribbon of great width incased with a belted waist and house-maid skirt of white flannel.

Fine French nainsook is the white muslin for mourning dresses, and their trimmings are gathered or pleated frills, many rows of tucks, and insertions of the woven revering. Pure Irish linen dresses have been introduced in England, and are made in the severest tailor styles, with large buttons of thread or of pearl for their only garniture. The sheer linen cambric called kenting and the thin mulls are used by those who can add a little lace for trimming the neck and sleeves.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—An American scientist says the ivory of Central Africa will give out in ten or fifteen years.

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8.00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 05	7 46	.....
Bellevue	9 55	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville, Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillon Ar	1 30	9 00	2 23	7 40
Massillon Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherroddsville		6 45PM	6 45PM	
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30		3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 02	6 20AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	
WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	8 15	4 28		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38.
Sheroddsville				5 45AM
New Cumberl'd				6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 52	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 52	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 26	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 02		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45AM		1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar. Huron Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk Ar	7 27	3 10

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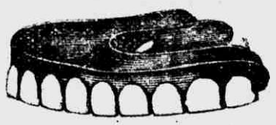

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 27, 1885.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters

WASHINGTON.

The surplus for the Northern Pacific Railroad [illegible] have applied to the Interior Department for a hearing [illegible] recently affirmed by Secretary Lamar, [illegible] to the Chief of the Columbia, [illegible] to Washington Territory. Assistant Secretary Joslyn will grant the hearing upon the certain conditions.

War department officials say it is not expected that the cattlemen who have encroached upon the lands in the Indian Territory will comply with the terms of the President's proclamation for the evacuation of the Indian Territory at the expiration of the forty days allowed them; but the intruders are in the march and are coming their stock so rapidly that it may interfere, it would not expedite matters. General Merritt has taken an active part in the [illegible] expected to be faced on.

The General Superintendent of the Life-saving Service has directed the superintendents of the several districts of the Atlantic and the Gulf coasts to open and man all their stations on the 1st of September. The stations will remain in operation until May 31, 1886.

Pursuant to treaty stipulations Marshall Jackson has notified the people arrested at Mount Vernon as Indian raiders, the Indian agent requesting such at the New Orleans subtreasury. The Secretary of the Treasury has [illegible] to the President of Mexico for the defaulting ex-Treasurer Romero.

Secretary Bayard has received from the Consul-general at Montreal a statement of the number of Irishmen from that port [illegible] April, May, June, July, first to [illegible] and [illegible] respectively.

War department officials are [illegible] to Texas [illegible] which the last few days [illegible] to the protection of settlers.

Assistant Secretary Porter [illegible] Michigan for the temporary appointment of sanitary inspectors to aid the State authorities in preventing the spread of cholera in Michigan, if it should reach Canadian ports. The inspectors will be under direction of the Marine Hospital Bureau and will be located at the ports in question.

The General Superintendent of the Life Saving Service has arranged for the establishment of life-saving stations at Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin, Pentwater, Frankfort, White River, and South Haven, Mich.

The Treasury Department on the 25th purchased 150,000 ounces of silver for delivery at the Philadelphia mint for coinage into silver dollars.

THE EAST.

The annual convention of the National Association of Ex-Union Prisoners of War closed its session at Philadelphia on the 24th. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. H. Longenecker, of Bradford, Pa.; Vice-Presidents, I. F. Mack, of Sandusky, O., and Henry Knapp, of Baltimore, Md.; Chaplain, Rev. Charles Dickson, of Hartford, Conn.; Treasurer, G. A. Gessner, of Fremont, O.; Executive Committee, David T. Davies, of Philadelphia, E. A. Mass, of Philadelphia, Hiram Buckingham, of Connecticut, Ezra H. Rippie, of Scranton. Buffalo was selected as the next place of meeting.

At the Peoria, Ill., whisky distained at Philadelphia by direction of Commissioner Miller, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, has been released.

Business failures reported throughout the country during the seven days ended the 21st number for the United States 158, and for Canada 19, or a total of 177, as against 166 last week and 191 the week previous to the last. The failures continue light in most sections of the country, especially in the Southern States. The Pacific states alone show no decrease.

The American Bar Association closed its session at Saratoga, N. Y., on the 21st. The following officers were elected: President, William Allen Butler, New York; Secretary, Edward Otis Hinkley, Baltimore; Treasurer, Francis Rawle, Philadelphia; Executive Committee, Luke Poland, chairman, Simeon E. Baldwin, C. C. Beaney. The association will meet at the same place in August, 1886.

The miners employed by Walton & Co. in the Clard pool, Monongahela River, have accepted the reduction offered by the firm, resuming work on the 21st at 2¾ cents per bushel. This action was unexpected. In the fourth pool a number of pits are working at 3¼ cents.

John Grant was struck and killed by an engine on the Erie Railroad at the College crossing, Ottawa, N. Y., on the 21st. He had recently been discharged by the railroad company for carelessness which caused the death of a man at the same place.

The official schedule of the bankrupt estate of the late Amos S. Henderson, the banker, of Lancaster, Pa., has been filed by Administrator Skiles. The liabilities are $271,380; assets from personal property, $61,783. The court granted an order to sell the real estate of which the estimated value is $[illegible]. Depositors may realize twenty per cent.

The residence of Samual Chambers at Tinsville, Pa., was struck by lightning on the 21st, instantly killing Mrs. Chambers and seriously burning a year-old child. The husband, at work but a few rods distant, knew nothing of the catastrophe until he went to his supper five hours after, when he found his wife lifeless on the floor and the infant moaning piteously.

On the 21st a fire broke out on the steamer Colorado, lying off Plum Beach, near Port Washington, L. I. The flames spread to the following ships, all of which burned to the water's edge and sunk: Minnesota, Susquehanna, Congress, South Carolina, Iowa, Lotta Grant and Fairplay. All, with the exception of the last two, formerly belonged to the United States Navy. They had been condemned and were bought from the Government by Stannard & Co., who were to break them up for the old iron and planks they could get out of them. The loss will reach $100,000.

Seven members of the family of James Patterson, of Pittsburgh, were mysteriously poisoned on the 22d. It was thought that two of them, Hattie, aged eighteen, and Hattie Foster, a niece, aged five, would die.

A destructive hail storm passed over Dunstable, Wayne, Pine Creek and Woodward townships, Clinton County, Pa., on the 21st. The tobacco crops in the path of the storm, embracing some of the best in the county, were totally destroyed.

At Canandaigua, N. Y., on the 22d five horses were killed by lightning. They had their backs across a wire fence which was struck sixty rods away.

It is stated that the Grant family will leave Mt. McGregor the first part of September. Colonel Fred Grant will go to Chicago to attend the reunion of the Army of the Tennessee on September 8. Mrs. Grant and her daughter, Mrs. Sartoris, will go to West Point for ten days and will then join Jesse Grant at his farm in Westchester County, N. Y. Mrs. Sartoris expects to sail for England about October 1. The family, with the exception of Mrs. Sartoris, will all join Mrs. Grant in New York in the fall.

The week's statement of the New York banks issued on the 22d shows the following changes: Loans increase $[illegible], specie increase $[illegible], legal tenders decrease $[illegible], deposits increase $[illegible], circulation decrease $[illegible], reserve increase $[illegible]. The banks hold $[illegible] in excess of the twenty-five per cent rule.

Gold was struck at the Gordon well near Washington, Pa. It was found at a depth of 240 feet and flowed twenty-five barrels an hour until the well was shut down for tankage. The strike caused great excitement.

The phenomenal sculling race between Hanlan and Lee at Rockaway Beach, N. Y., on the 22d, was won by Hanlan, who came in six lengths ahead, leaving Lee about three [illegible]. The race was witnessed by 50,000 people.

Up to the 22d the contributions to the Grant monument fund in New York had reached $[illegible].

WEST AND SOUTH.

Wagner's memorable victory at Fallen Timbers on the Maumee, twenty miles from Toledo, was celebrated on the 20th. Five thousand people were on the ground from [illegible] Michigan and Ontario.

The Democratic State Central Committee have call [illegible] the name of Judge Spear of Toledo, [illegible] nomination for the vacant Supreme Judgeship.

Antonio Lopez and Philip Lopez, [illegible] of New Orleans, have a terrible [illegible] with a savage bulldog, and both were badly scratched. Their wounds were cauterized, but the day the old man was attacked with symptoms of hydrophobia and died on the 20th in great agony. The young man showed symptoms of rabies.

While John Morris, the Sheriff of Reeves County, Tex., was on a drunken spree a few days ago an attempt was made to arrest him by Sergeant Cartright and three other State Rangers, when Morris opened fire on them, killing C. P. Nigh and seriously wounding Samuel Dane. The Sheriff was then shot three times and killed.

George M. Govan, of Pike County, Miss., was nominated on the seventh ballot for Secretary of State by the Democratic State Convention on the 20th.

At the Laugue plantation, near New Orleans, on the 21st five negroes working in a cane brake sought shelter from a storm under a large tree. A stroke of lightning shattered the tree and killed the entire party.

The hog cholera has broken out in Douglas County, Ill., and within the past few days large numbers have died from the disease. One farmer who, a week ago, had 1,500 head, has lost all but twelve and many other owners make similar reports.

Frank Hunt, paying teller at the Eutaw Savings Bank, fell under the wheels of a moving train near Baltimore, Md., on the 21st, receiving fatal injuries.

A fire at Texarkana, Ark., on the 21st destroyed the Arlington Hotel, the telephone office, the postoffice, the Pacific & Southern express office, and the Western Union telegraph office. Two squares on the Arkansas side were also destroyed. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

The extensive hide, wool and tallow house of Osborne, Hosick & Co., in Chicago, was set on fire by lightning on the 21st and damaged to the extent of $50,000.

A man giving the name of Howard Wood, and possessor of several other names, was arrested at Bay City, Mich., on the 21st on the charge of uttering a forged New York draft for $225.50 on a bank at Lima, O.

The story of a gas explosion in a cave near Hardinsburgh, Ky., a few days ago, by which a party of tourists lost their lives, is pronounced a canard.

On the 23d Leonard Gardner, of Springfield, Ill., who had spent the previous night in jail for wife-beating, procured bail and was released. Arming himself with two revolvers, he waylaid Policemen W. J. Camp and Fred Goll, who had arrested him, and opened fire. Camp was instantly killed. Officer Goll returned the fire and Gardner fell pierced with three bullets. Goll was badly wounded but may recover.

A rich vein of gold was discovered a few days ago on the property of the Lake Superior Iron Company, seven miles from Ishpeming, Mich. A party that were prospecting fired but one blast and loosened half a ton of rock. A specimen assayed $[illegible] in gold and silver to the ton, mostly gold. The discovery has created great excitement, and every one in the vicinity has the fever.

On the 24th every rolling mill in the Mahoning Valley, Ohio, had signed the scale and would resume operations in a few days.

Official returns of the Kentucky election give Tate, Democratic candidate for Treasurer, a majority of 67,597 over Fox, Republican candidate, supported by Republicans. This is the tenth time Tate has been elected Treasurer.

The body of the young woman recently found floating in the river near Louisville, Ky., has been identified as Miss Laura H. Nourse, a native of Washington and the daughter of an army officer. She was highly educated and refined, and was at one time a leader in Washington society, where she has many relatives. Facts developed show it to be a case of deliberate suicide.

Edgar L. Wakeman, founder and manager of the Chicago *Current*, a well known literary periodical, announced on the 23d that the publication would suspend immediately.

It is reported that "Dutchy" O'Keefe, now in the Penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., for stealing the ballot boxes from the Third precinct of the Third ward of Chicago, has confessed to a friend the whole story of the steal, in the hope of having an appeal made to the Governor for pardon. He says the ballot boxes and ballots are intact, and implicates three prominent local politicians of Chicago as the parties who planned the theft.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

This is perhaps the most popular department in the church of the present day. It is not the purpose of the writer to write a history of its institution and development, but rather to speak of it as it is and, perhaps, suggest some improvement in its management and methods.

Sporadic attempts are being made all over the country to establish such schools that shall be absolutely independent of any church. Very few school houses have stood a term of ten years without being made the theatre of such an effort, but the mortality among these feeble schools is very discouraging to their projectors, to say the least.

The school starts out with a flourish of trumpets and is thronged the first summer; the chilling blasts of autumn rapidly decimate its members and soon it sinks into a comatose state to be revived again in the spring with somewhat less activity than was manifested the previous season. This continues two or three years and finally the enterprise is abandoned with a feeling of discouragement and disgust by the philanthropists who have tried to do something for their community.

The Sunday school is a part of the church and must be so enough and should support itself in order to succeed. The only mission of the church is to save sinners and all its departments should work for this end. The officers and teachers of the properly organized Sunday School are accountable to the church for the manner in which they do their work. They should be appointed by the church with special consideration of their ability to perform the work assigned them, and while tastes should not be wilfully disregarded, no one should be appointed to any position for which he is unfit morally or mentally, because of his popularity.

The specific work of the Sunday school is to instruct its pupils in the truths of scripture and the doctrines of the church. The church should furnish the best attainable helps in the reach of teacher and pupil, in order that this work may be accomplished.

Of all mistakes in Sunday school work, perhaps the most general is the plan of making the Sunday school self supporting. The support of the Sunday school devolves as freely and as naturally upon the church as does the support of the day school upon the parents.

Only let this idea be established that the school is really a part of the church, and that the church should support all its parts, becomes a self evident proposition.

Our Tecumseh Sunday schools are doing a work for the future, the value of which no man can measure. They deserve the support of all who desire the prosperity of our village. Although not perfect, we think we can say they will compare favorably with the schools of the adjacent villages, and their motto is "onward."

A WORKER.

Don't Talk Hard Times.

There is a good deal in talk. Let a man talk dull times, and it is infectious; every body in the store gets the blues, and in turn talk dull times, and from hustling around to stir up and take care of what business there is, they all get to sitting down and moping over the dull times. If a customer does happen to drop into one of these "dull times" stores, he actually gets frightened out of buying one-half as much as he actually expected to, because everybody looks so blue. He catches the spirit of the store, and resolves to hang on to all his money with a death grip. The bugbear of dull times ought to be set down on. It is doing more to kill business than any thing else. Tell a well man he is sick, keep it up, and you will eventually hound him to death. Business is not all that we could desire, still we know a good many firms who shut down on crying "dull times" long ago, and are making money, to-day.—Ex.

Important to Young Men.

That School is best which turns out the most efficient, thorough and successful students. Evans College has always had that reputation. The Banks, Counting Houses and R. R. Offices are filled with his graduates. To any one taking the trouble to call at my office, I will give him the names of 50 Lenawee Co. Boys, who are receiving salaries from $800 to $2500 per year, as book-keepers, clerks, cashiers etc. To any one visiting my College rooms I will show them better commercial and pen work done by students in attendance, than can be executed by any teacher in Southern Michigan. Parents trusting younger sons to our care will be guaranteed perfect satisfaction in their scholarship, habits etc. Call on or send for circular. College open day and evening. Rooms opposite Lawrence hotel, one flight of stairs.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Aug. 17, 1885.

Regular session.—Present the entire council except Mr. Bills.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Street committee reported adversely upon the petition of O. Stafford. Report accepted and adopted.

Committee on fire and fire limits and on public health, reported that the matter of barn building on the premises of A. J. Palmer, that it was within the ordinance fire limits and that as yet no nuisance existed. Report accepted and adopted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Marshal reported that he had notified the telephone company in regard to the matter of poles in the alley in the rear of Patterson House and that the same had been removed. Accepted and adopted.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Application of Wm. Kyle was presented for the position of sexton, for the ensuing year for the sum of $500.

Proposition of Jno McConnell was received offering to give sufficient bonds as a part of his former application for the position of sexton.

Councilman Bresie made application for the position of sexton at salary of $450, with bond if desired.

The above applications were passed to order of Unfinished business.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and on motion referred to finance committee:

Dell Page, 4 days street work	$[illegible]
A. Packard, 6 days street work	2 12
F. Wood, 4 days street work	1 25
Wm. Brown, two days street work	2 50
Frank Price, night watch	1 50
Wm. Scofield, brick	256 [illegible]

On motion it was resolved that until further action by the council, the use of the council building be restricted to the purposes of the corporation, and that the chairman of the committee on public grounds and buildings is requested to notify the members of the Tecumseh Cornet Band.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The finance committee reported favorably upon the following claims: Dell Page $6.25; A. Packard $3.12; F. Wood $1.25; W. Brown $2.50; Frank Price $1.50; Wm. S. Comfort $256.85. Report accepted and adopted and orders drawn for the several amounts.

On motion it was resolved that when a new sexton is appointed his term of office shall expire Jan. 1st., 1886.

Councilman Bresie makes new application for position of sexton as follows: his term to date Aug. 1st. 1885 and expire Jan. 1st., 1886 and salary to be at the rate of $365 per year.

On motion Mr. Bresie was duly appointed village sexton upon the terms of his last above application.

On motion the Council adjourned.

FRED K. B. WOODS, Recorder.

TO THE BOYS AND GIRLS OF LENAWEE.

I am informed that the authorities of the Lenawee county agricultural society have appointed me superintendent of the boys' and girls' department of the fair which will occur in September. The appointment was probably occasioned by my remarking to one of the officers that that department had never had "half a chance," and I wished some one would take hold of the matter and stir up such an interest as would bring out the talent of our boys and girls and encourage such a display as could not be "hid in a corner." Now what is to be done? Less than a month remains for plans and work. How many boys and girls will help this enterprise? Among the hundreds of children under sixteen years of age, how many will resolve to contribute at least one article to that department. Who are the young carpenters, machinists, inventors, artists, florists, farmers, poultry raisers, curiosity seekers, seamstresses, in short, who has skill in any direction that can be employed in this undertaking? Look over the list of premiums, and remember you can attempt all of that, and everything you please outside of it.

Remember your father's ticket admits your display without extra charge. Now, don't sleep, boys and girls, until you have discussed the matter, and decided to "lend a hand." Then, be honest. Set a good example for your elders by exhibiting no article that is not truly and wholly your own work. Let us have a grand rally and you can produce an exhibition that will command room and attention, and one of which Lenawee county will be justly proud.

MRS. D. A. DODGE,
Supt. Boys' and Girls' Dept.

The American Agriculturist for September.

Presents a variety of articles pertaining to the Farm, Garden, Hearth and household. The opening illustration, "On September Days," by Bennett, is a very appropriate engraving. There are large number of other illustrations, describing Farm Scenes, Horses, Prize Cattle and other animals, Farm Implements and Garden Tools, new varieties of Vegetables and flowers, House Plants, etc., etc. R. G. Newton describes a Dakota machine for twisting up hay for fuel; Jos. Harris treats of Burning Stubble, Mutton and Merinos. The leading feature of this number is a list of 1200 Fairs the most complete thing of the kind ever gotten up and further a complete list of 400 counties where no fairs are to be held. The Humbug Columns expose new swindling schemes. Price, $1.50 a year. Single number, 15cts. Address Publishers American Agriculturist, 751 Broadway N. Y.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

For September opens with a profusely illustrated article on "The Bible in English," tracing the history of the English versions from Wyclif's to the latest versions. Accompanying this article are portraits of thirty of the Old Testament Revision Company, and Wyclif, Coverdale and Tyndale, besides other illustrations. Illustrative papers on "Madagascar," "Pictures que Bits of Jamaica," "Warwick and its Neighborhood," and "Scenes at Chautauqua Lake," will interest the geographical student. The two serial stories increase in interest, and there are several good short stories and poems, besides an attractive and abundant miscellany. Published by MRS. FRANK LESLIE, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York City, at 25 cts. a number, or $2.50 a year, postage paid.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending August, 18, 1885.

Estate of Harry M. Crane, et al., minors; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Tompkins D. Jermain, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissions' warrant and report filed; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing September 28.

Estate of David Conley, Jr., deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing September 14.

Estate of Peter S. Wandron, deceased; warrant and inventory of property in Lenawee county filed; appointment of appraisers in Washtenaw county.

Estate of William T. B. Schermerhorn, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Charles Claybrook, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing September 7.

Estate of Augustus E. Hathaway, an insane person; receipt filed; order discharging late guardian.

In the matter of Jacob Brenner, an alleged pauper insane person; application for admission to asylum; hearing August 24.

Estate of Simeon Tubbs, deceased; receipts filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Henry Beck, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of John Phillips, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration, with the will annexed, issued.

Estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing September 14.

Estate of Florence L. Brewer et al., minors; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond $1,500.

Estate of Wm. J. Boulton, deceased; application for an allowance for support of widow; order of an allowance.

Estate of Peter Ousted, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator's first account allowed; partial distribution.

Estate of Gardner Powell, deceased; hearing September 14, for appointment of an administrator upon said estate.

Estate of Joseph Webster, deceased; affidavit of publication, final account allowed; assignment; distribution; discharge.

Estate of Jessee L. Powell, deceased; application for allowance for support of widow and family; order of an allowance.

Estate of Thomas Collins, deceased; petition for allowance of administratrix's final account; hearing September 14.

Estate of Catharine Ryan, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

TREATMENT OF SOD IN THE FALL.

In the ordinary rotation of the farm, sod land is usually plowed for corn. Opinions differ in regard to the advantage, or otherwise, of the fall plowing of sod. The truth of the matter is, that like all other farm work, this depends very much upon circumstances. One of these is, the manner in which the plowing is done. If the dry, bare sod is plowed under roughly and so left until spring, when it is cross-plowed, and the sod cut up into pieces, and turned this way and that, and for the greater part reversed, the work had certainly been better left undone. This way of treating sod, too common, we are sorry to say, is a most mischievous one, and leaves the land in a wretched plight for corn planting. The better way is, to spread what manure is ready for the land, and leave it until November, and then turn the whole under with an even and regular lap furrow. If this is well done, it leaves the soil in the very best condition for spring work. The furrow slices lie with the manure between them, while the manure is not buried under the sod, but both standing, in part, on edge, allow the air to penetrate through the crevices, and cause thorough decomposition. The crests of the ridges break down by the action of frosts, and the land is gradually consolidated by settlement, through the winter. When the harrow is passed over the land in the spring, the fine manure, and the soil, and the decayed sod, are thoroughly mixed on the surface, leaving a mass of plant food below, as deep as the land had been plowed. The roots of the young corn plants find food wherever they penetrate the soil, and an abundance of it within reach to carry them to the end of the growing season. In the culture of every crop, very much depends upon the preparation of the soil, but this is most especially true as regards corn, which occupies the ground for only about three months. How necessary then it is, to provide a store of food for this crop, of the right kind, in the right place, and in sufficient quantity to supply its urgent necessities. One of the most effective ways of making this requisition, is to make the most of the sod by treating it at its season in the manner here described.—American Agriculturist for September.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending August 18.

CAMBRIDGE.

Geo. Teachout to O. F. Cole. Land on sec 34. $4,000.

CLINTON.

J. W. Bradner to C. C. Fisk. Land in village. $210.

HUDSON.

John George to W. H. Kimball and C. J. Hickox. Land on sec. 17.

RIDGEWAY.

Thos. Smith to Mary J. Smith. Land on sec. 10. $1,600.

TECUMSEH.

Fred. Mertz to E. A. Uehling, Exchange hotel property. $4,500.

—Salmon, codfish, mackerel, halibut, and in fact all kinds of fresh and salt fish can be procured at the old reliable market of Jim Cole.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

Rather Mixed Relationship.

Wm. Kidder of Irving township married a Miss Keach a few years since. Recently his father and brother each married a sister of his wife. This rather mixes up the relationship of these families. The original Kidder is brother in-law to his own sons and father-in-law and brother-in-law to his sons wives. His wife is step-mother and sister-in-law to his sons and mother-in-law to her sisters. They are grandfather and grandmother and uncle and aunt to the children of the two Kidder boys and their wives. Should Kidder pere and wife have children and children would be nephews and nieces or both to their half brothers and sisters and uncles and aunts to their own cousins. But we forbear. Any person who will so mix up this world's relationship ought to be banished to Alaska and become Governor Swineford's most confidential adviser.—Kalamazoo Telegraph.

THE PETIT JURY.

Below is the list of jurors drawn for the September term of the Circuit Court:

First Ward—Adolph Breunig.
Second Ward—John Weatherwax.
Third Ward—Sylvester L. Smith.
Fourth Ward—James F. Wickham.
Adrian—Nathan A. Bailey.
Blissfield—James McWilliams.
Cambridge—John O. Maxwell.
Clinton—George Goodrich.
Deerfield—John L. Kurtz.
Dover—Elmeron Tyler.
Fairfield—Charles VanDoren.
Franklin—George Swarts.
Hudson—Jonathan W. Burrows.
Medina—Elias Acker.
Ogden—Ernest Burk.
Palmyra—Laban R. Wood.
Raisin—T. D. Strong.
Ridgway—Cornelius Exelby.
Riga—J. J. Jones.
Rollin—Ephriam C. Green.
Rome—George Rigdon.
Seneca—B. F. Horton.
Tecumseh—Clark Payne.
Woodstock—Jabez Briggs.

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MARRIED.

KLOFFENSTEIN—SMITH—At the residence of the brides father, on the 26th inst., by the Rev. Carl Franke, of Monroe, Mr. Fred G. Kloffenstein, of Fremont, Ohio, and Miss Emma C., daughter of Henry Smith, of this village.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Aug. 25, 1885:

Bennett, Mrs. M.	Berbank, O. D.
Blithe, Wm.	Goodrich, Mrs. C.
Johnson, Ella	Richmond, Wm.
Whitney, Samuel	Willis, Charles

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples, ₱ barrel	1 25 @ 2 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@ 03
Butter ₱ ℔	10 @ 12
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @ 60
Beans, ₱ bushel	75 @ 1 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @ 1 00
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00 @ 3 50
Beef—dressed ₱ hundred	5 00 @ 6 00
Beef Hides	5 @ 6
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @ 8
Corn in ear	25 @ 25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushe	@ 57
Clover Seed	5 00 @ 5 50
Chickens—dressed	@ 9
Eggs, ₱ doz	@ 10
Flour ₱ barrel	5 50 @ 6 50
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00 @ 5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @ 3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @ 10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@ 14
Ham, ₱ ℔	@ 12
Lard, ₱ ℔	@ 9
Oats, ₱ bushel	29 @ 30
Onions, ₱ bushel	@ 50
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25 @ 45
Salt, ₱ barrel	@ 1 10
Sheep Pelts	15 @ 20
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@ 2 00
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@ 10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@ 85
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@ 85
Wool	27 @ 35

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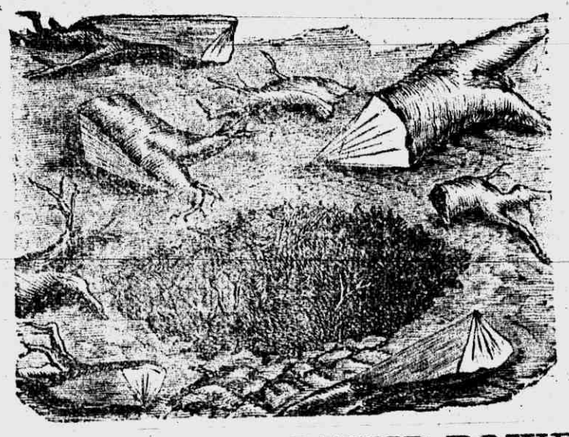

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

Postmaster Keyes assumed the duties of his new position Monday, Aug. 31st.

Hiram Saxton offers his house and lot on the corner of Franklin and Tecumseh streets for sale.

Miss Addie Rowland, of Tecumseh, visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Thompson, last week.

Henry Lancaster has been sick for a week or two, but is gaining at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tate, of Tecumseh, have been spending a few days at W. C. Rogers'.

J. C. Burroughs was kicked by a horse last week Friday and was unable to get around for several days. He is improving.

School opened Monday with the the same teachers that served last year with one exception. Miss Kate Mead has the position of first primary teacher. Miss Mead has had excellent success in teaching and the board consider their choice a wise one.

Miss Florence Rowland, of Tecumseh, is attending school here this term.

Mrs. J. L. Tuttle entertained a large number of friends last Friday afternoon.

Miss Lou Reynolds spent Tuesday with friends in Manchester.

Mrs. E. R. Smith went to Devils lake last Thursday.

Mrs. Louise Clark and daughter Laura and Mrs. Nimocks returned from Sand Lake this week.

Mrs. Charles McLean died at her home last Saturday, after an illness of only two days. She left a husband and one child. A short service was held at the house Monday at ten o'clock, and the remains were taken to Norvell for interment. Mrs. McLean had lived here only a few months but was greatly respected by those who knew her, and the sudden and unexpected death was a great shock to the community. Her husband has the sympathy of many friends.

E. R. Smith and daughter Blanche, visited Lansing, Mason and Charlotte, last week.

Will Wood has been painting his residence.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Weather cool.

Business is livening up a little.

Babcock & Parker is the name of our new Grocery firm. May they succeed as they deserve.

Our barbers have changed and Mr. Knickerbocker now shaves all who wish it.

Dr. Hallock and wife have gone off for a few days visit to friends in Chelsea and Ann Arbor. The Dr. has just moved into his new house, which is a fine one.

Irve Osborne has built a fine barn on his prairie farm.

Chas. Dubois has raised his house preparatory to putting up a foundation, and a fine addition as well.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine fall weather.

Corn will be an average crop if the frost holds off a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coller, of Tecumseh visited Mrs. John Arner last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David McNair, of Tecumseh, spent Friday with friends here.

C. L. Waring, of Holland, returned Saturday to attend to business.

Mrs. Waring went to Battle Creek Saturday to visit friends.

Wm. Howe, of Jackson, made W. H. Arner a flying call Saturday.

The school in Dist. No. 5 commenced last week, with Miss Lizzie Beamish, of Tecumseh, at the helm.

Mrs. John Bailey, sister of Wm. H. Arner, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lavern Baily, of Hudson, are spending a few days with Mr. Arner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bush and their son Irving, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived at Mrs. J. Hall's, on Friday, and will spend a few days.

Agt. A. J. Sutton sold 97 tickets to Devils Lake during the encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Rapoleye and Master Lawrence, visited friends at Milan Saturday and Sunday.

The Misses Ilgenfritz, of Monroe, spent last Sunday with Miss Belle Barlow.

Mrs. Louis Priest is on the gain but slowly.

Mrs. Harry Smith, who has been sick for some time, is not much better and her recovery is very doubtful.

We are glad to hear at this writing that Mr. Thomas Osborn, who has been very sick for the past few days is on the gain and hopes of his recovery.

Misses Mary Kilpatrick and Lou Brown and Mr. Richmond of Clinton, called on Mrs. John Arner, and family Sunday evening.

Those that attended the encampment at Devils lake report having a grand time, and pronounce the military drill given Thursday afternoon the finest they ever saw.

Friday evening the friends of Mrs. J Hall and family enjoyed the evening very pleasantly at their home. After an hour of friendly conversation, music by Miss Belle Barlow and readings by Mr. Bush, refreshments were served consisting of ice cream, cake and peaches, after which, all gathered in the parlor and listened to some songs by Mrs. Valina Jones and Miss Ella Hall, which revived days gone by, when all departed for their several homes with the best of wishes to their friends, Mrs. Hall and daughters.

The annual school meeting of Dist. No. 1 fractional of Ridgeway and Macon, will be held next Monday evening at the schoolhouse at the village. All voters are requested to be present.

DEVILS LAKE DOINGS.

Mr. Allen has posted a street lamp at the north east corner of his hotel.

Mr. Coryell has a raspberry bush that blossomed in season, bore fruit, and now has blossomed the second time.

Mr. Talmadge has cucumbers on his vines that measure fourteen inches in length, eleven inches around and are still growing.

Eugene Joslyn has moved from his farm in with Joe Sanford, while he is building his dwelling house at the corners. He has began digging the cellar.

We hear the trains stop at Brazee's crossing, to accommodate his patrons.

Mr. Pickley's little boy about 11 years old was hurt by a stray shot from the cannon to-day, Thursday. It is quite a large cannon and sends out a savage report.

The capture of a deserter was imitated at the G. A. R. camp, and was very amusing.

John Garlinghouse has his bean-puller on exhibition, and says he will release all his claims for twenty thousand dollars. There now is a chance for somebody to make or loose a fortune. Do not all speak at once.

J. Brazee has raised the frame for his barn.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Perhaps more deeds of barbarism have been performed by "Spence" Wiley than any other man we might name in town; and yet his shave shop is persistently frequented by everyone who desires to present a respectable "fiz."

Mrs. Lydia VanVleet has a sunflower plant in her door yard which measures twelve feet in heighth and supports eighty-four blossoms of good size.

Elmer Cole, son of Ogden Cole of Rollin, started for Richmond, Va., Monday of this week.

O. B. Abbott of Lansing, drove five hundred sheep through this place last Friday en route for his home. The animals were nearly all of them purchased near here at, prices ranging from 90cts. to $1.25 per head.

Rev. A. B. Storms preached a well constructed and powerful sermon at the M. E. church, Sunday evening.

In a private letter written to Geo. Tansley, Mr. Geo. C. Schneider of Adrian, extends thanks to Mr. and Mrs T., for the kindness and sympathy in the hour of bereavement; also to the many friends who so willingly lent a helping hand whenever an opportunity was presented.

The fair season is close at hand. Our fair ones will please take note of the fact and govern themselves accordingly.

Messrs Lee & Marvin, livery men of this place had a platform spring buggy overturned and badly damaged at the lake Thursday of last week.

The little four years old boy who was reported as lost at the G. A. R. encampment on the 27th inst., was returned to his parents before night, as we are informed.

While Charles Cole was returning from the encampment with his wife and daughter, Thursday night of last week, the vehicle in which they were riding was run into and overturned by a team belonging to John Ingham of North Adams. The ladies were thrown to the ground but not injured seriously. Some damage was also sustained by the buggy and harness. We are informed that Mr. I. promptly effected a settlement of the matter.

Doctor Power and wife moved into their apartments over the new drug store this week.

Prof. Tripp is spending the week with relatives and friends at Tipton.

Addison has four doctors, four drug dispensatories and less than four hundred inhabitants. Who says this is not a competing town?

Will Kline went over to North Adams Sunday night.

There was a grand army rush last week at Gunn Brother's brick and tile factory. No time for them to attend encampments and keep the clay moving to the tune of the demand for work. See their new "Ad" in another column.

Miss Sprout, sister of Mrs. A. Crane, took the train Tuesday morning for her home at Anderson, Livingston county. Little Herman Crane accompanies her.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

A coldness has sprung up among us and summer greens are taken with fire. A winter scene worth photograping crests the hills of Allen's farm, where thousands of dead peach trees sprangle sunshine, and the winds play a cheerless refrain to labor lost on crackling twigs. The blighted fruit hopes are to be cleared away and the ground reset with living ones. They have two thousand young trees, for the coming winter to spoil perhaps, but being only sure they cannot reap without planting, they will try again. Wheat is rushed into market lest prices lower, and though most crops are good, those who own them are ruined past belief. If some one would invent a cure for mourning twaddle, here's who would subscribe a mite for their monument, though I don't feel like buying a million dollar headstone for Grant. He has commemorated himself and its a waste of money to letter marble with a story already engraved on Eternity. Who but quarrymen importers, contractors and stonecutters will be benefited by such cold type, national gratitude. Promise the fund shall endow a home for helpless humanity, or some institution which like his life-work, will be an everlasting benefit to the world, and from hands and hearts gold and God-speed will rain.

GOLD IN MICHIGAN.

Some weeks ago, when Jones, Miner and others discovered the vein of gold bearing sugar quartz on the property of the Lake Superior iron company, near Ishpeming, they were in a quandry, for the company has an imperative rule never to lease its property for the benefit of those exploring for iron or any other minerals. The next best thing to be done was to secure options on all adjoining lands. This was done, Edward Breitung and Peter Gingrass, the adjacent owners, giving them the necessary rights. When these precautions had been taken they, one week ago, made known their discovery, and created the intense gold fever, which is now raging throughout the Michigan mining territory, and, in fact, in all parts of the country. But now another claimant has reached the scene. Joseph C. Foley, a former stockbroker of Ishpeming, announces prior options on the property of Messrs. Breitung and Gingrass, and he proposes to hold them, so that a lawsuit of an extensive nature will probably be necessary to settle the claims of the contestants. In the meantime the stockholders of the Lake Superior iron company are preparing to push the development of the gold vein on its lands, and, after a proper assay, if the rock proves anything like what the first samples have promised, a quartz mill will be immediately erected. Two assays of the rock have already been completed. One assay was from the best specimens. Average pieces taken from among those best specimens gave $8.95 in gold and silver, nearly all being gold. These choice specimens varied in weight from six ounces to as many pounds, and this was their average value. The second assay was made from the leanest piece of quartz which could be found in the rock taken from the vein. In it there was no free gold visible to the naked eye, or distinguishable with the ordinary prospector's pocket glass. This gave $62.24 to the ton, nearly all in gold also. There is a wide range between these two extremes, but the assays prove conclusively that if the vein is as rich approximately through the whole extent that the quartz will go at the rate of several hundred dollars a ton. The discoverers say there is a vein of the rock four feet wide, and already traced a distance of over 700 feet. An immense amount of prospecting is being done in the vicinity of the discovery, and the excitement is very intense. There will be no want of capital to push the work, if the rock realizes all it promises.

The new addition to the Council Building is rapidly approaching completion.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Flint has a full fledged bucket shop.

Ludington is to have a fine new school house.

Old Mission is crowded with summer resorters.

The Flint woolen mills will make a thousand yards of cloth per day.

A Muskegon man had to pay $61.40 for shooting wild ducks out of season.

The large school seat factory at Battle Creek is still working night and day.

Considerable quantities of whortleberries are yet daily shipped from East Tawas.

During the year ending Aug. 23, 1885, the Detroit News circulated 12,437,857 copies.

Fifteen thousand gallons of ice cream has been sold by one Jackson firm this summer.

Fort Gratiot Council is in trouble over their new water works. Wood pipe is the theme of discussion.

To spend or not to spend $40,000 for water-works is the troublesome question before the Charlotte electors.

The railroad ticket office at Saranac was broken into, probably by tramps, recently, but nothing secured.

It is thought that six hundred fruit growers will attend the American pomological association in Grand Rapids.

The date of the Petersburg fair has been changed to Oct. 7, 8 and 9. Five hundred dollars in cash premiums are offered.

Miss Ada Gardner, daughter of Prof. Gardner, of Hillsdale, will have charge of the art department of Albion college.

Ten thousand dollars has been received by the huckleberry pickers of Tawas City and East Tawas for their season's work.

Harbor Springs is a delightful place, but a fire would wipe it out of existence if the wind were right. Fire protection is badly needed.

An amateur cyclone has been unroofing barns, devastating orchards and leveling wheat stacks in Castleton township, Barry county.

All the arrangements are being perfected to start a new paper at Cadillac within 30 days. It will be the first and only democratic paper in Wexford county.

Andrew Lathrap, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Lathrap, the noted temperance speaker of Jackson, dropped dead at Trenton this week. Probably heart desease.

The pay roll of Butters & Peters' mill, burned at Tahman, included nearly every man in the village, which will have no reason for existence if the mill is not rebuilt.

C. S. Barrett, who takes possession of Charlotte's postoffice next Tuesday, has already commenced the work of reform—putting in new boxes and otherwise "slicking" up the institution.

Within five miles of Lapeer, says the Democrat, are pine lands which a few years ago were considered worthless, from which 30 to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre were harvested this year.

There are 22 mills in operation at the Bay City end of Saginaw River, 11 at 10 hours some at a reduction of wages and 11 at old time and old wages. This leaves 11 still unemployed, the owners of which intimate that they can start as soon as they desire to do so, most of their men having expressed a willingness to go to work.

The German evangelical church, lately built at Manchester is in the throes of a theological controversy as to whether the doctrines of Luther or Calvin shall be preached. The Calvin faction being in the majority the other side refuse to pay notes which they gave towards paying for the church and suits have been brought in the justice court against them. Meanwhile the outsiders wonder why they can't both go back to the doctrines of Christ and find harmony.

The following from the Lansing Republican is the kind of tales Lansing young ladies regale their friends with when returning home from abroad: "A young lady who has just returned from a visit with Detroit friends had her purse grabbed by a sneak thief while in that city but pluckily persued him through an alley and around vacant lots until he threw back the purse and contents and was glad to get away with no greater loss than that of a new silk hat. Pity there are not more Lansing young ladies stopping in Detroit. Some of them might discount the combined police and detective 'talent' of the town and capture the gentlemanly burglar."

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WHY HE SOLD THE FARM.

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THE HAUNTED ENGINE.

An Engineer's Terrible Revenge Upon a False Friend.

By such parties as were in the habit of frequenting the Transfer & Berger Railway Company's offices, Julius Wright must be well remembered. This observation is supposed to apply more particularly to the loiters and delvers, who were not likely to meet the man under other conditions. Socially considered he was very much more of a swell than appeared at all justifiable by his position or his personal qualifications—always excepting that indefinable, mysterious quality known as "magnetism," which is, as novelists and telepathists inform us, quite independent of either beauty or merit. He was an insignificant little fellow, not over five feet four in his biggest-feeling moments. His face was alert and keen, but, to my eye, always fraught with the peculiar expression of a man liable at some time to go wrong. One does not follow any business for the years that I have done without learning to recognize the signs of potential guilt—that is to say, in faces of the active type. I never try to analyze a pretty face; I can't do it. I think no man living can.

Wright was a man of accomplishments. He could dance and sing, and play prettily upon several instruments, and turn off neat little verses—*vers de société*—isn't that the term? And he was a manly little chap; could swim and shoot, ride, drive spar and run with the best. So, as men liked him for his good-fellowship, and women for his love-making art, Liberality, Wright was a popular man.

But I knew a thing or two about him. I was not surprised—not much—when, after a few days of uncertainty and suppressed rumors, it came out that Julius Wright had absconded with a sum of the railway company's funds reaching well up toward the hundreds of thousands—more than it appeared should have been accessible to him. The general inference and the natural, was that he had betaken himself out of the country to the refuge of a government not on terms of extradition with the United States. Great, then, was the astonishment of the community when it transpired later that the escaped defaulter had been living for many weeks in easy reach of his pursuers, and actually in the employ of the company he had robbed. It was no wonder, said his late companions, with retroactive admiration, somewhat misplaced, that the officers of the law had failed to find in the stoker of a freight train over the southwestern division, the spruce and fastidious individual who had been almost a social autocrat in the headquarters city of his company.

The newspapers got the story, of course, and gave it the usual send-off, with extra-heavy head-lines, and all the alliteration the dictionary would supply. I remember one of their phrases about "Engine No. 23 pulling into Walling with importance in every clank of the metal," and "the plucky and power displayed by the engineer, who had to report a notable occurrence on his run." Briefly stated, it appeared that No. 23 had come into Walling minus her fireman. The engineer's story was that some twenty miles back, as they crawled up a hard grade, the fireman had jumped from the train, discovering his identity to the engineer, together with a satirical message to the directors of the road.

"Tell 'em,' says he to me—'from Julius Wright—that's me—their office was better than a school of polytechnics. Say, Stacy, *can't* I fire?' And with that he jumped, just as we started to run down the grade. I brought her in alone. I knew I could do it, and we was too short of hands to call one of the boys from the twists—the brakes; so I just come on and fired for myself. Tired? I should smile! and so shaky and starty I couldn't sleep—couldn't even set down and eat. You bet! The boys'll tell how all broke up I was. But I daresn't stop short off. No, sir! I just rustled round and cleaned the engine, and put her to bed myself. Well, I've heard men say they could run an engine *sixty* mile and fire for themselves, but I'm blamed if I could! Twenty's enough for me," he said, with what struck me as rather defiant emphasis and a keen, undertrowed look—for I got the story from his own lips, when I was sent out to Walling to work on the case.

I am not, as a rule, an imaginative man. "A patient, persistent plodder"—that is the characterization I once heard as made of me by our chief, who is given to alliteration in his rhetorical flourishes. Thus lacking imagination, it seemed to me little was to be gained by following Wright to Walling, whence he had gone with no form of leaving leave. But to Walling the chief chose to dispatch me, after two of our best men had come back from a fruitless stay there.

"Certain uncommon agencies of receptiveness are abnormally alive to impressions in you," he said; "I'd like you to go to Walling."

And to Walling I went, after some preliminary training under the fireman of a local train on one of the company's branch lines.

But the night before I started I got a note that very [illegible] intimated that my services were required by Miss Muriel Duane, and requested me to wait upon her at the earliest opportunity. Miss Duane had not yet returned from a trip abroad. I could not conceive what she wanted of me. Moreover, in view of my unfavorable departure, it appeared to me much in the nature of a [illegible]. And yet—and yet—the father was president of the T. & D. Railway Company; Julius Wright had been a protégé of the house, and I might, I think, in [illegible] data.

Miss Duane was a handsome girl of the dark, heroic type. I had seen her coming off the steamer, and I was genuinely shocked at the change in her in a fortnight. She was haggard and thin, as if she had been ill for months. She wasted no time in making her wishes known. She wished to employ me to track up Julius Wright. Most women would have assumed some trumped-up reason, more or less unplausible, to account for her interest in this man, who was virtually hardly more than her father's clerk. Miss Duane very properly asserted that her motive was no affair of mine. Her one concern was to spare no expense in finding Julius Wright.

"I am very sure we will find a clue at Walling," she said. "I can't put that conviction from my mind. And when you find him give him to me from me."

"I was obliged to tell her of my prior undertaking, and to intimate that I feared that the mission was prejudiced by the loose open the note she had given me.

"Read."

X Y Z thousand dollars, the sum with which Wright had absconded, were the day paid in full against the T. & D. Railway Company by the immediate relative, whose arrest was then withdrawn.

"Here are the railway company's receipts," she said, and displayed them, duly attested. "Now, you must see, the proceeding is dismissed. But Mr. Wright. Every added day of his absence makes it harder to reinstate him——

She paused, gasped, shuddered, and put out one hand toward me with a look of fright and pain. As I caught her cold slim fingers in answer to that appeal, she fell back swooning in her chair. Deathly as she looked, I could not bring myself to call for help. It seemed to me it would be an infamous thing to expose her to the curious curiosity and comment of domestics and chance guests. With my free hand I loosed the flowers from a vase close by and lashed the water in her ghastly face.

"O, God!" she moaned, "the fire! the merciless fire!"

Her left hand was clasping some ornament at her throat, dragging down the suspending chain until it threatened to strangle her. I bent to unclasp that clinging hand. It yielded its grasp stiffly, and the pendant locket swung into my own hand. The gold burned my flesh as if it were a coal. And with that contact an unaccountable thrill swept over me—a sensation like that we have when we seem to re-live in a dream some part of a former existence. Out of this vague mistiness of thought and feeling, I seemed to resolve the face of Julius Wright, distorted, full of horror and agony unspeakable. I started. Miss Duane was languidly opening her eyes.

"I fainted again, I suppose. No; pray call no one," she said, weakly, but with decision. "I am so grateful that you brought no one here—but you may give me, if you will, a cup of wine from the cabinet in the corner."

She sipped the restorative slowly, and graciously smiled at my clumsy speeches of sympathy.

"Then you will make additional efforts to give me relief, will you not? For this arises from pure anxiety and grief. I never swooned in my life until a fortnight ago. It seems contemptible to trade upon one's weakness, does it not? But—well—I think men will let yourselves be moved by the sight of physical suffering, where the extreme of mental anguish would make no impression."

"Madam," I said, "what does that locket contain?"

She started with a haughty, questioning gaze, that became lost in wonder.

"It looks—a miniature."

"Perhaps a lock of hair? Yes, I thought as much. Now, let me advise you. Take it from your neck, with care to touch not the chain, put it away in a safe or drawer—where you will—out of reach of contact with you, and I guarantee you immunity from these swoons."

"What do you—what can you mean? What do you know?"

"I know no more than yourself—only that there is a subtle essence of relation between the material and the spiritual that our finite, faulty knowledge has not grasped. You wear the portrait and the hair of a person for whom you have a strong congenial affinity, and on physical contact with it your over-susceptible organization receives the force of his suffering—stay! it may not be bodily suffering—it may be grief, or apprehension—or remorse."

Her proud head drooped.

"I believe you are right," she said; "my folly has been so great that I have fancied I found actual consolation in touching the lock of hair I had arranged to meet my hand. And now I fancy that I can remember how every attack of this nature has been coincident with such a lapse of weakness. At all events, I will experiment on your advice. My very life is sapped by these swoons, from which I bring no definite recollection, but a sense of indescribable horror, and peril to Julius Wright."

All the restlessness and the intensity of Miss Duane's own spirit seemed to possess me when I went to Walling. And all futility and non-fruition of effort seemed to confront and mock me. It was easy enough to set any Walling tongue a-wagging about "the swell that tired for Stacy, and skipped between two days," but to the published facts no one could add a word. Wright had been a clever actor, and had given no clue. His record here was like the outward life of any man in his apparent station. Stacy was willing enough to repeat his story, but it was the same unvarying account he had already given so often. His conclusion of it now began to be conjured, as I have intimated by a touch of resentment. He was evidently not a little vain of his unassisted management of his great machine in that memorable night-run, and jealous at hearing that others had surpassed the feat. Indeed, he had become so arrogant and unreasonable as to have offended most of "the boys at the yard." Walling being a division terminus, the little town was a general stopping place, whence the men were variously assigned to the trains dispatched night and day.

"All Stacy wants now is a Jew-store diamond-pin to make a way-up conduc., but he'll have to sport a double chin before he can get to be a 'director. He'll be a runnin' the whole thunderin' line pretty soon," said a railroad man, one of a group lounging on the boarding-house piazza.

"Well, he can start in right now," said another, "and I'll copper on any train he starts. I'd sooner drive the devil's dump-cart than to fire on '23' again to-night. That engine's got the phthisic, and she's go'n t' bust and blow the whole crew over into Utah."

"Give us a rest," spoke up a boss from the machine shops; "'23' 's the best on the division. They's not a rivet sick about her."

"O, they ain't, ain't they? Well, what I want to know's what makes them sulphur fumes just settle down in the cab so thick you could make a sieve out of 'em with a shot-gun. I swear, I thought I'd choke last week."

"That's so," said a quiet little fellow, who was busily plucking out his mustache, hair by hair. "I fired on '23' week before last, and I could hardly breathe, and worse 'n that, somehow I got scared, and—and—well, I don't know what was the matter, but I went to sleep—or fainted, or something—and when I came to, there I was a heap full o' cold sweat, and Stacy shovelin' coal right over my head."

"There's me!" cried the malcontent.

"Scared!" Why, my heart climb up and clawed at my tongue, and it felt as big and hard as a driving-wheel, and I accelerated, I tell you! straight, but says I've got a passenger aboard. His name's Mr. Speedy, and his profession's warden. He's signed warrant on me that '23' 's got a mighty sick man on her back, and makes it powerful hot for anybody else. A prisoner's a prisoner, and Mr. Train-Dispatcher, I'm ready, sir."

"Suppose he'd put me in your place?" I said.

The men gathered about me with notes of admiration both derisive and sincere. It was an hour, and the hands escorted me to the office and presented me to the train-dispatcher. There was much talk, commonly, conducted with a gravity that would not discredit Parliament, and much humor of a quality original cast. The train-master looked annoyed when he saw my credentials. Hitherto he had deemed me what I appeared—a supernumerary "hand," awaiting assignment.

"Well, I don't like this," he said, having ushered me into his private office. "Couldn't you make your opportunity some other way? It's taking such chances for the train. Oh, you can fire? O, that's all right, then. Just so Stacy has help—I couldn't risk him alone."

"Drink?" I said, casually.

"Not a drop. No, I guess it is the strain of the other night. He's getting all broke up."

At nine o'clock "23" stood coughing for her start, a great ten-wheeler, shining, mighty. The yard lights shone on the dark brown cars of the through freight behind her, stretching back, a long line, like some articulated, sentient creature. A group of the boys stood near, and speeded us with good-natured chaff.

"Look out you don't lose your mate again, Stacy," cried one; "this is another new man, and it's just a mouth to-night since the other said 'Good-bye, sweetheart!'"

When I looked at Stacy after this, his face was as white as the aerated fluid in the tube of the water-gauge. We had scarcely left the lights of Walling behind, when I felt a singular sense of oppression. Our smoke seemed to settle down upon us, laden with sulphurous gas, as when confined in a tunnel. Our train was a "time-freight" that ran but once a week, and at this period the line was clear for our passage over the whole division. Carrying the water supply in a tank-car, we had no need to stop on the whole run. We clattered past small way-stations, fast asleep already, dark, save for the signal-man's lonely light. We clanked through defiles trembingly, as if the dark mountains on either side were crouching monsters, gathering for the spring. We hurled ourselves upon the shadowy shapes of spectral bridges, with the indrawn breath of uncertainty with which man ever approaches the insubstantial and mysterious.

"Fire up," cried the engineer; "the is not burnt!"

Since our first start he had been leaning on his rests, save when he mechanically tended the machine. But now he turned, with a swift whirl, caught the chain door-swing of the fire-box, swung it open with the stoker's accustomed swaying pull, peered into the fiery gap with searching gaze, and slammed the iron door as if upon a foe.

"Fire up! Why don't you put in coal?"

It wanted half the usual time, but I was constrained to obey. I had not yet wiped the blackened sweat from my brow, when he whirled about again and opened the furnace door.

"Plainer and plainer," he cried; "put in more coal."

He turned to the window again as I brought the scoop. That coal never was burned. I threw it over the side, impelled by prudential motives less than by a curious appearance that arrested me when I opened the fire-box door. And so, through the rest of the run, while the smoke gathered thicker, denser and more fetid, again and again, and a score of times again, we repeated that same formula—he commanding, I alternating actual obedience with simulated compliance.

The way-stations were thickening toward Belen, when the engineer approached me, after one of his wistful, reluctant visits to the fire.

"You are a good lot," he said; "you have got sand. The others all fainted dead away—they couldn't stand it. Yes, you're good pluck. Come!" he said, ingratiatingly, "you look and see if he is there."

I opened the iron door. "Yes, he is there."

He caught the loaded scoop and thrust it into my hand. "Throw it on him!" he cried, "and burn him up. Perhaps you can do it."

I shoveled in the coal, then turned and took him by the arm.

"Why did you burn him up?" I said.

He cowered behind me toward the tender, turning his face from the furnace, yet glancing back at it askant, as he had done all along, drawn toward it by reluctant fascination.

"Now I will tell you," he said. "I knew all along that he was Julius Wright. We lived behind his rooms, up yonder in the city—my wife and I—my Josie. Why—yes—he got me this berth! Do you suppose I'd have given him away to the company—not for ninety millions!—when he came out here and told me he was sweet on Miss Duane, and had robbed the company to get a start for her? No, sir! He carried that pile of notes with him day and night—you know how much of it I could have got by giving him up. He fired for me two months, a'e with me, slept in my bed. The boys wondered to see me so thick with Sam Barnes, my fireman. Fire up! Is he——? O, it's no use!" He took up his recital: "He got a letter that night at Belen. There was a picture in it. See."

He took from his breast a letter and a photograph. Blood was on them both. The face in the picture was the face of a woman I had seen often enough in a luxurious little cottage on our northern bay—a merry, blonde face, with perfect teeth peeping through the parted lips—the type of woman who could smile into a man's eyes while she dishonored him.

"I happened to come behind him while he read. I saw the picture, and knew it. I knew the writing. She signed: 'Your loving Josie.' I stole away without his having heard me; and the first mile out of Belen I struck him down, and took my false wife's picture from him, and I burned him! But mark you I killed him first—he was dead when I thrust him into the fire-box. But I've been burning—through him—in the flames of hell! and burning alive! Fire up, and see—is he there? O, yes! I knew it. You see, on this run it is all reversed. He begins to grow into shape back near Walling, where his bones fell into ashes as I stirred them to the coals. The melted lumps of his jewelry are in my trunk at Walling—I *could* clean my engine that night, and I found them. Well, he grows and grows in the fire, until he stands like life on the spot where I killed him. You'll see soon—yonder ahead, where a pile of rock is over a Mexican grave."

And in truth, when the headlight flashed on an upheaped cairn of stones, topped by a rough brown cross, once more John Stacy cried in my ear "Fire up!" and from the open fire-box door appeared to issue something in human form, pallid and bleeding—the shape of Julius Wright. Farther and farther the dead man pressed the living, to the very edge of the tender's slippery step. Then I succeeded in stopping the train. The cab was empty, and a few rods farther back John Stacy lay beside the rails, stone dead.—*Y. H. Addis, in San Francisco Argonaut.*

SOME FIGURES.

Calculations Showing That the World Is the Heritage of the Caucasian.

Among the little-noticed but most important facts in the history of the world is the enormous recent increase of the number of white men in it. It is barely two centuries (1683) since those races, though even then the most energetic of mankind, formed but a small fraction in the total of humanity—probably ten per cent. of the whole—and were by no means certain that they could defend themselves against the remainder. The white races in and out of Europe, under the influence of some still mysterious call upon their energies, have multiplied nearly threefold, and are to-day, as Mr. R. Giffen has shown in his recent address to the Statistical Society, 425,000,000. As there is no evidence of any corresponding increase in the dark races, and as, indeed, such increase has been outside India, nearly impossible, the white men are now, by the best calculations, one-third of the entire population of the world, instead of being, as they were only two centuries ago, a little more than ten per cent. They have, moreover, if anything, increased in physical strength and have so developed in brain and consequent power of organization, that it may be doubted if the whole remainder of mankind, even if all were reduced to equal weapons, could seriously injure the white third, which again, if it chose to act together and employ without pity the weapons its intelligence has enabled it to construct, could in a few years reduce the remainder of the world to an uninhabited desert. They have lately taken to conquering Africa, and are entering at a hundred points at once; seizing almost silently, certainly without serious effort, huge slices like French Africa, South Africa, Madagascar, the vast valley of the Niger, and the still more extensive region drained by the system of rivers called the Congo. Nor is there much reason to believe that the process will soon be checked, for the white men are urged forward by an irresistible spur over which they have no control. The increase of the yellow race, which must once have been so incredibly fast, has stopped, and that of the dark races of India, which for a century has been amazing, is being checked by recurrent famines; but that of the white people goes on so fast that the transport of a huge army every year across the Atlantic makes no impression on their numbers, and at their present rate of increase they will in 1984 be a thousand millions, or much more than half of then existing mankind.

The world is the heritage of the white man; that is the first lesson of Mr. Giffen's figures; but there is another, also, which Englishmen will do well to think over patiently, and, if they can, without hatred in their hearts. They have no right to anger with the visible will of God. If Mr. Giffen's figures are correct—and, subject to some arrest of existing law, they must be as correct as if they were merely unapplied calculations—there is but one race on earth with whom it behooves the Teuton, in all his branches, to keep friends. This supremacy of the white man will in the end—and, recollect, children may be born to-day who will see the end, and then be younger than Sir Moses Montefiore—be the joint supremacy of the Teuton and Slav. In 1984, when the world contains 1,000,000,000 of white faces, 500,000,000 of these will be English and Germans, and 300,000,000 will be Slav. There will practically be no other white races, the French not increasing, the Spaniards increasing slowly—if, indeed, as in Mexico, they do not rather suffer absorption in a dark people. If the Teuton and the Slav can keep friends, the world is theirs; and if not, there will be the most terrible struggle recorded in history since the white barbarians fought the white Romans and their darker allies. We are not sure that an agreement is possible until a great fight has taken place, for Slav and Teuton seem unwilling to comprehend each other, though there is not between them the internecine hatred sometimes observed in history; but if their statesmen could arrange terms on which the conflict could be permanently avoided, a huge mass of misery might be saved to our immediate descendants. To avoid the quarrel will be difficult, for the Slav is just now strangled; and to reach the open water, and so take his natural part in the greater movement of mankind, he must pitch himself on somebody, be it on Turkey, on England or on China; but the means of avoidance are worth the study and patience of years.—*London Spectator.*

ACCIDENTS THAT ARE COSTLY.

The Expense That Railroads Are Put to by Even the Most Ordinary Accidents.

"You occasionally hear people find fault because managers of railroads do not prevent accidents," said a railroad man in Jersey City the other day. "There may be bears among railroad owners who rejoice in wrecking railroads that they do not own, but to the practical railroader a train wreck is a big loss directly, besides the loss in prestige which follows."

"Is the rolling stock so costly?"

"Yes, a freight train for instance, that rolls down an embankment, where half of it is burned will give you a good idea of the loss. The average engine is worth $7,000. A common freight car is worth $175, or perhaps $500. The ordinary gondolas are worth from $400 to $125. An engine is rarely ruined beyond repair, but a wreck can knock $3,000 out of it just as easy as rolling off a log. A burned car is a ruined car, of course, and repairs on those that are crushed may cost any where from $50 to $200 each. If a passenger car, such as is used on ordinary roads, is burned, $3,500 goes up in smoke. These figures are for the cars in use, and not new out of the shop. From this you can see that wrecks may happen which cost a company $10,000, and yet nothing is likely to be said about them in the papers unless some one gets hurts, and not then if the railroad men can keep it quiet."—*N. Y. Sun.*

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ESTATE OF SAMUEL G. CONKLING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 3d day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel G. Conkling, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hodges W. Conkling and Henry L. Conkling, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they have power to sell and convey the real estate, and all money legacies and bequeathed by said deceased, and all money legacies, and praying for the allowance of their final account for settlement and distribution of the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and for other charges.

It is ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF CHARLES J. BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Hettie H. Brewer, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Albert L. Brewer or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Peter S. Waldron, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of October, 1885, and on the 6th day of February, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 4th day of August, 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

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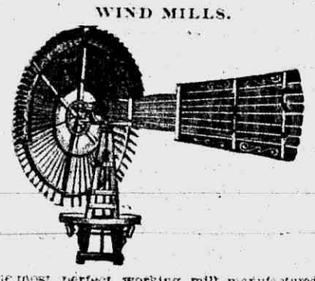
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THE ART OF GOOD TALKING.

The Virtue in a Good Subject and the Value of Silence.

Those who are not very good talkers, and are mortified sometimes by being the wall flowers of the evening, may get some consolation from the consideration that there is a great deal of talk that could very well be spared, and that idle words must be accounted for. Indeed, they also serve who only listen. A Frenchman once said of a gentleman in whom he could detect no other quality worthy of compliment, "that he had a great talent for silence." And some people are very valuable in that way. We have known people who could listen so inspiringly as to draw eloquent discourse from very ordinary people.

"The whole force of conversation," some one says, "depends on how much you can take for granted." The good listener may contribute to that force by intelligent nodding. We once introduced two friends who were going in the same car on an all-day journey. One of them was an inveterate talker; the other, also a good talker, could keep still when necessary. Meeting the latter a few months after, we inquired how they enjoyed that day together. "The doctor enjoyed it first rate," said the quiet man. "He began talking when the train started, and never stopped until it pulled into Jersey City, encouraged by only intermittent nods and smiles from me. Parting as we left the train, the doctor remarked effusively, 'We have had a good day; I don't know when I have enjoyed a conversation so much.'"

Talk and silence do make good conversation sometimes, if they be rightly adjusted to each other. Successful conversation assumes, in the first place, sympathetic people. There must at least be a willingness to get on common ground. Dr. Johnson once tried a fellow traveler in a stage coach on various topics and could get nothing out of him. At last the poor fellow, realizing the humiliating situation, in despair exclaimed, "Try me on leather!" He did and found an eloquent talker. He who can adjust himself to his company will always be entertaining. A good talker must have, in the second place, a good subject. Gossip leads to affectations. The man or woman having a worthy subject will talk naturally. Small natures talk about people, earnest souls talk about things. It is easy to be fluent in canvassing our neighbor's peculiarities, but one can't gossip about astronomy and Free Trade and inductive philosophy.—*Boston Beacon.*

HINDOO TIME.

The Curiosities of the Eastern Method of Reckoning Time.

The Hindoos also employed ages in the computation of time, and these, too, divided into periods of different durations. The present age is the *kali yuga*, or the age of iron; 4,985 years of it have already passed, but its total duration is supposed to be 432,000 years. The succession of the ages, counting back, is given as follows:

Fourth age—*Kali yuga*, age of iron, or of woe (the present age), to be of 432,000 years.

Third age—*Dvapara yuga*, 864,000 years.

Second age—*Treta yuga*, or age of silver, 1,296,000 years.

First age—*Krita yuga*, age of gold, or of innocence, 1,728,000 years.

These four ages form the *maha yuga*, or great age, of 4,320,000 years. The length of a patriarchate is seventy-one maha yugas, or 306,720,000 years, to which is added a twilight period of 1,728,000 years, making in all 308,448,000 years. Fourteen of these patriarchates, augmented by a dawn of 1,728,000 years, gives 4,320,000,000 years, which form a *kalpa*, or the *aeon* of the Hindoo chronology.

A kalpa is only a day in the life of Brahma, whose nights are also of the same duration. Now, Brahma lives a hundred years of the three hundred and sixty days and three hundred and sixty nights. The present epoch is the *kali yuga*, of the twenty-seventh grand age of the seventh patriarchate of the first aeon of the second half of the life of Brahma, who is now in his 155,521,972,818,985th spring. Yet the the whole life of Brahma is only a little longer than a single wink of Siva's eye!—*M. L. Barre, in Popular Science Monthly.*

MR. RUSKIN'S LATEST.

A Writer Who Will Not Be Popular With the Children of the Well-to-do.

In future, we should say, Mr. Ruskin will not be particularly popular with the children of those who are well-to-do, to judge from a letter he has been writing. The father, he says, "should never provide for his children. He should educate and maintain them to the very best of his power till they are of mature age." Then, "when they are strong enough, throw them out of the nest, as the bird does." "No fortune" should be "left to them." The "nest" should always be at their disposal—"father's house open, says Mr. Ruskin—but "nothing more." Mr. Ruskin does not say what he means by "mature age," so that we are left to fix the period of maturity for ourselves. Some would place it at one time, some at another. And, moreover, Mr. Ruskin does not tell us what is to become of the property which would, in ordinary course, be handed over by a father to his children, if he had it to hand over. Is it to go to the State, or to an institution, or to any other relatives than the unfortunate offsprings? "Honorable children," says Mr. Ruskin, "will have their own houses." But that is not always the case; and what is the use of the said children "providing for their parents," if the said parents do not require to be provided for? Mr. Ruskin is good enough to lay down that "no guilt should ever stand between child and parents;" but, though this sounds generous, it is not wholly intelligible. People will still want to know why, if they have the means, they should not "provide for" their children; and the only persons, we fear, who will salute Mr. Ruskin as a prophet are those who may be glad of an excuse for casting their progeny upon the world.—*London Globe*

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Rev. Thomas Spurgeon, son of the great London divine, is pastor of a flourishing Baptist Church in Auckland New Zealand.

—About twenty per cent. of the graduating class at Williams are six feet high or over, or, to be exact, eleven in a class of sixty.—*Troy Times.*

—Christian, make a note of this: The net gain in communicants the past year was *nine times greater* in foreign missions than in Christendom!—*Christian Union.*

—It has been decided to rebuild the Roman Catholic Cathedral at Charleston, S. C., which was burned in the great fire of 1861, and at that time considered the finest ecclesiastical building in the South.

—There are over one thousand members in the three Congregational churches in Scranton, Pa. Between two and three hundred of this number have been admitted since the 1st of January.

—The avarage Sunday plate collections of Rev. Newman Hall's church, in Westminster Bridge Road, London, is $175, and of Rev. C. H. Spurgeon's congregation in the great Tabernable, $345.

—A Boston *Courier* reporter asked the Superintendent of Schools the other day: "How does it happen that there are so many old maids among the school teachers?" and he replied: "Because school teachers are as a rule, women of sense, and no sensible woman will give up a sixty-dollar position for a forty-dollar man."

—The journals of the English Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts are to be printed. It may not be generally known that those journals contain the earliest historical records of the Church in America, Canada, and the West Indies. They will fill five octavo volumes of about 700 pages each, and the cost of the set will be six guineas. Only 250 copies will be printed, unless the number of subscribers who come forward will warrant the issue of 500 copies, in which case the price will be five guineas a set.

—There is a church in Milton County, Georgia, that is badly split up on the subject of cyclone pits. It seems that a goodly number of members of the church have dug cyclone pits, which is considered by a majority of the church as a flagrant violation of their doctrines and a temptation to God to wipe them off the face of the earth. As the pit-diggers were more fearful of cyclones than of the wrath of the majority, they have been turned out of the church. They immediately organized themselves into a church, under the name of Cyclone Primitives.—*Chicago Journal.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—A man is always wanting some or to tell him how handsome he is. A woman will just stand before the glass and see for herself.—*Springfield Register.*

—Scientists claim that cigarette-smoking leads to idiocy. We do not know how true this is, but are satisfied that idiocy leads to cigarette-smoking.—*Texas Siftings.*

—A scientific journal says "few fishes die a natural death." That is not our fault. Just as many die a natural death as if we didn't go a-fishing.—*Norristown Herald.*

—The worm is not the most despised thing in the world when it can sleep in flowers, travel in peaches and rest for the winter in the pious chestnut.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

—An Ohio court decides that a husband is the legal owner of his wife's clothes. It is to be hoped that in the future he will take off his high hat while he and she are at the theater.

—Olive Logan says that the Raphael for which the British Government paid $350,000 is a bad picture. This reconciles us in part to the disappointment in not securing it for our private collection.—*Oil-City Derrick.*

—This is the way the ladies convey their meaning: Mrs. Brown—"How is that dear little baby of yours, Mrs. Smith?" "It was dreadfully sick last week; thought it would die, but it's nearly well now," says Mrs. Smith. "O, I'm so sorry," says Mrs. Brown.—*Pittsburgh Chronicle.*

—A New York lady wants a receipt "for making daisy mats from rickrack braid." If this lady will tell us how to make rickrack braid and what it is like after it is made, we shall be pleased to send a receipt for the mat. It will be a daisy.—*Boston Transcript.*

—Hadn't yet occurred

"Will you walk into my parlor?"
Asked the tonsor of the dude,
Who, clad in corkscrew trousers
And an Anglo-maniac mood,
Said, "Why weally I would like to,
I would upon my word;
But the beard I longing wait for
Somehow hasn't yet occurred."

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AROUND THE CAMP FIRE.

THE SECOND ANNUAL REUNION OF THE G. A. R. ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN MICHIGAN

The Three Days Encampment Held Last Week at Devils Lake—A Large Crowd in Attendance—Lots of Music and Speeches—Camp Fires at Night.

THE FIRST DAY.

The G. A. R. encampment began on Wednesday morning of last week in John Brazee's grove at the north end of Devils Lake. The camp had been put in readiness and tents pitched the day before. The morning of the first day dawned pleasant, and soon after sunrise the vets began to arrive. Soldiers residing in the vicinity came in with teams, while the first trains on the M. & O. brought large additions to the crowd. In honor of the president of the association, Col. O. A. Janes, of Hillsdale, the camp was christened "Camp Janes."

Capt. B. F. Graves acted as commandant of camp and Lieut. W. F. Bradley as adjutant.

The location of the camp was a pleasant and beautiful one, on the east bank of the lake, in a handsome grove, from which the underbrush had been cleared up. The tents were arranged in military order, each row being assigned to a G. A. R. post, who with their friends occupied them. The tents were square, accommodating six to eight persons each. There were 204 tents up belonging to the state and in addition there were quite a number of private tents, some of which were very handsome and comfortably equipped. Each tent put up by the association was supplied with straw, the "vets" supplying their own blankets. The camp presented a beautiful appearance from the lake, the white tents showing through the green foliage in daytime, and the camp fires illuminating the grove at night. Certainly it would be difficult to find a more sightly location for a camp, and the officers of the association deserve the many words of commendation they received for locating the reunion at this place.

The attendance to-day was in the neighborhood of 8000 which more than met public expectation.

The first formal exercises of the day were held at 2 o'clock P.M., which consisted of the annual reunion of the 18th Mich. Infantry. When Capt. Miller, president of the association, took his place on the grand stand and called for order, he was surrounded by 150 or 175 members of the old regiment. In the absence of the regular secretary, D. H. Warren was chosen to that duty. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $29.42 on hand, in view of which, dues for the year 1886 were reduced to 25c. The election of officers was next attended to, and resulted as follows: Pres., C. R. Miller; vice pres., first, Dr. S. P. Root; second, Henry Stevens; third, Fred Bay; Sec., D. H. Warren; Treas., L. B. Wolcott.

President Miller, in a few earnest and fitting remarks, returned thanks for the honor done him. A committee of three, consisting of H. W. Stevens, Dr. Root and Fred Bay was appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Col. Harvey A. Colvin and comrade Greer, the report to be made at the next reunion. An effort was made to fix the place for the next meeting, but every place named was voted down, and to get at a result a committee of three consisting of L. B. Wolcott, Homer Miller and A. Camburn, was given the work, which it did in short metre, naming Hudson, and authorizing the president and secretary to fix upon the day. This arrangement seemed to meet hearty approval.

Letters were then read from absent members of the association. Col. Doolittle the old commander of the regiment, very unexpectedly came upon the scene, and was at once the object of interest to the boys, who as they warmly grasped his hand, were greeted in hearty style. Nothing would do but a speech from the gallant colonel, who would rather charge a battery any time than try to make a speech, but he couldn't get out of it and, in fact, made a pleasant little talk to his old soldiers. Then followed several short talks by different ones, and these were supplemented by old army songs sung as only old soldiers can sing them.

Two bands were in attendance today, the I. O. O. F. of Blissfield and the Dundee City band, and the Jonesville double quartette did the singing.

In the evening a campfire was held. The old vets gathered about the grand stand, the band and glee club lent their assistance, and a kind of a military "love feast" was indulged in. Col. Janes explained what "a campfire" was, and then proceeded to "draft" the lucky ones who were to relate their army experience.

The first man drafted was comrade Mansfield of the old Fourth Infantry.

Next came Capt. C. R. Miller, who promptly toed the mark. His remarks were mostly a eulogy on Gen. Grant.

"Marching through Georgia" was sung and then short speeches were made by comrades Carpenter, of Ypsilanti, and Allen, of Battle Creek.

Then the singers rattled off "When Johnny comes Marching Home."

Comrade Howard, of Litchfield, responded to call with an address that convulsed the old vets. On a bit of cloth held up in view of the audience were sketches of different vermin the memory of which is yet green in the hearts of old soldiers. He said that the duty of praising generals and privates he left to others, his work was to speak of humble acquaintances made in army life yet seldom dwelt upon in speeches. With pointer he indicated each of those old friends beginning with the "grayback." These fellows took the cake; they were no respecters of persons, and after a march the private and the officer might have been seen back of the tent, engaged in a mutual hunt for their little friend who stuck with more than brotherly tenacity. So he went through with the list, accompanied by the uproarious laughter of his appreciative listeners.

J. H. Fee, of the Adrian Times, related his experience, and his remarks were highly appreciated.

Comrades Wade and Smith of Jonesville and Carpenter of Fairfield followed and then the camp fire broke up.

Dancing was indulged in upon the verandah of the hotel and the festivities were kept up until a late hour.

THE SECOND DAY.

This was the "big day" of the encampment. Early in the morning all the roads leading to the camp were lined with teams. Thousands came in this way. The morning trains both ways on the M. & O. road were crowded to overflowing. The train from the east carried a number of notables among whom were Gov. Alger, Congressman O'Donnell, of Jackson, Capt. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, Gen. Sherwood, of Toledo, Col. Long, of Flint, and others. The number of people in the grove during the day must have reached at least 15,000. The camp was crowded and the tents all taken, but there was room enough for all. The detail for the day announced by Adj. Bradley, was as follows: Officer of the day, Fred Bay of Ogden, officer of the guard, J. F. Dickerson of Hudson, sergeant major, Jas. Davis, Dundee.

At 9 o'clock guard mounting occurred in the presence of a large crowd. The movements of the guard were a little shaky and uncertain sometimes, but the adjutant brought things into shape. The trains brought in a number of posts, several in good shape, notably that of Coldwater, which carried muskets and blankets, presenting a very soldierly appearance. The reunion of the old First Infantry came off in the forenoon. There were perhaps thirty members of the old regiment present. Capt. Manly, of Ann Arbor, was made president of the association. Comrade Griffith, of Jackson, was made secretary, and W. A. Edwards was chosen treasurer. A motion was passed declaring entitled to membership in the association all members of the old First regiment and those of the three months' organization. Jackson was named as the place for holding the next reunion, and the officers of the association were made an executive committee to name some day in May next.

The crowds continued to arrive during the entire forenoon, and by noon everybody was ready for dinner. So complete however were the arrangements and plentiful the supply of provisions that before two o'clock the thousands of visitors had been fed, and the fragments that were gathered up would have filled hundreds of baskets.

Promptly at two o'clock the officers and notabilities appeared on the grand stand, and the crowd collected around it to witness the chief literary attraction of the entire three days' reunion. Col. Janes presided, and the first speaker introduced was Gov. Alger. His speech though brief was well received, and put the boys in excellent humor. He was followed by Rev. J. M. Barkley, who had served in the Confederate army, who gave quite a lengthy address. Short speeches were then delivered by Congressman Jas. O'Donnell, of Jackson, Col. Long, Gen. Sherwood, of Toledo, Comrade Gurdon, of Jackson, and Capt. Allen, of Ypsilanti. Lack of space prevents our giving an abstract of these speeches. They were all well received, and they were interspersed with several fine choruses by the quartette club. Thousands of people continued standing for nearly two hours during these exercises, and were held interested till the close. It was a magnificent crowd to talk to, and the speakers seemed to catch the inspiration of the occasion.

At four o'clock occurred the dress parade in which all the G. A. R. Posts present joined. The Blissfield band and Co. C, M. S. T. of Tecumseh were also in line. The parade was one of the features of the days entertainment and was witnessed by almost the entire crowd on the grounds. The parade itself took place on the flat at the north end of the lake, while the rising ground to the north and east furnished a magnificent position for the spectators to witness the evolutions of the soldiers. The boys in blue at the bottom of the hill and the crowds on the surrounding slopes resembled a vast amphitheater which of itself was a beautiful sight.

The camp fire in the evening brought out another good crowd and an entertaining program. Col. Janes presided in his usually happy manner and the drafting began, the President remarking that every man who was drafted would be expected to bring a rail or a log to keep the fire alive.

Capt. Allen was the first man drafted, and he was followed by Capt. Graves of Adrian, Gen. Parkhurst of Coldwater, and Col. Pond of Quincy. Mrs. Emma S. Hampton, of the state woman's relief corps, then gave a very interesting talk setting forth the objects and workings of that organization.

Capt. Lardie, who was an orderly to Gen. Grant, and O. S. Rogers of Adrian gave their experience and the program for the day closed.

THE THIRD DAY.

The crowd was by no means as large as yesterday although it must have numbered 4000, and the weather was delightful. The detail for the day was as follows:

Officer of the day, F. A. Reynolds, of Coldwater; officer of the guard, S. S. Church, of Hudson; sergeant major, E. G. Babcock, of Adrian. Guard mounting attracted a large number of witnesses.

The business meeting took place at 10 o'clock, and the interest manifested in it showed that the boys realize that they have got a good thing in this association, and have no idea of putting it in jeopardy, or suffering harm to come to it. The following officers were chosen by acclamation:

President—Col. O. A. Janes.
Vice Pres.—Capt. B. F. Graves.
Secretary—Col. Smith.
Treasurer—Capt. E. P. Allen.

Members of the executive committee are to be elected by the respective posts in the organization, and the names of the persons chosen are to be promptly sent to the association.

The competitors drill announced to occur in the afternoon had been looked forward to with considerable interest, it being understood that there would be three entries for the prize, a handsome silk post flag worth $75. At two o'clock the crowd gathered on the rising grounds about the drill ground, and the three companies escorted by the camp band marched into the field. The judges, Capt. L. J. Allen, of Battle Creek, Maj. S. Howell, of Adrian, and Lieut. H. V. D. Baker, of Hillsdale, took their position.

The posts were called according to number. First came Butterworth post, No. 109, of Coldwater, with 28 men, Comrade N. A. Reynolds commanding. Next came DeGolyer post, Hudson, No. 110, with 27 men, Comrade James B. Dickerson commanding, and last, James Stewart post, No. 259, Litchfield, 27 men, Comrade L. A. Howard commanding. Marking was made on three points: 1st, uniform and appearance; 2d, marching and steadiness; 3d, execution. Each of the three companies did remarkably well, in view of the fact that the men saw active service almost a quarter of a century ago. The boys certainly had not forgotten the lessons of those days. The contest was very close between the Coldwater and Litchfield boys, and Hudson's delegation, did some fine marching, but the banner was awarded to Coldwater. The presentation was made by Col. Janes, and briefly replied to by Judge Reynolds. A second and third prizes, with due personal compliments, were given to Stewart and Detroiyer posts respectively. The judges had a delicate and difficult task, but their judgement was accepted as fair and impartial.

At the close of the drill the vets began to strike their tents and were soon on the march for home. Many left by teams, and the night trains carried the remaining ones. The universal expression among the vets was that the camp had been a grand success, and that these annual reunions must be continued, while the thousands of outsiders who visited the camp during all of the three days were equally well pleased with the proceedings.

About 800 names were registered at the quartermaster's desk, indicating that many members of the association were present. Following is a list of the posts present:

No. 2, C. O. Loomis, Quincy.
No. 6, C. J. Dickerson, Hillsdale.
No. 10, William Bell, Dundee.
No. 25, David Becker, Odgen Center.
No. 33, Myron Baker, Morenci.
No. 45, Woodbury, Adrian.
No. 88, Corbin, Union City.
No. 109, Butterworth, Coldwater.
No. 110, DeGolyer, Hudson.
No. 140, Beers, Tecumseh.
No. 185, Hackett, Bronson.
No. 189, T. S. Meade, North Adams.
No. 219, Henry Baxter, Jonesville.
No. 222, James A. Eaton, Britton.
No. 256, Archibald Stuart, Litchfield.
No. 273, Kennedy, Hanover.
No. 274, Lucius Taylor, Milan.
No. 277, Addison, Addison.
No. 282, James Rice, Camden.

BLANK CARTRIDGES.

Devils Lake is badly in need of a postoffice and a telegraph station. Col. Eldridge forwarded a petition for the establishment of a postoffice sometime ago. Everyone expected it would be granted some time since.

The M. & O. road contemplate building a depot and establishing a telegraph office there. Both these improvements will be made before the opening of another season.

It was the universal verdict that no better place could have been found in Southeastern Michigan for holding the reunion.

There was enough music on Thursday to satisfy the most fastidious. Six bands and a double quartette glee club were on the ground. Strains of music were echoing through the grove during every hour of the day. The bands present were the Blissfield I. O. O. F., the Dundee City, the Tecumseh Cornet, the Wheatland, the North Adams and the North Ovid.

Notwithstanding the immense crowd there was no lack of accommodations. Those who brought their own "grub" were, of course, satisfied, while those who preferred good square meals, found them at Brazee's Hotel or at the other hotels around the lake.

A well known Adrian lady was shadowed for an hour on suspicion of being the person who "lifted" Uncle Alvin's pocketbook. When her identity was learned a suitable explanation and apology followed. Both the officers and the lady were considerably amagrined over the matter.

Over 400 people were fed at Allen's Devils Lake House on Thursday.

The City of Hudson and Little Bevy did a thriving business during the entire three days of the encampment.

The crowd overflowed to the other resorts. Beardsell's and Allen's hotels on the south side were crowded with guests.

Pass. Agt. McHugh, of the M. & O., made his head quarters at the lake during the camp and was running back and forth each way on the special trains. Many of the specials were run under his personal supervision, and he was untiring in his efforts to promote the comfort of the passengers.

The M. & O. road, with the facilities at their command, did remarkably well, in accommodating the immense crowd.

The Blissfield I. O. O. F. band was employed by the Association and was on the grounds during the entire three days. The band has sixteen members, all of whom were present. Their music was first class.

The Co. C. delegation went up on the special Thursday morning and returned the same night. They had no thought of going until Wednesday, but over half the membership turned out. They made a fine appearance on drill and added an important feature to the dress parade of Thursday afternoon. Capt. Wood was highly pleased with the way the boys deported themselvys.

Beers Post, of Tecumseh, was there in good numbers but some of them returned home on Thursday evening.

Eaton Post, of Ridgeway, turned out to a man and they remained to see the whole show through.

The Addison Post was on hand with full ranks and made a very creditable appearance.

"Does the wine of life intoxicate" was one of the leading questions in camp. A few old vets were inclined to think that it did.

Butterworth Post took the prize banner and they deserved it. There was no kicking against the decision.

SIGNS OF RETURNING PROSPERITY.

It is undeniable that a better feeling exists in most business circles at this at this time than has been apparent for some time past. The cause of the perceptible awakening it would be idle to seek, for if there is any one thing which wise economists and sagacious business men have failed utterly to fathom or comprehend it is the underlying reasons for what are popularly known as good or bad times. It is enough now to know that nearly everywhere the feeling exists that things have been in the dumps long enough, and that business operations on a more extended scale may be entered upon with some degree of safety. This phase of the commercial and financial problem it is easy to understand. It is the return of confidence. When there is confidence there is prosperity, but when confidence is withdrawn many interests languish. Just now the brightness visible in the business world is due to the increasing feeling of security.

The corn crop, which is now practically beyond danger, promises an enormous yield, and this fact alone is of immense value to the general commercial situation. Though the yield of wheat is in many places disappointing, the prospect of higher prices is encouraging to the farmer, and, when considered in relation to the improved prospects in other lines, not disheartening to the consumer. In the iron industry, in railroad construction and in the countless branches of manufacturing there are evidences of new life, while the belief of merchants that the fall movement of merchandise is to be of more than ordinary volume is based on prospects and substantial information which are considerably more cheering than anything that has come to hand before since the collapse of values in 1881. With money plenty and therefore cheap, with a noticeable improvement in the willingness and ability of the people to buy, and with a most emphatic change in the ideas of moneyed men as to the safety of investment in productive enterprises, there seems to be no reason why we should not soon find ourselves once more a prosperous and contented people. The word "go" has certainly been passed along the lines, and, if the resumption of activity can be attended by conservatism and sound sense, there appears to be but one reason why the country cannot hope for a long era of prosperity.

That is the protective tariff. With the monopoly features of that oppressive and illusive system of taxation destroyed, and with the admission to our ports free of duty of all raw materials, the manufacturing and general mercantile trade of the country would receive a healthful stimulus which would be of inestimable value. When that time comes, as it undoubtedly will, American products will find their way to all parts of the world in increasing quantities, and, supplied on the one hand with open markets and relieved on the other of an unjust and burdensome taxation, America will be prosperous because it will be wisely governed.—Chicago Herald.

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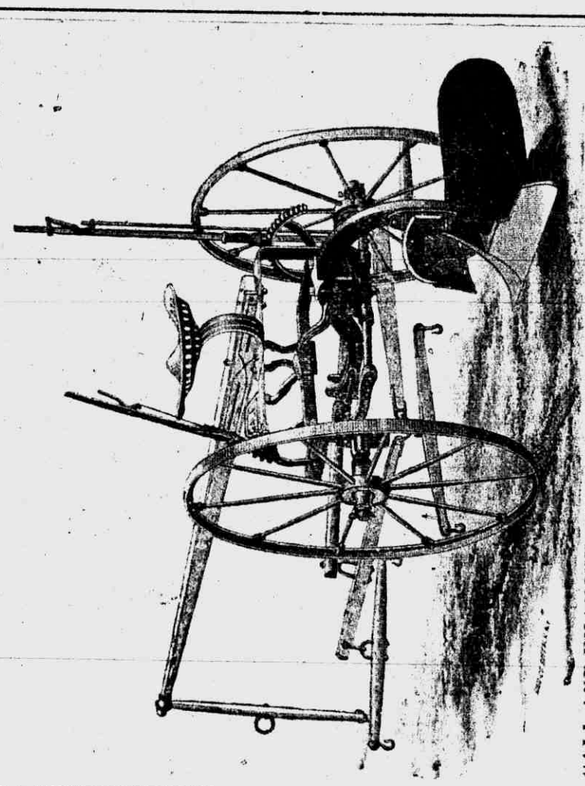
CALL AND EXAMINE. The only authorized agent in this vicinity for the GALE PLOWS and EXTRAS.
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GREAT SALE
Of Fine and Medium
FURNITURE
During the Next Six Weeks I will make prices that will be sure to move a large portion of my present stock. I want a
Few Thousand Dollars in Cash Immediately.
I would kindly inform those that have unsettled accounts on my books I would like a settlement at once. I can't chase after you, but will send statement through the mail.
My Undertaking Department is Complete
And prices Very Reasonable.
WM. McCOWEN.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SEED WHEAT.—I have a quantity of genuine Martin's Amber Wheat for sale, at one dollar per bushel.
B. H. PENNINGTON,
Macon, Mich.

SEWING.—I have returned from Detroit and can now be found at my rooms in Mrs. Wm. Harris's residence, prepared to do sewing of all kinds.
BETSEY THOMPSON.

SUGAR SEED WHEAT.—500 bu. of the above variety for sale. This wheat is a fine red, bearded white chaff variety. Very hardy and early ripened. Straw strong, medium length, and free from rust. Yielded for me on corn ground the present year 36 bu., machine measure, and 62 lbs. by weight. Price $1.25 per bu. Samples may be seen at Anderson's grocery store or left at Herald office. Test 64½ lbs. per bu.
T. D. STRONG, Tecumseh, Mich.

VIOLIN FOR SALE.—A first-class violin and sweet sounding, will be sold cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

SPECIAL TRIAL TRIP OFFER.

We offer the Tecumseh HERALD and the Detroit Weekly Free Press to new subscribers on a trial trip of four months, at the nominal sum of fifty cents for both papers. No such offer has ever been made by this paper before and likely never will be again. This offer will be withdrawn on Saturday, Oct. 3rd, 1885. Pass in your half dollars at once.

The Pretty School Ma'am.

'Tis now that the school ma'am begins to remember
She's drawing quite near to the month of September,
And having enjoyed herself through the vacation
She views its conclusion with much tribulation.
She feels so much happier, healthier, stronger,
She wishes the season would last a month longer.
She's been through the round of delightful diversions,
Has attended the Sunday School picnic excursions.
And seen many genteel and gentlemanly faces,
To be found at the fashionable watering places.
She feels that the school statute should be amended,
And the summer vacation should now be extended.
That she can't settle down to school duties so sober,
A single day prior to the first of October,
And the urchins, who sit on the dam catching fishes,
When they haul out a bull-head, will echo her wishes.

—Remodeled from Boston Courier.

John F. Murray, of Detroit, was in town Tuesday.

Will Wooden, of Battle Creek, is in town this week.

Miss Jennie Chase, of Kalamazoo, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Slade of Buffalo, is the guest of H. T. Dunn, this week.

Jas. McCowen has gone to Monroe for a few days recreation.

Frank Silvers lost a horse valued at $200 last Friday. The horse died.

Miss Nellie Reynolds is keeping books in Anderson's grocery store.

The Patterson House opens to the public to-day with Harry Lee at the helm.

The noon train on the Jackson Branch was nearly two hours late last Tuesday.

Mrs. Jas. Curry and children start to-day for Grand Rapids for a two weeks visit.

Clem Bramble returned home last Friday from a visit of two or three weeks at Kalamazoo.

L. F. Wheeler took a lot of fine instantaneous views at the G. A. R. encampment last week.

Mrs. Jas. Wynans, of Toledo, nee Hattie Baxter, has been visiting at her old home for a few days.

Strong & McNair have a new advertising card this week, calling attention to their new fall goods.

"An Important Lesson" will be the subject of the sermon at the Universalist church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

Mrs. Dr. Justin Gates and daughters, from San Francisco, were the guests of M. P. Brown and family this week.

Danforth Keyes took possession of the Clinton postoffice last Monday. His daughter will act as his assistant in the office.

Miss Mamie Spafford, of this village has secured a position in the Brooklyn Exponent office. She left for that place last Monday.

A big crowd attended the rink last evening and Manager Cash was happy. About eighteen were there from Adrian, and several from Manchester.

Mrs. Collins, of Toledo, a cousin of Mrs. P. J. Welling, with two children, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Welling a day or two. She expects to return this afternoon.

Prof. Hammond wishes all pupils who have been examined, and all present members of the High School, to present themselves on Saturday to be classified. All non-resident pupils who design attending school during the fall term should also be present on Saturday for examination and classification.

Mrs. N. B. Bacon, of Toledo, accompanied by her two children, is boarding at Mrs. H. Webster's on Union street. She is the wife of architect Bacon of that city and a sister of President Cleveland's. She comes here to escape the heat and dust of the city and enjoy a little pure country air, and expects to remain two or three weeks.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT., 3, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Harry Snell spent last Sunday in Tecumseh.

Annual School meeting next Monday evening.

Will Anderson and wife are spending the week with friends at Mendon, Mich.

E. L. Hough and E. B. Anderson, were rusticating at Devils lake from Friday until Tuesday.

Will Bass, of Lawrence, VanBuren Co., a nephew of C. C. Tefft's, was in town the first of the week.

W. T. Eccles had a large ice cream trade with the hotels at Devil's lake during the encampment.

Miss Betsey Thompson who has been in Detroit for the past two weeks returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Fulton and Miss Ella Fulton are enjoying their visit among old Tecumseh friends very much.

John R. Clarke has leased a site for a cottage on the south side of Sand Lake, and will erect a cottage thereon early next season.

C. L. Waring, of Holland, who has been vititing his Ridgeway friends for a few days, returned to his railroad duties last Saturday.

A. A. Kennedy has sold his house and lot in the village to John Van Gieson, the junior partner in the firm of Temple McClure & Co.

The Lilley House office has been remodeled and greatly improved in appearance and convenience since Landlord DeLano took possession.

We have received a calender of the Michigan State Normal School for the current year. The fall term will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 10th.

John Brighton, of Cambridge, threshed out twelve acres of wheat last week raised on Jeff. Loudens farm which yielded 42 bushels per acre.

Mr. Walter S. Merritt and Miss Nellie Merritt, from Orland, Indiana, are visiting Mr. Merritt's sister, Mrs. D. W. Clark, and other friends in this vicinity.

John R. Clarke is enjoying a few days respite with his family at home. But he cannot be wholly idle. In the meantime he delivers a few lectures in this vicinity.

On talking with Jas. Glasgow, bag gage master at the Lake Shore depot, we learned that his receipts for extra baggage during the month of August footed up $43.90.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Vassar, a former Ridgeway boy and a graduate of our High School, was the conductor of the Tuscola county teacher's institute held last week.

The fall term of the Tecumseh schools will begin on Monday next. Prof. Hammond begins his fourth year as Superintendent under the most favorable auspices.

The Patterson will soon be opened to the public again. Harry Lee is now purchasing the furniture and will have the House very handsomely furnished in a few days.

Geo. Hollister has beaten his own score on cabbage heads. He brought in one last Monday which equalled the thirteen pounder of last week and went half a pound better.

Hudson is putting on airs. Two or three of her stalwart citizens have lately bought plug hats, and the street commissioner has been compelled to trim up the village shade trees to save the hats.

We received a letter last week—minus the contents. There was a four cent stamp on the outside and nothing inside. The envelope had been left unsealed and the contents had departed on some other road. Seal your letters.

Mr. J. H. Bortle and wife, of Saline were in town Monday, enroute to Devils Lake for a few days. Mr. Bortle lived in Tecumseh when a boy, and in the summer of 1852 he worked in the HERALD office when B. L. Baxter had the editorial management of the paper.

We took supper at Allen's Devils Lake House on the last day of the encampment. Upon looking over the register we found a large number of Tecumseh names thereon. Among the recent arrivals there we noted these—J. S. Strong, J. L. Waldo, E. L. Hough, E. B. Anderson, L. B. Stevens, E. S. Tate and wife, E. G. Cook, J. Davidson, B. F. DePuy, J. H. Smith, Geo. Knapp, A. W. Slayton, C. A. McNeil, Webb Anderson, H. C. Conklin.

The venal editor of the Tecumseh Herald recently inveighed against the piety of a RECORD scribe, and was requested to name weapons and the time. He has chosen jack-knives. Had he selected the weapon so successfully used by Samson against the Philistines, both parties to this unhappy quarrel would have been "heeled" without expense. Nature armed them.—Adrian Record.

We cheerfully accept the amendment. These be hard times and even jack-knives cost money. Our jack-knife had not been purloined and "hung up" for cigars and that's where we had the advantage of editor Smith.

The autumn of 1885 was ushered in last Tuesday.

The Brooklyn fair will be held next week, Sept. 8th to 11th inclusive.

Chas. Gridley has a position in Lowry's grocery store. He commenced work last week.

Wm. Sutton and daughter, of Battle Creek, visited N. M. Sutton's family last Monday.

There will be a special communication of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69 F. & A. M. to-morrow evening.

Our old friend Bert Tribou now fills the position of first tenor in St. Patricks church choir in Detroit.

A leak has sprung in the water pipes somewhere and workmen have been digging since Monday to find the leak.

The September term of the Lenawee County Circuit Court began last Tuesday with an unusually large calendar.

Adamson Bros. have recently put in some splendid new show cases, which adds very much to the already neat appearance of their store.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brooks, of Saginaw, were the guests over Sunday of Mrs. P. Bills. Mr. Brooks returned home on Monday and she will remain until Saturday.

Mr. Brezee, of Morenci, the Agent for Lenawee County of Gen. Grant's Memoirs was in town Monday and Tuesday soliciting orders for that work. He ought to get a good list of subscribers here.

Jerry Root says: "The old Globe Mill will run right along just the same during Mr. Hayden's absence." Of course it will. Mr. Hayden is exceedingly fortunate in having so good a business manager. He can leave for a play spell at any time, and the old mill grinds right on.

The stores in the Patterson block occupied by Sutton Fairfield & Co. and by W. & S. W. Anderson & Co. will be enlarged by an extension of twenty feet at the rear end of each. Jas. W. Patterson is always ready to accommodate his tenants by making desired improvements.

Mr. Wm. Hayden and wife and son Levi left home Monday to attend a reunion of the Hayden family which was held yesterday at the old Hayden homestead at Hayden station near Windsor Conn. After a brief sojourn there, they will visit Boston, New York and other eastern cities and will be gone several days.

An article on carpet bugs which originally appeared in this paper, was "pirated" by a Bay City newspaper, and since that time has been going the rounds of the state press conveniently credited to an "exchange." An editor always delights to see his literary efforts credited to an exchange. Carve 'em up without credit, brethren. We are not after fame, but simply aim to do good.—Adrian Record.

Last Monday the Adrian Record completed the first year of its record under the present proprietor. It is no disparagement to the many good newspapers of Lenawee County to say that the Record is among the best of them. It is one of the newsiest and spiciest exchanges that reaches our table. With Beakes at the business desk and Smith driving the editorial quill the paper is bound to prosper. The Record begins its second year with most flattering prospects.

The "Personal Memoirs of U. S. Grant" will be published in two volumes. The first vol. will be ready for distribution in Dec. next, and will contain 584 pages, 38 chapters and 15 maps. The second vol. will be ready for distribution in March next and will contain over 600 pages, 40 chapters and about 40 maps. Valuable fac-similes of important letters and documents never before published, and fine steel plates and etchings, executed expressly for these volumes make it a work of inestimable value.

The Harbor Springs Daily Resorter of last Saturday contains this item:—Oscar. P. Bills returned to Harbor Point yesterday, having stopped over a few days at his home in Tecumseh on his way back from Mexico with Gen. Church. Mr. Bills enjoyed his trip very much, and saw much to interest and instruct. His descriptions of his journey and the people and institutions of Mexico, which are so behind the age as to be almost ancient, are very entertaining. Business there is dull, mining is the principal industry, the common people are ignorant serfs, the wealthy are too often ignorant bigots, the women lack intelligence and refinement, and the men are cruel and treacherous.

Those desiring to procure the "Personal memoirs of U. S. Grant" can do so by giving their order to Mr. E. A. Hodges who has been appointed agent for Tecumseh and vicinity. There are a number of other publications out, written and compiled by other parties, purporting to be the life of Gen. Grant. But those wishing the work written by the "Dead General" can only get it by giving their order to authorized agents. In order that the public may not be deceived we will give the names of the publishers and agents. The publishers of the real work of Gen. Grant are Chas. L. Webster & Co. of N. Y. The state agent for Mich. is H. G. Allen, of Grand Rapids. W. H. Brazee, agent for Lenawee Co. and E. A. Hodges for Tecumseh.

W. T. Eccles went to Devil's lake last Monday on business.

Bert Waring arrived in town Tuesday from Peoria and expects to remain here a few weeks.

El. Cairns and Geo. Hanford started for Buffalo last Saturday. They expect to be gone a week.

Will DesAutels, formerly of this place, but now attending school at Kalamazoo was in town this week.

Frank Hall, one of the graduates from the high school started for Lansing last Monday to attend the Agricultural college there this winter.

W. W. Cummer, president of the Cummer Lumber Co. and acting mayor of Cadilac, is putting in his vacation at the Mt. Clemens springs.

David McNah, Geo. VanTyne, Thos. and Geo. Adamson, went to Adrian yesterday as witnesses in the suit of The People vs. Wm. Carroll.

John R. Clarke will not speak at East Tecumseh on the 7th, on account of the annual School meeting that night, but Tuesday evening, the 15th.

The Clinton Woolen factory is now running a full force of hands and turning out about 5000 yards of cloth per week. They are making a very fine quality of goods.

Rain and cold weather are seriously damaging corn in Calhoun county, but oats, though suffering, will average nearly a full crop, and wheat a large and fine one.

Wm. McCowen, Tecumseh's old furniture dealer, has a new announcement in our advertising columns this week, which people should read. There is money in it.

The new course in mechanics will be opened next term, which commences Wednesday, at the state agricultural college. Tuition will be free and candidates must be over 16.

On Thursday evening, Sept. 17th. L. F. Wheeler will give one of his illustrated entertainments in the Opera House. The views shown will be in Holland, Norway, Sweden, Russia and Spain.

Miss Lula Monaghan, who has been spending her vacation with friends in Tecumseh and Jackson, departed yesterday for Calumet, to take her old position in the Calumet schools next Monday.

We hear that one of our citizens was chased by a large hog, while rusticating at Sand Lake, one day last week. He escaped being "chawed" up by the savage beast by taking refuge up a ladder.—Clinton Local.

Our friends will please bear in mind that the HERALD will go to press hereafter promptly at seven o'clock Thursday morning. All new advertising and local items must be handed in Wednesday forenoon.

Baptist services will be held at the Opera House until the church improvements are completed. The county press will please let us down as lightly as possible.—Hudson Gazette.

As the Baptist church of Tecumseh is in the same situation, we kindly refrain from any comments.

John Hughes, who works for Mr. Lilley had a severe attack of heart disease last Monday. While walking along in front of his house he suddenly fell to the ground insensible. Dr. North was called and he was taken in the house where restoratives were administered and he was made as comfortable as possible. He is now on the gain.

Mrs. Robert McCollum, of Franklin, met with quite a serious accident one day last week. She and her daughter had just returned from Tecumseh with the horse and buggy and while in the act of alighting from the buggy the horse started, overturned the vehicle and threw Mrs. McCollum out. She was badly bruised and two ribs were broken. It was a very narrow escape from a fatal accident.

Uncle Alvin Osborn and G. T. Harris, of Woodstock, were relieved of their pocket books at the G. A. R. camp. Mr. Osborn lost $30 and Mr. Harris mourns the loss of $175. It was a fine crowd for the light fingered gentry to operate in. We are a little surprised that Uncle Alvin should be caught in that way. He might better have paid double subscription on the Courier.—Addison Courier.

Grandma VanVleet, of this village, is now in the eighty-fourth year of her age, and is as hale and spry as a girl of sixteen. We are informed that during one year of her early life she made 100 pounds of butter, dried 1,200 weight of apples, spun and knit fifteen pairs of socks and did the chores and her housework, besides attending to the wants of a sick husband. Who beats this record or says that our ladies are being killed by work?—Addison Courier.

The most pleasant party that Tecumseh young folks have enjoyed this season was held at the Patterson house Tuesday evening. About sixteen couples were present and whirled around in the "mazy daizy" until the midnight hour. The dining room, which was used by the dancers was just large enough to accommodate those present, and the young manager whose efforts were the cause of such an enjoyable occasion, should be congratulated on the success of his undertaking.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The fall term of the west Blissfield school began last Monday.

An Adrian man closed his store to attend the G. A. R. reunion at Devils lake.

John R. Clarke was "Hitting and Missing" the good people of Medina last week.

There are 25 postoffices in Michigan that will deliver letters under the special delivery system.

The gentlemanly burglar has been doing Fairfield, but he didn't find it a very fair field to work in.

Arrangements are in progress for a grand exhibition of horses and colts at Dundee, to come off soon.

A weather vane now surmounts the engine house at Morenci. They are always making improvements of some kind in that lively burg.

Fountain Valley is the name of one of Morenci's suberbs. It is a very poetical name, but sneak thieves steal chickens there just the same.

Adam Stetton's barn, in Ogden, was struck by lightning fifteen times last week and escaped uninjured. Ogden barns are proof against lightning.

Street Commissioner Jordan is casting up the highways of Tecumseh, and they do say that Jordan's is not a hard road to travel.—Adrian Record.

Very correct, neighbor, very correct.

Mrs. Love, of Blissfield, is ahead, at last accounts. Having repaired her dam, she announces that "she is now prepared to receive and grind all kinds of grain."

The Jasper schoolmaster walks four miles to his school in the morning, and home again at night. He must be too tired to wollop the scholars much during the day.

Mr. Stuck, of Lyons, Ohio, sued Mr. Schot for wages as fiddler in a dance band and attached a span of horses. The suit came off last week and Stuck got stuck. Schot shot ahead in the legal race.

Henry Holcomb will be tried at the next term of the Hillsdale county court for perjury, growing out of the trial of his brother Dan, who, with Jud Crouch, was charged with the murder of the Crouch family.

President F. A. Dewey, will be unable on account of illness, to attend the County Pioneer meeting to be held at Morenci this week. It will be the first Pioneer meeting he has missed attending in eleven years.

A Baptist minister was once asked how it was that he consented to the marriage of his daughter to a Presbyterian. "Well, my dear friend," he replied, "as far as I have been able to discover, Cupid never studied theology."

The speeding of horses on the Dundee track (Tecumseh street) is of frequent occurrence nowadays. It is said that the village ordinance limiting fast driving to six miles an hour has not been violated as yet.—Dundee Reporter.

The flowers are blooming as profusely as ever this year on the farm of the Cook Bros, just north of Rollin. The careful attention they receive from the ladies of the home insures the rarest of nature's gifts in beauty and fragrance.—Hudson Gazette.

Fairfield grange will hold a "long feet" festival in a grove near Baker's cheese factory, next Thursday.—Adrian Record. Well, well! We've heard about Chicago girls, but didn't suppose there was material right here in Michigan for a festival of that kind.—Evening News.

A bad job was done at the new cemetery last week. A man, advertising himself as an adept at cleaning marble, contracted with the owners of several monuments and head markers to clean them up, and put on a preparation, supposed to be muriatic acid, which completely destroyed the polish, and made the stones as porous as honey comb. There is considerable indignation over the affair.—Hudson Post.

Editor Smith, of the Adrian Record, visited Petoskey on the late press excursion. He remembers it too. He read John R. Clarke's late letter in the HERALD and broke out in the following soliloquy:

"Beautiful Petoskey" is the way John R. Clarke heads a letter from that celebrated resort of baggage fiends. Yes, we know it—been there. Baggage taken to the wrong hotel half a mile away. Baggage grabber wanted a quarter for misdelivering it. Said would see him in Chicago first. And yet we have no malice against Chicago.

During the excursion of the Michigan editors, in July last, a committee was appointed by the state association, to act in conjunction with a like committee from the western Michigan press association, to procure a testimonial for Hon. Perry Hannah, of Traverse City, as evidence of the appreciation the editors of the state had of his efforts for their pleasure and comfort. Funds were raised for the purpose, and the joint committee met in Detroit, on yesterday. M. S. Smith & Co. will manufacture the proposed memento, which will be ready for delivery about the first of October.—Adrian Times.

TRIED TO SAW OUT.

Yesterday afternoon Turnkey Smith at the jail thought there was considerable noise and hilarity among the prisoners. They were singing, dancing and apparently having a good time generally, and seemed to be disposed to make as much noise as possible. John became suspicious that all that noise was for the purpose of covering up some deliry, and going to a peep hole which commanded a view of the interior, he beheld one of the men industriously sawing away at the bars of a cell. All the cell doors were open but the access to the corridor around the cells was closed. It was evidently the scheme to cut the cell bars so as to furnish adumittance to the corridor from which the bars of the outer windows could be gained. If these could in like manner be sawed off escape would be easy. Sawing the outer bars could be accomplished in the night when the cells would be supposed to be securely closed. Smith observed the process of sawing for some time, till at length the sheriff arrived. There were several parties in the cell, the bars of which were being sawed. The machinery for closing the cells is such that all of them can be instantly closed from the office, it not being necessary to go inside the jail proper for this purpose. Suddenly, to the astonishment of the song singing sawyers, the cell doors closed upon them. Four were inside the cell in question, but one succeeded in darting into the hall between the cells before the doors closed. The other three were caged, however, and the officers proceeded thither after securing the others in the various cells. A search was made of the prisoners, and the bunk investigated from which was drawn forth a case knife, which had been nicked into the semblance of a saw, and indeed seemed to serve admirably in that capacity. Thus failed the little scheme for a general jail delivery. The names of the three men who were the principals in the attempt to escape are John Moore, William Carroll and August Ganschaw. Carroll is one of the subjects of sympathy who evoked a pardon from the tender heart of Uncle Josiah Begole, and was sent up for assault with intent to kill Dr. Hause of Tecumseh. Carroll has been repeatedly under arrest since his release. Ganschaw was arrested for the Clayton burglary.—Adrian Record of Thursday, Aug. 27.

George Schreder is clerking in W. T. Eccles' store.

—Ho! all lovers of good bread.—Always buy Heck's White Foam Patent flour, and you will never be disappointed. It will never deceive you. It is the best.

—The Improved White is the easiest running, most noiseless and durable machine. There are no cog-wheels in the White to break, and make a noise. This is a point to be well considered before buying a machine. Call and see the Automatic White, single thread, no shuttle. G. P. Sparks.

—Buy the Noiseless Light Running New Home Sewing Machine. Remember this machine is warranted to be entirely free from raw hide and cotton batting. Drop me a postal card for prices. B. J. Coller, Gen. Agent, Adrian.

—You can buy a new nine hoe force feed drill for $40, of
C. A. Slayton.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

—Salmon, codfish, mackerel, halibut, and in fact all kinds of fresh and salt fish can be procured at the old reliable market of Jim Cole.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—The best flour for ordinary domestic use sold in this market is that manufactured at the old Globe Mills.

—The old Globe Mills' patent process flour takes the whole bakery.

—For a fine single harness, a light double harness, or a heavy work harness, call on C. A. Slayton.

Big bargains in carriages or Farm Wagons.

—The "Globe Mills Pastry" leads all the brands of flour in this market.

—MARTIN AMBER WHEAT—Is the cheapest and best seed wheat you can sow. It is perfectly hardy, very productive, free from weavil or rust, and requires but three pecks of seed to the acre. The Ohio experimental Station reports a yield of 43 bushels to the acre (from three pecks sown) and also that it is the hardiest, most productive and best wheat tested. Pure clean seed for sale at $1.50 per bushel.
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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Accom
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Tipton	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Hudson	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Blissfield	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Petersburg	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Monroe	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Delaware	10 26 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 50 A.M.	6 45 P.M.	.....
Delaware	10 39 "	7 55 "	.....
Monroe	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Petersburg	12 01 P.M.	9 31 "	6 00 "
Dundee	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Blissfield	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Adrian	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Hudson	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Napoleon	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "
Jackson			

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Bakersley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 55	3 03	
Kunkle	9 20	9 00	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Basin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cores	10 42	10 42	4 48	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Bellerville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Bellerville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 33	2 20	8 33
Cores	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Basin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 05	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Bakersley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

G. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.
Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	A.M.			P. M.	A. M.	
5 45	10 10		A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
6 00	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
7 01	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 09	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
9 05	1 38		Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
9 25	1 50		Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
9 44	2 05		Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
9 57	2 17		Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
10 15	2 36		A Battle Crk L	12 44	6 30	7 03
P. M.	2 56		Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
	4 04		Yorkville	12 20		6 35
	3 10		Richland	12 15		6 29
	3 28		Doster	11 58		6 12
	3 45		Montcalm	11 43		5 55
	3 53		Fisk	11 35		5 47
	3 59		Kellogg	11 30		5 37
	4 10		A...Allegan ...L	11 20		5 25
	5 25		Holland	10 15		3 30
	6 30		Grand Rapids	9 15		
	6 30		Grand Haven	9 00		2 10
	6 35		Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
	7 10		Muskegon	8 15		1 20
	10 10		Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
	P.M. A			L A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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INDIAN CUSTOMS.

A Woman's Experience in the Haunts of the Noble Red Man.

A woman of this city who has several times visited the frontier as a guest of acquaintances in the regular army was speaking the other day of her experiences last summer. She was one of a party of ten, among them two or three women from the East, who were visiting at one of the frontier posts. A gallant officer conceived the idea of a trip lasting several weeks, which should include the various Indian agencies and army posts of the Northwest. The women were particularly delighted with the idea and the party set out.

In speaking of Lo, the traveler said: "If you want to know what real dirtiness is, you ought, without doubt, to see the inside of an Indian tepee. And until you have do not consider yourself capable of judging in such matters." These uncleanly habits, she thought, were innate, for the Indians abhor water as much as a dog attacked with rabies.

At the Pine Ridge Indian Agency, considered the typical one in the country, and which is presided over by Agent McGillicuddy, is a mission school conducted by Mrs. McGillicuddy, a woman of superior education and refinement. The little Indian girls live in the school-building, which is conducted as are Eastern seminaries for young women. One day two of the little girls, about ten and twelve years old, ran away from the school and returned to the wigwam of their parents, who at once brought them back. Mrs. McGillicuddy thought they ought to be punished, and discussed with the squaw the advisability of a whipping, but was told in substance it would do no good; that the most severe and effective punishment possible to inflict would be an extra bath that week, which was administered, much to the discomfiture of the children. It had its effect, however, and they were among the most obedient thereafter. She agrees with all authorities as to the constitutional laziness of the noble red man.

A number of humorous incidents that happened while on the trip were related. While at one of the agencies, one Sunday, the Indians were gathered near the officers' quarters devoutly performing certain religious duties. An officer induced a young woman from one of the Eastern cities, who was possessed of a remarkably heavy head of blonde hair, reaching to the ground, to allow it to flow loosely and let the Indians admire it. She at once became the center of attraction, to the utter neglect of the religious ceremonies. They gathered about her in swarms, and manifested their pleasure at the sight by jumping about, rubbing their hands and gesticulating wildly. They pronounced it the finest scalp they had ever seen. The young woman was badly frightened, and the rest of her stay at that place was made rather unpleasant from the fact that the Indians manifested such an admiration for her that she was afraid to venture out. One evening during their stay at the Pine Ridge Agency the party attended church in the little Episcopal chapel. When they went in all was perfectly quiet, but services had hardly begun when they were startled by a terrible excitement among the Indians. Dr. McGillicuddy endeavored to quiet them, but was unable to do so. The cause of the commotion was that news had been received announcing the death of White-Thunder, a very popular Chief on one of the other reservations. The despair of the Indians seemed so intense and their grief so uncontrollable that the question was asked: "Why do they wail and moan so loudly?" It was explained that when a brave dies he who does the most and loudest mourning receives from the widow the choicest pieces of personal property left by the deceased. All of the property is thus given away by a "graduating scale" based upon the display of anguish made by grief-stricken friends.

The traveler related an incident coming under her observation which tends to dissipate the idea that the savage can not be civilized. It is the story of poor Enoch Arden in terra cotta tint, with slight variations.

There was one young buck, of industrious and frugal hibits, who, unlike his more trifling brothers, had adopted many of the white man's ideas, and by steady work at teaming acquired a comfortable cabin (instead of a wigwam), which he furnished in some taste, lived quietly with his squaw, and enjoyed the confidence of the white man. He went out on one of his regular trips, but did not return at the expected time. Search was made for him, but after the lapse of a week or so he was declared lost. The other braves at once began to mourn for him. This is said to have been the best, or perhaps the worst, exhibition of howling ever heard. It was exciting for the double incentive of securing the personal effects of the dead Indian and receiving the smiles of the rich young squaw, who was possessed of unusual personal charms as well as wealth.

Not unlike her white sisters in similar positions, this bereaved widow displayed considerable tact and executive ability. By her coy manners she had induced one fine young brave to outlast the others in the contest. His grief had been so intense that she rewarded him with nearly all of the personal property left by her lamented husband, and as a happy culmination gave him her fat, greasy hand in marriage. The honeymoon had only fairly begun when "the supposed deceased," who had apparently died intestate, put in an appearance, after an unusual and extended drunk. Right here is where Enoch Arden was outgeneraled. Instead of going away and leaving the young couple to spoon, this resurrected Indian asserted his rights, retook his goods, chattels, tenements, and hereditaments, including the gentle Annie, instructed the copper-colored Philip to "git," and he "got."

The simple, child-like vanity of the Indian is well illustrated by the following: At one post, "Young-Man-Afraid-of-His-Horses" came into the little photograph gallery, or tent, to have his picture taken. When the tin-type was shown him he went into ecstacies at the reproduction of his own manly form arrayed in Government clothes and whatever else he could accumulate on his person. To understand how complete was his joy it is only necessary to say that, in unbounded glee, he wanted a picture taken of his squaw, who was placed in position before the camera. Just as everything was about ready the "Y. M. A. O. H. H." wanted to see how his better-half would look. He put his head under the cloth of the camera, and, to his horror, saw she was standing on her head. He instantly jerked his head out from under the curtain, but saw her standing on her feet. Thinking he might have been mistaken, the Indian took another peep and saw she was again standing on her head. He remonstrated with her, saying she could not expect a picture to look like her if she persisted in standing on her head. The squaw denied any such acrobatic performance. Upon taking one more look Mr. Indian flew into a rage, grabbed his squaw by the shoulders, shook her violently, and dragged her out of the place, saying she was bewitched and should not have a picture until she learned to stand on her feet.—*Chicago Tribune.*

ADAPTATION IN AGRICULTURE.

Folly of Settling Facts Which Have Already Been Settled by the Experience of Others.

While every intelligent cultivator of the soil is doubtless well aware of the fact that the same kinds of plants and animals do not thrive equally well in all climates or under the same conditions, still there are comparatively few persons who pursue this subject further than what is forced upon them through dear-bought experience. It is quite true that experience is often the most direct medium through which a man can obtain the information or facts which he may be seeking, but it can scarcely be said in this age that all must travel the same road in order to secure the same amount of knowledge. Accumulated individual experience may be considered as at least a fair basis upon which to establish principles that will not mislead the inexperienced, even if they do not enable the novice to secure greater results. It is a waste of time, if nothing more, to repeat experiments just for the purpose of being able to say that you have settled certain facts or fallacies by actual individual experience. There is still room enough for experiments without going over old ground, and agricultural science has certainly reached a stage where some of the old and mooted questions may be considered as decided, and it is worse than folly to spend more time in their investigation. We have certainly determined the fact that there are climates and soils especially adapted to the growing of wheat; and while the natural limits may, by artificial means, be somewhat extended, it is a question if it will pay the agriculturist to undertake to force nature in such matters and try to raise crops that at best are uncertain, and in a majority of instances cost more than they are worth. To run counter to natural conditions is, however, one of the follies of a large number of agriculturists in all civilized countries, and perhaps nowhere are the numbers greater than in the United States, for here we have thousands of farmers and fruit growers who seem to be perfectly oblivious to all principles of adaptation as well as to ignore the experience of all who have gone over the same field before them. If a hundred or even a thousand men have utterly failed to make any special branch of agriculture a success in a locality, they will not be satisfied until they have tried it themselves. They will try to raise wheat on a soil only adapted to rye, and perhaps winter wheat upon land where it is almost certain to be thrown out by frosts in winter and killed, and do not once imagine that the results were due to their own ignorance or persistent stupidity. Now, it is well known that we have vast regions of country where both the soil and climate are especially adapted to the growing of wheat and oats, others for corn, rye, potatoes, and various farm crops; and while the farmer may by artificial means achieve partial success where natural conditions are against him, we should at least hesitate to advise others to attempt to do the same as a matter of business.

There are natural dairy regions where all things seem to combine in making conditions especially favorable for the production of milk, butter, and cheese. The pasture and meadow grasses may grow fully as luxuriantly in other localities and still dairy husbandry can not be made a success, the reasons for the failure being due to other causes than food. Low, moist soils in warm climates may produce more succulent food than high and dry land, and yet that from the former may be deficient in nutritive properties. Low lands also produce more food when used for pasture than high grounds, but they are never as healthy for cattle, and fevers, foot-rot, and similar diseases are usually developed on moist soils. What are called malarial regions are really as unhealthy for domesticated as for human beings, and should always be avoided by stockmen if they expect permanent and continued success in their business.

Large, heavy breeds of cattle, like the Shorthorns, are not adapted to hilly regions, where they will have to climb for their food; neither are they suited to the thin pastures of the Western plains, where they must travel a long distance to obtain sufficient food and water. The breeds that are light of foot are best for such regions, and the same is true of horses, sheep, and other stock. The stock raiser should keep these things in mind when looking for a stock farm, and, further, not expect to find any one breed equally valuable for all purposes. The long-sought "general purpose breed" has not as yet appeared, and until one is developed it will be safe to select the very best of those already known that are especially adapted to certain purposes and the conditions under which they are to be reared.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—In Tenejapa, Oaxaca, Mexico, the Indian residents are more sanguinary than the Chinese in the administration of justice. They surrounded the houses of seven well-known robbers and burned them alive in their houses. When the militia arrived they only found a heap of ashes.

The Voice of the People.

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Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctor told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven booxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

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"I was right peart till the rheumatiz sot in," said a suffering old man who lived near the swamp. Fact is, wherever you live you can't be right peart if you are a victim of this troublesome disease. Captain C. W. Hostenpiller, Springfield, O., says, "I found great relief from inflammatory rheumatism by using Brown's Iron Bitters." Thousands of other people have found similar relief.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Hay Fever.

I have been a great sufferer from Hay fever for fifteen years. I read of the many wondrous cures of Ely's Cream Balm, and thought I would try once more. In fifteen minutes after one application I was wonderfully helped. Two weeks ago I commenced using it and now I feel entirely cured. It is the greatest discovery ever known—Duhamel Clark, Farmer Lee, Mass. Price fifty cents.

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 8.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor Ar	8 56	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 28	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 58	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 32	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	3 00
Massillon Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	4 40
Massillon Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 6.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 05	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta Lv	6 00AM	2 30PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	9 15	5 28		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sherodsville				5 45AM
New Cumberl'd				6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	.Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	.... .Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv.Norwalk.Ar	7 27	3 10

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 1885.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

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WEST AND SOUTH.

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THE EAST.

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WHAT THE NEWSPAPERS SAY.

What is a Mugwump?

The mugwump is a man who "belongs to himself, but whose vote both parties are very anxious to secure as election time draws near, however much they may abuse him for the rest of the year.—Boston Herald.

Good Advice to Temperance Men.

How can the Prohibitionists, the Good Templars, the Sons of Temperance, the members of the Law and Order leagues, the members of the W. C. T. U., and other temperance people of Michigan expect The Center to tower head and shoulders above all other temperance papers in the land which it really ought to do in the state organ of the "banner Prohibition state," unless they give it the preference over all other papers? First, subscribe for The Center, then subscribe for other temperance papers. Home interests are always of first value.—The Center.

Holding Three Jacks.

John Adkinson wooed Lucy Abbott in Ohio and went to the war. Letters grew scarce, finally ceased altogether, and Lucy gave up John as dead. Then John Geven married her. They had three children, and Geven died. Mrs. Adkinson-Geven's next husband was John Collins, a bad one, and Mrs. Adkinson-Geven Collins returned to her mother's home. Recently she received a letter from her first husband, now living out on the frontier, and for whom she has kept a reserve of affection. At the close of the war he heard that she was dead, and at once enlisted in the regular army, where he has remained. Hearing of her existence and vicissitudes, he wishes to remarry. She is willing. All the men she has married have been named John, and it is understood that she remarks that in the matrimonial game she has held three Jacks.—N. Y. Sun.

The Indispensable Essentiality of Hash.

A hash made of potatoes alone would not be a hash.—Boston Herald.

Oh, yes, it would be a potato hash. What constitutes the source-idea, the predominant characteristic, the indispensable essentiality, the hashness, so to speak, of hash? Our esteemed Mugwump contemporary evidently supposes that it is the idea of mixture, of blended ingredients, and possibly of the second day's cooking over. But our esteemed Mugwump contemporary is mistaken in this, as in some other things about which it undertakes to speak apodictically. If the Boston Herald had approached the metaphysics of hash more reverently, and had taken the trouble to gather from philological authorities such light as they bestow on the subject, instead of relying upon the vulgar conceptions of the second-class boarding house, it would know that the one essential quality of hash is its choppiness.—N. Y. Sun.

A Short Chapter of Don'ts.

Don't eat hurriedly and run as fast as you can go to catch a train. Don't try to jump upon a train after it has started or to leap from it before it starts. Don't stick your head out the window whenever the locomotive whistles. Don't work all day long as fast as you can work, rushing out for five minutes to swallow a bit of lunch. Don't fail to have warm dinners or drinks at midday four days a week. Don't imagine that life can be supported on white bread and fruit, or pie and milk, or work and pastry. Don't try to get along without meat. Don't continue to drink a little beer or whisky every day under the impression that you are a moderate drinker and that it won't hurt you. Don't work on for years without any rest or recreation. Don't rob yourself of sleep in order to have pleasure or be able to accomplish more in the way of work. Don't stay down town nights. Don't worry about this world or the next, or the price of wheat. Don't fret about the rascals that want to get in or the rascals that should be turned out. Don't smoke cigarettes. Don't bathe in Lake Michigan. Don't think you know all about managing a small boat in a storm. Don't tickle the rear parts of a mule, fool around the grip car or monkey with a buzz-saw. Don't be a corpse.—Chicago Herald.

Kindly Advice to the Boys.

An Eastern paper, the Academy News, having asked a number of distinguished persons to write for its columns a few words of advice to boys, received among other answers, the following: Dr. Lyman Abbott: "Whatsoever thy hand finds to do, do it with thy might." E. P. Roe: "Do one thing honorably and thoroughly and set about it at once." Ex-President Hayes: "Commit to memory and recite Brown's letter to a young friend." General Lyon: "No one will ever become a great scholar without constant study, close application, and without thoroughly understanding that which he may attempt before passing it by to take up something else." General Winfield S. Hancock, among other things: "Be truthful, never try to appear what you are not, honor your father and your mother." Rev. E. E. Hale: "Tell the truth. Keep the commandments. Do not drink. If you have anything to say, say it; but if not, certainly not." General D. S. Stanley: "That next to exact regularity in their hours for prayer and pious reading they allow nothing to interfere with their hours of study."—Philadelphia Times.

ROMANCE AND RETRIBUTION.

A Story of Love, Marriage, Robbery, Murder, Bankruptcy, Perjury and Litigation.

From the Cleveland Leader.

While rummaging among the old files and records of the United States circuit court clerk's office recently I came across the papers in the case of Treadwell against Hester. This case did not resemble the old chancery cases of the English courts in the respect that it was on the docket so long that "the memory of man runneth not to the contrary," but it was comparatively short-lived and replete with interest. The plaintiff was represented by the present chief justice of the supreme court of the United States and E. A. Stacy and John Whitbeck, and the counsel for the defendant, as appears from the pleadings in the case, were R. H. Tyler, R. P. Ranney and S. J. Andrews. Such an array of legal talent and ability being employed was enough in itself, in the early history of the bar, to excite a lively interest in the trial of a case; but when I add what, in legal parlance is termed "the facts of the case," it strikes me that to any one familiar with legal lore the interest in this one would be redoubled. The story is a tale" which I think will be of interest at this time.

Several years ago there resided, in the town of Hudson, Mich., a wealthy banker by the name of Elias Treadwell, who was known and respected in the community in which he lived and transacted business for his honesty and integrity in his dealings with his fellow men. He was possessed of

AN ONLY SON,

by name William W. Treadwell, in whom he had great confidence, and than whom no young man ever promised better for the future. Being a man of means Mr. Treadwell thought to endow his son with everything that was necessary in the way of education, and at the conclusion of his common school course William was sent to Oberlin, in this state, to have the rough edges rounded off and be put upon the world with a good solid foundation with which to wrestle with the difficulties attendant upon an active business life. While pursuing his studies, he unconsciously became very much interested in and subsequently was engaged to one of the gentler sex who was attending the college at the same time with himself. She was

THE ONLY DAUGHTER

of Samuel Hester, a very wealthy farmer residing in Norwich, Huron county, Ohio, and was accounted one of the brightest and most accomplished young ladies of her class. The contract entered into by these young people during their collegiate days was afterward consummated by their hands being joined in holy wedlock at the home of the bride's parents, and they removed to Hudson, Mich., to settle down, where the husband was taken into partnership by his father in the banking business. All went merry as a marriage bell for a while, when suddenly the community round was astounded by the announcement that William W. Treadwell had

ABSCONDED WITH $77,000

of the funds of Treadwell & Co's private bank, and was supposed to have taken up his abiding place in Canada, which latter fact was afterward ascertained to be true. This action of course, so crippled the bank that it made

AN ASSIGNMENT,

and the creditors, hoping thus to obtain at least a part of the missing money employed detectives to shadow the young man during his sojourn in England's domains. But they failed, after a long time, to get any trace of him or the money. The young wife, in the meantime, returned to her father's roof, heart-broken, it was supposed, over the actions of her recent lord and master.

After several months' residence under "England's despotic rule" William H. Treadwell returned to this country and finally appeared one bright morning at a hotel in Mansfield, O., but under

AN ASSUMED NAME

and so completely disguised that he was not recognized even by the detectives who had traced him to that place. Shortly after his arrival at the city above mentioned his father-in-law Samuel Hester, found his way to the same place in company with his daughter, and put up at a hotel not far distant from the one at which Treadwell stopped, but his daughter proceeded immediately to the temporary abode of her husband. The morning after Hester's arrival Treadwell and his wife, taking with them for baggage only

A SMALL BLACK SATCHEL,

started for the depot in an omnibus, calling at Hester's hotel on the way and taking him in with them. Just after the old gentleman had stepped into the the omnibus a couple of detectives presented themselves to Treadwell with a warrant took him into custody and immediately locked him up

IN JAIL

his wife accompanying him. He was subsequently removed to Adrian, Mich., and confined in jail, where he was placed on trial for larceny, and found guilty. Before sentence, however, he, in company with a convicted horse thief, a companion of his jail life escaped from the jail and they were never recaptured. As the two refugees from justice were wending their way through the country in search of liberty, the companion of Treadwell became cognizant of the small amount of money in his possession, and also coveted a watch that he carried. His desire for the ownership of these valuables so worked upon him that as they were passing thro a patch of woods one evening he

MURDERED

Treadwell and fled with his booty. He was shortly afterward captured in this city, removed to the vicinity of the scene of his crime there found guilty by a verdict of his peers and hanged by the neck until he was dead, in accordance with the sentence of the court. After the arrest of his erring son-in-law, Samuel Hester proceeded in the omnibus to the depot, being encumbered by no other baggage than the "small black satchel" before mentioned. Instead of taking a train however, as was his ostensible intention, he proceeded on foot to his home, a distance of twenty-seven miles.

The arrest, conviction and death of young Treadwell failing to bring to light the stolen money, the creditors of the broken bank, desiring to pursue their investigations further, employed the valuable services of Morrison R. Waite, then a practioner at the Toledo bar. After being made acquainted with the facts Mr. Waite advised the bringing of a suit against Samuel Hester for the recovery of the amount stolen by young Treadwell, which was accordingly done in the name of Chauncy L. Treadwell, who was appointed administrator of the estate of William H. Treadwell for the purpose of the suit, and the action above referred to is the one in question. The trial of the case resulted in a

JUDGMENT

for the plaintiff in the sum of about $12,000.

When the plaintiff attempted to execute his judgment by levy upon the defendant's property, particularly his real estate in Huron county, O., he discovered that the old man Hester had, during the pending of the suit, so deftly managed his affairs that what of it was not covered all over with mortgages was safely stowed under in the name of the partner of his joys and sorrows, and the plaintiff was remediless.

The next step in this "strange, eventful history" was taken by Samuel Hester himself and it resulted in

A CONSUMMATION

of the whole matter, but it did not restore the life either of the broken bank or young Treadwell, neither were the remaining parties to the conspiracy made any happier thereby. At the time of the rendition of the above judgment, the United States bankrupt law of 1867 was in full force and effect. Hester bethought himself to take the benefit of it and he relieved of this indebtedness and accordingly filed a petition in the United States district court, which in the usual course of business was referred to Myron R. Korth, a register under the law. Hester being charged with having fraudulently transferred his property, an examination was called for and had before the aforesaid register, before whom Hester in his testimony so perjured himself that he was subsequently indicted by the United States grand jury for

PERJURY.

The evidence against him for this crime was so conclusive that the old man was finally driven to the wall, and rather than take the risk of enduring his days in "the penitentiary of the state of Ohio," he compromised by paying the plaintiff's attorneys about the whole amount of the judgment and costs and was given a release in full.

SATISFACTION

In legal parlance "the moral of this case" is that Samuel Hester drew his son-in-law into a compact to carry out the terms of which William H. Treadwell was to commit the deed of robbing the bank, and they together were to share the "ill gotten gains" at such future time as it would be safe to meet and arrange a division of the plunder. It was always supposed that Samuel Hester paid the judgment with the actual money stolen from the bank.

The above, while in the main a correct statement, is in some particulars defective, and hence we add a few facts obtained from Judge Stacy, of Tecumseh. At the time of Treadwell's escape and robbery, he was the sole owner of the bank. No assignment was ever made, but the creditors attached his property wherever found. When he ran away he had nearly completed a fine house in Pittsford on the town line road near Hudson, now owned by John M. Osborn.

The criminal prosecution was conducted by Geo. Rhigsby Esq., Prosecuting Attorney, who was assisted by C. A. Stacy, of Tecumseh.

After Treadwell was lodged in Huron County, O., his murderer was prosecuted, convicted, and hung at Napoleon. The creditors employed C. A. Stacy to assist the State Attorney of Huron County, Ohio, on the trial. After this trial and sentence and execution of Treadwell's murderer Cowell, the creditors employed C. A. Stacy, of Tecumseh, and John Whitbeck, of Hudson, to commence a suit against Hester, and Hon. M. R. Waite, now Chief Justice U. S. Court at Cleveland, assisted and the creditors obtained judgment there.

A large number of trials were had in the Bankruptcy court at Cleveland and before the U. S. Commissioners which resulted in discovery of a large amount of property. The case in its details was wonderful. On every trial, after the plaintiff's had closed their side, it was very much strengthened by the defense and resulted in every instance in favor of the people, and Treadwell's creditors.

The Magazine of American History for September is a number of extraordinary and vital interest. It opens with an admirable steel portrait of General Grant, in military uniform, and its leading paper treats of the "Historical Associations of General Grant's Resting Place," at Riverside Park. This timely article, in response to the popular demand for precisely the information it contains, is from the pen of the editor, who is also the well-known author of the Standard "History of the City of New York." The second paper of the number, "Washington's First Public Service," is from the distinguished scholar, T. J. Chapman, A. M., and is extremely entertaining. Three excellent articles follow in the Civil War Series—"Baltimore in 1861," by Major General John C. Robinson, who was in command of Fort McHenry when the Massachusetts troops were assaulted in that city; "The Beginnings of the Civil War in America. The Confederates taking the Offensive" (third paper,) by General Thomas Jordan, who has traced with a steady hand the subtle causes leading to the firing on Sumpter, and General Meredith Read's second important and readable contribution on the "Military Affairs of New York State in 1861" while he was Adjutant-General of the State. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York City.

Thanks to Col. D. S. Curtis for late Washington papers.

BASE BALL.

The Return Game Between the Wolf Creek and Onsted Base Ball Clubs.

The return game of base ball between the Wolf Creek and Onsted clubs was played last Saturday on the Wolf Creek grounds and was umpired to the satisfaction of all by E. Hartenstein of Onsted. A crowd of several hundred spectators witnessed the game which was very exciting for the reason that several large bets were supposed to have been made on the result. Both clubs appeared in fine condition, the Onsteds won the choice and took the field. Five innings were then played without a run being scored by either side, when the Wolf Creek by superior playing and fine pitching of the Beaver brothers took the lead and won the game, the score standing 20 to 9 in their favor.

The game abounded in fine plays among which was the fine field catch made by the left field of W. C. and the 2-base hit by Snow of Onsted. The festive correspondent of the Adrian Press from Onsted was there and although he did not leave his "grip" on the train, he seemed to have lost something by the dazed sort of way he groped around after the game was finished. Beware! brother, don't count your chickens before they are hatched.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Post Office at Tecumseh, Sept. 1, 1885.

Cottess, Miss Maggie — Pelton, Mrs. Albert
Newberry, W. G. C. — Southwick, John L.

Persons calling for letters in the above will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the post-office at Ridgeway, Sept. 1, 1885.

Baldwin, Miss Carrie — Hiscock, Melvin
Bradley, Geo. H. — Jackson, Robinson
Frost, Mrs. L. A. — Scott, Miss Ellen
Frost, Miss Nellie — Slight, [illegible]
Farley, Masson — Sessions, Mrs. Laura
Higby, Miss Anna — Stewart, Mrs. Emma
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Buckwheat ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Buckwheat Flour ₩ hundred	[illegible]
Beef—dressed ₩ hundred	[illegible]
Beef Hides	[illegible]
Calf Skins ₩ ℔	[illegible]
Corn in ear	[illegible]
Corn—shelled ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Clover seed	[illegible]
Chickens—dressed	[illegible]
Eggs ₩ doz	[illegible]
Flour ₩ barrel	[illegible]
Hogs—dressed ₩ cwt	[illegible]
Hogs—live ₩ cwt	[illegible]
Hay ₩ ton	[illegible]
Honey ₩ ℔	[illegible]
Ham ₩ ℔	[illegible]
Lard ₩ ℔	[illegible]
Oats ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Onions ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Potatoes ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Salt ₩ barrel	[illegible]
Sheep Pelts	[illegible]
Timothy Seed ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Turkeys—dressed ₩ ℔	[illegible]
Wool ₩ ℔	[illegible]
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Wheat, Red ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. S. F. Marstellar visited at Ridgeway last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh went to Tecumseh last Tuesday.

Mrs. E. R. Smith gave a large tea-party last Friday afternoon. About eighty guests were present, all of the female persuasion. After a goodly number had arrived and were enjoying themselves quietly as is the custom at such places, and supposing themselves free from the society of any of the lords of creation, they were suddenly startled by hearing a loud noise from the direction of the dining room, those with the most largely developed imaginative powers pronounced a crow. The company were not long in deciding Mr. Smith to be the perpetrator of the joke.

Mrs. J. T. Clark and daughter Louise, have gone to Blissfield for a several weeks visit.

Hiram Saxton went to Albion last Monday and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Louise Clark entertained a large number of friends Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Willis Mann.

Mrs. Seaton Anderson, Mrs. George Kies, and Mrs. Will Kies, of Tecumseh, were in town last Friday.

J. E. McCollum has purchased the property of Hiram Saxton. He will not take possession until April 1, '86.

Ed VanDeMark has rented Mrs. Harriet Lancaster's house. He will move in about the 1st of Oct.

Mrs. Josie St. John went to Detroit last Monday, where she will spend some time taking vocal instructions of one of the best masters in the city.

The annual school meeting was held last Monday evening. In place of trustees Adam and Calhoun, Dr. John Tuttle and S. F. Marsteller were elected.

Miss Emma Saxton returns to her school duties at Otsego, Mich., next week.

Miss Etta Rowland, of Tecumseh, visited her sister Mrs. Frank Thompson last week.

George Field spent Sunday in town.

Solomen Parker started for South Bend last Saturday where he has obtained a position in the woolen mills.

Mrs. F. D Lancaster and Mrs. D. H. Silvers went to Manchester last Wednesday.

Chris Smith takes possession of his property on Jackson street Oct. 1st.

Isaac Halfin attempted to mount E. R. Smith's horse last Monday with a tin pail in his hand. He succeeded in getting on but the horse became frightened at the pail and threw him. He received a good many bruises which will lay him up for several days.

Mrs. Willis Mann and Mrs. Welcome Fisk drove over to Ann Arbor last Friday.

The ladies of the Episcopal Society will give a Harvest Social at the Town Hall Friday evening, Sept. 19th. The Hall will be elaborately trimmed, appropriate to the season, games will be played, and refreshments served for the usual price of 10 cents. Everybody is invited.

A little daughter of James Wallace, who has been sick for several months, died last Monday morning. The funeral services were held Wednesday.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Some farmers have begun seeding.

Business on the M. & O. seems to liven up a little of late, by the number and length of trains.

Jack Frost put in an appearance last week and left his mark of distruction in several cornfields.

Whooping cough is raging in the Baker Dist. and it is feared it will break up the school.

Coryell and Lawton was at the prairie Monday troughing the new barn built on I. S. Osborn's farm.

M. M. Florence says the person that has his horse blanket which was lost a few weeks age will confer a great favor if they will return it or leave it at S. P. Smith's store.

The funeral of Uncle Thomas Blacker was held at the church last Thursday afternoon. He has been failing for several months.

Mrs. Winder went to Coldwater last week to see little Teddie Winder who went to the home for orphans sometime ago, but did not see him as he has been provided with a home with some friends.

Rev. W. J. Clack, left Tuesday for Pontiac to attend the M. E. conference, held there this week and next.

Will Clack began the fall term of school in the Easlick Dist. on Monday.

Mrs. Chancy Dibble who has been very sick for the past few weeks is no better, and there is but little hopes of her recovery.

We are glad to see W. H. Arner out again, although he looks as though he had been poorly staved with.

Several from here attended the chicken pie festival given at the Christian church at Britton last Wednesday evening, and report a fine time.

Henry Smith, of Manchester, was the guest of Miss Lou Arner last week Wednesday, and took in the festival at Britton. He leaves in a few days for Ann Arbor to attend the University.

Misses Sena Coryell and Lou Arner spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

Martin Palmer went to Hillsdale last week to begin his duties at the college there.

The fall term of school in Dist. No. 1, Ridgeway and Macon fractional, began Monday morning with Miss Hattie Moon of Saline at the helm.

Mrs. Mary Arner returned from a few weeks visit with her neice Miss Nellie Heath, of Hartford, Mich. Miss Heath's health has somewhat improved.

Mrs. John Arner has been visiting friends at Pennington's Corners during the past few days.

Mr. Wm. Wyrrel of Burlington, Calhoun county, was at Ridgeway last Thursday, visiting his uncle, David Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Bush and Mrs. and Miss Ella Hall made a short visit with relatives at Dixon, Illinois, last week. Mr. Bush left for his home in Brooklyn on his return from Dixon.

Alfred Mosher of Addison, spent a few days with friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs T. J. Tobey of Adrian, visited his sister, Mrs. M. M. Florence, Sunday.

At the annual school meeting held Monday night, E. C. VanVleet was elected Director; Dr. D. W. Loree, Assessor; Samuel Rappleye, Moderator. They voted to build a new house next year and to use the $1,000 already on hand, and to raise $500 the coming winter and not less than $500 or more than $700 in the winter of 1886. After an usual amount of kicking they adjourned for two weeks.

Once more the Professors and teachers of our quiet village have gone to their several places of labor. Prof. H. E. Wilson is at Blissfield, and E. A. Wilson is at Vassar. The persons that will attend school away are Messrs. Dean, Loree and Ed. Palmer, and Misses Clara Temple, Nellie Freer and Jennie Osgood will attend at Tecumseh. Misses Ida and Eva Pocklington and Jennie Underwood at the Valley Seminary.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Mending ways and shaping programes for entertainment of those who may attend the fair, this week, is all save one or two that occupies the attention of the serious minded. The one, is the rink newly dedicated by the scratch gravel campers, and the two, is a studio that will be told about some other time.

The Baptist society has begun the foundation for a church large enough for a city Cathedral.

School will be begun when you read this.

Rumor says, Mr. I. Delamater will soon begin dispensing postage stamps in place of Hiel Woodward, who has held the fort for the past fourteen years. He does not complain of any lack of government patience with his short comings, but what is he going to do is the question that concerns his neighbors.

There is no gold found here, but D. B. Ayers claims to have discovered an ancient poem, with which he can elocutionize anybody out of the dumps, and aid civil service reform. The reason a sample stanza is not inserted is because he never tolerates an infringement of his patents.

Our business outlook is of the peek-a-boo order. A glimpse of activity now and then, keeps curiosity alert, but hope for changes must mature slowly, if it consists in undoing the time taugle of mistakes.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Fred Beamen, one of the old Addison boys has for the last year been engaged as stenographer for the Champion Mower and Reaper company of Jackson. He is a bright fellow and we hope to hear good things of him in the future.

The ministers of the Methodist Episcopal church belonging to Detroit conferance assembled at Pontiac yesterday. A list of the pastorate appointment together with a general report of the proceedings will appear in our next issue.

C. G. Elmore Jr. of Hillsdale College spent Sunday with his father and sister here.

Last week we had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of Mr. H. M. Rose, city editor of the Grand Rapids Morning Telegram, who passed through here on the M. & O. R. R. One has only to glance over the list of officers and incorporators of that organ to judge of its stability and superior merits.

Richmond Hathaway was in attendence at a yearly meeting of Friends held last week at Mt. Pleasant, Ohio.

Power & Love have been busy moving their stock of drugs, paints, etc. into their new building this week and are now fairly settled. This house carries a full line of everything usually found in a city drug store and offers its patrons the best quality of goods in the market.

F. R. Hathaway and his sister Marion left home for the Raisin Valley Seminary last Monday, the latter to attend school and the former to act in the capacity of associate teacher. Fred has enjoyed very superior advantages in the past, both educationally and otherwise; and we reasonably expect to see him make rapid strides up the ladder of fame.

As per announcement our village schools commenced the work of the year this week. The attendance is fair and prospects for a successful term, all which could be desired.

Numerous of our citizens are in attendance at the Tri-State fair this week.

Such of our readers as have a desire to visit the tomb of Garfield and other attractions at Cleveland, will be amply accommodated by the Michigan & Ohio railroad next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. The officers of the road have taken great pains in the matter of details and propose to make this excursion the event of the season. The train will leave this station at 7:43 in the morning of the 14th. Arriving at the wharf in Toledo at ten o'clock. Excursionists will then take passage on board the elegant steamer, "Saginaw" of the Star Line company for Put-in-Bay island at which point it will stop one hour and then steer for Cleveland, where it will arrive about nine o'clock in the evening. Returning the boat will leave Cleveland early Wednesday morning, thus giving passengers a chance to reach home early in the evening and enjoy an entire day in the city, which is so rich in sights and historic interest. Don't forget the dates, nor that $2.25 pays the fair for the round trip from Addison.

Aug. 20th, the morning of the Farmer's Picnic, a young man came to the house of Harrison Strang in the township of Wheatland with a trunk full of clothes and has not gone away yet. Mrs. Strang thinks he will probably make it his home in the family for some years at least. Exact weight 10½ pounds.

James Ash and J. H. Dayton have gone to Allegan to look at some land with a view to locating there.

Mrs. Alfonzo Crane goes to Pickney on a visit this week, and will also stop a short time at Hartland, Livingston county, before returning.

A quadruple party of visitors composed of Mr. Richard Osborn, Mrs. Philena Younglove and daughter of this place and Mrs. Caroline Stoddard of Rome, took the train last week for Williams county, Ohio, where they contemplate making a stay of some weeks we are informed.

This week we received news from Greencastle, Ind., that Mr. H. A. Boley is engaged in the watch making business at that place on a salary of $1000.00 per year, also that he has a fine two story residence nearly ready to occupy. "Dell" was born and brought up in this village and his numerous old friends will be pleased to learn of his success.

We are indeted to Mr. Jere Johnson, Attorney of Washington, for a handsome little book containing a digest of the laws and decisions relating to pensions and bounties, together with an interesting history of the stars and stripes as combined in our National flag. It will be of special value to G. A. R. posts and all old war veterans.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending September 5.

FRANKLIN.

G. W. Brown to Franklin Gray. Land on sec 8. $130.

Nellie Rockwell et al., to Thos. Langton. Land on sec 25. $5,939.70.

MACON.

Joseph Daykin to J. J. Wunderlich. Land on sec 22. $250.

RIDGEWAY.

A. B. Manning & P. S. Barber to Mary Hess. Land on sec 3. $600.

Trying to do do business without advertising is like winking at a pretty girl through a pair of green goggles; you know what you are doing but nobody else does.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

A bed of fire clay, 12 feet thick, has been found near Grand Ledge.

The catholics of Bronson are building a school house on their church lot.

Houghton will have the mining school provided for by the last legislature.

High telephone rents have caused all the 'phones to be taken out of Hastings.

Prof. C. R. Thomas resigns the superintendency of the Saginaw public schools, after seven years' service.

Madison Reynolds, of Petersburg, had a bad fall by which he dislocated a shoulder and received other injuries.

Only 28 out of a class of 75 passed in the examinations for teachers at Cassopolis last week. Cass county means to have good teachers.

Stealing a cow is serious business in Kent county. Frank Leonard, of Wyoming township, gets two years at Ionia for that offense.

Miss Grace Smead, of Bethel, took an overdose of laudanum by mistake, Monday, and the doctors had to be called in to save her life.

Two precocious Pontiac boys, named Besaw, aged 13 and 14 were convicted of being drunk and disorderly and sent to the Reform school till 18.

The educational interests of Michigan make things lively for the Battle Creek factory, as it is working night and day making school desks and seats.

The Barry county Agricultural society will admit a whole family to its show for $1. We may expect to hear of some astonishingly prolific Barry county families now.

New Michigan postmasters: Langston, Mountcalm co., Joseph Wilcox; St. Charles, Saginaw co., George G. Goodrich; New Lothrop, Shiawassee co., Washington Snyder.

A lady of Bridgeton, Newago county, writes Postmaster Judd, of Chicago, "for the full address of the company that grants bills of divorces so cheap from $10 to $15, rite soon and oblige me."

By a fire in the Pinconning lumber company's yard, originating in Carr's boarding house, the house and half a million feet of lumber was destroyed. Loss, about $8,000. Assistance was rendered from Bay City.

A physician of Kalamazoo was called recently to see an old lady who is within a few days of 100 years old, who said to him that she had never before had to call a doctor. Probably that's why she has lived so long.

Lumberman are getting ready for the woods and a number of camps have already been started. Men are plenty and there is every indication of a large surplus of labor. Wages offered range from $16 to $20 per month.

The entries in the live stock department of the state fair, which closed Tuesday night, are made by the best exhibitors in the country. The number of cattle, horses, etc., is 1,650—cattle 700, horses 350, sheep 400, swine 200.

Ingham county's fair commences at Mason Sept. 28. There will be new and interesting features, and the premium list has been carefully revised. D. B. Harrington will exhibit 200 varieties of potatoes and a choice collection of cotton and wool.

The second annual reunion of the Michigan batallion of Merrill's horse, was held at Battle Creek yesterday and today. About 200 old members were present. Capt. Geo. H. Rowell gave an address of welcome and a banquet took place last evening.

Perley, the 12-year-old son of Geo. F. Chase, of Ionia, dissapeared from home last Monday, and his parents would be very glad of any information about him addressed to box 1,602, Ionia. The boy is dark, with black hair, clipped, and black eyes, 4ft. 4 in. tall, and had on brown checked suit, knee pants and gray stockings.

The soldiers' home commission have unanimously selected the Burchard property, near Reed's Lake, in the suburbs of Grand Rapids, as the site of the home, on condition that it be sewered and connected with the city sewers and that railroad freilities be supplied. The site comprises 113 acres of land on the south side of the lake, near the terminus of the street railroad, and is also reached by gravel road from the city. Nearly all the land is under thorough cultivation and is well fenced and watered. There will probably be little trouble in securing compliance with the conditions imposed by the commissions.

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MOTHER'S OLD HYMN.

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THE BLOODY MARK.

A Plain, Unvarnished Story of Remarkable Events.

In an age when scientific men are beginning to recognize the fact that there are certain forces, which, under certain mental conditions, manifest themselves by phenomena hitherto unrecognized or scorned as the result of successful imposture, a tale partaking of the marvelous should need no apology. Such tales, heard at second hand, have hitherto only served to create a pleasant horror. No element of truth has been ascribed to them; they are forgotten as soon as heard. Perhaps the story of an eye-witness may help people to understand that in this commonplace workaday world strange things are happening, and that the veil which divides the seen and the unseen is very slight and unsubstantial. There will be no need of craftily worded description. The plain, unvarnished story is strange enough.

The scene of my story is laid in the little college in Pennsylvania from which I graduated. It was barely ten years ago, but the college was very conservative, and holding to old traditions, resembled a boarding-school of to-day rather than a college. Among its petty rules was one that all "rehumming" should be done by lot—that is, a fellow was not allowed to choose his own roommate, but was obliged to abide by the man drawn for him by lot. How satisfactory a method could have been imagined I can not tell—however, such was the case. Has an invalid had been allowed to room alone. Directly below me, during my senior year, were two freshmen, a Westerner and a Southerner, who, by the curious system before alluded to, had been thrown together, though perfect strangers. Never had fortune made a worse selection. For the first term they managed well enough, though there were several quarrels; they were both of hot temper—but in the last term continued disputes, involving blows, often obliged me to interfere as a peacemaker. There was no remedy; they could not tell the authorities that they could not live in peace together. I think it was chiefly the Southerner's fault. He was a raw, ignorant lad from a rough mountain district of North Carolina, brought up by hard words and only instilled with the idea that it was manly to fight upon the slightest occasion.

One morning in December the Southerner was absent from the breakfast table. The Professor, who sat at the head of the table as monitor, inquired of the Westerner, Johnson, if his roommate was ill. Johnson replied that he had started to skate down the Schuylkill to Millsville in the moonlight to see some friends, and that he had not returned; that he probably had stayed over night. Nothing further was said at the time, but the Southerner did not return, nor did he visit his friends in Millsville. It was agreed that he must have fallen into an air-hole. The affair caused some excitement in the college, but was soon forgotten. It was agreed that if such had been his fate the body would be found when the ice broke up in the spring. It was noticeable that Johnson mingled rather more with the fellows—hitherto he had been a hard student.

As had been expected, one spring morning a body, supposably that of the Southerner, was found swaying up and down against the dam at Millsville. Johnson, perhaps, felt that I was his best friend in college. I liked the man—and when he was called to the inquest he asked me to accompany him. I disliked the idea, but could not refuse. There was a sickening sense of horror in the little white-washed room of the police station where the inquest was held. The plain wooden furniture, the group of earnest, troubled men, the bustling activity of the Coroner, the open window, with its view of the winding river and there in the corner the marble slab, the awful something shrouded in white, with the water trickling over the face from the half-turned faucet, form a picture as fresh in mind as though I had seen them only yesterday. Johnson was deathly pale, but on entering the room, as if impelled by an irresistable impulse, he approached the body and drew down the sheet from its face. A horrible fascination bade me look. In the bloated face blackened, with protruding tongue, one could not have recognized the Southerner. The head was bruised and battered by the ice, and there on the neck—the result of some collision probably—there was a deep, red mark, or rather smooch, that added to the ghastliness of the whole. How could Johnson bear so earnestly to gaze at it? How could he lift the hand as he did a moment to his lips? Was he sorrowing over the bitter disagreements, the hate he had felt for the unfortunate man?

He gave evidence in a low, firm voice to the effect that the drowned man had been on the river the night he had disappeared. The matter was quickly settled. We were returning a chance invitation showed me on Johnson's wrist, as it neared in the moonlight, a glimpse I obtained, a red mark. So terrible did it seem to my mind the horrible suggestion of the mark on the neck of the corpse that, assuring it was the hand which had raised that ghastly thing to the light, I grasped my friend's hand—but I was met with a "Nothing." I said in reply that I thought I saw something upon your hand. I remembered that fact, however, later.

The next morning I was awakened by a violent knocking at my door. It was just early by the clock; the sun had not yet risen. Wondering what this sudden summons might be I unlocked my door and first met Johnson, muttering and wringing his appearance indicating an extreme of fright. Falling into an armchair he lay back white with. Presently I threw some water in his face, and pressing a brandy flask between his teeth, urged on him a full draught. This had its effect, and he recovered sufficiently to tell me his story.

"Drake," he said, "I—I killed my chum."

Horror-struck I recoiled from him, but with an outstretched deprecating hand he went on:

"But, in God's name, not purposely."

Then, as if the confession had given him strength, he went on:

"That night we had quarrelled, and he came for me with a knife. I seized him by the throat, and held him back, God knows I did not intend to do it. In my blind rage and in fear of my life I held him until he fell, a heavy weight at my feet. What could I do? I worked to bring him back to life—did you not notice his face and the mark of my fingers on his throat? Oh, believe me! Believe me!" For the love of Heaven believe me!" he cried, falling before me and bowing his head between his hands upon my knees. And I—there was a sincerity in his speech that carried conviction of truth—I believed him.

"Johnson," I said, "I believe you. But why did you not tell the truth; you would not have been in danger?"

"In danger? No!" he exclaimed, starting up. "But could I have staid here? Would I not have had to go back to my old life and give up the college life I have so earnestly worked for? I could not have gone elsewhere. So I took the loathsome thing up, and through my open window I stole down over the fields, skulking in the shade, speeding over the moonlit places with all the horror of a guilty man. And I am guilty—now! Then down to the river, and the air-hole, and to see the body drop into the icy depths, and then rising through the black water, show the awful face with that bloody mark burning at the throat."

He spoke in rapid tones with rapid gestures, as he recalled the awful experiences of that night.

I sat frigid with horror. "It will turn his brain," I thought. I, "if I do not soothe him," and so carefully I quieted him speaking to him gently and slowly.

"You have been guilty," I said, "but you can yet make reparation. Make a clean breast of it all, and clear your mind of its trouble."

"I will," he said, "but not yet. Let me have but a day or two to compose myself. But I have not told you all. This morning, just before I came to you, I woke up and saw that horrible face at the window of my room."

"Johnson," I exclaimed now not doubting that his mind was going, "recall yourself. Don't let the horror of all this overcome you. There was no such thing. It was your imagination, man."

"I dreamed the whole thing over again," he said solemnly, "and waking with every limb trembling with fear, I saw it as plain as I see you."

"That is just it," I said, and I showed him that such an appearance was a natural consequence of his mental condition. There is no need of describing the means I used to quiet him, but finally convinced him. "At least," he said, "sleep with me to-night." This I promised readily. I stayed with him off and on all day. Toward night I had so far succeeded that he had become composed, and was fully determined to confess all to the proper authorities. We slept together that night.

I do not ask you to believe me. I can only tell the story as it happened. That night I awoke, feeling a strange uneasiness. Johnson was sleeping very soundly—the result of his intense excitement. A glimmer of dawn was in the room. Casting a glance through the room door into the study beyond, in the half light of the window I saw—Oh! the horror of it!—the exact similitude of that ghastly face, blackened, with protruding tongue, the bloody mark upon its throat.

I lost consciousness, and, when I came to, it was full dawn, and Johnson was still sleeping quietly at my side.

I said nothing to Johnson. I dressed myself, half dazed, and went out to prayers. Casting my eyes up at the window, what was my dread and awe to see on the sill a bloody mark. It faded out before my eyes as I looked.

"John Drake," I said to myself, "are your senses leaving you, that you allow your imagination to play such tricks with you?"

But though mentally I was convinced that all I had seen was nothing more or less than the results of horror upon my imagination, the awfulness of it weighed upon me all day; yet I determined not to be overcome. I resolved to sleep again with Johnson that night. He had awaked refreshed and composed, and told me that on the succeeding day he would make his confession.

That night I locked the study and the room doors, and after long wakefulness fell asleep. Will you believe me when I say I awoke with the same feeling of dread I had experienced the preceding night, heard the locked doors open, heard a shuffling step come across the study, enter the room we were in—it is no idle story that the hair bristles under great fear—felt a weight settle across my chest and lost consciousness? How long I lay in that condition I can not tell. When I came to myself the sun was shining in, a gentle breeze played with the curtain, the birds were singing, and the chapel bell was ringing. I raised myself wondering why I felt so weak. I had forgotten the night's terrors—but catching sight of Johnson all came back at the sight. His face was blackened, his tongue protruded from his mouth, a bloody mark burned dimly on his throat.

It was a wonderful thing that this climax of horror did not permanently affect my brain. It was a week before I was around again—the physicians regarded it as a wonderful convalescence. I told them the story in full as soon as I had regained strength. They nodded to one another as if it confirmed some decision they had made. "Mr. Drake," they said, "there is a very simple explanation to your story. Mr. Johnson was insane. He was of a morbidly conscientious temperament. There was no doubt about the cause of the Southerner's death. He died by drowning. Johnson, affected by his death, remembering their continued disputes, the hate they felt for one another, grieved so deeply over the fact that death shut off all chance for reconciliation, and in his self-accusing contrition actually began to believe that he had killed the man. The post mortem examination reveals not only the fact that he died from the effects of an unsuspected chronic lung trouble, but also that he was insane.

"But why, if he was busied in self-accusation," I asked, "did he mingle so much more with the fellows?"

"The last struggles of sanity to drown the voice of insanity," they replied.

"But how can you explain the apparitions?—the bloody marks on his wrist, on the window, and on his throat?"

"All fancy? Is it wonderful that a horrible tale, told as he told it, with all the aspect of truth, should have affected you? You say you told him his imagination was deceiving him. You had better have looked out for your own. As for yourself, go to some quiet country village, and neither read nor write but walk and talk and live easily and pleasantly, giving your brain an entire rest for at least three months. If you don't you may have brain fever."

It may have been fancy, but you could not, with every argument conceivable make me believe in the unreality of what I saw and heard.

This is my story. Explain it as you will.—*Hartford Times.*

HOME-MADE ELECTRICITY.

The Inventions Which Are Revolutionizing Household Economics.

We can not allow another week to go by without calling the attention of all those who are interested in the application of electric light to the dwellings of every day people to the beautiful portable table lamps just completed and exhibited for the first time in the Eastern Arcade, which seems to have solved the difficulty over which electricians have been breaking their heads for some time past in a manner so simple and so complete that the question arises, as it often does when a difficulty is finally solved, why did no one think of it before? And yet it has taken three years of hard and continuous work to bring to its present perfection a lamp which is within reach of any ordinary home, and which after the first expense costs the very moderate sum of two cents an hour to burn, while it has all the brilliancy and softness of the best incandescent lights. The difficulties in domestic electric lighting have been that all the applications of it hitherto invented have required a dynamo, involving a considerable amount of horse power. For these reasons, no one unable to go to enormous expense could attempt it.

Inventions for storing electricity by the dozen came out, but the electricity always managed to ooze away. Then arrangements were attempted for having central stations and laying electric light on to the houses in a given area, much in the same manner as the gas companies do now; but unexpected difficulties arose here about the stations, and, though this plan has succeeded in some of the foreign capitals, London remained behind as she generally manages to do in such matters. Men of wealth have, one by one, been lighting up their charming houses in this manner, but to the ordinary man of moderate means, and in all houses of limited incomes, it has been hitherto beyond reach. Now comes the table lamp, and to all appearances it is likely to revolutionize domestic lighting.

The solution of the problem is that there is no horse power required, no dynamo, no wires. The light, which is extremely brilliant, is produced from a galvanic battery contained in an oblong box, which fits into a case, which may be of china, wood or metal. The lamps at present being exhibited are in repoussé brass cases, and we doubt whether any better form can be given to them than this. A certain measurement is necessary to allow for the battery itself and the receptacle for the acid solution, so that when not in use or when it is wished to moderate the light, the zinc plates may be wound up—which is done by a small crank in the side—either completely free of the solution or so as only to leave a small portion in it. The solution itself is said to be extremely weak, so that no danger is likely to occur from the pouring away of the spent acid when the lamp is trimmed, which is done simply by filling the receptacle with fresh solution. The lamp is warranted to burn over six hours at full light, and for much longer if turned low. In its present form it is chiefly applicable for halls, libraries or dining rooms. But a hanging lamp is about to be introduced, and the patentees have already provided a number of special designs in hand-painted china.—*London News.*

—It was proved in a San Francisco court a few days since that a Chinaman lived well, clothed himself and saved money while working as a shoemaker at $18 a month, without board.

CÆSAR.

History of a Warlike Politician who Died Before Susan B. Anthony was Born.

Cajus Julius Cæsar was born 100 years before Christ, and was one of the most remarkable men that ever lived. He was remarkable as a scholar and a statesman, and also for the odd manner in which he spelled his name. In 83 B. C., Cæsar divorced his then wife, if you will allow me that expression, on the ground that she had utterly failed to support him. Her maiden name was Cassutia. He then married Cornelia, the daughter of Cinna. Sulla, then in the height of his power, commanded Cæsar to divorce Cornelia or be proscribed. Cæsar then told Sull to shoot his dye stuff. "Go ahead and fly up the creek," said Cæsar, one day. "Crick your whip. You can proscribe for me if you want to, but you can't compel me to take your old proscription."

Sulla once said to a friend, referring to Cæsar: "In that young man there are many Mariuses." Probably that was the reason Sulla proscribed for him. Whether the Marius was a species of microbe or not, I do not know. I can not remember so far back.

Soon after this Cæsar went to Asia Minor as a Roman soldier. While on his way to study oratory with Appolonius Molo, he was captured by pirates. He used to threaten, while in captivity, that when he got his liberty he would put the pirates to death. The pirates used to laugh at this a good deal, and regarded Cæsar as the rising young humorist of Rome; but when the required ransom was paid, the historian says Cæsar manned several wheat barges and put for the pirates' lair, and having captured them, he crucified them all. Cæsar made a specialty of crucified pirates, and for years after that any one who had pirates that they wanted crucified would always bring them to Cæsar.

In the year 68 B. C., Cæsar was made quæstor, and in 65 B. C. he was made ædile, but he had a robust constitution, and he pulled through all right, never repining nor complaining, and steadily refusing to allow any one to proscribe for him. He often said that a Roman proscription filled out by a Roman druggist was worse than a case of malignant Roman botts.

At the time of the Catiline conspiracy Cæsar was in the Senate. A majority of the Senate favored putting the conspirators to death, but Cæsar opposed it in a speech two hours long, in which he worked in a great many Latin quotations. He was then accused of complicity with the conspirators by Cato.

In 62 B. C., Cæsar, who had barely escaped the conspiracy trial with his life, was made prætor and the following year proprætor, but he had been vaccinated and so escaped. In 60 B. C., he formed with Pompey and Crassus the first triumvirate, a kind of blind pool for passing any kind of a bill they thought would be a good thing.

Cæsar then went into the war business, and it was a cold day when he did not sound from one to five tocsins, and with a loud whoop go on the war path. Every little while he would fire the culverin, and then you would see him roll up his pantaloons with great sang froid and wade in blood. He did not care whose blood it was, so that is wasn't his own and so that it was warm.

Cæsar's daughter, Julia, who became the wife of Pompey by request, afterward died, and a coolness sprang up between Pompey and his father-in-law, for Pompey was a leader of the aristocracy, while Cæsar ate pie with his knife in order to conciliate the common people.

Cæsar soon found himself at the head of a small army and Pompey at the head of another. He was ordered to disband his forces, which he agreed to do, provided that Pomp would do the same, but the latter refused, and on the banks of the Rubicon, with 5,000 infantry and 300 cavalry, he considered the perilous situation of going to war against his son-in-law. After thinking it over for a long time he finally exclaimed: "The die is cast." His language was at once telegraphed to the New York papers and has been used with more or less success ever since.

He then crossed the Rubicon and marched on rapidly to Rome, where he made it red-hot for Pompey. Pompey soon took his troops and went over to Greece, where it was cooler and where Cæsar could not follow him without getting his feet wet. Soon afterward, however, the two enemies met on the plains of Pharsalia. Pomp had 52,000 troops, but Cæsar succeeded in putting the kibosh on Pomp, who went to Egypt, claiming that he and Cæsar never could get along together, and as Cæsar would not go to Egypt, he would go there himself. Pompey was afterward assassinated by parties who are still at large. It is thought that they are concealed somewhere in Canada.

When Cæsar had cleaned out a large army, he would make a report to the Senate something like this:

To the President of the Senate:
SIR—Veni, vidi, vici. Yours truly,
CÆSAR.

He was afterward made imperator or emperor for life or during good behavior, with a large salary. This office he held with marked success until the ides of March, 44 B. C., when he was assassinated by a committee of influential citizens, who waited on him for that purpose.

Cæsar's great coolness in a crisis is here most noticeable, for while surrounded by assassins and with his system full of large irregular holes, seeing Brutus, whom he had been led to believe solid, he exclaimed, "Et tu Brute," and expired. In the excitement naturally incident to an assassination, in which Cæsar had been chosen to act as the corpse, his great sang froid in addressing Brutus in perfectly correct Latin shows that he well deserved the tribute paid him by an eminent historian, whose name at this moment has escaped my memory, in which he stated that "Cæsar was no slouch."—*Bill Nye, in N. Y. Mercury.*

—By falling from a wagon a Chinaman in California, whose life was insured for a large amount, was seriously hurt. There was some doubt as to his ever getting better, and at length one of his friends wrote to the insurance company: "Charley half dead; likee half money."

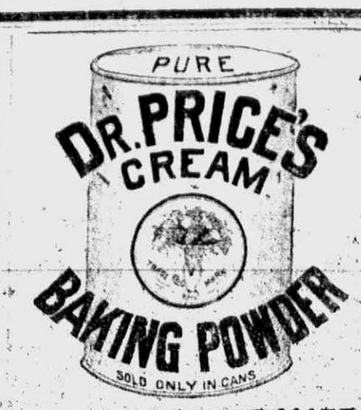

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ESTATE OF CHARLES J. BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Hettie H. Brewer, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Albert L. Brewer or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be held at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Batkins, Probate Register. 3w3

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Peter S. Waldron late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of October, 1885, and on the 6th day of February, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of August, 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

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Joseph E. Perkins, a newspaper dealer of this city, is about to publish a book entitled "The Encyclopedia of Human Longevity," which is the result of thirty-eight years of investigation on his part. The book will contain an authentic record of a large number of people, men and women, who have attained the age of one hundred years or more. The only exception to this is the case of a man who died at the age of ninety-nine years and three hundred and sixty-four days; and whom Mr. Perkins regards as virtually a centenarian. The book will represent an immense amount of labor and research, and its author believes that it may be relied on as accurate in every instance.

"I have," said Mr. Perkins, in speaking of his book, "more than ten thousand instances of people who have lived one hundred years and more. These names have been gathered from every part of the globe. This country leads in longevity and Connecticut is at the front among the United States. In that State I have gathered statistics in regard to more than six thousand persons who were more than eighty years of age, and of this number twenty were beyond the century limit. As regards sex the majority of these ten thousand centenarians were women. I account for this by the fact that they lead less irregular lives than men. I have instances of fifty old maids who come up to my century standard, and only twelve bachelors. As regards occupation I find that sailors, soldiers and farmers are the longest lived. Among the professions I have the instances of one hundred ministers who lived to one hundred years and more, while I could find only thirty doctors, ten lawyers and ten actors who came up to the standard. I can find no case among my ten thousand of a newspaper man who has lived to be one hundred years old. Newspaper men do so much brain work that they die young."

Coming to special instances, Mr. Perkins added: "Among the oldest people in the United States were Flora Thompson, a negress of Nashua, N. C., who died at the age of one hundred and fifty years; Betsy Frautham, a native of Germany, who died in Tennessee at the age of one hundred and fifty-four years; and Sifis, a slave, who died in Virginia, one hundred and eighty years old. I have the cases of ten persons who lived in safety for one hundred years and were then burned to death. In Onondaga County I have the sketches of fifty centenarians. Among them is the Rev. Daniel Waldo, who died in 1864 at the age of nearly one hundred and two years. For more than sixty years he was a clergyman in the Presbyterian Church, and on the anniversary of his one hundredth birthday he preached a sermon in the First Presbyterian Church of Syracuse. The last six pensioners of the Revolutionary War were centenarians and I have their photographs. Then there was John Weeks, of New London, Conn., who married his tenth wife when he was one hundred and six years of age and she only sixteen. He died at the age of one hundred and fourteen. His gray hairs had fallen off and they were renewed by a dark growth of hair. Several new teeth had also made their appearance, and a few hours before his death he ate three pounds of pork, two or three pounds of bread, and drank a pint of wine. Nicholas Schathcowski, of Posen, was another old fellow. He deposed on oath before the Council of Constance, A. D. 1414, that he was one hundred and fifty years of age, and that his father, whose age at the time of his death was nearly two hundred, could remember the death of the first King of Poland, A. D. 1025. Among the oddities to be found in my book will be the photograph of a man who died at the age of one hundred and twenty-one years. He had one hundred and forty-four children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and outlived them all. Then there was Margaret McDowal, of Edinburgh, who died at the age of one hundred and six. She married and survived thirteen husbands. John Rovin and his wife, of Hungary, lived together as man and wife for one hundred and forty-eight years. He was one hundred and sixty-four and she was one hundred and seventy-two years at the time they died, and their youngest son was one hundred and sixteen years old when the parents died.

"Then there is the case of a man who married sixteen times and had no children. This case is offset by that of another centenarian who had forty-nine children. John Riva, an exchange broker of Italy, lived to the age of one hundred and sixteen years and had a child born to him after he was one hundred years old. Betz, a Sioux squaw, who died a little while ago, lived for more than one hundred years. She had been the wife in turn of an army officer, an Indian chief, a border highwayman, and a Methodist minister. William Ward, of Westchester County, died in 1778 at the age of one hundred and seven. He was a member of the Ward family who were among the earliest settlers in Westchester County, and the particulars of his life and death were given in the New York papers of the time. His brother John was a magistrate, and attended court in White Plains as late as 1773. William Ward, a member of this family, carried on business as a banker in 1883 at No. 52 Broadway, New York. Another queer incident is that of a centenarian who was married four times and had a daughter by each wife. These daughters married, and each of them had fourteen children. Then there was a man who went over the century line and had twenty-two children. His first was a boy, and girls and boys came after that in regular rotation. There was a person known as Elizabeth Page, who lived in London and died at the age of one hundred and eight years. This person had acted as a midwife, and was supposed to be a woman. After death, however, it was discovered that the supposed woman was a man."—*Syracuse (N. Y.) Cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

LIFE IN SIAM.

The King With Three Thousand Wives—A Great Elephant Hunt.

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"The King is a very much married man. He has some three thousand wives. The establishment where they are housed is a city almost in itself. They are kept very close from the eye of men. No Europeans and very few natives of the male sex are allowed to enter the sacred precincts. Mrs. Palgrave, the wife of the English agent, did get permission once to visit the Queen's establishment. There is, by the way, only one Queen, the others are merely concubines. It was very plainly furnished. There was no splendor, gorgeousness and all that sort of thing at all. The floors were marble and the women sat on mats and rugs. They were chewing the betel root and constantly spitting; spittoons abounded. A few hangings were all the decorations the walls had. The women were very much like the Chinese women. The head is large, the face broad, forehead low, the cheek bones prominent, the lips thick, the eyes black, though not upturned as in the case of the Chinese. There is, of course, a whole army of female attendants."

"Now something about Siam's politics?"

"Well, you know it is an absolute monarchy. But there are two parties, or rather factions. One is headed by the King, and the other was led until recently, when he died, by the ex-Regent, who governed during the minority of the present King. There exists a great deal of jealousy, and as the crown does not descend by right of primogeniture, the death of a ruler gives rise always to serious trouble. The present dynasty has held sway for about four generations. I had a little difficulty when the ex-Regent died, which did not, however, lead to any serious consequences. He was a sour old gentleman, querulous and cross. I paid him a visit in my official capacity, and so did the English and French agents in theirs. He returned their calls, but did not return mine. When he died all the foreign representatives half-masted their flags according to custom. I did not. I was requested by the Prime Minister to do so. I refused. I said that a man who had shown so little respect for the flag of the United States should not be honored by it when dead. The matter was reported to the King. He said nothing. But when I saw him later he told me that he was very glad I acted as I did. It taught the followers of the ex-Regent a lesson.

"The King remembered General Grant very well. When I left Siam he charged me with a message for him. I was prevented through General Grant's illness from delivering it. Altogether I succeeded very well, indeed, in gaining the King's confidence. When he received me in audience for the last time he said: 'I hope you will come back. General Grant had two terms. You ought to have two terms also.' He presented me with two decorations, and also wished to present me with a valuable piece of property. This, however, I refused. But I induced him to give it in fee simple to the United States for the use of a Legation, the first instance in which a similar gift has been conveyed to the United States by a foreign power."

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SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

Being fully convinced that the press is the foremost and prime medium for the redress of wrong and for the vindication and support of right in any community. I therefore consider it incumbent upon every moral conscientious, and christian man or woman to hold up and expose to public contempt and condemnation any glaring sin or evil that may come under their notice. I will not exhaust your precious time and patience with any long preamble but come to the pith of the matter at once. I refer to the Sabbath excursions to Devils lake and elsewhere. More appropriately called, Satan's sink hole. What a contrast to the true christian in God's earthly tabernacle pouring out in soul felt prayer his heart felt thanks to his God for his undying love and mercy to all mankind, and even as he raises the consecrated cup of holy communion to his lips in remembrance of a Saviour's love to sinful man within ear shot almost within sight, the iron horse is bearing hundreds to whatbourne I can tell you for I have traveled a similar road but have now switched off on to another track with another conductor in charge, to the terminus of sin, drunkenness, and debauchery to end in the loss of an immortal soul. Now Mr. Editor, let your keen eye and sharp witted reporter take a trip with this motley crew and keep his eyes about him. Now let him take a bird's eye view of his surroundings, with note book and pencil in hand, and make record of what he sees and hears. He will see here and there a young man hardly out of his boyhood draw an object from his pocket, an object more deadly than the death dealing corbra of the Indian jungle, for the latter destroys the body only, the former both body and soul eternally for St. Paul says, no drunkard can enter the Kingdom of Heaven it is handed around for the inspection of his companions, it is fondly embraced and placed to their lips with smiling pleasure, and this is oft repeated. The fume of the demon mounts to their befogged brain, the blasphemous oaths, the ribalded jest the obscene badinage flows from their lpolluted lips in a black and appalling stream. Notice their return as they leave the cars, see the unsteady gait, the bleared and bloodshot eye, vacant idiotic and meaningless stare without one thought of their soul, their God or their Saviour, thus they reach their homes. What a heart rending sight for a christian parent. In such manner is God's Holy Sabbath desecrated and profaned by many of the promising youth of our fair village and vicinity. Should the Almighty God in his retributive justice smite us with some dire calamity, such ones would be the first to fly to some christian and God serving friend for that consolation which he has bartered away for the pleasures of a fleeting and hidious sin. To you enlightened and God serving ministers of Christ's holy gospel, what an herculian task you have to battle with. Well may you say as of old, the harvest is bountiful but the laborers are few. Call upon your christian congregations, let our fervent prayers ascend as of one mighty voice to the mercy seat of an outraged but loving and merciful God, endeavor by every means in the power of a christian community to enlist the aid of the moral and philanthropic in your midst, appeal to the strong arm of the law; if no such law exists on the statute books of the state of Michigan, appeal to our enlightened legislature, that in the name of the God which they serve and for the cause of suffering humanity to enact such a law, leave no stone unturned until the hidra headed demon, I profanet of God's holy but desecrated Sabbath, shall be plunged headlong and howling into the voracious and implacable maw of Satan's sink hole. COM.

An exchange gives the following good advice: "If you can think of anything that can be done to beautify and build up your town, go and do it; keep your capital at home; patronize home industries; help the merchants to sell more so they can sell cheaper; always get your work done in your own town if possible; subscribe and pay for your own papers; don't borrow or steal the reading of them. If you follow these suggestions and your town does not prosper and build up, it will not be your fault."

MAKE THE MOST OF THE CORNSTALKS.

Cornstalks, when saved in their best condition, are regarded by experienced farmers as among the most valuable kinds of fodder. We have heard farmers who knew pretty well what they were talking about, say they would as soon have the cornstalks from an acre of corn, if we l secured, as the hay from an acre for feeding milch-cows. We have heard others say they thought the stalks, properly saved, would pay for growing the corn. We are aware that these conclusions were not based upon accurate scientific experiments, either in the analysis of the two fodders or in feeding to stock and accurately weighing them to determine results; but they were based upon general observation, upon the fact that the quantity of milk, the amount, color and quantity of butter is quite as large and good when feeding stalks as when feeding hay, and the stock thrive quite as well.

But the quality of the stalks may be greatly impaired and their value diminished by exposure for a long time to changeable weather. Farmers think that hay is almost spoilt if exposed to two or three weltings after being cut, but they will expose cornstalks for two or three months to rains and sunshine, frosts and dirt without considering that they are diminishing their value. How to secure the cornstalks with the least detriment to them, is a very important question to every one who grows corn.

When the writer took his first lessons in farming the farmers in the locality universally topped their corn. With a sharp knife they would cut off every stalk bearing ears just above the top ear, and when they had gathered an armful would lay it upon the ground between the rows they were cutting and the rows of standing corn. Returning, they would add a few more rows to the row of gavels. Afterwards they would bind the gavels in bundles, set them up in shocks, and as soon as they were sufficiently cured would draw and stack or hence them. This enabled them to cure the better part of the stalks without long exposure to the weather, and those stalks were very valuable. When the corn had been exposed to the weather and frosts a short time the husks would to a great extent, cleave from the ears leaving them almost naked. A man could then husk out the corn on the hill, at least fifty per cent faster than from the shock. After the corn was husked and drawn from the field the cattle were turned in and allowed to pick up the ears, overlooked, and eat such portions of the stalks and husks as they cared for. The great objection to this method was, that it required about twice as long to top an acre of corn as to cut it up near the ground. In the one they were obliged to cut each stalk separately, in the other they could cut up a hill at a single blow.

As it is now the established custom to cut up the corn below the ears, it is proper to inquire, how can it be managed so as to secure the stalks in the best condition? We would answer:

First—Cut up the corn just as early as it will do, before the corn has completely hardened, when a large portion of the ears are fairly glazed. In this condition the stalks contain their maximum of nutriment and they are saved from exposure to early frosts.

Secondly—Take great pains to stand up the corn that it will not be likely to fall down or blow over. Large shocks will stand better than small, but they should not be so large that they will not cure through. From thirty-five to fifty good hills will make a fair sized shock. After a shock is completed it should be well bound at top, not only to insure its standing up but also to turn the rain from the middle. Rather consume a few hours more in cutting, shocking and binding an acre of corn, than to do it so that a considerable portion of the shocks shall be overturned.

After the corn is cured enough to husk, have it husked and the stalks housed or stacked as soon as possible. Do not postpone husking until potatoes and apples are harvested because the corn will be less damaged by freezing than the other crops, but, if possible, hire the corn husked while the other work is going on. After the farmer has been to the expense of growing a crop it will not do to run the risk of having its value impaired to save hiring a little more labor, provided it can be done to advantage.

Do not wait until the corn is all husked before drawing any of the stalks, but keep them drawn pretty well up with the huskers. At the very best the stalks will be considerably weather-beaten and injured, but avoid all the injury possible. The summer harvests are being much damaged by frequent and prolonged rains, let everything possible be done to secure the autumn harvests in good condition.

Copp's Settler's Guide.

Henry N. Copp, the Land Lawyer of Washington, D. C., sends the ninth edition of COPP'S SETTLER'S GUIDE, an indespensable book to all who are interested in public land. A chapter, illustrated with numerous cuts, shows how to tell Township, Section and Quarter-Section Corners, and explains the system of Government Surveys. It gives the latest rulings and instructions under the Homestead, Pre-emption, Timber culture, Desert Land, and other laws. The price of the book is only 25 cents. It will tell you who is entitled to enter land; how continuous your residence must be; what improvements you must make; what affidavits you must swear to; all about contests, and on what grounds they can be commenced; also about State Lands, Stone and Timber Lands, Mineral Lands, Desert Entries, Saline, Railroad, Coal, Townsite, and other lands; Scrip, Warrant, and other entries. Its purchase will save money and trouble, as erroneous statements circulated by conversation among settlers may, if acted on, cost you a contest, perhaps your land and improvements.

Jacob Seligman ("Little Jake") has completed the purchase of 6,000 acres of pine land in the upper peninsula, but the terms could not be learned. He is at present engaged in making the purchase of a large tract of land on the Muskegon. Jacob Seligman is another of these lower peninsula "fellers," of whom the Marquette Mining Journal says there are a goodly number looking after pine lands in the upper peninsula.—Bay City Tribune.

YPSILANTI MINERAL WATERS.

Ypsilanti, Aug. 26, 1885.

Michigan is destined to world-renowned statesmen, authors, poets, gold, silver, copper, iron, salt, ozone and hundreds more valuable elements have assisted in the coronation, but it remained for Ypsilanti, with her Fountain of Healing waters to place the brightest star in the diadem. It goes without saying that mineral water contains one tenth curative and nine tenths imaginative powers. But with the mineral water here the rule is reversed. The assertion is safe that nine-tenths are curative powers, which combined with the one tenth of imagination does effect some wonderful cures. Some idea may be gained of the mineral properties when I tell you that no baths are given with more than two thirds of the strength of the water, the full power being utterly exhausting to the system, effecting the skin unpleasantly. There is no water known in the world that possesses such minerals strenth as does this rival of Ponce De Leon's fountain of youth. Hundreds are flocking here from all points of the compass. Boston, New York, New Orleans, Chicago, Joliet, Buffalo, are represented; in fact nearly every state in the union sends almost daily residents to this Mecca of Good Health. And yet human incredulity is after all the most obstinate disease to master. Living in the heart of this city within the sound of the great engine that serves teller to cancel the mortgages on human lives, is a young lady whose speech has been paralyzed for six months or more. But the one tenth faith is lacking so she drives by the gate that many come hundreds of miles to enter, or to the great dispensary of Medical skill situated in the famous city ten miles below. Strange as it may seem, an eminent physician of that same city brought here under personal supervision, a patient afflicted with paralysis to a degree that the limbs and feet were utterly incapacitated, and after thorough investigation of the mode of treatment, surrendered the patient to the Superintendent's care. This is the fourth week and the "General" is beginning to use crutches. His recovery judging from benefit thus far derived, is but a question of time, while miraculous is a mild term for what has already been accomplished for him. One thing patrons of this institution must bear in mind. It is folly to peddle owls in Athens. The superintendent, has made mineral baths a constant study for ten years, which, combined with the experience of a personal cure of sciataca in its worst form enables him to perscribe more successfully than the most confident novice. As the inexperienced will be interested a brief synopsis of the bath will not be obtrusive. The water is turned on for the first bath in equal parts, of the mineral and fresh water after which steam is let on until the temperature reaches 98 degrees. The patient now enters the bath, and the attendant commences manipulating the body. Steam is added at intervals, the manipulation continues and by the time a temperature of one hundred and eight is reached circulation is thoroughly aroused. Patients afflicted with paralysis or sciatica have taken baths as high 118°, the ordinary temperature used is not to exceed 110° which appropos is tolerably good cooking for the human flesh. At the expiration of ten minutes the patient emerges, undergoes a thorough rubbing with dry towels, is then wrapped in a dry sheet and put to bed enveloped in soft rose blankets. If any part of the body is affected with inflamation, cancer, tumor, paralysis or any thing of that nature hot compresses are applied for half an hour to the affected parts. By this time the body will prespire freely. The attendant again dries with towels and then comes the "spatting"; memories of nursery days come trooping down the halls as the spats fly thick and fast, but the sequence is far happier than in those times of infantile tribulations for the surface is all aglow with the warmth of rustication, while the patient dons his apparel and comes back to the plane of life with renewed vigor and stimulated with the brightest of hopes. Each day the bath is increased in strength until two thirds of the power of the water is used, which is the limit. In connection with the baths, the patient uses a wine glass of the mineral water, hot, as a beverage. Ladies suffer any amount of inconvenience in taking baths. The steam annihilates frizzes, the gases corrode jewelry while the saddest result of all is when they wash their pearly faces—Presto! Mineral water and cosmetics can not be made to harmonize. That the majority of the gentle sex do indulge in improving nature's defects is conceded without controversy. That nature revolts at the innovation, a douche of mineral water will attest. Black? You would think so! and such a wretched black, well, descriptive powers stagger and reel, that's all. Yes, even money, the Moloch of the American people, is subdued. Silver and gold turn black in the purse, without even having been exposed to the air of the bath room. It is a nice place in a bath room to create antique coins. Your correspondent has been the proud possessor of an old English coin issued under Geo. 1. It has always lacked the desired shade of antiquity. But the mineral water has applied times finger marks sans ceremonie. One word in conclusion. This water effects miraculous cures. The baths are given superior to those of any institution in this or any other state and should always be taken with an attendant and under the superintendents personal instruction. The well needs a nice commodious hotel in connection with the bath-house and other attractions that first class watering places afford to guests. These things the proprietors will bring in their own good time. In the mean time people can find private accommodations, and ought not to delay in seeking the restoration of health at this wonderful Fountain of Healing Waters.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Sept. 7, 1885.

Regular session. Present the entire council except Messrs. Bills and Marsden.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Street commissioner made his report for the month of August, showing 19½ days team work by corporation team, and 5 by other teams, making 24½ days in all, and 37 days hand work. Report accepted and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and on motion referred to finance committee:

A. H. Chaplin, oak lumber	$6 52
L. M. Mooney,	16 00
James Moir, services as Marshal	6 50
Jno. Hibbard, " dep. "	1 75
N. M. Sutton, Tray	11 45
Wm. C. Jordan, 5 days work	10 00
W. H. Ames 3 " "	3 75
Dell Page 2 " "	2 50
A. Packard 1 " "	1 25
Wm. Owens 1 " "	1 25
V. Cook 2 " "	2 50
W. S. Comfort, brick	53 80

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Finance committee reported favorably upon the following bills: A. H. Chaplin, $6.52; L. M. Mooney, $16,00; Jas. Moir, $6.50; Jno. Hibbard, $1.75; N. M. Sutton, $11.45; Wm. C. Jordan, $10,00; W. H. Ames, $3.75; Dell Page, $2.50; A. Packard, $1.25; Wm. Owens, $1.25; V. Cook, $2.50; W. S. Comfort, $53.80.

On motion the Council adjourned.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

The go-as-you-please marriage system, that has done so much to injure the sancity of marriage in Michigan has become a reproach upon the state, the legislature should endeavor to remove. The clandestine weddings, the elopement of minors will be brought to a close and many a deluded and misguided young girl, who marries without the knowledge and consent of her parents, will be saved from a life of degredation and misery. Other states throw these safe guards around the young and unsuspecting, why not ours? This act would result in incalculable good to society. It would prevent many disputed marriages in Michigan. It will be the faithful guardian of our homes alike, before and after marriages; it will cut off one half or more of the divorce cases. When it is once known that the man who inveigles a minor into having a private marriage ceremony performed will serve one to five years in prison for so doing, the number of these ill-advised marriages will be very few.—Bronson Independent.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST.—Somewhere in the village or in the cemetery about two weeks ago, a pair of gold trained spectacles. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the same at the HERALD OFFICE.

SEED WHEAT.—I have a quanity of genuine Martin's Amber Wheat for sale, at one dollar per bushel.
B. H. PENNINGTON,
Macon, Mich.

SEWING.—I have returned from Detroit and can now be found at my rooms in Mrs. Wm. Richard's residence, prepared to do sewing of all kinds. BETSEY THOMPSON.

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T. D. STRONG, Tecumseh, Mich.

VIOLIN FOR SALE.—A first-class violin old, and sweet sounding, will be sold cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Frank Snedicor and wife, of Dundee, arrived in Tecumseh on Tuesday.

Insure your property against fire, tornadoes and wind storm with A. W. Haight.

City ticket agent A. E. Kennedy has received a fine ticket case from the M. & O. authorities.

Lewis H. Patchen, has our thanks for musk melon received. He knows what printers are fond of.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Conners and Mrs. M. T. Barton, of Muncie, Ind., are visiting at Zack Snell's this week.

The Exchange hotel changed hands again this week. Mr. J. G. Gilchrist is the new landlord and he commenced to entertain the traveling public last Monday.

Mrs. T. T. Kneeland passed from this earthly scene last Sunday morning at the advanced age of 73 years. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at the residence.

P. W. Adams came into the HERALD office yesterday afternoon with a basket of peaches which he raised on his Delware farm. Waller knows how good peaches taste in a printing office.

The close season on ducks, partridges and deer expired on the first, and continues till January 1st. on all but deer, for which the season closes November 15th. The open season for quail begins November 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, of Franklin, aged 82 and 83 years, took their first ride on a railroad last week Wednesday, to Addison to pay a visit to Supervisor Raymond, of Rollin. The old gentleman said he prefered to ride in a buggy.

Undoubtedly many a bustle goes bobbing about the streets, the material of which they are composed being the local newspapers for which the subscription has never been paid. We have a private mark whereby we are enabled to detect all such bustles. —Saline Observer.

Considerable complaint is being made by people whose water melon patches have suffered from what the boys call "cooning." It may be considered fun by the boys, but is rather a mean way to get melons and people who raise the fruit do not relish being the victims of such sport.

B. McHugh, of the M. & O. states that the August business of that road has been the heaviest they ever had. August is usually their dullest month; and as their business is constantly increasing, Mr. McHugh takes this as an evidence that better times have come and the promised revival of business has already come.

The Adrian Record reminds farmers of the coming county fair in this wise:

The managers of the Lenawee county agricultural fair association are doing all in their power to make the fair this year the most successful ever held in this county. All that is needed to this end is a little more united effort on the part of the farmers. The prospects are certainly very flattering, both for a better fair and a larger attendance than ever before. Crops of all kinds are good this year, and now is the time for farmers to sort out and lay aside the finest specimens of his productions for exhibition at the fair. Let every farmer bring something. No farmer can attend a successful county fair with his eyes opened without being benefitted.

The recent rains have put the ground in good condition for working and Lenawee county farmers are taking advantage of this fact to prepare for the fall seeding. The cool weather during the past few weeks has also kept the pasturage in splendid condition, and instead of being scorched and dried by the hot sun, as has been the case during the past several years, the grass is green, affording splendid pasturage for stock. At this time last season farmers in this vicinity had commenced feeding their stock but the expense is saved them this season and stock will go into winter quarters in prime condition.

Raisin Pioneer Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Pioneers of Raisin township at the Presbyterian church, on Thursday, Oct. 1st. at 10 o'clock A. M. A general invitation is extended to the citizens of the township to turn out and help celebrate Old Folks' Day. Pioneers from adjoining towns are invited to be present. A picnic dinner will be served by the ladies at 12 o'clock. Those having in their possession relics of pioneer days, are requested to bring them along; an exhibition of such things will be one of the attractions of the day. BY ORDER OF COM.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT., 10, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

School began last Monday.

W. F. King of Adrian was in town Friday.

Adrian wants the next State Fair held there.

The lover of oysters fondly remembers that this is a month of R.

Hob Bird is driving Slayton's team during the absence of A. Vedder.

A. W. Slayton, wife and daughter, were in Detroit a few days last week.

Mrs. Wm. Richard of Lima, N. Y., is spending a few days with Miss Betsy Thompson.

We hear from old "York State" that apples and other fruit are in great abundance there.

Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd have something to say this week about their new stoves.

Monday of last week the children of Britton began receiving their education in the new school building.

One and one-third rates on all the roads will buy a round-trip ticket to Adrian during the county fair this fall.

Last Sunday John Gillespie was made the father of a bouncing boy, and to say that he is happy does not half express it.

Last Saturday Charles Avery's machine threshed 1068 bushels of wheat in ten hours on the farm of John Fisher. A good day's work.

Buckwheat cakes are said to have been greatly injured by the recent frost. Many fields were badly cut and others escaped by a mere scratch.

Hub Stout and Henry Heesen are attending the Iowa State Fair, at DesMoines this week exhibiting Brewer's Brick and Tile Machines.

The following frank and sensible confession is from the Saline Observer: "This paper is too poor to puff any individual who is to poor to take and pay for it."

A Vedder is taking a rest, after two years hard work for Slayton & Son, and is now visiting friends at Hudson, Dover, etc. He takes his wife with him and we wish him lots of fun.

The village schools opened Monday with a large attendance, more so than usual at the beginning of the fall term. With the corps of teaches engaged we see no reason why Tecumseh cannot add to its already wide reputation for good schools.

The skating rink will be open Saturday afternoon and evening in the future, beside Wednesday evening. A race is being talked of between the fast skaters of the village, and Manager Cash proposes to give a prize to the champion.

A young lady's life was most miraculously saved recently by a friendly corset steel which warded off the bullet fired by her jealous lover, straight for her heart. What stronger argument than this do the girls want in favor of corsets?

S. C. Stacy has been confined to the house since last Friday with an attack of hay fever, cold and intermittant fever. He is now on the mend, however, and will soon be out again. He has had too many excursions and too much hard work lately.

After Sept. 15 tickets will be sold over the Lake Shore, in connection with the Michigan Central, Flint and Pere Marquette, Grand Rapids and Indiana, and Chicago and Northwestern, to hunting parties of three or more, at a little over one fare for the round trip. Guns, dogs, and 200 pound of baggage and camp equippage to each passenger will be carried free.

The Michigan State Department is anxious to have all dealers forward to Lansing on the first of each month a report of the quantity of wheat purchased by them, so that it can form an accurate estimate of the wheat remaining in farmers' hands for the monthly report. The Department pays all postage, supplies blanks and furnishes reports to all who comply with the request.

The M. & O. Railroad experienced another accident at Dundee yesterday afternoon. A Toledo & Ann Arbor freight train had run on to a side track at that place and left the switch open, and the M. & O. freight train that passes Tecumseh in the afternoon ran into the switch and struck the rear end of the train, smashing the caboose and damaging the engine considerably. The 7:16 passenger train last night on that road was three hours late in consequence.

The agricultural society extend a cordial invitation to all persons having tents, either small or large, to bring them and set them up during the fair on the grounds. It will make shade and shelter for the families owning them and add an attraction to the grounds. A good police force will be on the grounds night and day to protect all property. Only favorable weather is required to make the coming fair the most attractive ever held in Lenawee county. Entries are already coming in, and adjoining counties are asking the privilege of competing. Let everybody come and bring a tent if he has it.

M. GRAVES, Sec'y.

Joe Emery, of Adrian, was in town last Friday.

Burt Waring is clerking for Sutton, Fairfield & Co.

Dike Wilkinson, of Jackson, was in town last Friday.

Miss Ella Chiverall has been spending the past week in Detroit.

Morris Knapp and Dit Nixon, of Adrian, were in town last Friday.

Miss Sena Coryell, of Ridgeway, visited Miss Adah Potter last Sunday.

Miss Lou Arner, of Ridgeway, was the guest of Miss Jennie McClare over Sunday.

Geo. Miles, of the Clinton Local made the HERALD a friendly call last Monday.

Mrs. Wm. McMullen, of Battle Creek, is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

Perhaps it may be well to remind you that this month has an r in it. Oysters 'ye know.

Mrs. Hancock and daughter, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Aaron Aten, this week.

Harry Dunn started for Florida last Tuesday to spend the winter on his orange plantation there.

Mrs. Henry Smith is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Kloffenstein at Fremont, Ohio.

El. Cairns is at the tri-state fair this week, looking after the interests of the McCormick reapers and binders.

Tru. McKinney and Art. Soper, are attending the Toledo tri-state fair this week, exhibiting their new clay crusher.

Asa E. Stevens, who has been spending the summer with his parents in Tecumseh, returned to Chicago last Tuesday.

G. C. Spencer, the photographer formerly of this village is now located at Evansville Ind., where he has a lucrative position in a gallery there.

The following are the officers of the school board for 1885-6.

A. W. Mills, Moderator.
L. G. North, Director.
O. P. Bills, Assessor.

Beer's Post, G. A. R. now indulge in the luxury of hot coffee and doughnuts at their meetings, and there is a large increase in the attendance in consequence.

Landlord De Lano has placed a railroad headlight in front of the Lilley House, and the weary traveler now has plenty of light by which to seek that haven of rest.

G. P. Sparks has another snake, to keep company with the one caught two weeks ago. It was brought in by Jno. Wilber, and is the same species and about the same size as the other.

The Dundee Reporter says that local owners of fast horses speed their animals in the streets of the village, but they have not yet violated the ordinance which prohibits faster driving than six miles per hour.

Reading Telephone: Of over one hundred telephones in use in Coldwater last season only forty-three now remain. Forty-eight dollars per year is a high price, that but few wealthy men can stand. When the price is relegated down to about $20 or $25 per year telephones will come into more general use. It is now one of the greatest monopolies in the country.

An excursion to Cleveland, Ohio, Monday, Sept. 14th, is given on the M. & O. railway from Battle Creek. The route is to Toledo by rail thence through the beautiful islands of lake Erie to Cleveland, one of the most rapidly growing and beautiful cities in the United States. Euclid avenue and Prospect street are considered the finest avenues in the western states. Excursionists will be given an opportunity to see Garfield's monument, Commodore Perry's tomb and other places of interest in the city.

In the Tecumseh News report of last week regarding the encampment held at Devil's lake, a statement something like this was made, that Beer's Post No. 140, of Tecumseh was not represented or seen. This Post established its headquarters there on Wednesday of that week, and on Thursday morning had the honor of escorting the Governor of our state from the cars to the camping grounds. It was noticed by some as the first Post to fall in and present itself for the Reviews, and as they marched from headquarters it was quite noticeable that Albert Hyde and Rev. Getchell brought up the rear. How could you have overlooked it neighbor?

The printing press has made Presidents, killed poets, furnished bustles for beauties, and furnished genius with the sandpaper of criticism. It has made worlds get up to roll-call every morning; given the pulpit lungs of iron and voice of steam. It has set the price of a bushel of wheat, and made the country postoffice the glimmering goal of the rural scribe. It has curtailed the power of kings, embellished the pantry shelves and busted rings; it has converted bankers into paupers, made sawyers of college presidents; it has educated the homeless, and robbed the philosopher of his reason. It smiles and kicks, cries and dies, but it can't be run to suit everybody, and the editor is a fool who tries it.—Exchange.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Orrin Pierce has already shipped over a hundred barrels of apples from Hudson this season.

The Morenci fair ground booths will be offered for rent for the fair on Saturday, September 19th.

Blissfield claims twenty-three of the 352 teachers who were authorized by the county board to teach last year.

Sheep killing dogs killed two and wounded nineteen sheep of the flock of John Johnson, of Medina, last week.

At a recent Methodist Episcopal quarterly meeting at Fairfield it was decided to sell the Methodist church at East Seneca.

Morenci has a Ladies' Relief society, which amounts to something. It gives entertainments and uses the proceeds in the relief of the suffering and needy.

Brace Brown, of Blissfield, purchased $130 worth of chickens, in the shape of three Buff Cochins, last week. He will go into the fancy poultry business.

The copartnership in the Deerfield roller flouring mills has been changed, Mr. Geo. Cannon, one of the firm, having disposed of his half interest to George Sisson. Benjamin Cannon, formerly supervisor of Deerfield for a number of years, remains the senior member of the new firm.

The following teachers' examinations will be conducted by the county board of examiners during the ensuing fiscal year: Sept. 26, Adrian; Oct. 17, Adrian; Oct. 30, Adrian; March 13, Tecumseh; March 26, Adrian; April 10, Blissfield; April 24, Hudson; May 1, Morenci; August 14, Adrian.

Saline Observer.—Addison Berdan was arrested by Marshal Gillan last Thursday night, and lodged in the jail at Ann Arbor until Monday when he had a trial before Justice Webb. Prosecuting Attorney Norris prosecuted, and Addison received a sentence of six months to the house of correction at Detroit. Sentence suspended during good behavior.

Adrian Times.—"This 'bates' all, an' we're much obleeged," jokingly spoke the editor as Thomas Bates deposited a bag full of cucumbers, tomatoes and and green corn in the sanctom of the Hudson Gazette. "And it still 'bates' all" groaned the editor the next day, as he read the proofs with the sheet between his feet, while cholera morbus wrung his—well, his soul.

The Morenci Observer knows of a picnic orator near Hudson who opened up the other day thus: "The emotions of sublimity engendered by the magnificence of this frondescent grove and lacustral landscape are inexpressible and incommunicable by virtue of the poverty of human language to portray them. * * We are intrinsically exhilarated that it is our exhalted prerogative to address you on this occasion, etc."

Clinton Local.—Friday morning Dr. J. C. Burroughs was kicked on the hip by a horse, and quite seriously injured. The doctor carries a flemm, for bleeding horses, in his pocket, the back of which projects about two inches. In kicking, the horse's foot struck the flemm, burying the blade in the flesh. The wound bled profusely for some time, rendering the doctor extremely weak from the loss of blood. He is so as to be about, by the use of a cane.

Hudson Post.—A few nights ago a prominant Hudson man was awakened by his wife, who told him there was a man down stairs. Trembling with fright he staggered from the bed and in his terror grabbed a length of stovepipe which he had in the room, and hurled it down stairs. Then with a yell he tumbled into bed, and pulling the clothes over his head waited for daylight to appear. The next day his wife related how bravely her husband had repulsed half a dozen burglars.

Adrian Record.—A green looking country kid, about ten years old, appeared in Blissfield the other morning leading a cow. A corner loafer to annoy the lad and frighten the cow, began bawling in imitation of a calf, at which the cow began to hang back, giving the boy considerable trouble. "Let the cow alone," said a bystander to the loafer. The boy was not so green as he looked, and called back over his shoulder as he tugged away at the rope, "Let him bawl, he's her calf; that's why the cow hangs back." The loafer was utterly discomfitted, the crowd roared, and the 10 year old urchin continued his triumpha march.

Hudson Post.—During the G. A. R. Encampment at Devils Lake a man named Frank J. Lewis, hailing from Michigan Center, Jackson county, obtained the right to sell pop and other light drinks on the grounds. He had a colored man with him as assistant. At the close of the encampment Under Sheriff Bowen arrested both on the charge of selling a liquid called 'The Wine of Life,' which it is alleged, proved as intoxicating as any kind of liquor. The prisoners were given in charge of Deputies Alchin and John Crandall. While waiting for a train to convey them to Adrian the colored man got away. Lewis was jailed. The complainant is John Brazee, of the hotel at the grounds.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

The annual school meeting at the Cen ral school building last Monday evening was largely attended. The rumor that an effort was to be made to raise a large sum for a new building in the western part of the town, probably stimulating some to attend who usually stay at home.

The Moderator, Mr. David McNair, called the meeting to order and called for the minutes of the last annual meeting, which were read by the Director, Dr. L. G. North. The minutes being found correct, the Annual Report was read by the same officer, giving statements of all the receipts and expenditures in detail and containing estimates and recommendations for the ensuing year. The following synopsis will be of interest to all tax payers and friends of the schools.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1884	$ 902 12
Mill tax	1505 70
Special tax (general)	3500 00
" " (apparatus)	159 60
Foreign tuitions	524 75
Primary money	758 72
Library money	17 20
Total receipts	$7468 49

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries	$4700 00
Janitor's salary	384 00
Director's salary	50 00
Books for library	36 85
Apparatus	59 45
Fuel	434 68
Repairs	496 72
Incidentals	188 99
Balance on hand	1057 79
Total	$7468 49

From this it will be seen that the cost of the schools for the past year was $6350 70

LIBRARY FUND.

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1884	$68 95
Rec'd from town treasurer	17 20
Total receipts	$86 15

EXPENDITURES.

Five Appleton Cyclopedia Annuals	$30 00
Repairs on the old vols. of same	6 85
Balance on hand	49 30

APPARATUS.

EXPENDITURES.

1 Webster unabridged dict., index edg	
2 gasometers	
Chemicals	58
3 primary reading charts	25 00
Centrifugal R. R.	1 00
Mechanical appliances	9 50
Sundries	3 38
Balance on hand	90 54
Voted by annual meeting of 1884	$150 00

ESTIMATES FOR COMING YEAR.

EXPENSES.

Teachers' salaries	$4750 00
Janitor's salary	384 00
Director's salary	50 00
Incidentals	250 00
Repairs	366 00
Fuel	400 00
Total	$6200 00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

Mill tax	$1500 00
Primary money	700 00
Foreign tuition	500 00
Special tax	3500 00
Total	$6200 00

The list of expenditures in detail is too long for us to present in full. One item deserves special mention, viz: the repairs on the furnaces. During the year there was paid for that purpose $293.33. Of this sum a part properly belonged to the year 1884 but could not be then reported as the work was not completed at the time of the annual meeting. Deducting $84.36 the amount that belonged to 1884, we still have $208.97 as the annual expense of the present heating arrangement. But one conclusion is possible, and that is, that the hot air furnaces should be done away with, and steam heating apparatus used in the Central and east branch buildings in the very near future. The Board would have asked for an appropriation for that purpose now, had not the needs for a new building in the west branch been imperative.

The report and its recommendations were adopted without a dissenting voice. The Moderator then appointed Mr. C. F. Field and Mr. L. P. Tribou as tellers.

First an informal and then a formal ballot was taken to elect a trustee as successor to David McNair, whose term of office then expired. On the formal ballot Mr. McNair received 49 of the 72 votes cast and was therefore declared elected trustee for the ensuing three years. After an informal ballot for a trustee to succeed Dr. S. Catlin, a formal ballot was taken when Dr. R. B. House received 46 votes of the 76 that were cast and was therefore declared elected trustee for the ensuing three years.

Mr. A. W. Mills then made an exhibition for the board of the portions of the town having the most primary scholars. From the census taken last week by Mr. A. Stevens, he showed that there are children of school age and under 10 years, in different parts of the town as follows:

In Brownsville, 26; between the Creek and Shawnee St., 17; south of Shawnee and east of L. S. R. R., 50; south of Shawnee and west of L. S. R. R., 101; total, 194.

From these facts he claimed that the district should at once provide better accommodations in the west branch which has but one small building with a single room. By referring to the above schedule it will be seen that there are 17 children south of the Creek and north of Shawnee St. Of these probably a full half go to the west branch school, making the number it has to accommodate about 110, i. e. it accommodates the children of a district whose census shows that number. The remainder of the town has 84 primary pupils and two rooms and two teachers to accommodate them, while this part has 110 with a single room and but a single teacher for their accommodations.

After Mr. Mills' exhibit, the matter was quite fully discussed and his views were concured in by all. There was some confusion of ideas before a definite plan of action was decided upon during which several motions and amendments were made and withdrawn. During the discussion Mr. J. S. Strong, a heavy and life long tax payer remarked, "I do not regret any money that I have ever paid for school purposes." This remark coming from such a source had a decided influence and the sentiment seemed to be adopted by all the tax payers present. Mr. Mills thought perhaps $2000 would build such a house as was needed. Some were in favor of raising the whole amount by tax this fall. After the confusion above referred to, Judge Stacy presented the following resolutions which were adopted one at a time, with the best of feeling among all concerned.

Resolved, That a suitable building be erected for a school building on the site of the West branch school house, such building to be erected on such suitable place thereon as may be fixed on by the School Board, and to be completed by the first day of the next school year, September, 1886.

Resolved, That the School Board be and they are hereby directed to have prepared suitable plans, specifications and estimates for such building, being of such a building as they believe to be suitable and proper for the same, and not less than necessary for the accommodations for two separate primary school rooms and report the same to an adjourned meeting of said School District, to be held at the Union School building on Monday, January 4th, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. for such action as may be taken by the District meeting in regard thereto.

Resolved, That one thousand dollars be appropriated toward paying the expenses of building said school house and that it be raised by tax on the district this year.

The meeting then adjourned to Jan. 4, 1886. The spirit which actuated the tax payers at this meeting is what makes Tecumseh such a desirable place of residence and what gives the schools the prestage they now enjoy. It would be a good thing for the future generations of Tecumseh if all her tax payers could or would adopt as their own Mr. Strong's noble sentiment, "I do not regret any money I have ever paid for school purposes."

A TERRIBLE CYCLONE.

The storm of last Tuesday did not do any damage in Tecumseh, but the farmers south of here experienced a terrible cyclone, which done thousands of dollars damage to buildings and fruit. When first seen it appeared funnel shaped and looked like black smoke, and when a mile west of Jas. Colvin's farm it broke in all its fury. Geo. Hanford's barn was unroofed and trees blown down on his farm. Mr. Colvin's barn was unroofed, bending some of the heavy rafters like sticks, and tearing the floor up. His wind-mill was blown down and the wheel broke in pieces, and a high board fence around his yard was flattened. The trees in his orchard were almost ruined, but his house was not touched. Jas. Cairns' barn was also unroofed and trees blown down, as was John Hanley's barn.

Mr. Fulton McLain says he was over in a field on his farm when he saw the storm coming and started for the house with it thundering after him. He escaped from any harm but looked back saw large trees torn up by the roots, and the air full of flying fence rails and branches. A large drag was lifted fifty feet in the air and carried into another field, and not a fence was left standing on his farm. The storm struck the farms of Geo. Hollister and Alex. Orr, tearing down fences and flattening the corn, and taking the roof off of Mr. Orr's barn. The school house in Raisin, near Comfort's brick yard, was damaged considerably and fences blown down.

AT RIDGEWAY AND BRITTON.

The storm struck the village of Ridgeway about 5:30 o'clock, at the M. & O. depot, and tore the roof off from the West end of it, carrying and scattering it for rods, also tearing down and uprooting fruit and shade trees for E. C. VanVleet, taking with it a part of the roof and chimney from the Northeast corner of the church landing it in a pile near the study at the West end. As it crossed the street it tore down the chimney on Mrs. M. A. Barrett's house, and completely crushed Jacob Arner's barn. It unroofed Dr. D. W. Loree's barn, laying level to the ground Harvey Smith's summer kitchen. As it struck Mr. Gunn's house it carried the north part of the roof out in the street, taking bedding and clothing from 20 to 30 rods away. Mr. R. McWilliams who was coming to the village with a horse and buggy was blown with horse and buggy in the ditch near Mr. Gunn's place. The horse was not hurt but the buggy was broken and Mr. McWilliams had several ribs broken. A mile north of Britton it took the roof fron T. Hoagland's barn and smashed up a new sheep barn 30x40 feet for Mrs. David Ousterhout, then took Geo. Cheever's new house and carried it clear from the foundation dumping it in a pile 15 feet away. Geo. Cheever had a cow and calf picked up and thrown with such violence as to kill them instantly. As it struck Geo. Smith's farm it tore some buildings entirely to pieces, moving a barn 32x48 from its foundation and taking the roof entirely off. John Curry and John Kemp were carried several rods and landed under the fence, but did not receive serious injuries. It blew down Ransom Mills' barn, killing one cow and hurting another seriously.

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THE FAMOUS PONY EXPRESS.

Where It Went, How It Went, and What It Accomplished.

Twenty years ago settlers starting for the far West, with their heavily laden wagons, knew that the journey would occupy six months of hard travel, and might involve many dangers of varied character, chiefly from hostile Indians, [illegible] and rattlesnakes. Once started on that far journey, many a weary month must elapse ere any tidings could reach them from the home they had left.

Great was the excitement, when a company of [illegible] determined men undertook their dangerous ride to carry dispatches in the shortest time across the Atlantic to the shores of the Pacific in fourteen days. The feat was declared impossible. Nevertheless, the Central Overland California and Pikes Peak Express was thus organized, the vast expanse of country right across the Great Continent was divided into runs of sixty miles, and at each terminus eight hours were allowed as stations and stables for men and horses.

The riders were strong, swift ponies, selected for their hardiness and great powers of endurance, and the riders were picked men—experienced scouts and trappers, and even in that region of keen, fearless riding men—for courage and good horsemanship and many a time most both have been tried in the runs in the course of those terribly long and lonely lonesome rides across the [illegible] prairie, continually in danger of attack, by day or by night, by wild Indians or highway robbers.

[illegible] express messenger started from each side of the Great Continent. From the first moment to the last no time must be lost. As long as the good and fleet gallop [illegible] and the eager hoofs seemed as tireless as their riders, and scarcely needed the cruel spur to urge them on. For [illegible] miles at a stretch they [illegible] at their utmost speed and when at length the goal was reached, where the next messenger was waiting in the saddle, ready to start without an minute's delay, the precious [illegible] was transferred from one postman to the other, and, ere the wearied incomer had even dismounted, his successor had started on his onward way.

Then pony and man might rest and feed and wait again till the return of the messenger with a modified letter bag, which was warranted to accomplish its journey toward or from the [illegible] miles in 240 hours. The railway on the New York side being already constructed as far as St. Joseph, that station was the eastern point to which the Pony Express had to run.

This Pony Express was continued for two years, accomplishing its work with amazing regularity, and involving many a feat of splendid riding and wild adventure. It proved however, a ruinous failure from a pecuniary point of view, and the company collapsed with a debt of [illegible]—*Family Magazine.*

PEAT.

How It Is Gathered for Fuel in Peat Bearing Countries.

The [illegible] of the peat harvest in many parts of Ireland and Scotland is a matter of much importance to the inhabitants, and one [illegible] seriously interfering with the necessary operations. The cutting commences early in the season as soon as the water and spring [illegible] have drained from off the surface. In Ireland a long narrow slip measuring from three to six feet across is cleared to the depth of a foot or so of the [illegible] spongy peat and heather which lies on the surface. Extending from this certain space of surface, called in some districts a swarth, is marked out for peat for the required [illegible] of peat which as they are cut are laid close upon it to dry. The peat cut early, as it is [illegible] called in that country, is cut in a narrow rectangular block, about one foot to eighteen inches in length. The implement used in cutting, called a slane, somewhat resembles a spade, with a flat piece of steel attached to the bottom at the right angle, and turned up at right angles. The blocks are cut from the mass with a downward thrust of the implement, the arms alone being used, without the assistance of the foot, as in an ordinary spade. After the blocks have lain for some time, and the sides and upper surfaces have dried somewhat, they are turned and then placed on end in small stacks, which are piled together in larger heaps and the drying process has advanced. The work of cutting, turning, and stacking the peat is not such an unpleasant occupation as might be supposed. It is cleanly work enough. There is no need to handle the peat in a wet state, though even then it does not stain or stick to the hand or person, and has no unpleasant smell. When it has dried somewhat it is light, clean, and easy to handle. It is unusual to cut the peat down to the level of the pool beneath, the produce of the lower layers, although most valuable as fuel, drying into hard and brittle fragments, which do not bear handling or removal. When the upper matter becomes exhausted the remainder is sometimes dug out, mixed with water, and kneaded with the hands and feet. It is then cut into square blocks, and dried in the ordinary way. The peat bogs of Ireland ought to be a source of considerable profit to that country, and but for the low heating power of peat, which renders it unfit for use as fuel for manufacturing purposes, they would have, no doubt, long ago led to the development in that country of industrial and manufacturing activity similar on a small scale to that produced by coal in England. To remedy this defect in peat as a fuel various processes have been tried for compressing it, so as to get rid of the large percentage of water always present in the best dried samples. These experiments have not, up to the present, met with any great success when tried on a large scale. Well-dried peat contains as much as twenty per cent of water, and even when most of it is expelled, unless the peat is rendered compact and waterproof by some process, its spongy texture causes it to reabsorb a large proportion of moisture from the atmosphere.—*N. Y. Times.*

LONDON SEWAGE.

What It Is Estimated to Be Worth, and Plans for Its Disposal Considered.

It has been computed that the annual value of London sewage amounts to 8s. 3d per individual, and, estimating the population at 4,000,000 persons, the total value would be more than $8,000,000 per annum. It would thus appear, on the face of it, that in some way or other this sum should be saved for the city. There are two ways of deriving profit from sewage. One is by the application of sewage to land, as, for instance, is done at Pullman, Ill., or from treatment by chemical processes. Precedents for the first plan exist in Great Britain, the more notable ones being in Edinburgh and Doncaster, but from neither of these could the commissioners derive sufficient encouragement to infer that the pumping and other expenses would not cancel all of the possible profits. The second plan is regarded as yet more unfavorably, for the available material value of the sewage is at present too small to admit of obtaining from it any product which can be sold at anything like the cost of its production."

With reference to the plans for the treatment of the metropolitan sewage, four possible schemes are presented and analyzed. These are broad irrigation, filtration through land, processes of deposition or precipitation, and precipitation supplemented by application to land. The testimony seems to be quite decisive and uniform that for every 100 persons one acre would be needed in broad irrigation, and that the sewage should be strained or purified before permitted to finally pass upon the surface of the land. When it is remembered that 10000 acres are equal to about sixty-two square miles, the impracticability of this scheme is apparent for no such farming area can be found in the neighborhood of London.

The method which meets with the greatest favor from the commission is the last one mentioned. The chief advantage is that the sewage is thereby much more thoroughly deprived of its noxious qualities. The process is found in actual use in Birmingham, and is described as follows: "The sewage is treated with lime and allowed to deposit in a series of large tanks. The clarified liquid is then passed through porous land, after which it flows into the river, being found perfectly innocuous. The sludge deposit, which amounts to 400 tons a day, is allowed to raft in its semi-fluid state upon a portion of the land laid out to receive it, after which it is dug into the ground, which is covered with soil, planted, cropped, and used for filtration. One acre per week is allotted for this purpose, and the land so used remains for three years before sludge is put upon it again. Thus the quantity of land required for the disposal of the sludge would be 156 acres." Such a system meets the ch of difficulties. It does not require the large area demanded for broad irrigation, and it clarifies the filth which is now polluting the Thames, even up to the bridge. The history of London's sewerage experiment conclusively shows that a city has not solved the problem when it has even devised a method for drawing off its drainage. The farm must be considered, as well as the lines of transportation.—*Lippincott's Magazine.*

HAD MONEY.

How Prosperity Affects the Average Colored Man.

"I'spz sister sister man, 'cause he's got money, think hisself better'n uder folks," said old Martia Smith, the chicken-coop maker, addressing a prominent citizen.

"What's the matter, some man thinking himself better than you are?"

"Yas, sah, dat jaunted Tony Snider, what runs de gin down on de Haywood place, passed me jes' now an hil his head, I se once'd dese heah crab apple shoats. He wouldn' speak ter me. Reckon he's done forgot de time when he chopped wood down in de swamp. He wuz er powerful feerly man in dem times."

"What's the matter with him now?"

"O, he's got money, sah, an' 's too proud ter speak ter er po' man like ter self is. I'se gwine ter fagger er roun' an' see if I kain' grab him, jumed outch de church, an' I se got de Bible on my side, 'cause it say er rich man an' er camel kain' go ter Heaben nodow. When I had money I didn' hol' mysel' erbove uder folks. O, sah, I took chery 'quaints o' sho'in' po' folks dat I wuz dat frep. O, I wan't proud when I had money."

"So you were once well off, were you?"

"Yas, sah, I wuz. I had money."

"What became of it?"

"Los' it, sah."

"How?"

"Los' it outen my pocket."

"How much had you?"

"Lemme see. I had er fi' dollar bill, two quarters an' some dimes, sah; but I wan't proud, 'cose I doan b'lebe in er rich pusson grindin' er po' man down."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—It doesn't make any difference how handsome or how stylish a young man is, he may have been an object of admiration to every woman in the horse-car; but the instant a girl gets in with a brown paper parcel labeled "fine millinery" on the outside his charm is gone. No woman can resist the superior charms of that delightful mystery.—*Somerville Journal.*

—A girl ten years of age has reached San Francisco safely after having traveled alone from Harwich, England, via Liverpool, Philadelphia, Chicago, and Omaha. She tells of nothing but kindness experienced at the hands of the officials all through her long journey.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—A local set of Baptists called "the Koonites," with one association, five churches and 130 members has been founded in Florida. They hold that the body of Christ was unlike ours.—*Christian Union.*

—The editor of the Montgomery (Orange County, N. Y.,) *Standard* reports his discovery that the Horseshoe Falls at Niagara have worn away more than fifty feet in the past thirteen years.

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L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 35 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 19 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 21	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 51
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 30	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Wills	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 21
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 31
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
		15 A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
5		10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10	
6	40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
7	04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
7	09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7	16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7	22	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7	45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8	00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8	09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
8	25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8	32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8	42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M. 8	53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P.M.
9	07	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
9	23	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
9	33	2 01	Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
9	49	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
9	55	2 17	Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30	7 03
10	10	2 36	A Battle Cr'k A	12 27	A.M.	6 43
P.M.		2 56	Augusta	12 20		6 35
3	32	3 04	Yorkville	12 15		6 29
3	42	3 10	Richland	11 58		6 12
3	58	3 28	Doster	11 43		5 55
4	24	3 45	Monteith	11 35		5 47
4	33	3 53	Fisk	11 30		5 37
4	39	3 59	Kellogg	11 20		5 25
4	50	4 10	A...Allegan...L	10 15		3 30
10	15	5 25	Holland	9 15		
		6 30	Grand Rapids	9 00		2 10
		6 30	Grand Haven	8 50		2 00
11	05	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 15		1 20
11	13	7 10	Muskegon	10 50		P.M.
11	35	10 10	Pentwater	5 50		
A.M.		P.M.	A L	A.M.		

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Every year many persons pay large prices or are at great pains to secure varieties of currants, asparagus and rhubarb, or pie-plant, which they see in nursery grounds or in the garden of their friends. Sometimes they see specimens in the hands of agents, and give orders for a supply for planting in their own grounds. Quite likely they have all these things growing, but they want better varieties of them. It does not occur to them, and of course the agent does not inform them that they now have the very kinds they are ordering, and that the difference between what they have and what they wish is entirely due to the judicious application of manure and proper culture. Such, however, is generally the case. By using a sufficient quantity of well-rotted stable manure, applied at the right time, and by giving the soil the working it requires, the stalks of asparagus and pie-plant may be made exceedingly large. These plants are very gross feeders, as might be expected when we take into consideration the circumstance that a portion of their growth is cut away every two or three days during several months of the season. Most kinds of plants would be killed outright by this sort of treatment, and these will only thrive well by supplying them with material to reproduce the portions that have been removed.

The currant bush is as gross a feeder as the rhubarb or asparagus plant. It will retain its life, make some increase in size, and produce some fruit if it stands in poor soil, is surrounded by grass and weeds, and receives the benefit of no fertilizers. But its growth will be very small under these circumstances, and the fruit will be inferior in quality and very small in quantity. The common red Dutch currant is a very good variety and is distributed in all parts of the west. It was planted near old Fort Dearborn, which was located near the mouth of the Chicago River, and cuttings taken to various portions of the Western States. A supply of currant cuttings can be obtained in almost any neighborhood for nothing or for the trouble of pruning the bushes. Their increase into the dimensions of bearing bushes and their productiveness will depend almost entirely on the amount of manure that is applied to them. If some of the bushes are planted where the soil is very poor and the ground is allowed to grow up to grass and weeds, and others are placed where the soil is naturally rich, is kept well supplied with manure and free from weeds and grass, the difference will be so great between them in a few years that a stranger would conclude they belonged to distinct varieties.

Large stalks of asparagus and pie-plant sell much more readily than small ones, and customers generally think that their quality is better. Large currants are more salable than small ones, and the quality of currants is ordinarily determined by their size. The larger currants are the greater is the quantity of juice that can be expressed from a given amount. There are as many seeds in a very small currant as in a very large one. It is much easier to gather a bushel of currants if the clusters are long and the berries are large than if the reverse is the case. If currants are very large they are admirable to eat without being cooked. Only bushes that are in a good growing condition will produce large crops of fine fruit. Their growth will depend chiefly on the amount of manure that is applied to them. The early part of the fall is the best time to apply manure to currant bushes and to asparagus and rhubarb plant. Well-rotted stable manure is as good a fertilizer as can be found. If applied near the surface of the ground the soluble portions of it will be carried about the roots by the fall and spring rains. The application of manure in the fall will cause the bushes and plants to commence growing as soon as the frost has left the ground in the spring.—*Chicago Times.*

INCREASE OF MANKIND.

The Prospective Progress of the Working Classes During the Next Century.

The great English statistical writer, William Giffen produced a recent paper on "The Progress of the Working Classes," which he introduced with a brief general survey of a number of very valuable statistics concerning the comparative progress of different parts of the world, and especially of the different countries of Europe, during the last hundred years. The researches of a French statistician, M. Moreau de Jonnes, have made this possible; and from the carefully compiled tables of that writer Mr. Giffen is able to show such significant facts as these: That the population of Europe has increased in a hundred years from 145,000,000 to 350,000,000, or, if the people of European race settled out of Europe be added, to 420,000,000; that the English race has multiplied five-fold, the Russian fourfold, the German two-and-a-half-fold, and the other races of Europe in a smaller proportion. Italy having nearly doubled, and France and Spain having added only about fifty per cent. to their population in a hundred years. The actual effects of these varying rates of increase upon political power are obvious; and still more obvious is their prospective effect. Circumstances may modify the result to a certain extent, but on the whole there is not much reason to doubt, as Mr. Giffen puts it, that "in another century there will be nearly 800,000,000 of the British race (with the German blend) in the world; while the Russian race, apart from conquest, will not exceed 800,000,000, and the others, increasing more slowly still, will lag far behind." France a century hence will probably number about 42,000,000 against 36,500,000 now, and Spain 22,000,000 against 17,000,000 now, and Australia 30,000,000 to 3,000,000 now.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes is of the opinion that "bad air, bad whisky and irregular habits keep the doctors alive."

STAMP PAPER.

How It Is Made Under the Eye of Federal Agents.

The work of manufacturing 450,000 pounds of paper for internal revenue stamps for one year, in accordance with the contract just obtained from the Government, is in progress at the paper mill of Alexander Balfour, at Richmond and Tioga streets. This is the first time that such work has been attempted in this city, and every effort has been made to give satisfaction. After the mill had been in operation for a short time it was found that the paper was being rolled off in a satisfactory manner and the work of preparing it for shipment began. The paper used does not differ in quality from ordinary line paper. It is made from rag pulp, chiefly of cotton stock, with a sufficient portion of fine manila stock to give proper strength, clay or any other adulterations being excluded. Entire freedom from thread knots grit or other foreign substances is required, and the paper is calendered sufficiently to admit of wetting down for plate printing and of subsequently writing freely upon it with pen and ink. With all these conditions it is required that the paper shall possess no greater strength than will insure its printing and necessary handling. The quality of the paper is, therefore, necessarily of a high order. That which, apart from the familiar light-green tint of revenue stamps, distinguishes this paper from all other paper material is the letters U. S. I. R. water-marked upon it so thickly that every square inch must contain some portion of this sign. This marking is done by means of a "dandy roller," which is placed among the series of rollers through which the paper is passed on its road from the pulp tub to the receiving rollers. The paper passes over this roller while in a wet pulpy condition, and the impression of the letters is then made. This roller is furnished by the Government, and was sent on under charge of a watchman. It is never out of sight of some of the officials, and will be returned to Washington as soon as the contract is completed. The whole operation is under the supervision of the Government officials, who keep an eye on the paper from the time it receives its water-marking, which makes it revenue paper, until the perfected sheets are packed and shipped, and the waste pieces are returned to the pulp. No one is admitted except under their care. This precaution is taken to prevent the Government from being defrauded through engravers securing paper under which stamps of high denomination could be printed. To have even a small piece of this paper in one's possession will subject one to a criminal prosecution.

The paper is wound into rolls about four feet long and weighing 300 pounds. After being trimmed and cut by two cutting machines into sheets 12x14 inches it is handed over to the counters.

J. H. Lichliter, of the Internal Revenue Department, represents the Government, and has twenty-two ladies to act as examiners and counters, and six men employed as laborers and watchmen. These all receive $3 per day, bearing their expenses themselves. The ladies who were selected for this special work are from Washington and Baltimore, and are quartered under the charge of Mr. Lichliter, in private houses near the mill. The sheets are first counted by the employes of the mill, and are then passed to the examiners, who carefully inspect each sheet, rejecting all containing any blemish. The Government counters then count the sheets, arranging them in bundles of 1,000 sheets, each girl attaching a tag, with her name. On reaching Washington the paper will be again counted, and the counter held responsible for any error. The completed bundles are placed by the mill employes in shipping cases, holding about 400 pounds each, when the Government officials seal the cases and receipt for the paper. It is then out of the hands of the manufacturer, and the officials see to its safe shipment to Washington, where it will be printed in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. A package of 1,000 sheets weighs about twelve pounds, and each counter will count and arrange fifteen packages daily.

Mr. Balfour has contracted to complete the order in two months. To manufacture the paper requires one machine or one-half the capacity of his mill, which turns out 10,000 pounds a day. The contract for this paper has been given to the Fairchild Paper Company, of Boston, for seven years past, but this year there was a tie in the bids of that firm and Mr. Balfour, at seven and one-fourth cents a pound. The contract was finally awarded to Mr. Balfour, because he agrees to finish the work in two months. The Massachusetts Company runs by water-power, and has taken as long as seven months to complete the contract, thus entailing a heavy additional expense for the pay of the counters and watchmen.—*Philadelphia Cor. Chicago Herald.*

—In "Brain Rest," Prof. J. L. Corning gives seven rules whereby mental bankruptcy may be avoided. Avoid, first, excessive indulgence of the emotions; second, frantic desultory efforts to accomplish in one hour an amount of mental work appropriate to double that amount of time; third, avoid every species of excess which experience has proven leads to general constitutional drain; fourth, avoid attempting to do two things at one and the same time; fifth, avoid petty social and other engagements which interfere with the function of sleep; sixth, avoid constipation, as experience has abundantly proven that this condition is productive of abnormal depression; seventh, avoid indigestible food.—*Chicago Times.*

—One of the latest arrivals at the Berks County (Pa.) Insane Asylum is a young man who has a number of half dollars, which he keeps in his mouth night and day. He says that is the only way he feels comfortable. Without the silver in his mouth he is in pain.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

The Voice of the People.

The people, as a whole, seldom make mistakes, and the unanimous voice of praise which comes from those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla, fully justifies the claims of the proprietors of this great medicine. Indeed, these very claims are based entirely on what the people say Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for them. Read the abundant evidence of its curative powers, and give it a fair, honest trial.

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An old and intimate friend of mine is Parker's Hair Balsam. I have used it five years, and could not do without it. It has stopped my hair from falling, restored its natural black color and wholly cleansed it from dandruff. Miss Pearl Anderson, St. Louis, Mo.

The story is told of an old hunter in Michigan who lost his way in the woods a number of times while the country was new. At length he secured a pocket compass and its use was explained to him by a friend. But shortly afterward he lost his way again and lay out as usual. When found he was asked why he did not travel by the compass. He did not dare, he said. He wanted to go north, and he "tried to make the thing point north, but it wasn't no use, 'twould shake, shake, shake round and point southeast every time.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

Many a man who had lost nerve, vigor and energy, has been cured by Hunt's Remedy.

'Right Peart."

"I was right peart till the rheumatiz sot in," said a suffering old man who lived near the swamp. Fact is, wherever you live you can't be right peart if you are a victim of this troublesome disease. Captain C. W. Hostenpiller, Springfield, O., says, "I found great relief from inflammatory rheumatism by using Brown's Iron Bitters." Thousands of other people have found similar relief.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Hay Fever.

I have been a great sufferer from Hay fever for fifteen years. I read of the many wondrous cures of Ely's Cream Balm, and thought I would try once more. In fifteen minutes after one application I was wonderfully helped. Two weeks ago I commenced using it and now I feel entirely cured. It is the greatest discovery ever known—Duhamel Clark, Farmer Lee, Mass. Price fifty cents.

Pennsylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

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Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	
Oak Harbor..Ar	8 36	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk....Lv	10 25	6 05	8 55	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston....Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 12PM	8 20
Orville....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	9 10
Orville....Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion...Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville		6 [illegible]PM	6 45PM	
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta....Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta....Lv	00AM	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 08	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sheroddsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberl'd	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 15
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 25AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 00	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo....Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar...Huron...Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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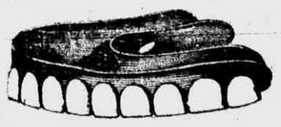

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The total collections of internal revenue during July last were $8,832,314, or $581,214 less than for the same period of 1884. There was a decrease of $95,679 in the collections for spirits, and a decrease of $10,479 from miscellaneous sources. There was an increase of $184,185 on collections for tobacco and an increase of $188,501 on fermented liquors.

The War Department has notified Herbert Fay, of Columbus, O., that the records show him to have been the youngest man enlisted in the Union army in any of the States during the rebellion.

The Second Comptroller has disallowed accounts for $90 expended in entertaining distinguished guests on the Tennessee, and has ordered it to be charged to Rear Admiral Jewett.

Two hundred replies have been received to Secretary Manning's request for reports and suggestions from manufacturers and tradesmen of the country.

Superintendent Bell, of the foreign mail service, is informed that $500 worth of vaccine matter is detained at the Buffalo, N. Y., postoffice as unmailable matter. The matter is addressed to parties in Canada who have been notified to have it forwarded by express.

Secretary Manning assured a small party of New York bankers on the 4th that the Administration was a unit in its desire to abolish the silver coinage law at the next session of Congress.

Judge Harlan declares that the action of Comptroller Durham in the Alabama Claims Commission matter is unprecedented and in conflict with the act of Congress.

The case of John H. Dickerson, ex-Superintendent of the Washington Pension building, charged with stealing a flag, has been dismissed, the Government failing to prove its charge.

Reports received at the War Department on the 7th from the Indian Territory indicate that the terms of the President's proclamation in regard to the removal of cattle are being fully complied with, and that the cattlemen are moving their cattle as rapidly as possible.

It is now stated on the authority of a prominent Government official that the suit recently brought in New York against the Civil Service Commission is in reality a friendly suit instigated by civil service advocates with the view of securing judicial affirmation of the legality of the civil service act. It is said to be the purpose to carry the case to the Supreme Court of the United States to secure final judgment by the highest judicial authority.

President Cleveland has purchased of John Turner, a well-known Philadelphia horseman, a fine span of horses. They are of the Hambletonian breed and cost $5,000.

THE EAST.

Business failures throughout the country during the week ended the 4th numbered for the United States 146 and for Canada 49, or a total of 195, as compared with a total of 189 last week and 177 the week previous to the last.

Rev. Stephen H. Tyng died at his home in Irvington, N. Y., on the morning of the 4th. He was rector of St. George's parish, New York City, from 1845 to 1875, and during the anti-slavery campaign was one of the foremost speakers against slavery. He was born in Newburyport, Mass., March 1, 1800.

A tank car on the West Pennsylvania Railway, containing oil, exploded on the 4th, at Pittsburgh, fatally burning Brakeman Thomas Ryan and setting fire to the train. The flames were subdued before serious damage resulted.

Kossuth, Marx & Co., who made an assignment on the 4th, were well known diamond and jewelry dealers in Maiden Lane, New York City. Preferences for $60,000 are given to the trade for goods furnished. The total liabilities are estimated at between $400,000 and $500,000.

At Buffalo, N. Y., on the 4th Mrs. Mary Miller, while temporarily insane, threw her child under an engine on the Lehigh Valley road, and then attempted suicide by throwing herself under the same train. The child, aged four years, was instantly killed. Mrs. Miller's arm was crushed, but she may recover.

John Lehrum, a wealthy farmer of Duquesne Heights, near Pittsburgh, hanged himself to a tree on the 3d because his nephew accused him of swindling his sister out of some property.

The War College at Caster's Harbor Island, near Newport, R. I., was formally opened on the 4th. Salutes were exchanged from the island and from the training ships New Hampshire, Jamestown, Portsmouth and Saratoga. The flag on the island and the President of the college, Commodore Luce, were also saluted.

The New York *Commercial Bulletin* of the 4th estimates the fire losses in the United States and Canada during August at $5,500,000. This is a decided improvement on former records, the average of aggregate of fire loss in August for the years past being $7,000,000. In August, 1884, the fire loss was about $10,000,000. The fire losses of the year to the end of August foot up $65,500,000.

A fire at Portland, Me., on the 5th destroyed the boarding and livery stable of Charles M. and Lewis Gray, together with twenty-three horses, several carriages, express wagons, etc. The shrieks of the horses were heart-rending. Loss $25,000.

At a special meeting on the 5th of the Bowdoin Square Baptist Church, of Boston, Mr. Frederick J. Taber was expelled by a unanimous vote. This action is said to be for reasons largely independent of his recent action in causing the arrest of Rev. Mr. Downs on a charge of adultery with Mrs. Taber.

Dr. Charles G. Am Ende, the Hoboken (N. J.) druggist, whose blunder in compounding morphine for quinine resulted in the death of Gretchen and Ella Holz, was arrested on the 5th on complaint of Charles F. Holz, the father of the young ladies. He gave bail in $2,500.

The weekly statement of the New York associated banks, issued on the 5th, shows the following changes: Loans increase $4,743,300; specie decrease, $1,351,600; legal tenders decrease, $3,743,300; deposits decrease, $336,800; circulation increase, $23,000; reserve decrease, $5,010,500. The banks held $51,897,748 in excess of the twenty-five per cent. rule.

Several hundred tons of rock which projected from the side of the bank in Prospect Park, Niagara Falls, beneath the platform which overlooks the "Maid of the Mist" landing and about midway from the top of the bank, fell a few days ago with a crash which was heard in the village. No damage was done and it does not in any way effect the top of the bank in the vicinity.

Over six million gallons of petroleum were shipped from Philadelphia to foreign countries during the week ended the 5th. This makes over 100,000,000 gallons of petroleum shipped from that port since the first of the quarter, against 54,000,000 up to this time last year.

Oscar L. Parry, the eleven-year-old son of William H. Parry, a prominent citizen of Philadelphia, suicided by shooting himself with a revolver at his father's residence on the 6th. The deed was the result of reading sensational literature.

The total exports of specie from the port of New York during the week ended the 5th were $291,812.86. Of this amount the exports to Europe were $281,500 silver. The total imports of specie at the port during the same time were $114,577.

The total imports of merchandise at the port of New York during the week ended the 5th were valued at $5,205,886, and of dry goods at $3,009,869.

Reports from the Monongahela River mining district on the 7th were to the effect that the mines of the three lower pools and a large majority of those in the fourth pool are closed, the 7,000 miners demanding three cents per bushel for mining.

George H. Bidwell, a well-known newspaper man, being for twenty-five years connected with New York journals, suicided at New Haven, Conn., on the 6th by shooting.

The Utica (N. Y.) steam cotton mills, and the Mohawk Valley mills, employing one thousand men, started up on the 7th. They have been idle for a month.

WEST AND SOUTH.

The new Cotton Exchange buildings at Memphis, Tenn., were formally opened on the 1st. The building is a magnificent structure, and cost $265,000.

On the 2d the white miners in the Union Pacific Railroad coal pits, at Rock Springs, Wy. T., rose and with pistols and guns, drove all the Chinese, to the number of five hundred, from the camp to the mountains. Twenty-five houses in Chinatown were burned to the ground. The mine is the largest in the West.

Mrs. David Brown, wife of a business man of Petosky, Mich., died in a dental chair at that place on the 3d. Dr. Perry, the dentist, administered a moderate amount of chloral, which, combined with predisposition to heart disease, produced death.

Patrick Harnett, who was to be executed at Columbus on the 4th for the brutal murder of his wife at Cincinnati in January, 1884, has been respited by Governor Hoadly until September 30, on the ground that he should have a hearing in a higher court.

The Ohio Republican State Central Committee on the 3d received a letter from Judge McIlvaine, withdrawing his name as a candidate for the office of Judge of the Supreme Court.

The Ohio Wool Growers, in session at Columbus, on the 3d, adopted resolutions reaffirming the resolutions of last year and asking Congress to restore the tariff of 1867, or its equivalent.

Kentucky cattlemen held a convention at Lexington on the 3d to consider ways and means for the suppression of pleuro-pneumonia, which made its appearance in that State in the herd of Frisbie & Lake at Cynthiana. Cases are now reported several miles distant and the plague seems slowly but steadily spreading.

Charles H. Brown, John Grimsley and John Clark, Trustees of Washington, Steele and Bar Townships, Daviess County, Ind., after using the credits of their townships to dispose of orders on the same to an amount estimated from $50,000 to $200,000, and pocketing the proceeds, have disappeared.

Mrs. Richard Mains, of Delphos, O., placed $200 in paper money in a bed for safe keeping. Being about to move a few days ago, the children emptied the straw from the bed and set it on fire. The money was consumed.

J. H. Aufdemorte and Erasmus Shepherd were arraigned at New Orleans before United States Commissioner Wright, on the 4th. They waived examination and were remanded. Aufdemorte's bail is $25,000, and Shepherd's $10,000.

The Nail Warehouse Company, of St. Louis, the most extensive in the West, have signed the sheet mill scale. The Amalgamated Association is reported rapidly strengthening in numbers and resources.

The Ohio State Lodge of Good Templars closed its annual session at Findlay on the 3d, after adopting resolutions asking the submission of another prohibitory amendment, but opposing separate political action.

William Kimball, a farmer of Dayton, O., on the 4th discovered three boys named Willie Barnhart, and Walter and Jesse Cusick, in his melon patch. He pursued them with a double-barreled shotgun, and when near enough began firing on the lads. Willie Barnhart was mortally wounded at the first fire, and the Cusick brothers were seriously but not fatally wounded. Kimball has been arrested.

A. M. Dawson, of the firm of Dawson & Snook, of Chicago, has absconded with all the available cash of the firm. He doctored the books and drew out whatever cash there was in the bank. The amount of his grab is placed at $60,000. His partner thinks Dawson intends wintering in Canada.

The Shelbyville (Tenn.) Savings Bank made an assignment on the 4th to John N. Sullivan, as trustee. The assets and liabilities are large and the deposits are about $80,000. The assets will more than pay depositors and some outstanding debts and leave a surplus.

An effort will be made the coming winter in behalf of the Chippewa Indians, of Turtle Mountain, to regain their reservation, which covers a large part of North Dakota, and includes valuable coal mines belonging to Chicago capitalists.

F. R. McMillen & Co.'s sash and door factory at Oshkosh, Wis., burned on the 4th, entailing a loss of $100,000; half insured.

The Hager Flour Mill near Hagerstown, Md., which was destroyed by fire a few nights ago, had been in operation over a hundred years.

John R. Eakin, Associate Judge of the Supreme Court of Arkansas, died on the 4th at Marshall, Mo., where he was visiting relatives. He had served four years as Chancellor and seven as Supreme Judge.

The disease among the cattle on the farm of Mr. Deane, near Vandalia, Ill., has been pronounced by the State Veterinarian to be Texas fever. Up to the 7th twenty-one have died and twenty-four more are diseased, and it is thought will die. The drove consisted of two hundred, and all were brought from Kansas about two months since.

Detailed accounts of the recent anti-Chinese riot at Rock Springs, Wyoming Territory, show it to be more serious than first indicated. The number slain is variously estimated from fifty to 100. Ah Say, who is the head of all Chinamen in this region, says there were 130 missing on the 6th, and he believes nearly all are killed.

The explosion of three stills in the Doan oil works at Cleveland, O., on the morning of the 7th set fire to the agitators in the yards of the Standard Oil Company, near by, causing a loss to the plant of from $30,000 to $40,000. The value of oil destroyed was about $5,000.

The one thousand miners employed in the Tuscarawas Valley (Ohio) district, who have been on a strike since August 1 against a reduction in the price of mining from seventy-five cents to sixty cents per ton, have effected a compromise with the operators and resumed work on the 7th at sixty-five cents per ton.

Heavy frosts on the night of the 5th damaged the corn crop in the vicinity of Hudson, Wis. At Berlin two-thirds of the cranberry crop was destroyed, entailing an estimated loss to growers of $20,000.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The Montreal Board of Health has been notified that unless immediate steps are taken to stamp out the small-pox in that city a quarantine will be enforced by the State of New Hampshire, Vermont and Michigan, and by the Province of Ontario, against the Province of Quebec.

Reed & Bowen, contractors, doing business at Takenhouse Yard, London, have gone into bankruptcy in consideration of losses sustained in contracts for building certain railroads in Brazil. Their liabilities amount to £314,316, and assets to £22,967.

Lieutenant General John H. Melville Babington, of the British army, was killed recently while shooting grouse in the County of Dumfries, Scotland, by the accidental discharge of his gun.

A bitter spirit of hostility is manifested between the Germans and Czechs in Bohemia, and outbreaks are continually occurring. At a military camp at Pilsen a riot broke out a few days ago and many persons were injured.

There were forty-nine new cases of small-pox and twenty-nine deaths from the disease at Montreal on the 5th. At a citizens' meeting the same day resolutions were adopted urging the vigorous use of vaccination in the infected districts.

Official dispatches reached the Spanish Government from the Phillipines on the 5th stating that a German gunboat landed troops on the night of the 24th of August at Yap Island and hoisted the German flag there. The Spanish vessels San Quentin and Manila were at Yap Bay at the time. The Captains of the Spanish vessels and the Spanish Governor protested against the occupation. The news caused the wildest excitement throughout Spain. A mob gathered in front of the German Embassy at Madrid, attacked the building and tore down the coat of arms and dragged it through the streets to the Puerta del Sol, where they burned it in front of the offices of the Minister of the Interior amid yells of "Down with Germany." The mob was finally dispersed by the military. A similar disturbance also occurred at Valencia.

Returns from all the cholera infected districts of Spain on the 7th show a decided abatement of the disease. There were 2,417 new cases and 779 deaths.

LATER NEWS.

At Pine Village, Warren County, Ind., a few days ago, Harvey Osborne, while drunk, beat and kicked his little stepdaughter Mamie, seven years old, into insensibility, and then hurled her down a steep stairway, inflicting injuries from which she died next morning. The child's own mother, whom Osborne married a year ago, looked on with shocking indifference. The indignant neighbors tried to lynch the couple but they escaped.

Captain Gustave Jarecki, president, and J. J. Sturgeon, cashier of the defunct Humboldt Savings Bank, at Erie, Pa., have been arrested on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the depositors.

President Cleveland, accompanied by Colonel Lamont, reached Washington on the 7th. The President is in excellent health and greatly benefited by his vacation.

The steamer Wallula cleared from Duluth for Buffalo a few days ago with twenty thousand barrels of flour from Minneapolis, the largest cargo yet floated on any of the great lakes. The cargo will fill one hundred and sixty freight cars.

The oil refinery of L. D. Mix & Co., on Commercial Street, Cleveland, O., burned on the 7th. Loss about $25,000.

A strip of property only one inch wide on One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, New York City, was sold a few days ago for $375.

General Schofield telegraphed the War Department from the scene of the disturbances in Wyoming on the 7th, that there was no report of further trouble since the arrival of troops, and none was likely to occur in their presence.

Thomas Hughes, postmaster at Albuquerque, New Mexico, and his assistant, Mr. Clark, have been arrested. A deficiency of $1,200 has been found. The records of the office are in a very bad condition.

J. M. Ivey, cotton merchant at Rock Hill, S. C., assigned on the 7th to Williams, Black & Co., of New York City. Ivey's liabilities are $250,000.

The corner stone of the Lenox Episcopal Church at Pittsfield, Mass, was laid on the 7th with appropriate ceremonies, ex-President Arthur officiating. He placed the box containing a history of the church, prayer book and other documents in the chiseled apartments in the corner stone.

The Byron Fairbanks pardoned by Governor Hill, of New York, a few days ago, is the same person in whose behalf Samuel Boone and his wife, sister of Fairbanks, assaulted Governor Cleveland in October last. The woman struck at the Governor in his chamber and Boone assaulted him on Eagle Street.

The annual parade of the labor organizations of New York took place on the 7th. Fully 15,000 men were in the ranks, representing every trade that could be named. The procession attracted much attention.

ASIA MINOR.

The Condition of the Working People of Asiatic Countries.

The condition of the working people in Asia Minor is not one of hardship or destitution. There are no public institutions in that country for the support of the poor or unfortunate, and no public schools. There are no workhouses, no asylums for the insane, the blind, the deaf and dumb, or the idiotic. There are hospitals in the larger places, and also schools, but they are wholly supported by private subscriptions. The result of this state of affairs is swarms of hideous mien upon the streets and thoroughfares, and universal illiteracy among the poorer classes of the laboring people. Consul Stevens says the highest wages paid in Asia Minor in the general trades are $6 per week to coopers and blacksmiths. Bakers get but $1.46 and millers but $2.93.

In Syria the condition of the laboring classes is neither satisfactory nor prosperous. Most of the native weavers of silk and cotton goods receive from twenty to forty cents per day, a sum which hardly suffices to secure for them the daily necessaries of life. Not over five per cent. are able to save anything from their wages, and in many cases weavers work for wages received in advance. The condition of agricultural laborers is not any better throughout the country. The wages paid for an adult plowman with a team of oxen are from forty to fifty cents per day. The plowman, as a rule, feeds himself and team. The average wages paid to spinners of both sexes is $1 per week.

Consul Merrill reports from Jerusalem that in Palestine, instead of a happy and prosperous people, one sees on every hand oppression and suffering, ignorance and degradation. Nearly all the Jews of Jerusalem receive charity, while two-thirds of them depend mainly upon those funds which come mostly from Europe for their support. Were this aid to be cut off suddenly, the Consul says, these people would perish from starvation.

Consul-General Benjamin writes from Persia:

"I know of no laboring classes in other countries who appear more cheerful and satisfied with their lot. The climate also in most parts of Persia is of such a nature as to reduce the actual wants of the people. One hears occasionally of riots or attacks on tax collectors guilty of more than ordinary rapacity, but I cannot learn that these are more frequent than formerly." Wages in all of the general trades are less than 90 cents a day, except an engraver, who gets $1.61, and a "handler of loaves at the oven," who gets $1.21. Most of the laborers in Persia endeavor to save money no matter what their wages may be.

Coolies in Ceylon were paid sixty cents a week, so Consul Morey reports. This class of help underbids the natives, who will earn in the general trades from sixty-eight cents to $4.50 per week, the latter sum being given to gas-fitters. The average weekly wages will amount to less than $2.

Wages in China are from $4.50 to $8 per month, and are paid to laborers following the general trades. Employes in shops and stores in cities receive from $3.50 to 4.50 per month. Men get twenty cents a day in the mines. Household wages are $1.50 per month. The cost of nourishment for the laboring and industrial classes of China is from $2 to 2.50 per month. "In fact," says Consul Seymour, of Canton, "the cost of living has been reduced to the minium standard, and all seem to be healthy and contented; and as for industry, every ounce of muscle in men, women and children above three years of age, is utilized until indolence is scarcely visible."

Consul Seymour says, further: "If the working people of the United States were compelled to subsist on the dirt and conform to the economies of Asia, which holds half the population of the globe, and realized the miserable scale or standard of human existence prevalent in these cheap-labor countries, between which and the well-regulated industry of the United States, the adoption of international agrarianism would establish an average, there would be less clamor in favor of a pernicious policy which contemplates competition between two systems of labor, with the certainty of leveling American labor to the point at which it is proposed to elevate the value of Asiatic labor, which is satisfied with from twenty to fifty cents per day and garbage for food.—*Consular Reports to the State Department.*

Rich Men in America.

An American visitor to one of our stately homes, especially on such June days as we have lately had, cannot but be charmed with what greets his eyes—the spacious mansion, the ample park, the shrubbery and gardens, all in exquisite array. "We have nothing to compare with this," says he with a sigh. Very true; but there is another side, and a serious one, to this charming picture. All these glories, together with the inevitable establishment which goes with them are constantly telling most of their owners: "If you have all this, you can not have that." The well-to-do American has no parks and pleasure grounds costing thousands a year to keep up, but then he is apt to have ready money galore. He goes to Fenton's in London, or the Bristol in Paris, has just what he feels inclined to have, does not stint his wife and daughters, and, in fact, experiences a perfect ease in regard to expenditure—such as, I fear, three parts in four of those who have ten men in the garden and five in the stables rarely experience with us.—*London Land Agent's Record.*

—Some of these Nevada men are sarcastic. Helena's Mayor, Mr. Sullivan, is a barber. The other day a former member of the Nevada Legislature (he is in the sheep business in Judith County, Montana) was at Helena. He went into Sullivan's shop and the Mayor shaved him. A short time afterward he was seen further down the street "looking" he said, "for an Alderman to black his boots." He was fired out of the Capital.—*Butte (Montana) Inter-Mountain.*

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending September 5th, 1885:

Estate of Allen L. Huyck, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Sep. 14.

Estate of Ellsworth Odell, an incompetent person; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Fernando B. Smith, an alleged insane person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing Sept. 7.

Estate of Stephen H. Aldrich, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing Sept. 21.

Estate of Eliza G. Rogers, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Addie F., Henica et al., minors; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

In the matter of Jacob Benner, a pauper insane person, affidavit of service and testimony taken and filed; order for admission to asylum.

Estate of Abner G. Pierce, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Laura P. Pierce, deceased; warrant and inventory fled.

Estate of Frances A. Howard, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing Sept. 21.

Estate of James Wheeler, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator, de bonis non, with the will annexed; hearing October 5, 1885.

Estate of Charles Blum, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing October 5.

Estate of David Boyd, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing October 5.

Estate of Oren Knowlan, an incompetent person; affidavit of publication; of guardian; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Joshua Kuder, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond, $1,500.

Estate of Johanna F. Nufer, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Emma Hendershot et al., minors; affidavit of service of order of hearing filed; order of removal of guardian and appointment of new guardian; bond $500.

Estate of William Britton, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing October 5.

Estate of Henry Sherwood, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased; warrant and inventory of property in Washtenaw county, filed.

Estate of Jacob Bovee, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Wm. F. Allen, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Willard Smith, deceased; notice of appeal from decision of commissioners on claims; order allowing an appeal.

Estate of Thomas H. Sherrard, minor; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Wm. Colyer, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing October 5.

In the matter of Sarah E. Reprogle; declaration of intention of adoption and change of name filed; order of adoption and name changed to Sarah E. Fatchett.

In the matter of Lawrence Reprogle; declaration of intention of adoption and change of name filed; order of adoption and name changed to Lawrence Werner.

OBITUARY.

There was buried at Macon, Aug. 19, one who for a long time was familiarly known as Aunt Polly Britton. The afternoon of the burial was exceedingly beautiful. The gathered harvests and the slightly yellow tinged verdure of approaching autumn, gave a hallowed like sweetness to the solemnity of the occasion, and many friends gathered at the Baptist church to look for the last time on the face so long familiar to them, and to follow to her final resting place one who had lived among them since the earliest settlement of the country. She was born in the state of N.Y., March 28th, 1807. In 1827 while yet living there, she was married to Wm. Britton. In the fall of 1831 she with her husband moved to the Territory of Michigan, and settled on the Chicago turnpike, about three miles northeast of Saline. Leaving the turnpike in 1832, they settled on the county line between the townships of Saline and Macon, one mile north of the little village of Macon. There they lived many years, and there they cultivated those friendly associations so characteristic of early pioneer life.

About twenty five years ago Mrs. Britton united with the Freewill Baptist church. In early times the baptismal service was administered in the Macon just west of where the stream is crossed by the Saline and Tecumseh road. And here more than a quarter of a century ago she followed the example of Him who in the Jordan was baptised, and who said, "I am the resurection and the life," and she believed in him whose great Apostle said "Therefore we are buried with time by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life." So she walked in the newness of life, ever faithful and loyal to the church. Two years and a half ago, while visiting friends in the northern part of the state, she was stricken with paralysis and was taken to the home of her daughter in Rollin, where she died, August 17th, 1885.

—Low Rates.—See here young man, what an opportunity of securing a Business Education. A complete course in Book keeping, Penmanship, Commercial Law, Business Arithmetic and Correspondence, Political Economy, only $25. A course in Short hand, Type-writing and Telegraphy three months only $15. Send and get a catalogue and specimen of penmanship. Brown's Business University, Adrian, Mich. Finest rooms in the state.

This is a happy world—who says to the contrary is a fool or something else. Here is every thing to make us happy, the land, the sea and sky contribute to our enjoyment. The man who has a good heart sees pleasure, when a bad person sees nothing but gloom. The secret then of being happy and enjoying the glorious world is to have a virtuous heart. Who is the most contented man in your neighborhood? Is the man who has the greatest riches? No, it is he that has the kindest heart, for nothing ruffles his temper or disturbs his repose. The morning sky, the evening dew, the rolling waters, the blooming landscape, the teeming forest and the flakes of snow; give him a pleasure that others never dream of. It is he whose mind is led from nature up to nature's God, and every day that he lives he is contened and happy as it is possible for man to be. Depend upon it, this world is a beautiful one, and contains a thousand sources of enjoyment which they can only see and feel whose hearts are pure and whose lives correspond with the word of eternal truth.—Ex.

—Salmon, codfish, mackerel, halibut, and in fact all kinds of fresh and salt fish can be procured at the old reliable market of Jim Cole.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

—The best flour for ordinary domestic use sold in this market is that manufactured at the old Globe Mills.

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Big bargains in carriages or Farm Wagons.

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C. A. Slayton.

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FAIRFIELD—PIPER.—At Muskegon, Tuesday, Sept. 8th, by Rev. M. W. Fairfield, Mr. Charles H. Fairfield, of Tecumseh, and Miss Minnie L. Piper, of Muskegon.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Sept. 8, 1885:

Black, L. K.	Hamilton, Angelee
Decker, Charles	Kelly, Sarah S.
Herring, John	Newbury, W. O.
Henry, Mrs. S. E.	Webster, Jaila A.
Hanning, John	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	75 @	1 00
Apples, dried, ₱ lb	@	03
Butter, ₱ lb	10 @	11
Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	1 00 @	1 50
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	6
Calf Skins, ₱ lb	8 @	9
Corn in ear	25 @	30
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	@	50
Clover Seed	4 50 @	5 00
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	11
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00 @	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	50 @	5 75
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₱ lb	@	14
Ham, ₱ lb	@	12
Lard, ₱ lb	@	8
Oats, ₱ bushel	20 @	25
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	30
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	@	35
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	15 @	30
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ lb	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	82
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	82
Wool	20 @	28

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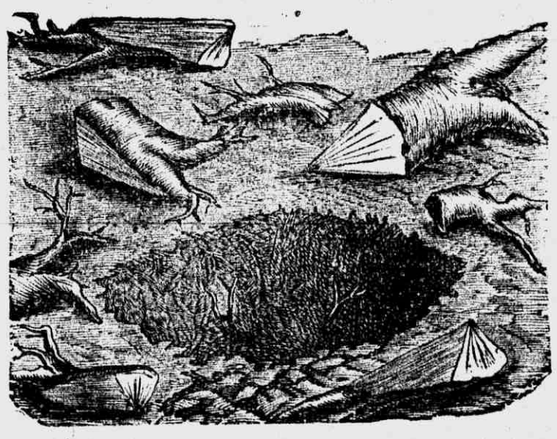

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BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Every preparation for having a good Fair was completed, except procuring an abstract of the weather to be furnished, and consequently the scheme was subjected to a wholesale drown. One day of cloud and one of sunshine at the last rewarded perseverance with about five hundred and fifty dollars of membership and gate money. The stock display was much larger and better than ever before; horses were plentiful and included some of the very best in the State: races better than the most sanguine expected, and on the whole a fair victory was gained over adverse circumstances. Prof. McQuin made two faultless balloon ascensions. There was so little breeze that the balloon shot skyward so high that its passenger looked the size of a wren. The first landing was in a field about two miles away; the second on the hard road bank of Brighton street. He came down swiftly and struck with such force as gave him a severe headache and deranged his ears for an hour or two. Everybody was glad when the feat was accomplished and many would have been willing to pay more for a sample of his cowardice than for his daring, and kept their nerves in tune. The storm reduced the number of exhibits in floral hall, but what there was, made creditable showing. Vegetables and fruits were few and nice. Two White Sewing machines and their operators comprized machinery and hardware. I trust they will pardon me if I class the gentlemen wrong. They were nice needle artists, and furnished their territory with elegant embroidery on all sorts of woolen frabrics, leather and wood. Mrs. Whitney and others of this place displayed a variety of art needlework-painting and wax flowers, and Campbell had nice specimens of Carving. A silk quilt wrought in curious devices and flowers, was a masterpiece of needle work, and possessed the additional merit of being the work of Mrs. J. White; a lady who has seen seventy-six summers. There were specimens of decorated china too, and I heard of, but failed to see a dress worn more than two hundred years ago. A fine collection of paintings came from Allegan, but though their merit was undeniable, no premium was awarded because their owner does not belong to this district. Mrs. Bush also contributed beautiful pictures. Mrs. Pratt of Norvell, brought boxes and designs in cut flowers that were pretty, but made no attempt to rival Mrs. Holden, who in addition to bouquet work brought the contents of her conservatory, which is much finer than is usually shown at county fairs. Among them was a glossy fan-palm, India-rubber tree, rare lilies in bloom, and a Cactus meddlesome people would be willing to let alone.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Dr. Begel returned on Monday from Hanover, where she had been called by the death of her sister, Mrs. Ransdell. Only a few weeks ago she made the Doctor's people a visit, and although in poor health at the time, they little thought that in less than four weeks from the day she left for home she would be borne to her last resting place. The blow falls heavily upon the family as this is the fifth one out of a family of ten children who have died within a few years.

Quite a number of people from this vicinity are attending the Free Methodist conference now in session at Milan.

Some of the houses in Holloway are decorated with scarlet fever notices.

Sol. Munch is exceedingly happy over a flowing well which he had the good luck to strike while boring for water. The water rises several feet above the surface and flows a steady stream.

If we understand it right, this community has in the past enjoyed the reputation of respectfully observing the Sabbath. But of late certain individuals have manifested an unusual amount of depravity by taking their guns regularly every Sunday morning and going to the woods in close proximity to the church, where they manage to keep up a pretty steady racket for several hours. Now this may be according to some peoples ideas of good behavior and it might possibly be tolerated in some places, but judging from some remarks we have heard on the subject, it is our opinion that the thing will not continue all winter. We sincerely hope that a word to the wise will be sufficient in this case.

Mrs. Sleeper is visiting at Manchester and Ypsilanti.

We understand that Nathan Spencer and wife contemplate starting sometime this week for an extended visit through the west.

Viola Holdridge and Minnie Haviland are attending the Valley School.

CLINTON CHAPTER.

John Hause went to Chicago Tuesday morning.

L. W. Demuth spent Wednesday in Adrian.

Frank Thompson is visiting friends in Kalamazoo this week.

Mr. Fred Markum died at her home in Bridgewater last Saturday night after an illness of several months. The funeral was held at the Catholic church last Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Charles Bartlett arrived here last Wednesday. She expects to remain two or three weeks.

Mrs. William Wastell of Port Huron, is visiting at W. P. Wastell's.

Mrs. Will Amspoker of Manchester, was in town last Monday.

Remember the Harvest Social at Town Hall this week Friday night. The Clinton Local announced that there would be a program on the above named occasion. We understand from headquarters that it is a mistake.

Charles Willis of Milan, made Clinton friends a short visit Wednesday of last week.

E. R. Smith left for New York last Thursday, expecting to be away about ten days.

James Hause attended a funeral about seventeen miles west of here last Saturday. Rev. Joseph St John officiated.

Artie, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schuler, died last Saturday of Cholera Morbus. The little fellow, with one of his playmates eat green watermelon Friday afternoon, and that night he was taken with vomiting, and was very sick for a little time but seemed to get better and fell asleep. When he awoke he had a spasm and died before he could be brought out of it. The funeral was held at the house Monday afternoon.

A few months ago one of the (business men?) of our village was caught in the highly honorable and ennobling act of "peeking in windows." Articles were published to the effect that the individual was known and that a repetition of the act would be followed by a disclosure of his identity. Last Thursday night this same person was engaged in the same business at a house in the east part of town. A favor would be conferred upon the public if the persecuted ones would make known the name of the scoundrel. Such low-lived, sneaking, business should not be allowed to go on without punishing when the offender is so well known.

Rev. James Kerridge has been transferred to Grass Lake.

Mr. Seth Sage and daughter of Ypsilanti, have been visiting at Mrs. Franc Sage's.

W. W. Demuth went to Jackson last Monday.

JOTTINGS FROM RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Notwithstanding the rainy weather school opened with a goodly attendance.

Several students expect to enter this week who were unavoidably detained at home at the opening of the school.

The Superintendent, Hon. John U. Harkness has been untiring in his labors during the summer vacation and many improvements in school rooms and sleeping halls are the result of his efforts.

The enrollment is nearly equally divided between old and new students.

Friday afternoon the Board of Managers held a meeting at the Seminary building.

We take pleasure in noticing that two Seminary graduates, Will Green and Charles Comfort both of '84, have decided to take a collegiate course at Earlham College, Richmond, Ind., and that Mary Cornelius of '83 starts next week to enter upon her university course at Ann Arbor. Success to all three.

The advocates of base ball are just now "holding the fort" and pushing through a scheme whereby they can make money to pay the expenses of the game.

Many students spent last Sabbath at home or with friends in the neighborhood.

Albert Lloyd of '85 stopped over on his way to Pleasant Plain, Iowa, where he has a position in a Friends academy.

Deckie Eddy, of '85, her sisters and father made us a pleasant call Saturday last, taking home with her some of her lady friends to spend the Sabbath. Mr. E...y's load when he drove away reminded one of the loads of students he used to draw when Superintendent.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The chill has thawed out and we are promised pleasant weather.

A few of the farmers have cut their corn that the frost paid a visit.

The cyclone came too late for last week's notice. The sufferers are pretty well provided for now. By the aid of canvass, a great deal of damage was prevented to grain and hay.

Geo. Smith has got a new barn under way to take the place of the old one.

The busy burglar paid this place a visit last Saturday night. They broke into the blacksmith shop and secured tools with which they endeavored to break open the safe in H. McClure's grocery store. Either the tools did not suit or the safe was too well made for they failed to open it. They broke off the combination so an expert is needed to open the safe.

Miss Mary Scott and Miss Ada Hull have returned from a short visit at Fairfield, Ohio.

ONSTED ODDS.

Several changes have or are about to take place viz. Will Knapp having sold his house and lot here is about to move his family to Battle Creek. Will is in the employ of the M. & O. R. R. He has the best wishes of all.

Mr. Wilson Lee has sold his barn to Mr. Hines, who will move the same to his own lot just north of Lee's.

Warren Gilbert shipped several car loads of stock from here last week.

Dr. Ross has just received a fine set of tooth forceps, and any offending teeth will be drawn in short order by calling on him.

The missionary concert last Sunday eve was a success. "Some think it was well engineered by Miss Gibbs." To say the least it was well conducted.

SPRINGVILLE SIFTINGS.

Fine weather.

Farmers are busy sewing wheat.

A. J. Monaghan left for Adrian College Monday.

Chas. Stephenson expects to attend school at Jackson this winter.

The skating rink is to be opened Friday instead of Tuesday eve as reported by our correspondent to the Press.

Fred Groger is expected to return from the north and take charge of the cider mill this fall.

George Hines plays ball with the Adrian, fat nine at Toledo Friday. George is to be their catcher.

Directors of school districts should remember their annual report and that their time is already up, still there are some that have failed to report "at the present writing."

ADDISON ATOMS.

The missionary meeting at the Congregational church Sunday evening was one of unusual interest. A literary and musical program was presented which would do credit to an organization of much more pretentious proportions than this. The collection which amounted to $6.00 is now in the hands of the American Foreign Missionary Association, prominent among the objects of which is to enlighten and christainize the colored people, Chinese and Indians.

Miss Julia Primmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Primmer, is in town visiting relatives and putting the finishing touches on her new brick residence at the north side of East Main street. This place is well located and when completed will make a pleasant home.

The ladies who are engaged raising money for the sidewalk fund are very anxious to collect all the unpaid amounts subscribed before the close of the present week, in order that the work of construction may commence as early as possible. Much credit is due them for the successful manner in which they have conducted the matter so far, but canvassing is hard work, whether it be for public purposes or otherwise, and it is quite necessary that subscribers should come forward with the cash as promptly as circumstances will permit. Payments may be made to O. B. Bowen or at G. M. Lewis' place. Cash up gentlemen.

Speaking of Deputy Sheriff Morley's success in recovering stolen property last week the types made us say horses instead of harnesses. Parties desiring further information concerning the matter should consult George Wheeler or G. W. Horton.

Our popular milliners, Skutt & Lane, made a trip to Toledo last week in the interest of their rapidly increasing business.

J. O. Power went to Hudson on business Monday.

Our farmers are making an extra effort to finish seeding this week, and in consequence of which matters are rather dull in town so far as country trade is concerned.

A little son of John and Susie Jackson fell from the hay mow in his father's horse barn Monday and got pretty thoroughly shaken up but not injured seriously as we are informed.

Charles Lake caught something over thirty eels in Bean Creek between this place and the lake last week which weighed from one and one half to four pounds, dressed.

O. B. Bowen made a hasty business trip to Big Rapids and other points north of here during the last week. He reports crops in a fair condition and not materially injured by frost.

Messrs Curley Scott and "Cale" Howell plastered the walls of the upper room at Smiley's hardware early in the week. Mr. S. now has two entire floors well stocked with the best goods the market affords in his line.

On trying to shut off the water at the grist mill Friday night the gate to the wheel refused to close and after getting it shut would not open again. Just what caused the trouble remained a mystery until Monday morning, when upon making a thorough examination, several large eels were found in side of the wheel and quite badly hashed up. No grinding was done on Saturday in consequence of the matter.

Bills are out for a lecture at the rink Saturday evening in which the subject "Half a Man" will be manipulated by Prof. D. M. Fisk of Hillsdale College. Owing to the abundance of subjects of that class in his own town from which to draw illustrations, we reasonably expect an extensive and able talk. All turn out and hear it.

Senator George A Smith was in the village Tuesday.

We learn from a letter written by M. E. Elmore of Scears, Osceola Co., this state, that their hay barracks containing 225 tons of hay, together with press and some other property were burned to ashes on the night of the tenth inst. The property belonged to Mr. V. Priest, the principal merchant of that place and was valued at about $4,000. No insurance. Cause of fire unknown. The new M. E. church just completed at the same place will be dedicated on the 20th inst.

REQUIREMENTS FOR TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES.

The following rules and regulations have been adopted by the Lenawee County Board of School Examiners for the different grades:

THIRD GRADE.

Reading, Orthography, Penmanship, Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography, Physiology, Civil Government, U. S. History, Theory and Practice of Teaching.

Candidates must have an average of 80 per cent., and must not fall below 70 in any branch.

SECOND GRADE.

All the branches for a third grade certificate, and Algebra and Philosophy. Average standing 90 per cent. and must not fall below 85 per cent. in any branch.

Candidates for the second grade certificates must present to the Board of Examiners satisfactory evidence of having taught at least six months with success.

FIRST GRADE.

All the branches required for a second grade certificate; also Book-keeping, Plane Geometry and School Law. Average standing 95 per cent., and must not fall below 90 per cent. in any branch.

Candidates for a first grade certificate must present to the Board of Examiners satisfactory evidence of having taught at least one year with success.

RULES OF EXAMINATION.

1. All examinations will begin at 9 o'clock sharp.
2. Persons not completing their examination at the specified time, must finish at the next regular examination during the same calendar year.
3. No persons except such as intend to be examined shall be permitted to see the questions until the examination is over.
4. All conversation or communication, receiving or giving aid in any manner, during examination, is absolutely forbidden, on penalty of forfeiting right to continue said examination.
5. The Board of Examiners in marking the standing of candidates will take into consideration the legibility and neatness of papers.
6. Teachers who wish their report sent sealed will please to leave stamped envelope, properly addressed, with the Secretary.
7. Candidates will please carefully observe Rule 2. of the above. No reports of examinations will be carried over from one calendar year to another, nor from the May examination to August.
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MARSHALL'S DISCOVERY.

An Account of the Finding of Gold in California.

I see a notice of the death of James W. Marshall, who discovered gold in California. I became acquainted with Marshall, at Coloma, California. I knew him intimately, and was associated with him in business at that place, which is on the south fork of the American River. Marshall was a native of New Jersey. Gold was discovered in February, 1848, by Marshall and another man named Wiemer. I have forgotten Wiemer's first name. Marshall and Weimer built for Colonel Sutter a saw mill at Coloma, and had finished it in February, 1848. I am a stockholder in a company which now owns that saw mill. The mill had been erected at the head of a bar where the river bends around it in the form of the letter U. The mill race had been cut through the bar, and when the mill was started it was found that the race was too shallow, and for this reason the wheel of the mill was partially under water. The water was shut off, and Marshall and Weimer went down into the race to ascertain where it was to be dug deeper. A point about fifty yards below the mill, they concluded, was the place which obstructed the flow of water. Here Marshall said to Weimer: "What is that which shines just at the toe of your boot?" Weimer then picked up the shining piece, and they both thought it a piece of brass. They began to conjecture how it was possible for a piece of brass to get into the race. From the fact that no brass had been used in the construction of the mill, and that the piece found had been worn smooth, they concluded that it was not brass, and might be gold. On that day Mrs. Weimer was making soap, and for this purpose had made lye by leaching wood ashes. To test the metal found Mrs. Weimer boiled it several hours in this lye, and when she removed it from the lye it was as black as ink. These facts were stated to me by Marshall, Weimer, and Mrs. Weimer. I went with Marshall to Weimer's house to see the first piece of gold found in California, and then and there the whole history of the discovery was talked over by all three of the persons who participated in the discovery. Mrs. Weimer then showed the piece of gold. Its weight was $7, or, the value of the ounce being $16, in other words, 8¼ pennyweights. The form of the piece was that of a long, irregular pumpkin seed. It was still black as when taken out of the lye, except at one end, where the incrustation formed by the lye had been removed.

This discovery was made in February, 1848. The day I do not remember. As soon as this lye test had been made Marshall and Weimer went into the mill race and with wooden bowls washed out some two or three ounces of gold, and Marshall carried it to Monterey to ascertain if it were gold. This was the nearest place where the means to make the test could be had.

Colonel Sutter resided at his fort, near what is now the city of Sacramento. He was a Swiss and a classmate of Napoleon III. One evening, when going down the Sacramento River in a steamboat, Colonel Sutter told me the story of Marshall's return from Monterey. Colonel Sutter said: "I was in bed, and it was about two o'clock at night. I heard some one ride up to the fort, the horse running at the top of his speed. Then a banging at the gate; then I heard the clank of the spurs on the brick floors of the fort; then a pounding at the door of my room, and when I opened the door in rushed Marshall, shouting: 'It's gold! it's gold!'"

At the time Marshall and Weimer built the mill at Coloma the labor used was Indian labor. There were no other white men besides Marshall and Weimer. Marshall was unmarried and had no children. I think Weimer had, but do not distinctly remember.

When Marshall returned from Monterey to Coloma he brought with him about 300 Indians, and took to Webber Creek, distant about six miles from Coloma. There with his Indians he washed out a large amount of gold. His part was sufficient to buy from Sutter the saw mill at Coloma. In 1849 Marshall and John Winter owned the mill together, and they also owned Winter's Hotel. They sold the lumber at $500 a thousand, and the demand was greater than the mill could supply. I paid at the hotel $100 a week board, without a room. Marshall was then worth more than $100,000, but his generosity was without limit. He gave to all who asked of him. He had no business qualifications, and when sharp business men came in and built up the little town of Coloma, Marshall was soon traded out of all his property. His money he had lent where it would never be returned or had been given away.

Then Marshall became a prospector for gold mines. Several times I fitted him out with mules, men and provisions to go prospecting. He knew the country better than any other man at that time, and led the way to many rich placer mines; but he never found any that were rich enough for him. Often has he left mines where he could take out six or seven ounces per day to each man to seek an El Eorado where hundreds of thousands could be made in a week.

Since 1852 I have known nothing of Marshall, but I concur in the opinion that it is a disgrace to the State of California that she has suffered Marshall to die in want. To Sutter first and Marshall next is California most indebted. —*Henry C. Gardiner, in N. Y. Sun.*

Lace Dresses.

Gauze and lace dresses have two waists provided for them, one of which is of lace or gauze, and the other of velvet. White and pale pink velvet corsages with white lace skirts are elegant toilettes for watering-places. Shot velvet in such colors as brown with green or red with blue is the novelty for dark corsages worn with light canvas skirts. The trimming on the skirt is rows of velvet ribbon sewed on the canvas flounces before they are pleated. Plaid and striped velvets and those dotted over with small metallic balls like beads of gold or lead are worn as jackets with various light fabrics for skirts.—*Harper's Bazar.*

THE ORIGIN OF "O. K."

A Suggestion That Jackson Got His Famous Abbreviation From the Choctaw.

In the language of the Choctaw Indians, one of the most frequently recurring expressions is the emphatic oke, with which an affirmation or denial is concluded. This oke (pronounced with strong accent on the last syllable) is one of the substitutes for the copulative verb to be, which is wanting in Choctaw. Oke, as pronounced in Choctaw, has exactly the same sound as the alphabetic pronunciation of the letters O. K. in English.

The meaning of expression, as nearly as it can be conveyed in English, is: "That is true." "That is all so." A few examples, out of many that might be cited, will illustrate this. "The Choctaw Indian is a good fellow" is expressed thus: Hattak api huma Chahta achukmah oke, in which hattak api huma means "Indian" (literally, than-bo ly-red,) achukmah means "good," and oke is the copulative expression, "it is so." In the Rev. Cyrus Byington's Choctaw New Testament the first sentence of Matt. 5, 13: "Ye are the salt of the earth," is: gakni in huppi hucchia hoke, literally: "the earth is salt ye; that is so."

To General Andrew Jackson is attributed the introduction of the Choctaw word into our Anglo-American speech. Before the war of 1812, in voyages up and down the Mississippi and in trading expeditions overland from Nashville, Tenn., to Natchez, Miss., through the Choctaw Nation he was brought into frequent communication with the Choctaws.

General Jackson, as everybody knows, was prone to the use of downright and energetic methods of assertion. Hearing this emphatic oke so frequently uttered by the Choctaw people, he learned the meaning conveyed by it to the Choctaw mind and appropriated it, out of hand, to his own purposes. From him it passed over to the multitude. This account of the origin of O. K. has been current in the South for many years. If not true, it is, to say the least, *bon trovato.*

No one who has ever read an autograph letter of General Jackson's will easily credit the story that he was in the habit, when he was President of the United States, of indorsing, in *Kalkom Buks*, applications for office, with the letters O. K., under the belief that these were the proper initials for "all correct." Jackson was no scholar, but he was not so grossly ignorant of English orthography as to fall into a blunder of that sort. He may have indorsed documents with the letters O. K. as a jocular symbol of his favorite Choctaw expression. The story that these letters were seriously intended by him as an abbreviation of "oll korrect" was probably, as Mr. George Bancroft suggests, an *a posteriori* invention of the enemy—to wit, the Whigs—during the hot political contests in the days of the roaring '40's.

That the abbreviation O. K. was coined by Jackson himself and used by him long years before it passed into current slang, finds curious confirmation in an extract from the old court records of Sumner County, Tenn, quoted by Parton in his "Life of Jackson," vol. 1, p. 136:

"October 6, 1799. Andrew Jackson, Esq., proved a bill of sale from Hugh McGary to Gasper Mansker, for a negro man, which was O. K." ["A common Western mistake," adds Mr. Parton, "for O. R., which means Ordered Recorded. Hence, perhaps, the saying O. K."]

Is it not more likely that the O. K. of this entry was suggested by Jackson himself, as a brief way of saying, after the Choctaw fashion, that the claim had been legally made out?—*American Magazine of History.*

Flax.

A remarkable instance of the waste of a valuable product is afforded by the fact that out of 85,320 tons of flax fibre grown last year in the United States only 600 tons were utilized for manufacture. At the same time 5,000 tons of fibre are imported yearly. This waste, no doubt, occurs because farmers have given more attention to growing seed than to the fibre. Seed and fibre cannot be grown together. For seed, thin sowing and stout stalks are required, and this produces coarse fibre; for fine fibre, thick sowing and slender stalks with few side shoots are desired; moreover, for the fine silky fibre the stalks are cut before the seed is ripe. The ripe stalks, however, are exceedingly valuable for twine, but unfortunately this fibre is driven out of use by a substitute made out of paper.—*N. Y. Times.*

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"I don't want any nonsense, either," retorted Sammy, "when you are waiting on a customer and clap your hands, if you see me shake my head you may know I'm not coming till I get ready."—*Texas Siftings.*

The "Knowsomethings."

A new secret political organization, called the "Knowsomethings," was gotten up in 1854, by some German Republicans, to offset the "Knownothings." The founders were Germans, and their constitution opposed the extension of slavery, stringent Sabbath laws, and the Maine liquor hypocrisy. It was short-lived, but upward of six thousand members were enrolled, and for some time an "organizer" made a good living by going about the country and organizing lodges, each one of which paid him twenty-five dollars for a charter.—*Boston Budget.*

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From eastern cities the intelligence comes that the fall trade has opened more auspiciously than for years past. There is an unprecedented magnitude in the delivery of dry goods especially, and well informed merchants anticipate a more favorable trade than at any time for the past five years. They believe the long depression is ended, and that the improvement will be permanent in its character, owing to the fact that there is an absence of any speculative spirit, in a very marked degree of caution in making purchases.

Western women are full of energy and very progressive as the following will show: In Iowa 355 women own and direct farms, 5 manage farms, 6 own and direct stock farms, 20 manage dairy farms, 5 own grain farms, 9 manage market gardens, 18 serve as county superintendents of schools, 37 manage high institutions of learning, 126 are physicians, 4 attorneys, and 26 dentists, 110 are professional musicians, 1 is a civil engineer. At Keokuk, Mrs. T. Nodler does the largest fancy grocery business in the state, established in 1856 and now amounting to $80,000 annually.—Household Beacon.

During the past year about $2,000,000 have been contributed by the English people for the benefit of the heathen and sent to foreign lands. If the revelations of the Pall-Mall Gazette are to be believed a large sum of money might be well spent in missionary work at home.—Exchange.

Yes, that is about the way things work everywhere. Churches make strenuous efforts to raise large sums of money for the benefit of distant heathen, and people who contribute stifle their consciences in this way, when a small sum of money judiciously spent in alleviating distress and suppressing vice at home, would do a vastly greater amount of good. The old axiom that charity begins at home is always true and everywhere applicable.

The public lands of the United States still open to settlement lie in nineteen states and eight territories. In each case, except Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, the Indian Territory and Alaska, land offices are established in charge of an officer known as Register of the Land Office, where the records of all surveyed lands are kept, and all applications concerning lands in each district are filed and inquiries answered. The public lands are divided into two classes. In one class the minimum price is $1 25 per acre, in the other $2 50 per acre. Titles to these lands may be acquired by private entry or location under the homestead, pre-emption and timber culture laws or, as to some classes, by purchase for cash.

It is the opinion of Governor Robie, of Maine, that the reason farmer's sons rush to the cities in such numbers is that agricultural pursuits are not profitable enough to keep ambitious boys at home. If his statement to the average income of farmers in that state, $500 per annum, is correct, it is not surprising that young men refuse to follow the business there. They can do as well as that at most any kind of labor, but by coming West and taking up land they can do a great deal better.

Farming has many heavy loads to carry in this country, and its returns are often unsatisfactory, but it may be doubted if the majority of the boys who abandon it better themselves in the long run. The overcrowded state of the cities and of all centers of production is having a steady depreciating effect on wages, and the manner of living to which mechanics and other workingmen are obliged to accustom themselves is not improving at all. Besides the processions moving from the farms to the towns, there are hosts of arrivals from the old countries, that a boy who voluntarily enters the struggles must be prepared for a competition that is fierce and dubious.

A movement from cities to farms would be much more healthful to the entire country and would solve many of the problems which now present themselves. A million of men might easily be spared from the great centers but the thousands who abandon the farms not to better themselves only add to the clamorous throng of bread-winners whose seasons of prosperity are full of hardships in comparison with the plenty of a farmer's life.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

Preparations for a Fine Exhibition Fast Nearing Completion—The Programme for the Horse Exhibition.

For weeks the officers of the agricultural society, supplemented by a large force of men, have been busy at work getting the grounds, buildings and track in apple pie order for the approaching county fair. Their efforts have been well directed and very successful, and when the day comes for the show to open—Tuesday, September 22—the chances all point to everything being in fair perfect as possible. A new and exceedingly substantial grand stand has been erected, the track has been put in such shape as to delight a horseman's heart, the grounds have been leveled, the buildings overhauled, new stalls erected—in short it looks as though the Monroe and one details had been, or should be, thoroughly attended to.

Perhaps the greatest interest of the exhibition centers around the various features of the horse department, and in order to afford all necessary information to exhibitors in that line, the management of the fair has arranged the following programme:

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER, 23.

Division 1—Class 1—All Work.

Stallions, 5 years old and over, in harness, on track, in front of judges' stand, 1 p. m.

Breeding mare, with foal by her side, 2 p. m., on track.

Span of matched horses or mares, 4 years old or over, 2:30 p. m., on track.

Single gelding or mare, 4 years old or over, 3 p. m., on track.

Class 2—Draught Horses.

Stallion, 4 years old or over, in rear of judges' stand, 1 p. m.

Breeding mares, 4 years old or over, with foal by her side, in rear of judges' stand, 2 p. m.

Span matched horses or mares, 4 years old or over, in rear of judges' stand, 2:30 p. m.

Single gelding or mare, 4 years old or over, in rear of judges' stand, 2:30 p. m.

Single gelding or mare, 4 years old or over, in rear of Judges' stand at 3 p. m.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24.

Class 1—All Work.

Stallion, 3 years old, in harness, 9 a. m., on track.

Gelding, 3 years old, in harness, 9:30 a. m. on track.

Mare, 3 years old, in harness, 10 a. m., on track.

Span of colts, 3 years old, in harness, 10:30 a. m., on track.

All 2 year old, one year old, and spring colts in class 1, all work, will be shown in rear of judges' stand at 11 a. m.; stallion and 5 colts, 11:30 a. m.

Class 3—Draught Horses.

Stallions, 3 years old, gelding, 3 years old, mare, 3 years old, span of colts, 3 years old, stallions, mares and geldings, 2 years old, colts 1 year old, and spring colts will be shown in rear of Judges' stand, commencing at 9 a. m.; stallion and 5 colts, 11 a. m.

Class 2—Carriage and Buggy Horses.

Pair matched carriage horses or mares, 4 years old or over, 11 a. m., on track.

Pair matched carriage horses or mares, 3 years old, 11:30 a. m.

Class 4—Gentlemen's Driving Horses to Road Wagons.

Pair driving horses, owned and driven by the exhibitor 60 days previous to the fair, and not used for sporting purposes, 1 p. m., on track.

Single gelding or mare, 4 years old or over, 1:30 p. m., on track.

Class 5—Breeders' Special Speed Premiums.

For stallions, of any age, 2 p. m., on track.

For colts, 3 years old 2:30 p. m., on track.

For colts, 2 years old, 3 p. m., on track.

Farmers' race, 3:30 p. m., on track.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 25.

Class 2—Carriage and Buggy Horses.

Single carriage horse or mare, 5 yrs. old or over, 9 a. m. on track.

Single carriage horse or mare, 3 years old, 9:30 a. m., on track.

Class 3—Horsemanship by Ladies.

Driving by a lady with double team, 10 a. m.

Driving by a lady with single horse, 10:30 a. m.

Horseback riding by a lady, 11 a. m.

Class 5—Breeders' Special Speed Premiums.

For mare or gelding, 4 years old, 1 p. m.

Free for all, trotting, 1:30 p. m.

Pacing race, 2 p. m.

These races will be called promptly on time, by order of the superintendents in charge.

Secretary Graves informs us that at Detroit, last week, he made arrangements with Mr. Knight, of the Wabash railroad, to run special excursions to Adrian to the fair, for less than one fare for the round trip. Trains will leave Butler at 6 a. m. and arrive at Adrian 9:30; leave Romulus for the east at 7:58 a. m. and arrive at Adrian 10:55. Trains will leave Adrian going both east and west, at 7:15 p. m., standard time. The Lake Shore gives one and one-third rates from all stations within jurisdiction of the fair, and to accommodate from the east those who wish to come earlier than the noon train, coaches will be put on the freight leaving Brissfield 6:20 a. m. The freight train going west from Adrian on the L. S. R. R., will also be utilized, leaving Adrian at 6:10 p. m. Every available opportunity has been used to get people to the fair. Now let every man, woman and child do their level best to have something there for the people to see. Teams will be driven on to the grounds again as last year, and a supply of hay and grain will be hand, at liberal terms.—Adrian Times.

We have received the September number of THE HOUSEHOLD BEACON. Its colums are replete with information of interest to every home in the land. Ladies send your address on a postal card and you will receive a sample copy. Address "The Household Beacon," South Whitley, Whitley Co. Ind.

During August, Portland shipped 37,356 bushels of wheat.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

The law and order league at Marcellus is a thing of the past.

It will be November before the asylum at Traverse City is ready for use.

Several cases of malignant diphtheria are reported at Leoni township, Jackson county.

All honorably discharged union soldiers are exempt from paying a poll tax after Sept. 25.

Cowles will soon have a city national bank, stocked by Muir, Iowa and Owosso capital.

Judge P. B. Van Zile, of Charlotte, has been appointed adjutant of the Eaton county battalion, G. A. R.

Michigan postmasters appointed: Elmer, Joseph J. Truckey; Colby, James R. Wickes; Pierson, J. D. F. Pierson.

The Battle Creek sanitarium management states that during the past year there have been but five deaths in the institution.

Latest London market reports show that Michigan white wheat commands two cents a bushel there more than other American wheat.

Rev. E. C. Winslow, of Big Rapids, has accepted the professorship of Latin language and literature in Wabash college, Crawfordsville, Ind.

Frank Haynes, of Wheatland, aged 18, went coon hunting, got his boots wet and in attempting to wrench them off broke his thigh bone.

Rev. O. B. Whitmore, of the Cadillac M. E. church, has been offered an appointment at Minville, Ore., and expects to move westward in a few days.

A number of prominent citizens are talking of organizing for the purpose of booming Ann Arbor in a business way, by means of pamphlets, circulars, etc.

Among Michigan prize winners at the Toledo tri-state fair are E. Skinner, of Monroe; W. H. Smith, of Hillsdale and S. Downey, of Jackson, all on cattle and stock.

L. Carey, of Stanton, sold a half section of pine in Day township this week to Shepard Frost, of Grand Rapids, for $65,000. The timber will be manufactured into shingles.

The Second national bank of Hillsdale, has taken the entire amount of bonds, amounting to $45,000 and to run for 20 years at 4½ per cent interest, issued for building water works.

S. W. Fowler, editor of the Manistee Standard for the past 18 years, has sold the paper to J. S. Madison, who will change it from greenback politics to independence. Price, $3,000.

It is expected, with good weather, that the mechanical laboratory for the university will be ready for occupancy by Jan. 1. Students will thus be able to take its courses the second semester.

R. R. Billington was arrested by Postmaster Dudley, of Ann Arbor, for palming off an old postoffice box key for 50 cents which he claimed he paid for. It cost him $2 50 to settle it, as the boxes are government property.

The eastern association of congregational ministers will meet at Richmond (Rev. Mr. Whalley's church) Oct. 6 and 7. The eastern conference of congregational churches will meet at Romeo (Rev. Mr. Berry's church) Nov 11.

Miss M. L. Jones, superintendent of the Charlotte public schools, has resigned her position on the Eaton county board of school examiners, and it is alleged that the ungentlemanly and discourteous conduct of the male members is the cause.

The wife of a landlord at Dimondale took possession of all the household goods in her husband's absence and shipped them away in a car. On his return he viewed the situation philosophically, and proceeded to arrange for new furniture throughout.

Marquette men are scheming to start a company for the manufacture of wood pulp in that city from the poplar, of which large quantities grow in the upper peninsula. They claim that it is almost certain that the erection of pulp mills there would soon be followed by the establishment of mills for making paper.

Col. D. B. Ainger, of Charlotte, who did good service in pushing the water works in that city, a few nights before the proposition was submitted to a vote, dreamed that the question was submitted and there were 70 opposing votes. Next morning he related the dream. The result on Tuesday's ballot showed just 70 votes against the proposition.

It is 26 years since a Michigan M. E. conference was held at Pontiac before. At that time, September, 1859, Bishop James, now dead, presided, and of the ministers who then received appointments 26 have since gone over to the majority. In these 26 years the number of M. E. churches and parsonages has increased 226 and 88, respectively, the church membership has trebled, and the Sunday school attendance has doubled. Four members of the present conference at Pontiac are missionaries in foreign lands, Rev. Davis and Wang-Ching-Yun are in Japan; Rev. Challis in Bulgaria, and Rev. Kitchen, in Japan.

HOW CONGRESSMAN O'DONNELL GOT A FREE DINNER.

It was at the recent G. A. R. Encampment at Devil's lake, and on Thursday, the most crowded day, Jim O'Donnell, Member of Congress from the 3d District, a worthy comrade and one of the best of fellows, together with a friend had just come from the train and was seeking for something to eat.

Several well known comrades, with their families, occupied a pleasantly located family tent, arranged with side apartments, and a dining hall through the center, which at meal time might easily have been mistaken for an eating establishment.

The party were just sitting down to dinner when in walked two well-dressed strangers and without so much as a word to the occupants seated themselves at the table. It was O'Donnell and friend. They had been directed to an eating place near by and supposing this to be the one, and being attracted by the coziness of the place, determined to patronize it. The old vets in possession seeing that the intruders had probably made a mistake, and being of a generous turn and able to appreciate a good joke, treated their guests to the best that the table afforded, not omitting such sociabilities even as the circumstances permitted. The good wives also caught on to the situation and served coffee and desert, but made themselves scarce about the time the meal was done.

On arising from the table O'Donnell politely inquired for the treasurer of the institution whereupon he was as graciously informed by one of the vets that there was nothing to pay, that theirs was a private affair and that the comrades were welcome to their dinner.

Had Jim been ordered to charge a battery the look of consternation on his face would not have been half as great as it was when he received this intelligence. He first insisted on payment, then attempted an apology, looked down at the floor, but not seeing any holes to get through, beat a hasty retreat, but rallied again after a second thought and returning inquired of one of the ladies the names of the proprietors and giving his own, stating that he held a seat in Congress, and if any of them should come to Washington hungry to be sure and call on him.—Hudson Gazette.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

For October opens with the first Installment of a new serial by Fannie Aymar Mathews, entitled "Dilettante Days," a bright and talking story of travel. The three chapters given take the reader across the Atlantic, through Liverpool, Chester and Warwick; the illustrations are appropriate and truthful. The two stories, "Love's Harvest," by Farjeon, and "What She Made of Her Life," by Mrs. Farmer, go on entertainingly. Two of Christ's Parables are given in that series, and Ignaz Seyfried, Sigismond Neukomm and Conradin Kreutzer are sketched in the Sacred Musician series. The Bible History article treats of the Kingdom of Judah from the fall of Samaria to the Babylonish captivity. The Rev. Edward A. Rand contributes a pleasant and reliable article "An Autumn Pilgrimage," and there is a good sketch, with extracts and illustrations, of Tennyson's latest dramatic poem, "Becket." There are also portraits and sketches of Dr. Hasbrouch, of the New Jersey Normal School; H. H. Bancroft, the Pacific Coast historian; Archbishop Walsh of Dublin; and Sir George Errington; besides many interesting shorter articles and poems. Published by Mrs Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 56 Park Place, New York city, at 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year, postpaid.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE.—My residence in the village is now for sale. H. L. STEWART.

FOUND.—A woman's rubber cloak in the highway near my farm in Raisin. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.
Raisin, Sept. 11, '85. JOSHUA TAYLOR.

VIGGAR SEED WHEAT.—500 bu. of the above variety for sale. This wheat is a selected, bearded white chaff variety. Very hardy, single kernel. Straw strong, medium length, free from rust. Yielded for me on corn ground the present year 36 bu. machine measure, and 60 lbs. by weight. Price $1.25 per bu. Samples may be seen at Anderson's grocery store or at my residence. Test 64½ lbs. per bu.
T. D. STRONG, Tecumseh, Mich.

Tecumseh has 569 school children.

About one half the town went to Adrian yesterday to see the Wild Bill show.

Dr. H. L. Stewart offers his present residence for sale, he having purchased the homestead of T. T. Kneeland.

Adrian is one ahead of Tecumseh.—They are to have an Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe there on Sept. 21st and 23d.

The Ladies Social of the Universalist Church will meet with Mrs. E. D. Burlingame this (Thursday) P. M., at Newburg.

A. C. Crossman and wife, who have been spending a few weeks in this vicinity, started for their Nebraska home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Tilton has been obliged to have three of her beautiful shade trees cut down on account of the noise and offal of the English sparrows.

Services in the Universalist church on Sunday at 10:30 in the morning and at 7:30 in the evening. Sunday school after morning services.

Hon. John J. Adam accompanied by Mrs. Charles H. Adam and little daughter Minnie, have gone to Chicago on a visit to Mrs. Charles Blanchard.

Ladies by calling at Mrs. N. R. Brown's will find some of the new novelties of the coming season in millinery goods.

Save your one dollar bills and when you get one thousand of them you can make twenty-five cents, providing the New York market don't drop before you collect them.

James Cole has sold his meat-market to Mr. Wm. Howick, of Windsor, who has already taken possession. We welcome Mr. Howick, among the business men of Tecumseh.

Adrian Times: An inebriated Tecumsehite had a lively catch-as-catch-can wrestling contest with two of our local constabulary Saturday night. He was successfully "gathered in," paid his fine, and departed.

Rev. C. E. Conley has accepted a call from the Clinton Ave. Baptist church in Detroit, and will commence his labors there Oct. 1st. We are sorry to lose him but the good wishes of the entire community go with him.

One week from next Saturday, Sept. 5th, Adrian Light Guard will give an excursion to Detroit via. L. S. & M. S. R. R. to Wyandotte and thence by the splendid steamer "Excelsior" up the river to Detroit. Parties on the Jackson branch can take the regular morning train and connect with the excursion train at Lenawee Junction. Fare for the round trip $1.50. Returning, the Steamer will leave foot of Woodward Avenue at 5 P. M., prompt, allowing excursionists full five hours for business, pleasure, and sight seeing in the city. The great trotting match between Clingstone and Harry Wilkes, takes place on the Hamtramck Course on the afternoon of this Excursion, and a game of Base Ball may also be witnessed between the Philadelphia and Detroit Clubs. Other amusement events of interest take place in Detroit the same day. All who take part in this Excursion may be assured of a pleasant journey and a safe return, and all are cordially invited to participate.

M. E. CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

The following are the appointments of the Adrian District of the M. E. conference. Rev. G. W. Hudson, who has been in Tecumseh for the past three years, goes to Hancock, Upper Peninsula:

P. E., J. JOSLYN, POSTOFFICE, ADRIAN.
Addison—Alfonzo Crane.
Adrian—To be supplied.
Ann Arbor—W. W. Ramsey.
Augusta—M. H. McMahon.
Blissfield—E. A. Bray.
Carleton and Schofield—F. S. Osborn.
Chelsea—John A. McIlwain.
Clayton—W. B. Pope.
Clinton and Macon—E. P. Peirce.
Deerfield and Petersburg—D. A. Curtis.
Dexter—W. M. Campbell.
Dixborough—Arthur W. Stalker.
Dundee—D. H. Yokum.
Fairfield—J. R. Beach.
Franklin—A. B. Storms.
Grass Lake—J. M. Kerridge.
Henrietta—D. W. Gilberson.
Hudson—J. L. Hudson.
Lambertville—A. W. Whitcomb.
Lima and Sylvan—T. B. McGee.
Manchester and Sharon—D. R. Shier
Medina—Isaac Johnston.
Milan and Oakville—D. J. Odell.
Monroe—C. M. Cobern.
Morenci—J. G. Morgan.
Napoleon and Brooklyn—Leeman Barnes.
Palmyra—John Wesley.
Ridgeway—W. J. Clack.
Saline—W. H. Benton.
Tecumseh and Raisin Valley—T. G. Potter.
Waterloo—Adolph Odell.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT., 17, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lovely weather for the State Fair.

L. F. Wheeler at the opera house to night.

Andy Ross returned from New Mexico Monday.

Fred A. Sunley of Addison, was in town Monday.

Wm. Totten left yesterday to take in the sights at the State Fair.

Dan Hall and wife took in the excursion to Cleveland last Monday.

J. B. Swan will start for Jacksonville, Fla., next Monday or Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Woodruff, of Chicago was in town last Friday visiting friends.

Mrs. Frank Dickie, of Marshall, has been visiting at G. D. Perry's this week.

Mrs. Kate Morgan, of New York City, is visiting friends in the village this week.

C. F. Morley is at Kalamazoo this week exhibiting his hog catcher at the state fair.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Misses Sarah and Agnes McNair, are visiting at Hillsdale this week.

B. J. Slater has secured a position as operator in the M. & O. station at Marshall. He left for that place last Friday.

For a good sweet watermelon, the place to get one is at W. T. Eccles'. He keeps them on ice and they are immense.

Burt Garlinghouse, Frank Silvers and O. W. DeLano have entered their horses for the races at the county fair next week.

Mr. Henry Brewer, of Courtney, N. Y., was in town last week to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. T. T. Kneeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keiler, who have been spending the week with H. L. Jones returned to their home in Detroit on Saturday.

James McCowen has returned from Monroe, and claims to have been greatly benefited by treatment at the Sanitarium at that place.

Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M. will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening. Work in 3rd degree. Let there be a full attendance.

Charles Bebee pitched a game of base ball for the Holloway club against the Adrian Tuesday. The score was 22 to 23 in favor of Adrian.

A number of the Tecumseh Knights of Macabees paid a visit to the Manchester lodge on Friday evening, and report having had a royal good time.

Mrs. G. W. Hudson was the recipient of a silk quilt on Monday eve, presented by her lady friends of Tecumseh. It is needless to say she is delighted with it.

J. J. Daly the boot and shoe man, is now in Chicago buying a large stock for the fall trade. He will have an ad. next week telling all about what he intends to do.

Rev. G. D. Perry will preach at I. S. Osborn's farm barn on the prairie, near Deerfield, nexr Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Good music on the occasion. Bring your Gospel Hymns.

S. C. Stacy has not yet recovered sufficiently to be able to attend to his office duties, although he is gaining rapidly. He is now able to be out and took an hour's drive yesterday afternoon.

Capt. A. D. Foster has returned to Tecumseh and has now taken the management of the Patterson House. The many friends of the Captain, and they are legion, will be glad to learn of his return.

James Curry, Henry J. Sweet and John McConnell went to Grand Rapids Tuesday. Curry and Sweet go to attend the reunion of the Army of the Cumberland, and Uncle John will attend the meeting of the Sons of Veterans.

Coldwater Rep: Frank Barnes was convicted before Justice Eddy Saturday of stealing a barness and fined $50 or 90 days. The fine was paid.

We wonder if this is the same Frank Barnes who worked in the cigar box factory in Tecumseh and whose home was in Coldwater.

About the first of October Tecumseh will have another dry goods store, Mr. L. R. Gainsley has leased the Lawrence block, now occupied by Alva Parker. The establishment will be under the managment of Mr. Chas. Gainsley who will be pleased to see all his old friends, in his new quarters.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will give a social at the parsonage, on Thurday, Sept. 24th, for the benefit of the Rev. Mr. Phelps. Refreshments will be served, and a general good time is anticipated; all members and friends of the church are cordially invited to attend.

A. W. Haight has purchased the interests of Wm. DeMott in his fire insurance companies and will give more attention than ever to that business. Mr. DeMott will continue as agent for life companies exclusively. Mr. Haight is an energetic and rising young business man in our community and we are glad to note his succe

Sam. James, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

Delos Le Baron was in town this week Monday.

Capt. D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in town Friday morning.

Met Conklin and Chas. Bidwell are taking in the state fair at Kalamazoo this week.

The M. & O. road put a construction train on their road last Monday to repair the road.

To morrow the law will go into effect which makes Standard time legal time throughout the State.

Everybody says business begins to brighten, and there certainly must be some truth in what everybody says.

Much wheat has been sown in this vicinity. The acreage will probably be somewhat larger than last year.

The cider mills are in full blast. The apples are mostly too poor for any purpose except cider and vinegar.

Correspondents should bear in mind that communications for the HERALD should be mailed in time to reach us as early as Wednesday noon. Do not forget this please.

The causes of a separation between a Manchester husband and wife were that she had until long after their marriage concealed from him the fact that her handsome teeth were false, and that he had neglected to tell her that he snored in his sleep. They could not agree to set one fault against the other.

Those who know say that we have never had a long continued drought in Lenawee county, at least not for the past fifty years. The crops have never been a total failure except in some few very dry spots. There is no place in the United States where the farmer is surer of crops than right here in Lenawee county.

The Lake Shore management will substitute in the near future steamboat whistles for those now in use on their locomotives. The principle reason is that the proposed ones can be heard further and longer. When these are introduced the inhabitants of the villages along the line, can easily imagine themselves living in a river town.

Black walnut lumber is becoming scarce and high priced. It is not many years since board fences and fence posts were made from black walnut. The enterprising young man of to-day who will set out 25 acres of black walnut trees and give them reasonable care, may in 25 years be worth $30,000. A good piece of ground will grow a forest of black walnut trees 25 years suitable for all purposes for which the timber is used. It has been tried.—Battle Creek Journal.

Hudson Gazette: The Adrian Record says nature armed Smith and Stacy for the duel about to be fought. No doubt, but we failed to see any great "mus." displayed on the recent press excursion, notwithstanding the numerous opportunities that presented themselves. There was plenty of baggage to handle and a center pole that needed strong supporters to keep the sailboat canvass up during a heavy storm, but they were not there. Where duty called you would not find them.

An exchange tells of a man residing on the line of a railroad who has taught his dog to bark vociferously at every passing train. The impulse of the fireman is to watch for the barking dog, and throw hard pieces of coal at him in passing. The result to the owner is that he has delivered at his door all the coal he requires for his own use free of cost, and is now contemplating the opening of a coal yard for the supply of his neighbors. He thinks he can compete in prices with the oldest coal dealers in the country.

Chauncey Saxton bought a traction thresher engine at Toledo last Monday and started to take it to his home in Raisin in the afternoon, accompanied by an agent. The agent neglected to put a govenor belt on it and consequently the engine run kind of jerky. All went well until they were passing the Quaker mill pond when in trying to turn out for a mud hole in front of the mill the agent turned the valve the wrong way, and before it could be reversed it plunged into the deepest part of the pond, carrying the men with it. The engine was entirely submerged the smoke stack being the only part to be seen.

As there are so many ways in which farmers have been and are being swindled right along, the following from the Excelsior may be the means of preventing some in this vicinity from getting into the clutches of these traveling scoundrels: "A hugh swindling game has developed in this quarter of the mundane sphere. Two men call at a farmer's house representing themselves to be photographers and agreeing to take a photograph of his house and surroundings for the sum of 50 cents, no money to be paid until a photograph arrives and, of course, the farmer has to sign the agreement to forward the money upon receipt of a photograph. When, in the course of a few days, the victimized farmer is looking for his 'home paper,' he receives notice there is a note of his in the bank, and it says 'please settle.'

Mr. and Mrs. John Orr was in Toledo over Sunday.

C. A. Thatcher, the picture man, was in town Tuesday.

Clarence Cotten returned to his home in Bay City Tuesday.

J. H. Smith and S. W. Temple went to Bay City this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Erv. Kennedy went to Grand Rapids Tuesday to visit friends.

Mrs. H. E. Stout is in Battle Creek visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Wooden.

Mrs. C. M. Burlingame is spending this week at Kalamazoo visiting Fred and family.

King Alfonzo's palaces in Madrid and LaGranja at the Opera House this, Thursday night.

Go and see the Czar of all the Russia's great winter palace at the Opera House this, Thursday night.

The Tecumseh Post Office is among the number that has no postal cards. A supply will be soon received.

Wm. McMullen, of Battle Creek, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Thursday and Friday last.

Asst. Pass. Agent Mitchell, of the M. & O. was looking after the interests of that road in Tecumseh on Monday.

A postal from Dr. S. J. Fulton announces the safe arrival at home, Norwich N. Y., of Mrs. Fulton and daughter on Sept. 2nd.

Robt. Boyd, of Raisin, has now probably got all of his crops harvested. The latest gathered was a fine bouncing girl which arrived last Sunday.

Supervisor Love, of Franklin, has been suffering from ill-health nearly all summer, but, we are pleased to say, he is now on the fair road to recovery.

Milan Leader.—The Adrian Record man has challenged the Tecumseh HERALD editor to fight a duel. Oh, terrible! Somebody call the police and stop this wicked waste of gore on the part of these bloodthirsty quill-drivers.

Notices for a temperance mass meeting in Ridgeway recently appeared with simply "Hon. G." announced as speaker. The job printer doubtless went out for a drink at that point, and forgot on his return to complete the name.—Adrian Record.

It is a fact which few people would credit, yet nevertheless true, that the Friday superstition is deeply rooted among people whom one would suppose were far above such folly. There is scarcely ever a marriage license issued on Friday. Ticket brokers well know that no one starts on a long journey on Friday, as a rule. People make short trips on that day, drummers keep on the wing, but those who travel for pleasure, and especially women, avoid a start on Friday just as studiously and carefully as the devil is supposed to fight holy water.

Brooklyn Exponent: A pleasant family reunion held at the residence of Dr. Jones last week was the occasion of much joy and mirth, as the several members present had not been together since they left the parental home at Jonesville, one by one, over thirty years ago. The members of the Jones family present were as follows: Dr. L. M. Jones, of Brooklyn; Col. R. D. Jones, of Hillsboro, Texas; Claudius C. Jones, of Walworth, Wis.; Mrs. H. O. Clark, of Jonesville. There were also present to add pleasure to the occasion Mr. Frank Guy, wife and and child and Miss Lucy Clark, of Jonesville, Dr. O. Q. Jones, wife and son, and Miss Cora Abbot, of Tecumseh, and Miss Lisuella Doyle, a niece and member of Dr. Jones' family.

Just now, when it is seriously contemplated to reduce letter postage to one cent, it is interesting to reflect that fifty years ago a letter carried thirty miles was subject to a "sixpence" postage; ten cents would carry it eighty miles, eighteen pence would insure its delivery a distance of one hundred and fifty miles, and it took a quarter of a dollar to get that letter four hundred miles. Wages in those days were fifty cents per day. Thus a young man whose girl lived four hundred miles away was obliged to labor half a day to obtain the twenty-five cents with which to procure the stamp necessary to carry the renewed assurance of his undying affection. No one ought to distrust the love of young men in those days who wou'd write oftener than once a week.

A mistake in putting up morphine for quinine, made by a very competent druggist of Hoboken, New York, was the cause of the death of two prominent young ladies of that city and the probable death of the druggist, who took a dose of atropia when he heard the result of his error. This is one of the mistakes druggists are liable to make, especially when the drugs are taken out of the original packages and put in glass labled bottles of the same size; the names are somewhat similar, Morphia Sulphas and Quinia Sulphas, and their appearance is so much alike that to distinguish, a test is required. The safest way is never to remove the morphine from its original package except in dispensing, and we believe that is generally the method in small towns.

BOLD BURGLARS.

They Enter Wolcott Marsh's Meat Market on Railrord St., Blow open the safe and Depart with its Contents.

People residing in the neighborhood of Mr. Wolcott Marsh's meat market on Railroad street were rudely awakened from their slumbers last Sunday morning about 1:30 o'clock, by a dull rumbling sound as would proceed from an explosion of gunpowder, but as a heavy storm was prevailing at the time it was supposed to be a heavy clap of thunder, and nothing more was thought of it until about six o'clock, when persons passing the market noticed that half a dozen panes of glass were broken out of the front windows and that something was wrong on the inside. Mr. Marsh was immediately sent for and on entering the place found the safe open and the strong iron box on the inside containing valuable papers and $157.50 in cash was missing. The money drawer was laying on the counter and three dollars, all it contained, had been taken from that.

The burglar or burglars had cut a hole in the glass in the back door near the latch, and reaching in pulled out a piece of steel, which had been used to bolt the door. Three holes, two on top and one in front near the combination, had been drilled in the safe, in which the powder was placed. The door was blown completely from the hinges, the bolts torn out, and the inside damaged considerably. A brace and drill belonging to Mr. I. B. Richart, the wagon maker, was found on the counter, which had been stolen from his shop and used to drill the holes. The shock had broken out six panes of glass from the front window and several lamp chimneys. The job was evidently done by an experienced hand, as the holes were drilled in exactly the right place and where they would do the greatest execution. Sheriff Whitmore was sent for, and immediately went to work to ferrit out the perpetrators of the deed. Monday afternoon the iron box was found in a coal car on the east side track of the L. S. & M. S. railroad. The papers were found inside but the money of course was missing. A couple of chisels also belonging to Mr. Richart was found in the car.

Saturday night about 11:30 o'clock, Mr. Marsh had counted his money and intended to put it in his pocket and take it home, but changed his mind as it was such a late hour and the night was dark, and put it in the safe. He noticed some one on the outside while counting it, but thought nothing of it at the time, but now believes that he was the burglar. The night watch does not take in the buildings down as far as that in his rounds, and as the night was stormy, everything was favorable for the cracksmen. Mr. Marsh has the sympathy of the community in his loss, which is a severe one to him, and the evil doers when caught should have speedy and sure punishment for their crime.

Monday afternoon Deputy Sheriff Burtch, of Adrian, arrested a man named John Kennedy, a noted and professional gambler who has resided here for a short time.

RINK RACKET.

Season of '85-6 is open.

A very little difference is seen in the crowd this year from last.

Saturday nights always draw a big crowd.

Knapp's band is on deck and play better than ever. Their new pieces last Saturday were immense. What is a rink without good music.

Chas. Manning, of Deerfield, was rinkulating last Saturday evening.

Manager Cash will not lose anything by admitting ladies free. The average Tecumseh dude will not go there and skate with a row of handsome girls sitting idle on a bench, not much. A Yankee dood'll do what's propah and get half a dozen of them a pair of skates.

George Miller, of the Adrian Times, was gracefully ambling around the rink last Saturday night. It was like old times to have some one from Adrian show the poor Tecumseh skaters how to skate.

Several couples from Clinton and Manchester attended the rink last Saturday night.

Harry Corbin, the telephone operator, does'nt take a back seat for any body in the matter of fancy skating.

Young man if you would win the belt for being the fastest skater, prepare for it by practising, as the race will come off a week from next Wednesday.

L. F. Wheeler will give his night in Russia and Spain in the Opera House this, Thursday evening. At the present time Russia and Spain manage to furnish a great deal of interesting reading to Americans, and Mr. Wheeler's beautiful views of cities and places of interest in the two countries will prove a great attraction, showing by immense photographs, beautiful streets, grand palaces and churches in St. Petersburgh, Moscow, Madrid, LaGraizo, Sarragossa and other Spanish cities. Mr. Wheeler has concluded to try the popular low prices, and the admission will be 10 cents for children under 12 years old, and 15 cents for adults. This entertainment ought to fill the Opera House to overflowing.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The dream of Blissfield is about to be realized—a roller mill.

The Adrian Times celebrated its twentieth birthday last Friday.

Rev. E. Dawe, formerly of Deerfield, who has been in England for a considerable time past with his family has again reached Deerfield.

Charlie Beagle, late of Blissfield, a "rustler" among the farmers as a buggy and agricultural implement salesman, has removed to Detroit.

The Rome Center men have challenged the champion fat men of the west, otherwise known as the Adrian Twins to a game next week.

Thirty seven blackbirds at one shot was the number recently killed by George Swartout, of Kelley's Corners. That was an excellent shot, by George.

The twelfth annual fair at Morenci will be held Sept. 29 and 30 and Oct. 1 and 2. Numerous prizes are offered by the enterprising directors of the association.

A special excursion will leave Adrian via the Wabash for Niagara Falls Tuesday, Sept. 22, giving excursionists two days and a night at the Falls. Round trip $5.75.

Burt Osgood, of Rome, was before Justice Long, of Adrian, on Saturday for assault and battery. The case was dismissed on the motion of the assistant prosecutor.

A. Sigler, of Adrian sent his usual display of grapes to the state fair Saturday. Mr. Sigler has captured the first premium on foreign varieties for the past fifteen years.

A game of base ball played at Adrian last Saturday, between the Adrian and Wolf Creek clubs, resulted in a victory for the former club. Score, Adrian 18, Wolf Creek 8.

Drs. Nix and Dodge, of Hudson, lately removed an entire cancerous lip from the face of Geo. Camp of Lickley's Corners. Camp has less "lip," but a better chance for his life than before.

Seneca De Long, formerly residing near Hudson, but more recently a resident of Maple Rapids, committed suicide on Aug. 25th. Despondency over the death of his wife was the supposed cause.

Jackson Courier: A live wild lynx is scaring the people of Napoleon township half out of their wits. Several have seen the "animile," and its proportions are said to be tremendous. One party in this city who saw the tracks several days ago is scared yet.

The people of Lenawee county have long boasted of the immunity their section enjoyed from tornadoes, cyclones and other destructive storms. The experience of Sept. 8, 1885, has made them think that boasting hereafter may be omitted. The cyclone is no respecter of persons and places, and is liable to drop down at any time and anywhere. It is getting to be too common for comfort.

Clinton Local: Last week David Brooks lost a valuable horse in a very singular manner. His hired man was dragging, and when turning the corner of the lot the horse was going too slow to just suit the fancy of the driver, when he gave a jerk on the line which brought one of the horses back so as to get his legs in the drag, throwing him down, and the other one top of him, killing the horse instantly.

The tri-state fair at Toledo was a distinct failure, owing to the bad weather. Michigan has carried off several honors, however, among which are: E. Skinner, Monroe, first on 4-yr. stallion; W. H. Smith, Hillsdale, first on matched coached team, second on light matched team; S. Downey, Jackson, swine premiums; E. H. Reynolds Monroe, and D. G. Edminston, Adrian, fruit premiums; Blanche Campbell, Marshall, best painted tidy.

Adrian Press: Worthless curs invaded the fold of John Johnston, of Medina, last week, and the usual havoc followed. Two sheep were killed and nineteen more were bitten. Of these, several had to be "killed to save their lives," as the darkey said about the chickens. The remarkable thing about sheep killing by dogs, is the great number that the dogs attack. Just what leads them to bite and mangle so many sheep, and always on the first exploit of the dog in that business, is one of the points that can't be understood. Mr. Johnson's loss is quite heavy as his sheep were valuable. The dogs were convicted but that don't pay the damages.

Morenci Observer: Last Friday night Mr. A. A. Abbott found that his two-acre melon patch was being invaded by a couple of fellows who also discovered his presence about the same time, and thereupon throwing down the three melons which each had picked, they rushed to a wagon standing by the roadside and containing two other persons (man and woman.) Mr. Abbott soon procured a horse and after following them a distance of 2½ miles, succeded in heading them off. He politely informed them that a five dollar william would pay him for his trouble, and that sum was very quickly passed into his hands. Their names are—well, ask Mr. Abbott.

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Mr. Henry Williams, Mechanic, East Bridgeport, Conn., says:—"About two months ago I caught a heavy cold, which settled in my kidneys. I got a bottle of HUNT'S [Kidney and Liver] REMEDY and with the first dose began to get well."

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DIAMONDS.

The Difficulty of Identifying Them if Removed From Their Settings.

Wanting to buy a few precious stones to distribute among my friends before I get my life insured and go to the seaside, I interviewed a diamond merchant down town, and while we were comparing the gems the conversation turned upon the difficulty of identifying diamonds. Some people assert that they can recognize a certain stone as accurately as other people can recognize a certain man. You take your diamonds to be cleaned or reset, and you are sure that you receive the same stones again, although others less valuable, or even paste imitations, may have been substituted. But the experts are sure that they can never be deceived unless the stone has been recut. Upon this point the diamond merchant told me a good story.

One day another firm in the same business—call it Smith & Jones—sent him a diamond which was very fine and very cheap. It was set in a ring so that he could not weigh it; but after examining it carefully he concluded that its cheapness must be caused by some defect, and so he returned it to the owners. The next week an agent called with another fine cheap stone, which my friend concluded to purchase. Before binding the bargain he thought he would take it over to Smith & Jones and see what they said about it. They praised it enthusiastically. "Why, it's a bargain!" cried Smith; and so my friend bought the diamond.

"Aha!" said Jones, when they met the next day, "you did buy our stone after all, and you paid fifty dollars more for it than we asked for it originally."

This was gall and wormwood. My friend hurried back to his office and looked at the diamond. Sure enough, it was the stone which Smith & Jones had sent to him. The clever firm had angled for him through an agent and caught him nicely. He matched the diamond, had a pair of ear-rings made and bided his time.

At last he gave the ear-rings and his price to an agent and sent him out to sell them. The agent came back and said: "Smith & Jones want one of these stones. Will you split the pair?"

"Yes," said the diamond merchant, "sell them this one," and he took one of the stones out of its setting: "the price is so much a carat, as the color is very fine."

When the agent returned with the check my friend sat down and wrote Smith & Jones the following note:

"Quits! You have bought back your own stone and given me ninety-seven dollars profit. I prefer Pomery Sec."

It was a case of diamond cut diamond, and it confirmed my doubts as to the possibility of identifying unset stones.—*N. Y. Star*

The Straits of Malacca.

The Straits of Malacca comprise a long strip of water, extending from southeast to northwest, and connecting the Bay of Bengal with the South Pacific Ocean, or rather with that portion of it which is sometimes called Australasia. It is in itself a pretty piece of water, through which, though you are never out of sight of land on one side or the other, a steamer is nearly two days in passing. On the east the peninsula of Malacca thrusts down a long, slender strip of land, like a slim finger, far into equatorial waters. On the west the Island of Sumatra, longer and almost as slender, and having nearly the area of France, extends farther to the south, being only separated from Java by the Straits of Sunda. The Straits Settlements comprise the four cities of Singapore, Malacca, Penang and Wellesley, with certain dependencies nominally under the rule of sultans or rajahs, but really controlled by the British residents in each. Singapore is on an island fifty or sixty miles in circumference at the lower end of the straits. The population of the island is about 150,000, of whom nearly 100,000 are Chinese. Penang is on an island nearly the same size at the upper end of the straits, and Malacca is about half way between. Penang Island contains a population of 200,000, with perhaps 80,000 Chinese. Malacca has about 100,000, with 25,000 Chinese, and a larger proportion of native Malays than either Penang or Singapore. The European population here, including the British troops on duty, rarely exceeds fifty.—*Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.*

Bacteria.

Londoners, and yet more Parisians, says the St. James' *Gazette*, must hope that bacteria are not such dangerous animals as they are sometimes said to be by their enemies; for the air of large cities is full of them. The proportion of bacteria in a cubic metre of atmospheric air is, according to M. de Parville, writing in the *Journal des Debats*, 0.6 in sea air, one in the air of high mountains, sixty in the principal cabin of a ship at sea, 200 on the top of the Pantheon, 360 in the Rue de Rivoli, 6,000 in the Paris sewers, 36,000 in old Paris houses, 40,000 in the new hospital of the Hotel Dieu, and 79,000 in the old hospital of the Pitie. It is gratifying to know that in Ryder Street, St. James', a cubic metre of air (taken from the open street) contains only 240 bacteria, whereas in the Rue Rivoli the same quantity of air contains 360. The superiority of London air as compared with the air of Paris is shown not only by its containing fewer bacteria, but also by the rate of mortality being smaller. The greater purity or lesser impurity of the air of London is accounted for by London being nearer than Paris to the sea, by its covering a greater extent of ground in proportion to the population, and by its houses being newer. Old houses are all, according to M. de Parville, haunted by bacteria and the ghosts of bacteria.

—"Was it a forgery?" asks a magazine writer. We are unable to say without knowing more about it. If he escaped to Canada it was probably only a sharp business speculation.—*N. Y. Ledger*

VEGETARIANISM.

A Vagary Which Has Failed to Secure an Extensive Following.

Vegetarianism, notwithstanding the scientific argument on which it builds its theory, and the strenuous efforts made last year at the London International Health Exhibition to popularize the method by means of six-penny dinners, has somehow failed to impress the general public. Hitherto the eating-houses conducted on vegetarian principles and the public lectures delivered in the same interest have appealed, almost exclusively, to the convenience, tastes and necessities of clerks and mechanics. But reforms seldom spread widely and rapidly in this country, unless initiated or at least encouraged, by wealthy people. And among these vegetarianism has much to contend with.

It is unpleasant to go about branded as an "arian" of any kind; hospitable hosts and hostesses are naturally distressed to have to entertain guests who steadily refuse soup, fish, entrees and roti, and attract to themselves furtive glances of wonder or concern by persistant abstinence from every comestible, save green peas and salad; nor is it easy for the uninitiated, even with the best cuisine at command, to provide for eccentric convives dishes from which animal products are wholly excluded.

The vegetarian, therefore, if he be rigid and consistent in his practice, speedily drops out of the dining lists of most of his unregenerate friends; he becomes a marked man, and even his sanity is sometimes held in question by conventionally-minded acquaintances who are unamenable to the persuasiveness of economical statistics or of chemical analyses. It is, therefore, not to be wondered at that an elect few only among the most strong-minded and enthusiastic in this faithless generation have courage and ardor sufficient to face opposition tacit and overt, with which the gospel of vegetarianism is generally assailed, and that the tendency of all thorough-goers in the cult is to slink into the retirement of country life, whence, when the bugle call of their society sounds, they flock together to the metropolis or to some provincial town, hold their annual meeting, deliver impassioned exhortations to inquisitive and bewildered audiences, banquet daily on mushrooms and macaroni, and depart again, invigorated and cheered, to their rural hermitages.

All this is inevitable so long as the partisans of a very worthy reform insist upon the retention of a name and a programme which, for many excellent reasons, are repellent to the majority of sociable people, and which are inapplicable to the views and practice of a majority of professed adherents of the propaganda in question.

Most so-called "vegetarians" are not really vegetarians at all. Their macaroni is stewed in milk and sprinkled with Parmesan cheese, their new potatoes are served *au beurre*, and—*miraculum ovum*—fish even sometimes finds its way, in the shape of oyster patties, or of the yet more flagrant *filet de sole* or prawn curry, to the tables of Pythagoreans whose area gate the hand of the butcher boy never contaminates.

Akreophagy — non-flesh eating — would, in innumerable cases, prove acceptable, and secure gangrous countenances where the sterner evangel of vegetarianism is doomed to rejection. We may still be happy with eggs, milk, cream, butter, cheese and the products of the sea, even in the event of the abolition of slaughter houses and battues. Our own near relatives, the monkeys, whom Darwinian vegetarians are wont to hold up to us as examples of abstinence, do not abjure buns or sponge cakes, and in their native woods they are well known to be terrible egg stealers.

Flesh and blood, in their grosser and more repulsive forms, may be avoided with advantage alike to the interests of health, economy, sentiment and sanitary considerations; but experience and reason bear testimony to the desirability, if not to the absolute necessity of retaining the services of the dairy and fishing crafts. The varying climate of the zone in which we live, our active habits and the nervous exhaustion entailed on most of us by a perpetual struggle for existence, compel us to ingest a larger amount of stimulating and concentrated food than is necessary to the contemplative and indolent races of hotter countries.

We may indeed admit, with Ovid and Shelby, that the best and almost ideal diet for a man is one composed purely of fruit and grain; but then, an ideal climate and an ideal existence are the imperative conditions of such an Arcadian mode of sustenance. Unfortunately we are not Arcadians; nor do we lead the reposeful life of our fruit-eating progenitors of the Golden Age; pineapples, pomegranates and pippins, if purchased plentifully enough to support exhausted nature without other aid, would entail heavy demands on the purse; and mere pulse, or pease pudding, cheap and nutritious though they may be, tempt us not. We must have savory and toothsome edibles, daintily served and pleasant to the smell, charmingly varied and flavored *secundum artem*.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—A train on the West Shore Railroad was run the other day between Buffalo and Frankfort at a rate which is said to be the fastest on record. The distance is 201.7 miles, and it was made in four hours—50.42 miles per hour, including stops, or 59.63 per hour running time. The fastest portion of the run was from Alabama to Genessee Junction, when 36.3 miles were made in thirty minutes, or at the rate of 72.6 miles per hour. Attached to the locomotive were a West Shore baggage car, a West Shore directors' car and a Baltimore and Ohio private car.—*Buffalo Courier.*

—An Irish settler who had amassed a handsome independence in the cattle ranches in the West advises all intending Irish emigrants when they reach America to go to Nebraska, Wyoming, Kansas, Ohio, Minnesota, Illinois or Washington Territory. Labor is in great demand, and a workman who would only get $15 a month and board in the Eastern States would get $30 a month and board there. The climate is good, and there are no Irish poor who cannot, by sobriety attain independence.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Acc'dtn
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3.26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	7 05 "
Petersburg	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	65 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 59 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Petersburg	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 25 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 26	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Jones	10 42	10 42	4 48	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Flat Rock	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Flat Rock	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Jones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 06	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Short-Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass†	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	45 A.M.			P. M.	A. M.	
5 [illegible]	10 10	A	...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
5 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10	
7 04	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 09	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M. 8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
9 15	1 38		Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
9 27	1 50		Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
9 41	2 05		Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
9 55	2 17		Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
10 15	2 36	A	Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30	7 03
P. M.	2 56		Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
	1 01		Yorkville	12 20		6 35
	3 10		Richland	12 15		6 29
	3 28		Doster	11 58		6 12
	3 45		Monteith	11 43		5 55
	3 53		Fisk	11 35		5 47
	3 59		Kellogg	11 30		5 37
	4 10	A	Allegan L	11 20		5 25
	5 25		Holland	10 15		3 30
	6 30		Grand Rapids	9 15		
	6 30		Grand Haven	9 00		2 10
	6 35		Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
	7 16		Muskegon	8 15		1 20
	10 10		Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
	P.M.	A	L	A. M.		

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His rise from the obscure lieutenant to the commander of the veteran armies of the great republic, his transition from a frontier post of the untrodden West to the Executive Mansion of the nation; his sitting at one time in a little store in Galena, not even known to the Congressman from his district, at another time striding through the palaces of the Old World with the descendants of a line of kings rising and standing uncovered in his presence: his humble birth in an Ohio town scarcely known to the geographer; his distressing illness and courageous death in the bosom of the nation he had saved—these are the features of his marvelous career which appeal to the imagination, excite men's wonder, and fascinate the minds of all who make a study of his life.

Many of the motives which actuated him and the real sources of strength employed in the putting forth of his singular powers will never be fully understood, for added to a habit of communing much with himself was a modesty which always seemed to make him shrink from speaking of a matter so personal to him as an analysis of his own mental powers, and those who knew him best sometimes understood him the least. His most intimate associates often had to judge the man by the results accomplished, without comprehending the causes which produced them. Even to the writer of this article, after having served with the General for nine years continuously, both in the field and at the Presidential Mansion, he will in some respects always remain an enigma. His memoirs, written on his death-bed, to be published only after his decease, furnish the first instance of his consent to unbosom himself to the world. In his intercourse he did not study to be reticent about himself; he seemed rather to be unconscious of self. When visiting St. Louis with him while he was President, he made a characteristic remark showing how little his thoughts dwelt upon those events of his life which made such a deep impression upon others.

Upon his arrival a horse and buggy were ordered, and a drive taken to his farm, about eight miles distant. He stopped on the high ground overlooking the city, and stood for a time by the side of the little log house which he had built partly with his own hands in the days of his poverty and early struggles. Upon being asked whether the events of the past fifteen years of his life did not seem to him like a tale of the "Arabian Nights," especially in coming from the White House to visit the little farmhouse of early days, he simply replied, "Well, I never thought about it in that light." — *General Horace Porter, in Harper's Magazine.*

A CURSE.

This is What the Possession of Too Much Land Involves.

The natural tendency of this age is towards too much expansion. Men are not satisfied with a moderate business, with making a good living and a reasonable sum besides; but they wish to amass millions, and so spread out and worry themselves prematurely old, and in a majority of cases die, leaving no more than they would had they confined themselves to the smaller fields and not having taken a tithe of the comfort they would have then enjoyed. The *Rural New Yorker* makes a note of this, and calls the attention of farmers to the fact that in no business is this more the case than in farming. There is many a man who, when the owner of a single farm of fifty or one hundred acres, was a splendid farmer, keeping his fields clean and well cultivated, putting in his crops in good season and in the best order, and securing each as soon as mature, and keeping the best of stock and thus made money, lived in comfort, and, besides supporting his family well, laid by a small sum for a "rainy day," and was happy. But, ambitious to be rich, he reached out after another farm, and since this was bought he has found so much work to do, so much business to look after, that he has not had time to do anything well; his fields are weedy, his crops, always sowed late and in a poor manner, and not more than half manured or tended, give but poor return, and even these are not harvested until over-ripe, and then in a slovenly manner, leaving him no profit. As a result, he is always hard up, and works beyond his strength, while his family have to get along with the bare necessaries of life, and no one has any time for comfort or happiness.

Is this a fancy picture? Look about and you will find its reality in every neighborhood. And many a one, burdened with too much land, would be glad to sell the surplus and return to the home farm, only for a false pride. By far the safest and most sensible way is to be sure that one farm is improved all it can be, and made "as rich as a garden"—forced to produce its largest crops at the greatest profit—before another acre is added. As a rule larger profit lies in the direction of better farming and larger crops, rather than in more acres.—*Cleveland Leader.*

—Minute instructions are given to the officers of the Salvation Army how to behave, what to read, what to wear, and as to marriage. They may not marry or court the first year, and may not become engaged at any time without the consent of the General. As to reading, they are told that is better not to read secular newspapers, but if they do look at them, it is to be only a look. They are to read no novels, to avoid all the ordinary religious books, all the twaddle and trash and goody-goody, milk-and-water stuff, and to confine themselves to the Bible, general orders, the hymn book and the War Cry.—*N. Y. Sun.*

LORD NAPIER.

How a Great Military History was Conceived and Written.

One day early in 1823 he went for a walk with Lord Langdale, one of his intimate friends, over some fields which are now covered by the mansions of Belgravia. The conversation turned on Southey's recently published narrative of the Peninsular war. Lord Langdale was greatly struck by Napier's remarks on the events of the struggle and the characters of the principal actors. Suddenly he asked him what he was thinking of doing. "Do you mean," replied Napier, "where am I going to dine?" "No," said Lord Langdale; "what are you thinking of turning to as an occupation?" Then he urged him to turn to literature. The article on Jomini proved that he could write. He must not waste his life in mere amusement. Why should he not write a history of the war himself? On returning home Napier told his wife what Lord Langdale had said, and added that he himself felt doubtful whether he was clever enough to write properly such a book as a history of the war. But she, believing firmly in her husband, encouraged him to try. For several nights he lay awake thinking over the matter. At last his scruples were overcome by the thought that he might be able at least to vindicate the calumniated memory of Moore, and he resolved to make the attempt. Those of his acquaintances who did not really know him were surprised to hear of his intention, and remarked that being a comparatively young man, he was presumptuous to think that he could write such a history. Having formed his resolve he lost no time in proceeding to execute it. First of all, he called upon the Duke of Wellington and asked him for the loan of his papers. The Duke replied that he had himself thought of writing a plain, didactic history of the war, which should be published after his death. Till then it would be impossible to make known the whole truth without giving pain to many worthy officers, whose only fault had been dullness. For these reasons he told Napier that he could not lend him his private papers; but he intrusted him with a number of important documents, and gave him authority to obtain from the Quartermaster-General, Sir George Murray, all his orders of movements. In his own accord he promised to answer any questions as to matters of fact which Napier might wish to ask him in the course of his work. Murray, however, refused to let Napier have the orders of movements, stating that he reserved them for a history which he himself intended to write. After taking these preliminary steps Napier went to Paris to collect materials for the French side. He walked about the streets, exploring the contents of the bookstalls, and bought every book that seemed likely to be of any use to him. He also went regularly to the Depot de la Guerre and made copious extracts from the documents which were stored on its shelves. On returning to England he took up his abode for a time at Strathfieldsaye for the purpose of consulting the Duke. Marshal Soult, with whom when in Paris he had struck up an acquaintance, lent him valuable papers; he corresponded with Marshal Jourdan, and received information from officers who had served on the staff of Ney and Masscna. He also collected an immense mass of letters and journals from British officers. —*National Review.*

THE BODY'S TOLERANCE.

Little Things Which Often Prove Dangerous, While Severe Injuries Sometimes Produce Trifling Results.

Sometimes a slight blow on the head has resulted in death, or, what is worse, in the permanent loss of reason. A mere scratch on the hand, or a sliver in the foot, or a grain of dust lodging in the eye, or the tiniest fish-bone entering the wind-pipe, has proved fatal. Such facts may lead us to accept the poet's statement, "The spider's most attenuated thread is cord, is cable, to man's hold on life." But there is another class of facts quite as surprising, that are different from these.

An iron bar has been driven through the brain, with a considerable loss of brain substance, and yet no permanent harm has come to body or to mind. The fact is, while a mere prick in a particular part of the brain (the medulla oblongata) may cause death, the great bulk of the brain is exceedingly tolerant of many forms of injury.

Even the heart is much more tolerant than is generally thought. The physician may thrust his fine instrument through it with safety. An insane woman sought to kill herself by piercing it with a hairpin, but wholly failed of her purpose, although the pin interfered with the natural movements of the heart.

A woman swallowed a paper of pins. The pins traversed various organs and tissues of the body, and yet she recovered from the local inflammation.

A boy was brought to the hospital insensible, and nearly dead from asphyxia (want of breath). The doctor having run a catheter down the wind-pipe, a piece of chestnut was coughed up. The next day there was evidence that another piece was lodged in another of the bronchial tubes. It was impossible to dislodge it. There followed all the symptoms of acute consumption (pthisis): high temperature, sweating, emaciation, copious expectoration, offensive matter, and a large cavity. Yet the boy in three months returned home convalescent, and six months later the cavity had disappeared.—*Youth's Companion.*

—A Texan inventor claims to be able to send the voice across the Atlantic Ocean by means of a magnetic telephone which he has contrived. His instrument, which differs essentially from the telephone now in use, has successfully transmitted sound seventy-five miles. This invention, if it will do all that is claimed for it, will go far toward assisting those devoted persons who are seeking to bring out a universal language.—*Chicago Current.*

—There are five hundred persons employed in the United States signal service.—*Washington Post.*

The Voice of the People.

The people, as a whole, seldom make mistakes, and the unanimous voice of praise which comes from those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla, fully justifies the claims of the proprietors of this great medicine. Indeed, these very claims are based entirely on what the people say Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for them. Read the abundant evidence of its curative powers, and give it a fair, honest trial.

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Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

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Right Peart.

"I was right peart till the rheumatiz sot in," said a suffering old man who lived near the swamp. Fact is, wherever you live you can't be right peart if you are a victim of this troublesome disease. Captain C. W. Hostenpiller, Springfield, O., says, "I found great relief from inflammatory rheumatism by using Brown's Iron Bitters." Thousands of other people have found similar relief.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Hay Fever.

I have been a great sufferer from Hay fever for fifteen years. I read of the many wondrous cures of Ely's Cream Balm, and thought I would try once more. In fifteen minutes after one application I was wonderfully helped. Two weeks ago I commenced using it and now I feel entirely cured. It is the greatest discovery ever known—Duhamel Clark, Farmer Lee, Mass. Price fifty cents.

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Cle.	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 42	7 00
Massillion Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 46
Massillion Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	8 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta Lv	00AM	2 20PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sheroddsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberland	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillion	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	....Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	.....Milan.....	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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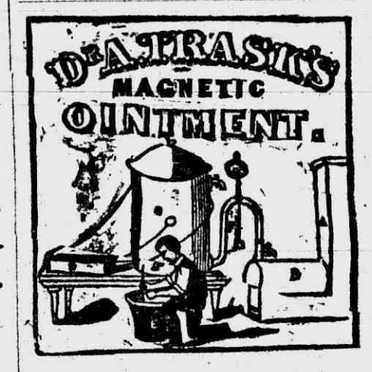

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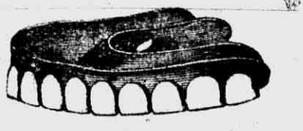

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters

WASHINGTON.

The Secretary of the Treasury has received a communication from an American residing in Hungary, in which he offers to contribute [illegible] dollars toward the liquidation of the National debt. The Treasury officials believe the offer to have been made in good faith, but are awaiting the arrival of the money before revealing the name of the generous exile.

A proclamation was issued by the President on the 11th suspending the collection of tonnage dues on all vessels arriving in any port of the United States from Colombia. This action is taken because no tax or tonnage due is imposed by the Colombia Government on the United States vessels.

Presidential appointments: On the 11th: Moses A. Hopkins, of North Carolina, to be Minister and Consul General at Liberia; Irwin Dugan, to be Supervising Inspector of Steam Vessels for the Memphis (Tenn.) District; Henry M. Gilbert, of New York, Consul at Trieste; James M. Rosse, of New York, Consul at Three Rivers, Canada. Mr. Hopkins, the newly appointed Minister to Liberia, was born a slave in Montgomery County, Va. He was elected to the Governor and State offices in North Carolina.

Assistant General Drum has received a report that no further trouble has occurred in Wyoming since the return of the Cheyennes and the troops are prepared to preserve the peace.

Within the past twenty-eight days six post offices have been burglarized or robbed by burglars. The aggregate amount of money was [illegible] Government.

At the request of Governor Robinson, of Massachusetts, President Arthur has appointed Assistant Treasurer of the Treasury and the President of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Charlestown a commission to select a site for a monument to the memory of the men who died in Andersonville prison during the war, and to erect the monument and the wards with which it is to be connected.

Mr. A. M. Keller, chief of the State Department, on the 12th received the resignation of Mr. Jackson, United States Minister to Austria. The resignation was tendered on account of ill health.

Miss Mattie M. Gaines, a clerk in the Treasury Department, died at her home on the 12th. She had received a letter that she was promoted a week before her death.

E. H. Jackson, of Ohio, Henry Peck, of Indiana, and R. J. F. Adams, of West Virginia, clerks in the State Auditor's office, have been transferred from that office to other positions.

The Second Comptroller of the Treasury has decided against the accounts of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad for the transportation of troops, etc., during the war. Attorneys for the railroad claim that owing to exposure to danger it should have been allowed full rates instead of the reduced war rates. The Comptroller decides that there is no indication of error and no reason for reopening the accounts.

THE EAST.

The New York Greenback party in State convention on the 10th nominated the following ticket: Governor, Charles Jones, of Albany; Lieutenant Governor, Lyman W. Gage, of Tioga; Secretary of State, George W. Hunt, of Orange County; Comptroller, Noah Davis, of Genesee County; Treasurer, Aaron Wood, of Steuben County; Attorney General, William B. Gurney, of Chemung County.

At the session in Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 12th of the Irish National Benevolent Fund Union, Hon. A. M. Keiley, President, Mr. E. Wheldon, of Pennsylvania, First Vice President, J. J. Murphy, of Texas, Second Vice President, Martin T. Griffin, of Philadelphia, Secretary, and Rev. James Henry, of St. Louis, Treasurer. Mr. Keiley made a brief speech requesting the wind-up of his trust, but the convention refused to pass under their action.

A fire at Nashville, Tenn., on the 11th destroyed Lester Brothers' livery stable, together with seventy horses and mules, and one hundred buggies and carriages. Loss $50,000. Woods' saloon, adjoining, was also burned, entailing a loss of $10,000.

On the 11th the strike at the Philadelphia woolen mills had assumed a serious aspect. Assaults upon the weavers now were more frequent. Women employed in the mills were afraid to appear upon the streets, even in the day time, without an escort, and at night they keep close at home.

At Cameron, N. Y., on the 14th a gas well was struck at a depth of fifty feet, while one of the residents was boring for water. The strike created great excitement, and oil speculators are already leasing land, believing large quantities of oil are under the surface.

Business failures throughout the country for the week ended August 14 numbered 203, as compared with a total of 165 last week and 189 the week previous. The increase is altogether in the Pacific and Western States.

William Warner, the son of a prominent farmer living near Wurtemburg, Lawrence County, Pa., was arrested on the 10th for stealing a registered letter containing $25 out of the postoffice in that village.

Joseph C. Fisher, formerly postmaster at New Brunswick, N. J., and more recently Superintendent of Starin's Island, was found dead in his bed at the Pierrepont House, Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 10th, having been suffocated by gas. The gas had been left turned on, but whether intentionally or not is not known.

It is stated on the authority of one of his intimate Baptist friends in Rochester, N. Y., that Rev. Dr. S. M. Duncan will decline the Presidency of Vassar College, to which he was recently elected.

The inventory and schedules of Martin & Co., of Buffalo, leather dealers, who made an assignment about a month ago, were filed on the 11th. The assets at a nominal value are placed at $26,529.32; actual value, $8,963. The liabilities are reported at $266,691.65.

Near Canton, Miss., a few days ago Leon Cockrell, a negro, shot and killed Aaron Warz, a colored deacon, while the latter was kneeling with the congregation in prayer.

The nine months' lockout of glass houses at Bellaire, O., ended on the 11th and work was resumed.

The Catholics of the United States have been called upon to contribute to the endowment of professorships for the new Catholic University endowed by Miss Caldwell.

Senator Estey, of Ithaca, N. Y., has given $5,000 and two village homes to the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society, that city; one of the buildings for a hospital and the other for an orphanage and place where poor women can leave their children while at day service.

Rear Admiral John W. Livingston, U. S. N., died at his residence in New York City on the 10th, aged eighty-one. He entered the Navy at the age of nineteen, and was commissioned Rear Admiral in 1868.

At Pittsford, N. Y., a gang of men boring for salt on the 11th struck the first bed of rock salt ever reached by mining on this continent, and the first salt mine in America was opened. The bed lies 600 feet below the surface. About a year has been occupied in sinking the shaft.

Battery K, Fifth Artillery, mounted guard over General Grant's tomb on the 11th, relieving Battery H of the same regiment, which has been on duty since the funeral. It is expected the tomb will be guarded by troops until January, and perhaps longer.

A convention of residents of Livingston County, N. Y., of both sexes, held at Dansville, on the 11th, passed resolutions calling upon the Inspectors of Election throughout the country to take the votes of all women who are qualified under the revised statutes.

N. C. Rockwell, an ex-banker of Union, N. Y., and his clerk, D. J. Palmer, were arrested on the 11th, charged with larceny in the first degree, in appropriating $50,000. The complaint was made by Mrs. Livingston, a depositor.

The western portion of the Union depot at Huntingdon, Pa., was damaged to the extent of $[illegible] on the 11th. A switch west of the depot was left closed and the engineer of a local train, not noticing it, ran his train at full speed over the switch and into the buildings. The engineer and fireman escaped by jumping.

On the 11th the trustees of the Grant Monument Fund at New York footed up $[illegible].

A startling scene occurred at the American Rubber Works in Cambridge, Mass., on the 11th. One of the girls suddenly began to laugh loudly and act strangely, fascinated. Several others also [illegible] in the same manner, and between [illegible] physicians [illegible] more [illegible] were unconscious. It [illegible] that an unusual quantity of nitrous oxide had been used during the day, the fumes of which had affected the girls in much the same manner as laughing gas. No serious results are apprehended.

At a meeting held at Danville, N. Y., on the 11th Miss Clara Barton, President of the International Red Cross Society, announced her intention to vote this fall and take the voter's oath if challenged.

The banks of New York City are making a concerted effort to avoid payment of taxes. The necessary papers are nearly ready for bringing an injunction from the United States Circuit Court on behalf of each bank restraining the city authorities from collecting the taxes for 1885 on bank stock, on the ground that it is assessed at a higher rate than other monied capital in the hands of citizens of the State, contrary to the provisions of the National Bank act. Similar efforts have heretofore been made without success.

Maud S. made an unsuccessful effort at Narragansett Park on the 12th to lower her record. She made 2.10¾.

A party of young men were boating on Accord Lake near Rockland, Mass., on the 12th, when the boat capsized and Charles J. Young, of Hingham, and Arthur Wheeler and Edward S. Curtis, of Rockland, were drowned.

Henry Ward Beecher has written to the New York *Post-Express* denouncing prohibition, and upholding high license.

Samuel Hunt's homing pigeon, released at Montgomery, Ala., at 8:15 a. m. August 12, reach Fall River, Mass., on the morning of the 12th at 8:12 o'clock. The actual distance is 1,031 miles, the longest distance ever flown in this country.

The total exports of specie from the port of New York during the week ended the 12th were $2,[illegible]: of this amount the exports to Europe were $202,[illegible] silver, and $[illegible] gold. The imports were $56,182.

The weekly statement of the New York associated banks, issued on the 12th, shows the following changes: Loans increase, $1,85[illegible]; specie decrease, $2,[illegible]; legal tenders decrease, $121,[illegible]; deposits decrease, $1,[illegible]; circulation increase, $[illegible]; reserve decrease, $2,[illegible]. The banks held $[illegible] in excess of the twenty-five per cent rule.

The celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the incorporation of Concord, Mass., as a town took place on the 12th. One of the features of the celebration was a procession, which was reviewed by Governor Robinson and many distinguished invited guests. Hon. George F. Hoar delivered an oration, and short addresses were made by Hon. William M. Evarts, George William Curtis, James Russell Lowell and others.

WEST AND SOUTH.

Solomon Levine and Isaac Rosenstein, two alleged Canadian jewelers, were lodged in jail at New York City on the 9th. They were arrested on the charge of having obtained $15,000 worth of jewelry from different parties through false representations.

Four companies of troops on the 9th escorted about one thousand Chinese from Almy to Rock Springs, Wyoming, including those recently driven out from there. They will resume work in the mines. There is a bitter feeling against the railroad company for this action.

A broken axle caused an accident on the Texas Pacific Railroad near Sherman, Tex., on the 12th. Mrs. Wolff, of Dodge City, was killed, and several others severely injured.

Dr. Thomas Waugh, a prominent Chicago physician, was fatally shot by some unknown party while on his way to visit a patient on the night of the 11th. Suspicion rests on Jasper Sweet, whose wife was a patient of the doctor's, and of whom he was extremely jealous.

Emory A. Storrs, the well known Chicago barrister, died at Ottawa, Ill., on the 12th of paralysis of the heart. He was born in Cattaraugus County, N. Y., in 1835.

Martin Capp, a farmer of Montville, Medina County, O., fell over dead in his wagon while driving to Akron on the 12th. The horses walked along more than a mile before Capp's condition was discovered. On his person $1,300 in greenbacks was found.

The following is an official estimate of the losses of the recent cyclone at Washington, C. H., O., on buildings only: Inside the corporation, $370,000; outside the corporation, $80,000.

One hundred and sixty children are reported to have died from diphtheria during the summer months in the parish of St. Polycarp, Quebec. In one family alone eight children died. The epidemic is now decreasing.

The house of Daniel Trasters, near Wooster, O., was entered by a gang of masked robbers on the 12th, the inmates bound, and about $[illegible] stolen.

Rudolph Deaicke, for fifteen years route agent on the Central Railroad, was arrested in his postal car while passing Barnesville, Ga., a few nights ago. He had broken open one hundred letters in the short run between Macon and that place.

The electric light wires set fire to the paper on the ceiling of the Grand clothing house at Grand Rapids, Mich., on the 8th. The damage by fire and water was $25,000; insured for $22,000.

The winery and distillery of the Fresno (Cal.) Vineyard Company were destroyed by fire on the 12th. Loss $120,000, with partial insurance.

The Crystal Palace Roller Rink, located in the Eighteenth ward, Cleveland, O., burned on the 12th. Loss about $4,000.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The Spanish Government has inaugurated an active campaign against the press of that country. Thirty-four papers of Madrid have been prosecuted. Caricature journals are being seized by the wholesale. The censorship also prevents true accounts being received of popular wrath against Germany at Saragossa, Valencia, Barcelona, Granada and twenty other places.

A London dispatch of the 12th says the British steamer Auckland had collided a few days ago with the German gunboat Blitz, near Copenhagen. The Auckland was sunk and fifteen of the crew were drowned. The steamer Villa de Malaga foundered near New Savona, and sixteen of the sixty passengers were lost. The crew escaped.

It has recently transpired that a fearful mortality from cholera and dysentery has prevailed at Rawal Pendi, Queta and the Bolan Pass during the past summer. The English regiments have lost 187 men and nine officers by death, while thirty officers and a large number of men are incapacitated for duty by sickness. The mortality among the coolies has been very great.

Petitions praying that Riel's sentence may be commuted are being daily received at the Dominion State Department. Other petitions praying that the law may be allowed to take its course are being received from the Northwest. It is said the Government will withhold the order for his execution until the case shall have been argued before the Privy Council.

The Anglo-Russian protocol of the Afghan Frontier Commission is published in the London *Standard* of the 13th. Every detail in connection with the frontier line is settled, the only possible point of difference being the Oxus River, which the English have been unable to minutely survey. The work of the commission, the *Standard* believes, will meet with general approval, but should the report, however, be rejected it is not thought that any excited state of feeling will result in England.

The strike of the 5,000 workmen employed at the Elswick (England) gun and machine works of Sir William Armstrong has been settled in favor of the strikers. The two foremen objected to by the strikers were discharged.

China has arranged with Berlin and London financial houses for a loan of $75,000,000, to be used in the construction of railways within the empire.

Official advices from Cape Town deny the report that several stations of the African International Association had been attacked by Congo cannibals, and a number of white settlers roasted and devoured.

LATER NEWS.

Twelve glass factories in Pittsburgh began operations on the 14th, after a summer shut-down, giving employment to two thousand men.

The boiler of a threshing machine exploded on the farm of Richard Ford, near Bryan, O., on the 14th, killing Eli Castor and Wesley Hanna.

Dr. W. H. Martin, a Columbus physician, was victimized to the extent of $1,000 by the old "gold brick" game at Tiffin, O., on the 14th.

Mrs. Lee Guess, of Vincennes, Ind., has obtained a verdict for $5,000 damages against the Chicago and Alton Railroad for the killing of her husband in a smash-up on that road.

One thousand miners of the Silver Creek (Ohio) district went out on a strike on the 14th against a reduction of ten cents, as lately conceded by Massillon district miners. Silver Creek is worked by Akron operators.

Captain Albert E. Goodrich, one of the pioneers in navigation on the Great Lakes and founder of Goodrich Transportation Company, died at Chicago on the morning of the 14th.

The Jennings County Bank, at Vernon, Ind., failed to open its doors on the 14th and the town was frantic with excitement. The bank is reported as holding $79,000 of fraudulent township trustee warrants, which had been placed in the East. These have been thrown back upon the bank, causing its suspension.

The Chief of the Bureau of Statistics reports that the total value of beef, pork and dairy products exported during the eight months ending August 31, 1885, were $64,218,576, against $62,648,275 for the similar period in 1884.

By the bursting of a boiler in Montgomery & Price's steam cotton gin, near Crockett's Bluff, Tennessee, on the 14th the fireman was instantly killed, and Montgomery and two others were severely injured.

William H. Taylor, of Worcester, Mass., aged forty, shot his wife and himself on the 14th. Both are probably fatally wounded. Temporary insanity caused by illness is the supposed cause.

Henry Arthur & Co., one of the oldest leather houses in New York City, assigned on the 14th. Liabilities and assets not stated. The firm were rated at from $150,000 to $200,000.

The first of the three contests for the America's cup between the yachts Puritan and Genesta was won on the 14th by the American yacht Puritan, which came in six minutes ahead of her competitor.

John R. Smith, a farmer of Kenton, O., a few days ago drew $275 from the savings bank to lift a note in the National Bank. The National Bank closed before he could reach it, and he carried the money home. Burglars entered his house in the night and drugged and robbed him of the money. He drew the money to lift a note held by a lightning-rod firm, who beat him last year by raising a note of $75 to $275.

DIED.

KNEELAND.—At Tecumseh, on Sunday, Sept. 6th, 1885, Mrs. Sarah Kneeland, in the 73d. year of her age.

Mrs. Sarah Brewer was born in East Hartford, Connecticut, Nov. 15th, 1812. On Oct. 8th, 1835, she was united in marriage with Mr. T. T. Kneeland and came at once with him to Tecumseh where they have lived ever since. For a long time Mrs. K. had been an invalid and for the last year had been a confined and patient sufferer within her home. More than once before this end came she had seemed to be very near death. Had she lived a few weeks longer the golden wedding anniversary, making 50 years of married life, would have been reached, and had her health permitted it would have been celebrated by a family gathering.

It is not merely in recognition of long residence in the place however that this memorial sketch is prepared, nor is it simply in tribute of her excellence as wife and mother which is lovingly acknowledged by husband and children. Besides these claims on our respect, she had qualities which procured for her the universal esteem and confidence of the society in which she lived. As a christian, she sought not to be conspicuous, nor was she self-confident; yet she was most conscientious and sincere. As a member of the social circle she was dignified, yet at the same time approachable and kind. As a friend no one could be more faithful and true. In church and society and home, she will be greatly missed and mourned. Her's was one of those quiet, useful lives whose worth is seldom fully appreciated until it is looked upon in retrospect. We have thus been called upon to record the loss of one more of those who have given to Tecumseh society the high reputation it has hitherto held. One more brief tribute is hereby paid to a sterling class of characters, who are all too rapidly taking their final departure from us. We express high interest in the future of our town when we express the hope that those who take the place of the fathers and mothers who are so fast disappearing, may emulate the virtues and attain the excellence of those that have passed, or are passing away. Besides a husband to mourn her loss Mrs. K. leaves two sons, Mr. Henry Kneeland of Leadville, Col., and Mr. Frank Kneeland, of St. Louis, Mich.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending September 8th, 1885:

Estate of Clark Downer, deceased: receipts filed; discharge.

Estate of Julia Ann Duel, an alleged incompetent person: petition for appointment of guardian; hearing Sept. 21.

Estate of Phebe Lester, deceased, petition for allowance of administrators' final account; hearing Oct. 5.

Estate of Benjamin Wilcox, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Samuel G. Conking; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until Oct. 26, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of Reedy Aten, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Maria E. Orcutt, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment according to will; receipt filed; discharge.

Estate of Charles Cavbrook, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed, letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of James S. Cosgrove, deceased; hearing for appointment of administrator October 5.

Estate of Harry Pesherrard, minor; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of John Stange, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Ferdinando B. Smith, an insane person; affidavit of service of notice of hearing, and testimony taken and filed; guardian appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Emma Hendershot, et al, minors; bond filed, letters of guardianship issued.

Godey's Lady's Book for October is a brilliant number, opened with a handsome steel engraving of "The Lady of Lyons." This picture illustrates the story of Bulwer's famous drama of that title which has been carefully transcribed for the magazine in a narrative form. "The Lady of Lyons" is a fine piece of work. The subject is one of high literary and dramatic merit, Pauline being a character made famous by the authorship of genius and the histrionic talent of the best actresses the world over. A novel design in colors for a sofa pillow or quilt accompanies the usual illustrations, and the story matter presents some notable features. "The Yoke of Honor" approaches a final climax, having held the interest of its readers to the very end. Miss Emily Read, the authoress of "Wearithorne" has a strong dramatic story entitled "Another Christabel," and Max Vander Weyde continues his observations on Phillipa's clever doings, the subject of this month's article is the decoration of interiors with rustic work, leaves and grasses. The more serious matter in this issue is represented by "three Letters from Herat." There are several very pretty poems, and a bright story called "Alice and I." The number closes with a full Arm Chair and a readible Book table. The new subscribers are promised some rare inducements, and the old ones find the attractions of the book strong enough to hold their interest. Godey's compares favorably with the best publications of its kind in this or any other country. It aims to be, and certainly is, a Lady's Book par excellence.

—The Improved White is the easiest running, most noiseless and durable machine. There are no cog-wheels in the White to break, and make a noise. This is a point to be well considered before buying a machine. Call and see the Automatic White, single thread, no shuttle. G. P. Sparks.

—The best flour for ordinary domestic use sold in this market is that manufactured at the old Globe Mills.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending September 8.

CLINTON.

N. D. Saxton to J. E. McCollum. Land in vil. $775.

RIDGEWAY.

R. A. Waring to R. H. Nelson. Land in Ridgeway vil. $100.

TECUMSEH.

M. E. Kennedy to John VanCleson. Land on Maumee st. $1,600.

A. P. Lee to T. D. McKinney. Part lot 53. $425.

WOODSTOCK.

J. W. Ferris to G. F. Harris. S w ¼ e ½ sec 17. $1,700.

—To Order.—Ladies if you wish a nice Hair Switch made to order, call on Mrs. C. M. Webster. Also Stamping during the month of September at a reduction of five cents. Shams for 20 cents per pair. Rooms at the residence of Mrs. Luke Wood.

—Low Rates.—See here young man, what an opportunity of securing a Business Education. A complete course in Book keeping, Penmanship, Commercial Law, Business Arithmetic and Correspondence, Political Economy, only $25. A course in Short hand, Type-writing and Telegraphy, three months only $15. Send and get a catalogue and specimen of penmanship, Brown's Business University, Adrian, Mich. Finest rooms in the state.

—For sale cheap—A new four ton combination beam Buffalo Platform Scale. Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.

—Special Bargains on a few good second hand coal stoves.

Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.

—Ho! all lovers of good bread.—Always buy Heck's White Foam Patent flour and you will never be disappointed. It will never deceive you. It is the best.

—You can buy a new nine hoe force feed drill for $40, of

C. A. Slayton.

—Salmon, codfish, mackerel, halibut, and in fact all kinds of fresh and salt fish can be procured at the old reliable market of Jim Cole.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—The old Globe Mills' patent process flour takes the whole bakery.

—For a fine single harness, a light double harness, or a heavy work harness, call on C. A. Slayton.

Big bargains in carriages or Farm Wagons.

—The "Globe Mills Pastry" leads all the brands of flour in this market.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Sept. 15, 1885:

Church, John — Richards, Tamie
Jones, Linda — Temple, John F.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₩ barrel	[illegible]
Apples, dried, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Butter, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Barley, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Beans, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	[illegible]
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	[illegible]
Beef Hides	[illegible]
Calf Skins, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Corn in ear	[illegible]
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Clover Seed	[illegible]
Chickens—dressed	[illegible]
Eggs, ₩ doz	[illegible]
Flour, ₩ barrel	[illegible]
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	[illegible]
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	[illegible]
Hay, ₩ ton	[illegible]
Honey, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Ham, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Lard, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Oats, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Onions, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Salt, ₩ barrel	[illegible]
Sheep Pelts	[illegible]
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Wood, ₩ cord	[illegible]
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]

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Cloaks! Cloaks!

We have just rec'd and opened a complete line of Ladies' and Misses' garments in plush, silk, bison-cloth, cheviots. Also our fall stock of CARPETS complets. Floor OIL CLOTHS a specialty at

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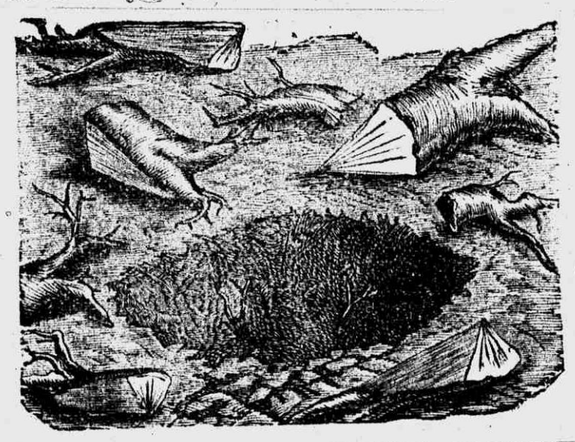

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Fine weather this week.

C. A. Smith was in attendence at the state fair last week.

George W. Blodgett, of New York, is visiting his uncle, Mr. E. A. Moyer, of Woodstock.

Albert E. Price, one of Hudson's stock dealers called on us Monday. He and his brother Charles are making quite extensive purchases in this vicinity and expect to continue the business during the remainder of the season.

Oliver Holmes, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Josiphene Joslyn, of Woodstock.

Elder K. H. Crane spent the fore part of the week visiting friends at Battle Creek, and returns feeling much refreshed by the change and travel.

Messrs. Austin and Saunders, painters, recently finished putting on the finishing touches at Louie Zeph's residence on Lake St. The job does credit to its executors.

The tuition of foreign pupils has been reduced from 40 cents to 25 cts. per week. A movement in the right direction.

Smith's stock and grain scales have just undergone a general overhauling and are now in excellent condition for use.

A new sign hangs from the window of Thomas Bowen's shoe shop, on the west side.

Rumor says that Than. Osborn, of Woodstock, will engage in the sale of agricultural implements at this place during the coming season. The opening is certainly a good one and we know of no better man to fill it than Mr. Osborn.

The "Half a man" talk given at the rink by Prof. Fisk, Saturday evening was well worth the fifteen cents which it cost to hear it. The speaker is well worthy a much larger audience however than the one which listened to him on that occasion; and it is to be hoped our people will be more generous should he consent to speak in the place again.

While the increase of population in our own town is being reported we would not forget to say that a bright eyed little boy claims parental attention at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Cole near Clayton.

The guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dayton left Tuesday morning to visit friends at Litchfield.

Miss Susie Wyman, of Sycamore Ill., spent Sunday in Toledo with her cousin, Mrs. Emma Schneider.

We understand that Harvey Dayton expects to buy apples in this vicinity to ship to Illinois.

E. M. Brown is on the alert for all the good hay he can hear of, and offers the highest cash price for the same.

A number of prospective winter term teachers are making good use of their time by brightening up with Prof. Tripp at our village schools. An increase in the attendance of foreign pupils is also reported.

Levi Salsbury took the train Tuesday for Grand Rapids where he made a brief stay visiting and sight seeing.

The special freight going east on the M. & O. was delayed a short time last Saturday forenoon by one of the steam heads to the engine being blown out. The matter was soon adjusted however and trains run as usual during the remainder of the day.

Corn cutting has now been commenced in good earnest.

A. J. Hasbrouck's new residence receives its internal plastering this week. Messrs. Terpening and Harrington are the mud stickers employed, which fact is a sufficient guarantee as to quality of the work done.

Al. Maples has a flock of pencil neck brahma chickens, to which he calls the attention of those who admire good poultry.

Both our village Divines are out of town rusticating this week; and unless something like the "special revelation" system used by the Mormons comes to our assistance before going to press, we fear the usual Sunday service announcements will, like other things spiritual be striven for, but not obtained.

Jacob VanEtten, of Wheatland, had his shoulder joint dislocated last Saturday by falling suddenly from a wagon. Dr. E. M. Jenkins readjusted matters and Jake is again about his business, but supports the left hand by a sling.

Rumor says that Mrs. Mary T. Lathrop, temperance advocate of Jackson, will visit our town in the near future and give some of her popular and strong talk upon the subject of which she is so notably the master.

ONSTED ODDS.

A special school meeting next Monday evening, to see about electing a Moderator.

Miss Mate Lawton closes her third term of school here Sept. 23rd. She has been very successful.

The Onsted boys defeated the Rome boys by a score of 12 to 14 last Saturday at Rome.

Andy Carson and family, from Homer, moved into the upper part of Mr. Verneir's house last Monday.

Geo. Hines went to Toledo Tuesday as catcher for the Adrian "Phats" in a game against the Toledo Fat Nine.

Undoubtedly we shall soon see the schoolyard fence away, as it was sold at the last meeting for $1. The question arises is it needed or not? If not needed it could be sold, but otherwise we think it illegal to dispose of it.

Dry, dusty and windy.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine weather for seeding.

Corn cutting has begun in earnest this week.

Samuel Fletcher has a new blacksmith shop up, and is going to shingle it as fast as possible. It is on south Church street nea[illegible]

The stock holders of t[illegible] telegraph line have been [illegible] new poles about the village, and extending their line.

Mr. E. A. Palmer, of Hillsdale, called on friends last week.

Richard Cadmus spent a few days with John Emmons at Mattawan and took in the state fair at Kalamazoo.

We are glad to welcome back for another year, the smiling countenance of our pastor, Rev. W. J. Clack.

Miss May Ilgenfrits, of Monroe, was the guest of Miss Belle Barlow over Sunday.

Mrs. R. T. Bush left for her home in Brooklyn N. Y. last week in company with her sister, Miss Ella Hall, who will spend the winter with her.

Saxton and Robertson wish to thank the gentlemen for their kind service in getting their engine out of the mill pond last week.

Miss Fannie McNiel, of Milan and Miss Lou. Arner of our village went to Toledo Thursday, after a fall stock of millinery goods and spent the evening with C. T. Bateman and family. Mr. Bateman filled the office of County Supt. of schools in this county, a few years ago.

Miss Lou Arner, having procured the service of Miss McNiel an experienced trimmer, respectfully invites all of her friends to call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere, and guarantees satisfaction.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

In my Fair week letter, the Band was neglected, but as no better ever came here they can afford to be overlooked once.

Mr. William Stacy died after a brief illness, though his health has not been good for a long time. His funeral was conducted by the Masonic fraternity, Rev. Hills of Napoleon officiating.

Mr. Ide still lingers without hope of recovery, and as sickness multiplies cares, his wife is fortunate in possessing many lady friends who are handy in emergencies. True they don't count for much at the ballot box, unless represented by their husbands or brothers, but you just wait until next Presidential election, and Mrs. Hazlett or Mrs. somebody, will represent the views of a whole political party. Why they can be trusted to engineer business for others, while incompetent to manage their own, is a little queer; and to send women to make stump speeches at such times would seem absurd if they were not faithfully counseled between whiles, to refrain from demoralizing womanhood with common sense and politics. There are sick people enough at present to give their lawful qualifications exercise, and few are in danger of losing their practice of economy while so many branches of industry droop, and laborers destroy each other's chances of employment by cutting down prices and attempting to enforce idleness on a part in order to secure work for themselves. This is a creed of self, that makes working people slaves instead of independent members of society, and neither employers or employees can look upon work with respect, that is performed for a pittance instead of its real worth, and forces some one else to live on taxable charity. The family lacking in unanimity is a sample of the community that poisons its own welfare with catering to the selfishness of a few, and in a great degree destroys the good effect of benefits within reach of all, and those who exact dishonorable competition and persist in employing only those who undermine their fellows, manufacture a scourge under which they writhe, namely, taxation for the support of pauperism in all its forms.

MACON MUSIC.

At the home of the bride's brother, Macon Mich., on Wednesday evening Sept. 16th, Miss Libbie M. Hunter was married to Mr. Fred C. Corden, of Saline. A beautiful moonlight evening greeted those who assembled to witness the marriage service, and extend their good wishes to the young couple. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood under an umbrella of evergreen. The bride was becomingly dressed in golden brown silk, trimed with white lace. After the principal parties began to be addressed as Mr. and Mrs. Corden, refreshments were served. The bridal party took the evening train for Jackson, where they will spend a few days and then go to their home in Saline. Below is a list of the presents received by them.

Pickle castor, silver piece, toilet set, pair vases, set glassware, tinted glass water service, silver teaspoons, silver tablespoons, silver sugar spoon, silver knives and forks, glass finger bowl, linen table cloth, linen towels, turkish towel, 1 dozen stereoscopic views 3 baskets flowers, flower lyre, vase and flowers, glass cake dish, decorative fan, willow rocker, set decorated china, decorated chamber set, silver napkin rings, large cake, deed of lot for home.

On Wednesday evening, Sept. 9th, the spacious residence of Mrs. M. A. Collins, Macon Mich., was filled by a large company of relatives and friends, to witness the marriage of her daughter Allie, to Rev. W. C. Burns, of Fairport, N. Y. Precisely at eight o'clock the bridal pair attended by Miss Lettie and Mr. J. B. Burns as bridesmaid and groomsman, entered the brilliantly lighted parlors and were pronounced husband and wife, in an unusually beautiful and impressive manner by the officiating clergyman, Rev. Dr. Dunn, of Hillsdale College. After the hearty congratulations of the assembled guests, the company sat down to an elegant repast. The presents were so numerous that we have not space to note them singly. A fine upright piano from the bride's mother. An elegant rug from S. W. Anderson & Co., of this village, and a handsomely bound edition of Knight's Half Hours, with best authors, from the bride's cousin, Sumner Collins Esq., of the legal firm of Geo. V. Lothrop & Collins, Detroit, and a beautiful water set from the groom's brother, attracted our especial attention. The bride, Miss Collins, is an honored graduate of the Tecumseh High School, and having always lived in this village and vicinity, is highly esteemed as one of our most pleasant and talented young ladies. Mr. Burns is a graduate of Hillsdale College, and having occupied the pulpit of one of the churches in this vicinity, is favorably known to our citizens. The best wishes and warmest regard of a host of friends follow the young couple to their new home in Fairport, N. Y., where Mr. Burns is pleasantly located as pastor of one of the Baptist churches.

THE LAST DAY OF SUMMER.

T'was ushered in solemn and beautiful. No echoes awoke the still air from its slumbers. Only the faintest, sweetest note from one trembling bird began the prelude to the melancholy autumn. The early sunbeams glided from their couch, and softly kissing the tears from off the flowers, crept around among the quivering shadows, but warned by their ominous frowns did not venture to peer around into their faces and laugh at them. Now and then a brown leaf stole down from its companions and fluttered sadly to the earth, to die and be forgotten.

The melancholy Bean roused her silvery waves, as usual, and tried to smile; then, as if discouraged before the attempt was made, silently flowed on. A soft light seemed to come into the black eyes of the mischievous squirrel, as he stayed not to visit his nut to his companions, but scampered off to his home to eat his meal in silence. The robin was heard talking to his mate in low tones about a home in the South. The bees returned to their cells but half laden. Fragrant flowers drooped their graceful heads and wailed a sad farewell to the branches that had so fondly cherished them. One tiny humming bird, at evening, fluttered around the white buds of the snowberry bush, but finding no sweetness there, flew away, whither we know not. A few bright-winged butterflies vainly wooed the departing love, and then we saw them lying cold as clay.

The sweet summer, with all its charms and pleasures has passed away. Others may come in their season, but this one never, only as Mnemosyne may from time to time withdraw the mystic vail from her charge, and graciously permit us to gaze on her picturesque walls. Other skies may be as blue, other shadows may fall as rich and dark under the grand old trees where the cricket chippers so lonely now; another summertime the sun may go down dreaming in the dim old west, and the clouds may pile up their royal treasures, of purple and gold, and the young moon may climb the eastern hill, leaning on the arm of her dark-eyed sister, and the stars may blossom out in the soft twilight and fade in the dewey morn, but this summer cannot come again. Some soft-winged angel will wave its wand over the sharpness of our pains, and we shall forget the gloom that for a season presided over the wreck of resplendent hopes and swift-winged visions, and when the sweet-sounding cymbals of another summer shall wake the village flowers from their icy bed, a spirit that can come from no other place than Paradise will hover over the valley of shadows with merciful smiles, and temper with serenity the glory of the scene.—Addison Courier.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending September 15th, 1885:

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Nancy Aolt, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing October 5th, 1885.

Estate of Freeman Rice, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of John G. Tagsold, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing October 5th, 1885.

Estate of Ruth Sword, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing October 12, 1885.

Estate of Edwin Johnson, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Lione R. Hoyt, minor; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing October 19, 1885.

Estate of David Cooley, Jr., deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Gardner Powell, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $18,000.

Estate of George R. Miller, an alleged insane person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing October 5, 1885.

Estate of Joseph Taylor, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator de bonis non; hearing Nov. 16, 1885.

Estate of Allen L. Hayck, deceased; affidavits of publication; will, proof and probate bond $100.

Estate of Thomas Colling, deceased; affidavits of publication; executrix's final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

Estate of Charles I. Wetmore, deceased, affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices, commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Ephraim R. Willard, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Oct. 12, 1885.

Estate of Henry Sherwood, deceased; warrant and inventory filed, application for an allowance for support of widow; order of an allowance.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending September 15.

HUDSON.

Marsha A. Lowe to J. K. Bales. Land on sec 17. $1,000.

RIDGEWAY.

John Britton to Nellie Hallock. Land on sec 3. $150.

G. W. Jackson to A. H. Kelley. Land on sec 5. $1,400.

TECUMSEH.

Abbie Fisher to Melissa Dixon. Lot 2, blk 3, McCowen's add. $282 50.

Caroline Sisson to A. A. Besemer. Land cor Democratic and Logan sts. $350.

Maria VanOrmer to P. C. Snell. Land in vil. $800.

Cassell's Family Magazine for October.

The Editor of Cassell's Family Magazine is a good caterer for he knows how to make a tempting feast. His aim seems to be variety and variety in a magazine is a most desirable quality. In the October number the interesting serial "A Diamond in the Rough" opens the feast and is followed by a well written and sensible article on tricycling for women, an exercise that cannot be too highly recommended. English women, who are ahead of us in all out-of-door sports, are famous tricyclists. They have clubs in almost every town and make extended pilgrimages over the country. An article on the fruit districts of Kent, England, is filled with interesting information and the Paris letter maintains its place as a standard on the important subject of dress. Music, poetry and pictures enliven the number, and "The Gatherer" gives a world of information about labor saving inventions.—Cassell & Company, $1.50 a year in advance.

The Magazine of American History for October will contain the fac-simile of an important autograph letter of General Grant (never before published), on the character of Alexander H. Stevens, Vice-President of the Confederacy.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 24, 1885.

GIRLS, AS YOU GO ALONG.

Come all you fair young housewives and
[illegible]
(It is an those lucky ones) who are from
[illegible] bondage free)
And now arrive [illegible] you in a simple
[illegible]
With [illegible] of—Girls, as
you go along.
[illegible]
Leave [illegible] be, girls,
as you go along.

You take a family [illegible] the
[illegible]
And [illegible] and mend, and
[illegible]
And [illegible] the kitchen table
[illegible]
Don't let them stay, clear them away, girls,
as you go along
[illegible] along.

Put each one back in its right place, girls,
as you go along.

And then you'll find how many a great loss
can be done
When [illegible] tired to death at
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And though [illegible] in spite of care,
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There will be [illegible] the way, girls,
as you go along
[illegible] along.

Then never leave your work behind, girls,
as you go along.

—*Margaret Eytinge, in Good Housekeeping.*

OUR DEAD PRESIDENTS.

How They Died and Where They Were Buried.

A Short Account of the Last Days and Hours of the Country's Chief Magistrates—The Remarkable Fortitude Exhibited by the Illustrious Sufferers.

General Washington, the first President, took cold during a fifteen hours' ride over his plantation on the 13th of December, 1799, during two last hours of which he was exposed to a severe storm of snow, hail and rain. The cold developed on the 14th, and he died of pneumonia on the 15th. A few minutes before his death he asked his Secretary to have his body kept three days before burial. The Secretary bowed. "Do you understand me?" the dying man asked. "Yes," was the reply. "'Tis well," Washington said. They were his last words. The body was placed on the 18th, a schooner being stationed off Alexandria to fire minute guns while the procession moved from the house to the vault. The troops, horse and foot, led the way; then came four of the clergy, then Washington's horse with his saddle, holsters, and pistols, led by two grooms in livery; then the body, borne by the Masonic order (of which he was member), and officers, followed by the family and several old friends and the corporation of Alexandria. At the vault Rev. Mr. Davis read the service and delivered a brief address, after which the body was deposited in the vault with Masonic ceremonies. Washington's remains were deposited in their present receptacle in Mount Vernon in 1837.

John Adams, the second President, died on July 4, 1826, the semi-centennial of American independence. Adams, as everyone possessed a remarkable activity of mind though his sight was so impaired that he could neither read nor write. By April, 1826, it was evident that he was failing, though his neighbors in Quincy, Mass., hoped fondly that he would be able to attend the local Fourth of July celebration. When, however, it became apparent that he could not attend in person a delegate was appointed to visit him and beg a last word for cheerful messages. On June 30 the delegate called on Mr. Adams and spent some few minutes with him in conversation, and took from him a toast to be presented on the Fourth of July as coming from him. "I will give you," said he, "Independence Forever." He was asked if he would not add anything to it, and he replied, "Not a word." At this time Mr. Adams experienced no suffering, but respiration became more and more difficult till on the morning of the 4th. He passed away calmly and without suffering at sunset. "Thomas Jefferson still survives," were the last words he uttered, so far as could be gathered from his faltering articulation. He was buried in the family vault in the cemetery, but upon the completion of the Unitarian Church of Quincy, just across the street, in 1828, the body was removed from the vault into the room beneath the church.

Thomas Jefferson, the third President, died only a few hours before John Adams. On the 3d of July he dozed hour after hour under the influence of opiates. Rousing occasionally, he fervently expressed a desire to live until the day he had assisted to consecrate fifty years before. At eleven o'clock at night he whispered to Mr. N. P. Trist, his grandchild's husband, who sat by the bed: "This is the Fourth?" Mr. Trist remained silent, being unable to say "Not yet." "This is the Fourth?" again whispered Jefferson, and when the watcher nodded, "Ah!" he sighed, and sunk into sleep with an expression of satisfaction upon his countenance. His watchers thought him dying, but he lingered until 12:40 in the afternoon, occasionally indicating a desire by words or looks. "I resign my soul to God and my daughter to my country" is a popular version of his last utterances. His remains lie in a little inclosure to the right of a road leading from Charlottesville, Va., to Monticello. An obelisk nine feet high marks the spot.

James Madison, the fourth President, and the last survivor of the signers of the United States Constitution, died on June 28, 1836. During his last illness, when the family and doctor were at dinner, his voice was heard feebly from the adjoining chamber: "Doctor, are you pushing about the bottles? Do your duty, doctor, or I must cashier you." He is buried at Montpelier, four miles from Orange Court House, Va. The grave is in the center of a large field, in a lot about one hundred feet square, surrounded by a brick wall. On the gate is a sign: "Madison, 1830."

James Monroe, the fifth President and the third to die on Independence Day, died July 4, 1831, in New York City, at the residence of his son-in-law, Samuel L. Governeur. His remains were deposited with public honors in the Marble Cemetery on Second Street, in New York, where they reposed until 1858, when they were removed under the escort of the Seventh Regiment, then commanded by Colonel Abram Duryea, to Hollywood Cemetery at Richmond, Va. The remains rest on a beautiful site overlooking the James River Falls above Richmond, in a vault of brick and granite.

John Quincy Adams, the sixth President, was found by death where he would have wished its approach—in the halls of Congress. On February 21, 1848, he ascended the steps of the Capitol with his accustomed alacrity, and took his place in the House. While petitions were being presented, suddenly there was a cry of "Mr. Adams!" and a rush of members toward his seat. He was rising with a number of petitions in his hand, when he was struck with paralysis and sank down, catching at his desk and falling into the arms of the member who sprang across the aisle to his assistance. He was carried into the rotunda, then into the Speaker's room. He attempted to speak, but his voice was a mere murmur, low and indistinct, though Mr. Ashmun, who was placing him on the sofa, heard him say: "This is the last of earth; I am content." He became insensible at once, and lingered, faintly breathing, till ten o'clock on the morning of the 23d, when he expired. Mr. Adams' body was removed on the car drawn by six white horses that had served for Harrison's funeral, and after lying in state in Faneuil Hall, Boston, was buried under the Unitarian church at Quincy, Mass., where his father, John Adams, was buried.

Andrew Jackson, the seventh President, died on Sunday, June 8, 1845, at the Hermitage, his famous home. For months he had been suffering from disease of the lungs, dropsy and diarrhœa. On the Friday previous to his death he gave directions concerning his funeral, and dictated a letter, his last, to the President, bidding him act promptly and resolutely in the affairs of Texas and Oregon. On the morning of his death, a brilliant, hot day, he bade farewell to his family, friends and servants, whom he addressed with calmness, strength, and even admiration on the subject of religion, concluding: "I hope and trust to meet you all in Heaven, both white and black," words he repeated again in the afternoon as the end was coming on. Hearing the servants on the piazza weeping, he spoke again: "What is the matter with my dear children? Have I alarmed you? O, do not cry. Be good children and we will meet in Heaven. At six he died, without a struggle or a pang. His funeral was attended by 3,000 people on the Tuesday following. He is buried at the Hermitage, on the Lebanon pike, eleven miles from Nashville, Tenn. A massive monument of Tennessee granite marks his grave.

Martin Van Buren, the eighth President, died at Kinderhook, Columbia County, N. Y., on July 24, 1862, of asthma, that developed into a painful catarrhal affection of the throat and lungs. One of his last distinct utterances was to his clergyman: "There is but one refuge." He is buried in the little village cemetery at Kinderhook, in the family lot. A granite shaft fifteen feet high marks his grave.

William Henry Harrison, the ninth President, died in Washington City, April 4, 1841. He rode on horseback to his inauguration and stood bareheaded and without an overcoat to deliver his inaugural, contracting pneumonia, which was aggravated by subsequent imprudences. His last words heard by Dr. Washington were: "Sir, I wish you to understand the true principles of the Government. I wish them carried out. I ask nothing more." A procession two miles in length escorted the body, which was conveyed on a funeral car drawn by six white horses, to its temporary resting place in the Congressional burying ground, where the Episcopal service was read by Mr. Hawley. His present resting place is at North Bend, Ohio, a few yards from the track of the Illinois Central Railroad, where it enters the tunnel. The grave is a simple mound, unfenced, on a little knoll, and is shaded by beeches and other trees. There is no monument and no inscription any where to tell the story of the departed hero of Tippecanoe.

John Tyler, the tenth President, was taken ill on Sunday, January 12, 1862, while at breakfast at the Ballard House, Richmond, Va., and died at midnight on the 17th. "Let me give you some stimulant," said the doctor. "I will not have it," replied the dying man; and closing his eyes he passed away. His body lay in state at the Capitol. He was a member of the Confederate Congress, and was interred at Hollywood Cemetery on the 21st, by Bishop Johns. His grave is a little mound covered with bushes, about ten yards from the grave of Monroe.

James K. Polk, the eleventh President, died at Nashville, Tenn., June 15, 1849, three months after his retirement from the Presidency. He had suffered from diarrhœa on the journey home, and a recurring attack proved fatal. On his death bed he received the rite of baptism at the hands of a Methodist clergyman. He is buried at the old family homestead at Nashville, Tenn. The monument is a block twelve feet square by twelve in height.

General Zachary Taylor, the twelfth President, attended the Fourth of July ceremonial in Washington City in 1850, when the dust from Kosciusko's tomb was deposited in the Washington monument, and endured for several hours the heat of the day, which he declared was worse than any he had experienced in Mexico or Florida. Going home, he insisted on eating freely of unripe cherries and drinking cold water and iced milk, despite the remonstrances of his servant. This brought on an attack of cholera morbus, followed by typhoid, of which he died on the 9th. An imposing procession accompanied his remains to the Congressional Cemetery. His remains have been removed three times, and now repose in a public spot at Frankfort, Ky.

Millard Fillmore, the thirteenth President, died at Buffalo, N. Y., N. Y., on March 8, 1874, and after lying in state at St. Paul's Cathedral, the remains were buried at Forest Lawn Cemetery, three miles from Buffalo. A tall monument bears the inscription: "Millard Fillmore. Born Jan. 7, 1800; died March 8, 1874."

Franklin Pierce, the fourteenth President, died on Friday, October 8, 1869, at the residence of Mr. Willard Williams, Concord, N. H., of dropsy and inflammation of the stomach. For the last three days of his life he was nearly unconscious, and died without pain. His body lay in state at Doric Hall and was buried in the Minot Cemetery, on Main Street, on the 11th. The Pierce lot is at the northwest corner of the old cemetery, and contains about an acre of ground. It is surmounted by a neat iron fence six feet high. The monument is of Italian marble, surmounted by a draped cross, and its total height is fourteen feet eight inches.

James Buchanan, the fifteenth President, died at Wheatland, near Lancaster, Pa., on June 1, 1868, after an illness of one month. On the night before his death he gave detailed directions for his funeral and the erection of his monument, dictating the inscription, a blank to be left for the date of death, "which cannot be distant," he said. His last authentic words, as he sank into the sleep in which he died, were: "O, Lord God Almighty, as Thou wilt." His funeral took place on the 4th, the exercises being conducted by Dr. Nevin, President of Franklin and Marshall College, an immense concourse being present. He is buried at Woodward Hill cemetery, Lancaster, on the banks of the Conestoga. The lot is enclosed by a neat iron fence. All around the fence is a hedge of blooming roses, and rose bushes are planted in the enclosure. A fine sarcophagus of Italian marble marks the grave.

Abraham Lincoln, the sixteenth President, died by the hand of John Wilkes Booth, in Washington, April 15, 1865. Nine of the persons supposed to be implicated suffered condign punishment. The funeral honors paid to the deceased Chief Magistrate, were of the most elaborate character. His remains are buried at Oak Ridge Cemetery, Springfield, Ill. A fine pile of marble, granite and bronze marks the spot. It bears the single word, "Lincoln."

Andrew Johnson, the seventeenth President, died suddenly at Greenville, Tenn., on Saturday, July 31, 1875, and was buried with Masonic ceremonies on the 3d of August. His grave is at Greenville, Tenn., on a spot selected by himself. The monument is of marble, upon a base of granite, nine and a half by seven feet. The tomb was erected by the President's three surviving sons.

James A. Garfield, the twentieth President, was assassinated in the Baltimore and Potomac railroad depot in Washington city, on July 2, 1881, by Charles Guiteau, and died of his wound September 19, at Elberon, near Long Branch, N. J. Funeral services took place in Washington on Friday, September 23, and the remains were then transferred to Cleveland, Ohio, where they were entombed September 26. A handsome mausoleum for their reception is now in course of erection at Cleveland.

General Grant, the eighteenth President, died at Mt. McGregor, N. Y., July 23, 1885. The details of the death and magnificent funeral of the great soldier are still fresh in the minds of all.—*Baltimore Sun.*

CHINESE EXPORT TRADE.

How It is Controlled by Mongolian Merchants!

The export trade of the Pacific coast with China, which a few years ago was controlled by white merchants, is now practically in the hands of the Chinese, whose facilities have increased with their growing knowledge of trade in this country. White men who now figure in our commercial relations with the Flowery Kingdom are in many cases acting only as agents of Chinese firms or individuals. The manifests of all the shipments from this port to China for the quarter ended June 30, 1885, furnish a fair picture of the present condition of the export trade. The total merchandise shipments to China by white houses for the quarter appear to have been $281,273.49. This includes all shipments from the east, as embraced in the exports, nominally, by the two China steamship lines or their agents, which together exported merchandise valued at $163,901.57. The great part, in fact, nearly all of the shipments nominally by the steamship lines are outside of Californian production, the bulk being sheetings, ginseng, and arms and ammunition. The remainder of the $281,273.49, or $117,371.92, must be reduced by deducting shipments by white persons who nominally ship for themselves, but who are known to other shippers as agents for Chinese, to the amount of $43,357.81. This leaves the statement for merchandise exports for the quarter named as follows: Direct by Chinese: $541,915.74; by white agents of Chinese, $43,357.81; total, $585,273.57. The merchandise exports by whites are as follows: By transportation companies, $163,901.57; by local business houses, $74,014.11; total: $237,915.68. This shows the Chinese to have had control of about three-fourths of the business for the quarter. During the quarter Chinese business houses sent out of the country treasure amounting to $913,-[illegible] to Hong Kong. The banks of California, Anglo-Californian Bank, and Hong Kong and Shanghai banking corporation also sent to Hong Kong over $2,000,000. The largest item of export is flour, and the flour trade between this port and China is generally known to be controlled by the Chinese. Some authorities state that ninety per cent. of the export trade hence to Chinese ports is controlled by the Chinese merchants. This condition of affairs tends to show that the local trade of Chinatown is only a small part of the Chinese question, and the ease with which the Chinese absorb business has made them masters of the situation, so far as the export trade with their country is concerned.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—It sometimes happens that a man ransacks the whole house for a pin, and unable to find one drops into a chair in disgust, and is immediately and unexpectedly rewarded for his search.—*N. Y. Independent.*

PARTINGTON AT HOME.

B. P. Shillaber, the Aged Humorist, as He is Seen at Chelsea, Mass.

"I never call a man old until he gets to be an octagon or a centurion," said B. P. Shillaber (Mrs. Partington) to a friend who was congratulating him upon having that day reached the good age of seventy.

"Unless it should be foreordained beforehand in advance," playfully rejoined his friend, "that he should survive his faculties and become idiomatic before that time."

The genial humorist was seated in his favorite room, which in these later years has contained him for months at a time. But few of his many callers would dream of this fact. The ever hearty welcome which they receive and the absence of any personal complaining certainly do not hint of the severe pain which is a frequent visitor. Only the crutch in the corner suggests it. There looked out from the painting on the wall the roguish face of Ike, "the prodigal of virtue," the very same Ike who caused Mrs. Partington to wonder why he "didn't get a medal, for certainly a more meddlesome boy she never knew," although, at the same time, she dared to hope that with judicial training he might yet become a useful membrane of society." On the shelf below the painting was Sidney Morse's fine statuette of the humorist. The writing-desk, which had done him faithful service for fully twenty-five years, stood opposite.

Over the writing-desk, on a bookshelf, were what he called his three essentials—a large Polyglot Bible, which had an interesting family history, a Shakspeare and a Webster's Dictionary. There was a twinkle in his eye when he remarked that through these he showed his loyalty to the "angular Saxons." Upon being asked where his own books were, he naively replied that he "kept them in another room out of sight." Speaking of these, it is pleasant to know that the first copy of each one of them he inscribed to the one who for forty-five years was a true and loving helpmeet, whom death claimed some two years since, leaving him alone but for the bright, helpful presence of an unmarried daughter, who has now the sole charge of his house, and is a daily elixir which any man might envy.

Unfortunately, Mr. Shillaber is not as "rich as Creosote" and never has been. He has longed "to have a villa in the country and become an amatory farmer under the canister of heaven." But he has surely illustrated, in his life and in his works, a quality of mind which not even Crœsus' money could buy, that "it is better to speak paregorically of a person than to be all the time flinging epitaphs at him."

In the confinement which is now more or less his he is ever interested in the outside world. His interest in politics is as fresh as when he was a young man, before he "inherited the gout from his wife's ancestors." He is rooted and grounded in the principle of a true Democracy. The Boston *Post*, which first introduced him as Mrs. Partington, is still a welcome daily visitor. But in talking with him on political matters no one can help thinking of poor Paul, the corporal of the Bloody 7th, "who was inclined to politics, but wasn't a propergander nor an oily arch st, nor an averitionist, nor a demigod; all he wanted was an exercise of of his sufferings and the use of his elective French eyes."

Mr. Shillaber's interest in his friends is frequently shown in the apt impromptus which unexpectedly greet them. As an instance, with a copy of Browning's "Agamemnon and Dramatic Idyls," which, one Christmas time, he sent as a present, he wrote on the fly-leaf:

"A Merry Christmas, I send with this,
Though it seems absurd to crowning
To wish for each nutory bliss
Over the works of Browning.

The many rhymes of his, which have added pleasure to festive occasions, are growing fewer and fewer, and in his home in Chelsea his thoughts turn oftener than formerly to the unknown country. As he says himself, he is now living on borrowed time.—*Chelsea (Mass.) Cor. Philadelphia Press.*

THE AIR.

Whether It Be Colorless Depending Upon Environment.

The Challenger has dredged from the bottom of the ocean fishes which live habitually at great depths, and whose enormous eyes tell of the correspondingly faint light which must have descended to them through the seemingly transparent water. It will not be as futile a speculation as may at first seem, to put ourselves in imagination in the condition of creatures under the sea, and ask what the sun may appear to be to them: for, if the fish who had never risen above the ocean-floor were an intelligent being, might he not plausibly reason that the dim greenish light of his heaven, which is all he has ever known—was the full splendor of the sun shining through a medium which all his experience shows is transparent?

We ourselves are, in very fact, living at the floor of a great aerial sea, whose billows roll hundreds of miles above our heads. Is it not at any rate conceivable that we may have been led into a like fallacy from judging only by what we see at the bottom? May we not, that is, have been led into the fallacy of assuming that the intervening medium above us is colorless because the light which comes through it is so?

I freely admit that all men, educated or ignorant, appear to have the evidence of their senses that the air is colorless, and that pure sunlight is white, so that if I venture to ask you to listen to considerations which have lately been brought forward to show that it is the sun which is blue, and the air really acts like an orange veil or like a sieve which picks out the blue and leaves the white, I do so in the confidence that I may appeal to you on other grounds than those I could submit to the primitive man who has his senses alone to trust to: for the educated intelligence possesses those senses equally, and in addition the ability to interpret them by the light of reason, and before this audience it is to that interpretation that I address myself.—*S. P. Langley, in Popular Science Monthly.*

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ESTATE OF CHARLES J. BREWER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Hattie H. Brewer, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Albert L. Brewer or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BENOS, Probate Register. 3w26

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Peter S. Waldron, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Peter S. Waldron, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of F. B. Wood, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 6th day of October, 1885, and on the 3d day of February, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of August, 1885, are allowed by the said court to the creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

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FREDERICK B. WOOD,
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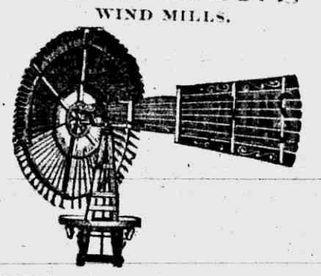

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"Why is that?"

"Well, it is this way: The scale of weights in this country is very light as compared with that in England, and so it is always the case that by the time a jockey becomes a man in years he has grown to such a size that his natural bodily weight is far above that which the racing rules prescribe shall be carried in all the more important events for 2 and 3 year old runners. Of course this scale of weights must be adhered to, and it is for this reason that every jockey is weighed before each race begins in order that none of them may be either over or under the weight which the rules fix for that particular event. In winter, for instance, my weight is about 135 pounds, yet during the racing season I must be prepared to ride at a moment's notice any race where but 110 pounds is allowed to be carried. This means that I have got to take off by artificial means about fifteen pounds of surplus flesh; and you can have no idea of how hard it is to do that, and then to keep my weight down to the proper figure.

"How is this accomplished?"

"By sweating. In spite of all the care which can be taken as to what is eaten a jockey finds that he is constantly getting four or five pounds heavier than he should be, and this means that each morning of the day he is to ride a race he must get up early, put on a number of sweaters, and over these place heavy clothes. Then comes a stiff walk of four or five miles, the pace being fast enough so that perspiration will be freely induced; and by dint of hard walking and eating little or nothing during the fore part of the day he finds that by afternoon he is down to the proper weight and can ride. Of course this sort of life weakens a man. If it were only done for a week or so it would not make so much difference but where one has to keep constantly reducing his flesh by artificial means from the 1st of May until the 1st of October it is a tremendous strain on the mental and nervous system as well as the physical. There is a constant feeling of weakness and sickness which never leaves one except during sleep."

"What does a jockey eat during the racing season?"

"Well, I don't know how other men manage, but I find that fruit is about the only thing I can eat without causing my weight to run up beyond proper limits. Of course there is not much strength in that sort of diet, and I have to supplement it with meat once in a while, but even then I can only have a small piece of very rare steak, and this with a little toast is quite a feast for a jockey who is in active training."

"So you are hungry a good deal of the time?"

"Yes," said Murphy, with a curious smile as he looked up into the face of his questioner, the high cheek bones with the skin drawn tightly over them telling their own story of self-imposed starvation. "We don't know what it is to feel that we have eaten enough from the day the racing season begins until it is over. And then the work is hard and of a kind which makes a man want nourishing food. You get on the back of a big, active thoroughbred race-horse that is full of life and ambition, and sometimes is vicious besides, and you are expected to control him and ride him in such a manner that his best speed will be obtained for a long distance, and all the time you are actually weak for want of food."—*Chicago Tribune.*

A Rich Islander.

The business of this little cluster of islands which lie in the Pacific Ocean just off the southwest coast of Patagonia is sheep-raising and selling, and is nearly all in the hands of one man, Mr. Kerr by name, who is the Governor. He went there many years ago a poor man, and is now worth more than $5,000,000. There are no bushes or trees of any kind on the islands, and the entire surface is covered with a bed of peat many feet thick and of good quality. There is sufficient fuel to supply the world for an indefinite length of time. Covering the peat is a thick growth of short, but very nutritious, grass, upon which the sheep thrive wonderfully well. The number of sheep on the islands is about 400,000. These islands are very high, the hills rising many hundreds of feet, and are covered with points of sharp rocks that sometimes rise 200 or 300 feet above the surface of the peat. It rains nearly every day in the year, and as the peat is water soaked the water stands in pools everywhere. It seems to be unable to run down the hills, and the hill-tops are nearly as wet as the valleys.—*Cor. N. Y. Herald.*

—"The case of William Brennan is a remarkable one," says the New Haven *Register*. "For the past five years he has been totally blind. He was a peddler of notions, and he and the little boy that led him from door to door were familiar figures on our streets. Last Thursday, while walking in the strong sunlight, his vision suddenly returned in a measure to him. He could see. The world that had been so long shut out from his gaze is his again to look upon. His eyes, which were for so many years of no use to him, are now believed to be rapidly becoming strong again."

—A woman always shades her eyes by turning her hand over—the palm upward—so that the back will not sunburn. During the civil war a woman in the army, in male attire, was discovered by this gesture.—*Boston Journal.*

SCHOOLMASTERS.

How They Enjoyed Their Positions in the Olden Time.

Schoolmasters have always had a reputation for severity, and have excelled in the use of the cane. In fact, flogging seems to have formed a part of the system of training in force at public schools. The great reformer, Erasmus, remarks Archdeacon Farrar, has left us a painfully graphic account of how he saw a poor boy at St. Paul's cruelly beaten by a grave and reverend divine for no fault whatever, but merely to show him the discipline of English boys. And so for centuries the bad custom of cruel education continued. It was for the purpose of securing milder treatment of children at school that Roger Asham wrote his celebrated work on "The Schoolmaster," but it does not seem to have effected any reform, for beating was thought the best way of reducing a boy into proper form or shape. At the end of the eighteenth century Southey was expelled from Westminster school because he had boldly denounced the system of flogging, contending that it proceeded from the devil. Even more brutality was exhibited at St. Paul's school during the present century. Sergeant Ballatine was a day scholar at this school, and he has written a graphic account of his masters, who were all tyrants—cruel, cold-blooded, unsympathetic tyrants. "Armed with a cane," he says, "and surrounded by a halo of terror, they sat at their respective desks. Under Durham the smaller boys trembled. Edwards took the next in age. Each flogged continuously. The former, a somewhat obese personage, with a face as if cut out of a suet pudding, was solemn in the performance of this, his favorite occupation. Rev. Mr. Edwards, on the contrary, though a cadaverous-looking object, was quite funny over the tortures he inflicted. * * * One of the favorite modes of inflicting pain adopted by these tyrants was, when the boys came in on a winter's morning, shivering and gloveless, to strike them violently with the cane over the tips of the fingers. I nearly learned at that school the passion of hatred, and should probably have done so but that my mind was too fully occupied by terror. Bean was a short, podgy, pompous man, with insignificant features. His mode of correction was different in form, and I can see him now, with flushed, angry face, lashing some little culprit over back and shoulders until his own arm gave way under the exertion. Among the amusements of this gentleman, one was to throw a book—generally 'Entick's Dictionary,' if I remember rightly—at the head of any boy who indulged in a yawn, and if he succeeded in his aim and produced a reasonable contusion he was in good humor for the rest of the day. I have met them all three since my school days, and found them shallow and ignorant, no doubt with plenty of Greek and Latin in their heads, but without knowledge of human nature or power of appreciating the different dispositions of their pupils.—*All the Year Round.*

FISHING AT SAN BLAS.

Some of the Queer Tricks Employed by the Natives.

San Blas is a seaside city on the Pacific coast of the Mexican State Jalisco. The old town of San Blas is three-quarters of a mile from the new site, and is situated on the summit of an isolated rock about two hundred feet high. This rock, rising out of marshes, is inaccessible on three sides. The northern side has been cut away, and a winding path leads to the top. This road is closely lined with a dense forest of cocoa, banana, plantain and other tropical trees, together with a thick undergrowth of flowering plants and vines, closely netted. The bold, rocky mass presents a picturesque appearance. The summit is only about five hundred yards square, and was formerly occupied by the town, but owing to the unhealthiness of the location it has been deserted, and the business of the town is now transacted at the playa or beach, where the landing is.

The whitefish caught on that coast are delicious, as are also the bagres. The natives do not use hooks, seines, or nets in their fishing. The process of capturing the fish is thus described by United States Consul Lambert:

"The novel method of catching fish in this vicinity may not be instructive, but it will doubtless prove interesting. There is a small shrub growing wild here called 'varbasco.' The native fishermen procure the fibrous root of this shrub, and after mangling it well place it in the bottoms of their canoes. At high tide they proceed to the mouths of the esteros and drive down a wicker fence. They then partly fill their canoes with water, which produces an intensely white liquid from contact with the root. Arriving at the source of the estero, or some shoal place beyond which the fish are not likely to go, they throw this preparation broadcast into the water, which also turns white. The effect is that the fish become blinded, and in a very short time, upon the return of the boat, they are found floating on the surface of the water at the fence erected at the mouth of the estero. The larger ones are then gathered into the boat and taken to market.

"Another method, more fatal, but performed less frequently, is in the use of the milk of the 'ava' tree. This tree yields, when tapped, a white liquid very much resembling the juice of the India-rubber tree. It is used similiary to the varbasco, and blinds as well as kills the fish instantly. Fish killed by the 'leche de ava' have to be used immediately. In neither case is there any visible sign of how they were killed.

"There is a law in existence against the use of poisons in procuring fish for market, but it is practically inoperative and void, for the reason that there is no defined method for determining the death of fishes by those liquids; and, besides, the natives who bring them take good care that each fish shows a spear hold in his back before arrival.

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All leading houses in Cincinnati report an excellent fall trade. Railroad investments that have in them any intrinsic value are being sought for by investors, and the market therefore shows a healthy tone.

All these facts go to show that we are surely recovering from the trade depressions in which the beginning of this year found the whole country involved.

It is time for men to speak cheerfully one to another, and congratulate each other that better days have come.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A WORD FOR HOPE COLLEGE

MR. EDITOR:—As this is the time of year when parents are deciding where to send their sons and daughters to pursue the higher branches of learning, I thought it might not be out of place to call the attention of your readers to Hope College, at Holland, in this State.

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CHAS. S. DUTTON.

South Macon, Sep. 17, 1885.

The HERALD force return thanks to Cyrus Mead for half a bushel of his delicious snow apples. They were prime.

IN DEFENSE OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

EDITOR HERALD:

In your last issue I notice the following clipping and editorial comment.

"During the past year about $2,000,000 have been contributed by the English people for the benefit of the heathen and sent to foreign lands. If the revelations of the Pall Mall Gazette are to be believed, a large sum of money might be well spent in missionary work at home.—Exchange."

Yes, that is about the way things work everywhere. Churches make strenuous efforts to raise large sums of money for the benefit of distant heathen, and people who contribute to this way, salve their consciences, in this way, when a small sum of money judiciously spent would alleviate distress and suppressing vice, at home, would do a vastly greater amount of good. The old adage that charity begins at home is always true and everywhere applicable.

Allow me to suggest that this is misleading. It intimates that that portion of Christian people who are sufficiently interested in world evangelization to contribute of their money to forward it, are utterly careless of the moral and material welfare of the communities in which they live. It also intimates that contributors to the cause of Foreign Missions make that act an offset against their indifference for the cause of righteousness at home, in a word to quiet their justly remonstrating consciences. If these intimations are true, it follows that Foreign Mission contributors are both narrow in their views of life, and hypocritical in the extreme, that they connive at social and other sins for silence and inactivity in such cases are contrivance, and that they are so hard hearted that the presence of sin and suffering does not effect them.

Now Mr. Editor, are these the characteristics of the advocates of, and contributors to, the cause of Foreign Missions whom you chance to know?

So far as my acquaintance with them would indicate, they are quite the contrary. Their sympathies are as broad as the world. They are the foremost in every reform. Upon no hearts does the cause of God and humanity at home rest so heavily as upon theirs. Should you wish money or service for the alleviation of the sick, for the advancement of the Temperance Reform, or for the support of charitable or religious institutions in your own community, you would approach the Foreign Mission worker with perfect confidence, knowing inability alone would prompt him to refuse your solicitation. Now Mr. Editor, Is it not a general fact that people who object to the work of World Evangelization in the spirit and insinuation of your editorial, are the very people who object to almost every benevolent cause that appeals to them for material assistance? In other words, is there any good reason for believing that the "Exchange" which sneers at English zeal for "the heathen" has done or is doing anything of importance "in missionary work at home?" In short is not "Exchange" croaking?

CULL.

Tecumseh, Sept. 21, 1885.

The City Collective Exhibits.

One of the principal features of the American Exposition, at New Orleans, will be the city collective exhibits. This plan met with instant approval, and assurances have been received that the display will reflect great credit upon the enterprising cities of the United States. Appreciating the importance of the Exposition and the value of representation where the cities of the country are expected, Chicago has already secured 40,000 square feet of space in the territory, in the Main building, devoted to the collective city exhibition. The City of New Orleans applied for 40,000, but has been persuaded to accept 25,000 feet. The famous city of Pullman has 15,000 feet of space. Indications point to immense displays from the large cities of the East and West. The live cities of the South are exerting themselves to make magnificent displays, they being fully awake to the splendid opportunity for a practical presentation of their commercial advantages to the world.

With steam transportation to the grounds over a double track, steel railway; with a magnificent carriage drive, and with five lines of street railway, as well as river transportation, the large crowds attracted to New Orleans by the various vital interests presented, will be furnished unrivalled facilities for comfort in visiting the American Exposition.

The Popular Science Monthly for October, 1885.

An article of curious interest, and very instructive withal, on comets, by President A. D. White, leads in the October "Popular Science Monthly." It is a history of the strange beliefs and speculations that have been entertained in different ages respecting the nature and import of comets, and the history constitutes a most striking chapter in the warfare of science with ignorance and superstition. The paper shows immense research. The second article is entitled "The White Ant: A Theory," and is by that lucid thinker and happy writer Professor Henry Drummond, author of "Natural Law in the Spiritual World." The paper is long, beautifully illustrated, charmingly written, and full of new information concerning an extraordinary creature, and especially the wonderful part it plays in the economy of Nature. "The Early Study of Plants," by Miss Eliza A. Youmans, is an extremely valuable contribution to the science of primary education. There are a likeness and biographical sketch of Professor H. A. Newton, and an editorial discussion of "Official Science at Washington." The minor departments are full and varied as usual. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

There were 700 visitors at Jackson state prison last month.

Muskegon good templars expect to have a $1,000 hall ready for business by Oct. 1st.

Alma claims 225 more inhabitants than at last census or a present population of 1,170.

Plainwell has a new elevator, and a Mr. Gilson their new warehouse is in process of construction.

Marshall's fire fighters will remove to Battle Creek if it has but $2,000 shown subscribed to pay for a good location.

D. W. Clark, of Detroit, D. M. & M. agent, has been promoted to the general passenger and ticket agency.

Coldwater likely is going to a joint debate, Calvary in the vicinity of Chicago and lately cases have proved infectious.

Shelby has now a large steam cider mill and the making of apple butter and jelly will be one of her important industries.

Clare expects to be the proud possessor of a new stave and heading factory soon. It will give 40 men employment.

The Luther chemical works have shipped a carload of acetate of lime to New York, from where it will be shipped to England.

Greenville's barrel hoopers want another cent per barrel so badly that they are on strike, their employers refusing the advance.

The Granville Wood & Son pipe organ company, of Northville, are building a $2,000 organ for the Presbyterian church at Marion, Ohio.

Mr. Trombley, of Bay City, has ripe strawberries in his garden. The plants were imported from France, and will bear, Mr. T. says, until winter.

Now St. Ignace is excited. A vein of hematite ore was struck at a depth of 15 feet by men engaged in digging a well and of course there's millions in it.

Corn around Charlotte is the best it has been for years; potatoes are generally small and few in a hill; buckwheat is looking well, but backward in growth.

There are several packs of wolves operating near Republic, in the upper peninsula, and as there is an $8 bounty for wolf scalps, some of the braves up there will try to kill 'em.

T. V. Canright has commenced suit against the city of Coldwater for $5000 damages, caused by Canright's being thrown from his buggy, which ran against a stump in the street.

J. N. Becker, of Oakfield, Kent Co., wintered 100 colonies of bees last winter, losing but five. He kept 80 colonies, and from them received 4,000 lbs. of honey and 50 young colonies.

There were 41 delegates, representing 10 states, at the fourth annual session of the sons of veterans at Grand Rapids. An increase of 2,000 members over last year is reported.

The Smith Purifier Co., of Jackson received 75 orders from different parts of the United States for their machines Saturday. A few days ago they received 30 orders from England and 44 from Australia.

Miss Adelaide Richardson, a graduate of Ann Arbor medical college and teacher of physics at Mt. Holyoke Mass Seminary punctured an artery in her neck Thursday with a lancet, dying instantly. She was 47 years old.

The community of Hebrews at Traverse City has become so large and important that there is talk of establishing a synagogue, and their friends of other religions there will help them to do it, as a matter of public enterprise.

A large colony of Hollanders are soon to arrive in this country and settle an extensive tract of land in Woodville, Newaygo county, which two Holland clergymen are about to buy for them of the West Michigan lumber company.

The Michigan Universalist convention will be held at Lansing four days of this week, beginning Tuesday evening: opening sermon by Rev. Dr. Rexford, of Detroit; closing sermon, Friday evening, by Rev. L. H. Squires, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

James Hennessey, agent of the Grand Rapids society for the prevention of cruelty to animals, had John Paul, jr., arrested on the 4th inst. for such cruelty, and the case dragged along until Saturday, when Paul was acquitted. He now brings suit for $2,000 damages to his reputation.

A burglar got into John Wiseman's house, at Marshal, early Saturday morning, and from his clothing took Mr. W.'s gold watch and chain and 71 cents in cash. Wiseman awoke and the burglar ran, losing the watch in his haste and missing his pursuer in the two shots he fired. Poor job.

The state fair receipts at Kalamazoo this week were $12,278.65, and the number of visitors is estimated to have been 54,000. The fair was a success as a show, but such a failure financially that the society will scarcely be able to pay the premiums. So many good fairs about the state nowadays, that such a result is not surprising.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Sept. 21, 1885.

Regular session. Present the entire council except Messrs. Bills and Marsden.

Minutes of preceeding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sextons report for month of August showing interment of four adults and one infant, presented and on motion accepted and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The secretary of the fire department reported the election of the following officers for year ending July 1st, 1886.

President—Charles T. Cummins.
Vice Pres.—George A. Kies.
Secretary—S. W. Anderson.
Treasurer—F. Boscerans.
Chief—S. W. Bordine.
1st. Asst.—B. P. Anderson.
2d " —S. P. Hosmer.
Engineer—H. K. Stout.
Asst. " —T. D. McKinney, Chas. T. Cummins.

On motion said officers were duly confirmed by the Council.

Liquor Bond of Theodore J. Frank and Benj. S. Lehr was presented and on motion duly approved and determined sufficient.

The following bills were presented and on motion referred to finance committee:

Temple, McClure & Co., bill rendered	$70 96
Whitehack, Bordine & Co., bill rend'd. Cem.	8 25
" " " "	86 27
Baker & Hall " "	6 15
Tecumseh Lumber Co. " "	22 16
C. A. Slayton " "	54 87
Dell Page, labor	2 50
A. Packard, labor	1 25

Also for improvement at Council Build'g:

Temple, McClure & Co., bill rendered	$425 19
Whitehack, Bordine & Co., " "	159 15
C. A. Slayton " "	57 05
Baker & Hall " "	35 64
Tecumseh Lumber Co., " "	17 36

And for labor at same place already paid from time to time, and part in poll taxes: Jas. Cook, $146 15; Joseph Cockran, $55 13; Wm. Jordan, $120; Wm. Brown, $65; P. Pattison, $36; Ed. Hand, $18; Fred Pennock, $6 87; A. Packard, $44 06; Dell Page, $20 37; Frank Wood, $8 75; Jno Orr, $1 50; W. Owens, $.9 50; W. H. Ames, $4 37; Alonzo Turner, $1 25; W. Cook, $3 12; C. Brownson, $1 50; Jas. Potter, $8; E. W. Humphrey, $1 50. Total labor, $556 37.

On motion the sum of thirty dollars was appropriated for furnishing the Hose company rooms, fifteen dollars to each.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Finance committee reported favorably upon the following claims:

Baker & Hall, $6,15; C. A. Slayton, $54,87; Tecumseh Lumber Co., $22,16; Dell Page, $2.50; A. Packard, $1,25. And claims against Council Building: Tecumseh Lumber Co., $17,36; Baker & Hall, $35,64; C. A. Slayton, 57,03; and labor claims as above referred.

On motion the report was accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts, except the claims for labor on Council Building already paid and the payment of which by the committee is duly ratified and confirmed.

On motion the Council adjourned.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

—LOW RATES.—See here young man, what an opportunity of securing a Business Education. A complete course in Book keeping, Penmanship, Commercial Law, Business Arithmetic and Correspondence, Political Economy, only $25. A course in Short hand, Type-writing and Telegraphy three months only $15. Send and get a catalogue and specimen of penmanship, Brown's Business University, Adrian, Mich. Finest rooms in the state.

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Of Fine and Medium
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Few Thousand Dollars in Cash Immediately.

I would kindly inform those that have unsettled accounts on my books I would like a settlement at once. I can't chase after you, but will send statement through the mail.

My Undertaking Department is Complete
And prices Very Reasonable.

WM. McCOWEN.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

FOR SALE.—One family pony horse. Enquire of E. V. De Puy or at his house.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—50,000 Wilson's Early now ready for the fall cutting. $2.00 per thousand.
ABNER WILSON.

FOUND.—A woman's rubber cloak in the village, near my farm in Raisin. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.
Raisin, Sept. 21, '85. JOSHUA TAYLOR.

NEW CUR SEED WHEAT.—300 bu. of the above variety for sale. This wheat is a cross between white chaff variety. Very hardy, early ripener, stiff straw, strong, medium length, fine grain. Yielded for me on corn ground the present year 36 bu., machine measure, and weighed 64 lbs. per bu. Price $1.25 per bu. Samples may be seen at Anderson's grocery store or left at Bros. mill. Test 64½ lbs. per bu.
F. D. STRONG, Tecumseh, Mich.

SPECIAL TRIAL TRIP OFFER.

We offer the Tecumseh HERALD and the Detroit Weekly Free Press to new subscribers on a trial trip of four months, at the nominal sum of fifty cents for both papers. No such offer has ever been made by this paper before and likely never will be again. This offer will be withdrawn on Saturday, Oct. 3rd, 1885. Pass in your half dollars at once.

Miss May Temple will attend Albion college during the coming winter. She started for Albion last Monday.

Will Chiverall started for Jackson last Saturday where he has a job in the foundry of the Smith Purifier Co's works.

The store belonging to I. P. Keyser is being fitted up for a saloon. This will make only seven "budge" dispensaries in Tecumseh.

Chas. Gibson, a worthy young man, living two miles from Deerfield, had an eye removed Saturday as the result of an accident the day before. While plowing he stopped to eat a melon, and laid a blasting cap on his plow beam. As he went to pick up the cap again, an axe in his arms slipped, struck the cap and exploded it, a piece entering his eye.

It will be well for the cities of Michigan to pay more particular attention to the condition of their sidewalks. A law goes into effect at the close of to-day making the corporations liable to damage resulting from defective sidewalks. The business of building and repairing sidewalks should be brisk in this city for some time to come, or else suits against the city are likely to be plenty.—Adrian Times.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.
Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST.			Central Time.	GOING EAST.		
No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	STATIONS.	No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
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	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
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7 49		3 10	Richland	12 15		6 29
7 58		3 28	Doster	11 58		6 12
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Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

TRAIN CONNECTIONS.

At Toledo—With all Railroads diverging. At Dundee—With T., A. A. & N. M. At Britton—Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific.

Standard Time or Solar Time.

The Standard time so called in Michigan is the time by which railroads here are run between Buffalo and Chicago. It was got up entirely and solely for railroad use, and is valuable only for that purpose. When used or attempted to be used as a statute time across the whole state of Michigan for all other business, it becomes an absurdity and a folly. What could be the sense of the people of Michigan getting up in the morning or going to bed at night, or taking their meals, &c., by a time which would be natural only for a longitude west of Chicago. There are variations enough in solar time in all parts of Michigan. We have to keep our clocks and watches by mean or average solar time. There are only 4 days in a year when the sun is due south at 12 noon; that is April 15, June 15, Aug. 28, and Dec. 25. From Dec. 25 to April 15, the sun is slow; from April 15 to June 15, the sun is fast; from June 15 to about Aug. 28, the sun is slow; from that time to Dec. 25, the sun is fast. About Feb. 10, the sun is slow about 14 minutes; about May 1, the sun is fast about 4 minutes; about Nov. 1, the sun is slow about 16 minutes. The sun does not travel in a circle, but in an elipse having two foci of unequal distances from its center.
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THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT., 24, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Beautiful weather for the County fair this week.

Miss Grace Willett spent last Saturday with friends in Adrian.

Geo. Field spent last Sunday with relatives at Perrysburg, Ohio.

Work on the new Court House is rapidly approaching completion.

The state law adopting standard time went into effect last Saturday.

The Tecumseh Cornet Band is improving greatly under the leadership of L. F. Wheeler.

The next examination of teachers in this county will be held next Saturday, Sept. 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crosby and daughter, of Chilsonburg, Ont., are visiting at Robert Crosby's.

The repairs on the Baptist church are nearly completed. The ladies are putting down the carpet this week.

J. J. Daly has returned from Chicago, with an immense stock of boots and shoes. Now look out for bargains.

While Alva Parker was moving his goods to Britton last week, he accidentally fell off the load and broke his arm.

Rev. Mr. Getchell has gone to Lansing to attend the Universalist State Convention which is in session there this week.

Rev. G. D. Perry, of this village, preached at I. S. Osborn's prairie farm last Sunday. Services were held in the new barn.

Will McCowen has left town for Ohio, where he will remain a few days and then proceed to Wisconsin his permanent home.

A Donation Social for the benefit of Rev. J. Phelps, will be held at the Rectory this evening, Thursday. The public are cordially invited.

Ed. Hollister returned Tuesday evening from Cincinnati, Ohio, where he has been attending the carnival of the "Order of Cincinnatus" held there last week.

The wicked young men of Holloway go hunting on Sunday; and the worst feature of it is that they bang away so near the church during divine services, as to seriously disturb the slumbers of the parishoners.

Fred H. Gray, an old Tecumseh boy, but now of Milwaukee, Wis., was in town last Saturday. Fred is now a member of the printing fraternity and is "holding cases" in the office of the Evening Wisconsin of that city.

Mrs. Judge Stacy gave a tea party last Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Bacon, of Toledo, and a few of their Tecumseh acquaintances. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by the participants.

The 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Wimple's wedded life occured last Saturday and a pleasant little company of relatives and friends gathered at their residence in the evening to help celebrate the event.

The state fair last week at Kalamazoo was one of the finest exhibitions ever held in the state, but the attendance was small, and the receipts will be insufficient to pay the premiums offered. It leaves the Society in rather an embarrassed situation.

The threatened duel between the editor of the Adrian Record and the editor of the HERALD, has given rise to many comments from our neighborhood exchanges. Don't get excited, gentlemen. That event is certain to take place at some time in the misty future. We shall see to it that every editor in the second congressional district has a free pass to the show.

When the Detroit conference appointments were published last week Adrian was left among other places "to be supplied." The vacancy has been filled by the transfer from the Ohio M. E. conference to Adrian of Rev. W. W. Case, a gentleman highly indorsed. Rev. Mr. Wilson, the retiring pastor, preached his farewell sermon at Adrian Sunday, and now goes to the East Ohio conference.

The entertainment given by L. F. Wheeler at the opera house last Thursday evening proved to be very interesting and merited a much larger audience. A large number of excellent views in Russia and Spain were presented beside some beautiful pieces of statuary, mostly from Lewis' art gallery in Coldwater. Mr. Wheeler contemplates going on the road this winter with his views, and here's hoping that he may meet with the success that he certainly deserves.

Tuesday, Sept. 22d, was the birthday of Mrs. Robt. Crosby and Mrs. Wm. Bresie and a goodly number of friends met at the residence of the former in the afternoon and at the home of the latter in the evening to celebrate the event, and a jolly good time was had. The Tecumseh Cornet Band appeared in the evening and furnished some excellent music. Uncle Billy watched his melon patch, grapes, pears, peaches and turkeys with fondness, but concludes that birth-days and the cyclone are good for 46x68—they are for a fact—come again.

Robt. Stretch was in town this week.

P. W. Adams starts for his home in Delaware next Monday.

G. S. Tiffany is putting extensive improvements on his residence.

Al. Stevens returned home from Minneapolis, Minn., last Saturday.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co., have a fine new sign on the front of their store.

Miss Cora Fowle, of Hudson, was the guest of L. F. Wheeler and mother last Saturday.

John Clough returned last Tuesday from a two weeks visit with friends at Rushyliania, Ohio.

J. H. Hayward, of Raisin, has two squashes that measure 5 feet and 5 in. in circumference. Next?

Gainsley & Co. will open a new stock of Dry Goods in the Lawrence Block about the 1st of October.

The new front steps of the Court House are a decided improvement to the looks of the building.

Mrs. S. J. Walker and "Grandma Jackson," of Norvell, have been spending a few days among their Tecumseh friends.

A. Selders, sensational reporter for the Toledo Sunday Democrat, was doing the town last Saturday, in the interest of that paper.

Geo. Bostwick has recovered from his late illness sufficiently to be about, and he started for his home in East Saginaw yesterday to recuperate his strength.

The finest celery we have seen this season was left at the HERALD office this morning. It was raised at Prairie Side farm by H. L. Stewart, to whom we return our thanks.

The Gardener's Monthly for September is at hand and is an extra good number. This magazine is now in its fortieth year, but like old wine, it improves with age. Send for a sample copy to Chas. H. Marot, Philadelphia.

The ladies of Addison have constituted themselves a committee on sidewalks, and have raised money by subscription to pay for them. The walks should be constructed very wide. Addison whisky requires room.—Adrian Record.

Rumor says that two more bands will soon be organized here, one of which will be composed of young ladies. Although we have nothing against the other bands, the HERALD will bet its money on the young ladies, every time.

Mr. A. P. Coddington hailed us on the side walk yesterday and said "Take my wheat notice out of the HERALD at once. I have sold every bushel I had—520 bushels—and people are still calling for more. I find that advertising pays."

Ben Garlinghouse has given up following the plow and other agricultural pursuits and has embarked in the insurance business in company with A. W. Haight. Ben and Lon make a strong team and will undoubtedly succeed in their business venture.

The following are the regular standing committees of the Tecumseh School Board for the coming year:
On Teachers—Mills, McNair, House.
On Finance—Bills, House, North.
On Buildings—North, Bills, McNair.
On Supplies—House, North, Mills.
Special Com. on New Building—McNair, Mills, Bills.

Miss Fannie Condit, of Adrian Mich., passed through the city this morning en route for Austin, Tex., where she will engage in school-teaching. Miss Condit has been employed in the Tecumseh schools for two years past and her departure is greatly regretted.—Toledo Bee.

S. C. Stacy, of the Tecumseh Herald, has been seriously ill of hay fever, but is able to ride out now. Hay fever was the last exercise down on his list of summer recreations.—Adrian Record.

"Exercise," "summer recreations." There, Bro. Smith; if you want another duel on your hands, just continue these slanderous allusions a week or two longer.

P. W. Adams is putting in his few days at Tecumseh to the best advantage. His call upon us one day last week, while we were bolstered up in the rocking chair at home did us "lots of good." His son Calvin is out with him this trip, and, by the way, Calvin has got to be a bigger man than his father.

Geo. W. Stacy and J. E. Bement, of East Buffalo have formed a copartnership and will henceforth conduct the live stock commission business under the firm name of Stacy & Bement. They are both salesmen of long experience and strict integrity and will doubtless control most of the business from this section.

The Tecumseh Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle will hold a meeting on Saturday evening of this week at Dr. R. B. House's office at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers and organizing for work for the coming year. A cordial invitation is extended to any who are not members of the circle as well as to the members, to be present at this meeting. Any information respecting the course, reading or expense, will be cheerfully furnished. Come prepared to subscribe for "The Chautauquan" and to order your books.

Capt. Foster is settling down to his new duties as manager of The Patterson like a veteran. As fast as his old traveling friends ascertain that he is again running a hotel here, they give him their patronage.

Rev. Geo. W. Hudson has been transferred to Hancock, Lake Superior, and will depart next week for his field of labor. We regret exceedingly to lose Bro. Hudson from among us, and we heartily commend him to the citizens of Hancock as a first class pulpit orator and a most estimable christian gentleman. The best wish we can offer his successor, Mr. Potter, is that he may fill to equally good acceptance the place now vacated by Bro. Hudson.

THE HUDSON SCHOOL MUDDLE.

A nice little muddle has arisen over the last school election in one of the Hudson districts. On the first ballot taken there were several candidates none of whom received a majority, but one had a large plurality. On the second ballot some of the names were withdrawn and a majority of the votes was given to another man. Both men now claim the election. The meeting adjourned *sine die* and hence the board doubted its power to call a special election. So they have concluded to call an "expression meeting," which will be held Sept. 24th, at which ballots will be cast for the two candidates whose title is in dispute, and the man receiving the most votes will be appointed by the board to fill the vacancy.

Under the present provisions of the school law there is no excuse for a muddle of this kind. The law now provides that a plurality vote shall elect, this amendment to the school law having been made at the session of 1883. When the balloting for trustees begins, the Moderator should announce the first ballot as an *informal* ballot. An informal ballot is simply a showing of hands; it carries no election with it. The Moderator has power to order any number of informal ballots, from one to a dozen, and so long as the ballots taken are declared as informal no election can result; but either the Moderator, or the meeting itself by a vote, can at any time order a formal ballot; and upon the first formal ballot, the candidate receiving the most votes, that is, a plurality of the votes cast, will be elected. No subsequent vote by acclamation is required. The fact that one person receives a plurality of all the ballots cast on a *formal* ballot, of itself, elects that person trustee, and it becomes the duty of the Moderator to declare the election accordingly.

ANOTHER FIRST RATE APPOINTMENT.

Last Saturday's papers contained the announcement that Mr. N. B. Bacon, of Toledo, an architect of that city and a brother in-law of the President, had received the appointment of superintendent of the government building there. Apropos of this appointment it may be interesting to our readers to learn that Mrs. N. B. Bacon and her two children have been rusticating in Tecumseh for about three weeks, making it their home at Mrs. Webster's on Union street. On Friday last Mr. Bacon came up from Toledo to remain one day and on Saturday the family returned to their home in Toledo. Mr. Bacon first learned of his appointment on reaching home last Saturday. During Mrs. Bacon's sojourn in Tecumseh, she formed many new acquaintances, and she impressed all with whom she came in contact as being a woman of most estimable qualities and great force of character. She is a woman of decided domestic tastes, her whole ambition seeming to be to labor for the happiness and welfare of husband and children. We hope she may favor Tecumseh with frequent visits in the future.

The Free Press of Monday had the following special in relation to Mr. Bacon's appointment.

N. B. Bacon, the brother-in-law of President Cleveland, who was Saturday appointed Superintendent of the Toledo Government Building, returned from out the city to-day.

"My appointment was a great surprise to me," said he. "I was not an applicant, although at one time my name was presented without solicitation on my part. There is nothing political in it. I suppose the President, not having the name of any Democrat before him, and believing the place should be filled, appointed me who was a supporter of his. I voted for him. I am and have been a supporter of his administration, not because I am related to him but because it is a worthy administration."

"The question may be asked what your politics are. Will you state?"

"I won't say that I am a Democrat nor a Republican. Let people judge for themselves. I shall continue to support Cleveland and his policy."

"What do you think of the President?"

"He is a man of great firmness, and all will find that he will be President. He will enforce the laws as he finds them: he will not ignore any law. I do not say he believes in the Civil Service law, but he finds it on the books and he will enforce it."

"Was your name presented some time ago?"

"Yes, and the President said it was too early for him to commit himself at that time. I am told that Mr. Manning wanted me appointed, and went to the President, and that it was to him that he made the reply that he would not appoint any relative to office."

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The Morenci fair will be held next week.

The Salvation Army have made a raid on Ann Arbor.

At Tuesday noon there were sixteen hundred entries to the county fair.

Hause Bros., of Clinton, are running their cider mill to its fullest capacity.

David Woodward, of Clinton, exhibited his chilled plow at the state fair last week.

The Shawnee mineral springs at Monroe are gaining quite a reputation for their health giving properties.

Will Carleton, Michigan's popular poet, lectured at Adrian last evening. It is needless to say that he was greeted with a crowded house.

The many friends of Rev. A. B. Storms, of Tipton, are congratulating themselves upon his return to the same field for another year.

A. J. Dean, of Adrian, has served as treasurer of the state agricultural society for eighteen years. In three years more he will be old enough to vote.

The cornet bands of Saline have consolidated and peace once more spreads her angelic wings over our sister village. The tooters can now toot in harmony.

A resident of Deerfield is said to have raised a cucumber that measures five feet and eight inches in length. Now please tell us how long the man is who owns that cucumber.

At the Uncle Tom's Cabin show at Adrian last Tuesday evening the new water works were tapped to produce the fountain scene. This was a very wise arrangement, as it saved the ladies the necessity of bringing along their smelling bottles.

One of our banking houses here informs us that it has received a large number of Bohemian oat notes, for collection, and that in almost every case the makers come in and pay up rather than have it go out that they have been nipped.—Adrian Press.

Mrs. Emily Hunt, a widow pensioner, living on the outskirts of Hudson, lost her house last Saturday at about ten o'clock, by fire. The conflagration originated in the kitchen. The loss on the house and contents, including some valuable papers, will be fully $2 000. The insurance amounts to $800, in the Watertown, of New York.

A peculiar wedding took place last week at Morenci, by which two deaf mutes were united in marriage, Mr. Jas. H. Hull and Miss Dora Keefer. The ceremony was communicated to them by signs through an interpreter. They are both graduates of the Flint deaf and dumb school and are said to be very intelligent and fine looking young people.

Man is called the lord of creation, but this is a misnomer. In boyhood he is tied to a woman's apron strings; in early manhood he bows down and worships a girl, and in maturity he is ruled by a kid in longstop clothes and India rubber lungs. From the cradle to the grave he is a slave, and the older he grows the more insignificant his master, as a rule.

Alfred Briggs, a son of probate register, Mr. A. H. Briggs, while at work for James Webb, at the Valley, Monday, was overcome with the heat and remained unconscious about four hours. Dr. Piersol was sent for and soon succeeded in restoring consciousness. It was apparently a case of sunstroke. Mr. Briggs is about 25 years of age.—Adrian Press.

The liberal list of premiums which the Morenci fair offers this year—the most generous, indeed, it has ever offered—ought to insure, as it doubtless will, judging from present prospects, the largest display in all departments which has been seen at any exhibition on the grounds. Some fine races, for which the fair also makes an extra inducement, are expected to take place.—Morenci Observer.

A lady was seen seated in a buggy on Main street this forenoon guiding a spirited horse by the reins while the bit was out of the horse's mouth, and pulled well back under the animal's neck. When a gentleman informed the lady of the peculiar way of driving she was greatly surprised at the condition of things, having driven some distance from home in that way. She had a little child with her, and had the horse become frightened things would have probably become serious.—Jackson Courier.

Manager Wells, of the soldiers' home, has issued a circular announcing that temporary relief will be afforded old soldiers at St. Mark's hospital, Grand Rapids, and indicating what blanks are necessary for those making application for admission, which blanks can be secured by addressing Col. Wells. Supervisors throughout the state are urged to co-operate with the manager in seeing that soldiers entitled to the privileges of the home are secured their rights, and that unworthy applicants are debarred. After admission soldiers will be required to abstain from drunkeness, disorderly conduct and insubordination, under penalty of expulsion. The period of residence is at the will of the beneficiary during good behavior.—Port Huron Times.

Chas. Lawrence has purchased a farm near Manchester and will join the grangers next summer.

Jas O'Riley fell from a load of wood last Tuesday afternoon and was dangerously injured about the head.

Another squash story. Geo. Hollister exhibited one at Anderson's grocery this week which weighed 26 pounds.

The Central meat market is fully supplied at all times with the best meats the market affords. Read Mr. Howick's new ad. in another column.

Bert McNair went to Ann Arbor yesterday where he will attend college this winter. Frank Potter will return to his college studies next Tuesday.

The race for the championship of Tecumseh will be a two mile race and will be skated next Wednesday evening. Knapp's band will furnish the music. Let every one be present as several of the swiftest skaters in the village have entered. Admission 10c. skates 15c.

John Kennedy, the man arrested for the burglary of Marsh's safe, was discharged last Thursday after his examination, but was immediately arrested on the charge of trying to pass a forged note at Lilley's bank on Fred Duel, last December. He was brought up before Justice Burridge last Tuesday and had a partial examination. His case was adjourned until next week Wednesday.

On next Saturday, September 26th, Adrian Light Guard will give an excursion to Detroit via. L. S. & M. S. R. R. to Wyandotte and thence by the splendid steamer "Excelsior" up the river to Detroit. Parties on the Jackson branch can take the regular morning train and connect with the excursion train at Lenawee Junction. Fare for the round trip $1.50. Returning, the Steamer will leave foot of Woodward Avenue at 5 P. M., prompt, allowing excursionists full five hours for business, pleasure, and sight seeing in the city. The great trotting match between Clingstone and Harry Wilkes, takes place on the Hamtramck Course on the afternoon of this Excursion, and a game of Base Ball may also be witnessed between the Philadelphia and Detroit Clubs. Other amusement events of interest take place in Detroit the same day. All who take part in this Excursion may be assured of a pleasant journey and a safe return, and all are cordially invited to participate.

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THE LOCO WEED.

A Trans-Missipi Plant which Works Great Havoc Among Cattle.

For the last twelve years complaints have been made in trans-Mississippi regions particularly from the plain and mountain region, of deaths to live stock from eating supposably poisonous plants. Investigation traced the cause to two genera, either to species of Astragalus nearly allied to the lupine—and to oxytropis plants belonging to the pea family—a family (Papilionaceæ) not considered heretofore as containing virulent poisonous species, but which does contain plant food and forage plants. Like the plant producing milk-sickness, stock do not seem to eat it naturally, but some, when they begin, they continue persistently. These two genera of plants are found throughout the plains and mountain regions and including California, of Astragalus there are a great number of species. In California some of them grow with the taste and vigor of lucerne. It is asserted to grow on alkali, low wet and dry land. The genus Oxytropis, being not stock food, has partial tolerance [illegible] from the genus. The symptoms of the disease are temporary intoxication, passing to complete motorious and muscular wreck in the later stages, and fully developed, death results from starvation from inability to digest food. During the prodromic stages of the disease the animal becomes stupid, wild, or furious, sometimes acting as though possessed by [illegible]. No antidote has yet been discovered, hence extermination of the plants is the only remedy. This may be considered well nigh impossible over the great range of wild feeding grounds. In cultivated pastures, however, it may easily be managed. The common name of the Astragalus is milk vetch, and a number of species are described in Gray as existing east of the Mississippi, none known to be injurious, the species injurious being found only west of the Mississippi and only, it is believed as we approach the plains region.

"Astragalus Mollissimus, one of the weeds to which the general name of loco weed is given, is a perennial, herbaceous plant, of the region of the great plains from Colorado to New Mexico, Texas and Arkansas. There are usually a great many stalks proceeding from a large root stalk. They are reclining towards the base and erect above. The stalks are so short that the leaves and flowers at the base seem to proceed directly from the root. They are branching at the base and give rise to numerous leaves and long stems bearing the flowers and pods. The leaves are usually six to ten inches long, composed of nine to fifteen leaflets, borne on each side of the central leaf-stalk in pairs except the upper one. They are of oval form, one-half to three-quarters of an inch long, of a shining silvery blue from being clothed with soft silky hairs. The flower stalks are about as long, sometimes longer than the stalk of leaflets, naked below, and at the upper part (one-fourth to one-half) bearing a rather thick spike of flowers, which are nearly an inch long, narrow and somewhat cylindrical, the whole inner portion of the flower of a velvet of purple color, the calyx and [illegible] half as long as the corolla, and [illegible] pubescent (hairy). The flower has the general structure of the pea family, and is [illegible] by a short [illegible] which pass one half to the [illegible] of an inch long, very smooth and [illegible] about two [illegible].

Dr. George Lankester—There are two varieties—one large and one small—and this season are shown as [illegible]. They belong to the same family as the [illegible]. The [illegible] of the two is more hairy [illegible] than the larger variety. The larger variety is [illegible] Astragalus, just described, and [illegible] a smooth-stemed [illegible] differs in having an erect habit, [illegible] and [illegible] the great flower-stalks. The leaves are longer and narrower, about an inch long by one-quarter to one-half inch wide—and have respectively [illegible] the flowers are [illegible] in size. The flower-stalk proceeds from the root-stalk and is [illegible] nine to twelve inches long and naked except near the top, which has a rather close and thick cluster of flowers much like those of the Astragalus in general appearance—but differing very in some minute characters, but yet which separate it into another genus. The bloom is succeeded by erect, lance-shaped pointed pods of about an inch in length. The flowers are subject to much variation in color, some varieties being purple, some yellow and others being white. The species is very abundant on the high plains and in the mountains ranging from British America to Mexico.

From the fact that it is more common than Astragalus, and also more of a plain than a mountain species, it may be inferred that this is the plant that has given so much trouble in Western Iowa and especially westward. It is important that every farmer or complaint of of the farm should know it in order to effect its eradication.

Unlike the plant producing milk-sickness, there is little probability that it will be cut in pastures. It is indigenous to a wide range of territory and soil. It must be eradicated by special means. As it is a thorough-rooted perennial, this may be accomplished by thrusting a chisel-edged spade under it and prying it out. It may seem like a serious labor, but necessary, since the shorter the pasture becomes the more and more will stock become addicted to eating it and like milk-sickness, no remedy is known for the disease.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Colonel Bill Snort, editor of the *Crystal County Clarion and Farmer's Indicator*, went to New Orleans not long since, and upon being shown his room at the hotel said, "This is a queer hotel. If a guest can pay his bills every week, what use has he got for a fire-escape? And if there is a fire-escape, why should he pay his bills at the end of the week? There is some mystery about this hotel that I can't understand."—*Texas Sylinos.*

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—There are in England 187 ragged schools which are attended by 50,000 children.

—The Presbytery of San Francisco has organized a Presbyterian Church whose members consist entirely of Japanese Christians resident in the city.

—There is said to be not a single evangelical missionary in the whole valley of the Amazon, and that a gospel sermon has never been preached in all that territory.—*N. Y. Post.*

—Rev. Dr. W. R. Davis, pastor of the Zion Baptist (colored) Church of Louisville, Ky., has resigned at the request of his congregation, who alleged that he did not preach loud enough nor with sufficient fervor to make them happy.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—Among those who have joined the Roman Catholic Church since the beginning of the Oxford movement are enumerated 36 lords, 25 baronets, 30 graduates of Oxford, 142 graduates of Cambridge, 142 army officers, 92 lawyers, 48 doctors and 1,000 ladies of aristocratic stations.

—Rev. N. J. Cushing, D.D., of Burmah, arrived at San Francisco a few days since. It is about twenty years since he left this country for the missionary field, and nine years since his first return. He has done a great work in the translation for the Shan people of the entire Word of God.—*N. Y. Independent.*

—Irreverent jokers put a gallon of whisky into the baptistry of an Indiana church, after the water had been tried for the immersion of a reformed drunkard. But their trick was turned to serious account by the victim, who, standing on the edge of the tank in his dripping robes described the outrage to the congregation and delivered a ringing speech for total abstinence.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

—The great defect even of our best teachers, and clergy as well, is that they are in a rut. No man or woman is great or good enough to dispense with the broadening and beneficent influence of everyday physical nature and the mighty university of human life. So be wise and use the golden hours for thorough ventilation of mind—imagination, sympathies, sense and soul.—*Journal of Education.*

—In England a parent can be prosecuted for the non-attendance of his child at school, and children must bring the penny school fee every Monday. The father of a child who did not bring his penny on two successive Mondays was summoned for "non-attendance," and the Lord Chief Justice held that the attendance of a child without the fee constituted no attendance under the by-laws of the School Board.

—The system carried out in Vienna for educating girls is certainly worthy of notice. They are kept at their studies until they are fifteen years of age. They then go through a course of teaching in the pantry and the kitchen under some member of the family, or sometimes under trained cooks for a year or two years. Thus they learn to do everything themselves, and to know the value of things long before they commence housekeeping on their own account, and though they may never be required to cook a dinner, they become independent of cooks and servants.—*N. Y. Times.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—A new wax of value has been found in the bark of the ocotilla, a thorny plant of Mexico.

—A Nevada court held that a man who had five dollars in his pocket and his board paid for a week ahead is not a pauper within the meaning of the law.

—For truly deep feeling let me call your attention to a negro waiter who has to stand by while the hotel guests whom he is serving eats watermelon.—*Chat O Sense.*

—One cause of the throat and lung trouble in this country is the fact that air is sent so much and so swiftly. Neither the throat nor the lungs were intended to stand such strains.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Sweet innocence—"No, the scene of 'The Maiden's Prayer' is not laid in Ireland. It isn't pronounced that way, anyhow. See here! Aren't you the girl that asked us a fragment wa' the French for putting on your best clothes?"—*Texas Siftings.*

—Extraordinary young woman, growing upward into young newspaper man—What a wonderful thing is space! Do you ever contemplate its immensity? Young newspaper man—Indeed, I do. I have a column of it to fill every day.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—It is reported that the maple, heretofore a healthy tree, is dying of a mysterious disease. This is nature's way of removing what is no longer of use, since dealers in "maple sugar" now sell a compound composed largely of the scraping of molasses casks.—*Boston Transcript.*

—Verasopht—You are looking charming to-night, Estelle. Estelle—Charming is too cold a word. Verasopht—Then I'll call you "lemons." Estelle—Lemons, sir! Do you mean to insult me? Verasopht—My darling, you do not read the papers or you would know that lemons are very, very dear.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—A California chap has caused the arrest of two young ladies, who, he alleges, waylaid and robbed him. As he is a dude who has no time, money nor brains, it is difficult to decide what they could steal from him. Perhaps they wanted to measure his head so they could get a pattern for a pine cushion.—*Newman Independent.*

—"What fine evenings these are for studying natural history." "Yes." "Last night about sunset I was struck by the similarity between my six-year-old and the house-flies. I was trying to drive the flies out of the house and coax the boy in. They all moved at precisely the same rate of speed and with just the same amount of dodging."—*Chicago Tribune.*

—"My dear Mr. Fitzsniffle, Miss Jones and I have had quite a discussion and we have agreed to let you decide. Which is entitled to the palm of excellence, Keats or Shelley?

"Well, weally, Miss Brown, I would rather not undertake to decide that question. My acquaintance with both the gentlemen is very limited. The fact is, they don't belong to my set, you know."—*Milwaukee Sentinel.*

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	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Jackson	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Napoleon	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Jarvell	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Clinton	7 25 "	3 26 "	3 02 "
Tecumseh	8 08 "	4 12 "	9 05 "
Adrian	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Morenci	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....
Toledo	.....	.....	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 59 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 31 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Jarvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
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Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Tones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Tones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Seneca		11 29	3 05	9 21
Sand Creek		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
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GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	5 45	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
		10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	8 02	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M.	8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
6 10	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
6 23	9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
6 37	9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
6 49	9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
7 07	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30	7 03
7 25	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
7 38		3 04	Yorkville	12 20		6 35
7 42		3 10	Richland	12 15		6 29
7 58		3 28	Doster	11 58		6 12
8 04		3 45	Monteith	11 48		5 55
8 23		3 53	Fisk	11 35		5 47
8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 30		5 37
8 50		4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 20		5 25
10 15		5 25	Holland	10 15		3 30
		6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15		
11 05		6 35	Grand Haven	9 00		2 10
11 13		6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
11 35		7 10	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.		10 10	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
		P.M.	A L	A. M.		

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A SERIOUS JOKE.

How a Frenchman Got Even with an Impertinent Stranger.

Among the frequenters of a well-known Parisian restaurant was a certain methodical personage, who dined there every day, and always at the same table, which the proprietor, with a due regard for so regular a customer, especially reserved for him. Once, however, by some mistake of the waiter, he found on arriving his usual place already occupied by a stranger; and, inwardly fretting at the disappointment, entered into conversation with the mistress of the establishment, who presided at the counter, and awaited the intruder's departure as patiently as he could. The latter seemed in no hurry, for, after consulting the bill of fare, he ordered another dish and a fresh bottle of wine, seeing which the habitue, who would rather have gone without his dinner than taken any place but his own, resolved at all hazards to get rid of the unwelcome guest, and addressing the *dame du comptoir* in a low tone, inquired if she knew who the individual at his table was.

"Not in the least," she replied; "this is the first time he has been here."

"And ought to be the last," he significantly remarked, "if you knew as much as I do."

"Why, who is he?"

"The executioner of Versailles."

"Mon Dieu!" exclaimed the terrified *dame du comptoir*, and calling her husband, imparted to him the information she had just received.

"Make out his bill," he said, and counter-order what he has asked for. He must not stay here, or we shall lose every customer we have."

Whereupon, armed with the document in question, he presently crossed the room to where the stranger was sitting, and inquired if he were satisfied with his dinner.

"Pretty well," was the answer, "but the service might be quicker. Why don't they bring what I ordered?"

"Monsieur," replied the *traiteur*, assuming an air of importance, "I am compelled to say that your presence here is undesirable; and that I must request you to leave my house as soon as possible, and on no account to set foot in it again."

"What on earth do you mean?" asked his astonished guest.

"You must be perfectly aware," continued the other, "that your being seen here is most prejudicial to me, and——"

"Speak plainly, man!" impatiently interrupted the stranger. "I insist on being told who you imagine me to be."

"*Parbleu!* you know as well as I do. The executioner of Versailles!"

"Ah! and pray who is your authority for this?"

"That gentleman," replied the proprietor of the restaurant, pointing to the habitue at the corner, who was beginning to feel uneasy as to the result of his "joke."

"Indeed!" said the stranger, raising his voice so as to be distinctly heard by every one present; "that gentleman has informed you that I am the executioner of Versailles. Well, he ought to know, for two years ago it was my painful duty to brand him!"

With these words, uttered in a tone of complete indifference he left the amount of reckoning on the table, leaving the other mystified to dine as he might.—*Temple Bar.*

A FINNISH CUSTOM.

How the People of That Russian Province Indulge in Their Annual Bath.

"In crossing the country I noticed that near every farm or settlement there was a small log hut with openings all darkened by smoke, and on asking what it was always received an answer that it was the savna.

"The savna is in fact the common bathroom of the farm and sometimes of the neighborhood. Every Saturday the savna is used by the whole family, the servants of the farm, and any guests that may be desirious of participating. A huge log fire is lit on a hearth in the room, and when the bricks or stones are red hot cold water is poured on them, which soon fills the room with steam. When all is ready the bathers gather of both sexes and all ages, simply in the state in which we are told our first progenitors disported themselves, and this even if the mercury is frozen to a lump in the bulb. When the room is full fresh water is poured on the stones, and the bathers begin to belabor each other with birch twigs, an operation which has about the same effect as rubbing down the nude form by a hard brush and a powerful hostler would have. The proceedings are naturally carried on under a great deal of fun from the younger members of the company. When the bath is over, and a profuse perspiration has been caused by the whipping and the steam, the whole company adjourn to the snow outside, in which another bath takes place. This over, the bathers adjourn to various directions in the same clothing they came. I had many opportunities of witnessing this spectacle on my lengthy journey into the heart of Finland."—*Sophos Tromboll.*

Grant's Nearness.

At Richfield Springs one day, General Buckner heard some military skeptics criticising General Grant's military ability. "Why, Hooker was as brave as Grant," said one man, excitedly. "But Grant was a very near man," said Buckner. "And McClellan was a greater strategist," said another scoffer. "But Grant was famous for his nearness," said Buckner. "He may not have been brave, but he was always near." "What do you mean by nearness?" asked another scoffer, petulantly. "Why, when I looked around at Fort Donelson for some one to surrender to, Grant was right there handy and I noticed when General Lee surrendered at Appomattox, Grant was the nearest General to take his sword. O he was near, Grant was!"—*N. Y. Independent.*

—An exchange asks: "Why wasn't the spring chicken chosen as an emblem of this country?" We can not answer with any degree of exactness, but suppose the fathers of the country were not familiar with antediluvian ornithology.—*Roxbury Advocate.*

AN UNDESIGNING WIDOW

Beguiled by the Machinations of Her Thirteen-Year-Old Daughter.

The "evidences of design" in the human widow have been so much dwelt upon, in fiction and satire, that it is a relief to turn to a tale in which her essentially simple and trustful nature is set forth. Such a tale was told touching a widow in Easton, Penn., who was beguiled, by the machinations, not of man, but of her own female child, aged thirteen.

The child, as our readers have noted, was in the habit of visiting a widower's large brick house, presumably to play with the widower's children, when it occurred to her to extract money from her own mother, under pretense of making love to her in the ostensible behalf of the widower, in letters "written with a lead pencil" by herself. The inventions she employed for this purpose were such as would naturally occur to a person of her years and inexperience. She wrote, in the name of the widower, for fifteen dollars to help pay the men in the widower's employ, for money to buy the widower a turkey, to pay the widower's gas bill, and to pay for the keep of the widower's horse. These crude demands for money were accompanied by professions of attachment not less crude, such as the childlike device of addressing the widow as "My Dear Wife."

These are the devices which a child of thirteen would naturally adopt. The wonder is not that the child adopted them, but that the mother was taken in by them. Her first husband must have been a prosaic and literal soul whose speech was the transparent vesture of his thought, and she must have rashly generalized from him to his sex. But what a fund of simple faith in mankind must this undesigning widow have accumulated when it could be drawn upon with success and without limit by such artifices as these.

Her daughter did not take after the widow. She was the confidence child of a confiding mother. We should not even criticise the crudity of her applications for money since they were successful. Like authors whose productions are sneered at by the critics and devoured by readers, it must be admitted in her favor that she knew her public and adjusted her means to her ends. Of the principle of fraudulent finance she had a precocious mastery. It is the same principle employed by Ferdinand Ward and Mrs. Howe, of Boston, and is involved in the familiar process of "priming a pump" or administering a driblet in order that a copious stream may flow. She acknowledged in the name of the widower in the form of casual clocks and occasional vases the widow's bounty, and upon one occasion, as an unimpeachable guarantee of good faith, produced a plain gold ring, which, it may be assumed, was the ultimate object of the widow's investment. In this manner she gradually extracted from her mother $300, and without doubt rejoices in a larger collection of pink ribbons and cheap jewelry than any other child in Easton. The simple faith of the mother's character shines the more by contrast with the guile of her daughter. So free is she from the subtle and scheming character falsely ascribed by literary persons to the estate of widowhood that she is plainly an easier prey for male deceivers than her precociously accomplished child.—*N. Y. Times.*

THE HORNET.

Description of an Interesting Insect—A Creature Whose Advent Is Marked by Stern Reality.

The hornet is an abridged edition of bloody murder strained through a rag.

He bears the same relation to John L. Sullivan that condensed milk does to a cow.

In constructing the mule-end of the hornet, Jove sharpened a streak of lightning on the cheek of a Chicago drummer and dipped it in the gall of a campaign lie.

It will not do to confound the hornet with the bee. The hornet is clad in the mantle of a more mysterious individuality, and on his brow rests a diadem of baleful gloom. He has a oneness of character that is unknown to the bee.

The bee is not without a touch of sweetness and light, but the sweetness of the hornet seems to have been spoiled in the making.

The coming and the going of the bee are mellowed by poetic associations. She is proverbial for industry. The victim of the bee can salve his hurt by quoting Watts.

It is not thus with the hornet. His coming is a stern reality, and his going is lost in the murky atmosphere of profanity, if not more so.

The hornet is the cowboy of the insect world:

The offensive partisan of entomological wingedness:

The winged essence of volcanic energy;

The breach-loading paper wad of viewless fire.

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A political discussion is the supreme aggregation of explosive enthusiasm:

The ten-strike of an angry mule is a supermundane earthquake;

The yowl of a tom-cat is tangled confusion of wall-eyed sound:

But the caress of a hornet is brimstone fire with a stick in it.—*Chicago Ledger.*

—The Pike's Peak Railway, which is expected to be in operation this year, will be the most notable piece of track in the world. It will mount 2,000 feet higher than the Lima and Oroya Railway in Peru. It is now in operation to a point over 12,000 feet above the sea level. The entire thirty miles of its length will be a succession of complicated curves and grades, with no piece of straight track longer than 300 feet.—*Chicago Mail.*

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00 AM	3 20 PM	6 10 PM	.....
Oak Harbor Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40 AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00 PM	7 40	1 12 PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillion Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillion Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	5 45 PM	6 45 PM	.....
Valley Junc Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35 AM
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 30 AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20 AM	9 20	.....
WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta Lv	10 AM	2 30 PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 18	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sherodsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45 AM
New Cumberland	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20 AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15 AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17 PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45 AM	.....	1 35 PM	10 00 AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 AM	6 45 PM	Ar. Huron Lv	6 40 AM	2 20 PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 38
11 20	6 15	Milan	7 07	2 55
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk Ar	7 27	3 10

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

[illegible]

THE EAST.

[illegible]

Rabbi H. [illegible] Lay, of the Easton [illegible] Protestant Episcopal church, died at Baltimore on the 17th.

Martin Barr, of Lockport, N. Y., a lad aged fifteen, who wrote letters pretending [illegible] was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $50 for disturbing the mails.

The [illegible] at Long Branch [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Mr. Bourne was sixty years old.

A west-bound freight train on the Lake Shore Railroad was ditched near Fairview, Pa., on the night of the 16th by a broken rail. Engineer Brown, the only hand-horn, seized a lantern and climbed up the track and flagged an approaching passenger train, thus prevented a great loss of life. A tramp who was stealing a ride on the freight was killed, and Fireman Bentley was severely hurt.

[illegible]

[illegible] Ladd and two other hunters [illegible] a few days ago in the [illegible] miles northwest of [illegible]

[illegible] of a boiler on the [illegible] Nathan C. Mc[illegible] Westmoreland, W. Va., McGrew was [illegible] killed and the mill [illegible] at [illegible] thousand dollars, completely [illegible]

[illegible] at Snowden, the negro who was [illegible] and lodged in jail at Elliott City, Md., a few days ago for assaulting a colored child seven years, was taken from [illegible] and hanged by [illegible] The man [illegible] that it was not [illegible]

The explosion of a boiler on the 15th in the [illegible] of James Bartholomew, at Grand [illegible] County, Ill., killed the engineer, Robert McIntyre, and Titus Greenlee and fatally wounded Orrin Morris. The boiler was demolished, as were the [illegible] and machinery.

The township trustees of nearly every township in Indiana have been ordered to report to the Board of County Commissioners the exact financial condition of their townships. This action is the result of the recent swindle in township bonds.

PETER ROBIGLIO NERI has been elected President of the College of Music of Cincinnati, in place of George Ward Nichols, deceased.

THE celebration of the sale of the one hundred millionth hogshead of tobacco in Louisville this year was celebrated on the 17th by a grand industrial and commercial parade, and numerous appropriate exercises. The hogshead by itself $1,[illegible] per pound and aggregated $1,[illegible], the largest sum ever secured for a hogshead.

While engaged in digging gravel near the pottery at Peoria, Ill., the other day, John Yates unearthed an Indian skeleton in a good state of preservation, and an old jug without a handle lying alongside of the skull. The glass has the name of Joseph Haynes, New York, 1790, blown on the side in the shape of a tag.

Laws enacted by the Michigan Legislature become binding ninety days after adjournment of that body. The ninety days expired on the 18th and among the laws now in force are the ten-hour labor law and the enactment making Central standard time legal in that State. In accordance with this Michigan clocks have been turned back, and everything is done earlier in the day, by the clock.

The jury in the De Mores murder trial at Bismarck, Dakota, on the 19th returned a verdict of not guilty after being out five minutes. The jury was composed of the leading business men in the city, and the verdict is regarded as just.

Frederick Ayer, the purchaser of the Washington Mills property at Lawrence, Mass., announces that he will at once begin to put the place in repair. The mills have been idle a year. They give employment to [illegible] operatives.

[illegible] years, died at his home in Cherry Valley, the 15th. He was a veteran of the war of 1812, and had been a member of the Masonic fraternity since 1818. He was a lifelong Democrat, having cast his maiden vote for Monroe, and was a staunch supporter for Cleveland.

At Port Byron, N. Y., on the 19th, an embankment 70 feet long and thirty feet high on the West Shore & Buffalo Railroad gave way suddenly, carrying down about a quarter of a mile of the road, and leaving the rails in the air. A temporary road was built around the hole, and passenger trains were delayed but a few hours. The slide is attributed to the excessive rains of a month or two.

The [illegible] of incorporation of the [illegible] was filed in the office of the Secretary of State at New York City on the 19th. The incorporators are William H. [illegible] President, Andrew Carnegie, [illegible] W. Frew, Theodore [illegible], William H. [illegible] and F. H. Tolmie. The object of the corporation is to found, [illegible] a home and a training school for children of parents in humble circumstances, to be located in New York City.

WEST AND SOUTH.

[illegible] started for [illegible] on Monday [illegible] Lake [illegible] was [illegible] at [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] Lake Shore [illegible] Harbor [illegible] and [illegible] was [illegible] a passenger train was [illegible] and [illegible] for the bodies from [illegible]

[illegible] were arrested and [illegible] the Michigan Central [illegible] Railroad [illegible]

[illegible] the Nicaragua Canal [illegible] Congress of the State [illegible] Congress [illegible] Congress [illegible] Congress

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. Dr. Chandler, of Saline, visited at J. S. Kies' last week. She returned home Saturday.

The household goods of Rev. Kerridge were taken to Grass Lake last Friday. Mr. Kerridge occupied his pulpit there for the first time last Sunday. We are sorry to lose him and his family.

Mrs. Esther Jenkins, of Bridgewater, died last Friday. Her sickness, which was quite brief, was caused by a fall. She was buried Sunday, which was her seventy-eighth birthday.

Progressive eucher in all its attractiveness has presented itself among us for the first time. Demoralizing effects may be confidently anticipated.

Last Monday evening as Miss Lina Jones and two other young ladies were going home, they noticed they were followed by a couple of men, one of whom had spoken insultingly to them early in the evening. The girls became frightened and run until they reached David Woodward's, where they run in. One of the fellows was discovered soon afterward, looking in at the windows. Tuesday morning they were called to account and made to settle matters with Mr. Woodward for $10 apiece. A little of this medicine administered to a few of such fellows around town would be productive of some good.

Mrs. Chas. Burroughs and Mrs. Harriet Lancaster visited in Ridgeway last week.

Mrs. George Kies has been spending two or three days in Clinton this week.

Mrs. Frank Silvers, of Tecumseh, and her father, Mr. David Shepard, of Lyons, N. Y., visited at A. B. Van DeMark's last Thursday.

Ed. A. Clark was in Clinton over Sunday.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark left here for Chicago last Thursday.

Who will have the next tea-party?

F. L. Couch, of Bay City, was in town last Friday.

The Episcopal social will be held this week Thursday eve at the residence of Mrs. E. A. Clark. All are invited.

Robert Codling's family are moving into J. L. Tuttle's house, lately occupied by Peter McMahon.

John Smith was taken suddenly ill while at the store last Friday. He was taken home as soon as possible. He soon recovered sufficiently to get up, and is now able to be at the store.

Miss Lora Reynolds, of Tecumseh, is visiting Miss Lou Reynolds.

Mrs. George Runyan has been quite sick with neuralgia for a few days.

Mr. Chas. Starrett has been visiting his brother, Henry Starrett.

Among those who went from here to the horse races at Detroit last Saturday were F. D. Lancaster, P. C. Smith, James Pawson, David Lancaster, Henry Lancaster and Will Muir.

S. F. Marstellar and wife and A. B. VanDeMark, drove over to Adrian to the fair Thursday.

We would say to our dear friend of manifold literary attainments and shot gun proclivities, that he is wrong again. Hard as the task may be to undeceive him and again to set him afloat on the sea of uncertainty, we feel that it is a duty to ourselves and to the last person whom his unerring instinct has pointed out as the correspondent to this paper, to assure him that he is as far from knowing who is, and has been, acting in that capacity as he was six months ago. We feel that it would be a kindness to Dr. Burchard and save him from,—brain fever perhaps—to lay aside our mask and forever set his doubts at rest. However we enjoy wearing it a little too well to discard it—as yet.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Delightful weather this week.

Our village sick list is on the decrease.

Corn cutting is well under way in this section.

Seeding is about completed here.

Numerous of our citizens are in attendence at the fair of Hillsdale county this week.

W. J. Bacon has sold his large fruit evaporator to G. M. Lewis & Son who propose to buy apples and keep it in operation. The evaporator has a capacity of one hundred pounds per day, and turns out the finest in superior condition.

Our dealers complain of light trade last week but report "biz" booming now.

Our old friend Porter Beal, of Rollin, was in attendence at the meetings of the Pomological Society at Grand Rapids last week. He reports lots of "big folks" talk, speeches, and a grand time generally.

Miss Nellie Lamb, of Blissfield, who is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. Susan Williams, is recovering from her recent illness. She is under the care of Dr. Wm. Brown.

We are informed that our old friend Rev. B. T. Bailey, of Rollin, contemplates moving to some point in California or Arizona for the purpose of securing a better climate for his wife, who has been in feeble health for some time. The elder has for many years been connected with the F. B. church of Rollin village, and occupies a warm place in the hearts of all classes of people there, as well as at other places where he is known.

While on their way to the county fair on Thursday of last week, Mr. Lewis Pearson and Miss Mary Parker, both of Woodstock, chanced to take passage in the same cart, and before reaching their destination the idea occured that if they could register as man and wife the hotel bill could be materially deminished and they accordingly sought out a man who keeps the necessary apparatus and underwent the splicing operation. We wish the young people a "fair" time all through life.

The sulky and floating harrows exhibited at the fair last week by Mr. N. Osborn, of Woodstock, were both awarded the first premium, notwithstanding the competition was unusually strong.

A couple of Cleveland's mammoth squashes are on exhibition at the Hillsdale county fair this week which measure 6 ft. 2 in. and 5 ft. 6 in. in circumference. They were grown by Mr. James Cleveland of this place, and attract no little attention.

A pleasant little birthday surprise party was planned by the friends of Miss Cora Locy on the afternoon of the 24th inst. A quite a number of the ladies were present and a very enjoyable time reported. Among the gifts presented was a ten dollar gold piece and fine plush covered autograph album from Miss Lacy's mother; also a tasty birthday card presented by little Murnie Kline.

While returning home from Rome last Sunday, Mr. Lincoln Sales and wife, of Geneva, were thrown suddenly from the buggy in which they were riding and quite badly bruised. A little child about six weeks old was hurt quite seriously and is not expected to live.

The one mile race by non-experts advertised to come off at the rink Saturday night went by default, the cause of which was the failure on the part of Mr. Al. Maples, one of the contestants, to present himself at the appointed time. Messrs J. G. Waterman and Cheever Brooks consented to skate the race however, and the audience which was very large, was profuse in its expressions of satisfaction.

ONSTED ODDS.

There are several private telephone lines in this place. The last one put up is from D. Sickner's to Blacksmith shop. Guess Charley intends to know when dinner is ready.

Messrs. Snow & Pulver have greatly improved the appearance of their places by grading and seeding.

The special school meeting Monday evening, resulted in the election of S. G. Aten as moderator to fill vacancy. Mr. Aten was appointed two years ago to fill vacancy and has held the office since that time without any other appointment or election. At the last regular meeting Mrs. Greenleaf was elected director, and knowing we had no legal moderator, called a special meeting to elect one with the aforesaid result. It is doubtful, we think if the above is strictly legal.

Spence Evans is thinking of moving onto his farm and is now repairing the house.

W. B. Raymond was in town for a day or two last week.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Celia Jones of '79 teacheth the young minds of Hanover how to shoot. Her sister Grace is with her, but expects to be in school at the Seminary next term.

Some improvements are being made at the observatory, and now the astronomy class often points the "long seeing eye" at objects celestial.

The unsightly backstop, no longer adorns the campus. It received a coat of white paint, and is now neatly lettered with advertisements. Tecumseh and Adrian merchants have a fine bullitin board and the Seminary base ball club in return a brace of fine birds, yellow eagles.

New students keep coming in. Let the good work go on.

The Seminary sent its quota to the county fair. School was dismissed one day and everybody went. All had a good time.

Mechanics from Toledo are putting in the new boiler for the heating apparatus.

May Underwood has been indisposed for a few days. No serious trouble apprehended.

Samuel Tingly and wife, Stephen Lombard and wife, of Rollin, and R. A. Rogers, of Medina, were the guests of Superintendent Harkness during fair time.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley, of Adrian, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. Fridd.

Miss Alma Tripp, who has been sick with typhoid fever is convalescent.

Rev. F. L. Osborne, formerly of this place, who has been preaching at Fairfield during the past year, has gone to his new charge, Unionville, Tuscola Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Osborne intend visiting friends in Isabella Co., next week.

Rev. Mr. Barnes, of Clinton, preached in the Congregational church one week ago last Sunday, Rev. Mr. Wall preaching at Clinton.

Mr. Tyler is teaching the Center school, Miss Leila VanValkenburg, Dist. No.1, Miss Tina VanValkenburg the Paragon and Mr. Crittenden the school two miles west.

Miss Fannie Storms who has been visiting her brother for several weeks has returned to her home near Chelsea.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

The county session of Good Templars was held at Union hall Thursday, and though the day selected debarred the teachers from coming, the Jackson fair kept many others tied to home affairs, and some could not leave half sown wheat fields; the remnant was respectable in number, and after busiuess was finished closed their visit with an evening entertainment eminently satisfactory to themselves and a large company besides. Prayer was made by Rev. Bush of this place. Hon. D. P. Sagendorf, of Jackson, presided as Dist. chief; Lester Palmer as stage manager and Sumner Ladd, of Brooklyn, welcomed the assembly. He is a good speaker and possesses the happy faculty of stating facts without insulting his opponents with reflective personalities. As the Templar Code includes total prohibition of manufacture or sale of intoxicants, and a worse yet enormity called woman suffrage, they are offensive partizans without more ado, and without chance of being turned out of postoffices in retaliation. W. C. Sharp and his choir furnished plenty of music; boys and girls spoke comic medleys and gave pathetic recitations and Pierce and Sweezy contributed sentiments woven of personal experience that indicated morality to be a much more necessary attribute of general good than a belief in christianity, minus practice.

Friday evening Rev. Hills lectured on the growth of temperance, and whatever he may do on election days, he did not play hide and coop with the whiskey bottle during the talk. He differs from the Crosby divines, and compared their policy with that of one Judas who hanged himself. If he keeps on that fashion he will make himself unpopular with some who evidently mean business. I have some curiosity about that business and so have my friends the saloon keepers perhaps. Gentleman of the bar, do you suppose they intend to unite broken ranks by luring seceders back to place and fasten their votes once more with this old promise of respectability, done over for a coupling-pin? It don't look like fair play to rule you out of trade just because you lack money to ransom it from guilt stain, and keep it in semblance of purity behind marble counters. It would build up an aristocracy on a money basis, by making the amount of revenue you can furnish, the sole gauge of your respectability. You will have to combine purses and tear down your store houses and build greater, but you need not be discouraged for partnership often saves expense of clerk hire. Of course it is not possible ministers will play such a game of muffle mouse and you will please regard my question as a freak of imagination.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine fall weather.

Wheat is looking fine but needs rain.

Corn cutting is a tedious task as it is down very bad.

Whooping cough still prevails in the village and vicinity.

Mr. Asa Smith has a telephone from his house to the market.

Geo. D. Amer attended the teachers examination at Adrian Saturday.

Mr. John Housman and Mrs. Dr. D. W. Loree returned Friday evening from a visit with friends near St. John, Clinton Co.

The question is often asked when are the literarys going to begin. We would say ask the President, but think before long.

Quite a good many took in the fair at Adrian last week and report a fine time, and say the show was the finest they ever saw.

Miss Lizzie Clark is at Dundee attending school, making her home with Mrs. Henry Watlin.

Mrs. John Arner visited Mrs. Philip Beckley at Britton, Tuesday.

Mr. Ezra Smith, of St. John, who is at the University at Ann Arbor, spent Sunday, Monday and Tuesday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Adin Phelps, of Camden, N. Y., are visiting their son and family, Mr. Alfred Lawton.

The ladies will give a social this week Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Sarah Rappleye. The President says all persons that do not want an office should be present as it is the time for the election of officers. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

We are glad to welcome Mr. Asa Smith and family to our village circle of friends. Mr. Smith will run his meat business in the building formerly occupied by G. W. Jackson and will be found at the block ready to carve the round to suit the taste of all.

DOLLY'S LUCK.

A new play which has made its appearance this season, with Pauline Markham in the title role. Wherever it has been played the press with one accord, speak in the highest praise of it. The company which presents it, and especially of the charming actress Miss Markham, who assumes the leading part of the play itself, that excellent dramatic critic, the *Philadelphia Register*, speaks as follows: "Dolly's Luck" was only launched upon the stage at the opening of the present season, and is already a grand success, and gives promise of enjoying a long run. It is more than is claimed for it; unlike most plays, it is strongly dramatic, without the usual murder betrayals, suicides, etc. There is not a weak point or a superfluous line in the whole construction; it is chaste and charming, tragedy and comedy are deeply interwoven; such seemed to be the opinion of every person present. The audience fairly screamed with applause, and which was often so prolonged and vociferous as to interrupt the actors in their parts, thus continuing the play until nearly eleven o'clock.

CASTE OF CHARACTERS:

Tom Hoffman, Engineer at the Mill, in love with Dolly.....Randolph Murry
Josiah Newton, a New Hampshire Farmer, "who wants to know".....William M. Paul
George Carson, son of the mill owner, and a bad man.....Edward Clifford
Jerome Carrington, a vagrant who who has seen better days.....Thomas B. Morris
Monsey, a New York Street Arab, always ready to "Shine 'em up, sir."....Chas. Saunders
Edward Barker, Lucy's brother, a mill hand.....Harold Slater
John Clements, Grocer, with a corner on cabbages.....George Decker
Fritz, the Grocers Boy, always in trouble.....Frank Burdell
Maddox, Confidence Operator, "Just from Paris."".....Alfred Leighton
Policeman, "One of the Finest,".....Jas. D. Walsh
Lucy Barker, deserted wife of George Carson.....Miss Bessie Lee
Mary McFarland, Dolly's Nurse.....Marie LeGros

—AND—

DOLLY CARRINGTON, in luck. A New York Flower Girl, heiress to Squire Newton.....PAULINE MARKHAM
Mill hands, Police, Pedestrians, etc.

ACT. I.—A New England Village.
ACT. II.—Elevated Railway, 6th Ave. New York.
ACT. III.—Garret in Baxter Street, New York.
ACT. IV.—Farm at Squam Lake, New Hampshire.

Auction Sale.

Mr. Peter M. Getty, being about to move to Minnesota will sell at auction at his residence one mile east of Cone station, on Wednesday, Oct. 7, 1885 at 12 o'clock M., the following property: One milch cow, one 2 year old heifer, breeding sow, wagon, single buggy, reaper, mower, hay rake, grain drill, pair work horses, double harness, Syracuse plow, two cultivators, 1 cutter, 12 tons of hay, 4 acres of corn in shock, 100 bushels of oats, one cradle, straw stack, pair drags, steel plow, and other articles too numerous to mention. All sums of $5 and less, cash; all sums over $5, 12 months credit with interest at 7 per cent. The subscriber offers his farm of 76 acres for sale at reasonable terms. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

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NEBULOUS PHILOSOPHY.

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FORESTS OF STONE.

Probing for Logs Beneath the Surface in New Jersey.

Trying to Chop a Tree of Rock—Trunks, Boughs and Leaves Turned to Stone—A Description of Some of Nature's Wonders.

"If you want to see something curious," said a friend who was a member of a Government survey, "go down with me to Woodbine." Four miles beyond Woodbine, out on the sandy stretch of old sea bottom or beach that is termed the Cape May Peninsula, we came upon Dennisville, where all the Dennises of all time had evidently settled. A boy, Dennis said there were twenty-five hundred of them and nine-tenths were evidently children. They lived in scattered shanties or houses on a long narrow street on each side of which malar a stalks abroad from the great swamps that constitute their boundary. The latter however, that are perhaps over twelve square miles in extent, are the means of providing a living to nearly all the inhabitants of Dennisville, though the nature of their occupation would never be suspected from external observation.

"We're all in the logging business," said a tall, thin Dennis, yet as far as the eye could reach not a tree could be seen standing that would make even the ghost of a fair log. "There aren't any growin'," continued the man. "They're underground. We dig for them, or spear them as you might say. Here's the tools," and stepping into a low hut he brought out a crow or bar, like a great spear, mounted at intervals and was stretched out into a long sleader pointed rod. "We wade along," continued the man, "and prode with the feeler and when we strike a log we feel around and if it's a good one we dig down and if it isn't we let her soak, that's about the way of it."

"You wade in dirty water?"

"That's about it," replied the man. "You know we're obliged to be a whit odd or so, we've got the name of it, onnabow."

"The secret of this business," said my friend, the geologist, "is that ages ago all this area was covered with a fine growth of large trees, and the same are found growing in some parts of the swamp yet, but they have died out and fallen down and sunk into the soft mud, and so been covered up by mould and mud, until many other layers have grown over them, but in some remarkable way the wood is preserved and these sunken ancient logs are just as good for shingles and other articles as they were when alive, hence, for many years there has been a steady hunt for them, and Dennisville is a result of the industry. To the botanist the tree is the evergreen white cypress or cypressus thyoides sempervirens, and the numbers that once grew over this swamp and that have been entombed are beyond conception. The trees upon or near the surface are the only ones available, and fortunately are the best, but far below there are probably myriads of others turned to stone and representing the past geological ages of the earth. The logs were worked out by the men who are nicknamed 'Swampoodles,' and who live in the midst of the malarious district all their lives. When a log is found a ditch is made about it, into which the water soon flows. A great saw is then applied and the roots removed, and as a rule the log will rise to the surface and can be cut up and carried off, though in many localities the shingles are made right on the spot and dragged over the swamp on roads in many cases made of boughs and twigs. This curious business is not confined to New Jersey, but over in Delaware and Maryland there are similar swamps, where the shingle business has been carried on for years. One of the swamps in Delaware extends over twenty-five square miles, and hardly a house in Sussex County but what is shingled with the ancient deposit."

"I tell ye," said an old farmer from this region, "that we're livin' on a curious kind o' crust round here. In p'int of fact, my farm might be said to be perched on a reg'lar wood-pile, there ain't no end to it. I built a foundation to a barn some years ago down in the swamp lot, and the further down I dug the more logs I came to, and I tuck a way down its clear, strong and sound, and when a fire breaks out in the swamp you want to keep your eyes peeled, now I'm a-talkin'. Howsomever, I digress. Well, I'll just give you a little of my experience. When I first changed my old woman I bought a patch right in the edge of the swamp, and the land ran right up off at about half a mile. That summer it was monstrous dry, and after awhile the fire began creepin' up, and after we knew it it had crept up to within a thousand feet of the house. But we got at it with brush and, as we thought, put it out, and did, but that night I was awoke by hearin' a crash so loud that I sot straight up, the bull frogs had gone down, and when I got out there was a blaze right over by my fodder house. I got there in about two minutes, and I tell ye I was scared. There wasn't hide nor hair of the house, but a deep sawin' hole about fifty feet across, and the Lord knows how deep, and burning red hot, just like a volcano. I tell ye I got my folks out of that village for a while now. Fortunately it came on to rain the next day and soaked it out, and I ain't a-drawin' the long bow when I tell you that that bull kentry had been rounded by the fire. You see, that peat ran under ground for a thousand feet, eating away the wood, and then, when the end under the fodder, the weight of the stuff broke the crust in and down it went into a regular pit of fire. I tell you it was an unearthly place, I tell you, and I was thankful enough that it didn't get under the house. Would never have known what had us, would just melted down quick. Yes, there's heaps of places in the swamp district that's eaten out just the same way. The fire will run along for miles, sometimes, and then crop out where it's least expected. I know of one case where a party of shanglers left their hut one morning and when they came back it was gone and a fourth of an acre with it. If it had happened twenty hours later they'd have gone in. In the Delaware swamp you will find heaps of such places and green hands who go down there always think there has been a volcano, and so there has, after a fashion."

"The subject of underground forests," said my geological friend, "put on our way back, is an interesting one, and in the west there are some strange sights to be seen. I remember especially one locality about the headwaters of the Lithodendron River, where are thousands of trees lying about, as if some hurricane had swept over the spot and leveled them to the ground, but in every case the tree has turned to stone and the trunks now weigh tons where they formerly could be tossed about by the wind. A miner that I met told me that in one locality that he had visited the trees were standing, and they came to camp there. At first they did not notice it, as it was late in the fall, when all the leaves were off the trees, but he sent a darkey out to chop some wood, and as the fellow struck a tree the axe glanced off and streams of fiery sparks flew off in such numbers that he was frightened half to death, and came running into camp shouting that the place was haunted. He finally went out again, but was terrified by noting that even the twigs that he picked up on the ground were as heavy as lead; they had all turned into stone. He described the place as a weird one, the great trunks standing around here and there like monuments, some of them being fifty or sixty feet high. The two most famous localities are at Fort Wingate, New Mexico, and the Lithodendron, about twenty miles from the Navajo Springs, Arizona. From these localities a fine collection has been taken for the National Museum at Washington.

"A detail was sent out under the charge of Lieutenant J. T. C. Hegewald, of the Fifteenth Infantry, and they secured some magnificent specimens. The Navajoes that were tending their sheep in the vicinity believed the fallen trunks to represent the bones of former giants that their ancestors had killed, and could not understand why the 'Great Father' at Washington should want them. In this place they actually covered the ground in some spots, the trunks often being of great size. All through the valley of the Lithodendron they are found, thousands of tons lying scattered along the slopes. The majority were in pieces of twenty or ten feet long, so broken by changes of heat and cold. Other trunks were intact; one measured by the Lieutenant was two hundred feet in length and nearly five feet in diameter, the cores often containing wonderful specimens of quartz. The specimens were hauled to Sana Fe, N. M., and there shipped East by rail; but in a year or so not a specimen will be found, as a company has organized to secure them, as, when cut and polished, they make fine table tops. It is said that a house in Washington is to have pillars at the door made of two of these giants of a former age, that, when polished, showing the rich coloring, will make something entirely new in the way of decoration.

"Last summer," continued the geologist, "I took a run up the valley of the east fork of the Yellowstone. There is a country for you, and, fortunately, in the National Park and to be saved from destruction. In going up the valley you have the beautiful Yellowstone Mountains to the north and to the south the famous Amethyst Mountain, that for its fossil or stone forests is extremely remarkable. Directly opposite the valley of the Soda Butte Creek rises the mountain, with an exposed strata at least two thousand feet high. The summit is about nine thousand feet up. As you follow up the trail you will at once be struck with the curious surface of the mountain, and there in one section you can count distinctly at least twenty-five forest levels formed in this way. The first forest, perhaps a million years ago, grew and died down; soil accumulated and then another forest grew on that until finally the twenty-five have grown. In the meantime strata to the depth of two thousand feet has been deposited—that is, the distance from the present trees growing on top to the first one below is two thousand feet. You can count up to suit yourself how many years it took to accomplish this. For the first four hundred feet the display is not very striking, as the trunks are partially covered, but as your eye rises you are presented with a good, good illustration that is a marvel. At six feet from the bottom the levels are as distinct, marked as if they had been made by hand, every trunk and the roots standing out in bold relief—the handiwork of nature. Many are thrown out and prostrate from fifty to sixty feet in length and from five to six feet in diameter. In cases where the roots are seen penetrating the solid rock the sight is an impressive one, showing how many years it must have taken to accomplish such results. Some of the trees unbroken are over twelve feet in diameter and as only the tops show, they must have rivaled the great sequoias of California. One remarkable feature is that the bark, texture of the wood, grain, etc., are all as distinct and well preserved as if they had been taken from living trees.

"The trees, however, are not conifers; the solid rock about them shows this. Once covered with a soft green matting of grass, it received the falling leaves and seeds, and now they are found just as perfect as in life, only turned to stone. From these the botanist is enabled to determine what they were and how long ago they lived upon the earth. Lesquereux made the best examination, and pronounced them as belonging to the lower pliocene or upper miocene time of geology. They include such species as aralia, magnolia, laurus, tilia, fraxinus, cornus, populus, alnus, ferns, etc. All around this locality the same old remains of forests could be found, and the fine collections of quartz and calcite that were spread about undoubtedly were all formed in the trunks of trees. On the opposite side of the river the same condition of things was noticed, and the trunks here were, if anything still larger and more certainly higher up, as the range was by actual measurement over eleven thousand feet high and contained the stony trees to the very summit. These forests are found in various parts of the world. In Heard Island there is a cave that contains a number of extremely large trees, and in most all coal mines large trunks are found that date back millions and millions of years. In some mines terrible accidents often occur from the presence of these great trunks, as when the bottom of the trunk is cut off down shoots the stony tree upon the miner without warning. In some mines where the trees are solid they are left to support the ceiling. I have seen a tree taken from a mine at Newcastle (the Jarrow mine) that was forty feet in length and thirteen feet in diameter. It was worked out of the coal as carefully as possible, but it could not be all removed as the trunk divided at the summit into over twenty large branches. The name of this coal giant was Lepidodendron Sternbergii. Some of the ferns of this time were gigantic, and in the Philadelphia Academy of Sciences there is a fine collection, showing many specimens from all over the world.—*Philadelphia Times.*

Composing Under Difficulties.

In October, 1787, after his return to Vienna, Mozart produced his greatest opera, "Don Giovanni." As late as the night before the performance the overture had not been copied. Mozart wrote on until late into the night, and his wife could only keep him awake by telling him the old fairy tales, such as he loved when a child; at times he would break from laughter to tears, until, growing more and more weary, he fell asleep. At seven the next morning he arose and finished the score, the ink in some parts being scarcely dry when the copies were placed on the musicians' desks. The musicians had to play the overture at sight, but its beauties aroused the greatest enthusiasm both in the players and the audience. Mozart superintended all the rehearsals, and inspired the singers with his own ideas and feeling. He taught the hero to dance a minuet and when one of the singers failed to conquer his score, Mozart altered it on the spot. At last the Emperor bestowed a court position on Mozart, but the salary was so meager—it was less than $500—that it was of little help to him, while his duty, to compose dance music for the court, was humiliating. Well could he reply, when asked his income by the tax-gatherer, "Too much for what I do," too little for what I could do."—*Agatha Tams, in St. Nicholas.*

A Queer Superstition.

Abram Reed, a farmer living in Beaver township, Pa., cut down a large oak tree on his farm, and in cutting it up he found, imbedded in the trunk, seven or eight feet from the ground, a small glass bottle and what had the appearance of a lock of hair. The bottle had been inserted in a hole in the tree made by an auger, then a pine plug was driven into the hole over the bottle, the hair also being held in the hole by the plug. The bottle was corked and contained a colorless liquid. Over the plug had grown six solid rings of wood, besides a thick bark. There was a superstition among the early settlers, and it is held by many of their descendants, that asthma and other affections could be cured by the victim standing against the tree and having a lock of his hair plugged in it while the hair was still attached to his head. It must then be cut off close to his head, and the afflicted person walk away without looking at it or ever passing by the tree again. While the use of a bottle was not included in this treatment, it is believed that the one with the hair discovered in the heart of the oak tree was put there in the early days of the settlement by some believer in the superstition to cure an ailment of some kind.—*Lumber World.*

—Arabs use the expression, "My shoe at you," as a token of contempt. The same thing occurs frequently in this country, only the shoe is used instead of the expression.—*Burlington Free Press.*

BAD SPELLING.

Comfort for Those Whose Memories Fail to Keep Track of the Exasperating Methods of English Spelling.

The theory is now advanced that, in addition to harrowing the soul and tormenting the spirit, our system, or rather non-system of spelling actually tends to damage the mind. Any number of persons who have been deadly foes of orthography from their infancy, and who freely confess to never spelling a word according to approved custom save by the merest accident, will approve the idea off hand without for a moment according it a twinge with the discovery of a new psychological truth. A very large part of the English writing world is firmly of the opinion that the man who devised our wretched combinations of vowels and consonants had especial instruction of the Evil One with the deliberate purpose to facilitate the population of the nether world.

It is certain the frenzied struggle of the mind to keep account of the arbitrary and illogical methods of spelling is exasperating in the extreme, and there should be no wonder if mental quality and moral rectitude suffer grievous consequences through the slips of the purely mechanical process upon which correct spelling is dependent.

English spelling is governed by no rational rules, and it is entirely a matter of memory whether an instructed person spells well or ill. Considering the number of cantankerous words there are in our language, from the simplest in ordinary use to the rarest and most complex, the strain put upon the mind to remember the order and quantity of letters requisite to a given symbol is out of all proportion to the tax upon memory of really serviceable information and fruitful ideas. We are compelled to a greater concern for the character that the significance of a word and exhaust ourselves retaining the form to the frequent sacrifice of the meaning. A letters are dry, sterile, unproductive, suggesting no thought and controlling no sentiment, the youthful mind pummeled by necessity to memorize their sound relation to various words must, without advantage, expend a great amount of vital power that should be concentrated upon the acquisition of actual knowledge. Nothing is more difficult than making logical, thoughtful, active minds good spelling apparatuses. Spelling is a purely mechanical science, in which even a strong will may count for little. It is monstrous to cram children with these meaningless combinations of confusing sounds, lying accents and silent excesses, irritating their young brains, checking their youthful imaginations by conditions they can not comprehend and which steal from them the time that might better be devoted to practical studies they would pursue with delight.

The suggestion has been made that children should first be taught to read by the phonetic process, leaving the romantic inconsistency for maturer years, a suggestion the wisdom of which has been attested by highly successful experiments in that very way. There are several phonetic systems that offer solutions to the problem, and it is not to be doubted the introduction of any one of them would be of considerable benefit in primary education. A writer for the *Popular Science Monthly* covers this point fully when he declares, by no means as dogmatically as it may seem, that "rational education will never flourish as it should till a reformation in the teaching of reading and spelling has been accomplished."

In plain terms this means that words should, as far as practicable, be spelled as they are pronounced. Words should be nothing more than the outlet of thought; but one would think the English compounds were fiendishly planned to bewilder and debilitate the mind, for, unless a writer plunges desparately ahead regardless of the choice of letters to the formation of a word, ideas must suffer disaster while the exact symbol is being extracted from the jumble of like surrounding signs. There is a demand for uniformity of pronunciation or difference in spelling for nine-tenths of the words in our language. It is maddening to find "bough," "cough," and "tough" sporting such wildly dissimilar sounds, and we can account for the lunacy that drove "done" so far away from "cone," "lone," "tone," "bone," or relegated "dog" and "hog" to different spheres. Neither can the rational rule be found for transposing the vowels in "receive" and "believe," for changing the final sounds of "indict" and "interdict," or for loading down a word with letters that are forever silent.

The defenders of all these monstrosities of composition as constrasted to speech make a plea for the preservation of the signs that indicate the origin of words. Who cares for the origin of words when laboring to give birth to a sentiment? Words are not esteemed for their pedigrees, but for their uses, and their usefulness depends upon the intelligent facility of their being brought into play. It is the endeavor of the mind to vent itself succinctly and clearly that gives rise to slang, and if the word reformers do not come to our rescue we will eventually build this slang into a new vernacular, and establish a language of common sense in place of the hybrid that tries by artificial sounds and superfluous parts to indicate its mixed paternity. Language has always been the supply of a demand, the medium, not the controlling power of thought, and we are constantly tending toward those terms that will most simply and most comprehensively record the phenomena of the mind. The wonder is that we have done so well mentally with such bad means as our English words. It is time to write English as she is spoken.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenswood in Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is in part of a mortgage upon real estate owned by gentlemen in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and is past due, and, that Edwin R. Wood was duly appointed administrator of said estate and gave bond that trust, and that said Edwin R. Wood died deceased without having fully administered said estate, and praying that Charles Partridge, or some other suitable person be appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate. And it appearing to the Court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England, in Great Britain, a foreign country having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this Court to notify the consul of such foreign nation, in the city of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for the hearing of the same and the court having this day notified such consul by letter addressed to the consul of Great Britian in the City of New York, deposited in the postoffice in Adrian with the postage prepaid, a letter-press copy of which there is now on file in this Court.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF GEO. W. ALLEN, SR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 21st day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Allen, Sr., deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of George W. Allen, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and that he has paid the debts of said deceased, the specific legacies bequeathed in and by said will, and that he has distributed all the residue of said estate according to the provisions of said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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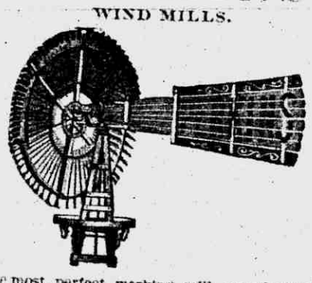

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How the Legitimate Members of the Profession Are Undersold.

"There are honest and trustworthy street hucksters as well as dishonest ones," said a member of the profession last week, "and with most of us huckstering is as much of a regular business as storekeeping or any other occupation, and we have to preserve our reputations and keep the good opinion of our customers the same as all kinds of tradespeople. There is great rivalry, too, among regular street hucksters, and I know I have to keep my eye skinned and my wits about me to prevent being double-banked by snides who go over my route and try to undersell me and make the housekeepers think I am selling them stale truck at big prices.

"The regular hucksters go down to the wharf at a very early hour in the morning and purchase from the produce commission merchants the best and freshest truck they have and pay a good price for it and immediately go on their daily routes. The other fellows go later in the day and buy up the leavings and hawk it about the streets and at back gates as fresh truck. They can sell for less than we can, but their purchasers always get fooled.

"There has been a regular business for many years of hiring out huckster wagons. There are a number of "boss hucksters," and some of them keep twenty-five or thirty wagons. When a man wants to try his fist at huckstering he goes to one of the bosses and hires a horse and wagon. He pays from $1.75 to $2.50 per day. Sometimes they can hire a wagon that has truck to sell in it, and in that case he has to pay down the value of the truck.

"A huckster's license costs ten dollars a year for one-horse wagons, and fifteen dollars a year for two-horse wagons. Whenever a boss huckster hires out a horse and wagon he makes the man who hires it pay twenty-five cents every day to go towards the license, which the boss is supposed to pay himself. The men who hire the wagons out do not in reality pay any license for them, for they get the full or more than the full amount from the men who do the work. There are some twelve or fifteen boss hucksters in the city and they own from eight to thirty wagons each. They make considerable money and many of them are well off and own property."

"How much can a regular street huckster make a day?"

"In the summer time, if he attends to business and has a fair run of custom, all the way from two to four dollars. Hucksters do not make that much in winter time, when fruit, berries and some kinds of vegetables are out of season. Hucksters work only five days a week. Monday is the hucksters' holiday and has been for years. No fresh truck can be obtained on Monday mornings, and housekeepers generally lay in provisions enough on Saturday to last over Sunday and Monday.

"Nearly all the truck is bought of commission men, for a regular huckster knows he can always get fresh truck from them and the right kind of measure. The farmers in the market who sell truck wholesale are generally looked upon with suspicion by hucksters. The farmers do not sell by weight, but by measure, and a huckster often finds that the measure is short. There is plenty of skinning going on all around in the huckstering business, and the regular huckster has got to look out or he will find himself euchered very often.

"Summer time is the huckster's best season and I think I sell more tomatoes than anything else and they last all summer. When they are in season watermelons, cantaloupes, peaches and berries of all kinds sell very rapidly. The smallest sales are among crab-apples, grapes, pears and plums. Next to tomatoes I think I sell more corn in summer than anything else."

"How about winter?"

"Nothing sells more rapidly in winter time than apples. I sell them right along. Sweet potatoes sell well in winter and also oranges, lemons, bananas and pineapples.

"A huckster is generally hard at work from two o'clock in the morning until four o'clock in the afternoon and when that time comes my voice is husky and my throat sore from continuous yelling in streets and alleys. I commence to holler at about six o'clock in the morning and keep it up until three or four o'clock, when I am usually pretty well worn out. I never heard that there was any particular throat disease among street hucksters. My voice is always ready for the following day."—*Philadelphia Times.*

DIDN'T KNOW HOW.

The Loss an Arkansaw Gentleman Suffered When His Wife Was Divorced.

Colonel Wadley Higinson, of Kentucky, came to Arkansaw and rented a small farm of Major Wiley Smith. When the rent became due, Major Smith approached Colonel Higinson and said:

"Colonel, your rent is due to-day."

"I am sorry to hear that, for I like you."

"What?"

"I am sorry for I like you."

"What difference does that make?"

"Makes all the difference in the world."

"How so?"

"Because I can't pay you."

"Why?"

"Well, because I've been disappointed?"

"Financially?"

"No, not particularly."

"Crops short?"

"No."

"Been sick?"

"No, been in good health."

"Then what's the matter?"

"Wife got a divorce from me."

"What difference does that make?"

"What?"

The Major repeated the question.

"What difference does that make? Why man, you must be crazy. My wife she took care of the crop."

"What did you do?"

"What! Why, I run the farm. You fellows don't know how to raise a crop."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

WAR TIME EXPEDIENTS.

Some Facts Illustrating the Proverb that "Necessity Is the Mother of Invention"—Life in the South During the War.

Perhaps, taking everything into consideration, no portion of the Confederacy "during our late unpleasantness" was so destitute of the necessaries of life as that portion lying on the Southern sea board and forming part of the States of Mississippi, Alabama and Florida. The great industries of these States, that is, that portion situated as explained above, was timber, lumber, resin, tar, pitch and turpentine. The soil is not favorable, except in favored spots, for cultivation. Consisting of vast level flats, the top soil of loam is very thin, while immediately beneath it is a heavy pipe clay, while the only vegetation that seems to thrive are the great forests of pine. These, skirting the Gulf of Mexico, following the coastline for several hundred miles, and with a breadth ranging from one to two hundred miles, form the well-known pine meadows, destined in years to come to be a prolific source of wealth to the South. Perhaps with us, who resided in this portion of the Confederacy, the first necessity, after the small supply on hand was exhausted, was salt. This was a need soon felt, and it is unnecessary to add that a pound of it soon became very precious. Old brine that had done duty until it could be used no longer was boiled down until every particle of saline matter was extracted from it, and the salt thus obtained was again in its turn used in the same manner. As the supply became scarcer and scarcer, the next method, or rather recourse, was to dig up the smoke-house and to filter water through the earth thus obtained, this in turn being subjected to the usual process of boiling in order to obtain the precious condiment. So scarce did it become as the war wore on, that when a beeve was killed, instead of salting down in barrels as at first, it became more economical to cut the flesh into thin strips and dry it in the sun. It must be confessed that beef treated in this manner is more palatable than most persons would imagine. They who lived near the coast fared somewhat better, for taking the boilers from the various saw-mills, they separated the shells from the flues, and splitting them into equal halves, a strong head of wood was fitted into the ends and thus treated they were placed over a furnace and filled with the salt water from the Gulf. Of course the business had its reverses, for sometimes the blockading squadron, attracted by the smoke, would move up and with a few shells completely demolish the salt works. The salt kettles, being made of old boilers, were too heavy for the enemy to carry off, and as no damage beyond knocking out the wooden heads could be inflicted, the salt manufacturers would, with indefatigable energy when the hostile fleet removed to a safe distance, gather up the debris, make a few repairs and recommence boiling.

The ingenuity of the people was to replace the various articles of clothing and the different domestic luxuries. Old dressess, old coats were turned and made over, remodeled and cut down. The writer remembers well what a pang of envy was awakened within his bosom going to a ball one night to find that the attentions of the fair ones were all bestowed on an acquaintance who made his advent that evening in a bright, spick, span new pair of pantaloons, made of new ticking, with broad, blue stripes, cut bias.

Perhaps the easiest problem for us to solve amid our various troubles was that of making hats. Fortunately the supply of palmetto in our Southern swamps is in a manner speaking inexhaustible, and from this source we were soon compelled by the course of events to draw our supply of hats. We soon learned to improve upon the first rude models, and when the war was brought to a close some of the ladies, especially, had acquired taste and proficiency. The palmetto hats they made would not have reflected discredit upon a fashionable hatter. The heart of the palmetto is generally selected as being still held together, and not being sprouted out and unfolded into the fan-shaped leaf so familiar to travelers in the South. While in this condition the folds lie one upon another, and are perfectly white and pliable. After being severed from the main trunk it is opened out and hung in the shade to dry. About a week's drying suffices to prepare it for use. It is now separated, each fold from the other, and cut into convenient lengths, then divided into little strips about an eighth of an inch in width, and these in turn plaited or braided together into one continuous braid until of sufficient length to make the hat. The hat itself was always commenced from the center of the crown by sewing the braid together in slightly overlapping circles. The rim, as a finishing touch, was generally bound with a braid.

Keenly felt was the need of ammunition. Owing to the stringency of the blockade it soon became almost impossible to obtain either powder or lead. The latter was the first to give out, and in order to supply this need all the machinery was taken apart and all the old boxes, fillings, etc., were put to a new use—converted into shot. As there were no shot towers the favorite method was to climb the tallest tree one could find, melt the lead as well as we could in the top and let the liquid metal drop into a tub of cold water beneath. The result thus obtained would scarcely have awakened envy on the part of some of our modern shot manufacturers, but in the language of an old "mossback" who was compelled to resort to this expedient, "it beat nothing all holler."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—An admirable potato pudding: First boil two pounds of white potatoes, then peel and beat them in a mortar, small as not to be discovered what they are; then take a pound of butter and mix it with the yolks of eight eggs and the whites of three; beat them very well and mix in a pint of cream and half a pint of milk, a pound of refined sugar with a little salt and spice; bake it.—*The Household.*

—Mrs. Oscar Wilde has two babies to look after now—the new boy infant and the one she married.—*Philadelphia Press.*

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Pauline Markham is the name of the actress who once gave a time-honored horsewhipped Wilbur F. Story, of the Chicago Times.

We clip the following from a late number of the Evening Wisconsin.

Spalding Bros., 119 Wisconsin Street, are agents for the sale in Milwaukee of two admirable examples of photography, published by Root & Tinker, of New York. One sheet contains affine and artistic portraits of the commanders-in-chief of the G. A. R. The other bears a representation of the Bartholdi statue. The latter is taken from the original design and a percentage of the money received from its sale will be turned in to the pedestal fund. Both pictures are highly artistic. They sell for the moderate price of $1 each.

We acknowledge the receipt of one of these pictures from Harry Spalding. It is a very fine engraving.

A PLEASANT RECEPTION

We clip the following item from a late number of the Monroe County Mail. Our readers will remember Mrs. Burns was formerly Miss Allie M. Collins, of Macon, who has but recently become Mrs. Burns. The bride's many friends in this vicinity will be glad to learn of her hearty reception in her new home.

Rev. W. C. Burns and bride arrived Saturday evening. Tuesday evening, in spite of the rain, large numbers of their parishioners and other friends of Mr. Burns gathered at the home of Mrs. McMillan, to welcome them home. Mrs. Burns at once won the regard of all who conversed with her, and is a pleasant appearing lady, whose face indicates all the good sense, good judgment, and self forgetfulness required to perform the varied and sometimes perplexing and embarassing duties which fall to the lot of a pastor's wife, and their congratulations showed of how much more sincere. The members of the society presented her with a handsome decorated porcelain dinner set, of 124 pieces. The design is modest and artistic, and the effect very pleasing, reflecting much credit upon Miss Grace Green, who made the selection. Miss Green in a few well chosen words presented to Mr. Burns an easy chair, tastily made of willow, grasses, etc., Mr. Chas. Butler on behalf of the Good Templars presented an easel and engraving. After partaking of refreshments the guests dispersed.

A FAREWELL SERVICE.

The relations of the three churches on Chicago street, Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist, are fraternal in their charm for being made more so by their close proximity with each other. An unusual occurrence has just happened in their history. The pastors of two of these churches, Methodist and Baptist, have just finished their labors in Tecumseh to leave for other fields. Having said farewell to their own people a cordial invitation was extended and accepted to hold union service in the Presbyterian church, preparatory to their final departure, that the members of all the three churches might have opportunity to bid the departing ones, God speed, together. This farewell service was held last Sabbath night. The large audience room of the Presbyterian church was completely filled. The pastor of that church presided and after devotional exercises made an address expressing his feelings of respect and christian regard for the brethren who were leaving, and the pleasure it had been to him to labor beside them. After a congregational hymn and prayer by Rev. Mr. Vincent the audience were addressed by Rev. Mr. Hudson of the Methodist church, who paid a handsome tribute to the members of his own congregation and also those of the others represented in the gathering. They were pleasant, happy years, he said, he had been permitted to spend in this place.

Rev. Mr. Conley, of the Baptist church, followed Mr. Hudson in remarks of a similar spirit. The parting with his people was rendered even more painful from the fact that he had ministered to them for seven years and more. As he was only going to Detroit, he hoped to see again from time to time those whom he was now leaving. The effect of the meeting was excellent. It increased the feeling of christian unity already existing and the opinion was expressed by many who were present that it was a good thing it had been held.

The Rev. Mr. Hudson was to leave yesterday for Hancock, Michigan, his new home, by way of Detroit and the lakes. Rev. Mr. Conley leaves to fill his new pulpit in Detroit, next Saturday, and his family will go early next week.

THE FARMER'S OPPORTUNITY

The farmer's life should be the most independent one, especially in this country, where land is cheap and taxes low. He produces what mankind consumes. His gains come from the surplus over and above what he requires for his own needs. If his surplus costs him more to produce than he can obtain for it, he is the loser, just as the merchant or manufacturer would be under similar conditions. It is often the case that a conspiracy is formed among the "middlemen" to obtain the farmer's surplus at a lower price than it costs him to produce it. In the war of interests between the producer and consumer, when agricultural products are abundant, the farmer is apt to get the worst of it—the price advances after the grain has passed into the hands of the middlemen. This was notably the case in 1883 and 1884, when the farmers of the Northwest received but 40 to 50 cents a bushel for their wheat which means an absolute loss to the raiser. For the first time since 1881 the farmer is to-day the master of the situation, and it is his own fault if he does not make the most of it. If he will hold his wheat at $1 at the station he will get his price, and by selling half as much as he did last year he will receive more money for its sales and still have some wheat left to carry over to another year. One reason for this statement is that our wheat crop for this year is short. The winter wheat is not more than half a crop, and the spring wheat is reported as damaged one third. The Government report for July, which does not include the damage to spring wheat it having taken place to a large extent since the report was prepared, places the entire yield of the United States for 1885 at 357,000,000 bushels. In 1884 the Government report placed the yield at 512,000,000, with 40,000,000 on hand from the crop of 1883. Add these amounts together and we will learn the total amount of wheat that this country has had during the last two years:

From old crop, at the beginning of the harvest of 1884	40,000,000
Total yield of 1884	512,000,000
Total yield of 1885 (including nothing for spring wheat damage)	357,000,000
Total for two years	909,000,000

Deduct from this total of 909,000,000 the amount required for home consumption and for seed, namely, 700,000,000 for two years, and the 132,000,000 exported last year, and we have remaining for export and for carrying over but 77,000,000.

For home consumption, 1884	300,000,000
For seed, 1884	50,000,000
Exported	132,000,000
For home consumption, 1885	300,000,000
For seed, 1885	50,000,000
Total	832,000,000
Total amount of wheat for '84 and '85	909,000,000
Consumption, seed, and export	832,000,000
For export and to carry over 1885	77,000,000

Therefore, if we export half as much wheat as we did last year, we shall not have a bushel left at the beginning of the harvest of 1886, and, should the crop of 1886 be no larger than the crop of 1885, we should be importing wheat within eighteen months, and it would be selling at famine prices. In 1883 we imported wheat; in 1885 we again imported wheat, besides bringing it across the Isthmus from California, and it sold at $4 per bushel in New York. In 1881, on the short crop, wheat sold at $1.40 in Chicago and at $1.60 in New York. The question now naturally arises as to whether the foreign demand is likely to be decreased or whether it will be large. There is no country in the world that has a full average crop, and many countries fall far below the average. France and England have greatly reduced their acreage by turning their wheat fields into pastures for sheep and cattle thereby realizing better profits than they could from raising wheat which in the years 1884 and 1885 sold at a lower price than in 100 years. England's acreage is decreased from 3,000,000 to 2,000,000 bushels, and France 35,000,000 on acreage alone. Besides the decrease of acreage the *Mark Lane Express* of July 25 says: "Broadly speaking, nothing is good now that has not obtained a good start before May set in, whether the land is good, bad, or indifferent. Each district appears to have had a season of its own, but the really punishing drought seems to have been confined to the southwestern districts." On Aug. 3 the same paper says: "As the crops ripen, reports on the probable yield become less and less hopeful. Even the wheat crop has suffered by the severity of the drought and the hot sun. Even from Essex and other countries where the crops were supposed to be splendid the latter reports are less and less favorable than the early ones have been. The wheats are said to be badly blighted, and the barley also. The harvests will not be as good by 30 per cent. as they were supposed to be a month ago. The wheats are causing doubts to growers; much of the spring sown grain is absolutely perishing from drought." Referring to the forcing weather for crops, the same London paper says: "This very rapid maturing of the wheat crop has been attended by a great deal of waste in its apparent weight, and while some districts are still reported favorable to an unusual degree, there is a growing opinion that it will on the whole fall short of the general expectation. The weather for July was unexceptionally favorable for the normal requirements of wheat in that month, but the mischief done in May and June was to an extent not then realized, but is now becoming apparent." France will be about 35,000,000 short on acreage alone, for the same reason that the farmers have turned their wheat lands into pasturage. The *Mark Lane Express* says of the growing crops of that country: "Further advices from the southwestern part of France mention that threshing reveals unexpected deficiencies in the wheat, attributed to great growth of weeds and an unfavorable season. Even in some parts of the Garonne Basin, the yield is said to be one-fourth below that of 1884. In the east the farmers appear satisfied with the results of the threshing; but in the northeast a deficiency of an eighth is reported. The centre is under average, and the west and northwest better."

The London *Miller* says: "The English potato crop is considered a failure. France is expecting a short crop of wheat, while accounts from southern Russia show little to spare in that quarter." Russia's shortage from drought and blight is reported as anywhere from 50,000,000 to 100,000,000. The loss of the crops in Russia have advanced gold to a premium of 15 to 20 per cent, already in southern Russia. Again, the rye crop of Russia, Germany, Austria and Prussia is fearfully damaged. If our foreign news is true, the shortage in breadstuffs in England, France, Germany and America is nearly 500,000,000 bushels, for in Russia and Germany rye forms the staple food, as wheat does in this country. Now, with the fact of this shortage in foreign countries, it is very poor policy for the American farmer to part with his wheat at the prevailing low prices, when there is certain to be a scarcity of wheat within twelve months. The short of 1881 made money for the farmer who held his wheat and for the speculator who bought. The losers were the farmers who rushed their wheat to market and the bears who sold "short." In 1883 and 1884 the crops were abundant. The farmers had more wheat than they needed for home consumption or for foreign demand. Hence the large supply of wheat on hand. The wheat in sight amounts to say 40,000,000 bushels at all points. This 40,000,000 bushels is the great bugbear. The press of the country, with but few exceptions, has been loud in its advice to the farmers to sell their wheat at any price. It points to the 40,000,000 bushels in sight and harps on the fact that the foreigners are not taking any of our wheat. It will be a blessing if the foreigners continue "not to take any of our wheat" at these prices. If the farmers are willing to give their wheat away it had better be to our own countrymen, for if it goes abroad we shall have to buy it back at higher rates. When a merchant has a large stock of goods on hand at low prices, and he finds that the mills which produced the goods have been destroyed, rendering their production in possible for twelve months, he is in no hurry to dispose of his accumulation at the low rates he purchased them at. He keeps them for a rise. So when the farmer understands that there is not enough wheat to go around, and that no more can be produced for twelve months, he should be in no hurry to part with his supply at present low prices. By waiting he will get his own price for it. Nor should he be disturbed over the fact that the foreigners cannot see behind our "40,000,000 in sight." England has become so accustomed to buying of us from hand to mouth by cable, and having the wheat delivered on her shores within thirty days, that she does not realize that a shortage in our crops means "no more wheat at these prices" for her. The farmers of the United Kingdom and France, by holding their wheat sixty days, will find that the "lowest price in a hundred years" is a thing of the past. They can get 45s. to 50s. for their wheat, instead of 32s. to 36s. that they are now receiving, if they will have a little patience. The amount on passage is rapidly diminishing, and the home supplies will soon be sought after at better prices.

Of all the farmer's possessions to-day not one promises so great and speedy a return as his wheat. He can sell his farm and buy it back next year for the same or less money. He can sell his cattle, hogs, or horses, and replace them next spring for perhaps less money. His wheat will never be worth any less until at least two large crops in succession, have been harvested, and before that time it is likely to greatly increase in value. It is for our spring wheat farmers to make the prices for the world's wheat markets. The winter wheat farmers have none to spare. This is especially true of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Missouri, Kansas, Kentucky, and Tennessee, whose crops are disastrous, except in the northern portions of Ohio and Indiana. Michigan and Oregon are the only winter wheat States that have raised good crops this year. This is the "golden egg" year for the farmer of these sections, for he will be likely to make up the losses he sustained last year by holding his present crop for later delivery at good prices. During the last fortnight Indiana shipped wheat to St. Louis, and Baltimore has shipped wheat to Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Ohio for milling purposes. The short crop of wheat is a greater calamity to this country than is yet realized. If the shortage approaches the figures that the State statisticians give, namely, 200,000,000 bushels, it means $200,000,000 loss to the United States, considering wheat at but $1 per bushel. Through the foregoing I have adopted the Government figures, although they are not always infallible. They varied their wheat report 40,000,000 last year, and their estimates of the corn crop of 1881 varied 400,000,000 between June and December. It is probable that when they understand the damage to the spring wheat crop they will lower their estimate for the wheat yield from 357,000,000 to nearer 300,000,000. Of the large crop of 1884 the visible supply in the United States increased 28,000,000 from Aug. 1 to Dec. 31, or at the rate of 1,280,000 per week.

The receipts of winter wheat at all the principal sea board and interior points from July 1 to Aug. 15, 1885, as compared with 1884, are as follows:

July, 1884	13,634,000
Aug. 1 to 15, 1884	11,441,000
Total	25,075,000
July, 1885	5,430,000
Aug. 1 to 15, 1885	5,010,000
Total	10,440,000
1884, total	25,075,000
1885, total	10,440,000
Decrease	14,635,000

These are figures that the farmer would do well to ponder over. There cannot be an overproduction of what man and beast require for food. If the farmer has more than he can sell profitably one year, if he will keep it in store, another year will create a demand for it either by home or foreign shortage.—New York Sun.

The October number of Demorest's Monthly Magazine is, as usual, very entertaining and instructive. As a family magazine it is worthy of honorable mention. The present number is filled with readable articles, among which are "Three Days at Chamonnix," "The Poet Milton," and "Rambles About Crieff." All the articles devoted to fashion and the adornment of home are very suggestive, and the stories, poems, and various departments furnish agreeable and instructive reading. There are some good illustrations, and the frontispiece is a fine steel engraving. This number completes Vol. XXI.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending September 22d., 1885:

Estate of Abram Hamilton, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Oct., 12, 1885.

Estate of Jonas A. Durdorff, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing October 12, 1885.

Estate of Henry Beck, deceased; petition for allowance of administratrix's final account; hearing October 12, 1885.

Estate of Allen P. Hulyck, deceased; bond filed; letters testementary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Nathan S. Green deceased; petition for appointment of administrator de bonis non upon said estate with will annexed; Hearing October 19, 1885.

Estate of George W. Allen, deceased; petition for allowance of executors final account; hearing October 19, 1885.

Estate of Wm. Waring, deceased; order of continuance until October 19, 1885.

Estate of Julia Ann Duel, an incompetent person; affidavit of service of order; testimony taken and filed; order of continuance until October 5, 1885.

Estate of Stephen H. Aldrich, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment; discharge.

In the matter of Freddie Mesler, a juvenile offender; convicted of larceny before Justice Brown and sentenced to reform school; proceedings approved.

Estate of Tompkins D. Jermain, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; bond $3,000.

Estate of Carl Mosher DeLano, minor; petition for guardian; order of appointment; bond, $400.

Estate of Francis A. Howard, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; discharge.

—LOW RATES.—See here young man, what an opportunity of securing a Business Education. A complete course in Book keeping, Penmanship, Commercial Law, Business Arithmetic and Correspondence, Political Economy, only $25. A course in Short hand, Type-writing and Telegraphy three months only $15. Send and get a catalogue and specimen of penmanship, Brown's Business University, Adrian, Mich. Finest rooms in the state.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

—The old Globe Mills' patent process flour takes the whole bakery.

—For a fine single harness, a light double harness, or a heavy work harness, call on C. A. Slayton.

Big bargains in carriages or Farm Wagons.

—The "Globe Mills Pastry" leads all the brands of flour in this market.

—The best flour for ordinary domestic use sold in this market is that manufactured at the old Globe Mills.

—For sale cheap—A new four ton combination beam Buffalo Platform Scale. Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.

—Special Bargains on a few good second-hand coal stoves.

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For sale in Tecumseh by Satterthwaite & Boyd, Henry McClure, James Lowry, H. E. Anderson, D. W. Clark.

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All the NOVELTIES!

Plaids, Checks, Diagonals, Etc,
Men's Suits, good quality, $5.50.
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That beat the world.

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And be convinced, for we are underselling any house in the city.

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We will astonish the most Economical Bargain Seekers.

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We have on our floor a fiull line of those celebrated base burners. Their wonderful success of last season has led others to attempt to imitate; beware, a careful comparison and examination will be sufficient to satisfy all of their established superiority.

The Round Oak.

Although it has hundreds of imitators, it still LEADS as the most successful wood heater manufactured. Remember that by a few dollars additional cost, the "Round Oak" can at any time be converted into a first-class self-feeding coal stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS. & BOYD.

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Of Fine and Medium

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During the Next Six Weeks I will make prices that will be sure to move a large portion of my present stock. I want a

Few Thousand Dollars in Cash Immediately.

I would kindly inform those that have unsettled accounts on my books I would like a settlement at once. I can't chase after you, but will send statement through the mail.

My Undertaking Department is Complete

And prices Very Reasonable.

WM. McCOWEN.

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OPERA HOUSE, TECUMSEH.

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MONDAY EVE., OCT. 5, 1885.

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YOU WILL LAUGH!

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EVERYBODY LAUGHS!
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Reserved seats now on sale at Adamson's.

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MAGNIFICENT SCENERY and Spectacular Effects and the introduction of the following original, new and novel features offered by no other manager.

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Reserved Seats at Adamson's.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED.—To employ a sexton for M. E. church for this conference year. Sealed proposals will be received by Committee and contracts given to lowest responsible bidder. Requirements seen at the store of J. S. Kinney.

J. L. REMINGTON. } Com.
J. S. KINNEY. }

NOTICE.—The annual Renting of Pews in the Methodist church will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 2 P.M., continuing afternoon and evening. BY ORDER OF COM.

JUST RECEIVED.—The finest car load of horses ever brought to Michigan from Texas. These horses are from the Judge Noonan Ranch who has been breeding from the best Kentucky stock for the last 28 years. They stand from 14½ to 15 hands high, good color, very shapely and stylish. They can be seen any time on my place one mile west of Franklin Center.

Sept. 30, 1885. J. R. KEENEY.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—50,000 Wilson's Albany now ready for the fall picking. Price, $2.50 per thousand.

ABNER WILSON.

SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

FOR SALE.—One family pony horse. Enquire of E. V. De Puy or at his house.

Tecumseh's enterprising Jewelers, Adamson Bros., have a new announcement on the eighth page of today's HERALD. They are always up with the times in their line of business, and carry the most complete jewelry stock in Southern Michigan. Call and see them.

The hotel runners got hold of the wrong man last week on the L. S. & M. S. road. While riding up from the depot they tackled T. J. Charlsworth, Supt. of the Detroit division, and it is a noticeable fact that they have'nt rode up from the depot to the crossing to work the train since then.

Hon. John J. Adam yesterday received a letter from Cassopolis announcing the death of J. H. Patterson, in his 85th year. Mr. Patterson was one of the few surviving members of the first Constitutional Convention. So far as Mr. Adam's knowledge extends, there are but three members of that convention now living.

Grange Fair.

The Macon Grange will hold a fair at their hall on Friday evening, Oct. 9th. It is hoped that all the members will be present, and it is expected that all will bring exhibits of fruits, vegetables, &c. Speaking by J. W. Baker, Dr. Howell and others. A general invitation is extended.

BIG HITS FOR BANKER.

Several of Banker Rothchild's colts were on exhibition at the county fair last week, and they drew six first premiums. His colts won in the 2-year old, 3-year old and 4-year old speed classes.

The 2-year old "Frank S" trotted in 3:05.

The 3-year old "Don Rothchild" trotted in 3:10.

The 4-year old "Bingo Rothchild" trotted in 2:50.

Mr. Oscar Doolittle, of Adrian, who acted as starter at the races last week is a great admirer of Hambletonian stock. After the races were over he called the audience to order and said, "that 2-year old "Frank S" is the finest, the speediest and the best colt ever shown in Lenawee County."

Mr. Frank Silvers, the owner of Banker, is considerably elated at the splendid show which Banker's colts made at the county fair, and he has good reason to be.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 1, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

E. H. Hoag, of Iowa, is spending a few days in town.

E. W. Rappleyee, of Dundee, was in town last Friday.

Alf. W. James, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

Rev. F. Adkins, of Elyria, Ohio, will occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sabbath.

Maxwell's Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe is said to be the best combination on the road.

The cellar is nearly excavated for John Heck's new residence on Chicago street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chapman went to Indianapolis last Monday for a few day's visit.

A. S. Hayden, of Milan, drove over to Tecumseh on Saturday last and remained a day or two.

The old Globe Mill is booming. All the work it can do, and 7000 barrels of flour are now sold ahead.

Abner Wilson had a large display of vegetables at the county fair. He captured 15 first and ten second premiums.

The annual renting of pews at the M. E. Church will take place next Wednesday, Oct. 7th. See notice else where.

R. W. Hillman, of Lyons, Ohio, arrived in town last Monday for a few days visit among his old Tecumseh friends.

Mr. Andrew Wilson left town yesterday for Arkansas City, Kansas, to visit his son-in-law, Ed. Learnard. He will undoubtedly remain there several weeks.

One of S. W. Temple's teams ran away yesterday afternoon, demolishing his coal wagon No. 2. Fortunately neither the horses nor driver sustained any injury.

C. H. White, of Raisin, took nineteen pairs of fowls to the county fair, and came home with sixteen premiums. His show of poultry was one of the best on the grounds.

Henry Mensing is still pushing the building business. His wife presented him with a bouncing girl on the 22d. Henry is happy and the rest of the family are doing well.

All indebted to us whose accounts are now due, will confer a favor by paying the same within the next ten days, and greatly oblige

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

As Mike Wilson was turning the corner near E. G. Cook's last Tuesday afternoon with a load of hay, the load upset and Mr. Wilson was thrown violently to the ground. His hip was badly bruised, but luckily no bones were broken. Dr. Jones is attending upon him and he is doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. E. C. Coryell departed this life on Saturday last and the funeral rites were held on Monday. The deceased was a woman of most estimable qualities of mind and heart, who had the faculty of making friends with all, and her death will be sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends. A befitting obituary notice will appear in these columns next week.

Knapp's band went out on a serenade last Tuesday evening. We acknowledge a call from them, and understand the following persons were also favored with some of their choicest music. S. W. Temple, Fred. B. Wood, J. H. Smith, B. C. Knapp, Ed. Hough, E. G. Cook, L. Lilley, Wm. Hayden, Lilley House, Patterson House and C. F. Field. It was a beautiful evening for serenading.

Commencing on Monday, Oct. 12th. the following named firms will close their places of business at 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.
Whitenack, Bordine & Co.
Wm. McCowen.
J. S. Kinney.
Strong & McNair.
Kies Bros.
Geo. Heesen.
Sutton, Fairfield & Co.
W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

Benj. Swan, after a sojourn of about three months in Tecumseh, started for his home in Florida, last Monday. His business affairs have all been satisfactorily settled up, and he leaves Tecumseh without a dollar standing against him. All his means are now invested in his Florida property, and he will make that state his permanent home hereafter. That he will prosper in his new location we have no reason to doubt.

Lucius Lilley Esq., returned yesterday from a trip of one week out west. He left home on Tuesday of last week and went directly to Chicago. There he remained three or four days in attendance upon the Banker's Convention. At the close he went with a delegation of bankers to Pullman and from thence to St. Paul and Minneapolis, stopping one day in each city. Although the trip was to a certain extent a business one and undertaken for business purposes, yet it afforded him much recreation, and he enjoyed the entire week's absence from home exceedingly well.

Uncle Tom's Cabin is coming.

T. M. Hunter, of Adrian, was in town last Saturday.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co. have a new card in to-day's HERALD.

A new platform has been laid in front of the Opera House.

Wheat is going up, which causeth the heart of the farmer to rejoice.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., have a change of advertisement the week.

We acknowledge a pleasant call last Monday from Rev. A. A. Wall, of Franklin.

Frank Lankins and Will Hastings returned to Ann Arbor University last Monday.

Two car loads of Dry Goods received this week at W. & S. W. Anderson & Co's.

Mrs. John Hadwin, of Marshal, and Mrs. Phillips, of Burlington, are visiting friends in Tecumseh and Britton.

Alba Heywood, Tecumseh's favorite, is soon to give an entertainment in the Opera House. Look out for the date.

Three orchestras have lately been organized in the village, and three or four vocal quartettes. When and where is this thing going to stop?

At the county fair last week James Boyd's colt took the first premiun in the 2 year old race and Bert Garlinghouse's colt captured the second premium in the 3 year old race.

P. W. Adams started for his home in Delaware last Monday. His sojourn of three weeks in Tecumseh was a very enjoyable one. His enthusiastic description of the Delaware soil and climate have given some of our citizens the Delaware fever.

Editor Stearns, of the Adrian is very particular. When he takes a cord of elm wood on subscription he wants a *cord*. He finds there is a great difference sometimes between a *cord* of wood and a *load* of wood. We know how it is ourselves, for we've been there.

Mr. L. R. Gainsley has rented the store between Satterthwaite's hardware and Hough & Hosmer's, which he is filling with a fine stock of Dry Goods. The opening will take place on Monday next, Oct. 5th. C. H. Gainsley will have charge of the store. We call attention to their business announcement which appears elsewhere.

The C. L. S. C. met at the office of Dr. R. B. House last Saturday evening when the following officers were chosen for the coming term.

President—Mrs. Fred Rosacrans.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. G. D. Perry.
Secretary—Miss Grace Parkhurst.

There are now 25 members in the circle. It will hold its regular meetings on the 2nd and 4th Monday evenings of each month at Dr. House's office.

Mr. G. P. Sparks is having his store enlarged this week by connecting the large room South of his present room with the latter, which will nearly double the storage capacity of his store. He will put in at once a large additional stock of both musical instruments and sewing machines and will carry the most complete assortment of goods in that line ever shown in this section of the state. We hope to see Mr. Sparks reap a largely increased trade to compensate him for his enterprise.

Last Monday, Sept. 28th, the Detroit Free Press, completed the first half century of its existence and it signalized the event by publishing a sixteen page paper, containing a lengthy historical sketch of the enterprise during those fifty years. The Free Press, like most newspapers, has seen its ups and downs, its seasons of adversity as well as prosperity, but it has weathered five fires and a good many financial gales, and is now one of the strongest and wealthiest newspaper establishments in the Northwest. By common consent it stands at the very head of Michigan journalism, and its reputation is as broad as the continent. Business energy, fidelity to the profession and editorial ability have wrought out in the Free Press a model newspaper. Here is our heartiest congratulations, accompanied with the sincere wish that its second fifty years may rival its first.

The medical attachment of the Tecumseh News, who formerly served on the New York Tribune and who now peddles pills in Clinton, has broken out again. In last weeks News he has this item:

The great unknown of the Tecumseh Herald has at last had to come to the surface to breathe, and by putting his head above water has been discovered. If anyone desires to know who this "old respected citizen of Clinton" is, he can do so by ascertaining who had the refusal of the brick house on Jackson street until the 10th of October.

Upon inquiry, we learn that the citizen who had the refusal of the brick house on Jackson street was Ed. VanDeMark. Now, Mr. VanDeMark would doubtless make a good newspaper correspondent and he would doubtless be willing to serve the HERALD in that capacity, but the *fact* is that Mr. VanDeMark is not now and never has been the HERALD correspondent. If the medical editor were as truthful in his statements as he is prolific, he might develop into a fair correspondent himself, in time.

Will Harding, of Albion College, is in town this week.

Geo. S. Field went to Chicago Tuesday for a short visit.

Topsy and Uncle Tom at the Opera House to-morrow night.

C. A. Slayton, of this village, is buying apples for the Hause Bros. of Clinton.

The Raisin Pioneers hold their reunion to-day at the Presbyterian church in that township.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Tillipaugh, of Hudson, were the guests of Henry Brown over Sunday last.

The theatrical season will open at the Opera House on Monday evening, Oct. 5th with "Dolly's Luck."

The Williamson Bros. have shipped 2,000 barrels of eggs since they bought out Frank Bumann last spring.

Benj. Shepard, of Ontario, Co., N. Y., father of Mrs. Frank Silvers, has been spending a few days in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Abner Wilson has been quite ill for several days, but she is now on the mend and will be out of the Doctors care soon.

Geo. S. Tiffany and Truman McKinney are attending the Indiana state fair at Indianapolis this week with their new clay crusher.

Frank VanDyne, of Manchester, was manipulating the L. S. & M. S. telegraph instrument last Saturday, in the absence of Newberry on the excursion to Detroit.

Buel Johnson, who lives two miles northwest of Clinton is building a large grain barn, with a basement. When completed it will be one of the best barns in that section.

The two rooms in the new engine house occupied by the hose companies are being furnished this week in fine shape. The boys will have a nobby suite of rooms when finished.

Those who have never seen Uncle Tom's Cabin should avail themselves of the opportunity to-morrow evening. Those who have seen it should go again. Uncle Tom and Topsey never grow old.

B. F. Lamkins, of Franklin, a graduate of the Tecumseh High School, has entered the law department of the University at Ann Arbor. We heartily wish him success and believe he will attain it.

The young men of the village (with their best girls) will indulge in a hop at Armory Hall this evening. They are hopping around pretty lively this week perfecting arrangements to have a hopping good time.

We have received a copy of the inaugural address of Edwin Willits, President of the state Agricultural college, which was delivered Aug. 19, last. It is an able and admirable address and deserves general perusal.

Frank L. Osborn, an old Tecumseh boy, who has been stationed over the M. E. church at Fairfield during the past year, has been transferred to Unionville, Tuscola Co. He will preach his first sermon there next Sunday.

"Consideration for the Faults of Others," will be the subject of the sermon for the morning at the Universalist church, followed by communion service. "The Profit of Labor" for the evening. Sunday School at 12:45. All welcomed to each service.

Mrs. Simpson T. Clark, of Hillsdale, has been spending a few days in Tecumseh as the guest of Thomas Cummins and Burritt Allen. She returned home Tuesday. Mr. Clark's old friends here will be glad to learn that he is located on a farm near Hillsdale and is prospering.

Geo. S. Tiffany has lately gotten up a new clay crushing machine which he calls the "Success Crusher." The machine is founded upon patents issued to Truman McKinney and Walter Soper of this village in January, with some patented improvements lately made by Mr. Tiffany. Mr. Tiffany is now making arrangements to manufacture the machine and put it upon the market.

CHURCH REPAIRS.

The repairs on the Baptist Church are now nearly completed and the church will probably be occupied next Sunday, at all events on the Sunday following. The repairs will add very much to the comfort and convenience of the church property. The session room has been remodeled and improved the kitchen enlarged, and the parlor in the second story of the rear addition nearly doubled in size. The main audience room has been frescoed anew and it is certainly no exaggeration to say that it is the most artistic job of frescoing that has thus far been executed in this village. The room will be lighted by two large reflectors attached to the ceiling which will give an abundance of light and far superior to the old lamps. The pews and casings have been revarnished and the carpet and cushions thoroughly cleaned and replaced. The entire expense of the improvements will amount to several hundred dollars, but the sum will be soon forthcoming to liquidate all indebtedness. Our Baptist friends are now provided with one of the neatest and most convenient church edifices in Tecumseh and they deserve it.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Hudson has a Carleton circle.

The Morenci fair comes off this week.

The Tri-State fair sunk about $2,500 this year.

The automatic rug machine company have fitted up a fine office at Morenci.

The Morenci Observer will publish a daily this week during three days of the fair.

The Adrian Light Guard made $250 out of their excursion last Saturday. A good lift for the boys.

The Baptist church of Morenci have rented an eating house on the fair grounds and will provide the visitors at the fair with cold water and wittles.

Postmaster Southworth of Hudson, has resigned and Col. Eldredge has forwarded the name of his successor. Who the lucky man will be however, no fellow can find out.

The editor of the Hudson Gazette rejoices in the possession of a cane made by a native Zulu of Africa, which was lately presented to him. Bro. Schermerhorn is already commencing preparations for next year's press excursion.

Ex-supervisor Bradner, of Clinton, has raised a mushroom on his farm that measures forty five inches in circumference and weighs over eight pounds. He has a large farm but there isn't room for many such mushrooms on the place.

Editor Beakes, of the Record, carries a beautiful pearl-mounted revolver about his person constantly, and is always ready to be interviewed by the fellow who wants to see the editor. The weapon is worn on his watch charm, and is conveniently handy.—Adrian Press.

On complaint of Oliver Wadsworth, Chris. Schmidt, was arrested Monday, on the charge of keeping his saloon open on Sunday. The trial was to have come off on Tuesday afternoon, but the proceedings were quashed on some irregularities in the papers.—Clinton Local.

The habit of young Tecumsehites of standing in the entrances, just outside of the droppings of the sanctuaries, and grabbing for the girls when they come out, has become so pestiferous that the church committees have united in threatening a prosecution of the offenders.—Adrian Record.

The Observer is urging the young people of that town to organize a literary society. Yes, the questions of capital punishment, whether Washington or Napoleon was the greater general, whether realization gives more pleasure than anticipation, ought to be settled definitely as early as possible.

Quite a number of Hudson people who intended to take in the Adrian fair last Wednesday did not go according to program. The morning train was abandoned owing to an accident four miles east of Elkhart, where a broken rail caused the engine and seven cars to be ditched. No one was injured, although one car had thirty passengers aboard. A miraculous escape.—Hudson Post.

Aaron Tufts, of Seneca Lenawee county, declines office. He has been 31 years treasurer of his school district, and the people thought he better keep right on, but he concluded that the honors ought to be distributed a bit more evenly, and that some one else should handle the money, before they should forget how it was done. It is unnecessary to say that the district has never found a penny missing in this 31 years of faithful service.

Lenawee county's celebrated artist, Verne Wheeler, of Tecumseh, has been taking some more stereoscopic views of Devil's lake, and has handed THE GAZETTE a number of them, with his compliments. They were photographed during the G. A. R. encampment, and embrace many of the most beautiful scenes on the northeast side of the lake. Mr. Wheeler will photograph some residences in this locality this week. We will say to any of our people desiring anything in his line, that they cannot find a more thorough and competent artist.—Hudson Gazette.

Toledo is making strenuous efforts to have some of its capitalists invest a part of their money in prospecting for natural gas, and we believe preparations for boring has been commenced. A large well was struck at Fremont, O., a few days ago, while at Bowling Green two wells supply the town for all lighting and heating purposes. Several years ago some efforts in boring for gas were made in this village, but no one was found to assume the risk of possible failure. Talk upon the subject is now again revived. Unloubtedly large quantities of gas is confined beneath the surface of the earth in this vicinity, the only question being how deep? Wells sunk anywhere around us to any depth, are found to contain more or less gas, some even being unfit to use on that account. The advantages to be derived, even by a village like ours, are painly apparent. Who will invest a little surplus wealth, and experiment?—Blissfield Advance.

R. B. Titus has his hands full now. He runs two farms in Raisin, comprising over 200 acres.

Cecil Clark's saw mill in the town of Raisin burned to the ground at two o'clock last Sunday morning. This is the tenth time during the last twenty years that Mr. Clark's mill has gone up in smoke. The event comes around about once in two years as regularly as a Dakota cyclone, or an Ohio election. We presume he will rebuild again. He always does.

Fred Fay is known to many of our citizens as one of the most popular conductors on the M. & O. road. It becomes our pleasant duty to announce that he was married on Sunday, Sept. 20th, to Miss Lillian A. Whiteman of Bryan, Ohio. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Mr. Fay's father in Fenton, Michigan. The parties will soon take up their residence at Battle Creek where Mrs. Fay has a fine residence of her own. Fred's many friends along the line of the road will congratulate him on his good fortune and extend their heartiest wishes for his future prosperity.

The Whitney Family will give an entertainment in Tecumseh on Wednesday evening of next week, Oct. 7. There are three troops combined in one. The program consists of fun, music, sensation and comedy. Admission only twenty-five cents.

The Grass Lake News says:

"The entertainment given by the Whitney Family, Tuesday evening, under the management of Yankee F. Locke, was well patronized; the seating capacity of their tent being all taken up (except a few of the reserved chairs.) The entertainment was sufficiently varied to keep up the interest throughout, and all seemed well pleased with the performance. The trapeze performance and tumbling was particularly fine, the minstrelsy mirth-provoking, and the music pleasing. It seems to be the aim of the management to do all they promise, and to leave a good impression by their courteous and gentlemanly conduct."

REV. MR. CONLEY'S DEPARTURE.

Rev. C. E. Conley preached his farewell discourse last Sunday morning. For seven years and five months he has filled the pastorate of the Baptist Church of this village, and he now bids Tecumseh farewell and seeks a wider field of labor in Detroit. He and the church have both prospered during his residence among us. The church has increased largely in membership, in wealth, in christian zeal and work during his pastorate. During his pastorate here there have been about 150 accessions to the church. Something over $4500 have been raised for benevolence, besides paying all the running expenses of the church. Permanent improvements have been put on the church property to the amount of about $3,000. Mr. Conley has made an admirable record during his pastorate in Tecumseh. Not only his own church but the community at large will deeply regret his departure, for he had welded many links of personal friendship outside of his own communion. He begins his labors next Sunday as pastor of the Clinton Ave. Baptist Church of Detroit. This is the best Baptist meeting house in the city save one and is the center of a population of about 40,000. The field is a large one, but we believe the new shepherd will prove himself adequate to the needs of his flock. The kindest wishes and prayers for his success will accompany Bro. Conley to his city pastorate.

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A WOMAN'S "NO."

She said a parson, young and moral,
Courted a lady at church last summer.
Employed as an auditor, sound,
To take it from her.

She looked me with a grave, sweet smile,
As sweet as rose in perfumed moisture;
If she spoke, I was not worth a mile
To let me take it.

And so I offered, as before,
Only that she might be relieved by me.
She said no, and I say no more.
Though it nearly grieved her.

Proposed to plead—she turned heavenward
The immaculate soul—and finally consented.
And so, leaning on my arm, we went
To where she boarded.

But when upon the stairs she stood,
And I, upon the hall, with my hat in hand,
Since, politely, in a tremulous mood
And softly, she said:

As she spoke the light of her throat,
And—it may be mere fancy—I thought
I detected there a quivering
For not meeting.

—Atlantic Monthly for October.

PUNS IN LITERATURE.

Good Authority for Declaring Punning Good Writing.

The Species of Wit Which Flourished During the Golden Age of English Literature—Some Notable Examples.

"Aristotle, in the eleventh chapter of his 'Rhetoric' describes two or three kinds of puns, which he calls paronomasia, among the beauties of good writing, and produces instances of them out of some of the greatest authors in the Greek tongue." "Cicero," he goes on to observe, "has sprinkled several of his works with puns, and in his book where he lays down the rules of oratory, he quotes abundance of sayings, as pieces of wit, which also, upon examination, prove arrant puns."

The age in which this species of wit chiefly flourished in England was the reign of King James the First. His Majesty was a toderable punster, and the taste of the sovereign was studied by the courtiers and by the clergy. The greatest authors in their most serious works made frequent use of puns, and even in the pulpit they were not uncommon. Punning was used under all circumstances—serious as well as trivial matters were infected with it. This vice, as some will consider it, extended itself everywhere. Indeed, it spread to so dreadful a degree that it was as freely used in the court of justice and the church as anywhere else. The criminal, when conducted to death, received his sentence in a mixture of gravity and puns, and the preacher, the more strongly, perhaps, to impress his doctrine, played on the words as he went along. The following sentence occurs in a sermon from the pulpit: "The *word* shows that we must *die all*; yet, nevertheless, *all houses* are turned into *ale-houses*; our *cares* into *cakes*, our *paradise* is a *pair o' dice*; our *marriage* a *merry age*; our *matrimony* a *matter o' money*; our *dreams* have become *dry* wines—it was not so even in the days of *Noah, Ah-me*."

In the clever paper in the "Guardian," No. 32, entitled, "A Modest Apology for Punning," is drawn the distinction between the extemporaneous puns of conversation and the deliberate and grave use of this species of false wit in general composition. While defending the puns as a means of enlivening the dull wits of those engaged in common conversation, the writer, nevertheless, admits: "I look upon premeditated quibbles and puns committed to the press as unpardonable crimes. There is as much difference, betwixt these and the starts in common discourse as betwixt casual homicides and murder with malice prepense."

The greatest authors in their most serious works made frequent use of puns. The sermons of Bishop Andrews and the tragedies of Shakespeare are full of them. In the latter nothing is more usual than to see a hero weeping and quibbling for a dozen lines together. Butler, who was greatly taken with Bishop Andrew's style, affirms that he was an inimitable preacher in this way, in an anecdote which he tells with the view of showing how difficult or possible it was for those who attempted to copy him with success. But Butler unconsciously records a severe and, at the same time, well-deserved condemnation of the manner of writing which he so much admires. "Pious and pleasant Bishop Felton," says he, "his contemporary and colleague, endeavored in vain to imitate his sermons, to assimilate his style, and therefore said merrily for himself: 'I had almost marred my own natural trot by endeavoring to imitate his artificial amble.'"

There is no kind of false wit, says Addison, which has been so recommended by the practice of all ages as that which consists in a jangle of words and is comprehended under the general name of punning. It is, indeed, impossible to kill a weed which the soil has a natural disposition to produce. The seeds of punning are in the minds of all men, and though they may be subdued by reason, reflection and good sense, they be very apt to shoot up in the greatest genius that is not broken and cultivated by the rules of art.

Punsters, in the opinion of Steele, very much contribute towards the sardonic laugh, and the extremes of either wit or folly seldom fail of raising this noisy kind of applause. "As the ancient physician held the sardonic laugh very beneficial to the lungs, I should, methinks, advise all my countrymen of consumptive and hectical constitution to associate with the most facetious punsters of the age."

We will give two or three examples of these slippery fellows, who, to use a modern phrase, have succeeded in driving a coach-and-six through Addison's act, as to the non-translatability of puns.

The lectures of a Greek philosopher were attended by a young girl of exquisite beauty. One day a grain of sand happened to get into her eye, and, being unable to extricate it herself, she requested his assistance. As he was observed to perform this little operation with a zeal which, perhaps, a less sparkling eye might not have commanded, somebody called to him in Greek, "Do not spoil the pearl!"

A punster, being requested to give a specimen of his art, asked for a subject. "The King!" "The King is not a subject," he replied. This holds good in French likewise—*Le Roi n'est pas un sujet.*

The last case belongs to a class which is, perhaps, more extensive than is commonly supposed, where the two senses of the word are allied by an easy metaphor, and may consequently be found in more than one language. We give another of the same kind.

Erskine was reproached with his propensity to punning, and was told that puns were the lowest kind of wit. "True," said he, "and therefore they are the foundation of wit."

Madame de Lamotte was condemned to be marked with a hot iron on both shoulders, as well as to a perpetual imprisonment, for her fraud in the affair of Marie Antoinette's diamond necklace. At the end of ten months, however, she made her escape from L'Hospital, where she was confined, by the aid of a sister, who said, when quitting her, "Adieu, *Madame, prenez garde le nous faire remarquer.*" (Farewell, madame, take care not to be *remarked*.)

At a time when public affairs were in a very unsettled state in France, M. de G——, who squinted terribly, asked Talleyrand how things were going on. "*Mais, comme vous voyez, Monsieur.*" (Why, as you see, sir.)

Many of the notable punsters were dramatic writers or professional comedians, and a selection of some by George Colman will serve to show the quality of this style of wit.

A gentleman having a remarkably long visage was one day riding by Mr. Whyte's school at Dublin, at the gate of which he overheard young Richard Brinsley Sheridan say: "That gentleman's face is longer than his life." Struck by the strangeness of the remark, he turned his horse's head, and requested its meaning. "Sir," said the boy, "I meant no offense in the world, but I have read in the Bible at school that a man's life is but a span, and I am sure your *face* is double that length." The gentleman threw the lad sixpence for his wit.

In preaching a charity sermon, Rev. Sydney Smith frequently repeated the assertion that, of all nations, Englishmen were most distinguished for generosity and the love of their species. The collection happened to be inferior to his expectations; and he said that he had evidently made a great mistake, for that his expression should have been that they were distinguished for the love of their *specie*.

W. H. Ireland, the Shakespeare forger, wrote in a volume of his "Rhapsodies":

"As on thy title-page poor fool a book,
Full off I cast a sad and pensive look,
I shave my head and pare these!
For I, alas! no brazen front possess,
Nor do I try potent art unless,
To send thee forth from censure free."

Upon this Porson wrote: "Though I can not help looking upon him as too modest in the fourth verse, he certainly underrates the amount and extent of his possessions; he is by no means *poor in his own brass*."

George Colman was an admirable punster. Sheridan once said, when George made a successful hit: "I hate a pun, but Colman almost reconciles me to the infliction." He was once asked if he knew Theodore Hook. "Oh, yes," was his reply, "Hook and I (eye) are old associates."

One day, when Colman and his son were walking from Soho Square to the Hay Market, two wittings, Miles Peter Andrews and William Augustus Miles, were coming the contrary way, on the opposite side of the street. They had each sent a dramatic manuscript for the Summer Theatre, and, being anxious to get the start of each other in the production of their several works, they both called out: "Remember, Colman, I am first man." "Humph," muttered the manager, as they passed on, "they may talk about first oars, but they have got a scull between them." This reminds one of a witticism of Douglas Jerrold. Two conceited young authors were boasting that they rowed off the same boat with a celebrated wit of the day. "Aye," replied Jerrold, "but not with the same sculls."—*N. Y. Observer.*

Parisian Sportsmen's Clubs.

The Paris Jockey Club was established in 1828 with a budget of about fifty thousand francs, whereas at present its annual expenditure amounts to over a million francs. The first President of the Club was an Englishman, residing in Paris—Lord Henry Seymour, noted no less for his sumptuous mode of living and costly equipages than for his extraordinary physical strength. He was able to raise one hundred pounds to his shoulder with his little finger. One day he stopped his carriage in the Rue de la Paix and got out to thrash two sailors who were maltreating an old apple-woman. He was very popular with the Paris populace in consequence of this and similar actions. The oldest club in Paris is the Cercle de l'Union, which was founded in 1828 as a center of opposition to Louis Philippe.—*N. Y. Post.*

Contagion by Mail.

The Watertown (N. Y.) *Times* gives the case of a little girl who was dying with scarlet-fever. She sent a "dying kiss" to a little friend, which was imprinted on a letter and a circle drawn around the kissed spot. The "little friend" kissed the spot when the letter was received and shortly afterward became a victim to the disease. It was the only case in the place, and her physician believes the affection was communicated through the mails.

—Barnum is on the search this year for curiosities of a rarer character than he has ever before exhibited. His agents are scouring the country to discover an editor who can find his blotting-paper when he wants it, and who does not stick his mucilage brush regularly into the ink bottle. The thirty-eight States have been explored thus far without success, but, still hopeful, the agents are preparing to swoop down on the Territories.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Accom
Toledo	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Elmore	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Millbury	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Curtice	7 14 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clarkstone	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 35 "
Vermontville	7 23 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Charlotte	8 05 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Eaton Rapids	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Howell	9 35 "	5 05 "	.....
Chelsea	.....	.....	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Chelsea	8 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Howell	10 20 "	7 35 "	.....
Eaton Rapids	11 23 "	8 50 "	10 00 A.M
Charlotte	12 01 P.M.	9 31 "	6 00 "
Vermontville	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Nashville	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Assyria	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 25 "
Curtice	12 19 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Millbury	12 40 "	10 50 "	9 50 "
Elmore	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

☞ Trains run by New Standard of 90th Meridian Time.

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Detroit & Indianapolis Division.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
Detroit	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Wyandotte	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Trenton	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Gibraltar	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Flat Rock	9 20	9 00	3 15	
Newton	9 25	9 16	3 22	
North Adrian	9 45	9 28	3 34	
Adrian	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Tipton	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Hudson	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Osgrove	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Morenci	10 17	10 07	4 14	7 30
Stryker, Ly	10 21	10 14	4 20	7 35
Stryker, Ar	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Edon Junction	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Pioneer	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Lockport	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Fayette	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Grover	11 02	11 01	5 07	8 32
Delta	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Muncie Junction	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Muncie	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Dunkirk	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
Portland	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Portland	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Dunkirk	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Muncie	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Muncie Junction	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Delta	5 59	10 13	1 59	8 07
Grover	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Fayette	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Lockport	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 35
Pioneer	6 35	10 42	2 27	8 39
Edon Junction	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Stryker	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 06
Morenci, Ly	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Morenci, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Osgrove		11 15	2 54	9 12
Hudson		11 29	3 05	9 24
Clinton		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Adrian		11 43	3 17	9 34
Adrian Junction		11 55	3 28	9 47
Tecumseh		12 10	3 37	10 00
Chicago Junction		12 16	3 43	10 22
Ypsilanti		12 32	3 54	10 27
Wayne Junction		12 47	4 05	10 35
Detroit		12 58	4 13	10 45
Junction		1 08	4 22	10 55

J. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. (Central Time.) No. 31 Pass	No. 32 Pass	STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 35 Pass
A.M.			P. M.	A. M.	
7 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
8 32	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
8 44	11 23	Britton	3 52	9 48	
8 51	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
8 55	11 33	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
9 02	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
9 15	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
9 25	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
9 32	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
9 37	12 38	Jerome	2 38	8 36	
9 42	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
9 52	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
9 57	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
10 03	1 25	Rouger	1 38	7 38	8 00
10 07	1 36	Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
10 11	1 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
10 17	1 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
10 25	1 30	A Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30	7 03
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
	3 04	Yorkville	12 20		6 35
	3 10	Richland	12 15		6 29
	3 28	Doster	11 58		6 12
	3 45	Montcalm	11 43		5 55
	3 53	Fisk	11 35		5 47
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30		5 37
	4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 20		5 25
	5 25	Holland	10 15		3 30
	5 30	Grand Rapids	9 15		
	6 20	Grand Haven	9 00		2 10
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
	P.M. A		L. A. M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through car leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. every each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

—The report of the South African Postmaster General for the year 1884 shows that the weight of diamonds which passed through the postoffice during that year was 1,811 pounds, eight ounces.

—It is said that no man ever made an impromptu speech with which he was entirely satisfied. The best way to make an impromptu speech, and not feel bad about it afterward, is to get somebody to do it for you.—*Chicago Ledger.*

—Some idea of the immigration to Texas from the older Southern States since the war, says the *Laredo Times*, may be had from the notices of reunions of Alabama brigades, Georgia regiments, Virginia "Black Horse," etc., in various portions of Texas.

—"Lenses of rock crystal taken from the ruins of Nineveh," said a member at the meeting of the microscopists, in Cleveland, the other day, "suggests that microscopes may have been used in those days." No one knows, indeed, who did invent the magnifying glass.

—Some of the soil in Manitoba, analyzed, showed that the only element of fertility threatening to become deficient was lime. The proportion of nitrogen was greater than in the best English pasture soils, and potash and phosphoric acid were abundant. Magnesia was in large quantity, which is important in the raising of wheat.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Why is it that the traveler will get in a common Austrian or Bavarian gasthaus a better cup of "morning coffee" than he will find in the best hotels of New York or Boston? Is it that the "congregated plan" will not apply to coffee making—that is, you can not make coffee by the gallon for hundreds? Whatever be the reason this is the one great defect of the American hotel.—*N. Y. Times.*

—For some days past a band of gypsies have been encamped near Portland, and several of them have paid us brief visits. They say they have wandered all over the United States, the head of the family having come here some twelve years ago. A dark-browed leader of the band is a fortune teller. She says she met Queen Victoria in the Highlands of Scotland and told her fortune. She was asked if they regarded it as a high honor, and replied, "No, my people were great when her people were unknown, and then she only gave me a shilling.—*Lewiston (Me.) Journal.*

—A boy was flying his kite on the commons near Cedar Avenue, east of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad, Saturday morning. Some one was driving a herd of cows, and the cow in the lead got entangled in the kite string. Away she went and in the right direction to catch the wind. The kite soared aloft about fifteen feet above the cow, and the whole herd took after her. The boy did not want to lose his kite, and he with some men joined in pursuit. The scene was ludicrous in the extreme to observers.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

—It is a common mistake to regard the term negro as synonymous with Africa. The word negro does not denote a nation, but an ideal type constituted by the assemblage of certain physical characteristics exemplified in the natives of certain portions of Africa and their descendants in America and the West Indies. As a rule the prevalent color in Africa is that of the Arab, the Indian and the Australian. The true negro districts are the Senegal, the Gambia, the Niger and the intermediate rivers of the coast, parts of Sudania, Sennaar, Kardofan and Darfur.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—The area of Chatham, on Cape Cod, which is quite popular as a summer resort, grows smaller every year, the onslaught of the ocean, when storms prevail, breaking away the bluff and washing the sandy cliff into the ocean. Where the main street of the village was twenty years ago, the surf of the Atlantic rolls. Several cottages of fishermen and villagers, situated near the bluff, have been undermined in years past, and several buildings have recently been abandoned as unsafe. The original fishing hamlet is rapidly going out to sea, and the old village will be entirely obliterated before long.—*Boston Budget.*

ICEBERGS.

Suggestions Looking to Protection Against Them.

Never were there so many icebergs in the Atlantic as during last May and June. These were found as far south as 39 degrees, and were in the line of the steamships that ply between Europe and America. Navigation, therefore, has been extra perilous, for the vapor of icebergs is foggy, and in the night there is no means of gauging how near they are to a ship. The City of Berlin, with 1,400 passengers, struck an iceberg in the night, but she was saved from destruction by her long bowsprit and prow, an unusual appendage to a newly built steam-vessel. Inventors have recently been at work to find means of protecting steamships from these collisions. Prof. Bell suggests that an echo might tell of the proximity of an iceberg, and commended the plan proposed by Mr. F. Della Torre, of Baltimore, for effecting this object. This was tested on Chespeake Bay. The apparatus consisted of a speaking-trumpet attached to the muzzle of a musket, from which blank cartridges were fired at passing vessels. The experiment so far succeeded that at a mile off river steamboats and passing schooners returned echoes at intervals proportionate to their distance. Another apparatus employs a bell for producing the sound, and a large open vessel received the echo. The sound in this case was conveyed to the officer of the deck by telephone. These and other inventions are being tested, and, if successful, they will greatly reduce the danger of iceberg collisions. Intense fogs and a lower temperature are now the only means of suggesting that a large icefield is near. Steamships now plow through the ocean at so rapid a pace that a collision with an iceberg would be certain destruction. There are other ocean perils, such as abandoned vessels of which there are thousands afloat on the ocean, a collision with any one of which might sink a noble ship freighted with human lives.—*Demorest's Monthly.*

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Emperor William, of Germany, always has a chapter of the Bible read to him immediately after dinner.

—The compulsory education law is a failure in New York, according to Commissioner Peck, of the State Labor Bureau.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Edinburgh is probably the most thoroughly Presbyterian city in the world. Out of a total of 181 churches 124 are Presbyterian.

—No fewer than 157 professors at German universities are between the ages of seventy and ninety, of whom the greater part still lecture. Banke, at ninety, is the oldest.

—A clergyman has been making calculations, and announces as the startling result that all the salaries of religious teachers in the country do not amount to so much as the sum spent annually in supporting dogs.—*Christian at Work.*

—New York has 64 Catholic churches, Chicago 55, Brooklyn 46, Philadelphia 45, St. Louis 43, Boston 38, Cincinnati 36, New Orleans 29, Baltimore 28, Cleveland 25, San Francisco and Louisville 21 each, Detroit 18, Buffalo and Albany 13 each.

—The masters of the great English public schools complain of the imperfect religious training which boys bring with them from home. Even those who come from conspicuously religious families are found ignorant of the commonest facts in Scripture.

—Two women have been elected to the vestry of an Episcopal church in Delaware, and Bishop Stevens has decided that they are eligible under the law. This is the first instance in which women have been elected to such a position either in this country or in England.—*Zion's Advocate.*

—The *Christian Advocate*, being asked by a correspondent: "What is the object intended by the Apostle James in ordering that the sick, when the elders of the church go to pray with them, shall be anointed with oil in the name of the Lord?" replies that "the passage plainly means 'Is any sick among you? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, using the best medical skill in the name of the Lord.'"

—The commencement exercises at the various colleges of the country show that the disposition on the part of alumni to rally about their respective "benign mothers" on these occasions, increases with each year, and the colleges are not backward in doing those of their children who have done well in the world due honor. The consideration shown a successful man by the faculty and students of his old college is one of the sweetest things he ever finds in life.—*Chicago Current.*

—A uniform has been assigned to the students of the Russian universities, the wearing of which will be obligatory. It will consist of a cap, single-breasted frock-coat and dark green trousers. The cap, collar and cuffs of the coat are to be of dark blue, the cuffs to have a broad band of gold lace. It is supposed that, as the bulk of Russian university students come from poor classes, the object of prescribing a uniform and adding to their expenses must be to throw a fresh difficulty in the way of very poor people taking to an academical career.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Love and burglars have something in common. The both laugh at locksmiths, and they both have a good deal of Cupidity about them.

—Some one wants to know what is more disagreeable than a woman with a crying baby. The answer to this is "the baby."—*Hartford Sunday Journal.*

—Scientists say that all the water on the earth will dry up in 10,000,000 years. Most of our milkmen will be able to accumulate a fortune during the interval.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—"The best way of sobering up is to bathe the head and wrists in cold water and take a potion of bromide of potassium and aromatic ammonia or valerian." Only one better; don't get drunk.—*Buffalo Express.*

—Mrs. Montague—Do you sing, Mr. De Lyle? Mr. De Lyle (with a superior smile)—I belong to the college glee club. Mrs. Montague (disappointed)—O, I'm so sorry. I hoped that you sung.—*N. Y. Times.*

—"I pay my hired man sixteen dollars a month and found," said old Blodget. "And found," interrupted his niece. "What do you mean by that? How do you find him?" "Why," replied the old man, "if he doesn't know I'm comin' I generally find him either asleep or with his arms around the hired girl."—*The Judge.*

—"Is your pa at home, little girl?" "Yes sir; do you wish to see him?" "Yes." "But you won't know him if you do see him?" "Why, what's the matter?" "Well, you see, out in the country, on our farm, a man and his wife got to fighting, and pa he tried to stop them." "O, indeed!" "Yes, you'd better call again. You wouldn't know pa now.—*Chicago Journal.*

—"Why did you sell your oxen?" said Dobyn to a colored farmer. "Well, boss, I took er notion dat I wanted to jine de church." "What difference did that make?" "What difference dat make! Boss, did yer eber dribe steers?" "I never did." "Den yer can't un'erstan' de situation; but I'll tell yer, boss, steers hab mighty little 'spect for religion. Dey don't know nothin' but cuss words."—*Boston Post.*

—A running moral.—

A man may go spinning along,
Like a bicyclist singing a song,
And though he looks stately and tall—
May be just on the edge of a fall.
And this moral the cycle conveys,
Be modest and sweet in your ways,
Because if you happen to get a sad pitch
You'll find friends to help you right out of the ditch.

—*Boston Budget.*

—An editor lay in an unconscious condition, and for some time it was feared that he was dead. "Can't you rouse him, doctor?" was anxiously asked. "No," the physician replied. "I fear that life is extinct." Then the editor's assistant bent over and whispered in his ear: "A gentleman wants to put an advertisement in the paper." Immediately the unconscious man's face showed signs of returning life, and struggling to a sitting posture, he said feebly: "How many lines?"—*N. Y. Journal.*

The Voice of the People.

The people, as a whole, seldom make mistakes, and the unanimous voice of praise which comes from those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla, fully justifies the claims of the proprietors of this great medicine. Indeed, these very claims are based entirely on what the people say Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for them. Read the abundant evidence of its curative powers, and give it a fair, honest trial.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

An old and intimate friend of mine is Parker's Hair Balsam. I have used it five years, and could not do without it. It has stopped my hair from falling, restored its natural black color and wholly cleansed it from dandruff. Miss Pearl Aneson, St. Louis, Mo.

The story is told of an old hunter in Michigan who lost his way in the woods a number of times while the country was new. At length he secured a pocket compass and its use was explained to him by a friend. But shortly afterward he lost his way again and lay out as usual. When found he was asked why he did not travel by the compass. He did not dare "he said. He wanted to go north, and he "tried to make the thing point north, but it wasn't no use, 'twould shake, shake, shake round and point southeast every time.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburgh, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. A. Wright & Co.

Many a man who had lost nerve, vigor and energy, has been cured by Hunt's Remedy.

"Right Peart."

"I was right peart till the rheumatiz sot in," said a suffering old man who lived near the swamp. Fact is, wherever you live you can't be right peart if you are a victim of this troublesome disease. Captain C. W. Hostenpiller, Springfield, O., says, "I found great relief from inflammatory rheumatism by using Brown's Iron Bitters." Thousands of other people have found similar relief.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Hay Fever.

I have been a great sufferer from Hay fever for fifteen years. I read of the many wondrous cures of Ely's Cream Balm, and thought I would try once more. In fifteen minutes after one application I was wonderfully helped. Two weeks ago I commenced using it and now I feel entirely cured. It is the greatest discovery ever known—Duhamel Clark, Farmer Lee, Mass. Price fifty cents.

Pansylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1.
Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
German Corn Remover kills Corns & Bunions
Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 50c.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

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When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA
When she had Children, she gave them CASTORIA

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People who cannot spend the season of winds and cold rains in sunny Florida should keep Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in the house. It is the best remedy for colds and coughs and will relieve sufferers at once.

The three outlets of disease are the bowels, the skin and the kidneys. Regulate their action with the best purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters.

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Father, Mother, and Three Sisters Dead.

Mr. David Claypool, formerly Sergeant-at-Arms of the New Jersey Senate, and now Notary Public at Cedarville, Cumberland Co., N. J., makes the following startling statement: "My father, mother, and three sisters all died with consumption, and my lungs were so weak I raised blood. Nobody thought I could live. My work (ship-smithing) was very straining on me with my weak constitution, and I was rapidly going to the grave. While in this condition I commenced using Mishler's Herb Bitters, and it saved my life. Because it was so difficult to get it in this little place, and I had improved so much, I stopped taking it for a time, and the result is that I have commenced going rapidly down hill again. Somehow, Mishler's Herb Bitters gives appetite and strength to the whole system as nothing else does, and I must have a dozen bottles at once. Use this communication as you please, and if any one wants to be convinced of its truth, let them write me and I will make affidavit to it, for I owe my life to Mishler's Herb Bitters."

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00 AM	3 20 PM	6 10 PM	.....
Oak Harbor, Ar	8 55	4 18 "	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville, Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40 AM
Norwalk, Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
" Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 30.	2 37
Creston, Lv	12 00 PM	7 40	1 13 PM	3 20
Orville, Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville, Lv	12 50	8 20	1 48	7 00
Massillon, Ar	1 20	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon, Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 11 PM	6 11 PM	.....
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 30 AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta, Ar	9 20	10 20 AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta, Lv	9 00 AM	2 30 PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	2 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	8 15	3 58	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 38
Sherrodsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45 AM
New Cumberland	.....	.....	.....	6 05
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Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
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Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 25 AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 15 PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo, Ar	5 45 AM	.....	1 35 PM	10 00 AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28
11 50 AM	6 45 PM	Ar. Huron Lv	6 40 AM	2 20 PM
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	Milan	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk, Ar	7 27	3 10

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

The President has appointed the following commission to mark the boundary line between a portion of the Indian Territory and the State of Texas, to act in conjunction with a similar commission appointed by the Governor of Texas: Major W. R. Livermore, Lieutenant Thomas L. Casey, and Lieutenant Lansing H. Beach, Corps of Engineers, United States Army.

It is stated that General Miles has filed a protest against the promotion of Captain H. J. Farnsworth to be Assistant Inspector General with rank of Major. General Miles charges that Captain Farnsworth, during the Cheyenne Indian war in Texas, in 1874, showed cowardice in the face of the enemy.

The Secretary of the Treasury has called for the resignation of Martin L. Norrr, as chief of the Division of Captured and Abandoned Property and Lands. Mr. Norrr was appointed from the District of Columbia, and is one of the oldest employes in the service. There are no charges against him.

Mr. Wharton, the law officer of the State Department at Washington, to whom was referred the matter of the expenditures of the Court of Alabama Claims, has rendered a decision upholding in the main the opinion of First Comptroller Durham.

The death of Commodore Scames, late commandant of the Washington Navy yard, which occurred at Hampton, Va., a few days ago, is now said to have been a suicide. He had been in bad health for some time, and while laboring under a fit of mental aberration, seized a razor and cut his throat.

The Chief of the Bureau of Statistics reports that the total values of the imports of merchandise during the twelve months ended August 31, 1885, were $[illegible], and during the twelve months ended August 31, 1884, were $[illegible], a decrease of $[illegible]. The values of the exports of merchandise during the twelve months ended August 31, 1885, were $[illegible], and during the preceding twelve months $[illegible], a decrease of $[illegible].

The President has, through the Secretary of the Treasury, asked Professor Agassiz to take the office of Superintendent of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, vice Professor Hilgard, resigned.

The following were appointed United States Attorneys by the President on the 29th ult.: Daniel O. Finch, of Iowa, for the Southern District of Iowa, Fabius H. Busbee, of North Carolina, for the Eastern district of North Carolina.

THE EAST.

"Goldsmith Maid," once the "Queen of the Turf," died at the Fashion Stud Farm near Trenton, N. J., on the 24th, after an illness of only a few hours. She was twenty-eight years old. At the time of her retirement from the turf, seven years ago, she had trotted 182 races, of which she had won ninety-two. Her earnings were nearly $[illegible].

Thomas V. Thompson, residing at Hilltown, Pa., was murdered on the 25th by his dissolute wife, who afterwards cut her throat, dying almost instantly.

Lillian Norton, the well-known singer, recently petitioned for a divorce from her husband, Frederick A. Gower, of Brookline, Mass., on the ground of abusive treatment. Gower obtained a postponement and went to Paris, where he made a balloon ascension. Nothing has since been heard of the balloon or him. Mrs. Gower has now gone to Paris to claim his estate, which is valued at $[illegible].

The report of the Order of the Sons of Temperance shows a membership of 2,200,000 persons, and the raising of $88,450,000 for temperance purposes.

W. H. Noreman, an English-Canadian, was arrested in Boston, Mass., on the 29th for illegal use of the mails. He had been selling cut circulars of ring to furnish to those who could pay big prices counterfeit bank bills" on the basis of $2 for $5, $6 for $10, and $[illegible] for $25. He was apprehended while taking from the post-office a dozen letters from parties in Canada enclosing his circulars, one of which contained $5 in Canadian money.

Plans for a new and extensive Exposition building at Pittsburgh have been completed. The building will cover about three and one-half acres of ground, is to be constructed entirely of iron and glass, and cost about $[illegible].

The following changes are noted in the statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended September 26: Loans increase, $[illegible]; specie decrease, $[illegible]; legal tenders decrease, $1,785,100; deposits decrease, $2,153,200; reserve decrease, $2,240,025; circulation increase, $72,[illegible]. The banks held $14,931,850 in excess of the twenty-five per cent. rule.

An open switch near Tuckerton, Pa., on the 27th ult., caused a down coal train on the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad to jump the track, and soon after a up train came along and crashed into the wreck. Both engines were demolished and eighty coal cars piled up in a confused mass. Damage about $25,000.

The Republican conferees of the Ninth Congressional District of Pennsylvania have nominated John Bair, of York County, for Congress.

The total imports of dry goods at New York during the week ended the 26th ult. were valued at $1,674,817, and the amount thrown on the market at $1,925,255.

The Willowdale Company, of Boston, manufacturers of blankets, have failed, with liabilities of $[illegible]. It is thought they will be able to pay about forty cents on the dollar.

Mr. Roswell P. Flower has addressed a letter to George Raines, chairman of the State Democratic Convention, positively declining the nomination for Lieutenant Governor of New York.

In the United States Circuit Court at Syracuse, N. Y., on the 26th ult. Judge Wallace denied the application of the Western Union Telegraph Company for an injunction to restrain the Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Company from infringing the second claim of reissued letters patent, No. 10,035, Division C, granted to J. R. Stearns, assignee, to complainant, for duplex telegraph apparatus.

An application has been made for a receiver for the Charter Oak Life Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn. The company got into a bad financial condition several years ago, soon after the erection of a building for its offices costing $1,000,000.

The Freshman Class which has just entered Yale College is the largest on record, 160 entering the academic and ninety the scientific departments. This is a great surprise, as it was thought that Harvard, by dropping Greek as a required study, would profit at the expense of Yale, which retains it.

The new Spiritual Temple, corner of Exeter and Newbury streets, Boston, Mass., was dedicated on the 27th ult. It cost $230,000, and is a gift of the First Spiritual Temple Society from M. S. Ayres. The building is the most elegant structure dedicated to Spiritual worship in New England, if not in the world.

WEST AND SOUTH.

During the tornado at Washington C. H., O., a copy of "Pilgrim's Progress" was blown into a place where it was found by a drunken man. He picked it up and commenced to read, became interested, joined the Salvation Army, and now says the book has been the cause of his salvation.

A special from Bellaire, O., says that at a meeting of the flint glass workers and manufacturers on the 23d a compromise was effected by which the ten months' strike is positively ended.

A strong vein of gas was struck at the depth of 700 feet at Madison, O., on the 23d. Pebbles the size of robin's egg were thrown to the height of fifty feet.

A herd of cattle belonging to David Brangock, at Falmouth, Ky., having been declared to be affected with pleuro-pneumonia several days ago, and no effectual means taken to destroy the disease, several neighbors collected, slaughtered the diseased cattle and burned their carcasses. Fourteen cattle were disposed of in this way.

The executive committee of the National Confectioners' Association of the United States held a session at Cincinnati a few days ago, the principal object of which was to procure legislation to prevent the adulteration of confectionery. The committee has retained counsel and will take immediate steps to procure the necessary legislation in the various States.

Rev. Edward McColgan, Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, and pastor of St. Peter's Church, that city, was invested with the purple rochet and mantilla of a monsigner in the Catholic Church on the 24th. Archbishop Gibbons blessed the vestments and made an address appropriate to the occasion.

At a meeting of the management of the Cleveland (Ohio) Rolling Mills on the 24th it was decided, owing to the advance in the price of iron, to advance the wages of the men to the June scale. It is thought this will end the strike, which has been going on about three months.

The town of Sanborn, Dakota, was swept by fire on the 24th, which is supposed to have been started by tramps. The hotel, five business houses and several of the best residences were burned. The loss will reach at least $75,000, but most of it is covered by insurance.

August Kussman, a Chicago druggist, committed suicide on the 23d by taking morphine. After swallowing the drug he telephoned a message to his wife to the effect that she would have to hurry to see him alive.

The buggy works at Troy, O., were destroyed by fire on the 23d. Loss $24,000; insurance $15,000.

Deputy Revenue Collectors who recently attacked "moonshiners" in Carroll County, Tenn., after capturing several stills, were in turn driven away.

On the 23d prairie fires near Kirby, Dak., destroyed 2,000 bushels of wheat belonging to Harvey Williams, and all of J. H. Loveland's crop, together with his house and barn. Mrs. Loveland narrowly escaped by running to a coolie with her babe in her arms. West of Flower City, Dr. Howard lost 700 bushels of wheat and John Charles fifty acres of barley. The town itself was nearly reached by the fire.

The grandest trade display ever witnessed in the South occurred at Knoxville, Tenn., on the 24th. Over five hundred floats were in line.

The Diamond Fire Brick Works of J. Park Alexander, at Akron, O., were destroyed by fire on the 25th, entailing a loss of $8,000.

Joseph Fisher, a farmer living near Cedar Rapids, Ia., was burned to death with his three children in his residence on the night of the 24th. His wife escaped by jumping from the window.

A Lewiston, Idaho, dispatch of the 25th states that agents have been sent to Pierce City to investigate the reported lynching of five Chinamen there. It is said one of the men hanged was a wealthy Chinese merchant named Cowenman, who had just closed his business and was about to return to China.

J. C. Thompson, living near Sardorus, Ill., a few days ago quarreled with his wife and daughter, who then left their home and took up their residence in Champaign. On the 25th Thompson went to where they were residing and attacked them both with a huge knife, inflicting a fatal wound in his wife's throat. While trying to murder his daughter assistance arrived and the assassin fled.

C. I. Bradford, of Milwaukee, has sold his well known mare, Adelaide, to Mr. Scowartz, of Chicago, for $12,000 cash. Her record is 2:18.

Thomas J. Nichols, a well-known thoroughbred dealer and turfman, died at Lexington, Ky., on the 26th ult. from injuries received in a wreck on the Kentucky Central Railroad several days previous.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harvey, a pioneer lady and the oldest woman in Hancock County, O., died at her home in Marion township, near Stoney Ridge, on the 27th ult., aged about [illegible] years.

Cola E. Stone, the champion amateur bicyclist of the West, and the champion 10-mile road rider of America, died suddenly at his home in St. Louis on the 27th ult. of a congestive chill.

The business portion of Buckingham, Ill., comprising fifteen two-story frame buildings, burned on the night of the 29th ult. Loss $24,000, insurance $6,000.

The strike at the Cleveland (Ohio) Rolling Mills, which has been in progress since July 1, has ended in a victory for the men, who resumed work on the 28th ult., the company having restored the June prices.

The Chicago *Farmers' Review* has reports from fourteen hundred correspondents, giving the area and probable yield in the ten leading corn-producing States, from which it estimates the total yield of corn in those States at 1,426,236,000 bushels. On the basis that the other States and Territories will produce as much corn as they did last year, which seems to be assured from a study of the reports, the total crop

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Ann Arbor's high school opens with 433 students.

Monroe will raise $1,800 for school and library purposes.

The state trap shooters' association meet at Pontiac Oct. 6 7.

Registration at the university shows a considerable increase over last year.

It is expected the congregational church of Grand Haven will be ready for dedication Oct. 11.

Lucy Camp's bequest of $200 to the Marks professorship has been received by the President of Hillsdale College.

S. G. Burkhead, of Hillsdale schools, has resigned to accept the superintendency of the Saginaw city schools, at a salary of $1,800.

The various fairs have had a week of beautiful weather, and ought to have been as successful as they claim to have been.

M. P. Stockwell, of Dover, exhibits a sunflower stalk with 205 flowers growing thereon, and it wasn't grown as a champion stalk either.

Mrs. Stephen Morey, aged 79 years, who had lived near Charlotte for a number of years, dropped dead a few days ago at the residence of her son.

Osceola is building a new jail 24x40 feet, 26 feet in height. It will contain five cells, a hose room and village office. A portion of the upper floor will be used as a hall.

State teachers' institutes for October are appointed as follows: Mio, Osceola co., 5-9; Lake City, Missaukee co., 12-16; Baldwin, Lake co., 19-23; Kalkaska and Burr Oak, 26-30.

Henry McComber, who owns a farm near Teal lake, just north of Negaunee, has harvested 45 bushels of cranberries from a small marsh experiment, and will extend his operations.

Peter Talbot, of West Bay City, is aged 84 years, performs a great deal of work around his fireside and never needs a physician. His wife, aged 78 years, reads and sews without spectacles.

The Record says the management of the G. R. & I. railroad ought to build a new depot at Petoskey, as the amount of passenger business done there demands better accommodations.

Hillsdale is talking up a new opera house. The owner of Underwood's opera house won't allow it to be used for theatrical or minstrel entertainments, and the people hanker after just such ungodly shows.

The men of the Roscommon lumber company at Deep River, 200 in all, have struck for 10 hours' work and proportionate pay. The company wanted the men to sign a contract, which they refused to do.

Arthur Fast, a boy living near Charlotte, during the absence of his parents gathered and cooked what he took to be mushrooms, but what proved to be toadstools. The doctor was called in time to save his life.

The next annual reunion of the Second Michigan Infantry will be held at Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 16. Orator of the day, Col. Sylvester Larned. One and one third fares on all railroads to Battle Creek and return.

A rattlesnake of portentous size called at the kitchen door of Mrs. Eugene Bush, Hastings township, the other day. Mrs. B. held him down with a mop and Miss Cora Beckwith divided him in three pieces. Seven rattles were found in one piece.

The missionary meeting in connection with the Universalist convention at Lansing resolved to employ a state missionary at an expense of $1,000, which amount was immediately pledged, Detroit giving $500, Grand Rapids $150 and Lansing $50.

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WARD—MARKEY.—At Clinton, on the 22d ult., by Rev. D. F. Ogden, Mr. Milton A. Ward and Miss Betsey E. Markey, both of Clinton.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

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Buckwheat Flour, ₩ hundred	3 00 @	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₩ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	6
Calf Skins, ₩ ℔	8 @	8
Corn in ear	25 @	28
Corn—shelled, ₩ bushel	@	50
Clover Seed	4 50 @	5 00
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs, ₩ doz	@	12
Flour, ₩ barrel	5 00 @	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ₩ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₩ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay, ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₩ ℔	@	14
Ham, ₩ ℔	@	12
Lard, ₩ ℔	@	8
Oats, ₩ bushel	28 @	30
Onions, ₩ bushel	@	50
Potatoes, ₩ bushel	25 @	35
Salt, ₩ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	15 @	40
Timothy Seed, ₩ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₩ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₩ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₩ bushel	@	[illegible]
Wheat, Red, ₩ bushel	@	[illegible]
Wool	29 @	[illegible]

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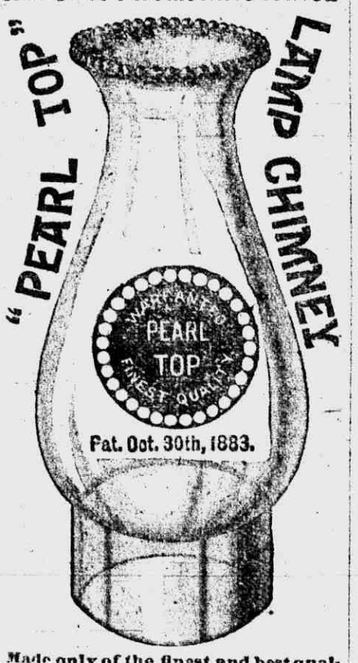

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At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 28th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Susan A. Wickwire, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate, with the will annexed, may be granted to Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person. (James Sherrard, the executor nominated in said will having become a resident of a foreign country.)

It is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of October, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

W. P. Silvers has been sick for several days, but is reported better.

Mrs. Surge Rowland, of Albion, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. V. Fisk, and other friends in Clinton.

J. T. Clark has been unable to attend to his farm duties for a few days past, but is now able to be out.

Mrs. Allan Dillingham received a telegram a week ago Saturday stating that her brother, Mr. Holmes, of Chicago, was dead. Mrs. Dillingham started from here the following Monday to attend his funeral.

Rev. Kerridge and family left Clinton for Grass Lake last week.

Mrs. Laura VanDeMark has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. St. John, in Detroit, who has been quite sick.

Mrs. John Hause has returned from her visit to Climax.

Whitney's circus visits Clinton this week Thursday. More boys will be seen in company with their parental relative on that day than any other in the whole year.

Mrs. Albert Huntington and daughter Sadie, of Hanover, Ill., are visiting at Will Wood's. They have been spending part of the summer in Vermont and are now on their way home.

F. A. Owen commenced a series of experimental lectures on glass and natural philosophy Tuesday evening. His lectures are very entertaining and interesting.

O. A. Sinclair and Will Rowland arrived in town last Monday morning from Gregory, in the northern part of the state, where they have been packing apples with Hiram Saxton. They expect to return in a few days.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Little Charlie Kishpaugh, five years of age and son of George Kishpaugh of Raisin, met with a serious accident on Thursday last. It appears that he was across the way at Stephen Galloway's, playing with another little boy, and while running stumbled and fell against a horse which kicked him, breaking his leg above the knee. Dr. Begel was called to attend the little sufferer and found him full of sand, displaying more real courage than the majority of adults. He is doing very nicely at present with indications of an early recovery.

James Sutherland is sick in bed with sore throat.

Mrs. Allen who has been visiting at Floy Florence's has gone to Washington to report for duty.

Rev. Mr. Wright preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. P. E. Vincent of Ridgeway, preached at Holloway Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He expects to preach here every two weeks for the coming year.

C. L. Begel of Hanover, visited his brother, Dr. Begel, over Sunday.

We understand that some of our neighbors are to be made exceedingly happy to-day. Allow us to tender our congratulations.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The rain interfered a little with some farmers.

Corn is turning out pretty well; only a few complaining, which is a pretty good sign.

The Minnis Family give a concert here this week.

Rev. James Wright has returned from a two weeks visit at his old home. All are glad to see him.

The pound social to be held at the Christian church has been postponed one week. It will be held Wednesday, Oct. 14. All are cordially invited.

Heavy roads and rainy weather compelled Geo. Manning's pavillion show to stop over a day to rest.

Geo. and Chas. Gripton have started their sorghum mill and are kept busy. They report the cane better than usual. They employ several hands and are making a fine grade of syrup. Those having cane will do well to patronize them.

Score one for Edgar Pilbeam; a boy, ten pounds.

Our new self-appointed deputy sheriff, having temporarily left his profession for the purpose of giving lessons to his brother M. D., may have an opportunity of leaving one himself. Stick to your own trade.

Wm. Nivison is the champion corn cutter, three acres a day is no task for him.

John Zeluff is nearly ready to occupy his new house.

Chas. DuBois is busy building. He has a fine house under way.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hallock, made a short visit to their son, our doctor, this week.

Business here is looking up. Quite a few car loads of wheat, hay and oats have been bought and shipped from here.

BROOKLYN BALLAST.

Ours is a case of great expectations and no happenings except a storm that has peaked off cold enough to freeze ones good intentions, and the formal taking possession of post-office dignity, by Delamater and Covert; they fall into line as gracefully as Mr. Woodward breaks rank, and there is an occasional murmur heard about losing the best post-master we ever had and turning out republicans to make room for democrats. Whether the same kind of reform has been fashionable with the previous administration is not told, but it seems certain that a majority of offices have been occupied by republicans while democrats learned to take care of themselves, or else we should not hear so much outcry about being turned out. From this we learn that the winning party is the civil service reform party, and the most natural result of attaining power is to fortify it by adherents, though its a busy day when some one does not find time to tell me that all this trouble would not be but for those traitor Prohibitionists. Now, its real mean to talk that way, when I am not a natural eyed citizen, and am just glorious because that insignificant clique has not proved traitorous to professed principles. Its probably a defect of constitution, but I never can see how always playing second fiddle is going to fit people to lead the orchestra.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The late rains make wheat look fine.

Snow could be seen very distinctly Monday morning by those that were up early enough.

We were glad to see W. H. Arner out to church Sunday, filling his place in the choir.

Mr. Harry Smith took Mrs. Smith, who has been sick for several months, to Ann Arbor Monday to be doctored.

Mrs. Joshua Waring and Mrs. A. J. Sutton returned from a few day's visit with friends at Holland.

Miss Belle Barlow spent a few days with Miss May Ilgenfrits at Monroe.

Mr. Edgar Anderson of Sparta, was the guest of Miss Ida Arner over Sunday.

The Literary society will open their series of meetings two weeks from next Friday evening, Oct 23d., at Cottage Hall. A short program will be carried out after which the election of officers will take place.

Rev. C. B. Sutton of Adrian, State lecturer for the Mich. State Temperance Alliance, and Deputy at large for the I. O. G. T. will speak on the overshadowing issue now before the American people, "Home vs. Saloon," on Thursday evening at Cottage Hall. Admission Free.

There was a fair attendance at the social Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Sarah Rappleye. The election of officers resulted in the following:

President—Mrs. D. W. Loree.
First Vice Pres't.—Mrs. Sarah Rappleye.
Second Vice Pres't.—Miss Ella Cadmus.
Secy.—Miss Ada Loree.
Assist. Secy.—Miss Ella Patterson.
Treasurer—Miss Ada Linn.
Ex. Com.—Mrs. W. P. Cadmus, Mrs. C. M. Gove, Mr. G. P. Waring, J. D. Arner.
Com. on Music—Miss Kittie Clark, Ida Arner, Belle Barlow.

The society will have a grab bag for an amusement at their next meeting, held at the home of Mrs. W. P. Cadmus next week Friday evening. Each person is respectfully invited to bring some article to put in the bag. The proceeds to be used in purchasing windows for the church that were broken at the time of the cyclone. Mrs. Cadmus desires a large attendance, and all who go can depend on a grand time if they try.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Prof. Tripp, of Addison, was at his fathers last Saturday.

Rev. A. A. Wall spent last Sabbath in Ashley.

Rev. Mr. Vincent, a former pastor, occupied the Congregational pulpit in the morning and Rev. Mr. Storms in the evening.

During the summer the Congregational church has been repainted on the outside and revarnished on the inside, adding very much to its appearance. It has been announced that the Methodist church and parsonage are about to undergo needed repairs.

Mrs. Conklin has had her store raised and a cellar dug underneath; she keeps a good assortment of groceries and sells as cheap as any. We are glad to say that her store is closed on Sundays

Rev. E. B. Sutton, of Adrian, was advertised to give a temperance lecture at the Methodist church Tuesday evening, but for some unknown reason failed to put in an appearance.

ONSTED ODDS.

Frank Ayery is engaged to teach the coming winter term of school. Frank has taught here several terms before.

Norris Morey left recently for Bay City to visit relatives there and perhaps stay.

Wilson Lee's shoe maker left last week, not for want of work, for he had all he could do, disappointing 4 or 5 who left their measures, but for want of company. He was a good workman. Lee wants a good shoe maker.

Ed. Courth moved into Mr. Cooper's stone house last week.

Dike Daniels has his house well started.

Frank Brooks is about to start a tin shop over the hardware store. We wish him success.

Mr. Hines started the painters on his house Tuesday.

DEVILS LAKE DOINGS.

Jerry Wilsey is building a new shed.

Will Wood has just finished plastering his house.

James Turner has commenced reparing his house.

Dewitt Turner is building an addition on his house.

Leonard Haskins died very suddenly while at work for A. Bedell.

Seth Cuddeback has bought the lot opposite Allen's hotel and will erect a grain depot there soon.

Ida Sanford, daughter of Rev. L. Sanford, is on the sick list.

Ben Bates has his new house enclosed.

POLITICS BADLY MIXED.

It will probably be admitted by everybody that political matters in this country are well mixed at present. In Iowa the Republican party is openly advocating prohibition. In Ohio it is abusing every man who does favor that proposition. In New York the Democrats, who pretend to indorse Mr. Cleveland's administration, are attacked by the Independents because they did not indorse it heartily enough; the Republicans, who condemned it most extravagantly, are receiving Independent encouragement, and Democrats who wish to strengthen the Administration are advised by the Independent press to support the Republican ticket. In Virginia the Democrats and Republicans are both led by Confederate Brigadiers, and the negroes are holding a state convention to decide which party their race should support. In Mississippi the Republicans, led by Chalmers, the man who massacred the negro garrison of Fort Pillow, resolve not to put a ticket in the field, and Chalmers devotes his time to an effort to elect Foraker Governor of Ohio, on the ground that Hoadly, who was an ardent Republican during the ware is disloyal. In Pennsylvania the Democrats are for a protective tariff, as are the Republicans also, while both parties denounce silver in New York, and both declare in favor of it in Iowa.

Out of all this ridiculous jumble of ideas and most grotesque form of advocacy only one thing appears to be reasonably plain, and that is that party names stand for very little. The citizen who permits himself to be carried away by his idolatry of party under such circumstances lacks judgment and balance.—Chicago Herald.

GEN. SHERIDAN ON FAME.

Recently while starting on his way to Grand Rapids, Congressman Eldredge met Gen. Phil. Sheridan, who had gone into the smoking car. The two seated themselves together after mutual recognition, and the conversation finally turned on the subject of fame. Between puffs the stubby little general related the following personal incident, which we write as it was related to us. Said the general: "I was in Iowa last summer, and wishing for a little recreation, I left my stopping place and started for the woods armed with a gun, for a sportsman's exercise. In the course of my rambles I came across an old farmer, who, after a little conversation, inquired my name. I gave it and he repeated after me, 'Sheridan, Sheridan—are you any relation to Gen. Sheridan? I am Gen. Sheridan, I answered. The old man backed off a little, sized me up all the way and a look of utter incredulity spread over his countenance as he replied, 'Not by a — sight! Gen. Sheridan is an almighty sight bigger man than you are, or how could he be heard all over a battle field? You can't play that yarn on me." "He wouldn't believe at all," said the general, "and he left me thoroughly convinced that I had tried to impose upon him; "and Gen. Sheridan laughed heartily as he knocked the ashes off his cigar.—Adrian Record.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Farmers about Fife Lake want a canning factory and evaporator established there.

Calhoun county farmers have about finished threshing wheat and find they have a good crop.

Ypsilanti, generally up with the times, insists on being ahead of it by still retaining solar time.

So far 30 students from other colleges have matriculated and applied for advanced standing in the literary department of the University.

Rev. J. B. Little, of the Presbyterian church of Adrian, is on the eve of departing for Kansas, where he has accepted a call.

Assembly hall, Jackson, is the first public hall in Michigan to be entirely lighted by electricity, using 136 Edison globes to accomplish the job.

The business houses at Greenville with one exception, form two straight parallel lines, and the citizens claim it to be the handsomest little city in the state.

A mortgage on the Lansing, Alma, Mt. Pleasant & Northern road to David H. Jerome and Chas. W. Wells, of East Saginaw, to secure $250,000 in bonds, has been registered in Gratiot county.

There have been 8,000 baskets or 123,000 pounds of grapes shipped from Monroe so far this season. The season is about half over. The total crop this season will not be half a usual one.

Mr. Elmer S. Crawford, of Ann Arbor, was admitted to the bar Monday, the gentleman's legal attainments being such that Judge Joslyn did not think it necessary to give him an examination.

The Ann Arbor ladies' library association will formally open their new library Oct. 13. President Angell and Judge Cooley will take part in the exercises. The ladies have nearly 4,000 volumes in their new building.

It cost the city of Albion $2,500 to find out that its sidewalks needed repair, Mrs. Eliza Dutton having obtained judgment from the supreme court for said amount to pay for injuries received from a defective sidewalk.

The Baltimore & Ohio telegraph company wants to get into Marshal, and promises to reduce the tariff from that point 50 per cent if it gets in. It wants a subscription of $1,000, payable in telegraph scrip, to construct the line.

Dowagiac is aroused to the necessity of fire protection since her recent blaze and an election will be called to vote on raising $10,000 for steam engine, etc. Now let some of the other unprotected towns wake up before the fire fiend gets around to them.

The Saginaw Courier has been just one year under its present management, and in that time has increased in circulation and business, and claims the best equipped establishment outside of Detroit. The Courier has made itself an able representative of the business interests of the Saginaw valley.

Michigan cities having the benefit of the new postoffice special delivery system are Detroit, Adrian, Alpena, Ann Arbor, Battle Creek, Bay City, Coldwater, East Saginaw, Flint, Grand Haven, Grand Rapids, Ionia, Ispheming, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lansing, Luddington, Manistee, Marquette, Monroe, Muskegon, Niles, Pontiac, Port Huron, Saginaw, West Bay City, Ypsilanti.

J. H. P. Hughart, of the G. R. & I. road, Grand Rapids, and David Carter, of the Detroit & Cleveland navigation company, are agitating the project to build a large summer hotel on Macinac island. They are seeking to interest some first-class hotel man in the scheme, and will offer strong inducements to the proper parties. The G. R. & I. and the Michigan Central railroads and the Chicago and Detroit steamboat lines that touch at the island will lend a helping hand to the project. It is proposed to have it ready for occupancy next season.

Indications at the university of Michigan point to an attendance of 1,500 this year. In the literary department a general change of professors and instructors has been made. Prof. Hudson takes nearly all of Dr. Adams's old work and Judge Cooley takes the courses in constitutional history and in American history. Prof. Harrington takes Prof. Wead's courses in physics with but few changes. In English Prof. Demmon takes the purely literary courses, Prof. Burt the rhetorical and philosophical, and Mr. Burnett the philological including Anglo Saxon and German. Mr. Ayers has a number of new courses in biology.

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AN OLD MAN'S MEMORIES.

On the Way From the Old House to the New.

I'll sit a moment by the road. I will not keep
you long;
But, dearie, I am very tired. Somehow, the
journeys throng
About me so, thickly packs dark, for all 'tis
bright and July.
It breaks my heart, this leaving, dear, the
old house for the new.

It's different, child, when folks are young;
they wake and work and sleep
And take life's chances as they come; old
roots have struck too deep
To bear transplanting with you know. I'm
just like that, you see.
Don't look for any second growth from such
a blighted tree.

For nigh on fifty years, my dear, I've crossed
that threshold o'er
And hung my hat upon the peg that's just
behind the door.
Your mother's stand and rocking-chair were
in exact place each night;
And when she smiled to welcome me her
look was like the light.

You were our youngest, little Jean, the lambkin
of the fold;
I know in your sweet eyes, my love, we both
were always cold;
But when I brought my bonny bride to share
that little home
Her like was not in far or near, wherever
you might roam.

With hair like waves of crinkled gold, and
cheeks like roses red,
A step so swift, a laugh so gay, she had when
we were wed;
Oh, up and down the country-side her match
was not that day.
I never thought I could be glad that she had
gone away.

But now I'm thankful mother's safe where
trial's never come,
Where happy souls no more go out, once
gathered in that home;
I would not have her here to feel the loneliness
and pain
Which will be mine the rest of life, in sunshine
and in rain.

Forgive me, dear. My selfish grief is clouding
you, I know.
But bear with me, my little one, and now I'll
rise and go;
I'll try to be, for your sweet sake, as cheerful
as I can,
And meet this trial as I would were I a
younger man.

It would have lasted out my time, they might
have let me stay
And die in peace where I have lived in peace
my life's long day.
But, Jeanie, guide me on, my dear—you say
the sky is blue?
It's dark to me, now that I leave the old
house for the new.

—Harper's Bazar.

A FATHER'S LETTER.

Advice Given by Hon. Edwards Pierrepont to His Son.

The New York *Mail and Express* recently published the following letter furnished that paper by a gentleman who had been intrusted with a copy of the same, and who says, in speaking of the young Mr. Pierrepont, who had just died at Rome, while Secretary of the American Legation in that city: "Mr. Pierrepont was a young man of rare gifts and accomplishments and of great promise. He was a brilliant scholar, a close student, a thoroughly upright Christian gentleman, and a manly fellow. * * * For a score of years I have enjoyed the warm personal and much-valued friendship of the father, Mr. Edwards Pierrepont, Mr. Lowell's predecessor as United States Minister to England, and know of his solicitude, hopes and plans for his son.

"On the 8th of March, 1879, Mr. Pierrepont wrote a private letter to his son for his future guidance and help, intrusting me with a copy at that time. This letter so impressed me by the wisdom and discretion that I now offer it, upon my own responsibility, for publication. I do this in the conviction that many a young man who reads it will be inspired and strengthened by its teachings and guided by its counsels."

THE LETTER.

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MY DEAR SON—I would gladly save you from much annoyance and from many sorrows, by giving you the benefit of my own experience. I have been through the preparatory schools and the university, and I know all their trials and their temptations. I also know how prone boys are to think that the times have changed since their fathers were young, and that the true rules for the conduct of life have ceased to be the same. My son, as you grow, older, you will find that from the time of Solomon to this hour human nature has not changed at all, and that the guide to a prosperous and a happy life is precisely the same as it was when that wise man wrote. The boy who is fortunate enough to have a father whose experience is large and varied, and who communicates it with no possible motive but the best good of his child, has great advantage, if he will heed what is told him, but will suffer more deeply in the end if he comes to see that the care, and the earnest warning, and the faithful counsel have been disregarded.

Banish forever from your mind that folly which young men so very stupidly cherish, that "the world and the ways of the world are essentially different now from what they were forty years ago," and settle forever in your mind certain principles which you are never to doubt, and never to swerve from in your course of life.

First—That there is a great first cause which rules the world; a something which we can but dimly comprehend, because it is too vast for our finite minds. It is the infinite. It is God. It is fruitless to try "to find out God." He is "our Father in Heaven;" this is all that the simple child can know; it is all that the most learned man can ever know. That this Great Creator is just and merciful, and rules by equal laws, we have every reason to believe and that it is one of the Creator's laws that our lives may be influenced by earnest prayer for guidance in the right way, there is no doubt.

I do not mean that to pray for specific things, such as riches and honors, will bring riches and honors as matter of course, but that honest and earnest prayer to our Father in Heaven for guidance in the way that is for our best good is sure to bring strength and enlightment to the mind, and, thus to aid us in the affairs of life.

Every day ask your Heavenly Father to guide you in all things in the way which is right, and you will not go wrong.

Most of the scientific men of our time devote themselves to the study of the laws of matter, and they seem to forget that man, even while on earth, has a spiritual as well as a material nature. They find nothing but matter in the brain which they dissect, and they jump at the conclusion that there is nothing but matter. Their discoveries in the laws of matter are wonderful and invaluable, but they utterly neglect the study of the spiritual laws, which are as real and as certainly a part of man as the grosser substance. That the soul survives the body, and that it is happy or miserable, "according to the deeds done in the body," never allow yourself to doubt. If skeptics wish to talk to you about it, don't argue; arguments on these subjects never do any good; you might as well argue that you loved your mother. Practice what I suggest, and you will know from consistent experience that what I tell you is true, and you will be made much happier and serener day by day, and far more prosperous in this world. When in the family of boy, Henry Seymour, at Holme Pierrepont, you saw how cheerful and serenely happy they all were under the influence of a religious life.

Second—That truth, unfaltering integrity, justice and honor are never to be departed from under any circumstances.

Lies come from meanness, low vanity, cowardice, and of a depraved nature, and they always fall of their object and bring the charge into contempt. Without strict integrity, justice and honor, you can never have any great success in anything of lasting respect from anybody. Every one is found out sooner or later, and lying sooner than he supposes. Indeed, your true character is sure to be known, and sure to be justly appreciated.

I pray you, my son, never trouble yourself about popularity. Do right, the best you can, deserve respect, and you will be certain to have it.

If you see a fellow-student who is always manly, honorable, brave and just, and who devotes himself to the duties before him every day, who resists temptations to pleasures which interfere with his health, and hence with his success, you cannot help admiring and respecting him; and so is it with the most jaded idler at Christ Church. Oxford has never graduated a man who was an indolent failure at the college who ever became an eminent success afterward, and she never will.

Attend to the duties and obey the laws of the university. It sometimes enters the shallow heads of young men that it is clever and spirited to transgress the rules. It is supremely silly. It requires neither brains nor courage to break the laws, and scores of a desire to get cheap notoriety through cowardice or vice, and the aspiring idiot always fails in the end. Thieves and burglars break laws; true men keep them; they are made for good.

The great secret of making the labors of university life or other life easy is to do each duty every day. If you let a burden of arrears accumulate it will discourage you. If you have five things to do each day, they are easily done; but if you put them off with the idea that you can do fifty on the tenth day you will surely fail.

Mind not what others do; they may be able to waste more time than you can afford; more likely, however, they will fail. Many in Christ Church do not expect to make any figures in the world, and have no ambition but to pass through; and many affect to despise the diligent.

If you have not a determined purpose to take a stand as a scholar, and to lead an earnest, manly life after you leave Oxford, then leave it now, and save me the mortification and expense, and yourself the reproach and sorrow which your countrymen bestow upon wasted opportunities. Do well, and there is nothing in my power which I would not do to advance you. Be a failure, through your own indolence weakness and indulgence, and though you are my only son, I should feel that I had one too many.

Success comes not of spasmodic effort but on continued every-day work.

Read the fable of the hare and the tortoise and profit by its teachings, and remember that success, with honor, is one of the highest pleasures of life. I have many fears lest in companionship with so many young men of easy fortune, and no ambition beyond that of the easy life of an English gentleman, you lose the sturdy purpose which should animate you daily. Remember that America is not England. No one is born to titled greatness or to any other greatness here; he who gets it must achieve it, and he who can not achieve it in some form is of small consideration. We have no idle class, and I trust that we may never have. An idle life is a worthless and unhappy life.

Never go to balls or parties in term time, and avoid late wines and suppers at all times; they always injure the health, and without health life has scarce a pleasure.

From his birth, Samson drank neither wine nor strong drink, and those who are trained for the ring imitate his example. During our late war it was conclusively proved that those who drank water only escaped disease and endured fatigue far beyond the others.

If you drink wine at all, be very moderate; there is madness habit; a single glass is just as satisfactory as a dozen, if you so train yourself.

I can not too strongly urge upon you the importance of early retiring to rest. Investigations into the causes of longevity have shown that early sleep and early rising are among the chiefest reasons of long life, and science has revealed the fact that the magnetic rays of the sun are widely different in the morning from those of the declining day. As the sun goes down, most of the beasts and birds seek their places of rest; many of the flowers and plants and trees fold their leaves; and the sunflower, which looks toward the sinking sun in the West, is turned to greet him in the morning toward the East. As he approaches to usher in the day, all nature, from bird to flower, seems animated with invigorated life. Then the mind of man who has had refreshing sleep awakes with its best thoughts, its wisest plans, its largest capabilities. But this can come only to him who has spent the midnight hours in sleep. Sleep restores the nervous forces of the exhausted brain, and the best constitution will soon be shattered and the best mind will become unstrung if sleep is neglected. It was justly called:

Sore labor's bath,
Balm of hurt minds, great nature's second course,
Chief nourisher at life's feast.

The memory of mischief is no desirable fame.

Third—That economy is a virtue and that extravagance is a vice, never forget.

You never see a man of forty who regretted his economy; you will see plenty who mourn their early extravagance. Lavish expenditure never wins respect. It may win temporary flatterers, who despise the fool they flatter. Pay every debt you owe, but—

Neither a borrower nor a lender be,
For loan oft loses both itself and friend.

Let not your vanity ever tempt you to spend money. English young men are awake; they laugh at the foolish Americans who are so lavish. Remember that your hope, your pride, your life is to be in America. A country whose future is unimagined and whose greatness and power will surpass any empire in the world. You are to be part of it; and if you do not one day go as an ambassador from the greatest Republic that has ever been to the most powerful and advanced kingdom in Europe you will fail in your possibilities and of my hopes.

Don't listen to the twaddle about the decadence of England, she is not in decay, but in the full vigor of robust manhood. Great nations do not commence their fall until their morals are corrupted. As yet, England has a sturdy moral sense, courage and capacity for self-denial and for brave deeds; she believes in God and truth and justice. She has many faults and weaknesses. She is not moving forward with the colossal power of this younger, bolder, more rash and fearless America; her civilization is in advance of ours, but she has inherited many prejudices coming down from old centuries which retard her progress and from which we are free.

I would deprive you of no innocent pleasures; that is not pleasure which injures the health, jades the mind, and makes you feel meanly and weak and unequal to the labor which is to fit you for manly life.

Study well whatever the college course requires, and never say that this or that will be of no use. All is of use which disciplines and strengthens the mind. When training for a boxer you strike the sand bag; you would not tell the trainer that you do not expect to fight sand bags is your life, and hence you will not strike them now. You don't weights to strengthen your hands; you do dry work to strengthen the head; and remember that you must do it, no one else can do it for you; as well might you get some one else to strike the sand bag or lift the weight which was to strengthen your muscle.

Duties well done every day, and difficulties surmounted as they arise, are easier continually, and finally become lasting enjoyments.

Never play cards for money. It is no pleasure to win a fellow-students' money, and it is pain to lose your own. The habit is always bad, and often ruinous; never acquire it.

Dress like a gentleman; neither be peculiar or dashy, but dress as becomes you, not as becomes some one else. Never talk about your expenses or your money, and never be ashamed to have your money; on the contrary, be proud of it. Your business now is to acquire knowledge and good deed to make you display yours, especially to older men; but always try to learn of them.

Never say to another what it would be unpleasant to have him say to you.

Remember that good manners are of great importance. Manners should be frank and easy, with dignity.

Avoid fawning, toadying ways as you would the foul fiend. Never fawn to a prince or swagger to a peasant. Be courteous and manly everywhere and to everybody.

Let your manner be quiet; nothing is more underbred than a flurried address, with a face wrinkled all over with grinning delight.

The courteous can express pleasure and welcome with little contortions, and when those appear, whether in the son of a duke or a drayman, they are intensely vulgar.

You cannot have good manners in the drawing-room if your habitual manners are bad; the habit will betray you; let the habit be always good.

Far better that you look frightened, than that you degrade your countenance with silly hilarity.

Be a gentleman, feel like a gentleman, and you will look and act like one.

Sometimes you will be neglected, and your vanity may feel wounded. Never let this annoy you; be absolutely sure that in due time all will come right, and that you will have all the consideration which you merit. No one can do you any permanent injury but yourself. The world is so constituted that it is not in men's power to withhold respect from lofty character, real ability and good conduct.

You may be invited to a ball or a dinner because you dance or tell a good story; but no one since the time of Queen Elizabeth has been made a Cabinet Minister or a Lord Chancellor for such reasons.

The years of youth are short, and the pleasures of youth perish in manly life. Reputation, power and the consideration which comes of ability, attainments and good character are what the man from thirty to seventy covets. Nothing but the well-spent years of early life can secure these.

I would keep you from no enjoyments suited to your age which are not injurious to your real happiness and future success.

You have health and a good constitution, and you have no inherited tendencies to any vice. It is easy for you to do right, and it will be unpardonable if you go astray.

I rejoice to find that profanity is considered vulgar in England. During the two years that I resided in England I never heard a profane word from a gentleman. Among the young men, slang seemed to be abundant. I hope that it does not prevail at the University.

Remember that when you are twenty-five you will desire what others value at that age, and so at every stage of life. I mean what the higher order of men value.

Live each year in the way which will best fit you for the next year, and thus you will lead a happy life; a life which will secure to you the happier life to come.

You start with every advantage, but forget not that yours are advantages suited to America, not suited to England. No one has superior rank or higher social position than you in America. In England their ancient system of primogeniture and title gives precedence and outward respect, in a large degree, irrespective of merit. It is not so with us, and I am very glad. Quarrel not at all with their system; they seem to like it. But never covet it, and never commit the silly snobbery of pretending to prefer it to the system of your own country.

The social life of England is very charming, and their plan of leaving all land to the eldest son has built up vast estates, adorned and dignified with castles and halls filled with art and luxury and refined taste; but all this is at the sacrifice of many human rights which we value.

Nothing like this is possible in America, and it will not always last in England.

The substratum of the English character is solid, honest, truthful, and, in the main, just. Our best traits are a heritage from that race; but I feel quite sure that, with all our faults, we are rapidly improving upon our English sires, and that we may become quite the superior people as a whole.

Feel always a manly pride that you are an American, and that your future is here.

There is not in all historic time, a grander record than that of the United States. Before the nation was a hundred years old civil war broke out, and the North alone had at one time more than a million of armed men in the field, and the South had vast armies also. After four years of terrible war, more than 1,200,000 soldiers were disbanded almost in a day. They returned to the peaceful industries of civil life without a murmur, without disorder and without crime. Under our system of government they had learned to govern themselves. Even in the madness of the conflict, when the President was assassinated, the Government moved on without even a ripple of disturbance. More than three thousand million of debt was created, and the paper money was in such discredit that one gold dollar would buy two dollars and seventy cents of the paper. But so soon as the war ended we went bravely to work, paid off one-third of our vast debt, and now a paper dollar will buy a gold dollar in any part of the country, and our national credit is of the highest grade. We have finished more than seventy-five thousand miles of railway, revived our industries, increased in population, and our prosperity is such that our annual income is greater than that of any nation on the earth.

I have a letter from the Dean to-day, in which he says: "Your son's improvement has really astonished me." Continue to astonish the Dean and delight me.

This shows that you have the ability, and that there will be no excuse and no pardon if you are not faithful in the future. From time to time I shall hear from the Dean, and also from your tutor, and they will tell me all and only the truth. They will reveal your shortcomings, if you have them, as well as your merits. You accept too many invitations from your fellow students. This will weaken your energies and prevent your success; besides, you will become a bore, which avoid as you would "the plague." Short visits do not bore.

When we last met, you did not carry yourself erect. You seemed to think that you were awkwardly tall, and you tried to look shorter; this is a mistake; you are nineteen years old and scarce more than six feet high; that is not too tall; but if you grow to any height, carry yourself erect.

When you have done the duties of the day, and done them well, take your pleasures, which will be all the more keen; and when you have well finished the labors of the term, you will enjoy the vacation a thousand times the more by reason of your successful toil.

I do not need, in this letter, to repeat the warnings against those petty vices, temptations and follies of which I have so often spoken.

I will print this because I wish you to read it more than once.

God bless and keep and guide my boy.

Your ever devoted FATHER.

COCK-FIGHTING.

How the Chicken Disputes of Our Forefathers Were Conducted.

With all the antiquarian knowledge of the present day, we doubt whether one man in a thousand could give a tolerably accurate description of the cock-fights of his forefathers. How cock-fighting is conducted at present we do not pretend to know; but ancient chronicling hath its literature, and, besides, the written word, there is considerable tradition concerning it, which some of us are old enough to have received from the very mouths of our parents.

The first and most important point in cock-fighting was the weight of the birds. In most agreements for a cock-fight—"articles for a cock-match"—was the technical phrase—it was stipulated that no cock should weigh less than three pounds six ounces, or more than four pounds eight ounces. When the cocks of each side had been weighed, the next thing was to pair them. This was done by matching all the cocks on either side whose weights came within one ounce of each other. The lightest pair of cocks were always made to fight first, and then those gradually heavier, until the heaviest pair fought last. This venerable rule had been in use since the days of King Charles II. Although the combs of the birds were always cut, they had to appear "with a fair hackle, not too near shorn, or out, nor with any other fraud." The spurs were usually of silver, at least in the great matches. At the time appointed for the cock fight to begin, the "masters of the match" took their seats opposite to each other, on either side of the cock-pit, accompanied by two officials termed the "setters-to." To these two "feeders" appeared, each carrying a cock. After due examination, the birds were made over to the setters to, and they handed them to the masters of the match, who started the fun by putting the cocks upon the mat on the floor of the cock-pit. The next part of the business the cocks managed for themselves. The "noble sport" now began in earnest, and sometimes two good birds would fight until one cock had killed the other or thrashed him to helplessness. But not uncommonly, after a sharp round, both cocks would suspend hostilities to gain breath, and, withdrawing to a little distance, each would watch the other in the hope of catching him in a careless or listless moment. For a short time this rather added to the excitement of the spectators, but human patience soon became exhausted when two cocks stood solemnly eyeing each other. Now the limit of time for cocks to ogle without fighting was fixed at the interval during which an official, called "the teller of the law," could count forty. When this limit was passed, human science was brought to the assistance of the birds. The setters-to then caught them, and carrying them to the middle of the pit, "delivered them on their legs, beak to beak." If either of them had been blinded in the previous battle, their heads were to be made to touch each other. If one cock refused to fight, he was tried ten times, and he had to refuse to fight as many times before he was considered beaten. It sometimes happened that the cock who would fight died from his wounds before his adversary had refused ten times, and in that case the craven bird was considered to have won the battle. The law further provided rules in case both cocks refused to fight, as well as in other cases which it is hardly necessary that we should enumerate; but they were nearly all based on the principle that "the teller of the law" should count forty, twenty or ten, according to circumstances, between the intervals of the fights. It will be readily understood, from this description, that a great part of a cock-fight was occupied by the setters-to squatting opposite to each other in the middle of the pit and "delivering the cocks on their legs, beak to beak."

Cock-fighting was fashionable in Greece at least five hundred years B. C., and it was probably a very ancient sport in China, where it is still highly popular. In India, again, cock-fighting is an institution of very great antiquity. Mr. Doyle, in his book on poultry, assumes that the Britons practiced cock fighting before the landing of Cæsar, from the statement of that author to the effect that the Britons only reared their fowls for amusement. Both Henry VIII. and James I. were fond of "cocking." Oliver Cromwell legislated against it, but Charles II. revived it. The Royal Cockpit at Westminster, which was the head quarters of cock fighting, was established by Henry VIII., and even in the present century mains have been fought in it. Newmarket has been the scene of numberless cock-fights. Indeed, it may be said that for a long time cock-fighting went hand-in-hand with racing, and it used to be reported in the official racing calendar, which was then called the *Sporting Calendar*. Taking up the *Sporting Calendar* of 1775, we read that at Newcastle upon-Tyne, during the race meeting the gentlemen of Durham and Northumberland fought a "main of cocks," consisting of thirty-eight battles, and ending in "a drawn main." It is said that 1,000 game cocks have been killed in fights during one week at Newcastle. The gentlemen of the same counties fought another main, at the Durham races of the same year, when Northumberland won, after thirty-four battles had been fought. Although the matches were sometimes made between individuals, it was more usual for the mains at races to be fought between cocks belonging to the gentlemen of two adjoining counties. Ten guineas each battle and one or two hundred on "the odd," seem to have been the usual stakes; but there was an immense amount of betting, and the odds were calculated to a great nicety. Hoyle gives a table of odds which is quite appalling. For instance, he quotes one case in which the betting is 1 3,843,421-7,821,875 to 1 against a certain contingency. Mr. Doyle mentions a cock-fight in India for "a lac of rupees (£10,000)," but it is probable that more money has been lost and won over cock-fighting in England than in any other country.—*London Saturday Review.*

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenscroft in Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer J. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is in parcels, a mortgage upon real estate located by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assigned and is past due, and that Edwin H. Wood was duly appointed administrator of said estate and qualified that trust, and that said Edwin H. Wood has deceased without having fully administered said estate, and praying that Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person be appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate. And it appearing to the Court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country, having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this Court to notify the consul of such foreign country, in the city of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition, of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for the hearing of the same, and the court having this day notified such consul by letter addressed to the consul of Great Britain in the City of New York, deposited in the postoffice in Adrian with the postage prepaid, a letter-press copy of which there is now on file in this Court.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM R. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 28th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Susan A. Wickwire, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate, with the will annexed, may be granted to Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person, (James Sherrard, the executor nominated in said will having become a resident of a foreign country.)

It is ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of October, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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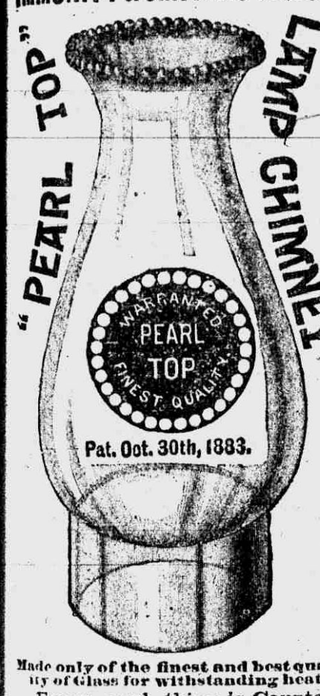

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ERRORS OF SPEECH.

The Crudities Which Punctuate the Articles Appearing in the Public Press.

It is remarkable how many glaring errors made by new-paper writers find their way into print despite the care of a trained and critical editor. The other day a brief account of the life of a distinguished man contained the words, "later on" three times. To have made the mistake of using "on" once in connection with "later" would have been bad enough, but the tripli-ation of the error deserved the editor's rebuke with a warning-note that starvation stared the writer in the face. In the same article appeared "the above remark" as if above were an adjective instead of a preposition. It is true that Webster, in a note, says "Above is often used elliptically as an adjective by omitting the word mentioned or quoted," but "foregoing" or "aforementioned" are more correct words for the purpose. It is an every-day occurrence to read "suspicioned" for "suspected," the noun for the verb, "reckon" for "suppose or conjecture," where no calculation is intended, and "raise" for "rear or bring up" when reference is made to children who are "reared," and not to corn or hogs, which are "raised." "Expect" is often misapplied for "suspect." We "expect" what is future and likely to be realized, and "suspect" what is not manifest and dependent on mere contingencies.

Redundancy is another serious fault with new-paper writers, and even editors who know better and have more time to prepare their articles than reporters. "Return again," "predict beforehand," "from hence," "a sight to behold," "try an experiment," "substitute in the place of," "filled full," "fixed fact," "report again," "free gratis," "new beginner," "have got," "throughout the whole of" and "must necessarily" are phrases to be found on every page. To illustrate the errors—to experiment is to "try the experiment," a "fact" is always "fixed," "free" and "gratis" mean the same, "have" carries with it the idea of possession without "got" and "whence" and "hence" imply from.

The nice discrimination of synonyms requires a little time for thought, which reporters do not always have, but even in this feature there are palpable errors which ought to be avoided. For instance, it is incorrect to say "Let me learn you how to do it." "Teach" should be substituted for "learn," as to teach means to impart, and to learn means to receive instruction. Food is not "healthy," but "wholesome," and good soil not in cultivation, not "fruitful," but "fertile," which means having the power of producing in abundance. To say to a lady: "I shall take the first occasion to call on you," is not very complimentary in return for her kind invitation. "Occasion" comes unsought, but "opportunity" is desired. A thing is "impossible" which can not be performed in the very nature of things, but "impracticable" when viewed in the light of the limited powers of man. "Sufficient" is as much as one needs, and "enough" as one desires. "Miserable" refers to mental distress, and "wretched" to external circumstances. To "trust" implies confidence with respect to the future, and "credit" with respect to the past. Dickens to the contrary notwithstanding, "mutual" is only correctly applied to that which is interchangeable, as love, friendship, pleasure, joy, and "common" to that which is enjoyed alike or together. You may have a "common" friend or friend "in common," but not a mutual friend or mutual country. To "avow" means to declare openly, and perhaps with pride, but to "confess" means to declare what we know will be considered blameworthy. "Move" is often improperly used for "remove." A man may "move" his head or hand without "removing" either. To walk about a house is therefore to "move" from one position to another, but to change a residence is to "remove" from it.

These are a few of the most objectionable errors of newspaper writing, excluding the barbarisms of the reporter for the race-course or the police court, who may have "brass" enough "to go it blind" and "either "knock under" and "face the music" to the "gent" in the counting-room, or else to tell him a "cock and bull story," about not "knowing the ropes," with a promise to "beat his past record all hollow" if he will "let up" on him this time and "chuck" him over his "tin."—*Cor. Louisville Courier.*

SUN SPOTS.

A Suggestion That the Orb of Day Is Affected With Measles.

A fresh spot has appeared on the face of the sun, a very large one humanly speaking. It measures about twenty thousand geographical miles by seven thousand. Perhaps the sun does not think it excessive, having such a very broad face, and being able to accommodate a great number of pimples of the same size. But the extent sounds considerable, all the same. Besides, there are ever so many smaller ones, about the size of the earth, and, taking all together, we shall hardly be exaggerating the situation if we say there is "quite a rash." For much less we should call the doctor in. Indeed, we terrestial atoms could not rise to the dignity of such an eruption, not even if we put all our faces together and went shares in the same spot. We talk of having "the measles;" nobody thinks of counting them or asking: "How many?" But they are mere pinpoints, dots, specks. It is very different, however, with the orb "that rules the day." Astronomers keep a register of its eruptions, and book each new "measle" as it comes. They diagnose the phenomenon, and conjecture as to its causes and results, just as the doctors do over the baby's red-speckled body. And, like doctors, they can not stop the process. It must run its course, they say. Some day, perhaps, they will prescribe for the sun. If they already know its weight, its temperature and constitution, why should they not find out all about its digestion and habits? Is it temperate and addicted to a regular life? There is a good deal to be said on both sides. In a general way it is irreproachable, a model luminary, and a pattern to everybody else doing certain work conscientiously and regularly. Morally, too, no fault can be found with a body which is all this to a million answers the negro minstrel question, and never throws pearls before swine. Early to rise and early to bed it ought to be healthy, wealthy and wise. But is it? There is another side to the sun. When it is out of our sight, and beyond the scope of our vision of civilization, it could easily be immoderately . An excessive warmth characterizes its conduct. It does not get furiously hot over night. People bring in the sun to keep them warm. But this seems to make it get all the hotter. It must be all the more intolerable over the other hemisphere again, we have conflicting reports. There, too, it does and the evidence is trustworthy, it will not show itself sometimes for weeks together. They know it is there, or thereabouts, from the reflections cast on the sky. But, as for melting a glacier or liquifying an iceberg no such effects are forthcoming. This gratifies Polar bears, no doubt, but can not be styled improved behavior. After, all the Esquimaux are human beings, which even the best of bears are not. Still, as the homely saying goes, we should talk of men only as we know. Report is liable to be biased in the transit, or unreliable at the source. So, for ourselves, we ought to speak well of the great orb. That it does not as a rule take much notice of us, and that when as an exception, it does we grumble, is neither here nor there. Our temperature is the finest in the world, our climate second to none, and the security of our country from plague, pestilence, and famine from drought and flood, earthquake and hurricanes is the envy of all the inhabited earth. And for all this we have to thank the sun.—*London Telegraph.*

BARBER SHOPS.

Patrons Enjoying a Boon Denied by Their Brethren in Other Countries.

The truth of this statement was learned from the barber on North Calvert street, who declared that of all the places on earth the United States was the best place to get a clean, comfortable shave. This compliment to the barber shops of the land of the free was paid on the strength of the vast improvements made in barbers' chairs. A comfortable chair bears the same relation to a barber shop that a well-drawing stove does to the kitchen. The pride of a barber shop is the chairs. The barber may be skillful and swift, the soap pure and fragrant, the brush easy and gentle, the towels clean and white, but these altgether could not atone for the absence of an easy chair. To the United States belongs the credit of getting up barber chairs that are as easy as a feather bed.

Among the latest styles of chairs there are many diversities. There is a winter chair and a summer chair. Then there is the combination chair, which possesses some of the features of both. For summer use the latest fashion is a cane-chair. It is large and roomy and affords the greatest ease. A person can recline in it with as much comfort as on a lounge. For winter use there is the upholstered chair, which is a perfect gem for comfort. The combination chair is reversible, and can be used in winter and summer. The more fashionable barbers, however, do not advocate its use, but prefer a separate chair for winter and summer use. Many men just step into a barber shop to get a little rest and the head bathed. Then the easy chair acts like a charm. The easy chair has done much for the barber. In America there is more shaving done at the barber-shops than in all the balance of the world. In France the barber is engaged by the month, and calls at the house of the customer to ply his craft. In England most of the men shave themselves. Nowhere in Europe can you find an easy and comfortable barber shop. Americans find a great deal of trouble in getting a good shave abroad.—*Baltimore American.*

IN THE WINTER.

How Whaling Ships Winter in the Arctic Regions.

In the fall, just before it gets so cold that the ice forms, the ships huddle together, and each puts down two anchors, one at the bow and one at the stern, and these hold them from striking against the shore or one another until the ice forms around them and freezes them in solidly. Then the anchors and rudders are taken up, and, with lumber which they have brought from home, the whalers build a substantial house over the ship. Then they get the Esquimaux to build a sort of snow house over the wooden house, and so, with all this covering to protect them they manage to keep warm and comfortable with very little fire, however cold it may be out-of-doors. Sometimes they put in double windows, the inside ones of glass, as usual, and the outside ones being made of slabs of ice, like the windows of the *igloos.* The white men do not live in these temporary houses but lived on tops of the ships, but in the cabin and forecastle, just as if they were cruising out to sea. The house is simply put over the ship to keep the real places warm, and right well it does its work. This "house," however, is very useful as a place for taking exercise, for ship carpenting work, and for any small jobs that may be necessary. The Esquimaux also congregate there, especially about meal-time; when generous whalers treat them with sea-bread and weak tea sweetened with molasses.—*Lieutenant Frederick Schwatka, in St. Nicholas.*

—An Indiana man who started in the poultry business with five dollars now sells more than $1,000,000 worth in a year. A man in an adjoining county who embarked in the poultry business one night without a cent in his pocket, is now boarding six months at the expense of the county.—*Norristown Herald.*

—In Brazil there are at least six cannibal tribes, and others whose custom it is for mothers to eat their dead children, pounding up the bones with maize, the mourning lasting till all is consumed.

A Primitive Tribe

Dr. Hunter describes a peculiar tribe in India which has preserved an extreme primitiveness. The people are called Leaf Wearers, because they wear the costume of Adam and Eve before the fall; or, more strictly speaking, they did so until the English persuaded them to adopt cloth.

In 1871 the English officer called together the clan, and after a speech handed out strips of cotton for the women to put on. They then passed in single file to the number of 1,900 before him, made obeisance to him, and were afterward marked on the forehead with vermillion as a sign of their entering into civilized society. Finally, they gathered the bunches of leaves which had formed their sole clothing into a great heap, and solemnly set fire to it. This leaf-wearing tribe had no knowledge of the metals till quite lately, when foreigners came among them, and no word existed in their native language for iron or any other metal. But their country abounds in flint weapons, so that the Juangs form a remnant to our own day of the stone age. "Their huts," writes the officer who knows them best, "are among the smallest that human beings ever deliberately constructed as dwellings. They measure about six feet by eight feet. The head of the family and all the females huddle together in this one shell, not much larger than a dog kennel." The boys and the young men of the village live in one large building apart by themselves; and this custom of having a common abode for the whole male youth of the hamlet is found among many aboriginal tribes in distant parts of India.

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LONDON.—In a recent trade-mark suit it was shown by sworn evidence that over nine million bottles of St. Jacobs Oil had been sold here during the past few years. Leading chemists certify that the sale of this remedy exceeds that of all others; and that it is being recognized as the best pain-cure ever discovered. In serious rheumatism it has accomplished astonishing results.

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An English writer says that the middle class Englishman, as a rule, does not buy books, except a few classics and professional treatises, but waits for his chance at the book club or circulating library. There are instances where authors are asked to lend their own copies by men of ten times their income. Wine and china may be bought, but books must be hired for, says the writer, the English are educated to the point of reading, but not to paying for books.

Greenbacks are said to be so popular in Cuba as to demand a large premium over any other money, whether of gold or silver.

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The season of big squashes and big pumpkins has arrived. By the way, if any of our farmer friends have any big squashes or any big pumpkins to spare, they can find room for them at our boarding house.

The Adrian Salvation Army will vacate their livery stable soon and remove to their former quarters on Maiden Lane, which is one block nearer to the Record office. This is a wise move on the part of Capt. Kirk.

The Courier Journal says: "The meanest man in Louisville gets up early and cuts the dry goods advertisements out of the morning paper, leaving nothing but the ordinary reading matter for his devoted wife."

There is a great deal of politics to the square inch down in Ohio this week. While our Buckeye brethren are engaged in the cheerful pastime of calling each other liars, traitors and pickpockets, the citizens of Michigan are harvesting their bountiful crops, attending their county fairs and booming business.

An exchange says: "When a Pinte-lian has acquired a fortune of $20, he joins the select circles." Yes, and when a Michigan editor has acquired a fortune of $2 he lights out on an excursion and recuperates until his fortune is exhausted. It beats all how many fortunes the editors of Michigan have won and lost during the past twenty-five years.

The dissection of Jumbo reveals the fact that he was not an elephant after all, but belonged to the now extinct Mastodon race. As a veteran showman Barnum still holds the lead. He has been humbugging the people for twenty-five years, and now the science of anatomy demonstrates the fact that his famous elephant Jumbo was a humbug also.

Do you know old Wiggins of our town? That's he sitting across the aisle there.

Very stingy, isn't he?

Stingy is no name for it. He keeps a coffin with a false bottom, and whenever he buries a wife the coffin is dug out and saved for the next one. In that way he has made one coffin do for four wives, and it's a good coffin yet.—Chicago Herald.

Of course, we have no personal knowledge on the subject, but we would venture to bet a half bushel of dirty collars that this Wiggins is none related to Wiggins, the weather prophet.

"Business is business," the old adage says. "And in this connection we rise to remark, that all the signs of the times indicate a business revival. Crops are bountiful and bring a fair price. The farmers have been economizing for several months and this fall they have got to buy something." "You are just right there," says farmer Jones, "but where shall we make our purchases?" Consult the advertising columns of this paper, Mr. Jones. Our advertisements are an infallible guide and point to big bargains as unerringly as the needle points to the pole.

Three orchestras, seven vocal quartettes, besides the brass bands, have been organized at Tecumseh, and the people are taking to the woods as fast as possible. "To rent" and "for sale" cards being seen on nearly every other house.—Detroit Evening News.

With the utmost respect for our enterprising and usually truthful city contemporary, we would remark that the young man who concocted this item must have just absorbed a snifter of old rye. We have lived in this community a good many years, in fact we immigrated to Tecumseh at a very early period of our existence, and we claim to be well posted on Tecumseh ethics and esthetics. Now, if there is any one thing more than another which the average Tecumseh citizen loves, it is music. It soothes the shattered nerves of our young men and solaces our love-sick maidens. The love of music which permeates this town, has percolated through the brick walls of the HERALD building, and captured our office force. The boss himself is an adept with the triangle, the job foreman fiddles on a fiddle, the pressman goes it blind on the jewsharp, our two lady compositors twang the guitar and our news foreman smokes a corn cob pipe. We shall expect the News to retract its slander before frost comes.

THE RAISIN PIONEERS.

ORGANIZATION OF A TOWNSHIP SOCIETY AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Their First Meeting Held at the Presbyterian Church in Raisin on Thursday Oct. 1.

The old settlers of Raisin never do anything by halves. This fact was exemplified on Thursday last when they met at the Presbyterian church in East Raisin to organize a Pioneer Society. The Raisin Pioneers have frequently met with the county society, and the latter has held one meeting in that township a few years ago, but since the County Society has adopted the plan of quoting this portion of the vineyard in holding their meetings, our Raisin friends concluded that they would have a society of their own and institute the plan of holding regular annual reunions. A more favorable time could not have been chosen for the meeting. It was a beautiful day, almost as warm as summer, the farmers were through with their pressing fall work, and hence the whole township turned out to enjoy the feast. In addition to those present from Raisin, many were there also from the surrounding townships, especially old residents who had formerly lived in Raisin, but who now reside in some other town. Among the former Raisin residents were parties from Jackson and other places abroad.

The Presbyterian church in which the meeting assembled was an admirable place for such a gathering. The main auditorium of the church is capable of seating a company of about four hundred. A large basement below is divided into a kitchen and dining room, the latter provided with tables sufficient to accommodate one hundred and twenty guests at once.

Promptly at ten o'clock, the hour appointed for the meeting, the highway and commodious yard about the church were lined with teams and a large crowd had assembled. The company was composed mostly of gray-haired veterans, although there were many middle-aged people and a few young folks to be seen in the audience.

THE FORENOON SESSION.

Shortly after ten o'clock the audience was called to order by Alex. Richard, who officiated as President. A. G. Hall was chosen secretary for the day. The exercises were introduced with singing by the choir and prayer by Rev. H. W. Wright.

The following Constitution was then presented by Mr. Hall and adopted.

THE CONSTITUTION.

ART. I.—This Society shall be known as the Raisin Pioneer Society.

ART. II.—Any lady may become a member of the Society by signing the Constitution.

ART. III.—Any gentleman may become a member of the Society by signing the Constitution and paying the sum of 50 cents to the Treasurer, and each male member is to pay 25 cents annually thereafter.

ART. IV.—The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and an Ex. Com.

ART. V.—The officers shall hold their office one year or until their successors shall be elected.

ART. VI.—The duties of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be the same as they usually are in any other society.

ART. VII.—The duties of the Ex. Com. are to call meetings, provide suitable places for holding the same and see that all necessary arrangements are made.

ART. VIII.—The President shall be *ex officio* chairman of the Ex. Com.

ART. IX.—The annual meeting shall be held on the 1st Thursday of October in each year.

A permanent organization having been effected, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year.

President—A. G. Hall.
Vice Pres.—E. L. Russell.
Secretary—Alex. Richard.
Treasurer—W. J. Holdredge.
Ex. Com.—Mrs. F. C. Rector, J. M. Green, Mrs. H. E. Wilson, Mrs. Jas. McIntyre, E. G. Wilson, H. B. Eaton.

The Ex. Com. then passed through the audience and solicited members, and the following names were enrolled.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

John Richards,
Samuel D. Moore,
Moses Bowerman,
Edmund Hall,
Lyon Kelly,
Conrad Atwell,
Mrs. E. F. Blood,
J. M. Green,
John J. Rector,
Mrs. G. W. Sisson,
Samuel Bryan,
Mrs. R. B. Titus,
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B. I. Laing,
M. Smelzer,
A. B. Bangs,
Mrs. John Banks,
Alex. Richard,
A. G. Hall,
John Fisher,
Mrs. John Fisher,
Samuel Rappleyee,
Mrs. S. Rappleyee,
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Mrs. V. Campbell,
H. B. Eaton,
John Masten,
Joseph Collins,
Mrs. H. Sayles,
Laura S. Haviland,
Elizabeth Haviland,
Zilpha Bowerman,
Lucretia Hall,
Lydia Kelly,
Jane M. Kelly,
Mrs. H. Montgomery,
Henry W. Wright,
Benj. Kelly,
Elizabeth Kelly,
Cerilna Anthony,
Mrs. C. E. Horton,
Sarah J. Eaton,
Mrs. Rachael Wilson,
Mrs. W. E. Doty,
Mrs. Preston,
Robert Mitchell,
Horace Sayles,
Ira Haviland,
Stephen Galloway,
Emerson Haviland,
Mrs. Ella Haviland,
David McConnell,
W. E. Wilson,
W. Chatfield,
Betsey Collins,
Permelia Rector,
Lucie Gillespie,
Seneca Haviland,
Dwight Rogers,
Mrs. A. R. Boyd,
Mrs. J. B. Colvin,
Mrs. F. C. Rector,
Mrs. E. L. Russell,
S. M. Flinn,
Albert Southworth,
E. L. Russell,
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Mrs. E. G. Wilson,
Mrs. Adaline Bowerman,
Mrs. Alvin Brisman,
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Mrs. Dick Gillespie,
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Mrs. C. Chase,
Ezra F. Blood,
S. H. Palmer,
L. G. Rogers,
E. G. Wilson,
J. R. Campbell,
H. Carlton,
Jas. M. Simonds,
Briggs West,
Joshua Taylor,
D. R. Miller,
Mrs. Wickwire,
Mrs. Garlinghouse,
Mrs. Amy Bowerman,
Mrs. Almira Irish,
Mrs. Nancy Campbell,
Mrs. Albert Southworth,
Mrs. Wm. Montague,
Mrs. B. I. Laing,
Mrs. E. Galloway,
Maria S. Galloway,
Mrs. Abigail Holloway,
Mrs. Edson Walker,
Mrs. Dwight Rogers,
Mrs. J. B. Masten,
J. M. Judson,
Mrs. J. M. Judson,
Geo. W. Haight,
Mrs. James Simonds,
Miss Mary Palmer,
Miss Mary Hancock,
G. B. Garlinghouse,
Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse,
Jesse Hong,
Mrs. W. Huntly,
Mrs. Jas. Downey,
Mrs. Jacob Wright,
Miss E. Jane Farlin,
John Pease,
Mrs. John Pease,
Geo. Clark,
Mrs. G. C. Clark,
W. L. Carlton,
J. H. Dickson,
A. Ash,
Mrs. R. H. Conway.

Several of the above are persons who now live abroad, former residents of Raisin, and who came back to their old home to attend this gathering.

A quartette was sung entitled, The Modern Yankee Doodle, after which a recess was taken for dinner.

THE NOON HOUR.

The intermission of one hour to indulge in refreshments was most profitably spent. The banquet was called a "picnic lunch," but on comparing it with our dinners at home, we should call it a "good square meal." Cold meats, sandwiches, prime biscuit, cakes in endless variety, with excellent coffee and tea, tempted the appetite and filled up the guests. Over three hundred persons were fed, all of whom were bountifully provided for, and there were many basketsful of fragments gathered up at the close of the feast. This portion of the entertainment demonstrated the fact that the housewives of Raisin are worth having.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION.

Shortly after one o'clock the company was again called to order by chairman Richard, and the program was opened by the singing of Auld Lang Syne.

Prayer followed by Rev. H. W. Wright.

Then a song, Don't forget the Old Folks.

Mr. Richard then gave a brief address of welcome. His remarks were entirely impromptu, but they were fluently spoken and touched the hearts of all present. This meeting, he said, was properly a meeting of the old folks. Some of those who were with us seven years ago are gone. They have finished their earthly work and have entered a new life. We welcome the old men and women here to-day to banquet them, and to listen to their stories of the olden time. We younger ones are thinking of improvements to come. They are looking back into the past. But we wish to hear about those days when these pioneers were entering upon the life which was begun in our behalf.

The venerable "Uncle John" Richard followed with a most interesting speech. Mr. Richard is now living upon borrowed time, but his strong manly physique presents a striking appearance and he talks as fluently as many a younger man. It saddens my heart, said he, to see so many of the old pioneers and their children here to-day. We had many trials in an early day which people now know nothing of and yet we suffered but few real privations. We came here to work and did it. My first home was a shanty which contained a fire place, a stick chimney, a crane and chain upon which to hang the dinner pot, and a bake oven. The floor was laid of rough boards, but the women soon scrubbed them smooth. We broke up our land, put in our wheat, visited each other and had good times. Never got discouraged. Some of the settlers, when they got the ague, put back to the East, but when we old pioneers got the ague we took a little quinine and worked all the harder, and here we are to-day—grown old—but not ashamed that we are old. Such a meeting as this is a great satisfaction. It may be a farewell meeting to many of us.

Mr. Edmund Hall was the next speaker. Mr. Hall is over four score, but still enjoys fair health and hopes to live with us many years yet. I came to Michigan, said he, in March, 1834—57 years ago last March—and bought the place on which I now live. I was sick, went back east, stayed there a few months and then returned, but could only work about two hours a day. I concluded I ought to have a wife even if my health was poor. I picked out the girl I wanted, gave her two days to think it over and in eight days we were married, and I have never had cause to repent of it.

"Uncle John" Rector, who lived in Raisin for many years, but now resides in Tecumseh, favored the audience with some personal recollections. By the way, Uncle John's marriage was quite a romantic one, but as the story has been told before and is generally known, we will not repeat it here. His earliest pioneer life was in Ohio. Told a story of going to mill, himself and a neighbor, with a yoke of oxen. After going to three different places, and undergoing many hardships and mishaps, such as waking in the morning and finding their oxen gone, they finally heard of a steamboat load of flour just landed at Miami. They hurried on, but others too were anxious to get flour, and all they could get was three barrels, for which they had to pay $36. Now days, all the farmers have to do is to go to mill a few miles. He stays 3 or 4 hours and comes home with a grist of prime patent flour. Then we did well to get to our homes in 8 or 9 days.

Aunt Laura Haviland, who came to Mich. in 1828, gave a brief address. Their nearest neighbor was Darius Comstock. Once they missed the days of the week, she and her husband working all day Sunday. She mopped and baked and did a big Saturday's work, while he built a calf pen and did many other things. Along toward night her sister Phoebe came to see why they were not to meeting, thinking they must be sick. She called in her husband, who was positive it was Saturday. They then counted up the days from the last Sunday, thinking over what they had done each day, and found sure enough they were mistaken, they had worked all day Sunday. This and other reminiscences of sickness and trials through which their neighbors stood by them and helped them, manifesting the friendship of early days stronger and stronger. She called attention to her book, the third edition of which is now ready for the public.

Song—"The Man behind the Plough."

Mr. McFarland followed. His early life was spent in Cattaraugus county, N. Y., and his first settlement in Michigan was in the town of Fairfield.

The Chairman then showed, as an illustration of the growing temperance sentiment, a "pocket companion" of the olden time which would hold at least a quart. The flask, of the present day holds about half a pint.

Upon counting heads, it was found that 53 persons were present who resided in the state when Michigan was a territory, and 23 of them were 21 years old at that time—in 1837.

Mrs. Lucretia Hall told of her mother, Mrs. Raymond's, experience the first summer in Michigan. They had only the ground for a floor in their shanty and did their cooking out of doors. Mrs. Raymond, being very fond of green peas, had sowed a little patch, which to her dismay the hens scratched up. She, finding the guilty hen, killed her, took the peas from her crop and re-sowed them and so had her green peas after all.

Will Carleton's poem, "Out of the old house into the new," was recited by Mrs. R. H. Whitney, of Adrian.

Song—Home, Sweet Home.

B. I. Laing told of his father's refusing to pay a military tax. The tax collector was Alvah Doty, a great friend of his fathers, but as he was collector he must do his duty, so when Mr. Laing, who was a Quaker, and could not conscientiously pay the tax, refused to do so, Mr. Doty levied on Mr. Laing's clock and big arm chair; they were never taken away however, as some one else paid the tax. My father thought it was Uncle Alvah himself.

George Haight, of Jackson, went from here 27 years ago, thinks Raisin possesses more intelligence than any town he knows of, District No. 3 having educated 23 teachers in the old log school house, and many more since that time.

Fifty-one years ago the old church was organized at Mr. Rogers' house.

The meeting closed about four o'clock with the doxology, the afternoon's session having been nearly three hours in length, and the pioneers departed for their homes with happy hearts and smiling faces. The Raisin Society was most auspiciously inaugurated and we shall look for their annual reunions with much interest.

The Magazine of Art for October.

The Magazine of Art for October is an especially fine number, in text and illustrations. There are five full page illustrations, one of which, Whistler's full length portrait of Pablo Sarasarte, the violinist, is not only worth the price of the number, but of a year's subscription to the magazine.

The opening paper by Claude Phillips, is on that strange German genius Arnold Boecklin, of whose peculiar work a number of admirable illustrations are given. Following this is a paper on Granada, by David Hannay, showing by pencil as well as pen, the moorish beauties of that old Spanish town. Then comes a poem, by J. Arthur Blaikie, "Reconciliation," with one of Walter Crane's admirable decorative pictures. Miss A. Mary F. Robinson gives the fourth of her Profiles from the French Renaissance, and there is an entertaining paper on "Female Head Gear." The department of notes is well filled with news and crispe comment.—Cassell & Company, Limited, New York, $3.50 a year in advance.

The October number of the North American Review contains twenty-three Articles by as many different contributors—among whom are an English Cardinal, an American Admiral, two American Major-Generals, two American ex-Ministers to European Courts, an American Artist, an N. Y. Assemblyman, an ex-United States Senator, the Mayor of New York, an ex-Governor of New York, two distinguished American Men of Letters, and a famous American Financier—Manning, Ammen, Ben Butler, Fitz John Porter, Elihu B. Washburne, Wm. Waldorf Astor, his first appearance in literature; J. B. Eustis, of Louisiana, Wm. R. Grace, of New York, Theodore Roosevelt, Horatio Seymour, E. P. Whipple, Charles T. Congdon, Dorman B. Eaton, and some others less known. There is also a very characteristic private letter from Gen. Grant to his father, written from Milliken's Bend, just two days before he started in the Vicksburg Campaign. It is contributed by Col. Fred. Grant.

The October *Babyhood* gives its usual variety of topics interesting to parents, by its well-known editors, Marion Harland and Dr. Leroy M. Yale, and a corps of able contributors. Among the principal subjects are "The Precocious Baby," "Nursery Cookery," "The care of Baby's Eyes," "Contagion in Throat Troubles," "Art in the Nursery," "Thoughts on Home Training," "The Diet of Nursing Mothers," "Systematic Weaning," "Autumn Styles for Baby's Wardrobe" etc. A letter from Vienna on Austrian baby matters in general, and another from an American mother in Japan, will be read with interest. [15 cents a number; $1.50 a year. 18 Spruce Street, New York.]

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

HORSE FOR SALE.—An excellent large bay carriage horse for sale cheap. Enquire of FRED. R. WOOD.

WANTED.—To employ a sexton for M. E. church for this conference year. Sealed proposals will be received by committee and bids given to lowest responsible bidder. Respondents seen at the store of J. S. Kinney.

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JUST RECEIVED.—The finest car load of horses ever brought to Michigan from Texas. These horses are from the Judge Noonan Ranch celebrated for breeding from the best Kentucky stock. They stand from 14½ to 16 hands high, good color, very shapely and gentle. They can be seen any time on my place in the town of Franklin Center.

J. R. KEENEY.

Franklin Center, Oct. 1, 1885.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS—50,000 Wilson's Albany now ready for the fall picking. $2.00 per thousand.

ABNER WILSON.

SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us

FOR SALE.—One family pony horse. Enquire of E. V. De Puy or at his house.

At the Morenci fair last week the colts of Banker Rothchilds won first premium in the three and four year old classes. Mr. Silvers also showed his two year old "Frank S." He trotted a half mile dash in one-thirty, which is remarkable for ten week's handling.

The Patterson has a new proprietor in the person of our young friend Charles F. Patterson. Capt. Foster remaining at the helm as manager.—Charley is still a young man; but he is old in business experience, and we believe he will fill the new and responsible position he has assumed with credit to himself and advantage to the House. Success to him.

Lieut. Brownell, whom many of our readers will remember as the avenger of Col. Ellsworth, who was shot down while raising the stars and stripes in the early days of the war, was in town last Tuesday. At the time he shot the slayer of Ellsworth he held the rank of Sergeant. He afterwards enlisted in the regular army and has been placed on the retired list with a rank of 1st Lieut. He is now acting as a special agent of the Pension Bureau for investigating disputed claims. He was the guest of Dr. Woodward while here.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

According to the adjournment of our last meeting, which was held at the residence of Mr. John Rector, May 28th, last, the club will meet at the residence of Mr. F. C. Rector, Oct. 28th at 2 P. M., when it is expected the club will enjoy the following exercises:

Inst. Music—Eva Rector.
Select Reading—Mrs. A. G. Hall.
Singing by the Choir.
Essay—Mrs. John Fisher.
Dec.—Garland Gillespie.
Song—Lizzie Henderson.
Discussion—Question—What is the proper method of saving seed corn, and which is the most profitable, husking corn to fatten stock or feeding it without husking?
Refreshments by Mrs. F. C. Rector.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

BEERS POST TAKEN BY STORM.

At the last regular meeting of Beers Post, G. A. R., on Friday evening, the members of the Post were subjected to an onslaught somewhat new in their experience. About nine o'clock a rumor reached us that a delegation of ladies, some thirty or forty in number, had a few moments previously marched up the stairs leading to the G. A. R. hall, armed with crockery and lunch baskets. We resolved on the spot to make an effort to unravel the mystery or perish in the attempt. Accordingly we took our course to the stairway, quietly ascended the stairs, found the door of the hall open and unceremoniously walked in.

We found a jolly company assembled consisting of members of the Post with their wives and daughters. The ante-room was crowded with provision baskets, supper utensils and a boiler full of hot coffee. Upon enquiry we ascertained that the feminine portion of the G. A. R., that is the wives of the members, had planned a surprise on the Post, and this visit was the culmination of the plot.

The members of the Post have adopted a custom of serving hot coffee at their meetings, hence the ladies, by taking a good supply of cold refreshments, could provide quite a banquet.

After a few moments passed in social enjoyment the company was seated and the viands were distributed where they would do the most good. Before this part of the program was closed we had unraveled the mystery to our entire satisfaction. After the coffee and cakes were disposed of the company listened to brief speeches by Rev. Mr. Getchell, A. W. Mills and others. The G. A. R. boys were taken completely by surprise, not one of them having received the least intimation of the affair. But they acquitted themselves honorably, ate the refreshments cheerfully and thanked the ladies heartily. It was suggested by one of the speakers that the ladies should persevere in well doing and continue these lunch parties at intervals during the winter.

The strangest part of this strange tale remains for us to tell. How under the sun did it come to pass that thirty women kept such an affair a profound secret for three or four days?

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 8, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Franklin was visited with quite a severe hail storm last Sunday.

The Court House building committee held a session last Tuesday.

Ypsilanti repudiates standard time. Old fashioned time is good enough for Ypsi.

Elijah Wilson is to build the bridge over the little Raisin, north of Frank Davidson's.

Miss Mame Spafford, of Brooklyn, was visiting her parents in Tecumseh last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Perry, started for Chicago last Tuesday to remain during the week.

A. W. Slayton went to Ohio last Tuesday on business, to be gone the balance of the week.

Mrs. L. Maltbie and son Bert, of Cattaraugus, N. Y. are visiting at her sister's Mrs. A. Hardenburg's.

Jos. W. Baker and wife, of Adrian, spent Sunday and Monday in Tecumseh, as the guests of Albert Hyde.

Wm. Leigh, of Windsor, Ont., formerly the proprietor of the City Bakery, spent two days in Tecumseh this week.

Rumor says that Capt. A. D. Lawrence contemplates selling out here and removing to New Orleans. We hope the rumor is not true.

Lavern Wheeler has taken a photo of Uncle Bill Nixon, sitting on a box in his shirt sleeves with scythe in hand. It is as natural as life.

H. B. Tallman is doing a rushing business at his cider mill west of the village. He manufactures cider, apple jelly, boiled cider, cider vinegar and sorghum syrup.

All indebted to us whose accounts are now due, will confer a favor by paying the same within the next ten days, and greatly oblige.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

Mr. Herning's meat market was burglarized last Sunday night. The thief entered through a back window, rifled the money till and obtained $18.00. There is no clue to the perpetrator.

A. W. Slayton has formed a co-partnership with a N. Y. city man for the handling of Western hay. Gus shipped 700 tons last year and he thinks he can double it this season. Success to him.

Col. D. S. Curtis, of Washington, is out on his annual leave and is spending his time with his friends in Tecumseh and Clinton. He arrived last Saturday and will remain about ten days.

J. C. Brown will give a raffle for a silver watch to be followed by a dance at Sage & Cary's hall, in Macon, on Friday evening, Oct. 16th next. Good music will be in attendance. Everybody go.

Bert McNair attended the entrance examinations at Ann Arbor and passed all the branches without a single condition. He does not intend entering the University this fall, but will probably do so next year.

Fred. Fisher, who worked in the Tecumseh Paper Mill for five years, is now delivery clerk in Bowerfind's bakery at Adrian. Fred has a good position there and has become one of the fixtures of that institution.

Mrs. Asa Rosacrans has been spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. C. V. Hicks, at Oscoda Mich. She returned home last week and was accompanied by Mrs. Hicks, who will remain in town for a short visit.

Mrs. Brooks, of Clinton, attained her 95th birthday on Saturday the 26th ult, and during that week she knit a pair of stockings. How many young ladies, 20 years of age, are there in Clinton, who could knit a pair of stockings in one week?

There are only three surviving members of the first Constitutional convention of Michigan: Hon. John J. Adam, of this village; Hon. Geo. Howell, of Macon; and Hon. Robert B. Morris, who was a delegate from Oakland Co., and now resides at Snow Hill, Maryland.

William Heidermann, a German, working for Mr. Jonathan Green, in Raisin, was thrown from a horse last week, breaking his right leg between the knee and ankle. Dr. C. M. Woodward was called, who reduced and dressed the fracture, and the man is now quite comfortable, under the circumstances.

Phillip DePuy brought into our office one day last week, half a bushel of Victor potatoes, that will do to brag on. Nine potatoes filled the half bushel basket, and the largest one weighed 3 pounds and 10 ounces. This opens the big potato campaign in fine style and we should now like to hear from other parties.

It is in dispute whether the saw mill in Raisin known as the Cecil Clark mill, which recently burned, is the tenth or twelth mill that has burned on that particular spot during the past thirty years. After all it is not worth disputing about. To get within two saw mills of the truth is coming pretty near it, to say the least.—Adrian Record.

Sam James was in town last Sunday.

Harry Snell was in town last Sunday.

Earl Sheldon spent last Sunday in Toledo.

Frank Snedicor, of Dundee, was in town last Monday.

T. J. Kennedy, of Battle Creek, spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. Aaron Bruce recently sold a three year old Banker colt to Morenci parties for $400.

Geo. Bostwick returned from Eaton Rapids last Tuesday, looking greatly improved in health.

The hop at Armory Hall was a great success—socially—and the boys will repeat it in the near future.

A large sheet containing a full list of the general delivery postoffices is posted up in the Tecumseh office.

Rev. Mr. Lucas, of Greeley, Colo., and Miss Louie Brown, of Toledo, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Sutton.

Fadover informs us that Mrs. Fadover says that if the frost holds off ten days longer, we shall escape a freeze until about the eighteenth of October.

O. P. Bills got home from Harbor Point last week looking as bronzed and healthy as though he had spent the summer on a cattle ranch. Harbor Point is a good place to go to during the hay fever season.

Prof. Hammond is keeping bachelor's hall for two or three weeks, while his wife is visiting with her relatives at White Pigeon. The Professor says that he doesn't enjoy the sport half as well as he used to do.

Gainsley has now got his new stock of goods in place. He has a new stock throughout and a very neat store. His goods are bought at head-quarters at the lowest cash prices, and he is prepared to offer big bargains.—Read his announcement on the 8th. page.

In our item off the repairs of the Baptist church, published last week, we said that the recent improvements had cost several hundred dollars. This statement was too modest by half, and the ladies demur. We are promised a few statistics soon which will place the real facts before the public.

D. W. Clark has a California squash at his store. There is nothing very remarkable about that, but when we add that the squash measures 6 feet, 2 inches in circumference and weighs 131 pounds, it becomes an item that is worthy of record. It was raised by Jas. W. Brown on the old Deacon Conkling farm in Raisin.

Last evening was a bad one for a tent show, nevertheless the Whitney Family gave a first class variety entertainment to a small audience. The contortionist was the best ever in Tecumseh, and the singing and music were excellent, as was also the tumbling. When they visit Tecumseh again they will be sure of a full house.

Mr. I. G. Rawson of Rochester, N. Y., has purchased the confectionery stock and tea business of Will T. Eccles, and took possession on Friday last. Mr. Rawson comes here well recommended, and seems to be well posted in his business and a genial gentleman. We commend him to the good wishes of our citizens and bespeak for him a liberal patronage.

About two dozen men and boys shivered through five innings of base ball Tuesday afternoon between the Tecumseh and Adrian nines. The Tecumseh club ran short of men and had to fill in with three "kid" players and consequently were "done up" in short order by their opponents, the score standing 14 to 4 in Adrian's favor at the end of the fifth innings when the game was called on account of darkness.

A small audience greeted Pauline Markham in "Dolly's Luck" last Monday evening. The troupe labored under the disadvantage of playing to a small audience on a small stage which would not admit of one of their best scenes and it was omitted. Pauline Markham fully sustained her reputation as an actress of great merit, and she was very ably supported. Had the price of admission been lower she would have undoubtedly had a much larger house.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman wishes to announce to her patrons that she is now placing upon her shelves a remarkably large stock of fall and winter millinery goods and that they must not fail to call and inspect them. Hair goods have been added to her stock, of which a complete assortment will be kept on hand. Miss Dingman has charge of the trimming department, which is a sufficient guarantee that this branch of the business will be well maintained.

Mr. M. F. Brown has been rearranging the pictures in his show window, and they make an elegant show.—A brief visit at his rooms yesterday was well repaid. He is taking the finest photographs that can be produced anywhere, for he introduces all the new improvements as fast as they come out. His work is first class and his scale of prices is fixed to meet the stringency of the times. There is no reason why people should go out of town for their work, when they can get just what they want at home.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The Blissfield Advance complains of bad sidewalks in that village.

The "Carleton" circle of Hudson, is taking the C. L. S. C. course of reading.

J. G. Yeagley, the veteran auctioneer of Hudson, has "gone" to his final reward.

The Morenci fair held last week was largely attended and was a grand success.

Delegates to the state Grange were chosen by the county Grange last Tuesday.

The total receipts of the Morenci fair were $4000, being a gain of $1000 over last year.

The Daily Observer which was published during the Morenci fair was a decided success.

Four hundred and ten passengers went from Hudson to the Hillsdale Co. fair one day last week.

The state Normal school at Ypsilanti opens with 600 students, considerably in excess of last year at the opening.

Saline is also troubled with a lot of pestiferous urchins who hang round the church doors at the close of services and stare at the pretty girls as they leave the sanctuary.

A. H. Wood, and Crane & Wood, clothing merchants of Adrian have purchased the clothing stock of Dan Benedict and will incorporate his stock with their own. The change will make one less clothing store in Adrian.

While at Tecumseh last Saturday evening we enjoyed the hospitality of the Patterson house, H. S. Lee, proprietor, with Capt. A. P. Foster at the helm as manager. The Patterson is one of the best kept hotels in southern Michigan, and is centrally located, convenient to the railroads and business portion of the town.—Clinton Local.

Some of the members of the Blissfield Common Council neglect their official duties, and the Advance hauls them over the coals in this wise.

There is no excuse for any member of the council pleading "too much business," as a reason he cannot attend to village matters. If he hasn't the time to devote to it and isn't willing to, he ought not to have accepted the office, but having accepted should make room for some one who will devote some attention to the interests of the village.

We clip this item from the Saline Observer. It is very pretty reading, but will the editor please rise and interpret it.

The Indian summer is with us when the "soft balmy breezes blow through the trees-es, calling forth nasal sneez-es from the young man who squeezes, his sweet heart in his arms," while they sit upon a cold marble slab on the rear end of God's acre, quarreling because that cross-eyed girl from Tecumseh had the audacity to wink at him at the social the other evening.

Some lads on the East Side had wrenched a plank out of the sidewalk on the west side of the M. E. parsonage, near the church, last week to make their "hoops jump," and had replaced the same without fastening. Last Sunday morning as R. P. Wood and wife and Miss Effie Bangs were passing over the plank one end was thrown up and Mrs. Wood was thrown down and severely, though not seriously, hurt. It was a narrow escape for the lady.—Hudson Post.

The Morenci and Hillsdale fairs are in full blast this week, and both are largely attended. The entries at the Morenci fair are about 600 more than at any previous year. Mr. Beakes, of the Record, is at Morenci, and is entered in class A 1, to compete for the gold mounted snuff-box which will be given to the best looking editor in the county, as a discretionary premium. We are inclined to think our neighbor will bring home the snuff-box, unless Scove Stacy is a competitor.—Adrian Press.

The board of managers of the three state asylums for the insane, met at Traverse city on Wednesday last. The only business transacted of interest in this locality was that of transferring Lenawee, Monroe, Washtenaw and Ingham counties from the Pontiac district and attaching them to Kalamazoo. The state was districted in proportion to population, and with a view to convenience of access. Judge Geddes was a member of the board, and was accompanied by his wife. Before returning home they visited Petoskey, Mackinaw, and other places of interest in Northern Michigan.—Adrian Press.

The Adrian Times of last week contained a lengthy sketch of the new County Court House, which concluded as follows

And thus stands the new Lenawee county court house, nearly completed, and handsomer, better and more substantial than our people had a right to expect for the money invested. Much credit is due the architect and the plucky assignees of the original contractors, for, owing to the fact that the original contractors took the contract at an exceedingly low figure, the latter will lose a large amount of money, instead of, as they should, realizing a fair margin of profit. They have, however, gone on with the work, doing everything in first-class shape, and slighting not the smallest particular of the structure. Competent judges think that they will lack rom $5,000 to $8,000 of coming out ven on the contract.

THE EASTERN MICHIGAN INSANE ASYLUM

During the recent session of Detroit Conference there occured an afternoon when the writer thought he had leisure to visit this institution whose name forms the title to this article.—So, in company with several brethren from different parts of the State he walked out from Pontiac to the building in question.

The dimensions of the structure are far beyond the conceptions he had formerly entertained, but by some mischance the notes taken on the spot have been mislaid and your readers will be spared many statistics that might otherwise have been inflicted upon them.

The immense building stands nearly in the center of a farm of three hundred acres, most of which is devoted to general farm crops, ten acres being in garden and forty acres reserved for lawn and groves surrounding the edifice. The grounds contain a fine conservatory, numerous flower beds interspersed with shrubs and trees of various kinds, approached by winding drives and foot paths and forming a rural picture worthy of the poet's pen or the artist's pencil. The lawns contain facilities for playing croquet, lawn tennis and other out of door amusements.

Entering the large hall the party were met by a gentlemanly attendant who seemed to take pleasure in showing the guests how the State cares for its unfortunates. First they entered a ward for gentlemen patients. There are thirteen of these wards, each one a hundred and seventy feet in length, and containing a hall twelve feet high and twelve feet wide, and running the entire length, with rooms on each side twelve feet square for the accommodation of patients. Each patient has one of these rooms to himself. The furniture consists of a bed (spring bottom) a table, chair, commode, etc. The room is warmed by means of a register.

The hall and grounds are free to the patients during the day, but at night they are confined to their rooms. Each hall has a large alcove lighted by a bay window, furnished with tables and other facilities for indoor amusements, (cards, dominos, checkers, etc.) There is also a luxuriously furnished parlor supplied with musical instruments accessible to all patients during each day. The dining rooms connected with each ward are models of convenience, which could only be described by a good housewife.

The patients seemed to look upon the visitors with considerable interest but manifested no disposition to injure them.

Passing from this ward the procession was conducted down stairs and through the great kitchen. Here are gigantic coffee urns (capacity 220 gals.) and conveniences for doing the cooking for eight hundred patients with their attendants numbering in all about one hundred. The party were interested particularly in the oven, which consists of a large disk sixteen feet in diameter, surmounted by a dome and rotated by an unseen power. While the baking is being done one man is continually employed putting bread in the oven and another taking out the loaves which are always sufficiently baked. The capacity of the oven is sixty loaves per hour. The patients have their choice of white or brown bread, salt or hop rising, at all meals. Such are the conveniences for distributing food from this kitchen that the whole army of eaters can be supplied in fifteen minutes from the time the supples are started.

The conductors then led the way to the laundry where enormous washing machines were cleansing the soiled linen. The wringer which does all the wringing of the institution, except the wringing money from the people, deserves special notice. It is a large copper tub holding about two bushels; the sides are perforated with holes about a half inch in diameter. When this tub is filled a lever is pulled and it commences to revolve at the rate of twelve hundred revolutions per minute, the centrifugal force throwing the water through the perforators against a funnel shaped tin screen which carries the slops to the sewer.

The ironing is done partly by machinery and partly in the good old way. The engine rooms were next visited. Here are four large boilers each nine feet in diameter and twenty-five feet long, furnishing heat for the building and motive power for machinery. A large 100-horse power engine, with fly wheel sixteen feet in diameter runs night and day; furnishes all the power needed in all the departments. A 60 horse power engine stands idle, but ready to be brought into use at a moments notice, should any accident stop the large one. A large fan, capable of moving sixty thousand cubic feet of air per minute, can be used at will for reducing the temperature of the wards during the heated term. A 20 horse power engine is pumping ten barrels of water per minute out of the well into a large reservoir higher than the roof of the building, from which all the inmates are supplied with an abundance of pure water. Patients are found employed in all rooms, it being part of the policy of the physician in charge to allow them to work or play as they desire. Of course there is sufficient force of employees to do the work but when the patients are working the employees are guards. Two hospitals are in process of erection and patients are employed wheeling brick, mixing mortar, etc., just for fun.

Returning to the main hall the party were shown the library, 15,000 volumes, and the chapel, capable of seating four hundred people, used for religious meetings and also for concerts, operas, etc.; Here the male and female patients are allowed to attend together. The ladies' wards are counterparts of the gentlemen's in form and size and generl arrangement. The entire institution containing twenty-six wards, each capable of accommodating forty patients. As the party passed out the scribe drew his note book and began to scribble. He was accosted by a lady, "What are you doin, making picters?" No, taking notes. "I never see nothin here worth notin,' I've been here seven years!" Here the conversation closed. At the door the doctor said: "Was your conductor all right?" "O, yes!" "He has been under treatment for fifteen years." Fancy the feelings of the pilgrims.

Once outside the company started to walk around the building, but were soon met by a placard—"at this point visitors will please turn back." So they stopped, soon a lady at an upper window and in a most bewitching manner threw a kiss at the crowd which no one of the party seemed to wish to appropriate to himself alone, and with this sweet memory lingering in their minds they wended their way back to Pontiac. A. C.

The Patterson House has had a big run of transients for the past few days.

Ed Williamson expects to go to New York the last of this week on a business trip.

Mr. L. E. Dean, of Schuyler Co., N. Y., is visiting Mrs. M. J. Bigelow and daughter this week.

J. J. Daly, Tecumseh's hustler in the boot and shoe trade, has a new card on the 8th, page.—Read it and be wise.

Mr. Fairfield, junior member of the firm of Sutton, Fairfield & Co., started on Monday afternoon, last, for New York to purchase new goods.

The Baptist church being now in condition to use, regular service will be held there next Sunday. Rev. F. Adkins will occupy the pulpit.

Mrs. W. M. Butler has been spending the last few weeks with relatives and friends at Lansing and while there took a trip to Hillsdale and was there the guest of Supt. Cannifl and wife.

Mrs. Lydia Horton and daughter, of Arkansas, who have been visiting at D. C. Barnes for a few days, left on Monday last for home. They will stop on the way at Mendon, Mich., to visit friends there.

The early closing movement has been auspiciously begun, but we would respectfully ask why it is confined to the dry goods, furniture, clothing and hardware trades? Why wouldn't the same plan work with the other branches of business? It might discommode village customers somewhat to close the grocery stores and meat markets at an early hour, but we see no reason why other stores could not close early without detriment to themselves or customers.

Lenawee County W. C. T. U.

The annual meeting of the Lenawee County W. C. T. U. will be held in the M. E. church, at Addison, the 14th and 15th of October. First session will commence at 2.30 o'clock P. M., Wednesday. All local unions are requested to send delegates. Places where unions have once existed should also, be represented, and all who can attend will be made welcome. A program has been arranged for Wednesday evening, and Mrs. Mary T. Lathrop, of Jackson, is engaged to speak Thursday evening. Meetings free to all, and a full attendance is desired.

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"But for real vocalization the fowls surpass both animals and birds. I have had one rooster that had a remarkable power of laughing. No one could possibly hear him without doing as he would when Gough laughs—laugh with him. Now, a dog has a diffused laugh all over, but especially concentrates a crinkle in his tail. The dog's tail is the most cultured tail among animals. In a fully laughed dog it talks. The tail of a cow has no more sense than an ox-goad, and a horse's tail is not much wiser. Tags even lash flies in a loose way that shows they don't know, except in a general way, where the flies are. It was necessary that man should lose such a brainless appendage. As the brain increases the tail decreases, and laughing and talking go over to the brain.

"In studying animal language we must study not only their power of adaptability to us, but our power of adaptation to them. That is, having ourselves evolved our language from the sign and emotional stage, there still is in us a capacity for going back to those creatures that have not yet come up to an intelligent language; we can put forth an effort to meet them half way. Prof. Bartholomew, with his trained horses, talks with them in equine language. It needs to drop words and throw expressions into terms. In that way and for that reason sing-ing brings us nearer to the most of our friends than articulation. Yet if we constantly talk to animals as if they understood us, we shall find ourselves involuntarily modifying our sounds, and shall be surprised to find how much they evidently comprehend our meaning.

"The relations which we assume to animals rapidly modifies their articulation. It is not the parrot only that learns to talk from human intercourse, but all animals and birds as well. You have only to test this in your own yard or on your farm. I have a horse that, when purchased, knew human beings from some unpleasant side, and was accustomed to put on terrible pretences of devouring stable boys. They had probably done evil to be eaten. She gave vocal look except a snort of anger, and decided evil of it. She's now capable of expressing herself in a way that would satisfy Dean Swift. There is a consciousness in her, not so that she is conversing with me, and she has quite a good range of affection and injury."—*Boston Herald.*

A LECTURE TO MEN.

Some Reasons Why Wives Should Be Posted Upon Their Husbands' Affairs.

What is my opinion of wives knowing their husbands' business? I think every wife should know exactly all the business of her husband. It may not be necessary to tell her the worries and anxieties of it, but all that portion in which her suggestions and her tact would be valuable, should be known to her, and she should also have such knowledge as would be of vital importance in settling the estate, in case of the death of its head. Too many men think, because their wives are only women, they don't have any idea of money except to spend it, but I am here to say that the wives, on an average, have just as much business sense as their husbands, and in many cases very much more, as the records will show. If a woman is extravagant and careless, a knowledge of what her husband's business is will often act as a restraint upon her, and unless she is a natural-born fool, will cause her to make an effort to cut her garments according to her cloth. Occasionally a wife does not want to know anything of her husband's affairs because she thinks she has enough care at home, but that kind of a wife is scarce, and the man who husbands her is an unfortunate, whose lot would have been happier if he had remained a bachelor. I believe in the unity of husband and wife, and the unity of material matters is almost as important as that of the spirit, indeed, true unity of spirit means unity in all things. A good wife is a man's best friend, and her sympathy is valuable, even though she has not the wisdom of Solomon. Mr. Brown always told me his business, and Mr. Brown left a widow who is not dependent on the world, nor does she have to ask a man to conduct her business for her now that her natural protector is no more.—*Merchant Traveler.*

—A story is told by the *Presbyterian* of a New York woman who was asked to add her name to a subscription list for a charitable purpose. "I can not," was the reply; "I did all I could afford to do for charity during the winter. I went to the charity ball, the kirmess, and attended a number of private theatrical entertainments given for benevolence."

—Portland, Ore., has a new high school building which cost $125,000.

MISCELLANEOUS.

—Marriage may be defined as a temporary social alliance, entered into for the purpose of acquiring a cheap notoriety through the medium of divorce.—*Philadelphia Times.*

—The indications are that the great Lick Observatory in California will be completed in 1887, a French firm having successfully solved the problem of casting the disc, which is to be three feet in diameter.

—A late critic gives it as his opinion that the word "rye" in Burns' song, "Coming Thro' the Rye," means river, and not a field; that the author intended the word to mean crossing on the stepping stones in the river Rye.—*Chicago Herald.*

—The wife of the people in England go wool-gathering just as they do here, it seems. Last year there were 26,000 letters posted in England without any address upon them, and in 1,600 of them coins and money were enclosed.

—A book has been published which advocates the eating of non-carnivorous insects. As Abraham Lincoln once remarked: "For those who like this sort of thing it is quite probable that this sort of thing is just about the sort of thing they would like."

—The late Dr. Holland evidently thought there was a better way of spending one's time than in card playing. He described it as "the resort of the starving soul and intellect, which has never in any way linked to itself tender, elevating, or beautiful associations."—*Congregationalist.*

—There's nothing new in the idea of pneumatic tubes. A pneumatic conveyor for letters, etc., was suggested by Dr. Papin, in 1695, patented by Madhurst in England, 1810, on the compressed air principle, and by Valentine, in 1824, on the exhaust principle.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The First Kiss of Love:

Her cheeks are flushed, her eyes are wet,
She heaves a gentle sigh;
Her pulses quicken, she scarce knows yet
Why she is so nervous grown;
What magic spell is this that troubles so
With fluttering thoughts and fears?
The first time she has felt her heart
Had a sweet, sweet sweetheart.

—The largest and finest collection of orchids in this country is owned by Hon. Erastus Corning, of Albany, for which he was offered and refused $75,000 by a syndicate. The late Mrs. Morgan, of New York, left a choice collection valued at $50,000.—*Albany Journal.*

—In Portland, Me., recently an ingenious device was discovered for evading the liquor law. A lead pipe was carried up a chimney to the second story of the house, and investigation showed that it was carried beneath the ground across the yard to another building fully one hundred feet away. Here, beneath the floor in the second story, were two barrels of beer, the pipe running up the wall to connect them with.—*N. Y. Post.*

—It is said that there is not a gambling-house in Boston which is not protected by a thick, bolted door, at which a watchman always stands. Electric communicators warn the occupants as soon as any unknown person comes in sight, so that by the time an entrance has been effected by battering down the door, the chips, money, and other paraphernalia are all secreted and the gamblers are chatting and smoking together in the most innocent manner. It is practically impossible for the police to find a game in progress.—*N. Y. Post.*

—"Look here, Ransom," said an old negro to a young fellow, "I doan' min' yer 'sociatin' wid' my daughter, but I druther yer wouldn't come roun' my house no mo'. Time 'fore de last what ye wuz heah I missed er water bucket, an' de las' time de bridle wuz gone, an' now, ez I has a use for de saddle, I druther yer wouldn't come heah. I doan' say that yer ain't hones', but such curs things happens while yer is in de neighborhood, so jes' ter please er ole man, what ain't enjoyin' very good health, pleas doan' come round dis house no mo'."—*Arkansas Traveler.*

—This is the latest parrot story: "A common gray Polly, having been brought from Guinea by a sailor with a coarse, rough voice and afflicted with a cough, the parrot learned to imitate the exact tones of his master, even to the cough, so closely that the sound of his voice was often mistaken for that of the sailor. It was afterward taken in hand by another instructor and taught a softer tone, but it never forgot the harsh voice of its former master, and often amused bystanders by relapsing into sea slang, interspersed with the asthmatic cough of the sailor."—*Philadelphia Press.*

—The explorers of the Congo Valley are surprised by the crudity of life there. The natives have no domesticated beasts of any sort, nor do they raise or catch any animals to eat, as they know nothing of flesh as food. No semblance of clothing is worn, and diet is practically confined to spontaneous products of the soil. Letters from missionaries say, too, that the negroes there are so low in mentality that any hope of Christianizing them must be based on a long and patient course of intellectual training. They are too densely ignorant to comprehend the simplest statements of doctrine.—*N. Y. Herald.*

Helen Jackson's Last Days.

A friend of Mrs. Helen Jackson, writing in the *Overland Monthly* of her last days, says: "Her illness was a painless one, a gradual prostration of all the vital energies under the influence of a powerful and irresistible disease. Throughout the long and trying ordeal neither her patience nor her courage ever failed. Whenever the conversation turned upon her ailment, with its mysterious symptoms and steady disorganization of the system, baffling the physicians' skill and thwarting the well-meant efforts of her friends, she was always first to turn the subject, saying with a reassuring little smile, token of the brave spirit's triumph over the failing body: 'Now let us talk of something more pleasant.' And she would so completely ignore her weak bodily condition, and enter into conversation with such spirit and zest, that one forgot she was an invalid, and was conscious only of the clear, analytical mind, with its flashes of humor, and of the great, generous heart."

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om
[illegible]	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
[illegible]	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
[illegible]	6 50 "	2 41 "	2 15 "
[illegible]	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
[illegible]	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
[illegible]	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
[illegible]	8 08 "	4 12 "	9 05 "
[illegible]	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
[illegible]	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
[illegible]	8 50 A.M.	6 18 P.M	.....
[illegible]	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
[illegible]	11 25 "	8 51 "	4 42 A.M
[illegible]	12 01 P.M.	9 31 "	6 00 "
[illegible]	12 10 "	9 41 "	7 00 "
[illegible]	12 25 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
[illegible]	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
[illegible]	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
[illegible]	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Bradley	9 02	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kinsman	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Arcadia	9 35	9 16	3 22	
Avondale	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Fayette	9 51	9 40	3 46	
North Morenci	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Seloco	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Sand Creek	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Adrian, Lv.	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Raisin Center	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Holloway	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Britton	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Deerfield	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Milan	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Whittaker	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Willis	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Belleville	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Romulus	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Hand	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
Delray	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35
DETROIT				

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delray	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 32
Deerfield	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 34
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 03
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seloco		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Arcadia		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kinsman		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 51	10 27
Bradley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

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IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	A.M.			P. M.	A. M.
7	10 10	A...	Toledo ... L	5 10	11 10
7 16	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10
7 26	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46
7 30	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
7 36	11 33		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
7 39	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 06
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51
8 06	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 33	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09
A.M. 8 55	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 57 P. M.
9 17	1 38		Homer	1 38	7 38 8 00
9 25	1 50		Eckford	1 27	7 21 7 48
9 31	2 05		Marshall	1 14	7 06 7 33
9 45	2 27		Cereso	1 02	6 49 7 21
9 55	2 36		Battle Crk L	12 44	6 30 7 03
P. M. 2	2 56		Augusta	12 27	A. M. 6 43
	04		Yorkville	12 20	6 35
	3 10		Richland	12 15	6 29
	3 28		Doster	11 58	6 12
	3 45		Montreith	11 49	5 55
	3 53		Fisk	11 35	5 47
	3 59		Kellogg	11 30	5 37
	4 10	A...	Allegan ... L	11 20	5 25
	5 25		Holland	10 15	3 30
	6 30		Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 30		Grand Haven	9 00	2 10
	6 35		Ferrysburg	8 50	2 00
	7 10		Muskegon	8 15	1 00
A.M.	10 10		Pentwater	5 50	P. M.
	P.M.	A		L	A. M.

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There is, or has been until very lately, an idea that the prefecture de police in Paris commands the services of a large number of agents, all able and some of exceptional ability in their peculiar calling, who devoted themselves entirely to the crime, who could immediately be launched on the track of a criminal, and of whom some had no ostensible connection with the prefecture, and were thus able to throw the most suspicious malefactors off their guard. From M. Mace's book, plain and prosaic and shattered many cherished legends, it appears that the "agents de la Sureté" are a small body with a vast amount of work to do, and that the system under which they work is about as bad as it possibly can be. As to their numbers, his statements are surprising. In 1879 there were all told in 237 men in the service. In 1881 there were, including the Police des Mœurs, fused in that year with the Sureté, and of whose special work we do not for obvious reasons wish to speak, 306 agents; in 1883 apparently about the same. At first sight this may seem a large number, and certainly, if the perfecture commanded the services of some 240 or 250 skillful detectives, excluding the Police des Mœurs, always at its disposition, it would be well able to grapple with crime; but, as a matter of fact, it has nothing of the kind. These men are not all skillful detectives by any means. Some are or were sent from other branches of the service as a punishment. Some are recruits who have been very carelessly enrolled, and it appears from one passage in M. Mace's book that the best of the recruits are apt to leave early if they see their way to other employment. Then from the total number must be deducted the considerable staff required for office and clerk's work, and a certain number on the sick list, so that practically the administration has not more than 200 men at its disposal. The work which these agents have to do is enormous. In addition to this not inconsiderable amount of work the agents had to deliver personally 6,193 summones, notices and letters from the Parquets. Of this part of their duties M. Mace speaks strongly, and seemingly with good reason. The unfortunate agents, with only a short night's rest before them, have to issue forth in the evening—for they never get the official documents before—and to discover all sorts of disagreeable persons lodged in the bad quarters of Paris, where, on the part alike of the landlords and of the retiring guests, there is the strongest possible dislike to intrusion, and sometimes a marked tendency to make the delivery of undesired letters as unpleasant as possible for the bearers. Needless to say that the function is arduous and perilous, and that it constitutes a severe addition to the day's work.—*Saturday Review.*

Bees In India.

The *Englishman*, of Calcutta, states that the experiment made by Mr. J. C. Douglas, who has imported a hive of Italian bees, has been crowned with complete success. The bees appear to thrive admirably at Calcutta, and have yielded during the present season eighty pounds of splendid honey. This is considered to be a proof that a lucrative industry may be established in India, and a new dainty placed at the disposal of teeming millions of its land cultivators. We fear that this exultation is premature. The experiment of establishing bees in countries of perpetual summer has been tried before now, and has failed signally. For a time the bees work diligently, and lay up rich stores of honey for their winter food. But so soon as the bee discovers that there is no winter, and that from year's end to year's end the flowers offer him a daily supply of nectar, he ceases to store up honey. Indeed, did the bee do otherwise, he would forfeit much of his title to our respect as an industrious and thrifty creature. Did he labor as he does, ceaselessly and earnestly, for no other purpose than to store up honey for which he can never have any use, he would show himself to be but an idiotic kind of insect, and in no way superior in moral status to the human miser.—*London Standard.*

Novel Reading.

Young Society Belle—"Oh, Dr. Portman, I am so glad I met you. I have such an important question I want to ask you. I am so anxious, you know not to do anything that I do not think my pastor could fully approve, and I do want to know if you think novel reading is wrong?"

Dr. Portman—"No, my dear young lady. I think I may say that I do not deem novel reading a sin."

Young Society Belle—"Oh, I am so glad. I told the girls I did not think you would."

Dr. Portman—"No, my dear young friend. I think that the reading of history and science, and works of travel, is highly salutary to the youthful mind. And I am quite sure that would be novel reading to you."—*Louisville Journal.*

—A good wig of white hair, says an American tonsorial artist, costs about $40, but (and this is a secret of the trade and can only be told in whispers) the material of which these wigs are made is clipped from the festive goat, and never from the human head. A peculiar soft, silky kind of snowy-white hair originates on the Angora rabbit. A perfectly white and abundant wig of white human hair would cost $1,000 at least.—*Chicago Times.*

—The whale which recently went ashore at Ochre Point, Newport, was cut into seven pieces and taken out to sea and buried by the aid of the steamer Fairy. The pieces had large stones attached to make them sink.—*N. Y. Post.*

—The United States produces nearly 50,000 lawn mowers annually, and exports to every civilized country on the globe.

THE DEMI-SEASON.

Dresses Which Are Made for Traveling and Shopping Purposes.

For demi-season dresses for traveling, shopping and for morning wear navy blue alpaca is being made up in imitation of the graceful gowns worn during the summer by the Princess of Wales and her daughters. For very young ladies silver braid or white mohair has formed the trimmings, the mohair being used as a narrow vest, high collar and straight cuffs, with rows of braid along the edges, and also on the sash draperies that are worn with a kilt skirt. For autumn dresses black braid, or else dark blue Hercules braid, will take the place of metal braids, and either velvet or plush will be used for the vest, cuffs and collar. Long overskirts that are made like the housemaid skirts, and looped up on one side or both, will be used with these dresses, and there may be rows of braid or of velvet ribbon for the trimming. A side panel of velvet will be chosen by those who prefer pleated skirts with Greek draperies. The new shade of brown called lynx brown, is also being made up in mohair and alpaca dresses for the three autumn months, when canvas dresses will be too thin and cloth too heavy for comfort. Gilt braid will be sparingly used on such dresses, rather as a piping or edging for brown velvet than in many showy rows or in the vermicelli patterns lately used. Wide wool galloons and wool laces that are embroidered lightly with gilt are rich trimmings for lynx brown mohairs, while silver threads are wrought in similar trimmings for gray dresses.

The mixed red and blue laces are also being used to trim blue alpacas, and with these are sometimes seen velvets of the two colors, in stripes or in very small figures, for the small accessories of the corsage. The correct idea, however, in such dresses is to have them exceedingly plain, depending on their fine fit for their beauty. When lace is used on mohair, it is most stylish when confined to the lower skirt; a single deep fall of lace, very slightly gathered, crosses the front and side gores, or else there are two or three narrower ruffles of lace across the front, and several rows are placed up the left side in the space left uncovered by the drapery. Still another plan is that of edging side pleats with narrow wool lace, and forming the front and sides of the skirt of these pleats. When braid is chosen for trimming, the new fancy is to form the front breadth of two very wide box pleats, covering these with clusters of cross rows of the braid, lengthening each row in the cluster, and curling up the ends toward the sides. A pointed plastron made in the same way then trims the corsage, and smaller points are on the sleeves. To complete such a suit for traveling there should be a long blue or brown cloth ulster, and a bonnet of rough blue straw with the brim covered with blue or brown velvet, as is the most becoming to the wearer. A rosette of braid or of wool lace, or some "donkey's-ear loops" of wool or of crape, should trim the close round hat of felt or straw that many young ladies prefer to bonnets.—*Harper's Bazar.*

UNDERTAKERS.

How and Why the Term Came to Be Applied to "Funeral Directors."

The earliest known use of this word as applied to conductors of funerals is by Young, who has the couplet:

While rival undertakers hover round,
And with his spaid the sexton marks the ground.

The present use of the word is no doubt derived from its primary meaning, one who stipulates to do anything, or undertakes the management of any affair. Two hundred years ago a class of people known as upholders were usually called upon to take charge of the funerals. Thus the poet Gay says:

The upholder, rueful harbinger of death,
Waits with impatience for the dying breath.

Now, upholders were dealers in second-hand furniture, old clothes and the like, and perhaps were so called because they were so often resorted to as the last resource of failing credit. As these persons were able from their stock of cheaply purchased material to supply what was needed at funerals at less expense than the regular merchant or haberdasher, they came to be thus employed, and also to furnish houses. In time the more ambitious of this class confined their business to the furnishing of houses only, and dealt in goods both new and old, and to avoid the confounding of their business with that of the funeral managers styled themselves upholsters, a name changed latter to upholsterers. Subsequently the more pretentious members of the clan of upholsterers assumed the name of undertakers, deriving the cognomen logically enough from the signification of its parts in the Saxon tongue. An undertaker, one who takes in hand a business or task, or renders himself responsible for its performance. Or perhaps the idea of the word was taken from the French name for the same office, entrepreneur, though the primary idea of the French word is rather that of one who bids for a particular task. Clarendon in his "History," gives the word with a general meaning in the line, "Antrim was naturally a great undertaker." Honeywood, in "The Good-Natured Man" of Goldsmith, speaks thus of Croaker: "His very mirth is an antidote to all gayety, and his appearance has a stronger effect on my spirits than an undertaker's shop.—*St. Louis Globe Democrat.*

—A noted statistican, Edward Atkinson, insists that there is an abundance of room yet in this world. The 1,400,000,000 persons supposed to be on the globe could all find easy standing room within the limits of a field ten miles square, and by the aid of a telephone could be addressed at one time by a single speaker. In a field twenty miles square they could all be comfortably seated.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Dr. C. C. Abbott, the naturalist, recently found upon his farm at Trenton, N. J., a box tortoise, upon the under shell of which was cut his grandfather's name, J. Abbott, with the date 1821. The appearance of the tortoise denoted great age, and there is no reason to doubt the fact that the name was really engraved upon it sixty-four years ago.

Pluck vs. Luck.

In an address delivered before the students of the Spencerian business college, Washington, D. C., June 29, 1869, among other things, Gen. James A. Garfield said:

"Now, young gentlemen, let me address you touching your success in life; and I hope the very brevity of my remarks will increase the chance of their making a lodgment in your minds. Let me beg you in the outset of your career, to dismiss from your minds all ideas of succeeding by luck. There is no more silly thought among young people than the foolish one that by-and-by something will turn up by which they will suddenly achieve fame or fortune. No, young gentlemen, things don't turn up in this world, unless somebody turns them up. Inertia is one of the indispensable laws of matter, and things lie that where they are until by some intelligent spirit (for nothing but spirit makes motion in this world) they are endowed with activity and life. Do not dream that some good luck is going to happen to you and give you a fortune. Luck is an *ignis fatuus*—you may follow it to ruin, but not to success. The great Napoleon, who believed in his destiny, followed it until he saw his star go down in blackest night, when the Old Guard perished around him, and Waterloo was lost. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck.

Young men talk of trusting to the spur of the occasion. That trust is vain. Occasions cannot make spurs, young gentlemen. If you expect to wear spurs you must win them. If you wish to use them you must buckle them to your own heels before you go into the fight. The prize you may achieve is not worth the having unless you fight for it. Whatever you win in life you must conquer by your own efforts, and then it is yours—a part of yourself."

Hobbies of the Hygienists.

There were several dozen of the hygienists in council, each with his individual hobby. Each thought all the others were wrong. Each was sure that his own hobby was the only correct one. A gentleman present said he had taken Brown's Iron Bitters for debility and dyspepsia, and, though he didn't want to make a fuss about it, he knew the use of this great tonic to be better than all the notions he had heard advanced in the council. One practical cure is worth thousands of guesses and notions. Thousands of happy convalescents speak greatfully of Brown's Iron Bitters.

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Toledo	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Erie Harbor..Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Clyde	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Bellevue	9 39	5 03	7 45	.....
Monroeville..Lv	9 53	5 20	8 12	.....
Norwalk ..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 30	1 40AM
Wellington	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Creston..Lv	11 18	6 52	No. 39.	2 27
Orville..Ar	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville..Lv	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Massillon..Ar	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 00
Massillon..Lv	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 46
Sherrodsville	2 30	1 30	2 30	7 40
Valley Junc. Lv		6 47PM	6 47PM	
Canal Dover	3 30		3 30	8 35
New Comerst'n	3 55		3 55	9 00
Cambridge	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Macksburg	6 03	6 30AM	6 03	10 50
Marietta..Ar	6 05	8 55	8 00	
	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta..Lv	6 40AM	2 30PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	9 15	5 58		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sherodsville				5 45AM
New Cumberland				6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
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Creston..Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 18	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 15		12 12	9 00
Toledo..Ar	5 00AM		1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
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BIRD AND FARM.

Even Blackbirds and Crows of Some Benefit to Agriculturists.

The aim of this article is to point out the good and bad qualities of our common birds and see whether they do more harm than good; to discover these we must consider their food. It is an interesting fact that our very injurious insects come periodically, and when they do appear all the birds leave their usual food and feast mainly of fruit and grain and attack harmless and injurious insects alike. When vast swarms of grasshoppers are leaving devastation in their wake, the birds feast on them and fall upon them as fast as the storm of insects [illegible] passed the birds return to their usual food, which the farmer has but little to spare. The thought may suggest itself that the birds by eating the fruit and grain of the farmer, after he has suffered from the grasshoppers, do more harm than they did good before. This, however, is not the case. Let us glance at the following figures, and then perhaps we will change our minds. An ordinary grasshopper weighs about a third of an ounce, and in the course of twenty-four hours eats and digests about five times its weight, or half an ounce.

For example, we will take the robin: when the country is overrun with grasshoppers he eats about sixty during the day, or six ounces. Now if these grasshoppers had lived they would have devoured thirty ounces of the farmer's grain in twenty-four hours. When the robin is once with the grasshoppers he eats nothing else, and when he returns to his regular diet he eats about four ounces of the farmer's grain in a day, the remaining two being made up of harmless and injurious insects.

We have now arrived at the questions to be considered:

1. Are birds generally useful or beneficial?
2. What birds are useful or injurious?
3. Can those birds be exterminated without injuring the farmer's interest?

After the food of the various birds are found into we shall be prepared to answer these questions. In investigating the food it is to be understood that everything is in natural condition; that is, no unusual abundance of grasshoppers or similar pests.

The robin lives on insects from February until May, south of the Ohio, and in higher latitudes his insect diet extends from about the 15th of March to May. During the remainder of his stay with us we find him changing his diet for fruit, and in the height of the season we find him living almost entirely on it. A short time two-thirds of his entire food, while the remaining third is formed of insects, ten species of which are harmful. The fruits he prefers are cherries and most all raspberries, strawberries, blackberries, currants and grapes.

The cat bird eats many insects and large quantities of cherries, but his food does not differ from the robin's.

We find many good qualities in the [illegible] other birds. They eat large quantities of fruit, but the score of harm is more than balanced by the large score of good it does in destroying great numbers of harmful insects.

The chimney swift passes as one [illegible] the fruit it eats is nearly or quite neutralized and its destroying numbers of great numbers of harmless and beneficial insects as well as injurious ones, such as spiders, [illegible] and flies.

The house or [illegible] is a good [illegible] farmer [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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Our coal dealers and consumers keep Andrew rather busy during his odd hours.

John T. Clark's large potato patch has presented a lively appearance of late, and made a protector again t the mischief perpetrated by the kids. They have all been busy.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. Matthews, who has been quite ill, is rapidly improving.

Chas. Waldron, V. S., has been doing considerable commendable work in these parts of late, having been called frequently to administer to valuable stock, both in Clinton and dgewater which have hastily ied under his management.

The pile of boxes in front of John Smith & Son's store would seem to say, "we have piles of new goods and are anxious to show what we can offer even in these dull times."

The old Chandler house has received a new coat of paint and looks almost like a new building.

E. R. Smith visited Detroit on business last Tuesday.

Ed. Clark has been spending several days with his Clinton friends.

Notices have been issued to notify the owners of poor sidewalks that pedestrians must be protected by immediate repairs.

Considerable complaint is heard of the potatoes rotting even after being stored in the cellar.

There is to be a meeting of the blue ribbon club again next Sunday. A good program will be presented.

The new tramway at the depot brought a smile to the agent as he gazed on the pile of good kindling in the old one.

The M. E. social will be held next Wednesday evening at Mrs. Abraham Glymp's. All are invited.

Alonzo Clark is with relatives in the city of Chicago.

The evening schools at the high school building are progressing finely.

The band boys are improving their spare time on some new music, and we may expect something fine in the near future.

The woolen mills are running right up to time and the new machinery introduced works well.

D. C. LeBaron, of Toledo, was in town last Monday.

C. Fisk's new house is nearing completion, and when finished will add much to that part of town.

Mr. Ward's house near the factory is undergoing repairs.

Ed. Seamark's new brick is moving upwards slowly but surely.

David Woodward of Clinton, received a message this morning announcing the death of his mother's sister, Mrs. Westfall, at Bellville, Wayne Co., and left this morning for that place.

Wm. C. Rogers took a trip to Monroe overland Monday. He reports the pasturage and wheat very backward down there.

Will Patterson and family were in Clinton over Sunday, the guests of Geo. H. Miles and wife. Mrs. P. spent several days here.

Rev. Barnes of the Congregational parsonage rejoices in the possession of not only a new cook room but a new wood shed also.

John Mason, of Adrian, district manager of the Michigan Bell Telephone, was in town Tuesday on business connected with the telephone office.

Mrs. Dudley and child, who have been visiting at E. W. Freese's, have returned home.

Geo. B. Williams, of Clinton, is now running a loom in the factory. He likes the business and makes an excellent hand.

E. Coffin has got fairly established in his "little shop around the corner" and with two knitting machines is working up the yarn quite lively.

"Christopher, where art thou," has his repairs nearly completed on his newly purchased property, and will soon move from the old into the new.

Progressive euchre has at last struck Clinton and rages with all the violence of Montreal small pox. The progressive nature of the malady renders it hard to check and the inhabitants stubbornly resist vaccination, in spite of Dave Woodward, Peter Kishpaugh, Elder Wastell, and other evangelists. Let Clinton alone; she is joined to her euchre.—Adrian Record.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Henry Sutherland died very suddenly Saturday morning of heart disease, caused by taking cold while convalescent from scarlet fever. Funeral services were held at the house Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Wright officiating.

Last Sunday Lon West and Eugene Bowerman, a couple of lads about sixteen and seventeen years old, were out hunting and on their return home got a little too cunning, and drew up their guns to have a duel, and by some hook or crook Lon's gun went off and filled young Bowerman full of fine shot, from the crown of the head to his feet. The only thing that saved him was the ten rods distance that lay between them. Well, they say that bought ten wit is the best kind.

Miss Fida Ash was married last Wednesday, and we understand they expect to go up among the tall timber to make a home, as her husband has a farm in the north part of the state. Next.

W. H. Brainard and wife visited friends at Monroe last week.

We understand that we are to have three new saw mills in the place of the one that lately burned. Let the good work go on.

Married, Oct. 6th, 1885, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Raisin, Mr. Ira T. Allen of Hanover, Mich.; to Miss Celia D. Satterthwaite, Rev. H. D. Allen officiating. The happy couple departed by L. S. R. R., at 4 o'clock for Detroit and northern Michigan. Sorry to say we were not there to throw our old shoe after them, but trust that good luck will follow them through life as much as though we had been there and helped devour the chicken pies and things.

Benjamin Kelley was born in Sidney, Kennebec county, in the prohibition state of Maine—don't drink—his father's name was Libni, mother's Deborah—came to Michigan with the old folks in 1836—13 years old—dug potatoes, hoed corn, pulled weeds and did what father said for eight years in the summer—went to district school in the winter—fat boy, and full of mischief, but studious enough—worked the "old place" seven years "on shares"—then bought farm of his own in Raisin—lives on it yet—but has plenty of other land—didn't farm all his life, either—partner of T. J. Tobey's in cattle shipping business—does some of it yet—grew rich—most Quakers do—served as commissioner of highways for nearly twenty years—would be serving yet if he'd stand it—married pretty girl, Miss Jane Melinda Hoxsie—raised four adopted children—all hearty, happy and promising—Ben Kelley has gray hair, a jolly, honest face, a clean conscience, short stature and a long head—find him around Holloway when you want to see him. —Adrian Times.

BROOKLYN BILLET.

The weather for the past week has been very changeful. Snow and rain have fallen alternately, with now and then a day of sunshine. When shall we have our Indian summer?

A drunken row on the streets last Saturday evening caused a small commotion for a while, but the village Marshal succeeded in capturing one man and placing him in the lockup, where he found shelter for the Sabbath. On Monday morning he was brought before the justice and let go with the payment of a small fine.

Frank Whitney has been quite ill for a few days.

E. B. Culver returned from Chicago last Friday, where he had been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Austin.

The Hurtt Family are billed for the rink Saturday evening. This time they will positively appear (should nothing again happen to prevent.)

Miss Carrie Wright gave a party at her home last evening to about fifty invited guests.

Miss Eda Miller gave a party at the rink Thursday evening, in honor of her birthday. There were about forty skaters present and all seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. She received a beautiful ring set with turquoise and pearls, from her schoolmates: besides other presents from friends.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

The pleasant weather following the two weeks of clouds and rain is enjoyed by all. Boys again pound the ball and girls take long walks.

The greater number of students expect to spend quarterly meeting Sabbath at home.

Letters received by Prof. White from J. H. Douglas were read before the students at Chapel exercises one day last week. Mr. Douglas is enjoying himself; has been taking some foot tours and has at last settled down to hard study in the German language at Berlin University.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris, of Columbus, Ohio, have been visiting their daughter Anna at the Seminary during the past week.

We understand Clement S. Dester, of '79, has advanced to the position of "old gravity" at Kalamazoo College, and expects to be the possessor of a sheep skin, conferred by said college, some time next spring.

Lewis Murback, of '84, has increased by one the University roll at Ann Arbor. The Seminary has now two graduates at that institution.

The astronomy class made a visit to the observatory last Friday morning between the hours of three and six and were rewarded by a fine view of Orion with its great nebula, Sirus, the Pleiades, Mars, Saturn and Jupiter.

The neighborhood literary society met at the Seminary last Saturday evening, and after passing two hours quite pleasantly adjourned to meet again in two weeks at the same place. Subject for discussion at next meeting, "Lowell, and his works." Let there be a good attendance and a live meeting.

Dr. Albert Smith made us a pleasant call one day last week. Come again, you are always welcome.

Dr. Erastus Test, late Principal of the Seminary, has the chair of natural sciences and modern languages in a successful normal school at Richmond, Ind.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Miss Imogene Holmes, of Wales, Erie county, New York, is visiting her old friend and schoolmate, Mrs. E. A. Moyer, of Woodstock.

Messrs. John Webster and Henry Everett, of Lansing, spent a few days, with their families last week, visiting at Mr. G. T. Fisk's place in Somerset, and favored the Courier with a friendly call before returning home. Mr. Webster and his sister Mrs. Everett, were brought up in Hillsdale county, and were greeted by a host of friends during their brief sojourn at the old place.

It was "nip and tuck" with the fats and leans at the rink Saturday evening to decide which class should carry off the prize of 100 cigars offered the victors by Mr. Crandall. A large audience was present and intense excitement prevailed for a time as the contest was a very close one. Ed. Bullen won the race however, by about ten feet, thus settling the question of speed, and affording the gentleman an opportunity to exhibit his generosity by a free distribution of the plunder obtained.

While Mr. John Webster, of Lansing, was indulging in a little squirrel hunt over in Somerset the other day, he was surprised to find his nasal apparatus punctured in a manner somewhat abrupt by the gun, which he had supposed, done its surgical work at the other end. Moral; Never fool with a country gun.

Uncle Charles VanTine returned home from Isabella county last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Swartout, were in attendance at the wedding anniversary of Stephen Carey and wife, of Kelley's Corners, Monday evening. It is thirty years since Mr. and Mrs. C. were yoked together, and the event was celebrated by nearly one hundred guests.

A new furniture store to be located in the new part of the Swartout block, will soon add to the business facilities of the place. Mr. Harvey S. Eaton will be at the helm and proposes to open up a stock of goods which will draw custom. We understand that an undertaking department will also be kept in connection.

Considerable sorghum has been hauled through town this week en route for Root's sugar manufactory north of Hudson. Could it not be made profitable to start a similar concern near home?

Mrs. L. Frensdorf, reported by telephone as dying on Thursday of last week, is better. A protracted sinking spell gave rise to the report.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Fine fall weather as one could ask for.

We are glad to see Uncle Augustus Montgomery able to be out again.

Mrs. Sue Cone, of Hudson, is visiting relatives and friends in the village and vicinity this week.

T. H. Temple is the man who wants your wheat and will pay the highest market price.

Mrs. Harry Smith who went to Ann Arbor last week Monday for treatment returned Thursday. The doctors say there is no help for her. Mr. Smith and family have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction.

Samuel Rappleye is improving his fine home on North Church street by building an addition, &c.

Richard Cadmus returned from a few weeks' visit with friends up north last week, and looks as though it agreed with him.

The attendance at the missionary meeting held at Mrs. Sue Clarke's pleasant home last week Wednesday afternoon was very large, and all report a very fine time.

G. W. Jackson, of Hillsdale, made friends here a flying call, arriving on Saturday and returning on Monday. He hasn't forgot how to crack a joke or laugh when he feels good, and says he is well pleased in his new home.

Mrs. Hattie Miller, of Constantine, is home on a visit.

The chorister, W. H. Arner, desires all members of the choir to be present Saturday evening, as they wish to talk up the changing of anthem books.

Next week Friday evening the Literary society will meet at the hall to elect officers for the ensuing term. A general attendance is desired.

Don't forget the grab bag at the social held at Mrs. P. W. Cadmus this week Friday evening. Let everybody turn out and make Minnie feel good. It is only ten cents for a grab.

C. A. Sharp shook hands with friends, and smiled behind the mail, Monday, reminding us of days gone by.

Prof. Earl Dresser, of Litchfield, was the guest of Miss Hattie Moon Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Amanda Petis, of Wisconsin, and Mrs. Curry, of Ohio, sisters of Mrs. Emeline Smith, have been making her a visit for the past week.

J. F. Temple is building a fine barn on his prairie farm. It is 36x56 with 20 feet posts.

DEVILS LAKE DOINGS.

J. B. Allen is putting two billiard tables in his hotel, the Devil's Lake House, and making his arrangements to keep open house during the winter. An application has been forwarded to Washington for the establishment of a post office at the hotel and favorable news is expected from headquarters every day.

Hope Welch has got a supply of tickets from the M. & O. Railroad, and can now supply travelers with tickets to any point on the road.

The acre of land north of the railroad near Allen's Hotel, on which the grain elevator will be erected cost $262.50. Mrs. Sarah Sanford is that much richer than before.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The weather is not very favorable to farmers.

Corn husking has commenced and some soft corn is reported.

The farmers in the eastern part of this county are complaining severely of potato rot.

"When Greek meets Greek, then comes the tug of war." It was proven here when the rival wheat buyers both wanted John Zeluff's load of wheat. Half a cent at a jump per bushel was the ruling fluctuation.

Babcock & Parker report a growing trade, and all our merchants claim business to be looking better.

Wheat and hay have been coming in rapidly this week, and Britton is getting the name of a good market. Prices are better than in surrounding places.

Dr. Hallock has dug his potatoes. He says he found no rot, and in some places no potatoes.

Dr. Stevenson, of Adrian, made Dr. Hallock a short visit last week.

Some time ago Sydney Winney left here and no word has been heard from him. His friends would be glad to hear any news of him. His brother is now trying to trace him up. There is strong suspicion of foul play.

Sammy McGraw, a brakeman on the M. & O. got his hand pinched while coupling cars here. Dr. Hallock dressed it and sent him on his way rejoicing.

TIPTON TOPICS.

The last specimen of weather that Old Probabilities sends along reminds one of the potatoes in New York, altogether to soft for practical purposes.

We extend to Mr. and Mrs. Hollenbeck our heartiest congratulations, with the wish that they may spend many happy years together.

Rev. E. B. Sutton delivered a temperance sermon to a large and appreciative audience at the M. E. church on Sunday last.

Mr. A. Crane and wife are on a short visit to Hillsdale county.

Rev. A. A. Wall has resigned his work in this place, and accepted a call to Ashley. He and his family will remove to their new home soon.

The funeral services of William H. Elson were held at the house Wednesday, Oct. 10. He leaves a wife and several children to whom we extend our sincere sympathy.

There will be a musical entertainment at the Congregational church, Friday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served in the upper room. A fine time is anticipated.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 15, 1885.

THE HARNESS-MAKER'S WOOING.

"I never wooed," said Miss May,
And won't to-day, I'm sure of that,
But I'm as charmed as any lady
Who has been courted, I'm a bet.

She pressed the spring of her purse and at once
Came to the harness-maker.
"Mother sent me to see if you'd come
To bring a heart—today."

The clerk, not to be outdone, gave a bow
As he bade her sit down and wait
While he fitted a heart with a buckle and bow
Quite worthy of a queen.

"Now, if you'd like to see how we wed,
Why, I'm ready to show you the way
To make up the harness of matrimony
With a heart in the day."

"No," laughed Miss May, as she rose,
As easy as a bird in a tree,
"I'm sure I'd like it very much indeed,
But I'd rather be married in May."

"I'll come to-morrow, then," he cried,
Lost sadly to her parting grace,
"And if it rains, the matter's settled,
We'll be married in May."

—H. C. Bridgman, in Detroit Free Press.

THE BREAD WE EAT.

Some Points Relating to Its Wholesale Manufacture.

Interesting Secrets of the World's Cooking Rooms—Description of Bread Baking—How Crackers are Evolved, Etc.

A reporter made a very thorough tour of an extensive and well-known Minneapolis bakery and cracker factory. The bakers are all men. "The fact is," explained one of the firm, "that the trade is a hard one, requiring not only skill, judgment, and activity, but a far greater physical strength than women usually possess. I think housewives, as a rule, regard breadmaking as about the hardest kind of work they have to do. The making of bread in large quantities would prove far more taxing on the strength."

"How about pies and cakes?"

"Oh, they might do that. However, there is not the same inducement for them to learn a small part of a trade like that. At any rate, I know of very few women bakers."

An inspection of the actual process of bread-making, from the setting of the sponge to the time it goes into the oven under the sidewalk, convinced the visitor that the occupation is one which demands a great amount of muscle and the eminent ability to "hustle" as well. A trough full of dough, under the influence of "a little leaven" shows no more inclination to wait for a man's convenience than do time, tide or the tailor. The sponge for bread or rolls is made in one end of a stationary wooden trough, about three feet wide by the same depth, and from fifteen to twenty feet long. Likely as not, another sponge is setting in the other end, and the space between is conveniently dammed with flour. Either the compressed yeast (bought in five-pound packages) or a liquid yeast made by the firm is used as leaven. Sometimes the two are combined. There is very little machine work about breadmaking. After it has "proved," or risen, two able-bodied men go to the bottom, and hack up the lower stratum to the surface, and vigorously agitate the mass for fifteen or twenty minutes. Because of the depth of the trough and the mass of dough, usually sufficient for two or three hundred loaves, and the despatch with which the work must be done to get it out of the way before another batch comes on, the process does not appear in the light of a recreation exactly. The reporter thought he knew of nothing but base ball that would demand so much concentrated strength combined with activity. The bread is left in the trough to rise after this kneading. It lies there perhaps an hour and a half, and is then fished out upon a floured table and tackled by four men. The first cuts off a lump of dough about as large as his two hands. The second lays it on a pair of scales and pinches off a bit or adds a morsel, so as to make the "pound nonmatted on the head." A single addition or subtraction makes it right five times in six, and the operation does not take two seconds. A man stands on each side of the table, beyond him, and, seizing a pound of dough in each hand, rolls them round with quick, deft motions. Then the balls are placed regularly upon the farther end of the table, where they stand fifteen or twenty minutes before they are worked out in the oblong, pointed shape in which most loaves, especially Vienna and Eureka bread, appear. The loaves, having now attained their final form, are placed in tins and encouraged to rise by a coating of egg and sugar, which excludes the air and imprisons the gas. Then they are placed on a long-handled wooden shovel and slid into an oven which has an area of probably four hundred feet, and a temperature far above that to be attained in the ordinary range oven.

The reporter had always heard and implicitly trusted the tradition that the [illegible] of women are less successful [illegible] are) than men in [illegible] that

"Is there any secret about your Eureka and Vienna bread that you can't give out?"

"None at all. The Vienna bread is moved with sweet milk instead of water, and that is all the difference. The Eureka bread has a pound of lard and a pound and a quarter of sugar to every [illegible] pounds of flour, and that and the facilities we have for a high even temperature in baking make all the difference there is. We use a pound of compressed yeast to [illegible] of flour in setting the sponge. A great deal, of course, depends on the yeast. If that is not first class, you may as well throw up the sponge at once."

"In making rolls, there are [illegible] as many kinds as there are loaves, as I said. The rolls are [illegible] but are [illegible]. A fast baker can do [illegible] hand, and [illegible] a [illegible] and roll [illegible] the other. [illegible] the same time. One [illegible] bread we bake in pails for two and one-half hours. It has some graham, and rye flour in it. Rye bread [illegible] with a little spice—no yeast. The Vienna and rye loaves are raised in cloths, without pans, and are baked right on the bottom of the oven.

"A visit to the cake, pie and turnover department was not less interesting. These articles are all made by hand except that the eggs are beaten by a machine. Out of one dough mixture as a foundation, half a dozen different sorts of cake may be made by the addition of some slight ingredient. But the science comes in knowing what kind of an oven, as women say, to use for each variety. The decorative material is ordinary frosting made out of pulverized white sugar and eggs, with enough acid, lemon, or cream of tartar to cut the grain off the sugar. The frosting is put into a cloth or rubber bag and squeezed out through a tube, just as the paints with which plaques and mottoes are colored. There is an endless variety of tubes through which stars and garlands and different styles of posies and foliage are squeezed. The finer work, however, such as the tracing of vines, birds, and other elaborate patterns, is done with a minute tracing tube, and gives room for real freehand drawing rather than mechanical execution. The more elaborate solid pieces, such as wedding bells, horseshoes, cooing doves, and palpitating hearts, which surmount the most pretentious table architecture, are made of gum paste, and are not edible, so the foreman of the cake department said. They are imported from Italy along with organ-grinding and macaroni.

"What is the work of an apprentice at the baker's art?"

"Well, he begins by sweeping up the floor, washing dishes, and doing odd jobs of any sort. Then he dusts the turnovers with powdered sugar, or beats the eggs, or paints over the loaves before they go into the oven—anything for which he is needed. If he is apt and industrious he ought to know his business pretty well in three or four years, but it is a trade in which there is always something new to be learned, and there is a wonderful facility to be gained in practice."

The cracker factory, which is an immense business in itself, was yet to be inspected. While the bread, cakes and pies go to feed hungry Minneapolitans only, the crackers are largely shipped to supply outside demands.

The process of cracker making was found to be more mechanical and less technical than bread, pie or cake making. Water is what is used exclusively. Crackers made from spring-sown wheat are tough and sprangy. The cracker sponge is set over night in an immense trough, and is worked the next morning through a patent screw mixer. The dough comes out in round columns about a foot through, and is dumped back two or three times until it is well kneaded. Then it is sent down through a chute in the floor to the platform, from which it is fed in sections to three rollers, one after another. The piece is passed under each one several times, and the rollers are so graded that the dough gradually thins and lengthens out as it proceeds. It finally passes into what is called the "form," which determines the width of the strip of dough. This strip is then started upon a canvas revolving belt, over which is a large revolving brush, which constantly dusts flour upon it. Two or three feet further on the dough comes under the stamp, operated also by machinery, and the crackers are given any one of the dozens of shapes known to the trade and families. If it is the usual square soda cracker, there will be five in a row, and the strip, of course, is endless as long as the dough holds out. As they emerge from under the stamp a boy stands ready with a sort of very thin wooden shovel, without raised edges, and with a handle several feet long, and with this instrument called a "peel," he takes off a section about three feet long, which he dexterously flirts with a twist of the wrist into the oven, or rather upon one of the immense revolving iron shelves which are contained in the oven. These shelves are about three feet wide and fifteen feet long, and one revolution serves to bake the crackers a delicate brown. As they come up done, another boy stands with a rake and hauls them unceremoniously into larger baskets, in which they are transferred by elevator to the third floor for packing. When only partially cooled they are put away by girls into barrels and boxes neatly lined with white paper, and are left uncovered until cooled and [illegible] While still warm they have a [illegible] as it possible to [illegible] break

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(as it is alleged [illegible]
culinary operations lies in the [illegible]
they have not a head for weights and measures—that they will guess and take a pinch of this and a lump of that, and hence that the results attained at different times are as variable as the proportions of the ingredients are liable to be. Hence the expectation that these practical scientific bakers would stick close by their weights and measures and thermometers—which expectation was very far from the facts.

"Oh, no," said the head bread baker, "in mixing we just keep adding flour and water until the dough is of the [illegible] you know. Then, as

dried. [illegible]
toughness which ma[illegible]
handle them in a way that would [illegible]
them into bits when cold.

In getting a perfect edge on the outside rows of crackers a strip about three-quarters of an inch wide is incidentally sacrificed on each side, and this thrown back into the general mass of dough, is supposed to greatly improve it. The batch must consequently improve from first to last, as the amount of scraps keeps climbing up toward a majority. Cracker dust is another branch of the manufacture. [illegible] that may have been [illegible] are

idence of the [illegible]
Tyrone. The stone on which [illegible]
scribed was saved from the old house when burnt down and incorporated into the new one:

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—*Notes and Queries.*

—A contemporary tells of a Virginia babe who mimics every tune he hears, and hums himself to sleep. But if the parents ever take the youngster to a [illegible] they will be willing to go [illegible] —[illegible]

ABBE LISZT.

An Hour With the Great "Meister" and His Pupils.

Liszt is a man of the world in the highest degree, a gallant host, a convivial guest, but he adds to these qualities others of a far more solid kind. When his life one day comes to be written, it will be recorded that no more self-denying and more kind-hearted man ever existed. Many a promising pupil would, but for his material assistance, have been unable to persevere in her career. During early years he experienced the greatest difficulties in his art, and taught, no doubt, profoundly in consequence of his knowing what it is to be poor. The great representative of the dazzling years of Liszt's life, long down to poverty through the misfortune of others, whom he has generously aided, has contributed of music as a science, to be a living testimony to his greatness. There may be a little pardonable self-laudation in this but there is no doubt that to have been a pupil of Liszt is a passport to most of the concert halls of the world. It must be remembered that "musical excellence" is the only introduction required to the charmed circle of which he is the center, but it must be excellence such as to augur greatness in the future. Not one farthing of pecuniary remuneration does he ever accept from any pupil.

Between two and four o'clock in the afternoon of about three days in the week musical reunions are held in the Meister's salon. There are then gathered together about twenty pupils around his grand piano. pupils is perhaps hardly the name suited to the persons here collected. It might be said that there were assembled a number of admirers looking to their chief for words of approbation, encouragement, and advice, but yet pupils they call themselves. A pupil is invited to play. Liszt's *modus operandi* is to allow them to choose their own pieces. The young lady singled out seats herself, the Meister paces the room and beats time with his fingers, all the eyes of the remaining nineteen enthusiasts are fixed upon his face; a nod of approval means smiles looks from the nineteen; at remarks such as: "Go on, go on," "That is your way," "Tastes differ," the nineteen faces light up with glee and flash exultation, for this means failure on this occasion, and the sole endeavor of those rival artists is to narrow the circle of the Meister's admirers and favorites. It is, however, the highest reward if the player be constantly interrupted, and if the Meister himself takes his seat at the piano, and replays the few bars. This is recognition, indeed. It is a bad sign if the piece is allowed to be finished without comment; the more frequent the interruptions, the greater as a rule the performer's perfection in the art—except, of course, in the case of a really famous performer. For Liszt, though sympathetic, is sparing of his interest until a first-rate standard has been reached.

That green-eyed monster, jealousy, plays nowhere in the world a greater role than in Weimar generally, and in the Meister's salon in particular. Petty intrigues to gain the great man's favor or to bring a rival into disfavor are unceasingly going on. To possess one of the hairs from the Meister's venerable head, to kiss his hand, and, in the case of a lady, to be chastely kissed upon the brow in return, constitutes the sole bliss of the hard-worked worshiper of Listz. Weimar echoes not with the din of arsenals and workshops, but with the clanging and banging of some scores of pianos, each endeavoring to out-Herod Herod, and to forge weapons to assert the superiority of Liszt in the musical world. While his pupils are interchanging glances and looking askance, the great man sometimes—not infrequently—retires to his buffet and refreshes himself with glad red wine. By four o'clock the seance is over, and now woe to the poor Meister, and woe to the happy possessor should he present a flower to any young lady as a mark of special favor. Those who know him more intimately will then successively upbraid him, and will, until they have received other and similar tokens of recognition, plot against the now luckless possessor. Those who stand more outside the charmed circle will beg morsels of the costly flower, and treasure them in their secretaries as souvenirs. It may, therefore, be readily conjectured that such marks of distinction are but seldom given.

The rest of the great Meister's waking hours are mostly given up to the composition of oratorios, one of which, "Die heilige Elizabeth," he conducted and introduced to the world at Marburg in 1885. Thus lives and thus works Liszt, the Alimeister of the tonic art; and so long as he lives the classic groves along the Ilm will not miss a worthy successor to the celebrities that have made the name of Weimar famous.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Two Curious Inscriptions.

Mr. Henry Jones communicates two specimens of inscriptions on houses. One is from an old stone let into a wall of Castle Caldwell, on Lough Erne. The stone is carved in the form of a violin, and thus inscribed:

"To the memory (sic) of Denis McCabe Fiddler who fell out of the St. Patrick's barge belonging to James Caldwell Bart. & Count of Milan and was drowned off this point August ye 14, 1770.

"Beware ye fiddlers of ye fiddler's fate
Nor tempt ye deep jest ye repent too late
You ever have been deemed ye water's foes
Then shun ye lake thi it with whisky flows
On firm land only exercise your skill
There ye may play and safely drink your fill."

The other is from Favorn Royal, residence of J. Moutray, County [illegible] Ireland, it is in-

PONDOLAND.

Description of a District Lying Due South of Natal.

Pondoland is a fertile district northeast of the Transkei, and lying due south of Natal. It is now under the protectorate of Cape Colony. The reasons for this new protectorate are obvious. In the first place, by establishing it, we have completed the half circle of British colony which now extends in unbroken succession between Cape Town and Natal, thus making us virtual protectors of the whole seaboard and ports between those two points. In the second place, we have kept out other nations—the Germans and the Dutch for instance—who have for some time cast a longing eye upon the fertile plains of Pondoland.

The present Chief Paramount—that is the style and title of the King of the Pondos—is Umquikela, a small but well-made man of about fifty years of age. He looks somewhat older, but this is probably on account of the shocks that he periodically gives to his constitution by drinking to excess. This monarch has lately issued a proclamation, which came into force in October of last year, by which he has decreed that all transport between the port of St. John's River and the interior should pay a prohibitory tax of £50 a wagon. This was doubtless in retaliation for the previous annexation of the port of St. John's River, in 1883, contrary to Umquikela's wishes, and in defiance of a treaty made in 1844 with his predecessor, Fakar. The effect of this proclamation has been to stop the importation of goods at St. John's River settlement, which extends for about twenty miles on the northeast bank of St. John's River. The Pondos are a rich nation so far as cattle is concerned, and their country allows them to grow mealies and corn and tobacco in profusion without much trouble and labor. Pondoland is very mountainous, and at the same time extremely well watered. The sea shore is covered with brush and forest. The principal trade of the country enters Pondoland across the River Untumvuna from Natal, or by way of Umtata from King William's Town through Tembuland, which lies immediately southeast. The exports of Pondoland are principally hides, horn and cattle. The traders of the country have been hitherto outlaws and other adventurous persons who have chosen to reside beyond British jurisdiction. In many cases they have exercised a wise discretion.

The Pondo men lead very lazy lives. They scarcely ever do any work. They leave to the women the cultivation of the mealie gardens and the hewing of wood and drawing of water. To the boys they leave the herding of the cattle. It is difficult to say what they do but lie, and thieve, and cheat, and in sufficiently formidable numbers (rendering resistance impossible) attack a store, carry off the goods of the unhappy storekeeper, and murder him if he protests too vehemently at the loss of his blankets and rum. They are an amiable race altogether. Pondoland contains plants of valuable medicinal properities, and the number of poisons in the country is very large. The Pondos does not scruple to make use of the latter whenever occasion requires an objectionable person to be quietly "removed." The grass, or veldt, of the country is, as a rule, too rich for sheep, but is admirably suited to cattle and horses, which are very numerous. There are very few Boers, if any, in the country, most of the traders being British or Griqua half-castes. Umquikela, who is half his time fuddled with drink, has lost his influence with the rest of the chiefs in the country. Tribal wars are frequent, and the power of the Paramount Chief is but very partially recognized, even in his own neighborhood. Justice is consequently perfectly out of the question, there being no one to administer it, and no one to execute it.—*Cor. London Globe.*

Skulls of Criminals.

The Anthropological Congress at Rome will have a curious feature in a collection of 700 skulls of criminals, numbered and classified. To these will be added the photographs of 3,000, and the brains of more than 150 convicts, thousands of autographs, poems, sketches, and special instruments, the work of criminals, an album containing a record of 700 observations, physical and moral, on 500 criminals and on 300 ordinary men. There will also be graphic maps of crime in Europe with reference to meteorology, food, institutions, suicide, etc.; tables of the stature of criminals in relation to the length of the arms, and of crime in towns compared to that in the country. M. Bertillon will exhibit the graphic curves of 23,000 *recidivistes* examined in twelve parts of the body and the practical results obtained. Photographs of Russian political and other criminals, especially of those from Moscow, and wax masks of a large number of celebrated criminals, will also be exhibited. All the nobilities in the science of criminal anthropology will take part in the Congress.—*N. Y. Post.*

Population of the Hawaiian Islands.

The population of the Sandwich Islands in 1884 was 80,578. The last census was taken in December, 1878, when the population was 57,985. The increase in the six years has been 22,593, or nearly thirty-nine per cent. As the decrease in the native population was 4,874, the increase noted is due in a great measure to immigration, principally of Chinese and Portuguese [illegible] now aggregate nearly [illegible] 1878 the [illegible] company [illegible] laborers, who [illegible] 21,000 on the islands. [illegible] strictly native population was 44,088, and in 1884, 40,014, showing, as above stated, a decrease in six years of 4,074. The half-castes number 4,218; Chinese, 17,937; Portuguese, 9,377; Americans, 2,066; British, 1,282; Germans, 1,600, and other foreigners, 2,042. There are also 2,040 Hawaiians born of foreign parents. Of the entire population, 51,539 are males and only 29,039 fe- [illegible] disparity being largely due [illegible]

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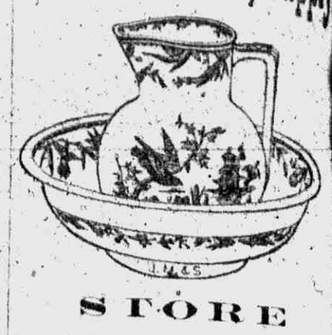

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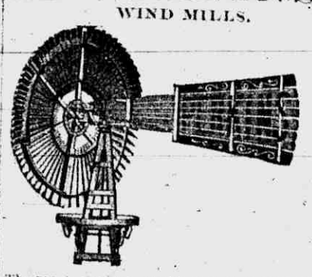

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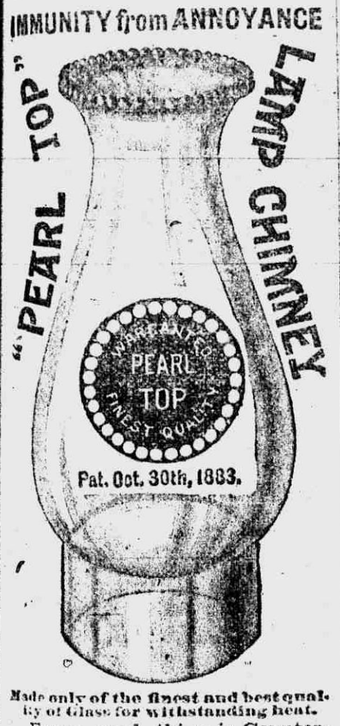

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—It is estimated that sixty-eight churches in Paris possess works of art valued at $1,615,710.

—It was customary in England to applaud the preachers in the pulpit two hundred years ago.

—The Baptists in Louisville, Ky., have undertaken to raise $20,000 for church extension in that city.

—The *Sunday School Times* prints a letter advocating the formation of an American Church Library Association, for the improvement of church and Sunday-school libraries.

—In the Colorado Methodist Conference the ministers voted to do no work or traveling on the Sabbath that is not strictly necessary; to take no Sunday papers, and to request the members of the Conference to give no items of news to such papers.

—A gospel boat was recently launched at Portland, Ore. It was named the Kotsie, and will be taken to Alaska and used for missionary purposes among the Indians by the Presbyterian Missionary Society. It is a neat little craft and is well adapted to the purposes for which it is intended.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—That a layman can do effective Christian work on the frontier is shown by the record of a Congregational deacon in Wisconsin, who, in the last thirty years, has fathered the building of six meeting houses and organized several churches. He has a home missionary commission, and has covered territory uncared for by Protestant ministers.—*Congregationalist.*

—The colored people have three well organized colleges in Atlanta and are building a fourth. One thousand young negroes attended the three colleges during the last term. Besides there were 2,000 negro children in the public schools of the city. A high standard of scholarship has been established at the colleges, says the Atlanta *Constitution*, and the average proficiency of the students is fine.

—"The gold and scarlet of the sun" is rivalled in the cupolas of St. Peter's Cathedral, just finished at Moscow. There are five of the cupolas, and no less than 900 pounds of gold were used in overlaying them. The doors of the temple cost $310,000, and upon the marble floors were expended $1,500,000. Ten thousand worshipers can be comfortable, if their souls let them, within this $12,500,000 temple.

—From a compilation of statistics just made, the rapid development of popular education during the fourteen years 1870-84 may be compared. In England and Wales the number of schools inspected in 1870 was 8,281; in 1884, 18,873. Accommodation was provided in 1870 for 1,878,584 scholars, figures which in 1884 had risen to 4,826,738. In 1870 the average attendance at day and night schools was, 1,225,764, while 1884 showed an average of 3,273,124. In 1884 the number of schools in Scotland was 3,131, with 587,945 names on the rolls, the average attendance being 448,242.—*N. Y. Post.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—It has been discovered that the farmer who sued a man for libel, for saying that his "milk was watered," had a spring on his farm.

—An old grist-mill near Manor Station, Pa., twenty-three miles east of Pittsburgh, celebrated its centennial anniversary the other day.

—The Chinese have a proverb that every man who rules himself is a King. Any man can be a King—if his wife will let him.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Stanley says the native African can sing himself to sleep. We have lots of people in America who can do better than that. They can sing a crowd to death.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—The meanest man on record sent through a postoffice presided over by a woman a postal card on which was written: "Dear Jack: Here's the details of that scandal." And then the rest was in Greek.—*Exchange.*

—"Smith, did you see my wife go down this street?" "Yes, she passed about an hour ago." "Wonder what my chances are for overtaking her?" "Good. The sidewalk is just lined with show-windows.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Is there any glue or anything that will keep the wild waves from breaking, or the magnificent mountain scenery from bursting on one's view?—*Lynn Saturday Union.* Yes, certainly—an empty pocketbook.—*Detroit Post.*

—It has been said that "what we learn with pleasure we never forget." Were it so it were well; but we fear that sometimes a man learns with pleasure that a woman loves him, and then after marriage forgets it.—*Lowell Citizen.*

—A lightning artist has secured a photograph of a pistol bullet in its flight. He will next try to catch a shadow of a man's week's salary when his wife, desirous of a new bonnet, has got the wealth in her possession.—*Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.*

—Bromley—I bought a little painting yesterday—quite a gem—cost me $200. Prety steep, wasn't it? Perkins—Rather; still, not very steep. Your son-in-law, De Baggs, has a painting that must have cost him $2,000. "Goodness gracious! I never knew that. I must have a look at it." "Well, the next time you meet him take a good look at his nose.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Bobbins (to a friend)—Yonder comes Jackson. He's owed me five dollars for two years. Jackson—Hello, Bobbins. By the way, I owe you five dollars. Here's your money. Bobbins (taking the money with a show of reluctance)—Is that so? Jackson—Yes, I borrowed it some time ago. Bobbins—Well, well. I never would have thought of it again.—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—Sugarsand—"Good morning, Mr. Bassett. You're quite a stranger." Bassett—"Yes, I don't often pass along this street, that's a fact." Sugarsand—"I would like to have your custom, Mr. Bassett. You know I have just started a grocery store around the corner." Bassett—"I wasn't aware of it, and, in fact, I generally buy my groceries at Brown's." Sugarsand—"Brown's! Good gracious, sir, don't go there to be cheated; come around to my store."—*Philadelphia Call.*

Rejoicing Down South.

LEXINGTON, KY.—Mr. John T. Bruce, of the United States Revenue Collector's Office, informed an editor of the Daily Press, of this city, that for seven years he suffered terribly from rheumatism in his ankle, which most of the time was swollen to two or three times its natural size, and was so painful that he could not put his foot to the ground. After trying everything he could think of without obtaining relief, he at ten o'clock one morning applied St. Jacobs Oil, and shortly afterwards made two further applications. At three o'clock that afternoon the pain was gone; the swelling also disappeared, and the cure was as permanent as it was quick.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM R. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 28th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Susan A. Wickwire, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate, with the will annexed, may be granted to Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person (James Sherrard, the executor nominated in said will having resigned, resident of a foreign country).

It is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of October, A.D., at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenshoor in Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is in part at least a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and is past due, and that Edwin B. Wood was duly appointed administrator of said estate and accepted that trust, and that said Edwin B. Wood has deceased without having fully administered said estate, and praying that Charles Burridge or some other suitable person be appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate. And it appearing to the Court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the city of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for the hearing of the same, and the court having this day notified such consul by letter addressed to the consul of Great Britian in the City of New York, deposited in the postoffice in Adrian with the postage prepaid, a letter-press copy of which there is now on file in this court.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 14th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Taylor, an insane person.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles J. Toth, guardian of said insane person, praying for the allowance of his second annual account as such guardian.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 2nd day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said ward, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF THOMAS H. MARSHALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 6th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas H. Marshall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Garrett Marshall, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts and funeral expenses of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate and the legacies under said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 2nd day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Charles J. Brewer, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the sixth day of November, 1885, and on the fifth day of April, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the fifth day of October 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 5th, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. McKINNON,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of William Kuder, in the Township of Clinton, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the tenth day of November, 1885, and on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1886, at one o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of September, A. D. 1885, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated October 1st, 1885.

GEORGE HOWELL,
HUMBOLT PENNINGTON,
Commissioners.
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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 15, 1885

ONE DAY ON THE ROAD.

Last Saturday was set apart for a business visit to Adrian and Hudson, which had been delayed for several days. The day opened warm and clear, and we improved our time to the best advantage from our arrival in Adrian at nine o'clock A. M., until our return on the evening train.

The forenoon was busily spent in making various calls.

Prof. Evan's Business College is flourishing. He has a good complement of students now and he has new arrivals every week. The graduates from his institution never fail to secure good business positions.

M. Graves, the Secretary of the County Agricultural Society has a desk in Hill & Rich's office, where he can be found every Saturday to pay the premiums awarded at the last county fair. A short call at his rooms found him busy and feeling extra good natured over the success of the late county fair.

Wending our way up west Maumee and McKensie streets we found in due time the residence of Mr. Philo C. Mills, a former resident of Tecumseh. Mr. Mills has been confined to the house about a week with an attack of sciatic rheumatism, so he was not in a very amiable mood for visiting, but we enjoyed a few moments chat with him nevertheless. Mr. Mills has a very pleasant home located in a pleasant part of the city.

Here we met Mr. Leroy Mills and accepted an invitation from him to take a short drive. He took us around to the fine residence occupied by himself and Mr. Pomeroy's family, and thence down into the city. Mr. Mills is now giving his entire attention to the subscription book business. The firm, of which Mr. Mills is the managing partner, is Mills, Dodge & Pomeroy. They control several books, but are giving their principal attention to a work called Perfect Jewels, which is having a very extensive sale. It is a large book in one volume containing the choicest selections from American literature, in prose and verse, a few pieces of classical music, short biographies of prominent men, a department of quotations, etc. It is the most complete work of the kind that has ever fallen under our notice, and is destined to have a large circulation.

A call at the Record and Press offices came next on the program. We found Messrs. Beakes & Smith both on duty, hard at work on a six page edition for Saturday evening. The readers of the Record need not be told that every issue of the paper sparkles with humor and overflows with news. The Record is an established success and is growing in popular favor every day.

We found Bro. Stearns out; that is, we didn't find him in. He was engaged among the mail bags at the post office. Although Uncle Sam demands much of his time now, he has competent assistants in the printing office and the Press does not suffer any detriment by the change.

We inspected that gas engine. We expected to find it concealed in Bro. Smith's flask pocket, but were disappointed. It was securely nailed to a plank in the basement story of the Press building. As we saw the little beauty work the query suggested itself, whether the extra brilliancy of the Record columns during the past few weeks has any connection with that gas machine.

We made the Times a brief call also, and were equally fortunate there. Applegate & Fee were both out searching for news, but we found Geo. Larwill at his post and trespassed upon his time long enough to inspect the photograph of the Hannah Memorial badge which the Times had just received. Judging from the photographic representation the original will be an elegant piece of workmanship. The Times is prospering, as it always does.

Taking the noon train west we arrived in Hudson about one o'clock and repaired at once to the Hudson House, where an excellent dinner was soon disposed of. Mine host Lane is keeping a first-class house and evidently has a good run of custom.

The old corner store of J. K. Bojes & Co., was crowded with customers, but we finally worked our way to the cashier's desk and had a short chat with him.

Upton & Perkins have an elegant store well filled with goods. Their establishment is a credit to the town.

The Wide-Awake store is doing a rushing business and is evidently rightly named.

A call at Dr. M. M. Fessenden's dental office found him in. The Doctor is working into a good practice which will be gratifying news to his many Tecumseh acquaintances.

We paid our respects at the office of the Post, but found Bro. Scarritt out on business errands. The Post is thriving, as its well filled columns abundantly prove.

A call at the Gazette office found Bro. Schemerhorn on deck, wearing the same genial smile and cut-away coat which made him so attractive to the young ladies on the press excursion. Fin. Deuel was at the case. He likes his position there.

The Grand Rapids Furniture Co., have a large store packed with goods in the furniture line, and they are offering extra bargains to customers this fall.

Mr. Carter is rushing the carriage business. His new road cart is a beauty and its sale is extending into other towns and counties. Mr. Carter thinks he has a bonanza in this cart.

Henry C. Hall is still captain of the old Central grocery and tea house. He is engaged just at present in getting up a pumpkin show. He had some big pumpkins already on exhibition, but the list will not be closed until Saturday, Oct. 24th.

Taking the 3:30 train east, we were in Adrian at 4:30 and had a few hours for more calls.

We found our way to the dinning hall of the Central House about tea time. The Central is well kept now and has a good run of both transient customers and regular boarders. They set an excellent table and their rates are reasonable.

Fred Landgraf has his headquarters at Humphrey's book store, and is still selling sewing machines. Business has been rather easy this summer but he looks for a lively fall trade.

Crane & Wood's new double store is rapidly assuming shape. When the interior improvements are completed and the shelves filled with goods, they will have one of the finest stores and one of the largest stocks of clothing ever displayed in this section.

A. B. Park will move into an elegant new store on South Main street about the first of November, and then the other dry goods merchants of Adrian will have to look out.

Dondero has a larger stock than ever of hats and caps, furs and mittens. He is well pleased with the outlook for a good fall trade.

Adrian is putting on metropolitan airs, sure enough, but she wears her new honors with becoming dignity. The City Hall is now finished and occupied; the Court House is nearing completion, and will be an ornament to the city and county; they have a few street electric lamps, and several stores are provided with the same light; and they expect a street railway before many more moons have waned.

We arrived home on the late train, with the satisfaction of having enjoyed a pleasant day and a good business trip.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The board met in annual session Monday afternoon and elected Sup. L. C. Baker, of Adrian, chairman.

At the session on Tuesday forenoon the chairman announced the following standing committees for the year.

Ways and Means.—Bay, Sickley, Rogers.

Equalization.—Corbet, Fleming, Shierson, Finch, Dewey, Marstellar, Tripp.

Judiciary.—Crane, Love, Gilmore.

Deputy Sheriffs' and Constables' Accounts.—Sickley, Haas, Gilmore.

Miscellaneous Accounts.—Raymond Finch, Bay.

Sheriff's Accounts.—Munson, Swaney, Hastings.

County Poor and Insane Accounts.—Fleming, Shierson, Dalton.

Treasurer's Accounts.—Shepherd, Hall, Crane.

Public Buildings.—Dewey, Warren, Morse.

Apportionment and Assessment Rolls.—Lowe, Hastings, Munson, Dalton, Bresie, Haas, Morse.

County Drains.—Tripp, Hall, Warren.

Printing.—Bresie, Shepherd, Lowe.

The committee, consisting of Messrs. Warren, Bay, Shepherd, appointed last term to make a careful examination of property in every township in the county and report on the best and easiest means and ratio of equalizing the taxing valuation, then reported. Their report recommends raising the valuation in Blissfield 5½ per cent., Palmyra 4½ per cent., Woodstock 10 per cent., Cambridge 4 per cent., Medina 5 per cent., Riga 6 per cent., Ogden 2 per cent., and Rome 1 per cent. Madison should, by the committee figures, be lowered four per cent., and Dover two per cent., while the valuation in the remaining towns in the county should remain as it is.

—SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

—For sale cheap—A new four ton combination beam Buffalo Platform Scale. Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.

—Special Bargains on a few good second-hand coal stoves.
Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Michigan Central employees must be vaccinated by order of the surgeon-in-chief.

A $4,000 bridge over the Huron river just west of Ann Arbor has been completed.

Poole & Son, druggists at Adrian for about a year, have been closed on a chattel mortgage.

Benton Harbor factory will can half a million cans of tomatoes this season, if it can, and it thinks it can.

Negotiations are pending for the purchase of 25,000,000 feet of standing timber on the Saginaw Bay shore.

Monroe's city library was opened with unusual eclat last night, after a several months' close for renovation and repairs.

Nichols, Sheperd & Co.'s large threshing machine works at Battle Creek are now shut down, but will start up again Nov. 2.

The Menominee River Boom Company expect the product handled this season will reach 363,500,000 feet, and that 45,000,000 feet will be carried over.

An old man named Munger living near Paw Paw was found dead on his farm Wednesday, having been killed by the roof of a shed falling on him.

Ann Arbor has at last adopted standard time, but the citizens' league and saloon men are somewhat at variance as to the time to lock up the front door.

Episcopalian students at the university of Michigan will form a Hobart guild next Friday evening, when Bishops Harris and Gillespie will address the boys.

D. E. McIntyre is putting a band saw into his hardwood mill at Cadillac, and will have it in operation about Nov. 1. This makes the third band saw mill at Cadillac.

The T. & A. A. railroad folks are now building a siding at Dundee to avoid a repetition of the accident of a few days ago, the result of using the M. & O. track as a siding.

The contractors who built the state asylum for the insane at Traverse City expect to finish their work in about 10 days. They have a $2,000 school house well under way at Traverse City.

The State Teachers' Institute for Newaygo County will be held in Newaygo, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, October 26, and closing at 4 P. M., Friday, October 30. Dr. Tyson Smith will be in charge.

The Duplex press company have commenced work at Battle Creek. They manufacture double printing presses—those that print both sides of a paper at once—and employ 50 machinists from the start.

A woman recently applied to the prosecuting attorney at Bay City for a divorce, saying that she had been informed that the county furnished divorces in cases where a woman was too poor to employ an attorney.

South Bend, Ind., is wild with excitement because their hose company capture about $600 worth of prizes at the Michigan City tournament. Fred. Bonnie, of Niles, and Charles McCoy, of Buchanan, formed part of the victorious team.

It is now asserted that the reason the fish commissioner found no fish in Goguac lake, of the plant placed there, was not because it was unfavorable to propagation, but the finny beauties had all been mercilessly fished out by the disciples of the rod and line.

J. E. Nellis & Son, publishers of the Mt. Clemens Monitor, mailed to the press of the state this week a handsomely printed circular telling of Mt. Clemens' remarkable growth and improvement in the past five years; of its low taxes, its health in morals, finance and sanitation, etc. It's a good "adv." for the little city and its enterprising newspaper publishers.

In excavating beneath the First national bank this week, workmen came across the stump of the first liberty pole ever erected in Lapeer. The stick is of hickory and was cut on the premises known as the Mead farm, Lapeer, in the year 1844—the Polk and Dallas campaign. Jared L. Philo remembers breaking his wagon in drawing the pole to town, and other old residents have recollections of events occuring at the raising.

Postmaster A. J. Shakespeare gets a friendly grip from his old neighbors at Kalamazoo, last evening's Telegraph thus referring to his appointment: "The contest has developed numerous friends for Mr. Shakespeare, who has been receiving congratulations on all hands. He now reaps the reward of long years of patient waiting and unrequited labor, during which he has stood by his party's cause through adversity as well as prosperity. He has been the special candidate of the "kid" democracy, and the honors have been on their side this time. Mr. Shakespere is in the prime of life, a native of Kalamazoo, and has for a long term conducted the fortunes of the Democratic press of this city. He now enters on a new and trying responsibility, one of great importance to this community and one in which the thousands served by the Kalamazoo postoffice will wish him well."

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

For November begins with the second installment of Miss Mathews's "Dilettanti Days," in which she takes the reader through Warwickshire and Oxford, and lands him in London. Seven illustrations accompany this installment, including a curious old portrait of Shakespeare on a bellows. The twentieth of the series of Christ's Parables is "The Friend at Midnight," and the twenty-first, "The Unjust Judge," both illustrated. Four more short biographies of the sacred Musicians appear—Ferdinand Ries, the two brothers Schneider, F. E. Fesca. "The Jews in Exile" are treated in the series of Bible History with five illustrations. A specially noteworthy contribution is "The Ministers on Wheels," by the Rev. G. S. Barnes, Ph D., of Iowa College, with several beautiful illustrations. This describes the recent tour of the clerical wheelmen in Canada, and is written by one of them. Some of the illustrations are from photographs taken on the route. The subject of Dr. Talmage's sermon is "The Abolition of Sunday." It is one of his best. In this number are portraits of the late Sir Moses Montefiore (and his tomb.) Pierre de Beranger (and his monument, recently erected,) the Rev. R. A. Pierce, the first deaf-mute clergyman in the Church of England, and Archdeacon F. W. Farrar, now on a visit to this country. The element of fiction consists of the two serials, "Love's Harvest" by Farjeon; and "What She Made of Her Life," by Mrs. Farmer; and a short story, "Almost a Spinster," by Mrs. A. E. Alexander; and there are several fine poems, together with a large and varied assortment of long and short articles suited to almost every taste. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57, Park Place, New York city, at 25 cents a number, or $2,50 a year, postpaid.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, October 6th, '85:

Estate of George M. Klein, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners warrant and report filed.

Estate of Nathaniel S. Wheeler, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

In the matter of Anna Cheny, deceased; testimony taken and filed proving death, and certificate of same issued and delivered.

Estate of John Dings, deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation.

Estate of Wm. Colyer, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Phebe Lester, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment.

Estate of James Wheeler, deceased; affidavit of publication, administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate appointed; bond $1,500.

Estate of Julia Ann Duel, an alleged incompetent person; order of continuance until October 12, at 10 o'clock.

Estate of Wm. Taylor, an insane person; petition for allowance of guardian's second account; hearing November 2.

Estate of David Boyd, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $8,000.

Estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Geo. R. Miller, an insane person; affidavit of service of order of hearing and testimony taken and filed; guardian appointed; bond $1,000.

Estate of James S. Cosgrove, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $5,000.

Estate of Wm. Britton, deceased; affidavit of publication; guardian 'ad litem appointed; final account allowed; assignment according to will.

Estate of John G. Tagsold deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; administrator with the will annexed on said estate, appointed; bond $2,000.

Estate of Elmer W. Graham, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Nancy Holt, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Winfield Baker, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Xavier Kastel, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Ann Moreland, deceased; release, consent of heirs filed that late administrator, his heirs and assigns be released.

Estate of Charles Blum, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until October 19, at ten o'clock A. M.

Estate of Thomas H. Marshal, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing November 2.

Estate of Peter Y. Mercereau, deceased; application for support of widow and family; order of an allowance; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing November 9.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending October 6.

HUDSON.

Maria O'Connell to A. W. Cooper. Lot 8, bl'k 2. $270.

James Ebbitt to W. H. Caner. Lots 19 and 20, Church's add. $650.

S. Roosa to A. R. Smart. E½, lots 19 and 20, Goodrich's add. $200.

ROME.

Elizebeth Clegg, et. al., to R. Cooley. Land on secs 35 and 36. $5,200.

W. J. Cocker to Asahel Cure. Land on sec 2. $1,000.

TECUMSEH.

Wm. McCowen to J. S. Temple. Land in vil. $600.

ADAMSON BROS.,
ARE RECEIVING
NEW NOVELTIES FOR
WEDDING AND BIRTHDAY
PRESENTS.

—Procure Heck's celebrated Roller Flour. It is the best in the market.

KIES BROTHERS!

Have the LARGEST and FINEST Line of

UNDER-

WEAR that can be found in town. See our child's Jersey Caps at 15c. Genuine Calf faced woolen Mitts at 50 CENTS.

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One of the Finest and

MOST COMPLETE STOCKS OF DRY GOODS

EVER BROUGHT TO TECUMSEH.

Including all the latest NOVELTIES in DRESS GOODS, such as Boucle Cloths, Homespuns, Bourettes, Tricots, Ottomans, Robes, Silks, Velvets, etc. Also a complete line of

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

Outside WINTER GARMENTS.

Flannels, Blankets, Yarns, Underwear, Shawls, etc.

We have but ONE PRICE and that the lowest.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co.

'85 Art Garland. '85

We have on our floor a full line of those celebrated base burners. Their wonderful success of last season has led others to attempt to imitate; beware, a careful comparison and examination will be sufficient to satisfy all of their established superiority.

The Round Oak.

Although it has hundreds of imitators, it still LEADS as the most successful wood heater manufactured. Remember that by a few dollars additional cost, the "Round Oak" can at any time be converted into a first-class self-feeding coal stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS. & BOYD.

ADAMSON BROS.,

TECUMSEH, MICH.

The Boss Jewelers of Lenawee.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

Watches! Clocks! Jewelry!

Books, Stationary, Etc.

Best Goods at Lowest Figures.

THE COLUMBUS

Is the finest American Watch made. Call and see them.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT.—House near Park. Enquire of G. S. TIFFANY.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—50,000 Wilson's Albany now ready for the fall planting. Price, $2.50 per thousand. ABNER WILSON.

FOR SALE.—Ten acres of good land situate ¼ miles west and ½ mile north of Tecumseh. Good house, barn, orchard, etc., on the place. Terms easy. GEO. W. SMITH.

HORSE FOR SALE.—An excellent large bay carriage horse for sale cheap. Enquire of FRED. D. WOOD.

SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

FOR SALE.—One family pony horse. Enquire of E. V. De Puy or at his house.

VIOLIN FOR SALE.—A first-class violin old, and sweet sounding, will be sold cheap. Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Manchester band at the rink Saturday night.

A new tin roof is being put on H. Brewer & Co's. foundry.

Prosecuting Attorney Salsbury was in town yesterday on business.

Rev. W. H. Babbitt is in Detroit attending the Presbyterian Synod.

Fred Quine, of Toledo, is spending a few days with his parents in Tecumseh.

A new sign adorns the front of Satterthwaite Bro's. & Boyd's hardware store.

Kies Bro's. have a new ad. this week calling attention to their new stock of underwear.

Yesterday's morning freight brought Sutton, Fairfield & Co., three car loads of new goods.

Andrew Wilson, of Franklin, lost seven fine sheep last week. Dogs were foraging in the flock.

The Hudson Gazette editor takes wood on subscription, but he wants four foot wood, corded up and sold by the cord.

The old Clinton foundry continues on in even pace of time, just as its proprietor intended it to do. Dave will do business.

New subscribers can take a three months trial trip with the HERALD by paying twenty-five cents. Pass in your quarters.

The Manchester Cornet band will furnish music at the rink next Saturday evening and Knapp's band Wednesday evening.

The addition to Anderson's dry goods store is nearly finished and will add very materially to their already commodious and elegant store.

Miss Mabel Aten, of this village, and Mr. Geo. Stimpson, of Macon, were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock last evening at the residence of the bride's uncle in Macon.

G. P. Sparks is now receiving an invoice of pianos and organs, and within the next ten days he will have the largest stock of musical instruments and merchandise ever displayed in Lenawee County.

The Blissfield Advance wants local bond holders to invest spare shekels in boring for gas. What's the matter with tapping the Advance office? Possibly Samsen would like to invest, if he can turn in drain orders.—Adrian Press.

The new addition in the rear of Sutton, Fairfield & Co's store is about completed. It will increase their room nearly one half, and is furnished with a splendid rear and side light. The new room will soon be packed with goods.

A. H. Wood and Crane & Wood, of Adrian, have bought the Giant clothing stock and have opened a double store in the rooms occupied by Crane & Wood and the Giant clothing house, making the largest clothing stock in Southern Michigan. They are doing business on the one price plan, goods marked in plain figures, no deviation from the market price. Read their announcement elsewhere.

Appearances are deceiving oftimes. Field, of the Tecumseh News, and Blosser, of the Manchester Enterprise, while in Adrian a few days ago, wore such excellent clothes that the Press was moved to say: "Call again, gentlemen; we like to mingle with millionaries." Which brings the truthful Field to remark that had the Press known that he wore a borrowed suit it would hardly have contained the item. All right. Now let Blosser speak out.—Adrian Record.

The New York EVENING POST offers its semi-weekly edition to new readers for the last three months of this year for 25 cents. Its make-up includes, besides the news of the half-week, the leading editorials of the daily edition, foreign and domestic correspondence, personal, political and religious notes, book reviews, musical and dramatic criticism, farm, household, and fashion hints, selections from the best current foreign literature, etc. Owing to its thoroughly independent attitude upon all political questions, the views of the Evening Post are more eagerly sought and more widely copied than those of almost any other newspaper in the country. This was the case in the last presidential campaign, when, for reasons which it gave in advance of the nomination, it found itself unable to support the Republican candidate. This has been the case also since the election, for the paper has again demonstrated its independence by promptly denouncing all departures of the new administration from the reform pledges upon which it was entrusted with power.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 15, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

V. H. Lane of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

Oscar Palmer took a trip to Buffalo last Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Ide visited friends in Detroit last Monday.

Geo. Whitmarsh, of Adrian, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

The Burnett House, at Morenci is again without a landlord.

Geo. Williamson went to Marshall last week on an egg buying trip.

The Adrian bicycle club was wheeling around the village last Sunday.

The members of the "Owl Club" dined at The Patterson last Sunday.

Wolston Comfort has a little cabbage patch of only thirty-eight acres.

Mr. C. F. Field and family spent last Sunday with friends in Clinton.

Abner Wilson and Wolston Comfort are each shipping a car load of cabbage this week.

Do not fail to visit the Opera House this evening if you would enjoy a first class entertainment.

Mrs. Forrest Zellars was visiting friends in Jackson last week. She returned home Monday.

The young people's society of the Baptist church will give an oyster supper at the church parlors, on Tuesday evening, Oct. 20th.

Col. Curtis is enjoying himself so well upon his old stamping ground that he has concluded to prolong his visit until Friday.

Wheat is going up; or rather the price of wheat is going up. Wheat is coming into the market and going down into the mill hopper.

The friends of the Rev. Charles S. Dutton, will give him a donation at Grange Hall, Macon, Thursday eve., Oct. 22. All are cordially invited.

Mr. Fairfield, of Sutton, Fairfield & Co. has returned from his eastern trip. Now look out for bargains. The firm have a new card in to-day's paper.

Mrs. Henry Smith has been in Adrian for the past three weeks taking care of her sister, Mrs. Backof, who has been dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

Charles S. Hampton, of Harbor Springs, editor of the Independent, and President of the Western Mich. Press Association, spent last Sunday in Adrian.

A lot of Adrian hoodlums have dismounted one of the cannons in Monument square. The young miscreants should be given to understand that the war is over.

Morenci merchants now transact their Sunday business with the curtains down and the front door locked. They have received a hint from the village marshall.

The jury in attendance at the present term of the Circuit court has been discharged, but the court is holding sessions this week to close up some unfinished business.

The Adrian rink was formally opened last Saturday evening. The floor was in fine condition but the music was rather indifferent. A rink band is now being organized.

The editor of the Hudson Post has lately received a 79 pound pumpkin from an admiring subscriber. What a pity that pumpkin couldn't have weighed an even 80 pounds and done with it.

Mr. & Mrs. D. C. LeBaron, of Toledo, came up last Saturday, and they spent the Sabbath here. Mrs. LeBaron will remain during the week while Delos takes a trip on the road, and he will return and stay over next Sunday. He reports business good this fall.

At the organization of the Board of Supervisors on Monday, Mr. L. C. Baker, of Adrian, a democrat, was elected chairman, notwithstanding the fact that the board stands 15 republicans and 11 opposition. There was a hole in the skimmer somewhere. Where was it?

In the obituary notice of Mrs. Coryell as published in last week's HERALD an error was made, through the oversight of the compositor and proof reader, by which the age of the deceased was wrongly stated. We regret the occurrence exceedingly and print the obituary again this week in a corrected form.

The Morenci Observer of last week contained a biographical sketch of the editor of the HERALD. The kind words spoken of us are fully appreciated. In fact, here in Tecumseh, they would probably be considered better than we deserve. Our professional modesty alone prevents our re-publishing the sketch.

The limit of big cabbages has been fully reached at Addison, where a man named Withers has produced one which weighs 40 pounds. Addison only needs a week's notice to outdo any other locality on anything at all, from the size of her cabbages to the number of her law suits. Addison is a lively, prosperous town, and they don't call her "Coontown" any more. —Adrian Record.

Alba Heywood at Opera House this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tate spent last Sunday in Clinton.

Tecumseh's favorite at the Opera House this evening.

Alba Heywood and the "Big Boy" at the Opera House this evening.

Mrs. Ed. J. Lauer, of Monroe, is visiting at Henry Smith's for a few days.

Mrs. S. Erskine, of Battle Creek, visited friends in Tecumseh over Sunday.

Miss Grace Willett and Miss Maud Eccles visited friends in Adrian last Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Hobart, of Jackson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. L. Bates, in Tecumseh.

The Opera House has been engaged for several attractions during the coming winter.

Supervisor Bresie is in Adrian this week attending the annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

John R. Clarke made a flying trip home the first of the week. He arrived on Saturday night and left again on Tuesday.

Peter Rooney, formerly of Franklin, now traveling agent for the Clipper Manufacturing Co. of Cincinnati, called on us Monday.

Here is an item for threshers. In twenty hours last week Lew Mudgett's machine threshed 3067 bushels of grain for John Schreder.

The Tecumseh post office will hereafter close when the bell taps the hour 7:30 P. M. Now let the drug stores follow the example.

A new sidewalk has been built in front of Geo. S. Tiffany's tenement houses near the Park on Chicago St. A much needed improvement.

Dr. G. D. Perry and wife, attended the Exposition at Chicago last week, and made their son a visit. They went out Tuesday and returned on Saturday.

Wm. DeMott was at Hudson two days last week, working up new business for the Northwestern Mutual Life. He is now giving his whole attention to his life insurance business.

Hause Bros'. cider mill at Clinton is now in full blast. In addition to the home market supply of apples they are shipping in large quantities on the railroad to keep their mill supplied.

We are in receipt of Bulletin No. 7 from the state Agricultural College which contains some valuable hints on horticulture and landscape gardening. It was prepared by Prof. Bailey.

Mr. John Neeley is the happy father of twins which came to his habitation last week. Mr. Neeley looks ten years younger than he did two weeks ago. This seems to be a good season for cyclones and twins.

Milan Wheeler, who now lives on a farm in Clinton township, has rented the market garden and small fruit farm of S. S. Scovill, at Coldwater, and will remove to his new location about the first of next month.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Lenawee County, will be held at Workingmen's Hall, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, Oct. 26th, at 10 o'clock A. M. A general attendance of its members is desired.

Mrs. C. D. Bills presented her husband on Sunday morning last with a pair of handsome twin daughters. At this writing both mother and little ones are hearty and gaining strength every day. There will be no more scarcity of small bills in this community for some time to come.

Geo. Patterson, a brother of Conductor Patterson, went up the branch last Sunday as brakeman on a special freight. As the train was slacking up at Manchester George made a misstep while jumping off and was thrown partially under a car. One foot was seriously bruised and he had a narrow escape from losing a limb.

Walter Soper, who has been at work for H. Brewer & Co. for a long time, and who recently became interested with Geo. S. Tiffany in his new clay crusher, has been appointed foreman of the Baker Manuf'g Co.'s shop at Toledo, Ohio. Mr. Soper is a first class machinist and we have no doubt that he will fill the responsible position he has assumed with credit and fidelity.

The second number of the Michigan Horticulturist is on our table. It is a neat little pamphlet of fifty pages, published by the Burr Publishing Co. of Detroit, and edited by Chas. W. Garfield of Grand Rapids. It is furnished at $1.00 per annum. Michigan has long needed a publication of this character, and it ought to receive a hearty and iberal support from the fruit growers of the state.

The official proceedings of the eighteenth annual meeting of the Michigan Press Association have been printed in pamphlet form and we acknowledge the receipt of a copy. It contains the membership roll, the constitution, the papers read on the occasion and a brief account of the excursion trip from the arrival at Traverse City to the last entertainment at Harbor Point. The pamphlet is a model piece of typography, giving evidence that the press association is in a flourishing condition.

Elbert Beers visited his uncle, E. W. Beers, in the town of Adrian last week.

A lot of Hudson boys have gone north to work on the extension of the Toledo & Ann Arbor railroad.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton will lecture on the "Secret work of the Order," at Macon Grange Hall, on Friday evening, Oct. 23. It is her wish that every member of the Grange should be present.

Vint Chapman left Tecumseh last week for Muskegon where he has obtained a position in one of the finest barber shops in that city. Vint is a first-class workman, and we wish him success in his new field of labor.

Next Sunday morning, Oct. 18th, at the Universalist church, the pastor, Rev. J. M. Getchell, will discourse at 10:30, upon "The Influence of Fear and Love in Religion." At 7 o'clock in the evening upon "Borrowing Trouble."

The following item appears in the Adrian Record of Thursday, Oct. 8th. "Consideration of the faults of others" was the theme of the Universalist minister at Tecumseh last Sabbath. That's right. It is the faults of others we hate. None of us have any of our own. Give it to'em, parson!

In the Battle Creek Moon of Friday, Oct. 9th, the same item appears, word for word. How true it is that great minds run in the same channel.

Prof. U. R. Evan's Business College at Adrian is rapidly filling up with students. This old institution has stood the test of time and its graduates have no trouble in securing the best business situations immediately after graduating. Commodious rooms on West Maumee St., over Crane & Wood's store. Persons wishing to enter a Commercial College should write to Prof. Evans for particulars, terms, etc.

JOYOUS WEDDING BELLS.

Another of Tecumseh's fairest daughters has been won, and this time the lucky man is a promising young merchant of Detroit. On Thursday afternoon last the spacious mansion of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Sutton, was thronged with a happy company to witness the marriage of Miss Minnie A. Sutton, to Mr. James S. Wilson, of Detroit. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. A. H. Lucas, of Greeley, Col., a former schoolmate of the bride, and was somewhat unique in character. It followed the French custom, being a civil and religious rite combined. At five o'clock the bride and groom were ushered into the parlor attended by Miss Louie Brown, of Toledo as bridesmaid, and Mr. Maddox, of Detroit, as best man. Mr. Ranney, of Detroit, and Mr. J. Newton Satterthwaite officiated as ushers. As the bridal pair entered the room, Miss Octa E. Wise, of Adrian, executed upon the piano the wedding march from Lohengrin, which was very finely rendered. The bride was attired in a dress of white satin with pearl trimming, with a front of valenciennes lace, the costume being completed with vail and orange blossoms. Miss Brown was dressed in sea foam silk, trimmed with pearl and oriental lace. The groom and groomsman were attired in a full dress suit of plain black.

In addition to the large number of Tecumseh and Raisin friends in attendance, the following guests were present from abroad: Miss Anna H. Sutton, of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. John G. Sutton, of Richmond, Ind.; Mrs. Tuttle, of Decatur, Mich.; Mr. John Wilson and Miss Maggie Wilson, brother and sister of the groom; Mr. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Stoepel, of Detroit; Mrs. Jennie Hicks, of Osceola; Judge and Mrs. Geddes, F. R. Stebbins and family, F. G. Stebbins, wife and son, Mr. and Mrs. Mumford, Mr. and Mrs. Illinden, Misses Lillie and Hattie Patterson, of Adrian.

The bridal pair were handsomely remembered by both present and absent friends in a magnificent array of elegant and useful wedding gifts. Their aggregate value, at a modest estimate, must have reached the sum of $2,000, including a bank check for $1,000 presented by the bride's father.

The family of Mr. Wilson came from Glasgow, Scotland, and settled in Almont, Mich., when the groom was a boy of eight years old. For the past six years he has been in business at Detroit, four years with Edson & Moore, and for the past two years in J. K. Burnham & Co's., Wholesale Dry Goods House, where he is now employed.

It is needless to pass any encomiums upon the manner in which the festivities of the evening were conducted. The arrangements were complete in every detail, and the large company present were most elegantly and hospitably entertained. The groom, although nearly a stranger in Tecumseh, will be congratulated upon the wisdom shown in his choice of a help-mate. The bride will leave her old home, where she has passed the years of her childhood, and has so many warm hearted friends, accompanied by the good wishes of all and their sincere prayers for her temporal welfare and happiness.

The bridal couple departed on the evening train for Chicago. After a brief honeymoon in the Garden City, they will return to Detroit, where they will take up their permanent residence.

From a late number of the Kansas City Journal we clip the following, which indicates that our old friend Dr. H. D. Baker is having political honors thrust upon him.

FORT SCOTT, KAN., Oct. 3.—The Republican county convention met here to-day and nominated the following ticket: For treasurer, J. J. Stewart; county clerk, E. J. Chapin; register of deeds, L. G. Porter; sheriff, D. D. Dougherty; county surveyor, Jasper Fortney; coroner, Dr. H. D. Baker. The convention was characterized by perfect harmony.

KEEPING VEGETABLES IN WINTER.

A great many people would like to know how to keep vegetables through the winter so they will be fresh and crisp and wholesome for the table. A few simple hints at this season of the year may not be out of place here. All vegetables contain a large percentage of water and if this is dried out of them, no amount of cooking will make them tender. To keep this water in and at the same time to keep them from freezing is what is wanted. There are but very few cellars, especially under rooms heated by stoves, that are cool enough for cabbages. The best way I know of to keep cabbage is by taking barrels and sinking them in the open ground to within a foot or so of the top, bank up the earth around so as to keep the water out, cut off the heads and pack them in, top down; throw a piece of sacking over the top and cover this with coarse litter, leaves or other substance to keep out the frost. They can be taken out any time when wanted. Turnips, beets, parsnips, etc. can be kept in any cellar, by putting a layer of sand or sawdust between them in barrels or boxes. I have kept beets and turnips fresh until May, by putting them in dry sawdust, and the cellar was warmed in severe cold weather by a furnace. ABNER WILSON.

A WORD TO THE MEDICAL EDITOR.

Mr. Stacy has seen fit to take his Clinton correspondent under his wing again for protection, but they are both wrong as usual. We have yet to learn that Mr. Ed. VanDeMark ever had the refusal of the brick house referred to. At least he is not the person we have been informed by one of the employees of the HERALD office is the correspondent.

The above clipping is from the Clinton correspondence in last week's Tecumseh News. The medical editor says "we have yet to learn" etc. This admission does not surprise us, in the least. There are a great many things which the medical editor has yet to learn. Truthfulness seems to be one of them. When in Clinton a few days ago we were assured by two persons, one of whom was Mr. VanDeMark himself, that he did have the refusal of the brick house referred to.

The last clause of the clipping reveals the fact that the medical editor is still engaged in his fruitless search after the HERALD correspondent. He appears to have devoted his leisure hours during the spring and summer months to pumping the employees of the HERALD office. During the zero weather of last winter the medical editor delegated to his amiable wife the unpleasant duty of applying the pump handle process to the editor of the HERALD, but the lady found the pump frozen up, and she departed no wiser than when she came. With the approach of warm weather the medical editor deemed it best to take a new tack, and we are now informed that he has been devoting his talents and persuasiveness to a personal interview with some of the HERALD employees. We sincerely sympathize with the medical editor, and regret that we are compelled, in justice to ourselves, to prove the falsity of his assertion. We respectfully commend to the medical editor's serious consideration the card of the HERALD employees, printed below.

Julius Cæsar is authority for the statement that ancient Gaul was divided into three parts. The medical editor's gall is likewise divided into three parts. First: Having an unquenchable thirst to extract a business secret from another newspaper and not possessing sufficient courage to transact the impertinent errand himself, he delegates the task to his wife. Secondly. Having failed to quench his thirst in this effort, he continues his impertinence by surreptitiously interviewing the employees of this office. Thirdly: He publicly boasts of his own shame in print, and is so anxious to proclaim it that he publishes a falsehood to prove his impertinence.

We respectfully advise the medical editor to devote his literary talents hereafter to the Clinton end of his own publication. We feel quite competent to manage the HERALD business without any of his valuable assistance.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, employees in the HERALD office, desire to state that we have never informed Dr. Burchard who the Clinton correspondent of the HERALD was, and that his statement to that effect, published in last week's News, has no foundation in fact.

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Auction Sale.

John E. Denison, mortgagee, will sell at chattle mortgage sale at the residence of Joseph Denison, two miles east of Cone Station, on Tuesday, Oct. 20th, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., the following: Stallion "Young Nimrod," 1 mare with foal, yearling colt, calf, 30 sheep, lumber wagon, top carriage, span work horses, pair of bob sleighs, Seymour mowing machine, buggy rake, double and single harness, land roller, pair drags, 2 cultivators, 3 cows, 5 acres corn in shock, 17 acres wheat on ground, 135 bu. oats, 41 bu. buckwheat, cutting box, sulky. Terms, all sums of $5, and less, cash; over $5, twelve months credit with interest at 7 per cent. Abe Hanford, auctioneer.

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—L. D. Dewey & Son, of Raisin Valley, have removed their poultry business to Tecumseh and now occupy quarters in Bidwell's warehouse on South R. R. street, where they will pay the highest market prices for poultry, and hope to see all their old friends in their new quarters.

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—The old "Franklin Barn," Adrian, is a place well known to people of this vicinity. Mr. Peter Miller, who has done so much for the reputation of this well known place has sold out and is going to California. Mr. J. B. Morden, recently from Belleville, Ont. now has command. Mr. Morden, who is a brother to Dr. M. R. Morden, of Adrian, and to Dr. W. S. Morden, of Macon, comes highly recommended by the people and papers of his former home as an experienced horseman, and a high toned gentlemanly business man. He hopes to make his place, what such places too rarely are, a perfectly suitable place for ladies, as well as gentlemen to drive in, without fear of seeing or hearing anything that can give offence.

—"The Virgin Queen," is the name of a new brand of smoking tobacco just received at Rawson's. In order to introduce the tobacco, and make it an object for smokers to try, a prize will be given with each package sold. Try it.

—Mr. A. B. Park, of Adrian, is having an elegant new store fitted up for his use on South Main street. The building is located only four doors from the postoffice and near the Central Hotel, is a broad front and about ninety feet deep, with a high ceiling and extra good rear light. When completed it will be one of the most elegant stores in the city. It will be furnished with the electric light and be fitted out with an elevated cash railroad. Mr. Park will occupy his new quarters about the first of November, and in the interval before his removal, his entire stock of goods will be offered at reduced prices in order that the stock may be reduced as much as possible. This will be a rare chance for buyers to obtain extra bargains, and purchasers of dry goods should avail themselves of this opportunity.

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Mr. J. G. Lamson, who has been connected with the Dry Goods trade of Toledo for the past twelve years, and for the last five years has had charge of the Silk Department of S. H. Frank & Co., has, in connection with his brother, Mr. J. D. R. Lamson, from Syracuse, N. Y., opened a new dry goods store at 159 Summit street, under the firm name of Lamson Brothers. This house will do a strictly cash business, and have only one price, and by so doing can and will make it an object for people who want new and fresh goods and low prices to call and see them when in Toledo.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 15, 1885

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters

WASHINGTON.

The report of the Commissioners of Patents for the fiscal year ended June 30 last show that the total receipts of the office were $1,974,974, a slight decrease compared with the preceding year. The expenditures were $1,874,424, about $90,000 less than the previous year. During the year 22,028 patents were issued, 32,662 applications for patents received, 2,903 caveats filed and 19,538 patents expired, of which number 116 were reissued.

The President has appointed H. B. Plumner to be Naval Officer of Customs in the district of Philadelphia, Pa., and Benjamin R. Tate, Collector of Customs for the district of New London, Conn.

The following Presidential appointments were announced on the 9th: Charles D. Jacobs, of Kentucky, Minister to the United States of Colombia; Charles Foster, of Indiana, Consul General at Calcutta; D. J. Partello, of Washington, D. C. United States Consul at Dusseldorf; William T. Henderson, of Arkansas, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico; Daniel W. Maratta, of Dakota, United States Marshal for Dakota; Thomas Smith, of Virginia, United States Attorney for New Mexico; Charles Parlange, of Louisiana, United States Attorney for Eastern District of Louisiana; H. W. Young, Receiver of Public Moneys at Independence, Kan.; William R. Brownlee, Register of Land Office at Larned, Kan.; John Lafabre, Receiver of Public Moneys at Deadwood, Dak.

Col. Jos. Thomas F. Barr, Deputy Judge Advocate General, and Colonel Asa P. Blunt have been appointed by the Secretary of War to represent the Fort Leavenworth Military Prison at the meetings of the National Prison Association to be held in Detroit from the 18th to the 21st inst. Colonel Barr is one of the commissioners of the Military Prison and Colonel Blunt is the commandant.

The following appointments by the President were announced on the 10th. To be United States Marshals: David R. Waters, of Michigan; Edward Hawkins, of Indiana for the district of Indiana, vice Robert T. Foster. Navy—Commodore Stephen B. Luce, to be Rear Admiral; Captain David B. Harmon, to be Commodore; Lieutenant Commander Francis W. Dickens, to be Commander; Lieutenant W. T. Burwell, to be Lieutenant Commander; Past Assistant Engineer John A. Scott, to be Chief Engineer, with relative rank of Lieutenant Commander.

Advices received at the Navy Department from the Asiatic squadron up to September 14 state that in the latter part of August a number of cases of cholera occurred among the crew of the Ossippe, lying off Hiogo, and five of the men died.

THE EAST.

At Reading, Pa., on the 8th Francis O'Neil rubbed his limbs with coal oil for inflammatory rheumatism. While doing this he seated himself alongside a hot stove. The bottle containing the oil exploded from the heat, the oil was ignited and O'Neil was frightfully burned about the lower limbs. His recovery is doubtful.

Mrs. Veronica Dulla, who performed a remarkable fast, died in Syracuse, N. Y., on the 8th. Her fast began on August 10, and for fifty-nine days she did not touch a morsel of solid food, living entirely upon water in which small quantities of morphine were dissolved.

Cardinal McCloskey, the fifth Bishop and second Archbishop of New York, died at his residence in New York City on the 10th, after a few days' illness. He was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., March 20, 1810; was inaugurated Archbishop of New York August 20, 1864, and was raised to the dignity of Cardinal Priest by Pope Pius IX. March 15, 1875. Pope Leo XIII. conferred the red hat upon him at the consistory held March 28, 1878.

Nearly full and official returns from the town meetings in Connecticut on the 6th show that in 102 of the 167 towns, 79 are Republicans, 55 Democratic, and 28 equally divided. Last year the standing was almost equally the same.

The total imports of dry goods in New York during the week ended the 9th were valued at $2,418,284, and the amount thrown on the market at $2,385,620.

In the New York Central M. E. Conference on the 9th a probationary class of seven persons were admitted to full connection as preachers, after answering affirmatively the usual questions.

At Shamokin, Pa., on the 7th a Polish boy employed as a slate picker at the Luke Fiddler breaker, missed his footing and fell headlong into a box in which were swiftly revolving a pair of monkey rollers used in preparing the smaller sizes of coal. Before the machinery could be stopped his body was ground to pieces.

A vein of water strongly impregnated with salt was struck at Ithaca, N. Y., on the 9th, lying underneath 139 feet of solid rock.

Business failures reported throughout the country during the seven days ended October 9 number, for the United States 185, for Canada 22, or a total of 207, as against 196 last week, and 185 the week previous. The increase is in the Pacific and Western States.

A few days ago John Steinhart, of Barnesville, N. Y., a quarryman, while coughing swallowed a rubber plate with five false teeth on it. Physicians were unable to remove the plate, and he died on the 9th in agony.

The funeral of Judge Westbrook, which took place at Rondout, N. Y., on the 9th was, according to his wishes, of the most simple character. Rev. Dr. Noyes, of Rondout, delivered the sermon, and some of the most prominent men of the State were present.

The first "cane-rush" that has occurred for many years at Harvard College took place on the night of the 8th between the Freshman and Sophomore classes. About six hundred students were engaged. Many were severely injured, clothing was torn and a number of private fights were indulged in.

At Dushore, Pa., on the 9th Isabella Kentner, a young lady of twenty-three, obtained a verdict of $10,000 damages against Sheriff Lewis Zaner for breach of promise of marriage. Zaner is seventy years old and deserted Miss Kentner to marry another young woman.

The grand jury of Erie County, N. Y. has reported indictments for conspiracy against Hiram B. Everest, Charles M. Everest, John D. Archibald, Henry H. Rogers and Ambrose McGregor, of the Standard Oil Company, of New York. The conspiracy charged was against the Buffalo Lubricating Oil Company which started opposition refineries. A civil suit for damages recently contested in the courts of Erie County resulted in a verdict of $50,000 for the Buffalo company.

George Washington Weaver, of Sandy Creek, Oswego County, N. Y., is being tried before a United States Commissioner at Oswego, N. Y., on a charge of receiving a pension awarded to another man of the same name and the same post-office address. Both were soldiers, and both made application for a pension. One served in Company G, Twenty-fourth New York Infantry, and the other in Company G, Twenty-fourth Cavalry. Both asked for a pension on the same grounds—heart disease. The persons were not acquainted until after this complication arose.

The statement of the New York associated banks for the week ended the 10th shows the following changes: Loans increase, $1,141,000; specie increase, $1,381,600; legal tenders decrease, $2,242,800; deposits increase, $1,938,300; reserve decrease, $1,349,775; circulation increase ——. The banks held $40,153,425 in excess of legal requirements.

At Clinton, Me., on the 10th Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodwin were crossing the railroad track in a carriage when it was struck by the express train. Both were instantly killed. The woman's body was thrown a distance of 140 feet.

The total exports of specie from the port of New York during the week ended the 10th were $228,016. Of this amount the exports to Europe were $155,426 silver and $5,400 gold. The exports to Havana were $8,750 silver. The imports of specie at the port during the week were $195,849.

W. H. Heindmarch, a Frenchman, of Geneva, N. Y., was robbed of $2,000 at the United States Hotel in Buffalo on the night of the 10th by a thief who made good his escape.

An explosion of natural gas occurred in the paper mill at Tarentum Station, Pa., on the 11th, badly wrecking a portion of the mill and seriously injuring three men.

Robert White, a boss painter at the winter headquarters of Forepaugh's circus, in Philadelphia, was killed on the 11th by the elephant "Empress." White was giving her water when she knocked him down and disembowled him by piercing him with her tusks. "Empress" has now killed her third man and her record includes the injury of at least a score of men.

The Monarch Skating Rink, an extensive structure on Ross Street, Pittsburgh, was destroyed by fire on the 10th. Loss $10,000.

WEST AND SOUTH.

The office of the Secretary and treasurer of the Dubuque (Iowa) Loan Association was entered on the night of the 6th and the safe robbed of from $12,000 to $15,000.

In a collision at the crossing of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago and New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio Railroads at Leetonia, O., on the 7th, Brakeman McCullough was instantly killed and Fireman Moon badly scalded. Some loaded freight cars ran down a heavy grade on a side track and collided with an engine.

The Grand Jury at Green River, Wy. T., on the 6th reported "no bill" against the sixteen persons arrested in connection with the Chinese riot at Rock Springs. The result caused great rejoicing at Rock Springs, and on their return the accused were greeted with an ovation.

The trial of Arthur Nettleton for murder, in shooting Clarence White at a charivari at Paw Paw, Ill., closed on the 6th. The jury was out six hours. On the first ballot over half of them favored murder in the first degree, but they finally returned a verdict of guilty with a penalty of twelve years' imprisonment.

The Georgia House of Representatives on the 9th defeated the bill amending the railroad commission laws so as to grant roads the right to make their own rates, subject to revision only on complaint. The bill received 82 votes, while 88 were necessary to its passage.

At the annual conclave of the Ohio Grand Commandery Knights Templar at Cleveland on the 9th the following officers were elected: Charles E. Stanley, M. E. G. C., Cleveland; Lafayette Lytle, V. E. D. G. C., Toledo; F. H. Rehwinkel, G. Gen., Chillicothe; A. O. B. Senter, G. Cap. Gen., Columbus; Lafayette Van Cleve, G. Prelate, New Carlisle; L. W. Buckmaster, G. S. W., Washington, C. H.; Calvin Halliday, G. J. W., Lima; J. B. Parsons, G. Treas., Cleveland; James Nesbitt, G. Rec., Troy. Akron was chosen as the place for holding the next conclave.

A passenger train on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Road going east on the 9th struck a team of horses and a wagon at Alikana Crossing, near Steubenville, O., killing both horses, completely demolishing the wagon, and fatally injuring George Paxton, the driver of the team.

The trial in progress at Portland, Ore., of Mah Yim for the murder of Lee Choy excites considerable interest. Both men were high members of the Chinese Masonic order, and the murder took place in a session of the body. The motive for the deed is conjectured to be the betrayal by Choy of Masonic secrets, but the case is a very mysterious one.

An interview with Rev. Dr. O'Reilly, treasurer of the Irish National League, at Detroit, discloses the fact that about £1,000 per week is being forwarded to Charles S. Parnell from the parliamentary fund. The big Chicago contribution is not included in this. Dr. O'Reilly was one of the fifty selected to stump Ireland, but he advises the furnishing of money rather than speakers, and will probably not go.

Logan & Co's wholesale drug house at Wheeling, W. Va., was totally destroyed by fire on the 10th. Loss $28,000, covered by insurance. Patrick Mahoney and Jacob Snyder, firemen, were seriously injured by falling from a ladder.

Charles Crocker sent $5,000 by telegraph, from New York, in aid of the families of the firemen who were killed and those who were injured at the Crocker building fire in San Francisco a few days ago.

An incendiary fire at West Richfield, O., on the 10th destroyed B. S. Fleming's store, the residence and bakery adjoining belonging to Miss Ann Clark, and Dustin & Carr's carriage factory. Loss about $10,000.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Accom.
Toledo	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Adrian	6 54 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Appleton	6 56 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Jackson	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Chelsea	7 38 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Dexter	8 08 "	3 42 "	5 35 "
Ann Arbor	10 20 "	5 40 "	
Ypsilanti	9 25 "	4 05 "	
Detroit			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 55 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
Ypsilanti	10 24 "	7 37 "	
Ann Arbor	11 25 "	8 57 "	7 10 A.M.
Dexter	12 07 P.M.	9 24 "	8 00 "
Chelsea	12 16 "	9 41 "	8 04 "
Gregory	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 60 "
Stockbridge	12 41 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Munith	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Manchester	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 30 "
Jackson			

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Hicksville	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 20	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 25	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 51	9 40	3 46	
Stryker	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 24	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 28	7 45
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Clinton	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Bond	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delphy	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
Detroit	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27.	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Detroit	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delphy	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Bond	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Wayne	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Clinton	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Stryker		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 51	10 27
Hicksville		12 47	4 05	10 35
Pioneer		12 58	4 13	10 45
Butler		1 08	4 22	10 55

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	
5	10 10	A....	Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
6 10	11 02		Dunbar	4 15	10 10	
6 26	11 21		Britton	3 52	9 46	
7 06	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 51	8 51	
8 04	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 35	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 00		Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A. M. 8 50	1 17		Pulaski	1 58	7 57	P. M.
9 [illegible]	1 28		Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
9 20	1 50		Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
9 [illegible]	2 05		Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 32
9 40	2 17		Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
9 50	2 36		A Battle Crk L	12 44	6 30	7 03
9 57	2 56		Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
P. M.	3		Yorkville	12 20		6 35
10 12	3 10		Richland	12 15		6 29
[illegible]	3 28		Doster	11 58		6 12
10 21	3 45		Montclth	11 49		5 55
10 31	3 53		Fisk	11 35		5 47
10 39	3 59		Kellogg	11 30		5 37
10 [illegible]	4 10		A...Allegan...L	11 20		5 25
10 15	5 25		Holland	10 15		3 30
	6 00		Grand Rapids	9 15		
	6 30		Grand Haven	9 00		2 16
	6 35		Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
	7 10		Muskegon	8 15		1 20
A. M.	10 10		Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
	P. M.	A	L	A. M.		

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There is a small room in the rear of a Court-street store in which works an old, gray-haired man. Surrounding him on all sides are legs of many shapes and sizes. Some are short and stout, with rather too much calf for strictly classical beauty, others are long and slim, with a deplorable lack of calf, while others vie in shapeliness with the nether limbs of a Greek slave or Venus de Milo.

The old man when visited recently was hard at work, but consented to give the writer a few particulars in regard to his business.

"Now, that," he said, pointing to a shapely leg hanging over the fire, "belongs to a Newburyport young lady."

"That," continued the old man, "is what's known as a knee bearing leg. I made it for her three years ago, when she was about fourteen years old. She lost her leg a little below the knee—so short she couldn't wear a socket bearing-leg, so she was obliged to have a kneer-bearing, to walk on the knee. She has grown a little since, and so I was obliged to lengthened it out. I cut the leg in two at the calf and put in a piece, dovetailing it and fastening it with glue. I've histed a child's leg least at four inches before it was given up, when its parents were poor and couldn't afford a new one."

"How did the young lady lose her leg?"

"I don't know; I didn't ask her. I never ask anybody, for some are very sensitive about it, especially men. You see a great many men lose their legs by being run over when they are drunk. I do not believe I've asked a man that question for ten years. Now here," picking up a leg in process of construction, "legs don't weigh as much as you'd think. Including all the ironwork, that leg wouldn't weigh more than five pounds. I have just made one for a full-grown woman that weighed, everything complete, including the upper socket, exactly three pounds. I made it particularly light on account of her being sickly. I want to show you now whether we get the durability. The steel ankle-joints are, you see, set in the wood, and slightly broader at the ankle than further up the leg, which makes them sorter dovetailed. The bearing-down strain is borne in part by them and partly by an endless and very powerful cord—some make it of silk, but I always use linen—extending from the heel of the foot over a bar in the calf of the leg, which is hollow. The cord relieves principally what is called 'the nosing,' where the shin plays into the foot.

"The ankle-joints are, you see, connected by a steel bolt, which makes the leg particularly strong about the ankle, where the most strain comes. The toe-joint is located at the same place as in the natural foot, and works with a spring that brings the toe into place after each step. The wood? I use willow altogether, and have never used any other. I have shown you one used where the leg has been lost below the knee.

"Now this," producing another leg, "is for one lost above the knee. It is the same in every particular as the other, with the addition of a wooden socket to secure the stump. It works at the knee in a very natural manner on a simple bolt, with a spring extending from the thin piece to the lower part of the top socket. This spring throws the foot forward, in walking, the minute the toe leaves the floor.

"You will observe that if the amputation is above the knee the leg must be held in place by suspenders made of a stout welt—part elastic and part non-elastic—extending over the shoulder. If with a long stump below the knee, the leather socket, laced above the knee, is usually sufficient.

"If, however, there is but a short stump below the knee a strap is required. Every weak point in a leg is specially guarded, in some way or other; and when the steel and woodwork is complete the leg is covered with calfskin similar to a drumhead. It is put on wet and dries to the leg, very closely, adding a great deal to its strength. Then that is sand-papered down to a surface, and the holes in the calf opened out. They are for ventilation, but I doubt if they do any good. I always put them in, because a good many are of the notion they are. Then the leg is painted. I use alcoholic paint, made of gum and dry lead. The minute it strikes water it is set and you can't wash it off with anything except alcohol.

"I'll show you a leg," producing a particularly lifelike one, the foot of which bore a shoe and stocking, "that has been painted seventeen years and is, you see, in pretty good condition."

"What do you consider your most singular case?"

"That of a little boy that lives near the old reservoir. He was brought to me in his father's arms when he was sixteen or seventeen months old, and had never walked a step. I didn't dare to touch him, he was so young and tender, and his father took him to Dr. Shaw. The doctor advised him to get a limb right off so as to prevent hip disease on the other side. That had never occurred to me. The doctor's opinion took all the responsibility away from me; and so I went to work at once, and made a leg for the boy. He learned to walk with it and walks and runs with it now so well that you'd hardly know he'd lost a leg. I have customers all over the country—one in Saginaw, Mich., and another in Leavenworth, Kan., and at least a dozen in Nova Scotia. In the Boston custom-house I have quite a number."

"How long will a leg wear?"

"It is a question often asked me, and a very hard one to answer. I have a customer that has worn a leg for twenty-one years, and I know men that would not wear a leg two years. It is just as it is with everything else. Some take care of them and others stave them out very quickly.

"The government, you know, allows soldiers a new leg every five years, or $75. That looks as if they thought five years was the average, but good legs will, in my opinion, average at least eight years. The price the government sets on 'em is about the lowest they can be made for, though some manufacturers ask twice as much as that.

"How long does it take to make a leg? Well, I'll tell you. In war times they said if a man made a leg in eight days they was satisfied."—*Boston Globe.*

NIHILISM NOT DEAD.

The News About Nihilists Has Simply Been Carefully Suppressed.

For the sake of his Czar and fatherland, Count Dmitry Andreevitch Tolstoi, the Minister of the Interior, undertook to perform a very clever feat, not smacking of wise statesmanship and genuine diplomacy. It is generally known that for many years past all the powers of Europe have looked upon nihilism as a smarting thorn in the Czar's heel. The home troubles, it was believed, would not allow the Russian autocrat to wield all his huge forces against any foreign enemy. This matter was actually annoying His Majesty's Government. Therefore Dmitry Andreevitch made up his mind that nihilism must be dead, or at least proclaimed to be so. Certainly the role of a trickster was not becoming to a man of three score and ten, a minister, a senator, a president of the Academy of Sciences, an actual privy counselor, a count, and a knight of all the imperial orders, but if in holy Russia it is blissful to be a "fool for Christ's sake," then why could not a high dignitary of Russia descend to the role of a trickster for the Czar's sake? Be it what it may, the illustrious Count dug himself a grave for Nihilism, performed a funeral service, and delivered an obituary oration over it, and all that in dead secret. His oration, however, he took pains to make known all over the world.

"Nihilism is dead," said the Czar's Minister, and it was flashed through the wires that encircle the globe. As all Governors of Russia are under the immediate command of the Minister of the Interior, and all the newspapers are under the unavoidable control of the same minister, it has for the last three years looked here indeed as if Nihilism had turned upon plain Nihil. Even abroad it was lately admitted that the Nihilists had degenerated and gone.

Suddenly news came here from the City of Kharkoff that Nihilism was yet alive. As the Minister of the Interior and the Governor of Kharkoff are now on the leave of absence, this inopportune discovery was not smothered in the very bud. These are the facts:

A few days ago, at midnight, in the city of Kharkoff, graced with a university, there was arrested in the street a man who proved to be armed like a regular terrorist. He had on his person a pistol, a dagger and some poison. In order to get all the glory to themselves, the gendarmes, without informing their superiors, tried to find the house in which the captured Nihilist resided. In a suburb they found a house in which one of the two boarders was missing, and they guessed that that was the place they needed. Though it was past nine in the morning, yet the other man was fast asleep. They awoke him and asked him to dress himself. Two gendarmes sat on the foot of the bed of their man, waiting for him. Suddenly he thrust his hand under his pillow, snatched a big pistol, and fired at one of the two gendarmes. He missed his aim and the two men grappled with him. Another shot was fired, and one of the two gendarmes, Fessenko, fell mortally wounded. A third gendarme rushed into the room and his wrist was pierced with a bullet. More men rushed in, and the Nihilist was overpowered and secured. His name, as it appeared from his pass, was Platon Lebedinsky. The wounded gendarme was taken to a hospital, but he died on the way. In a few minutes all the authorities of Kharkoff, Vice-Governor, Colonel of Gendarmes, the Provouce Attorney, and the Chief of the Police, with hundreds of policemen and gendarmes, were at the place of shooting. In broad daylight, before a crowd of people, they had discovered the Nihilist quarters in regular running order. There was a secret printing press, and piles of orders of the much-dreaded executive committee; dynamite, nitro-glycerine, and bombs ready for use; a little armory of pistols, daggers, and cartridges; different masks and wigs and dies, and other accessories of Nihilist quarters. There was an oven full of explosives, which no man in Kharkoff dared to approach, and so an expert on the Nihilist bombs was sent here from this city. The expert placed a bomb in a hollow tree and exploded it by means of the electric current. The simple-minded residents of Kharkoff thought that an earthquake shook them. Wooden splinters flew for half a mile.

When Dmitry Andreevitch Tolstoi heard of the Kharkoff incident he swooned, and, on coming to himself, he swore that all the Kharkoff authorities should be put in sacks and drowned in the Donetz River at midnight, along with their two captured Nihilists.

Now it transpires that during the last three years, which appeared so quiet, the number of the arrested Nihilists was as large as in the liveliest times of terrorism. But everything was done quietly. The victims, without any trial, were hidden beyond "nine iron doors," as a Russian fairy tale runs, and the tongues of the witnesses of their arrest were sealed under the penalty of Siberia.

No, Nihilism will not die till the people of Russia will long for annihilation of the monstrous system of autocracy.—*Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

Veritable Curiosity Shop.

Four miles west of Thomaston, Conn., on an unfrequented road, stands a house which shows evident signs of age. In front, beneath a shady maple, are two tombstones of persons who died in 1776 and 1778. A long, lank individual named Worrell lives a sort of hermit life in the house, which is reached by a long pair of stairs. The house within is a veritable curiosity shop, the wall being covered with huge hornet nests, wreaths made from potato bugs, all grasses of the field, besides innumerable butterflies and insects fastened to the walls with pins. A room in the rear is a museum in itself—cases of stuffed birds and snakes, frogs, owls, hawks, pigeons, minerals, a chair 120 years old, a wreath of snake skins, another potatoes, a third of eggs, a whisky bottle 160 years old, lizards of all species, a frame enclosing a wreath made of the claws of animals, 4,800 in all, and all sorts of odd things from the woods.—*N. Y. Post.*

A Primitive Tribe

Dr. Hunter describes a peculiar tribe in India which has preserved an extreme primitiveness. The people are called Leaf Wearers, because they wear the costume of Adam and Eve before the fall; or, more strictly speaking, they did so until the English persuaded them to adopt cloth.

In 1871 the English officer called together the clan, and after a speech handed out strips of cotton for the women to put on. They then passed in single file to the number of 1,900 before him, made obeisance to him, and were afterward marked on the forehead with vermilion as a sign of their entering into civilized society. Finally, they gathered the bundles of leaves which had formed their sole clothing into a great heap, and solemnly set fire to it. This leaf-wearing tribe had no knowledge of the metals till quite lately, when foreigners came among them, and no word existed in their native language for iron or any other metal. But their country abounds in flint weapons, so that the Juangs form a remnant to our own day of the stone age. "Their huts," writes the officer who knows them best, "are among the smallest that human beings ever deliberately constructed as dwellings. They measure about six feet by eight feet. The head of the family and all the females huddle together in this one shell, not much larger than a dog kennel." The boys and the young men of the village live in one large building apart by themselves; and this custom of having a common abode for the whole male youth of the hamlet is found among many aboriginal tribes in distant parts of India.

Spelling Match.

Can you spell? Well, yes; almost anybody can spell. Then spell this, and make out what it means. If you can't, then pass it on to your next neighbor;

B-B-E E-I-I-N-N-O O-R-R-R-S-S T-T-W.

Don't say it out loud, but just whisper in your pretty neighbor's ear, that if she will place these letters in proper position she will have the world's great tonic, which will enrich her impoverished blood, put roses on her pale cheeks and make her strong and happy. Go to the nearest drug store with a dollar in your hand, and ask for Brown's Iron Bitters.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast. This does not refer, however, to that particular sort of music that rouses us from our beds at night, to wit: the cries of children suffering from a sudden attack of cramp colic, pain in the stomach or bowels. Such an emergency is safely provided against if Mishler's Herb bitters is kept in the house. It is an invaluable remedy for such complaints.

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00 A.M.	3 20 P.M.	9 [illegible] P.M.	
Oak Harbor...Ar	8 56	4 18	7 05	
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 45	
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	
Monroeville..Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 30 A.M.
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 00	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 18	6 52	No. 25.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00 M.	7 40	1 17 P.M.	3 20
Orville ....Ar	12 30	8 10	1 45	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 45	7 00
Massillon...Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon ..Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	8 10
Sherrodsville		6 47 P.M.	6 47 P.M.	
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30		3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55		3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 30 A.M.	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 35	8 00	
Marietta ...Ar	9 20	10 20 A.M.	9 20	

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta....Lv	4 A.M.	2 20 P.M.		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	9 15	5 38		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sherodsville				5 45 A.M.
New Cumberl'd				6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 25 A.M.	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 05	10 15
Creston....Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15 A.M.
Creston....Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 A.M.
Monroeville	3 52	12 10 A.M.	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48		11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03		12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20		12 17 P.M.	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45		12 42	9 00
Toledo ....Ar	5 45 A.M.		1 35 P.M.	10 00 A.M.

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 A.M.	6 45 P.M.	Ar. Huron...Lv	6 40 A.M.	2 20 P.M.
11 35	6 30	Fries Landing	6 53	2 39
11 20	6 15	.... Milan	7 07	2 55
10 55	5 55	Lv. Norwalk. Ar	7 27	3 10

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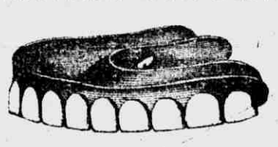

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THE LOCO WEED.

A Trans-Missippi Plant which Works Great Havoc Among Cattle.

For the last twelve years, complaints have been made in trans-Mississippi regions, particularly from the plain and mountain region, of death to live stock from eating supposably poisonous plants. Investigation traced the cause to two genera, either to species of Astragalus—nearly allied to the lupine—and to Oxytropis plants, belong to the pea family—a family (*Leguminosæ*) not considered heretofore as containing virulent poisonous species, but which does contain many food and forage plants. Like the plant producing milk-sickness, stock do not seem to eat it naturally, but, once they begin, they continue persistently. These two genera of plants are found throughout the plains and mountain regions to and including California. Of Astragalus there are a great number of species. In California some of them grow with the habit and vigor of lucerne. It is also said to grow on high and low, wet and dry land. The species Oxytropis, poisonous to stock, is said to be partial to damp ground and is perennial, growing up each season from the root. The symptoms of the disease are temporary intoxication, passing to complete nervous and muscular wreck in the later stages, and, fully developed, death ensues from starvation from inability to digest food. During the pronounced stages of the disease the animal becomes stupid, wild, or vicious, sometimes acting as though possessed by blindstaggers. No antidote has yet been discovered, hence extermination of the plants is the only remedy. This may be considered well-nigh impossible over the great range of wild feeding grounds. In cultivated pastures, however, it may easily be managed. The common name of the Austragalus, is milk-vetch and a number of species are described by Gray as existing east of the Mississippi, none known to be injurious, the species injurious being found only west of the Mississippi, and only, it is believed, as we approach the plains regions.

Astragalus Mollissimus, one of the weeds to which the general name of locc weed is given, is a perennial herbaceous plant, of the region of the great plains from Colorado to New Mexico, Texas and Arkansas. There are usually a great many stalks proceeding from a large root stalk. They are reclining towards the base and erect above. The stalks are so short that the leaves and flower-stalks seem to proceed directly from the root. They are branching at the base and give rise to numerous leaves and long stems bearing the flowers and pods. The leaves are usually six to ten inches long, composed of nine to fifteen leaflets, borne on each side of the central leaf-stalk in pairs, except the upper one. They are of oval form, one-half to three-quarters of an inch long, of a shining silvery hue, from being clothed with soft, silky hairs. The flower-stalks are about as long, sometimes longer, than the stalk of leaflets, naked below, and at the upper part (one-fourth to one-half), bearing a rather thick spike of flowers, which are nearly an inch long, narrow, and somewhat cylindrical, the carolla (inner covering of the flower) of a velvet or purple color, the calyx (flower-cup) half as long as the carolla, and softly pubescent (hairy). The flower has the general structure of the pea family, and is succeeded by short, oblong, thickish pods one-half to three-quarters of an inch long, very smooth, and with about two seeds each.

Oxytropis Lamberti—There are two varieties—one large and one small—of this species, also known as "loco weed." They belong to the same family as the one previously described. The only difference except size is that the smaller of the two is more hairy or downy than the larger variety. The larger variety is about the size of the Astragalus, just described, and like it grows in strongly-rooted clumps, but it differs in having an erect habit, with shorter leaves and longer and more stiffly erect flower-stalks. The leaflets are longer and narrower—about one inch long by one-quarter to one-third inch wide—and hairy, especially on the upper surface. The flower-stalk proceeds from the root-stalk, and is usually nine to twelve inches long and naked except near the top, which has a rather close and thick cluster of flowers, much like those of the Astragalus in general appearance—but differing only in some minute characters, but yet which separate it into another genus. The bloom is succeeded by erect, lance-oblong, pointed pods of about an inch in length. The flowers are subject to much variation in color, some varieties being purple, some yellow and others being white. The species is very abundant on the high plains and in the mountains, ranging from British America to Mexico.

From the fact that it is more common than Astragalus, and also more of a plains than a mountain species, it may be inferred that this is the plant that has given so much trouble in Western Iowa and especially westward. It is important that every farmer or employe of of the farm should know it in order to effect its eradication.

Unlike the plant producing milk-sickness, there is little probability that it will die out in pastures. It is indigenous to a wide range of territory and soil. It must be eradicated by special means. As it is a fibrous-rooted perennial, this may be accomplished by thrusting a chisel-edged spade under it and prying it out. It may seem like a serious labor, but necessary, since the shorter the pasture becomes the more and more will stock become addicted to eating it and, like milk-sickness, no remedy is known for the disease.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Colonel Bill Snort, editor of the *Crosby County Clarion and Farmer's Vindicator*, went to New Orleans not long since, and upon being shown his room at the hotel said: "This is a queer hotel. If a guest can pay his bills every week, what use has he got for a fire-escape? And if there is a fire-escape, why should he pay his bills at the end of the week? There is some mystery about this hotel that I can't understand."—*Texas Siftings.*

GYPSUM.

The Value of Plaster as a Land Dressing and Fertilizer.

Gypsum is a valuable fertilizer. Chemically pure it contains about twenty-three parts lime, forty-six sulphur, and twenty-one water. Its beneficial effects are owing to its soluble lime and its sulphuric acid. It fixes volatile and escaping carbonate of ammonia, and conveys them to the roots of plants. The carbonates of ammonia coming in contact with the sulphate of lime forms carbonate of lime and sulphate of ammonia. This fixing of ammonia makes gypsum especially valuable on the manure pile, where a few light dressings applied every day and a half will effect the preservation of nearly all the ammonia in the pile. Applied to light soils, especially soils deficient in lime, it is very valuable, doubling in some cases such crops as clover; but on clay soils also highly stimulating effects are obtained. The plaster should be in a very finely-ground condition to get the best effects the first season. The effect of plaster does not end with one or two seasons, but has been distinctly traced years after application. In a dry season little effect is obtained the first season, but in an ordinary or wet season the effect is very marked. While plaster is applied, and beneficially it is said by some who use it, on wheat and other grain crops, its best results are clover and grasses, turnips, peas and Indian corn. With the last crop it is sometimes put in the hills, a spoonful to each hill, though the view of general results extending over years of general distribution is perhaps the best way of applying it. With the other crops it may be sown either broadcast by hand, a method hard on the hands and eyes, or sown with drill or plaster sower. The quantity per acre sown on light soils should never be less than 100 pounds per acre. The best practice is to sow 200 or 300 pounds per acre. It is deemed that mixed with salt it gives better results than when used alone. The mixture varies in proportions in individual practice, some using 100 pounds gypsum to 200 pounds salt, while others use 200 pounds of each per acre. The best time to sow it is in the spring, very early, and give a second lighter dressing after vegetation is advanced a little, say about the middle of May. On an average of years well-ground gypsum is certainly found a highly profitable fertilizer on farms not too far removed from gypsum mines.—*Canada Farmer.*

Happy Condition of Farmers.

An old and successful agriculturist says: "It is now many years since when a school boy I listened to an agricultural address delivered by Isaac Hill, in Keene, to the farmers of Cheshire County. He was a noted man in New Hampshire, and also a Governor of the State. In speaking of the happy condition of farmers, he observed that 'the merchant failed nine times out of ten before a fortune is gained; the speculator ninety-nine times in a hundred; the mechanic and the lawyer gain only while their work is going on; the wages of the priest, like those of the common laborer, stop when he no longer works; the physician adds to his income no oftener than he visits the sick; the salaried man, if he saves at all, saves only a specific sum.' In this comparison, the farmer by dint of his husbandry produces constantly from the mother earth, while his associate callings are subject to the uncertainties, changes, and recurring vicissitudes incidental to other employments known to the society of man."

Truths for Flirting Girls.

Whatever idea the young girls who practice street flirting may entertain of their seemingly innocent pastime, it may be set down as a certainty that when a respectable young man desires the acquaintance of one who may some day become his wife he does not go out on the street and seek her acquaintance through a flirtation. But, on the other hand, the flirt of the street, no matter how innocent and fair her attentions may be, is the last person he would seek as his life's companion. He desires purity, without and above suspicion. The young lady who engages in this kind of pastime should bear in mind that she not only endangers her reputation and leaves a stain upon her good name, but her name is a by-word among those with whom she flirts, to be bandied about in the saloons, on the street corners and in the low-down, unholy places in the city, fastening on her otherwise fair name a stigma or stain that will follow her for years after she sees her folly and attempts to mend her ways.—*Newark Advertiser.*

Horses' Food.

The horse is more dainty about his food than any other farm animal excepting a sheep. No uneaten refuse should be left in the feeding boxes to sour under the animal's nose. In warm weather the danger of this is greater, especially when meal with wet, cut hay is given. This is the best possible feed for a working horse, but if left to many hired men it will be unsatisfactory from overfeeding. Some people seem to think that all there is in feeding a horse is to stuff his manger full with hay all the time and give him large amounts of grain or meal. Under such management a horse will grow poor and his appetite will fail, and with no appetite he cannot do efficient work.—*Farm, Field and Stockman.*

—Two Georgia girls recently decided that things were getting altogether too dull, and they would try and wake things up and have some fun. They dressed up in men's apparel, walked over to some of their neighbors' domiciles, passed off for tramps, frightened some women and children almost out of their wits, and would have made a thorough canvass of the town but for a little mouse, which appeared upon the scene, and caused them to identify themselves with the weaker sex, abruptly terminating their carnival.—*St. Louis Post.*

□—A woman made the first orange box used in California, and she now runs a factory which turns out 50,000 of them a year.

MISCELLANEOUS.

—The Superior Court of North Carolina has decided that a railroad company can not force a passenger to ride in a smoking-car if he objects to doing so.

—It will pay to store the hay, straw and fodder under shelter, as such materials are often injured by the exposure to winter storms and spring rains.—*Rural New Yorker.*

—An Indiana farmer couldn't get any of the neighbors to sit on the fence with him and talk horses and whittle at a shingle, and so he went and drowned himself.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A man who hugged Christopher Columbus in a restaurant in Sacramento was pounded until his life is despaired of. Christ has friends in this country who won't stand by and hear his motives in discovering America questioned.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—The distance from Cologne to Berlin, 474 kilometers in a bee line, was recently covered by some carrier pigeons belonging to the Berlin Society "Pfeil" in eight hours and forty-one minutes, which is equal to nearly fifty-five kilometers an hour.

—During the fifty years since the first train ran in Belgium the railway companies claim that only thirty-one travelers have been killed through any error or disaster in the railway itself, although 7,250,000 passengers have been carried over the lines.

—Since New Year's Day 150 inventions have been filed in the Patent Office relating to roller skates. Boxwood, of which the wheels are generally made, has doubled in price. Contracts for ten thousand tons of steel for the skates have been given out.—*Washington Post.*

—In a cemetery a little white stone marked the grave of a dear little girl. On the stone were chiseled these words: "A child of whom her playmates said, 'It was easier to be good when she was with us.'" I used to think, and I do now, that it was one of the most beautiful epitaphs I ever heard.—*Detroit Post.*

—The unkindest thing that has recently been said about the legal profession is embodied in the remark made in a French provincial court the other day to a lawyer who was called as a witness: "Look here, Brother X—," he said, "just lose sight of your professional character for a moment and tell us the truth."

—Prospective bridegroom (to prospective bride)—Would it be possible, do you think, dear, to postpone our wedding until Monday? I am in receipt of a dispatch calling me to Buffalo on important business. P. bride—I'm afraid not, George, dear. The wedding presents, you know, are only rented until Saturday.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—A Laconia (N. H.) correspondent of a Manchester paper is ready to swear that a trout weighing twenty-eight and a half pounds was caught in Lake Winnisquam recently. Another member of the same party, it is alleged, caught one weighing eleven and a half pounds. Owners of expensive trout tackle may be pleased to learn that the big fellow was caught with a cod line and hook, with a cold chisel for a sinker and a live bull frog for a bait.—*N. Y. Post.*

—A number of Concord (Vt.) people have been victimized by a fellow who claimed to be agent for a weekly paper. Each subscriber gave ten cents for the paper six months, and also was to have a chance at several valuable prizes. Then the agent sent each subscriber a certificate, saying that he had drawn an organ, and requiring one dollar to pay for boxing, etc. The subscribers have since found out that they all drew organs and all sent one dollar for boxing, but the organs do not come.—*Rutland Herald.*

—The Indian population of Dakota is 32,511, and the total area of Indian reservations, as they at present exist in the Territory, is 41,948 square miles, or 26,847,105 acres. This is an allowance of 825 acres of land for every individual Indian, counting in the old men, women and children. The population of the tribes of the Sioux Nation west of the Missouri River is 25,537, and the area of reservation is 33,739 square miles, or 21,593,129 acres—a farm of 853 acres for every Sioux west of the river, chief, brave, old man, squaw, boy, girl and papoose.—*Chicago Journal.*

—It was well worth the while of a Manitou (Col.) correspondent to write this, and it is worth anyone's while to read it: "The Rockies are piled up like purple clouds against the brittle, sparkling sapphire skies. They trail off in a royal glory of color to the far South, their pink and purple peaks picked out with piles of everlasting snow. They are the 'Rocky' Mountans in all truth. Not a tree blooms upon their bald sterility of rock, and yet in the amber atmosphere, under the sweet, clean sunshine, they look as if the next puff of wind might float them away."

SURE OF ONE THING.

Hot Water in the Hands of an Excited Woman as a Fight Exterminator.

There was a case of assault and battery before one of the justices the other day, and a witness with a black eye, several strips of court plaster across his nose and one ear badly lopped over was asked by the defendant's lawyer if he saw Brown strike White.

"Can't say as I did," he replied.

"Did you see the whole affair?"

"Mostly."

"Well, how was it?"

"Well, Smith and me sot on the reaper talkin' evolution. Jones and Green sot on the grass talkin', and Brown and White sot by the edge of the straw-stack disputin' on politics. Three or four boys was in the barn gittin' up a dog fight."

"Yes, go on."

"Fust I knowed, somebody called somebody else a liar. Next I knowed evolution, politics and fighting dogs was a rolling over each other on the grass, and every man kicking and biting and hitting away fur all he was wuth."

"But did you see Brown strike White?"

"Can't say as I did."

"Did you see White strike Brown?"

"Can't be sure it. The only thing I'm sure of, Mister Lawyer, is that my old woman came out with a pail of hot water and licked the hull crowd and had over two quarts left fur next time."—*Detroit Free Press.*

DIED.

William H. Elson, Oct. 11th, 1885 Mr. Elson who had been for a long time a severe sufferer from lingering consumption, passed away at his home in Franklin. Mr. Elson was born in Hartford Co., Md., Dec. 3, 1829, and was 56 years, 10 months and 8 days old at his death. Six years ago Mr. Elson and family moved from Ohio to Dundee, Mich., which was their home five years. From Dundee they moved to Franklin last spring. The friends, with the body, took the four o'clock train on the Lake Shore road for Ohio, their former home. A widow and ten children survive to mourn the loss of a husband and father.

CORYELL.—In the township of Clinton, Michigan, Sept. 26th, 1885, Mrs. Joanna Coryell.

She was born in the State of New Jersey in the year 1815, and was the daughter of John and Wilmina Hoagland. She was twice married. Her first husband's name was William Harding, by whom she had two children, all of whom have passed away. In the spring of 1845 she came to Michigan, and in the fall of the same year was married to Ezra C. Corvell. For nearly forty years they walked together in the bonds of true affection and were one in purpose to secure a good home and make life a success. Many who were intimately acquainted with them can testify how well they succeeded. In early life she was the subject of religious impressions, but not till after her union with her second husband did she become a member of the church. This fellowship she kept up till her departure. Quite often, the place of their residence being changed it seemed necessary that a change of church home should also be made, or many privileges be lost. Being of a true catholic spirit she consented with her husband to unite where it seemed they ought to give their influence to help on the cause of Christ. They were always welcomed and at once made to feel at home wherever they went. The quiet gentle manner of the deceased won the affections of many, and secured for her a host of friends. She leaves a husband, three grandchildren, a brother and sister and many distant relatives behind. Her funeral was held at the Methodist Episcopal Church of Tecumseh, September 28th, and was largely attended by both relatives and others who had known her but to love her, and were there to pay their last tribute of affection to her memory.

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—Ho! all lovers of good bread.—Always buy Heck's White Foam Patent flour and you will never be disappointed. It will never deceive you. It is the best.

—Call at the yard and mill of the Tecumseh Lumber Co., and examine their stock.

MARRIED.

WILSON—SUTTON.—At the residence of the bride's parents, on the 8th inst., by Rev. A. H. Lucas, pastor of the M. E. church at Greeley, Col., Mr. James S. Wilson, of Detroit, and Miss Minnie A. Sutton, of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Oct. 13, 1885:

Babbitt, R. S. 2 — Gains, Thos.
Dailey, Mary A. — Smith, Mrs. S. A.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples, dried, ₱ ℔		@	03
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Barley, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	75	@	1 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	75	@	1 00
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	8
Corn in ear	20	@	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel		@	50
Clover Seed	4 50	@	5 00
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	16
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00	@	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	10
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	7
Oats, ₱ bushel	23	@	28
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	50
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	20	@	25
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	15	@	40
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		@	87
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel		@	96
Wool	20	@	28

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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Chas. Fabrique, of Brooklyn, spent last Sabbath with his parents and many friends in Clinton.

Richmond, Hogan & Gadd shipped two car loads of sheep to Buffalo last Saturday. They are bound to keep pace with other stock drovers and if they loose on pork they try the mutton.

Lester B. Collar of Macon, was looking over his friends and acquaintances in this village, last Friday.

Mrs. Clough, editor of the Brooklyn Exponent, was smiling upon her old friends and associates in this village last Saturday, and they were right glad to see her.

A couple of young ladies were ascending the new tramway at the depot Saturday under the impression that they were climbing the golden stair; at least they were heard to give that information to a passer by.

A. M. Freeman, Esq., was in town last Friday, having been called here on legal business.

Eggs have taken an upward tendency.

The lyceum first and Alba next, was the program introduced by our high school representatives last Friday evening.

Will Cutting met with a serious accident at the factory Monday afternoon. He was running a lathe down in the engine room, when his sleeve became entangled in the machinery and drew his arm into connection with a shaft which bruised and lacerated it fearfully.

Dan Davis has disposed of his goods and abandoned the apartment occupied by him in the post office building, and now we are once more without a taffy producer.

E. Coffin has removed his knitting factory to the room lately occupied by the ice cream vender and telephone manager, in connection with the Clinton Local.

Dr. House of Tecumseh, was called to Clinton last Thursday.

Potatoes, apples and cider are the products changing hands at a quick pace in this market just now.

Henry Stevens was in town last Friday.

The Manchester band passed thro' the village Saturday evening on their way to play at the rink in Tecumseh, and favored our citizens with some music.

Chas. Smith who formerly worked for A. G. Burton in the paint shop, was looking up old friends among us last Thursday.

A scissors grinder has passed several days upon the corner of Jackson and Chicago streets, and appears to find plenty to keep busy at.

Charley Spafford has moved again and this time may be found in the comfortable rooms over the post office.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark is visiting friends and relatives in the northern part of the state, and is to be absent about two weeks.

Abram Hendershot has moved into the old Chandler house now owned by Mrs. Brown.

The public telephone has been transfered to a cosy little front room, fitted up for its especial benefit, by the manager, C. K. Spafford, over the post office, where the patrons will always find some person present to attend their bidding at all hours night and day, as the family living rooms are immediately connected therewith.

As some talk has been made upon the streets in regard to the convenience of the telephone up stairs, it might be well to mention that the very first message sent over the wires after its removal was given the operator by a man that has suffered with the rheumatism for years, and who made his way up those steps like a boy of ten summers. The stairs are very easy ones, and we don't know what the citizens of this place would do for a telephone if in Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor or Adrian, where they would be invited to climb two flights of stairs to make their wants known.

Frank McClure has at work for him again Will VanAntwerp, and, that Frank and Will make a full team is fully demonstrated by the departure of the work about as fast as they can make it.

A horse kicked A. P. Halliday and produced a fracture upon one of his arms near the elbow. It was getting better fast at last accounts under Dr. John Tuttle's treatment.

B. Lighthall of Chelsea, was in town last week on business.

The rollers will soon begin to whirl in the grist mill.

Peter Kishpaugh has a fine Banker colt that has been quite sick, but we hear that Dr. Burroughs' attentiveness has brought about a decided improvement.

W. V. Fisk with his entire family left home on Tuesday last for Newton, Iowa, where they expect to spend the winter. They will be gone about six months. Their Clinton friends will wish them a pleasant visit, and would be glad to hear from them occasionally.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

A. W. Slayton shipped five car loads of baled hay from here over the M. & O. last week.

Coryell & Lawton and postmaster Sharp are up with the times, and have put soft coal burners in their stores.

Wm. Andrews and B. F. Reed are on the sick list this week.

Louis Priest left our quiet village last week and took up his abode at Onsted. We hope for him success.

Mrs. Peter Sharp went to Tecumseh last week Thursday to attend the wedding of her neice, Miss Leila Doty.

A short program will be carried out Friday evening before the election of officers for the Literary, held at Cottage Hall. Come one, come all. Admission free.

Miss Nettie Wilson closed her fall term of school in the Harrington district last Friday. She will attend school at the Valley Seminary in Raisin the coming winter.

A. A. Converse, train dispatcher on the M. & O., and his wife spent Saturday and Sunday with agent A. J. Sutton and family.

Mr. Frank Gove, of Adrian, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Vedder and daughter, of Tecumseh, and Mrs. Lyman Geer and daughter, of Napoleon, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gove over Sunday.

Miss May Varney, of Canaan, Pa., a graduate in music last June from the Adrian College, under Prof. Rupp, and Miss Vina Ganum, of Palmyra, were the guests of Miss Belle Barlow Saturday and Sunday.

The attendance at the social held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. P. W. Cadmus was large, and Miss Flipsey with her grab bag took the cake; it was laughable to see the expressions of joy on the maidens faces as they sang "Hush little baby, don't you cry," for some of them grabbed little dollies. The next social will be held at the home of Mrs. Joshua Waring next week Friday evening.

BROOKLYN BILLET.

Alex. Ide, who was reported as being very low, at our last writing died on Monday morning. The funeral will be held on Wednesday.

The Jones' of the Commercial Hotel have gone to Detroit for the winter. Mr. Goodrich, of Saline, has charge of the hotel.

Dr. Porter, for many years a resident of this place, but lately of Hesperia, is moving back to B. His many friends will be glad to welcome him.

This is not the season of the year for orange blossoms. Nevertheless, rumor has it that there are blossoms. Perhaps we shall report a wedding in our next.

Messrs. Labafre and Crandall, and Misses Underwood and Parker, drove over to Brooklyn Saturday, to attend the entertainment at the rink. The Hurtt family gave their concert to a crowded house, and all felt satisfied they had the worth of their money.

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

Corn is all in shock, and nearly all got ripe. Here and there a field of late planting was let stand till after the recent frost.

Wheat looks well and as a whole, was sown much earlier than in previous years.

Potatoes a large yield but considerably effected with rot, claimed to have been caused by the heavy rain fall one Saturday evening about six weeks since, the ground being previously well filled with water. Those on rolling gravelly soil, or where well underdrained being all right. By-the-way, Ida and Rosa Easlick dug, picked up, and put in wagon, 50 bushels of potatoes in six hours "just for fun," at five cents per bushel.

Bowen & Slayton are buying and baling hay among the farmers hereabouts; 10½ tons at John Steel's, 17 tons at Joe Dakin's, 26 tons at A. Easlick's, etc.

A new $320 bridge across the Macon stream at A. Easlick's.

A boy at Geo. Kemp's.

Here is how to grade the bottom of a tile ditch without water. First, get the grade of the ditch, then make three stakes of 1x6 fencing, 5 feet long each, fitting one end to the ditch, dig down full depth at the outlet and set one stake, dig back a few feet and set another stake so that the tops of the two will range with the grade; make a mark on the handle of your tile hoe 5 feet from either end, which use as a measure; when digging making the mark range with the top of stakes, dig a few rods and set the third stake, and so on every few rods bringing up the farthest stake so that the range will be close by.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crandall took the morning train for Buffalo, N. Y., Monday. Visiting and detective work will occupy their attention there and at other points in the east for several weeks. John Marks and wife of Rome accompanied them.

We notice that quite a number of Addisonions were in attendance at the quarterly meeting of Friends held in Raisin on the 17th and 18th.

Miss Mary Iveson of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her mother, Mary J. Cleveland, north of town.

The receipts of wheat have been very liberal at the mill this week notwithstanding the bad condition of roads for hauling to market.

Judging from the amount of coal purchased by some of our citizens they are expecting severe weather ere long.

People come to this place from near other places to purchase lumber and building material of A. J. Hasbrouck, who by the way keeps a model lumber yard for a small town.

Parties who are building must needs get the frames closed soon as possible in order to escape working in the cold.

ONSTED ODDS.

New shoe maker in town, and likewise a livery man.

The lot for the parsonage has been graded. It is just north of the Grange Hall.

Considerable excitement here in regard to moving the post office from J. E. Gibb's to R. L. Glenn's.

J. E. Gibbs has sold one car load of coal and has just received another car load. Price $5.75 per ton.

Next Saturday occurs the third game of base ball between the Onsted and Wolf Creek clubs.

AN ADRIAN POISONING AFFAIR.

Adrian is considerably excited over a poisoning case, that has developed in that city. On Thursday of last week the family of James Wickham, consisting of five members, were taken violently ill immediately after dinner. The cause was a mystery, but subsequent investigation points to the belief that they were poisoned. The following facts in relation to the affair are taken from the Record. Walter Wickham, a nephew of James Wickham, has been arrested on suspicion and lodged in jail.

There were five persons of the family of James Wickham, who were poisoned. They were Mr. Jas. Wickham and wife, Emma and John Wickham, and Grace Oram, eight year old daughter of Arthur Oram, whose wife is a daughter of James Wickham. Mrs. Wickham is reported to-day to be very low and Miss Emma Wickham is also in bad condition. The others are in better health but all are suffering from the effects of the dose. The affair is a puzzle. Circumstances at present seem to indicate to the officers that the young man arrested was the perpetrator of an attempt to murder a whole family. Whether he is the person and if so, whether he is sane are undetermined points. We learn that about eight years ago, young Wickham made an attempt to poison himself, and later attempted it again. He is said to be given to strange visions during which he imagines that various persons are seeking his life. Wickham's first attempt at suicide was by paris green, his second by swallowing buttons, pins, etc., all of which his stomach seemed to have resisted. On Monday evening Walter's cousin's Frank and John, were with him and everything that passed between them was of a friendly nature. That night after Walter retired he imagined or so claimed that his cousins had tried to poison him. Tuesday he visited Mrs. Charles Sanders, wife of a cousin, and asked for and obtained a phial, but for what purpose is not learned. On Thursday near noon, Walter was again at the home of his uncle, while the women of the family were preparing dinner, and it is said he was several times left alone in the room during the time. He did not take dinner there, and went away before the meal was ready. At the conclusion of the dinner Mrs. Wickham on rising from the table was seized with violent pain in the stomach, and the other members of the family became ill in the same manner, all within 20 minutes after the dinner was eaten. The little girl, Grace Oram, who was attending school, had nearly reached the school building when she was attacked in like manner as the others. Dr. Seger was called and found the symptoms to be those of arsenic poisoning, and administered antidotes. It was imagined that perhaps the tea drank contained some poisonous substance, but an analysis of some of it by the young doctor disclosed nothing poisonous.

—SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT, OCTOBER 1, 1885

For this report returns have been received from 777 correspondents representing 625 townships. Five hundred and nine of these returns are from 367 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

The number of acres of wheat threshed up to about September 25, in the southern four tiers of counties, as shown by the records kept by threshers, was 249,251, the yield from which was 5,203,982 bushels,—an average of 20 and 88-hundredths bushels per acre.

The number of acres threshed in the northern counties was 46,789; yield, 892,559 bushels; average 19 and 8-hundredths bushels per acre.

The yield per acre in the southern counties is 17-hundredths of a bushel more, and in the northern counties 2 and 22-hundredths bushels less than reported in September.

Multiplying the acres in wheat in each county of the southern four tiers by the average yield per acre in the same county, and the acres in the northern counties by the average yield per acre in those counties, and adding the products we obtain 30,837,361 bushels as the probable total total yield in the state. This is 411,984 bushels less than the September estimate.

This is our final estimate of the wheat crop of 1885. It is believed to be as accurate as can be obtained at this date. Correspondents have secured the reports from threshings at great cost to themselves of time and labor. They have done all in their power to make the report accurate. If the average yield per acre in any case is too high it must be due either to an under-statement of acreage by farmers, or to a failure of threshers to note down for all jobs the acres, as well as the bushels threshed. The high averages in certain counties, particularly Genesee, Ingham, Lapeer, Livingston and Shiawassee, suggest that the threshers' records were not in every case reliable, but all reasonable allowance for errors from this source will not reduce the aggregate product in the State below thirty million bushels.

Wheat in stack has been considerably damaged by rain. Comparatively few stacks have wholly escaped injury. No attempt has been made to accurately estimate the amount of damage done, but it is quite certain that in numerous instances the loss from this cause will very nearly equal the extra profits anticipated from an exceptionally large yield.

To the question, which variety of wheat has given the highest yield per acre, 231 correspondents in the southern four tiers of counties answer Clawson, 86 Fultz, 36 Egyptian, 6 Lancaster, and 57 answers are divided between 22 other varieties. To the question, which variety has given the second highest yield, 110 answer Clawson, 100 Fultz, 78 Egyptian, and 59 Lancaster. To the question, which variety is third in order of yield, 41 answer Clawson, 78 Fultz, 70 Egyptian and 59 Lancaster. In the northern counties the Clawson leads all other varieties.

In the southern four tiers of counties 110,827 acres of oats threshed yielded 4,020,475 bushels; an average of 36 and 28-hundredths bushels per acre; and in the northern counties 31,683 acres threshed yielded 1,096,774 bushels, an average of 34 and 62-hundredths bushels per acre.

The number of acres of barley reported threshed in the State is 9,244, yielding 237,076 bushels, an average of 25 and 37-hundredths bushels per acre.

The condition of clover sown this year is reported at 87 per cent, the comparison being with vitality and growth of average years.

Corn is estimated to yield 67 bushels of ears, or about 33 bushels of shelled corn per acre in the southern counties, and 58 bushels of ears, or about 29 bushels of shelled corn per acre in the northern counties.

Potatoes will yield in the southern counties 78 per cent, and in the northern counties 90 per cent, of an average crop. There is very general complaint of heavy loss by rotting.

Winter apples will yield about one-half of an average crop.

Auction Sale.

Thomas Adams will sell at Auction at his residence 3 miles east of Britton, on County line, on Wednesday, Oct. 28, 1885, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following property: Three 2 yr. old steers, 1 sucking colt, 4 cows, three fresh milch, two yearling steers, one 2 year old heifer, one yearling heifer and one yearling Bull, 10 grade Shropshiredown ewes, 3 work horses, 1 full Shropshiredown Ram, 3 ram lambs grade; 4 brood sows, 1 with 5 pigs; 3 young sows, 1 boar pig, 50 cords of block stovewood, quantity 4 foot wood, 10 tons Timothy hay, straw stack, etc. Terms all sums of $5 and less, cash; all sums over $5, 12 months credit with interest at 7 per cent. Frank Davidson, Auctioneer.

There is no better household magazine than Demorest's Monthly; and the November number fully sustains its well-earned reputation. The stories are especially good, and the articles entitled "The city of Flowers," "London in July," and "The Two Great Poets of the Century," are admirable. "From Pencil to Brush" is continued, and the household suggestions are numerous and valuable. Many of the articles in this magazine are profusely illustrated, thus adding to their interest. This number is adorned with a steel engraving, as a frontispiece, and two suggestive plates, "Then and Now."

A prominent feature of the Magazine of American History for November will be an elegantly illustrated paper on the "Wadsworth House at Genesseo," by Frederic G. Mather, with portraits of James Wadsworth, the philanthropist, and of General James S. Wadsworth, who fell in the late civil War.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 2, 1885.

WHY HE COMES NOT.

She stands at the garden gate to-night
No word does the maiden speak;
But her eyes are full of an anxious light,
And a tear-drop gleams like a diamond bright
On the rose of her velvet cheek.

The sun in its glory has long since set,
The robin has ceased its song;
With our baby's prattle the cabin is wet,
The toil of the day and he comes not yet.
Oh, why does he stay so long?

In vain she seeks to restrain her fears
As the precious minutes fleet;
And her heart is full of wild doubts and fears
As the twilight slightly and changes her cheer
For the sobbing of her lover's sweet.

Oh, temptress maid at the garden gate,
I pray thee wed to-night;
But yet there is time for the hour is late,
For thy lover's promise no longer wait,
He will not appear to-night.

Pain would the youth to thy side have flown,
But he hath a change of clothes,
For his washerwoman has put one gone,
To his shirts and so his clothes hold on
Till he pays up the bill he owes.

—*Bell's Courier.*

WRONGLY SENTENCED.

An Innocent Man Set Free After Five Years' Confinement.

A Story That Shows How Misleading Circumstantial Evidence May Be—The Danger of Entirely Relying on Such Testimony.

"The hardships and wrongs incurred by convictions upon circumstantial evidence and mistaken identity are well illustrated in a case which came under my notice and with which I had something to do, which shows its uncertainty and the danger of relying entirely upon such testimony, however clear and convincing," remarked Matthew Adams, bailiff of the Colorado Supreme Court, to a press representative. Continuing, he said:

"In 1878 there was a man by the name of Mills arrested in Portland, Me., for arson, and delivered by the officer making the arrest into my custody as Sheriff of the county. He was charged with setting fire to the dwelling in which he then resided, belonging to one Haley. Mills was earnest and vehement in his denial of any knowledge of the origin of the fire. He was well and favorably known as a law-abiding and industrious citizen, enjoying the confidence of the community, and his neighbors were loath to believe him guilty of a capital crime.

"His protestations of innocence were of no avail, and, upon examination, the police magistrate found probable cause and he was held without bail to await the action of the grand jury. Some weeks elapsed before his indictment and time of trial, and I had frequent conversations with him relating to the circumstances of the fire. His manner, quiet manner and gentlemanly deportment made under my charge, his assertions, honest and straightforward statement asserting his entire innocence of the crime, excited my sympathy in his behalf and I became quite convinced he was innocent, and that the real criminal was still at large and unknown to the officers.

"Nothing occurred which cast any new light upon the crime, and the community generally came to believe in his guilt. The grand jury returned an indictment for arson against him, setting fire to a dwelling house in the night time, with intent to burn the same, for which the punishment under the laws of that State was death.

"He was put upon his trial on the indictment. He was defended by eminent and able counsel, and the petit jury was composed of upright and intelligent citizens, some of whom knew him well.

"His trial consumed seven days, and during the whole time he sat with calm, pale face, watching its progress with apparent indifference. His wife and lovely daughter—his only child—met him every morning as he was brought from the jail to the court-room, and they both sat by his side through all the hours of each day, showing a devotion and loving solicitude that was pathetic. He was a proud man and one could see that he keenly felt the humiliation and stigma of the occasion, but he was a brave man, and faced the charge with an unflinching confidence that he would be finally acquitted. The testimony and argument of the counsel was concluded; the oral charge of the court to the jury was given and the jury retired.

"During their deliberation upon the verdict which would restore him to liberty and the bosom of his family or to a solitary cell and final execution, Mills was apparently unmoved. When the jury finally brought in their verdict of guilty the unfortunate man seemed stunned for a moment, and his wife was so overcome that the officers were obliged to remove her, while his daughter, with loving devotion, remained by her father's side, her hand in his, trying to cheer and comfort him. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court, pending which Mills was remanded to the custody of the jailer to await the judgment of the appellate court. Upon review, the Supreme Court affirmed the judgment.

"Nothing now remained for the trial court to do but to pass the dread sentence. Mills was again brought into court and was sentenced to one year's solitary imprisonment and then to be hanged by the neck until he be dead, and 'may God have mercy on your soul' were the final words that fell from the lips of the presiding judge, like a knell on the poor condemned man's last hope.

"It became my duty, under the mandate of the court, to remove him to the State prison in execution of the sentence. I will not dwell upon the agony of the final parting from his wife and daughter at the jail, while both clung to him in an agony of despair. With a voice full of love and tenderness he told them to be of good cheer, to be hopeful, that he was innocent, and soon he would return to them again; and commending them to his Heavenly Father, who had said, 'I will never leave thee nor forsake thee,' he turned to me and said he was ready to go.

"There were five other prisoners who had been sentenced to various terms at hard labor, also awaiting removal to the penitentiary. We took evening passage by steamer for Rockland. I roped the five together, placing them in the cabin on main deck. After the moorings were cast off I myself, Mills and the quarter deck. I did not shackle the irons upon his wrists, not that I desired or intended to give him more liberty or better treatment than that we extended to the other prisoners on board, but looking upon him as an innocent victim of circumstances than as a felon I shrank from driving the iron fetters into his wrists.

"The steamer had crossed through the inner channel, passed Fort Williams Head, and was well out in the bay when we reached the middle of the city's lights were far behind us, the clear rays of the moon light lent a brilliancy along the steamer's course, and the water's glassy surface looked like burnished silver. The moon was shining clear and bright.

"No one could be seen as we passed the deck forward and aft except the helmsman at the wheel and the watch on the starboard bow. Mills was calm, but there was despair in his every movement and written in every lineament of his pale face. In a few hours I should deliver him to the warden to enter upon his solitary confinement before execution of the death sentence.

"We were standing alone just abaft the wheelhouse, looking out upon the moonlit waters, when I turned, and, facing before him with one hand upon his shoulder, I reminded him that he had been under my charge for several months, that during all that time his deportment had been unexceptionable, that he had been granted a fair and impartial trial—he had been defended by able and honest counsel—and while I believed his guilt, the presumption was too great and the evidence too circumstantial, too strong for the jury to report a different verdict from the one announced, and I said to him he could have no hope of executive clemency in his behalf that he was guilty within the jury had so declared and the court had so adjudged, and nothing could be gained now by falsehood or equivocation. I charged him to tell me the truth relating to the fire, and the poor condemned man quickly turned toward me, the light sea breeze fanning the cold locks back from his brow, the reflection of the pale moon and starlight upon his face, so full of hopelessness, and resting one hand upon my shoulder, and with the other raised toward heaven, he said:

"'Realizing the awful doom awaiting me, after the year of anguish and torture, my soul cries out to the God of the south to pronounce upon me, I am to suffer an ignominious death, that my hope of heaven I know or care little, I know no more than that I am glorified upon yourself. O what a wicked fool I should be to make such a declaration! I have received but kindness at your hands during my months of imprisonment. I am not saying that my trial was not a fair one. I find no fault with the judge, jury, and my counsel were able, honest and faithful in my behalf. Yes, I repeat, and this is all that is left me to say, a fatal error leads me—that grave, dark, fearful grave, which I am soon to enter—I am innocent.'

"The poor man staggered like one struck a blow on the deck. Never before was I so impressed upon any occasion. He was silent for a moment. His words impressed me strongly. I could not judge of the character, and then I made a promise that I would do all in my power to save him from the gallows.

"I hastened home with the other prisoners I had in charge to the warden of the prison with papers of commitment. I could make no stay, as the steamer was starting for my return to the city immediately. I hurriedly bade him good bye, and told he had no fear that I would not forget him. It was painful to see that strong man pining to me, weeping like a child, until he was forcibly removed by the turnkey.

"Upon my return to Portland I at once conferred with the county attorney, and communicated to him my experience and my firm belief in Mills' innocence. He heartily seconded my efforts, and we soon had a petition signed by the judge who presided at the trial, eleven of the jury who composed the trial panel, the county attorney, and nearly all the county and city officers, with a large number of prominent citizens. The prayer of the petition was that the Governor commute his sentence to imprisonment for life. It was presented to his counsel, the Governor granted the prayer, and Mills' life was saved.

"Some five years later, at nine o'clock in the morning, a white-haired man, weighed down with sorrow, came into my office and inquired for me. An apparent stranger stood in the doorway. He looked earnestly for a moment, and, seeing no recognition in my face, with a sad, tremulous voice, he said: 'Is it possible you have forgotten me?' Not until then did I know that he was the same man who five years before had been convicted and sentenced to death for a crime he never committed. Noticing my astonishment at seeing him again in Portland and at liberty, he at once explained that the warden had received a telegram from the Governor ordering his immediate and unconditional release.

"In explanation of this action by the executive, I will simply state that some years after Mills' conviction a notorious character was arrested in the city for highway robbery, for which he was indicted, tried, convicted, and sentenced to thirteen years at hard labor, and was confined in the same penitentiary where Mills had so long suffered.

"His dissipated habits had already destroyed his health, consequently he soon broke down under the rigors of prison discipline. Death was fast approaching him; its terrors aroused his scarred conscience to right a terrible wrong. Having sent for the warden, the dying criminal confessed that it was he who had set fire to the dwelling by throwing a roll of cloth saturated with petroleum through the window and under the bed of the sleeping occupants that he was incited to inflict this cruel wrong upon Mills in revenge for an old time grudge and enmity against him.

"The saddest part of it all was that, after having endured all these years of punishment he came back to find his daughter and only child dead, and his faithful, loving, devoted wife totally blind.

"Circumstantial evidence, while in its general character often seems more reliable than the oral testimony of living witnesses, who may be prejudiced or biased, is, nevertheless, sometimes too strong—proves too much, and is liable to be misapplied."—*Denver Tribune-Republican.*

THE CHARTER OAK.

Historical Trees to Be Found in All Parts of the World.

On August 20, 1866, was blown down the famous oak called Charter Oak, a tree which for many years was the object of veneration, because it was believed that it had been the means of saving the charter of the State of Connecticut. The Winfarthing Oak in England, now white and hollow, measuring some seventy feet in circumference and capable of holding in its cavity not fewer than thirty persons, was called the Old Oak as far back as the days of William the Conqueror. What is known as the Salcey Forest Oak, a really picturesque ruin, and the object of many pilgrimages, is supposed to be 1,500 years old. It measures forty-seven feet round near the ground, and has a cavity fourteen feet eight inches, and is twenty-nine feet in circumference inside. The Chandos Oak, near Southgate, on the grounds of Michendon House, is sixty feet high and eighteen feet three inches in diameter. When in full foliage it forms a magnificent natural canopy, and has the appearance of a gigantic tent. In 1788, there fell to the ground one of the oldest and most honored trees in England. It was called Magdalen Oak, or the Great Oak of Oxford. It was called the Old Oak by way of distinction when Magdalen was founded, and it was supposed to have been a sapling when Alfred the Great founded the university. There was at one time on Mount Etna a chestnut tree, which measured 204 feet in circumference; and in the hollow some country people contrived to construct a house in which they lived. There is a yew tree near Staines, called the Oakerwike Yew, which is supposed to be at least one thousand years old. It was at this tree Henry VIII. was in the habit of meeting Anne Boleyn, while she was residing at Staines, and within sight of it was signed England's great charter. It measured twenty-seven feet eight inches. Remarkable trees are to be found in all the old countries. They are numerous in France, Italy, Spain, Germany and Austria. At the site of Heliopolis, about seven or eight miles from Cairo, Egypt, the traveler is shown a tree, still in life, but dreadfully hacked with the knives of strangers, where, according to tradition, Joseph and Mary and the infant Jesus found a temporary resting place. Our own Wellingtonias, 450 feet high, sixty feet in circumference, a date back as far, perhaps, as the days when, as Dr. Lindley puts it, "Sam-on was slaying his Philistines." Time would fail, also, to tell of the famous forests and parks and avenues which have commanded the admiration of many generations.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

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"Naw!"

"Got the ager?"

"Naw!"

"Some big boy gin ye a lickin' for sassin' him?"

"Naw—g'way!"

"Jim, hain't I yer pardner? Can't ye trust yer best friend? Now, what is it? Are ye in luv?"

"Um!"

"Is she beautiful?"

"Yes."

"Rich and tony?"

"You bet!"

"And there is a wide social gulf between you?"

"Um—yes."

"And her parents are implacable?"

"Yes."

"Then, Jim, cheer up. I'll stand by ye. I'll get a note to her. I'll help ye plan the lopement. I'll lend ye my rope-ladder and Sunday coat and silver watch-chain, and I'll gin ye five nickels to help you out on a bridal tower. Come, Jim—come down the alley and help me eat a muskmelon and three herrings. I've been there, and I know. When a gal's implacable dad stands between her and the kid who wants to call her his'n it takes herrings—herrings with worms in 'em—three for a cent—to pull his pining soul back into the socket. Come, old pard."—*Detroit Free Press.*

SIZING HIM UP.

How an Experienced Mother Ascertained the Financial Standing of Her Daughter's Lover.

"What were you and that John Murphy talking about so long last night?" asked Mrs. Chinkle of her daughter.

"O, he was telling me about himself and his people, his hopes and aspirations."

"Um—um," murmured the old lady, "he told you all that, did he?"

"Yes, mamma; and he told me what he was worth, too."

The old lady became interested.

"Ah," said she, "he told you that, did he?"

"Yes, mamma."

"And how much did he say he was worth?"

"Nothing, mamma."

"I thought so, or it wouldn't have taken him so long to tell it."

"O, mamma—" pleaded the girl.

"Don't 'O, mamma' me," interrupted the mother, "I know all about that sort of stock, and you can send him word that if he comes here again he'd better wear a life preserver."—*Merchant Traveler.*

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FASHION NOTES.

New York Styles and Oddities in a Nutshell.

Bustles are worn lower down.

The days of flounces are no more.

Plush will be very fashionable again.

English styles are more popular than ever.

The shelf-like bustle is no longer in fashion.

The tailor-made suit is the popular fall frock.

Turbans are the correct hats for windy days.

Children's frocks are made with waists again.

Molière fronts are seen only on house dresses.

We are to have another velvet and velveteen season.

Braid is again in fashion, but for cloth dresses only.

Large rosary beads are used in dress ornamentation.

Children will wear a great deal of navy blue combined with scarlet.

Capes, fichus and short mantles will all be worn for early fall wraps.

The bustle is moribund. It is sinking lower and is less pronounced in form.

Even little girls' dresses are made with plain skirts bordered, not flounced.

Thibet cloth, with boucle borders, appears among light wools for fall wear.

Large flat buttons are the style for street jackets, Newmarkets and long ulsters.

Scarlet and dark navy blue are introduced in combination costumes and carriage jackets.

Young girls wear sailor hats this fall; but they are very easy to blow off in a high wind.

Small bonnets, with strings, are worn by matrons, but not by young girls, on the other side.

Motifs of cork cut in fanciful designs are introduced into dress trimmings by English dress tailors.

New woolens woven to simulate lace over grounds of contrasting color are termed Henri II. guipure.

Another season of lace is predicted, and indicated by the first importations of dresses, hats, and bonnets.

Waistcoats, which are a feature in fall frocks, are narrower and frequently in a point at the waist line.

A new ribbed velveteen, the counterpart of cordaroy, but in lighter weight, takes the name of *corde de la reine*.

Dress bodices, basques, jackets and round waists all have waistcoats more frequently than any other finish.

The English walking jacket and the Newmarket coat are brought again this fall, and in more severely plain styles than ever.

Golden brown plush cuffs, collars, and waistcoats are seen on some very jaunty white Jersey jackets, gilt buttons adding to the dressy effect.

The new hats have crowns higher than ever. The new bonnets are very small, but are trimmed all on top, to look as tall as possible.

None but young ladies and brides should wear hats. The bonnet is the proper out-of-door head gear for a married woman, the bride of a year ago.

Some of the handsomest fancy woolen cloths show very dark green interwoven with two shades of blue, describing a small check on the dark green ground.

Wood, lead, porcelain, glass, and gold beads of large and various sizes are used to make passementeries, motifs, braids, and galloons as decorative as possible.

The jersey jackets have seams just like any other jacket or basque, and the waistcoat is the almost invertable feature in the latest importations and production of the articles.

Parisian women are trimming their high hats at the back instead of in front as we do in America, but the trimming is so arranged as to fall over the top and reach the front of the crown.

Draped tabliers and tunics are still worn by fashionable women when the frock is made of supple and plastic fabric, but, as a rule, the new goods are so heavy as to make plain skirts with no draping or looping to speak of a necessity and the rule.—*N. Y. Sun.*

A GOOSE FARM.

A Virginia Idea Which Has Proved to be Profitable.

There is a goose ranch located on the eastern shore of Virginia, covering nearly 3,000 acres, over which the feathered occupants, nearly 5,000, are free to roam. The farm is devoted exclusively to producing the raw materials needed for the fine down quilts. Several species of geese are bred, all of them being, however, of American lineage. The largest specimens are the swan-geese, and the plumage of all is of snowy whiteness. The birds are regularly fed with corn and other grains, and are given the utmost freedom consistent with the prevention of straying and loss. Herders are employed to keep a watchful eye on them, and sheds for shelter are provided in case of inclement or especially severe weather, but the birds rarely use them. About every six weeks the plucking takes place. Only the breast and portions of the sides are touched, the feathers of the back, the wings and the tail being left intact. It requires nearly one hundred average geese to furnish a pound of down, though the smaller feathers, which are also taken, weigh much heavier. These feathers, however, form an entirely separate grade from the valuable down. The average life of a goose is said to be about forty years, and they produce from six to ten eggs per annum, a large proportion of which are hatched. A bird hatched in February is in condition for plucking the following August, and so on thereafter every six or eight weeks. The feathers are packed in sacks, and sent to the Philadelphia factory, where they are trimmed, washed, steamed and otherwise prepared for their ultimate uses.—*Western Rural.*

—An Irishman on a New York steamer told to run up the American flag, managed to get the stars and stripes upside down, and several boats went to the steamer's assistance because of the signal of distress.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM R. KING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 28th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Susan A. Wickwire, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate, with the will annexed, may be granted to Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person. James Sherrard, the executor nominated in said will having become a resident of a foreign country.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of October, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor in Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is in part at least a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay and is past due, and that Edwin B. Wood was duly appointed administrator of said estate and accepted that trust and that said Edwin B. Wood has deceased without having fully administered said estate, and praying that Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person be appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate. And it appearing to the Court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Britain, a foreign country having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this Court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the city of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for the hearing of the same, and the court having this day notified such consul by letter addressed to the Consul of Great Britain in the City of New York, deposited in the postoffice in Adrian, with the postage prepaid, a letter-press copy of which there is now on file in this Court.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF WILLIAM TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Taylor, an insane person.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles C. Tefft, guardian of said insane person, praying for the allowance of his second annual account as such guardian.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 2nd day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said ward, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF THOMAS H. MARSHALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 6th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas H. Marshall deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Garrett Marshall, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased alleging that he has paid the debts and general expenses of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate and the legacies under said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Charles J. Brewer, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the sixth day of November, 1885, and on the fifth day of April, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the fifth day of October 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 5th, 1885.
CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. MCKINNON,
Commissioners.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of William Kuder, in the Township of Clinton, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the tenth day of November, 1885, and on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1886, at one o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 29th day of September, A. D. 1885, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated October 1st, 1885.
GEORGE HOWELL,
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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 22, 1885

Several of the gas lights in the city of Adrian were found burning at seven o'clock last Tuesday morning.—That new gas engine in the Press office is raising thunder generally.

The annual Ohio tribulation, which they call an election, is over for this year. Judge Foraker is elected by a plurality of about 15,000, but the legislature is still in doubt. It will require the official count to decide the complexion of that body.

Now is the time to put up stoves, fix the cellar windows, calk up the cracks in the doors, fill the wood shed and the coal bin, buy your woolen socks and arctic overshoes, and get your wife a seal skin sacque. Don't wait 'till the snap comes and then curse the weather clerk for your own negligence.

The Adrian Press says: "Captain White and Capt. McDonald, a couple of Salvation Army officers from abroad were here last Sunday and inspected the barracks. They found things in good shape for the fall campaign."

This is good news as far as it goes, but we are anxious to learn whether they inspected the editor of the Record, and if so, in what shape they found him.

President Cleveland is gaining a reputation for possessing a large fund of old fashioned, homely, common sense. Here is the latest evidence of it, taken from an exchange:

Careful students of the baby kissing question at the White House have discovered one thing. The President kisses some babies, but not all. He draws the line at the boys, which shows that Grover is a good deal like other old bachelors.

The Adrian Record of last Thursday has a lengthy editorial giving the reasons for the Democratic defeat in Ohio. The editor formerly resided in that state about sixteen months, and gives some of his personal observations while a resident. He thinks the chief cause of Democratic defeat is the fact that the leaders and workers of that party are generally men without character or respectability. In other words the grog shops seem to run the party down in Ohio. It is evident that a good many Ohio voters took that view of it at the last election. The returns show that 30,000 Prohibition votes were polled, at least one-half of which were voted by former Democrats. Gov. Hoadley's truckling to the liquor element laid him out. John Sherman's flaunting of the bloody shirt may have laid him out also, as the legislature is still in doubt. Had the Democratic convention possessed the wisdom to declare unequivocally for Allen G. Thurman for U. S. Senator, a Democratic legislature would have been returned beyond a doubt. If the election should finally result in the defeat of Gov. Hoadley and in the choice of the Old Roman, Allen G. Thurman, to the U. S. Senate, most people outside of Ohio would consider it a pretty good day's work for a rainy day.

To a person with an analytic turn of mind, the most interesting portions of our neighborhood correspondence are the items about the weather.—They are as timely as a frost on the fourth of July and as variegated as a crazy quilt. Last week's HERALD contained an unusual number of excellent letters from our township correspondents, and the subject of the weather was not neglected.

The Brooklyn scribe said: "The weather for the past week has been very changeful. Snow and rain have fallen alternately with now and then a day of sunshine. When shall we have our Indian summer?"

From the Raisin Valley came these cheerful tidings: "The pleasant weather following the two weeks of clouds and rain is enjoyed by all."

Ridgeway informs us that it is as "fine fall weather as one could ask for."

The Britton cor., who lives nearly two miles distant from Ridgeway says: "The weather is not very favorable to farmers."

Our Tipton sub-editor takes a practical view of the situation and remarks: "The last specimen of weather that Old Probabilities sends along reminds one of the potatoes in New York, altogether too soft for practical purposes."

Our patrons can pay their money and take their choice. Terms $1.50 a year; club rates with other newspapers. Now is the time to subscribe.

WATER WORKS—PIPES VS. CISTERNS.

EDITOR OF HERALD:

Posted in public places in our village may be seen notices, calling for sealed proposals to construct, according to specifications given, a cistern to be used as a water supply for fire purposes. The specifications are novel, such as would not be given by any person who had studied any branch of civil engineering. The person whose bid is accepted must give ample security, *"He is not to receive a dollar until the cistern is tested and found to be all right."*

In the construction of public works a competent Engineer is usually employed to make the specifications. The contractor is only required to give security that he will do the work *according to the* specifications. To make him responsible for defects in the specifications would be very unjust. He is not allowed to exercise his own judgement. If he does his work according to the specification why should he be responsible for the errors of the engineer or village officials? Much lower bids would be received if the contractor was relieved from a responsibility *that does not properly belong to him.* If the Board distrust their own plans they should withdraw them, and not endeavor to throw the responsibility and loss incurred by their errors upon our mechanics.

If I employ a carpenter to do work for me, tell him how to do it, and the work proves defective in design, *I will pay him,* and so I believe would every member of the Board. *The people of Tecumseh expect their officials to do business the same way.*

The specifications are not only novel; they are radically defective. It is to be a *rectangular* cistern, twenty-five feet long and seventeen feet wide in the clear, the walls thirteen feet high and the arch to have a rise of two and one half feet; walls to be one foot thick and man hole four feet below the street. A cistern of almost any form may be made in a tenacious clay, that would of itself retain water; but the great bed of gravel beneath our village will require the best form of cistern for the purpose. The flat walls 13x25 feet, and floor 17x25 are not the right form to resist the pressure of earth from without or water from within at the depth specified. Every foot of the way will have to be planked and shored to prevent caving while excavating, and the walls will have to be shored as the work proceeds, and the shores allowed to remain.

In cisterns of masonry all angles should be avoided. The bottom should be semi spherical and the sides circular, resting upon the bottom in such a manner that the weight of masonry and earth will tend to press the bottom together. In this "rectangular" cistern there would be a rupture between the bottom and the sides. But I only speak of the defects in these specifications in order to show that a system so defective in details cannot be satisfactory as a whole. I am opposed to the system. A good deal has been accomplished in fifty years and I am not content to have Tecumseh adopt the modes and systems of that time. We do not need any covered ponds of stagnant water at our street corners, for we have an unlimited supply of clear cold water about 25 feet below the surface, under 20 feet of gravel. It is a munificent gift. But few cities or villages are so blessed. A system that only contemplates its use for fire purposes by the use of tanks is not worth a moment's consideration. It has nothing to commend it: not even the advantages of economy. We should study the best way to raise this water and furnish it *for all purposes.* This is not a question for a lawyer, a merchant or farmer to decide. The old saying that "you cannot beat a man at his own trade" holds good in this case. It is not "in my line" hence I will not attempt to give a specification, but simply make some suggestions "to all whom it may concern." Let us sink a well say ten feet in diameter to a depth of ten feet below the water on the lot occupied by the Council Building or the one adjoining. Erect a small building, buy a boiler and a pump of Worthington, Holley or Walker manufacture, and connect the pump with extra strong pipe running two blocks in each direction from the corner of Chicago and Railroad street. Smaller pipes may be used to carry the water to more distant parts of the village. By means of valves the pressure could at any time be confined to the business portion of the village which would be as thoroughly protected as any city. We would have a modern system economically established that could be extended as the revenues of the village justified. Why cannot this or something better be done?

A PIPE.

One of the interesting features of the November Harper's will be some personal recollections of the late Lord Houghton, from the pen of Hon. John Bigelow, who weaves into his paper a number of interesting anecdotes of other great men in the acquaintance of Lord Houghton, among them Louis Napoleon, Gladstone, and our own Bryant.

Farmers say that potatoes are rotting badly.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

The Minden fair has been postponed to Oct. 20-21.

Chas. J. Strang has been made post master at Charlevoix.

The schools at Oxford have closed on account of scarlet fever.

Bicycle riding on the streets of Battle Creek has been prohibited.

Work on the life saving station at Holland commences this week.

Mrs. Ann Newton, of Pontiac, has captured 170 premiums at five fairs.

Marcellus township, Cass county, has paid bounty on 523 Woodchuck scalps.

Rev. E. H. Squiers has accepted a call to the Universalist church at Lansing.

John Smith, a farmer living near Bronson, has raised 20 acres of Hubbard squashes.

A thirty-foot vein of iron ore has been struck at St. Ignace. Excitement is very high.

Abel Randolph's residence at Morenci burned Wednesday night, last week. Loss $800.

Aaron Van Patton's barn near Berrien Springs burned Thursday. Loss $4,000, fully insured.

James Wooley, the oldest resident of Gratiot county, died at Bannister, last week, aged 97 years.

Coldwater belies its name by harboring 16 places where firewater is sold, not including drug stores.

John M. Galloup, of Battle Creek, who was stricken with paralysis, is reported as slightly improved.

Reuben Bird, of Hudson township, who died recently, aged 75, was the founder of the village of Clayton.

The faculty of Lombard University has just taken as a member Augusta J. Chapin, A. M., of the University.

About 600 men will get work on the T. & A. A. extension as soon as the right of way through Howell is obtained.

Bronson's new postoffice will be in the bank building and will be a model of beauty and convenience when completed.

There are 27 cases of small pox at Mannette, a small town near Menominee. The disease was brought from Montreal.

Stanton has completed 9,250 feet of water pipe and 13 new two story buildings. Several more and a large hotel are to follow.

Stephen Brooks, of Bronson, a badly crippled soldier, has just been granted a pension of $8 per month, from September, 1882.

About 100 students at the agricultural college have joined the military class—beating their ploughshares into swords, as it were.

A two year old son of Conductor Bridges, of the M. C. R. R., was drowned in a cistern at his father's residence, in East Saginaw, last week.

Rev. M. W. Fairfield, former president of Olivet college, and later pastor of Muskegon congregational church, has accepted a call to Ypsilanti.

A company of farmers about Hudson have returned from a prospecting tour to Virginia with the usual conclusion that "Michigan is good enough for them."

Judd Crouch has raised over 13,000 bushels of wheat on the Crouch farm this season, the crop being one of the finest of the many phenomenally fine yields in Michigan.

E. F. Ray, of Coldwater, keeps 27 teams on the road gathering in poultry, has 20 hands in his packing house and about 7,000 chickens are killed and shipped each week.

Dr. A. W. Eldredge, of Big Rapids, has perfected a machine for sawing off stumps close to the ground, which promises to be in big demand in the country of pine stumps.

George Runcelman, a Mt. Pleasant lad looked into a revolver last week, which discharged and blew out his right eye. The bullet in his head has not yet been found, but he is still alive.

Marcellus is not a paradise for wives. One man excited the populace by whipping his spouse in his store last week, and another quarreled and shot at the partner of his woes with a revolver, but did not injure her and escaped arrest.

A festive soap agent talked so glibly at Hillsdale that one of the way-up young ladies fell a victim to his charms. An elopement followed, but the girl repented, returned to her father's house, the fatted calf was brought into play, the soap agent reappeared, and a wedding was improvised.

The state board of health, in view of the danger from small pox, has addressed a letter to the health officer of each township, requesting a statement of whether there is a lumbering camp in the township, and if so, the location, name of each, and the names and postoffice addresses of the owners, contractors or foreman. It also urges upon the local officers the importance of personally urging the vaccination of all persons, and the careful guarding of any case that may occur, and offers to furnish pure bovine virus.

"LIBERTY ENLIGHTENING THE WORLD."

We learn from the American Committee of the Statue of Liberty that the Granite Pedestal is nearly completed, and the work of erecting Bartholdi's great statue will soon commence, and for this purpose a considerable amount of money is still required. The New York World Fund of $100,000 completes the Pedestal, but it is estimated that $40,000 is yet needed to pay for the iron fastenings and the erection of the Statue, and for this they rely upon the subscriptions for the miniature Statuettes, which are being received from all sections of the country, the Committee promptly filling all orders.

The No. 1, or One Dollar Statuette, has found a place in thousands of homes; the No. 2, or Five Dollar size is fast gaining in popularity, and justly too, for it is a work of art and well worth the money.

To supply a demand for something still finer, the Committee have just completed a No. 3 Statuette, finely chased by hand, and by a patent process heavily plated with silver which will not tarnish or discolor, mounted upon a beautiful plush base, and furnished to subscribers at Ten Dollars each.

These souvenirs are now being delivered to all parts of the United States on receipt of subscription price.

All remittances should be addressed to RICHARD BUTLER, Secretary, 33 Mercer Street, New York.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, October 13th, '85:

Estate of James S. Cosgrove, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order allowing time to pay debts and close estate.

Estate of Gardner Powell, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Stephen Simmonds, deceased; petition and request of heirs that administrator be authorized to sell personal property; order for sale.

Estate of Ephriam R. Williard deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Julia Ann Duel, an incompetent person; guardian appointed; bond $500.

Estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased; order appointing appraisers in Kent county.

Estate of Henry Beck, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Jonas A. Dierdorff, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Laura A. Smith et al., minors; guardian files bond on sale of real estate.

Estate of Abram Hamilton, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John G. Tagsold, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration with the will annexed issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Ruth Sword, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; assignment according to will.

Estate of George R. Miller, an insane person; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Moses Bliss, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of William Dutton, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending October 13.

CLAYTON VILLAGE.

R. E. Bird to Mary Lawton. Land on Rail road street. $80.

MACON.

E. A. Hodge to Chas. Craig. Land on sec 25. $1,350.

TECUMSEH.

W. T. Owen to J. B. Pattison. Land in village. $100.

—Millinery! Millinery! Millinery!—To the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity.

Mrs. N. R. Brown is receiving an elegant stock of Fall and Winter millinery goods, comprising some of the leading novelties of the season, including a good assortment of ladies and children's hats and bonnets in the new styles and materials. Fancy feathers, birds and wings! and in fact many things in the line of millinery to suit the varied tastes. Ladies are respectfully invited to call and convince themselves that this is the place and now the time to make their selections.

MRS. N. R. BROWN.
"The Milliner."

KIES BROTHERS!

Have the LARGEST and FINEST Line of

UNDER

WEAR that can be found in town. See our child's Jersey Caps at 15c. Genuine Calf faced woolen Mitts at 50 CENTS.

KIES BROS.,

ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS,

Cloaks -:- Cloaks

To Boom our New Cloak Department

WE Have CUT on PRICES

Just when you Need a Cloak,

And not waited until the season is over. We will not ask a cent of profit on a Cloak this season.

COME IN AND GET OUR PRICES.

New Styles, Large Assortment, No Shoddy.

OUR UNDERWEAR SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co.

'85 Art Garland. '85

We have on our floor a full line of those celebrated base burners. Their wonderful success of last season has led others to attempt to imitate; beware, a careful comparison and examination will be sufficient to satisfy all of their established superiority.

The Round Oak.

Although it has hundreds of imitators, it still LEADS as the most successful wood heater manufactured. Remember that by a few dollars additional cost, the "Round Oak" can at any time be converted into a first-class self-feeding coal stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS. & BOYD.

ADAMSON BROS.,

TECUMSEH, MICH.

The Boss Jewelers of Lenawee.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

Watches! Clocks! Jewelry!

Books, Stationary, Etc.

Best Goods at Lowest Figures.

THE COLUMBUS

Is the finest American Watch made. Call and see them.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

CELERY.—Everybody wanting Celery to store away for winter use can get it at Prairie Side farm the last week of October and the first two weeks of November. Price in field $1.50 per hundred. Delivered in village in bulk, $1.75. Packed in box or tub ready to put in cellar, $2.00. Order by postal. H. L. STEWART.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of "The Library Association of Tecumseh" for the purpose of electing three directors, receiving reports of officers, election of officers and the transaction of any business that may suit the pleasure of the stockholders of said association, will be held in the Library rooms on Tuesday evening, Nov. 30, 1885, at 7 o'clock. Every stockholder is earnestly requested to be present. R. B. HOUSE, Sec.

STAMPING at Mrs. Cathin's Dressmaking shop every afternoon from 1 o'clock until 5, over Noland's shoe store. Room first door at the foot of the stairs. Waves dressed for 10 cts., hair switches colored at 25 cts. Call early, select your braid or embroidery. Oil stamping will require one day to dry. My home is opposite the Wilson hotel. MRS. C. M. WEBSTER.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—50,000 Wilson's Albany now ready for the fall planting. Price, $2.50 per thousand. ABNER WILSON.

HORSE FOR SALE.—An excellent large bay carriage horse for sale cheap. Enquire of FRED. B. WOOD.

SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

VIOLIN FOR SALE.—A first-class violin old, and sweet sounding, will be sold cheap Enquire at the HERALD OFFICE.

Sam Lee is the heathen Chinee who runs the new washee shop at Adrian.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co. call attention to their special offer on cloaks in this paper.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M. to-morrow evening. Work in the third degree.

We received a call on Tuesday from Fred Peck, an employee of the South Bend, Ind. Register, who is visiting relatives in this vic

Abner Wilson is r ring his cabbage crop from patch and finds them in condition. People can buy cabbage of him cheaper than they can raise them.

Mr. Noah Burroughs has returned from Iowa where he has been spending the summer with his son, and proposes to stay at home for a while. He enjoyed his visit west very much.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Lenawee County, will be held at Workingmen's Hall, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, Oct. 26th, at 10 o'clock A. M. A general attendance of its members is desired.

The Nimocks Brothers have purchased the Detroit Post and will take possession the first of November.—They are thoroughly trained journalists and the paper bids fair to improve under their management. They are nephews of Mrs. Nimocks, of Clinton we understand, and W. A. Nimocks published the Tecumseh HERALD during 1861 and 1862.

Rev. Wellington De Puy, of Grand Ledge, was married last week to Miss Ella Reynolds, of the same place, by ex-President D. W. C. Durgin, of Hillsdale college. There were many elegant presents, among which was a cane from President Durgin, wrought and polished by his own hand, the wood being from the forests in Brazil, the handle a rare specimen of horn from Africa, and the ferrule a coin from Iceland, discovered by the doctor during his travels in that country. —Evening News.

Mr. De Puy has hosts of friends in this vicinity who will unite with us in the compliments due the occasion.

The Pennington place, which has witnessed so many marriage ceremonies, was again the scene of wedding festivities on Wednesday evening, Oct. 14. Miss Mabel J. Aten, a niece of the sister and two brothers who remain at home, was married to Mr. George W. Stimpson, of Saline. The party consisted of the immediate relatives on both sides, and a few intimate friends. Refreshments were served after the ceremony had taken place. The bride's dress was brown silk, trimmed with white lace. The home of the newly married couple will be in Saline township.

A VETERAN POSTMASTER.

Rev. Peter Sharp, the veteran postmaster of Ridgeway, first entered upon the duties of that office Oct. 1st, 1853. The aggregate receipts of the first quarter, ending Dec. 31st., were $11.71, of which sum the postmaster pocketed $5.70 as his portion. At that time there were no aspirants for the office, and it was with some difficulty that a man was found to accept it. From Oct. 1, '56 to Sept. 30, '57, just one year, Mr. S. B. Terry served as postmaster. Samuel Rappleye was appointed his successor, but never qualified, and the office then went back into Mr. Sharp's hands who has held the position continuously from that date until now, having filled the office altogether for thirty one years, and for twenty-eight years continuously. Report says that he is the second oldest postmaster, in length of service, in the United States. During the lapse of 32 years, the service has increased from one mail a week to 12 mails a week. The office is no longer on a star route, but now receives its mails over the M. & O. Railway, and the volume of business transacted is at least ten fold greater than it was during the first three years of Mr. Sharp's incumbency. The transmutations of politics have decreed a change and he is now succeeded by Jay A. Santus. His long and faithful service deserves public recognition and acknowledgement.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 22, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Eva Perry is visiting friends at Marshall this week.

Ell Hand and his mother went to Deerfield on Tuesday last.

Alf. W. James, of Detroit, was in Tecumseh a day or two last week.

Remember the Canine Paradox; at the Opera House on Monday evening next.

M. P. Brown informs us that he has taken the western fever. Our advice is: Don't.

George Smith, of Toledo, was in town Tuesday on business connected with his paper house.

We are under obligations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Jarvis for a bountiful supply of wedding cake.

Rev. and Mrs. Babbitt and P. S. McKinnon attended the Presbyterian Synod at Detroit last week.

Geo. Bostwick and Charlie Doty started for Memphis Tenn., yesterday. They expect to stay through the winter.

Miss Lydia McNeil, who has been spending the past year with friends near Chicago, returned home yesterday.

Ed. G. J. Lauer, one of Monroe's successful business men, was in town over Sunday, the guest of Mr. Henry Smith.

Dr. H. L. Stewart has raised an immense crop of celery on his Prairie Side farm this season, and the quality equals the quantity.

Robt. L. Glen is the new postmaster at Onsted. He is an old resident, a worthy citizen and a man well qualified for the place. The appointment is a good one.

Nathan Manley takes the post office at Deerfield. We have not the pleasure of a personal acquaintance with him but report says that it is an excellent selection.

Mr. Irving Chase, of Raisin, is teaching in Roscommon Co. As Mr. Chase is a fine scholar and an excellent teacher we bespeak for him abundant success in his new field of labor.

Rev. J. M. Getchell, of this village, officiated at the funeral of Mrs. E. W. Mixer, at Adrian, last Tuesday forenoon. The services were held at the family residence on West Maumee street.

The residence of postmaster Stearns of Blissfield, was burned last Saturday night. The fire originated in the kitchen. The house was entirely destroyed, but a portion of the contents was saved.

One of the candidates at the late election in Lucas county, Ohio, was a Bohemian oat man, and he was most unmercifully scratched. The Buckeyes understand the true inwardness of the Bohemian oat scheme.

The play of Hamlet will be presented by the Adrian amateurs to-morrow evening. Mr. W. T. Moreland will assume the title role, and county clerk Bixby will officiate as first grave digger. This part is wisely assigned certainly. Dave has buried a good many political opponents in the last ten years.

Music teachers have a great partiality for this town since our musical tendencies have been shown up by the newspapers. Casting burlesque aside and coming down to hard facts, IT IS A FACT that Tecumseh possesses some first-class musical talent, and a large amount of it too. We are very glad to see our young musicians making an effort to improve themselves.

Mr. Frederick Fisher, a former employee at Smith's paper mill, who has been working at Bowerfind's bakery in Adrian for the past five years, died last week of typhoid fever. The deceased was highly esteemed where he was known, and his demise will be a severe blow to his family. The funeral was held at St. John's church last Sunday and was very largely attended.

The Hudson postoffice controversy has been settled by the appointment of W. T. B. Schermerhorn, editor of the Gazette. As viewed by an outsider this appointment strikes us a peculiarly fitting one. Mr. Schermerhorn is well equipped for the place, both by natural talents and by professional training, and we have faith that he will give entire satisfaction to the community in which he lives. The citizens of Hudson and the new post master will both receive our heartiest congratulations.

Tecumseh's enterprising music dealer, G. P. Sparks, has a new column ad. in to-day's paper, to which we invite attention. Mr. Sparks has now on hand a very large stock of pianos, organs and musical merchandise. He will make a specialty also of oil paintings, of which he will carry a large assortment. He is also agent for the White Sewing Machine and the Daisy Tricycle. He is rapidly converting his rooms into a genuine art gallery. Since the late enlargment of his store we know of no finer music rooms in Southern Michigan. People who wish any musical merchandise should give him a call.

John L. Trann was in town over Sunday last.

The central telephone office in Tecumseh has been papered over and now presents a very tasty appearance.

The patrons of the HERALD will get one paper more than they bargained for this year. There are 53 Thursdays in 1885.

Mrs. A. A. Kennedy, of Battle Creek, is visiting in Tecumseh. She arrived last Friday and will remain about ten days.

The HERALD office is now provided with a phone. We can "hello" with our business patrons without traveling to the Central office.

A large sample room has been fitted up at The Patterson, in connection with the office, which commercial travelers will find to be very convenient.

The two band's gave a street contest just before the opening of Alba Heywood's entertainment. The audience outside were treated with a pretty good free concert.

Tecumseh has a new auctioneer in the person of Frank Davidson. If he fills the bill as well as "Uncle Sim" did, he will receive many invitations to wield the mallet.

The Alba Heywood troupe put up at The Patterson last Thursday, and they were so well pleased with their accommodations that they returned to stay over Sunday.

The Michigan Central Railway Company have issued an edition of neat pamphlets giving their through and local time tables on the main line and all branches. It will be handy to have in the house.

H. B. Tallman has our thanks for a jug of new cider left at the HERALD office last week. He said: Don't mention it. All right—We'll not mention it, if he will bring in another jug full next week.

Have you seen that pumpkin at Culver's that weighs 92 pounds? It was grown by George Stacey.—Brooklyn Exponent.

This man Stacey is 'some pumpkins,' sure enough. We regret that he is none related to the editor of the HERALD.

Occasionally a newspaper man gets married. The latest is the editor of the Vermontville Echo. Of course his bride is beautiful and accomplished.—Adrian Record.

And of course the editor is rich. Poor editors don't get married these days.

Jay A. Santus has received the appointment of postmaster at Ridgeway. This is another excellent selection. Jay is just the man to handle the mail bags at Ridgeway. We believe he will fill the position with credit to himself and with satisfaction to the community.

Miss Arlie C. Merritt, grand-daughter of the late T. T. Romeyn, and a former pupil in our High School has accepted a position as teacher, at Fort Keogh, Mont., and commenced her labors Oct. 6th, under auspicious circumstances.

The young ladies benefit society of Franklin, will hold a social entertainment at Hannibal Osborns, Friday evening, Oct. 23. They have just completed a beautiful afghan which will be sold. Now boys is your chance to get an afghan for your buggy or cutter, and ride out in style with your best girl. Only twenty-five cents a ticket.

Dr. E. Hause will start for Florida on the 10th of November, and a party of about fifteen persons from this section will accompany him. Forty five persons, mostly residents of Lenawee and Hillsdale counties, have given their names to Dr. Hause, who will visit Florida during the coming winter or purchase land. Forty of them intend to visit the state.

We are indebted to Morgan Miller for a map showing the Chinese quarters of San Francisco. It is printed in colors, and gives the location of all the gambling dens, and other infamous establishments run by the Chinese. After a careful inspection of this map one can hardly wonder that the respectable residents of San Francisco would be glad to blot Chinatown out of existence.

Thos. H. Mosher, Esq., of Springville, reached his three score and tenth birthday on Sunday last. Oct. 18th. Mr. Mosher has been engaged in the merchantile business in Lenawee county for just about fifty years, but he is still hale and hearty and we hope he may continue selling goods for many years yet. The HERALD joins his numerous friends in Northern Lenawee in extending congratulations.

The great New Orleans Exposition will open on the 10th of November and continue for five months. It is confidently expected that the exhibit as a whole will surpass that of last season. We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to be present on the opening day. The President of the United States, the governors of all the states and many other distinguished personages have also been invited. It is very doubtful whether we shall be able to attend in person, but if the managers will reserve a chair for us on the platform we will endeavor to send a proxy.

C. A. Slayton went to East Saginaw Tuesday on business.

E. W. Freese and wife, of Clinton, were in town last Sunday.

Adrian will hereafter have electric lights on the paved district.

A new plank walk has been laid in front of James Lowry's grocery store.

Peter Phelps, son of Rev. J. Phelps, is now living at Marquette, Lake Superior.

Miss Anna Powers, of McGregor, Iowa, is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

Miss Lou Reynolds, of Clinton, is clerking in Sutton, Fairfield & Co's dry goods store.

Miss Maggie Everiss, of Adrian, has obtained a position in the choir of the first Presbyterian church of Detroit.

The Manchester band furnished some fine music at the rink Saturday evening, and a large crowd enjoyed it.

Mrs. W. B. Mumford, of Adrian, gives a tea party this afternoon. Several of her Tecumseh acquaintances were honored with an invitation.

L. D. Dewey has his new quarters, south of Kinney's furniture store, fixed up in good shape for storing and dressing poultry, and has already made several purchases.

The ladies of the Tecumseh and Manchester Universalist churches will hold a benefit social at Rev. J. M. Getchell's in this village on Tuesday evening next, Oct. 20th. The gentlemen are especially invited to attend.

Warren C. Dewey and family, of N. Y. city, are spending a few days on a visit among their friends in Cambridge and Tecumseh. Mr. Dewey has some notion of moving to Detroit and engaging in the practice of the law.

The theme of discourse next Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock, at the Presbyterian church will be "Temperance, and the best way to promote it." The purpose of the discourse will be to give a calm and serious discussion of a topic of living interest.

Fred. Harris, of Cambridge, has on hand 102 bushels of Bohemian oats which the Bohemian Oat Association have contracted to purchase at $1.020. At last accounts, however, his Bohemian oats were quietly slumbering in the bin and patiently waiting for a purchaser.

Monday evening, Oct. 26th, Lester & Allen's big minstrels, including John L. Sullivan, the champion of the world, will appear at the opera house, in Adrian. Tecumseh people desiring seats may secure them by telephone or letter to C. M. Croswell, Jr., at Adrian.

Good Bohemian oats can be purchased in Detroit for fifty cents a bushel. Our farmers of a speculative turn of mind are respectfully reminded of this fact. Would'nt it be a good scheme to organize an association, buy up 5,000 bushels or so at fifty cents, then send agents down among the Hoosiers and peddle them off at $10 per bushel?

Mrs. M. L. Pratt, of Chicago, agent for the National Library Association is in our city. This association furnishes all books (including school) at greatly reduced rates. The enterprise is in the interest of economy, and many leading citizens of the state who have examined into the principles governing the enterprise, give it their cordial endorsement. The association meets with success wherever presented. It looks like an exceedingly good opportunity to get books at cheap rates.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

On Thursday afternoon of last week, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Doty of this village, was thronged with a happy company to witness the marriage of their only daughter Miss Leila G. Doty to Dr. Chas. E. Jarvis, of London, Ontario. The guests assembled shortly after the noon hour and at one o'clock the bride and groom were ushered into the parlor, and the nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Leman Barnes, an uncle of the bride, in his happiest manner. Refreshments were then served and a season of social enjoyment indulged in, as is customary on such occasions. The arrangements attending the ceremony and the subsequent diversion of the guests were complete, and those in attendance were right royally entertained. The bridal gifts were numerous, and very appropriate.

The bridal couple departed on the afternoon train. They went to Detroit and thence to London. On the first of November they will take up their permanent abode at Kingston, Ontario.

The groom is highly respected in the community where he lives and will renew the practice of his profession under the most favorable auspices. He has secured a prize for a wife. The bride has lived in this community for many years. She graduated from our High School with the class of '82. She possesses a most winning disposition and a womanly dignity of character which has made her a special favorite in society circles. Her departure will be keenly regretted, but her many friends will bid her a hearty God speed, and wish her a *bon voyage* over the ocean of life.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The Baptist State Convention is in session this week at Adrian.

The Clinton Woolen factory is receiving a lot of new machinery.

The M. E. church at Weston will be heated with a furnace hereafter.

The corn crop of this county is about twenty five per cent short of a full yield.

Complaints are made all over the county, that potatoes are rotting very badly.

Uncle Asa Foster, one of the leading citizens of Blissfield, died on Monday of last week.

The blue ribbon club of Clinton had a meeting at the town hall last Sunday afternoon.

The new Baptist church of Hudson, will be completed and ready for dedication on the 27th inst.

The depot building at Riga was broken into on Monday night of last week, and the money drawer rifled of about $5.

The Baptist ladies of Morenci netted $125 out of their eating house on the fair grounds. They do say that Baptist ladies get up extra good dinners.

Geo. Goodrich, of Clinton, has gone into the pumpkin business. He reports one that measures four feet, eight inches one way, and four feet nine inches the other.

At the third annual meeting of the conference of friends of Indian civilization held at Lake Mohawk, N. Y., on the 7th inst., we notice that Gen. Clinton B. Fisk, brother of W. V. Fisk, of this place, was chosen president of the conference.—Clinton Local.

Hudson has a hen ordinance. Every hen caught running at large in the streets of that village can be taken to the pound and the urchin who acts as common carrier can collect ten cents per head for the job. But what do they do with the roosters caught running at large?

The board of supervisors must consider that there is no provision in the drain law whereby a drain may be constructed in two adjoining townships without the intervening of a county commissioner. There are a number of such drains in this portion of the county, and the appointment of a county drain commissioner is made imperative.—Blissfield Advance.

William Deacon, of Hudson, was kicked in the face by his horse last week and received a bad wound over one eye. It's a mighty irreverent horse that will kick a Deacon in the face, but a horse that lives in a town where resides the inventor of a two wheeled cart, has a right to kick not only a deacon, but the minister, and pretty much all of the congregation. —Adrian Press.

S. C. Stacy, of the Tecumseh HERALD, made us a pleasant call last Saturday. Before leaving the city he called on "Philander," of the Record, and tried to get him to set the time for the duel that has been talked of by these two journalists. Everything was arranged satisfactorily. The affair will come off next Christmas at 2 o'clock P. M., and the weapons will be quill pens at 25 paces. May the best man win.—Adrian Press.

And now the Burchard end of the Tecumseh News, rises up and says the Clinton penman of the Tecumseh Herald was in error when it charged that the two chaps who followed a Clinton girl to D. Woodward's house one night, had been made to pay damages to Mr. Woodward or to any one. Well, we are sorry these correspondents will prevaricate, as in making up our collection of news we frequently rely on their statements. If they didn't pay for their impertinence they deserved to and some muscular young fellow ought to constitute himself the young lady's brother, find out the young scoundrels, and lick the "tar" out of them. That's the kind of a threshing machine that is needed in Clinton just now.—Adrian Press.

A most lamentable accident occurred to Mr. S. Z. Foster last Friday morning. Mr. Foster had been sitting up all night by the bedside of his father, and about daylight was about to retire for a few hours' rest. Going up stairs, drowsy and tired out, he became for a moment forgetful, and thinking himself at his home in Toledo, where the stairway and room door are the reverse, he made a miscalculation and instead of entering the bedroom, as he supposed he was, he fell headlong down stairs, striking with the bridge of his nose on a perforated wooden chair, standing some four feet from the bottom stair, crushing the bone to splinters, small particles being driven into the chair, which was broken by the force of Mr. Fosters' weight. His left hand was jammed through the seat of the chair, and badly bruised, as was also his whole body, and it is a miracle almost that the fall did not break his neck. Dr. Parker, who had remained at the house during the night, attended the injured man, and dressed his hurt in the most skillful manner possible. The accident was learned with deep regret by our citizens, by whom Mr. Foster is held in the highest esteem.—Blissfield Advance.

Mrs. Thomas Blacker, of Deerfield, is spending two or three days this week with Tecumseh acquaintances.

An effort is making for a game of base ball next Monday between Adrian and Tecumseh in which Sullivan will do the pitching.

The ladies of St. Peter's Episcopal church will give an oyster supper at "The Patterson," Thursday evening, Oct. 29 All are cordially invited.

We have moved into our new cloak room. Our stock of cloaks is larger and more attractive than ever. We shall be pleased to show them.

W. & S. W. ANDERSON & CO.

Frank Slater, who was arrested last week for an assault and battery upon W. W. Lockwood, was to have had his examination yesterday. Dr. Woodward, who is attending Mr. Lockwood reported his patient as unable to be out, and Justice Burridge adjourned the case for one week. The defendant has been released on bail.

The sneak thief was abroad last Sunday night and got in his work very effectively in the vicinity of the churches. Burt Garlinghouse's horse was hitched near the Baptist church, and when he went to get it about eight o'clock he found that a valuable wolf robe was missing. Alem Titus also lost two buffalo robes, and Elias Brown, whose team was hitched near the Universalist church, went home one robe short.

A pleasant social event occurred at the home of Mr. Gregg in East Macon on the 15th inst., on the occasion of the marriage of his only daughter, Anna J. to Wm. Nickell, of Acton, Ont. The company of guests was large, the feast was ample, and the presents to the bride were many, beautiful and valuable. The bride will accompany her husband in a few days to his home in Canada. While the bride's parents are fully satisfied with their daughter's choice, they grieve at the thought of parting with their only daughter. May prosperity attend the happy couple.

Oscar Palmer is the owner of a fine pair of Texas ponies and last Sunday he hitched them to a carriage for a ride. The ponies had not been driven before in several months and they concluded it would be a colder day than that before they were driven again, and proceeded to demonstrate the fact by lying down and kicking the harness to pieces, after which they arose and tried to kick everything within the radius of half a mile. A front wheel of the carriage was demolished, but no one was injured.—Mr. Palmer concluded that he did not want to ride that day.

On Monday evening, Oct. 26, Shedman Bros., Canine Paradox and Dog and Monkey circus, including the Anglo-American Marionettes, will give an entertainment at the opera house. The dogs and monkeys, which have recently arrived in this country, from Italy, are so thoroughly educated that they do almost everything but talk, organizing steeple chases among the dogs with monkey riders and a miniature monkey fire department, besides other tricks too numerous to mention. Admission 25 and 35 cents with no extra charge for reserved seats. Don't fail to see the street parade of the dogs and monkeys at 2 o'clock, Monday afternoon. Of the Marionettes everybody has heard, and their performance alone is worth the price of admission.

A COALD INTERVIEW.

Our reporter was prancing down Shawnee street yesterday afternoon with his overcoat collar turned up under his ears when he struck Mr. H. M Temple sending out a big load of anthracite from Temple's coal yard.

"How is the coal trade this fall?" asked the scribe.

"Improving—this cold snap has started a great many stoves."

"How about that Jackson Hill Coal?" queried the quill driver, edging toward the stove. "Is it as you advertise?"

"Yes sir, exactly. No soot, no clinker, and comparatively no ash." "Here is some in the stove now," and opening the door the scribe had the satisfaction of beholding with his own eyes the merits of this coal.

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"You?"

"Yes!"

"No."

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"What are the different processes of your work?"

"The stone is first ground to the shape required on the steam wheels. We commence with the large ones and gradually come down to the smaller as the work is coming to a close. The stone is then firmly fixed with lapidary's cement to this piece of wood, about three inches long and twice the size of the stone. A rough outline is then penciled on. After this all depends on the acuteness of sight and delicacy of touch in the operator. For cameo work I use almost two hundred tools. These can not be bought ready made, but must be manufactured in the workshop here. I often have to make a number of tools of a peculiar shape before I can start in on a commission. These tools are almost all of one kind. Here are a few of them. At one end is a screw which fits into my foot lathe. The other end gradually tapers, and at the point is worked into a sort of circular saw. The sizes of these saws vary from half an inch in diameter to 1-128th. Here is one of the smallest you can not see the saw with the naked eye. The steel must be of perfect temper and the teeth on it even, or they are unfit for use. I first cut around the outline, both horizontally and perpendicularly, with some of the larger saws. Afterward I cut in the portrait and accessories with one of the smaller tools. I use diamond dust in every stage of the work, as the tool alone would make no impression on the onyx. Of course, the fine work takes the most time and trouble. It is not exhausting work, as the eye and the hand must be completely in unison, for the slightest slip would spoil the work of weeks. That three-headed medallion I showed you cost me many a sleepless night. In crest, seal, or name work in relief the process is the same, but I generally make a red wax impression of the etching before I start on the stone. These commissions, when simple, are quite reasonable in price. I have made some for as low as eight dollars, but of course they sometimes come as high as a portrait if there is much work. After the carving is done the stone is polished, first with a lump of lead or zinc, and then with tripoli, rouge and putty. Then the stone is examined with a glass of great power, and any slight defect remedied. The work is then complete."

"What is incrusted work?"

"Incrusting is an old method that has sprung into favor again during the last few years. The design or letters are cut into the onyx and pure or twenty-four-carat gold or fine platinum hammered into the cuts until it is flush with the surface. When properly done this work is very beautiful and durable.—*Chicago News.*

—Johnny came in out of breath the other day, and, being questioned, said: "I kicked Sammy Smiler; that's what I did, and I ran away." "You kicked Sammy Smiler!" ejaculated maternal authority, repressing a tendency to smile at the ruffled aspect of the small kicker, and sternly didactic of speech: "you kicked Sammy Smiler! I should think that you would be ashamed to kick a nice little boy," with a circumflex on each word of the description, "and then ran away! If I kicked a nice little boy I would stay and take the consequences." "Consequences!" said Johnny, undeterred by the praise bestowed on Sammy and reflected in blame on him—"consequences! Huh! I took the consequences before I kicked him."—*Boston Transcript.*

—A glass bedstead has been made at a Birmingham, Eng., factory for a Calcutta millionaire. It is of solid glass, the legs, rails, etc., being richly cut. The King of Burmah also has one.

CARE OF THE EYES.

The Progress Made in the Manufacture of Artificial Eyes—A Great Scientist's Invention.

"Everybody takes considerable interest in his eyes," said a prominent oculist, "and I don't think any other portion of the human anatomy is worthy of more attention. Yet it is more abused than any other organ. From early infancy it is treated shamefully. The baby's knuckles poke it and the lids are frequently made to open to expose it to the view of admiring relatives and friends. Boyhood's days bring books to be read and lessons to be worked into the brain through its medium. Youth fills it with tobacco smoke in the one sex and needlework and novels in the other. In maturity it is abused of necessity by the use of spectacles. A poor eye is better than no eye at all. Science has made the deaf to hear by means of various little instruments. Manufactured teeth often serve the purpose better than the originals, and patent working arms and legs often replace the natural members. An eye once lost to its sense of sight can never be replaced by anything that will restore that sense. Artificial eyes have existed as long as there has been any demand for them. Step this way," said the specialist, "and I will show you a large assortment of them. The doctor reached up to a shelf in his cabinet and took down two small flat boxes. One of them was labelled:

Left Eyes, Assorted.

And the other:

Right Eyes, Assorted.

The doctor opened the boxes, and there resting on soft beds of tissue paper, were hundreds of left and right eyes. They were of every shape, size and color imaginable, and looked perfectly natural in their upward gaze.

The eye was simply a concave-convex shell, and the doctor explained that the natural working and turning of the artificial eye was not due to improved mechanism, but simply to the modern method of operating on the genuine eye. Instead of formerly only a part was removed, and the artificial organ was fitted on the stump, which would continue to move with the muscles.

"Do they ever wear out?"

"Oh, yes, that's the beauty of them. The acidity of the tear of the human eye will eat up glass, and it makes them rough and honey-combed like sandstone. They usually last a year and cost ten dollars apiece. Many wearers buy two or three at a time to have them on hand in case of an accident."

"Can a person cry just as well with the artificial eye?"

"Yes. The trouble is they usually cry a great deal more from the unnatural irritation. The artificial eye is made from a bulb of glass having a slight ovality blown, on the end of a rod about the size of a pencil. From the sphere thus blown a segment is flattened out for the iris and pupil. A circular patch of black pigment in the centre forms the pupil. The painting of the iris is done with delicate enamel colors, and then a bulb of clear crystal glass is placed over it. The red veins are traced with fine films of red glass laid on and fused. Probably over ten thousand people in the United States wear artificial eyes."

Dr. William Siemens devised an artificial eye which is sensitive to light and to differences in color, gives signs of fatigue when subjected to prolonged action of light, and regains its strength after resting with closed lid; and, by an electro-magnet attachment, may be made to close itself involuntarily at a vivid flash. Such an eye would be worth having. It is well-known, too, that the vibrations of musical tones may by ordinary conducting wires be transmitted and delivered to the ear; and it remains to be seen, says Dr. Siemens, whether light vibrations may not be transmitted to the brain in the absence of the natural eye.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

DRIFT OF THE HUDSON.

A Floating Junk Shop With a Full Assortment of Goods.

The river brings its regular supply of drift, writes a correspondent at New York. It brings cordwood, dropped from passing vessels; piles which have rotted away, floated away, and are cruising about to find decent sepulture; campstools tossed from excursion steamers, old boards, new boards, shingles, sticks, chips, bark, old brooms, worn out scrubbing brushes, bits of torn and tangled seine, runaway eelpots, dead dogs, dead puppies, an occasional dead horse, illegally pitched at night off some New York pier, old boxes and barrels, old pantaloons, bottles—some smelling of medicine and others of whisky, corks without bottles, more bottles without corks, hats blown overboard, some old, some new; shad-poles, bean-poles, lunch-baskets, water-soaked bread, empty sardine and lobster-cans, the debris of floating lunch parties; cabbage leaves, cabbage heads, decomposed fruit and vegetables, sometimes a fish-pole, with line and hook attached, old paint-brushes, everything anything all things, cast off, flung off, worn off, torn off, rubbed off of the world's surface, including also old boots and shoes, so long as they float. Every morning I inspect the list of strand near my door to see what the river has brought. It is an interesting lottery. Sometimes I find a late newspaper, soaked, to be sure, but when dried on the rocks it reads as well as if just issued. As we have no regular supply on this bank of the stream, news three or four days old reads just as well, and seems quite interesting until one looks at the date. Some of this drift, when it comes, comes to stay. Particularly old boots and shoes, stuck in the mud. I have become well acquainted by sight with several impaired specimens, regularly appearing before my door at low tide—especially one gigantic boot, presumably the former property of some colossal-footed Jersey shadman. A pair of old pantaloons cling tenaciously to my beach, changing their position but little with each tide, and having a startling resemblance in the various attitude of the legs as flung about by the waves to the limbed part of a drowned man.—*Exchange.*

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Stockbridge	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Munith	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Manchester	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 28 "
Clinton	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Tecumseh	8 08 "	4 12 "	4 05 "
Adrian	10 20 "	5 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 00 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148 Accom.
Toledo	8 50 A.M.	5 16 P.M.	.....
Adrian	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Tecumseh	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M
Clinton	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Munith	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 40 "
Stockbridge	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Gregory	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Napoleon	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "
Jackson	1 25 "	11 05 "	10 15 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
Butler	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Bluffton	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kessler	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Aboyne	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 31	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Deerfield	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Flat Rock	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Rockwood	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
Gibraltar	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35
DETROIT				

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Gibraltar	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Rockwood	5 20	9 55	1 42	7 37
Flat Rock	5 45	10 05	1 52	7 58
Romulus	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Belleville	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Willis	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Whittaker	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Milan	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Deerfield	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Britton	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 07
Holloway	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 01
Raisin Center	7 15	11 11	2 54	9 13
Adrian, Ar		11 15	2 54	9 12
Adrian, Lv		11 20	3 05	9 21
Sand Creek		11 37	3 12	9 31
Seneca		11 43	3 17	9 31
North Morenci		11 55	3 28	9 47
North Fayette		12 10	3 37	10 00
Aboyne		12 16	3 43	10 22
Kessler		12 32	3 54	10 25
Montpelier		12 47	4 05	10 37
Bluffton		12 58	4 13	10 45
Troy		1 08	4 22	10 55
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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	No. 35 Pass
	40	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.	
	3	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
	5 00	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
	5 16	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46	
	5 26	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
	5 36	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
	5 52	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
	6 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05	
	6 50	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
	6 59	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
	7 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
	7 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
	8 12	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
A.M.	8 20	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
	8 10	9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38
	8 23	9 25	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
	8 37	9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 00
	8 49	9 55	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49
	8 56	10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30
	7 25	P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	7 33		3 04	Yorkville	12 20	
	7 42		3 10	Richland	12 15	
	7 58		3 28	Doster	11 58	
	8 24		3 45	Monteith	11 43	
	8 32		3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	8 39		3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	8 50		4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 20	
	9 15		5 25	Holland	10 15	
			6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	11 05		6 36	Grand Haven	9 00	
	11 13		6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	11 55		7 16	Muskegon	8 15	
	A. M.		10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
			P. M.	A L	A. M.	

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HEDGE FENCES.

An Improvement Which Has Not Proved Profitable in the West—A New Method of Fencing.

The practice of surrounding fields with hedges for the purpose of protecting the crops from animals, which was introduced into various parts of this country after posts and boards became expensive, and when fence-rails could not be readily obtained, has, since the introduction of barbed wire, been generally abandoned. The hedge-row, which was so popular in England and in several countries on the continent of Europe, was never a great success in the United States. We have had no hedge-plant that was adapted to the soil and climate of any large portion of the country. The Osage-orange, which was obtained from Texas, did fairly well in localities where the winters were not very severe and where there was good natural drainage. It failed where the winters were very long and cold, and in places where there was insufficient drainage. Several enterprising persons made fortunes in selling seeds and plants, and others realized considerable in selling works on hedges, and implements for trimming them. A few obtained a living during several seasons by taking contracts to set out Osage-orange plants and to keep them in proper condition till they would make an efficient hedge.

Lack of a plant that was adapted to a varying climate and a great diversity of soil is not the only thing that prevented the general establishment of hedges in this country. Few of our farmers understood how to raise, set out and properly manage hedge-plants so as to form a beautiful and useful living fence, such as is seen in foreign countries. Many attempted to perform all their operations by the aid of such information as they obtained from circulars issued by the nurserymen who dealt in seeds and plants or the manufacturers of hedge-trimming implements. It is no great wonder that they failed. Hedging is an art that can not be learned by reading the circular of an advertiser or a short article in a paper. It is a trade that must be learned under a suitable instructor. It must be practiced for a considerable time before one having a natural aptitude for it can become an expert. In countries where hedges are alike beautiful and effective in stopping cattle professional hedgers have charge of the plants from the time they are started in the nursery till they have attained their full growth. Even then they continue to prune them every season.

During the past few years more rods of hedgerows have been uprooted in the West than have been planted. The barbed wire, which was suggested by the barbed bush, has taken the place of it in forming protection for fields. Still, there is a growing interest in hedges in many parts of the West. Especially is this the case among farmers who have their places well improved. They have fields surrounded by fence made of posts and barbed wire. They stop the progress of stock of all kinds, but they are invisible at a distance and unsightly when the beholder is near them. Many farmers are accordingly setting out rows of fruit, barberry, arbor-vitæ or hawthorn on the lines where they intend to have division fences. Some are planting trees a rod apart in these rows, partly with a view of affording variety and partly for supporting barbed wire. It is the intention to attach the wire to the trees instead of to posts. The plan is an excellent one. These fences will be ornamental as well as useful. They will beautify the farm, while they will afford considerable protection against winds. They will greatly improve the appearance of the fields they surround and render them more productive of crops that require some protection.—*Chicago Times.*

NEW STYLES IN SHOES.

Buckles to be Worn by Men—A New Flexible Insole.

There are no radical changes in shoes which will be offered for the coming spring trade. The men's Oxford tie has been having a large sale recently. It is for party or evening dress. The upper is made of the trade-marked or patent kid. This leather has very desirable qualities for dress shoes. It will not chip off, and wears without changing color, and is soft and easy to the foot. It is also made in patent leather.

Buckles, for fastenings, are an old style—the only fastenings used one or two hundred years ago. They were revived and ran a few years about a quarter of a century ago. They are to run again next season on some of the light low-cut goods.

The child's D'Orsay slipper is a very shapely, pretty slipper for a child, made with or without heel. The vamp is of wine, blue, dark green or other colored leather, and patent leather is used for trimmings.

The flexible insole is new. The inner sole is made of one piece of solid sole-leather to the ball, from there being made of one piece of light leather and canvas joined together with the best rubber cement, thereby giving stiffness to the shank and heel and leaving the ball and toe perfectly pliable and waterproof. The advantages gained in a shoe made by this process are perfect flexibility in both single or double soles, the increase of wear gained by having a light, flexible inner-sole, and doing away with the hard horny edge of the regular inner-sole which has caused so much trouble and expense by its liability to cut the upper. With a perfectly flexible sole it does away with the cracking which so often happens with a stiff sole. This inner-sole being waterproof, the dampness does not reach the foot through the sole.

The Oxford will be the style of tie for ladies for the coming season. The shoe sets better when this fastening is used. The shoe shown is a ladies' tie, patent leather vamp, with tan colored seal top. Other colors are cut in this shoe, which is a very pretty style for the season's wear.—*Shoe and Leather Review.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

—The past has been the greenest summer within the memory of the oldest inhabitant.—*Boston Budget.*

—The total number of self-supporting women and girls over ten years of age, in New York is 2,647,157.—*N. Y. Post.*

—England has 123,995 women teachers, many of whom occupy positions as professors and instructors in the higher branches of learning.

—When Philadelphia society girls want to indicate that one of their number is rather rapid they say: "O, she's a regular bird."—*New York Journal.*

—A Massachusetts cow got hung in the woods by her tail and was held fast thirty-six hours before she was found. All this time she had nothing to say—she could not a tale unfold.

—Five gypsies were lately fumigated in a Spanish town so thoroughly as to forever prevent the cholera from attacking them. They were all killed in the process.

—A man at Lewiston, Me., drives a spirited horse without breeching, the animal having been educated to "hold back by his haunches in contact with the crossbar."—*Boston Journal.*

—The Waterbury (Conn.) Watch Factory makes about three thousand watches in one year. Most of the work which requires the finest touch and the most delicate manipulation is done by women. Their wages average about $1.50 a day.—*Hartford Courant.*

—A shocking case of cruelty to animals has come to light in an up-country village. An able-bodied man appeared at the village store and told the doleful tale that "Mary had went off to work in the mill this mornin' an' hadn't lef' me a bite to eat or any money either."—*Boston Post.*

—It is estimated that every year about 50,000,000,000 letters are posted in the world. America leads, with about 2,500,000,000 and England follows, with 700,000,000. Japan, which established a postal service only ten years ago, now mails annually 95,000,000 letters.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—The *Jewish Messenger* appeals to the young men and women of the old faith to abstain from publishing in the newspapers their matrimonial engagements. No one is interested in such announcements, it says, except a few near relations, and they can be reached by mail.

—Beet sugar has overtaken and passed its only rival—cane sugar. The estimated supply for the coming crop year is 2,565,000 tons, while of cane the yield is estimated at 2,100,000 tons. Of the total amount—4,665,000 tons—the United States will probably consume about one-fourth.—*N. E. Farmer.*

—If every soul, saint and sinner in the Union were to go to the ports of the Great Lakes each could get to carry home a half bushel of grain. To put it in cold figures, there are 50,000,000 people in America, and stored for shipment 'twixt Duluth and Toledo are 25,000,000 bushels of wheat, corn and oats.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—"Rather fine bean-poles, those," said a tourist to a suburban trucker who was engaged setting out his winter crop. "Bean-poles, thunder! Why, stranger, them's handles hoe-handles. Our crop of hoes will be ten bushels more to the acre this fall than last." And the stranger went on ruminating on the remarkable fertility of land in Colorado.—*Denver Opinion.*

—The chemical reactions daily taking place in the laboratory of nature are immensely interesting, both from their magnitude and their direct influence upon human affairs. The waters of the Schuylkill undergo a number of chemical changes. Above Reading they are so impregnated with sulphuric acid from the drainage of mines as to be unfit for use in boilers, and have but few fish living in them. At Reading, however, the acid is neutralized by being brought in contact with lime water flowing in from Tulpehocken Creek, and the resulting insoluble sulphate of lime is precipitated, forming a bed of gypsum.—*Philadelphia Press.*

A LOST CHARACTERISTIC.

Shyness an Attribute of Young People Which Has Completely Disappeared.

At one time of day most children used to be born shy. We have always been taught this as a tradition of the race, and, carrying our memories back half a century, we can bear corroborative testimony to the fact. We can remember feeling very shy ourselves even at the age of seven. We should never have thought of speaking till we were spoken to, or coming without being called, or of assaulting the central plum cake, or asking the lady on whose knee we sat how old she was and how much money she had. There were many pauses in the conversation when we went into society at that age, and met other shy little people. The overtures of acquaintanceship between children used to be very slow and tentative; we remember particularly exchanging sweets with a four-year-old in a blue sash, long before we dared ask her what her name was, and long before she dared tell us our hair was rough. Children then required encouraging and "bringing forward." But now! The shy child has disappeared. We have boisterous masters and misses, and we have quiet, self-possessed ones; some are very unruly, and some are comparatively tractable; but none are shy. Some Pied Piper of Hamelin has been round and played all the shy ones away. Similarly, at a more advanced age, it used to be a serious exhortation to young men and maidens to overcome shyness. It was preached to them that bashfulness was a bar to social intercourse and to mental improvement, and they were instructed how to acquire an easy manner; but all those exhortations which we find repeated constantly in old manuals for the modeling of conduct read like so much sarcasm now. You may look round where you will among youths, but that black swan, the shy youth, has migrated for good. You find plenty of pert youths, and of self-sufficient youths; many aggressive youths, and no end of patronizing youths, even now and then a self-possessed youth who is nevertheless modest; but the shy youth—never.—*London Globe.*

THE MODEST FATHER.—"Father," began a young Detroiter the other evening, "were you in the war?"

"Yes, my son."

"Was it awful?"

"Yes."

"... of dead and wounded men?"

"Did you ... ?"

"Well, I shouldn't like to answer that question."

"Are you very modest, pa?"

"I hope I am too modest to brag."

"That was what Mr. Smith meant, then, when he was telling the men down at the drug store that you hadn't any war record to brag of."

"He did, eh? Smith is a liar!"

"That's what I thought. He told the men that you run so fast he couldn't catch you on horseback, and any boy knows that a horse can catch a man with a stiff knee."

In the Forest City.

Mr. G. E. Bryan, No. 151 Putnam street, Cleveland, Ohio, has naturally much experience in sickness,—with a family of seven children, and his doctors' and druggists' bills are heavy. He states publicly that he has given Red Star Cough Cure a thorough trial in his home, and finds it to be the best remedy that he has ever used for cough or colds. It contains neither morphia nor opium, and therefore leaves no depressing effects.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

Rome was not built in a day, neither was the reputation of Mishler's Herb Bitters built up save by the thousands of bona-fide cures of desperate cases of disease that have been recorded in its favor. E. A. Schellentrager, druggist 717 St. Clair street, Cleveland, O., writes: "Your Bitters, I can say, and do say, are prescribed by some of the oldest and most prominent physicians in our city."

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Pennsylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

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EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Cleveland	8 00 AM	3 20 PM	9 10 PM	.....
Cuyahoga Harbor Ar	8 55	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 23	4 45	7 30	.....
Clyde	9 59	5 03	7 45	.....
Bellevue	9 58	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40 AM
Norwalk Lv	10 25	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00 PM	7 40	1 13 PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 48	7 00
Massillon Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 40
Massillon Lv	2 50	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 47 PM	6 47 PM	.....
Valley Junc. Lv	3 20	.....	3 20	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50 AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20 AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marietta Lv	6 00	2 30 PM		
Marksburg	7 20	3 50		
Cambridge	9 15	5 18		
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03		
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55		No. 38
Sherrodsville	.....	.....		5 45 AM
New Cumberland	.....	.....		6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20 AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
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Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35 AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10 AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17 PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45 AM	.....	1 35 PM	10 00 AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50 AM	6 45 PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40 AM	2 20 PM
11 35	6 30	..Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan	7 07	2 50
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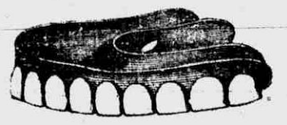
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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from All Quarters.

WASHINGTON.

A circular was issued by order of the President on the 14th establishing a thorough quarantine against Canada and giving the local boards of health and sanitary inspectors all the authority of quarantine officers. Very vigorous measures will be employed to prevent the spread of small-pox.

W. A. Vincent, recently appointed Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico by President Cleveland, was suspended from office on the 14th because he had appointed ex-Senator Stephen W. Dorsey, of Star Route trial notoriety, a member of a commission to draw grand and petit jurors for the Territory.

The President, on the 15th appointed C. Myer Zulick to be Governor of Arizona, vice Frederick A. Tritle, resigned; Calvin Page, to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of New Hampshire; D. J. Lauchlin, to be Special Examiner of Drugs, Medicines and Chemicals for the District of Philadelphia; David S. Preston, to be Collector of Customs at Gloucester, Mass. To be United States Consuls: Edward D. Lim, of Texas, at Piedras Negras, Mexico; Frank W. Roberts, of Maine, at Castlebrook, Can.; Charles H. Wills, of Maryland, at Mandalua, Nicaragua; Joseph D. Hoff, of New Jersey, at Vera Cruz, Mexico.

The Court of Alabama Claims has decided not to readmit J. F. Manning to practice before it unless he apologizes for reviling the court in his printed circular.

The following appointments by the President were announced on the 20th: Henry E. West, of Ohio, to be Agent for the Indians at Fort Peck Agency, Montana. Benjamin F. Bonham, to be Consul-General at Calcutta; Ernest P. Baldwin, of Missouri, to be Deputy First Auditor of the Treasury. To be United States Consuls—William A. Garasche, of Missouri, at Martinique; Charles Foster, of Indiana, at Elberfeld; N. J. Arbuckle, of Tennessee, at Jerusalem.

The President on the 17th appointed James N. Childs, of Maine, to be United States Consul at Guelph, Canada, and James H. Trumbull to be United States Consul at Talcahuano, Chili.

Information was received at the Navy Department on the 17th of the death of Chief Engineer Van Heavenburg, serving on the Iroquois, now at Payta, Peru.

A report of the wheat crop in France has been received at the State Department from United States Consul Mason at Marseilles. The wheat harvest of this year, he says, has been a full average one, and not more than half the usual deficit will remain to be supplied by importation. The importations to meet the deficit have already been larger than usual during the early part of the season.

THE EAST.

A mass meeting of Professors and students of Cornell University was held on the 15th to rejoice over the election of Judge Foraker, who is a member of the class of '69. Complimentary speeches were made in honor of the first graduate elected to such a high office, and resolutions congratulating him were ordered to be transmitted to the Governor-elect.

Hugh Thompson, cashier of the Grand Trunk freight department in Portland, Me., has disappeared, leaving his accounts several thousand dollars short. It is supposed that he lost large sums betting on the Genesta-Puritan yacht race, and took money for that purpose. His whereabouts is unknown.

Lemuel Bellows, a farmer living at Beaver Dam, Wayne township, Pa., while standing on a raised platform feeding a threshing machine on the 15th, accidentally stepped off, falling backward to the ground a distance of only three feet, breaking his neck and causing almost instant death.

The storehouse of Schuyler & Blood's knitting mill, in Amsterdam, N. Y., was destroyed by fire on the 15th, together with the stock it contained. The cause of the fire was spontaneous combustion. Loss $25,000; covered by insurance.

A Kittanning (Pa.) dispatch of the 16th says that diphtheria and typhoid fever have assumed the form of an epidemic in that place. Many cases are kept concealed, but it is known that nearly 100 persons are down with these diseases. Fatalities are very numerous, fifteen deaths having occurred within the last few days. In several instances whole families are prostrated.

Cornelius Vanderbilt has bought the Newport (R. I.) estate of Pierre Lorillard, for $100,000.

The severe gale of the 13th covered thousands of acres of oyster beds along the Connecticut shore of Long Island Sound with sand, inflicting upon the oystermen damages estimated at $200,000.

Ivar Williams, aged fifteen, employed as door-tender in the Dodson mine of the Plymouth, (Pa.) Coal Company, fell down the shaft on the 16th, a distance of 900 feet, his body being crushed into a shapeless mass.

Business failures reported throughout the country for the seven days ended October 16 number for the United States 139, and for Canada 27—a total of 166, as compared with 207 last week, and 196 the week previous.

By authority of the Knights of Labor the Very Rev. M. McCabe published a card on the 16th advising the Millville Rubber Works' strikers at Woonsocket, R. I., to return to work. This virtually ends the strike.

Arrangements are being made at Buffalo, N. Y., for building the furnace for the Buffalo Cremation Society. Gaetanini Yusepha, representing Venihie, the crematory builder of Milan, Italy, is in the city superintending the work, and it is thought everything will be completed by December 1.

A heavy storm caused a break in the Schuylkill Canal near Birdsboro, Pa., on the 16th, through which a torrent of water flowed, inundating the neighboring farms and flooding the lower stories of many houses. The disaster came in the night and many people had narrow escapes from drowning.

At Hazelton, Pa., on the 16th an overloaded gun in the hands of Edward Burtley exploded. His companion, Robert Fichter, was instantly killed, a large piece of the barrel penetrating his heart.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—In Paris sixty-eight churches own works of art, worth $1,615,710.

—The translation of the Old Testament into Japanese will be completed early next year.

—California is to publish her own school books. She thinks that those published by private enterprise are too expensive.

—Rev. Sam Jones says that "the Lord won't stop to criticise your grammar in a prayer. Speak right on from the shoulder and trust him to overlook your grammatics."

—A member of a school board visited a school not in under his jurisdiction. When asked to make some remarks he said: "Well, children, you spells well and reads well, but you hain't got st'll."

—Five years ago the Norwegian Lutherans gave $18,000 to their seminary in Minneapolis; two years later they added $50,000 for endowment, and this year $75,000 for new buildings.

—A lady from the East recently attended divine service at St. John's Cathedral, Denver, and afterward as a mark of her appreciation of the service, and of the sermon she heard, sent a check for $500 for church work in Colorado.—*Christian at Work.*

—The Moravians, who are one of the smallest religious denominations, maintain 323 missionaries in various parts of the earth, and 1,565 native assistants, and now have about 81,000 adherents in mission fields.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The following are the statistics of the Episcopal diocese of Connecticut: Baptisms—infant 1,600, adult, 276, total, 1,876. Communicants, present number, 22,023; Sunday school teachers, 1,893; scholars, 15,953; disbursements, $428,370 47.—*Hartford Post.*

—The following is a verbatim copy of a notice posted recently by a school district committee in Voluntown, Conn.: "I Here-by Notify the Legal voters of —— Chool District of the Annual meeting will hold at the Chool House on —— to Chuse and Elect Chool officers and other business that comes at the meeting."—*N. Y. Post.*

—In the Theological School at Frankfort, Germany, the students are working for God with great earnestness. In small companies they go to villages, sing and pray, and sometimes preach. They often get around them congregations of five hundred, and their efforts have met with good results.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—Of the 42,972 new members who came into the Presbyterian churches last year on confession of their faith in Christ, 20,778, or nearly one-half, were from the Sabbath-schools of the church. These Sabbath-schools contributed $98,581 to the various boards of the church, and gave to other benevolent objects $157,116.—*The Interior.*

—The Rev. J. M. C. Luke was once interviewed by a church committee which was anxious to employ a $2,000 pastor on less than half that amount. After patiently listening to them describe the gifts of the man they needed, Brother Luke replied: "Yes, you want a whale, and you haven't water enough to swim a minnow." There are quite a number of churches like that, and for their sake we print this.—*Richmond Herald.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—The *Current* says human beings love ceremony. Certainly they do, the kind that takes two young people and a preacher.

—An old lady went to a Palmer drug store the other day and asked for a bottle of "embracing bitters." If it had only been a young lady!—*Lowell Courier.*

—The old romance is now due. Roll of bills—old stove—hid in the oven—wife makes fire—return of farmer who does not believe in savings banks—despair—divorce.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Stanley says the native African can sing himself to sleep. We have lots of people in America who can do better than that. They can sing a crowd to death.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox asks in one of her poems, "O, what shall make me laugh again?" Her husband might make her smile by telling her that her pies are as perfect as her poetry.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—"If the people only knew how tired I am," said a humorous writer, "they would not help sympathizing with me." "Yes," a sarcastic acquaintance rejoined, "and if you knew how tired the people are you could not help sympathizing with them."

—"What is that butter made of?" asked a boarder. "Don't you think it a good?" mildly responded the landlady, in Yankee style. "I should say not." "Well, you don't know what you are talking about." "I admit it," calmly replied he.—*Oil City Blizzard.*

—An actress traveling in New Zealand has discovered a new way of advertising much cheaper than losing diamonds. She induced the Maori king to fall in love with her, and persuaded him to proclaim an offer to sell all his wives on condition that she would become his queen.

—Physician—"You do not need medicine at all. Take plenty of exercise and a mild tonic—say a bottle of claret every day." Patient (in alarm)—"O, no! I can't do that." "H'm. Temperance man?" "O, no! But the fact is I was in the wine business myself once, and I know how it's made.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—To cure snoring an exchange advises that a piece of soap be dropped into the mouth of the snorer. The oil in the soap will lubricate the pharynx and other Latin parts of the throat. It strikes us that this remedy had better be applied with caution, else the snorer might arise and lubricate the floor with the man who dropped in the soap.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Late inventions—A thunder-rod for people who are liable to be "thunder-struck" on receiving unexpected intelligence; a grindstone for people who are in the habit of "grinding their teeth" when they are in anger; a device for grubbing people who are suddenly "rooted to the spot;" a patent air-ship for restoring people to their homes who are "carried away by an excess of emotion," "transported with delight," etc.; a restorative for people "petrified with astonishment."—*Boston Courier.*

along the track. The target house was upset, and two men who were inside had a narrow escape.

Charles H. Philbuck, Private Secretary to President Lincoln at the time of the latter's assassination, died at his home in Greggsville, Ill., on the 17th, of paralysis of the heart.

The contractors of the Toledo (O.) East Side natural gas well on the 17th attained a depth of 1,415 feet. The gas so far found is sufficient to burn a flame to a height of twenty feet from the well's surface, and the contractors are confident of obtaining a good supply forthwith.

The ravages of hog cholera among the swine in Hancock County, O., is causing considerable apprehension. In Union township several farmers have lost from forty to sixty head each and the aggregate loss will reach many thousand dollars.

Captain Trenery, of the steamship Baltimore, which arrived at Baltimore on the 17th, reports that on the night of the 3d, while in latitude 30 deg. 50 min., longitude 17 deg. 40 min. west, he passed a ship on fire. He steamed all around her, burned night signals, and sounded his whistle many times, but could discover no signs of any person or boats in the vicinity. The ship was a mass of fire to the water's edge, from her stem to the foremast, which was the only mast standing.

Charles F. Olney, late assistant postmaster at Clarksburg, W. Va., has been indicted for opening mail matter addressed to other persons. From the inspector's report it appears that he had a rival in the affections of a young lady in Clarksburg, and could not resist the temptation of opening their letters and informing himself of his rival's progress. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

The Hungarian budget shows a deficit of 15,000,000 florins. A loan of 25,000,000 florins will be required.

Seventeen million cartridges and 7,000,000 five-franc pieces arrived at Rutschuk recently by a vessel from Russia for Prince Alexander, of Bulgaria. The Bulgarian arsenal at Rutschuk is turning out 60,000 Berlin rifle cartridges daily.

The French official wheat statistics are as follows: Area cultivated, 7,000,000 hectares, producing 85,000,000 quintals of wheat. Average per hectare, 12 1-6 quintals against 12¼ in 1884.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1885, the Dominion of Canada has spent over $350,000 on immigration. Assisted immigration since 1880 has cost Canada about $1,500,000.

A heavy shock of earthquake was felt at Palermo, Sicily, on the 14th. The disturbance caused a three-story house to fall, burying the occupants beneath the debris. Eight corpses have been recovered from the debris.

The fall of exchanges and the low price of silver are stimulating exportations of wheat from India. Enormous shipments are pending. Vessels have already been chartered for the shipment of 100,000 tons.

A Montreal dispatch says the vacancy in the College of Cardinals created by the death of Cardinal McCloskey will be filled by Archbishop Taschereau, of Quebec.

The Paris *L'Univers* of the 19th has a telegram from Father Martin, at Saigon, stating that 7,000 Christians have been massacred in Annam. Among the victims were M. Chatelet, a missionary, and ten native priests.

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JOHNSTON'S JOURNAL for October 17 has the following illustrated articles: The Harmony Community of Economy, Pa.; The First New York Directory; William Cramp, the shipbuilder; Lake Como; 'Coon and 'Possum Hunting in Virginia; and Electrical Engineering as a profession. There is also an illustrated poem and an illustrated love story. The miscellaneous articles are good and timely. Each of the departments of literature, gossip, anecdote, current events and humor, is well represented. The paper is published at 9 Murray street, N. Y. every other week, and is 16 pages, size of Puck and Life, and costs only 5 cents a number, or $1 a year.

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DIED.

BLACKER.—At his residence in Deerfield, on the first of September, 1885, Thomas Blacker, aged 78 years.

The deceased was born in Yorkshire, England. He emigrated to the United States in the year 1851 and settled in the township of Ridgeway in the same year. On the 15th of January, 1861, he was united in marriage to Jane Doyle, and the two settled upon a farm in Ridgeway, where they lived until last spring when they moved to Deerfield. The deceased had been in feeble health for more than two years but he was sustained in his affliction by the kindness and care of his affectionate wife. He became a member of the M. E. Church when only sixteen years of age, and was a consistent follower of the Master all his life. He died as the Christian dieth, in the full hope of a blessed immortality.

POWELL.—At his father's residence in this village on the 15th inst. George Powell, aged 24 years.

The deceased had been sick for thirteen months with that dread disease, consumption but he bore his sufferings with fortitude and viewed his approaching death with christian resignation. He was a young man of industrious and steady habits, a favorite in the family and esteemed by all who knew him. The funeral services were held last Sunday at Mr. Powell's residence and were conducted by Rev. T. G. Potter, pastor of the M. E. church.

MARRIED.

JARVIS—DOTY.—At the residence of the bride's parents in this village on the 15th, inst. by Rev. Leman Barns, of Adrian, Dr. Charles E. Jarvis of London, Ontario, and Miss Lella Grace Doty of Tecumseh.

STIMPSON—ATEN.—At the home of the bride's uncle, in Macon, Wednesday evening, Oct. 14, 1885, by Rev. Chas. S. Dutton, Mr. George W. Stimpson, of Saline, and Miss Mabel J. Aten, of Tecumseh.

COLE—LANGDON.—On the 14th, inst., at the residence of the bride's sister, by the Rev. Jas. Vincent, Mr. Cyrus A. Cole and Miss Rebecca S. Langdon, both of Franklin.

NICKELL—GREGG.—At the home of the bride's parents in East Macon, Oct. 15, 1885, by Rev. E. W. Borden, Mr. William Nickell, of Acton, Canada, and Miss Anna Jane Gregg, of East Macon.

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Beef Hides	@	8
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	13 @	14
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Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
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Honey, ₱ ℔	@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔	@	10
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	7
Oats, ₱ bushel	25 @	28
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	50
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25 @	30
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	15 @	45
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CLINTON CHAPTER.

Mrs. Ed. Rowland, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. E. McCollum.

Chas. Thompson was at home over Sunday.

Monday afternoon, as George Larzelere, who had been to the lumber yard for some lumber, was returning to his home, west of here, from some cause, he slipped from the wagon and struck upon the ground in such a posture as to break his neck, and he died in a few moments. He leaves a wife and four children, we understand, who have the sympathy of a large circle of friends, in their sudden loss.

Richmond, Hogan & Gadd shipped a double deck car of sheep and swine to Buffalo, Monday.

Some unruly boys have been throwing stones at houses and troubling quiet citizens thereby. Look a leedle out boys; the strong arm of the law will usually fix such things when all else fails.

Dr. Sheldon, of Manchester, has engaged rooms at the Lancaster House, and will visit Clinton every Wednesday. If you are in need of anything in the dentistry line be sure and see him.

Last Friday was examination day at school, and the tests on this occasion fully sustained the high reputation, that the Clinton school is attaining under its present able management.

The right of baptism is to be administered at the Baptist church next Sunday.

D. R. Gibson is still taking advantage of this beautiful fall weather, to supply customers in the west with choice apples. He is in Missouri buying and shipping, and he knows just how to handle this product, having had many years experience.

Mrs. Henderson, of Fargo, Dakota, who was the guest of E. R. Smith and family, left Clinton last Saturday.

Maggie Spafford made her cousin Grace happy with her presence over Sunday.

Over 1400 bushels of apples were taken in at the cider mill of Hause Bro's. in one day, last week.

Rev. J. St. John did not visit Milan last Sunday, being indisposed from a threatened bad cold.

Lester Coller purchased the trimmings for that new house in Macon, of Clinton parties.

F. Stone, of Addison, was in town last Saturday.

Joe Cochran wants to see twenty-two more days like Saturday and he will bid farewell to the brick work on the new store on Chicago street.

D. St. John did not return to Clinton as anticipated. He informs us the supposed trade at Jonesville fell through.

The Kengan sisters were in town Saturday, on their way to visit relatives in Bridgewater.

Henry Sarrett and Ed. VanDeMark have been constructing an addition on the north side of John T. Clark's barn. The fact is that premium butter makes a demand for more room, more cattle, and more help. It makes things very lively on the Clark place.

The little Messler boy that was so low, at Lansing with diptheria, died, and we learn that the mother has returned, and is at her father's west of this village, quite sick with that dread disease.

Potatoes are not all dug yet in this vicinity, and corn husking is just fairly commenced.

Misses Nellie Lawrence and Adah Potter, of Tecumseh, were in town Saturday.

A number of Clinton young men attended the rink at Tecumseh last Saturday evening. The girls are still in wonder. Why is it thus?

Will Eccles was up Tuesday, and some of the band boys pressed him into service on the alto, while they discoursed a few pieces of music.

A happy surprise party was provised for Kittie Millspaugh, last Thursday evening, as her birthday occurred on Saturday, and it was not convenient to have the gathering on that evening.

Mrs. Chauncy Lewis, of St. Thomas, Ontario, chanced in upon her friends and Mrs. Will Wood last week.

Al. Coffin and wife, of Deerfield, were calling upon their Clinton friends last week. Al. was engineer at the factory for several years, and during their stay in Clinton they made many warm friends who still hold in remembrance those happy hours whirled away in their company, and were glad to meet them again.

The change being made in the residence of B. O. Randall, will make a decided improvement, and adds very much to the appearance of the same.

Lewis Brooks, a brother of David Brooks and Mrs. L. VanDeMark, has been spending several days with relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

Bert Kishpaugh shipped a coop of nice Houdans from his yards to Goshen, Ind., last week.

Wm. C. Rogers is bound to make folks shiver when they perambulate around the corner of Jackson and Chicago streets. He has filled the room in the old Reynolds block with cutters waiting for "the beautiful."

The baptist social was held at Mr. Sheldon's, south of this village, Tuesday evening, and was well attended and enjoyed by all present.

The Congregational society held their social at the residence of B. J. Bond, in Bridgewater, and was one of the enjoyable occasions of the season.

The Blue Ribbon club are to hold a social and supper at Town Hall, tomorrow evening.

The concert advertised for Monday evening did not take place, and some of our citizens have been enquiring very earnestly for the Hurtt quartette, with appearance that some one "got left."

The large boxes just packed and directed at the factory from day to day, speak in high commendation of the demand for those goods which have required much overtime to manufacture, and keep pace with the demand.

Mrs. E. R. Smith returned home from a visit to friends at Saline, Tuesday.

Geo. Freese, took an overland trip to Hillsdale, Tuesday.

Mrs. Dr. Cameron, and son, started Tuesday for a visit to friends and relatives in London, Ontario.

Lou McDermott, took in the sights at Tecumseh, Tuesday.

Monday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Harra, a boy. The husband left home soon after the arrival of the physician, and up to 8 o'clock in the evening all the trace that could be found of him, was, he had been in this village trying hard to spend about fifteen or sixteen dollars in money he had for budge, while the wife and children were at home, almost destitute of the necessaries of life, and without any help whatever in this lamentable situation. What is too good for such a person? Did we hear some one mention hanging?

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Fine weather for husking.

Mr. & Mrs. A. B. Clark spent Thursday and Friday in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Robert Houseman and her sister, Mrs. Romine Miller, visited friends in Detroit last week.

Miss Ada Loree is visiting her sister Mrs. Alfred Lucking, in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Temple returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives at LaSell, Monroe county.

The social will be held at the home of Mrs. Waring this week Friday eve.

Joseph Pennington of Macon, spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Allen, and called on his friends here.

Jesse Palmer of St. John, an old resident of this place, has been visiting relatives and friends for the past fortnight, returning Friday.

Mrs. M. A. Barrett returned Friday from her stay at Oswego, Kansas, and looks as though the western atmosphere was agreeable.

Mrs. John Bailey of Hudson, visited her brother, W. H. Arner, last week, leaving Monday in company with her sister, Mrs. Catharine Cox, for Cleveland, O., to visit relatives.

Miss Hattie Coonley of Ypsilanti, spent Saturday and Sunday at Mrs. E. C. Van Vleet's. She is teaching school in the Waring district.

We called Saturday to see Uncle Augustus and Aunt Esther Montgomery. They are very feeble, and it looks rather tough to see as kind people as they always have been to be afflicted in their old age as they are. They have been fatherly and motherly to both young and old. The string to the latch is always out and all are welcome.

Last week Wednesday afternoon the young ladies of the village and vicinity enjoyed a very pleasant time at the home of Miss Ella Cadmus. It was the first one of their hen parties for the season, and all report a fine time. W. P. Cadmus drove the coop and gathered in the biddies and ducks, and looked quite henfied as he passed down North Church street.

The exercises were somewhat limited at the meeting of the R. L. S., Friday evening, as it was election of officers, which resulted as follows:

Pres.—G. P. Waring.
Vice Pres.—Wm. Clack.
Sec.—Miss Hattie Moon.
Asst. Sec.—Miss Kittie Clark.
Treasurer—W. P. Cadmus.
Marshals—W. P. Cadmus and Wm Barret, Jr.

The society will give a public entertainment three weeks from Friday evening. Bills and programmes will circulated in due season.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY SOCIETY.

The first regular meeting of the R. L. S. will be held at the Hall on Friday evening, Nov. 6th, at which time the following program will be presented:

Music—Society.
Recitation—Minnie Barrett.
Declamation—Sammie Arner.
Reading—Mrs. Chas. Pockington.
Music—Edna VanVleet.
Recitation—Ella Pattison.
Select Reading—George Sanford.
Declamation—Will Allen.
Music—Lela Sutton.
Select Reading—Salome Clark.
Address—D. W. Loree.
Music—Mrs. Sarah Rappleye.

Exercises will begin promptly at 7:30. Admission free.

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RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Scarcely a corporal's guard was left at the Seminary quarterly meeting Sunday. All the students were home or visiting.

Foot ball and Indian clubs have supplanted the National game. Jack Frost regulates field sports as well as field work.

Linton Cox, of '83, has been obliged to drop for the present his collegiate work on account of the death of his father.

Judge Joseph H. Steere, of '71, writes that he is kept busy with his official work and consequently his usual visit to this neighborhood is indefinitely postponed.

Marianna Brown still discharges successfully her duties as teacher in the preparatory department at Earlham College, Richmond, Ind.

Lena Stanley, of '79, and her sister Sarah, of '80, are making a success in the west as school teachers. St. Paul, Nebraska, is their home at present.

Scholars still continue to increase in number. We understand the Board of Managers are talking of enlarging the capacity of the school, as the building is at present nearly filled. We hope they will think favorably of the subject.

The student's literary society seems to be established upon a sound basis. The enrollment is now about forty, and interesting programs are prepared each week. This is a step in the right direction.

The unanimous vote of the students is in favor of a skating pond. What is the matter that the necessary work cannot be done before cold weather sets in? Will not a few dollars spent in this way by the Board be a good investment?

The neighborhood literary society which met Oct. 24th, proved a success. Several selections from Lowell were rendered, and numerous quotations given in the quoting match. Aaron Taylor carried off the honors. Subject for the next meeting, Whittier. An interesting program has been arranged. Meeting to be held at the Seminary, Nov. 7.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Splendid fall weather.

The Indian medicine man has come and gone, and no great harm done. The dupes were wheedled out of their money, and perhaps they learned a lesson.

Dr. A. A. Hallock of Frankfort, spent a few days with his brother here.

Corn-husking is progressing finely.

Our would-be Deputy sheriff has changed his aim. Now his ambition is to be Assistant Surgeon in the Traverse City Asylum. His past experience has taught him that self-appointment is not very satisfactory, so now he seeks his appointment from a more reliable source.

Dr. D. W. Loree is shipping large quantities of hay from this place.

Wheat does not come in quite as freely the past week. The roads are too poor and the farmers are busy with corn.

Syd Howe has a house under way—verily Britton boometh.

Let every body remember the box-social in Britton's Hall, for the benefit of G. A. R. All are cordially invited.

Jas. Smith is a happy papa; a fine boy—may long years be his.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Such of our farmers as have commenced husking corn say the crop is in poor condition to crib.

Mrs. C. Swartout went to Jackson Saturday to visit relatives and purchase goods for the fall and winter trade. She has been engaged in the millinery business here for a long time and enjoys a well earned patronage.

We are glad to hear that Mr. G. B. Lewis is rapidly improving and hope to see him behind the counter in a few days.

Mrs. Cappie Wyend and Emma Rickey Sundayed with friends at Kelley's Corners, and visited the sick room of Mrs. Gusta Lester before returning home.

G. M. Lewis and wife, in company with C. C. Carmichael and others, spent Sunday with Prof. Woodward and family of Clayton. E. A. reports fine school and good success.

Mrs. Margaret Beebe of Somerset, was a pleasant caller at this office Monday forenoon.

Mr. C. E. Strong of Somerset, reports a cabbage-leaf which measures 31½x24½ inches. We should think that such a concern would be an improvement on Jonah's gourd as a roof for a summer resort.

Miss Mary Kempton of Adrian College, spent Sunday and Monday with her mother and friends here. She reports a good attendance and lively interest in College matters at Adrian this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hoag of Iowa, are visiting at Jas. Ash's place at present. They were formerly residents of Lenawee county, and find a host of friends to greet them on their return.

We noticed the familiar face of Mr. Edward Birdsell of Raisin, on the street early in the week.

A sort of juvenile minstrel troupe held forth at the rink Monday evening.

BROOKLYN BILLET.

We are having our Indian summer. The orange buds spoken of in our last have blossomed. On Wednesday evening last, Dr. L. M. Jones was married to Miss Bettie Freeman. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Methodist minister at the residence of the bride's parents.

Master Paul Sheridan is in Detroit attending school.

Miss Lizzie King has accepted a position as cashier in the Farmer's bank, of Brooklyn.

The village is building an engine house on South Main street for the accommodation of the new fire engine. The building is a two story frame and will be finished above for a council room. It will be quite an addition to the village and something it has long felt the need of.

The oyster supper at Mrs. W. S. Culver's for the benefit of All Saint's church, was a success both socially and financially.

Alba Heywood's entertainment at the Hall, next Monday evening. We predict for him a crowded house

TIPTON TOPICS.

Your correspondent failed to put in an appearance last week because of the lack of items.

Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of Addison, preached at the Congregational church last Sunday morning and evening.

The people of Franklin were very much shocked by the sudden death of Mr. George Larzeleer, which occured Monday morning. He left his home Sunday in good health for Macon. While returning Monday, one half mile west of Clinton, he fell from his wagon breaking his neck. Dr. John Tuttle, of Clinton, was immediately summoned, but life was extinct. The funeral is to be held at the house of the deceased Tuesday morning. Mr. Larzeleer leaves a wife and four children. He has long been known in this community as a kind and affectionate husband and father, and an obliging neighbor.

Mrs. Ferguson, an old lady living north of Sand Lake is quite low with a cancer.

Mrs. David Slater, who has been very sick, is convalescent.

A friend of Rev. A. B. Storm's, one Mr. Russell, of Detroit, paid him a flying visit Wednesday.

A drover from Clinton, name unknown, accompanied by his wife had a very narrow escape a few days ago. His horse being frightened by a separator standing in the road, became unmanageable. The gentleman and lady were both thrown from the buggy, but we believe neither were seriously injured.

The young ladies of the Congregational church held a social at the residence of Mr. H. Osborn Friday evening. The principal attraction was the sale of an afghan made by them. The receipts of the evening amounted to about twenty dollars.

The ladies of the M. E. church gave a very enjoyable pumpkin-pie social at the home of George Poucher, Tuesday night.

PECK'S SUN, published at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, is the most humorous paper in America to-day. Geo. W. Peck, its editor and proprietor stands without an equal as a humorist. He believes in making people happy, and no one can be otherwise who reads his most excellent paper. Our readers are invited to read the prospectus of Peck's Sun, in another column. Sample copies mailed free to any address.

Kies Bros. have a brief but interesting lecture on overcoats on the 4th page.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 29 1885

THE DREAM.

I vas schleepin' in der nide-dimes,
Mit mine vife durnied to the toor,
Und I dreamt dot Gretchen cakerdis—
She vat vas mine vife before—
Gretchen mit her plue eyes bakdun'
Alt der oldt fur-lide of yore.

Und she gam oup close peside ma,
Buts her bandt roun on mine bedt—
Leedle, sitogin', soft, varm vingers,
Dot pelang now to der dedt.
Ach, I lifedendt mit some hart akes
To der dehder voedts she sedt.

"Fritz," she vispendt, "I vas lonely!
Take me back von leedle vile,
Led me voel your arm caressin',
Hear your voice, und see you smile!
Vor I luts you—bust as drule,
As in days ad Ladenvoile."

Den uboon mine neck she vithered,
Quick she kadt von loving kiss,
Und mor, I vas yung und dwendy,
Alt mine life bit oup mit bliss.
I vorgedt ve vas barded
Und dose handts und lips I miss.

Ach, I quickly trew her to me,
Gryin', "Gretchen, vate vor me.
Darry dil I too vas pretty,
Und ve pth vill cross Gott's sea,
Ve vill hat to puter bardings,
In dot City oft der Free."

But mine sweete vife-angel vanisht,
Und dose habby tream vas done,
Vile avake I lays mit thinkings,
Dill comes oudt der morn'n sun.
Gretchen takes you the oup yonder,
I ost mine journeys vas pecun.

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Fordy years ave she left me,
Mit yildren vere to der priest.
Nevvun I tinks dey vere kindt,
Sadt mine heart to be rest,
Gretchen, I hope you ave vun leedle ma—
Vun leedle vife to kiss.

—Mrs. Frank Bond, in Detroit Free Press.

THE BARBER'S NEW BOY.

A Few Words of Advice to Him and to Older People.

"Got another boy in the shop this week. He's going to learn the trade. Training boys is the trade's a specialty of mine. I like it, and, though the boys are not so well pleased, I have noticed that they become good workmen and good citizens. When a new boy comes into the shop he is usually dullness, slow of tongue and action. In most shops he gives dollar or is spoiled. The reason at that he receives either a kick from a tough or dress at the tongue out of him, and makes a good one impossible. If you have the nerve to take the chance of it. You nourish its edge and temper with its temper at the same time that you are molding the boy, who ought to be an adonis razors. The man who is responsible for the work upon the character of a growing boy has a magnificent opportunity on his hands. Let me tell you. And not one man in a dozen is fit for any such responsibility. I always begin with my new boy by giving him a good talking to in a kind but firm way. I make allusion to the success the barber is usually given, and I have seen more wild and wooly boys than I care to tell by the quiet talk with never a spoonful of the other.

"'Jimmy,' says I to my new boy, 'for what expense do you think I hire you?' says I, 'you are going to be a barber. It is a noble trade, since it makes men fairer and cleaner in every way, softeners, and assists them in being gentle and refined. Don't be as afraid of your trade, Jimmy, because you have to serve other men. Every man's conscience is servant. Please your master and yourself by pleasing others. Don't think that men will not discover your fault if you slight your work. Nine men out of ten carry a pocket mirror, and try to use it frequently, especially after visiting the barber. And while you are increasing the self-esteem of others, don't forget yourself. Great men are always pleased with themselves. Be proud enough to take your own judgment on yourself, and not the world's. To yourself you are the world, while to the world you are a little speck. Be modest, especially as to trivalities and with trivial people. But don't be modest all the time; chronic modesty is worse than the liver, complaint for shriveling a man up so that nobody can see him. Be sure you know your rights in this world, and, knowing them, don't be afraid sometimes to give them up. If a tough wants the whole of the sidewalk pass him on the inside, with your shoulder thrown well forward and your legs well under you; but gentlemen do not sit in horse cars while ladies, lame or elderly people are standing, even if they have paid five cents for the right. If a man accidentally jostles you on the street do not frown. If you smile he may apologize or follow you into the shop for a shave. Always give a lady room to pass, especially if she carries an umbrella. Do not hit the nose of the horse which trots upon the crossing and nearly knocks you down. The driver's nose is the thing to hit. Don't waste your pity on a homely woman, as the chances are she needs no sympathy. If well dressed she is happy, and if not well dressed she is strong-minded. If you make remarks about passing people be sure you do not call a woman a hustler. A man will feel flattered by the term. You may call him a sly dog and he will buy you a cigar, but if you tell him he is a little puppy he will want to kill you.

"'And Jimmy,' I went on, 'you must be observing at your work. A perfect barber is a diplomat, a companion, a workman, an actor and a gentleman. Keep your razors sharp rather than your tongue. Remember that speech is a silver dollar, while silence is old greenbacks. Make friends with all men, but watch your razors as they pass out. Give advice only to customers whom you do not want to see again. In talking as well as in shaving be careful not to rip up old sores. Don't stroke a cat the wrong way unless you do it with your foot. Don't let the man who has many friends get in your debt for more than three shaves. Never convince a good customer that he is mistaken about anything. Learn the value of kindliness and self-denial. One day a good young gentleman who was next kindly kept his seat and permitted an old man to take his turn. The barber's foot slipped and cut the old gentleman's lip into a Cape Cod. Be cautious, too. Ask a man ten times how he wants his hair trimmed—you can cut it but once. If you would be a brilliant conversationalist and acquire reputation as a wit learn to listen constantly and laugh in the right place. Never undeceive a customer when he thinks he had said a good thing. You can afford to laugh heartily at an old joke. Laughter is cheap medicine, and in some kinds of business it draws like a mustard plaster or an advertisement. To him who is aching to tell all he knows everybody seems to talk too much. If you can't beat a man at an argument call him a crank. But don't argue. When a man argues his brain all rushes to one side of his head, and the contrary side at that. A man was never convinced of anything by argument excepting of his own cleverness and t'other fellow's stupidity. Men change their politics and their beliefs only as they do their shirts—when they are alone. They man who talks much and easily may seem to be the smartest, but about the time he gets tired the man who has been lying back in the chair thinking puts in a few words that knock the other man out. Education is a good thing, but too often it is a mere sugar coating to hide ignorance. The best education is that which teaches a man how little he knows of the much there is to learn and shows him the way to think. The educated man is an amateur, while the thinker is a professional.

"'Jimmy,' says I, 'when you want to flatter an intelligent man you must be very careful. It is a delicate operation, and your flattery must be administered as carelessly as your father is. Every man has a little soft soap if you keep it out of his eyes. You can always flatter a man by intimating that he is handsome. Every man will believe you, for no man knows whether he is good-looking or not. A large majority of men, however, have a suspicion that they are. It is different with a woman. She knows all about it, and if not careful in trying to compliment her you will make yourself ridiculous in her eyes. It is always safe to admire her clothes. Be a politician only for an hour every election day. The man who spends most of his time trying to get an office is usually good for nothing else, and unfortunate for that. The cheapest man on earth is the office-seeker. He feeds himself with hope on a lark and thinks he is getting fat. Be ambitious, but remember that man has no wings. He is a crawling animal, and the lady that walks before it creeps grows up so low-backed that even if bounding back over she is in the way it slips through and one is charged against him in the error column.

"'And remember, Jimmy,' says I, 'that you will do well to have good habits course if. Many good men have bad habits, and the man outwardly perfect is likely to have dry rot within. The prettiest apple usually contains the worm, and the most brilliant electric light may shine in front of the tough-est saloon, but as a rule the man with good habits is a safe one to tie to. You always have more confidence of a horse standing without hitching if he has never run away or kicked out a dashboard, and the horse that has played a few tricks must always be watched. It is the same with a man. If you have bad habits remember that the greatest reformer the world ever saw reformed only one person—himself. This is a practical age, and the man who wields a razor artistically is more assured of a livelihood than the artist with his brush. Misery and happiness are home-made articles. You have made your future if you are content, though too often blessings, like liberal customers, are never appreciated until just as they are ready to go away. Always take a sure thing, if it is a good thing, and therefore make the most of this life, because it is the only one any man was ever sure of. Make the most of it by living as long and happily and healthfully as possible. To do this drink to nobody's long life and prosperity, and let nobody drink to yours; be temperate, cheerful, generous and just. Don't gossip about your fellow workmen, or be jealous of them. Don't imagine them to be trying to do you injury and whine about it to others. If you do you may lose some of your best friends. Female gossips may be tolerated—male gossips never.

"'Judge men generously, Jimmy. Look for their best, not their worst, and learn to average 'em. Every man has his average. Jails are full of men whom society wouldn't average, but took in at their maximum. The world is full of spoiled children who were not averaged by their parents. Do not judge by appearances. The customer who wears the best clothes may stand in most need of a bath. The bald-headed man with the baby-like head may not be childishly innocent. Do not deposit your savings with a bank whose cashier dyes his mustache. Young roues talk of vice—old ones of virtue, though love, tight boots, a stubby beard and a vulgar mind can not long be hid.

"'And Jimmy,' I says in conclusion, says I, 'be charitable. If a poor broke comes in do not give him money to buy liquor with—give him a shave and throw in a bath. They may save his soul.'

"I think Jimmy will make a good boy. I know he will if he follows my advice. Your hair is just in style now, sir; red is all the go. A little of the tonic?"—*Chicago Herald.*

Overworked Menials.

A rather good-looking cook was hired out in the family of a wealthy man living in Dallas, Tex. One day her employer put his arm around her and kissed her, whereupon she dropped a courtesy and said, modestly:

"Don't put yourself to so much trouble. In all the other places where I've been the coachman had to attend to that, but perhaps he is kept busy here kissing the lady of the house."—*Texas Siftings.*

—A troupe of performing Arabs with a trained bear recently visited Troy, N. Y., and the *Times* of that city says that when one of the troupe died the body was cut up and fed to the bear.

ICELAND.

Its Inhabitants a People of More Than Ordinary Intelligence.

From the name and situation, one might expect to find Iceland a cold, desolate country, shrouded much of the time in snow and bordered, like the east coast of its neighbor, Greenland, with almost impenetrable fields of ice. The Gulf Stream, however, plays an important part in modifying and equalizing the climate, and though the summers are somewhat cooler and shorter, the winters are far milder than in some parts of our own country. Quite a difference exists between the climates of the southern and northern parts of the island; but if we trace the isothermal or line of mean temperature, equal to that of Akureyri on the north coast, we will find it leading us far south in other countries that boast of a more salubrious climate.

With the exception of the priests (Lutheran) and a few merchants, the people are all farmers. Those who live near the sea, or one of the many fjords, combine several occupations, and thus gain a good livelihood, or even wealth. The priests hold their position under the Government, and are paid from the public treasury, but they generally add farming to their official duties. The merchants have their stores at one of the small villages about the coast, and carry a stock comprising almost everything. Sometimes they employ agents who travel through the country buying ponies, which they ship to Scotland, or perhaps they own a small vessel which coasts around the island, buying oil and codfish. The farmers obtain all the necessaries of life from the land and waters about him. The rocks and turf are his building material, the bogs furnish inexhaustible supplies of peat for fuel, the rivers swarm with salmon during the summer and the sheep yield wool for his clothing. If near the sea, the almost domesticated eider duck contributes its eggs and down, the seals and sharks give oil for his light, and codfish are added to his winter stores. Once a year he journeys to Reykiavik or one of the smaller villages and barters his produce for things that serve to make his isolated life more comfortable. Usually wood and eider down are the things brought. For these he is given credit by the merchant, and permitted to draw his yearly supply of goods, consisting of rye meal, flour, coffee, sugar, calico and lumber. Upon the farms the houses, with very few exceptions, are clusters of low, turf-covered huts with gable ends, doors and window frames of wood, and, if seen from a distance, are not easily recognized by the stranger. Sheep and even ponies are frequently seen upon the roofs in quest of the grass that grows more luxuriantly there than in the pastures; but the interior of the houses is often made very comfortable by paneling and flooring with wood, painted, and sometimes nicely furnished. Not having much to do at any season, not caring to exert himself beyond his yearly necessities, the Icelander finds much time for reading, his favorite occupation. One who can not both read and write is not to be found, and indeed, as a whole, they are one of the best educated people on the globe. Well informed in history, geography, and literature, especially of their own country, the traveler is often surprised to find these people conversing very intelligently about persons and events of all countries and ages, though they themselves may never have been out of sight of their own island. A faculty for learning languages is certainly a trait of these people, as every one meets persons who converse fluently in Danish and English, and perhaps German or French, or even Latin. This in the towns and villages where they come in contact with people of other nations. Further inland no chance is afforded for practice, but many of the people read understandingly languages which they do not speak. There are those on the island who have traveled extensively in other countries, and having studied their institutions and learned of the people, are now trying to give their countrymen the benefit of the knowledge and to gain from other people that recognition to which their native land is certainly entitled. Two or three learned societies lead a flourishing existence here; and after years of inactivity the country is again bringing forth authors and scholars who can not but be recognized among those of other nations. At several places on the island there are well equipped printing offices.—*N. Y. Times.*

Boston's Funeral Orators.

When Daniel Webster passed over to the majority the choice of the city for eulogist fell upon George S. Hillard, who delivered the oration November 30, 1852. Edward Everett was the orator on the death of the Marquis de Lafayette, September 6, 1834, speaking in Faneuil Hall. Rufus Choate eulogized President Harrison in the same place, April 20, 1841, on which occasion Josiah Quincy, Jr., officiated as chief marshal of the funeral ceremonies. Judge Pliny Merrick was the city orator on the death of General Jackson, July 9, 1845; Judge Levi Woodbury, July 25, 1849, of President Polk; Josiah Quincy, Jr., on President Taylor, August 15, 1851. The memory of Lincoln was honored for the city by Charles Sumner, April 17, 1865, and when the eloquent Senator died, for the first time the city of Boston went outside its own limits for an orator, and April 29, 1874, listened to the eulogy by Carl Schurz. Other eulogies were pronounced before the city government by General Banks, October, 1881, on President Garfield; by George William Curtis, April 18, 1884, on Wendell Phillips; by Edwin P. Whipple, November 26, 1867, on Governor Andrew.—*Hartford Times.*

—A deal of breakage among glass and crockery can be prevented by the simple precaution of placing lamp chimneys, tumblers and such articles in a pot filled with cold water to which some common table salt has been added. Boil the water well and allow it to cool slowly. When the articles are taken out and washed they will resist any sudden changes of temperature.—*Albany Journal.*

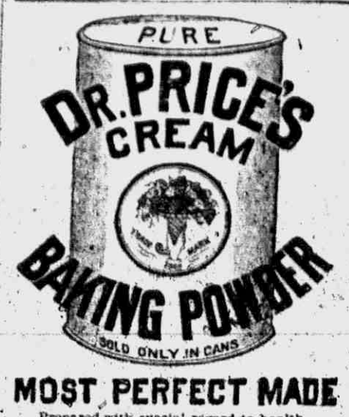

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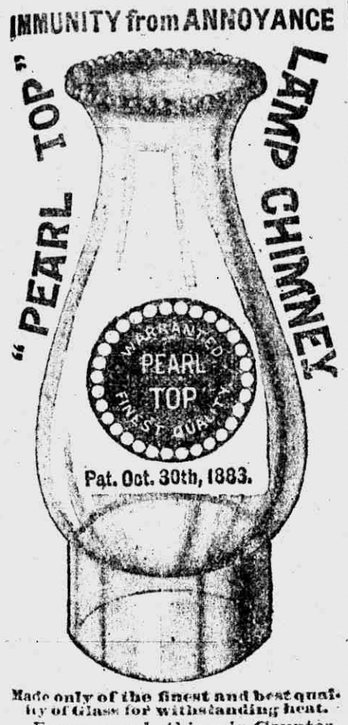

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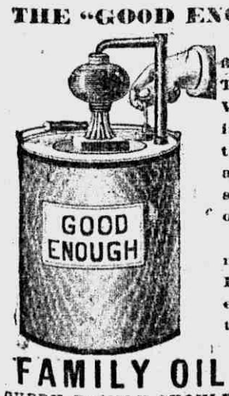

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"The chump reads that and comes on and calls. I have a deal with the landlord of the hotel and receive my pupil in the private parlor. The best racket is to teach him to work loaded dice or marked cards. In an hour he's got the hang of it, but, of course, is very clumsy. We go down to the barroom and throw for drinks. My pal comes up to the bar and looks interested in the game. He asks us to let him in. I say, 'certainly,' and give my bucolic friend the wink. My pal then loses two or three rounds, and wants to throw a quarter a head. We accede. Pal loses, the rustic beats him, but I win. After a few throws I pull my watch out and plead an engagement and get out. As I leave I whisper to the countryman that he has a picnic, and to work the fellow for all he's worth. I then skip. The game continues, and in fifteen minutes my pupil is cleaned out. If he kicks my pal suddenly picks up a loaded dice and starts a row. If the man isn't a fighter my pal hits him on the nose. If he is we call in the gang and bounce him for a blackleg. You can bet he never comes back, and he doesn't complain to the police. Even if he did, we'd have the dead-wood on him, and could easily prove that he rung in loaded dice on us. The racket's just the same with marked cards, but only a little slower. What do you think of the game?"

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"No chewing tobacco."

"Then Heavens, gimme your autograph."—*Texas Siftings.*

A worthy farmer and his family of this county have been attending the night services of a protracted religious meeting at a church in the country. Sometimes they would walk, and sometimes they would ride, the distance being about one mile and a half. After the service was over the other night the gentleman, wife and two daughters walked home, and just before going to bed the absent-minded family happened to think that the wagon and horse had been left at the church. The gentleman walked back to the church and found his horse hitched where he had left him.—*Marietta (Ga.) Journal.*

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 16th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor late of Ravenesmoor in Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is in part at least a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and is past due, and that Edwin B. Wood was duly appointed administrator of said estate and accepted that trust, and that said Edwin B. Wood has deceased without having fully administered said estate, and praying that Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person be appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate. And it appearing to the Court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Brittian, a foreign country having no consul residing in the state, whereby it becomes the duty of this Court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the city of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for the hearing of the same and the court having this day notified such consul by letter addressed to the consul of Great Brittian in the City of New York, deposited in the postoffice in Adrian with the postage prepaid a letter-press copy of which there is now on file in this Court.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered. That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. sep24

ESTATE OF WILLIAM TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 5th day October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Taylor, an insane person.

On reading and filing the petition, of Charles C. Tefft, guardian of said insane person, praying for the allowance of his second annual account as such guardian.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 2nd day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next-of-kin of said ward, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF THOMAS H. MARSHALL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, s.s.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday the 6th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas H. Marshall deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Garrett Marshall, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that he has paid the debts and funeral expenses of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate and the legacies under said will, and praying for the allowance of his final account, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 2nd day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered. That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Charles J. Brewer, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the sixth day of November, 1885, and on the 6th day of April, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 8th, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. McKINNON,
Oct5 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of William Kuder, in the Township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 2nd day of November, 1885, and on the twenty-eighth day of March, 1886, at one o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of September, A. D. 1885, are allowed by said Probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims for examination and allowance.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 29, 1885

Fadover informs us that Mrs. Fadover says that we can confidently rely upon November weather during the coming month. A cyclone among the poultry houses may be expected about one week prior to Thanksgiving.

N. B. Bacon, of Toledo, has been making his Presidential brother-in-law a visit. In a published interview he says that President Cleveland is not at all concerned about the result of the Ohio election, and that he is fully determined to adhere strictly to his civil service reform policy.

The Mugwumps who assisted in the election of a Democrat as chairman of the board of supervisors in opposition to a Republican, will have time to reflect upon the folly of their act before one of them is chosen by Republicans for sheriff and another for register of deeds.—Hudson Post.

What! Is Lenawee county blessed with mugwumps too? Who would have thought it?

The official count in Ohio gives the Senate to the Democrats by three majority, and the House to the Republicans by six. Thus the Republicans have three majority on joint ballot, which insures the return of John Sherman to the United States Senate. It was a close shave, but John probably consoles himself with the reflection that a miss is as good as a mile.

Capt. Kirk of the Adrian Salvation Army, invited the editor of the Record to attend their anniversary supper, and strange to say the invitation was declined. We lament this *faux pas*. Such an opportunity for promoting peace and good will among men seldom occurs. The Captain needs the good will of the Record; the editor needs good victuals and a piece of religion How easily both of these happy results might have been attained around the salvation festive board. Our hopes of a reconciliation between these two worthy citizens have again been dashed to the ground.

Virginia has a Deacon Richard Smith also. A Washington dispatch of the 19th says:

Deacon Richard Smith, of Virginia, a colored veteran of 85 years, was at the President's reception to-day. He had shaken hands with every President since Madison, and was anxious not to miss the opportunity of taking Mr. Cleveland's hand. Gen. Eppa Hunton, who was next to the Deacon in the line, drew him into conversation.

"You are a Democrat, of course?" he inquired.

"No, sir," was the reply. "I'm a Baptist, and it don't make any difference about shaking hands with the President, anyhow."

Newspaper editors receive many offers for advertising to be paid for in truck and dicker. Yesterday's mail brought a very tempting one which says: "If you will publish the notice below in your valuable paper at the top of column, next to reading matter, for four weeks, we will upon the receipt of a marked copy send you one of our Economical Corn Shellers, charges prepaid." Now, there is an offer that amounts to something. We have been pining and hankering after an economical corn sheller for years, one that would obviate lugging corn to the mill, save the miller's tolls, and bring the Johnny cake upon the table piping hot, without the aid of a gasoline stove. An order for that economical corn sheller was dispatched by return mail.

The Saginaw Courier has started a boom for Mrs. Gen. Custer, for the Detroit Pension Agency. In a lengthy editorial urging the appointment, it says:

The roll of the heroic host which represented Michigan in the late rebellion contains no name more dear to the people of this state than Gen. George A. Custer, and in gallantry, dash, and all the qualifications that create the ideal soldier, he had few peers in all the States. Gen. Custer, together with five members of his family laid down their lives for their country, at the battle of Little Big Horn River, June 25, 1876, Custer being at that time in command of the Seventh U. S. Cavalry. His military record as commander of the famous Michigan Cavalry Brigade during the war is familiar to all Michigan people. Mrs. Gen. Custer is a lady of more than ordinary accomplishments, and would grace the position which she is eminently qualified to fill; and we believe her appointment as such pension agent, would be especially grateful to the people of this state, as well as a just recognition of the services of her gallant husband on the field of battle.

FARMER'S SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday afternoon Oct. 16, the Farmer's Social Club met at the residence of Mr. F. C. Rector. There was a fair attendance considering an afternoon meeting. About half past 3 the President called the meeting to order, and as the young people had not arrived the literary part, aside from the discussion, was postponed until after refreshments, and the members proceeded at once to discuss the question. "What is the proper method to save seed corn, and which is the most profitable, husking corn to fatten stock, or feeding it without husking?"

Mr. F. C. Rector led the discussion. Said he was convinced that the proper way to save seed corn, was to kiln dry it. As an illustration, he said he had a quantity of corn last spring that had been keep all winter by his furnace where it was warm and dry all the time. This corn was planted by the side of corn that had been kept in his usual way, that was in the chamber of one of his out buildings. His thoroughly dried corn, planted the same day and the day after the other, side by side, came up two days the soonest, and was a great deal the most vigorous, and done decidedly the best all summer. Mr. Rector is a firm believer in feeding cattle to fatten on unhusked corn. Is quite sure they will not waste as much as they will any other way, and will fatten much faster.

Mr. Russell had usually gone to his crib for seed corn, and had sometimes got left. Did not think it the best way to do. Thought perhaps the surest and best way was to thoroughly dry seed corn before winter set in. Mr. Russell was not satisfied in his own mind, that feeding corn without husking was economy; had been in the habit of feeding his corn ground and mixed with mill feed, as he said he was satisfied that corn meal was too heating alone.

Mr. Everhart was in favor of kiln drying corn for seed or keeping it in a room where it could not freeze. Said that he was satisfied that cattle would waste less when fed on corn unhusked than any other way. Said it was impossible for them to swallow it until it was thoroughly masticated. Was not sure that they would fatten quite as fast as when fed on meal.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie had usually been successful with seed corn, by going to his crib and selecting what he wanted. Still he thought it would pay best and be surest to select what seed corn was wanted and put it up where there would be no danger of freezing before it was thoroughly dried out. Thought that feeding stock corn without husking, was a terrible wasteful, slovenly way. Said that a great many ears was so big that cattle could not chew them at all, besides cattle would rummage the stalks all over for the corn first, and then would not eat the stalks unless absolutely forced to it. His manner of feeding, was corn ground into meal. Mr. Rector replied that the cattle would eat everything up clean. Said it was true that some of the ears of corn that we raised, were too large for feeding that way. Said we should plant our corn for that purpose thicker, so that the ears would be smaller. Said he had 7 acres planted on purpose for feeding, would warrant it to yield over 100 bushels to the acre, and on the poorest land he had.

As the clock had struck the hour of five, Mrs. Rector came to the door and called time, and in her most agreeable manner invited the club into the dining room for a season. After refreshments the club listened to the following program:

Inst. Music—Eva Rector, which was performed in her usual happy manner.

Singing—By the choir, which was one of their best efforts.

Essay—Mrs. John Fisher, which was good, and well read by her step daughter, Ellen Fisher.

Dec.—Garland Gillespie, subject, "The old way and the new."

As Lizzie Henderson was not present, the meeting closed with another song by the choir.

Club adjourned to meet at Jacob Everhart's Nov. 13th, evening.

Program for next meeting.

Singing—By the choir.

Select Reading—Mrs. A. G. Hall.

Inst. Music—Miss Anna Everhart.

Essay—Miss Ellen Fisher.

Song—Lizzie Henderson.

Dec.—Frank Gillespie and Artie Bangs.

Music—By the choir.

Question for Discussion—What sized farm can a man handle with the most profit in this section of the state.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.

JAMES PARTON, who for years held the rank of the most popular magazine writer in America, reappears in the November number of The North American Review with a characteristic Letter to the people of the United States on their character as employers. It is the most trenchant envoy in favor of Civil Service Reform that has appeared for years. Mr. Parton's reentry into the field of magazine literature will be hailed with delight by the millions.

A second edition of The North American Review for October, was called for within a few days after the number was issued. The circulation of the Review has been rapidly advancing recently.

Reading people get rid of the superfluous cats by putting them in a bag and hanging the bag on their neighbor's hitching post.—Hillsdale Standard.

Why would not the same plan work well if applied to some of our village canines?

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Good sleighing reported at Ishpeming.

Elk Rapids will ship thousands of bushels of potatoes this fall.

St. Ignace catholics will build a large school in connection with their church.

Bay county supervisors talk of erecting a $1,000 building for idiots and insane.

It has been decided to restore the time honored junior hop at the University this year.

'Josh Billings' was quite well known in Monroe, where his sister and other relatives reside.

The Paint river iron mine in the Upper Peninsula is soon to be operated on a large scale.

Bulletin No. eight, of the Agricultural college, is on the subject of wintering bees, from the pen of A. J. Cook.

Thus far the October term of the Jackson circuit court has granted 20 decrees of divorce. No need to go to Indiana any more.

The officers of the Pennsylvania road who are interested in the new road between Corry and Manistee, will inspect the route this week.

The knights of labor are organizing in the Upper Peninsula, the first steps having been taken towards the desired end at a meeting in Marquette last week.

Cadillac methodists have engaged the services of Prof. M. Foote, instructor of music in city schools, as chorister for ensuing year. They pay him a liberal salary.

The infringement litigation between the Church finish company and the Alabastine company, at Grand Rapids, in the courts for over a year, is about to be amicably adjusted.

S. H. Webster, of East Saginaw, has sold pine lands in Crawford county to Lewis D. Sanborn and others for $106,000. There is 15,000,000 feet of standing pine on the property.

Congressman Comstock will go to New Mexico to look after his timber interests there, and will then go to Washington to be on hand at the opening of the session of congress in December.

Van Antwerp at Jackson, Stearns at Adrian, Shakespeare at Kalamazoo, Strang at Charlevoix, Schermerhorn at Hudson, and Sanford at Lansing, are among the Michigan newspaper men remembered by President Cleveland in the distribution of postmasterships.

The mails heretofore carried between Harbor Springs and Cross Village were some time since discontinued, and a new route established between Harbor Springs and Leverina, but so much dissatisfaction was expressed over the change that the old route has been re-established.

The second suit of Barnes Brothers against the Michigan air line for damages done to the plaintiffs' water power at Rochester by defendants' road terminated at Pontiac [illegible] iday.—The plaintiffs were awarded $5,500.—They claimed $25,000 actual damages, and $750 w s awarded in the first trial.

There are 173 Michigan veterans of the late war in the soldiers' home at Dayton, O., one in the home at Augusta, Me., and 282 in the home at Milwaukee. Many of these will undoubtedly go to Grand Rapids when the Michigan home is completed.—There are 50 old soldiers in the Harper hospital in Detroit.

The C. & W. M. railroad company has acted as mediator with the transcontinental railroad companies in behalf of the Grand Rapids furniture companies, and the regulations have been modified so that the largest cars can now be transported to the Pacific coast without breaking bulk. The rules heretofore have allowed 12 1-2 feet as the maximum height of cars, and now 18 feet cars are passed.

The Edison electric company for isolated lighting have laid over 10 miles of wire in the northern asylum at Traverse City, and have about as much more yet to lay. The circuits are double—one lighting the corriders and the others the rooms—and are laid in white ash molding, grooved to receive the wire, and placed at the junction of the walls with the ceiling. These circuits are tapped at intervals and the electric current carried—in the molding, to the center of the ceiling, in the corridors and large rooms, and to wall lights in the sleeping apartments.

Says a Chesaning correspondent in the Saginaw Courier: "The first issue of the Chesaning Semi-Weekly Argus greets its home patrons and is winning its way to others, numbering in all about 1,000 on its pay roll. The paper will be a folio instead of a quarto, as it has been. Show us another country editor who commenced with a wheelbarrow load of stuff, and in eight years has a well equipped country office, the office itself, and a store to rent; has built a fine large house, that with its surroundings is valued at $2,000, an intellectual wife who edits an educational journal (that promises great success), and two lovely little girls. Where is the other.—Let us hear from him."

THE NEW SOUTH.

The South is rich in everything but money. The people have too much land; some persons who live in poor cabins and eat corn-bread and bacon the year round, and part of the time are short of these luxuries, own thousands of acres of land. With so much land, only mere strips of bottom are cultivated, and, as the saying goes here, a man can get a living by working two months in the year. The next plentiful thing to land is leisure. There is more leisure taken by one farmer in the South than by twenty farmers in the North and West. Consequently, there is little grown for sale, except tobacco and cotton, and little for use; for Western bacon, Northern butter and flour, Northern or Western clothing, hardware, plows, wagons, and most of the other necessaries of life, are brought in, and money sent out in exchange. Whereas pork, butter flour, and all sorts of provisions, wool, fruit, and all sorts of timber manufactures, might be shipped away in large quantities, or at least made for home use, and the money kept in the country which now goes out so freely as to keep every one poor, and compel them to live on credit.

Every day the railroads are bringing in Western and Northern farmers by scores, and these men are apt to see the wealth hidden under the rough and unattractive surface of the country. They see the rich soil, they enjoy the fine climate; they don't see the venomous snakes, the bitterness of spirit, and the preponderance of the negroes, which foolish and untruthful persons have said so much about falsely; but if it were not for a few physical features of the country, the absence of good farming, the poor houses, the scarcity of stock, and the want of barns, they would not know they were traveling so far from home, and would find no difference between the people here and their neighbors North or West. Scores of farmers in North Carolina have said to me, we want your people to come here and show us how to work; we want to learn; we have plenty of room; there is nothing to hinder; all the old differences are gone; slavery is got rid of, and we are glad of it; it is the greatest relief in the world to have gotten rid of the care of it, and we are far better off as it is, than with the old system of labor. As a rule, the negroes are good laborers, and with a good employer, who will show them how to work, and will pay them regularly, they can be made far better than they are.—HENRY STEWART in the American Agriculturist for November.

HOW TO CATCH COLD.

Sit in a street car next to an open window.

Leave off your heavy underclothing on a mild October day.

Take a hot drink before going out into the cold or damp air.

Let the boys romp at school during recess time without their hats.

Sit in the passage or near an entry after dancing for half an hour.

Sit in a barber shop in your shirt sleeves while waiting to be shaved.

Wear your light-weight summer hosiery through October and November.

Put on a pair of thin shoes in the evening when you call upon your girl.

Fail to change your shoes and stockings after coming in on a very rainy day.

Have your hair cut and shampooned just as a change takes place in the weather.

Wear one of the new ladies' cutaway coats without a chamois or flannel vest underneath.

Throw open your overcoat upon a blustering winter day to show off your nice, new necktie.

Send the children out in autumn for exercise in short thin stockings and skrimpy skirts.

Leave off your rough overcoat when you go driving and wear your nice thin one to look swell.

Go to the front door in a cobweb dress and linger bidding goodnight to your favorite young man.

Take a hot bath in the evening and set up in your room to finish the last pages of an exciting novel.

Throw off your heavy coat when you reach the office in a hurry and put on a thin knock-about.

Go down to breakfast without a wrap on a chilly morning before the fires have got fully started.

ESTATE OF LUCINDA BODINE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 23d day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lucinda Bodine, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Peter Scott, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies, except residuary legacies have been fully paid, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate in accordance with the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. H. BUTGER, Probate Register. oc29

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of December, 1885, and on the 26th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of October, A.D. 1885, are allowed by the said court for creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 29, 1885.

ALEXANDER RICHARD,
HORACE B. HOLDRIDGE,
oc29 Commissioners.

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FOR SALE cheap or exchange, 2000 bushels Turnips, extra quality, in quantities to suit purchaser. Also wood heating stove, nearly new.
F. D. HILLMAN.

BLACKSMITHING.—Fletcher, of Ridgeway, is now in his new shop and will set horseshoes at 10c per shoe, and all other work in proportion.

FOR SALE.—Ten acres of good land situate 4 miles west, and ½ mile north of Tecumseh. Good house, barn, orchard, etc., on the place. Terms easy.
GEO. W. SMITH.

CELERY.—Everybody wanting Celery to store away for winter use can get it at Prairie Side farm the last week of October and the first two weeks of November. Price in field $1.50 per hundred. Delivered in village in bulk, $1.75. Packed in box or tub ready to put in cellar, $2.00. Order by postal.
H. L. STEWART.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of "The Library Association of Tecumseh" for the purpose of electing three directors, receiving reports of officers, election of officers and the transaction of any business that may suit the pleasure of the stockholders of said association, will be held in the Library rooms on Tuesday evening, Nov. 3d, 1885, at 7 o'clock. Every stockholder is earnestly requested to be present.
R. B. HOUSE, Sec.

STAMPING at Mrs. Catlin's Dressmaking shop every afternoon from 1 o'clock until 5, over Nyland's shoe store. Room first door at the head of the stairs. Waves dressed for 10 cts., hair switches colored at 25 cts. Call early, select for braid or embroidery. Oil stamping will require one day to dry. My home is opposite the Widow Jordan's.
MRS. C. M. WEBSTER.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—50,000 Wilson's Albany now ready for the fall planting. Price, $2.50 per thousand.
ABNER WILSON.

HORSE FOR SALE.—An excellent large bay carriage horse for sale cheap. Enquire of
FRED. B. WOOD.

Mrs. D. A. Hammond has returned from her visit at White Pigeon.

A biographical sketch of Willard Stearns, editor of the Adrian Press, was printed in last week's Morenci Observer. Query: Did Bro. Stearns write the sketch himself?

This morning, about eight o'clock, the marriage of Miss Dora Keyser of this village, and Mr. Nate Clark, of Toledo, took place at the residence of the bride's parents. The happy pair will take the 10 o'clock M. & O. train for Toledo, where they will reside.

"All Soul's Day" is observed by the Universalist church in the United States, Canada and Europe on the first Sunday in November. Next Sunday morning appropriate services in the Universalist church of Tecumseh. Subject of sermon, "In Remembrance." The choir will render some fine music accompanied by an orchestra. In the evening a sacred concert by the Sunday-School, consisting of responsive reading, recitations, music, vocal and instrumental.

Our esteemed friend Kempton, of the Addison Courier, would like a green-house at Addison for the preservation of the flowers the ladies bestow upon him for his good looks, and a picture gallery to preserve the looks. Addison wants the earth with a fence around it.—Adrian Record.

During a visit to Adrian last Friday we dropped into the new Court House where we chanced to meet T. M Hunter and Alf. James, of the court house committee, who "showed us around." The building itself is now substantially completed, and the furniture will be placed in position at an early day. Lenawee county has reason to be proud of her new Temple of Justice.

The last excursion of the season over the M. & O. road will take place on Saturday next, Oct. 31st. The excursion train will run from Battle Creek to Toledo on the following schedule, at this fare for the round trip.

Trains leave.	A. M.	Fare.
Battle Creek	6 30	$1.25.
Addison	8 43	$1.00.
Onsted	9 05	$1.00.
Tipton	9 17	$1.00.
Tecumseh	9 32	$1.00.
Ridgeway	9 42	$1.00.
Britton	9 46	$1.00.

Arrive at Toledo at 11:10 A. M. Returning the train will leave Toledo at 5.45 P. M. standard time.

While traveling down Logan street yesterday, curiosity led us to stop and inspect Wm. Gray's Knitting Works. We were somewhat surprised to find so complete an establishment. He has four knitters, of different sizes, and is manufacturing a large assortment of ladies', gents' and children's hosiery. He makes both cotton and woolen goods. A large stock of yarn is being rapidly worked up into hose. He has just knit several pair on a plan of his own, with the feet of cotton yarn and the legs of woolen. He believes they will be acceptable for cold weather use. Mr. Gray is a first class machinist and he is now constructing a small steam engine with which to drive his knitting machines. Orders for goods are received every day and he is prepared to "sock it to 'em" as fast as they come.

The skating rink was well filled with people last evening to witness the walking and skating contest between Strokel, the champion walker of the U. S., and Al. Heesen and Harry Corbin. Strokel was to walk one and one-fourth miles while the young men each skated one mile. At 9:11 o'clock the men were called up to start. Strokel wore white tights and shirt and black trunks; Corbin blue tights and shirt and black trunks, while Heesen appeared dressed in a neat suit of gray with white shirt. Al. Heesen skated the first mile against Strokel, and finished it in a few seconds over four minutes, and Corbin immediately started on the second mile, and had made 15 laps when Strokel finished his mile and a quarter, thus winning the race by four laps. Time seven minutes and 23 seconds.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 29, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dan. Covell, of Dundee, was in town last Saturday.

J. H. Smith went to Toledo on business last Saturday.

J. S. Kinney visited Dundee last Saturday on business.

Abner Wilson is shipping another car load of cabbages this week.

Mr. L. C. Blood, of Lansing, paid Tecumseh a flying visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eccles have been spending several day with relatives at Jonesville.

Ex-Supervisor James was at Adrian last Friday to attend a meeting of the Court House committee.

Monroe city is feverish with anxious expectancy, for the Salvation Army is to open a campaign there this week.

Arthur Kennedy has become an active member of the Commercial telegraph company and has put a ticker into his store.

A very handsome galvanized iron cornice has been placed on the front of Henry McClure's and A. Anderson's grocery stores.

When the new proprietors take control of the Detroit Post next week, the name will be changed to the Tribune and it will be a 2 cent paper.

The committee of equalization reduced the assessment on real estate in Tecumseh four per cent, which speaks well for supervisor Bresie.

Joseph Exelby, of Britton, is pretty well fixed now. He runs his farm and rents his brick block at Britton, both of which net him a good income.

Chas. DuBois, of Britton, has been putting extensive repairs upon his house, and can now boast of one of the finest dwellings on the street.

The benefit social at Rev. J. M. Getchell's last Tuesday evening was well attended and the results, both socially and financially, were very satisfactory.

The Canine Paradox, advertised to appear at the Opera House on Monday evening, was postponed till this evening, when the show will positively take place.

Thanks to Prof. T. R. Watts for a new Mazurka Caprice entittled "Early Dawn." It is one of his latest compositions and is published by Wm. A. Pond & Co., N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cummins have taken up their residence with their daughter Hettie, Mrs. Chas. Brewer. This arrangement will be a good one for all parties concerned.

Mrs. P. R. Adam's new family residence will soon be ready for occupancy. The plastering is about done, and the joiners and painters are putting on the finishing touches.

James Lowry's organ donation will come off next Monday evening. We have given Mr. Lowry the use of the HERALD counting room for the purpose, where the drawing will take place.

During the Saturday's session of the Baptist state convention, Mrs. C. E. Conley was re-elected president of the Kalamazoo Ladie's Hall Association. The building will cost $7,100 and they have already raised $4,014,75.

Henry C. Conkling was chosen County Superintendent of the Poor last week by the Board of Supervisors. Mr. Conkling has had considerable experience in that office, and is admirably fitted for the position.

Little dogs and big dogs, handsome dogs and homely dogs, short-haired dogs and shaggy dogs, dogs good, bad and indifferent, will exhibit themselves at the Opera House this evening. This will be the dog-gondest show of the season.

D. H. Silvers is becoming quite a farmer. He cut 35 acres of corn on his Clinton farm this year which will average over 100 bushels of ears to the acre. He still runs a clothing store at Manchester, but his farm takes most of his time and attention.

The Baptist state convention held last week at Adrian, was largely attended and was a very interesting gathering. Under the order of presentation of representatives of other bodies, Rev. Mr. Babbitt, of Tecumseh, representing the Presbyterian synod, made remarks. He bore, he said the salutation of the synod, and supplemented the announcement with happy remarks complimentary to Baptists. We are one in Christian doctrines; if we differ it is but little.

Rev. Miss A. J. Chapin, will lecture at the Universalist church to-morrow evening, Oct. 30th. Subject, "Women of the Early World." Miss Chapin is one of the most eloquent preachers in fellowship with the Universalist church and has a national reputation as a lecturer. The price of admission is placed at 15 cents, and at this figure, the church ought to be filled. We can assure our readers that they will have no reason to regret the expenditure of this small sum to hear this lecture. Tickets will be on sale by A. E. Kennedy, at the postoffice, by John O'Neil at C. A. Slayton's office, and at the door.

Ed. Hough went to N. Y. city last Thursday.

Tom. M. Hunter, of Adrian, was in town Sunday.

Chas. Peacock, of Whiteford, Mich. is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. T.J. Kennedy, of Battle Creek, was in town last Saturday.

Elbridge Hyde, of Adrian, was in town last Tuesday on business.

Miss Hattie Montgomery, of Albion College, was home over Sunday.

Miss Libbie Robinson went to Detroit last Friday to visit friends.

The Adrian Light Guard will give four swell parties during the winter.

The next term of the Circuit Court will convene on the 10th of November.

"Tod" Zellars, who is working in a foundry in Jackson, was home over Sunday.

B. J. Slater is now smashing baggage at the M. & O. depot in place of John Tansley.

Mrs. M. E. Bryan, who lately took up a homestead in Dakota, returned home last Friday.

A number of Progressive Euchre Clubs have been organized in town for the winter's campaign.

Remember the oyster supper at The Patterson this evening to be given by the ladies of St. Peter's church.

The display of portraits made by C. A. Thatcher is the finest seen at this or any previous fair.—Hillsdale Standard.

Frank Silvers started for Kentucky last Monday, and will bring back a thoroughbred Kentucky stallion when he returns.

Toledo has old fashioned "spellin skules," but they are now called "pronouncing matches." So much for "culchaw."

E. W. Freese & Son, of Clinton, have a new card in to-day's HERALD calling attention to some extra bargains offered by them.

Mrs. Fanelia Foster, who has been visiting at Mrs. D. W. Clark's during the past summer, started for her home in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., last Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. Conkling who had been visiting friends in Hudson for several days, returned last Tuesday very ill, and had to be carried home from the train.

Miss Arletta C. Merritt, granddaughter of the late T. T. Romeyn, of this place, is teaching the Post school for officers' children at Fort Keogh, Montana.

Supervisor Bresie spent the last two weeks in attendance upon the annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors. He did'nt miss a single day of the session.

Miss Anna Robbins, of Cleveland, is visiting Miss Grace DeWolf this week. She expects to remain and teach a class in painting if the desired number of scholars can be secured.

Miss May Henderson, of this village, was chosen Secretary of the Kalamazoo Ladies Hall Association at the meeting last week, and Mrs. A. L. Brewer was elected a member of the Board of Auditors.

Mrs. Hancock and daughter, Maggie, mother and sister of Mrs. Aaron Aten, who have been visiting here for the past two months, returned home last Friday to Saginaw City. Mrs. H. is eighty-six years old.

A very pleasant party was given at the home of Herbert McNair last Tuesday evening in honor of Fred. Hillman, who leaves for South Lyons, Ohio, in a few days, where he will engage in teaching school.

Jacob Totten, of this village, has gone to Dundee, having obtained work in the Buckeye Churn Co.'s works. He will make his home with Charley Eldredge, and expects to remain there until spring.

John R. Clark is filling his second engagement in the capital city of Canada. On Sunday last 1750 persons heard him in the Dominion Church of Ottawa. This week he gives a course of four lectures in that city.

The Board of Supervisors last week passed a resolution, substituting the township system of caring for the poor in place of the county plan heretofore in vogue. The township plan is a good one in theory, but we doubt whether it will be found equitable in practice. The rural townships will manage in some way to escape their share of the poor expenses. However, let us give the new system a fair trial for one year and hope that a practical application of the plan may prove successful.

About 6:30 o'clock last Sunday evening, a woman employed in the laundry at the Lilley House by the name of Margaret Crawford, was suddenly seized with an attack of heart disease and before medical aid could be summoned, expired. The deceased was about 46 years of age, and had been working there for several months, but nothing was known of her, and nothing was found in her effects to lead to the discovery of the residence of any of her friends. It was known that she had a husband living and other relatives, but their residences are unknown. The remains were taken in charge by undertaker McCowen, and placed in the vault at the cemetery.

Henry McClure's branch store at Britton, is working up a fine trade.

The annual meeting of the Franklin and Tecumseh Farmer's club will be held at the residence of Henry Wilson on Wednesday evening, Nov. 4th, 1885. A full attendance of the members is desired.

Mr. Frank Smallidge, of Detroit, came to Tecumseh last Saturday, and tarried until Monday afternoon. He paid his respects at the HERALD office, of course. Frank is well fixed now. He has a fine drug business, and keeps one of the best "steppers" in the city.

"How does the old Globe Mill prosper now?" asked a HERALD scribe of Jerry Root the other day. "No let up at all," replied Mr. Root. "Three hundred barrels are turned out every 24 hours. When we can't sell, which is very seldom, we keep running and donate to the poor."

If you have any good hay to sell you had better get it baled and sell it to A. W. Slayton. He has already shipped 330,000 lbs. On his return from N. Y. City he will be in the market for baled wheat straw. He pays the highest market price as he has a partner in N. Y., and pays no commissions.

Supervisor Rogers, of Medina, had occasion to pay a visit in the town of Dover yesterday and hired a livery rig from Bachtel & Todd's stables. Late in the afternoon he returned, threw down the reins and left precipitately. The hostlers looked the rig over. Nothing like it had been seen around that stable in many a day. The supervisor was hastily sent for and called upon to explain how it was that he took out a $150 rig in the morning and came back with a $15 buggy in the afternoon. A lawyer friend offered to procure bail for him and advised him to drive back in the country and "swap" back. It is said that nothing will save the supervisor from having sentence pronounced upon him but a box of cigars.—Adrian Record.

Tecumseh was well represented at the Baptist State Convention, held at Adrian last week. The following members of the Tecumseh church were present during the whole or a portion of the session:

Mr. & Mrs. Dr. Hamilton.
" " John Fisher.
" " James Heck.
" " P. B. Swick.
" " A. P. Coldington.
" " J. H. Bramble.
" " Deacon John Margeson.
" " T. C. Mills.
Mrs. W. C. Fisher.
" A. L. Millis.
Miss Mary Herring.
" May Henderson.
Mrs. H. Baker.
" A. L. Brewer.
Deacon J. Clough.
Mr. J. W. DePuy.
Mrs. M. DePuy.
" J. H. Osborn.
" P. C. Temple.
" Chas. McNeil.
Dr. and Mrs. L. G. North.
Mrs. A. Stevens.
Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff.

THE COUNTY POOR.

Below is a summary of the report made by the superintendents of the poor to the Board of Supervisors:

One hundred and twenty-five persons have been aided at the poor-house during the past year. There are at present 69 inmates, of whom 38 are males and 31 females. The average number for the year has been 65. There have been 8 deaths and 3 births. The expense of the county-house was $3,269.83, which includes $1,300 keepers' salary and $1,551.41 for supplies. The products of the county farm amounted to $1,181.29.

Temporary relief of the poor cost the city $6,028.66 last year, and the townships $8,655.40, a total expense of $14,684.06 in the county.

There are 17 insane people kept at the Eastern Michigan Insane Asylum at an expense of $2,670.48 to the county.

The total cost of the poor to the county last year was $18,617.64. An appropriation of $16,090 is recommended for the ensuing year.

BOHEMIAN OATS.

Most of our county exchanges have done their duty by warning the farmers against the Bohemian oat swindle, and the HERALD has abundant reason to be satisfied with its course in this matter. Some of our farmer friends however, do not take our advice kindly, and to such we commend the following item, taken from the Western Rural, a leading agricultural journal of the northwest. The advice of such a newspaper certainly ought to have some weight with the farmers.

The enterprising Bohemian oats crowd seem to have experienced a revival. Complaints are coming in pretty thick at present. Their plan is to sell their oats to farmers for ten dollars a bushel, and agree to take all he raises at a high price. The man who pays ten dollars a bushel for Bohemian oats is very foolish. Any seedsman will furnish Bohemian oats. They are advertised in some of the catalogues, we believe, for $1.25 a bushel. They are a fair oat, in fact, most excellent, according to the testimony that we have received, for making oat meal. For all practical purposes they are no better than the ordinary oat. They are worth no more to the farmer than any other good oat, and when a man offers to sell them for ten dollars a bushel, tell him to talk to the marines, you are busy.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Brooklyn had a big hunting match last Thursday.

The Baptist church of Hudson was dedicated last Tuesday.

Britton's barber has decided to migrate to Clinton. Who will shave the Brittonians now?

Alex. Ellis, of Clinton, picked a number of ripe strawberries from his vines on the 17th inst.

Mrs. Judge Geddes, of Adrian, is visiting several cities in the east in the interest of Adrian College.

The festive burglar made himself very numerous in Hudson last week. Five places were visited in one night.

Wm. Hunter has been appointed janitor of the new Court House. He was the watchman employed by the contractors, and is well fitted for the position.

At the next meeting of the Clinton High School Literary to-morrow evening, they will tackle the question: "Resolved, That Congress was justifiable in impeaching President Johnson."

The county printing was awarded to the Blissfield Advance for the coming year. There were five bids presented, and as the Advance made the lowest bid, the contract was awarded accordingly.

Stacy of the HERALD and Dr. Burchard, the director of the Clinton section of the Tecumseh News, are at it again, and wading into one another with great journalistic vigor, and the fur begins to fly in all directions.—Ring off, gentlemen, ring off, and save your energies.—Adrian Press.

Rev. Mr. Farmer, the Baptist minister at Hudson, has acted as architect and superintendent in building the new church. He has also handled the hammer and saw six days in the week and preached an extra good sermon every Sunday. Mr. Farmer intends to earn his wages.

Beakes & Smith, of the Adrian Record, aver that they were taken for Baptist ministers by the visiting brethren several times last week.—That is nothing strange. In fact, about all they lack to make good ministers is a little religion. We respectfully invite Capt. Kirk's attention to this item.

E. R. Smith and B. O. Randall are making preparations to put in a water wheel near the Chicago street bridge. Part of the power is to be utilized in running John Smith & Son's coffee roaster, and the balance will be transmitted to Randall & Co's store and used to propel the coffee grinder.—Clinton Local.

We pity young ladies who go to the post office for letters from their lovers and receive none. We pity young men who have not heard from their girls for a long while, but above all we pity the man who gets no letters, men who take no papers, but who anxiously inquire day after day the year round. "Any letters for me?"—"Not any—that is all, I don't take any papers." We pity him most.

Last Friday Prosecutor Salsbury came near losing a suit: at least he busted his pants. He was intending to go to Adrian on the freight, but being a little late, tried to mount the frisky caboose after the train had started. As he grasped the rod on the platform his feet slipped, and in a jiffy he was on his stomach, his pants torn, his legs scratched, and his usual dignity sadly demoralized.—Hudson Post.

In commenting upon the suggestion of the Adrian Press that the Blissfield Advance man might turn in drain orders to help pay for a gas well the latter says:

You're right. We will "blow in" all the drain orders we possess. If "orders" will pay for boring a hole in the ground, there would be no trouble in getting enough to go through to China. Possibly the Press has some it wants to donate for the purpose.

The supposition is a reasonable one. We know a printer in Tecumseh who wouldn't object to taking a "leetle" stock on the same condition.

The artistic Vern Wheeler, of Tecumseh, planted his camera down in several prominent and picturesque places in Hudson, a few days ago, and the result thereof can be seen at Wood's Book Store, in a large and beautiful line of stereopticon views of the business streets, blocks, private residences, churches and public buildings. They are all fine, and no mistake. Vern also made some handsome cabinet pictures of Jacob Beehee's and VanNess Schermerhorn's residences.—Hudson Gazette.

The cow stolen from the premises of Mrs. J. I. Tallmadge last week, was found by Mr. Bettis at an Adrian slaughter house, just about to be butchered. He interfered with the process and securing the assistance of deputy sheriff Teachout that gentleman arrested Jim Brown, of this village, as the thief, his description talleying exactly with that given by the butcher as the man of whom he purchased the animal for $25. Brown was arraigned before Justice Long, of Adrian, where he plead not guilty, claiming his ability to prove an alibi. The butcher recognized him in court as the man who sold him the cow.—Blissfield Advance.

Rev. F. B. Cressy, of Detroit, will occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday morning and evening.

Guerdon Garlinghouse, of Raisin, was made happy yesterday morning, by his wife presenting him with a fine boy baby.

The smiling countenance of Edgar Ide will be missed from the postoffice delivery window in the future. He ceased laboring for Uncle Sam last evening.

The Court House committee figured the business down pretty fine, as witness their report, make by Secretary Hunter to the Board of Supervisors:

Amount of appropriation,		$50,000 00
Contract price -	$47,460 00	
Ex. stone work - -	1,364 00	
Ex. inside work -	1,160 00	
		49,984 00
Leaving balance after paying all expenses of construction - - - -		16 00

Which sum of $16 the committee recommend be turned into the general contingent fund.

Deerfield has a new daily paper called The Star. It is not as large as the Detroit Free Press, nor as ably edited, but 'tis a daily, nevertheless—that is, it is published in the day time; and printed once a day, at intervals, as the business interests of the city, and the editor's pocket seem to demand. The first number appeared on the 20th inst., and the second number may be expected to twinkle on or about Thanksgiving. We had the pleasure of perusing a copy the other day, and were moved to exclaim:—

Twinkle, twinkle, little Star,
How I wonder what you are:
Put on your specs and you will see
The grandest sheet in Lenawee.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

The Young men of Tecumseh are squandering valuable time. Another of our fair maidens has entered into hymen's bonds and the lucky groom hails from a distant state. Last Tuesday afternoon, at the home of the bride's mother in this village, occured the marriage of Miss Eva Clement to Mr. Geo. H. Saxton. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. T. G. Potter in the presence of a few intimate friends. There was no effort at display, as the ceremony was strictly private. Yesterday the parties left for Delavan, Wis., where the groom has a lucrative position in a large flouring mill, and where their future home will be. The groom is a stranger in Tecumseh, but report says that he is a first class miller and a most estimable man. We believe the bride has chosen wisely, and among all the congratulations she may receive upon the eve of her departure from her old home, none will be more sincere and hearty than those betowed by her business associates in the HERALD office. That Eva may realize her fondest anticipations and find a happy home in her new relations is the wish of each and all of the HERALD employees.

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The Tecumseh Lumber Co. vacate the Temple Brick Planing Mill this week Saturday. Orders left at Temple's coal office will receive prompt attention.

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OUT-OF-DOOR SPORTS.

Immensely Valuable as Mental and Moral Helps, but They Should Be Enjoyed Wisely.

Hardly any other change in our common life has been more noticeable during the last twenty-five years than the rapid development of enthusiasm for open-air sports. Then games of ball, such as are played by the hundred every day at present, were almost unknown. Now every daily journal has its base ball column. Tennis probably never had been played on this side of the Atlantic; now tennis courts are abundant. Boat racing was attempted, if at all, only in a tentative fashion, and the annual Yale and Harvard University races had but begun, in a rudimentary form. Shooting was confined to a few persons; now it is the object of many large and well organized clubs, and contests have become international. Horse trotting was not uncommon, but had not been developed as it is to day, and a mile in 2:40 caused as much admiration as one in 2:10 does now. Yachts were built and sailed, and the America, by winning the famous cup, had given yachting a strong impulse, but such "flyers" as the Puritan, the Priscilla and the Genesta were undreamed of.

To-day one sees and hears the evidences of interest in athletics upon every side, and, if he have not actually passed middle life, he must be an unusual person who is not conscious of a hearty and abiding interest in such things. This is by no means a low and vulgar taste, as is charged sometimes. On the contrary, it is thoroughly healthy, honorable and improving. Like every other inclination, it needs to be controlled and directed properly, or it may be injurious, but, if it be regulated, it is a real blessing. No observing person, old enough to remember how people looked a quarter of a century ago, can walk our streets without perceiving how many more persons there are now than there were then who are robust and muscular; through whose veins evidently runs good, rich, red blood; who have the signs not merely of great strength, but also of endurance, and who need not fear comparison physically with any other men and women on earth. The narrow-chested, pallid, wrinkled, nervous, worn-looking people are not all gone from among us, but they are much less numerous than they were formerly.

Now this is a beneficial change. It means a great deal for the future of the nation and the world. And it is due, probably more than to any other one cause, to the fact that, as a people, we have learned to enjoy and practice out-of-door sports. Our girls, even, are growing as sturdy, relatively, as our boys. We fill our lungs fuller of God's sweet, fresh air, and oftener than in the past. We harden our muscles and quiet our nerves by walking, riding, rowing, or whatever our favorite sport may be. And we enjoy that quiet, invigorating sleep at night which God has ordained to follow the thorough but not undue exertion of the bodily powers.

Of course open-air sports have their dangers. That of accident is no greater, when due caution be observed, than one risks in an in-door life. That of over-exertion needs to be specially remembered, for enthusiasm and the desire to become expert sometimes tempt one too far. But the two great evils which beset the favorite out-of-door sports of the day are betting and Sabbath-breaking. Betting is the curse of all sorts of sport. Too often it degenerates into reckless gambling, and in some cases it even seeks to determine the issue of a contest beforehand. Sabbath-breaking, thus far, has been connected with base ball and yachting chiefly, but, if it be not checked before long by a reform in public sentiment, it will cast its evil shadow over the whole broad field of sport. One capital help in checking it will be found to be the Saturday half holiday already, and most properly, becoming common. These are grave dangers, and their mischievious tendencies should not be underestimated.

On the other hand, the immense value of out-of-door sports must not be forgotten, and the fact that, in spite of their actual and possible evils, they are of real mental and moral help. They develop the body into greater vigor, and make it more of a joy merely to live. They entertain and relieve the tired mind, relaying the strain of business cares. They train the eye, the hand and the judgment. They demand that self-control and temperance be studied and practiced. They educate the temper. They help to teach the lesson how to bear adversity calmly, and prosperity without self conceit. They stimulate the love of this beautiful world in which we live, and many a careless mind has received through them impressive reminders of the existence and goodness of the great Creator Himself. Like most other things in this world, out-of-door sports are neither an unmixed evil nor an absolute blessing. But to him who is willing to enjoy them wisely they are among God's best gifts.—*The Congregationalist.*

Servants' Books in Berlin.

They appear to have an odd way of doing things in Berlin with regard to the characters of domestic servants. I am informed by one who has resided in that eminently conservative city for some ten years that his wife once ventured to discharge a cook, after submitting to a long course of depredations at this domestic's hands. It is the custom there to write the character of the servant in a book which all servants are obliged to keep. My informant in this instance ventured to inscribe the statement that dishonesty was the reason of dismissal. A few days after the discharged domestic appeared with a policeman, who said the character must be altered, as it would be impossible for the woman to get another place if the truth remained in the book. It was thought prudent to accede to the demand of the myrmidons as it appears that six days' imprisonment is the penalty for the slightest remonstrance to one of these officials. This fact—for it really is a fact—show, what a protection to employers this German book system is!—*London Truth.*

A DISAGREEABLE SET.

Indifferent People Unfit to Live in Civilized Communities.

What is my opinion of indifferent people? They are a disagreeable cross between boorishness and selfishness. They are so thoroughly devoted to themselves and their interests that they can give no thought to anybody else, and they frequently go so far in this exclusion as to be positively uncivil. I have met men who go about with their business, or their cares, so closely wrapped about them, that it was not possible for them to see the world around them. That is the way it looked to the casual observer, but I somehow thought that those men had not mind or heart enough to attend to their own affairs and be polite at the same time. There are those, too, to whom you may talk, possibly not because you want to, but because the necessities of the circumstances compel it, and they will look at you with a kind of idiotic stare which is enough to paralyze a hundred-pound rifle gun loaded to the muzzle. You've seen hundreds of that kind, and they don't seem to decrease in numbers to any remarkable extent as the world increases in civilization and refinement. I can understand and allow for a certain percentage of selfishness in the sum of our existence, but I not believe that any man or woman has the right to increase that percentage to the discomfort or unhappiness of the majority. A very little thought and care for others goes a great way, and those who do not exercise it, differ from hogs only in their difference of anatomy and the clothes they wear.—*Merchant Traveler.*

VALUE OF THOUGHT.

Deep Reasoning on the Strength of Which a Colored Gentleman Obtained a Useful Implement.

"Let that wheelbarrow alone," cried Colonel Matterson, as he stepped to the end of the gallery and called to an old negro who had entered the back-yard.

"Sah?"

"I say put down that wheelbarrow or I'll send for a policeman."

"Oh, I ken put it down, sah, an' save yer all dat trouble. I neber wants er pusson ter go outen his way ter commodate me."

"All right. Now get out of this lot. First thing I know you'll steal——"

"Now, look heah, mister. I doan know what yer name is, but I wants yer to look heah jes' de same. I wan't thinkin erbout takin' dis thing. I makes dese impurments, sah, an' I wanted ter 'zamine dis one, 'cause it 'peered ter be er new 'vention, but, sah, ef yer's so easy skeered, I'll bid yer good mawnin'."

"You must excuse me if I have wrongfully accused you."

"Oh, neber mine. De ole saints wuz 'cuzed an' pussycuted, sah. Ef da could stan' it widout 'plainin' I oughtenter grumble."

Shortly after the Colonel went into the house, the old negro, after quietly lifting the wheelbarrow over the fence, mused: "Folks is gittin' so 'spicious dese days dat somebody is gwine ter git inter trouble. Dat man ain't got no use fur dis 'borrer. What do de Bible say 'bout de pusson what buried his talen's an' didn' make nothin' outen 'em? Folks oughter think erbout dese things."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

Always Late.

Half the value of anything to be done consists in doing it promptly, and yet a large class of persons are almost more or less late. Their work is always in advance of them, and so it is with their appointments and engagements. They are late, very likely, in rising in the morning and also in going to bed at night; late at their appointments also. Their letters are sent to the postoffice just as the mail is closed. They arrive at the wharf just as the steamboat is leaving it. They come into the station just as the train is going out. They do not entirely forget or omit the engagement or duty, but they are always behind time, and so are generally in haste, or in a hurry, as if they had been born a little too late and were forever trying to catch up with the lost time. They waste time for themselves and waste it for others, and fail of comfort and influence and success which they might have found in systematic and habitual punctuality. A good old lady, who was asked why she invariably was so early in her seat at church, is said to have replied that it was her religion not to disturb the religion of others. And if it were with all a part both of courtesy and duty, not to say of religion, never to be unpunctual, they would save time for, as well as annoyance to others, and aid themselves to success and influence in a thousand ways.—*How-ebold.*

A Lucky Man.

Hostetter McGinnis is one of the most lucky men in Texas. If he takes a chance at a raffle he is sure to win. If he throws dice for the drinks, somebody else has to pay for them. Not long since a New York lawyer said to McGinnis:

"Lend me seventy-five dollars. I'd rather borrow money from you than any friend I've got."

"Why do you prefer to borrow from me?"

"Because you have such good luck that I really believe you would get your money paid back, although I never did did such a thing in my life."

As luck would have it, Hostetter did not have a cent of money with him at the time.—*Texas Siftings.*

—A female book agent has gone down into some of the deepest coal mines of Pennsylvania and has taken a large number of orders from the men while they were at work.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

—A man died lately in London from the effects of a bite of a cat. And a verdict of "death from hydrophobia" was rendered by the Coroner's Jury that investigated the case.

—A genuine sealskin is valued at from $30 to $50. That with the necessary work and the silk lining makes a good cloak worth about $400.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	7 05 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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SPECIAL NOTICE,

Coupon tickets can now be procured at this station over best routes, to all principal cities in the United States.

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Detroit & Indianapolis Division.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Ames	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 01
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 01	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Sand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Quincy	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Quincy	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Sand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Ames	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 01
Adrian, Ar	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 45
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 14	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

J. W. STEVENS, Division Supt.
W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT JUNE 21, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 36 Pass	No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Central Time. STATIONS.	No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 35 Pass
5 15 A.M.	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10	
6 10	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10	
6 31	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46	
6 39	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42	
6 46	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32	
7 02	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17	
7 15	12 08	Ousted	3 08	9 05	
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51	
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43	
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26	
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20	
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09	
P. M. 8 50	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57	P. M.
9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38	8 00
9 25	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21	7 48
9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06	7 33
9 55	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49	7 21
10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30	7 03
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.	6 43
	4 01	Yorkville	12 20		6 35
	4 10	Richland	12 15		6 29
	4 28	Dexter	11 58		6 12
	4 45	Monteith	11 43		5 55
	4 53	Fisk	11 35		5 47
	4 59	Kellogg	11 30		5 37
	5 10	A...Allegan...L	11 20		5 25
	5 25	Holland	10 15		3 30
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15		
	6 30	Grand Haven	9 00		2 15
	6 45	Ferrysburg	8 50		2 00
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15		1 20
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50		P. M.
	P.M. A		L A.M.		

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 23 at 5:10 P.M.

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Fresh and Salt Meats constantly on hand.
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HOW LIVES ARE SAVED.

The System of Work Adopted by the United States Life-Saving Service.

The method of saving lives from shipwreck, at present in use at our United States Life-Saving Stations, may be best understood by supposing an actual case and describing the operations of the surfmen.

If the sea will permit, the people on the vessels are brought ashore in the surf-boat." If a high sea is running, however, this is rendered impracticable, and recourse is had to the "Breeches Buoy." When the discovery of a wreck is announced at the station, all the apparatus is at once carried along the beach to the point nearest the wreck. The Lyle gun, a small brass cannon, which weighs one hundred and seventeen pounds, is loaded with powder. Then into its mouth is slipped a long steel "projectile," to the outer end of which is attached a light but stout line, called the "shot line." Then the gun is aimed and fired. The projectile, followed by the long cord, flies out toward the wreck, passes over it, and drops into the sea, and the "shot line" falls on deck. Thus the first means of communication is established between the wreck and the shore. The crew of the vessel now pull in this "shot line," until they draw on deck a pulley block, which the men on shore have tied to it. Through this pulley block is running an "endless line," that is, a long line which is called endless, because the two ends have been fastened together. It runs also through another pulley block, which has been kept on shore. The sailors tie their pulley block well up on the mast, and the men on shore fasten theirs to a "sand anchor," which they have firmly buried in the sand.

You have often seen the double string which children, living across the street from each other, run between their houses and call a "telegraph." It is a long, endless line, running through a pulley, or a staple, at each end, and when a basket or other article is tied to one side of the double line, and the other side is pulled in, the basket of course moves off across the street. This is like what has now been rigged between the vessel and the shore. So now the men on shore can tie anything on to the endless line, running through a pulley block at each end, and starting the circular motion of the line, soon send it out to the vessel. What they do tie on is the end of a great hawser, or heavy rope, and when this hawser is drawn on deck, it is at once fastened to the mast a few feet above the pulley block. Then the other end of the hawser, which has been kept on shore, is hauled in as tight, or "taut," as possible, and also fastened a few feet above the pulley block, which has been tied to the sand anchor. Now the "breeches buoy" is brought out by the men on shore. This is a circle, or large ring, of leather stuffed, of perhaps two feet in diameter. Hanging below it is a pair of stiff canvas knee-breeches. It is now hung from the heavy hawser so that it can slide freely to and fro upon it. Then it is securely fastened to one part of the endless line, the other part of the line is hauled steadily in, and away moves the buoy, slipping along on the hawser from which it hangs, and drawn by the small endless line to which it is secured. One person is dropped in through the circle, with one leg in each side of the canvas breeches. The circular line, which has been described, is fastened also to the buoy, or rather to the pulley block of the buoy, and is again put in motion, and the buoy retraces its course to the shore. The rescued person is taken out, and again and again the buoy makes the journey, until every one on board is brought safe to land.—*Youth's Companion.*

THOROUGHLY COMPETENT.

A Steamboat Mate Who Displayed Remarkable Courage in Drowning Out Incipient Flames.

The mate of the steamer was showing me over the boat as we rushed along down the great Father of Waters. The one particular thing he wanted me to take notice of was the fact that the boat was as near fire-proof as a steamboat could be made. Fire hose was coiled up all along the various decks, nozzles all ready to play, and buckets of water were kept standing in various localities to drown out incipient fires.

"It's all right if you have a system," I said, as we finally halted.

"System is dead perfect," he replied. "At the cry of 'fire' I tap the bell. That calls all the crew to the spot. There isn't a spot on the boat which we can't reach with three streams of water, and I rather guess I'm competent to take charge. I'm an old fireman of twenty years' experience."

Well, I went off to bed by and by, but hadn't turned in yet, when somebody shouted "fire!" as loud as he could yell. I rushed out. We were bowling along within fifty feet of the shore, and away aft there was a bright blaze of flame and a rush of smoke. I started that way, but somebody ran over me, sprawled out, sprang up and I heard a splash in the water. A negro ran past me and rang the bell, and a second got down a coil of hose, opened light on the fire, and directed matters so sensibly that the flames were soon subdued. Then the Captain came aft and roared out:

"Johnson! Johnson! Where in blazes is the mate?"

Nobody knew. We hunted for him, but he was not found. He was the old fireman of twenty years' experience who went overboard and struck out for shore at the first alarm, leaving the negro deck-hands to save the boat and one hundred and eighty lives.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Let any farmer compute the sum which a full annual crop of apples would produce, even at a low rate per bushel, and he will be surprised to find how much more profitable his apple orchard is than any part of the farm devoted to grain growing. With good management and manuring a full crop of apples may be grown every year with as much certainty as any grain crop and with less expense.—*N. Y. Herald*

LYSANDER'S WOES.

Why Parents Prefer Industrious Young Men to Social Tramps and Shallow-Pated Dunces.

"Boots are now made to weigh three pounds each. Young men should think of this when they call on their best girls and hear their fathers come down stairs and tremble."

At it again, Lysander! So when you call on your best girl and hear her father come down the back stairs you tremble.

Well, I am not surprised.

Neither is any one else who knows you. The only wonder is how you ever manage to get into the house.

The young girl evidently is not thoroughly acquainted with you, or perhaps she is one of those young and foolish maidens who would elope with a coachman if her father was rich enough to keep a horse. No wonder her father objects to you calling on her.

Though poor, he is not an idiot, Lysander, and he has not clothed, fed and schooled a daughter for eighteen long years to have her wed a shallow-pated, long-eared dunce like yourself.

He works hard for a living, Lysander, if you know what that means, and he finds it difficult enough to support his family as it is, without adding a hungry, ill-bred, idle, shiftless, fat-witted loafer like yourself to the number.

He labors from morning until night, and when he sits down to his dinner he dosen't want to have his intelligence insulted by hearing your feeble attempts to paraphrase antediluvian jokes that were moth-eaten when Noah built his ark.

Of course, Lysander, you regard the father of your best girl as your natural enemy.

He is.

A man doesn't raise daughters to throw them away, unless he is a good Prince in a fairy-story, or a Mormon with more girls than he knows what to do with.

But, Lysander, let a decent, honest, industrious young man, who has some purpose in life other than becoming the son-in-law of a wealthy man or a charge on the county, apply for a girl's hand, and notice how welcome he is made.

Were you ever at the seaside, Lysander?

No.

Not even as a hotel-waiter?

Well, you ought to go there. The salt water will do you good. Just try it once, and see how the mothers of young girls fish for the right kind of young men.

Did you ever hear of match-making mammas?

Well, you try reading a little, instead of writing so much, and perhaps you will learn something. The average mother and the average father are on the lookout for a young man who can do something besides eat and wear out parlor furniture.

The bull-dog is always chained when that young man calls. The father meets him at the door and shakes him by the hand. The mother greets him in the parlor, and asks why he hasn't called before. If the young man stays until midnight, the parents congratulate themselves; and if he proposes marriage, they have a notice of the engagement put in the *Society Recorder*, and the young lady wears her engagement-ring outside of her glove, and all the other girls in the neighborhood grow green with cankerous, corrosive envy.

That is the way the eligible young man is regarded, Lysander. If he couldn't be caught any other way, Lysander, the father would set out a free lunch for him, and the mother would place the spare bedroom at his disposal.

The mistake you make, Lysander, is in supposing that the father of a marriageable young woman wants to have her marry a man who limits his usefulness to being able to act as a scare-crow in a field of corn.

Such things, though not essential on a farm, can be hired much cheaper than they can be married.

Tramps and old clothes are altogether too cheap in this great country, Lysander, for you to try and enter into competition with them in the matrimonial way.—*Puck.*

LOST HIS TASTE.

How a Colored Missis-ippian Learned to Dislike Smoked Meats.

I was sleeping in a second-story bedroom of a planter's house in Mississippi, and it was not yet daylight, when something roused me up. I was listening to hear the noise repeated, when there came such a yell as fairly shook me out of bed. I ran to the open window, but it was too dark outside to see anything. As I stood there listening I heard the clank of a chain, followed by groans, and then all was still. I went back to bed with the idea that some crazy negro was prowling around, and slept until sunrise. Then I looked out and solved the mystery. A few rods away was the smoke-house. A big bear-trap had been set at the door, and it had caught a prize. With one leg held as in a vice, and with his hands grasping a young tree to hold him up, a burly big negro looked up at me and called out:

"Say, boss, but I want to git loose of dis!"

When I went down and told the Colonel he expressed no surprise and took no action until after breakfast. Then he walked out to the smoke-house, and, after looking the prisoner over, he said:

"Does it hurt?"

"Nebber was hurted so in my life, sah."

"Can't you get out?"

"No, sah. I'ze bin tryin' eber since midnight, but I can't do it."

"I have hams and shoulders in there."

"Yes, sah, I reckon you has."

"Are you fond of smoked meat?"

"No, sah. I used ter be, but I ain't any mo.' I shall pebber tech smoked meat agin!"

"Like to walk out nights?"

"No, sah. Ize gwine ter bed ebery night at sundown arter dis!"

We got a rail and opened the trap and let him out. He went off dragging his leg behind him, and as he reached the gate he lifted his hat and said:

"Werry much obleeged, Kurnel. If my appetite fur hams an' shoulders eber returns I'll keep gl'ar o' dis plantashun, an' doan' you forgit it!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

The World's Champion.

Mr. Edward Hanlan, the great oarsman, and until his recent contest with Beach in Australia, the champion of the world, may certainly be looked upon as an authority in everything affecting athletic sports. Before leaving Australia for this country, he wrote a letter in which he stated that he had used St. Jacobs Oil with the most beneficial results. He found it a reliable remedy for muscular pains in the arms and limbs, and from his personal experience took great pleasure in recommending it. No stronger proof of the truth of what is claimed for St. Jacobs Oil could be furnished than this, and it will undoubtedly carry great weight with thoughtful and intelligent people.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

Harry A. Whitman furnishes the following, to swell the long list of similar testimonials: "The undersigned, a resident of Fort Wayne, Ind., having been afflicted with fever and ague and chronic diarrhoe was told to try Mishler's Herb Bitters, I followed the advice and have the satisfaction to state they effected a cure. I was induced to give this certificate for the benefit of others similarly situated."

Many a man who had lost nerve, vigor and energy, has been cured by Hunt's Remedy.

It is dangerous to tamper with irritating liquids and exciting snuffs. Use Ely's Cream Balm, which is safe and pleasant, and is easily applied. It cures the worst cases of catarrh, cold in the head and hay fever, giving relief from the first application. Price 50c.

From Col. C. H. Mackey, 32 Iowa, Infantry: I have now been using Ely's Cream Balm for three months and am experiencing no trouble from catarrh whatever. I have been a sufferer for twenty years.—C. H. Mackey, Sigourney, Iowa.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

Woman's names adorn more than half the American sailing ships.

"How old are you," said an ancient dame to a grinning little tar-pot. "Well, if I goes by what mudder says, I is most ten, but if I goes by de fun I'se had, I'se most a hundred." O! that all could measure their years in this way, but how many measure them by long night watches, and almost fatal coughing spells, which could have been cured by a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup taken in season.

After a druggist has filled a prescription it belongs to him, and not the customer who brought it to his store.

Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1.
Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
German Corn Remover kills Corns & Bunions
Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 50c.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

Greenbacks are said to be so popular in Cuba as to demand a large premium over any other money, whether of gold or silver.

When Baby was sick, we gave her CASTORIA
When she was a Child, she cried for CASTORIA
When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA
When she had Children, she gave them CASTORIA

A French proverb: Love is the toothache of the heart.

I had to comb back the hair from my forehead and omit the parting to conceal my baldness. Since then Parker's Hair Balsam has made my hair as thick and glossy as ever. Ladies whose hair is getting thin will find the Balsam just splendid. Mary Swanson, Chicago.

Vasser girls ate 692 pounds of candy last year. Sweets to the sweet. But alas! they ate also forty bushels of onions.

Salvation Oil, the greatest pain cure on earth, is guaranteed to effect a cure where it is possible for the seat of the disease to be reached by a liniment. Price 25 cents a bottle.

Gout, a painful disease affecting principally the fibrous tissues about the smaller joints has various names, according to the parts affected, as podagra, when in the feet; chivagra, when in the hands, &c.; but whether the attack is first felt in the feet, the hands, or some other part, rub with Salvation Oil at once. It annihilates pain. Price 25 cents a bottle.

CATARRH—A NEW TREATMENT.

From the Montreal Star.

Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been attained by the Dixon treatment for Catarrh. Out of 2000 patients treated during the past six months, fully ninety per cent have been cured of this stubborn malady. This is none the less startling when it is remembered that not five per cent of patients presenting themselves to the regular practitioner are benefitted, while the patent medicines and other advertised cures never record a cure at all. Starting with the claim now generally believed by the most scientific men that the disease is due to the presence of living parasites in the tissue, Mr. Dixon at once adapted his cure to their extermination—this accomplished he claims the Catarrh is practically cured and the permanency is unquestioned, as cures effected by him four years ago are cures still. No one else has ever attempted to cure Catarrh in this manner, and no other treatment has ever cured Catarrh. The Application of the remedy is simple, and can be done at home, and the present season of the year is the most favorable for a speedy and permanent cure, the majority of cases being cured at one treatment. Sufferers should correspond with Messrs. A. H. DIXON & SON, 305 King street west, Toronto, Canada, and enclose stamp for their treatise on Catarrh.

GRANDMOTHER

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Central Standard Time.

EASTWARD.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7.	No. 1.
Toledo	8 00AM	3 20PM	6 10PM	.....
Oak Harbor Ar	8 35	4 18	7 05	.....
Fremont	9 24	4 47	7 39	.....
Clyde	9 39	5 03	7 55	.....
Bellevue	9 53	5 20	8 02	.....
Monroeville Lv	10 10	5 40	8 20	1 40AM
Norwalk Lv	10 23	6 05	8 35	1 55
Wellington	11 13	6 52	No. 39.	2 37
Creston Lv	12 00PM	7 40	1 13PM	3 20
Orville Ar	12 30	8 10	1 43	3 50
Orville Lv	12 50	8 20	1 43	7 10
Massillon Ar	1 30	9 00	2 25	7 16
Massillon Lv	2 30	4 30	2 30	7 40
Sherrodsville	.....	6 45PM	6 45PM	.....
Valley Junc. Lv	3 30	.....	3 30	8 35
Canal Dover	3 55	.....	3 55	9 00
New Comerst'n	4 55	No. 9.	4 55	9 50
Cambridge	6 03	6 50AM	6 03	10 50
Macksburg	8 00	8 55	8 00	.....
Marietta Ar	9 20	10 20AM	9 20	.....

WESTWARD.	No. 6.	No. 8.		
Marrietta Lv	6 05A	2 30PM	.....	.....
Marksburg	7 20	3 50	.....	.....
Cambridge	9 15	5 28	.....	.....
New Comerst'n	10 20	7 03	.....	.....
Canal Dover	11 10	7 55	.....	No. 88
Sherodsville	.....	.....	.....	5 45AM
New Cumberland	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Valley Junc.	11 50	8 25	No. 4.	6 45
Massillon	12 35	9 10	8 20AM	8 15
Orville	1 15	10 00	9 00	10 15
Creston Ar	1 45	10 30	9 32	11 15AM
Creston Lv	1 45	10 30	9 32	.....
Wellington	2 30	11 13	10 20	No. 2.
Norwalk	3 20	11 55	11 20	7 35AM
Monroeville	3 32	12 10AM	11 30	7 45
Bellevue	3 48	.....	11 45	8 02
Clyde	4 03	.....	12 00	8 20
Fremont	4 20	.....	12 17PM	8 40
Oak Harbor	4 45	.....	12 42	9 00
Toledo Ar	5 45AM	.....	1 35PM	10 00AM

No. 27.	No. 29.	Huron Branch.	No. 26.	No. 28.
11 50AM	6 45PM	Ar..Huron..Lv	6 40AM	2 20PM
11 35	6 30	.Fries Landing.	6 53	2 33
11 20	6 15	....Milan.....	7 07	2 50
10 55	5 55	Lv.Norwalk.Ar	7 27	3 10

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THE DEMI-SEASON.

Dresses Which Are Made for Traveling and Shopping Purposes.

For demi-season dresses for traveling, shopping and for morning wear, navy blue alpaca is being made up in imitation of the graceful gowns worn during the summer by the Princess of Wales and her daughters. For very young ladies silver braid or white mohair has formed the trimmings, the mohair being used as a narrow vest, high collar and straight cuffs, with rows of braid along the edges, and also on the sash draperies that are worn with a kilt skirt. For autumn dresses black braid, or else dark blue Hercules braid, will take the place of metal braids, and either velvet or plush will be used for the vest, cuffs and collar. Long overskirts that are made like the housemaid skirts, and looped up on one side or both, will be used with these dresses, and there may be rows of braid or of velvet ribbon for the trimming. A side panel of velvet will be chosen by those who prefer pleated skirts with Greek draperies. The new shade of brown, called lynx brown, is also being made up in mohair and alpaca dresses for the three autumn months, when canvas dresses will be too thin and cloth too heavy for comfort. Gilt braid will be sparingly used on such dresses, rather as a piping of edging for brown velvet than in many showy rows or in the vermicelli patterns lately used. Wide wool galloons and wool laces that are embroidered lightly with gilt are rich trimmings for lynx brown mohairs, while silver threads are wrought in similar trimmings for gray dresses.

The mixed red and blue laces are also being used to trim blue alpacas, and with these are sometimes seen velvets of the two colors, in stripes or in very small figures, for the small accessories of the corsage. The correct idea however, in such dresses is to have them exceedingly plain, depending on their fine fit for their beauty. When lace is used on mohair, it is most stylish when confined to the lower skirt: a single deep fall of lace, very slightly gathered, crosses the front and side gores, or else there are two or three narrower ruffles of lace across the front and several rows are placed up the left side in the space left uncovered by the drapery. Still another plan is that of edging side pleats with narrow wool lace, and forming the front and sides of the skirt of these pleats. When braid is chosen for trimming, the new fancy is to form the front breadth of two very wide box pleats, covering these with clusters of cross rows of the braid, lengthening each row in the cluster, and curling up the ends toward the sides. A pointed plastron made in the same way then trims the corsage, and smaller points are on the sleeves. To complete such a suit for traveling there should be a long blue or brown cloth ulster, and a bonnet of rough blue straw with the brim covered with blue or brown velvet, as is the most becoming to the wearer. A rosette of braid or of wool lace, or some "donkey's-ear loops" of wool or of crape, should trim the close round hat of felt or straw that many young ladies prefer to bonnets.—*Harper's Bazar.*

UNDERTAKERS.

How and Why the Term Came to Be Applied to "Funeral Directors."

The earliest known use of this word as applied to conductors of funerals is by Young, who has the couplet:

> Where ravs, undertakers hover round,
> And with his spade the sexton marks the ground.

The present use of the word is no doubt derived from its primary meaning, one who stipulates to do anything, or undertakes the management of any affair. Two hundred years ago a class of people known as upholders were usually called upon to take charge of the funerals. Thus the poet Gay says:

> The upholder, rueful harbinger of death,
> Waits with impatience for the dying breath.

Now, upholders were dealers in second-hand furniture, old clothes and the like, and perhaps were so called because they were so often resorted to as the last resource of failing credit. As these persons were able from their stock of cheaply purchased material to supply what was needed at funerals at less expense than the regular merchant or haberdasher, they came to be thus employed, and also to furnish houses. In time the more ambitious of this class confined their business to the furnishing of houses only, and dealt in goods both new and old, and to avoid the confounding of their business with that of the funeral managers styled themselves upholsters, a name changed latter to upholsterers. Subsequently the more pretentious members of the clan of upholsterers assumed the name of undertakers, deriving the cognomen logically enough from the signification of its parts in the Saxon tongue. An undertaker, one who takes in hand a business or task, or renders himself responsible for its performance. Or perhaps the idea of the word was taken from the French name for the same office, entrepreneur, though the primary idea of the French word is rather that of one who bids for a particular task. Clarendon, in his "History," gives the word with a general meaning in the line, "Antrim was naturally a great undertaker." Honeywood, in "The Good Natured Man" of Goldsmith, speaks thus of Croaker: "His very mirth is an antidote to all gayety, and his appearance has a stronger effect on my spirits than an undertaker's shop.—*St. Louis Globe Democrat.*

—A noted statistican, Edward Atkinson, insists that there is an abundance of room yet in this world. The 1,400,000,000 persons supposed to be on the globe could all find easy standing room within the limits of a field ten miles square, and by the aid of a telephone could be addressed at one time by a single speaker. In a field twenty miles square they could all be comfortably seated.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Dr. C. C. Abbott, the naturalist, recently found upon his farm at Trenton, N. J., a box tortoise, upon the under shell of which was cut his grandfather's name, J. Abbott, with the date 1821. The appearance of the tortoise denoted great age, and there is no reason to doubt the fact that the name was really engraved upon it sixty-four years ago.

ASSESSED VALUATION OF THE COUNTY.

Below we give the per cent. added and the per cent. deducted, together with the aggregate assessment of real and personal estate as fixed last week by the Board of Supervisors in each township and ward of the county.

Wards and Townships.	Per Cent. added.	Per Cent. deducted.	Real Estate as Equalized.	Aggregate of Real and Personal Estate as Equalized.
First Ward			$639,500	$851,475
Second Ward			765,575	945,935
Third Ward			931,775	848,350
Fourth Ward		1	896,713	1,155,063
Adrian Township		2	1,137,839	1,278,249
Blissfield			610,025	752,880
Cambridge		3	735,057	819,698
Clinton		4	807,068	1,084,859
Deerfield			486,990	559,769
Dover		2	953,070	1,100,320
Fairfield			1,107,545	1,309,759
Franklin		3	1,002,398	1,116,598
Hudson			1,685,022	2,080,472
Macon			815,600	924,150
Madison		2	1,057,275	1,224,288
Medina	4		1,232,533	1,390,346
Ogden	1		750,864	839,669
Palmyra	2		805,509	896,539
Raisin		1	1,135,293	1,295,133
Ridgeway			619,510	678,660
Riga			543,625	588,995
Rollin	1		799,005	910,430
Rome		3	998,871	1,015,491
Seneca		8	1,170,073	1,336,293
Tecumseh		4	1,572,336	2,038,109
Woodstock		6	535,660	713,670
			$23,514,587	$27,768,184

THE PETIT JURY.

The following Petit Jury has been drawn for the next term of the Circuit Court:

Palmyra—William S. Keeber.
Raisin—Peleg H. Bowerman.
Ridgeway—Henry F. Barnes.
Riga—Lemuel McCormick.
Rollin—George Town.
Rome—Silas Raymond.
Seneca—Adelbert V. Overton.
Tecumseh—Lester B. Clemens.
Woodstock—Jos. Nickloy.
Adrian, 1st. ward—O. H. Storv.
" 2d. " —S. Hurlbut.
" 3d. " —B. F. Wheeler.
" 4th " —Walter Reeve.
Adrian—W. Hawley Smith.
Blissfield—M. H. Cogswell.
Cambridge—Clinton A. Blackmar.
Clinton—Robert Service.
Deerfield—Oscar Bliss.
Dover—David Pontius.
Fairfield—G. C. Brown.
Franklin—Jabez Fridd.
Hudson—Calvin A. Lawrence.
Macon—George F. Harmon.
Madisoff—Charles C. Bradish.

The Magazine of Art.

The Magazine of Art for November is an unusually attractive number, and the letter press is of much more general interest than one has reason to expect in a purely art publication. The frontispiece is a portrait of the beautiful lady Hamilton, as "The Spinstress," reproduced in color from Romney's famous painting. Other portraits of Lady Hamilton are given in another part of the magazine, together with a spirited description of the career of that brilliant, though unhappy beauty. Millicent Garrett-Fawcett has the opening paper on "Barnham Beeches," a recently acquired park in the London suburbs. The illustrations are from the pencil of A. W. Henley. The Myth of "Perseus and Andromeda" is set forth by Jane E. Harrison and illustrated from classic models. The department of American and foreign notes will be found as full as it is newsy.—Cassell & Company, Limited, New York, $3.50 per year, in advance.

Auction Sale

The undersigned, administrator of the estate of David Boyd, will sell at auction on the premises, one-half mile south of Lake Ridge, on Tuesday Nov. 3, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: One brown team, one bay team, bay mare, 3 yearling steers, 2 yearling heifers, 2 calves, 10 hogs, 7 shoats, three milch cows, McCormick binder, new; McCormick mower, new; grain drill, double buggy, cultivator, 2 Syracuse plows, 2 hay racks, 2 wagons, pair bob-sleighs, 30 tons of hay, 4 one-horse cultivators, spring tooth harrow, 2 set double harness, 20 acres of corn on the ground, 27 acres of wheat in the ground and numerous other articles. Terms of sale: All sums of $5 and less, cash; all sums over $5, 12 months credit with interest at 7 per cent. John Boyd, Administrator. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

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THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, October 20th, '85:

Estate of William Bills, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Nov. 9.

Estate of Lorenzo D. Austin, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing November 16.

Estate of John W. Keeney, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing November 9.

Estate of David Boyd, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Andrew N. Pope, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing Nov. 9.

Estate of Amos F. Morley, deceased; petition for allowance of administratrix's final account; hearing Nov. 16.

Estate of Phillip Robinson, deceased; receipt filed; discharge.

Estate of Allen L. Huyck, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Alford Crane, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Charles Blum, deceased; order of continuance until Nov. 2.

Estate of Julia Ann Deuel, an incompetent person; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Nathan S. Green, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator de bonis non appointed upon said estate, with the will annexed; bond $3,000.

Estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of William Waring, deceased; order of continuance until November 16, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Estate of George W. Allen, sr., deceased; receipts filed; discharged.

Estate of Myrtelle Whitney, minor; certificate of guardianship filed; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Lione R. Hoyt, minor; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate.

Estate Jesse L. Powell, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of John N. Grim, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of George Schroeder, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissions' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Ephraim R. Willard, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of James Clark, an alleged insane person; application for admission to asylum; order of hearing October 26th, at one oclock P. M.

Estate of Julia Robinson an alleged insane person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing November 9, at one o'clock P. M.

THE ROYAL BAKER AND PASTRY COOK—A Royal addition to the kitchen library. It contains over seven hundred receipts pertaining to every branch of the culinary department, including baking, rosting, preserving, soups, cakes, jellies, pastry, and all kinds of sweetmeats, with receipts for the most delicious candies, cordials, beverages, and all other necessary knowledge for the *chef de cuisine* of the most exacting epicure as well as for the more modest housewife, who desires to prepare for her lord and master a repast that shall be both wholesome and economical. With each receipt is given full explicit directions for put togteher, manipulating, shaping, baking, and kind of utensil used, so that a novice can go through the operation with success; while a special and important feature is made of the mode of preparing all kinds of food and delicacies for the sick. The book has been prepared under the direction of Prof. Rudmani, late *chef* of the New York Cooking School, and is the most valuable of the recent editions upon the subject of cookery that has come to our notice. It is gotten up in the highest style of the printers art, on illuminated covers, etc. We are assured that every can of the "Royal Baking Powder" contains an order for one of these valuable books.

The premium engraving issued by "Peterson's Magazine," for 1886, is of rare excellence and beauty. It is a first-class line and stipple engraving, executed in the highest style of the art. The artists are Illman Brothers, and they have engraved it—size, 21 inches by 27—for "Peterson's Magazine," in their best and most brilliant manner. The picture is called "The Angel of Paradise," and is a companion to the "Not Lost, But Gone Before," published by "Peterson's Magazine" some years ago, and which was so popular. In artistic merit, it is, we think, one of the finest "Peterson" has ever issued, and will go to every mother's heart, especially if she has lost one of her "darlings." Another of the premiums is the "For-Get-Me-Not," an illustrated album, a book of very great beauty. Another is an extra copy of the magazine, etc., etc. You can get any of them, gratis, by raising a club for "Peterson" for 1886. This is a rare chance. Specimens of the magazine sent, gratis, with full particulars, to those wishing to get up clubs, if written for. Address CHARLES J. PETERSON, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending October 20.

RAISIN.

J. H. Welch to C. M. Welch. Land on sec 35. $1,200.

ROME.

Reuben Cooley to Lyman Cooley on secs 35 and 36. $6,000.

TECUMSEH.

R. M. Hewitt to C. T. Hewitt. Land in vil. $3,100.

—SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

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MARRIED.

SAXTON—CLEMENT.—On the 27th, inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. T. G. Potter, Mr. Geo. H. Saxton, of Delavan, Wis. and Miss Eva L. Clement of Tecumseh.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Oct. 27, 1885:

Avis & Randolph,	Clark, Ed. A.
Arner, William	Dewey, Wm.
Bennett, Dr. C. T.	McGuire, George
Canfield, Thomas	Snyder, Geo. W.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Apples, dried, ₱ ℔	@	03
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Barley, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	75 @	1 00
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00 @	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	6
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	8
Corn in ear	20 @	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	@	50
Clover Seed	4 50 @	5 00
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	17
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00 @	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔	@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔	@	10
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	7
Oats, ₱ bushel	23 @	28
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	45
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25 @	30
Salt, ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	15 @	40
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	87
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	88
Wool	20 @	23

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Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. o29

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CLINTON CHRONICLES.

The ladies of the M. E. church gave a chicken-pie social in the basement of that church last evening, and although the weather was very unpropitious, they had a very fair attendance.

The work on Mrs. Hattie Johnston's new house on Chicago street is being rapidly pushed forward, making another of the many efforts towards improvement in that part of the village.

The ladies of the M. E. church will meet at the parsonage, tomorrow, (Friday, afternoon. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

Chas. Clark and Leb. Pomeroy went up to Sand Lake to capture some of the finny tribe last Saturday evening.

The blue ribbon social on Saturday evening at Town Hall, was not as well patronized as it would have been, had it been held on some other evening: however, we are informed that the demand equaled the supply, and in the other event, a shortage might have occurred. Our blue ribbon society has become one of the features of the place under its able management, and should meet with every success.

Our chicken buyers have got to work again, and the squaking of the feathery tribe breaks the monotony at Will C. Rogers' on Jackson street.

J. S. Kies has some of the boss carrots of the season. They are of a turnip shape and the finest we ever saw. We are not sure but the productive soil under Fred's management will make grangers of both Joseph and Fred yet.

John E. McCollum was at his mother's in Manchester Sunday and left his brother Emmett better when he came home, but received the sad intelligence of his death early Monday morning.

Alonzo Clark visited Hillsdale, Monday on business.

The new sidewalks just put down from the railroad west, on the south side of Chicago street and from the same point east on the north side of the same street, maketh the pedestrian smile and addeth much to appearances.

Thomas Roper shipped a car load of cabbage the first of the week.

E. R. Smith shipped two car loads of squashes to Boston last Friday. Ed. had a large field of them and had he found a suitable market for them sooner, might have shipped double that amount.

E. L. Nims, with J. W. Fales & Co., wholesale paper dealers of Detroit, was in town looking over business men Tuesday.

Miss Carrie VanDuyne of Manchester, has been spending several days with Mrs. Pomeroy and Julia.

Two car loads of Dr. Reynolds' "devil's kindling wood" was shipped from this station last Friday, and the prospects are that it will be a long time before the kindling is exhausted, from the appearance of the apples stored upon the ground near the depot, for want of room in the mill.

Stephonawski and "Sid" McIntyre, the Bridgewater chicken thieves, created quite a stir in this vicinity. Constable Burroughs has been trying to trap them for a long time, and has finally succeeded, (after having them fairly snared once before.) He received word Sunday, that they were coming down on the Monday morning train to give themselves up, and upon going to the depot, found the first named individual there, but young Mac was non-est. However, Joe was not to be cheated out of any part of the program he had promised, and having found out what direction Mac was traveling, he set himself to work to head him off, and with deputy sheriff Burch, took the afternoon train for Toledo, and captured their man just as he was about to take the train for New York, and returned to Adrian where they left him in the keeping of Ance Whitmore until Tuesday noon, when he was brought to this village, fined $50 and allowed to visit the house of Correction at Ionia, for a term of ninety days. Too bad that he does not have his accomplice for a room mate during the cold nights of winter. We learn he was only fined. A few doses of the house of correction or a short stop at Jackson will do such fellows "a heap o'good."

The iron pillars decorate the front of Ed. Seamark's new store and the other work is going forward to completion, quite rapidly.

Rev. Pierce was not greeted with a large audience at the M. E. church last Sunday evening, but he gave the few a fine treat.

A lad six years of age, in Bridgewater, named Stephonawski, shot himself last Thursday morning while handling a loaded shot gun. As there was no person in the room at the time but a young brother, and he claiming to be asleep, the facts of the accident will probably remain a mystery, but we think from what we heard that the first story told us looks most feasible. There was a chest in the room and it would seem from appearances that he had endeavored to draw the gun over the chest when it was discharged, the contents entering the boy's head and literally tearing the upper part to pieces.

Last Thursday was a busy day at the depot. A car load of lumber arrived for Mr. Tate of Bridgewater, and eight or nine teams were there to haul it; teams were also busy at work drawing cider and cider timber, and squash, wheat, coal, etc., while the whole force employed by the Hause Bros. were working to their utmost. Even our jolly station agent was trotting in and out of the freight house with the wheat car, with a movement that told too plainly that the wheat must be loaded before the freight reached this station, and we don't know when we have seen things look more like business anywhere in Lenawee county.

"Dr. John" has purchased another horse. He had quite a stable of steeds before, but his growing practice makes it necessary to add thereto, for the doctor is in the habit of getting there when called.

The woolen mill presents a brilliant appearance evenings when lighted with its many gas jets.

Last Sunday morning made one think of the benefit derived from the coal fire, as we gazed around upon the beautiful white crystalized drops of water.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

The corn in this vicinity is scarcely half husked.

Disagreeable weather is making the roads likewise.

The M. E. church is undergoing quite extensive repairs. C. D. Smith has changed the seats so as to allow the building to be heated by one large stove, instead of two small ones as before. Tiffany & McCall are wielding the brush on the outside, and will cover the walls on the inside with elegant paper, which will no doubt aid the minister in keeping the eyes of the sinners open.

The bear show last Monday evening was fairly attended. No one expected very much from it, and therefore were not badly disappointed.

The first ball of the season will be given at C. E. Jessup's hall on Friday evening, Nov. 13th. Knapp & Hubbard's band of Tecumseh, are expected to furnish music. Those wishing to skate will be accommodated until 9 P. M.

R. L. Rogers is favoring one foot, from the effects of a fall, received while at work in the House of the Lord.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

The cold wave struck us with a little snow, Sunday.

W. P. Cadmus has put a fine assortment of boots, shoes and rubbers in his shoe shop.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Clack visited friends at Flat Rock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cadmus, Misses Rhoda and Lou Arner spent the day at Adrian, Friday.

Only three took in the excursion to Toledo, Saturday.

We took in the excursion to Toledo Saturday, and while in the city called on Prof. C. T. Bateman. The Prof. is superintending the Union School at Perrysburg.

The social held at Mrs. Waring's on Friday evening, was quite well attended and all enjoyed the amusements very much. The society will give an oyster supper at the church next week Friday evening.

Regular Meeting of the R. L. S. at the Hall, Friday night, at which time a very interesting program will be carried out.

Rev. C. B. Sutton, State Temperance Lecturer, will speak to the citizens of the village and vicinity next Saturday evening at Cottage Hall. Exe by's Hall, Britton, Sunday afternoon, Nov. 8th, at 2:30 P. M., and at Pennington's Corners Sunday evening.

Postmaster Santus went to Adrian on business, Monday.

The village school closed Friday, after a very successful term taught by Miss Hattie Moon. She will spend a week at her home near Saline, and then begin the winter term.

Mrs. Richmond Cheever is visiting relatives in the village at present.

The little four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Temple, after a short sickness, passed away Wednesday morning. She had not been well for sometime but was not considered dangerous until within a few hours of her death. The funeral services took place Thursday afternoon at the church.

Miss Lou Arner has just received a new supply of fall and winter goods in the millinery line, of the latest styles, and best assortment, and respectfully invites all her friends to call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.

The following is a report of the Ridgeway school for the month ending Oct. 30. No. of pupils enrolled 36. Average attendance 31.

No.		S.	D.	A.
1.	Lottie Arner	93	87	0
2.	Della Freer	92	93	1
3.	Fannie Gifford	93	95	0
4.	Flota Smith	93	97	2
5.	Alice Pocklington	85	90	1
6.	Lena Swick	86	92	7
7.	Sammie Arner	a	99	4
8.	Marcia Kelly	a	100	12
9.	Minnie Barrett	91	94	1
10.	Leila Sutton	93	92	0
11.	Arthur VanVleet	76	100	0
12.	Mamie Clack	87	80	4
13.	Smith Pocklington	88	80	1
14.	Floyd Smith	91	96	0
15.	Burtie Cadmus	88	86	1
16.	Brewster Clark	91	86	0
17.	Elmer Linn	81	86	0
18.	Wm. Smith	75	68	6
19.	Irving Reed	60	96	10
20.	Harry Clack	73	78	5
21.	Charley Swick	93	98	16
22.	Edna VanVleet	79	91	0
23.	Bessie Barrett	85	93	0
24.	Ralph Barrett	75	78	2
25.	Jimmie Nelson	73	93	1
26.	Lida Smith	75	93	0
27.	Oral Freer	74	90	5
28.	LeVern Allen	74	98	0
29.	Freddie Barrett	73	73	0
30.	Lemont Pocklington		73	1
31.	Burtie Clack		88	12
32.	Roy VanVleet		95	0
33.	Willie Fletcher		83	1
34.	Georgie Ransome		83	0
35.	Lawrence Rappleye		100	10
36.	Jennie Allen		97	0

HATTIE F. MOON, Teacher.

In the above s stands for the average standing in studies, d for deportment, and a for absent.

ADDISON ATOMS.

Several of our people visited Toledo Saturday. The excursion run by the M. & O. on that day is reported as being fairly well patronized and successfully conducted.

E. W. Crane, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Miss Nettie Bench, of Jackson, has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lyda Lemmons, this week.

Mr. H. S. Eaton was slightly indisposed early in the week, but is able to get about again now.

The following pupils of the Addison Primary school, have not been absent during the month of Oct.

Myrna Kline, Jimmy Jackson, Harry Miller, Nettie Miller, Cora Willey, Beulah Bowen, Zoe Smith, Mina Freymuth, Maud Halsey, Edgar Sorby, Eddie Weaver, John Weaver, Charley Harlow.

ADA A. HODGES, Teacher.

Albert Lombard begins his school for the winter in Dist. No. 3, Rome, next Monday.

Instead of the usual service, there will be a service of song and praise at the Cong'l. Church, next sabbath evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give a "Bean Social" at the rink on Friday evening, Nov. 13.

Mrs. J. H. Lane, of the millinery firm of Skutt & Lane, made a trip to Toledo last week in the interest of the business.

Joe Skutt, was in Tecumseh, Monday.

G. L. Bowen was in Chicago last week.

DEVILS' LAKE DOINGS.

A. Harlow and wife went to Morenci last week to visit their uncle, William Walker.

The farmer's are selling their apples at one dollar per barrel.

The side track has been laid and the grain house will be commenced this week.

Ida, daughter of the Rev. Lewis Sanford, died last Tuesday night. Their many neighbors and friends sympathize with them in their deep sorrow.

We have at last got the post-office, with J. B. Allen, post-master.

Joseph Turner has built an addition to his house.

Eugene Joslin will move into his new house next week. Henry Mensing done the work in a satisfactory manner.

There is prospect of several new houses being built early in the spring.

Last evening at Bijou Rink, large audience to witness the performance of the Powers Bros. Their skating and juggling of bottles, knives, parasols, was the best ever seen here.—Portland News.

—SCHOOL BLANKS.—We now have in stock at the HERALD office a full supply of school blanks of all kinds. School district officers will find it to their advantage to purchase their blanks of us.

DEATH OF GEN. MC CLELLAN.

Another of the chief actors in the great rebellion has gone to his final reward. Gen. Geo. B. McClellan died at his residence in Orange, N. J., on the 29th. ult. He had been ailing for some days, but was convalescing, and on the 28th. he rode from his house on Orange Mountain, down into the village. That night he was seized with an attack of neuralgia of the heart and within five hours his spirit took its flight.

As the eventful years of the war recede into the past, Gen. McClellan's worth is more and more recognized and history will do him justice for the services he rendered to the Union cause. The Army of the Potomac, which was the grandest army of modern times, was the work of his masterly genius. Gen. Grant took this army, ready made at his hands, and with it he crushed Gen. Lee and ended the war. But the instrument in Grant's hands, and without which he would have been powerless, was the handywork of Geo. B. McClellan. "Little Mac" was the idol of his soldiers. We have frequently met and conversed with "boys in blue," who fought under him in the Army of the Potomac, and they always grow eloquent in recounting the deeds of their favorite commander. Many an old veteran's eyes will moisten with tears when he learns of the death of "Little Mac." McClellan's position in history, as one of the leading actors in the civil war, is assured, and his name and fame will grow brighter and brighter as the years roll by.

The following tribute to his memory is taken from the Philadelphia Times, an independent republican paper, which is so fair and truthful that we reproduce it here.

The country was shocked yesterday morning by the announcement of the sudden death of General George B. McClellan. There was no public premonition of the approach of the inexorable messenger, and the announcement of his death came upon the public like the thunderbolt from the apparently cloudless sky.

Of the many men of pre-eminent distinction during the most memorable history of the Republic, General McClellan was like unto none of his contemporaries. He was a man of the purest and best politics; a sincere and thoroughly self-sacrificing patriot; a masterly military organizer; a skillful and brave commander, and one whose political counsels were ever wise and statesmanlike. He came to the command of the Armies of the Union the youngest of all who had held that fearfully responsible trust, and he had to confront the gravest military duties and dangers. The country was unused to and unprepared for war; its trusted chieftain had failed; the Union arms had suffered defeat in the first great battle of the war, and political complications and perils mingled largely with the military dangers which beset him. Lincoln believed in McClellan and meant to give him honest and hearty support; but conflicting methods, political and military jealousies, and the retreat from Richmond on the Peninsula culminated in his removal from command. The disgraceful bombast and failure of Pope, and his retreat into the intrenchments of Washington from the second battle of Manassas, brought the Army of the Potomac again under McClellan, and he exhibited his wonderful organizing military powers by gathering up a defeated and demoralized army and practically defeating Lee at Antietam.

General McClellan was a conscientious conservative, both as a soldier and a statesman, and he was called to act a leading part when conservative methods in both politics and war were not acceptable to the country. The political methods of war times were simply revolutionary, and the military methods finally looked to results regardless of sacrifice. Grant lost more men in killed, wounded and missing between the Rapidan and the James than Lee ever had in front of him, and that method of sacrificing three lives for one destroyed Lee and ended the rebellion. McClellan would never have fought such a campaign, nor would any have fought it but Grant. McClellan would have taken Richmond by overwhelming numbers and strategy and with probably half the loss that Grant sustained; but Lee's army would have been still in the field and the rebellion unconquered. Both these great warriors have passed away. History will give a generous measure of justice to both, and George B. McClellan will rank, in the annals of the nation's achievements, as one of the great generals and unsullied patriots of his memorable age.

The leading article in the November HARPER'S will be an interesting description, under the title of "An Indian Journey," of portions of the Plymouth County coast in Massachusetts, written by Mrs. Lucy C. Lillie. Mrs. Lillie's sketches of travel in England have frequently delighted readers of Harper's; in returning to home soil and native subjects she finds quite as much picturesque material; and almost as much historical association, as in the wonderland of "abroad." If she helps to show Americans how much there is to be seen at home which most of them don't see, she will have done a pleasant service to her countrymen. The article is charmingly illustrated by R. Swain Gifford and his wife, and by other artists.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 5, 1885.

BITTER WORDS.

Ah, me! those terrible tongues of ours.
Are we half aware of their terrible powers?
Do we ever trouble our heads at all
Where the jest may strike or the hint may fall?

The latest chirp of that "little bird,"
That spicy story "you must have heard"—
We work the story in our gossip's web,
And sometimes, I guess, of course, we smash
What fames have been blasted and troops undone,
What peoples and kings have been stirred,
By a word in bitterness spoken,
By only a bitter word.

A sneer—a shrug—a whisper low—
They are so small, so slight from an ambushed bow,
Shot by the coward, the fool, the knave;
They pierce the mail of the great and brave,
Vain is the buckler of wisdom or pride
To turn the poisoned pointed dart aside;
The lip may curl with a careless smile,
But the heart drips blood—drips blood the while.

Ah, me! what hearts have been broken,
What rivers of blood have been stirred,
By a word in malice spoken,
By only a bitter word.

A kindly word and a tender tone—
To only God is our virtues known!
They can lift from the dust the abject head,
They can turn a foe to a friend instead;
The heart close barred with passion and pride
Will fling at their knock its portal wide,
And the hate that blights and the scorn that sears
Will melt in the fountain of childlike tears.
What ice-bound griefs have been broken,
What rivers of love have been stirred,
By a word in kindness spoken,
By only a gentle word.

—*Indianapolis Journal.*

A FLAG OF TRUCE.

It Secures a Solid Peace and a Life-Long Union.

"Alfred, I do wish you and Laura could be friends. You are both so dear to me."

Miss Southwell's voice was a little tremulous. She was over sixty-five, a slim, fragile-looking woman. Her face reminded you of a white rose that has lost its early freshness, but has a delicate loveliness lingering about it still. True, its lines indicated more sweetness than strength of character, but the expression was so good, so pure, you felt instinctively she was one to be loved and trusted.

In the fair-complexioned, handsome face of the young man beside her there was not one tell-tale line of weakness. The hazel eyes looked down affectionately into his aunt's, but his voice, though good-humored, kept its decided ring as he replied:

"But, dear Aunt Letty, what am I to do! There's no getting along with Laura unless you give up to her in everything, and I'm not disposed to make myself a slave to the little lady."

"I fear we have petted and spoiled her among us——" Aunt Letty broke off with a sigh.

"Yes; that's just the trouble, aunty. You are so sweet-tempered you can't bear to find fault with anybody, and Uncle Arthur is just like you. Between you both you've made a perfect little despot of Laura. It's too bad, for the girl is naturally a frank, generous, warm-hearted creature. But come, aunty, you ought to box my ears for an impertinent young puppy, as I am. I was always a great hand to preach, you know."

"Yes; but I'm afraid there's a great deal of truth in what you've said, Alfred," in an anxious tone. "You won't let the foolish child drive you away?"

Alfred gave a good-humored laugh. "Aunty, do you think I take it so much to heart as that? No, no; Laura's little airs and tempers are rather amusing than otherwise. Only I hate to see her growing up into an unamiable woman——"

A sharp tap at the door interrupted him. Without waiting for an answer, his cousin pushed it open and marched in.

You could scarcely find a more beautiful little face than Laura's, and perhaps it looked all the prettier for the flush of anger that crimsoned it just then. She threw up her head with the air of a spoiled princess as she said, fixing her eyes on her cousin:

"As the door happened to be ajar, sir, I had the pleasure of hearing your last sentence. I see you've added backbiting to your other amiable qualities, but I think you might be better employed than in trying to set aunty against me, for I'm the same as an own child to her, I'm sure."

Alfred's cheek reddened, but he said, facing her with an unmoved front: "You were perfectly welcome to hear every word. As for your insulting remark about me, I think you owe me an apology, though I've not the slightest expectation of receiving one."

The young gentleman marched wrathfully out, while Laura looked after him with a mixture of resentment and triumph.

"I've actually made his Highness angry. Well, that's something anyway. It's so provoking, the cool, smiling way in which he'll sit and look at me when he's worked me up into a perfect rage."

"Laura!" said her aunt, with unwonted sharpness, "how can you treat your cousin so? I'm afraid what he says is too true, that we've spoiled you among us. And he did justice to your good qualities, I'm sure. He thinks you are frank and generous and warm-hearted."

Something softer than anger sparkled in Laura's saucy black eyes for a moment; but forcing back the tell-tale drops, she flung her arms around Miss Southwell's neck. "You sweetest aunty, I'm so thankful you and dear uncle brought me up instead of a tyrant like Mr. Alfred Hillier. Don't call him my cousin; he's three degrees removed, I'm sure, and I won't own him for a relation. But come, now, cheer up, and get dressed as quick as you can, or you won't be ready to receive the company."

"You would better run and dress yourself, little lady; it's more your company than mine."

"Dress? Yes, I'll try and look my prettiest," thought Laura, as she skipped away, "and I'll flirt a little with Mr. Palmer, too. That Alfred despises him so I'll do it just to provoke him."

But in spite of this careless talk, the girl could not keep her heart from warming a little toward her cousin, as she thought of his expressions of praise.

"Generous, frank, warm-hearted!" she said, half aloud. "Well, I'm glad he does me that justice. But I don't care; I hate him. He's done nothing but contradict and cross me ever since he came into this house."

Laura's room was next to Alfred's, and after her toilette was completed she could not help putting out her head to see if she could catch a glimpse of her enemy. Yes, he was gazing out too, and their eyes met. She vanished, but soon re-appeared, flourishing a stick on which she had tied a piece of black silk.

"Mr. Hillier!" she cried out.

"Miss Laura!" responded the young gentleman, with a smile of provoking coolness.

"Do you see this black flag?" waving it proudly. "This means 'war to the knife' from this hour between you and me."

"As you please," said Alfred, serenely. "But let us keep up at least the semblance of civilized warfare before others."

"Very good," said Laura, retiring with a final wave, while Alfred laughed quietly to himself.

"You *are* a child, and no mistake," he thought, contemplating his cousin patronizingly from his lofty summit of twenty-three years. "It would be comical enough if the black flag should be exchanged for a white one before I leave, young lady."

Early the next morning Laura stood in the garden waiting for her aunt. The horse was harnessed, waiting to take them to the village where Miss Southwell did all her marketing. She had been trying for some weeks to indoctrinate Laura into its mysteries, and the young lady proved herself an apt scholar.

The old-fashioned, pleasant house which Miss Southwell and her brother had occupied now some thirty years stood on a hill in the outskirts of the village. The grounds were tastefully laid out, the mountain air delicious and invigorating.

There could not be a more glorious morning than this, yet the expression of trouble on Laura's pretty face showed that her mood was not in harmony with the day.

"So provoking," she muttered, "that I should have lost my temper that way! But it was bad enough to have my ball croqueted 'way to the ends of the earth without his looking so pleased over it.

"Sophie Higley, too, 'crowing over' Mr. Palmer and me as she did! It was real fiendlylike. And to think of her whispering to Mary Shaw that I was 'a little stinging cockatrice!' I can never get over that!

"But, oh dear! I *did* say some dreadfully spiteful things. Well, I don't care; Alfred and Sophie were really aggravating, and Mr. Palmer thought so too. How polite he is, always making you feel so pleased with yourself! I wish he wasn't such a fool."

At this moment Maria, one of their servants, came running down the piazza steps. She looked so freightened that Laura's heart leaped to her mouth.

"Oh, Miss Laura, your aunt's hurt her ankle bad, and I'm 'most afraid it's broke. She was half-way down the stairs, when she fell, and her whole weight come on it."

But Laura was in the house by this time. She found her aunt in her room, a front chamber, opposite the stairs down which she had fallen.

Miss Southwell lay on the lounge, looking very pale, but composed, and said, in a soothing tone to Laura, "Don't be frightened, child; my ankle's not broken, only badly sprained. Katy's drawing me some hot water to shower it with. And now, dear, as your uncle is away, I feel that you and Alfred must be my main dependance."

"You and Alfred." It seemed an odd conjunction. But Laura only murmured, as she laid her cheek against Miss Southwell's. "What can we do for you, dearest aunty?"

Aunt Letty kissed the girl affectionately. "Our friends from New York will be here this afternoon, as you know, and I am sure they will spend at least a week with us. Judging from past experience, I fear I shall be laid up some time with this sprain. Now, Laura, you have proved yourself such a capable little housekeeper on one or two occasions that I feel I can trust you even with company in the house. And then our girls are so capable"—with a smile at Katy, who came in just then with the hot water.

"Bless you, ma'am, we'll do beautiful," said Katy, "though it's sorry I am to see you laid up."

"Well, Laura, I want you to go to market first thing. Your cousin will drive you over, I know. Don't be afraid to call upon him for anything. I've always found him kind and obliging. And then, he has such good judgment. Here is the list of things I want you to order."

"Whatever misgivings Laura felt, she did not make them known. "I'll do just what you tell me, aunty," she said, with unwonted docility. "Now please attend to that poor ankle right away. Sha'n't we stop at the doctor's and ask him to come round?"

"No, no; I'm an old hand at sprains, and can treat it better myself."

"Well, don't worry, precious aunty, for we'll all do our very best," said Laura.

But as she descended the stairs she felt half afraid, half rebellious. "I hate to ask him," she murmured to herself. "How he did treat me last night, and this morning, too! Why, he would scarcely look at me."

Yet in her heart there was a secret longing to be friends with her cousin. She was too proud to apologize, but an idea struck her just then. Her face broke into a smile as, taking out her handkerchief, she tied it to the handle of her parasol.

"My flag of truce," she said, giving it a flourish. "I shall ask for a suspension of hostilities 'till uncle gets back."

Hastening her steps, she tripped off in the direction of the arbor where her cousin was wont to smoke his morning cigar.

Yes, there he was, enjoying that masculine luxury and the newspaper together. Laura slackened her gait now, as she approached, waving her "white flag" solemnly and slowly.

Alfred looked up, and his face relaxed into a smile. "Well?" he asked, glancing humorously at the handkerchief.

"It's a flag of truce," said Laura solemnly. "I've come to request of my honorable enemy a suspension of hostilities for twenty-four hours."

"Agreed," said Alfred, rising, and speaking with such cordial good humor that Laura felt her heart immensely lightened. "But may I ask the reason for this move on my fair enemy's part?"

"O, it's a shame to joke when poor aunty's hurt herself so!" said Laura, with a sudden change of tone. "She's sprained her ankle badly, just when she's expecting company, too. Uncle won't be back till to-morrow, and she feels she must depend upon you and me, and so I thought we might——"

"Clasp hands temporarily over the bloody chasm," broke in Alfred. "Well, I agree to it heartily, and you may command my services at any time. I am sorry Aunt Letty has hurt herself, and if you'll excuse me for five minutes, I'll run up and see her."

"Well, you *are* a real good-natured boy, after all," thought Laura, as he bounded away.

"And now I understand we are going to market?" said Alfred, gayly, as he returned to her side.

"Yes, I believe that's the first thing on the programme," returned his cousin.

They started off together, Laura very happy, though a little embarrassed. It seemed strange to be on such pleasant terms with her enemy. But this feeling soon wore away. The ride in the mountain air was delightful, and ere long she found herself talking with Alfred as she had never talked before. He was an uncommonly intelligent young fellow and a good student, but not in the least absent-minded. Nothing seemed to escape his observation, and with it all he was so full of fun and boyish spirits. Laura found him a most agreeable companion, and he on his part saw her in a new light, and began to feel decidedly cousinly and affectionate. Always bright and artless, she was this morning really amiable. Only once did a little sarcastic remark escape her, whereupon Alfred, without a word, pointed smilingly to the handkerchief still waving from the parasol that lay across her lap.

A bright color rose in Laura's cheeks, but she looked up sweetly and frankly into his face. "Please forgive me," she said; "I had no business to fire that shot, but I did it from force of habit."

She turned away her head immediately, but Alfred's keen eyes noticed the slight quiver of her lip, and that she had to wink hard to keep the tears back. He changed the conversation at once, and they were soon chatting gayly again.

"Cousin Alfred," broke out Laura, suddenly—"I beg pardon, Mr. Hillier," correcting herself with a laugh.

"Suppose we drop these formalities while we are under a flag of truce," said the young man, pleasantly. "What is it you want of Cousin Alfred, Laura?"

"Why, there's Sophie Higley and *that* Mr. Palmer," rejoined Laura. "They'll want to stop and speak to us; but don't do it, if you can help it."

A smile of amusement curled Alfred's lip in spite of himself. "How do they come to be driving out together?"

"Oh, he's her cousin, and staying there, you know. Dear me! Sophie is waving her hand to you to stop, you'll have to do it, Alfred."

Alfred reined up the pony sharply, and bowed with his usual politeness to the young lady, whose eyes were fixed with envious scrutiny upon him and his companion. Mr. Palmer looked equally discomposed, but Sophie was the first to find her tongue.

"So the two enemies seem to be reconciled," she said, with a laugh. "How are you both this morning?"

"We are enjoying our usual health, thank you," said Alfred.

"Miss Laura looks—aw—like a rose, I'm sure," simpered her companion.

"Thank you, Mr. Palmer," said Laura; "I always enjoy your comparisons—they are so original."

Mr. Palmer looked immensely flattered. Alfred (inconsistent mortal!) felt not the slightest inclination to rebuke his cousin.

"Well, we must bid you good-morning, as our business is pressing," he said, gathering up the reins.

"But, Laura, dear Laura!" cried Miss Higley, as they were moving off; "do let me speak one word to you!"

"Well?" said Laura, coldly, for the expression, "stinging little cockatrice," was still rankling in her soul.

"My cousin George is coming in from New Jersey this afternoon. He can only spend one night with us, and if you like I will bring him in this evening."

"We shall be very happy to see him," said Laura, more graciously, for George was a favorite of hers. "Then we shall expect you this evening, and Mr. Palmer also, if he feels inclined to call upon us."

"When do I feel otherwise?" asked Mr. Palmer, sentimentally; "at least so far as you are concerned."

"Drive on, Alfred, for pity's sake, or I shall scream!" whispered Laura.

Alfred, with a decided though perfectly amiable "good morning," started the pony again, and they went off at a brisk trot toward the village.

That evening about a dozen young people were gathered in Miss Southwell's pleasant parlors.

The Ransoms, who were old family friends, had arrived that afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ransom were upstairs talking with Miss Southwell, while the younger members of the family formed part of the merry group below.

Miss Higley had arrived early with her two cousins, and shortly after two or three other friends dropped in, for Miss Southwell's house was very popular with the young people.

Laura, sorry as she felt for her aunt, had found this a very happy day. She was proving herself indeed "a capable little housekeeper." Then Alfred had been so kind, so good, so efficient. He was always on hand to assist her, and to help entertain the company, which none could do better than he.

The evening passed pleasantly away, while they played games, sang and danced by turns.

Miss Higley, who admired Alfred intensely, and who had allowed herself, in spite of the difference in their ages, to entertain hopes in that direction, marked with displeasure how friendly he and his cousin had become. Toward the close of the evening they danced together, and her eyes followed them malignantly as, the dance over, they retreated to a corner of the room and seemed absorbed in conversation.

"They are polite to desert their company that way!" she said with a sneer to her cousin, George Lane.

"Why, they've been doing their best to entertain us all the evening, and 'the company' seems happy enough, I'm sure," said good-natured George, glancing around him. "'Every Jack has his Jill,' and nobody looks neglected. Why shouldn't they have a little friendly chat together?"

Meantime Laura is saying with a sigh, "We have a telegram from uncle—he will be home to-night."

"Are you sorry?" asks Alfred, with a kindly twinkle in his eyes.

"Not sorry to see uncle, but—well, on the whole, I think I prefer peace to war, and should be really sorry to have hostilities commence again," replies Laura, glancing up with a roguish but wistful look.

"Well, is it necessary to resume the campaign?" says her cousin, kindly. "I find the present atmosphere very refreshing myself. Suppose we swear a perpetual peace?"

Laura tries to laugh, but the bright eyes are full of tears, and her voice trembles as she answers: "Cousin Alfred, you are so kind; you give me courage to do what I've longed to do all day—apologize for my badness, and promise to 'try and be good' from this time."

His fair enemy has surrendered at last, unconditionally; but if Alfred feels any masculine triumph, he does not betray it by word or look.

"We'll both start again," he says, heartily taking the little hand in his large grasp for a moment. "For myself, I feel I've been a dictatorial, overbearing sort of a fellow, and I want to ask your pardon in my turn. And now may I ask as a great favor that you'll give me that blessed little flag of truce? I want it for a memento of this auspicious day."

"I'll give you half of it with pleasure," says Laura, with a musical little laugh. "But I'd like to have half myself to remind me always to 'keep the peace.'"

Miss Higley, who, while pretending to talk to her cousins, had been watching the couple furtively, now said, in a sharp tone: "Well, they really seem almost 'spoony;' and to think how they've been sparring ever since he came! George, do you think you see any signs of—well, you know what I mean—over there?"

"Well," said George, his shrewd face breaking into a kindly smile, "I'm not a great judge of such matters, and I don't like to jump at conclusions, but judging from appearances, I should say there were signs not only of solid peace, but of a lifelong union between the two belligerents."

—*Clara Broughton in Harper's Bazar.*

SLOBBERING.

Various Acid Weeds Responsible for the Trouble.

The causes of slobbering of horses that are grazed on the aftermath is the presence of acid weeds in the herbage. Lobelia, St. John's wort and rag-weed often form the larger part of the herbage, and this can scarcely be avoided so long as the second crop of clover is cut for seed from fields infested with these weeds. Lobelia may soon be discovered by its pale blue, small, tubular or funnel-shaped flowers and its oval seed pods. It grows about nine to twelve inches high, and is easily missed in a meadow unless one stoops low to seek for it, when it will be too often found abundantly. If one tastes it he will readily understand why it will produce the effect complained of. It has a strong, acrid flavor like that of tobacco, and may quite often be found in second crop hay. St. John's wort is recognized by its five-petaled yellow flowers, but most easily by its three celled pods, which have three divergent, long, slender styles attached to the top of the pod. These are quite apparent in the flower, being the three styled pistil with the three stamens. The petals have quite a number of purple dots upon them. Ragweed is too well known to need description; it has a strong, bitter, aromatic taste, which is not so bad as that of the preceding weeds, but it will cause some horses to slobber. Horses will refuse to touch these plants if they can avoid it, but when they are abundant they can not help eating some of them. To stop the slobbering give a handful or two of dry corn meal or wheat middlings. The loss of saliva is a serious matter, and greatly weakens the animal.—*Colman's Rural World.*

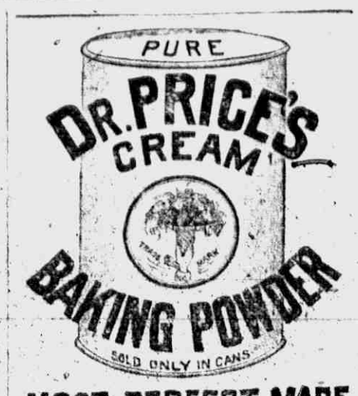

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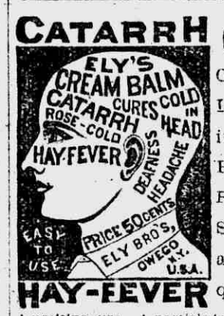

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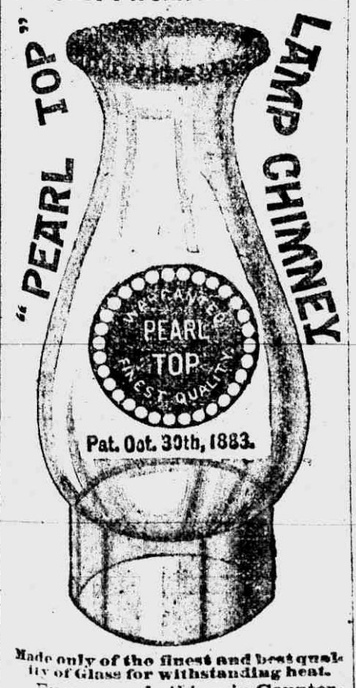

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—Thirty-one families of Smiths get their letters at the Wilkinsburg Post-office, Pa.

—Chili has control of the Straits of Magellan, and Patagonia is willed.

—The American Social Science Association, at its recent session, felicitated itself upon the fact that within the past few years it had succeeded in making the teaching of social science a feature of many colleges of the land.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—A wealthy New York lady's will provides that her numerous dogs, cats and birds shall be cremated, and that their ashes shall be scattered upon her grave. The neighbors are eager for the provisions of the will to be carried out at once.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Our whole land area, exclusive of Alaska, is 1,856,070,400 acres, of which 441,900,000 acres is forest, and the farm area is 225,659,000 acres, the balance being comprised under the head of unimproved and waste lands.—*Chicago Journal.*

—A Belgian has invented a coffin that makes it impossible for any one to be buried alive. The pressure of the earth thrown upon the lid of the coffin liberates a sort of stiletto, which is so placed that upon being disengaged it pierces the heart of the occupant.

—Will the English language become universal? The question is decided in the affirmative by Candolle, a Geneva scientist, who reasons from the rapid spread of English-speaking people throughout the world, and their almost invariable retention of their native tongue.

—A story that "a ship recently sailed from Boston to Western Africa, carrying 132,000 gallons of rum and three missionaries," is now on its rounds. It was an old joke in 1835, and as such appears in a collection of "Local Hits and Cuts," published that year.—*Boston Record.*

—A large rattlesnake hid itself in a school-boy's dinner basket in a country school at Utah recently, and when the lad went for his lunch at noon time there was a stampede of teachers and scholars. His snakeship held possession of the school-room for some time, but a passing teamster finally killed it.—*Chicago Herald.*

—We know of a tortoise, says the *Revue Scientifique*, which, when called aloud by its name, "Laideron," would run toward the voice. Another learned to come when called by a hissing sound, followed its master like a little dog, received caresses bestowed on its head and neck, gave gentle bites to show its affection, and would climb up on its master's boot or pull at his clothes to draw his attention.

—Professor Humphrey, in his address to the London Medical Society, says that women are longer-lived than men. Out of eighty-nine who died at about one hundred, ten only were males, and insurance offices usually give women longer lives than men. More boys are born than girls, but more boys die, so that girls at puberty are in a majority, and their relative number is steadily increasing.

—A citizen of Tuscarora one day recently became intoxicated and then lay down on the railroad track to rest at Sonyea. The engineer of the first train coming along discovered him and stopped in time, and the man was removed. When the next train came it had a similar experience, and the man was removed a second time. A person was then sent to look after him and arrived just in time to take him from almost under the wheels of a third train. Appearances indicate that he wanted to be run over.—*Genesco Republican.*

—A peculiarly marked family named Galvin is on exhibition in New York. Mr. Galvin's left arm is six inches longer than his right arm. Mrs. Galvin was born with only one eye, which is a very singular freak of nature. A son has an arm which is large and well formed and reaches nearly to his feet, making him look as though he had three legs. Two girls, aged seven and nine years respectively, have left arms that are about nine inches longer than their right arms. The youngest, a boy of four years, inherits the peculiarities of both parents. He has two eyes, but one is very small, while the other is full sized, like his mother's one eye.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

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It is a club of world-wide fame—the Travelers'. Even eligible candidates have sometimes been on the proposal book for ten years. The Marquis of Londonderry originated it immediately after the peace of 1814, "as a resort for gentlemen who had resided or traveled abroad, as well as with a view to the accommodation of foreigners," who, properly indorsed, are made honorary members during their stay in London. No person is eligible who has not traveled out of the British islands to a distance of at least five hundred miles from London in a direct line." Gambling is not permitted. All games of hazard are excluded. Cards are not allowed before dinner, and the highest stake is a guinea at whist. Mr. Timbs says Prince Talleyrand, during his residence in London, was a frequenter of the whist tables, and he thinks it was here that he made his felicitious rejoinder in regard to the marriage of an elderly lady of rank with her servant: "However could a lady of her birth make such a match?" "It was late in the game," responded Talleyrand; "and we don't reckon honors."—*Art Journal.*

New Colonial Competition.

There is to be a new competition in the great colonial scramble. The Swiss are no longer content to stay behind their mountains, or if they emigrate to leave the Federal flag behind them. An influential committee has been formed, including prominent members of all political parties, to bring the advantages of colonization before the public, and to institute inquiries as to available territories. A large sum of money has been subscribed, but in any case it will be some years before any actual start can be made, and by then the leavings of Germany will hardly be very eligible. There can be no doubt however, that the Swiss will make exceptionally good colonists.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

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ESTATE OF JOSEPH TAYLOR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor late of Ravenstmoor in Cheshire, England, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Homer L. Stewart, alleging, among other things, that the property of said deceased is in part at least a mortgage upon real estate owned by petitioner in Lenawee county, which he has assumed to pay, and is past due, and that Edwin B. Wood was duly appointed administrator of said estate and accepted that trust, and that said Edwin B. Wood has deceased without having fully administered said estate, and praying that Charles Burridge, or some other suitable person be appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate. And it appearing to the Court that some of the heirs-at-law of said deceased are residents of England in Great Brittian, a foreign country having no consul residing in this state, whereby it becomes the duty of this Court to notify the consul of such foreign nation in the city of New York, at least sixty days before the day assigned for the hearing of said petition of the pendency thereof and the day appointed for the hearing of the same and the court having this day notified such consul by letter addressed to the consul of Great Brittian in the City of New York, deposited in the postoffice in Adrian with the postage prepaid, a letter-press copy of which there is now on file in this Court.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, immediately previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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A. H. Briggs, Probate Register. sep24

ESTATE OF LUCINDA BODINE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 23d day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lucinda Bodine, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Peter Scott, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate thus far incurred, and all legacies, except residuary legacies have been fully paid, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate in accordance with the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of December, 1885, and on the 26th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of October, A.D. 1885, are allowed by the said court for creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 29, 1885.

ALEXANDER RICHARD,
HORACE B. HOLDRIDGE,
oc29 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Charles J. Brewer, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the sixth day of November, 1885, and on the fifth day of April, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the fifth day of October 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 8th, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. McKINNON,
Oct8 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of William Kuder, in the Township of Clinton, Lenawee County Michigan, on the tenth day of November, 1885, and on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1886, at one o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of September, A. D. 1885, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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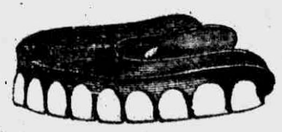

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THE HERALD FOR 1886.

We herewith submit to the public our terms for the coming year. In making our annual announcement we take occasion to inform our numerous patrons that the HERALD has passed through the business stringency of the last twelve months as successfully as we could have hoped, and is fully prepared to take advantage of the rising tide in business affairs. We enter the campaign of 1886 better equipped than ever to give our patrons a first class local newspaper at a reasonable rate. Recognizing the tendency of the times towards lower prices, we have decided to adopt a club system in lieu of premiums. Subscriptions for any newspaper or magazine published will be taken at reduced rates, but our regular special club list will be short and sweet.—Nearly every subscriber to the HERALD also takes the Detroit Free Press, the Detroit Tribune or the Michigan Farmer. We shall furnish these papers clubbed with the HERALD at the following rates:

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We are gratified to state that the HERALD list has been increased considerably during the past six months, and we shall endeavor to add five hundred new names between this date and the first day of next March. The present patrons of the HERALD will continue their patronage and it is gathering new friends every day.—Our subscription list is like an old fashioned stage coach—there is always room for one more.

THE NOVEMBER CENTURY.

In the initial number of the new Century year, beginning the Thirty-first Volume of the magazine, special stress is laid on the fiction which includes three short stories and parts of two serials. Of the former, "A Cloud on the Mountain," by Mrs. Mary Halleck Foote, is a stirring romance of Idaho ranch life; a full-page drawing by the author to illustrate the story is the frontispiece of the number and is engraved by Mr. T. Cole, who is now working in Italy for The Century; "A Story of Seven Devils" is one of Mr. Stockton's characteristic tales of humor and ingenuity; and "The Mystery of Wilhelm Rutter" by the late Helen Jackson (H. H.), is a tragic romance, the scene of which is laid among the Pennsylvania Dutch. Mr. James's "Bostonians" is continued. The new serial is Mrs. Foote's mining story, "John Bodewin's Testimony," the opening chapters of which give promise of a novel surpassing in interest the same writer's romance of "The Led-Horse Claim."

The unusually handsome November *Magazine of American History* is as entertaining as it is valuable and informing. It would be difficult to point out the part of it that would entice and interest the larger audience. It is all good from the first to the last. "The Wadsworth House at Geneseo," by Frederic G. Mather, under the general title of "Historic Homes," is superbly illustrated, the hand of George Gibson being traced in the full-page pictures of the mansion and its interiors. The portraits are also excellent. It will surprise the public to read of "Witchcraft in Illinois," but the paper of John H. Gunn speaks for itself. "The Burning of Washington in 1814," by Hon. Horatio King, is a graphic account of an event never before so clearly and forcibly presented. This publication seems destined to eclipse its contemporaries in many directions. Subscription price, $5.00 a year in advance. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York City.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for November is a genuine Thanksgiving number, calculated to cause gratitude in the hearts of all its patrons. The steel engraved frontispiece of "Without a Care," is a capital study of child life—three little girls cuddling under an umbrella, each with a diminutive pussy in her arms. Mrs. Mary Bradley has a charming poem in this issue "At the Lock," which is illustrated by two handsome full-page process cuts. "The Yoke of Honor" ends satisfactorily this month, while Max Vender Weyde continues his interesting reports of Phillipa's doings in the article on "The Ceramic Club." This series that tells about women helping themselves in a pecuniary way has obtained great and well-merited popularity. We had thought before that Godey's was excellent, but this month she has truly excelled herself.

Ex-Supervisor James went to Chicago last week on business connected with the court house furniture contract.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

New G. A. R. post at Oakley, Saginaw county.

Battle Creek milk men talk of discontinuing their Sunday trips.

The upper peninsula branch prison will be located near Marquette.

Lenawee county state tax is nearly 100 per cent more than last year.

Big Rapids has put $25,000 into a water works system and now wants street cars.

Clare county board of supervisors have set off a new township to be called Hamilton.

Corn in Cass county will be a much smaller crop than was expected, much of it being too soft for cribbing.

Out of 40 cases of diphtheria at Oregon, Lapeer county, 10 proved fatal. The epidemic is thought to be over.

P. M. Wheeler, a wealthy Woodland farmer, has been caught by the roofing paint swindlers to the tune of $187.

Sergt. D. W. Fales, of the Detroit police force committed suicide last week by shooting himself in the mouth.

Lapeer merchants threaten to boycott the Bay City railroad, unless a stop is put to the cheap excursions to Detroit.

B. T. Luther, of Luther, Lake co., has raised over 800 bushels of potatoes from one barrel of seed of the white star kind.

There have been about 350 deer shipped from Alpena this fall, and they are coming in by wagon loads every day.

A new democratic paper is talked up at Cadillac, to be run by a stock company, with Judge Fallas behind the enterprise.

The trial of Henry Holcomb, for perjury in the Crouch case, will not come off in the Hillsdale court until the December term.

The mineral spring company at Mt. Clemens burns the natural gas from their spring. The flow is quite equable and gives a good light.

An order sent to Chicago on Saturday last by a Berrien Springs business man read: "Send by express two dozen gospel hymns and one set of poker chips.

Commissioner Black writes that it is the intention of the department for the present to maintain a medical board of pension examiners at both Flint and Lapeer.

The booming company at Muskegon have shut down for the season, and the men were discharged, except a few who are to pick up and make snug for the winter.

Crouse, the hunter who shot Mrs. Briggs for a bear, in Platte, Benzie co., was exonerated by the coroner's jury. Crouse paid the doctor's bill and funeral expenses.

Yardmaster E. H. Clark, who was injured at Kalamazoo last week, by being thrown from the top of a freight train, died a few hours later. He was 48 years old and an elder in the presbyterian church.

Dragging for victims of the bridge disaster at East Saginaw has been suspended, although it is believed two or three are still in the river. The supervisors have ordered an investigation of all bridges in the county.

An effort is making to organize a military company to be known as the Detroit Rifles. None but union men and sympathizers of labor movements will be allowed to join, and the details of organization are private among the labor leaders.

A Romeo lady stole a vest from one of the dry goods stores in that village recently, and two days later she walked into the store, wearing the stolen article. It required but a few words of explanation to persuade the lady to give up the vest.

The Bohemian oat men are not getting along first rate in Genessee co.—Two of the banks in the city have refused to handle their paper, and in other ways they are meeting with much discouragement. Fred Schumacher, an Akron, O., oatmeal manufacturer who has the largest establishment in the country, says the Bohemian oats are no good.

A crippled and penniless man has arrived at Petersburgh, Monroe co., in search of his brother, who he says is George Reid, formerly of Burlington, Vt., and came to Petersburgh last March. George having left there his address is wanted by Allen Z. Peck, of Petersburgh. He was a member of the Fifth Vermont infantry, and is said to be the only living relative of the cripple above refered to.

Michael Burden, a life prisoner at Jackson, and Joseph B. Hueston, up for four years, fell out of line as the men were marching to their cells last week Wednesday, and made a dash for the prison walls, hoping to escape by means of a ladder standing against them. Hueston had nearly reached the top of the wall, and Burden placed his foot on the bottom round, when the ladder broke, throwing both liberty seekers to the ground. They immediately capitulated. Burden is imprisoned for murder, committed in Sanilac county, and Hueston for larceny in Berrien Springs.

LETTER FROM LAKE SUPERIOR.

DEAR HERALD:—How pleased we are to receive your weekly visits! It seems indeed like the coming of a friend. Ever welcome visitor! But I would not have you think that we feel out of the world up here. Indeed we could not do so if we would; for we find people crowded in here so closely together that we scarcely have building room. We do not find such roomy, airy lawns around houses as you have in Tecumseh. We dwell close together, so close that the insurance man lightens our purses to the tune of 3, 4 and 5 per cent. per annum for insuring us against fire. Of course, to talk of Lake Superior seems like starting for the end of the earth, the very North Pole, when one is down in sunny Southern Michigan. And I must confess that when one is here and looks up to the heavens from these rugged hill-sides it seems that the North Star has been making rapid strides toward the zenith. But we are really a long way from the much sought after North Pole yet. And after a short residence here we forgot how far north we are. The sun shines brightly, the people are bright and cheery. "Uncle Sam" visits us just as aforetime, bringing cheering messages from our friends, and the news papers with their rich treasure. We find people occupied as in other parts of the world, eating, sleeping, toiling, marrying; dancing, singing, drinking, riding on roller skates and bycicles, etc., etc. So we soon come to feel up here that we are still a part of the great busy world, and our lives flow on as peacefully as before.

But I would have you understand that it is something of a journey up here. It is as follows: Lake St. Clair 25 miles long, St. Clair river 48 miles, Lake Huron 250 miles, St. Mary's river 62 miles, Sault Ste Marie to Hancock about 250 miles, making a voyage of at least 625 miles on water from Detroit. To go from here to Detroit by rail, the shortest route would require a journey of 450 miles. So you see we are some distance from Tecumseh, even by rail. But it is a splendid journey by water when the weather is fine. And in the summer there is not much risk. It is a journey which one can not well afford to miss.

I need not speak particularly of our departure from Tecumseh, only to say that many cares crowded into the last moments of our stay there, so that we were hustled off rather uncermoniously at the last. We would fain have had leisure for a more decorous farewell. But with all our hurry we felt that we were leaving behind us many dear friends, tried and true. We feel indeed that wherever we may go we shall never find warmer, truer friends than we have in Tecumseh. That last generous remembrance, that donation of forty-five dollars cash from the Masonic Lodge and from kind friends, when it become known that we must make the long move, will never be forgotten. And we shall not cease to implore heaven's richest blessings to rest upon the donors, and upon others who so kindly have helped us at other times.

Nothing of importance occured on our way to Detroit except that we rather frightened one of the railroad men who exclaimed, as our numerous family of little girls stepped from the cars, "Have any of them got away?" At Detroit we found the splendid steamer "Idaho" waiting for us, as I had written the agent of our coming. She is commanded by Capt Clark, a careful seaman and a genial christian gentleman. Being out of season passengers were few, giving us choice of staterooms. It was about 8 P. M. when we left Detroit. We saw but little until the next morning which found us well out on Lake Huron and almost out of sight of land. We gathered at breakfast. My appetite was all right, but some members of our party looked paler than usual. They did not eat much, and some even got up hastily, put their handkerchiefs to their mouths and rushed to our staterooms as if dreading a fit of coughing or something worse. About noon we were out of sight of land entirely, crossing the mouth of Saginaw Bay. And some of our party did not seem to care for dinner. Let me say that the mouth of Saginaw Bay is not a good place to dive. There is always swell enough on the lake at that point to make inexperienced voyagers lose their appetite. In storms that portion of Lake Huron is especially dreaded by lake men. As I sat and looked out over that seemingly boundless body of water with the waves splashing against the steamer I could scarcely realize that I was in the interior of our wonderful continent. It seemed that I was out in the ocean. What a wonderful system our great lakes constitute! I read in my guide book, "1200 miles from Buffalo to Duluth," a distance great enough for a respectable ocean voyage. O, the wondrous powers of nature that built the walks of these inland seas and made a highway for the commerce of the great and growing North West!

The second morning found us threading our way up the beautiful St. Mary's River. This can only be passed by daylight. I thought while on Lake Huron that there could not be much commerce on the lakes; but here I changed my mind. We passed steamer after steamer bound east. The channel is very narrow so that we see them all. This river is the most beautiful part of the voyage. Its shores remind a New Englander of his native hills. We reached Sault Ste Marie about noon. We were especially interested in viewing the rapids and passing the locks there. The lock has a rise of 18 feet. It is 600 feet long, large enough to hold four large steamers at once, two passing each way. It is the only lock of its kind in the world. All others admit the water from the upper gates; this "boils it up" all over the bottom. At the bottom are three large mains running its full length, built in solid masonry with apertures at intervals. The water is admitted into these mains and rushes up from the apertures like great boiling springs, and only lifts the vessels instead or driving them against the lower gates. It is a great improvement on the old method. Once past the lock and the rapids we steamed out on Lake Superior, that great inland sea of fresh water 460 miles long and over 900 feet deep. The day was clear, calm and beautiful. But about dark a thunder storm came on. It was not remarkable. It seemed to die away. We retired all peaceful and serene, but were aroused in the night by a fearful gale, the worst I have ever experienced at sea. The wind shrieked, the waves roared and the steamer was tossed up and down. I could tell by the sound of the engine that we were holding on our way. So I was calm and collected. The children never waked up. We were amidships where the least effect is felt. Mrs. Hudson was somewhat alarmed and asked me if I supposed we should ever reach land. I told her I had no fears as long as our steamer held on her way. After over two hours of tossing the waves ceased to dash, the whistle blew and I found that we were at Marquette. We went to sleep again and awoke still in Marquette. The gale was still raging outside and we lay there all day Saturday. We felt disappointed, but our delay was at the steamboat Co's expense. It snowed considerably while we lay at Marquette. Monday morning when we waked up we were nearing the entry to Portage Lake. We threaded our way up the narrow channel and came in sight of Hancock and Houghton about 10 A. M. What a rough looking place Hancock is! The houses are stuck all around over the hill-side. What a contrast with southern Michigan! But we must make the best of it. We found a warm welcome and soon forget the rough appearance of the place. We are now comfortably settled down and into our work.

Of the place and the mines I shall write another time. Truly Yours,

GEO. W. HUDSON.

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DRAIN COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edwin Howell, township drain commissioner for the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, will, on Saturday, the 7th day of November, 1885, at one o'clock P. M. at the Lake Ridge hotel in Macon, meet parties for the letting of contracts for the construction of a drain in Macon described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the s w corner of the n w ¼ of the n e ¼ of section 12 in Macon, running thence south and east, terminating on land of George Gray, on the s e ¼ of section 13 in Macon. Notice is hereby given that the assessment of benefits for the construction of said drain, will then be subject to review.

Dated Oct. 29, 1885.

EDWIN HOWELL,
Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Macon. o29

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Your Fall Bill of DRY GOODS, don't forget to see the NEW GOODS at SUTTON, FAIRFIELD & Co's. We will save you money.

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CELERY.—Everybody wanting Celery to store away for winter use can get it at Prairie side farm the last week of October and the first two weeks of November. Ohio in field $1.50 per hundred. Delivered in village in bulk, $1.75. Packed in box or tub ready to put in cellar, $2.00. Order by postal. H. L. STEWART.

STAMPING at Mrs. Catlin's Dressmaking shop every afternoon from 1 o'clock until 5. over Nyland's shoe store. Room first door at the head of the stairs. Waves dressed for 10 cts., hair switches colored at 25 cts. Call early, select braid or embroidery. Oil stamping will require one day to dry. My home is opposite the Widow Jordan's. MRS. C. M. WEBSTER.

HORSE FOR SALE.—An excellent large bay carriage horse for sale cheap. Enquire FRED. B. WOOD.

C. E. Williamson returned from his eastern trip yesterday noon.

Garlinghouse Bros., have purchased the building and stock of Frank Silvers, and will hereafter run the livery business at Silvers' old stand.

The School Board have recently purchased a splendid microscope for use in the high school, from the fund voted at the last annual meeting to buy apparatus with.

The Monroe Commercial has ceased publication by reason of lack of advertising patronage. The publishers made a spicy, newsy paper, and they certainly deserved success.

S. W. Temple took control of his planing mill, which has been leased to the Tecumseh Lumber Co. the first of November, and will conduct the establishment himself hereafter.

It is expected that the Circuit Court Room in the new Court House will be furnished by Nov. 10th and that the next term of Court will be held therein. The entire building will probably be furnished and occupied before New Years.

James Lowry's organ donation passed off very smoothly last Monday. To accommodate all who might come he engaged the Armory Hall, and soon after seven o'clock a crowd of ticket holders had assembled to witness the fun. A committee of five was appointed to superintend the drawing, composed of Thos. Kyle, Tom Elliott, Wm. Ross, Ed. Prichard, and A. W. Slayton. Raynor Sutfin was chosen to draw the tickets. It was decided to draw out one hundred tickets and the next ticket should be counted as the lucky number. The hundred and first ticket was number 958, which was held by J. S. Strong, and so he took the prize. The affair passed off very pleasantly and harmoniously, and those who "got left" now congratulate Mr. Strong upon his good fortune.

The Adrian Times, of Sept. 26th, says: The most wonderful bit of mechanism on the grounds is the Golden Temple of art and music, the handiwork of Prof. Clarence E. Charles, of this city. The structure is unique in form and beautiful in finish. There are 184 connected pieces in the musical apparatus, all of which can be struck at once, but that would produce discord and never occurs in playing. The music consists of reeds, bells, bars, cymbals, etc., and is full of harmony and sweetness. There are ten stages, on which automatic figures of men, women, animals, cars, a stage coach of the regular tally-ho style, a steamboat, etc., appear. 'The Spanish students" appear in miniature, playing on their instruments, and dressed as the famous musicians of that name. The motions of the automata are life-like, the promenaders walking, the horses leaping, the wheels of the stage revolving. The stages are handsomely draped, the figures dressed in the best of material, and the effect of the whole is pleasing to the eye. It is a matter of surprise when one is told that the execution, to the minutest detail, as well as the conception and planning, is the work of Prof. Charles. The parts not made by him, as the bells and reeds, were planned by him and made to his designs. As he says, the temple is the work of a life time, but its building, in its present form, has taken about seven years. With a common jack knife the Professor has made some of the most delicate and difficult bits in the structure, as for instance the state seal of Michigan, which is true in every detail.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 5, 1885.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Fadover tells us that Mrs. Fadover says that Capricornus has now crossed the Rubicon. During the next forty-eight hours coal will have a rising tendency, and ice will form in the water trough.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lon. O'Mealey, of Adrian, was in town last Friday on business.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, paid Tecumseh a flying visit last Tuesday.

Simeon Aten, of Cambridge, favored the HERALD with a call last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John I. Werner are visiting friends in Jackson county this week.

Dundee is divided into two parts by the river Raisin, and the tough side is called Canada.

The last excursion of the season over the M. & O. road on Saturday was well patronized.

Mrs. Ezra Hoxsie, of Holloway, died very suddenly of neuralgia of the heart last Friday evening.

On Saturday afternoon last Miss Maggie Smith went to Fremont, Ohio, to visit her sister, Mrs. Fred Kloffenstein.

Mrs. Wm. Van Camp and Miss Fanny Yawger, of Adrian, spent last Sunday with Tecumseh friends who were right glad to see them.

The Adrian Times says: "G. P. Sparks, the Tecumseh music dealer is receiving no end of newspaper puffs." That is true, and he deserves them all.

W. J. Hastings, accompanied by C. Carson, a fellow student at the University, walked from Ann Arbor to Tecumseh on Saturday last. They returned by the cars on Monday.

Prof. Charles' Golden Temple of Music is on exhibition at Montague's store, east of Henry McClure's grocery. It is a wonderful sight and is well worth one's while to visit it.

Rev. F. B. Cressey, who filled the Baptist pulpit last Sunday, paid the HERALD his respects on Monday morning. Mr. Cressey is at present the editor of the Center. He fills the pulpit and the editorial chair equally well.

Weddings and wedding anniversaries are following each other thick and fast these days, and "there is more to follow." And this reminds us that the place to get your wedding invitations printed is at the HERALD job rooms. A fine line of wedding stationery just received.

Rumor says that the Salvation Army have rented the old Agricultural works building for a barracks. They will have plenty of room in this building, and when a buckle breaks in the harness or a cog slips in the machinery, Peter Welling will be handy by to make the necessary repairs.

The first of a series of club dances will be given by Pitcher & Billington, at Knapp's Hall, in Tipton, to-morrow evening, Nov. 6th. Music by Baker's quadrille band. Single ticket fifty cents. $2.00 for the entire series. Now let the Franklin young man see his "best girl" at once, and engage her for the full course.

The Gaylord, Kansas, Herald, of Oct. 29th, contains the intelligence that our whilom friend, Geo. T. Ketcham, has been appointed postmaster of that town. The appointment, says the Herald, gives universal satisfaction. G. T's old Tecumseh acquaintances will extend the compliments due the occasion and reach out their hands for a shake.

The Sunday School concert at the Universalist church last Sabbath evening was given to a full house, and the program seemed to be well received by the congregation. The exercises were somewhat unique in character, being enlivened by two fine selections rendered by Wheeler's brass quartette. The recitations and declamations were appropriate and well rendered. The rostrum was neatly trimmed with autumn leaves, fruits and flowers.

On Thursday morning, Oct. 29th, a few relatives and intimate friends gathered at the residence of George Keyser to witness the marriage of Dora, his daughter and only child, to Nathan A. Clark, of Cleveland, Ohio. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. W. H. Babbitt. She was the recipient of many and costly presents. Dora was well known here where she has lived since childhood. She leaves behind many friends who wish her a bright and happy future.

The lecture by Rev. Miss A. J. Chapin last Thursday evening on "Women of the Early World" was an eloquent effort. If we except Mrs. Livermore, we doubt whether a more entertaining woman lecturer has ever appeared before a Tecumseh audience, but it is no disparagement to any woman to be rated as second to Mrs. Livermore. We regret that the audience was not larger, but those who availed themselves of the opportunity to hear her were amply repaid for their trouble.

Read our new club list and pass in your subscriptions.

The HERALD offers better club rates this fall than ever before.

Miss Mabel Hayden is visiting friends in Detroit and Milan.

Frank Silvers returned from his Kentucky trip last Tuesday.

Will Chiverall and Dike Wilkinson, of Jackson, were in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Williams, of Allegan, is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. B. DeWolf, this week.

J. S. Strong was the lucky man. Surely, it is better to be born lucky than rich.

Mrs. J. B. Wheelan, of Detroit, arrived in town on Tuesday for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Frank Snedecor and brother, Willie Drewyour, of Dundee, visited Tecumseh on Saturday.

The examination of Frank Slater which was begun last Monday was adjourned until to-day.

We invite the attention of our readers to several new prospectuses which appear in this week's paper.

Will Osborn returned from Bay City last Thursday, where he has been working for several months past.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co. have put in a fine mirror in their clock room, which adds greatly to its appearance.

Miss Lizzie Hayden started yesterday morning for a visit at Buffalo, N. Y., where she expects to remain sometime.

The latest piece of ornamental furniture for a corner in the parlor or drawing room is a step ladder covered with plush.

There will be preaching at the Friends' meeting house by the Free Methodist minister on next Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m.

Henry Potter, of Hancock, Mich., son of the Rev. T. G. Potter, of this place, arrived in town Tuesday. He will spend some time here.

We understand that Robert Burnett has accepted a position on the repertorial staff of a Toledo daily paper. He leaves for that city this week.

The firm of Haight and Garlinghouse has been dissolved. Mr. Haight continues in the business alone, and will devote his whole time to it in the future.

F. D. Brooks will be found in the future at Sparks' music store where he is devoting his time to painting pictures exclusively, having gone out of the photographing business.

Loren VanAntwerp went to Addison Tuesday, taking his dog and gun along, for a respite of two or three days gunning for quail. We hope he may return sufficiently well laden to be able to divide with his friends.

When you are in Toledo stop at the Burnett House. Reduced rates, coupled with first class accommodations, are drawing a large and increasing patronage. Try the Burnett once and you will certainly stop there the next time.

C. S. Fitzsimmons, of Lansing is spending a few days in Tecumseh. It is a long time since he has visited us and he is kept busy shaking hands. He is now running a fine farm north of Lansing near the college and seems to be enjoying life.

During a brief business trip to Toledo last week we called on our whilom Tecumseh resident George Smith, who is now the manager of the Ohio & Michigan Paper Co. Trade is picking up in his line and he seemed satisfied with the present outlook.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co. gave up Temple's Planing Mill Nov. 1st, their lease having expired. They will hereafter confine their entire attention to the lumber business, and will carry a large stock of all kinds of lumber. J. H. Smith will continue as manager, who is just the man for the place.

Smith & Ayres will give a social party at the Springville Rink on Friday evening, Nov. 13th. First class music will be in attendance. Skating until nine o'clock. Bill only $1,50. About two years ago the same persons gave the most successful dancing party ever witnessed in Springville, and they propose that the coming party shall eclipse their former effort.

Manager Cash has secured a fine attraction for the rink on next Monday night. The four Powers Bros., acrobats and gymnasts, will give an exhibition of their skill, in the tumbling and fancy skating line that evening, and as they are well known to the public as first class artists, they will doubtless be greeted with a full house. Admission 25 cts. Skates free.

The average Tecumseh smally bo was in his glory last week when Shedman's canine paradox arrived in town, and when not engaged in school duties was hovering around the dogs and expatiating on the merits of each. Mr. Shedman gives a good performance with his four legged actors, which show careful training on his part. Middleton's marionetts proved to be a number of figures dressed up and made to act on the "Punch and Judy" order and was a very amusing and interesting part of the entertainment. The attendance was small at all three performances.

Ticket 958 captured James Lowry's organ.

All Soul's Sunday was observed last Sabbath at the Universalist church with appropriate services.

Beers' Post G. A. R. is fitting up the rooms over Sparks' music store, and will use them for Lodge rooms.

There will be a twenty-five cent dancing party at Sage & Cary's hall, Macon, on Friday evening, Nov. 13th. The best of music and a good time for all.

Edgar Ide has taken a position in the HERALD counting room, where he may be found during business hours to wait upon customers and make himself generally useful.

Thos. Adams, who had Frank Davidson officiate as auctioneer at his auction, says that Frank did bravely and that he is a chip of the old block. We felt satisfied that he would give satisfaction.

We stop the press to announce the thrilling intelligence, just received, that the Salvation Army will open a campaign in Tecumseh on Saturday next, the 7th inst., at 7 o'clock, P. M., by candle light. Full particulars in our next.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. House left home yesterday for a flying trip west and south. They expect to visit Chicago, Louisville, Nashville, Chattanooga, Montgomery, Birmingham, and will be gone from home about six days.—May good luck attend them.

The letter of acceptance of the Rev. Mr. Adkins, who preached at the Baptist church a few Sundays ago, was read last Sunday at that church. He has accepted the call extended to him and will enter upon his duties about the first of December.

There will be missionary concert exercises, conducted by one of the bible classes of the Sunday school, in place of the usual preaching services, next Sunday night at the Presbyterian church. Hour of service, 7 o'clock.—All are invited. The pastor desires especially the attendance of all church members in the morning.

The HERALD receives regularly the reports of the East Buffalo cattle market from Stacy & Bement, commission dealers in live stock. Owing to the length of the reports we find it inexpedient to publish them. Shippers who are interested are invited to call at our office and examine these reports whenever they choose.

Stacy, of the Tecumseh HERALD, is making quite a feature of his weather reports from the surrounding towns, but does not increase the price of the paper to subscribers however. Of course, the reports may be a little incongruous at times, but Scove says on the whole and in the long run it will be a very interesting feature of the paper, and they can be depended upon, rain or shine.—Hudson Gazette.

Yesterday morning, at the hour of six, at Mrs. Webster's home in this village, Rev. Thos. E. Webb was united in marriage to Miss Eleanor Webster, the nuptial ceremony being pronounced by Rev. T. G. Potter. Miss Ella as she is familiarly known among her friends, will be sadly missed from the circle in which she has been a favorite for so many years.—She will be missed in the home, in society and in the church. Her modest and womanly demeanor, her faithfulness to church and friends seem to fit her peculiarly to fill the somewhat difficult role of a minister's wife. We trust she may be blessed with happiness in her new relation, as we know she will be faithful in performing all the duties incident thereto. The bridal couple departed on the early train yesterday morning for their home in Valentine, Ind. May prosperity and success attend them.

THE DETROIT TRIBUNE.

The first number of the Detroit Tribune appeared last Sunday under its new management. If the initial number is an earnest of what is to follow, the new paper will be a credit to Michigan journalism. We extend to the present owners our best wishes for their success. In their salutatory editorial they say;

No doubt very many of the readers of this morning's Tribune know the history of its beginnings and of its several and various transformations better than its new publishers know it. No doubt, also, they care as little about its repetition as its new publishers care about learning it—since the paper is to be printed for the benefit and advantage of people now on earth, and will make no attempt to pose as a relic of past greatness.

What remains to be said, therefore, is simply this: The publishers of The Tribune own it. They do not own an "option" on it, or a "contract to buy" it, or any other sort of juggling tomfoolery. They own the newspaper and all of its appurtenances and franchises, and they propose to continue its publication for the city's good and advantage, and for the state's, and for their own.

The Tribune will be as to its politics, republican: radically so as to the fundamental principles of free government, and independently so as between separated or individual elements of the party. It will heartily and aggressively support the sound principles and wise policies of national republicanism, but it will not support for any official position any candidate of any party whom it deems unworthy of the confidence of the people or unfit for official station. It will owe allegiance to no faction, and it will not be tied to personal ambition anywhere.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The Baptist church at Weston is undergoing improvements.

David Carpenter, of Blissfield, will spend the winter in Florida.

The students of Adrian College have begun a semi-monthly publication to be called The College World.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Adams, of Fairfield, celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding last week.

Mr. John S. Bonner who was formerly connected with the Adrian Record, is now acting as manager of the Kalamazoo Gazette.

A Hudson man has a cow that produces when properly fed and pulled for it, 29 quarts of milk daily. This and a good pump would be a big investment for a Hudson milk peddler.—Adrian Press.

Sup. Bay, of Ogden, is one of the leading spirits on the board of supervisors. He feels a keen delight in having outgeneraled certain members of the board. Mr. Bay is worthy of the township he represents.—Blissfield Advance.

Bro. Samson speaks enigmatically, as it were. Speak out in plain English, if you please.

Our friend Bacon, of the Petersburg Journal, has been gorging himself with pumpkin pie for a week or so, a kindhearted farmer having left at his office a premium pumpkin weighing 126 pounds. Bacon eats a whole pie at each meal, and one more at bed time. He is waxing fat on this diet.—Adrian Press.

The number and miscellaneous character of the Halloween exercises by Young America Saturday evening, required official notice to be taken of them. A house in the Fourth ward was smeared with ink, gates were taken off, carriages driven off by hand, etc., etc. The marshall this morning made the following arrests, and the parties were arraigned this afternoon before Justice Payne: Dan Fulton, Charlie Boyd, Burt Judd, Andrew Knight, Willie Burch. The defendants were fined $5 each, and paying the fine and costs were released.—Adrian Record.

A Palmyra citizen from near Lenawee Junction a few days ago hitched up his team and drove to the city. Here he had the strange misfortune to swallow something that confused his mind, and mistaking the road he drove to Blissfield and hitched his horses, quite late in the evening. He woke up an acquaintance, and staying with him a short time, departed, but missed the locality of his team, and walked on and on, down through Deerfield and nearly to Petersburgh. Then he tacked, concluding that he must be wrong, and in due course of time arrived at the village of Riga. By this time he had recovered his bearings sufficiently to steer for Blissfield, which he reached about five o'clock in the morning, tolerably well "tuckered out," and locating his team at last, succeeded in getting home. He is resolved not to undertake another journey so far from home without a guide board on his head.—Adrian Record.

C. K. Spafford has loaned us a copy of a newspaper published at Tecumseh, dated September 3, 1839. It is a six column folio, and bears the somewhat pretentious name of "Village Record and Lenawee County Agricultural Intelligencer." A goodly portion of the advertisements were mortgage foreclosures, and the name of C. A. Stacy (Judge Stacy) appears as attorney in most of the cases. One thing which appears odd to us younger citizens, is a grain buyer's advertisement, in which he proclaims that he will pay the highest price for wheat in "New York funds." This sentence will probably not sound so queer to the older ones, who well remember the days of "wild cat" money—when a farmer took a load of wheat to market, sold it for the cash, and, perhaps, the next day his money would not be worth the paper it was printed upon. The name of the editor and publisher, or the subscription price of the paper, is not given.—Clinton Local.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cowley, of Hudson, celebrated their china wedding last week. Several Tecumseh friends were present on the occasion. We gather these few items about the affair from the Post:

At the wedding in "china" last Monday evening, to wit: the twentieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cowley, the enjoyment of the occasion was only limited by the capacity of their domicil. To say there was a goodly company is drawing it mild. There was a house chock full of the goodliest kind of company from near and far. Relatives, friends and old time neighbors of the bride and groom of a score of years, met to commend them for what they had done to "multiply and replenish," and counsel a continuance of faithfulness to the end. From abroad we note the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blood, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. G. Griswold and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Russell and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Burridge, Mrs. Hialey, Mrs. M. E. Conklin and A. Bangs and wife, of Tecumseh, —— Kinney and wife, of Adrian, and Mr. and Mrs. P. Sutton, of Clayton. Mr. and Mrs. Blood who stood by the timid young couple at the marriage service twenty years ago, they having had a full day's hymenial experience, now met with this same couple and compared notes and recount the perils and disasters as well as the pleasures of their voyages over the "great sea" of matrimony.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of R. W. Mills, Franklin, on Tuesday Nov. 3, to celebrate the seventy fourth birthday of his mother, Mrs. A. Mills. Children, grand children and great grand children, gathered about the aged mother to give expression to their love and esteem for her. After a few remarks by the pastor, appropriate singing, and prayer by the Rev. E. P. Pierce, of Clinton, a mammoth switch was brought in with which to whip grandma seventy four times. By common consent, however, caresses took the place of blows. The company then sat down to a sumptious repast, prepared by Mrs. R. W. Mills, and old and young gave themselves up to the enjoyment of the hour. There was not only a feast of good things for the inner physical man, but a "feast of reason and a flow of soul." Rev. E. Pierce, former pastor, made some very appropriate and feeling remarks. Two of Mrs. Mills' grand children, Miss Gray and Myrtie Mills sang and recited, very nicely, some pieces selected especially for "Grandma." Four children of Mrs. Mills were present; Mrs. Wm. Smith, Mrs. Mason Camburn, Miss Emma Mills and R. W. Mills. John Mills, younger son of R. W. Mills read the following:

TRIBUTE TO GRANDMA.

Kind relatives and friends, how gladly we greet you to day. What day in all the year can be looked for with greater joy and pleasure; than the birthdays of our parents and grand parents. The thought occurred to me that I too must do something to commemorate the event that has called us together, the seventy fourth birthday of our grandma.

Old age is the shore against which dashes an eternity.

The dear old mothers and grand mothers—God bless them—who will follow us through all our vocations of life. They live in our lives, and sorrow in our griefs. The high and holy title of mother, cannot fall too reverently from our lips; but, ah, how many times do we forget this.

In this family circle there are to-day four vacant chairs, three which have been vacated by the cold hand of death. One in answer to his country's call, to-day lies where southern breezes fan his lonely grave. Sorrow for the dead is the only sorrow from which we refuse to be separated. Christ said, "Blessed are they that mourn, for they shall be comforted;" and when we glance at the silvered locks and trembling steps of our aged parents, we feel too forcibly the strength of the adage. She who has struggled and toiled for nearly four score years, and has striven amid the many trials and temptations of life, to live an exemplary Christian, and to imbue only true Christian principles upon those remaining to comfort her in her declining years. May she be spared many years to come, that her genial love and inspiring influence may be bestowed upon her grand children and great grand children, is my most fervent prayer.

TO OUR READERS.

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Last Monday, forenoon about ten o'clock the fire bell sounded an alarm and in less than a minute the whole village was on the street. The report was that Supervisor Bresie's house in Brownville was on fire. The department responded promptly and the engine and hose carts were transported with all possible speed to the scene of the fire. Upon crossing the river at Heck's mill the fire was discovered to be in Mr. Gage's house. The inmates were cleaning house and by some accident a carpet caught fire, which raised the alarm. The flames were easily extinguished before the department got there, but the boys are entitled to credit just the same for the manner in which they hustled around.

The Tecumseh Library Association held their annual meeting last Tuesday evening, at which time the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

President—O. P. Bills.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. S. W. Anderson.
Secretary—Minnie E. Keeney.
Collector—Mrs. O. B. DeWolf.
Treasurer—A. W. Mills.
Directors—Mrs. Wm. Hayden, Mrs. S. W. Anderson, Minnie E. Keeney.

Tickets may be procured this year on the same terms as last year, viz: $1.00 per year for stockholders and $1.50 for non-stockholders. Fifty cents to the latter for three months. The association is in a flourishing condition and is making an arrangement for a public entertainment at an early day.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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WM. DEMOTT, Tecumseh, Mich. Agent for The Northern Michigan Life Insurance Co. of Traverse City, Mich. Paid in Cash Capital $100,000. Total premiums received, $200,000. Number of policies in force, 2,000. Insures against death from all causes except suicide and duelling. Insures against loss of all kinds of property by fire and lightning. Insures Jaundice, Deafness, Rheumatism, Surgical Operations, Loss of Time, Sickness, Accidents, Medical Attendance, Burial Expenses, Loss of Limbs, Blindness, Total Disability

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Petersburg	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Toledo	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Petersburg	10 31 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	9 40 A.M
Tecumseh	12 04 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 40 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 55 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 18	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Halloway	10 27	10 20	4 27	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Osborn	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hind	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hind	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Osborn	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 34
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT NOV. 1, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 31 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 34 Pass
P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10
6 10	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
6 34	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46
6 42	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
6 49	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09
8 52	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
8 57	1 28	Homer	1 48	7 38
9 05	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
9 14	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06
9 37	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 42
10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 44	6 30
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	04	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Montcalm	11 43	
	3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 50	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
	P.M.	A	L A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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COST OF PRODUCING MEAT.

Researches Showing That It Depends Upon the Mode of Feeding and the Preparation of the Food.

When, with the aid of science, the farmer can so govern his operations as to regulate the cost of production, and adapt his pastures and crops to special objects, he will not only be enabled to convert his produce into the most salable commodities, but understand how to secure the greatest amount at the lowest cost. In order to determine the relative value of different feeding materials, Professor Brown, of the Ontario experimental farm, devoted nine years to careful experiments for that purpose, and his results show that while a greater and more rapid increase of flesh is secured from certain feeding materials, yet they are not always the cheapest. The heaviest weight per day was obtained by feeding sugar beet, assisted with hay and a mixture of grain, which gave 2.70 pounds at a cost of 12¼ cents per pound, while permanent pasture produced 2.05 pounds at a cost of only two cents per pound. No doubt the difference in cost was the labor of preparing the food, the pastures being ready for the stock, while the mixed diet was prepared. There was also a difference in the quality of the pasture. Permanent grass gave better results than pasture from which a crop of hay had been taken, as the hay pastures produced only 1.15 pounds, at a cost of five cents per pound.

Even when using hay its value depends upon its preparation and quality. Hay, roots and bran, without grain, gave a daily gain of 2.14 pounds, at a cost of nine cents per pound; but the most costly food, though apparently the cheapest, was uncut hay and roots, with bran and corn, which produced 1.76 pounds, at a cost of fourteen cents per pound, while cooked hay, roots and bran, with uncooked grain, gave 1.80 pounds, at a cost of only nine cents per pound. Thus it appears that cutting the hay and using gave a larger profit than the uncut hay, roots and corn, the difference being so great as to be easily noticable. Simply cutting the hay added to the profit and lessened the cost; for while the uncut hay and roots, with bran and corn, gave 1.76 pounds, at a cost of fourteen cents per pound, the same food, excepting that the hay was cut, gave a gain of 2.10 pounds, at a cost of a fraction over eleven cents a pound. Here we have more labor employed in order to cut the hay, but the daily gain was sufficiently large to more than compensate for the labor and lessen the cost of production. Although turnips and mangolds are considered cheap feeding materials, and gave large daily gains when used in connection with other foods, yet they did not lessen the cost to the extent expected, for when mangolds were fed with hay and a mixture of grain, although the daily gain was 2.38 pounds, yet the cost per pound was 10½ cents. Turnips fed in the same manner gave nearly equal results.

The concentrated foods gave good results on the gain, and in some cases were cheaper than was supposed, but much depended upon the manner in which they were fed. Corn, with hay, roots and bran, produced two pounds daily, at a cost of 9½ cents per pound. As this is almost the same food that gave 1.76 pounds, at fourteen cents per pound, it is owing to the difference in proportions that the cost varied. Oats, fed in the same manner as corn, gave 1.64 pounds, at a cost of ten cents per pound.

From the above it is deduced that profit does not depend upon the rapidity of grain in weight daily, but upon the cost per pound, and that the cost is regulated not only by the labor required and the value of the food, but upon the mode of feeding and the preparation of the food. It must be so varied as to attain the best results in the cheapest manner, and the kind of food does not affect the result so much as improperly mixing them or giving an excess of something not required, while omitting that which may be very important. The value of feeding materials should be studied by all farmers. The experiments mentioned above show that a farmer may have a valuable amount of feeding material that might be converted into beef, and yet such beef would be costly unless the materials were fed in such manner as to cause rapid increase at the least expense. The addition of a single material may alter the result, and even the character and quality of the stock are important factors in the matter.—*Philadelphia Record.*

CHANGE IN COMPLEXION.

The Important Part Hammocks Play in Beautifying Women.

Humbug permeates life, even in its politest circumstances. A hammock hung in the rear veranda of a suburban residence. One end was considerably higher than the other. The occupant of the graceful couch at the beginning of my visit was the eldest daughter of the family, a round, roseate creature, whom I had previously deemed rather too natural for unqualified admiration; but now she looked positively beautiful, as she lay picturesquely disposed, with her head lying on one bent arm at the higher end of the hammock, and her feet dangling barely visible over the side at the lower portion. Pretty soon her half sister took possession of the hammock, but in a reverse position, her head being below the level of her heels. Strange to say, she also appeared to better advantage than usual. The yellow bilious pallor commonly hurting her complexion was somewhat abated by a faint tinge of pink, and I marveled much. Then I asked wherein lay the magic of that hammock. "I don't wish to enchant you," was the reply, "and so will tell you all about it. You notice that the hammock is hung with one end up and the other down. That's not done for comfort, except such as arises in a girl from the consciousness that she is prettier than usual. My sister is fat and full-blooded. She lies here with her face elevated, so that the blood runs out of her cheeks, and for the time her complexion is about the right thing. I'm too bloodless in the visage you know. I pose in the hammock, t'other end to making the blood settle into my face instead of draining out of it—inducing mild vertigo, you understand—and thus produce a rosiness that I can't hope for when standing or sitting.—*Albany Journal.*

COD-FISHING.

How the Cod Saves Himself from Death by Taking Ballast.

That a fish should ever do anything so unfishlike as to take in ballast would strike many people as paradoxical. Yet those who have gone down to sea in ships and have learned in fin-bearers' lore testify to the reality of this phenomenon. The cod is the fish which lays himself open to this cruel charge, and it knows to actually gulp down stones, almost as large as a foot ball and more than one of them, too. Why it does so a reporter learned from a veteran cod-fisherman yesterday.

"Why, yes," said he, "of course cod-fish take in ballast. Why, I've found eight or ten stones inside the fish's maw after we've caught him. The cod takes in stone in order to keep himself at the bottom during a gale. When you are cod-fishing you can always tell if there is to be a gale, or whether a gale has just passed that way. Then you get in a regular quarry. A good gale of course carries the cod up to the surface, where he has a hard time of it. You see there is a sort of bladder which forms in his jaw and runs out sometimes as far as a foot or so. This bladder fills with air and floats the fish, and keeps him from going down. So in order to prevent that he picks out sound stones on the sea bottoms and swallows them. Sea elephants do the same thing, and often huge stones are found in their stomachs."

"How is the cod caught?" the reporter asked.

"They are caught on 'trollers.' There is a long line, a 'runner,' fishermen call it and at every fourteen or eighteen feet a short line five or six feet long is fastened. I used to have on my runners as many as three hundred hooks baited. The line would be baited on board ship, and the whole 'snood' would be coiled up into a tub tapering toward the bottom so as to give the line play. The coiling is very important, and you must take great care with it so as not to snarl the lines. For bait, dogfish, whitefish and such like in chunks bigger than your hand are hooked on. The boats put off with the tub in the bow, and when we'd get to a good spot the man in the bow passes the line all baited to the stern man, who throws it overboard as fast as it is paid out. It used to go out pretty fast sometimes when the tide was running strong, and many a fellow has got his fingers ripped open on the hooks. The whole line would then be anchored, and we'd wait until back water came, which would be in five or six hours, and then haul in.

"That used to be hard work. The fish would run small and large, and we would hook on skates and dogfish and whitefish and others besides the cod. Once when we were pulling up anchor we hauled in a big stone which weighed three hundred pounds, and was full of scallops and mussels and long and round clams.

"When we got the catch back to one smack we'd dress the fish and stow them away in fine ice. We used to work day and night sometimes, and once, off Cape Sable, I slept only nine hours out of five days and nights. A shipload which averaged sixty pounds to the fish used to be considered a good one. Sometimes the average would run as high as one hundred pounds. The cod runs all the way from fifteen to two and three hundred pounds in weight. I once caught one which weighed over three hundred pounds."—*New Haven News.*

A BEAUTIFUL LAKE.

Description of Crater Lake, One of the Wonders of Oregon.

There can scarcely be as great a natural wonder within civilization, and at the same time so little known, close at hand, as Crater Lake. Situated twenty-two miles west of north of Fort Klamath, in Klamath County, directly on the summit of the Cascade Mountains, and about ninety miles east of Medford, it is easily accessible, there being a good mountain road to the very top of the walls surrounding it, and fine camping grounds about half a mile distant. The lake itself is about six by eight miles in diameter, and ranges from east of north to west of south. The surface of the water is six thousand three hundred feet above sea level, and is completely surrounded by cliffs or walls from one thousand to nearly three thousand feet high, which are scantily covered with fir trees. To the southwest is a circular island, which our party named Wizard Island. It is six hundred feet high, and in the top is a circular hole, or extinct crater, four hundred and seventy-five feet in diameter, named by us the Witch's Caldron. The base of the island is covered with very heavy and hard rocks, over which scarcely a score of human feet have ever trod. Further are deep beds of ashes and cinders, giving evidence of the most intense heat in days gone by. Within the crater, as without, the surface is entirely covered with volcanic rocks, but here it forms one of the hottest places on a clear day in August that it has ever been my lot to witness. Ninety feet below the crater's rim not a breath of air can penetrate, while the sun beats down upon the rocky surface and reflects its rays from ten thousand upturned stones, forming a very furnace and heating it beyond all endurance. Nevertheless, we sat within it, at the lowest point, and partook of our Monday meal with one hand, while with the other great drops of sweat were brushed from our brows. We took with us from Portland a light canoe, which was lowered to the lake by the aid of ropes, and by means of which we were enabled to reach Wizard Island and see the surroundings from a point of observation seldom attained by visitors. We were also well paid for the trouble and expense, for the reason that, while the view from the shore is grand beyond description, that obtained from the lake is remarkable, and inspires one with a feeling of awe and awakens a depth of appreciation for the sublime unequaled.—*Portland (Ore.) Standard.*

Modern Architecture.

Mr. W. W. Armitage, architectural draughtsman, No. 402 Montgomery street, San Francisco, California, writes that having a severe cough, which he found it difficult to remove, he tried Red Star Cough Cure, and after a few doses was completely cured. Encouraged by this remarkable result, he gave it to the young members of his family who were sick from a like cause, and it produced similar effects upon them. He recommends its use in every household.

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Is a very prevalent and exceedingly disagreeable disease, liable, if neglected, to develop into serious consumption. Being a constitutional disease, it requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, effecting a radical and permanent cure of catarrh in even its most severe forms. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

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Many a man who had lost nerve, vigor and energy, has been cured by Hunt's Remedy.

Why continue the use of irritating powders, snuffs or liquids. Ely's Cream Balm, pleasant of application and a sure cure for catarrh and cold in head, can be had for 50c. at druggists. It is easily applied with the finger, is safe and pleasant and is curing the most obstinate cases. It gives relief at once.

Being a sufferer from chronic catarrh and having derived great benefit from the use of Ely's Cream Balm I can highly recommend it. Its sales are far in excess of all other catarrh remedies.—B. Franken, Druggist; Sigourney, Iowa.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending October 28th, '85:

Estate of Edwin Dibble, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator, hearing November 16.

Estate of John Keeder, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Lucinda Bordine, deceased, petition for allowance of executor's final account, hearing November 23.

Estate of Wm. F. Pierce, deceased, petition for license to sell real estate, hearing November 23.

Estate of Henry Blanchard, minor, release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of William W. Patterson, minor, release of guardian filed, order of discharge.

Estate of Andrew B. Monroe, minor, release of guardian filed, order of discharge.

Estate of Samuel G. Conklin, deceased, executor's final account allowed, assignment according to will.

Estate of Edwin Johnson, deceased, affidavit of publication, executor's final account allowed, assignment.

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, deceased, affidavit of publication, administrator's final account allowed, assignment, distribution.

Estate of Nathan S. Green, bond filed, letters of administration de bonis non issued upon said estate with the will annexed.

Estate of James Wheeler, deceased, bond filed, letters of administration de bonis non issued upon said estate with the will annexed.

Estate of Wm. R. King, deceased, affidavit of publication, will, proof and probate, bond filed, letters issued, order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Wm. R. Graner, et al, minors; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Wm. J. Milner, deceased, affidavit of publication, order of continuance until December 14, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Henry Inglehart, deceased, affidavit of publication, final account allowed, assignment, discharge.

Estate of John C. O'Dell, deceased, petition for appointment of administrator, hearing Nov. 23.

In the matter of James Clark, an indigent insane person; affidavit of service and testimony taken and filed; certificate for admission to asylum.

In the matter of Charlinda Bennett, a dependent and neglected child; application for admission to state public school, hearing November 2.

Estate of Abram Hamilton, deceased, warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Jared VanVoorhees, deceased, petition for allowance of administrator's final account, hearing Nov. 23.

Estate of George R. Miller, an insane person; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Charles R. Baker, an alleged incompetent person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing Nov. 16.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending October 27.

RIDGEWAY

Robt. McWilliams to Nelson Savage. Land on sec 16. $200.

TECUMSEH

A. L. Brewer to F. Bowers. Land in Tecumseh vil. $575.

Elizabeth B. Bentley to H. L. Jones. Land in Tecumseh vil. $525.

WOODSTOCK.

James Lane to E. H. Blowers et al. Land in Addison vil. $2,000.

Sarah Sanford to E. C. Joslin. Land on sec 27. $70.

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—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, etc., at Temple's Coal Office.

—Hand made and home made Lumber Wagons and Bobs at Richart's, and cheap as sold anywhere.

—SEWING MACHINE FOR SALE.—A New American Sewing Machine with six drawers and all the latest improvements will be sold cheap for cash. Call and inspect the machine at the HERALD Counting Room.

—PAN CAKES—We have made arrangements with a new buckwheat flouring mill in Pennsylvania, that does no milling but the manufacture of buckwheat flour by the roller process, to keep their flour for sale. If you wish something that is pure and first class, try this flour and test it yourself. HECK BROS.

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DIED.

At Portland, Oregon, on Saturday, October 24, 1885, of dropsy, Mrs. Phoebe Ann Davenport, wife of John Davenport, of this city, in the 76th year of her age.

Mrs. Davenport was born in Dutchess county, N. Y., in the year 1809, and moved to Wisconsin during the early settlement of that State, where she resided till she came to Greene county in 1866. Fifteen years ago she married Mr. John Davenport, being at that time a widow, and since then has spent most of her time in, and about Jefferson. Her health failing some ten years since, she sought by change of climate to obtain help, going to Kansas, Texas, and other points. Last November she went to Oregon, where a son and daughter by a former husband resided, and with whom she remained until her death as stated above. She had been gradually failing for some time, and died at a ripe old age. She was buried at Portland. Mrs. Davenport will be remembered by this community as an exemplary woman, and a good wife and mother, enduring with patience the suffering incident to ill health, and her death will bring sorrow to many hearts who prized her friendship and honored her personal worth. "Uncle John" and the entire family have the earnest sympathy of our people by reason of this sad bereavement.

The above notice is taken from the Jefferson, Iowa, Bee of October 29. The old acquaintances of Mr. Davenport in Franklin and Tecumseh, will unite with his western friends in extending their sympathies.

McCOLLUM.—At the home of his mother and sister, in Manchester, Sunday evening, Nov. 1st, 1885, of quick consumption, Emmett McCollum. Aged 41 years, 2 mos. 5 days.

The subject of the above notice, Emmett McCollum, was born in the Township of Duanesburg, Schenectady county, State of New York, August 26th, 1844, and was the youngest of three children who came to Michigan with their parents in the spring of 1847, the other two being John E. who resides in Clinton, and Mary C., at Milisburg, Dakota. His health failed him about a year ago, though it has been only a little more than three months since he was compelled to quit work. Some ten weeks ago he was brought to Clinton, to his brothers, for medical treatment, but in spite of all that warm hearts and skilled hands could do for him, he gradually failed. Two weeks ago he sought his mother's roof once more, expecting to return in a few days, but from that time he rapidly grew worse, until death released him from his sufferings. An aged mother, two brothers and two sisters weep for the dead. Yes, he is sleeping now, with that broad soft mantle of human charity for his pillow; the same which in life he loved so well to spread over the faults and frailties of his fellow men. Nearly nineteen centuries ago, on the hills of Judea, the Incarnate God, "again stooping down wrote on the ground, and said": "He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone." But there was not a stone cast; no! not one. Farewell dear brother; we shall meet again.

J. E. McC.

—Take your poultry to L. D. Dewey & Son's, on South Railroad street, where you will receive the highest market price. Turkeys wanted next week for Thanksgiving.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors blinds, mouldings, window frames, tanks, troughs, etc., with the Tecumseh Lumber Co. They will receive prompt attention.

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—Before buying your underwear get prices at Sutton, Fairfield & Co's.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 3, 1885:

Bechtold, Katie	Lichard, Calvin
Clark, Ida M.	Marks, Andrew
Johnson, Ellen	Smith, Harley

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."
FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Ridgeway.

List of unclaimed letters in the postoffice at Ridgeway, Nov. 1, 1885.

Andrews, Miss Fannie	Learn, L.
Brown, W. F.	Roberts, Carlile
Conway, Mrs. T.	Snow, Wm.
Dilworth, Miss Minnie	Vincent, Mrs. Polly
Frisbel, F. W.	Wickwire, Fred
Lane, James	

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Barley, ℔ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ℔ bushel	75	@	1 00
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	50	@	60
Buckwheat flour, ℔ hundred	3 00	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ℔ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef, tongues	5	@	6
Calf skins, ℔ lb	6	@	8
Corn in ear	20	@	25
Corn—shelled, ℔ bushel		@	50
Clover seed	4 50	@	5 00
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs, ℔ doz		@	17
Flour, ℔ barrel	5 00	@	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ℔ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hogs—live, ℔ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ℔ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ℔ lb		@	14
Ham, ℔ lb		@	10
Lard, ℔ lb		@	7
Oats, ℔ bushel	23	@	28
Onions, ℔ bushel		@	45
Potatoes, ℔ bushel	25	@	30
Salt, ℔ barrel		@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	15	@	40
Timothy Seed, ℔ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ℔ lb		@	10
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ℔ bushel		@	87
Wheat, Red, ℔ bushel		@	88
Wool	20	@	23

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, Insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Flouring Mill on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next, 1885, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to me as assignee in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (fractional) of section number three, 3, township number six, 6, south, of range number four, 4, east, containing about thirty-eight acres of land, more or less, except about half an acre on east side of the pond, deeded to Nehemiah M. Sutton. Also that small piece of land on the east side of the northwest quarter of said section three, 3, about a rod west of the west side of a highway which runs nearly along the quarter section line through the north half of said section, being the same now formerly deeded to John and Lydia Bastes to Sutton, containing forty-seven (47) rods, more or less, of land. Also a half of the road the deeded piece of land which lies south of the center of a highway running nearly east and west through the same: Beginning at the southwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three, 3; thence north along the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, one chain and twenty (1.20) links; thence east parallel with the quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links; thence south parallel with said first course, one chain and twenty (1.20) links to the quarter section line; thence west along said quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links to the place of beginning, containing about five acres of land. Also so much of said five acres of piece lying north of the center of said highway, running nearly east and west through the same, described as follows, to wit: Beginning fifty links south of the southwest corner of a lot of land formerly owned by Jerome Cleveland; thence north to the said southwest corner and along the west side of said Cleveland lot to the northwest corner of the same; thence west along the south line of land formerly owned by Nehemiah M. Sutton to the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section; thence south along said line to the center of said highway; thence east along the center of said highway to the place of beginning.

Also that other piece or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the center stake of said section three, 3; thence running north eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes (89° 27') east along the quarter section line twenty-five chains and ten (25.10) links to a post; five chains and forty-three (5.43) links east of the corner between the east and west halves of the southeast quarter of said section; thence south fifty (50) minutes west, three chains and seventy-one (3.71) links to a post; thence south eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes west parallel to said quarter section line, twenty chains and eighty (20.80) links to a post standing on the north side of the high bank of the River Raisin; thence south eighty-eight degrees and fifty-five (88° 55') minutes west, eleven chains and nine (11.09) links to the center of a black ash tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the high bank of said river and near the water's edge; thence north seventy-seven degrees and forty (77° 40') minutes west across said river five chains and forty-six (5.46) links to the north side of a large basswood tree standing near the water's edge and in the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north thirty-eight (38) minutes east along said line to the center of said section, the place of beginning, one chain and eighty-four (1.84) links, containing eighty (80) acres and sixty-one hundredths (.61) of an acre of land, excepting and reserving from the same a piece of land lying on the east and south easterly part of the same heretofore deeded by Asa L. Sutton to Elwood Comfort. Also so much of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three (3) as is now flowed by the Raisin Mills Mill Pond with the usual and common head of water as it has been held.

Also the full right and privilege to hold the Raisin Mills mill property pond at such a height and with such a head as it has been held since the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine (1859) and to flow and damage the lands which so held, the following described parcels and tracts of land, to wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section three (3) aforesaid in the town of Raisin, and that other piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee county and state of Michigan: Beginning thirty-one (31) links east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four, township five south of range four east, running thence north four and a-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links; thence north fourteen and a-half degrees (14½°) west, two chains and twenty-seven links; thence north seventy-three and three-quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains to an elm tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river; thence following the margin of the river on the down or the north, northeast and east side until it intersects the town-line and section line at the south end of said section thirty-four; thence west along said section line to the place of beginning, without giving or allowing any right to run said mill pond higher or above where it has usually and lately been held.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the quarter post at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section three, 3, town six, 6, south of range four, 4, east, running thence west on north line of said section ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links; thence south parallel with east line of said quarter section eighty (80) chains and seventy-eight links; thence east ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links to the east line of said quarter section; thence north on the east line of said quarter section eighty (80) chains and seventy-eight links to the place of commencement, containing twenty acres of land.

Also that other piece or parcel of land situate in said town of Raisin, described and bounded as follows: Being that part and parcel of the northwest quarter of section three, 3, in town six, 6, south, of range four, 4, east, bounded north by the north half of said quarter section, owned in part by S. L. Le Baron and in part by said Woolston Comfort, party of the first part, east by the highway which leads southward from the village of Tecumseh to the Raisin Mills, south by the center line of the highway leading eastward from the Jackson Branch of the Michigan Southern Railroad across the Haines farm, formerly so called to said Raisin Mills, and on the west by the east line of the Adrian & Detroit Railroad company's road as laid out and established across said quarter section, containing thirteen and one-quarter (13¼) acres, more or less.

Also all that tract or parcel of land situate in Raisin aforesaid, described as follows: Being all that part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section three in town six south of range four east, being north and west of the center of the River Raisin, and north and east of the line following, to wit: Beginning thirteen chains and twenty-five links west of the northeast corner of the said east half of the said quarter section at a point in the quarter section line; thence south seven and one-half (7½) degrees west, three chains and seventy links; thence south forty-seven and one-half (47½) degrees east, eight (8) chains and eighty-eight (88) links; thence north seventy-seven and one-half (77½) degrees east, two chains and eight links to the center of the River Raisin. Also that part of the south half of the northwest quarter of section three (3) lying south of the highway leading eastward from the Michigan Southern Railroad to the Raisin Mills, and also lying east of lands on that quarter section owned by M. A. Patterson, containing in all twenty acres of land, more or less.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows: Being a part of the northeast quarter of section three (3) in town six south of range four east: Beginning at the west end of a picket fence on north side of the highway leading easterly from the Raisin Mills; thence easterly along the highway on its north line to land owned formerly by Samuel and Elizabeth Satterthwaite six rods; thence north at right angles with said line twelve rods; thence west six rods to land formerly occupied by A. P. Frary; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning, containing seventy-two rods of land.

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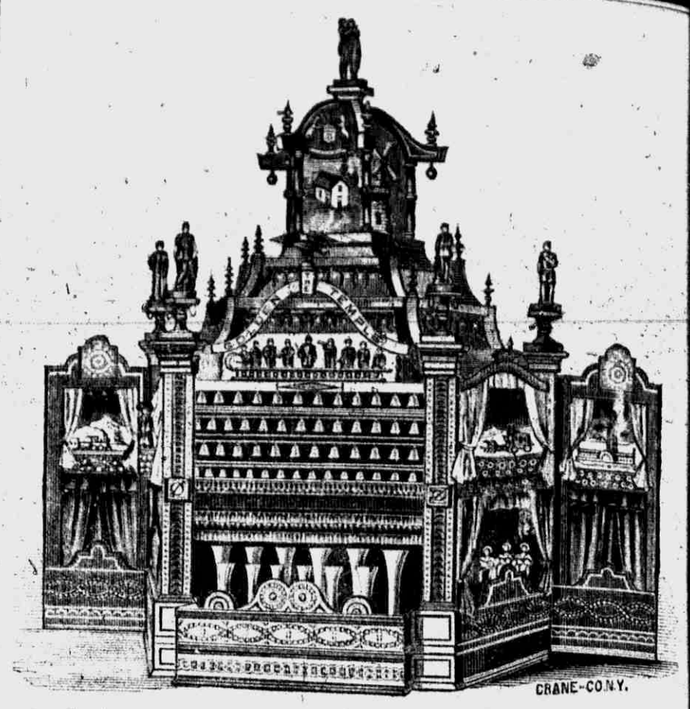

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CLINTON CHRONICLES.

Thos. Roper and Will Marshall shipped a car load of Hubbard squashes Tuesday.

There was a large turn out at the corn social Tuesday evening at Town Hall, given by the ladies of the Episcopal church and their finances were swelled to quite a handsome sum.

Deputy Sheriff, Jas. Aten, was in town Tuesday on business connected with the Bridgewater transgressors.

E. B. Sutton delivered a lecture on temperance at Town Hall, Monday evening, to a small but appreciative audience. He took the ground of history repeating itself, and made some very fine points in favor of prohibition from results of the past. He came in the interest of the State Alliance.

Rev. Geo. Wallace, of Manchester, filled the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sabbath morning and evening.

New developments are being bro't to light in the Bridgewater chicken plunder. Joe Stoffenaski, quite a young lad, brother of the accomplice of Sid McIntyre, who was arrested and fined previous to Sid McIntyre's arrest was brought before his Honor, Squire Brown, on Monday as an accomplice in the chicken trick also, and after taking considerable testimony in the case it was ascertained that one Wm. Wade, a valuable witness, was not to be found, and an attachment was made out to bring him forthwith and the case adjourned until yesterday for further proceedings. It also appeared from the testimony that the lad had made off with a pail of groceries from some person's buggy on the streets one evening about three weeks ago.

Don't tell Geo. DePuy the mercury is not down to zero already.

Harry Corbin and Walter Kinney were in the village Sunday last.

The cider mill was quiet last Saturday. Want of barrels.

Richmond & Gadd transported a drove of wool dispensers to Grass Lake for shipment last Saturday.—They had sold them to S. M. Baker, who is to ship them to the far west.

E. R. Smith has had men at work on the old mill race, digging it deeper.

Miss Mary Fitzgerald entertained a party of schoolmates and friends at her home last Thursday evening.

The ordinance of baptism was administered at the Baptist church last Sunday evening, Miss Ada Stanclift being the recipient.

Hundreds of bushels of corn are on the ground awaiting for sunshine to dry it, preparatory to cribbing.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark has returned from her northern trip, and reports having had a good time, although she states that they had considerable snow up there when she left for home.

Following up the chicken thieves has given J. C. Burroughs quite a liking for the feathery tribe, and he has at once entered the field as a poultry buyer. He shipped one load last week, one Tuesday, and is gathering them in for another shipment to-day.

The city fathers have adopted measures for the immediate repairing of the sidewalks in all parts of the village, and have given the street commissioner instructions tending that way. We hope none of the bad places may be overlooked, as a hole in the walk makes perambulating very unsafe on these dark nights.

David Woodward received some very choice apples to add to his stock of winter fruit from Ingham County. May we be lucky enough to greet Dave with a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

A new sidewalk has taken the place of the old one on the north side of Chicago street, west of railroad.

Dr. John Tuttle and family returned from Flint, Tuesday, having been there on a visit to friends and relatives.

Chas. Goodrich, who has been up in Ingham county, packing apples for Hiram Saxton, returned home Monday morning.

"Lubricity," "Not for Joe," "Get there Eli," and the appropriate "Victor," compose the polite and attentive force at John Smith & Son's.

The household effects of Chas. Lawrence of Tecumseh, passed through Clinton on their way to the township of Manchester, Monday, and it is now an undoubted fact, that Chas. has steadied down to farm life for a certainty.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Brand new baby at Len Carlton's.

Burt Holdridge is out again after a week's experience in the house with a sore throat.

Miss Bertha Krantz was quite sick all last week, but is now convalescent.

Lena Clark is having a mild form of scarlet fever.

Uncle Ben and Ed. Wilson have shipped several car loads of hogs lately.

Several parties are hauling baled hay here for shipment, in spite of bad roads and weather.

Rev. Wm. D. Vaughan moved to Hanover last week, where he goes to take charge of a circuit.

Our city continues to grow, regardless of hard times. Conrad Atwill is building a fine barn. Wm. Brainard has put a wall under his house and contemplates building on an addition in the near future. Dr. Begel has moved his house on to a wall and is building on nearly as much more and the end is not yet.

James McIntyre and wife are visiting at Saline.

Time brings wondrous changes. Our old friend Scotty has gone to Palmyra, and now the sound of the sausage chopper greets our ears as we pass by Mac's. Who is the next man to run Mac out.

Joe Dennison has moved into Al. Machan's house, lately vacated by W. J. Scott.

Thomas Ott's baby is very sick, with but little prospects of recovery.

Mrs. Al. Hoxsie returned to Detroit Monday.

ADDISON ATOMS.

E. M. Brown is making frequent shipments of hay from this place to New York city.

Friday night witnessed a terrific storm and something like a feeble attempt at the cyclone business at this point No particular damage is reported however, and our people congratulate themselves on having escaped results which it was entirely within the power of old Boreas to make serious.

Willis Bertram reports a turnip of the common variety as having acquired the unprecedented weight of 15½ lbs. Who will turnip a mate to it?

T. H. Swartout made a trip to Jackson with a heavy load of goods during one of the rainy days of last week. It is useless to state that he got sprinkled, but not with holy water, nor was the operation accompanied by any ceremony which partook of that nature to any great extent.

The bear show barely made expenses at the rink Friday night. There was altogether too much bare faced tomfoolery about it to bare it a long in good style in this town.

Mr. Louis Gans, of Cincinnati, has 2,000 barrels of apples stored at this place ready for shipment.

While the aged mother of Henry Taylor, of Woodstock, was visiting at the residence of her grand daughter, Mrs. Jack Lumsden, in Rome township, last week, she accidentally fell down cellar with such force as to break the board upon which she struck. The old lady was unconscious when taken up and was in a critical condition when last heard from.

Last Saturday we inspected the job of wood work now in progress, which completes the interior of Curtis's new banking house. It is a creditable job both in point of design and execution. The well ventilated and roomy apartments on the second floor are especially well adapted for office purposes.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Fearful muddy roads, with plenty of rain.

George Pocklington is quite sick at present.

W. E. Barrett arrived home Saturday from his stay in Oswego, Kansas.

Wm. Howe, of Jackson, called on Wm. H. Arner and family Thursday night.

Miss Hattie Coonley called on friends in the village Saturday.

Mr. Dan Allen and son Vernie, made his son Frank Allen agent at Richland a short visit last week.

The winter term of the village school began Monday with Miss Hattie Moon of Saline at the helm, to wield the rod of correction. May success crown her efforts.

The first load of material for the new post office was on the ground Tuesday of last week, and the frame is up and being enclosed as fast as possible.

The R. L. S. will give a public entertainment at Cottage Hall next week Friday evening, when a very interesting program will be carried out. Admission, children 10c; adults 15c.

To Mr. and Mrs. David Alleson, a boy; but arrived too late for Jay has the post office for a sure thing.

Rev. C. B. Sutton, State Temperance lecturer for the State Alliance, gave a lecture at the Hall Saturday evening, to a fair house, and spent the sabbath with G. P. Waring and lectured in Exelby's Hall at Britton in the afternoon at 2:30.

Misses Leana Smith and May Hyde of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with friends and visited Lottie Arner Monday.

Remember the Oyster Supper at the church Friday evening, given by the ladies of the church social. The ladies are respectfully asked to furnish the necessary refreshments to go with the oysters. Tickets for supper, 25cts., for both old and young. Come out and help the ladies raise means to purchase windows for the church. By Order of Com.

RIDGEWAY LITERARY SOCIETY.

The first public entertainment given by the R. L. S., this season, is to take place at Cottage Hall, Friday evening Nov. 20, '85. The following program is being carefully prepared and promises to be one of the best ever given by the society:

Music—Edna VanVleet.
Recitation—Minnie Barrett.
Declamation—Samuel Arner.
Music—Mrs. Sarah Rappleye.
Reading—Mrs. Charles Pocklington.
Recitation—Miss Ella Pattison.
Music—Lela Sutton.
Charade.

RECESS.

Music—Miss Kittie Clark.
Declamation—Will Allen.
Recitation—Miss Rose Easlick.
Music—Ida Arner.
Dialogue—Seven characters, time 20 minutes.
Music—Miss Belle Barlow.
Tableau.

The purpose of this entertainment is to raise the balance due on the organ, therefore a small admission will be charged; the entire receipts going into the organ fund. Come early to secure good seats. Tickets 15 cents. Children under twelve, 10cts. Family tickets, 50cts. Doors open at 6:30; begin promptly at 7:30.

By Order of Com.

BROOKLYN BILLET.

To-day is the first day of genuine sunshine in nearly two weeks.

Nearly two years have elapsed since the Crouch's were so cruelly murdered in the dead of night, yet the wind storm of last Friday night made one think of the time very distinctly as they lay awake and listened to the house rock on its foundation. Brooklyn was not prepared for a cyclone, nevertheless it came near experiencing one.

The Alba Heywood entertainment at Union Hall, was a success in every respect. The hall was crowded as never before and all were well pleased evidently.

Miss Jennie Bertram of Jackson, is visiting Brooklyn friends.

The ladies of All Saint's church are preparing for a Bazaar to be given about the 1st of Dec.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Mrs. David Slater, who was reported convalescent a few weeks ago, was taken worse and died suddenly on Friday. The funeral will be held at the house Wednesday, Nov. 11th. Mrs. Slater's sons from Dakota, have been sent for, but up to Tuesday night had not been heard from. The afflicted family have the sincere sympathy of the entire community.

Mr. Warner, an old gentleman, living in the German district, retired Sunday night apparently in good health, but was found dead in his bed in the morning. Old age was evidently the cause.

Mrs. Furgeson, of North Sand Lake breathed her last on Sunday night. Grim monster death seems very busy in our town; Rev. Mr. Storms having four calls in two days to attend funerals.

Mr. J. VanNess and family, together with Mr. and Mrs. Conklin, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with Mr. VanNess' father, of this place.

There will be a Methodist oyster supper at the residence of Mr. Wm. Fisher, next Friday evening. A general good time is anticipated.

Farmers will be glad to see a favorable change in the weather. We hope it will continue for a season.

Mr. J. Fridd will be at Adrian this week acting as juryman.

Mr. Malby, Mrs. Frank Mangus' father, left for New York, last Tuesday.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Mrs. Nicholas Stafford, mother of J. H. Stafford, is very sick.

Mrs. Willard Furgeson, Sr., who has been suffering intensely for about two or three months from the effects of a cancer, died at about 7 o'clock Monday morning. Services at the Junction, Wednesday, 2 P. M.

Henry Daniels came home last week from Adrian college, on account of sore eyes. He expects to return as soon as able.

All those signing for the repairs of the church are being reminded of it this week. Meetings have been held in C. E. Jessup's Hall for the past two Sundays on account of the church being all torn up.

Quite a splurge was made last week to have another P. M. appointed at this place, and at the same time have it remain with the present incumbent. How successful the scheme is remains to be seen.

DEVILS' LAKE DOINGS.

J. B. Allen will give the first of a series of club dances at the Devils Lake House, on Thursday evening next, Nov 19th. Music will be furnished by Smith's celebrated Hillsdale Orchestra. Dance tickets 50cts., and supper only 30cts. Dancing will begin at 8 o'clock, sharp. The young people in the vicinity should join this club.

A large force of carpenters and masons began work on the new elevator building, Wednesday.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, November 8, 1885:

Estate of Lione R. Hoyt, minor; guardian files bond on sale of real estate; oath before sale.

In the matter of Marion F. VanWert, an indigent insane person; application for admission to asylum; order of hearing; affidavit of service and testimony taken and filed; certificate for admission.

Estate of Charles I Wetmore, deceased; petition for revival of commission on claims; hearing Nov. 23.

Estate of John C. Zeltler, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Jonas A. Dierdorff, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Sarah Gardner, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Nov. 23.

Estate of Jesse L. Powell, deceased; petition for revival of commission on claims; hearing Nov. 16.

Estate of Henry Inglehart, deceased; receipt for legacy filed.

Estate of Charles Blum, deceased; executor's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Henry Burnett, deceased; affidavit of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed; appraisers' warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of David Boyd, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; application for an allowance for support of widow and family; order of an allowance.

Estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased; warrant and inventory filed; application for an allowance for support of widow and family; order of an allowance.

Estate of Dewitt H. Erskine, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account filed; hearing Nov. 30.

Estate of Thomas Marshall, deceased; affidavit of publication; executor's final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Wm. Taylor, an insane person; affidavit of publication; guardian's account allowed.

Estate of David Cooley, jr., deceased; report of sale of real estate; affidavits of publishing and posting notices of sale; order of confirmation; petition for allowance of administrator's final account; hearing Nov. 30.

In the matter of Charinda Bennett, a dependent and neglected child; testimony taken and filed; order for admission to state public school.

Estate of Lester C. Bennett, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing Nov. 30.

Estate of Sally Wood, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notice; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Rufus Merrick, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond $1,000.

The Nation New York offers a "trial subscription" of two months to new readers for 25 cents—half rate. The Nation is a weekly review of politics and of literature, from an independent standpoint, conducted with the aid of the most competent writers obtainable. The list of contributors whose services are thus enlisted includes most of the leading names in literature, science, art, philosophy, and law in this country, and many abroad. The Chicago Dial recently remarked: "It is not too much to say of the Nation that no single agency has done so much in the past twenty years to advance and dignify the calling of journalism in America. In all departments it has been singularly able and impartial, and its success is a cause of gratification in which American scholars generally will share." While not professing to be a newspaper, the Nation yet gives a carefully edited "news summary," in the best shape for permanent record.

The Circuit Court opened last Tuesday at ten o'clock, A. M. The criminal calendar contains the following cases: Harvey Marshall, assault with intent to commit rape; George Riley, bastardy; James Brown, larceny; Jas. Nixon, larceny from person; Myron Gregoroff, bastardy; Frank Steiner and Elenor Edson, larceny from dwelling house in the day time; George H. Geer, adultery; Arthur Hubbard and Charles F. Tuller, false pretenses; Jas. Kennedy, uttering forged paper; Matthew Farmer and Ernest Farmer, malicious trespass; Frank Lewis, violating liquor law. There are on the calendar twenty-nine issues of fact trial by jury; thirteen issues of fact, trial by court; one issue of law, and there are five cases on the imparlance docket. Of chancery cases of the first-class there are five, and of the fourth-class nine cases.

—Orders left at Temple's Coal Office for Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, etc., will receive prompt attention.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 19, 1885.

LEFT AGAIN.

We were [illegible] alone
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[illegible] hands

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[illegible] time.

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Down [illegible] the sweet girl
replied
"No [illegible]

—*Somerville Journal.*

BULL-TERRIERS.

How One of the Rascals Lost Jack a Fortune.

Unburdening His Soul on the Subject of Rich Uncles and Bull-Terriers—Why He Is Not Struck Over Bull-Dogs.

I was strolling down Montgomery street one day last week with Jack Wetherall, when a seedy-looking individual, leading a bull-terrier of the most pronounced type, approached us and asked that question which Sennyder has made so famous. "Don't you want to buy a dorg?" As neither of us cared about investing in dog flesh just then, we moved on to escape the man's importunities. As we did Jack remarkedly "Curse those bull-terriers. One of the accursed brutes cost me a fortune."

"How was that, Jack," I inquired, the more anxiously because Jack was known to have experienced some great disappointment in money matters, though he was most reticent upon the subject.

"Well, it's a pretty longish yarn, but if I shan't bore you, just let's slip into C's back-room, and I'll unburden my soul on the subject of rich uncles and bull-terriers."

So we lit our cigars, ordered some fluid comfort, and Jack Wetherall gave the following graphic account of his troubles.

"When I was at Cambridge, in '68, bull-terriers were the fashion among a certain somewhat fast clique. Not great, ungainly mongrels like that brute we saw just now, but high-bred, handsome little fellows weighing from eighteen to twenty pounds, and bred in such a manner as to contain as much force as possible in the smallest amount of space. Of course I was bound to have one, and as money in those days was not much of an object I determined to get a good one. It was some time before I could find just the dog I wanted, but at last I succeeded in buying, for twenty pounds, the most incarnate little fiend in the shape of a dog that man ever owned. It was milk-white, with bandy legs, a round bullet head, a tail fine as a black-and-tan's, and ears that had been most artistically trimmed. It weighed only fourteen pounds and some odd ounces. When I took it to the stables, where I kept my horse, the ostler, upon whose authority I lord the greatest confidence, assured me that it was a 'perfect beetle beauty.' My college chums all went into ecstasies over Snap (for that was the name of the ill-omened brute), and I felt quite a sense of added grandeur in being the owner of so fine a dog. The man from whom I had bought Snap had not by any means exaggerated when he said it at the dog "'d face Old Nick." He would. He was immense on rats, but the vast amount of bull in him made him hang on too long to his game ever to make a first rather. He was game, however, to the backbone. I've put him in a pit with twenty-five big old sewer-rats, and, although all bitten to pieces, he did not quit until he had killed every one. Cats he detested, and whenever opportunity offered took no pains to disguise his feelings. He had, however, one very bad trait in his character, he was quarrelsome to a degree. The old lady's fat, wheezy pet spaniel was his pet aversion, and many are the awkward predicaments into which he got me. One incident I shall never forget. It was summer vacation, and my people were stopping in Cambridge Terrace, Regent's Park. Of course I had Snap home with me, for we had become inseparable. Well, opposite the terrace is a garden (public to the terrace folks), where nursemaids were wont to air their babies, and where the old ladies of the terrace used to exercise their dogs. One summer morning, just as I was quietly smoking my meerschaum pipe, with Snap beside me on the garden seat, a stout lady passed, followed by the fattest of fat spaniels. In a second, before I had time to think or act, Snap had thrust my pipe bowl bodily into the turpit. "Take it off! Take it off! It will kill my Fido!" screamed the stout old lady, as she belaboured both dogs with her parasol. Tragic though the affair was, no doubt, to the fat lady, I could not help almost bursting with smothered laughter. The spaniel must have weighed quite forty pounds, and there was little Snap tugging at it with all his might, while it spoil I like a stuck pig. I lost no time, however, in closing Snap's jaws, and apologized most humbly to the irate old lady. She was like Rachel weeping for her children, only a good deal more wrathy, and would not be comforted. She left me with this parting shot: 'Only costermongers and rat-catchers should go about with such dogs as that.' At the time I felt offended and hurt; now I think she was right. But here, I'm getting away from the chief and most expensive of Snap's misdeeds.

"I had a certain rich uncle, a crusty old bachelor, who lived in Warwickshire. The same vacation in which the old lady episode occurred, about which I've just told you, I had an invitation to spend a week with him at his lovely place near Guy's Gult. Knowing that the old gentleman was fond of animals I had no hesitation about taking Snap with me. The old boy met me at the railroad station with his carriage. As I jumped into the carriage, with Snap at my heels, the old gentleman shrank back and exclaimed 'Surely, Jack, that common-looking dog can't belong to you?' But Snap had a most winning way about him, and soon he and my uncle were on the best of terms. He looks like a fighting dog, Jack, and is hardly the dog for a gentleman to own,' observed the old man, as Jack pulled up his ears and made frantic efforts to get on of the carriage to get at possession dog. I assured him that Snap was most peaceably inclined, and promised to quote a sou' giving a dog a fair chance, etc., and so things passed along pretty smoothly.

"When bed-time came I was retiring with Snap (who always slept at the foot of my bed) when my uncle stopped me and said: 'Now, Jack, I have so far put up with your pet, but I can not and will not allow dogs in my bedrooms. As a compromise it was agreed that Snap should sleep in the butler's pantry that night, for the future, in the stables. Accordingly a bed was made up for Snap in the pantry, and we all retired for the night.

"I had been asleep some hours when I was awakened by a light tapping at my door. I sprang out of bed in an instant, and found the butler, trembling in his shirt sleeves, outside my door. 'Oh, Master Jack,' he said, in accents trembling with excitement and fear, 'whatever is to be done? That dog of yours has killed Tab, the master's old cat, that he's had for ten years.' I said not a word, but hastily getting into my trousers I silently followed him down stairs to the scene of the murder. There, sure enough, was poor Tab lying stone dead in the sink, with the murderer, Snap, still vigilantly watching the remains, ready to shake her again should the slightest signs of life appear. I took him up by the scruff of the neck and banged his head against the wall in my wrath. He did not utter a single sound, but got up wagging his tail as if such rough treatment was rather fun. It appeared that Tab had a habit of sleeping in a certain cupboard, and that when locking up for the night the butler had forgotten the fact, but waking in the night it had suddenly flashed across his mind, and rising at once he had gone to the pantry. Alas! too late to save the life of my uncle's pet cat.

"The butler and I then had a council of war, and it was decided to bury poor Tab in the garden, and profess entire ignorance as to the cause of her sudden disappearance. Accordingly the butler and I sallied forth in the gray dawn of that July morning, and buried poor Tab in a sequestered part of the garden.

"'Dear me!' said my uncle at breakfast that morning, 'what can have happened to Tab? She hasn't missed coming for her milk at breakfast time for eight years, unless she had kittens. It must be that ugly brute of a dog of yours that has frightened her.'

"'Frightened her?' I thought to myself 'I should rather say so!' but I said 'Perhaps Tab has engagements elsewhere. I fancied I heard a cat serenade last night.'

"After breakfast the old gentleman handed me a box of choice Havanas and proposed a stroll in the garden, and soon we were sauntering about that miniature paradise, with Snap at our heels. A little while afterward I missed Snap but, thinking he had just gone off for a run, took no notice of his absence. Five minutes passed and no Snap. Then I began to be uneasy. I called him and whistled, but to no avail. At last I saw him in the distance, sneaking and tugging furiously at some long object. My curiosity was excited, and we both hurried to the spot. O, horror of horrors! There was that wretched dog shaking the corpse of poor Tab, my uncle's pet cat, which he had scratched up from its grave. I shall never forget the look my uncle gave as he turned to me and said 'Ah, I see it all now.' Then, pulling out his watch, he looked at it and remarked 'The train leaves Leamington for London at 8:40. You had better pack your portmanteau, and the carriage shall be around in half an hour. Good-bye.'

"He then turned on his heel and left me to my own bitter reflections. To cut a long story short, the old man died three years ago, worth $70,000, the bulk of which he left to my sister and cousin. There was a clause, however, in the will, by which I came in for twenty dollars. The will read: 'To my nephew John Wetherall, the sum of five pounds, to be expended by him in the purchase of muzzles for whatever bull-dogs he possesses or may possess.'

"And that's why I'm not struck over bull-terriers or bull-dogs," said Jack, as he gulped down his beer in a semi-desperate way, and bade me good-bye."—*San Francisco News-Letter.*

A Patience-Trying Prisoner.

"I was never in a court of law before in my life," said a thin-haired, snabbly-dressed man to Justice Murray in the Yorkville Police Court yesterday morning.

"Do you work?" asked His Honor.

"I live near Milburn, in New Jersey."

"What were you doing last night?"

"I was going to my employers."

"But how came you here?"

"I can show you letters from New Jersey."

"Will you answer my questions?"

"I am a respectable, hard working man, Your Worship, and was never drunk."

"How old are you?"

"I don't think, I work."

"What is your employer's name?"

"I am telling the truth. I live in New Jersey."

"You can go to a place."—*N. Y. Herald.*

—Elephants are not numerous on the western slope of equatorial Africa, being found only along the fertile river valleys, and rarely ever going near the banks of the Congo until the hilly and barren country is passed. Above Stanley Pool they increase in numbers and roam in large herds, seldom being molested or hunted by the natives.—*N. Y. Herald.*

DORDRECHT.

A City in Which Nine Tenths of the Houses Are Two Hundred Years Old.

Dordrecht is a place of contrasts. It has no famous [illegible] the Renaissance Hotel de Ville, no [illegible], no [illegible] terminus [illegible]. I am [illegible] I do not pretend to be a [illegible] of Holland, but I am [illegible] who do possess that knowledge [illegible] all places to [illegible] more than all Dutch cities [illegible] other place south of the Zuyder Zee. I do know that in the towns [illegible] Holland [illegible] I have seen [illegible] of a [illegible] I took for [illegible] so many to one of buildings having date [illegible] that at a glance. For [illegible] a purpose of old houses, brown red and yellow, brought together in tangled confusion, large and small showing each other how to cope in a crowd.

Dort's pictures are surrounded by steam from the river, but it is a picture indeed when first seen from a railway station. The railway is not ten years old at Dordrecht yet, and this is, of course, the newest end of the town. Two or three of the brand new French villas which are such hideous abominations in the outskirts of every Dutch town, dot the road and damp the ardor of the visitor. But soon the true Dordrecht reveals itself, lying straight in front, the delicate spire of the cathedral rising from the midst of crow stepped gables and autumn tinted trees. It is as less to adopt landmarks or to take bearings here. Make up your mind to be lost at once, and you will have no further anxiety.

In Dordrecht there is something new, or rather something very old, in every street. The houses are tall and fantastically gabled, and as the streets are mainly very narrow one can take a walk in the grateful shade on the hottest summer day. Nine-tenths of the houses are at least two hundred years old, and many of them are a century and a half old. In many of the busier streets and along most of the canals, the old gables lean totteringly forward, as though to meet their venerable friends on the other side of the way. The builder's men were very gingerly demolishing a fine gabled old place, colored a mellow russet brown, which was in danger of falling down, owing to some settlement in the sandy shifting soil. Great figures of beaten iron upon the front attested that it was built in 1580. Every now and again, in the streets of Dort, I came upon a house large enough to have looked well in an English park. A double flight of steps, well-nigh wide enough for the passage of the trade road-coach and six, led up to a massive front door, behind which, when it was occasionally opened, I caught a glimpse of a hall ample enough to hold an eligible detached villa-residence. Sometimes a coat of crowded quarterings was florally sculptured above the broken pediment of the door, sometimes a bit of allegorical carving ornamented the windows. There are a very few old towns anywhere which have retained the olden homes of the departed merchant princes in such numbers or in such admirable preservation as Dordrecht.—*Cassell's Family Magazine.*

The Inevitable Master.

There is nothing that can quite supply the place of a full acquaintance with the rudimentary facts and suggestions of any of the callings in which men strive for wealth and fame. The man who begins by learning the alphabet of his chosen pursuit, and progresses by degrees and with trained facilities, is the one who in the long run will come off conqueror. This applies as well to those of remarkable natural gifts as to those who are more slenderly equipped in that regard. An eminent philosopher has said, with apt and signal force, "genius is an infinite capacity for receiving discipline." It is discipline that tells, and without that there can be only partial success, at most and under any circumstances. There's no royal road to first-class triumphs, no short cut by which the necessity of close and hard preparation may be avoided. Dore discovered this, even if he did not acknowledge it; and if a man of his splendid talents could not cause an exception to be made to the rule, with all his determined and prolonged efforts, it is safe to say that it must be a rule which nobody has power to overcome. The moral of such a struggle and such a failure appeals to all classes of people. Men may prosper in a measure by natural energy and cunning alone, but prosperity thus obtained is incomplete and uncertain. The thorough man is the inevitable master, and thoroughness comes only by timely and persevering discipline.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

Changing the Subject.

"Always," said papa, as he drank his coffee and enjoyed his morning beefsteak, "always change the subject when anything unpleasant has been said. It is both wise and polite."

That evening on his return from business he found his carnation bed despoiled and the tiny imprint of slipered feet bearing witness to the small thief.

"Mabel," he said to her, "did you pick my flowers?"

"Papa," said Mabel, "did you see a monkey in town?"

"Never mind that. Did you pick my flowers?"

"Papa, what did grandma send me?"

"Mabel, what do you mean? Did you pick my flowers? Answer me, yes or no."

"Yes, papa, I did; but I fout I'd change the subject."—*Athol (Mass.) Transcript.*

—A swallow built upon a house in Germany. The occupant caught the bird and attached to its wing a note, asking where the bird wintered. It was returned to its old nest on the German's house and was found to bear a reply stating that the bird passed the winter in Florence.

—General Sherman told General Joe Johnston that school commencements were a block and a half ahead of military glory.

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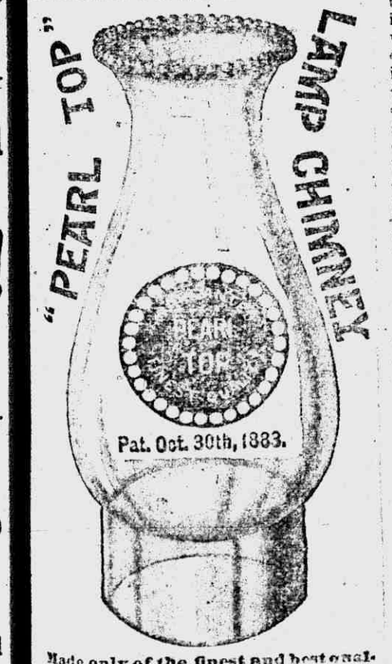

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There are certain rules of procedure, which will aid one very much in keeping her housework well in hand, and at the same time keep her mind not only free from doubt and vexation, but serene and cheerful. The first is to show that one is capable of keeping house as it ought to be kept, either associated, as it is, with ignorance of methods and uniform habits of

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Jones, of Binghamton, believes in advertising, and besides he pays the freight.

The latest sensation is that an Ohio woman has given birth to five children at once. This story should be taken with many grains of allowance as an honest count is not fashionable in Ohio these days.

The Toledo Bee says: A minister of Upper Sandusky, formerly of this city, writes the Bee as follows: "I think President Cleveland's Thanksgiving proclamation one of the best ever sent out by an Executive. A bad man at heart could never have produced it."

Fadover reminds us that Mrs. Fadover wants a new seal skin sacque.—She prophesies a falling barometer, with westerly winds and snow squals. Heavy storms may be expected in the vicinity of the Fadover domicile until the seal skin sacque is forthcoming.

Capt. Kirk, of the Adrian Salvation Army, having despaired of success in his efforts to convert editor Smith, of the Record, has concluded to open a campaign in Tecumseh for the especial benefit of editor Field of the News. Unless we are sadly mistaken the Captain will find Tecumseh a more congenial Field to work in than Adrian was.

Honors are about easy in the elections held last week. The Democrats carry New York, Maryland and Virginia, the Republicans Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and Iowa. The result shows that the revolution of last fall is not going backwards. Every state carried by Cleveland & Hendricks the Democrats hold by increased majorities, and in Virginia they will gain a United States senator. They also gain handsomely in Iowa.

The salvation army notified Tecumseh that unless the 'hosts of sin' capitulate unconditionally by Nov. 7 they propose to move immediately on their works. News from the seat of war is awaited from our special correspondent on the field. It was hinted that the HERALD end of the town would be made a special point of attack.—Adrian Record.

We are happy to state that the barracks are located within a stone's throw of our office, and that Captain Kirk shall have the moral assistance of the HERALD establishment in waging his war upon the "hosts of sin." Gather them in, Captain, gather them in.

The Toledo Bee, in commenting upon the erratic course of the Cincinnati Enquirer towards the administration, echoes the sentiment of Michigan Democrats to a dot:

The course of the Cincinnati Enquirer in its attacks upon Mr. Cleveland, will receive very little support in Ohio. Mr. John R. McLean is not a good enough Democrat himself to question the orthodoxy, or to criticise the Democracy of Grover Cleveland, or indeed of any other Democrat. His newspaper has given the party a spasmodic support, often doing more to further the success of the Republicans than the Democrats.—The Enquirer injured Mr. Cleveland and assisted Mr. Blaine all it could last fall. John R. McLean did not vote for Grover Cleveland. He has never said he did, and never denied the charge that he did not.

REMINISCENCES OF M'CLELLAN.

No one but his most intimate friends ever heard McClellan talk of his military experiences.

General McClellan was a deeply religious man, although his religion was conspicuously unobtrusive. He had family prayers every morning and evening.

The most unbounded hospitality always prevailed within General McClellan's doors, and his house at Orange was always filled with a gay company of young people.

When General Fitz John Porter heard the news of General McClellan's sudden death he exclaimed: "My own 'Mac' My own 'Mac'" and put his head down on his desk and cried.

General McClellan was one of the founders of the St. Cloud Presbyterian Church at Orange, N. J., which was organized about ten years ago, and been one of its elders since its organization.

While abroad he was received with a hospitality at the courts and other distinguished circles of every capital of Europe he visited such as has never been extended to an American with one exception—General Grant.

As illustrating McClellan's ability as an engineer and his caution it is remembered that one of his critics in 1862 said he could build the best bridge in the world and then would want to crawl across it on all fours.

For twenty years General McClellan has kept up an intimate correspondence with the Orleans Princes, who were on his staff, during the war. Only a few weeks ago he received a long and important but confidential letter from the Comte de Paris.

Devoted to his family, he was a model husband and father. With the proceeds derived from his war articles in the *Century* he purchased a pair of solitaire diamond earrings for his wife, which she facetiously christened "Antietam" and "Malvern Hill."

McClellan succeeded in inspiring the Trenton potteries with the ambition to produce fine work. At first they laughed at him, but he finally won them over, and to-day Trenton pottery finds its way everywhere, including a handsome yearly sale in England.

W. H. Burns, of the army, writes to the *World* to say that General Grant, on a visit to New York after his first election to the Presidency, said to General McClellan: "You came to the front too soon. Had I been in your place then you would have been in mine now."

General Cox, of Ohio, says he was by McClellan's side when he sent Franklin to the relief of Pope, with the injunction: "Go and do all you possibly can. Let it not be said that any part of the Army of the Potomac failed in its duty to General Pope."

Describing his last night on earth, Dr. Seward said: "The man showed his heroic character that night. If he could say a cheerful word to Mrs. McClellan to the effect that he felt better he would do so. Otherwise he would bear his agony in grim silence. I had to ask him he how felt, that I migat get some hint as to the necessary treatment."

For many years General McClellan has had his summer residence in a country villa high up on the crest of the first Orange Mountains, two miles above and back of the village. From the veranda you look across a stretch of thick woods, over the stretching spires and steeples of the pretty town of Orange, across the city of Newark and the waters of Newark Bay.

General McClellan was a most charming conversationalist. Few men of his generation have had such wide and such close acquaintance with foreign and American politics; with literature, ancient and modern; with art; with theories of religion, Christian and pagan; with history; with military affairs, of course, as he. He had a delightful manner, unassuming to a degree and gracious, and a peculiar quality of humor.

After the Peninsular campaign, when McClellan was in the trenches in front of Washington, he wore no insignia of rank. Most of the time he had on a plaited hunting shirt and a military cap. Speaking of his enforced abandonment of the campaign against Richmond at this time, he said: "I would not have any cause for complaint if General Pope had relieved me of the command of the Army of the Potomac at Harrison's Landing. But as sure as fate the ground that has been abandoned by my withdrawal will have to all be worked over before Lee's army is whipped and Richmond captured."

General J. D. Cox, of Ohio, explains McClellan's popularity with his troops as follows: "In the first place he was always attentive to their wants, and always returned any salutution they gave him; besides he impressed them as he did every one, with the fact that he was a thoroughly equipped, reliable man, who at all times knew exactly what he was doing. Few men will question but what he was a superior man and soldier. He possessed a thoroughly trained analytical mind. While he had great gifts of organization, he possessed much greater qualifications. He had the power of concentration as well as of analysis, and on the field he was composed as well as energetic and efficient in handling his troops."

The General's final order taking leave of the Army of the Potomac on Nov. 7, '62, was as follows: "In parting from you I cannot express the love and gratitude I bear to you. As an army you have grown up in my care. In you I have never found doubt or coldness. The battles you have fought under my command will probably live in our nation's history. The glory you have achieved over mutual perils and fatigues, the graves of our comrades who have fallen in battle and by disease, the broken forms of those whom wounds and sickness have disabled—the strongest association which can exist among men—unite us by an indissoluble tie. We shall ever be comrades in supporting the Constitution of our country and the nationality of its people."

A Key that will Wind any Watch and—

Twenty-five cents by postal note or silver will secure THE CABINET for a trial trip of three months, and one of Birch's keys (retail price 25cts) which will wind any watch and never wear out, as premium. Free specimens.—Address, The Cabinet, Chambersburg, Pa.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

The Chesaning Argus has become a semi-weekly.

Gov. Alger also says thanksgiving, Thursday, 26th inst.

Washtenaw apples are being shipped to England, where they command good prices.

The Baptist church of Galesburg has engaged Rev. J. S. Buyden, of Kalamazoo, as its pastor.

There are 34 old vets cared for at Grand Rapids, and applications from others are received daily.

Humphrey Hunt, aged 58, dropped dead at the depot in Mt. Morris, last Thursday, of heart disease.

A lodge of orangemen was organized at Jackson last week by ten members of the Tecumseh lodge.

The annual meeting of the Michigan horticultural society will be held at Benton Harbor December 1, 2, 3.

Geo. Loveland's barn, two miles from Grand Ledge, burned last week with all its contents. Supposed incendiarism.

Washtenaw county's board of supervisors are going to let that Ann Arbor clock run by the sun till one or the other runs down.

Bad Axe, Huron co., now has more than five times the population it had when attacked and nearly wiped out by forest fires four years ago.

Undertaker Howell, of Caro, laid out a diphtheria corpse some time ago, and came near losing one of his arms in consequence of inoculation.

A Boston company is figuring on making a bid to furnish Monroe with lake water. An engineer of the company is looking over the ground.

The new presbyterian church at Saginaw City will be dedicated Nov. 22. Rev. D. M. Cooper, of Detroit, will preach the dedication sermon.

George Winans, who killed the assistant superintendent at Kalamazoo asylum two years ago, has been transferred to the asylum for insane criminals.

The Ionia county board of supervisors have ordered the sheriff to put prisoners, sent to the county jail for minor offenses, at work in the chain gang.

An organization was partly completed at Grand Rapids last week for founding a home for aged and decrepit masons, and widows and orphans of masons.

New Haven parties who have $250,000 capital, and who propose to employ 150 hands in turning out 1,000 clocks a day, want to locate at East Saginaw.

The cranberry growers of the state are talking of organizing a state society. There are in the state 16 artificial cranberry marshes and upwards of 50 wild marshes.

Wm. Wood, confined in Kent county jail on a charge of assaulting his wife and two-weeks-old child, dug through the vault and escaped last Friday afternoon.

St. Joseph circuit court has convicted Geo. Monroe, of Bronson, of selling diseased meat to a Sturgis butcher last winter, and sentenced him to six months in prison and $250 fine.

"Little Jake" Seligman has made a sale of 2,000 acres of Chippewa county pine lands for $49,000. He still has 100,000,000 feet of standing pine in the same county, for which he has refused $300,000.

J. W. Schermerhorn, a former Gd. Rapids boy and graduate of the University is 24 years of age, and president of one of the finest and most flourishing of New York city's preparatory colleges.

E. Chamberlain, of Hopkins, Allegan county, who recently drowned his child and attempted suicide, is starving himself to death. Up to Friday night he had not taken food for 34 hours. He is insane.

For the first time in the history of the Young men's christian association of the University the pastors of the episcopal, lutheran, and unitarian denominations were present at the annual sermon in University hall.

A Vermontville belle, who has a horror of dentists, tied one end of a string around two aching molars, fastened the other end to a door knob and by falling down the cellar stairs removed the offending grinders.

Mrs. Woodman, the woman so brutally assaulted and stabbed by her husband, Samuel, in Akron, Tuscola county, refuses to make complaint against him, and he may thus avoid the punishment he so richly deserves.

Railroad Commissioner McPherson is making his annual inspection of the railroads in Michigan. He has nearly 6,000 miles of road to go over, examining bridges, tracks, crossings, fences and every other accompaniment.—Thus far, he says, he finds all in good condition.

"Asteroid" the well known Percheron stallion owned by Samuel Foster, of Victor, Clinton co., fell dead in his stall last week without any apparent illness. He was a very valuable horse and had taken sweepstakes at the fairs for several years. He was purchased about seven years ago for $2,000, and had been imported from France.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH,
Council Room, Nov. 2, 1885.

Regular session. Present the entire council.

Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Street committee reported favorably upon petition of Jno. O'Neil for street lamp at corner Adrian and Pottowatamie streets. Accepted and adopted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Marshal reported about $175 of tax uncollected and asked for further time for collection. Granted.

Sexton reported 2 interments and sale of lot 1, block L, price $30, for month of October. Accepted and placed on file.

Street commissioner reported 14 days labor by corporation team, 2 days labor by other teams, and 26½ days hand labor during October. Accepted and placed on file.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of Wilson McClure, Nancy Gamble and James Mitchell presented asking that a sidewalk be ordered built on east side of Democratic street between Killbuck and Pottawatamie streets. Referred to street committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented, and on motion referred to finance committee:

Jas. Moir, Marshal	$5 75
R. Cairns, hay	12 50
S. F. Marsteller, window sills,	3 50
H. E. Anderson, bill rendered	17 32
C. F. Field, printing	5 00
W. C. Jordan St. com.	40 00
William Bresie, hay	11 42
H. Brewer & Co., bill rendered	49 13
Jno. Hibbard, depy marshal	5 75
R. B. House, services	1 00
F. B. Wood, sundries	1 25
J. S. Kinney, bill rendered	8 10
R. B. House, freight	11 40
Henry Mesing, building and painting new shed and materials the rest	150 00

And the following for street labor: Wm. Brown, $23 50; A. Packard, $6 25; F. Thomas $1 25; R. Owens $1 87; Jas. O'Riley $2 50.

On motion the Recorder was directed to order three street lamps and the necessary supply of globes, wicking, etc.

The matter of exchanging the coal stove on 1st floor of new part of Council building for wood stove to be used only when necessary. Referred to committee on public grounds and buildings.

On motion the Marshal was directed to get in all the keys of the Council building held by parties not entitled thereto, within the following week.

A deed from B. J. Bidwell to the Common Council was received, dedicating to the public for use as streets, Maiden Lane and Pearl Street, north of Hewitt's addition, and also Bidwell street. Dedication accepted and Recorder directed to have said deed recorded.

On motion the Marshal was directed to notify all parties having obstructions on Pearl street and on Bidwell street west of Pearl, to move the same within 10 days.

On motion the Recorder was directed to issue to C. E. Charles a license to exhibit the "Temple of Music" for two weeks for five dollars.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Finance committee reported favorably upon the following claims:

Jas. Moir, $5.75; R. Cairns, $12.50; S. F. Marsteller, $3.50; C. F. Field, $5; W. C. Jordan, $40; Wm. Bresie, $11.42; H. Brewer & Co., $49.13; Jno. Hibbard $5.75; R. B. House, $1; F. B. Wood, $1.25; J. S. Kinney, $8.10; R. B. House, $14; Henry Measing, $150; Wm. Brown $23.50; A. Packard $6.25; F. Thomas, $1.25; R. Owens, $1.87; Jas. O'Riley, $2.50.

Report accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts.

On motion the Council adjourned.

FRED'K B. WOOD, Recorder.

A BARGAIN FOR FARMERS.

We take pleasure in informing our readers that THE OHIO FARMER, which has a national reputation as the leading agricultural journal of this country, is offered for the coming year at only one dollar per year. Its very large circulation, now numbering over fifty thousand subscribers in every state of the Union, and its liberal advertising patronage, enables publishers to give to the farmers of this country one of the very best, most enterprising, reliable and instructive agricultural, live stock and family journals of America at the very low price of only one dollar per year. THE OHIO FARMER is published at Cleveland, Ohio, is national in everything except in name, is a 16 page—64-column—weekly of fifty-two issues a year, and is acknowledged authority on all agricultural subjects. It is conducted by an able and experienced editorial management that spares no expense or labor to add everything possible to its value. Specimen copy and Premium List will be sent free to all applicants by addressing THE OHIO FARMER, Cleveland, O.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
LANSING, Nov. 5, 1885.

According to custom adopted by our forefathers and observed ever since, one day in each year has been set apart especially for thanksgiving.

Therefore, I, Russell A. Alger, governor of the state of Michigan, do designate Thursday, the 26th inst., for such observance. On that day let us all show our gratitude by acts of charity, abstaining from business, gathering in places of worship, and around our firesides with family and friends; and thanking God for preserving us from pestilence and danger, for prosperity and peace, ask Him that these mercies may be continued to us as a people. RUSSELL A. ALGER.

By the governor, H. A. CONANT, secretary of State.

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These mills have been thoroughly overhauled and having put in the celebrated

ROLLER PROCESS,

Are better prepared than ever to do first-class work.

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Immense Stock at
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IN TECUMSEH, IS AT

Sutton, Fairfield & Co's

Our goods the best the market affords, and our prices the lowest.

Our Motto—"The Best and the Best Value."
We guarantee our Prices.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co.

'85 Art Garland. '85

We have on our floor a full line of those celebrated base burners. Their wonderful success of last season has led others to attempt to imitate; beware, a careful comparison and examination will be sufficient to satisfy all of their established superiority.

The Round Oak.

Although it has hundreds of imitators, it still LEADS as the most successful wood heater manufactured. Remember that by a few dollars additional cost, the "Round Oak" can at any time be converted into a first-class self-feeding coal stove.

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GREAT SALE

Of Fine and Medium

FURNITURE

During the Next Six Weeks I will make prices that will be sure to move a large portion of my present stock. I want a

Few Thousand Dollars in Cash Immediately.

I would kindly inform those that have unsettled accounts on my books I would like a settlement at once. I can't chase after you, but will send statement through the mail.

My Undertaking Department is Complete

And prices Very Reasonable.

WM. McCOWEN.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

GOOD HOUSE TO RENT.—One dollar per week. Apply to A. W. SLAYTON.

FOR SALE cheap or exchange, 200 bushels Turnips, extra quality, in quantities to suit purchaser. Also wood heating-stove, nearly new. F. D. HILLMAN.

STAMPING at Mrs. Catlin's Dressmaking shop every afternoon from 1 o'clock until 5, over Nyland's shoe store. Room first door at the head of the stairs. Waves dressed for 10 cts., hair switches colored at 25 cts. Call early, select stamps for embroidery. Oil stamping will require one day to dry. My home is opposite the Methodist church. MRS. O. M. WEBSTER.

8½w Jordan's.

Mrs. O. Q. Jones spent yesterday in Adrian.

Henry Stevens, Chas. Bidwell and I. R. Cairns took in Detroit yesterday.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co. have a brief cloak lecture on the first page of to-day's HERALD.

Miss Cora Abbott, who is spending the winter at Dr. O. Q. Jones', is visiting her sister in Fairfield this week.

Commencing next week and continuing through the season, the rink will be open three nights each week, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

We invite special attention to our large stock of Seal Plush Sacques, extra quality plush, perfect fitting, and extremely low prices.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

The Shakspearian class, under the management of Miss A. L. Hitchcock, of the High School every Monday, seems to be a success, as new members are being added every week.

Bert McNair, class of '85, will begin next Monday his career as a teacher in the Culbertson district about two miles north of the village. If he succeeds in teaching as well as he did in school his success is assured.

Home decoration is something which every good housewife is interested in. The Decorator & Furnisher is a new publication specially devoted to this purpose. It is an elegant magazine and is gaining a large circulation. Read their prospectus in another column, and send for a sample copy. Clubbed with the HERALD.

Have you seen the Golden Temple of Art and Music? If not, do not fail to do so before the close of this week, as Prof. Charles will terminate his engagement here on Saturday next.—It is a most wonderful piece of mechanism. We gave a somewhat extended description of it in last week's HERALD, but the original must be seen to be appreciated. We can assure our readers that the small sum charged for admission will be well spent to see this mechanical and musical wonder.

The Missionary concert at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening was well worth mentioning. The program was gotten up by Mrs. David McNair and carried out by her class. The subject of the evening was on Persia, the missionary work done in that country. The scholars all did very nicely and deserve credit for carrying out their part so well. The pastor gave a few very interesting remarks. The choir was assisted by Will McNair with the flute and John Richard with the cornet. On the whole it was a splendid entertainment and was well received by the people.

THE NEW COUNCIL BUILDING.

The improvements which have been in progress on the Council building during the past three months are now fully completed. The last brick has been laid, the last nail has been driven, the last pint of paint has been spread. We venture to say that Tecumseh can now boast of the most commodious and convenient public building to be found in any village of its size in the state.

An addition twelve feet in width was erected along the entire north side of the old building and one about twenty feet deep on the east end, both two stories in heighth. These additions more than double the capacity of the original building. The stair case and cells are taken from the main room and moved into the north part, which enlarges the apartment for the steamer and hose carts, giving plenty of room for storage purposes, and a cupola is constructed in the rear of the engine room for the proper storage of the hose. Back of the engine room in the east wing is located the stable. Doors open between these two rooms, allowing the team direct access from their regular quarters to the engine room. In the north addition are located the stair case, and three cells for "sobering off" subjects. Over these in the second story are two small rooms which can be used for special purposes. One is now used for a band room. Adjoining the stable in the east end is a sleeping room for the teamster, which is nicely fitted up with stove and all the necessary furniture to make it comfortable, and over these two latter rooms is the hay loft. In the back portion of the yard a shed has been erected about fifty feet in length for the storage of straw, tools, sewerpipe, the corporation wagon, ladders and other articles of like nature belonging to the village.

With Geo. Snell as teamster, Wallace Gray as lamp lighter, Billy Jordan as manipulator of the highways and Jas. Moir to keep people in the traces generally, our citizens can rest satisfied that the corporation affairs will be well taken care of.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 12, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

And now the pancake season comes,
The jollest of the year;
When buckwheat slap-jacks crown the board,
And maple syrup cheer.

Harry Snell was in town last Monday.

We regret to learn that Elbert Beers is very ill with an attack of fever.

John Whelan, of Detroit, was in town last week. He returned home Monday.

The New Orleans Exposition was opened last Tuesday under the most favorable auspices.

Remember the meeting of the Farmer's Social club at Jacob Everhart's to-morrow, Friday, evening.

E. L. Mills, of Adrian, was in town last Monday on business. He came overland and found some mud.

Steady employment this winter on salary is offered in another column by B. L. Clark & Co., of Geneva. They are a reliable firm.

Mr. & Mrs. O. R. Fisher, of Nebraska, and Mrs. M. Fonda, of Rochester N. Y., have been visiting at E. V. DePuy's during the past week.

Rufus Stacy, son of Geo. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, was at home a couple of days last week. He is now in the employ of Stacy & Bement, of East Buffalo.

From the Reed City Clarion we see that our old friend, Wm. VanCamp, was in that city last week, the guest of Lyman T. Bavlis, another former Tecumseh resident.

"Hedged In," subject of the morning sermon at Universalist church next Sunday at 10:30. "Jacob's Dream—what it Teaches," for the evening at 7 o'clock. All invited.

Strong & McNair, Adamson Bros., W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., Whitenack, Bordine & Co., G. P. Sparks, Dr. Snyder and Dr. Steinhoff, of Tecumseh, are all represented by advertisements in the Addison Courier.—They believe in printers' ink.

Wesley Burchard, cashier of the Farmers' Bank, of Grass Lake, has skipped, leaving a shortage of $20,000 in his bank account. Here is something that demands the attention of the Clinton medical editor.—The family name is in danger.

A. W. Haight has relinquished his position in Lilley, Bidwell's & Co.'s bank, as his increasing insurance business demands his entire attention. The place vacated by him has been taken by Frank Bauer. It is a good position and we believe Frank will fill it acceptably.

The Scientific American still holds the lead among papers of its class.—It has an immense circulation and better facilities than any of its competitors for making a thoroughly first-class scientific and mechanical paper. Its weekly lists of new patents issued is alone worth the price. Clubbed with the HERALD.

The Cultivator and Country Gentleman published at Albany N. Y., is one of the best agricultural weeklies. There are three departments in which it has no superior—farm crops and processes; horticulture and fruit growing; live stock and dairying. Specimen copies free. Subscriptions received at this office.

Dr. Hause started for Florida on Tuesday morning last. A few Adrian people and nearly twenty Hudson residents accompany the party, which numbers altogether twenty-six persons. The party will go directly to Jacksonville and most of them will visit Sorrento, where Dr. Hause's orange plantation is located.

The Powers Bros., proved to be a drawing card at the rink last Monday evening, as the floor was crowded with skaters and the seats with spectators. Their juggling acts were well performed, and the fancy skating by the two brothers was the best ever witnessed in Tecumseh. Quite a number drove down from Manchester and Clinton to see the entertainment.

The water pipes having arrived, a gang of workmen are digging the trench and laying the pipes on the eastern extension to the Chicago street main, from Oneida street to the Globe mill hill. They expect to complete the work this week. This extension has long been needed. It will extend the water facilities two blocks further east and will furnish a way of emptying the mains to prevent freezing in severe cold weather.

The American Newspaper Annual for 1885, published by N. W. Ayer & Son, of Philadelphia, is the most complete work of the kind that has come under our notice. In addition to the usual list of American Newspapers, it contains a special list arranged by counties, separate lists of class and trade publications of all kinds, co-operative newspaper lists, publications in foreign languages, the population of all cities of 5000 inhabitants and over, and other information. The book should be in the hands of every extensive advertiser as well as of every newspaper man. The price is not the least recommendation of the work, which is only $0.00.—

Miss Jessie VanCourt, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Jas. Glasgow slipped on the sidewalk last Monday and broke the little bone of her left wrist.

Harry Stevens now mourns the death of his valuable dog, which accidently broke its shoulder, and was chloroformed to death.

C. S. Fitzsimmons, of Lansing, enjoyed his visit in Tecumseh very much and started for home last Saturday.—We tried to persuade him to remain over Sunday and visit the Salvation Army.

Ten members of the Orange lodge of Tecumseh went to Jackson last Thursday to assist in the organization of a lodge in that city. They got the Jackson boys started in good shape.

T. I. Sutton, of Raisin has been raising some extra good pumpkins this fall. He did'nt raise them to brag on, but they make prime pumpkin pies just the same. We have sampled one of them and know.

The New York Sun is one of the best metropolitan papers published. It is always able, independent and entertaining, sometimes erratic but always reliable and readable. Clubbed with the HERALD at reduced rates.

Science has removed its publication office to New York in order to become more strictly a newspaper. It will aim to treat all public questions of scientific interest as well as to give the latest scientific news.

Science desires to be known as a journal for all educated men. It aims to be to science what The Nation and other literary journals have been to literature—a paper for the general reader rather than the specialist.

John Messler, the village teamster, who was seriously injured several weeks ago, held a policy in the Travelers Ins. Co. He has lately settled with the company and received $260. A. W. Haight is the agent for Tecumseh.

Friend Chidester, the painter, went gunning for squirrels down the M. & O. road the other day and returned with the carcasses of 34 of the little jumpers. Seventeen of them are hung in C. A. Wright's show window and make a fine show.

The contest over the Detroit Pension agency has been settled by the appointment of Robert McKinstry, of Jackson; a one legged soldier. There were several applicants for the place, but no one will dispute the special fitness of the appointee.

Nathaniel Erskine, a former Tecumseh resident was in town visiting friends last week. He now lives in Allegan County, near Lake Michigan. It is 18 years since he left Tecumseh and he finds many changes have taken place during that time.

The Tekonsha News says: A Hillsdale man chased, caught, and spanked a youngster, owned by another fellow, the other day, under the supposition that it was his own. Tekonsha needs about 32 such near-sighted men to help spank unruly children.

Evening News:—A learned physician handed in his "ad." to the Reed City News as a healer of "rheumatism, female weakness, scald head, new ralegy, sa't rhume, sore eyes, liver complaint and itch."

We respectfully call the attention of the medical editor to this item. He may gather a valuable hint therefrom.

We have made arrangements by which we can furnish THE OHIO FARMER, the leading weekly agricultural, live stock and family journal of this country, and the TECUMSEH HERALD, both one year, postage paid, for only $2,00. This is a bargain that every farmer should accept.

Frank Silvers has purchased a fine lot on Railroad street, first block north of the M. & O. railroad and will erect a large barn thereon in which to keep his throughbred stock. The barn will be built especially for this purpose and he intends to have the best building of the kind in Southern Michigan.

On Thursday, Oct. 29, there was a reunion of the survivors of the Raisin Institute, which was the home of the oppressed of whatever hue, and was founded about forty years ago. It has been presided over by Profs. Patchin, Walker, Haight and other noted teachers. Its aim was to educate in all that makes life free and noble, and the life to come sure. It was the birth place of the Home for the Friendless, which is now located at Coldwater, a state institution. After being organized in Raisin it was removed to Adrian, and under the fostering care of Rev. Asa Mahan (who was president at one time of Oberlin college, Adrian college, and now resides in London, England), was taken under the care of the state, and will endure as long as the state exists to bless the unfortunate. Twenty-two assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Edwards and had an interesting time in relating old school day reminiscences of the good old days of long ago. The next reunion will occur the first Thursday of June next at Mr. Chester VanDorens, of Bent Oak, and may all of the old survivors meet to cheer each other and brighten life's pathway.—Adrian Record.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

The Adrian Knights of Pythias will soon move to a new lodge room.

Huron, near which is the Morenci settlement, has been made the capital of Dakota by a vote of the people.

Canandaigua is being troubled by some person or persons who put up indecent written notices at night.

H. W. Bronson, of Wheatland, has purchased the short horn bull, 7th Duke of Lone Oak, of Eugene Pierson.

The Circuit court convened last Tuesday in the old court house, as the new court house has not yet received the furniture.

The Morenci debating club have settled the rink question. They have decided that the practices of the rink are a physical and moral injury.

Joe Denison has moved his family from Adrian to Holloway, where his business is located. He got tired of traveling five miles every night to take tea.

The Salvation army will labor in Tecumseh. Now, there's Stacy, of the HERALD—but hold; "Philander Perkins" will look after him.—Morenci Observer.

Last week Thursday night Hall's drug store, Hudson, received a visit from burglars. They worked for a time at the back door, but abandoned the job, being unable to effect an entrance.

A new circular relating to special delivery, has been promulgated from Washington. It includes postal cards ank sealed packages in matter entitled to special delivery if properly stamped.

The Auburn, Ind., Republican, sensibly advocates this motto: "If you can't talk up your own town, don't talk." It would be well for every place if all its citizens would constantly act upon such good advice.

Lost, between Adrian and the Baptist church in Rome, a new upholstered bug—Adrian Press.

There were two more lines in this item, but they were blotted in our exchange copy and we couldn't decipher them.

Seems as if Editor Kempton, of the Addison Courier, is just a little ungrateful. He received a poem on "mud" during the delightful April weather of last week, and declined to print the same because it was not signed.—Adrian Times.

James Patterson, of Pittsford, has a half-blood Holstein heifer, born the 6th of April, 1884. She had a calf the 31st of October, 1885, about five days less than nineteen months old when she had the calf. Both mother and calf doing well.—Hudson Post.

Here's a warning to girls not to sit in an open window when pulling on their stockings:

A Fremont girl, living at Muskegon, was sitting in an open window pulling on her stockings, when her hands slipped and she fell out, striking the ground on her back 20 feet below.—Her injuries were fatal.

A Bohemian oat chap down in Ohio has just been sentenced to state prison for 10 years. It was for forging notes. He was tried on a note fraud instead of on an oat fraud. If $10 oats won't keep a man in pocket money he had better go to the poor house.—Adrian Press.

There are two prominent classes of men in every community. The one goes ahead and does something, while the other sits back and grumbles because it was not done some other way, or why it should be done at all. There is no such thing as smooth sailing in life. We are all very selfish and unreasonable.

There seems to be a large amount of thieving in the country hereabouts. We hear of a number of farmers who have lost sheep within the past week or two, while chicken roosts seem to be common property, and no chicken knows when he goes to roost where his head may be in the morning. We hope the thieves may be discovered.

Potatoes retail at fifty cents a bushel. But they are cheaper at this price than we can dig them at night in our neighbor's garden, if we can not find a better yard than we have experienced thus far.—Adrian Press.

Can it be true that editor Stearns has so far forgotten his official dignity as to go prowling about his neighbor's potato patches in the night time? Here is a case which demands Captain Kirk's serious attention.

The Addison ladies are bound to have a sidewalk across their mill pond. Another meeting was held last Monday evening for that purpose. Let the good work go on. If the ladies will build a good plank walk between Smith's corner and the Courier office, we would—well,—if there is any good looking single woman on the committee, let her introduce herself.

Here is a late decision of the supreme court. No town or city has a right to give a man a license or permit to sell any wares or merchandise on the sidewalk or on the street in front of the property of another person. The street in front of a man's place of business is held to be an appurtenance to the lot upon which his store is erected and situated, and belongs to him and his business as against all others, except only the right to travel thereon.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

Their First Appearance in Tecumseh—A Brilliant and Successful Opening.

An epoch has arrived in the history of Tecumseh. But two "modern improvements" were needed to give our town a metropolitan air—the electric light and the Salvation Army. The electric light is *in futuro*, but the Salvation Army is now an established fact. Tecumseh has been favored with a skating rink, with Barnum's show, with the Canine Paradox, and with several circuses, during her eventful career, but it was reserved for Saturday, the 7th day of November in the year of grace, 1885, to introduce to this enlightened and religious community, a genuine *bona fide* detachment of the Salvation Army.

The day was ushered in with a cloudless sky. Old Sol sent down his rays with a cheering smile to mellow the hearts of the faithless and dry up the mud in the streets. The little blue-eyed school girls were happy in the enjoyment of a Saturday's holiday. All nature, including the female sex, seem to conspire to render the advent of Capt. Kirk's battalion most auspiciously auspicious.

The battalion consists of twelve members, viz: 1 Captain, 1 lieutenant, 4 sergeants, 4 corporals and 2 privates. Please to observe, kind reader, that five-sixths of the members are officers. This is a very wise provision in their organization. It is a great inducement to new converts, for a large majority of them are eligible to the offices. Capt. Kirk, who fills the position of high-cock-o-lo-rum, and chief linch-pin of the army, is an old campaigner. He has seen service during the past three months in Adrian. He has stormed the ramparts of sin in that wicked city; he has poured spiritual balsam upon both youthful and aged Adrian sinners; he has wrestled, figuratively speaking, with the Adrian editors; he has administered the balm of Gilead to Adrian widows. Please to observe, kind reader, that the Captain has attacked the cohorts of Satan in Satan's own fortress, and that he has been trained for his responsible duties in the best of all colleges, the school of experience. It has already become apparent that Capt. Kirk is the right man in the right place.

After the evening rations had been disposed of and before the hour arrived for opening services in the tabernacle, the army gave a dress parade in full uniform on Chicago street. They formed ranks on the plaza in front of the Opera House, ambled down the side walk on the north side from the HERALD office to Kies Bros. corner, thence across the street to Williamson's egg and chicken emporium and thence they perambulated up the street on the South side to the tabernacle. This parade was witnessed by a throng of people, some of whom wore gold rimmed spectacles, and many did'nt. Upon arriving at the sanctuary, the Army assumed their position on the rostrum, and the congregation quickly filled the pews. The orchestra chairs were filled with the elite of the city, while the dress circle was reserved for young men who were attended by their best girl. Not only were youth and beauty present, but many of our oldest citizens, with white locks and bowed with age, lent their august presence to the occasion.

The first selection on the program was a chorus by the entire company—

Roll, Jordan, roll
From pole to pole.
Cheer up, my soul;
Thy name enroll
Upon the scroll
Of Kirk's patrol.
Roll, Jordan, roll.

This song was gracefully rendered. The reverberations shook several spiders out of the cob webs in the ceiling, and unjointed the stove pipe in three places.

Then followed an invocation by the captain.

Then another song entitled, Salvation is free.

Salvation is free
For you and for me.
Come let us agree,
While bending the knee,
Our sins for to see,
To sign the decree
And shout jubilee.
Salvation is free.

This song was accompanied by a cornet accompaniment, sandwiched with a tamborine solo, the latter being executed by the cow boy. During a hiatus in the program occasioned by the cow boys stopping to take breath the captain kindly informed the congregation that the cow-boy's lasso had slipped a link and was laid up for repairs, but that it would certainly be present at future entertainments.

Hereupon a squint-eyed sister passed through the audience selling song books. The members of our city bands and glee clubs all invested. The Library Association purchased a dozen as they could be bought in quantities at wholesale rates. The News reporter purchased three copies—one for his own use, one for his best girl and one for his prospective mother-in-law.

A collection was then taken up to buy oil and gas and a new link for the lasso. Upon counting out the collection the hat was found to contain three brass buttons, an old English farthing, twenty five nickels, a bogus half dollar, sixty three one cent bits, an old style two-penny, a box of pills, a trade dollar with a hole in it, a plug of tobacco, and two silver skin onions. The entire lot was turned over to the treasurer except the onions, which the Captain stowed away in his coat tail pocket as a preventive against rheumatism.

A few voluntary prayers and songs followed, after which the Captain pronounced the benediction, and the vast audience slowly emerged from the sanctuary and wended their devious ways homeward.

Our reporter was not present at the Sunday evening services. The meetings held on Monday and subsequent evenings will be faithfully and tearfully and truthfully chronicled in the next issue of the HERALD.

ANTHONY—DOLE.

The residence of D. P. Anthony, in Raisin, was the scene of a happy social event last Thursday, the occasion being the marriage of Miss Jennie Anthony to Mr. Milo Dole, of Auburn Ind. Although the weather was not what it should be for an ideal wedding day, it did not serve to lessen the attendance to any extent, and the house was full of friends and relatives to witness the event. At half past eleven the pair proceeded to the parlor where the nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. Jas. Vincent, of this village. The bride was dressed in a beautiful suit of cream nun's veiling, while the groom wore the usual black dress suit. After the congratulations were over the company sat down to a collation of good things that would satisfy the most fastidious epicure.

Although the bride was not a resident of this village, she was well known here and had by her kind disposition and manner gathered around her a large circle of friends among the young people, most of whom were present to see her take the important step, and bid her God-speed. The groom was formerly a resident of Adrian, but is now living in Auburn Ind. He is a member of "the art preservative" and has a good position in a printing office there. He is a young man of good sterling qualities, and business ability, and will undoubtedly rise in his profession.

A large number of beautiful presents were received by the bride, among which were $100 in gold from her father, an elegant hanging lamp from her mother, and a beautiful table spread and pictures from other members of the family, together with a large quantity of silver ware. The bridal pair departed for Adrian where they took the train for their future home in Auburn, followed by the best wishes of their many friends.

TECUMSEH LUMBER COMPANY.

The Tecumseh Lumber Co., have now got fairly settled in their new quarters on the corner of Shawnee and Pearl streets, and are fully equipped to supply their customers, with everything in the lumber line. We paid a brief visit to their office and yards the other day and were most favorably impressed with the "lay of the land." The large yards are crowded to their fullest extent with a complete assortment of undressed lumber and shingles. A shed extending the entire length of the west end of the yards is filled with dressed and seasoned lumber and mouldings of all kinds. The office building is two stories—the first floor being devoted to the business office proper and the second story is used as a glazing and paint room. The company will take orders for sash, doors, frames, mouldings and all kinds of finished work, and are prepared to furnish the same in large or small quantities, of the very best quality and at reasonable prices. They also keep on hand a full supply of paints. Jos. H Smith, who has been the efficient business manager of the firm since its organization on the present basis, is retained in the same position, which is a sufficient guarantee that the business of the concern will be well managed. Mr. Smith will be happy to see all of his old patrons at his new office on the corner of Shawnee and Pearl, whenever they want anything in the lumber line.

At the annual meeting of Franklin and Tecumseh Farmer's Club held at H. Wilson's residence on Wednesday evening, Nov. 4, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—B. Hurry.
Vice Pres.—L. M. Waldron.
Secretary—Henry Wilson.
Treasurer—H. Hoag.

The following program was announced for the next meeting to be held at the residence of B. Hurry.

Music—By the Poucher band.
Declamation—Clarence Hurry.
Recitation—Jennie Osborn.
Song—Mrs. W. J. Waldron.
Recitation—Ina VanValkenburg.
Select Reading—Mrs. B. Hurry.
Question for discussion—Which is the more profitable at present prices, raising stock or grains.

H. WILSON, Sec.

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Sash, sash, sash, sash.
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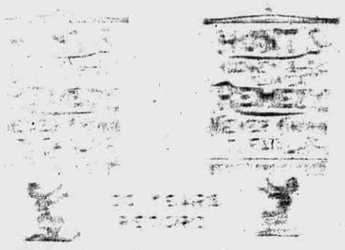

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STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149. Acc'dn.
			P. M.
Jackson			
Napoleon	6 50		
Norvell	7 04	3 10	2 30
Manchester	7 17	3 16	3 38
Clinton	7 25	3 26	3 02
Tecumseh	8 00	3 42	3 05
Adrian	10 29	6 10	
Petersburg	9 25	4 05	
Toledo			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom'dn.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Toledo	8 30	3 15	
Adrian	10 20	7 55	
Petersburg	11 25	8 55	4 00 A. M.
Tecumseh	12 03 P. M.	9 34	6 00
Clinton	12 16	9 44	7 00
Chicago Jct.	12 26	10 02	8 00
Manchester	12 40	10 18	8 35
Norvell	12 49	10 27	8 55
Napoleon	1 10	10 50	9 50
Jackson			

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 05	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 08	4 14	7 35
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 04	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 55	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 05
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 38	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 15	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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GOING WEST. No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass
P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A...Toledo ..L	5 10	11 10
6 10	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46
7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 51	8 51
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09
8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
9 15	1 38	Horger	1 38	7 38
9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06
9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49
10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk L	12 44	6 30
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	04	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Monteith	11 43	
	3 51	Elsie	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A...Allegan ..L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 30	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
	P.M.	A L	A. M.	

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In one of your recent pastoral addresses to the general public, you describe with ghastly relish the sufferings of an unfortunate man whom you, and some other people, so imperfectly understood, the cure of a fever by strange and abnormal methods long out of countenance in respectable practice.

It seems that you were out in the woods on a pleasure party, probably hiding from the officers of the law. Under the pretext of curing the invalid you stood him against a tree and filled his garments with warm ashes. The man with the fever began to perspire, which moisture formed a chemical combination with the ashes, and produced what is known to commerce as concentrated lye in a liquid form. The lye, I don't say which one, began to remove the cuticle of the sick man, consequently he lifted up his voice and jarred the geology of the eternal hills with it.

You seem to regard the sufferings of your victim with levity, but I, who have suffered similar injuries, will shed a silent tear for him as soon as I can get an off day.

What your victim suffered on the outside I suffered on the inside. I was made to drink a pint of tea made of Mexican *chilli-nee* peppers, compared with which cayenne pepper tastes like a spoonful of ice cream.

I was a mere boy in San Antonio, Tex., when chills and fever, which were doing a large retail business in the town, seized me and flopped me down hard on a couch of illness. The usual remedies were tried and acquitted, and then a regular ordained doctor was called on. He immediately went to work. He did not break up the fever, which was perpetual in session, but he succeeded in transferring into my system most of the *materia medica* of a drug store in which he owned a half interest.

The more strong medicine I took the weaker I got to be, so the doctor was requested to hunt up another boy.

My condition had now become very serious, particularly to me personally. The fever was chronic, and once every day the chills called around and shook me to see if I was alive. On such occasions the neighbors could hear my bones rattle, so thin had I become.

Kind friends and neighbors drifted in. They stood over me, looking down on me with sad eyes and saying: "This is what we all have to come to. Death loves a shining mark," etc.

A lady who lived next door took my hand and said she thought my pants would fit her little boy Johnny, and she spoke reproachfully of my holding out so long. She wanted to wrap up the pants and take them with her. For all I cared she might have wrapped up my skeleton, too, and taken it with her for Johnny to play with. I had no idea of ever having any more use for it myself.

Just at this crisis an old lady, named Brown, came up from the country, and hearing that I was lying in state, and that it was a free thing, came in to take a look at me.

She scoffed at the idea of my dying. She knew of a plain, simple, Mexican remedy that would get me out of that bed in two weeks. Her remarks were prophetic. It got me out of bed in two seconds—but I anticipate.

"I'll have that boy up and stealin' peaches again in no time," she said.

N. B.—She had once been a neighbor of ours, and owned a peach orchard.

"Now," said she, "if you will keep that reskelly boy alive for ten minutes till I fix him up some *chilli-nee* pepper tea, he will be up to some devilry before to-morrow night."

She went into the kitchen and in a short time she returned with a bowl of pepper tea which she bade me quaff. I quaffed about a pint of it, and then I had to use my mouth to yell. It was scalding hot, and my throat, and all thereunto belonging, was parboiled.

She passed out of the door just in time to avoid stopping the bowl and the rest of the pepper tea with her head. Arrayed in a long graceful *robe de nuit* I arose from my couch of illness and executed a beautiful song and dance movement among the broken furniture and the weary watchers who oozed out through the windows and left me alone with my grief.

Looking back at this little incident through the vista of years, I am still convinced that the old lady was trying to get even with me for stealing her peaches, and I can lay my hand on my heart and say that she did. I am also persuaded, Mr. Nye, that you had a spite at the man on whom you tried the hot ashes experiment. If you had known about the red pepper tea, I expect you would have simultaneously given him a gallon or so of it to soothe him internally. Yours truly,

ALEX. E. SWEET.

P. S.—I recovered. A. E. S.
—*Texas Siftings.*

Experimenting on Criminals.

A well-known physician in British India wants to make criminals who have been sentenced to death useful as subjects of experiment for the purpose of ascertaining how to treat cholera successfully. He would take any prisoner under sentence of death who gave his consent, experiment upon him, and if the experiment itself did not result fatally, spare the prisoner's life. As the number of capital convictions in British India is between three hundred and four hundred a year, there would probably be plenty of candidates for the chance of escape thus afforded.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Mrs. Boozer—How did you happen to lose so much money while you were in bathing at Coney Island, love? Did you carry it under your oil-skin bathing cap? Boozer (absent-mindedly)—Bathing? When? Lost money? How? Mrs. Boozer—Why, I heard you tell Mr. Tompkins you had dropped fifty dollars in the pool.—*Tid Bits.*

POPULAR SONGS.

American Productions That Have Attained Wide Popularity.

Speaking of "John Brown's Body," the tune itself is an old Methodist camp-meeting tune and the words were adapted to it by a glee club in Boston in 1861. It was first published at Charlestown, Mass. Captain James Greenleaf, an organist of the Harvard church, set the notes for music, and a Massachusetts regiment made them first noted by singing them in Fort Warren in 1861.

The author of "Maryland, My Maryland," lives at Washington, and you may see him in the press galleries of Congress almost any day during the session. His name is James R. Randall, and he is a fine-looking, dark complexioned man of forty. He must have been very young when he wrote that beautiful poem. His ideas are broader now, and he is as liberal in views as any member of the gallery.

"America" was written by the Rev. Samuel Francis Smith in 1832, and it was first sung in Boston on the Fourth of July of that year. Like the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," it was inspired by a great tune, viz: "God Save the King." This tune is in use in nearly every country, and it has been ascribed to Handel. The writer of the words still lives in Massachusetts and he says he wrote the song at a sitting.

John Howard Payne's "Home, Sweet Home," was written for an opera, and he never got anything for it but his tombstone in Oak Hill Cemetery. It was first sung in the Covent Garden Theater in London, and made a big hit. One hundred thousand copies were sold the first year, and by the end of the second its publishers cleared ten thousand dollars from it.

Robert Treat Paine wrote "Ye Sons of Columbia" early in 1800, under the title of "Adams and Liberty," and he was paid seven hundred and fifty dollars for it. Paine was the son of one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. He was a Massachusetts man, and died in Boston in 1811.

Foster got fifteen thousand dollars for writing "Old Folks at Home." Charles Dibdin netted several weeks' board for writing "Poor Jack," while his publishers made twenty-five thousand dollars out of it. Crouch, the writer of "Kathleen Mavourneen," received twenty-five dollars for the production, and afterward became a begging tramp, while his publishers could have built a brown stone front out of its sales. George P. Morris wrote "Woodman, Spare That Tree," because the purchaser of a friend's estate wanted to cut down a tree which his grandfather had planted. His friend paid the purchaser ten dollars to spare it. Morris was touched by the story and wrote the song.

"Hail Columbia" was written by Joseph Hopkinson in the summer of 1798, and it was first called "The President's March." It was always sung when Washington came into the theatre, and one of the objects of its writing was the cultivation of a patriotic spirit among the people of the Republic. Joseph Hopkinson was twenty-eight years old when he wrote it. An autograph copy, penned in 1828, was shown at the Centennial. It was first set to music by a German music teacher, at Philadelphia, named Roth.

"The Star-Spangled Banner" was written by Francis Scott Key while watching the bombardment of Fort McHenry. He was in a small vessel among the British ships and he saw his countrymen win the victory. All through the fight he watched anxiously to see if the flag was still standing, looking for it at night by the flash of the bombshells and anxiously waiting the dawning. The song was printed in the Baltimore *American* eight days after the battle, under the title of "The Defense of Fort McHenry."

Many people will be surprised to know that "Yankee Doodle" is not of American origin. Even the words date back beyond the days of Queen Anne, and the tune is still older. "In the wars of the Roundheads," says Commodore Preble, in his book on the flag of the United States, to which, by the way, I am indebted for much of this information, "'Yankee Doodle,' or 'Nankee Doodle,' was applied in derision to Cromwell, and Professor Rimbault, a prominent physician of London, wrote the song directed at Cromwell under this title. The jingles of these two songs are about the same and the words are not much different. Dr. Schuchburg first introduced the song into this country in 1775, and this was also in contempt of the ragged colonial soldiers. At Concord and Lexington the British, when advancing to fight, bravely played "God Save the King," and after they were defeated the Yankees, as they watched their retreat, struck up 'Yankee Doodle.'"

"Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean" was written by Thomas Beckot, an English actor, who in 1879 was a teacher of music at Philadelphia. "The Blue and the Gray" was written by Francis Miles Finch, and delivered before a reunion of the Army of the Potomac. It was drawn out by the fact that the women of Columbus, Miss., strewed flowers on the graves of Confederate and Union soldiers alike. It was published in the *Atlantic Monthly*, September, 1867.

Joseph Rodman Drake wrote "The American Flag" when he was twenty-three years old, in 1818. It was written quickly and its author was not satisfied with the last verse. He showed the poem to Fitz-Greene Halleck saying: "Fitz, can't you suggest a better stanza?" Halleck sat down and wrote the four concluding lines and Drake incorporated them in his poem. Drake died at the age of twenty-five. His last poem was "The American Flag." He did not think much of his poems, and when on his deathbed, a friend asking him what should be done with them, he said: "O, burn them; they are quite valueless."

"Sheridan's Ride" was written by Buchanan Read. James E. Murdock, the actor and reader, claims to have incited it. He was reading at Pike's Opera House, in Cincinnati, shortly after Sheridan had made his famous ride, and he asked Read to write him a poem describing it. Read did so, and the result was the greatest effort of his life.—*Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.*

Startling Experience.

Next to scarlet fever, there is no disease among children more dreaded by parents than whooping cough. It is liable to come at all seasons of the year; it exhausts the strength of the little ones, and physicians are often unable to check it. Mr. F. W. Harbaugh of the Telegram, Baltimore, Maryland, had six of his children, aged from six to thirteen years, prostrated with this malady at one and the same time. A complete cure was, however, effected by Red Star Cough Cure, and Mr. Harbaugh writes that the cough, which generally lasts nine weeks, left in four weeks, and he is confident it would have disappeared sooner if he had been aware of the existence of such a valuable remedy.

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As the season advances, the pains and aches by which rheumatism makes itself known, are experienced after every exposure. It is not claimed that Hood's Sarsaparilla is a specific for rheumatism—we doubt if there is, or can be such a remedy. But the thousands benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla, warrant us in urging others who suffer from rheumatism to take it before the first keen twinge.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

Gentle woman is so often the victim of sick headache that she hails as the dawn of a new era, the introduction of a medicine that is guaranteed as a sure cure. Mrs. Morris Tanner, of Hoboken, N. J., writes: "I have been a martyr to sick headache, the result of indigestion. One bottle of Mishler's Herb Bitters used according to directions, has cured me."

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Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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Vassar girls ate 692 pounds of candy last year. Sweets to the sweet. But alas! they ate also forty bushels of onions.

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Auction Sale.

Mrs. R. R. Hall having rented her farm, will sell at auction at her residence three and one half miles northeast of Tecumseh on the Saline road Wednesday, Nov. 18, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., sharp the following: One span colts, well broke, 2 lumber wagons, 15 tons timothy hay, 10 acres corn in the shock, 8 acres corn stalks, 250 bu. oats, 80 bu. potatoes, 3 work horses, summer colt, 20 store pigs, 4 cows, 1 new milch, 6 March pigs, 4 fat hogs, 2 two-year old steers, 2 two year old heifers, spring calf, fall calf, 14 cords stove wood, Wood mower and reaper, 3 cultivators, rake, 2 yearling heifers, 2 fanning mills, cutting box, bob sleigh, cutter bobs, 2 plows, Scotch harrow, set 4 horse whiffletrees, corn sheller, Fairbanks scales, hay rack, force pump and hose, 2 double harnesses, single harness, double and single buggy, forks, cradles, etc. Terms: All sums of $5, or less, cash; six sums over $5, 18 months credit with interest at 7 per cent. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

CARD OF THANKS

Last week, when the fire occurred at Mr. Grazes house the report got abroad that my house was on fire. The alacrity with which the fire department responded to the alarm deserves recognition, and I wish to publicly thanks the "fire laddies" for their promptness. It was my good fortune that I did not need their services, but I am no less thankful on that account. WM. BRESLIN.

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—Hot all bakers of good bread.—Always buy Hook's White Foam Patent flour and you will never be disappointed. It will never deceive you. It is the best.

—The finest Catawba Grapes ever in this market at Rawson's.

—Lumber of all kinds, lath and shingles cheaper than ever at the new yards of the Tecumseh Lumber Co.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining unsalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 15, 1885.

Bennett, M.	Jones, Linda
Noyes, George	Randall, H. N.
Smedley, N. E.	Waite, Geo. R.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Balch.

Remaining unsalled for in the postoffice at Balch, Mich., Nov. 2, 1885.

Fox, Dr. R. H.	Miller, Mrs. Lari
McKee, Mr. S.	Mead, Mr. Levi W.
McPherson, Alex	Rage, W. A.

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Carrots	40
Beef, dressed	5
Beef, live	3
Calf skins	8
Pelts	25
Tallow	4
Lard	5
Pork, dressed	5
Pork, live	4
Ducks	8
Geese	8
Chickens	8
Turkeys	8
Hens	8
Hogs, dressed	5 00
Hogs, live	4 50
Hay	6 00
Hides	4
Wool	25
Flour, per bbl.	3 50
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ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Flouring Mill on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next, 1885, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to means assignee in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (the same being 20 acres) in town three, south of range number six, (6) south, of range number four (4) east, containing about thirty-eight acres of timber, more or less, and also all that part of the south half of the northeast quarter of said section lying on the north side of the River Raisin, and also all that part of said section lying on the south side of said River Raisin, and also all that part of said section lying on the south side of said River Raisin, and also all that part of said section lying on the south side of said

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CLINTON CHRONICLES.

Ed. VanDeMark came home from Detroit where he is attending court as a juryman, Saturday, and returned Tuesday.

Joe Steffenaski, the boy on trial for being implicated in the chicken robbery with his brother, John, and Sid McIntyre, was upon the calling of the adjourned suit, on Wednesday last, found guilty and sentenced to the house of correction four years, but an appeal was taken to the Circuit Court and he was bonded in the sum of $200, Jas. Hogan, Frank and Will Muir having gone bail for the lad. Considerable feeling is manifested for the boy as the neighbors all claim that he has heretofore shown himself worthy and upright.

Rhefuss & Amspoker, of Manchester, have opened a meat market in the Reynold's block, and have secured Charley Goodrich to attend to the wants of the public who favor them with their presence. Chas. has many friends in the community and is the right man in the right place, in this case.

Regular meeting of Lodge 179 F. & A. M., on Saturday evening next.

Robert Terryberry has been giving the old ashery building upon his lot, a new dressing up and it makes quite a respectable looking barn now.

Misses Lizzie Dillingham and Minnie Martin of Bridgewater, and Miss Aggie Kirk of Iron Creek, were guests of Miss Grace Spafford last week.

Mary C. McCollum, sister of J. E. McCollum of this place, arrived at her mother's in Manchester, last week, but too late to see her brother Emmett. She lives in Dakota.

Deputy Sheriff Burch came up from Adrian Saturday, and took under his charge one Patrick Redman, who is well known as Pat the Ditcher throughout Lenawee county. He had taken too much budge and became a wee-bit noisy, ludicrous and indecent on the streets, and Esquire Brown thought six months over to Detroit would improve him somewhat.

The hearse of J. S. Kinney, of Tecumseh, was called into requisition by Bainbridge & Hause last Wednesday, they having two funerals to attend upon that day.

David Woodward has employed two or three teams to draw moulding sand and they have been busy at that work for two days. That looks as though he was going to do some business in the line of castings yet. He says about fifty-two loads of nice sand were secured.

Ed. Sisson and Fred Taylor were in town last Sunday, and the latter remained over Monday, the guest of his cousins A. W. & Grace Spafford.

Thos. Roper had five men at work Monday in his pop-corn.

The exercises of the blue ribbon club at Town Hall last Saturday, were good, and were listened to by a large audience of admirers of this little temperance band.

The ladies of St. John's church are sparing no efforts in their preparation for the coming fair, which we understand is to take place about the 12th of next month, and if we are to judge by the occasions in the past, we are to be greeted with a special treat in way of bargains that should not be overlooked, besides an evening of general enjoyment. They understand it.

The majority of the force at work on the grist mill have finished the labor alloted to them and returned to their homes, leaving but the few to put on the finishing touches, and Clinton will soon boast of as good a roller mill as her sister villages in full operation.

Some persons may think from former mention of the coffee roasting establishment in preparation near the woolen mill, that the job was merely a trifling one, but it has been quite an undertaking, and is but barely completed now, but it has the appearance of having been well done, and should add still another laurel to that enterprise of those undertaking the sheme, as it is really a nice little manufactory and deserving of merit.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

School commenced last Monday with Mr. Turrel as teacher.

Missionary social at Mr. and Mrs. C. Cooper's Thursday afternoon and evening.

J. C. Kinney has vacated the upper story in Henry Smith's house, but the rooms were immediately taken again by the school-master.

J. H. Smith spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends at this place, and also helped to discourse the music at Brooklyn Rink Saturday evening. Come again, Joe.

The party given by Smith & Ayers last Friday eve. was a success socially, but the proprietors died about two in the ring. They are happy to say somebody made something out of it however.

School has commenced in district No. 8, with an average attendance thus far of 28 scholars. Miss Cynthia Monaghan is instructor.

Mrs. R. L. Rogers is making quite an extended visit among relatives in Penn.

There has been nothing done for over a week at the church. Been waiting for paper.

Mrs. M. Groger has tickets out for a hop Thanksgiving night.

Henry Daniels returned to Adrian College this week.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Plenty of corn to husk yet.

Our post office progresses finely.

Rumor says Detroit will build her post office after ours, when they build. Ridgeway gets there just the same.

Geo. D. Arner received the lithographs of Prest. Cleveland and Vice Prest. Hendricks, Monday. They are very fine.

Mr. Lank Smith of Macon, called on his brother, Ase Smith and family, Sunday.

Thanksgiving next week Thursday at which time many a turkey will gobble his last gobble, and man will gobble his first gobble.

Misses Belle Barlow and Lou Arner took a trip over to Adrian Tuesday to call on college friends.

Dr. D. W. Loree was at Detroit Saturday, and Sunday.

Quite a number of young people from Tecumseh attended the Oyster supper Friday night.

Miss Hannah Raymond of Dixon, Ill., arrived last week and will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Hall.

Miss Fannie Schwab has been h[illegible] for the past few days to witness the marriage of her sister Theresa. "We would say go thou and do likewise."

Miss Nellie Freer, who is attending school at Tecumseh, was at home over Sunday, being the first time in nine weeks.

Mrs. David McNair and Mrs. C. A. Sharp of Tecumseh, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sharp.

Mrs. Potter and daughter Ada, of Tecumseh, visited Mrs. Coryell, Saturday.

Miss Sena Coryell spent Sunday in Tecumseh with her friend, Miss Potter.

Rev. L. and Mrs. Barns of Adrian, spent Saturday with Mrs. Sharp, her sister.

One night last week Mr. Frank Hering dreamed he was out hunting, got up in his sleep and fell down stairs, receiving some quite bad bruises, but nothing serious.

The attendance at the oyster supper Friday evening was all that could be expected, considering the state of the roads. The Society cleared $14, above all expenses, for which they are very grateful to their friends. The next social will be held at the home of the treasurer, Miss Ada Linn, next Friday evening.

Those persons who marred the walls in the class-room halls and vestibule of the church, last Friday night, had better look a little out, or they may get a free ride over the road. It is strange that persons who would like to be called gentlemen should disgrace and lower themselves by such doings. It is no one but loafers that would be guilty of such a miserable deed.

Our citizens were somewhat surprised last week Tuesday, to hear that Mrs. Fred Fagan had left her home and could not be found, but on Thursday the sheriff from Adrian presented Mrs. Fagan with a bill of divorce, she having taken oath to having been treated cruelly, and showing marks of violence, having her life threatened with a butcher knife. Moral: Never marry, for it is not all gold that glitters.

If you want to laugh, come out to the Literary entertainment Friday night, at Cottage Hall, and see Dr. Sharp, the quack doctor. There is being a charade prepared that is well worth the admission fee, and a song by two little girls, that will take the cake.

ADDISON ATOMS.

The editor of the Addison Courier has been presented with a half bushel of potatoes, and intimates that his cellar is too small to hold them. Brother Kempton should have secured a house with a cellar of as large a capacity as his stomach. It is said half a bushel of potatoes makes a very light meal for him.—Hudson Post.

Well yes—all prosperous news paper men are good feeders, and as the brethren of the Post initiated us into the work, we expect to grow more and more like them until we can surround double the quantity named, without injury to our pants, buttons or business facilities either.

Uncle A. P. Austin arrived home last week from Wedgwood New York, where he has been stopping since the burial of his wife.

F. C. Parker is building a new woodshed and shop at the rear of his house. It will make quite an improvement to the place.

Miss Birdie Bacon went to Hudson Sunday, where she will spend a few days visiting friends, prior to going with her parents to Virginia.

ONSTED ODDS.

S. C. Stacy of Tecumseh, was in town last Saturday.

S. D. Evans will soon move into his house a mile south of the village.

David Corwin has sold his wagon-shop to Jacob Russell, who will take possession January first.

Dike Daniels has his house nearly ready to occupy, and will probably soon be living in it.

Three of our citizens have been married within the last two weeks, and dame rumor says that more will follow soon.

Arrangements have been made so that in the future we shall get the weather reports daily at this place. The signal flags will be displayed from the top of the elevator.

DEVILS' LAKE DOINGS.

Joseph Turner has gone an a visit to Morenci.

Born, to wife of Walter Marshall, a son.

Mrs. Ferrell has been shingling her house.

The frame of the elevator is up.

John McGee was taken sick last Tuesday and closed the school.

James Wheaton and Ada Briggs were married last Sunday.

A. Bedell has commenced plowing for corn.

James Turner went to Adrian this week on business.

Lewis Swartout was the guest of John Swartout this week.

The post office is completed and ready for business. Now rent you a box.

The rainy weather has stopped the work on the elevator.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The Farmer's Social Club met Friday evening, Nov. 13th, at Jacob Everharts. The literary portion of the program was not full, as Mrs. A. G. Hall and Mr. E. L. Russell were not present. The little people on the program fulfilled their portion creditably, setting an example worthy to be followed by the older members.

The discussion was very animated, but the weight of opinion seemed to be in favor of farms of 120 or 160 acres. When farms consisted of 40 or 80 acres the expenses were quite liable to equal the income, consequently there was little or no profit; but the same machinery used on 80 acres would run 160 acres equally well, with the added expense of an extra hand, while the income would be greater, thus leaving a margin in favor of profit. When farms consisted of more than 160 or 200 acres there was much added expense, the seasons were too short, help too unreliable, there was land left uncultivated, and many things neglected which decreased the profit.

The next meeting will be held at Uncle John Rector's, Friday evening, Nov. 27th.

PROGRAM.

Music—Grant Schreder and Henry Horton.
Select Reading—Mrs. A. B. Bangs.
Recitation—Grace Gillespie.
Essay—Mr. E. L. Russell.
Chip Basket—Mrs. R. B. Gillespie.
Music—Grant and Henry.
Acting Charade—Mrs. F. C. Rector and Mrs. J. Fisher.
Music—The choir.
Question—Which is the more profitable, shallow or deep plowing? Discussion opened by A. B. Bangs, followed by R. B. Gillespie.

Let every body come and fill Uncle John's house. He will make all welcome, and remember, to come early as it tries our Presidents' good nature to be so late in opening the meeting.

F. V. HORTON, Sec.
Mrs. F. C. RECTOR, Reporter.

The mail route, No. 24104, between Tecumseh and Macon by way of Lake Ridge has been changed. Instead of going from Tecumseh to Lake Ridge and thence to Macon, it will hereafter leave Macon at 10 A. M., arrive at Tecumseh at 11 A. M.; leaving at 12:30 P. M., arrive at Macon via. Lake Ridge at 3 P. M. This will give Macon the benefit of getting their mail away sooner and receiving it from the noon train every day. Mr. Philetus Snedicor, the carrier, is moving to Macon this week.

The Adrian Record says:

Why not build up the city? Why not provide work for working men? Why not increase the trade of our merchants? Why not?

And echo answers: Whine not.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT, NOVEMBER 1, '85.

For this report returns have been received from 892 correspondents representing 881 townships. Six hundred of these returns are from 406 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

The weight of the measured bushel of wheat of the crop of 1885 is 100 per cent of full weight, or sixty pounds.

The area seeded to wheat this fall in the southern four tiers of counties is estimated at 101 per cent and in the northern counties 102 per cent of the area seeded in 1884, indicating a present acreage in the southern counties of 1,276,359 acres, and in the northern counties of 222,664 acres. The condition of wheat November 1 was 96, the comparison being with vitality and growth of average years.

Compared with 1884 there is a decrease of about one-tenth in the area of clover seed harvested, and of 5 per cent in the yield per acre.

The acreage in potatoes this year is not quite as large as in 1884, and the yield per acre is fifteen to twenty per cent less than in that year. A few fields in the State have been plowed up or abandoned because of rot, but in many localities, and especially where grown on sandy soil, the crop has suffered little injury from this cause. The rot is reported by 161 correspondents in the southern four tiers of counties, representing every county in this section except Branch and Cass, and by 71 correspondents, representing 19 counties in the northern section of the State. The total loss by rot will amout to about one-fifth of the crop.

Reports have been received of the quantity of wheat marketed by farmers during the month of September at 331 elevators and mills. Of these, 272 are in the southern four tiers of counties, which is forty-eight per cent of the whole number of elevators and mills in these counties. The total number of bushels reported marketed is 2,153,491, of which 419,677 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 652,976 bushels in the second tier; 380,128 bushels in the third tier; 527,088 bushels in the fourth tier; and 173,622 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. At 21 elevators and mills, or 6 per cent of the whole number from which reports have been received, their was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in August, September, and October, is 6,241,843, which is 2,608,027 bushels more than reported marketed during the same months in 1884.

The yield of corn in the southern counties is about 32 bushels per acre, and in the northern counties 28 bushels per acre, a bushel less in each section than estimated in September. The proportion of soft corn is greater than usual owing to damage by frost as mentioned by correspondents in October.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, November 10, 1885:

Estate of Nancy Holt, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Herbert W. Miner, et al., minors, petition for certified letters of guardianship; hearing December 7.

Estate of Floy Brooks, minor; bond filed; letters of guardianship issued.

Estate of Rufus Merrick, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Edwin Johnson, deceased; receipt filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Asa Foster, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing Dec. 7.

Estate of Benjamin F. Beagle, deceased; petition for revival of commission on claims; order reviving commission.

Estate of Addle J. Graham et al., minors; guardian's second annual account filed; order allowing account.

Estate of Wm. Bills, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until November 23.

Estate of Peter G. Mercereau, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until November 30.

Estate of Andrew N. Pope, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed. Discharge.

Estate of Julia A. Robinson, an incompetent person; affidavit of service of notice of hearing filed; testimony taken; guardian appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Wm. Dutton, deceased; executor's first annual account filed; order allowing account.

Estate of Merritt A. Griswold, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order limiting time to pay debts.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending November 10.

RAISIN.

Cass Miller to Leonard Carlton. Land on sec 25. $3,000.

Leonard Carlton to Cass Miller. Land on sec. 25. $3,000.

Leonard Carlton to Cass Miller. Land on sec 25. $2,400.

ROME.

Ellen M. Lakins to Wm. Curtis. Land on sec 26. $3,300.

TECUMSEH.

Josie Silvers to B. J. and B. A. Garlinghouse. Land on blk 6, Hewitt's add. $2,500.

John Soper to Henry McClure. Land on cor. Union and Patterson sts. $312.

A Key that will Wind any Watch and—

Twenty-five cents by postal note or silver will secure THE CABINET for a trial trip of three months, and one of Birch's keys (retail price 25cts) which will wind any watch and never wear out, as premium. Free specimens.—Address, The Cabinet, Chambersburg, Pa.

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AT THE BARS.

I wait in the dusk at the bars in the lane,
Waiting and watching at close of day.
When the world is stilled in the solemn hour
As it yields for a space to thy night's brief power,
And the moonshine chases the daylight away.

In the mystical purple of twilight the hills
And valleys are wrapped, and the forces of night
Have conquered the day and driven him far
To the west, where the sentinel evening star
Keeps a watchful eye on his sullen flight.

From the darkening meadows the tinkling bells
Ring low and clear on the perfumed air,
Where a thousand delicate odors blend
From flower and bud that to Heaven ascend,
An offering purer than human prayer.

The querulous plaint of the whippoorwill,
Hiding away in its lonely nest
Quivers and thrills with a note of pain,
Like a lover mourning who loves in vain,
Or a lost soul crying to Heaven for rest.

Why cometh she not, my beauty, my Bess!
With the tender eyes, so gentle and kind;
She's late, even now with noiseless fall
O'er the dull earth settles a gossamer pall,
And the bat darts by on the rising wind.

With a nameless dread that I can not quell,
And a fancy filled with doubts and fears,
I peer in vain where the ghostly trees
Frolic and play with the wooing breeze
And the winding path on the hill appears.

At the bars I wait, though the dews are falling.
She will surely come though the hour be late;
Hark! there's a step on the path coming near.
Aha! and a call that I know, low and clear.
So well does my brown beauty know I will wait.

She is coming at last! How the glad earth smiles
And the breezes of Heaven grow sweeter;
See the clover heads bend in a dying caress
As they tremble and bow beath her feet's light press.
On the path where I'm waiting to meet her

Her foot falls as light as the dew on the grass
So quiet and shy as she comes to my side.
As her brown dreamy eyes look so softly in mine,
They rival the glow of the calm star shine.
Where's any can equal my Bess in her pride?

All day she has gathered, in meadow and wood,
Sweet grasses and flowers and buttercups white;
But now, in the gloaming, when the mists lie low,
On the river brink and the faint stars show
She comes to me here in the fading light.

So, I let down the bars and my pet comes through;
With a step that a Duchess might envy, and now,
With a grateful moo and a musical low,
She enters, so glossy and stately and slow,
My three hundred dollar prize Alderney cow.

—Detroit Free Press.

LOST HER FACULTY.

The Minister and the Arithmetician—Letty's Escapade.

A strong soft south wind had been blowing and the trees had dropped nearly all their leaves. There were left only a few brownish-gold ones dangling on the elms and hardly any at all on the maples. There were many trees on the street, and the fallen leaves were heaped high. Mrs. Wilson Torry's little door-yard was ankle-deep with them. The air was full of their odor, which could affect the spirit like a song, and mingled with it was the scent of grapes.

The minister had been calling on Mrs. Torry that afternoon, and now he stood facing her on the porch, taking leave. He was very young, and this was his first parish. He was small and light and mild-looking; still he had considerable nervous volubility. The simple village women never found him hard to entertain.

Now, all at once, he made an exclamation, and fumbled in his pocket for a folded paper. "There," said he, "I nearly forgot this. Mr. Plainfield requested me to hand this to you, Mrs. Torry. It is a problem which he has been working over; he gave it to me to try, and wanted me to propose, when I called, that you should see what you could do with it."

She seized it eagerly. "Well, I'll see what I can do; but you an' he musn't make no great calculations on me. You know I don't know anything about the 'rithmetic books an' the rules they hev nowadays; but I'm willin' to try."

"Oh, you'll have it done while Mr. Plainfield and I are thinking of it, Mrs. Torry."

"You 'aint neither of you done it, then?"

"He had not at last accounts, and—I have not," replied the young man, laughing, but coloring a little.

The old lady's eyes gleamed as she looked at him, then at the paper. "I dare say I can't make head or tail of it," said she, "but I'll see what I can do by-an'-by."

She had something of a childish air as she stood there. She was slender, and so short that she was almost dwarfed; her shoulders were curved a little by spinal disease. She had a small round face, and a mouth which widened out innocently into smiles as she talked. Her eyes looked out directly at one, like a child's; over them loomed a high forehead with bulging temples covered with deep wrinkles.

"You have always been very fond of mathematics, haven't you, Mrs. Torry?" said the minister, in his slow retreat.

"Law, yes. I can't remember the time when I wa'n't crazy to cipher.

"Arithmetic is a very fascinating study, I think," remarked the minister, trying to slide easily off the subject, and down the porch steps.

"'Tis to me. An' there's somethin' I was thinkin' about this very forenoon—seein' all them leaves on the ground made me, I s'pose. It's always been a sight of comfort to me to count. When I was a little girl I'd 'most rather count than play. I used to sit down an' count by the flour together. I remember the pewter porringer I had, that I used to fill up with beans an' count 'em. Well, it come into my head this forenoon what a blessed privilege it would be to count up all the beautiful things in this creation. Just think of countin' all them red an' gold-colored leaves, an' all the grapes an' apples in the fall; an' when it come to the winter, all the flakes of snow an' the sparkles of frost; an' when it come to the spring, all the flowers, and blades of grass, an' the little new light green leaves. I don't know but you'll think it ain't exactly reverent, but it does seem to me that I'd rather do that than sing in the other world. Maybe somebody does have to do the countin'; mebbe it's singin' for some."

She stared up into the warm blue air, in which the bare branches of the trees glistened with a sweet, solemn wonder in her old face.

The minister in a bewildered way pondered all the old woman had said, as he rustled down the street. Later, Mr. Plainfield (the young high-school teacher) and he would have a discussion over it. They often talked over Mrs. Wilson Torry.

After her caller had gone, the old woman entered the house. On the left of the little entry was the best room, where she had been entertaining the minister; on the right, the kitchen. A young girl was in there eating an apple. She looked up when Mrs. Torry stood in the door.

"He's gone, ain't he?" said she.

"Why, Letty, then did you come?"

"A few minutes ago. School's just out. I came in the back door an' heard him talking, so I kept still."

"Why didn't you come in an' see him?"

"Oh, I didn't want to see him. What you got there, grandma?"

"Nothin' but a sum the minister brought me to do. He an' Mr. Plainfield have been workin' over it."

"Couldn't they do it?"

"Well, he said they hadn't neither of 'em done it yet."

"Is it awful hard?"

"I don't know. I 'ain't looked at it yet."

"Let me see. He didn't get it out of any of our books, I know. We never had anything like this."

"I s'pose it's one he come across somewhere. I guess I'll sit down and look at it two or three minutes."

An old bureau stood against the wall; on it were arranged four religious newspapers in the exact order of their issues, the latest on top, Farmers' Almanacs for the last four years filed in the same way, and a slate surmounted by an old arithmetic. The pile of newspapers was in the middle, the slate and almanacs were on either side.

Letty, soberly eating her apple, watched her grandmother getting out the arithmetic and slate. She was a pretty young girl; her small, innocent face, in spite of its youthful roundness and fairness, reminded people of Mrs. Torry's.

"I don't think much of Mr. Painfield, anyhow," said she, as the click of her grandmother's pencil on the slate began; "and he knows I don't. He overheard me telling Lizzie Bascom so to-day. He came right up behind us on the street, and I know he heard. You ought to have seen his face!"

"I don't see what you've got agin him," remarked Mrs. Torry, absently, as she dotted down figures.

"I haven't much of anything that I know of against him, only I don't think he's much of a teacher. He can't do examples as quickly as you, I know, and I don't think a man has any business to be school-teaching if he can't do examples as quickly as an old lady."

Mrs. Torry stopped her work and fixed her round, unwinking eyes full on the girl's face.

"Letty Torry, there's some things you don't understand. You never will understand 'em, if you live to be as old as Methuselah, as far as that's concerned. But you'll get so you know the things air. Sometimes it don't make any difference if anybody's ignorant, an' 'aint got any book-learning; air old, an' h'd a hard-workin' life. There'll be somethin' in 'em that everybody else 'ain't got; somethin' that growed, an' didn't have to be learned. I've got this faculty; I can cipher. It 'ain't nothin' agin Mr. Plainfield if he 'ain't got it; it's a gift."

Her voice took on a solemn tone and trembled. Letty looked at her with childish wonder. "Well," said she, with a subdued manner, "he has no right to teach, anyhow, without it. I guess I'll have another apple. I was real hungry."

So Letty ate another apple silently, while her grandmother worked at the problem again.

She did not solve it as easily as usual. She worked till midnight, her little lamp drawn close to her on the kitchen table; then she went to bed, with the answer still in doubt.

"It ain't goin' to do for me to set up any longer," said she, forlornly, as she replaced the slate on the bureau. "I shall be sick if I do. But I declare I don't see what's got into me. I hope I ain't losin' my faculty."

She could not sleep much. The next morning, as soon as their simple breakfast was eaten and Letty had gone to school, she seated herself with her slate and pencil.

When Letty came home at noon she found her grandmother still at work, and no dinner ready.

"I do declare! cried the old woman. "You don't mean to say you're home, Letty! It ain't twelve o'clock, is it?"

"Course it is; quarter past."

"I 'ain't got one mite of dinner ready, then. I've been so took up with the sum I hadn't no idea how the time was goin'. I don't know what you will do, child."

"Oh, I'll get some bread and milk, grandma; just as soon have it as anything else. Got the problem done?"

"No, I 'aint. I feel real bad about your dinner. I'll kindle up a fire now and fry you an egg—there be time enough."

"I'd rather have bread and milk."

After Letty had gone to school for the afternoon, and Mrs. Torry had been working fruitlessly for an hour longer, she dropped her pencil.

"I declare," said she, "I'm afraid I am losin' my faculty!"

Tears stood in her eyes. "I won't give up that I am, anyhow," said she, and took the pencil again.

When Letty returned, in the latter part of the afternoon, she scarcely knew it, with the full meaning of the word. She saw her, but her true consciousness was so full of figures that Letty's fair face could only look in at the door.

Letty ran in hastily; a young girl was waiting for her outside. "Oh, grandma," cried Letty. "Lizzie's going to Ellsworth to do an errand for her mother; she's coming back on the last train. Can't I go with her?"

Her grandmother stared at her for a minute and made no answer.

"She's got tickets for both of us. Can't I go, grandma?"

"Yes."

Letty smoothed her hair a little, and put on her best hat; then she went.

"Good-bye," said she, looking back at the intent old figure; but she got no answer.

"Grandma's so taken up with the example she's got that she doesn't know anything," she told her friend when she was outside. "She didn't answer when I said good-bye; she forgot to get dinner to-day, too."

Mrs. Torry worked on and on. She never looked up nor thought of anything else until it grew so dark that she could not see her figures. "I'll have to light the lamp," said she, with a sigh.

After it was lit she went to work again. She never thought of wanting any supper, though she had eaten nothing since morning.

The kitchen clock struck seven—Letty should have been home then—eight, and nine, but she never noticed it. A few minutes afterward some one knocked on the door. She ciphered on. Then the knocks were repeated, louder and quicker.

"Somebody's knockin' I guess," she muttered and opened the door. Mr. Plainfield stood there. He was a handsome young man with rosy cheeks; he was always smiling. He looked past her into the room inquiringly.

"Is Letty at home?" said he.

"Letty?"

"Yes, Letty. Is she at home?"

"Why, yes, she's here. Letty!"

"Has she gone to bed?"

"Why, yes, I guess she has." Mrs. Torry opened the door at the foot of the stairs. "Letty! Letty!"

"I guess she must be asleep," said she, turning to the young man, who had stepped in to the kitchen. "Want me to go up and see? Did you want anything partickler?"

He hesitated. "If you had just as soon—I—had something special——"

The old woman climbed the steep, uncarpeted stairs, feeble, with a long pat on every step. She came down faster, reckless of her trembling uncertainty. "She ain't there! Letty's gone! Where is she?"

"You know she went to Ellsworth with Lizzie?"

"No, I didn't."

"Why, she said something to you about it, didn't she?"

"I don't know whether she did or not." "Lizzie just told me that she missed her in the depot. She left her there for a minute while she went back for something she had forgotten. When she came back she was gone. The train was all ready, and Lizzie thought she must be on it, so she got on herself. She did not see her in the depot here, and has been crying about it and afraid to tell till just now. I came right over as soon as I knew about it."

"O, Letty! Letty! Where's Letty? O, Mr. Plainfield, you go an' find her! Go right off. You will, won't you? Letty allers liked you."

"I always liked Letty," said the young man, broadly. "I'll find her—don't you worry."

"You'll go right off now?"

"Of course I will; I won't wait a minute."

"O, Letty, Letty! Where is she? What shall I do? That little girl—a thing—and she was always one of the frightened kind—out all alone; an' it's night! She never went to Ellsworth alone in all her full life. She didn't know nothin' about the town, an' she didn't have a cent of money in her pocket."

"I'll send Mrs. Bascom over to stay with you," Mr. Plainfield called back as he hurried off.

Sam Mrs. Bascom came poking her white, nervous face in the door inquiringly. "Has she 'ain't come?"

"No—O, Mis' Bascom, what shall I do?"

"O, Mis' Torry, I do feel so bad about it! I don't know what to do! If Lizzie had only told before! but there she was upstairs crying, and afraid to tell. I've been scolding her, but she felt so bad I had to stop. She called me, an' told me finally; an' I guess 'twa'n't long before Mr. Plainfield started off, to find out if she was home. It was lucky he was boarding with us. He'll find her if anybody can; he's as quick as lightning. He turned white's a sheet when I told him."

"O, Mis' Bascom!"

"Now, don't give up so, Mis' Torry. He'll find her. She can't be very far off. You'll see her walking in here first thing you know. He's got a real fast team, an' he's started for Ellsworth new. He went past me like a str-ak when I was coming up the road. He'll have her back safe and sound before morning."

"O, Letty! Letty! O, what shall I do? It's my own fault, every mite of it's my own fault! 'Tis; you don't know nothin' about it. The minister brought me a sum, he an' Mr. Plainfield had been workin' on, to do, yesterday afternoon, an' I jest sat an' ciphered half the night, an' all day. I didn't know no more what Letty asked me, when she came in from school, than nothin' at all. I didn't know nothin' but them figgers, an' now Letty's lost, an' it's my fault."

"Why, you might have let her gone if you'd known."

"I guess I shouldn't let her gone all alone with your Lizzie, to come home after dark in the last train, little delicate thing as she was. I guess I shouldn't: an' I guess I should have started up an' done something, if I'd known, when she wasn't here at train time. I didn't get the sum done, an' I'm glad of it; it seems to me jest as if I was losin' my faculty as I'm growin' older, an' I hope I am."

"Now don't talk so, Mis' Torry. Sit down an' try to be calm. You'll be sick."

"I guess there ain't much bein' calm. I tell you what 'tis, Mis' Bascom, I've been a wicked woman. I've been thinkin' so much of this faculty I've had for cipherin' that I've set it afore everything—I hev. Only yesterday that poor child didn't hev any dinner but crackers an' milk, 'cause I was so took up with the sum that I forgot it. An' she was jest as patient as a lamb about it; said she'd rather hev crackers an' milk than anything else. O, dear! dear!"

"Don't cry, Mis' Torry."

"I can't help it. It don't make no difference what folks are born with a faculty for—whether it's cipherin', or singin', or writin' poetry—the love that's betwixt human beings an' the help that's betwixt 'em ought to come first. I've known it all the time, but I've gone agin it, an' now I've got my pay. What shall I do?"

Mrs. Bascom remained with her all night, but she could not pacify her in the least. She was nearly distracted herself. She was fearful that her Lizzie might be blamed.

The next day people flocked to the house to inquire if there was any news from Letty; and to comfort her grandmother. Sympathy seemed fairly dripping like fragrant oil from these simple, honest hearts; but the poor old woman got no refreshing influence from it. She kept on her old strain in their ears. She had lost Letty, and it was all her own fault, and what should she do! Mr. Plainfield did not come home. The minister took his place in school. Nothing was heard until noon; then a telegram from the teacher came. He thought he was on Letty's track, he said; they should hear again.

Next day there was a second message: Letty was safe; coming home as soon as possible. The following day passed then, and not another word came. The old grandmother's faith and hope seemed to have deserted her. She knew Letty was not found; she never would be found. She and Mr. Plainfield were both lost now. Something dreadful had happened to both of them.

"The worst of it is," she told Mrs. Bascom one afternoon, with a fierce indignation at herself, "I can't help thinkin' about that awful sum now after all that's happened. Them figgers keep troopin' into my head right in the midst of my thinkin' about Letty. It's all I can do to let that slate alone, an' not take it off the bureau. But I won't—I won't if it kills me not to."

On the fourth day after Letty's disappearance, between six and seven o'clock in the evening, Mrs. Torry was sitting alone in her kitchen. The last sympathizer had gone home to eat her supper.

The distressed old woman had drank a cup of tea; that was all she would touch. The pot was still on the stove. There was a soft yellow light from the lamp over the room. The warm air was full of the fragrance of boiling tea.

Mrs. Torry sat looking over at the bureau. She would have looked the same way if she had been starving and seen food there.

"O," she whispered, "If—I could—only work on that sum a little while, it does seem as if 'twould comfort me more'n anything! O Lord! I wonder if I was to blame? 'Twas the way I was made, an' I couldn't help that. P'haps I should hev let Letty gone, an' she'd been lost, anyway. I wonder if I hev lost my faculty?"

She sat there looking over at the slate. At last she rose and started to cross the room. Midway she stopped.

"O, what am I doin'? Letty's lost, an' I'm goin' to cipherin'! S'pose she should come in an' ketch me? She'd be so hurt she'd never get over it. She wouldn't think I cared anything about her."

She stood looking at the slate and thinking for a moment. Then her face settled into a hard calm.

"Letty won't come back—she won't never come back. I might as well cipher as anything else."

She went across the room, got the slate and pencil, and returned to her seat. She had been ciphering for a minute or so when a sound outside caused her to start and stop. She sat with mouth open and chin trembling, listening. The sound came nearer; it was at the door. Of all the sweet sounds which had smote that old woman's ears since her birth—songs of birds, choral hymns, Sabbath bells—there had been none so sweet as this. It was Letty's thin girlish treble which she heard just outside the door.

For a second, as she sat listening, her face was rapt, angelic; in spite of its sallowness and wrinkles it might have figured in an altar-piece. Then it changed. The slate was in her lap. What would Letty think?

It was all passing swiftly; the door-latch rattled, she slipped the slate under her gingham apron, and sat still.

"O, poor grandma!" cried Letty, running in; "you've been frightened 'most to death about me, haven't you?" She bent over her grandmother and laid her soft pretty cheek against hers.

"O, Letty! I didn't think you'd ever come back."

"I have; but I did have the dreadfulest time. I got carried 'way out West on an express train. Just think of it! I got on the wrong train while I was waiting for Lizzie. I was frightened almost to death But Mr. Plainfield telegraphed ahead. He found out where I was going, and they took me to a hotel; and then he came for me. You haven't said anything to Mr. Plainfield, grandma."

The young man was standing smiling behind Letty. She looked astonished when her grandmother did not rise to speak to him, but sat perfectly still as she uttered some broken thanks.

"Why, grandma, you ain't sick, are you?" said she.

"No—I ain't sick," said her grandmother, with a meek tone.

When Mr. Plainfield left, in a few moments, Letty gave a half-defiant, half-ashamed glance at her grandmother, and followed him out, closing the door.

When she returned Mrs. Torry was standing by the table pouring out a cup of tea for her. The slate was in the usual place on the bureau.

"Grandma," said Letty, blushing innocently, "I thought I ought to say something to Mr. Plainfield, you know. I hadn't, and I knew he heard what I said to Lizzie that day. I thought I ought to ask his pardon, when he'd done so much for me. I've made up my mind that I do like him. There's other things besides doing arithmetic examples."

"I guess there is, child. Them things is all second. I think I'd rather have a man who hadn't got any special faculty, if I was goin' to get married."

"Nobody said anything about getting married, grandma."

Pretty soon Letty went to bed. She was worn out with her adventures.

"Ain't you going too, grandma?" asked she, turning around, lamp in hand at the foot of the stairs.

"Pretty soon, child; pretty soon. I've—got a little somethin' I want to do first."

The grandmother sat up till nearly morning working over the problem. Once in a while she would lay down her slate and climb upstairs and peep into Letty's little peaceful girl-chamber to see if she was safe.

"If I have got that dear child safe, and 'aint lost my faculty, it's more'n I deserve," muttered she, as she took her slate the last time.

The next evening the minister came over. "So Letty's come," he said, when Mrs. Torry opened the door.

"Yes, Letty's come, and—I've got that sum, you gave me, done."—*Harper's Magazine.*

SCAB IN SHEEP.

A Remedy Which May Produce a Permanent Cure.

To one hundred gallons of water use twenty-five pounds flowers of sulphur and ten pounds of quick lime. The sulphur can be put into tank as soon as water is pumped. The lime should be slacked in a separate barrel and the liquid poured into the boiling vat, taking care that no slaggy pieces of lime will cake upon the bottom of the iron boiler. The water should be well boiled before letting it out in the dipping vat, and time allowed for it to cool before dipping. This preparation usually can be made the day before the sheep are to be washed, and more water added to the boiling vat, keeping the mixture in proportion as above stated. A pen in the form of a letter V, large enough to hold fifty sheep, should receive the sheep at the end of the dipping vat. Each sheep, when incrustation or yellow dandruff is seen on flesh, must be thoroughly scarified with a curry-comb, or some hard brush, with frequent applications of the liquid, used at from 110 degrees to 125 degrees Fahr., and, for fear of getting too hot, not above the degree last mentioned. We are now ready to dip, which, after tests are made, is to be commenced slowly, and continued till all the flock are dipped. Rushing sheep through a vat to see how many can be dipped in a day will only double the care and expense of attending to the flocks, while the chances are that the disease will continue to infect the sheep and all the work must be done again. After treating, they must be taken to a range where they have no infected sheep, and be fed with salt and sulphur in proportion of one part sulphur to twelve parts salt.—*Sheep Breeder.*

Velvets and Plush.

Plain velvets are so largely imported that of themselves they would constitute a "velvet season," but to these are added striped and figured velvets, and the beaded and embroidered velvets that are to form the combinations with plain velvet or with uncut velvet costumes. A plush or lead-colored costume, with the front beaded with lead beads, will be a stylish choice for autumn and winter, but the still larger importations of brown velvets both for dresses and bonnets point to these warmer browns as a more certain choice for a winter toilet. The use of carved wood beads in brown shades on brown velvet is a novelty for the front breadth, the plastron, collar, and cuffs of brown velvet dresses. There are also many brown wool laces for such dresses, and the velvet bonnets to accompany such toilettes have wooden beads forming the coronet or edging the brim, while many tinsel threads are employed in embroidering the crown. While brown remains a leading color, gilt will not be entirely banished, yet the best dealers import it sparingly, giving the preference to tinsel threads of many shades. The shaded plushes are shown in brown and gray tints, some of which are called tiger plushes, and others merely ombre, but these are shaded in stripes or in close patterns instead of all the way across from selvedge to selvedge as they formerly were. Next the beaded velvet fronts there are applique velvets that have the effect of transparents when put on wool or silk of contrasting color; these come in side panels or in a single front breadth, or a foot border, and with the necessary garniture for the basque.—*Harper's Bazar.*

A Pretty Anecdote.

The prettiest of literary anecdotes has been related by William Grimm, one of the pair of famous story-tellers. One day a little girl rang their bell and met him in the hall with the words: "Are you the Mr. Grimm that writes the pretty tales?" "Yes, I and my brother." "And that of the clever little tailor who married the princess?" "Yes, certainly." "Well," said the child, producing the book, "it is said here that every one who doesn't believe it must pay him a thaler. Now, I don't believe that a Princess ever married a tailor. I haven't so much as a thaler, but here is a groschen and please say I hope to pay the rest by degrees." Just then Jacob came up, and the brothers had an interesting interview with the little dame; but they could not persuade her to take away the groschen which she had laid on the table.—*The Household.*

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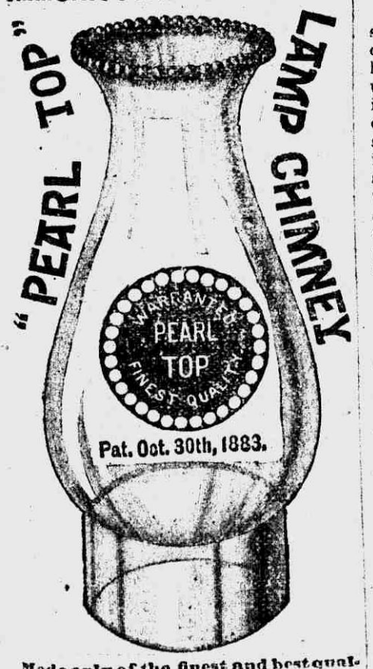

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MISCELLANEOUS.

—Neither the Capitol nor the White House is fireproof, notwithstanding the millions that have been expended upon them to make them so.—*Washington Post.*

—A leading New York physician says coughs and weak throats are largely due to the habit of wearing starched linen collars. He recommends unstarched woolen collars.—*N. Y. Times.*

—The Arctic plants which a Greely survivor brought home with him are from six inches to two feet in height, and under a magnifying glass present a very beautiful appearance. All but two bear flowers.—*Boston Journal.*

—The inhabitants of Magdeburg and Tilsit, in Germany, hate the French language so intensely that they have formed a society, agreeing to pay a fine of one cent, every time they are found using a French word.

—The time may come when politics will mean all that is noble and good: when a small boy will break an apple in two and give his little sister the biggest half; when a tramp will work, and a stray dog won't bite; but the day will never dawn when a fly can tickle a drowsy man's nose without getting itself disliked.—*Chicago Ledger.*

—"I attended two theaters the first night I was in New York," wrote a rural buck to his fond parents, "and three balls the next. Had a glorious time the first, and only got two dollars on my watch the next." The unsophisticated old people are still wondering what he meant.—*Binghamton Republican.*

—A Gascon and Provencal were each extolling the productiveness of their native provinces. "At Bordeaux," said the former, "you drop a match in a field; next year you will see a forest." "At Marseilles," rejoined the other, "you drop a brace button, a week after you have a ready-made pair of trousers".

—We beg the indulgence of our readers for shortcomings for the last few weeks. Have been physically disorganized by having had a wagon roll across our troubled cranium and by having experienced the lusty blows of a Georgia mule sprinkled up and down our back. Had a narrow escape for our life. We promise, however, not to be guilty of the like soon, Devolente.—*Lincolnton (Ga.) News.*

—According to the Hartford *Courant* the Consul-General at London, ex-Governor Waller, of Connecticut, is a man to whom we are indebted for the felicitous and now familiar word, "mugwump." During an exciting political canvass he made a visit to Hartford for the purpose of propitiating some malcontent Democrats. In a private letter to Judge Birdsall he mentioned the fact of his mission to that city, and stated that he had spent a day there "with the mugwumps." The publication of the correspondence was the means of introducing the word into general use.

—When Mr. Justice Hawkins, of the English Queen's Bench, was a leader at the bar, he appeared in a shipping case before the late Baron Channel, who was a little shaky with his aspirates. The name of the vessel about which the dispute had arisen was Hannah; but Hawkins' "junior," in utter desperation, said to him: "Is the ship the Anna or the Hannah, for his Lordship says one thing and every one else says another?" "The ship," said Hawkins, in reply, "was named the Hannah, but the H has been lost in the chops of the Channel."

—Cocoanut cellulose is a new substance, and if it possesses the quality claimed for it, England may go back to her wooden walls with safety and beat up her self-destructive rams for old iron. The patentees claim that a ship can not be sunk by shot or shell if only she has taken the precaution of coming into the fight with this peculiar tissue as a great coat. When a shot, no matter what its dimensions, strikes the side of a frigate the carpenter and his mates need not jump to cram in the old-time plugs, for the cellulose immediate closes, and a drop of water will not enter.—*Philadelphia Press.*

SHOEMAKING.

A Trade Which Flourished Long Before St. Crispin's Time.

Rude drawings were seen on the walls of Thebes (B. C. 1405) of shoemakers performing their tasks, showing the trade to be extremely ancient as well as eminently respectable; and we read in Homer of princes manufacturing their own shoes. They have been made of various material—hides, flax, silk, cloth, wood, iron, silver and gold—and in great variety of shapes, plain and ornamental. Among the Jews they were made of leather, linen and wood. Soldiers made them of brass and iron tied with thongs. To put off the shoes was an act of veneration. The Asiatics and Egyptians wore shoes made out of the bark of the papyrus. Among the Greeks the shoe generally reached to the mid leg, like what we now call "boots." Ladies, as a mark of distinction, wore sandals—a sort of loose shoe, something like the modern slipper. The Roman shoes were of two kinds—the calceus, which covered the whole foot, and the soela, which covered only the sole, and was fastened with thongs. Ladies of rank wore white and sometimes red shoes; other women wore black. In the ninth and tenth centuries the greatest princes of Europe wore wooden shoes, or wooden soles instead, fastened with leather thongs. In the eleventh century the upper part of the shoe was made of leather and the sole of wood. The Saxons wore shoes, or such, with thongs. In the year 1090, in the reign of William Rufus, the great dandy Robert was called "the hornet," because he wore shoes with long points, stuffed, turned up and twisted like horns. Shoes of this kind became fashionable, and the toes continued to increase in length until, in the time of Richard II., in 1390, they had attained such an enormous extent as to be fastened to the garter by a chain of silver or gold. The clergy declared vehemently against this extravagance; but the fashion continued, even for several centuries.—*Chicago Interior.*

An Architect's Opinion.

Mr. Edward Sidel was the chief assistant to the architect for the Exposition Buildings at New Orleans. He writes he used St. Jacobs Oil with the best effects in a severe case of rheumatism, and recommends it to all similarly afflicted as the quickest and most certain remedy.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, Insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Flouring Mill on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next, 1885, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to me as assignee in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (fractional) of section number three, (3) township number six, (6) south, of range number four (4) east, containing about thirty-eight acres of land, more or less, except about half an acre on east side of the pond, deeded to Nehemiah M. Sutton. Also that small piece of land on the east side of the northwest quarter of said section three (3), which lies east of the west line of a highway which runs nearly along the quarter steel line through the north half of said section, being the same piece formerly deeded by John and Betsey Bangs to Samuel Satterthwaite, containing forty-seven-hundredths of an acre of land. Also so much of the following described piece of land which lies south of the center of a highway running nearly east and west through the same: Beginning at the southwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three, (3); thence north along the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, nine chains and twenty (9.20) links; thence east parallel with the quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links; thence south parallel with said first course nine chains and twenty (9.20) links to the quarter section line; thence west along said quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links to the place of beginning, containing about five acres of land. Also so much of said five acres of piece lying north of the center of said highway, running nearly east and west through the same, described as follows, to wit: Beginning fifty links south of the southwest corner of a lot of land (former) owned by Jerome Cleveland; thence north to the said southwest corner and along the west side of said Cleveland lot to the northwest corner of the same; thence west along the south line of land formerly owned by Nehemiah M. Sutton to the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section; thence south along said line to the center of said highway; thence east along the center of said highway to the place of beginning.

Also that other piece or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the center stake of said section three (3); thence running north eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes (89° 27') east along the quarter section line twenty-five links and ten (25.10) links to a point five chains and forty-three (5.43) links east of the corner between the east and west halves of the southeast quarter of said section; thence south forty degrees (40°) minutes west, three chains and seventy-one (3.71) links to a post; thence south eighty-nine degrees (89°) twenty seven minutes west parallel to said quarter section line eight chains and eighty (8.80) links to a post standing on the top of the high bank of the River Raisin; thence south eighty-eight degrees and fifty-five (88° 55') minutes west, eleven chains and nine (11.09) links to the center of a black ash tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the high bank of said river and near the water's edge; thence north seventy-seven degrees and forty (77° 40') minutes west across said river five chains and thirty-five (5.35) links to the north side of a large basswood tree standing near the water's edge and in the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north thirty-eight (38°) minutes east along said line to the center of said section the place of beginning, one chain and eighty-four (1.84) links, containing eight acres and sixty-one-hundredths of an acre of land, excepting and reserving from the same a piece of land lying on the east and south easterly part of the same heretofore deeded by Asa L. Sutton to Elwood Comfort. Also so much of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three (3) as is now flowed by the Raisin Mills Mill Pond with the usual and common head of water as it has been held.

Also the full right and privilege to hold the Raisin Mills mill property pond at such a height and with such a head as it has been held since the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine (1859) and to flow and damage thereby when so held, the following described parcels and tracts of land, to wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section three (3) aforesaid in the town of Raisin, and that other piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee county and state of Michigan: Beginning thirty-one (31) links east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four, township five south of range four east, running thence north four and a half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links; thence north fourteen and one-half degrees east, two chains, and ninety-seven links (2.97); thence north seventy-three and three quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains to an elm tree about six inches in diameter, at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river; thence following down the margin of the river on the north, north-east and east, until it intersects the section and township line; thence west on said line to the place of beginning.

Also that other parcel of land beginning on the north boundary of the last above described piece at a point where the east bank of the old saw mill race enters the river, running thence northerly along the easterly bank of said race to the center of a highway running nearly east and west; thence east along the center of said highway about fifty links (50) to a stake; thence north seventeen and one-half degrees (17½°) east, seven chains and thirty-seven (7.37) links to a stake on the top of the high river bank, thence south eighty-eight degrees (88°) west, down the steep bank about fifty (50) links to a stake on the side of the old mill pond; thence down along the edge of the old mill pond and river so as to include all the old saw mill to a white oak sapling standing on the bank of the river below the said saw mill, a corner of the mill land as formerly surveyed; thence south fifty-one (51) degrees east, one chain and sixty-five (1.65) links; thence south sixteen and one-half (16½) degrees west, about two chains (2) to the margin of the river; thence down along the margin of the river to the place of beginning together with the mill privilege connected with the same.

Together with all and singular, the buildings, water power and machinery connected therewith, and all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise pertaining.

TECUMSEH, Mich., November 4th, 1885.
Terms of sale, cash.

EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

ESTATE OF LUCINDA BODINE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 23d day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lucinda Bodine, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Peter Scott, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased, the expenses of administration of said estate, thus far incurred, and all legacies, except residuary legacies, have been fully paid, and praying for the allowance of his final account, for an assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate in accordance with the provisions of said will, and for his discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 23d day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. Bulloss, Probate Register. 9c29

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of December, 1885 and on the 20th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 20th day of October A.D. 1885, are allowed by the said court for creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 20, 1885.

ALEXANDER RICHARD,
HORACE B. HOLDRIDGE,
9c29 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Charles J. Brewer, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Charles J. Brewer, late of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the sixth day of November, 1885, and on the fifth day of April, 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the fifth day of October 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 5th, 1885.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
PETER S. McKINNON,
Oct5 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joshua Kuder deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of William Kuder, in the Township of Clinton, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the tenth day of November, 1885, and on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1886, at one o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 29th day of September, A. D. 1885, are allowed by said Probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated October 1st, 1885.

GEORGE HOWELL,
HUMBOLT PENNINGTON,
oct8 Commissioners.

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OUR CLUB LIST FOR 1886.

Fully recognizing the tendency of the times towards lower prices, we have decided to adopt a club system in lieu of premiums. Subscriptions for any newspaper or magazine published will be taken at reduced rates, but our regular special club list will be short and sweet.—Nearly every subscriber to the HERALD also takes the Detroit Free Press, the Detroit Tribune or the Michigan Farmer. We shall furnish these papers clubbed with the HERALD at the following rates:

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Herald and Free Press	2.00
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The following from the Chattanooga Times shows the conservative tendency of one of the leading papers of the South.

The official head of the party has the chance of honorably doing what he can to reform the civil service and thus hold the confidence and goodwill of the great mass of educated, honorable, non-office hunting people, or a surrender to the leaders of the slums, and the day he should make the surrender would be the practical end of Democratic ascendancy. Democracy can hold its own by giving the country better and cleaner government. It would be both humiliating and disgraceful to surrender, abandon duty and go back on honorable pledges. If the party must be put out let it be for doing its duty and standing by its promises.

The New York Evening Post publishes the following communication from a workingman:

I saw in yesterday's Evening Post that the free traders and revenue reformers who meet on the 11th and 12th insts. at Chicago are to deal chiefly with the duties on raw materials, which I think is proper; to commence at the foundation. Every cent of duty on raw materials is at the expense of the workingman.

People also should know that a tariff "for revenue only," which few ordinary men understand, means to tax the people to support the government only, while the amiable sounding word "protection" means to concentrate the result of labor in the hands of the few at the expense of the many. We have "free trade" already, but only in one article—i. e., so-called cheap pauper labor, imported by the thousands to compete with American labor.

Of the civil service law the Albany Argus, which is supposed to represent Secretary Manning, has recently said:

"Civil service reform has come to stay. There will be no halt, no backward step, under the present administration. The offices have grown to such an extent and the desire to hold office has become so general that some barrier has become necessary to protect the appointing power. The present system may have its imperfections. Time and experience will correct them. The proper course for all Democratic newspapers to pursue is to encourage bright young Democrats to attend the examinations. If they do this and pass they are sure to receive appointments. The purification of the public service can only be accomplished by the presence of capable, proved officials, not mere political workers who regard the offices of the government as theirs on account of partisan services."

Among the many telegrams received by Robert McKinstry, congratulating him upon his appointment as Pension agent at Detroit, was one from his friend Robert Hill, of Chicago, who closes as follows: "Your appointment is the first recognition of the rank and file within the memory of man. God bless Gen. Black." There is much truth in this sentence. Private soldiers were thought good enough to fight for their country, but after the war they had to take a back seat, and the officers got all the fat positions. And so it has been ever since. One seldom hears of a private soldier holding an office where the salary amounts to anything, and in fact they are pretty generally ignored when it comes to holding an office of any kind, and the sooner the present administration begins to recognize the private soldiers in the distribution of offices, the longer will be its lease of power, in our humble opinion.—Adrian Press.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14, 1885.

Since his inauguration the President has issued no order that has occasioned so much talk as the one excluding office seekers and their advocates from the White House. Senators and Members of the House have so long been used to going to the President with great delegations of office seekers, that the sudden change was quite a shock. The office-seekers themselves, however, and not Senators and Members, are those who most severely criticise the order.—Congressmen do not relish being ordered to stay away from the White House when their business is patronage, but a majority of them are not very anxious about their place hunting friends. They find in the order a new excuse for avoiding responsibility in looking after them.

The sergeant in command of the messengers in the main ante-room of the White House was asked if Senators and Members would be required to say if their business was of a private or public nature before being permitted to go up-stairs. "It is my duty," said he, "to require them to state whether their business is public or not." But suppose they refuse?—"Then their cards will not be sent up."

The President's tri-weekly midday public receptions are new features in life at the White House. It has been customary for Presidents, after the official hour for receiving was over, to open the executive office up-stairs, and let the crowd rush through. The President's coming down to the East Room accommodates a much larger number of people in a more comfortable manner than the old way. The callers at these receptions are mainly brides and grooms, foreign and native tourists. They usually enter the main ante-room of the White House tiptoeing with nervous respectfulness, scarcely talking above an awe-stricken whisper. In answer to inquiries the attendants solemnly point them to the East Room. They enter this and stand or sit around admiring its beautiful furniture and decorations until Sergeant Dinsmore throws open a pair of folding doors, and the red portieres in front of them. Then President Cleveland, buttoned up in a tightly fitting black frock coat, appears. He comes just inside of the room, so that he can retire the instant he wishes. A police officer takes a position just back of the sergeant.—The crowd then moves up, and the hand shaking begins.

A delegation of philanthropists has been here to interview the President on the question of the nation's treatment of her Indian wards. It would be difficult to conceive how any new point or original proposition could be made on a topic to which public attention has been called from every standpoint and from all sources. Mr. Cleveland listened to arguments older than the oldest Indian, and concurred in all that was said. He then added that he was ready to act whenever he was convinced of what was the first and best thing to do. If his callers could point out a good, sound, just, practical starting, he would start there. His visitors had outlined a theoretical program, the execution of which would involve years of effort, but they had not pointed to the first step, and he insisted that the first step was the one he would have to take.

The President intimated, however, that he hoped to make a beginning in the right direction, during the remaining years of his administration. The delegation, consisting of General Fisk, Rev. Lyman Abbott, Hon. Erastus Brooks, and others, then went to the Interior Department and had a long interview with Secretary Lamar. The latter said among other things, he was impressed with the belief that the christian religion was the instrumentality for the elevation of this race. But the Indian could not stand to be thrown out unprotected into the civilization of the country. He should be improved from one condition to another. The interests of the white people would be conserved by making the Indian a citizen, and giving him the right of suffrage. After swallowing 4,000,000 black slaves and digesting that mass pretty well, we should not strain at this. Still Secretary Lamar thought to make the Indian a citizen at present would be a sad service to him, and that there would be little of him left if it were done suddenly. Those who were ready for civilization he would push on, and those who were not he would protect.

Following the custom of recent years, Harper's Magazine for December is especially a Christmas Number. It may fairly be said to be the most brilliant number ever issued. Among its contributors are George William Curtis, Charles Dudley Warner, W. D. Howells, Constanse Fenimore Woolson, Charles Egbert Craddock, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, Edwin Arnold, William Black, R. D. Blackmore, Geo. H. Boughton, Brander Matthews, C. P. Cranch, and W. H. Gibson, and the illustrations are from such artists as Abbey, Reinhart, Boughton, Gibson, Calderon, Pyle, Fredericks, Dielman, and Smedley. The number contains nineteen full-page engravings.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Free mail delivery for Battle Creek is assured.

Knights of labor claim 100 members at Negaunee.

Improvements the past summer at Allegan foot up $40,000.

Within two weeks John Wilmot, of Caro, has buried three children.

Traveling men assert business is improving in all parts of the state.

Muskegon brewery spoils $15,000 worth of revenue stamps a year.

Quincy has lately formed a reading club to be known as the Longfellow club.

Mrs. E. Evans, wife of a leading Hastings merchant, has become insane.

Ed. Otto, Battle Creek, had his left hand crushed at Port Huron coupling cars.

The Lewis art collection of 723 pictures, fills six large rooms at the University.

The two Saginaws are agitating the connection of the cities by a street car line.

W. A. Shank has sold the Barry Co. Republican to Horace Watkins and given possession.

Ex-Councilman S. C. Watson begins libel suit, against the Detroit News, claiming $25,000 damages.

Notwithstanding the sad fate which recently overtook one Ypsilanti band another organization is being effected.

More than 1,200 persons have been added to the Catholic church at Kalamazoo since the beginning of the great revival.

About 100 buildings have been erected in Northville within the past two years. A roller process flouring mill is now in course of construction.

Jacob Seligman, of East Saginaw, has sold an English syndicate his ranch in Colorado of 7,500 head of cattle, 3,500 acres of grazing land, and a lease for 11,500 acres more, for $215,500, cash.

A session of the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., of Michigan, was held at Marquette last week, Judge S. S. Fallas, Cadillac, presiding in the absence of Grand Master E. H. Whitney, of Lansing.

Under a Grand Rapids hotel building a tin box was found last week in which, among other curiosities, was a copy of the Detroit Free Press of Aug. 18, 1856. The paper was in a good state of preservation.

People don't die in Bellevue now.—The victims are "touched by the unseen hand of the death angel and spirits are released from pain and borne to rest." It's usually just as fatal as the old kind.

Thomas Conlin, of Grand Rapids, was drilling headstones last week when one of the stones exploded, one piece of rock striking Conlin under the eye and another in the breast.—His injuries are severe, but not fatal.

Last week at Holland, Jans Vanrij's boy pointed a loaded gun at his two sisters lying in bed. The thing was done as a joke, and of course, the gun was discharged. One girl was shot in the elbow, the other through the arm. But the boy lives.

A Lansing woman and her eight children were discovered the other day all dangerously ill of typhoid fever. The mother and three children occupied one bed; the five others were compelled to lie on the floor.—The mother and one child have died.

At the Kalamazoo mission Thursday night Rev. Father Cook was announced for a sermon on "Is There a Hell?" but the weather being particularly disagreeable the theme was changed at the last moment, and the good father discoursed on the "Mercies of God."

Rev. A. E. Bolster, of the Howard City Freewill Baptist church believes in an absolutely free gospel, and will hereafter accept, as payment in full every week, the amounts placed in a box at the entrance of the church.—The longer Brother Bolster lives the more he'll find out.

Three years ago W. M. Mayo, of Byron township, Kent county, broke his leg, and the bones were set by Dr. Philander B. Wright. Mr. Mayo did not like the style of the work, and brought suit against the doctor, alleging malpractice and claiming $25,000 damages. A jury awarded the victim $1,000.

Lafayette E. Lyon, of Pittsford, Hillsdale county, 29 years old, a Republican and a merchant, is tired of single harness existence, and announces his ability to support a wife if the right sort will make her wants and wishes known. Lafayette says his highest ambition is to get married.—And probably some girl will tumble to his racket.

John Daut is a crank hermit, living near Montague. For 15 years Daut has lived alone in the woods, and he appears to be in constant fear lest some one should harm him. The old man's bedroom is a genuine arsenal, being supplied with no less than ten shot guns and other weapons of defense, and peep-holes have been bored to enable him to see just who is approaching his hut when the dog gives warning.

OBITUARY.

MRS. LILLIE J. ENOS.

Rarely have the sympathies of this community been more deeply moved than they are just now by the succession of afflictions that have fallen to the lot of Mr. Elmore Adams and Mr. Sanford Enos, and their families. For some time past it has been known that Mrs. Williams, the mother of Mrs. Enos and Mr. Adams, could not long remain with us. But little did anyone anticipate that Mrs. Enos, who was in excellent health, would be first to go.

There came to the saddened home a little baby boy. His coming was welcomed as a ray of light, in the midst of the shadows. But soon this light faded out, and it seemed darker than before.

In a short time after alarming symptoms began to appear, and the painful word went round that Mrs. Enos might not live. All that skill and love could do did not avail to preserve her treasured life; and on Thursday, the 22d, at twenty minutes of ten P. M., she fell asleep. The shock of this great sorrow was hard for the well ones to endure, but to Mrs. Williams it proved very prostrating, and she sank rapidly.

It was arranged to have the funeral on Sunday afternoon, at 2:30, at the house. The friends assembled in large numbers, and found that they had not only come to a funeral, but also to the bedside of the dying.

It was touching to view the young mother, robed for the grave, looking down with a loving smile, upon the little one nestling in her bosom,—it was death relaxing his severity, and suggesting the tenderest thing in life. That smile seemed to say: this on my heart is my darling. The Father had so ruled that they were not divided.

Mrs. Lillie J. Enos was born in Tecumseh, Mich., June 18th, 1854. The death of her father left her an orphan at an early age. She graduated at the High School, Beloit, in 1873. She afterwards taught school, and for about four years was book-keeper at the Beloit Straw Board Mill. In this position she made many friends, as was attested by the beautiful floral harp, the gift of the employes of the Mill, and their presence in a body at the funeral, wearing badges of mourning.

She was married to Sanford C. Enos July 9th, 1881.

Mrs. Enos was most highly esteemed by those who knew her long and intimately. She was naturally retiring and conscientious, her piety was of a deep and undemonstrative type, she was faithful and constant in duty, her gifts, especially that of song, and her consecration of them, made her eminently helpful in the Baptist church, to which for years she has belonged.

On the day before her death as her friends gathered tearfully around her it was to listen to such inspired words as only a true, believing soul can utter. Her countenance shown with a heavenly light; her words came one by one between her breathings, as she spoke of peace, of the changed prospect, and gently pressed us to believe that all was well. She seemed glad when, to her question, her broken-hearted husband answered that he could say "Thy will be done."

After prayer at her bedside, and as her friends arose, the ruddy morning sun shone out above the clouds, and bathed the room in light. Her words broke the stillness in the language of the missionary hymn—

The morning light is breaking
The darkness disappears.

O, it was not the "valley of the shadow," although it was the valley of death! And with grateful hearts we recalled the apostles' exclamation—

"O death, where is thy sting?
O grave, where is thy victory?"

"I have been so anxious," said she, "to see the sun once more, and look up into the sky."

Up to that cloudless sky she has now gone, leaving in our memories, as a precious rallying point of hope, her parting words—"Who can count the white angles? Sanford, listen!"

With many tears we laid her to rest, her babe upon her bosom, on the quiet Sunday afternoon, Oct. 25th; joyfully remembering that "He that hath the bride is the Bridegroom," and that "they that fell asleep in Jesus, will God bring with Him." F. A. M.

MRS. SARAH BOARDMAN WILLIAMS

Was born in Charelmont, Mass., in 1831. She married Jerome Adams in 1850 and moved to Texas in 1860 where her husband died in 1862. She moved north in 1867 and resided in Tecumseh, Mich., for two years. In 1869 she was married to Mr. I. Williams and they came to Beloit in 1869, living here until 1878 when they went to Minneapolis. Mr. Williams died in 1883, and Mrs. Williams came at once to this city and made her home here until her death on Oct. 25th, 1885. Mr. Elmore J. Adams, and Mrs. Lillie Adams Enos were her only children. Her noble characteristics have been spoken of, and wherever she was known she will be remembered with pleasure, and not soon be forgotten.

Mrs. Williams, mentioned above, was a sister of John Fisher, of Clinton. Her first husband Jerome Adams, was a brother of Mrs. O. B. DeWolf, of this village, and Mrs. Enos, *nee* Lillie Adams, was Mrs. DeWolf's niece. Both of these parties lived in Tecumseh many years ago and will be remembered by several of our older settlers. It is rarely that one family is visited with so much affliction is so brief a time.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

For December closes the eighteenth volume of this well known favorite magazine with a table of contents which is attractive and timely. It is especially rich in portraits, containing the Rev. R. T. Thornton, the English cricketing parson; the late Earl of Shaftersbury; Bishop Maclagan, of Lichfield, England, and a view of the Cathedral; Bishop Wadsworth, the new Bishop of Salisbury, England; the Rev. Moses A. Hopkins, the newly appointed Colored Minister to Liberia; Among the other articles are "Old St. Joseph's," of Philadelphia; "The home and Grave of Anthony Wayne," Gounod's "Mors et Vita," and many bright short articles, stories and poems. Published by MRS. FRANK LESLIE, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York city, at 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year, postpaid.

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A Word to the Wise is Sufficient.

THE LOW PRICED DRY GOODS HOUSE,

Sutton, Fairfield & Co.

'85 Art Garland. '85

We have on our floor a full line of those celebrated base burners. Their wonderful success of last season has led others to attempt to imitate; beware, a careful comparison and examination will be sufficient to satisfy all of their established superiority.

The Round Oak.

Although it has hundreds of imitators, it still LEADS as the most successful wood heater manufactured. Remember that by a few dollars additional cost, the "Round Oak" can at any time be converted into a first-class self-feeding coal stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS. & BOYD.

GREAT SALE
Of Fine and Medium
FURNITURE

During the Next Six Weeks I will make prices that will be sure to move a large portion of my present stock. I want a

Few Thousand Dollars in Cash Immediately.

I would kindly inform those that have unsettled accounts on my books I would like a settlement at once. I can't chase after you, but will send statement through the mail.

My Undertaking Department is Complete

And prices Very Reasonable.

WM. McCOWEN.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO RAISIN TAX-PAYERS. I will be at Bill's Bank, Tecumseh, Fridays, and at Lenawee Co. Savings Bank, Adrian, on Saturdays, to receive taxes.
FRANKLIN E. SMITH,
Treasurer

GOOD HOUSE TO RENT.—One dollar per week. Apply to A. W. SLAYTON.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co. are on prices this week. Read their new ard.

Miss Lena Ford and Miss Rda May Cloverall visited friends in Jackson, last week.

The rink will be open Thanksgiving afternoon and evening, with music at both sessions.

A race is talked of between Harry Corbin and Ward, of Ypsilanti, at the rink in the near future.

The Patterson has a new clerk, Mr. Cory Lickider, of Sidney, Ohio, formerly in the Wagner House of that place.

Rev. Mr. Barnes, of Adrian has bought Geo. VanTyne's house in this village and will take possession in the spring.

Al. Heesen and Fred Burtis, will skate a race of one mile at the rink next Saturday evening, for a purse of money.

J. J. Daly, Tecumseh's hard pan shoe dealer, is selling more goods than ever this fall, and at prices that cannot fail to please.

Beginning with Thanksgiving an admission of 10 cents will be charged everyone at the rink, and 15 cents for skates, same as last season.

Be sure and attend John Wilson's raffle for chickens and oysters at Dew Drop hall, Pennington's corners, on Wednesday afternoon and evening of next week, Nov. 25th.

The Clinton Chapter R. A. M. held a special meeting followed by a supper last Tuesday evening. Quite a number of visiting brethren were present from Manchester, Tecumseh and Ridgeway. A Tecumseh team, Geo. A. Kies, Joseph H. Smith and John J. Orr, took the Royal Arch degree.

The Evening Record is making a commendable effort to boom Adrian. The Record is entitled to much credit for this manifestation of enterprise and grit, but we fear that its self-imposed task will prove as fruitless as that of the Salvation Army. The passage of a camel through a needle's eye is as likely an occurrence as the conversion of an editor, or the reformation of an old fogy.

Last night between one and two o'clock the fire bell gave the alarm of fire. Upon arriving at the scene of the fire it was found to be the house of Geo. Curtis. Mr. Will Scofield occupied a part of the house where the fire first seemed to originate. Mr. Scofield was in the country and intended moving yesterday, but rain prevented. The fire company responded promptly and succeeded in saving the main part, also most of the household goods. At 6:30 this morning the bell again sounded and upon investigating, fire had broken out again in the same house. The department again responded and soon succeeded in extinguishing the flames. The grounds and house were very wet and consequently the fire was pretty well controlled. Had it been a dry night, the wind was such it would have taken everything in its range.

A NEW COAL AND LUMBER FIRM.

On Monday last, the new firm of S. W. Temple & Son was organized, Mr. S. W. Temple having taken into partnership his son, H. M. Temple. The new firm start out under the most favorable auspices. The senior member opened a lumber yard in this village twenty two years ago, and no man in this section has had a wider experience in the lumber trade than he. Mr. H. M. Temple has had several year's schooling in his father's office and is one of our most promising young business men. We predict that the new firm will prove a strong and successful one.

They now have control of the Brick Planing Mill recently under lease to the Tecumseh Lumber Co. This mill is fitted throughout with the latest and most approved machinery, dry kilns, and other facilites for the manufacture of sash, doors, blinds and mouldings, and turns out only first class work. They will also carry a large and complete stock of lumber, lath and shingles, and will continue their coal trade as heretofore. Their business office will continue to be in the present location, Shawnee street, and the wood building east of office on same street will be used as a painting and glazing room and for storage of finished work. Both partners will give their entire time and attention to the business, Mr. S. W. Temple having general charge of the outside work while Bert will keep the books and superintend the office. Mr. M. W. Goodrich will fill the position of engineer; W. A. Burlingame will act as foreman in the planing and matching department; P. C. Temple will be the foreman of the sash and blind department. With these foremen, and a good number of competent assistants, we predict for the new firm a large and constantly increasing patronage.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 19, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Fred Landgraf, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Get your tax receipts printed at the HERALD job rooms.

We're cousins now, ain't we? Your cousin married my cousin.

Mrs. James Wilson, of Detroit, *nee* Miss Minnie Sutton, is visiting her parents here.

Mrs. Jas. Glasgow who sprained her wrist seriously last week is rapidly improving.

James Cassady and Frank Snedicor, of Dundee, were in town Monday and gave us a call.

Levi Martin has bought out David Watson's milk business and is again driving the old milk wagon.

J. A. Kelley, of Eureka, Minn., is in town, and is going to spend the winter in Tecumseh and vicinity.

Small pox has increased in Montreal to such an extent that even the cats are afflicted with the epidemic.

A. W. Slayton started for New York city on business last Monday. He expects to be gone about ten days.

Mrs. Ira Pennock has been treating her residence to a new shingle roof and otherwise improving the property.

Steady employment this winter on salary is offered in another column by B. L. Clark & Co., of Geneva. They are a reliable firm.

Dr. R. B. House and wife returned from their southern trip last Friday. They were gone about a week and enjoyed themselves very much.

The Clinton Independent is now printed by steam power, having purchased a gasoline engine manufactured by Olds & Son, of Lansing.

Wheeler's brass quartette makes a fine addition to the Universalist choir. The music of this choir for the past two Sundays has been exceptionally good.

Mat Root sent in his first order for flour last week, being an order for three thousand barrels from a firm at Atlanta, Ga. Mat is traveling for the Globe mills.

P. C. Mills, of Adrian, came to Tecumseh last Saturday and remained over the Sabbath with his son Adelbert. He has entirely recovered from his rheumatism.

The ladies' social of the Universalist church will meet at Mrs. Nay's, one mile north of the village, on the Newburg road, this afternoon and evening. All are invited.

Township treasurers will find it to their advantage to get their tax receipts printed at this office. Receipts are put up in any form desired and bound in books if so ordered.

We invite special attention to our large stock of Seal Plush Sacques, extra quality plush, perfect fitting, and extremely low prices.
W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

Peter Phelps has been shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends for the past week. He is filling a position in Hon. Peter White's bank at Marquette, Mich. He starts to-morrow for Chicago and thence to Omaha to visit his brother David, from which place he will return to Marquette.

We are under obligations to Mr. J. A. Kelly for a copy of the Hastings, Minn., Daily Gazette. It is a four page three column sheet and sells for ten cents a week. It is one-fourth the size of the Adrian Record and sells for the same price. These western towns "push" the newspaper business the same as other kinds of business.

The brass quartette, assisting the choir at the Universalist church, was highly complimented by many after the evening service last Sunday, for their excellent music. It consists of a soprano cornet, L. F. Wheeler, alto cornet Harry Tansley, tenor Walter Heck, baritone John Tansley. The quartette may win success by thorough practice.

A Thanksgiving Sunday school concert will be given in the South Macon Reformed church, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th, at 7:30 o'clock.—All are invited to be present. Also a concert will be given on Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 26th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Reformed church at Pennington's Corners. A cordial invitation to be present is extended to the public.

Mr. Andrew Wilson returned last week from Arkansas City, Kansas, where he has been enjoying a four weeks' visit with his son-in-law, Edward Learnard. Arkansas City is a growing town in Cowley county, which is the fifth county west from the Missouri state line in the southern tier. The village is only five miles from the Indian territory, and during his visit Mr. Wilson took a tour down among the Indians. He is very favorably impressed with that portion of Kansas, and says it is destined to grow into a magnificent farming country. He brought back a few specimens of Missouri pippins raised down there, which were magnificent apples. Mr. Learnard and also his father, Hiram, have fine farms there, and are doing well.

C. D. Bills was in town over Sunday.

Charlie Arnold, of Adrian, was in town last Tuesday,

C. A. Sharp, wife and son, went to Manchester Tuesday.

Chas. A. Everett went to Adrian on business last Monday.

Editor Carr, of the Dundee Reporter was in town last Saturday.

Telephone manager, J. W. Mason, was in town last Tuesday on business.

Mrs. S. W. DeLano went to Rome, N. Y., last week to visit friends there.

Another freight train will be put on the Jackson branch at an early day.

John Heck went to Hillsdale last Monday to attend a convention of millers.

G. P. Sparks has just received a large invoice of new White Sewing Machines.

Miss Eva Perry returned Friday from a three weeks visit at Marshall and Albion.

L. F. Wheeler will probably present one of his stereopticon entertainments in Clinton at an early day.

The "Golden Temple" was taken to Jackson last Monday, where they will exhibit it several weeks.

Next Thursday will be Thanksgiving Day. We shall be ready for that live turkey about Wednesday evening next.

Regular communication of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., to-morrow evening. A full attendance is requested.

At last the carpenters and masons are at work on the old Soper building, rigging it into a feed stable for the convenience of the public.

J. S. Kinney's hearse went to the "Junction", Nearing's, in Cambridge, to attend the funeral of a Mrs. Furgeson, on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. A. D. Lawrence started for N. Orleans yesterday morn'g, where she expects to remain during the winter. She was accompanied by Miss Nellie Baker.

John White, of Clinton, harvested four parsnips in his garden last week that measured 9 feet in length and weighed 11½ pounds, after being washed and dressed.

C. L. Lester, an old Tecumseh boy, but now of Lansing, was married yesterday to a Miss Sprague of that place. Spencer Lester, a brother, went to that place Tuesday.

Chas. Crossman, who has been working at the Lilley House for a short time, started Monday morning for Detroit, where he has secured a good position. Success to him. His place has been filled by Fred. Chase.

Pitcher & Billington will give a Thanksgiving party at Knapp's hall, Tipton, on Wednesday evening next. Music by Baker's quadrille band. Bill only $1,00. Go and enjoy yourselves.

The Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian churches will hold Union Thanksgiving services next week.—Services will be held at the Baptist church at 10-30 a. m. Sermon by Rev. T. G. Potter.

Thanksgiving services in the Universalist church on Thanksgiving Day at 11 o'clock. a. m., Thursday, Nov. 26th. The music will be of a fine order, as the brass quartette will assist, and it is expected that many if not all of the members of Beers' Post, No. 140, will be present.

Last Monday, being the 10th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kies, a party assembled to give them a good old surprise. A fine time was enjoyed by all. One of the presents was a large elegant tin hat for Mr. Kies, which we hope to see him wear to and fro from his business place.

C. S. Crane, of St. Louis, was in town two or three days last week,—Charley has a good place in the Passenger department of the Wabash Railway, at St. Louis, which keeps him at home pretty closely and he seldom visits his old Tecumseh friends. His daughter, Jessie, who has been spending several weeks here returned home with him.

A goodly number of the relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Everhart, assembled at their residence north east of the village last evening to assist them in celebrating the fifth anniversary of their wedded life. The weather was stormy enough without, but mirth and gaiety reigned within. A bountiful repast was served and an evening's social enjoyment passed which will linger long in the memory of those present. The host and hostess were the recipients of many useful and beautiful gifts.

On Thursday, the 12th inst., the family of Mr. Andrew Wilson met at the residence of Mr. John J. Freeman, Mrs. Freeman being a daughter of Mr. Wilson, to hold their annual reunion. There were twenty one present, all the children and grandchildren except two, they having moved into Southern Kansas a year ago. A bountiful dinner was served at one o'clock, after which the afternoon was very pleasantly spent in recounting the scenes of childhood and youth on the old farm. Truly such gatherings are bright places along the pathway of life.

Mrs. M J. Bigelow starts for Delavan, Wis., this afternoon, where she will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Saxton.

Subscribers who wish to pay for their paper in wood are requested to bring it along at once. We need fuel and need it right off.

We are in receipt of a copy of the "War Cry," the official gazette of the Salvation Army. It is a blood and thunder sheet and fitly represents the "motley array" whose organ it is.

Fadover kindly informs us that Mrs. Fadover says, that a big storm is brewing way up in Montana and that a flood will be due in this latitude next week. Turkeys should roost high until the next new moon.

Babcock & Nichols will give a social party at Exelby's Hall, Britton, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th. Music by Hubbard's orchestra. Bill only $1.25 for both supper and dance.—Here is the place to prepare for a Thanksgiviag dinner.

Mr. Price, of Berlin, Ill., loses the post office because he is a Republican, but his wife is appointed to the place because she is a Democrat. If more domestic arrangements of this sort could be made, either side could be offensively partisan and yet not run the risk of allowing the office to go out of the family.

THREE HOURS AT ONSTED.

We paid Onsted a brief visit last Saturday afternoon, stopping there between two trains, and found that bustling little burg all right side up with care.

The first business after our arrival was to hunt up some place to get dinner, and we found exactly the right place at the Evergreen House, kept by D. A. Sickner. Mr. Sickner's place is located near the depot on the south side and is conveniently near the railroad. The landlady knows how to manage a hotel kitchen, for the meals are both wholesome and substantial. Mr. Sickner furnishes a good many basket dinners for both train men and passengers on the M. & O. road.

Robert L. Glenn, the new postmaster, has been conducting the postoffice about two weeks, and already handles the mail like a veteran. He has provided a large number of additional boxes, and now has over one hundred, including six lock boxes. From what we saw and heard during our visit we believe Mr. Glenn will give excellent satisfaction in his new position.

Wilson Lee & Son deal in boots and shoes and groceries, and are building up a good trade. W. B. Lee, the young man, has lately become a member of the firm, which does'nt hurt it any. Lewis Priest, a former knight of the awl at Ridgeway, has a bench in Lee's store, and faithfully repairs the damaged soles of the good people of Onsted.

Charles & Marsh have got nicely started in the hardware business, and are well satisfied with the outlook thus far. They are practical hardware men and will undoubtedly succeed.

C. E. Marshall is still running the blacksmith shop here, and rejoices in the patronage of a long list of good paying customers.

J. E. Gibbs, the former postmaster, has a fine business, and proposes to sell goods as cheap as ever, if he is an ex-official. He has the satisfaction of knowing that he gave satisfaction while holding the office.

We took a ride out to father Wooden's and found him in good health. Frank Darling, his son-in-law, is now living at Mr. Wooden's. We made arrangements with Frank to canvass for the HERALD, and he is authorized to take subscriptions for us in Cambridge, north Rome and eastern Woodstock. We shall present a new Singer Sewing Machine, as a premium, to the first 100 subscribers taken by him.

While there we met Samuel Morey, with whom we got acquainted during the canvass for the M. & O. road, and enjoyed a chat with him. Saw Chauncey Cooper also, and condoled with him a few moments over his rheumatism.

Geo. A. Monaghan, a Tecumseh boy, son of the late Geo. C. Monaghan, is teaching school in the Wooden dist. He taught the Spring term there, and gave such good satisfaction that he was re-engaged for the entire year, beginning with the present fall term.

F. D. Avery is teaching the Onsted school, and has one of the best schools in Cambridge. He is an old teacher and has wielded the birch in the same district before.

Dr. G. W. Ross is building up a nice practice. He has a fine office on the north side, keeps a good horse, is well posted in his profession and has an extended ride.

W. B. Knapp, a former citizen of Tecumseh, now lives at Onsted and likes his new home first rate.

We were in Onsted again on Monday to close up our arrangement with F. W. Darling, but we had very little time to circulate around on that day.

Taken all in all, Onsted has already grown to be a lively, bustling little country village, and unless present appearances are very deceitful, it is destined to have a good business future.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

Battle Creek will have a free postal delivery system after Jan. 1st next.

Daniel Root, Hudson's sugar man, has closed his sorghum mill for the season.

A Hudson man has come to the front with a radish that weighs 12½ pounds.

The Blissfield Advance nominates Tom Applegate, of the Adrian Times, for governor.

J. Jay. Villers, the funniest man in America will open the Hudson high school lecture course.

The Baptist church, of Morenci, holds five cent pop corn socials, and they are immensely popular.

An amateur dramatic club has been organized at Blissfield. Blissfield's theatrical talent must have an outlet in some way.

A. C. Bartholomew, of Blissfield, is building a new house which will be the handsomest residence in the village when completed.

O. E. Hawkins has sold the Milan Journal to N. W. Wilcox, who assumed charge of the paper last week. Mr. Hawkins will hereafter conduct the Saline Observer.

The new Grange hall at Jasper was dedicated on Thursday of last week with appropriate exercises. There were a large attendance, an interesting program and a bountiful repast.

The Ogden cor. of the Blissfield Advance says:

What a pity it is, so many Republicans in Ogden, and the Times has a Democratic correspondent. Comments are not needed.

Brooklyn has a cemetery association, or did have one once. The association is now so dead that they talk of giving it an official burial and erecting a monument over its remains.

Postmaster Schermerhorn took possession of the Hudson office on Tuesdry of last week. Ham. Grenell is his deputy and Miss Marian Goodrich will have charge of the general delivery and call boxes.

The Adrian Record says there is some prospect of the revival of the "spellin'" epidemic in that city. If it should prove an antidote to the Salvation Army, the infliction would be turned into a blessing.

The salvation army has moved on Tecumseh and expects to corner the devil up and fight him there.—Manchester Enterprise.

The Enterprise has been correctly informed. For further particulars enquire of the editor of the News.

Priest Bros., of this place, have invented and are manufacturing a folding chair which is very neat in design and handsome in finish. They have already manufactured quite a number, which were sold as fast as they could be got ready.—Clinton Local.

A couple of twelve-year old boys of the village thought they were smart enough to battle alone in this world and left their homes Tuesday morning. Wednesday night they returned thoroughly convinced that there is "no place like home."—Blissfield Advance.

On Saturday last Frank Palmer, of Bridgewater, came to the Enterprise office and announced that he had a wagon load of big pumpkins, cabbages, squashes, turnips, corn, apples, etc., which was exhibited at the November meeting of the farmers' club, which was held at his farm house the day before, and said that he had been instructed to bring it to the Enterprise office.—Manchester Enterprise.

Friend Blosser will live high for the next few weeks. We know of no one who better deserves high living or who can enjoy it more.

There seems to be a little trouble brewing in Rome, over an award of a cane to the laziest Roman of them all. The stick was gived by the judges to Hiram Kivenburg. Subsequently Will Teachout filed a motion to quash the proceedings, on the ground that being too lazy to get to the entertainment an unfair advantage was taken of his absence. This information is derived from the Press, and therefore we do not vouch for it. In fact we rather think it is a lie.—Adrian Record.

"Long looked for; come at last." The new directory of the city, compiled and published by Mr. Henry H. Chapin, is at last born, and a copy has been laid on our table. It is well printed and bound, appears to have been carefully collated, and is a book which none of our business men can afford to be without. Counted by the directory standard, Mr. Chapin gives Adrian a population of 12,000, and that is a good deal nearer the actual population of the place than any previous enumeration we have had.—Adrian Times.

Purchasers of Bohemian oats were called upon this week by a gentleman from Ohio, who claimed to hold notes against them for various amounts. Certain ones paid their obligations with much reluctance, while others refused to settle, claiming the notes were given without valuable consideration. We understand the matter will be contested in the courts.—Blissfield Advance.

Pay your Bohemian notes like men, gentlemen. Don't plead the baby act. You went into this speculation with your eyes wide open. Now pay up. You may be poorer, that is true, but you will know a good deal more hereafter.

James Cook, of Adrian, was in town yesterday on business.

Jas. W. Patterson has bought Horace Eaton's milk business.

Clarence B. Andrews, of Adrian spent Sunday with H. M. Temple.

The Exchange Hotel is now enjoying a good patronage under the efficient management of Ed. Soper.

Frank S. Wilson received the gold-headed cane put up by A. S. Doty to the man who bought the largest number of cigars in 60 days.

The G. A. R. Post will hold a social and oyster supper at their new quarters over Sparks' music store to-morrow evening. First call at six o'clock. Everybody invited.

Mrs. E. N. Nichols had a fall one day last week and fractured one of her hips. She is getting along as well as could be expected, but fears are entertained that she may not recover, as she is over 80 years of age.

The salvation army opened up in Tecumseh last Saturday night. In making the announcement the HERALD says: "Full particulars in our next." If Stacy is not particular, he may get full before that time.—Hudson Post.

While at Detroit one day last week, we called at J. W. Fales & Co.'s establishment where we found Lavern Ide and had a brief but very pleasant chat with him. He is now their head book-keeper at a good salary, and has become a permanent fixture in the establishment. He has just finished the work on a new residence for his own family.

Thos. S. Boyd, a son of John Boyd of Macon, is still with Savage & Farnam of Detroit, where he has been located for the past four or five years. The other day while in Detroit we had occasion to call at Savage & Farnam's on business, and had a pleasant visit with Mr. Boyd. He boards at the same house with Eugene Clarkson, also of Macon, who is taking a course of law study in Detroit.

FALL POETRY.

Fall is here, 'tis very clear,
We know it by the weather;
Bad roads and cloudy days
Tend not to make us clever.

But call on me and see
If candies, cigars and taffy
An oyster stew or good *square* meal
Will not make you happy?

At Rawson's—Eccles' old stand.

—If you want an extra article of pure Buckwheat Flour, you can find it at C. A. Slayton's.

—WOOD WANTED—Ten cords of four foot wanted either soft or hard. Enquire at the HERALD office.

—Have you noticed the fine display of Cutters at C. A. Slayton's? Large stock. Low prices. Now is the time to go in and select one.

—Lumber, lumber, lumber.
Shingles, shingles, shingles.
Sash, sash, sash, sash.
Mouldings, mouldings, mouldings.
Paints, paints, paints, paints.
Cheap, cheap, cheap for cash.
Tecumseh Lumber Co.

—Seal Plush Sacques at $20, $24, $25, $30, $35 and $45. Do not fail to see them. W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

—Children's Cloaks, all sizes, from 3 to 16 years, at lowest possible prices.
W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

—Ho! all lovers of good bread.—Always buy Heck's White Foam Patent flour and you will never be disappointed. It will never deceive you. It is the best.

—Lumber of all kinds, lath and shingles, cheaper than ever at the new yards of the Tecumseh Lumber Co.

—Special Bargains on a few good second-hand coal stoves.
Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.

—Before buying your underwar get prices at Sutton, Fairfield & Co's.

ADAMSON BROS.,
ARE RECEIVING
NEW NOVELTIES FOR
WEDDING AND BIRTHDAY
PRESENTS.

—Your orders for Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, etc., will receive prompt attention if left at S. W. Temple's Coal Office.

—For beautiful, light, white bread, use Wm. Hayden's patent process flour.

—Leave your orders for sash, doors, blinds and mouldings with the Tecumseh Lumber Co.

—The "Globe Mills Pastry" leads all the brands of flour in this market.

—For sale cheap—A new four ton combination beam Buffalo Platform Scale. Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd.

—Leave your orders for Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, etc., at Temple's Coal Office.

—Hand made and home made Lumber Wagons and Bobs at Richart's, and cheap as sold anywhere.

—A full line of assorted colored paints, ready mixed, kept in stock by the Tecumseh Lumber Company.

—Standard Jackson Hill is the best soft coal. Try it. Sold only at S. W Temple's.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

ATTORNEYS.

EDWIN B. WOOD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Collections and conveyancing. Office over W. & S. W. Anderson's store, Tecumseh, Mich.

C. A. STACY, Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Office in Masonic Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

PHYSICIANS.

R. B. HOUSE, M.D.—Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office over Lenhart's Drug Store, Tecumseh, Mich. Residence corner Pearl and Logan sts.

C. M. WOODWARD, M.D.—Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office at Residence, Chicago st.

F. M. CONKLIN, M.D.—Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office & residence, Chicago st., Tecumseh, Mich.

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WM. DEMOUT, Dealer in Fresh and Salt Meats, Corner Chicago st. and Railroad avenue. Highest price paid for Hides and Furs. Poultry, Game and Fish in their season. Cash paid for Wool. Cash paid for Butter and Eggs, or trade for other goods. Cash paid for Hogs, Veal Calves, Sheep, etc. Cash paid for Dressed Hogs, Veal Calves, Sheep, etc. Cash paid for Tallow, Lard, Pelts, etc. Cash paid for Beef Hides, Calf Skins, Tallow, etc. Cash paid for Dry Hides, Calf Skins, Tallow, etc. Cash paid for Sheep Pelts, Tallow, etc. Cash paid for Wool, Tallow, etc

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Accom
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Petrogl	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7.55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	5 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

☞ Trains run by New Standard of 90th Meridian Time.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Coupon tickets can now be procured at this station over best routes, to all principal cities in the United States.

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WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC R. R.

Detroit & Indianapolis Division.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seloco	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Ralsin Center	10 23	10 14	4 29	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Jones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 01	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Jones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Ralsin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seloco		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 45	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 42	10 02
Montpelier		12 32	3 51	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	1 22	10 55

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Passenger Time Table.

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Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 31 Pass	No. 32 Pass	STATIONS. Central Time.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 34 Pass
P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10
6 10	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
6 04	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46
6 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
6 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
6 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
6 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 02
6 57	12 22	Devils Lake	2 51	8 51
7 00	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
7 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
7 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
7 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09
7 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
7 55	1 28	Homer	1 48	7 48
8 07	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
8 11	2 05	Marshall	1 11	7 06
8 37	2 17	Ceresco	1 00	6 40
10 15	2 36	A Battle Crk Ld	12 41	6 30
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	04	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Montcalm	11 42	
	3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 36	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 25	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 30	
	P.M. A	L	A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—Every member of the present British Cabinet is a peer or a son of a peer.

—Mules are more popular than horses for elegant equipages in Rio de Janeiro.

—There are 203,200 dogs in the kingdom of Bavaria, the tax on which amounts to $250,000.

—The Court of St. James is so called after the old Palace of St. James, where nearly all official ceremonies took place for over a hundred years.

—There are no old maids in Turkey. The system of taking wives on faith, without seeing them, is responsible for this happy state of Turkish society.

—The house where the reformer, Luther, lived after his marriage is carefully preserved at Wittenberg, Germany, in an almost unaltered condition. It contains many interesting relics.

—"Hwntws" is the name applied to the inhabitants of the South of Wales by the men of the north. The northmen have a strong dislike for a "Hwntw," and can hardly understand his dialect.

—Hearing that a gigantic gin-palace was to be erected in Westminster, Dean Bradley raised the necessary funds for the purchase of the site, and an admirable Home and Institute for Boys was opened as a result of his laudable effort.

—The largest fortunes accumulated in Ireland have been made in the liquor business. No Irish fortune approaches, in point of personality, that of the late Mr. Wyse, of Cork (£3,000,000), a distiller, save that of the late Sir B. L. Guinness—£1,200,000.

—The Swedish journal, *Norrbottens Kuriren*, states that the water is falling rapidly in the Gulf of Bothnia. A stone in the archipelago by the coast, which fifty years ago at lowest tide was barely visible above water, is now at mean tide three feet above it.

—The Hon. C. H. Strutt, M. P., who occupies several farms in Mid-Essex, England, has offered to give his laborers facilities for commencing peasant farming. He has told them that he will sublet to them as much land as they like to take at the same rent that he pays, and will lend them a horse when wanted, and give the men employment when their labor is not required on their own land.

—A Swedish engineer, Herr N. Lottiger, owner of the Eimbults Engineering Works, has invented an instrument whereby it is indicated at railway stations whether the points on the line are in working order or not. The instrument is worked by electricity, the warning of disengagements being given by means of bells; otherwise the invention is, of course, a secret. The railway authorities are satisfied with it, and permission has been given to fit the apparatus for experiments on several of the State lines.

—Of the various European countries, Germany is stated to be the best furnished with railways, having, according to the report of the French Ministry of Public Works, more than twenty-two thousand miles; next to Germany comes the Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, which possesses about nineteen thousand miles, but adds to its lines much more slowly than any of its rival nations on the Continent. France is third on the list in regard to the total extent of road, having some eighteen thousand five hundred miles; Russia next, with about sixteen thousand miles, while Austro-Hungary has thirteen thousand.

THE KIRGHIZ.

A Dreary Russian Outpost, Shut Out From the World.

A correspondent of a Russian paper, known as the *Kurier*, describes a visit to a military station on the eastern shore of the Caspian Sea. He writes: Fort Alexandrovsk, with a population of some three hundred and fifty of both sexes, presents the appearance of a single narrow street, bordered on either side with neatly-built shops and houses, lamps and high poles. A house, which at one time served as the residence of the commissariat officer, and was afterward acquired by the Government and transformed into a lazaret, forms by its lofiness an exception to the general run. The whole of the trade of the place is concentrated in the hands of Armenians from Astrakhan, among whom are to be found some wealthy individuals who derive considerable profit from the bartering trade they carry on with the Kirghiz. On rising ground overlooking this street are the Government buildings—namely, the fort, the residence of the Governor and the church; while the open space at the foot of the slope is adorned with a handsome chapel, built in commemoration of the Khiva campaign. Of vegetation there is absolutely none, with the exception, on the reverse slope of the hill, of a garden in the last stage of decay, laid out, according to report, by the poet Shercheviko during his banishment from Little Russia. The fort itself rejoices in a club and an excellent fire engine; its streets are well lit and the houses have a clean appearance. There is also a school in which the young of both sexes receive instruction. Though the society of the place is limited, yet apparently harmony reigns among its members. Almost all the necessaries of life are imported from Astrakhan and Petrovsk during the summer months. Advantage also is, of course, taken of any opportunity of the kind that presents itself during winter.

The Kirghiz occupy themselves exclusively with cattle breeding, and are, it is said, noted for their scrupulous honesty. A long, clumsily stitched cloak (kilat) and breeches of coarse camel's hair form their dress. The headgear resembles an old woman's hood, extending in rear of the neck for about seven inches in the shape of a truncated cone. According to the rank and wealth of the wearer, it is embroidered with various furs, etc. The practical object of the cone is to admit ventilation to the head through the opening. I came across a Kirghiz who had been educated at the Orenburg Academy; and he, as others in proportion as they have mixed with and become habituated to Russian ideas, apparently does his utmost to avoid being taken for what he is. The dress of the women differs but slightly from that of the men. For example, in lieu of the hood a woman covers her head with a variety of rags, bandages, etc. In the manufacture of warm and soft scarfs, cloaks, etc., out of camel's and goat's hair they show great skill and ingenuity. According to the ideas prevalent among the Kirghiz, the wife is merely a slave, bought at a certain price, and destined to bear all domestic labor. For the Kirghiz, as for all nomadic tribes, the dirty and ugly felt kibitkas serve as residences. The first thing in the kibitka that attracts the attention of the visitor is the store of provisions suspended from the roof—to wit, dried and smoked fish and horseflesh. The latter constitutes a great delicacy, and is a luxury that only the well-to-do classes can attain to. The heat and smut of Fort Alexandrovsk are inexpressible, the one sole distraction being the arrival of a ship. Even this is denied to the inhabitants in winter, when the sea is frozen. In fact, for two or three months each year there is absolutely no communication between Fort Alexandrovsk and the outer world.

PARAGUAYAN CUSTOMS.

A Plant That Blends Life and Death in Its Fibers.

In Paraguay the chief food of the people is mandioca, mate and fruit. During the war with Brazil, Argentine and Uruguay when all the cattle were slaughtered and few fields produced a harvest for several years, the people lived almost exclusively upon fruit, with which nature has so well provided the country. The orange of Paraguay, like the pine-apple of Ecuador, is said to be the best in the world, but none are exported beyond an occasional few that go to Buenos Ayres. The mandioca is a root like the yam, from which is produced the tapioca of commerce.

Life and death are blended in the mandioca plant, but every part of it, if properly treated, is useful, and it is as essential to the domestic economy of Brazil and Paraguay as rice is to China or potatoes to Ireland. It is served at every meal, from the dinner-pail of the laborer to the banquet of the President, as bread is with us. There are four species of the mandioca, but they differ only as one kind of an apple differs from another, all serving the same general purpose. The plant grows about four feet in height, somewhat resembling the tomato, although it has not so much foliage. The stalks and leaves are excellent fodder for cattle, and are often dried and used for their medicinal properties by the old women of Paraguay.

The root can be baked or boiled, like a yam or a sweet potato, but when eaten raw is a deadly poison. Thirty-five drops of the juice were once administered to a negro who was under sentence of death, as an experiment, and he died in six minutes in horrible convulsions. The poison is mysteriously removed or neutralized by the application of heat, and the root when cooked is almost pure starch and the staff of life of the people. The popular way of using it is in the form of flour. The roots are boiled and then ground in rude mills, producing a powder about the color of buckwheat flour. This is eaten raw, sprinkled upon meat or fruit, and enters into the composition of various sorts of stews and ragouts peculiar to the people.

Tapioca is a refined mandioca produced by a modern process, the flour being reduced to paste by boiling, and then allowed to crystalize. A drink called "chicha" is also made of it by soaking the flour in water and letting it ferment. It has a taste like sour milk, and one glass of it will last a lifetime, except for the native, who will drink it by the quart without injury, although it is a rapid intoxicant. The chicha of Peru is made of sugar-cane, the chicha of Chili of the first juice of the grape, and that of Paraguay of the mandioca. —*Asuncion (Paraguay) Cor. Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

The Danger of Insects' Stings.

A German medical paper tells about a girl who got diphtheria by being bitten by a hornet. A thick grayish-white scab at once formed, and fell off only the day before the first symptom of diphtheria appeared. The doctor had seen the sore, and also recognized it as a diphtheritic one, but believed it to be due to some injury, and to have assumed the diphtheritic character only when the constitutional affection set in. For it is well known that in a patient suffering from a graver form of diphtheria with decided blood-poisoning, any wound, whether made by a blister or accidentally caused, will at once develop into a diphtheritic sore and be covered with the false membrane so characteristic of this malady. Insects have so often been proven—if not the victims—the carriers of infectious virus, that the case just quoted ought not to surprise us, says the *Medical and Surgical Reporter*: "We believe that not sufficient attention has been paid to this manner of infection, and that many cases where an infectious disease seemed to have sprung up *eo ipso* would have found their explanation in just such a way as the one described. The lesson we learn from cases of this kind teaches us at once to employ locally cauterizing and strong antiseptic measures when a wound, due to the bite or sting of an insect, assumes the least suspicious or malignant character."

—The total annual consumption of tea, it is now estimated, is 3,[illegible] pounds; of coffee, 1[illegible]00,000,000 pounds; of cocoa and chocolate, 1,000,000 pounds; while similar drinks are used by less civilized nations and tribes. Tea is the favorite drink of Russia, Holland and England, the last country annually importing 100,0[illegible],000 pounds, or several pounds to each man, woman and child. —*Philadelphia Ledger.*

—Under a law granting a right of action against the party who last furnished liquor to an intoxicated person who may commit any damage, a Lawrence (Mass.) man has recovered $150 for injuries he sustained by having a drunken man fall against him.—*Boston Globe.*

As to Mrs. Grundy.

This potent personage has been allowed to rule too despotically in the feminine world, and the ladies say that it is time her tyranny received a check. But even Mrs. Grundy has dared to speak against the value of Brown's Iron Bitters as a strengthening tonic for ladies who suffer from debility. It enriches the blood and completely restores failing health. Miss Sallie L. Paules, Wrightsville, Pa., was cured by Brown's Iron Bitters of backache, kidney trouble, and liver complaint.

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The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

Careful attention to diet is the best guard against disease. It is a fact which all should know, that over-eating not only corrupts the blood but destroys nerve force, and induces dyspepsia, jaundice, bad breath, piles pimples, low spirits, headache, ague, malaria, and all stomach and liver troubles. Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic quickly cures the diseases. Can be taken by the most delicate. Price fifty cents, of George Furgeson.

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My son seventeen years old has been afflicted with nasal Catarrh since quite young. I was induced to try Ely's Cream Balm, and before he had used one bottle that disagreeable Catarrhal smell had all left him. He appears as well as any one. It is the best Catarrh remedy in the market.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

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Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

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You can't work to much purpose unless you are well, but you can build up your health and strength with Parker's Tonic, and work will then become easy. It sets the lungs, liver and kidneys in working order.—Coughs and colds vanish before it. Take it in time.

Vassar girls ate 692 pounds of candy last year. Sweets to the sweet. But alas! they ate also forty bushels of onions.

There are two forms of chronic rheumatism: one in which the joints are swollen and red without fever, and the appetite and digestion good, in the other the joints are neither red nor swollen, but only stiff and painful. In either form Saivation Oil may be relied on to effect a cure. It kills pain. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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CATAARH—A NEW TREATMENT.

From the Montreal Star.

Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been attained by the Dixon treatment for catarrh. Out of 200 patients treated during the past six months, fully ninety per cent have been cured of this stubborn malady. This is none the less startling when it is remembered that not five per cent of patients presenting themselves to the regular practitioner are benefitted, while the patent medicines and other advertised cures never record a cure at all. Starting with the claim now generally believed by the most scientific men that the disease is due to the presence of living parasites in the tissue, Mr. Dixon at once adapted his cure to their extermination—this accomplished he claims the Catarrh is practically cured and the permanency is unquestioned, as cures effected by him four years ago are cures still. No one else has ever attempted to cure Catarrh in this manner, and no other treatment has ever cured Catarrh. The application of the remedy is simple, and can be done at home, and the present season of the year is the most favorable for a speedy and permanent cure, the majority of cases being cured at one treatment. Sufferers should correspond with Messrs. A. H. DIXON & SON, 305 King street west, Toronto, Canada, and enclose stamp for their treatise on Catarrh.

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GUMBO ON STANDARD TIME.

Mrs. Gumbo had rocked the baby to sleep, stirred up the pan cake batter and placed it behind the stove to rise, last evening. Mr. Gumbo had taken his evening nip from his pocket companion, filled his pipe and settled himself in the old arm chair to smoke, when Jerusha heaved a long sigh and remarked, "This new-fangled system of time, Joshua, is a mystery to me. It did'nt used to be so when we was young. The old eight day clock which stood in the corner in father's dining room and reached from the floor to the ceiling, kept time exactly with the sun. It showed the four quarters of the moon on the dial. It never needed repairs. It never run too slow nor too fast. We could tell the exact moment the sun rose by glancing at the old clock when Sol peeped above the horizon, and the two hands pointed to the hour of twelve exactly when the sun crossed the noon meridian. Father used to boast sometimes—when we had husking bees on an October evening and several jugs of cider had been disposed of—that it was the identical clock which came over in the Mayflower. I always felt a little skeptical on that point, Joshua, but it was such a grand, true, reliable old time keeper, that I never could muster up the courage to question father's word. We had no watches in those days, Joshua, because the old eight day clock turned out enough good square time for the whole family. Our meals were regulated by that clock, family prayers were said on Sabbath morning by that clock, the children were strapped and put to bed every night by that clock, mother did the churning by that clock, father planted his potatoes during the full of the moon as shown by that clock, the baby was given its doses of parigoric by that clock, and, don't you remember, Joshua, all of your sparking visits during the winter season were exterminated promptly at twelve by that clock." Here Mrs. Gumbo stopped to take breath, wiped her spectacles and proceeded. "But now, Joshua, all this is changed. The little clock on the mantle in the sitting room gives solar time. The box clock in the kitchen in which you keep your spiritual consolation runs on standard time. When I get dinner I am twenty eight minutes slow, and when I sit down to darn the stockings for the week I am twenty eight minutes fast. I am compelled to receive company and entertain the sewing circle on fast time, while the tea is steaped, and the biscuits are baked, and the eggs are boiled on slow time. When the children get up in the morning, they follow the kitchen clock, but when they start for school they adopt the solar time piece."

"I do declare, Jerusha," said Mr. Gumbo, knocking the ashes out of his pipe, "I wonder what in sanco you'll show your ignorance about next. Why hang it, it seems as though you'd never learn nothin' nohow. The old kind 'o time, Jerusha, was got up by the Almighty hisself in the year one. Standard time is a modern inwention got up by the railroad nabobs to run the keers by. Why hang it all, when Demosthenes orated his big orations, he begun 'em and quit 'em by sun time. When Caesar crossed the Rubicon, all the time piece he had about him was an hour glass. And when Mark Anthony was a sparkin' Cleopatry, they did'nt have no watches at all. For more'n five thousand years, Jerusha, this world has been waggin' around on its axis according to solar time; Nations have riz 'n fell, seed time and pertater harvests hev followed arter each other; wars have desolated the earth, the heathen Chinee has nused his cue; the Egyptian pyramids have towerd towards heaven; Ben Butler has run for President; Susan Anthony has lectured on womin's rites; Dr. Burchard has writ for the New York Tribune; and durin' all these upheavals, Jerusha, Old Sol has furnished the genoowine and only time. But these railroad fellers hev upsot things generally. They allers want everything different from other folks. The old fashioned Lord's time ain't good enough for them. They ride round in their palace keers, 'n their sleepin' coaches, 'n their hotels on wheels, buzzin' through tunnels, rattlin' over bridges, climbin' up mountains and whirlin' over valleys. S'posin a train leaves Chicago at six o'clock in the mornin'. It runs fifty miles an hour, 'n when it 'gets into Detroit its gained a square thirty minutes on clock time, and this ere discrepancy keeps growin' 'n growin' the further the train goes East. Well, they split the country up into four big sections and make Chicago the startin' pint 'o one section, Chicago bein' the center of the universe, this ere section is called Central time, and fer 500 miles each side 'o the wicked city, the conductors and brakemen all set their watches by the town clock in Chicago. If one conductor sot his watch arter Chicago time, and another by Rock Island time, and another by Toledo time, the train dispatchers would get muddled, 'n the wrong trains would get on the side tracks, 'n the sw'tches would be be pulled too soon or too late, and passenger trains would try to pass on the same track, 'n big smash ups would come, 'n hundreds of folks would git killed, 'n the life insurance companies would get busted, 'n things would go to ballyhack generally. To obviate all these evils, some long headed cuss inwented standard time."

"You think its a nuisance, do ye? Well, that shows how little sense 'imin hev got. Every house oughter hev two clocks, one rnnnin' on solar, 'n 'other tickin' on standard time. Let everybody do his work 'n arrange his bizness accordin' to solar, and keep his appintments accordin' to standard, and then everybody 'ill hev jest twenty-eight minutes to spare. If that don't bring the millenyum, Jerusha, then you need'nt never expect it in this world."

For years, quinine was regarded as the only specific for malarious diseases, and immense quantities of the drug were annually consumed through our western country, more particularly along the river bottoms and adjoining low lands.

With the fall months malaria, in all its varied forms, stalks like an epidemic through the land, and whole districts are prostrated with chills and fever, the entire population shaking with ague. Heretofore, quinine was regularly resorted to; but, it frequently failed to effect a cure, it invariably deranged the stomach, producing nausea, vertigo and fugitive pains in the head to such an extent that months elapsed ere the system recovered from its effects. These objections to its use were so marked, that the introduction of Mishler's Herb Bitters was hailed as a triumph in medicine. Infinitely more certain in its beneficial effects than quinine; it possesses none of the demerits of that drug. Instead of nauseating, it tones and invigorates the stomach, and while speedily expelling the noxious humors, increases the appetite and facilitates digestion, thus rendering the system stronger and better fitted to resist the attacks of disease. In fact, a judicious use of Mishler's Herb Bitters at this season of the year, will prevent the recurrence of this disease, even in those who have never passed an autumn without it. An experience of twenty years proves it to be the greatest anti-periodic known to medical science.

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Godey's Lady's Book (J. H. Haulenbeck, Philadelphia) for December is decidedly a handsome number, replete with such attractions as delight the ladies at the commencement of the holiday season. The three pages of colored designs for holiday novelties in the line of fancy work are deserving of particular attention, as they will suggest to many what to make as Christmas mementoes—there are also three pages illustrating fancy work in black. The other illustrations this month are excellent, particularly one of Miss Mary Anderson, which is accompanied by a sketch of her career. In this number the publisher also promises to every subscriber as a Christmas present a special pattern cut to measurement, worth 75 cents; also, it presents to all little girls patterns for dolls' clothing, and offers rewards for the best clothes made from the patterns. And last, but not least, of the offers, is the Premium engraving, 12x15, to all subscribers for 1886. The December number contains the prospectus for 1886 and terms to club raisers. Specimen copies, 15 cents.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
LANSING, Nov. 5, 1885.

According to custom adopted by our forefathers and observed ever since, one day in each year has been set apart especially for thanksgiving.

Therefore, I, Russell A. Alger, governor of the state of Michigan, do designate Thursday, the 26th inst., for such observance. On that day let us all show our gratitude by acts of charity, abstaining from business, gathering in places of worship, and around our firesides with family and friends; and thanking God for preserving us from pestilence and danger, for prosperity and peace, ask Him that these mercies may be continued to us as a people. RUSSELL A. ALGER.

By the governor, H. A. CONANT, secretary of State.

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The Salvation Army—An Inquiry.

DEAR HERALD:—The news that Tecumseh has been visited by a company of persons calling themselves "The Salvation Army" must have caused no little surprise among your readers, and excited some considerable curiosity to ascertain to what purpose, or upon what errand these visitors may have come. Salvation is a word of so many meanings, and the evils, dangers, or sufferings from which it is generally used to signify deliverance or safety, are so various, some having their place of abode in the present world, and others existing, or being said to exist, only in some future world or mode of existence, that it may safely be supposed that among your readers there may be many who would feel obliged to you for some light or information as to the kind of evils from which your recent visitors promise to give you more or less deliverance, or at least good hope of salvation. Information as to the kind of evils with which the "army" of salvationists now visiting you proposes to go to war, and as to the methods and means of the warfare, especially as to whether the evils with which this "army" goes to war are such as are to be met with almost daily in this present evil world or such as belong to some future world, or mode of existence.—Such information as you have it in your power to communicate now, or in some early issue of your paper, on the subjects above named, will certainly oblige many

INQUIRING FRIENDS.

We would say to our esteemed correspondent and all other readers of the HERALD that we are gathering all the light possible on this subject as rapidly as our office duties will allow. Our columns are open to any one, who is fully posted, to explain what the Salvation Army really is and what it proposes to do. In behalf of "Inquiring Friends," we say, Let there be light.

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CLINTON CHRONICLES.

Bert Tate and wife spent the Sabbath with their Clinton relatives and friends.

Several Tecumseh boys were in the village Sunday, and report says, some of them were somewhat "bewildered."

A. St. John, of Jonesville, was in town over Sunday, and went to Bridgewater to attend to the remains of the venerable Tommy Pikett, preparatory for interment, which took place yesterday. "Uncle Tommy Pikett" as he was familiarly known, was an early settler in Bridgewater, but a few miles from this village where he was a frequent, inoffensive, though very odd visitor. He had attained the extraordinary age of 108 years, and although seemingly quite spry until a few days preceding the summons, his sense of hearing had become much impaired, and it was always known when he was here by a doleful sound contracted in his breathing similar to that produced by the mourning dove.

The Congregational society held an "any pie social," at the residence of W. W. Demuth, and although the weather was anything but fair, the attendance was good and each one seemed to have put in an appearance intent upon enjoyment, and their expectations were more than realized, and as they were homeward bound, declared Tuesday Nov. 24, 1885, should not escape their memory.

There was a mock lawsuit instituted by the students of the high school, which occurred at town hall last Friday and Saturday evenings, and drew quite a crowd of spectators, also, added some dimes to their fund. It was pronounced very interesting by those who attended. After two evenings of eloquent picking to pieces of Blackstone and much examination and cross-examination, the prisoner was acquitted.

A multitudious gathering of Clinton's young men and ladies congregated on Saturday evening, proceeded to Tecumseh to glide on the rollers and witness the contest Tecumseh vs. Manchester.

One week from Saturday next, the Baptist society will hold their regular church meeting, at which time there is to be one trustee elected and other business transacted; there will also be covenant meeting on that day.

The union thanksgiving services are to be holden in the Congregational church to-day, and Rev. J. A. Barns, pastor of that flock will discourse, we hope, to many thankful listeners.

Fred Morey has securred a position in the Woolen Mill, and glances at the shuttle as it flits too and fro upon one of the looms. He has been there before and knows how it should be.

Several men were at work last week and the first of this week, upon Lon. Mills' farm, storing away cabbage for winter keeping, and if success crowns their efforts, Tommy Roper will cause a smile to appear upon the phiz of ye cabbage lover, in the spring.

Several fine pickerel have been captured in the Raisin lately.

Clinton will be well represented at manager Cash's to-day.

The roads are horrible and many woodpiles are getting noticeably less. Coal is in demand.

Dan Davis visited Tecumseh Tuesday and took a view of the city.

S. W. Demuth has treated his store front to a new dress of lavender which adds very much to its appearance.

Peter Kishpaugh made a trip to Toledo last Tuesday and reports business rather dull there just at present.

That large pile of apples at the depot is diminishing and "Jim" smiles his prettiest smile at the departure of juice for the far west.

Mrs. G. H. Miles and Fred went to Adrian yesterday, to take thanksgiving dinner with Will Patterson and family.

Our citizens were somewhat surprised last Saturday evening at the arrival of the officers with John Steffanowski, the older of the Bridgewater chicken thieves, and their surprise was not diminished much, when, on the day following, officer Burroughs came in from the west with young Joe in custody and deposited him in the cooler as fit company for his brother. They were allowed a short time for reflection—while the team were being fed—and then treated to a ride over to Adrian, where they received board at the county jail until Monday, when they returned to this village for examination. They were wanted for stealing buffalo robes, blankets, wheat, oats; in fact, most every conceivable article to be found in their township and two or three others adjoining. Two robes were found that were stole from a church shed in Tecumseh a few weeks ago, and it seems as though nothing had been missed hereabouts for a long time but could be traced to the hiding place of this young light-fingered trio. Sid McIntyre was sent over the road," the older of these convicted and fined and the younger put under bonds of $200 to appear at the circuit court for chicken stealing. Three robes were found by the officers, to say nothing of other stray property. They pled guilty to these last charges, and John receives ninety days and $75 fine. We did not learn the fate of Joe.

Going and coming to Turkey, makes lively times to-day.

"Spec" Gibson is bound to secure those potatoes if it takes all winter.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

November gets there with plenty of rain and mud.

Dr. D. W. Loree moved his old barn Saturday, and will repair it at once.

W. R. Wilson and T. H. Temple are improving the appearance of their dwellings with a fresh coat of paint.

Our local telegraph company cut the wires in G. W. Clark & Son's store on Friday.

The new postoffice received its first mail Monday noon, and postmaster Santus meets you with a smile as he hands out the mail.

The telephone lines from G. W. Clark's to Robert Houseman's and from David Coryell's to Chas. Smith's a distance of nearly three-quarters of a mile, is a success and a great convenience.

The Sunday school decided by vote to observe Christmas with some kind of an entertainment given Christmas eve, and will begin the necessary preparations immediately.

Miss Libbie Emmons spent Sunday with Miss Allie Arner.

Warren Jones' uncle, Mr. Kent, of Ohio made him a short visit last week.

Misses Carrie Britton and Iva Ousterhout, of Britton, called on friends in the village Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cox, of Holloway, spent Friday with her brother, Morris Kelley and family.

Mrs. Erastus Rappleye and two of her children visited relatives and friends from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Hammond and daughter Minnie, of Pennington's corners, stopped with Asa Smith and family Wednesday night.

Mrs. Samuel and Miss Belle Barlow spent a few days last week at Mrs. C. Tripton's, Britton.

Miss Ada Loree returned Saturday evening from a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Alfred Lucking, of Detroit.

Martin Palmer who is attending college at Hillsdale came home Saturday evening, and will spend the week with relatives and friends, but mostly with Friend.

A. Smith, of Milan, called on friends Tuesday, he being on his way to Hart, Oceana Co., on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Lowe, of Battle Creek, arrived last week to see their grandmother, Mrs. A. Montgomery, who is sick and failing slowly.

Frank Smith, of Wallaceburg, Ont., brother of Harry Smith, is out on a visit. He came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Smith.

Warren Jones went to Adrian Monday to see his brother Fred who is in poor health, and who left for his home at Hastings, Nebraska, Monday, where it is hoped he may improve.

Don't forget the social at the home of the treasurer, Miss Ada Linn, this week Friday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The attendance at the entertainment given Friday night by the R. L. S. at Cottage Hall, was more than could be expected considering the stormy night. The exercises passed off very nicely, and are spoken of by those in attendance as being one of the finest entertainments the society ever gave. The society realized something over $10 for which they are very grateful. Regular meeting next week Friday night.

Mrs. Harry Smith who has been sick for the past six months passed away on Thursday morning of last week. Her long sickness has been of a peculiar nature. A post mortem examination was held Saturday by Drs. Loree, Catlin and Nelson. The funeral services were held Saturday, 2 P. M., at the church, Rev. W. J. Clack officiating. Mr Smith and family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt appreciation to our many friends who so willingly and kindly assisted us and cared for our wife and mother in her long sickness and death; also to Mrs. David Coryell for the beautiful floral gifts.

HARRY SMITH,
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RIDGEWAY LITERARY.

At the regular meeting of the R. L. S. on the evening of Friday, Dec. 4th 1885, the following program will be presented.

Music—Society.
Secretary's report.
Declamation—Smith Pocklington.
Reading—Miss Salome Clark.
Rec.—Miss Edith Smith.
Music—Juveniles.
Reading—Class concert exercises.
Declamation—Will Clack.
Recitation—Martha Linton.
Music—Hattie Moon.
Recess.
Charade.
Reading—George Sanford.
Address—Dr. D. W. Loree.
Music—J. D. Arner.
Dialogue.
Tableau.
Admission free. Begin at 7:30.

The executive committee have decided to arrange for another public entertainment to be given Dec. 18th, of which farther notice will be given hereafter. Thanking the public for the patronage of the past which has been very gratifying we shall endeavor to make the coming entertainment still more pleasing and satisfactory if possible.

BY ORDER COM

BRITTON BUDGET.

Mud everywhere.

The roads are almost impassible.

Where is the severe winter prophesied by some of our weatherwise people?

Some corn to husk yet.

Mr. Briggs, the school teacher for the winter term is here in readiness to commence work next Monday. He comes with a good recommend from his old school.

The Sunday School concert at the Christian church last Sunday was a success.

Chas. Gripton and family fearing a hard winter have gone to Florida where they expected to find flowers and fine weather. May they meet with success.

On the afternoon and evening of Saturday last Nov. 21st., Mr. & Mrs. John Exelby celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding day. Numerous friends and relatives were present on the occasion, all of whom were most amiably entertained by the host and hostess, a portion of the time being devoted to music. At six o'clock P. M. the guests were ushered into the spacious dining room of the hotel, and partook of the bountiful repast Mr. and Mrs. Exelby had provided for them. The presents were numerous and costly and consisted as follows

One doz. silver knives, and forks, Mr. Geo. Exelby; Geo. Smith, Walter Exelby; 1 set tea spoons, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith; 1 set tea spoons, Irving S. Osborne; 1 Pickle castor, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Underwood; pickle castor, Mrs. Libbie Cheever; sugar spoon and mustard spoon, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Montpellier; silver cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. Ringman, Adrian; silver cake basket, The Boarders; doz. napkins, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Linn; table cloth, Mr. and Mrs. Doctor Loree; oil painting, Cornelius Exelby; oil painting, Joseph Exelby; 2 china cups and saucers, Mr. and Mrs. Rauch; lamp, pair of vases and fruit dish, Mr. S. Cuddeback, Toledo; pin cushions, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Underwood; hanging-lamp, Wm. Underwood and Jesse Exelby.

After the guests had partaken to their satisfaction of the good things which the table afforded, Doctor Loree made a very pleasing address reviewing the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Exelby, and complimenting them and their new undertaking, the Hotel. The guests then departed, leaving Mr. and Mrs. Exelby overwhelmed by the many tokens of friendship they had received.

SOUTH MACON.

The marriage of Miss Sarah L. Hunt of Macon, to Mr. Arthur C. Green of Raisin, took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. V. Osgood on Thursday evening, Nov. 19th, at six o'clock. A large company of invited friends were present to witness the ceremony. Precisely at six, the bridal party, consisting of the bride and groom, with Mr. Myron W. Green of East Avon, N. Y. as groomsman, and Miss Mary M. Osgood of Macon, as bridesmaid, entered the room, and took their place under a floral marriage bell of beautiful design. The ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. Charles S. Dutton, of the Reformed church. The dignified and earnest bearing of both bride and groom impressed all present. It was evident that the vows of marriage, which they took upon themselves, had a deep and solemn meaning to them. The service concluded, and the congatulations said, the guests were seated at the tables furnished with good cheer, of which all partook with hearty relish. Then followed pleasant social intercourse till the bride and groom left amid the good wishes of their friends, to take the 11:00 P. M. train for the east, where they will spend some time visiting friends, and places of interest. The bride was tastefully dressed in brown satin. She has a large circle of friends here, whose esteem she has won by her unobtrusive piety, and the beauty of her character. The groom is well known as a young man of good principles and pleasing address. Both are class-mates, graduates of the Raisin Valley Seminary, Prof. White, under whom they graduated, and his wife and eight of the classmates of the young couple added by their genial presence, to the pleasantness of the occasion. That their married life may be long and happy is the wish of all their friends.

ONSTED ODDS.

Oscar McLaughlin of Valley City, Dakota, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Fred Glenn, of the firm of R. L. Glenn & Co., went to Toledo, Saturday to buy goods.

Mrs. Charles Hendrick's, of Franklin, daughter of Jerome Snow, was visiting at her father's several days last week.

We hear that the Grangers are making preparations for a Christmas tree and oyster supper. That's right, commence early.

William Onsted and Henry Sickner have very much improved the appearance of their dwellings by painting them.

H. A. Verrier has sold the south half of his lot to Frank Curtis of Napoleon, who has already commenced to build. We understand he is going to erect a building 20x48 to be used for a drug store.

A number of people enquired Monday afternoon what show was going to be in town. Upon investigating the matter, they found that the tent which attracted the attention of so many, was the temporary abode of the carpenters from Napoleon, who had come to build Mr. Curtis' store.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Mr & Mrs. Burns of this place are off on a short visit.

Miss Tinnie VanValkenburg is visiting her sister at Addison.

The Centre School and School District No. 1, opened last Monday with Mr. Tyler and Miss L. VanValkenburg teachers respectively.

There will be no Thanksgiving service on account of the repairing of the M. E. church.

The Reading Circle will meet at the residence of Mr. Burns, one week from next Monday evening.

Mrs. C. B. Steadman, of Chelsea, and Mrs. D. Dake, of Manistee, have been the guests of Mr. & Mrs. A. B. Storms.

A VERY VALUABLE WORK

Memorial Edition of the life of General Grant, by the well known historical writer, Colonel Frank A. Burr.

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S. C. Stacy, of Tecumseh, has the general agency for this work for the counties of Monroe, Washtenaw, Lenawee and Hillsdale. Local canvassers wanted to whom liberal wages and territory will be given.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 26, 1885

TIRED.

I am tired. Heart and feet,
Turn from busy mart and street;
I am tired—rest is sweet.

I am tired. I have played
In the sun and in the shade,
I have seen the flowers fade.

I am tired. I know not
What has made my heart so hot,
What has made my spirit jaded.

I am tired. Days and nights
Golden strewed and sorrow-blighted,
Day has not been spent in vain.

I am tired. Even life
Bids me lay my cares aside,
Bids me in my hopes abide.

I am tired. God's near,
Let me sleep without a fear,
Let me die without a tear.

I am tired. I would rest
As the bird within its nest;
I am tired. Home is best.

—*Peter Burn.*

A SEA TRAGEDY.

An Awful Story of Mutiny and Murder.

Bloody Affray Between the Brave Captain and Mate of a Brig and a Murderous Crew—His Son Killed—The Captain Executes Two Men.

After a cruise of eighteen months Captain Enstrom of the brig Natal was glad to get around and see his old acquaintances. His friends, who liked him always, now looked upon him with a new interest, as the man who had lived through the bloody mutiny of which they had read a brief account in the morning papers. Captain Enstrom is a man whom no one would care to trifle with unless it were absolutely necessary. His shoulders are broad, his chest deep, and when he shakes hands with any one the memory of his squeeze remains. The Captain's face, bronzed by the sun and seamed with deep scars plainly visible through his reddish whiskers, looks like that of a man of prompt action and not easily frightened. The impression is confirmed by a detailed account of the struggle in his cabin and his subsequent action.

"I was stretched out on this lounge," the Captain said, illustrating his meaning, "with my face to the wall, and was sound asleep. I was awakened at one o'clock in the morning by a blow from the carpenter's broad ax that made a wound of which you can see the scar, reaching from my chin back under my ear. When I looked up, half dazed, I could distinguish the carpenter's face by the light of the lamp burning near the compass box, and I saw the ax coming down on my head again. I raised my right arm, and thus broke the force of the blow. The ax handle struck my wrist, and the blade landed on my temple, leaving this mark that leads from my eye back across my ear. These other scars on my cheeks, neck and forehead were made by the carpenter, too, when he cut me with his knife, but he didn't do that right off. The sudden blow of the ax handle on my wrist made the blade fly off, and I had time to sit up on the lounge. The cowardly carpenter sat down beside me. I grabbed him around the neck and kept him from tearing at my wounds, which he was trying to make deeper with his hands. When he found he couldn't do it he threw his arms around mine, pinned them to my side and yelled out 'Kill him! Kill him!'

"Then, for the first time, I noticed that the steward was standing near the door, holding in his hand a narrow, long-bladed axe used in the galley, patiently awaiting his turn. He struck at me when the carpenter sung out, but he was excited and raised the axe too high. It struck against the ceiling, which you see is very low, and spoiled his blow. I had my right arm free by this time, and as the axe came down I grabbed it and wrenched it away from him. I was at too close quarters to use it on the carpenter, so I put it under my feet and turned my attention to him. Just as the steward struck at me he had said:

"'Never mind, I'll fix him.' And he was trying his best to do it, tugging at a sheath knife strapped inside his trousers. He got it out before I could stop him, and cut me first of all, here in the left cheek, where you see the long scar. It was a very deep cut. I could see my teeth through it for several days. Then he cut me two or three times on the forehead, but, of course, he couldn't get through the bone. I said to myself: 'You must do something or you'll be killed.' Fortunately the steward was letting us have the light alone. Just as I said this the carpenter stuck the knife in my neck. It didn't go into the middle, as he wanted it to, but went in under my right ear, here where you see the funny looking scar mixed up with the one made by the axe. When the knife went through on the other side, I grabbed it with my right hand to keep it in there so that he couldn't use it any more. Then he did what only a sneak would do. He scrouged it round and round, trying to get in deep enough to cut a big vein. It is the twisting around in my neck that makes that scar look so funny—it didn't heal smooth. While he was forcing the knife inward I forced it outward. At last I forced it out of my neck altogether, and got it away from him. At that minute the mate came reeling into the room, and blood was coming out all over him, too. I suppose the carpenter and the steward thought he was dead. Anyhow they left at once, and I was so much cut up I had to let them go, or else we might have killed them in there with the kitchen ax that I had under my feet. Yes, certainly, it's lucky I was a strong man; but it's luckier yet that there was a stronger hand than mine in the room, or else I'd be dead."

Captain Enstrom is a family man, father of seven children, and the eldest son, a flaxen-haired boy of nineteen, was on board with his father studying practical navigation and acting as second mate of the vessel. He seems to have been the first one attacked by the mutineers. It was his watch on deck, and before going below he had drawn up a bucket of water to wash his hands and face. His cap was found near the bucket split almost in two, probably by a blow from the carpenter's axe. The water in which he was washing was reddened with blood, as though he had been struck as he was leaning down toward the water, and a bloody trail led to the side of the ship, whence his body was thrown into the sea.

After the killing of young Enstrom the mutineers divided up the work that remained to be done. The carpenter undertook to dispose of the Captain, and made the attempt already described. Toton, a seaman, who afterward proved to be the ringleader, took charge of the mate Sylvanius, and, revolver in hand, made for the mate's stateroom. Sylvanius was asleep, and it was quite dark in his room; but Toton knew the lay of the land, and, using his best judgment, fired four shots in rapid succession, and then ran out to see how the carpenter was progressing. His judgment in firing proved good. The first ball put out the mate's right eye, the second struck him in the chin and the other two took effect in his body. Toton was wrong in thinking Sylvanius was dead. He was alive, and, knowing that more devilry must be going on outside, he arose, picked up the revolver which Toton had dropped, and ran to the Captain's room. As Toton came in one door Sylvanius came in the other, holding in his hand the revolver with one bullet still in it. It was a surprise to Toton when he found the Captain fighting, and still more a surprise when the mate appeared opposite him and tried to shoot him with his own pistol. The carpenter, the steward and Toton made for the deck together. When they were out of the cabin the Captain and the mate locked themselves in, got out the medicine chest and fixed each other's wounds. Neither understood surgery, and the best they could do was to bathe them and diminish the flow of blood by binding the wounds with lint.

When this was done both felt easier, and began to cast about for methods of revenge and for regaining control of the ship.

On the wall over the Captain's bunk were fastened an African leather shield and two assegais, placed crosswise. The shield was clearly useless, but the assegais might do to strike the mutineers. The mate was about to take them down, but just then the Captain recollected something better. He opened his locker and took out a rifle and a brace of revolvers. When they were carefully loaded the two officers sallied forth. The mate had one of the Captain's revolvers and the one he had picked up, and the Captain had the rifle and a revolver. If things had not been serious, they might have been taken for a couple of Robinson Crusoes. But this thought didn't occur to the mutineers. They stood at the door, armed with axes and capstan bars, and began the fight at once. But the number of fire-arms demoralized them. They had no time to fight much before a half dozen bullets flew around and sent them scattering forward with the Captain and mate in pursuit. The forward hatch was open and Toton, Refus, another seaman, the carpenter, and the steward jumped down in wild haste. They liked to fight with sleeping men best.

One of the seamen did not succeed in getting out of sight. Johanssen was the unlucky one, and he looked much dispirited as he tried to make himself small behind the capstan. He had a capstan bar in his hand, but it didn't look very formidable when the mate, with his two revolvers, and the Captain, with his rifle all ready, came at him from different directions. That was too much, and Johanssen expressed a wish to yield. The Captain's first instinct was to shoot every one engaged in so cowardly an attack, but Johanssen's part of the mutiny had been quiet, and the Captain told him he might live if he would go to work. A little later the Captain discovered the murder of his son, and regretted his clemency, but he kept his word.

For four days the Captain and mate worked the vessel, with Johanssen at the wheel. Their wounds caused them excruciating pain, and even constant ablutions with salt water could not ward off the aggravating effect of a hot climate. On the afternoon of the fourth day the captain had made up his mind what to do, and he told the mate about it, who agreed with him. Their wounds were getting worse, and they might be helpless at any time, in which case Johanssen would betray them and let out the men in the hold, who would pitch them overboard. In any event, should the fine weather cease, they were not capable of managing the ship alone. They must have help, and that without putting themselves at the mercy of their men.

The Captain and mate went forward, pulled off the hatch, and ordered the men to come up and submit. There was no answer. The Captain emptied a revolver at random into the hold and repeated the order. This was followed by a whispered conversation. The men were exhausted by four days' fasting. Beside it was unpleasant to be shot at in the dark, and they made up their minds to submit. The Captain ordered them up one at a time, and the mate stood ready to enforce the order. The carpenter was the first to appear. After all had laid down their knives and axes, they were ordered to stand in line. The Captain looked at them sternly, and then taking careful aim with his revolver, shot the carpenter through the heart. The man dropped like a log, and the others stood in speechless terror, while Johanssen thanked his stars at the helm. Captain Enstrom waited a moment, and then lifted his revolver again. This time it was the seaman Toton's turn, and he dropped dead beside the carpenter. The last two, who had been the tools of the dead men, were nearly dead with fright, but they were needed to work the ship.

"Throw those bodies overboard," the Captain said, "get something to eat, and go to work."

They gladly obeyed, and heaved the two corpses into the sea, and then united with Johanssen in faithful obedience.

A few days later the Captain fell in with a Norwegian bark, whose Captain lent him two men. Their presence enabled the wounded officers to take much needed rest, and the vessel soon arrived safely at Brisbane. The mate was taken to a hospital, and when last heard of, was still there. The Captain, thanks to his wonderful constitution, recovered rapidly, and was able to proceed on his voyage with a new crew.

He complained bitterly yesterday of his treatment at Jamaica, where the authorities seemed most anxious to try him, and allowed the mutineers to go free after two months' imprisonment, although they confessed their guilt. Toton, they said, was their leader; he understood navigation, and had joined the ship at Boston in July, 1883, with the mutiny already planned.—*N. Y. Sun.*

ONLY FIVE MINUTES.

The Time a Man Was Given to Prepare for Death—An Innocent Little Amusement Arranged By Frolicsome Cowboys.

Colonel Will Middleby, who has just returned from the Indian Territory, relates a startling experience. "I had permission to traverse the Territory," said the Colonel, "but I soon found that the white scoundrels who inhabit the country had no regard for it. One day, wet and hungry, I stopped at a sort of public house. A company of rough white men had assembled in the barroom of the house. I at once noticed that I was regarded with disfavor, and I was on the eve of quitting the place when one fellow, as rough a man as I ever saw, said:

"'Cap'n, what's your bus'ness?'

"'I am out here to look at the country.'

"'Hain't you looked at it?'

"'Yes.'

"'Wall, what air you hangin' 'roun' fur?'

"'I have a right to hang around.'

"'What right?'

"'This,' I replied producing my passport and presenting it to him.

"'Tain't worth storing room,' he said as he coolly proceeded to tear it up. His companions roared with laughter. I had a pistol, but what could I do with a dozen desperate men?

"'Now,' continued the ruffian who had destroyed my passport, 'we understand you pretty well. You are a detective, an' hain't come here after no good, nuther.'

"'I am not a detective.'

"'Do you mean to say that I am a liar?'

"'That's what he does Jack!' shouted one of his companions. In a moment I was surrounded. Every man had drawn his pistol.

"'I ought to kill you right here,' said the ruffian addressed as Jack. 'I oughten't to let you live another minit.'

Some one advanced and relieved me of my pistol.

"'Now I'll tell you what we'll do,' said Jack. 'We'll just give you five minits to live. Stand right thar, now, an' do your prayin'.'

"In vain I pleaded. The ruffians would not listen to me.

"'It's jes' five minutes to twelve,' said Jack. 'Look up thar at the clock an' count your time an' when twelve o'clock comes, you are gone; an' if you take your eyes offen it in the meantime you are gone anyhow.'

"I gazed at the clock and began to mumble a prayer. Oh, how precious a single moment of time can be. I thought of my home, of my wife and children. The desperate men stepped behind me. I could hear their suppressed breathing. I could hear the beating of my own heart. Five minutes to live. It had already seemed an age. Would the time never come? Cold perspiration rolled down my face and almost blinded my eyes. I could but indistinctly see the face of the clock, but I knew that only a minute more was left me. That the wretches would kill me, I had not a doubt, but why had they chosen such a method? Then I remembered an article I had once read, descriptive of the delight felt by such men in seeing a victim suffer. Death, of itself, was not sufficient punishment. The time must have nearly expired. My knees were so weak that I could scarcely stand. I wondered how I'd feel when the bullets should strike me. I wondered if I could hear the report of the pistols. I heard a laugh. I quickly turned and saw a negro standing near me. The ruffians were gone. I glanced at the clock. Five minutes to twelve.

"'What are you laughing at?' I demanded of the negro.

"'At dat ole joke dem cowboys played on yer. Dat ar clock ain' runnin', boss. De gennermen tole me ter gin yer dis pistol. Heah it is, er haw, haw!'"—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

AN INTERESTING RELIC.

Copy of Lincoln's Letter Declining the Governorship of Oregon.

Through the favor of Mr. Wallis Nash, of Corvallis, we have been shown a letter of rare interest and high value. It is, morever, a letter of peculiar interest to the people of our State, being a letter written by Abraham Lincoln in 1849 declining the offer of the Governorship of Oregon. We print the letter herewith:

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., September 27, 1849.

John Addison, Esq.

MY DEAR SIR—Your letter is received. I can not but be grateful to you and all other friends who have interested themselves in having the Governorship of Oregon offered to me, but, on as much reflexion as I have had time to give the subject, I can not consent to accept it.

I have an ever abiding wish to serve you, but as to the Secretaryship, I have already recommended our friend, Simon Francis, of the *Journal*. Please present my *respects* to G. T. M. Davis generally, and my *thanks* especially for his kindness in the Oregon matter. Your as ever, A. LINCOLN.

The letter is written on a sheet of old-fashioned blue letter paper; it is folded in the style common to that time, so as to be sent without an envelope, and was sealed with the usual red wafer. It was addressed thus: "John Addison, Esq., Washington, D. C." It bears the post-mark of "Springfield, Ill., September 28th," and at the top of the right-hand corner the words "Free. A. Lincoln, M. C." The letter is now the property of Colonel G. T. M. Davis, of New York, the person named in it, to whom Mr. Lincoln desired Mr. Addison to tender his repects and thanks.—*Portland Oregonian.*

THE MADRID HOSPITAL.

Description of a Visit to the Cholera Hospital at the Spanish Capital.

The first wards we entered were those of the convalescents. They consisted of two large, light and airy rooms, beautifully clean as, indeed, the whole of the hospital was), in the first of which were about six or seven men sitting about and seemingly doing nothing but passing the time away by chatting. They looked to me quite well, though mostly very thin. It was a novel sight to see so many poor Spaniards in so remarkable a state of cleanliness. I expect it was the only part of their treatment they found unpleasant—the baths. There is no door between the men's and women's wards, and we merely had to step through a doorway innocent of curtain or anything. I saw just about the same number of women, some of them, poor things, looking very ill indeed. Their faces were not pale, but thin and drawn. One pleasant-looking girl I asked how she was. "Very tired, very weak, but getting better." If it had not been for the assurance of the nurse, I should have thought she was dying. He said that in one or two days at most all these cases would be discharged. Just as I was about to leave the ward, in came a sister with the afternoon's chocolate. It was worth while to see the way in which she was welcomed. The patients adore the good sisters, and not without a reason. Before leaving the convalescent ward I was shown a poor little fellow whose father and only brother has been swept away by the disease, and the little chap left alone. His mother had long been dead. The boy seemed quite a pet in the ward, and was evidently well satisfied with his present quarters.

Coming out of the ward, we turned sharp round to the left and entered room No. 2. This was a long, narrow room, along one side of which were ranged twenty beds, each one tenanted by a man. These were bad cases, and all seemed in quite a stupor. One thing I must not omit to notice. On entering this ward I had removed my hat. One man, who seemed in the last stage of exhaustion, and who was lying staring at us with fixed, glassy eyes, slowly and with a painful effort raised his hand to his head, and took off a sort of skull cap he was wearing. Polite are these people to the last. Three or four beds further on I noticed, close together, two beds, in which were the two worst cases. The men were a terrible sight. Their lips were the color of old parchment, their eyes closed, seemingly unconscious, and dreadfully, terribly thin. Their cheek bones seemed almost as if they would start through their faces. "To-day," said the nurse, "they die." And I thought they would be glad enough to do so from their appearance. On reaching the end of this ward we turned again to the left into a square room, in which were a few women, all very ill. In one corner of the room I saw a little cot. It was tenanted by quite a young infant—I should think not more than nine or twelve months old. It had been in the hospital for over twenty days, and, poor child, bore traces of having suffered very much. One of its arms was lying outside the coverlet, and looked like a little stick of wood. To me this little waif, lying there alone and in such a state, was the most painful sight in the whole hospital, and I do not mind confessing—why should I?—that for a moment I had to bite my lips pretty hard, and choke down something that would have been very malapropos in a person viewing the cases in quite a professional capacity. In this ward I had a chat with one of the sisters, a bright, bonny woman, whose very presence must have been of, one would think, as much efficacy as the physic.

After my chat I was conducted up a large staircase to see the six new cases which had come in and been put to bed. They were all girls, and all inmates of the orphan school here; one or two of them seemed to be in pain, convulsively lifting their arms and drawing up their legs. Here was another sister, who gave me at some length the treatment to which patients are subjected and the symptoms by which cholera is told. As these are pretty well known I shall not repeat them here, except perhaps to mention that for six days a person ill of cholera is kept without any food whatever beyond a little tea and warm rum.—*Cor. Pall Mall Gazette.*

THE OLD STORY.

The True Inwardness of an Editor's Popularity.

My son, if I should publish a daily paper for twenty years—if you can just strain your credulity to the point of believing that I could keep a daily paper going longer than six weeks—if I should publish a daily paper twenty years, and in all that time take occasion to mention you about twice a week as "our distinguished fellow townsman" and "that eminent man of letters and merchant prince," and should say every time you crossed the river on the ferry that you had "departed" for the East, and when you came back I should notice that "our justly popular fellow citizen" had "returned," if I should in all those years praise your dog, your horse, your goods, your wife and babies, your clothes and your character, and then some day, when I was away attending a convention, my local editor should call the attention of the town marshal to the filthy condition of the street and sidewalk in front of your store, would you ever forgive me? Would you? You would denounce the paper as a "scurrilous sheet" and its editor as a "lying scandal monger that ought to be whipped out of the community." That is the reason, my son, why there are but two kinds of editors. One is a meek, smiling, timid little scrivener, who pays all the bills and allows his neighbors to edit his paper; and the other is a truculent, loud-voiced savage, who viciously scratches out the nice little personal the local editor has written about your arrival home, and sends it in—"By some inscrutable decree of a stern and relentless Providence, old Jake Diffenbaugh has been permitted to come back home alive," and then meets you at the head of the stairs with a blackjack and pounds the top of your head in when you come to see about it.—*Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.*

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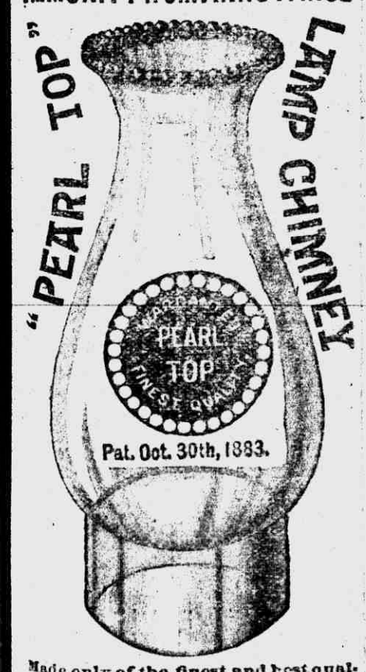

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THE DUBIOUS MAN.

Positive Conviction a Thing to be Coveted by Young Men.

My son, if you can be positive I am glad of it. I like to see a man positive that he knows what he knows. I am glad to hear you talk as though you knew all about it. I do admire a positive character. Alas, therein do I lack. I am not skeptical, but I am not a positive man. I am not really positive about scarcely anything. I have been taught from childhood that two and two make four, and I believe it, but if you rush at me and cross-question me and corner me about it, I will have to own up that all I know about it is what the teacher told me. I don't think my teacher would lie about a little thing like that. If it were a question of millions now, there might be some temptation to slip in a thousand or two on a poor ignorant fellow who didn't know anything about it. I am not positive when America was discovered nor who discovered it. There are claimants all the way from the lost tribes of Israel and Eric the Red down to Oscar Wilde. How am I to know? I am not even positive when I will pay my debts. And this grievous lack of positiveness (is there such a word?) makes me dread controversy. I had rather give in to a positive man a week than dispute with him ten minutes, because he is positive about everything and I am positive in nothing. Why, even after he has silenced me I am not positive that he is in the right. I am not even positive that he is positive. He says he is, but I don't know. So I wait—I am very patient, and often it happens, I may say it always happens, that a few days, a few weeks, a few months, or a year, even—a year is not long—shows that he was altogether wrong and that I was unquestionably right on every point. And then how triumphantly I hunt him up, and ride over him rough shod, and say to him: "There, what did I tell you? Didn't I say so? Wasn't I right? Didn't I warn you? Didn't I know? Are you convinced now, you pig headed blockhead of ignorance and presumption? The next time I tell you a thing is so you'll know that it is so, whether it is or not." That's triumph for you, my boy. But ah, me, I so often grieve over my lack of positive conviction. Do you cultivate a positive character, my son. And when you know it about all come down and stay a few days with me. I'll try to lead you into a few ambiguous pits which I have vaguely dug here and there about my superphysical grounds in an indeterminate sort of way for my absolute friends to fall into.—*Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.*

HOP CULTURE.

But a Limited Portion of the United States Suited to it.

Poetry and song and the pages of romance have united to make classic the vine-clad hills of the Rhine and of Italy, and next to the ruined castles which crown their commanding heights the traveler looks for the clustering fruit which has given its name to all this region. But he looks in vain if he expects to see anything which adds picturesqueness or beauty to the landscape. A vineyard is not in itself "a thing of beauty." On the other hand, the golden wreaths of hops, as they hang ripening in the August sunshine, depending in graceful clusters from the tall poles, or swinging in the breeze in umbrella-like canopies, give to the hills and valleys of Central New York, or the slopes of distant California and Washington, or the meadows of sunny English Kent, a frame of beauty than the boasted vineyards of France or of Italy ever dreamed of.

It is seldom that we find a crop or product which seems to have but one specific use in the world, but aside from the very limited amount required to leaven the baker's loaf and the comparatively small quantity used in druggists' preparations, there appears to be no other possible demand for the 200,000,000 pounds of the world's crop of hops than the making of beer. For some reason not fully explained by difference of soil and climate, but a very limited portion of the United States seems suited to their successful cultivation. A radius of forty miles, of which Cooperstown, N. Y., is the centre, incloses more than half of the hop-producing region of the Union. The three northern counties bordering on Lake Champlain and Canada, with a small portion of Vermont and Michigan, add about one-sixth to this, and, with parts of Wisconsin, comprise pretty much all the land east of the Rocky Mountains devoted to their cultivation. The Pacific coast is becoming an important factor in production, having risen from 15,000 bales in 1880, to 70,000 in 1884, equal to 12,500,000 pounds. In England the production of hops is peculiarly associated with the County of Kent, which has about 40,000 acres in hops, out of 65,000 in the kingdom.—*G. Pomeroy Keese, in Harper's Magazine.*

Brotherly Love.

Two brothers named Jordon, living in Eastern Texas were eternally quarreling, but Joe was the more aggressive. Sam was of a more quiet nature. Not long since they happened to be pall bearers at a funeral.

"It would be a good idea for us to build a family vault," said Sam.

"Yes, I suppose so," said Joe, scornfully, "you would grab at the first chance you got to be stowed away in it, just to get ahead of me."—*Texas Siftings.*

—An old woman living in Philadelphia became so affected by reading of the suicide of another woman in the neighborhood, that she went to her room and hanged herself in a similar manner. She was dead when found.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—The old superstition about the pearl, that it brings bad luck as a wedding gift, seems to have gone over entirely, and now it is said that emeralds and sapphires are the "unfortunate" stones to give for bridal presents.—*Cleveland Leader.*

PITH AND POINT.

—A fellow who goes out with a light coat often has no difficulty in coming in with a heavy cold.—*Boston Transcript.*

—A man named Cannon, employed in a Pittsburgh foundry, went off the other day loaded to the muzzle, and on his return was promptly discharged.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—Archery has been almost ignored this season, for what reason fastidious young ladies know best. We won't harrow their feelings by suggesting a scarcity of beaux.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Did you ever think, when a person tells you that you look younger every time he sees you, that you must have appeared to him like a veritable Methuselah a year or two ago?—*Boston Transcript.*

—A biographer of Paganini says the great violinist played "now like an angel, now like a demon—never like a mortal man." There are thousands of violinists in this country who possess one of Pag's gifts. They don't play like a mortal man—nor an angel either.—*Norristown Herald.*

—"If I were you, and you were I," she sang vigorously at the piano, and turning to him, said, "what would you do?" "Well, love," he answered, "judging from your disposition and the color of your hair, I'd say you would take a club and knock me off that piano stool if I didn't stop singing."—*Merchant Traveler.*

—Wife—"Muffins all right, my darling?" Husband—"Perfection, my pet." Wife—"How—(hesitates and trembles)—how is the coffee?" Husband—"Excellent." Wife (greatly agitated)—"Not as good as your mother used to make, my darling?" Husband (calmly)—"My mother never knew how to make coffee at all, precious." Wife falls into a deadly swoon. Tableau.—*Chicago Journal.*

A WAR REALITY.

Meeting of Father and Son on the Bloody Decks of the Harriet Lane.

A day or two since as the correspondent was [illegible] the Episcopal Cemetery, in the western part of the city in company with a friend, his attention was first [illegible] a marble stone under the [illegible] a vigorous five-ak, [illegible] the following inscription:

EDWARD LEA
Lieut. Commanding U. S. N.
Born Jan. 31st, 1837.
Killed in Battle January 1st, 1863.

"My Father is Here."

"This monument," remarked the correspondent's companion, "commemorates one of the saddest of the many sad events transpiring during the late war, for it marks the last resting place of as brave an officer as ever trod the deck of an American man-of-war. Edward Lea was a Baltimorean by birth, and the breaking out of the war found him an officer in the Federal navy. His father, Major Albert M. Lea, who espoused the Confederate side, had written him early in life giving his views on the then pending contest, stating that he must judge for himself the side he would take, but should he choose the service of the United States they would probably never meet again, unless perchance in battle.

"The young officer elected to stand by the old flag, and when the steamer Harriet Lane was transformed into a man-of-war he was selected by Captain Wainwright as his First Lieutenant, and in that capacity served under Farragut at Fort Jackson, New Orleans and Vicksburg. When the United States forces occupied Galveston, in the fall of 1862, the Harriet Lane formed one of the flotilla, and when the city was retaken by the rebel forces under Magruder, on the 1st of January, 1863, Major A. M. Lea, the father of the young Lieutenant, was among the attacking party, and from the shore witnessed his son's ship surrender, after her Captain had been killed and most of her officers desperately wounded.

"Proceeding to the head of Bean's wharf, near where the fight took place, Major Lea hailed the Harriet Lane, up on whose bulwarks General Tom Green and Commodore Leon Smith stood, and asked if any of the steamer's officers had been killed or wounded, and the reply was:

"Yes; nearly all of them."

"Major Lea was then granted permission to go on board and meeting an officer of the ship, asked if Lieutenant Lea was there, and was answered:

"Yes, and badly wounded."

"I am his father," replied the Confederate officer, and he was led to his son, who was lying in the cock-pit surrounded by the dead and dying. The son recognized the father, telling him that he hoped he was not mortally wounded. Dr. Penrose, of Philadelphia, who was operating upon a wounded man, stated that the Lieutenant was mortally wounded and might die within an hour, or might linger for several days. The father then returned to the shore to procure an ambulance to take the wounded man to the hospital, but during his absence the Lieutenant expired, his last words, when asked if he had any directions to give, being simply: 'My father is here.' He was buried, together with Captain Wainwright, on the 2d of January, with military honors.

"A wealthy relative of Baltimore asked the father's leave to remove the remains of the Lieutenant to Green Mount Cemetery and place them beside his mother, but the request was denied, the father feeling that it was more fitting for the brave sailor to sleep where he fell in sight of the sea and in sound of the surf. In 1866, when the remains of Captain Wainwright were removed by his brother officers, they wished also to take the Lieutenant's body to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., but this effort was also resisted. To-day, of all who fought and died under the stars and stripes on the Harriet Lane's decks, the remains of Lieutenant Lea are the only ones resting beneath the turf on Galveston Island."—*Galveston (Tex.) Cor. St. Louis Globe Democrat.*

A Railroad Man's Views.

Mr. Hickson, the agent in Toronto, Canada, of the New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railroad Company, is well-known throughout the Dominion. He writes that for several weeks his little girl was ill with bronchitis. He used different preparations and also had her treated by a physician, but without effect. Finally, he tried Red Star Cough Cure, and before one bottle was finished she was perfectly well.

In the literary as well as the military world, the most powerful abilities will often be found concealed under a rustic garb.

The Homliest Man in Tecumseh.

As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on Baker & Hall and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

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It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Baker & Hall will give any person a trial bottle free of cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. Price 50 cents and $1.

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Taken together, all the beauties of art and nature do not interest the inquisitive female so much as the view she gets through the keyhole.

How many bald heads you see. Work, worry, disease, dissipation. These do it. Parker's Hair Balsam stops falling hair and restores gray and youthful color. Exceptionally great, elegant, a perfect dressing, not glossy. Prevents dandruff.

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"I would not live always, I ask not to stay." We do not wonder, with such a cold as yours, but there is a bright side to every thing, and sunshine even to those racked with pain. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup never fails to cure the most stubborn cough.

Dr. Blecken, of Minneapolis, says: "I shall use Hunt's Kidney and Liver Remedy in dropsy and kidney disease hereafter."

Rev. Anthony Atwood, of Philadelphia, says: "Hunt's Kidney and Liver Remedy has cured my wife of dropsy in its worst form."

They say "a word to the wise is sufficient," but we think it takes about five. Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. You can get this article in any drug store for twenty-five cents. Physicians recommend it.

Clara Louise Kellogg is to receive $[illegible] for singing twenty nights in Paris.—$[illegible] a night! No wonder she is in love with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup the great remedy for coughs and colds, for what would she do without it, if she should be attacked suddenly by hoarseness?

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Phoenix Hotel, on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of December next, 1884, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all the singular the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to me as assignee, in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (fractional) of section number three, 3 town [illegible] south of range number [illegible] east, containing about thirty-eight acres of land, more or less, except about half an acre on the east side of the same, sold to Napoleon B. Spilton. Also that south half of the east side of the same, except a piece of said section three of which the east line of a highway which runs nearly along the quarter section line through the south half of said section, being the same piece formerly deeded to John and Isabel Bangs to Samuel Sutton, containing forty-seven hundredths of an acre of land. Also a parcel of the following described piece of land which lies south of the center of a highway running nearly east and west through the south half of the northeast quarter of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three. Beginning at the southwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three; thence north along the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, nine chains and twenty links; thence east parallel with the quarter section line five chains and forty-three links to the place of beginning, containing about five acres of land. Also an undivided [illegible] of said five acres of [illegible] north of the center of said highway [illegible] east and west through the same. [illegible] also to [illegible] well. Beginning [illegible] south of the center of said highway [illegible] west along the center of said highway [illegible]

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Fully recognizing the tendency of the times towards lower prices, we have decided to adopt a club system in lieu of premiums. Subscriptions for any newspaper or magazine published will be taken at reduced rates, but our regular special club list will be short and sweet.—Nearly every subscriber to the HERALD also takes the Detroit Free Press, the Detroit Tribune or the Michigan Farmer. We shall furnish these papers clubbed with the HERALD at the following rates

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That the salvation army have pitched their tents in the right spot is more apparent than ever since the Herald's decription of them came out last week, and we advise Captain Kirk to direct all his batteries on that stronghold of wickedness and see if he cannot capture the whole force.—Tecumseh News.

Though Field of the News is yet out of the ark of safety, it is plain that Stacy is "in out of the wet" else how was he taken into the confidence of Capt. Kirk in counting up the collection taken at the grand opening of the Salvation army at Tecumseh?—Adrian Record.

We humbly inform our esteemed contemporaries that Capt. Kirk has wisely followed the advice of editor Field, and that editor Smith's prognostication is only too true. Go ye, gentlemen, and do likewise.

STATE PROHIBITION CONFERENCE.

The long talked of two days conference of the Michigan Prohibitionists will be held at Whitney's Opera House in Detroit, on Thursday and Friday, December 3d and 4th. Below is the program.

Thursday afternoon, Dec. Third, 2 o'clock. Address by Hon. Lemuel Clute, of Ionia.

Thursday evening. Addresses by Rev. John Russell, of Michigan, and Rev. Dr. A. B. Leonard, of Springfield, Ohio, late Prohibition candidate for Governor of the Buckeye state.

Friday morning, Dec. Fourth, at 10 o'clock. Meeting of chairman of County, Township and City committees and other not asleeps.

Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock. Three one-half hour conferences on topics bearing directly on the political work of Prohibitionists,—such as, The Need of Thorough Organization, The Kind of Work to be Done this Winter, How to Raise Money for Campaign Purposes, The Spirit of Prohibitionists Toward their Political Opponents, The Chief Difficulties for Third Party Prohibitionists to overcome. These discussions will be opened by some one previously appointed, and then thrown open for general discussion.

Friday evening. Addresses by Prof. Sam'l Dickie, of Michigan, and Ex Gov. John P. St. John, of Kansas.

STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Michigan horticultural society will convene in Conkey's opera house, Benton Harbor, December 1, 2 and 3.

Delegates in attendance will be entertained by members of the local society, and everything will be done to make this a notable event in the history of the society.

The convention will open with an informal session on the afternoon of Tuesday, December 1, at 2:30 o'clock, and close with an evening session on Thursday.

On the evenings of the second and third days popular lectures will be delivered. The first evening and the day sessions will be devoted to the discussion of topics connected with the prosecution of horticultural pursuits.

The annual election of officers will take place at 11 o'clock on the morning of December 2. It is very desirable that there be a good delegation from every branch society in the state and other kindred organizations in this and other states are cordially invited to send delegations. It is customary to have an exhibit of winter fruits at this meetings, and we suggest that flowers, vegetables and forest products will be gladly received and employed to illustrate the discussions. For railway certificates and further information, address the secretary at Grand Rapids, Mich.

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GOOD SENSE FROM A FARMER.

In regard to the effort now making to secure additional manufactories at Adrian, a farmer writes the following communication to the Times. It contains more hard sense than anything we have yet seen on the subject:

While your business men have been spending their money lavishly to attract something large, they have naturally overlooked and ignored the trade that used to flow into their streets from the rural districts around them, and little towns on the outskirts of the county have sprung into existence and are to-day reaping largely the benefits once enjoyed by Adrian.

One of the principal causes for this is the bad condition of the highways leading into the city a large part of the year. Had Adrian spent ten per cent. of the money paid out in the last ten years to "boom" the town in various unsuccessful schemes, in building, or helping the ruralists around the city to build good Macadamized roads that would enable the farmers to reach the city any day of the year he desires to go, then business would be quite different most of the time. Take the present time to illustrate. The wheat crop is but a small part of it yet marketed, and the farm work is about over, so that if it were possible farmers would, with the little rise in the price, begin to run it in. But to get to the city of Adrian from more than one or two points now, with a load, would be about as easy to do as for a man "to lift himself over the fence by his boot straps." If we sell our farm produce at all between now and next May or June, we mus take it to some other market, as we have done for the last five or six years. If the business men of Adrian will offer a little help to some of the surrounding towns, if they will grade and gravel the roads leading into the city so that it will be as easy to get there as it is to go the other way, the streets will soon be full of teams the entire year, as it is during small portions of the year, and we shall not read in the local items, as we so often do, that "the late rains have made the roads so bad that our streets look quite deserted," &c., for the rains would have no effect on the roads.

Adrian is located in the midst of a clay district, and clay is not the best soil to make roads of, and the highway tax levied on the farms surrounding the city, though considerable, is not enough to do more than to plow a few furrows along the road, and dump a lot of clay and sod into the track, and make the passing over it for the balance of the year dangerous to man and beast.

We commend these words to the business men of Tecumseh. The plan of graveling the highways has already been adopted in the vicinity of Tecumseh with the best results. The Adrian road for three miles south of Tecumseh in the township of Raisin is a splendid highway, over which the heaviest loads can be drawn in the softest kind of weather. The Chicago turnpike west of the village for about two miles is in equally good condition, and a portion of the road between here and Clinton has been well graveled. A few hundred dollars raised by the business men of Tecumseh to assist the local highway officers in graveling the roads west to Franklin Center, east to the village of Ridgeway, and north to the village of Clinton, would yield one hundred per cent on the investment within a year after the work was completed. The farmers on these roads are as much interested in this improvement as any one else can be. Their horses and wagons are dragged through the mud for three or four months each year. Good roads to travel over would result in a big saving to them within a period of eight or ten years. They could well afford to devote a few extra day's work each spring, over and above the regular highway tax, in graveling the highway adjacent to their own farms. We should like to see this subject discussed at some of our farmers' clubs, and some action taken in this direction before the opening of the coming spring.

THE MAN FROM TECUMP.

The following bit of gossip is clipped from the Chicago Herald. We are inclined to think it is a fish story as we know of no man residing in Tecumseh by the name of John Kuder:

John Kuder, of Tecump, Mich., was walking down Sherman street early last evening, when, gosh! somebody tapped him on the shoulder and said: "How-de," and gosh! he was such a trim-looking feller and carried such a nice little valise that John thought he was a physician, and gosh! he was going to the same little Tecump in Michigan that John came from, and gosh! if he didn't know John and everybody else in Tecump, just as a doctor should, and gosh! he was going back there on the evening train. The doctor met a couple of friends and introduced John, and gosh! if them two fellers didn't look as slick as the doctor. Suddenly one of them said: "Gosh! I've lost my pocketbook, and I've got to pay for that bill of goods at the depot." Innocent John loaned him $50, and soon after the trio gave him the laugh and scampered off down the street. The man from Tecump said Gosh! with a long string of something after it, and then went to the Armory and told his story between as many more goshes as are here printed.

The county Horticultural society will hold its December meeting at the Plymouth church chapel on Wednesday, December 2d, at 10 o'clock A. M.

The subject will be "Pear culture, and the best varieties for family use and market."

A general invitation to all is cordially extended.

There will be a forenoon and afternoon session. S. B. MANN, Sec.

D. S. Ward, with Boston Comedy Co., will appear in his original farces.

THE WAR AGAINST SATAN.

It affords us unalloyed pleasure to announce to the public that the Salvation Army is still on deck, or throwing aside the rhetorical figure and speaking in unvarnished English, the Army still holds the fort. They have not gathered in many converts, that is true. Modesty prevents our particularizing too much on this point. But they hold good congregations, and many of our old incorrigible sinners are gradually beginning to see the light. Capt. Kirk is doing a good work and he deserves encouragement. The cow boy needs a new coat and his overalls need mending but his musical voice appeals to the unconverted just the same. The sisters play the jewsharp just as well as though they were clad in silks and satins.

The program of last week's meetings will give our readers a faint idea of the general routine of services as held by the army.

Monday Evening.—Street parade at seven P. M., followed by exercises in the sanctuary. The cowboy performed several interesting tricks with his lasso. Several army songs were sung interspersed with solos on the triangle. A collection was taken to buy the sisters a lot of new shoestrings.

Tuesday Evening.—On account of the rainy weather the usual street parade was omitted. The captain gave a powerful discourse upon this theme—"Roll up, tumble up, anyway to get up." The captain then passed the hat himself to raise money to pay his last week's board bill. When the collection was counted out and revealed the sum of 47 cents, the captain's lower jaw dropped and a briny tear trickled out of his left eye. "Brethren and sinners," said he, "my board bill is due. My landlord is urgent. He owes a sausage bill at Marsh's, and his last codfish is not paid for. My board only costs $1.00 per week, for I pay it partly in work. I help wash the dishes and chop all the hash, but the landlord must have his dollar promptly." The hat was passed a second time and 12 cents resulted. A subscription paper was then started, headed with 25 cents and by this means $1.50 was raised. The meeting then closed with the doxology.

Wednesday Evening.—After the usual street parade, the services opened with a tamborine and cornet duet. The entire troupe then gave the audience a lesson in vocal gymnastics, in which oratory and music were beautifully and harmoniously blended together. A collection was taken to buy oil for the lamps, and two new strings for the tamborine. The meeting closed with the chorus "Hallelujah, won't we get there?"

Thursday Evening.—The counter attraction at the rink thinned out the audience this evening. Capt. Kirk is an adept at skating, and the squint-eyed sister wanted to learn how, so the meeting adjourned to attend the rink.

Friday Evening.—The meeting opened with a rattling chorus by the full troupe, entitled "Way down upon the Raisin river." Questions and answers on the catechism followed in the form of a responsive service. The cowboy then exhibited a few feats with his lasso. Three big cobwebs were lassoed out of the ceiling about forty feet distant from the platform.

Saturday Evening.—A grand street parade opened the exercises. The procession was followed by one hundred and ten boys, fifty dogs and seventeen cats. Upon the ringing up of the curtain inside, a tamborine solo greeted the audience, which made the hair of the oldest citizen present stand up on end. The Lieut. followed with an exhortation to the impenitent, which extorted tears from the rafters and extinguished the fire in the stove. A collection was taken to buy a load of elm blocks and a bolt for the back door, as some evil disposed urchin broke into the chapel the day before and lugged off a dozen song books. The meeting closed with the chorus, "Mary had a little lamb."

Boston Comedy Company.

Ward & Bice's comedy company are playing to good business and giving splendid satisfaction at the opera house, every evening this week. The company is composed of very clever people and their plays are all well rendered. Miss Christie never fails to get an encore when she sings; Miss Lulu Delmo is a first-class soubrette; Mr. Jennison is a capable leading man; Mr. Ward makes plenty of frolic and does it without resorting to the vulgarisms so common on the stage, while the balance of the support by Miss Bessie Tremayne and Messrs. Dean, Core, Barns and Reed is fair. In short they give an excellent performance for the money. To-night they produce "East Lynne," Friday evening, "Won at Last," Saturday evening, that great play "The Secretary" and at the Saturday afternoon performance "A Father's Curse," followed by a choice comedy. Only 10 cents to any part of the house at the matinee.—Howell Republican.

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GOOD HOUSE TO RENT.—One dollar per week. Apply to A. W. SLAYTON.

NOTICE TO RAISIN TAX-PAYERS. I will be at Bill's Bank, Tecumseh, Fridays, and at Lenawee Co. Savings Bank, Adrian, on Saturdays, to receive taxes.
FRANKLIN E. SMITH, Treasurer.

TAX NOTICE.—My office days for receiving taxes in Franklin will be on Mondays and Fridays at Knapp's store, Tipton.
ELIJAH BUCK, Treasurer of Franklin.

NOTICE.—I will be at Bill's Bank the three first Fridays of December and two last Thursdays for the purpose of collecting taxes.
P. J. WELLING, Town Treasurer.

DRESSMAKING.—Mrs. W. J. Grey, formerly Miss Kirkland has removed her dressmaking shop in rooms back of city Bakery, and is prepared to fill all orders.
MRS. W. J. GREY.

C. A. Haynes and family spent Sunday in Dundee.

The Postoffice will be open from 7 to 9 a. m. and from 12 to 1 p. m. to-day.

Wm. Hayden started for Chicago Tuesday afternoon, on a business trip.

May each and all of the HERALD patrons enjoy a happy Thanksgiving day.

An elaborate and delicious Thanksgiving dinner will be served to-day at the Patterson.

Lon Haight is now giving his entire time and attention to his fire insurance business. He has a fine office room over Heesen's Clothing Store, in connection with Wm. DeMott.

The Louisville Courier-Journal is one of the best and ablest Democratic newspapers in this country. In fact, we consider it the very best west of the Atlantic cities. The terms have been reduced. Clubbed with the HERALD at lowest rates.

We call attention to the prospectus of the Michigan Horticulturist, to be found in another column. This is a new horticultural journal recently started in Detroit and should be patronized by every fruit grower in Michigan. It is an excellent magazine and costs only $1,00 per year. Clubbed with the HERALD at a reduced rate.

We have received the first annual trade number of the Florida Times-Union published at Jacksonville. It is a six-column sheet, of twenty-four pages, and is filled with interesting and statistical matter in regard to Jacksonville, and the State at large. It is printed on tinted book paper and is an elegant piece of typographical work. Sample copies can be obtained by sending ten cents to C. H. Jones & Bro., Jacksonville, Fla.

An oyster supper will be given at the Christian Church, Britton, on Wednesday evening, December 9th, under the direction of the ministerial committee. The Britton Cornet Band will be present to enliven the occasion with music.—An election will also be held in the interest of three young ladies—Misses Minnie Ackley, Mary Scott and Phene Underwood. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes at 10 cents per vote will receive a prize worth $5,00. The cause is a worthy one and there ought to be a large attendance.

Mr. T. I. Sutton of Raisin has issued a club price list for newspapers, magazines, etc., and proposes to embark in the newspaper subscription business. He has had considerable experience in canvassing for newspapers for the past few years, and is well qualified for the work he has undertaken. His list is a twenty page pamphlet containing all the principal periodicals in the United States, the regular rate for the same and the club rate which he can accept for the same. A few pages are devoted to advertisements. Postmasters, newsdealers and others who are taking subscriptions to magazines will do well to send to him for a copy of his price list. Address T. I. Sutton, Sutton, Lenawee Co., Mich.

A REQUEST.

The request and reply printed below will sufficiently explain themselves:

TECUMSEH, Nov. 17, 1885.

Rev. J. M. Getchell, Pastor Universalist Church: Dear Sir.—We the undersigned having heard of or listened to your sermon on the "Influence of Fear and Love in Religion," from the text, 1st. John, 4th chap. 18 verse, lately delivered by you, and believing the same merits a larger audience and a more extended hearing, do respectfully ask you to repeat said discourse at your earliest convenience. J. P. Slayton, C. A. Stacy, John J. Adam, A. Stevens, J. W. Wooden, Mrs. J. W. Wooden, Albert Hyde, Mrs. Hyde, F. A. Hyde, G. P. Sparks, Geo. W. Frazier, W. W. Frazier, Joe Wilson, F. A. McNeil, Jno. O'Neil, J. C. Eckles, Geo. W. Knapp.

TECUMSEH, Mich. Nov. 21, '85.

To J. P. Slayton, G. P. Sparks, John J. Adam, Geo. Knapp, W. W. Frazer, G. W. Frazer, J. C Eckles, J. Wilson and others: Your request has just been handed me, and thanking you all for the interest and friendship taken and manifested, I would mention if agreeable to you, Sunday evening, Dec. 6th, 1885, as the time for the sermon on "The Influence of Fear and Love in Religion," at my church.

Yours Respectfully,
J. M. GETCHELL.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 26, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Get your tax receipts printed at the HERALD job rooms.

Judge Howell, of Adrian, was in town last Saturday.

Thanksgiving comes but once a year, but when it comes it brings good cheer.

The Shakespeare club of the High School is growing. It now contains 15 members.

Miss Julia VanCamp, of Somerset Center, is visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

Mrs. Judge Stacy is spending a few days at East Saginaw with her son George N. Stacy.

Beers' Post have an entertainment in preparation which will be given early in December.

Canon Farrar will lecture in Detroit this (Thursday) evening, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Subscribers who wish to pay for their paper in wood are requested to bring it along at once. We need fuel and need it right off.

Mr. Sparks is adding something new to his museum collection nearly every week. The latest addition is a pitcher over one hundred years old.

John R. Clarke was greeted with large crowds last week at Coburg, Ont. On Tuesday and Wednesday he spoke for the 5th and 6th time at Kingston.

"Good Housekeeping" for Nov. 28, will contain an elegant Thanksgiving bill of fare. Send ten cents for a sample copy to Clark W. Bryan & Co., Holyoke, Mass.

John Kennedy, who was arrested for forging paper, was discharged last Friday, as the prosecutor satisfied himself that there was not sufficient evidence to hold the accused.

We invite special attention to our large stock of Seal Plush Sacques, extra quality plush, perfect fitting, and extremely low prices.
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Edgar Ide is uncle now. A telephone message received yesterday morning from Lavern Ide at Detroit, announced the arrival of a fine ten pound girl at his new residence. All well.

Mr. Peter Lott, of Lodi, Seneca co., N. Y., who is spending a few days with N. C. Miller, of Ridgeway, favored the HERALD with a pleasant call last Friday. Mr. Lott is here attending to the settlement of the Lucinda Bodine estate.

John Gibson, of Ridgeway, sold a Banker stallion to a Mr. Southard, of Morenci, last Saturday, for $450. His mare, Birdie G., took first prize at Adrian last year, and also beat Henry K., on the Tecumseh track, winning a blanket.

R. C. Hubbard, of Lansing, has purchased the fixtures and good will of Brooks' photograph gallery and is now prepared to take pictures in the most approved style. Mr. Hubbard is an experienced artist and will undoubtedly get his share of public patronage.

John W. Benedict returned last week from a four weeks' visit in Harper Co., Kansas, at his son Frank's.—Frank has a fine farm there and is doing nicely. Mr. Benedict enjoyed his trip first-rate and escaped the horrid November weather we have been having at home lately.

Adrian wants the New Haven clock factory, that is, the enterprising portion of Adrian wants it. The editor of the Record wants it bad. We sympathize with the Record. The city has been struggling along behind the times for a good many years. A first-class clock factory would be a bonanza for the town.

Al. Heesen won an easy victory at the rink last Saturday evening in the mile race. He took the lead at the start and come in about one lap ahead of Burtis. The Manchester folks will have to get up early in the morning to get a boy to beat the Tecumseh champion. The time made was about three minutes and forty-five seconds.

Charles Heck and Ed. Smith have procured a patent on their self-regulating feeders, the Letters patent having been issued Sept 18th last. They are to be attached to the rolls and purifiers, from which the grain is fed into the purifier or roll. They have been used in several mills for the past few months and work like a charm.—Having procured the patent the firm now propose to push the manufactory and sale of their machines.

At the last meeting of Co. C an election for civil officers was held with the following result:

President—Chas. F. Patterson.
Vice Pres.—Wm. Moir.
Secretary—Geo. S. Field.
Treasurer—Chas. Bell.
Finance Com.—Wood, Doke and Heck.
1st Sergeant—W. O. Osborn.

Capt. Wood has offered a prize of $10 to the member of the company who shall be the most regular in attendance upon drill during the winter.

S. W. Temple went to Toledo Tuesday.

Bert Newman, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Henry McClure went to Detroit last Friday on business.

Rev. J. M. Getchell preaches at Mooreville next Sunday.

Justice Burridge went to Adrian last Monday on business.

Mrs. Chas. Lawrence, of Manchester, was in town this week.

Frank Hall is home from the Agricultural College to spend the long vacation.

Ed. Merritt, of Big Rapids, is in town this week. He will return home to-morrow.

Mrs. E. Langdon started Monday on an extended visit east, at Leroy, N. Y., and Vermont.

Misses Goodsell and Hedges, of Adrian, were guests of Miss Minnie Conklin Thursday.

Lyster Dewey, of Cambridge, who has been attending the Agricultural College at Lansing this fall spent Sunday in town.

W. Q. Burnett returned from his Minnesota trip last Saturday. We are sorry to hear that he is not improved in health.

Hudson Conkling and wife, Joe VanNess, wife and child, went yesterday noon to Lansing where they will spend their Thanksgiving.

Rev. J. M. Getchell and wife go to Detroit to day to hear Canon Farrier lecture this evening. An invitation has been extended them by Detroit friends.

Smiley Watson, a young man in Raisin, did the remarkable feat of husking 140 bushels of corn in ten hours last week for Robt. Boyd, binding his stalks during the time.

The new firm of S. W. Temple & Son is settling down to business in good shape. Now is the time to place orders for building in the spring, before the rush of the spring months arrives.

The usual Thanksgiving recess in the public school will take place to-day and to-morrow. Non-resident pupils will have an opportunity to partake of their Thanksgiving turkey at home.

Why shouldn't Tecumseh put in a bid for the New Haven clock factory? We have a skating rink and the Salvation Army, but we don't feel "stuck up" on that account. Let us have a clock factory.

Jackson has a new paper called the Sunday Times. It is a nine column folio, well edited and neatly printed, and deserves to achieve success.—Jackson is well supplied with newspapers now but a first-class live newspaper in that town ought to prosper.

A lot of Hudson kids got into the engine house one evening last week and started a fire under the stairway. One of the boys then got scared and gave the alarm and the fire was extinguished. The fire department itself had a narrow escape from cremation.

John Conkling and wife returned from Newton, Kansas, Saturday.—They have spent some time in Kansas, but Mr. Conkling's health failing they decided to return to Tecumseh. Godwin will remain in Kansas and run the farm. Mr. and Mrs. Conkling will live with Mr. Robert Boyd.

On Tuesday morning another party started for the "Land of Flowers."—The party as far as we have learned consisted of D. C. Larned and wife of Tecumseh, Charles Gripton wife and two children of Ridgeway, George B. Gray, wife and two children, of Cone Station, J. E. Whelan, of Tipton, and Mr. Jas. Lane, of Raisin.

The New York World has grown to be the greatest daily newspaper with out any exception, in the United States. Its regular edition last Sunday reached 200,153 copies. The weekly World also is a model newspaper and its list is rapidly growing. Subscriptions for the weekly will be taken at the HERALD Counting Room at club rates.

Surprise parties seem to be in style at present. Last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Alva Waring, who contemplate taking up their residence in Kansas this fall, were agreeably surprised by a large number of their friends calling upon them to bid them farewell before their departure, and last evening their daughter Ella was treated in the same way by her young friends. Tuesday evening, Mr. Geo. Heesen and family were taken by storm by their friends, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Captain Connitt, a life-long resident of Chicago, and prominent in politics of that city, came to this city about a year ago to undergo an operation upon one of his eyes. From that date his health gradually weakened and on Wednesday he died at his residence on State street. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Wm. Loomis, of this city, a democrat of the old school, and very entertaining in conversation. The captain was 73 years of age, and was buried at Tecumseh.—Ann Arbor Argus.

The deceased was a brother-in-law to Mr. Nathan Morse of this village, and has frequently visited Mr. Morse during the latter's residence in Tecumseh. The remains were deposited in our cemetery as above stated.

H. M. Temple went to Manchester Monday.

Congressman Ellredge will start for Washington next Monday.

Marks & Russell are renovating their store and treating it to a coat of paint.

Mrs. A. M. Wheeler has been on the sick list for a few days, but nothing serious is anticipated.

Garlinghouse Bros. report business booming at their stable, and they are doing considerable repairing this fall.

W. J. Hastings, and Grant Hanford arrived home from Ann Arbor on Tuesday last and will remain until Monday next.

Editor Samsen, of the Blissfield Advance, went to jail last week. He went as a visitor, however, and walked out when he got ready.

Mrs. E. N. Nichols died last Tuesday evening from the effects of the injury received a few days ago. Her recovery has been regarded as impossible since she had the fall, and her demise was only a question of time.—Her funeral was held yesterday afternoon at three o'clock at her late residence.

L. F. Wheeler has several portraits of prominent citizens that he will sell to any one at a very low price. He has also for sale a number of the views or groups of Miss Julia Snell's school, and the west and north branch schools taken the 25th of June last, as well as views of Tecumseh, Sand Lake, Devils Lake, &c.

The Baptist Ladies of Lenawee association will hold their semi-annual missionary meeting with the Baptist church of Tecumseh, on Wednesday Dec. 2, 1885, commencing at 2 o'clock P. M. continuing through the afternoon and evening and part of the following day. The Baptist ladies of the Tecumseh circles extend a cordial invitation to all interested in mission work, especially to the circle's of our sister churches of Tecumseh. Dinner and supper served in the chapel to which all attending our meeting are invited. COMMITTEE.

Frank Silvers is getting his new stables and office nearly ready for occupancy. The lot is an ell shaped piece of land, with a frontage of about fifty feet on both Railroad and Killbuck streets and about twelve rods deep from each street. The office building is on Railroad street. In the rear of this is a large box stall where Banker will be kept. In the back part of the lot is located a large hay barn, and a long shed containing eight closed box stalls, which will furnish quarters for his other horses. He now has five horses besides Banker, and expects to own some thoroughbred Kentucky stock before spring. The entire lot is surrounded by a tight board fence eight feet high. The buildings and yard are all roomy and will afford exactly such quarters as Mr. Silvers has long needed for his business.

Last Friday evening Beer's Post, G. A. R. gave an oyster supper at their new hall, the occasion being a sort of formal dedication of their new quarters. The first call was sounded promptly at six o'clock and the tables were soon filled. For two hours the new comers were constantly coming and the tables were re-set several times. Wheeler's quartette furnished a few of their best selections; and a very pleasant social time was enjoyed by the company. The hall has been elegantly papered with wall and ceiling decorations and a lot of new furniture has been purchased. The ante-rooms are ample for all ordinary occasions. During the social, the veterans sang several old war songs. About nine o'clock the visiting portion of the company retired and the Post held a business meeting at which arrangements were made for a public entertainment to be given soon.

THE JACKSON ORANGE LODGE.

A letter from Jackson to the Protestant Standard of Nov. 19th contains an account of the establishment of the new Orange Lodge in that city, which we think will be of interest to many of our readers:

F. G. BAILEY, Esq.—Dear Sir and Bro.—I know you will be glad to hear we have planted a branch of the good old Orange tree here. It being the first one in this bigoted city we had some difficulties to contend with. On Thursday evening, 5th inst., the worthy Secretary of Tecumseh Lodge, with nine other true brothers, arrived here bringing with them the warrant and authority to organize Loyal Orange Lodge No. 183.

At 7:20 the lodge was opened in due form, and the undersigned was installed as Worthy Master; John Stewart, Deputy Master; W. J. Smith, Secretary; W. Halliday, Treasurer, and J. Grant, First Committeeman.

After the initiation of some candidates, a vote of thanks was tendered to the brethren of Tecumseh Loyal Orange Lodge No. 60, for coming such a distance in a steady downpour of rain; also for kindly presenting our Lodge with a pair of mallets. After remarks by a number of the brethren, which were of an interesting nature, especially by Bro. James Elliot, Secretary of Tecumseh Lodge, the first lodge ever opened in Jackson was closed in due form.

I might say that after the lodge closed all partook of refreshments provided and spent a very pleasant time enjoying the good speeches, songs, etc.

Fraternally yours,
WM. NASSAU CUFFE.

CLIPPINGS AND CONDENSATIONS.

L. W. Coe, of Wauseon Ohio, has leased Allen's south side hotel at Devil's Lake for the coming season.

The Hudson elite will enjoy a masquerade carnival on wheels at the rink this—Thanksgiving—night.

Dundee narrowly escaped a large fire last week and the Reporter now calls for the organization of a fire department.

Tecumseh's reform club has life enough left so it gave an oyster supper one evening last week. The Adrian red ribbon reformers are too dead to get into a stew.—Adrian Press.

Morenci has a female barber—excuse us—a lady tonsorial artist, who is provided with an elegant plush upholstered chair. The male barbers may as well seek another location now.

Some 20 or more Clinton young people visited the Tecumseh skating rink Saturday evening. We didn't hear that any of them were captured by the salvation army.—Clinton Local.

In Addison, while Christians are praying in church, their neighbors are preying on the hen roosts of their pious church goers. Addison people should watch as well as pray.—Hudson Post.

Some miscreant strewed red pepper on the floor of the G. A. R. hall in Morenci and at the first meeting held thereafter the Post had a red hot time. The Post offer a liberal reward for the fellow's cadaver.

Ridgeway is getting quite a reputation for dealing in gents' furnishing goods. A number of our young men go down there regularly each week, to get their hats trimmed.—Tecumseh Cor. Adrian Times.

A horse belonging to Allen Tew, of Medina, got loose in the barn last week, and eat tew much wheat. He invested in "Puts," and doesn't answer his master's calls now, as he put in more than he could live under.—Adrian Press.

Miss Sadie Taylor, of Franklin, closed a very successful fall term of school, of ten weeks, in the Allen district, Bridgewater, on Friday last. On Monday next she will begin a sixteen weeks' winter term, in the same district.—Clinton Local.

Editor Schemerhorn had three separate notices setting forth the good qualities of "The Housekeeper" in last week's Gazette. Having increased his income by the acquisition of the Hudson postoffice, his zeal in behalf of the Housekeeper looks a little suspicious.

A new idea in weddings is for the bride to go to the church before the wedding and practice her part. The bridesmaid is present, and a brother or male relative takes the place of the groom. By practicing for a few weeks the act is performed to perfection.—Hudson Post.

Editor Scarritt of the Hudson Post has received a donation of a bushel of turnips. Turnips and pumpkins would go well together. Just at present we are short on turnips and long on pumpkins. If Bro. Scarritt will send us a few of his turnips, we will return a quarter section of our pumpkin.

The enterprising citizens of Addison have constructed a new side walk on the north side of the mill dam connecting the east and west sides of the village. If there are any more sectional wars in that town we shall expect to hear of some Addisonian Horatio distinguishing himself by defending his end of the bridge.—Hudson Gazette.

A "duck of a girl" must be very closely watched or ten to one she'll go off and marry some quack.—Chicago Sun. And may be the little goose may get a Michigander for a husband.—Whitehall Times. The Whitehall "rooster" evidently thinks she is "mashed" on him.—Adrian Record. Don't crow on that.—Manchester Enterprise.

Hen-pecked husbands won't take much stock in these puns.

A zealous Tecumseh citizen devotedly determined to save property from the burning dwelling of Mr. George Curtis, secured a large mirror which he carefully carried a few fods from the house and then threw a couple of yards further. Of course the mirror was smashed in a hundred pieces, but it was saved from the fire.—Adrian Record.

Mr. E. S. Holdredge, traveling agent for a millinery house arrived home yesterday, bringing with him a very sore hand. He came as far as Tecumseh the previous evening and took a hand in at the fire which destroyed the residence of George Curtis. He was one of the first to arrive, and supposing the occupants to be asleep, broke in a window, cutting his hand in a cruel fashion.—Adrian Record.

A great many people have called at The Times counting room to see the badge prepared by the editors of the state for Hon. Perry Hannah. A memorial to accompany the badge has been engrossed by Mr. W. H. Hall, accountant for the Wiley construction company. It is only little less artistic than the badge itself, and is well worth looking at. Both badge and memorial will be shipped the first of next week.—Adrian Times.

Lucius Lilley returned last week from a visit of several days at Cleveland, Ohio.

Frank Lamkins, of Tipton, who is now a member of the Law Department at Ann Arbor, made us a friendly call yesterday.

F. G. Ward, of Ypsilanti, and Harry Corbin, of this place, will skate a five mile race on Tuesday evening, Dec. 1, at the Tecumseh Rink.

Boston Comedy Company at the Opera House all next week. Cheap prices. Repertoire—Kathleen Mavourneen; Euchre; Father's Curse; Won at Last; East Lynne; Nobody's Child.

Mrs. Ed. Snedicor, who has been ill for several weeks, has so much improved under the treatment of Dr. R. B. House, as to be able to go to Dundee and Schofield, Monroe Co., to visit friends.

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MADAME SENKI.

What Constitutes an Ideal Beauty Among the Chinese.

To have seen Mrs. Kok-Sin Senki is to have learned what constitutes beauty among the Chinese. Her features, as represented by a Russian traveler who had the pleasure of taking her portrait, are very pleasing, the mouth being of the most approved pattern of that type known as "Cupid's bow," and the eyes full and almond shaped.

But Mrs. Senki by no means depends upon her face for a passport to the court of beauty; she has merely to put out her tiny foot, to be admired by every æsthetic Chinese swell. To possess small feet, as every one knows, is one of the principal conditions of beauty in China.

The question of beautiful feet is one of the first which occur to a man in the selection of a wife, and her merits are greatly enhanced by her inability to stand or walk without support. Thus Mr. Senki is particularly fond of his Kok-Sin.

He is also very glad to introduce her to Europeans, and waives the customs of his country to the extent of allowing her to see visitors alone.

In sitting for her portrait, she beguiled the time by smoking, and occasionally teased a small dog with her foot, possibly for the purpose of calling attention to the size of that member. She could not even go upstairs without being supported by a servant, a helplessness of which she was exceedingly proud.

Some visitors one day played on the piano and organ for her amusement, and even danced, to initiate her into European amusements. She imagined a waltz to be a theatrical representation, and when her mistake was explained, declared:

"Well, my feet could never do it."

The artist begged for leave to make a drawing of her feet.

"Another time," she said, and I will put on prettier boots."

He then asked for a pair as a remembrance, which she promised, and duly sent him. These boots proved to be exactly one inch and three quarters long.—*Youth's Companion.*

Courtship in Cuba.

In those Cuban families which have not held themselves aloof from intercourse with foreigners, the gradual influence of modern ideas has done much to soften the rigor of the old system, which debarred the maidens of a Spanish family from intercourse with the opposite sex, but in many families the old regime is still maintained, and the "amante de ventanna" is still a common sight in Havana. He may pour forth to his mistress, setting within the window, his most impassionate vows; she is the star of his life, the light of his soul, the hope of his existence, but with these abstract delights he must rest contented. Toward a favorite swain a tiny hand may be extended between the bars, a ribbon or other love token intrusted, but the barred windows is always between them, and the duenna always within earshot.—*Temple Bar.*

VITALITY OF FROGS.

A Question that has Agitated Science for Many Years.

How long it is possible for frogs to live without air and food has been a matter of experiment many times; but in the face of well established instances like those quoted it is difficult to conduct experiments that will be considered as being of a conclusive character. That these creatures should be able to live not for centuries only, but for ages, appears contradictory to all reason and common sense. In some cases frogs have been found in cretaceous rocks. The oldest fossil toads and frogs occur in tertiary rocks. If, therefore, those found in cretaceous rocks had been there from their formation it would be equivalent to saying that the live frog could be ages and ages older than its fossil relative. To most people such a declaration would be the height of absurdity. If thoroughly inquired into it would probably be discovered that in each case there was a fissure in the rocks or trees in which frogs have been found large enough for the admission of water and the embryo frog which has developed there. It has been assumed by some that the frog naturally contains an acid which by chemical action on the stone provides that the space at the frog's disposal shall be as large as its body. A second hypothesis is, that not the egg, but the primary frog, scarcely larger than the egg itself, falls into the rock or tree and continues to grow, deriving air and food in the form of small insects from the water that penetrates to its abode. Certain it is that frogs, when artificially secured in air-tight and water-tight vessels, speedily die. Experiments made by members of the French Academy a century ago proved this. Milne Edwards early in the present century included frogs in vessels impervious to air, and the creatures speedily perished. Three frogs were once inclosed in a close box for eighteen months, at the end of which time one was dead, and the remainder in a dying condition. Dr. Macartney buried a toad in a vessel covered with a slate about a foot deep in the ground. At the end of a fortnight it seemed well and as plump as before. When, however, he inclosed the same toad in an air-tight vessel and buried it, it soon died, and at the end of a week was much decayed. Dr Buckland made some experiments which are claimed as conclusive. He placed twelve toads separately in twelve holes cut in blocks of hard flinty sandstone. They were firmly sealed in. The imprisoned animals were buried three feet deep on November 26, 1825. At the same time four toads were deposited in holes cut in the heart of an apple tree and the opening securely plugged. Four others were also placed in plaster of Paris, covered with luting. On December 10, 1826, all the buried toads were examined. All in the hard stone and in the tree and two in the plaster of Paris were dead. The remainder were dying, but some placed in a softer stone were in tolerably good health, and some were actually fatter than when placed in the holes. From this it would appear that in positions where water can penetrate, frogs may live and even thrive, although buried at a considerable depth, entirely away from the light and any visible means of subsistence.—*Chamber's Journal.*

LONG REDINGOTES.

The Materials Used by Tailors for Long Outer Garments.

The redingotes made by tailors are of simple shapes, with double-breasted fronts, and smoothly fitting without pleats behind, but open up the middle of the back from the tournure down. Dull red cloth is also a favorite color for these long garments, with otter or beaver fur arranged as a binding down the fronts and back, with standing fur collar and narrow cuffs. Other red long coats have an elaborate pattern of braiding in black soutache down each of the single-breasted fronts, with Persian lamb cuffs and collar. Very full long cloaks are made for carriage wraps, and the combination cloaks represent a small mantle with a full skirt of another material, giving the suggestion of a whole costume, yet this is all one garment. The French modistes make a scarf-like mantle of seal plush, trimmed with the new wood fringe, or else of fine brown wool, with a wood passementerie nearly covering it; and under this is attached by a belt a broad skirt with plaited back of some other rich fabric, such as frise velvet, repped silk of heavy quality, or perhaps velvet or plush, striped on repped silk. The English tailors use soft cloths with bourette stripes or the poppy red serges for long cloaks that have the fronts folded up to the neck to represent a cape, yet form sleeves that support the arms like slings. For driving cloaks the Irish cloak is commended as luxuriously warm when made of cloth lined with satin; this is four and a half yards wide, perfectly straight, plaited to a band around the neck, and furnished with a hood. Made of Irish green cloths lined with fawn satin, this is useful for the carriage in the daytime, while opera and evening cloaks made in the same way are of cream white plush lined with pink satin, or of bronze plush with salmon satin. Large Russian garments of dark cloths or of velvet have natural lynx or else black lynx trimming that come from the inside of the garment to look like a part of the lining; these have a high collar turned up about the head as high as the ears, with the fur next the wearer.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—A story is told of an aged clergyman, who met a man loudly declaiming against foreign missions. "Why," said the objector, "doesn't the church look after the heathen at home?" "We do," said the clergyman quietly, and gave the man a tract.—*N. Y. Post.*

—General Badeau possesses one of the most important documents connected with American history. It is the original of General Grant's dispatch to Secretary Stanton announcing the surrender of General Lee's army.

Father, Mother, and Three Sisters Dead.

Mr. David Claypool, formerly Sergeant-at-Arms of the New Jersey Senate, and now Notary Public at Cedarville, Cumberland Co., N. J., makes the following startling statement: "My father, mother, and three sisters all died with consumption, and my lungs were so weak I raised blood. Nobody thought I could live. My work (shipsmithing) was very straining on me with my weak constitution, and I was rapidly going to the grave. While in this condition I commenced using Mishler's Herb Bitters, and it saved my life. Because it was so difficult to get it in this little place, and I had improved so much, I stopped taking it for a time, and the result is that I have commenced going rapidly down hill again. Sometimes Mishler's Herb Bitters gives appetite and strengthens and builds me up as nothing else does, and I must have a dozen bottles at once. Use this communication as you please, and if any one wants to be convinced of its truth, let them write me and I will make affidavit to it, for I owe my life to Mishler's Herb Bitters."

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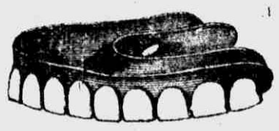

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Delroit	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 59 "	4 40 A.M
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 20 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 31	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 01
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 01	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Rand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Rand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 41	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 51	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT NOV. 1, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 34 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass
P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10
6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46
7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09
8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38
9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
9 41	2 05	Marshall	1 11	7 06
9 57	2 17	Cereso	1 02	6 49
10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 41	6 30
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	01	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Monteith	11 43	
	3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	Av. Allegan...L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 30	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
	P.M.	A	L	A. M.

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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HAND-ORGANS.

Interesting Facts About an Industry Seldom Heard of—Plucky Organ-Grinders.

Up four flights of stairs in a building not far from Chatham square, one comes into an odd-looking workshop. It is a triangular-shaped room, containing a number of benches, several boards of rosewood and black walnut and many heaps of shavings. The place is a hand-organ manufactory. "Trade is pretty dull just now," said its proprietor to a reporter.

"My lively times are in the late winter and early spring. I have been in the business here twenty-five years. It can't be said a regular business—it's all special. Sometimes we are overrun with work when we don't expect it, and at times when we have every reason to expect work, there isn't any. You can't force the market in the hand-organ business. The trade don't change much."

"What is the largest sum a hand-organ ever made in a day?"

"I heard of one who, when there was a racket in the gold-room, cleared from $50 to $60. But, of course, this was exceptional. The monkey part of the business is as good as ever; a monkey is always a drawing card to the hand-organ player. I hear a new trick is to teach the monkey to steal from houses. The attraction of the business seems to be the independent mode of life. Many Italians not speaking English can get along much better this way than any other. A curious thing about it is, that they never think of the really hard work they are doing in carrying about all day a load of from forty to fifty pounds. When a man begins the day with this weight on his back, it easily seems one hundred pounds in weight before night comes. Some of them carry organs that weigh as much as seventy pounds, but they generally break down when they try that. A man may carry an organ weighing forty pounds without hurting himself."

"What kind are most preferred?"

"The weight is the first consideration, the lightest always being the favorites. Next comes those having the most popular street airs. The tunes of Harrigan's songs are the most sought after now, and have been a great feature this summer. One song especially has taken well. It is 'Stick to your Mother, Tom.' Some of the second-hand organs that we have could tell most interesting histories, and have picked up small fortunes. Their owners travel all over, and show a wonderful amount of pluck and perseverance sometimes. I know of one remarkable instance. A number of years ago an old fellow, over fifty years of age, came in here and bought a thirty-pound organ. He started from here with it upon his back, and for sometime I did not hear of him. Then to my surprise I got word that he was in California making money. The plucky old fellow had walked the entire distance to California, climbed the Rocky mountains and carrying his organ with him the entire distance. He got interested in speculating after he got there, beginning in a small way, and the last time I heard of him he was well off. He was a stubborn old fellow, and what started him off on his journey was a lawsuit with a church. The last time I saw him his figure was bent far over, but it could be seen that he retained the same old stubbornness of character."

"What do hand-organs cost?"

"A new one made to carry, is worth from one hundred to two hundred and fifty dollars, but we sell a good second-hand organ for from fifty dollars up. A flute-organ, weighing thirty pounds, with twenty-four keys, and that plays nine tunes, costs one hundred dollars, with a black-walnut case; with a rosewood inlaid case, one hundred and twenty-five dollars. A flute-organ of forty pounds, with twenty-six keys and two stop pipes, playing ten tunes, costs one hundred and fifty dollars in black walnut; extra cylinders cost forty-five dollars each. An organ with flute and piccolo, forty-five pounds and thirty-five keys, costs one hundred and eighty dollars in black walnut. We sell what we call sideshow organs. They come in three different styles. No. 1 is of thirty-two keys, ten trumpets, nine tunes, with sub-bass trumpet and bells. It costs two hundred and eighty-six dollars. No. 2 is of forty-two keys, four stop pipes, nine tunes, with cymbals and snare drum. It costs six hundred dollars. No. 3 crowns the list. It is an automatic brass band, with sixty keys, four stop pipes, thirty brass trumpets, large and small drums, triangles, etc. It plays nine tunes, and in a black-walnut case costs twenty-two hundred dollars. So you see we can get them up as big as a house, if such are wanted."

"Do you make any hand-organs containing small dancing figures?"

"Not many nowadays. I had an order for one yesterday, but it is long since I have made one that it comes hard. Such a one with automatic figures costs about fifty dollars.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

He Remembered Well.

"And you pretend to say," remarked a lawyer to a witness, "that you remember the exact words this man said to you ten years ago?"

"I do."

"Well if my memory serves me, I met you at Saratoga about five years ago and I should like to know if you can swear to any expression which I then made."

"I can."

"Now, Mr. J., I want you to remember that you are under oath. Now, under oath, you swear that you can quote with great accuracy a remark I made to you at Saratoga five years ago?"

"I can."

"Well, what was it?"

"You met me in the hotel corridor."

"Yes, quite correct."

"And you shook hands with me."

"Naturally I did."

"And you said to me: 'Let's go and take something.'"

The crier of the court had to call silence for ten minutes, and the lawyer confessed that the witness had a remarkable memory.—*Boston Journal.*

—English soldiers in Egypt are housed in mud huts. The ease with which they were constructed shows that there is no special difficulty in making bricks without straw.

A SMART YOUTH.

How a Young Man Managed to Establish a Prosperous Business.

Three months ago a young man of twenty-two and his mother landed in Detroit from an Eastern State with less than twenty dollars in money. He had been promised work, but reached here to be disappointed. The household goods were here, and the couple hadn't enough money to go away on. It was, therefore, decided to rent rooms and remain and search for work. The young man made every effort, but was unsuccessful. His money was nearly gone, and house rent was coming due again, when, one evening as he passed up Grand River Avenue, he heard one lady say to another, as they stood in front of a bakery:

"Dear me! but I wish I could get hold of some old-fashioned doughnuts such as mother used to make."

"I've said that every day for the last ten years," replied the other.

The young man followed them home and made a note of street and number. He then laid out all his money in lard and flour and carried the goods home and said to his mother:

"The people of Detroit want old-fashioned doughnuts. You shall make them and I will sell them from house to house. I will start out with the first batch to-morrow morning."

The doughnuts—four dozen of them—were ready by seven o'clock, and in half an hour he had sold them and was back. Next day he sold twelve dozen, and the next thirty. He had struck a good thing and he had sense enough to manage it. He started out to take orders from house to house, and the result was astonishing. Two girls had to be hired to assist the mother, and he had to hire two boys to help deliver. He now fills orders for three hundred dozen doughnuts daily, and the women have divided up the time so that one is constantly at work turning out the goods. Flour is purchased by the barrel and lard by the hundred pounds, and the business finds new customers every day.

There is a lesson in this for the hundreds of young men who roam about a city declaring that there is nothing to do and no way open for them to make a living. They may not all turn doughnut makers and peddlers, but there are other fields to be worked, and, if well worked, must give permanent occupation and fair profit.—*Detroit Free Press.*

EXPENSIVE FUN.

What It Cost a Mistress to Burn Her Servant's Letters.

In the employ of one of the wealthiest ladies of Rochester has been for some time a colored domestic. The girl was young, and apparently possessed of a large number of epistolary friends for nearly every trip the letter carrier brought her one or more letters. Receiving so much correspondence excited the wrath and possibly a feeling of jealousy in her mistress, who was irritated beyond endurance at every arrival of the postman. Finally two letters came for the domestic and reached the hands of the lady, who petulantly threw them into the stove. The following day the postman handed another letter to the girl herself, and told her that she was receiving a great many letters.

"Not so many," she replied. "This is the first one I have received in a week."

The letter-carrier asserted that he brought two only the day before. The girl went to her mistress and demanded an explanation. The lady said: "Yes, I did get two letters for you, but I threw them into the stove. You are receiving altogether too many letters lately."

And she told the story to her husband at night as a good joke. The latter looked grave when the girl threatened to bring suit and the upshot of the whole matter is that the girl has been paid an even two thousand to keep the case out of the courts.

The mistress now has a new girl, but the old one doesn't care. May be she will go to Europe.—*Rochester Democrat.*

ABOUT PEANUTS.

Where They Are Raised and How They Are Prepared for Market.

"Nearly all the peanuts that are brought to this market come from Virginia," said a dealer. "A good many are grown in Tennessee, too; but the central point of the peanut raising business, which is one of the greatest industries of the State, though of very recent growth, is at Norfolk, Va. In old times—fifteen years ago—all the peanuts were imported from Africa. The African peanut was small and round, the shell containing usually but a single kernel. The American peanut is simply the African nut modified by the conditions of the soil in this country. The best peanuts are hand-picked; others are threshed out like grain. In Norfolk there are several factories where peanuts are prepared for the market. They are first thoroughly cleaned and then sorted. The bad ones are picked out by young girls, who stand on either side of a wide revolving belt on which the nuts are thrown. Afterward they are packed in bags and shipped to the market. Peanuts have become a recognized article of commerce, and are quoted every day on 'Change like corn or wheat. They sell, wholesale, at from three-and-a-half to five cents per pound. Best hand-picked fetch about five cents usually. Spanish peanuts, an imported article, sell for a higher price, frequently as much as twenty cents a pound. Peanuts are largely used to make alleged olive oil. Not more than a fourth part of the olive oil sold in this country is real; generally it is made either of peanuts or cotton seed. The only way to distinguish peanut from olive oil is to pour nitric acid into it. The peanut or cotton-seed oil will char, but the real olive oil will not. Most of the peanuts grown in Africa now-a-days are sent to Marseilles and expressed for oil. The latter is sold as a low grade of olive."—*Boston Herald.*

—There is some talk among leading society gentlemen as regards the introduction of lavender and other light colors for trousers and dress purposes. These were in vogue some fifteen years ago, and were generally liked.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

Very Poor Economy.

Some people make a business of cheating themselves, either by eating very mean and cheap food, or else by eating too small a quantity of good food. Either way is as bad policy as it would be to buy a coffin instead of a suit of clothes, just because the coffin would cost less. Poor diet means impovished blood; and that means misery. Brown's Iron Bitters enriches the blood, gives it the iron it needs, and tones up the whole system. Cures dyspepsia, indigestion, weakness, malaria, etc.

After a druggist has filled a prescription it belongs to him, and not the customer who brought it to his store.

The pain and misery suffered by those who are afflicted with dyspepsia are indescribable. The distress of the body is equalled or surpassed by the confusion and tortures of the mind, thus making its victims suffer double affliction. The relief which is given by Hood's Sarsaparilla has caused thousand's to be thankful for this great medicine. It dispels the causes of dyspepsia, and tones up the digestive organs. Try Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

The great sources of the extensive curative range of Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic are its great blood purifying qualities and its gentle aperitive action, thereby removing all restraint from the secretive organs, curing promptly and thoroughly dyspepsia, costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples, low spirits, sick and nervous headache, ague malaria, and all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. The most delicate stomach accepts it with relish. Price fifty cents, of Geo. Ferguson.

Many a man who had lost nerve, vigor and energy, has been cured by Hunt's Remedy.

My son seventeen years old has been afflicted with nasal Catarrh since quite young. I was induced to try Ely's Cream Balm, and before he had used one bottle that disagreeable Catarhal smell had all left him. He appears as well as any one. It is the best Catarrh remedy in the market.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

Mr. A. Nichols suffered from catarrh for years. He purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm of us. He is now almost cured, and says you cannot recommend it too highly. Evers Bros., Druggists, Independence, Iowa.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, 'Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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Vasser girls ate 692 pounds of candy last year. Sweets to the sweet. But alas! they ate also forty bushels of onions.

The testimony of the clergy supplements that of persons in every other walk of life in regard to the virtues of Mishler's Herb Bitters. Rev. Thomas Starkweather, who was long affected with a distressing cold, was told to use the medicine: he did so without much confidence in the preparation, but he adds: "I am bound to say the Bitters cured me, and I own myself a convert to its efficiency.

The best on earth, can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by George Furgeson.

Woman's names adorn more than half the American sailing ships.

Catarrh is the seed of Consumption, and unless taken in time is a dangerous disease. Hall's Catarrh Cure never fails to cure. Price 75 cents. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

CATAARH—A NEW TREATMENT.

From the Montreal Star.

Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been attained by the Dixon treatment for Catarrh. Out of 200 patients treated during the past six months, fully ninety per cent have been cured of this stubborn malady. This is none the less startling when it is remembered that not five per cent of patients presenting themselves to the regular practitioner are benefitted, while the patent medicines and other advertised cures never record a cure at all. Starting with the claim now generally believed by the most scientific men that the disease is due to the presence of living parasites in the tissue, Mr. Dixon at once adapted his cure to their extermination—this accomplished he claims the Catarrh is practically cured and the permanency is unquestioned, as cures effected by him four years ago are cures still. No one else has ever attempted to cure Catarrh in this manner, and no other treatment has ever cured Catarrh. The Application of the remedy is simple, and can be done at home, and the present season of the year is the most favorable for a speedy and permanent cure, the majority of cases being cured at one treatment. Sufferers should correspond with Messrs. A. H. DIXON & SON, 305 King street west, Toronto, Canada, and enclose stamp for their treatise on Catarrh.

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UNCLE ESEK'S WISDOM.

Aphorism Whose Truth is Vindicated in Every-Day Life.

There is a great deal of intellectual activity that is nothing better than idle curiosity, like the fly, its only ambition is to buzz and get into things.

The great art in getting rich is not in saving money, but knowing how to spend it.

Don't mistake stupidity for patience; patience is the humility of wisdom.

Any one may commit a blunder, but no one but a fool is bit twice by the same dog.

The man whom idleness don't lead into mischief is either a very pure or a very stupid one.

Nature makes her own laws, but can't break one if she tries.

Economy is a kind of natural wealth; it is money ever at interest.

To give so as to bestow a favor and not create an obligation is a delicate art.

The more ideas a man has got the fewer words he takes to express them. Wise men never talk to make time; they talk to save it.

Experience costs more than it is worth, but most people refuse to learn at any less price.

Advice, just at present, is the greatest drug in the market, the supply has ruined the demand.

Lies are like certain horses; they can travel farther in one day than they can get back in two.

Take all the fun out of this world and every pound of life would weigh ten.

You can buy a dog for two dollars and a half, but there isn't money enough in the world to buy the wag of his tail.

The poor are more extravagant than the rich, and this is just what keeps them poor; for the sake of one feast they are willing to starve three days.

A suit of clothes that fits a man perfectly is worth more to him than a pedigree that fits him indifferently.

Wisdom without learning is like a sword without a handle, and learning without wisdom is like a handle without a sword.

Reform! is the battle-cry of civilisation—reform for others, immunity for ourselves.

The ridiculous side of life goes far toward making it endurable.

A fool may possibly amuse others, but he can't amuse himself.

Beware of the man who listens much and talks little; he is getting your thunder and saving his own lightning.

A peacock's pedigree is all in the spread of his tail, a wet day takes the glory out of it.

Condensation is almost omnipotent, single words are autocrats, and a sentence is law for all mankind.

Men are very vain of their opinions, and yet there is scarcely any two of them who think alike.

What the world wants just now is less civilization and more of the virtues.

Beware of the man of a few words; he always has something in reserve.

Truth can travel to the end of the earth all alone, but a lie must have company to keep up its courage.

Religion is most excellent to mix with business, but to mix business with religion is not safe.

We get our vices from each other, but our virtues by cultivation.

My friend, does it pay to be a great man? You must be hated by some, feared by many, and, at best, envied by all.

Labor will buy anything that is in the market.

Pedigrees seldom improve by age.

Vice and virtue began life together, and will leave the world when the last man does.

Wisdom can afford to go slow; but if a fool doesn't run he is sure to get left.

The man who is ever muttering to himself is talking to a fool.

The man who has no superstitions loses half the pleasures of life.

Honesty, like charity, begins at home; the man who is not honest with himself can not be with others.—*Century.*

SHE WAITED.

A Detroit Woman Who Wanted to See a Square Fight.

The other day a dog which was following a carriage turned aside and ran into a yard on Park street. He might have expected to pick up a fall and winter stock of bones, but in this he was disappointed. He was about turning away when a dog owned in the house flew out and rushed upon him in the most reckless manner, and in the course of ten seconds there was a bite-as-bite-can contest of the fiercest description. A woman considerably past the prime of life came out of the house as the dogs rolled around, picked up a club lying on the grass near by, and seemed about to enter the struggle. She raised the club two or three times, but let it fall as oft, and finally stood an interested spectator of the fight. Among the dozen pedestrians halting at the gate was a man who called out: "Say! stop 'em—stop em!"

The woman raised her club, but hesitated to strike.

"Why don't you stop 'em?" shouted the man.

"I'm waiting," she replied.

"For what? Don't you see they'll kill each other?"

"I'm waiting to see how it comes out. If my dog can lick him it's all right. If he gets the bulge on Rover I'll even up the chances with this club."

Rover got a neck-hold and shook the stranger until his yells were heard a block away, and when he was finally permitted to sneak off the woman flung down her club and mounted the steps with the remark:

"Nobody nor nothing has been killed as I knows on, and every one of you could see that it was a square fight, and victory for the best dog. Please don't rub the paint off that gate."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A sad case occurred at Jersey City one day recently. Benjamin Gerhardt, a young German, was going home at the invitation of an aged and unhealthy aunt, who had sent for him for the purpose of making him her heir. Gerhardt became sick on the journey from the West and was unconscious when the train reached Jersey City. He never recovered, and his name and history were learned from a letter of introduction to a citizen of Hoboken, which was found in his baggage.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

DIED.

QUACKENBOSS.—At her residence in this village on the 22d. inst., Elizabeth Quackenboss, relict of the late Daniel G. Quackenboss. Aged 69 years.

The deceased was born in Scatacoke, New York, and spent her youthful days in that place. After her marriage to Daniel G. Quackenboss the family removed to Michigan in the year 1839, and for many years they lived in Tecumseh, where Mr Quackenboss died on the 22d of June 1853, aged forty years and a few months. During his residence in Tecumseh he was three times elected to the lower house of the State legislature, the last time in 1852, and in January 1853 he was chosen Speaker. His widow and children continued to reside in Tecumseh for some time after his death and then moved to Plymouth in this state. About three years ago the deceased returned to Tecumseh and has since lived here with her young grandson Geo. V. Waldron. Three children were born to the deceased, all daughters, and all grew to womanhood and were married: Mrs. Alice Lewis who died in 1881; Mrs. Nettie V. Waldron who died in 1879; Mrs. Libbie Laird who now lives in Toronto, Ontario.

Mrs. Quackenboss was a woman of more than ordinary culture and intelligence, with a winning disposition which made her a leader in society during her younger days. Her memory will be fondly cherished by many who knew her in the days gone by. The funeral rites were observed at St. Peter's church, on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, and were conducted by the Rector, Rev. J. Phelps. During her declining health and last illness, she was cheered by the faithful care and kindness of her grandson, George, who did much to soften her descent to the grave.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, November 20, 1885:

Estate of Wm. Smith, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed; application for an allowance for support of widow; order of an allowance.

Estate of Jonas A. Dierdorff, deceased; request of heirs that administrator be authorized to sell personal property; order for sale.

Estate of James Roosa, minor; release of guardian filed, order of discharge.

Estate of Alice J. Gullifer, minor, release of guardian filed, order of discharge.

Estate of Jeremiah Griffith, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Mary Bell Howard, minor; nomination of guardian; order of appointment; bond filed; letters issued.

Estate of Marten E Marks, deceased affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices' commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Edwin Dibble, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond, $1,200.

Estate of Lucy J. Arnold, deceased; receipt filed; discharge.

Estate of Joseph Taylor, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator de bonis non appointed upon said estate.

Estate of Amos F. Morley, deceased; affidavit of publication, final account allowed, discharge.

Estate of Jesse L. Powell, deceased; affidavit of service of notice filed; order reviving commission on claims.

Estate of Wm. Waring, deceased; order of continuance until November 30, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Tompkins D. Jermain, deceased; bond on sale of real estate and oath before sale filed.

Estate of Florence L. Brewer, et al., minors; guardian files bond; letters issued.

Estate of Charles R. Baker, an incompetent person; affidavit of service of notice filed; testimony taken; order appointing guardian; bond $2,000.

Estate of Lorenzo D. Austin, deceased; affidavit of publication; license to sell real estate; oath before sale.

Estate of Thomas Smith, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing December 14.

Auction Sales.

Wm. Randall will sell at auction at his residence on the County line, 3 miles east of Britton, on Thursday Dec. 3, '85, at 12 o'clock M., the following property: One pair work horses, two cows, thirty good sheep, 5 good shoats, 2 calves, fine-wool ram, double harness, lumber wagon; single buggy, spring tooth harrow, Birch plow cultivators, grain cradle, quantity of hay and cornstalks, 300 bus. corn, hay-fork, rope and pulleys, hay-rack, 1 black colt three years old, 1 yearling colt, 1 two year old colt, 1 yearling steer. Terms, all sums of $5, and under, cash; all sums over $5, one year, credit on notes at interest. Abe Hanford, Auctioneer.

C. E. Williamson will have an auction on the old Deacon Wells farm, in Franklin, Thursday Dec. 3rd. The following property will be disposed of: Four good cows, three good horses, eight spring calves, three yearlings, forty good breeding ewes, 13 lambs, one good stock ram, one stack of hay, three lumber wagons—two nearly new—one double buggy, one single buggy, two sets bobs, two cutters, one McCormick self binder, two mowers, two hay tedders, one spring-tooth harrow, one good land roller, fanning mill, new, set of Fairbanks scales, plows, drags, cultivators and lots of other farm property. Sums of $5.00 and under cash; over $5.00, twelve months credit on good endorsed notes bearing interest. Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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RIDGEWAY.

Chas. Kelly to Morris Kelly. Land on sec 17. $800.

Morris Kelly to Chas. Pocklington. Land on sec 17. $1,000.

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C. A Haynes and T R Kyle to Frank Silvers. Land on blk 12, Hewitt's add. $650.

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LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Nov. 16, 1885:

Brown, Miss Julia C.	Brown, Mrs. Mary E.
Brown, Mrs. Mercy	Beech, Jesse L.
Cober, F. H.	Hamilton, Lili
Kelley, Sarah J.	Michel, Brodick
Robinson, R. L.	Snell, Mrs. P. M.
Waters, L. C.	Winader, John

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."
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MARRIED.

GREEN—HUNT.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Macon, Mich. at six o'clock, on Thursday evening Nov. 19th, 1885, by Rev. Charles S. Dutton, pastor Reformed church, Arthur C. Green, of Raisin to Sarah L. Hunt of Macon.

DAVENPORT—WARNER.—Near Mooreville, York Township, Washtenaw County, Mich. on Tuesday evening, Nov. 24th 1885, at the residence of the bride's father, Jessie Warner, by Rev. J. M. Getchell, of Tecumseh, Mich., Mr. Everett A. Davenport and Miss Ada L. Warner, both of York.

Many fine presents were presented to the newly married couple by their relatives and friends. Many were the wishes expressed to them as the hand of congratulation was extended by their acquaintances.

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Beans ₱ bushel	75 @	1 25
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50 @	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00 @	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00 @	6 00
Beef Hides	5 @	6
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8 @	8
Corn in ear	20 @	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel	@	50
Clover Seed	4 50 @	5 00
Chickens—dressed	@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz	@	18
Flour ₱ barrel	5 00 @	5 75
Hogs—dressed ₱ cwt	5 00 @	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ₱ ℔	@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔	@	10
Lard, ₱ ℔	@	7
Oats, ₱ bushel	25 @	28
Onions, ₱ bushel	@	45
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25 @	30
Salt ₱ barrel	@	1 25
Sheep Pelts	15 @	40
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel	@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔	@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00 @	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel	@	87
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel	@	88
Wool	20 @	28

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CLINTON CHRONICLES.

Geo. W. Frasier, of Tecumseh, was looking over his Clinton friends Monday.

George Calhoun and family sampled Bridgewater chickens last Thursday and George declares them a very superior article, if they were raised in the township where Steffanowski's were wont to hie away with ye feathery tribe. They had probably escaped their notice.

Miss Julia Dunn visited Tecumseh last Saturday.

Clinton's perambulators on the rollers did not forget Mr. Cash, the popular proprietor of the rink at Tecumseh last Thursday, but put in a good representation.

Will and Fred Taylor, of Raisin, were guests at their uncles, C. K. Spafford's, Sunday and Monday.

The Woolen mill ceased operations during Thursday last, to give the employees a chance to sample turkey, chicken, etc., "trip the light fantastic," and take in the sights abroad.

Ed. VanDeMark was home for a few days, but has returned to Detroit, where he is attending U.S. circuit court as juror.

The editor of the Local went down to see his Adrian relatives and friends and it is suspected, tested the thanksgiving bivalves that city possessed.

John Hulett has erected a nice little chicken coop on his lot. We have been unable to learn whether John is to compete with Clinton men in blooded stock or make an attempt to flood the market with fresh productions for Easter.

There was a party here last week, contemplating the starting of a rink.

The new barber on Jackson street has permanently established himself and is waiting on customers as they file into his room in the Sturm building, with promptness.

Loren VanAntwerp has taken the position formerly occupied by his brother Will in Frank McClure's harness shop, and our citizens and surrounding community, will smile when they step in and inspect the superb leather attire produced by the combined efforts of Frank and "Lore."

The social hop given by Mr. Brown, at town hall, on the evening of Thanksgiving, was enjoyed by quite a number of Clinton people and a goodly gathering from the country. The music was good, and had the hall been properly warmed, the party might have proven more of a success pecuniarily to its projector. The fire went out entirely, and it was very uncomfortable to stay in the room when not engaged in the dance.

The rollers in the grist mill are in full operation, and a trial of Clinton roller flour will at once convince you of its superiority.

We understand our townsman, D. R. Gibson is buying and shipping poultry, out in the far west, or is about to engage in that enterprise. He is bound to keep busy at apples, poultry or some other commodity in which there is a chance for speculation.

Miss Alice Mills, of Bridgewater, is home from Chelsea, where she is attending school, and we understand, she will improve the time for several days making her friends hereabouts happy by her presence.

Wm. Amspoker, of the firm of Rhefus & Amspoker, of Manchester, and the new market here, was in town Monday. They are an enterprising firm and have worked up a trade that keeps them busy looking up a supply.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark, Mrs. John T. Clark and others of this village, attended the funeral of Mrs. E. N. Nichols, at Tecumseh, last week. Mrs. N. was, in previous years, a much respected citizen of Clinton, and had acquired a friendship in many households here that will not be easily forgotten as a kind, noble and true one. She was the companion of the late Rev. E. N. Nichols who also endeared himself to many by his fathful addiction to the wishes of one who gave the promises to those who never weary in well doing.

The attractions at the Tecumseh opera house and rink continue to attract the attention of our young folks, and undoubtedly will until Clinton has something of the kind.

E. R. Smith has been making important improvments in his residence, that add very much to its convenience.

Miss Florence Merritt has accepted a position and entered upon the duty assigned her at the woolen mill.

Henry Lancaster received intelligence last Monday of the severe illness of members of his family that were in Toledo.

The weather has been very changeable, but most of the fall crops have been secured.

Many additions have been consummated this fall in our quiet little village, and we are entitled to recognition by parties seeking out the thriving and thrifty business places of the Wolverine state.

Miss Dora Randall, of Mason, is the guest of Miss Grace Spafford.

Clyde Marstellar visited her Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Capt. J. A. Riehley and Mrs. Capt. Snell made J. C. Burroughs and family thankful by putting in an appearance Thursday and stopping for a real genuine, old-fashioned visit. They probably ascertained before they came that Jo. was buying chickens and thought that an appropriate time to appear.

L. Bauer, of Tecumseh, was doing the village yesterday.

The union services at the Congregational Church last Thursday, drew a full house, and the services were listened to with manifest interest by all who attended.

A number of Masons from the Clinton lodge paid their Manchester brothers a visit last Monday evening.

The social at the M. E. church last evening, was enjoyed by a goodly number of the oyster loving people.

Richmond, Hogan & Gadd snipped a car of cattle to Buffalo, the first of this week.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Saturday was the only day during the month that was clear all day.

Historical Sunday will be observed next Sabbath throughout the state by the M. E. denomination.

First quarterly meeting for the present conference year, will be held one week from next Saturday and Sunday.

The attendance at the social on Friday evening was not as large as usual, too much Thanksgiving the cause.—The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lester Osgood next week Friday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Loree went to Hillsdale Saturday to visit G. W. Jackson and family.

Ezra Smith, of St. John, visited relatives and called on friends during his vacation last week, returning to Ann Arbor Monday to continue his studies at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Beckler, of Britton, were the guests of Mrs. John Arner Thursday.

Prof. J. R. Miller, of Constantine, spent a few days with friends last week.

One of Morris Kelley's faithful old horses gave up the ghost Tuesday morning.

Bay Wiggins had quite a severe attack with inflammation of the wind pipe last week, but is on the gain at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Clarkson, of Ann Arbor, and Eugene Clarkson, of Detroit, spent Thanksgiving at their father's, John J. Clarkson's.

Miss S. A. VanVleet visited friends at Battle Creek last week.

W. H. Mather and Mrs. R. R. Hall, of Tecumseh, were in the village Monday.

Remember the Literary next week Friday evening. A very interesting dialogue is being prepared.

Fred Fagan and Ed. Harrison went to Union City to visit Delos Harrison.

Kane, not the one who slew Abel, but the one who deals in tinware and rags, visited the citizens of the village Tuesday.

Morris Kelley went to Adrian Tuesday on business.

At the home of David Coryell Thursday afternoon occurred one of those pleasant occasions in the marriage of Mr. Jesse Potter, of Tecumseh, and Miss Sena Coryell. The bonds which sealed their future destiny were tied by Rev. James Wright, of Britton. Although the young couple took us by surprise we will forgive and extend our heartiest congratulations, and wish for them a happy, successful and prosperous journey through life.

At last death came to relieve Mrs. Augustus Montgomery of her sufferings on Monday evening. She has been a great sufferer for a long time. The funeral services were held at the residence Wednesday afternoon.

CAMBRIDGE CLIPPINGS.

L. H. Dewey began teaching school in Dist. No. 5, Cambridge, Nov. 23.—There are 28 pupils enrolled, enough to keep him busy during his college vacation.

On Thanksgiving day a social party met at the pleasant farm residence of Albert F. Dewey. There was a cheerful, quiet company of about twenty by the name of Dewey, and each one helped to make the occasion enjoyable. About 2 o'clock the company gathered around the table which was laden with a bountiful and sumptuous repast, and after rendering thanks to the Giver of all good, they proceeded to satisfy their hearty thanksgiving appetite with the good things set before them. One cannot participate in such a cheerful time without thinking that truly we have cause to be thankful.

On Nov. 20th the autumn term at the Agricultural College closed, and the fourteen weeks winter vacation began. The term just closed has been very successful, with a larger attendance than ever before. There were about 200 students, five of them young ladies. One third of the states of the Union are represented at this institution, and even distant Australia and Japan send their delegates. In our own Michigan nearly every county is represented by one or more students. There were three from Lenawee Co., A. E Brown, of Tecumseh, Senior, and F. H. Hall, Tecumseh and L. H. Dewey, Cambridge, Sophomores.—The last two are graduates of Tecumseh High School, class of '85. They all speak in the highest terms of the institution, the faculty and especially of President Willits. This college is now second to none of its kind in this country.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Large attendance at the Rink Friday eve.

Ex-Sheriff Cairns passed through town last Tuesday.

McCall & Tiffany have returned to finish painting the church. They are staining the windows at present writing.

There were four poultry dealers from different parts took dinner at Smith's hotel on Monday last. Prices from 8c. to 10 c. on turkeys, 5c. to 6c. for chickens.

On Wednesday, Nov. 25th, Mr. Fred. Snow and Miss Alice Kinney, both of Cambridge, were united in holy matrimony. They take in Jackson and Jonesville visiting relatives and friends, and expect to be gone about three weeks. We are not particularly anxious for winter but hope to see some Snow left when they return.

ONSTED ODDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore, of Battle Creek, are visiting at George B. Daniel's.

Frank Darling is talking of going to the state of New York to sell scales.

Bertie Howard, of Tecumseh, spent Friday and Saturday at his uncle's, Wm. Wimple's.

George Hines is buying fur. He bought quite a buggy load last Saturday of that veteran hunter and trapper, Lyman Randall.

Lewis Priest, the shoemaker at Lee's store, is fast making a reputation as a good workman, and seems to have about as much work as one man ought to do.

Dike Daniels married a young lady from Morenci last week, and they have gone to housekeeping in his new house. We wish them prosperity.

The new store we spoke of last week as just commenced, is well under way now, being all enclosed. Napoleon carpenters seem to have a faculty of pushing things.

Fred Snow and Alice Kinney were married Wednesday, Nov. 25th. The knot was tied at the residence of the Rev. Mr. Holt, in Jackson. Their wedding trip will take several weeks, and they will visit friends in Hillsdale, Oakland and Saginaw counties. We unite with their many friends in wishing them a long and happy married life.

BROOKLYN BILLET.

Thanksgiving eve there was a masquerade at the Rink, which proved a very enjoyable affair. There were about 40 maskers and as many more skaters, and they 'rolled' to the music of the Springville band until nearly 11 o'clock. We understand Mr. French anticipates having another masquerade on New Year's night.

Miss Lizzie Culver went to Hillsdale this morning to attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Nellie Wier.

THANKSGIVING IN MACON.

According to announcement made in the columns of this paper, a Thanksgiving Sunday-school concert was given in the south Macon Reformed church, on Wednesday evening Nov. 25th. Back of the desk on the wall hung the motto: "God is good," made of autumn leaves; on either side of the desk were sheaves of wheat, and ears of red and yellow corn suspended by their husks: in front of the desk, stood a rustic stand covered with cones of the Norway spruce, and suspended from it, were bittersweet berries, gourds &c., and just back of the stand, stood two bunches of tall cat-tails crossed. Bouquets of dried, goldenrod, red berries, teasles and cat-tails, adorned a stand and the organ, while red berries hung from chandeliers, and a work basket filled with tempting looking apples occupied one corner of the platform. The exercises, selected with especial reference to their appropriateness to the occasion, consisted of responsive readings from the Psalms, prayer, singing by the school and by the choir, recitations, reading of the president's Thanksgiving proclamation, other selections, and a short address by the pastor. Four young ladies represented the seasons. The concert was enjoyed by all who were present.

A crowded house greeted those who took part in the concert held in the Macon Reformed Church on Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 26th. Songs, recitations and readings caused the hour to pass very pleasantly. Short addresses were made by Rev. Pierce, pastor of the Clinton and Macon M. E. Churches and by the pastor of the Reformed Church. The thanksgiving turkey partaken of during the day had put the audience in good humor, and the exercises were fully appreciated. Great credit is due to Dr. Geo. Howell, under whose management the concert took place; and also, to those who by their services added to the pleasure of the evening.

OCCUPYING THE NEW COURT HOUSE

The Circuit Court room of the new Court House was occupied for the first time last Tuesday forenoon. Promptly at nine o'clock, the Judge, Sheriff and Clerk were in the proper places. The Sheriff proclaimed the court in session, and the Judge said, "Have you any motions, gentlemen?"

There being no response in the affirmative, the journal was read and the case of Smoll vs. Smead, which had been previously begun, was proceeded with. This case will thus become historical as being the first case tried in the new Court House: The lawyers employed in the case are Lamb & Pratt and Millard & Weaver. The jury is composed of Messrs. Jabez Fridd, Franklin; Silas Hurlbut, city; Robert Service, Clinton; Wm. S. Keeber, Palmyra; W. Hawley Smith, Adrian; Geo. F. Harmon, Macon; Walter Reeve, city, Silas Raymond, Rome; George Town, Rollin; David Barrick, city; Harvey Hitchcock, city; Peleg H. Bowerman, Raisin.

Many members of the county bar were present at the opening of court and quite a number of spectators.

With the December issue the prosperous *Magazine of American History* closes its fourteenth volume. This publication, which has done so much in recent years to make American history popular, by presenting it in a pleasing and engaging manner, has now the largest circulation of any magazine of its character in the world. Its contributions for December are all spirited, timely and readable. The number opens with A. W. Clason's brilliant exposition of the part taken by Massachusetts (1778) in the adoption of the Constitution of the United States. "A Chapter of the Mexican War," a most interesting paper, is from the pen of General E. Parker Scammon, the tutor of General Grant at West Point. General ("Baldy") Smith's third paper on the "Campaign of 1861-1882 in Kentucky" brings ingeniously together the scattered facts, and affords a clearer view of that field of military operations than ever before presented to the reading public. His paper on Fort Donelson will appear in the January number. "How we Ran the Vicksburg Batteries," is a vivid sketch of an exciting war scene, by W. S. Ward. A fine portrait of General George B. McClellan (the frontispiece) is accompanied by a tribute to his memory from the Editor. Indeed, it is a strong and substantial, as well as a charming number. Subscription price, $5,00 a year in advance. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York City.

The Popular Science Monthly.

The principal articles in "The Popular Science Monthly" for December are, as is usually the case in that excellent magazine, marked by the vigor of their thought, and the honesty with which they appeal to the intelligence of readers. The opening article Count Goblet d'Alviella, on "The Scientific Study of Religions," defines what are the essentials of such a study and analyzes candidly, and without a tinge of controversialism, a number of prejudices or prepossessions, religious, anti-religious, and theoretical, that must be absent from it if it is to be real and effective. In the second article Professor D. B. King describes the organization of the "Postal Savings-Banks" of European nations, and considers the applicability of the system to the United States. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a numbber, $5 a year.

Even in these days of cheap literature, the most and the best for the least money is the HOUSEHOLD RECEIPT BOOK; mailed free by D. Lothrop & Co., Boston, for one two-cent stamp. The cream of books by Marion Harland, Mrs. Diaz, Susan Power, and others. The Household Primer is also mailed free on receipt of one two-cent stamp.

A compact selection of home and field games for boys and girls is the "Household Game Book," mailed free for two 2-cent stamps, by D. Lothrop & Co., Boston. *The Cheapest yet.*

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RONDEAU.

WHEN FORTUNE SMILES.

When fortune smiles the heart is gay;
The future seems serene and bright;
And hopes of pleasure will come to you
And sweet joys bud and blow
All ready then the toasts to quaff,
To all know you—one is my wand,
And how to use it we must
As demigods we are known to do,
When fortune smiles.

You are the fleet-winged messenger
Who wings your way to my home
And at the threshold of happiness crow
Joy, joy with flowers and wine strew,
In such abundance as to overwhelm
When fortune smiles.

WHEN FORTUNE FROWNS.

When fortune frowns—the changeful dame—
Then matters do not quite the same
Then where are the gay and fickle throng
Who loved you much but not for long?
They have to you no further claim.

Perhaps your erstwhile faithful dame
Forsakes you—she forgets your name
They quickly do add if not sing
When fortune frowns.

How vain youth's dreams of fame!
Your weakness is solely and wholly to blame
Where you were right you now are wrong
And you are weak where you were strong.
Yes, life is like a losing game,
When fortune frowns.

—*Rambler.*

A FAMOUS THURSDAY.

How Miss White Made It a Jolly Thanksgiving.

Not that "Miss Winifred White, who married a fright." This Miss White never married at all, but lived in a neat little cottage all alone. There was not another house in the village quite as neat as hers. The interior was spotless. Never a stray speck or shipping could be found on her carpets; never a particle of dust anywhere, no spider ever dared to invade even the most obscure nooks and corners. The sunshine never faded her pretty furniture, although now and then it did venture in between the barred shutters to make a nice round warm spot for the cat to bask in. Her cat was very proper, too. He seldom went out on a damp or stormy day, and if he did go he tarried a long while by the back door, near the scraper, to make sure that his feet were thoroughly clean before he ventured to enter the kitchen.

The exterior of her home was equally neat. Dry leaves never chased each other merrily in her door-yard, not even a stray goose feather had ever been seen among the blades of her Henderson's best lawn grass. Miss White kept geese. She was not "careless of the comfits and cushions of life." To the latter she was especially devoted. Her geese were her treasures. No other geese in the village could grow such feathers as hers; and so it happened that her beds, her pillows and her bolsters were marvels of softness and comfort. And, of course, she possessed no end of sofa pillows and chair cushions, not to mention a most enticing feathery arrangement for her cat.

Miss White never invited children to visit her. "They do upset things so," she said, "and are sure to get the things awry, and to make such general confusion, that it takes at least a week to get things righted again." The villagers all thought Miss White very nice, but rather fussy. Not one of them dreamed of the existence of a warm, tender corner in her heart, where a deed of kindness was tucked away, which was to be brought out and well aired on bright Thanksgiving Day.

On one corner of the valley road there was a big tree. The village carpenter had fastened to it a good-sized board, which was used as a sort of bulletin. All the festivals and fairs and school meetings and political meetings were posted upon it, for the benefit of the passers-by. Not far from the tree there lived a little girl named Nellie Bird. She was a sweet child. Her life was like a little song, and she was always trying to do something to put a song into the lives of others. One day when she was in the city a gentleman gave her a number of little books and cards. On the cards a verse was printed which pleased Nellie very much; and she began at once to try to contrive some place where she could put a card, where ever so many people could see it. All at once she thought of the corner tree, and resolved to tack it up there. But she did not want her left hand to know what her right hand was about; and so she had to plan some way by which she could get the card on the bulletin, and keep it for a secret of her own, letting no one know who had put it there.

There was a time about the middle of the morning when the village seemed to be napping. Every one had been after the mail and had returned home again; the factory hands were busy at their work, the children were in school; the mothers were in the kitchen making dessert, not forgetting the turnovers for the hungry youngsters; the grandmothers were knitting by the fireside, and the streets were deserted. Nellie did not go to school, so she chose that quiet hour to perform her little mission. And with the card in one hand and a pin in the other, she ran down to the big tree. She found a stone which would answer for a hammer, and soon fastened the card on the bulletin board.

Miss White went out to walk that afternoon. She was going down to the store to buy a half-pound of chipped beef, and she passed the big tree by the way. That little card in the middle of the large board looked so queer that she stopped to read it. The words she read made a great impression upon her; she could not seem to forget them. All the rest of that day and all the next day they kept humming in her ears, and as her ears were large the humming was very loud: "I expect to pass through the world but once; any good thing that I can do or any kindness that I can show to a human being, or any word I can speak for the good of others—let me do it now. Let me not neglect or defer it, for I shall not pass this way again."

It was Thanksgiving week. Miss White never invited company to Thanksgiving dinner. She feared that some of her nice china might get nicked, and that was too precious she could not run the risk. Some kind neighbor always remembered her, and she took her turkey and pumpkin pie might some one else's wing and leg too. But this year those words on the big tree haunted her, until she made a famous resolve—a resolve which brought about the jollicst Thanksgiving she had ever known, and which surprised every one, and most of all Miss White herself.

There were at least a dozen children employed in the factory, poor, neglected little things, with pinched faces and hungry eyes. They worked early and late, and lived in a row of tumble-down tenements on the outskirts of the village. Very early on Wednesday morning, long before the factory whistle had sounded, Miss White might have been seen trudging along the road in the direction of those wretched homes. Before she returned home, all the factory children in the row had been invited to take dinner with her on Thursday.

What a busy life she had! Preparing dinner for a dozen remarkably hungry youngsters was to her a formidable undertaking. But her heart was in it, and she worked as she never had worked before. The cat looked on in astonishment, his hair fairly stood on end most of that day. Before the shades of night had fallen, the kitchen table really groaned with its unusual burden, but it was a happy groan. There was the large blue platter piled up mountain high with frosted doughnuts; there were half a dozen delicious pies, pumpkin, apple and mince; there were cranberry tarts by the wholesale, and loaves of bread enough to supply a whole army; and in the foreground among the other goodies, were two monstrous geese—the flowers of her flock—all dressed and ready for the oven. Yes, Miss White, in her zeal to do good, had even gone so far as to sacrifice a couple of her feathery treasures.

She was too tired to go to church on Thursday morning, but there was more of thanksgiving in her heart than there had been all the years before when she had never failed to be present at the regular service.

Of course, the children all came at the appointed time. And, oh! how they did eat! "The geese, the pies and the doughnuts vanished in a jiffy," Miss White said, and every one wondered what a jiffy could be, but nobody asked, so those who did not consult Webster's unabridged have kept on wondering to this day.

After the dinner had been disposed of, the merry diners-out were invited into the parlor, where Miss White renewed her youth, recalling the games of long ago, and joining in them heartily with the children. She even so far forgot her dignity as to take the part of "old Mammy Tipsytoe," and actually ran through the rooms, followed by her noisy guests. While they were in the midst of "Puss in the Corner," in came the village pastor, who, hearing the hubbub, had rushed in to see what was the matter, shouting as he came.

"Has the sun or the moon tumbled into the sea,
Or what is the matter?—pray tell unto me."

But he showed his approval of the sport by joining in the merry games. So they frolicked and laughed until the dinner was well digested, and then they were ready to do full justice to the fruit and nuts which appeared on the scene.

When, before nightfall, the children bade their kind hostess "Good-bye," it was with the cheering assurance that they had never before in all their lives had such a perfectly splendid time.

The next day Miss White examined her china critically, but failed to discover a single nick. However, she did have a game of "spot on the carpet" all by herself. But she seemed to find pleasure in that, for as she scrubbed she sang, and the song told the story of that sweet peace and happiness which is sure to follow each effort we make to do good to those around us. She seemed to hear echoed the words she had read so often with indifference, but which now were specially significant: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto me."—*Chicago Interior.*

ALUM IN NEVADA.

A Great Chance for the Establishment of a Baking-Powder Factory.

In various portions of Nevada and California deposits and springs which deposit alum have been found, and the article could be produced in any desired quantity. Out in Elk County, near Tuscarora, a cave is spoken of as having been discovered many years ago in which is a chamber, the roof, sides and floor of which are composed of a solid mass of crystallized alum. Two miles west of Steamboat Springs, in Washoe County, is an extensive deposit of the mineral aluminum, in which there are plenty of pure alum deposits. In the upper levels of the old Empire Mine, in Gold Hill proper, seven or eight years ago, parties exploring among the old drift found at one point large masses and crystals of alum adhering to the cap and side timbers which had evidently been deposited from alum springs seeping from above. Some years ago a tunnel was run through from the present main shaft of the Imperial Mining Company, 125 feet from the top of the shaft, through to the tunnel toll road, a distance of 350 feet, under the foremanship of James O'Donnel. He found a nice, clear-looking spring or seepage of water about half way from the shaft to the mouth of the tunnel, which, on tasting, was intensely sour, and proved to be pure alum water. It is there yet, with plentiful incrustations surrounding it. If anybody wants to start an alum baking-powder factory they can find plenty of the acid material in the Gold Hill upper levels.—*Territorial Enterprise.*

—The *Enquirer* overheard a little five-year-old say to its mother last evening: "Mother, I believe God thinks I'm dead." "Why?" asked the mother, somewhat astonished at the remark. "'Cause I haven't said my prayers for a week."—*Richmond (Ind.) Enquirer*

COURT-HOUSE SHADOWS.

Demented People Who Await Decisions in the New York Courts.

"I want to see the Judge."

"Don't insist; you can't see him."

"But I must. I must have a decision. I am tired of this endless delay without cause."

"Oh, you want to see him about the decision? Why, that will be given today or to-morrow. Better go to the court room."

"Ah, at last, thank you!" The speaker was a woman about the middle age, neatly attired in a black gown with a black veil thrown back from her bonnet. Her voice was full of sweet tones and sounded pleasantly as she thanked, with a half smothered sigh of relief, the tall man who had answered her questions. She stood at the half-opened door of the ante-room of the private rooms of the Judges of the Supreme Court. The man stood with his hand on the door knob and watched every motion of the woman as she spoke.

He was a clerk of the court and she was one of the many poor, demented creatures who haunt the Court House waiting for decisions which never will be given.

After the woman had moved away Clerk Knight said: "That woman has been coming here for years at intervals of two weeks. At times she can be seen sitting all day in the court room patiently waiting for the Judge on the bench to hand down his decision in a case she thinks is before the court. Some years ago she became insane and her property was put into the hands of trustees, who pay her living expenses and liberally provide for all her wants. At the time she was committed to an asylum, but now she is at liberty, being considered harmless. In most respects she is quite sane, but on one or two points she is crazy as a March hare. When she comes here it is difficult to get her away. Sometimes I speak softly to her and other times I have to be apparently very cross. You can't tell when these cranks will draw a knife or a pistol, so I have to be mighty careful. She will go and sit in the court-room till the room is closed, and will then go home, and will probably not think of the matter for some time, but when she does she will come right down here."

"Are there many such cases?"

"Many? Well, I should say so. One of the best known faces in this Court House is that of a German who some six years ago was found insane. His wife was made the custodian of his property. He thinks he is well now and believes that a suit has been brought to place his property back in his possession. 'It is a tedious matter, snail-like but sure,' he says when he speaks of the long-expected decision. Every day he comes and takes his place in court. At recess he goes home to dinner, returns for the afternoon session and sits, waiting patiently, till the Judge leaves the bench."

"Do they ever make any disturbance?"

"The cranks? Oh, no. They sit patiently, waiting in a listless fashion, not interested in the proceedings in the slightest degree, and unnoticed by the frequenters of the courts. When a Judge enters or goes out of a room the court officers are always on the alert to see that these cranks do not slip up and play any pranks with knife or pistol."

"Do they annoy the Judges?"

"No; they don't get a chance to come in contact with them. Their letters sometimes are very abusive, filthy and calculated to make a Judge feel uncomfortable, but we get to know the handwriting and intercept them. The ingenuity these people use to be annoying in this way is very great."

Most of the men and women who thus haunt the court rooms and corridors labor under the delusion that they are interested in some case or another. They enter the building and proceed calmly, quietly and in a businesslike way to their several court rooms and take a seat. They are seldom inclined to talk of their affairs, and regard all persons about them as in some way or other connected with their opponents. When they do say anything it is generally in a low whisper. Most of them are interested in imaginary suits as principals, but one old gentleman has been going to court for ten years to give testimony concerning the signing of a will which was admitted to probate twenty years ago. During the weary months when the will was being contested the old gentleman, then in his prime, was a witness. Years afterward his once strong mind broke from the burden put upon it, and by a curious freak he became possessed by the idea that the famous will case was still on trial and his testimony had been called for. Almost any day he can be found in the Surrogate's Court with his old fashioned, high, straight brimmed hat filled with a packet of musty papers, securely held together by a piece of red tape, patiently waiting his name to be called that he may give his testimony.

The hard fought battles at law, the disappointments, defeats and victims of years ago are to be recalled by the faces of at least a score of similar old gentlemen whom the bootblack and the apple vender point out as "court house cranks."—*N. Y. Herald.*

The Love of the Middle-Aged.

As for love, all novels end with marriage. The fervor, the delight, the reality of the passion, we are told, belongs to youth; middle age sinks into dull, gray monotony of commonplace habit. In fact, it is the young whose love finds utterance in sighs, in poems, in at best a selfish monopoly of the beloved one; it is the middle-aged man and woman who quietly sacrifice day by day every hope and ambition, every talent and taste which gives them identity among men; who become drudges, who give health, strength, life itself, drop by drop, for love.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—Some of the most valuable antique furniture on the continent is to be found, it is said, among the possessions of the old Creole families of Louisiana.

A GORGEOUS TROUSSEAU.

Mlle. Nevada's Incomparable Bridal and Professional Outfit.

Mlle. Nevada's bridal and professional trousseau was, a few days prior to her wedding, on exhibition at the fiancee's apartments in the Hotel de l'Athenee. All the American ladies in Paris and the French fashionable world attended this exhibition. There are, he writes, dinner, ball, concert, visiting and traveling dresses, and various easy-fitting and picturesque toilets to be worn at home—that is to say, in the railway car in which the diva will reside during her tour through the United States. A blue satin robe, with long train and trimmed with marguerites and long, silvery grasses and blush jet with silver sheen, excited the greatest admiration. It had a moonlight effect. A traveling pelisse of blue velvet and hat, muff and wrap to match, were of royal blue velvet, lined with soft satin quilted over eiderdown and trimmed with a soft, long, gray fur of rare beauty. Each of Mlle. Nevada's concert dresses is to accord with the character of the operatic heroine whose melodies she is to sing when wearing it. All are elegant and costly, but some aim at an air of girlish simplicity. Others are of regal magnificence, and with the footlights shining on them will afford delight to the American ladies who go to hear the California cantatrice. The pocket handkerchiefs bear the names of the characters Mlle. Nevada has personated. Thus one set are marked Gilda, another Lucia, a third Mignon, and so on. Under garments of cobweb fineness, in which cambric, muslin, delicate linen and Valenciennes and Mechlin laces were artistically combined, were heaped on the side tables. The shoe and stocking department was remarkable for variety of designs, colors, elegance of finish and smallness. For each dress there was a separate pair of shoes and set of thread or silk stockings. Mlle. Nevada's number is seven, a fact which will give some notion of the Cinderella-like aspect of her foot. In the jewels was a back comb with a large spiral ornament in diamonds, the gift of Mme. Mackay.—*Cor. London News.*

WASHINGTON STATUES.

Fortunes Invested in Stone and Bronze Statuary.

Washington City has a great deal of money invested in statuary, and some of it may be looked upon as a mighty poor investment. Greenough's naked statue of Washington cost $45,000, and the statue of Liberty away up there on the Capitol dome cost $25,000. Clark Mills, the sculptor, received great sums from the Government, though he died comparatively poor. Fifty thousand dollars was the price paid him for Andrew Jackson, who sits upon a rearing horse opposite the White House, and he received another $50,000 for his equestrian statue of General Washington in Washington Circle. Another $50,000 statue is that of General Thomas in Thomas Circle, and it must make the tax-payer happy as he looks at it to remember that Congress paid $25,000 for the pedestal, and that the four bronze lamp posts around the base cost $4,000 apiece. Away off to the east of the capitol, in Lincoln Square, three thousand pounds of brass represent Abraham Lincoln giving freedom to the negro. The statue cost $17,000, but it was paid from contributions made up by the freedmen of the South. General Nathaniel Green stands in a park northeast of the capitol at a cost of $30,000, and in Scott Circle, General Winfield Scott has been embodied in bronze for $45,000. Vinnie Ream's statue of Farragut cost $20,000. The statue of McPherson, together with its pedestal, cost about $50,000, and down in Rawlins Square, southwest of the White House, there is a bronze statue of General Rawlins which looks just as well, at a cost of $10,000. In addition to those there is the statue of Prof. Henry in the Smithsonian grounds, which cost a small fortune, that of Admiral Dupont, opposite Blaine's, which represents a large enough sum to pay several times a Congressman's salary, and the beautiful bronze statue of Martin Luther in front of the Lutheran Memorial Church, which cost but $5,000, and is as fine a piece of statuary as you will find this side of the water.—*Carp. in Cleveland Leader.*

DESERVES KILLING.

A Villain in Maine Who Invented a Machine to Abolish Husking Bees.

The romance of corn-husking has gone. In the good old times when the corn was ripe for the harvest the farmer would gather it in great heaps around his barn, and while the moon was at the full invite the neighbors to a husking party. The farmers' girls and boys would come from far and near, and in a few short hours the bushels of ears would be stowed away in the cornhouse, while the boys searched eagerly for the red ears that, according to custom, gave them the privilege of claiming a kiss from some one of the blushing, rosy-cheeked damsels of the company. Then, after the work was done, the happy couples enjoyed the ample feast of pumpkin pie, apples and cider, while the joke and merriment went on, often ending in an old-fashioned dance in the ample barn or on the well-scrubbed kitchen floor. But now, after years of labor, an inventive genius "down in Maine" has invented a corn-husking machine which is said to do the work complete, making no pause when a red ear comes along, doing the work of twenty-five men. Thus is passing away one of the rare and radiant occasions for fun in country life, about which the rustic dreams and the farmer lass paints lovely mind-pictures framed with red ears and kisses.—*Boston Globe.*

—The case of Mrs. Langtry is one for the advanced women of America to consider. If woman is the superior person and, as in Mrs. Langtry's case, can pension off a husband, why should she not pay off his debts? Men, so long as they held to a superiority, made laws against themselves in this respect, and were liable for their wives' debts. Now that women make all the money, do they still wish to shrink all responsibility?—*N. Y. World.*

Danger from Catarrh

When the weather grows warmer, that extreme tired feeling, want of appetite, dullness, languor, and lassitude, afflict almost the entire human family, and scrofula and other diseases caused by humors, manifest themselves with many. It is impossible to throw off this debility and expel humors from the blood without the aid of a reliable medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"I could not sleep, and would get up in the morning with hardly life enough to get out of bed. I had no appetite, and my face would break out with pimples. I bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and soon began to sleep soundly; could get up without that tired and languid feeling, and my appetite improved." R. A. SANFORD, Keis, O.

"I had been much troubled by general debility. Last spring Hood's Sarsaparilla proved just the thing needed. I derived an immense amount of benefit. I never felt better." H. F. MILLET, Boston, Mass.

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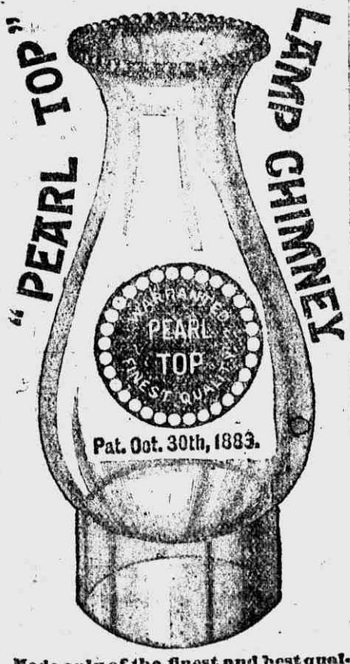

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Where They Come From and How They Are Polished and Made Up.

The importation and manufacture of tortoise shell into combs, hairpins and other articles of that nature has grown to be an immense business.

"I have had forty years' experience in the trade," said the proprietor of an uptown tortoise shell comb factory to a reporter, "and have during my career bought enough shell to fill the Great Eastern."

"Where do you get it from?"

"It is found in several parts of the globe, viz.: Florida Keys, Bermudas, Honduras and across to Africa, around the globe to the East Indies and China and on the Pacific coast to Cape St. Lucas. Notice it is confined to the same latitude in different countries, which is called the shell belt."

"Are there many varieties of shells?"

"There are three varieties. The real or genuine tortoise, from which the finest specimens of shells are obtained, is called the Hawkbill, or eagle of the air. Next comes the Loggerhead turtle, a degenerate, which furnishes a very inferior quality and can not produce those beautiful colors like eagle. Last the green turtle, which for shell purposes is almost good for nothing. The real tortoise has thirteen distinct and separate pieces of shell distributed over his back, designated as follows: Four kite pieces, one head piece, four backbones, two hips and two tail pieces. The extreme edges of a tortoise shell are called calipers or ages, and from these the finest amber colored shell is produced. The bottom of the foot, just beneath the toenails, the shell taken therefrom is also amber-colored."

"Can the shell of a land turtle be utilized in a comb factory?"

"It is considered worthless for comb purposes. Yet it is susceptible of being highly polished, and many fine jewelry boxes are made of it. Carbuncles frequently get on real tortoise shell, eat through and produce a faulty shell, just as a knot in a fine piece of pine timber ruins its grain. The price of the real shell, select quality of cliff (the hips are considered the best pieces and always called cliff) is nine dollars a pound. The caliper and toe-nail shell sells from seventy-five cents to three dollars and fifty cents a pound. But when it is worked up, polished, etc., it is worth treble the original cost."

"Can shell be dissolved?"

"No, it can not be dissolved or melted, although a Frenchman once asserted that it could. The late Dr. Chilton and the noted Dr. Quimby are my authorities on the subject. It is put together by being welded as iron, only with this difference, the air is excluded. Shell can be no more melted than a person could make a beautiful red, yellow or green color by mixing all the colors of paint together. It is said Dr. Quimby possesses valuable secrets in regard to tortoise shell and its capabilities. It would be a calamity if he should die without telling all he knows. Shell can be burned or destroyed by certain acids, otherwise it is indestructible. East India shell and Honduras shell can not be welded together, owing to some difference in their temperatures. Florida Keys and West Indies shell works better than any other. The African and East Indies shell is harder and possessed of a more brilliant color, but has the fault of being too brittle. Shell is a conductor and not porous, because it can not be dissolved. Dark colors usually predominate in all specimens of shell. It is considered the healthiest article yet to come in contact with the hair and scalp. It is a boon to womankind and is manufactured specially for their use."

"What is the process of manufacturing?"

"The shell is first placed in cold water and allowed to soak for some time. Then it is placed in boiling water for several hours. After this another soak is given in cold salt water and a final boil in pure fresh water prepares it for the workman. It is now kept pliable and at a certain temperature until worked into the shape or design required. The final polish is then given and the armor of the rough saurian of the sea is sold to adorn the head of some fair woman."—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

A Shrewd Waiter's Game.

Rear Admiral Luce, of the United States navy, and General de Trobriand, of the army, lunched at a restaurant. The check was for three dollars and thirty-five cents. A five dollar bill was handed to the waiter, and presently he returned with a check and change on a plate. A one dollar note, a dime and five cents lay atop of the slip of paper, under which was concealed a half dollar. The General took up the note, left the fifteen cents as a tip, and got up to depart with his friend. "Stop!" thundered the Admiral to the waiter. "Set down that plate." "Yes, sah," responded the Frenchman. "Now, General, look at this and learn a lesson," the Admiral continued. "The change out of the five dollar bill ought to have amounted to one dollar and sixty-five cents. You got only one dollar and gave fifteen cents to this rascal. You never thought of the missing half dollar. Where do you suppose it is? I will show you," and he drew the check off the plate, disclosing the coin snugly lying underneath. "Our grimacing thief here would have had it safe in his pocket by this time if left to complete the operation. If you had stopped to count your change, and discovered that it was short, he would have picked up the plate, deftly drawn aside the check, and shown you that the right amount was there."—*N. Y. Sun.*

—As many as two hundred needle pointed lightning rod tips have been fixed upon the rods at the top of the Washington monument to catch any thunderbolt that may come flashing down.

—A resident of Los Angeles owns a California mocking bird which he values at three hundred dollars. It is [illegible]

A SENSIBLE SUIT.

How Women Should Dress to Combine Health, Beauty and Economy.

It has been said that "most people dress as they like when they dress like their fellows, however foolish that may be," and that "gregarious folly gives a greater sense of satisfaction to them than does the soundest individual common sense." It is undeniable that noticeable deviation from the custom of the period brings disagreeable prominence to the unfortunate adventurer. From the chaos of costume of the present, however, a gentlewoman, whatever her style of person, may select almost any style of dress she fancies, and be not out of the fashion. But for her to be clothed in a manner at once healthful, economical and beautiful, she will consider herself, her purse and her position in life. She will begin with cleanliness. No soul can be at its best in a not-to-be-respected body.

The economy of one is unwarranted closeness in another. We will, therefore, consider what has been aptly termed the "middle extreme."

Nature asks us to be clean; to support the weight of our garments, so far as is possible, from the bony framework of the shoulders; to allow no manifold cloth to press upon and heat the small of the back, whence radiate nerves and where cluster ligatures and muscles, whose injuries are seeds of suffering and death; to refuse all compression of our vital organs and to have our clothing as well fitted to our shapes as is consistent with perfect freedom of motion. One is more at ease in the cheapest gown perfectly fitted than in the costliest material bungled.

Practical illustration is sometimes better than any amount of theoretical advice, and I will describe, therefore, the manner of dress adopted by a woman who is now, at seventy years of age, the wonder and admiration of all who meet with her. She is the wife of an aged, retired clergyman, and has lived on both large and small incomes. She was not born in what is called the laboring class, but does more work in the twenty-four hours, I venture to say, than does one woman in fifty of those younger than herself. She is the best conversationalist in her town of four thousand inhabitants, reads all the papers and magazines she can lay hands upon, is straight as a dart and steps like a healthy girl. With an invalid husband she has often been obliged to be more or less active in matters belonging to a man's work, and has felt the necessity of entire freedom and ease of motion. The divided costume never entered her by no means "strong-minded" notions. She wears Balbriggan undervests, with drawers to match, in summer; these give way to merino or mixed cotton and wool in winter; over them goes a pair of hose-supporters, extending from the shoulder directly to the stockings, with no belt. Her stockings are long and very good, and she wears Balbriggan styles all the year, as her sensitive skin rebels at wool; but she wears flannel-lined shoes, with heels one inch high, from November to May. Next the underclothing follows a garment which is, in my opinion, the desideratum of a woman's dress—that which carries the whole superstructure. It, with an addition, is what commerce names the combination skirt and corset cover She wears no corsets, but this garment is fitted to her, as a basque would be. Its upper fronts are cut out, their places being filled by gathered pulls. She stitches three cords in the button-side of the front, or attaches a thin, wide, whalebone, encased and easily detached for the laundry. On the two seams on either side the middle of the back, which are four or five inches apart, she sews straps an inch wide, from the armholes to within three inches of their extremities, which are neatly shaped, ending on a line with the waist; on the pendent ends are dress reform buttons, to which the petticoat is attached by short straps, sewed perpendicularly to its belt and furnished with button-holes. It takes only a short time to provide the articles with their straps and the ease of the unburdened back thus secured is beyond price. Dress skirts are furnished with similar loops for using the buttons, except when a thin skeleton waist is permanently attached to the skirt, this being an advantage in winter for heavy goods.

My lady is inclined to think that women dress the body too heavily and the limbs not enough so, and she puts on merino drawers earlier in the fall than she changes the vests from thin to thicker. The cut of her dresses is not unfashionable, and she even sometimes wears the slightest of spring bustles, disliking the massed fulness of the skirts to lie warmly against her back.

The beauty of dress is its tasteful choosing of suitable material, its harmonious coloring and its graceful outlines. These must be matters of individual decision. There is one rule always true—tall women should avoid perpendiculars, and short women should avoid horizontals, as to lines.—*Cor. Philadelphia Press.*

A Cheap Paint for Outbuildings.

Ex-Commissioner of Agriculture Le Duc writes to the *Husbandman*, in reply to inquiries of the method of preparing skim milk paint, as follows: "Skim milk, sweet, mixed to the thickness of cream with common cistern cement—fresh is preferable—and laid on wood or brick, is an excellent paint, more enduring than white lead and oil, as commonly sold. It stood for me on a rough boarded barn twenty-four years, and I repainted chiefly because the cornice, doors and other trimmings, painted with the pure oxide of iron and oil, had faded. The color of the milk and lime is yellowish stone color and may be changed by the addition of any of the earthy pigments without injury to the paint. The lime in the cement and casein in the milk form an insoluble compound. The inference would seem to be that Holsteins and other cattle whose milk is rich in caseine, would furnish skim milk better suited to the purpose than Jerseys or [illegible]

A Railroad Man's Views.

Mr. Hickson, the agent in Toronto, Canada, of the New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railroad Company, is well-known throughout the Dominion. He writes that for several weeks his little girl was ill with bronchitis. He used different preparations and also had her treated by a physician, but without effect. Finally, he tried Red Star Cough Cure, and before one bottle was finished she was perfectly well.

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As well as the handsomest, and others, are invited to call on Baker & Hall, and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

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It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Baker & Hall will give any person a trial bottle free of cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. Price 50 cents and $1.

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Neuralgic pain is usually of an intensely sharp, cutting or burning character, and is either constant or intermittent. To relieve this torture and effect a speedy and permanent cure rub thoroughly with Salvation Oil, the greatest pain cure on earth. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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Judge of a government by the men it produces. Judge of a man by his deeds, a tree of its fruits, a medicine by its results. Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which contains the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. A safe and speedy remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Sold by Geo. Ferguson in fifty cent and dollar bottles. Healing to the lungs. Safe and pleasant for children.

Taken together, all the beauties of art and nature do not interest the inquisative female so much as the view she gets through the key hole.

How many bald heads you see Work, worry, disease, dissipation These do it. Parker's Hair Balsam stops falling hair and restores gloss and youthful color. Exceptionally clean, elegant, a perfect dressing, not greasy. Prevents daudruff.

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"I would not live always, I ask not to stay." We do not wonder, with such a cold as yours, but there is a bright side to every thing, and sunshine even to those racked with pain. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup never fails to cure the most stubborn cough.

Dr. Blecken, of Minneapolis, says: "I shall use Hunt's Kidney and Liver Remedy in dropsy and kidney disease hereafter."

Rev. Anthony Atwood, of Philadelphia, says: "Hunt's Kidney and Liver Remedy has cured my wife of dropsy in its worst from."

They say "a word to the wise is sufficient," but we think it takes about five, "Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup." You can get this article in any drug store for twenty-five cents. Physicians recommend it.

Clara Louise Kellogg is to receive $12,000 for singing twenty nights in Paris.—$600 a night! No wonder she is in love with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup the great remedy for coughs and colds, for what would she do without it, if she should be attacked suddenly by hoarseness?

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A new light is thrown on the subject of Consumption by Dr. Kemp, discoverer of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and lungs. A remedy that has proved itself to be a remarkable compound. It does its work thoroughly, stopping a hacking cough instantly. Soldby Bakor & Hall. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Get one.

C. A Wright & Co., wish to state that they have at last found an article they can sell on its merits. It is with pleasure we guarantee to the public Acker's English Remedy as a sure and never failing cure for Asthma, Coughs, Whooping Cough, Croup, and all lung Troubles. It is the standard remedy for consumption. We have never found its dqual.

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C. A. Wright & Co. wish to make an assertion, which they can back with a positive guarantee. It is about Acker's Blood Elixir. We claim for superior merits over all other remedies of its kind, and guarantee, for it a positive and sure cure for Rheumatism, Syphillis, and all blood disorders. It frees the skin from spots and disease, and leaves the complexion clear. Ask us about it.

Cheney's Stomach and Liver Regulator cures constipation. Price $1,00. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Flouring Mill on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next, (1885) at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to me as assignee in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (fractional) of section number three (3) township number six (6) south, of range number four (4) east, containing about thirty-eight acres of land, more or less, except about half an acre on east side of the pond, deeded to Nehemiah M. Sutton. Also that small piece of land on the east side of the northwest quarter of said section three (3) which lies east of the west line of a highway which runs nearly along the quarter section line through the north half of said section, being the same piece formerly deeded by John and Betsey Bangs to Samuel Satterthwaite, containing forty-seven-hundredths of an acre of land. Also so much of the following described piece of land which lies south of the center of a highway running nearly east and west through the same: Beginning at the southwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three, (3); thence north along the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, nine chains and twenty (9.20) links; thence east parallel with the quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links; thence south parallel with said first course nine chains and twenty (9.20) links to the quarter section line; thence west along said quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links to the place of beginning, containing about five acres of land. Also so much of said five acres of piece lying north of the center of said highway, running nearly east and west through the same, described as follows, to wit: Beginning fifty links south of the southwest corner of a lot of land formerly owned by Jerome Cleveland; thence north to the said southwest corner and along the west side of said Cleveland lot to the northwest corner of the same; thence west along the south line of land formerly owned by Nehemiah M. Sutton to the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section; thence south along said line to the center of said highway; thence east along the center of said highway to the place of beginning.

Also that certain piece of parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the center stake of said section three (3) thence running north eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes (89 27) east along the quarter section line twenty-five chains and ten (25.10) links to a point five chains and forty-three (5.43) links east of the corner between the east and west halves of the southeast quarter of said section; thence south forty (40) minutes west, three chains and seventy-one (3.71) links to a post; thence south eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes west parallel to said quarter section line eight chains and eighty (8.80) links to a post standing on the top of the high bank of the River Raisin; thence south eighty-eight degrees and fifty-five (88 55) minutes west, seven chains and nine (7.09) links to the center of a black oak tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the high bank of said River Raisin; thence south sixty-seven degrees and forty (67 40) minutes west across said river five chains and thirty-five (5.35) links to the north side of a large basswood tree standing near the water's edge and in the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence south thirty-eight (38) degrees (east) along said line to the center of said section the place of beginning, one chain and eighty-four (1.84) links, containing eight acres and sixty-one hundredths of an acre of land, excepting and reserving from the same a piece of land lying on the east and south eastern part of the same heretofore deeded by Asa Tuttle to Elwood Comfort. Also so much of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three (3) as is now flowed by the Raisin Mills Mill Pond with the right and common head of water as it has been held.

Also the full right and privilege to hold the Raisin Mills mill property pond at such a height and with such a head as it has been held since the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine (1859) and to flow and damage thereby when so held, the following described parcels and tracts of land, to wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section three (3) aforesaid in the town of Raisin, and that other piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee county and state of Michigan: Beginning thirty-one (31) links east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four, township five south of range four east, running thence north four and a-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links; thence north fourteen and a-half degrees east, two chains and ninety-seven (2.97) links; thence north seventy-three and three-quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains (12) to an elm tree about six inches in diameter, at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river, thence following down the margin of the river on the north, north-east and east, until it intersects the section and township line; thence west on said line to the place of beginning.

Also that other parcel of land beginning on the north boundary of the last above described piece at a point where the east bank of the old saw mill race enters the river, running thence northerly along the easterly bank of said race to the center of a highway running nearly east and west; thence east along the center of said highway about fifty links (50) to a stake; thence north seventeen and one-half degrees (17½°) east, seven chains and thirty-seven (7.37) links to a stake on the top of the high river bank, thence south eighty-eight degrees (88°) west, down the steep bank about fifty (50) links to a stake on the side of the old mill pond; thence down along the edge of the old mill pond and river so as to include all the old saw mill to a white oak sapling standing on the bank of the river below the said saw mill, a corner of the mill land as formerly surveyed; thence south fifty-one (51) degrees east, one chain and sixty-five (1.65) links; thence south sixteen and one-half (16½) degrees west, about two chains (2) to the margin of the river; thence down along the margin of the river to the place of beginning together with the mill privilege connected with the same.

Together with all and singular, the buildings water power and machinery connected therewith, and all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise pertaining.

Tecumseh, Mich., November 4th, 1885.
Terms of sale, cash.

EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of December, 1885 and on the 26th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of October A.D. 1885, are allowed by the said court for creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 26th, 1885.

ALEXANDER RICHARD,
HORACE B. HOLDRIDGE,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor deceased.

The under-signed having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenna in said County, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the second day of January, 1886, and on the 4th day of May 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 3rd day of November 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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DEATH OF THE VICE PRESIDENT.

The sudden death of Vice President Hendricks has stirred the hearts of the people and awakened their livliest sympathies. Political friends and foes alike speak of the departed statesman with the kindest words. Personal enemies he had none. His private life was blameless and beyond reproach, and he will take rank among the brightest and best of America's public men.

We gather from our exchanges a few eulogistic notices which show the high esteem entertained for the foremost Indiana statesman in all sections of our land.

The Toledo Bee says:

Thomas Hendricks was a giant Democrat, a giant statesman. He was a man of the people—in thought and feeling and action, he was fully alive to the best interests of the people.—He was a man of broad mind, a big heart filled with patriotic devotion, and of an integrity of purpose which failed not amid difficulties the most stupendous. In private and social life he was one of the most genial and accessible of men, unostentatious in a marked degree. In his manners he was uniformly gentle, modest, unassuming, yet on occasions he was an intellectual and aggressive gladiator in the arena of debate where principle was involved, and the peer of the greatest. He had the appreciation and confidence of the people, not only of his own state, but of the country.

The Louisville Courier Journal says:

Mr. Hendricks was less conspicuous for brilliant talent than for a level head, a cool judgment, and a kind heart. He rarely lost his balance.—He was a steady partisan, but neither implacable nor extreme. His powers of persuasion were very great. He impressed an audience with his sincerity and his amiability. A more plausible vote-catching speaker has seldom appeared in our political annals. In his personal relations he was courteous and tolerant to the last degree. It may be doubted whether he left an enemy behind him, for, despite his strong points of intellect and character, malice could not but pass him by. The mistake of his life was his separation from Mr. Tilden and the idea of the "old ticket" in 1880, but for which he would have been nominated and elected President, Mr. Tilden declining to be a candidate then as he did four years later. But notwithstanding this error in a career singularly free from errors, and the resentment which followed it, Mr. Hendricks had a strong hold upon the confidence and affections of his party, as was shown by that wonderful demonstration in the Chicago convention, where he was nominated for Vice President.

The Detroit News says:

His long career, unblemished by personal dishonor, and his amiable character endeared him to thousands of people in the West, and his recent adhesion of what may be called "stalwart" Democracy, as against the mugwump tendencies of the administration, brought his name into prominence in the East as a possibility in the next Presidential campaign. The regret which is felt at his sudden death is tempered by the knowledge that he had lived a happy and comparatively long life, and that the blow, which must have come soon in any event, was gently dealt, and found him in the midst of honors. It is under such circumstances that all wise men should wish to die.

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MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

Two inches of snow was reported at Mackinaw last Sunday.

Grand Rapids grocers will publish weekly lists of dead beats.

Business in all the manufacturing establishments in Owosso is very brisk.

Gratiot county pays $2,000 per year for the medical and surgical attendance on its poor.

Three cars of iron for the new bridge at Allegan have arrived there and two more are to come.

More than $70,000 was expended on the addition to the Battle Creek sanitarium built this season.

County Treasurer Kingsbury has collected in Muskegon county the past year for liquor taxes $32,265.

P. H. Rouse of Saline has harvested this fall 600 bushels of corn from four and three fourth acres of land.

Paul Bean, of St. Joseph, shot himself dead Saturday. Family troubles are supposed to be the cause.

Mary Ervine, of Grand Rapids, has been in jail twice in the past week for drunkenness. She is 80 years old.

J. F. Schoeble, of Ann Arbor, buried his wife two weeks ago and he died Sunday. Three children survive.

D. Higdon, employed at the Jackson tile works, hurt his foot badly Friday, a 200 pound tile press falling upon it.

The total number of children of school age in Hillsdale county is 9, 462 and the total apportionment is $6,813.

The Lapeer common council have tired of standard time and have ordered the town clock set ahead to the old time.

Charles F. W. Burchardt, of East Jordan has been pronounced insane. He imagines himself a son of Emperor William.

The Innes Rifles, company K, second regiment, at Grand Rapids, have received their guns and expect their uniforms this week.

The Lansing water works board have accepted the offer of the state auditor to pay $1,200 annually for water at the State capitol.

James Jackson, the life convict pardoned by Gov. Alger, spent over half his life in prison. He was the third man sentenced to Jackson.

The family of Michael McCauley, of Jackson, have all been made very sick by eating pork, the symptoms being those of animal poisoning.

The $10,000 bonds issued by the village of St. Louis, to encourage manufactories, have been disposed of to Spitzer & Co., Toledo, for $9,000.

Charles Morey, living two miles south-east of Reading, will build a large fish pond. There is talk of the state carp pond being located there.

A man by the name of Albert Haight was very seriously injured near Houghton lake on a logging road. His left leg and side was badly jammed, but he may recover.

A Detroit man was put in durance vile for the gigantic sin of stealing a Thanksgiving turkey. "Gobbled" by the police, he had no Thanksgiving dinner and gave no thanks.

Thanksgiving day was the second anniversary of the Salvation army at Grand Rapids, and those erratic saints fairly made "Rome howl" with their drums and pantominic worship.

The Menominee booms will contain an amount of logs estimated to make 300,000,000 feet of lumber, after the mills have been shut down. These logs will make a spring beginning.

A charming war widow, of St. Louis, recently received a $2,000 back pension. Her winning ways brought easy affidavits, and now an investigation is to be held to ascertain the virtue of the affidavits.

Weasles, mink and the Stefanowski boys have nearly depopulated the hen roosts about Manchester. The imprisonment of the "Steffs" give the other animals something like a fair show at what poultry there is left.

The Salvation people have so recruited their forces at Jackson that they now feel strong enough to make a raid in every school district in the county, and by the help of the Lord and a tambourine they mean to do it this winter.

East Saginaw police think they have found a clue to recent burglaries in that city. A lot of burglar tools has been found in William Cue's grocery store, and Charles Rayse, clerk in the store, who came from Toledo, has been arrested.

While attending a revival meeting at the M. E. church, at Nashville, last week, Leviticus McKinnis went violently insane, and imagining that the Rev. Mr. Grinnell was the devil, which was wrong, made a savage assault upon him, but was captured and confined before doing any damage of moment.

The governor has issued orders for pardons as follows: Emery Hartford, sentenced to Jackson from Kent Co., in 1874 for 25 years for rape. William Flannigan, sentenced to Jackson from Allegan county in 1877, for 12 years, for manslaughter. Joseph Hitchcock, sentenced to Jackson from Ingham county 33 years ago for life, for murder.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES.

Thanksgiving day was very generally observed in Tecumseh. The business houses were all closed during the day. People attended religious services in the forenoon and the afternoon was devoted to family re-unions and social gatherings. Divine services were held at St. Peter's Church, at the Universalist Church, and at the Baptist Church—the Baptist, Presbyterian, and Methodist congregations joining in a union service at the latter place.

At the Episcopal Church.

At St. Peter's Church the usual Thanksgiving service was read from the liturgy with appropriate musical selections by the choir, followed by a brief discourse from the rector, Rev. J. Phelps, of which the following is an imperfect synopsis. We should be pleased to give the same in full but lack of space precludes our doing so. We present the introductory and closing portions:

The great object of this service is to make a public recognition of God's Providence in temporal, as well as spiritual things. For we are too apt to allow ourselves to get into the way of thinking that the fruits of the earth, and all material blessings, as well as public peace and tranquility, are simply the result of natural laws, or the unaided results of our own efforts. But although it is true, that if a man does not plant neither shall he reap; yet God giveth the increase. God has indeed given to us fixed laws, and appointed certain means for attainment of desired results, yet He will prosper and bless the means, or withhold the blessing as shall please Him. He is the author of Nature's laws, as of all things else, and the elements are subject to His control, not only "wind and storm, fulfilling His word, but also gentle rains and showers. A good season or bad, prosperity or adversity is His overruling care. God gives awards temporal as well as allotments, and these as readily as inducements to a virtuous and godly life. For all the exalted hopes springing from a true faith in Christ our Saviour; for the establishment of His Kingdom among men, we may well bless and magnify His name. Finally, for all these blessings which are given us so fully to enjoy, religious, civil, political and personal; let us strive to cherish obedient, thankful and generous hearts. We have received conspicuous shares of His bounty. By His Providential hand the clouds of adversity and gloominess have been greatly dispersed, and the hope of prosperity enlivened. Contentment and peace are passed in a large degree. Hope, that great incentive to patient and successful labor stimulates the energies of our people. May our thanks be commensurate with our blessings; thus shall we continue to have, and to enjoy these blessings of the life that now is, and of that which is to come.

At the Universalist Church.

The singing was by the chorus choir which finely rendered an opening anthem of gratitude, praise and prayer. After which followed the scripture lesson, hymns, prayer and sermon.—The discourse by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Getchell, was based upon words taken from Psalm 144:12-15.

The attendance was good, Beers' Post No. 140 attending with some 30 members or more, while the general public seemed to have taken interest in the theme previously announced, "The Ideal Nation."

Rev. Getchell first spoke of the President's proclamation and that of the Governor of our State. After brief mention of their import he alluded to the fact of Thanksgiving Day having become not a day for New England alone, but a national festival. Of its stepping over state and sectarian boundaries. That the anthem of Thanksgiving blends with the sweet chimes of Christmas and the carol of Easter echoes with joy around the world. Thus, if Christmas recalls the advent of Christ and christianity; if Easter celebrates the resurrection; then Thanksgiving Day reminds us of one of the great political and religious events in the history of the ages.

The next thought was that of the sublime idea of real gratitude. The spirit of actual thankfulness being probably the grandest achievement of the human race. Almost divinity itself. Heartfelt gratitude comes only at long intervals. In all christendom with its centuries only to one divine being named Jesus.

Then the speaker presented some ideas regarding the question:—Why does the day so long foretold of "The Ideal Nation" come with such seeming slow footsteps? Under this head mentioned the totality of human effort; the infancy of human thought; of human wrongs and vices which assure that the "walk and conversation" of humanity was not as yet, wholly "in heaven," and alluded to the triumphs and prophetic feeling of the hour. That if one may predict the future of the nation by the past then the closing of this century and the incoming of the next will bring it in its achievement and progress to grander summits of wonder, utility and triumph.

Following this, some interesting statistics were given, and how they were sounding to the kingdoms of the earth the trumpet of peace. How they represented a psalm of gratitude that had echoed around the globe. Were the hand of Providence shaping the destiny of the millions and ushering in the new day of the kingdom of Jesus. God's answer when we prayed, "this day our daily bread."

Then the reforms of our time were mentioned and how they pointed as the index finger of heaven to the incoming day of the fifth gospel of the kingdom of Christ.

At this point there were introduced some most touching thoughts to the comrades present and how the morning hour of "The Ideal Nation comes apace.

Then reference was made to our state, that of Michigan, and her momentous part in securing the glorious results of an ideal nation. Her sons and daughters chorus anew the sublime psalm of righteousness, gratitude and joy.

The closing of the sermon touched upon the thought of how the nation may be glad in God, and we sing as our hymns of Thanksgiving, that He bless all within our borders, all who mingle in our industries; who work for freedom; who flock to our land to earn their bread and make liberty sublime. If arising high and higher yet, keeping step to the eternal march song of the Most High, becoming more and more like the divine teacher of Nazareth, and thus the day of "The Ideal Nation" dawns, and "our sons be as plants grown up in their youth; our daughters as corner stones, polished after the similitude of a palace; * * That there be no breaking in, nor going out; that there be no complaining in the streets. Happy is that people in such a case; yea, happy is that people, whose God is Jehovah."

The closing hymn was America and the congregation all joined with the choir in singing it with a new spirit and the understanding also. The G. A. R's sang with a will, as if their hearts were touched with loyality, gratitude and prayer.

At the Baptist Church.

Here the music was rendered by the Baptist Choir and the sermon was preached by Rev T. G. Potter of the M. E. church; He took his text from Ps. 16, 6. "The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places; yea, I have a goodly heritage." Never did these statements apply to the circumstances and condition of any people with such peculiar force, as they do to the people of this great nation at the present time. Considered geographically, how magnificent our heritage. Vast in extent, compact in form, wonderful diversity of climate, soil and products. How innumerable and inexhaustible the accessible sources of wealth. What matchless facilities for agriculture, manufactures and commerce. Human intelligence and energy find here an appropriate sphere. Boundless fields invite enterprise. The infinitude of occupations afford congenial employment for all. The nature must be torpid that is not excited to efforts by the solicitations of unequaled opportunities. How surely and readily the door to reasonable prosperity opens to all who are industrious and temperate.

Socially considered: "Our lives have fallen in peculiarly pleasant places." We admit that the people of other lands have valid and extensive claims to social excellence. In other countries may be found samples of social perfection fully equal to our very best specimens. We admit that we have some very serious and sad social defects, But we claim that our average social grades entitles us to the van in the merit of social progress. Here the blighting curse of social cast has not fallen. The only social classification among us is due to natural attraction. Here the wealthy are not reared in indolence and luxury, and the few who are soon find the way back to poverty. Here wealth neither receives nor demands eringing homage and fulsome adulation. Those who acquire wealth know how to appreciate honest toil, and seldom sneer at the struggles of poverty. We see but few exhibitions here of pompous self-importance. Our most distinguished men are modest and agreeable.

Considered politically, How wonderful our circumstances. There is not at present, there has not been in the past any nation equal to ours. Here personal liberty exhibits its highest conceivable manifestations. Every one may act just as he may feel disposed, unless he invades the rights of others. Here legal equality is not a myth, we have no privileged classes. Yet understanding the latitude given to liberty, persons and property are as safe here as elsewhere. The highway of political preferment is open to all who desire political distinction. Ability and integrity arising out of obscurity, often win in the contest, with fortune's favorites. Our people promptly and cheerfully accept the verdict of the ballot and legally support the administration. Champions of liberty in other countries have accomplished much which entitles them to respect. The founders of our government are justly entitled to the admiration and gratitude of all mankind.

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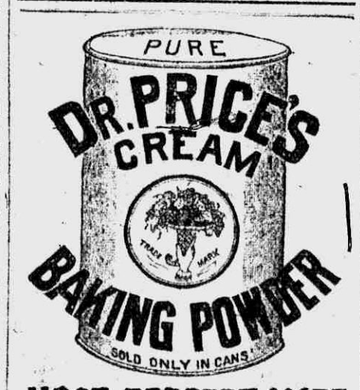

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Go to the G. A. R. Camp Fire next Monday evening.

Dr. A. Conklin, of Manchester, was in town last Tuesday.

Sneak thieves in Hudson steal pantaloons off the clothes lines.

Remember the G. A. R. entertainment next Monday evening.

Mrs. W. L. Hall, of Adrian, is spending this week among her old Tecumseh acquaintances.

Daniel Palmer, of Ogden, has become insane and will be taken to the Kalamazoo Asylum.

The Dundee consolidated band are arranging for a grand masquerade ball on Christmas Eve.

Mrs. C. E. Conley, of Detroit, is in town attending the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society's convention.

The marriage of Mr. Irving S. Osborne and Miss Fannie Bottom takes place at noon to-day at the residence of Mrs. Dunn.

M. P. Brown has been kept busy this week taking photos of Aaron Palmer. He had a negative, recently taken, in his studio.

Geo. L. Graves, Esq., of Milwaukee, is in town. He came out yesterday to attend I. S. Osborne's wedding and will remain two or three days.

The semi-annual meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Lenawee Association began its session yesterday afternoon at the Baptist church. The meeting continues to-day.

Tom Navin, ex-mayor of Adrian, spent a pleasant day at the Jackson prison Thursday. His father and brother visited him, and remained an hour. Tom still persists in believing that he is suffering justly for his crimes, which robs his career of much that might otherwise make it a romance.—Detroit Journal.

Rev. Mr. Adkins will be here this week to commence his pastorate with the Baptist church, and will occupy the pulpit of that church next Sunday. Installation services will be held Thursday eve., Dec. 10. Rev. Mr. Holmes, of Adrian, Rev. Mr. Conley, of Detroit, Rev. Mr. Farmer, of Hudson, and others will participate.

Phoenix Monday evening, East Lynne Tuesday evening, Joshua Whitcomb, Wednesday evening.—These plays were presented by the Boston Comedy Co. They will remain the balance of the week. The company is a good one and they give a first class entertainment at a very moderate price. On Saturday afternoon there will be a matinee at which will be presented "The Father's Curse."

The entertainment to be given on Monday evening next by Beer's Post G. A. R. will be something out of the ordinary line, and it promises to be an exceedingly taking program. It will consist of Music, Tableaux, "Fun by the Boys" by ten characters, an address by Rev. J. M. Getchell, a Lime Kiln Club speech, "The Sleeping Sentinel" by sixteen characters, "Helen's Funny Babies" by four characters, Bugle Calls and Good Night. Let everybody go. You can hear a rattling good entertainment and help the Post at the same time.

The rink was crowded last Tuesday night, the chief attraction being the five mile race between Harry Corbin, of this village, and F. G. Ward, of Ypsilanti. At nine o'clock the two men started. Ward is a short, heavy built young man, and has a record as a fast skater, having skated 10 miles in 40 minutes, while Corbin although a fast skater was out of training that is necessary for a long race. Ward at the start gained on his opponent, and when on the 53d lap passed him. 95 laps of the rink was to make five miles. At the last lap Ward came in about one and a-half laps ahead, the time for the five miles being 20 minutes and 20 seconds.

The Odd Fellows Lodge had a house warming last Tuesday evening. A new candidate was let into the secret of riding the goat. There was a large attendance of home members, and a number of visiting brethren were present from Manchester. At the close of the exercises at the Lodge room, the company repaired to The Patterson and partook of a bountiful repast, which made a very enjoyable termination of the evening's program. Altogether it was a most successful and happy occasion. "Tecumseh No. 14" is getting in some substantial new members. Those who participated last evening speak in the highest praise of their entertainment at The Patterson.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 3, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Subscribe for the HERALD.

Tax paying time is upon us.

Read our club list elsewhere.

Attend the Opera House to-night.

Sam. A. James, of Detroit, was in town last Saturday and Sunday.

The Boston Comedy Co. troupe are stopping at The Patterson this week.

Miss Carrie Brown has taken a position in Adamson's Book and Jewelry store.

Sid Clarkson, of Ann Arbor, ate Thanksgiving turkey at the old home in Macon.

C. M. Croswell, manager of the Adrian opera house, was in Tecumseh Monday evening.

Harry Dunn arrived home from Florida last Friday and will remain here for several weeks.

Joe Sage, of Macon, will give another dance on the 11th of December.—Supper and dance, fifty cents.

Rev. J. M. Getchell, of this village, will preach at Mooreville hereafter on the fifth Sunday of the month.

James Cook, Capt. J. H. Fee and Col. B. F. Graves, of Adrian, were all in town last Friday on business.

Misses Lulu Merriman and Minnie Sullivan, of Manchester, spent last Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

The fire scene on Monday evening was the handsomest display ever shown on the Opera House stage.

Joe Sage, of Macon, sold a load of chickens last Saturday for nine cents a pound. He struck a good market day.

Miss Mame Spafford, who has been working in the Brooklyn Exponent office, spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Tecumseh.

Lyster Dewey, of Cambridge, who is now attending the Agricultural College, was shaking hands with his old friends in Tecumseh last Saturday.

Gov. Alger has issued a proclamation directing that the flags on the state capitol at Lansing be placed at half mast ten days, out of respect for the dead Vice President.

The rink was crowded with skaters "giving thanks" last Thursday. In the evening every pair of skates was taken, besides those owned by private parties, numbering about 150.

We invite special attention to our large stock of Seal Plush Sacques, extra quality plush, perfect fitting, and extremely low prices.
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M. L. Root returned last Monday evening from his southern trip. He was well pleased with his trip, as he succeeded in opening new lines of trade in flour which may develop into large proportions.

Miss Jennie Root has a fine music class now of fifteen pupils. With so competent an instructress upon the piano and organ here at home, our music scholars do not need to go out of town for instruction.

F. A. Dewey, of Cambridge, has been quite indisposed for several weeks but is now on the mend. It is nearly five months since he has been in Tecumseh, but we shall expect to see him before Christmas.

A. W. Slayton returned last week from his New York trip, where he went to pay his business partner a visit. He was very much pleased with his trip. Gus has already shipped 350 tons of hay this season, and "there's more to follow."

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Kloffenstein, of Fremont, Ohio, took their Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. H. Smith, in this village. Fred only remained here two days as business matters demanded his attention at home. Mrs. K. remained the week visiting her many friends in the village.

300,000 is the first edition of the "Grant Memoirs." The publishers are now distributing the first volume to the various State agencies, and the work will soon be in the hands of the county agents so that delivery can be made by the middle of December.—Any one desiring the work can obtain it by giving their order to Mr. E. A. Hodges, agent for Tecumseh.

We venture to say that the dinner menu on Thanksgiving day at The Patterson was never surpassed in this village, and the enterprise of the new landlord received its reward in a most liberal patronage. About 65 guests partook of dinner. Seventy-five guests in all were accommodated at The Patterson during the day. An elegant printed bill of fare added to the completeness of the dinner arrangements.

That new sidewalk across the mill pond at Addison must be walked on to be fully appreciated. We were in Addison one day last week and the journey from Smith's corner to the COURIER office was about one-fourth the distance it used to be. This connecting link has brought the two sides of the creek so closely together that we expect to hear no more of factional disputes. Addison ladies are worth having, and we shall look for a lively boom in the matrimonial market of that town at once.

Lon. Haight went to Addison Tuesday.

O. P. Bills returned Friday from Detroit.

A. E. Kennedy went to Detroit Friday on business.

E. W. Rappleye, of Dundee, was in town last Monday.

Geo. Tansley, of Addison, was in town last Monday.

D. D. Marshall, of Detroit, was in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Thanks to Col. D. S. Curtis for late Washington papers.

Mrs. I. G. Rawson has been seriously ill for the past week.

Wm. Howick, the popular meat man, is on the sick list.

Congressman Eldredge started for Washington last Monday morning.

Mischievous urchins in Brooklyn ring door bells and then skedaddle.

Silas Ferguson, of Malone, N. Y., is visiting at Abner Wilson's this week.

Mrs. A. S. Hayden, of Milan, is spending a few days with friends in Tecumseh this week.

Judge Stacy went to Adrian Tuesday forenoon to be present at the opening of the new court house.

Rufus Raymond, of Mason, was visiting friends in Tecumseh last Friday. He returned to his home Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton, lecturer of the Lenawee grange, will address the grange at Lenawee Junction next Friday evening.

The Boston Comedy Co. are playing to good houses this week, and they deserve them. Their plays are good and they are well acted.

Why shouldn't Tecumseh put in a bid for the New Haven clock factory? —HERALD. She should. We all have a chance to show hour hand.—Adrian Record.

Mr. T. I. Woodard, of Elkhart, Ind., spent Thanksgiving day with his aged mother in this village. Mrs. Woodard is now in her ninetieth year and enjoys remarkably good health for a person of her advanced age.

Warren Sisson is shaking hands with all acquaintances hereabouts this week. It is seven years since he left Tecumseh. He lived two years at Coldwater, three years at Jonesville, and is now living near Quincy.

Alva M. Waring will start on Saturday next for his new home in Kansas. He has bought a tract of land near Wilburn, Ford Co., Kansas, and is going out to erect buildings thereon. In about four weeks his family will join him.

Yesterday was posted over the marks of a pistol bullet, made on Saturday night, on the east side of Kinney's store, the following suggestive notice: "A Silent Voice." After a few more pistol balls perhaps the people will be ready for prohibition.

Services at the Universalist church next Sunday as follows:—At 10:30 a. m., sermon on 'Songs without Words.' Sunday school after the morning services. At 7 o'clock p. m., as requested last week, sermon on "The Influence of Fear and Love in Religion."

Tecumseh has a Shakespeare club, composed of young ladies and gentlemen. None are allowed to join except those who wish to get married. It is expected the characters will double up, within six months after joining the institution.—Hudson Post.

The town of Addison just over the line, must be a tough place.—Hillsdale Standard. Yes, tough, but smart and full of vim. It has churches, saloons, a skating rink and ladies who build the sidewalks, besides being pretty, and one man who can get drunk four times in one day. He is not Kempton of the Courier.—Adrian Record.

Miss Mary E. Hartwell, formerly of Siam, will be present and address the Young Ladies Missionary Society of Presbyterian church in the lecture room, on Sunday afternoon next at 3 o'clock. She will also speak on the Missionary work in Siam, at the church at night. Ladies welcome at the afternoon meeting and a general invitation extended t the evening service.

The "cage" is a new institution especially designed by our village fathers for the confinement of evil doers, arrested under the village ordinances, and it is located in the engine house. With a warm fire and swinging hammocks for beds, the place is not a bad one to stay in, much preferable to the "cooler," though we don't speak from experience.—Blissfield Advance.

Mr. J. J. Daly has returned to Adrian with his boot and shoe stock. He has bought another large bankrupt stock and will open the two in Anton Wehle's former store on South Main street next Saturday. During his residence in Tecumseh he has made hosts of friends by his gentlemanly bearing and straight forward business methods who will learn of his departure with regret. Mr. Daly desires us to extend to his patrons in Tecumseh and vicinity his hearty thanks for their liberal patronage, and he invites them all, whenever they chance to go to Adrian, to call and see him at his new store on South Main street. He will continue, as heretofore, to offer big bargains in boots and shoes.

A SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

Aaron Palmer Shoots Two Brothers on the Public Streets and Escapes In the Darkness.

B. B. ANDERSON AND ERNIE ANDERSON THE VICTIMS OF PALMER'S PISTOL.

The Condition of the Wounded Men—Efforts to Capture the Perpetrator—A Reward of Five Hundred Dollars Offered.

The usually peaceful and law abiding village of Tecumseh has probably never been the scene of a more shocking affray than that which occurred upon our public street last Saturday evening. Although the event is now five days old, still the excitement occasioned thereby continues and hence we endeavor as briefly as possible to give our readers the salient points of the affair.

Aaron Palmer, the man who did the shooting, has lived in Tecumseh from boyhood. He is now about twenty-eight years of age. For about three years previous to last June he was firing on the railroad between Cleveland and Buffalo but since June he has been living at his parents, here in Tecumseh most of the time. Palmer has always possessed an ungovernable temper and when under the influence of strong drink he becomes positively dangerous. Even his parents have no control over him at these times.

WHERE THE AFFRAY OCCURRED.

The late evening train on the Jackson Branch gets here when on time about ten o'clock in the evening. On Saturday evenings it has been the custom to hold the postoffice open and distribute the mail that arrives on that train for the convenience of people who wish to get their Sunday reading that night. Last Saturday evening this train was about half an hour late, and it was nearly eleven o'clock before people got their mail. In the early part of the evening Palmer filled himself with budge and went to the Salvation Army meeting, where he became so boisterous that he was put out. We cannot learn that he displayed any weapons at this time and probably had none about him. Soon after this he went home and went to bed. But for some reason he soon got up, and as the sequel shows, went out well armed.

An hour later he appeared in the postoffice armed with a dirk knife and revolver and swinging a lantern. He remained there several minutes while the crowd was waiting for the mail, and was so abusive to several of the bystanders that Mr. A. E. Kennedy, proprietor of the news depot requested him to leave. He then went out followed by a number of persons, and after reaching the side walk he and Mr. P. B. Anderson had some words. What they were we cannot say, but something Anderson said provoked Palmer and he pulled out his pistol and shot Anderson, the ball striking his neck tie and glancing through the fleshy part of the neck into his left shoulder. Ernie Anderson, Berf's brother, happened to stand close by and he at once grabbed Palmer from behind to prevent a repetition of the shots. Palmer then reached back and over his left shoulder and fired two bullets into Ernie Anderson, one taking effect in the left arm, and the other in the left breast. By this time the crowd had surged out of the postoffice, and in the excitement of the moment Palmer darted south on railroad street and made his escape. The shooting took place on the sidewalk near the corner of Kinney's furniture store.

THE PURSUIT.

Palmer fled South on railroad street, crossed the railroad at Pottawatamie street and ran into the yard between C. A. Wright's house and Mrs. Spofford's, where the trace was lost. Capt. Fred Wood and a few others then organized a searching party and the premises were thoroughly searched, but without result. A member of Mr. Wright's family heard the cellar door slam a moment before the pursuers arrived, and after the crowd had left the yard she heard the same door slam again. The supposition is that he concealed himself in the cellar until the pursuers had lost the trail and then came out and escaped south. Several stories were afloat within twenty-four hours after the affair, to the effect that Palmer had been seen at various places, but the theory generally accepted now is this—that he ran between Wright's house and Mrs. Spofford's house, thence through the back yards in the rear of Elliott's blacksmith shop, striking the railroad again some where near the target, and going directly South to Raisin Center, where the Wabash crosses the Jackson Branch. Taking the first freight train in the night on the Wabash he proceeded to Detroit, and by daylight on Sunday morning he was probably in Canada. Having been a railroad employe he kept track of the trains on all the roads about here and could easily take risks upon a train which an ordinary man would neither think of nor dare to do.

CARING FOR THE WOUNDED.

As soon as the crowd learned the serious character of the wounds inflicted upon the Andersons, they were conveyed to Andersons' Dry Goods Store and medical aid was summoned with the utmost dispatch. About midnight they were taken home, Berf to his own house on Chicago street and Ernie to his father's house near by. Dr's Catlin, House and Jenkins attended and after a careful examination of both cases Berf's wound was pronounced to be not at all dangerous. The ball was easily found and extracted. The bullet which entered Ernie's arm passed through it entirely. The one which entered his left breast could not be found, and this wound, the physicians consider of a serious and perhaps dangerous character.

INTERVIEWS WITH EYE WITNESSES.

A. E. Kennedy, who runs the news depot in the post office, says: "While the crowd was in the post office waiting for their mail, Palmer came in with a lantern and began flourishing a dirk knife. I requested him to be quiet. Berf Anderson told him to behave himself or the officers would have him in the cooler. Palmer became so boisterous that I requested him to go out and he did so. Anderson followed him out, with several others, and a moment or two afterwards the shots were fired. Palmer shot twice after the last ball took effect on Ernie and then turned and ran. Fred Wood and Em Doke came up then and they started in pursuit."

James Moir, the village marshal, says: "I was at the lock up when I heard the shots fired. Upon coming out of the Council Building I saw the crowd in pursuit of Palmer and joined in the chase. He ran between Wright's and Mrs. Spofford's houses and there we lost the trail. I assisted in searching the premises and also Mr. A. J. Palmer's house where young Palmer lived, but we could get no trace of him."

Capt. Fred B. Wood says: "I was in the postoffice waiting for the mail when Palmer came in. He had some conversation there with Berf. Anderson and also with others, and he finally became so boisterous that Kennedy requested him to leave. Palmer at once stepped out on the sidewalk and was followed by Berf. Anderson, Em. Doke and myself and a number of others. The idea I had at the time, was that Palmer would bear watching. He passed along the walk east to Kinney's corner, having some words with the crowd. Just as Palmer turned the corner south, he called Anderson a vile epithet, which Anderson made a move to resent, when Palmer took his pistol from his hip pocket fell back to the south and fired as Berf. and I turned the corner after him. Just then it seems Ernie Anderson, who was coming up the street from Strong & McNair's corner, arrived, and grabbed Palmer from behind immediately after the first shot was fired. Palmer then reached his right hand over his left shoulder and shot two balls into Ernie Anderson. Two more shots were fired but they went into the air, one of the bullets striking the casing of Kinney's east show window. The shots were all fired within the space of one minute. Em. Doke and myself were within ten feet of Palmer during the time and Wes. Bordine was near by, close to the corner post of Kinney's store and must have had a close call from the last ball. Several other persons stood on the sidewalk in front of the postoffice. After the last shot was fired Palmer broke and ran south. I was not aware then that Ernie had been shot, in fact, the first that I knew Ernie was there, was when I ran against him when we started for Palmer. Palmer was perhaps about one rod ahead of me. When opposite his father's house, he took the middle of the street and as he approached Pottawatamie street, the street lamp at Hayden's corner affording more light, I was very close to him when he turned and run down Pottawatamie street and into the yard between Wright's and Mrs. Spofford's houses. When I struck the sidewalk in front of Wright's house, Em. Doke, Jas. Moir, Wes. Bordine, and Berf. Anderson had overtaken me. Berf said "I'm shot, feel under my collar." I placed my hand as directed and found he was shot. His neck was bleeding and he was growing weak. I then assisted Berf back to Kinney's corner while the other persons followed after Palmer. As it was very dark between the two houses Palmer evaded them and the trail was lost. When I got back to Kinney's corner with Berf, I learned for the first time that Ernie had been shot."

WHAT THE DOCTORS SAY.

The attending physicians regard Berf's case as not serious. He is doing well and will soon be out again. The wound in Ernie's arm is giving some trouble but is not considered dangerous. The wound in his left chest is a very serious one and at first the doctors were fearful that it might prove fatal. It was some time before the ball could be found. Yesterday afternoon the ball was extracted, and the patient bore the operation bravely, taking no chloroform during the time. It was lodged near the skin, close to the shoulder blade in the back. The physicians now regard him out of danger. Our citizens felt greatly relieved yesterday afternoon upon hearing this good news.

WHAT THE OFFICERS ARE DOING.

Dept. Sheriff Aten, Marshal Moir and Constable Stevens, were upon the ground soon after the trouble occurred. Sheriff Witmore was at once notified and officers were dispatched from Adrian during the night to intercept the fugitive. On Sunday Sheriff Whitmore, Prosecutor Salsbury and several other county officials were in Tecumseh, perfecting their arrangements for a still further search. The Sheriff offered a reward of $500 and sent out postal cards containing the announcement as follows:

$500 REWARD—For the arrest of Aaron Palmer, wanted for assault with intent to murder at the village of Tecumseh, Mich., on Saturday night, November 28. Palmer is 29 years of age, dark hair, dark mustache (not heavy,) weight 180 pounds; height 5 feet 11 inches; dark hazel eyes; a slight curve of upper lip at left corner; slight twitching of the face while speaking; broad shoulders; large neck; had on snuff colored cutaway frock coat; snuff colored pants, tight fitting. Is a railroad fireman; has fired on the L. S. & M. S. railroad, between Cleveland and Buffalo; has relatives living near Newburg, Ohio, by the name of Harlow Falk.

I will pay $500 for his arrest and detention in any jail in the states or Canada. All information to be sent to sheriff, Adrian, Mich., box 293.

ANCIL K. WHITMORE,
Sheriff, in and for Lenawee Co.
L. H. SALSBURY, Pros. Atty.

We understand that the officers have struck a trail which they hope will lead to Palmer's capture, but for obvious reasons it is deemed prudent to withhold the information from the public.

Berf and Ernie Anderson are well known here, being members of the firm of A. Anderson & Son's, Grocers. They have a good business reputation and have the respect of the entire community. Berf has a family of his own, and Ernie lives with his father, Albert Anderson. The stricken families have the sympathy of all in this awful visitation. Palmer's father, A. J. Palmer, is proprietor of the Chair factory on railroad street. He is a temperate; peaceable citizen, attends strictly to his own affairs, and is esteemed by all who know him. Mr. & Mrs. Palmer are overwhelmed with grief and mortification over the tragedy, and Mrs. Palmer has been prostrated with sickness since the occurrence. No one imputes any blame to them. The excitement last Sunday was at fever heat, but on Monday people became cooler and resumed their usual avocations.

The wounded men are having the best nursing and medical attention possible, and the indications now are that both of them will recover. The officers are using their utmost endeavor to capture Palmer; and if taken, he will have to atone for his crime.

What a chain of calamities one misdeed can, sometimes occasion. Two families have been invaded, one of our citizens seriously wounded and another brought to the very threshold of death, a third family has been prostrated with grief over a son's misdoings, the good name of our community has been brought into disrepute and disgrace. And the cause of all this calamity and suffering can be found in one word—*Whiskey*. Whiskey did it all.

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Description of a Peculiar Industry and the Perils That Attend It.

The overfishing of the last fifteen or twenty years is doing for pearls what it did long ago for oysters. Fashion also bears its part in raising prices, and a good set of three black pearl shirt studs can not be got wholesale much under £10. Four years ago they could be had for less than a third of that price. Mother-of-pearl has risen in the market too, and now costs nearly one shilling the pound at the fisheries, where four pounds could be obtained for the same money twelve years back. The fisheries of the Red Sea and the Bay of Bengal are still, however, as celebrated as they ever were in classic days, although further can no longer apply for the produce by the peck, as Varro—at second hand—said they used to do: "Altera Coræ viram scopulis margaritarum." For all the scenery of pearls, we now get them from also the Sunda isles of the Malay Archipelago, the seas of China and Japan, from Panama, Tahiti, the Gambier Islands and Australia. The pearl market is no longer at Rome, as do Margaritarius Poetices, but in the lands of the Amsterdam, Hamburg, London and New York dealers who buy up all the harvest of the seas.

There are numerous bivalves which give pearls, but, indifferent or better; not the true pearl-oyster. If oyster it can be called, for it is exactly like an exaggerated cockle—is the *Margaritifera*, or *Pinna fucata*, which measures from one to six inches in diameter and an inch and a half in thickness. The oceanic variety of it dwells from the East Indies, and gives a finer gem. The Tuamotu archipelago, to the east of the Society Islands, is perhaps the greatest pearl-fishery in the world. Of its eighty islands there are only some half dozen whose waters do not produce the pearl-oyster. The natives of this group are by no means lazy, but living in a climate where it is always hot, and the women are the most expert. Two women, especially, of Fakarava, one of Amanu or Chain Island, are well known as this far the more dreaded for that sapphic gathering—for plunging into watery depths fathoms of water, in the teeth of the sharks, and remaining as long as three whole minutes under water. A famous diver of Amanu escaped not long ago from a shark with the loss of a breast and an arm, and many of them go down never to come up again. If they make too many plunges in their day's work at the beginning of the season, which comprises the sultriest months, from November to February, they bring on hemorrhage or congestion; and after some years passed in the occupation paralysis is certain. Few of these divers work for themselves, but earn four shillings a day from the pearl-traders. With a wooden tube some sixteen inches long, ten inches square, and glazed at one end, they prospect from their boats the bottom of these translucent seas; the glass end, which is put into the water, serving the purpose of suppressing the eye-puzzling surface-ripple.

The diver of the Persian Gulf or of Ceylon attaches a weight of some twenty pounds to his feet to aid in his descent, and carries seven or eight pounds more of ballast in a belt. He protects both eyes and ears with oiled cotton, bandages his mouth, and goes down forty feet with a rope. He remains down from fifty-three to eighty seconds, and helps himself up again by the rope. But the Pacific diver practices the conjurer's boast of "no preparation." Just before the plunge he or she draw a full breath rapidly three or four times running, and finally, with the lungs full of air, drops feet first to the bottom, not forty feet, but twenty-five or thirty fathoms (Darbest to Dampier), and comes to the surface again with extraordinary swiftness, unaided in any way. Each dive generally lasts from sixty to ninety seconds; and only very occasionally the astonishing maximum of three minutes. The divers hardly ever bring up more than one oyster at a time, but this is chosen as likely to contain pearls by some fancied rule of thumb of their own, grounded on age, form and color; and they hold the shells tightly together as they mount, lest the envious oyster should shed the pearl, which the divers themselves are very quick to conceal by swallowing if the employer's eye is not fixed upon them. Diving-bells have been introduced by some houses in the trade, but the natives will no longer work in them, saying they bring on early paralysis of the legs.

Like his edible relative, the pearl-oyster also has his enemies and parasites. A flat fish called *taheeta* by the natives of this Polynesian archipelago makes great ravages among the young fry; it resembles the eagle-ray, which is so destructive in European oyster-beds. There is another, a long fish with powerful jaws for crunching the full-grown oyster, which is called the *oiri* or *kotohe*, and does not seem to have been identified by naturalists. There are also two univalve shell-fish—a murex, which spends its time boring holes through the oyster, and a pholadc, which scoops a nest for itself in the upper shell, just as its fellows do in the rocks of our own coasts. But the worst pest of all is probably a marine worm, locally called the needle-worm, which pierces a network of galleries, like the book worm or the teredo, between the outer and inner surface of the shells, and so ruins the mother-of-pearl, which when so damaged is known in the trade as worm-eaten. There is a small parasitical sponge, too, which stains or "spots" the mother-of-pearl. Polypi ascidiane and serpulæ all mingle in the fray; and while the older crabs remove the young oysters from their beds with their nippers to be eaten at leisure, the crab fry get inside and billet themselves at bed and board on the grown oyster until they have eaten their host out of house and home. It is very possible that some of these enemies are the irritant causes of the pearls, in the center of which there is always some foreign substance, such as a grain of sand or a fish's egg. A great number of small pearls are sometimes found in one bivalve; one with 115, from Elizabeth or Toau Island, in the Tuamotu group, was shown in Paris in 1878. Some pearls reach a great size; and one from Panama, which was presented to Philip II., of Spain, in 1579, is reported to have been as big as a pigeon's egg.

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tation the most of them are—are not u[illegible] [illegible] just now. They were first [illegible] to one Jaquin, a French chemist on glass. The little glass globules of which they consist are first filled with a mixture of isinglass and essence of the East," and then stuffed with melted wax. This essence d'Orient is made of the pearly matter which is found at the base of the scales of the whitebait, preserved in ammonia.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

SAVED BY SPASMS.

How a Young Doctor Managed to Secure a Lucrative Practice.

"Talking about physic," said an ex-doctor, reminds me of an incident that occurred during my practice when I was new in the cause, and which, when you hear, you will readily recognize as an important epoch in my professional career. It was in a country town in the western part of the State. I had just arrived a few days previous, a beardless boy, with very little hope of getting a patient under two years. However, I had gone there to stay, and so had made up my mind accordingly. I hung out my shingle and prepared to go anywhere at a moment's notice. One morning about two o'clock I was awakened by some one shouting, "O, Doctor!" at my front gate. I dressed hastily and went with the stranger, who proved to be the father of a child three days old, who, he said, was dying with spasms. Upon my arrival at the house I was shown into the sick room. The young mother lay weeping upon the bed and the almost moribund form of the precious little one was being fondly nursed by an old woman, who said the child had just had another severe fit. I was puzzled. It was my first case, and I readily recognized that my future reputation depended on the recovery of the child, but what to do for it I knew no more than a tony-year-old boy. In day I made up my mind, prepared some simple dose and told the parents the child would have no more spasms, which of course was guess-work. This did not satisfy them. I could see in their faces that they lacked confidence, but I was firm. My ward was out, and I stood to it and left. The father followed me to the door and said he wanted me to come around the next day and meet his old family physician, as he thought I was too young, and the child needed medical attention from a more experienced practitioner. I, of course, agreed, but at the same time for fear my reputation was for ever gone if the old doctor should come and tell them the child was really sick. I went home, but could not sleep, and as soon as breakfast was over I hurried over to see my patient. The father met me at the door. He looked cheerful and gave me a hearty greeting. "The baby is all right," said he, and sure enough when I went in the little fellow was as lively as a May morning, and my reputation was made. The parents praised me as the best baby-doctor known, and from that time on I enjoyed a splendid practice among the little ones. The news of my wonderful cure spread for miles around, and two days afterward I was called to see another child, some twelve miles distant. The child had been sick for several weeks and under the treatment of an old white-haired practitioner. The father of this child informed me, while en route to his house, that I was called in because he had heard of the wonderful cure effected in the case of Mr. S——'s baby. This rather nonplussed me, for he told me that Dr. ——, from an adjoining town, whom I knew to be an eminent physician, had failed to benefit the little one. As soon as I saw the patient, I at once detected that the angel of death was hovering near, and all earthly power would be of no avail, but still I did not at once inform the parents. They had confidence in me, and I disliked to dispel their good opinion, so I set about to prescribe for the patient, but before I had taken out my medicine the baby was attacked with a severe spasm, and its little soul took its flight to another and a better world. So you can readily see how my reputation was again saved by a spasm. Had the child lingered along and died, which it surely would have done in a day or so, they would have said I did not treat it properly.

"This," continued the ex-doctor, is simply told you to show some of the difficulties met with by young doctors when they first start out. A young professional man has a poor chance at best in this uncharitable world. The incidents just related were providential epochs in my career, and ever afterward I had a lucrative practice, until a failure of health caused me to seek a more congenial field of labor.—*Nashville Banner.*

—The *Congregationalist* records a case of heathenism at Springfield, Mass., which is truly remarkable. It says: "A little girl happened in a neighbor's house one morning at the time of family prayers. She was asked to stay, and accepting the invitation, remained an interested participant in the proceedings. When they all rose from kneeling she startled the company with the exclamation: 'I like this game first-rate. What is the name of it?' All this is said to have occurred under the shadow of Hope Church."

—The recent census in Massachusetts shows that out of about 350 towns 150 lose in population. The gains are in manufacturing centers, the marked losses in the agricultural districts, and certain compensatory gains in towns which would be expected to lose are due to their being convenient homes for those whose business is in the cities. Nantucket threatens to become depopulated in time. The population of the island has fallen from 8,064 in 1855 to 3,143 in 1885.—*Boston Journal.*

—Spanish sailors are the most superstitious of the lot. One of their pet omens is that a ship whose decks are wet the first day out will have fine weather the rest of the voyage. For that reason they often leave their hoorlugs in a storm.

—A passenger on an English steamer was recently discovered with a magnetic umbrella in his possession. It deflected [illegible] the adjusting

Father, Mother, and Three Sisters Dead.

Mr. David Claypool, formerly Sergeant-at-Arms of the New Jersey Senate, and now Notary Public at Cedarville, Cumberland Co., N. J., makes the following startling statement: "My father, mother, and three sisters all died with consumption, and my lungs were so weak I could hardly think I could live. Coughing was very straining on me with my weak constitution, and I was rapidly going to the grave. While in this condition I commenced using Mishler's Herb Bitters, and it saved my life. Because it was so difficult to get it in this little place, and I had improved so much, I stopped taking it for a time, and the result is that I have commenced going rapidly down hill again. Somehow, Mishler's Herb Bitters gives appetite and strengthens and builds me up as nothing else does, and I must have a dozen bottles at once. Use this communication as you please, and if any one wants to be convinced of its truth, let them write me and I will make affidavit to it, for I owe my life to Mishler's Herb Bitters."

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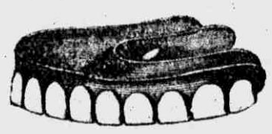

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Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Clayton	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Deerfield	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Adrian	8 50 A.M.	6 10 P.M.	.....
Deerfield	10 30 "	7 55 "	A.
Clayton	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 02 P.M.	9 34 "	5 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
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Butler	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 51	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A.M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 01	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27 P.M.	No. 25 P.M.	No. 23 P.M.	No. 51 A.M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 43	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 43	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
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North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
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P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A...Toledo...L	5 10	11 10
6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46
7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09
8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38
9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06
9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49
10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	04	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Monteith	11 43	
	3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A...Allegan...L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 30	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
	P.M.	A	L	A. M.

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Complete History of the Introduction of these Indispensable Little Trifles.

Thirty-eight years ago the first postage stamps were used in the United States. For 175 years postage had been collected entirely in money, and in all cases prepayment was optional. Good old John Haywood, who in 1680 became the "worthy master of the posts" at Boston and the first postmaster in America, employed chance conveyance instead of postage, with "by the kindness of" some traveler as his postal service, and nothing was thought about stamping until 1841, though such men as Franklin, Bache, Pickering and Kendall had been at the head of the Post Office Department, and though the number of offices had come to be nearly fourteen thousand. On the 25th of March, 1840, John M. Niles, of Hartford, became Postmaster-General, and signalized his administration by many reforms. He turned the wrong side out of his predecessor's work, and convinced his party and the President that it was necessary to cap all by a genuine innovation, and he performed this by suggesting the postage stamp. The suggestion was received with ridicule, and Mr. Niles soon afterward retired. His successor, Chas. A. Wickliffe, put the department into the ancient ruts again, and when Cave Johnson assumed the portfolio on the 5th of March, 1845, he found it an herculean task to reinstate the reform measures of Mr. Niles. During Wickliffe's administration the number of postoffices had increased by only 695, but Johnson saw in his term of office 4,237 offices added to the rolls, and witnessed other tokens of prosperity. Among the measures of Mr. Niles that he adopted was the postage-stamp idea. The President had converted his Postmaster-General from opposing the reduction of postage to a championship of the lowest-paying rates, and Johnson garnished his conversion with fathering the suggestion originated six years before. The matter took form as a bill before Congress, and, though it was quite the fashion to oppose any Cabinet suggestions, the act authorizing the issue of stamps of five and ten cent denominations was passed, and approved March 3, 1847. The date of the issue was appointed as July 1, but there was a delay in the contractor's work, and the time ran over a month.

On the 5th day of August, soon after the opening of the Postmaster-General's office for the day, an old gentleman called to see Mr. Johnson on business. The gentleman was the Hon. Henry Shaw, a New Yorker, who was not a stranger in Washington in those days, and whose home was in Lanesborough, Mass. He was a Berkshire County magnate, a politician of no mean qualifications, and the father of the well-known Henry Shaw, Jr., (Josh Billings). Twenty-three years before Mr. Shaw had recognized in a youth of seventeen—a tanner's boy who came to Lanesborough to study law—the germs of a great life. He assisted the lad in obtaining a library, and thus inaugurated a friendship that death could only sever. After twelve years of practice, in the fall of 1830, the young lawyer was elected to Congress from the eleventh Congressional District of Massachusetts. When George H. Briggs took his seat in December, 1831, he was determined to work, and he carried out his determination so well that his constitutents kept him in Congress twelve years. During that time he did long and laborious service as the Chairman of the Committee on Post-office and Post Roads, and was both in the Committee and in Mr. Niles's office, the advocate of the reforms above alluded to. In the Twenty-seventh Congress he crowded his series of reforms by inaugurating a movement for reducing the rates of postage to ten and five cents. The House passed the bill but the Senate did not reach it, and it failed of becoming a law until the following year. Mr. Briggs had passed meanwhile from Washingthn to Boston, and Mr. Shaw was full of admiration for his friend, whose seven years as Governor of Massachusetts were good years for the Bay State.

Mr. Johnson came into his office, accompanied by the printer of the new stamps, a few minutes after Mr. Shaw had arrived on that August morning. Sheets of stamps were laid before the Postmaster-General, who, after receipting for them, handed them to his visitor to inspect. Mr. Shaw returned them after a hasty glance, and then, drawing out his wallet, he counted out 15 cents, with which he purchased two of the stamps—the first two ever issued. The 5-cent stamp he kept as a curiosity, and the 10-cent stamp he presented to Governor Briggs as an appropriate gift.

The two denominations of stamps remained in use four years. In July, 1851, appeared a new series 1 and 3 cents, and soon after a subsequent issue of the additional denominations of 5, 10, 12, 24, 30 and 90 cents. In 1861 this series was called in by Montgomery Blair, Lincoln's Postmaster-General, and a new series issued. July 1, 1863, the first 2-cent stamp appeared, and was to accommodate local postage. April 1, 1865, newspaper stamps of 5, 10 and 25 cents were issued, but fell into early disuse. In March, 1869, J. A. J. Creswell, Grant's Postmaster-General, brought out a new series but they did not come into favor, and after two months were superseded by a series of the denominations of 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30 and 90 cents. In 1873 the repeal of the franking privilege made necessary the departmental stamps of special design. These are as follows: Executive, 1, 2, 3, 6 and 10 cents; State, 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 12, 15, 24, 30 and 90 cents, and $2, $5, $10 and $20; Treasury, War and Navy, each, 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 10, 12, 15, 24, 30 and 90 cents; and Interior, Justice, and Postoffice each, the same excepting the 9-cent stamp. Since December 11, 1875, prepayment stamps for newspapers and periodicals from publication office have been issued. The denominations are 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12, 24, 36, 48, 60, 72, 84 and 90 cents, and $1.92, $3, $6, $9, $12, $24, $36, $48 and $60.

The aggregate issue of postage stamps in 1884 was 1,459,766,560; the newspaper and periodical stamps, 2,489,398, and of official stamps, 3,389,140.

The idea of stamped envelopes was also the thought of a Connecticut man. Eleven years after John M. Niles the Postoffice Department was taken by J. D. Hubbard, of the same State, and, at his suggestion, in June, 1853, the first issue of stamped envelopes began. The denominations were 3 and 6 cents, and on April 25, 1855, a 10-cent envelope was added. In October, 1860, a new series was issued, with additions of 1 and 4 cents in December, 1860. In wartime were issued envelopes denominated 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 10, 12, 20, 24, 30 and 40 cents. On October 1, 1870, this series was changed in design. The first "printed-request envelopes" were issued in May, 1865; the first newspaper wrappers in October, 1861, and the first postal-cards in May, 1873.

It may be added that while it is worth remembering that the two Connecticut Postmaster Generals respectively originated the use of postage-stamps and stamped envelopes in America, another Connecticut man—Edward Allen, of Norwich—invented the envelope machine, which manufactures 30,000 stamped envelopes per day.—*Hartford Times.*

WEDDING DRESSES.

Late Styles Whose Richness and Costliness Are Unequaled.

Silver tinsel threads woven in white satin, in plumes or peacock feathers, thus adding greatly to its sheen and richness, is the fabric for the corsage and train of costly wedding dresses. Silver brocades are also shown in new striped effects and in flower patterns that may serve either as the petticoat front of white satin or faille francase dresses, or else for the basque and train. Uncut velvet, Bengaline, veloutine and all repped fabrics are used for the greater part of the bridal dress, but satin is still most favored. Lace is above all things the choice for the front of the skirt and its trimming; point lace is arranged in diagonal flounces on the front and side gores, but less costly laces are chosen of greater width, and are gathered slightly to fall in a single veil-like drapery across the entire front, or in an opening on one side, or else on the front width only, with flat pannels on each side. The novelty for this purpose is tulle embroidered with what is called "crystal-jet" beads. Small, transparent and catching light and color like drops of water with the sun shining on them, these fine beads are threaded and attached to the net in loops, tassels, drooping flowers, or other designs of pendants; the lower edge of this yard-wide lace is scalloped for the foot of the dress, and also for making the high Medicis collar which is mounted on wires so fine that they are scarcely seen in the transparent net. The flat beaded fronts are less used than formerly. Valenciennes lace flounces are in favor again, especially for very young bride's dresses. China crape is occasionally chosen for the bridal dress, and there are lengths of embroidered crape to be used as the laces just described for the front of the skirt; a Canton crape shawl was lately utilized in this way for the gathered fall across the entire front and sides of the dress, also for the revers and plastron on the waist; the fringes were cut off, and the clever bride worked heavy scallops in buttonhole stitches along the edges. White plush has also been introduced in stripes on the front of the repped silk skirt, as the vest and revers, with the remainder of the dress of plain repped silk.

The richest dresses of silver brocaded satin have a flowing round train eighty or ninety inches long, bordered with loops of satin set up on the outside; this is a flowing train, yet the tops of the breadth are arranged very bouffantly. The entire front of the skirt of plain satin is covered with point lace flounces set on diagonally, being mounted over satin pleating, and caught down with orange blossoms; a horseshoe of orange blossoms is on each side of the skirt. The basque has a high wire collar of lace, is often square on the front, with a shield-shaped vest below formed of orange blossoms; this basque is pointed in front, short on the sides, and is draped in the back. The elbow sleeves have a puff and cuffs of the lace held by orange buds. The veil of point lace has an aigrette of orange blossoms on one side, with jeweled brooches, amid its folds. High Medicis collars and Directoire revers of lace, of velvet, or plush are on other wedding toilletes, and the embroidered crape front is arranged in a very deep apron that has one square corner lapped on the right side on a panel of embroidery; a shawl of lace can be similarly arranged, with a wide lace scarf for the side panel. Tulle veils are preferred to those of lace for very young brides, and are fastened by the high aigrette of white blossoms, with erect feathery threads of white or silver high in the middle. Undressed white kid gloves are long enough to cover the arm below the elbow sleeves.—*Harper's Bazar.*

—The Japanese are among the politest people in the world. Here is an illustration: A Japanese gentleman called on a Washington lady. He was asked to remain till lunch time, and consented. They wanted him to go but didn't know how to get rid of him. He lingered till midnight, when, with elaborate, almost abject apologies for leaving, he took his departure. Next day, while the hostess was telling her friends how horribly she had been bored, her visitor was deploring her cruelty in not earlier in the day intimating to him that he might depart, Japanese etiquette requiring such signal of permission before he could go.—*Washington Star.*

—Some time ago, Joseph Arnold, a bank cashier, died and left the town of Derby, Ct., thirty shares of the stock of his bank. Attached to the gift was the condition that the town was not to touch the money until it amounted to $5,000,000. At the time of Mr. Arnold's death the shares were worth $5,000. Local mathematicians calculated that it would take 200 years for the money to accumulate to the amount of $5,000,000. It was too long to wait, and a town meeting has voted to give up all claims to the money, which now reverts to Cashier Arnold's heirs-at-law.—*Hartford Post.*

—A great English authority on dyspepsia speaks strongly in favor of milk puddings and stewed fruits for the dyspeptic, the bilious and the gouty.

Very Poor Economy.

Some people make a business of cheating themselves, either by eating very mean and cheap food, or else by eating too small a quantity of good food. Either way is as bad policy as it would be to buy a coffin instead of a suit of clothes, just because the coffin would cost less. Poor diet means impovished blood; and that means misery. Brown's Iron Bitters enriches the blood, gives it the iron it needs, and tones up the whole system. Cures dyspepsia, indigestion, weakness, malaria, etc.

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The pain and misery suffered by those who are afflicted with dyspepsia are indescribable. The distress of the body is equalled or surpassed by the confusion and tortures of the mind, thus making its victims suffer double affliction. The relief which is given by Hood's Sarsaparilla has caused thousands to be thankful for this great medicine. It dispels the causes of dyspepsia, and tones up the digestive organs. Try Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

The great sources of the extensive curative range of Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic are its great blood purifying qualities and its gentle aperitive action, thereby removing all restraint from the secretive organs, curing promptly and thoroughly dyspepsia, costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples, low spirits, sick and nervous headache, ague malaria, and all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. The most delicate stomach accepts it with relish. Price fifty cents, of Geo. Ferguson.

Many a man who had lost nerve, vigor and energy, has been cured by Hunt's Remedy.

My son seventeen years old has been afflicted with nasal Catarrh since quite young. I was induced to try Ely's Cream Balm, and before he had used one bottle that disagreeable Catarrhal smell had all left him. He appears as well as any one. It is the best Catarrh remedy in the market.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

Mr. A. Nichols suffered from catarrh for years. He purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm of us. He is now almost cured, and says you cannot recommend it too highly. Evers Bros., Druggists, Independence, Iowa.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1,00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25c., 50c. & $1
Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c
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Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 50c.

When Baby was sick, we gave her CASTORIA
When she was a Child, she cried for CASTORIA
When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA
When she had Children, she gave them CASTORIA

You can't work to much purpose unless you are well, but you can build up your health and strength with Parker's Tonic, and work will then become easy. It sets the lungs, liver and kidneys in working order.—Coughs and colds vanish before it. Take it in time.

Vassar girls ate 692 pounds of candy last year. Sweets to the sweet. But alas! they ate also forty bushels of onions.

The testimony of the clergy supplements that of persons in every other walk of life in regard to the virtues of Mishler's Herb Bitters. Rev. Thomas Starkweather, who was long affected with a distressing cold, was told to use the medicine: he did so without much confidence in the preparation, but he adds: "I am bound to say the Bitters cured me, and I own myself a convert to its efficiency."

The best on earth, can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by George Furgeson.

Woman's names adorn more than half the American sailing ships.

Catarrh is the seed of Consumption, and unless taken in time is a dangerous disease. Hall's Catarrh Cure never fails to cure. Price 75 cents. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

CATAARH—A NEW TREATMENT.

From the Montreal Star.

Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been attained by the Dixon treatment for Catarrh. Out of 2000 patients treated during the past six months, fully ninety per cent have been cured of this stubborn malady. This is none the less startling when it is remembered that not five per cent of patients presenting themselves to the regular practitioner are benefitted, while the patent medicines and other advertised cures never record a cure at all. Starting with the claim now generally believed by the most scientific men that the disease is due to the presence of living parasites in the tissue, Mr. Dixon at once adapted his cure to their extermination—this accomplished he claims the Catarrh is practically cured and the permanency is unquestioned, as cures effected by him four years ago are cures still. No one else has ever attempted to cure Catarrh in this manner, and no other treatment has ever cured Catarrh. The Application of the remedy is simple, and can be done at home, and the present season of the year is the most favorable for a speedy and permanent cure, the majority of cases being cured at one treatment. Sufferers should correspond with Messrs. A. H. DIXON & SON, 305 King street west, Toronto, Canada, and enclose stamp for their treatise on Catarrh.

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TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN.

A PLEA FOR THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

In the course of a checkered and somewhat eventful career, and having plunged heedlessly into the vortex of the follies of youth and early manhood being thrown and forced into all classes of society associating with those of the highest culture and refinement, and others of the most depraved morals and debased habits, and being observant withal, I think you also reader, it would be overstepping the bounds of prudence to deprive some of the follies and sins to which many of us are addicted of their [illegible] and seeming innocence and [illegible] their ugly view in all their native deformity. If I am a coward, [illegible] and extreme, and have at times [illegible] it is proof positive that I have struck the wedge of obsolete to some purpose, and it may be the means whereby some may view themselves, their habits and surroundings in a far different and better light.

I [illegible] our village public schools. By the last return of count[illegible] there were [illegible] hundred scholars enrolled from [illegible] years to twenty years, a good number for so small a village, and [illegible] we wish our children to obtain an education. But that must not be [illegible] education without [illegible] culture receives the respect from those whose [illegible] are worthy and honorable [illegible] possess through life [illegible] a true and sincere [illegible] [illegible] there will be no blossoms nor fruit. Therefore if you be trained away with no moral and christian culture manhood will [illegible] grable and age miserable, and the chastisement hereafter a sorrowful [illegible]. But to resume. As soon as I am able to ascertain, our [illegible] about 300 vicious [illegible] from 10 to 20 years of age. What is the cause of this 219 non-attendants of our sabbath schools? Is it lukewarmness and lack of energy on the part of the leaders of our sabbath schools? Do the teachers visit the homes of the non-attendants and endeavor to ascertain the causes? Do they bring into full play all the moral persuasion in their power? You may [illegible] with rebuffs, but if so be you do [illegible] enough, try, try again and again. [illegible] dripping of water will wear away the hardest rock. Some houses you may visit you may receive for answer, I can not clothe my children as well as my neighbors, therefore I do not send them. I ask such, can they show me in the scriptures where Christ, during his sojourn on earth, preached salvation only to the richly attired proud, and self reliant, and left the poor crippled and ragged [illegible] to shift for themselves? No, ten thousand times, no! The poor crippled, ragged mendicant, [illegible] with the slime of the gutter, but within a broken spirit, a contrite heart and faith in his Saviour, is far nearer to him than the proud, self reliant spirit, though clothed in purple and fine linen. What did Christ, St. John's disciples? Go and tell John the blind receive their sight, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf are raised and the poor have the gospel preached unto them. I will give you another cause why our sabbath schools are not better attended and also our places of public worship. Ask your fathers, do you earn fair wages sufficient for the necessaries of life, do you as you go your way to and from your honest employment, enter that open and inviting door, do you assist that suave accommodating, and smooth tongued man at the glittering bedecked bar dealing out the accursed poison to the devotees of the soul and body destroying fiend, alcohol? Are you one of the many to assist him to clothe himself in broadcloth, and his wife and family in rich and costly silks and jewelry, and when your money is gone to kick you into the gutter, or hint that your company is a nuisance? I ask you in the name of Almighty God, to stop the leak or your barque is wrecked and engulfed in the quick sands of ruined manhood, premature death and a drunkard's grave. You may say, what has all such cant and bosh to do with church and Sunday School? Allow me to tell you the good honest and hard earned money that you are now laying on the shrine of your titular saint alcohol, give to your wife and mother of your children, tell her you wish her to clothe herself and them, so that she with yourself and children, will have no excuse for shame when you enter God's earthly tabernacle and attend the children's Sabbath School.

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Auction Sale.

Alva Parker will sell at public auction on the corner of Chicago and Railroad streets, in the village of Tecumseh, on Saturday, Dec. 5, '85 at 1 o'clock P. M., One double open buggy, 1 double top buggy, top carriage, 1 huckster wagon, 2 fanning mills, 1 plow, 2 democrat buggies, harrow, double harness, 2 single harnesses, set iron bobs and 1 double cutter. Terms all sums of $5.00 and less, cash; all sums over $5, twelve months credit with interest at 7 per cent. H. W. Stevens, Auctioneer.

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—A full line of assorted colored paints, ready mixed, kept in stock by the Tecumseh Lumber Company.

—Seal Plush Sacques at $20, $24, $25, $30, $35 and $45. Do not fail to see them. W. & S. W. Anderson & Co.

—Cabinets $3.00 per dozen at

Brown's Studio.

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—Special Bargains on a few good second hand cook stoves.

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—The old Globe Mills' patent process flour takes the whole bakery.

—PAN CAKES—We have made arrangements with a new buckwheat flouring mill in Pennsylvania, that does no milling but the manufacture of buckwheat flour by the roller process, to keep their flour on sale. If you wish something that is pure and first class, try this flour and test it yourself.

HECK BROS.

—The best flour for ordinary domestic use sold in this market is that manufactured at the old Globe Mills.

MARRIED.

POTTER—CORYELL.—At the residence of the bride's parents, in Ridgeway Thursday, Nov. 26, by Rev. Jas. Wright, Mr. Jessie Potter, of Tecumseh, and Miss Sophia Coryell, of Ridgeway.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Dec. 1, 1885:

Beechman, Mr.	Bolden, Lariel
Dewey, Wm.	Hoey, Wiley
Hunter, Mrs. A. H.	Langlois Downs

Shu. 7. Jacob.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

FRED ROSACRANS, P. M.

Balch.

Remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Balch, Mich., Dec. 1, 1885:

Love, Justice	Van Dusen, Thomas
Mooney, John	Dibble, Stephen V.

Smith, Amelia Mrs.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

H. C. RAUCH, P. M.

Ridgeway.

The following is a list of letters remaining in this office and uncalled for Dec. 1, 1885:

Dilworth, Miss Minnie	Johnson, George A.
McCarbery, Miss Minnie	Tolbert, Mr. DeWitt

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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TECUMSEH MARKET.

Corrected Every Thursday Morning.

Apples, ₱ barrel	75	@	1 00
Apples, dried, ₱ ℔		@	03
Butter, ₱ ℔	14	@	16
Barley, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Beans, ₱ bushel	75	@	1 25
Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	8
Corn in ear	20	@	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushel		@	50
Clover Seed	4 50	@	5 00
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	20
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00	@	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	5 00	@	5 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey, ₱ ℔		@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	10
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	7
Oats, ₱ bushel	23	@	28
Onions, ₱ bushel		@	45
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25	@	30
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	1 20
Sheep Pelts	15	@	40
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		@	87
Wheat, Red, ₱ bushel		@	88
Wool	20	@	25

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It is invaluable for Diseases of the Kidneys and Liver.

It is invaluable for Diseases peculiar to Women, and all who lead sedentary lives. It does not injure the teeth, cause headache or produce constipation—other Iron medicines do.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Mercury registered 2° below zero Monday at 7 a. m.

The blizzard struck us Saturday followed by a snow storm Sunday.

If the young ladies wish to be in style they must have their hair shingled. You might as well be out of Ridgeway as out of style.

S. F. Marstellar, of Clinton, was in the village Friday.

C. A. Sharp and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Friday at his old home.

Rev. and Mrs. Babbitt, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Mrs. Hall on Thursday afternoon.

Don't forget the social this week Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Lester Osgood.

Rev. W. J. Clack spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Fannie McNeal, of Milan, spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. John Arner.

G. P. Waring attended the temperance conference at Detroit last week, and reports a fine time.

Chas. Clark made his parents a visit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sutton spent Monday afternoon at Tecumseh with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Converse.

Mrs. Catherine Cox returned Monday afternoon from a few weeks' visit with friends in Cleveland, O., and Pittsford, Mich.

Misses Jennie McClure and Mary Neeley, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Rhoba and Lou. Arner from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jones and Miss Salome Clark attended the wedding of I. S. Osborne, at Tecumseh last week Thursday.

The first quarterly meeting for the present conference year will be held next Saturday and Sunday. Preaching Saturday, 6:30 p. m., by the new Presiding Elder. Love feast 9:30 a.m. Sunday; preaching at the usual hour, 10:30 a. m.

Miss Nellie Rappleye, of Dundee, arrived last week and will spend the winter with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rappleye.

The Literary was adjourned last Friday night on account of the storm. The program which was prepared for that time will be carried out at a regular meeting New Year's night, with a few changes. As arrangements have been made and a program made out for the Public to be given Dec. 18, the program for last Friday night will be presented Jan. 1st, 1866. For full particulars see programs for Dec. 18.

Card of Thanks.

To the neighbors and friends who lent a willing hand and kindly cared for our wife and grandmother during her long sickness and who assisted us at her death and burial, we extend our heartfelt appreciations.

A. MONTGOMERY,
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RIDGEWAY LITERARY SOCIETY.

The second public entertainment given by the R. L. S. this season will take place Friday evening, Dec. 18th, 1885. A special program is being prepared and is as follows:

Music—Society.
Recitation—Lottie Arner.
Declamation—Will Clack.
Music—Juveniles.
Reading—Class, concert exercise.
Recitation—Fannie Schwab.
Select Reading—W. A. Phillips.
Song—duet—Flota Smith, Minnie Barrett.
Charade.
Recitation—Rose Easlick.
Dialogue—"The Flower of the Family," four characters, time 15 minutes.
Music—Kittie Clark.
Pantomine.
Paper—Hattie Moon.
Dialogue—"Two Ghosts in White." 8 young ladies, time 30 minutes.
Music—J. Dewitt Arner.
Tableau.

It is expected that Prof. W. C. Sharp will be present and assist in the musical part of the program. Proceeds to go to the organ fund. The program being a long one the doors will be open at 6:45 and exercises will commence promptly at 7:15. Come early for good seats. Tickets 15 cts.; children under 12 years, 10 cts.; family tickets, 50 cents.

BY ORDER OF COM.

ONSTED ODDS.

Another car load of hogs was shipped from here Monday.

F. A. Parsons, of Geneva, is trying to get up a writing school at this place.

Mrs. Wilmer Knapp, of Marshall, is visiting relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

The missionary concert which was to have been last Sabbath evening was postponed for one week.

It is reported that one of our citizens was somewhat frightened Saturday night by meeting a man who claimed to be Palmer, of Tecumseh. Frank Darling started for the State of New York last Friday, where he intends to engage in selling scales.

Hines & Son have commenced the erection of a building to be used for a meat market, which they expect to have in running order in a few days. It will be one door south of J. E. Gibbs' grocery.

WHOLESALE GROCERY DEALERS.

MR. EDITOR.—An Article in the Detroit Commercial Advertiser reflects rather seriously upon the wholesale grocers, accusing them of double dealing. From this charge I would defend them. There has been, and there is now so called Farmers Wholesale Grocers, who go out among the farmers for the sale of groceries. That the goods are sold is beyond dispute, and that good prices are realized is beyond a doubt. This method of selling in the country originated with A. W. Palmer, of Detroit, who conceived the idea of wholesaling groceries, or making a pretense of doing so. Now let us glance for a moment at how it is done. Mr. Palmer buys his stock in Detroit from wholesale houses, and sells at retail. It is done in this way. Agents are sent out in the rural districts with orders to sell in $5 lots. Having proceeded to the farmer's house the conversation that occurs is similar to the following "Mr. Blank, I represent the Farmer's Wholesale Grocery of Detroit. This institution was established for the purpose of giving the farmer direct communication with prominent grocers." Having gained his listeners confidence by this discourse, the agent is permitted to show up his samples, which he proceeds to do in the following manner: "This Tea, a Black Formosa Oolong, retails over the counters of country stores at 90c. we wholesale to you for 55c a pound, a clean saving of 35c. a lb. This fine Japan Tea that retails everywhere for 60c, a lb. we sell you for 40c. saving you 20c. per lb. This fine Mocha and Java mixed, the best grown on the face of the green earth, retails in a regular way for 35c. per lb. we sell you the same brand wholesale for 25c. per lb." Now, to sum it all up, there is decided misrepresentation for the cold facts of the case are that the so called 90c. tea is in reality 55c the 60c. is in reality 40c. tea, while the Mocha and Java so called is a cheap Rio and Guatamala mixed. If the farmer can't get a pointer from the above explanation, he deserves to pay as much, if not more for his groceries, than he can obtain them at home from the men who have often proven friends in need.

ONE WHO KNOWS.

THE NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW for December may be called an historical number, both from it topics and its contributors. It opens with an article by Colonel Fred Grant, entitled "Hallack's Injustice to Grant." This article explains how Halleck so misrepresented General Grant, after the capture of Fort Donelson, that General McClellan authorized his arrest. It is an extraordinary revelation and is told almost exclusively in extracts from dispatches, many of which were suppressed.

Gov. Ireland of Texas describes the progress of that State.

"Motley and Monarch" is a prose poem on Lincoln, by Colonel Ingersoll. It is a marvelous bit of rhetoric.

"Rome and the Inquisitions" is a learned Catholic defence of the charge of cruelty against these ecclesiastical tribunals—outside of Spain.

Gen. Fry, in his "Acquaintance with Grant," describes the cadet life of the future "General of the Army," and vindicates Gen. Fitz-John Porter.

S. Dana Horton gives a rejoinder to the silver symposium of the November number.

Israel Green, the lieutenant who struck John Brown in the face with his saber after he was down, tells his version of the Harper's Ferry affair.

Senator Boutwell and General Rosecrans contribute two articles—on Johnson's plot and on Grant's mistakes, which are too important to discuss in a paragraph.

Mr. Rice, the editor, contributes the closing article on "A Disfranchised People," which, he claims, the citizens of Delaware are.

At 7 o'clock on Thursday evening Dec. 3, 1885, a large company of relatives and friends assembled at the house of Mrs. Anderson, of Macon, to witness the marriage of her son, Samuel J. Anderson, to Miss Maria J. Wallace. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles S. Dutton, Pastor of the Reformed church. The service ended which united two lives in holy wedlock, refreshments were served to the guests. The bride's dress was very becoming, being of brown cashmere, with front of brocaded velvet. On her bosom she wore a bouquet of pansies and white chrysanthemums. A large number of beautiful and useful presents filled a table in the corner. The young couple have before them the prospect of a useful and happy life.

FRANKLIN & TECUMSEH FARMER'S CLUB

Mr. W. S. Osborn entertained the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club, Dec. 2. There was a good attendance, considering that the night was dark and the roads rough.

The meeting was called to order with the President in the chair, and after some miscellaneous business, they proceeded to the literary part of the program, as follows.

Select Reading—Mrs. W. S. Osborn, "Is life worth living?"

Declamation—Frankey Osborn,—"The new suit."

Recitation—Ella Munger.

Recitation—Miss Lida Fisher,—"The Organ Builder."

By request Mrs. B. Horry read with good effect, Uncle Daniel's apparition and prayer.

The discussion of the question, Which is the most profitable, to churn the butter or sell the cream, led to a more general talk on butter making.

Mr. A. VanVaikenburg opened the question. He sets the milk in shallow pans and found that 2 quarts of cream (of a gauge as taken by creamery men) made 1½ lbs. of butter, that it did not pay to sell the cream, and that it paid to use butter color, as was the opinion of the most of the members of the club.

Mrs. W. J. Waldron sold the cream and found it made less work and brought more money.

Mr. Chas. Mathews, used the deep setting process. The cans 8 in. in diameter and 19 in. deep, set in a box arranged so that all the water that he pumped for his stock passed through it. The cans cost him $1 each, and uses 4 cans. The water is about 50°. He skims with a cone shaped dipper. Gets more butter with less work, and from 2 to 4c more per pound than he did with the pans.

The President thought that the tendency was to neglect the cans and not wash them often enough, (some think once or twice a week is sufficient); in his opinion they should be washed with hot water every day. Uses the champion creamery and found it cleaner, and that it was less work than the old pans with their accompaniment of millers, flies and rat-tails.

Mr. H. Wilson thought it a good plan to have a stamp or brand and each sell under that brand so that the customers might know whose butter they are using.

Mr. H. Hoag had used a butter mould or print and sold the butter to private families. Thought it payed. Did not use any butter color, but tried to feed the cows to obtain the color, but thought with other members of the club that it depended more on the cows than the feed.

Mr. W. S. Osborn thought, or at least said, that it did not pay to make butter, and that the more machinery we had the less money we could make, also that a cow would not make butter enough to pay for her self.

L. M. Waldron read some figures from other parties, one of which obtained 12 lbs. of butter from 9 gauges of cream, a gauge contains 106 cubic inches. At another time 8¾ lbs. from 6 gauges. They use the oval or boiler cans, 5½ by 16 and 19 deep, set the same as Mr. Mathews.

The general opinion was that it payed to use the deep setting process and to churn the butter.

After intermission the committee on program reported the following for the next meeting.

Song by the club.
Recitation—Thurman Wilson
Select Read.—Mrs. VanVaikenburg.
Music.
Recitation—Bessie Preston
Chip Basket—Lizzie Thompson
Essay—Mr. Sunger.
Question—How can poultry raising be made profitable. Discussion to be opened by Mr. H. Wilson.

The club then adjourned to meet with Mr. Andrew Wilson Jr. Dec. 16.

L. M. WALDRON, REPORTER.

A Good Practical Paper.

We are in receipt of the "Mechanical News" for Dec. 1st., and take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the same.

It is among the best papers that come to our editorial table, filled as it is with original and choice illustrations of the important and novel inventions of the times. Its editorial pages are replete with well considered articles on practical subjects, readily understood by any reader, while its miscellaneous and news matter make it attractive to those interested in the industrial prosperity of our country, the whole forming a rich store of useful reading.

The publishers have announced that every person who sends one dollar, (the subscription price of the paper), will receive the Mechanical News for one year and an elegant book.

The book is a free gift to the subscriber, who is only required to send with his dollar, six two cent postage stamps for postage on the book.

The offer is most liberal, and every mechanic should send for a sample copy of the paper containing a full description of the valuable books, between which he is invited to make his choice as a premium. Address the Mechanical News, 110 Liberty St., New York. James Leffel & Co., publishers.

THE LAND OF SUNSHINE.

We are permitted to print the following letter from Lucile Berger to Mrs. A. S. Doty. After a brief discription of the trip from Cincinnati to Jacksonville, the writer proceeds.

At 12:30 and we are at Jacksonville, where we remain till 5 o'clock, then take the boat Plant for Aster, a distance of 145 miles up the St. John's river. The day is exceedingly warm, but notwithstanding we take a stroll through the city. The streets are narrow and all white sand with scarcely any faced or hard walks. Saw some good old mansions, covered with green trailing vines over portico and windows. Palmetto and magnolia trees, live oaks, evergreen covered with moss, orange trees loaded with their golden fruit roses and tropical plants by the hundred, making the air fragrant with sweet perfume. Surely we have passed from lands of snow to lands of sun where perpetual summer reigns. After taking in the city we return to the depot and go aboard the waiting steamer, and now we are out on deck with the cool refreshing breeze of the grand St. John's blowing about us, it is indeed refreshing after our long walk through the city. And now the plank is taken in, the bell rings, and we are steaming up the beautiful river. The sun is just sinking upon its imperial couch of gorgeous colors and beautiful beams of crimson and gold are reflected on the calm broad bosomed river—the scene is fine—beyond discription. The boat is crowded, on decks, in state rooms and parlor, on the stairs, everywhere, the captain has taken on 100 passengers more than the boat allows, and at the second landing many were left behind. We have passed the residence of Harriet Beecher Stowe. I don't wonder that she is inspired to write fine books, living on the lovely St. John's as she does. And now the moon appears accompanied by a brilliant train of stars. It is charming here on deck, but the supper bell rings and we go down with the multitude for refreshments. After which we return on deck and sit and muse on loved ones far away and long to have them with us. It is growing late, but still we linger and watch, until the crescent moon has trailed her silver mouth across the heavens and sank to sleep amid the golden stars. Then reluctantly we enter into rest. 3 o'clock, morning; we are two hours behind time. Are now at Astor, the boat is at anchor. We step out on the landing and the scene that meets my vision can never be erased from memory. I feel as if I had suddenly landed on some enchanted foreign shore. Overhanging the lovely St. John's river are massive live oaks ever green imbeded in solid banks of shells, and covered with grey Spanish moss trailing almost to the waters edge, and reflected of its surface. Numerous beds of floating lettuce are seen, and the 'weird' lights shining through a thin veil of mist completes the enchantment. In the distance, on an elevation, stands the hotel to which we hasten. Half way up we are met by Harry Dunn and delighted to see him. He came up from Sorrento a distance of 35 miles expressly to meet us. The sudden and unexpected meeting of Tecumseh friends bring us to earth again, and the unseemable accommodations we receive at the ill kept hotel, breaks the spell of enchantment. "'Tis ever thus from childhood's hour: I've seen my fondest hopes decay."

Friday, 8 o'clock A. M. The morning dawned bright and beautiful. Breakfast, and take the train for Eustos, where we arrive in due time. Find Bert with a hearty welcome and cheer, in waiting to convey us on to Sorrento, a distance of 8½ miles. Tho' somewhat fatigued we enjoyed the ride through open pine forests, near lakes and orange groves. Late in the day our party of fifteen relief the hotel of Dr. Thomas, a very pretty place, surrounded by nice flower gardens and orange grove near by, through which Dr. Thomas and wife showed me and gave me the pleasure of picking my first oranges. You can imagine I was delighted and somewhat flattered, being the only lady thus favored. After taking leave of our party, we hasten to our home where upon the vine clad porch we receive a warm and loving welcome, from sister Mary and Gertie, who, you may rest assured, we were very glad to see after traveling the distance of 1245 miles.

I like Sorrento very much indeed, although it is now in its infancy. I believe in 10, or even 5 years, it will be a beautiful and profitable place in which to dwell, at least to those who are fortunate enough to possess a home and orange grove. It is cozy and pleasant here. They have built a pretty rustic summer house and covered it with trailing moss and vines, also rustic chairs, in one of which I sit with my white dress on, and write you this long and I fear tiresome discription of my journey. The climate is perfectly delightful, sunshine and blue sky every day since I came, with a soft refreshing breeze. Ther. 82° in the shade to day, 105° in the sun. The moonlight nights are lovely here, just perfect—wish you were with us. Rest assured you are not forgotten in this Summer Land so far away.

Moscow is getting notorious. One of her time honored knights becomes dissatisfied with single blessedness and leads one of the fair ones to the altar with the usual "love, protect, and defend" declarations. The event occurred last week. The twain were formerly Levi Bennett and Sarah Coryell, aged 79 and 85 respectively. The "one flesh" is now tied up for better or worse, and we expect to see it toddle down life's sand hill as gracefully as the leaves fall in autumn.—Addison Courier.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 30 1886.

HURRAH FOR OLD WINTER.

Hurrah for old Winter! Hurrah for the snow,
Hurrah for the sleigh and the cutter may they blow,
We'll laugh by the fire, yellow and warm,
And laugh at Jack Frost, who can do us no harm.

We'll eat mince pies, made of pumpkin and squash,
And laugh at the wind, blowing coldly and gash,
We'll feast upon turkey and chickens and pork,
And laugh at the cakes swimming in lakes of gravy.

We'll skate on the ice and we'll ride in the sleigh,
And laugh at the boys with the mud as we pass by,
And kiss them at parties and spare not the girls,
Till blushed by their pals for remaining so late.

We'll nestle up snugly in a big feather bed,
And pull heavy blankets up over our heads,
And let the storm howl and rages and roars,
And answer it back with a volley of snores.

Hurrah for the Winter! because we are young,
When old and rheumatic this tune will be sung,
Then bills from the doctor and salvman and plumber
Will make us hurrah very loud for the summer.

—*H. C. Dodge, in Detroit Free Press.*

2,000 YEARS HENCE.

Chicago's Ruins Explored and Wonders Unearthed.

The Board of Trade "Restored"—Wall Advertisements of City Politics and Theatrical Matters—The Mysteries Surrounding So-Called "Base Ball."

A pensive poet away back in the nineteenth century, named Bryant, wrote that

> All that tread
> The Globe are but a handful to the tribes
> That slumber in its bosom.

We can form but little idea, even from the estimates at hand, of the numbers and characteristics of the human race in past ages. It is no more easy task to conjecture the number and importance of the buried cities which exist in every part of the earth. If we could but trace the history of the cities of our own country back to the date of their founding, and recall the names of the now unknown heroes, whose exploits made themselves and their cities alike famous, we would undoubtedly feel the same pride in the ruins of America which the intelligent Greek was wont to feel in the ruined greatness of his own, we are told, marvelous country. The Americans, however, have not been remarkable for their records, and we have but little to guide us in our study of the annals of the ages which have preceded our own. But this year of our Lord 2,886 has been very fruitful in scientific discoveries and Mother Earth has been forced to yield some of her secrets, and it would seem as though it had been reserved for the generation that is dying out to penetrate, and not in vain, the depths of enigmatical ruins, to disentomb from them the past, and to restore to it the real aspect that once it wore, along with a part of its lost chronology. Thanks to the acquisitions of modern science, for which progress the genius and the blood of America have helped to clear the way, thanks to the successful excavating by our savant amongst the ruins of our buried cities, and to their unhoped-for deciphering of the records, rich in detail, that have been unearthed, through which the Americans of twenty centuries ago seem to converse with the men of our own time, thanks to this, the historian can at length present to us testimony certain and reliable regarding them, and, although the idea of again securing the thread, a hundred times broken, of American tradition, must be once for all abandoned, we have it in our power at last to reconstruct the most brilliant part of it almost to perfection. The period that it covers flourished in times which natons the most jealous of their antiquity do not, in their authentic records, pretend to have attained.

The work of subterranean exploration which has been steadily going on in the buried ruins of Chicago for over a century has not yet enabled us to form any accurate notion of the nature and extent of the catastrophe, but it is clearly evident that the city was swallowed up in a few brief moments by a most phenomenal convulsion of nature. Of the discovery of the tomb of Chicago, there are various accounts. That which is the most credited relates to the sinking of a well, the bottom of which fell out, and upon examination revealed the inside of the massive white marble structure which has been unearthed and restored, and which bears the inscription "Board of Trade." Prof. Henry Schlemann, whose excavating efforts in Chicago have been so successful, is a lineal descendant of the famous Schlemann of the nineteenth century, who, two thousand years ago, did such a grand and noble work in Greece. But it is to the records of America that the intense excitement of the day is directed, and the news which has reached us of Prof. Schlemann's rich find in the ruins of Chicago would seem to indicate that the grandest and most valuable discovery of all had just been made. Chicago is undoubtedly the most wonderful of American antiquities, and no traveling can be disappointed who has any acquaintance with ancient history. The impression which it gives of the actual presence of an American city two thousand years ago is so vivid and intense that it requires but a small effort of the imagination to place yourself among the multitudes which once thronged the streets and theaters, and occupied its now voiceless chambers. The streets before you are generally paved; some are well worn, and others, one broad avenue in particular, in as good preservation as though in use the day before. The houses, many of them, extend in unbroken lines, and in nearly every instance the doors are firmly closed. One curious class of discoveries in Chicago consists of the advertisements upon the dead walls, which relate to city politics and theatrical affairs. Candidates had the blushing impudence to bespeak support for themselves from their tombs, and the play-houses announced in bright colors on huge posters the coming attractions, proving that up to the year 1885 the show printers had the edge on the press for theatrical advertising. All the observations which have been made from time to time, however, on the posters made among the ruins of Chicago are as naught when we consider the opportunity which is now given of the signature and study, by the great "not" just recovered by Prof. Schlemann. From our newspapers of to-day, we learn that the work which the professor has been following up for weeks of exploration and excavation in Chicago, that of investigating the position of the cornerstones among the ashes of the largest structures, recently unearthed in the ghostly ruins which lie to-day, which is nothing less than the discovery of numbers of the city papers under dates in September and October of the year 1886. They give long accounts of a most singular and curious game, which from the reports seemed to excite a goodly number of people to the highest pitch. In one place an allusion is made to the coming "battle of the giants," and the description is made that in the first game McCormick, who must have been a very celebrated man, will "pitch for the home team." What a field for operations in scientific research has opened before us! Let us find out something authentic in regard to the stature of these "giants"; let us ascertain what the features of this game of so-called "base-ball" were; let us grub the expressions "Anson's hot-in-it," "Worth's sky-scraper" and "Kelly's daisy-cutter," of the mystery which surrounds them. When we shall have been able to comprehend the meaning of "a rank decision by the umpire," the statement that "Dorgan was given a base on balls," the report that "Williamson flew out to Gerhardt," and the emphatic accusation that "Clarke took chances, and stole second," we shall, doubtless, have a clear insight to the peculiar customs and characteristics of the people who lived in Chicago in that ancient epoch, together with some understanding of their pastimes and principal occupations. The material now in the professor's hands will require years to exhaust by deliberate study and scholarly criticisms, for how long will it not take to master the significance of expressions like these: "Spalding's Salvationists followed amid tremendous enthusiasm," "Anson's infants have gained all the glory there is in the world," "New York's bandbearers have dropped both gold and glory," "the mascot stood on his head," "'Pat' let Gerhardt throw him out at first," "Gillespie hit four bases" (how that man must have been a "giant"), "O'Connor stole one base on Sunday" (this makes it clear that their moral natures were sadly blunted), "Kelly's home-run was received with a mighty yell," etc.

The puzzling quotations give but a faint idea of the bewildering mass of material Prof. Schlemann has secured among the ruins of Chicago, a city, which, judging by the report that "five thousand people were at and the diamond," must have been one of gigantic splendor and unequaled resources. We have reason to congratulate ourselves on the brilliant results of Prof. Schlemann's labor and upon the valuable addition he has made to the history of America. Time enough it may be years before we shall get at the precise meaning of the assertion that "in the pool-rooms men went mad," which sad condition of affairs, they tell us, was brought about by "betting on one or no run in the eighth inning." In another account it is stated that "the pool-room was suddenly emptied, and for a few minutes loose teeth and bloody noses were very plenty in the alley." All this occurred in connection with what was known as "base-ball," and the "meeting of the giants." From this we should judge that their "national game" was of a barbaric nature, and that the people were fond of violence. This idea is borne out by the report that "Kelly wanted to black Curry's eye for him." This game of "base-ball" must also have been to the taste of the masses, because the papers containing the reports of the game were "snatched from the stands," and we are told that they "sold like hot cakes." Hot cakes must have been plenty and cheap among that very peculiar people. It seems to us that men must have attained great eminence in that city by their connection with the "league," for we learn that exclamations like the following were made on the "grounds" and in the "pool rooms": That "McCormick is a fine deady," "the Harlem twirler is no slouch," "no flies now on the pennant for Anson," "what a lala Gore is," that "O'Rourke is a holy terror," "Williamson can down them all," and "Mutrie is a kicker."

We shall look with interest for further reports from Prof. Schlemann, and with great curiosity for his understanding of the contents of the papers discovered, for it must be conceded that the day these papers were printed must have been a red-letter one in the calendar, and that the accounts in them of the excessive strain of excitement endured by the people over the "base-ball game" will prove a study of intense interest.—*Chicago Journal.*

A Mustard Sponge.

In referring to sponge as a carrier of poultices, Dr. Richardson considers that it makes the best of mustard carriers. Mix the mustard in a basin with water until the mass is smooth and of even consistency. Then take the soft mass all up with a clean sponge, lay the sponge in the center of a white handkerchief, tie up the corners neatly, and apply the smooth, convex surface to the skin. This mustard sponge, warmed again by the fire and slightly moistened, can be applied three or four times, is good for several hours, and saves the trouble of making a new poultice during the weariness of night watching. The sponge can afterward easily be washed clean in warm water.—*Scientific American.*

—Mrs. Garfield has an income of $12,456 a year from the Garfield fund.

ACTRESSES.

Their First Appearance Upon the Stage in England.

There seems no doubt that actresses did not perform on the stage till the Restoration, in the earliest years of which Pepys says for the first time he saw an actress upon the stage. Charles II must have brought the love from the Continent where women had long been employed instead of boys or youths in the representation of female characters. Congreve's "Craddles on Parnassus," Dublin, M. Lee says, saw a woman first appear on the stage as Viviana, Dryden, in his letter to Dudley Carleton, 1663, relates a scandal which played upon the public by a person who assumed that high price of tragedy, of actresses to Antwerp. Chapman, 1663, refers to the stage in Ireland. Mrs. Pepys says women did perform, as masques, and were played before royalty or at the assistance by persons of quality. Henry VIII. is said in the "Chronicles" of Hall, 1512, as having introduced masques into England and having taken a part in them himself. Edward III., however, is said to have given a precedent to the dramatic masque which flourished during the sixteenth century in England. Masques are said to have been taken from Italy. Henry VIII., with a Spanish wife who participated in them, may, however, have been adopting the manners of Spain and Portugal. Instances of women acting in plays and of royal personages taking the parts in them are afforded in Portugal by Gil Vicente, who in the beginning of the sixteenth century wrote dramas in the Castilian languages, which gave rise to the Spanish theater and anticipated Lope de Vega and Shakespeare nearly a century. It is related of him: "His plays were enacted at the Court of King Emmanuel, and the first of them was performed in 1504. They had great success, which increased during the reign of Emmanuel's successor, John III., who often played a part in them. It appears that Gil Vicente acted himself in his dramas, and it is certain that his daughter Paula (lady of honor to a royal Princess) was the first dramatic performer of her time in Portugal." Gil Vicente wrote autos or religious plays, comedies, tragi-comedies and farces. Being the only dramatic author of his time, he gained a European reputation, and Erasmus learned Portuguese in order to read his works. It appears, therefore, that in 1502 the public were not averse to seeing actresses on the stage, as in their disappointment they wreaked vengeance on the furniture of the theater, breaking to pieces what was in it. This was different from what happened nearly thirty years afterward, in 1629, when, as Mr. Colber relates, a French company were not permitted by the public to perform because they had actresses to fill women's parts.—*Notes and Queries.*

THE BANK BURGLAR.

A Class of Criminals That Will Disappear Entirely in the Near Future.

"There are many men in New York City who could formerly boast of a peculiar distinction, that are now designated in police circles as members of the 'Order of Lost Nerves,'" said Detective Billy Pinkerton yesterday. "They were once the flowers of the profession of crooks, but long terms of imprisonment took the sand all out of them."

"What is the real cause of the depression in the bank-burgling industry?"

"The decay of the bank burglar, chiefly, though the improvement in safes may have had some influence. Still, mechanical safe-guards would not be so effective as they seem to be if the bank robbers of to-day had the ingenuity of those of former times. But now you can count on your finger nails all the first-class burglars of that grade who are not dead, in prison for long terms, or nerveless because of long imprisonment. There are just as many burglars as ever, but the genius of the profession appears to have died out. There are no such men now as Scott and Dunlap, the Northampton bank robbers; Joe Howard, Hope and Brady, and Johnny Dobbs. Of these, Scott is dead, Dunlap is serving a long sentence in Massachusetts, and so is Dobbs; our people convicted Joe Howard in Coldwater, Mich.; Brady is doing seventeen years in New York; Hope is in San Quentin for an attempted robbery in San Francisco; big Frank McCoy is a race-track 'tout' and a 'bum' in New York, and so the record could be filled up for pages."

"Do you anticipate a revival of higher grades of burglary?"

"No; it will never occur. The rising generation of thieves is destitute of the intelligence necessary to make the exact plans and close calculations without which it is foolish to attempt to rob a bank. They are naturally and professionally of a grade too low for the business. Then they get no encouragement from the old-timers who are living out of prison. Such men, after serving long terms, have no heart for stealing. The best proof that bank burglars no longer exercise much influence on the fears of capitalists is to be found in the fact that our agency has been for some time arranging for the employment of its operatives in other fields. So far as the bank burglars are concerned, there is, practically, nothing for us to do, and as the race is rapidly becoming extinct this feature of our business promises to disappear entirely before long."—*Chicago News.*

—The geological survey of New Jersey has proved that by sinking wells many of the cities and towns in the northern and central parts of the State can procure a good water supply, which most of them now lack. At a depth of five hundred feet water flows copiously.—*Newark Register.*

—A young man who has been for eleven years a bootblack in Castle Garden sent out engraved invitations to his wedding, which took place recently in the Beth-Hamedrash Synagogue, New York.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

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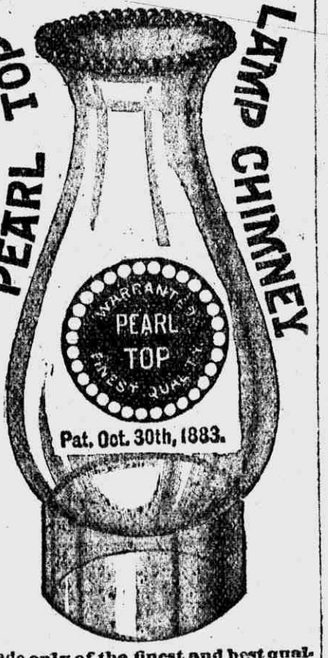

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JOSH BILLINGS.

A Few Anecdotes of the Great Humorist's Remarkable Self-Possession.

Before I left New York I called on Josh Billings with an album and modestly solicited his autograph. He took it on his knees, gave his mouth a comical twist and wrote:

"Thrice is he armed who hath his quarrel just."
—*The Bard of Avon.*

"And four times he who gets his blow in fust."
—*J. Billings.*

Josh was extremely fond of animals and had a cat in his house at Albany which he gravely addressed as "William." I suggested that that was a dignified name for puss, as cats were usually called "Tom" or "Tip," or a quick, short cognomen.

"But that's a special, swell, blue-blooded specimen of the feline race, I wish you to know," rejoined the humorist. "Recently, poor fellow, he has had fits and since then I call him Fitz-William."

When Rubinstein was over here he was presented to Josh, and the pianist was careful to impress the American with accounts of the nobility of his ancestors. "My family," said he loftily, "goes back to the time of the Crusaders. My researches in this direction enabled me to discover that one of my ancestors accompanied the Emperor Barbarossa." Josh smiled, and affecting to be immensely impressed, immediately remarked: "On the piano, of course."

A story is told of the humorist being thrown on one occasion among a batch of students in a country town near New Haven. He was tramping along with a rusty yellow dog, and entered the bar-room of a hotel for some refreshments. A group of the Yale lads chanced to be there on a frolic, and immediately interviewed Billings, whom they evidently mistook for a farmer. They inquired with affected interest after the health of his wife and children, and Josh, with counterfeited simplicity, gave them a graphic account of his family and farm.

"Of course you belong to the Church?" asked one of the boys.

"Yes, the Lord be praised, and my father and grandfather before me."

"Now, I suppose you would not tell a lie," said one of the students.

"Not for the world."

"What will you take for that dog!" pointing to Josh's cur, which was crouching beneath his chair.

"I won't take twenty dollars for that dog."

"Twenty dollars! Why, he's not worth twenty cents."

"I assure you I would not take twenty dollars for him."

"Come, my friend," said the student, who, with his companions, was bent on having some fun with the old man. "Now, you say you won't tell a lie for the world. Let me see if you will not do it for $20. I'll give you $20 for your dog."

"I'll not take it."

"You will not? Here! let me see if this will not tempt you to lie," added the student, producing a small bag of half dollars, which he built up into small piles on the table. Josh was sitting by the table with his hat in his hand, apparently unconcerned. "There," added the student, "there are twenty dollars, all in silver; I will give you that for the animal." Josh quietly raised his hat to the edge of the table, and, as quick as thought, scraped all the money into it, except one half dollar, and then exclaimed:

"I won't take your twenty dollars. Nineteen and a half is as much as that dog is worth; he is your property!"

A tremendous shout from his fellow-students clearly showed the would-be wag that he was completely sold, and that he need not look for sympathy from that quarter, so he good-naturedly acknowledged himself beaten.—*Philadelphia Times.*

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Designs and Materials For Fashionable Wraps and Mantles.

This season's exhibit of outer garments shows a richness of material and garniture not seen before, and the short dress wraps find favor with all ladies of good taste. The shapes are not particularly new, but the few modifications, a slight change in the sleeves and the magnificent garnitures give them variety and elegance. A notable house in this city exhibits an immense number of elegant wraps, and not two alike. Ladies have become very fastidious in the matter; they do not want to appear at the theater, opera, reception or at church and see a duplicate of their mantle in the building. Manufacturers have come to understand this and take especial pains to vary the styles. The Parisian will select his material and order the garniture made, and if the match is not perfect he will not use the material at all.

The finer garments are cut short at the back and long pointed fronts in some cases, the points reaching nearly to the foot. A wrap may be trimmed all around with feather bands and have oxidized metal clasps and the lower points finished with fringe made of braid, chenille and jet or of rosary beads and drops covered with iridescent wire gauze. Those trimmed with fur or feather bands are the most sought for and the feather bands are more in favor than fur, as they are lighter and more appropriate to much of the material used. These feather bands are shown in great variety. Ordinary goods can be bought at $1.50 per yard and $8 is the price asked for the best. In buying this trimming ladies should be particular to notice how it is made. A style that is simply gummed upon cloth is very frail and will, if it becomes warm or damp, fall to pieces. The better goods has the feathers woven into the foundation and heat nor water will hurt it, and it will bear considerable hard usage. This refers to the Marabont trimmings.

A most attractive mantle is in brown heavy cord sicilienne and brown velvet. The short back and very long pointed fronts are of velvet, the sides and sleeves of sicilienne. The front is ornamented with rich passementerie medallions, and it is trimmed around with gray fox fur. It is an extremely stylish garment. Other wraps of this shape are brocaded with feather bands and rich fringes, and in some cases the lower ends are gathered or plaited in bell-pull fashion, surrounded with a very rich and elegant network and fringe of chenille, braid cord or jet or a combination of several materials. It is not necessary that this ornamentation should match the style of trimming on the remainder of the garment, it being often selected with much more richness.

A magnificent carriage wrap for a young lady is of fine seal plush. The sleeves are marked and outlined with elegant gold beaded passementerie, while the tabs in front are finished with rich beaded tassels. The collar and cuffs are formed with beaver fur. Very rich ornaments are placed on the small, puffed postillion, and the garment is lined throughout with gold colored quilted satin. Another elegant mantle of seal plush for a matron has the back and fronts of fine astrakhan, the whole bordered with Alaska sable, an excellent representative of Russian sable.

A very elegant and lady-like wrap is in brown faille cloth, hand embroidered, with wood beads and bordered with brown feather trimmings, chenille and wood bead fringe. This is lined with brown quilted satin, and, if worn with a brown costume, will form a most elegant finish. Another handsome brown cloth wrap is covered with braid embroidery and bordered with brown feather trimming. This would form a very distingue traveling wrap. The shape of these garments is all about the same. They are extremely stylish and elegant and the newest thing in the market.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

FERTILITY.

Neglected Resources for Obtaining Luxuriant Crops.

To improve a farm that is rolling requires something mixed with the soil to hold it together to make a foundation for manures that may be applied and to keep it from washing, and for this business there is nothing better than *rye;* no other vegetable growth is better adapted to all soils. Sow in September, that it may get as good a fall growth as possible. In the spring, as soon as it shows sign of ripening, turn swine on and "hog it down." After the hogs have pretty well eaten all the grain turn the straw under; the remaining kernels will soon sprout and bring on another crop. The decomposing straw will give food to the young growing rye and keep the ground from washing. The next spring, after the rye is two or three feet high, turn it under and plant to corn. That fall put the corn and sow wheat and in early spring sow clover seed on the wheat; harrow first and then sow is best. While taking land through the rye process keep a lookout for manure.

Our stately forest proves that *leaves* are one of the most powerful fertilizers. Heap them in large piles in the woods, cover with loam; if loam be mixed all through the pile the better. Thus covered the gases are held. These leaves will be rich in plant food, when well rotted, but would be better composted with stable manure. Cover stable floors a foot deep in the fall while these piles are dry. They will absorb all the liquid from the stock. Use of economy in this way will give a surprising quantity and value of manure. Collect all *bones,* large and small, into a vessel for safe-keeping. When winter comes and you are burning sound wood, put in boxes or barrels a layer of ashes and a layer of bones, then another layer of ashes and then bones until the vessel is nearly full, then finish with ashes; put about twice as much ashes as bones. Keep the mass wet with soapsuds or chamber lye, but do not suffer it to freeze; the process will stop it you do. Through winter save a hopper of strong ashes.

When spring comes and the bones are not dissolved sufficiently put the bones and ashes into a large kettle filled with lye leached from the ashes in the hopper and boil them until the lye eats them up. Put this away in barrels until wanted; you can mix it with dry soil to make it better to handle. I have thus made a fertilizer that gives better satisfaction than commercial manure that cost three dollars per hundred pounds. *Hen droppings* well take care of is second only to guano. It should be composted or mixed with the leaf mold in some dry place, or it can be swept up every week and put in barrels and mixed with loam as used. All the above manures can be broadcasted and thoroughly mixed with the soil and crops planted, or be used in the hill, and you have not had to pay out one dollar money.

A beginner on poor land may have a small lot of the best of it to raise fruits and vegetables, to make a supply until the farm is improved up to make good crops. Have pigs in pens fed all the refuse from the table or garden, keep plenty of sod, chip dirt and road dust as absorbents; pigs will eat sod with seeming thanks. This will also make a fine lot of manure and give you cheap pork. When your clover is in its second year cut it when some heads are a little brown, for feed in the winter. This clover hay fed to stock (a calf or two, as many as you can get, if nothing else) and the manure carefully saved, I believe will help renovate land faster than to turn the clover under. But after the crop of clover is cut the fall growth should be turned under and the ground sowed to wheat. Turn the clover sod under some three or four weeks before sowing wheat. The clover thus turned under will furnish an abundance of rich food for the growing wheat. If any young calves have been fed through the winter they can be sold off in the spring or pastured until fall and sold for beeves.—*Thomas D. Baird, in N. Y. Tribune.*

—There is a dog at Lewisburg, N. Y., that acts as a post-boy. It knows when the train is due, runs to the railroad crossing, and as soon as the mail pouch is thrown from the cars grasps it and drags it to the Post-office. He will allow no person to molest the mail until it is delivered at the office.—*Buffalo Express.*

—A Georgia blacksmith is six feet ten inches tall, and he can hold a 120-pound anvil at arm's length, and break chains that a horse can not pull in two. He is said to be "much respected in the community in which he lives." We can believe it.—*Lowell Courier.*

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Flouring Mill on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next, 1885, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to me as assignee in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (excepting of section number three, (3,) township number six, (6) south, of range number four (4) east, containing about thirty-eight acres of land, more or less, except about half an acre on east side of the pond deeded to Nehemiah M. Sutton. Also that small piece of land on the east side of the northwest quarter of said section three (3) which lies east of the west line of a highway, which runs nearly along the quarter section line through the north half of said section, being the same piece formerly deeded by John and Betsey Bangs to Samuel Satterthwaite, containing forty-seven hundredths of an acre of land. Also so much of the following described piece of land which lies south of the center of a highway running nearly east and west through the same: Beginning at the southwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three, (3) thence north along the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, nine chains and twenty (9.20) links; thence east parallel with the quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links; thence south parallel with said first course nine chains and twenty (9.20) links to the quarter section line; thence west along said quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links to the place of beginning, containing about five acres of land. Also so much of said five acres of piece lying north of the center of said highway, running nearly east and west through the same, described as follows, to wit: Beginning fifty links south of the southwest corner of a lot of land formerly owned by Jerome Cleveland; thence north to the said southwest corner and along the west side of said Cleveland lot to the northwest corner of the same; thence west along the south line of land formerly owned by Nehemiah M. Sutton to the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section; thence south along said line to the center of said highway; thence east along the center of said highway to the place of beginning.

Also that other piece or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the center stake of said section three (3); thence running north eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes (89° 27') east along the quarter section line twenty-five chains and ten (25.10) links to a point five chains and forty-three (5.43) links east of the corner between the east and west halves of the southeast quarter of said section; thence south forty (40) minutes west three chains and seventy-one (3.71) links to a post; thence south eighty-nine degrees and twenty seven minutes west parallel to said quarter section line eight chains and eighty (8.80) links to a post standing on the top of the high bank of the River Raisin; thence south eighty-eight degrees and fifty-five (88° 55') minutes west, eleven chains and nine (11.09) links to the center of a black ash tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the high bank of said river and near the water's edge; thence north seventy-seven degrees and forty (77° 40') minutes west across said river five chains and thirty-five (5.35) links to the north side of a large basswood tree standing near the water's edge and in the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north thirty-eight (38) minutes east along said line to the center of said section the place of beginning, one chain and eighty-four (1.84) links, containing eight acres and sixty-one hundredths of an acre of land, excepting and reserving from the same a piece of land lying on the east and south easterly part of the same heretofore deeded by Asa F. Sutton to Elwood Comfort. Also so much of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three (3) as is now flowed by the Raisin Mills Mill Pond with the usual and common head of water as it has been held.

Also the full right and privilege to hold the Raisin Mills mill property pond at such a height and with such a head as it has been held since the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine (1859) and to flow and damage thereby when so held, the following described parcels and tracts of land, to wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section three (3) aforesaid in the town of Raisin, and that other piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee county and state of Michigan: Beginning thirty-one (31) links east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four, township five south of range four east, running thence north four and a-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links; thence north fourteen and a-half degrees (14½°); thence east two chains and ninety-seven links; thence north seventy-three and three-quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains to an elm tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river; thence following the margin of the river on the down on the north, northeast and east side until it intersects the township and section line at the south end of said section thirty-four; thence west along said section line to the place of beginning, without giving or allowing any right to raise said mill pond higher or above where it has usually and lately been held.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the quarter post at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section three, (3) town six (6) south, of range four (4) east, running thence west on north line of said section ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links; thence south parallel with east line of said quarter section eighteen (18) chains and seventy-eight links (78); thence east ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links, to the east line of said quarter section; thence north on the east line of said quarter section eighteen (18) chains and eighty-five (85) links, to the place of commencement, containing twenty acres of land.

Also that other piece or parcel of land situate in said town of Raisin, and known and described as follows: Being that part and parcel of the northwest quarter of section three (3) in town six (6) south, of range four (4) east, bounded north by the north half of said quarter section owned in part by S. C. Le Baron and in part by said Comfort party of the first part, east by the highway which leads southward from the village of Tecumseh to the Raisin Mills; south by the center line of the highway leading eastward from the Jackson Branch of the Michigan Southern Railroad across the Bangs farm (formerly so called) to said Raisin Mills; and on the west by the east line of the Adrian & Detroit Railroad company's road as laid out and established across said quarter section, containing nineteen and one-quarter (19¼) acres, more or less.

Also all that tract or parcel of land situate in Raisin aforesaid, described as follows: Being all that part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section three in town six south, of range four east, being north and west of the center of the River Raisin, and north and east of the line following, to wit: Beginning thirteen chains and twelve links west of the northeast corner of the said east half of the said quarter section at a point in the quarter section line; thence south seven and a-half (7½°) degrees west, three chains and seventy links; thence south forty seven and one-half (47½°) degrees east, eight (8) chains and eighty-eight (88) links; thence north seventy-seven and one-half (77½°) degrees east, two chains and eight links to the center of the River Raisin. Also that part of the south half of the northwest quarter of section three (3) lying south of the highway leading eastward from the Michigan Southern Railroad to the Raisin Mills, and also lying east of lands on that quarter section owned by M. A. Patterson, containing in all twenty acres of land, more or less.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows: Being a part of the northeast quarter of section three (3) in town six south of range four east: Beginning at the west end of a picket fence on north side of the highway leading easterly from the Raisin Mills; thence easterly along the highway on its north line to land owned formerly by Samuel and Elizabeth Satterthwaite six rods; thence north at right angles with said line twelve rods; thence west six rods to land formerly occupied by A. P. Frary; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning, containing seventy-two rods of land.

All that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the Township of Raisin, Lenawee County and State of Michigan, being the north half, of the west half, of the north-east quarter of Section three (3), township six (6) south of Range four (4) east; also that other tract of land in the Township of Tecumseh, county and state aforesaid, bounded or beginning thirty-one links (31) east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four (34) in Tecumseh, town five (5) south, of range four (4) east, running thence north four and one-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links, thence north fourteen and one-half degrees east, two chains and ninety-seven links (2.97), thence north seventy-three and three quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains (12) to an elm tree about six inches in diameter, at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river, thence following down the margin of the river on the north, north-east and east, until it intersects the section and township line; thence west on said line to the place of beginning.

Also that other parcel of land beginning on the north boundary of the last above described piece at a point where the east bank of the old saw mill race enters the river, running thence northerly along the easterly bank of said race to the center of a highway running nearly east and west; thence east along the center of said highway about fifty links (50) to a stone; thence north seventeen and one-half degrees (17½°) east, seven chains and thirty-seven (7.37) links to a stake on the top of the high river bank, thence south eighty-eight degrees (88°) west, down the steep bank about fifty (50) links to a stake on the side of the old mill pond; thence down along the edge of the old mill pond and river so as to include all the old saw mill to a white oak sapling standing on the bank of the river below the said saw mill, a corner of the mill land as formerly surveyed; thence south fifty-one (51) degrees east, one chain and sixty-five (1.65) links; thence south sixteen and one-half (16½) degrees west, about two chains to the margin of the river; thence down along the margin of the river to the place of beginning together with the mill privilege connected with the same.

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EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of William R. King, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Barridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of December, 1885, and on the 26th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of October A.D. 1885 are allowed by the said court for creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 29, 1885.

ALEXANDER RICHARD,
HORACE E. HOLDRIDGE,
o29 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravenswoor England deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the second day of January, 1886, and on the 24th day of May 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 23rd day of November 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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Mistletoe for Kissing Purposes.

No English lady considers her home decorations for Christmas complete, until a little sprig of Mistletoe, no matter how small, is hung over one of the doors on the inside of the house. Upon this day, "if a gentleman discovers a lady standing under the Mistletoe, he has a right to kiss her."

If this ancient and honored custom becomes as popular in America as it has been for centuries in Europe, it will be largely due to the Emporia (Fla.) Gazette, which, by the way, is published in Volusia County, Florida, which is famous for its Summery Winters and Orange Groves; for this journal has prepared packages of Mistletoe (a parasite and a native of Florida) which it will send to any address upon receipt of five 2 cent stamps to cover postage, &c. The Gazette has published a "Florida Catechism," that gives full and accurate information upon all subjects of interest to tourists or settlers, which it will mail, to any applicant, with a sample copy of its paper, upon receipt of two 2 cent stamps.

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MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

West Michigan fruit growers at Allegan Dec. 16 18.

Dr. Cope, the Coldwater dentist who met with a severe accident a few evenings

The hog cholera raged [illegible] farmers of Barry [illegible] year of about $10,000.

November visitors to the Michigan Asylum [illegible] the light the institution.

The Michigan Legislature [illegible] at Grand Rapids in [illegible]

The school teachers of Ionia county have met [illegible] ing year with W. H. [illegible] W. M.

There have been [illegible] the mines at Ishpeming [illegible] the past eight weeks [illegible] short.

Rev. E. D. Bostwick of Hudson has resigned the pastorate of the congregational church [illegible] owing to failing health.

C. R. Payne, of Adrian, fell from a wagon Thursday evening and broke several ribs, besides receiving internal injuries.

The Coldwater road cart company have rebuilt the factory recently burned and are again doing business at the old stand.

Mrs. Morgan, a widow aged 60 living alone at Manchester, was found dead in her bed by neighbors on Thursday of last week.

An extra well is being put down at the Oakland House, Clare, in order to secure a sufficient supply of the celebrated mineral water.

Henry Bain, a farmer of Hastings township, Barry Co., is under arrest, charged with poisoning Eli Randall's horse with Paris green.

Rev. H. F. Spencer, who was an esteemed laborer for nearly 15 years in the Michigan M. E. conference, died at Union Springs, N. Y., recently.

It is tacitly understood at Ann Arbor that Hon. C. I. Walker, of Detroit, will be chosen to succeed Wm. P. Wells in the law department of the University.

J. L. Wilcox, of Flint, has manufactured 4,000 gallons of apple jelly, made 2000 pounds of evaporated fruit and [illegible] gallons of sorghum syrup this season.

Daniel Bennet, since February, 1884, an inmate of the Monroe county house, was last week sent to the Soldiers Home at Grand Rapids with credentials duly certified to.

J. Cameron had his store burglarized at Manistee recently, and set a trap into which he innocently walked himself, receiving a dose of cold lead in his back. The wound is not dangerous.

Another unwarrantable interference with woman's rights is found in the fine of $25 and costs and 90 days in jail imposed on Wm. Arnold and John Horning, of Adrian, "for selling liquor to a woman."

The Austin, Tomlinson & Webster wagon manufacturing company at Jackson has received an order from the Russian war department for a number of Jackson wagons to be shipped to Odessa.

Eason Wilbur, of Adams township, Hillsdale Co., fell down the cellar stairs last week and died from the effects of the injury. He was one of the early settlers of the township, and was over 80 years old.

A Grand Rapids hotel has bibles chained to the washstands with the motto: "Cleanliness next to Godliness." An irreverent drummer guest added: "Less bibles and cleaner beds would be a more pious plan."

Leading plaster men from Michigan, New York and Iowa met at Grand Rapids last week and decided that Michigan, Ohio and Iowa mills should unite in a pool to operate five years as one agency. Prices were not settled definitely.

The Hastings, Barry county, farmers are duly impressed with the fact that their soil is particularly adapted to celery raising, and there are several who contemplate going into the business extensively. Kalamazoo will have to look to her laurels.

Mrs. Martha Strickland, who is conducting the examination of witnesses in the Foley trial at St. Johns is undoubtedly the first woman in the history of Michigan jurisprudence who has led the prosecution in a murder trial, and probably the first in the United States.

Fred. Crabb, an 18 years-old boy, of Ypsilanti, who was taken to the Pontiac insane asylum for treatment a year ago, was allowed to return home three weeks ago at his mother's pleading. Last week he attended a religious service and went violently insane. He was returned to the asylum.

The Jackson foundry and machine company have finished a barrel machine on a new patent for J. A. Waterman, of Reading, which will cut a continuous stave from a log that has been thoroughly steamed, and also do the chiming and bending, thus leaving the barrel ready for the hoops and heads all in one piece.

WASHINGTON LETTER

From our Regular Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4, 1885.

Ere this communication reaches you Congress will have convened. The Senate and House of Representatives will be called to order simultaneously. After the formal organization, the House will probably the Senate will open with a discussion of the rules.—The contest will be between those who want to make this a working session, and those who, it is alleged, would squander it in idleness and talk.

Many of the arrivals of congressmen say if any business is to be accomplished during the session, there must first be a revision of the rules. The popular plan is to take some of the power away from the committee on appropriations, by placing a part of their work in the hands of other committees.

It was a standing joke during the last session that the United States congress consisted of the Senate and Sam. Randall. Underneath the joke there was much deep felt jealousy of the fifteen members who compose Mr. Randall's potent committee. Any plan to curtail their prerogatives it is thought will meet with favor from the remaining three hundred and ten members of the House, who belong to the less important committees.

The Democratic majority in the House of Representatives has a useful if not a brilliant part to perform in national politics this session. It will occupy a peculiar position. The Senate being Republican by a small majority, the House will be without the power of positive legislation, while at the same time the responsibility will be great. It will be practically on its good behavior. It will be required to show to the country that it is not inclined to do anything radical and extreme and that it is ready to propose everything that is conservative and good.

Its first work probably will be to provide for a rational count of the Electoral votes and for an orderly succession to the Presidency in case of vacancy. After these matters are disposed of three questions of great importance will have to be dealt with,—the reform of the currency, the reform of the tariff, and the reform of the civil service. On the latter no affirmative legislation will be required beyond the passage of the necessary appropriation. But efforts will be made to prevent the appropriation, to repeal the law, and to cripple the system.

The question of a successor to the late Vice President Hendricks continues to be an absorbing topic here.—The caucus of Republican senators to be held at the capitol to-night will decide who it shall be. You will know the result of the caucus before this letter reaches you. Consequently it is useless to forecast its action. The Democrats would greatly prefer Senator Edmunds for presiding officer of the Senate, and look upon the selection of either Senators Logan or Sherman as a kind of menace.

Having completed his message, the President has begun upon the District of Columbia appointments. The Marshalship being first in order, the long struggle for that office has ended by Col. Wilson, a well known citizen of Washington, securing the coveted prize. As usual, the contestants were all left in the race. Mr. Wilson was not an applicant for office. The President summoned him to the White House, consulted with him for a short time and in about two hours issued his appointment. The compensation of the office is $6000 a year. District Democrats are delighted with the appointment of a District man. "The President has kept faith with us," they say, "and we are satisfied." Unlike his predecessors, the new appointee will be excused from social duties at the White House. He will be required to give his attention to the more weighty business of the office prescribed in the statutes. Some one else will make introductions at the Presidents' receptions, and be master of ceremonies at his State dinners.

As usual, just before the meeting of Congress, official department reports are coming out with quantities of information. The Postmaster General led off with a voluminous document. He tells that the revenues of the Postal Department are steadily falling off, while the expenditures are just as steadily increasing. Owing to large pension payments there was no reduction last month of the national debt. The surplus was used to pay debts to the soldiers instead of to the bondholders.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, For Wasting Children.

Dr. S. W. COHEN, of Waco, Texas, says: "I have used your Emulsion in infantile wasting, with good results. It not only restores wasted tissue, but gives strength, and I heartily recommend it for diseases attended by atrophy."

The Art Age is the only art journal that gives special attention to the best work of professional American artists. Besides other illustrations, it issues regularly an exquisite Forbes Photogravure, suitable for framing. Twenty-five cents a copy. Turnure & Gilliss Brothers, publishers, 75 Fulton street, New York.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, December 1, 1885:

Estate of Ollie May Strong, minor; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing December 21.

Estate of Henry S. Williams, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

In the matter of Nichols drain, in Palmyra township; application for appointment of three special commissioners; order for citation; hearing January 4, 1886, at 10 o'clock A. M.

In the matter of Gilson drain, Palmyra township; application for appointment of three special commissioners; order for citation; hearing January 4, 1886, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Mary L. Sheldon, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing December 28.

Estate of Wm. J. Boulton, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Hervey A. Colvin, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Peter Y. Mercereau, deceased; order of continuance until December 7, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Wm. Waring, deceased; final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of DeWitt H. Erskin, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; distribution.

Estate of John C. O'Dell, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Henry W. Langdon, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of David Cooley, deceased; affidavit of publication; final account allowed; discharge.

Estate of Daniel Palmer, an alleged insane person; petition for appointment of guardian; hearing December 21.

Estate of Lester C. Bennett, deceased; affidavit of publication; will, proof and probate; bond filed; letters testamentary issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Rufus Merrick, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Lucinda Bodine, deceased; executor's final account allowed; distribution according to will.

Estate of Charles Brooks, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Sylvester Slater, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing December 28.

Estate of Daniel Gambee, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending December 1.

RIDGEWAY.

Wm. Covell to Thos. Smith. Land sects. 2 and 11. $2,500.

Thos. Smith to Mary J. Smith. Land on sects. 2 and 11. $2,500.

Robert Kamp to E. R. Kamp. Land on sec. 29. $500.

E. R. Kamp to F. Degener. Land on sec. 29. $500.

TECUMSEH.

H. E. Whittler to E. C. Coryell. Part of village lots 7 and 8. $250.

WOODSTOCK.

A. B. Pratt to I. A. Pratt. Land on sec. 24. $1,500.

P. B. Drake to I. A. Pratt. Land on sec. 24. $1,800.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

For December opens with a very timely article called "Another Bit of Turkey." It has no reference to Thanksgiving, but to the annexation of Roumelia by the the Prince of Bulgaria. This unexpected seizure of another bit of Turkey, and the events that have followed, required explanations. In this article Mr. Oscanyan formerly Turkish Consul-general thoroughly versed in the system of Oriental rule, gives a clear view of the Province and its people, as wall as Bulgaria. "The Shakers of Niskayuna" is a sketch by a lady of that curious community accompanied by a fine series of illustrations, and other miscellany, make the number from every point of view extremely attractive. Published by Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York city, at 25 cents a number, or $3,00 a year, postpaid.

The success of "Science," the scientific weekly for general readers, and the increasing quantity of scientific news published by the metropolitan dailies, are indications of the increasing interest of scientific matter to the country at large. When the interest of newspaper readers has once been fairly fixed, we shall no doubt have a scientific daily, perhaps a "Daily Science." Any reader desiring to try "Science," the new scientific weekly, will be entitled to the four issues of December on receipt of twenty-five cents by the publishers, 743 Broadway, New York.

The Thanksgiving number of GOOD HOUSEKEEPING had so large a demand and sale, and was so well received generally, that we are induced to issue a Christmas number, to be prepared expressly for the days of Christmastide. The next number, then, which will be on sale and ready for mailing, on Saturday, December 19th, will be a Christmas number and be filled to the brim, with some of the choicest literary Christmas Plumbs, the Bill of Fare for which we may safely promise, will be unusually rich and appetizing. Single copies, 10 cents. Clark W. Bryan & Co., publishers, Holyoke, Mass.

Malaria Produces Spotted Fever and Cerebro Spinal Meningitis.

The two most malignant diseases, which afflict humanity are Spotted Fever and Cerebro Spinal Meningitis. For many years physicians were unable to determine the cause of these difficulties. The latest scientific investigations demonstrate the fact that they are produced by Malaria, and all other malignant forms of disease can be traced to malarial blood poison as the cause. The greatest blessing to humanity comes in the form of a medicine called Dr. J. C. Henion's Sure Cure for Malaria. It is a new discovery by Dr. Henion, and he has placed it on the market at One Dollar a Bottle. It is not advertised as a cure all, but simply as a cure for Malaria, and nothing else. All druggists keep it.

OVERCOATS!
Immense Stock at
KIES BROS'.

OVERCOATS!
Splendid assortment at
KIES BROS'.

OVERCOATS!
Of the Best Quality
KIES BROS'.

OVERCOATS!
At the Lowest Prices at
KIES BROS'.

OVERCOATS!
For Men, Boys and Children, at
KIES BROS',
One Price Clothiers.

CUTS! CUTS! CUTS!

EVERY CLOAK

Cut to a price that Astonishes
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Among you, we are getting a reputation for marking the best goods at unheard low prices.
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THE LOW PRICED DRY GOODS HOUSE,

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We have on our floor a full line of those celebrated base burners. Their wonderful success of last season has led others to attempt to imitate; beware, a careful comparison and examination will be sufficient to satisfy all of their established superiority.

The Round Oak.

Although it has hundreds of imitators, it still LEADS as the most successful wood heater manufactured. Remember that by a few dollars additional cost, the "Round Oak" can at any time be converted into a first-class self-feeding coal stove.

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Of Fine and Medium

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During the Next Six Weeks I will make prices that will be sure to move a large portion of my present stock. I want a

Few Thousand Dollars in Cash Immediately.

I would kindly inform those that have unsettled accounts on my books I would like a settlement at once. I can't chase after you, but will send statement through the mail.

My Undertaking Department is Complete

And prices Very Reasonable.

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See Prices

And be convinced you can SAVE MONEY by buying your goods of them.

The best Plain or Embroidered Jersey Jacket for $2 ever shown in this county.

A lady's vest or pants, all wool scarlet, $1.

A good full suit of Ladies' Merino underwear, vest and pants, $1.

Full 6-4 Tricot Dress Flannels, all colors, only $1 a yd.

Our 65c Black Cashmere is hard to beat.

We have a few

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Of seal plush, Berlin cloth and bourette which we will close out at less than cost.

We Sell a Good Japan Tea for 35 cents

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We sell choice Green Coffee 12½c lb.
" " same coffee roasted, 15c "
" " a nice Molasses, 35c
And guarantee it pure sugar goods.
We sell Cassia whole, 15c.
We sell 3600 first-class Matches, 15c

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Roger Bros. Silver Plated Ware

In all grades cheaper than any dealer for same quality.

We sell an extra good shoe for children's every day wear.

We guarantee to purchasers of these shoes perfect satisfaction.

Our $2.50 Ladies' Imitation French Kid Button Boot for style and wear beats them all.

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Cheap for Cash.

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TECUMSEH, MICH.

CLINTON CHRONICLES.

B. O. Randall visited Detroit to-day, on business.

Jas. Bradner and daughter Maude, departed on the morning train for a visit in the City of Cleveland.

It happened last Thursday night; it is a nice little start for a crinoline inspector, and we are obliged to refer you to Charley Kayser, that you may know who is the happiest man in Clinton.

J. C. Burroughs went to the county seat, to day, we understand, to meet a second party who is talking business with him as regards the celebrated hoof ointment.

Kos. Davis went down to have a chat with O. B. DeWolf to-day. Look out, the holidays are nearing.

"Minn" Rose, who has been sick for some time, returned to his home in this village a short time since, and his many friends and relatives will regret to learn that his recovery is doubtful.

Do not forget the baby show at the fair next Wednesday afternoon, from 2 until 4:30 o'clock. A silver cup will be given to the one receiving the most votes and a silver knife, fork and spoon to the one receiving the next highest number.

The Clinton cider mill has manufactured this season, four thousand barrels of the juice termed by Dr. Reynolds "the devil's kindling-wood." It would require a train of forty cars to haul the juice.—Adrian Record.

Mrs. Loren VanAntwerp and children, and Mrs. Kennedy, of Tecumseh, have been visiting at Frank McClure's. Mrs. V. is now the guest of the Severance sisters, in Franklin.

The meeting of the Literary Society at the High School last Friday evening, was well patronized, and the question *Resolved*, "That skating rinks are detrimental to the best interests of society," was very cleverly disposed of in the affirmative. Managers will please make a note, and prepare to put out the lights.

The young men of this place and surrounding country have entered a compact, for the purpose of giving a series of club dances at town hall and the first party will take place next Friday evening. The music will be furnished by Eugene Smith and wife, of Hillsdale, and is sure to be a success as every body knows who has "tripped the light fantastic" in days gone by, after the same.

The weather was rather a "deadener" on quite a number of the treats in store for our citizens of late, and the temperance meeting at town hall, addressed by Rev. E. B. Sutton, was no exception. Mr. S. is a very able, clear, and interesting speaker, and we had hoped to have seen him enjoy a crowded house at the meeting Sunday afternoon, and we think, had the weather been fair our hope would have been realized.

D. A. Turrell, of Somerset, was in the village last Saturday, and expected to meet Mrs. T. here, who was visiting C. Lamb and family, at Blissfield, but the weather was so unpropitious, that he merely whispered over to Blissfield and had her return by railroad thinking that would be preferable to a drive overland of so many miles in such a storm. Mr. T. has been a resident of Hillsdale county for many years, and his father at one time owned a large tract of land in the neighborhood of Gambleville.

Ed. Seamark visited Toledo on business Saturday, and stayed over Sunday there. He went to see about a cornice for that new store on Chicago st., which is nearly completed.

Miss Nora Martin, of Tecumseh, who has been in the employ of Miss Edwards, of Manchester, Milliner, stopped off to shake hands and have a chat with her Clinton friends last Saturday. She was on her way home to fill a position offered her in the Novelty store until after the holida trade. She has occupied this position previously, and the customers of that establishment will be glad to step in and meet her again.

Polly June, who resided so long at Wm. Rogers and family of this place and was taken home so low from protracted illness, at last accounts was gradually recovering.

John Rix, of Dowagiac, is the guest of his uncle, Dan. Davis and family, this week.

Wm. Rogers made a large shipment of poultry to the Tecumseh buyers Tuesday and Wednesday. Will. is busy among the feathery tribe and they coming and going.

S. C. Stacy, of the Herald, was in town interviewing his many friends, the first of the week.

Mrs. Joseph Kies paid a visit to Tecumseh relatives last Thursday.

Wm. Rogers paid Tecumseh friends a hurried visit Monday.

Leb. Pomeroy is rather indisposed from the effects of a bad cold, and Doc. is hardly himself because of a sort of neuralgia which he declares makes those front teeth dance, and we dont like to dispute it. We have seen there!

Dr. R. B. House, of Tecumseh, came up to Clinton Wednesday noon to hold a consultation with Dr. Cameron over the serious illness of Mrs. Sam'l Larzelere.

Will. Searles telephone operator and Harry Stevens, of Tecumseh, were in town yesterday, for the purpose of repairing the line. The heavy winds of late had caused a cross near this village.

Bell. Mills returned from a trip to Buffalo last Saturday and he reports the sleighing fine in that part of the country.

Hattie Stanclift, who has been living with E. Eddy, in Franklin, the past summer, has returned to her home in this village.

James Aten, deputy sheriff, and Henry Stevens, of Tecumseh, were in town yesterday. Your informant did not learn whether they were going to "Podunk" to look for Aaron Palmer, or not.

Miss Anna Cutting received a slight injury and escaped a very serious one, yesterday. She was crossing the yard with a friend somewhat hurriedly, when she came in contact with the clothes line and she missed her footing and fell, striking her head upon the ice underneath. It was some moments before she was able to realize what had happened.

The first quarterly meeting of the present year at the M. E. Church, will occur on Saturday and Sunday next. There will be services on Saturday afternoon and Sunday evening, and the new presiding elder of the district will discourse on both occasions. It is hoped as many as can do so will turn out Saturday afternoon and greet him with a full house. All are welcome. The Lords Supper will be administered on Sunday evening.

The praise service at the M. E. Church last Sunday evening, was rather thinly attended, the weather being so stormy as to deter many from participating, but those who were there were not disappointed, for it was an enjoyable occasion, and the small gathering turned to their homes profited thereby.

George H. Miles and family visited with George's cousin H. Power and family, of Addison, the first of the week.

The knitters in the Local office, are kept busy supplying the demand for comfortable socks and mittens. This weather calls very emphatically for woolen wear for both hands and feet.

The pop corn and candy social given by the Baptist society, at the residence of deacon Downs, on Tuesday evening, was a success in every particular notwithstanding a storm of wind and rain that prevailed. There was a large gathering for such a night, and the treasurer smiled upon all present, as they enjoyed the social time for which compensation had been made and the contents of the treasury swelled.

This weather ought to satisfy any person who is in favor of changes, for the varigated tints of this week, thus far, have given us a taste of four below and from that up to the thirties.

John Mason, the gentlemanly district manager of the Michigan Bell Telephone, was in town Tuesday on his way northward on business pertaining to this line. He stopped just long enough to shake hands and pass the time of day.

Doctor Burroughs has his hands full with the constable business, chicken business, sick horses and the manufacture of his much sought for, hoot and healing ointment. He has been attending a sick horse for Frank Bird at Tecumseh.

The ladies of St. John's Episcopal Church are making arrangements to outdo all former efforts, at the coming fair, which is take place next Wednesday, Dec. 16, at town hall, and in addition to the usual program, offer premiums for the babies receiving the first and second largest number of votes. Bring your little ones under two years old and let them try their luck.

Will. Rhefuss, of Manchester, was in town last Friday, to look over the wants of patrons at the new meat market on the corner.

Old Boreas has produced a change in milk venders and Tommy is relieving Willie in those duties, as the lad thinks July weather with ice in the wagon, is preferable to December with its ice and snow surroundings generally.

A Study of Husbands.

BY A WOMAN FOR WOMEN, BUT MEN MAY READ IT WITH PROFIT.

We hear much about the art of winning a husband. Let us take a step further and make a study out of keeping a husband. If he is worth winning he is worth keeping.

This is a wicked world, and man is dreadfully mortal. Let us take him just as he is, not as he ought to be. In the first place, he is very weak. The wife must spend the first two years in discovering all these weaknesses, count them on her fingers, and learn them by heart. The fingers of both hands will not be too many. Then let her study up these weaknesses, with a mesh for every one, and the secret is hers

Is he fond of a good dinner? Let her tighten the mesh around him with fragrant coffee, light bread and good things generally, and reach his heart through his stomach. Is he fond of flattery about his looks? Let her study the dictionary for sweet words, if her supply gives out. Does he like to hear her talk about his brilliant intellect? Let her pore over the encyclopædia to give variety to the depth of her admiration. Flattery is a good thing to study up at all hazards, in all its delicate shades, but it must be skillfully done. The harpy who may try to coax him away will not do it absurdly. Is he fond of beauty? Here's the rub—let her be bright and tidy; that is half the victory. Next, let her bang her hair metaphorically and keep up with the times. A husband who sees his wife look like other people is not going to consider her "broken down."

Though it is a common sneer that a woman has admitted that her sex consider more, in marrying, the tastes of her friends than her own, yet it must be considered ludicrous that a man looks at his wife with the same eyes that other people do. Is he fond of literary matters? Listen to him with wide open eyes when he talks of them. A man doesn't so much care for a literary wife if only she will be literary enough to appreciate him. If she have literary inclinations let her keep them to herself. Men love to be big and great to their wives. That's the reason why a helpless little woman can marry three times to a sensible, self-reliant woman's none. Cultivate helplessness. Is he curious? Oh, then you have a treasure; you can always keep him if you have a secret and only keep it carefully.

Is he jealous? Then, woman, this is not for you; cease torturing that fretted heart which wants you for his own, and teach him confidence. Is he ugly in his temper, and faultfinding? Give him a dose of his own medicine, skillfully done. Is he deceitful? Pity him for his weakness, treat him as one who is born with a physical defect, but put your wits to work—it is a bad case. It is well not to be too tame. Men do not waste their powder and shot on hens and barnyard fowls; they like the pleasure of pursuing wild game—quail and grouse and deer. A quail is a good model for a wife—neat and trim, with a pretty, swift way about it, and just a little capricious. Never let yourself become an old story; be just a little uncertain.

Another important fact is, don't be too good; it hurts his feelings and becomes monotonous. Cultivate a pleasant voice, so that this very mortal man may have his conscience prick him when he is in jeopardy; its pleasant ring will haunt him much more than would a shrill one. It is hard to do all this, besides taking care of the babies and looking after vexatious household cares, and smiling when he comes home, but it seems necessary. "To be born a woman is to be born a martyr," says a husband who for ten years has watched in amazement his wife treading the winepress of her existence. It is a pitiful sight to some men.

But if the wife does not make a study of these things, the harpy will, to steal away the honor from his silver hairs when he is full of years and the father of sons and daughters. At the same time, gude-wife, keep from trying any of these things on any mortal man but your own. These rules are only evolved in order to "keep a husband." The poor, weak creature would rather be good than bad, and it is woman's duty to hold him by every means in her power.—*The Argonaut.*

A Rare Talent.

The faculty of drawing out of persons with whom one is conversing the best there is in them—brighter things even than they suppose themselves capable of—is the rare gift with which Nature has endowed some women. George Eliot was a most charming person in conversation, though she was a women of few words, because of her intuitive insight into the thoughts of others. A few words would put her in possession, not of what they said, but of what they would fain have said, and she would so improve upon it that ordinary people went away charmed with her who had made them for once at least feel themselves to be wise. Long afterward, perhaps, she would call to their remembrance the wise or witty things which they could hardly believe themselves to have said, and which they assuredly never would have said but for her quickening influence.

A distinguished scholar and writer recently said: "I flounder in a sea of scraps." In these days, when the papers contain so many fine sentiments, beautiful descriptions, touching incidents, items of importance, and matters of permanent interest, culled from all departments of life, there is scarcely a day in which something does not strike the eye which the reader wishes to preserve, in order to remember and perhaps to use. One of the first things a bright boy or girl should make is a scrap-book of things which interest most. If you have no book, put your selections in different envelopes, according to subjects. The newspaper is a circulating library, with little of everything in it, and a little for everybody. Make sure of your part of it as you read.

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PARIS SEWERS.

Interesting Description of the Most Perfect Sewage System in the World.

The sewer we first entered is about fourteen feet high and sixteen feet wide. The masonry appears to be of the most substantial kind and every care is taken to keep these sewers in the cleanest possible condition. They look like underground railways or like the tunnels of any surface railroad passing through mountains. Arched overhead there is a flat projection at each side, and between these two projections there is a trench five feet deep and four feet wide. To-day the trench was nearly full of water. The little cars for tourists span this trench, and the men who push them run along the ledges at each side, which are about three feet wide. Overhead is an iron pipe about three feet in diameter, in which runs filtered water for drinking purposes, and another smaller pipe filled with unfiltered water for street cleaning and general use. It was cheerful information which one of the men gave us, that should either of these pipes happen to burst while we were in the sewers it would be useless to try to escape, as the mere pressure of air within the pipes was so tremendous that it would kill us all immediately. "But there is no danger," he said, the iron is nearly three inches thick. They will not burst." Upon the top of the sewers are all the telegraph and telephone wires of Paris, and the streets, therefore, are not disfigured with poles and wires. These wires are completely insulated so that even though when in heavy rains, or when the sewers are flushed for cleansing, they may be touched by the water, the electric current is not affected in the least. After a ride of about a mile on these little cars we reached a place where we were changed from cars to boats. These boats are about about four feet wide and twenty feet long, and are pulled along with ropes by men who run along the narrow ledges at each side. Here, in addition to the lights on the boats, there are lights attached to the roof of the sewers. Yet as we looked ahead to the long dark tunnel and saw the boats silently speeding along with their cargoes of humanity, the weariness of the scene reminded one of the mythological Charon and the river Styx, or of Satan and the lost souls, as represented in Michael Angelo's picture of the Last Judgment.

There has been much written about the pleasantness of this trip and its entire freedom from noisome odors, but while as a great piece of engineering it surpasses even the under-ground works of ancient Rome, and is, therefore, wonderfully interesting, it is by no means a wholesome excursion, for after having been in the sewers only half an hour the entire party complained of nausea, and other symptoms of malaria, and my head still rings with the heavy doses of quinine which I have found necessary to counteract the effects of the sewer gas. There are nearly one hundred and fifty miles of these sewers now in Paris, most of which have been built since 1852. It is stated that the sewer system has reduced the death rate of Paris from thirty-six per one thousand inhabitants to twenty-five per one thousand, and Paris is now the healthiest capital on the continent.—*Paris Cor. Sacramento Bee.*

RUBBER ADULTERATIONS.

Hurtful and Poisonous Substances Employed by Rubber Goods Manufacturers.

Rubber is at present largely adulterated so as to make it cheaper. The overshoes and boots made of this material are adulterated with finely-ground burned potter's clay, of which it can stand as much as 65 per cent. without losing its fitness for the purpose. The adulteration is harmless, only the material is not so strong, and the shoes or boots, instead of lasting several seasons, as the old-fashioned little non-adulterated material, scarcely last one season, as they tear very easily and holes very soon wear in them. While the pure rubber is stronger than the best leather, the adulterated rubber is less strong than the worst leather. Rubber hose and sheet rubber are usually adulterated with soapstone. This gives a lighter color to the material, while the burnt-clay adulteration leaves it dark-colored which is preferred for shoes. But some adulterations are hurtful, being poisonous in their nature. Such is the adulteration with zinc-white, which makes the rubber very light-colored, and is used in the rubber for nursing-bottles and children's toys. The effects of zinc poisoning on the system are scarcely less alarming than lead poisoning. Some time ago, says the *Manufacturer and Builder*, a little child in Pennsylvania died from chewing a paper collar, which, like many paper collars, was prepared with zinc-white; and cases are now on record where children have become sick from keeping rubber toys in their mouths. So many cases of zinc poisoning from the white nipples of nursing-bottles have already occurred, that the use of zinc in them has been mostly abandoned. These rubber nipples, or dolls, when laid in vinegar, become covered with an incrustation of zinc acetate. In one case, in 0.73 gram of a doll 0.45 gram of zinc oxide was found (over 60 per cent.) In subjecting such rubber objects to a red heat, 62 per cent. of ashes remained, while the ashes were yellow while hot and became white on cooling, which is the characteristic behavior of zinc oxide, called zinc-white. In another case, in a doll warranted harmless, 58 per cent. of ashes was obtained, mostly all zinc oxide. Several chemical journals are now calling attention to these facts, and it is to be hoped that it will effect an amelioration in the consciences of the manufacturers.—*Boston Journal of Commerce.*

—It is said that the first restrictive liquor law ever passed in this country was enacted in a little town in Rhode Island and read as follows: "Every saloon keeper who sells more than one gallon of liquor to a minor shall be fined one dollar and costs." The first temperance pledge remembered in circulation in New England was thus worded: "I solemnly swear to abstain from the use of intoxicating liquors on all occasions except on training days, wedding days, banquets, and other great occasions."—*N. Y. Sun.*

SIBERIA.

Its Manufacturing Industries and Commercial Importance.

In the region of the Amoor, the industries are of very small extent, chiefly on account of lack of means of transportation. The only possible communication at present is upon the rivers, and is completely closed during a great part of the year, when the rivers are impassable for both boats and sledges. This is unfortunate, for on the borders of this immense territory, lie important industrial interests.

At the sources of the tributaries of the Amoor are gold mines. Kamschatka and the neighboring islands produce valuable furs; the island of Saghalin has rich and excellent coal deposits. Moreover, in the southern part, in the so-called Usuri region, are rich timber-lands and some land even capable of cultivation. The pursuit of these industries, with the fisheries and coal mines, would make this Usuri region a valuable source of revenue at present, however, they are very slightly developed, and that mostly by Americans and Chinese, rather than by Russians. The latter, however, are making strenuous exertions to colonize the territory, and thus avail themselves of its resources.

The industries of the two western provinces, Tobolsk and Tomsk, are somewhat farther advanced; these two provinces contain over eighty per cent. of all the manufactories of Siberia. According to the official reports there are 2,300 of these, of which 1,460 are in Tobolsk and 660 in Tomsk. In all 12,500 hands are employed, and 14,000,000 roubles value produced annually. The most important class of manufactures is that which uses raw animal materials—dyeing and tallow rendering establishments, etc. The class next in importance includes the distilleries, breweries and flour mills. Besides these there are numerous soap, candle and glue factories, carriage factories, rope walks, felt-boot making establishments, etc. These latter can scarcely be called factories, but are rather of the nature of small work-shops. Except the mines and the smelting works closely connected with them, there is very little manufacture of mineral products in Siberia. There is one exception in the case of considerable glass works, which produce 200,000 roubles worth annually. There are also small potteries and brick kilns. The only textile manufacturing worthy of notice is done in a single establishment in Tjumen, which produces annually 200,000 roubles' worth of army cloth. The needs of the people in this line are almost entirely supplied by household manufactures. Many knit and woven woolen articles prepared in this way find a market even in European Russia.

In all the Siberian manufactures there is almost no national division of labor or management of capital. The same person is often both capitalist and laborer, and the production of the raw material goes hand in hand with the manufactures. The manufactories are distributed here and there about the country, where the raw material is to be had to the best advantage, for transportation is difficult and costly.

Many products, even those which have a wide demand, produce a bad impression on account of their clumsiness and tasteless execution. The low standard of living and education among the peasants, who are the principal customers, is the main cause of this. For instance, in a town of Tobolsk are produced coarse, clumsy muskets with flint locks, which, nevertheless, find a ready sale at a good price, even as far as East Siberia and Amoor.

In general, however, manufacturing has taken many steps in advance in Siberia within the last fifteen years. In many places machinery has taken the place of hand labor, better processes in tanning, dyeing, etc., have been introduced, and a general improvement is noticeable in the quality of all the productions. With better means of transportation and an infusion of European enterprise, Siberia will yet contribute an important share to the resources of the world.—*Science.*

ALL HASH TO HIM.

An Ingenious Westerner Who Believed in Calling Things by Their Right Names.

The daughter of a Boston merchant of great wealth, wide mercantile connections and boundless hospitality was lately married. The Western agent of the merchant happened to be in town, and, as the proud father was inviting about everybody to his daughter's wedding, he invited the Westerner, too.

The Westerner came. He was uneasy, and shifted about from place to place in the house as if he were hunting for spots that fitted him better than those he had been in. He put his hands nonchalantly on things and took them off again suddenly, as if he found them hot, and grinned familiarly at people he had never seen before, and then suddenly drew his features back with a ghastly solemnity. It seemed to be an occasion of great and overwhelming novelty to him.

When the refreshments came around he was inclined to fight shy of pretty nearly everything. It was as if he proposed to take on a little Boston formality, now that he was in Boston, and require an introduction to every dish. His host saw that he wasn't eating much, and came around to see about it.

"Why, you aren't eating anything, Mr. West," said he. "Can I help you to something?"

"No, I thank you," said the Westerner, "I ain't very hungry to-night. I reckon I've eat enough."

Just then a waiter came along with some croquettes.

"Mr. West, take one of these croquettes; I think you'll like them; take one, take one."

The Westerner took one. He punched it with his fork, laid it open a bit, and examined it critically. Then he tasted it and exclaimed:

"Gosh! Hash!"—*Boston Record.*

—Prosecuting Attorney to prisoner—What provocation, Mr. Smith, had you for shooting the deceased? Prisoner—He called me Mr. Smith instead of calling me Colonel Smith. That's why. During the subsequent proceedings Mr. Smith was referred to as General Smith.—*Texas Siftings.*

A BIRD STUDY.

The Disgust Evidenced by a Mocking-Bird after a Fight with a Hand-Glass.

The mocking-bird's emotions were so intense and so originally displayed that he was a constant source of interest. A hand-glass lying face up gave opportunity for an amusing exhibition one day. Leaning over it, he puffed out every feather, opened his mouth, and tried the glass with his beak at every point. Meeting no satisfaction, he turned to leave it, but first peeped slyly over the edge to see if the stranger were still there, no doubt unable to get over his surprise at seeing a bird in that position and ready to meet his bill at every point. The same glass standing up brought out a different demonstration. He stood in front of it and swelled himself out, while the feathers of the shoulders and breast were erected. Then he opened his mouth wide and attacked the reflection, but was astonished to meet the glass. He touched the bill of his double with his own, and moved all the way to the bottom of the glass, not taking it away, but apparently trying to seize the one which opposed his. He lowered his head as though to take hold of the enemy's foot, then pulled himself up as straight as a soldier, wings and tail constantly jerking with excitement. After indulging for some time in these proceedings, he dodged around behind the glass, plainly expecting to pounce upon his opponent, and surprised not to do so. Several times he drew himself up, swelled out his breast, and blustered before the glass. Once he flew up with the reflection in the manner of a quarrelsome cock, and upon reaching the top of the glass naturally went over and landed behind, with an enemy in sight. Upon this he stared a moment, as if dazed, then shook himself out, and flew away in evident disgust.

The deliberate, leisurely dressing of plumage with which many birds pass away the dull hours in as occupation in which the mocking-bird never had time to indulge. He was a bird of affairs; he had too much on his mind for loitering. A few, sudden, thorough shakes, a rapid snatching of the wing and tail feathers through the beak, or, after a bath, a violent beating the air with both wings while holding tightly to the perch with his feet, sufficed for his toilet. Notwithstanding his apparent carelessness, his plumage was soft and exquisite in texture, and when wet the downy breast feathers matted together and hung in locks, like hair. Through a common magnifying-glass each tiny barbule was seen to be ringed with gray and silvery white, so finely that the rings could hardly be seen.—*Olive Thorne Miller, in Atlantic.*

GREAT SALT LAKE.

The Shrunken Remnant of a Great Fresh Water Lake System.

Great Salt Lake is in fact not a branch of the sea at all, but a mere shrunken remnant of a very large fresh water lake system, like that of the still existing St. Lawrence chain. Once upon a time, American geologists say, a huge sheet of water, for which they have even invented a definite name, Lake Bonneville, occupied a far larger valley among the outliers of the Rocky Mountains, measuring three hundred miles in one direction by one hundred and eighty miles in the other. Beside this primitive Superior lay a great second sheet—an early Huron—(Lake Lahontan the geologists call it) almost as big and equally of fresh water. By and by—the precise dates are necessarily indefinite—some change in the rainfall, unregistered by any contemporary, made the waters of these big lakes shrink and evaporate. Lake Lahontan shrank away like Alice in Wonderland, till there was absolutely nothing left of it; Lake Bonneville shrank till it attained the diminished size of the existing Great Salt Lake. Terrace after terrace, running in long parallel lines on the sides of the Wahsatch Mountains around, mark the various levels at which it rested for awhile on its gradual downward course. It is still falling indeed, and the plain around is being gradually uncovered, forming the white, salt-encrusted shore with which all visitors to the Mormon city are so familiar. But why should the water have become briny? Why should the evaporation of an old Superior produce at last a Great Salt Lake? Well, there is a small quantity of salt in solution even in the freshest of lakes and ponds, brought down to them by the streams and rivers, and, as the water of the hypothetical Lake Bonneville slowly evaporated, the salt and other mineral constituents remained behind. Thus the solution grew constantly more and more concentrated, till at the present day it is extremely saline. Professor Geikie (to whose works the present paper is much indebted) found that he floated on the water in spite of himself; and the under sides of the steps at the bathing places are all encrusted with short stalactites of salt, produced from the drip of the bathers as they leave the water. The mineral constituents, however, differ considerably in their proportions from those found in true salt lakes of marine origin, and the point at which the salt is thrown down is still far from having been reached. Great Salt Lake must simmer in the sun for many centuries yet before the point arrives at which (as cooks say) it begins to settle.—*Cornhill Magazine.*

Picot Ribbons, Stripes, Etc.

The novelty in ribbons is the revival of picot edges or tiny scallops formed of graduated loops of the silk of the ribbon or else of tinsel threads. This is the finish for repped silk ribbons of the ordinary gros grain or the softer faille francaise, and it is also seen on the mixed ribbons that are partly of open wool in lace-like patterns, and partly of velvet or plush. Wide ribbons are on French bonnets both for trimming and for strings, but American women prefer narrow ribbons for strings, or else small set bows.—*Bazar.*

—English Cousin—Don't say "stove-pipe," Fred, it's so vulgar, you know! Fred—What shall I call it, then, "tile?" Fair Briton (scornfully)—Why, "chimney pot," of course.

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OUR HOLIDAY SUPPLEMENT.

We take pleasure in presenting to the small army of HERALD readers our regular annual supplement for the holiday season of 1885. It has been our custom for five or six years to issue an extra sheet during the month of December. We consider it a good custom. In fact, people have become accustomed to look upon the HERALD holiday extra as a source of both pleasure and profit. The sheet always contains entertaining reading for the family circle and it reveals to all this important business secret—where their holiday purchases can be made to the best advantage. The head of the family should read it, that he may know where to buy christmas gifts for wife and little ones; the housewife should peruse it, that she may be posted on the best place to find nicknacks for the children; Sammy and Sally should read it, that they may learn the store houses for the candies and toys; old St. Nick himself will certainly read it to his edification and profit, for he can learn thereby where to replenish his stock on short notice and at wholesale rates, in case his regular annual supply should become exhausted.

One page of this extra is allotted to our Clinton neighbors, in which the live business men of that town are fittingly represented, and thus a healthy emulation is established between the merchants of these two neighboring villages.

The HERALD of the present week is a newspaper achievement of no mean proportions. Its twelve pages, containing 72 columns of choice reading and advertising matter, constitute a faithful pen and ink mirror of the business interests of Tecumseh and adjoining towns. Our leading business houses, our live business firms, our successful business establishments are represented in these columns. They speak to the people through the types and tell purchasers where to buy. Do you wish anything to eat or drink or wear? do you desire any necessity or luxury or comfort? do you want to bestow a christmas gift upon brother or sister, father or mother or friend? then carefully peruse these advertising columns, heed the injunctions conveyed therein and you will be wise.

A large number of sample copies are transmitted this week to persons who are not now, but who ought to be regular subscribers, and all those receiving a copy are respectfully invited to join the HERALD family. Read our club list and profit thereby. Now is the time to subscribe.

DIED.

LEBARON.—At 5 P. M. Dec. 9th, Mrs. P. M., relict of the late S. C. LeBaron, in the 88th year of her age. Funeral, Sunday at 2 P. M. at the residence.

C. E. Williamson took in over six tons of poultry yesterday.

C. H. Hopkins, of Battle Creek, is spending a few days in Tecumseh.

Remember the installation services at the Baptist church this evening.

The President's message is long and crowded full of strong and hearty reading.

Letters from two outside towns arrived too late for publication this week.

A. W. Slayton wants 200 tons of baled wheat straw. Will take it at any depot in southern Michigan.

The Ladies of St. Peters' Guild will hold a social next week Friday evening, Dec. 18th, at the residence of Mrs. Harry Lee.

Wm. H. Vanderbilt died suddenly of paralysis at his home last Tuesday.—His attack was similar to that of Vice President Hendricks.

Owing to extra press work to issue our supplement pages, we are a few hours late this week in getting the HERALD into the mails.

Miss Nora Martin, who has been working for Libbie Edwards, of Manchester, during the fall can now be found behind the counters at W. D. Adam's Novelty store.

The combination at the opera house last evening was a slim house and a most excellent show. Mattie Vickers was entitled to a better house, but it was a fearful night to be out.

The Free Will Baptist Society of Macon will give a donation visit for the benefit of their pastor, Rev. Dennis, at the home of Mrs. Sarah Morgan, Tuesday evening, Dec. 15. All are cordially invited.

Strong & McNair, the old established clothing firm of Tecumseh, have now in stock the largest and most complete assortment of winter clothing ever displayed in this section. For bargains in all kinds of cold weather wear they outstrip all competition. Call and see them and be convinced.

The Leading-Strings Fallacy.

From the moment a child is born, he is treated on the principle that all his instincts are essentially wrong, that nature must be thwarted and counteracted in every possible way. He is strapped up in a contrivance that he would be glad to exchange for a straight-jacket, kept for hours in a position that prevents him from moving any limb of his body. His first attempts at locomotion are checked; he is put in leading-strings, he is carefully guarded from the out-door world, from the air that would invigorate his lungs; from the sports that would develop his muscles. Hence, the peevishness, awkwardness, and sickliness of our young aristocrats. Poor people have no time to imitate the absurdities of their wealthy neighbors, and their children profit by what the model nurse would undoubtedly call neglect. Indian babies are still better off. They are fed on bull-beef, and kicked around like young dogs; but they are not swaddled, they are not cradled, and not dosed with paregoric; they crawl around naked, and soon learn to keep out of the way; they are happy, they never cry. If we would treat our youngsters in the same way, only substituting kisses and bread for kicks and beef, they would be as happy as kids in a clover field, and moreover they would afterward be hardier and stronger. Every week the newspapers tell us about ladies tumbling down stairs and breaking both arms; boys falling from a fence and fracturing their collar-bones. From what height would a young Comanche have to fall to break such bones—not to mention South-sea Island children and young monkeys? The bones of an infant are plastic; letting it tumble and roll about would harden the bony tissue; guarding it like a piece of brittle crockery makes its limbs as fragile as glass. Christian mothers reproach themselves with neglecting their duty to their children if they do not constantly interfere with their movements, but they forget that in points of physical education Nature herself is such an excellent teacher that the apparent neglect is really a transfer of the pupil to a more efficient school.

Sun-Spot Suppositions.

Enthusiasts who make a special study of sun-spots and attendant phenomena believe that the corner-stone of a new science is being laid by discoveries pointing to an intimate connection between solar and terrestrial meteorology. Just what the connection is they are not yet able to clearly define, although electricity is suspected of being the agent through which the effects are manifested upon our planet. It is known that the gaseous envelope of the sun is affected by eruptions of such prodigious magnitude as to be utterly beyond our power of conception, these disturbances appearing to us in the form of rapidly changing spots and protuberances The eras of the spots—or sun-storms—occur at remarkably regular intervals, a complete cycle of the various stages of activity from maximum to minimum and again to maximum being performed in about eleven years—the so-called "sun-spot period." The sun-spot physicists claim a coincidence of the periods of maximum spots and years of great atmospheric and physical disturbance in the earth. The year 1881 was one of greot solar disturbances, while it was marked by violent storms and earthquakes upon our globe. Further than this, these scientists claim to have recently detected by simultaneous observation minor atmospheric changes as the result of corresponding movements in the sun. Many difficulties attend these observations, but the Astronomer Royal for Scotland and others believe that the state of the sun will some day become an important factor in weather forecasts and like calculations.

Small Pox and Vaccination.

A writer on vaccination says, "Small-pox and varioloid could be entirely driven from the face of the earth by vaccination, and revaccination and re-revaccination at proper times. It is a well settled principle in pathology that two diseases cannot exist in the system at the same time. Also, it is admitted that a milder form of a disease will prevent or modify a severer type of a disease of a similar nature.

As an example, a child who has had "simple scarlet fever," or measles, seldom, if ever, afterwards has "malignant scarlet fever," unless, it may be, in some cases where some disease of another character may have eradicated the effect of impression made upon the system by simple scarlet fever or measles. The vaccine disease will modify, and always prevents small-pox proper. The contagion of small-pox is conveyed from victim to victim across street and from house to house, by the air, and is also conveyed by bed-clothing and wearing apparel of small-pox patients, and by letters written by an affected hand, and in so many ways that it seems almost impossible for the unvaccinated to escape. Persons who have never been vaccinated are liable to take small-pox from small-pox, and from varioloid. Persons who have been vaccinated are liable to take varioloid only from exposure to small-pox, but will not take varioloid from varioloid."

Home Politeness.

A boy who is polite to his father and mother is likely to be polite to every one else. A boy lacking politeness to his parents may have the semblance of courtesy in society, but is never truly polite in spirit, and is in danger, as he becomes familiar, of betraying his real want of courtesy. We are all in danger of living too much for the outside world, for the impression which we make in society, coveting the good opinions of those who are in a sense a part of ourselves, and who will continue to sustain and be interested in us, notwithstanding these defects of deportment and character. We say to every boy and to every girl, cultivate the habits of courtesy and propriety at home—in the sitting room and the kitchen, as well as in the parlor—and you will be sure in other places to deport yourself in a becoming and attractive manner. When one has a pleasant smile and a graceful demeanor, it is a satisfaction to know these are not put on, but that they belong to the character, and are manifest at all times and under all circumstances.

How Does He Sleep?

One of the most important things to know about any man upon whom you are going to place any dependence, is how he sleeps. Sleeplessness may sometimes be involuntary. There may have been some shock to the man's nerves which has made him insomnolent; but sleeplessness is more frequently voluntary. Men choose to push their studies or their work into those hours when they should sleep. It does not matter for what cause any man may do this, the mere fact of not sleeping spoils his case. He may spend his nights in the theater, in the study, or in the "protrated meeting." It will make no difference; the result to the body will be the same. The sleep was not had, and for that the man must pay.

One man may do with a little less sleep than another; but, as a general rule, if you want a clerk, a lieutenant, a lawyer, a physician, a legislator, a judge, a president or a pastor, do not trust your interests to any man that does not take eight good, solid hours of sleep out of every twenty-four. Whatever may be his reason for it, if he does not give himself that, he will snap sometime just when you want him to be strong.

The intellectual and moral connections of sleeping have, I think, not been sufficiently appreciated. Men and boys have been praised for "burning the midnight oil." Now this "midnight oil" is a delusion and a snare. The student who is fast asleep, at eleven o'clock every night and wid awake every morning at seven o'clock is going to surpass another student of the same intellectual ability who goes to bed after twelve and rises before five. In sleep, the plate on which the picture is to be taken is receiving its chemical preparation, and it is plain that that which is the best prepared will take the best picture.

Men who are the fastest asleep when they are asleep, are the widest awake when they are awake.

Great workers must be great resters.

Every man who has clerks in his employ ought to know what their sleeping habits are. The young man who is up till two, three and four o'clock in the morning, and must put in his appearance at the bank or store by nine or ten o'clock and work all day, cannot repeat this process many days without a certain shakiness coming into his system, which he will endeavor to steady by some delusive stimulus. It is this way that many a young man begins his course to ruin. He need not necessarily have been in bad company. He has lost his sleep; and losing sleep is losing strength and grace.—*Rev. Dr. Deems.*

Missed the Train.

It was a colored man. His back was all dirt, one tail of his coat was gone, and every button had been ripped off his vest. He had two limps and a hitch as he came out, and there was a new French shade of sadness in his voice as he toed the mark and said:

"I missed de train, sah."

"Yes, it looks like it. Is your name Gen. Scott Green?"

"Yes, sah."

"What train did you miss?"

"I doan' just remember what train it was."

"Whar was you going?"

"Down the road."

"What road?"

"Dat's what I can't 'member, sah."

"Well do you remember of getting on a drunk?"

"No, sah. Maybe I called fur lemonade an' dey gin me whisky, but I doan' 'zackly 'member it. All I recollect is dat I missed de train."

"I think you got the train all right. You were training around pretty lively when the officer got hold of your collar."

"I allus walks in my sleep, sah."

"Well, that's bad for you. You broke a window, kicked in a door, and raised a big row. Have you observed the state of your wardrobe?"

"I has deserved dat I'm all broke up, sah. Dis suit ob close cost me seben dollars cash, an' I doan't believe it would sell fur six. Did dey roll me down sta'rs?"

"No; you resisted arrest and the officer had to mop you around a little."

"He did? I wish I d bin dar to seen de fun. Kin I step out an' see my pardner 'bout two minits?"

"No, sir; you can step up to the workhouse for sixty days."

"Shoo! Why, dat upsets me from gwine to Bufferler."

"Can't help that. Please fall back."

"Can't I settle dis lawsuit fur fifty cents?"

"No, sir. The omnibus will be along for you in about twenty minutes. Call the next case."—*Detroit Free Press.*

What Common Sense Does.

Common sense is symmetry of mind, of character, and of purpose in the individual combined. It represents man in completeness, harmony, and equipoise. It clothes him with dignity, invests him with power, and stamps him with superiority. It is not genius, for that is often erratic; not cunning, in its sinuous course; not tact, with its decline into trickery. Common sense is the embodiment of true manhood. It confers a patent of royalty, though birth be plebian, and exalts men from their lowliest spheres to the highest stations. Not by sudden freaks of fortune or a train of adventitious circumstances are they thus dignified; but step by step, through obstacle and hindrance, they overcome by force of character and the proper force of will power. Common sense is a tremendous force in this lower world. Its power is felt and acknowledged through all the ramifications of governments, society, business, finance, science and commerce. In fact it is the history as well as the true philosophy of the ages. It is the salt that has saved humanity from barbarism, and the moving power that has propelled the race onward in its march of progress and civilization.

The highest elements of character, of power and dignity lie within reach of the lowest and the poorest.

Instead of being content to live so as to escape blame, the Christian is required to live so as to prove a means of blessing.

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FOR NEWLY MARRIED COUPLES.

How to Furnish a House and Where the Outfit Should Be Purchased.

Of all the wonderful ideas people take up there are few to equal in strangeness the notion a good many people appear to possess of the spending value of money, and when suddenly called on to lay it out judiciously and carefully it is hard to imagine anything so "sair left tae themselfs," to use an old Scotch idiom, as these good folk.

There is a great advantage in getting most of your furniture at one large, good store, instead of wandering around, trying for special economies, which is that, in the first case, the shopkeeper or his assistant will generally take an interest in your wants, and, knowing what you have got, will suggest many little alterations that will add vastly to the convenience and beauty of your purchases, even if not sensibly decreasing your actual sum total. It is not possible to catalogue all the different sorts and shapes of furniture kept in a large establishment, and very often the shopmen will be able to point out articles which will exactly meet your requirements, and which they on their side are equally glad to sell off, even at a little discount, as, though just the very thing for you, they might not suit the tastes of one in fifty of their other customers. A very good plan in buying bedroom furniture is to buy a very simple, inexpensive suit for your own room, to begin with, until you know what you really have to spare for decoration, and then you can, when all the actual necessaries are purchased, consult your taste as well as your purse, and relegate your first set to the second or spare bedroom.

It is wonderful, when you come to look into the matter, how very little furniture is actually required, in a bedroom especially. As a rule houses are overcrowded, to the great increase of dust, and not especially work. We are at present trying to replace the old fashioned wall-to-wall carpet by bare boards, stained or otherwise, and rugs, which can be taken up and shaken at any time, and, in case of dirtiness, can be rolled up and put away bodily. Then, again, it has dawned on us that our dressing tables do not require petticoats, or our beds vallances, all of which alterations add amazingly to the airiness and cleanliness of either a bedroom or a sick room.

The great thing in furnishing is to consider the rooms to be provided for under all their aspects, and then to make up your mind as to what is wanted and stick to it. You must not go changing about, now trying one fashion and then another, or the result will be fragmentary incongruity. A thing may be lovely in and by itself, though it will utterly at once spoil the effect of your room. Of course, if money is no object, and you can afford to get rid of furniture as soon as it grows common or you are tired of it, well and good; you may allow yourself some "fancies," but when your purchases will have to last you pretty nearly your lifetime it behooves you to choose such as will not carry their date legibly on their surface.

Above all, remember that if you are to live in a room, your surroundings must bear close inspection. Those "sweetly pretty" paper and panels of impossible flowers and improbable dicky birds may do well enough for a day or two, but in a month or so you will become more than dubious as to their coloring, and utterly disturbed by their drawing, and these states of mind are fatal to comfort. If you can not afford the really good in any branch of art, do not be content with indifferent specimens, but try for a less ambitious style of beauty. "Vieux Save" is delicious, but its modern imitation, which one sees only too often, is usually a base calumny on its lovely original, and good, honest Japanese or ordinary pottery, would, in the long run, be fifty times more satisfactory. Orchids are doubtless beautiful but it is not given to every one to own such luxuries, and the common buttercups and wild honeysuckle will be exquisite in their own style, and undoubtedly better than waxen portraits of the gorgeous exotics.—*N. Y. Herald.*

PECULIAR WOODS.

A Block Whose Woody Fiber Forms a Perfect Maltese Cross.

"I have the dead-wood on you," remarked Prof. Rothrock in response to the applause which greeted him as he appeared in the lecture-room at Horticultural Hall, Fairmount Park, Saturday afternoon. In his arms he carried a number of chunks of "peculiar woods" to better illustrate his lecture. His subject was "Peculiar Woods." The lecturer explained that peculiar exogenous woods were those that differed in important particulars from the normal or average growth. He classified them as peculiar in color, weight and manner of development. He showed several specimens having peculiarities of color. There are no less than sixteen plants grown in the United States that are peculiar, because they are of greater weight than water and will therefore sink when placed in it. These heavy woods grow in the Southern States, in the damp atmosphere of the country adjacent to the Gulf of Mexico, and also in the dry climate of Arizona and New Mexico. Their peculiarity is due evidently to heat more than to any other one agent. He next exhibited a number of specimens of peculiar growth, showing with the aid of the blackboard that they had not grown as trees usually do, with perfect medullary and cambium formations. Sometimes, instead of the regular rings formed at the ends of the several years' growth, they have bark soundings, becoming, as it were, trees within trees. The professor showed one block in which the woody fiber had formed a perfect Maltese cross, another a checker-board surface, and several others nearly as remarkable.—*Philadelphia Times.*

—Most of the Mormon missionaries have been driven out of England and Germany. Their principal fields of labor in Europe now are Sweden, Norway and Denmark. They generally keep quiet as to the polygamy question until they arrive with their victims on this side of the water.—*Detroit Post.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

—Nearly every village church in Russia has a bottle of water from the Jordan.

—A Missouri girl who didn't get a five dollar album voted to the handsomest girl went at it and scratched the face of the girl who did, and she may never be pretty again.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—It is said that Chinamen will steal and eat poodles. Before any decided steps are taken towards firing out the heathen let us tempt them to turn their attention to cats for a brief period.—*Toledo Blade.*

—Mr. T. C. Mendenhall, formerly professor of physics in the Imperial University at Tokio, Japan, says that one never gets used to earthquakes. The more experience a man has the more he dreads the phenomenon.

—The late Walter Weldon was one of the five men and the only man outside of France, deemed by the French Society of Encouragement worthy to receive its "grand medal." It was he who invented the process by which bleaching powder is made, thus, as the chemist Dumas said, cheapening every sheet of paper and every yard of calico in the world.

—The evidence of the value of oil to lessen the dangerous effect of heavy seas is reported by the United States Hydrographic Office as continuing to be "of the most satisfactory nature," and with its latest Pilot's Chart it gives instructions for its use, and invites suggestions from mariners as to their practical experience in using the waves. The safety of navigation may be much increased by their hearty compliance.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Our social humanity is so dependent upon our surroundings—we so need each other's help that we can not afford to be other than good neighbors. For knowing and pendent of our fellows we may imagine ourselves to be, there is sure to come a time when we crave human companionship and aid, and then it will be well for us to have sought "the good folks," who really and truly live "everywhere, if we only find them."—*H. Annette Poole, in Good Housekeeping.*

—In a recent lecture Prof. Virchow, of Berlin, stated that the Semitic race more readily adapts itself to a change of climate than the Aryan, and that the South Europeans owe their advantages in this respect to the admixture of Semitic blood, through contact with the Phoenicians and Arabs. The want of adaptability shows itself especially in diminished fertility. Creoles die out after the third generation, or become absorbed with the natives.

—In his "Historical Sketches of the town of Swampscott," Mr. Waldo Thompson states that about 1835 Mr. John M. Ives, of Salem, received two or three marrow squash seeds from a negress whose husband was a cook upon one of the merchant ships, Captain Lord, from Valparaiso. He also obtained the tomato seed in the same manner, as "love apple," and after growing them a year or two back of his store he was told by a sea captain that they were eatable, and from that time they were used as food.—*Boston Transcript.*

A MICA MINE.

Description of the Famous Ledge at Groton, New Hampshire.

The chief attention at Groton, aside from its mountain scenery, is the mica mine, opened something more than a year ago and now operated by a large force of men. The ledge is really a large hill of solid rock, composed in the regular order, after the covering of schist is removed—quartz, mica, feldspar and quartz, mica, feldspar again and again, down through the hill to an unsertain depth. The work of blasting has been carried forward here until an open drift has been cut three hundred feet long, at least forty feet wide and not much less than fifty feet deep. Branching off from this cut is a tunnel now about seventy feet long and twenty high, drilled horizontally into the ledge. Small iron tramways lead to the "dump," and little cars, pushed by hand, carry the refuse rock out of the way. The mica crystals, of all sizes, from an inch across to more than two feet in their larger axis, protrude from sides and from above and below, with their planes at every conceivable inclination, waiting for some well-placed charge of giant powder to free them from the mass of worthless rock in which they are imbedded. These crystals vary from the size of one's hand to blocks two feet in length and from six inches to a foot in thickness, and are rapidly split into sheets by a group of men seated on low stools. The thin sheets are carried from this group to a long line of men standing at benches, who cut them to the largest possible patterns with tinman's shears. The market value of mica depends on the size of the sheets, and it is here that one first understands the real character of the work that is going on around him, for these sheets of mica, seven or eight by nine or ten inches, bring in the market no less than fifteen dollars a pound. The smaller portions vary in value from five dollars a pound up. Beryls abound, and some valuable specimens have been quarried here. In the roof of the covered drift was one, a perfect hexameter, two feet of which had been laid bare, while each end was still imbedded in the rock. It would be a magnificent specimen if it could be cut out whole, but the mining company is not seeking beryls, and some day, probably, a blast that has been arranged with reference to a mica crystal will throw the beautiful specimen shattered to the floor of the tunnel. Mica mining is not a new thing in Groton. A few years ago the Hartford mine yielded a large product, and doubtless would to-day, but there was no convenient place for disposing of the enormous bulk of refuse rock, and the expense thus incurred drew heavily from the profits. At this time a shaft more than one hundred feet deep is now abandoned and filled with water. Other mines have been opened at various times in the past eight years, but none of them have been found as profitable as the one described.—*Boston Transcript.*

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—A young lady school teacher at Swiss Station, Sacramento County, Cal., threw a small boy of thirteen to the floor with such force as to break his leg.

—An old regulation at Yale is that a student shall not be at a distance of ten rods from the president, eight from a professor and five from a tutor.—*Burlington Post.*

—Andover Theological Seminary will receive $25,000 from the estate of the late Mrs. William Richardson, of Manchester, N. H. The American Bible Society receives about the same amount, according to the lady's will.

—Writing to a young college man many years ago, Ruskin said: "To do as much as you can, heartily and happily do each day in a well determined direction, with a view to far-off results, and with present enjoyment of one's work, is the only proper, the only essentially profitable way."

—The American Medical Missionary Association held its first annual meeting recently. It was voted that young men wishing to be medical missionaries will have to be earnest Christians, sound physically, of liberal education, and take a full course of lectures in an approved college of medicine.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—Methodist girls are assured by the official journal of their church that they can not dance without breaking that solemn vow which they made at the altar, "in the presence of God and His angels, to renounce the devil and all his works." The assertion is further made that truly good Christians are never dancers.—*Chicago Times.*

—Some statistician asserts that among the "verts to Romanism" a "vert" may mean a "convert" or a "pervert," and is adopted as an ambiguous and satisfying term for general use by British conversationalists—that have gone over since the beginning of the Oxford movement are enumerated 36 lords, 25 baronets, 302 graduates of Oxford, 149 graduates of Cambridge, 142 army officers, 92 lawyers, 48 doctors and 1,010 ladies of aristocratic stations.—*Christian Union.*

—The Church Missionary Society represents the evangelical element in the Church of England. Its income was $1,162,243, and it supports 228 ordained missionaries, 34 lay missionaries, 15 women, 11 ordained Eurasians, 246 ordained natives, 10 Eurasian teachers, 3,511 native teachers and helpers, and has 40,757 communicants in its mission churches. The work of this society reaches nearly all parts of the world, and its missions in Pagan lands are among the most beneficent and successful.

—Mr. Andrew D. White, in his farewell address to the faculty and students of Cornell University, said: "This university is designed to make men and women of the students coming here. This country can afford to lose all that it has yet attained if by so doing its inhabitants become true, noble, faithful men and women. The founders of this university were patriotic men, and it was for this purpose that they conceived the idea of bettering the nation. Many come here thinking that by so doing they are patronizing the university. That is a mistake. The university patronizes you."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—The man who went to the country for "rest and change" says the waiters got most of his change and the landlord the rest.—*Boston Commercial Bulletin.*

—It is always safe to talk about the weather. If one's conversation can not be logical, the next best, of course, is for it to be meteorological.—*Boston Transcript.*

—An exchange says that a folded newspaper placed under the coat in the small of the back is an excellent substitute for an overcoat. Now is the time to subscribe.—*Evansville Argus.*

—No, Minerva: we are not hankering for society notes with a very large sized hank. Plain, every-day bank notes are rich enough for our blood.—*The Hatchet.*

—Minnesota taxes dogs at their appraised value, and the 60,000 in the State foot up $197,000. The lowest figure for any canine is ninety-two cents.

—"O, do not take from me the past," wails the poet. Rest easy, son, nobody wants your past—each has his share of that commodity. What we want is a mortgage on the future, a good fat one and fully secured.—*Philadelphia Call.*

—"Behold how great a matter a little fire kindleth!" The telegraphic report that "the Puritan hugged the Genesta all the way down the bay to the whistling buoy" is said to have led to three matrimonial engagements in a Western town.—*Springfield Union.*

—Who came out ahead? Mrs. Smith was reading in a paper, scientists say the way to sleep is to think of nothing, when Smith broke in: "I should say that you would sleep all the time, my dear." "No doubt," Mrs. Smith responded, "for I think a good deal of you."—*Boston Budget.*

—It is no use to talk to a man about the beauties of the ever-sounding sea and the joyousness of its silvery sands when he has just come back from a seaside hotel where he has had to sleep on a shelf in a clothes-closet and had to keep a tack hammer under his pillow to kill the bugs with.—*Fall River Herald.*

—A young housekeeper asks the Norristown *Herald* how to keep the juice of pies from soaking into the under crusts. To which the editor replies: "Our culinary education is extremely limited, but we should think that lining the under crust with sheet iron would nicely overcome the difficulty.

—The faithful pump-handle:

How dear to his heart was the pump in the back yard
Where the milk he'd diluted until it looked blue,
The handle, the spout, and the pails that the blackguard
With the chalky white mixture the bottoms did strew,
O, the old wooden handle,
The iron-bound handle,
The worm-eaten handle,
That stood in the yard.

—*Boston Budget.*

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G. A. R. THANKS.

In behalf of Beer's Post G. A. R., we wish to extend our hearty thanks to those who so kindly and ably assisted us in presenting our entertainment Dec. 7th; also to the public for their liberal patronage.
BY ORDER OF COM.

John Clough returned to Eaton Rapids last Monday.

Met Aten, of Deerfield, is visiting Dept. Sheriff Aten this week.

G. P. Sparks, Tecumseh's enterprising music dealer has a new card to-day.

Chas. Owen started for his home in Philadelphia, Pa. Wednesday morning.

Delos LeBaron, wife and child, of Toledo, arrived in town Wednesday noon.

Wm. Searle, of Coldwater, succeeds Harry Corbin in the telephone office in Tecumseh.

The Ladies' social of the Universalist church will meet with Mrs. Geo. Hanford, Thursday afternoon and evening, Dec. 17.

Chas. and Edward Burnett, the two men arrested last week with the watches and jewelry in their possession were taken to Battle Creek last Monday by the Sheriff of Calhoun county.

A masquerade will be given at the rink next Tuesday evening, the prizes being one months admission to the rink, and skates to the handsomest costume and most comical costume. Music by Knapp's band.

Michael Doan, of Twin Lakes, got full of "budge" last Thursday, and drove his team up the railroad into the cattle guard north of the depot. This is the second time that cattle guard has stopped a "bewildered" man.

Geo. Kilbury, of Cambridge, is authorized to take subscriptions for the HERALD in Cambridge, Rome and Woodstock, and issue tickets for the premium sewing machine. He takes the place of Frank Darling who has gone into the scale business.

Wolff's orchestra, of Toledo, has been engaged for the Christmas dancing party at the Opera House.—Those wishing to hear some good music should go early, as the band will play an hour before dancing commences. Admission to gallery 15 cts.

James Snell commenced last Monday to erect a building in Macon 16x32 with 12 ft. posts hewed timber, and he put up the frame, enclosed it, with two courses of shingles and had it finished by Friday evening. A pretty good five days work for a man about 70 years of age.

At the last regular meeting of Beers' Post, No. 140 G. A. R. of this village, the following persons were chosen officers for the coming year:

Com.—A. W. Mills.
S. V. C.—Charles Davis.
J. V. C.—Elwin Camburn.
O. D.—Levi B. Thompson.
Q. M.—Geo. Van Tyne.
O. G.—Alonzo Welch.
Chaplain—Chas. McNeil.
Surgeon—H. W. Sweet.

Clinton has a cemetery association The by-laws provide that $1 shall be paid into the treasury every time a new grave is opened. Recently a member lost a child, a grave was dug, and the dollar paid. Shortly the good brother lost another child, and instead of opening a new grave he reopened the old one, and placed the second coffin upon the first, and refused to pay the fee, standing upon the fact that he had not opened a new grave. The other members of the association kick.—Detroit Journal.

The entertainment given by Beers' Post G. A. R. was not the success that it should have been had they had more practice, and the night not been so cold. "Fun by the boys" introduced some good singing by W. T. Eccles and Geo. Buck, which was one of the best features of the evening. The Post gave a good illustration of a military court martial and "Helen's Babies" furnished a good bit of amusement for the audience, the whole being interspersed with music by Knapp's band. We are glad to hear that the Post will have a nice little sum to put in their treasury as the result of their enterprise, the net proceeds being about $70.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 10, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Vint Chapman returned home last Wednesday.

Mrs. L. P. Tribou is visiting friends in Detroit this week.

The goose-bone and muskrat weather prophets predict a mild winter.

The M. E. Sunday school will indulge in a christmas tree this season.

The winter session of the Board of Supervisors will meet next Monday, Dec. 14th.

Geo. Miles and wife, of the Clinton Local, spent last Sunday with friends in Addison.

John Hubbard went to Angola Ind. last Monday where he will work in a cooper shop.

Will L. Blackmar, of Cambridge, was in town last Saturday and paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum.

Andrew J. Hunter, of Iowa, formerly of Franklin, is spending two or three weeks with his Tecumseh and Franklin friends.

Mr. F. E. Smith, treasurer of Raisin, will be in Tecumseh on Thursday, of Christmas week, instead of Friday, to receive taxes.

The M. & O. R. R. will run a refrigerator car to New York every Saturday hereafter for the preservation of perishable goods.

Clinton young people have organized a dancing club. Four club hops will be given Dec. 11th and 25th, and January 8th and 22d.

Geo. H. Buck, of Monroe, an old resident of Tecumseh, is in town this week. He came on purpose to help the G. A. R. boys in their entertainment.

Fadover informs us that Mrs. Fadover says that the muskrat has gone into winter quarters, and that the clerk of the weather is laid up with the mumps.

The Prohibitionists carry on their campaign "between times." They find that the best time to proselyte voters is *not* during the excitement of a campaign.

The Hudson Gazette says that place has all the old maids it wants. Let the new postmaster do his duty and the number will be decreased.—Morenci Observer.

There will be a Fish Pond and Post Office Social at Britton's hall, Britton, on Wednesday evening. Dec. 16th, for the benefit of J. H. Eaton Post, G.A.R.
JOHN BRITTON, Com.

The Salvation Army of Tecumseh will give a grand jubilee next Friday evening at their barracks. Soldiers and officers from Adrian and Monroe are expected. Ten cents admittance.

Last Wednesday the rumor struck Deerfield that Palmer was in that vicinity, and the whole town turned out *en masse* and organized a searching expedition, but it proved to be a false report.

Don't fail to see the beautiful Indian baskets, bark and sweet grass goods from northern Michigan, which Mrs. J. R. Root is selling in Tecumseh. They are just the thing for holiday presents.

Mr. Sparks is adding something to his museum collection nearly every week. The latest addition is a pitcher over one hundred years old.—Herald. The attention of the Boston base ball club is directed to the foregoing. They'll need an old pitcher next year sure.—Adrian Press.

Col. Burr's Life of Gen. Grant ought to sell well in this section. We have secured some good canvassers and we bespeak for them the good will of the people when they call round. L. H. Sweet has the towns of Macon and Ridgeway; Mrs. J. R. Root has Raisin, Tecumseh and Clinton; John Wallace has the town of Franklin; Will. L. Blackmar has the towns of Cambridge and Woodstock.

A Hudson preacher was invited out "just for a little ride," by a Bohemian oat man, and when about a dozen stops at the houses of various farmers had been made it struck the servant of the Lord that he had been taken along to impart a religious coloring to the Devil's work. It is a wonder how the dominie ever escaped being inviegled into the purchase of 20 bushels of oats at $10 a bushel. The Bohemian is such a good talker.—Adrian Record.

Last Tuesday afternoon we dropped into C. E. Williamson's poultry packing establishment and were somewhat surprised to see the extent of the business done there. He is now in the highth of his chicken and turkey packing for the holiday trade. The entire basement of his large building is filled with poultry. The dressing room would hardly be an appropriate place for a fashionable lady, attired in silks and satins, but the way the dressed chickens are turned out there is a caution. Last Monday Ed. made one purchase of two wagon loads of chickens and turkeys which weighed 3312 pounds, and absorbed $213.59 to pay the bill. He now has 27 hands in his employ. Just at present it is one of the busiest business establishments in this section.

Subscribe for the HERALD, now.

Tribou LeBaron, of Toledo, was in town last Saturday.

Henry Marr, of Cambridge, favored the HERALD with a call last Saturday. He is now engaged in selling the New American Sewing Machine.

Mrs. Pittinger, of Wellsville, N. Y., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. P. S. DePuy, for the past few weeks, returned to her home on Monday.

The New York World is to-day the *ne plus ultra* of American newspapers. Taken altogether it leads them all.—The weekly World is clubbed with the HERALD at reduced rates.

The new machinery of the Clinton roller mill is now in position and the mill is ready for business. The proprietor, Edwin R. Smith, is always making improvements somewhere.

Tecumseh will indulge in a grand christmas dance on Dec. 25th, at the Opera House. Arrangements are being perfected by a committee in charge for the largest dance this place has ever witnessed.

The Monroe Daily Commercial has again made its appearance and we hope it has come to stay this time. It is well printed and ably edited and is a credit to the publisher and to the city of Monroe. It certainly deserves to succeed.

The Smith tribe is in no danger of extinction just at present. Mrs. John Smith, of Milan township, gave birth to three female babies last week, two of them weighed four pounds each and the other three pounds. All are healthy and doing well.

"Grandpa" is the way we call Geo. Spafford now. Mr. and Mrs. Will. C. Blood, of Lansing, were made happy one day last week by the arrival of a fine girl baby at their home. A telephone message announced the news and Mrs. Spafford took the next train for Lansing.

The firm of H. Brewer & Co., will be represented at the tile convention, which is held this week at Indianapolis. Their new Brewer-Tiffany Machine is leading all competitors.—Their new clay crusher is also meeting with a ready sale, and gives the best of satisfaction.

We paid a visit Thanksgiving evening to the Tecumseh skating rink.—There was a large crowd in attendance. A large portion of the number being skaters, with a good sprinkling of spectators. The Tecumseh rink is one of the best managed and orderly rinks we know of.—Clinton Local.

Patrick Murphy, of Clinton, and his daughter Mary were in town Monday and paid their respects to the HERALD. Mr. Murphy is always happy, and he has abundant reason to feel so just at present, for in addition to his other household comforts he has fuel on hand for eighteen months ahead.

A christmas dance will be given at Exelby's hall, Britton, by J. Gibson on Dec. 24th. Mr. G. intends to have a first-class party and everybody is guaranteed a pleasant time. $1.25 pays the bill, which includes an oyster supper at Exelby's hotel. Young man, engage your best girl and go and enjoy yourself.

Among all the agricultural papers published, the best one in our opinion for a Michigan farmer is the old reliable Michigan Farmer. Every Michigan farmer who knows what is what will keep the Michigan Farmer in the house. It is as necessary for his comfort and success as good crops or a good housekeeper.

Hudson is to have a packing house. Mr. D. H. Patterson has gone into pork, although he has not turned a porker by any means. The gentleman will occupy the egg room of the Hudson creamery and will buy dressed hogs which will be cut up and packed for shipment. This is a business needed in Hudson. Success to the new enterprise.—Hudson Gazette.

A late number of the Atkinson, Neb., Graphic contains the following notice about Arthur C. Crossman, a former Tecumseh boy. He is evidently doing well in his present location:

A. C. Crossman has just had a dozen or more bulletin boards painted to thoroughly advertise his loan and real-estate business with at the different cross roads in the neighborhood. He is a man of push and energy, and will win.

Edgar A. Tribou, the Assignee of Woolston Comfort, will expose for sale the mill property and real estate known as Comfort's Roller Mills, on Wednesday, Dec. 30th, inst. A full description of the property will be found in the legal notice which is printed elsewhere in the HERALD.—This will be a rare opportunity for some one to buy a valuable property at a cheap figure.

W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., are putting a rapid service cash railway into their store. This is an improved cash railway and the best thing yet devised for that purpose. They propose to be in readiness for a big holiday trade. The time saved by the clerks in travelling to the cashier's desk will enable them to sell nearly double the amount of goods in the same length of time. This enterprising firm are bound to keep up with the times in introducing new improvements.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Friday evening Nov. 27 the Farmers Social Club met at the residence of Mr. John Rector. There was a tremendous outpouring of the people. Uncle John's spacious parlors were filled to overflowing. The program previously arranged (as published) was well carried out, each one filling his or her part without a break, and all done so well that I think there is but little chance left for your reporter to give any particular praise to any one on the program.

The question, Which is the most profitable, deep or shallow plowing, was well discussed on both sides.

Mr. Alanson Bangs opened the discussion, saying that he had always plowed his ground what might be called deep or below medium. Said that the results had been satisfactory. Had not experimented to see what the result would have been if he had plowed only 2 or 3 inches instead of 7 or 8, but was inclined to favor the latter depth especially for wheat and corn.

Mr. R. B. Gillespie followed next saying that he had been in his farming operations successful in the main. Had always favored and practiced a good depth of plowing, but of late had been inclined to think that he might get better results by plowing more shallow, still the most of the tests that he had seen resulted in favor of deep plowing, said the crop would not start quite so rapid where the ground was plowed deep, but held the moisture better when the drouth came as we usually have it the last of July and August.

Mr. F. C. Rector believed we had all been in the habit of plowing altogether too deep. Thought that 4 or 5 in. plenty deep enough for corn or wheat. Thought it was all nonsense to lug our teams plowing 8 or 9 inches deep when 3 or 4 inches at the bottom was cold subsoil and did not contain vegitable growth and had a tendency to retard vegitation until so late that the hot dry weather would ruin the crop. Thought we could see the effect of shallow plowing in some wheat on the Peter Waldron farm, it having a better top and plowed the shallowest of any ground he had seen this fall

Mr. Lyman Sweet, of West Dundee, a visitor being called upon by the President, said that in his section the farmers had found that if they expected to get crops they must plow deep. Their soil was flat and rather inclined to be wet (unless underdrained) so that by plowing deep it gave the surface water a chance to drain off and let the sun and air have a chance upon the surface to help the crop and also they had found that deep plowed land stood the drouth far the best. Noted a piece of corn raised upon his farm the present year treated in this way, of 9 acres from which was taken 1050 bushels of good sound corn. This corn was husked by the bushel. Said it was equally true that deep plowing was best on their soil for wheat.

Mr. George Griswold had always been an advocate and practicioner of deep plowing. Noticed one piece of land on his farm that he once plowed a foot deep and raised the same season 150 bushels of ears of corn to the acre. Had always noticed that when he plowed the deepest (other things being equal) he had the largest crops both of corn and wheat. Said he knew that crops started out more brisk on shallow plowing but did not hold out when coming to maturity.

Mr. Russell said that on the prairies west the farmers did not plow deeper than from 2 to 4 inches. Said they raised immense crops of corn. In fact their raw prairie they only plowed from 1½ to 2½ in. and got their best results from that depth. Was inclined to think that we here were in the habit of plowing too deep to get the best results. Thought the ground would warm up quicker, thereby adapting it to the want of vegetation sooner, thereby gaining a wanted time for the wheat plant in the fall and the corn plant in the spring.

Mr. A. G. Hall thought perhaps that the kind of soil made a difference in regard to the depth that it should be plowed. Some soils perhaps would be better plowed shallow, whereas other soils might be the better plowed very much deeper. Was inclined to think that sand or gravel would be the better not plowed too deep, but thought that clay or clay loam would be the better plowed much deeper.

Club adjourned for three weeks to meet at R. B. Gillespie's, Friday eve., Dec. 18th. As this is our annual meeting for the election of officers, it is hoped that there will be a large attendance of the members. There will be no question for discussion, but the following program will be presented:

Music—Choir.
Declamation—Freddie Rector.
Essay—Anna Everhart.
Inst. Music—Eva Rector.
Dialogue by the School Children.
Reading of Poe's Bells by Minnie Rector and Lizzie Henderson.
Declamation—George Henderson.
Music—Choir.
Election of Officers.
F. V. HORTON, Sec.

W. D. Adams, proprietor of Tecumseh's novelty store, has a new card in this week's paper. His place is headquarters for Christmas goods.

THE SHOOTING AFFRAY

The Anderson's Rapidly Improving—An Interview with Them—Palmer not yet Taken.

We are happy to be able to state to day that Berf and Ernie Anderson are both doing finely and no apprehension whatever is now felt for them. Unless some very unexpected relapse should occur they will speedily recover. Although the report in the HERALD of last week was in the main correct, there were one or two erroneous statements, which in justice to the parties concerned should be corrected.

From all testimony now at hand we are convinced that Palmer had his dirk knife with him at the Salvation Army meeting and before he went home.

We are also satisfied that Berf Anderson gave Palmer no provocation for firing upon him by anything Anderson said after leaving the post office.

Last Tuesday afternoon we called to see the wounded men and had a very pleasant interview with them. They were both sitting up and were taking their situation as comfortably as possible. Berf is about the house and could probably be out now, but the doctors caution him against venturing out too soon, lest he take cold. We found Ernie taking it easy in a large rocking chair. He is in no condition to move about much, but is doing well and his wounds are rapidly healing. He thinks he can come down town in about two weeks, but we are inclined to think that four weeks will be nearer the mark. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson feel greatly relieved and encouraged and feel that all danger is now over.

CLIPPINGS FROM EXCHANGES.

Sheriff Whitmore telegraphed the chief of police this morning to look out for the assassin, Aaron Palmer, who was described as a railroad man, of rough appearance, about 30 years old, who often came to Jackson, and is supposed to have friends here. If this notice had been sent Saturday night there might have been some chance of catching Palmer if he came this way, but the police officers here say he had plenty of time to reach Canada, or almost any other point, before they heard of his crime. A reward of $500 is offered for his capture. Jackson Citizen.

The Adrian Times quotes the above and comments thereon as follows:

Marshal Moir, of Tecumseh, distinctly informed a Times representative that dispatches were sent up and down the road promptly after the shooting Saturday night. This was about the hour that the average Jackson officer is viglently watching a game in some "club" room, and figuring out how much it is safe to invest on one little pair. No wonder they did'nt get the news from Tecumseh.

Palmer, the Tecumsgh would-be murderer, is causing Sheriff Whitmore a great deal of trouble in one way or another. Yesterday a man conducted the following conversation with the sheriff, after nine other men had asked him the same series of questions:

"Ance, have they caught Palmer, yet?"

"No, sir."

"Which way do you think he went?"

"I can't say," in a tone that meant he would'nt if he could.

"Which way did Bowen go after him?"

"I don't just know where he is, now."

"Where did Teachout go?"

"Can't say."

"Where is Burch?"

"Give it up," impatiently.

"Did Aten go after him, too?"

"Say, by thunder! Look here. Have you seen Tom. Hunter to-day?"

"Yes, just saw him about five minutes ago."

"Well, that settles it," and the sheriff "quit" his interlocutor suddenly.—Adrian Times.

The number of persons who could have caught Palmer before he got out of Tecumseh has increased amazingly: opportunity for reflection having given each a chance to size up his own great intelligence and cool bravery.—Adrian Record.

"Aaron Palmer is easily controled if rightly handled," said a railroad employee last evening. "I have seen him drunk and very ugly and a few kind words always controled him. I remember once when he was a little off and had got his back up at Conductor Ketcham and remarked to me at that time that he would hunt him up and lick him till he couldn't stand. I argued the point with him a few moments when he said 'all right, all right, just as you say,' and that was the end of it." All this sounds very fine, but Palmer is too eccentric altogether. For his own good for one thing, but more for the safety of the public, for another, he should be put where his oddities will not harm better men then himself, and a worse one than he or one more utterly dangerous it would be hard to find.—Adrian Record.

Our readers will remember that Palmer was arrested here last September for shooting at Tom Vansickle in a house on North Winter street, but got off on payment of a fine and costs. He is said to be a desperate character when under the influence of liquor, and was a terror to the peaceable citizens of Tecumseh. The probabilities are that had he been captured soon after the shooting that night, he would have been lynched then and there, as the people were so excited they might have taken the law in their own hands. The reward offered for his capture will doubtless stimulate officers and his apprehension is only a question of time.—Adrian Press.

John Smith, the turnkey at the jail, knows just how many ties there are on the railroad track between Blissfield and the Lake Shore depot in this city, because he counted them while walking up from that village last Sunday morning. John went down there Saturday night on the midnight train having heard that Aaron Palmer had been seen in that vicinity, and as he had to be back at the jail early Sunday morning, and there being no train coming up, John took a tie ticket and arrived on time.—Adrian Press.

Wednesday officers Hyde and Burch of Lenawee county, were in town exhibiting photographs of the ruffian Palmer, and claiming that he had been seen the previous day on the prairie north of Deerfield. Wednesday evening deputy Sheriffs Bowen and King of Adrian, were also in town on a similar mission. The officers all seem to be working on the theory that Palmer is hiding somewhere in this vicinity.—Dundee Reporter.

THE ACTION OF THE OFFICERS.

Some impatience has been manifested over the fact that Palmer has not been captured, and a disposition has been manifested to criticize the action of the officers. From all information we can gather on the point, we believe that the action of the officials was prompt and thorough. What they have done and what they are now doing is not a proper matter for publicity at the present time. It is sufficient to say that we feel confident of Palmer's capture.

WEDDING CHIMES.

Another of Tecumseh's respected bachelors has joined the army of benedicts. The event took place on Thursday last, Dec. 3d, at the residence of Mrs. S. T. Dunn, in this village, at which time Mr. Irving S. Osborne and Miss Fannie Bottom were united in marriage. At twelve o'clock the ceremony was pronounced by Rev. T. G. Potter, in the presence of about 75 guests, and a reception was held immediately after. The company was most hospitably entertained. A large number of guests were present from abroad among whom were these:—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dickey, of Marshall; Geo. L. Graves and Wm. H. Osborne, of Milwaukee; Mrs. Henry Lowe, of Detroit; Mrs. M. T. Walline, of Northville; Samuel Foote and Miss Foote, of New York.

The bridal gifts were numerous, handsome and elegant, which the happy pair will value highly as mementoes of esteem from their best and truest friends. They left on the four o'clock train for Hinsdale, Mass., the bride's old home, where they will pass a brief honeymoon and then return to Tecumseh for their permanent home. The groom has lived in Tecumseh and Macon since early boyhood, and it is no flattery to say that he is universally esteemed as one of our most enterprising and highly respected young men. The bride has found a home with Mrs. S. T. Dunn for the past four years and during that time she has gained a warm place in the hearts of all her acquaintances. That abundant happiness and prosperity may be their lot is the wish of all, in which the HERALD most heartily joins, and we take occasion to extend extra congratulations over the fact that Tecumseh is to be their future home.

A genuinely humorous and melodious opperetta, specially adapted to Christmas-tree festivities, introducing Santa Claus and the whole audience at the close, is published in the November WIDE AWAKE, under the title of "Caught Napping." Sent postpaid for 25cts. by D. Lothrop & Co., Boston.

—No doubt about sleighing now nor is there any doubt about C. A. Slayton having the largest and finest display of Portland and swell body cutters ever brought to this market. Call and see them and get prices.—Bob Sleighs very cheap.

B. E. Hill, of Manchester, was in town Saturday.

Photographs $1.00 per Dozen.

Thanking the public for the liberal patronage since my opening here I have concluded to make Photo's from now until Xmas at the above price and will give 2 panels with every doz. cabinets as a xmas gift.

I have all the latest improvements and can do work in cloudy weather as well as sunlight, and painting scenery for other galleries am in a position to always have something new.

Call early that I can print your photo's in time. F. W. STEGER.
Over Wright's Drug store.

FALL POETRY.

Fall is here, 'tis very clear,
We know it by the weather:
Bad roads and cloudy days
Tend not to make us clever.

But call on me and see
If candies, cigars and taffy
An oyster stew or good *square* meal
Will not make you happy?
At Rawson's—Eccles' old stand.

—If you want an extra article of pure Buckwheat Flour, you can find it at C. A. Slayton's.

—WOOD WANTED—Ten cords of four foot wanted either soft or hard. Enquire at the HERALD office.

—We are the leaders of low prices on cloaks. Look our stock through and be convinced.
Sutton, Fairfield & Co.

—Have you noticed the fine display of Cutters at C. A. Slayton's? Large stock. Low prices. Now is the time to go in and select one.

—Lumber, lumber, lumber.
Shingles, shingles, shingles.
Sash, sash, sash, sash.
Mouldings, mouldings, mouldings.
Paints, paints, paints, paints.
Cheap, cheap, cheap for cash.
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RICE'S TEMPERANCE HOTEL, Cor. Congress & Bates sts., Detroit, Mich. RATES: $1 to $1.25 per day. Single Meals 30c. Lodging 25 to 50 cents. We make a specialty of the temperance trade, and [illegible] ladies traveling alone will find this a pleasant home while in the city. [illegible]

MOORE HOUSE, ANN ARBOR, MICH. [illegible] reasonable.

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Machinist.

Mr. George Karg, Machinist, 1388 Ridge Ave., Philadelphia, Pa., says:—"My disease started when I was quite a young lad by having weak kidneys. I have used just six bottles of Hunt's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy, and I solemnly proclaim, I feel like a new man."

* * * "Good counsel has no price, obey it." * * *

Mechanic.

Mr. Henry Williams, Mechanic, East Bridgeport, Conn., says:—"About two months ago I caught a heavy cold, which settled in my kidneys. I got a bottle of Hunt's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy and with the first dose began to get well."

* * * "Light suppers makes longlives." * * *

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THE CONGO COUNTRY.

Pastoral, Habits, Language and Peculiarities of the Natives.

A Boston gentleman, who has spent about fourteen years of his life on the east and west coasts of Africa, but most of that period on the east coast, in conversation the other day, gave some points in regard to the Congo country (where he spent some three years, and about which public curiosity has lately aroused,) which are not covered in Mr. Stanley's latest book, and may therefore be interesting.

The language of the natives of the Congo country is called Layott, and is so very difficult to acquire that he knows of only one European who had mastered it sufficiently to understand it, though he can speak but very little of it. It appears to be composed of short words which, in the rapid manner of speaking, seem to be run together, and each sentence to consist of a longer or shorter compound word. It is capable of strong emphasis, and is quite expressive, but the natives are not given to gesticulation even when talking excitedly, excepting always the feticharo or fetich man when dealing out damnation to transgressors. The trouble in acquiring the language appears to be the general unwillingness of the natives to teach it to white men. It is said, however, that some of the Portuguese who are born and raised there have acquired the language, and speak it as fluently as natives. In their intercourse, the blacks are generally polite toward one another, and have great respect for old age. This is as true of the people of the East as of those of the West Coast of Africa. But the coast people of the Congo are neither industrious nor sober. When the Portuguese first established trading stations on the Congo, they taught the people to drink rum, and this is now a universal habit among them. In their native villages and settlements the men will not work in cultivating the soil, but spend the time in hunting, war and such amusements as their country affords opportunities for pursuing—and drinking rum or gin, when they can get it.

When they hire out to the European traders, the natives are good workers, but a certain proportion of their monthly pay is stipulated to be rum or gin. They hire out, agreeing to stay a year, at the end of which time they return to their tribe, where they have a grand jamboree. They bring home the liquor by the cask, two or three men of the same village frequently combining together in the ownership, and when they arrive it is the signal for all their relatives to receive them with joy and gladness. When the liquor is landed the King or chief is first served with his share or tax of it. Then a certain amount is sold to procure meat and rice, or perhaps more frequently these articles are purchased with other commodities brought from the factories, and the feast begins. When the returned men and their friends drink and gorge, gorge and drink, until their entire store of earnings is exhausted—the orgies lasting longer or shorter, according to the amount brought home and the number of helpers that aid in consuming it—then they return once more to the monotony of hard work at the factories. The men of two tribes—the Cavindas and the Kroboys—are principally employed by the Dutch, English and Portuguese factors. They are physically a strong and hardy race of men, and make splendid sailors, and, barring some drawbacks, good servants.

Like all aboriginal people the Congo blacks are very superstitious, but to what extent they believe in a future state can only be conjectured. They believe in the existence of good and bad spirits, which they believe are all the time hovering around, and when one of them dies they believe that his spirit or soul is seized by either the good or the bad spirits, and carried away to become one of them. Hence, when a native is dying, his friends come around, fire off guns and make horrible noises, for the purpose of frightening off the evil spirits. What effect this may have on the good spirits is not stated.

Their religious ceremonies are not of a very high order, being mostly of a propitiatory nature, or for the purpose of warding off danger, disease, etc., and here the fetich plays an important part. They do not make human sacrifices like the Ashantes, but when they want any favors from the invisibles they bring a goat or a chicken to the fetich man to be sacrificed, and are given in return an amulet or charm, or fetich, as they call it. The fetich is the terrible, the unknown power, at once the persecutor or the avenger, according as its power is invoked or rejected. This the present informant illustrated by an anecdote. The Dutch have a factory at Banana point, which is approached by two roads, one on each shore side of the narrow peninsula. On the boundary line of their property, on each road, a watch-house was established, to regulate admittance from the outside. But the laborers, servants and sailors from outside came in in such numbers, and gave so much trouble by getting drunk and creating disturbances, that the agents finally thought it best to make fetich, as it is termed, on the boundary line. They employed a fetich man to make fetich. This consisted first in bringing his fetich idol on to the line, making figures in the sand around it, and flourishes or signs around and above it with his hands and arms, and then taking a chicken, cutting its head off and sprinkling the blood around. This ceremony was performed on each road. In about twenty-four hours' time the news of what had been done spread far and wide, and so effectually did it frighten the natives that they ceased to go to the Dutch factory town thereafter unless they had business there. They supposed that if they passed that line and made any trouble, they would be subject to the penalties of the fetich, whatever they might be, and they were no doubt all the more terrible because their precise nature was not known. One of the chief uses of fetich by the factors on the Congo is to recover stolen articles of value, for unless the loss be considerable it often costs more to recover it by this means than it is worth, though the chief has invariably to pay the cost of prosecution if he can be held to do it.—*Boston Herald.*

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—The Spanish-American belle has her photograph taken every time she gets a new dress—at least so says a Buenos Ayres correspondent.—*Chicago Journal.*

—The New York *Herald* predicts that the c[illegible] day when the last of the telephone poles will have to go. Business men in the East are throwing them out.

—Among the Indian tribes one in four die of consumption, a larger portion than among the white or colored races. Consumption is more prevalent among the Irish than any other race.

—If, according to a New York coin collector, a complete collection of American cents is cheap at five hundred dollars, how much would a good collection of common sense be worth?

—Agriculture is a dangerous business in California. Recently a squash broke loose from a vine, rolled down hill, smashed in a side of a barn and killed a horse.—*Chicago Times.*

—A Worcester County woman, whose husband is a dentist, engaged a man to saw wood for her, and when the job was done told him she hadn't got any change, but the Doctor would pull a tooth for him for nothing some time.—*Boston Traveler.*

—"All life is a joke to the Japanese," says Lieutenant Wyckoff, of the Hydrographic Bureau, who lived in Japan for five years. "During all that time I never saw any one angry. I hardly believe that they could lose their tempers if they should try."

—The amenities and sweets of journalism are found in the Southwest. Thus the editor of the Richmond (Mo.) *Conservator* thanks a friend "for a basket of superb grapes, sweet as the honey of Hybla and dusky as the cheek of a daughter of the Upper Nile."

—An electrician asserts that in bodies in which life is not extinct the temperature rises upon the application of an electric current, but never in the case of actual death. This fact supplies a test for use in cases where life is suspected to remain in persons apparently dead.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Many thousands of tons of cotton seed, once considered valueless, are now sold from ten to twelve dollars per ton. In seven months ending last August, $1,828,771 worth of cottonseed oil was exported to Europe from the Southern States, or about twice as much as during the same period of last year.—*N. Y. Post.*

—Some one has come forward with a new arm of defense in the shape of a steel shield which can be attached by a sort of sleeve at the extremity of a rifle. Each soldier, instead of having to throw up a "cover" at every place he may be halted under the fire of the enemy carries his cover along with him, ready for use at any moment.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The monument at South Coventry, Conn., erected to the memory of Captain Nathan Hale, the martyr spy of the Revolution, by Coventry citizens in 1846, is being taken down and rebuilt at the State's expense, the action of the frost having pushed out of position some of the Quincy granite blocks of the structure, and also somewhat soiled its surface.—*Hartford Courant.*

—An old coffee machine has been patented in London. A lamp beneath boils the water for infusion, and at the same time roasts the berries, which, as roasted, are automatically emptied into a hopper and ground by a mill attached. Thus the whole process of roasting the green coffee berries, grinding and infusing the same, is simultaneously performed within about fifteen minutes.

—"We make a detour of a mile," writes a correspondent of the Springfield (Mass.) *Republican*, "to drive by the homes of Chiefs White Ghost and Don't-Know-How, neat, two-story houses; one frame, the other logs, with shingled roof, in the Crow Reservation. The owners are both out, but we read over the door the ambitious sign that has become famous:

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—The question of the right to hiss in theaters has lately been brought to trial in France. At the Lyons Casino a poor singer was applauded by the claque; a member of the audience expressed his disapprobation by vigorous hissing, and was arrested therefor. The Judge decided in favor of the defendant, and was supported in his decision by the superior court, on the ground that one member of an audience has as much right to express his dislike of the performance as another has to manifest his approval.

—Surf bathing has developed a new danger, says the New York *Commercial Advertiser*. Recently a young woman was found on a Coney Island train who, on examination, proved to be demented. The matter was explained by her relatives thus: While bathing at Long Branch during the summer she was struck violently on the side of the head by a large wave, and since then has been subject to fits of temporary insanity. Perhaps most sickness can be traced to surf bathing than is generally supposed.

—The general interest in the yacht race for the America's cup shows how near the people in all parts of the country have been brought together by telegraph and railroad since the day when the America won the trophy—over thirty years ago. Then the interest in the victory was confined to the Atlantic sea-board; but now the race between the Genesta and the Puritan is an affair of almost as much interest among people of the prairies who never saw a ship as among those whose lives are spent within sight of the ocean.—*Chicago Current.*

—Porpoise leather is a novelty as yet, especially when used in the manufacture of shoes. It has been largely used, however, in making shoestrings, owing to its great strength and pliability. It has a long, tenacious fibre, and, as it will not crack and tear, it makes an excellent leather. When made up into a shoe it greatly resembles French kid. It wears like iron and would be suitable for boys' shoes. It is entirely waterproof, and very cooling to the feet, making it excellent for summer wear. The skins cut from five to six pairs of men's vamps. The leather is hemlock tanned.—*Exchange.*

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 56 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	5 05 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 [illegible] "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Mentpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kankle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3.22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 42
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 48	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 01	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 48	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kankle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Mentpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT NOV. 1, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST.			Central Time.	GOING EAST.	
No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass		STATIONS.	No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass
P. M.	A. M.			P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A	...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10
6 40	11 02		Dundee	4 15	10 10
7 04	11 24		Britton	3 52	9 46
7 09	11 29		Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
7 16	11 39		Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
7 32	11 55		Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08		Onsted	3 08	9 05
8 00	12 22		Devils Lake	2 54	8 51
8 09	12 30		Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48		Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 32	12 55		Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06		Hanover	2 10	8 09
8 53	1 17		Pulaski	1 59	7 57
9 15	1 38		Homer	1 38	7 38
9 27	1 50		Eckford	1 27	7 21
9 44	2 05		Marshall	1 11	7 06
9 57	2 17		Ceresco	1 02	6 49
10 15	2 36	A	Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30
P. M.	2 56		Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	04		Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10		Richland	12 15	
	3 28		Doster	11 58	
	3 35		Monteith	11 42	
	3 53		Fisk	11 35	
	3 59		Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A	...Allegan ...L	11 20	
	5 25		Holland	10 45	
	6 30		Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 30		Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35		Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10		Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10		Pentwater	5 50	
	P. M.	A		L A. M.	

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—It is proposed to utilize the motive power of the Montmorenci Falls, near Quebec, to operate a railroad to the miraculous shrine of St. Anne which yearly attracts eighty or one hundred thousand visitors.

—A Texas editor complains of a hook and ladder company recently organized in his neighborhood. The editor intimates that the ladder is used for getting into windows after dark, after which the hooking is done.

—The swiftest large river in the world, according to a traveling correspondent, is the Sutlej, in British India. It has a descent of twelve thousand feet in one hundred and eighty miles, an average of about sixty-seven per mile.

—While some colored hands were packing cotton near Monticello, S. C., an iron bolt weighing nineteen pounds fell a distance of nine feet and struck one of them on the head without causing any perceptible injury.—*Atlanta (Ga.) Chronicle.*

—The Jacksonville (Fla.) *Herald* reports that a most excellent lady says that she has practiced the following rule for twenty years with never a failure: "Trim your finger nails every Friday, and you will never have the toothache." But perhaps the most excellent lady had no teeth.

—Horse cars in Brazil are called "bonds," from a peculiar circumstance, which illustrates how words can be popularized. When started by some Americans, the bonds of the company were first offered on the market, and everyone talked of them. When the horse cars, or mule cars, arrived they appropriated the name of bonds.

—The latest "propah capah" in London society (where there are imitative dudes, as here) is to affect American accents and inflections. The Springfield (Mass.) *Union* submits for the benefit of our English brethren two specimens of the genuine thing, such as "Wal, I swow," and "Ainter feelin' right smart peert terday; on'y tollerble."

—*La Nacion*, a Buenos Ayres paper, contained an announcement, signed by eight physicians, that connection by telephone will be made on application by any patients requiring medical attendance at night. The fee for a visit after eleven p. m. would seem somewhat large in our latitude—thirty dollars—but it is not thought to be exorbitant there.

—It appears that in Philadelphia the names of applicants for marriage licenses are not to be given out for publication, on the theory that, whatever interest the community may have in the marriage itself, the agreement to marry is a private matter, which should not be made public except with the consent of the parties immediately concerned.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—The industry of a honey bee working a clover field is something wonderful. Each clover head has sixty separate flower tubes, each containing about the five hundredth part of a grain of sugar. There are seven thousand grains to a pound, so that the bee must have sucked the contents of three million five hundred thousand clover tubes to have gathered one pound of honey.—*Chicago Herald.*

—The amended game law of Colorado says that insectivorous birds shall not be killed at all (except patridges, pheasants, prairie chickens, prairie hens, and grouse, and these only between October 1 and November 15). "No person shall kill or wound, entrap or snare any elk, deer, buffalo or bison, fawn, or antelope, between the 1st day of January and the 15th day of October in each and every year." Mountain sheep can not be killed for ten years from April 7, 1885.

—I have peeped into quiet "parlors," where the carpet is clean and not old, and the furniture polished and bright; into "rooms" where the chairs are neat and the floor carpetless; into "kitchens" where the family live and the meals are cooked and eaten, and the boys and girls are as blithe as the sparrows in the thatch overhead, and I see that it is not so much wealth and learning, nor clothing, nor servants, nor toil, nor idleness, nor town, nor country, nor station, as tone and temper that render homes happy or wretched.—*Dr. John Hall.*

—Mr. D. A. Coffin is the most truthful if not the most facetious hotel keeper in Maine. He advertises on his envelopes: "The original and only third-class hotel-keeper in Maine—where everything fails to suit—tough beefsteak, dirty rooms, useless servants, debilitated coffee. This house, of world-wide bad reputation, is owned, occupied and presided over by the laziest man in the State. Satisfaction not guaranteed; no money refunded. Dilapidated stable in connection. Everything warranted strictly shoddy."—*Boston Journal.*

Dumas' Liberality.

The elder Dumas was asked to contribute a louis toward the funeral expenses of a poor huissier or bailiff. "Here are forty francs," said Dumas, "bury two." He was, as everybody knew, most liberal. "I have never refused money to anybody except to my creditors," he would often remark. One day Houssaye was at breakfast with him at Monte Cristo, when an actor's wife, poorly attired, but too timid to ask for assistance, called upon Dumas. The latter understood the situation at once. "My poor child," said he, "the sun is very fierce just now. How can you walk without a sunshade?" And he slipped a five hundred franc note into the young woman's hand, adding: "Go and buy yourself one." As she moved off he concluded, merrily: "If you will come and see me on a rainy day I will give you enough to purchase an umbrella."—*Christian Union.*

—The revival of the polka dot suggests to some people that the world of fashion is in its dottage.

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—The seventy-nine evening schools of New York City are attended by 25,000 pupils.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The average salary of the Missouri Conference is $500, just the pay of colored porters in city hotels and warehouses.—*Richmond Advocate.*

—Hereafter at Amherst College no diploma will be given at graduation to those students who do not properly attend to their gymnasium duties during their course.

—Hamilton College has in its museum a series of ivory figures delineating the stage of the opium eater's descent through emaciation and degradation to death.

—There is some demand that the schools return to the old-fashioned system of oral spelling, as being better in its results than the method by which students are taught words as a whole.—*Chicago Current.*

—The United Methodist free churches represent the union of three denominations of Methodists, and they constitute the youngest of all the organized offshoots from the old Wesleyan body. There are 76,385 members and 382 preachers.

—The Free Church of Scotland has determined to found a permanent church in Geneva, the city sacred to the memory of John Calvin and the sphere of the labors of John Knox. The services are to accommodate the English speaking people. A number of Americans reside in this city.

—"Young women get more culture and young men more special facility in college. The broader education must always be literary—must deal chiefly with concepts and their expression, and women pursue the literary education while men more and more specialize with reference to some bread-winning craft." So says Dr. D. H. Wheeler.

—The whole educational question appears to be resolved into this formulation: Plain simple instruction in the elementary principles. No cramming. No fancy studies. Short lessons, well prepared. If any genius be developed, seeking higher methods and wider culture, he will, with the weapons provided, make his way. But it is folly to overdo instruction with the average mind, which, like some Virginia land, described by John Randolph, is "poor by nature and ruined by cultivation."—*Augusta (Ga) Constitutionalist.*

WIT AND WISDOM.

—It is a wise provision of nature, that a man can neither kick himself nor pat his own back.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—The world may owe a man living, but it is always best to go out and collect it by a little hard work.—*N. O. Picayune.*

—Harry: "When do soldiers become beasts of burden. Larry: "Beasts of burden? Let's see. Why, when they 'carry the town!' "—*Golden Days.*

—Lady caller—"I much prefer colored servants to white ones, don't you, Mrs. B?" Mrs. B.—"Well, really, Mrs. R., it depends upon the color, you know. I can't endure green ones.—*Exchange.*

—Gus De Smith—"I want to hire you to take me out to the Lunatic Asylum and back. How much do you charge for the round trip?" Colored Hackman—"De Lor'! Yer ain't gwinter come back arter you once get out dar, is yer, Honey?"—*Texas Siftings.*

—A book has just been published which advocates the eating of non-carnivorous insects. As Abraham Lincoln once remarked: "For those who like this sort of thing it is quite probable that this sort of thing is just about the sort of thing they would like."—*Boston Post.*

—"By gum," said a girl in a blue silk dress and white shawl, as she watched the ceaseless gliding of the elevator up and down, Thursday, "I should think the man who pulls that up and down all day would be awfully tired at night time."—*Lewiston Journal.*

—The Philadelphia *Call* says: The wealth of our language is shown by the fact that "hang it up" and "chalk it down" mean precisely the same thing. And it might have added that the thing "hung up" or "chalked down" can be "drunk up" or "drunk down" as it suits the customer.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Wisely said once a tough old sea-Captain to the assembled passengers at the ship's table: "You've got to take things mighty early; the first week I was married me and my mother-in-law had a rough and tumble fight to find out which one of us had married her daughter, and I guess I settled it."—*Boston Herald.*

—The marvelous fowl.

The oracular owl
Is a very wise fowl.
He sits on a limb
By night and by day.
And an eager assembly waits on him
To listen to what the wise bird may say,
I heard him discourse in the following way:
"The sun soon will set in the west,
'Twill be fair if the sky is not cloudy,
If a hundred are good, only one can be best,
No gentleman's ever a rowdy."
"Ah! ah!" cried the birds, "what a marvelous fowl!
Oh, who could excel this oracular owl?"
—*A. J. Wells, in St. Nicholas.*

The Unpardonable Offense.

The other day the steward of one of our clubs solicited an interview with a member. It was granted, and the steward stated, with a reluctant and shamefaced air, that a certain young Englishman, well known about town, and who had been introduced to the club as a guest by the member in question, had borrowed money from him (the steward) and refused to repay it.

"How do you mean by borrowing?" demanded the member. "Did he ask you?"

"Yes, sir."

"When?"

"Several times."

"And how much does it amount to altogether?"

The steward produced a memorandum. It was for $5, in three installments. The club man gasped: "Good heavens! I thought he was a gentleman," and fainted. He paid the bill when he came to, and told me next day: "If it had been a hundred or so I might have forgiven him, but now I shall never speak to him again; no, never, upon my honor!"—*To-Day.*

Outcast London.

Much excitement has been made by reports recently published on the vile condition of the slums of London. In a cellar was found a family consisting of a man sick, with small-pox, his dying wife, three half-naked and dirty children, and one pig. In some parts there is one gin-mill to every hundred persons. What defilement! Yet corresponding impurities often defile the human blood. They can be cast out by Brown's Iron Bitters, the great strengthener and purifier. Mr. B. J. Strange, of Stark Lake, Florida, says: "Brown's Iron Bitters is the best blood purifier I ever tried. It gives all the satisfaction a man can want."

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The colored women of Mobile have organized an art association.

You will notice how quickly a thoroughly successful article is imitated, and also that the imitations are without merit, as they are gotten up by unscrupulous parties. Beware of imitations of Dr. Jones's Red Clover Tonic. The genuine is sold by George Ferguson, and promptly cures dyspepsia, costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples, ague and malaria diseases, poor appetite, low spirits, headache, or diseases of the kidney, stomach and liver. Price fifty cents.

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They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1,00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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My liver was so fearfully disordered and I felt so feeble and languid that I scarcely took interest in anything. Tried all the so-called remedies without relief until I used Parker's Tonic, which effected a permanent cure.—David Bash, Little Rock, Ark.

Vassar girls ate 692 pounds of candy last year. Sweets to the sweet. But alas! they ate also forty bushels of onions.

It is seldom that a medicine is efficacious in such a long list of diseases as Michler's Herb Bitters has proved itself. Consumption, dyspepsia, liver complaint, every form of fever, jaundice, scrofula, and other complaints yield speedily to its powerful effects. S. Weaver, of Perryville, Md., was cured of neuralgia and bleeding piles, and his wife found it invaluable in a case of fever and ague.

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Constipation is the father of more ills than any other diseased conditon. Cheney's Stomach and Liver Regulator absolutely cures it. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

CATAARH—A NEW TREATMENT.

From the Montreal Star.

Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been attained by the Dixon treatment for Catarrh. Out of 3000 patients treated during the past six months, fully ninety percent have been cured of this stubborn malady. This is none the less startling when it is remembered that not five per cent of patients presenting themselves to the regular practitioner are benefitted, while the patent medicines and other advertised cures never record a cure at all. Starting with the claim now generally believed by the most scientific men that the disease is due to the presence of living parasites in the tissue, Mr. Dixon at once adapted his cure to their extermination—this accomplished he claims the Catarrh is practically cured and the permanency is unquestioned, as cures effected by him four years ago are cures still. No one else has ever attempted to cure Catarrh in this manner, and no other treatment has ever cured Catarrh. The Application of the remedy is simple, and can be done at home, and the present season of the year is the most favorable for a speedy and permanent cure, the majority of cases being cured at one treatment. Sufferers should correspond with Messrs. A. H. DIXON & SON, 305 King street west, Toronto, Canada, and enclose stamp for their treatise on Catarrh.

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BONDED EMPLOYES.

How Embezzlements are Checked by Surety Companies—A Possible Example.

Clason Graham drew the money on a check for $26,000 signed by his employers, Spencer Trask & Co., oil brokers, and took a train for Omaha, but was stopped on the way only four hours later both man and money being back in New York next day. The quickness of suspicion and action in the case of a man whose reputation had been good was due to the fact that he had given bonds to the firm for honesty, and his bondsmen were one of the several guaranty and fidelity companies that have lately come into use here in New York. These concerns insure employers against loss through the thefts of employes, and relieve the latter of the often difficult task of finding available friends to take the risks. No less than six thousand men are already bonded in this way by the companies, among whom brisk rivalry has already arisen. Visits to their offices show large premises and numerous clerks, indicating far more labor than would be requisite for merely making out the papers and dealing with the customers up to the point of completing the bonds. The explanation is that the most elaborate systems of watching the insured men and registering their behavior are in operation, and already the extent and thoroughness of this espionage has become an acute nuisance to its subjects. To feel that his every action may be under surveillance by a spy is annoying in many cases even to men of well behaved and much disliked of the new order of things are developed. But there is no escape, because the existence of the company is a provider so to speak, an average for individuals to become honest, in the sense that there is no escape.

Railroad employes, bank clerks, company officers and all others in financial offices are already more or less involved before making the round in personal charge to be investigated, as fully as possible, but there is no complete protection, for the company has already lost ten thousand dollars through Paying Teller Charles A. Hickey, of the West Side Bank, and Teller F. J. Diederichs, of the Laclede Bank, St. Louis, both of whom were above reproach. The preference is for companies of institutions subject to State supervision annually rather than the guardians of money for private firms. Nearly all the men in the New York post office and over that those in minor capacities of trust are now insured in companies. The charges range from one half to one per cent on the amount of insurance. The principal business is legitimate. Every insured person is watched and very closely too. If the slightest suspicion of dishonesty is asserted, for instance, in the case of Clason Graham, a hint or a rumor that he was becoming a stranger about town at night and apparently was spending more money than his salary could provide. At the moment when he passed the big chess a spy and a man in sight and followed him and took the train. The detective telegraphed to the company that he was going to go, too, and would look for orders at Springfield, where the train would make its first stop. Hasty inquiry of Spencer Trask & Co. brought out the fact that Graham was absconding with $26,000 and word was wired to Springfield to arrest him.

A feature of the new business is a registry called the "List of Prevarications," in which the particulars of every obtainable case of prevarication or actual misdoing by an insured man are noted. The books of the institution contain about twenty thousand names. Another fourteen thousand and there are not less than fifty thousand altogether thus recorded, comprising cashiers, bankers, public officials and other functionaries. The amount of money stolen by trusted employes is not known of by the public as proved by the aggregate of nearly three hundred thousand dollars paid from the office. But the bondsmen are aware of their positions, and the consciousness of being under surveillance has become one of the common sensations of their lives.—*N. Y. Times.*

CONFUCIUS.

The Religious Doctrines of the Great Chinese Philosopher.

It may be asked, what was the religion of Confucius himself? It must be answered, he accepted what he found without laying stress upon any special doctrines. While recognizing an unseen divine power, he yet never spoke of it as personal. He believed in spirits, conformed to ceremonies and did not check special prayers. Once, when sick, his friends asked that prayers should be made for his recovery. "Is that," said he, "the proper thing to do?" "It is so set down," they answered, "in the sacred books. Address your prayers," etc. He thus uttered this memorable sentence: "The prayer of Confucius is constant." Men observed that he sacrificed to the dead as if they were present, yet he evaded all questions concerning them. "Shall we serve the spirits of the dead?" they asked; his answer was, "If you can not serve men, how will you serve spirits?" "I venture to ask about death," said a disciple. "You know nothing about life, how can you know anything about death?" "Have the dead knowledge?" still urged the eager student. "You need not know whether they have or not," said the master, "there is no hurry, herself you shall know." He taught, we find, divers virtues, letters, morals, devotion and sincerity of heart, but amid stories of unnatural feats of dexterity, abnormal states, and the existence of spiritual beings, he shrank from discussing. Yet the instant the sphere of practice was touched the trumpet gave no uncertain sound. "Without obeying the ordinances of heaven (i. e., the moral law), it is impossible to be a superior man." "He who sins against Heaven, to whom can he pray?" "No man knows me. I do not complain. Heaven alone knows me." This is the nearest approach I find to the recognition of a personal God, and it does not amount even to monotheism as taught by Moses.—*Good Words.*

—Oculists predict that we shall become a spectacled nation in fifty years.—*Chicago Journal.*

DIED.

NICHOLS—Tuesday, Nov. 24th, 1885, at her home in Tecumseh, Michigan, Mrs. Margaret L. Nichols, widow of Rev. Erastus N. Nichols.

This estimable woman was the daughter of Capt. Isaac Littell, an architect and builder of New York. She was born in New York city Sept. 12th, 1799. In 1817 the family removed to Auburn. Upon the death of her father in 1819, she accepted an invitation from Rev. Dr. Lansing to make his house her home, and remained with him until 1827. On Nov. 1st, 1827, she was married to Rev. Erastus N. Nichols. They came to Tecumseh in 1836. The death of Mr. N. occurred Feb. 17, 1882, since which time Mrs. Nichols has been in feeble health, and at length in a good old age she has been taken home. She became a christian in a revival in Auburn the year previous to her marriage.

Her husband has left the record that as a wife she was "affectionate, patient and the companion through all the lights and shadows of a responsible life." She was dignified yet kind in her deportment and is remembered with affection by those who knew her. Her christian character was consistent and she retained her christian hope and welcomed always the voice of prayer in her sick room.

This has another place been made vacant in the society of our pleasant village which has been long and honorably filled. W. H. B.

HOAGLAND—Lena M., died in Ridgeway township, Dec. 4, 1885.

She was the only daughter of Thos. V. and Hettie Hoagland and was very loved and dear to her parents. She was not expected to live as well and therefore her death was peculiarly a sad one. Four children are left to mourn the irreparable loss. We have the sincere sympathy of all and be comforted by their heavenly father. The last sad rites were performed Sunday, Dec. 6, at the home of the parents, by Rev. Wright, pastor of the Christian church, in a very appropriate and solemn manner. Extract, a portion of one of the hymns, and highly appropriate will express what she was to that home:

"She was the queen of our home
A daughter that shone so bright;
The flower in our garden bower
A thing all shades and light."

The parents also wish to express their heartfelt thanks to their many friends for their kindness in their great affliction.

The new volume of Cassell's Family Magazine, which begins with the January number, will contain three serial stories, "A Willful Young Woman," by Jessie Fothergill, of "High Life," by the author of "When the Tide was High," and "Hachiko's Sacrifice," by Frank Barrett, author of "John Eden."

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Fine winter weather so far this month. Hope it may continue.

You can pay your taxes any time by calling at the post office. Mr. Santus is assisting the treasurer in collecting.

The choir met at the home of Samuel Rappleye for practice last week Wednesday evening, and spent a very pleasant time. They will meet at the home of Mrs. Hall, on South Church street this week Saturday evening for rehearsal. A full attendance is desired.

The afternoon mail from the west on the M. & O. was two hours late all last week.

Rev. W. J. Clack spent the fore part of the week with friends at Manchester.

Libbie Emmons and Hattie Fuller called on Allie Arner Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Watling, of Dundee, made their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Clack, a visit last week a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Temple visited friends in Detroit last week, returning Saturday.

Edmond Holloway, of Tipton, spent a few days with Willis Helm.

The attendance and interest manifested at the quarterly meeting services held last Sunday were very encouraging. Presiding Elder Joslyn occupied the pulpit Saturday evening and Sunday morning.

John Clough, of Tecumseh, made his old friend Asa Smith and family a call last Friday.

Public entertainment next Friday night held at Cottage Hall. For particulars see programs.

Prof. G. P. Price will give a lecture on phrenology at Cottage Hall next Saturday night. Admission free.

The entertainment given at the hall on Saturday night by the Farleman Bros., was not very well patronized.

Mrs. Florence Lowe's house caught fire Friday afternoon, and narrowly escaped being burned to the ground. The fire originated in the upper floor, and it is not known from what source. Damage about $25. It is insured in the Farmers' Mutual.

At the Public Friday night "The Flower of the Family," and "Two Ghosts in White," will be played with humor and effect. Come out and hear them. Prof. W. C. Sharp is expected to be present and assist in the musical part.

The youngsters of the village spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Miss Ida Pocklington Monday night in company with Misses Bryan and Kelly, her schoolmates from Raisin Valley Seminary, and report having had a fine time.

The attendance at the social held at the home of Mrs. Lester Osgood was very encouraging, considering the cold night and inconvenient means for the friends of the village to attend when held in the country. The society will not meet again until after the holidays.

BRITTON BUDGET

The snow has come.

The mercury hugs zero.

The oyster supper at the Christian church was a success. The first prize was awarded to Phene Underwood.

The stave mill is preparing for active work. The bolts are commencing to come in and the proprietors do not propose to be outbid. They are also prepared to buy heading bolts.

Two large carloads of hogs were shipped from here Saturday by Abe Hanford.

Christmas is to be observed at the Christian church by a Christmas tree and all its accompaniments. Come one, come all, and have a merry sociable time on Christmas eve.

ONSTED ODDS.

George Kilbury is agent for the HERALD at this place.

Will Blackmar is canvassing for the life of Grant in this vicinity.

Frank Glenn, of Chicago, has been spending a few days at the home of his father, R. L. Glenn.

Orrin Smith went to Rives' Junction Saturday, to visit friends and attend the wedding of a sister. He will return this week.

George thinks that the next time he attends a missionary concert he will be more careful how he scatters his silver on the floor.

Charles Marshall, assisted by his brother John, set four hundred and twenty shoes last week, besides doing what other work came to the shop.—Who can beat that?

The missionary concert held at the church Sunday evening, was well attended. The program was a good one and was carried out in such a manner that all seemed well pleased.

Our merchants report business on the gain, and we cannot fail to notice that more people come here, and that they come from a longer distance than they did a few months ago.

HOLLOWAY HAPPENINGS.

A very distressing accident occurred here on Saturday last, the circumstances of which are as follows: Chas. G. Babcock, a farmer living two miles south-east of here, on the Wells' farm, brought his hogs to the station and started to return home just as the express train was pulling through. One of his boys was in the wagon with him and the other had hold of the rear end board trying to climb in.—Mr. B. was looking around at the boys and failed to notice the train, which was running at a high rate of speed, as it does not stop here, and just as the wagon was fairly on the track the engine struck it, completely demolishing the wagon and throwing Mr. B. as high as the smoke stack, catching him on the pilot as he came down. The boy was thrown about fifteen feet into the air and alighted nearly one hundred feet from where he was struck. When the train was brought to a stop Mr. B. was found to be fatally injured about the head. He was carried into the depot where he remained until a jury was impaneled, after which the remains were carried home. Strange to say the boy escaped with a couple of scalp wounds and a little bruising of the face. The remains were taken to Morenci on Tuesday for interment.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

School Inspector A. M. Keeney is making a tour of inspection through the township.

Our blacksmith shops are full of work these days.

Wm. A. Whitney, formerly of this place, is to be married to Miss Nannie L. Johnson, of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

The masquerade at the rink Friday night was a grand success. There were about 30 maskers, and after they were removed the floor was crowded.

The church is completed, so everybody can inspect the job next Sunday.

Jas. A. Mason has put in a feed grinder. You can get cob and all ground up in a digestible manner.

The December number of THE DECORATOR AND FURNISHER, is one of the most elaborate of all the Christmas magazines and one of the best in an artistic and practical sense, that this publication has given us. It has evidently been the policy of The Decorator and Furnisher to notice, in illustrations and descriptive articles, the various rooms throughout the house in a more or less defined order, so that it would only be necessary to look over the back numbers or examine those that are yet to come in order to get any kind of information that may be desired upon any particular furnishing or for any special room. In the December number there is a beautiful colored plate, showing an apartment decorated in Moorish style, and there is a supplement giving the studio of Frank L. Kirkpatrick, the artist. There is an elegant design for an Entrance Hall, a most interesting account of the Produce Exchange, with sketches of its new building, an illustrated paper on Chantilly, design for a kitchen, Decoration of City Houses, Christmas decorations, designs for Cabinets, Mantels, etc. A magnificent Ceiling and frieze from a new Brooklyn house. Articles on Furnishing Country Houses, Picture Frames, Art Events, Curtain Hanging, and a vast number of other valuable and interesting pieces. The magazine is published at 30 and 32 East 14th Street, New York City.

In Huron county, Ohio, last week, Judge Wickham presiding, a number of Bohemian oat cases were decided. Owners of notes given by farmers sued on them. The judge held that the notes must be paid. Those were cases where farmers bought oats at the usual extravagant figure, giving their notes with the understanding that the Bohemian chaps were to sell the oats for the farmers who gave their notes for seed, deduct from the proceeds the value of the notes and return to them the handsome surplus. The Bohemians failed to sell the oats, but there was no failure about their selling the notes at a small shave. Then the honest yeomanry of Huron county kicked, and set up that the notes being without consideration, were void. The judge, however, held that the notes must be paid to the persons who purchased them they being unconditional, the only redress being against the Bohemian oat men they had made their agents. If they could not collect of the agents they must fall back upon the principals, and they themselves being those principals they could only proceed against themselves—a poor source of satisfaction—and could not escape the payment of the notes their agents had sold.—Adrian Record.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, For Wasting Children.

Dr. S. W. COHEN, of Waco, Texas, says: "I have used your Emulsion in Infantile wasting, with good results. It not only restores wasted tissue, but gives strength, and I heartily recommend it for diseases attended by atrophy.

BURSTING A CROWN WHEEL

In the Globe Mill—Serious Damage to the Machinery—Estimated Cost of the Repairs.

A break in the machinery of the Globe mill occurred last Monday forenoon which will cause several days' time and several hundred dollars expense to repair. Tuesday we dropped down to the mill to inspect the scene of the damage, and after looking over the pieces we were quite astonished that no more damage was done, and that no injury resulted to any of the hands in the mill.

When the mill was first built there were two large overshot wheels, each of which furnished the motive power to propel 4 run of burrs. The pit wheel at the east end of the water wheel shaft, about eleven feet in diameter, mashes into a crown wheel on the main upright shaft, which weighs half a ton or more. Upon this shaft was a large spur wheel some ten feet in diameter, driving four runs of burrs and two sets of rolls. Through the eye of the crown wheel and resting in a socket below was stationed the main upright shaft which ran up through two floors and conveyed the motive power to much of the machinery. When the rollers were put in, two more pinions were attached to the spur wheel to run the rolls. The origin of the break was caused by the point of this main upright shaft breaking off, thus throwing the large spur wheel east among the pinions, and breaking the crown wheel into many pieces; also breaking the large pit wheel at the shaft of the pinion that drives the two sets of rolls and splitting the upper coupling of the main upright shaft. Mr. Hayden himself was standing near the main shaft on the first floor when the crash came, and it rather stirred him up. He didn't know but the Salvation Army had struck ile in the basement. In less than a minute the water was shut off, but the mischief had been done.—The pinions were all more or less displaced and will need overhauling.

The repairs will be made in the following manner: A similar crown wheel was originally connected with the north overshot water wheel.—When the turbines were put in the mill a few years ago extra machinery was put in, connecting therewith, with which to run the bolts and some of the rolls. Since then the latter crown wheel has remained idle. The plan is to remove this wheel and put it in the place of the broken one.—But this is no small task, for several timbers and a lot of heavy shafting in the basement must be removed. This is the plan adopted however and the work is being rushed as rapidly as a large gang of men can do it. The main shaft has been taken out and taken to Brewer's foundry to be repaired.

It will take about two weeks to put the mill in running order again and the expense will reach seven or eight hundred dollars. If a new crown wheel had to be purchased it would add about five hundred dollars to the damages. It is the worst break the old mill has experienced in over twenty years.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine

For January, beginning the Nineteenth Volume, is a brilliant holiday number, abounding in text and pictures appropriate to the season. It opens with an interesting and instructive essay on "Christmas Carols." Dr. Talmage's sermons on "Christmas in America" and there are several Christmas and New Year stories and poems, all finely illustrated. Perhaps the article that will attract the most attention is "Prehistoric America," by Rev. Geo. T. Rider, with twenty-two illustrations. There are many short and timely articles, and the full page pictures are beautiful and numerous. The regular serials, "Dove's Harvest," and "Dilettante Days" go on, and the Editorial Departments are full and complete. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York city, at 25 cents a number, or, $2.50 a year, postpaid.

A Card to Ladies.

A lady who has suffered for years, and who was treated by the most noted physicians of America without relief, was given a simple remedy by a Russian nurse which permanently restored her to health. To aid her sex, she now offers to send free the receipe, with full instructions for making the medicine yourself, at home, without expense. If you are suffering with any form of female diseases, do not throw away time and money on doctors and patent medicines, but inclose me a stamped envelope (addressed to yourself), and receive a free cure. Address, Mrs. Clara B. Wright; 78 E. Eagle Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

The bachelor editor of the Hudson Gazette moralizes thusly:

We secured a load of wood Tuesday. We did for a fact, and while it lay at the foot of the stairs not less than nine boys popped into the office during school hours exclaiming: "Say don't you want that wood carried up?" Every one of those youngsters ought to have been at school.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

A branch of the Irish national league has been formed at Muskegon.

Herdic coaches now ply between East Saginaw and Saginaw City.

Fred Foley, of Washtenaw county, king of burglars, goes to Ionia, for seven years.

Dr. E. Rutherford, of Muskegon, committed suicide last week by taking morphine.

Burnham & Still's saw mill, at East Saginaw experienced a $80,000 fire, last week.

Michigan Knights of Macabees have paid out $50, 000 insurance during the past four years.

Hastings' revival of religion is growing in interest, and the tough citizens are getting nervous.

Quite a large number of deer have been killed out near Deep River the past hunting season by residents.

James Goodyear, employed at Plumer's lumber camp, near Ogemaw, was killed by a falling tree last Friday.

Diphtheria prevails to an alarming extent at Flint. The News reports 24 cases in the asylum for the deaf and dumb.

The Michigan Central freight buildings, ticket office, and 10,000 bushels of wheat, at Jones, burned last week. Two men were badly injured.

Peter M. Emery, an old Mancelona citizen, was drowned at Aberdeen, Washington territory, last week. Mr. Emery was erecting a large sawmill at Aberdeen.

Mary Peterson, of Montague, 20 years old, attended a revival meeting last week and the excitement proved too much for her. She has become hopelessly insane.

Hon. W. A. French, of Dundee, will remove to Bell, Presque Isle county, and take charge of the business of the business of the Presque Isle brick and lumber company.

The State Grange adopted resolutions that the state should publish school books and furnish them to the people at cost, with a uniform system established for five years.

Marion Jones, of Lawton, who enjoyed the distinction of being a father, a grandfather, a great-grandfather, and great-great grandfather at one and the same time, died Friday, aged 86 years.

Editor Sutton, of the Richmond Review, is arranging for the publication of an eight page paper, devoted to the Smith family. Every item will have reference to some Smith, and the name of the paper will be the Smith.

Hon. Tim Tarsney, member of congress from the Eighth, was at one time a common greaser on the lakes, and he isn't ashamed of it now when his time and talents are occupied in apportioning fourth-class postoffices among the faithful.

George D. Boyer, recently appointed deputy United States marshal for Van Buren county, has surprised his friends. He has sold out all his interests in that county and with his wife and younger children, has disappeared, leaving no traces, but several important creditors.

Mrs. A. F. Peacock, of Buchanan, wife of the Michigan Central freight agent, who has been ill and insane for a year past, cut her throat Friday, severing the external carotid artery and making a gash about an inch long. The hemorrhage was promptly stopped and the woman may live.

George W. Kenway, the psalm-singing hypocrite, who robbed a Mason preacher in whose house he was entertained as an angel unawares, has been fined $50 and costs and sent to jail for 30 days. Kenway confesses to having robbed an Eaton Rapids school teacher of $10 money which she had laid away to pay the expenses of a visit to her mother. He also stole $2.50 from the pocket of a young lady whom he had taken for a ride.

Monroe Democrat: In a certain case during the recent session of the circuit court, after the judge had delivered his charge, making as clear as possible the law, the jury retired to wrestle with the facts, their consciences, the lawyers' arguments and the judge's charge. After 'mature' deliberation a verdict was rendered that surprised everybody except the jury, but none more than the attorney for the prevailing party. On meeting one of the jurors the usual congratulations were exchanged, and the attorney inquired how, in the face of the charge of the court, he received such a verdict. "Well, you see," said the juror, "we were unanimous of the opinion that the court was mistaken in the law."

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BABY IN HEAVEN.

When Day has burden of toil and care
Has laid at the golden gate of the west,
And the purpling haze fills the air,
And the bird and the bee have gone to rest—
I wonder then, mid the tender light,
Who's taking care of baby to-night?

If somewhere above, in the far-off sky,
Is the home where my baby stays to-night,
As I watch the place of light on high,
I wonder what rapt, golden light
Falls on that unknown dwelling where
Lveth my baby, golden-hair.

Whose is the voice that lovingly
Tells what her questioning soul would know?
Whose is the hand that tenderly
Leads her where ardent blossoms blow?
In that happy land, so fair, so bright,
Who's taking care of baby to-night?

O soul of mine, couldst thou only know
What she has learned since she went away!
Wonders more great Heaven can show
Than have met the light of an earthly day;
The new, new song, the Glorious Name,
The harp, the crown, and the sea like flame!

I wonder if, when the burst of song
From Heavenly choirs first met her ear,
And she saw the countless, white-robed throng,
She thought of the love of her mother here;
Or if, in her fearless innocence,
She met the gaze of Omnipotence.

She went in the spring-time away from me:
And oft, as the skies bring the fair spring-time,
I long for the hour when I shall see
That happier land, that perfect clime,
Where these weary arms shall fold once more
My golden-haired one as in years of yore.

—*George L. Heath, in Youth's Companion.*

COSTLY MALE ATTIRE.

Some of the Expenses of a Possible Dude.

About this time of the year the frivolous young man rests his head upon his hands and wonders what he ought to wear, where he can get it and what it will cost. He has perhaps invested sixty-five dollars in a suit of clothes, and feels that, as far as the fit of his coat and the cut of his trousers are concerned, he need fear to look no man in the face. But still he is passed every day by other young men whose gorgeousness rests heavily upon his heart. What it is he can not tell. They have not paid more for that hat than he did; his cost eight dollars, and that is the top price. Nor are they better looking, nor taller, nor have they handsomer legs. In spite of all, however, they have reached a degree of perfection which the young man feels that he can not reach. The flower in their button-hole seems at home there; their collar seems made by an artist, and the splendor of their yellow gaiters escapes comment, so well does it correspond with the splendor of their gloves and trousers, cravat and cane.

If the young man thinks long enough and is bright he will arrive at the conclusion that the other young man owes his superiority to these very things—the gaiters, cravat, etc.—and the young man will be right, for these things are the trimmings. They lift one youth above the other, as the little slices of carrot, bits of raw potato and delicate carving of the rind which decorate the ham ministered to by a French cook render it superior to its plain boiled brother, although they may have been mates roaming the same pen.

The representative store in the city is on Broadway, not far from the Fifth Avenue Hotel, and near enough to Delmonico's to be easily reached in bad weather. Startling socks and blinding cravats hang in rows in the windows, with here and there a pink dressing-gown to tone down the gorgeousness. As you enter you are met and beamed upon by a young man who combines all the most startling points of the show windows, the cravat of a frenzied red, the ear-rasping collar, and the blue silk vest. One glance convinces you that to remove his shoes would reveal a wealth of blue silk socks, with lillies of the valley embroidered upon them. You ask for a handkerchief or three collars, and your modest order is filled with deference and a pleasure that seems very sincere. The bundle is done up, and the young man begins bowing you to the door. This makes you say: "Dear, dear, this young man could not work in my store; he has no enterprise." But you do not yet know the young man. His are not the vulgar methods of the every-day clerk, who tumbles over a pile of goods and rattles off: "Socks, shirts, underwear? Anything else I can do for you?"

The young man is an artist, and he waits for an opening. It comes when your eye falls upon silk underwear marked "eighty dollars a suit," and you strangle and cough. An expression of deep pain settles on the young man's face. He taps his silk vest delicately, murmurs tearfully: "Weak chest, dangerous weather, dress suit, sure death," and pulls down a fancy box. Packed away in it are queer things made of quilted satin, and resembling very large chest protectors. The artist takes one out, straps it around his neck, and, while you stand fascinated, explains how admirably it would protect your lungs while wearing a dress suit, and how it would preserve your shirt bosom from dirt. If your eyes do not express admiration, his words change from loudest praise to biting criticism.

"You do not like it, of course," he says, "nor do I, to be frank. Most unpleasant to advertise the weakness of one's lungs to the world, and apt to act as a damper upon the ardor of one's fiancee. But kindly look at this."

And then he drags down another box, and arrays himself in a garment queerer than the chest protectors. It is a vest, cut as all vests usually are, except that it is wonderfully high in the neck, and is nearly all "back," the only substantial part of it being a piece of flannel, oval in shape, meant to cover and protect the lungs also. That, the artist explains, is to be put under your dress shirt, and saves your lungs without in any way undermining the affections of your loved one.

Near to the chest protector is a box, also very good, with a lining made of paper which looks very much like lace. The salesman pulls from it a handkerchief, unfolds it as tenderly as though it were his last one, and begs of you to look at it, as the light shines through it. You observe that you can see about as well as though the handkerchief were not before your eyes, and that the threds that cross each other with surprising regularity suggest the threads in a cobweb. This makes you think the handkerchiefs are probably very fine ones, and that $9.80, the price you paid for your fine handkerchiefs, would probably not buy you a dozen of these. But nothing in the plain piece of linen, with no ornament but a hemstitch border, prepares you for the staggering remark by the young man. His face lights up with joy at the bargain he is offering you, and he says: "Those beautiful hand-woven handkerchiefs are only sixty dollars a dozen. Please look at them as the light shines through them once more."

You do so this time with much reverence, and ask, in an off-hand way, what nose requires such pampering. Many noses, the clerk will tell you, among them that of Mr. Whitney, the Secretary of the Navy, who knows a good thing when he sees it, but who is sometimes satisfied with goods as low as forty-eight or fifty dollars a dozen. Some of their best customers would not condescend to take up any such bargain, and would fail to be suited in the store, which just happens to be out of the very finest grade of linen. This grade, with a modest profit attached, costs one hundred dollars for a dozen handkerchiefs, or more if a monogram is desired. You sternly refuse to invest in a dozen of the bargains, even to present to a friend, and then the young man, rather more cheerfully than before, leads you with delicacy and grace to the rear end of the store, and arrays himself in a garment which he calls a wrapper, and which seems to have been made of a slice of rainbow, cut off when the rainbow was in a particularly high-colored state. The main color is a delirious sky blue, with flowers of all the colors you ever saw blossoming on it, and vines of an æsthetic assortment of tints that balk the imagination. The young man explains that the gentleman who has just laid it down is one of a family of German bankers. He wanted a present for a lady, and wanted something a trifle richer. The price of that work of art was only ninety dollars, and it would soften the heart of any living female. You explain that ninety dollars invested in strawberry and vanilla mix would beat any wrapper in the opinion of your girl, and the young man, concluding that you are sordid, turns wearily away and pulls down a pair of cotton socks. At last you feel at home. Here is a cheap avenue of escape; you will buy all the cotton socks in the store and get away without wounding the young man. But in the midst of your happy thought your blood is chilled by the request to look at those socks as the light shines through them. You know what that means, and, sick at heart, you inquire "How much" without caring whether the light shines through or not. "Only thirty-two dollars a dozen," the young man says; "absolutely the finest thing made in the world," and he calls your attention to the fact that with a pair of the socks in your right hand and a piece of tissue paper in the left hand you can not tell the right hand from the left. No silk sock could be woven as fine as that, and many gentlemen will wear nothing else. Their feet are so small that the size of their shoes renders such socks necessary.

"Certainly, if you prefer a silk sock, you can have it," and the young man hauls out endless pairs, each a dream of loveliness, from the rather inferior article at three dollars a pair, which he could, of course, not recommend, to an article that you will find serviceable and satisfactory at seventy-two dollars a dozen.

If you escape the silk sock snare, you are dazzled with a series of snowy white shirt bosoms of wonderful patterns; some curiously embroidered, which you are confidentially warned against wearing; others with little linen knobs sticking out all over them, to imitate the fashion of rough goods for ladies, and others in the good old styles that you have been used to. Then comes the ordeal of gazing on what seems about one million cravats, every one different; as many scarf-pins, and twice as many collars and cuffs. Everything is from London or Paris, with all sorts of coats of arms stamped over foreign names. Roaring beasts prowl around, uttering the sentiment "Honi soit qui mal y pense," which is a thrust at any one who may not approve of their actions; and the statement, "Ich dien," is always to be found near the lions, with three little feathers backing it up, the young man tells you that "Honi soit qui mal y pense" is the ma of "Ich dien," and that both wear just such gloves as he is offering you. Under these circumstances you knuckle down, invest a week's fun in a pair of gloves, with three small mounds of black thread on the back of each, and escape with a sigh toward the door. But it is plain you do not yet thoroughly know the young man whom you despised. You flit pervously past the eighty-dollar underwear which first unsettled you, and glancing timidly around as you pass a case filled with canes you meet the smiling eye of the young man and it pins you. He hands you a beautiful cane with a Chinese head of oxidized silver and a queue braided of silver threads. Mechanically you raise it to the light and beg to know how much a dozen. But as you frame the question you push up the Chinaman's queue, and from the Chinaman's mouth a jet of cologne spray bursts forth and shoots into your right eye."

As you fly out into the cheap world once more, rubbing your eye, you look fondly at your handsome trousers, wondering how much they would be worth with the light shining through them, and contentedly wipe the tears from your eyes with the handkerchief that came at the rate of nine dollars and thirty cents a dozen.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The Oregon salmon canning business was started at the suggestion of George Francis Train, in a humorous speech delivered at Portland.—*Chicago Herald.*

ETIQUETTE IN VIRGINIA.

The Exquisite Politeness of Genteel Rural Virginians.

The Virginians lose a good deal of that worthless commodity, time, in the observance of the most remarkable code of etiquette ever invented. It used to be, and in a measure is still, considered the height of rudeness for one person in driving to pass another person on the road. It will be seen at a glance the result of this system. The slowest coach on the road could keep all the others behind it; and it will also be seen that time and distance were relatively of no importance. Even now, when Virginia has been hustled and jostled along in that great movement called progress, the people yet apologize when they pass each other on the road. It has also been alleged that a really high-bred Virginian never so far forgets etiquette as to inquire of a stranger where he was from, because the stranger might be forced to acknowledge that he was from some other State than Virginia, and it was only charity to spare him this mortifying admission. It is a hotly-disputed point, and has been for the last two hundred years, whether a guest spending the night with his host should make the move to go to bed, or whether the host should. The opposite sides on this momentous question were taken by two ancient cavaliers in these parts. At Eagle Point the host always proposed to go to bed, and at Warner Hall the host invariably waited for the guest to advance the proposition. One night it came to a test. The master at Eagle Point went over to Warner Hall to spend the night. Midnight came. Both host and guest remained politely oblivious of the flight of time. One by one the family and other guests dropped off. Still the two old gentlemen sat up and conversed amicably, and were evidently prepared to die in the last ditch for their principles of etiquette. The whole night passed. They replenished the fire and the candles, but never alluded to the going-to-bed question. At daylight the next morning, when the darkey came in to make the fire, there sat the two old Trojans; conversation had never flagged, and they were still hard at it. It was one of those rare tests which satisfies both parties, as each was never tired of telling how he got the best of his adversary and forced him to sit up all night rather than yield an iota of principle. It would be a mistake to think that these harmless peculiarities keep the Virginians from being agreeable. On the contrary, they are singularly courteous, considerate and without angles. The strict attention they pay to the small, sweet courtesies of life is wonderfully quaint and delightful after the hurry, the rush, the economizing of politeness one meets in the busy haunts of the world.—*Cor. Chicago Standard.*

STRANGE LAWS.

Tobacco Presented to Every Jury in the District of Columbia.

There are some peculiar customs in connection with the administration of the courts of the District of Columbia, relics of the old Maryland laws, but one which strikes the ordinary observer as the most peculiar is that which requires a winning party to a civil suit to pay for the tobacco that the jury which tried the case is supposed to have used during the hearing of the case. Now, it happens sometimes that not one of the jurors uses tobacco in any form, and yet the pound of tobacco or its equivalent has to be paid the foreman of the jury the instant a verdict has been given. As litigants or their attorneys are not in the habit of carrying so much tobacco in their clothing, for custom requires a pound be given the jury, the lawyer on the winning side as soon as the verdict is recorded hands the foreman of the jury one dollar, which is just as good as the pound of tobacco. Sometimes a jury will try several cases in a day. If they do they will get one dollar for each case from the winner. The juries put all their tobacco money together, and at the end of the term divide it among themselves, reserving a sufficient sum to buy for the foreman of the jury a cane, some kind of a present for the bailiffs who attend the jury and a bouquet for the Judge who holds the court. The jury has legal claim for the pound of tobacco in every case, but there is no case recorded where the tobacco has been refused and a test case was made. On the criminal side of the courts the Judges can, if they desire, impose fines of pounds of tobacco instead of dollars. The penalty for wife beating is from ten to one hundred pounds of tobacco under the old laws. The old laws, however, are seldom if ever entered, for most of them are supplanted by modern ones. Under the former the courts can pierce a hole with a red-hot iron through the tongue of every one who blasphemes the Creator, but they do not do it. There is, however, just as good law for it as there is to hang persons in this District.—*Washington Cor. N. Y. Herald.*

An Infamous Swiss Custom.

They do queer things in Switzerland, considering that the Swiss eulogize their country as "the land of liberty." The children of poor people are regularly hired out by auction in most of the cantons. There was a most painful scene recently in the market place of Biel, a town near Berne, where, in spite of the heartrending entreaties of a widowed mother, her four young children, ranging from two to ten, were "placed" out for a year to the highest bidder by the public crier; the family being thus broken up and separated for fear lest the woman should be compelled to seek for assistance from the town. This is really very nearly as bad as the old slave sales in America; and I should doubt whether there is any other country in Europe where such an infamous system exists at the present time.—*London Truth.*

—Young alligators are raised and tamed for Northern visitors by a Sanford (Fla.) man, who finds it quite a lucrative business. He has now a hundred of the animals under training and reports that his sales last season would have been five times that number could he have procured the alligators.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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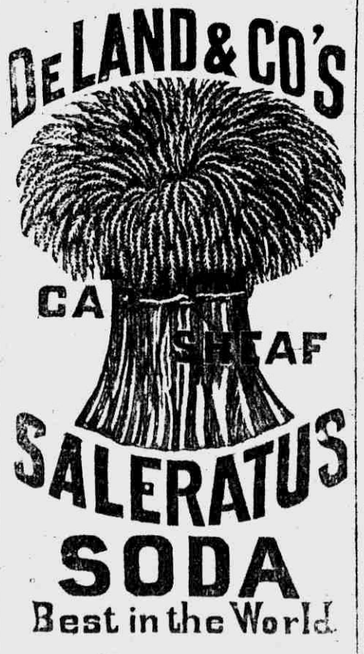

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The people have dealt so liberally with us that we wish to show some appreciation of their liberality. We propose to make every patron a shareholder in the articles described below in this advertisement. Every patron will receive a ticket representing a share in some one of our presents, which one will be determined by the department patronized. The article in question will be turned over to the shareholders January 1, 1886, they to decide on the manner of distribution at a meeting of ticket holders to be held in the largest assembly room we can find in Toledo, thus giving every person a share in our profits, and WE GUARANTEE POSITIVELY AND ABSOLUTELY that our prices will be lower than same style and quality of goods can be obtained in this or any other city.

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MEN'S CLOTHING DEP'T.
Mahogany Finished Marble Top Set of Bedroom Furniture and Crockery set of 8 pieces.
FURNISHING GOODS DEP'T.
A Gold Hunting Case Watch and Fine Silk Umbrella,
BOY'S & CHILDRENS' DEP'T.
A 54-inch Rudge Racer and 42-inch Gendron Wheel.
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A beautiful Art Parlor Stove, one of the finest and most noted makes.
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Coin Silver Hunting Case Railroad Watch and Fine Seal Skin Cap.
EVERY ARTICLE FIRST-CLASS.

Our GOLD WATCH is solid gold, Elgin movement, full jeweled, patent regulator, adjusted for heat and cold, is stem-winding and setting. A ticket representing a share in this and a fine Silk Umbrella given to every purchaser in our Furnishing Goods dept.

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FOR ALL IN WANT OF

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In endless variety. We are sole agents for some of the largest and best manufacturers and their goods can only be found at our mammoth warerooms. Be sure and call before purchasing.

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THE marvellous results of HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA upon all humors and low conditions of the blood (as proven by the cures effected) prove it the best BLOOD MEDICINE. Such has been the success of this article at home that nearly every family in whole neighborhoods have been taking it at the same time. It eradicates scrofula, vitalizes and enriches the blood, thereby restoring and renovating the whole system. Hood's SARSAPARILLA purifies the blood. Hood's SARSAPARILLA cures dyspepsia. Hood's SARSAPARILLA cures biliousness. A peculiar point in Hood's SARSAPARILLA is that it builds up and strengthens the system, while it eradicates disease, and as nature's great assistant proves itself invaluable as a protection from diseases that originate in changes of the seasons, of climate and of life.

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The Most Thorough Purifier of the Blood Yet Discovered.

Cures all Humors, from a common tion to the worst Scrofula.

It purifies the Blood.
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It gives vivacity in place of lassitude; cheerfulness in place of gloom, and robust vigor in place of debility.

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Its name is its best description as it is a royal dispenser of the blessings of health and vanquishes the foes that lurk in the blood.

It banishes PIMPLES, SALT RHEUM, SCALY ERUPTIONS, ULCERS, SCALD HEAD, FEVER SORES, and all SCROFULOUS DISORDERS.

It checks CONSUMPTION in its early stages. It has frequently cured it when advanced.

It disperses TUMORS and CANCERS without the Surgeon's knife.

It cures DROPSY, general or partial.

It cures FEMALE WEAKNESS and DISEASE.

It reduces in a safe and effectual manner all swellings, external or internal.

It eradicates the effects of Venerial Disease and Mineral Poisons and establishes a sound constitution.

Many certificates, much further information and full directions for using, will be found in the pamphlet, "Treatise on Diseases of the Blood," in which each bottle is wrapped.

Price $1 per bottle containing 12 ounces, or 50 doses. Sold by druggists in medicine.

If your druggist does not happen to have it handy, request him to order a supply of it for you and it will be cheaper than for you to order direct of us, and less trouble.

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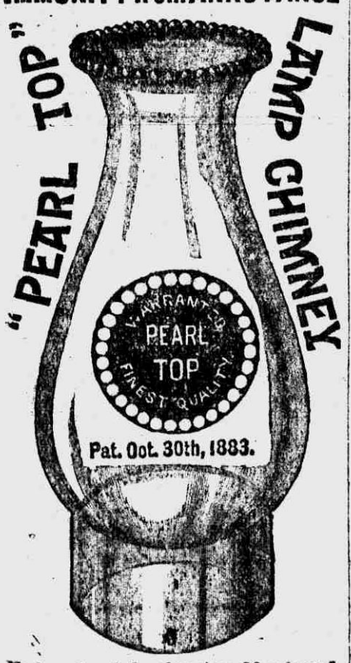

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WHITE INDIANS.

Whites Acquiring Indian Rights by Marrying Red Women.

An intelligent Indian recently, in reporting the marriage of an Indian octoroon to a white man, said: "If this process goes on, we will soon have the whitest race of Indians you ever did see." The accomplished daughter of the old missionary, Dr. Robertson, married a full-blooded Creek. Her sister has secured money at the East to establish a seminary among the full bloods, and it has been a question where the seminary could be located to meet the object aimed at. Parties stopping from the train at Vinita, within the Cherokee Nation, the only railroad crossing in the Indian Territory, commonly ask: "Where are the Indians?" On being told that those they see about them are Indians, they reply: "No. They are not Indians. These are white men."

By marrying an Indian maiden, the white man secures all the rights of Indian citizenship. The "headright" of the girl helps the matrimonial contract. To hunters for land, those looking for wide ranges for cattle or agriculture, the temptation is very strong to take this short cut to get an extent of soil they could never hope to secure in any other way.

The encouragement given to the whites on the part of marriageable Indian females is quite observable. They think that by marrying white men they gain socially, and have a prospect of an easier and better cared for life. And they think rightly. In all depressed civilizations, women have a hard time of it. The Indian men do not like this constant raiding through their land and capturing the most attractive of their race, whom they would woo and wed, but they can not help themselves, and retaliate by stealing the affections of the white girls and marrying them. White girls entering an Indian reservation are very soon picked up; not so often by full-blooded Indians; but after the process of intermarriage has commenced, not so seldom by half-breeds, quadroons and octoroons.

White persons who marry into Indian blood almost invariably remain on Indian soil. The white man, in defense of Indian ideas of communal interests and Indian questions as related to the whites, becomes more intensely an Indian than the Indians themselves. I think the fiercest defenders of the tribal system are white men who by marriage have become Indian citizens and are making money out of it. The large crops on Indian lands are invariably raised by white men. Four-fifths of the mechanics are white men, brothers-in-law to the Indians. So on both sides the process of dilution of Indian blood goes on until it becomes very thin, while Indian habits and Indian characteristics still remain.

The common notion among Indians is that Indian blood never runs out, and that wherever the slightest trace of it can be found, there the fullest rights of land and privilege follow. For a man who has one-sixteenth or one-thirty-second part of Indian blood, the claim for his right as an Indian is asserted as for the full-blood. A white man has married an Indian girl, a light blonde, of one-thirty-second Indian blood. His children will be one-sixty-fourth Indian. The family consists of five members. On account of that one-thirty-second Indian blood, that family of five, located on the border of the Indian land, is entitled, by equal division of the tribal land, to five times nine hundred and ninety-five acres, or four thousand nine hundred and seventy-five acres.—*Toledo Blade.*

TURQUOISE.

Where the Valuable Mineral Is Found and How It Is Mined.

The first historic record of turquoise mining in Persia occurs about the tenth century, A. D., and for ages has been one of the most important sources of wealth in that country. The Persian name for the stone is tirvoz, and the mines now worked are the same as those worked eight hundred years ago. They are found in Kerman and Khorassan, though the former are now almost abandoned, the light green color and early fading making them of small value. These mines are of great depth and access to them is hazardous. The Persians and the people of the United States prize the darkest stones, while in Europe those of a fine light blue, of medium intensity, are preferred. The former are more rare and retain their color longer. Although in general, size has much to do with the value of a torquoise, color is the final test that fixes the price. There is a torquoise now in the bazaars no larger than a pea valued at eight hundred dollars. All the mines in Persia are farmed by officers connected with the Persian Government. They pay a yearly rental to the Shah of eighteen tomans, or thirty thousand dollars. There are no other mines known in modern times that have produced stones of noted value, or in any quantity, except the mines of New Mexico. The New Mexico mines are two in number, and are located about eighteen miles southwest of Santa Fe, in the Cerrillos mining district, being known as the Chalchuitl and the Castilian. The history of the former mine is very interesting, associated, as it is, with the earliest Spanish conquests, where avarice and cruelty resulted in bringing about great loss of life and many reverses to the Spaniards.

This mine was probably largely worked by the Aztecs more than three hundred years ago, so that in 1540, when Coronado and his followers penetrated into this country and captured (after a severe siege) the present city of Santa Fe, then a populous Indian village, their cupidity was aroused, and enslaving their poor captives for more than a hundred years, the gloomy recesses of the mine were thickly populated by the hapless race, lashed by the most cruel of taskmasters.—*Mining World.*

—A cow's horn, five and a half feet long, is one of the curiosities of California.

MARY ROGERS.

A Mysterious Crime Which Has Been Preserved by Edgar A. Poe.

The contest over the will of John Anderson, the millionaire tobacconist, has revived interest in the tragic story of Mary Rogers, whose death caused such a sensation many years ago and gave Edgar Allen Poe the material for his story of "The Mystery of Marie Roget." The unfortunate girl was employed by John Anderson in the days when he kept his little tobacco shop in Broadway, and, as was revealed by the testimony of ex-State Senator Mattoon, in the trial of the will case, the millionaire was, during the latter days, possessed of the delusion that he held almost constant communication with the spirit of the murdered girl. At the time of Mary Rogers' mysterious death, suspicion attached to many people of being her murderer. Among those suspected was John Anderson, though there never was a scintilla of evidence that he was the guilty person.

In the days when Poe was a young man in New York the mother of Mary Rogers kept a boarding house in Nassau street. Mary's father had long been dead, and Mrs. Rogers' only fortune was her tact and ability to make both ends meet. Mary was possessed of a beauty of form and feature that made her well known in the city, and when John Anderson engaged her services as saleswoman in his tobacco store his trade was materially increased. It was considered the proper thing for all young men of fashion to buy their cigars and tobacco at Anderson's, and to be on familiar terms with Mary Rogers. But there was not a breath of suspicion against the good character of Mary, and all the town was wild with surprise when she suddenly disappeared from behind John Anderson's counter, and no one knew what had become of her. Conjecture had almost died out when one day the pretty cigar-seller appeared at her old place behind the counter, and to all inquiries answered that she had been on a visit to an aunt in the country. Things went along their old way for awhile. The young bloods with ruffled shirt-fronts and high coat collars bought their cigars at Anderson's, and laughed and talked with Mary. But the "maiden glee and sport" of the beautiful girl seemed all to have left her since her visit to her aunt in the country, and she had a preoccupied air of sadness.

One Sunday she left her mother's house, saying she was going to call on a relative who lived in another part of the city. There was a young man boarding with her mother at the time, named Payne. He was the accepted suitor of Mary, and when she went out that Sunday she told him to call for her at the house of her relative in the evening. It rained that night and he did not go, supposing that Mary would remain at her relative's house over night, as she had often done before. The aged Mrs. Rogers seemed to have a presentiment of what was about to happen, and said soon after her daughter left the house: "I fear I shall never see Mary again." The next day Mary did not return, and on inquiry at her relative's house it was found that she had not been there. All trace of her was lost until four days after, when her body was found floating in the Hudson near Weehawken. The marks on the body left no doubt but that she had been murdered. A great sensation was caused, and the detectives followed up every possible clue. In a thicket on the Jersey shore near where the body was found were discovered the gloves, parasol, and part of the clothing of the murdered girl. It appeared at first as if the thicket had been the scene of a struggle, but on close inspection it was decided that the place had been arranged carefully to give it that appearance.

Just before this time mysterious boats had been seen on the Hudson. One of them was manned by a gang of roughs who committed all sorts of outrages. Anonymous letters were sent to one of the daily papers pointing to this boat's crew as the murderers of Mary Rogers. It was also discovered that Mary had been in the habit of meeting secretly a man with a gray beard, and that she had been seen with a young naval officer on several occasions. It was alleged that she was in company with this officer when she first disappeared from Anderson's tobacco shop on what she subsequently said was a visit to her aunt. After the murder a rudderless boat was picked up on the Hudson near where the murder was supposed to have taken place and taken to the barge office. From there it mysteriously disappeared. Mary Rogers was last seen alive on Sunday. On Monday an empty boat, with the sail and oars lying in its bottom, was seen floating down the river below Weehawken. The young naval officer accounted for his whereabouts from the time Mary left her home until her body was found, and the mystery of her death became deeper than ever. For a long time the detectives worked on the case and the people talked about it, but as time wore away with no clearing of the mystery, it was gradually forgotten, and would have shared the fate of other mysteries of a great city had not Poe written his story of "Marie Roget." Finally it transpires that the unquiet spirit of Mary Rogers was in the habit of haunting her old employer in his declining years. The mystery of her death was never solved.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—A distinguished German physiologist denounces the night-air superstition. "Sleeping with open windows," he says, "is most unjustly decried among people, as well as night air in general. But night air is injurious only in swampy regions, whereas on dry soil in the mountains and everywhere in the upper stories of a house it is more salubrious than day air." "Draughts," he adds, "are not injurious unless we are in a glow. To healthy persons it can not possibly do as much harm as the stagnant air in a close room. The fear of draughts is quite groundless, though it affects most people in a manner which is simply ridiculous."

Living Monuments.

On the tomb of Sir Christopher Wren, architect of St. Paul's Cathedral, London, is the inscription in Latin: "If you ask for his monument look around you. The thousands and hundreds of people whom we see today free from rheumatism and kindrey diseases are living monuments to the power of St. Jacobs Oil.—The Conqueror of Pain.

In the literary as well as the military world, the most powerful abilities will often be found concealed under a rustic garb.

The Homliest Man in Tecumseh.

As well as the handsomest, and others, are invited to call on Baker & Hall, and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Baker & Hall will give any person a trial bottle free of cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. Price 50 cents and $1.

A French proverb: Love is the toothache of the heart.

"I was most ready to return a blow and would not brook at all this sort of thing," for I knew I could cure all damages with Salvation Oil.

Woman's names adorn more than half the American sailing ships.

The combination, proportion, and process in preparing Hood's Sarsaparilla, are peculiar to this medicine, and unknown to others.

What everybody says must be true. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure for Catarrh in the market. Price 75 cents. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

Judge of a government by the men it produces. Judge of a man by his deeds, a tree of its fruits, a medicine by its results. Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which contains the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. A safe and speedy remendy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Sold by Geo. Ferguson in fifty cent and dollar bottles. Healing to the lungs. Safe and pleasant for children.

Taken together, all the beauties of art and nature do not interest the inquisitive female so much as the view she gets through the key hole.

A Michigan boy ate a bar of soap, drank a lot of soda water and went to bed to cure his cold. The doctor had a hard time to pull him through, but the boy now says the next time he catches a cold he will use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Pnnsylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

Dr. Blecken, of Minneapolis, says: "I shall use Hunt's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy in dropsy and kidney disease hereafter."

Rev. Anthony Atwood, of Philadelphia, says: "Hunt's Kidney and Liver] Remedy has cured my wife of dropsy in its worst from."

What is more disagreeable to a lady than to know that her hair has not only lost its color, but is full of dandruff? Yet such was the case with mine until I used Parker's Hair Balsam. My hair is now black and perfectly clean and glossy.—Mrs. E. Sweeney, Chicago.

They say "a word to the wise is sufficient," but we think it takes about five, "Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup," You can get this article in any drug store for twenty-five cents. Physicians recommend it.

Clara Louise Kellogg is to receive $12,000 for singing twenty nights in Paris,—$600 a night! No wonder she is in love with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup the great remedy for coughs and colds, for what would she do without it, if she should be attacked suddenly by hoarseness?

A metal hitherto unknown, and which is said to be likely to supplant nickel in general use, has been discovered in the Lehigh Valley.

A Fortunate Discovery.

A new light is thrown on the subject of Consumption by Dr. Kemp, discoverer of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and lungs. A remedy that has proved itself to be a remarkable compound. It does its work thoroughly, stopping a hacking cough instantly. Soldby Baker & Hall. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Get one.

C. A Wright & Co., wish to state that they have at last found an article they can sell on its merits. It is with pleasure we guarantee to the public Acker's English Remedy as a sure and never failing cure for Asthma, Coughs, Whooping Cough, Croup, and all lung Troubles. It is the standard remedy for consumption. We have never found its dqual.

C. A. Wright & Co., would specially recommend to the ladies Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. As a laxative they had no equal. They are guaranteed to cure Chronic Constipation, Dyspepsia, and all diseases arising from a deranged stomach. With a free use of the Tablets, Sick Headache is impossible.

C. A. Wright & Co. wish to make an assertion, which they can back with a positive guarantee. It is about Acker's Blood Elixir. We claim for superior merits over all other remedies of its kind, and guarantee, for it a positive and sure cure for Rheumatism, Syphillis, and all blood disorders. It frees the skin from spots and disease, and leaves the complexion clear. Ask us about it.

Cheney's Stomach and Liver Regulator cures constipation. Price $1,00. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Flouring Mill on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next, (1885) at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to me as assignee in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (fractional) of section number three, (3) township number six, (6) south, of range number four (4) east, containing about thirty-eight acres of land, more or less, except about half an acre on east side of the pond, deeded to Nehemiah M. Sutton. Also that small piece of land on the east side of the northwest quarter of said section three (3) which lies east of the west line of a highway which runs nearly along the quarter section line through the north half of said section, being the same piece formerly deeded by John and Betsey Bangs to Samuel Satterthwaite, containing forty-seven-hundredths of an acre of land. Also so much of the following described piece of land which lies south of the center of a highway running nearly east and west through the same; Beginning at the southwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three, (3); thence north along the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, nine chains and twenty (9.20) links; thence east parallel with the quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links; thence south parallel with said first course nine chains and twenty (9.20) links to the quarter section line; thence west along said quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links to the place of beginning, containing about five acres of land. Also so much of said five acres of piece lying north of the center of said highway, running nearly east and west through the same, described as follows, to wit: Beginning fifty links south of the southwest corner of a lot of land formerly owned by Jerome Cleveland; thence north to the said southwest corner and along the west side of said Cleveland lot to the northwest corner of the same; thence west along the south line of land formerly owned by Nehemiah M. Sutton to the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section; thence south along said line to the center of said highway; thence east along the center of said highway to the place of beginning.

Also that other piece or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the center stake of said section three (3); thence running north eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes (89° 27') east along the quarter section line twenty-five chains and ten (25.10) links to a point five chains and forty-three (5.43) links east of the corner between the east and west halves of the southeast quarter of said section; thence south forty (40) minutes west, three chains and seventy-one (3.71) links to a post; thence south eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes west parallel to said quarter section line eight chains and eighty (8.80) links to a post standing on the top of the high bank of the River Raisin; thence south eighty-eight degrees and fifty-five (88° 55') minutes west, eleven chains and nine (11.09) links to the center of a black ash tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the high bank of said river and near the water's edge; thence north seventy-seven degrees and forty (77° 40') minutes west across said river five chains and thirty-five (5.35) links to the north side of a large basswood tree standing near the water's edge and in the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north thirty-eight (38°) minutes east along said line to the center of said section the place of beginning, one chain and eighty-four (1.84) links, containing eight acres and sixty-one-hundredths of an acre of land, excepting and reserving from the same a piece of land lying on the east and south easterly part of the same heretofore deeded by Asa U. Sutton to Elwood Comfort. Also so much of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three (3) as is now flowed by the Raisin Mills Mill Pond with the usual and common head of water as it has been held.

Also the full right and privilege to hold the Raisin Mills mill property pond at such a height and with such a head as it has been held since the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine (1859) and to flow and damage thereby when so held, the following described parcels and tracts of land, to wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section three (3) aforesaid in the town of Raisin, and that other piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee county and state of Michigan: Beginning thirty-one (31) links east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four, township five south of range four east, running thence north four and a-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links; thence north fourteen and a-half degrees (14½°); thence east two chains and ninety-seven links; thence north seventy-three and three-quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains to an elm tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river; thence following the margin of the river on the down on the north, northeast and east side until it intersects the township and section line at the south end of said section thirty-four; thence west along said section line to the place of beginning, without giving or allowing any right to raise said mill pond higher or above where it has usually and lately been held.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town or Raisin aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the quarter post at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section three, (3) town six (6) south, of range four (4) east, running thence west on north line of said section ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links; thence south parallel with east line of said quarter section eighteen (18) chains and seventy-eight links (78); thence east ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links, to the east line of said quarter section; thence north on the east line of said quarter section eighteen (18) chains and eighty-five (85) links to the place of commencement, containing twenty acres of land

Also that other place or parcel of land situate in said town of Raisin, and known and described as follows: Being that part and parcel of the northwest quarter of section three (3) in town six (6) south, of range four (4) east, bounded north by the north half of said quarter section owned in part by S. C. Le Baron and in part by said Comfort party of the first part, east by the highway which leads southward from the village of Tecumseh to the Raisin Mills; south by the center line of the highway leading eastward from the Jackson Branch of the Michigan Southern Railroad across the Bangs farm (formerly so called) to said Raisin Mills; and on the west by the east line of the Adrian & Detroit Railroad company's road as laid out and established across said quarter section, containing nineteen and one-quarter (19¼) acres, more or less.

Also all that tract or parcel of land situate in Raisin aforesaid, described as follows: Being all that part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section three in town six south, of range four east, being north and west of the center of the River Raisin, and north and east of the line following, to wit: Beginning thirteen chains and twelve links west of the northeast corner of the said east half of the said quarter section at a point in the quarter section line; thence south seven and a-half (7½°) degrees west, three chains and seventy links; thence south forty-seven and one-half (47½°) degrees east, eight (8) chains and eighty-eight (88) links; thence north seventy-seven and one-half (77½°) degrees east, two chains and eight links to the center of the River Raisin. Also that part of the south half of the northwest quarter of section three (3) lying south of the highway leading eastward from the Michigan Southern Railroad to the Raisin Mills, and also lying east of lands on that quarter section owned by M. A. Patterson, containing in all twenty acres of land, more or less.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows: Being a part of the northeast quarter of section three (3) in town six south of range four east: Beginning at the west end of a picket fence on north side of the highway leading easterly from the Raisin Mills; thence easterly along the highway on its north line to land owned formerly by Samuel and Elizabeth Satterthwaite six rods; thence north at right angles with said line twelve rods; thence west six rods to land formerly occupied by A. F. Frary; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning, containing seventy-two rods of land.

All that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the Township of Raisin, Lenawee County and State of Michigan, being the north half, of the west half, of the north-east quarter of Section three (3), township six (6) south of Range four (4) east; also that other tract of land in the Township of Tecumseh, county and state aforesaid, bounded or beginning thirty-one links (31) east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four (34) in Tecumseh, town five (5) south, of range four (4) east, running thence north four and one-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links, thence north fourteen and one-half degrees east, two chains and ninety-seven links (2.97), thence north seventy-three and three quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains (12) to an elm tree about six inches in diameter, at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river, thence following down the margin of the river on the north, north-east and east; until it intersects the section and township line; thence west on said line to the place of beginning.

Also that other parcel of land beginning on the north boundary of the last above described piece at a point where the east bank of the old saw mill race enters the river, running thence northerly along the easterly bank of said race to the center of a highway running nearly east and west; thence east along the center of said highway about fifty links (50) to a stone; thence north seventeen and one-half degrees (17½°) east, seven chains and thirty-seven (7.37) links to a stake on the top of the high river bank, thence south eighty-eight degrees (88°) west, down the steep bank about fifty (50) links to a stake on the side of the old mill pond; thence down along the edge of the old mill pond and river so as to include all the old saw mill to a white oak sapling standing on the bank of the river below the said saw mill, a corner of the mill land as formerly surveyed; thence south fifty-one (51) degrees east, one chain and sixty-five (1.65) links; thence south sixteen and one-half (16½) degrees west, about two chains (2) to the margin of the river; thence down along the margin of the river to the place of beginning together with the mill privilege connected with the same.

Together with all and singular, the buildings water power and machinery connected therewith, and all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise pertaining.

TECUMSEH, Mich., November 4th, 1885.
Terms of sale, cash.

EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of William B. King, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of December, 1885, and on the 26th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 26th day of October A.D. 1885, are allowed by the said court for creditors of said estate to present their said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated October 29, 1885.

ALEXANDER RICHARD,
HORACE B. HOLDRIDGE,
oc29 Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor England, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the second day of January, 1886, and on the 24th day of May 1886, at ten o'clock in the foreneon of each of said days, and that six months from the 23rd day of November 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

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It is said that every bride that visits the White House receives an elegant bouquet.

The business of the present Congress should be to attend strictly to business.

Let us have the silver dollar, but make the silver dollar worth 100 cents. Isn't this about the right doctrine?

The light is beginning to dawn upon both Democratic and Republican Bourbons that Grover Cleveland is running his own administration.

The Chicago Herald says: "The common salutation in Utah is no longer, 'How many wives have you?' but, 'How many times have you been in the penitentiary?'"

Between the assembling of Congress, the President's message, and the death and funeral of Wm. H. Vanderbilt, the newspapers were pretty well supplied with material last week.

No one can read the President's manly and courageous language on the civil service question, in his message, without coming to the conclusion, that so far at least as his influence can go, civil service reform has come to stay.

Fadover has kindly favored us with the information that Mrs. Fadover is indisposed this week. The old lady, however, ventures the opinion that a cold wave is approaching from Manitoba, and that during the next ten days coal and pancakes will have an upward tendency.

The vigorous language of the President in his treatment of the Mormon question will strike a responsive chord in the hearts of law abiding citizens everywhere. He says:

The strength, the perpetuity, and the destiny of the nation rest upon our homes, established by the law of God, guarded by parental care, regulated by parental authority, and sanctified by parental love. These are not the homes of polygamy.

The best criticism we have seen on the President's message is that of the Adrian Record.

The president's message is well suited to be read by men of abundant leisure, who by diligence might finish it in a couple of days. For business men it would last some time. But it is the president's first message and he must be excused for letting himself out. We should be as lenient as the merchant whose clerk excused himself for absence without leave to attend the funeral of his father. "I'll forgive you this time, but don't let it occur again, was the mild rebuke.

The Springfield Republican, a mugwump newspaper, has this to say about President Cleveland.

The President works hard, and it is said has a better mastery of his office and duties than any of his predecessors since the war. He is so much in earnest that he will not rest until he understands the matter before him, and for that purpose he is constantly sending for members of the Cabinet. They are called at all hours of the day, and the relations between them and him are very cordial. There is not a word of truth in the charge that Cabinet changes may be expected, and the only question of fiction is dispelled by parental support he gives Vilas in his message on the mail subsidy question.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12, 1885.

The Forty-Ninth Congress is now five days old. Its opening scenes were repetitions of those of other openings for years past. Eager crowds rushed to the Capitol undetermined whether to lend their presence to the Senate or the House of Representatives. There were many handshakings among the old members, and as usual the new ones were conspicuous for their self conscious attempts to appear statesmanlike and at ease.

The session began with 330 Representatives present, and 64 Senators. This is considered excellent attendance for the first day. Speaker Carlisle took his seat as presiding officer at one end of the Capitol, and Senator Sherman at the other.

In the Senate, the sombre drapery around the Chamber, in memory of Vice President Hendricks, contrasted markedly with the gay floral gifts which covered the desks of many Senators, and the vari-colored costumes in the galleries.

The first day was taken up by the House in organizing, sweating in the members, and drawing seats. As usual at the lottery of seats, the members retired behind the circle of desks and waited impatiently, like so many school boys, while a blindfolded page drew from a box the numbered marbles which corresponded to the numbers attached to their names.

The second day's session was devoted principally to the reading of the President's message in both the Senate and House. It occupied one hour and forty minutes. It was a much longer document than was expected. Senators listened attentively to the message, and the President's course in devoting more than one fifth of it to a review of the silver question, was commented upon. The absence of any recommendation respecting the internal revenue was criticised. Approval of the Mexican commercial treaty was received with surprise. The absence of any argument for subsides was a disappointment in the lobby. The Indian policy was approved by those interested in the civilization of the red man.

The President's treatment of the Mormon question met with almost unanimous approval. It created some stir among the representatives of the Mormon church in this city. As soon as that part of the message was read, Delegate Caine, of Utah, ran out into the lobby and held a hurried consultation with the man who is understood here to be the Mormon lobby agent. Then Mr. Caine hastily prepared a dispatch to the Mayor of Salt Lake City telling him that the President was inflexible in support of the anti-polygamy laws.

During the reading of the message in the House, scarcely a member left his seat for the first hour. Most of them paid close attention, but when the reading went into the second hour seats began to be vacated on the Republican side of the Hall.

Comments upon the message from Representatives were varied and characteristic. When Mr. Randall was asked how he liked it, he replied:—"Very much, very much." Representative Long, of Massachusetts, said:—"Of course I like it, it's long." The Republican members generally said: "It is sound and clear on Silver and Civil Service, but on the Tariff, vague and unsatisfactory." On the whole it may be said that there is nothing in the document to precipitate a conflict among the Democrats in opposition to the Executive.

The Congress which began this week has an opportunity to make for itself a great name. How far it will improve its chances can be told better when it adjourns next summer. Weighty subjects call for settlement. Besides those questions alluded to above in connection with the message may be mentioned the protection of the public domain, foreign immigration, the succession to the Presidency, railroad legislation, the treatment of the private claimant, a national bankrupt law, strengthening the Navy, and a dozen other important matters. The Senate has already set several of these measures in motion. The House also has received a flood of bills, old and new, but no real work must be expected of that body until it can revise its working rules. This may consume all the time prior to the Holiday vacation.

A "duck of a girl," must be very closely watched, or ten to one she will go off and marry some quack.—Chicago Sun. And maybe the little goose will get a Michigander for a husband.—Whitehall Times. The Whitehall rooster evidently thinks she is mashed on him.—Adrian Record. Don't crow on that.—Manchester Enterprise. Hen-pecked husbands won't take much stock in these puns.—Tecumseh Herald. No, indeed. They are entirely to fowl.—Detroit News. Let this be the last, claws.—Hancock Herald. Comb off, boys. Wattle the people think.—Marquette Mining Journal. Oh, no! Our devil says, Spur them on. He drake his brain before he'd quit.—Adrian Record.

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THE LATE RAILROAD KING.

WHERE HE WILL FINALLY BE BURIED.

Some time ago Mr. Vanderbilt began the erection of a family mausoleum in the Moravian Cemetery at New Dorp, Staten Island. The mausoleum, which is shut off from the cemetery, is situated on the summit of a high knoll, the most prominent site for miles around. The tomb is of Quincy granite after a design by Richard M Hunt. It is of the Romanesque style 100x110 feet on the surface to the apex of the domes, of which there are two. The exposed portions of the structure are of Quincy granite, while the vestibule and catacombs are built of marble and the lofty arches and piers of limestone. It required about 8,000,000 pound of granite, marble and limestone combined to complete it. The cost is estimated at $250,000. The finishing touches were put to it but a very short time ago, and the dead man visited it only last Saturday.

HIS FIFTH AVENUE PALACE.

His home is a palace of which a Doge of Venice might have been proud. It cost him about $2,000,000. It is a brown stone and is more elegant than showy in appearance. It has a fine gallery of paintings which is open to artists and others at certain intervals. Here are examples of the best work of contemporary artists both in this country and in Europe; here are canvasses by Corot, Messonier, Daubigny, Jean Francois Millet, Delacroix, Whistler, Moran, Milais, Watts, and others, not to mention the sculptors represented. Mr. Vanderbilt is said to have been a better judge of paintings than some had supposed.

The appointments of his palace—for it is nothing less, are elegant, not to say gorgeous, in the extreme. One of the bronze doors is said to have cost $80,000, and the bronze railing around the house $60,000. It is located at No. 640 Fifth avenue and extends from Fifty-first to Fifty-second street; it is one house divided into two portions; that on the corner of Fifty-first street was occupied by Mr. Vanderbilt himself, while in the other end at Fifty-second street, reside two of his daughters with their husbands. One married William D. Sloane, the carpet dealer, and the other Elliott F. Shepyard, the lawyer. But it happens that the splendid house is overdecorated. It is too too, as the early esthetes would say. There is scarcely a spot big enough to place your little finger nail that is not covered with some device the result of money and art.

Mr. Vanderbilt had been in the habit of giving art receptions, and tickets for these were eagerly sought by connoisseurs and society people. Very recently, however, he announced that he would give no more public views of his art works, and for the last year the treasures which he had collected from two continents have been visible only to his intimate friends and visitors of the family. His collection of contemporary and other French art he valued at over $1,000,000. A grand fancy-dress ball was given in the mansion the night of March 26, 1883, and on this occasion, for the first time, the actors and other shining lights of the first society of the city appeared in Mr. Vanderbilt's drawing-rooms. The ball was the event of the season, and was said to have cost the opulent host $40,000.

THE CONTEST OVER THE WILL

The contest of the will of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, in which Cornelius J. Vanderbilt's sister, Mrs. La Bau, was the contestant, was one of the most protracted and bitter controversies ever heard or determined in an American court, and lasted over 280 days. By the terms of a will executed in January, 1875, the Commodore made his son William H. his principal legatee, giving to his wife $5,000,000 in cash, some other bequests to his other relatives, and to Cornelius J. the income only of $200,000 to be invested for his benefit. In a codicil executed in the same year he extended the bequests by giving to the grandsons, William K., Frederick W., and George, $2,000,000 each. It was claimed that the Commodore was mentally weak when he made the will.

Although no really authentic statement was then made as to the terms of the settlement, it became generally accepted that William H. Vanderbilt had consented to give Cornelius J. and Mrs. La Bau $100,000 each and an allowance of $250,000 for the liquidation of their council fees and other legal indebtedness. Facts which subsequently came to light, however, showed that the settlement actually made was not reached until May, 1879, and that so far as Cornelius was concerned, his brother William H. had merely provided for him a handsome income.

THE CROSUS OF THE WORLD.

Mr. Vanderbilt died possessed of wealth which seems almost fabulous. His fortune was at one time placed at $200,000,000, and it is believed that he was the richest man in the world. In January, 1883, he told a friend that he was worth $194,000,000 and added, "I am the richest man in the world." In England the Duke of Westminister is said to be worth $200,000,000, but it is mostly in land and houses. It does not pay him 2 per cent.

This was an unusual instance of boastfulness on Mr. Vanderbilt's part, as he was generally very non-communicative in regard to his financial condition. A year ago it was known that he had $54,000,000 in Government 4 per cent bonds, but this was reduced $35,000,000 partly to aid his sons, who had lost $10,000,000 in Wall street. He afterwards purchased $10,000,000 more of the 4 per cents, and he had besides $4,000,000 in Government 3½ per cents. It is said that his Government bonds are worth $70,000,000. He owned, in addition, $22,000,000 worth of railroad bonds, $8,200,000 of State and city bonds, and had $2,000,000 in manufacturing stocks and mortgages. He stated to a friend that his ordinary expenses a year were $200,000.

A Wall street man, referring to his wealth said: "From his Government bonds he draws $2,372,000 a year; from railroad stocks and bonds, $7,394,000; from miscellaneous securities, $570,695, total, in round numbers, $10,350,000 a year." His earnings were thus over $28,000 a day, $1,200 an hour, and $19.75 a minute.

Petersburg is fast assuming city airs. It has two newspapers, half a dozen street lamps, and makes bologna sausages by steam.—Monroe Democrat.

PENSION OFFICE REFORM.

The following dispatch from Adrian to the Detroit Free Press has been going the rounds of the State Press:

"Mr E. A. Milliken has just received an original certificate for pension granting him $50 per month, commencing from date of application in 1884. For five years he has not been out of the house and has had to be lifted to and from his bed. He has suffered with chronic diarrhoea, contracted in the service, but would never apply for pension. Finally the disease superinduced spinal difficulty, and until within a short time he has not been able to sit up, and has been totally helpless. Latterly he has been able to get around in an invalid's wheel chair and spent his time in fancy painting. The allowance of $50 to a private soldier, from date of application, is probably the first instance on record. Never was a pension more welcome, and never was one more worthily deserved."

There is a history connected with this matter which will be of interest to old soldiers, for it shows the difference in the pension office methods since Gen. Black has taken control.

As is the case with the most deserving of the pensioners Mr. Milliken made no application until it was a matter of absolute necessity. About three years ago he made application, and his attorneys and friends have written letters to the department. Congressman Eldredge—who, being a gallant soldier himself has always been ready to do anything for a man who wore the blue—also took an active interest in the case and visited the department several times to hurry the case up. But under the Republican administration all that could be secured was a supply of blanks that did not fit the case, and a succession of requests for additional testimony which the peculiar circumstances of the case made it impossible to supply.

When we were in Washington we visited the pension office in company with postmaster Stearns, of Adrian, and had the case looked up by the chief clerk. He promised to see that it was laid before Gen. Black for special examination, and judging from the past we expected to hear from it about next spring. In two weeks from the day we called at the pension office the above dispatch showed that the case had been acted upon.

At the same time, in compliance with a request from a Petoskey constituent we looked up the matter of Geo. S. Richmond, which had been before the department for twelve years! We found that the former administration had pigeon-holed the papers in a certain division of the Edward department. In a couple of days we had the matter in the hands of a competent Department superintendent of the Michigan rooms, and last week Mr. Richmond received the pension which Republican mismanagement has so long deprived him of.—Harbor Springs Independent.

Wide Awake for December 1885.

The holiday issues of WIDE AWAKE always are beautiful numbers, gift-books in themselves, worthy of permanent binding. This year two "pastie-sketches" in three color-tones, modeled for the magazine by the Messrs. Low, of the Chelsea Art Tile Works, make the Christmas number an art-treasure, and to accompany these unique illustrations there is much instructive gossip about "tiles" in Miss Harris' article, "Fire-Place Stories," which has eighteen pictures. The magazine opens with "Brother Bruin," a humorous poem by Christina Rossetti, with exquisite drawings by Garrett. Elizabeth Stuart Phelps follows with the most charming of "Trotty" stories, illustrated by St. John Harper. F. L. Stealey, a Western writer, has a touching Christmas story of miner's life, "Little Captain" of Buckskin Camp." "Little Deborah's Work in the Secret Service" is a story of the Revolutionary War, chronicling one of those acts of courage which women and children in all ages have undertaken in time of war. The first of Mrs. Sherwood's "Royal Girls and Royal Courts" is very entertaining and instructive: it describes the behavior of some pushing American girls at the Italian court, and the amazing "letter" giving is said to be a copy of one actually sent to an American minister. Three good serials open: "A Gift and a Jewell," by Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford; "A Midshipman at Large, by Talbott; and "Dilly the Captain," by Margaret Sidney. A series of historical stories, by E. S. Brooks, relative to popular holidays, is also begun; the first is "Master Sandy's Christmas Snapdragon," a tale of King James, Whitehall, and Sir Walter Raleigh. Howard Pyle illustrates this series. The Chautauqua Readings are specially interesting—for instance, Elizabeth Robins Pennell describes "A Roman Christmas," which Joseph Pennell illustrates.—Wide Awake is $3.00 a year. D. Lothrop & Co., Publishers, Boston, Mass.

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CLINTON CHRONICLES.

Miss Fannie Prichard, of Tecumseh, was visiting Clinton friends the first of the week.

Miss Ida Sutfin, of Tecumseh, has been passing a pleasant time with her friend Grace Spafford, coming here on Friday last and returning on Monday.

The cutters have commenced their usual gliding over the "beautiful" and the tinkling of the bells remind us of the approach of the "kittie-ide," and young America is jubilant.

Miss Maud Eccles, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Clark, of this village, Saturday and Sunday.

There were no services at the Congregational Church last Sunday evening, but a large attendance at the M. E. Church, disclosed the fact that we have a church-going people, and that the above society was well represented there.

William Bennett, son of our new baker, is having quite a serious time, being unable to leave his bed, from some irregularities of the blood that his physician says comes from the heart. He had a very sad experience all through the summer from the effects of an abscess upon his neck, which was at one time very painful, but had nearly recovered from that, when the new outbreak put in an appearance and placed him in the condition named above.

A number of the friends and schoolmates of Lottie Gardner, assembled at her home Monday evening and enjoyed an evening with her guest, Miss Fanny Prichard.

We cannot see any reason why, with three good poultry dealers, Clinton should not be a good market for the ready sale of that holiday staple. Joe, Will and George are a lively, energetic trio, and are raising havoc with the feather-bearers.

The quarterly meeting at the M. E. Church, on Saturday, although not as well attended as might have been wished, was ably conducted by the presiding elder of this district, and we have failed to meet with a person who was present that did not pronounce the occasion one much to be appreciated, the general verdict being, those who were absent from no just cause, were the loosers of much good.

The first of the series of club dances at town hall, took place last Friday evening and is pronounced a No. 1 feast of enjoyment by all who participated therein. The boys were somewhat disappointed to learn at the very last moment that they were not to have the music they supposed they had secured, for the reason that Mr. Smith had overlooked a previous engagement for the same date, but other music was obtained and they went on with the dance. A number of young folks from neighboring villages were present and helped to swell the number of dancers. The next party will take place at town hall one week from to-morrow evening, and preparations are making for a merry christmas for all who would enjoy a first class party.

Mrs. M. Stanclift and daughters, Hattie and Jessie, looked over the curiosities at Tecumseh last Friday afternoon.

The M. E. Church was filled with an appreciative congregation last Sunday evening to listen to the presiding elder of this district. Many were present from other denominations and the Sacrament was administered by elder Joslin assisted by the pastor, E. P. Pierce, and all who believed, and had a desire to do so, were kindly invited to partake.

Miss Ada Stanclift was obliged to relinquish her work at the woolen mill, because of sickness, and has had quite a serious time of it, but we are glad to learn she is able to be about again.

Clinton lodge, No. 175, F. & A. M., hold their regular meeting at their room over town hall, Saturday evening, Dec. 19th, 1885.

Dressed pork is coming in quite freely, and is sought by our buyers who are on the lookout for its appearance, and make for its possessors before they fairly reach the commercial mart of the village. They are paying from $4.25 to $4.30 per hundred.

We were sorry to learn that Prof. Henry Gordon, who came here in the interest of vocal culture, and is pronounced by good judges, an excellent instructor, did not succeed in obtaining sufficient encouragement to warrant him in proceeding with the venture. Clinton is possessed of many good voices that need only cultivation to place them at the head of the list, but the fact is, the call for dimes from other sources—so often, of late—bar the wish of those who have this talent and in consequence about one half of our churches have very poor music or none at all.

Dr. Burchard left Clinton on the Tuesday afternoon train for New York, whither he was called to attend a law suit. He will probably be absent until the first of next week.

It is a little girl, and John T. Clark is the happy father of two girls instead of one, since Monday morning, but they are far from twins, as report first announced.

A man from a neighboring village was seen in the new market making a selection of meat, sausage, etc., last Tuesday, and remarked that he had known Rhefuss for many years and was confident that he wanted some of his make of sausage. That is the general verdict.

There are a class of boys! boys, did we say? We might class them as young men, did their actions not belie the assertion—that seem to think it funny to visit the hall in time of Sunday meetings, for the sole purpose of making a disturbance: nor is this all; they frequent the house of God Sabbath evenings, and make sport during the singing of hymns, and have been known to talk out loud, using a not altogether refined language, during the hour of prayer; and yet this is not the end, drunkeness, hilarity and gambling are practiced right before the eyes and in the hearing of our church going, Christ loving people while on the way to their various places of worship. Now this is not funny, and upon timely, sober thought, the same persons do not think so themselves, and the writer is of opinion—with the exception of a few younger ones, who get a "starter" from those more advanced—it would be different, were it not for whisky. This village is not an exception, as it has not been long since we read of committees being appointed by three churches in a neighboring town to look after these individuals. Will the authorities be able to turn the tide before we realize our situation only by being called upon to witness a facsimile of the Aaron Palmer tragedy, and others similar, occuring almost every hour.

Miss Kitie Abbott visited Tecumseh Tuesday, on the morning train, went down town, obtained the latest publications on dress-making and returned on the freight. How is that for a needle-plyer.

James Hogan is in Ann Arbor, attending court this week. We presume it is hard work for Jim, but should not be surprised if Richmond & Gadd received a heavy installment of cattle, sheep or hogs from that quarter; if they don't, it is because of the non-appearance of the animals during recess.

Frank Bird was in town Tuesday.

The merriest day draweth nigh.

Peck's bad boy is said to have put in an appearance here.

We are sorry to learn that John Hulet is on the sick list and is missed from his accustomed place, at B. O. Randall & Co's.

It is not an uncommon occurence—the unloading of a hog that registers 400 lbs. and upward, upon the tally sheet, at least so say our buyers, and neighbor Miles tells us of "a that weighed 550," but that was up in Bridgewater; the one that attracted our attention only tipped the beam at 438, but it did remind us of the time Chas. made the batch of doughnuts from a receipt in a cook book, and filled every available article from the dipper to the washtub with that commodity, while Mate sit quietly by and informed callers that he was getting ready for a picnic. If Charley only had that hog, we know there would be a Merry Christmas in that neighborhood—you see we are not selfish, we would not carry the hog home for it.

Wood has come into this market quite freely for several days, and the weather will admit of more without overbalancing the demand for that article.

The Clinton Band will go to Brooklyn and furnish music at the rink, afternoon and evening, and also, furnish string music for the merry Christmas gliders as they enjoy the dance, next Friday, Dec. 25th.

Go and see the Comedy at town hall, next Tuesday evening.

Turn out and show your appreciation of the band Dec. 22.

If you would enjoy a good, healthy smile out loud, see those Three Widows next Tuesday evening.

A turkey grab, is advertised at the Brooklyn rink, for Christmas eve.

E. G. Cook, of Tecumseh, was swapping jokes with his Clinton friends, Monday.

About sixty persons from abroad, were present at the Episcopal fair in town hall, Wednesday, and many of them were induced to tarry with friends and enjoy the evenings performance.

Bear in mind the high school public that takes place at town hall to-morrow evening, and be there. The program is a good one and will well repay you for the effort.

The M. E. social at the residence of Mrs. Priest, Wednesday afternoon, was well patronized, and much enjoyed by those who were present.

Conrod Nauman, of Manchester, was down Wednesday evening, practicing with the band, preparing for the Christmas trip to Brooklyn, on which occasion he is to accompany and assist them.

Mr. Codling, who formerly occupied the position of machinist in the woolen mill, we understand has obtained a like position elsewhere, and has gone to enter upon his duties, but we did not learn his destination.

Report has it that the weaving room at the woolen mill has changed "bosses."

The social given by the Congregational society, at the parsonage, Tuesday evening, was enjoyed by a large assemblage, from all directions, and the pastor, Rev. J. A. Barnes, was made the happy recipient of a splendid hanging lamp and five dollars in currency.

St. John's Church Fair.

The fair given by the ladies of St. John's church, was a perfect success. There was a fine display of goods in all departments, and we were informed the sales exceeded the expectations of those in charge.

The baby election was the leading feature in the afternoon, and over 100 votes were polled, but the result of the canvas was withheld from the public until the opening of the evening's entertainment, when it was discovered that baby Gibson, (Lyle's little one) was the lucky one, and baby Rowland, of Tecumseh, carried off the second prize, the vote standing 56 for the winner of the first prize and 50 for the gainer of the second.

The evening's entertainment opened with a song and chorus, "Miss Fogerty's Christmas Cake;" the song being executed by Kos. Davis in his best mood, as an Irishman at a Christmas dinner party was well rendered, while he was joined by several additional voices in chorus, describing the contents of that cake, and this was a feature in the evening program that elicited applause and called forth an encore that was only silenced by the production of the stanza that had been omitted.

The two-act drama was very good, and was given to the audience in the usual fine style, for which participants on the occasions of the annual Episcopalian fair productions, have been commented previously. Indeed, the parts were well assigned and all acquitted themselves to the entire satisfaction of their hearers.

Miss Blanche Smith favored the audience with a song, in a most pleasing manner, and merited the encore and praise so freely proffered from every part of the room by the multitude of listeners.

Miss Lizzie Brooks presided at the piano and is deserving of much credit for her valuable contribution to the happiness of a hall full of people.

TIPTON TOPICS.

People can hardly tell whether to go in a buggy or cutter in these parts. A little more snow would make excellent sleighing.

A coffee and cake social was held at the home of Mr. John VanValkenburg on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hauford will start Thursday for a visit with friends in Jackson County.

Mr. Wm. Smith of this place is moving to Tecumseh this week. He expects to remain in town during the winter.

Rev. Mr. Crane, of Addison, attended the quarterly meeting of the M. E. church in the absence of the Presiding Elder, Rev. T. J. Joslin.

Saturday, Dec. 5, Mr. John S. Burrick and and Miss Nettie Lambkin were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Potter, of Tecumseh.

We understand the Young Ladies' Society of the Congregational church are to have a social next Friday evening for the purpose of selling their silk quilt. We regret to say we are unable to state where it will be held.

Franklin seems about to lose some of its best citizens. Mr. Ber. VanNess, who has been on Mr. Fradd's place the past year, has rented a farm four miles south of Tecumseh. He and his estimable family will move in the spring. Reuben Langdon we understand has rented his farm and expects to go north in the spring on account of his wife's health. Mrs. Langdon having been in very poor health for a number of years

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8 lbs. good Rio Coffee $1.00.
4 lbs. Mince Meat for 25c.
Best Florida Oranges 35c a doz
" Mixed Candy 10c a lb
" Stick "
" Corn Brooms "
8 bars Soap, 25c.
5 " Babbitt's soap, 25c
5 " Silver " 25c
5 " Home Rule soap, 25c
4 " Ivory soap, 25c
Bell's 5 lb. Pails, 25c each
4½ lbs. extra Quality Crackers 25c
3 lbs. soda Crackers, 25c
3 " Ginger Snaps 25c
4 " Rice, 25c
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THE EGGS THAT NEVER HATCH.

There's a young man on the corner,
Filled with life and strength and hope,
Looking far beyond the present,
With the whole world in his scope.
He is grasping at to-morrow,
That phantom none can catch;
Today is lost. He's waiting
For the eggs that never hatch.

There's an old man over yonder,
With a worn and weary face,
With searching, anxious features,
And a weak uncertain pace.
He is living in the future,
With no desire to catch
The golden Now. He's waiting
For the eggs that never hatch.

There's a world of men and women,
With their life's work yet undone,
Who are sitting, standing, moving
Beneath the same great sun;
Ever eager for the future,
But not content to watch
The Present. They are waiting
For the eggs that never hatch.

—*Merchant Traveler.*

MONEY OR LOVE.

How May Haven Married for One and Gained the Other.

"Of course I have not married him because I was in love with him," said May Harriott, with a light laugh.

She was sitting in a gold-and-dun colored boudoir, hung with silken, fluted draperies and carpeted in pale gray Ambusson bordered with scarlet. The windows were full of flowering plants, an exquisite statue of Hebe occupied a marble pedestal in the middle of the room, and the panels of the walls, filled in with mirrors, reflected the young bride's every motion a score of times.

Flora Field, her old school-mate, sat opposite her, secretly envious of all this splendor and wondering that May Haven, who had taught in the same district school as herself, was not more elated at this sudden promotion.

"Well, then," said she, "why did you marry him?"

"Because I was poor and he was rich. Because I was tired of teaching and he offered me all this."

And May glanced around upon the luxuries that surrounded her.

"Nobody could be foolish enough to suppose it was a love-match," said she. "He's ever so much older than I am, and not at all my ideal! But I couldn't drudge on forever at my profession, and I think I've made a lucky exchange."

"May, you are a heartless coquette," cried out Flora Field.

"No, I am not," said May, with a shake of the lovely golden curls. "You would do just the same thing yourself, Flora Field, if you had a chance; you know you would."

And as May laughed out a sweet, defiant chime, she did not know that her silly words had had another auditor than Flora Field—that the door leading into the rich banker's study was ajar, and that he had heard every syllable she spoke.

It was quite true that Frederick Harriott was not a young man. He had passed the rubicon of middle age before he had allowed himself to fall in love and marry—and the flame burned all the deeper and more tender, in that the wood was mellowed by age! He had looked upon May Haven as little less than an angel and now——

"I should have known this before," he said to himself, with ashen-pale face and trembling limbs. "I should have divined that spring and autumn were ill mated. So—she married me for my money?"

"May," he said that evening, "I have tickets for the opera to-night. Would you like to go?"

"No, I don't think I care about it," said May, listlessly.

"Then we will remain at home, and I will read you that new poem," suggested her husband.

"I am tired of poetry," pettishly retorted May. "I do wish you would leave me to enjoy myself in my own way once in a while!"

"Do I bore you, May?" Frederick Harriott asked, with an inexplicable quiver in his voice.

"Awfully! I'm just in the midst of this delightful story and I can't bear to be interrupted."

"Very well. The offense shall not be repeated," said Mr. Harriott, quietly.

After that a subtle and sudden change came over his whole life. He was as courteous and attentive to his young wife as ever; but May felt that all the heart and soul were gone out of the little courtesies, the scrupulously rendered attentions.

For awhile she rather liked it. It was a relief to feel that his eye was not always on her, his thoughts following her. She could go where she pleased now and he asked no questions. She could employ her time to suit herself and he had neither criticism nor censure to offer. But gradually she began to realize that she had lost something which was not easily to be replaced.

May Harriott had regarded her husband's love as one of the fixed polar facts of her existence, and a cold chill crept over her heart when she fully perceived that it was somehow slipping away from her.

"Frederick," she said one evening, sitting opposite to her husband, "have I offended you?"

He glanced carelessly up from his book.

"Offended me, May? Why, what a ridiculous idea! Of course you haven't offended me."

"I—I thought your manner was somewhat different of late," faltered the young wife, bending her head closer over her embroidery.

"One can't keep on the honeymoon gloss forever," said the banker, indifferently.

Life is full of antithases, and love is the strangest complexity in life. For, as May Harriott grew strengthened in the idea that her husband was ceasing to adore her after the old idolatrous fashion, she began to fall in love with the one she had married for money.

Frederick Harriott was not young but he was in the prime of middle age. He was not boyishly handsome, like the wax heads May had seen in the barber's show-windows, but he had the port and mien of a prince. All women are prone to hero worship, and our little May was no exception to the ordinary rule. For the first time in her life she was falling in love—and with her own husband.

A few weeks only had elapsed when a crisis in the banking business had rendered it imperatively necessary that Mr. Harriott should go to Vienna for two or three months. Poor May looked aghast as her husband mentioned his intentions to her in the same cool, matter-of-fact way in which he might have criticised the weather.

"Going to Vienna!" she gasped. "Oh, Frederick!"

"My dear child, it is but a mere bagatelle of a journey! One doesn't mind travel nowadays. I shall not be later than November in returning."

"But—I may go with you?"

"You? My dear, don't think of it. My travel will necessarily be too rapid to think of encumbering myself with a lady companion. I must go and come with the greatest speed."

May said nothing more, but there was a blur before her eyes, a sickening sensation of despair at her heart. He cared no more for the society which had been dear to him once. Oh, what had she done to forfeit the love that had once been poured out so fondly on her life?

It was a rainy June twilight when the banker, wrapped in a dreadnaught coat and with his traveling cap pulled down over his eyes paced up and down the deck of the steamer Galatea, heedless of all the tumult of weighing anchor. Through the misty dusk he tried vainly to catch the ghostly outlines of the city spires—the city that held his young wife.

"She will be happy enough without me," he told himself, bitterly. "She has her mother and sister with her. She bade me adieu without a tear, and it may be that my continued absence will teach her to think less coldly of me. Dear little May—sweet spring blossom—my prayers may reach you, if my love can not."

And as the steamer plowed her way onward and the darkness deepened Frederick Harriott went below.

To his infinite surprise the stateroom he had engaged for his own behalf and use was not empty. A lady sat there with veiled face and drooping head. Frederick Harriott paused in surprise—the figure rose up, and throwing aside its veil revealed the blue, starry eyes and pale cheek of May herself.

"Oh, Frederick, pardon me!" she sobbed, throwing herself into his arms, "but I could not let you go alone! I love you, Frederick; I can not live without you. When I thought of you being alone, perhaps ill, in a strange land I thought I should lose my senses. Dear husband, tell me that you are not angry with me!"

And she burst into a flood of tears.

"My own May—my wife—my love! Close, close to my heart for evermore!"

And that was all he said.

May Haven had married for money; May Harriott had learned the secret of love!—*Chicago Mail.*

FRENCH-CANADIANS.

The Deeply Credulous Creatures to Be Found Among the Lower Classes.

There is no more deeply credulous being than the French-Canadian of the lower classes. Whatever mental life he has is still the life of a little child standing in the morning of the world. The age of faith has not ceased with him. That there should be places made holy by beatific visions, that relics should work miracles, that all sorts of local saints should have power to bless and all sorts of local devils power to curse, are to him among the deepest facts of life. Such beliefs are so wrought into his thoughts that he never can get outside their grasp. These come to him naturally from his religion, but he is full of superstitions besides. His churchyard is alive with ghosts. He easily credits any supernatural story. And Pierre was no freer from such ideas than were others. One of his most lasting memories was of a little sister of his who for a long time had always been dressed in blue, in fulfillment of a vow to the Virgin. She had been very ill, and his mother—the dear old *maman* who was now dead—had vowed to the Holy Mother, if she would but cause the child to recover, to dress her in this her favorite color for three years. There were many other instances of the same kind among the neighbors; indeed, it would not be too much to say that there was hardly one of them but could tell some tale which was not of this world.—*R. Machray, in Atlantic.*

Does Fish Make Brains?

A noted English physician has revived the lie that fish is valuable as a brain food. He knows no more about it than Mark Twain, who gave the following advice to a young author: "Yes, fish makes brain. Judging from your previous articles, you need a couple of whales—not the largest, but good, middling-sized whales." Once let the belief become general that fish makes brain, and the demand for fish will be so great that before long the fish would become an extinct animal, and then what would we do for a vacation? No, it's a great mistake. Neither fish nor any other food can supply the great natural deficiency of cerebral tissue which afflicts the modern man.—*Medical Age.*

Valuable Arkansas Hay.

A man while passing the house of an honest farmer saw a number of boys breaking a lot of switches from dead trees. The man was at a loss to know what the boys wanted with the switches; and was about to make inquiry of a passer-by, when the honest farmer came up to the fence.

"My friend," said the traveler, "why do you have those switches gathered?"

"Because they are valuable," the honest farmer replied.

"What, to be used for kindling fires?"

"Oh, no."

"Then, what do you do with them?"

"I bale 'em up, take 'em to Little Rock and sell 'em for hay."—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

WONDERFUL RIVERS.

Streams that Present Unique and Curious Features—A River of Ink.

A number of rivers that can be found in almost any atlas possess remarkable characteristics which entitle them to rank among the natural curiosities of the world. In Algeria, for instance, there is a small stream which the chemistry of nature has turned into true ink. It is formed by the union of two rivulets, one of which is very strongly impregnated with iron, while the other, meandering through a peat marsh, imbibes gallic acid. Letters have been written with this compound of iron and gallic acid which unite to form the little river. In Colombia there is a river which, by admixture with sulphate acid, becomes so sour that it is appropriately named Rio de Vinagre, or Vinegar River. Many varieties of fish abound in the large Orange River of South Africa until the river passes through a rocky region containing copper ores, below which the water is said to be poisonous and to kill the fish that venture into it.

"China's Sorrow" is the name that has been given to the great Hoang Ho, which rises in the mountains of Thibet and follows a wonderfully circuitous channel for two thousand five hundred miles to the sea. The waywardness of this mighty volume of water makes the river a constant source of anxiety and danger, instead of wealth, to 170,000,000 of people inhabiting the central plain of China. It is known to have suddenly changed its course nine times. It has moved its mouth over four degrees of latitude each time, emptying its vast floods in different directions and digging a new channel for itself where scores of villages had stood. It has greatly changed the physical character of a wide area, turning fertile regions into a sandy waste or making shallow lakes of them, in which nothing grows, and over which nothing can sail. Whether it is within the power of western science to save this great plain from disastrous overflows and changes of the river bed is a question that has been considerably discussed in England of late years.

Some recent explorers of Alaska tell us that the Mississippi can no longer be regarded as the largest river of the North American continent. They claim that distinction for the great Yukon River which, according to Mr. Ivan Petroff, who spent two years in Alaska collecting materials for the last census, empties into Norton Sound one third more water than the Mississippi pours into the Gulf of Mexico. The Yukon basin comprises the most of southern Alaska, and is a mile wide 600 miles from its mouth. Many centuries before it was visited by white men it very likely served as the highway into the interior of tribes who are believed to have crossed from Asia to this continent.

A very curious river is the Weibo Shebayli of East Africa, a deep and rapid stream, abounding in fish and crocodiles. Though it flows for hundreds of miles through fertile lands, the immense volume of water never reaches the sea. A little north of the Equator the river loses itself in a desert region a few miles from the Indian Ocean.

Very few great rivers have ever been thoroughly explored by going up stream. Travelers tried for two thousand years to find the sources of the Nile by ascending the river. By the time they had reached the difficult part of the stream their stores and energy were exhausted and they could go no further. It was only by seeking the fountain heads first by overland routes that Schwatka was only able to float down the Yukon, that Stanley mapped the Congo, and that Speke solved the secret of the Nile.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Bagpipes in Medical Science.

According to the *United States Gazette* a new use has been discovered for the musical instrument of torture called the bagpipes. Last year, it seems, a Spanish soldier was brought to the military hospital at Havana in a state of catalepsy, and for fifteen months he showed no signs of improving health. At last the doctors ordered the bagpipes to be played near his bed, whereupon the man promptly recovered consciousness and is now able to articulate. His first words, I should imagine, were not couched in the form of a blessing; but there may yet be a great future for the bagpipes in medical science. Their music may be strongly recommended to persons suffering from nervous or hysterical disorders, and, generally speaking, to *maladies imaginaires* of every description. Whether the disease or the remedy is the worst must be left to the judgment of the invalids themselves.—*London Truth.*

Old Men Doing Boys' Work.

The proprietor of a nut and bolt factory in West Tenth street advertised yesterday for "two men from fifty to sixty years of age to do boys' work." About twenty-five gray-haired men gathered about the office door at the hour named, although it was apparent that the two wanted would have to work at boys' wages.

"We wanted them to put nuts on bolts," said an employe. "We employed boys, but they were playful and inattentive to work. We thought that we might be able to hire old men, who were unable to do a man's work, at about the wages, and so have employes who would attend to the work better. They sit at their tasks, which are easy enough for girls to do. They make over a dollar a day."—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Two married sisters, one living at Newburg, N. Y., and the other in Michigan, recently both gave birth to a daughter on the same day. Each intended to surprise the other, and kept the coming event a secret. The same day the children were born they were named by the mothers, and a letter was sent from each family to the other, giving an account of the joyful event and the name of the child. The letters crossed each other on the route, and were received about the same time by each family. Strange to say, each mother had given her daughter the same name.—*Detroit Tribune.*

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—Blankets and robes in great variety at J. D. Sholes'.

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—H. McClure has reduced the price of teas and coffee from 5 to 10c a pound.

—Sleigh bells and shaft chimes in good assortment at Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd's.

—Look in McCowen's show windows when you pass by and see the latest styles of furniture.

—Double and Single harnesses, whips, mittens, and harness oil, at lowest figures. J. D. Sholes.

—Henry McClure has just received a car load of that fine Patent Process Buckwheat flour. Call and get some. Price away down.

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—McCowen undersells all others in his line in Southern Michigan.

—Elegant patent rockers, divans corner and window chairs at McCowen's.

The sewing machine is not what it seams.—Detroit Free Press. Perhaps it is some other feller.—Buffalo Times. This is enough to tucker anybody out. —Detroit News. Yes, when we needle more of it, we will tell you sew.—Morenci Observer. Howe?—Adrian Record.

Look out, gentlemen, or you will treadle on somebody's toes.

The Clinton Local is gathering pioneer reminiscences from people who lived there before 1840. Tackle old Sile Gibbs. If he can't fill you up, we'll buy one of his ax helves, and pay cash.—Adrian Times. Who in thunder is old Sile Gibbs? Trot him out. —Clinton Local.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Harry Tansley spent Sunday at Addison.

Dewey & Son are shipping a big lot of poultry this week.

Three Widows at the Opera House next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Dr. Haynes and Mrs. Ed. Munger, of Dundee, were in town Monday.

A. W. Slayton is looking after business in Detroit to-day and to-morrow.

Kies Brothers come to the front with a new card this week. Read it carefully.

Strong & McNair have a new announcement in to-day's paper which will repay careful perusal.

Elder Geo. Price had a stroke of paralysis Tuesday morning. This is the second one Mr. Price has had.

A large number of Tecumseh people attended the festival of St. John's church, at Clinton, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Turner gave a pleasant party to a few of their friends last Monday evening. The occasion being their 20th anniversary.

The young gentlemen who have charge of the party to be given Christmas night have gone to considerable expense and should be liberally patronized.

Ed. Frensdorf, of Hudson, was in town Tuesday and gave the HERALD a friendly call. He was over to Addison on business and came down on the M. & O. road.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Bowerman, of Raisin celebrated their silver wedding on the 15th inst. Nearly one hundred guests were present, and the afternoon was most enjoyably spent.

S. W. Temple & Son have overhauled their office and fitted it up with new standing desks and a neat partition. It is now most conveniently arranged besides being greatly improved in appearance.

Geo. W. Boardman will give a grand opening party at Lancaster's Hotel, Evans Lake, on Friday evening, Jan. 1st. Music by Gray Bros. & Bonney. Full bill only $1.50. Patronize the old house and the new landlord.

The coroner's inquest in the case of Charles G. Babcock was concluded at Holloway yesterday. The verdict was that Babcock came to his death partly by carelessness on his own part and partly by negligence of the engineer and fireman in failing to give the proper signals.

Last Saturday Mr. Rice Hendershot, of Macon, while leading a bull into the stable was attacked by the latter and seriously gored. His brother happened to be near by and drove a pitchfork through the bull's nose and held it until help came. Hendershot is in a dangerous condition.

LENAH M. HOAGLAND.

Death could not seemingly come to a home at a time more unwelcomed, than in that dark and lonely night at the hour of one o'clock on Friday, Dec. 4th, 1885. Family alone, as no alarming symptoms were perceived, though under medical treatment and for some nine days in a sickness following the whooping-cough. When alone, so unexpectedly, this only bright and sweet little daughter of our dear brother and sister Thomas V. and Hattie Hoagland, (but eight and three-quarter years,) closes her eyes in death. How frequently this pretty little black-eyed girl, had attracted our attention in Sunday school and at church, while in attendance with her parents. This was indeed one of the most severe bereavements that could come to any home, and especially to that home where an only daughter had to die, and a lone brother must be left without a sister. Father and mother can say, and brother may say:

Lenah; thou art gone where the good angels are,
Even in Heaven above with Jesus to dwell;
Neither sin nor death's cold wave can enter there,
A sweet flower, to bloom in glory is Lenah.
Help Lord, though parted awhile, we we shall meet her again.

While as a community, as a church and a Sunday School, we would unite in extending our sympathies unto the dear family in this time of their sorrow; nevertheless, resting in the full hope of eternal life, let us most devoutly join with our bereaved friends to praise Almighty God, in view of the ample provision made in the gospel, through his Son Jesus Christ, who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of Heaven." On Sunday, Dec. 6th, at the usual morning service, the services of the solemn funeral rites were conducted in the home, in Ridgeway, Michigan, by the writer, assisted by the Rev. Albert Godley, of Meroin, Indiana. Text: Matthew IX, 24th. The maid is not dead, but sleepeth.

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JOHN A. WILLIAMS.

The following article is clipped from a Jackson paper and portrays the misdeeds of an old Addison boy, whose name and face are familiar to most of our readers. We have known Mr. W. from our boyhood, and the event referred to created unbounded consternation here, as his previous conduct had been comparatively free from fault. It seems that after going west Williams applied himself to business in good shape, and for the sake of his needy family it is to be hoped he may be able to return home as early as possible.

Officer E. D. Winney arrived home Saturday night, having in charge John A. Williams, who was wanted here, and who was brought back on complaint of a farmer named North, who resides in the town of Addison, Lenawee county, and who complains that in October, 1882, Williams forged North's name to a note for $100. The Michigan Manufacturing company were also losers to the amount of $650 in money which Williams collected and then fled with the money in his pocket. On the day in question 3 years ago, Williams, who had been collecting for the Michigan Manufacturing company, came over from Addison to the company's office in this city, and was apparently ready to settle up, but as it was about supper time, W. F. Cowham told Williams that he had better come in after supper and they would fix things up. This Williams promised to do, and Mr. Cowham went to supper, and Williams went—to the far west or any place except Jackson, for he fled and his return in custody of the officer was the first the company have seen of him since that evening, three years ago. The matter was in Winney's hands when the Crouch case came on and that of course caused this affair to be lost sight of. Some weeks ago the officer discovered in some way that Williams was in Wells county, Dakota, and as North had made complaint against Williams for the forgery of a note, Officer Winney procured the necessary papers and started about ten days ago. The officer reached his destination Saturday the 21st. He found some trouble in getting Gov. Pierce to allow Williams to be taken from the state, as the governor considered the papers were not properly drawn, but finally after, causing the officer to make affidavit that Horace Hunt was a justice of the peace, and C. A. Blair a notary public, the papers were pronounced correct. As Williams knew Winney the latter called in the sheriff who proved to be Ralph Hall, formerly of Pontiac, Mich., and they started out to Williams' farm. Here they found that the latter was thirty-three miles from home running the engine to a steam thresher. A team was procured and the two officers started on their trip across the prairie, a distance of forty-nine miles. They found Williams and Sheriff Hall arrested him and brought him back to Jamestown, where his family were allowed to visit him and where a heart rending scene took place at the parting of the husband and father from his wife and children. Williams' farm is in Sykeston township, Wells county. The county last fall cast its first vote, and to give one the idea of its population it may be said that the total number of votes cast was 80 in the entire county. Sykeston is the only township regularly organized in the county, and Williams' nearest neighbor is three and a half miles distant. His family consists of three children, besides a married daughter who was also at home now, she having been deserted by her husband. The eldest of the other children is a boy of eleven years. The wife thus left alone on the farm far from neighbors, is soon to become a mother again, as is also the married daughter, whose husband has left her a burden on her parents. On the way here Williams spoke feelingly of his family, and wept as he alluded to their deplorable condition. He admitted nothing in relation to the forgery of the note, but said that when he left Cowham's office three years ago the temptation to keep the $650 was too great for him, and that he left town by the night train going direct to St. Louis. From there he went to Chicago. While in the latter city he made up his mind to come back here face Mr. Cowham and own up the whole thing and give back what money he had and take the chances. With this determination he went to Toledo but after waiting there over night, he weakened and fled again, this time going to Texas, where after a time he wrote a letter to Mr. Cowham, stating he was willing to do what he could toward making reparation, and asking Mr. Cowham if he considered the proposition favorably to insert a notice to the effect in the Chicago Times. Mr. Cowham never inserted any answer to the letter which he received, and then Williams drifted on westward, and after varied fortune he preempted 160 acres of government land and sent for his family and has since led the life of a farmer, and when he says he hoped to soon pay back all that he had taken from people, and which had made him a fugative from justice and a criminal. He was greatly surprised at his arrest, after the long time that had intervened since he fled. Williams was a justice of the peace in the town of Sykestone, and relates how they started a school fund, which they did by arresting the only saloon keeper there, and fining him $50 which was used as the nucleus for a school which had since been maintained in good shape. Williams is well known in Addison where he resided for a number of years, and where he was considered a straightforward business man of good ability and honorable dealing till this affair of three years ago.—Addison Courier.

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HOW WILL THEY LIVE?

A Social Problem that Demands an Immediate and Satisfactory Answer.

"How on earth will they live?" asked an eminently respectable citizen a few days since when informed of the approaching marriage of a Detroit young lady to a gentleman from another city. "He has a salary of $600 a year," he continued, "and the young lady's annual expenditure, exclusive of board, is double that. They can not possibly live on $600 a year."

In the case referred to, the problem will probably be solved by the party that has already done so much in the way of solving similar problems. The bride's father, if he can afford it, will stand in the gap and make up the annual deficit until the young man's salary grows to the dimensions of his needs. If he has two or three other daughters he may find the burden an onerous one and be compelled to drop it before the son-in-law is quite ready to assume it. This will be bad for the son-in-law and the bride; but it will not be the first case of the kind.

In another solution of the problem the young man's father carries the load. But he, too, may be compelled to drop it before the young couple can take it up. And to complicate the situation, every day that anybody else carries it makes it more difficult for them to do so. The habit of eating unearned bread is as demoralizing when it is eaten off a mahogany table with an accompaniment of silver and china and glass as it is when taken at the back door and eaten without butter. When the young couple are thrown on their own resources the old problem recurs with additional emphasis: "How *will* they live?"

Singularly enough no one seems to think for a moment of answering "on their income." The suggestion that two persons can live on six hundred dollars a year seems as visionary and impracticable as the proposition to flood the Desert of Sahara or establish telephonic communication with the moon. Such an income barely suffices to keep the young man of the period in cigars and gloves, while the young woman could hardly keep her head decently covered—or uncovered—for it. How then could they manage to carry on a household with so insignificant a sum? Preposterous!

Yet the chances are that the father and mother on one side at least, and the grand-parents on both sides, began their married life on quite as small an income. There are couples, indeed, in the City of Detroit to-day who have no greater income and who live within it, neither suffering privation nor running in debt. But the lives they lead and the economies they indulge in, the sacrifices they make and the simple pleasures they enjoy, are quite beyond the comprehension of the young man and the young woman of the period.

It is a pity that this answer will not do, and that there is no other adequate one. For want thereof the young man and young woman of the period fight shy of the marriage compact and cling to single blessedness. This is not as it should be. The future of the race demands a different condition of things. Some satisfactory answer must be found for this important question. It behooves the social scientists, if they expect to retain the confidence of the community, to set their wits to work speedily and effectively.—*Detroit Free Press.*

AMERICAN FABLES.

The Owl and the Farmer, and Other Tales With Good Morals.

A farmer one morning found a Large Owl in his Barnyard, and the Limping and Distressed Bird no sooner Observed him than it cried out:

"I should like to Know what sort of a Man you are that you let your Geese almost Kill me?"

"Then you have been Maltreated?"

"I should say I had! I have been Pounded almost to Death!"

"But there Must have been some Provocation?"

"Not the Slightest. I simply flew down to Secure a Chicken for Breakfast, and three of the Geese at once Rushed upon me."

"Ah, I see," mused the Farmer; and he at once gave orders to have the Mortal Geese put to Death.

Moral: Any Burglar who may be Shot while Plundering a Citizen's House should Promptly complain to the nearest Magistrate. The Average Jury will make it Warm for the Shooter.

THE SERPENT AND THE PEASANT.

One day while a Peasant was Working in the Field he saw a Serpent Approaching in a Stealthy manner, and the Man Seized a large Stone and Hurled it with Such true aim that the Snake was fatally Injured.

"If you had only Waited a moment Longer," gasped the Serpent, as he writhed about, "I was coming to ask you to let me be your Friend."

"Then I have no Regrets," replied the Peasant; "your Good Will would have been more Burdensome to me than your enmity."

MORAL:—You Probably know Several Such Chaps.

THE HEN AND THE SWAN.

A Farmer one day came upon a Hen and a Swan which were having a Fierce Dispute, and when he Inquired the cause of it the Hen explained:

"Why, I expressed my belief that the Swan's neck was too long."

"Oh, as to that," replied the Farmer, I was about to suggest that your own neck was Altogether too short, and that you are Sadly in Need of new Tail-Feathers."

MORAL:—Don't criticise a man who Toes in when you run your Own Boots over at the Heels.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—"Cattle have increased more than three-fold in the United States during the past ten years," says the *Shoe and Leather Reporter*, which adds: "Ours is the greatest cattle producing region on the globe. On farms there are now about 42,000,000; on ranch and range property west of the Mississippi about 10,000,000 cattle graze.

The *Church Press* notes a growing disposition among Episcopalians to call in question the utility of Sunday-schools.

WHALE HARPOONING.

The Dangers and Excitement of a Whale Hunter's Life.

Now and then a whale manages to make its escape after being harpooned. Whenever that is the case the animal has learned wisdom by experience, and if it should again be harpooned takes very good care not to exhaust its powers by diving. So it remains on the surface of the water, where it can breathe at ease, and rushes along at full speed.

Three or four boats will sometimes be "fast" to the same whale, and will be towed along at such speed that one of the crew is obliged to stand over the line with uplifted axe, ready to cut the rope at a moment's notice. The Northern whales almost invariably make for the nearest ice field and try to dive under it. In one instance a Rorqual, which had been harpooned in mistake for a Greenland whale, rushed off with such unexpected speed that it shot under an ice field before the line could be cut, and neither crew nor boat were ever heard of afterward.

It is, by the way, fortunate for the whalers that the animal can not turn its head or body, as, if it could do so, even civilized men would hardly be able to approach such an animal. As it is, however, the well-drilled boat's crew have just time to back out of reach of its tail before it can made its stroke.

For it must be remembered that sensation occupies an appreciable time in passing along a nerve. All of us who have suffered from an accident must be aware that at the moment of infliction there is no pain, and that there is an interval between the injury and the pain. The duration of this interval is measurable by the length of nerve between the seat of injury and the brain.

Now, the whale is a very large animal; and supposing that a full-grown specimen of eighty feet in length be struck about the middle of the body, the sensation of the stroke would have to be conveyed through nerves nearly forty feet in length before reaching the brain. Then, the return message delivered to the tail would have to traverse nearly twice that distance. So, although the whalers may be wholly ignorant of physiology, they know by practice that the whale never strikes instantly on receiving the wound from the harpoon.

Shell bullets, charged with prussic acid or strychnine and just enough powder to explode the shell, have been found to kill a whale in a very few minutes. The sailors, however, with all the prejudices of ignorance, think that they will be poisoned when flensing the whale, and so insist upon the tedious and dangerous system of harpooning and lancing.—*Longman's Magazine.*

EXPERIMENTAL SCIENCE.

Medical Authorities Whose Notions Differ Widely.

Prof. Germain See is one of the burning and shining lights in the firmament of French medical science. He has devoted much talent to the subject of contagious phthisis. Of the three stages of consumption, he lays down, the first can be cured; the second also, if not too far advanced, but the third stage is mortal. He has just treated the subject of obesity, and if he turns out to be right there is not a fat man but will subscribe to his statue. All remedies up to the present, though diametrically opposed, have been attended with more or less of success. Physical exercise, early rising, spare diet, and as little as possible of fluids were the basis of the perfect cures. If some David Lamberts grew small by degrees, others became stouter. On the principle of like cures like, Ebstein prescribed doses of fat. The system has many admirers in Germany, and Bismarck's first reduction is due to the process. It was Dr. Schwenninger cured him of sleeplessness. Others swear the Chancellor became himself again, owing to his having set all the nations of Europe by the ears and by his flirtation with Jules Ferry, landed France in the mud of Tonkin to the chin. Pliny recommended fat men to abstain from all liquids, even to a degree of personal suffering, while Dr. Oetel of Muhich laid down fat men could only be happy when shrivelled up like a mummy or becoming as dry as a chip. Sidney Smith alleged his return to leanness was due to his curates having been extracted from him. Prof. See's advice to sixteen and twenty-stone men is: Eat moderately; drink abundantly, especially warm liquids, such as tea, when Richard shall become himself again. The warm solutions cause the fatty elements of the food to "move on" from the stomach. The laughing of the little dog at the sight of the cow jumping over the moon will be nothing compared to the joy of fat men at the discovery of this philosopher's stone. A scientist of another order draws attention to the circumstance that since dogs have ceased to be employed for turning roasting jacks, hydrophobia has largely increased. He ought to call on Pasteur.—*Boston Record.*

A Man Who is Nicely Fixed.

Edward H. Johnson, President of the Edison Isolated Company, has a residence that fairly bristles with electricity. Not satisfied with telephone, fire racket, burglar alarms at every window and one hundred electric lights glowing from cellar to attic, he has an electric fireplace radiant with a luminous imposture of cold radiance, a center-piece above the parlor aglow with colored flies, a dozen electric clocks in as many rooms, run by electricity to tick simultaneously and never stray apart, an electric telemeter indicating at all times the heat in the basement or the weather outside, we forget which, and various other electric surprises. When he comes home from the club at midnight, pulls off his boots softly and opens the front door, that act turns on the electricity at the head of the stairs, so that he is not left in the dark, and from his bed he can touch a button that lights or extinguishes the gas in any room in the house. Johnson is nicely fixed.—*San Francisco Argonaut.*

L. R. GAINSLEY

Announces a great purchase of

5000 Dollars worth of

DRY GOODS!

TO BE OPENED UP

Friday, Dec. 11, 1885.

This stock consists of

DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS,
LADIES' CLOTHS, CASSIMERE JEANS,
SHAWLS, SKIRTS, GLOVES, HOSIERY;
UNDERWEAR, HDKFS. AND NOTIONS.

With a full line of PRINTS, GINGHAMS, CAMBRICS, CANTON FLANNELS, SHEETINGS, Etc.

The purchase was made of one of the largest Boston Jobbers, who being anxious to reduce stock to close the season's business, cut very low prices. This advantageous purchase in connection with the very small expense in conducting our business,
Will give more goods for one dollar than are usually sold for $1.50.

Note a Few Prices:

Brocade Dress Goods 6c a yd, good value at 10c.
Wool filled Cable Twills, 11c a yd., good value at 18c.
Wool filled Cashmeres, 11c a yd., good value at 18c.
Highland Plaids, 10c a yd., good value at 15c.
Prints 3½c a yd.
Best Standard Prints only 6c a yd.

TECUMSEH, Dec. 9, 1885.

LONDON GRAPHIC.

PIPES of ALL KINDS.

CANDY and CIGARS

If you stay at home
and want Presents,
or
If you go away
Call and see me.

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Wish to invite you to call and examine the new, neat and brilliant appearance, imparted to their store by recent improvements.

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The complete stock of the very best goods it is possible to obtain in their line which they can, will and do sell as cheap as the cheapest,

Our Holiday Stock!

Comprises a careful selection of Toilet and Fancy Articles, Perfumery, Toilet and Odor Cases, Hair, Cloth, Velvet, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Hand Mirrors, Cut Glassware, Box Stationery Pocket Books, &c.

Constantly on Hand:

Pure Drugs and Medicines, Staple Groceries, Standard Patent Medicines, Artist's Supplies, and everything kept in a first-class Drug and Grocery Store.

Please Call, Examine Stock and get Prices.

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ROOMS TO RENT.—At low price over Gamsley's store. Enquire of
A. W. MILLS.

FARM FOR SALE.—100 acres located at the head of Devil's Lake. 24 acres wheat 16 acres timber, fair buildings, 2 good wells, good orchard, balance in good state of cultivation. 8 rods from grain elevator Hotel store and blacksmith shop. For further particulars enquire of
M. M. SANFORD.
Devil's Lake, Mich.

SETTLE UP.—All persons indebted to the undersigned on note or account are requested to settle the same without delay, as money is necessary to successfully carry on harness business.
J. D. SHOLES.

TO RENT OR FOR SALE.—A six roomed house and common lot.
CHARLES BURRIDGE.

YOUR DUTY, YOUNG MAN.—Send your name and address to Brown's Business University and receive in return your name written in a beautiful hand, and circulars of the best Business Course offered in Michigan.

John Cook Jr. can now be called pa.

Next Monday will be the shortest day of the year.

Jim Hough and family are visiting his brother Ed. this week.

A full and concise statement of the farmer's rights and liabilities in Haigh's new book.

On Christmas night don't forget the social dance at the Dew Drop Hall Macon. Supper and dance 50c.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co. have a holiday announcement on the fourth page which purchasers should read.

John Hialey is putting up a large lot of new cutters, which he proposes to sell at prices to suit the times.

Musical instruments and sewing machines are both useful and ornamental. For goods in this line, purchasers cannot do better than to call at G. P. Spark's music rooms.

E. V. DePuy has taken a counter in the front room of Swick's harness store where he will keep fresh roasted coffee constantly on hand. Saturday afternoons he will run his peanut roaster.

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets at one and one-third fare on Dec. 24th and 25th, good returning Dec. 26th. Also, on Dec. 31st. and Jan. 1st., good returning Jan. 2.

Harrison Strang, of Wheatland, dressed and marketed thirty-five ducks last week which netted him $19.84. They will be just what the Bostonians will want for Christmas.—Addison Courier.

Mrs. Santa Clause is expected at the Universalist church on Christmas eve. As this will be the old lady's first visit to Tecumseh, the ladies of that church are making preparations to give her a proper reception.

A civil service reform association has recently been organized at Greenville in this state. The fact that Greenville has a population of only 3200 shows that it is entirely possible for such associations to be established in small towns.

Lewis H. Patchen and George Hart got into a quarrel in Clark's grocery store last Saturday night, in which Hart threw a scale weight at Patchen, but without any damage, in self defense. Patchen was put in the cooler and after his ire was cooled was allowed to go, as was also Hart.

"The Ideal and The Actual," will be the subject of sermon at the Universalist church next Sunday morning at 10:30. The above mentioned sermon is repeated by request. In the evening at 7 o'clock, "What is a Christian?" Sunday school and Bible class meet after the services of the morning. To these services all are welcomed.

Tecumseh has a Shakespeare club, composed of young ladies and gentlemen. None are allowed to join except those who wish to get married. It is expected the characters will double up within six months after joining the institution.—Hudson Post.

This clipping, which appeared in the HERALD last week, has excited considerable comment and no little indignation among the members of the Shakespeare Club, and they are unanimously of the opinion that the editor of the Post deserves a club of a different kind.

A few of the friends of temperance in Tecumseh organized a total abstinence league last Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, and elected the following officers. The league is not intended to interfere with the work of any other organization, but to supplement others in the temperance work. Another meeting will be held this evening at J. C. Eccle's shop, and a permanent room for their meeting will be obtained at an early day.

President—J. C. Eccles.
1st. Vice Prest.—Thos. Aiken.
2d. " " Jno. C. Haslett.
Rec. Sec.—Robert Moir.
Finance Sec.—Fred Chiverall.
Treasurer.—Samuel McClure.
Door Keeper.—F. Kennedy.

Jennie's Letter to Santa Claus.

TECUMSEH, Dec. 7, 1885.

DEAR SANTA CLAUS:

I thought that I would write you a letter and tell you just what I want for Christmas. I would like to have a baby cab for my doll and a rocking chair because this one is too small, and a hoop. And please don't take Dot or Julia away. I don't suppose that I have been a very good girl but I guess I have been good enough for that many things, and some peanuts and candy. I send my love to you.

Goodbye,
JENNIE.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 17, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Fred Teachout, of Adrian, was in town last Saturday.

Go and hear the music at the opera house Christmas night.

Send some friend the HERALD one year as a Christmas present.

Jas. Bennett Jr., of Clinton, made Tecumseh a short visit last Saturday.

Col. D. S. Curtis continues to place us under obligations for late Washington newspapers.

Progressive euchre has struck Blissfield and the Blissfield girls are in extacies over it.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Anthony arrived home last Friday from a visit to their daughter in Auburn, Ind.

Rev. James Vincent, of this village, preached at the Congregational church in Dundee, last Sunday.

A. W. Haight has a new matting upon his office floor. That and a new office desk give his rooms a very neat appearance.

Garlinghouse Bros. have put a C. T. line instrument in their livery stable, a great convenience for them in learning how the trains are.

Prof. Wolff, will lead his orchestra in person at the Christman party, and the people may expect a rare musical treat. Admission to gallery 15c.

The Bohemian oats association of Dundee talk of erecting an oat mill there. We prophesy that the enterprise will consist of more talk than mill.

Our old friend Frank E. Smallidge, who now runs a drug store at 701 Jefferson Ave., Detroit, has been sending out some elegant Christmas cards to his customers.

People who are on the look out for bargains in real estate should bear in mind the assignee's sale of Comfort's mill which will take place on Wednesday, Dec. 30th.

B. P. Anderson took a short ride last Friday and on Saturday he was down town two or three hours. He will soon be weighing up groceries again at the store.

The M. & O. underbid the L. S. road on the freight of four car loads of flour this week after it was all loaded in the latter's cars, and it was transferred to the M. & O. road. The flour was going to Ireland.

The following are the new officers of the Milan Post, G. A. R., elected last week: Commander, A. D. Jackson; S. V. C., Dan Case; J. V. C., A. M. Sloan; Q. M., Morris Vincent; Surgeon, H. S. Hooker; Chaplain, Rev. A. S. Wright.

We are in receipt of the annual report of Secretary of the Treasury, Daniel Manning. We have already gained some valuable hints therefrom, which will save us much labor in making a financial balance sheet of our extensive business.

William Hayden has bought an interest in Cone's stave mill at Cone station on the Wabash road, and will run that factory this winter as well as the one at Milan. He is preparing to run both factories to their fullest capacity during the entire winter.

Mrs. Ethlyn Clough is the editress of the Brooklyn Exponent. She wields a sharp plumbago however, as witness the following:

If a man dies or gets married or does some big thing, it is expected that the home paper will give him "a send off", but if he gets drunk, or his wife catches him kissing the hired girl, it is expected that the home paper will be as silent as a tombstone.

J. G. Waterman has indulged a spirit of generosity of late by delegating a portion of his justice business to his brothers Sanford and Briggs. His office is head quarters for the justice fraternity of Woodstock, and 'tis "woe, woe, woe," to the transgressor who gets within their courtly grip.—Addison Courier.

It was quite ludicrous to see a hearse drawn up almost in front of the post-office Thursday it was being repaired at an adjacent shop.) "Wonder if the Democrats are going to take the trouble of carrying off the Republican postmaster's head in that style?" asked one, pointing to the hearse.—Morenci Observer.

Those who were at the rink last Thursday were treated with an act not down on the program. Yee Din, the "washee washee" celestial was on roller skates "alle samee Melican man," and found a seat on the floor with all the ease and grace of a new beginner. "Helle, damee, lot fun," he remarked as he took them off.

A sad railroad accident occurred at Blissfield last Saturday, an account of which we clip from the Times:

John Bart, living in the town of Summerfield, about seven miles from Blissfield, with team and wagon, started for home on Saturday evening full of "budge," and, while crossing the railroad track about one-half mile east of Blissfield, was struck by Lake Shore No. 22, with the following result: Horses were found to be all right, the wagon nearly a total wreck, and Mr. Bart severely bruised. He suffered a contusion of the brain, and remained insensible until Sunday noon. His attending physician, Dr. Eccles, reports that he will soon recover.

AARON PALMER.

We present herewith a portrait of Aaron Palmer. It was executed at the office of the Detroit Free Press and is pronounced by his acquaintances to be a very accurate likeness. We expected to use the portrait in last week's issue of the HERALD, but it arrived one day to late. It came by the mail of Friday morning and was used in last week's Addison Courier. The Free Press can now execute this kind of work very expeditiously and cheaply.

Hon. John K. Boies, of Hudson, has returned from his Florida trip.

"Pronunciation Social" is what they call a spelling school at Hudson.

Happy is the lass now whose best young man owns a horse and cutter.

The I. O. O. F. lodge held a second degree meeting last Tuesday evening.

The Episcopal Sunday School will celebrate Christmas eve. with a song service.

A necessity for farmers and business men, Haigh's Manual of Law and Forms.

Bert Tribou, of Detroit, was home over Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. LeBaron.

The Skakespeare club met last Monday evening at the new residence of Millard F. Marks.

Mrs. John Neeley, of Kalkaska Co., is spending a few days with her father, L. M. Mooney.

The ladies of St. Peter's Church Guild will give a social to-morrow evening at Mrs. Harry Lee's.

If you would know the best places to buy Christmas gifts, consult the advertising columns of this paper.

Brooklyn will soon be provided with telephone accommodations, the necessary bonus having been raised.

James A. Lane, of Ridgeway, started last Tuesday for Florida where he expects to stay the winter months.

The absorbing question this week among our young people is: What shall we wear to the Christmas ball?

S. W. Anderson has been confined to the house with the rheumatism for the past few days, but is about again now.

At the regular meeting of the Masonic lodge, to-morrow evening, Dec. 18th, the election of officers will take place.

Wm. Chiverall, of Jackson, is home for a few weeks. The company for which he is working are building a new shop.

The directors of the C. T. line have levied an assessment on the stockholders to raise money to pay the taxes of the company.

The new cash railway in Andersons' dry goods store runs as slick as a new clock. It is much admired by customers and is very useful to expedite business.

We have had the pleasure of examining Haigh's Manual of Laws and Forms, and consider it the very best book for farmers. Frank Hall is agent for the N. E. part of the county.

G. P. Sparks, Tecumseh's music dealer, will offer special inducements to cash customers on pianos and organs for the next thirty days. Read his announcement in the advertising columns.

Henry Principal is under arrest at Grand Rapids charged with obtaining money and goods under false pretenses. Principal is a Chicago land agent and his chief deviltry is in persuading Michigan farmers to sell out and move to Dakota.

Morenci has a new Democratic postmaster and his name is Dr. H. S. Wyman. Dr. Wyman has practiced medicine there since 1870. He is an old soldier, a member of the Grand Army post, and his appointment gives excellent satisfaction.

Edward P. Allen, late Indian agent, says the Indians of Michigan will have disappeared in 50 years. If Mr. Allen will go west and predict the same good results and throw off 50 per cent of time for cash, his reputation will be established.

Flour was very low last evening. A load was going up Main street when a bag fell off, the wheel ran over it, and it was busted. The owner was too well bre(a)d to make any fuss, and gathered up the pie-crust timber as best he could.—Hudson Post.

Holiday rates will be charged on the M. & O. road during holiday week—one fare for the round trip between all stations on the line. Tickets will be on sale Dec. 24th and 25th, good returning Dec. 26th. For New Year's tickets will be on sale Dec. 31st and Jan. 1st, good returning Jan. 2nd.

THE SALVATION ARMY JUBILEE.

The jubilee has come and gone. Capt. Kirk and the squint-eyed sister have valiantly held the fort for the past thirty days. They have called the sinners of the village to repentance, they have gathered themselves together each evening, paraded the streets and summoned the unfaithful to the barracks to fight the good fight and partake of the ginger bread of Salvation. But, like Columbus, when he insisted that he could reach the Eastern lands by sailing westward, his converts have been few and far between. One brother has seen the error of his ways. Wilberforce Shufflebottom joined the ranks about ten days since, and has already mastered the intricacies of the tamborine. But Capt. Kirk saw something must be done, and so a grand jubilee was arranged, which took place last Friday evening, Dec. 11th.

December eleventh is the anniversary of the day on which a misguided whale swallowed Jonah and seemed to be a fitting occasion for a combined attack upon the cohorts of sin. The home squad was re-inforced with detachments from Adrian and Monroe to the number of about twenty, the brothers and sisters being nearly equally divided.

About five o'clock P. M. the Adrian detachment arrived via. the overland route, armed with two snare drums, one base drum, nine tamborines, and a triangle. They at once formed in line near the barracks. A buxom sister from Monroe, who tips the scales at two hundred and seventy-five pounds and stands six feet in her dancing pumps, headed the procession and carried the banner. The banner consists of a red flag with a black square in the center, strung on a beanpole, which, being interpreted, means that a hot blizzard is approaching from Satan's dominions.

The army took up their line of march to the boarding place of the squint-eyed sister, where a bountiful repast of baked beans and hash and sour kraut was served. At 7:30 the the line was again formed at the barracks, the battalion marched down Chicago street to Kies Bros' corner, and countermarched to railroad street, where they collected a congregation and gave a bang-up double-and-twisted tamborine serenade. Upon arriving at the main entrance of the tabernacle, Sister Manypenny of Monroe, transformed her tamborine into a contribution box, and every Gentile was required to deposit ten cents before entering the cathedral. This method of raising funds was a great improvement over the voluntary contribution plan. When Capt. Kirk's old English lever marked eight o'clock standard time, order was called and the exercises began.

The program was opened with a grand instrumental overture entitled, "Toe the Chalk Line, Johnny."

The Captain then dropped upon his marrow bones and thanked the Giver of all good that he was not like common folks and imploring forgiveness for the Gentiles who were arrayed before him.

An experience meeting followed in which the different members related their trials and tribulations, their persecutions and repentance. The Adrian members, having been the hardest cases, were given the post of honor and led off. The tales related by some of them were enough to extract tears of sympathy and remorse from a marble tombstone.

The Captain then introduced Lieut. Josephus Grabum of Monroe, a converted gambler, who is better known as "Bang-up Joe" for short. Joe is an old campaigner. He has been converted regularly once in three months, for the past ten years. He is a native of England and when he came over three years ago he got his H's terribly mixed.

"Hi ham most 'appy, my brethering and sistern," said Joe, as he gaily stepped on the front plank of the platform, "to see you hall 'ere to-night. Wat is 'religion, my brethering, wat his it? Hit's not like a glass o' beer, wich is alf foam and the foam hall on top. Hits not like church soup, with one hoyster in 'alf a gallon o' 'ot water. Hits not like a centribution box wich his filled with bogus pennies and brass buttons. Hits not like taffy, wich his sugar to taste hof but wich stihicks a 'fellers teheeth together. Hits not like a fashionable woman's 'at, thats made with a card board wat costs a 'appenny with trimmings wat costs a heagle. Hits not like a railroad train going down' 'ill, heasy to start and 'ard to stop. But religion, my brethering, pure hunadulterated clear-quill religion may be likened hunto mince pie. Hit contains good beef and potatoes for foundation, seasoned with a few Raisins, some hallspice, a few chopped happles, and a little hold Henglish brandy. 'Ow many 'earts will be made 'appy to-night, my brethering? Let hevery man wat wants a piece raise 'is right 'and and 'ave 'is name henrolled."

"That talk sounds like business," said Judas Priest, who sat on the front row in the pit. "I'm yer hollyhock. Slap down my name. I haint had no pie since the 4th of July and I'm gittin pretty mad fer I want it right bad."

Judas had his name enrolled among the new converts. The choir and orchestra then fiddled and sang the anthem "Salvation is free."

Salvation is free
For you and for me
As free as the winds that blow.
From sinning we'll cease
And get our release
And Satan we'll help to o'erthrow.

CHORUS.

Oh! hi! oh! Bang-up Joe,
Sing halico, calico, Bang-up Joe;
Pollywog, tanglefoot, oh, hi, oh;
Hi, diddle, diddle, don't bother me so,
Come Polly, I beg of you, Polly go slow
Sing halico, calico, Bang-up Joe.

Salvation is mine.
Why should I repine?
Omnipotent mercy will show
The only straight gate;
And then will abate
My troubles and trials below.

CHORUS.

Oh! hi! oh! Bang up Joe
Sing halico, calico, Bang-up Joe,
Pollywog, tanglefoot, oh, hi, oh,
Hi, diddle, diddle, don't bother me so
Come Polly, I beg of you, Polly go slow
Sing halico, calico, Bang-up Joe.

Benjamin Franklin Biggins, a cullud citizen, then majestically arose, removed his dog-skin cap, inserted his thumbs in the armholes of his vest, blew his nose, drew a long breath and began: "Dis heah occashun, my brevren, am de happiest 'cashun ob my trestrial consistence. Dis chile neber seed so much 'ligion befo'. Massa Joe am de biggest gun in de lan'. I'se after um piece uv dat mince pie, brevren. De queshun now am—whar am de pie? Whar am it?"

At this juncture, the Marshall opened the front door to put out a boisterous spectator, a gust of north wind rushed in, and every candle went out. The audience dispersed somehow and the jubilee thus came to an untimely end.

The exercises closed with a chorus by the entire company entitled, "Where was Biggins, when the candle went out?"

THE BAPTIST INSTALLATION

The new pastor of the Baptist church Rev. F. Adkins was duly installed with appropriate religious ceremonies on Thursday evening of last week. The music had been specially prepared for the occasion by Dr. Steinhoff, the chorister, and was highly commended by all present. The installation sermon by Rev. J. S. Holmes was a masterly effort, and the remaining portions of the program were in keeping therewith. The church was crowded with a deeply interested congregation. We present the program of exercises in full.

Organ Voluntary.
Anthem, "I will lift my eyes."
Invocation and Reading of Scripture.—Rev. Mr. Babbitt.
Prayer.—Rev. Mr. Potter.
Hymn.
Sermon.—Rev. J. S. Holmes, of Adrian. Text: "Take heed how ye hear."
Hymn.
Charge to Pastor.—Rev. J. P. Farmer, of Hudson.
Chant.
Charge to Church.—Rev. C. E. Conley, of Detroit.
Hymn.
Welcome to Lenawee Association.—Rev. H. F. Cochrane, of Rome.
Welcome to the church.—Dr. I. S. Hamilton, chairman of the meeting.
Anthem—"How beautiful upon the mountains, etc."

The pastor responded in a few words, expressing his thanks for the kindness and thoughtfulness of all, and then closed the services with the benediction.

WEATHER REPORTS.

The arrangements have now been perfected for the reception of the daily weather reports in Tecumseh from the U. S. Signal Service. The necessary flag and streamers have been procured and a pole erected on Chicago street, in front of Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd's hardware store. J. N. Satterthwaite will receive the report and display the signals each morning.

The firm have issued a neat business card containing a cut of the different flags with the signification of each one. We give a brief description of the signals.

Red flag with black square in centre—approaching storm.

White flag with blue square in center—Cold wave approaching.

Red circle—Higher temperature.
Red moon—Lower temperature.
Red star—Stationary temperature.
Blue circle—General rain or snow.
Blue moon—Clear or fair weather.
Blue star—Local rain or snow.

RINK RACKET

About 40 maskers entered for prizes at the rink Tuesday evening, and almost every character imaginable was represented. The ludicrous costumes predominated and but two or three pretty ones were worn. Miss Humphrey took the prize for having the handsomest costume, wearing a dress of black material with silver stars, representing the queen of night. Miss Emma Aten also wore a very pretty dress with white cotton balls representing snow. The prize for the most comical one was carried off by Al. Heesen and Darius Smith, representing a New England couple. Al's dress fit him very elegantly and his disguise was complete, all but his "understanding." They were somewhat large, but still compared favorably with the rest of his person. It was evident the Salvation Army had not succeeded in their mission before their departure, as "the devil" was there in full dress. In fact it was a very successful affair and everybody seemed to enjoy themselves.

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DENTIST. 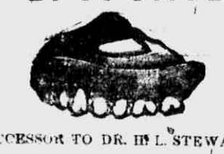 DENTIST.
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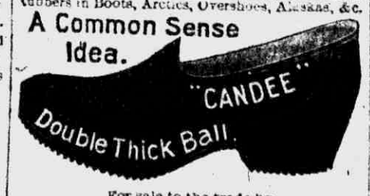

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SUN SPOTS.

A Suggestion That the Orb of Day Is Affected with Measles.

A fresh spot has appeared on the face of the sun, a very large one, humanly speaking. It measures about twenty geographical miles by seven thousand. Perhaps the sun does not think it excessive, having such a very broad face, and being able to accommodate a great number of pimples of the same size. But the extent sounds considerable, all the same. Besides, there are ever so many smaller ones about the size of the earth, and, taking all together, we shall hardly be exaggerating the situation if we say there is "quite a rash." For much less we should call the doctor in. Indeed, we terrestrial atoms could not rise to the dignity of such an eruption, not even if we put all our faces together and went shares in the same spot. We talk of having "the measles," nobody thinks of counting them or asking "How many?" But they are mere pin points, dots, specks. It is very different, however, with the orb "that rules the day." Astronomers keep a register of its eruptions, and book each new "measle" as it comes. They diagnose the phenomenon, and conjecture as to its causes and results, just as the doctors do over the baby's red-speckled body; and, like doctors, they can not stop the process. It must run its course, they say. Some day, perhaps, they will prescribe for the sun. If they already know its weight, and its temperature and constitution, why should they not find all about its digestion and habits? Is it temperate and addicted to a regular life? There is a good deal to be said on both sides. In a general way it is irreproachable, a model luminary, and a pattern to everybody else, doing perennial work conscientiously and regularly. Morally, too, no fault can be found with a body which is all things to all men—answers the negro according to his blackness, and never throws pearls before swine. Early to bed and early to rise, it ought to be healthy, wealthy and wise. But is it? There is another side to the sun. When it has got out of our sight, and beyond the scrutinizing vision of civilization, it conducts itself immoderately. An excessive warmth characterizes its conduct. It blazes out, gets furiously hot over nothing. People beg the sun to keep cool, to calm itself. But this only seems to make it get all the hotter and be all the more intolerable. From other quarters, again, we have very different reports. There, they tell us, and the evidence is trustworthy, it will not show itself sometimes for weeks together. They know it is there, or thereabouts, from the reflections cast on the sky. But, as for melting a glacier or liquefying an iceberg, no such effects or forthcoming. This gratifies polar bears, no doubt, but can not be styled impartial behavior. After all, the Esquimaux are human beings, which even the best of bears are not. Still, as the homely saying goes, we should talk of men only as we know. Report is liable to be biased in the transit or unreliable at the source. So, for ourselves, we ought to speak well of the great orb. That it does not, as a rule, take much notice of us, and that when, as an exception, it does, we grumble, is neither here nor there. Our temperature is the finest in the world, our climate second to none, and the security of our country from plague, pestilence and famine, from drouth and flood, earthquake and hurricanes is the envy of all the inhabited earth. And for all this we have to thank the sun.—*London Telegraph.*

FASHION NOTES.

What the Leaders of New York Modes Are Wearing.

Beaver muffs are again in vogue for misses.

Cloth boots faced and foxed with kid are again worn.

Boots are again fashionably laced at the side as well as up the instep.

Jackets of real and imitation Persian lamb come among other novelties in wraps.

Capes and pelerines of fur or fur trimmed remain in favor, but are no longer high shouldered.

Ribbons are much used for bonnet strings, and ribbons were never more varied and pretty than this season.

New waterproofs come in velvet-finished surface and various colors, and in imitation of mixtures and fine checks.

Plain skirts are not the invariable rule. Many fashionable women cling to the classic lines of the long draped overskirt.

Fur fringes made of real or imitation tails of the same animal whose fur trims or forms the wrap, is a feature in this fall's wraps.

Mme. Demorest has brought out among her late patterns some excellent variations of the popular Gretchen dress for little girls.

Moliere shoes of glazed kid are frequently seen for outdoor wear both here and on the other side, but with the increasing cold high boots will, of course, be *de rigueur.*

Plain skirts do not look strong minded when bordered with boucle or astrakhan plush, or when made of striped material with a tiny plaiting of good velveteen at the bottom, or when bordered deeply with any rough-looking or heavy broche bordering.

The short sealskin mantle and its imitation in seal plush, trimmed with feather bands for autumn and with black otter bands and tails for later in the season, are promised an enduring popularity until the weather demands long fur-lined and seal garments of various forms which are brought out for midwinter wear.

India shawl or Persian borderings to plain Oriental-looking stuffs are among the handsomest novelties of the season. In the deep borders at the edges intended to form the bottom of the skirt, all the new colors are combined with that rare taste which makes them seem as if mellowed by time, just as they appear in a fine old India shawl, the designs, of course, containing the Oriental conventional patterns, mingled with the inevitable palm-leaf.—*N. Y. Sun.*

ST. KILDA.

A Community in Which the Most Primitive Manners Still Prevail.

The methods by which the inhabitants of St. Kilda were recently compelled to communicate with the mainland, sending the news of their needy condition in a little boat cut from a block of wood, has brought out many descriptions of the island. Hirt, as the natives call it, may be regarded as the Ultima Thule of the Hebrides. Though a part of North Britain, it is only in very clear weather, and then from a considerable height, that it can be sighted like a dim cloud in the waste of waters beyond. Sailors sometimes notice it in formless outline on the horizon. But its coast bears a bad reputation, and the cautious helmsman gives its skerries and wave-lashed cliffs as wide a berth as he conveniently can. When the skipper out of his reckoning hears through the fog a boom of breakers, and high above the roar of its waves the discordant scream of sea fowl, he instantly sheers from a locality so dangerous. For, romantic though St. Kilda may be for fair weather mariners, the Captain who is not desirous of having an uncomfortable interview with Mr. Rothery prefers to leave his curiosity ungratified.

Once ashore, at the only landing place, the visitor has difficulty in realizing the fact that he is still within the limits of the realm. The people are courteous, and though they possess the usual Celtic characteristics they are unlike the Highlanders whom he has left in Uist or Eigg, on Harris or Skye; and even to one familiar with Gaelic their dialect presents certain philological difficulties. The island, which is barely seven miles in circumference, is surrounded by beetling cliffs, attaining in some places a height of twelve hundred feet, and the moderately level ground fit for growing a patch or two of oats or potatoes, or capable of affording grazing for a few sheep, is extremely scanty. The huts, some nineteen in number, are almost prehistoric in structure, the locks being made of wood and fastened with a wooden key, though so honest are the people that even this precaution of civilization is unnecessary. The population does not number more than seventy or eighty and has been gradually decreasing since 1697, when it amounted to one hundred and eighty. The law is represented by a "catechist," who combines in his person the functions of minister, schoolmaster and magistrate, and who, though an admirable person according to his lights, rather puritanical in his ideas of what is good for his subjects. When Mr. Sands lived under his jurisdiction, the three greatest men in the world, were, in the opinion of the St. Kildans, Prince Bismarck, Mr. Gladstone and Dr. Begg, though it ought to be remarked that it was only the ecclesiastical side of their character that found favor in the eyes of the islanders. The inhabitants were at one time addicted to playing the jewsharp and to dancing, and used to greet the coming of the seafowls with a strange song, calling to mind the verses with which the Rhodian Greeks welcomed the returning swallow. All such carnal pleasures are now eschewed. To walk on Sunday is a sin; to speak above their breath an offense against the canon law; and, as the worthy minister is, or was, the only man in possession of a watch, or capable of speaking English, no one ventures to dispute his dicta. Formerly, the islanders used to dress in sheepskins and wear shoes made of the heads and necks of Solan geese. Nowadays they weave cloth out of the wool of their dwarf sheep, and manufacture "rullions" or moccasins out of their hides.

Fishing and fowling are almost their sole occupations. Men and women climb the cliffs like goats in search of the eggs of the sea fowls, on which they subsist during the winter, and even the dogs are trained to capture the puffins and gannets. The women work harder than the men, undertaking most of the labor which horses perform elsewhere, but the men make all the clothes, not only for themselves, but for the other sex also. Children are hard to rear, and the entire population is necessarily intermarried through and through. There are nearly twice as many women as men, and only six surnames in the whole island, an adjective being usually added for the better definition of the person addressed. Thus, for example, there is Callum Beag (Little Malcolm), or Donnell Og (Young Donald). Quarrels are unknown, in so small a community everybody being mortally afraid of offending his neighbors; and the direction of public affairs is discussed by a sort of island parliament which meets every morning in front of the cottages. By and by the St. Kildans will become extinct. A few have emigrated, though on the voyage to Australia they could only be kept in perfect health by an occasional meal of the rank eggs and dried puffins they carried with them. They are, moreover, greatly attached to the island and are anxious to return to it if a day or two absent in "Scotland." The owner of this lonely spot is a gentleman who, by one of those curious contrasts in which civilization delights was, until recently, Secretary of the Science and Art Department. Perhaps—who knows?—amid the perusal of the dreary minutes of "my lords" and the calculation of "payment by results" he may have sometimes heard the waves dashing on distant Dunvegan or the scream of the sea mews as they circled around his far-off lordship of St. Kilda.—*London Standard.*

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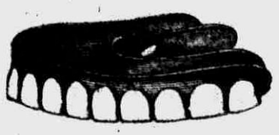
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M.
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 56 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	9 05 "
Detroit	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 59 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 18	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Jones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 53	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Jones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT NOV. 1, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 34 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass
P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A....Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10
6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46
7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09
8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38
9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
9 41	2 03	Marshall	1 14	7 06
9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49
10 15	2 36	A. Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	04	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Monteith	11 43	
	3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A...Allegan....L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 30	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
	P.M.	A L	A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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EXPLODING GLASSWARE.

How Chimneys and Tumblers Fly Into Fragments Without Apparent Cause.

"Spontaneous explosions of glassware?" said W. H. Roby, of the Boston and Sandwich Glass Company in reply to a query. "Oh, yes, I have often heard of such a thing. It occurs not infrequently in lamp chimneys, especially of the sort commonly known as the "unbreakable." These chimneys may be thrown or kicked about on the floor with impunity, and will seldom break by such usage. They have even been used as a hammer to drive nails with, and yet they will often explode without any warning, and apparently without cause. The other day a gentleman came in here on the same errand, to inquire concerning exploding chimneys. He said that a few evenings previous his wife was about lighting a large parlor lamp. The chimney, which was large and heavy, had been removed and was resting upon the table near by, when suddenly it exploded, with a sharp report, covering the table with fragments of glass.

"I have heard of an instance in which a chimney, after being cleaned, was placed in a saucer upon a pantry shelf. Not long after a strange crackling sound was heard in the pantry. Investigation showed that the saucer was filled with millions of minute particles of glass, which were still stirring and crackling. Evidently the chimney had spontaneously crumbled to fragments in this instance, instead of exploding, as in the case of the other. Such occurrences are not at all uncommon, though they can scarcely be said to be frequent. They are, perhaps, more common in lamp chimneys than in other wares. I have known a chimney attached to a lamp suspended over a dinner table to fly into fragments without apparent cause, spreading consternation among the guests and spoiling the dinner. A million minute particles of glass scattered over a dinner table is not conducive to a good appetite. But then, I have known other articles of glassware to explode, sometimes with a loud report, tumblers, goblets and wine glasses sometimes flying into fragments without the least warning. Such occurrences a hundred years ago were undoubtedly regarded as supernatural."

"What is the cause of such explosions?"

"They may be traced to a variety of causes. A lamp chimney, when heated, will sometimes break from unequal expansion. Carelessly made chimneys often vary in thickness, and thus the expansion by heat is unequal in different places; hence the breakage. But chimneys when not in use and other articles of glassware which explode suddenly, are improperly or imperfectly annealed.

"Now, here are these inkstands," continued Mr. Roby, taking from the table a large square inkstand of solid crystal, "they are liable to break directly across the center as even as though cut by a diamond. They are so thick that they are cooled unevenly in the annealing process, and the weakest point is through the center. One may last a lifetime and one may break in a night, and the janitor or office boy be blamed for his carelessness the next day."

Mr. Dougherty, an old, practical glass-maker, for many years in the employ of the New England Glass Works at Cambridge, said:

"It is not uncommon for glassware in various forms to explode without warning and often with a sharp report. I remember that as much as forty years ago it was not uncommon for people to rush to the works, as pale as ghosts, saying that a dozen tumblers upon a shelf had exploded, and they were afraid that it foretold a death or other calamity in the family. It was the old superstition, you see. But it was only imperfect annealing that caused it. The art was not understood so well in those days as now. There is one odd thing, that a tumbler or goblet which is badly annealed will explode if a spoon, fork or other hard substance is stirred about in it."

"Yes," interrupted a bystander; "I remember hearing of a gentleman who left a wine glass with a spoon in it on a sideboard while he left the room for a moment. When he returned the spoon was lying on the marble and the sideboard was covered with fragments of glass. As no one had been near it the gentleman was greatly mystified."

"That's it," said Mr. Dougherty. "The weight of the spoon in the wine glass caused it to explode. Why it is, I don't know, but it is so."

"What is the annealing process?" was asked.

"The articles of glass, after they are finished, are placed in an oven about seventy-five feet long, which is heated to about two hundred degrees at one end and is cold at the other. The glass is placed at the hot end, and when thoroughly heated is moved two feet away from the fire. In a few moments it is moved two feet farther away, and so on at intervals until it reaches the cold end. In this way it is gradually and evenly cooled. This is called annealing, and when this is properly done the glass is not so liable to break spontaneously."

"If this is the final process, much of your stock must be broken before it reaches the ovens?"

"Fully one-half is broken before it is ready for the market, and has to go into the pot and be melted over. We have to make two tumblers to get one to sell."

"How is the so-called 'unbreakable' glass annealed?"

"That is done by dipping into hot oil instead of using the ovens. The process has a tendency to toughen the glass, and for a time it is difficult to break. But after it has been in use for a time, some day, it suddenly explodes or falls to pieces apparently of its own weight. I suppose the element produced by the action of the oil becomes lost, and then the glass goes to pieces."—*Boston Globe.*

—Physicians have to pay fifty dollars for good skeletons and thirty dollars for common ones. The preparation of them is growing to be quite a business. The most difficult part of the process is to clean the bones without marring them. Medical college janitors pretty nearly monopolize the trade. The French excel in whitening the bones and making them more presentable.—*Toledo Blade.*

MODERN ALCHEMY.

How Unsightly Dirt and Rock Are Converted Into Gold and Silver.

The ore, fresh from the mines of Montana, Colorado, Idaho or Utah, reaches the works in its native condition. The greater part of the mineral earth is as foreign to the appearance of the treasures it contains as can well be imagined. Look through the rough rock or ash-like dirt as you may, and the unpracticed eye can not detect a mineral trace. Yet it is a notorious fact that this ugly substance is richer than the clear quartz which exposes its free gold or virgin silver. The bonanza carbonate of Leadville, for instance, is a dried clay, which will crumble between the fingers, and was long overlooked by the pioneer miners of California Gulch, until some enterprising "fool" assayed the "worthless stuff."

The first step toward delivering the metals from their native disguises is taken in the smelting-house proper. A furnace cupola is filled with ore intermixed with broken rock, and operated upon by fires fanned to an almost incredible pitch of heat. When this mass becomes molten the metals, obeying the laws of gravity, fall to the bottom and are drawn off and molded into white leaden bars called crude bullion, and containing usually lead, copper, antimony, silver and gold. The molten refuse, the slag, is then removed, and when cooled, broken up and dumped along the river bank, as above stated. The bullion is first passed through the cleaning or softening furnaces, and the copper and antimony taken out. The remaining lead, silver and gold, go then into large kettles and melted. Zinc is thrown in, and with its affinity for those metals it takes up the silver and gold and floats to the top.

The lead is drawn out, and after passing through a refining furnace is cast into bars for commercial use. The zinc amalgam of silver and gold is skimmed off, and the little remaining lead sweated out. In the retorts the zinc is thrown off and the silver and gold taken to the cupel shops for the removal of impurities. The gold and silver is separated by reducing the silver to a solution in sulphuric acid, through which the gold falls free in granular form to the bottom, and is then remelted and cast into ingots. The silver is freed from its solution by precipitation and cast into bricks, and the process of producing the precious metals is completed.

Meanwhile the copper and antimony have been operated upon. The mass is melted, and the two metals separated by the forces of their relative specific gravity. The antimony is a white mineral, commonly known as Babbitt metal. After the copper is thoroughly worked for all the gold and silver it may have retained it is converted into the chemical form of a sulphate or blue vitriol, in which condition alone it is shipped from these markets.

This lengthy and intricate process requires the large number of buildings which constitute the smelter. All the refuse except the rough slag from the first furnaces is submitted to repeated tests to thouroughly extract the metals; and so much care is taken to save every precious particle that the flue dust and soot are collected periodically and smelted.—*Omaha Bee.*

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Collars, cuffs and belts are made of beaded galloon.

Roman sashes are made to do duty as vests for house costume.

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Silk sashes eleven inches wide and three and a quarter yards long have silver and gold bars with velvet brocade figures, and are edged with changable plush.

Jeweled belt clasps, which have not seen the light of day for many a year, have been routed from their hiding places to do duty this season on some of the most attractive house dresses for young ladies. The belt, which is most effective with these pretty ornaments, is one of folds of silk to match the short round waist with which it is worn.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—A physician who has studied the causes of insanity offers the suggestion that the brain of modern men may adapt itself in the course of time to the greater demands made upon it. He argues that overpressure in schools chiefly affects children whose parents did not enjoy school training, and who therefore did not inherit a capacity for brain work. In a few generations this factor will disappear.—*Chicago Times.*

—Last summer a rich Georgia land owner proposed to a neighbor that if he would support him while alive and bury him decently he would make him a deed to all his land. The trade was closed, the papers drawn, and a doctor at once sent for. The result was that the fortunate neighbor of the rich man was in possession of his estate within a week.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Honors come high in England, but people must have them. A correspondent says 39,073 people there pay a guinea each for the privilege of using a crest on their plate and note paper, and 17,347 pay two guineas for painting it on their carriages. Nearly $400,000 revenue is derived from this source.

—Anderson, Shasta County, Cal., has a fisherman who in a week's time caught nine hundred pounds of trout and salmon, which he salted for winter use. He reports that trout were so plentiful that they would eat from his hand.

—A Texas editor complains of a hook and ladder company recently organized in his neighborhood. The editor intimates that the ladder is used for getting into windows after dark, after which the hooking is done.

—The man whose name gets into the paper without his consent should go and comfort the man whose name is left out when he wanted it in.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

Outcast London.

Much excitement has been made by reports recently published on the vile condition of the slums of London. In a cellar was found a family consisting of a man sick, with small-pox, his dying wife, three half-naked and dirty children, and one pig. In some parts there is one gin-mill to every hundred persons. What defilement! Yet corresponding impurities often defile the human blood. They can be cast out by Brown's Iron Bitters, the great strengthener and purifier. Mr. B. J. Strange, of Stark Lake, Florida, says: "Brown's Iron Bitters is the best blood purifier I ever tried. It gives all the satisfaction a man can want."

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Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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NOBLE DANES.

The Characteristics of a Valuable and Precious Race of Dogs.

Just here, where the hurrying throng is the busiest, a modest little sign attracts the attention of the passer by. It represents an English mastiff lying down waiting for its master. Under this is the following:

DR. RAPPEPORT,
Physician and Surgeon for Dog Disease.

Inside the modest office sits a wide-jawed, gray-bearded, blue-eyed man, about forty years of age. From the pictures and trappings that are displayed, a visitor would naturally infer that the occupant was a dog doctor. A *Globe* reporter found such to be the case when he called there, one day last week, to find out about the nature of the so-called Russian bloodhound.

"There is no such thing as a Russian bloodhound," said the Doctor. "What is callsd the Siberian or Russian bloodhound is the same kind of a dog as the English bloodhound, only the British have the better kind of dogs. Like the Russian fox-terriers, their bloodhounds are mongrels, part pure blood and part curs. They frequently get good prices for them, however—all the way from one hundred to five hundred dollars—and it generally happens that the greatest mongrel brings the biggest price. I was born and brought up in Russia, and have practised in England, and know what I am talking about."

"Do you mean to say," asked the reporter, "that the Czar's dog and Bismarck's big dog are mongrels?"

"No, no, no," replied the excited Doctor, gesticulating wildly and falling into dialect in his anxiety; "I say no such thing. Ze dog of Bismarck, he no bloodhound, he much too big for any bloodhound, he Noble Dane."

"What kind of a dog is a Noble Dane? Describe it."

"He is about three and a half feet tall and long for his height. His hair is short and smooth and varies in color from white down to mouse color. His ears are not near so long as the English bloodhound, but his neck is thicker and stronger, being firmly placed upon a pair of mammoth shoulders that look capable of great power. He weighs from one hundred and twenty-five to two hundred and twenty-five pounds, usually exceeding two hundred, making him the largest dog in existence."

"How much is a Noble Dane worth?"

"How much is a man worth? How much will you take for your dearest friend? My dear sir, the Noble Dane is priceless. It takes the whole estates of a rich nobleman to buy one, and the biggest King on earth can not afford to purchase two. In fact, they can not be bought. They are kept in perfect palaces in the imperial kennels at St. Petersburg, and the Czar gives them to powerful Kings and Princes on whom he wishes to bestow marks of his special favor. Twenty years ago he gave one to the Sultan, and when that one died he gave him another. Bismarck's famous dog was also a present from the same source. The Chancellor thinks more of that dog than he does of any human being on earth. The dog follows him everywhere he goes, and has been present at more momentous discussions regarding national affairs than any living man except Bismarck himself.

"In some respects the Noble Dane is superior to all the breeds of bloodhounds or any other kind of dog. Most dogs can be made to like and follow other people by feeding them and treating them well. The Noble Dane will take to one person and follow him all his life, no matter how much he is abused and starved or how well other people use him. The Noble Dane can not be bought."—*Boston Globe.*

HE OBEYED ORDERS.

An Incident Illustrative of the Metropolitan Reporter's Check.

Each newspaper in New York, of course, had a big force at the Grant funeral. Well, it took so many men that some of comparatively little experience had to be given pretty important assignments.

Among these was a young man on the *World*, who had been in the newspaper business about a month, altogether. He was told to go to the Fifth Avenue Hotel in the morning and never lose sight of the Grant family till night.

Up he went, bright and early, and stayed till the procession was about to start. Then he was in a quandary. He never could keep the Grants in sight if he went on foot through the multitude. Besides, it was about six miles to the park.

A happy idea struck him. Along Twenty-third street was a long row of carriages to be used by the Grants and prominent people who were stopping at the hotel. So, very quietly, this young but enterprising journalist threw away his cigar, straightened his hat, and walked out. He stood a moment on the steps, and then motioned to the driver of the best looking carriage.

John drove up quickly, and the reporter got in.

"What number are you?" he asked.

The driver told him.

"Yes; that's right. Now, do you know where you come in?"

The driver did not.

"Well, you follow the Grant carriage that stands by the door now."

The driver supposed it was all right naturally, and as soon as the procession started he followed Colonel Fred Grant, Mrs. Sartoris and the others.

And that fellow rode in state, and alone, all the way to Riverside Park. Talk about nerve!—*N. Y. Cor. Troy Times.*

—A little school girl asked her teacher what all the folks meant when they spoke of "Mrs. Grundy." "Why, my dear," replied the teacher, "by 'Mrs. Grundy' they mean the world." A day or two afterward the same teacher asked the geography class to which this infantile bud of promise belonged what was meant by the term "zone." After some hesitation, the little one spoke up, with a deal of assurance and confidence, "I know, teacher; it's the belt around Mrs. Grundy's waist."—*Exchange.*

DIED.

LEBARON.—At Tecumseh, Mich., on Wednesday, Dec. 9th 1885, Mrs. Maria P. LeBaron, in the 78th year of her age.

In the Tecumseh HERALD of June 28th, 1884, may be found an obituary sketch of Hon. S. C. LeBaron. She who had been his loved companion for more than 60 years has now followed him to the "land of rest." Maria P. Tribou was born in Pomfret, Ver. Jan. 12th 1808. On the 3rd day of June 1832, she became the wife of Sirrel C. LeBaron. In the fall of that year she and her husband became permanent residents of what was then the small village of Tecumseh. They continued to be identified with its interests and ornaments of its society, until at length, in a ripe old age, the death of the wife following after no long interval the death of her husband, they have both been taken from us. Mrs. LeBaron was ill for several weeks and suffered much, but bore her sufferings with a very sweet spirit of patience and resignation. Her character was one which tempts the delineator of it to fall into a strain of unmingled eulogy. She was a devoted wife and mother, always the light of her household. "Her children rise up and call her blessed." There was always that about her presence and her manners which proved attractive to those who came in contact with her. But it was not merely those who knew her slightly that she pleased. Those who knew her best give her highest praise. Tears started unbidden from the eyes of many as they looked at her lifeless form on the day of her burial. It falls to the lot of few, living such a quiet and retiring life as she did, to be missed so much and to be so widely mourned. The church misses her presence and her prayers, and with her bereaved family, many, very many mingle their sympathies. The faults she may have had are so hidden behind her virtues that no one seems to have been conscious of them.

Two sons and a daughter survive to mourn the loss of a beloved mother: Delos and Tribou LeBaron, both of them residing at Toledo, and Inez, wife of Mr. Chas. F. Morley, of Tecumseh.

The only survivor of a family of 7 children of whom Mrs. LeBaron was one is now Mr. E. A. Tribou, of Tecumseh. W. H. B.

DEATH OF URI DECKER.

Uri Decker, one of the pioneer settlers of Lenawee County, died at his farm home in Adrian township, Thursday, Dec., 10, at 2:30 A. M., of heart disease, and was over 80 years of age.

He was born in Columbia county, N. Y., June, 25, 1805. Was married in 1828 to Miss Experience M. Baker, and they moved to Michigan in 1833, where he took up government land and they made themselves a home. Over half a century they have lived on that farm, and in fidelity and love walked together for 57 years. The wife and eight children survive him, all being present to receive his blessing, be comforted by his trust, and hope, and prayer as he breathed his last. One of his requests was this, that the four sons and two sons-in-law act as bearers on the day of the funeral. As we witnessed this scene, we thought of how appropriate for funeral discourse would the words of Holy writ be: "And his sons buried him." The names of the children are as follows: Mrs. Wm. Wood, Rome; J. B. Decker, Adrian; Sydney and E. N. Decker, Ionia; Mrs. John Turner, Cambridge; C. W. Decker, city; Mrs. L. M. Wood, Palmyra, and Mrs. G. W. Fleming, Rome.

He was an estimable man. In religious belief a Universalist nearly all his life, and near the moment of his departure, spoke to his loved ones of the goodness and love of God, and that he could say with the psalmist: "Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me." No person in all that section was more revered, for he was as a father in Israel to all, and none who knew him and were acquainted with his last moments could call his life other than Christian, and truly say: "Universalism is good enough to live by, but not to die by."

The funeral was held with prayer at the house and sermon in the Wolf Creek Universalist church on Saturday, Dec. 12, at 12 o'clock, noon. The services were conducted by Rev. J. M. Getchell, of Tecumseh. The singing was under the leadership of a gentleman from Adrian, assisted by his daughter and son. Their closing hymn, "Nearer my God to Thee," was sung from the heart and was touched with the heavenly in spirit as an outbreathing of prayer, strength and consolation. Attandance was large, for he was loved by all. What an influence is a good, upright life. Cost. (Universalist please copy.)

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The Tecumseh HERALD is writing up the doings of the salvation army and its accounts bid fair to rival in interest and spice the reports of the famous Limekiln Club of the Free Press.—Coldwater Courier.

Is it possible that our exchanges misinterpret these religious reports?

The Board of Supervisors are holding their December session this week in the New Court House.

New subscriptions to the HERALD are rolling in by the dozen.

MARRIED.

BIRK—SMITH.—At the residence of Frank Winterstein in Tecumseh, Thursday, Dec. 10, 1885, Mr. John Smith of Macon and Miss Mary A. Birk, of Addison.

BORN.

WHEELER.—Dec. 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheeler, a boy.

BOWEN.—Dec. 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowen, a girl, weight 12 lbs.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh,

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Dec. 15, 1885:

Babcock, Mrs. John — Hall, Leroy
Darling, Mrs. A. M. — Randall, Harvey
Sisson, Phillip

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Buckwheat, ₱ bushel	50	@	60
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ hundred	3 00	@	3 00
Beef—dressed, ₱ hundred	5 00	@	6 00
Beef Hides	5	@	6
Calf Skins, ₱ ℔	8	@	8
Corn in ear	20	@	25
Corn—shelled, ₱ bushe		@	40
Clover Seed	4 50	@	5 00
Chickens—dressed		@	9
Eggs, ₱ doz		@	20
Flour, ₱ barrel	5 00	@	5 75
Hogs—dressed, ₱ cwt	4 00	@	4 25
Hogs—live, ₱ cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Hay, ₱ ton	8 00	@	10 00
Honey ₱ ℔		@	14
Ham, ₱ ℔		@	10
Lard, ₱ ℔		@	7
Oats, ₱ bushel	26	@	31
Onions ₱ bushel		@	45
Potatoes, ₱ bushel	25	@	30
Salt, ₱ barrel		@	2 25
Sheep Pelts	15	@	40
Timothy Seed, ₱ bushel		@	2 25
Turkeys—dressed, ₱ ℔		@	10
Wood, ₱ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wheat, White, ₱ bushel		@	83
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ESTATE OF ERASTUS N. NICHOLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Lucius Lilley, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therein set forth.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
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ESTATE OF STEPHEN HUNTER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen Hunter, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James A. Hunter, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to James Fullmore or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

RIDGEWAY RACKET.

Looks like an open winter so far.

A subscription is being circulated to raise means to purchase the flags, &c., for the United States signal service. The pole will stand in front of Coryell & Lawton's hardware on West Chicago street. Ridgeway is bound to be up with the times.

D. Coryell built a fine hen house last week at his residence on North Church street.

When are they going to repair the windows of the church? I thought they raised money for that purpose some time ago," is the question asked by those out of the village.

Ada Potter, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday with her sister in-law, Mrs. Sena Potter.

W. E. Barrett returned home Saturday afternoon.

Martin Palmer put in an appearance Saturday night about 11 o'clock. Too late for the hen party, however.

Carrie Thornton, of Perrysburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. F. Pocklington, at present.

Fred Fagan and Ed. Harrison returned Friday from their visit with friends at Union City.

Samuel Rappleye, of Philadelphia, arrived Tuesday and will spend the winter with his grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Rappleye, if he likes it here.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Vassar, came home Saturday and will visit friends during his vacation.

Ella Jackson is among her friends and schoolmates and will give them a call during the holidays.

There seems to be quite an attraction here for the young men of Tecumseh of late. Chas. Bell and Will Sutfin spent Sunday evening with some of the ladies of the village.—Still there is more to follow.

G. P. Waring went to Adrian on business Monday.

Belle Barlow went to Adrian Saturday to visit college friends, and to take part in the musical part of the contest between the literary societies of the College, held Monday evening at the Plymouth church.

Ridgeway will continue to be at the front. She now publishes a paper called the Cottage Hall Comet, with a Moon, for the editor.

Will Clack closed the fall term of school in the Easlick Dist. last Friday.

Friday afternoon the young ladies of the village and vicinity enjoyed a very pleasant time at the home of Miss Ada Loree. It was a genuine hen party. Jumbo was present however and assisted in the afternoon's entertainment.

Wm. Andrews who has been sick for some time was in the village Monday on business.

If you want a good bargain call and see W. P. Cadmus, on West Chicago street, where you will find a full line of Woonsocket rubbers, felt boots and rubber shoes, as cheap as can be purchased anywhere. You will find Purdy at his bench, ready to meet you with a smile, and mend your soles, sew up your rips, with neatness and upon honor, and send you on your way rejoicing.

The program for Dec. 4th will be carried out at the Hall on New Year's night, with a few changes of improvments. There will, be no program printed for the occasion. Admission free.

For various reasons the entertainment for the Sunday school was changed and will be held Christmas night instead of Christmas eve as previously announced.

D. W. Clark and Mrs. David McNair, of Tecumseh, called on friends in this village Tuesday.

The public entertainment given at the Hall by the Literary Friday evening, was a success. Prof W. C. Sharp furnished some fine music. The solo, "Who will buy my roses red," sung by Flota Smith was very fine, also the duet "Yaw, dat is fine," sung by W. C. Sharp and Ida Arne was rendered with effect and feeling. The recitations by Fannie Schwab and Rose Easlick were of a fine selection and well rendered. In the dialogue, "The Flower of the Family," Mrs. Simpson acted at home and gave orders with a will. Obadiah Thomson made a wise choice in selecting Polly as the flower of the family. Mary, the servant girl, possessed her usual dignity.—The dialogue, "Two Ghosts in White," was quite pleasing. Mrs. Gusha being the leading character in the play performing her part with feeling dnd effect. Miss. Praxis showed her kind, gentle way with those intrusted to her care. Miss Sourtop wore her determined look as usual. The young ladies at the boarding school were somewhat annoying in their fun and amusements. Last, but not least, came —— with washtub, revolver, and butcher knife ready for any emergency. The paper read by Miss Moon was rather personal, spicy, and humorous, but harmless, as it was controlled by heavenly planets.

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

Susie Osgood, of New York, is visiting friends here.

The President's message on the tariff is considered protective, instead of "for revenue only."

A son of Geo. Allison, aged about 8 years, was quite severely hurt Sunday evening, by falling out of the back kitchen door, down about 8 feet, and striking on his face. Dr. Nelson was was called.

Frank McPherson is quite severely afflicted with rheumatism.

Isaac D. Miller, an old pioneer of this township died at the poor house Saturday morning, aged 85 years; his remains were brought to Lake Ridge Cemetery.

Mrs. S. Henry had about twenty chickens stolen Tuesday night. They roosted in the basement of the barn, and were taken out at the north-east corner, carried about eight rods north to where the team was hitched to the road fence, and their necks rung. They were tracked by the blood to Alf. Lewis' corners, and it is thought, thence west.

David Boyd, about 14 years old, son of David Boyd deceased, while trying to ornament a lead pencil with the fuse cap for blasting stumps, in digging out the dynamite with a knitting needle, and supposing that he had it all out, gave it a shake over the stove when it exploded, blowing off his thumb and first and second fingers. Dr. Morden reduced the fracture. Mrs. Boyd who was reading near the stove, was quite severely shocked. It will be a lesson to several boys of that school district who were carrying fuse caps in their pockets.

Macon Grange elected officers Friday evening as follows:

M—C. F. Lafler.
O—M. J. Martin.
L—Geo. Howell.
S—A. Russell.
A. S—C. V. Skinner.
Ch.—E. Howell.
T—L. Osgood.
Sec.—J. W. Baker.
G. K—C. Mead.
C—Mrs. L. Osgood.
P— " J. W. Baker.
F— " C. F. Lafler.
L.S—" C. V. Skinner.

Board of Directors—L. Osgood, J. W. Baker, M. J. Martin, J. W. Osborn, M. Yates.

HOLLOWAY HAPPENINGS.

The verdict of the coroner's jury in the Babcock case was closed on Tuesday evening of last week and was as follows:

That, upon our oaths do we say that we find that Charles G. Babcock came to his death by colliding with train No. 52 going east on the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific railway, on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1885. And we further find that there was some carelessness on the part of the said Charles G. Babcock, and we also find that there was gross negligence on the part of the engineer and fireman in not ringing the bell and not whistling at the proper points while approaching the crossing, and further, we find that that train was running at too fast a speed for the safety of the public while crossing a public thoroughfare, where there is no flagman.

H. H. Osgood,
Willis Chatfield,
Edwin G. Wilson,
George Holloway,
Henry I. Carleton,
G. Garlinghouse.

Nathan Spencer, Justice of the Peace.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending December 15.

ROME.

Wm. Hawley et al. to Ira B. Wilcox. Land on sec 24. $5 200.

TECUMSEH.

C. A. Hampton to G. S. VanTyne. Land in vil. $600.

WOODSTOCK.

F. Chesebrough to J. B. Allen. Land on sec 34. $25.

Sarah Sanford to Seth Cuddeback. Land on sec 27. $600.

The Free Methodists are having a glorious revival of religion at Hudson. In a recent experience meeting one good brother announced that he had gone north and beaten a minister in a horse trade, but since this revival he had repented and been forgiven, and that he would sell the horse cheap for cash. Another man confessed that he had stolen some chickens, but since his conversion had returned the fowls. Still a third had stopped the use of tobacco.

A Michigan boy ate a bar of soap, drank a lot of soda water and went to bed to cure his cold. The doctor had a hard time to pull him through, but the boy now says the next time he catches a cold he will use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

INTERESTING NEWSPAPER STATISTICS.

Of the statistics of all the departments of the Census Bureau none is more valuable and interesting than that which collects the data of the press of our country.

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Why He Liked It So Much.

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The January number of the Magazine of American History will contain three notable articles in the Civil War Series, of which "The Operations Before Fort Donelson," by the distinguished military critic, Gen. "Baldy" Smith, will furnish abundant food for fresh thought. General Smith is a conscientious historian, and he gives a clearer and more truthful view of that much misunderstood affair than was ever before presented to the public by any writer in any publication.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, December 15, 1885:

Estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing January 11, 1886.

Estate of Mary Ann Bodley, deceased; petition for appointment administrator; hearing January 11, 1886.

Estate of Francis Foster, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Baldwin Webster, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Myron H. Roberts, deceased; petition for allowance of final account; hearing January 11, 1886.

Estate of Ludwig Simon, deceased; petition for proof of will; hearing January 11, 1886.

Estate of Josiah Secor, deceased; petition for proof of foreign will; hearing January 11.

Estate of Asa Foster, deceased; bond filed; letters of administration issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of Fernando B. Smith, an indigent insane person; testimony of physician; receipt filed and discharge of guardian.

Estate of Wm. F. Allen, deceased; affidavit of publication; order of continuance until December 28.

Estate of Stephen Hunter, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing January 12, 1886.

Estate of Wm. Bells, deceased; order of continuance until April 5, 1886, at ten o'clock A. M.

Estate of Alice M. Hough, deceased; affidavit of publication; administrator appointed; bond filed; letters issued; order appointing appraisers and commissioners.

Estate of John D. Conklin, deceased, affidavit of publication; administrator appointed. bond $1,000.

Estate of Wm. J. Milner, deceased; administrator's final account allowed; assignment; distribution.

Estate of Thomas Smith, deceased; affidavits of publication; will proof and probate; bond $3,000.

Estate of Julia A. Robinson, an incompetent person; notice of appeal, bond on appeal filed; order allowing appeal

Estate of Samuel L. Rice, deceased; commissioners' warrant and report in dower filed; order of confirmation; petition for license to sell real estate; hearing January 18, 1886.

Estate of John Thompson, an incompetent person; petition for license to mortgage real estate; hearing January 18, 1886.

In the matter of Gross drain, township of Riga: petition for appointment of three special commissioners filed; order of citation; hearing January 18, 1886.

An Eruption Caused by Malaria.

Mrs. B. Fox, of Cambridge, suffered from a skin disease for many months; the itching and burning was something terrible, great crusts formed on her limbs and body, and every night she suffered intensely with pain and a general burning of the entire body. Her physician said the whole difficulty was caused by Malaria, but all of the usual remedies did her no good. Mrs. Fox says, she took three bottles of Dr. Henion's Sure Cure for Malaria and it cured her. It has now been four months since discontinued the use of the Sure Cure, and she has had no return of the disease but remains perfectly well. Dr. Henion's Sure Cure for sale by all Druggists and only costs One Dollar a Bottle.—If you do not get along to suit you, write Dr. Henion at Rochester, N. J. who is a physician of real merit, and he will examine your case and and prescribe for you free of charge.

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Demorest Magazine for January, 1886, is unusually bright and entertaining. Julian Hawthorne's story is completed, and a serial entitled "That Other Person, by Mrs. Alfred Heart, is commenced. Other good articles are "Victor Hugo," "The City of Skulls, and an "Orange Grove." "A plea for the Jig-saw and Jack-knife" will claim the attention of those who desire to beautify their homes inexpensively. The departments devoted to fashion, art, and household decoration are very full, and the pictorial illustrations are excellent. The frontis piece, "Naughty Boy," is a new method of photo gravure: and the admirers of Raphael will be pleased to see an engraving of his fine painting, "St. John in the Desert," which adorns this number.

Alonzo C. Hayden, of Coldwater, an inmate of the Soldier's home for the past six weeks, was reprimanded by Sergt. Frank Daniels for disorderly conduct and intoxication. He took offense, drew his revolver and shot Daniels in the hip. The wound is not serious. Hayden is in jail.

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A GHOSTLY REVELATION.

One day a thoughtful man strolled through
a churchyard's clustered graves,
And hunted for the tombs of hypocrites and
knaves;
For in the virtues met his eyes on every
polished stone,
And there described in limping rhyme were
all the Virtues known.
No single fault, or blemished life, or good
thing warped aside;
'Twas plain that all these were sample saints, no
sinners there had died.

The sun was low, he sat down beneath a wil-
low tree
To meditate how strange it was that such a
thing should be.
When, looking up at once he saw the day had
changed to night;
And over each stone there shone a gleam of
phosphorescent light;
When, walking swift from stone to stone a
fact so strange,
He found that over each text thereon had
come a wondrous change.

The deacon's grave, which lot that day pro-
claimed a perfect lamb,
Was "sacred now to one who lived a hypo-
crit and sham.
While on a tablet shaft where praise seem-
ed destined to endure,
Was graved "He paid his sinekes up by pinch-
ing of the poor."
His neighbor—o the head—one said—had
"Died from soul confusion."
And near him one "whose perished young from
vanity's delusion."

Another, where a pastor lay, said "he was
wont to mock
And pride himself because he led the fash-
ionable flock."
While over a merchant laid to rest mid uni-
versal moans,
He read, "Poor man! he pledged his soul for
pelf and mortgaged bones."
Another, "Here lies Deacon Smith, who also
died on earth;"
And "Parson Porksoul, who enjoyed good
brandy from his birth."

So everywhere the reader strolled his soul
was more dismayed,
Unsavory things on lofty tombs were every-
where arrayed
"Here lies a man who dodged his debts and
often styly swore."
"Here rests a saint whose piety was worn
hinside before."
"Here sleeps a sinner who for years passed
for a churchman true"
"Here rests in peace one who, till death, no
peace with neighbors knew."

"Here lies a girl who died of lace, thin shoes
and corset pinching"
"Here sleeps a man who hugged his sins
with selfishness unflinching."
"Here pause awhile and think of one who
never loved his mother."
And "Here is one who captured wealth by
fraud against his brother."
"Here sleeps a wretch who crawled through
life led by the Demon's tether."
And "Here a soul whose principles were
changeful as the weather."

One stone contained in long array a list of
secret vices;
One told of death encountered in delirium
tremens' crises;
While some announced with simple truth:
"He died of over eating."
And many said "His vices was great, his vir-
tues poor and fleeting."
So some of "Flash outlive faults," some from
"M. D.'s prescriptions."
And some from "Tempers too intense," and
some from "Plain conniptions."

Of one it said, "His sins were bold, his piety
most scaly"
Another: "He preached patience oft, at
home was most contrary."
Another, "He would mock the truth with
many a cynic question."
Another had "An acid soul, which turned to
indigestion."
A politician died, it seemed, from "long con-
strained statistics."
One "Snapped the silver cord to reach be-
yond his true condition."

Recorded there were faulty traits of every
kind and measure
They died of greed, congested rage, of pov-
erty and pleasure
"A rush of envy to the heart," of "Anger in
a blizzard,
"Affection to the soul," and "Structure of
the gizzard."
"Obstruction of the pocketbook," "Construc-
tion sore of kindness"
"Concession of religious thought," and
"Envy turned to loneliness."

Along with each was graven lists of qualities
redeeming
And these were numerous on graves of most
unlikely seeming,
Where but a scanty stone bespoke some pau-
per form reposing,
The phosphorescence on long lists of good
was brightly shining.
So on he strolled amid the graves, plunged
deep in meditation,
And much he marvelled as he read each new
and stranger creation.

Tired out at last, he laid him down and slept
until the morning;
With woven bars of sunny gold was each
white shaft adorning.
But when he read the graven words, the
older ills were gleaming,
And half convinced, yet half in doubt, he
thought he had been dreaming.
Yet, when he balanced up accounts, he
laughed in strange derision,
And wondered whether graves would bear
the test of such a vision;
Nor does he make of tombstones flow a stand-
ard of precision.

—*I. Edgar Jones, in Boston Transcript.*

THE TRADING RAT!

An Account of a Queer Resident of the Mountains.

These interesting rodents are dwellers in the Rocky Mountains and adjacent hills, and are known among us by various significant names, as mountain rat, timber rat and trade rat. The first of course, refers to their native home; the second to the sound of their gnawing, scarcely to be distinguished from the sawing of timber and the last to their peculiar system of barter or exchange, so curious a habit that it is doubtful if any other animal has ever been known to practice it while in a wild or untamed state.

These animals are much larger and stronger than the ordinary house rat—so much so that cats are apparently afraid of them, and can not be induced to attack them. They are pretty, well formed, have very bright black eyes and soft gray fur. Their tails are not rat-like, but more like a squirrel's, only less bushy, being covered with fur.

Such keen, intelligent-looking creatures are they that, but for instinctive dislike to the name of rat, we should be strongly tempted to tame them as attractive and teachable pets. Until they learn that they have an enemy in man, they are quite unsuspicious, and will allow any one to walk up to them.

One of these rats being caught in the house, attracted by his size, I measured him: body, eight inches long; tail, eight inches; around his body, under his fore-legs, seven inches; ears, an inch and a half, fur beautifully fine, grey, with a dark shade, nearly black, running lengthwise down his back. He was very plump and fat, but I omitted getting his weight.

They haunt houses and camps near the hills, but seldom, if at all, those a few miles away. The peculiar trading characteristics natural to this little merchant, its habit of exchanging goods without a "by your leave," wise ways, and queer tricks, seem far more like reason than instinct. A few incidents which came under my own observation will illustrate this characteristic. Some men, passing through the country, camped in a deserted cabin, and before wrapping themselves in their blankets for the night, they placed their bread for breakfast in a pan near the fire. On rising to their dismay, not a crumb of bread was left in the pan, but it was filled with, old scraps of leather, chips, bones, moldy beans, rags, etc. Searching, they found high up on a partly broken shelf, in an old tin can, their bread packed away with old bacon rinds, bones, rags and other trash.

In the house of one of my neighbors these mischiefs carried off a lot of Indian or corn meal, and in the meal box deposited a quantity of bird-shot, which, mixed with the remaining meal, caused the housekeeper great dissatisfaction. In the same house a trunk was accidentally left open one night; in the morning a quantity of rice, bits of dried fruit, and some oats were found mixed up with loose coral beads and other small trinkets: it was an exercise of patience to separate the articles, as may be readily imagined.

With these traders, exchange is no robbery, and distance small hindrance; they travel from their homes, and go from barn to house, from loft to cellar, and through living rooms (noiseless when acting as porters) with great speed and impartiality. A sheepherder, returning to his camp thirty miles away, brought home a fine new hat; placing the box on his table, he went away for the night. Returning, he found the box had been entered, the crown of the hat eaten entirely round, and the box then filled with wool, flannel rags, remains of food, wheat and dried fruits. There was a sudden forced abandonment of that unsurveyed "squatter's claim."

Some ranchmen were gone having for several days, camping away from home. After their return they soon learned that their quarters had not been unoccupied during their absence. A nest composed of wool and rags filled the flour sieve left upon a shelf; next beside the sieve stood the coffee box; in it had been left about a pound of good coffee; now the box was filled to the top, mixed with the coffee, moldy crusts, bones and rinds that had been scattered about the place. "When I threw it all out," said the man, who was telling me, "provoked as I was, I could not help noticing how prettily the nest was made up of knawings of an old blue army overcoat, red flannel shirt and many white rags, put together so nicely and made so soft within." This morning, going to the storehouse for a lamp-chimney, I found an ordinary glass chimney packed close with straw, grains of rice, oats, wheat, a few beans and chips.

The mischief these rats can do in a single night is almost incredible. One, getting into a lady's room, stripped her house plants of every leaf and blossom, and hid himself behind the wardrobe, where he was found next day, with a most singular accumulation of goods, among them many bits of paper, a quantity of raisins, a box of matches, some candle ends, gnawed postage stamps and a lot of odds and ends. Nothing seems to come amiss, and they are particularly fascinated by anything that glitters, often carrying off knives, spoons and watches and silver and hiding them effectually.

They are "good providders," and in the fall build their nests, and fill them with stores of eatables, the result of foraging expeditions for their families before winter is on them. Under a large cottonwood tree, on a side hill, partly underneath a fallen trunk, a party of us found a mountain rat's nest. It was built up nearly two feet in height; the top or roof covering it sloped on all sides, to shed rain or snow; tearing it to pieces, we found it was built closely of grass, moss, chips, bones and many leaves of the cactus (which grows plentifully among the rocks); how they could cut off and convey this thorny stuff, working it up with the other material, in the close covering, is hard to understand. Away down, running in almost under the log, so well built around, out of reach of any moisture or cold, a clever little bed of wool was found, made for the young rats; this wool, of which there was a quantity, must have been collected bit by bit from the weeds, through which the sheep passed, and from their corrals.

To reach this nest in the rat's house, there was quite a long circuitous passage, entrance close to the ground, on the south side—a little den or hole to crawl through. In a little heap outside, not yet carried in among their provisions, but lying close by, we found more than a quart of fine, fresh-looking potatoes, brought from our own garden, and it is an unsolved mystery how the potatoes were taken there, with not a scratch or mark upon them, or the skin bruised or broken. The garden was a hundred feet away, considerably lower down, and a stream of water, an irrigating ditch, to be crossed, to reach it. One person suggested that the rats might have rolled them all away and across some poles thrown over the stream.

Destroying this nest, a couple of rats darted up the standing tree, and there we were surprised to find another nest had been begun in the forks of the tree. We destroyed this nest also, but here comes in another mystery, a puzzling question. How could the rats climb that tree and carry up stores for the winter? This nest was probably twenty-five or thirty feet from the ground.

I asked a ranchman, a few days ago, who was talking about them, if he was afraid of them (I meant their bite). "No," he said, "and they are not afraid of me; they have waked me many a time sitting upon the floor of my cabin and rapping their tails like a dog."

I have already spoken of their great strength and celerity of movements. To an observer these traits are a never-failing surprise. If a light is steadily burning and all is quiet, they are easily watched, darting back and forth, carrying goods, each way—round trip, so to speak, and often long trips. I have known them to bring nails, bits of iron, screws and other things left about the sheds, quite a distance to the house, place them on shelves, boxes or kegs, just as they fancied, but all in some selected spot, carrying back from cellar and store-house dried prunes, apples, rice and all kinds of eatables. If working in the dark, the striking of a match, a slight noise or sudden light will cause them to vanish like a flash.

They seem, too, to have a fancy for certain colors, particularly bright red, and will soon make away with garments of this color, and attach them to their nests. There may be something attractive in the dye, but knowing their partiality for glittering, shining objects, I am inclined to think they have also an eye for color.

With all their curious and often annoying tricks, they are wonderfully ingenious and perserving, and certainly possess the attributes of a good business man in their energy, industry, foresight and a desire to make provision against a time of need.—*Popular Science Monthly.*

SHORT-HAIRED GIRLS.

Silly Young Women Who Have Their Tresses Clipped for Fashion's Sake.

Poets, artists and such impractical fellows have insisted that a woman's crowning glory is her tresses, particularly red, and the extent to which the switch and false puff trade once obtained gave color to their assumed knowledge; but it was reserved to the Chicago girls to knock skywards the prejudice of ages and with one snip of the shears depilate herself and confound the sticklers after precedent. The precusor of short hair was the "shingled bang," which, necessitating frequent and regular attention at the hands of the hair-dresser, accustomed the girls to tonsorial attention. Next the fashion of wearing one's own hair to the exclusion of some other woman's accustomed society to the contour of the cerebellum and made it difficult at ten paces to determine whether the fair creature wore her hair long or short when a hat covered he crown of the head. And so it came to pass that the sound of the shears was heard in the land and the raven, chestnut, blonde and golden tresses fell like chaff before the wind and womankind had a new craze to occupy itself with.

"We have all kinds," said Dollard, the hair-dresser. "Some have their bangs cut clear across, some slanting, some have them long and some short, but nearly all have them, all save the 'dudines'—the awfully English girls—who promenade with the slims who wear imported clothes. They are the girls who wear ugly tailor-made tweed suits, with tight fitting sleeves, swing an umbrella, sway the body at the waist, locomote in gentlemen's shoes and drag the hair back from the middle of the forehead and let it go frowsy over the temples. The American sort of girl goes a great deal on the hair-dresser and has her hair trimmed regularly. Some have it curled by us every other day. Those who wear those sweet little curls on their neck, just under the smoothed-up hair that is carried to the top of the head, have them trimmed. I can't tell you why women cut their hair short. Neither can they and you need not ask them. It's the correct thing and that settles it. The last few years' fashions in female hair-dressing have ruined the hair trade. Very few switches are worn now. Much hair is a disadvantage, and false frizzes are almost things of the past. Many ladies do not even carry off their locks after they have been cut. Some save them, with the idea of some day having them made up. Undoubtedly many women improve their hair by having it cut, because they give the young hair a chance to grow, relieve the scalp from undue heat and have more attention paid the head than customary. Women who are contracting bald spots don't take kindly to short hair, but, then, fewer women than men get bald, and those that do have the bulge on the men, for they can disguise it so neatly. Will the departure of false hair dyes and patent lotions are going. Hair restoratives, one and all, are nothing more not less than dyes, and people are learning to leave them alone. Yes, hair crop harvest is at its height, and it will boom, the hair trade when big coiffures come in. It takes about eleven minutes to clip off three feet locks, and half as many years to grow them."—*Philadelphia Times.*

COREAN CUSTOMS.

Female Headgear Whose Dimensions Must Be Seen to Be Appreciated.

A recent traveler (Mr. Carles) describes some things in Corea which had escaped notice. There is a great deficiency of women, though there is no evidence that female children are destroyed, but it is gravely affirmed that infant mortality is peculiarly prevalent among girls. These facts deserve careful examination. Safer ground is found in Mr. Carles' statement that Coreans wear the largest hats in the world. At Phyong Yang, on the west coast, the poor women wear baskets three and a half feet long, two feet and a half wide, and two and a half deep. It is said, with all gravity that these hats effectually cover the face. We should hope they would. Women of a better class wear a white cloak over their head. The men wear a somewhat smaller hat. It requires both hands to keep these hats in place. The hats are made of like stuff and plan with the covering of a common fishing-boat. The fishing-boat cover is a little larger than the feminine hat. It would seem that the European woman of fashion has never exhausted the possibilities in the direction of large hats. In Corea they vary a doctor of letters and monumentalize him in a striking way. They place over his last resting-place the trunk of a tree, painted like a barber's pole up to a height of some thirty feet. The top and branches are cut off, and in their place rises a slim, carved dragon, twenty feet long, with the head of an alligator.—*Christian Union.*

—In a sandstone quarry at Kingston, Ont., has been discovered a well-rounded pillar, about two feet in diameter, penetrating the solid rock for fifteen feet. It is of the same material as the main body of the rock, but the veins are circular, precisely like the growth of a tree, the veins in the rock being flat. Near at hand is a circular opening in the bluff, out of which another such pillar has fallen.—*Toronto Mail.*

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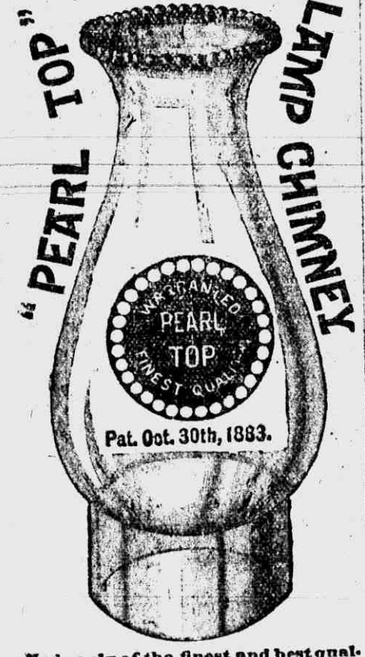

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OUR COINAGE.

The Free-and-Easy Old-Time Mints of the Republic.

The very earliest coin struck for America was a brass shilling, for the Burmuda or Sumner Islands, in 1612. On the obverse was a bow and the legend "Summer Island," with the value, XIId. On the reverse was a ship under sail firing a gun. In 1652 Massachusetts coined the Pine Tree shilling. John Hull was mint-master, and the Mint stood on his land in Boston. The first pieces struck were mere *planchets*, stamped on one side N. E. and on the other with the value, XIId, VId, IIId. October 19, 1652, the Pine Tree money was coined. On the obverse was a pine tree inclosed by a double ring, containing the legend: "Masathusetts in," and on the reverse a double ring and "New England, An. Dom.," with the date in figures and the denomination occupying the field within the inner circle. Ten years later a twopenny piece was added to the list. This coinage was discontinued in 1686, but strangely it all bears the date 1652 on the shillings, sixpences and thrippences, while all the twopennies are dated 1662.

Virginia in 1773 had a well-executed copper coinage.

In the reign of George I. a coinage was issued for America by Great Britain. The pieces were known as "Rosa Americanas," and were of a mixed metal, resembling brass.

In 1783, a silversmith in Annapolis, Md., began the manufacture of shillings, sixpences and threepenees. The shilling had on the obverse two clasped hands and the legend "I. Chalmers, Annapolis." The field on the reverse has in one part a serpent and in another two birds holding a branch in their beaks.

During the period of the Confederation, 1778-1787, the power to coin money was vested not only in the Federal Congress, but in the several States. Many of them took advantage of it to issue copper coins. In June, 1785, Vermont gave to Reuben Harmon the right to make copper money for that State for two years. He started a mint at Rupert, and made cents that bore an all-seeing eye and the legend: "Vermont ensium Respublica."

In 1785 Connecticut granted to Hopkins, Hillhouse and Goodrich the right to coin ten thousand pounds of copper cents, and on this appeared a female figure, with a staff and olive branch, which, modified, appeared on later silver coins after the adoption of the Constitution.

New Jersey granted the right to coin to Mould, Goodsby and Cox. The firm quarreled, and two of them started another mint, so that two were run, and between them produced £10,000 in copper cents. These coins bore a horse's head and a plow.

October 17, 1786, Massachusetts ordered the establishment of a mint to coin gold, silver and copper, and Joshua Witheral was authorized to provide the necessary facilities. No gold nor silver was issued, however. The copper cents and half cents produced bore the first image of the eagle grasping a bunch of arrows.

In 1874 Mr. Jefferson made a report to the Congress which fixed the decimal system, and provided for the issue by the Federal government of four coins, viz: A gold piece of $10 value, a silver dollar, a dime, or tenth of a dollar, silver, and a hundredth of a dollar in copper. The contract for copper coinage was let to Mr. Jarvis, to make three hundred tons of the same. This copper cent bore the words: "Mind Your Business," which gave it the name of the "Franklin Cent." These words were not authorized by law. The first deposit of gold bullion for coinage at the United States Mint was on February 12, 1795. It was made by Moses Brown, a Boston merchant, and amounted to $2,276.22.

The first gold coins made were 744 half-eagles, July 31, 1795. The first delivery of eagles was of 400 pieces, on the 22d of the following September. The first coinage of quarter eagles was delivered in 1796. The first deposit of silver bullion was July 18, 1794, made by the Bank of Maryland, and consisted of French coins, amounting to $80,715.05. The first silver coins were delivered October 15th of that year, consisting of 1,758 dollars. There was a small coinage of half-dimes. In 1796 the dime and quarter-dollar were added to the silver coinage. The half-dollar appeared in 1807.

The coinage of the silver dollar was suspended in 1804, and was not resumed until 1836. In 1851 the three cent piece was added to the coinage. This, with the various nickel coins, completes the list of coins issued by the Federal Mints. The shilling and six-and-a-quarter cent pieces were never coined by the United States. A great many experimental pieces have been issued that were not of the authorized coinage. The shillings and sixpences coined by the States were long in circulation, but we have not seen one current for more than thirty years.—*Alta California.*

WANTED TO HELP.

The Lively Interest a Farmer Took in a New Railroad.

The best test of a man's willingness to aid in a good cause is to ask him to contribute money toward its support. If he stands this severe test and contributes according to his means, the sincerity of his protestations may be accepted.

But one is often reminded of a farmer who, on being approached by the agent of a proposed railroad, exclaimed vociferously:

"Yes, I'm in favor of railroads first, last and all the time. Railroads are a civilizing influence; they cause the waste places to blossom as the rose. You can put me down as a man who will help build a railroad."

The agent was delighted. As the farmer was rich, the agent supposed that the farmer would take about fifty thousand dollars worth of stock, so he took out his books and asked:

"For how much stock shall I put you down?"

"Waal," said the farmer, "I suppose you can put me down for seventy-five cents, if it runs near my farm.—*Youth's Companion.*

THE LAMP.

Origin and Changes of the Popular Household Ornament.

Lamps, derived from the Latin lampus, has been defined, until within a few years, as a receptacle for oil with a wick for illumination; but the inventions of the past generation have made it impossible to distinguish between the lamp proper and any other artificial means of giving light. As used by the Egyptians, Greeks and Hebrews, lamps were simple flat vessels, round or oblong in shape, at one end of which was a small handle, at the other a nozzle, and with a larger opening in the center, into which the oil was poured. The oil commonly used was vegetable, but, according to Pliny, sometimes of liquid bitumen. These lamps, many of very elegant form and ornamented with fanciful designs, were hung by chains to bronze candelabra. Tarentum and Ægina were especially famed for making them of great excellence.

Among the Canadian French the same low, oval metallic vessels, furnished as in early days with a handle at one end and a nozzle at the other, may still be seen. Some are made to be carried in the hand, while others are suspended by chains in the middle of the room. The Hebrews kept their lamps burning all night, and this custom is still in vogue in Aleppo and Egypt. From the earliest times until within about a century the lamp remained much the same, consisting simply of oil and a wick in some kind of a vessel. A complete revolution in artificial light was caused by the invention by M. Ami Argand, in 1784, of a burner with a circular wick. The flame was thus supplied with an outer and inner current of air. Argand was also the inventor of the glass chimney, as applied to his and other lamps. The so-called astral lamps were provided with these circular wicks, the reservoir for the oil being arranged in the form of a hollow ring, enveloping the central stand that supported the burner. In consequence of the peculiar shape given to the ring the lamp casts no shadow at a little distance off. An ingenious piece of clock-work machinery was devised by Cárcel, in 1800 for pumping the oil from the reservoir at the foot of the lamp up to the burner, and thus supplying it always from the same point. This lamp, slightly improved by others, was, in many respects, the most perfect of these contrivances, but its great cost prevented its general adoption. It was, furthermore, so large and heavy, that it could be moved only with difficulty, and the very complicated nature of its mechanism required access to skilled workmen to keep it in repair. A modification of the Carcel lamp, known as the Diacon, was long popular in this country.

In 1787 Peter Keir made the great invention—since fully developed by Aronson—of raising the supply of oil by means of another fluid with specific gravity greater than oil. This fluid was generally a mixture of salt and water.

The "automaton" invented by Porter in 1804 was very ingenious. The lamp was suspended on an axis, counterbalanced by a weight, so that it hung level when full, but at an angle of forty-five degrees when empty, thus being fed evenly by the gradual ascent of the burners.

In 1822 Samuel Parker, Jr., made an important improvement, the fixing of French chimneys upon burners by means of metal support.

The difficulty of distinguishing between the countless inventions relative to lamps and those referring to general illumination does not appear great prior to 1865, when the production of petroleum greatly stimulated the study of practical methods of generating light.

It is remarkable that the invention of Hero of Alexandria, in which the oil was raised by water, involves the pressure principle, since developed in nearly a hundred forms. It is adapted to any kind of inflammable fluid, and while burning may be rolled on the ground, upset, or reversed for any time without danger. It is interesting to note that the most important recent inventions in lamps are chiefly American. A full description of them all would occupy volumes; but it is safe to say that no other household article has undergone so many and such marked changes in the past century as the lamp.—*Boston Globe.*

SEA SICKNESS.

Abraham Lincoln's Opinion of a Popular Remedy for Its Cure.

Though there are many remedies, so-called, for sea-sickness, yet medical science, we believe, refuses to put forth any of them either as preventives or as cures. Prominent among the remedies which keep their promise neither to the ear nor to the hope, are wine and spirits. An anecdote of President Lincoln, related in the *Century*, shows that he knew the uselessness of these remedies.

When he visited General Grant at City Point, in 1864, he was met on his arrival by the General and his staff. When asked how he was, the President replied:

"I am not feeling very well. I got pretty badly shaken up on the bay coming down, and am not altogether over it yet."

"Let me send for a bottle of champagne for you, Mr. President," said a staff-officer; "that is the best remedy I know of for sea-sickness."

"No, no, my young friend," replied the President; "I've seen many a man in my time sea-sick ashore from drinking that very article."

That was the last time any one screwed up sufficient courage to offer him wine.—*Youth's Companion.*

—An Italian astronomer declares that the planet Mars is peopled by intelligent beings, who are trying to attract attention from dwellers on this planet. He is now engaged in making experiments with a view to discover what the messages mean.

—The latest innovation in hat lining is a map of the city printed on silk, so that any stranger or gay young fellow may find his way home.—*Boston Commonwealth.*

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Judge of a government by the men it produces. Judge of a man by his deeds, a tree of its fruits, a medicine by its results. Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which contains the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. A safe and speedy remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Sold by Geo. Ferguson in fifty cent and dollar bottles. Healing to the lungs. Safe and pleasant for children.

Taken together, all the beauties of art and nature do not interest the inquisitive female so much as the view she gets through the key hole.

"Fear brings disgrace, bravery brings honor, cowardice saves no man from his fate," says the Caliph Omar; but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has saved millions from an awful fate.

Pansylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

Dr. Bleeken, of Minneapolis, says: "I shall use Hunt's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy in dropsy and kidney disease hereafter."

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Food for the brain and nerves that will invigorate the body without intoxicating, is what we need in these days of rush and worry. Parker's Tonic restores the vital energies, soothes the nerves, and brings good health quicker than any thing you can use.

A metal hitherto unknown, and which is said to be likely to supplant nickel in general use, has been discovered in the Lehigh Valley.

BAD DRAINAGE causes much sickness. Bad blood and improper action of the liver and kidneys is bad drainage to the human system, which Burdock Blood Bitters will remedy.

M. L. Blair, Alderman 5th Ward, Scranton, Pa., stated Nov. 9, '83: He had used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for sprains, burns, cuts, bruises and rheumatism. Cured every time.

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A Fortunate Discovery.

A new light is thrown on the subject of Consumption by Dr. Kemp, discoverer of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and lungs. A remedy that has proved itself to be a remarkable compound. It does its work thoroughly, stopping a hacking cough instantly. Sold by Baker & Hall. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Get one.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ESTATE of Woolston Comfort, insolvent.—By virtue of a power in me vested by a certain trust deed and assignment made by Woolston Comfort to me, Edgar A. Tribou, I will expose to sale at public auction at the north door of the Flouring Mill on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next, (1885) at one o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the right, title and interest owned and possessed by said Woolston Comfort before said assignment, and now belonging to me as assignee in trust for the benefit of said Comfort's creditors, to wit: All those certain tracts and parcels of land situate in the township of Raisin, Lenawee county and state of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the west half of the northeast quarter (fractional) of section number three, (3) township number six (6) south, of range number four (4) east, containing about thirty-eight acres of land, more or less, except about half an acre on east side of the pond, deeded to Nehemiah M. Sutton. Also that small piece of land on the east side of the northwest quarter of said section three (3) which lies east of the west line of a highway which runs nearly along the quarter section line through the north half of said section, being the same piece formerly deeded by John and Betsey Bangs to Sarah Satterthwaite, containing forty-seven hundredths of an acre of land. Also so much of the following described piece of land which lies south of the center of a highway running nearly east and west through the same: Beginning at the southwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three, (3) thence north along the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section, nine chains and twenty (9.20) links; thence east parallel with the quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links; thence south parallel with said first course nine chains and twenty (9.20) links to the quarter section line; thence west along said quarter section line five chains and forty-three (5.43) links to the place of beginning, containing about five acres of land. Also so much of said five acres of piece lying north of the center of said highway, running nearly east and west through the same, described as follows, to wit: Beginning fifty links south of the southwest corner of a lot of land formerly owned by Jerome Cleveland; thence north to the said southwest corner, and along the west side of said Cleveland lot to the northwest corner of the same; thence west along the south line of land formerly owned by Nehemiah M. Sutton to the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section; thence south along said line to the center of said highway; thence east along the center of said highway to the place of beginning.

Also that other piece or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the center stake of said section three (3); thence running north eighty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes (89° 27') east along the quarter section line twenty-five chains and ten (25.10) links to a point five chains and forty-three (5.43) links east of the corner between the east and west halves of the southeast quarter of said section; thence south forty (40) minutes west, three chains and seventy-one (3.71) links to a post; thence south eighty-nine degrees and twenty seven minutes west parallel to said quarter section line eight chains and eighty (8.80) links to a post standing on the top of the high bank of the River Raisin; thence south eighty-eight degrees and fifty-five (88° 55') minutes west, eleven chains and nine (11.09) links to the center of a black ash tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the high bank of said river and near the water's edge; thence north seventy-seven degrees and forty (77° 40') minutes west across said river five chains and thirty-five (5.35) links to the north side of a large basswood tree standing near the water's edge and in the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north thirty-eight (38°) minutes east along said line to the center of said section the place of beginning, one chain and eighty-four (1.84) links, containing eight acres and sixty-one hundredths of an acre of land, excepting and reserving from the same a piece of land lying on the east and south easterly part of the same heretofore deeded by Asa U. Sutton to Elwood Comfort. Also so much of the east half of the northeast quarter of said section three (3) as is now flowed by the Raisin Mills Mill Pond with the usual and common head of water as it has been held.

Also the full right and privilege to hold the Raisin Mills mill property pond at such a height and with such a head as it has been held since the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine (1859) and to flow and damage thereby when so held, the following described parcels and tracts of land, to wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section three (3) aforesaid in the town of Raisin, and that other piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee county and state of Michigan: Beginning thirty-one (31) links east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four, township five south of range four east, running thence north four and a-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links; thence north fourteen and a-half degrees (14½°); thence east two chains and ninety-seven links; thence north seventy-three and three-quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains to an elm tree about six inches in diameter standing at the foot of the hillnear the margin of the river; thence following the margin of the river on the down on the north, northeast and east side until it intersects the township and section line at the south end of said section thirty-four; thence west along said section line to the place of beginning, without giving or allowing any right to raise said mill pond higher or above where it has usually and lately been held.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the quarter post at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section three, (3) town six (6) south, of range four (4) east, running thence west on north line of said section ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links; thence south parallel with east line of said quarter section eighteen (18) chains and seventy-eight links (78); thence east ten (10) chains and sixty-three (63) links, to the east line of said quarter section; thence north on the east line of said quarter section eighteen (18) chains and eighty-five (85) links to the place of commencement, containing twenty acres of land.

Also that other piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin, and known and described as follows: Being that part and parcel of the northwest quarter of section three (3) in town six (6) south, of range four (4) east, bounded north by the north half of said quarter section owned in part by S. C. Le Baron and in part by said Comfort party of the first part, east by the highway which leads southward from the village of Tecumseh to the Raisin Mills; south by the center line of the highway leading eastward from the Jackson Branch of the Michigan Southern Railroad across the Bangs farm (formerly so called) to said Raisin Mills, and on the west by the east line of the Adrian & Detroit Railroad company's road as laid out and established across said quarter section, containing thirteen and one-quarter (13¼) acres, more or less.

Also all that tract or parcel of land situate in Raisin aforesaid, described as follows: Being all that part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section three in town six south, of range four east, being north and west of the center of the River Raisin, and north and east of the line following, to wit: Beginning thirteen chains and twelve links west of the northeast corner of the said east half of the said quarter section at a point in the quarter section line; thence south seven and a-half (7½) degrees west, three chains and seventy links; thence south forty-seven and one-half (47½) degrees east, eight (8) chains and eighty-eight (88) links; thence north seventy-seven and one-half (77½) degrees east, two chains and eight links to the center of the River Raisin. Also that part of the south half of the northwest quarter of section three (3) lying south of the highway leading eastward from the Michigan Southern Railroad to the Raisin Mills, and also lying east of lands on that quarter section owned by M. A. Patterson, containing in all twenty acres of land, more or less.

Also that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Raisin aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows: Being a part of the northeast quarter of section three (3) in town six south of range four east: Beginning at the west end of a picket fence on north side of the highway leading easterly from the Raisin Mills; thence easterly along the highway on its north line to land owned formerly by Samuel and Elizabeth Satterthwaite six rods; thence north at right angles with said line twelve rods; thence west six rods to land formerly occupied by A. P. Frary; thence south twelve rods to place of beginning, containing seventy-two rods of land.

All that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the Township of Raisin, Lenawee County and State of Michigan, being the north half, of the west half, of the north-east quarter of Section three (3), township six (6) south of Range four (4) east; also that other tract of land in the Township of Tecumseh, county and state aforesaid, bounded or beginning thirty-one links (31) east of the quarter post on the south side of section thirty-four (34) in Tecumseh, town five (5) south, of range four (4) east, running thence north four and one-half degrees west, four chains and fifty (4.50) links, thence north fourteen and one-half degrees east, two chains and ninety-seven links (2.97), thence north seventy-three and three quarters degrees (73¾°) east, twelve chains (12) to an elm tree about six inches in diameter, at the foot of the hill near the margin of the river, thence following down the margin of the river on the north, north-east and east, until it intersects the section and township line; thence west on said line to the place of beginning.

Also that other parcel of land beginning on the north boundary of the last above described piece at a point where the east bank of the old saw mill race enters the river, running thence northerly along the easterly bank of said race to the center of a highway running nearly east and west; thence east along the center of said highway about fifty links (50) to a stone; thence north seventeen and one-half degrees (17½°) east, seven chains and thirty-seven (7.37) links to a stake on the top of the high river bank; thence south eighty-eight degrees (88°) west, down the steep bank about fifty (50) links to a stake on the side of the old mill pond; thence down along the edge of the old mill pond and river so as to include all the old saw mill to a white oak sapling standing on the bank of the river below the said saw mill, a corner of the mill land as formerly surveyed; thence south fifty-one (51) degrees east, one chain and sixty-five (1.65) links; thence south sixteen and one-half (16½) degrees west, about two chains (2) to the margin of the river; thence down along the margin of the river to the place of beginning together with the mill privilege connected with the same.

Together with all and singular, the buildings water power and machinery connected therewith, and all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise pertaining.

TECUMSEH, Mich., November 4th, 1885.
Terms of sale, cash.

EDGAR A. TRIBOU,
Assignee of Woolston Comfort.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and state of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor England, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the second day of January, 1886, and on the 27th day of May 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 23rd day of November 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Nov 26th, 1885.

JEHIEL DAVIDSON.
DAVID JONES.
Commissioners.
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ESTATE OF STEPHEN HUNTER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 14th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen Hunter, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James A. Hunter, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to James Fillmore or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of January next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered. That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate

(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. dec17

ESTATE OF ERASTUS N. NICHOLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Lucius Lilley, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therein set forth.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of January, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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OUR CLUB LIST FOR 1886.

Fully recognizing the tendency of the times towards lower prices, we have decided to adopt a club system in lieu of premiums. Subscriptions for any newspaper or magazine published will be taken at reduced rates, but our regular special club list will be short and sweet.—Nearly every subscriber to the HERALD also takes the Detroit Free Press, the Detroit Tribune or the Michigan Farmer. We shall furnish these papers clubbed with the HERALD at the following rates:

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Twenty-five cents will pay for a trial trip of three months with the HERALD alone. New subscribers, paying at once, will receive the present month of December free.

A WORD ABOUT NEWSPAPERS.

The Tecumseh HERALD last week printed a twelve page paper, embracing a holiday and Clinton supplement. We have looked it over carefully, but fail to find a line in it regarding the president's message, or any congressional news. Perhaps Bro. Stacy is not aware that congress is in session, or that a message has been delivered.

The above clipping is taken from last week's Adrian Press. Perhaps editor Stearns intended it as a criticism. Whether that be so or not, it affords a good text from which to preach a short homily on the sphere and proper management of a local newspaper.

The first number of the HERALD was issued in the month of May, 1850. During the ten years succeeding that date, it is probably true that a majority of the HERALD subscribers took no other newspaper. They looked to their home paper for foreign news, President's messages, Congressional proceedings, and a general news summary from the four quarters of the globe. But times have changed since then. People now take their home paper for local news, and rely on some metropolitan sheet for weightier matters. What the custom may be among the patrons of the Press we know not, but we venture to say that there are not six subscribers to the HERALD in Lenawee County who do not take from one to half a dozen other newspapers. Both villagers and farmers who take the HERALD take some city paper such as the Free Press or Tribune of Detroit, World, Sun, or Tribune of New York, or some other sheet of like character, for political reading and general news.

This being the situation, what is the proper plan for a local newspaper to adopt? To duplicate the general news found in other papers, or to let the general news slide and give additional space to home matter? After ten years' experience in publishing a local newspaper, we have decided to adopt the latter course, and the fact that the HERALD'S subscription list is constantly growing is pretty convincing proof that our subscribers' views coincide with our own on this point. We think we are strictly within the truth in saying that nine out of ten men who have discontinued the HERALD during the past five years have done so on account of some political or outside matter that appeared in its columns, not from any dissatisfaction with the local management of the paper.

The editor of a political organ like the Press may feel under obligation to print the message and doings of Congress, but we are not troubled in that way. The HERALD is nobody's organ but the proprietor's, and our aim and desire is to publish a first class *local newspaper*. The longer we publish a newspaper the stronger is our belief in the correctness of our theory. In fact we design, with the beginning of the new year, to make improvements in this direction, to substitute more home and neighborhood news in place of the miscellaneous reading matter which now fills our inside pages, and we feel confident that the numerous patrons of the HERALD will approve of and appreciate the change.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19, 1885.

Washington has already assumed a holiday appearance. The stores and shop windows never presented more attractive displays and on the business streets crowds of promenaders and shoppers made a scene full of color and spirit. Christmas purchasers occupy the minds and take much of the time of a large portion of the community. Many people are wise enough to follow advice of the merchants in buying early thus avoiding the great rush and having at the same time the benefit of selection from complete assortments. This activity will go on and increase until it reaches the climax the night before Christmas.

Capitol Hill too has been made lively during the week by the peoples' Representatives, although the Senate has given itself to little else than a Temperance debate and the Presidential succession bill, which it passed, while the House has been confined to the seemingly dull subject of a new code of rules. Startling revelations were made regarding whisky in the Senate committee rooms however and in the House Mr. Randall the chairman of the powerful appropriations committee was sharply attacked because of his unwillingness to have his own wings clipped.

As I have probably mentioned before all the less fortunate members of Congress are more or less envious of the fifteen men who compose the Committee on Appropriations. All Congressmen are anxious to make appropriations and a large majority of them favor that feature of the new code of rules which distributes the Appropriation bills among different committees.

Mr. Randall holds that such a disposition of his bills would lead to unparalled corruption and extravagance, something which had never been charged upon his committee. But members talk about the prosperous growth of the country, and argue that the appropriations should keep pace with it. They also talk about individual honesty and capacity.—They say, "Why should fifteen men assume all the honesty and economy in the House?"

This discussion of the rules will most likely consume the entire week if not a longer time, and though the new code may not pass in its present shape, it will probably be adopted with amendments. Those who want to get on the several Appropriation committees will vote for it, those who favor some of the other propositions involved in it will vote for it, those who want to beat Mr. Randall will vote for it, and those who want some change and don't know just what it is will vote for it. This category includes a majority of the House.

During this discussion Mr. Randall had received some very hard personal thrusts regarding his official course and his management of the people's money. On more than one occasion he was tempted to lose his temper, than which there is nothing a statesman can so ill afford to be without.—In debate he mentioned that notwithstanding the fact that President Arthur had declared in his message against it, the Committee on Rivers and Harbors in the forty-seventh Congress had a large appropriation made. An excited Republican member sprang to his feet at this point, and declared that it was the most injudicious and uncalled for act of ex-president Arthur's administration.—"My four Republican colleagues and myself," said he, "voted for that appropriation, and we came back to the House." "Well," replied Mr. Randall, "I voted against it, and I believe I too, came back to this House."

In the Senate prohibition was sprung by the proposition to prohibit the sale, exhibition or use of liquors in the Capitol restaurants. It led to an animated and rather farcical discussion of temperance, in which Senators Cockrell, Vest, Ingalls, Frye, Maxey, Saulsbury, Manderson and Teller took part.

Senator Cockrell, of Missouri, made some grave charges of dissipation in committee rooms. He had also seen Senators so completely under the influence of whiskey in the discussions that for the sake of decency the Senate had adjourned. He volunteered to give names if Senators desired them, at which proposition there was laughter.

Senator Frye, of Maine, said no reform had ever made such strides as temperance. He had been in the Senate six years but had never seen two Senators in the condition indicated by Mr. Cockrell; he did not know that he had ever seen one unfit for business. Personally he wanted to see all liquors excluded from the Capitol, but temperance people could not get all the emperance they wanted, they had to take all they could get. The old rule prohibiting the sale of fermented liquors in the Capitol was adhered to.

The Public Herald for December is on our table. It is published by Lum Smith, at 706 Chestnut St., Philadelphia. The editor is still pursuing his good work of exposing frauds. Long may it wave.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT, DECEMBER 1, '85.

For this report returns have been received from 804 correspondents, representing 634 townships. Five hundred and thirty-nine of these returns are from 382 townships in the southern four tiers of counties.

The condition of wheat in the southern four tiers of counties is 94, and in the northern counties 100 representing vitality and growth of average years. One year ago the condition in the southern counties was 104, and in the northern counties 103. Clover seed will average about one and 66-hundredths bushels per acre in the State. The condition of live stock is estimated about one per cent below an average.

Reports have been received of the quantity of wheat marketed by farmers during the month of September at 325 elevators and mills. Of these, 263 are in the southern four tiers of counties, which is forty-six per cent of the whole number of elevators and mills in these counties. The total number of bushels reported marketed is 1,072,739, of which 222,352 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 329,285 bushels in the second tier; 198,456 bushels in the third tier; 211,014 bushels in the fourth tier; and 111,632 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. At 31 elevators and mills, or ten per cent of the whole number from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in August, September, October, and November, is 7,748,870, which is 3,345,445 bushels more than reported marketed during the same months in 1884.

It will be noticed that while the number of reports received from elevators and mills is only six less than received for the November report, yet the quantity of wheat reported marketed in November is less than one-half the quantity of wheat reported marketed in October. The number of elevators and mills from which reports have been received for both months is 245. At these the quantity marketed in October was 1,733,305 bushels, and in November, 871,503 bushels, a decrease of fifty per cent.

The nature and causes of the potato rot, now so prevalent in this State, have been carefully investigated at the Botanical Laboratory of our State University by Prof. V. M. Spalding and Mr. Erwin F. Smith, and the latter gentleman has kindly furnished the following article for publication in this Report.

THE POTATO ROT.

The rot which has this season destroyed nearly one-third of the potato crop in Michigan, and a still larger per cent in New York and neighboring States is identical with that which caused the great famine in Ireland in 1847. Michigan annually raises about 9,000,000 bushels of potatoes, and though we are in no danger of starvation should the entire potato crop be destroyed for a series of years, the loss of even a third or a quarter of the crop bears heavily on the prosperity of the farming community. The importance, then, of the potato crop, and the probability of the return of the rot next year with increased destructiveness should the season be wet, makes it desirable to give the widest possible currency to sound knowledge of the nature of the disease and the measures which can be used to check its spread.

PREVENTIVE MEASURES.

1. From what has been said it follows that the parasite may often live over winter in the tops of decaying tubers left in the fields after harvest. Prudence would, therefore, dictate the complete removal and destruction of such refuse. It should be buried or burned. It should not be used for compost.

2. Store the harvested crop in dry cellars, and sort over several times, at short intervals, carefully removing from the bins every tuber which shows the least sign of decay. Remove, also, to a separate pile, those tubers which have been lying in contact with the diseased ones. The sorting will be facilitated and the decay hindered by storing the tubers in casks, barrels or small boxes. Potatoes buried in quantity in fields will be likely to rot *in toto* during the coming winter if, by chance, any infected tubers were buried with the sound ones.

3. Plant next season only tubers which are entirely sound, outside and inside. The black spots contain the fungus. Some tubers may appear sound on the surface and be diseased within. Determine the soundness of the tubers by cutting at planting time. To plant diseased potatoes will insure a continuation of the rot.

4. Even if direction No. 1 has been followed, more or less of the potato fungus will probably remain over winter in the fields ready to grow if there is an opportunity. Do not, therefore, plant in the same fields as last year, nor in adjoining ones, nor near fields planted by neighbors if some remote locality can be found.

5. Take advantage of the prevailing direction of the wind. Our summer and autumn winds are chiefly from points between S. and W. There is, therefore, a chance of escaping wind-blown spores by planting to the S. W. of other potato fields, or to the N. E. of woodlands or other large uncultivated tracts.

6. The growth of the parasite is favored by moisture and stopped by drouth. It is rapid in rainy weather and when there are heavy dews. Usually the rot is much worse upon clay land or other soils which retain moisture. Choose, therefore, a light and dry soil for planting.

It has been shown experimentally that, with only moderate watering, the summer spores will penetrate the soil to a depth of several inches, consequently "hilling up" will not protect. The probabilities are, also, that no substances can be dusted upon or otherwise applied to the growing plants with much benefit. If some varieties of the potato are less subject to the rot than others, a thing not improbable, the present state of our knowledge does not enable us to say positively which they are.

Botanical Laboratory, University of Michigan, Dec. 10, 1885.

Bro. Samson, of the Blissfield Advance, is getting in earnest. He says: We want everybody that owes us to square up before the first of January. A call by the constable may be the result, if you don't.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

The new $8,000 bridge at Allegan is completed.

Leonard's saw mill, near Farwell, burned last week. Loss $6,000.

The old woolen mills at Owosso are to be turned into a blind factory.

Charles Ehlers and Albert VanDrie, Jackson, laborers, have drawn $1,200 in a southern lottery fraud.

Symes Brothers, of Bancroft, has erected a $10,000 furniture factory, which will employ forty hands.

Chief Engineer Ellsworth of the East Saginaw fire department, dropped dead of heart disease last week.

Michigan shippers are filling up Minnesota dealers with wolverine potatoes. The Minnesota crop is short.

United States Marshal D. R. Waters has declared the office of the deputy marshal for Van Buren county vacant.

The explosion of four boxes of dynamite, blew the dry house of the Wolverine mine, at Calumet, to pieces last week.

John Handy has been missing from his home in Royal Oak for the past 40 days, and his family fear that he has met foul play.

Meredith denies the possession of thirteen saloons and claims but nine, which derive their support from the surrounding lumber camps.

The board of health reports diphtheria at 80 places, typhoid fever at nine places, and measles at Grand Rapids, Humbolt and Vernon.

F. W. Mayer's house, at Holt, was burglarized Saturday night. Mortgages, notes, and insurance policies, all made to G. W. Mayer were taken.

Don't address any more letters to Bohemian, Ontonagon county. Since the cold weather set in the name of the place has been changed to Greenland.

The residence of John Rababo, at Royal Oak, burned last week. The building which was formerly used as an orphan asylum was valued at $3,000.

A dangerous counterfeit silver dollar has made its appearance in Kalamazoo. Its ring and weight are nearly perfect, but it will not go through a tester.

The congregational and presbyterian society of Battle Creek, the Rev. Reed Stuart's church, has changed the name to the Independent congregational society.

Frederick Schneider, son of Col. Schneider of the Second Michigan infantry, has been ordered to Washington for examination for admission to the signal service.

Hollanders who have secured the barren land in Grant township, Oceana county, for a mere song, are said to be making a good living. The land was supposed to be almost worthless.

The Grand Traverse Herald will never, no never, be satisfied until murderers are deprived of the power to do further injury to society, but it wants the killing to be done in a civilized manner—by electricity.

John Hammond, aged 76, and Mrs. Mann, over whose head 60 years have passed, both of Grand Ledge, were married last week. Their friends are expressing the hope that they may live to celebrate the golden anniversary.

Eddie Dalton and Eddie Reagan, charged with assaulting the captain of the Charlotte salvation army, were acquitted, and the friends of the little fellows showed their appreciation of the jury's good work by setting up a big oyster supper after the verdict was rendered.

James Phillips, of Morley, was caught in a snow storm, became bewildered and got lost. He would have died, but Kittie Cahill, for whose father Phillips was working, told the other employees that unless they made a search for the lost man she would, and thus shamed them into looking him up. Phillips was found in an exhausted condition.

A Saranac young man wanted to get married, but he didn't want to pay too much for the job, hence he got bids from the preachers, one of whom demanded $3 for the job, while the second was willing to tie the knot for $2. The Saranac young man chose the latter, and he is well married and $1 richer than he would have been had no competition existed.

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CLINTON CHRONICLES.

Gertie and Kittie Millspaugh are passing the week pleasantly, with their cousins who dropped in upon them from Jackson. On Monday evening they provised a happy gathering of friends at their home and the hours were pleasantly passed with their guests, Fred and Ida Ostrander.

The public given by the C. H. S. L. S. at Town Hall, Friday evening last, was patronized by a large and appreciative audience, and the exercises were good and fully up to the standard maintained by the pupils of the High School in all their undertakings since the advent of its present management. Indeed the Clinton school is gaining a reputation abroad to which our citizens may look with pride and satisfaction. The society above refered to, is a feature not to be overlooked by those seeking advantages in this direction, and is increasing its membership by additions thereto, of earnest, thorough workers who enter upon their duties with a determination to succeed, and are nobly supported in their endeavors, by one of the very best of advisors, the present superintendent, I. B. Laflin.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. Broadbent, who has been reported on the sick list, is once more able to be about the house.

Mrs. M. Boomer, mother of Mrs. George Holmes and Mrs. E. D. Main, living west of this village, was taken suddenly ill with a chill of the congestive type, while visiting relatives at Parma, and at last accounts was very low.

Hiram Saxton, Jr. and Theron Fisk visited relatives and friends in Ann Arbor last week. They Sundayed in the city, because of a sick horse.

The Sunday-school of the Methodist Church are jubilant over the nice things Santa Claus has deposited upon the tree for their inspection and acceptance, this evening.

At the last meeting of the High School Literary Society, the following officers were elected to serve during the next term of school

James Eagan, President.
Ed. L. Parker, Vice President.
Minnie Martin, Secretary.
Thomas Noon, Treasurer.

Minn. Rose, son of ex-postmaster, Rose, who has been having such a serious time for many weeks, is finally able to smile upon the successful treatment given by Dr. Cameron, with hopes of a speedy recovery.

Peck's bad boy left town for other parts, Monday noon.

Frank M. Dean, a brother of Mrs. G. H. Miles, has been a fixture on the Local force for a few days.

Remember the Christmas tree at the Baptist Church this evening. All are invited to come in and enjoy a good time, and help to make it pleasant by their presence.

Biggins & Hendershot is the firm name of a new co-partnership in the blacksmith business, carried on in the old T. H. Biggings shop on Jackson street.

Reduced fair on all railroads, from this date until Jan. 2nd. See notices in another column,

There is a probability that the Clinton and Tecumseh boys may meet for that game of foot ball yet, notwithstanding unfavorable weather brought disappointment previously.

Clover hullers are very busy in these parts, and a considerable amount of the tiny seed is produced, but the market is rather dull, with prospects of a downward tendency in price.

The Choir at the Congregational Church is now provided with Organ, Solo Cornet and Baritone accompaniments and is highly complimented upon their improvement in this direction.

Tickets are in circulation for the dance at the Brooklyn rink to-morrow evening, for which the Clinton band furnish music.

An adjourned lawsuit, Holmes vs. Lancaster, took place at the office of justice Keyes, last Tuesday, and the court took the full time granted, in which to render a decision. We shall ascertain who wins next Saturday.

Chas. Adam, proprietor of the Sand Lake Hotel, who is making his home in Adrian during the winter months, was in town Tuesday, having come up to see about the lawsuit.

James Campbell and George Boardman came down from Franklin Tuesday to view the sights and shake hands with their friends.

A. M. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday, conducting the lawsuit for the prosecution.

Kittie Abbott was the recipient of a pleasing visit with her cousin, Mat. Maharney, of Hudson, last week.

Clinton lodge, No. 175, F. & A. M. will hold a meeting at their hall next Saturday evening, for work in the first and second degrees.

Next Monday is the day for the annual masonic festival to take place, and arrangements are going forward for another good time generally, as all like gatherings have been in the past. The Clinton lodge has handled this annual festivity, until it has become a time looked forward to by anticipants as one of the most enjoyable occasions of the year.

D. St. John has come and gone so often since his first departure, we have hardly known whether to credit him to Lenawee or Hillsdale county, but from appearances at the old furniture rooms on Chicago street, we think it safe to credit him to Clinton for the present.

The new roller mill is turning out some flour that cannot fail to please.

Chicago street presented an unusual appearance of liveliness Tuesday, and we were almost persuaded that Saturday was not the busy day of the week, after all.

The weather to-day—Wednesday—has the appearance of a premature January thaw with a sprinkling of April showers.

Do not for a moment imagine that because of the great rush to supply the demand for Christmas, that our dealers are not able to supply you. Look over the advertisements in this supplement, and call in and see the endless variety of goods they have suitable for a New Year gift, or in fact, at any time inclination may tend that way.

Maggie Biggins, who has been attending school at Toledo, is spending the holidays with her parents and friends in this village.

Eugene Van DeMark went to Detroit Wednesday morning, to spend a day or two with his father who is in that city.

The friends of Hily Bond, who has been living at I. B. Laflin's and attending school the past term, will be sorry to learn of her intention to remain at home in Bridgewater, during the coming term.

Although the attendance at the chicken pie social at the Baptist Church on Tuesday evening, was not large, those who were present seemed to enjoy it to the full extent of their ability and each one declared it the occasion of the season. The writer was present to partake of one section of a chicken pie, and merely wishes to mention the fact that all who have attended like repasts, prepared by the ladies of that society, can agree with us when we state that it is hard to modify the english language in expressing the satisfaction to be derived therefrom.

The "Three Widows" presented by A. O. Miller and company, at Town Hall Tuesday evening was certainly deserving of a larger house than was given. The parts were well sustained throughout, and the lovers of comedy and a good, harty laugh, who were not present missed a treat that does not often occur in this village. The play was produced for the benefit of the Clinton Band, which fact of itself, should have insured a full house, but it seems to us that Clinton—unlike many other places—does not wish a Band at all, by their indisposition to aid the boys, who have put forth their best efforts to learn to play, that they may be able to furnish music at home when needed. They have been to considerable expense procuring music etc., and it seems but right that they should have met with a rousing response to this call for aid, for the entertainment was one of A. O. Miller's best and luckiest hits.

Mrs. Fred Bostedor is smiling upon her old neighbors and many friends of Clinton this week.

School is closed for the holiday vacation and we miss some familiar faces from our midst, who are at their homes awaiting the advent of the christmas pie.

The exercises and supper by the Congregational society to the Sunday-school and others, at Town Hall, last evening, was well attended and taking into consideration the events that have transpired within the past two weeks, it certainly was a great success, not an undeserving one however, as all present will acknowledge.

See Robert Reddick and liquidate at once, and save extra per centage.

"Patronize your home market." That is just what we say, and with two such good markets as Clinton possesses we don't see any call for a reminder even. Why just step in at the new market once and see the tempting exhibition there displayed.

James Bradner and daughter returned from their visit to the "forest city," Tuesday evening, and report a good time during their entire absence.

Read our club list and then subscribe for the HERALD.

A Regular "D. B."

Not long ago a well-known newspaper man took day board at the Sherman House, says the Chicago *Times*. He was at home in the place, and was a privileged character. One day he sauntered behind the office counter into the regions that are supposed to be sacred to gentlemen who wear diamonds and address congressmen, governors, tourists, porters, newsboys and other statesmen by their first names, when his eye happened to catch sight of his own name on a slip with others over the bookkeeper's desk. He would not have given it a passing thought had not the letters "D. B." been attached. He "dew off the handle" on the instant, and demanded an interview with the proprietor. That august functionary was found, and to him the irate journalist addressed a few remarks. "Do I owe you anything?" he asked. "No, sir," was the prompt reply. "I have paid my bills all right so far as you know, haven't I?" "Certainly. I have no complaint to make."

"Then why do you permit your clerk to post me over his desk as a 'D. B.?'"

"I do not; there must be some mistake."

The journalist assured him that there was no mistake, and that he had seen the objectionable and significant letters with his own eyes. The more he thought of it the madder he got. The proprietor could not pacify him until he promised to have the matter investigated and the guilty man punished. It was found that the night clerk had perpetrated the outrage, and that evening the injured citizen took an early opportunity to take him to task. "What did you mean by putting 'D. B.' after my name?" inquired the newspaper man. "O, go away," he replied, thinking his interlocutor was "chaffing," as was his custom "don't bother me." "No, I won't go away, and I demand a civil answer to my question."

The clerk looked up and saw an angry man in front of him. Then his countenance was suddenly bisected by a grin, and he doubled up like a man with the colic. "You took day-board, didn't you?" he inquired, as soon as he regained his composure. "Yes, I did, and I have paid for all the day-board I have enjoyed." "So you have," was the soothing response, "but just come around here a minute, till I show you something. You see you are in good company. You are an associate of several millionaires and railroad magnates. They are each and every one designated the same way, 'D. B.' That is short for 'day-board.' Regular boarders are marked 'R. B.'"

The journalist spent a week's salary trying to bribe his audience with liquid nourishment to keep still, but like all good things the joke leaked.

How They Meet and Part.

A gentleman lately took down verbatim the conversation of two fashionable ladies during a morning call—viz: "How do you do, dear?" "Pretty well, thank you." (They kiss.) "How have you been this age?" Pretty well. How have you been?" "Very well, thank you." "Pleasant to-day." "Yes, very bright, but had a shower yesterday." "All your family quite well?" "Quite well, thanks. How is yours?" "Oh, very well thank you." "Have you seen Mary B. lately?" "No, but I have seen Susan C." "You don't say so! is she quite well?" "Yes, very well, I believe." (Rising.) "Must you go?" "Yes, indeed; I have seven calls to make." "Do call again soon." "Thank you; but you don't come near me once in age." "Oh, you shouldn't say so, dear; I'm sure I'm very good." "Good bye."—"Good bye, dear."—*Exchange.*

"Gale Forest gives the following pat reply to the above:

"Yes! and after writing that the gentleman discovered the strain upon his mental faculties had been so severe, he went out to "brace up." Just as he reached his destination, met a friend from out of town, when the following conversation was overheard and taken down by the writer, as an example for women, of men's "wit and wisdom." "Hellow! old fellow, how are you?" (They shake) "First rate, how are you?" "Tip-top!" "When dy'e get in?" "Just now." "Have something?" significantly.) "Well—yes, don't care-fi-do." (They step into a saloon, after cautiously looking around, to make sure no outsiders are about, to see they are breaking their pledge—pause—they emerge, innocently wiping their mouths, before putting into them their lighted cigars, and being primed," resumed:) "How's yer folks?" "All well; how's yours?" "All flourishing now; youngest boy had diphtheria, but all right now." "Crops good up your way?" "Well, yes, pretty fair." How do politics look?" "Bad—very bad—all democrats up our way; big democratic majority. (Takes out his watch.) "Thunder! ten minutes to 12,—must be off—got to see a man at 12." "Can't you come up to the house and take dinner?" "No, guess not to-day—got several pressing business engagements. Good bye." "Good bye." They again wring hands, and then rush away from each other as if fearing they might have to stand another treat.

Feathered Slaves.

No people are more ingenious than the Chinese in the minor arts of life. That they have succeeded in training birds to fish is a striking example of their ingenuity and patience. Instead of carrying nets, the fishermen provide themselves with a large number of cormorants which perch on the edge of the boats. It is a curious spectacle to see these creatures engaged in fishing, diving into the water and always coming up with a fish in their beaks. As the Chinese fear the vigorous appetites of their feathered servants, they fasten around their necks an iron ring, large enough to allow their breathing but too small to admit of the entrance of the fish they seize; to prevent their straying about in the water and wasting the time desired for their work, a cord is attached to the ring and to one claw of the cormorant by which he is pulled up when inclined to stay too long under water. When tired he is permitted to rest for a while; but if he abuse the indulgence and waste his time, a few strokes of the bamboo recalls him to duty, and the poor diver resumes his laborious occupation. In passing from one fishing ground to another, the cormorants perch side by side, so as not to disturb the equilibrium of the frail vessel.

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"WAIT FOR ME."

Seaward runs the little stream.
Where the wagoner cools his team,
Where, between the banks of moss,
Stand the stepping stones to cross.
O'er them comes a little maid,
Laughing, not a bit afraid;
Mother, there upon the shore,
Crossed them safely just before
This the little lassie's plea—
Wait for me, wait for me!

Ah, so swift the waters run,
One false step, twere all undone;
Little heart begins to beat,
Fearing for the little feet.
Soon her fear will all be lost.
When the stepping stones are crossed;
Three more yet on which to stand—
Two more—one more—then on land!
'Tis the little lassie's plea—
Wait for me, wait for me!

Ah, for you, my laughing lass,
When the years have come to pass,
May one still be near to guide
While you cross Life's river wide.
When no helping hand is near,
None, if you should call, to hear,
Think, however far away,
Mother still knows all you say:
Even in Heaven heeds your plea—
Wait for me, wait for me!

—G. Clifton Bingham, in Chambers' Journal.

A CHARITY GIRL.

Mary Martin, the "Incorrigible," and Her Christmas Eve.

"She must be a good girl, she must be neat, and quick, and tidy; she must not use bad language, and I like to have them pretty, or reasonably pretty."

Such was the request made by the excellent Mrs. Shepard, as she sat, weary from walking, in the reception room at the Orphans' Home.

"I have heard you say that before," said Mrs. Metcalf, the good-natured matron, "and I have heard ten thousand other people say it. So I dare say you have heard my joke, that you had better go to some institution where they keep young angels."

Mrs. Shepard laughed as she had laughed at the same joke before, and, when she was a little rested, the nine girls at that moment under the roof were brought in.

But, to say the truth, they were not an attractive "lot," as Mrs. Metcalf, alas, would have classed them. She had done her best. The frocks were clean and the hair was prettily arranged. Mrs. Metcalf had changed all their names. There was not a Cynthia Ann nor a Bridget nor a Polly among them all. Every child was named Maud or Alice or Constance, or by some other name that might please a sated fancy. They had neat stockings and tidy, even jaunty little boots. Their hands were clean, and a good many of them had a little coquettish air, which intimated that neat clothes were doing them good, and that they were waking to the knowledge that it is the business of at least one sex to try and please, whatever may be said of the other. But, on the other hand, small-pox had done its worst with some. Bad beer and whisky, alas, had had their way, with others. With others there was a certain hang-dog air, which showed only too well how they had been kicked about by such relatives as they had, before they appeared in this "Home," which was so far happy that here nobody pretended to be a relation.

One by one the girls came into the parlor and talked with Mrs. Shepard, and one by one they went out, and talked about her. When the last child had gone, Mrs. Shepard said, rather wistfully, to the patient official, who had been displaying these goods as best she could:

"They look nicely, poor little things, but somehow, I do not fancy any of them. Where is the girl I saw on the fence, as I came in?"

"On the fence?"

This was Mrs. Metcalf's exclamation, and Mrs. Shepard knew that she had made a mistake—that to climb the fence was a crime.

"Well, do not take me up," she said. "I should not have said *on* the fence—by the fence, in the garden."

Mrs. Metcalf's brow cleared. "That was Mary Martin. She has only been with us two days."

"Will you call her in? I liked her face."

Mrs. Metcalf coughed. She even blushed. "Why—really—dear Mrs. Shepard—she—she—has not been well brought up. She came back from Ashby yesterday, and she had come back from Bernardston the week before. She is healthy, and good-natured, and willing, and strong; but—but—they tell me she lies, and steals, and swears sometimes, and—and—that she uses bad language."

"The truth is, she never remembers her father and mother. She never had any. She was brought up in a poor-house in Rhode Island, and they were so good to her that she wants to go back there. But of course she can't go back, because she is old enough to earn her living."

"Does she swear very badly?" asked poor Mrs. Shepard, who was afraid of compromising her church membership.

"To tell you the truth, I never heard her say anything worse than *devil*, but Mrs. Goss—she is the Bernardston lady—says she swears all the time."

But, as the reader knows, the woman who hesitates is lost. Mrs. Shepard had liked the pleasant smile of the girl, who was astride on the wall of the Home as she went in. She asked to have her sent for, and the result, which is all that the reader need care for, was that in the three p. m. train for Bedington Crossing Mrs. Shepard and Mary Martin went together.

"The trustees are very particular about their going to school," said Mrs. Metcalf, as she tied the girl's scarf round her neck and bade her goodby.

"Never fear," said Mrs. Shepard, "she shall go to school enough—whenever it's convenient," she added as a salve to her conscience, as she went down the steps.

Mrs. Metcalf heard the first part, and if she heard the second she never reported it to the trustees.

A nice time had Mrs. Shepard with Mary Martin through the next week. It was not "convenient" to send her to school; for the school was two miles away, and the snow in the road was scarcely broken, and the men-folks were hauling wood. The girl was accustoming herself to chop mince-meat, to feed hens, to skim milk, to work a rotary churn, to sprinkle and iron clothes, and to do ten thousand other things in that woman's work which is "never done"—from which duties she did not shrink. "She is awful spry," said Mrs. Shepard to her husband when he asked for a verdict. But as to the trick of language, the candid hearer had to acknowledge that her references to the enemy of souls were too frequent. As to veracity, there were occasions when it seemed as if she had been trained in some school of a very low sophistry, if, indeed, she had not been left without training in that poor house from which she graduated. Honesty in deed, however, was what Mrs. Shepherd clung to as the center of her life. When one day at dinner she cut through what was meant to be a mince pie, when the crust instantly flattened beneath the edge of the knife, when it appeared that there was no "mince" there, then it was revealed to Mrs. Shepard what was meant by Mrs. Metcalf and the lady from Bernardston, who had said that Mary Martin stole.

Fortunately for Mary Martin, she did not lie when charged with this "theft." She grinned and hardly said, even under pressure, that she would try not do it again.

As for Mr. Shepard, he only laughed. When consulted as to whether a good whipping would do Mary any good, he advised against the whipping. Mary was shut up in her own little room for three hours—until, indeed, the hens made such a row about her captivity, that, to quiet them her release was found necessary. Mrs. Shepard then gave her what, if she had kept a journal, she would have called a serious talk." If Mary had kept a journal, she would have called it a "good jawing." In fact, neither of them kept any journal. Mary relieved her feelings by giving the hens twice their allowance. After tea she was sent to bed at seven o'clock, by way of further punishment.

Poor Mrs. Shepard watched with tears nay, with prayers, all the next day for tokens of contrition. But such tokens were very few, if any. The girl did bring in Lucy's thimble, which Lucy had dropped in the wagon. She could, "just as well as not," have kept it, Mrs. Shepard said, and sold it to the first peddler. "But she didn't, she brought it in, just as pleased as anything." On the other hand, when Silas Pike, the hired man, came in, when Mrs. Shepard questioned him as to the language which Mary used in familiar conversation in the barn, he grinned from ear to ear. He could not remember much—clearly he did not wish to "go back" on the child. But he implied that there was frequent reference to a place of torment, as well as to the enemy of souls, as Mrs. Shepard had heard before, and so reticent was Silas, that she ceased in her examination from very fear of what it might elicit.

That evening she went to the Sacrament lecture with her husband—or tried to. But when they were passing Deacon Little's house, Miranda Little ran out to tell them that Parson Noyes had a sore throat, and that the lecture would be postponed. So they turned back, and were at home again in an hour from the time of starting. Mrs. Shepard was astonished to see a light in her own bed-room.

She ran upstairs to find Mary Martin, "prinking before the glass," as Mrs. Shepard told her husband, with her mistress's best bonnet on, the lace scarf John Shepard had sent her from Havana thrown lightly round her neck, and, to be short, as Mrs. Shepard's eyes descended from point to point, every scrap of elegance most dear to that lady was displayed on this huzzy's form.

"Mary Martin, what are you doing?"

So still had been Mrs. Shepard's step, and so eager Mary's pleasure, that she was wholly unconscious of the fatal return from meeting.

She turned amazed, forgot all proprieties, and cried:

"Good Lord! Is that you?" Theft and profanity conjoined.

"Mary Martin, I am ashamed of you! Take these things off, and go straight to bed."

And Mrs. Shepard spent the night awake, thinking of a punishment. The girl would have returned to the "Home" before light, but that neither Silas nor Mr. Shepard could give the necessary three hours to take her to the station. So far the stars in their courses worked for the poor child, if indeed it was desirable that she should stay where all that she did was wrong.

As for her, she went to sleep without anxiety, slept till morning, and came down stairs "as if for all the world nothing had happened."

Poor Mrs. Shepard had still devised no punishment. Imprisonment would be a part, if any she could devise; and, when poor Mary appeared, so unconscious and sunny, it was not in the good woman's heart to begin a new controversy. Thus far, as in a finite world often happens, the punishment did not fall upon the sinner. And Mary went to the chickens as before.

But, when dinner time came the storm-cloud broke. Mrs. Bangs and George Bangs had arrived at noon, the advance party of the whole Bangs family, who were to spend their Christmas here. Mrs. Shepard superintending, Lucy had set the table with her own hands. The best table-cloth was on and the best napkins, the best glass and the best china. Lucy had even cut her best flowers for the middle of the table, and all was complete excepting the serving of the actual dinner. The pickled walnuts, the celery, the currant and cranberry jelly were all in place.

To this table, fifteen minutes after her daughter had left it, Mrs. Shepard bore, with her own hands, the goose not from the oven. One instant was enough to show that some one had broken the beauty of both mounds of jelly—indeed consumed part of each, and in her haste—for of the sex of the maurauder there was no doubt—had dropped on the white table a quivering mass of the plunder.

"Mary Martin, what have you done?"

And Mrs. Shepard turned, expecting to see at least a tearful face, but there was no Mary Martin. That lady had left the hot potatoes in the kitchen and had taken refuge in the hay loft.

Nothing is more inconvenient than the holding a court-martial in the presence of visitors, or administering even the simplest punishment. But in this case this was necessary. No witnesses were heard. The culprit did not plead. No counsel were present. The judge bade Silas find Mary, take her to her bed room and lock her in. And Silas did so.

No! I do not think this punishment was as severe on Mary Martin as it was on Mrs. Shepard.

For Mrs. Shepard, I am well aware that it embittered all the afternoon. She had promised herself the pleasure of once more hanging a stocking from the ledge above the kitchen fire, and of filling it with apples and figs and raisins and certain candies, which for this very purpose she had ordered from Portsmouth. All this for one girl.

No stocking now!

She pretended she did not think of Mary. She did not once allude to her. Nor did her husband. Nor did Silas. Nor did either of her visitors, George Bangs and Mrs. Bangs.

All the same she did think of Mary hundreds of times, as the afternoon and evening passed.

They passed but slowly, let us confess, as is the way with afternoons and evenings when visitors have come who have been long invited, when visitor and visited have put on their company manners, and when they have not a great deal to say, and being usually busy people, have, in honor of this visit, nothing to do.

Mrs. Shepard was not sorry when, as the clock struck nine, Mrs. Bangs said that they rose very early, and that she was tired.

There was a chance for all of them to go to bed. And they went.

Yes; I am quite sure that Mary's punishment once more was more severe upon the punisher than upon the punished.

For Mary was a campaigner of far too much experience to be much disturbed by the confinement of a few hours, more or less. The dinner she missed she was sorry for. But, as the reader knows in part, she had discounted some of its possibilities, and the reader does not know, and need not know, how much farther she had gone in the same direction. She was to spend certain six hours in one place which she would otherwise have spent in another. This was, on the outside, all.

And her conscience!

Well, there you are too much for me.

Conscience she certainly had; and up to a certain point, she was undoubtedly sorry that she had wounded or pained Mrs. Shepard, whom she really liked, and for whose kindness she was really grateful. But this sorrow was mixed with a certain regret for the accident by which, as she supposed, she had been betrayed—the "gob," as she would have called it, on the table cloth. Mrs. Shepard's pride in the elegance of her jelly-mould was wholly beyond Mary's comprehension. As for a sense that she had taken what was not hers, this pained her but little. She looked on food much as a squirrel looks on nuts, with a vague notion of *meum*, perhaps, but only a very vague notion of tuum.

No, dear reader—of remorse, as you and I try to fancy remorse, as a gnawing fang or tooth which will never be satisfied—of that our poor Mary had virtually none.

She lay on her bed, comfortably covered with the bed quilt, and, raised by her elbow, she surveyed the passage of the afternoon on the farm. She was grimly pleased when she saw her mistress essay the feeding of the hens, which would naturally have devolved upon her. She was more pleased when she saw Silas fulfilling certain duties of wood-carrying and ash-bearing—which would have been her's were she not imprisoned. Darkness came and the child fell asleep. At seven o'clock her door was pushed open and a plate with a slice of bread and a mug of water were left upon the floor. Then with some ceremony the door was bolted. Mary was awake now; she had not undressed herself; she ate the bread, drank the water and looked out upon the night.

The moon rose nearly full. The snow, and the fall at the sawmill, and the ice of the pond beyond, flashed with the glory. Mary saw Silas go and come with his lantern, as he took his last turn at the barn, and she pondered how he could come back into the night. For her, her one wish, since the ice had made the week before, had been to possess herself of Silas' skates, which were hanging in the harness room, and to try them on the millpond. Of course Silas would now put them on as soon as he had watered the oxen.

But of course Silas did no such thing. He had been at work since before daybreak. He was glad enough to go to bed at eight o'clock. Moonlight or pitch darkness were all one to tired Silas.

Then absolute silence came. And Mary Martin, really for the first time felt that her imprisonment was serious.

To be hindered from washing the dishes, from feeding the hens, and from fetching the kindling was hardly a grievance.

But to be hindered from this possible hour of skating yonder—that was serious indeed.

But even Mary's invincible courage gave way at last. She found her head dropping for sleep, when, to her surprise, a bang down stairs announced that Mr. Shepard was shutting up for the night. This was the slam of the front door, refractory about locking.

Could it be possible that they were going to bed so early?

What luck. And Silas' skates were in the harness room.

Yes. She could see the best room windows from her prison. She could see Mrs. Bangs take off her front hair and put on her queer old-fashioned night-cap. She could not see her mistress' room. But she could see the column of light from its window on the snow and the sycamores. And at last both lights were extinguished. For the other windows, Mary was careless. For Silas, she knew the stupid creature had been asleep an hour.

If he had not been stupid he would be skating on that ice now.

It can hardly be said that Mary had had any plans for escape. She had stayed in her room because, on the whole, this seemed advisable. As Mr. Mill would say, it was more useful that she should stay. But now it no longer appeared useful to her. She put on her thick shoes and all her other walking gear, and opened the window.

There were full twelve feet between the floor of her room and the ground. Even Mary did not dare to "hang off," as she had expected to do.

A little annoyed, she looked round the room, not so much for a means of descent as for the most convenient, sure that civilization would supply something.

After this hesitation she promptly ran her little iron bedstead to the window, tied to the top rail the corner of a sheet, and in a minute had swung herself down, hand under hand, by grasping the folds, and dropped lightly upon the snow.

In another minute she was in the harness house, and in a third minute she was buckling Silas' rather long skates upon the stout boots which Mrs. Shepard had provided for the winter.

"Silas must get me a better pair," said the girl aloud, and then swung off to that delight, almost like that of flying, of a quick push up the pond, directly toward the face of her only companion, the good-natured moon.

No Lily—no Emma, kindest of the readers of these lines—I say with distress that no touch, even the slightest, of remorse embittered the flight. It was clear, sheer Aryan delight in the open air—shall I say, in the world of God? The confinement of eight hours had made it perhaps, the more delicious.

The poor-house, which to this child was heaven and home, stood by a great pond. Three or four villainous pairs of skates, or half pairs, were a part of the equipment known to the youngsters, and concealed with vows and solemnities from year to year. Whatever favors that home had to give Mary had shared; so she could skate easily and well.

And while she should have been abject in sin, she was triumphant in freedom.

Nor had she any stop-watch to trouble her, Araminta; nor bracelet on her wrist, which should prick her at the hour of ten or eleven. Nor had she passed her word to any fairy godmother that she would return at eleven and three quarters.

There are disadvantages in not having fairy godmothers. And certainly this poor child had none; nor had she ever heard of a girl that had. But there are certain advantages as well. To Mary the advantage was that, as no one had told her that she might go out, no one had told her when she must come home.

Like Red-jacket, she had all the time there was. And she used it with his freedom.

She came home precisely when she was so tired that it was no longer a pleasure to skate. That is, she chose her time, as a gull chooses his time to rest upon the sea.

She took off her skates, carried them to the carriage house, and walked slowly across to the "ell" of the farm house, where her sheet still waved in the wind.

With that general survey of the premises, to which all savages are trained, the wild creature scanned the whole establishment.

Her quick eye caught a cloud of smoke rising outside the kitchen chimney from the shingles of the roof.

She screamed with all her might: "Silas! Silas, Miss Shepard!" And, without waiting for an answer, she dashed into the harness room, threw down her skates, and brought out the short ladder which lay there. It taxed her full strength. But she was not made of very frail timber, and she was equal to the burden.

It was not so easy to get it up. But the girl was handy, and after two failures, she saw it well in place,—alas, not quite reaching the eaves.

She did not falter an instant; she filled at the cattle trough a tin pail and a meal bucket, carried one up and set it in the gutter, and then the other. She then swung herself upon the roof, still screaming "Silas!" and "Miss Shepard!" but with no reply.

She husbanded her water. The smoke about stifled her. But there was no flame. She spattered with her hand the contents of each vessel over the shingles, and these were so hot that steam rose instead of smoke. She threw both pail and bucket to the ground, and slid down the ladder. This time she carried up the tin pail, and returned for Silas' axe.

One skillful blow opened a little hole, through which a torrent of flame spurted. But the girl was ready for it, and a torrent of water quenched it. Another cloud of steam, and she stepped to her ladder to descend for more supplies.

Alas! her weight came strong upon the gutter. Who shall say why—the whole of it gave way. The ladder fell—Mary fell—the gutter fell upon her—the ladder fell upon her.

She felt no pain. But she screamed, as before: "Silas! Silas!—Miss Shepard! Miss Shepard.

And when she tried to pull herself out from the wreck, she could not! What had happened? He foot was all tangled in the rounds. She could only paw with her arms in the snow.

"Silas! Silas! Miss Shepard!" No answer.

The brave girl raised herself on her elbow. She made a snowball from the snow her water slops had softened. She fired it skillfully through Miss Shepard's window.

"Miss Shepard!" for the last time—"Miss Shepard."

This time—and very quickly—Mr. Shepard appeared.

"Who's there?"

"I'm here—Mary Martin. The house is a-fire, and I can't put it out. I've got the ladder round my legs, and I can't stand."

Mr. Shepard made scant toilet. Mr. Bangs made as little. Silas made none.

In sixty seconds poor Mary was relieved. George Bangs ran up the ladder and pronounced that her work had been thoroughly done. Nothing but steam ascended now. And, as he cleared the wreck, a few handfuls of snow were enough to extinguish the embers he found in the roof below.

As tenderly as if she were a baby, Mr. Shepard carried Mary up to his wife's room.

It was only too clear that her leg had been broken in the fall.

But she shed never a tear. And when Silas came in with the glad news that there was no danger, she only said: "Mr. Fillebrown said when the roof was a-fire we must not waste our water."

Silas was fitted out in the cutter to bring Dr. Woodward to set the broken leg.

As for Mary, she fell asleep, really feeling but little pain.

When she awoke there hung over Mrs. Shepard's chimney-piece a long red stocking, crowded full.

The girl lay quietly enough as Dr. Woodward fastened on his splints. And when he said to her, good-naturedly: "We will not keep you in bed very long," she said, very prettily: "I'm glad I was not shut up before the fire came."

"Doctor, would it hurt her to have her Christmas presents?"

"Hurt her! No, indeed, I should say she had earned them."

"Do you think it was Santa Claus's pipe which set fire to the shingles?"

"Sally," said Mr. Shepard, as he cut off a slice of the turkey's heart to send up-stairs to Mary's dinner, "that girl is awful spry."

"She is, indeed," said Mrs. Bangs. "Do you think that perhaps she learned how to use her hands and feet in the same place where she learned to swear?"

"May be," said George Bangs.

"Well," said Mrs. Shepard, "we can't have everything. I told Mrs. Metcalf I did not expect an angel."

"I don't know as angels know how to handle axes, though they can go up and down ladders."—*Edward E. Hale, in Boston Transcript.*

A boy came home from school much excited, and told his father that the teacher said all human beings were descended from apes, which made the old man so mad that he replied angily: "That may be the case with you, but it ain't with me, I can tell you that, now."

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Two entertaining Christmas stories are found on the supplement pages this week.

The Odd Fellows public installation has been fixed for Tuesday evening, Jan. 5th. 1886.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Cowley, of Dundee, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown this week.

The Postoffice will be closed from one o'clock P. M., during the balance of the day, on Christmas.

Wm. Smith, of Franklin, has moved into the village and occupies Mrs. Webster's house on Union street.

A. D. Lawrence started for New Orleans Tuesday, where he will remain about a month. His wife has been there some time.

Tecumseh No. 69, F. & A. M., will hold a special next Monday evening, Dec. 28, for third degree work. A full attendance is desired.

Mrs. H. A. Hurd, of Ann Arbor, arrived in town Tuesday and will remain during the holiday season with her sister Mrs. Harry Lee.

Lewis Priest of Onsted was in town yesterday shaking hands with his old friends. He is still pegging away at Onsted and must be making money, for he has his hands full.

Mrs. M. Adele Hazlett of Addison was in town yesterday and will remain a day or two. Several of our citizens who had not previously met her, had the pleasure of forming Mrs. Hazlett's acquaintance and they will cordially extend an invitation to her to call again.

"The Three Widows" was presented at the opera house last evening to a small audience. The play is a laughable comedy, in which some clever bits of acting are introduced by Mr. & Mrs. Miller, and also, some fine music by the whole family. The play seemed to take with the audience well.

The Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., have decided to hold a festival on Thursday evening, Dec. 31, at their lodge room. A committee consisting of Abner Wilson. O. Q. Jones, J. R. Hialey, John J. Orr and John F. Wilson have the arrangements in progress. It is to be free to master masons and families and other friends whom they may invite. The committee have also appointed the following to act as committees in their respective localities: Franklin—B. Hurry and T. M. Camburn; Ridgeway—John VanVleet and Wm. H. Arner; Britton—Samuel Underwood and John Britton; North Tecumseh—John Gillespie and F. V. Horton. These committees will canvas their respective localities.

Last Tuesday a lady of this village decided to order an article of merchandize from Detroit for Christmas, and to insure prompt delivery she attached a specially delivery stamp to the letter. It went to Toledo on the four o'clock P. M. train, and thence to Detroit on a late train. At four o'clock the next morning, the friend to whom the letter was sent was routed out of bed to receive a message from a family relative in Tecumseh. He was considerably alarmed at first thinking some awful accident must have happened, but the reading of the letter solved the mystery and he concluded to wait until business hours before filling the order. If that Christmas gift failed to reach its destination in season, it was not the fault of the special delivery system.

MACON MUSIC.

We predict an open winter. The "short hair craze" has struck the town.

Geo. V. Osgood, Town Treasurer, was in the village last Monday and succeeded in raking in a goodly amount of spoils from the reluctant tax payers of this vicinity.

There was a unanimous vote last Sunday for the continuance of the Sunday School throughout the winter.

The discourse by Rev. Mr. Pierce at the M. E. church last Sabbath was deserving of special attention. He urged upon his hearers the necessity of providing an abundance of good literature in their homes.

The Rev. Mr. Dutton is spending the holiday vacation at his old home at Holland, Mich.

The donation given at the house of Mrs. Sarah Morgan, for the benefit of Rev. Mr. Dennis, was pronounced a success, socially and financially; about thirty-five dollars were donated.

A Christmas concert will be given by the Sunday-school Friday evening, at the M. E. Church.

Rice Hendershot, is slowly recovering from the effects of his injuries of several weeks ago.

Mrs. Isaac Mills is suffering from blood poison, the result of a cut received on her hand from a rusty tin.

ONSTED ODDS.

Clarence Aten, of Napoleon, is spending a few days at his father's.

We understand Lyman Baker has a writing school in Dist. No. 6

A Mr. Aten, of Deerfield, is in this vicinity selling S. G. Aten's crop of Bohemian oats.

Hines & Son have their meat market in full blast and keep on hand a good supply of beef, pork, sausage, mince-meat, etc.

William Onsted has four men cutting stove wood in his woods west of the village. Looks as if Uncle Will was going to run a wood yard next season.

Fred Snow and family arrived home Monday evening after a wedding trip of nearly four weeks. Glad to see them back again.

O. L. Short's people had to walk home from church last Sabbath. Cause.—Horses did too much kicking during service.

Goods have commenced to arrive for the new drug store. The store will probably not be opened until after New Years.

F. A. Parson commenced his writing school at this place last Thursday evening, with twenty pupils. He is a good penman and understands teaching the subject.

Preparations are being made for a good time at Grange Hall, Thursday evening. There will be a Christmas tree, free for all who wish to use it. Refreshments will be served, to those who wish, at twenty cents each.

Mrs. E. C. Spalding starts Thursday, for Lyons, Michigan, where she will spend Christmas with her mother.

Henry Howes has lost a shepherd dog, black with yellow legs and white ring around his neck. When he went away he had a strap around his neck. Any one knowing of such a dog would confer a favor on Mr. Howes by letting him know.

M. P. Wemple started Wednesday morning for Cleveland, Ohio, to spend the holidays with his parents. He will also visit friends in New York before returning.

Changes of a Century

The nineteenth century has witnessed many and very great discoveries and changes:

In 1809 Fulton took out his first patent for the invention of a steamboat.

The first steamships which mad regular trips across the Atlantic ocean were the Sirius and Great Western in 1830.

The first public application to practical use of gas for illumination was made in 1802.

In 1813 the streets of London were for the first time lighted with gas.

In 1813 there was built in Waltham, Mass., a mill, believed to have been the first in the world which combined all the requirements for making finished cloth from the raw cotton.

In 1790 there were only twenty-five post-offices in the whole country, and up to 1337 the rate of postage was 25 cents for a letter sent over 400 miles.

In 1807 wooden clocks began to be made by machinery. This ushered in the era of cheap clocks.

About the year 1833 the first railroad of any considerable length in the United States was constructed.

In 1840 the first experiments in photography were made by Daguerre.

About 1840 the first express business was established.

The anthracite coal business may be said to have begun in 1820.

In 1836 the patent for the invention of matches was granted.

Steel pens were introduced for use in 1803.

The first successful trial of a reaper took place in 1833.

In 1846 Elias Howe obtained a patent for his first sewing machine.

Observe the Birthdays.

Let the birthday of each member of the family be always remembered when it comes. Let there be something a little out of the ordinary routine in the arrangement of the table; cookies fashioned as Johnny likes them best; one of Frank's favorite plum puddings, or Julia's special liking, a loaf of ginger cake; or a wonderful lemon pie, such as only mamma can make.

Then there must be presents. Sometimes people may think they cannot be afforded; but reflect. The little one needs shoes, dresses, aprons and many other things. Purchase one or more for the birthday. It will seem just as much present to the recipients as though they were not obliged to have it.

Next come school-books and story-books, a set of furs or a pair of skates, (should the birthday occur in the winter,) a pretty little dinner-basket, or, if the parents can afford it, a little gold band for one of the white fingers, a necklace, a watch with a shining chain, or the pony that has been wished for so long.

Encourage the little ones in giving to each other, and also remember father and mother's birthday; believe me, it will be bread cast on the waters; the days will only be a few ere some returns, and there will be a never-failing supply of pleasure as long as you and your children live.

A hotel in Boston built of stone and brick 96 and 69 feet frontage with basement and seven stories above the sidewalk, was moved nearly 100 feet in order to make a change in the street. One side was supported by eight granite columns twelve feet high, the whole building weighing 5,000 tons beside the furniture. The occupants of the stores, and the hotel were not disturbed in the removal.

Winter Evenings on the Farm.

I remember to have read somewhere how some Italian artist gathered up all the bits of broken glass cast aside in building a cathedral, and how from these pieces, trimmed, arranged and set in order, he constructed one of the most beautiful windows found in Italy. What others had cast aside as useless, he took up and from it wrought out the beautiful, and the useful.

Boys and girls on the farm, as everywhere else, let run to waste many bits of time, spare moments, hours, evenings which if they would but turn to good use, might be made to serve the noblest purpose. But the trouble is to get at it, to have some plan of working over these spare hours. How can the evenings be turned to use, and the best use? Of course one can doze them away sitting before the fire, can gossip, play checkers, and so on, but this is not the best use, nor the best way to spend long evenings. An occasional evening spent in this way may be good, but to thus let all these passing spare hours slip by is to waste life. And at the end of ten years of spare hours what have we to show?

Let me suggest a simple plan for utilizing evenings; and let me suggest it out of my own experience, for I do no not know what our experience is good for if it is not to help others. It often comes too late, to help us. And now, the fact that you are on a farm, is a great advantage for using your evenings. I know this from experience both of farm life and city life. In the city there is something to break in on your plans all the time. In the country your evenings are comparatively free, at least an hour or two for each evening, and you can set aside this time if you plan before hand to do so. We can do it in the city, but it is more easily done in the country.

I know now what objections you begin to offer: "I am too tired, too sleepy, have too much else to do," and all this. Yes, but all these obstacles fade out of sight if we only take hold of the work with a purpose. For those who do not care to make the most and best of life, these suggestions of mine will have little value. But here and there possibly they may find a young man or woman to whom they may be helpful. If so, I have my reward, in endeavoring to do for others what I would that some one had done for me when I was a boy on the farm struggling for ways and means toward gaining an education.

The problem is, how to get time? And the only answer is, "take it." Take time; that is the only way you will ever have time for anything. Lay your plan, write it out and solemnly sign your name to it, if it will thus make it more binding, to spend at least an hour every evening in reading some good book. You will have interruptions, but persist in your plan, and soon other things will yield and you can pass from one hour's reading to two. And you can hardly imagine how much good may come to you from these few hours spent over a good book. They will follow you all the days of your life. You will look back to them in after years with sweet reflections and pleasant memories. No one of you who may read this is likely to find greater difficulties in working this plan than I did as a boy. I remember well how my first interest was awakened in history, an interest which has never left me, because commenced early in life and against great obstacles. Yes, the very difficulties I met with added zest to the task, and I have lived long enough now to see that these very hindrances were to me blessings in disguise. They gave me then and have continued all these years to give me a sense of victory over difficulties and, you notice in your own experience every difficulty mastered gives you strength and nerve, and tone for still greater difficulties. Stop not, then, for these little obstacles; rise above them, and in the mastery find hope and courage for future struggles.

I was at work on a farm by the month, and for a man who was unhappy if a boy in the house was sleeping after four o'clock in the morning, or came in from his chores before seven in the evening. And yet, having signed the solemn compact with myself to read history one hour each evening, I did it, though it was a terrible thorn in the flesh for the head of the family to see the tallow candle wasting away for such foolish business as reading. He would often upbraid me with "What y' goin' to do with yer larnin', when y' git it?" But on I pressed with my plan, and I have come now to thank God, not only for the obstacles overcome, but for a sense of strength and courage, that has helped me in many another struggle of life. And it is this sense of strength from victories won which I would bring to bear upon every young man who may be wrestling with the same or similar difficulties.

THE GIANTS' CAUSEWAY.—The Giants Causeway is in the County Antrim, on the northeast coast of Ireland, between Benmore Head and Port Rush. For some seven or eight miles along that coast there are cliffs of basalt, many of which are made up in great part of rude vertical columns, which alternate with layers or amorphous beds of the same class of rocks; and ranges of these in places reach the height of 400 or 500 feet. When these are viewed in front from the sea they suggest rude resemblances to architectural forms. The name of Giants' Causeway is often applied to the whole coast range, although it is properly applicable to but a small portion of it. It is a platform of basalt, composed of closely arranged columns, ranging from 15 to 36 feet in height, and it extends from a steep cliff down into the sea, till it is lost below low-water mark. Its length exposed at low-water is about 600 feet, and it is divided into three portions called the Little, Middle, and Large or Grand Causeway.

The story is told of an old hunter in Michigan who lost his way in the woods a number of times while the country was new. At length he secured a pocket compass and its use was explained to him by a friend. But shortly afterward he lost his way again and lay out as usual. When found he was asked why he did not travel by the compass. He did not dare' he said. He wanted to go north, and he "tried to make the thing point north, but it wasn't no use, 'twould shake, shake, shake round and point southeast every time.

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The Curfew Bell.

It will be remembered that the curfew is commonly said to have been introduced into England by William the Conqueror. By that monarch it was ordained, under severe penalties, that when the curfew bell rang at 8 o'clock in the evening all lights and fires should be extinguished. There are those who hold that this was merely the enforcing of an existing and very common police regulation to that effect. The absolute prohibition of lights after the ringing of the curfew bell was abolished by Henry I. in the year 1100, but the practice of tolling a bell at a fixed hour in the evening was continued, and this, which is still extant in some places, is a survival of the curfew of medieval times. At first the common hour was 7 o'clock, then it was gradually advanced to 8, and in some places to 9 oclock; indeed, in Scotland, 10 o'clock was not an unusual hour. The curfew was a regulation most useful in those early days, when it was the custom to place the fire in a hole in the middle of the floor under an opening in the roof, to allow the escape of the smoke. When the family retired for the night, the fire was extinguished by covering it up; hence the term couvrefeu, or curfew. The regulation was also serviceable in obliging the people to keep in their houses, and thus preventing night brawls in the streets. It is believed that there is no historical authority for the popular tradition that the severity exhibited by the Conqueror in enforcing obedience to the curfew was more particularly designed to prevent the English from assembling in secret to plan schemes of rebellion against their Norman lords.

After the Sunday Dinner.

After the Sunday dinner, what? Well it all depends. A person whose brain is wearied with intellectual work during the week, or whose nervous system is exposed to the strain of business or professional life, ought to sleep within an hour or so after his Sunday dinner, if he can. It is surprising how much like a seven-day clock the brain will work if the habit of a Sunday nap be once formed. Nature will take advantage of it as regularly and gratefully as she does of the nightly sleep, and do her best to make up lost time. People on the other hand, whose week of toil is chiefly physical, may well give their minds activity while their bodies are resting. Two sermons and three or four hours of solid reading are a real rest to some on Sunday, while to others such a course amounts to a positive Sabbath-breaking. Sunday is a day of rest, not a day of work, religious or otherwise. It is a day of repose, not for exhaustion. But what the dogmatists on one side and the illiberal liberals on the other are apt to overlook is the fact that all men do not rest alike any more than they labor alike, and what may help one may kill another.

An English writer says that the middle class Englishman, as a rule, does not buy books, except a few classics and professional treatises, but waits for his chance at the book club or circulating library. There are instances where authors are asked to lend their own copies by men of ten times their income. Wine and china may be bought, but books must be hired for, says the writer, the English are educated to the point of reading, but not to paying for books.

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HE KNOWS.

"'Tis just as true
That what you do
Old Santa Claus
He knows; because
He knew about
My running out
To slide, that night.
It was not right.
Mamma said No; but I forgot,
And in the morning—oh! guess what!
My stockings were as thin and straight
As when I hung them by the grate.

"I looked inside—
And, how I cried!—
I found a whip,
And on a slip
Of paper, this:
'My little Miss
You should obey
Mamma alway:
But if you're tempted yet again,
I truly hope you will refrain
Or pause, my little maid—oh! pause,
And think upon Old Santa Claus.'

"And then—'P. S.
My little Bess,
Now put your hand
Behind the stand,'
And when I did
I found there, hid,
My nicest pair
Of stockings, where
He'd filled them full. Oh! dear! Such fun!
All knots and bobs and overrun
With every kind of lovely thing.
I was so glad I had to sing.

"And in the toe
I found, you know,
Another note
Old Santa wrote;
The very best
You ever guessed,
I read and read.
Hear what it said:
'All this is for my little friend
Who minds Mamma, and does no end
Of kind and pleasant deeds;
Does not forget, but always heeds.'

"Now, don't you see
That it must be
Quite as I say?
And, any way,
I think we should
Be very good
Not just because
Old Santa Claus
Knows all the things we ever do,
And gives us pretty presents, too,
But 'coz it's right, I do believe
And so does my big brother, Steve."

—*Lizzie Burt, in N. Y. Independent.*

BY WAY OF THE REGISTER.

How Santa Claus Found His Way into the Hillscombe Parlor.

What is Christmas without Santa Claus? It looked very much as if Jack and Effie Hillscombe were soon to find out what such a Christmas would be; for it was already Christmas Eve, and the house where the two children lived was filled with the usual good cheer, and all the bustle of preparing for the great event.

Papa Hillscombe sat in the big arm-chair putting on his slippers, and doing his best to imagine himself before the great log-fire he had known so well as a boy; for there were no grates in the Hillscombe house. Jack and Effie lived in a city where, at the time of my story, very few families had open fire-places in their houses; and little Effie had asked her papa, as she kissed him good-night: "Why, papa, how is Santa Claus goin' to det in when there is no fire-place?" This question really puzzled Papa Hillscombe, but he told the children that Santa Claus would find his way in, and that it would be all right in the morning.

But after the children had gone to bed a queer look came over their papa's good-natured face, and it was plainly to be seen that he was thinking of little Effie's question.

It happened, too, that the children were not satisfied with the answer he had given them; and while papa was locking up the house for the night, and attending to the furnace, they were still exchanging opinions on this weighty subject from their little cots.

Suddenly Jack sat bolt upright. He had an idea! And in another moment he had toppled out of bed and made his way on tip-toe to Effie's cot.

A whispered consultation followed, and in a few minutes later both little cots were deserted, and two tiny white figures were creeping noiselessly down the staircase.

All the doors were locked and all the windows closed, and papa was just shutting the iron door of the great furnace in the cellar, when he was startled by voices which seemed to come from the furnace itself. For a moment he amused himself with the fancy that Santa Claus was really making his way in by the furnace; then he thought he might have left a door unlocked.

The thoughts of Santa Claus or other less welcome visitors were, however, soon forgotten when he heard the sound of children's voices, and found that it was Jack and Effie who were talking.

Papa opened the furnace door again and listened.

They were evidently talking near the register, for what they said was plainly heard through the furnace-pipe by Papa Hillscombe. Jack was saying:

"O Effie! how can Santa Claus ever bwing my big sled through the wegister?"

"Or my doll's house?" said Effie.

There was a pause, then Jack exclaimed, triumphantly: "I know! let's take the top off."

"But," said Effie, "we're not bid enough."

"Oh! you're only a dirl; *I* can do it."

Then followed quite a struggle between Jack and the "wegister," but it was only after the "dirl" had come to his aid that Jack was able to lift the iron plate; and then papa heard her say, in a solemn tone: "Do you fink, Jack, he could det a doll's house through dat?"

"Oh, Santa Claus can do anything!" was Jack's comforting reply.

The two little people were on their knees, peering intently down the dark opening, when suddenly they were startled by a voice, which seemed to come up through the hole in the floor. The voice said:

"It's time little children were in bed! Santa Claus can't bring his presents till everybody is fast asleep!"

The children could not tell the voice, as it came up through the pipe, and with a cry of "He's tumming! Santa Claus is tumming!" two little figures in white scampered up-stairs and back to their cots.

The next morning (as bright a Christmas Day as ever dawned) found two little figures, not in white this time, standing over a pile of pretty presents heaped up around the register; among which might be seen a brightly-painted sleigh with "Effie and Jack," in big gold letters, on the side, and a wonderful three-story doll's house; and Jack was exclaiming in triumph: "Didn't I tell you Santa Claus could do anything!"

So Santa Claus came into the Hillscombe parlor, after all, and it was Effie and Jack who settled for themselves the difficult question of how he was to get in.—*St. Nicholas.*

A GENUINE SPIDER STORY.

How This Curious Insect Folds up Its Web.

There must be some insect lovers among the *Tribune*, 'Young Folks,' and I want to tell them of a curious fact about spiders.

Some days since, while sitting on the porch enjoying the early morning, I noticed two beautiful spider webs among the vines. I have been fond of watching spiders ever since I was a very little girl, incited thereto by my father having taken me into the garden and shown me a large, brilliantly colored fellow that had made his web in a currant bush, and desiring me not to meddle with it. I have been interested in them, and bees and ants as well, ever since, and have watched them for a great many minutes at a time.

While looking, all at once I saw one of the spiders run from the center of the web drawing two threads together as he went; he unfastened the end and went back rolling up the thread; then he took the next two threads extending from the center, once doubling part of the web as I have seen the sails of a ship furled; this continued until the whole web was folded into a tiny packet, when he took it between his forelegs and hid himself under a leaf. Then I turned my attention to the other, and in a short time this performance was repeated, and he too went to his repose.

As much as I have watched these insects I never saw anything of this kind before, nor have I ever read of such a thing. Several times during the morning I saw the spiders each under his chosen leaf and the next morning there were two webs as before. This time I couldn't watch the folding, but after breakfast I came out to look for them and they were both gone. The third morning there were two webs, and I saw one folded and after a time returned and found the other gone. This has been repeated nearly if not every day since until to-day, when there were no more webs to be seen. I have not seen them folded every day, but I have seen them spread and returning after a time found no trace of them. There is no one to disturb them and the work has been done by the curious little owner itself.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

MOSQUITOES.

How a Chicago Ananias Silenced His Competitors.

Jimson, the champion fish-story teller of the North Side; Pinney, the champion snake-story teller of the South Side, and a few others of lesser note, were assembled one evening last week, when the spirit moved Jimson to speak.

"I have heard a good deal about New Jersey mosquitoes," he said, musingly, "but I never took much stock in the stories until this summer."

"What changed your opinion?" inquired a quiet little fellow in the back of the crowd.

"Well, I was down in the southern part of New Jersey visiting an old farmer. One night we heard a terrible bellowing, and the old man took his gun and we sallied out to the cow-pasture; but we were too late."

"Too late?" remarked one of the crowd inquiringly.

"Yes, too late. One of those blasted mosquitoes had stuck his beak clean through a cow and pinned her to a tree. I was awfully sorry. One of the most valuable cows, you know."

There was a moment's silence, during which the crowd looked at Jimson in admiration. Then the quiet little fellow remarked:

"Of course it killed the tree too?"

"Oh, yes; split it right in two."

"I thought likely."

Then there was another pause, and Pinney asked:

"Did you ever see Barber & Jones' boiler factory in the northern part of the State?"

"No," responded Jimson.

"I thought not," returned Pinney. "They have a pretty large mosquito there that they keep for business purposes."

"What for?" queried one.

"He sticks his beak through the copper plates, and then they rivet them."

"Is that so?"

"Yes, indeed; but they've lost him. One day they riveted his beak into a large boiler, and he flew away with the boiler."

There was a look of awe on the faces of all beholders as Pinney finished. Several rose and stole away to some quiet nook where they could give vent to their emotions in tears.

"Down in Pennsylvania," said the quiet little man in his quiet, unassuming way, "I once saw a mosquito of considerable size. He was placed on an immense raised platform about three hundred feet high, and had been trained to use his beak to drill the oil wells."

One man groaned audibly.

"But what was he on the platform for?" inquired Pinney.

"His beak was too long to be used on the ground. Why, one time he made a slip, and the blamed thing went clear through to China."

"Oh, come, now, that's too much," exclaimed several in unison.

"Fact, I assure you. And that wasn't the worst of it. It clinched on the other side, and the darned mosquito flew away with the world."

There was a sound as of some one falling, and Pinney was carried out senseless. When the crowd returned, Jimson had died from mortification.—*The Rambler.*

—When Shakespeare wrote "My kingdom for a horse!" he showed that with all his great knowledge, he was not ignorant of the ruling charges of the Long Branch hackmen.—*Puck.*

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TECUMSEH, Dec. 9, 1885.

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Holloway, Lenawee Co., Mich.

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James Cole has sold his house and lot to Andrew Wilson.

Mr. A. O. Miller favored the HERALD with a pleasant call yesterday.

Mrs. S. A. James of Detroit, arrived in town yesterday for a brief visit.

M. W. Goodrich has rented the vacant store in the north end of Slayton's warehouse, and will move his cigar box factory therein.

C. C. Wheeler, of Naples, N. Y., who at one time owned and ran the old saw mills in this place, died at his home in Naples, Dec. 10.

Rev. C. E. Conley, of Detroit, was in town yesterday. He came here to preach the funeral sermon of Madie Clarke, which occurred yesterday at 2 o'clock.

Wm. A. Wood, who was formerly foreman in Slayton's cabinet factory, went to Cleveland, Ohio, a few months ago and engaged with the N. Y. P. & O. Railway Co. He first worked in the car repairing shop, then he was made foreman over fifty other workmen, and last month he was promoted to the position of general yardmaster, at a salary of fifteen hundred dollars a year. Dell Wood's old friends in Tecumseh will congratulate him most heartily upon his promotion.

A CORRECTION.

EDITOR HERALD:

We were quite surprised to see a letter from us in "real live" print, being our first unlooked for effort in that direction. However we acknowledge the same—excepting the statement—"until the moon had trailed her silver 'mouth' across the heavens."

This struck us as being somewhat new and unique, as the word we used was silver "mantle."

Nevertheless we do not blame ye editor in the least that the moon could have so much mouth,' but presume the "Devil" was at the bottom of it.

But as we would like to keep up the reputation of our Southern moon,—you will please correct the mistake, and will confer a favor upon the moon, as also upon

Yours Truly,
LUCILE BERGER.

Sorrento, Florida, Dec. 16, 1885.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB

The sixth year of the Farmers' Social Club began very auspiciously, as was seven, last Friday night at R. B. Gillespie's. The rooms were literally packed with a happy croud of old and young.

It being the annual meeting for the election of officers there was no discussion, but a good program was well performed, and we can see a great improvement in this respect since the beginning of the club.

The reading by Minnie Reefor and Ione Henderson was very fine and deserved the attention given it. The young people of the school, on the Second amused the audience with their dialogue, and it is no flattery to say, they did well.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in electing I. H. Schreder, President; R. B. Gillespie, Vice President; Mrs. F. C. Fector, Secretary and Treasurer.

The next regular meeting occurring New Year's night, it is postponed until Friday evening, Jan. 15th, when the club will meet at I. H. Schreder's with the following program:

Music—Choir.
Song—George Henderson.
Recitation—Kitt Griswold.
Music—Grant Schreder and Henry Fox.
Essay—Emma Schreder.
Song—Lovisa Schreder.
Music—Choir.
Essay—Anna Everhart.
Music—Grant and Henry.
Select Reading—Fred Hendershot.
Question—Resolved that our taxes are becoming burdensome. What is the remedy? Opened by J. W. Benedict.

The people generally are complaining of the heavy and grevious burden of taxes, and we cordially invite all interested to be present at our next meeting; we also invite the Supervisors of the surrounding towns, and especially the Supervisors of Raisin, Tecumseh and Clinton.

Mrs. F. C. RECTOR, Sec.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD,

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 24, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Merry Christmas to all.

Subscribe for the HERALD now.

John F. Hicks is home this week.

Hugh Richards, of Jackson, was in town last Saturday.

Read our club list and then subscribe for the HERALD.

Mrs. Loren VanAntwerp was visiting friends at Deerfield last week.

Peter Miller, formerly of Blissfield, has removed with his family to California.

Geo. Smith, of Toledo, was shaking hands with his numerous Tecumseh friends last Monday.

Services appropriate to Christmas eve will take place in most of the village churches this evening.

Ben. Kelley and Oscar Palmer shipped a car load of hogs last Saturday from Britton, over the Wabash.

C. E. Williamson took in 21,759 lbs. of poultry Dec. 15th. The heaviest day's receipts thus far this season.

The Bohemian oat men have taken a new tack. They now sell Russian clover seed on the Bohemian plan.

Send ten cents to Clark W. Bryan & Co., Holyoke, Mass., for the Christmas number of Good Housekeeping.

I. G. Rawson has been painting his confectionery store and remodeling it so that it now presents a very neat appearance.

Wm. DeMott has been spending several days at Adrian and Hudson in the interest of the Northwestern Mutual Ins. Co.

F. D. Avery, of Onsted, was in town last Saturday, and favored the HERALD with a call. Mr. Avery is now teaching the Onsted school.

The M. & O. train last Friday eve. went west about two o'clock Saturday morning. A locomotive got off the track at Alexis on the T. & A. A. road which caused the delay.

The December crop report contains some valuable hints upon the nature and prevention of potato rot. Under the circumstances we think our readers will excuse us for the amount of space given to the report.

Clinton cannot see why she should not be a good poultry market. The principal dealers having been sentenced to the house of correction and reform school, it is difficult to discover the reason for such a notion.—Adrian Record.

Ernie Anderson came down town for the first time last Monday afternoon. He began shaking hands when opposite the HERALD office and kept it up all the way to the store. Every body congratulated him upon getting out once more.

A dog belonging to a Cincinnati shoe dealer chews tobacco.—Ex. Probably Spitz.—Berrien Springs Era.—Thanks for the Pointer.—Free Press. He'll Setter round and be a loafer.—Adrian Press.

Not much. He is a genuine Bull dog plug.

Lieut. Elliott Gray has loaned us a copy of the Sligo Chronicle of Dec. 5th. Among many interesting items contained therein is an account of an effort made by the Roscommon tenants of Percy Magan, Esq., to obtain a reduction of 30 per cent. off their rents. They did not succeed.

Ex-county clerk Hunter was in town Monday afternoon to see ex supervisor James in regard to Court House affairs. Tom says nearly all the court house orders have been drawn, and he expects to pen the last one within two weeks. The largest order drawn was for $8459.15.

The Morenci Observer entered upon the eleventh year of its existence last week. The Observer is a lively youngster for one of its years. The Allen Bros. are making one of the best country weeklies without exception that comes to our sanctum. May they continue to flourish as the years roll round.

The prospectus of the Detroit Evening Journal is published in another column. The Journal has greatly improved during the past year, and to-day it ranks with the very best of the evening dailies of Michigan. It is ably edited, neatly printed and contains the cream of the news each day. Try it a week. Claude VanTine is the Tecumseh agent.

The following is a list of pupils in Dist. No. 4, Macon, who have neither been absent nor tardy for the month ending Nov. 11th, 1885: Isa Bailey, Alice Sisson, Alta Gilmore, Lulu Gilmore, Josie Hand, Eliza Sample, Julia Gilmore, Clarence Gilmore, Frank Gilmore, Gustene Sisson, Hugh Sample, Frank Bailey.

DEWITT MARTIN, Teacher.

The I. O. O. F. lodge room has lately undergone a cleaning and renovating. The wood work and blinds have been varnished, the walls elegantly decorated, and the furniture and carpet cleaned. Geo. Chidester did the paper hanging and varnishing. The hall is now the neatest looking lodge room in the village. The lodge christened the new quarters last Tuesday evening with a big meeting.

Wolff's orchestra at the Opera House to-morrow night.

Miss Mina Olmstead returned to her home in Bay City last Saturday.

Don't ask our friend, Abner Wilson, how the minister got his cabbage.

Tecumseh's University students are all home to stay during the Holidays.

The G. A. R. Posts in Michigan contain nineteen thousand members.

East Franklin wants the Salvation Army. Would they like to borrow ours?

James W. Patterson's milk wagon is going the rounds with regularity and dispatch.

George Sutfin arrived in Tecumseh last Saturday from Nebraska via the overland route.

A subscription to the HERALD would be a good Christmas or New Year's present to a friend.

Prof. Burnett, of the University, is spending his holiday vacation with friends in Tecumseh and vicinity.

Al. Heesen, of this village, has received a challenge from Fred Burtis, the Manchester champion skater.

The old year has successfully passed the "shortest day" mile post, and is now handsomely going down the home stretch.

Miss Lizzie Smith went to Fremont, O., yesterday, where she will spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Fred Kloffenstein.

Charlie Doty returned home last Thursday from Grand Rapids, where he has been visiting his uncle for the past three months.

The Deerfield Star shines with brilliant effulgence since the purchase of a new press. It almost dazzles a fellow's eyes to read it.

L. F. Wheeler returned home last Saturday. He has been acting as stage manager for Alba Heywood's troupe for several weeks past.

The Adrian Times says: Tecumseh was too tough, and the Salvation army has raised the siege, quit, vamoosed, and left the sinners to their fate.

The present Congress is remarkable for one thing. It has no Smith on its membership roll. Shades of Pocahontas! Have the Smiths lost their grip?

The old folks may rest assured of having a good time at the Christmas party, as every other dance will be a quadrille, and no new fashioned calls will be given.

All dancers attending the Christmas party who desire refreshments can procure the same at the restaurants. Arrangements have been made to accommodate all.

The Hudson Gazette turned out some Christmas cards last week for the cadets at the West Point Military Academy. As brother Will. says,—"Our Jim has an eye to business."

Persons who have money to invest in real estate should not fail to attend the assignee's sale of the Woolston Comfort mill property, which will take place next Wednesday, Dec. 30. A full description of the property may be found in the legal notice elsewhere.

The baby show at Clinton last week was a great success. It is safe to say that all the handsomest babies in this portion of the vineyard were there.—Tecumseh was represented we are happy to say, but a tear of disappointment moistens our cheek when we reflect that the Tecumseh baby captured only a second prize.

Somebody left a switch misplaced in the Lake Shore yards last evening, and when the Detroit train came in, the engine, baggage car and one coach went off the track. The train was not moving rapidly at the time, so that no damage was done, and after a pony had pulled it back upon the rails, it steamed up to the depot without assistance.—Adrian Times, Dec. 17th.

We acknowledge the receipt from Prof. A. B. Palmer of a pamphlet containing his paper on "Alcohol.—Its action in Health and Disease," delivered at the last session of the Michigan State Medical Society. It is the most exhaustive treatise on this subject that we have ever seen in so condensed a form. Would that it might be read by every man and woman in the state.

The American Agriculturist states editorially that there are decided signs of returning prosperity among the farmers in all parts of the country, and cites as an illustration of this fact, that those who deal in farm implements are patronizing the advertising columns now more than at any time in past years. It judges from this straw that the country is on the eve of a new era of prosperity.

The following new postmasters were appointed in this congressional district last week:

Ransom, Hillsdale county—James D. Carnell.

Cone, Monroe county—W. Currey.

Jasper, Lenawee county—Ira Goodsell.

Medina, Lenawee county—Chauncey Mann.

Blissfield, Lenawee county—B. L. Rhodes.

Camden, Hillsdale county—Orson D. Chester.

Clayton, Lenawee county—Aaron Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Osborne returned from their Massachusetts trip Tuesday.

Miss Essie Noble, of Strathroy Canada, is spending a week in Tecumseh as the guest of the Misses Heesen.

The trial of Henry Holcomb for perjury began at Hillsdale last Monday afternoon before Judge Howell.

R. Morrison will open a grocery store in his vacant store, corner of Logan and R. R. street, in the near future.

The M. E. church will indulge in a Christmas tree at their church this evening. A fine time is anticipated and every one is invited.

New Year's night, Lamont Rowland and William Nisely, of Manchester, will skate a one mile race at the rink. Music by Knapp's band.

H. E. Anderson has a fine lot of moss vases which are something new, and are very neat. He has also received some very fine stand lamps.

The regular meeting for the election of officers of Tecumseh Lodge No. 870 Knights of Honor, will be held next Monday evening, Dec. 28th, at 7:30 o'clock.

There was a large attendance at the Odd Fellows Lodge last Tuesday evening and a vote was taken favoring a public installation of officers at the beginning of the next term.

H. H. Brown, a student in Dr. Frothingham's office at Ann Arbor, who is also attending medical lectures at Ann Arbor, has been sojourning a few days with acquaintances in Clinton and Tecumseh.

John R. Clarke was suddenly called home last Monday noon by the death of his youngest daughter, Madeleine, which occurred Saturday night. Mr. Clarke always lots on a merry family reunion at Christmas time, but his Christmas this year will be a sad one.

An error was made last week in our item of the L. S. & M. S. It should have read, the L. S. & M. S. will sell special excursion tickets to points on their road, Dec. 24th and 25th, and also Dec. 31, '85, and Jan. 1, 86, good returning Jan. 2 '86, for one and one-third fare for the round trip.

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Steward—Christopher Bower.
Sentinel—Henry Starrett.

ARREST OF A HORSE THIEF.

TOLEDO, December 18.—A sensational arrest of an alleged horse thief occurred about midnight this morning, near Lambertville, Mich. The particulars are as follows: On the night of December 13, a fine horse, carriage and harness, were taken from Stephen Scofield, at Tecumseh, Lenawee county. The thief was traced to this city by Detective Stevens, of Adrian, and from here to a house near Lambertville. Last night Detective Stevens, of Adrian, and McMahon, of this city, went to the house where the thief, Thomas Mosher, was stopping. There it was learned that Mosher had gone to a Baptist donation party. Stevens went to the party but Mosher was not there. In the meantime Detective McMahon had been scouring the roads for the thief. He at last came upon three teams and recognized one of them as the stolen property; clutched the horse by the bridle and ordered the driver to halt. There were two men in the carriage. Instead of halting they whipped up the horses and escaped. All three of the teams then drove to a neighboring house about a quarter of a mile distant and alarmed the inmates, saying they had been attacked by a highwayman. Mosher was the loudest in his declarations. Seven or eight men were soon collected, armed with shotguns, revolvers, axes and pitch-forks, and were about to start for the scene of the attack as Stevens descended on the party from an opposite direction. He heard the plans, stepped in with two revolvers and ordered Mosher to throw up his hands and the crowd to throw dawn their arms. Taken by surprise they all surrendered. Had it not been for Stevens's timely arrival in all probability McMahon would have been killed. The thief and the stolen property were taken back to Adrian at noon.—Detroit Tribune.

The above account is substantially correct except Detective Stevens hails from Tecumseh instead of Adrian. Mosher had his examination last Saturday before Justice Burridge and was bound over for trial at the next term of the Circuit Court.

ROAD AND PATH.

Have Persons a Legal Right to use Bicycles upon the Highway?

What is a carriage? Webster says, "A carriage is a vehicle, especially one for pleasure or for passengers;" he also defines vehicle as that in which anything is or may be carried; a conveyance. Therefore according to the definition the bicycle is considered as a carriage. "It is a vehicle which has enabled its rider to cover unaided a distance of one thousand four hundred and four miles in six days, with which hundreds and thousands of travelers have made excursions and tours through every part of Great Britain and the continent of Europe, and Southern Africa and India and Australia and the West Indies, which is in use to the number of many thousands in the United States, and which every observant and intelligent citizen has seen in use upon nearly all our city streets and country roads from Bangor to San Francisco and from Detroit to Tallahassee, is certainly entitled to be called a pleasure carriage without question," and as such they have been held in every court and judicial department where the question has come up for decision. If it is a carriage it is entitled to its place upon the highways and has as much right as any carriage propelled by horses.

"So that as of an old and recognized class of vehicles by prescriptive right, and also as a vehicle recognized by judicial and quasi-judicial decisions, the bicycle and its riders have a clear right on the public streets: but even if it were a novelty, and neither it nor anything of its class from which it is in details a divergence, had been used in this country prior to the summer of 1877, it would still be entitled to the use of the public streets."

Said Caton, C. J., in a leading case in the Supreme court of Illinois: "A street is made for the passage of persons and property, and the law cannot define what exclusive means of transportation and passage shall be used. To say that a new mode of passage shall be banished from the streets, no matter how much the general good may require it, simply because streets were not so used in the days of Blackstone, would hardly comport with the advancement and enlightenment of the present age."—Moses v. Pittsburg, etc., R. R. co., 21 Ill. 522.

Mr. Justice Cooley, of Michigan, in his standard work, has found and expressed the law to be: "When land is taken or dedicated for a town street, it is unquestionably appropriated for all the ordinary purposes of a town street; not merely the purposes to which such streets were formerly applied, but those demanded by new improvements and new wants."—Cooley Const. Limit, (4th Ed.) 694.

"One other point may be noticed in passing which has perhaps been allowed too much force in some quarters heretofore, and that is the alleged dangerous and unwelcome aspect of bicycling to the horse-using portion of the public. Commissioners undoubtedly have a right, under their authority to regulate, to prevent pedestrians from carrying strange illuminations or nitro-glycerine cans or bombs on the foot ways, because they are not necessary to the use of the footways and are unreasonably dangerous. But they have no right to prohibit the carrying of umbrellas, canes, crutches, cork legs, or personal deformities on the foot-ways, although they were objectionable to some, and umbrellas frighten timid or untrained horses, because they are necessary to the full and free use of the foot ways.

So they might prohibit the covering a carriage with fantistic shapes and colors and hanging its wheels all over with bells, because that is something more than simply a carriage, and is not necessary to the full and free use of the driveways, and is unreasonably dangerous.

Now the bicycle is no such contrivance. It has by the prejudiced, the thoughtless, or the ignorant, been sometimes called dangerous. But it is simply a carriage (reduced to the lowest possible terms) and nothing else; it has nothing unnecessary to travel, no dangerous additions to the vehicle proper. Ridden at a rate not greater than 6 miles an hour, it is capable of complete control—deviation from its course, immediate stopping, etc.—and is not as dangerous as other vehicles, for there can be no runaway or disastrous collision. It is said that horses are frightened by it. The fact is they are not, any more than they are at umbrellas. But if they sometimes are, it is to be remembered that the highest courts have decided that the drivers of horses have no more right in streets or carriage-ways than those using other common modes of conveyance, and that the mere frightening of horses is neither actionable as a tort nor complainable as a nuisance, nor an obstruction which city officers or public boards are accountable for.

To sum up, however, upon the law as I find it, and the logic of the discussion as closely as I can apply it, my opinion is, in brief, that the drive-ways of parks are public streets for the purpose of travel at least; that all persons have a right to use the public streets with their own common carriages; and, therefore, that all persons have an equal right to use the drive ways of parks with their own common pleasure carriages; that bicycles are within that class; that the bicycle is a common pleasure carriage, and that, therefore, the bicyclers have an equal right to use the driveways of parks with their bicycles. And further, that town or city or county governments or officers have no authority to exclude or to regulate so far as practically to exclude bicyclers from the public streets."

WILL H. HAYDEN,
Consul Mich. Div. L. A. W.

Archie Richard was shaking hands with his old Tecumseh friends last Saturday.

Sam. Brangan, manager of H. McClure's Britton store, was in town last Monday.

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Corinne Sheldon, who has been at Danville, N. Y., during the summer, returned to Tecumseh last Tuesday.

The M. & O. pay car went over the road last Tuesday in time to let its employees have the "wherewith" to buy Christmas presents.

We wish to privately suggest to Mr. J. N. Satterthwaite, who manages the local weather office that this kind of weather isn't exactly the thing for Christmas. If he shall continue to give us April weather in December, we shall consider it our duty to give him a public reprimand.

The Tecumseh HERALD prints very full if not entirely accurate reports of the meetings of the Salvation detail. —Adrian Record.

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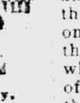
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A LONDON TRICK.

How an American Judge Narrowly Escaped Robbery in the Strand.

The reputation of London confidence men and sharpers is well known. They have an excellent field for their work. London is so vast that it is difficult to find them even if the detectives are promptly upon their track, and they change their quarters frequently. Then the number of visitors to this great Babylon is so large that victims are found without much difficulty. As many of these are transient visitors, if the bunco men, as they would be called in America; I do not know what corresponding term is used here—make a good "haul," they leave the city or lie in hiding until they feel sure that their victims have gone. Then they can not be identified, if arrested, and of course will escape prosecution.

An American gentleman whom I met the other day told me of his narrow escape from being robbed by what I am told is an "old London trick." He is a criminal judge in one of your southern States; and one would suppose that such an official would be on his guard against tricks of all kinds. He has been in London many times before his present visit, and thought he was pretty familiar with the city and its ways. Let me relate his experience in his own words.

"I have been living," he said, "in a private hotel in one of the streets leading from the Strand to the Thames, not far from Temple Bar. It is a convenient place to reach and I found it comfortable and convenient in every way. I have been in the habit of going to my lodgings at all hours of the day and night. I was on my way thither through the Strand about one o'clock one morning, and had almost reached the street in which my hotel is situated when I saw a woman not far in front of me apparently stumble and fall to the sidewalk. She was alone. She cried out as if hurt, and I hastened my steps and ran to her assistance. I helped her get up, but she complained of great pain in her ankle, and could hardly stand. She began to cry bitterly, and said she didn't see how she was to get home. I asked her where she lived; she named the street, which I knew was more than a mile away. I told her that she would have to take a cab, and that I would call one. Still crying and complaining that she was severely hurt, she said she could not take a cab, as she had no money to pay for it. My sympathies were aroused, and I said that I would give her enough to pay her cab-fare. I put my hand in my pocket and pulled out some silver coins. At the same time, I stepped toward a gas-lamp in order to pick out the right amount.

"Quick as a flash of lightning the woman seized my wrist, and some of the coins went rattling down to the pavement. At this moment three other women appeared. I had seen nothing of them before. They seized me by the arms and around the waist. I instantly comprehended the situation. I was the victim of a confidence game, and was being robbed—or would be in a moment unless I made a vigorous resistance. I had my umbrella in my hand. I struggled violently with the four women, and at length managed to break away from them. I started on a run at full speed for my hotel, only a few rods away. All the women were in hot pursuit. You know all those streets running from the Strand down to the river descend pretty rapidly, and as I was going down I got under such a headway that I could not stop when I reached my house. I stopped just below it, however, and tried to turn, when the women seized me again. They pounded and kicked me viciously, but did not get anything out of my pockets. I used my hands and feet and umbrella as best I could, but I am afraid they would have been more than a match for me.

"By good fortune, however, while the struggle was going on in front of my hotel, the door suddenly opened and the landlord appeared in it. I told him I needed help and he came out. The women then set up on him, and taking advantage of the opportunity, I broke away from them and ran at full speed into the hotel. I found that my umbrella was pretty badly used up, and my arms and shins and body were sore for several days. Since then I have carried a stout cane whenever I am out late at night. I never asked the landlord how he came out of the fight. I was too glad to get away myself to bother about him; but I fancy he suffered little damage. I only lost a few shillings."

"Why did you not make an outcry and alarm the police?" I inquired.

"Ah," was the answer, "that was the very thing that I was careful not to do. Don't you see, they were four to one, and if a policeman had come, the chances were that they would accuse me of assault and I would be locked up for the night. Or, if my story had been believed, they would have spent the night in the police station a matter of no consequence to a woman of that class—and it the matter had gone further, I should have gone to the police court to prosecute them. I did not care for publicity in that way. Oh, no. I didn't want the police to have any hand in the matter so far as I was concerned. You may think I was stupid to be taken in by such a trick. I have been told since that it is a trick very commonly practiced in London, but I had never heard of it before. I am sure that it would readily impose on any one who was ignorant of it.—*London Cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

—It is generally supposed that the North Arctic Zone is extending, and proof is assumed in the increase of ice on the eastern shores of Greenland, and in the fact that barley, which was successfully grown in Iceland from its first settlement in 870 down to the middle of the fifteenth century, is no longer cultivated there. The Icelandic Government has, however, lately attempted to grow barley in the island on a considerable scale and the results are very favorable. Norwegian barley from Altenjord, the extreme north of the barley-growing zone, was planted and fit for cutting in eighty days. The decline in barley cultivation in Iceland is really due to the fact that cattle breeding pays better.

TYPHOID FEVER.

Causes of Its Existence and Methods of Dissemination.

The causation of typhoid or enteric fever is involved in great obscurity. Some of the best authorities believe it may originate *de novo*; in other words, as the great exponent of this theory, Dr Murchison, states it: "The poison of enteric fever is contained in the emanations from certain forms of putrefying organic matter," and "is often generated by fecal fermentation." Other authorities equally good, hold that the appearance of typhoid fever cases necessarily presupposes the existence of a case which stands to the later ones in the relation of cause to effect, and that, if this case is not discovered, it is simply because the evidence is obscure, or the investigator inexperienced. Unfortunately the identification of the typhoid germ has not yet been satisfactorily determined, and until it is we can hardly expect the mystery now surrounding the production of the disease to be cleared away. In regard to the means by which the fever spreads, there is more unanimity of opinion. The water of wells which has become impure from the leaking of vaults and cesspools has been shown over and over again to have caused typhoid epidemics. Notable instances of this have occurred in our country, as in Syracuse in 1876, and the more recent epidemic at Plymouth, Pa.

Milk has also many times been the medium through which the typhoid poison has been disseminated. Impure water has been used to wash out the milk cans, if, indeed, it has not served other purposes, and the milk has thus become infected. A striking example of this medium of contagion was the outbreak of typhoid at Marylebone, London. Within a few weeks one hundred and twenty-three families were attacked. Mr. Radcliffe traced the cause of this to milk which came from a particular farm on which "water used for dairy purposes contained excremental matters from a patient suffering from enteric fever immediately before and at the time of the outbreak." Epidemics occurring at Edinburgh, Glasgow, Bristol and Dublin have also been traced to milk. These facts should stir up all health officials to the vital importance of the most rigid scrutiny of the milk supplied to the people under their charge, and should lead our judges to inflict the severest penalties upon those detected in the adulteration of this most essential food. That this disease may be contracted by those who nurse the sick is possible, but if this ever occurs it is extremely rare. The discharges from the intestines are believed to contain the infective material; and in the present state of our knowledge, to bury these discharges in the ground or to cast them into the sewer without previous disinfection, must be looked upon as criminal. It is not difficult to understand that the infective material of such undisinfected discharges may cling to the interior of drain tiles and sewers, and through defective plumbing find admission to the dwelling and sleeping rooms of the well. This is doubtless the explanation of the origin of those cases which are ascribed to sewer gas.

Typhoid fever is eminently a disease of the autumn, and its greater prevalence at this season of the year is attributed by some to the decay of vegetation; others have found its prevalence to depend upon the rise and fall of the ground water. Just how far these conditions affect the prevalence of the fever is a matter of conjecture, and as they are entirely beyond our control we must in our endeavor toward prevention and restriction pay strict attention to cleanliness in all its forms, and especially to the thorough disinfection of discharges from patients. For this purpose the committee on disinfectants of the American Public Health Association recommend solutions of chloride of lime, of chlorinated soda, or of bi-chloride of mercury.

In our cities the typhoid patients are largely recruited from the ranks of those of ample means, who during the summer spend their time in the country, and often at the most fashionable watering places. It is notorious that these resorts are, as a rule, unsanitary in their appointments. The crowding of human beings in such places, with the consequent accumulation of human waste, would, it would seem, help to account for the large representation of typhoid fever victims in the ranks of their patrons. A study of typhoid cases with reference to this point would be interesting and doubtless instructive.—*Science.*

How to Prevent Rusting of Plows.

A plowman says there are several easy ways to prevent rusting of plows and cultivators and to keep the teeth bright. One is to give them a coat of thick limewash as soon as they are brought in from the field. Another is to dissolve an ounce of resin in four ounces of linseed oil, and while hot mix this with a quart of kerosene and stir well. This is laid on the smooth iron with a paint brush. Another way is to dissolve an ounce of camphor in some turpentine and add to this four ounces of lard and one ounce of pulverized black lead or stove polish and mix well. This may be rubbed on with a rag. To remove rust from tools or plows nothing is better than a mixture of half a pint of oil of vitriol poured slowly into a quart of water, and apply this to the rusted metal. Wash off with water.—*Cincinnati Times.*

—A singular accident occurred to Mrs. Wallace, daughter of Mr. John L. Carncross, a few days ago. During the summer she resided at Ardmore, where the lady and her daughter were afflicted with the whooping cough. They returned to the city. Recently Mrs. Wallace was seized with a severe coughing fit, during which she fractured a limb.—*Philadelphia Record.*

—A Nevada lady recently took unfair advantage of her husband's indulgence in a bath to elope with another man. The bereaved one expressed the conviction that she had been waiting for the opportunity for months.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

Father, Mother, and Three Sisters Dead.

Mr. David Claypool, formerly Sergeant-at-Arms of the New Jersey Senate, and now Notary Public at Cedarville, Cumberland Co., N. J., makes the following startling statement: "My father, mother, and three sisters all died with consumption, and my lungs were so weak I raised blood. Nobody thought I could live. My work (ship-smithing) was very straining on me with my weak constitution, and I was rapidly going to the grave. While in this condition I commenced using Mishler's Herb Bitters, and it saved my life. Because it was so difficult to get it in this little place, and I had improved so much, I stopped taking it for a time, and the result is that I have commenced going rapidly down hill again. Somehow, Mishler's Herb Bitters gives appetite and strengthens and builds me up as nothing else does, and I must have a dozen bottles at once. Use this communication as you please, and if any one wants to be convinced of its truth, let them write me and I will make affidavit to it, for I owe my life to Mishler's Herb Bitters."

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 38 "
Tecumseh	7 25 "	3 26 "	4 02 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 12 "	9 05 "
Petroit	10 20 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	9 25 "	15 05 "	.....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 50 A.M.	6 16 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M
Tecumseh	12 01 P.M.	9 34 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 10 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 27 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

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TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 24	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 30	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Blakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 54	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 43
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Cones	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Milan	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 01	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Hand	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Hand	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 47	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Milan	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cones	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 39
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Blakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER		1 08	4 22	10 55

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Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 34 Pass	GOING WEST. No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	GOING EAST. No. 31 Pass
P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A....Toledo L	5 10	11 10
6 40	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
7 04	11 24	Britton	3 52	9 46
7 09	11 29	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
7 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9,32
7 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
7 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05
8 00	12 22	Devils Lake	2 54	8 51
8 09	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
8 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
8 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
8 42	1 06	Hanover	2 10	8 09
8 53	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
9 15	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38
9 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
9 44	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06
9 57	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49
10 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30
P. M.	2 56	A gusta	12 27	A. M.
	04	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Montcalm	11 43	
	3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A...Allegan....L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 30	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
P.M.	A	L	A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday, for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through coach leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Toledo on Train No. 33 at 5:10 P.M.

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Mr. Isenstein is also a wit and a philosopher. The first record we have of any of his sayings is the remark he made after witnessing a performance of "Richelieu." Being a man of business he is not in the habit of squandering his money on theater tickets, but on this occasion, he had been presented with a couple of complimentary tickets by one of his customers, so he took his son Jacob and went. On his way home he thus delivered himself:

"Shaky, my poy, dese show-actors don'd know noding. Don'd you pelief dem, Shaky. Ven der shentleman in der play say der vas no such vord as fail, den he make himself foolish, und don'd you forgot it. Shust hear your fader spoke, Shaky. Der piggest vord in der language vas fail, und der smaller der per-shent to der greditors der pigger de vord. Shust don'd forgot dot, Shaky, und ven your old fader vas der ground under, und you found you can fail for ten cents on der tollar, don'd vait till ter-morrer ter do it."

The next time Mr. Isenstein displayed his wisdom he was riding on the cars, with his two sons Jacob and Isaac. The conductor attempted to collect full fare for Jacob, and this brought out a remonstrance.

"Dose tvins on der udder side pays shust halef, aint it?"

"Yes," responded the conductor.

"Und dey vas den years old each. Ish dot so?"

"I guess so."

"Vell, den you took von whole fare for tventy years. Isaac, he vas tree und Shaky he vas sebenteen. 'Dot's tventy, aint it? Vell, den I pays you one whole fare. Py shiminy! you feller you don't sheat me—nod if I don'd forgot myselluf."

It was not very often that Mr. Isenstein forgot himself, but once in awhile he did. One morning he found a counterfeit dollar in his pocket. He was completely broken up—a dollar, a counterfeit dollar. He could not understand it.

"Py shiminy," he muttered, "I vonder if I aint got some sense at all." Then to his son: "Shaky, run quick to Mr. Mosenbaum's over, un puy tventy five-cent segars."

In five minutes Jacob returned with the cigars, and Mr. Isenstein went gayly about his work. The dollar was passed.

That afternoon Mr. Isenstein was rummaging in the cash drawer, and he ran across the same dollar again.

"Shaky, Shaky, come here quick!" he cried. "Don'd you got some sense! Vere'd dot tollar come from?"

"Mr. Mosenbaum come der street ofer, und bought a pair of suspender-braces."

"Vel, took it back und puy me twenty more segars. So hellup me Moses, purty soon I got so many segars, I haf to give von away or I make myselluf sick."

Jacob returned shortly, and said:

"Mr. Mosenbaum vont took der tollar."

Mr. Isenstein grasped the money, and rushed across the street.

"Py shiminy! Vy don'd you took dot tollar?" he exclaimed.

"Do you think I make myselluf a foolish. Dot tollar vas counterfeit."

"Vell, you dot tollar back took. My poy Shaky took dot tollar from you."

"Ish dot so? Do you tink I make myselluf a fool pecause Shaky do. Vell, I don'd guess I do dot."

"Py shiminy, so hellup Isaac, you took dot tollar back, or I make it so warm for you as never vas. You shust bear me spoke."

"Vell, Levi Isenstein, shust you let me toot a vile. You took dot tollar und put it in you car, und go mit it to de dooce, und if you don'd go purty quick I kick you owet of my shtore."

Then for about five minutes the air was filled with dust and bad English, while Isenstein and Mosenbaum rolled over on the floor and pulled each other's hair. Then Mrs. Mosenbaum came down stairs and took a hand in, and Jacob came across the street to help his father. When the smoke of battle cleared away Isenstein lay in the gutter moaning the loss of his dollar, and Mosenbaum lay under his counter bewailing the damage to his store.

Isenstein has gone into a decline, brought about by his inability to get rid of the dollar. It is thought he will recover.—*The Rambler.*

A Royal Autograph.

The Governor is in receipt of the autograph signature of his Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Japan. The signature bears a striking resemblance to the hieroglyphics of a Chinese tea box, only it is written upon the finest silk, gorgeously illuminated with gold upon a cardinal red background of fine silk. Three truly Japan cranes are pictured, each making a flight through space to cast a glance upon the imperial signature written among the stars and shrouded in fleecy golden clouds. The card is of very durable material, and is wrapped in creamy rice paper almost as filmy as a gossamer's web. The whole is encased in a box of spotless white wood, upon the cover of which is the engraved signature of his Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Japan, made at Tokio, July 13, 1885. The autograph was secured by our Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary at the Japanese court, John A. Bingham, and is a contribution to the Aldrich collection now in the State Library, where it will be on exhibition.—*Des Moines Leader.*

—A Maine boy has committed suicide because he was suspected of having broken a window. A Louisville boy would commit suicide if it were thought that he had not broken a window. Pride varies greatly in youngsters according as they are spanked or encouraged.—*Louisville Courier-Journal*

A SHOT TOWER.

How the Shot Is Sorted Into Sizes for the Familiar Canvas Bags.

Shot is formed by pouring a melted piece of alloy or lead through a colander or sieve at the top of a high tower. In falling to the base of the tower the particles of semi-fluid lead assume the globular form. They fall into a vessel of water placed to receive them, before reaching which they become so nearly solid that their globular form is retained when they strike the surface of the yielding element. An arsenical preparation forms the alloy, which makes the lead more ductile, softer and better fitted to take the spherical form. The soft and pure American lead requires less arsenic than the hard and brittle foreign varieties. Too much arsenic causes the drops to assume the lenticular form, and too little causes them to elongate, to flatten on one side and hollow in the middle as they cool. The higher the tower the larger the shot that may be dropped in it. I had an opportunity at Chicago of inspecting the whole process of making shot. Also at the same time I saw how sheet lead and lead pipes are manufactured, and the no less interesting processes in the manufacture of linseed oil.

The lofty tower, as high and almost as massive as Bunker Hill monument, must have attracted the attention of nearly every one who has visited the city. From its summit the best view of the city is to be obtained. It is one of the tallest towers erected for this purpose in the world. There is one in Europe 240 feet high. Some of the perpendicular bluffs in the Upper Mississippi in the vicinity of the lead mines of Iowa and Wisconsin are used in the place of towers, the melted lead being dropped over the precipices.

The shot are of greater dimensions than the holes of the colander through which they pass. Mr. Blatchford dipped out a handful from the cistern for our inspection. There was quite a variety of sizes, and many of the drops had assumed irregular forms. The first thing done with the shot is to dry them, and then the perfectly spherical ones are selected by a very ingenious contrivance, as simple as it is ingenious. A series of inclined planes is so arranged, one below another, with gaps between, that when the shot is poured upon the top one, the perfectly spherical ones of all sizes bound forward merrily in straight lines, skipping the gaps unerringly, and flying off neither to the right hand nor the left. Any one who has tried to roll an imperfect ball in a ten-pin alley knows what an irresistible attraction the sides of the alley have for the poor ball. It will not keep upon the straight highway cast up for it, but must needs roll into the ditch, a melancholy instance of the "depravity of inanimate things." So the imperfect shot scatter out at the sides of these planes. And even if they chance, by a miracle of grace, to keep in the center, they drop into the cunning pitfalls over which their perfect brethren nimbly skip in safety. The nearly perfect ones sometimes escape several of their gaps, but are all caught before they reach the bottom, and self-convicted, are unceremoniously returned to the melting pot. The perfect ones of all sizes run into a revolving barrel, where with a little pulverized graphite, or plumbago, they roll about for a while, and acquire the brilliant polish which is their finishing touch.

It only needs now to assort the sizes and to pack them in the little canvas bags familiar to all sportsmen. They are sorted in revolving cylinders slightly inclined, perforated with holes, which increase in size toward the lower end. Each size drops out as soon as it comes to a set of holes large enough to allow the shot to pass. The arrangement for weighing and bagging them is very ingenious. Receptacles numbered from one to twelve, according to the size of the shot, under the revolving cylinders, conduct the little death-dealing missiles through tunnels into the canvas bags. As soon as a bag has received its twenty-five pounds its weight shuts a valve, and no more can come till the bag is removed and another put in its place. One man tends the whole row, with needle and thread sewing up the bags, which are then ready for the market. All the work of the tower, except that which is done by machinery, is performed by three men.—*Philadelphia Call.*

DANGEROUS MONKEYS.

They Amuse Themselves by Wrecking Railway Trains.

Between a place called Niddivunda and Herebully there is a large tope which is well known to be infested with a lot of monkeys. Having no other mode of occupying their dull hours, they are bent upon trying to destroy the Tumker Line. It would appear that these animals, about fifty or sixty, form themselves into two batches; they range themselves systematically, one-half on one rail and the other half on the other. They begin by first removing the earth from the sides of the rails. Then they arrive at the difficulty of nuts and bolts, which, though they examing them very minutely, they can not get over.

On the approach of the up or down train they wait until the engine is within a few yards, when, with the utmost coolness, they simply jump on one side till the train has passed, and then resume their work. A remarkable instance occurred on one of these occasions. As the engine was approaching the monkeys made their usual jumps, with the exception of one, who persisted in remaining on the line, the engine by this time being very near. Five or six monkeys, seeing the danger one of their number was in, made a sudden rush and dragged him off, some laying hold of him by the tail, others by the legs; anyhow, they saved him. They are now styled the Niddivunda gangmen by the guards and drivers.—*Madras Mail.*

—"It's through no fault of mine," complained a tired-looking young man, "that I came into the world. But I am here, and the world owes me a living." "Yes," was the reply, "the world owes you a living, but you haven't energy and spunk enough to collect it."—*New York Sun.*

Don't Eat in a Hurry.

A health journal says that people ought to take three quarters of an hour for dinner. This is well if there is dinner to hold out so long. The penuality for hurrying meals as most people do, is a grevious attack of dyspepsia. In such a case you will have to resort to Brown's Iron Bitters for cure as did Mr. J. R. Pinkston, Shorter's Depot, Ala., who writes, "I found relief in Brown's Iron Bitters after years of suffering from dyspepsia."

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, Council Room, Dec. 8, 1885.

Adjourned session. Present the entire council except Mr. Brezee.

Minutes of preceeding meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings reported $5.00 received for hay on public square, and that an exchange of stoves had been made for 1st. floor of new part of council building, upon which there was due Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd the sum of $4.00.

Street Commissioner asked for further time in the matter of sidewalk grade on Chicago street. Granted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Marshal reported upon tax collection as follows:

Total tax on roll	$5,015 93
Two per cent remitted to tax payers on $2,915 12, total tax per roll paid prior to Aug. 1st. 1885	$58 30
Unpaid tax returned.	22 75
Marshal's 3 per cent. com. on $4,934 88 collected	148 04
Paid Treasurer as per annexed receipt	4786 84 $5,015 93

Referred to Finance Committee.

Street Commissioner reported for November showing 10½ days work by corporation team and 1½ by other teams, and 112 8-10ths days hand labor. Accepted, adopted and ordered filed.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

C. A. Slayton appeared before the board and asked that a cross walk be laid across Evans street, about midway between Chicago and Logan sts. Referred to Street Committee with authority to construct the same should it be approved.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented, and on motion referred to finance committee:

Satterthwaite Bros & Boyd, bill rend	$53 44
Baker & Hall, bill rend	23 48
J. D. Sholes, bill rend	6 51
Thos. Elliot, bill rend " " building approp	41 20 7 00
O. P. Bills, telegraphing	3 33
R. B. House, freight	12 04
Jas. Moir, marshal	9 93
Jno. Hibbard deputy mars all	3 00
W. C. Jordan St. com. freight	47 50
Mich. Pipe Co., Bay City, Mich. bill rend	496 58
And the following for street labor:	
Robt. Owens	7 63
Dell Packard	16 24
Chas. Kilburn	9 38
F. Thomas	4 68
Wm. McKinney	10 25
Wm. Gordon	8 00
Jas. O'Riley	15 62
C. Aten	9 37
Jno. Campbell	7 37
Wm. McClanahan	6 25
Geo. Cole	4 62
Robt. Magill	9 49
Jno. Haag	5 63
Wm. Brown	25 61
W. H. Ames	7 37
Jno. Hubbard	1 12
Jno. Cannon	1 00
Jas. McWilliams	1 75
A. Howe	1 25
H. Wescott	1 25
Jas. Potter	1 80

The matter of insurance of Council Building was discussed and referred to the president to obtain $3000 insurance with a reponsible company at best rates possible.

The immediate need of a new heater for the fire engine was discussed and referred to fire committee with authority to purchase at once.

The Fire committee were also duly authorized to connect the house of the engineer with the council building by electric bell.

The Street Commissioner was directed to repair the cross walk on Chicago street in front of the store of W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., as soon as weather will permit.

On motion and vote of the Council it was duly enacted as follows

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee, Village of Tecumseh, ss.

Birdsey J. Bidwell of said village, having located and opened for use certain streets or premises owned by him and having on the fifteenth day of October, 1885, conveyed the same to the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh by deed bearing date said day, in which deed said streets are fully described, which said deed and conveyance is hereby accepted by the Common Council, the said common council now in regular session assembled do hereby order and determine that the said several streets be and the same are hereby laid out and established as public streets of said village, and the same are described and bounded as follows.

First—All that parcel of land situate in the Township of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, known and described as all that part of the east half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-eight of town five South of Range four East, bounded as follows beginning at a point in the center of Union street in said village (said center being also the west line of said east half of said south-east quarter of said section twenty-eight) forty-one rods and five feet north of the north line of Shawnee street in said village, thence east parallel with the north line of Shawnee street to the westerly line of the L. S. & M. S. Railway company's land; thence northerly on westerly line of said railway company's land to a point four rods north of the first course; thence west parallel with and four rods distant from the first course to a point met by extending northward far enough the westerly line of Pearl street in said village; thence south on west line of Pearl street, extended as aforesaid fourteen feet; thence west parallel with, and fifty-two feet distant northward from, the first course to the center of Union street; thence south fifty-two feet to place of beginning—the same to be known as Bidwell street.

Second—All that other parcel of land situate as aforesaid and described as part of the East half of the South-east quarter of section twenty-eight, Town five South of Range four East, bounded by beginning at a point in the north line of Shawnee street in said village met by extending the east line of Maiden Lane street far enough northward on its own course from Hewitt's addition to said village, thence north on east line of Maiden Lane street so extended northward forty-one rods and five feet to south line of Bidwell street; thence west on south line of Bidwell street forty-six feet; thence south parallel with and forty-six feet distant from first course forty-one rods and five feet to the north line of Shawnee street; thence east forty-six feet to the place of beginning—the same to be known as Maiden Lane street.

Third—All that other parcel of land situate as aforesaid and described as being a part of the East half of the South-east quarter of Section twenty-eight, Town five South of Range four East, bounded by beginning at a point in the north line of Shawnee street in said village met by extending the east line of Pearl street northward far enough on its own course from Hewitt's addition to said village, thence north on east line of Pearl street so extended northward forty-one rods and five feet to the south line of Bidwell street; thence west on south line of Bidwell street sixty feet; thence south parallel with and sixty feet distant from first course forty one rods and five feet to north line of Shawnee street; thence east sixty feet to place of beginning—the same to be known as Pearl street.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Finance committee reported favorably upon the following claims:

H. E. Anderson, $18.62; Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd, $53.44; Baker & Hall, $23.48; J. D. Sholes, $6.51; Thos. Elliot $41.20; Thos. Elliot, $7.00; O. P. Bills, .33; R. B. House, $12.04; Jas. Moir, $9.93; Jno. Hibbard, $3; W. C. Jordan $47.50; Mich. Pipe Co., $496.58; Robt. Owens, $7.63; Dell Packard, $16.25; Chas. Kilburn, $9.38; F. Thomas, $4.68 Wm. McKinney, $10.25; Wm. Gordon, $7; Jas. O'Riley, $15.62; C. Aten, $9.37; Jno. Campbell, $7.37; Wm. McClanahan, 62cts.; Geo. Cole, $4.62; Robt. Magill, $9.49; Jno. Haag, $5.63; Wm. Brown, $25.61; W. H. Ames, $7.37; Jno. Hubbard, $1.12; Jno. Cannon, $1; Jas. McWilliams, $1.75; A. Howe, $1.25; H. Wescott, $1.25; Jas. Potter, $1.80.

Report accepted and adopted and orders directed drawn for the several amounts.

The Finance Committee further reported recommending the acceptance of the Marshal's report. Accepted and adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

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CLARKE.—In this village, of heart disease, on Saturday evening, Dec. 19, Madeline Townsend Clarke, third daughter of John R. and Eleanor Clarke, aged 11 years, 6 months and two days.

MARRIED.

WILSON—COLLINS.—At Tecumseh, on the 23d, inst., by Rev. Jas. Vincent, Andrew Wilson of Franklin, and Mrs. Mary Ann Collins of Macon.

SLATER—ARMSTRONG.—At Tecumseh, Mich., on the 20th of December, 1885, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. M. Gelston, Mr. Fred Slater of Franklin and Miss Hettie Armstrong, of Adrian.

MARKS—WILSON.—At the residence of the bride's parents in Franklin, Dec. 17, by Rev. F. Atkins, Mr. Andrew Marks and Miss Emma Wilson, both of Franklin.

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Hay ₱ ton	8 00 @	10 00
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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gregory, of Quincy, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pocklington last week.

Mrs. E. A. Wilson, wife of Prof. E. A. Wilson, arrived last week, to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Emma Thompson is visiting relatives and old acquaintances in the village and vicinity.

G. C. Arner went to Milan Tuesday on business.

Wm. Cornell's father, from Saginaw came Tuesday to spend a few days.

A. L. Arner, of Raisin, made W. R. Wilson a short visit last week.

M. P. Brown, of Tecumseh, was in the village Monday on business.

Agent Frank Allen and wife, of Richland, are visiting their parents during the holidays.

G. P. Waring has a very fine picture of Mrs. G. P. Waring.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Osgood spent Christmas with friends at St. Johns, Clinton county.

Robert Boyd and family, of Raisin, spent Saturday at Mrs. Waring's on North Church St.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Clack, went to Dundee Monday, to visit friends.

G. P. Waring and Miss Ella Cadmus spent Thursday in Detroit.

Lulu Rappleye, of Dundee, made relatives a visit last week, returning home Monday.

Mr. Weddie Bush, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending the holidays with his grandma, Mrs. Hall.

Ed. Freer, of Mason, is among old friends once more. Disappointment dosent seem to effect him much; he is as cheerful as of old.

G. W. Jackson and wife, of Hillsdale, are visiting relatives and friends during the holidays.

May Woodard and Nellie Heesen, of Tecumseh, visited Clara Temple and Jennie Osgood Monday and Tuesday.

Dean Loree is in Detroit with his sister, Mrs. Lucking, during the vacation.

Miss Carter, of West Virginia, who is attending college at Adrian, was the guest of her friend, Belle Barlow, Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Don't forget the Literary on New Year's night at the hall.

Ed. Anderson, of Sparta, Michigan, spent christmas with Ida Arner.

Rev. W. J. Clack united four young people with the holy bonds of matrimony last week. Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Hiram Taft, of Raisin, and Miss Mary Sherman, of Macon, at the home of the bride. Thursday evening, Mr. Lavern Ousterhout, of Britton and Hattie Beevers, of Raisin, where a grand wedding was enjoyed by all present. We extend our congratulations to the happy young people.

The entertainment given by the Sunday School at the church Christmas night was a grand success. There was a very large attendance.

The ladies of the village and vicinity surprised Rev. and Mrs. Clack with a fine reflexible Oxford complete Bible and $20.75. To Mrs. Clack they gave a fine silver cake basket. The presentation remarks were made by Mrs. Williams, who in a few well chosen words expressed the feeling of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clack. Mrs. Curtis received a toilet set from her class. Mr. Swick was presented with a fine card from his class of young ladies. Mrs. Williams was surprised with a beautiful card from her class.

SPRINGVILLE SNUFF.

Mrs. T. H. Mosher has returned home from a business visit in Ohio.

Charles Stephenson returned home from Adrian, where he has been attending college, to spend the holidays, but is confined to his bed with mumps. Sorry for you, Charles.

J. H. Smith and family took turkey with their parents, at this place, Christmas.

The shooting match last week Wednesday passed off without any serious results. One or two jaws being slightly dislocated was all.

The rink will be opened after this week on Friday evenings as usual.

The dance at the Springville hotel might have been a grand success had all the gentlemen present brought lady partners. We wish to say that we admire the judgment of what few ladies were present in refusing to dance with only those gentlemen that brought ladies. Perhaps tkey will learn the proper way to attend a party.

Knapp's Sextette band, of Tecumseh, will aid the Springville band to discourse music at Brooklyn New Year's night.

We clip the following from the Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, Evening News. It may be of interest to some as the same relates to Will. A. Whitney formerly of this place:

The wedding Christmas Eve., of Mr. William Whitney, of Ottumwa, and Miss Nannie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson, was one of the most pleasant wedding events that has taken place in our city for a long time. Relatives and friends of the contracting parties to the number of one hundred or more were present to witness the ceremonies and extend congratulations. The supper was simply a grand feast of all the delicacies that was ever heard of which was greatly relished by all. Many valuable and handsome presents were given, among the number being a large and beautiful crayon likeness of the fair bride, presented her by the artist, Ernest Rotzien, of Ottumwa.

All present declare it one of the most enjoyable and pleasant weddings that they have ever attended, and the occasion will never be erased from the memory of the guests.

Miss Nannie kindly remembered the News office by sending in a bountiful supply of her wedding cake, and samples of others, gotten up for the occasion. May the wedded life of Mr and Mrs. Whitney be long and without a wave of trouble, is the wish of the News family.

MACON MUSIC.

There will be a watch meeting held at the M. E. church Thursday evening. The exercises will be varied, consisting of a sermon, prayers and singing, while the old year passes.

Maud Howell, John Howell and Addis Crittenden are home from the Normal school for their holiday vacation.

Mrs. Rachel Howell has returned from a visit to Prof. David Howell's family at Lansing.

John Kellogg has purchased a place at Mooreville and left our community.

Mrs. Isaac Mills is reported as much more comfortable though not recovered from her sickness.

Between his cares at the "Do Drop" and his sales of the Champion weather strip, Joe is busy now-a-days. The cold wave which he assured his victims was coming, must have become demoralized in view of the resistance which the patent weather strip is prepared to offer, and laid off at some primitive town in the north-west, upon whose virgin soil no agent of the patent weather strip hath put his foot.

Miss Helen Travis is home from school at North Adams.

Dr. A. G. Oven, assistant Prof. in the University, spent Christmas at home.

Miss Lila Fincham of Petoskey, who is attending the school of music at AnnArbor, passed the holidays with the family of Isaac Pennington.

TIPTON TOPICS.

The glad holiday season which makes so much of joy and happiness to all, received its usual welcome here. The evening for the Sunday School Cantata, which had been so long looked forward to, was as pleasant as could be desired, with the exception of rough roads. The M. E. church was crowded at an early hour, and the exercises were opened by an anthem followed by the Cantata "Santa Claus' Mistake" or, "A Bundle of Sticks." The parts were well executed and the children did admirably. Much credit and many thanks are due to Mr. Elmer Wilson who had the entire charge of this entertainment.

Christmas day brought many family gatherings; some of which were held at the homes of Mr. Eugene Camburn, Chas. Kemp, J. B. Kemp, Mr. Harrison and Mr. J. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Fridd spent Christmas with friends in Adrian and Mr. Beri VanNess and family with friends in Tecumseh.

A Christmas present of a nine pound girl baby, at the M. E. parsonage. Congratulations extended.

Frank Lamkins who is attending the law department of the State University, is spending his vacation at home.

Mrs. G. D. Perry of Tecumseh, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Keeney.

Miss Alma Tripp intends visiting an uncle in Morenci.

The social given by the young ladies of the Congregational church mentioned in our last, proved quite a success. They realized about twenty-seven dollars from the sale of their quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle of Rollin, spent Christmas with their daughters of this place.

Mrs. John Smith is reported to be quite sick.

A Clinton hen made a dinner of Bohemian oats one day last week and it was her last dinner. No wonder the poor hen died.

—Read our club list and subscribe for the HERALD.

THE PROBATE COURT.

Following is the record of business transacted at the probate court for the week ending, December 22, 1885:

Estate of James Palmer, deceased; petition for appointment of administrator; hearing January 18.

Estate of Wm. J. Waltermire, deceased; petition for allowance of administrator;s final account; hearing January 11.

Estate of Will B. Clark, minor; release of guardian filed; order of discharge.

Estate of Woster Smith, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners' warrant and report filed.

Estate of Samuel W. Hagaman, deceased; release of heirs filed; order of discharge.

Estate of John C. Odell, deceased; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Charles I. Wetmore, deceased; refusal of one of commissioners on claims to act, filed; order appointing another to act in his place and stead.

Estate of Calvin Lawrence, deceased; petition for citation filed; order for citation; hearing January 12, 1886.

Estate of John C. Zeitler, deceased; affidavits of publishing and posting commissioners' notices; commissioners, warrant and report filed.

Estate of Charles Rynd, deceased; petition for allowance of executor's final account; hearing January 18, 1886.

Estate of Julia A. Robinson, an incompetent person; warrant and inventory filed.

Estate of Daniel Palmer, an insane person; affidavit of service of notice; testimony taken and filed; order appointing a guardian; bond filed; letters issued.

Clinton's Rash Venture.

The enterprising little village of Clinton took its life in its hands last week and gave a baby show. That is why it is firmly fixed in the belief just now that one baby show is a crowd. Clinton doubtless meant well, but the pitcher which goes often to the beer keg is pretty certain to slop over at last. When all the pretiy babies in the world are confined to one little village, it is hard to keep still about it, of course, but discretion is more than four-fifths of valor, when somebody else's baby chips in the other fraction. The man who goes into a baby show in the enjoyment of health and vigor, climbs upon a chair and acts as judge will come forth a total wreck. Night and day he will hear a voice singing bass in the wilderness, because he pinned the blue ribbon on the devoted breast of the wrong baby. The man who can umpire a baby show and escape the wrath to come does not live in Michigan—much less in Clinton village. When the wrong baby that didn't get a prize grows up to manhood and muscle-hood, the plot will thicken at both ends for the poor, grief stricken judge.—"Unpremeditated," in Eve. Journal.

State Horticultural Society

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Lenawee county horticultural society, held recently, an invitation was extended to the State horticultural society to hold its winter meeting at Adrian, which invitation has been accepted. I make the following quotation from Secretary Garfield's letter: "I am very much pleased on behalf of the state horticultural society to accept the cordial invitation of your society to hold our winter meeting with you."

The meeting will open on Tuesday evening, February 9th, and close Thursday morning. The time for the meeting has been fixed thus early in order to accommodate a distinguished visitor from Kansas.

A meeting of the executive committee and others who can come, will be held at Plymouth chapel, on Saturday the 26th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., to make some preliminary arrangements.

D. G. EDMISTON,
Chairman Ex. Com.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers in this county, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the week ending December 2.

RIDGEWAY.

G. L. Oliver to J. W. Houseman. Land on sec 1. $600.

John Cheever to Sidney Howe. Land on sec 4. $50.

ROME.

L. S. Mann to Ira P. Mann. Land on sec 5. $825.

TECUMSEH.

P. Youngs to Anna Youngs. Land in village. $750.

WOODSTOCK.

Sarah A. Thompson to J. Thompson. Land on sec 34. $1,000.

Several days ago a woman arrived on the cars at Nashville, when she discovered that her baby which she carried in her arms was dead. The conductor of the same train afterwards found a bottle labeled poison in the car, but whether the incidents have any connection or not is not known.

That large sized, good looking gentleman seen about the streets during the past few days, supposed by many to be a stranger, is none other than Bill Tiffany of the National hotel.—Kies Bros. of Tecumseh produced the change in his appearance by furnishing a dandy new suit of clothes.—Dundee Reporter.

MICHIGAN MONOGRAMS.

No prisoners in the Mt. Pleasant jail.

A new sash and blind factory is to be built at Caro.

The Mecosta county court granted five divorces last week.

The wires for the electric light are being put up in Battle Creek.

The postoffice at Saline is soon to be fitted up in first-class style.

Residents of Kalamazoo can send telegrams to Chicago for 15 cents.

Mrs. W. H. Marvin will edit the columns of the Utica Sentinel hereafter.

The Pick and Axe is the name of a new paper just launched at Bessemer.

Residents of Flint believe an organized gang of thieves is working in that place.

Seventy-five new buildings were erected at Manistique during the past season.

The Lyon salt well at Ludington is down 522 feet. The sand is delaying the work.

John Stene, an inmate of the asylum for insane criminals at Ionia, has disappeared.

James K. Polk, of Iron Mountain, gets one year at Jackson for cutting Steve Nicholas.

A calf without hair is one of the curiosities at Saranac. It is owned by B. L. Wadsworth.

Charlie Stevens, the boy bicyclist of Paw Paw, has contracted for a two years' tour through Europe.

James Barrett, foreman in the Holly Advertiser office, had his fingers cut off by the job press last week.

The English sparrow must take its leave from Grand Rapids. A war is to be waged against the feathery tribe.

The Vassar Paving Block Company has just received a letter from London, Eng., making enquiry about their paving blocks.

At Ionia the police are making raids on the gambling houses and several of the proprietors of these alleged places of sin have been arrested.

Prof. J. E. Farnham, principal of the Clio schools, is under arrest for brutally whipping a boy. The school board endorses the teacher's actions.

The Grand Ledge chair company have twenty-seven names on their pay-roll and are doing more business than at any time since the factory was started.

The superintendent of the poor in Macomb county contracts to doctor the poor of that county and the keeper's family and furnish his own medicines for $300.

Hillsdale county is rushing to the front in the matter of domestic infelicity. Sixteen divorces have been granted during the year and several others are on tap.

Charles Morton, employed on the Woodward block in Owosso, fell through the elevator last week from the second story to the basement, breaking two ribs and seriously injuring his left hip.

About 700 barrels of salt per day are being brought to Port Huron by the river boats from Marine City and St. Clair. It is shipped from there over the Grand Trunk and Wabash Railroads to East St. Louis.

Henry Wagner, at Ann Arbor, who brutally murdered his wife and child 14 years ago, and has been in prison since that time, thinks that he deserves pardon, and is beseeching the board of pardons to deal out mercy to him.

Bohemian oat fiends are hustling around scooping in what stray change happens to be lying around out of a job in Osceola county. This is about where it pays the agricultural population big dividends to read the papers.

Charles Bachrs and Matilda Stanley, of Niles, were married last week. The happy groom claims 14 children as his own, while the fair Matilda blushes and acknowledges that she has had but 11, three of whom were born at once.

Last week Erastus Brodner, a farmer living about two miles east of Plymouth, dropped dead as he was driving along the street. His death was caused by paralysis of the heart. Deceased was 65 years of age and was an old resident. He leaves quite a large family.

The Salvation army got possession of a church in Sterling and were expounding the gospel according to their peculiar ideas when the pastor got mad and put out the lights, leaving the army and the congregation to grope for "a lamp for their feet" in almost Stygian darkness.

Tecumseh Herald

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 31, 1885.

THE OLD YEAR TO THE NEW.

With hands full of gifts and cheeks like a rose,
  There you wait
  At my gate
  While my winter wind blows!

And you laugh as you stand there a laugh full of scorn,
  At the sight
  Of the blight
  Of the gray hairs forlorn.

And the stories he tells of the months that have sped:—
  "What I—I,"
  You cry,
  "When my twelve months have fled,

To bend and to totter, to sigh and to shake,
  And like you
  There to rue
  The vows that I break?

"Not I, oh, not I," you scornfully say;
  "I shall stand
  Where you stand,
  As blithe as to day.

When one after one, my twelve months have sped,
  Not a fear,
  Not a tear,
  Shall I murmur or shed."

So, my youngster, you laugh, as you stand there untried,
  As you wait
  At my gate
  In your ignorant pride.

So I boasted and laughed when I stood in your place,
  But to-day,
  Ah, to-day,
  At the end of my race,

I count up the gifts that I sold for a song,
  In that time
  Of my prime,
  When lusty and strong.

My plans were so easy, my promises rife,
  And pleasure,
  The measure
  And limit of life.

But my easy-laid plans, not so easily sped,
  And alas,
  And alas,
  Ere the twelve months had fled,

I found what my fine boasted wisdom was worth,
  And that haste
  Had made waste
  On my kingdom of earth.

But what use for me here to counsel and pray,
  When you heed
  Not indeed
  A word that I say,

When impatient you wait for my gate to unclose,
  With that air,
  Debonair,
  And that cheek like a rose!

Well, wait, enter in—The gates are flung wide,
  There or here,
  God is near,
  Whatsoever befide
  —*Nora Perry, in Youth's Companion.*

BHUGWAN'S REVENGE

The Weird Way in Which He Spent His New Year's Eve.

Six years ago a company of old bachelor Anglo-Indian friends had just finished their New Year's Day dinner, and were sitting out on the broad veranda sipping black coffee and smoking the powerful Trichinapoly cheroots of the country. The bungalow was situated in Kirkee cantonments, near Poona, in a pretty position overlooking the Morta-Moolah, that glided with unruffled tranquillity as it reflected the shining stars that glorified the clear blue heavens. The conversation turned upon reminiscences of the past, some amusing, some instructive, and some very sad. The Colonel recalled the sanguinary days of the terrible mutiny of 1857, and graphically told of his excitement and sufferings as he lay with the gallant little Ghoorkhas upon the ridge upon which the rebel fire from the brown walls of Delhi was murderously concentrated morning, noon and night. The Assistant Collector told of extraordinary crimes he had tracked down in the Southern Mahratta country. The wealthy representative of a great cotton firm in Bombay humorously related how he had won his pretty bride one season on the Nilgherries, merely by being lucky enough to drive out of her way a poor pariah dog which in the half darkness of the evening she had imagined, and still believed, to be a panther. Suddenly the Judge, who had been very quiet as he sat watching the curling smoke that rose from his cheroot and floated down into the garden among the oleanders and the roses, asked us if we had ever heard of the narrow escape he had made precisely that day three years ago.

"Tell us the story, Judge," we cried in chorus, and while the white-clothed servants were bringing in the "pegs" (Anglice, brandy and soda), which were the almost invariable corollaries of an Anglo-Indian dinner, the Judge half sat up in his long bamboo chair, and told the tale of Bhugwan's perfidy.

"It so happens," he said, "that a case was brought before me in my cutcherry or court-house in Peepulgoum, about a mile from the Taptee River, which involved intricate peculiarities of Hindoo family law. I will not weary you with the details, but only give you the facts that bear directly upon my adventure. One of the suitors in the case was a tall, sullen-faced Soratee, who claimed the family jewels that were in dispute. He employed the best vakeels in the district to plead his case, and he tried to bribe me through my servants by sending me curious ivory boxes of silver-inlaid work and a daily present of a large tray full of fruit and flowers. Bhugwan Bhugwandass was the man's name. He thrust himself in my way whenever he could get an opportunity to do so. If I went out for my morning ride I was sure to see him emerging from the jungle on the roadside and salaam me almost to the dust. If I moved about the court-house I was sure to see him eyeing me with his deep black eyes from the corner of the varanda. If I had a badminton party in my compound before dinner it was ten to one that I would see his sinister face peering over the cactus hedge. Finally I decided the case against Bhugwan and awarded the property in dispute to his cousin, whom I afterward found to be regarded by Bhugwan with implacable hatred. Not far from my bungalow there was a stone tank covered with a light bamboo roof," and, of course, the sides were perfectly open. I used to bathe in that tank every morning before the heat of the sun grew intolerable, and many a pleasant swim I had in it. About a week after the decision of the case I noticed that Bhugwan was frequently in my compound chatting and smoking hubble-bubbles with the servants who dwelt in the outhouses. Whenever he saw me he salaamed obsequiously, and in a short time I thought nothing of his visits to my servants. One morning—a New Year's morning, it was—I set out for my usual bath in the tank. The air was cool and fresh, the splendidly attired birds flashed their colors in the light around me, and everything looked so peculiarly bright and beautiful that morning that I strode over the grass with a springy step, swinging my towel and whistling an old-fashioned English air as I went. I stripped in a trice, and was just about to take a plunge, when my eye fell upon a bheestie's mussuck lying just upon the edge of the tank. You know, of course, what a mussuck is—the goat-skin in which the water-carriers carry their water from place to place. Well, I felt so full of bounding animal spirits that I picked up the mussuck, inflated it to the best of my ability till I grew red in the face, and then flung it as far as I could into the tranquil pool of water. I wanted to see how it would bob about and how long it would take to collapse and sink. But it had scarcely splashed upon the surface of the water before there was a sudden rush like an arrow, the momentary appearance of a great hideous mouth full of sharp white teeth—I can see them now as distinctly as I do the smoke of that cheroot—and the instantaneous disappearance of the mussuck. I almost fainted at the sight. I knew what it all meant. I knew that by a Providential impulse I had saved myself from a horrible death, for had I touched the water first instead of that bheestie's mussuck it would have been I that would have been dragged to the bottom by that terrible alligator. I hurried home as fast as I could, scarcely taking time to dress myself on the way, and all I could do when I reached the bungalow was to tell the butler to fetch me a glass of brandy at once. When I recovered from my paralytic state I began to wonder how it was possible that that alligator had got into the tank. I knew that muggurs or alligators were numerous both in the Taptee and the Nerbudda, but the Taptee was at least three miles from the tank. I tried hard to unravel the mystery, but in vain. One day, however, Rama, my dressing boy, commenced gossiping to me, and giving me all the "gup" of the neighborhood. He told me that a fakir had seen Bhugwan very early on New Year's morning down at the Taptee, standing on the bank whistling in a peculiar low key, and that something of a tremendous size had crept out of the river and crawled away after him, he keeping up the same low whistle all the time. Everybody, said Rama, innocently, was wondering what Bhugwan was doing, and whether he were not an enchanter. Like lightning the truth dashed upon me. I knew that in India there were men who could charm alligators as well as snakes. I recalled Bhugwan's frequent visit to my servants, doubtless to learn my daily habits. I knew also the treachery and unforgiveness of the Hindoo character. Considering all these things coolly and, so to speak, judicially, I came to the conclusion that Bhugwan had charmed the alligator from the river into the tank, and that he had meant by this means to avenge himself on me for refusing his suit. I began to collect evidence. One day I met Bhugwan on the road, and although he salaamed with his usual affectation of humility, I could see spreading upon his features a most cynical and diabolical scowl. I felt convinced after this that he was my foiled assassin. Evidence grew apace. I found that Bhugwan had not slept in his house on New Year's Eve, and had exhibited an unusual nervous desire for gup or news throughout all New Year's Day; but my case was complete when the bheestie to whom the mussuck that saved me belonged came forward and told his story. He said that on that terrible morning he was about to fill the goat-skin with water at the tank when in the dim, gray dawn he saw Bhugwan approach cautiously with a long black beast at his heels. Thinking that he had seen a veritable shaitan or demon, he dropped the mussuck and ran away without being seen by Bhugwan, who was too busy with his whistling and his ferocious companion to notice him. When he returned afterward for his mussuck and found it gone he became more and more convinced that he had actually seen a devil. He would have spoken of the matter sooner, but he knew Bhugwan was a bad man, and so he was afraid to speak. To make a long story short, gentleman, Bhugwan was tried, convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for life for attempted murder."

"Did your friend the bheestie Judge?" asked the Colonel.

"You may be sure I paid him for the loss of his mussuck," replied the Judge, quietly.—*Peter O'Neil.*

A WARNING VISION.

The New Year's Night of a Conscience-Stricken and Unhappy Man.

An old man stood in the New Year's night at the window and gazed with a look of restless despair upon the immutable, ever-blooming heaven, and out over the still, pure, white earth, whereupon there was no one so joyless and sleepless as he. For his grave stood near to him. It was covered only with the snow of age, not with the green of youth; and he brought with him thither out of his whole rich life nothing but errors and sins and sickness—a ruined body, a desolated soul, a breast full of poison, an old age full of remorse. The fair days of his youth wandered about him now like ghosts, and they bore him back again to that clear morning when his father first placed him at the cross-road of life, the right hand leading by the sunny ways of virtue into a wide, peaceful land, full of light and of harvests; the left, down into the moleways of vice toward a black cavern, full of down-dropping poison, full of darting serpents and dark, sultry lamps. Ah! the serpents hung about his breast, and the poison-drops upon his tongue, and he knew now where he was.

Knowing not what he did, and with unspeakable grief, he cried out to Heaven: "Give me my youth once more! Oh father, place me once more upon the cross-road, that I may choose otherwise!"

But his father and his youth were long gone. He saw wandering lights dancing on the marshes and dying out upon God's Acre, and he said: "These are my sinful days!" He saw a star fly out from the heaven, to glimmer in its fall, and to be extinguished on the earth. "That is I," said his bleeding heart, and the serpent teeth of remorse gnawed again into his wounds.

His burning fancy showed him creeping night-wanderers upon the roof, and the windmill threw up its arms threatening to crush him, and a mask left behind in the dead-house assumed by degrees his own features. Suddenly, in the midst of this tumult, music for the New Year floated down from the tower, like distant church songs. He was deeply moved. He looked around the horizon and over the wide earth, and thought of his youthful friends, who now, happier and better than he, were teachers for the world, fathers of happy children, and favored men, and he said: "Oh, I also could be happy, dear parents, had I fulfilled your New Year's wishes and instructions."

In the feverish memories of his youth, it seemed to him that the mask, with his features, raised itself up in the dead-house; finally, through the superstition which discerns spirits and the future on New Year's night, it became a living youth, in the position of the beautiful boy of the Capitol pulling out a thorn, and his formerly blooming face dance weird and bitter before him.

He could look no more; he covered his eyes, hot tears streamed down upon the snow; again he softly sighed, hopeless and unconscious: "Come again, O youth, come again!"

And it came again; for on that New Year's night he had only dreamed thus fearfully. He was still a youth; yet his errors had been no dream. But he thanked God that he, still young, might turn aside from the foul ways of vice, and could follow the sunny path which leads to the fair land of harvests. Turn aside with him, O youth, if thou standest upon his wandering way! This rightful dream will in future be thy judge; but if thou shouldst one day call out, full of grief: "Come again, O beautiful youth!" so shall it never return again.—*Wit, Wisdom and Philosophy of Richter.*

A Sad Case Indeed.

"Sammy," said the old gentleman, his face glowing with benevolence and good humor, "Sammy, my boy, who is this Ap Oplexy who has such a taking way among our elderly people? From his name I should say he was a Welshman, eh?"

"Father," replied the young man, "are you giving me Taffy? Well, that's better than the prints of wales."

"Welsh said! Welsh said!" cried the old gentleman, turning quite purple in his enjoyment of the boy's readiness in paronomasia; and then the old gentleman laughed and choked and choked and laughed for half an hour.

It is a sad commentary upon human nature when a man almost within sight of the tomb can find pleasure in so vile a thing as a pun, and such a pun!—*Boston Transcript.*

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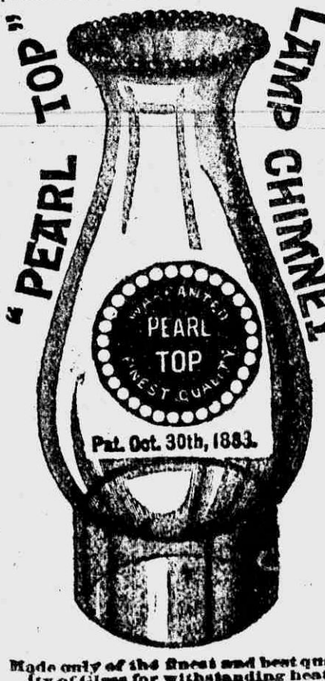

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An Interesting, Though Somewhat Startling, Ceremony.

We found the house of mourning a few doors further on, and heard the sound of the beating staff of the mourners as they kept time to their mournful singing. We opened the door and entered. The room had been put in order for the occasion and hung with draperies, the end opposite the door, where the dead man was set up, being hung with the American flag. About fifty Indians, men, women and children, were seated around in the space between the fire and the counter or platform that runs all around the room, clad in their best blankets and preserving a solemn decorum. The covers had been taken from the four gaily painted pillars or talem posts that stood at the corners of the central square in the room. The dead Indian, set up on the floor as if alive, was covered with a blanket, except his head, which wore a crown, and near by stood his mask and some other fixtures. His face was painted with red, and there was nothing ghastly or deathlike in its look. We remained for some time, and were kindly treated. I was told that the singing, shaking of rattles and beating of long sticks on the floor continues all night, and that when the time comes for cremating the body is usually taken out through the opening in the roof—never through the front door—and carried to the funeral pile. Although we were in attendance next morning at ten o'clock we were too late to see the initial proceedings, for we met the mourners with their long sticks returning from the fire, and when we reached it, beyond the ranche on the beach, the body was nearly consumed. A pile of wood, large sticks four or five feet long, had been laid up, corn-cob-house-wise, and a smaller pile put inside, on which the body, wrapped in its blanket, was laid. Logs were then added, above the body, crossing others at the corners and lighted. A very great heat was thus produced, and a few Indians in attendance used long poles to keep the burning sticks in place; some women were seated in the grass not far away. There was no odor, and complete decorum and decency so far as behavior was concerned. Still, I believe, some combat the cremating custom, which I think worthy of perpetuation. After the body is burnt, the ashes are gathered and put in a box or trunk, and deposited with the personal possessions in the tomb, which is erected over a spot in their cemetery, and consists of a small, square wooden house, the four sides of the roof running up to a peak; these toy houses, six to eight feet high, are gaily painted and present a really picturesque appearance. I tried one day to make my way through an old part of the cemetery, but I found myself in a regular jungle of bushes and undergrowth, and could make no headway. The old dead houses were falling into decay, and everything inside them had been stolen or had perished, and grass and weeds grew up inside almost to the house roofs. The canoes of the dead, that had been hauled up by the houses, had also rotted; ravens croaked on all sides—it was almost dismal and funereal.—*Sitka (Alaska) Cor. American Register.*

Composition of Platinoid.

The new alloy, known as "platinoid," is essentially nickel silver, with the addition of from one to two per cent. of tungsten. The color is white like silver, and the alloy retains a polish untarnished by exposure to the air for a long time. It is found, also, that it has a high degree of electrical resistance, with a small amount of variation in degree with changes of temperature; qualities which, it is claimed by electricians, render the alloy peculiarly suitable for the construction of galvanometers and resistance coils.—*N. Y. Independent.*

—The improved kind of explosive known as cocoa powder is said to possess such superior value for many purposes that it has been introduced into the famous Krupp factory, in Germany. It is asserted that, with equal pressure, this substance gives greater velocity to a ball than can be attained with ordinary powder, while its smoke is found to be less dense and to clear off more quickly.

—Towns are booming on Puget Sound. A letter received by a prominent real-estate dealer in Seattle from a friend now at Port Moody states that the whole peninsula bordering on Coal Harbor will be laid out in twenty-five foot town lots. The erection of Government works contemplated there will be at once entered upon. Vancouver, Granville and Port Moody are swarming with people.

—A Boston paper is making public the fact that two men who were discovered by Thackeray to have brains as well as blood were Bostonians. The dull Thackeray, however, did not once suspect that it was the Boston diet that made these Boston men. In fact, Thackeray did not know beans.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—Some one says that long walks will reduce obesity. There is an air of probability in the statement. There are no fat men among the members of the several stranded opera companies now counting railroad ties between Western towns and New York.—*Norristown Herald.*

—"Jimmy does the brains and I get up the paper," said a country editor, in explaining to a subscriber how he worked things. "It is a pity Jimmy has been sick abed so long," said the subscriber, as he counted out the last cabbage on that year's subscription.—*Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.*

—Chicago girls are taking to crazy-quilt making for the winter. This is being done so that they will have indoor employment and thus keep them from going out and leaving huge footprints in the snow. Chicago girls are not as crazy as they appear.—*Kentucky State Journal.*

FASHION NOTES.

Street Wraps, Furs, Bonnets and Trimmings for the Season.

Hoods are street wraps are popular in Paris just now.

Bonnet strings are correctly worn two and one-half or three inches wide.

Fur shoulder capes are to be worn, but probably are not so fashionable as last winter.

In bonnets where velvet and fur are combined the fur must match the color of the velvet.

Bonnets of velvet, with fur or seal plush or astrakhan plush brims, are being brought out for midwinter wear.

For morning out-of-door wear, on all sorts of occasions, woolen frocks of English make and appearance take precedence of all others.

Bonnet strings should be only five-eighths or three-quarters of a yard long, and tied in a bow under the chin or a little on one side.

Little girls wear a great deal of brown and red this season, but no matter what the color of their frocks, their stockings, to be correct, must be black.

Tam O'Shanter caps for little girls are trimmed with a jabot of cloth, velvet, or ribbon placed erect on the band and crown of the hat, directly in front. A small steel, silver or jet ornament adds to the dressy effect.

The most popular midwinter wrap for ladies bids fair to be the ulster, newmarket or overcoat of seal or seal plush, cut to resemble a man's overcoat, but with no effort to make it look masculine or strong minded.

Sealskin, more worn than ever, is only enhanced in popular favor by the number of seal plush wraps, which imitate it to perfection, but, of course, lack the warmth and lightness combined in sealskin, and which insures its lasting popularity.

The variety in trimming materials, inexpensive, but effective and tasteful when well chosen, is due to the pluck and enterprise of American manufacturers, who have, by the beauty and excellence of their productions in millinery stuffs, kept back the price of the foreign goods.

English homespuns, Irish friezes and blarney cloths, kerseys, and Scotch cheviots are used almost to the exclusion of all other woolen stuffs for street utility and informal visiting suits, and with such suits a jacket of the same or of some heavy cloaking cloth is the proper wrap. If the weather is very cold a fur stole and muff may be worn over the jacket and a chamois body underneath.

Fine feather bands composed of ostrich filaments for the centers, and sea gulls, eagle neck or cock's hackle feathers curled for the outer edges, trim many handsome carriage wraps of *Roman crapaud* cloth, *drap de fantasie*, velvet broche embroidered with tinsel and silk, and *cachemire du Thibet* of changeable colors, and sometimes those wonderful French fabrics in changeable effects, broche with fine cashmere beads.

Fancy muffs of fur, velvet, plush, broche, silk, and satin in combination, and trimmed with lace, beads, morifs, pendants, ribbon, feathers, and tinsel embroidery, come in all sorts of odd and artistic forms, resembling reticules, pouches, fans, annonaires, Oriental capes, medallions, lozenges, and moons, full, ribbous, and crescent. They are, as a rule, suspended around the neck with fancy ribbons that match the colors and materials of the muff.—*N. Y. Sun.*

ORIGIN OF FASHIONS.

Noted Women Who Are Responsible for Popular Follies.

Mme. de Pompadour once had an ugly pimple on her chin. She was vexed, and at last pasted a piece of black plaster over the offending spot. Result: All the ladies in the court appeared the following week with pieces of plaster on their faces. A fashion was established and it was kept up for a long time. The same lady, as I suppose you all know, was exceedingly diminutive in stature. To remedy this defect she invented high-heeled boots. They were unknown before her time. Result: The ladies of the court took to high-heeled boots and another fashion had its birth. Marie Antoinette had enormous quantities of hair. She didn't know what to do with it. She was waiting for a barber one day, with the intention of being shorn, and had piled up her hair in a careless manner when she suddenly found that this style of head-dress set off her small features to advantage. Result: Monstrously high coiffures came into fashion and were worn for a long time. Anne of Austria had exquisitely formed arms. Result: Short sleeves came into fashion. The Princess of Wales is the unfortunate possessor of a limp. No, sir; not a little amble, but an ugly, unprepossessing limp. Would you believe it? Some time ago a large number of ladies had one heel of their shoes made lower than the other. Result: The "Alexandrian limp" became the height of the fashion. The "Grecian bend" was another result of this unfortunate defect. Well this same noble lady has some slight deformity of the neck which prevents her wearing dresses cut low. Result: The fashion, which still rages among English ladies, for bodices reaching almost to the ears, a fashion which is much ridiculed among the Parisians.—*Boston Journal of Commerce.*

From Poetry to Buckwheat.

It was one of those delightful September mornings that strayed over into November. The light autumnal haze of Indian summer was sleeping on the hill tops, only to be invigorated with the colors of the rising sun. Rosalind McGush, aroused by the matin song that arose from the poultry-yard, parted the curtains and looked forth upon the scene. "What a gorgeous morning! O, why should I be chained to this humdrum sphere? I will seize my pen and pour forth melodious verse in honor of this day of the gods."

"Rosy!" came a sharp call from the foot of the stairs. "Come down and fry the buckwheats right away!"

And from thoughts poetic to deeds domestic Rosalind descended.—*Chicago Tribune.*

ODD BLUNDERS.

Some of the Costly Mistakes Made in Large Cities.

Mistakes are expensive sometimes. A New Yorker had a lot seventy-five feet wide, intending to build four houses of equal fronts on it, and one of the middle ones first. He employed a firm of surveyors to locate the house, and they located it so that the remaining space one side was only ten feet wide. The mistake was not discovered until the house was done, the proprietor having no time, probably, for such trifles. Then he sued the surveyors for damages, but they won a verdict on the ground that their plan was accepted and paid for as satisfactory although it located the corner stone nine feet farther in one direction than was intended. This mistake was rather more serious than that played upon a resident in a brown-stone front in Forty-seventh street, who returned from business one night to find the entire stoop of his house in ruins, the heavy stone work having been pulled to the ground. His wife said a man had come with orders to demolish, and had done so. Although she did not know enough to demand a halt for explanation, she did observe the name on the wagons. The indignant citizen took measures to prosecute, when it was found that the employer of the men had ordered them to go to the same number in Forty-eighth street instead of Forty-seventh. He had learned of the mistake and had contracted to have the wrong stoop rebuilt, and he was surprised to learn that the work had not been done. These incidents of metropolitan life show that mistakes are there regarded with very little concern, those responsible not taking the trouble to apologize or even explain. The same amount of pains spent in doing a job well that is spent in getting the job to do would pay.—*Christian at Work.*

NO HELP WANTED.

How a Merchant Got Rid of a Troublesome Candidate for Employment.

A young man who said he had left the farm to strike a job in the city, and who added that if he could only secure a place somewhere he felt certain of laying the foundations of a fortune, importuned a business house on Jefferson avenue until the chief clerk finally played a joke to get rid of him. He gave him the street and number of the County Jail and advised him to call and ask for the place of the last man sent to Jackson.

Half an hour later the young man pulled the Sheriff's bell and said to that official:

"I am in search of a situation. I am twenty-two years old, never sick a day and——"

"I have nothing for you," replied the Sheriff.

"I'll work mighty cheap. I can bring you twenty testimonials that I don't swear, drink, chew or gamble. If you'll——"

"Sorry, but I have no vacancies."

"Didn't a man leave here for Jackson a few days ago?" asked the young man.

"Oh, yes—half a dozen of them."

"Then give me one of their places. I'll work the first month for my board and clothes."

"They didn't even get that much," said the Sheriff, as he began to tumble to the racket.

"Well, I've got to make a beginning, and I'll furnish my own clothes."

"I should like to aid you, but really I have no vacancies at present."

"Oh, come, now—give me a show."

"Can't do it."

"Can't eh! All right for you. I'll find one somewhere, and don't you forget it, and the day'll come when I'll make you power'ul sorry that you gave me the cold shoulder on a cold day!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

PATERNAL REPROOF.

A Persecuted Little Girl Who Was, Nevertheless, Mistress of the Situation.

"Papa, what makes the rain come down?" said a very small girl to her parent as they stood, father, mother and child, waiting under the shelter of a grocery sign till the car should come along.

"Don't bother me," said the father.

"Really, Maria, that child is getting to be a perfect nuisance. She is always asking absurd questions."

"I think she's real cunning," said the mother.

"That's the way you spoil her. You encourage her to be cunning and she makes the most ridiculous ass of herself all the time."

"Well, she's going to be very clever."

"I don't believe she'll know her way home when she grows up."

"It's time that car was coming along," said the wife, quietly.

"I suppose there's some blamed jam down the street. I don't see any in sight yet, and we've been here twenty minutes."

"Pa," said the small child, "I don't see any car track on this street."

It was so. They were on Tyler street and they were waiting for the Turk street car. The mother hummed the "Nanon" waltz all the way home, but the old man was very mad and the child was quite unconsciously mistress of the situation.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—A woman in the northern part of Vermont is telling of the way she fooled the inspecting Dr. Kay, of Newport, on one of the recent Montreal trains. She had determined not to be vaccinated on the train, and so sewed a button under the sleeve of the dress near where the arm is usually scraped. The inspector came along and ordered her to bare her arm. "But it isn't necessary, sir; you can feel the scab," she said. He planted his hand on the button, the woman gave a scream of pretended pain, and Dr. Kay moved along.—*Springfield (Mass.) Republican.*

—The line between propriety and too great familiarity might be drawn at three kisses—one to make the young man appreciate what he is leaving, one to encourage him to take another, and the third to carry away with him to be returned at their next meeting.—*Chicago News.*

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Judge of a government by the men it produces. Judge of a man by his deeds, a tree of its fruits, a menicine by its results. Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which contains the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. A safe and speedy remendy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Sold by Geo. Ferguson in fifty cent and dollar bottles. Healing to the lungs. Safe and pleasant for children.

Taken together, all the beauties of art and nature do not interest the inquisitive female so much as the view she gets through the key hole.

"Fear brings disgrace, bravery brings honor, cowardice saves no man from his fate," says the Caliph Omar; but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has saved millions from an awful fate.

Pennsylvania loses $22,720,724 annually through suspension of coal mining.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

IN the matter of the estate of Joseph Taylor deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Joseph Taylor, late of Ravensmoor England, deceased, hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the second day of January, 1886, and on the 24th day of May 1886, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, and that six months from the 23rd day of November 1885, are allowed by the said court for the creditors of said estate to present said claims for examination and adjustment.

Dated Nov 26th, 1885,

JEHIEL DAVIDSON.
DAVID JONES.
nov26 Commissioners.

ESTATE OF STEPHEN HUNTER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee—ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 14th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen Hunter, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James A. Hunter a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to James F. Gillmore or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of January next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

NORMAN GEDDES, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. H. BRIGGS, Probate Register. dec17

ESTATE OF ERASTUS N. NICHOLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Friday, the 4th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Erastus N. Nichols, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Lucius Lisley, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying for license to sell real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therein set forth.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 11th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 31, 1885.

OUR CLUB LIST FOR 1886.

Fully recognizing the tendency of the times towards lower prices, we have decided to adopt a club system in lieu of premiums. Subscriptions for any newspaper or magazine published will be taken at reduced rates, but our regular special club list will be short and sweet.—Nearly every subscriber to the HERALD also takes the Detroit Free Press, the Detroit Tribune or the Michigan Farmer. We shall furnish these papers clubbed with the HERALD at the following rates

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A COMFORTING REFLECTION.

There would be profound and widespread alarm throughout the country at the action of the House in establishing loose rules to facilitate loose and profligate legislation, but for one fact that assures the nation of honest and economical government.

It is a comforting reflection among intelligent and upright citizens of all parties that Grover Cleveland is President of the United States, and they have abiding faith that there will be a safe, steady and resolute Executive hand to halt the now clearly forshadowed extravagance of Congress.

It is not only possible but probable that the majority of the House will make a shameful record for the Democracy that is fairly responsible for the action of the body. True, it will not be done by a solid Democratic vote, but by Republican profligates filling the gaps made by honest and courageous Democrats. The result will be the same, however, as to Democratic responsibility for the record of the House; but while a Democratic House may make its record a reproach to the country, the President who is faithful to honest government, as Grover Cleveland must be, will be more honored and more strongly entrenched in popular affection, by saving both party and country from imbeciles and jobbers. It is a comforting reflection.—Phil. Times.

APPROVED BY ALL.

Never has a presidential message been received by the press and public men of an opposite party with anything like the favor shown that of President Cleveland. It was a matter of course that the Democratic party would be pleased with the utterances of their first chief magistrate in twenty-four years. He trod on many of their old bourbon bunions remorselessly, but very few of them betrayed themselves by wincing. We have now had time to hear from all sections of the union, and with hardly a dissenting voice the press and people commend Cleveland's first message.—The San Francisco Argonaut, the organ of the best Republican sentiment on the Pacific coast, says that it is "altogether the most dignified and able state paper that has emanated from the executive mansion since the presidency of Abraham Lincoln."—What pleases Mr. Frank Pixley most in the message is the manly and resolute tone of its utterances. "It is refreshing," says he, "in a state paper of this importance to observe no grandiloquence, no boasting jingoism, no demagogy, no toadying to the voting class, no effort to conciliate the king-makers and party bosses of the Democracy, no pipe-laying for his own succession. It demonstrates that he (the president) possesses enough of brains, courage, and conscience to carry the nation through the term for which he has been chosen to administer its affairs."—Chicago News.

We call attention to the prospectus in another column of the Philadelphia Times. A new departure will take place with the new year and the paper will be improved in every department. There is no better family weekly published in this country at present than the Philadelphia Times.

CLINTON OR TECUMSEH—WHICH?

That Clinton needs and should support a local newspaper is a fact well known and acknowledged by every public spirited citizen. And that THE LOCAL is the ONLY paper published in the interests of Clinton, is another well known fact. Also that THE LOCAL is a thorn in the side of the Tecumseh papers is a fact, although perhaps not quite so well known as the first named.

A paper published in Tecumseh does Clinton no good whatever. The patronage given to Tecumseh newspapers stops in Tecumseh. The support bestowed upon like institution in Clinton stays in Clinton. Tecumseh newspapers help draw trade away from Clinton. A newspaper published here aids, so far as possible, to keep trade in Clinton. Since the establishment of THE LOCAL the publishers of the Tecumseh papers have been more than ever zealous in their endeavors to hold their patronage, which rightfully belongs to a Clinton paper. These publishers have gone even farther than courtesy in business competition admits, and used all sorts of schemes to divide the business here so that The Local will have to go, and leave Clinton without a newspaper again, and dependent upon Tecumseh as heretofore.

We are creditably informed that in soliciting job work here, newspaper men have stated that the work could not be done in Clinton, but would have to go to Manchester, and it might as well be done in Tecumseh as there. We would respectfully ask our fair-minded citizens not to believe any such talk. We have a good office here, and, with very few exceptions, have done all the work brought to us, and have never been obliged to borrow type at either of the offices at Tecumseh. Yet, there has been cases where jobs have been taken by Tecumseh printers, and at least a part of the type borrowed at Manchester to do them with. And perhaps we are not so highly educated as some of our brother editors, and cannot write our ideas in so polished a manner as they, yet we shall endeavor to put our matter in plain words, so that "he who runs may read." With the undivided support of the people of Clinton, a newspaper here will be a fairly paying property, and then we can enlarge our office and extend our business to be credit to any town.

The above article is taken from last week's Clinton Local. One cannot peruse it without coming to the conclusion that the editor has got up on his ear; in fact, to extend the saying somewhat, he has "climbed up" on both ears. We are glad to see these signs of improvement on the part of the Local. They indicate prosperity. Clinton deserves a good local newspaper, that's true, and the business men of Clinton should sustain it. As soon as it becomes prosperous, it can move out, and settle down in Tecumseh or Manchester, still claiming its Clinton patronage. Again if the Local shall wax strong and grow, it can rake in many Tecumseh 'ads. The Tecumseh merchants are enterprising men. They know where to advertise. They believe in printer's ink. Their liberal use of the columns of the HERALD shows that fact. And when the Clinton merchants advertise as an act of business rather than an act of local patriotism, they also send their ads to the HERALD. Money spent for advertising in the HERALD is always a good investment.

"That the Local is a thorn in the side of the Tecumseh papers is a fact." Why, bless your good soul, Bro. Miles, you never were more mistaken. The Local is no thorn in our side. The HERALD'S Clinton list is growing every week, and we attribute it chiefly to the competition afforded by the Local. The Local—with its Manchester pages, Tecumseh advertisements and all—reaches our sanctum each week by due course of mail and drops into the waste paper basket as easily and naturally as a slice of baked apple into a bowl of mush and milk.

"A paper published in Tecumseh does Clinton no good whatever." As well might we say that a paper published in Detroit does Tecumseh no good whatever. In one sense it does not. In another it does. If Tecumseh could support as good a paper as Detroit supports, it would be a business detriment to us not to have such a paper. But if Tecumseh sustains a paper commensurate with its size and importance, the fact that Detroit supports a better paper is no damage to this town—and Tecumseh people will consult their own best interests, by giving Detroit papers a liberal patronage. Likewise Clinton men will find it to their interest to support Tecumseh papers. We believe we state an undeniable fact in making the assertion that the business of Clinton was larger five or six years ago, when they depended wholly upon the Tecumseh HERALD for their local newspaper facilities, than it is to-day. Surely the Tecumseh papers didn't injure Clinton then.

"These publishers have gone even farther than courtesy in business competition admits, and used all sorts of schemes to divide the business here." Easy, neighbor, easy. What schemes have we used? Be more explicit. The world in general and Northern Lenawee County in particular desire more light on this subject—and as the limited circulation of the Local will hardly meet the emergency, we offer Bro. Miles the columns of the HERALD to enable him to elucidate. These are "schemes" the HERALD has used. We have transmitted sample copies to Clinton residents; we have solicited subscriptions and advertising in Clinton. But is it not true that Bro. Miles has trespassed on our clover patch also, by soliciting subscriptions and advertising in Tecumseh. The young man should remember that this is a big world, a very big world, and there is plenty of room in it for a great many newspapers like the Local. This is a free country. If the Clinton or Adrian publishers wish to canvass Tecumseh for subscribers we know of no method to stop them, and we shall meet this competition in a business way by soliciting subscriptions in Clinton and Adrian.

"Jobs have been taken by Tecumseh printers, and at least a part of the type borrowed at Manchester to do them with." Now this is the most unkindest cut of all. The HERALD borrowing type! We would respectfully inform our young Christian friend that the cases in the HERALD office could furnish the type for ten papers like the Local and still have type enough left to start another Tecumseh News.

In conclusion we beg to inform our Clinton friends that the Clinton department of the HERALD will be better and fuller during 1886 than ever before. It will give Clinton readers a full assortment of local items and will also furnish more Tecumseh and County matter than can be gathered from any other source. At the club rates we offer, it is the cheapest local newspaper in Southern Michigan. Now is the time to subscribe.

TECUMSEH AND FRANKLIN FARMER'S CLUB.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club met Dec. 16th, at Andrew Wilson's, Jr. The evening was all that could be asked for, and the attendance was good. The President called the meeting to order, and after the usual miscellaneous business the literary program as arranged for the meeting was carried out, after which the question, "How can poultry raising be made profitable" was taken up and discussed, but the discussion was more to the effect, "Does poultry pay."

Mrs. H. Wilson opened the question with a well written essay in which she described the comfortable house and good living that madam biddy should have if we would expect any eggs in cold weather. And that the house should be kept clean; found that early chickens payed the best. Received 37 doz. eggs in the months of Oct. and Nov. and sold them for $7,40.

W. J. Waldron commenced Jan. 1st. 1885 with 40 hens valued at $20; has sold 301 doz. eggs for $38,90, and chickens $6,50. Has 80 hens on hand valued at $40: his feed cost him $19,00, which leaves a profit of $46,20 besides the eggs and chickens used. He fed mostly oats, and preferred it to corn. Has a warm hen house and the hens laid all winter. Has a white cochin hen that has laid since first of April three sittings of eggs, raised two lots of chickens and is laying now. Thot as a rule farmers kept too many hens, that 40 hens were enough

Mr. S. Munger thought that both turkeys and chickens could be raised with profit. Sold 8 turkeys for $11.40. Spoke of one of his neighbors that sold 70 turkeys for $90, while eight large hogs did not quite bring $100, and found that the turkeys paid the best.

President Hurry said that his hens always laid 10c eggs, (per doz) and that hens would not lay in cold weather without warm quarters. Found that the hens that stayed in the sheep yards layed more eggs than those in the hen house, the sheep having the warmest house.

Mr. H. Wilson read a piece entitled, "do mongrels pay," to the effect that blood would tell. He also said that a warm clean hen house was the keynote to success in poultry raising, as you could not feed a hen in a snowbank and expect her to lay eggs; recommends feeding three times a day and change the feed each time; feed corn the last thing at night; thought wheat was the best feed where eggs was the object. Did not believe in feeding all they would eat; that farmers did not pay attention enough to their poultry; that we should not expect them to pay without some labor.

Walter Osborn said that poultry raising had not paid with him; had the cholera for four or five years and after getting rid of that some good friend stole 140 of his best chickens; thought that if he had been permited to do the marketing he might have found it more profitable.

Mr. H. Hoag thought that the compition in the market was good for the farmers. Believed it a good plan to put the feed where the hens would have to scratch for it, as among straw or leaves on the hen house floor. Has sold $20 worth of eggs and chickens, eaten 20 chickens and has 108 on hand; had 25 hens to start with.

George Swarts thought that poultry paid as well as any thing on the farm. Since the 1st of March has sold $39,07 worth of eggs, and $37,11 of chickens. His feed cost him $25, leaving a profit of $51,18, or about $1,00 per hen. Had 60 hens last spring and 70 now. He thought wheat the cheapest feed and that it would bring $1,50 per bush. if fed to the hens and that corn was too fatening if feed alone.

In answer to the question "how to get rid of hen lice," Mrs. W. S. Osborn recommended sulphur. Messrs. Munger and Waldron used insect powder. H. Wilson thought if the hen house was kept clean you would not be troubled with hen lice.

Charles Mathews said that you could freeze them out. H. Hoag had used tar and kerosene. W. S. Osborn said that they would swim in kerosene.

It was the opinion of most of the club that to raise poultry with profit they must be given a good, clean, warm, well lighted and ventilated house, with plenty of feed including scraps from the table, meat, cabbage, broken bone, etc., that they should have drink as well as feed, and also that any good hen would lay eggs if taken care of.

A good program was arranged for the next meeting, Dec. 30.

REPORTER.

READING THE WEATHER SIGNALS.

As there is some misunderstanding in regard to the signification of the weather signals, we give below the meaning of each signal. The firm of Satterthwaite Bros. & Boyd who have charge of displaying the signals, have issued a neat card printed in colors which gives the meaning of each signal. Every family should procure one of these cards and keep it for reference:

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Blue moon—Clear or fair weather.
Blue star—Local rain or snow.

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American Agriculturist for January, 1886.

The American Agriculturist for January announces, that it enters upon the new year under unusually auspicious circumstances. The old editorial force, who have been connected with that periodical for periods, running up to a quarter of a century, has received further acquisitions in Dr. F. M. Hexamer, so long the editor of the "American Garden," and Mr. Chester P Dewey, a writer of national reputation, and Mr. Seth Green, the noted Fish Culturist. The illustrations, of which there are a very large number, represent noted horses, cattle, pigs, cows, new fruits, new potatoes, designs for new buildings, farm conveniences, household conveniences fruits, flowers, etc., etc. The full page engravings present two beautiful and appropriate winter scenes, executed in such a manner as to greatly please the eye. There are nearly one hundred original different articles on the Milk Supply of cities, Polled Cattle, Infectious Diseases on the Farm, Landscape Plating for Winter Effect, Wheat Experiments, the Best Lightning Rods, Clydesdale Horses, work for the Winter Months, a New Quince Cattle Stancions, the Loss of our Game etc., etc. The Household and Childrens' Department abound in illustrations, while several new frauds are exposed in the Humbug department. Price, $1.50 per year; single number, 15 cents. Address, American Agriculturist, 751 Broadway, New York.

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CLINTON CHRONICLES.

Edward Halladay and family, of Norvell, came down to attend the family reunion at Mrs. M. Stanclift's, on Christmas day.

Stephen Stear, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Taylor Starr, died at Morenci the first of the week and was buried yesterday.

Ed. Conlin, a nephew of Mrs. Abbott, of Florence, N. J., came out to spend a few days with his relatives, and will return soon after Jan. 1.

Web. Love, of Franklin, was chatting with his numerous friends in the village last Saturday.

A. W. Spafford bid his friends adieu, Monday, and departed for brighter prospective fields, in quest of labor.

Mrs. Sam'l Larzelere, continues very low with, we understand, very little hopes of her recovery.

Deputy Sheriff Aten was in town Wednesday, but we heard of no new discoveries at Podunk.

Miss Ada Potter came up to visit her Clinton friends yesterday.

J. B. Hause & Bro., with their families, went up to Jackson, to attend the golden wedding of their parents, which takes place to-day.

From all accounts, the Clinton Band boys had a Christmas jollification, on their trip to Brooklyn, that completely captured their good feelings prompted them to put their best smile foremost and they received therefor, not only the compensation to be awarded for services, but were highly complimented on their good productions both for skating and the dance. We understand there was quite a matinee at the Teachout House after the dance, in which the boys all took an active part, and some of them not altogether to their liking for when they wished to look after the perpetrators of the joke they found that not only the bedclothes had been carried off but they were also minus of wearing apparel. Cold water shower baths are not the most acceptable addendum under the circumstances; at least, Tommy says so and we have no desire to dispute him.

The market is rather dull for dressed pork, the springy weather not warranting activity. The live stock market is also quiet, with very little choice stock offered.

St. John's Church celebrated Christmas eve with exercises by the members and Sunday-school scholars and distribution of presents from a tree laden with treasures.

Maggie Blosser, Alta Sheldon, Edie Kapp, Lulu Greene and Gracie Morey were down from Manchester yesterday, enjoying a days visit with their music teacher, Miss Ella Smith. A parlor concert was given in the evening, but as we had no "bid," we are unable to give the program.

Hattie Platt, of Deerfield, surprised her friends here, last evening, by dropping in suddenly upon them after a disappointed effort to return with her from the noon train. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is to remain with her aunt, Mrs. Broadbent, for several weeks.

The photographer done quite a lively business at the M. E. Church last evening, as might have been expected when it was ascertained that a good square meal could be had and picture taken for 10 cents.

Cynthia Monaghan, of Franklin, attended the social at the methodist church, last evening.

The Baptist Sunday-school enjoyed their Christmas receiving tokens under the foliage of a beautiful evergreen in their church.

There is some talk of Uncle Tom's Cabin alighting in our midst.

Brad. had been away from home. Upon his return some one whispered to him and he went down to the house instanter! And now Brad smiles as he congratulates that other Mr. Swift. They were twins.

The M. E. society enjoyed the following program of exercises at their church last Thursday evening:

Song by the Choir.
Prayer by Rev. W. P. Wastell;
Recitation by Ethel Hinds.
Recitation by Maud Swift.
Song, by the Choir.
Remarks, by the Pastor.
Recitation, Maime Wilson.
Recitation. by Lulu Stanclift.
Song, by the Choir.
Recitation, by Addie Ellis and Minnie Pierce.
Distribution of presents to the number of 500.

After the presents were distributed from the tree, Mr. & Mrs. Bell Mills were made the recipients of a beautiful silver set, as a token in commendation of their aid to the choir. Rev. W. P. Wastell made some appropriate remarks.

Doxology.
Benediction.

We are sorry to learn of the continued sickness of Ezra DePuy, with but feeble hopes that he may be seen among his old associates again in the village, and his merry laughter ringing in the joyous gatherings of social intercourse. We are really in hopes the foundation for fears of this kind may be overcome.

Willis VanTuyl, cashier of the bank, visited Detroit the first of the week, and it was really amusing to see Ed. fill the vacancy in his absence. We presume it was almost punishment to him, at least he looked it.

Dr. Alvord and daughter, Grace, have been making their old neighbors happy with their presence. The doctor was a practitioner in this village for many years and his old friends were glad to meet him again. He was the guest of David Woodward while here. Miss Grace went to Adrian and called on her old acquaintances there, Monday, and the pressure of business at home, called the doctor back to duty, causing him to make his departure Monday morning.

Chas. Keyes of Grand Rapids, was at his fathers, postmaster Keyes' for a holiday vacation.

Dr. Burchard and family, Dan. Davis and family and Frank McClure and family, were participants in a merry Christmas time, at Mrs. Glimps', in Bridgewater, and report having had one of the very best of times.

L. F. Wheeler was in town Saturday; we understand he was making arrangements to favor our citizens with an entertainment in the near future.

Chas. Johnston and wife, of Detroit, are spending holiday week with their parents and relatives, L. H. Johnston and wife and F. M. Muir and family.

Mont. Hendershot, of the Tecumseh News force, came home accompanied by wife and little one, to celebrate Christmas with the old folks.

John Hause, of the firm of Hause Bros., who has been making an extensive tour in the far west, on business concerning the production of extract of apple, returned just in time to partake of the merry Christmas as it flitted around town, to greet the many who had provised for its reception at home.

The second of the series of club dances took place at town hall on the night of Christmas, and was participated in by a large crowd of dancers and spectators who had turned out to witness the merry time and listen to the music, which by the way was the poorest excuse for Christmas party—which should have excelled—that we have listened to for a long time, and we judge, from what we overheard, many departed very much chagrined that their enjoyment did not meet their expectations, and after putting their best behavior foremost to bear and forbear, they were finally relieved by the announcement, that they would be allowed the privilege of paying 15 cents for each and every quadrille passed through to the enlivening strains produced by that quartette after 12 o'clock, which released many from a determination to have their moneys worth, and they returned at once to "little beds" to forget what had happened, and await the arrival of Ollie Hunt's band on the 8th ult, when it is expected there will be a general good time in every sense of the word.

Alice Mills, who is attending school in Chelsea, came to her home in Bridgewater, to solve the question. "how much is to be left of Turkey after the holdays are over?" She returns prepared to take a prominent position in the "front rank" of the geography class.

There was a fair attendance at the Missionary concert at the Baptist church last Sunday evening, and the exercises were enjoyed by all present. The net receipts from the mite-boxes which were gathered in—being hardly half of those given out—and the contribution of the evening was $7 10 and is to be divided equally between the home missions and foreign missions.

The young people of Tecumseh, will give a social at Seth Sheldon's in what has been termed for many years, Newburgh, about equally distant from Tecumseh and this village, next Tuesday evening, January 5th. All who wish to enjoy a good time at a union gathering, are invited to be present and join with them in an evening of pleasure and profit.

H. P. Lamb and wife of Manchester, Mrs. E. Lindsley and daughter, and George Lindsley and family, of Saline and Paul Snauble and family, of Ann Arbor, spent Christmas with John Bush and family of this place.

Origin of Popular Phrases.

VAMOSE.—A Mexican phrase—an adaptation of the Spanish verb *vamos*, meaning literally, "let us go."

TAFFY.—This word, which is now used as a vulgar synonym of flattery, is by no means of recent origin, as many suppose, but was really coined 200 years ago, and has been in use in London fully that period.

BOSS.—This term, which is extensively used in the United States and England to designate the person placed as overseer of workmen and working women, is an improvement on the Dutch word *baas*, meaning employer.

BOGUS.—An Anglicism—the vulgate for "Borghese," the name of a forger who "operated" somewhat extensively across the water about thirty-five years ago. He passed false tokens and counterfeit bills to the amount of many thousand dollars, and hence the term "bogus" is applied to whatever is false and fraudulent.

A DELUSION, A MOCKERY AND A SNARE.—The fact that this familiar saying has about it a certain Biblical ring, has sometimes led to its being quoted as from one or other of the Hebrew prophets; the words are, in fact, an extract from the judgment of Lord Denman, of the English house of lords, on the appeal of Daniel O'Connell to that body from the verdict rendered at his trial.

RED TAPE.—An English expression, originated by Carlyle and made popular by Dickens. It was designed to represent the ceremonious delays and official formalities characteristic of the British governmental routine. It is similarly used in this country to ridicule the tardiness with which everything is effected by the formalism of governmet officials. The expression arises from the fact that government officers generally tie up their bundles of paper with red tape.

CANTEEN.—This is, perhaps, the only word in our language which, originally passed into a foreign tongue, and was afterward taken back in a modified form. As originally spoken by the Saxon, it was simply a *tin can*; but the Gaul, as is his wont, placing the noun before the adjective, and pronouncing the letter *i* as *e*, brought it out as *cantin*, pronounced *canteen*. Adopting a thousand other French terms, the obtuse Englishman took back his own original word in a new shape, without any inquiries on the subject, and hence we now say canteen instead of tin-can.

TO THE MANOR BORN.—This phrase, strictly construed, has perhaps a meaning. It is a form of expression that defines the privilege or position of an heir on whom is entailed some landed estate, the manor of a wealthy or noble family. But has it any authority to be used, as we frequently see it, as a technical or proverbial saying? Probably not. It is not a phrase known in law to define the legal status; and it is not a question of proverbial significance from any of our classic writers. It is apparently a perverted reading of the following passage in Shakespeare:

Horatio—Is it a custom?
Hamlet—Aye, marry is't;
But to my mind—though I am a native here,
And *to the manor born*—it is a custom
More honored in the breach than the observance. —Hamlet, Act 1, Scene 4.

OLD HARRY—The popular attributes of the evil one are a human form with horns, tail and cloven foot. These are probably derived from the representations of the Greek satyrs and the Roman fauns—the wild gods of the mountains and groves; and it is probable that the name Old Harry was originally Old Hairy. The satyrs were said to have hair like goats; and "hayre," or "harie," in old English, signified a garment made of goat's hair.

On this supposition Old Harry or Old Hairy would have some affinity to Old Shock, a popular English name given to the demon that was supposed to haunt roadsides and wild pathways. Shock is a head of rough hair, a rough-haired dog. The evil one is sometimes called "the Lord Harry," a title perhaps given derisively; or it may allude to the Scripture term, "the god of this world," the prince of the powers of darkness.

"FIRE AWAY, FLANAGAN.—Cromwell having marched his army southward, came to a castle garrisoned by some rebels, under command of a Flanagan, who sent Cromwell a violent philippic, ending with an order to quit the place, or he would open his cannon on the English forces. Cromwell returned the note, with his reply written in the corner of the missive: "Fire away, Flanagan." The laconic reply so frightened the redoubtable Flanagan that he fled without firing a shot.

TOO UTTER, TOO VERY, ETC.—This just now popular and novel style of slang, originated in the London Punch, and was to ridicule the pretentions of the very exquiste pretenders to art and aesthetic culture, whom that paper also travesties in pictures. It was first employed to satirize in pictures and verbal jests one Oscar Wilde, a young poet in London, who is greatly given to affectation, such as parading the street with a white lily in his hand, and writing very extravagant verses. The phraseology of Punch is copied by writers who want to indicate that anything is very pretentiously aesthetic or artistic.

A Pretty Story.

"I believe in a providence," said Victor Hugo to a company gathered around him in the Rue de Clichy, "because I am a providence myself." Being asked for an explanation, the poet repled: "We caught a mouse yesterday evening. His death sentence was already pronounced, when my little granddaughter, Jeanne, with eyes glistening with tears, begged for the life of the gray prisoner. Her mother hesitated whether to listen to the dear little advocate or not, and in her doubt said, 'Grandfather shall decide.' So they came to me. For a moment I held the power of life and death over the diminutive creature, and I thought: The heavenly providence may find itself in my situation when the fate of a being of a higher order is to be determined. Naturally I set the mouse free; for when a man undertakes the role of providence on a small scale, he should at least imitate generosity."

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ARSENIC INEBRIETY.

Peculiarities of a Man who Used the Poisonous Drug Daily.

A typical example of a class of cases not well understood by the general public—cases in which arsenic, like alcohol or opium, is taken as a narcotic or a stimulant—is detailed by Dr. T. D. Crothers. An English veterinary surgeon and trainer, who had a greatly exaggerated fear of death, had commenced the taking of arsenic in the belief that it would protect him against disease. He had continued it on account of its stimulative properties, and consulted the doctor only after the ill effects of the habit had manifested themselves. Up to 1880 he was in good health and did his work well, although he was then taking from one to two drams of Fowler's solution of arsenic every day or second day on account of exhaustion and "bad feeling." For four years he wandered from place to place, doing service as a trainer and horse doctor, and during this time the use of arsenic had steadily increased, until he was taking three ounces of Fowler's solution in a day. The ordinary dose of the drug is five drops three times a day. He often found it difficult to procure so large a quantity of solution, so he commenced to use the powder, of which he ate fifteen or twenty grains a day.

His appearance at that time was that of a man in good health. His face was full and the skin clear and white. The eyes were brilliant, though somewhat unsteady, and when talking the facial muscles moved inordinately. His countenance showed no wrinkles or marked lines. His walk had become deliberate and hesitating, and the sensibility of his skin was diminished. He complained of rheumatic stiffness, which was very pronounced when deprived of his usual dose of arsenic. At times he ate an inordinate amount of food, and then he would abstain from eating for a week or more. For a year his sleep had been broken by bad dreams, he would wake up covered with perspiration, and his mind was filled with vague and depressing fears. When he awoke in the morning he felt a sense of exhaustion and pressure all over the body which steadily grew worse until the arsenic was taken. One hour after taking the drug all this bad feeling passed away, and a sense of quiet exhilaration prevaded, which formerly had been marked, but at last was shorter and less distinct. Breathing became difficult through any general exertion before taking the drug, but after taking it no such trouble was observed. The heart was disturbed functionally and and he complained of failure of memory and a general indisposition to work. He was always in doubt as to what course of action would be best for him to pursue, and was filled with fears and dread of mistakes, particularly when the effects of the arsenic wore away. Even after taking the usual dose the indisposition to work continued. He could not concentrate his mind long on any topic at any time. At times he would be very emotional, laughing and crying at unimportant incidents; then he would become oblivious to all emotion. Pride in dress and appearance seemed to furnish the only pleasure of his life. He would dress himself with great care and then pass his time in a stable or on a hotel stoop, gazing put into space in silence. As the effect of the drug wore off he would become boastful and excitable. At such times his judgment was bad, but when he had recently taken the drug his judgment was generally correct.

He was very methodical in his habits, taking the drug twice a day in secret. He bathed very often to take away a strong odor of the skin, which was evidently caused by the elimination of the arsenic. He was known to his companions as a very changeable, eccentric man, who, early in the morning and late in the afternoon, was "half crazy." These and other symptoms indicated a general failure of both body and mind, rapidly approaching dementia. At times he was alarmed, and wished to give up the use of the drug; at others he was indifferent. He told the doctor that if he could get this drug always he never would abstain, but he found it difficult to always keep a supply.

An impression prevails among many medical men of large practice that the secret use of arsenic is rapidly increasing. The peculiar tolerance of this drug in some cases suggests the regularity of its use as a stimulant or narcotic.—*London Journal of Inebriety.*

American Salmon in France.

The Parisians are rejoicing in the prospects of being able to indulge in the sport of salmon fishing in the Seine and the Marne at no distant day. The artificial fecundation of 800,000 salmon ova is going on at this moment in the aquarium of the Trocadero, and when the fry is sufficiently grown to support the change these rivers and their affluents are to be stocked with the young fish. The parent salmon, some five hundred in number, were imported from California in 1878. The American fish is, as is known, stationary in its habits, neither requiring nor practicing the annual visit to the sea necessary for the development of the salmon of the Old World. The fish have thriven remarkably well in the aquarium, and some of the progeny have already attained a weight from sixteen to twenty pounds, which is, however, only half the average weight of their full grown congeners in their native streams. It has been calculated that the stocking of the French rivers with America salmon, if it could be successfully accomplished, would represent an annual gain to the country of some $8,000,000.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

—A New York man has devised a plan by which the Atlantic Ocean can be illuminated at night. He proposes to employ light ships, bearing electric candles of enormous power and connected with each other and with a submarine cable by suitably adjusted wires. The practicability of this is based on what are styled two undisputed possibilities—namely, that a light ship will lie at anchor in a heavy sea without protection, and that electrical communication may readily be maintained from such a ship with the two continents.—*N. Y. Times.*

BROWN PAPER BASKETS.

How to Make a Neat and Serviceable Fruit and Flower Basket.

We will commence this paper by trying to describe a brown paper basket for giving away with flowers or fruit, which, to those who do not already know of it, will be found very useful. It is well known that baskets do disappear in the most mysterious way, and when lent to friends or sent away with garden produce are scarcely ever returned. These paper baskets are made of the stoutest brown paper, folded double and kept in shape by the gilt headed, double stemmed pins, such as bills are kept together by or packets of patterns, which pass through the folded paper and are thus divided and flattened back on each side. Different sized baskets can be made, but we give the dimensions of a tolerably large and convenient one. Take a folded piece of stout brown paper, twenty-one inches long and sixteen inches broad, fold down the four edges inward to the depth of four inches; then double out the corners so that the points cross each other outside the ends of the basket; then fix these by running the pins through and dividing the points, turning them each way. The double stemmed corners are of course the only troublesome part, and practice will make perfect; but we may perhaps simplify matters by explaining that the two ends of the basket are first folded toward the center, then the sides folded on them, then a deep crease is made toward the point of the corner, which runs between the others and forms a broad arrow. The four sides now stand up. Put the left hand inside and with the right pinch the paper into the center crease running into the corner. Having done this, hold up the two sides with the left hand and flatten the pinched corner toward the center of the side, the same with each corner. The handle is then folded four times to make it extra strong, and fastened to the sides by two more nails. It should be fifteen inches long and two and a half inches wide when folded in four. This is strong enough to carry a bunch or two of grapes, as well as flowers. Ornamental baskets can be made of cardboard, painted brown, and then covered with pieces of irregular cork, previously strung together on thread. The handle is composed of loosely plaited strings of cork, either three or four, kept down by stitches of brown cotton. The edge of the basket is done in much the same way, the rest being put on in plain or twisted rows. This is a capital way of using up old corks, and amuses children for hours. The basket is afterward lined with satin, plush or cashmere. Flower pot cases and boxes can be treated in the same way.—*N. Y. Herald.*

ASTONISHED PERSIANS.

How a Traveler Won the Friendship of Suspicious Baluchistans.

Mr. Ernest Floyer, in his recently published travels through Persian Baluchistan—a comparatively unexplored region, bordering on the Gulf of Oman—relates how he surprised and astonished two natives. He was journeying through the country with a caravan of camels, and happened to be on foot alone, considerably in advance and out of sight of the rest. Suddenly he came upon two camel-drivers, to whom he presented an extraordinary apparition in preposterous and unsanctified clothing and with a thing on his head two feet in diameter.

Imagine the astonishment of those tall, sinewy fellows, with their aquiline noses and curly black beards! They had never seen and possibly never heard of a Feringi (foreigner), but to them I was evidently, first, a human being, and secondly, unarmed.

I had, however, a note-book and prismatic compass, of which last I had previously experienced the effect; and as they came near I took a round of bearings, and ended by fixing the leading man, and ostentatiously making a note of him. This rather disconcerted them, but, assuming great authority, I called them up. At being spoken to in Baluchi, they got fresh access of confidence, and, muttering to one another, grounded their guns close in front of me, and commenced a torrent of questions.

I waited quietly until there was a pause, and then said, in a slow and dignified manner: "Salaam alaikum."

It took at once. Their self-respect and politeness were both touched. Their intense curiosity had led them into a serious breach of good manners. The one false step was irretrievable, and with the loftiest politeness I could assume, I pursued my advantage and went through the entire salutation:

"Peace be with you."

"And on you be peace."

"You are welcome."

"May you be in safety."

"Are you well?"

"Is all your house well?"

"By God's kindness all is well."

"Give news."

"Give news."

"I have none; and am only interested in your good health."

We were just beginning it all over again, for it is impolite to be the first to stop, when the caravan hove in sight. As camel after camel came round the corner, each led by one of our jaunty fellows fully armed, the faces of my two heroes went through a series of dissolving views expressive of the greatest astonishment.—*Youth's Companion.*

—Professor: "Why does a duck put his head under water?" Pupil: "For divers reasons." Professor: "Why does he go on land?" Pupil: "For sundry reasons." Professor: "Next. You may tell us why a duck puts his head under water." Second pupil: "To liquidate his bill." Professor: "And why does he go on land?" Second pupil: "To make a run on the bank."—*Boston Post.*

—The importance of fostering scientific research is recognized by the Republic of Mexico, which has established a Scientific Commission, composed of the most learned men of the country, and designed to make investigations in every department of human knowledge. It is making extensive collections of all the natural products of Mexico.

A MUSICAL INTERLOPER.

The Work That a Church Mouse Did in a Harmonium.

When stationed at ——, in India, I was asked to preside at the little church harmonium, and for several years filled that pleasant post. On coming into church one day and beginning the voluntary, I discovered that more than half the notes would not come up after being struck. The result, of course, conveyed to the congregation was that I was permanently holding down several octaves of a chromatic scale! My husband was fortunately near me, and with his energetic help—picking up each note as I played it—we got through the services as best we could. Before the next Sunday it had been repaired a little; but there was always a rather painful uncertainty that a note might not suddenly shriek out unbidden.

One day I discovered, to my surprise, that the harmonium was inhabited by a mouse. It is possible that his establishment within and the effects of his appetite on the felts and lining may in some measure account for the surprising vagaries of the instrument. I had left my high seat and moved to a more comfortable one during the sermon, when I saw a little head with a pair of beady black eyes peeping out from under the pedals. After looking around and finding all was quiet, he sallied out, took a constitutional in the neighborhood, and before the end of the sermon had returned to his home. After this we used to see him nearly every Sunday. One day, just after we had got to church, in came one of our dogs! She had been tied up when we left our house, which was about a quarter of a mile off; but guessing, probably from the sound of the bell, where we had gone, she followed us directly she was let go. The harmonium was fortunately near the door, so that she saw me the moment she came in, and being a thoroughly well-trained dog, lay perfectly still beside my chair.

Of course, I was terribly anxious lest the poor mouse should appear, for Bessie, being a splendid ratter, would without a doubt have given chase, and caused a scene. However, the little inmate of the harmonium was either "out," or displayed marvelous discretion. Not so a squirrel. During the sermon one of these pretty creatures, so common in India, came in through a gap at the top of the "chick"—a semi-transparent curtain hung in the outer doorways of all Indian houses to keep out glare and flying insects, and proceeded to run up and down it within a few feet of us! Of course, Bessie had seen it at once; and there she sat with ears erect and straining eyes, shivering with excitement, watching its every movement. After we had endured several minutes of suspense, the unconscious object of our attention, with a whisk of the tail jumped out through a hole in the chick, and we breathed freely once more.

About this time the Bishop of Calcutta came up to consecrate a piece of ground to be added to the cemetry—a very old one, where rest the bones of heroes who fell hard by fighting under General Lake, at the commencement of this century. The harmonium had been taken over in a handcart, that I might accompany the hymns and chants. During the ceremony the mouse stole out as usual, unconscious of the solemnity of the occasion. How he managed to get in again so as to be carried back to the church, I do not know; but there he was the following Sunday. Some months later the new American organ arrived, and the old one, with its inmate no doubt, was sold, and we lost sight of it.—*Chambers' Journal.*

"SAM."

A North Carolina Colt Which Answers Questions Promptly and Intelligently.

A horse or dog which has been trained to a point where he seems able to do his own thinking, always deserves honorable mention and remembrance. A traveler in North Carolina gives his experience with a colt which seemed to know more than enough to "pass the time of day." He was a nondescript beast, about fourteen hands high, of a dun-brown color, and with a coat as shaggy as a spaniel's. He looked as if he had not been combed since he was born, and even through his rough coat I could count every rib in his body. But he had an eye which showed there was a spirit within him; large and lustrous, it was also gentle and coquettish. I stepped up to him, and, patting him on the neck, asked his name of the landlord.

"Sam," he answered; "and he knows it. Bid him good morning."

I did so, and instantly the colt bowed his head and lifted his right fore-foot, which I took in my hand and shook gently.

"Now talk to him, and see if he doesn't understand you."

"Sam," I asked, "do you want to go with me?"

Sam bowed his head in assent.

"If I take you along will you behave like a gentleman?"

Another bow was the prompt reply.

"Now ask him something that requires 'no' for an answer."

"Are you afraid to swim the river?"

He shook his head instantly, but thinking he might not have understood me, and seeing the advantage of having the wild steed fully pledged to good behavior, I changed the form of the previous question: "Will you run away with me and break my neck?"

A shake of the head, twice repeated, was the prompt reply. Then I put my arm about his neck, and he put his face against mine and stroked my beard in a fondling manner.

"You and I are going to be good friends, Sam," I said, patting his head, affectionately. Instantly he nodded very decidedly, by way of affirmation.

I concluded that he had been trained to distinguish between questions meant to be answered by "yes" or "no" from the inflections of the voice. Even with that possibility his intelligence seemed something marvelous.—*Youth's Companion.*

—The new violins made from the American spruce tree have been tried by several European virtuosi and have been pronounced equal in tone to the old instruments of the Cremona makers.—*N. Y. Herald.*

A FEMININE DEFENDER OF TOBACCO.—An advocate of the use of tobacco in support of his stand unearths an article written by Margaret, Duchess of Newcastle, some two hundred years ago. In defense of the seductive weed that lady wrote: "It composes the mind, it busies the thoughts, it attracts all outward objects to the mind's view, it settles and retents the senses, it cheers the understanding, strengthens the judgment, spies out errors, it exasperates follies, it heats ambition, it comforts sorrow, it abates passion, it excites to noble actions, it digests conceptions, it feeds fancies, it quickens wit, and it makes reason pleader and truth judge in all disputes or controversies between right and wrong."

HOW TO CURE SORE THROAT.—"One who has tried it" communicates the following seasonable item about curing sore throats to the New York *Herald*: "Let each one of your half million readers buy at any drug store one ounce of camphorated oil, and five cents worth of chlorate of potash. Whenever any soreness appears in the throat put the potash in half a tumbler of water, and with it gargle the throat thoroughly; then rub the neck thoroughly with the camphorate oil at night before going to bed, and also pin around the throat a small strip of woolen flannel. This is a simple, cheap and sure remedy."

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An Editor's Reflections.

The editor of the *Lockport Phœnix* is responsible for the following. Who has not thought in about the same strain? And in our sober moments too:

Every once in a while something or other occurs which brings up before us feelings of other days; we are solemn—we indulge in retrospection and dream of "what might have been." And, while in the mood, other serious thoughts succeed, one to another, and we are prone to reflect on such sayings of the proverb-makers as "An hour once lost is gone forever," "What is past can never be recalled," etc., and we speculate as to the future even so much as to wish to raise the impenetrable veil that divides our life here from the shadowy realms beyond and know the mysteries that lie hidden there.

When we come to think seriously on the subject, what a confoundedly strange thing life is! What peculiar mysteries we ourselves are that we cannot even "know ourselves." And yet one thing is pretty certain, viz, that each and every one of us can say with a very comfortable degree of assurance "I am," although a goodly number of our great and shining lights have expressed themselves doubtful of even that.

Suppose sometime, you or ourself, friend reader, should wake up and find we were somewhere else and learn that this earthly existence had been all "in our mind," as slang parlance hath expressed it. It would be strange would it not? And yet a dream seems even as real as this sometimes. But enough of conjecture such as this. We will take it for granted that all things ARE. There is room enough for guesswork left after that.

Not very long ago, you and the rest of us were babies, nothing but squalling, ugly looking little chunks of incipient humanity. We have ceased to be such, and can never be babies any more. Let us be thankful.

From babies in long clothes, as we grew older, we graduated, some into petticoats and some into breeches. We became school children. That was an epoch in our existence which we probably will never forget. What good times we used to have. How we played together; how we quarreled; how the breeches and petticoats fell in love with each other and then fell out again. We can recollect how we felt the first time we fell a victim to the tender passion. For a long time we worshipped at a distance, but when we found that our feelings were reciprocated we seemed to walk on air; and when we found an opportunity to perform the first osculation of our life—Gosh—but words are inadequate to express what feelings the operation gave rise to. We've got a lock of her hair yet, but she is married now, and to some other fellow. With some slight modifications this has probably been the experience of the majority. But those halcyon days are a thing of the past. As someone once remarked—How *tempus* does *fugit*, and right here perhaps it would be appropriate to quote Shakespeare:

"This world, you know
Is a fleeting show,
And thus it is that round we go—
Sometimes above, sometimes below
Like horses in a circus."

Perhaps the immortal William never wrote those words; in fact there is some doubt expressed as to whether W. S. was himself or somebody else. But the sentiment is good, and his "shade" need not get "upon its ear" because we have imputed it to him.

But here we are—men and women—and what the past has been we may as well relegate to some comfortable little nook in our memory and—drop it. What the future is to be we ourselves must decide, for are we not "the architects of our own fortune?" The best way to do it is perhaps, to

"Trust no future howe'er pleasant,
Let the dead past bury its dead;
But act—act in the living present,
Heart within and God o'erhead."

Let us then be up and doing
With a heart for any fate.
Still achieving, still pursuing,
Learn to labor and to wait."

A Rare Talent.

The faculty of drawing out of persons with whom one is conversing the best there is in them—brighter things even than they suppose themselves capable of—is the rare gift with which Nature has endowed some women. George Eliot was a most charming person in conversation, though she was a women of few words, because of her intuitive insight into the thoughts of others. A few words would put her in possession, not of what they said, but of what they would fain have said, and she would so improve upon it that ordinary people went away charmed with her who had made them for once at least feel themselves to be wise. Long afterward, perhaps, she would call to their remembrance the wise or witty things which they could hardly believe themselves to have said, and which they assuredly never would have said but for her quickening influence.

A Bird that Turns Somersaults.

There's a pretty little bird that lives in China, and is called the Fork-Tailed Parus. He is about as big as a robin, and has a red beak, yellow legs, black tail, and red-and-yellow wings. Nearly all the colors are in his dress, you see, and he is a gay fellow. This bird has a trick known by no other birds that ever I heard of. He turns somersaults! Not only does he do this in free life on the trees, but also after he is caught and put into a cage. He throws his head far back, and over he goes, touching the bars of his cage, and alighting upon his feet on the floor or on a perch. He will do it over and over a number of times without stopping, as though he thought it great fun. All his family have the same trick, and they are called Tumblers. The people of China are fond of keeping them in cages and seeing them tumble.

A New York man recently dreamed that he was a Texas desperado in a town threatened by Indians, and when he woke up he found that he had crawled under the bed.

"Ish this 'er postoffice?" inquired Cauliflower, slightly disfigured after nineteen rounds of sour mash. "No, this is a butcher shop," replied the sarcastic mailing clerk, licking a faded one cent stamp. "Sho! Ish that sho! Well, give me a tender line for my muzzer."

EAU MIGHT

There was a young girl from Bordeaux
With corns on her little pink teaux,
They gave her such pain
The tears ran like rain
Down the bridge of her delicate neaux.

Her lover—a youth from Cologne—
Fled wildly and left her alogne,
When he found that her feet
With corns were replete,
With never a word he had flogne.

They sent for a doctor from Lynn,
As shining and neat as a pynn,
He looked at her teaux,
The source of her weaux,
And indulged in a gratified grynn.

He prescribed for this maid from Bordeaux
And cured all her little pink teaux;
And now, it is said,
They, too, will be waid,
And from sorrow and grief find repeaux.

The sweet-scented youth from Cologne,
Who left her severely alogne,
When he first heard the news
His mind he did lews,
And flitted from life with a grogne.

The American Eagle.

There are several varieties of eagles in the United States, but not all that are commonly called by different names are entitled to the separate distinction. The largest is Audubon's "Bird of Washington," or Washington Eagle, a huge bird that has apparently been seen by few persons but the great naturalist himself, and which inhabits the region of the Great Lakes and the Upper Mississippi. Its spread of wings is over ten feet. It rarely comes to New England; but Dr. Wood, the Connecticut ornithologist, in his "Birds of Connecticut," describes one that was caught in a steel trap, in the East Windsor meadows, just after a Connecticut river freshet had left thousands of dead fish on land. On these he was feasting, in company with two "Bald Eagles," whom he greatly surpassed in size. He was killed, as was supposed, after being caught, by a blow on the head with a club; but he recovered on being thrown upon the grass, and flew away. He was nearly four feet long, and his spread of wings was ten feet. The "national bird" of our country is the so-called (improperly so-called) Bald Eagle—a bird whose head is as well supplied, proportionately, with feathers as any part of his body; but on the head these are white, while the rest of the bird, except the neck and tail, is quite dark. The female (who is always the largest, in birds of prey), often measures three feet four inches in length, with a stretch of wings between seven and eight feet. It is incorrectly described in our cyclopædias as the "largest of the fishing or sea eagles." To say nothing of Audubon's great bird, there is in Greenland (and in some parts of Europe) a sea eagle a little larger than the bald species. The bald eagle (not uncommon here) builds on cliffs and great trees a nest of coarse sticks, which is used by the same pair, if undisturbed, for very many years (they will live to the age of 120 or 140 years;) and in this latitude they lay their eggs after the middle of January, and hatch out about the middle of February. The diversity of color between the young and the adults occasions mistakes in naming them, and leads to the idea that they are "sea eagles," "black eagles," "gray eagles," etc. Doctor Franklin objected to the adoption of the eagle as our national bird, because of its predatory habits, and suggested the turkey instead. The golden eagle (which may be the kind that was shot near Riverton, and if so, it is a rare and valuable bird for ornithologists) is seldom seen in Connecticut. It is a magnificent bird, belonging in Europe as well as the United States; is about as large as the bald eagle, and derives its name from the golden-red feathers on its head and neck—the rest of its plumage is a rich, dark brown. It lives about the Great Lakes, the Upper Mississipi, and to a less extent among the White and Green Mountains of New Hampshire and Vermont. There are about seventy species of eagles; and even of those in America we cannot give all the names and varieties. A dark eagle, not quite so large as the bald, is common in Connecticut. One ferocious kind, found in Mexico and on the Isthmus, is the harpy eagle. The osprey is improperly classed among the true eagles.

Some physicians assert that a hearty meal at midday is injurious to the health. A five or six o'clock dinner, eaten slowly with the members of his own family, is far healthier. A heavy midday meal unfits professional men for carrying on any business in the afternoon, as it makes them heavy and sleepy, for nature requires some kind of repose to aid digestion. Our popular system of eating is wrong. The majority of persons thrust three heavy meals into about ten hours, and leave the body without a fresh supply of food for the remaining fourteen hours of the day and night. Two good meals, morning and evening, would be the proper plan, with perhaps a light lunch or cracker at about one o'clock in the day. This would allow both of the heavy meals an opportunity to digest before the next was taken. As to a heavy midday meal for men who have to tear around as if the next moment were to be their last, it is perfectly ridiculous, as the food, instead of digesting and forming blood, muscle and brain, acts as a block to those forces of nature—choking up a sewer, as it were. It is best to eat lightly in the middle of the day.

POOR GIRLS.—The poorest girls in the world are those who have never been taught to work. There are thousands of them. Rich parents have petted them, they have been taught to despise labor, and depend upon others for a living, and are perfectly helpless. If misfortune comes upon their friends, as it often does, their case is hopeless. The most forlorn and miserable women upon earth belong to this class. It belongs to parents to protect their daughters from this deplorable condition. They do them a great wrong if they neglect it. Every daughter should be taught to earn her own living. The rich as well as the poor require this training. The wheel of fortune rolls swiftly around; the rich are very likely to become poor, and the poor rich. Skill to labor is no disadvantage to the rich, and as indispensable to the poor. Well-to-do parents must educate their daughters to work; no reform is more imperative than this.

The Perfumery Trade.

Some kinds of perfumery are worth their weight in gold. The export of fine perfumery is principally from Grasse, Nice, Cannes and Bremen. The business is divided into two parts. The manufacturer extracts from the flowers their essential oils. The perfumer buys these oils, pomades and extracts, and compounds them in several ways.

Only about a dozen of all the fragrant flowers in the world are used in the manufacture of perfumery, viz.: the violet, rose, orange flower, jasmine, tuberose, cassie, lavender, thyme, rosemary, geraniums, jonquil and fennel. The rose and the orange are the most valuable. Of the numerous varieties of the rose, only one is used, the Province rose, single, pale pink, the most sweet smelling of roses; not hardy.

Picking for perfumery occurs in almost every month of the year. It is a paradoxical fact in the business that the bitter orange yields the best blossoms for perfumery. One ton of blossoms yields two pounds eight ounces of oil neroli. The fruit of the bitter orange yields a very fine essential oil, bigarade. It is used in many scents. The orange tree, cultivated for its oil, lasts with care over 200 years.

One ton of the distilled leaves of the scented verbena geranium yields from 24 to 30 ounces of the essential oil. The flowers of the jasmine are picked just after sunset in July, and in the morning, as soon as the dew is off, in August. The jasmine is a peculiarly delicate flower. Its essential oil is so volatile that it cannot be extracted by distillation, the heated water decomposing it is so that only a faint tinge of the perfume is left in the water that passes through the refrigerant.

Like the jasmine, the oil of the tuberose cannot be extracted by distillation. The perfume of the cassie is much used in compounds. The process of manufacturing perfumes is in itself very interesting, especially to the ladies.

A ton of roses yields only two ounces of the attar. If kept at a temperature below 60°, attar crystalizes; if kept open to the air and light, it is easily volatized. Perfumed oils are made by putting fresh quantities of flowers into the finest of virgin olive oil from 20 to 30 different times. The essential oil of flowers has a strong affinity to lard or grease. The latter, rendered as white as snow, is perfectly saturated with the flowers. The process is repeated many times. In this way we have pomade of rose, orange, cassie and violet. The affinity of the perfume of flowers for alcohol is, however, stronger than than for grease. Pomades, immersed in alcohol, are rendered into extracts, the grease leaving the perfume. It is safe to say that, among the numerous articles of toilet, the manufacture of perfumed pomades, perfumed oils and high-priced perfumery generally is as a sealed book to many persons.

Good Advice for Everybody.

1. Never, under any circumstances assume a responsibility that you can avoid consistently with your duty to yourself and others.

2. Base all your actions upon a principle of right; preserve your integrity of character, and in doing this never reckon on the cost.

3. Remember that self-interest is much more likely to warp your judgment than all other circumstances combined; therefore look well to your duty when your interest is concerned.

4. Never make money at the expense of your reputation.

5. Be neither lavish or niggardly. Of the two, avoid the latter. A mean man is universally despised, but public favor is a stepping stone to preferment, therefore generous feelings should be cultivated.

6. Say but little; think much and do more.

7. Let your expenses be such as to leave a balance in your pocket. Ready money is a friend in need.

8. Avoid borrowing and lending.

9. Wine drinking and cigar smoking are bad habits; they impair the health and pocket, and lead to a waste of time.

10. Never relate your misfortunes, and never grieve over what you cannot prevent.

11. Cultivate promptness in deciding upon matters that come before you; there are few objects more disagreeable than an undecided, vacillating man. Consider thoughtfully, but decide promptly.

12. Never break a business engagement of any kind, if it be possible to meet it. Let nothing cause you to become careless of business etiquette, integrity and promptitude.

13. Let truth and an unwavering faith in God underlie all your motives and actions.

The Model Farm.

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Then you will be well, or at least you ought to.

Shoulder of Veal Baked.

Buy a shoulder of veal, which, according to the locality of your butcher, will cost you from eight to fourteen cents a pound. And let us say just here, that on account of the quantities of immature veal thrown on the market, you had better be sure of your butcher and pay fourteen cents than to buy a suspicious article for eight. Untrimmed it will weigh seven or eight pounds. Have every bit of bone taken out and put them aside for stock. Make a pint bowl full of dressing, flavoring according to taste, but not strongly with any one condiment. Insert this in the pocket made by the butcher. Dot it all over with pieces of butter as large as a hickory nut. About two ounces will be sufficient, and season with pepper and salt. Bits of very nice dripping may be placed in the four corners of the pan. Dredge thoroughly with flour, and place in a good oven. Baste occasionally with the gravy made by the butter, but add no water until the meat is well browned. This will be from half to three quarters of an hour, when you may add a large cupful of boiling water. Baste every fifteen minutes until done. It will require about two hours. Carve down straight through the middle and cut to both ends; serve with spinach. This is a most economical and delicious dish. What is left may be sliced and heated in the sauce, or minced and used for a salad.

The breakfast taken in winter will determine our efficiency for work in the day, and will so influence our whole being for that period of time that no after-meal can correct. The breakfast in winter must contain more nitrogenous food than in summer; it is absolutely needed. You must store heat to furnish material for absorption and for maintaining vitality; add to this nitrogenous food something that will disengage heat from the blood and keep up temperature and you may defy the coldest day. Your face may feel it, your hands may feel it, but your body will be impervious to it and go on disengaging that inward heat which can alone stand against the lowest temperature without. If this first meal has been properly attended to we may presume that vital action can be maintained in full force for five hours at least before it needs replenishing.

A bowl of good pea soup is as satisfying as a hearty dinner on a cold day. To make a gallon of it, wash a pint of peas and soak them over night; then boil in five pints of water, gently simmering three hours or so, until thoroughly soft. With a potato-masher rub the soup through a colander or wire sieve. A pound of beef or ham bone may be boiled with the peas. The soup may be seasoned in various ways—with onions, cloves, pepper, etc.

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HOW TO KEEP MILK.

Under No Consideration Should It Be Exposed to Air.

Milk was not intended by nature to be exposed to air, but to be conducted as directly and speedily as possible from the milk-ducts of the parent to the stomach of the offspring. As a liquid containing a good deal of the element nitrogen, it is liable to early decay, or, in other words, to changes in its chemical and mechanical condition. The temperature it has when milked from the cow is favorable to its decomposition. Above or below blood-heat its decay is more or less retarded; and, by passing a volume of oxygen through it, it is made to keep the longer. Left alone, it is a suicidal sort of thing, constantly inviting its own destruction, so to speak. It drinks in greedily foul odors from the atmosphere, and provides just the food that bacteria delight in. It is determined not to remain in its original form, for it begins to throw off its cream at once on coming to rest. To chemists it is known as a "transition compound," seeking fresh conditions and combinations. It is congenial food to the fermentive germs that float in the air, and contains within itself a principle that is an aid to digestion, which is only another word for decomposition.

Such being the case, milk requires intelligent treatment if we want it to remain as it is when we get it. Assuming that it is sweet and fresh when we first take it in hand, the first thing to do is to cool it; and for this reason, by lowering the temperature, the ferments to which it is exposed operate much slower or do not operate at all. These ferments get hold of it best at the heat it is at when it comes from the cow. They need warmth, as most things do, for their fruition; and as we can not get rid of them, because they float about in embryo in any place where air is, the next best thing is to deprive them of warmth.

If we boil milk and immediately enclose it in an air-tight vessel it will remain sweet for years; but it will sour when it is re-exposed to the air at sixty degrees F. and upward. If we freeze it, and keep it frozen, it will remain sweet as long as we like; but when it comes to thaw the effect of the freezing is to hasten its decomposition. This, indeed, holds good with butter and flesh and vegetables; with any perishable article, in fact. It is their mechanical combination which the freezing has interfered with, and this is an aid to chemical decay.

The effect of a strong ray of light falling on milk is to develop the fermentive organisms that lead to the decomposition of the liquid. They are of a vegetable character, and need light as well as warmth to enable them to thoroughly do their work. It is, therefore, expedient to keep milk in the shade, not necessarily in a dark room, but away from the light of a window. Butter and eggs, too, are injured, though less quickly, by a strong light; and they should not be exposed to its influence.

It is generally considered advisable that milk-rooms should be well ventilated; but the air must be as pure as we can have it; otherwise they are better without the ventilation. Whatever the air is, so will be the milk, after a time. If it is tainted with any sort of an odor, the odor of flesh, of vegetables, of mint-sance, of paraffine, of smoke, anything, in fact, the milk will taste of it. Intelligent people who make butter are aware of this, and keep their milk in clean vessels, in a pure atmosphere, in a cool room, while the cream is rising. This is absolutely necessary in order to keep a pure-flavored butter that will keep as long as it ought. A stuffy atmosphere in a room is abominable; ventilation with impure air is equally so; and in either of these cases, if they are unavoidable, it is better to keep the milk corked up in a bottle, previously cooling it well, and stirring it as it cools.

It is of the first importance that milk should be put into vessels that are scrupulously clean, and they need cleaning after milk as much as after almost anything else. By putting new milk into a vessel that has been more or less soured with old milk, the new is at once introduced, so to speak, to the old leaven, that will turn it all sour very soon. Before such a vessel is employed to contain a fresh supply of milk, it should be washed in boiling water, to kill all the germs of sourness, both the lactic acid and the bacteria that it may contain, and then in cold water, to cool it. It is hardly necessary to say that the water itself must be clean; this is obvious on the face of it.

And again: The room must be cool, say not more than 60 degrees, if possible, or it is not of much use to cool the milk, which will always rise or fall to the temperature of the air that surrounds it. At the same time, it is true that cooling the milk to 55 degrees or so will preserve it the longer, even in a room that is 60 degrees or upwards. Cooled milk in clean vessels, and in a room whose air is fresh and sweet, will keep well for a day or two. The cream, however, which is in mechanical rather than in chemical combination with the milk, will rise to the surface unless the milk is frequently stirred.—*Science News.*

—Meat from cattle slaughtered in a terror-stricken condition is found, by investigation to be unfit for human food.—*Troy Times.*

APOPLEXY.

Symptoms and Treatment of this Terrible Affliction.

Apoplexy signifies stroke or shock. The cause, induced by mental excitement, muscular exertion or intemperence, is bleeding inside the skull, amounting to drops or pounds, and occurring in one side of the brain. The hemorrhage is due to brittleness or softening of small arteries. They break, and hence the sudden attack. Overfullness of the superficial brain vessel, or sudden plugging of a small artery, are causes. The pressure created stops the circulation of the whole brain.

Attacks rarely give warning, though ringing in the ears and flushing may precede. The full onset may take a few seconds or a half hour. *Symptoms*: Confusion, flushing, lividity, or perhaps pallor of the face; paralysis of half the face and half the body on the *opposite* side; snoring, delirium, vomiting, unconsciousness, more or less profound. Movements, if any, are confined to one side, Will may be exerted though intellect be gone. The lips puff; the pulse is slow, hard, full; the pupils are contracted or dilated, and usually unlike. These symptoms last minutes, hours or days. If stupor continue ten hours without improvement, and especially if increased, the attack is probably fatal. It may be so in a few minutes, hours or several days.

Under twenty years apoplexy is rare, and liability diminishes after seventy. Some suppose that a short neck and full habit predispose to it. Statistics prove the contrary. An attack is generally repeated, the third commonly being fatal. Recovery requires months. Do not mistake apoplexy for intoxication. Cases of supposed drunkenness are often locked up and afterward found dead. Distinguish intoxication by the odor of the breath, general habits, dilated, symmetrical pupils, soft, feeble pulse, absence of snoring. Signs of drunkenness usually can be forced from the inebriate. In apoplexy the temperature is normal or raised. In drunkenness it is lowered. In opium poisoning the patient can generally be roused for a moment. The pupils are very small and symmetrical. Kidney disease, which causes unconsciousness, is usually known already. In fainting there is a cold, white face and no pulse.

In case of apoplexy, send for the doctor. Keep the head cool and raised. Apply mustard plasters to the legs, back and stomach, alternately. Give injections of oil and warm water and strong purgatives, after the attack. Shorten or shave off the hair. A very strong man, under fifty, might be bled. —*Congregationalist.*

NOT WHAT THEY SEEM.

Pretty Porcelain Placques That Are Not Porcelain at All.

"Look at that porcelain panel—how beautiful," exclaimed an expensively attired young man in a picture store. "They make them in Dresden. I have sat and watched them by the hour. How far superior European work is to our own. Those roses are a very marvel." He was looking enthusiastically at a placque on a little easel. The placque shone like glass, which it seems to be, and a cluster of red flowers on a black background had a pretty effect. "That would be cheap at ten dollars," whispered the connoisseur to the man with him, and together they went into raptures over it.

"Were you looking at the placque?" put in a polite salesman. "Would you like to buy it?"

"How much?" inquired the connoisseur timidly.

"Twenty-five cents," the salesman responded, "or you can have a dozen for two dollars and seventy-five cents. Too dear? Well, we have some damaged ones you can have cheaper."

"Damaged at sea—on the way from Dresden," exclaimed the connoisseur, hoping to save himself in the estimation of his comrade.

"No, sir," answered the salesman decidedly; "they were injured on the journey from Seventh and Lombard streets, where they are made. Porcelain? No. Glass? No, not that, either. Paper? Yes, that's what they're made of. Some are cut out of a cheap wood and shined up. They don't look bad, do they? Feel 'em."

But the connoisseur and his dupe had turned away sadly and sorrowfully, having decided that the works of art were not pretty at all, but quite too common for anything.—*Philadelphia Press.*

Family Discipline.

Colonel Fizzletop was under the painful necessity of administering a severe castigation to his son Johnny. After he had completed his labors, he said sternly to the suffering victim:

"Now tell me why I punished you."

"That's it," sobbed Johnny, "you nearly pounded the life out of me, and now you don't even know why you did it."—*Texas Siftings.*

—"I dreamt a strange, strange dream of bliss; I thought that some one came and held my soul in one long kiss and softly spoke my name." The above harrowing tale is written by a latter-day poet, and is false. Unless his name is Pstewlpft she never could have uttered it while holding his soul "in one long kiss." We are reliably informed that no names are mentioned during paroxysms of the kind the poet describes. Trot out another poet.—*Minneapolis Tribune.*

L. R. GAINSLEY

Announces a great purchase of

5000 Dollars worth of

DRY GOODS!

TO BE OPENED UP

Friday, Dec. 11, 1885.

This stock consists of

DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS,
LADIES' CLOTHS, CASSIMERE JEANS,
SHAWLS, SKIRTS, GLOVES, HOSIERY;
UNDERWEAR, HDKFS. AND NOTIONS.

With a full line of PRINTS, GINGHAMS, CAMBRICS, CANTON FLANNELS, SHEETINGS, Etc.

The purchase was made of one of the largest Boston Jobbers, who being anxious to reduce stock to close the season's business, cut very low prices. This advantageous purchase in connection with the very small expense in conducting our business,
Will give more goods for one dollar than are usually sold for $1.50.

Note a Few Prices:

Brocade Dress Goods 6c a yd, good value at 10c.
Wool filled Cable Twills, 11c a yd., good value at 18c.
Wool filled Cashmeres, 11c a yd., good value at 18c.
Highland Plaids, 10c a yd., good value at 15c.
Prints 3½c a yd.
Best Standard Prints only 6c a yd.

TECUMSEH, Dec. 9, 1885.

LONDON GRAPHIC.

PIPES of ALL KINDS.

CANDY and CIGARS

If you stay at home
and want Presents,
or
If you go away
Call and see me.

A. E. KENNEDY.
P. O. Building.

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PAPER DOLLS

Marks & Russell

Wish to invite you to call and examine the new, neat and brilliant appearance imparted to their store by recent improvements.

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The complete stock of the very best goods it is possible to obtain in their line which they can, will and do sell as cheap as the cheapest,

Our Holiday Stock!

Comprises a careful selection of Toilet and Fancy Articles, Perfumery, Toilet and Odor Cases, Hair, Cloth, Velvet, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Hand Mirrors, Cut Glassware, Box Stationery Pocket Books, &c.

Constantly on Hand:

Pure Drugs and Medicines, Staple Groceries, Standard Patent Medicines, Artist's Supplies, and everything kept in a first-class Drug and Grocery Store.

Please Call, Examine Stock and get Prices.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DECORTICATED COTTON-SEED Meal, has two to three times the nutritive value of corn meal as a stock feed. 100 lb. sack $1.75. $26 per ton. For sale by
JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton, Mich.

ROOMS TO RENT.—At low price over Gainsley's store. Enquire of
A. W. MILLS.

TO RENT OR FOR SALE.—A six roomed House and common lot.
CHARLES BURRIDGE.

YOUR DUTY, YOUNG MAN.—Send your name and address to Brown's Business University and receive in return your name written in a beautiful hand, and circulars of the best Business Course offered in Michigan.

FARM FOR SALE.—Situated 1 mile north and ½ mile east of Holloway, containing 40½ or 88 acres, to suit purchaser. For particulars call on or address
G. R. GARLINGHOUSE,
Holloway, Lenawee Co., Mich.

Smith Bros. of Hillsdale have lately imported a car load of coach horses.

The Jackson furniture company has received an order from Los Angeles, Cal., for a car load of furniture.

THE CHRISTMAS PARTY.

The Christmas Party given last Friday evening at the opera house, was the most brilliant and successful affair of that kind seen in Tecumseh for years, and the young men who had charge of it may well feel proud of their success. Tecumseh has lately had the reputation of being a very "slow" town in the matter of dances, but the party of last Thursday night clearly showed that when rightly managed a dance can be made as enjoyable in this town as in any of our neighbors.

At about half past seven the opera house was opened for those who wished to hear the concert given by Wolff's Orchestra of Toledo, before the dancing commenced, and at 8 o'clock the gallery was crowded with spectators listening to some of the finest orchestra music ever heard in Tecumseh. The dancers made their appearance at nine o'clock, headed by W. T. Eccles and wife, who led them through a very pretty grand march, ending up in a quadrille, and the "light fantastic" was tripped until the small hours of morning. Between 30 and 40 couples were present, including persons from Adrian, Clinton, Manchester, Toledo and Hillsdale,, and after paying all the bills, the boys found that they had their fun without its costing anything and enough left to set up the cigars.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES.

Christmas Day—that glorious old anniversary, which is more generally observed throughout christendom than any other holiday—was appropriately observed in Tecumseh. On Christmas Eve the different churches held services which were participated in by both old and young. Large audiences assembled at each church and the congregations entered into the spirit of the occasion with zest.

At the Baptist church brief religious exercises were held and a supper was given to the scholars of the Sunday School. The attendance was good and the occasion was a very enjoyable one. A box of useful articles was packed and sent to a missionary family at Ishpeming.

At the M. E. church the exercises were more elaborate than usual. Two beautiful christmas trees were placed on the platform, which were loaded down with gifts for the children, and Santa Claus appeared in person to assist in distributing the presents. After a brief service the trees were unloaded and the little folks made happy. The church was crowded to repletion, and it was after ten o'clock before the audience dispersed.

At the Universalist church Mrs. Santa Claus appeared and held a reception. Gifts were distributed among the Sunday School scholars and supper was served to old and young.—The evening was most pleasantly spent and the company departed for their homes at a late hour.

At the Presbyterian church an entertainment was given by the Sunday School and the following program was presented;

Singing by choir and school—"Sing for Joy on Christmas Morn."
Prayer—Rev. W. H. Babbitt.
Scripture Rec.—"Concerning the birth of Christ," by four classes, the choir singing between the parts, "Beautiful Morning Star."
Rec.—Five little girls, "Have you heard about Jesus."
Primary class song—"Let the children praise him."
Select reading—Miss Edna McClue, "How Rick made himself a Christmas."
Singing by choir and school,—"Joy to the world."
Christmas carol—Eight children.
Rec.—Julia Wood, "A peep into Santa Claus's home."

At this point Santa Claus and wife arrived and invited the school to the dining room, where they were treated to ice cream and cake. Some time was spent in a social way in the church parlors.

At St. Peter's Episcopal church services were held on Christmas day in the forenoon. The beautiful christmas service was rehearsed from the ritual and remarks appropriate to the occasion were made by the rector.

The stores in the village were mostly closed during the day and people gave themselves up to social enjoyment and good dinners. Christmas was observed by everybody this year, and it is proper that it should be so.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 31, 1885.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

A Happy New Year to all.

O. P. Bills, spent Christmas in Detroit.

To-morrow will be the day to turn over a new leaf.

Ridgeway will soon have a local weather manager.

Miss Hattie Stevens is spending the holidays in Detroit.

Matt Root went to Marshall last Saturday on business.

Miss Hattie Montgomery, of Albion college, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. H. U. Matthews, of Muskegon, was visiting friends in Tecumseh last week.

The school children of the village seem to be enjoying their holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Clark, of Cleveland, O., are spending a few days in Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Zellars, of Jackson, are spending the holidays in Tecumseh.

P. C. Mills, of Adrian, ate Christmas turkey with his son Adelbert, of Tecumseh.

Remember the Masonic festival this evening. A grand time can certainly be relied upon.

Harry Snell was at home to spend Christmas and remained over the following Sunday.

A. H. Herron, of the Detroit Tribune, gave the HERALD a brief and pleasant call last Thursday.

Miss Stella Cleveland started for Grand Rapids last Friday, where she expects to remain several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Dole, of Auburn, Ind., spent Christmas with Mrs, D's parents. in Raisin, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Anthony.

The Detroit Free Press sent out to its numerous customers a neat lithographic "Merry Christmas" card. It is a beauty.

The repairs on the Globe mill will be completed this week, and on Monday next the wheels and rolls will again be making music.

T. T. Kneeland returned home last week frem a several weeks' visit with his son Frank, at St. Louis, Mich.—He enjoyed his trip there very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Colvin were at Battle Creek two days last week visiting Jeff Kennedy's people. Their visit though brief was a very enjoyable one.

Lyman Thorpe is at home to spend the holidays. He is still selling his patent corer and meeting with good success. His last trip has been in northern Michigan.

Philip DePuy, of Reading, Hillsdale county, is spending this week with Frank DePuy and expects to partake of his New Year's dinner with Frank before returning home.

The annual meeting of the Universalist Parish for the election of a Board of Trustees and the transaction of other business will be held at the church next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock.

Dr. A. W. Alvord came down on the M. & O. Saturday and went to Clinton that evening intending to spend the Sabbath with his old Clinton friends. He returned to Battle Creek Monday by the same route.

The special school meeting to consider the plans for a new building in the west ward will be held on Monday evening next. As this is a matter in which every tax payer of the district is interested there should be a large attendance.

Our old friend L. C. Blood, of Lansing, in forwarding his subscription for another year says: "I wish you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year. May the HERALD live long and prosper, and may I live to take it for the next forty years." We heartily second the motion.

The new heater for the fire engine arrived last week and engineer Stout spent his Christmas and the day following getting it in place. Upon building a fire in the arch Saturday evening the boiler sprang a leak and he was compelled to spend all the next day in repairing it. The steamer is in good condition now, however. and prepared for any emergency.

When Jerome Cleveland called on treasurer Welling to pay his taxes he found the word "exempt" written on his receipt. Mr. Cleveland was suffering from a long fit of sickness when Supervisor Bresie took the assessment last spring, and he took this practical method of rendering Mr. Cleveland a favor. Under the circumstances it was an official favor worthily bestowed.

We are in receipt of a copy of the proceedings of the last meeting of the Western Michigan Press Association. It contains the papers read before the association, the officers elected and a brief account of the entertainment furnished by the citizens of Traverse City, Charlevoix, Petoskey and Harbor Springs. It is printed by C. S. Hampton at the office of the Harbor Springs Independent.

James Wilson and wife spent christmas in Toledo.

K. S. Baker, of Adrian, was in town last Saturday.

There will be a mile race at the rink on New Year's night.

The State Teachers' Association meet this week at Lansing.

Subscribe for the HERALD at once. and commence with the new year.

The early closing of the stores is suspended during the present week.

The front of Rawson's store has been treated to a fresh coat of paint.

The register of deeds has taken possession of his office in the new Court House.

Lester P. Tribou is distributing a lot of the beautiful Aetna calendars for 1886.

Miss Lizzie Hayden returned last week from a visit of several weeks at Buffalo, N. Y.

Seth Bean and R. A. Watts, of Adrian, were in town last Monday afternoon on business.

Mr. John C. Clough has gone to Rushsylvania, O., to remain a few weeks among friends.

Sam. A. James, of Detroit, spent christmas and Saturday and Sunday following in Tecumseh.

Lew Olmstead, of Bay City, is spending two or three days among his old Tecumseh friends this week.

The Hudson Gazette will issue no paper this week, as the regular publication day falls on New Years.

Mr. Raynor Lilley, accompanied by his wife, spent christmas day beneath the paternal roof in this village.

Hudson had an Uncle Tom's cabin show last week. It beats all how Hudson is favored in the line of shows.

It is vacation this week at the Raisin Valley Seminary School will open again on the 5th of January, 1886.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Folwell, of White Pigeon, spent christmas at Prof. Hammond's. They are the parents of Mrs. Hammond.

An amateur minstrel troupe is incubating at Clinton. When they start out on the road they musn't fail to give Tecumseh a visit.

To-day's issue of the HERALD is the 53d number this year. Our subscribers get one more paper than they bargained for in 1885.

Editor Jas. E. Carr, of the Dundee Reporter, was in town last Saturday evening on his way to Jackson to spend the Sabbath and favored the HERALD with a friendly call.

An Electric bell connected with the engine house was placed in H. E. Stout's residence last Saturday. We expect "Hub" will make great time getting to his engine in the future.

The bachelor editor of the Hudson Gazette mournfully writes:

The "old maids" of Medina still flourish, and defy the most fascinating young men in the world to get a hold on their affections.

A late number of the Cheyenne, Wyoming, Leader gives an account of a cane presentation to Capt. A. P. Foster, who is now the landlord of the Pacific House. The captain proved himself fully equal to the occasion, as he always does.

The Baptist Sunday School here elected the following officers for the new year:

Supt.—Dr. L. G. North.
Asst. Supt.—J. W. DePuy.
Sec.—W. F. Fisher.
Treas.—Miss Carrie Osborn.
Librarian—J. H. Heck.
1st Asst.—Spencer Lester.
2d " —Roy DeWolf.
Chorister—B. F. Steinhoff.
Organist—Miss L. Gowdy.

The Knights of Maccabees held their annual election last week as follows:

Past Com.—D. A. Hammond.
Com.—Dr. R. B. House.
Lieut. Com.—E. N. Satterthwaite.
Record Keeper—Fred B. Wood.
Fin. Keeper—C. A. Wright.
Prelate—J. J. Orr.
Physician—Dr. E. M. Conklin.
Sergeant—Jas. A. Boyd.
Master-at-Arms—J. H. Smith.
1st M. of G.—J. D. Wilson.
2d " —W. J. Arnold.
Sentinel—J. L. Anderson.
Picket—W. J. Kies.

The taxes are somewhat higher than usual in this township this year. The school tax is increased on account of the new building soon to be erected in the west portion of the village.—county taxes are heavy owing to the Court House tax, and the state taxes are considerably higher than last year. And in all these directions Supervisor Bresie had no control whatever over the tax levy. So far as he could influence the amount of taxes to be collected, they have not been increased but slightly reduced from last year.

The Clinton Local avers that Geo. Calhoun had an oak tree on his farm which he worked up a few days ago. It made sixteen cords of block wood, two and one-half cords of three foot wood, and two meat cutters' blocks. The Local does not mention it, but we understand from other sources that Mr. Calhoun also cut a dozen saw logs off the lower end of the tree and secured beside twenty-five cords of tanning bark. The lumber he thinks will work up well into bridge timber.—Adrian Record.

Lucius Lilley went to Toledo last Monday.

Alf James of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

O. B. Finch has been connected with the C. T. Line.

John R. Hialey took a business trip to Detroit last Friday.

C. D. Bills of Goshen, Ind., has been home a week or so on the sick list.

N. Gowdy started last Wednesday for Monroeville, Ohio, for a month's visit.

A. W. Slayton bought 120 tons of straw in Detroit last week to ship east.

A. W. Slayton is offering real estate etc., very cheap. See his advertisement.

Miss Georgie Sherman, of Grand Rapids, is visiting at Mrs. E. C. Kennedy's.

Robt. Patton of Albion, Mich., has been visiting in this vicinity for a week past.

The Masons of Clinton celebrated St. John's day last Monday in their usual manner.

Miss Mame Foster, of Chicago, has been spending a few days with Mrs. C. M. Burlingame.

Miss A. L. Hitchcock, is spending her vacation in Toledo, and Miss A. J. Lyons in Detroit.

Adrian, Manchester and Clinton were all represented at the christmas party last Friday night.

Wm. Wilson has opened a feed stable in Sutton's barn, formerly the Soper barn, on Railroad street.

Miss Maggie Everiss, Miss Lotta Evans, and Vit Nixon, of Adrian, were guests of Burt Temple last Friday.

On account of Christmas and New Year's coming on Friday, the school children will have a vacation of only one week.

Fred H. Burlingame and wife, of Kalamazoo, arrived in Tecumseh last Thursday on a visit to their friends. They will return to-morrow.

Elder Geo. Price has so far recovered from the stroke of paralysis he had a few days ago, as to be out again.—He has not fully recovered his former health, but will undoubtedly do so soon.

Among the masonic visitors in Tecumseh last Monday evening we noticed Dr. Finch, W. F. King, President McElroy, Prof. Rupp, County Clerk Bixby and Register of Deeds Bennett.

The anniversary exercises of the various missionary societies of the Presbyterian church will be held on Sunday night next, Jan. 3d, at 7:00 in the church. Reports will be read and an address delivered. A general invitation is extended.

M. W. Goodrich has got settled in his new quarters, and is now prepared to make cigar boxes with neatness and dispatch. And it goes without saying that when Mr. Goodrich gives his personal attention to it he can put up a mighty neat cigar box. He ought to work up a good business.

Tecumseh Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers last Tuesday evening:

N. G.—E. A. Hodges.
V. G.—Rev. J. M. Getchell.
Sec.—Thos. Cummins.
Treas.—C. E. Williamson.
Rep. to Gr. Lodge—John Hibbard.

The appointed officers will be selected at the next regular meeting.

Below is the result of the election of officers for the Presbyterian Sunday School:

Supt.—C. A. Slayton.
Asst. Supt.—P. S. McKinnon.
Lady Supt.—Sena Drew.
Sec. and Treas.—S. J. Helm.
Librarian—Walter Burridge.
Chorister—J. S. Strong.
Organist—Mary Anderson.

Communion sermon at the Universalist church on Sunday morning at 10:30. Subject. "The Gospel Hope—That of the World." Following the sermon the Lord's supper. The Universal Peace Union commemorates the birthday of Lucretia Mott. It comes this time on Sunday, Jan. 3, 1886. In the evening, at 7 o'clock, Rev. Getchell will give a discourse on "The Life and Work of Lucretia Mott."

At their last regular meeting the Royal Templars of Temperance elected the following officers for the ensuing term:

S. C.—Geo. S. Wilson.
V. C.—E. Williamson.
Chap.—Jas. Potter.
Rec. Sec.—B. F. Steinhoff.
Fin. Sec.—M. P. Brown.
Treas.—J. D. Sholes.
Herald—Albert Vedder.
Guard—G. S. Van Tyne.
Sent.—H. W. Stevens.
Rep. to Gd. Council—G. S. Wilson.
Alternate—Chas. L. Albaugh.

The Masonic special last Monday evening called out a large crowd, and the lodge had an old fashioned housewarming. The candidate for the third degree went through the ordeal like a veteran. Adrian and Manchester were well represented by visiting brethren, thirty-one masons being in attendance from the former place and sixteen from the latter. At the conclusion of the third degree work a social was indulged in and a lunch was served to which all did ample justice. All in all it was the most successful meeting the Lodge has held in many a day.

Mrs. Wm. H. Ames is on the sick list.

Ed. Freer of Mason, was in town this week.

Popular prices for U. T. C. Co., only 25 and 35cts.

Asa E. Stevens arrived home last Tuesday from St. Louis, Mo.

Adams' Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., at the Opera House, Friday, January 1st.

There will be a watch meeting at the M. E. church this evening from 8 to 12.

Lester H. Dewey, of Cambridge, made Tecumseh friends a call last week.

D. C. Noble, of Strathroy, Canada, was the guest of Rudolph Heesen last week.

Sutton, Fairfield & Co. have a New Year's greeting in to-day's paper.—Read it.

Miss Gertrude Anderson, of Elmira College, N. Y., is spending her vacation here.

The Detroit Journal hinted that Laveru Wheeler, of Tecumseh, (well-known in Hudson) had lost his manhood by joining the Alba Heywood dramatic company. Vern rises up to remark "no such thing." Not a member of that company uses tobacco or liquor, and he considers himself surrounded by pretty good society. That Journal man wants to look a "leetle oud," or our artistic friend will retaliate by the instantaneous process—Hudson Gazette.

WHAT SHALL BE DONE ABOUT IT?

MR. EDITOR:—The tragedy of Nov. 28th, in which two of Tecumseh's citizens almost miraculously escaped death from the hand of an assassin ought to produce a profound impression. It is less likely to do so however, because crimes of a similar character are so frequent everywhere. One of the causes of the tragedy alluded to, was briefly mentioned in the Herald, viz. Whiskey. With that brief mention the subject has been dropped. The excitement has died down, now that the wounded men are about again, and nothing is said in condemnation of the traffic that we all know so well fosters every sort of crime, and is in itself a crime against the peace and welfare of society. Is it because the citizens of Tecumseh are afraid to speak their minds that no remonstrance of any kind has found its way in the columns of our papers? Are there too many of our respectable citizens implicated and interested in the support of saloons?

It has been intimated that there would have been short shift for the one guilty of shooting the Andersons, if he had been caught soon. Suppose the shots fired had proved immediately fatal, what could have been done to the murderer, according to the laws of Michigan, if he had been convicted of the double killing? He might have been sentenced to imprisonment for life, with a pretty well founded expectation that some kind hearted Governor would after a while set him free.

The ill-judged clemency of the laws seems to offer some apology for the lawless infliction of a higher penalty than the law allows. There is an instinctive feeling in the human heart that the one who takes wilfully the life of another, deserves himself to die. And this feeling finds support in that book which gives us our best and highest laws. Gen. 9:6. The feeling which demands the death of the murderer is not vindictiveness. It is simple justice. The sparing of the life of one cold-blooded murderer may lead to the taking away by violence of a score of valuable lives. Is not the sparing of such a life mistaken clemency therefore? Is it not a wrong done to the law abiding who have a right to claim full protection from the laws? One object of punishment may be the reform of the criminal himself. But another should be the protection of the innocent, and another still the promotion of the ends of justice and of right. Experience has shown that where penalties are light in comparison with the gravity of the offence committed crimes flourish; and that where a just penalty is promptly and surely inflicted, there the fewest offences against the law are found. Condoning crimes of any kind is the way to multiply them. Meeting out punishment with a firm impartial hand is one of the best ways of bringing them to an end. The criminal history of our state since the abolishing of the laws of capital punishment for murder does not argue well for the wisdom of its abolishment. Deaths by violence are of greater and greater frequency. Human life is held less sacred than it was. Mere imprisonment has not the repressing influence that the certainty of losing the life would have. A wholesome effect would follow the re-enactment of the death penalty. But the publication of a penalty is not enough unless there is an assurance that it will be properly inflicted. There is great need that laws in defense of life and property, laws in support of morality, laws in regulation of the liquor traffic and laws of every kind should receive a just enforcement. This is a debt that is owed to the criminal classes as well as to the law abiding.

JUSTICE.

A. Anderson & Son are repainting and improving the interior of their grocery store.

Watch for the parade and count the Blood Hounds with Adams' Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

L. K. Mead, who is traveling for the Toledo Mower and Reaper Co., was home over Christmas.

Lavern Wheeler has received a flattering offer to travel with the Owen Bartlett Comedy Company.

A sumptuous Christmas dinner was served at the Patterson and a large company partook of the feast.

Funniest of all Topsies. Tallest of all Marks. Smallest of all Evas—are with Adams' Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

Miss Maggie Beamish, who has been visiting several weeks at Albion, Olivet and other places, returned home Wednesday.

Thos. H. Mosher, of Springville, was in town yesterday. He came down to attend the sale of the Comfort Mill property.

We stop the press to announce to the public the thrilling and welcome intelligence, that——Uncle——Toms Cabin——Is——Coming.

L. F. Wheeler has taken a contract to furnish the Hudson rink with a lot of new scenery. It will take him about two weeks to complete the job.

Yesterday was the day fixed for the sale of the Comfort mill property. A goodly crowd was present but no bidders, and hence no sale was effected.

The ladies social of the Universalist Church, will hold their annual meeting for the election of officers etc., on Thursday Jan. 7, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the residence of Rev. J. M. Getchell. A full attendance is desired.

That turkey presented by L. D. Dewey & Son was one of the fattest and juiciest turkies ever carved in the Stacy homestead. The Deweys will please accept our forgiveness for the fowl proceeding.

W. H. Osborne, Jr., of Milwaukee, is in town, called here on account of the death of his brother Thomas, whose funeral will be held at the residence of Wm. H. Osborne, in this village to-morrow at 2 P. M.

The Christmas number of the Boy's Weekly, of Adrian, appears with eight pages and a cover. Harry Stearns is entitled to much credit for his enterprise. The Boy's Weekly is the best juvenile paper we know of for the price.

The Installation of officers of the I. O. O. F., will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 5th, at their hall over H. E. Anderson's store. The meeting will commence promptly at 7:00. All members expected to be present and their invited friends.

Thomas Osborne of Macon, who has been sick for some time of heart disease and Bright's disease, died at the house of his father, Wm. H. Osborne, in this village Wednesday morning. He came up on a visit and was not able to return.

A new heater was put on the fire engine last Friday, which is somewhat different from the old one. It sets on the floor at the back of the engine and is connected with it by a couple of pipes. The heater has a self-regulating damper and is a great improvement on the old one.

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MIGRATORY BIRDS.

Time of Their Departure from the Northwestern States.

There is nothing stranger in the experience of those who study nature than the peculiar characteristics which are associated with the coming and going of certain classes of birds. The common observer will notice flocks of blackbirds or wild pigeons, but is unable to tell anything connected with the laws that control the movements of all species of birds that may or may not remain in a certain locality. Some of us know that most all classes of birds are strictly daytime workers. They seek places of safety at early twilight. The wrens, martins, blue birds, nut hatches, woodpeckers and some other scansorials all retreat into their respective places of abode, whilst the kingbirds, jays, robins, finches, larks, kinfishers and scores of smaller songsters select bunches of grass or trees of thick foliage wherein to pass the night. You remember last April how glad you were when you heard the first mocking bird of the season? Of course you do, but did you ever think of just how that same excellent bird of song pursued its journey from a far distant clime to come and help make cheerful the people of northern lands? Every spring I observe that the very first mocking birds of the year are heard at early morning. This is due to the fact that the birds came during the previous night. If you are up early enough and have the interest to do so, you may see the arriving of some classes of migratory birds which return to this latitude during the months of April and May. In this region we have three specimens of birds that are classed as migratory, those that may or may not change their place of living, and that are strictly confined to the locality. The larks are the first to come and the last ones to go south. They usually appear about the middle of March and remain until November. According to careful observations, the following is a correct account of when the birds took their departure:

Wood Peewee	October 10
Kingfisher	October 5
Variegated scansorial	August 16
Bluebirds	October 30
Red headed scansorial	September 20
Chimney swallow	October 11
Swallows	September 25
Rain crow	September 25
Goldfinch	August 10
Mocking bird	August 6
Barn swallow	August 17
Bob o'link	August 10
Humming bird	August 31
Wrens	October 7
Vultures	October 5
Martins	August 10
Kingbird	September 3
Corn crake	September 10
Chewink	October 8
Whippoorwill	October 18
Cat bird	September 4
Peewee	October 10

The mocking birds as a class had vanished by the first week in August, yet I saw two of them as late as September 23. They had probably come from the far north, or they might have been delayed by caring for a second or third brood of little birds.—*Burlington (Ia.) Post.*

A BOON INDEED.

How Sufferers from Noise Can Find Sweet Relief.

There are a multitude of sufferers from the noises of their neighborhood who endure what amounts to agony, exciting their nerves to abnormal action and their pulse to fever heat, when it would do them no injury to use a simple means of obviating the whole thing. The clangor of machinery, the ring of bells, the cries and laughter, the yells and roars, of a hundred or less children at recess or at ball-playing, the passing of heavy drays—all or any of these and other things are sometimes fatal to the health of the invalid and to the work of the thinker. Often it is utterly impossible to move into a region where no heavy drays pass, no bell-ringing is allowed; and then there is hardly a region to be found not invaded by the whistle of the steam-engine, or where boys do not shout at their games; and even where there are no cocks to crow, or dogs to bark, or birds to sing at unseemly hours before dawn, there is always some other sound to torture the sensitive ear. If, now the sufferer will take a bit of spermaceti ointment of about the size of a pea, tie it up in a small square of fine linen, and place it deep in the ear, working it round till it takes the shape of the orifice, leaving the end to hang out, not a murmur of sound can be heard; the atmosphere is sweet and serene, the nerves are quite at rest, all exasperation is subdued, and when the noise is over, or the necessary season of quiet has been had, the little plug can be removed, the murmur of the world allowed to return, and no harm done.—*Harper's Bazar.*

FIRE-PROOF PILLARS.

Cast-Iron Better Able to Withstand Flames Than Wrought-Iron.

Prussian authorities regard cast-iron pillars as very dangerous in case of fire, and have forbidden their use in inhabited buildings while allowing wrought-iron to be employed. This has led Prof. Bauschinger, of Munich, to make a long series of actual trials, which have shown him that cast-iron is really the much more reliable of the two. He loaded pillars of these substances with the weights they are usually expected to bear in buildings, and heated them successively to various temperatures up to a red heat, letting a stream of cold water play on them, exactly as would be the case in a fire being extinguished by fire engines. The cast-iron pillars were much cracked and damaged by this treatment, but continued to sustain their loads safely, while those of wrought-iron were much bent before redness was reached, and so twisted when cold water struck them that they could not carry their loads. In experiments with other materials, concrete resisted a fire of three hours' duration, ordinary brick stood very well, but less resistance was shown by granite, sandstone and other natural stones.—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

—Girls can marry at the age of eleven years in the State of Maine.

A LADY'S JOURNEY.

Madam Knight's Adventure on a Trip Between Boston and New York One Hundred and Eighty Years Ago.

On "Monday, October ye second," one hundred and eighty-one years ago, a Boston lady undertook a journey to New York City, an account of which was published in 1825 from a diary in the author's own handwriting, "being a faithful record of Madam Knight's adventures over that tract of country, where she traveled about a fortnight on horseback under the direction of a hired guide.'"

That madam was regarded as rather odd is evident from the reception she received on the first night after starting. "I was interrogated," she writes, "by a young lady, I understood afterward was the eldest daughter of the family, with these words: 'Law for mee! What in the world brings You here at this time of night? I never see a woman on the Rode so Dreadfull late, in all the days of my versall life. Who are You? Where are You going? I'me scar'd out of my witts.'"

Madam Knight arrived in New Haven October 7, where she "was received with all possible respects and civility."

On December 6 she writes: "Being by this time well recruited and rested after my journey, my business lying unfinished by some concerns at New York depending thereupon, my kinsman, Mr. Thomas Trowbridge, of New Haven, must needs make a journey there before it could be accomplished, I resolved to go there in company with him and a man of the town which I engaged to wait on me there."

Madam seems to have been much pleased with New York, where she made many acquaintances among the good women of the city, "who courteously invited me to their houses and generously entertained me." And her description of the city at that time is well worth reading. She says: "The Cittie of New York is a pleasant, well-compacted place, situated on a Commodious River which is a fine harbor for shipping. Their Diversion in the Winter is Riding Sleys about three or four Miles out of Toun, where they have Houses of entertainment at a place called the Bowery, and go to some friends' Houses who handsomely treat them. Mr. Burroughs cary'd his spouse and Daughter and myself out to Madam Dowes, a Gentlewoman that lived at a farm House, who gave us a handsome Entertainment of five or six Dishes and choice Beer and Metheglin Cyder, etc., all which she Said was the produce of her farm. I believe we mett 50 or 60 sleys that day—they fly with great swiftness and some are so furious that they'le turn out of the path for none except a Loaded Cart. Nor do they spare for any diversion the place afford and sociable to a degree, they'r Tables being as free to thar Naybours as to themselves."

"And now," she adds, "Having transacted the affair I went upon and some other that fell in my way, after about a fortnight's stay there I left New York with no Little regrett."—*Boston Statesman.*

REPTILES.

Reason Why They Are Inaccessible to Human Sympathy.

A reptile is not, perhaps, an amiable thing. Its name—"that which creeps" prejudices one against it. We would as soon make friends off-hand with a ghoul or vampire as with a reptile. Nor is there anything thoroughly unjustifiable in this sentiment. The necessities of speech require a word that shall compendiously express the idea of the contemptible and crawling, and at the same time potentially hurtful. And "reptile" fulfils this obnoxious duty. So when Beattie applies this term of reproach to a servile poet, or Byron to a mean critic, they are not to be found fault with. The sycophant in Shelley, the slave in Montgomery, even man—"the poor reptile man" himself—in loftily moralizing Groome are metaphorically rendered, and not unfairly, by a term that zoologically implies either a turtle, a crocodile, a frog, a lizard or a snake. Scattered up and down in verse will be found scores of individuals whom the poets, anxious to stigmatize as despicably base, denominate "reptiles."

Now, all this is perfectly fair. We have attached to a certain word a certain metaphorical meaning, which is a very odious one. Thus, Bismarck calls the secret-service budget "the reptile fund," and the Man of Iron includes in it all such miserable creatures as venal editors and spies. The self-seeking parasite, the insidious hypocrite, the cringing slave, deserve the worst we can say of them, and as we have decided that there is nothing worse to be said of such than reptile—reptiles let them be.—*Gentleman's Magazine.*

Compressed Coal.

Some interesting particulars are given by M. Escalle, director of the important works at Tamaris, in regard to the employment of blocks of compressed coal, in lieu of coke, for blast furnaces. With the ores of the country, which are argilo-silicious and small, the quantity of compressed fuel employed is twenty per cent., but with those of Motka or Pilhais it reaches regularly thirty per cent. It has been found that by the use of these blocks a much higher temperature of hot blast is obtained, and that the proportion of combustible consumed—coke and compressed fuel included—per ton of pig iron produced is less than with coke alone. M. Escalle attributes this result to the quantity of water, one and one-half per cent., contained in the compressed coal blocks used by him, as well as to the nature of the volatile matters. The volume of gas obtained per ton of the compressed fuel, at these works, was about seven thousand feet.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The most extensive region of heavy rainfall in the British Islands is reported by Mr. A. Buchan to be the West Highlands of Scotland, where the annual fall is over eighty inches, and at Glencoe has exceeded one hundred and twenty-eight inches.—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

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L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express	No. 149 Acc.om
Jackson	6 25 A.M.	2 10 P.M.	1 15 P.M
Napoleon	6 44 "	2 35 "	2 00 "
Norvell	6 50 "	2 44 "	2 15 "
Manchester	7 02 "	3 00 "	2 50 "
Clinton	7 17 "	3 16 "	3 58 "
Tecumseh	7 26 "	3 26 "	4 07 "
Adrian	8 08 "	4 2 "	5 05 "
Detroit	8 30 "	[illegible] "	....
Toledo	9 25 "	5 05 "	....

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit	8 5 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	....
Toledo	10 30 "	7 55 "	....
Adrian	11 25 "	8 50 "	4 40 A.M
Tecumseh	12 04 P.M.	9 31 "	6 00 "
Clinton	12 15 "	9 44 "	7 00 "
Manchester	12 26 "	10 02 "	8 00 "
Norvell	12 40 "	10 18 "	8 35 "
Napoleon	12 49 "	10 25 "	8 55 "
Jackson	1 10 "	10 50 "	9 50 "

Jackson City Time is now Standard of 90th Meridian time.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Coupon tickets are now to be procured at this station over lines running to all principal cities in the United States.

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Detroit & Indianapolis Division.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 34	No. 22	No. 26	No. 28
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	
BUTLER	8 50	8 25	2 50	
Troy	8 57	8 35	2 38	
Lakesley	9 07	8 45	2 50	
Montpelier	9 17	8 57	3 03	
Kunkle	9 29	9 09	3 15	
Alvordton	9 35	9 16	3 22	
North Fayette	9 45	9 28	3 34	
North Morenci	9 51	9 40	3 46	
Seneca	9 59	9 45	3 51	
Sand Creek	10 06	9 53	3 58	
Adrian, Ar.	10 17	10 05	4 13	A. M.
Adrian, Lv.	10 17	10 06	4 14	7 30
Raisin Center	10 23	10 14	4 20	7 36
Holloway	10 27	10 20	4 25	7 42
Britton	10 35	10 30	4 35	7 54
Tipton	10 42	10 42	4 43	8 04
Hillsdale	10 49	10 50	4 52	8 15
Whittaker	10 57	10 56	5 01	8 23
Willis	11 02	11 04	5 07	8 32
Belleville	11 10	11 11	5 15	8 42
Romulus	11 17	11 18	5 23	8 52
Inkster	11 28	11 30	5 35	9 06
Delrey	11 40	11 43	5 48	9 22
DETROIT	11 50	11 55	6 00	9 35

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 27	No. 25	No. 23	No. 51
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
DETROIT	5 00	9 30	1 20	7 15
Delrey	5 12	9 42	1 30	7 27
Inkster	5 30	9 55	1 42	7 37
Romulus	5 37	10 05	1 52	7 58
Belleville	5 56	10 13	1 59	8 07
Willis	6 07	10 20	2 06	8 13
Whittaker	6 16	10 25	2 13	8 21
Hillsdale	6 27	10 32	2 20	8 33
Cobes	6 37	10 42	2 27	8 59
Britton	6 48	10 51	2 35	8 50
Holloway	7 02	11 02	2 44	9 00
Raisin Center	7 08	11 07	2 48	9 04
Adrian, Ar.	7 15	11 14	2 54	9 11
Adrian, Lv.		11 15	2 54	9 12
Sand Creek		11 29	3 05	9 24
Seneca		11 37	3 12	9 31
North Morenci		11 43	3 17	9 34
North Fayette		11 55	3 28	9 47
Alvordton		12 10	3 37	10 00
Kunkle		12 16	3 43	10 22
Montpelier		12 32	3 54	10 27
Lakesley		12 47	4 05	10 35
Troy		12 58	4 13	10 45
BUTLER	—	1 08	4 22	10 55

E. W. STEVENS, Division Supt. W. F. BRADLEY, Agent, Adrian.

MICHIGAN & OHIO RAILROAD.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT NOV. 1, 1885.

Short Line and Through Coaches to Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater, Mich.

GOING WEST. No. 34 Pass	No. 32 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	GOING EAST. No. 33 Pass	No. 31 Pass
P. M.	A.M.		P. M.	A. M.
5 45	10 10	A...Toledo ...L	5 10	11 10
6 10	11 02	Dundee	4 15	10 10
6 04	11 21	Britton	3 52	9 46
6 20	11 39	Ridgeway	3 47	9 42
6 16	11 39	Tecumseh	3 37	9 32
6 32	11 55	Tipton	3 22	9 17
6 45	12 08	Onsted	3 08	9 05
6 50	12 22	Devils Lake	2 51	8 51
6 59	12 30	Addison	2 45	8 43
7 25	12 48	Jerome	2 28	8 26
7 32	12 55	Moscow	2 21	8 20
N 12	1 00	Hanover	2 10	8 00
7 52	1 17	Pulaski	1 59	7 57
8 17	1 38	Homer	1 38	7 38
8 27	1 50	Eckford	1 27	7 21
8 44	2 05	Marshall	1 14	7 06
9 05	2 17	Ceresco	1 02	6 49
9 15	2 36	A Battle Cr'k L	12 44	6 30
P. M.	2 56	Augusta	12 27	A. M.
	03	Yorkville	12 20	
	3 10	Richland	12 15	
	3 28	Doster	11 58	
	3 45	Montcalm	11 43	
	3 53	Fisk	11 35	
	3 59	Kellogg	11 30	
	4 10	A...Allegan ...L	11 20	
	5 25	Holland	10 15	
	6 30	Grand Rapids	9 15	
	6 20	Grand Haven	9 00	
	6 35	Ferrysburg	8 50	
	7 10	Muskegon	8 15	
	10 10	Pentwater	5 50	
	P.M.	A	L A. M.	

Train No. 32 has a Through Coach daily except Sunday for Grand Rapids, Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon and Pentwater. Also a through Sleeper leaves the above points via. C. & W. M. Railway each day, except Sunday, arriving in Detroit Train No. 33 at 5:40 P.M.

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BURMAH.

What a Mediæval Traveler Has to Say About the Ancient Kingdom.

In Marco Polo's travels the first mention of Burmah in the mediæval language of Europe is to be found. He calls the kingdom Mien, in Chinese fashion; and after narrating his approach to it by a down-hill journey of two and a half days, and a much longer passage through a wild country, he pauses to tell of a great battle which had taken place between the forces of the "Great Kaan" of Tartary and the King of Mien, which he describes so graphically that it seems probable he gathered his account from the lips of those who had been present at it. An army of the "Great Kaan" had approached the frontier of Burmah, and the Burmese King advanced against it with sixty thousand men and two thousand elephants, having on their backs towers of timber, each of which contained from twelve to sixteen warriors. The Tartar force was the weaker, and the Tartar horses were scared by the elephants, and broke in disorder. Then Nescradin, the Tartar Captain, ordered his men to tie their horses to trees and to take their bows, in the use of which they were very expert. The elephants, in their turn, could not stand the arrows, many were slain, and at last they fled with a terrific rush into a forest bordering the plain of battle, destroying the wooden castles as they forced their way through the trees. A fierce hand-to-hand fight ensued, and such was the noise of battle, says Palo, that "God might have thundered and no man would heard it." The Chinese annals, which corroborate Marco's date, mention that stakes had been fixed in order to injure the elephants. After the defeat of the Burmese, two hundred of these animals were taken alive by the Tartars, and the Great Khan ever afterward kept elephants as auxiliaries in war. Polo then goes on to describe those great wonders of Amien (a city which Colonel Rule thinks may be identified with Old Pagan), the towers of gold and silver erected near the tomb of a King. One was covered with gold to the thickness of a finger, and the other with silver in a like manner. These towers shone brilliantly in the sun, and to each were attached bells respectively of gold and silver, that tinkled in the wind. A doubtful version is then given of a conquest, the occurrence of which is confirmed both by the Burmese and Chinese annals. The "Great Kaan," having an overplus of jugglers and gleemen about his court, sent an army of them to conquer Mien, a task they duly effected. The towers of gold and silver excited their cupidity, but their master, with the reverence of his Nation for the dead, would not suffer these monuments to be pulled down. The Burmese historians estimate the Mongol invaders of their country on that occasion as amounting to six million of horse and twenty million of foot!

Lucovico di Varthema, most naive and entertaining of travelers, visited Burmah toward the close of the fifteenth century, but he has not much to say about it that is not touched upon by others who followed him there. He speaks among other things, of the long and thick timber, of the plentifulness of civet cats, and of the marvelous jewelry of the King, the rings of gold and gems about his arms and legs the rings upon his fingers, and his ears that "hung down half a plam" with the weight of their adornment. During the next century a good many Europeans seem to have strayed into this remote land. Burmah changed its divisions frequently at this time. First one King and then another rose to prominence and destroyed or made tributary his fellow Kings. In the consequent series of wars European partisans were engaged, notably a good many Portuguese. About the middle of the century there arose a great King known to fame as Brama of Toungoo, and under him Burmah seems to have attained its greatest power, and to have impressed all travelers with its riches and magnificence. Brama is spoken of as exceeding the "Great Turk" in power, and as having one million five hundred thousand men at his command. During this prosperous time, Ralph Fitch, a merchant of London reached the country, and has recorded what he saw there. He admired the straight streets of the capital, so protected by rows of palm trees that you might walk in the shade all day. He was struck, as most people were, by the honors paid to the sacred elephants, which extended even to washing their feet in silver basins, and he mentions how wild elephants were captured by anointing decoys with a peculiar scented ointment. When a white elephant was caught, each merchant had to make a donation of half a ducat. Of black elephants of war the King had no fewer than five thousand. In the country were mines of rubies, sapphires and spinelles.—*London Globe.*

A FINE GENTLEMAN.

Influence of the Culinary Art Over Stern Justice.

"Jedge," said an old negro who had been summoned to testify in a murder case, "I kain' stay heah long er nuff ter tell whut I knows er bout this killin'."

"But yer's got ter stay," the Judge replied. "Dis is er case o' great 'portance, an' widout yer de guilty man kain' be fotch ter justice."

"But, Jedge, I kain' stay, I tells yer."

"Fambly sick?"

"No, sah."

"Wife 'bout ter run er way an' lebe yer?"

"Oh, no, sah."

"Wall, den, of none o' dese klamaties has fell on yer, I'll hafter hole yer, an' ter make sho dat yer doan git er way, I'll hab de constable hol' yer in han'. It won't do ter fool wid de law o' dis heah lan', an' jestice mus' be scattered 'mong de folks eben ef de heabens falls."

"Well, Jedge, I mus' go, an' ef I haster tell yer I mus', dat's all. I'se gwine ter hab er 'possum fur dinner at my house, an' I—"

"Whut, er 'possum? Mr. Constable, 'journ dis heah cou't, fur I'se gwine home wid dis fine gennerman.—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

FRONTIER LIFE.

An Officer Relates the Details of His Desperate Struggle for Life with a Mad Bull in Dakota.

An officer of the regular army, whose death recently took place, and who in his lifetime was well and favorably known in St. Paul, having been stationed at Fort Snelling, told the following story of his experience on the frontier many years ago: One cold day in the winter of 1866 I started from Yankton, in a stage, bound for Fort Randall. My only companion was a young army officer, journeying to one of the western posts to join his regiment. It had been snowing hard all day, and the four horses attached to the stage found it very difficult to drag the vehicle through the drifts and over the bad roads. I and the young man soon became engaged in conversation, such was the effect of riding in stage in those days. It was a sufficient introduction to ride together, and fellow travelers depended much on one another to pass away the weary hours spent in the coach. We spent a half day in traveling a short distance. We were both tired. The young officer suggested the propriety of taking horses at the next station, which proved to be Springfield. He thought that it would be a change to get out of the stage and exercise ourselves on horseback. I gladly assented, for I was heartily tired of being cooped up in a stage. When we got to Springfield we were served dinner at the eating-house at that station. The eating-house was a frontier tavern, and was presided over by a determined-looking woman, the woman's looks preventing any expression of dissatisfaction with the food or drink. The meal was frugal in its character, as might naturally be expected. The coffee was made of chicory. We took everything, however, and never uttered a complaint. We saw the effects of the landlady's iron will on her dejected-looking husband. The lesson taught us to make the best of the meal. We did so. Afterward we made arrangements for two saddle horses, and in a short time after dinner were on our journey on horseback.

We rode on, when an abrupt turn in the road brought us suddenly upon a bull. The animal was plunging about as if infuriated. Retreat was impossible, so we concluded to attack him. Fortunately we had our rifles hung on the saddles. I hastily drew mine and fired at the bull. The ball entered his side, but apparently had no other effect than to increase his fury. He rushed at us, singling me out as his first victim. As he neared me he made a fearful plunge. Just before his horns entered the horse upon which I was seated I seized him with both hands, and held him with a grip that only my great strength and my atheletic skill made successful. This saved my life. Tossed and thrown from side to side, but never losing my hold on his horns, I struggled, almost suffocated by the creature's terrible, scorching, stifling breath, which, as he would give these snorts and puffs, would seem like volumes of hottest impure air, and I feared would almost overwhelm me at times. But still I tightly held on his horns and hoped to conquer in some way not apparent then. My companion, meanwhile, had been unable to render me any assistance, for doubting his ability to kill the bull at a shot, he wisely refrained from shooting at all, lest he might increase the creatures madness. Seeing that I was becoming exhausted without exhausting the bull, the young man concluded that something must be done quickly to relieve me. He therefore raised the rifle to shoot, when the bull, as if determined to shake me off, gave a mighty jerk and tossed me clear over his head. I landed in a big snow-bank, and so great was the force of my fall that I disappeared entirely from sight, buried in the snow. The bull appeared surprised. He remained motionless for a moment. The young man was quick to see the advantage, and before the bull could turn to renew the attack on either of us the young man shot the animal in the head, which sent him writhing to the ground. I got out of the snow-bank and sent a second shot into his carcass, which killed him instantly. As soon as I had time to examine myself I found that my hands were in a terrible condition, and that my body and legs were bruised. We hastily mounted our horses, the cold weather necessitating prompt action, and started on to the next station. We were soon overtaken by the stage, and we resumed our seats in that vehicle and so continued our journey to Fort Randall. At the fort I was taken in charge by the post surgeon. In about three weeks I was all right. At the fort we learned that the bull had been running at large for some time, doing considerable damage. The Indians had shot him repeatedly, but had not succeeded in hitting him in a vital spot. The wounds only increased his fury. He was generally regarded as a dangerous creature.—*St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

A SOLEMN WARNING.

Why Montana Cooks Will Not Dare to Go on Sprees.

One of the principal reasons that hotel keepers, restaurant men and others have always given for employing Chinese labor instead of that of white men, has been that the Chinese could be depended upon, while the white help, after working a week or so, would get drunk and leave their employers in the lurch. It is not thus in the town of Anaconda, Mon. The Chinamen have all been run out of that town, and they have found a way to make white men fill the places acceptably. The manager of one of the largest restaurants in Anaconda states that since all the Chinamen have been "fired," the cooks in his place have been waited on by the Knights of Labor and notified that, in the event of their getting drunk or failing to cook the meals on time or in proper shape, they will be tarred and feathered and driven out of town, and if their successors neglect their work a more severe example will be made of them. The Knights of Labor up in that section evidently understand the anti-coolie question better than the so-called agitators of Tacoma.—*Portland Oregonian.*

Don't Eat in a Hurry.

A health journal says that people ought to take three-quarters of an hour for dinner. This is well if there is dinner to hold out so long. The penality for hurrying meals as most people do, is a grevious attack of dyspepsia. In such a case you will have to resort to Brown's Iron Bitters for cure as did Mr. J. R. Pinkston, Shorter's Depot, Ala., who writes, "I found relief in Brown's Iron Bitters after years of suffering from dyspepsia."

After a druggist has filled a perscription it belongs to him, and not the customer who brought it to his store.

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Throat-all seldom gets well of itself, but deepens until it undermines the constitution, wastes away health, and strength and flesh, and finally fastens itself on the lungs, completing the wreck and ruin of the whole man. Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure is the only safe, sure and speedy remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung diseases. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. at fifty cents and one dollar. Pleasant to take and safe for children.

Many a man who had lost nerve, vigor and energy, has been cured by Hunt's Remedy.

I think Ely's Cream Balm is the best remedy for catrrah I ever saw. I never took anything that relieved me so quickly, and I have not felt so well for a long time. I used to be troubled with severe headaches two or three times a week, but since using the Balm have only had one that was very light compared with other former ones—J. A. Alcorn, Ag't U. P. R. R. Co., Eaton, Colo.

I find Ely's Cream Balm good for Catarrh of long standing.—M. N. Lasley, 1934 West Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

They have no fire insurance companies in Japan. When there is a fire the owner is executed.

Same Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we will sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1,00. Trial size free. For sale by Baker & Hall, Tecumseh.

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Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c
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Vasser girls ate 692 pounds of candy last year. Sweets to the sweet. But alas! they ate also forty bushels of onions.

The "Old Commoner" as the friends of Thaddeus Stevens, the distinguished Congressman were fond of calling him, once wrote to a fellow member who was suffering from indigestion and kidney disease: "Try Mishler's Herb Bitters. I believe it will cure you. I have used it for both indigestion and affection of the kidneys, and it is the most wonderful combination of medicinal herbs I ever saw."

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From the Monitor & Star.

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FIRE ANTS.

A Traveler's Experience With a Colony of These Pugnacious Insects.

My camp was once invaded by fire ants. It was a good place, convenient to wood and water, and I hated to leave. I disputed the right of occupancy with them for three weeks, at the end of which time I incontinently surrendered and fled. During that three weeks I dug them out, burned them out and drowned them out, but they didn't seem to mind it in the least. They went on burrowing and building and exploring the surrounding country, and when we left got full of them and I had been bitten in about three million different places. I thought it time to move. The bite of the fire ant is like the sting of the stinging heard. It burns and makes a sore place. They increase with a rapidity that is alarming, and the more you try to exterminate them the more numerous they become. It used to be a test of courage among the Comanche Indians for a brave to thrust his bared arm into a nest of fire ants and hold it there without flinching, while his companions went through the movements of a somewhat complicated dance around his tortured body. They don't do it any more. Once near Pope's Crossing, on the Pecos River, I reached a village of fire ants and started to make a detour. We discovered Indian signs of recent date, and halted to investigate. A band of Indians had camped on the edge of the ant village, and a prisoner, who afterward proved to be a bear hunter named Goggin, was stripped, bound hand and foot, and laid down among the ant hills. You can imagine his horrible sufferings. We found his bones and gave them a decent burial. The fire ant is pugnacious, and his mode of warfare is always aggressive. In the aggregate, he will attack any living thing, from an elephant down, kill him by sheer force of numbers and devour all but the bones.—*Texas Cor. Chicago Journal.*

BRAZILIAN SCHOOLS.

The Subsidies Paid to Settlers by the Government of Brazil.

The school system is very meager, but is improving. There are two thousand public schools in the empire for a population of 12,000,000 people, and the State expends annually $8,000,000 for public instruction. A bill for compulsory education has been introduced into Parliament at nearly every session by the Government during the last few years, but has not yet become a law. There is a taste and inclination for education among the upper classes, but nothing is ever done for the slaves in this respect beyond the little attention they receive from the priests.

There are several institutions for higher education, several schools of medicine, of law, civil engineering and mining. A normal school for the education of teachers, a conservatory of music, a school of fine arts, an institute for the blind and another for the deaf and dumb, several reformatory schools, and also an Imperial Industrial School founded by Dom Pedro upon the plan of the "Cooper Institute," of New York, the suggestion for it being derived from his visit to that place while in the United States. There is also a bureau of colonization and immigration in the Department of Agriculture, and as an inducement to settlers, Government offers them free subsistence and shelter at the boarding-house in Rio De Janeiro during the time that it is necessary for them to wait. The settler is also given free transportation with his baggage from Rio to any part of the country and can purchase land on credit, the first payment to be made at the end of the second year and four payments during the succeeding four years, with a discount of twenty per cent. for cash. A donation of necessary implements and seeds is given by the Agricultural Department for the first season and an allowance of twenty-five cents a day for each adult and ten cents for each child during the first six months after settlement until the land they occupy can be made to produce. The cost of the land is now eight to sixteen dollars an acre. There are now twelve colonies under the care of the Department of Agriculture, comprising a population of sixty-two thousand people, mostly German. The number of immigrants arriving in the country amounts to from forty to fifty thousand a year and is slowly increasing.—*Rio Cor. Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—Joseph Korosi, of Buda-Pesth, in a paper read before the Association of Hygiene, in Berlin, last year, presents some figures regarding the effect of the pecuniary status on longevity. Excluding deaths in infancy, he finds, taking his observations from a period of eight years, that the rich class had a longevity of fifty-two years, the middle class of forty-six years, the fourth, the poorer class of forty-one years and seven months.

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REYNOLDS.—December 9th, 1885, at the residence of her daughter, in Santa Ana, California, Mrs. Julia A. Reynolds, in the 75th year of her age.

She was the relict of the late Sydney Reynolds, who preceeded her to the better land some four years since. Mrs. Reynolds was born in the year 1810, in the town of Dennis, Seneca Co., N. Y. Arriving at mature age, she was married in her native town to Mr. Sydney Reynolds, where they remained until the year 1836, when Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds with their daughter, removed to Michigan. Having purchased a farm in Manchester, four miles west of Clinton, the family settled down, becoming permanent and highly respected citizens of Lenawee county. Without any delay they identified themselves with God's people and were enrolled as members of the Congregational church in Clinton. After Mr. Sydney Reynold's death, four years since, the farm was sold, and Mrs. R. removed with her son-in-law, Mr. Hartwell and his family, to Santa Ana, California, that she might spend her days with her only daughter, Mrs. Hartwell. She much enjoyed the climate and surroundings of her new home, though never losing her relish for Clinton friends and associations. After the failure of her health, her mind was somewhat unhinged, and those who knew her most intimately apprehended there might arise mental trouble. This her heavenly father kindly prevented, by calling her. She was quite aware of her true condition, and desired to depart, and be with Christ which is far better. Her bereaved ones sorrow, but not as those who have no hope, they are assured that she knew whom she had believed, and was able to keep what she had committed to him, against that day, and that to be absent from the body, would be to be present with the Lord. This is a rich consolation to all survivors, and becomes a spur to them in the discharge of their every-day duty. Heeding this, we shall become imitators of those who now through faith and patience inherit the promises.

W. P. WASTELL.

CLINTON, Mich., Dec. 30, 1885.

LETTER LISTS.

Tecumseh.

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Allen, Wm.	Jaikes, Geo. B.
Cohe, John C.	Kimbarritt, G. W.
Dashner, Joseph	Mc[illegible]onell, Walter
Dunn, James	Sawyer, George
Fisher, Clara	

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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MARRIED.

LOWRY—KENNEDY.—At Tecumseh, Dec. 24th, 1885, by Rev. Wm. H. Fulton, Wm. Alexander Lowry to Miss Mary Kennedy, all of Tecumseh.

SMITH—CAIN.—By Rev. F. Adams, at the residence of the bride's parents in Tecumseh, Dec. 24th, Mr. Francis N. Smith of Adrian, and Miss Anna E. Cain of Tecumseh.

WILLIAMS—SOUTHWARD.—At the home of parents in Franklin Dec. 23d, by B. Harry, Esq., Mr. George Williams and Miss Annie B. Southward, both of Franklin.

FRIEDHINER—ALEXANDER.—At the Baptist parsonage in Clinton, Mich., Dec. 26, 1885, by Rev. D. F. Ogden, Mr. P. E. Feighner, of Clinton, and Miss Sarah Alexander, of Tecumseh.

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Calf Skins ₩ ℔	8 @	9
Corn in ear	20 @	22
Corn—shelled ₩ bushel	@	45
Cotton Seed	4 50 @	5 00
Chickens—dressed	@	25
Eggs ₩ doz	@	20
Flour ₩ barrel	5 00 @	5 75
Hogs—dressed ₩ cwt	4 00 @	4 50
Hogs—live ₩ cwt	3 50 @	3 75
Hay ₩ ton	8 00 @	10 00
Honey ₩ ℔	@	14
Ham ₩ ℔	@	16
Lard ₩ ℔	@	7
Oats ₩ bushel	26 @	30
Onions ₩ bushel	@	35
Potatoes ₩ bushel	25 @	30
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Present, Norman Geddes, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lorenzo D. Dewey, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Miranda Dewey, executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that she has paid the debts of said deceased, his funeral expenses, and the expenses of administration of said estate and praying for the allowance of her final account, for an assignment of the residue of said estate to her, according to the provisions of said will, and for her discharge.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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